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LOKEN'S STORE GETS EXPERT FROM CHICAGO

Hugo Edberg Here to Assume Duties as Merchandise Manager.

IS VALUABLE ADDITION

Twelve Years Experience With Large Chicago Wholesale House.

Loken Brothers this week announced the addition of Hugo Edberg of Chicago, to their organization. Mr. Edberg will serve in the capacity of merchandise manager and assumed his new duties upon his arrival Monday.

Has Much Experience.

He comes to Loken Brothers from the firm of Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., with whom he has been for the past twelve years. His experience with this large establishment makes him an exceptionally valuable man to the local concern and he will fill an important place in their rapidly growing business.

Improvements Planned.

During the five years that Loken Brothers have been in business here they have kept abreast of the times by always adopting the latest and most progressive merchandising methods and as a result their business has enjoyed a remarkable growth. The installing of a merchandise manager is the first of a number of improvements that they have planned for this year.

Mrs. Edberg Talented Musician.

Mr. Edberg was accompanied to this city by his wife who is a talented musician. She studied at the Scandia Academy, American Conservatory, North Park college and the Chicago Musical college. She was for four years in charge of the music department of Scandia Academy and has taken part in a number of prominent concerts in Chicago. At the time of her departure from Chicago she was director of a choir of one hundred voices in one of the large churches there. She is to be organist and choir director at the local Presbyterian church.

OPTION ON PARK SITE HAS EXPIRED

City Council Takes No Action on Proposition to Purchase Block.

The city council at a special meeting held Tuesday evening took no action on the proposition to purchase the block north of the Catholic church, owned by J. M. Bishop, and as a result the option which the city had on the property went by default.

Some members of the council secured an option on this property a short time ago with the idea of securing it for the city and converting it into a park. The option was good until December 31st and therefore expired when the council took no action on it Tuesday night.

The price to be paid was $375 per lot and some figured that inasmuch as the city already owns a portion of the block it would be well to purchase the balance. They considered it about as central a location as it would ever be possible to secure for that part of the city on the west side of the river and quite suitable for park purposes. This opinion was evidently not shared by a majority of the council and as a result the deal was not carried through.

CENSUS TAKERS TO START WORK JAN. 2

Many Questions Will Be Asked By Enumerators While On Rounds.

Census enumerators over the entire United States will begin taking the census early the morning of January 2. Enumerators for Pennington county have been named and on that day will begin their duties. The work will be rushed to completion.

Many questions will be asked by the census takers for this decade. Any foreign born person should be able to state to the census enumerator when he first arrived and if he is a citizen, when he took out his final papers. If he took out first papers he should be able to give the date when they were received. If married the wife should be informed of her husband's status in the government so she can inform the census takers accurately in regard to her husband. A single woman must also answer all these questions. The place of birth of the resident's father and mother will also be asked. A live stock census will also be taken at the same time. If boarders are kept the number of boarders and information about them will be asked. Is your house owned or rented and if owned is it mortgaged, is another question that must be answered. The information learned by the census will be regarded as confidential.

The 1920 census is the fourteenth taken by the United States. The last one was in 1910, and at that time Thief River Falls had a population of 3,760.

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ATTENTION ELKS.

All Elks are urged to attend the regular meeting of the lodge tomorrow (Friday) night. The matter of securing a special train for the Baudette trip on Jan. 17th will be decided and a full attendance is desired. An American lunch will be served.

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Couldn't Find Any Booze.

The Newell drug store was broken into last Sunday night by parties who were evidently in search of booze. When Dr. Newell came down to the store Monday morning he found the cork out of every bottle that looked so it might contain some of the coveted fluid. Upon making a more thorough survey of the place he found that the lock on the back door had been broken and the door forced open. Nothing else in the store had been touched and Dr. Newell says the prowlers left without finding a "drop."

PLAN TO PROVIDE HOMES UNDER WAY

Propose To Form Organization and Build Modest Houses.

The housing situation in Thief River Falls appears to be growing worse every day and there is now considerable talk of forming an organization to finance the building of a number of dwellings in the spring.

The plan as suggested would be carried out by some fifteen or twenty men who are desirous of securing homes for themselves. They propose to form a realty company or some similar organization and let the contract for the entire number of houses wanted at one time. In this way it is figured that better prices can be secured and that the project can be much more easily financed than would be the case if each decided to undertake the erection of a house separately.

The idea seems to be meeting with considerable favor and it appears that something in the way of definite action to perfect an organization will be done in the very near future.

Want Sleeper Back.

Much criticism is being made locally because the special Thief River Falls sleeper has not been put back into service on the Soo Line by the railroad administration. This has been a great accommodation to people arriving in the city on the early morning train and if the service is not reinstated in the very near future it is likely that the Commercial club will take the necessary steps to get some action in the matter.

TESSUM COMPANY ELECTS SECRETARY

S. C. Coumbe Becomes Identified With Progressive Organization.

S. C. Coumbe, at one time assistant cashier of the First National bank of Thief River Falls, and more recently manager of the Oxogen Products Co., has identified himself with the Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply company, and has been elected secretary of that corporation.

Mr. Coumbe has been a resident of Thief River Falls for the past two years and is recognized as an energetic young man of exceptional business ability. He has become associated with a live, progressive business organization and will without question be successful in his new line of work.

DATE FOR MANN TALK POSTPONED

Sickness In Family Makes It Impossible For Mr. Mann To Be Here Jan. 5.

The Merchants' association has received word from F. P. Mann, at Devils Lake, N. D., that it will be impossible for him to appear here on the evening of Jan. 5th, because of sickness in his family.

Mr. Mann's talk has been looked forward to with great interest by the local business men and his inability to come at this time is a keen disappointment to them. It is announced, however, that he will be able to come some time in February and the meeting will simply be postponed until that time.

PETITION OUT FOR DIVISION OF MARSHALL

Over Thousand Signatures Secured Before Presenting to Governor.

HOLT PROPOSED CAPITAL

Planned to Split County In Half—Election Slated For November.

The long expected county division fight is on in Marshall county. A petition bearing over one thousand signatures was filed with the governor at St. Paul this week, asking that Marshall county be divided and that the *question be voted on at the general* election in November.

County Seat at Holt.

The petition was circulated by residents of the village of Holt and that place is therein designated as the county seat of the proposed new county. The law requires that a petition of this nature be signed by twenty-five per cent of the voters of the entire county who voted at the last general election. In Marshall county this brings the required number slightly over eight hundred but in order to be perfectly safe the Holt enthusiasts secured some over a thousand signatures.

The fact that the petition was started only some ten days ago is an indication of the aggressiveness and determination back of the Holt people. The whole thing was done almost before the rest of the county knew what was taking place.

"Liberty" Name Proposed.

The people back of this petition have designated the name of Liberty for the new county. Apparently the only hitch in the whole proceedings will come from the fact that one or two places besides Holt up in that "neck of the woods" would like to be the county seat if a new county is to be formed.

Another Petition Out.

The people of Middle River have always had a notion that at some time their village would become the county seat of a new county. It is reported that they strenuously resent the Holt petition and have already started the circulation of another one designating Middle River as the county seat.

Then there is the village of Grygla over on the eastern edge of the county. A dream of a new county formed by a part of Marshall and Beltrami counties with Grygla as the county seat is known to have for some time disturbed the sleep of the residents thereabouts.

As far as the western part of Marshall county is concerned, little opposition to a division is looked for from that quarter. The residents of that portion have expected this sort of thing for some time and it is very likely that they will sit back and let the east end people fight it out among themselves.

More Ford Profits to Employes.

An elaboration of its profit sharing plan whereby all of the employes may be enabled to return six per cent a year and distribution of a bonus that will total between eight and ten million dollars was announced yesterday by the Ford Motor company.

Approximately 90,000 employes of the Ford Motor company and other interests of Henry Ford and his son, Edsel, it was announced, are eligible to participate. In a statement accompanying the details of the new policy it was announced the two steps outlined constitute "only a beginning," and that "other plans for enlarging the income and increasing the purchasing power of the dollar of our employes, are under consideration."

The amount of bonuses which will be in addition to the distribution of profits under the original profit sharing plan will be based on an employe's daily wage and length of service. It will range from $50 in the case of a worker in the company's service three months and receiving the minimum wage of $6 a day to $270 in the case of the worker with five years of service and receiving a wage of $10.80 a day. Salaried employes receiving more than $250 a month will participate proportionately on a basis of length and value of service.

Wood Alcohol Kills at Brainerd.

Six deaths of men near Brainerd recently were the results of wood alcohol poisoning according to an announcement today by a St. Paul physician. Another man from Brainerd whose eyesight was seemingly destroyed by poisonous alcohol, is being treated at a hospital in St. Paul.

Cold Wave For New Year.

The new year was ushered in, in the northwest by an extensive cold wave according to the weather forecaster. The temperature at the head of the lakes, it is predicted, will drop to from zero to ten below tonight or tomorrow.

REV. O. J. KVALE
First Pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church.

LOCAL ELKS TO GO TO BAUDETTE JAN. 17

Special Train Will Probably Be Secured to Accommodate Crowd.

The local lodge of Elks is making elaborate preparations for a trip to Baudette, Saturday, Jan. 17th. On that date between fifty and sixty candidates will be taken into the lodge at the town on the border and the local members seem determined to have Elkdom well represented when this is done.

Arrangements will be made at the Elks' meeting tomorrow night for a special train to accommodate the local delegation. In order to secure the train it will be necessary for at least one hundred to make the trip. No difficulty in reaching this mark is expected, however, and it is altogether likely that at least one hundred and fifty will be on hand on the 17th.

The train will leave here about nine o'clock in the morning and return sometime the following day.

BURTON RESIGNS AS UNIVERSITY HEAD

Has Accepted Presidency of University of Michigan, It Is Stated.

Resignation of Marion L. Burton as president of the University of Minnesota was officially announced yesterday. Mr. Burton wired his resignation from Philadelphia and stated that he had accepted the offer to be president of the University of Michigan.

Reports persisted in university circles that Dr. Harry L. Williams, for 20 years coach of the football team, will resign to accept a similar position with an eastern university. Dr. Williams is now at New Haven, Conn. The salary question is said to be responsible.

It is expected that President Burton will remain at the university until the close of the college year.

No announcement of a successor will be made until President Burton's resignation has been formally accepted by the board of regents, it was stated.

TO ADDRESS FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION

Pres. Quamme Will Explain Workings of Plan at Annual Meeting.

President E. G. Quamme of St. Paul, head of the regional bank, will be here on Tuesday, Jan. 13th, to attend the annual meeting of the Valhall National Farm Loan association. He will address the members explaining the workings of the plan and the advantages it holds for farmers who are compelled to borrow money.

The meeting will be held at the Auditorium in Thief River Falls at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and elaborate preparations have been made for the occasion. Notices have been sent to all sections of the territory served by the local branch and one of the largest gatherings of farmers ever seen in the city is expected. A dinner will be served from 12:30 to 1:30 and it is expected that this feature will help swell the attendance. The association has adopted the slogan, "Make Tuesday, Jan. 13th, a Holiday," and it appears from the interest shown that the idea will be carried out by the farmers on that day.

A full report of the business of the association during the past year will be presented at the annual meeting by Secretary-Treasurer L. A. Lampert. The local association has been one of the most successful in the state and Mr. Lampert's report is certain to be of great interest.

NARROW GAUGE SLEIGHS MAY BE USED AND SOLD

Attorney General Gives Opinion That Error Was Made By Clerk.

REP. BERVE GETS RULING

Bill Passed By Legislature Never Presented to the Governor.

The more the so-called "sleigh bill" is investigated the worse it looks. Last week Senator O. A. Naplin contributed an article in which he claimed that the sleigh bill as it now appears in the statutes is not the one passed by the legislature. Representative H. O. Berve of Marshall county, has made a still further investigation and secured an opinion from the office of the attorney general. In this opinion it is clearly shown that the engrossing clerk, by the striking out of four words from the bill, completely changed the intent and meaning of the law. In fact, the clerk did what the House had refused to do by amendment.

May Use Narrow Guage.

The attorney general holds that the bill as passed by the House and Senate was never presented to the governor for his approval but that the law is to be construed so as to carry out the intention of the legislature. This will permit the use and sale of narrow gauge sleighs purchased before Jan. 1, 1921. Mr. Berve's communication follows:

"In last week's issue of your paper I notice an article by Sen. Naplin, dealing with the new sleigh law. Sen. Naplin is correct, and I am glad he called attention to this peculiar error. Upon noticing this error in the law, I referred the matter to the attorney-general's office for an investigation of the files and records pertaining to the bill, and for an opinion as to the validity of the law. His opinion dated Dec. 20th, and written by Mr. Weeks, has just been received, and I trust you will give space in your paper for a few observations in connection with the same.

Mistake By Engrossing Clerk.

"After examining the files and records pertaining to the bill, Mr. Weeks, among other things, says: 'It is also clear that the engrossing clerk made a mistake, and in engrossing the bill after the action of the House in rejecting amendment No. 1, reversed the action of the House; that is, he struck out the words (purchased at first hand), which the House had refused to do.'

"Further on in his opinion he says: 'It is thus apparent that the engrossed bill and the enrolled bill, which is identical with the engrossed bill, is not, in exact wording, the bill which was passed, after rejection of the amendment by the House, nor is it the bill which the Senate re-passed after concurrence by the Senate in the House amendments. It follows that the exact bill which passed the Legislature was never presented to the Governor for his approval.'

Court Test May Come.

"The General concludes his opinion by saying that the law, as it appears in the volume of session laws, can be, and is to be construed so as to carry out the intent of the Legislature, and hence the old, narrow gauge sleighs which were bought before Jan. 1, 1921, may continue to be used, and sold after that date without restrictions.

"So much for the opinion. The matter will now be up to the courts, should an attempt be made to enforce this part of the law. However, the undersigned, and most of the other members of the Legislature would be interested in knowing just how this mistake slipped into the law, after the House and Senate turned down the amendment."

PENNINGTON COUNTY SOCKS HAVE HISTORY

Mrs. Griebstein Receives Interesting Communication From New Jersey.

During the war a large number of the women of this community contributed socks and other knitted articles to the Red Cross for use in the army. Mrs. Emil Griebstein was one of these and this week she received a letter from John Raupp of Patterson, New Jersey, which relates that one pair of socks made by her went through several of the biggest battles of the war, finally landed in Germany and then came back to America and were given to the writer of the letter as a Christmas gift. The letter is dated Dec. 27th, and reads as follows:

Totowa Borough, N. J.—On Christmas day I was presented with a pair of socks by a young private who recently returned from France. In putting these socks on I found a small slip of paper with your name thereon and I thought possibly you will like to learn of the record of these socks, which is as follows:

'They were presented to this young private by the Red Cross, have made a trip to France, have gone all thru the Argonne Forest battle, went thru the thickest of the Grand Pre fight, and finally landed in Germany, and from there back to America.

They seem to have been a source of good luck, as the young private who carried them has not been wounded. I give you this small history of the stockings, as I know it will be of interest to you to know just where and how these stockings have finally located.

With many thanks to you, and wishing you a Happy New Year, I beg to remain JOHN RAUPP.

Athletic Club Now Open.

The Athletic club was formally opened to the members last Friday and since that time the place has become quite popular. One class has been organized to meet at 5 o'clock every afternoon. It is being conducted by S. Salveson, who has donated his services for that purpose. S. C. Coumbie has also offered his services to conduct a class at eight o'clock every Tuesday evening and another class will probably be organized for that time. The ladies will meet at the gymnasium for the first time next Wednesday afternoon. Now that the holiday season is over it is expected that the business men will have more spare time and take a greater interest in the club.

ALLOW BILL FOR LEGAL SERVICES

Attorney Theo. Quale Voted $600 By City Council For Services Rendered.

At the last meeting of the city council Attorney Theo. Quale presented a bill for $600 for legal services rendered during the past year. The bill was allowed by the council and a warrant in payment of the same has been made out by the city clerk but it has not been signed by the mayor.

This is the second chapter in a matter that has attracted a great deal of attention throughout the past year. During this time Mr. Quale has been serving both as city and county attorney. Mayor G. A. Penney, from the outset, took the stand that the law prevented Mr. Quale from holding the office of city attorney while serving as county attorney and accordingly refused to sign the monthly pay checks. Mr. Quale then brought action in court to collect his pay and the district court decided against him. He appealed to the state supreme court where the case was dismissed through some technical error in the appeal.

Mr. Quale's latest move in presenting a bill for "legal services" puts the matter in an entirely different light, the contention being that the city council has the right to secure whatever legal services they desire and that it is not necessary that the lawyer giving such services be paid as "city attorney."

PUBLIC EXAMINER TO AUDIT BOOKS

City Council Votes to Secure State Man to Check Up City's Business.

The city council at its last meeting decided to have the books of the city audited by a man from the state public examiner's office and a request to have this done at the earliest possible date has been sent to the state office.

Under the law the state public examiner's office must provide a man for this work when a request is made by a city of this class. The city, of course, pays a stated sum per day for the work during the time required.

The books have been audited each year for some time past by a local accountant but the council decided to secure a state man for the work this year. The work includes the auditing of the books of the city clerk, city treasurer and water and light department.

Postoffice Holiday Business.

The holiday business of the local post office exceeded all previous years by 30 per cent.

Postmaster John Morgan, with a well organized corps of assistants, handled the enormous holiday business in a very efficient manner.

In the mailing of the out-going packages there was no congestion and no waiting in line as parcels were weighed, rated and precancelled and stamps affixed, in a manner which kept the crowd and the parcels moving.

Every piece of mail was given the proper dispatch without delay.

In the incoming mails distribution was made as soon as the mails arrived and deliveries made without any delay.

The parcels were delivered to carrier patrons by substitute carrier and horse drawn parcel post sleigh which greatly expedited the delivery.

Credit is due the patrons of the office in observing the instruction of the post office department, to mail parcels early, which greatly assisted in avoiding congestion and delay.

DITCH PETITIONS TURNED DOWN BY CO BOARD

Legal Technicalities Seem to Make This Action Advisable.

WILL DO REPAIR WORK

Annual Meeting of Board to Be Held Tuesday, January 6.

At a special meeting of the board of county commissioners held Monday and Tuesday two ditch petitions came up for hearing. One called for the repair, widening, deepening and *extending of County Ditch No. 36*, and the other designated the same kind of work on County Ditches Nos. 39, 45 and 59.

Both Petitions Rejected.

The petition for ditch 36 was completely rejected and the other was rejected insofar as the extending of the ditches was concerned. The repair work on the petition for ditches Nos. 39, 45 and 59, will be done as petitioned for. Both jobs were to be done under the Repair Ditch Law and it was chiefly because of this fact that the petitions were turned down. A considerable quantity of new work was designated in the petitions and the opinion was that it would be stretching the law pretty far to attempt to do the work under this act.

Many Oppose Proposed Work.

Another reason for turning down the petitions was the appearance at the hearing of a large delegation of farmers who opposed having the work done. This was considerable of a surprise to the county board as many of those who appeared in opposition to the plan were original signers of the petitions. At the time the petitions were circulated much of the land in the two drainage districts was under water and as this is not evidence now it probably accounts for the change of attitude on the part of some of the signers.

Annual Meeting Jan. 6.

The county board will next convene on Jan. 6th, which is the date for the annual meeting. At this time much business of importance will be transacted. The board will be organized for the year, appointments will be made, official newspaper designated and other important matters disposed of.

BASKET BALL GAME TO BE HARD BATTLE

Legion Team Will Meet Fast All Stars From Grand Forks.

Local fans are promised a treat in basket ball tonight when the local American Legion team will clash with the fast All Star aggregation from Grand Forks. The game will be staged at the auditorium at 8 o'clock and will undoubtedly be witnessed by a large crowd.

The local bunch has been going through some stiff practice during the past week and Coach Connell claims that they are in shape to give the Grand Forks tossers the game of their life.

This is the first of a series of games that will be played by the Legion team and the public should give them sufficient support to encourage them.

NEW CITY COUNCIL SOON TO ORGANIZE

Important Appointments to Be Made at This Meeting.

The newly elected city council will organize at the meeting to be held next Tuesday evening. At that time Aldermen Benson and Olson will retire from public office and Aldermen Dahl and Ness will take their seats for the first time.

At this meeting a number of important appointments will be made. These consist of city attorney, city clerk, janitor of auditorium, superintendent of water and light department and a number of minor offices.

It is understood that there are a number of applications for the various offices and it is possible that the council will be divided on some of them.

Legion Dance a Big Success.

The dance given by the local Post of the American Legion last night was attended by one of the largest crowds that was ever seen at a dance in this city. Over three hundred tickets were sold. The music, furnished by the local orchestra, gave complete satisfaction and the dance was a social and financial success.

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SOCIETY and Club

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club will hold a regular meeting in the Commercial club rooms on next Monday afternoon instead of in the evening as had been planned. Mr. Mann, whom the Merchants' association had secured to speak at a joint meeting of the Woman's club and the association, will be unable to be here. A very interesting musical program will be given by two of the city's most talented young people, Miss Alice Bourque and Herman Bischoff, sister and son, respectively, of Mrs. W. B. Fuller. Miss Bourque is a student of the Minneapolis School of Music and Art, and has since her entry to that school this fall made remarkable progress. Mr. Bischoff attends the school for the blind at Faribault, and is an unusual musician as he plays several different instruments in a very proficient manner. It is hoped that all members will be present to enjoy this rare musical treat. The program to be given is as follows:

"Rustles of Spring" .... Linberg
Prelude in C Minor .... Chopin
Herman Bischoff, Pianist
"The Star" .... Rodgers
Mifanwy .... Dorothy Forster
"Springs a Lovable Lady" .... Elliot
Alice Bourque, Soprano
Mrs. Oscar Sponheim, Accompanist
Clarinet Solo, "Tyrolene" ... Weisenborn
Herman Bischoff, Clarinet
Mrs. Oscar Sponheim, Accompanist
Whistling Solo .... Traumerl
Alice Bourque
Herman Bischoff, Accompanist
"La Serenata" .... F. Paola Tosti
"Three For Jack" .... W. H. Squire
Herman Bischoff, Tenor
Mrs. Oscar Sponheim, Accompanist
Vocal Duet, "Dear Old Pal of Mine" .... Gitzrice
Herman Bischoff
Alice Bourque

Class of '15 Entertained.

The high school class of '15 was royally entertained on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Leo Fahey. Progressive whist was played at four tables. Prizes were awarded to Miss Ella Miller and Mrs. Gynther Tessum. At midnight a delightful lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. C. T. Christenson and Miss Stella Connor. The remainder of the evening was spent in recalling reminiscences of high school days and in singing old familiar songs. It is an event which will long be remembered by those who were present. The '15's are the only class to have been entertained annually since graduation with the exception of last year when most of the boys were in service.

Those who had the pleasure of the evening were: Misses Ruth Bamford, A. Peterson, V. Brabender, E. Miller, Bertha Erickson, Mable Gather, Stella Connor, Meta Kiland, and Mesdames G. Tessum, W. Parbst, and Messrs. L. Hermanson, R. Falk, H. Connor, F. Burns and W. Long.

Kiel-Krantz.

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Dec. 24th at the bride's home at Hazel, when Miss Ruth Kiel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kiel of Hazel, became the bride of N. O. Krantz of Grand Forks. The couple was attended by the bride's sister, Miss Gladys, and Roscoe Adair of Grand Forks. The bride's gown was of white georgette crepe and satin, trimmed with beads, and she carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses and ferns. The bridesmaid wore a gown of white crepe de chene trimmed with pink rosebuds and satin, and she carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses. A wedding supper was served at the bride's home with only the immediate relatives present. The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kiel and Miss Grace Kiel, all of Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Krantz will be at home in Grand Forks after Jan. 1.

Alumni Reunion.

A very enjoyable social event of the season was the alumni reunion which was held on Friday evening when 137 members were present to participate. After listening to an interesting program composed of several musical selection and readings, a business session followed. During this meeting it was decided to hold the reunion during the Christmas holidays instead of commencement week as had been the previous custom. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: President, Carl Sundahl; vice president, Carl Gulrud; secretary, Gynther Tessum, and treasurer, G. W. Werstlein. Directly following the business meeting a very fine lunch was served by the Evelyn hotel. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

Sleighride Party.

A party of seventeen young people enjoyed a sleigh ride out to the Albert Johnson home, south of this city, last Monday evening. Upon their arrival the guests were served with a fine turkey supper. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social manner. Those who participated are as follows: Misses Florence and Mary Prichard, Elizabeth Kinney, Ella and Marian Miller, Zella Zeh, Alice Peterson, Irma Johnson, Marie Nelson and Miriam Bishop; Messrs. Charles and James Prichard, Roy Miller, Rufus Barackman and Mr. and Mrs. Mauritz Brink.

Mrs. Berg Entertains.

Mrs. Inga Berg entertained a number of her relatives at a two o'clock dinner at her home on Knight avenue on Sunday. Covers were laid for fourteen.

In Honor of St. Olaf Students.

The J. J. Weeks home was the scene of a very prettily appointed dinner party on last Saturday evening when Milton and Helen Weeks entertained in honor of the local young folks who attend St. Olaf college. The color scheme was in pink and white and pink roses were used on the table. Following the dinner the guests repaired to the living room where the remainder of the evening was spent in singing.

Mrs. Gullingsrud Entertains.

Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud was hostess at a series of dinner parties which were held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. On Christmas day a 12 o'clock dinner was served to twenty guests. On Friday evening at 6 o'clock covers were laid for ten, and on Saturday evening eight guests enjoyed a six o'clock dinner. Christmas colors and holly were used in decorating.

Crown-Stenvick.

On Christmas evening a quiet wedding was solemnized at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, when Axel W. Crown of this city, and Julia Stenvick of Goodridge, were united in marriage, George Larson, pastor of the church, officiating. Albert Crown, Oscar and Minnie Stenvick acted as witnesses.

In Honor of Miss Kinney.

Miss Mary Prichard entertained about fifteen of her immediate friends at her home on Tuesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in a social way and at five-thirty a delicious lunch was served. The event was in compliment to Miss Elizabeth Kinney, of Minneapolis, who has been a house guest at the Prichard home.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 4th: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. The Ladies Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. C. Kringsberg, 412 St. Paul avenue south next Wednesday, Jan. 7th at 2:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

McMahon-Stenvick.

Verner A. McMahon of Wells county, North Dakota, and Miss Susana Maria Stenvick of Goodridge, were united in marriage on Christmas evening at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. George Larson officiating in the presence of Alfred, Minnie, Oscar and Stella Stenvick.

Trinity Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the basement of the church at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, Jan 8th. The hostesses will be the Mesdames J. O. Sether, O. W. Carlson, O. Williams and O. Tessum.

Ladies Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. E. O. Mogenson at her home on LaBree avenue on Friday afternoon, Jan. 2. There will be election of officers and all members are urgently requested to be present.

Community Girls Club.

The Community girls will meet in the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The D's will serve and all members are requested to bring their busy work.

New Years Dinner.

Mrs. W. A. Boreen will be hostess at dinner at her home at Duluth avenue on New Years day, with the immediate relatives of the family as guests.

Mrs. Melgaard Hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard entertained eighteen of their friends at dinner on last Tuesday evening at their home on St. Paul avenue.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw entertained at a dinner party at her home on Mussey street last Saturday evening. Covers were laid for twenty-four.

Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of St. Johns Lutheran church will meet with Mrs. G. W. Booren, 247 Kendall avenue north, on Wednesday, Jan. 7.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mrs. Louisa Robbecke entertained a number of her relatives at a 12 o'clock dinner on Sunday.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Borry entertained a few of their friends at dinner last Sunday evening.

Local News Notes

Ed. Embertson of Goodridge, spent a day in this city enroute to Loreburn, Saskatchewan, Can.

P. E. Anderson of Lyle, this state, is spending the holidays at the home of his uncle, T. P. Anderson.

Miss Alma Middleton of Esplee, left on Tuesday evening for Grand Forks, where she will be employed.

Carl Peterson of Hallock, transacted business here on Monday, returning to his home on Tuesday morning.

Miss Stella Palmgren of Mahnomen, visited here between trains on Tuesday with her friend, Miss Belle Blair.

Miss Belle Blair, who teaches school in the vicinity of Alexandria, is a guest at her parental home in this city.

Miss Elizabeth Kinney of Minneapolis, who has been the guest of Miss Mary Prichard, for a brief period, left on Tuesday evening for her home.

F. Mousley was a business caller in Greenbush the first of the week.

C. E. Glines left for Holt on Tuesday to attend to business affairs.

Miss Gunda Stenmoen of this city visited with friends at Goodridge, on Tuesday.

Mr. M. Kolp of St. Hilaire, arrived Tuesday morning and shopped, between trains.

M. Kaasa spent a day in this city enroute to Crookston, where he will spend a few days.

Miss Anna Wick of St. Hilaire, returned to her home on Wednesday after spending the day shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Hussy and son, Russell, visited with friends and relatives in this city on Tuesday.

Miss Gertrude Sjoberg of Middle River, spent Monday and Tuesday in this city on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughter, Miss Olive, of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city on Wednesday.

Miss Minnie Linstad left on Wednesday morning for Holt, where she will be the guest of friends over New Years.

Ole Fuglsberg returned to his home in Fox, on Tuesday morning, after attending to business matters in this city for a day.

Miss Ruth Knutson left on Tuesday for Minneapolis, where she will visit with her aunt, Mrs. P. Johnson, for a period of a week.

Clarence Holte, who has been a guest at the G. H. Sandum home in this city, left on Tuesday evening for his home at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Doland, who have been visiting at their parental homes in this city, returned to Grand Forks on Wednesday.

Carl Eichner, who has been employed in North Dakota, spent a day visiting with friends in this city, enroute to his home at Warroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cobb, who have been visiting with relatives in this city, left on Tuesday evening for their home at Sioux City, Ia.

Miss Sophie Mjelde, who attended a convention at Winnipeg the latter part of last week, returned to her home here on Monday evening.

Hans Mustad of Grafton, N. D., made a brief visit with his friend, Ole Ostby, the first of the week, returning to his home on Tuesday.

Miss Edna Christianson left on Tuesday afternoon for Scoby, Mont., where she will visit indefinitely with her sister, Mrs. M. Rustebakke.

Bart Anderson Wangenstein of Detroit, Mich., is a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein, for an indefinite period.

Miss Anne Patterson arrived Tuesday morning from her home at St. Hilaire, and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, for a few days.

Miss Lillian Olson returned to Grand Forks, where she is employed, on Wednesday after a brief visit with her parents who reside on a farm near this city.

The Misses Huot and Kuehn, both nurses at the Physicians hospital, left on Wednesday afternoon for their homes at Wylie, where they will spend New Years.

Hans Aanstad and G. Storhaug, plasterers, left on Tuesday morning for Greenbush, where they will work on the school house which is being constructed there.

Mrs. F. W. Doney and Mrs. Thea Hornseth, returned to their homes at Hector, on Monday evening, after a brief visit at the Oscar Williams home in this city.

Mrs. Martin Peterson, who visited at her parental home in this city for a few days the latter part of last week, returned to her home at Holt on Monday morning.

Mrs. Eric Franson arrived from Hallock on Monday evening and will be a guest of her sister, Mrs. Eric Beckman, and niece, Miss Ella Beckman, for a few days.

Mrs. Arthur Cloutier, who spent a short time visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams, returned to her home at Grand Rapids, on Monday evening.

R. M. Sheldon, who spent the holidays visiting with relatives in the Twin Cities, returned to this city on Tuesday. Mrs. Sheldon, who accompanied him, will remain for a few days.

Mrs. Mirault of Red Lake Falls, visited with her daughter, Miss Lorena, who is employed at the local sanitorium, the first of the week. She returned to her home Wednesday afternoon.

P. H. Hanson of Northwood, N. D., was a guest of his cousin, Miss Hannah Peterson, on Tuesday. He left on Wednesday morning for Clearbrook, where he will visit with friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Volden and daughter, Miss Olive, of Fisher, returned to their home on Tuesday afternoon, after having spent four days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Rosland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Simonson of Emmons, N. D., who have been visiting with friends at Holt, passed through this city on Monday evening enroute to Minneapolis, where they will be guests of friends before returning to their home.

The Zion Lutheran Young Peoples society will meet on Thursday, Jan. 8.

Mrs. S. Skottem of St. Hilaire, returned to her home on Tuesday afternoon, after a day's shopping in this city.

Mrs. P. Sundberg returned to her home at St. Hilaire, on Tuesday, having received medical attention for her eyes.

Eli Westin of Grand Forks, arrived Wednesday morning and will spend a few days in this city as a guest at the Emil Zeh home.

Miss Anne Holden, who is employed in Duluth, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holden, this week.

H. Wolden, who visited with his cousin, Tom Volden, in this city for a few days, returned to his home at Fisher, on Tuesday.

Mrs. T. A. Torgerson returned to her home at Greenbush, on Wednesday after a brief visit with Mrs. Anna Dock, in this city.

Ole Bergland, who has been a resident of this city, left on Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks, where he will reside in the future.

Miss Loretta Mikkche of Breckenridge, arrived on Wednesday morning and will be a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Math Barzen.

S. Johnson, who is employed at the City bakery, returned to this city Tuesday from Roseau, where he had been managing a motion picture house.

Mrs. A. B. Isaacson and daughter, Miss Nora, left for their home at Middle River, Wednesday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bakken.

O. T. Amberch and N. S. Brnaten, who have been the guests of H. K. Strand, for a few days, left on Tuesday for Grand Forks. These gentlemen are on a concert tour under the auspices of the Sons of Norway lodge. They expect to leave Grand Forks in a short time for the coast.

Marriage Licenses.

Following are the marriage licenses issued during the month of December:

Dec. 1—Clara Lokken and Andrew Widme.
Dec. 1—Hilda Kessler and Fred Nierenz.
Dec. 6—Ellen Wahlbeck and Roy Sumpter.
Dec. 13—Julia Johnson and Edwin Johnson.
Dec. 15—Alfred Hanson and Olga Dahl.
Dec. 20—Clarence Bean and Frances Dahl.
Dec. 22—N. N. Krantz and Ruth G. Kiel.
Dec. 22—Alexander Norris and Emma Lee Brooks.
Dec. 22—Sivert E. Brekke and Annie E. Holmen.
Dec. 22—Ole John Ness and Elsie O. Ahlberg.
Dec. 24—Axel Crown and Julia Stenvick.
Dec. 24—Verner A. McMahon and Susanna Maria Stenvick.
Dec. 27—John Anderson and Anne Eroisness.
Dec. 27—Anton Kotlan and Anna Stien.
Dec. 27—Elias Stokke and Gerda Ulvild.
Dec. 27—Oscar O. Swanson and Berthine G. Severson.

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At least 150 persons dead and 148 blind or seriously ill is the total of wood alcohol poisoning among drinkers of illicit "whiskey," according to statistics gathered from various cities today.

The total was swelled by 57 deaths in the last two days from poisoned whiskey in four New England cities. The casualties, by cities, are:

New York—52 dead, 100 blind.
Hartford, Conn.—13 dead; 8 seriously ill.
Holyoke, Mass.—6 dead, 7 seriously ill.
Chicago—4 dead, 6 ill.
Newark, N. J.—5 dead.
Springfield, Mass.—3 dead, 5 seriously ill.
Cleveland—3 dead, 16 ill.
Syracuse, N. Y.—2 dead.
Emporium, Pa.—2 dead.
Richmond, Va.—1 dead.

The deaths in New York, Syracuse and Richmond cover the entire period of prohibition. Those in the other cities occurred in the last few days.

Federal officials were co-operating with state and city authorities to arrest those responsible for the manufacture and distribution of the poisoned liquor. Three men in Chicopee Falls, Mass., were held on charges of manslaughter. The whiskey sent into New England was believed to have been manufactured in New York. The authorities also were warning the public against purchasing liquor from "bootleggers."

Springfield, Mass.: Fifty-seven deaths from drinking wood alcohol "whiskey" were recorded up to noon Saturday of residents of Chicopee, Holyoke, Springfield and Hartford, who had drunk the poisoned liquor Christmas.

The list of victims so far shows: Chicopee, 35 dead, 7 ill; Holyoke, 6 dead, 7 ill; Hartford, Conn., 13 dead, 8 ill, and Springfield, Mass., 3 dead and 5 ill.

Eleven additional deaths of Chicopee men occurred Friday night and Saturday. Twenty-one persons in Chicopee and Holyoke are in hospitals or at home dangerously ill from the same cause and probably will die.

The state began to move swiftly to bring to justice the persons alleged to have been responsible. Alexander Perry, proprietor of the American house, Chicopee Falls, where much of the booze was said to have been drunk, surrendered to the authorities at Chicopee.

Perry was at once arraigned in police court on the charge of manslaughter.

Newark, N. J.: Two died from wood alcohol poisoning here Saturday, bringing the total dead to 5 in the last two weeks, police said. Three men have been arrested in one of the cases. They are alleged to have sold "whiskey" made from denatured alcohol.

Cleveland, Ohio: Fourteen persons have died from drinking wood alcohol since November 1; 16 others were ill.

Health Official Warns.

Chicago: Four men were dead and six others in a serious condition here Saturday as the result of wood alcohol Christmas celebrations. Dr. John Dill Robertson, health commissioner, considered the situation alarming enough to issue a special statement on the symptoms of wood alcohol poisoning and curative measures possible:

Symptoms—great excitability; severe stomach pains; kidneys affected; blindness usual.

What to do—Use stomach pump or emetic at once to remove poison from stomach. There is no antidote and if poison once enters system little can be done.

Syracuse, N. Y.: Putting wood alcohol in hard cider to give it more "kick" is believed to have been responsible for deaths of two men here Saturday. John Prosser and Stephen Lio, close friends died within a few hours after they had spent the evening drinking the concoction.

15 in Hospitals.

Cleveland, Ohio: Fifteen are in hospitals from drinking wood alcohol. Three deaths from alcohol this week is the total. The council is to vote Monday night on restrictive measures.

New York: Federal state and city officials were co-operating in the search for persons here who mixed wood alcohol with "whiskey," causing the death of at least 30 persons in Connecticut and Massachusetts, and the serious illness and blindness of scores of others.

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The authorities were said to have learned that twelve barrels of this concoction were manufactured in the Bronx and sold to New England dealers for $1,000 a barrel. Arrests were expected to be made shortly.

Officials were sending out warnings to authorities in all surrounding cities to prevent further sale of the "whiskey." Several deaths in New York recently were believed to be traceable to the same source.

MAVIE

On Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, at the Holy Family Catholic parsonage, occurred the marriage of Miss Anna Stien and Anton Kotlan, both of Cloverleaf township. The bride wore a gown of white net, and a bouquet of white narcissus. Miss Anna Kotlan, sister of the groom, and John Kotlan, brother of the groom, acted as witnesses. The newlyweds are well and favorably known to many local people, the groom having resided here practically all his life, while the bride has been living here for the past three years. After the wedding a delicious two-course dinner was served at the home of the bride. Their friends extend to them wishes for a happy married life.

Grace Day left Friday for Hill City, where she will visit with her father, and sister, Mrs. Knox, who was recently married.

Charles Horton went to Thief River Falls on Tuesday to spend a day attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kotlan entertained a number of their friends at a card party Saturday evening. The house was beautifully decorated and a delicious lunch was served at midnight. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horton, Mrs. Jack Houfek, Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Ruud, Miss Stella Burdick, Norman Stenberg and S. Stenberg.

The Christmas program given by the Mavie school, Dec. 25th, was well attended and all present had a very good time. They had all the candy, apples and ice cream they wished for.

Miss Anna Stien went to Thief River Falls on Monday to spend the day.

A number of the young folks of Mavie attended a dance near Germantown, Saturday night. There was a very large crowd, and all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Skaar entertained at a twelve o'clock dinner, Sunday afternoon. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Palmer.

Mr. Stien received word of the death of his mother. He left on Monday for Waterloo, Iowa, to attend the funeral.

Sivert Edward Brekke of Smiley township, and Miss Annie Holmen of Cloverleaf township, were united in marriage on Dec. 22nd, at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Thief River Falls, Rev. George Larson officiating. Bennie Brekke, brother of the groom, and Miss Cora Holmen, sister of the bride, acted as witnesses.

Mrs. Jack Houfek of Thief River Falls, visited for a few days with her sisters and brothers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kotlan.

Edward Schie spent a day last week at Thief River Falls transacting business.

Charlie Ptacek, accompanied by his sister, Miss Emma, returned from South Dakota, where they had been visiting with their sister, Mrs. Sebeck. Miss Emma has spent the past summer in South Dakota.

Miss Anna and John Kotlan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred DuChamp, Sunday evening.

The Horton brothers, accompanied by their sister, Miss Leona, visited at the Lendobja home last Sunday.

Miss Alice Yager, accompanied by her friend, Miss Gertrude Odegaard, visited at her home a few days the first part of the week.

Mrs. Anton Kotlan, Sr., of Thief River Falls, arrived in Mavie on Tuesday to attend the wedding services of her son, Anton.

Charlie Ptacek was a business caller at Mavie on Saturday.

S. Stenberg went to Mavie Christmas night to attend the Christmas program.

Mrs. Stokke, who has been at the Physicians hospital in Thief River Falls, for the past four weeks, returned to her home Saturday.

John Kotlan, while in Thief River Falls last Wednesday, caught a dray team which had run away.

Gertie Ulvild arrived home Saturday to spend Christmas.

ROSEWOOD

Directors Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the directors of the Rosewood Livestock Shipping association was held at the Soo waiting room last Monday evening with Directors Jno. Sjolsvold, Thom Holten, Emil Anderson and Selmer Haugen present. The meeting was opened at 8 o'clock by Secretary Joel Shoberg, and the directors among themselves elected Emil Anderson as president, and Selmer Haugen as vice president. The minutes of the last annual and directors' meetings were read and approved, as was the work of the manager. The tuberculosis testing of cattle question was tabled as no information had as yet been secured from the county agent, Mr. Husby, who is at present having a two weeks' leave. The manager's compensation rate was raised to 15 cents per hundred-weight when shipping one carload and 10 cents per hundred-weight for each additional car. Being that the shipping district covers an area of over twelve miles long and is situated in two counties it was decided to elect two managers as an experiment during the coming year, and Adolph Haugen was elected manager in the Marshall county district, and John Sjolsvold in Pennington county. Peder Woldness was appointed director to fill the vacancy of John Sjolsvold, who resigned to accept the office of manager. The meeting adjourned at 9:30 p. m.

A very pretty Christmas custom was re-incarnated in this community on Christmas eve when five of the communities best singers went from house to house, and wherever a candle was seen burning in the window they stopped and beneath that window sang three beautiful Christmas songs. The intention had previously been advertised in some of the local stores and it is needless to say that candles were on Christmas eve lighted in almost every house, and braving a piercing wind and snow-filled roads that evening the five women kept up their "open snow concerts" for several hours to bring cheer and gladness into our homes on Christmas Eve.

Dick Hall closed a deal with A. S. Holm, last Friday, whereby he became the owner of the old Setness quarter, one mile east of town, and will move there in the spring to take possession.

Huldah and Jeeny Johnson arrived Monday morning from Hazel, and will visit for a week with Miss Mary Shoberg.

Miss Clara Nelson left last Saturday evening for Thief River Falls, where she will spend Sunday with friends.

Misses Gladys and Jeneva Swenson returned Monday morning from an over Sunday visit spent with the S. Brandon folks at Thief River Falls.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson left last Saturday for Thief River Falls, where he will spend Sunday with his relatives.

Albert Lappegaard arrived Monday morning from Thief River Falls, and will visit with his parents south of here for a day.

John Hellquist left last Friday evening for Thief River Falls, where he visited with his son, C. E. Hellquist, over Sunday.

The Rafteseth brothers have purchased another 120 acres of their father's farm north of town and are now together with their purchase of last fall the owners of three quarter sections of fine land near here. John Rafteseth, who has previously been leasing this land will move in the spring to his farm farther north which he will equip with modern farm buildings and in the future establish as his home.

Engineer H. B. Rafteseth will leave tonight for Mahnomen to resume his dredging work after having spent Christmas with his folks here.

Rev. and Mrs. George Larson of Thief River Falls spent second day Christmas here where Rev. Larson conducted forenoon services, and left in the afternoon for Norden, where he was to conduct services.

Eric Kittelson of St. Hilaire, was in town one day this week to visit with Sam Johnson on the Prichard farm.

Mr. Jorgenson of Thief River Falls, visited for a day this week with the Thoreson people, north of town.

Mrs. Abe Stroble and daughter, of Angus, arrived here last Friday evening to visit with the Sorenson and Haugen families over Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg and children from Dakota Junction, are visiting with the Rafteseth families this week.

"Christmas Ghosts" were around in this community last Saturday evening showing their skill in masking and dressing as done by various races of people in older days. They visited almost every house and evidently had a good time in its kind.

Miss Tena Westby, who is employed at Thief River Falls, spent Christmas day with her parents, north of town.

Rev. Drotts of Viking, conducted Christmas services at the Swedish church last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, spent Christmas day visiting with the Hellquist folks, north of town.

A bunch of the local young folks attended the Christmas tree festival at the Busy Bee school house last Monday evening.

Miss Laura Krohn left last Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls, where she will visit with friends for some time.

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Three employes in the Clerk of Court's office at Fargo are conspicuous examples of the progress often made by pupils of Dakota Business *College, Fargo, N. D.*, owing to the exceptional training received at that institution.

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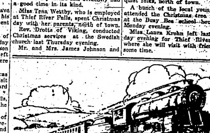

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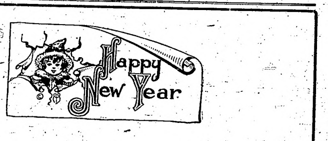

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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The Good Old Days

(Baudette Region.)

Eggs are a dollar a dozen in Baudette.

It kinda reminds us of the traveling salesman who was waiting for a telegram from home.

And when it didn't come he was as nervous as a plate of jelly on a wobbly table.

But he finally got the wire.

And heart disease at the same time.

The telegram read: "Twins. More later."

It's about the same with the prices of eggs and other things.

When you think the worst has happened, the grocer will tell you to buy now, because they will be "more later."

It was different in the old days, wasn't it?

You could buy a couple of laying hens for your dollar then.

For ten dollars you could buy half a cow, and the butcher would throw in his tools and his apron.

Any lad who blossomed out in a $17.50 suit had all the girls running after him.

If you kissed your wife good-bye before she went to buy a pair of shoes you didn't have to kiss a twenty-dollar bill good-bye, too.

And when you came down to breakfast the bacon wasn't crying for its missing playmates, the eggs.

Them was the good old days, wasn't they?

Yes—they weren't.

Those were the days when a dollar was worth a lot and a man was worth very little.

If your appendix went on a strike the doctor called it inflamation of the bowels and they buried you.

If you accumulated a case of smallpox or diphtheria it was all day with you.

If your lungs became weak they started to pick out a location in a marble orchard for you.

And if you were unfortunate enough to be host to a few billion typhoid germs they called the doctor.

But he wouldn't give you any water and you were wafted to the realm of bliss.

With your tongue hanging out.

And women wore long skirts that dragged along the walks and collected germs, and made the wearer resemble an upright piano.

And if she wore a shorter skirt, which came within a few inches of the ground.

And which showed her ankles, and which hinted that she was equipped with legs like other humans, she was a heathen.

If you craved amusement you got it in the "Young Men's Wednesday Night Club."

When some old skinflint would talk you dizzy for two hours on "How to be a Successful Man."

You got a dollar and ten cents a day, and were expected to bring up a family of ten children on it.

Those were the "good old days" we hear so much about. You wouldn't think of having them back and you know it.

It costs more to live now, but it's worth it.

So quit your grumbling.

One of the pleasant jobs of the year will soon be up to the city council. All they have to do is appoint a city clerk, attorney, street commissioner, janitor, water and light department superintendent, and so on down the line—and please everybody. Some job.

That apartment house idea seems to have gotten a severe jolt. And the housing problem gets more serious every day.

No need of proprietors of non-advertising stores ever taking the "rest cure." Each day is one of perfect rest for them.

A fellow sufferer remarks: "I know d—— well that there is money in the printing business because I have sunk a lot of it there."

The "Shimmy," "Shuffle," "Wiggle" and various other popilar dances have been officially pronounced an "aftermath of the flu."

Night "cops" are reported as scarce by Chief Erickson. An automatic lock on the jail is suggested as a remedy by former Patrolman Wold.

Apparently wood alcohol has a man-sized "kick." It kicks the lid off for the undertaker.

The cigar and cigarette business suffers a severe jolt about Jan. 1st of each year. But it don't last long.

The mention of "county division" brings pleasant memories to some of the "old timers" of Thief River Falls.

Dandelions may soon become a cultivated crop.

"Keep the Home Beer Brewing" is the latest song hit.

Just fifteen days to Jan. 16th. It's a life-size lid that goes on then.

Educate the Public to the Necessity for Game Protective Legislation

By JOHN B. BURNHAM, American Game Protective Ass'n

Almost everywhere except in North America the food shortage has caused appalling inroads on the game supply. Aside from the northern portion of North America the picture is one of nearly universal gloom, but here, I am glad to say, conditions are much brighter.

Next to the advance of civilization the chief factor that has reduced our game is the market hunter. Almost everywhere we have put an end to the commercialism of game, with the result that game is on the increase. The low water mark in many places has been passed. We have the laws and the machinery for putting them into effect.

From my viewpoint we now need better enforcement of existing laws rather than additional restrictions, which are only exasperating to good sportsmen. Where the law is not thoroughly enforced you and I know that such restrictions penalize the best class only and that the others do as they please. Closed seasons are worse than useless unless they are enforced and the vermin kept down.

In the United States antelope and mountain sheep have been exterminated under long closed seasons. In this instance it is true there should have been closed seasons, but they should have been enforced. It would be much better to lose the game without law than to lose both the game and respect for law at the same time.

Don't spring your law, no matter how good, until you are prepared to put teeth in it. Better err on the side of too great liberality than err in the other way. Educate the public to see the necessity for protective legislation. The great mass of testimony proves that paper laws play into the hands of the Huns of sport.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

He who hath never warr'd with misery,
Nor ever tugg'd with danger and distress,
Hath had n' occasion nor no field to try
The strength and forces of his worthiness.

SUNDRIES.

A new design for an old product is quite worth while, especially in food.

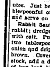

Camouflaged Kidneys.—Skin and clean (cutting out the white) four or five lamb or pigs' kidneys; cut into cubes and fry in oil or butter quickly; season with chopped parsley, salt and a sliver of garlic. It will take about five minutes. Just before taking up add a tablespoonful of vinegar; let it boil up and serve on toast.

Rabbit Saute.—Clean and cut up a rabbit; dredge with flour and sprinkle with salt. Put into a frying pan with two tablespoonfuls each of chopped onion and drippings; cook gently until brown. Cover with three cupfuls of stock, add a dozen small onions, a bit of bay leaf, blade of mace, six mushroom stems and a teaspoonful of tarragon vinegar. Cook one hour, or until tender. Remove the onions and rabbit and strain the stock. Cut half a pound of ham in strips and cook in a frying pan with the caps of the mushrooms. Add twelve ripe olives, the onion and rabbit and the strained sauce. Bring to the boiling point and season highly. Put the rabbit in the center of a platter, arrange mushrooms, olives, ham and onions in piles around the rabbit and pour the sauce over all.

Mock Roast Chicken.—Take one pound of the skin of veal, two ounces of salt pork, one tablespoonful of chopped onion; mix thoroughly with one and one-half teaspoonfuls of salt, pepper and one-half cupful of milk. Line a mold with two-thirds of the mixture. Put one cupful of bread crumbs and one cupful of milk in a saucepan and stir over the fire until thick. Add one teaspoonful of salt, a little pepper and one teaspoonful of poultry dressing, with two teaspoonfuls of chopped onions. Mix well and put in the center of the mold. Cover with the remaining veal mixture and strips of salt pork. Bake half an hour; invert the mold on a pan, surround with six potatoes cut in strips, and roast until the potatoes are tender, basting frequently with the gravy in the pan.

Nellie Maxwell

DO YOU KNOW MR. KELLER?

The hand is quicker than the eye and so is the typewriter.

Fifteen years ago, some of you may remember, there were two great magicians appearing before the American public, Hermann the Great and Keller the Magician. Although rivals they were great friends. They were sitting together at Brighton Beach one day when an admirer of Hermann's came up and started to tell the latter how good he was.

"You know," he said, "that I am something of an amateur sleight of hand expert myself. I am sure no one but yourself could have deceived me with that card trick you did last night."

"Oh," said Hermann modestly, "that is a very simple trick. Any one could do it. I venture to say this gentleman sitting right here could deceive you with it."

"I'll bet a hundred dollars he could not" said the amateur and Hermann took the bet.

A deck of cards was brought and Keller performed the trick with ease and grace.

"I guess you don't know my friend Mr. Keller," said Hermann as he pocketed the hundred.

When any sleight of hand promoter wants to sell you wild cat stocks, or to exchange something he says is sure to make you thousands for every dollar you put up, for your Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps, you had better find out whether you know Mr. Keller.

A prospectus and a promise is all the equipment these fakers require. With that simple apparatus they can make oils wells spout where there is not enough oil to lubricate a watch; they can find gold where there is not enough yellow metal to plate a profiteer's conscience; they can make rubber plantations flourish in countries where the natives are the only things that stretch.

If a man has $10,000 salary, he may be able to afford to take a chance. If he has less than that amount he cannot afford to lose.

You know there is no trick about government savings securities. You KNOW they are safe, that they are profitable and that you can exchange your War Savings Stamps and Savings Certificates for cash at a profit when you need it.

If you think the sleight of hand man cannot fool you, meet Mr. Keller.

Happy Thought.

The stepping stones to success are often a rock road.

Know Your Editor.

The Extension Service News of the New York state college of agriculture moves to substitute the word "editor" for the word "neighbor." Then it would read, "Get acquainted with your editor, you might like him." The News says:

"Every person who is interested in the life of his community, should have an intimate acquaintance with and sympathetic attitude toward the editors of his local papers. Too few people realize the contribution which the country weeklies make to the life of the community. Many think of the local editor only when they wish to make use of him to give publicity. At other times they are all too likely to have only words of criticism for the publisher and his paper.

"The newspaper is not so much a business enterprise as it is a local institution, and in proportion to what he contributes to the life of the community, the average publisher is as poorly paid as the country preacher or the country school teacher. He works almost as long hours as the farmer, and cannot feel that he is off duty during any of his waking hours."

Wood Formally Files For President

Major General Leonard Wood today filed a formal announcement of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for presidency at the South Dakota primary with the secretary of state. In his message of acceptance, General Wood said:

"I do hereby declare that if nominated and elected I will qualify."

Governor Lynn J. Frazier of North Dakota, endorsed by the Nonpartisan league convention held December 2, has not filed notice of his acceptance.

Major General Wood gave his birthplace as Bourne, Mass., and his present address as Chicago. The formal announcement of General Wood's acceptance of endorsement for president came on the last day on which candidates for president may file their acceptances. The Wood communication was expected as a semi-official report, received at republican headquarters last night, stated that General Wood would be a candidate.

The Times, $2 per year.

BAD COLD GOT YOU? FEELING GRIPPY?

Dr. King's New Discovery soon starts you on the road to recovery

ONCE tried, always used. That's a trite expression, but one never more applicable than it is to Dr. King's New Discovery.

You will like the prompt, business-like way it loosens the phlegm-congested chest, soothes the tortured throat, relieves an old or a new cold, grippe, cough, croup.

The kiddies can take it in perfect safety, too. No bad after-effects. Standard half a century. 60c. and $1.20 a bottle. At your druggist.

Don't Continue Constipated

Don't let your bowels bulldoze your system. Make them function regularly—keep the body cleansed of waste matter with Dr. King's New Life Pills.

Billousness, sick headache, sour stomach, indigestion, dizziness, furred tongue, bad breath—think of the embarrassments and discomforts traceable to constipation. How easily they're rectified by the occasional use of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Move the bowels smoothly but surely. Try them tonight. All druggists—25c. as usual.

SHIP YOUR Hides-Furs
Deal Direct with the Largest and Oldest House in the West
Established 1867
Highest Prices and Immediate Cash Returns. Write for price list, tags and full information.
D. BERGMAN & CO.
ST. PAUL - MINN.

Nothing Better For Children

than a good cereal with plenty of our pure rich milk. They will supply every need of the growing youngster and insure a sturdy, healthy body. Be sure the milk is ours. It has an extra richness and nutritive quality that puts it far above ordinary grade milk. 10 cents per quart.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

TRY A SACK OF OUR

WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR

IT CONTAINS THE BEST OF THE WHEAT KERNEL

CALL FOR IT AT YOUR GROCER'S OR AT THE MILL

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

BULK CORN

Direct From Car

Car now on track. Special price while it lasts

ACT QUICK!

Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.

Have your cylinders re-bored when you have your car overhauled

We are equipped to do all all work of this kind

Believing that there are in this immediate vicinity a great many automobile motors the cylinders of which require re-boring and fitting with over-size pistons, we have recently installed in our shop one of the latest type, scientifically accurate cylinder re-boring machines purchased of the Marvel Machinery Co., of Minneapolis, Minn. We are now in position to re-bore your cylinders, and fit them with over-size pistons, delivering to you as perfect a piece of work as can be delivered by any shop in the country. Nothing but strictly high-class and efficient work, which means satisfaction to the user.

Oscar Evenson, for eight seasons with the Northwestern Garage in this city, is in charge of the re-boring and repair department.

Evenson & Sons

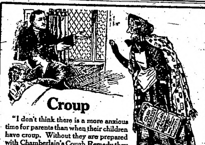

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Put Your Savings to Work----Get an Extra Profit Now

All Savings Deposits made on or before January 10 draw interest from January 1.

To all deposits that have been here during the past 90 days we are now adding the interest. The next three months period begins January 1. We want to make this period the biggest in the history of our savings department. For this reason we are giving you until January 10 to make your deposit—AND PAYING YOU INTEREST ON THE ENTIRE AMOUNT FROM JANUARY 1.

Take advantage of this offer and put every available dollar you can secure into a savings account. Make your savings pay dividends.

OPEN AN ACCOUNT NOW AND GET AN AMERICAN FLAG

Remember January 10 is the Date

First and Peoples State Bank
"Interest On the Interest"
5%

Local News Notes

Wm. Lennon of Bemidji, visited between trains on Saturday enroute to the Twin Cities.

Will be ready to do hemstitching next week.—Mrs. J. H. McKinney, Union Block. Phone 252.

Milden Booren left on Monday evening for a week's visit with friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown returned on Tuesday morning after a brief visit with relatives at St. Hilaire.

Dr. P. L. Vistaunet returned to Halstad on Monday afternoon after spending the holidays with his family in this city.

T. Hoible, who has been visiting with friends in this city, returned to his home at Columbus, N. D., on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Dan Oalland of Oklee, visited here between trains, enroute to Fosston, where she will be the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Mildred Aaberg, who visited at the H. S. Dahlen home in this city since Friday, returned to her home at St. Hilaire on Monday.

Miss Anna Bjorge, who has been visiting with friends in Wolf Point, Mont., returned to her home here the latter part of last week.

Wm. Witenkemp of Red Lake Falls, returned to his home on Monday afternoon, having spent a few days visiting with friends in this city.

Mrs. Nels Johnson, accompanied by Miss Elien Hendrickson, both of St. Hilaire, shopped and received dental treatment in this city on Monday.

The following salesmen left on Sunday evening for the Twin Cities: C. Storholm, E. B. Bakke, A. Anderson, John Rolland and Matt Doran.

Miss Delena Hance, who enjoyed a brief visit at her parental home in this city, returned on Monday to Grand Forks, where she is employed.

C. E. Williams visited with friends in this city on Tuesday enroute to his home in Rollis, after having attended to business affairs in Warren.

Olaf Hanson of Fargo, left on Sunday evening for St. Cloud, where he will be employed. While in this city he was a guest at the John Oftedahl home.

Clarence Skibell of Kintyre, N. D., who has been visiting with friends in Oslo, spent Sunday in this city, enroute to Minneapolis, where he will remain.

L. Linde of Red Lake Falls, visited with friends between trains on Saturday enroute to Plummer, where he will spend a few days as the guest of relatives.

H. W. Peterson, formerly of this city, visited with friends the latter part of last week. He returned to Fargo, where he is now employed, on Sunday evening.

E. Haledimann of Grygla, passed through this city enroute to the Twin Cities, where he will visit before going to points in Wisconsin, where he will remain for an indefinite period.

Mrs. J. Johnson, accompanied by Misses Agnes and Victoria Sundsten, left on Tuesday morning for their home in Roseau, after having attended a church convention held in Winnipeg last week.

Mrs. Carl Carlson and son, Bud, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Blanchard, who have been visiting here for the past two months, left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where they will visit friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard will continue their trip to points in Michigan, where they contemplate residing in the future.

P. J. Siljestrom of Holt was a business caller in this city on Monday.

C. E. Williams returned to his home at Greenbush on Tuesday after a short business trip to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson are enjoying a visit from their son, Dr. C. M. Larson of Minneapolis, this week.

Mrs. A. J. Brooks returned to her home at Plummer on Saturday, after having received medical treatment in this city.

Miss Louise Majeres, who visited for a few days with relatives at Crookston, returned to her home on Tuesday morning.

Miss Rhoda Finborg returned to Red Lake Falls Monday afternoon to resume her duties as saleslady in one of the department stores.

Rueben Anderson, who spent a couple of days in this city attending to business affairs, returned to his home at St. Hilaire on Monday.

Miss Luella Peterson returned to her home in this city Monday after having spent the latter part of last week with friends at St. Hilaire.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and children returned to this city Tuesday morning after spending the holidays at the former's parental home at Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mier of Star City, Can., left on Saturday afternoon for their home after a brief visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. G. Adolphs.

Miss Vera Brabender, formerly of this city, now engaged in teaching school at Ely, is spending the week visiting with friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Elizabeth Kinney of Minneapolis, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr. She will remain in this city for a period of a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoff and family, who spent the holidays at the T. Aasland home in this city, returned to their home in Grand Forks on Monday afternoon.

Henry Jacobson arrived Tuesday evening from his home at Grand Forks, and will be the guest of his sister, Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud, until after New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leimers and baby arrived Wednesday evening from Brainerd, where they have been residing and contemplate making this city their future home.

Miss Pauline Warner, who has been interested in Red Cross relief work in Marshall county, passed thru this city on Monday enroute to Warren on an official visit.

Miss Myrtle Johnson, who is engaged in teaching school east of this city, left on Monday afternoon for her home at Emerado, N. D., where she will spend her vacation.

The Misses Gena, Synneva and Esther Gunderson, who spent the holidays at their parental home east of the city, returned to Fargo, where they are employed, on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. P. Ahlborn, who has been visiting with her parents in Holt, visited on Monday between trains with her father-in-law, E. P. Ahlborn, enroute to her home at Minneapolis.

Miss Irene Sorenson, who is employed in the office of the American express company in Minneapolis, made a brief visit at her parental home in this city the latter part of last week, returning to Minneapolis Sunday evening.

Miss Agnes Bakke returned on Sunday evening to Fargo, where she is employed in the offices of the Lincoln National Life Insurance company, after a brief visit during the holidays at her parental home at Holt, and with friends in this city.

Hans Langly of Holt, visited with friends in this city on Sunday.

Miss Signe Peterson of Gatzke, arrived Monday afternoon for a visit with friends.

Ward Long, instructor in the school at Germantown, is spending his vacation at his home in this city.

Fred Gunstad returned to this city on Monday after spending Sunday at his parental home at St. Hilaire.

Miss Clara Sorenson, who teaches school in the vicinity of Wylie, is spending her vacation at her home in this city.

Gertrude Blaska and mother, of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city on Saturday, returning to their home in the afternoon.

Ole Tharaldson, agent at Henning, returned to that place on Sunday evening after a month's stay at his home here, because of illness.

Miss Louise Majeres left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston, where she will visit her brother, Tom, who is employed at that place.

Mrs. H. D. Keene and baby, left on Monday evening for the Twin Cities, where they will spend a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Herman Jepson, accompanied by Mrs. Otto Johnson, shopped here on Monday. They returned to their homes at St. Hilaire on the afternoon train.

Scott Laird left on Sunday evening for St. Paul, where he will meet with the state board of relief. Mr. Laird expects to return to this city on Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Harder arrived from her home at St. Hilaire on Tuesday morning and will spend the remainder of the winter with her sister, Mrs. S. Michalsky.

Misses Beatrice and Ingaborg Dale returned to their home in McIntosh on Monday, having spent the week-end as guests of their sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Mrs. T. Tharaldson and daughter left on Monday afternoon for Climax, where they will visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. A. Bjorge, for a few days.

Mrs. Richard Rupprecht and two children, Malvina and Ardell, left on Monday evening for Minneapolis, where they will spend a period of a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs. S. Simonson and daughter, Miss Senora, who have been visiting at the home of the former's son, S. C. Simonson, in this city, returned to their home at Ada on Monday afternoon.

Clarence Murray, accompanied by his sister, Miss Esther, arrived the first of the week from their home in Baudette, and will be the guests of Miss Anna Aspelund, until after New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey spent the Christmas holidays at Grand Forks. Mr. Mabey returned on Sunday morning while Mrs. Mabey and son, Richard, will remain until Tuesday morning.

Miss Ida Johnson, accompanied by her brother, Theodore, who spent a couple of days in this city visiting with friends and attending to some shopping, returned to their home at Strathcona on Tuesday.

Lambert Wenner arrived from Cincinatti, Ohio, the latter part of last week, and spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Sandum. He left for his home at Roseau, on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Knutson of Minneapolis, arrived here the latter part of last week and visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Paulson. Mr. Knutson returned to Minneapolis on Sunday evening, while the latter will remain until after New Years.

Elmer Zeh arrived from Fargo on Wednesday and spent the holidays at his parental home in this city.

Lawrence Halseth came down from Plummer on Wednesday and spent Christmas with his parents in this city.

J. T. Dolan left on Sunday evening for points in Michigan, after a brief visit with friends in Hazel, and in this city.

Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom left on Saturday morning for Middle River, where she will make a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. O. A. Naplin left on Friday morning for Gatzke, where she will visit at her parental home for a brief period.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left on Christmas Eve for the Twin Cities, where they will visit until after the new year.

Miss Mable Nelson of Hazel, visited with friends here on Sunday, enroute to Grand Forks, where she is attending school.

Walter Klaus, who has been employed at the Ogahmah hotel in this city for the past few months, left on Saturday evening for Chicago, where he will be employed.

Miss Clara Nelson of Rosewood, visited in this city Saturday evening enroute to Minneapolis, where she will be the guest of an aunt for an indefinite period of time.

Miss Ella Reep returned to her parental home at Plummer on Saturday evening, after having attended the alumni reunion in this city which was held on Friday evening.

Herman Bischoff, who attends the school for blind at Faribault, is spending his vacation in this city as the guest of his mother, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Master Puri Anderson, who has been visiting at the home of Edward Kiland since Wednesday, returned to his parental home in Greenbush on Saturday.

Chas. Meyer, proprietor of the Roseau meat market, visited his sister, Mrs. Louise Robbecke on Christmas day. He returned to his home on Friday morning.

Mrs. J. S. Rayson left on Friday afternoon for her home at Centralia, Wash., after visiting at the homes of her son, Louis Rayson and daughter, Mrs. J. S. Collins.

Miss Inez Johnson, stenographer at the First and Peoples State bank, returned to this city on Friday, after spending the Christmas holidays with friends in Park River, N. D.

Bert Boyden, a former resident of this city, but now engaged in farming in the vicinity of Middle River, came down on Friday to participate in the reunion of the local alumni.

Oscar Linde, who is employed at Colfax, Minn., arrived last Wednesday evening and spent Christmas with his father, J. Linde, and sister, Miss Agnes and Mrs. G. Tessum.

Miss Esther Warner, who has been employed at Loken Bros. department store, left on Saturday morning for her home at Holt, where she will remain for some time.

Miss Dorothy Loen arrived Friday evening from her home in Radium, to attend the reunion of the alumni.

S. R. Robinson arrived from his home at Oslo on Thursday and is visiting for the week at the F. H. Herrick home.

Elmer Zeh, who spent two days visiting at his parental home in this city, left on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks.

Frank Archibald arrived from Mahnomen Friday evening to be in attendance at the alumni reunion held that evening.

Clyde Nason, who spent two weeks visiting in Minneapolis, Duluth and Superior, returned to this city last Wednesday morning.

Mrs. N. J. Anderson returned to her home in this city on Saturday evening after a brief visit with Mrs. C. Solberg at Mahnomen.

Earl Doland arrived on Saturday from his home in Grand Forks, and will visit for a short time at the Oscar Williams home.

Arthur Loken, representing the Apperson Auto company of Des Moines, Ia., is a guest at the home of his mother, Mrs. Maren Loken.

C. W. Stewart of Grand Forks, arrived Sunday morning for a brief visit at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar.

John Ward left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend a general sales meeting, held in that city the first of the week.

Mrs. B. G. Propp arrived Saturday evening from her home at Ogema, for a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Adolphs.

Mrs. Mary Werstlein and daughter, Eleanor, left on Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where they will spend a week visiting with relatives.

Miss Gladys Feliman of St. Hilaire, returned to her home on Saturday afternoon, coming here in the morning to attend to some shopping.

Frank Richter, who has been visiting with relatives in this city since Tuesday, returned to his home in New York Mills, on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lucy Ures left on Friday evening for Crookston, where she is employed, after spending the holidays with her daughter, Miss Kathleen.

Mrs. K. O. Dock returned to this city Saturday afternoon after having spent the Christmas holidays at the T. A. Torgerson home at Greenbush.

Miss Gertrude Odegaard arrived on Friday evening from her home at Oslo, to attend the alumni reunion held in the auditorium that evening.

Miss Josephine Phillipson, who is employed at Oen's department store, returned to this city on Friday, after spending the holidays at her parental home in Middle River.

Miss Lorenza Urdahl, of the clerical force at Lokens' department store, returned here on Friday morning after spending Christmas at her parental home in Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kenyon, who spent Christmas at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Furstnau of this city, returned to their home in Delta, Utah, on Friday evening.

J. Linde, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Agnes, left on Friday morning for Perham and Minneapolis, where they will visit with relatives for a period of a week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Granville, who have been the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. C. A. Nason, during the holidays, left on Saturday afternoon for their home at Proctor.

Ambrose Zeh, who is employed in a bank at Minot, N. D., arrived on Thursday morning and visited with his father, Phil Zeh, and brother, Lloyd, until Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Barstad, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Anne, and son, Severin, left on Saturday afternoon for Fargo, where they will spend a brief period visiting with relatives.

Miss Harriet Mitchell, who is employed at the Thief River Music store, left for her home in St. Hilaire on Wednesday, where she spent Christmas. She returned here on Saturday.

Miss Alice Solem, who is engaged as nurse in the Physicians hospital, left on Saturday morning for her parental home in Stolner, where she will visit for a period of three days.

Mrs. J. W. McGinnity, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Katherine Schmitt of Red Lake Falls, who has been her guest, left on Saturday afternoon for the latter place where the former will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dybvig arrived Wednesday from their home at Baudette and spent the Christmas holidays at the A. A. Dybvig and B. G. Walker homes. They returned to Baudette on Monday.

Karl Kretzschmar, who was recently discharged from the navy, returned to this city last Wednesday morning after a three years' absence. He contemplates remaining here for a period of a month at least.

Some Wind.

A terrific wind did considerable damage in the city Christmas day. Plate glass windows in the Northwestern Auto company building and the Union block were blown in, the large municipal Christmas tree was blown over and several residences were somewhat damaged during the afternoon.

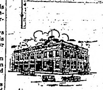

New Year's Greetings

That the dawn of the New Year may light your path to happiness and prosperity, and that the years to come may abound with success in all your affairs, is the sincere wish of the officers of the

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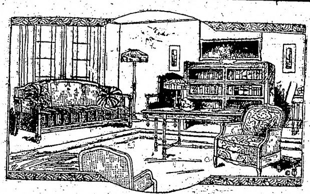

A Living Room You Would Enjoy

When furnished from this store, your Living Room just seems to radiate comfort. Every nook and corner seems to harmonize---you can feel that everything is just right. A satisfied feeling comes over you when you settle down for an evening at home---a feeling that brings real pleasure.

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Make Tues., Jan. 13 a Holiday

Hear Mr. E. G. Quamme talk on Federal Farm Loans

Are You Paying Too Much Interest on Your Farm Loan?

Must you renew your loan every five years and foot the bills of such renewal?

Do you believe in co-operation on the part of farmers?

Do you know that the government has made it possible for you to get money at 5½ per cent; that you need never renew such a loan; that it can be paid up on any interest-paying date after five years?

Do you know that this territory has one of the best Federal Farm Loan associations in the state and that it is ready to be of any service possible to you?

All of these questions will be taken up at the annual meeting of the local association by Mr. Quamme, president of the Federal Land Bank, St. Paul, at

The Auditorium, Thief River Falls
Tuesday, Jan. 13 at 2 o'clock p. m.

A free dinner will be served between 12:30 and 1:30 o'clock, and we want you to come and hear what Mr. Quamme has to say about Federal Farm Loans. Bring your friends.

VALHALL NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION
L. A. Lampert, Sec'y-Treas.

Secretary's Annual Report of the Pennington County Farm Bureau Association

Being a Partial Resume of the Work Undertaken by the Bureau During the Season Just Past

This is the second Annual Report submitted by the Pennington County Farm Bureau. It is sent to all Farm Bureau members and others who are interested in Pennington county. This report should be carefully read in order to fully realize the real value of such an organization. The success of the work was due in a large measure to the splendid co-operation given by Pennington county residents. We request the same loyal support in the future and hope that more farmers may associate themselves with the organization in the year of 1920.

J. J. McCANN,
Farm Bureau Director.

Success of Farm Bureau Established.

The Farm Bureau of Pennington county now consists of two hundred and forty-five members, which is an increase of one hundred over last year's enrollment. These new members, in many cases, joined without being requested, as no thorough drive has been made to enroll all of Pennington county's residents. A campaign was scheduled from October 27th to November 1st, but bad roads and heavy snow storms prevented its execution. This will, however, be continued during the winter months and every citizen interested in the agricultural development in the county will be given an opportunity to associate himself with the organization. Many who were not in favor of the movement a year ago are now its strong supporters. The farsighted farmers predict that in a few years no progressive agriculturist will wish to remain outside of the organization.

The board of directors, assisted by the county agent, carefully planned the program of work for the entire year. After this had been done, committees were appointed for the various lines to assist the county agent in the further development of these projects. Membership was to be extended to all parts of the county through the assistance of a committee consisting of A. J. Andersen, Harry Woolson, Paul Engelstad, of Thief River Falls; Stuart McLeod, of Goodridge; J. W. Denhart, of Hazel and R. J. McKercher of St. Hilaire.

In the project work R. J. McKercher, of St. Hilaire, and Paul Engelstad, of Thief River Falls, were appointed on the Soil and Improvement committee. Emil Larson, of Wylie, Robert McGinn and Harry Woolson, of Thief River Falls, were to give their assistance for More and Better Crop Production in the county. In the livestock line, Stuart McLeod, of Goodridge, Hans Anton, of St. Hilaire and Fred Beerbower of Thief River Falls, were to co-operate with the county agent in the securing of More and Better Livestock. A. J. Anderson of Thief River Falls and J. W. Denhart of Hazel, were to give their assistance in encouraging boys and girls to join the various Junior clubs in the county.

Morgan Vaughn of Goodridge, John Larson of Plummer and K. T. Dalagher of St. Hilaire, were appointed to act on a Farm Management committee, giving their assistance and advice to those who need it along that line.

The members of these committees will in turn work with the county agent in securing data on the projects which they represent, giving it to the people of their communities from time to time.

Other Organizations Appreciate Assistance of Bureau.

The Farm Bureau has co-operated with and assisted many of the activities carried on by the various associations in the county. The Farm Bureau office has been used as a place to hold meetings and many of these associations have requested assistance. These organizations may be divided into:

(a) Organizations Relative to Project Work.
Poultry Association.
Livestock Shipping Association.
Fair Association.
Livestock Breeders' Association.
Guernsey Breeders' Association.
Creameries.

A detailed discussion of work with the above named associations will be given under "Project Work."

(b) Miscellaneous Organizations.
Farmers' and Community Clubs.
Public Health Association.
Woman's Club.
American Legion.

Assistance Given to Farmers' and Community Clubs.

The seven Farmers' clubs and Community club of the county were given help in the securing of local and extension speakers and by appearing in person at forty-eight of these meetings having a total attendance of four thousand five hundred. The Community Club at Goodridge was assisted in the securing and transportation of judges for their Tri-County Fair held in their village. This club supported one of the best small fairs held in the Northwest. The grain exhibit was far superior to many of the county fairs in this section. Much credit is due to this Community club for their excellent co-operation and boosting for better agricultural conditions in Eastern Pennington county. The Farm Bureau will endeavor to secure financial aid from the state for carrying on this fair in future years.

Public Health Work Promoted by Farm Bureau.

The Farm Bureau Director was elected secretary of the Pennington County Public Health association, also County Campaign Director for the sale of Christmas Seals. This made it necessary to attend a meeting held in the Athletic Club building, St. Paul, to discuss an outline of plans for the campaign to be held from December 1st to 10th. Each county director gave a brief outline of the plans for the activities in their respective communities. In Pennington county one person in each township has been requested to act as local campaign director for their locality. This director is to report to county headquarters at the Farm Bureau office each day, if possible, so as to give publicity to the drive. This County Public Health association has been instrumental in securing a Child Clinic held in Goodridge on October 11th. Thirty children were examined free of charge by a health specialist from St. Paul. It is the intention of the association to hold a Dental Clinic during the next month and through the assistance of the Seal Sale to co-operate with the Red Cross authorities in securing a county nurse.

Woman's Club Assisted in Beautifying City.

The Farm Bureau director was requested by a representative of the Thief River Falls Woman's club to act as chairman of a clean-up committee. Three citizens of the city were appointed to judge the improvement of the streets throughout the summer months. The Farm Bureau secured the assistance of a specialist from the cities to give his opinion on which should be awarded the loving cup given by the Woman's Club. This club deserves much commendation for their activity in this line of work as it did much to improve the appearance of the city lawns and boulevards.

Employment Secured For American Legion Members and Returned Soldiers.

Eighty-five returned soldiers were given work through the assistance of the Farm Bureau. The county agent was elected president of the local American Legion Post and many of its members use the Farm Bureau to good advantage in securing employment in this section. A list of vacancies is on file in the Farm Bureau office as well as the names of the boys who are looking for employment.

A meeting in St. Paul and one in Crookston were attended by the agent in the interest of the Legion. No better work could be supported than that of the American Legion. It aims to promote and uphold the spirit of Americanism, first, last and all the time. Much credit is due to the membership committee and the adjutant of the local post for the excellent success attained.

Program of Work.

1. Further Development of the Farm Bureau Association:
(a). Extension of membership to all parts of the county.
(b) Selection of committee to direct definite lines of work on projects and in communities.
2. Co-operation with the Government in all war reconstruction activities.
(a) Food conservation.
(b) Securing suitable employment for returned soldiers.
3. Livestock Production.
(a) Improvement and Increase.
(1) Introducing more purebred sires.
(2) Assist in exchange of breeding stock, thru:
(a) Exchange List.
(b) Sale, erection of an exhibit and sale pavilion on fair grounds.
(b) Better Feeding.
(a) Survey and silo tour.
(2) Conducting legume demonstrations.
(3) Conducting forage crop demonstrations.
(4) Conducting balanced ration demonstrations.
(5) Conducting hog pasture demonstrations.
(c) Cow Testing Association.
(1) Organize.
(d) Shipping Association.
(1) Organize.
(2) Re-organize.
(e) Disease Control.
(1) Tuberculosis demonstration.
4. Crop Production—Soils:
(a) Grains.
(1) Seed supplies.
(a) Exchange List.
(b) Pure seed plot demonstration.
(2) Disease Control.
(a) Smut treating demonstrations.
(b) Potatoes.
(1) Seed supply.
(a) Exchange List.
(b) Selection demonstrations.
(c) Seed certification.
(2) Disease and Pest Control.
(a) Seed treating demonstrations.
(b) Spraying demonstration.
(c) Sugar Beet demonstration.
(d) Peat Land Reclamation demonstration.
5. Co-operation with and work through existing organizations, and further organization of such as are needed, as:
(a) Farmers' Clubs.
(b) Community Clubs.
(c) Commercial Clubs.
(d) Livestock Breeders' Associations.
(e) Creameries.
(f) Fair Association.
(g) Livestock Shipping Association.
(h) Poultry Association.
(i) Potato Association.
(j) Bankers' Associations.
6. Farm Management:
(a) Urging better use of farm manure.
(b) Urging weed control, thru:
(1) Cultivated crops.
(2) Summer fallowing.
(3) Crop rotation.
(c) Assistance in farm accounting.
(1) Keeping farm records.
7. Boys' and Girls' Club Work.
(1) Potato Clubs.
(2) Sheep Clubs.
(3) Poultry Clubs.
(4) Bread Baking Clubs.

The above program has been approved of by the Farm Bureau directors as being one of the most appropriate for Pennington county. It was realized that this could not be strictly adhered to, but was to be a guide in the execution of the main projects.

Soil Improvement.

Experiments with Phosphate Proves A Success.

Nine peat plots in Eastern Pennington county were used for demonstrational work by the Farm Bureau, in co-operation with the Department of Soils, University Farm, St. Paul. These plots were measured out the previous fall and phosphate fertilizer applied the following spring. Some received an application of four hundred pounds to the acre, and others two hundred pounds in order to determine the amount necessary for successful crop production. The plots were one acre in size and sown with oats, flax and grass mixtures running in narrow sections through the phosphate, check and manure areas. These plots were visited five different times during the summer and the results checked. Although, the high water greatly damaged the plots, it was easily seen that there was a decided advantage in favor of the plots having an application of manure or phosphate.

Twenty farmers of the county secured phosphate and with the help of the county agent secured some valuable information from having plots on their farms. Fourteen of these fields were not destroyed by the flood and the data for the same shows the following results in yield per acre:

	Phosphate	Manure	Check
Barley	35 bu.	34.6 bu.	21 bu.
Rye	38 bu.	36 bu.	18 bu.
Oats	64 bu.	53 bu.	30 bu.
Flax	6.5 bu.	10 bu.	5.5 bu.

Twenty-four and one-half tons of phosphate had been distributed to the farmers of this locality since February, 1919, and in each instance where the water had not damaged the crop very favorable results had been received. The Farm Bureau of Pennington county has been fortunate in the securing of twenty demonstrational plots which will be located on the Ellwell Road, between Thief River Falls and Goodridge. These plots are maintained by the Division of Soils of University Farm, St. Paul, in co-operation with the Pennington County Farm Bureau. The state will furnish the acid phosphate and apply it to the field. The only work for the co-operating farmers is that they haul the phosphate from the station to the field. These plots will be one acre in size and the tract treated will be adjacent to the road. These plots will be selected by a representative of the Division of Soils and the county agent, making it a point to distribute them throughout the twenty miles of the State Road. A number of peat plots as well as plots on mineral soils will be selected, if possible, to get a comparison of the value of the fertilizer on both classes of soil.

The State plots at Goodridge had been turned over to the Pennington County Farm Bureau and blue prints of the same were furnished by Dr. Alway of the Soils Department. These were covered with water during the month of July as is shown by the accompanying photograph. Although no yields were secured the amount of vegetation was much greater where applications of phosphate had been made. No distinction could be made between the plots where the manure had been applied at ten tons per acre and where an application of phosphate had been made at the rate of four hundred pounds to the acre.

CROP PRODUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT.

Thirty-Three Acres of Potatoes Certified For Seed.

Ten potato plots were secured in the county for the purpose of securing certified seed. A. G. Tolaas, of University Farm, gave a demonstration at Goodridge, explaining how to treat all tuber diseases. The seed for the ten plots were treated with corrosive sublimate, inspected before planting, twice while growing, and again in the bin. Five of these plots passed all four inspections and one grower has three thousand bushels of certified stock. He has been offered a premium of fifty cents per bushel over market price on this seed, but is holding it until next spring.

The corrosive sublimate used in treating the seed in these plots was secured at cost by the Farm Bureau through a local drug store. The plots were checked by E. L. Probesting of St. Paul, and the result showed the advantage of the treated over the untreated seed. The percentage of the different diseases was checked as follows in all ten plots and the average taken:

	Scab	Black Leg.	Black Scurf.
Treated	2%	trace	3%
Untreated	30	8	18

Eleven farmers are now making a practise of maintaining a seed plot each year, treating the seed with corrosive sublimate and hill selecting in the fall, tubers taken from productive vines, true to type, free from bruises and disease. A few years of such selection will mean much to a better type of potatoes in the county.

Smut Campaign a Big Improvement on the Condition of 1919 Grain Crop.

In Pennington county during the year of 1919, 16,100 bushels of wheat were docked for smut. The price was reduced all the way from 2c to 23c per bushel. Realizing that something must be done to check this loss, A. G. Tolaas of the State Certified Seed Inspection Department held a number of meetings throughout the state to encourage campaigns for checking the disease. A meeting was held in March in Thief River Falls for the county agents of the Red River Valley. Each agent was requested to schedule a number of meetings in their counties to wage campaigns against smut. Four of these demonstrations were held in Pennington county and the outline following shows that much benefit was derived from this campaign.

Results of Smut Control in Pennington conuty:

Location of meetings	Thief River Falls	Goodridge	St. Hilaire	Goodridge
Attendance	15	48	32	40
No. Farmers Agreeing to Carry Out Suggestions	20	40	32	25
No. Comparative Filed Destrations	3	4	2	
Quality of 1919 Crop as Compared with 1918 Crop	40% less smut	50% less smut	20% less smut	
No. of men bringing in smutted grain in 1919	16	5	8	
Amount docked on grain, 1918	16,000 bu.			
Amount of Formaldehyde sold in 1919	1,225 lbs.			
Amount of Formaldehyde sold in 1918	212 lbs.			

Farmers Greatly Benefitted by the Securing of Seed Corn.

Through the co-operation of the Farm Bureau with a local seed house, thirty-seven farmers of the county were supplied with seed corn at a reduced price. This was all high test corn as was shown by sample tests sent down to the Seed Laboratory, University Farm. The Farm Bureau equipped the office with two Lawton Seed Corn Testers and in co-operation with the high school agriculturist, forty-eight farmers were given assistance in testing their seed corn before planting. One lot of seed tested but fifty-two per cent which made it necessary to use it for feed. Had this been planted, the grower would have suffered a great loss thru crop failure, time and space used with the worthless seed.

Farmers Become Interested in Pure Seed Plots.

Six farmers of the county secured pure seed, through the Farm Bureau, from the Northwest School of Agriculture. They will use the seed of these plots to sow their fields the following year and in some instances will sell enough to provide their neighbor with a seed plot. The Farm Bureau office was used as a medium of exchange in supplying all varieties of grain for seed purposes. A list of grain for sale and grain wanted was on file in the Farm Bureau office, which was extensively used throughout the seeding season. As a result of this grain exchange, sixty-five farmers were supplied with two hundred bushels of corn. Seventy-five farmers were supplied with eight hundred bushels of oats, forty farmers were supplied with twenty-two thousand bushels of wheat. Thirty-five farmers were supplied with nine hundred bushels of rye. Ten farmers were supplied with three hundred bushels of flax. Three farmers were supplied with fifty bushels of sweet clover. Eight farmers were supplied with ten bushels of alfalfa.

Grasshopper Menace Successfully Checked by Poisoning.

During the month of August, six farmers in the county reported to the Farm Bureau office that grasshoppers were badly damaging their fields. In one place ten acres of rye had been totally destroyed and in other places fields of flax and wheat were badly eaten. The Farm Bureau director made a bran mash poison mixture which was distributed on the infected fields and resulted in the killing of the hoppers in large numbers. After these were checked no more serious damage was reported. It was estimated that this saved the grain growers of the county thousands of dollars by eradicating the hopper.

Experiments Conducted by the Farm Bureau Demonstrates that Sugar Beets Can be Successfully Grown in Pennington County.

Ten sugar beet plots were conducted by the Farm Bureau in 1918, and sixteen more in 1919. Last year the sugar content ranged all the way from fourteen to eighteen per cent, and during 1919, large yields were grown on plots that were not drowned out by the high water. The following table gives an idea of the success of these plots:

Lot	Sugar Content	Purity	Yield per acre
1	16.3	77	15
2	16.6	76.3	8
3	13.6	73.8	7
4	17.3	80.9	11
5	17.7	76.1	12

At a meeting held in St. Paul of authorities interested in sugar production, it was stated that the Northwest was entitled to a Beet Sugar factory. Three companies have already stated their willingness to locate in Thief River Falls, if the crop can be successfully grown. The above report shows an excellent start and next year an effort will be made to secure a large acreage of beets among the farmers of Pennington county. The crop will be shipped to the nearest factory that will co-operate with the growers and by so doing an absolute check can be made on the success of growing the beet. This would not only be a great value to the city of Thief River Falls in adding a new industry, but would greatly help out the farming community by introducing another cultivated crop to help fight the sow thistle. The beet pulp which is a valuable dairy feed will also help solve the balanced ration question for feeding dairy stock.

LIVESTOCK.

Much Livestock Secured For the Shipping Association.

The county agent in traveling around through the county has secured many head of hogs and cattle which were marketed through the Livestock Shipping association of the county. This association held a meeting in the Farm Bureau office in February to formulate their rules for the ensuing year.

Breeders' Association Boosts For Livestock Pavilion.

The Pennington County Livestock Breeders' Association reorganized February 21st, 1919, and voted to push the erection of new barns on the fair grounds. Committees were appointed in each township to sell shares in the proposed pavilion. The banks of the city pledged $550.00, and the Merchants' Association $950.00 more showing that these organizations are heartily in favor of boosting for better livestock in this section. The Farm Bureau office secured plans and blue-prints and the assistance of a State Engineer to draw up the plans and give estimates on the cost of erecting the buildings. Three very substantial barns were built in such a way that a sales pavilion can easily be erected connecting all barns and when more room is needed other barns can be added without changing the structure. These barns were of great assistance in housing the large exhibit of livestock at the county fair and may also be used for the holding of Consignment Sales at any time during the summer.

Livestock Exhibit at Fair Was Largest in History of the County.

The Fair Board was given assistance by the Farm Bureau in the securing of judges and in rounding up a large number of livestock and poultry for exhibition. Many farmers who had not planned on bringing in stock were persuaded to help the agricultural end of the fair by exhibiting. The grain and stock exhibits were somewhat handicapped by the early date of holding the fair and many farmers believe that a much better display could be made at a later date. The county agent also assisted five other county fair associations in the judging of their livestock and grain exhibits.

Purebred Livestock Secured For Farmers.

The Farm Bureau director assisted in the purchasing of livestock at four different sales in the county and a carload of purebred Guernseys were taken from Little Falls and distributed to the farmers in the neighborhood of Goodridge. This herd was known by the county agent for some time previous which accounts for the bringing in to Pennington county of these excellent animals. The vicinity of Goodridge is rapidly becoming a Guernsey center and if the present progress is continued these residents can truthfully boast of being one of the best dairy sections in the community.

Testing of Cattle For Butter-Fat Production is Given a Start.

The creameries of the county have co-operated with the Farm Bureau in encouraging farmers to test their herds for butter-fat production. The Farm Bureau supplied record books free of charge and the creamery did the testing at 5c per cow per month. Nine farmers are keeping very good records, weighing and testing, while many more are testing, from time to time, with the intention of keeping better records at a later date when the feed rations can be more easily computed. A competitive butter-fat production contest was in charge of the Farm Bureau at the County Fair. The cows entered in this contest were milked twice daily for three days, the milk weighed and tests taken each time. The first place was won by Mike McAndress, of St. Hilaire, and second place by Ed. Aubol, of St. Hilaire.

Many High Grade Sheep Brought to Pennington County.

The names of farmers wishing to secure sheep were listed at the Farm Bureau office. Fifteen Montana ranchers and sheep owners were written to and the names of their breeds of sheep and prices secured. The Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, purchased 1,800 Western sheep and all farmers desiring to start the sheep industry either purchased direct from Montana parties or secured them direct from the bank at a very reasonable price.

Pasture and Hay Land Secured For Montana Men.

Much correspondence had been received from Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture, J. H. Hay, of St. Paul, stating the great hardships suffered by the Montana cattle owners because of the drought in that area. Five of these men came direct from Montana to the Farm Bureau office and were assisted in securing 8,000 acres of hay land for use this coming winter. Pasture land had been secured for two of these Montana men who brought in sixty-four head of horses and cattle. Some of these parties were so pleased with Pennington county that they decided to remain in the vicinity of Thief River Falls as the country looked to be an excellent place to them.

New Record is Made by the Pennington County Association.

At a meeting of the Pennington County Poultry Association in February, 1919, A. J. Andersen of Thief River Falls, was elected president; Mike McAndress of St. Hilaire, vice-president; the County Agent, secretary; Mrs. Harry Woolson of Thief River Falls, treasurer; F. B. Conklin, L. H. Lawrence of Thief River Falls, and K. T. Dalagher of St. Hilaire, directors. The premium list was made out in the Farm Bureau office and notices sent to all prospective exhibitors. The local papers did much to assist in the advertising of this show as was shown by requests for premium lists from all parts of the state of Minnesota as well as Dakota. It was decided to hold a three day show in the city auditorium, Thief River Falls, on November 18th, 19th and 20th. This proved to be one of the most instructive and interesting events of its kind in this section. Judge C. E. Brown, of the Crookston School of Agriculture, stated that it was the greatest show in the Northwest. The exhibition consisted of 540 birds which was an increase of 175 over that of 1918.

The Pennington County Boys' and Girls' club was well represented with an entry of thirty-five birds on exhibition. Large appropriate signs were painted and placed so that all who entered could see the fine display exhibited by these youngsters.

C. E. Brown, the official judge at the Poultry Show, gave a talk on the "Culling and Caring For Poultry" on the second day of the exhibit before a large and interested audience of poultry fanciers. The prize winning White Rock cock was placed on the table as a specimen of good poultry, also one of the poorest layers was exhibited and the method of determining this was explained by Judge Brown. In his talk, Mr. Brown praised the management of the show, laying special emphasis on the fact that such a fine building had been secured to hold the event. In many cases, he stated, shows were held in buildings that were poorly lighted and not well ventilated, but this could not be said of the Pennington County show. Many observers stated that the competition next year would be much keener as the poultry interest is increasing and their ideas on what constitutes a good bird is much better after observing this high class show.

Pennington County Has the Largest Number of Accredited Herds of Any County in the Country

An official list of tuberculin tested herds, just published by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, shows that Pennington county heads the list of every county in the United States in the number of accredited herds.

Number of accredited herds in the U. S.	750
Number of accredited herds in the State of Virginia	196
Number of accredited herds in the State of Minnesota	136
Number of accredited herds in PENNINGTON COUNTY	86
Number of once tested herds in Pennington County which will accredited next year	175
Percentage of accredited herds of the United States in Pennington County	11%
Percentage of accredited herds of Minnesota in Pennington County	66%

Last September, Dr. Fretz of St. Paul, in charge of the Federal Veterinary work, was personally interviewed by the County Agent in regard to the securing of veterinarians for Pennington county to test one hundred and fifty herds whose owners had made application in the Farm Bureau office.

Dr. Fretz stated that the appropriation for carrying on the work had been reduced, but an effort would be made to reach Pennington county farmers. Two weeks later Dr. Holmer in charge of nine veterinarians located in Thief River Falls to line up their herds for the tuberculin test. Two thousand two hundred and ten miles were traveled by the county agent in arranging the work and transporting the men. This was done free of charge with a request that all join the Farm Bureau in order to help defray expenses. The Bureau members paid the expenses of the campaign and it was pointed out that in order to be fair to those members all who derived the benefit should join the Bureau in order to help the good work along.

As is shown by the above outline, Pennington county has eighty-six duly accredited herds, which is two-thirds of the entire number in the state of Minnesota, and eleven per cent of the total number of accredited herds in the country. This gives the county almost an absolute clean bill of health, as far as this important work is concerned. The county was fortunate in securing nine veterinarians to work at one time which accounts for the large number of cattle that were tested. This number already exceeds 2,150 with forty-five more applications. Twenty-six animals in the one hundred and seventy-five herds that were tested were found to react with tuberculosis. One farmer of the county had fifteen animals react, all coming from one infected animal purchased two years ago. Had these animals been sold to other parts of the county, it would not have been long until the whole county was infected with tuberculin cattle. In some cases the best looking animal on the farm was found to react. Dr. Hill, of the Minnesota Public Health association, comments very favorably on this splendid showing of Minnesota's accredited herds. He states that, "The fact that so many herds are free from tuberculosis has a very definite bearing on public health. It means that a decrease in tuberculosis in cattle will also mean a decrease in the disease in man, for it has been found that much human tuberculosis has been traceable to milk-infected with the germs." It is figured very conservatively that this work has saved the Pennington county farmers $8,350.00 for the work of testing alone besides the protecting of livestock men from purchasing diseased animals.

Boys' and Girls' Club Work Given a Very Successful Start.

Under the direction of the Farm Bureau in co-operation with the superintendent of the Goodridge schools, the rural school teachers and the Citizens State bank of Thief River Falls; the Junior Boys' and Girls' Club Department for the first time in the history of the county accomplished something definite in the line of club work. Realizing that this was one of the most important phases of county agent work the Farm Bureau directors voted to carry on Sheep, Potato, Poultry, Garden and Bread Baking clubs. Two hundred and fifty boys and girls were enrolled in these clubs and were represented at the State Fair, State Livestock Judging Contest and the Livestock Show in South St. Paul by ten boys and girls from Pennington county. Liberal premiums were offered by the Fair Association at the county fair for club exhibits. There was a large display of potatoes, garden vegetables and lamb exhibits at the fair in this department. The Sheep club in Pennington county finished one hundred per cent strong and was by far the most attractive club in the county. The Citizens State Bank, of Thief River Falls, co-operated with the county agent offering $50.00 in premium money as well as a large photograph of the show to each contestant. The beautiful lobby of the Citizens State Bank was used for the display. This was something new and out of the ordinary which accounts for the large number of people that filed into the building to observe the fine display of pets owned by youngsters of the county. The fact that fifteen inquiries were made that day in the Farm Bureau office as to where breeding sheep could be obtained proves that the Junior Lamb Show created a beneficial interest in sheep raising in the county.

FARM MANAGEMENT.

Assistance Given in the Eradication of Sow Thistles.

Copies of the Weed Law were sent to each township chairman requesting him to have all noxious weeds cut where possible. In four fields where the wheat crop was poor the entire vegetation was cut and burned just before the blossoms matured so as to prevent them from spreading to clean areas.

Two farmers tried the sowing of oats early in the spring, cutting it for hay in July and then following the ground until the middle of August when fall rye was sown.

Many Farmers are Keeping Record Books.

One hundred and eighty farmers realized that farming is a business as well as any other occupation and have requested assistance from the Farm Bureau department in getting account books free of charge and in receiving instructions in their upkeep. Assistance was given to three hundred farmers in filling in Income Tax blanks last February and as one man remarked: "The Farm Bureau was worth its membership fee for this one benefit alone."

Balanced rations were figured out for one hundred and fifty herds and copies of these rations were made in the county fair premium list which was mailed to practically every farmer in the county.

Exchange List Proves Its Value.

The Exchange List, printed in the Farm Bureau office and sent to members each month or as often as there is material enough to warrant its publication, proved to be an excellent method of advertising during the summer months. Exchanges amounting to $21,000.00 was made through this list. The advertising is free to all members and when made use of will return a good profit to any farmer wishing to buy or sell.

Office Days Established in Nearby Towns.

One day each week has been established as office day in the nearby towns so as to give the people living at a distance of Thief River Falls the benefit of the bureau. Well equipped offices have been provided for the agent in St. Hilaire, Goodridge and Mavie. These towns or the adjacent country were visited regularly each week while the roads were open. This practice will again be continued next summer when weather conditions permit.

Annual Outing of Farmers' and Community Clubs Well Attended.

The Farm Bureau director acting as chairman of the Community Picnic committee, was assisted by the several Farmers' and Community clubs in making the annual outing one of the largest ever held in the county. The address of welcome was delivered by the president of the Farm Bureau, followed by Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture J. H. Hay, who delivered the main address of the afternoon. A fine program of sports was arranged for and well carried out by the entertainment committee.

Suggested Program of Work For 1920.

I. Further Development of Farm Bureau Association:
A. Extension of membership to all parts of county.
B. Selection of community committeemen to assist in project work.
II. Soil Improvement:
A. Peat land reclamation.
B. Phosphate demonstrations on mineral and vegetable soils.
III. Crop Production:
A. Grains.
1. Seed supplies.
(a) Exchange list.
(b) Pure seed plot demonstration.
2 Disease Control.
(a) Smut treating demonstration.
B. Potatoes.
1 Seed supply.
(a) Seed certification.
(b) Exchange list.
(c) Seed plots.
2 Disease and pest control.
(a) Seed treating.
(b) Spraying.
C. Sugar Beet Demonstration Plots.
IV. Livestock:
A. Improvement and Increase.
1 Introduction of more purebred sires.
2 Assist in exchange of breeding stock, thru:
(a) Exchange list.
(b) Sales.
B. Better Feeding.
1 Erection of more silos.
2 Conducting balanced ration demonstrations.
3 Conducting legume demonstrations.
C. Cow Testing Associations.
1. Organize.
D. Co-operating with Shipping Associations.
E. Disease Control.
1 Tuberculin Test.
V. Farm Management:
A. Urging weed control, thru:
1 Cultivated crops.
2 Summer fallowing.
3 Crop rotation.
4 More livestock.
B. Assistance in farm accounting.
VI. Boys' and Girls' Club Work:
A. Potato Clubs.
B. Sheep Clubs.
C. Poultry Clubs.
D. Bread Baking Clubs.
VII. Miscellaneous:
A. Co-operation with other organizations.
1 Farmers' Clubs.
2 Community Clubs.
3 Commercial Clubs.
4 Livestock Breeders' Association.
5 Creameries.
6 Fair Association.
7 Livestock Shipping Association.
8 Poultry Association.
9 Potato Association.
10 Bankers' Association.
11 County Public Health Association.

SUMMARY.

Co-Operation With Existing Organizations.

Have co-operated with the following organizations:
Farmers' Clubs.
Community Club.
Livestock Breeders' Association.
Livestock Shipping Association.
Poultry Association.
Fair Association.
Bankers' Associations.
Public Health Association.
Woman's Club.
American Legion.

Soils.

Twenty State experimental plots were secured for Pennington county in co-operation with the Soils Department, University Farm, St. Paul.

Twenty-four tons of phosphate distributed to Pennington county farmers.

Twenty experimental phosphate fertilizer demonstration plots conducted in the county.

Crop Production.

Eight thousand eight hundred and fifty acres were sown with treated seed.

Twenty-three thousand four hundred thirty-six farmers through the exchange list and the Farm Bureau office.

Smut campaign improves in quality the 1919 grain crop thirty-six per cent.

Six farmers assisted in conducting of pure seed plots.

Six farmers assisted in poisoning grasshoppers.

Livestock.

Sixty-two farmers were assisted in the sale and exchange of two hundred twenty head of livestock.

One hundred and fifty farmers had two thousand one hundred fifty-three head of cattle tested for tuberculosis, which is the largest number of any county in the country.

Two Cow Testing associations were organized.

Breeders' association assisted with the Livestock Pavilion.

Pennington county stages one of the largest exhibits of poultry.

Boys' and Girls' Club Work.

Two hundred forty boys and girls enrolled in Pennington County club work, ten receiving a free trip to St. Paul to the State Fair, Livestock Judging Contest and Livestock Show at South St. Paul.

General.

One hundred eighty farmers assisted in keeping account books.

Twenty one thousand dollars worth of business through the Farm Bureau Exchange List.

Assistance given in holding the Annual Community picnic.

Office days established at St. Hilaire, Mavie and Goodridge.

One hundred forty-six farmers supplied with two hundred twenty-eight laborers.

Assisted two hundred twenty-five people with Income Tax.

Extending Work of the Agent in the County.

Different farmers visited on their farms	471
Total number of farm visits made	970
Calls on agent at office relating to county agent work	2230
Meetings held under auspices of farm bureau or agent in which he took part	70
Total attendance at such meetings	7169
Membership in County Farm Bureau (Nov. 30, 1919)	245
Increase in membership during year	100
Boys' and Girls' clubs organized in 1919	8
Total membership in such clubs organized in 1919	240
Agricultural articles written by agent published in local papers	134
Agricultural articles written by agent for County Farm Bureau News	24
Letters mailed	1164
Total circulation of all such circulars and circular letters	822

"IT HAS MADE ME WELL AND HAPPY"

St. Paul Woman Almost Nervous Wreck—Restored By Tanlac.

"Tanlac has built me up from almost a nervous wreck to a well and happy woman," was the statement made by Mrs. William Brabeck of 781 Lawson St., St. Paul, Minn., while talking to a Tanlac representative the other day.

"I suffered from nervous indigestion and was so badly run down and nervous that the slightest sound or noise irritated me so I could hardly stand it," continued Mrs. Brabeck. "I couldn't rest at all at night, and I forgot what it was to enjoy a good night's sleep, and when I got up in the morning I felt as if I hadn't been to bed at all. I felt tired out all during the day, and couldn't do ten minutes sweeping before I gave completely out and had to stop and rest. My appetite was poor and what little I did eat upset me. Many times gas would form so bad on my stomach that I would become so nauseated I would have to go to bed. It was out of the question for me to do my housework for every few moments I would have to stop, I became so exhausted. For two years I had been in this condition, and the suffering I have borne has been terrible.

"One day my husband brought me a bottle of Tanlac, and before I finished that first bottle I began to feel much better, and now I have taken six and feel just fine. My nerves were never better and no kind of noise or sound even disturbs me now. I sleep like a child, and every morning I get up feeling rested and refreshed. My appetite has come back and I can eat anything I want, and my strength is increasing every day. My stomach was never in better condition. I've gone back to my housework, and I can do it all now and the family washing, too. I just can't say enough for this Tanlac for it's remarkable how it's made me well and happy, when such a short while ago I was so completely broken down in health."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store.—Adv.

Real Estate Tranfers

Dec. 18—Halvor Johnson and wife to John Christenson, SW¼, Sec. 14-154-45. Consideration $8,904.

Dec. 18—Marian I. Day and husband to Farmers and Merchants State Bank, SE¼ Sec. 9-154-41. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 18—D. J. Gavin to Farmers State Bank, Mavie, NE¼ Sec. 20-154-41. Consideration $1.00

Dec. 18—K. T. Skaren and wife to Gausew Rosenus, NE¼, Sec. 20-154-42. Consideration $5,100.

Dec. 18—John M. Efteland and wife to Ole A. Knutson, lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, blk. 68, Original Townsite, T. R. Falls. Consideration $2,800.

Dec. 20—S. C. Dahlquist and wife to Frank J. Hardisty, SE¼ Sec. 12-153-42. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 20—Cr. Bldg. and Loan Association to Louis A. Kongelf, E 100 ft. lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, blk. 13, Original Townsite T. R. Falls. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 22—H. P. Sponheim and wife to E. M. Bennes, lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, blk. 26, Red Lake Rapids. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 22—H. G. Knutson and wife to E. T. Kivle, W½ SE¼, Sec. 7-154-39. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 23—T. J. Newkirk to Geo. W. Biskey SE¼ NE¼, Sec. 33-153-43. Consideration $800.

Dec. 23—Frank Ramaker to P. E. Sanborn, NE¼ Sec. 18-154-45. Consideration $6,400.

Dec. 23—Farmers and Merchants State Bank to Elling Klementson, SE¼ Sec. 25-153-41. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 24—Peter Korstad and wife to Karl A. Kjos, E½ SE¼, Sec. 27-153-40. Consideration $1,600.

Dec. 24—Ida M. Elliott to W. C. Wescott, 1-3 Int. lots 1 and 2 E½ NE¼, Sec. 19-154-45. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 24—Philip Von Wold and wife to Lulu D. Halvorson, lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, blk. 26, Porters Add. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 24—Andrew Jorgenson to L. H. Nelson and J. B. Johnson, NW¼ Sec. 9-152-41. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 26—John Leonard to Wm. H. Rowe, SE¼ Sec. 18-153-45. Consideration $1.00.

Dec. 26—S. D. Rouze et al, to Carlton Babbitt, lot 3, blk. 2, Townsite of Goodridge. Consideration $1.

Dec. 26—S. D. Rouze et al, to Carlton Babbitt, lots 28, 29 and 30, blk. 3, First Add., Goodridge. Consideration $1.

Dec. 26—Paul Sanden and wife to Thos. C. and Dorothea Haney, E½ of lots 1, 2 and 3, blk. 18, Orig. T., T. R. Falls. Consideration $1.

LEGAL NOTICES

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar Bakken, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to O. L. Bakken, Lina Bakken, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of January, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 26th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J1-8-15

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Sanford A. Burnham.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sanford A. Burnham, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mary H. Burnham and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Mary H. Burnham having been filed in this Court, representing that Sanford A. Burnham, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 30th day of September, 1917, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to George W. Burnham, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 29th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney For Petitioner.
J1-8-15

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Tobias Olson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Tobias Olson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Bertha Olson, Oscar Olson, Alfred Olson, Arthur Olson and Olga Stromme, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Bertha Olson, having been filed in this Court, representing that Tobias Olson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 31st day of May, 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Oscar Olson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of January, 1920, at two o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 30th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal).
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J1-8-15

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of E. S. Alnes, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Arthur S. Alnes and Lloyd T. Alnes, and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

THEREFORE, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of January, 1920, at one o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court and the Seal of said Court, this 11th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal.)
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
d18-25-J-1

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Mary B. Sharp, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to A. E. Sharp and F. W. Sharp, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
d18-25-J-1

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the County Board of Commissioners of Pennington County, Minnesota, up until four (4) o'clock in the afternoon of Tuesday the 6th day of January, 1920, for the publishing of the financial statement for the year 1919; also the delinquent tax list, commissioners' proceedings and all other legal notices and publications required by law for the year 1920.

Bids may be mailed to the County Auditor at Thief River Falls or handed to the County Board at their meeting on above date.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 23rd day of December, 1919.

By order of the County Board.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.
d25-J1

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of eighteen dollars which became due on the first day of April A. D. 1918, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Knut Jorstad and Anna Jorstad, his wife, mortgagors, to the Trail State Bank, of Trail, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of April, 1915, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1917, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages on page 385 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: The sum of fifty-four dollars ($54.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of fifty-four dollars ($54.00), with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum since the first day of April, 1915, or the total sum of seventy-nine and 31-100 dollars, ($79.31).

And whereas, the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The north half of the southeast quarter (N½ of SE¼) and lots three (3) and six (6) in Section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), North of Range thirty-nine (39) West 5th P. M., in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday the 6th day of February, A. D. 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt of seventy-nine and 31-100 dollars, ($79.31) and interest from the date of this notice as aforesaid, and taxes if any on said premises, and an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 5th, 1919.

TRAIL STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minnesota.
d11-18-25-J1-8-15

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In th Matter of the Estate of Hans R. Kolseth, Decedent:

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Peter Kolseth.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday, the 5th day of July, 1920, at two o'clock P. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated December 13, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal.)
d18-25-J-1

Citation For Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Gladys Smith and Clarence Smith, Minors.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Gladys Smith and Clarence Smith.

The State of Minnesota to Gladys Smith and Clarence Smith, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said minors: The petition of Myrtle Christensen as representative of the above named minors, being duly filed in this Court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interest of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said minors described therein be sold and praying that a license to her granted to sell the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of January, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said court, and the Seal of said court, this 15th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
d1-18-25-J-1

Notice of Hearing on Petition.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of a petition for the organization of a drainage and conservancy district under and pursuant to Chapter 13 of the laws of special session of 1919. To be known as "The Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District."

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 15th day of December, 1919, petition in the above entitled matter duly signed as provided by law, and involving contiguous territory in the Counties of Pennington, Marshall, Red Lake, Beltrami, Polk, Clearwater, Itasca and Koochiching in the State of Minnesota were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said Pennington County, and that on the 15th day of December, 1919, an order for hearing on said petition, duly signed by the Court of the 14th Judicial District and by the Court of the 15th Judicial District by the respective Judges thereof, Hon. Andrew Grindeland of Warren, Minnesota and Hon. C. W. Stanton of Bemidji, Minnesota, was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the said District Court of said Pennington County, and that said order after the title thereof is as follows:

Order For Hearing on Petition.

"This matter came regularly before the said Court and the undersigned Judge thereof, and before the District Court of the Fifteenth Judicial District and the undersigned Judge thereof upon the application of the petitioners herein for an order fixing the time and place for hearing said petition. And it appearing to the satisfaction of the undersigned Judges of the District Court that a due and proper petition as provided by law and signed by not less than fifty resident free-holders of said proposed District has been filed in the office of the Clerk of District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota at the City of Thief River Falls, therein, and that said Pennington County contains territory included in said proposed District as shown by said petition, and that said City of Thief River Falls is wholly within the limits of said proposed District; and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court and of the undersigned Judges thereof that a good and sufficient bond with sufficient sureties and conditions as provided by law, and duly approved by the undersigned Judge of the said District Court of said Pennington County as to amount, sureties and execution has been filed with the Clerk of the said first mentioned District Court and the said Clerk of the said first mentioned District Court duly notified the said Courts and the undersigned Judges thereof of the filing of said petition and bond, and it further appearing that said territory described in the said petition includes more than one County in the 14th Judicial District and also territory in the 15th Judicial District, and the said Judge of said first mentioned Court having duly made arrangements with the Judge of the said 15th Judicial District for a joint hearing upon the said petition, and the said petition and the said bond and each and all of the same so filed as aforesaid being before the said Courts and the undersigned Judges thereof, and Wm. J. Brown, attorney of Thief River Falls, Minnesota and Julius J. Olson of Warren, Minnesota appearing as attorneys for the petitioners, the Court being fully advised.

IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard, considered and determined by the said Court of the 14th Judicial District and the said Court of the 15th Judicial District and the undersigned, or other Judges thereof as provided by law in the main room of the City Auditorium at the Corner of Main Avenue and Second Street in the City of Thief River Falls in said Pennington County on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1920, beginning at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, which said time and place is hereby fixed and established for the hearing provided for in Section six of Chapter 13, Laws of Minnesota of Special Session, 1919.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the Clerk of said Pennington County District Court forthwith proceed to cause notice of such hearing to be given as provided by law.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That at such hearing all parties interested may appear and be heard for and against the granting of said petition.

Dated December 15th, 1919.

BY THE COURT,
ANDREW GRINDELAND,
One of the District Judges of the 14th Judicial District.
C. W. STANTON,
One of the District Judges of the 15th Judicial District.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED, That the territory proposed to be included in said District, in general terms, is that included within the following boundary lines, as set forth in said petition, namely:

Beginning at a point in Polk County, Minnesota, on the East bank of the Red River of the North where the Township line between Township one hundred fifty-two and Township one hundred fifty-three intersects Red River of the North; thence East on the said Township line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty-three in Township one hundred fifty-three, Range forty five in Pennington County; thence North on the Section line to the Northeast corner of Section twenty one, Township one hundred fifty four, Range forty five, Pennington County; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section fifteen, Township one hundred fifty four, Range forty four, Pennington County; thence North on the Section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence North on the section line two miles to the Southeast corner of Section thirty five, Township one hundred fifty five, Range forty four, Marshall County, Minnesota; thence East on the section line one mile to the Southeast corner of Section thirty six in said last mentioned Township and range; thence North on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section twelve in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence North on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence North on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section twenty six, Township one hundred fifty six; range forty three in said Marshall County; thence North on the section line two miles to section corner; thence East one mile on the section line to section corner; thence North on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section one in the said last mentioned Township and Range; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty one Township one hundred fifty seven, Range forty two; thence North two miles on the section line to the section corner; thence East on the section line one mile to the Southeast corner of Section twenty in said last mentioned Township and range; thence North on the Section line to the Northeast corner of Section five in the said last mentioned Township and Range; thence East two miles on the section line to section corner; thence North one mile on the section line to section corner; thence East one mile on the section line to section corner; thence North on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section two, Township one hundred fifty eight, Range forty two, being on the boundary line between Marshall County and Roseau County; thence East on the said boundary line to the Northeast corner of Section three, Township one hundred fifty eight, Range thirty nine; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section ten, Township one hundred fifty eight, Range thirty seven, Beltrami County; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section ten, Township one hundred fifty eight, Range thirty six; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section ten, Township one hundred fifty seven, Range thirty six; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty five, Township one hundred fifty seven, Range thirty six; thence East on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section two, Township one hundred fifty six, Range thirty six; thence South on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section thirteen in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section fourteen, Township one hundred fifty six, Range thirty five; thence North on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section twelve, Township one hundred fifty six, Range thirty four; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line two miles to section corner; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line two miles to section corner; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty four, Township one hundred fifty six, Range thirty three in Beltrami County, thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty four, Township one hundred fifty six, Range twenty nine, Koochiching County, Minnesota; thence South on the section line two miles to section corner; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner, thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty five; Township one hundred fifty five, Range twenty nine; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty four, Township one hundred fifty five, Range twenty eight in said Koochiching County; thence South on the section line one mile to the section corner; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence South on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section thirty five, Township one hundred fifty four, Range twenty eight; thence East on the section line two miles to section corner; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section nineteen, Township one hundred fifty three, Range twenty seven, Koochiching County; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence South one mile on the section line to section corner; thence East on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section twenty seven, Township one hundred fifty three, Range twenty six, Koochiching County; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty four, Township one hundred fifty two, Range twenty six, Koochiching County; thence West on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty three, Township one hundred fifty two, Range twenty eight, Koochiching County; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section twenty one, Township one hundred fifty one, Range twenty eight, Koochiching County; thence West on the section line one mile to section corner; thence South on the section line two miles to the Southeast corner of Section thirty two in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence South on the section line one mile to the Southwest corner of Section three, Township one hundred fifty, Range twenty eight, Itasca County; thence East on the section line two miles to section corner; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence East on the section line one mile to section corner; thence South on the section line two miles to the Southeast corner of Section twenty four, Township one hundred fifty, Range twenty eight, Itasca County; thence west on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section twenty two in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section four, Township one hundred forty nine, Range twenty eight; thence West on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section six in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence South one mile on the section line to section corner; thence West two miles on the section line to section corner; thence North two miles on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section thirty five; Township one hundred fifty, Range twenty nine, Itasca County; thence West on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section three, Township one hundred forty nine, Range thirty, Beltrami County; thence South on the section line three miles to section corner; thence West on the section line two miles to section corner; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence West on the section line two miles to section corner; thence South on the section line one mile to the Southeast corner of Section twenty five, Township one hundred forty nine, Range thirty one; thence West on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section twenty five, township one hundred forty nine, Range thirty two; thence North on the section line one mile to section corner; thence West on the section line to the quarter corner on the North side of Section twenty nine in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence South on the quarter line two miles to the quarter corner on the South side of Section thirty two in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence West on the section line to the Northwest corner of Section two, Township one hundred forty eight, Range thirty three; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence West on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section two, Township one hundred forty eight, Range thirty four; thence North on the section line one mile to section corner; thence West on the section line to the Northwest corner of Section six in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence South on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section thirty one in said last mentioned Township and Range; thence West on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty two, Township one hundred forty eight, Range thirty five in Beltrami County; thence South on the section line one mile to section corner; thence West on the section line to the Northeast corner of Section eight, Township one hundred forty seven, Range thirty six, Clearwater County; thence South on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section seventeen, Township one hundred forty six, Range thirty six, Clearwater County; thence West on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section fifteen, Township one hundred forty six, Range thirty seven; thence North on the section line two miles to section corner; thence West on the section line to the Southwest corner of Section six, Township one hundred forty six, Range thirty seven; thence North on section line one mile to section corner; thence West on section line to the Southwest corner of Township one hundred forty seven, Range thirty nine, Polk County, Minnesota, thence North on the section line to the Northwest corner of said last mentioned Township and Range; thence West on the section line to the Southeast corner of Section thirty three, Township one hundred forty eight, Range forty five; thence North on the section line two miles to section corner; thence West on the section line to the Red River of the North; thence in a Northerly direction on and along the said Red River of the North to place of beginning.

That it is the belief of petitioners that the land within the foregoing described boundaries constitutes the entire watershed of Red Lake River and Red Lake and tributaries thereof, and of each thereof as is required by law, but that if any other lands not included within said boundaries are within the said watershed, petitioners ask that such other lands be included within said proposed district when organized, the same as if herein specifically described and designated as being so included.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED, That said hearing on said petition will be held at the time and place set forth therefor in said order and for the purposes set forth in the said order or prayed for in said petition, and that at such hearing all interested parties may appear and be heard for and against the granting of said petition.

Dated December 18, 1919.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(SEAL)
(District Court.)
d18-25-J-1

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FOR SALE—I have for sale a choice residence property. Price and terms reasonable.—W. D. Fuller. 51

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FOR SALE—2 stacks of unthreshed barley, 1 stack of oats and 5 tons of timothy hay, on SE¼ of Sec. 12-153-32.—G. A. Westin. 52p

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FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well, 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at Times office. 37tf

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—One black mare with foal, 5 years old, weight 1400 lbs. Will trade for good milch cows. Swenson Bros., Kratka Route, Phone 1-F-103. 52

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.86
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Oats	.71
Flax	4.36
Barley	1.28
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Flour, per cwt	7.60
Bran	2.30
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.75
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled Hay, cwt	1.00
POULTRY.	
Old Roosters	14 to 15
Geese, alive, per lb	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.22
Spring Chickens	.13

Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.13
Hens, light	.10
PRODUCE.	
Eggs	.60
Dairy Butter	.70
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Cow Hides, per lb	18-19
Horse Hides	5-6
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET.	
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"The Great Mystic"

Will appear for the last time.

IF IN DOUBT ASK

"LORE"

Matinee: 2:30—6c and 15c

Evening: 7:30 and 9:15—11c and 20c

You will find a misspelled word in this advertisement. The first fifty bringing the correct answer will be admitted free by paying war tax.

ERIE

N. P. Larson is running his wood-sawing rig full blast these days. He cut a large supply for H. A. Dahlen and L. B. Johnson, Tuesday and Wednesday.

R. F. D. carrier, Theodore Rustad, remembered the patrons of the route on his Christmas day trip with a tasty souvenir and incidentally enclosed a copy of one of his "Sammie" photos taken while at Camp Funston.

Iver Iverson returned Friday from Gemmell, near where he had been employed in a lumber camp since the first part of November.

Ole Nerhus and son, Aslak, were callers at Camp Sub Urban on a combined social and business mission Friday afternoon.

Miss Tellma Howard was the guest of Miss Ollie Olson Thursday evening.

The East Star farmers are at their wits end as to how they can get their grain threshed on account of the difficulty of moving rigs this time of the year. Leaving it until spring seems to be the only "alternative," if conditions should happen to be more favorable then.

H. C. Iverson was a business caller at Goodridge, Thief River Falls and Oklee the first part of the week.

The Christmas tree social given at the Little Oaks school house Tuesday evening of last week was largely attended, parties coming all the way from Roland and Oklee to attend.

Ole and Tharald Tharaldson have been busy hauling day during the week.

Halvor Folkedahl recently purchased a bunch of 13 sheep from Ole Hanson of Deer Park township. Halvor bids fair to become the leading rancher in S. E. Star.

John Bammerud of Rhoda, was a transient caller at the G. A. Iverson home the first part of the week.

Zakarias Hole contemplates building a large barn on his farm next spring, and hints that he may also put up a silo in connection.

GERMANTOWN

A Happy New Year to all.

Chester Boyce called on Will Wayne, one day last week.

Miss Della Roller returned to Thief River Falls last Saturday, after enjoying a visit at her home a few days.

Hans Jorstad and son, Bjerna, were dinner guests at the L. Bendickson home Sunday of the past week.

Miss Hannah Nabben returned from Crookston, Saturday, where she will spend her vacation.

Bessie and Gladys Roller visited at the Emil Ristau home last Sunday.

Julia Johnson spent a few days of last week with her sister, Sophie, at Thief River Falls.

Hans Dahl spent last Friday afternoon at the L. Bendickson home.

Mrs. Emil Hanson called on Mrs. Albert Rhroer, Monday afternoon.

Clifford, Bessie and Gladys Roller spent last Wednesday at Thief River Falls.

Lois and Howard Strubel visited at the Emil Ristau home, Thursday.

Anton Overby recently returned home from the vicinity of Grand Forks, where he had been employed during last summer.

Clifford Roller returned home on Monday from Fargo, where he had been attending a mechanics school.

Miss Clara Overby returned home from Grand Forks, Saturday and will spend the holidays there.

Mrs. Emil Hanson was the guest of Mrs. Rolland, Sunday afternoon.

Benard, Nettie, Esther and Silva Bendickson spent Friday evening at the A. Ristau home.

Misses Freda and Tillie Ristau returned home on Thursday to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller and family were dinner guests at the Charlie Strubel home last Sunday.

Miss Olga Overby, who teaches school near Jelle, arrived home on Saturday for a week's vacation.

Guests at the A. Ristau home on Friday evening were: Henry, Millie, Fred, John and Lena Ristau.

A number of the young folks gathered at the C. Strubel home Sunday evening, and all report having spent an enjoyable time.

STEINER

Henry Rogers returned to his home last Wednesday from Minneapolis, where he has spent the last five weeks in a hospital. He had an injured finger operated on. The cords were severed in an accident so it rendered his finger almost useless. They drew the ligaments together and sewed them so now he tells us his finger is about as good as ever.

Harvey Copp took a load of hogs to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Willis Warring transacted business in Thief River Falls last Thursday.

The Meyer family visited at the Werner home Sunday.

A bunch of the neighborhood boys made a call at Harvey Copp's place last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rogers and two daughters called at the Warring home Sunday.

Nick Baker has been hauling hay from the Ramstad farm the past week.

G. L. Leisner, who sold his business in this place to Torvick and Bergland, took the train Saturday for the sunny south where he expects to spend the balance of the winter in Cuba and the Isle of Pines.

A Christmas program was given at the Steiner school house Tuesday of this week, by the school children, under the direction of their teacher, Miss Amy Waitman. Lunch was served after the program.

Some of the boys in this vicinity have been enjoying hunting and trapping recently.

The Whitman folks spent one day the latter part of last week in Thief River Falls on a business trip.

I take this opportunity to thank you for the splendid patronage that I have received. It will be my aim to show the very best pictures that can be secured, and I trust that I may have the pleasure of seeing you frequently at The Princess in the future.

My Motto: The Best Pictures for The Best House. If better pictures are made I will get them.

Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year

The Princess Theatre Co.

By John H. Brumund

Manager

The City Churches

Christian Science—Services at public library on Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "God." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Service New Years day at 7:30 p. m. On Sunday, Jan. 4th, there will be two services, at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Monday at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Bible lecture on the book of Paul's letter to the Romans. You are welcome.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services on New Years day at 11 a. m., 2 p. m., and 8 p. m. Evangelist J. J. Brekke of Fergus Falls, will preach every day this week. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Confirmants meet on Saturday at 2 p. m. at the parsonage. Rindal Ladies Aid at Rosewood will meet with Mrs. Thoreson on Tuesday, Jan. 6th at 2 p. m. Confirmants meet at the home of Mrs. Thoreson on Jan. 6th, from 1 p. m. to 2 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—On Jan. 4, the first Sunday of the New Year, the Sunday school will meet promptly at 10 a. m. Miss Hamry, Supt. The church meetings for worship will be held at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Mrs. H. E. Edberg is in charge of the music. At the morning hour, holy communion will be celebrated. The theme for prayer and thought for the day will be: "The Church, Awakened by Her New Opportunity." It is important that each one should be in his place at both of these meetings as the day opens the work of prayer. Meetings for prayer and conference will be held at the church on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7:30 p. m. The work comes to a climax on Jan. 11. Juniors at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Bible study, John 1:1-18.

W. C. T. U. NOTES

Declaration of Principles.

(Contributed by W. C. T. U.)

We believe in the coming of His Kingdom whose service is perfect freedom, because His laws, written in our members as well as in nature and in grace, are perfect, converting the soul.

We believe in the gospel of the Golden Rule, and that each man's habits of life should be an example safe and beneficient for every other man to follow.

We believe that God created both man and woman in His own image, and therefore we believe in one standard of purity for both men and women, and in the equal right of all to hold opinions and to express the same with equal freedom.

We believe in the prohibition of the liquor traffic, the opium and tobacco traffic, the gambling house and haunt of shame; in a living wage; in an eight-hour day; in courts of conciliation and arbitration; in justice as opposed to greed of gain; in "peace on earth and good will to men."

We therefore formulate, and for ourselves adopt the following pledge, asking our sisters and brothers of a common danger and a common hope, to make common cause with us, in working its reasonable and helpful precepts into the practice of everyday life:

I hereby solemnly promise, God helping me, to abstain from all distilled, fermented and malt liquors, including wine, beer and cider, and to employ all proper means to secure the enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment.

Notice For Bids.

Bids for filling the ice house at the creamery will be received and considered January 3rd next.

P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

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Lyceum Theatre

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Big New Years Day Special

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By Thomas Dixon, Author of "The Birth of a Nation." Stars from the great production: "The Birth of a Nation," "Intolerance," and "Civilization." A picture that makes you laugh and cry, thrill and shudder, and leaves you something of vital importance to think about.

Special Music and Comedy.

Saturday, Jan. 3—Special
Popular CHARLES RAY in
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One day a grimy toiler at a forge. The next, a pampered heir to millions. Tainted millions that wronged the girl he loved. Come and see what happens?

Extra: 2-reel Mack-Sennet Comedy
"LADIES FIRST"

TWO BIG DAYS
Sunday and Monday, Jan 4 and 5—
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"THE GIRL FROM THE OUTSIDE"

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Comedy and Special Music.
Matinee: 2:30—11c and 25c
Eve: 7:30 and 9:10—15c and 30c

Tuesday, Jan. 6—
Popular TOM MOORE, in
"ONE OF THE FINEST"

The story of a traffic cop and a lone burglar. A picture you can't help but like.

Also Kinogram News

Wednesday, Jan. 7—Special
Charming BILLIE BURKE, in
"WANTED! A HUSBAND"

She'd invented an engagement and set her wedding date. All she needed was a man. Did she find him? She did! Come and watch her work.

Also Comedy.

Mat. Sun. Wed. and Sat.—2:30

COMING! Biggest Productions of the Season:

ANITA STEWART, in
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WM. S. HART, in
"SAND"

"BACK TO GOD'S COUNTRY"

ELSIE JONES, in
"A REGULAR GIRL"

MARY PICKFORD, in
"THE HOODLUM"

"AUCTION OF SOULS"
Watch For Dates.

Obituary

Joseph Alfred Martz.

Joseph Alfred Martz died in St. Anthony's hospital at Bemidji, Dec. 24 from an attack of pneumonia. He was born at Duluth in 1894. He attended school in that city but finished his course at St. Hilaire where the family later moved. After finishing school at St. Hilaire he went to Fargo, where he attended the agricultural school. On the completion of his course he took charge of the home farm, leaving in a few months to join a party of cruisers near Bemidji. Funeral services were conducted at the family home in St. Hilaire by Rev. J. B. Smith of this city, after which the remains were shipped to Le Roy, where they were interred beside those of his father, the late C. H. Martz.

Charcoal Eph's Thought.

"What I calls comfort," said Charcoal Eph, as he reached for the ham, "is w'en a man cap turn down a five-dollah job 'kase he done got half a dollar in his pocket. Try some salt, Mister Jackson."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at St. Hilaire, Minnesota, on Monday, January 12th, 1920, beginning at one o'clock p. m. sharp.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, examine reports, etc. The question will also be taken up to change the date of the annual meeting so that the meeting may be held during the summer months, if it is found that we have a right to do so. And any other business will be transacted that may come before the meeting.

JOHN O. SWANSON,
Secretary.

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H. A. BRUMUND ELECTED CITY COUNCIL HEAD

Important Appointments are Made at Annual Meeting Tuesday Evening.

CHOMMIE CITY ATTORNEY

A. H. Akre Re-appointed For City Clerk—Mayor Bratrud Announces Officers.

The annual meeting of the city council was held at the council rooms in the auditorium Tuesday evening. At this time Aldermen M. N. Benson and Alfred Olson, retired and their successors, Aldermen Andrew Ness and John Dahl, entered upon their duties. The first business attended to was the organization of the council, Alderman H. A. Brumund being elected president and Alderman C. Proseth, vice president.

Akre City Clerk.

A. H. Akre, who has held the office of city clerk for the past two years, was reappointed. This action was opposed by Aldermen Ole Ihle and C. Proseth, and it resulted in a rather heated discussion. Alderman Ihle declared that Mr. Akre was incompetent for the position and cited several alleged errors made by him during the past two years, none of which were regarded as very serious mistakes by the other members of the council. One of the charges made was that Mr. Akre had, of his own accord, transferred $1,000 out of the cemetery fund from one bank to another. Mayor G. A. Penney then asked recognition of the president and demanded of Alderman Ihle that he furnish proof to substantiate this charge, at the same time stating that the city clerk had been instructed to transfer this money by the cemetery board. He concluded his remarks by telling Alderman Ihle that if he had made such a charge against him he would either prove it or apologize. At this point the discussion ended and the council proceeded with the other appointments.

Chommie City Attorney.

The next appointment made was that of city attorney, Hans O. Chommie being the unanimous choice. The other appointments were rapidly disposed of as follows: Assessor, Lars Backe; street commissioner, O. L. Bakken; superintendent of water and light department, Ole Legvold; janitor of auditorium, S. B. Johnson; superintendent of incinerator, Martin Ohm; city physician, Dr. O. F. Mellby.

Mayor Announces Police.

Mayor John Bratrud performed his first official duty by announcing the appointment of E. O. Erickson as chief of police and Andy Smith as night patrolman. His appointment of city health officer will not be made for several days.

Holt & George File Bond.

The bond of Holt & George for $27,000 in connection with their contract for sewer extension and repair work was filed and accepted by the council at this meeting.

The city clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for the city printing and city depository; and other routine matters were attended to.

MAYOR JOHN BRATRUD

TALENTED MUSICIAN WILL APPEAR HERE

Wyman Horr, Former Local Boy, Attracts Attention of Musical World.

Local people will be interested in learning that Wyman Horr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Horr, formerly of Thief River Falls, is to appear here in the very near future under the auspices of a local organization, probably the Woman's club. This eighteen year old lad is declared by critics to be a most remarkable pianist and Thief River Falls people are preparing to claim him as their own. He is a nephew of Mrs. W. J. LaBree of this city, and was born here. His father, Chas. Horr, was engaged in the hardware business here, leaving about fourteen years ago for Duluth, where they now make their home.

The following, which appeared in the Duluth Herald, will be read with great interest:

"In view of the fact that he is soon to leave Duluth for New York to further his piano studies, friends and admirers of Wyman Horr, the 18-year-old Duluth lad, who has achieved such success as a pianist as to attract the attention of many authorities in the music world, are planning to give a testimonial concert for him. The date has not yet been set, but it is expected that it will be given some time during the latter half of this month.

"The proposal is meeting with most encouraging response, wherever broached, and it is believed that the First Methodist church, where the concert will probably be given, will have a capacity crowd on that night.

"The young man has been declared by noted critics to be not only remarkable as a pianist for one of his years, but gives evidence of developing into a phenomenon. His instructor here, Ernest Lachmund, declares that the lad gives more promise than any person of his age that he has yet met with."

JUROR LIST FOR FEBRUARY TERM

Regular Term Will Be Held at Court Rooms Starting February Third.

The next regular term of the district court will be held in Thief River Falls, starting February 3rd with Judge Grindeland presiding. The grand and petit jurors drawn are as follows.

G. B. Tveit, Mayfield; S. J. Amble, St. Hilaire; C. M. Wilson, city; C. A. Swanson, River Falls; N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire; John Hoffman, Wyandotte; E. O. Gullingsrud, city; T. H. Bjorke, North; Martinus Rust, Norden; Olaf Neset, city; John Sheggerud, River Falls; S. O. Lee, Rocksbury; Halvor Hanson, Bray; T. S. Iverson, Smiley; Bernhard Knudsen, city; Andrew Huseby, Rocksbury; Edwin Wahlin, Reiner; Carl Ekwall, Star; John Scholin, Bray; Albin Arveson, Hickory; Oscar N. Anderson, Smiley; Jens Letnes, Silverton; Hans Anderson, Black River.

The petit jurors are as follows: J. R. McKercher, Black River; Knute Nash, St. Hilaire; M. O. Leary, Mayfield; Fred Dahlberg, Smiley; Peter Lundberg, St. Hilaire; H. T. Allen, St. Hilaire; O. O. Hofdal, Kratka; Gunard Lindquist, Black River; Hans Jesperson, Mayfield; W. B. Fuller, city; Herman Fellman, Rocksbury; Edwin Roy, River Falls; Chas. Gustafson, city; P. J. McAndrews, North; M. V. Evenson, city; W. W. Prichard, Jr., city; C. J. Bothman, River Falls; H. T. Hanson, Hickory; J. M. Johnson, Highlanding; Alex Mellin, Polk Center; A. M. Jorde, North; Bernt Walseth, River Falls.

TWO MEETINGS TO BE HELD BY LEGION

Regular Monthly Meeting will be Held at Brumund Hotel Jan. 20.

Members of the local post of the American Legion have been notified of two meetings to be held this month. Arrangements have been made for a special gathering at the Evelyn hotel January 13th and on January 20th the regular monthly meeting will be held at the Brumund hotel.

The regular monthly business meeting will be at 8 o'clock. This will be followed by a lunch and smoker. Following this they will be entertained at the Princess by Manager John Brumund. Mr. Brumund has secured a special picture for this occasion that will be appropriate.

These meetings of the Legion are becoming very popular with the members and all are becoming imbued with the idea of a 100% county organization.

County Treasurer Complimented.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud received a letter recently which is a decided compliment to him in connection with his method of conducting the affairs of his office. It is from Herman A. Krueger of Fairmont, Minn., and reads as follows: "I found the missing draft among other papers so return duplicate draft for $3.79. Thank you for your promptness in refunding. You have treated a total stranger like a gentleman. It's a pleasure to deal with men of your type."

Fire Damages Residence.

Fire starting from an overheated range, damaged the residence of Leonard Peterson on LaBree avenue north last Saturday evening to the extent of about $1,000. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

G. N. RAILWAY TO BUILD NEW STATION HERE

Plans Ready For $25,000 Concrete Structure For Thief River Falls.

WEST END THIRD STREET

Work to be Started Early in Spring According to Report.

Thief River Falls is to have a new Great Northern station this spring. This announcement has not been made by the officials of the company but it is reported as a fact nevertheless. The plans for the structure are already drawn and have been approved.

Concrete Structure.

The specifications call for a concrete structure to cost approximately $25,000 and, according to the available information work will be started in the spring as early as weather conditions will permit. The location selected for this Great Northern improvement is said to be at the west end of Third street.

Much Needed Improvement.

This is an improvement that Thief River Falls has been patiently waiting for and the announcement that it is assured will be welcomed. The present station is in a run-down condition and wholly inadequate to properly accommodate business of this city. The improvement would undoubtedly have come two years ago if it had not been for the war and the operation of the railroads by the government.

More Convenient Location.

The contemplated location of the new station at the west end of Third street will meet with general approval. This will bring the two stations of Thief River Falls at opposite ends of the same street. Under the present arrangement it is necessary for all Great Northern trains to back either in or out of the station as it is located on a spur. This takes considerable time and is an annoyance to the train crews.

Government to Return Roads.

President Wilson has announced that the railroads will be returned to private ownership March 1st and this is bringing statements of numerous contemplated improvements by all roads. Thief River Falls is fortunate in being one of the first on the Great Northern list.

2 ORGANIZATIONS MAY CONSOLIDATE

To Discuss Question of Joining Commercial Club and Merchants Assn.

At a special meeting of the Commercial club held last evening, the advisability of combining the Commercial club and Merchants association into one organization was discussed. There seemed to be considerable sentiment among those present in favor of the move and it was decided to have a meeting of the directors of both organizations some time next week and later again take the matter up in an open meeting.

At the same meeting a committee consisting of R. McGinn, C. L. Hansen and M. Barzen was appointed to attend the next meeting of the city council and request that they make a number of necessary repairs to the Auditorium.

A discussion was entered into to devise some means of assisting the local census takers in getting an accurate check on the city's population. It was decided to place a committee in charge of each ward, each committee in turn to appoint some one person to check each block in the ward and give their findings to the census enumerator for checking purposes. The committees appointed were as follows: First ward, Dr. H. W. Froehlich, J. Provencher, C. L. Hansen; Second ward, S. C. Coumbe, Chas. Lieberman, L. A. Lampert; Third ward, Emil Zeh, A. M. Langseth, H. A. Brumund; Fourth ward, John Bratrud, Dr. G. W. Booren, Dr. C. R. Crandall.

SPLENDID SPEAKERS FOR WINTER SHOWS

Preparations Being Made for Four Day Meeting at Crookston.

Rapid progress is being made with the plans for the Northwest School Farmers' Week and Red River Valley Winter Shows, which will be held at Crookston from February 9 to 13.

The farm crops show and live stock show premium lists are on the press and will be ready for distribution early next week. In addition to the farm crops and live stock shows, live stock sales will be held each day. The Northwest School of Agriculture, which is in charge of the program, has already secured the leading speakers for the week and will announce a complete program shortly.

Head liners for the speakers include Hon. Duncan Marshall on Tuesday evening, Feb. 10; Hon. Fred B. Snyder and Miss Maude Hayes for Wednesday; Dr. Geo. E. Vincent for Thursday evening, and President M. L. Burton for Friday. In addition to these speakers the following well known men are expected on Tuesday: Dr. E. C. Stakman, Supt. O. I. Bergh, Supt. P. E. Miller, and Profs. W. H. Peters, W. A. McKerrow and W. H. Vaugh; on Wednesday, Supt. W. H. Kenety, Dean R. W. Thatcher, Dr. C. P. Fitch and Hon. P. H. McGarry; on Thursday, Prof. A. G. Tolaas, Dean H. W. Mumford, Dr. C. W. Gay and Hugh J. Hughes; on Friday, Prof. S. A. Bedford of Winnipeg, A. D. Wilson and E. G. Quamme of St. Paul. Acceptances have been received from nearly all of these persons, assuring the people of northwestern Minnesota of the strongest program ever given at the Northwest School Farmers' Week. The women's meeting program is also being prepared.

The interest in the Red River Valley Shows was never greater. Every available foot will be needed to provide space for grains, potato and live stock exhibits. A large number of associations will hold meetings during the week, including the Development association, Live Stock, Potato Growers, Farm Bureaus, and Dairymen, as well as the different breed associations. The alumni of the Northwest School of Agriculture have selected Friday, Feb. 13, as their date of meeting, with President Burton as the principal speaker.

STATE BANKS HOLD ANNUAL MEETINGS

Citizens State and Farmers and Merchants Elect Officers For Year.

The annual meetings of the stockholders of the Citizens State bank and Farmers & Merchants State bank were held at their respective banking rooms in Thief River Falls on Tuesday evening.

The only change at the Citizens State bank was the election of C. G. Gulrud and E. C. Brevig as tellers. The directors of the institution remain the same, as follows: Olaf Ramstad, president; Louis Hanson, vice president; T. L. Melgaard, cashier; C. W. Vorachek, assistant cashier; Rasmus Oen, G. Amundson, directors. Aside from declaring the usual dividend no further business was transacted.

The Farmers & Merchants State bank made but one change in their board of directors, Waldie Christenson succeeding Wm. Moeller. The board of directors is as follows: R. McGinn, Herbert Fuller, M. T. McFarland, John Cronkhite, Paul Engelstad, Waldie Christenson, Louis DeCremer.

The officers are: R. McGinn, president; Herbert Fuller, vice president; L. A. Lampert, cashier; Effie Hamry, assistant cashier; F. E. McGinn, teller.

The annual meeting of the First and Peoples State bank is being held today and the First National meeting comes on Jan. 13.

FOSSTON WILL PLAY HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Legion Team Will Take on Polk County Bunch at Auditorium.

Another fast basket ball game is booked for Friday night at the auditorium. The local American Legion team is scheduled to meet the town team of Fosston. This assures a fast game. The locals showed that they have a mighty fast organization in their game with Grand Forks New Years night and Fosston has always had one of the fastest teams in this section of the state.

Since the New Years game Coach Connell has been busy with the locals ironing out the rough spots that showed up and developing better team work. The boys have been going through some stiff practice and are in good condition for the game tomorrow night.

Tomorrow night. Auditorium at 8:45. Don't miss it.

Annual Farm Bureau Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Farm Bureau will be held in the Commercial club rooms at 2 p. m., Friday, Jan. 16. Dean Thatcher of the University of Minnesota will give an address at that time. The meeting is free to all who care to attend, whether they be farmers or residents of the city. The program of work for the coming year will be outlined, and a number of short talks will be given by the Farm Bureau directors and others.

COUNTY BOARD ORGANIZES FOR YEARS BUSINESS

O. J. Peterson Re-elected as Chairman and J. S. Roy Vice Chairman.

SOME SALARIES RAISED

Resolution Adopted Providing Levy For Court House Reconstruction Fund.

The annual meeting of the board of county commissioners was held on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Oscar J. Peterson was elected chairman for the third term and J. S. Roy was elected vice chairman.

Special Levy Made.

A resolution providing for a special tax levy for a court house reconstruction fund was introduced by Chairman Peterson and adopted by the board. It provides for a ½ mill levy which will bring the county about $3,000 a year. The board states that such a step was made imperative by the necessity of providing more court house room. It is the intention of the board to purchase additional ground and build an addition to the present court house that will provide more vault room for the register of deeds, clerk of court and treasurer, a larger room for board meetings, new office for county superintendent of schools and an enlarged court room.

Salaries Raised.

The salary of the county superintendent of schools was raised to $1320 per year and all expenses, and the salary of the court house janitor was raised from $60 to $75 per month. The salary of the sheriff was left as at present. These are the only officers where the salary is controlled by the county board.

Depositories Designated.

At this meeting the board designated the depositories for county funds, naming all of the banks of the county. Dr. A. W. Swedenburg was appointed county health officer. The meeting was one of the shortest annual affairs ever held by the board.

A detailed account of the meeting will appear in these columns next week and thereafter throughout the year. The taxpayers of the county will be kept informed on the business transacted by the county board thru the columns of The Times.

ALLOWANCES MADE FLOOD SUFFERERS

Marshall County Gets About Half of Entire Allotment.

Scott Laird, who is in charge of the work of gathering data about the flood sufferers in this section of the state, writes as follows from Baudette, near which place he has been working for the past week:

"Spent today, (Tuesday), in Baudette and will be in International Falls on Wednesday on flood relief.

"Not much relief in the way of family aid will be needed here. This also applies to horse and cow feed. The main relief will be seed grain next spring.

"Wish you would announce in The Times this week that the special meetings previously announced for Goodridge and Grygla, have been postponed a week and Gatzke and Holt two weeks. Circular letters will be sent first of next week to all flood sufferers telling them definitely of allowances and of dates and places of meetings for Pennington and Marshall counties.

"The State board met last week and I was with them. Allowances were made for most of Marshall county. Others will follow shortly.

"Marshall county people will get about half of the entire amount to be allotted, as conditions there are much worse than elsewhere. People in Roseau and northern Beltrami have secured work for the winter and this will care for quite a number of families so they will not be dependent on the state. Men here are working in the woods and supporting their families."

DEVIES LAKE MAN WILL SPEAK FEB. 5

F. P. Mann Writes That He Can Be Here For Merchants Association.

Secretary G. Howard Smith of the Merchants association is in receipt of a letter from F. P. Mann of Devils Lake, N. D., in which Mr. Mann states that he can appear before the association on Feb. 17.

The local business men are much pleased over Mr. Mann's announcement and arrangements will be made to make the event one of the best yet undertaken by the association. Mr. Mann was to have appeared here on the evening of January 5th, but was unable to do so on account of sickness in his family.

GEO. T. HAMERY
Vice President, First National Bank

NEW OFFICER AT FIRST NATIONAL

Geo. T. Hamery Is Elected Vice President at Special Meeting.

At a special meeting of the directors of the First National bank held last Tuesday, Geo. T. Hamery was elected vice president of the institution.

Mr. Hamery entered upon his new duties on Tuesday of this week. He comes to this city from Gonvick, where he has been at the head of a bank for several years. He has been engaged in the banking business for the past fifteen years, having been connected with the First National Bank of Crookston until his purchase of the Gonvick bank several years ago. He is well known to a number of local people and his acquisition by the First National is considered as a valuable asset.

The officers of the bank announce that the unusual expansion of their business during the past year made it imperative that they make provision for rendering the highest standard of service to their customers by the addition of another efficient officer to their institution, and they feel that in securing Mr. Hamery they are exceedingly fortunate.

Legion Trims Grand Forks.

The American Legion basket ball team started its season with a bang last Thursday night by defeating the fast Grand Forks team by the score of 31 to 13. The game was clean and fast throughout and was enjoyed by a good-sized crowd. G. W. Connell acted as referee.

COUNTY CENSUS TAKERS AT WORK

Thirteen Enumerators Are Checking Population of the County.

The following persons have qualified and have been appointed as census enumerators for Pennington county:

District 168, comprising Black River and River Falls townships and St. Hilaire village, John H. Huddleson, Hazel.

District 169, comprising Bray, Numedal and Polk Centre townships, Edward Johnson, Wylie.

District 170, comprising Silverton, Cloverleaf and Smiley townships, Wm. McCrum, Thief River Falls.

District 171, comprising Hickory and Deer Park townships, Agnes M. Stucy, Highlanding.

District 172, comprising Goodridge and Reiner townships and Goodridge village, Frank J. Race, Erie.

District 173, comprising Highlanding and Star townships.

District 174, comprising Kratka, Mayfield and Wyandotte townships, Stephen Singer, Kratka.

District 105, comprising Norden and North townships, Mrs. Jessie Rustad, Thief River Falls.

District 176, comprising Rocksbury and Sanders townships, Bernhard Knudsen, Thief River Falls.

District 177, comprising Ward 1, Thief River Falls, Mrs. H. G. Haraldson.

District 178, comprising Ward 2, Thief River Falls, Mae F. Connolly.

District 179, comprising Ward 3, Thief River Falls, Alvah W. Clark.

District 57, comprising Ward 4, Thief River Falls, Margaret V. Shields.

District No. 173 has no enumerator. Applicants are wanted. Pay is $5.50 per eight-hour day.

HOLT PETITION LACKSREQUIRED TAX VALUATION

Territory Designated for New County Falls $300,000 Short of Sum Named.

MIDDLE RIVER GETS BUSY

Petition Being Circulated and Two More Townships Added.

It appears that the enthusiasts of Holt who had vision of dividing Marshall county, and securing the county seat for that village have made a disastrous slip in their calculations. The law provides that territory for a proposed new county must have a valuation of not less than $4,000,000 and, according to the statement furnished by the auditor of Marshall county the last assessed valuation of the territory designated by the Holt petition is $3,791,267.

Middle River Gets Busy.

The business men of Middle River discovered the mistake upon consulting the records at Warren and they have now prepared a petition for county division, adding two townships to the territory designated in the Holt petition and naming Middle River as the county seat. The circulation of their petitions was started in every township today and they expect to have the number required for filing with the governor by Saturday. The petition was started in the city of Warren and it seems that the business men of that place have a preference for Middle River as compared with Holt.

Following is the statement of the Marshall county auditor, showing the assessed valuation of the territory designated in the Holt petition and with the two townships added in the Middle River petition:

"Warren, Minnesota,
"January 7th, 1920.

"To Whom It May Concern:

"This will certify, that the last assessed valuation of Townships of East Park, Huntly, Como, Thief Lake, Moose River, Linsell, New Maine, Spruce Valley, Cedar, Whiteford, Hollis, Veldt, New Folden, Holt, East Valley, Mud Lake, Eckvoll, Valley, New Solum, Excel, Agder, Grand Plain, Moylan and Espelie, and the Villages of Middle River, Newfolden, Holt and Grygla, in Marshall county, Minnesota, is the total sum of $3,791,267.00.

"That the last assessed valuation of Townships of Lincoln and West Valley, in said Marshall County, is the total sum of $381,797.44.

"Total $4,173,064.00.

"Respectfully,
"A. G. LUNDGREN,
"(Seal) "County Auditor."

Shippers Assn. to Meet.

A meeting of the Thief River Falls Livestok Shippers association will be held in the Farm Bureau office at 1 p. m., Saturday, Jan. 10. Following this meeting the Pennington County Poultry association also will hold its annual meeting in the basement of the auditorium at 2 p. m. Both these meetings are very important and all people interested in the shipping association or the raising of poultry should plan on being present.

ROUSING MEETING TUESDAY, JAN. 16

Members of Farm Loan Association Make Plans For Big Holiday.

The members of the local branch of the Federal Farm Loan association say that they are going to pack the Auditorium at their annual meeting next Tuesday, Jan. 13. They have planned a big dinner to start with and a corking good program for the afternoon.

President E. G. Quamme, head of the regional bank, will be here from St. Paul for the purpose of addressing the meeting. He will explain the workings of the government plan and will give any information asked for. The slogan, "Make Tuesday, Jan. 13, a Holiday," has been enthusiastically taken up by the members and they say it is going to be a real holiday. A full report of the meeting will be published next week.

Dance Friday, Jan. 16.

The Brotherhood of Railway Clerks will give a dance at the Auditorium Friday evening, Jan. 16. They say it is going to be the best dance of the year. Some say it is to celebrate the going into effect of the prohibition amendment. Might be some time.

Scott Laird left on Monday morning for Baudette and International Falls, where he will attend to affairs connected with state relief work.

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Friday, Jan. 9th

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OUR GREAT JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Begins Promptly at 9 A. M. Friday, Jan. 9th

Our Tremendous Stock of No Less Than 1,000 Dependable, Stylish **Coats, Suits, Dresses, Furs**

SKIRTS, BLOUSES, CHILDREN'S COATS, SWEATERS HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR

Positively Reduced in this Great Sale to Insure Quick, Complete Clearance.

Come Prepared for Record-Breaking Bargains! You'll Not Be Disappointed!

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A marvelous opportunity to secure a stylish, serviceable winter Coat at a mere fraction of its true worth. Plush Coats, Cloth Coats, Short Coats, Long Coats, Fur Trimmed Coats any size, any color, and style.

Actual values up to $75.00

Choose from any of these at these record-breaking, unmatchable low prices of

$14.75 $19.75 $24.75 $29.75 $39.50 and $49.50

98c Rummage Bargain Table 98c

Here Is The Bargain

That should bring you here bright and early Friday.

98c

Women's Wool and Wash Skirts, Aprons, House Dresses, Children's Dresses, Kimonas, Red Cross Aprons, Petticoats, Middies and Corsets, Etc.

These are gathered together from odd lots and broken sizes, and is merchandise that we are desirous to close out, and we have lost track of the cost entirely. We know you can put this merchandise to use. My! What a scramble Friday. Over 300 pieces goes on this table. Buy as much as you like. The table will be located in rear of store to left as you come in.

We won't mention comparative prices, or try to tell you what the former prices were, but will leave it to your good judgment.

10 per cent Off on All Corsets

Corsets are advancing daily, but we are determined to make this sale one of the biggest things yet.

Choice of any Corset and pay 10 per cent less than Regular Marked Price.

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Extra SPECIAL

$15, $17.50, $20 and up to $25.00

Stylish Winter COATS for Women and Misses almost given away.

$10.00

SUITS

Positively Sacrificed

1/3 Off Regular Price.

1-3 off on 50 of our Best Suits

In Tricotine and Serge. You'll save exactly half on your spring suit if you buy your's now as suits for spring have advanced 20 per cent, and we are offering these fine suits at 1-3 off, so you can see the saving.

We really had planned to put these suits away for spring, but as our policy is to show an entire new line each season, you can have any of these suits at 1-3 off of original selling price:

$85.00 Suits	$56.66
$75.00 Suits	$50.00
$69.50 Suits	$46.34
$65.00 Suits	$44.30
$60.00 Suits	$40.00
$50.00 Suits	$33.33
$45.00 Suits	$30.00
$40.00 Suits	$26.66

Extra SPECIAL

25 Women's Suits values up to $59.50 while they last only

$15.00

the skirts alone are worth more, Velours, Serges, Poplins and Broad Cloths.

DRESSES

1/4 Off Regular Prices.

You can have any dress in the store now at 1-4 off their original selling price.

Think what a saving this means. Step into our dress booth and pay only 3-4 of its selling price. But you must either alter them yourself or for an extra charge we will alter them, and all sales for cash only. Dresses of Serge, Tricotine, Tricolette, Satin, Taffeta, and Georgette. This also includes party dresses. Every dress of the newest styles and include a number of new spring dresses.

$20.00 Dresses, now	$15.00
$25.00 Dresses, now	$23.75
$30.00 Dresses, now	$22.50
$40.00 Dresses, now	$30.00
$50.00 Dresses, now	$37.50

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15 Women's Serge and Silk Dresses. Values to $25.00. Extra Special

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Black Manchurian Fox Muffs **$10.95**

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at quick Clearance prices. Choose any Waist in our stock at a discount of

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$5.00 Waists at	$3.75
$8.00 Waists at	$6.00
$10.00 Waists at	$8.00

Extra Special

$7.50 Georgette Waists in all shades **$5.95**

Buy Your Next Winter Supply of

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now and save.

From all indications next fall underwear will advance at least 25 per cent. If you buy next winter's supply now you will save not only 25 per cent but an additional

10% Off Regular Price

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SOCIETY and Club

Woman's Club Meeting.

A rare musical treat was enjoyed by the people of the city at the last meeting of the Woman's club, held on Monday afternoon, when two of the city's most talented musicians, Miss Alice Bourque and Herman Bischoff, made their first appearance before the local public. Their program consisted of vocal and instrumental selection and readings, and every number was liberally applauded. The city has reason to feel proud to possess these artists and it is hoped that they will be able to give another recital in the near future. At the conclusion of the program, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, president of the club, thanked Miss Bourque and Mr. Bischoff on behalf of the organization. Mrs. Daniel Shaw made a motion that a rising vote of thanks be given for their pleasing entertainment, after which the meeting was adjourned. A very large crowd was in attendance.

Bolstad-Vinger.

Olaf Bolstad of this city and Miss Annie Vinger, of Polk county, were united in marriage on Jan. 31, at 1 o'clock at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, with Rev. George Larson, pastor of the church, officiating. Those who witnessed the ceremony were, Misses Alma Bolstad and Emma Ness, and Messrs. Henry Bolstad and Albert Ness. Immediately after the ceremony dinner was served to the contracting parties at the home of Mrs. Selmer Berg. The bride wore a gown of white messaline combined with georgette crepe. The bridesmaids were attired in dresses of the same material. The newlyweds will make this city their future home.

New Choir Director.

The work of Mrs. H. E. Edberg in the music at the Presbyterian church last Sunday proved to be an event. Her splendid work at the instrument and inspiring dynamic of her personality, that lifted the whole congregation in the service of praise, proved her at once a leader of rare skill and power. Thief River Falls is fortunate to be able to add another real musical artist to its growing list. Mrs. Edberg has been permanently engaged to direct the music in the Presbyterian church. People who attend the church can be certain to be helped in this part of the service.—Contributed.

Woodmen Installation.

The Woodmen of the World will hold a meeting at Odd Fellows hall tomorrow evening, at which time officers for the ensuing year will be installed, as follows: P. J. Keating, consul commander; Thos. Kinsela, advisor lieutenant; Chas. Vorachek, banker; Henry Hoard, clerk; Harry Roberts, escort. An old-time dance will follow the installation, with no "shimmy" or "jazz" allowed. Lunch will be served. Members and their wives and lady friends are invited.

Swanson-Severson.

On New Year's day at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, occurred the marriage of *Miss Berthine Severson* and Oscar E. Swanson, both of this city. Rev. George Larson performed the ceremony in the presence of Ernest Fossum and Bertha Gangsnaes. The newlyweds are popular young people, the bride having been born and educated here. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson will make this city their home.

Theater Party.

One of the first leap year events of the season was a theater party which took place last Friday evening. All arrangements were in charge of the ladies and after an hour's entertainment at the movies the guests were taken to the home of Miss Ella Miller, where they partook of a fine lunch. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing cards and in singing.

Birthday Anniversary.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus was hostess at a six o'clock dinner on Dec. 27, with all her children and grandchildren, and Mr. and Mrs. Sondreal, as guests. The event was held in commemoration of her 73rd birthday anniversary. Mrs. Nyhus was presented with many pretty and useful gifts.

Young People's Society.

The Young People's Society of the Trinity church will meet this evening and will be entertained by the Misses Dora Holmes, Gena Granum and Belle Hermanson. This will be a business meeting and all members of the former societies are requested to be present.

Gives Program.

The musical section of the Woman's club will meet on next Thursday, Jan. 15 at 7:30 p. m. in the Commercial club rooms. An Italian program will be given and those who are not members will be taxed a small admission fee of 10 cents.

Community Girls Meet.

The Community Girls club met on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. Needlework, music and dancing made up the program for the evening, at the conclusion of which sandwiches and coffee were served by the E's and F's.

Clerical Force Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken entertained the employes of Loken Bros. store at their home last Thursday evening. The evening was spent in music and games, after which the guests enjoyed a delicious lunch.

Party at Bennes Home.

An informal gathering of young folks took place at the Bennes home on Knight avenue north last Friday. Cards and dancing formed the chief diversion of the evening. A light lunch concluded the party.

Informal Reception.

An informal reception was held at the H. O. Loken home last Friday evening in honor of Mrs. H. Edberg, who has been engaged as choir director for the Presbyterian church.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Nels Berg next Tuesday, Jan. 13. Mesdames Berg and Evju will entertain. Everybody is welcome.

Miss Anderson Hostess.

Miss Ruby Anderson entertained a few friends on Friday evening at her home on Main avenue.

Local News Notes

Read the Farmers & Merchants State Bank ad on page 7. j8

Basket ball game at Auditorium Friday night. Dance after game. j-8

Henry Kjos is a guest at the home of his cousin, Bart Anderson Wangenstein.

Mr and Mrs. Harry Schuster are the parents of a daughter, born on Jan. 7.

Have you read the Farmers & Merchants State Bank statement? See it on page 7.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., are the happy parents of a baby born on Jan. 3.

C. B. Bradley left on Monday morning for Middle River, where he will make a brief visit with relatives.

Miss Esther Tandberg returned on Monday to Lancaster after having spent the holidays at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Waldorf and daughter, Bernadette, accompanied by F. C. Brendecke, returned to this city last Saturday morning from Euclid, where they had spent the holidays with Mrs. Waldorf's mother, Mrs. E. C. Murney.

Miss Thorena Peterson of Fisher was a guest last Friday and Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Knutson.

Miss Grace Wilson returned to this city on Saturday morning from Minneapolis, where she spent a week visiting with friends.

Dr. C. M. Larson, who has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson, left on Friday evening for Minneapolis.

Miss Florence Fjelstad returned to this city the latter part of last week after a two weeks' visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

Miss Agnes Aastad, who spent the holiday at home, left Saturday for Duluth to resume her duties in the public schools of that city.

Miss Hannah Sponheim left on Saturday morning for Ely, after having spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sponheim.

Miss Olive Booren, who spent the holidays in this city with relatives, returned to her duties in the Minot schools on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Anna Koglin of Steiner was the guest of local friends last Friday on her way to St. Paul, where she expects to remain for some time.

Miss Inga Saugen, one of the nurses at the local hospital, spent a few days the latter part of the week at her parental home in Steiner.

Miss Esther Johnson arrived Monday evening from Duluth and will spend a short time visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. R. Knutson.

Miss Loretta Miksche, who was a New Years guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Barzen, left for her home at Breckenridge, on Saturday.

Basket ball game at Auditorium Friday night. Dance after game. j-8

Mrs. John Gustafson left on Monday for Middle River, where she will spend a week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Brenna.

Mrs. C. J. LaGeske, who spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Holzknecht, returned Saturday to her home at Duluth.

Mrs. T. Tharaldson and daughter returned to this city on Monday morning from Climax, where they spent a brief period visiting with relatives.

Miss Pearl Elg, who spent her vacation at her home in Goodridge, returned to this city on Saturday to resume her work at the local high school.

Miss Irene Patrick, instructor in the local high school, returned to this city on Sunday morning after having spent the holidays at her home at Hinckley.

Miss Elizabeth Rankin, assistant superintendent of school of Marshall county, passed Monday in this city enroute to her parental home at Middle River.

Mary Poston left Friday evening for St. Paul, where she is a student at Hamline university. She had visited during the holidays at her parental home.

Paul Fossum of Fergus Falls was a guest last week at the home of his uncle, T. A. Fossum. Mr. Fossum is principal of the school at Forest River, N. D.

Miss Rosa M. Taylor arrived in this city from her home at Duluth the latter part of last week, to resume her duties as instructor in the Lincoln high school.

Miss Elsie Causin returned to this city on Monday after having spent the holidays at her parental home in Hazel. Miss Causin is a student in the local high school.

Miss Agnes Walker arrived Monday evening from her home in Stevens, where she spent the holidays, and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rolland, enroute to Henning, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Taken to Fergus Falls.

Gunder Kolhus, a farmer living in Hickory township, was examined and adjudged insane last Friday. He was taken to Fergus Falls for treatment that evening.

Annual Commercial Club Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Commercial club will be held at the club rooms on the evening of Jan. 22. At this time the accomplishments for the past year will be reviewed and officers elected. It is likely that a supper will be served in the club rooms on this date.

State Meeting.

The annual meeting of the State Federation of County Fair associations will be held in St. Paul on Jan. 14, 15 and 16. The delegates elected at the annual meeting of the Pennington County Agricultural society to attend this state gathering are, Herbert Fuller, Albert Johnson and *G. Howard Smith.*

The Salvation Army.

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A SENSIBLE DRAINAGE SYSTEM.

A petition for the formation of a Flood Control and Conservancy District under the provisions of Chapter 13 of the Laws of Special Session of 1919, has been filed with the Clerk of the District Court and an order for hearing signed by Hon. C. W. Stanton of Bemidji and Hon. Andrew Grindeland of Warren has likewise been filed. The hearing is set for the 29th day of January, 1920, at the city auditorium. This matter is in substance a continuation of the flood control hearing that was held in this city sometime since. The only difference is that this is started under a later and more workable provision of law than was the former proceeding.

Under the law it was necessary to include within the limits of the proposed district all of the land draining into streams or lakes having a common outlet. This provision of law made it necessary to include within the limits of this district all lands tributary to and draining into Thief river, Red Lake river, Clearwater river and Red Lake and its tributaries. This made it necessary to include a considerable portion of the counties of Pennington, Marshall, Red Lake, Clearwater, Beltrami, Koochiching, Itasca and Polk. The real purpose of the beginning of this proceeding in this district is the control of flood waters. Our experience of the last few years has shown that this matter of the control of flood waters of the district is a live issue and concerns all interests in the district, and if there is a reasonable way that this control can be secured, there should be no hesitancy on the part of the people of approving the project and of pushing it along.

The only specific project which at present is under consideration in case the district is organized is the control of the flood waters of Red Lake river from the Red Lakes to Thief River Falls. The plans for this project have already been prepared by the engineers of the War Department and the same already has the approval of the Department of the Interior. Secretary Lane of the Interior Department has personally interested himself in the matter and has prepared a tentative bill for introduction in congress providing the federal machinery for furthering the project. Likewise, Congressman Steenerson has been active in the matter and it is his intention to push the federal legislation as soon as possible. There is no doubt of the co-operation of the federal authorities in the matter. These federal authorities pay almost one third of the total cost of the project. The plans as provided by the War Department fix the level of Red Lake at about two or three feet below the present high water level and provide for the dredging of the bottom of Red Lake river to a depth averaging eight feet deeper than the present bottom of the river.

It needs no argument to prove to the farmers tributary to the upper Red Lake river that this deepening of the river is of tremendous importance to that locality. Likewise, to the people of western Beltrami county and Eastern Marshall this deepening of Red Lake river is important for the reason that some consider that a north and south drainage system running south into Red Lake river from somewhere near the boundary line between Beltrami and Marshall counties would be of great benefit to that locality and would relieve the flood conditions of Thief river by cutting off that vast volume of water which naturally flows to the west, and force it south through this north and south ditch into Red Lake river. This deepening of Red Lake river eight feet would furnish eight feet additional fall for that north and south ditch and would provide an outlet for a vast volume of water which now flows west through the drainage ditches of Marshall county and flows into Thief river in the vicinity of Mud Lake. Whether or not this last project is feasible is an engineering matter for future consideration, but if the same is feasible and possible and the people affected desire the same, that improvement will doubtless be made.

A matter of importance in connection with this project of the control and the dredging of Red Lake river, as the same affects eastern Marshall, eastern Pennington and western Beltrami counties is the fact that the people in those territories claim that at times of high water in Red Lake, the waters of Red Lake percolate or filter through the bog lands northwest of the lake and fill up the drainage ditches running from that portion of the territory west into Thief river. The permanent lowering of the level of Red Lake a distance of three feet should certainly remove that trouble and stop the filtering of this water through into those ditches.

The controlling works at the outlet of Red Lake are a very important part of the project. These controlling works will be of sufficient height and will be so operated that during flood times and the times of high water all of the waters of Red Lake flowing into the same from its tributaries will be held in the lake reservoir and will not be released until the flood conditions subside. In this way the Red Lake river will only have to accommodate the flood waters naturally draining therein outside of the waters received from Red Lake, and an absolute insurance against the floods which have recurred along Red Lake river for a number of years will be thus assured. A recurrence of the flood condition of 1916, and of the past season, will be sufficient to bankrupt the farmers along the upper stretches of Red Lake river. This project alone is sufficient to justify the organization of the district under the law, and no opposition should develop from any other part of the territory not affected by this particular project. The only reason that such a large territory was included was because of the requirements of the law. No project involving the improvement of an other territory will likely be undertaken by the board of the new district when organized unless a majority of the people affected in any particular territory desire improvement.

The water power features involved in the consideration of the flood and conservancy project are secondary to the main idea of flood control. Incidentally, by the control of the waters flowing from Red Lake to Red Lake river, the water power companies will be benefitted. This benefit will arise because of the release of the flood waters from Red Lake gradually during dry times instead of having all of that flood water come down in a rush during flood times. The fact that the water power companies get improved and increased use of the water adds nothing to the cost of the project of flood control. The farmers along the river are attaining their main object of getting rid of flood waters at as early a moment as possible, and it is immaterial to them what becomes of this flood water after they have gotten rid of it. If a law is provided whereby someone may be made to pay for the use of this flood water after the farmers have gotten rid of it, certainly no one can be heard to complain except the water power interests themselves. No one should be heard to complain that the law allows the water power companies to be charged for the use of this water after the farmers have gotten rid of it. Another matter which is somewhat misunderstood in regard to the organization of the district and the operation of the same afterwards concerns the payment of the cost of improvement. The only land or other interests which are assessed for benefits for any particular project are those lands benefitted directly or indirectly by that particular project. For instance, the land in the vicinity of Thief Lake in Marshall county, would not under this law be assessed for benefits under the improvement of Red Lake river unless it could be proven that the improvement of Red Lake river benefitted the lands tributary to Thief Lake. This is merely an example and needs no answer. A further important matter is that of the conservation of the funds of the district. Under the law the district itself can undertake the construction of no work in the district without a petition to the district judge the same as is now necessary in the matter of judicial ditches. Every dollar of expenditures of the district must be approved by the district judge. This provides a check against extravagance and insures the careful use of the funds of the district.

It is to be hoped that the various counties of the district will be well represented at the coming hearing and that the matter will be fully discussed at that time. If the district is organized as petitioned for and in the future any part of it desires the construction of outlets for its flood waters, it will be up to the people affected by the same to start the project, and under the law they may come in any time and avail themselves of the benefits thereof. In the meanwhile there should not be and there does not seem to be any provisions of the law whereby the people not affected can be made to pay any portion of the cost of any project elsewhere in the district. As far as the city of Thief River Falls is concerned, the improvement will only benefit the city generally because any improvement in the territory contiguous to the city constitutes an improvement of the city itself.

PUBLIC FORUM

Editor, Times:—In reading the notice of the annual meeting of the Bray Fire Insurance company, I find that the question of changing the *time for this meeting is to be voted* on. Now from the start, permit me to state that I, for one, am most heartly in favor of this proposed change.

I have been a policyholder in this company ever since 1907, but not before the year of 1919, did I attend an annual meeting, not because I lacked interest, but entirely due to the fact that I found it impossible to get as far as that, at this time of the year. We all know how it is to travel out in the country after a team of horses when it is twenty below zero, and perhaps more. For us that live in the northern part of our county it is almost impossible to attend this meeting, when on the other hand, if the meeting was held in the summer time most everyone could attend.

As stated above, I attended the 1919 annual meeting, and if I remember correctly, I was the first one to mention this change, not with the hope of bringing this change through at once, but by simply mentioning it, I thought perhaps it would be considered favorably by some of our policyholders, and possibly after some time a majority of the people of our company would make the change.

I am glad to state that at the very mentioning of this proposed change I was heartly supported by a gentleman from near St. Hilaire, Mr. Roy, I believe, who said he believed that if this meeting was held in the summer instead of winter, we would have a hundred of attendance to every one now.

We all know that a meeting attended by only a few is a rather lonesome affair, besides from a business standpoint of view, it is next to nothing. An annual meeting is supposed to transact business pertaining to the nature of the company, and if only a few are present, what can be expected? Very little in my opinion. But, if the meeting is largely attended many things could be brought up and discussed and much good could be accomplished.

Yes, let us change the time of this meeting—providing nothing in the law or anything else bar us from doing it. Let us have it in summer when we can get there, all of us. Most everybody nowdays has a "Tin Lizzy," and with such transportation facilities and dry roads, I am certain that a large attendance would be the result and in all probability a better and more familiar understanding of conditions and problems confronting our company could be acquired.

I do not entertain the hope of being able to attend this meeting, Jan. 12th, but I most sincerely hope that the majority of the meeting will see this matter of changing the time for our annual meeting in the same light as I do and consequently make the change.

Yours truly,
ALFRED FORSLUND.

We Thank You.

At the annual meeting of the Oakland Park Sanatorium commission, a resolution was passed expressing the appreciation of the commission to the many friends of the sanatorium who have remembered the institution and its patients during the past year. Especially Rev. Albin Larson and his church choir, the Community Girls, the Good Fellows, and others who helped to make the holidays more cheerful.

Signed:
Miss KAREN KNUDSEN, Supt.
O. F. MELLBY, Pres. Com.
P. O. MYHRUM, Sec'y. Com.

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Local News Notes

Hans Rod of St. Hilaire, spent Friday in this city visiting with friends.

Elmer Zeh left on Friday for Crookston, where he transacted business.

Mrs. Emma Harwood, editor of the Roosevelt Reporter, visited in this city on Friday.

Dorothy Loen of Radium, arrived here on Friday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Valborg Sandum left on Saturday evening to resume her work in the schools of Waseca.

H. Kellberg left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston, where he will enter the agricultural school.

Emil Zeh and son, Richard, left on Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls, where they spent Sunday with relatives.

Miss Florence Wrayge of Cass Lake, arrived on Friday evening and is the guest of Miss Clara Wrau, for a few days.

Alfred Franzman of Grygla, spent Saturday in this city, enroute to Crookston, where he will attend to business affairs.

Miss Jennie Folden of Holt, spent Friday in this city receiving medical treatment. She returned to her home on Saturday morning.

Miss Anna Ihle of Newfolden, spent Saturday in the city visiting with relatives, enroute to Frazee, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Mrs. Bertha Giller left on Sunday evening for St. Paul, where she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Goodman, for a month.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends here. She returned to her home at Crookston on Saturday.

Misses Thora and Ruth Wang of Badger, visited in this citly between trains on Saturday enroute to Northfield, where they attend St. Olaf college.

Misses Agnes and Livie Aake, instructors at the Northrop, spent the week-end visiting with friends at Warren. They returned to this city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tessum left on Thursday evening for the Twin Cities on a combined business and pleasure trip. They returned to this city on Monday.

Miss Margaret Murray, who spent the holidays visiting at her parental home at Duluth, returned to this city on Saturday evening to resume her duties in the public schools.

Miss Gladys Sale returned to this city on Saturday morning to resume her studies in the public schools, after a two weeks' vacation spent at her parental home at St. Hilaire.

Mrs. Anna Dock, of Thief River Falls and Mrs. T. A. Torgerson, of Greenbush, left on Saturday evening for St. Paul, where they will spend a few days as the guests of friends.

Mrs. Nels Berg, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, spent New Years visiting with relatives and friends at Rosewood. They returned to this city on Thursday evening.

Peter Mayhew arrived Friday morning from his home at Red Lake Falls, where he visited during the holidays, and will be the guest of Miss Laura Stopple, for a brief period, before returning to Minneapolis, where he is employed.

Miss Gertrude Nelson, formerly of this city but now employed in Minneapolis, arrived here on Friday morning from Katherine, where she spent a week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Nelson. While here Miss Nelson was the guest of Miss Anna Brokke. She left for Minneapolis Tuesday evening.

Miss Ellen Kalle of Alvarado, was a guest of friends here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Robinson are the proud parents of a baby boy, born on January 1.

Mrs. Ira C. Richardson left on Friday morning for Warren, where she visited with friends during the day.

Miss Sophie Bergren of Roseau, returned to her home on Saturday morning after a shopping expedition in this city.

Miss Inga Johnson of Holt, spent Monday in this city receiving medical treatment. She returned to her home on Tuesday.

Misses Alice Lee and Dorothy Loen came down from Radium on Friday evening and visited with friends until Saturday morning.

John Dystul, who has been visiting at Goodridge, spent Saturday in this city enroute to Moorhead, where he will attend school.

Miss Florence Nylander of Duluth, returned to this city Saturday evening after having passed the holidays at her parental home.

Miss Clara Sorenson, who is visiting at the home of her parents in this city, spent Thursday visiting with friends at Rosewood.

Miss Ruth Friestedt, kindergarten teacher at the Northrop, returned on Saturday evening from Duluth, where she had spent her vaction.

Peter Anderson of Lyle, Minn., who spent the holidays at the home of his uncle, T. P. Anderson, in this city, left for his home on Thursday evening.

Miss Helen Dalquist of Lancaster, was a week-end guest of Miss Louise Erickson, of this city, enroute to Moorhead, where she is attending the normal.

Clarence Murray, accompanied by his sister, Miss Esther, left on Friday morning for their home at Baudette, after a brief visit at the E. E. Aspelund home.

Harold Ellofson, who has been visiting relatives in this city, left on Friday morning for Warroad, where he will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Miss Mina Anderson of Badger, spent the latter part of last week in this city receiving treatment for her eyes. She left for her home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Edith Dahl of St. Hilaire, spent Saturday in this city as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holden. She returned to her home in the afternoon.

Miss Ella Reep, accompanied by Victor Storlie, returned to Plummer on Thursday evening, having attended the New Years dance held here the previous night.

Miss Marie Fier, who has been employed here for the past two years, left on Tuesday morning for her parental home at Middle River, where she will visit for a week.

Miss Clara Lund and brother, Harry, who are attending school in this city, returned on Saturday evening from their home at Oklee, where they visited during the holidays.

Miss Bernice Hobbs, who spent a short period visiting with her parents at Forest River, N. D., visited in this city on Tuesday enroute to Holt, where she is employed in a bank.

Misses Anna and Johanna Wedul, students in the local high school, arrived on Saturday evening from Hazel, where they spent the Christmas holidays at their parental home.

Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar, accompanied by her son, Karl, left on Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls, where they visited with relatives over Sunday. Mrs. Kretzschmar returned to this city the first of the week while the latter extended his visit with friends at Crookston until Wednesday.

Rev. Albin A. Larson left on Saturday morning for Strathcona.

O. Howard left on Friday for Crookston, where he will attend to business affairs.

Bernard Rasen left on Sunday evening for Milwaukee, where he is attending Marquette university.

P. L. Mayhew returned to Minneapolis on Sunday evening after a brief visit in this city with friends.

Rev. N. Bergland returned to this city Friday evening from Hill River, where he had been conducting funeral services.

Miss Olga Juberg of Oklee, returned to this city on Saturday evening to resume her studies at the Lincoln high school.

James Prichard left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where he will enter the agricultural department of the university.

Norhald Lawson left on Saturday morning for Duluth, at which place he will be employed during the remainder of the winter months.

Miss Stella Williams returned from Grand Forks the latter part of last week, after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Earl Doland.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Swanson left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis on their honeymoon. They expect to be absent for three or four days.

Miss Rose Lajambe of Oklee, returned to this city where she is attending school, after a week's visit with her father, at the former place.

Elmer Tandberg, who spent the holidays at his home in this city, left on Thursday evening for Northfield, where he is attending St. Olaf college.

Milden Booren, John Hendry, Paul Scanlan and Milton Lund, returned on Monday morning from Minneapolis, where they had visited with friends for a week.

Roy Miller, who has been visiting at his parental home in this city for the past two weeks, returned to Grand Forks on Monday to take up his studies at the university.

Miss Mae Bark, one of the local instructors, returned to this city on Saturday evening from Duluth, where she had spent a period of two weeks visiting at her parental home.

Miss Grace Loken left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where she will resume her duties at the McPhail school, after a two weeks' vacation spent at her parental home in this city.

Mrs. H. Olson of St. Hilaire, spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Peterson, in this city. She returned to her home on Saturday afternoon.

Eli Weston, who spent New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil E. Zeh, left for Grand Forks on Friday afternoon to be in readiness to resume his duties at the university the first of the week.

Miss Margaret Patterson, accompanied by little Jeanette Mogensen, of this city, who has been visiting at the Patterson home at St. Hilaire, arrived Friday morning. Miss Patterson returned to her home in the afternoon.

Misses Ruth Erenson and Olga Standy left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston, where they spent Sunday. Miss Standy returned to this city on Monday morning, while the former went to Grand Forks where she will be employed in one of the millinery stores.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Steen and son, returned to their home at Warroad on Tuesday after a short visit at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. L. Williams, residing near this city, and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vigness. Mr. Steen was formerly in partnership with J. Vignes in the meat business here.

B. J. Brevik, who spent Thursday and Friday in this city, returned to his home at St. Hilaire, on Friday.

Miss Alpha Werstlein returned to this city on Friday afternoon, having spent New Years with friends at Middle River.

Miss Gladys Anderson, who spent a day visiting with friends at Kennedy, returned to this city last Friday evening.

Miss Laura Hanson of Badger visited in this city between trains, on Saturday, enroute to Albert Lea, where she is employed.

Miss Clara Brink, who is employed here, returned on Saturday evening from Viking, where she had spent a few days visiting with her parents.

Alvin Tandberg, who visited at his parental home here for two weeks, left on Sunday evening for Northfield, where he is a student at St. Olaf college.

Elmer Smith came down from Lancaster on Friday evening and visited with friends, between trains, returning to his home on the early morning flyer.

Miss Marian Miller left for New Rockford, N. D., on Saturday evening where she will resume her teaching duties after a pleasant visit at her parental home.

Miss Alice Peterson, who spent the holidays at her parental home in this city, left on Saturday morning for Warren, where she is engaged in teaching in the high school.

Miss Mable Johnson returned on Saturday evening after having spent her vacation at her parental home in Bemidji. Miss Johnson is one of the teachers at the Washington school.

Miss Mattie Jenson of Clearbrook, arrived on Saturday evening and visited over Sunday with friends enroute to Roseau, where she will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Rufus Barackman left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where he is attending Macalester college. Mr. Barackman has been visiting at his parental home in this city for the past two weeks.

Ray Franceshina, who is attending the university of North Dakota, came up from Grand Forks on Tuesday and returned to that place on Friday. While in the city he was the guest of Miss Margaret Jorgenson.

Miss Josie Weeks, who has been visiting at her parental home in this city during the holidays, returned to Watertown, S. D., on Friday afternoon to resume her duties as teacher in the public school at that place.

Miss Stella Malberg, who has been visiting with her parents, who reside on a farm near Steiner, was a guest of friends in this city the latter part of last week. She left on Saturday morning for Strathcona, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Miss Evelyn Tessum left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis, where she is a student at the university, after having spent the holidays at her parental home in this city. She was accompanied by Miss Mollie Hermanson, who will visit with friends for a few days.

Miss Margaret Jorgenson visited, between trains, at her parental home at Plummer, on Saturday.

A. L. Johnson of Minneapolis, arrived Friday evening from Crookston, and will spend a week visiting with friends.

Miss Mable Lillesvo of McIntosh, left on Friday morning for Warren, after a two days' visit with friends in this city.

Miss Florence Prichard left Saturday for Tacoma, Wash., where she will engage in teaching school for the remainder of the school term.

Misses Ruth and Myrtle Oftelie, who are employed in Minneapolis, are spending a month visiting at the home of their parents in this city.

Miss Florence Sutton, who has been the guest of Miss LaVide Hilson, for the past two months, returned to her home at Portland, Ore., on Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Ures arrived from Crookston on Saturday and spent Sunday visiting with her daughter, Miss Kathleen and sister, Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

Miss Ella Miller, who has spent the past two weeks visiting at her parental home in this city, left on Saturday evening for Eveleth, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn, students in the local high school, returned to this city Saturday evening from Viking, where they visited with their parents during their vacation.

Miss Mary Von Prichard left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis, where she is attending the university, after spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Betsey Legvold, who has been visiting at her home in this city during the holidays, returned to Baker, this state, on Friday to resume her duties as instructor in the school at that place.

The Misses Laura Johnson, Thora Bergland and Olga Klungness left on Saturday afternoon for Steiner. The former is visiting at her parental home during the week, while the latter two returned here in the afternoon.

Miss Anna Longren, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Longren, during the holiday vacation, left on Friday morning for Warren, where she will visit for a day with relatives before leaving for Adams, N. D., where she is engaged in teaching school.

Miss Agnes Elg, who spent the holidays visiting at her parental home at Goodridge, spent Friday in the city as the guest of Miss Hulda Fossum, enroute to Crookston, where she visited with relatives over Sunday, leaving for Moorhead where she will resume her studies at the normal.

Miss Ruby Jenson, who has been visiting with her parents in Goodridge for the past two weeks, left on Sunday evening for South Dakota, where she is attending the South Dakota state college. She was accompanied as far as Minneapolis by her mother and brother, who will visit with friends there.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen came down from Holt Friday and spent a brief period the latter part of the week visiting with friends.

Mrs. J. Longren, who spent a few days visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Hilde, at Adams, N. D., returned to this city on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Newman of Huron, S. D., who have been visiting at the H. Best home, east of this city, returned on Friday morning for their home.

Elnor Overland returned to Northfield, where he is attending St. Olaf college, on Sunday evening. He had visited with his parents for a period of two weeks.

Miss Phillys Curtis, who spent the holidays at her parental home in this city, left on Sunday evening for Northfield, where she is attending Carleton college.

Miss Ruby Anderson left on Sunday evening for Oberlin, where she is taking up a course in music. Miss Anderson spent the past two weeks in this city as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Mrs. R. M. Sheldon returned to this city on Saturday morning from Minneapolis, where she had been visiting with relatives during the holidays. Mr. Sheldon, who visited there also, preceded her a few days.

Arne Peterson of Grygla, visited with friends in this city for a day enroute to Crookston, where he will attend business college.

Milton Weeks, accompanied by his sister, Miss Helen, left on Sunday evening for Northfield, where they are students at St. Olaf college.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson and children returned to this city on Thursday evening, after having spent New Years with relatives at Rosewood.

Rueben Aga left on Sunday evening for Northfield, where he is attending St. Olaf college, after having spent two weeks visiting at his parental home in this city.

Miss Evangeline Burns, who has been a guest at her parental home in this city during the holidays, returned to Grand Forks on Saturday to take up her duties as teacher in the public schools.

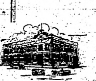

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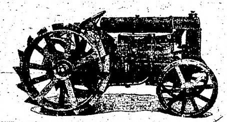

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RAILROAD NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Paine spent New Years day at Erskine.

Train Dispatcher D. G. Kuffel has been visiting with his family at Fargo, this week.

Brakeman Raymond Dugan has been granted a thirty day leave of absence.

B. Bergsten spent Sunday visiting with friends in this city.

O. R. Stavenau began work as agent at Wolfman, N. D., Thursday, taking the place of L. T. Machart, who has been granted leave of absence.

M. S. Parsons relieved Agent H. G. Kraus, at Omemee, Saturday, the latter having been called home by the illness of his brother.

Brakeman W. H. Halbert is on a two-month vacation trip which will take him through the cities of New York, Philadelphia and Chicago.

W. Alexander has been taken on as night yard clerk at Thief River Falls, the position having been left vacant by the resignation of H. S. Bothun.

F. C. Paine assumed the duties of agent at Erskine, Thursday, taking the place of F. Horns.

F. J. Gorman, formerly warehouseman at Oslo, has been transferred to Fordville, N. D., where, as cashier, he will relieve H. Jensen. Mr. Jensen is now warehouse man at Mahnomen, that position having been vacated by C. Wittensten.

N. W. Axelson, who has been employed as helper at Halma, is now transferred to Oslo, where he will resume work as warehouse man in place of T. G. Gorman.

T. D. Scanlan, night car foreman, has been forced to discontinue work on account of illness.

Carman John Cassa will leave for the state of Washington on account of bettering his health.

G. H. Husby is on an extended visit to Spokane, where he will join Mrs. Husby at her parental home.

Carman John Lindy has returned from his vacation which he spent at Minneapolis and other cities along the line.

Oscar Eggerud is at present in Detroit, Mich., spending his vacation.

George Parenteau is on a two day business trip to Noyes.

Job printing at The Times.

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Spokane, Wash., is not too far away for Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., to place its students. Pupils are accepted on the recommendation of this exceptional school all over the United States.

Miss Edith Lebo, a D. B. C., graduate, was anxious to locate in Spokane and was employed by the Great Northern R. R. on D. B. C's favorable report. Miss Mabel Boumran was recommended to and placed with the Fisk Rubber Co., Minot, N. D., as cashier.

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Local News Notes

John O. Miller of Erie is spending the week visiting his brother-in-law, Edward Lee, at Benson.

Fred Risdal of Mavie left Tuesday evening for Austin, where he will attend school.

C. M. Gillette left Saturday for the West, where he expects to remain indefinitely.

Miss Ruth Vik of Strandquist was a guest the latter part of last week at the M. C. Burns home.

Walter Seims returned to Baudette on Saturday after a brief visit with his parents.

D. J. Cordes left Wednesday afternoon to attend to business affairs at Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Larson of Alvarado spent Friday in the city enroute to Minneapolis.

Miss Augusta Larson returned to her home at Roseau on Thursday after a brief visit at the W. J. LaBree home.

Miss Mable Johnson came down from Holt on Monday to receive dental treatment. She returned to her home Tuesday morning.

Ralph Johnson and Eddie Davidson of Holt, visited in this city on Monday, returning to their homes on Tuesday.

Nick Baker returned to his home at Steiner on Tuesday after having attended to some business affairs here the first of the week.

A. F. Loken leaves this evening for Des Moines, Iowa, after a brief vacation spent at the home of his mother, Mrs. Maren Loken.

H. L. Lundin arrived in this city on New Years eve from Minneapolis, and was a guest of Miss Anna Brokke, until Sunday.

Mrs. N. E. Muzzy, who had visited for a few days with her mother, Mrs. A. Kisch, returned on Thursday to her home at Steiner.

Mrs. O. Nyborg and daughter, Miss Tillie, returned on Monday to their home at Holt after having visited in this city with friends for a few days.

Miss Volberg Sandum, who spent the holidays at her parental home in this city, left Saturday for Waseca to resume her duties as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter and daughter, Lorn, returned on Friday from Red Lake Falls, where they had visited briefly with friends.

Miss Minnie Clausen of Oslo arrived Monday evening and will remain for a week as the guest of her aunt, Miss Christine Clausen.

Miss Laura Wold of Highlanding was in the city Monday enroute to Rugby, N. D., where she is teaching school. Miss Wold is a former student of the local high school.

Mrs. Katherine Schmitt of Red Lake Falls, who had been a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. McGinnity, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to visit friends for a short while.

Mrs. Agnes Warring returned to her home at Steiner on Thursday after having made a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Farr, Jr., and son left Wednesday afternoon for their home in Minneapolis, after visiting during the holidays with the former's parents.

Severin Eberhardt left on Friday for Montevideo, where he is employed as draftsman, after enjoying a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Eberhardt.

Miss Ruth Bamford, accompanied by her young nephew, left Wednesday morning for Detroit, where she will be joined by her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Francis, who have made an extended trip through the East, and together will continue the trip to the Francis home at Portland, Ore. Miss Bamford will remain at Portland for two months.

New Books at the Library.

Among the new books for young people we find the following:

"Under the Yankee Ensign," by Ralph Barbour. A rattling good story of a boy who enlists in the American Navy in the great war.

"Lad—A Dog," by Albert Paysone Terhune. If you love dogs, read it and enjoy yourself. If you never owned a dog, read it and learn to understand what the fellowship and love of a dog can mean.

The Boy Scouts Book of Stories, by Mathiews. Contains selections from the master story: "Tillers of America and England," "Mark Twain," "Stevenson," "O. Henry," "Conan Doyle," etc.

"Ramsey Milholland," by Booth Tarkington. Another story of the eternal boy.

In the adult section a few of the interesting new ones are:

"A Woman's Woman," by Nalbro Bartley. Probably one of the best works of fiction of the past year.

"When the World Shook," by Rider Haggard. The story of shipwreck on an unchartered island in the South Sea.

"The Starling," by Juliet Wilbor Tompkins. One of this popular author's best tales.

Representative One Act Plays, by American Authors. Contains 24 representative one-act plays which have been produced in little theatres.

"Fighters For Peace," by Mary Parkman. Gathered in this volume are accurate and entertaining biographies of 12 soldiers and statesmen who became famous during the great war.

Obituary

Beulah Jessie Correll.

Beulah Jessie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Correll, died at the local hospital on Jan. 4. Her life was of short duration as she passed to the better land on the same day she was born. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Smith of the M. E. church, to which organization the parents belong. The interment took place Jan. 5 in Greenwood cemetery. The family has the heartfelt sympathy of many friends in this bereavement. At last accounts Mrs. Correll was doing nicely as could be expected after the trying ordeal through which she had passed.

J. O. Thorstad.

J. O. Thorstad passed away on Jan. 1, at his home in this city, death coming as the result of a tumor from which he had suffered for some time. The deceased was born in Norway on Dec. 16, 1857, making his age at the time of his death 62 years. When four years old he came to this country and has for the past fifteen years been a resident of this county, coming here from the state of Iowa. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. N. Skogerboe, formerly pastor in this city, but now residing at Erskine, at Trinity Lutheran church in this city. Deceased leaves a wife and six children, three boys and three girls, to mourn his departure. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery on January 3.

The City Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The deacons will conduct the meetings. Services at Bethlehem at 11 a. m. Bethlehem congregation will have their business meeting on Saturday at 2 p. m. The confirmants will meet immediately after the meeting. The confirmants of the city meet every Saturday at 2 p. m. at the parsonage. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Zion Young Peoples society meet on Thursday evening at 8 p. m. Ladies Aid will meet on Thursday afternoon, Jan. 15.

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Good music under the direction of Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher. Simple gospel sermons are the attraction on next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. All are welcome. Prayer meeting on Thursday. These meetings will be better for your interest and presence.

First Sw. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. in the Swedish language. Services at 7:30 p. m. in the American language. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Scan. Ev. Luth. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services Sunday, the 11th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Monday at 7:30 p. m. the yearly business meeting of the church will be held. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. a special Bible message. You are cordially welcome.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Meetings for public worship are held each Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. On Jan. 11 the subject for both meetings will be "The Reality and Power of Prayer." Mrs. H. E. Edberg is organist and director of the choir. Mrs. Edberg will provide a full program of special music at both meetings, the special feature being a ladies' quartette. Everyone is invited to the services. Sunday school at 10 a. m., Miss Effie Hamry, superintendent. Juniors at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Bible study begins with John 1:2. Meetings for prayer at the church continue on Thursday and Friday evenings.

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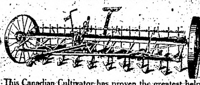

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Financial Statement of the Condition of

The First National Bank

Thief River Falls, Minn.,

At the Close of Business Dec. 31, 1919.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$652,898.05	Capital	$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts	168.46	Surplus	20,000.00
U. S. Government and Liberty Bonds	147,700.00	Undivided Profits	34,710.48
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	2,100.00	Circulating Notes	48,100.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	52,946.37	Deposits	821,696.93
Adjoining Building	15,000.00		
Other Real Estate	10,528.91		
Cash on Hand and in Banks	93,165.62		
	$974,507.41		$974,507.41

A HOME BANK FOR HOME PEOPLE

BANK NO. 1135.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF
The Goodridge State Bank
At Close of Business on Dec. 31, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$102,762.94
Overdrafts			137.63
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			250.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			6,894.61
Other Real Estate			500.00
Due from other Banks		$19,979.81	
Cash on Hand		1,505.59	
Cur.	$3,775.00		
Gold	180.00		
Silver	398.13		
Other	52.84		
Total Cash Assets			21,485.03
Checks and Cash Items			3,206.05
Total			$142,337.19

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		1,500.00
Undivided Profits, Net		3,152.03
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 55,219.68	
Cashier's Checks	1,231.03	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 56,450.71	
Time Certificates	71,234.45	
Total Deposits	$127,685.16	127,685.16
Total		$142,337.19
Amount of Reserve on hand		$27,652.01
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		10,335.80

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, H. S. Dahlen, President and J. P. Jensen, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. S. DAHLEN, President.
J. P. JENSEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (two) Directors—
H. S. DAHLEN.
H. P. SPONHEIM.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Jan. 1920.
(Seal) DORA HOLMES.
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires June 23, 1922.

WE ask your considerate attention to the figures shown in this statement for it indicates not only the strength and security provided here for our customers, but also the measure of confidence reposed in the bank by the many people who do their business with us.

We offer the people financial service complete in every detail and of the highest character.

H. S. DAHLEN
President

J. P. JENSEN
Cashier

THEO. TANDBERG
Asst. Cashier

Goodridge State Bank

Capital, Surplus and Profits $17,600.00

See us about your Farm Loans

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BANK NO. 1385
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF
The First and Peoples State Bank
At Thief River Falls, at Close of Business on Dec. 31st, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$578,160.98
Overdrafts			712.16
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			5,668.60
Bonds and Securities other than those of U. S.			29,275.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			11,355.16
Other Real Estate			51,903.50
Checks and Drafts in Transit			19,051.64
Due from other Banks		$ 60,343.21	
Cash on Hand		17,751.55	
Cur.	$12,452.00		
Gold	1,020.00		
Silver	4,008.88		
Other	269.67		
Total Cash Assets			78,094.76
Checks and Cash Items			9,171.17
Insurance Account			526.35
Total			$796,949.32

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock		$ 75,000.00
Surplus Fund		15,000.00
Undivided Profits		10,924.03
Deposits Subject to Check	$226,566.52	
Certified Checks	2,000.00	
Cashier's Checks	11,712.11	
Due to Banks	15,081.70	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$255,161.66	
Savings Deposits	16,785.31	
Time Certificates	260,074.32	
Total Deposits	$696,025.29	696,025.29
Total		$796,949.32
Amount of Reserve on Hand		$78,094.76
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		51,762.47

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, H. S. Dahlen, Vice President and R. M. Sheldon, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. S. DAHLEN, Vice President.
R. M. Sheldon, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (two) Directors—
HALVOR LOKEN.
CARL B. LARSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1920.
(Seal.) THEO. M. THRONSON,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Sept. 11, 1925.

THIS statement indicates the sound financial condition of this institution. It is conclusive evidence of the full confidence which the public reposes in our SECURITY and SERVICE to our depositors.

We would like to demonstrate to you the very satisfactory SERVICE we render our customers and the personal interest we take in all their affairs.

By becoming a customer of this Bank now you, too, will enjoy the advantages of our SERVICE and participate in the benefits of our "Safety-First" banking methods.

First and Peoples State Bank

Capital and Surplus $100,000.00

Richard M. Skaug.

Funeral services over the remains of Richard M. Skaug, a pioneer resident of Polk county, were held at the Beltrami church, Rev. Otterstad of Beltrami and Rev. P. E. Moen of Crookston conducting the ceremonies.

Mr. Skaug died at a Crookston hospital. He was born at Bodo, Norway, on Sept. 23, 1847, and came to America in 1879. In 1880 he took a homestead two miles northeast of Beltrami and resided there until 1917, when the farm was sold to one of his sons. He removed to Beltrami. Mr. Skaug is survived by a widow, Marit Skaug, Julius Skaug, an attorney of Mobridge, S. D., Mrs. Oscar J. Peterson of Thief River Falls, Carl J. of Los Angeles, M. Reis, who operated the home farm, Mrs. Herbert Lazier of Thief River Falls and Paul H., who but recently returned from army service.

The deceased was a member of the Norwegian Lutheran church and took a prominent part in its activities. His will provides that one seventh of his estate goes to the various funds of the church with which he was so intimately associated during his lifetime.—Crookston Times.

Miss Myrtle Berg returned to her duties as teacher in the school at Bijou on Monday morning after a two weeks' vacation spent in visiting with her mother, Mrs. Inga Berg.

KRATKA

Carl Gullingsrud, Torbjorn Waale and Joseph Johnson left Saturday for Crookston, where they attend the agricultural college.

Anna and Ingval Knutson visited at the J. Ulvild home Saturday.

Emma and Clarence Syrtvedt of Rhoda visited at the A. Haugen home on Christmas day.

Signe, Ingeborg and Valla Bjornson, Hazel and Burton Aarness, Stella and Gustaf Thompson and Sophie and Genette Solheim all returned to Thief River Falls Monday to attend high school.

Sidney Hemmestvedt shot a wolf last Saturday.

John Stallemo of Fisher visited at A. Haugen's, K. Norgaard's and G. Olson's during Christmas.

Miss Gunhild Haugen returned to Rhoda Suday to resume her school duties.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hemmestvedt visited at Iver Solheim's on Sunday.

A birthday party was given at the Thompson home last Saturday in honor of Misses Stella Thompson and Ingeborg Bjornson.

MAVIE

Hello everybody. Mavie is still on the map as wide awake as ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Skaar entertained at dinner at their home near Mavie, on New Years day. The guests were, ~~Mr. and Mrs. Seme and family.~~

Miss Florence Burns, who has been visiting near Goodridge during the vacation, returned Friday. She also visited for a few days with her friends, Misses Rose and Clara Oski.

Mr. Stork visited at the Charles Horton home New Years night and left a baby boy.

Charlie Ptacek was a business caller at Mavie, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Anna Kotlan entertained about eighteen of her friends at her home on Saturday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and dancing. At midnight a delicious lunch was served. The event was in compliment to John Kotlan of Nottingham, Sask., Canada, who has been a house guest at the Ed. Kotlan home.

Mr. Stein returned from Waterloo, Iowa, Friday, where he has been the last week. He went to attend the funeral services of his mother.

Miss Elina Anenson, who has been spending the holidays at her home, returned to Thief River Falls Monday to resume her studies in the high school.

A number of the young folks of Mavie went to Thief River Falls last Wednesday to attend the New Years dance. They remained in town and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Houfek, New Years day, returning in the evening.

Peter Lendobja went to Thief River Falls last Tuesday to transact business for the day. He returned the following day.

Several of the young folks of Mavie went up in the Mavie hall New Years night, and had a little enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Rued, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kotlan, Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager, Miss Stella Burdick, Norman Stenberg and John Banner, made a pleasant surprise on Mr. S. Stenberg, New Years eve. The evening was spent in playing cards and at midnight a delicious lunch was served, which was brought by the ladies.

Tom Breznay transacted business in Mavie, between trains, last Thursday.

Miss Anna Lendobja went to Duluth, last Tuesday, where she will remain for an indefinite time.

Miss Clara Oski, who has been visiting with her sister, near Rhoda, for the past two weeks, returned to her home last Saturday.

Archie Brown visited at the Kotlan home, Saturday and Sunday. He came from near Goodridge, where he has been for some time.

Elias Stokke of Silverton township and Miss Gerda Ulvild, of Cloverleaf township, were united in marriage on January 2nd at the Lutheran parsonage near Mavie, Rev. Bjornson officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Stokke went to Thief River Falls Saturday, where they will remain for a few days.

Miss Olga Svensgaard was in Mavie a few hours New Years day to get the mail, and a few groceries.

Miss Marie Lundberg and Miss Mamie Zavoral, of Thief River Falls, visited with Miss Lillie Hineck, last Saturday. They returned on the evening train.

John Kotlan and Archie Brown left Tuesday morning for Bemidji, where they will remain for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. Sivert Brekke were guests at the Holmen home, New Years day.

We will now have a new storekeeper in Mavie as Mr. Sandum of Thief River Falls has purchased the Anderson store.

A number of the Mavie young people gathered at the Oski home last Sunday evening. The evening was spent in playing cards. The evening ended with a light lunch, and all reported a good time.

Florence Burns, Clara and Rose Oski, returned to Thief River Falls last Monday to resume their studies in the high school.

Oliver Holmen spent a few hours in Mavie New Years day to attend to business affairs.

Charles Horton drove to Thief River Falls last Saturday to transact business.

Olga, Dagney and Julius Svensgaard visited at the Ptacek home on New Years night.

Alice Hruby, who has been at her home during the holidays, returned to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Norman Stenberg drove to Thief River Falls last Monday to transact business.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan, Jr., spend Sunday in Thief River Falls, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Houfek.

BANK NO. 448
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

Of Thief River Falls, at Close of Business on December 31st, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$655,561.87
Overdrafts			43.87
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			54,106.40
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			24,000.00
Other Real Estate			26,600.00
Due from other Banks		$ 49,043.60	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$11,463.00		
Gold	990.00		
Silver	3,366.40		
Other	335.92		
Total Cash Assets			65,197.92
Checks and Cash Items			9,612.33
Total			$835,122.39

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund		10,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		10,840.20
Deposits Subject to Check	$218,729.69	
Demand Certificates	107.50	
Certified Checks	53.08	
Cashier's Checks	28,425.30	
Due to Banks	29,206.99	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$276,522.44	
Savings Deposits	27,819.34	
Time Certificates	459,216.35	
Total Deposits	$762,558.03	762,558.03
Other Liabilities		1,724.16
Total		$835,122.39
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 74,810.25
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		57,484.46

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Olaf. Ramstad, President and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

OLAF RAMSTAD, President.
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (two) Directors—
A. M. LANGSETH.
RASMUS OEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Jan. 1920.
(SEAL.) C. W. VORACHEK,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires Dec. 20th, 1924.

BANK NO. 1015
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers State Bank of Goodridge

Goodridge, Minn., at Close of Business on December 31st, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$141,351.74
Overdrafts			527.47
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			3,029.09
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			6,645.00
Other Real Estate			348.92
Checks and Drafts in Transit			205.48
Due from other Banks		$ 10,501.23	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$2,552.00		
Gold	30.00		
Silver	279.20		
Other	70.40		
Total Cash Assets			13,332.83
Checks and Cash Items			1,289.09
Total			$166,719.72

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		3,095.31
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		5,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 59,252.30	
Cashier's Checks	1,600.43	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 60,852.73	
Savings Deposits	219.82	
Time Certificates	85,551.86	
Total Deposits	$146,624.41	146,624.41
Total		$166,719.72
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 14,317.50
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		11,579.92

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, J. M. Bishop, President and Nick Bundhund, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. M. BISHOP, President.
NICK BUNDHUND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (two) Directors—
M. G. THORESON.
JAY PAYNE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Jan., 1920.
(SEAL.) H. B. ROCKNE,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires March 10th, 1923.

BANK NO. 1234
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

Hazel, Minn., at Close of Business on December 31st, 1919.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$ 83,416.26
Overdrafts			94.86
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			125.25
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,367.93
Other Real Estate			1,830.55
Due from other Banks		$ 11,082.36	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$1,953.00		
Gold	42.50		
Silver	131.30		
Other	77.86		
Total Cash Assets			13,287.02
Checks and Cash Items			467.24
Total			$103,589.10

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		1,543.08
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		7,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 20,261.84	
Cashier's Checks	719.97	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 20,981.81	
Savings Deposits	2,619.67	
Time Certificates	59,444.54	
Total Deposits	$ 83,046.02	83,046.02
Total		$103,589.10
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 13,287.02
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		5,490.03

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Paul Borgie, Vice President and E. C. Karwand, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President.
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (two) Directors—
OLE ODEGAARD.
T. L. MELGAARD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Jan., 1920.
(SEAL.) C. W. VORACHEK,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Dec. 20, 1924.

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AUCTION SALE

The following described personal property will be sold at public auction at the Ramstad Livery Barn, Thief River Falls, commencing at 1:00 o'clock, on

MONDAY, JAN. 12

One bay horse, 9 years old, weight 1400.
One bay mare, 8 years old, weight 1450.
One bay horse, 7 years old, weight 1350.
Team of horses, 6 and 8 years old, weight 1500 and 1600.
One team, 5 and 6 years old, weight 1500 each.
One team, 7 and 8 years old, weight 1025 and 1250.
One red cow, 6 years old.
One red cow, 4 years old.
One John Deere sulky plow.
One breaking attachment.
One Deering hay rake.
One set heavy sleighs.
Three sets of bob sleighs.
One heavy farm wagon with triple box.
One top buggy.
One buggy pole.
One Moline drill, 20 double disc, new.
One Moline gang plow, new.
One DeLaval cream separator.
Two 8-gallon cream cans.
Three log chains.
One set heavy breeching harness.
Four sets good heavy harness.
One single harness.
Three horse collars.
One riding sadle and riding bridle.
Two sets heavy horse blankets.
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE

All sums under $10, cash; on sums over that amount time will be given until Nov. 1, 1920, on bankable paper bearing 10 per cent interest.

Lauris Olson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

Thief River Falls, Minn.

"The Home Bank With a Personal Service"

THIS Bank opened for business March 25, 1918. The following are the statements showing the increase of business of the bank:

May 1, 1918

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$ 23,674.40	Capital Stock	$ 25,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,582.20	Surplus	5,000.00
Cash and Cash Items	43,196.33	Deposits	36,871.48
		Other Liabilities	2,581.45
	$ 69,452.93		$ 69,452.93

December 31, 1918

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$128,639.57	Capital Stock	$ 25,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	4,033.98	Surplus	5,000.00
Cash and Cash Items	37,321.53	Deposits	139,978.09
		Other Liabilities	16.99
	$169,995.08		$169,995.08

December 31, 1919

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$265,047.85
Overdrafts		64.70
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		422.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		5,794.58
Due from other Banks	$ 20,242.46	
Currency	$2,379.00	
Gold	160.00	
Silver	768.65	
Other	3,367.70	
Total Cash Assets		26,917.81
Checks and Cash Items		4,652.36
Total		$302,899.30

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		5,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		16.99
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		$ 15,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$111,432.76	
Cashier's Checks	9,641.73	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$121,074.49	
Savings Deposits	11,384.95	
Time Certificates	123,476.84	
Total Deposits	$255,936.28	255,936.28
Other Liabilities		1,946.03
Total		$302,899.30
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 31,570.17
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		21,272.01

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. We, R. McGinn, President and L. A. Lampert, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: (two) Directors—
JOHN Q. CRONKHITE.
LOUIS DeCREMER.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1920.
(Seal) EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires April 2, 1925.

SUPERINTENDENT IS OUT WITH FACTS

Hansen Gains 18 Pounds and Troubles End After Taking Tanlac.

"I have gained eighteen pounds and am still gaining at the rate of one-half pound a day as the result of taking Tanlac," said William M. Hansen, well known superintendent of the Superior Electrical Mfg. Co., of Minneapolis, Minn., in talking of his remarkable recovery from stomach trouble and rheumatism.

"I had stomach trouble and rheumatism for seven years and got so bad off that I could scarcely eat enough to keep alive and my wife often had to help me when I dressed because I could not lift my hands as high as my shoulders," he continued. "One or two mouthfuls at mealtimes would nauseate me so I would have to leave the table and I suffered with spells of indigestion that almost doubled me up with pain. My stomach would almost fill with gas and I would bloat so that I would nearly suffocate. The gasses' pressing up against my heart made me so awful faint that I could hardly breathe. My back and head would hurt and ache terribly and rheumatic pains would shoot from one portion of my body to another until sometimes I was almost wild. I spent hundreds of dollars on doctors and medicines and for months at a time lived on cereals and dry toast, but nothing gave me even temporary relief. I sent clear to New York for one special medicine but it, like the others, failed to do me any good. I kept losing in weight and steadily grew worse and worse. I got so nervous I could sleep only a few hours at night and in the morning I would get up so tired and fagged out I could hardly put one foot before the other. My condition got so bad I thought I would have to quit work altogether.

"I commenced to pick up in weight and improve with the very first bottle of Tanlac. My rheumatism and indigestion began to leave me almost immediately and now, since taking six bottles, both are entirely gone. I can eat anything I want as often as I want it and never have the least trouble in digesting what I eat. As the old saying is, 'I can eat like a horse and sleep like a log,' and I get up in the mornings feeling fresh and fine. As I have said before I have gained eighteen pounds in weight and am still gaining. Tanlac has done all this for me, so no wonder I give it my unqualified endorsement."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store.—Adv.

Hospital Notes.

The following have entered the local hospital for treatment since Jan. 1: John Larson, Strathcona; Mrs. C. W. Correll, Kratka; Ruby Burstad, city; F. Christianson, Plummer; Elias Lund, Clearbrook; Merlyn Robinson, Oslo; Chas. Heden, city; John Granwold, Holt; A. Holte, Fisher; L. H. Moe, Pelican Rapids; Selmer Dahl, Golden Valley; Mrs. H. Aga, city; Palmer Stuverud, Kratka; Lydia Tooholn, city; Mrs. H. S. Schuster, city; Mrs. Soards, city; Clara Dvergsted, Greenbush; Douglas Olson, Goodridge.

The Times, $2 per year.

STEINER

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hieder called at the J. Meyer home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson gave a seven o'clock dinner last Friday. There was about thirty young people present and they all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers visited at the H. G. Borden home last Sunday.

Miss Ella Meyer, who has been home during the holidays, returned to her work last Friday at the Brumund hotel.

Miss Ruth Solem, who has been teaching school near Newfolden, returned home to spend the vacation.

Miss Ruth Martin of Montana, has been spending the past week at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Russell.

SANDERS

Arthur Hanson made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Henry Sevre, who is employed at Angus, spent a few days visiting with friends and relatives at Sanders.

Alfred Olsen and Oscar Sevre called at the Gust Johnson home last Tuesday evening.

Misses Nada and Aleda Olsen, who have been visiting with their sister Mrs. Elmer Hanson, returned home last Sunday.

Last Sunday a party was given by John Seaverson. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ruud and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sevre and family, Misses Nada and Aleda Olsen. The evening was spent with a jolly old time.

Elmer Hanson called at the Alfred Olsen home last Sunday.

A crowd of young folks spent last Sunday evening at Eric Anderson's home.

Miss Emma Sevre, who is attending school at Thief River Falls, is visiting with relatives in Sanders.

ROCKSBURY

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Anton and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Garnet visited at the Gust Geske home New Years day.

Some of the young folks gathered at the Wm. Moeller home last Friday. Those present were, Misses Mayme and Elsie Rondorf, Anna and Eda Koop, Adeline and Katie Anton, and Dora Timm. Roy Rondorf, Fred and Henry Koop, Christoph and Lorenz Anton, Carl, Ernest and Avold Hohner, Carl Zinter and Richard Timm. The evening was spent in playing games. At midnight a lunch was served.

Elmer Eastman made a flying trip to Thief River Falls Friday.

Miss Anna Koop visited with Miss Florence Robbecke over Sunday.

Christ Garnet visited at the Hans Anton home last Friday.

Wm. Moeller and Fred Koop attended the annual stock holders meeting of the Farmers and Merchant State bank of Thief River Falls last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Merkens of Ruso, N. D., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Matthees.

A bunch of young folks visited at the Hans Anton home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crown visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Anderson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koop and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zinter, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Engelbart, New Years day.

Here I am again and hope to stay with you all year.

Some of the neighbors attended the Farmers Mutual Telephone company meeting Friday. Henry Koop, Sr., was elected vice president, and F. T. Satre on the board of directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moeller visited with Mrs. Christpoher Wilken, one night last week, who is ill at present.

Some of the neighbors attended the funeral of J. O. Thorstad last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geske and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Anderson and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moeller and family New Years day.

Miss Hattie Zarbach and Miss Rose Fogt of Parkers Prairie, left last Thursday, after a few days' visit with their friends, Miss Hattie Zinter.

Arthur Zinter left last Thursday for St. Paul, where he intends to be employed for a short time.

Misses Adeline, Katie and Louise Anton and Christopher and Lorenz Anton, visited at the A. E. Anderson home Sunday.

Ed. Timm and Carl Zinter visited with Wm. Moeller last Saturday evening.

Emil Zinter left for Parkers Prairie last Thursday.

Henry Randorf made a trip to Thief River Falls Sunday, taking his daughter, Miss Elsie there, who is a student in the high school.

August Moeller visited at the Henry Koop home last Sunday.

Theodore Garnet is busy hauling hay at present.

GERMANTOWN

Hans Dahl was a business caller at Goodridge, one day last week.

Misses Bessie and Gladys Roller were Germantown callers last Friday.

Annie and Edwin Rosett, and Olga and Clara Overby, were guests at the L. Bendickson home last Thursday.

Miss Mildred Nelson was a Germantown caller last Saturday.

Miss Julia Johnson spent a few days of last week in Thief River Falls, returning home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aandahl and son, Arlo, visited at the D. Dau home last Saturday.

The dance given at the Overby home last Wednesday was well attended and all present reported a fine time.

Ben Habedank called at the Strubel home last Thursday afternoon.

Susie and Lars Lindvick and Mr. Sattin visited at the Henry Roller home last Friday evening.

Miss Olga Overby, after visiting at her home for a week, returned to Jelle on Saturday to resume her duties.

Miss Sophie Johnson returned to Thief River Falls Monday after having spent a few days at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller delightfully entertained a number of their friends last Saturday evening. All present reported a splendid time.

Hans Dahl called at the L. Bendickson home last Saturday evening.

Benard Bendickson was a Mavie caller one day last week.

John Ristau visited at the D. Dau home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ristau, spent Sunday evening at the F. Kainz home.

ROSEWOOD

The annual Christmas tree festival of the Rindal church, was held last Tuesday evening and was by far the largest entertainment of its kind in the vicinity, over 150 persons being in attendance. A well selected program was given by the youngsters of the community, and a twelve voiced choir sang a number of beautiful songs. Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls, was present and delivered a short speech. Bags containing apples, candy and nuts were distributed to all present, and hundreds of Christmas gifts were delivered to friends, neighbors and relatives.

Another Soldiers' Homecoming celebration was staged at the Rindal church last Thursday afternoon and brought an audience of over 100. All service men within the town wore their uniforms and were the guests of honor. Speeches were made by Rev. Larson, John Batten and Edw. Silverness, beside several juvenile recitations. The song choir sang two songs. Lunch was served before closing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm have as guests this week, Miss Ellen Holm and Mrs. Oswald Hellerud, both of Twin Valley.

Mrs. A. T. Thoreson is this week entertaining a sister from Ada.

John Sorenson left last Friday evening for Kansas City, where he will attend an automobile school this winter.

Emil Evenson from Montana, is *visiting with the Mellem folks*, south of town, this week.

E. A. Silverness has been appointed census enumerator for the town of New Solum.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Anita, returned on Saturday from a visit at Thief River Falls, and spent the day here as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

Selmer Severson of Thief River Falls, spent a few days the latter part of the week visiting at the A. C. Vorseth home.

Miss Hannah Helquist left last Saturday for Viking, where she will visit at the Flodstrom home over Sunday.

Little Henrietta Helquist of Thief River Falls, arrived on Friday morning and will visit with the Helquist people for a couple of days.

Misses Laura and Ethel Krohn returned on Thursday morning from Thief River Falls, where they had been visiting with friends for a week.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson left last Saturday for the Twin Cities, where he will spend a ten days' vacation with friends.

Matt Rafteseth and Axel Bloom spent Sunday at Thief River Falls visiting and shopping.

Mrs. John Sorenson of Thief River Falls has been visiting with relatives in this vicinity during the past week.

Students Henry Stengleson, Henry Sagmoen and Chester Dols returned to Thief River Falls the latter part of the week to take up their school work.

Mrs. A. Stroble and daughter returned to their home at Angus, last Wednesday after a five days' visit north of town.

Mrs. P. N. Pederson left on Tuesday morning for a visiting and shopping tour at Warren.

Mrs. Johanna Nylus, Olof Nyhus, Elry Berg, Mrs. S. Brandon and Mr. and Mrs. Cobb and Miss Myrtle Berg, of Thief River Falls, arrived here on Tuesday morning to visit at the S. Swenson home.

Miss LaVon Batten returned on Tuesday morning from Minneapolis, where she had been visiting with her brother, Waldo Batten and family.

Adolph Rafteseth left on Tuesday morning for Warren, where he will seek employment.

Matt Rafteseth was at Oslo Tuesday to look after his work. He rereturned in the evening.

Miss Ruth Ranum left last Saturday for Warren, where she will visit for some time.

Ben Blume of Zealand, Minn., who has purchased a farm northwest of this place, arrived on Tuesday with two carloads of stock and farm implements and will go to farming at once. His family will arrive in a few days.

Mrs. Bertha Saugen of Steiner, was in town last Saturday enroute to Warren, where she will attend to matters of business for a few days.

L. L. Furan, John Sagmoen, Olof Opseth and E. P. Johnson, were among the business callers at Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Lyceum Theatre THE THEATRE OF QUALITY

Thursday, Jan. 8—Special!
"THE GIRL OF YOUR DREAMS"
ELSIE HAMMERSTEIN, in
"THE COUNTRY COUSIN"

From the famous stage success by Booth Tarkington and Julian Street. The story of youth and romance. Don't miss it. Also Comedy.

Friday, Jan. 9—By Special Request.
The American Beauty, KATHERINE McDONALD
In
"THE THUNDERBOLT"

Hating his beautiful wife long before he had seen her—marrying her to make sure she would be the last of the family, denying to her the right of motherhood—this unnatural husband's unique revenge was frustrated by the providence that watches over mothers. See the romance, the strongest marriage on record. Also Comedy.

Saturday, Jan. 10—Special.
Dainty MARGUERITE CLARK, in
"A GIRL NAMED MARY"

The story of a girl who found more love than she wanted. It's full of laughter, love and tears.

EXTRA—2-reel Mack-Sennet Comedy
"HER BLIGHTED LOVE"

TWO BIG DAYS
Sunday and Monday, Jan. 11 and 12—
An All Star Cast including HENRY B. WALTHALL
In
"THE CONFESSION"

"The Confession" involves a theme never before attempted. Overwhelming in its sympathy, beautiful in its love, tense in its dramatic power, it is the most powerful drama ever screened. If you want to see a master piece don't miss seeing this stupendous production. Also Comedy.

Added Attraction: 6-piece Orchestra.
Matinee: 2:30—11c and 25c
Evening: 7:30 and 9:10—15c and 30c.

Tuesday, Jan. 13—Double Show.
Popular Madge Kennedy, in
"DAUGHTER OF MINE"

A story that will appeal to every one. Full of action, thrills and surprises. Added Attraction: A 2-reel Western Drama. Also Kinnogram News which in fifteen minutes takes you around the world. Don't miss this big variety show. It's different. You'll like it.

Wednesday, Jan. 14—One Day Only.
Beautiful ENID BENNET, in
"THE WOMAN IN THE SUIT CASE"

She advertised for a live young man to show her the "sights" of New York. Then she went the rounds. At length she met the woman who was wrecking her home and—you'll want to see what happened after that. Extra! Mack Swain in a New Keystone Comedy.

Watch for "THE MIRACLE MAN"
COMING: The Biggest Outdoor Picture ever produced—"BACK TO GOD'S COUNTRY." Watch For Date.

SHIP YOUR Hides Furs ETC TO
Deal Direct with the Largest and Oldest House in the West
Established 1887
Highest Prices and Immediate Cash Returns. Write for price list, tags and full information.
D. BERGMAN & CO.
ST. PAUL-MINN.

Laborers and Cooks
WANTED!
APPLY AT THE OFFICE
Minneapolis Bridge Co.
Atlantic Ave. North and 9th St.

LOCAL MARKETS

Corrected every Thursday Morning

GRAIN.	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.91
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.86
Oats	.73
Flax	4.59
Barley	1.28
Rye	1.60
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.80
Bran	2.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.75
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.35
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled Hay, cwt	1.00
POULTRY.	
Old Roosters	14 to 15
Geese, alive, per lb	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.22
Spring Chickens	.13

Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.13
Hens, light	.10
PRODUCE.	
Eggs	.55
Dairy Butter	.60
Creamery Butter	.70
Cow Hides, per lb	13-15
Horse Hides	5-6
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET.	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb	12 to 14
Lamb, dressed, per lb	15 to 16
LIVE STOCK.	
Sheep, per lb	.05
Steers, per lb	6 to 7
Calves, per lb	7 to 8
Cows	5 to 6½
Lamb, per lb	8 to 9

THE PRINCESS
SATURDAY, THE BIG DAY
TAYLOR HOLMES, who starred in "A Pair of Sixes"
In
Divorce yourself from worry and care—Come and see Taylor Holmes as Mr. Pim in "Upside Down."
Second Chapter of
"SMASHING BARRIERS"
"The PLUNGE OF DEATH"
Starring William Duncan
The thrills in this chapter are unbelievable. Train Wrecks, Bridge Washaways, and many other thrilling events.
And a Comedy.
Matinee: 2:30. Evening: 7:30 and 9:15

THE PRINCESS
The House of Guaranteed Attractions
BIG DOUBLE PROGRAM SUNDAY and MONDAY

Mary Miles Minter
Realart Pictures

The dainty little star you love---
In Her First Realart Picture
"Anne of Green Gables"
Under the personal direction of William Desmond Taylor, formerly director of Mary Pickford. You will like Mary Miles Minter in "Anne of Green Gables." Brings laughter and tears. You'll need them, and you'll need to hold your sides, too, to keep from splitting over the antics of "Orphan" Anne. But then, she has a serious side also, and well the villagers knew it, especially the Pie Family. "Anne of Green Gables" is a family picture. Bring them all along. You will all like it.
And as Added Attraction
The De Luxe Edition of the Chaplin Classics presents
CHARLIE CHAPLIN
In the
"VAGABOND"
Special Music
Matinee: 2:30—11c and 20c
Evening: 7:30—15c and 25c

THE PRINCESS
"The House of Individuality"

Today and Friday
BLANCHE SWEET
Supported By
Wilfred Lucas and Spottiswood Aitkin and an All Star Cast including 2,000 Zulus
In
"A Woman of Pleasure"
A seven part special production showing, Savage Masona Lands, In the Wilds of South Africa, The Naked Zulu Imps on the war trail.
A brave band of Whites guarding the mine. Koni, brother of the Chief Cetygoola, is treacherously shot by the mine owner and the Chief swears vengeance. See the escape of Lady Turnbull, wife of the mine owner in a baloon.
And a Fox News Weekly
With Special Music. Matinee Thursday At 2:30—11c and 20c. Evening: 7:30—15c and 25c

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LEGAL NOTICES

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by O. L. Ihle, President, at eight o'clock P. M. Dec. 23rd, 1919.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Benson, Olson, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: Brumund.

Minutes of the meeting of Dec. 9th, 1919, and adjourned regular meeting of Dec. 16th, 1919, were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the appointment of Chas. Swartz to membership in the Fire Department, to take the place of W. J. LaBree, resigned, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Benson, seconded by Brandon, that the application of Shanahan and Sheedy for pool hall license be laid on the table. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Olson, that the City Clerk be instructed at once to notify Holt & George that they furnish a bond in connection with their contract for sewer and water connections, not later than Dec. 31st, 1919, or the contract will be cancelled. Motion carried.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution requesting the Public Examiner to send a deputy to examine the books and records of the City. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Benson, seconded by Alderman Brandon, offered a resolution authorizing the payment of $600.00 to Theo. Quale, for services as City Attorney. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Council adjourn until eight o'clock P. M. Tuesday, Dec. 30th, 1919. Motion carried and the Council adjourned.

O. L. IHLE,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Dec. 23rd, 1919, Alderman A. K. Olson, seconded by Alderman Carl Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's Payroll	$291.20
L. D. McAdams, repair of Fire Barn	146.25
Paul Midderigh, fire warden services	24.50
Bernt Wold, special police	40.80
Holt & George, sewer pipe	4.55
(AB) Fred Stensrud, to Water & Light Dept., special police	39.00
P. J. Bottem, supplies	3.00
Local Improvement Fund.	
James E. Walker, engineering services	15.00
Auditorium Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight	[illegible]
L. M. Johnson, drayage	9.75
S. O. Quammen, coal	66.30
Spring Handle Co., T. paper	6.38
Poor Fund.	
A. E. Zellmer, groceries, (allowed at)	45.00
Louis DeCremer, meats	8.44
Peter Engelstad, wood	14.00
Library Fund.	
The Prichard Co., coal	17.27
Park Fund.	
C. M. Carlson, bath houses	433.77
Electric Light Fund.	
Alfred Adolphs, labor	60.00
Harry Bakken, labor	87.50
S. O. Quammen, coal	31.67
Western Electric Co., supplies	23.10
Northern Electric Co., supplies	54.70
Julius Andre & Sons Co., supplies	48.16
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	9.64
Central Electric Co., supplies	1.75
John Brumund, supplies	4.00
N. W. Electric Equip. Co., supplies	9.87
Laird's Specialty Shop, office supplies	2.25
Kimball Storer Co., office supplies	6.13
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc	7.84
City of Thief River Falls, office and stock room rent	135.00
Revdahl & Co., labor	.75
Waterworks Fund.	
City of Thief River Falls, office and stock room rent	15.00

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Benson, Olson, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None. Resolution declared passed.

O. L. IHLE,
President of the Council.

Approved Dec. 27, 1919.
G. A. PENNEY,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council, held Dec. 23rd, 1919, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls that the City Council deems it advisable and advantageous that the books of account and other records of the City, as kept by the various officers of the City, be examined by the state public examiner. Now, Therefore, the City Council does hereby RESOLVE AND DETERMINE, to request the public examiner to send a deputy to Thief River Falls to examine the books of account and other records required to be kept by law by the officers of such City, and to file his report according to law; and the City Clerk is hereby required to immediately write the state public examiner and enclose a certified copy of this resolution.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Benson, Olson, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None. Resolution declared passed.

O. L. IHLE,
President of the Council.

Approved Dec. 27, 1919.
G. A. PENNEY,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at St. Hilaire, Minnesota, on Monday, January 12th, 1920, beginning at one o'clock p. m. sharp.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, examine reports, etc. The question will also be taken up to change the date of the annual meeting so that the meeting may be held during the summer months, if it is found that we have a right to do so. And any other business will be transacted that may come before the meeting.

JOHN O. SWANSON,
Secretary.
o25-p-15

Notice For Proposals.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the publishing of the ordinances and proceedings of the Council, and other public notices required by law, and the financial statement of the City, for the year ensuing after January 27, 1920, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said City prior to 8:00 o'clock P. M. January 27, 1920, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read, and contract let for such publishing.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 7th day of January, 1920.

By Order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
j8-15

Notice For Proposals.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for depositories of the moneys in the City treasury during the year ensuing after January 27, 1920, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said City prior to 8:00 o'clock P. M. January 27, 1920, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read, and contract let for such depository.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 7th day of January, 1920.

By Order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
j8-15

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ida M. Peterson, Deceased.

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by this Court on December 1st, 1919, is erroneous and incorrect in this, to-wit: That said final decree of distribution attempted to set over to the heirs and legatees of said decedent all of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼) of Section 8 in Township 152, Range 42, where as in truth and in fact the said decedent was the owner of an undivided two-thirds (2-3) interest in and to said property; that said decree is incorrect and erroneous in this, to-wit: That the following real estate belonging to said decedent was omitted therefrom, to-wit: An undivided one-sixth (1-6) interest in and to the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Section 8, Township 152, North of Range 42 West, and praying that said decree may be corrected in accordance with law and fact, and the Court having fixed a time and place for hearing on said petition;

NOW, THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Room, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.
j8-15-22

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased.

The State of Minnesota, to Martin J. Peterson, Mrs. Nina Rose, Oscar C. Peterson, Elias A. Peterson, George G. Peterson, Lena M. Peterson, Julius Peterson, and all persons interested in the estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased:

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by this Court on the 1st of December, 1919, is incorrect and erroneous in this that the following described real estate belonging to said estate was omitted from said decree, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to the West one-half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼), Section 8, in Township 152, North of Range 42 West, and praying that the said decree be corrected and amended to include said real property, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing on said petition;

THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.
j8-15-22

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Clerk of Polk Centre, Pennington County, Minn., up until 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1920, for gravelling one-half mile of road between Sections 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, commencing 40 rods West from the East corner stake of Sections 9 and 16; thence running East one-half mile. Gravel to be taken one-half mile from section line between Sections 11 and 14 on the Sandridge.

Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. E. NAPLIN,
Town Clerk.
j8-15-22-p

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar Bakken, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to O. L. Bakken, Lina Bakken, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of January, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 26th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j1-8-15

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Sanford A. Burnham.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sanford A. Burnham, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mary H. Burnham and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Mary H. Burnham having been filed in this Court, representing that Sanford A. Burnham, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 30th day of September, 1917, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to George W. Burnham, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 29th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney For Petitioner.
j1-8-15

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Tobias Olson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Tobias Olson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Bertha Olson, Oscar Olson, Alfred Olson, Arthur Olson and Olga Stromme, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Bertha Olson, having been filed in this Court, representing that Tobias Olson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 21st day of May, 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Oscar Olson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of January, 1920, at two o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 30th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j1-8-15

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of eighteen dollars which became due on the first day of April A. D. 1918, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly *executed and delivered* by Knut Jorstad and Anna Jorstad, his wife, mortgagors, to the Trail State Bank, of Trail, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of April, 1915, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1917, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages on page 385 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: The sum of fifty-four dollars ($54.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared, by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of fifty-four dollars ($54.00), with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum since the first day of April, 1915, or the total sum of seventy-nine and 31-100 dollars, ($79.31).

And whereas, the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The north half of the southeast quarter (N½ of SE¼) and lots three (3) and six (6) in Section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), North of Range thirty-nine (39) West 5th P. M., in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday the 6th day of February, A. D. 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt of seventy-nine and 31-100 dollars, ($79.31) and interest from the date of this notice as aforesaid, and taxes if any on said premises, and an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 8th, 1919.

TRAIL STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minnesota.
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WANTED TO BUY—Team, harness and sleigh.—Martin Jepson, Rhoda, Minn. 55p

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FOR SALE—1 full blooded Holstein bull, 2 years old, and some cows which will be fresh soon.—A. Hoverstad, 1 mile east and ½ mile north of city. 53p

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FOR SALE—Good six room house, 2 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 43tf

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FOR SALE—Small, modern six room house on East Side.—C. D. Gustafson. 52tf

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FOUND—Bunch of keys. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. Inquire at The Times. 53

FOUND—A lady's pocket book. Owner may have same by identifying, and paying for this ad. Inquire of Chief of Police. 52

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Monthly Payments for December:
Common cream . . 90c
Sweet cream . . 92c

Cash Payments Now:
Common cream . . 73c
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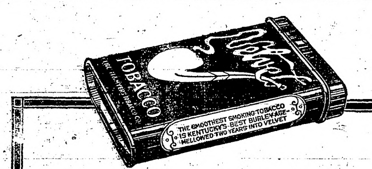
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Write to Velvet Joe, 4241 Folsom [illegible] Almanac. He will send it FREE.

We close our books for the year on January 31st and it is our desire to reduce our stock as much as possible before that time. At this sale you will find REAL GENUINE BARGAINS.

All merchandise of high grade order. BUY NOW and SAVE!

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Men's Suits, Overcoats, Mackinaws, Sheep-lined and Corduroy Coats, Sweaters, wool Sox, Shirts, Underwear, Gloves and Mittens, Hats and Caps, Bath-robes, Leather Vests, Pajamas, Boys' Suits and Blouses, Men's and Boys' Shoes, knitted Toques of all kinds, Fur Detachable Collars.

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Read our entire ad. It is worth while! We guarantee every garment sold to give satisfaction or money back.

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Consisting of our high grade men's and young men's suits, in all the latest styles, waist seam, belt around, plain, double breasted and other fancy models. Extra well made of leading manufactured products. Hirsh Wickwire, A. B. Kirshbaum and Sincerity Clothes. Every suit guaranteed to give satisfaction. Clothing will be considerable higher for next season. That is an established fact. But we are determined to sell as much as possible of our present stock at Prices that will sell them quick.

$25.00 Suits	$18.75	$40.00 Suits	$31.50
$27.50 Suits	$19.95	$45.00 Suits	$37.50
$30.00 Suits	$22.75	$47.50 Suits	$38.75
$32.50 Suits	$24.50	$50.00 Suits	$39.50
$35.00 Suits	$28.50	$52.00 Suits	$42.50
$37.50 Suits	$29.50	$55.00 Suits	$44.75

Little Major Suits Per Suit $1.65

Little Gents Corduroy Suits, 3 to 8, each $4.35

EXTRA SPECIAL

One lot of Young Men's All Wool Suits. Silk lined body and sleeves. Made double breasted with detachable belt around, the very latest in young men's Suits. In Navy Blue, Green, and Brown. These are very classy; they were bought to sell for $60 per suit but came in late. We have only 27 of these suits in sizes of 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 42. While they last **$47.50**

Better come in early before they are gone.

10 per cent Reduction on all Pants in the Store.

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Men's extra fancy Handkerchiefs, 35c values, 4 for	$1.00
75c Cashmere Sox, at	55c
85c Cashmere Sox, at	65c

HATS AND CAPS

Our entire stock of all kinds of Hats and Caps now on Sale at Reduced Prices.

All $3 Hats and Caps	$2.35
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$4.50 Hats and Caps	$3.35
All $5 Hats and Caps	$3.95
All $6 Hats and Caps	$4.75
All $7 Veloured Hats	$5.50
All Beaver Hats	$6.75
All $12 Velour Hats	$9.95

All Fur Caps on Sale 20 per cent Discount

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Men's Chopping Mittens. Value $1.25. Clearance price Per pair	69c
Wool Mittens. Per pair	39c
Extra heavy Wool mittens. $1.25 grade at	95c

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3 finger Mitts, $3.50 values, at $2.75

Brotherhood Work Gloves, Union Made. All kinds 20 percent discount

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If we have what you want in an overcoat you can certainly save money at this sale. We have a number of Cloth Coats; also a great many Fur Collared Coats of all kinds.

$25 Coats	$18.75
$30 Coats	$22.75
$35 Coats	$28.50
$40 Coats	$31.50
$45 Coats	$37.50
$50 Coats	$39.50

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The very latest in Coats. These Coats must be seen to be appreciated. Regular price $59.50. Now $48.75

Little Boys' Overcoats, double breasted. $9.50 Coats $7.45
$12 Coats at $9.75

Little Boys' Fur Collared Lamb-lined Overcoats. Just a few left at reduced prices.

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$1.50 Men's Dress Shirts	$1.19
$2.00 Men's Dress Shirts	$1.65
$3.00 Men's Dress Shirts	$2.35
$2.50 Men's Dress Shirts	$1.95
$3.50 Men's Dress Shirts	$2.65
$4.00 Men's Dress Shirts	$2.95
$5.00 Men's Dress Shirts	$3.85
$6.00 Men's Dress Shirts	$4.95
$7.50 Men's Dress Shirts	$5.95
$9.00 Men's Dress Shirts	$7.25
$15.00 Men's Dress Shirts	$11.95

Buy your Shirts now for a year to come. These are good Shirts. It is not necessary to name all the brands. We stand back of every sale we make regardless of price.

BOYS' SHIRTS AND BLOUSES

$1.50 Shirts and Blouses	$1.29
$1.75 Shirts and Blouses	$1.35
$2.00 Shirts and Blouses	$1.65
$2.50 Shirts and Blouses	$1.95
$5.00 Silk Shirts	$3.85

FLANNEL SHIRTS

$2.25 Shirts	$1.85	$3.50 Shirts	$2.85
$2.50 Shirts	$1.95	$5.00 Shirts	$3.95
$3.00 Shirts	$2.45	$6.00 Shirts	$4.75
		$7.50 Shirts	$5.95

Men's and Boy's Shoes

If you need Shoes, buy them now, and buy them at this Sale. Shoe prices cannot come down for at least six month as near as can be judged at this time, and it is doubtful if prices can be reduced even at that time.

We offer you our entire stock of men's shoes from $5 per pair to $12 per pair at reduced prices, for seven days only.

$5.00 Men's Shoes	$3.95	$11.00 Men's Shoes	$9.35
$6.00 Men's Shoes	$4.75	$12.00 Men's Shoes	$9.75
$7.50 Men's Shoes	$5.95		
$8.50 Men's Shoes	$6.85		
$9.00 Men's Shoes	$7.45		
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All Boys' Educator Shoes *$1.00 off* Per Pair

Boys' Army Shoes worth $6 at *$4.15* Per Pair

Remember that many of these shoes are priced very much under the present market and the saving to you is much more than the prices quoted would indicate. This is not a broken line of shoes. Many styles can be had in all sizes and widths.

Bath Robes
25 per cent off
All Trunks and Bags
10 per cent off

MACKINAWS
And Leather Vests 20 per cent off. A good assortment to choose from. All sizes.

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NECKWEAR

50c Ties	39c
60c Ties	53c
75c Ties	55c
85c Ties	65c
$1.00 Ties	79c
$1.50 Ties	$1.29
$2.00 Ties	$1.65
$2.50 Ties	$1.95
$3.00 Ties	$2.35
$4.00 Ties	$2.95

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35c Wool Sox	27c
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A very large and exceptionally fine selection of all wool sweaters in a great variety of colors

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Fleece lined shirts and drawers, $1.25-$1.50 value, each	89c
Lamb's Down and Storm King Union Suits, $3.00 value, each	$2.35
Woolen shirts and drawers "Morris Mill" make, ea.	$1.65
Five dozen extra heavy khaki work shirts, made with pockets, $2 value, each	$1.65

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Early
SATURDAY
JAN. 10th
at 9 a. m.

NOTE: We will make special prices on all winter goods. Ask us for a price in case you should find something without sales tag. This is the great sales event of the year, a sale with real marked-down prices, a dependable and reliable sale.

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CLUB ASKS FOR MEETING ROOM IN AUDITORIUM

Council Members Assure the President That Request Will Be Granted.

PARK SUBJECT COMES UP

Bishop Plat is Offered and Committee Will Look Into Matter.

Should the Commercial club at its annual meeting next Thursday decide that it is advisable to make the change, there is no question but that place will be provided for meetings of the organization in the city auditorium. President E. M. Stanton appeared before the council last Tuesday evening and asked if the members would be willing to grant the use of the small auditorium now used as a band room for club purposes in case it was decided that moving from the present quarters is advisable, and he was assured that there would be no trouble on that score. The councilmen even offered to permit the apartment on the upper floor formerly used by the Red Cross to be converted into a secretary's office if the club saw fit to employ it.

For a City Square.

C. L. Hansen, J. J. Weeks and Otto Gullingsrud appeared before the council with the request that negotiations be entered into with J. M. Bishop looking to the city's acquiring the block bounded by First and Second streets between Knight and Duluth avenues for the purpose of converting it into a city park. The price asked is in the neighborhood of $6,000. President H. A. Brumund appointed a committee composed of Councilmen Froseth, Ihle, Dahl and Strandon to take the matter up with Mr. Bishop and make such other investigations with regard to the subject as to them seemed best. All were agreed that the city should without delay acquire a park site as there are but very few available spots for the purpose left to be had.

For the Armenians.

G. L. Sterns, county vice chairman for Armenian and Syrian relief, requested the free use of the auditorium for the purpose of putting on a moving picture exhibition showing conditions in the Near East, and this was granted. Dr. Wectenburg, a lecturer and traveler well acquainted with conditions in that section of the world, will be present to make the address. The exact date on which the pictures may be had has not yet been learned.

Mayor John Bratrud was present and read his message of recommendations to the council. This was listened to with close attention and with every indication of approval, both on the part of the councilmen and the citizens present. President Brumund, on behalf of the council, thanked the mayor and assured him that his hope for harmonius action and a business administration was heartily reciprocated. The message in full will be found in another place in The Times today.

Zeh Making Great Record in Basket Ball at Minot

Ambrose Zeh, son of Phil Zeh of this city, a graduate of the local high school and recently returned member of the American expeditionary forces, is making a record for himself as a basket shooter at Minot. He played forward in a recent game with the normal school of that city and received much commendation for his work from the press. On the team with him are two former college stars—Blume and Murphy—and the aggregation is cleaning up everything in North Dakota. As Zeh belongs in Thief River Falls a number of those who are interested in the sport are trying to get him to return and become a member of the Legion team here.

CITY SELECTED AS CONVENTION POINT

Will Hold Annual Meeting of Lutheran Free Church Here Next June.

Two thousand delegates, representing congregations of the Lutheran Free churches all over the United States and Canada, will hold an eight-day convention in Thief River Falls from the 9th to the 17th of June next. The meetings will be held in the auditorium.

There will be at least 2,000 accredited delegates, while the number of people actually in attendance from the outside will be considerably larger than this. Rev. Johan Mattson of Minneapolis is national president of the association and will be in charge of the meetings.

Some Good Country and Much That is Bad in Texas

M. V. Evenson, T. P. Hamre, Frank McGinty and George Stevens of Thief River Falls, and Eugene Cook of Roseau, returned Tuesday evening fro ma two weeks' trip to southern Texas. They had a very enjoyable visit and state that the country along the gulf coast and Rio Grande is on the boom. Land seekers by the thousands are to be seen there every day and the promotors are coining money.

The section visited is in the irrigated belt and crops are looking fine, according to the Northern visitors. The first of the early cabbage will be harvested within a short time and much of the land down there is devoted to the growing of this crop. Alfalfa is the principal fodder and the mainstay of the stock raiser.

They found large sections of the Southwest absolutely impossible as a farming prospect, however, and it is certain that it will never be of any value for any purpose that can now be imagined.

EIGHT DRUNKS IS RECORD FOR 1919

Report of Police Chief Shows That Only 31 Arrests Were Made.

Less than three arrests per month for a period of one year in a city of 6000 people is a record of which any community might well be proud. That is the score for 1919 in Thief River Falls, according to the report of Chief of Police E. O. Erickson, which was submitted to the council last week. Mr. Erickson made 24 of the arrests himself, six are credited to Night Patrolman Jerry Kelly and one to the latter in colaboration with Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh.

There were almost as many assaults as jags, there being seven of the former. Violation of the liquor laws caused the arrest of four, while larceny was the charge in three cases. Housebreaking, fighting and lewd and indecent behavior was the charge in two cases respectively and this number of persons were also ordered out of the city on general principles. One insane man was placed under arrest, one taken up for disorderly conduct, one for committing a nuisance and one for running his automobile without the required license tag. The fines paid amounted to $112 and the amount found on the prisoners at the time of their arrest was $91.23.

This is certainly an exceptional record for a city the size of Thief River Falls and is somewhat different from the old saloon days.

TWO BANKS RETAIN PRESENT OFFICERS

First and Peoples and First National Stockholders Hold Annual Meet.

Two more Thief River Falls banks held their annual meeting during the past week—the First and Peoples State on the 8th and the First National on the 13th. In both instances the present officers were reelected while but few changes were made in the directorates of the institutions. The reports submitted showed that the past year has been very successful from a business standpoint and banking men generally are looking forward to a period of continued prosperity.

The First and Peoples stockholders reelected the following as officers: A. M. Sheldon, president; Math Barzen and H. S. Dahlen, vice presidents; R. M. Sheldon, cashier; Theo. M. Thronson, assistant cashier. The directors are as follows: Math Barzen, A. M. Sheldon, Halvor O. Loken, Perl W. Mabey, Bernhard Knudsen, A. G. Wedge, Jr., O. D. Ostby, H. S. Dahlen, Carl B. Larson, Hans Anton, A. G. Loftness, Dr. A. J. Paulson, R. M. Sheldon. Messrs. Anton, Loftness and Dr. Paulson are new members of the board.

The banking force outside of Messrs. Dahlen, Sheldon and Thronson, is made up as follows: Miss Dora Holmes and L. H. Hermanson, tellers; Alvin Holzknecht and Ervin Russell, bookkeepers; Miss Inez Johnson, stenographer.

As officers of the First National bank the following were chosen: C. L. Hansen, president; Geo. T. Hamery, Rasmus Oen and Dr. F. H. Gambell, vice presidents; W. H. Akre, cashier; Harry F. Booren, assistant cashier. Following are the directors: Rasmus Oen, J. P. Curtis, F. H. Gambell, Otto Gullingsrud, Daniel Patterson, Geo. T. Hamery and C. L. Hansen. The present counting room force is retained, as follows: Miss Marie D. Nelson, teller; L. C. Nielson, bookkeeper; Miss Olga Nettum, stenographer.

Nonpartisan Leaguers Soon to Meet and Name Delegates

According to advices from St. Paul, the members of the Nonpartisan league will meet in every county in Minnesota on Friday, Jan. 23, for the purpose of naming precinct delegates and committeemen.

QUAMME TALKS ON LAND BANKS TO GOOD CROWD

Head of Organization in State Gives Sound Advice to Farmers.

PRAISES LOCAL BRANCH

Says it Has Made Fine Record in Short Time—Officers Are Elected.

About 300 farmers and as many townspeople gathered at the auditorium on Tuesday afternoon to listen to President E. G. Quamme of the Federal Land bank deliver an address on general farming conditions as they appear at the present time and the outlook for the future. The speaker covered a good deal of ground and did not confine himself to an explanation of the aims and general purpose of the institution of which he is the head. His remarks were more calculated to make the farmers see themselves and their vocation in a different light than to point out to them any system whereby they might be benefitted through legislation.

Mr. Quamme let it be known early in his discourse that he had no time for a poor farmer—that is, one who is not progressive and ambitious. For such the land loan bank held out but slight encouragement, he said. But for the one who was anxious to get ahead and use brain with his brawn the system offered a way out of many difficulties.

Farmer a Capitalist.

He pointed out that in spite of all impressions to the contrary, the farmer is a capitalist. He owns and supervises his farm and has the say of what shall be produced on his acres. He hires men the same as a manufacturer and pays them from the profits of what he produces. Mr. Quamme evidently did not sympathize greatly with the man who is always complaining, declaring that never in the history of the world did the tiller of the soil have the opportunities now presented to him.

Deplores Unrest.

The speaker was unsparing in his denunciation of the extremists who are attempting to revolutionize the world by stopping or at least curtailing production, and said that in the performance of honest labor for honest returns lay the solution of most of the problems that now beset the American people. He paid his respects to the class that goes so far as to aim at the overthrow of the government and said that the sooner the country is rid of them the better for all.

Compliments Local Branch.

Mr. Quamme paid a high compliment to the officers and managers of the Valhall Federal Loan bank, the Pennington county branch of the institution of which he is the head. He found that since its organization 57 loans had been approved and granted, the total involved being $156,400. He considered this an excellent record for the first 18 months of operation and predicted that there would be a much greater demand upon the facilities of the bank when its purposes became more thoroughly understood.

Officers Are Elected.

The members of the Valhall association held their annual election at the same time and chose their present officers for another term. They are: Peter Engelstad, president; J. W. Denhart, vice president, and L. A. Lampert, secretary-treasurer. The board of directors is made up of the following: Peter Engelstad, B. B. Hammer, O. O. Malland, J. W. Denhart and Paul Engelstad.

Ladies Serve Lunch.

The ladies of the Methodist church served a lunch in the basement of the auditorium both at noon and suppertime. This was a convenience much appreciated by those coming from a distance, particularly as the supply was both ample and of high quality.

QUAMME GUEST AT BANKER LUNCHEON

Federal Land Bank President Entertained While in the City.

A luncheon, at which every bank in Pennington county was represented, was given at the Evelyn hotel on January 13th in honor of Hon. E. G. Quamme, president of the Federal Land Bank. Besides the bankers, a number of representative men were present. Mr. Quamme was in Thief River Falls for the purpose of delivering an address on the "Aims and Purposes of the Federal Land Bank." A number of short talks were made by the bankers of the county, Mr. Quamme being the principal speaker.

Mr. Quamme has for many years

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L. A. LAMPERT, Sec.-Treas. Valhall Farm Loan Association.

Revdahl Company Granted Permit For Brick Building

Ole R. Revdahl & Co., general woodworkers, were on Tuesday evening granted a building permit by the city council. The concern proposed to erect a factory and dry kiln on lots 27, 28, 29 and 30 in block 84, Original townsite, the location being on Knight avenue south, near the Great Northern tracks. The property was formerly used as a factory site by the Thief River Falls Manufacturing company.

The application sets forth that it is the intention to erect a brick building, two stories high, 50x80 feet, and a dry kiln 20x22 feet. Besides this there will be a lumber shed 30x20 feet. The excavation work was started last fall and it is the intention to commence construction as soon as the weather permits.

BAUDETTE READY TO RECEIVE ELKS

Now Certain That More Than 200 Will Make Trip on Saturday.

One of the most unusual excursions in the history of the state will leave Thief River Falls at 9 o'clock sharp next Saturday morning. It will be composed entirely of members of the Elks lodge and that there will be more than 200 in the party is now certain. Most of these will be representatives of Thief River Falls lodge, but there will be good sized delegations from many nearby towns.

There will be a big initiation at Baudette in the evening. About 40 fawns residing in that city will be taken into the fold and there are a number awaiting initiation here who will be taken along and assimilated at the same time. There are about 60 candidates altogether.

That the Baudette Elks are making preparations for the entertainment of the visitors is evidenced by the following from the Region:

"Saturday, January 17th, will be the big day. The Thief River Falls Elks are coming and they are coming in numbers and in style. They have chartered a special train which will arrive in Baudette at five in the afternoon, and about one hundred and fifty will invade this metropolis. Of course the big feature will be the grafting of horns to twenty-six local residents who will become Elks, but there will be other features big enough not to be sneezed at. The complete program has not been completed, but it will be plenty—and then some.

"A number of Elks from the iron range, headed by little Jim McLaughlan, will also come to take in the doings."

BEMIDJI VETERANS TO TACKLE LOCALS

Another Legion Basketball Game Will be Played Here Tuesday.

The basketball team representing Ralph Gracie Post, American Legion, of Bemidji, will meet the quintet of Elmer J. Eklund Post, Thief River Falls, at the auditorium here on Tuesday evening. This will be the third game played by the locals on their home floor and the experience gained in the hard fight against Fosston last week will be of much value in the coming battle.

Lack of practice lost the Fosston game for the locals and this defect is being rapidly overcome. The team will be in much better trim for the Bemidji bunch than when they took on the Polk county outfit, and a close game can be expected. Bemidji is said to have a fast, scrappy aggregation, fully competent to maintain the rather enviable athletic reputation enjoyed by that town. The expectations are that this will be the best game of the season.

Theo. Liden left this city on Monday evening for Minneapolis and Duluth, where he will visit for a short period enroute to Peoria, Ill., where he will attend a horological college for a period of nine months.

BANK INCREASE OVER $500,000 FOR PAST YEAR

Deposits in City Averaged $1,759.15 Per Day More Than in 1918.

CITY TOTAL IS $2,536,216

Banks of County at Present Show Holdings Aggregating $3,316,328.59.

The people of Thief River Falls increased their money deposits by $293 for every one of the six banking hours of the 305 banking days of the year 1919, as shown by the statements published in The Times last week. The total increase for each day was $1,759.15 and for the year $536,540.32.

A comparison of the deposits in the four city banks at the time the call was made for both years respectively shows the following figures:

	1919	1920
First Natl.	$688,480.71	$821,696.93
Citizens State	608,207.31	762,558.03
F. & Peoples	563,009.70	696,025.29
F. & Merch.	139,978.09	255,936.28

An Even Break.

A remarkable thing about the statements published is the fact that there is but little difference in the amount of increase in the four banks of the city. The Citizens leads with $154,350.72, others coming in the following order: First National, $133,216.22; First and Peoples, $133,015.59; Farmers and Merchants, $115,958.19.

County Total $3,316,328.

The total deposits in the county at the beginning of the year was $3,316,328.59, which is greater by many thousands than ever before. The aggregate was divided as follows:

City banks	$2,536,216.53
Merchants, St. Hilaire	221,113.20
Farmers, St. Hilaire	144,024.42
Farmers, Goodridge	146,624.41
Goodridge State	127,685.16
Citizens, Hazel	83,046.02
Farmers, Mavie	57,818.85

Loans Keep Even.

The loans and discounts have increased almost in exact ratio with the deposits, the gain in this department in the city being $583,753.27. Here also is shown the same relative position as is found in the deposit column, the different banks averaging on about a par with the deposits.

Believes Water Responsible For Slight Disorders Found

Recent reports have reached Miss Lulu Saucer, school nurse, of the prevalence of slight physical disorders among the residents of Thief River Falls. People have been complaining of headaches, illness, and a general run-down state. Upon making an investigation Miss Saucer discovered that these conditions existed for the most part in homes where city water is used. Owing to an insufficient supply in the city well it has sometimes become necessary to use river water and though no ill effects have previously been reported, this water is considered unfit for internal use. An effort will be made to procure expert investigation of the city water and in the meantime people are cautioned against its use without first boiling it.

Sleeping Car Service to be Resumed by Soo on Jan. 20

Sleeping car service between the twin cities and Thief River Falls on the Soo railroad will be resumed next week. The first car running on the reestablished schedule will leave St. Paul on Tuesday, Jan. 20, being set off at Thief River Falls until the following evening when it will be picked up by the southbound flyer.

This service was interrupted at the time of the coal shortage last month and was not resumed when the other trains were put back on regular time. The news of its resumption will be highly pleasing to the traveling public.

Norway Sons and Daughters Hold "Julefest" Celebration

The Sons and Daughters of Norway held their annual Julefest last Wednesday night at the Masonic hall. B. Bjornaraa of Wanko, the principal speaker of the evening, delivered a humorous address touching upon the life and traditions of old Norway. A program composed of readings and musical selections was rendered by several of the members. After the program a dainty luncheon was served. The remainder of the evening was spent in renewing old friendships and having a general good time.

Mrs. Robert Newton of Alexandria visited in this city the first of the week with friends enroute to Winnipeg, where she will be the guest of relatives.

Indians Successfully Fight For Improved Conditions

Word from Washington is to the effect that the delegation headed by T. H. and F. D. Beaulieu was successfull in its fight against the Indian bill as reported to congress at the close of the last session. An appropriation of $150,000, which the Chippewa representatives maintained would be frittered away in the maintaining of unnecessary officials, was cut out of the general bill and all the relief measures for which contention was made incorporated in the measure. The Indians see in this the first step toward giving them a voice in the spending of their own money, which they claim is now doing them no good whatever. The representatives were assisted in their efforts by all the Minnesota representatives in congress.

Congressman Ellsworth is preparing measures which, if enacted into law, will have a tendency to hasten the final closing up of Chippewa Indian affairs, likewise the abolishment of Indian bureau dominance on Minnesota reservations at an early day.

NAME COMMITTEES AND DEPOSITORIES

Commissioners Also Appropriate $125 For R. R. V. Development Assn.

Chairman O. J. Peterson of the board of county commissioners has announced the following standing committees for the current year: Finance, Commissioners McGinn and Naplin; court house and jail, Hanson, McGinn and Naplin; ditches, Roy, Hanson and Naplin; roads and bridges, Naplin, Hanson and Roy; purchasing, Peterson, McGinn and County Auditor T. P. Anderson; board of health, Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, Commissioners Roy and Hanson.

The commissioners appropriated $125 toward maintaining the Red River Valley Development association and approved the bonds of the different banks as county depositories.

The county auditor was allowed the sum of $300 for extra clerk hire during the year.

It was decided to raise the sum of $6,000 by taxation towards creating a sinking fund for the purpose of paying off the bonded indebtedness of the county.

A new fund, to be known as the County Court House Construction Fund, was ordered created, out of which will be paid all orders drawn for repair, improvement or enlargement of the court house. Money from this fund may also be used in the securing of additional grounds for county purposes.

A petition signed by Knut Ytesund and others asking that Ditch No. 1 be cleaned and repaired was referred to the county ditch inspector.

County Auditor Anderson submitted the financial statement for the year 1919, to the board and same was approved.

NEW OFFICERS FOR AUTOMOBILE CLUB

Organization Will Do Missionary Work For Babcock Amendment.

The Thief River Falls automobile association, which includes in its membership auto owners and drivers from every section of Pennington county, held a meeting for the purpose of electing officers and planning a campaign last evening. There was a good representation present and much interest was evinced in the proceedings. Following are the officers elected: G. S. Streeter, president; L. H. Lawrence, vice president; S. C. Coumbe, secretary; R. M. Sheldon, treasurer. A board of directors was also chosen, as follows: Carl Sundahl, A. J. Andersen and L. A. Lampert.

It was decided to place the membership fees at $2 per year and a drive for members will be inaugurated at once. The aim is to interest every automobile owner and good roads booster in the plans of the club and to make the organization an aggressive and permanent factor in the movement for better highways.

Daniel Shaw was present and explained the plan of the Babcock amendment in such manner that all were made enthusiastic boosters for that project.

F. J. Stebbins, Daniel Shaw and Nels Christianson were chosen delegates to the state convention of automobile clubs at Minneapolis on Feb. 3rd.

New Manager Chosen For City Auditorium Building

Henry Froseth has been appointed manager of the auditorium by the city council and will enter upon his new duties at once. He will be in charge of all functions of whatsoever nature for which admission is asked and will look after the property on behalf of the city. The council will exercise supervisory control over the building as in the past.

ELECTION, TALK AND BANQUET ON THURSDAY

Program of Activities For Present Season Will Come Up For Discussion.

QUESTION OF QUARTERS

Committee Will Report on Success of Attempt to Secure Auditorium.

The annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Commercial club will be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 22, at which time a complete set of officers will be elected and reports of the various committees for the past year submitted. A banquet will be served at 6:30 in the hall, the price of which will be one dollar per plate.

Invitations with return post card attached will be sent to all members and those intending to be present at the banquet should notify G. Howard Smith, secretary, by the evening of Jan. 20 in order that the number of places to be provided may be definitely known.

May Change Quarters.

One of the important questions to come up for discussion is whether or not the club shall continue to occupy the present quarters in the Citizens bank building. It has been suggested that inasmuch as the club is more or less of a public institution there should be room provided for it at the auditorium building. A committee has been appointed to take this matter up with the city council and a report is expected at this time.

To Resume Activities.

This will be the most important meeting held for years. It has been decided to make the club a more active factor in the life of the community and a general plan of procedure will be discussed and mapped out.

It is recognized that there are many matters in which the organization should now be taking an active part. Among these may be mentioned a road to the reservation, opening of the Indian lands, drainage, housing, river improvement, the lighting question, the water power status and many others. All of these are of vast importance to the future prosperity of the city and come directly under the list of subjects to which the club may well direct its interest.

No member should fail to be present at this meeting. The attitude of the club during the next year will have an important bearing on the future and it is of the greatest importance that progressive and far-sighted men shall be placed in charge of its activities.

Loken Family Leaves to Spend Winter in California

H. O. Loken left Monday evening on a trip that will take up the remaining months of the winter. He will first make a business visit to Minneapolis, Chicago, Cleveland and New York for the purpose of making the spring purchases for the store, after which he will go to Omaha, being joined there by Mrs. Loken and daughters on Jan. 26. The family will then leave for Los Angeles, going by way of Denver, Salt Lake City, and Pike's Peak. They will remain in the California city for about a month and return by way of San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Vancouver and Winnipeg, and expect to arrive in Thief River Falls about March 10. During Mr. Loken's absence the business here will be in charge of George O. Loken and Hugo Edberg, the last named gentleman having recently been added to the force as store manager.

DISTRICT MEETING OF W. C. T. U. HERE

State Director Will Deliver Address to Delegates on January 19.

The annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union for the seventh district of Minnesota, comprising the counties of Pennington, Kittson, Roseau, Red Lake, Polk, Norman, Marshall, Clearwater, Mahnomen and Beltrami, will be held in Thief River Falls on Monday, Jan. 19. The local organization will serve luncheon for the delegates at noon, after which the regular meeting will be held.

A special program is advertised by the Woman's club for the same afternoon and the visitors will be asked to attend in a body. In the evening a meeting of the Girls' Community club will be attended.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city is district chairman of the organization, and Miss Effie Hamry is county chairman.

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SOCIETY and Club

FAMOUS LECTURER NEXT ON PROGRAM

Prof. Payne Will Appear Under Woman's Club Auspices Jan. 19.

The fourth number in the series of entertainments given through the winter by the Woman's club will be presented on Monday afternoon, Jan. 19. The feature will be a lecture by Prof. Arthur Frank Payne, professor in the new department of industrial education at the university of Minnesota. The program as originally made up had Dean Stanton Ford of the university slated for a lecture on this date, but he finds it impossible to keep the appointment and Prof. Payne is sent in his stead.

This educator is heralded as a lecturer of national reputation but the subject of his discourse here has not yet been ascertained. The public is assured, however, that it will deal with matters of the greatest importance to all at this particular time and a general invitation is extended to come and hear him.

There will be a special musical program.

Sleighride Party.

A leap year sleighride party was given by a number of the young folks from this vicinity last Saturday evening. After the ride they stopped at the E. Krause home to spend the remainder of the evening with a number of the young folks of Rocksbury township. Games and music afforded the amusements. Refreshments were served at midnight. The party was made up of Frieda Ristau, Eleanor Holzknecht, Tillie Ristau, Laura Brown, Irene Fuller, Lois Strubel, Luella Habedank, Sophie Johnson, John Clausen, Nels Anton, John Anton, John Ristau, Howard Strubel, John Ristau and Oscar Pomerenke.

Zavoral-Vorachek.

Joseph C. Zavoral and Agnes J. Vorachek of Fordville, N. D., niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek of this city, were united in marriage Jan. 8th at the municipal court rooms. Mr. Zavoral is well known to local people as he was born in this city and has spent practically all of his life here. His many friends extend congratulations. The newlyweds left the same evening on a short wedding trip after which they will return to this city and go to housekeeping in the house formerly owned by Hans Angell on the East Side.

Girls Community Club.

The regular meeting of the Girls' Community club will be held on next Monday evening, Jan. 19. Miss Leslie Gray, state director of the Y. W. C. A. will give a very interesting talk on this work. A short musical program will also be given. All members are urged to be present. Lunch will be served by the [illegible]. The regular gymnasium work on Tuesday evening at the high school gym. The basket ball team will also practice on this evening.

Birthday Party.

Little George Lambert celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary last Tuesday afternoon by entertaining a few of his friends at his home where games were enjoyed after which a delightful lunch was served.

W. C. T. U. Entertained.

The W. C. T. U. was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Inga Berg, Mrs. Berg and Mrs. Evju acting as hostesses. A very large crowd was in attendance. The local union agreed at this meeting to work strenuously for law enforcement in the future.

In Honor of Oscar Sponheim.

Messrs. F. H. Herrick, H. W. Protzeller and W. A. Barnard were hosts at a "stag" party held at the Brumund hotel on last Saturday evening in honor of Oscar Sponheim, who with his family soon leaves for the West, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Royal Neighbors Install.

The Royal Neighbors will install their officers for the coming year on Wednesday evening, Jan. 21 in the Masonic hall, and each member will be permitted to invite one guest. A short business meeting will precede the installation which begins at eight o'clock.

Surprise Party.

Miss Florence Nylander was pleasantly surprised by seven of her pupils last Thursday evening. Games furnished the chief amusements after which a delicious lunch was served which had been donated by the guests. All report a very enjoyable time.

Birthday Club Entertained.

The For-get-me-not Birthday club was entertained on Saturday afternoon by Mrs. G. W. Booren at her home on Kendall avenue. Twelve ladies were present to enjoy the afternoon.

Young Peoples Society.

The Young Peoples Luther League of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the church basement Thursday evening, Jan. 22nd at 8:30.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. E. F. Dolan entertained at a dinner party on Wednesday evening. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mrs. Protzeller Entertains.

Mrs. H. W. Protzeller informally entertained a few ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Greatest Curwood Picture Comes to Lyceum Theatre

"Back to God's Country" is the title of a photoplay in which Nell Shipman stars. It was written by James Oliver Curwood and is in many respects different from anything that versatile author has heretofore attempted. The play taken from the story will be seen at the Lyceum on Sunday and Monday, matinee and evening.

It is an extraordinary story of a swimming girl of the Canadian wilds and the dog, "Wapi, the Killer." Never has a picture been shown that is so full of thrills, the first of which shows a man battling for his life in a raging blizzard. Sixteen different kinds of wild animals are shown and there is the greatest dog fight ever filmed. A young woman pursued by a brute swims for her life down the raging mountain rapids. But there are too many hair-raisers to recount.

Manager Lawrence is always on the lookout for the best to be had in the picture line and he was fortunate in securing this great film so soon after its release. No one should miss it. J-15

W. C. T. U. NOTES

Rejoice, for I bring you good tidings. Miss Anna Gorden, our national president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union has requested that the church bells in all the land ring at midnight on Jan. 15, to usher in the glad day of National Constitutional Prohibition, Jan. 16. Fellow citizens, let your hearts be filled with prayers and thanksgiving when you awaken to the clang of the church bells in our city, with hearts overflowing with gratitude for the blessings of the past. We enter with enthusiasm and ardor upon the program of 1920.

RAILROAD NOTES

Illness has forced carman, John Cassa to discontinue work.

L. T. Machart, relief agent, enroute to Erskine, spent Monday night, between trains, in this city attending to business matters.

M. L. Parsons accompanied his father to the hospital at Tripoli, Wis., Friday.

J. W. Wicks has been put on as third operator at Plummer, taking the place of B. Bergsten, who has resigned.

Carman Gunder Lee returned to work Monday after a month's leave of absence on account of sickness.

The Thief River Falls wrecking crew went to Mahnomen Monday to tear out the old turn table. A new one will be installed in its place in the near future.

T. D. Scanlan has been trasferred from the sick list to his formehr job of night car foreman.

Conductor J. T. Elsenpeter resumed work on Wednesday after spending the holidays at Buffalo.

G. W. Hawes, general agent, and J. P. Gehrey of the passenger department, of the Soo, were in this city Tuesday, both for the purpose of attending to business matters.

SECRETARY GETS $3,000.00 SALARY

Mr. F. W. Zehm laid a solid foundation for his life work when he took a secretarial course at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. several years ago. He now is secretary for a theatrical company in Montana at $250 a month.

The better firms throughout the Northwest employ D. B. C. graduates in increasing numbers. Misses M. McKallor and V. Sullivan, recently sent to International Harvester Co., made 18 D. B. C. pupils hired by that firm.

"Follow the $ucce$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for information.

BAD COLD GOT YOU? FEELING GRIPPY?

Dr. King's New Discovery soon starts you on the road to recovery

ONCE tried, always used. That's a trite expression, but one never more applicable than it is to Dr. King's New Discovery.

You will like the prompt, businesslike way it loosens the phlegm-congested chest, soothes the tortured throat, relieves an old or a new cold, grippe, cough, croup.

The kiddies can take it in perfect safety, too. No bad after-effects. Standard half a century. 60c. and $1.20 a bottle. At your druggist.

Don't Continue Constipated

Don't let your bowels bulldoze your system. Make them function regularly—keep the body cleansed of waste matter with Dr. King's New Life Pills.

Biliousness, sick headache, sour stomach, indigestion, dizziness, furred tongue, bad breath—think of the embarrassments and discomforts traceable to constipation. How easily they're rectified by the occasional use of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Move the bowels smoothly but surely. Try them tonight. *All druggists*—25c. as usual.

We Are Now Equipped To Do All Kinds of Repair Work

Bring in your car and have it overhauled now. Our expert workmen will put it in good condition and our prices are right.

Our Painting Department can make your car look like new. Come in and talk it over with us.

Evenson & Sons
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Sale Ends SATURDAY Jan. 17th

Saturday Is Last Day Of SAPERO'S

January Clearance Sale

Sale Ends SATURDAY Jan. 17th

There is such a wealth of big values to be found here for this January Clearance that it is difficult for us to list them so that you will realize their full importance to you.

Every stock has been sharply sacrificed to make this Sale a tremendous bargain feast for our customers. Many items have been marked at under markets prices and we could not duplicate them in the market today.

Wise shoppers will grasp this economy opportunity and supply their future as well as their present needs.

Lovely Dresses
Choice of any dress in our store
¼ off

Beautiful Blouses
Over 3 hundred to choose from
⅕ off
Regular Price.

Remarkable Savings on Women's Coats

Garments of this season's styles are all included in this most unusual bargain offer.

There are not all sizes here, but if you can be fitted, you will save some real money.

$20.00 Coats	$10.00
$25.00 Coats	$14.75
$35.00 Coats	$19.75
$45.00 Coats	$24.75
$59.50 Coats	$39.50

EXTRA SPECIAL
1 lot of coats values to $25.00
SPECIAL
$10.00

A Splendid Chance To Buy Women's Suits

If you have been waiting for a Sale before buying your winter Suit you had best be here soon after our store opens tomorrow, for the low prices we are quoting will be sure to clean out our entire stock in record time.

⅓ off
Do you realize what a saving this means
$45.00 Suits for $30.00

EXTRA SPECIAL
1 lot of 10 suits and coats values to $59.50
SPECIAL
$10.00

Choose Your 'Munsingwear'
And save from 25 to 35%
Munsingwear will be higher for spring and next fall—Put in your supply now
10% off
On all underwear from our regular prices.

Buy your APRONS and HOUSE DRESSES now as later you'll pay more. Our new spring stock is here.

Get Your Albrecht Furs
Now
And Save
¼ off
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Thief River Falls, Minn.
The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Butterfat Prices

Monthly Payments for December:
Common cream . . 90c
Sweet cream . . 92c

Cash Payments Now:
Common cream . . . 68c
Sweet cream . . . 70c

Thief River Co-Op. Creamery Ass'n
Thief River Falls, Minn.

LEGION QUINTET LOSES GAME TO FOSSTON BUNCH

Fought Gamely to the Last in Fastest Game of the Season.

DISTRICT ALSO WINNER

High School Goes Down in Hard Battle Away From Home.

Last Friday night at the Auditorium local fans witnessed one of the fastest and hardest fought basket ball contests ever played in Thief River Falls, when the "Eklund Post quint took on Fosston's city team. The game resulted in defeat for the locals by a score of 27 to 30.

Dexterous passing, together with several long shots, put Fosston in the lead during the first few minutes of play. The remainder of the game was a nip and tuck affair, and though the margin was lessened the Legion men were unable to overcome it entirely. At the end of twenty minutes of play the score was 15 to 19 in Fosston's favor. The second half was marked by cleaner playing and a tightening of the defense on both sides. Thief River Falls gained steadily until one field basket would have put them on an equal footing with their opponents, but Fosston came back strong and added another four points to their score. The outcome remained in doubt to the last and the final whistle found both teams still trying hard for a basket.

The local boys displayed a splendid brand of basket ball but were somewhat handicapped by lack of practice. Hermanson played a hard game at center and deserves special commendation for the masterly way in which he handled the tipoff. The guards, Holzknecht and Johnson, acquitted themselves creditably in stopping the shifty Fosston plays. Penney and Parenteau rung in the most baskets for the locals, while scoring honors for the visitors were divided between H. Wynne and Hem.

The lineup for the game was as follows:

T. R. Falls		Fosston
Parenteau	F	H. Wynne
Penney	F	E. Wynne
Hermanson	C	Hem
Holzknecht	G	Movold
Johnson	G	Granum

Kiland and Hovie acted as subs for Thief River Falls and Johnson for Fosston. The officials for the game were: Connell, referee, and Stadsvold, umpire.

The Thief River Falls high school basketball team, after three victories in succession, experienced their first reverse of the season last Friday, when they were defeated at Detroit by a score of 22 to 14.

The local boys displayed their usual speed and team work, but on account of the low ceiling and position of the baskets in the Detroit gymnasium, were unable to score heavily. The game was featured by fast playing and more than the usual fouling, five personals being called on the Detroit quint and one on the locals. Weeks, Detroit's center, had seven baskets to his credit, while scoring for Thief River Falls was almost evenly divided between Schuster, Hadrath and LaBree. The boys are anxious for a return game in which they will have the opportunity to even up matters. The players in the game were:

T. R. Falls		Detroit
Schuster	R. F.	Eckel
Hadrath	L. F.	Bolstad
Larson	C.	Weeks
LaBree	G.	Leach
Flattum	G.	Cusey

QUAMME GUEST AT BANKER LUNCHEON

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was a country banker, stated that he believed the local banker to be the important factor in the upbuilding and development of the farming community. The speakers all assured Mr. Quamme that they were both willing and anxious to cooperate with him and made the request that the privilege of receiving applications for federal loans be extended to all banks of the county. It was fully explained that there was no intention in any manner whatsoever to disturb the local federal land association as it now stands but a desire to help along its work by making it more convenient for farmers to secure the advantages extended by the system. Mr. Quamme stated that he was favorably impressed with the attitude of the bankers and indicated that the request would be given prompt and careful consideration. Should the request be granted, it will mean a great deal to the farmers who wish to take advantage of the federal loans as it will enable them to make such loans direct with the banking house at which they are best known. The local federal land loan organizations at present constituted would continue to exercise its usual functions.

Following is the resolution previously adopted by the local bankers, which resolution was presented to Mr. Quamme at the luncheon:

WHEREAS, Congress has made it possible, by proper legislation, for the farmers to secure farm loans on the amortization plan at a reasonable rate of interest, and

WHEREAS, This association is heartily in favor of this plan; or any other plan which may benefit the agricultural business of our country, and

WHEREAS, We, as bankers of Pennington county, desire to co-operate to such an extent that these loans may be secured through any bank in the county by permitting the managing officers of the several banks to receive application for such loans.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Pennington County Bankers association requests the Federal Land Bank of St. Paul through its President, Mr. E. G. Quamme, to grant the banks throughout the county the privilege of receiving application for federal land loans from their respective farmer patrons for the purpose of transmitting them to the local farm loan association for final action without compensation for such work.

Miss Lulu Allen of St. Hilaire, spent Saturday in this city enroute to Lancaster, where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Auto and Tractor Expert Joins Company in This City

George Curtis, for a number of years connected with one of the largest garages in Detroit as repair expert, has associated himself with the Peoples Auto company of this city, having secured an interest in the concern. Mr. Curtis will have complete charge of the machine shop end of the business and will move here as soon as his affairs are closed up at Detroit. He is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Roy Lambert of this city.

The Peoples Auto company management has also taken the agency for the Detroit storage battery in this section, the territory covering Pennington, Red Lake, Roseau and eastern Marshall counties. They will have something of an interesting nature to present in connection with this feature of their business through the columns of The Times in the near future.

ANNUAL MEETING OF SANITARIUM BOARD

Dr. Milan Engaged as Full-Time Doctor at the Tri-County Institution.

The board of directors of the Tri-County sanatorium held their first annual meeting last week and unanimously voted to reelect the present staff. Dr. O. F. Mellby of Thief River Falls, was reelected president, and P. O. Myhrum, also of this city, secretary. Miss Karen Knutson was retained as superintendent of the hospital and Dr. M. G. Milan appointed regular physician. Dr. Milan will devote all his time to looking after the patients at the institution hereafter instead of only three days a week as has been the case since his appointment. Dr. Milan has also been the physician in charge at Lake Park sanatorium, Barnesville, and both hospitals have decided that their interests will best be served by keeping a doctor continually at hand. Dr. G. W. Booren of this city was added to the staff as visiting dentist.

Miss Knudsen reports that there are now 24 patients at the sanatorium, 10 being from Marshall county and seven each from Pennington and Roseau. This practically fills the hospital, there being but one vacancy. More room is urgently needed and the directors are planning on the erection of a separate home for nurses in the spring.

The board of directors of the sanatorium is composed of the following: Dr. O. F. Mellby, K. O. Gigstad and P. O. Myhrum of Pennington county; I. G. Brandt, Greenbush, and Louis Enstrom, Malung, Roseau county; Donald Robertson, Argyle, and Christ Rundtum, Middle River, Marshall county. The latter was appointed to succeed the late Jonas Sjoberg of the same town.

Merger Plan Abandoned by Merchants and Club Heads

The plan to merge the commercial club and merchants association into one organization is not feasible, in the opinion of the directors. At a meeting held last Thursday evening it was decided that more good could be accomplished by keeping the two separate. It was pointed out that the club and association are by no means identical in their aims and the directors feared that any attempt to consolidate would mean the complete extinction of one or the other. Both bodies are now doing excellent work, each in its own way, and nothing would apparently be gained by making the change.

Flood Relief Allotments For Marshall County Fixed

The allotments for flood sufferers of Marshall county were completed today, with the possible exception of a dozen names which have just been given to Scott Laird, appraiser for the state board of relief.

Mr. Laird yesterday visited Holt on matters in connection with his work and found general conditions fairly good. The present cold is working some hardships but relief will be in sight for the people next week.

Notices of the allotments will be mailed out from the office of County Agent Huseby at Warren on Monday to those who will be added at this time. These allotments cover in some instances merely family aid while in others only horse and cow feed is supplied.

For Mrs. Petersen.

Mrs. John Ward informally entertained a few ladies at her home on Markley avenue north, on Tuesday afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Geo. Peterson of Lafayette, who has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson.

Entertain.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman pleasantly entertained the young folks of the Presbyterian church at their home on Main avenue north, Wednesday evening. Contest games and music furnished the evening's amusements. At midnight refreshments were enjoyed.

Notice.

Will the party who took the music entitled "Sound and Loud Timbrel" fro mtho piano at Odd Fellows hall some time ago kindly return the same to the hall?

LAURA GASSOW,
Secretary.

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Masons' Special Monday.

There will be a special meeting of Northern Lodge No. 236 on Monday evening for the purpose of conferring the first degree. There are quite a number of candidates and it is desired that the members turn out in force.

Ladies Aid.

The ladies aid society of St. Johns Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. Peter Myhrum, 115 Markley avenue north, on Wednesday, Jan. 21.

The City Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—On Jan. 18, meetings for public worship will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject: "Am I My Brother's Keeper"? The choir under the direction of Mrs. H. E. Edberg, will provide special music for both morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Miss Effie Hamry, Supt. Prompt attendance and work during the week helps the whole school. Juniors, 3 p. m. C. E., 7 p. m. Bible study, John 2. The Ladies Aid society meets on Friday with Mrs. Smithers, 804 LaBree avenue north. A full attendance is needed to complete plans for the new year.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 18: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Communion immediately after morning service. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, Jan. 15th at 7:30 p. m., at the home of Lars Johnson, 403 Crocker Ave. N. A cordial welcome.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies Aid entertained by Mrs. Savig today, the 15th at 2 p. m. Confirmants meet at the parsonage every Saturday at 2 p. m.

The First Swed. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 7:45. Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m. The Ladies Aid society will be entertained in the church basement next Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 21 by Mrs. R. Knutson and Mrs. C. E. Forsberg.

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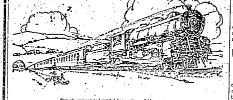

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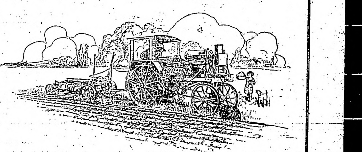

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A GOOD, WORKING COUNCIL.

The manner in which the message of Mayor Bratrud was received by the council speaks well for the future efficiency of our city government. While none of the suggestions made may have been startling because of their newness, none of them are on the other hand either impossible or visionary. It was a good, sound, common sense presentation of what is needed in order to make Thief River Falls a better city in which to live and pointed out what, in the mayor's opinion, should be the first matters attended to.

There is every indication that the council and the new executive will work together in harmony, and this is a long step in the right direction at the outset. On past performance *one would predict* that there is a strong working aggregation at the head of affairs for two years at least and that no fear need be felt that things will be permitted to go backward.

The program mapped out by the mayor and admitted by the councilmen to be necessary is rather elaborate and it is not likely that everything desired can be accomplished. It is certain, however, that any step taken will be in the right direction. We believe the people justified in looking forward to a season of progress and prosperity, so far as it lies within the power of the city administration to bring such things about.

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

Wouldn't it be a joke on the professional politicians if the people, regardless of party, demanded Herbert Hoover as their candidate for president? It begins to look as if a large number have just this idea in mind.

Mr. Hoover's political status is not very clearly established, but this is rather an advantage. David Lawrence, one of the most observant newspaper correspondents in Washington, says that the Hoover boom is the one big subject of conservation and interest at the capital. It is admitted that his election would be practically assured, no matter by which of the major parties he happened to be endorsed. Former Governor McCall of Massachusetts voiced the general impression when he remarked: "He would be certain of election on the Republican ticket, and he might be elected on a Democratic ticket." Mr. McCall is a Republican, and would naturally be less enthusiastic over Mr. Hoover as the candidate of the opposition.

What's the difference, anyway? It seems to be generally accepted that Mr. Hoover has voted the Republican ticket as a rule, while nearly all of his public work has been done under a Democratic administration. His record is a greater recommendation than any party designation could possibly be, even to the voter who casts his ballot solely as a party man. Mr. Hoover certainly possesses qualifications for the post that no man so far mentioned by either party can claim. Outside of President Wilson himself he is perhaps the most widely known American in the world.

The people are tired of politicians and want a business man for president. Hoover fills the bill admirably. He would perhaps give more consideration to our foreign affairs than to the appointment of a third-class postmaster, but the people would in time learn to overlook such small defects in a generally acceptable program.

Hoover may not be a very good Republican and he is probably an even poorer Democrat, but the people know him and believe in him. And if anyone thinks that the people are going to have nothing to say as to who is to be their presidential candidate next fall he has another guess coming.

TIRED OF IT ALL.

The attitude of W. J. Bryan toward the peace treaty is not going to help any. Mr. Bryan's attitude has not helped anything for a long time. Coming at this time his suggestions will only give courage to those who are opposing the President, no matter for what reason or with what object in view.

But at that Mr. Bryan's proposition will meet with more support than will the uncompromising attitude of Mr. Wilson. Bryan wants the treaty ratified at once, suggesting that both sides compromise their differences to an extent sufficient to make such action possible. President Wilson would refer the matter to a vote of the American people, thus *postponing final action* for at least fourteen months, with no assurance that at the end of that time his peculiar views on the subject would be endorsed.

The people do not wish to wait a year and a half for this matter to be finally disposed of. They are tired of the subject and want the treaty ratified at once. Whether this is done with or without reservations is not so important. As a general thing they would probably be satisfied to take the President's word that the proposition is all right as it stands, but they are not ready to back him up to the extent of throwing the entire program overboard if he cannot get everything he wants. With the majority of Americans this is not a question of whether Wilson's or Lodge's or Bryan's plan shall be adopted. They simply want the treaty ratified in some shape measurably acceptable, and want it ratified at once.

The league of nations begins functioning soon and the United States is not a party to the agreement. For this the people divide the blame between President Wilson and the Senate. Both have been unyielding in insisting that their plan, and their's only, should be the one adopted, while the people care very little about the details. They realize fully that all this hullabaloo down at Washington is for political effect and that the merits of the question under consideration is lost sight of about nine-tenths of the time. They are weary of the whole proceeding and only ask that some satisfactory basis of agreement be reached. No vote is necessary in order to find out where they stand.

Big Sum For Roads.

Distribution of the 1920 state road and bridge fund, estimated at $2,150,000, among the various counties in Minnesota, will be made probably before the end of the week by the state highway commission.

M. J. Desmond, superintendent of accounts in the office of State Auditor J. A. O. Preus, estimated the 1920 revenue to be allotted to the counties. It accrues from automobile license sales, tax receipts, interest on land and other sources, and is fixed at a figure $50,000 less than last year because of the decrease in license revenue.

MAYOR SEES BRIGHT FUTURE FOR CITY; PAVING, WATER IMPROVEMENT AND COMMISSION FORM URGED IN MESSAGE

All members of the city council and a considerable number of representative citizens were present when Mayor John Bratrud made his recommendation to the governing body of the municipality on Tuesday evening. His message was a straightforward, progressive and sensible document and evidently met with the unqualified approval of all present. The mayor bespoke for himself the cooperation of the council as well as the citizens generally and predicted that the next two years would prove the most important in the history of the city. The council at once took up some of the matters dwelt upon and evidenced every disposition to at least give all items the most serious consideration. The mayor's message was as follows:

Bright Prospects Ahead.

"Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Council: It being the privilege of the city's chief executive, upon his assuming the office, to make such suggestions and recommendations as to him seem proper at the time a new council assumes control of affairs, I would respectfully request permission to call your attention to the following, each item of which seems to me particularly pertinent at this time.

"With the declaration of peace will come a resumption of activities thruout the entire country and indications are that in no section will these be more pronounced than in the Northwest. *Thief River Falls, by reason* of its location, the vast and rich farming region in its immediate neighborhood, its unexcelled railroad facilities, the potential value of its water power and the progressive spirit of its citizens, is destined to feel the effects of this awakening to perhaps a greater degree than any other community in this state. For this reason the next two years will be the most important in its history and upon the attitude and conduct of you, gentlemen, may depend in a large measure the future place of Thief River Falls among Minnesota municipalities.

Paving Placed First.

"An error of judgment at this time might have serious consequences, but more serious would be the result of not recognizing the opportunities before you and failing to make any forward move for fear it might be the wrong one.

"Among the things which in my judgment should receive your consideration at the earliest possible moment are the following: The tax payers of the city have shown unmistakably that the paving of the business streets is one of the first things desired. We all hope that the work begun may be carried to a speedy conclusion, but I would urge that you satisfy yourselves that the present condition of the streets is such that pavement can be laid thereon with safety, and that there be no danger of depressions at certain points by reason of the installation of sewer and water pipes, and the consequent settling of the soil.

Water Supply.

"It is very essential to the health and comfort of the citizens that the city be supplied with good, pure drinking water. In my opinion this can be supplied through the installation of a filtering plant and taking the water supply from the Red Lake river. At small additional cost a softening process may be installed if the same is found necessary.

Municipal Lighting.

"Our light current should be changed so that the city plant will be in condition to furnish sufficient electricity for the present requirements and leave a margin for the needs that are certain to arise in the near future.

"I strongly recommend that steps be at once taken to provide the city with power for its lighting plant. This should be done, either through the city purchasing the present dam or entering into negotiations with some company or corporation willing and able to develop its possibilities in order that sufficient power may be guaranteed at the end of the present contract with the dam owners. This, gentlemen, is very essential.

"Each of you should at once familiarize himself with the present drainage project which proposes the deepening of Red Lake river and the installation of retaining locks at the outlet of Red Lakes. Upon this project depends the reclamation of a large area of agricultural lands tributary to Thief River Falls and its future as a manufacturing city.

Commission Government.

"I fully agree with my worthy predecessor as to a change in the manner of our city government. In his message to the council two years ago he said: 'I strongly recommend the adoption of the city charter prepared by the charter committee appointed by District Judge Grindeland. These men labored for months and prepared this to fit the existing conditions of our city and I fully believe this charter covers as near the ideal of a city government under present conditions as is possible to work out.

For City Parks.

"I decidedly favor such action on the part of your honorable body as will lead to a city park or park system. Play grounds for children are necessary and beneficial. Tracts suitable for park purposes may still be *obtained at a reasonable figure.* Within a very short time these will be converted to other uses and unless we act at once will be forever placed outside the reach of the people.

"The city band is entitled to your loyal support and such financial support as in your judgment is necessary to its maintenance.

Auditorium Repairs.

"Steps should be taken at once to make necessary repairs to our city auditorium. This building represents the outlay of a large amount of money and its preservation and upkeep should be a matter of pride to the people of the city.

"The city library should at all times have your consideration and support.

"As a purely business proposition I recommend that this council protect the interests of the city on all contracts by insisting on surety bonds being furnished when contracts are entered into.

"I recommend that some provision be made for suitable rest rooms and more convenient toilet facilities for ladies or gentlemen. This is simply in line with the action taken by all progressive cities.

Should Ascertain Cost.

"I strongly urge upon you the necessity of ascertaining the cost of operation of our city water and light department. The accessory and electric utensil department of the city should show a yearly profit. I would suggest that you obtain a monthly invoice of electrical supplies and that a system of bookkeeping be installed to show the monthly profit or loss from that particular department. I suggest further that instructions be given your light department and building inspector that they permit no defective wiring in new buildings. This not only is a saving in the cost of insurance but is an added protection to the safety of our citizens.

Pleads For Harmony.

"In conclusion, I venture to express the hope that the council will consider the mayor at least in some degree a part of the city government. Realizing fully that each and every member of the city council is actuated only by motives of the highest patriotism and the utmost concern for the welfare of the city at large, I venture the hope that we may work together harmoniously and with the sole purpose in view of giving those who have honored us the best and most conscientious service of which we are capable."

Bill Noonan Writes Governor Burnquist Interesting Letter

Governor Burnquist has been both praised and criticised for sending the state militia to International Falls for the purpose of quelling an alleged labor disturbance. In the northern section of the state, where the situation is best understood, the impression is that a mistake was made by the state's chief executive and he is coming in for a lot of hard roasting, not all of which is as good natured as the following from the Baudette Region:

"To Gov. Burnquist:

"Dear Joe: Far be it from us to stick a spoon into anything that doesn't concern us, but that awful dish of spaghetti you have cooked at International Falls is so bad that a little more stirring won't make it any worse.

"We'll tell the world and suburbs, Joseph, that you made a whale of a mistake when you loaded the soldiers on the choo choos and headed them towards Backusville. But we didn't blame you because we make them ourselves.

"But you made a real skull stumble when your mistake was pointed out to you. In language as plain as the nose on the face of the mayor of Jerusalem it was shown that the strike was as dangerous as a pug dog with a muzzle, and that the presence of soldiers was about as useful as a bee in a paper flower.

"There was where you should have zigzagged out of the danger zone, Joe, but did you? Notta chance.

"You took your pen in hand and dashed off a telegram calling Dr. Withrow, F. J. McPartlin and others enemies of the state. And even a governor can't give those kind of kisses and expect the receivers to explode with joy.

"Now let us take an astigmatic squint at the facts, Joe.

"When the kaiser went crazy and tried to make the U. S. a suburb of Postdam Doc. Withrow was a mere kid of some 50 years, but he pointed his bunions towards France, where he stayed in the front line until the kaiser and the crown prince beat it for Holland and points north.

"Frank McPartlin had already done his bit in the Spanish-American duet, and by the time the recent war bloomed he had accumulated a wife and a whole flock of little McPartlins, but mighty little wealth. He had also accumulated varicose veins and a few other defects and there wasn't a recruiting officer in the country crazy enough to accept him. But Mac got up on his hind feet, shouted 'To hell with the kaiser,' forgot that he had a business of his own, whooped it up for war activities, and for two years was busier than a one-armed bill poster in a wind storm.

"If Doc and Mac are enemies of the state, Joe, then we are a Chinaman.

"The trouble, old pal, is that you don't understand the situation at the Falls. Ed Backus and his men are like a village quartet. They're always out of tune.

"Ed and his men are always scrapping, but no gore is ever spilled; and International Falls knows it. In the present fuss the city believes the strikers are right, but the situation can be adjusted without you butting in.'

"For the love of Peter call the soldiers off, Joe. You are wasting a thundering lot of the people's money, and are giving workmen the impression that the state militia is being used to intimidate labor."

Live Stock Market Report New Feature in The Times

Special attention is called to the weekly summary in this issue of the live stock market at South St. Paul. Through special arrangements with the South St. Paul Publicity Bureau, this reliable market review will be a feature of The Times every week. It will be short, concise and reliable and should prove of great benefit to our farm readers.

The South St. Paul Bureau, which is in charge of Walter A. Williams, a veteran market reporter, will act as the South St. Paul representative for The Times and will furnish our readers with correct market information at any time. Just drop a line to the Bureau, mentioning the fact that you are a subscriber to The Times. When on the market, Mr. Williams will be glad to receive a call from you.

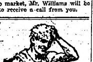

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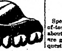

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Local News Notes

Mrs. Leonard Johnson visited at Holt last Friday.

Supt. David Johnson of Warren, was a visitor in this city last Tuesday.

Erick Modin of Middle River visited between trains in this city on Tuesday.

H. O. Loken and H. E. Sidberg returned on Friday from a business trip to Warroad.

Mrs. R. Wallin spent the latter part of last week in this city visiting with friends.

Miss Mable Johnson of Holt visited with friends in this city the first of the week.

Miss Cora Rogne of Warroad, is a guest of her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, for a week.

D. Huddleson of St. Hilaire, was in this city on Saturday attending to business affairs.

Anton Hagen, clerk of court of Roseau county, was in the city on business last Friday.

Miss Carrie Urness left this city on Monday afternoon for Gary, where she will attend the funeral services of a niece.

E. Davidson of Holt, spent Monday in this city, returning to his home on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Augusta Anderson of Steiner, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. T. J. Brokke, this week.

G. Borgland left on Thursday morning for [illegible], where he will be employed in a store.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen of Goodridge spent Tuesday in this city shopping and visiting with friends.

Mrs. G. Howard Smith has as her guest this week Mrs. Louis Moen and son, Louis Jr., of Montreal.

P. Jorgenson arrived Wednesday from Erskine and will spend a short while visiting with friends.

Miss Nora Rye of this city, left on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will be employed.

Mrs. T. A. Jordahl of Gatzke spent Thursday and Friday in this city attending to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hansel of Red Lake Falls, visited in this city between trains on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Brown left on Monday evening for the Twin Cities, where she will be the guest of friends for an indefinite period.

Oscar Gigstad and Harold Holmes of St. Hilaire, spent Wednesday in this city, visiting with friends.

Miss A. Mickleson arrived here on Tuesday afternoon from Holt to visit with friends for a few days.

Mrs. Ole Sande of Viking, arrived Monday evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sondreal.

F. J. Dudley left on Tuesday morning for Middle River and Strathcona, where he will transact business.

E. C. Karwand came up from Hazel last Thursday evening and made a brief visit at his parental home.

Mrs. J. Amble accompanied by Miss Thorstad both of St. Hilaire shopped and visited in this city on Tuesday.

E. Engelstad of Grand Forks, visited in this city last Saturday enroute to his parental home at Gatzke.

R. D. V. Carr, editor of the Middle River Pioneer, was a business caller in this city on Friday and Saturday.

Miss J. Gustafson left on Monday afternoon for Ulen, where she will visit with friends for a short while.

Mrs. J. Kassa left on Monday afternoon for Crookston, where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Miss Esther Samuelson of Warren, arrived Monday evening and is a guest at the J. Longren home in this city.

Miss Marie Olson of Erskine, arrived Monday evening for a brief visit with her friend, Miss Clara Thompson.

Dan Patterson was a business caller in this city on Tuesday. He returned to St. Hilaire on the afternoon train.

H. A. and Leonard Stopple of Alexandria, are guests this week at the home of their sister, Mrs. B. E. Dalquist.

Tudy Brink of St. Hilaire, spent the latter part of last week visiting at the home of his brother, Mauritz Brink.

Miss Marie Anderson came down from Newfolden Monday evening and is spending a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. Fred Johnson left on Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. A. L. Rolland returned to St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon having made a brief visit with relatives in this city.

Miss Lillian Brabender left on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will complete a course in business.

C. D. Gustafson left on Monday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend an implements dealers' convention.

Miss Olive Skyrud arrived Monday evening from Park River, N. D., and is a guest of her friends, Miss Ella Rasmussen.

Ed. Nelson left on Wednesday morning for Holt, where he will spend a short time visiting at the home of his parents.

William [illegible] of Grand Forks, was a business caller in this city last Saturday, returning to his home in the afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter of Red Lake Falls shopped and visited in this city on Tuesday returning to her home in the afternoon.

Mrs. L. F. Gesell left on Saturday evening for the Twin Cities, where she will spend a short time visiting with relatives.

Miss Viola Axelson of Rosewood visited here a few days the latter part of last week. She returned to her home on Friday.

Mrs. O. O. Sande and daughter left Tuesday morning for Middle River, where they will visit with relatives for a short time.

Miss Phyllis Dock left for Greenbush the latter part of last week and will finish the remainder of the school term in that city.

Scott Laird made a brief business call at Holt on Wednesday, going there in the morning and returning on the afternoon train.

Mrs. Chas. Olson of Bigo River, Sask., Can., spent the latter part of last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Olson.

Miss Clara Gunstad of St. Hilaire, visited over Sunday in this city with her sister, Miss Rose, who attends the local high school.

Geo. Newbury made a brief business call at Middle River the first of the week. He returned here on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Tillie Oftedahl left on Saturday for Kennedy, where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. Winger, until Tuesday evening.

Miss Olive Nelson of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city on Saturday. She returned to her home on the afternoon train.

Mrs. Olaf Olson of Middle River, arrived Friday to attend to some shopping. She returned to her home on Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Warner arrived Monday evening from Neving, Minn., and will spend a short while visiting with relatives in this city.

Carl Carlson, accompanied by his mother, who received medical treatment in this city, returned to their home at Rollis on Saturday.

Judge Holm of Roseau visited between trains on Tuesday with his daughters, Mrs. Clarence Erickson and Mrs. Leslie Provencher.

Miss Bertha Lelmors left this city on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston and Grand Forks where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Miss Selma Aamodt of Greenbush, visited in this city on Monday enroute to Minneapolis, where she will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Miss Pearl Warring, who attends the local high school, left on Friday morning for Steiner, where she will visit with relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. H. W. Nerkens returned to her home in Benedict, N. D. on Thursday after a pleasant visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. A. Mathews.

Misses Gladys Anderson and Louise Majeres left last Thursday evening for the Twin Cities, where they are spending a week visiting with friends.

Misses Agnes Ankerdalen and Clara Johnson came down from Holt on Thursday and spent the day shopping, returning to their homes on Friday.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney returned the latter part of last week from Crookston, where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Lucy Ures.

Arthur Peterson of Greenbush, arrived Monday afternoon and visited with friends between trains, leaving for Minneapolis on the evening flyer.

Miss Selma Hoff returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Tuesday afternoon having come down here in the morning to attend to some shopping.

Miss Esther Sundahl returned to Bronson, where she is engaged in teaching school, after spending Sunday at her parental home in this city.

Mrs. Anna Dock, accompanied by Mrs. T. A. Torgerson, returned here on Thursday morning from Minneapolis, where they visited for a week.

H. C. Geise, who has been visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Scott Laird, for a week, returned to his home at Winona, on Thursday.

Mrs. N. B. Waldorf and daughter returned to this city Wednesday morning from Euclid, where they had been visiting with the former's parents.

T. Riereson, bookkeeper for the Oen Mercantile company, left on Monday morning for Holt, where he will visit at his parental home for a short while.

Miss Stella Charboneau left this city on Friday morning for Bisbee, N. D., where she will spend a short while visiting with her brother who resides there.

Mrs. J. E. Mahoney and daughter arrived Tuesday morning from Crookston for a brief visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Delina LaCoe.

Miss Hazel Haraldson arrived on Tuesday from Crookston, and is spending a short period in this city as the guest of her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin.

John Hogan of Greenbush, made a brief visit in this city on Monday enroute to Grant, Nebr., where he has accepted a position as teacher in the city schools.

Herman Bischoff, who spent the holidays at his home in this city, returned to Faribault, where he attends the School for the Blind, on Thursday evening.

J. C. Clausen, accompanied by his son, Henry, arrived Tuesday evening from their home at Oslo, and will spend a few days in the city visiting with relatives.

Mrs. John Skomedahl came down from Steiner on Tuesday and spent a brief period in this city attending to shopping and visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. P. B. Kress and two children, Ivy and Lee, made their departure for their home at Spokane, Wash., after a month's visit at the J. S. Collin's home in this city.

Mrs. A. Knutson, who had been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Paulson, for two weeks, returned to her home at Minneapolis, Thursday evening.

Miss Gladys Black returned to her home in Grand Forks on Saturday afternoon, having made a brief visit with Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichhammer.

Miss Lena Evenson, who is employed at Benson's dry goods store, left the latter part of last week for Minneapolis, where she will visit with relatives for two weeks.

Miss Mary Vance, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. Vance, left last Friday evening for Minneapolis, where they will engage in shopping for three or four days.

Mrs. Olaf Tessum left last Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where she will spend a short time visiting with her daughter, Miss Evelyn, who is a student at the university.

Miss Clara Quistberg, who has been employed at the Loken department store, left on Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she has accepted a similar position.

Miss Lena Robertson recently resigned her position as head of the ready-to-wear department of Loken Bros. department store and is enjoying a well earned vacation.

Mrs. Erick Andersen, mother of A. J. Andersen of this city, who has been spending the holidays with the family of her son, returned to her home in Hendrum on Friday.

D. J. Cordes, bandmaster, returned to this city last Friday after having attended to some business affairs and visiting with friends in the cities of Fargo and Mayville, N. D.

Mrs. Fred Dablow, accompanied by Mrs. John Morgan, spent Monday in Detroit, Minn., visiting with some of the former's relatives. They returned to this city Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. August Booren, who have been visiting at the home of their son, Dr. G. W. Booren, since the holidays, left on Saturday evening for their home at Stillwater.

Mrs. Lucy Ures is in the city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Victoria McKinney. She contemplates leaving for Grand Forks in the near future, where she has accepted a position.

Miss Lily Hoard, who has been engaged in teaching school in Montana, is a guest of her parents in this city for a month, after which she will enter the university of North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Boe of Erskine, visited in this city on Friday enroute to Gatzke, where they will spend a short time visiting with friends. They were formerly residents of that vicinity.

Mrs. J. C. Clausen of Oslo, arrived in this city Monday evening and will be the guest of her niece, Miss Christine Clausen, and daughter, Miss Minnie, who has been visiting the latter.

C. M. Rolland, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. G. E. Hanson, left on Monday evening for Mentor, where they attended the funeral services of a cousin, which was held on Tuesday.

Miss Audia Lauly, accompanied by her sister, Miss Aund Lauly, who have been visiting with friends at Middle River, spent Friday in this city enroute to their home at Hibbing.

T. J. Austad, editor of The Times, returned to this city last Thursday evening, after a three weeks' vacation spent in visiting with relatives and friends in the cities of Duluth and Superior.

Mrs. Wm. Olson of Winger, arrived Monday evening from Orleans, where she had been visiting and will be the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon in this city for a brief period.

Mrs. S. T. Nomland and two children, of Fox, were visitors in this city the latter part of last week and while here had some dental work attended to. They returned to their home last Friday.

Mrs. W. J. Kirkwood returned to her home in Crookston on Wednesday afternoon after a brief visit with her mother and friends here. Mrs. Kirkwood was formerly Miss Lizzie LaCoe of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Warner and children, who visited with relatives in this city on Monday evening, left for Holt Tuesday morning, where they will be the guests of the former's parents for a short time.

Miss C. Nickelson, school nurse in the schools of Grand Forks, made a brief visit in this city with Miss Anna Skeim, head nurse at the local hospital. She returned to Grand Forks on Monday afternoon.

M. T. McFarland returned to this city the first of the week from California, where he had been for the past month, making his return via the Canadian route. Mrs. McFarland and children will follow later.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Provencher and son arrived here the latter part of last week from their home in Pierre, S. D., and will spend a short time visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julien Provencher.

J. C. Thomas and son, Everett, of Middle River, were in this city on Thursday and while here purchased a very fine team of draft horses to be used on the farm owned by O. D. Osthy of this city and of which Mr. Thomas is a renter.

E. S. Wilcox, insurance agent, accompanied by his wife, left on Monday afternoon for Great Falls, Mont., where the former will be engaged in an inspection tour. They contemplate remaining in the above named state for a period of ten days.

Dr. Bratrud of Warren, accompanied by Ralph Rasmussen of this city, left last Saturday evening for points in the south and west, their first stop being El Paso, Texas, continuing to San Francisco, Cal., where they will spend an indefinite period.

A. C. Stoddard, who has been visiting at his home in Grand Forks returned to this city on Tuesday morning to resume his duties in the Evenson vulcanizing shop. Mr. Stoddard was accompanied by his wife who will spend a few days visiting here.

Miss Mable Sathre, who has been teaching in the vicinity of St. Hilaire, spent Sunday in this city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Benson. She left on Monday morning for Middle River, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the city school.

Morris Robbecke, who has spent the past month visiting at his parental home in this city, left on Thursday evening for New York City, where he will be engaged in clerical work in some large office. Mr. Robbecke will visit at Minneapolis and Niagara Falls enroute to the above mentioned place.

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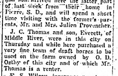

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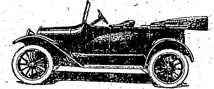

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FAIR WILL BE CONTINUED

Townships Asked to Make Appropriations to Help Finance Show.

The new flour mill at Goodridge received the finishing touches last week and began the grinding of flour on Wednesday. It was an event of much importance to the people of the village as well as to the farmers residing in the eastern end of the county, the new enterprise providing a home market for the wheat grown there as well as making the securing of feed a matter of much greater convenience. The following, taken from the Goodridge Banner, indicates that high hopes are entertained for the success of the venture:

"After many delays and disappointments the flouring mill is complete, with the heating plant in place, and the real work of manufacturing the Marquis Patent flour was begun Wednesday. As it is now possible to properly steam and dry the wheat before it is ground the flour will be of a much better quality than that heretofore made. In fact it is expected to compete with that made anywhere as the machinery is all modern and up-to-date.

Fifty Barrels Per Day.

"When the farmer brings his wheat and exchanges for flour, he saves freight two ways both on the wheat to market and on the flour returning here from the city mills, besides the profit of the middleman. He also gets the by-product, bran, shorts, middlings. The mill has a capacity of 50 barrels per 24 hour day, but it is not expected to get the wheat to work up to anything like the full capacity. There is now stored in the mill's bins between 5,000 and 6,000 bushels of good milling wheat and more coming in constantly.

"As the mill becomes advertised and its work and the quality of its product is known, there will no doubt be a large increase in the business of the town. Such an enterprise in a little town, the advertising it gives us and the trade it will add, can hardly be estimated. The worst trouble the mill will have to contend with will be the difficulty of getting wheat enough to keep it running on a paying basis, but it is hoped that all seasons will not be like the season of 1919, with the crops badly injured by the floods."

Will Continue Fair.

The Tri-County Fair association held its annual meeting at Goodridge last week and it was unanimously decided to hold another exhibition next year. The first fair, held last August, was successful beyond the hopes of its most ardent supporters and warrants the people of the neighborhood in the belief that its continuance is justifiable.

A large number of farmers from the surrounding country were in attendance and the question as to whether or not the fair should be made a permanent feature was discussed from every angle. County Agent J. J. McCann was in attendance and offered many valuable suggestions.

Ask Township Help.

It was stated that most of the leading men in the different townships would favor the making of donations to the fair association by the towns, and committees were appointed as follows, to have the matter brought before the people at the coming spring election:

Highlanding—Wm. Vaughan, Elmer Bly, C. Crompton.

Reiner—Andrew Feragen, Anton Knutson, J. E. McEnelly, Elof Ankre, Torgus Morken.

Moylan—John Lamporter, John Kast.

Cloverleaf—Charles Thompson, S. Scheie, P. P. Palmer.

Star—Hans Solberg, Olaf Omlid, Ole Johnsrud.

Goodridge—O. N. Urdahl, M. Vaughan, Henry Lien.

Kratka—F. B. Robinson, Steve Singer, R. N. Johnson.

Officers Are Elected.

As officers for the ensuing year the following were elected: Stuart McLeod, president; Morgan Vaughan, vice president; Harvey Bly, second vice president; B. O. Norby, secretary; Nick Bundhund, treasurer.

There are four directors remaining to be chosen, the different committees being selected by the board as soon as the membership is completed.

After the meeting a fine lunch was served for [illegible] attending, Mrs. McDonald, [illegible], Mrs. Tvedt, Mrs. Vaughan [illegible] Kiddle being the hostesses.

Notice For Bids.

To rent for the season of 1920, the hay stumpage on the east half of Section 35, Township of Numedal. I will rent to the highest cash bidder. Bids will be received up to Feb. 16. Check must be enclosed with bid. Send your bids to

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Duluth Woman Eats Anything and Enjoys Health. Praises Tanlac.

"I have been trying for seven long years to find a medicine or treatment that would give me some relief from my suffering, but all my efforts failed until I commenced taking Tanlac," said Mrs. Marie Shetts, who lives at 412 East Fifth street, Duluth, Minn., the other day.

"During all these years," she continued, "I suffered something awful with a bad case of stomach trouble. After eating anything gas would form so bad I could hardly get a good breath, and I finally got to where a little toast and milk was about all I could eat, and that would often cause me to suffer. I also suffered from bad spells of headache very often, and when these spells came on I would have to give up and go to bed and stay there until they passed off. These troubles just kept getting worse until I was so weak and run down I was hardly able to get about. In fact, I was so weak that if I exerted myself the least bit I would be completely exhausted. My nerves were in mighty bad condition, too, and it was out of the question for me to get a good night's sleep. The different medicines I took didn't seem to do me any good at all and I had almost given up hope of ever finding anything that would overcome my troubles.

"So many people were talking about Tanlac and telling about the good results they had gotten by using it, so I thought I would just give it a trial myself. I can truthfully say, that the very first bottle I took made a big change in my condition, and from that time on I just continued to improve until now I am free from all my suffering and enjoying the best of health. I have a splendid appetite now, and eat three hearty meals every day without suffering a particle afterwards. I can easily do all my housework now, and I am very glad to say that those terrible headaches have left me entirely. In fact, Tanlac has completely overcome my troubles and as long as I live I will never lose an opportunity to say a good word for this wonderful medicine."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store.—Adv.

Improving Billiard Parlor.

H. O. Field, who some weeks ago purchased and took possession of the Club billiard parlor, has recently completed a number of very substantial improvements in the place. A complete set of the newest and best tables to be had replace the old ones, together with new cue racks and other furnishings necessary in a billiard room. The appearance of Mr. Field's place also has materially been enhanced by the placing of a handsome new partition between the billiard room and front part of the building, which is occupied by the cigar store, confectionery and soft drink parlor. The new proprietor also plans a new set of fixtures for this latter department in the near future.

Bought Mavie Store.

Gilbert Sandum, the Thief River Falls merchant, last week became the owner of the Mavie Mercantile company's store, purchasing the business from Gust Anderson. Mr. Sandum will continue his Thief River Falls store, placing a resident manager in charge of the Mavie enterprise and dividing his own time between the two towns.

PUBLIC FORUM

Opposed to Dancing.

There seems to be considerable agitation as to the morality or immorality of the dance. I believe it is proper for every Christian as well as parent to give it a careful study at this time when the fever is raging sky high.

A study of the origin, history, association and influence of any institution usually leads to a correct estimate of its worth. To observe the origin, history, association and influence of the dance, will enable any person to form an accurate estimate of its value as a factor in building a strong, noble character.

The dance of the modern times did not originate with God or his people, but it had its origin in the houses of ill fame during the palmy days of ancient Greece—a heathen nation. Heathenism and prostitution originates from one source—the devil and his imps. Thus the fact remains that the dance, which was born in the houses of ill fame, is an institution of the devil, calculated to undermine the virtue of the young, and it has had remarkable success.

Here is the proof: The chief of police of New York City says: "Seventy-five per cent of the fallen girls of the city trace their ruin to the evils of the modern dance."

The official organ of the W. C. T. U., once said: "Out of the 500,000 fallen women in the United States, seventy-five per cent of them are where they are through the modern dance." Think of it, ye people, 375,000 women who once were virtuous and pure ruined through this thing of which you say "there is no harm."

You plead for morality in the dance! I inquire: Where is it? I am told by those of experience that unless the gentleman comes up close and performs the part properly, and combine the two figures into one gracefully, he is shunned by the fair sex as a bad partner. As one of long experience in dancing said: "The eyes can look, and the hand press the impression the lips dare not utter."

An army officer is said to have exclaimed, after seeing the modern waltz for the first time: "If any man were to embrace my wife after that fashion, I would horsewhip him."

The chief attraction in the dance is the contact of opposite sexes, permitted nowhere else. Take this away, and the dance will be a thing of the past.

Mothers! Do you esteem the value of the virtue of your daughters so low that you are willing to sell them for the price paid at the door of the dance hall? As you prize chastity, shun the dance.

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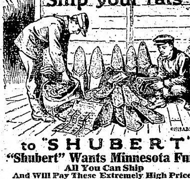

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Interesting Speakers.

(Anna Wedul.)

Many interesting speakers have visited the Lincoln high school lately. On Friday, Nov. 21, all the high school students and teachers had the pleasure of hearing three very famous speakers, Dr. Frist Osten-Sacken, Mr. Williams, and Miss Shelland. Dr. Fritz Osten-Sacken spoke about our government as compared with other governments of different countries. His speech lasted quite a while, but no one got tired of listening to him. Mr. Williams spoke about thrift, as many people do not know what that word means. Miss Shelland spoke in regard to a film which was shown at the Princess theatre some time ago. "At the End of the Road," was the name of the film, and she explained it so thoroughly that no one could help but understand it. All three speakers were very interesting and their lectures were appreciated by the students.

Failure Slips Sent Out.

Some parents of students at the high school received notices from the superintendent's office that certain students had failed in certain subjects since the beginning of the school year and were asked to confer with the teachers regarding the cases. The reason for failure of these students is the fact that they do not study their lessons. These students are permitted to continue in the classes only on the condition that they very seriously study their lessons. In this connection it is a pleasure for the superintendent to state that over 95% of the students do study their lessons carefully, sincerely and conscientiously and those who do not do so are in a great minority. It is intended that students should realize that school is a serious matter and that it should be treated seriously. It is to be hoped that parents who receive such notifications will take the proper steps to see to it that the students involved do get down to business and work.

Girls' Gymnastics.

(Hilda Hammarsten)

The girls physical exercises have now begun. Every Tuesday and Thursday for forty minutes after school the bloomer girls go through the various exercises. These are under the supervision of Miss Gunlaugson and have proven to be most interesting as well as helpful.

All the various physical culture exercises are gone through and in addition games pertaining to this nature are played. Needless to say, many were the aching backs and stiff limbs after the first drill but the girls are getting accustomed to it and are going at it with more enthusiasm than ever.

This is something that has not been practiced for a number of years but it was deemed wiser to introduce these classes again and it has proved to be appreciated by the students. There are about forty girls enrolled for this work. It is not compulsory but anyone who wishes to take it may do so.

Physical Training in High School.

(Ole Helle.)

Physical training is of the greatest importance to high school students, and we are glad to be able to announce that instruction of this kind has been taken up in our high school. The benefit of the mental training received is directly dependent on the physical condition of the student, and if one wants to get the most out of his studies, he must see to it that his body is not neglected. Physical exercise is absolutely necessary to develop and maintain the general health. Every organ in the body is dependent on the muscles for their proper functioning, and the purity of the blood is established by muscular exercise. All kinds of sports, such as wrestling, sparring and horizontal bar practices, as well as the out-of-door athletics are invaluable if not over-done, but some kind of systematic exercises should be performed regularly to effect a symmetrical development, especially of the internal muscles.

Prowler Booster Meeting.

(James Helle)

A "booster" meeting was held by the Prowler Annual Staff, at the regular chapel period on January 8. The primary purpose was to create spirit generally and to promote a warmer interest in the work of producing the book; and also to acquaint the student body with the changes that had been made in the staff, at a previous meeting. It was pointed out that the urgent need is material, and an appeal was made for each individual to contribute something. The meeting was conducted by the new editor-in-chief, Vera Dailey, and short talks were rendered by members of the staff and the advisers of each of the classes.

First Try-Out.

(Marguerite DeCremer)

On Thursday afternoon, Dec. 18th, the first of the preliminary try-outs for the declamatory squads was held. The participants in the try-out were as follows: Maybelle Ostby, Rose Orzichowski, Olga Koglin, Gladys Nelson and Luella Pederson. Luella Pederson received first honor with Gladys Nelson second and a tie among the other three girls for third place.

News Items.

(Anna Leimers)

Miss Alice Bourque and Mr. Herman Bishcoff rendered a musical program at the Lincoln high school last Monday. Both Miss Bourque and Mr. Bischoff are musicians of high merit, and their musical selections were well received by the audience.

Last Thursday morning a new fire bell was installed in the high school and fire drill was practiced. The alarm was sounded without previous warning and the try out worked very successfully, the building being emptied in record time.

Two of the seventh grade geography classes are constructing miniature Panama canals as a part of their study of that topic. Keen interest is displayed by the pupils in this work.

The eighth grade arithmetic classes are making a collection of the outside problems which they have worked and are forming them into booklets.

The Most Interesting Old Woman I Know.

(By Lucile Curtis)

When I was a little girl, I visited in Danville, Ill., and met an interesting, little, old woman. Everybody loved her and especially the children, for they called her grandmother. I remember her kind old face with its pleasant smile. Her eyes were blue with a warm light glowing within their depths. A pale pink tinted her plumb little cheeks and deepened into rose when memories came back to her mind. Grandmother's face, though soft and sweet, had something so oddly artistocratic about it that one could almost guess at a glance that she came from an old Southern family. She always wore a little cap made of beautiful old-fashioned lace pinned on her glossy hair. On special occasions, Grandmother wore rustling black silk with a fichu of exquisite old lace softly draped and pinned at her throat with a cameo brooch. A faint odor of oris root clung to her clothes, and made one think of flower gardens in the romantic days of 1860.

The little cottage in which grandmother lived suggested to the passer-by just what sort of person dwelt within. The well-kept yard was surrounded by a white fence. A crooked little path led up to the door-step, bordered with modest little pansies. The cottage itself was white with a bright red roof that gleamed with the hospitality and good cheer that it covered. Thick vines almost buried the front of the cottage from view, and bright hollyhocks stood like stately guards against the south side. The old-fashioned garden was beautiful. It was no wonder that grandmother sat for many hours at a time admiring it and taking long breaths of the perfume-laden air.

The crooked little path ran through the garden and led up to the kitchen door. It seems but yesterday when I walked into that spotless kitchen with its big cooking range, into whose oven grandmother has popped hundreds and hundreds of cookies and cakes. An old brown jar stood on the cupboard shelf and nearly every child in Danville knew that it was filled to the brim with fat, spicy ginger cookies of the kind which grandmother alone could make.

Grandmother's sitting room and bedroom were furnished with quaint, carved mahogany furniture that was many generations old and showed their antiquity by never a scratch or scar.

Grandmother's garret was the favorite retreat of the neighborhood children, and their young hearts beat fast in anticipation when Grandmother opened the door that led to that haven of delight where memories lived. Once more, in my dreams, I am scampering up those creaking stairs and opening the dusty old trunks to behold the treasures within. Grandmother is showing me the frilly blue frock that she wore when she met the great Abraham Lincoln. She is telling me the same sweet stories of her girlhood that I first listened to so long ago. She shows me her beautiful wedding gown of satin and fine lace, and then, very tenderly, she takes the cover off a little brown box and lets me peep at its precious contents. Some tiny dresses, and little shoes, and a lock of golden hair is all that grandmother has to remind her of her own little child that, in spite of every effort to save it, died so many years ago. These memories are too much for grandmother, so she closes the trunk and, with a promise of another visit to the garret, I descend, though very slowly and very unwillingly.

Those golden hours, so full of joy and free from care, are gone, I dreamed once that I was back in Danville, visiting at grandmother's. That is an idle dream, for grandmother is dead.

Personality.

(Chas. Warner)

The first thing to impress you about a military parade is that all the men in the ranks have been uniformed and equipped alike, and drilled to make them think and act alike. Each man marches with the regulation angle, swings his left arm in the regulation manner.

Yet, as you look closer, you observe that one man is individualized by the peculiar tilt of his hat, another by the set of his shoulders, another by his heavy features; and if you could see these same soldiers going into action, you would be convinced that no uniformity of dress or rigor of drill can deprive a man of his personality.

In the great industrial army, thousands of men are doing the same thing in the same way. Some of them, like mechanics, carpenters, bankers, etc., voluntarily wear what might be called a "trade uniform," while at work. Yet, in spite of their similarity of dress and occupation, they impress you as individuals; some of them, indeed, impress you very strongly, whether pleasantly or otherwise depends upon their personality.

Personality may be defined as that expression of individuality which makes each soldier in the ranks, each worker in the industrial army stand out as a man differing in many ways from his companions.

Merton defines it as that personal distinction or dynamic force which is felt by everyone who comes within its radius. Personality is not a matter of height, build or age, nor is it due to such accidentals as complexion, color of eyes and hair.

A man, who is so intensely individual in all his thoughts and actions that he stand out head and shoulders above his class is said to be and have a strong personality, as for example, Theodore Roosevelt. A man who through laziness or timidity, usually allows others to dominate him is said to have a weak personality, a good example is Mr. Henpeck of the comic papers. The type of man whose looks or actions are offensive to others has what we call are offensive or *disagreeable* personality; while the man who makes a good first impression and wears well upon acquaintance, possesses that most desirable character which is a pleasing personality. The man of offensive, weak or disagreeable personality has not a future in the industrial world. Most persons to whom we ascribe personality are offensive to certain persons or classes. It is common knowledge that Roosevelt was disliked by thousands in this country, more because of his personality than his ideas or actions.

Personality might be called the outward expression of our true selves, a sign board advertising to the world what we are and what we can do. In regard the world will take our advertising as a statement of facts, and judge and treat us accordingly.

"Writing of Free Verse."

(Agnes Oftedahl)

The making of "free verse," or "vers libre," as it is variously termed, has become an industry employing much labor, skilled and unskilled. Some of this product is admirable in theme and purpose, fittingly expressed in a form to which we are gradually becoming accustomed, tho it defies all the ancient rules of verse-fication.

It would seem, however, that the greater number of the vers-librists have adopted this method of putting their thoughts before the public because it is so easy. They are saved the trouble of thinking up rhymes and can dismiss metre from their thoughts. Now, it is not necessary that real poetry should rhyme. There are those who think that a cultivated car is of a greater value to a poet than a cultivated mind, and there are even some who affirm that the writing of fine poetry does not indicate a cultivated, intelligent brain any more than does the composing of splendid music. Largely speaking, the maker of free verse rejoices in a commonplace, unpoetic theme, like milkman on his route, which some critical dunce is sure to call "getting down to the heart of the garbage car, the galvanized iron car, as the white winged scavengers make their rounds. Oh, the cars thundering before each area door! How they rattle and bang, bang!" By dividing this into lines of unequal length and adorning the first word of each with a capital letter this mess is converted into free verse.

It is easy enough to write, but how even the boldest poet contrives to sell it is a mystery.

If it be true, as has been said, that literature is a good crutch on which to lean for partial support, free verse may be described as a reed, and a broken one at that.

How I Earned My First Dollar.

(Alma Savig.)

One day, an old woman who is our neighbor, came over and asked me if I had any time to come over to her house and help her house-clean. I said "yes," and so I went with her.

The work I had to do was very hard and it was very long. I had to beat rugs, wash windows and many other things.

I stayed there five hours that day and when I had finished the work she came over and handed me one dollar. I did not want to accept that much, but she made me take it. This was my first earned dollar.

Fisherman's Luck.

(Fred Paulson)

We went a fishin' yesterday,
My pa and me;
And found the skeeters was as thick
As they could be.
They chased us up and down the
brook,
My! how they bit
Dad smoked un' swore; said he would
stand
No more of it.
Just then I tumbled in kerplunk!
And now you see,
Because pa didn't catch a fish—
He's blamin' me.

Sophmore to Freshy!—When you stand on your head, why does the blood rush to it, and not to feet when you stand on your feet?

Freshy:—I do'no.

Sophmore:—Because your feet are'nt empty, like your head.

From (Outers Recreation) By M. C. Nella.

Talking of Strikes.

(Ida E. Shields)

There is one strike that is always plausible. One that strikes incessantly, but never without cause. Everyone sympathizes with it, and gains more by it than any other strike. It strikes often, but never leaves behind the same conditions, or brings the same new ones. Neglectful people become excited when this strike comes, but they never turn into a mob. Good working people that are always accomplishing things, are glad and proud when it comes. This strike never fails its people and eventually brings success. It is the strike of the clock.

Thomas Jefferson's Five Rules.

(Henry Sagmoen)

Never put off until tomorrow what you can do today.

Never trouble another for what you can do yourself.

Never spend your money before you have earned it.

Never buy what you don't want because it is cheap.

We seldom repent of having eaten too little.

Although Thomas Jefferson lived over a century ago, these rules are of just as great value today as they were then, and can be applied to everyday life.

Advice For the High School.

(Esther Larson.)

Freshmen:
"Frosh," I haven't much to tell you,
I have learned that good advice is
Something which but few of us need
take;
And my one and only warning, may
forsake you in a crisis,
And besides, you've got your own
career to make;
I have just this bit of warning; which
may help some go the distance
With no useless or unnecessary fall.
So when you've crowded badly, and
struggle for existence
Don't you ever stop to argue in the
hall!

Sophomores:
"Sophs," are always very quiet, and
always have their wits,
Though, of course, I will admit there
are a few
That at times when things are quiet,
they just simply have mad "fits."
And can never stay like "gentle
drops of dew."
These few are always working and
forevermore a-trying
To stir the "pep" of every Soph, and
all;
And at last they start debating on
the subject of some lying;
So don't ever stop to argue in the
hall!

Juniors:
You might always get your lessons,
you might butt your way through
granite,
You might set the "Lincoln School
pep" all aflame;
But debating in the hallways—take a
tip from me and "can" it
For the result is usually the same:
You are licked before you've started,
with your foolish protestations;
So don't ever stop to argue in the
hall!

Seniors:
There are plenty of sly tricks, that
Seniors "get away with,"
Though their mind says they are
hopeless from the start;
You may find electric wires are a
dandy thing to play with,
While from fun you're never ready to
depart;
Seniors are always doing something,
and forever a-planning,
While the Juniors sneer and prophesy
a fall;
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Neighborhood NEWS

ROSEWOOD

County Division Agitated.

Rasmus Olson and Henry Wendt of Holt were in this vicinity last Monday to secure signatures on their second petition to the governor for the division of Marshall county with the county seat to be located at Holt. Their first petition having failed on account of lack of valuation, this now having been remedied by the annexation to the new county of townships Viking and Marsh Grove, farther west. Concerning this proposed division the opinion of the people in this locality seems to be somewhat divided, a certain class is opposed to any division basing their disapproval upon the necessarily higher taxing rates, as well as no direct beneficial outcome to the township in case of division. Others are inclined to favor the Holt petition rather than that of Middle River, Holt being more easily reached, both by car and rail. Still others favor division regardless of county seat location, their arguments being that a division is absolutely necessary in order to secure honest representation at the county seat, and the only way this can be accomplished is by the forming of a new county. Another design which although new seems to be gaining rapidly in the public favor is the annexation of part of Marshall county to that of Pennington. Of course, so far this plan is only a meditation, but it seems as if in some nearby day an attempt may also be made in this direction. Pennington county it will be noticed is smaller in size than any of its sister counties excepting that of Red Lake, and has a splendid county seat which is being greatly patronized by the public for a long distance into Marshall county. It also has direct railway connections with the greater part of the new proposed county, excepting the extreme east and northern part, a part which is sadly devoid of the modern thoroughfares, but which would find the Pennington county seat within closer reach than the present Marshall county seat. However, for this plan to materialize, would mean the joint consideration of both Pennington and eastern Marshall county, and without doubt it would mean a direct financial saving to both. The Holt people propose to call the new county as outlined in their petition, "Liberty," and propose to have the matter up for general vote at the election next November.

Another Surprise Party.

Surprise parties, both of the acquaintance and the benevolent order, are playing a very important role in the Rosewood society gatherings this fall and winter, and a more pleasant diversion, in which both young and old may find amusement and recreation is hardly conceivable. Last Saturday evening brought about another of these friendship gatherings which was perhaps one of the largest and most interesting in the series this winter. This time it was Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson who were honored in this manner.

The festivities were carried on at the Congregational church in town, which was filled with over one hundred persons. Rev. Drotts, the local minister being present and acting as leader during the evening. A well selected program including a short speech, recitations, and a number of beautiful, quartet, duet and solo songs by local talent was given and a dainty luncheon was served. An envelope containing $41 was given to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson as remembrance from those present. It will be remembered that Mr. Johnson a short time ago had the misfortune of badly mangling his left hand when coming in contact with a moving circular saw.

The Rindal ladies sewing society met at the home of Mrs. A. T. Thoreson last Tuesday afternoon and was well attended, and a pleasurable afternoon spent. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. S. Axelson on Tuesday, Feb. 3.

Mrs. Lloyd Crown and baby arrived on Saturday morning from Rocksbury, and will visit with Mrs. Crown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom, south of here for some time.

Mrs. Ben Bloom and four children arrived on Saturday from Zealand, Minn., to join her husband, who arrived the first of the week with the stock and household goods, and has prepared things on their new farm northwest of town.

J. Hanson arrived on Saturday from Grygla and will visit with his daughter, Mrs. John Rafteseth until Tuesday.

Mrs. E. M. Olson returned the first of the week to her home at Ada, following a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. A. T. Thoreson, here.

Ole Jorgenson, a garage man from Erskine, left last week for his home, having visited here with the A. T. Thoreson people for some time.

Mrs. John Sagmoen has been on the sick list this week, and her sister, Mrs. Peter Stromberg, from Norden, has been assisting with the house work at her home.

Mrs. E. A. Silverness was a business visitors at Warren last Saturday, and visited with friends here over Sunday.

Anton Gulleseth, of Viking, spent two days of this week visiting at the home of her brother, G. J. Nordhagen, south of town.

One carload of wood owned by Carl Bloom, and one of grain from the Hanson and Barsen elevator, was shipped from this place this week.

The local school has been closed all week on account of the teacher, Miss Clara Pederson, being on the sick list. Both the Willowdale and Busy Bee schools opened after their holiday vacation last Monday morning.

Matt Rafteseth left last Wednesday evening for Hibbing, where he will seek carpentry work.

Contractors Chas. Sagmoen and Ben Ranum spent a couple days this week at Thief River Falls to figure with the lumber companies at that place concerning material for spring work.

Gust Silverness of Duluth, who has been visiting with his brother, Edward, north of town for some time, went to Warren on Wednesday morning and will from there proceed to his home.

Henry Sagmoen and Chester Dols, of the Thief River Falls high school, are Sundaying with their parents near here.

Miss Viola Axelson left on Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls, where she will shop over Thursday.

A subscription list is being circulated through the neighborhood this week to secure signatures for the building of a farmers elevator here, a valuable project which if materialized will mean a lot to the neighborhood. Shares will be sold at $100 each. Several farmers and business men, including Banker A. S. Holm, Swen Swenson, P. Sorenson and G. J. Nordhagen, are backing the movement.

Herbert Carlson of the Carlson & Sagmoen company, returned on Thursday morning from a week's vacation with friends and relatives farther south.

Mrs. Albert Paulson and little Miss Myrtle Mellem, left on Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls where they will have dental work performed.

John Nakken and Percy Hanson returned last Monday to Crookston, to resume their studies at the Agricultural college.

Rev. W. Drotts of Viking, conducted services in town in the forenoon and evening of last Sunday. A good sized audience listened to his message both times. While here, Rev. Drotts was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth.

Olof Hagen went to Warren on Monday morning to attend to business.

Alfred Rafteseth left last Monday evening for Grygla, where he will visit and attend to business for some time.

A report this week states that J. S. Rafteseth has purchased a quarter section of land located in the western part of section 27, from a party in Thief River Falls. If this report proves true, the Rafteseth Bros., now own over a section of land northwest of town, and it will be the largest estate in this neighborhood.

Misses Synneva Sorenson and Isabel Sagmoen, left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls, where they shopped and visited for a day.

Miss Olga Thoreson left on Monday for Thief River Falls, where she is employed, after having spent the holidays with her folks here.

Swen Swenson left on Monday evening for Newfolden, to look after his land affairs.

A communication was received on Tuesday morning from Rev. Petterson of Little Falls, stating that on account of unforseen hindrances he will be unable to fill his date at Rosewood next Sunday, and in consequence all his meetings here have been cancelled. The Y. P. S. will, however, meet as before mentioned next Friday evening and will be conducted by Rev. Drotts of Viking.

MAVIE

Miss Richardson, who is teaching school near Mavie, went to Thief River Falls Saturday, returning the following Monday.

Mr. Prichard and Magnus Lund drove to Mavie, Tuesday to transact business.

A number of the young folks of Mavie, drove to Goodridge last Friday night to attend the Legion dance. They all reported a very enjoyable time.

Miss Minnie Schie visited with her sister, Mrs. Oliver Holman, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Anna Kotlan called at the Horton home last Thursday evening.

Mr. Rosett, who has spent a few days in Thief River Falls, passed through Mavie last Monday enroute to his home near Germantown.

Mr. Gray went to Thief River Falls last Monday to attend to business affairs for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Holman, Sr., and family visited at the home of their son, Oliver, last Sunday.

Joe Oski was a business caller in Mavie last Monday.

Charlie Horton left on Monday for Hibbing, where he will be employed for the winter.

Mr. Stork called at the Fred DuChamp home last Monday and left a baby girl.

Leon Lendobja drove to Mavie on Tuesday to transact business for the day.

A number of the young folks gathered at the Skaar home last Sunday evening and all report a very enjoyable time.

S. Stenberg and son, Norman, called at the Val Yages home last Saturday evening.

Edward Schie and Johnnnie Anderson, left Monday for Duluth, where they will be employed for an indefinite period of time.

Charlie Ptacek was a business caller in Mavie last Friday.

Edward Schie visited with his sister, Mrs. Oliver Holman, last Saturday.

Kelly Horton, accompanied by his sister, Miss Leona, visited at the Gretinger home last Sunday evening.

Ben Habedank passed through Mavie last Monday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Val Yager spent a few days last week in Thief River Falls.

Willie Sanders, accompanied by his mother and Miss Alice Yager, drove to Thief River Falls Sunday morning.

Linton Palmer was out with his horse and hand-sleigh Sunday, giving all the girls a ride.

Mrs. George Stien is spending a few days at the Fred DuChamp home.

Mr. Horton, Sr., went to Thief River Falls, Monday to spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Beckeley.

Mr. Sandum, who recently purchased the Anderson store, went to Thief River Falls Saturday to spend the day.

Fred DuChamp went to Thief River Falls last Monday to spend the day.

Misses Jennie and Olga Skaar were at Mavie a few hours Monday evening.

Miss Grace Day called at the Sanders home last Sunday afternoon.

ERIE

Ole Hovet of Michigan, N. D., is visiting with his brother, Tollef Hovet.

Iver Iverson returned to the Gemmell cedar camps the first part of last week.

The East Side ladies aid met with Mrs. Z. J. Hole, Wednesday afternoon.

The Nelson-Iverson threshing rig has commenced operations three miles east of the village.

Miss Tillie Thompson and Mrs. M. Iverson, were guests at the H. A. Dahlen home Sunday afternoon.

At the recent ladies aid meeting there was considerable laughter and excitement when rather unexpectedly Mrs. Ida Johnson and Mrs. Miranda Rolsland, in athletic attire, entered the "mat" before the astonished spectators and pulled off the old norse gymnastic stunt which in English may be technically termed as "knee hook." Mrs. J. on account of her heavier weight won out, whirling her "antagonist" over quite easily. Asked why these adventurous ladies should have happened to hit upon such an unique number for the program, they both hastened to reply: "O, we thought we'd try to contrive somethin' that would put more 'pep' into the organization."

George Hoyet, in a recent letter to Oppie Olson, writes that he is now employed at the International Falls paper mill and likes his new occupation well. His brother, John, has been working at the same place for some time past.

Miss Thompson, the S. E. Star pedagogue, has abandoned housekeeping at "Camp Clover Nook" (school house) and taken up her abode at the Paddy Iverson cottage.

"Bad Brew."

(By Sub Urban)

SCENE: Central Star Township.

CAST: Oliver, Even, Jens, Omund, Henry and The Lady of the House.

It is quite a few days ago now. It happened during the Christmas-New Year week. "They" (The Lady of the House and Henry excepted) had been imbibing quantities of home-made "Yule Schnapps" and were having what is popularly called an "enjoyable time." But there was a sad side to this "drama" also.

Oliver was weeping and consoled himself as best he could by paying extraordinary compliments to "wifie" at home with the tots, yet dreading the ordeal of carrying the news of what had "transpired" to her. His newly-made "Northland Limousine" had been smashed to smithereens. The wall-board remnants of the cab lay scattered all around on the snow. Jens had been on a "tear" again. Anyway he got most of the credit for the misdeed. Even was acting his part. Omund (not of the belligerent kind) took to his heels and "made for the hay." Henry made an effort to unhitch Oliver's team, but Jens and Even stood guard and wouldn't allow him to—. They clinched. Enter: The Lady of the House. She solemnly says: "No fighting is permitted here." Exit: "The bunch."

GERMANTOWN

Miss Clara Overby, after having visited at home for a couple of weeks, returned to Grand Forks on Monday.

Clifford, Bessie and Gladys Roller, were entertained at the Mons Linvick home last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Strubel and children, Bernice and Kieze, spent Tuesday evening at the August Ristau home.

Charlie and Emil Habedank called at the Paul Stock home Monday evening.

Hans Dahl was a caller at the Albert Rhorer home Wednesday afternoon.

Henry Roller and son, Clifford, visited at the W. Wayne home, Monday evening.

Henry and Willie Ristau left on Monday for Hibbing to seek employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson and son, Hans, were guests at the Larson home Wednesday.

Mrs. Albert Rhorer and children, Clifford, Frank, Annie and Lillian, and Elmer Prehahl were Sunday guests at the O. P. Nelson home.

Fred Ristau left for Fargo, N. D., Tuesday where he will attend school.

Benard Bendickson called on Albert Rhorer Wednesday.

Detlef Dau was a guest at the A. Ristau home Thursday evening.

Martin Overby returned home from Hibbing on Thursday for a few days' visit.

O. P. Nelson was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Mrs. Emil Hanson called at the M. Johnson home Saturday.

Silva Bendickson was the guest of Mildred Nelson last Sunday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl returned home on Saturday after an extended visit with relatives and friends in North Dakota.

Mrs. Hans Jerstad and Esther Bendickson spent Sunday afternoon at the H. P. Nabben home.

BLACK RIVER

A few of the young folks spent a very enjoyable evening at the Ekstrom home Tuesday. The evening was spent in playing games after which a dainty lunch was served.

Band rehearsal was held Wednesday at the chapel. The next meeting will be on Tuesday. Officers for the coming year will then be elected.

Miss Ethel Keller, teacher at Wylie, was an over Sunday visitor at the Miller home.

Elmer Dahlstorm and Miss Clara Sorenson spent Monday evening visiting at the home of A. Erickson.

Miss Effie Fredrickson is spending a few weeks at the home of C. W. Johnson.

The Ekstrom, F. Anderson and Lorentson families spent Friday evening at the Fred Lorentson home.

Ethel and Harvy Johnson spent last Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Person.

Choir and orchestra practice was held at Dahlstrom's place last Sunday evening.

Rev. Andrean held services at the chapel Sunday morning.

A necktie social will be held at the chapel next Friday evening, Jan. 16. A good program, beginning at 7:30, will be given by the young people. All wishing a good time are cordially invited.

Miss Lydia Dahlstrom and Tudy Brink spent Saturday evening at Albert Anderson's home.

STEINER

Arthur Simonson has been hauling hay the past week from northwest of here.

Willis Warring transacted business in this place Saturday afternoon.

Harvey Coop visited with his father last Sunday.

Willie Meyer and his mother, transacted business in Thief River Falls last week.

Ed. Werner and family visited at the August Koglin home last Sunday.

Oscar Swanson is census enumerator in this township. He is getting along fine with the work.

Lewis Meyer left for Austin last week, where he intends to take up the motor course.

Henry Rogers transacted business at this place one day last week.

John Whitman has been hauling *in his corn fodder.* He says it is some job to get it out of the snow.

Arthur Simonson has installed a gasoline engine, so when the wind falls on the windmill he can water his stock without pumping by hand.

S. R. Rogers went to Thief River Falls Saturday with cream.

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City Council

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Dec. 23rd, 1919, Alderman M. N. Benson, seconded by Alderman H. Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., that Whereas, Theo. Quale, Attorney-at-law, has rendered services for the City as Attorney in various ways and in various matters, between the first day of January, 1919, and the 23rd day of December, 1919, and the said attorney having presented his bill for Six Hundred Dollars ($600.00) covering such services; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That said bill be, and hereby is, allowed as presented and the Mayor and the City Clerk are hereby authorized and required to issue and deliver to said Theo. Quale the City's warrant for Six Hundred Dollars ($600.00) in payment of said bill.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Benson, Olson, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

O. L. IHLE,
President of the Council.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by O. L. Ihle, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Dec. 30th, 1919.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Benson, Brumund, Olson, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Brumund, that Holt & George be given an extension of time until Jan. 6th in which to file a bond on sewer and water connection contract. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

O. L. IHLE,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular organization meeting of City Council was called to order by O. L. Ihle, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Jan. 6th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Benson, Brumund, Olson, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the regular meeting of Dec. 23rd, 1919, and adjourned regular meeting of Dec. 30th, 1919, were read and approved as read.

Moved by Brumund, seconded by Froseth, that the monthly reports of Municipal Judge and Chief of Police be accepted. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the out-going Council adjourned sine die in favor of the in-coming Council.

O. L. IHLE,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, 9:00 o'clock P. M. Jan. 6th, 1920.

The newly elected Council took their seats at the Council table.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that H. A. Brumund be elected President of the Council for the ensuing two years. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that Carl Froseth be elected vice President of the Council for the ensuing two years. Motion carried.

The City Council proceeded to ballot for the appointment of City Clerk, A. H. Akre receiving 5 votes and P. G. Peterson 1 vote. A. H. Akre having received 5 votes was declared duly elected City Clerk for the ensuing two years.

The City Council then proceeded to ballot for the appointment of City Attorney. H. O. Chommie having received 6 votes was duly elected City Attorney for the ensuing two years.

The City Council then proceeded to ballot for the appointment of Street Commissioner. O. L. Bakken having received 6 votes was duly elected Street Commissioner for the ensuing two years.

The Council then proceeded to ballot for the appointment of Supt. of Water & Light Dept. Ole Levvold having received 6 votes was declared duly elected Supt. of Water & Light for the ensuing two years.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that Martin Owen be appointed Supt. of Incinerator for the ensuing two years. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that S. T. Johnson be appointed Janitor of the Auditorium for the ensuing two years. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that Dr. O. F. Mellby be appointed City Physician for the ensuing two years. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution for the appointment of Assessor for the years 1920 and 1921. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the City Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for City Depository for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the City Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for the City Printing and publishing of the Financial statement for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the bond of the City Clerk be fixed in the sum of $5,000.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the bond of the City Treasurer be fixed in the sum of $5,000.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the personal bond of Holt and George be approved.

Roll Call: Members voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members voting No: None. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the official bond of N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge, in the sum of $1,000.00, be approved. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment of $8,657.06 to Holt & George as the first estimate on sewer and water connection contract. (See resolution.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 6th, 1920, Alderman Benson, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund:	
Quarterly report Fire Dept.	$325.00
Street Commissioner's payroll	91.20
O. N. Olson, supplies, Street Dept.	5.05
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	11.00
Times Printing & Mfg. Co., printing	12.50
Bernt Wold, special police	42.00
Peter Sater, repair fire barn	10.70
Ed. Lee, repair fire barn	12.40
Schwartz & Johnson, drayage	1.00
Walter S. Booth & Son, supplies Municipal Court	7.50
Auditorium Fund:	
Water & Light Dept., freight of supplies	1.57
F. J. Stebbins, floor wax	5.40
The Prichard Co., coal	100.35
John Dahl, repairing seats	20.80
S. O. Quammen, coal	24.00
Larson Furniture Co., matting	30.75
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	3.50
Poor Fund:	
The Prichard Co., coal	50.80
Water & Light Dept., expenses of poor charge	35.00
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
Louis DeCremer, meals	12.30
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	3.50
John O. Aas, supplies for G. Swenson	4.05
Library Fund:	
Ed. Lee, repair of meter	7.00
The Prichard Co., coal	68.90
Electric Light Fund:	
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	261.33
The Prichard Co., coal	102.00
Central Electric Co., supplies	42.85
Garlock Packing Co., supplies	6.60
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	20.00
C. E. Ojines, painting sign	4.00
Harry Bakken, labor	84.50
Alfred Adolphs, labor	24.00
The Prichard Co., labor	4.16
Andy Craik, smithing	3.60
Dan Shaw, insurance	20.70
Water & Light Dept., freight and express	23.32
The Elliot Co., stencils	1.30
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	7.00
Times Printing & Mfg. Co., printing and supplies	52.75
Ed. Lee, repairs	4.83

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Benson, Brumund, Olson, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

O. L. IHLE,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 10th, 1920.
G. A. PENNEY,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 6, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the sum of Eight Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-seven and six-100 Dollars ($8,657.06) be, and the same hereby is appropriated out of the proper fund to pay Estimate Number One, furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service under date December 27, 1919, and to apply on contract of Holt and George, for Sewer and Water Connections, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to issue the Warrant of the City for said sum of $8,657.06, in favor of said Holt & George, Contractors, in payment of said Estimate.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 10, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 6th, 1920, Alderman O. L. Ihle, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, that Lars Backe be, and hereby is, appointed City Assessor for the two years 1920 and 1921, and his salary is hereby fixed at the sum of $500.00 for the year 1920 and $400.00 for the year 1921, to include all the work of listing and assessing the property within the City, both real and personal and serving on the Board of Equalization and all books and records to be returned and filed with the City Clerk as soon as the same are completed; also to furnish at his own expense all necessary deputies and assistants which he may require.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 10, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

County Commissioners

Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Dec. 29th, 1919.

On the call of the County Auditor, pursuant to Chapter 230 of the laws of Minnesota, for the year 1905, and acts amendatory thereto, the County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota met in the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of hearing on the Engineer's report and the report of the Viewers on the repair of County Ditch No. 36, and for any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Meeting was called to order by the chairman, Commissioner Peterson.

On roll call the following members reported present: Hanson, McGinn, Naplin, Roy and Peterson. Members absent: None.

Owing to the large number of interested parties present motion was made and seconded that the meeting adjourn to the Court Room. Motion carried.

Meeting called to order in the Court Room. All members present.

The matter of hearing on the petition of Lewis A. Nelson and others for the cleaning and repairing of County Ditch No. 36 was duly presented to the Board.

Mr. W. J. Brown appeared as Attorney for the petitioners and Stanton and Chommie as attorneys for the objectors.

Mr. Brown on behalf of the petitioners that owning to the fact that the reports took in a lot of new work that was not mentioned in the original petition that the proceedings be dropped. This matter was taken under consideration by the County Board and after a discussion pro and con motion was made and duly seconded that all proceeding with reference to repairing County Ditch No. 36, be dismissed. Motion duly carried.

Motion made and seconded that the meeting adjourn until Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. Motion carried.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.

Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Dec. 30th, 1919.

Pursuant to adjournment the County Board reconvened at 8 o'clock. All members present.

The forenoon was taken up with a general review of the work to be taken up for the coming year in the way of road and bridge repairs that would be needed but there was no special action taken.

Meeting was called to order at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of hearing on the Engineer's report and the report of the viewers on the repair of County Ditches Nos. 39, 45 and 59.

The matter of the hearing on the petition of R. M. Johnson and Joe Kilen, for the repair of County Ditches Nos. 59, 45 and 39, came duly up before the Board, and motion was made and duly seconded that all proceeding in the above matter be rejected and that the Drainage Engineer be instructed to confine himself entirely to the repair of said ditches and to file his report of his findings with the County Auditor as required by law. Motion carried.

Motion made and seconded that the meeting adjourn sine die. Motion carried.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor & Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board.

School Board

Adjourned regular meeting of the Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln high school at 8 P. M., December 15, 1919.

Members present: Backe, Froehlich, Myhrum, Mellby, Supt. W. A. Ziegler.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved as read.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Backe, that the bid of P. J. Pottem for tools for the Mechanics department be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Froehlich, that the resignation of Margaret McNolis be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Backe, that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried.

Katie Dahl, freight, express, etc.	$112.17
Water & Light Dept., light	58.69
Ole H. Revdahl & Co., excavation	615.65
John Brudie, work	12.80
Thurston Co., supplies	9.26
T. R. Iron Works, supplies	29.77
Hall Bros. Co., supplies	1.65
Winton-Nichols Co., lumber	38.39
Prichard Co., lumber and supplies	58.48
Benno Schmitt, work	1.50
Albert Evenstad, work	1.20
Fred Holzknecht, work	6.00
Joseph Gulden, work	58.50
A. Sortland, work	6.00
Ginn & Co., books	5.22
Houghton-Mifflin Co., books	22.45
Heuck Pub. Co., books	3.73
Webb Pub. Co., books	3.26
I. A. Noble, books	1.00
J. B. Lippincott Co., books	1.67
Webb Pub. Co., books	3.43
N. W. School Sup. Co., supplies	140.64
N. W. School Sup. Co., supplies	78.05
N. W. School Sup. Co., supplies	25.01
Times Prtg. Co., supplies	24.15
Oen Merc. Co., supplies	17.08
Hermanson Hdw. Co., supplies	6.05
MacMillan Co., books	45.00
Metropolitan Co., books	119.69
Houghton-Mifflin Co., books	13.27
C. H. Simonson, supplies	18.27
T. R. Grocery Co., supplies	3.44
T. R. Grocery Co., supplies	.76
Mrs. O. Vigness, washing	4.05
Loken Bros. Store, supplies	.20
Hall Bros. Co., supplies	18.00
Ruther Bros. Co., supplies	32.50
T. R. Green Houses, plants	.75
Mrs. Pete Hanson, hot lunch	24.35
Otto Genke, janitor work	10.00
A. B. Remmem, livery	11.00
G. K. Haavi, transportation	21.78
School Education, subscription	1.25
Current Events, subscription	7.50
Science Press, subscription	5.00
A. Rocheleau, livery	4.00
Frank Fisher, livery	4.00
N. W. Telephone Co., rent	6.75
Ed. Lee, work	21.05
Standard Oil Co., supplies	33.10
V. C. Brink, boiler inspection	15.00
Nels Larson, work	5.00
S. O. Quammen, wood	49.00
Mrs. L. Borgen, washing	1.90
John Relta, washing	3.12
John Borgen, wood	.90
Louis Borgen, wood and drayage	42.35

On motion the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the Clerk.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Special meeting of the Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln high school at 8 P. M., December 18, 1919.

Members present: Backe, Froehlich, Myhrum, Mellby, Supt. W. A. Ziegler. Members absent: Dahlen, Hayner.

Moved by Myhrum, seconded by Froehlich, that all teachers receiving a salary of less than one thousand dollars for the school year be granted the following increase:

Ten dollars per month to teachers having taught one or more years in this district.

Five dollars per month to teachers who have not taught in this district previous to this year.

This increase to be retroactive to September 1st, 1919, and the amount of the increase from September 1st, 1919, to January 31st, 1920, to be paid at the close of January, 1920. Thereafter, it shall be paid at the close of each month.

Roll Call: Members voting yes: P. O. Myhrum, Lars Backe, H. W. Froehlich, O. F. Mellby. Members voting No: None.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months, and For Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Hege Jore.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington; In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hege Jore, Decedent.

Letters this day having been granted to William B. Torgerson, and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate, in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 16th day of April, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, Minn., in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a legal newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated January 9, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney.

j15-22-29

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Guy Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of June, 1916, at nine o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30) for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04).

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N½) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and state, will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five (75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
of Fergus Falls, Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minn.

j15-22-29-f5-12-19

Notice For Bids.

The frame building formerly used for blacksmith shop, situated on the high school grounds, will be sold to the highest bidder.

Sealed bids will be received until 8 P. M., January 24th, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM, Clerk,
Independent School District No. 18.

j15-22

Notice For Proposals.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for the publishing of the ordinances and proceedings of the Council, and other public notices required by law, and the financial statement of the City, for the year ensuing after January 27, 1920, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said City prior to 8:00 o'clock P. M. January 27, 1920, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read, and contract let for such publishing.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 7th day of January, 1920.

By Order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

j8-15

Notice For Proposals.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for depositories, of the moneys in the City treasury during the year ensuing after January 27, 1920, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said City prior to 8:00 o'clock P. M. January 27, 1920, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read, and contract let for such depository.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 7th day of January, 1920.

By Order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

j8-15

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ida M. Peterson, Deceased.

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by the Court on December 1st, 1919, is erroneous and incorrect in this, to-wit: That said final decree of distribution attempted to set over to the heirs and legatees of said decedent all of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼) of Section 8 in Township 152, Range 42, whereas in truth and in fact the said decedent was the owner of an undivided two-thirds (2-3) interest in and to said property; that said decree is incorrect and erroneous in this, to-wit: That the following real estate belonging to said decedent was omitted therefrom, to-wit: An undivided one-sixth (1-6) interest in and to the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Section 8, Township 152, North of Range 42 West, and praying that said decree may be corrected in accordance with [illegible] and the Court having fixed a time and place for hearing on said petition;

NOW, THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.

j8-15-22

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased.

The State of Minnesota, to Martin J. Peterson, Mrs. Nina Rose, Oscar C. Peterson, Elias A. Peterson, George G. Peterson, Lena M. Peterson, Julius Peterson, and all persons interested in the estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased:

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by this Court on the 1st of December, 1919, is incorrect and erroneous in this that the following described real estate belonging to said estate was omitted from said decree, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to the West one-half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼), Section 8, in Township 152, North of Range 42 West; and praying that the said decree be corrected and amended to include said real property, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing on said petition;

THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.

j8-15-22

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar Bakken, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to O. L. Bakken, Lina Bakken, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of January, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 26th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.

j1-8-15

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Sanford A. Burnham.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington; In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sanford A. Burnham, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mary H. Burnham and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Mary H. Burnham having been filed in this Court, representing that Sanford A. Burnham, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 30th day of September, 1917, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to George W. Burnham, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 29th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney For Petitioner.

j1-8-15

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Tobias Olson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Tobias Olson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Bertha Olson, Oscar Olson, Alfred Olson, Arthur Olson and Olga Stromme, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Bertha Olson, having been filed in this Court, representing that Tobias Olson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 31st day of May, 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Oscar Olson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of January, 1920, at two o'clock P. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 30th day of December, 1919.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

j1-8-15

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of eighteen dollars which became due on the first day of April A. D. 1918, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Knut Jorstad and Anna Jorstad, his wife, mortgagors, to the Trail State Bank, of Trail, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of April, 1915, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1917, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages on page 386 thereof; and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: The sum of fifty-four dollars ($54.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of fifty-four dollars ($54.00), with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum since the first day of April, 1915, or the total sum of seventy-nine and 31-100 dollars ($79.31).

And whereas, the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The north half of the southeast quarter (N½ of SE¼) and lots three (3) and six (6) in Section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), North of Range thirty-nine (39) West 5th P. M., in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday the 6th day of February, A. D. 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt of seventy-nine and 31-100 dollars ($79.31) and interest from the date of this notice as aforesaid, and taxes if any on said premises, and an attorney's fee of twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 8th, 1919.

TRAIL STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minnesota.

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Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Clerk of Polk Centre, Pennington County, Minn., up until 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1920, for graveling one-half mile of road between Sections 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, commencing 40 rods West from the East corner stake of Sections 9 and 16; thence running East one-half mile. Gravel to be taken one-half mile from section line between Sections 11 and 14 on the Sandridge.

Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. E. NAPLIN,
Town Clerk.

j8-15-22-p

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Martin J. Berg.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin J. Berg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Anne Berg, Mabel Alvilde Hanson and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Mabel Alvilda Hanson having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

THEREFORE, YOU, and EACH of YOU, Are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of February, 1920, at eleven o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 14th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

j15-22-29

CHARTER NO. 5894 RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 9

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank

AT THIEF RIVER FALLS, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DEC. 31, 1919.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	$616,681.05	
Total loans		$616,681.05
Overdrafts, unsecured		163.46
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. Bonds par value)	50,000.00	
Owned and unpledged	96,700.00	
Total U. S. Government securities		146,700.00
Other bonds, securities, etc.:		
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure U. S. deposits	1,000.00	
Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged	34,217.00	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		35,217.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		2,100.00
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered	50,500.00	
Equity in banking house		50,500.00
Furniture and fixtures		8,446.37
Real Estate owned other than banking house		10,528.91
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		30,908.39
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		34,315.50
Net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies		1,518.62
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		17,923.05
Total of Items 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17	53,757.23	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due		5,000.00
TOTAL		$979,507.41
LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		$50,000.00
Surplus fund		30,000.00
Undivided profits	$26,050.01	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	25,989.58	60.43
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned—(approximate)		5,000.00
Circulating notes outstanding		48,100.00
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies		80,155.36
Certified checks outstanding		2,275.00
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		18,997.57
Total of Items 30, 31, 32 and 33	101,427.93	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		180,720.78
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		40,819.38
Dividends unpaid		5,000.00
Other demand deposits		3,130.61
Total of demand deposits subject to Reserve	240,655.77	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		436,247.75
Other time deposits		36,535.48
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve	472,783.23	
United States deposits (other than postal savings): Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	11,800.00	11,800.00
Total Deposits	$826,096.03	
Liabilities other than those above stated		19,650.05
TOTAL		$979,507.41

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. I, W. H. Akre, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. H. AKRE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:

C. L. HANSEN,
J. P. CURTIS,
RASMUS OEN,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, 1920.

MARIE D. NELSON,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires April 11, 1925.

BANK NO. 1232

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers State Bank of Mavie

MAVIE, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DEC. 31, 1919.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$40,278.62
Overdrafts			23.79
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			4,698.70
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			5,590.53
Other Real Estate			2,875.03
Due from other Banks		$8,999.19	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$1,096.00		
Silver	203.00		
Other	59.20		
Total Cash Assets			10,357.39
Checks and Cash Items			121.60
Total			$70,944.66
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock			$10,000.00
Surplus Fund			2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net			1,325.81
Deposits Subject to Check		$25,074.71	
Cashier's Checks		707.77	
Total Immediate Liabilities		$25,782.48	
Time Certificates		31,836.37	
Total Deposits		$57,618.85	57,618.85
Total			$70,944.66
Amount of Reserve on Hand			$10,357.39
Amount of Reserve Required by Law			4,685.72

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, O. A. Naplin, President and Thos. H. Smith, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

O. A. NAPLIN, President.
THOS. H. SMITH, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (two) Directors—

J. P. CURTIS,
C. L. HANSEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1920.

WALTER E. SMITH,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires Dec. 18, 1926.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES Classified Advertising

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ORDERS FOR HEMSTITCHING, by Mrs. McKinney, Union Block. Phone 262. 53tf

Dressmaking Wanted

at the residence of John Christenson, 525 1st St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 53p

WANTED—Hemstitching, cotton, 8c; silks, 10c per yard.—Mrs. C. Svisdal, 124 Maple St., Crookston, Minn. 58p

WANTED—Before Feb. 14—Hundreds of new and renewal subscriptions to Minneapolis Daily News. Thousands of Farmer Vote Ballots. Send them in to the Daily News and just write "for Chas. W. Correll, Farmers Contestant." Please note, that you will get the Northwest Farmstead, Farm and Fireside, National Alfalfa Journal and Home Life, with the Daily News, all for $5.00 per year; 2 years $9.00. Your kindly support will be appreciated.—Chas. W. Correll, Thief River Falls. 56

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Lady stenographer. Teskum Seed, Grain and Supply Co. 54

WANTED—Girl for general house work. 409 Knight Ave N. 53

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Place to work in private family by competent girl. Phone 2774. 53

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One or two unfurnished rooms, 120 St. Paul Ave. So. Phone 2113. 54p

FOR RENT—Modern room, 801 Main Ave. North. 53

FOR RENT—3 rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire at The Times. 53p

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Team, harness and sleigh.—Martin Jepson, Rindal, Minn. 55p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—1 full blooded Holstein bull, 2 years old, and some cows which will be fresh soon.—A. Hoverstad, 1 mile east and ½ mile north of city. 53p

FOR SALE—Two heaters, wood, also other furniture, new. Cheap for cash. 805 Arnold Ave. N. 53tf

FOR SALE—One 8-16 Mogul engine, used two seasons. Overhauled and in good condition. Inquire John Helm, Red Lake Falls, Minn. 20p

FOR SALE—Ten room house.—A. A. Waugenstein. 52tf

FOR SALE—5 H. P. Fairbanks Morse gasoline engine in good shape, at Evenson's Garage. 54p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull.—C. Wiener, Rt. 3, city. 47tf

FOR SALE—1 pair light bob sleighs. Phone 4834. 53p

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Cream separator. Call at 419 Riverside Ave.—J. W. Mich. 55p

CORDWOOD SAW FRAME AND 26 inch Saw—$28.00. Send for Ice Tool Catalogue.—C. A. Hiles & Co., 2431 W. 14th St., Chicago, Ill. 54

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 19tf

FOR SALE—Victrola and 40 records. Good as new. Phone 11-F-04. 53p

FOR SALE—Small, modern six room house on East Side.—C. D. Gustafson. 52tf

FOR SALE—Lots 11 and 12, Block 6, Park Addition to Thief River Falls. Write Clyde Brees, Alexandria, Minn. 53p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well, 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Three stacks of rye hay and six stacks of timothy hay.—C. O. Granum. Phone 295. 56p

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front, fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 609 Horace Ave. N. 42tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

TO TRADE FOR LAND—Four room house and four lots in city. Andrew Ness. 40tf

FOUND

FOUND—Bunch of keys. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. Inquire at The Times. 53

FOUND—Pair of skates. Owner may have same by paying for this adv. Enquire at The Times.

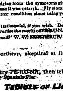

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(Signed) W. W. NORTHRUP.

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If your trouble is of a catarrhal nature, try PE-RU-NA, then tell your friends. It is fine after an attack of grip or Spanish Flu.

Sold Everywhere Tablets or Liquid

FOR CATARRH AND CATARRHAL CONDITIONS

WILL NOT APPROVE COUNCIL'S ACTION

Outgoing Mayor Sticks to His Position in City Attorney Matter.

Another unsigned order has been added to the collection in the office of City Clerk A. H. Akre by the refusal of Former Mayor G. A. Penney to attach his approval to the voucher for $600 voted by the city council as pay for legal services performed by Attorney Theo. Quale. A bill for this amount was presented by Mr. Quale at the meeting of the council in December and ordered paid.

Ex-Mayor Penney bases his refusal to approve the order on the assertion that it provides payment for services as city attorney at a time when Mr. Quale was not in a position to act as such official for the reason that he was also county attorney. Mr. Penney maintains that this lump sum of $600 represented a year's salary at $50 per month as city attorney and that as he refused at all times to sanction the payment when it was presented to him in $50 amounts he cannot consistently approve it now merely because it has been lumped into one sum.

The former mayor continues to hold that this fee is designed to cover the payment for services as city attorney at a time when Mr. Quale was disqualified from acting as such official and that no resolution was ever passed by the council employing him in any manner as special counsel.

Both Mr. Penney and Mr. Quale are now out of office so far as the city is concerned but the controversy as to whether or not the city is legally indebted to the former for services rendered during the year 1919 is apparently no nearer settled than it was six months ago.

Lyceum Theatre

The Theatre of Quality

Thursday, Jan. 15—
Last Chance Today
Charming ENID BENNET, in
"THE WOMAN IN THE SUITCASE"
A picture that is very pleasing.
Also 2-reel Keystone Comedy.

Friday, Jan. 16—
Popular TOM MOORE, in
"PICCADILLY JIM"
So facinating and gripping that it will hold your interest until the very end.
Also 2-reel Comedy—
Smiling BILL PARSONS in
"DAD'S KNOCKOUT"

Saturday, Jan. 17—SPECIAL
Your favorite LOUIS BENNISON, in
"THE ROAD CALLED STRAIGHT"
He was rough and ready and always on top. A Romance of East and West.
EXTRA! 2-reel Mack-Sennet Comedy—
"SHE LOVED HIM PLENTY"
Mat. Wed. Sat. and Sun.

Sunday and Monday—
Beautiful NELL SHIPMAN, The Brilliant Swimming Star in Her Most Wonderful Production
"BACK TO GOD'S COUNTRY"
The story of Dolores, the swimming girl of the Canadian Wilds, and how her love and sympathy for animals won the love of

"Wapi, the Killer," the great fighting dog of the trails. The most wonderful out-door picture ever produced.
Added Attraction! Special Music
Matinee: 2:30—15c and 20c
Eve: 7:30 and 9:10—20c and 35c

Tuesday, Jan. 20—
Big Variety Show.
Winsome MAE MARSH, in
"SPOTLIGHT SADIE"
A picture full of romance and thrills and one that will please everyone. Also NEAL HART, The Miracle Man of the Movies, in
"A KNIGHT OF WESTERN LAND"

Wednesday, Jan. 21—
Popular BRYANT WASHBURN, in
"TOO MUCH JOHNSON"
How much too much? Come and find out. Also Comedy.

COMING: Biggest Attractions of the year. Norma Talmadge in "A DAUGHTER OF TWO WORLDS" and "THE MIRACLE MAN"

LYCEUM THEATRE SUNDAY and MONDAY

Two Big Days

"Sic'em Wapi, Stop them! for my sake"

NELL SHIPMAN
and "Wapi the killer"
in
"Back to God's Country"

—and Wapi tore at her enemy!

Are you tired of Commonplace films?
Then see this one

The extraordinary story of Dolores, the swimming girl of the Canadian wilds, and "Wapi, the Killer," the great dog who fights the fight of his fighting life to save her from men of prey more heartless than the beasts of the forest.

"BACK TO GOD'S COUNTRY"

adapted from the story "Wapi, the Walrus" in "Good Housekeeping"
JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD

The author was with the company during the making of the film.
Featuring the brilliant swimming star
NELL SHIPMAN

16 Kinds of Wild Animals
Play a unique part in the story
Greatest dog sledge race and dog fight ever!
Scenes actually taken inside the rim of the Arctic Circle
MATINEE, 2:30—15c and 25c
EVENING, 7:30 and 9:10—20 and 35c
Also Special Music

NEVER A FILM LIKE THIS

A Tale of Love and Villainy
Unique, beautiful, daring!
See Dolores' desperate swim down the mountain Rapids
Miss Shipman really does this hazardous swim herself
See Dolores fight for love and life aboard the whaler.
Scenes Actually Made at Sea

PLANNING TO HELP CUPID GET START

Free License and Ceremony For First Lady Applicant This Year.

Judge N. W. Tarrant and Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund are going to do their best to see that the girls do not overlook the opportunities presented by leap year. Up to date no lady has bashfully applied to the court house official for the legal permit whereby she will be entitled to take unto herself an incumbrance in the shape of a man, and it is felt that something ought to be done to start the campaign off right. The city contains a large number of bachelors who ought to be looked after and as they do not seem to have sense enough to take the necessary steps themselves the judge and clerk are going to see if they cannot assist them.

Mr. Eklund says that the first lady applying at his office for a license will receive the document free of charge, and every little thing helps in these times of high costs. Judge Tarrant will do his share by refusing to take anything in the way of a marriage fee from the party vouched for by Mr. Eklund, thus adding his mite toward setting the couple up in housekeeping.

But that is not all. In case the applicant is an "old maid" a substantial present will be added, but the nature of this gift is not disclosed. Neither is the definition of what these gentlemen term an "old maid" given out. If an admission on the part of the applicant is necessary it may be some time before the officials are called upon to redeem their pledge, but it is made in good faith nevertheless.

Local News Notes

Miss Gladys Kiel of Hazel spent Saturday in this city as the guest of friends.

Miss Minnie Linstad, accompanied by Miss Myrtle Rosland, were visitors at Warren on Saturday.

Miss Mable Gulden of Grand Forks arrived on Monday and will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Rev. O. J. Lundell went to Roseau on Saturday morning where he is conducting services for a week.

Mrs. L. Crown left on Saturday morning for Rosewood to spend a short time visiting with her parents.

Miss Rose Severson spent Saturday at Hallock, visiting with friends. She returned to this city in the evening.

Mrs. Carl Taie left this city on Saturday morning for Middle River, where she will visit for a short time.

Martin Johnson returned to this city on Wednesday from Middle River where he had been attending to business affairs.

Mrs. O. A. Thompson returned to her home at Holt on Wednesday after having received medical treatment in this city.

Miss Clara Ingvaldson arrived on Saturday morning from her home at Climax and is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Nyland.

Mrs. B. Carpenter left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston, where she will visit for a brief period with a daughter residing in that city.

Miss Clara Hanson arrived here the the latter part of the week from her home in Cass Lake, to assume her duties as pianist at the Princess.

Mrs. John Becker of Loyola, Wyo., arrived here on Wednesday morning and will spend an indefinite period visiting at the home of Mrs. F. Protz.

Miss Minnie Stromberg of Strathcona, spent the first of the week in this city receiving medical treatment. She returned to her home on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. H. Turrin, who has spent the past two weeks visiting with her two daughters residing at Argyle, spent a short time in this city on Wednesday enroute to her home at Fox.

Bart Anderson Wangenstein, who has been the guest of his parents for the past month, left on Tuesday evening for Peoria, Ill., where he will attend a horological college and take up the study of optics.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Juneau and daughter, Mertha, spent Tuesday in this city enroute to their home at Fisher, Manitoba, Can. Previous to their visit here they were the guests of friends in Red Lake Falls.

John Gorem, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Dahl for two weeks left on Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where he will spend a couple of days prior to leaving for his parental home in Kennedy.

Frank J. Kelly, who visited for a short while at the home of his uncle J. Kelly in this city, left on Sunday evening for Mahnomen, where he will extend his visit with relatives before returning to his home at Conway, N. D.

Supt. W. A. Ziegler left on Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend a conference called by Mr. Phillips, state inspector of schools, to discuss laws relating to Smith-Hughes schools and other industrial schools.

Mrs. Earnest Michaels of Minneapolis arrived the first of the week and is a guest at the home of Mrs. Thomas Rowan. Mrs. Michaels was formerly Miss Forbes, who taught in the city schools a few years ago and is well known to local people.

Mrs. E. Chapman of Saco, Mont., arrived here on Tuesday from Detroit, where she had been visiting relatives, leaving on Wednesday morning for Rainey River, Ont., where she will be the guest of the family of her brother, A. C. Brooks.

E. M. Bennes returned on Sunday morning's train from Fargo, where he attended the general agents meeting of the Lincoln National Life Insurance company. While there he also took in the North Dakota Life Underwriters association meeting held there on Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Holstein arrived Monday evening from Detroit, Mich., and visited with friends last Tuesday, leaving on Wednesday morning for Overley, N. D., where she will spend two months as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bratt, who were former residents of this city.

MARKET STEADY ON CATTLE; HOGS GAIN

Best Steers Last Week Brot $18, Hogs $14.80 and Sheep Higher.

South St. Paul—(Special to The Times) The cattle market closed nominally steady last week but showed some weakness in spots. Trade was a littl slow at the finish with some buyers quoting steers steady and she stock weak to 25c lower. Best steers for the week topped at $18, one small lot of Shorthorns reaching that figure. Few sales were made over $13.50, though one lot of Wisconsin fed cattle sold up to $14.50. Bulk cleared at $10@12 with inferior kinds at $8@9.50. Most butcher cows cashed at $6@8 with choice heifers around $9@9.75 and occasionally higher. Canners and cutters were listed in the $.25@6 spread with bulls at $6@9 generally except for choice butchers which sold up to $10. Veal calves closed with top at $17, though $16.75 caught a lot of the better ones. Stocker and feeder trade was slow and steady. Dairy cows were slow sellers except for the choice milkers or springers. Receipts were 21,000.

Hogs opened strong and closed on better basis than at the mid-week session but the market was erratic. Tuesday's top was $14.80 and dropped to $14.10 Thursday. Then values reacted and climbed back to $14.50 on Friday. Closing trade was registered at $14.30@14.40 with top at $14.50. Pigs sold at $9@13.75. The week's receipts were more than 80,000.

Sheep and lambs closed strong and from 50c@$1 higher for the week. Best lambs are quotable up to $18.25 with inferior grades at $7@12. Wethers are selling at $8@11.25 and ewes at $5@10. Feeder lambs are about $1 higher and are selling up to $15 in some instances. Receipts were 15,000.

Local Markets

GRAIN.	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.76
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.71
Oats	.72
Flax	4.76
Barley	1.28
Rye	1.63
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.80
Bran	2.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.75
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled Hay, cwt	1.00
POULTRY.	
Old Roosters	14 to 15
Geese, alive, per lb	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.23
Spring Chickens	.13
Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.13
Hens, light	.10
PRODUCE.	
Eggs	.55
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.66
Cow Hides, per lb	18-19
Horse Hides	5-6
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET.	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.15
Veal, dressed, per lb	12 to 14
Lamb, dressed, per lb	15 to 16
LIVE STOCK.	
Sheep, per lb	.05
Steers, per lb	6 to 7
Calves, per lb	7 to 8
Cows	5 to 6½
Lamb, per lb	8 to 9

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA.
If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Our January Clearance Sale opened Saturday, January 10th. It will continue until Saturday night, January 17th Store open evenings until 9 p. m. All winter goods greatly reduced in price for a quick clearance. Just before inventory we offer bargains as follows:

MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES

If you need Shoes, buy them now, and buy them at this Sale. Shoe prices cannot come down for at least six month as near as can be judged at this time, and it is doubtful if prices can be reduced even at that time.
We offer you our entire stock of men's shoes from $5 per pair to $12 per pair at reduced prices, for seven days only.

$5.00 Men's Shoes.....$3.95
$6.00 Men's Shoes.....$4.75
$7.50 Men's Shoes.....$5.95
$8.50 Men's Shoes.....$6.85
$9.00 Men's Shoes.....$7.45
$10.00 Men's Shoes....$8.25
$11.00 Men's Shoes....$9.35
$12.00 Men's Shoes....$9.75

All other Shoes over $12 will be sold at a reduction of 10 per cent from regular selling price.

All Boys' Educator Shoes *$1.00 off* Per Pair

Boys' Army Shoes worth $6 at *$4.15* Per Pair

Many odds and ends of shoes at sacrifice prices

Remember that many of these shoes are priced very much under the present market and the saving to you is much more than the prices quoted would indicate. This is not a broken line of shoes. Many styles can be had in all sizes and widths.

MEN'S SHIRTS

Our stock of Men's Dress Shirts is most complete and comprises some of the best fabrics, and manufactured garments made. It is our custom to reduce our stock at this time of the year to make room for new merchandise to arrive. A remarkable fine bunch of Men's Dress Shirts to choose from. They will all be out on display and you can make your own selection.

$1.50 Men's Dress Shirts.....$1.19
$2.00 Men's Dress Shirts.....$1.65
$3.00 Men's Dress Shirts.....$2.35
$2.50 Men's Dress Shirts.....$1.95
$3.50 Men's Dress Shirts.....$2.65
$4.00 Men's Dress Shirts.....$2.95
$5.00 Men's Dress Shirts.....$3.85
$6.00 Men's Dress Shirts.....$4.95
$7.50 Men's Dress Shirts.....$5.95
$9.00 Men's Dress Shirts.....$7.25
$15.00 Men's Dress Shirts.....$11.95

Buy your Shirts now for a year to come. These are good Shirts. It is not necessary to name all the brands. We stand back of every sale we make regardless of price.

FLANNEL SHIRTS

A large assortment of Men's fine flannel shirts in Greys, Browns, Reds, and Khaki color. Also Navy Blue. These are the famous McDonald make of shirts. They are full cut and Union Made.

$2.25 Shirts.....$1.85
$2.50 Shirts.....$1.95
$3.00 Shirts.....$2.45
$3.50 Shirts.....$2.85
$5.00 Shirts.....$3.95
$6.00 Shirts.....$4.75
$7.50 Shirts.....$5.95

OVERCOATS

Men's Overcoats in a number of styles and varieties of clothes. A number of good Coats to select from

$25 Coats.....$18.75
$30 Coats.....$22.75
$35 Coats.....$28.50
$40 Coats.....$31.50
$45 Coats.....$37.50
$50 Coats.....$39.50

UNDERWEAR

All of our winter weight Union Suits 25% reduction. Buy your next winter underwear now.

Fleece lined shirts and drawers, $1.25-$1.50 value, each 89c
Lamb's Down and Storm King Union Suits, $3.00 value, each $2.35
Woolen shirts and drawers "Morris Mill" make, ea. $1.65
Five dozen extra heavy khaki work shirts, made with pockets, $2 value, each $1.65

SHEEPLINED ULSTERS and other Sheeplined Coats at greatly reduced prices.

WORK SHIRTS
About 4 dozens extra heavy Khaki Work Shirts. Extra well made with two pockets. Regular price $2.00. Sale Price $1.65 each

All Fur Collars and Fur Caps 20% off

MEN'S SUITS

We have about 60 men's fine Suits to close out at reduced prices. Blues, Browns, Greys and many mixed patterns.

$25.00 Suits.....$18.75
$27.50 Suits.....$19.95
$30.00 Suits.....$22.75
$32.50 Suits.....$24.50
$35.00 Suits.....$28.50
$37.50 Suits.....$29.50
$40.00 Suits.....$31.50
$45.00 Suits.....$37.50
$47.50 Suits.....$38.75
$50.00 Suits.....$39.50
$52.00 Suits.....$42.50
$55.00 Suits.....$44.75

BOYS' SUITS and Boys' Overcoats at greatly reduced prices.

ALL PANTS now selling at 10% off from regular Prices.

WOOL SOX
50c Wool Sox.....39c
85c Wool Sox.....59c
$1.25 Wool Sox.....89c

TRUNKS and BAGS at 10% off.

SWEATERS
A very large and exceptionally fine selection of all wool sweaters in a great variety of colors
25 Percent Reduction on all Sweaters
This is a real Bargain offer.

MACKINAWS
And Leather Vests 20 per cent off. A good assortment to choose from. All sizes.

NECKWEAR
50c Ties.....39c
60c Ties.....53c
75c Ties.....55c
85c Ties.....65c
$1.00 Ties.....79c
$1.50 Ties.....$1.29
$2.00 Ties.....$1.65
$2.50 Ties.....$1.95
$3.00 Ties.....$2.35
$4.00 Ties.....$2.95

CASHMERE SOX
75c Values.....55c
85c Values.....65c

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CREAMERY GAIN FOR PAST YEAR $7,500 A MONTH

Business of Local Institution Increased Eight-Fold in as Many Years.

BUTTER VALUE $277,250

Over $500 is Paid to 116 Patrons For Milk and Cream During Year.

Beginning with a total business of $40,000 in 1912, the first year of its operation, the Thief River Falls Co-Operative Creamery association has grown to a point where its total now aggregates $319,701. This is almost an eight-fold increase in as many years and is a record of which everyone connected with the enterprise is justly proud. Last year the amount of business was $226,046.

Increase in Receipts.

While it is true that the higher prices of the past year have had much to do with bringing the total business to its present figure, the report shows that the receipts of milk and cream were considerably greater than during the previous year. In 1919 there were 1,436,151 pounds of cream brought to the creamery as compared with 1,240,360 pounds for the previous twelve months, an increase of 195,791 pounds. The milk receipts increased from 246,524 to 329,300 pounds, while the skim milk receipts dropped from 351,117 to 76,407 pounds. The average cream test also improved, being 27.36 per cent for 1918, and 28.93 for the past year. The milk test improved by four-tenths of one per cent. Average price paid for butterfat in 1918 was 52.2 cents, last year it was 63.70 cents. Butterfat receipts increased 18 per cent and the gross amount of business 41 per cent.

Patrons Get Increase.

The amount paid out to patrons of the creamery in actual cash during the past year was $270,804, an increase of $24,280 over 1918.

According to the report submitted by Secretary Peter Engelstad, there were 116 patrons of the creamery who received more than $500 for the products of their herds during the year. The list is headed by Hans Anton, whose Holsteins produced $3,703.84 worth of milk and cream. Peter Engelstad comes next with a total of $2,514.44, followed by Jens Kirk whose total foots up $2,183.80. There are 20 patrons whose receipts ranged between $1,000 and $2,000.

Start With Balance.

Treasurer S. O. Lee also submits his report along with that of the secretary. It shows that there was a cash balance on Jan. 1 of $1,406.72, in which is not included a Liberty Bond for $1,000.

The latter report shows a wide range in business for the different seasons, the disbursements for February being the lowest, $15,638 having been paid out for that month, as compared with $41,380 for June.

Annual Meeting Saturday.

The annual meeting and dinner of the association will be held next Saturday, Jan. 31, the dinner being served at the Zion church from 11 until 1 o'clock. The meeting will be held at the commercial club rooms at the conclusion of the meal. Important topics to come up for discussion will be the erection of a new creamery building and an amendment to the constitution which limits the amount of indebtedness of the association.

NEW OWNERS FOR CRONSTROM STORE

Peoples Co-Operative Company Buys Stock and Fixtures—Open Soon.

The Peoples Co-operative company, composed principally of local railroad men and farmers residing near the city, this week purchased the grocery stock and business of O. L. Cronstrom at 109 Third street east, Mr. Cronstrom turning the place over next Saturday evening.

A. P. Fox is president of the co-operative concern and Paul H. Harris, secretary. The articles of incorporation of the new enterprise were published some time ago and a large share of the stock subscribed for, but until now no suitable location has been available. A large amount of additional wares have been ordered and it will be in place before the doors are opened to the public. It is expected that it will take about a week to secure an inventory and have things ready for the opening.

Enlarged Quarters.

A fifteen foot addition is being built onto the Prichard building, formerly the Tupper, on Third street east. The ground floor is occupied by the Simonson Meat and Grocery company and the Langseth shoe store and will give these business places considerable more room. The work will probably be completed next week, after which the merchants will make the necessary changes without delay.

Y. W. C. A. Dist. Delegates Guests in City For a Day

A meeting of the Seventh District of the Y. W. C. A. was held in this city on Monday. Arrangements for this conference were in charge of Mrs. J. M. Bishop, the district chairman. The following ten counties are included in the district: Norman, Clearwater, Roseau, Red Lake, Polk, Mahnomen, Beltrami, Marshall, Kittson and Pennington. The county chairmen present were: Mrs. Jason Weatherhead Ada; Mrs. Albert Wiltse, Bagley; Mrs. Anna Connely Olsen, Roseau; Miss Effie Jenson, Red Lake Falls; Mrs. O. E. Bertleson, Crookston and Miss Effie Hamry, Thief River Falls. The guests were taken to the Evelyn hotel for luncheon which was followed by a short conference, after which they attended the Woman's club meeting held in the Commercial club rooms. In the evening Mrs. Leslo Gray, state director of the Y. W. C. A., who was also present at the conference, delivered an interesting address at the Community Girls' club meeting. The invitation of the club was greatly appreciated and the visitors expressed their thanks for the courtesy and co-operation of the members.

DISTRIBUTING POINT FOR STANDARD OIL

Company Secures Option on Property at South End of LaBree Avenue.

The Standard Oil company has decided to make Thief River Falls the distributing point for its products for this section of the country, equipping here a station similar to that at Fargo. An option has been secured on Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and the south four feet of Lot 6 of Block 61 of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls. This is the tract lying just south of the Winton-Nichols lumber yard and extending to the Great Northern railway tracks.

It is understood that the plan is to build three or four large warehouses and to supply the region to the north and west with the products of the Standard. Because of their location these structures will have to be of a substantial nature and it is known that a considerable outlay is intended. Whether or not this is the site finally decided upon, it is certain that the company intends constructing such station in the city.

GENERAL INCREASE IN CITY SALARIES

Council Recognizes Fact That Living Costs Are Scandalous.

Hired help is going to cost the city more during the coming year, placing the municipality on the same footing as other employers of labor of different kinds. The advances are in most cases very moderate and the taxpayer will realize that they were absolutely necessary.

Where no increase is indicated in the table below it is for the reason that increases have previously been granted. The rate of pay for the coming year has been fixed as follows:

Mayor	$100
City physician	200
Health officer	200
Aldermen	100

The above salaries are for the entire year; those following are for the month:

Position.	Sal.	Inc.
City clerk	$130	$10
Treasurer	25	
City attorney	65	15
Chief of police	100	10
Patrolmen	95	10
Deputy city clerk	115	15
Street commissioner	90	5
Poor matron	60	10
Librarian	75	15
Fire teamster	160	5
Water & Light Supt.	160	
First electrician	105	
Second electrician	105	
First engineer	115	10
Second engineer	110	5
Third engineer	110	15
Incinerator Supt.	80	5
Auditorium janitor	80	
Garbage collector	75	
Municipal judge	95	

Famous Accordion Virtuoso Has Had Eventful Career

Torstein Skarning, the famous Norwegian accordion virtuoso who will appear in Thief River Falls shortly, has had his fill of experience during the past few years. He was arrested as a spy in Russia and had to appeal to the Norwegian consul for aid in getting out of the difficulty. A similar experience befell him in Brooklyn because he was taking a snapshot of a bridge, not knowing that this was against the law. He was detained at the headquarters of the army there until an investigation was made, after which he was immediately released, his absolute innocense being proven.

Skarning has played before every crowned head of Europe and some which no longer wear crowns. He is without doubt the greatest artist on the accordion to be found in the world.

1863 NAMES ON P. P. TAX LIST OF THE COUNTY

City of Thief River Falls Contains 28 Per Cent of the Total.

LIST OF TOP-NOTCHERS

Oen Mercantile Co. Heads List With First & Peoples Bank Next.

In another section of The Times today will be found the list of personal property tax payers in Pennington county together with the amounts each will be compelled to pay before the first day of March. It is very important that this notice receive the most extensive circulation possible and the work was entrusted to The Times, it being known and admitted that this paper reaches more people in the county than all other publications combined. The work of compilation was completed by County Treasurer John Gullingsrud this week.

28 Per Cent in City.

The total number of names on the list is 1863, of which 524 are in the city. It is approximately 28 per cent of the total and conforms closely to the accepted estimates regarding the proportion.

The heaviest taxpayer on the list below is the Oen Mercantile company, although it is probable that the Hanson & Barzen company is the greatest contributor by reason of its widely scattered holdings, extending over a number of townships. Banks and wholesalers are among the chief taxpayers, there being no individuals on record whose personal property, even with the moneys and credits added, comes anywhere near reaching the figure of these concerns. Following is a list of those whose taxes amount to $500 or more:

Oen Mercantile Co.	$2,057.40
First and Peoples bank	1,996.30
Thief River Grocery Co.	1,931.04
Teasum Company	1,079.78
Farmers & Merchants bank	1,072.80
Hanson & Barzen Co.	931.21
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	812.61
First National bank	778.85
Standard Oil Co.	704.02
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co.	690.57
Loken Brothers	648.15
The Prichard Co.	597.17
N. W. Drainage Co.	588.16
Citizens State bank	539.98

Among the Farmers.

In the county outside of the city and two villages there are 1339 persons who are down for personal property taxes. The town of North has the largest number, there being 118 residents of that subdivision on the list, while the township of Goodridge has the smallest representation with 29. Following is the number in each township, according to the published list:

Black River	46
Bray	41
Cloverleaf	50
Deer Park	60
Goodridge	29
Highlanding	93
Hickory	70
Kratka	78
Mayfield	44
Norden	69
North	118
Numedal	39
Polk Center	43
Reiner	50
River Falls	68
Rocksbury	109
Sanders	43
Silverton	59
Smiley	92
Star	72
Wyandotte	60

The Highest and Lowest.

Charles Johnson and Elizabeth Avelson, both of Black River township, admit possession of $3,000 in moneys and credits, this being the high figure among the farmers. There are seven persons in different sections of the county who have between $2,000 and $3,000 and a much larger number whose holdings in this respect are above $1,000.

The three low men on the tax list outside the city are H. Arneson of Smiley, five cents; A. C. Holden of North, 13 cents, and James Bakke of Smiley, 21 cents.

Outside of the banks and mercantile establishments the following are the heaviest taxpayers in the rural districts:

N. E. Beebe, Rocksbury	$148.09
Arne Vik, River Falls	104.47
Ole Grinde, Silverton	79.00
Peter Engelstad, Rocksbury	75.26
F. B. Conklin, North	72.56
Joe Oaki, Cloverleaf	65.80
R. J. McKercher, Black River	63.84
Waldie Christenson, North	59.54
Otto Rehm, Kratka	57.50
A. T. Funnesdahl, Norden	55.00
Nicoly Urdahl, Goodridge	54.32
J. J. Stenvick, Reiner	50.48

Is Only Notification.

The official publication appearing in The Times this week will be the only notification sent out that these taxes are due. The tax must be paid before the first day of March if penalty is to be avoided.

Miss Lillian Provencher recently entered the Physicians hospital as apprentice nurse.

Holt County Seat Boosters Get Ahead of Middle River

The people of Holt do not intend to overlook any bets in their efforts to have their village made the county seat in case the attempt to divide Marshall county is successful. Their petition was the first one presented but it was found that the territory proposed for the new county of Liberty did not come up to the requirements in the way of taxable valuation and it was necessary to start another at once. More territory was included and the field gone over once more with the result that a document able to withstand all assaults was secured and presented to the governor last Tuesday afternoon.

Middle River was busy on the same proposition at the same time, but the boosters there did not get their petition to he governor until Wednesday morning. Whether or not this will have any effect upon the ultimate result remains to be seen.

There is keen rivalry over the county seat selection and it would not be surprising to find the fight growing so bitter as to defeat any attempt at division.

EXPECT CROWD AT CLUB LUNCH AND ELECTION

Election of Officers and Other Important Business Will Follow Supper.

TURKEY AND TRIMMINGS

Matter of Future Club Location Will be Definitely Settled.

It is not going to be one of these functions at which you grab a handful of grub, eat it with the arm of a chair for a table and feel uncomfortable all the time for fear you are getting an elbow into your neighbor's grub pile. Not by a long shot. Those who attend the annual supper and meeting of the Commercial club this evening are going to be served right and at properly appointed tables. They will get roast turkey with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and they will get plenty of it. Julien Provencher is going to serve and he promises that there will be both quantity and variety.

Will Elect Officers.

The supper hour is 6:30 o'clock. As much time as needed will be devoted to eating, after which there will be a meeting of much importance. Officers for the coming year are to be elected, a program of activities discussed and a decision reached as to whether or not the present quarters of the club are to be maintained. The proceedings will be full of interest for everyone, and it is expected that everyone will be there.

Cost One Plunk.

The supper will cost a dollar, but it will be worth it. Anyone not satisfied has the privilege of taking the subject up in the meeting afterwards and if it is found that his objections are well founded he will be given another supper.

Do not fail to attend this meeting. It is the most important of the year and of the attitude of the members this evening may depend to a very decided degree the value of the Commercial club in the future.

FANCY PRICE FOR PUREBRED CATTLE

Fred Cuno, Grygla Farmer, Pays $1200 Cash For Two Holstein Cows.

Hardly a day passes but what brings to light some progressive farmer who has done something out of the ordinary in the way of improving his livestock holdings. On Saturday Fred Cuno, a well-known farmer residing near Grygla, passed thru Thief River Falls on his way home in charge of two Holstein cows for which he had paid $1,200, securing the animals from the Schumacher herd near Glenwood.

One of the cows is a three-year-old with A. R. O. rating. During the first week in December she produced 13 pounds of butter fat and completed the month with a record of 58 pounds. During this test she maintained a daily milk yield of 93 lbs.

Mr. Cuno has at the head of his herd a bull that is a half-brother to the animal sold at Moorhead last summer for $65,000. Mr. Cuno is one of the most progressive dairymen of eastern Marshall county and is steadily improving his herd.

The purchase of the above mentioned stock was made with the assistance of A. J. Andersen of the Citizens State bank of this city, formerly a resident of Grygla and a strong booster of the dairying industry for that section.

COUNTY STARTS WITH BALANCE IN EVERY FUND

Statement Shows Business Has Been Well Administered During Year.

BONDED DEBT IS SMALL

With Ditch Bonds Omitted Liabilities Foot Up But $139,650.

The annual statement submitted by County Auditor T. P. Anderson to the board of commissioners shows that the county is in excellent financial condition and that matters have been carefully and economically administered during the past year. There is a surplus remaining in practically every fund and the year 1920 is begun with the very neat treasury balance of $77,583.

Figures Misleading.

To look at the statement without understanding the figures, one might be led to believe that the county was in dire straits. This is caused by the large sum carried as a liability by reason of the various ditch bond issues outstanding. While this sum must be accounted for in the liability column it is in reality chargeable against the lands benefitted by the various ditches and liquidation will not have to be accomplished through general taxation. With this item omitted it is found that the actual value of the roads and highways of the county alone more than offset the total indebtedness, which in actual figures is $139,651.40.

The Balance Sheet.

The county has $56,317.40 to begin business with at the opening of the year. Receipts from different sources during the twelve months were as follows:

Receipts.

Bal. Jan. 1, 1919	$ 56,317.40
Current tax collections	284,390.40
Penalties, int. and costs	1,964.57
Delinquent tax collections	22,575.77

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Visit Old Home in England.

Thomas H. Smith, cashier of the Farmers State bank of Mavie, accompanied by his brother, Wesley H., left Friday evening for New York City, at which port they will embark on the 26th for England. They will visit the scenes of their boyhood and spend a couple of months with their parents and other relatives before returning.

Wesley recently returned from service with the army, having been given opportunity for a short visit with the old folks enroute to France. At that time he promised to return in company with Thomas H. in case he reached America again safely.

WANTS 400 ACRES FOR SUGAR BEETS

Shaska Company Offers to Furnish Seed and Pay Expenses of Expert.

Arrangements have been made with the Shaska Sugar Beet company for the securing of 400 acres of land in Pennington county for the growing of sugar beets. The company agrees to furnish the seed at 25 cents per pound and pay the expenses of having an experienced man on the ground to instruct the growers as to the fitting of the soil, seeding, weeding, thinning, etc. The company guarantees the regular contract price of $9.00 per ton delivered f. o. b. Thief River Falls, also a regular sugar beet drill at the rate of 50 cents per acre.

Literature, telling of the yields and care of the sugar beet crop, will later be on hand at the Farm Bureau office, where each grower can secure a copy. The Farm Bureau of Pennington county has conducted several plots during the last two years and has found that beets grow well in this locality, containing a high percentage of sugar.

Anyone wishing to plant a small field should notify County Agent J. J. McCann.

NONPARTY LEAGUE MEETING JAN. 26

Senator Magnus Johnson and A. E. Bowen Will Speak at Auditorium.

The Nonpartisans of the county will hold a big rally at the auditorium in this city on Monday, Jan. 26, when A. E. Bowen, one of the best known lecturers on the staff of the organization, and State Senator Magnus Johnson, are scheduled to speak. The meeting will take place at 2 o'clock p. m.

An invitation is extended to the general public as well as the farmer members of the league to be present and hear the program of the organization mapped out. Senator Johnson and Mr. Bowen have been making a tour of the state and have everywhere been greeted by large crowds. This will be the biggest league meeting of the winter and it is not likely that there will be any other speakers until after the nominations have been made.

Soldier Recovering Health In Government Hospital

A. Svensgaard, son of Mrs. Karen Svensgaard of Cloverleaf township, is recovering his health in the government hospital at Hot Springs, S. D. The young man entered the service in February, 1918, but was taken sick at the outset and spent a year in the barracks hospital in South Carolina. He returned home last summer but his ailment persisted and he was sent by the local board to Hot Springs where he has since remained. He states that he is now greatly improved and that there is no doubt but that he will be able to leave the hospital in the spring. He intends returning to Pennington county after being discharged.

TIMES IS AWARDED PROWLER PRINTING

Staff Already Hard at Work and Determined to Excel Former Efforts.

At a meeting of the committee in charge of The Prowler, the annual publication of the senior class of the Thief River Falls high school, held last evening, the contract for printing the book was awarded to The Times Printing and Manufacturing company. The work this year is to be on a more elaborate scale than ever before and an art production from start to finish. The gathering of material has been going on for some time and many of the photographs have already been sent to the engraver.

Miss Vera Daily has been made editor-in-chief, the remainder of the force remaining as previously announced. Assisting Miss Daily will be an advisory board composed of Norman Dybvig, general manager, Alice Berg, assistant editor, Milden Boreen and Clarence Vevea

NEW OFFICERS FOR POULTRY FANCIERS

L. H. Lawrence Elected President and J. J. McCann Again Chosen Secy.

The Pennington County Poultry association held its annual meeting in the farm bureau office last week and elected officers for the ensuing year. L. H. Lawrence was chosen president, H. F. Erickson, vice-president; J. J. McCann, secretary; Mrs. Harry Woolson, treasurer. Directors were named as follows: K. T. Dalagher, St. Hilaire; F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls; O. B. Mandt, Goodridge; Casper Weiner, Hazel and E. W. Battenfeld, Thief River Falls, the latter to represent the western part of Pennington county.

One-half interest has been taken in the coops belonging to the Red Lake County Poultry association at a cost of $192.00. Plans and arrangements have already been begun for the next annual poultry show which is to be held during the fall of 1920. It is the plan of the local organization to make this exhibit bigger and better than ever before.

GOOD SEASON FOR STOCK SHIPPERS

Over $28,000 Worth of Stock Sent Through Local Association.

At the annual meeting of the Pennington County Live Stock Shippers association held last week, Hans Anton and H. C. Woolson were reelected president and secretary respectively and Fred Kopp chosen vice president. Emil Griebstein was reappointed to the position of resident manager.

The association has had a very good season, the secretary's report showing that over $28,000 worth of live stock had been shipped to South St. Paul yards. The report submitted was as follows:

Total number of animals shipped, 832; number of animals died and crippled in transit, 5; number of patrons, 271; paid to patrons, $26,235.26; St. Paul expenses, $1,467.83; home expenses, $45.65; manager's commission, $352.90; sinking fund, $99.27; total received, $28,188.55; paid out of sinking fund; $33.17; balance in sinking fund; $66.10; average expense per cwt., 67 cents.

Flour Price Reduced.

Flour dropped 50c a barrel in the Minneapolis market Tuesday. Standard flour in 98 pound cotton sacks sold for $14.25 a barrel. The general market decline in wheat was given as the reason for the reduction.

WILL EXHIBIT PRIZE CATTLE AT CROP SHOW

Pennington County Breeders to Contend For Honors at Crookston Exhibit.

ALL IN PUREBRED CLASS

Three Herds of Shorthorns and Holsteins Represented on Lists.

Pennington county live stock breeders are going to be represented at the annual farm crops exhibition of the Red River Valley Development association at Crookston during the week of February 9. Three breeders have already applied for space for their entries and it is likely that this number will be considerably increased. Those who have signified their intention of competing are: Jens Letness, Silverton township, Shorthorns; V. C. Noper, North township, Holsteins; O. Weckworth, Smiley township, Shorthorns.

The Red River Valley is fairly moving in anticipation of the Red River valley live stock show. There is some baa-ing and squalling also, as sheep and swine expect to be paraded at the pure bred show which is to be held in Crookston during that week. Already 60 exhibitors have written for entry cards. Most of them will consign stock for the show and many will have animals listed for the sales. Entries have been received in the following classes: Shropshire sheep; Duroc Jersey, Poland China, Yorkshire, Berkshire and Chester White hogs; Shorthorn, Holstein, Red Poll, Angus and Hereford cattle, and baby beef in the boys' and girls' calf club contest. The exhibits will come from Pelican Rapids to Roseau, every county being included.

The new 75x140 addition, two stories, and the basement of the pavilion will provide room for 600 head. The space will be taxed to capacity, necessitating new buildings if this show is to grow and expand.

Judging By Specialists.

Specialists will do the judging, including Frank Kleinheinz, Madison, Wis., for sheep; H. A. Derenthal and H. W. Vaughan for swine, and W. H. Peters, J. S. Montgomery and W. A. McKerrow for cattle. The judging will be done Monday, Feb. 9, followed by an address the same evening by Hon. Duncan Marshall of Alberta, Canada.

On Tuesday evening there will be a Red River valley live stock parade which promises to excel any previous winter show event in the history of the state. On Wednesday evening the annual banquet of the Red River Valley Live Stock association will be held in the Elks' club rooms. Prominent speakers from ten states are scheduled for brief talks following the banquet.

Greatest Show Yet Held.

The programs include live stock meetings each day and in addition the different breed associations will hold meetings.

OPENING OF NEW MILLINERY STORE

Galloway & Hourigan Shop Will Be Ready For Business About Feb. 15.

The formal opening of the Bon Ton Millinery at 215 Third street east has been announced for about Feb. 15. At this time an authentic display of the newest and approved models will be shown and it is expected that the store will be crowded by those interested in fashions. The interior of the building has been remodeled and presents a handsome appearance.

The Bon Ton will be under the management of Galloway & Hourigan and will have the benefit of the personal supervision of Mrs. Galloway, whose former connection with the Carson-Pirie-Scott company of Chicago gives her an intimate touch with the millinery market. The local store will also be connected in buying power with eight others stores and is actively connected with two similar establishments.

Residents of Bemidji and Cass Lake, where Galloway & Hourigan now operate stores, are enthusiastic over the increased opportunities for choice of styles given by the opening of their establishments.

"It will be our endeavor to give to the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity the benefit of the same service that is being given residents of the Twin Cities," said Mrs. Galloway. "We are in intimate touch with the market, make frequent buying trips, and through our connections with the large wholesale houses are able to offer at the same time as Eastern stores any new novelties or styles introduced. We are much pleased with our location and with the people we have already met in Thief River Falls, and anticipate extremely pleasant relations with the millinery buyers of this city and vicinity."

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SOCIETY and Club

Prof. Payne Delivers Fine Addresses at Woman's Club

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Woman's club held on Monday afternoon. Three delegates selected to attend the mid-winter meeting at St. Paul, Feb. 11 and 12, as follows: Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. R. McGinn, M. Vance and Mrs. G. S. Streeter. Announcement was made of Dr. Hieber's death. Mrs. Hieber was one of the charter members of the club. A piano duet: "The Barber of Seville," was beautifully rendered by Mrs. N. Harris and Mrs. Oscar Sponheim. Professor Arthur F. Payne, head of Industrial Education of the University of Minnesota, gave a lecture, his subject; "The Fundamental Causes of the Present Industrial Unrest."

"The present time is a very critical one in the history of this country," said Prof. Payne. "At no time has there been such a need for sane leadership and good judgment based on facts. There is a tremendous menace of I. W. W.'ism and Red Radicalism that threatens the very foundation of our national existence. It behooves all of us to search for the truth and the fundamental causes for the present very wide-spread unrest.

"There are certain fundamental conditions existing that cause this unrest that should be studied and remedies discovered. This study should be made in an impartial way, without prejudice or partisanship, recognizing no class distinction except the one class—the finest American citizens.

"The source of this industrial unrest is found in the eastern steel and coal mining industries," continued the speaker. "There we find large groups of illiterate foreigners who are without any ideals of America. They are herded together in bunk houses with unspeakable living conditions, where filth, disease and vice abound. In the large and small towns we find conditions of the worst kind resulting in an infant death which is the largest in the world. The infant mortality rate in New Zealand is 62 per 1,000, Norway 72, Sweden 72, Australia 72, Ireland 92, Denmark 98. In one of our largest steel towns it is 271 per 1,000.

"These foreigners have been coming in vast numbers to do our work. Our industries would stop without them. They are coming from illiterate countries—Hungary has a 50 per cent rate of illiteracy, Roumania 60 per cent, Russia 69 per cent, Servia 78 per cent with the Letts, Lithuanians, Montenegrains and Albanians equally as high. The fact that these people work such long hours makes it impossible or nearly impossible to Americanize them. Steel mills run 24 hours per day, seven days per week. The regular schedule is 11 hours on day turn one week with 13 hours on night turn the next week. No time is taken for meals and 7 hours left for sleep on the 11-hour shift and 5½ hours on the night turn. The great problem is one of Americanization. We simply must for our own sake and for the salvation of our country Americanize these people.

"Remedies suggested are that the people who make their money from these workers should be compelled to live in the town where these unspeakable conditions exist; that every foreigner coming to our shores should be given 364 days in which to take out his first citizenship papers and join an Americanization class, and if he has not done this on the 365th day he should be put on board a train and carried to the nearest seaport and sent back to the country from which he came."

Card Party.

A card party will be held in the basement of the Catholic church on Wednesday, Jan. 28. Everybody is welcome.

Basket Social.

The Lady Foresters lodge will hold a basket social in the I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 4th. Everybody welcome.

Wilma Booren Hostess.

A number of the friends of Miss Wilma Booren were entertained at her home on Duluth avenue last Friday evening. The evenings jollities ended with a delicious lunch.

Entertains.

Mrs. W. H. Akre informally entertained a few ladies on Wednesday afternoon. Needlework formed the diversion and a dainty lunch concluded the afternoon's enjoyment.

Party.

Miss Edla Norquist informally entertained a few of her friends at a party on Thursday evening. Music and games furnished the amusement of the evening. Refreshments were served at midnight.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Tuesday, Jan. 27 at the home of Mrs. Hans Langseth, 603 LaBree avenue north. They will be entertained by Mrs. Langseth and Mrs. O. H. Nelson. Everyone welcome.

Jopperu-Jopperu.

On Jan. 14, at the residence of Soren O. Bergland on Bridge street, occurred the marriage of Tilda Jopperu and Oscar Jopperu, both well known in Thief River Falls. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. Larson with Soren Bergland and Karl Skomedahl acting as witnesses. Immediately after the ceremony a dinner was served to the contracting parties at the home of Soren O. Bergland. The newlyweds will make their future home on the Jopperu farm ten miles east of this city.

Luther League Meets.

The Young Peoples Luther league of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the church basement on Thursday evening, Jan. 22 at 8:30. Lunch will be served by Miss Selma Rustebakken and Mesdames Anna Langseth, Ole Legvold, Jr., and Albert Engen.

Bridge Party.

Mesdames W. H. Akre, H. W. Protzeller and E. O. Mogenson, entertained twenty ladies at bridge at the home of the latter last Saturday evening. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Nels Christianson and Mrs Lampert. A novel lunch consisting of chop-suey, rice and tea concluded the evening.

Snustad-Soberg.

At five o'clock on Sunday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran church in this city, occurred the marriage of Miss Agnes Soberg of Polk county and Olaf Snustad of Norman county. Rev. George Larson performed the ceremony in the presence of Miss Minnie Tennis and E. Aspelund and the congregation.

Jorgenson-Clausen.

Lars O. Jorgenson and Miss Minnie Clausen, both of Marshall county, were united in marriage on Jan. 14, at 10 o'clock at the Zion Lutheran parsonage with Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the church, officiating. Those who witnessed the ceremony were Miss Christine Clausen, an aunt of the bride and Henry Clausen, the bride's brother.

Informally Entertained.

Miss Lucille Grundhaus informally entertained a few of her friends at her home in this city on Friday evening, Jan. 16th. Various games and cards afforded the entertainment for the evening. Refreshments were served at midnight. Those who had the enjoyment of the evening were: Louise and Agnes Kvall, Roy and Esther Brown, Clara, Orton and Marcus Olson, Lena and Oliver Gullingsrud.

In Honor of Mrs. Michaels.

Miss Luella Peterson entertained a number of girls at her home on last Thursday evening in compliment to Mrs. E. Michaels who visited in this city last week. The guest of honor formerly taught in the local schools and the young ladies spent a very pleasant evening renewing the acquaintanceship of their former instructor. During the course of the evening light refreshments were served.

Thomas-Habedank.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at 201 Crocker avenue on Monday evening at 7:30, when J. Thomas and Miss Rose Habedank were united in marriage, Rev. J. B. Smith of the M. E. church officiating. Thomas Moe acted as groomsman while Miss Myrtle Dostal attended the bride. Only a few intimate friends of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony. The happy couple will make their future home in this city.

Nason-Erickson.

C. G. Nason, son of C. A. Nason, secretary and general manager of the Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., and Miss Helen Erickson, daughter of Mrs. Jennie Erickson of this city, were quietly married on Monday afternoon, Jan. 20th, at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. J. B. Smith, pastor of the church officiating. The newlywods left the same evening on their honeymoon, which will be spent in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Mr. and Mrs. Nason are both well known and popular young people of this city, having been born and educated here. The bride was a sophomore in high school at the time of her marriage, while the groom was graduated with the class of 1919. Their many friends extend hearty congratulations and best wishes for their future happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Nason will reside in this city.

Community Girls Club.

The Girls Community club met on Monday evening in the Commercial club rooms with a fairly large attendance, the members of the Woman's club being the guests of the evening. A short musical program preceded the main feature of the evening's entertainment, which was a very interesting talk on Y. W. C. A. work by Mrs. Leslie Gray of Minneapolis, state director of the Y. W. C. A. In her talk Mrs. Gray related the conditions existing among the women in foreign nations, particularly in China, Turkey and South America, and impressed the urgent need of assistance from the Y. W. C. A. She also emphasized the work being done by this organization in the United States adding that the finest Y. W. C. A. in the world was located in the city of St. Paul. An unexpected treat was enjoyed when Mrs. Gray delighted the audience with humorous readings at the special request of Mrs. J. M. Bishop. She is a reader of exceptional ability and every number was liberally applauded. The session closed with the serving of refreshments by the H's.

Automobile Exposition and Tractor Show a Great Event

Ten acres of Florida with its sunshine and flowers and palm trees will be set down in the heart of Minnesota when the Twin City Automobile, Truck, Tractor and Industrial Exposition holds forth at the Overland Building, Midway, the week of Jan. 31-Feb. 7.

And in th's novel setting will be found no less than five great shows rolled into one.—Passenger cars, commercial cars, tractors, accessories, and industrial displays will make up the contents of the five floors.

There will be lots of music, plenty of lights and dancing—everything to cheer the visitor from the first to the fifth floor. The carnival spirit will be in the air all eight days of the show. The whole Northwest seems prepared to answer the management's invitation to "come on in."

Notice.

The annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Saturday, Jan. 31, at 1:30 p. m. Dinner served at Zion church between 11 and 1 o'clock. Among other topics taken up will be the construction of a new creamery building and also amendment of Article IX of the constitution, relative to limit of indebtedness.

P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

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The City Churches

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services Sunday the 25th at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Monday night prayermeeting. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., meeting for Bible study. You are cordially welcome.

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Public worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The best of music and the heartiest greeting awaits you at these services. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Young people heartily welcomed. Prayer service at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 25th: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at St. Hilaire at 11 a. m. Communion immediately after morning service. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Confirmation class meets at the home of Fred Anderson, Saturday at 4 p. m. All cordially invited.

The First Swed. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. Vocal solo by Miss Emelia Hoorn. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Service in the American language at 7:45. Vocal duet by Mr. O. A. Naplin and Mr. Carl Sundahl. Selection by the church quartet.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and bible class 10 a. m. Morning service by the deacons at 11. Evening service by the pastor at 8. Service at Rindal church 11 a. m. Afternoon service at Norden 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies Aid entertained by Mrs. Klopp on Thursday, Jan. 29, at 2 p. m. Zion Young People's society meets Thursday evening, Jan. 29, at 8. Zion Ladies' Aid will serve dinner for the creamery association on Saturday, Jan. 31.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—On Jan. 25 meetings for public worship will be held at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At the morning meeting Rev. La Roe will conduct the service. Duet, selected, Mrs. Albert Johnson, Miss Blanche Johnson. Anthem, selected, choir. The evening program will be a service of song. Special music as follows: Anthem, "Awakening Chorus," Homer and Gabriel, choir. Ladies' quartette, "Lord of All Being," Theodore Salome, the men's chorus and choir. Southern religious plantation song, "It's Me, O Lord." Solo, "Rock of Ages," Edward P. Renick, Ellery Porter. Anthem, "God So Loved the World," J. Stainer, choir. Solo, selected, Miss Jessie Barnett. Mrs. H. E. Edberg, choir director. Sunday school 10 a. m., Miss Effie Hamry, Supt. 3 p. m. Juniors. 7 p. m., C. E. Bible study, John 3. We call special attention to the service of song on Sunday evening. Everyone invited to freely enjoy the privileges of the church.

Girls Make Good On Double Jobs

Capable "bookkeeper-stenographers" are always in great demand and earn good salaries. Northern business men nearly always call for the thoroughly trained students of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., to fill this two-in-one job.

Within a few days Miss E. Brendemuhl was thus employed by the Northwestern Telephone Exchange, Miss M. Larson by the Master Oil Co., and Miss E. Veden by the F. O. Knerr Dairy Co.

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In spite of all views to the contrary, it is probable that the coming spring and summer will see the greatest boom in building operations for many years. This means that labor and materials will be in great demand and are consequently liable to be high in price.

Get Your Start Now

The man who orders his material now and has it hauled on the snow will be saving quite a sum of money. He will be getting the advantage of the present price, which is lower than there is any posibility of its being again for some years, and he gets his hauling cheaper. Last but not least, he will be ready to begin work with the opening of spring. You will be money ahead if you act on this suggestion.

The Prichard Co.

Income Tax Returns

The First and Peoples State Bank is prepared to render assistance in preparing income tax returns.

In order to enable us to give the best service possible in this instance our Mr. T. M. Thronson was sent to the Income Tax School at Mpls for the purpose of familiarizing himself thoroughly with the exact requirements of the government and his services will be at call of anyone desiring assistance.

To partially reimburse us for his time and the expense we have been put to in preparing for this service we will make a minimum charge of $1.00 for each return.

The above charges include the notarial fee.

No charge will be made for examining statements submitted for the purpose of determining whether or not a return is necessary.

The Federal Income Tax Law is very complicated and the Internal Revenue Department is continually finding it necessary to make new rulings and change old ones. Authorities differ in interpreting the law and various rulings so that it is impossible for the Bank to assume responsibility for the opinions given to patrons.

However in offering this service this bank has made every effort to give the best advice they can obtain.

Please bring your statements of income and expense early.

First and Peoples State Bank
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Comparative Statement
of the Creamery for the past 8 years

1912, $40,000
1913, $50,000
1914, $90,000
1915, $120,000
1916, $124,000
1917, $159,360
1918, $226,046
1919, $319,701

THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

TO FIGURE INCOME TAX IS AGAIN PROBLEM

Instructions Are Sent From St. Paul to Assist the Taxpayer.

DETERMINE FOR HIMSELF

Payments May Be Made in Four Installments—Guessing is Dangerous.

The Federal Income Tax season opens today, with the distribution of the forms for personal returns from the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue at St. Paul.

From now until the bell rings on the night of March 15, the annual returns covering income for the year of 1919 will be figured out and filed by citizens and residents, together with payments of tax due.

Taxpayer Must Decide.

The burden of fulfilling this obligation is laid by law squarely on the shoulders of those who are American citizens or residents. Every person must determine for himself whether his net income for 1919, figured according to the revenue law, was sufficient in amount to require a return.

If he is single, a return is required if his net income for 1919 was $1,000 or over. A widow or widower is classed as a single person. A man or woman living apart from his wife or husband is also classed as a single person.

First Payment With Return.

If he was married and living with his wife on Dec. 31, a return is required if his net income for 1919 was $2,000 or over. In his net income he must include that of his wife and minor children, if any.

If a tax is due on his income, he must make payment with his return. This payment may be made in whole or in part of the tax due. At least one-quarter of the tax must accompany the return.

The filing and payment must be done before midnight of March 15, or he is classed as a delinquent and is subject to severe penalties.

To Avoid Penalty.

Two forms are being distributed for personal returns. Form 1040 A is intended for use by a person whose net income does not exceed $5,000. A larger form, 1040, is intended for each person having a net income in excess of $5,000. Both of these forms are now obtainable at Internal Revenue offices and at banks and post offices.

It is urged by the Internal Revenue Bureau that taxpayers obtain their blanks at once. Failure to have a blank form at hand for an eleventh-hour return will not relieve a person of penalty for failure to comply with the law.

Each form contains instructions for preparing and filing the return, and these should be carefully read and strictly observed.

There is also provided a "work sheet" which should be used for making the original computations, and which should be retained and preserved by the taxpayer.

Guessing Will Not Do.

Any person who is in doubt on points affecting his particular case, should bring such matters to the attention of the nearest Deputy Collector or Revenue Agent, who will render every necessary aid without charge.

When the return is completed it should be properly executed and immediately filed. Any internal revenue officer will administer the necessary oath without charge.

It is pointed out that accuracy in compiling the return is absolutely necessary. Mere guesses and estimates as to income and deductions should be avoided and actual facts and amounts should be set forth. And this is equally important in considering the question of whether a return is required.

GYM PROVING VERY POPULAR WITH ALL

Women and Boys, as Well as Men, Enjoy Its Advantages.

The value of the recently installed gymnasium is attested by the large number of persons who disport themselves there every day in the week. There are classes for men at 5 every afternoon, the work being under the direction of S. Salveson. A boys' class has been started and has the use of the equipment from 7 to 8 o'clock on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening, Clarence Pope being in charge. Wednesday night has been set apart for the ladies, who meet at 8 o'clock under the guidance of Miss Gunlaugson of the high school faculty.

Every member of the different classes is taking a decided interest in the work and beneficial results are already noted in many instances. Manager Fallness hopes to see the time come when there will be some class at work in the gymnasium every afternoon and evening and is prepared to make any additions found necessary to the equipment in order to meet all demands.

Daily Thought.

Thoreau said: "It is never too late to give up our prejudices."

Arranging Store Fixtures For Greater Convenience

Albert S. Lieberman, the clothier, who last summer, added a regular boys' department to his establishment, finds that more room is needed in order to accommodate all the goods he wishes to handle. He has therefore removed the balcony at the rear, taken out a partition and rearranged the interior. The plan provides not only more room but improves the appearance of the place generally.

Zeh & Curran, the grocers, have also made a number of changes in their place of business. The customers' counter has been removed from the south end of the room and placed along the west wall, extending to the entrance. This assures more light for one thing and is a much more agreeable arrangement.

New Years at Lundwood.

The annual Christmas tree festival was held on New Years day at Lundwood school house and was attended by the largest crowd ever seen at an affair of this kind in the neighborhood. In the afternoon a fine program was presented by the youngsters of the school under the direction of Miss Constance Aaker. After the greater part of the crowd had departed, those who had been instrumental in getting up the entertainment remained and spent the remainder of the evening in dancing.

VERY GOOD MONTH FOR CREAMPATRONS

One in Three Hundred Dollar Class—Several Go Over Two Hundred.

As is usual after the holidays, business at the Thief River Falls creamery is picking up rapidly. The report of Secretary Peter Engelstad shows that the big-check men are quite numerous, there being one in the $300 class, six who received more than $200, while those whose herds produced more than $100 worth number 14. Following is the list of those who received more than $50 for their supplies during the month of December:

Jens Kirk	$320.86
Waldo Christenson	286.76
P. Engelstad	272.71
Henry Koop	231.33
Albert Johnson	226.95
Hans Anton	215.61
E. Edman	212.13
Fred Copp	193.25
Stuart McLeod	163.84
L. O. Stenseth	168.26
Osmund N. Urdahl	142.02
R. M. Johnson	129.70
Paul Engelstad	127.07
H. C. Woolson	122.90
Christ Nelson	117.28
Ole Johnsrud	115.56
N. A. Matheen	108.05
A. J. Funnesdahl	103.61
Ole Skaar	105.78
S. Wiberg	105.15
Will Smith	102.76
Ludvig Larson	99.90
Palm Bros.	98.83
Rasmus Oen	96.81
John N. Swanson	89.19
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	87.98
H. T. Waale	87.15
Aug. Johnson	84.45
F. B. Conklin	83.44
Carl Mellem	81.62
Wm. Leslie	81.36
A. C. Simonson	81.22
Lars Hitterdahl	81.18
A. G. Loftness	80.96
John Bloom	78.98
John Phillip	77.13
Ole Jaranson	76.45
Knut Ystesund	76.42
Ole Skonord	74.79
Nels Norn	73.23
Trygve Skotberg	72.45
Al C. Hanson	71.53
S. J. Stenberg	68.31
Ole J. Dahl	67.43
H. Pope	66.39
P. Hornseth	64.62
N. B. Swanson	64.44
Knut Finstad	62.92
Will Yonke	62.03
C. W. Strubel	61.92
Frank Kainz	60.84
Fred Hollander	60.61
John Helquist	60.60
F. M. Kline	59.32
L. Netteland	57.96
Gust Berggren	57.88
Louis Hamre	57.60
Aug. Carlson	57.38
Bert Thorstad	57.35
Carl Erickson	56.63
John Sor	55.60
Nels Burtness	55.26
H. J. Maland	54.10
Thom Holten	53.23
L. J. Hermanson	52.90
Emil Blomberg	52.50
S. W. Laubach	52.44
Mrs. A. Welo	51.66
R. L. Muzzy	51.06

I want to thank all of those who have favored me with their business during the past year and express the hope that our relations have been such that I may have a continuance of your patronage.

I am now closing out all of my ivory and jewelry and now is the time to buy at a big discount.

A. A. Wangenstein

Local News Notes

Mrs. D. A. Dalager of St. Hilaire visited in this city on Wednesday. She returned to her home on the afternoon train.

Messrs. A. R. Tarleseth, H. L. Melgaard and Judge Grindeland came down from Warren on Tuesday evening on business.

Have more milk than my family needs. Parties wishing to buy milk must call for same.—S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. j22p

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Barzen made their departure on Wednesday afternoon for Brainerd where they will visit for a few days.

Mrs. Jason Weatherhead of Ada, returned to her home on Wednesday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. H. Herrick.

Mrs. H. D. Holmes returned to St. Hilaire on Wednesday afternoon, having come down here in the morning to attend to some shopping.

Miss Fredia Gustafson of Minneapolis, arrived here the first of the week to visit her father who is seriously ill at the Physicians hospital.

O. F. Post and son Curtis visited with friends in this city on Wednesday, coming here in the morning and returning to St. Hilaire on the afternoon train.

Phil Zeh left on Wednesday afternoon for Crookston, where he will visit his son, Elmer, who is employed in that city and also attend to business matters.

Carl Kretzschmar, who has spent the past month visiting with his mother, Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar, departed on Wednesday evening for Minneapolis.

Mrs. Agnes Warsing, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Olson, in this city, left on Wednesday morning for her home at Steiner.

Justin O. Juvrud of Chicago, is in this city today making advertising arrangements for the concert to be given by Mr. Thorsten Skarning on Sunday, Jan. 25th.

Mrs. Anna Connelly Olsen returned to her home at Roseau on Wednesday morning after having attended the conference of the Y. W. C. A. held here on Monday. While in this city she was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Anderson of Roundup, Mont., who have been visiting at the Tessum and Prichard homes in this city, departed on Tuesday evening for Lanesboro, where they will be the guests of the former's parents before returning to their home. Mr. Anderson is a brother of Mrs. Tessum.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter will leave this city on Sunday evening for Oshkosh, Wis., to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. Streeter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Streeter, after which Mrs. Streeter will go to Green Bay, Wis., where she will visit before joining her husband in Minneapolis, where they will attend the auto show.

Rev. R. L. Barackman departed on Monday morning for Brooks where he was called to conduct the funeral services of Felix D. Brown, who passed away on Jan. 15, as a result of tuberculosis following a siege of influenza. The deceased was born in Rock Co., Minn., in 1882. The remains were interred in the Brooks cemetery. His wife and four small children and other relatives survive.

Red Cross Essays.

How can Junior Red Cross members help children less fortunate than themselves without giving material relief such as money, clothes or food?

This is the subject of an essay contest to be conducted by the Junior Red Cross of the Northern division. The essays are to be not less than one hundred words in length and may be written by any member of the Junior Red Cross in Minnesota, North or South Dakota or Montana. The winning essay will be published with credit to the writer by the Publicity Department throughout the division.

The Devil's Vacation
Where Will He Spend It?

This will be the Subject for Sunday evening Jan. 25, 8 o'clock at the Scandinavian Bible Lectures held in the Odd Fellows Hall. Every Scandinavian should regard this as a personal invitation.

j22p O. J. DAHL.

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Large can Tomatoes	20c
Oatmeal	28c
Bengal Peas, can	18c
Lenox Soap, bar	5c
Salmon, reg 25c quality	20c
Fancy Jams, regular price 55c	48c
Nottled Catsup, reg 30c	25c

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Fine, Dark	30.00 to 25.00	20.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 12.00	10.00 to 8.50	10.00 to 6.00
Usual Color	20.00 to 16.00	15.00 to 12.00	10.00 to 8.50	8.00 to 6.50	8.00 to 5.00
Pale	15.00 to 12.00	11.00 to 9.00	8.00 to 7.00	6.00 to 5.00	6.00 to 4.00

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Narrow	10.00 to 8.00	7.50 to 6.50	6.00 to 5.25	5.00 to 4.50	4.50 to 2.00
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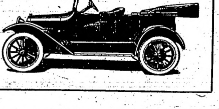

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A THOUSAND DOLLARS A DAY.

The annual statement of Secretary Peter Engelstad of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association is published in The Times this week. It proves that institution to be the most important from a farmer's standpoint of any in the city.

The total business for the year amounts to $819,700, or more than one thousand dollars for every working day. Being a co-operative concern, practically this entire sum goes to the patrons of the plant. It is the farmers' one dependable standby, the never-failing source of ready money at all times and under any circumstances.

The creamery has grown eight-fold in eight years. Beginning with a business of $40,000 in 1912, its first year of operation, it has steadily forged ahead, never experiencing a setback. The increase for the present year over last is not far from $100,000, which is twice the amount of the total business in 1913. There may be plants with a greater volume of business, but it is doubtful if any can show a more satisfactory record.

Every patron is proud of the creamery and has good reasons for so being. It is making money for him, is efficiently managed and growing fast. The present quarters are too small and it is probable that a new building will be erected before long. The butter turned out is decidedly high class and brings the top price everywhere. More patrons are being added all the time and a greater amount of territory included in the district from which supplies are secured. Inside of two years it should be a half-million dollar concern.

WELL, WHY NOT?

If the Republicans should nominate Herbert Hoover, it is by no means outside of the range of possibility that the Democrats would endorse him and bring about a coalition government for the first time in American history, says a report from Washington. There would be no electoral contest—and being the successful nominee of both parties, Mr. Hoover would naturally be obliged to ignore party lines and draw upon individuals from both parties in selecting a cabinet and managing the government.

People are pretty well tired of party designations that mean nothing. With the understanding that the tariff is not to be an issue in the coming campaign, what is there left to scrap about? It is probable that this time-worn issue may be used in an attempt to force a rally, but it is not likely to succeed. With the world clamoring for American products and in no condition to compete with us in any line, what would be the object of a tariff anyway?

It is not to be expected that Mr. Hoover will be nominated without considerable opposition on the part of the Old Guard in both parties, but Old Guards are not picking candidates—not this year.

Mr. Hoover is not seeking the place, but would consent to be a candidate if the demand for him were made strong enough. It begins to look as if nothing will be lacking on this score.

THE BIG WINTER SHOW.

The annual farm crops show of the Red River Valley Development association will be the biggest and most important thing of its kind ever attempted in the Northwest. The show will be held at Crookston and continues for five days, opening on Feb. 9 and closing on the 13th.

The greatest program of speaking ever given at a fair of this kind will be one of the big features. Names and dates will found in an article outlining the program on another page. Some of the most widely-known agricultural experts in the West are down for addresses, as are also a number of the foremost educators in the United States.

People residing in Pennington county should attend this fair. It is the one big winter event so far as farm crops and products are concerned to be given in the state, and the people of the district should take decided pride in making it a success. The better the show and the larger the attendance, the greater its value. There is going to be a regular stampede for lands in this section of the state before long and the probabilities are that prospective buyers or their agents will be at this show in order to get a line on the best section in which to locate. For this reason Pennington county should not only have exhibits there, but should be represented by a good bunch of energetic boosters. It will be worth their while aside from the unusual educational and industrial features of the exhibition.

IT WILL COME SOMETIME.

They are having quite a time over county division in Marshall. The people here know just how they feel, having gone through the same experience not so very long ago. Marshall is big enough to make two very respectable counties, but it will be found that division is not an easy matter. By sticking together it can be brought about, however, and it remains to be seen whether or not the people will be united enough on the proposition to make its success possible.

Too many towns want the county seat for one thing, and this matter will have to be adjusted to the satisfaction of a majority of the voters. It seems as if Middle River should have the first call on the honor. It is the largest town in the district from which the proposed county is to be formed, and is near enough the center geographically to make its selection the sensible thing. The attitude of Warren has not as yet become very clearly defined, but it is probable that no very great objection to the proposition would be encountered there. It is realized that with Warren as the county seat the people of the eastern end are not being satisfactorily served and that it is only a matter of time until division will be forced anyway.

ABOUT LIBERTY BONDS.

Uncle Sam is paying owners of Liberty bonds close to $900,000,000 a year in interest, which means about $8 for every one of the nation's 110,000,000 inhabitants.

How many members of your family are getting these $8 pickups?

Or are you one of those who "let go" of your Liberty bonds?

Don't get us wrong. We are not preaching a sermon. All we want you to do is to crank up your old think tank.

Now, if you are tempted to sell your bonds or War Savings stamps, who do you suppose will buy them? Won't it be the person who prefers to have Uncle Sam pay him instead of his paying U. S.?

In order to pay Liberty bond owners $900,000,000 the government must levy taxes. If you have bonds of your own, you cut the coupons and pay your taxes; if you sell your bonds to the rich man he collects the interest money—and you pay the freight.

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Ponder, brother, ponder.

PUBLIC FORUM

A Soo Leap Year Poem.

Come all you girls and listen,
Just harken unto me
And I will tell you something
That will make your sorrows flee.

I've been thinking of it lately,
And I'm sure it is a fact
That our boys on the Soo line railroad,
Want to try the Leap-year act.

Jack LaVelle has been patient,
Looking forward to this year,
Now if you would pop the question
It would fill him with good cheer.

Freddie Schultz is also waiting,
Let me give you girls a hunch,
Whoever gets this quiet fellow,
Would surely get a honey-bunch.

"Jimmie" Steen, he's another,
And you'll agree he's not so old,
Now you ladies you can't miss it,
Cause on you he'll spend his gold.

Edward Lacy thinks he's fated,
Go this day, give him your hand,
And on you I'm sure he'll lavish,
All his coin and fertile land.

Andy Eckbaum—don't forget him,
Freeze to him this very hour,
He will make a model husband,
Though he looks a little sour.

Joe Elsenpeter is still hoping,
That for him you'll set your sail,
Courage sister, do not falter;
He has tried but he has failed.

Howard Burrell always cheerful,
Says some day he'll win a mate;
Nab him girls, this very minute,
Before you find it is too late.

If you see you're up against it,
And can't find one high or low,
Just advertise your offer
And bring along the "dough."

SILENT OBSERVER.

An Acre of Corn on Every Farm.

Editor Times:

Considerable was said during the past season about corn raising and what was actually accomplished in that line in 1919 in Pennington county especially, which all went to show what possibilities there are in store for Northern Minnesota as a corn producing section.

Two years ago, while a resident of Goodhue county, we sent and got two bushels of Northwestern Dent and planted this down there in 1918, on what was considered good corn ground, and this corn was cultivated from five to seven times during the season. Having in mind the fact that we expected to come back to Pennington county again the following spring, we made it a point to save out a few of the very choicest cobs we could find out of this crop to take along as a sample to see how near we could approach the real thing from Goodhue. Our Pennington county corn chop was planted on the 16th of May on ground that was not manured but only plowed and disced and on sow thistle ground that had been cropped for six seasons into other grain. The flood coming on we only got to cultivate some of it three times and part of it only two times, and that was all the attention the corn got. During the last week in August there were ears getting ripe. By the 10th and 12th of September it was just about all ripe. As we gathered in our corn crop we laid aside some of the best cobs we came across and then went and got our Goodhue county sample and compared the two. The result was that Goodhue county wasn't in it at all. We found that our Pennington county product was not only as good in quality but also found that there was from one to three more rows of corn on the cob. Thus the Pennington county sample outdid the Goodhue county product both in size and quality.

We were so pleased over the result that we took our two different samples and left part of each at the First National bank and the Citizens' State bank of Thief River Falls where they may yet be seen. Now then, if such results are possible under adverse conditions, we have every reason to believe that we can yet do better under right conditions.

We say: Let every township in Pennington county organize a "Corn Boosting Club" and thus help make 1920 the Victory year for Northern Minnesota. Let our slogan be "An Acre or More of Corn on Every Farm this Year." Are you ready to enlist?

W. A. SWANSON

George Borden of Brooks, was a visitor in this city on Monday.

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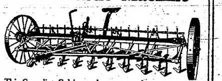

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Local News Notes

Scott Laird spent Saturday in Holt in the interests of the state flood relief work.

Atty. E. M. Stanton left the first of the week for the cities to attend to business affairs.

M. McFarland returned on Tuesday morning from a brief business trip to the cities.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gasow are the happy parents of a baby daughter, born on Jan. 19.

Miss Grace Cote departed on Friday afternoon for Hallock where she will visit for an indefinite period.

Miss Ethel Anderson returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Friday afternoon, having spent the day here shopping.

C. D. Gustafson returned to this city on Saturday morning from Minneapolis where he had attended a convention.

Miss Amanda Mickleson returned to her home in Holt on Friday morning, after a brief visit in this city with friends.

Miss Signe Peterson left this city on Friday morning for Gatzke where she will visit with her parents for a short while.

Miss Cora Williams, who resides near this city, left on Friday afternoon for Pekin, N. D., where she will be employed.

Miss Bernice Hobbs, stenographer in a bank at Holt, spent Friday in this city, returning to Holt on Saturday morning.

Miss Helen Hanson who visited for a day at the Ed. Broten home in this city returned to her home in Holt on Tuesday morning.

Miss Nellie Folstad came here from St. Hilaire on Friday morning to attend to some shopping. She returned on the afternoon train.

Miss Esther Nelson of St. Hilaire shopped and visited in this city on Friday coming here in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

Miss Sarah Hoglum who has been visiting at the T. L. Vistaunet home in this city, departed on Tuesday afternoon for her home in Fargo.

Miss Selma Hoff shopped and visited in this city between trains on Tuesday. She returned to her home in St. Hilaire in the afternoon.

Mrs. G. W. Evenvold arrived here on Wednesday evening from Detroit and will spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Wollen.

Mrs. Annie Alderman arrived here on Saturday morning from Crookston and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Mattson.

Miss Bertha Remmem arrived here on Friday evening from Viking where she is attending school and spent the week end visiting with her parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reep of Plummer are the proud parents of a daughter born on Wednesday, Jan. 15. Mr. and Mrs. Reep were former residents of this city.

Miss Hazel Hansel who made a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thill in this city returned to her home in Red Lake Falls on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Tina Johnson who has been visiting in this city and at the same time receiving treatment for her eyes, left for her home in Holt on Friday morning.

Miss Amanda Benson who spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends in this city, departed on Monday afternoon for her home in St. Hilaire.

Mrs. Chas. Vance and daughter Miss Mary returned to this city on Wednesday evening from Minneapolis where they had been for a short time attending to some shopping.

Miss Mildred Jahr of the Normal training department, returned to this city on Friday evening, having spent a week practicing teaching in the demonstration school located at Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson left this city on Monday evening for Minneapolis where they will spend a few days, continuing their trip to Chicago where they will extend their visit.

Mrs. Olaf Hanson and son Leonard arrived in this city on Thursday evening from their home in New Richmond, to visit for a short while at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Dennis LeSage.

Miss Alma Anderson, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Angus, arrived in this city on Friday evening to be in attendance at the funeral services of her grandmother, Mrs. Ole Thoreson, who died recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Warner and two children returned on Friday afternoon from Holt where they had spent a brief period visiting with the former's parents. They will be guests of relatives here before returning to their home in Noving, N. D.

Miss Rosa Kezar of Middle River, who has been visiting with friends in Warren, arrived in this city on Friday and visited with Miss Eva Raypy until Saturday morning. Miss Raypy accompanied the former to Middle River and will visit at the home of her parents for a week.

Miss Alice Lee arrived here on Monday morning from Grand Forks and visited between trains with friends. She left for her home in Plummer on the evening flyer, accompanied by Iver Norden, who had come down here from the above mentioned place on one of the early trains.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kentzer arrived in this city on Friday morning from Portland, Ore., where they have resided since early last fall and will spend a short period visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Adolphs, after which they will leave for points in the southern part of the state where they will make their future home.

S. C. Coumbe left on Monday evening for the cities where he will transact business.

Geo. Bugge and Conrad Roaning of Viking visited over Sunday with friends in this city.

Mrs. H. Peterson of Holt returned to her home on Monday after a brief visit in this city with friends.

Wm. Lofgen of Karlstad visited with friends in this city on Friday, returning to his home on Saturday.

Willie Bakke came down from Holt Friday afternoon to attend to business affairs, returning on Saturday morning.

Olga Klungness who has been visiting at her home in Holt returned to this city on Monday afternoon to resume her work.

Miss Anna Frolland, who teaches in the vicinity of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city between trains on Saturday.

A. S. Wilson of St. Hilaire was in this city on Monday attending to business affairs. He returned to his home in the afternoon.

A. Auberg returned to St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon, having come down here in the morning to attend to some business affairs.

Mrs. Ernest Michaels, who has been the guest of Mrs. T. J. Rowan for a week, returned to her home in St. Paul on Monday evening.

Miss Mable Johnson of Holt arrived in this city on Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days visiting with Miss Myrtle Bundy.

Mrs. H. Heinz returned to her home in Holt on Monday morning after having attended the Pentecostal meetings here on Sunday.

S. Salveson and Lars Hazelrud left for Crookston on Friday afternoon to attend to business affairs, returning here on Saturday morning.

E. Davidson returned to his home in Holt on Monday morning. Mr. Davidson visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Yotter left this city on Tuesday morning for Duluth and Superior, where they will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Hazel Haroldson who spent a week visiting with her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, returned to her home in Crookston on Saturday afternoon.

Leonard Melin, who has been visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Johnson in this city, returned to his home in Wylie on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Vigness and daughter made their departure from this city Monday afternoon for Shelley, where they will reside in the future.

Miss Sophie Mjelde, missionary, left this city on Monday morning for Roseau, where she will assist in revival meetings being held there this week.

Clayton Bakke arrived here on Monday evening from Warren to witness the Thief River Falls-Argyle basketball game held here that same evening.

Mrs. Spinks and daughter, who spent the latter part of the week visiting and shopping in this city, returned to their home in Middle River on Monday.

Miss Christine Peterson left on Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire, where she will visit enroute to Ada to be employed in the court house in that city.

Miss Josephine Brannum, who has been the guest of her niece, Mrs. Ferdie Brown for a brief period, returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Nosby returned to her home in Strathcona on Monday morning, after having visited with her father who is seriously ill at the Physicians' hospital.

Henry Knutson of Warren was one of the out-of-town witnesses of the basketball game held here on Monday evening between the local high and the Argyle high.

Miss Thora Berglund of this city went to Steiner on Monday morning to spend a week visiting with her brother who is employed as clerk in the store at that place.

S. R. Robinson arrived here on Saturday evening from his home in Oslo and spent Sunday visiting with his family, who are guests at the F. H. Herrick home in this city.

Miss Ruth Torkelson, who spent the week end with her parents who reside at Hazel, returned to this city on Monday evening to resume her studies at the high school.

Mrs. Jason Weatherhead of Ada, arrived here on Monday morning to attend the convention of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Weatherhead came here as a representative of Norman county.

D. G. Rohne, a former resident of this city, who for several years has operated a farm near Edinburg, N. D., has been the guest for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Olson.

T. P. Anderson departed on Monday evening for St. Paul where he will attend a convention of the county auditors held in that city on Tuesday and Wednesday and also a tax conference which is in session today and tomorrow.

L. Dobson of St. Hilaire was a visitor in this city on Friday.

H. Fuller left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis where he transacted business.

Christ Klupp departed on Sunday evening for Minneapolis where he will visit for a few days.

T. Ryerson returned to this city on Friday afternoon after a short visit with his parents in Holt.

Miss Christine Lundberg departed on Saturday afternoon for Fargo where she will visit for an indefinite period.

Albert Lonson returned to his home in Calloway on Sunday evening after a brief visit with friends and relatives in this city.

Misses Therese Goodman and G. Thorstad, teachers in the schools at St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city on Saturday.

Miss Blanch Hoff of St. Hilaire spent Saturday in this city attending to some shopping and visiting with friends between trains.

Mrs. H. Enderlie came down from Plummer on Saturday evening and visited between trains with her sister, Miss Ida Lanager.

I. G. Lane left this city on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where he attended a convention held in that city the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Gigstad returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Saturday afternoon having come down here in the morning to do some shopping.

Mrs. O. A. Johnson of Steiner arrived in this city on Saturday afternoon to visit over Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Olson.

Miss O. Nelson attended to some shopping in this city on Saturday, coming here from St. Hilaire in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

Miss Martha Norby returned to her home in Fosston on Sunday evening, having visited at the home of her brother, Bertil Norby, for a brief period.

Messrs. Frank Larson and Nils Swingen arrived here on Saturday afternoon from their homes in Roseau and visited over Sunday with friends in this city.

Mrs. M. O. Sorum and two daughters who are guests at the LeSage home in this city, left on Saturday afternoon for St. Hilaire to make a brief visit with relatives.

Miss Laura Norman, chief telephone operator at Crookston, arrived here the latter part of the week and will spend a few days visiting with her friend, Miss M. Cornforth.

Mrs. Geo. Peterson who had spent two weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson in this city, returned to her home in Lafayette on Sunday evening.

Miss Bernice Foreman of Argyle arrived in this city on Saturday evening and was the guest of Miss Grace Craig until Tuesday. While here she witnessed the basketball game between Argyle and the local high school team, held on Monday evening.

Miss Della Hallen arrived here on Saturday evening from Alvarado and visited between trains with Misses Ida and Hilma Sande. She left on the flyer for Minneapolis, accompanied by Miss Hilma Sande, where they will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Oscar Eggerud, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Eggerud, residing a short distance south of the city, left last week for Detroit, Mich., where he will attend one of the best automobile schools in the country for three months. He expects to return to Thief River Falls when the course is completed.

Scott Laird left on Wednesday for Greenbush and Roseau, where he will transact business.

Miss Ellen Nelson of Plummer, visited in this city on Tuesday with her friend, Miss Gunda Aasen.

J. Q. Cronkhite departed on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where he attended a Masonic convention.

Mrs. H. Age returned to this city on Wednesday morning after a short visit at the home of her parents, in St. Hilaire.

Miss Gena Ostvaldson departed on Saturday evening for St. Paul where she will visit with friends and relatives for a short period.

G. W. Bennet left this city on Saturday evening for Minneapolis to transact business. He expects to be gone for a period of a week.

Mrs. Arthur Carlson of Crookston, arrived on Wednesday morning and is spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlson.

C. E. Gordon departed on Saturday evening for Minneapolis to attend to business affairs. He will return to this city the latter part of this week.

Miss Onata Stopple returned to this city on Saturday evening from Alexandria where she spent a month visiting at the home of her parents.

Mr. Norby, banker at Strathcona, returned to his home on Wednesday morning after a brief visit with his father-in-law, who is ill at the local hospital.

Grant Ohm came down from Bemidji on Tuesday to witness the basket ball game held here that evening between the Bemidji and the local team.

Mrs. O. A. Johnson and son returned to their home at Steiner on Tuesday morning. While in the city they were the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. John Olson.

S. Segerson arrived here on Saturday evening from Minot, N. D., and visited between trains with Miss M. Lindberg, enroute to California where he will spend the remainder of the winter.

Misses Julia Austad and Julia Stromme of this city and Messrs. Frank Larson and Clifford LaFave of Roseau comprised a party who went to Winnipeg on Saturday morning, returning in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson departed on Saturday evening for Minneapolis where they will visit for a few days, after which the latter will go to points in Iowa where she will visit at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn arrived here on Tuesday evening from her home in Viking and will spend a few days in this city as the guest of her daughters, Misses Myrtle and Violet, who are students in the local high school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hurtig, who have been guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Chas. Fitterman, for a few days, left on Monday evening for New York, where they will visit for an indefinite period before returning to their home at Winnipeg.

Mrs. A. Mattson of Portland, Ore., who has been visiting with relatives in Viking for a short while, arrived in the city on Tuesday evening and visited with Mrs. Forsberg enroute to Alexandria, where she will be a guest of Mr. Mattson's parents before returning to her home.

D. E. Tonney of Winona was in the city on Saturday attending to business affairs.

Scott Laird spent Tuesday in Warren attending to business affairs, returning to this city in the evening.

Miss Effie Christianson of Fertile made a brief visit here on Thursday with her many friends, enroute to Holt where she will visit with relatives.

F. E. McKnight departed on Monday afternoon for Crookston to attend to business matters, returning to this city on Tuesday morning.

Messrs. Hjalmar and Matt Raftoseth accompanied by Charles Brenna of Middle River, departed on Thursday evening for Palm Beach, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter, returning to this vicinity in the spring.

Miss Alice Thompson who teaches near Hazel, spent the week end visiting at her parental home in this city. She returned to Hazel on Monday morning.

A. M. Erickson of Prosser, Wash., is visiting with his brother-in-law, H. Strandvold, west of this city. He will visit with relatives in Duluth, Wisconsin and Montana, before returning to his home.

Boys and Girls Sheep Club Contest

Our Boys and Girls Sheep Club Show was so successful last year that we are going to have a Bigger and Better Show this coming fall.

The three winners who were given free fare and expenses down to the Junior Live Stock Show held at So. St. Paul last fall were Virgil Denhart, Ruth Satre and Myron Robinson. They surely enjoyed the trip from start to finish and intend to compete again this year. Any boy or girl in the county between the ages of 10 and 18 years can enter.

Besides the free trip to the Junior Live Stock Show, every boy or girl who exhibits their lamb here will win a prize.

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The High School Progress

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Sophomore Sleighride Party.

(Johanna Wedul.)

The members of the sophomore class were the first ones in the high school this year to enjoy a sleighride. This event took place January 19th, and was in all respects a high success. The first of the week several committees were appointed to look after the various necessary details and when the time arrived everything went strictly according to schedule. About eighty-five members assembled at the high school at 7:30 and three sleighs were waiting to accommodate them. They left in different directions and for about an hour and a half everything that is necessary to make a sleighride a success was indulged in by the jolly bunch. After the sleighride they all gathered at the high school auditorium until the committee on the eats announced that lunch was ready to be served. All can testify to the fact that this particular part of the program was given attention. The following high school instructors assisted the sophomores in making the affair a success: Misses Evans, Patrick, Taylor, and Messrs. Tripp and Tommeraasen.

A New Teacher.

Miss Maude Frissel, who has been teaching in the Central school for the last two or three years, has resigned her position to teach history at the Lincoln high school. Miss Frissel has had five years of experience teaching history before coming to this city. The former history teacher, Mr. Mellby, will teach science the last semester.

Vocational Themes.

(James Helle.)

The public speaking classes are now devoting Thursdays and Fridays to vocational themes. Usually two are given each day, until the assignment has been covered by each member. On January 15, theology and nursing were the topics discussed.

These themes are verbal reports giving a full account of some vocation. They should be of about ten minutes' length, so if justice is to be done to the subject, considerable work is involved in its preparation. The object is to enter into as thorough an explanation as possible. If the vocation has any history behind it, that should not be ignored. The opportunities offered is what we are chiefly interested in. Most of us are dependent upon the size of the pay envelope. But we often overlook the fact that no matter how glittering the prospects, the qualifications necessary to insure success in the particular calling should be carefully weghed. We must face the unpleasant fact that it is not altogether wise to plunge headlong into any line of activity without reasonable assurance that we can "fill the bill." Most of us are, however, best fitted for certain work, and it remains for us to find out where we belong. No vocation, irrespective of whether a three dollars a day "job" or a ten thousand a year "position," is favorable in every way; in all cases there are limitations and disadvantages. The subject is treated from all these different angles.

The world is not what it used to be. It is getting more specialized, perhaps overly so. In Queen Elizabeth's time, a man might be a shipwright, explorer, mathmetician, politician or any other brand of "ician" combined. Not so today. The world calls for efficient men and women, and this limits the diversity of pursuits which they can engage in. True, we have among us him who professes to be a "jack of all trades," but it too often follows that he is master of none to the degree that present conditions demand.

A student who is nearing the completion of his high school course, should have an insight into various lines of work. Especially need he look into what appeals to him, of course. To aid him in this, as well as the training afforded in preparing and delivering the speech itself, are the purposes of these "vocational themes."

Development of American Ideals.

(Mary Vance.)

The first American ideal is a government of the people, by the people and for the people. After the Revolutionary war we became politically independent of England. After the war of 1812, we became totally independent because we had all our factories and mills. Our army and navy had greatly developed.

The second national ideal is that of equality. All men are created equal, that is—they have the same opportunities and the same rights. When this was realized the slaves were set free and large sums of money were given and much was done to educate the freed slaves.

When Spain oppressed Cuba that ideal came to the front again and Cuba was freed from her oppressor and given protection by the United States.

The last Great War America entered into in order that the world might be safe for democracy. The American ideals have been followed thruout the years and today America stands among the leading nations of culture, literature, manufacturing and science, a result of high ideals.

Personals.

Gordon LaBree claimed before vacation that he had the record for being tardy. Recently Philip Larson has attained a record of fifty minutes per week.

Herby Johnson made a recitation in modern history last week.

What do you know about that. Vernon Evenson handed in his algebra papers for the first time this year.

It is the belief that Leland Schuster is using a special coughing apparatus.

Ain't It a Grand and Glorious Feeling.

When you've spent four months taking American history, and you think because of your good averages you will not have to take the exam, and then the teacher tells you you have to take it regardless of averages, you feel pretty blue. After you spend a sleepless night you go to school. They hand out the questions and they are absolutely the worst you ever saw. You try to write but can't think what to write. You spend two hours of mortal agony, and assure yourself at intervals of two minutes each, that you know you flunked. Then—two days after all this you pass the teacher in the hall, and she tells you your paper was the best in the class. Oh, Boy! Ain't is a grand and glorious feeling?

The Man Who Is "Lucky."

(Chas. Warner.)

The greatest libel, the most frequent of all misstatements is that "So and So is a lucky chap—lucky because he has secured a position that pays him $40 a week—someone else is lucky because he has been promoted to the manager's position—or this or that man is lucky because he is making money fast, and has a splendid home and an automobile." No doubt you have heard such statements.

Isn't it too bad that men who have prepared for their profession, who have studied and trained should be credited with being lucky, when they begin to reap the rich rewards that go to the trained men? Do you think it possible that any man receives a good salary because his boss likes him? Indeed not. He earns it every week, because of what he knows. Yet his schoolmate, who has refused to mentally equip himself for a business career, earns $15 a week and the better salaried man is called lucky.

There is no such thing as luck. The man who discovers a gold mine is lucky. Not by a long way. He had to look for it. He spent time searching. Endured hardships. But he stuck to the job.

If you find a pearl in an oyster it isn't luck. It's an accident. The chef was asleep when he opened the shell. But no accident will ever place a man in an executive position if he is not trained for it. No ball team ever won a pennant without training. Why was the captain of your school team elected? Because he has training.

You can be a lucky chap some day. That is if you don't believe in luck. Train your brains and you will have a corner on all the luck. Then let somebody else look for the horseshoe. Just one word explains the whole story of every successful man—of every man who is called lucky—and that is Training.

The Pep Meeting.

(Esther Hadrath.)

'Twas the day before the game at Argyle,
When the boys and girls went wild.
Luella strutted up the aisle,
And said, we'll beat, if just for this short while.
At first came Captain Hadrath to the call,
To tell about the game of basket ball,
And then, came Dennis, to tell what he believed,
And Gordon, when he was done, was very much relieved,
As Elmer Larson had left the room,
Buster Ralston stood up soon,
And told about the opposing team,
And sat down with his face serene.
Roy Flattum was next to stand
And talked about the quality and brand;
Schuster, who was called on last,
Did not talk so very fast,
He seemed to sort of shake and fear;
And next we heard was, "Let's all Cheer
For the boys that are going to Argyle."

Class Rushes.

(Marguerite DeCremer.)

On December 19 when the seniors returned to school at noon they discovered that the juniors had hung their banner on the school flag pole. They quickly pulled it down and after changing the insignia to suit their class hung it in the assembly hall. A class-rush followed but the juniors were unable to secure their banner. January 12th, about 8:30 o'clock the juniors found that the seniors had been busy during the night and as a result the senior banner floated on the flag-pole. As class-rushing has been prohibited between 8:30 and 4:00 o'clock, the banner remained there for the day. The next evening the juniors took it down and tore it to ribbons and disposed of it, but not before the camera saw it.

News Items.

(Doris Richter.)

The girls of the advanced cooking class served a breakfast last Wednesday, which was the first of their series of meal preparations.

There has been a buzz about the school that there will be another high school carnival the latter part of February.

State exams were given for half year subjects last Friday.

The juniors are busy planning for their banquet, which is to be given next month.

Sure

Tom: "Only fools are positive."
Jack: "Are you sure?"
Tom: "Yes, positively."

Concerning—You.

It is strange that on the first anniversary of the signing of the armistice, only a few of the business houses of the city displayed their flags. When we recall the celebration of only the year before, the change is the more noticeable.

With the first enthusiasm over after the return of peace, it seems that outward show of patriotism began gradually to ebb away. This does not signify, however, that the people of the United States are less loyal than during the period of war, but that they do not see the necessity for showing such feelings now. But in some respects, it is probably as urgent a need with such classes as the "reds" threatening the peace of the citizens of the country, as ever before. There are in any community those who are easily influenced and if they are not inflamed with the spirit of true and worthy citizens the "Reds" may win them to their ranks. Our purpose is to suppress these undesirable classes and to keep their power as insignificent as possible. To accomplish this purpose, we must keep alive the spirit that will influence others to maintain a loyal support of our government.

It is You.

(Dagney J. Leverson.)

If you want to live in the kind of a town,
Like the kind of a town you like,
You needn't slip your clothes in a grip
And start on a long, long hike.
You'll only find what you left behind,
For there's nothing that's really new.
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town;
It isn't your town—it's you.

Real towns are not made by men afraid
Lest somebody else gets ahead.
When everyone works and nobody shirks
You can raise a town from the dead.
And if while you make your personal stake,
Your neighbor can make one, too,
Your town will be what you want to see;
It isn't your town—it's you.

Puffs.

There are puffs that drive us frantic,
There are puffs that make us smile;
There are puffs that have no shape whatever,
But we still persist and have them all the while;
There are puffs which have a mass of snarling,
At which the eyes of all about may glare,
But the puffs that fill our lives with misery
Are the puffs that we all do wear.

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What Bread is Highest in Quality and Therefore First in the Estimation of Housewives

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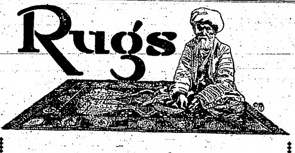

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You plan to buy a Ford next Spring. You want to start out next season with a brand new FORD—for your family—for your business, but if you wait till next Spring to order, how many weeks are you going to have to wait before your car is delivered?

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Our Allotment is Limited Each Month

McFarland Auto Co.

Neighborhood NEWS

ROSEWOOD

Contractors Ranum & Sagmoen last Friday closed a contract with the Farmers State bank for the erection of their new bank building next spring. The excavation for the basement is already completed and construction work will commence as soon as the weather permits in the spring. The size will be 26x40 feet and 12 feet high. The building will be made on the stucco frame type and will contain a full basement.

The Swedish Y. P. S. held its monthly meeting at the Congregational church in town last Friday evening, and was attended by about 50 persons. The Rosewood choir featured a number of beautiful songs in addition to several juvenile selections. Rev. M. Drotts of Viking gave a short speech. Lunch was served.

The New Solum Farmers club has commenced operations again, and conducted a successful meeting at Edgewood last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem returned last Tuesday from a three weeks' visit with their daughters, Mrs. Henning Backlund at Strathcona and Mrs. John Berglund at Bemidji.

Miss Clara Pedersen renewed her school work at Rosebank last Monday morning. She arrived in the morning from her home at Thief River Falls and was accompanied by her sister, Miss Christine, who visited here during the day and returned home in the evening.

Cashier and Mrs. A. S. Holm, left last Wednesday afternoon for a brief business trip to Crookston.

Engineer H. B. Rafteseth of the Northwestern Drainage company, was in town between trains last Monday enroute to his work at Mahnomen after having spent a few days on business at Winnipeg.

Nick Nelson, an old timer in these regions, was in town last Sunday to renew old acquaintances, and left in the evening for Thief River Falls, where he is at present making his home.

Start a banking account with the Farmers State Bank and enjoy courteous treatment and absolute safety.

Misses Guretta Dahl, Minnie and Emma Sorenson left last Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls to shop and visit. Minnie returned on Thursday, while Guretta and Emma will remain for a week.

Miss Minnie Bergland, who has been employed at Thief River Falls this winter, came home on Thursday morning to visit with her folks.

C. E. Sjogren of Grand Forks, was in town between trains last Wednesday on business with the local merchants.

Misses Hannah Helquist and Nina Westby left last Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with friends and relatives at Thief River Falls.

Steiner Johnson of Fosston was in town between trains last Saturday to visit and attend to matters of business.

While my present stock of gold Diamond flour lasts I am selling it for $7.20. Your only chance to buy a high grade flour at a low price.—A. S. Holm.

M. B. Rafteseth returned on Monday morning from Duluth, where he had been attending to business and visiting for a couple weeks.

Ole J. Dahl left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls, where he will attend to business for a few days.

Mrs. Lloyd Crown of Rocksbury, John, Carl and Annie Blom of Norden, and Mrs. Andersen were pleasant Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sor.

Lloyd Crown of Thief River Falls and Fred Lorentson of Wylie, were visitors at the J. Blom home, south of town for a few days this week.

A. C. Vorseth was a week end business visitor at Thief River Falls.

The Y. P. S. society of the Rindal church will have its next meeting Saturday evening, Jan. 24. Program and lunch. All are welcome.

Put your surplus money to work in the Farmers State Bank. We issue certificates of deposit in any amount drawing 5% interest on six or twelve month certificates.

Olof Lappegaard and Ted Myrom returned on Thursday morning from Thief River Falls, where they had been to take in the sights since Sunday.

Misses Myrtle and Carrie Nelson of Anita, are spending a few days this week visiting with school friends in this vicinity. They spent Saturday between trains at Viking visiting at the Axel Axelson home.

Helmer Blom is on the sick list this week.

The sugar famine is becoming quite serious, and especially so to the cake loving generation.

Axel Blom left last week for Bemidji, where he will be employed for some time.

Pay your personal property taxes at the FARMERS STATE BANK. j22-29-p

ROCKSBURY

The weather is fine at present. Just a little cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koop and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Garnet and family, visited at the Wm. Moeller home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Engelbart visited at the Hans Anton home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zinter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hahner Sunday.

Quite a few of the farmers attended the Farm Loan Association meeting at Thief River Falls Tuesday. A free dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geske visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moeller Sunday.

Miss Anna Koop called at the Wm. Moeller home Tuesday.

Misses Esther and Anna Zinter visited at the Wm. Moeller home Sunday.

Misses Anna and Linda Koop visited at the Hans Anton home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rondorf visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koop Sunday.

The West Side Farmers' club held a meeting Friday evening but it was not very well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Garnet and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koop, Sunday.

Messrs. Edwin and Willie Anderson visited at the Carrie Johnson home Sunday.

Mrs. F. T. Satre visited with Mrs. Wm. Moeller Tuesday, at the Physicians' hospital at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Henry Matthees and two children and Mrs. Hans Anton and daughter accompanied Mrs. Henry Mehrkens to her home at Ruso, N. D.

Mrs. Emil Ristau and Mrs. Aug. Krause visited from Saturday until Monday with the latter's son, Emil and family.

Mrs. John Engebart called at the Thief River Falls hospital last week for a short visit with Mrs. William Moeller, who is undergoing treatment there. Mrs. Albert Geske and Miss Coral Moeller were also visitors with her during the week. Mrs. Moeller was discharged from the hospital on Tuesday and is back home with every indication of a complete recovery.

Miss Hannah Henrickson of Thief River Falls is visiting with Miss Coral Moeller for a few days.

Emil Vele was a visitor at the Erick Kittleson home on Tuesday.

August Moeller and Gustav Wilkin helped Mr. Garnett do some butchering on Tuesday.

William Moeller was a caller at the Henry Koop home on Tuesday.

Christ Wilken, who has been on the sick list, is some better at this writing.

Henry Koop called on H. Matthews one night last week. He says snow shoes are the boss rig at this time.

The census man is making his rounds on snow shoes. It has been a tough job, he says, but Rocksbury township is just about completed.

Hans Anton's feet became so cold while cutting wood that on Monday he went to town and purchased a coal burner and a load of the proper fuel for it.

Miss Myrtle Satre is spending a few days on a visit to friends in St. Hilaire.

Miss Myrtle Anderson was a caller at the Moeller home on Sunday.

School is being well attended in spite of the cold weather.

ERIE

Salve O. Omlid is spending the winter at his brother's home near Oklee.

Mrs. H. A. Dahlen, who was taken ill some time ago with throat trouble, returned the latter part of the week to Thief River Falls, where she has been receiving medical attention at the hands of Dr. Adkins. Mrs. Dahlen is also to undergo an operation for appendicitis in the near future.

W. E. Booster of Hazel was a business caller in this vicinity during the week.

Tollef Hovet is amusing himself with hauling in his season's supply of wood and hay these wintry days.

Z. J. Holo was a pleasant caller at Sub Urban's Sunday evening. A lively talk ensued on township game laws.

Miss Bess Bergerson is engaged as housekeeper at Clover Nook during Mrs. Dahlen's illness.

The Misses Twila Thomason and Ada Jackson had a "laundry race" one afternoon last week.

Edward Torgerson, Ole Narhus and the Berg brothers are busy with their winter's wood hauling.

MAVIE

Miss Hattie Klockman, who has been employed at Thief River Falls for some time, passed through here Tuesday enroute to her home near Germantown.

Charles Ptacek, accompanied by his sister, Miss Emma, drove to Mavie on Friday and attended to business affairs.

Hans Ruod drove to Thief River Falls on Tuesday to transact business for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Talley of Mavie entertained a number of their friends last Sunday at a 12 o'clock dinner. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Strubel, Mr. and Mrs. G. Stein and son, Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan, Jr., and Miss Rambeck.

Misses Edith and Minnie Schol and Linton Palmer called at the Talley home Friday night.

Val Yager drove to Thief River Falls Tuesday to spend the day.

Misses Anna Kotlan and Leona Horton went to Goodridge Friday evening. They attended the masquerade ball and had a very good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Ruod called at the Val Yager home Sunday afternoon.

Thos. H. Smith, cashier of the Farmers State Bank of Mavie, and his brother, Wesley, left Friday on a trip to England, where they will visit for about two months at the home of their parents. This will be Mr. Smith's first visit with his parents since he came to this country about twelve years ago.

members of the Elks lodge Saturday morning on their trip to Baudette.

P. P. Palmer left Friday night for Thief River Falls. He joined the

Mrs. Joe Hruby was a business visitor in Mavie on Friday.

Mr. Gray drove to Mavie Friday to transact business.

Linton Palmer and Miss Edith Schie called at the Kotlan home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Anenson and son, Henry, went to Thief River Falls Saturday to have dental work done.

Mrs. J. J. Spieler was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Kelly and Willie Horton, accompanied by their sister, Miss Leona, visited at the Kotlan home Wednesday night.

J. J. Spieler went to Thief River Falls Saturday to attend to business matters.

Mrs. Lonson went to Thief River Falls Friday to do some shopping.

Mr. Olson called at the H. Horton home Sunday.

Steve Skibiski went to Thief River Falls Saturday to transact business for the day.

BLACK RIVER

The necktie social given at the Chapel Friday evening was a grand success. The program consisting of a short speech, readings, solo, quartet and choir songs and a few musical selections, was well rendered. The sale of the neckties and lunch swelled the Y. P. S. treasury with $45.00.

A few young folks, gathered with the "Prairie Schooner," spent Sunday evening at the Albert Anderson home. The party was made up of Petersons, Ekstroms, Dahlstroms, Andersons and the school-ma'am from Dist. 94. A splendid lunch was served at midnight and all report an enjoyable time.

Martin Peterson visited at the Dahlstrom home Saturday evening.

Fred Lorentson returned Friday after spending a few days of combined business and pleasure in the neighborhood of Thief River Falls.

Edna and Hazel Anderson spent Sunday with Rose Ekstrom.

A number of farmers from here are busy hauling gravel on State Road No. 4.

Miss Ethel Anderson, Henning Erickson and Elmer Dahlstrom made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Friday.

Mrs. L. Fredrickson of Litchfield is spending a few weeks visiting at the A. Anderson home.

Miss Maybelle Ekstrom spent a week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Lorentson.

Rev. Andrean of Crookston was a guest at the Lorentson home last Saturday. While here he gave an interesting message at the social on Friday evening.

E. Ekstrom and F. Rux sawed wood last week.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

The Young Peoples' society of the Synod church was entertained at the S. Turgeson home Sunday afternoon. A short program was rendered after which lunch was served.

Miss Ethel Nustevold shopped in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Johnston returned Saturday to resume her school duties here, after spending her Christmas vacation at her home near Grand Forks.

Tyler Wold was a caller at the G. Skomedal home Saturday afternoon.

A crowd of young people enjoyed a pleasant evening at the Jopprud home Saturday evening. Those present were: Misses Anna and Julia Oso, Gunvor Skomedal and Ragnil Bergland and Messrs. Ingward Peterson, Gunsten and Torbjon Skomedal, Tyler Wold, Lars and Torkel Oso and Carl Guttrud.

Oscar Moo transacted business at Steiner Saturday.

Ingvald Wold called at the Oso home Saturday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell on Saturday, Jan. 10, a baby boy.

Mrs. Guttrud visited her daughter Thea, who is attending school in Thief River Falls, last week.

Ole Oso who teaches school near Germantown, visited at his home over Sunday, returning Monday morning.

Olaf Skomedal visited with his cousin, Gunsten Bergland, at Steiner Sunday.

Miss Laura Johnson visited with her sister, Mrs. John Olson in Thief River Falls last week.

Reginald Storm made a pleasure trip to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

The Excel Union Telephone company held its annual meeting in the schoolhouse district No. 84, on Saturday. A new set of officers were elected as follows: John W. Dahl, A. G. Loftness, Albert Klungness, J. Eide and P. B. Malberg.

John M. Johnson transacted business in Holt Wednesday.

Kenneth Russell, who is attending high school in Thief River Falls, visited with his parents Saturday and Sunday.

The Messrs. Arthur Nustevold and Melvin Torgerson were callers at Steiner Saturday.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Gerhart and Silva, were guests at the M. Lindvick home on Sunday.

Miss Della Roller returned home on Tuesday from Thief River Falls.

Will Maldune transacted business at Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Bessie, Gladys and Clifford Roller spent Monday evening at the Will Wayne home.

Mrs. Henry Roller shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Benard Bendickson has gone to Garrison, N. D., where he will be the guest of his brother, Selmer, for some time.

Hans Jorstad was a Thief River Falls caller on Saturday.

Miss Hattie Klockman visited at the John Philips home on Saturday.

Oscar Pomerenke and John Ristau returned on Monday from Thief River Falls.

Miss Hattie Klockman returned on Monday from Thief River Falls, at which place she has been employed.

John Ristau left on Tuesday for Thief River Falls.

Miss Susie Lindvick returned home last Sunday after having visited at the T. J. Cummings home for some time.

Olaf Tharaldson was a caller at the L. Bendickson home on Wednesday.

Clifford Roller visited at the M. Lindvick home last Sunday.

Miss Minnie Ristau was the guest of Esther Bendickson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Strubel and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roller spent Friday evening at the Will Wayne home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ristau spent Sunday at the John Ristau home.

Chester Boyce called at the Paul Stock home Sunday.

Sanitary Milk

The Minnesota State Board of Health recommends that all milk sold shall be bottled and not sold in any other kind of containers. This is as a protective measure as many homes don't have proper facilities for sterilizing pails and other containers used for milk. The State Board of Health says that pure, clean, wholesome milk is of the utmost importance for keeping the babies healthy, and strong.

Therefore we want to comply with thier request, and after Feb. 1st, all milk sold by us will be botted and sold in sterilized bettles only.

Milk in large quantities may still be purchased in bulk.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

I Am "Granny" Chamberlain

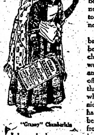

"Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Old Friends are True Friends

The man, who loves a dog and a pipe, has two staunch friends that never fail him in good luck or in bad. They give all and ask nothing in return. Day by day they become nearer and dearer to him. The man who has not a dog and a pipe has missed two of the greatest things this good old world can give.

Every man who loves his pipe should know Velvet, the one tobacco that brings out all of a pipe's best and sweetest qualities. Your pipe takes on an added friendliness from Velvet's choice Kentucky leaf aged in the wood to a mellowness that's rich and smooth as cream.

Your pipe takes on a mild sweetness that is Velvet's natural tobacco sweetness. And around you hovers the *real tobacco* fragrance that all good pipe smokers love.

Never did Velvet Joe say a wiser, truer thing than this:

"Folks say you can't buy friendship. You can buy a dog and a pipe and good old Velvet—and I reckon no man ever had three better friends."

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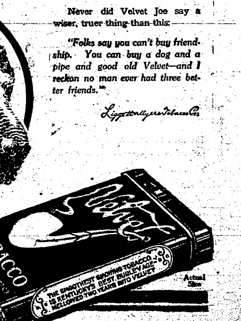

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TOBACCO
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Actual Size

ELKS HAVE FINE TIME VISITING AT BAUDETTE

Class of Sixty Initiated Under Conditions Out of the Ordinary.

A MOST ENJOYABLE TRIP

Northerners Add to Their Enviable Reputation as Entertainers.

The most unusual stunt ever attempted by a secret organization in the state was the one pulled off by the Thief River Falls Elks when they went to Baudette last Saturday for the purpose of putting on an initiation. Such a proceeding is not ordinarily permitted by the grand officers but the occasion was unusual. About 40 candidates residing in the northern city wished to join the order and it was decided that rather than put them to the expense of coming to Thief River Falls, the lodge—officers, members, paraphernalia and all—would go to them. A special train of six cars was therefore chartered and the start made about 9 o'clock Saturday morning, with Conductor Joe Nelson and a full crew of Elks in charge of the train.

Picked Up Everywhere.

Stops were made at stations along the line for the purpose of picking up other members of the order who might wish to be in on the festivities. When the excursion reached its destination there were between 160 and 170 members in the party.

Dinner at Warroad.

The run was made on schedule and without the slightest hitch. A stop was made at Warroad for dinner, the hotel management at that point having provided a most excellent repast. As souvenirs of the occasion special menu cards had been provided inscribed as follows: "Thief River Falls Lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E. Lake of the Woods Run—January 17, 1919."

Baudette was reached about 5 o'clock and the bunch formed in marching order, headed by the band. Under the mistaken notion that they might be allowed to go to bed, a number of the boys carried grips containing pajamas and things, but these might as well have been left behind. Although an early start was made it took the greater part of the night to finish the ceremonies.

Lunches and Speeches.

A light lunch was served in the hall used for the initiation immediately upon the arrival of the visitors and a regular banquet about midnight. H. A. Brumund was in charge of this important detail, assisted by Hal Stanton and a crew of volunteers.

At the close of the ceremonies there was a social session for the expression of general good feeling. During this interlude Exalted Ruler L. R. Johnston, on behalf of the lodge, presented C. R. Middleton of Baudette with a beautiful scarf pin as a token of appreciation for his having come to Thief River Falls and delivered the Elks' memorial address last summer. Mr. Middleton expressed his thanks most appropriately and added a few remarks for the benefit of the candidates who had just been received into the fold.

Work Well Done.

The ceremony itself was never more impressively and faultlessly carried out than at this initiation. Exalted Ruler Johnston, Leading Knight G. Howard Smith, Loyal Knight H. W. Protzeller and Lecturing Knight J. W. Hendry were all present and filled their stations with dignity, being letter-perfect in every detail of the ritual. The proceeding as a whole was most charming and satisfactory.

It was a tired but pleased bunch that started back to Thief River Fall about 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, arriving home about eight. They were unanimous in their praise of the manner in which they had been treated by the people of Baudette, and to judge from expressions heard in that village the regard was mutual.

Among those specially mentioned by the boys for their concern for the welfare of the excursionists are W. T. Noonan and W. F. Zauke. Upon these two had largely devolved the work of preparation and they had left nothing to be looked for afterwards. Elmer Moorehead of the Rex hotel was also in evidence pretty much all the time looking after the boys. And there were others by the score.

Trainmaster Glass of the Canadian Northern accompanied the crowd from Warroad and return to see that nothing was lacking while the excursion went over the lines under his immediate supervision.

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Sloan's Liniment scatters the congestion and relieves pain

A little, applied without rubbing, will penetrate immediately and rest and soothe the nerves.

Sloan's Liniment is very effective in allaying external pains, strains, bruises, aches, stiff joints, sore muscles, lumbago, neuritis, sciatica, rheumatic twinges. Keep a big bottle always on hand for family use. Druggists everywhere. 35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment Keep it handy

COUNTY STARTS WITH BALANCE IN EVERY FUND

(Continued from page 1.)

Mort. reg. tax col.	1,823.70
Int. prin. state lands	7,904.97
Private redemptions	13,169.25
School apport. for state	18,329.70
State aid to schools	25,010.13
Int. on county funds	2,249.62
Ditch bonds, jud. and co.	37,226.62
Ditch bonds forfeited by contractor	200.00
Wolf bounties from state	2,760.00
Clerk of court fees col. personal property tax	23.55
Miscellaneous drain. ditch taxes collected	3,343.54
Miscellaneous state road taxes collected	56.82
State aid for state and county highways	30,752.12
Inheritance tax collected	176.95
Hunters' licenses	369.00
Teachers ins. and ret.	546.50
Gross earnings tax M. N. W. Ry.	2,966.95
Receipts from sanatorium	77.68
State aid for sanatorium maintenance	642.82
Rec. for wood sold	24.00
Rec. for tent sold	35.00
Rec. from refundment on appropriation	600.79
Rec. from col. on repair Ditch No. 1	17.36
Warrants outstanding on Dec. 31, 1919	57,023.09
Total	$571,367.10

The Balance Increased.

Business for the current year is begun with an increased balance. This increase amounts to $21,265.52 over a year ago, which is something unusual for a rapidly growing community. Following is a list of the different directions in which the people's money went during the year:

Disbursements.

County revenue fund	$ 36,117.92
Road and bridge fund	66,594.51
School district fund	139,663.82
Twp., vil. and city fund	78,824.58
State rev. and school fund	18,593.34
State land and int. fund	5,135.59
County bond and int. fund	3,326.81
Mortgage reg. tax fund	13.40
Incidental fund	1,338.61
General ditch fund	71,767.21
County attorney cont. fund	144.96
Private redemption fund	13,821.21
Sinking fund	2,251.40
Sanatorium fund	5,831.25
Inheritance tax fund	176.95
Teachers ins. and ret. fund	531.50
Warrants outstanding on Jan. 1, 1920	49,650.12
Balance Dec. 31, 1919	77,583.92
Total	$571,367.10

Liabilities Look Heavy.

Following is a list of the liabilities of the county at the present time:

Bonded debt, 4% bonds	$ 34,700.00
County share of Red Lake county bonds	10,255.40
Unpaid balance of liabilities assumed on Red Lake county drainage ditch bonds	55,696.00
Drainage ditch bonds issued by Pennington Co.	526,900.00
State rural highway bonds	24,000.00
Highlanding bridge bonds	15,000.00
Total	$666,551.40

Ledger's Other Side.

A list of the assets of the county is given in the statement, as follows, the list including an inventory of all county property except road machinery and equipment and the value of six gravel pits, ownership of which have been acquired:

Taxes for year 1918 and previous years	$ 30,765.15
In county revenue fund	2,437.92
In county bond and interest fund	512.17
In county sinking fund	1,164.58
In sanatorium fund	306.15
Money advanced for repair Ditch No. 1	1,592.52
Money advanced for repair Ditch No. 32	155.97
Real estate	13,700.00
Personal property	22,500.00
Highlanding bridge	15,000.00
Kratka bridge	10,000.00
County roads & highways	240,000.00

Items of General Interest.

Officers of the county and their assistants cost $13,617.41 during the year. The commissioners collected as their mileage allowance and as salaries for attendance at meetings the very moderate sum of $89.00. Witnesses in state cases were responsible for an outlay of $735.40; grand jurors cost $385.70 and petit jurors $1,237.56. The amount spent in conveying insane prisoners to the asylum was $348.21.

The county's share in the wolf bounties paid amounted to $721.50, while $115.14 was paid in crow, and gopher bounties. Mothers' pensions amounted to $1,567.50. Books and supplies formed a considerable part of the general expense, being $4,086.90, while legal publications and printing footed up $2,183.91. The coroner's office did not drain the treasury to any great extent, the expenses in that department being but $51.70.

Mrs. L. Wilson of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city between trains on Wednesday.

THORSTEIN SKARNING

World Known Famous Master on The Accordion And His $700 Gold Inlaid Instrument.

At the Auditorium, Thief River Falls, Sunday, Jan. 25th, a concert will be held, the like of which has not before taken place in our city. The principal entertainment will be furnished by Thorstein Skarning, considered at present the world's leading virtuoso on the accordion, an instrument that is very popular in Scandinavian countries, as it is also in Italy. He has participated victoriously in various contests of skill on the accordion, his last victory being over an Italian player in Chicago seven years ago. He then won a gold medal and a considerable money-prize.

Since then Mr. Skarning has traveled extensively in many European countries, giving concerts in large cities. At the opening of the war, four years ago, he was playing an engagement in Moscow. Before he could get out of Russia he was arrested on suspicion of being a German spy, but was soon released thru the efforts of the Norwegian consul at Archangle.

His musicianly ability and splendid mastery of the technique of the accordion have received flattering comment in the press wherever he has appeared, both European and American papers according him highly complimentary mention. Lack of space at this time prevents us from giving extracts from some of these reviews.

In his concert here he will be assisted by his wife who is a talented soprano and pianist, and among her solos will be "Solveig's Sang," "Sæterjentens Sondag" and "Aa Mor." Mr. and Mrs. Skarning will render as duets "Death of Aase," "Anitras Dance," "Poet and Peasant" Overtures, Norwegian Airs and other Norse compositions.

Alone on the accordion he will give "Nearer My God, to Thee," sextette from "Lucia," "Vosserull" and other selections.

The Skarning's have also made records for the world's greatest graphophone companies and also given entertainments at Camp Grant and to Red Cross benefits.

Superior Telegram says: "No such Scandnavian musical artists as the Skarnings have been in the Northwest since the tour of Ole Bull.

Death of Pioneer Woman.

Mrs. Oguethe Torson passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alf. C. Olson, on Sunday, Jan. 11, of bronchial pneumonia.

Mrs. Torson was born in Gulbrandsdalen, Norway, Feb. 22, 1832, and reached the high age of 87 years, 10 months and 19 days. She came to America with her husband and two daughters in 1866, and lived in Wisconsin a short time, leaving there for Rochester, Minn., where the family lived until 1883, when they settled on their homestead in the town of Bray, this county, where they made their home until 1915. At that time the husband and father, Ole Torson, died.

She was the mother of four daughters, all but one of whom survive. Mrs. Ed. Sevre preceded her mother in death last fall. A son also was born to Mr. and Mrs. Torson, but died in infancy. The surviving daughters are: Mrs. C. Pederson, Abbey, Sask., Canada; Mrs. N. K. Anderson, city, and Mrs. A. C. Olson, St. Hilaire. There are 37 grandchildren and 51 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Grimsrud on Jan 17 at the home of Alfred Olson, and at the Landstad church cemetery, where interment was made.

Local Markets

GRAIN.	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.61
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.51
Oats	.71
Flax	4.67
Barley	1.21
Rye	1.62
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.80
Bran	2.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.75
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled Hay, cwt	1.00
POULTRY.	
Old Roosters	.14 to .15
Geese, alive, per lb	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.22
Spring Chickens	.13
Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.13
Hens, light	.10
PRODUCE.	
Eggs	.55
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.66
Cow Hides, per lb	.13-10
Horse Hides	5-6
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET.	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb	.12 to .14
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.15 to .16
LIVE STOCK.	
Sheep, per lb	.05
Steers, per lb	.6 to .7
Calves, per lb	.7 to .8
Cows	.5 to 6½
Lamb, per lb	.8 to .9

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Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Leo J. Holscher.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Ella Holscher, Leo A. Holscher, Viola Holscher, Vivian A. Holscher, Russell M. Holscher, Aurel J. Holscher, Evelyn J. Holscher, William A. Holscher, Herbert Holscher, Gordon Holscher, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Ella Holscher having been filed in this Court, representing that Leo J. Holscher, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 16th day of December, 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to William C. Craft, 1520 Iglehart Street, St. Paul, Minn., and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
SAMUEL A. ANDERSON,
St. Paul, Minn.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Attorneys for Petitioner.

Parent-Teachers Meeting.

A meeting of the Parent-Teachers organization of the Knox school will be held at the Knox building Monday evening, January 26. A short program will be given by the pupils. Members of the school board and parents are urged to come and help make it a success.

MRS. DANIEL SHAW,
Chairman.

Rural Notes.

Any of the club leaders, who wish to have a divisional meeting and a speaker for the meeting, kindly notify the chairman, Miss Igna Hanry, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, two weeks before the meeting is desired to be held.

A big meeting in the interest of the schools of Districts 46, 44, 41 and Mavie respectively, will be held at the hall in Mavie on Jan. 24th at eight o'clock. All the patrons of these districts are requested to be present and all others who care to attend as matters of importance will be discussed. A local speaker will be present and an interesting time is assured all who attend.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our beloved son and brother, Edward, who was called by God away from us to His eternal home one sad year ago, Jan. 17, 1919.

Patiently he suffered,
His troubles he bore,
But now it is ended,
He suffers no more.
To sleep we leave him,
In quiet and rest;
The parting was painful,
But God knows best.

Mrs. J. Meyer and family.

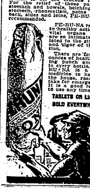

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TABLETS OR LIQUID SOLD EVERYWHERE

Entertained.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds informally entertained about fourteen ladies on last Thursday evening.

M. E. Sunday Morning Program.

Voluntary.
Hymn.
Prayer—Response.
Apostles Creed.
Anthem, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus—Shuler.
Lesson.
Offeratory.
Solo, "Calvary"—Beiderman, by Mrs. Nason.
Sermon.
Benediction.

Christian Science—Services at the public library on Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Truth." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

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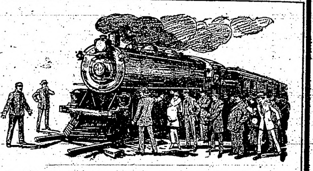

You Can't Run a Train Without Tracks

Everybody knows you can't run a train without tracks; and everybody ought to know you can't run a telephone company without money.

Sometimes people seem to forget this fact concerning the telephone. The business man knows he must have money to run his business. The housewife knows she must have money to run the home. They both know that it costs more to run anything, these days, than it did two or three years ago.

It is just the same with those of us who go to make up the telephone company; we linemen, operators, electricians and engineers; the cost of living has hit us just as hard as it has hit you. And the cost of the materials with which we work has just about doubled.

These are plain, everyday facts. Without enough money to pay expenses it is just as impossible for us to run the telephone company as it is impossible to run a train without tracks.

We must have your support if you are to have the telephone. Rates must meet increased expenses.

NORTHWESTERN TELEPHONE EXCHANGE COMPANY

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Current Personal Property Tax List for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

as Provided for by Chapter 392, Laws of 1917

Prepared by John Gullingsrud, County Treasurer, Pennington County, Minnesota

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City of Thief River Falls.

School District No. 18, 89.4 Mills.

(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aaseby, Iver C.	$ 51.	$ 500.	$ 6.06
Aaseby & Burstad	197.	950.	20.46
Aas, Jacob	118.		10.37
Ahlborn, E. P.	85.		7.60
American Drainage Co.	2,656.	1,798.	242.84
Anderson, Mrs. Julia	17.		1.52
Austad, Hans	137.		10.73
Anderson, Andy	194.	602.	17.15
Arhart, H.	9.		.80
[illegible]	82.		7.27
[illegible], J. J.	2,328.		208.12
Johnson, Geo. G., Estate	280.		25.03
Johnson, Mrs. Geo. G.	79.	1,100.	10.36
Kelley, Howe, Thompson	130.		11.63
Kiewel Products Co.	1,383.	2,949.	132.85
Kruse, Charley	105.		9.39
Knudsen, Bernhard	313.		27.98
Knight, W. K.	37.		3.31
Keen, H. D.	121.		10.82
Holden, Peter	143.		12.78
Kline, William	226.		20.21
Kolhei, L. O.	114.		10.19
Klungnes, Elmer	160.	5,500.	30.80
Knudson, R. A.	46.		4.11
Laird, Scott	21.	7.	1.90
Loken Bros.	7,250.		648.15
Lawrence, And. J.	1,421.		127.04
Loken, H. O.	318.		28.43
Lieberman, A. S.	4,389.		392.38
Lieberman, Charley	2,293.		[illegible]
Lee, Ed.	489.		43.72
Langseth, A. M.	3,530.	1,000.	318.58
Thief River Falls Creamery Association	2,667.	2,000.	244.43
Tharaldson, Torger	95.		8.49
Thief River Grocery Co.	20,422.	35,103.	1,931.04
Thief River Music Co.	2,137.	4,500.	208.35
Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.	11,790.	6,791.	1,079.73
Thief River Monumental Co.	1,642.		[illegible]
Thorson, A. A.	311.		27.80
Thief River Steam Laundry	300.		26.82
Thief River Bottling Works	300.		26.82
Tessum, O.	164.	250.	[illegible]
Thune, Peter	73.	6,700.	[illegible]
Thief River Valley Land Co.	591.		52.84
Thoreson, T. M.	65.		5.81
Thoreson, A. W.	61.		5.45
Tandberg, Mrs. O. T.	165.		14.75
Trawer, E. D.	4.		.36
Vorachek, J. J.	91.	1,910.	12.37
Vorachek, Charley	61.	481.	[illegible]
Votava, Joseph	182.		16.27
Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	8,772.	9,466.	812.61
Winton-Nichols Lumber Office	372.	2,800.	66.68
Westin, O. A.	207.	50.	[illegible]
Wangenstein, A. A.	101.		9.02

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Austin, Miles		200.	.60
Hanson, Emma		2,000.	6.00
Johnson, Stener		1,750.	5.25
Quirk, John		1,040.	3.12

Town of Mayfield.

School District No. 32, 42.2 Mills; School District No. 35, 47. Mills; School District No. 39, 38.6 Mills; School District No. 60, 44. Mills; School District No. 0, 56.3 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Asp, J. P.	$ 589.	$	$ 25.92
Austad, G.	522.		24.72
Asklund, Nels	333.		17.10
Berg, Nels	161.		6.82
Bakke, E. A.	438.		22.83
Clukins, Tom	9.		.42
Erlendson, J. W.	36.		1.81
Hoans, Martin	395.		13.86
Johnson, J. P.	742.		35.20
Jarr, H. C.	101.		5.08
Jensen, S. C.	501.		31.44
Jesperson, Hans C.	615.		29.91
Johnson, C. W.	106.		5.21
Hegland, Olof	372.		18.87
Kiel, J. F.	476.		22.87
Klove, Lars	343.		16.12
Langel, T. O.	358.		25.12
Larson, John L.	377.		17.72
Larson, John, and C. R. Hill	200.		9.40
Dahle, P. A.	232.		11.28
Dahle, Thor	148.		7.49
Myrum, Salve	184.		9.11
Myrum, Sam	7.		.35
Nelson, Sever	485.		34.54
Noper, K. K.	84.		3.95
Olson, Knut	283.		13.56
O'Leary, M.	224.	110.	10.19
Olson, Carl G.	254.		13.85
Omdahl, Ole, Estate	440.		20.68
Pederson, Andrew	477.		24.14
Reiersgaard, Ole	347.		14.85
Reisland, Bert O.	248.		10.91
Rewerts, Lambert	275.		12.10
Rewerts, Evert	124.		5.46
Solberg, John	635.		27.94
Solem, Martin	405.		20.49
Skalet, Arthur	259.		13.03
Stennes, A. J.	145.	200.	7.42
Teigen, A. H.	164.		7.22
Teigen, Hans H.	140.		6.16
Tvelt, O. B.	357.		15.06
Tvedten, Snarle	47.		2.01
Wilde, W. H.	326.		16.50
Wedil, Ole	416.		16.31
Haug, Carl	289.		10.70
Hermanson, L. I.	421.	150.	18.07
Hogquist, Peter	32.		1.45
Houfek, J. F.	17.		1.13
Jacobson, Thomas	690.		35.53
Jacobson, Peter	419.		18.00
Johnson, R.	414.		14.83
Jorde, Andrew	504.		19.09
Jorde, K. M.	318.	200.	11.99
Jorde, Mikkel		850.	21.18
Johnson, Fred W.	76.		5.03
Jensen, Carl	218.		7.81
Knutson, Julius	6.		.40
Keller, Louis	77.		5.10
Kinsela, T. C.	61.	100.	4.34
Kirby, Gust	182.		13.12
Kaushagen, Henry	369.		13.19
Linde, John	36.		2.24
Loyland, Knut O.	612.		31.91
Longren, Carl	853.		36.47
Larson, Nils O.	59.		3.91
Maland, H. J.	455.		16.39
Murphy, Wm.	30.		1.99
McAndrews, P. H.	8.		.34
Meyers, John	227.		15.02
McCreary, John	113.		7.48
McCreary, Stevens	270.		17.88
Mulhall, James	92.		6.09
Noper, V. C.	1,147.		75.92
Norquist, Emil	117.		7.76
Nelson, Mrs. Thora	322.		11.53
Nelson, N. A.	454.	135.	30.44
Ostvolden, Nels	30.		1.99
Omundson, Ole	11.		.73
Olson, Henry A.	185.		12.25
Olson, Morris	473.		31.31
Olson, Albert	409.	300.	26.64
Peterson, Anton	99.	1,600.	9.55
Rustad, Christ	250.		10.02
Robinson, J. E.	113.		7.48
Rustad, Hans J.	241.		15.35
Ryan, Ole	5.		.33
Rynestad, T. K.	1,024.	1,000.	70.38
Stromberg, Peter	69.	500.	4.05
Stenerson, G. L.	568.		37.69
Smith, Will E.	720.		29.46
Smith, Will E.	261.		10.75
Shantzen, F. J.	190.		12.6
Shantzen, Clifford	140.		9.27
Soderberg, August	411.		16.93
Sande, Hans T.	507.		33.58
Sande, Iver	131.		8.67
Sande, John	126.		8.34
Steen, Christ	550.		19.69
Sorlom, P. O.	386.		25.55
Turnwall, J. D.	528.		31.75
Thorson, Lars	47.		1.95
Thorpe, Edward	290.		10.38
Williams, H. R.	439.		18.24
Wikel, W. H.	30.		1.99
Wold, M. T.	582.		20.84
Holde, Sever T.		800.	2.40
Monson, Mrs. Anna		1,000.	3.00
Sanden, A. J.		500.	1.50
Smith, Oscar		900.	2.70
Welrus, Joseph		400.	1.20

Town of Norden.

School District No. 2, 43.2 Mills; School District No. 25, 43.6 Mills; School District No. 137, 40.5 Mills; School District No. 135, 33.7 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aaseby, Lewis	$ 208.	$	$ 18.50
Ayers, D. W.	262.	200.	10.74
Aas, C. E.	336.		13.61
Anderson, Ben	220.		9.59
Anderson, John	66.		2.88
Blom, John	680.		30.07
Borgen, A. O.	234.		10.61
Bergland, A. O.	279.		12.58
Brating, John	291.		11.79
Bergquist, John A.	616.		24.87
Christenson, C.	785.		34.23
Christenson, Daniel	108.		4.75
Carlson, Eva	260.		13.53
Corner, Russell	531.		32.51
Dolt, Fred C.	276.		12.10
Dimmen, Sivert	332.	100.	11.34
Dimmen, Louis	204.		4.21
Feragen, L. R.	312.		12.65
Funk, J. E.	157.	150.	4.41
Funnesdahl, A. J.	942.	5,500.	52.96
Feragen, Andrew	594.		22.95
Hanson, Gehard	183.		7.82
Holmes, G. A.	139.	100.	6.96
Hollander, Fred	371.		10.43
Hasby, Sam	354.		15.91
Hitterdahl, L. K.	202.	640.	8.62
Howick, Iver E.	323.		12.50
Iverson, Mrs. Ingeborg	2.	300.	.88
Iverson, Knut F.	186.		7.53
Johnson, Mrs. Karo	429.		16.99
Johnson, August	462.	450.	21.49
Johnson, Andrew	234.	500.	10.88
Johnson, Emil	441.	2,800.	23.07
Johnson, Charlie	96.		3.72
Kirk, Jens	764.		28.12
Kron, Axel	236.		10.84
Knutseth, Knut	346.		14.01
Kilen, F. M.	590.		22.83
Lappegaard, Ole	387.		13.85
Myrom, Amund	671.		25.75
Morin, Mrs. Alfred	420.		15.31
Monsebraaten, Gust	187.		7.88
Mead, Daisy M.	451.		18.37
Mossestad, Julius	339.		12.77
Nora, Nils O.	272.	400.	12.72
Nora, Ole N.	256.	600.	12.09
Nordhagen, Olof	300.		12.83
Nordhagen, G. J.	294.		13.26
Olson, Morris	89.		3.56
Ordal, Olaus	495.	400.	21.26
Peterson, P. M.	172.		6.64
Regne, Ola, Jr.	232.		.88
Rodegaard, Nels	304.	390.	13.22
Rust, Martinson	208.		8.62
Swanson, S. E.	182.		7.63
Sorenson, Sam	75.		2.90
Sorenson, Soren	232.		16.07
Sorenson, S. A.	325.		13.65
Swanson, Nels E.	321.		13.06
Stradsvold, Halvor	114.		6.04
Slinger, C. T.	325.		16.98
Savre, Edward	252.		10.22
Sjosvold, John	580.		22.67
Skaar, Ole	546.		21.13
Soderberg, Erick	363.		16.87
Samuelson, Nils	227.		8.19
Tessum, A. B.	406.		16.60
Voldness, Peder	758.		30.76
Lillegaard, Ole		400.	1.20

Town of North.

School District No. 12, 68.2 Mills; School District No. 24, 41.2 Mills; School District No. 36, 42. Mills; School District No. 39, 38.8 Mills; School District No. 42, 47.0 Mills; School District No. 135, 36.8 Mills; School District No. 219, 37. Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Elmer	$ 374.	$	$ 24.76
Amrin, Nels	275.		18.60
Adolphs, G.	49.	100.	3.54
Anderson, Peter	451.		16.15
Adsera, Jergen	580.		18.72
Bartlett, C. H.	62.		3.44
Broten, Ole R.	62.		4.27
Banford, J. L.	72.		2.83
Bothun, Martin	42.		5.67
Borden, H. G.	753.		15.63
Borden, George	207.		12.70
Bailey, Adolph	431.		15.42
Bergland, Stiner	65.		2.64
Bartelson, Arthur	372.		15.57
Brabender, H.	161.		9.33
Bergquist, H. M.	282.		12.46
Bulingrud, M. H.	478.	88.	17.56
Bjerke, Thos. H.	579.		20.72
Correll, Chas. W.	552.		22.48
Connelly, Denis	484.		22.04
Carlson, C. M.	102.		4.87
Conner, H. R.	585.		29.72
Conklin, F. B.	1,396.		52.51
Christenson, Waldie	1,442.		56.64
Conner, J. R.	126.		5.34
DeVelling, E. F.	94.	180.	3.07
Dahle, Paul A.	569.	730.	20.26
Dahle, Palmar	467.		16.73
Douglas, Dolon	335.		2.70
Engen, Christ	546.		22.46
Erickson, H. F.	82.	50.	4.36
Eggerud, Oscar	165.		6.35
Eide, Jorgen	383.		12.00
Favrow, Percy	25.		5.32
Flattum, Alfred	212.		20.72
Revik, Ole	117.		12.33
Finberg, Ole G.	42.		2.73
Gabler, Fred	42.		3.42
Gilbertson, O. T.	32.		1.29
Holten, Hans	44.		1.38
Hanson, Mrs. Oliver	28.		1.99
Hanson, T. P.	210.		12.89
Hillyer, Gus	617.		40.35
Hanson, Maret	312.		14.70
Hanson, Oscar C.	26.		1.09
Holum, Iver	30.		1.99
Holden, A. C.	44.		1.99
Harlow, M. C.	194.		12.84
Hoverstad, Andreas	680.	250.	45.47
Hoverstad, C. M.	642.	50.	37.39
Honvl, O. K.	342.		16.82
Horel, Carl I.	78.		5.18

Town of Numedal.

School District No. 7, 42.1 Mills; School District No. 64, 41.6 Mills; School District No. 147, 43.1 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Albue, Erick	$ 21.	$	$ 1.01
Atwood, H. F. & Sons	746.		39.3
Blomberg, J. A.	833.		34.64
Brating, Carl	721.		24.68
Bugge, Iver T.	266.		12.80
Bugge, J. J.	611.		25.42
Bugge, Patrena	333.		40.16
Brating, Bert	60.		2.89
Cleator, H. J.	669.		27.83
Duis Bros.	622.	650.	39.49
Elden, Peter	171.		7.11
Forslund, Alfred	894.		37.19
Forslund, Albert	588.		24.46
Hanson, Elmer	158.		6.18
Hedrick, Forest	348.		14.48
Johnson, Knut	46.		1.90
Johnson, Christ J.	365.		17.56
Joringdal, Elias	803.		33.41
Joringdal Bros.	125.		5.20
Joringdal, Joseph	493.		20.51
Knutson, Soren	891.		37.09
Larson, Olof	692.		28.79
Martinson, Betsy	168.		2.08
Mork, H.	513.		21.34
Olson, Halvor	220.		10.55
Olson, Olof	207.		9.56
Sande, Ida O.	29.		1.40
Rabjornson, Oscar	142.		6.83
Summer, Ben	1,022.		43.03
Swanson, P. P.	129.		6.21
Thompson, Henry	231.		10.62
Ticiel, Samiel	459.		22.08
Waslie, T. J.	367.		17.63
Wasly, John A.	238.		11.45
Peterson, Oscar	295.		14.18
Ronning, Gertrude	347.		16.69
Ross, Mrs. J. A.	474.		32.80
Sande, Ole O.	229.		11.02

Town of Polk Center.

School District No. 1, 33.7 Mills; School District No. 17, 43.3 Mills; School District No. 84, 39.9 Mills; School District No. 99, 33.4 Mills; School District No. 144, 36.0 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Simon	$ 133.	$	$ 5.34
Adolphson Bros.	183.		6.47
Adolfson, Claus	341.		13.64
Bountain, Jacob	797.	2,500.	42.01
Bountain, Wm.	433.		18.32
Bulher, L. N.	187.		7.23
Boutain, Albert	371.		11.74
Breitsprecher Bros.	552.		22.36
Domstrand, John	434.	1,000.	26.88
Erickson, Martin	359.	200.	15.46
Fink Bros.	1,057.		43.22
Gohlback, F. L.	104.		4.10
Herron, M. J.	489.		25.56
Hollstrom, Mrs. Lena	48.	100.	2.10
Harder, Herman	422.		17.15
Hallstrom, P. A.	804.	860.	34.02
Highberg, N. J.	132.		5.74
Johnson, Hjalmer	741.		30.31
Jensen, Jens	520.		20.48
Johnson, Harry	707.	201.	28.11
Kruse, Wm.	33.		2.83
Kruse, Christ, Jr.	104.		4.18
Kingsley, Louis	371.		14.50
Lindquist, O.	386.		16.16
Malkness, John A.	449.		27.68
Melin, C. A.	787.		32.13
Melin, C. R.	650.		13.60
Melin Bros.	342.	200.	24.01
Mosbeck, Olaf	647.		22.49
Naplin, C. E.	978.		39.62
Naplin, Gust	165.	2,500.	24.00
Naplin, John	781.	100.	33.07
Olson, Mrs. Caroline	183.		14.56
Persen, Nels	163.	100.	30.36
Persen, Emil	42.	400.	2.67
St. John, F. L.	660.		24.01
Swanson Bros.	424.		14.72
Vedum, Mrs. Alma	67.		3.64
Westpleal	226.		2.38
Erickson, Carl		100.	.38
Hallstrom Bros.		400.	1.38
Johnson, J. Edw.		900.	2.70
Naplin, S. J.		200.	.40

Town of Reiner.

School District No. 48, 58.9 Mills; School District No. 57, 73.3 Mills; School District No. 70, 56.3 Mills; School District No. 229, 63.3 Mills; School District No. 0, 55.4 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Ankre, Elev	$ 616.	$	$ 43.13
Arntz, Albert	161.		9.15
Anderson, Martin	75.		4.50
Berg, Theodore	319.		15.15
Borkness, Gustaf	148.		7.97
Brekken, K. H.	288.		18.96
Helland, Tom	212.		12.01
Dahlen, John	312.	360.	27.88
Feragen, Andrew	331.		24.74
Grinde, Lars	102.	1,700.	10.90
Halvorson, Torgus	125.		7.45
Halvorson, Henry	64.		3.64
Halvorson, H. A.	85.		7.50
Halvorson, Eilef	137.		7.69
Hyland, Theodore	307.		24.22
Halvorson, Gustaf	239.		12.64
Hills, T. G.	307.	260.	18.32
Hornik, John	176.		12.89
Hermanson, Soren H.	310.		17.64
Iverson, John A.	38.		2.33
Johnerud, Arnt	37.		4.37
Juricke, George	102.		6.57
Johnerud, Reinhard	393.		16.67
Johnsrud, Christ	28.		1.01
Johnson, Severt	85.		4.84
Klavn, George	569.		44.29
Knutson, Anton	417.		33.48
McEnilly, Jas.	470.		26.74
Millander, Victor	160.		12.62
Moen, Martin A.	223.		14.23
Morken, T.	407.		32.11
Millander, Velhelm	103.		6.82
Miller, John S.	350.		20.42
Olson, Peder M.	233.		12.86
Olson, Anton	52.		2.93
Quam, Ole	327.		25.80
Race, Frank	71.		5.60
Race, Jerry, Sr.	252.	150.	20.23
Rye, Henry	96.		5.46
Race, Jerry, Jr.	170.		13.41
Simonson, H.	67.		3.77
Stenvick, Oscar J.	141.		11.12
Sigerud, Emil	250.		14.33
Srnsky, Frank	40.		3.15
Stenvick, John J.	641.		50.58
Tangen, C. O.	219.		17.28
Tollefson, Elef	234.		13.17
Tanner, Wm.	178.		10.13
Udestrand, John E.	171.		12.49
Uglem, Oleander	116.		6.43
Vrna, Gilbert	217.		17.12
Vrna, George	137.		10.81
Vorachek, C. W.	90.		7.10
Wahlen, G. Edwin	172.		10.97
Wahlin, Carl O.	229.		18.07
Zavoral, Robert	12.		.85

Town of River Falls.

School District No. 6, 27.1 Mills; School District No. 12, 43.2 Mills; School District No. 102, 34.7 Mills; School District No. 133, 33.7 Mills; School District No. 178, 40.8 Mills; School District No. 227, 34.2 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aldrick, Chas.	$ 70.	$	$ 3.12
Anderson, Anton E.	527.		22.17
Adams, Washington	611.		25.2
Alberg, Carl	275.		11.33
Anderson, Mrs. A. P.	301.		10.14
Bodin, Andrew	104.	4,000.	16.49
Benson, Alfred	531.		21.67
Burnquist, Andrew	296.		12.08
Boatman, Christ	931.		37.98
Carpenter, Leo	305.		10.46
Carpenter, Ira R.	193.		6.82
Citizens State Bank	3,194.		137.98
Denhart, J. W.	703.		30.37
Dann, E. F.	486.		19.82
Dalager, K. T.	597.		20.12
Damman, Fred W.	393.		16.04
Dobron, Fred	1,052.		35.49
Dann, Frank	380.		15.50
Erickson, Gust	528.		21.54
Engh, Mrs. S.	244.		21.16
Erickson, A. Aug.	507.		17.09
Engler, Co., Herbert	66.		2.85
Ewing, W. D.	325.		13.47
Gilbertson, Jim	409.		17.67
Heaby, John	87.		3.76
Huddelson, J. W.	156.		6.61
Hauske, Ed.	573.		19.65
Hodlund, John	433.		14.59
Hogquist, Joe	375.		12.64
Hazel Mercantile Co.	1,750.		75.60
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.	1,600.		76.97
Hanson, H. L.	305.		15.71
Haugen, Oscar T.	986.		40.23
Hanson, Martin	340.		13.87
Johnson, Carl O.	462.		16.60
Johnson, Dan. A.	370.		15.10
Johnson, Peter	656.		26.76
Johnson, Bennie	228.		9.30
Johnson, Otto	370.		15.10
Johnson, Mrs. Ole	197.		8.04
Jepson, Herman	401.		13.51
Knutson, Ed.	230.		9.51
Mathson, Ole	1,855.		80.14
Maakrud, John	397.		34.42
Norman, John	654.		22.43
Nyhagen, G.	237.		9.84
Odegaard, Ole	32.		1.38
Olson, Mike	547.		13.43
Peterson, O. C.	103.		4.01
Peterson, Mrs. Peter	155.		5.22
Peterson, Gabe	493.		16.61
Pennington County Belgian Breeding Association	132.		4.90
Roese, C. A.	304.		13.13
Rohr, Nick	305.		10.28
Roy, J. B.	1,301.		44.63
Sandberg, A. R.	770.		33.26
Sjoberg, John A.	480.	500.	17.67
Swanson, Carl A.	394.	240.	15.68
Sumpter, T. J.	837.		31.05
Swenson, August	853.		25.64
Stevens, E. H.	762.		25.68
Vik, Arne	1,205.		104.47
Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	2,220.	600.	98.14
Westberg, August	213.		7.18
Waleeth, Bernt	344.		11.59
Wilson, W. P.	467.		19.05
Hazel Co-Op. Creamery Association	400.		17.28
Roy, Mrs. J. S.		1,000.	3.00

Town of Rocksbury.

School District No. 12, 42.1 Mills; School District No. 18, 65. Mills; School No. 36, 40.8 Mills; School District No. 54, 33.2 Mills; School District No. 73, 40.3 Mills; School District No. 102, 35.6 Mills; School District No. 154, 32.9 Mills; School District No. 165, 35.1 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aga, Orlander	$ 571.	$	$ 22.35
Althoff, Frank	269.		10.53
Anderson, A. T.	187.		6.21
Aubol, M. C.	139.		4.62
Aubol, Mary	598.		19.85
Aaseby, Ivor	125.		5.11
Anderson, A. E.	828.		32.97
Aubol, Ed. A.	622.		20.65
Anderson, Andrew	337.		11.19
Anderson, Iver	107.		3.76
Brown, J. S.	163.		6.65
Blaska, Henry	747.		24.50
Buck, Geo. W.	452.		15.01
Blaky, George	48.		4.20
Biglow, C.	741.		24.40
Bakke, Gunnar	140.		4.93
Bishop, O. A.	95.		3.34
Berg, Fred	132.		4.31
Berg, Anna	349.		11.46
Beebe, N. E.	1,730.		149.09
Coyle, Albert	637.		41.41
Crown, Lloyd	237.		34.57
Elgstad, C.	174.	2,000.	10.35
Engelbart, John	287.		2.80
Engelstad, Paul	583.		19.19
Engelstad, Peter	2,144.		78.24
Erickson, Karl J.	510.	300.	12.65
Fallman, E. H.	284.		9.41
Falk, Casper	50.		1.76
Farmers Threshing Machine Co.	130.		4.83
Finstad, Knut	859.	500.	29.76
Geske, Gust	277.		11.33
Gunderson, O. R.	546.		17.76
Groundhouse, Ed.	573.		23.18
Harmart, C. J.	332.		11.65
Hendrickson, Albert	274.		11.21
Harder, Mork	583.		19.39
Huseby, Andrew	448.		14.74
Hanson, George	682.		22.64
Hunt, S. E.	936.		34.81
Halverson, Halvor	302.		16.66
Helm, J. C.	125.		4.11
Jaranson, Ole	279.		31.41
Johnson, Daniel	86.		2.55
Johnson, John	584.	400.	25.83
Johnson, Albert	1,093.		38.94
Johnson, Han	30.		.99
Johnson, Halvor	51.		1.82
Johnson, Harry	695.		18.49
Johnson, John	176.		5.79
Johnson, Anton	431.		14.16
Kirby, S. R.	357.		18.29
Ketelson, Eric	126.		8.15
Kvall, John	337.		12.86
Koop, Henry	836.	2,500.	44.19
Knudson, Martin	300.		9.92
Loberg, Ole	179.		5.91
Loberg, John	368.		12.06
Lee, S. O.	389.	400.	16.16
Lian, Tom	370.		12.28
Lian, Lars	312.		10.35
Langseth, Ida	74.		2.60
Liden, C.	284.		9.49
Loken, Lars	173.		5.42
Matthum, H. A.	734.		30.02
Moller, Wm.	381.		14.77
Moore, J. H.	454.		18.41
McAndrews, Martin	156.		5.18
McAndrews	426.		14.14
Moe, Christ	630.		27.44
Mathson, Christ	461.		18.17
Norby, Bert	137.		5.60
Nelson, John	723.		6.02
Netteland, Lars G.	308.		10.12
Nelson, Nils	107.		4.51
O'Neill, E. B.	417.		12.85
Olson, Halvor H.	135.		4.74
Oen, Edwin	116.		4.01
Oen, Henry	78.		2.61
Oen, Rasmus	857.		30.80
Oen Bros.	68.		2.32
Olson, Paul	414.		12.74
Olen, O. I.	360.		37.46
Odegaard, A. B.	317.		7.14
Olen, O.	537.		17.30
Pleasoe Bros.	560.		18.60
Pope, Harry	687.		27.28
Paulson, Pete	382.		11.21
Rosendahl, B.	522.		21.35
Rokstad, Martin	227.		8.09
Randorf, Henry	735.		24.40
Satre, F. T.	642.		26.26
Satre, Schuler and Elmer	230.		9.06
Shoopman, A. A.	519.		17.22
Somondson, John	55.		1.83
Sohalz, Nick	545.		18.09
Stevens, Geo. A.	150.		5.27
Stroberg, John P.	616.		20.24
Turnquist, Fred	54.		7.90
Torstvedt, Mrs. H.	756.		31.79
Timm, Ed.	1,498.		61.27
Vinge, Olaus	189.		6.22
Wilken, Henry	372.		15.22
Wilken, Gust	389.		12.92
Weberg, Albert and Carl	285.		9.38
Weberg, Swan	624.		20.60
Ystesund, Knut	291.		10.21
Zintre, Carl	437.		14.51
Hanson, Hans J.		500.	1.50

Town of Sanders.

School District No. 73, 42.6 Mills; School District No. 106, 37.8 Mills; School District No. 149, 38.4 Mills; School District No. 166, 39.9 Mills; School District No. 194, 40.7 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Althoff, W. H.	$ 583.	$	$ 24.84
Amble, Oscar J.	122.		4.27
Amble, J. J.	355.		14.38
Anderson, Erick E.	17.	375.	1.77
Anderson, H. F.	111.	1,000.	7.26
Anderson, Nels K.	337.		12.74
Anderson, Aug. N. K.	272.		10.21
Anderson, Theo. G.	241.		9.11
Anton, Hans	1,346.		52.34
Anderson, J. A.	418.		15.80
Anderson, Carl	70.		2.65
Anderson, George	448.		17.28
Brandrud, Mrs. L.	185.		7.10
Bakke, Gilbert	354.		14.20
Brandvold, John	294.		11.73
Carlson, C. August	539.		21.61
Carlson, Walfred	68.	2,000.	3.33
Dahlstrom, Alfred	374.	400.	15.34
Eastman, Elmer	160.		6.07
Eastman, G. W.	332.		12.52
Ekstrom, Emil	473.		18.07
Erickson, Andrew	4.		.15
Erickson, Richard	201.		8.06
Hasby, Selmer	76.		3.05
Hackett, E. E.	856.		34.33
Fromn, John	194.		7.74
Finn, Hans O.	419.		19.00
Holener, William	632.	500.	25.47
Jacobson, A. V.	337.	300.	15.25
Johnson, Iver	201.		8.02
Johnson, Sam A.	400.		16.16
Johnson, Gust E.	262.		10.06
Johnson, S. J.	583.	300.	22.94
Johnson, Gust	423.		15.90
Klappenback, W.	272.		10.31
Klappenback, Ed.	316.		12.67
Krause, Emil	556.		23.69
Lind, Albert	375.		14.96
Larson, O. L.	330.	500.	14.67
Larson, Alfred J.	319.		12.73
Larson, Ole	501.		19.59
Lockrem, A. K.	165.	15.	6.39

Town of Silverton.

School District No. 28, 41.3 Mills; School District No. 30, 50.1 Mills; School District No. 42, 47.2 Mills; School District No. 53, 43.5 Mills; School District No. 55, 55.5 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Anton	$ 277.	$	$ 12.04
Anderson, Arthur	179.	300.	8.29
Baner, John	455.	300.	20.69
Berg, Mrs. M. J.	67.		2.77
Berggren, Gust	811.	480.	34.69
Boerger, August	420.		20.12
Bresnay, Andra	393.		18.86
Burdick, Fred	389.		21.53
Burringrud, Nels	208.		8.96
Carlson, Andrew	144.		7.99
Christofferson, Nels	321.		15.38
Danda, Anton	399.		22.10
Evenson, Oscar	579.		32.14
Fisher, Frank	207.		9.01
Fodstad, Halvor	825.	800.	35.67
Forthun, Ole	500.		27.78
Gausen, R. A.	337.		16.14
Grinde, Ole E.	459.	7,200.	42.66
Gunderson, Thor	176.		8.66
Hanson, Lars	337.	88.	17.12
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.	1,600.		59.53
Hanson, Henry	840.	50.	34.14
Hanson, H. G.	81.	1,200.	8.70
Hanson, Syvert	466.		19.35
Hogrenes, John	525.		22.68
Heloren, Edw. A.	344.		16.48
Hjelden, Halvor	375.		16.31
Holmen, Oliver	65.		2.69
Homme, Ole	351.	300.	16.17
Janda, W. J.	330.		13.63
Johnson, Andrew	103.		7.97
Knadle, L. W.	516.		24.72
Kozojed, Anton	21.	500.	2.67
Kozojed, Tom	341.		18.93
Kveto, Andrew	268.	250.	13.41
Leril, O. K.	208.		10.39
Letnesz, Jens	737.		36.44
Macak, Frank	414.		22.38
McCormick, Thos.	206.		8.87
McCrum, C. W.			38.32
Myrom, Anton	355.	1,500.	21.52
Omnudson, Peter	289.		14.42
Oso, Tallack	317.		16.18
Ottum, Ole T.	405.		16.72
Peterson, P. A.	282.		13.51
Reiler, J. D.	603.		30.21
Rud, H. P.	760.		32.62
Barrum, George	224.		10.73
Skogstad, Hans	453.		19.71
Sorum, John	716.		34.30
Stanberg, S. J.	414.		18.02
Sterns, Frank	335.		14.57
Svnobodny, Frank	352.		13.99
Swanson, Victor J.	352.		18.78
Sundt, John	391.		18.73
Topinka, Joe	173.		7.53
Woolson, Harry	537.		22.18
Yager, Val	210.		8.64
Gunderson, Geo. M.	29.		1.20

Town of Smiley.

School District No. 4, 48.7 Mills; School District No. 26, 44.3 Mills; School District No. 30, 42.1 Mills; School District No. 31, 42. Mills; School District No. 51, 41.6 Mills; School District No. 231, 42.7 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Oscar	$ 371.	$	$ 18.44
Austad, T. J.	216.		10.63
Arneson, Clarence	185.		8.86
Arneson, H.			2.55
Angel, Carl	188.		7.46
Andinson, O. T.	223.		7.79
Anderson, J. W.	335.	2,000.	13.20
Bjorge, Mrs.	83.		4.47
Bjorge, Theodore	230.		12.00
Bjorge, Alf.	94.		4.16
Burtnes, Nels	324.		14.56
Bell, W. J.	551.		32.24
Barstad, O.	206.		9.91
Brauten, Caro	391.		16.76
Bothman, Frank	160.		7.79
Beerbower, Fred	458.		21.63
Brakke, Mrs. Carry	8.		.31
Bakke, James	324.		12.61
Brekke, Severt	281.		11.20
Bergren, Nels	172.		8.28
Bolstad, Olof	237.		12.06
Bolstad, Odan	104.		4.87
Belwinger, Carl	174.		5.49
Bolstad, Ole	332.		12.80
Benson, Carl	382.		12.90
Calloway, R. K.	514.		24.77
Dahlberg, Fred	226.		10.38
Dahl, John A.	555.		22.70
Englund, Swan	25.		1.05
Erickson, Talof	402.		17.37
Fredrickson, Hans	275.		11.74
Fisher, Charles	231.		11.20
Gulbrandsrud, E. O.	442.		
Gilbertson, Carl	246.	300.	12.92
Gustafson, Gust	37.		1.58
Gustafson, G. O.	450.		19.70
Halvorson, Ola	376.		18.28
Hammer, B. H.	287.		13.36
Hestekind, Andrew	330.		13.32
Hostvet, H. J.	435.	1,000.	21.44
Hakmski, Frank	14.		.67
Helgeland, Ole	653.		33.57
Iverson, T. B.	51.	420.	2.12
Johnson, N. E.	485.		22.22
Johnson, L. E.	320.		15.38
Kolp, Elmer	387.		15.87
Kvilheim, Iver	506.		24.67
Kvenlog, Bernt	112.		5.50
Lanback, S. W.	615.		29.35
Lom, Erick	84.		4.04
Lane, Floyd	306.		12.85
Larson, Krist	582.		24.45
Loken, Martin	108.		4.75
McCrum, W. J.	336.		14.88
Newton, A. B.	652.		32.34
Nordahl, Mrs. Andrew	69.		3.06
Nelson, Lewis A.	417.		20.21
Nelson, Siveren	210.		10.21
Nelson, John S.	196.		9.55
Nelson, Peter	387.	450.	17.88
Newlorth, Mrs. Agnes	174.		8.46
Olson, Carl	168.		7.00
Peterson, O. J.	586.		28.48
Pederson, Christian	367.		17.65
Pederson, O. M.	1,081.		45.40
Raigert, Wm.	937.		40.01
Shumway, M. G.	588.		28.64
Sherwood, William	347.	110.	21.88
Solomonson, J. E.	583.		28.37
Solheim, Knut	473.		23.75
Syverson Bros.	525.		23.14
Sulram, R.	274.		13.82
Stromme, Ole T.	135.	1,000.	9.40
Stene, Tobias	243.		10.77
Stenseth, Louis	689.		28.94
Skjerping, Tobias	834.		35.03
Skjerping, Carl	149.		6.26
Skjerping, Peter	225.		9.45
Skjerping, Alfred	199.		8.36
Sanders, Thomas	629.		26.42
Snetting, H. B.	20.		.86
Snetting, A. J.	357.		14.89
Torkelson, Anflan	71.		3.03
Theige, J. M.	453.		21.73
Thune, Peter	325.	1,800.	21.90
Vegen, Edward O.	208.		10.13
Vaavk, Ole	316.		15.30
Wood, W. E.	383.		18.65
Winter, Wm. J.	149.		7.26
Weckwerth, Owen	545.		26.54
Weiner, Casper	456.		22.23
Weken, H. O.	979.		34.04

Town of Star.

School District No. 5, 49.8 Mills; School District No. 56, 57.4 Mills; School District No. 58, 48.0 Mills; School District No. 65, 55. Mills; School District No. 0, 48.5 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, M. J.	$ 743.	$	$ 36.71
Anderson, Fred	536.		30.77
Bye, John	443.		22.06
Berg, Ole T.	125.		6.23
Bjornarab, H. K.	454.		22.61
Bakken, Carl P.	156.		8.53
Barstad, Ole P.	313.		17.91
Clemenson, George M.	474.		27.21
Coan, Johnnie T.	300.		14.52
Coan, John T.	504.		24.90
Danielson, Daniel	84.		4.62
Danielson, Bergeth	104.		5.72
Danielson, Knut	223.		10.41
Dahlen, H. A.	252.		12.22
Eldelbes, John	142.		7.32
Eig, Carl O.	545.		26.93
Enebo, Joseph H.	304.		15.02
Ekwall, Carl J.	316.		18.14
Folkedahl, Gurno	184.		9.42
Kort, Anton	113.		5.48
Fjeld, Hans	456.	650.	24.07
Favig, L. C.	257.		14.75
Grams, Emil	583.		28.80
Hovet, Tollef	264.		12.80
Hole, S. J.	122.		5.92
Holmgren, Mrs. John	132.		6.67
Hanson, Gilbert G.	124.		7.12
Hruby, Bohunril	227.		11.21
Hoffman, J. V.	129.		6.37
Iverson, Gust A.	169.		8.20
Iverson, Fred H.	65.		3.16
Iverson, Gustav	405.		23.25
Johnson, L. H.	485.		24.01
Johnsrud, Ole	427.		23.94
Kolstrand, Pat	326.		18.71
Kotraba, Martin	188.		9.29
Lien, Ole K.	100.		5.50
Larson, Mrs. F.	234.		11.66
Loyland, T. O.	178.		8.87
Larson, N. P.	328.		18.04
Lokken, Ole S.	305.		17.68
Lien, Nels S.	652.		32.56
Myers, Nick	487.		27.95
Nestebo, Gunder	176.		15.84
Olson, O. A.	316.		15.74
Omlid, Salve O.	240.	800.	14.04
Olson, G. G.	167.		8.53
Omlid, Oluf O.	624.		35.53
Odeguard, Christ	270.		15.50
Peterson, Ernest E.	13.		.68
Prestegaard, S.	344.		16.29
Parnow, Otto	337.		19.34
Prucha, Karl	215.		10.62
Roysland, Knut	272.		13.56
Refness, Pete	185.		10.62
Ramsey, Elling	350.	600.	20.87
Raasch, John	137.		8.82
Svare, Hans J.	382.		19.52
Sjulestad, E.	237.		14.27
Solberg, George	223.		12.80
Solberg, Hans	185.		9.63
Skaaren, K.	1,102.	1,200.	60.09
Tharaldson, Ole	332.		16.10
Trontvelt, Ole	429.		21.30
Tommerdahl, Oliver	482.		24.25
Tommerdahl, H. O.	369.	500.	23.20
Torgerson, Ed.	408.		19.72
Teldmann, Henry	89.		5.12
Vake, Anders Hanson	149.		7.18
Vrna, Elmer	237.		14.70
Watne, Even O.	324.		18.63
Elertson, Carl		500.	1.50

Town of Wyandotte.

School District No. 8, 40.5 Mills; School District No. 35, 46.4 Mills; School District No. 125, 33 Mills; School District No. 148, 46.1 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Albin, John	$ 393.	$	$ 15.43
Bergh, Martin H.	679.		26.48
Berglund, John A.	239.		9.33
Bergdal, Torge	234.	85.	9.42
Bergh, Elmer B.	68.		2.65
Carlson, Charles F.	592.	100.	27.77
Carlson, John	357.		16.57
Evenson, Edwin	408.		15.91
Evenson, James	54.		2.11
Enderle, Henry	278.		10.84
Erler, W. F.	521.		20.32
Hedeen, Oscar	612.		28.87
Halin, A. D.	584.		22.33
Hedeen, C. W.	320.		12.49
Haugen, David	210.		7.63
Herold, Henry	782.		30.51
Hoffman, John	182.		30.63
Hanson, Sam	392.		15.40
Hanson, Nels	466.		18.10
Helgeson, Ole	280.		8.75
Helgeson, Alfred	264.		10.30
Jorgenson, John C.	282.		11.04
Kolseth, Peter	334.		13.64
Kolseth, H. R.	664.		26.39
Keller, Cadolza	904.		35.48
Larson, J. R.	744.	260.	30.88
Lacke, R. E.	184.		16.83
Moynen, Henry	442.		20.38
Mores, Ben	357.		14.20
Madson, R. C.	722.		28.55
Nelson, Julius	828.	300.	30.53
Nelson, Andrew	536.	454.	22.89
Nilson, Robert	22.		2.72
Olson, Theodore	338.	200.	13.43
Peterson, Anton	342.		14.00
Peterson, John E.	357.		13.53
Peterson & Samuelson	334.		13.53
Peterson, P. W.	1,084.		44.32
Peterson, Elias	346.		15.09
Peterson, Martin	342.		13.33
Quamme, T. J.	151.		5.89
Rinker, Mrs. A. H.	174.		6.79
Rosee, Willis H.	896.		37.74
Rolstad, Alfred	80.	225.	4.55
Rolstad, J. A.	397.		15.97
Samuelson & Kolseth	182.		7.23
Samuelson, Charley A.	372.	1,058.	17.51
Schaack, M. J.	432.	100.	20.02
Steen, Knut	135.	80.	9.23
Swanson, Ole	18.	35.	.80
Soderman Bros.	277.		11.22
Torvilson, K.	220.		8.80
Van Hoel, Paul	28.		3.32
Volrath, A. C.	532.		24.06
Wilson, O. E.	584.	700.	26.16
Wilson, Isaac H.	712.		32.00
Wilson, O. A.	482.	300.	22.27
Evenson, Mrs. N.		1,058.	3.15
Rosse, Augustus		2,000.	6.00

Village of Goodridge.

School District No. 2, 84.5 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Sever	$ 322.	$ 1,055.	$ 24.78
Bundhund, Nick	137.		12.01

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Christianson, Carl	116.		10.87
Christianson, Halvor	72.	500.	8.31
Christianson, H. & Son	2,503.	2,221.	243.44
Dahl, N. H.	1,530.	486.	146.20
Edseth, Carl	248.	232.	24.16
Farmers State Bank	3,222.		304.80
Flose, Olaf	7.	95.	.78
Gilbertson, Theo.	133.	350.	14.22
Goodridge Co-Operative Creamery Association	3,000.		253.80
Goodridge Farmers Elevator & Milling Co.	1,880.		177.85
Goodridge Mercantile Co.	8,612.	13,689.	846.30
Goodridge State Bank	4,670.		422.32
Gulmon, Even	2.	25.	.26
Gulrud, G. C.	24.		2.27
Gunderson, G.	231.		21.85
Halvorson, H. A.	90.		8.51
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.	1,620.		101.25
Jensen, J. P.	81.	71.	7.88
Johnson, Rufus R.	183.	750.	19.56
Josephson, George	33.		3.12
Larson, George	77.		7.28
Lindstrom, Carl	230.	300.	22.60
Lysbakken, Magnus	100.	593.	12.71
Mandt, A. H.	11.	1,750.	37.41
McDonald, R. H.	85.		8.04
Miller, Mrs. Angie	72.	350.	7.86
Moehring, Rev. H. M.	220.	40.	20.94
Morin, Rosaire	525.	150.	50.11
Morin, Mrs. Rosaire	125.	300.	12.72
Payne, Jay	55.	22.	5.28
Rosan, Oliver	364.	100.	34.74
Rosan & Yohn	436.	424.	42.42
Rossman, C. H.	63.		6.01
Rouze, M. G.	356.	940.	38.34
Rouze, Samuel	539.		50.99
San, Andrew	240.		22.70
San, Ole A.	11.	300.	1.94
Seavey, M. O.	174.		16.46
Standard Oil Co.	1,516.		143.41
Stephenson, M. J.	293.	125.	28.09
Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co.	560.	369.	54.06
The Times Co.	120.		11.35
Tvedt, A. C. & Son	2,511.	9,477.	265.97
Thoreson, M. G.	171.		16.18
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	2,208.	4,031.	220.64
Olson, Martin	273.		25.83
Halvorson, A. O.		1,155.	3.46
Kirkile, O. S.		50.	.15
Lysbakken, S.		1,050.	3.15
Norby, H. O.		155.	.46
Scott, Joseph S.		200.	.60
Smedberg, Mrs. Julia		91.	.28
Staley, Wm.		4.	.02
Stephenson, Clarence G.		210.	.63
Tandberg, Theo.		88.	.27
Torgerson, Tilda		10.	.03
Stephenson, Julius		30.	.09

Village of St. Hilaire.

School District No. 102, 114.8 Mills.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Auberle, Olaf	$ 264.	$	$ 30.31
Almquist, Jens	474.		54.41
Allen, H. R.	359.		41.21
Amble, S. J.	31.		3.56
Bakko, George	8.		.92
Borstad, Peter	106.		12.17
Bjork, M. E.	45.		5.16
Bengit, N.	126.		14.46
Burkee, H. E.	40.		4.59
Brink, Victor	150.		17.22
Anderson, Alfred	102.	200.	12.31
Brink, O. W.	200.		22.96
Brink, Albert	45.		5.17
Benson, S. S.	95.		10.91
Dahlen, J.	83.		9.53
Dahl, J. C.	26.		2.98
Erickson, Ed. T.	103.		11.82
Eliason, John	12.	50.	1.53
Fricker, Mike	13.		1.49
Follman, G. I.	316.	200.	36.88
Flamme, Ed.	93.		10.68
Farmers Co-Op. Elevator Co.	767.	300.	103.03
Farmers State Bank	4,134.		474.58
Gunstad, O.	173.		19.86
Gunstad, Arthur	58.		6.66
Georgen, Henry	1,381.	7,300.	180.44
Gunstad, Henry	80.		9.18
Grimsrud, C. M.	183.		21.00
Gigstad, K. O.	95.		10.91
Haugo, Oscar	128.		14.06
Hanson, John A.	97.		11.14
Hogstrom, A. P.	30.		3.44
Hoff, Mrs. S.	163.		18.71
Hed, A. J.	250.		28.70
Hovet, Thomas K.	23.	400.	3.84
Hage, M. R.	50.	1,000.	9.43
Hopper, G. W.	535.		61.42
Holmes, Edith	255.		29.27
Hendrickson, Eliza	50.		5.74
Hanson, H. T.	232.	200.	27.23
Holmes, L.	33.		3.79
Just, Emil	56.		6.43
Jackson, M. H.	410.	200.	47.67
Johnson, Carl	69.		7.92
King, Joe	97.		11.14
Kolp, Albert	224.		25.71
Kelly, L. B.	381.		43.74
Kolstad, Knute	18.	100.	2.37
Lazar, David	2,171.	3,300.	273.92
Lewis, J. H.	24.		2.75
Loeberg, Lars	130.	200.	15.52
Lundy, B. M.	79.		9.07
Lundberg, Peter	737.		84.61
Lundberg, Gust	190.		21.81
Martz, Mrs. Anna	976.		112.04
Martz, Glenn H.	623.		71.52
Mattson, Ole	1,475.	1,000.	172.33
McAllister, D.	160.		18.37
Merchants State Bank	3,500.		401.80
Nash, Knut and Ole	333.		38.23
Nelson, A. F.	238.		27.32
Nelson, N. A.	3,082.	5,000.	368.81
Olson, H. A.	419.	650.	50.05
Olson, Wm.	135.		15.49
Patterson, D.	238.		27.32
Peterson, John P.	87.		9.98
Peterson, Ed.	19.		2.18
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.	1,200.		142.73
St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Co.	660.	1,200.	80.06
Red River Power Co.	400.		45.92
St. Hilaire Lumber Co.	2,770.	1,650.	322.95
Soderberg, Fred	698.		80.13
Saterberg, Adolph	399.		45.81
Standard Oil Co.	110.		12.63
Swanson, Dr. C.	175.	500.	21.59
Swanson, Enock	100.		11.48
Severson, Albert	160.		18.37
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	45.		5.51
Wallin, Mrs. R.	15.		1.72
Wear-U-Well Shoe Co.	230.		26.40
Wilson, A. B.	562.	200.	65.12
Wilson, Hans	224.	100.	26.02
Swanson, Peter		2,300.	6.90

Annual Report of Thief River Creamery Association

BUTTER PRODUCTION

Pounds of Cream received		1,436,151
Pounds of whole milk received		320,300
Pounds of skim milk		76,407
Average test of cream	28.93	
Average test of milk	3.70	
Butterfat from cream		415,515.8
Butterfat from milk		12,174.8
Total butterfat received		427,690.6
Butterfat sold in milk and cream		35,156.3
Butterfat made into butter		392,534.3
Butter shipped	415,992	
Retailed in city	73,966	
Patrons	1,048	
Over-run, 99,072 lbs.		491,606
Average net price received for butter shipped		25.24%
Average net price received for butter retailed		60.66
Average price paid for butterfat		63.50
Increase in butterfat above last year		63.70
Increase in gross amount of business	$93,466	41.3%

CREAMERY RECEIPTS

Balance from last year		$ 3,690.34
Received from butter shipped		231,223.53
Realized in City:		
Butter, 73,966 lbs.	$43,028.19	
Milk	9,304.16	
Cream	12,350.63	
Buttermilk	1,476.68	66,159.66
Received from patrons to sinking fund		1,993.43
Received from patrons other charges		3,569.78
Received from patrons, express		3,407.75
Received from cream shipped		753.98
Received from interest on deposit		1,102.39
Received from old cream vat		150.00
Received from old churn		30.00
Received from cubs and other supplies sold		3,032.52
Received from eight shares sold		200.00
Received from bottles sold		614.97
Received from rent of rooms		30.00
Received from miscellaneous receipts		104.43
Total		$319,701.78
Supplies on hand and paid for		$ 3,300.00

Disbursements for 1919.

Paid patrons by checks		$270,304.39
Paid patrons by other charges		3,569.78
Paid patrons by deduction to sinking fund		1,993.43
Paid employees		10,865.23
Paid R. E. Dalquist for assisting in making annual report		100.00
Paid E. J. Overland, Sec'y. salary		76.00
Paid P. Engelstad, Sec'y. salary		1,312.69
Paid S. O. Lee, Treas. salary		482.70
Paid Directors		146.00
Paid Bernhard Knudsen, Treas. salary		15.00
Paid Taxes:		
Real Estate tax for 1917	$ 97.92	
Real Estate tax for 1918	182.90	
Personal Property tax for 1918	160.93	
Part Income tax for 1918	30.46	
Tax on Capital stock, 1918	7.00	
Tax on Rosewood property 1918	1.02	
Tax on Rosewood property 1919	1.42	478.95
Paid tax on Dakota cream		13.51
Paid Insurance		47.55
Paid Dividend checks for 1918		372.50
Paid Dividend checks for 1919		387.00
Paid commission to agents		170.17
Paid Red Lake Ice Co., filling icehouses		165.00
Paid Red Lake Ice Co. ice bought		344.61
Paid Water and Light Dep't.		1,005.80
Paid Northwestern Tel. Co.		68.85
Paid Cherry Co., supplies		6,011.82
Paid Creamery Pkg. Co., supplies		5,781.11
Paid Dairy Supply Co.		162.75
Paid freight and express		1,183.49
Paid coal and wood		1,407.31
Paid express on cream		3,407.75
Paid Mrs. T. A. Fossum, annual dinner		132.40
Paid draying		767.65
Paid laundry		31.78
Paid Postoffice department		612.92
Paid Western Union Tel. Co.		76.94
Paid stationery and advertisement		671.89
Paid J. J. Aga, work on boiler		89.00
Paid Holt & George, repair work		320.00
Paid Ihle and Myrom, repair work		70.25
Paid Aaseby and Burstad, repair work		62.92
Paid Leonard Peterson, fans		90.00
Paid Prichard Co.		322.20
Paid Thief River Groc. Co.		248.60
Paid Philip Laing Hdw. Co.		88.93
Paid Oen Merc. Co.		158.16
Paid Victory bonds		1,000.00
Paid bottles bought		175.33
Paid Armour & Co.		413.75
Paid Coffins Mfg. Co.		315.00
Paid Diebold Safe & Lock Co.		225.00
Paid Toledo Scale Co.		323.64
Paid Stanwood Mfg. Co., supplies		70.00
Paid Jaico Motor Co.		50.00
Paid Paper Supply Co.		81.78
Paid Hudson Mfg. Co.		67.77
Paid Lansing Co.		33.70
Paid Crescent Paint Mfg. Co.		48.15
Paid Swift & Co.		38.60
Paid Plant Rubber Co.		89.93
Paid Dennison Mfg. Co.		65.77
Paid Dominion Chemical Co.		105.00
Paid for butter color etc.		108.25
Paid cancelation of 2 shares		52.50
Paid St. Hilaire Cry. Assn. salt		47.40
Paid F. C. Myers & Bros.		68.52
Paid Wagner Glass Works		19.82
Paid Laird's Specialty Shop		35.79
Paid Kuns Oil Co.		37.00
Paid Northwestern Oil Co.		64.70
Paid Aaron Refining Co.		30.40
Paid Carolina Urness, option on property		25.00
Paid The Wales Add. Mch. Co., repairs		25.85
Paid miscellaneous repair work, Ex. 1		67.69
Paid miscellaneous repair work, Ex. 2		177.99
Paid miscellaneous disbursement sheet No. 1		205.31
Paid miscellaneous disbursement sheet No. 2		204.26
Paid miscellaneous disbursement sheet No. 3		37.35
Balance on hand at end of year		1,406.70
		$319,701.78

Respectfully submitted,
P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

I take pleasure in publishing the names of our patrons whose gross checks exceeded $500.00 during the year 1919:

Hans Anton	$3,703.84
P. Engelstad	2,514.44
Jens Kirk	2,183.30
Fred Copp	1,961.45
A. J. Funnesdahl	1,907.28
Waldo Christenson	1,787.90
Henry Koop	1,670.31
R. M. Johnson	1,656.23
A. C. Simonson	1,654.00
Mrs. J. J. Berg	1,489.60
C. Christenson	1,372.40
Henry Popp	1,356.02
Frank Kainz	1,319.12
S. Wiberg	1,200.18
Mrs. J. R. Walters	1,151.53
Ludvig Larson	1,133.09
Olaf Omlid	1,112.22
Paul Engelstad	1,093.70
K. Solheim	1,076.24
K. Finstad	1,074.00
Albert Johnson	1,070.32
S. W. Laubach	1,014.45
Rasmus Oen	1,000.33
E. Edman	998.89
Lars Hitterdahl	984.91
John Johnson	972.56
August Carlson	957.69
John Bloom	925.73
Carl Erickson	925.44
H. T. Waale	922.98
Russell Corner	917.26
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	912.44
Henry Hanson	895.54
O. L. Skonovd	892.37
Will Smith	880.91
H. Sande	877.87
S. E. Blunt	852.21
Albert Coyle	834.65
Ed. Klappenbach	821.25
Peter Woldness	812.87
C. Odegaard	805.43
C. Olen	791.07
Ole Skaar	785.30
Nels Norn	779.29
Stearns & McCreary	778.39
Gordon Olson	771.17
L. O. Stenseth	768.78
John Stroberg	766.37
Christ Nelson	768.22
August Johnson	753.46
K. Yatesund	764.25
August Koglin	744.30
Gunder Olson	742.98
Carl Mellem	742.24
John Sjolsvold	735.41
John Krechoback	724.34
R. Sorenson	722.02
Carl Belswinger	721.32
Ed. Grandhous	718.77
H. Eliason	716.08
Mrs. A. Welo	712.28
H. Woolson	712.07
C. M. Hoverstad	709.32
Mrs. Mosbeck	699.26
J. Bergquist	695.19
M. Stenvold	684.65
C. Liden	684.83
E. A. Strand	678.37
Syvert Hanson	674.75
Iver N. Strand	674.00
Hans P. Rued	665.69
L. Hermanson	663.95
Thos. Sanders	659.81
Fuller & Gordon	655.96
G. L. Mussy	652.07
H. A. Mathers	648.79
Albert Hanson	642.13
John N. Swanson	639.59
Wm. Hebner	637.62
A. C. Hanson	639.86
Andrew K. Haggy	629.82
P. Hornseth	626.16
Wm. Loeslie	625.09
J. Klungness	613.76
Nick Meyer	609.74
John Kollberg	608.90
Ole J. Dahl	606.45
O. E. Olson & C. Boe	603.88
P. Solom	601.21
Emil Krause	593.58
A. W. Hanson	588.73
Nels Burtness	586.25
Andrew Feragen	584.56
Julius Hanson	582.94
F. M. Kline	577.45
A. Hemmersten	571.90
F. T. Satre	569.16
Hans Pederson	567.36
Louie Hamre	561.77
John Phillip	560.63
John E. Hellquist	552.12
Joe Oski	548.06
Palm Bros.	542.02
Ole Gesselquist	538.87
John Sor	532.82
Martin Forsberg	529.28
John Meyer	527.48
Emil Johnson	527.31
Ernest Yonke	524.88
J. M. Theige	524.35
Ed. Hanson	519.47
Silas Torgerson	513.81
C. G. Klockman	510.81
A. G. Loftness	509.76
F. B. Conklin	507.47
O. A. Flann	501.87

Respectfully submitted,
P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT
For the Year 1919.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1919	$ 3,690.34
Receipts for January	15,218.42
Receipts for February	13,337.87
Receipts for March	22,912.37
Receipts for April	24,747.65
Receipts for May	28,947.12
Receipts for June	40,092.26
Receipts for July	35,285.67
Receipts for August	33,149.85
Receipts for September	35,582.72
Receipts for October	27,658.88
Receipts for November	17,047.22
Receipts for December	20,422.88
Total for the year	$319,701.78
Total Disbursements	318,295.06
Cash balance Jan. 1, 1920	1,406.72
U. S. Bond	1,000.00
	$ 2,406.72

Disbursements 1919

January	$ 16,395.92
February	15,038.07
March	20,561.67
April	24,016.82
May	30,746.24
June	41,380.85
July	34,173.09
August	34,034.84
September	32,517.65
October	27,392.03
November	18,386.92
December	21,316.05
	$318,295.06

S. O. LEE,
Treasurer.

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of the city council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock p. m., Jan. 13th, 1919.

Roll call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: none.

Minutes of the meeting of January 6th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Librarian and yearly report of the Chief of Police be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the application of Revdahl & Co. for building permit be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that permission be granted Peter Olson to move building from Block 7 Duluth avenue north, to Block 13 Tindolph avenue. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the use of the Auditorium be given free of charge to the Near East Relief association. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Froseth, that the use of the Auditorium be given free of charge for the National annual convention of the Lutheran Free church to be held from June 9th to June 27th, 1920. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that the Chair appoint a committee of four with power to act to close a deal for a public square. Motion carried and the Chair appointed the following to serve on the committee: Froseth, Brandon, Dahl and Ihle.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Brandon, that the application for Pool Hall license of Shanahan & Sheady be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution appointing Henry Froseth as manager of the Auditorium. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the Chair appoint a committee of two to investigate the shallow storm sewer system, filtration system and paving. Motion carried and the Chair appointed the following: Ihle and Dahl.

The President of the Council appointed the following standing committees:

Finance: Brumund, Brandon and Froseth.

Board of Health: Dr. J. Biederman, Ness, Froseth and Ihle.

Poor: Froseth, Ness and Dahl.

Roads, Streets and Sidewalks: Ihle, Ness and Dahl.

License, Printing and Municipal Buildings: Dahl, Brandon and Ness.

Electric Light and Waterworks: Brandon, Ihle and Brumund.

On motion duly carried the council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 13, 1920, Alderman Ihle seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the application of Henry Froseth for the position of Manager of the City Auditorium for the year 1920 and 1921, be and the same is hereby accepted, and the City Clerk and Mayor are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a proper contract on behalf of the City, with said Henry Froseth, on the usual and customary terms.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 13th, 1920, Alderman Froseth seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.

Street Commissioner's Payroll	$ 27.20
Bernt Wold, special police	3.00
Model Steam Laundry, laundry	3.19
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies (3 bills)	9.73
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	103.06

Improvement Fund.

Water & Light Dept., power service sewer lift	12.65

Poor Fund.

Perry Froseth, shoes and rubbers	19.00
Norris Lumber Co., coal	39.35
Carl Christofferson, groceries	35.85
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies (3 bills)	26.54

Auditorium Fund.

S. O. Quammen, coal	72.09
Water & Light Dept., light service	146.27
Carl Christofferson, supplies	1.30
John Brumund, wood	73.72

Library Fund.

St. Paul Book & Sty. Co., books	48.64
Water & Light Dept., light and water service	17.23
Elsie Sundahl, services as assistant librarian	10.00

Electric Light Fund.

Water & Light Dept., freight express	72.86
Singer Sewing Machine Co., hem stitching machine	250.00
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	7.35
LaCoe & Fontaine, drayage	.75
General Electric Co., repairs	8.80
N. W. Electric Equipment Co., supplies	105.16
Peter Eberhart, repair, labor	28.80
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	4.95
Chas. Polacheck Co., supplies	10.20
Marshall Wells Co., supplies	11.00
John Brumund, wood	25.64

Waterworks Fund.

Carl Christofferson, salt	1.70

Roll Call: Members voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 17th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased.

The State of Minnesota, to Martin J. Peterson, Mrs. Nina Rose, Oscar C. Peterson, Elias A. Peterson, George G. Peterson, Lena M. Peterson, Julius Peterson, and all persons interested in the estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased:

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by this Court on the 1st of December, 1919, is incorrect and erroneous in this that the following described real estate belonging to said estate was omitted from said decree, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to the West one-half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼), Section 8, in Township 152, North of Range 43 West, and praying that the said decree be corrected and amended to include said real property, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing on said petition;

THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.
J8-15-22

Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months, and For Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Hege Jore.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hege Jore, Decedent.

Letters this day having been granted to William B. Torgerson, and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedant may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 16th day of April, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, Minn., in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a legal newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated January 9, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney.
J15-22-29

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Gay Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of June, 1916, at one o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30) for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04).

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N½) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and state, will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five (75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
of Fergus Falls, Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minn.
J15-22-29-F5-12-19

Notice For Bids.

The frame building formerly used for blacksmith shop, situated on the high school grounds, will be sold to the highest bidder.

Sealed bids will be received until 8 P. M., January 24th, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM, Clerk.
Independent School District No. 18.
J15-25

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ida M. Peterson, Deceased.

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by this Court on December 1st, 1919, is erroneous and incorrect in this, to-wit: That said final decree of distribution attempted to set over to the heirs and legatees of said decedent all of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼ NW¼) of Section 8 in Township 152, Range 43, where as in truth and in fact the said decedent was the owner of an undivided two-thirds (2-3) interest in and to said property; that said decree is incorrect and erroneous in this, to-wit: That the following real estate belonging to said decedent was omitted therefrom, to-wit: An undivided one-sixth (1-6) interest in and to the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼ NW¼), Section 8, Township 152, North of Range 43 West, and praying that said decree may be corrected in accordance with law and fact, and the Court having fixed a time and place for hearing on said petition;

NOW, THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.
J8-15-22

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Clerk of Polk Centre, Pennington County, Minn., up until 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1920, for graveling one-half mile of road between Sections 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, commencing 40 rods West from the East corner stake of Sections 9 and 16; thence running East one-half mile. Gravel to be taken one-half mile from section line between Sections 11 and 14 on the Sandridge.

Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. E. NAPLIN,
Town Clerk.
J8-15-22-p

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Martin J. Berg.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin J. Berg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Anne Berg, Mabel Alvilde Hanson and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Mabel Alvilde Hanson having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

THEREFORE, YOU, and EACH of YOU, Are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court-Room in the Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of February, 1920, at eleven o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 14th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J15-22-29

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

Estate of John M. Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of John M. Anderson, decedent;

The State of Minnesota to Mina (Minnie) M. Anderson and Martin M. Anderson and Mrs. Theo. O. Berg all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920; at ten o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner. J22, 29-F5

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anders C. Hansen, also known as Anders C. Hanson, also known as A. C. Hansen, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Marit Hansen, Hans T. Hansen, Anna Maria Magnuson, Thora Hansen, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J22-29-F5

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION Of The NORTHERN WOODWORK COMPANY

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the provision of Chapter Fifty-eight (58) of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, and any amendments thereof, do hereby associate ourselves as a body corporate, and do hereby adopt the following Certificate of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 1. The name of this corporation shall be Northern Woodwork Company.

Sec. 2. The general nature of its business shall be the manufacturing of furniture, fixtures, building material and all manner of articles, partly or wholly of wood; the buying, owning, selling, mortgaging and leasing of property, real, personal and mixed, which may be necessary in connection with said manufacturing business, and to do each and everything necessary, suitable, or proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any one or more of the objects herein enumerated, or which shall at any time appear conducive to or expedient for the protection or benefit of the corporation.

Sec. 3. The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The time for the commencement of this corporation shall be January 15, 1920, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

ARTICLE III.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are: Ole R. Revdahl of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Nels G. Olson of Thief River Falls, Minn.; E. J. Rustad of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Andrew Stene of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Haakan M. Grindahl of Thief River Falls, Minn.; and Elling O. Iverson of Thief River Falls, Minn.

ARTICLE IV.

Sec. 1. The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors, composed of not less than three and not more than six members. The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are: Ole R. Revdahl, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Nels G. Olson, Thief River Falls, Minn.; E. J. Rustad, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Andrew Stene, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Haakan M. Grindahl, Thief River Falls, Minn., and Elling O. Iverson, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sec. 2. The first officers of this corporation shall be: President, Elling O. Iverson; Vice President, Ole R. Revdahl; Secretary-Treasurer, E. J. Rustad. All the above named officers and directors shall hold their respective offices aforesaid until the next annual meeting of the corporation to be held on the second Tuesday in January, 1921, at which time and annually thereafter, a Board of Directors shall be elected from and by the stockholders of this corporation. The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the second Tuesday in January in each year. Immediately after the election of directors, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the directors shall meet and elect from their number a *president, and a* vice president, and from their number or from the stockholders a secretary and a treasurer. Any office except that of president and vice president may be held by one person. The directors and officers of this corporation shall hold their respective offices until their successors have been duly elected and entered upon the discharge of their duties. The first meetings of the stockholders and of the Board of Directors shall be held at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 2nd day of February, 1920, at 10 A. M.

ARTICLE V.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00), which shall be paid in, in money or property, or both, in such manner, at such times, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order. The capital stock shall be divided into Two Hundred (200) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) each.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject shall be the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00).

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this 10th day of January, 1920.

OLE R. REVDAHL,
NELS G. OLSON,
E. J. RUSTAD,
ANDREW STENE,
HAAKAN M. GRINDAHL,
ELLING O. IVERSON.

In the presence of
O. A. NAPLIN,
HANS RUSTAD.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
) ss.
County of Pennington.)

On this 10th day of January, 1920, personally appeared before me Ole R. Revdahl, Nels G. Olson, E. J. Rustad, Andrew Stene, Haakan M. Grindahl and Elling O. Iverson, to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Senator 65th District, Minnesota.
My term expires January 1, 1924.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 13th day of January, A. D., 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 225.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of the Register of Deeds,
County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within Instrument was filed in this office for record on the 14th day of Jan. A. D. 1920, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of Miscel., on page 592.

N. J. ANDERSON,
J22-29 Register of Deeds.

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FOR RENT—One or two unfurnished rooms, 120 St. Paul Ave. So. Phone 3113. 54p

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FOR RENT—160 acres good black loam, well drained, an excellent quarter, three miles south of Goodridge; a state road leading up to farm. Frank N. Schroeder, North Buena Vista, Ia. 55p

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WANTED TO BUY—Team, harness and sleigh.—Martin Jepson, Rhoda, Minn. 55p

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FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house at 804 LaBree Ave. N. 54

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FOR SALE—Good six room house, 2 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 53tf

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CORDWOOD SAW FRAME AND 26 inch Saw—$28.00. Send for Ice Tool Catalogue.—C. A. Hiles & Co., 2431 W. 14th St., Chicago, Ill. 54

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Three stacks of rye hay and six stacks of timothy hay.—C. O. Granum, Phone 295. 56p

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FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front; fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 609 Horace Ave. N. 43tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

TO TRADE FOR LAND—Four room house and four lots in city. Andrew Ness. 40tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, twp. of Smiley. R. K. Calloway, 303 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

LOST

LOST—Sheep lined duck coat, tan color. Taken by mistake from Oen's hardware dept. Return to Oen's store. 54

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

ORDERS FOR HEMSTITCHING, by Mrs. McKinney, Union Block, Phone 252. 53tf

Dressmaking Wanted.
at the residence of John Christenson, 523 1st St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 63p

WANTED BEFORE FEB. 14—Hundreds of new and renewal subscriptions to Minneapolis Daily News. Thousands of Farmer Vote Ballots. Send them in to the Daily News and just write "for Chas. W. Correll, Farmers Contestant." Please note, that you will get the Northwest Farmstead, Farm and Fireside, National Alfalfa Journal and Home Life, with the Daily News, all for $5.00 per year; 2 years $9.00. Your kindly support will be appreciated.—Chas. W. Correll, Thief River Falls. 556

Farm Bargain.
Improved farm of 331 acres, 12 miles from town; 140 acres field, 50 acres tame hay, balance prairie; fair set of buildings; flowing well. $1500.00 cash handles this, balance 6 per cent interest, long time. Price $8500.00.
C. W. McDANIELS,
54tf. Thief River Falls, Minn.

RAGS WANTED—Clean cotton rags wanted at The Times office. The highest price paid. Bring them to the office and get your money.

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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

RETAKE

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Annual Report of Thief River Creamery Association

BUTTER PRODUCTION

Pounds of Cream received		1,426,151
Pounds of whole milk received		329,309
Pounds of skim milk		76,407
Average test of cream	28.93	
Average test of milk	3.70	
Butterfat from cream		415,515.8
Butterfat from milk		12,174.8
Total butterfat received		427,690.6
Butterfat sold in milk and cream		35,156.3
Butterfat made into butter		392,534.3
Butter shipped	415,992	
Retailed in city	73,966	
Patrons	1,648	491,606
Over-run, 90,072 lbs		25.24%
Average net price received for butter shipped		56.65
Average net price received for butter retailed		58.50
Average price paid for butterfat		63.70
Increase in butterfat above last year		18.%
Increase in gross amount of business	$93,466	41.3%

CREAMERY RECEIPTS

Balance from last year		$ 3,699.34
Received from butter shipped		234,223.53
Realized in City:		
Butter, 73,966 lbs.	$43,028.19	
Milk	9,304.16	
Cream	12,350.63	
Buttermilk	1,476.68	66,159.86
Received from patrons to sinking fund		1,993.43
Received from patrons other charges		3,569.78
Received from patrons, express		3,407.75
Received from cream shipped		783.98
Received from interest on deposit		1,102.39
Received from old cream vat		150.00
Received from old churn		30.00
Received from tubs and other supplies sold		3,632.52
Received from eight shares sold		200.00
Received from bottles sold		614.97
Received from rent of rooms		30.00
Received from miscellaneous receipts		104.43
Total		$319,701.78
Supplies on hand and paid for		$ 3,200.00

Disbursements for 1919.

Paid patrons by checks		$270,804.39
Paid patrons by other charges		3,569.78
Paid patrons by deduction to sinking fund		1,993.43
Paid employees		10,855.23
Paid R. H. Dalquist for assisting in making annual report		100.00
Paid E. J. Overland, Sec'y, salary		76.00
Paid P. Engelstad, Sec'y, salary		1,212.09
Paid S. O. Lee, Treas. salary		482.70
Paid Directors		146.00
Paid Bernhard Knudsen, Treas. salary		15.00
Paid Taxes:		
Real Estate tax for 1917	$ 97.22	
Real Estate tax for 1918	182.90	
Personal Property tax for 1918	150.93	
Part Income tax for 1918	30.40	
Tax on Capital stock, 1918	7.00	
Tax on Rosewood property 1918	1.08	
Tax on Rosewood property 1919	1.42	470.95
Paid tax on Dakota cream		13.51
Paid insurance		47.66
Paid Dividend checks for 1918		372.60
Paid Dividend checks for 1919		387.00
Paid commission to agents		170.17
Paid Red Lake Ice Co., filling icehouses		165.00
Paid Red Lake Ice Co., ice bought		344.61
Paid Water and Light Dep't.		1,085.80
Paid Northwestern Tel. Co.		68.85
Paid Cherry Co., supplies		6,611.82
Paid Creamery Pkg. Co., supplies		5,701.11
Paid Dairy Supply Co.		162.36
Paid freight and express		1,183.49
Paid coal and wood		1,407.31
Paid express on cream		3,407.75
Paid Mrs. T. A. Fossum, annual dinner		132.40
Paid draying		757.68
Paid laundry		31.72
Paid Postoffice department		612.92
Paid Western Union Tel. Co.		76.94
Paid stationery and advertisement		471.89
Paid J. J. Aga, work on boiler		89.90
Paid Holt & George, repair work		320.00
Paid Ihle and Nyzom, repair work		70.25
Paid Aaseby and Burstad, repair work		62.02
Paid Leonard Peterson, fans		90.00
Paid Prichard Co.		332.20
Paid Thief River Groc. Co.		248.50
Paid Phillip Laing Hdw. Co.		88.93
Paid Oen Merc. Co.		138.16
Paid Victory bonds		1,000.00
Paid bottles bought		175.23
Paid Armour & Co.		413.75
Paid Coffins Mfg. Co.		316.00
Paid Liebold Safe & Lock Co.		220.00
Paid Toledo Scale Co.		328.64
Paid Stanwood Mfg. Co., supplies		70.60
Paid Jaco Motor Co.		50.00
Paid Paper Supply Co.		31.78
Paid Hudson Mfg. Co.		67.77
Paid Lansing Co.		33.70
Paid Crescent Paint Mfg. Co.		48.16
Paid Swift & Co.		28.50
Paid Plant Rubber Co.		29.93
Paid Dennison Mfg. Co.		66.77
Paid Dominion Chemical Co.		106.90
Paid for butter color etc.		108.26
Paid cancelation of 2 shares		62.50
Paid St. Hilaire Cry. Assn. salt		47.40
Paid F. C. Myers & Bros.		64.53
Paid Wagner Glass Works		19.92
Paid Laird's Specialty Shop		35.79
Paid Kunz Oil Co.		37.00
Paid Northwestern Oil Co.		64.70
Paid Aeron Refining Co.		36.40
Paid Carolina Urness, option on property		25.00
Paid The Wales Add. Mch. Co., repairs		25.85
Paid miscellaneous repair work, Ex. 1		67.59
Paid miscellaneous repair work, Ex. 2		177.99
Paid miscellaneous disbursement sheet No. 1		205.31
Paid miscellaneous disbursement sheet No. 2		204.26
Paid miscellaneous disbursement sheet No. 3		37.35
Balance on hand at end of year		1,406.70
		$319,701.78

Respectfully submitted,
P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

I take pleasure in publishing the names of our patrons whose gross checks exceeded $500.00 during the year 1919:

Hans Anton	$3,703.24
P. Engelstad	2,514.44
Jens Kirk	2,183.30
Fred Copp	1,961.48
A. J. Funnesdahl	1,007.28
Waldo Christenson	1,787.90
Henry Koop	1,670.33
R. M. Johnson	1,666.21
A. C. Simonson	1,454.00
Mrs. J. J. Berg	1,439.60
C. Christenson	1,372.40
Henry Pope	1,356.02
Frank Kainz	1,316.12
S. Wiberg	1,200.16
Mrs. J. R. Walters	1,151.53
Ludvig Larson	1,133.05
Olaf Omlid	1,112.95
Paul Engelstad	1,093.70
K. Solheim	1,076.24
K. Finstad	1,074.90
Albert Johnson	1,070.02
S. W. Laubach	1,014.46
Rasmus Oen	1,000.33
T. Edman	998.89
Lars Hitterdahl	984.91
John Johnson	972.56
August Carlson	957.69
John Bloom	925.72
Carl Erickson	925.44
H. T. Waale	922.98
Russell Corner	917.26
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	912.44
Henry Hanson	905.54
O. I. Skonovd	892.37
Will Smith	880.01
H. Sande	877.37
S. E. Hunt	857.31
Albert Coyle	834.65
Ed. Klappenbach	831.25
Peter Woldness	817.87
C. Odegaard	803.42
C. Olen	791.07
Ole Skaar	785.39
Nels Norn	779.39
Stearns & McCreary	778.89
Gordon Olson	771.17
L. O. Stenseth	766.72
John Stroberg	766.37
Christ Nelson	766.22
August Johnson	763.46
K. Yatesund	754.35
August Koglin	744.30
Gunder Olson	742.94
Carl Mellem	742.24
John Sjolsvold	735.41
John Krechobeck	724.34
S. Sorenson	723.09
Carl Betswinger	721.32
Ed. Grundhous	718.77
H. Ellason	718.08
Mrs. A. Weld	713.28
H. Woolson	712.07
C. M. Hoverstad	709.32
Mrs. Mosbeck	699.26
J. Bergquist	685.19
M. Stenvold	684.63
C. Liden	684.51
E. A. Strand	678.37
Syvert Hanson	674.75
Iver N. Strand	674.00
Hans P. Rued	665.69
J. Hermanson	663.96
Thos. Sanders	659.51
Fuller & Gordon	655.96
R. J. Murry	652.07
H. A. Mathees	648.79
Albert Hanson	642.13
John N. Swanson	639.69
Wm. Hohner	637.62
A. C. Hanson	630.96
Nick Meyer	609.74
John Kellberg	608.86
Ole J. Dahl	606.48
G. E. Olson & C. Boe	603.88
P. Solom	601.21
Emil Krause	593.28
A. W. Hanson	588.73
Nels Burtness	588.25
Andrew Feragen	584.36
Julius Hanson	582.94
F. M. Kline	577.45
A. Hemmersten	571.90
F. T. Satre	569.10
Hans Pederson	567.36
Louis Hamre	561.77
John Phillip	560.63
John E. Hellquist	552.12
Joe Oski	548.00
Palm Bros.	542.02
Ole Gesselquist	538.87
John Sor	532.32
Martin Forsberg	529.28
John Meyer	527.48
Emil Johnson	527.31
Ernest Yonke	524.88
J. M. Thelge	524.35
Ed. Hanson	518.47
Silas Torgerson	513.81
C. G. Klockman	510.31
A. G. Loftness	509.73
F. H. Conklin	507.47
O. A. Flann	501.87

Respectfully submitted,
P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT For the Year 1919.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1919	$ 3,699.34
Receipts for January	15,215.42
Receipts for February	13,837.87
Receipts for March	22,912.37
Receipts for April	24,747.66
Receipts for May	28,947.12
Receipts for June	40,992.26
Receipts for July	35,286.67
Receipts for August	33,249.09
Receipts for September	35,532.72
Receipts for October	27,658.88
Receipts for November	17,047.22
Receipts for December	20,422.08
Total for the year	$319,701.78
Total Disbursements	318,295.06
Cash balance Jan. 1, 1920	1,406.72
U. S. Bond	1,000.00
	$ 2,406.72

Disbursements 1919

January	$ 16,395.93
February	15,038.07
March	20,561.57
April	24,616.82
May	30,746.24
June	41,330.85
July	34,173.09
August	34,024.24
September	32,517.05
October	27,398.03
November	18,284.92
December	21,516.05
	$318,295.06

S. O. LEE,
Treasurer.

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of the city council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock p. m., Jan. 13th, 1919.

Roll call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: none.

Minutes of the meeting of January 6th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Librarian and yearly report of the Chief of Police be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the application of Revdahl & Co. for building permit, be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that permission be granted Peter Olson to move building from Block 7 Duluth avenue north, to Block 18 Tindolph avenue. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the use of the Auditorium be given free of charge to the Near East Relief association. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Froseth, that the use of the Auditorium be given free of charge for the National annual convention of the Lutheran Free church to be held from June 9th to June 27th, 1920. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that the Chair appoint a committee of four with power to act to close a deal for a public square. Motion carried and the Chair appointed the following to serve on the committee: Froseth, Brandon, Dahl and Ihle.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Brandon, that the application for Pool Hall license of Shanahan & Sheedy be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution appointing Henry Froseth as manager of the Auditorium. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the Chair appoint a committee of two to investigate the shallow storm sewer system, filtration system and paving. Motion carried and the Chair appointed the following: Ihle and Dahl.

The President of the Council appointed the following standing committees:

Finance: Brumund, Brandon and Froseth.

Board of Health: Dr. J. Biederman, Ness, Froseth and Ihle.

Poor: Froseth, Ness and Dahl.

Roads, Streets and Sidewalks: Ihle, Ness and Dahl.

License, Printing and Municipal Buildings: Dahl, Brandon and Ness.

Electric Light and Waterworks: Brandon, Ihle and Brumund.

On motion duly carried the council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 13, 1920, Alderman Ihle seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the application of Henry Froseth for the position of Manager of the City Auditorium for the year 1920 and 1921, be and the same is hereby accepted, and the City Clerk and Mayor are hereby authorized and directed to enter into a proper contract on behalf of the City, with said Henry Froseth, on the usual and customary terms.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 13th, 1920, Alderman Froseth seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's Payroll	$ 27.20
Bernt Wold, special police	3.00
Model Steam Laundry, laundry	3.10
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies (3 bills)	3.73
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	103.06
Improvement Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., power service sewer lift	12.65
Poor Fund.	
Perry Froseth, shoes and rubbers	19.00
Nortz Lumber Co., coal	40.35
Carl Christofferson, groceries	35.85
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies (3 bills)	26.54
Auditorium Fund.	
S. O. Quammen, coal	72.09
Water & Light Dept., light service	166.27
Carl Christofferson, supplies	1.30
John Brumund, wood	73.72
Library Fund.	
St. Paul Book & Sty. Co., books	48.64
Water & Light Dept., light and water service	17.23
Elsie Sundahl, services as assistant librarian	10.00
Electric Light Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight express	73.86
Singer Sewing Machine Co., hem stitching machine	256.00
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	7.35
LaCoe & Fontaine, drayage	.75
General Electric Co., repairs	8.80
N. W. Electric Equipment Co., supplies	105.16
Peter Eberhart, repair, labor	28.80
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	4.05
Chas. Polacheck Co., supplies	10.10
Marshall Wells Co., supplies	11.00
John Brumund, wood	25.64
Waterworks Fund.	
Carl Christofferson, salt	1.70

Roll Call: Members voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 17th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased.

The State of Minnesota, to Martin J. Peterson, Mrs. Nina Rose, Oscar C. Peterson, Elias A. Peterson, George G. Peterson, Lena M. Peterson, Julius Peterson, and all persons interested in the estate of John A. Peterson, Deceased:

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by this Court on the 1st of December, 1919, is incorrect and erroneous in this that the following described real estate belonging to said estate was omitted from said decree, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to the West one-half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) Section 8, in Township 152, North of Range 42 West, and praying that the said decree be corrected and amended to include said real property, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing on said petition;

THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.
J8-15-22

Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months, and For Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Hege Jore.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hege Jore, Decedent.

Letters this day having been granted to William B. Torgerson, and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 16th day of April, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, Minn., in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a legal newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated January 9, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney.
J15-22-29

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Guy Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of June, 1916, at one o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30) for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04).

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N½) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and state, will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five (75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
of Fergus Falls, Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minn.
J15-22-29-F5-12-19

Notice For Bids.

The frame building formerly used for blacksmith shop, situated on the high school grounds, will be sold to the highest bidder.

Sealed bids will be received until 8 P. M., January 24th, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM, Clerk,
Independent School District No. 18.
J18-25

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court, January Term, 1920.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ida M. Peterson, Deceased.

The petition of Martin J. Peterson having been filed in this Court representing that the final decree of distribution issued by this Court on December 1st, 1919, is erroneous and incorrect in this, to-wit: That said final decree of distribution attempted to set over to the heirs and legatees of said decedent all of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼) of Section 8 in Township 152, Range 42, where as in truth and in fact the said decedent was the owner of an undivided two-thirds (2-3) interest in and to said property; that said decree is incorrect and erroneous in this, to-wit: That the following real estate belonging to said decedent was omitted therefrom, to-wit: An undivided one-sixth (1-6) interest in and to the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Section 8, Township 152, North of Range 42 West, and praying that said decree may be corrected in accordance with law and fact, and the Court having fixed a time and place for hearing on said petition;

NOW, THEREFORE, You, and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Probate Judge.
J8-15-22

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Clerk of Polk Centre, Pennington County, Minn., up until 2 o'clock P. M., on Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1920, for gravelling one-half mile of road between Sections 9 and 16, and Sections 10 and 15, commencing 40 rods West from the East corner stake of Sections 9 and 16; thence running East one-half mile. Gravel to be taken one-half mile from section line between Sections 11 and 14 on the Sandridge.

Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. E. NAPLIN,
Town Clerk.
J8-15-22-p

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Martin J. Berg.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin J. Berg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Anne Berg, Mabel Alvilde Hanson and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Mabel Alvilde Hanson having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this State; and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

THEREFORE, YOU, and EACH of YOU, Are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of February, 1920, at eleven o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 14th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J15-22-29

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

Estate of John M. Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of John M. Anderson, decedent;

The State of Minnesota to Mina (Minnie) M. Anderson and Martin M. Anderson and Mrs. Theo. O. Berg all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920; at ten o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner. J22, 29-F5

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anders C. Hansen, also known as Anders C. Hanson, also known as A. C. Hansen, Decedant.

The State of Minnesota, to Marit Hansen, Hans T. Hansen, Anna Maria Magnuson, Thora Hansen, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J22-29-F5

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION Of The NORTHERN WOODWORK COMPANY

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the provision of Chapter Fifty-eight (58) of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, and any amendments thereof, do hereby associate ourselves as a body corporate, and do hereby adopt the following Certificate of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 1. The name of this corporation shall be Northern Woodwork Company.

Sec. 2. The general nature of its business shall be the manufacturing of furniture, fixtures, building material and all manner of articles, partly or wholly of wood; the buying, owning, selling, mortgaging and leasing of property, real, personal and mixed, which may be necessary in connection with said manufacturing business, and to do each and everything necessary, suitable, or proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any one or more of the objects herein enumerated, or which shall at any time appear conducive to or expedient for the protection or benefit of the corporation.

Sec. 3. The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The time for the commencement of this corporation shall be January 15, 1920, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

ARTICLE III.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are: Ole R. Revdahl of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Nels G. Olson of Thief River Falls, Minn.; E. J. Rustad of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Andrew Stene of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Haakan M. Grindahl of Thief River Falls, Minn.; and Elling O. Iverson of Thief River Falls, Minn.

ARTICLE IV.

Sec. 1. The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors, composed of not less than three and not more than six members. The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are: Ole R. Revdahl, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Nels G. Olson, Thief River Falls, Minn.; E. J. Rustad, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Andrew Stene, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Haakan M. Grindahl, Thief River Falls, Minn., and Elling O. Iverson, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sec. 2. The first officers of this corporation shall be: President, Elling O. Iverson; Vice President, Ole R. Revdahl; Secretary-Treasurer, E. J. Rustad. All the above named officers and directors shall hold their respective offices aforesaid until the next annual meeting of the corporation to be held on the second Tuesday in January, 1921, at which time and annually thereafter, a Board of Directors shall be elected from and by the stockholders of this corporation. The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the second Tuesday in January in each year. Immediately after the election of directors, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the directors shall meet and elect from their number a president, and a vice president, and from their number or from the stockholders a secretary and a treasurer. Any office except that of president and vice president may be held by one person. The directors and officers of this corporation shall hold their respective offices until their successors have been duly elected and entered upon the discharge of their duties. The first meetings of the stockholders and of the Board of Directors shall be held at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 2nd day of February, 1920, at 10 A. M.

ARTICLE V.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00), which shall be paid in, in money or property, or both, in such manner, at such times, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order. The capital stock shall be divided into Two Hundred (200) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) each.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject shall be the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00).

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this 10th day of January, 1920.

OLE R. REVDAHL.
NELS G. OLSON.
E. J. RUSTAD.
ANDREW STENE.
HAAKAN M. GRINDAHL.
ELLING O. IVERSON.

In the presence of
O. A. NAPLIN.
HANS RUSTAD.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,)
) ss.
County of Pennington.)

On this 10th day of January, 1920, personally appeared before me Ole R. Revdahl, Nels G. Olson, E. J. Rustad, Andrew Stene, Haakan M. Grindahl and Elling O. Iverson, to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Senator 65th District, Minnesota.
My term expires January 1, 1921.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 225.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of the Register of Deeds,
County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within Instrument was filed in this office for record on the 14th day of Jan. A. D. 1920, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of Miscel., on page 592.

N. J. ANDERSON,
J22-29 Register of Deeds.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES Classified Advertising

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WANTED, Man for spare time work. Must have auto or horse and wagon. Work consists of inspecting and repairing signs on public roads running a short distance out of Thief River Falls. No experience necessary. Position requires but few hours time every 90 days. Liberal pay and yearly contract to responsible party. State age, occupation, and whether you have auto or rig. Applications considered confidential. Address Manager Maintenance Department, 141-149 West Ohio St., Chicago, Ill. 54

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One or two unfurnished rooms, 120 St. Paul Ave. So. Phone 3113. 55p

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FOR RENT—160 acres good black loam, well drained, an excellent quarter, three miles south of Goodridge; a state road leading up to farm. Frank N. Schroeder, North Beuna Vista, Ia. 56p

WANTED—TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Team, harness and sleigh.—Martin Jepson, Rhoda, Minn. 55p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Hay in stack, both wild and timothy. O. A. Naplin. 55p

FOR SALE—One 9-16 Mogul engine, used two seasons, Overhauled and in good condition. Inquire John Helm, Red Lake Falls, Minn. 26p

FOR SALE—Two heaters, wood. Also other furniture, new. Cheap for cash. 308 Arnold Ave. N. 53tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per. bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock and S. C. White Leghorn cockerels. Call at Hicks'. 54

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house at 804 LaBree Ave. N. 54

FOR SALE—Ten room house.—A. A. Wangenstein. 52tf

FOR SALE—5 H. P. Fairbanks Morse gasoline engine in good shape, at Evenson's Garage. 54p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull.—C. Wiener, Rt. 3, city. 47tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 2 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 53tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 40tf

FOR SALE—Cream separator. Call at 419 Riverside Ave.—J. W. Mich. 55p

CORDWOOD SAW FRAME AND 26 inch Saw—$28.00. Send for Ice Tool Catalogue.—C. A. Hiles & Co., 2431 W. 14th St., Chicago, Ill. 54

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Three stacks of rye hay and six stacks of timothy hay.—C. O. Granum, Phone 295. 56p

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front; fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 609 Horace Ave. N. 43tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

TO TRADE FOR LAND—Four room house and four lots in city. Andrew Ness. 46tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm. S½ Sec. 24, twp. of Smiley. R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

LOST

LOST—Sheep lined duck coat, tan color. Taken by mistake from Oen's hardware dept. Return to Oen's store. 54

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

ORDERS FOR HEMSTITCHING, by Mrs. McKinney, Union Block. Phone 252. 53tf

Dressmaking Wanted.

at the residence of John Christenson, 523 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 5072. 63p

WANTED BEFORE FEB. 1—Hundreds of new and renewal subscriptions to Minneapolis Daily News. Thousands of Farmer Vote Ballots. Send them in to the Daily News and just write "for Chas. W. Correll, Farmers Contestant." Please note, that you will get the Northwest Farmstead, Farm and Fireside, National Alfalfa Journal and Home Life, with the Daily News, all for $5.00 per year; 2 years $9.00. Your kindly support will be appreciated.—Chas. W. Correll, Thief River Falls. 56

Farm Bargain.

Improved farm of 331 acres, 13 miles from town; 140 acres field, 60 acres tame hay, balance prairie; fair set of buildings; flowing well. $1900.00 cash handles this, balance 5 per cent interest, long time. Price $8500.00.

C. W. McDANIELS,
54tf. Thief River Falls, Minn.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

EKLUND POST BASKET SHOTS DOWN BEMIDJI

Strong Visiting Team Defeated in Spectacular Contest, 26 to 21.

ARGYLE IS ALSO BEATEN

High School Quintet Trims Rivals For Second Time This Season.

In an uphill fight, replete with thrills and sensational playing, the Eklund Post basketball team defeated the Ralph Gracie Post quint of Bemidji, by a score of 26 to 21. The game took place at the Auditorium Tuesday night and in most respects is considered unequalled in basketball history.

Bemidji started with the evident purpose of walking away with the locals and during the entire first half was well on the way towards accomplishing that purpose. The Eklund Post men seemed unable either to score heavily or prevent their opponents from scoring and the first-half ended 19 to 10 in Bemidji's favor.

Came Back Strong.

The second half saw a change. The locals, still determined to win, came back with a rush that swept their opponents entirely off their feet. The Bemidji offensive was broken up completely, while Thief River continued to pile in baskets regularly. The last whistle found them holding a five point lead. Holzknecht, the local's guard, entertained the spectators by exhibiting freak shots.

The Bemidji team is made up of a fine-looking bunch of men. They played the game consistently and at times brilliantly. In the aggregate the visitors had it over the locals in weight and their basket-shooting ability was fully equal to that of the Eklund Post boys. The stubborn defense put up by the latter in the closing half, together with a more even break in the luck must be credited with being the principal factors in the victory.

The Lineup.

Bemidji		Thief River
Plummer	lf	Penney
Benigan	c	Paranteau
G. Graham	lg	Tommeraasen
F. Graham	rg	Holzknecht
Phibbs	rf	Kiland

Argyle High Defeated.

The Lincoln High athletes, with the memory of Detroit still fresh in their minds, came back with a vengeance Monday night and administered a squad trouncing to the Argyle high school quint. The game ended: Argyle 22 and Thief River Falls 45.

The local boys showed a clean-cut superiority over their opponents in every department of the game and were at no time in serious danger of defeat. Schuster, Hadrath and Larson rolled in five baskets before the opposing team had scored a single point and, though Argyle put up a spirited fight, the margin continued to widen during the remainder of the game. G. Rivard, Argyle's guard, supplied an extra thrill in the second half by putting in three long shots in succession. This defeat is the second Argyle has suffered at the hands of the Thief River Falls quint this season.

Big Sale Coming.

H. G. Borden will hold a sale of all his personal property about March 1. Sixteen head of work horses and a large amount of farm machinery will be disposed of. Watch for the date. j 22 f 12-p

THE PRINCESS

"The House of Guaranteed Attractions"

Friday

TOM MIX

IN

"Hell Roaring Reform"

You have seen Tom Mix do some hair-raising stunts, but in this picture he has 'em all beat. He rides his horse "Tony" up two flights of rickety stairs, jumps horseback from one roof onto another. The tough gang of Tarantula have driven off the minister. Tom Mix takes his place, see how he reforms the gang.

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Saturday

TOM MIX

in

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"The Deed of a Devil"

Matinee Saturday, 2:30; 6c and 15c.

THE PRINCESS

Special Sunday and Monday

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In

"Revelation"

Nazimova is pronounced the greatest screen artist in the world. "Revelation" provides Nazimova with a role that reveals her wonderful talent. "Revelation" is a picture worthy of her genius. This great 7 act picture and a Sunshine comedy at our usual admission 15c and 25c. Matinee 2:30; 11c and 20c.

DR. HIEBER DEAD AT MONROVIA, CAL

Former Resident of Thief River Falls Fails to Regain Health in West.

Dr. H. G. Hieber, for ten years a resident of Thief River Falls, died at Monrovia, Cal., last Saturday after a fight of nearly two years against the inroads of disease brought on by overwork.

Harvey George Hieber was born in Black Hawk, Iowa, on Nov. 10, 1879, and was but little over 40 years of age at the time of his death. After going through the schools at his birthplace he entered Northwestern University, Chicago, a medical student. After graduation he spent some time in post graduate work in Europe, coming to Thief River Falls in May, 1907, shortly after his return from abroad. He was married at Anoka on Sept. 16, 1912, to Miss Beatrice Whitten of that city, who, with a daughter, Helen Louise, about six months of age, survive him.

DR. H. G. HIEBER

Dr. Hieber was interested in all public affairs, was an active political worker while his health permitted, and at the time of leaving this city was chairman of the Pennington County Republican committee. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, the Elks and other organizations.

At the time of the first army draft Dr. Hieber was one of the examining physicians for the county, but in August, 1917, his health failed and he left for California in the hope that the climate there would prove beneficial. He resided for a time at Los Angeles but during the past year had lived at Monrovia.

The news of Dr. Hieber's death was received here with keen sorrow. He was a man of high ideals and active always in any enterprise that would tend toward the betterment of the community in which he lived. Few men had a wider circle of friends and none were more loyal to their interests.

Nohting has been learned here as to where interment will take place.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' SHEEP EXHIBITION

Citizens State Bank Making Special Efforts to Increase Interest.

The exhibit held recently by the Boys' and Girls' Sheep club was so successful that it has been decided there shall be a bigger and better show next fall.

The officers of the Citizens State bank, who tendered their lobby for the use of the club as an exhibition room, are very much interested in the work and have decided to provide a prize for every exhibitor. The winners at the last show were Virgil Denhart, Ruth Satre and Myron Robinson. These were given a free trip to the junior stock show at St. Paul and enjoyed themselves from start to finish. They intend entering their lambs in competition at the next show.

Any boy or girl between the ages of 10 and 18 years may enter this contest and one will have as good a chance to win a trip and a prize as another, the awards being based on merit alone.

The bank officials will be glad to send full particulars to any boy or girl in the county who wishes to enter this contest.

Returns From West.

H. G. Borden returned recently from the state of Washington, where he had been since last fall. He purchased a farm near Portland and will move out there with his family early in the spring. A big auction sale will be held on his farm about March 1, at which time he will dispose of all live stock, machinery, household goods, etc. Among the principal items mentioned are 16 head of high grade work horses.

ALL SPEAK HIGHLY OF BOUDOIR FARCE

"She Walks in Her Sleep" is Comedy of the Very Highest Order.

The people of Thief River Falls and vicinity are going to have an opportunity to witness the presentation of one of the cleverest comedies staged in years when "She Walks in Her Sleep" appears here on Monday evening, Feb. 18. It is a boudoir farce of much merit, presented by a company of real actors. The Salt Lake Tribune says of it:

"Somnambulistic tendencies and inclinations have formed the themes for numerous tragedies, melodramas, comedies, and at least one standard play, but probably none in the lighter vein 'holds a candle' to 'She Walked in Her Sleep,' as presented last night at the Salt Lake theatre by Miss Norton and Paul Nicholson, with a supporting company of nine, every one of whom fits into the role assigned almost as if built for the part.

"All of the action is laid in the Cavendish hotel in New York, the residence of the parties to the complications that arise when Daphne Arnold, daughter of John Arnold, persists, while in a somnambulistic state in wandering through the various suites, robed for repose, but ever exhibiting 'clinging' tendencies should her arms touch a human being.

"One must see the play work out 'its own salvation' in order to appreciate how much of wit and epigram, diluted with rapid action, Mark Swan has condensed into three not long acts."

The play is well staged and wonderfully costumed. A full orchestra will furnish music and every detail will be up to the standard of the big city playhouses. Tickets will soon be on sale at Lambert's.—j 22.

Norway to Follow America's Lead in League Disposition

Paris newspapers have published a telegram from Norway in which President Halvorson of the Storthing is quoted as declaring that if the United States fails to join the League of Nations, or if it joins the league without accepting all the obligations of the various sections of the covenant, Norway will refuse to join the league.

Notice For Bids.

To rent for the season of 1920, the hay stumpage on the east half of Section 35, Township of Numedal. I will rent to the highest cash bidder. Bids will be received up to Feb. 15. Check must be enclosed with bid. Send your bids to

HERMAN A. KRUEGER,
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JOHNSON HAD TO SIT UP ALL NIGHT LONG

Could Hardly Breathe—Ten Years Trouble Ends After He Takes Tanlac.

"After taking Tanlac I feel better than I have in years," said C. P. Johnson, a switchman for the Twin City Traction Co., who lives at 2511 25th ave. s., Minneapolis, Minn., to a Tanlac representative recently.

"For ten years I suffered with the worst sort of stomach trouble," he continued. "I had a very poor appetite and could hardly eat a thing and what little I did manage to force down would sour and gas would form and press against my heart so I could hardly breathe, and often I could not lie down on account of this and would have to sit up all night along, and I would bloat terribly, and have awful cramps. I had pains in the small of my back and my head ached nearly all of the time, and I also had the rheumatism something awful in my hip joints that hurt me so I could hardly get about.

"I had read so much about Tanlac I decided to try it. Well, at first I did not see much improvement in my condition, but I kept on taking it until I had taken three bottles, when I began to get a great deal better, and after it once started to help me it gave me quick and lasting results. My appetite is good and I am never troubled with gas or have any difficulty in breathing. The pains in my back and the rheumatism in my hips have all stopped, and I never know what it is to have the headache now. I am stronger and have more energy and my work does not tire me any to speak of, and I sleep better than I have in years. I am a great believer in Tanlac and never miss an opportunity to tell others about it."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's drug store.—adv.

Picture Film Will Show Condition in Near East

During the world war the Turks were saved the expense of buying new wives when they tired of the old, according to post-war news seeping out of the Near East and received by Nels Martinson, state campaign director of the Near East Relief drive which will be conducted in Minnesota in February.

"During the deportation of the Armenians, many beautiful women were driven from their homes and forced to submit to the insults of the Turks," Mr. Martinson said. "They were lined up along the streets, where both high official and humble peasant *might pick a wife to suit his fancy.* Those chosen for the harem were forced to submit to the Islam faith, while those who were not so attractive were marched away or tortured to death."

In the case of children, Mr. Martinson said, any who might be of service were taken over as slaves and the remainder left to care for themselves. Many who had not previously been deported or killed were forced into the Turkish army.

It is to remedy such conditions as these that American relief workers in the Near East are establishing orphanages for the children, houses of refuge for outraged women, and hospitals for the suffering, Director Martinson explained.

Arrangements have been made for showing this great film at the auditorium in Thief River Falls some time next month.

Joseph Schmitz of this city left on Wednesday morning for Spokane, Wash., where he will visit for an indefinite period.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson left the first of the week for St. Paul for the purpose of attending the meetings of the State Tax commission. He is expected back tomorrow.

Lyceum Theatre

The Theatre of Quality

Thursday, Jan. 22—Special.
Talented Mitchell Lewis in
"THE LAST OF HIS PEOPLE."
The romantic story of a Red Man's love for a white girl. Don't miss this powerful play of the Northwoods. Also comedy.

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The famous Jap
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A picture that will hold you in suspense from beginning to end. Full of romance and thrills. Also 2-reel Mack-Sennet comedy, "Summer Girls."
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Young Men's Suits
7 young men's waist seam suits in brown and grey, silk lined, very nifty. This sale, regular at $35.00, to close out, for one day only
$26.50
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$2.50 Caps for one day only	1.75
3.00 Caps, for one day only	2.15
3.50 Caps for one day only	2.65
4.00 Caps for one day only	2.85
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5 "Near-Seal" detachable Collars, regular selling price $18.50. For one day only $13.45
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$1.25 Men's Woolen Mittens, white and grey striped, only 85c
50c Woolen Mittens, for one day only 35c
35c

Dress Shirts
One lot of Men's fancy Dress Shirts, $2.00 and $2.25 values. For one day only, each
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$2.25 Flannel Shirts. For one day only, each
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About 10 young men's Suits in small sizes, in greens, greys, browns and mixed colors. Sizes 32 to 37. Regular prices $22.50 to $30.00. For one day only
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Sizes 42-44-46.
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$1.25 Heavy Grey Woolen Sox, for one day only
79c
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One lot of fleece-lined Undershirts $1.25 and $1.50 values. While they last, each
69c

All Men's Winter Union Suits At Reduced Prices.

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OVER $150,000 PROPERTY LOSS IN SUNDAY FIRE

UNION BLOCK, ONE OF BEST IN CITY, WAS TOTALLY DESTROYED.

FLAMES SPREAD SO RAPIDLY THAT MANY SAVED BUT LITTLE.

ORIGIN OF BLAZE A MYSTERY; POOR WIRING IN SUSPECTED.

The most costly fire in the history of Thief River Falls, so far as the property loss is concerned, occurred last Sunday forenoon when the Union block, one of the best business buildings in the city, burned to the ground. The total loss is more than $150,000 with insurance of about $85,000.

The fire started about 10:30 o'clock and in an hour and a half the building was in ruins. The structure was owned by the Thief River Building company and was erected about six years ago. It was located in the center of the block on Third street between LaBree and Horace avenues.

Origin a Mystery.

Nothing has been learned as to the origin of the fire. Members of the Times Printing and Manufacturing company's force had been in the building the greater part of the forenoon but had noticed nothing unusual. From the position of the fire when discovered, however, the general impression prevails that defective electric light wiring was responsible.

When first noted the blaze was breaking through over a partition in the basement under the store occupied by the Thief River Music company. The alarm was sounded at once but so rapidly did the flames gain headway that but little could be saved even from the offices of The Times company, while the music store proprietors were unable to make any attempt whatever by reason of the dense smoke. A considerable amount of material used in the manufacture of the Lonson coin-bix, a Times company product, was stored near the point at which the blaze seemed to have originated and the nature of these supplies was such as to make its rapid spread an easy matter.

But Little Time Allowed.

The second floor of the building was occupied as dwelling flats principally, the one exception being the offices of Kolberg & Eastman, chiropractors. Good work on the part of citizens was responsible for the saving of a considerable amount of the household goods in the flats, but in nearly every instance more or less of a loss was experienced. Dr. L. F. Fisher, who occupied one of the front flats with his family, was unable to save even the personal belongings of Mrs. Fisher and the children, and is

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CITY DEPOSITS DIVIDED PRO RATA AMONG BANKS

The city of Thief River Falls will divide its deposits among the four banks doing business here during the coming year and will be paid at the rate of three per cent on daily balances. Representatives of all the banking institutions were present at Tuesday's meeting and all submitted identical bids. The deposits will be apportioned according to the capital and surplus of the banks on the basis of the financial statements issued on January 1.

ENDS HIS WORK WITH MISSION TO SIBERIA

DR. GAMBELL OF THIS CITY AMONG THOSE SCHEDULED SOON TO RETURN.

T. P. Anderson, chairman of the Pennington County Chapter American Red Cross, has been notified that the activities of the organization in Siberia have been curtailed and that the withdrawal of a large share of the force is contemplated at the time the American army leaves. Among those scheduled to return is Dr. F. H. Gambell of this city, who went out with the mission in June, 1918.

It is stated that all those now on the ground are not needed to look after relief supplies and that those not so required will be released. During their stay in Siberia hundreds of hospitals have been established and medical and dental clinics held. The activities of the mission have extended from Vladivostock to the Urals.

The date for the return of Dr. Gambell and the others is not announced but their departure will be coincident with that of the military force. Mrs. Gambell and the children are spending the winter in California.

At the time of leaving Dr. Gambell expected *to remain in the far* eastern field for at least two years.

WILL BEGIN HEARINGS IN FLOODED DISTRICT

FIRST WILL BE HELD AT GOODRIDGE NEXT THURSDAY. HOLT NEXT.

The first of the public hearings on relief for flood sufferers will be held on Thursday, Feb. 5, at Goodridge, and Friday, Feb. 6 at Holt. The purpose of these meetings is to permit those who have not been alloted relief or those who may feel they were wrongly allotted to appear before Scott Laird, special appraiser for the state board of relief.

While nearly all of the allotments for Marshall and Pennington counties have been mailed out from the county agent's office, yet there are a few which have not been completed and these will go out early next week at the latest.

The following week similar meetings are scheduled for northern cities and after those are held meetings will again be held in this vicinity, probably at Grygla, Gatzke and Thief River Falls.

MAYOR BRATRUD TO NAME CITY MATRON

COUNCIL AGREES TO GIVE SUCH OFFICER A THREE-MONTH TRIAL.

Upon Mayor John Bratrud will devolve the duty of appointing a police matron for the city of Thief River Falls. The council authorized him to take such action after a somewhat lengthy debate on Tuesday evening.

A delegation of women waited on the council with the request that the appointment be made. They spoke of the need for such an official in the city and some of the disclosures made were of a decidedly startling order. The council evinced an inclination to pass the matter over to the mayor but the latter could not see where he had the authority to proceed without the sanction of the board of aldermen.

Supt. W. A. Ziegler of the city schools seconded the request of the ladies as did also City Attorney Hans O. Chommie. They were of the opinion that conditions at the present time are different in some respects from any existing for years past and that the youth of the land is subjected to greater temptation and requires greater safeguards.

Although the council did not take kindly to the proposition at the outset it was finally decided to leave the matter of a trial appointment to Mayor Bratrud with the assurance that a bill for the services of a police matron would be met when presented.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING NEXT MONDAY AFTERNOON

The next regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the Commercial club rooms Monday afternoon, Feb. 2, at 2 o'clock. A feature of unusual interest will be the appearance at this time of Mrs. William T. Coe, former president of the State Federation of Woman's clubs, who will speak on "Near East Relief." The condition of people in the Near East is one which is at present causing much concern among all civilized nations but the only one toward which these stricken sections can look with any hope of succor is the United States. Measures for their relief is under way all over the country and Mrs. Coe will tell of what is being done as well as of what is still necessary.

BRIEF TERM OF DISTRICT COURT OPENS MONDAY

ONLY EIGHTEEN NEW CIVIL CASES ARE FILED WITH CLERK EKLUND.

GRAND JURY WILL BE CONVENED—ONE CONTINUED CRIMINAL CASE.

JUDGE ANDREW GRINDELAND WILL PRESIDE—NO IMPORTANT ACTIONS.

The February term of the Pennington county district court will convene next Tuesday morning with Judge Andrew Grindeland presiding. Indications are that it will be a short term, there having been but 18 new civil cases filed with Clerk of Court Eklund up to the hour of closing on Tuesday evening.

Besides these 18 there are seven continued cases, most of which have hung-over more than one term. There is but one criminal case on the calendar, this being that of the state against Earl Lang, charged with grand larceny in the second degree.

Convenes Grand Jury.

A grand jury has been called but it is not expected that its session will be lengthy. The jurors are: C. M. Wilson, E. O. Gullingsrud, Olaf Neset, Bernhard Knudsen, Thief River Falls; G. B. Tvedt, Mayfield; S. J. Amble, St. Hilaire; John Hoffman, Wyandotte; T. H. Bjerke, North; Martinus Rust, Norden; John Sheggerud, River Falls; S. O. Leo and Andrew Husely, Rocksbury; Halvor Hanson and John Scholin, Bray; T. S. Iverson and Oscar M. Anderson, Smiley; Edwin Mahlin, Reiner; Carl Ekvoll, Jr., Star; Albin Arveson, Hickory; Jens Letness, Silverton; Hans Anderson, Black River.

The Petit Jurors.

The following have been drawn to act as petit jurors: W. B. Fuller, Charles Gustafson, M. V. Evenson, W. W. Prichard, Sr., Thief River Falls; J. R. McKercher, Gunard Lindquist, Black River; Knute Nash, H. R. Allen, St. Hilaire; M. O'Leary, Hans Jasperson, Mayfield; Fred Dahlberg, Smiley; H. T. Waale, O. O. Hafdal, Kratka; Herman Fellman, Rocksbury; Edwin Roy, Bernt Walseth, C. J. Bothman, River Falls; P. J. McAndress, K. M. Jorde, North; Oscar Peterson, Sanders; H. T. Hanson, Hickory; J. M. Johnson, Highlanding; Alex Mellu, Polk Center.

MANN WILL TALK TO MERCHANTS FEB. 17

DEVILS LAKE MERCHANT WILL GIVE POSTPONED ADDRESS ON THAT DATE.

Frank P. Mann, one of the most prominent merchants in the country and owner of a large department store at Devils Lake, N. D., will deliver an address to the members of the Thief River Falls Merchants' association on the afternoon of Feb. 17. There will be a banquet for the merchants at noon at the Evelyn hotel and none but members will be invited.

Mr. Mann has made a great success in business by following lines never before attempted and he is in much demand to tell how it was accomplished. He has traveled all over the United States and is a sort of missionary in the field of better merchandising.

This address was to have been delivered over a month ago and was originally intended for both employers and employes, but postponements have from time to time been necessary and the program somewhat changed.

Misses Ruth Mathews and Caroline Melby arrived in this city on Tuesday evening from Moorhead where they are students at the normal school, and will visit for a short while at the homes of their parents.

CLOSING ORDER NOT NECESSARY AT THIS STAGE

FLU SITUATION PRESENTS NO ALARMING ASPECTS IN CITY, SAY DOCTORS.

HEALTH BOARD ISSUES ORDERS AGAINST DANCES AS PROTECTIVE MEASURE.

DISEASE OF A MILDER NATURE THAN THAT WHICH RAGED LAST YEAR.

Spanish influenza, in a form somewhat milder than that which raged last winter, according to the doctors, is again causing considerable uneasiness in certain sections of the country and Pennington county has not escaped the visitation. According to local physicians there have lately been three deaths in the neighborhood for which this disease is in some measure responsible, although in at least one instance it hardly reached the importance of a contributing cause.

Are Watching Close.

Dr. Jacob Biederman, on behalf of the city board of health, has issued an order forbidding the giving of public dances until further notice. It has been found that occasions of this kind are particularly favorable for the spread of the disease and while the authorities do not wish to fasten any irksome conditions onto the people they are determined to take all reasonable precautions.

No Closing Order Yet.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich, county physician and also member of the school board, states that he does not believe it advisable to close schools, churches or theatres at this time. Last year it was found in nearly every community that these restrictive measures did not help matters in the least and simply served to frighten the people. Particularly was the plan futile so far as the schools were concerned. Instead of being in a school room where they could be looked after and watched for symptoms by the public health nurse the youngsters were almost everywhere else and were in greater danger than if the order had never been issued.

In the Country Districts.

A liberal estimate places the number of cases in the city at this time as not in excess of 60. Dr. Froehlich has found quite a number suffering from the disease in the neighborhood of Goodridge and other doctors report several districts as infected, but not to an alarming extent. One noticeable feature is that those who escaped having the disease last year seem most prone to contract it now.

People are warned against getting excited over the situation. There is nothing in it to warrant their pursuing any except the usual trend of their affairs. Worry is one of the surest ways in which to bring on an attack. Keep clean and warm—and forget all about it—that is the advice of physicians.

Thus far the only protective measures taken are quarantining and reporting.

ANNUAL CREAMERY MEETING WILL BE HELD SATURDAY

The annual meeting and dinner of the Thief River Falls Creamery association will be held next Saturday. The dinner will be given at the Zion church at 12 o'clock and the meeting held at the commercial club immediately afterwards.

These dinners are one of the events of the year in Thief River Falls and there is always a large crowd of invited guests. The meeting is also generally well attended and it is probable that the interest will be even greater this year as the matter of erecting a new creamery building will come up for discussion.

Pool License Granted.

James Cosgrove has been granted permission to transfer his pool and billiard license from his present location to the Kiewel block on LaBree avenue, recently purchased by him. Shanahan & Sheedy were granted a license to operate a similar business in the building vacated by Mr. Cosgrove, although Councilmen Dahl and Brandon voted against it, stating that in their opinion there are enough enterprises of this kind in the city at present.

WHO HAS THEM?

The Times is in need of copies of the paper for January 1, 8 and 15, 1920, or previous dates. The fire on Sunday destroyed all the papers on hand and it is very necessary that a few copies be found, particularly for the three dates mentioned. If any of our readers have The Times for these dates in their possession we shall deem it a great accommodation if they are brought or sent to the temporary office in the Christo building, directly across the street from our former quarters.

THE PUBLISHERS.

COMMERCIAL CLUB'S ANNUAL FEBRUARY 12

IMPORTANT COMMITTEE REPORTS WILL BE SUBMITTED AT THAT TIME.

The first meeting of the commercial club will be held in connection with a noonday luncheon on Feb. 12. The lunch will be served by H. A. Brumund.

At this time the budget for the year will be presented and acted on by the club. The matter of location will also be settled definitely. The housing committee, composed of G. W. Connell, L. D. McAdams and Isaac Helseth, will submit their findings anent the proposition advanced by twin city architects whereby it is possible to build a five-room dwelling house, modern in every respect, for $2500. These architects worked out the plans for the commercial clubs of St. Paul and Minneapolis and are said to prove conclusively that building prices are not prohibitive, even with materials at their present high cost.

MUNICIPAL HEATING PLANT IS POSIBILITY

PROSPECTS ARE GOOD FOR A HOME COMPANY TAKING MATTER UP

Will the next major improvement to be recorded for Thief River Falls be a municipal heating plant? It is not at all unlikely.

The matter was brought up at the council meeting on Tuesday evening and very favorably considered. While the council members were unanimous in stating that in their opinion the city was at present undertakng about as much as can conveniently be handled, yet the idea had their approval and should any concern or corporation wish to engage in the enterprise there would certainly be nothing in the way of their securing a franchise.

There was even a hint of a company being formed, with local capital, to put the plan into execution. Certain it is that the matter is receiving serious consideraon from parties able to carry it out should they conclude that the prospects warrant the investment.

DECLAMATORY CONTEST AT HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY

Many of the high schools in this section of the state are expected to be represented tomorrow evening when a declamatory contest takes place at the Lincoln auditorium. There will be contestants from Warroad, Middle River, Newfolden, Strathcona and Red Lake Falls as well as from this city. The winner in this competition will go to Crookston to enter the Red River Valley tournament to be held during the crop show later in the month.

SANATORIUM VISITS ARE CURTAILED FOR PRESENT

Because of the threatening influenza situation it has been deemed advisable to issue new rules concerning visitors to the Tri-County Sanatorium. All visiting will be prohibited until further notice except in cases of emergency, according to orders issued yestrday by Dr. Milan. Relatives who may wish to visit the institution are requested to call the superintendent by telephone in order to discover whether or not their presence will be permitted.

TEST CAPACITY OF CITY WELL BY NEW PLAN

WILL USE COMPRESSED AIR IN DETERMINING AMOUNT OF WATER AVAILABLE.

ST. PAUL FIRM TO HAVE CHARGE OF EXPERIMENT—COST SMALL.

GIVES PROMISE OF FURNISHING SOLUTION TO MOST SERIOUS PROBLEM.

The engineering firm of Druar & Smith of St. Paul, has been given the contract of trying another plan for securing a sufficient supply of pure water for the citizens of Thief River Falls. The plan has the primary merit of costing but little with the posibility of final success greatly in its favor.

Mr. Druar personally appeared before the council on Tuesday evening to explain the workings of his plan. It is the application of compressed air in such manner as to continually force a flow of water from the well. Besides the suction of the air pump is sufficiently great to clear the bottom of any matter that might be detrimental to either the flow or quality of water secured as well as of sand and gravel. The pump forces the water directly into the reservoir and does away with additional apparatus of any kind so far as the well itself is concerned. The total cost of the experiment will be between $1200 and $1500.

Filteration Not Necessary.

For the purpose of the experiment a pump may be rented for about $10 per day, according to Mr. Druar, and if it is found that the result is not forthcoming this will end the expense. On the other hand if it should be proven that pure water in sufficient quantities can be secured by this means a permanent plant can be installed at a cost of from $4500 to $5000.

Sufficiency Indicated.

Mr. Druar said that from indications he believed that the well was capable of furnishing from 200 to 300 gallons of water per mnute, which is more than sufficient. If such should prove to be the case it would mean the saving of the vast sum required in order to put in a filteration plant and do away with the costly maintenance of such plant afterwards.

Citizens Approve Move.

The council requested the opinion of a number of the citizens present, and these without exception urged that the plan be given a trial. A contract was accordingly entered into at once and the engineering firm will have a pump on the way to the city in a very short time.

Wells secured by this process in other localities have given the best of satisfaction.

FILM FIRE CAUSES SMALL DAMAGE AT THE PRINCESS

A slight excitement was caused at the Princess theatre on Sunday evening when a film caught fire while being run through the projecting machine. The electric current was particularly strong that evening as the big fire earlier in the day had run the water supply very low and it was desired to fill the pressure tank as quickly as possible. The heat became too great and the film was set aflame.

The orchestra continued to play all through the excitement and Manager John Brumund succeeded in convincing the crowd that there was no danger. The booth in which the picture machines are located is fireproof and there was at no time any likelihood of the fire spreading.

It was found that the gas and heat was so great after the blaze had been extinguished that the show could not be continued and the people in the audience were given their tickets back. The accident will prove rather expensive even though no great damage resulted as the house will have to pay for the ruined film.

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TIMES PLANT IS TOTAL LOSS BY SUNDAY BLAZE

ONLY SUBSCRIPTION LISTS AND RECORDS ARE LEFT TO PUBLISHERS.

FINEST PRINTING EQUIPMENT IN NORTHWEST DESTROYED IN 90 MINUTES.

PAPER WILL CONTINUE TO APPEAR, ALTHO UNDER A SEVERE HANDICAP.

The Times today reaches its readers reduced in size, changed in appearance and very much below its usual standard from the standpoint of general news matter. The entire printing plant—the largest and finest in this section—is a heap of ruins in the basement of the Union block, destroyed by fire last Sunday forenoon.

The destruction could hardly be more complete. Not an item of equipment was saved. Every piece of machinery, even to the typewriters in the office, are gone. The Goss rotary newspaper press, recently installed, lies buried under tons of debris, the whole covered by a mountain of ice. The linotype machine is unrecognizable, the five job presses simply skeletons of charred and twisted steel.

Subscription List Saved.

One item—and that of the greatest importance—remains. This is The Times subscription list. Together with the books and records a copy of this list was kept in a fireproof vault in the basement of the building, and this escaped. Subscribers will therefore get their papers as usual, although they will find the addresses written on the margin instead of printed there as heretofore. The mailing galleys will at once be replaced and things be brought into some sort of order by next week.

Box Machinery Gone.

The costly machinery used in the manufacture of the Ibuson coin box, the property of The Times company stockholders, is gone, there being no possibility of any of it being salvaged in any degree. This special equipment was not only very costly, but at the present time its replacement is a matter of great difficulty. The manufacturers cannot promise delivery at any particular time and it is certain that this part of The Times' business receives a most serious setback. There were some 25,000 of these boxes in different stages of manufacture. The tax receipts for Roseau county had just received the finishing touches in The Times bindery and were to be shipped out the next morning. Not a trace of these valuable books remains and their destruction makes an absolute loss of $1,000. The shop was filled with other work of a commercial nature, representing a considerable outlay and this is a total loss. Arrangements have been made for taking care of all work of this kind and customers will receive their orders as quickly as it is possible to turn them out. Members of The Times job printing crew have been sent to Red Lake Falls where Messrs. Christie & Cutten of the Gazette have placed as much of their plant as may be necessary at the disposal of The Times owners. Similar offers of assistance were also receivel *from John P. Mattson of the Warren* Sheaf and others.

Issued at Tribune Office.

The newspaper is being issued from the office of The Tribune. Manager R. B. McWilliams of that paper offering the use of the equipment as soon as it became apparent that The Times was homeless. This entails a vast amount of inconvience upon The Tribune and the action of Mr. McWilliams is deeply appreciated. The saddling of two newspapers onto a plant originally intended for the production of one is not calculated to improve the quality of either to any great extent, but it is hoped that readers will realize the situation and make allowances accordingly.

Is Jonah Date.

It was six years ago to a day that another big fire occurred in Thief River Falls. On the 25th of January, 1914, which was Sunday, at 10:30 in the forenoon, fire destroyed the Evenson block on the corner of Main avenue and Third street, occupied then as now by the Loken Brothers store. The destruction in this last-mentioned case was also total.

Eight years ago on the same date the Hamry building burned to the ground, this being also a considerable fire for those days.

On the same date and about the same time of day in 1910 the German Lutheran church in this city burned to the ground.

In Temporary Quarters.

The Times, with two typewriters and the subscription books, is housed in the Christo building, directly across the street from the former location. This room was recently leased by Galloway & Hourigan of Bemidji and Cass Lake, who offered its use without hesitation when notified of the conditions. This concern will occupy the room in about six weeks with a new stock of millinery. By that itme it is hoped that a permanent location for the printing plant will have been found.

An Appreciation.

The management of The Times wishes to express its deep appreciation for the many kind offers of assistance extended by bretheren of the craft in different sections of the Northwest and particularly to the concern's patrons for their expressions of sympathy and good will. All seem to fully realize that for some time business will be conducted under a handicap and are willing to make allowance. Manager R. H. Ross will leave in a day or two for the cities to see about speeding up the shipment of an entirely new outfit, but conditions are such that it is impossible to make any definite promise as to when this will arrive. In the meantime the publishers are doing the best they can.

NONPARTISAN TALK DRAWS FAIR CROWD

MANY FARMERS BRAVE COLD TO BE PRESENT AT LEAGUE MEET.

An audience of between two and three hundred persons gathered at the Auditorium Monday afternoon, when speeches expounding the doctrines of the Nonpartisan league were delivered by Sturgeon O'Dell, a director of the new North Dakota state bank, and State Senator Magnus Johnson of Meeker county. A. E. Bowen had been advertised as a speaker on this occasion but due to illness was forced to cancel the date.

Mr. O'Dell was the first speaker on the program, and utilized his time in explaining the workings of some of the leading measures promulgated into law in North Dakota under Nonpartisan rule. He explained in detail the state bank, the state mill and elevator, and other parts of the "industrial program" of the Flickertail state. The speaker also paid tribute to those interests which continually attempt to discredit the Nonpartisan program for selfish reasons. At the close of his speech Mr. O'Dell answered a number of questions asked by members of the audience who desired more light on certain points.

Senator O. A. Naplin then introduced Senator Johnson, who spoke for more than an hour. Mr. Johnson has for many years been interested in Equity work and gave many interesting figures regarding terminal markets. He also is an active worker in the league and was elected to the senate under that banner. Senator Johnson put up a strong plea for cooperation among the farmers, citing the local creamery as an example of the success which can be gained thru a "stick together" policy. The speaker, during his remarks, took occasion to deliver a few respects to Langer, Hall and Kositsky, the North Dakota state officers whom he termed "traitors" to the farmers' movement.

The audience was composed almost entirely of farmers and the speakers were listened to with the closest interest throughout their addresses. Due to the unusually cold day the attendance no doubt was cut to a fraction of what it would have been under more favorable circumstances.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. was entertained at the home of Mrs. Anna Langseth last Tuesday afternoon. Mesdames O. H. Nelson and Anna Langseth acted as hostesses. Miss Lulu Saucer, school nurse, was present at the meeting and delivered a short address in which she advocated the need of a police matron in this city. A delicious lunch concluded the afternoon.

Death Claim Paid in Full.

The beneficiaries of the late Mrs. Carrie Hornseth, who died a short time ago, this week received from the Royal Neighbor lodge a check for $1,000, which was the amount of insurance carried in that order by deceased. Records of the lodge show the following facts concerning this claim: Duration of membership, 18 years, 10 months and nine days. Amount of benefit certificate, $1,000. Paid into benefit fund, $150.45. This is the sixth death among members of Dewey Camp No. 1025, since its organization, and the claims have all been paid promptly.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Co-Operative Creamery association will be held at the commercial club rooms on Saturday, Jan. 31, at 1:30 p. m. Dinner served at Zion church between 11 and 1 o'clock. Among other topics taken up will be the construction of a new creamery building and also amendment of Article IX of the constitution, relative to limit of indebtedness.

P. ENGELSTAD,
J22-29 Secretary.

A Correction.

It is necessary that a correction be made on the article published in the last issue of The Times concerning the Christmas tree festival at the Landwood school. The party who is responsible for that publication is deliberately telling a falsehood when they made the statement that those who had been instrumental in getting up the entertainment stayed and spent the remainder of the evening in dancing. After the closing of the program they departed each for their respective homes in time for supper. Whoever the prevaricators are they can easily be located.

Signed:
CONSTANCE XAKRE.
T. MORKEN.
CARL O. WAHLIN.

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Before March 1st

Come to the Bank Before March 1st and Arrange for that Land Deal

March 1st is the great settlement day for all real estate payments, and this year more business is promised for that date than ever before.

It will be impossible to take care of all this business in a single day. So we suggest that you come in NOW and close the deal up.

If you need to borrow money on your land, we have plenty of time now to give you the best possible service.

First and Peoples State Bank
Capital and Surplus $90,000.00

If It's GOOD Furniture You Want WE HAVE IT!

There is nothing in this line we cannot supply. Our large stock will meet any ordinary demand, while our unexcelled connections make it possible for us to supply even the most unusual order on short notice.

Our Stove Department

Do not fail to inspect our stock and get our prices before buying a stove. We have them for all purposes and at all prices. Our own and the manufacturer's guarantee go with every purchase.

Carpets and Rugs

Our line of Carpets, Rugs, Oil Cloths and Linoleums is the finest in this section. An inspection will prove this statement. Prices on these goods are steadily advancing and if you contemplate buying in the near future you can't do better than to act at once.

Come in Today

You may not be ready to make your purchases yet, but you are welcome to make an inspection. We shall be pleased to have you do so.

Larson Furniture Company

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of Thief River Falls

Capital and Surplus, and undivided profit over 100,000 dollars

This strong progressive bank, conducted along conservative and modern lines, offers every facility consistent with sound, prudent banking for the satisfacory handling of your business

GIVE US A CALL

Resources Over One Million Dollars

We Are Now Equipped to Do All All Kinds of Repair Work

Bring in your car and have it overhauled now. Our expert workmen will put it in good condition, and our prices are right. Our painting department can make your car look like new. Come in and talk it over with us.

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PERSONALS

T. Ryerson, who spent Sunday with his parents at Holt, returned to this city Tuesday morning.

Misses Clara and Amanda Vraa left on Tuesday for points in Montana, where they will seek employment.

Lyceum Theatre

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

A BIG PRODUCTION

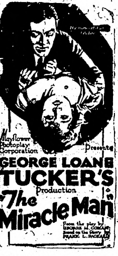

The whole of life illuminated. The flesh, the blood, the soul of living men and women-sinning, struggling, loving.

The week of the underworld, the lure of the sea, the breath of the fields in summer. Fussed, with a thousand smiles and tears, into a great dramatic entertainment that will live forever in your heart. Come.

Added attraction—Christy Comedy.

Six-piece Orchestra.

Matinee. 2:30 Eve: 7:30 and 9:10
20 and 35c 25c and 50c

Axel Lofgren, who spent Sunday at Karlstad, left this city on Monday morning for Middle River.

Miss Belle Hermanson is confined to her home with influenza. At the present writing she is improving.

G. McClure left on Saturday morning for Port Arthur, Can., after a brief visit with friends in this city.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich left on Monday morning for Greenbush, returning to this city the following afternoon.

Mrs. Thera Snyder of the clerical force of the Sapero company is unable to be at work this week because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Munson and child, who visited in this city for a brief period departed on Monday morning for their home at Holt.

Miss Ruth Brown, who spent two weeks visiting with friends and relatives in the cities, returned to this city on Tuesday morning.

Misses Esther and Agnes Landro departed on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where they will visit with relatives for a short time.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and two children left on Monday afternoon for the former's home at Grand Forks, where they will remain until Dr. Fisher is able to obtain living quarters.

Mrs. S. S. Mattson, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. G. Martz of St. Hilaire, were shoppers and visitors in this city on Friday, coming here in the morning and returning to St. Hilaire on the afternoon train.

Misses Agnes Stenquist, Freida Bohn of Drayton, N. D., and Effie Frederickson of St. Hilaire, spent the week visiting with Miss Myrtle Sathre, who resides near this city. They will leave for Drayton on Saturday.

Lars Engelstad who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis arrived in this city from Crookston on Monday morning and will remain here until he is strong enough to take up his studies at the agricultural school.

Misses Mollie Hermanson and Edna O'Brien and Messrs. Henry Stengelson and James Healy, accompanied by Miss E. Evans, principal of the Lincoln high school, left on Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to take part in a debate.

Misses Johanna and Gustie Behn left on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls, where they visited at their parental home over Sunday, returning to this city on Monday morning to resume their duties at the school of dressmaking in this city.

William Stone of Crookston, was a business caller in this city on Friday.

George Baker returned to his home at Steiner on Saturday morning, after a short visit in this city.

Miss Esther Kelberg, who teaches school at Viking, spent the week-end visiting with friends and relatives here.

E. E. Peschle left on Saturday morning for Holt to attend to business matters, returning here in the afternoon.

Miss Esther Warner returned to her home at Holt on Saturday morning after a brief visit with relatives in this city.

John Steen, who has been employed at Enderlin, N. D., arrived in this city on Saturday evening to visit with friends.

Mrs. Clare Shay of Bemidji, who has been visiting at the home of Miss Gustie Johnson, returned to her home on Monday morning.

Miss Eleanor Miller, who is employed in a bank at Fordville, N. D., spent Sunday visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. Miller.

Miss Una Nelson, accompanied by her mother, left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis, where the former will receive medical treatment.

Miss Alice Thompson, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Hazel, spent the week-end visiting at her home in this city.

Mrs. H. Simonson of Goodridge, left this city on Friday morning for Steiner, to visit at the home of her son, A. Simonson for a brief period.

Rev. Ordahl of Holt, who had attended a ministerial conference in Moorhead, visited here the latter part of last week at the home of Rev. I. T. Aastad.

Mrs. Albert Somrud and children, who have been visiting at the John Morgan home in this city, returned to their home at Minneapolis, on Friday evening.

Mrs. J. Rosendahl, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl in this city, left on Saturday evening for her home at Minneapolis.

Miss Marie Timm of Eglund, N. D., who visited in this city for a brief period departed on Saturday evening for Newfolden, where she will be a guest of a sister.

Miss Lucille Brooks, who is employed here left on Saturday evening for her home at Plummer, where she spent Sunday, returning to this city on Monday morning.

Miss Lila Avery of Newfolden, who had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Lida Anderson in this city, left on Friday morning for Duluth, where she will visit for a while.

Misses Ruth and Myrtle Oftlie, who had been visited at the home of their parents in this city for a month left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where they will resume their work.

Miss Jensine Ustrand, who visited at the G. Storhaug home in this city the first of the week, returned to her home at Holt on Thursday morning. She was accompanied by her father, J. Ustrand.

Miss Anna Holden, who spent a month visiting at the home of her parents in this city, left on Saturday evening for St. Paul to be employed as trimmer in one of the millinery stores.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Misch and children left on Saturday evening for Rochester, where Mrs. Misch will receive medical attention. From that point they will leave for Chicago, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Ray Lindquist who had spent a period of three weeks visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Maren Loken, in this city, left on Thursday evening for her home in Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Lindquist recently removed to that place from Mason City, Ia.

Mrs. J. Sill of Warren, arrived on Thursday evening and visited between trains enroute to St. Paul, where she will receive medical attention. She was accompanied by Mesdames H. A. Swanby and N. Hagen of Fosston, who also visited with friends.

Elias Rolland left on Saturday evening for Madison, Wis., where he was called because of the illness of his brother, Marius, with pneumonia.

H. B. Jensen returned to his home in Minneapolis on Saturday evening after a brief visit in this city at the Finberg home.

Miss Harriet Mitchell, pianist for the Thief River Music company, left on Friday afternoon for Minot, N. D., where she was engaged to play for a home talent minstrel show which is being given under the auspices of the chamber of commerce in that city. She expects to return to this city in ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Peterson of Gerske, N. D., who have been visiting at the A. Ornamoe home in this city, made their departure on Thursday evening for New York, from which point they will sail for their home in Norway, where they will reside. They have resided in this country only a few years.

H. Crown of Wylie, arrived on Friday and visited over Sunday with friends and relatives.

Shefford Johnson, employed at the City Bakery, left on Thursday morning for Roseau to attend to business affairs.

Miss Edna Anderson of Black River, passed Thursday in this city enroute to St. Paul, where she will be the guest of relatives.

G. C. Orme, accompanied by his mother, left on Thursday evening for Palm Beach, Fla., via New York and other large eastern cities, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Joe Baugh of Warren was in this city on Friday attending to business matters.

Ray Pope has been laid up with inflamatory rheumatism for the past two weeks.

Carl Lindquist came up from St. Hilaire on Thursday and visited over Sunday with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Ramstad left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis, where they will spend a week visiting with friends.

Miss Ellen Nelson of Plummer, attended to business matters here on Thursday, returning to her home on the flyer in the evening.

Maurice Swanson left on Friday evening for Shakopee, where he will receive treatment for rheumatism.

Doris Provencher arrived here on Thursday evening from Minneapolis, to spend a few days as the guest of his father, Julien Provencher.

Mr. S. Nelson and Miss Amanda Bakken, both of Milton, N. D., arrived here on Thursday evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klungness.

Miss Zella Zeh left on Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to attend the Junior Prom held there that evening. She returned to this city on Monday morning.

Boys and Girls

We are just organizing our Second Annual Boys' and Girls' Sheep Club and want to make it the largest and best in the State.

Do you remember the good time that our boys and girls had last year, as well as many prizes and the free trip that the winners received.

Talk the matter over with your parents, and then either come in and see us or write us a letter stating that you are interested in joining our Sheep Club. You will receive full information at once.

We are offering $50.00 in prizes, besides the free trip to the jr. Live Stock Show paid by the State.

Citizens State Bank

Two Exceptional Values

Below are listed two numbers on which we are making an exceptional offer this week. Either is adapted for wear at this time of year and cannot be duplicated anywhere at the prices here quoted:

A very attractive style for now. We illustrate style No. 8882, a brown lustre kid boot with 14-8 Colonial heel, welt sole and Ostend toe with tip. This is one of the new fast-selling numbers and is very attractively priced at - **$11.00**

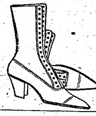

A 9-inch black kid lace boot with 18-8 Century heel with plate: flexible sole, vanity toe, imt. tip. An advance spring style with exquisite lines. Price - - **$10.00**

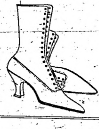

Loken Brothers Shoe Department

It Is None Too Early to Consider Building

It is our absolute conviction that the man who buys his building material at this time will be saving money. Just before each advance of late we have issued a similar warning, and those who took heed have profited.

Materials Are Again Going Up

There is no way in which this can be avoided. The signs cannot fail. Just when any downward trend may be expected it is impossible to foretell. It will not be for some time, however. Certainly not when the added demand of the spring months hits us. Therefore, if you have any building to do next summer, order your supplies now.

We Can Help You in Many Ways

In this office there are always on hand plans for buildings of all kinds, the line for barns being particularly complete. We shall be pleased to go over these with you and give you an estimate of the cost at the present time. This is worth considering. Act today.

Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

An Independent Legal Weekly Newspaper Published Every Thursday at Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Times Prtg. and Mfg. Co., Publishers
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The Times takes this opportunity of thanking all those who have been of assistance in getting things going again after the fire. Nothing could be more completely destroyed than was the printing plant of this paper on Sunday. With the exception of a few back files, the books and subscription list nothing remains in the way of tangible property. The paper still has, however, something that is of greater value than all that is lost. The expressions of sympathy, offers of assistance and the spirit of general friendly helpfulness evinced on every hand prove that The Times occupies a large place in the affairs of the city and a warm corner in the hearts of its people. Printing material can be secured, everything burnd can be rplaced, but this attitude of genuine concern and unselfish co-operation could not be regained were they one lost. The Times publishers deem themselves fortunate in many respects, even though their financial loss is great, in the quality and number of their friends and the evident regard in which their newspaper is held.

The fire of last Sunday proved conclusively that there are a number of things that might be attended to without in any manner affecting adversely the standing of the city. For one thing the water pressure should never be permitted to get so low again, particularly in winter. If there are parts to replace this matter should be attended to before the dangerous season for fires approaches. There should be smoke helmets of the most approved design on the hose truck at all times. Had these appliances been at hand it is probable that the loss last Sunday would have been very slight. It is too late now to raise a distrubance about these things so far as what has past is concerned, but it is certain that many things should be done for the protection of property in the future.

Clearwater county believes in getting into the game early. Already a movement has been started for the purpose of booming L. Jensen of Clearbrook for a seat in the legislature. As there are two members to be elected from the Sixty-fifth district, comprising Pennington, Red Lake and Clearwater counties, Mr. Jensen's chances should be as good as another man's, providing he can get the support of his home county. Red Lake will probably insist on naming one of the candidates as Pennington county is the home of the senator, who holds over.

FIRE CAUSES $150,000 LOSS HERE SUNDAY

(Cintinued from page 1.)

among the heaviest losers. Drs. Kolberg & Eastman also were hit hard, their quarters being in the front of the building where the smoke and fire made the work of salvaging impossible.

Oen Store in Danger.

For some time the large building of the Oen Mercantile company just across the alley from the Union block, was in grave danger and only heroic work on the part of citizens prevented its sharing the fate of its neighbor. As it was considerable damage was done both to the structure and stock.

The new harness and shoe store of Carl Froseth, adjoining the Oen building on the south, was damaged to a considerable extent and for a while it looked as if it were doomed. The flames shot into the store room but timely attention on the part of the department prevented any great damage.

The Evelyn hotel, owned by Julien Provencher, a short distance to the east of the burned building, was in the same fix. The windows on the west side were nearly all broken, sash blistered and other minor damage done. A small wooden structure between the hotel and the Union block was gutted completely.

Help Was Ready.

At one time during the fire it looked very much as if it was getting away from the firemen and John Bratrud sent a request to Mayor F. A. Grady at Crookston asking if that city could furnish assistance. Mayor Grady replied that he had a flatcar on the Great Northern tracks containing an engine and 1500 feet of hose which would be held subject to the orders of the Thief River Falls executives. It latter became evident that the extra equipment would not be needed and Crookston was so informed. The prompt response was deply appreciated, however.

A List of the Losses.

Outside the owners of the building the heaviest loser is The Times company. Ebert & Hagen, proprietors of the Thief River Music company, also suffered a considerable loss as did Misses Gusta and Irma Johnson. Following is a list of the losses, together with the insurance in each case:

Thief River Building company, building—Loss $60,000, insurance $24,000.

Times Printing and Manufacturing company, printing plant and box factory—Loss $60,000, insurance $38,500.

Thief River Music company—Loss $9,000, insurance $6,000.

Oen Mercantile company, loss on building $3,000, stock $4,000. Covered by insurance.

Dr. L. F. Fisher—loss $3,000, insurance $1,200.

Carl Froseth—loss $2,500, covered by insurance.

Kollberg & Eastman—loss $3,000, insurance $400.

Frank S. Ebert, household goods, loss $500.

Gusta Johnson HfoB.F. SHBUNN

Gusta and Irma Johnson—loss $1,000, insurance $800.

C. A. Barth—loss $1,500, insurance $500.

W. H. Akre—loss $2,000, insurance $1,000.

F. A. McKnight—loss $1,700, insurance $1,200.

Julien Provencher—loss $1,000, covered by insurance.

George Christo—loss $200, covered by insurance.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney, another tenant of the second floor, managed to get practically all her belongings to a point of safety, even the piano being taken down the rear stairs without damage.

TO OUR PATRONS.

We have made arrangements for the continued handling of job and commercial printing of all kinds and orders entrusted to us will receive the usual prompt and careful attention. The work will be turned out by our own men in one of the best equipped plants in this section and delivery when promised is guaranteed.

TIMES PRINTING & MFG. CO.

The Boys Were There.
(Baudette Region.)

Those Thief River Elks can come back any time they want to and stay as long as they like.

It was a grand and glorious night. We refer to last Saturday.

The 57 Baby Elks who were initiated Saturday are finding that time is a great healer.

PROMOTIONS FOR BANK EMPLOYES

Mr. R. A. Harold, who held a State Bank, Hannah, N. D., has been appointed cashier. The First National Bank, Portland, has promoted their bookkeeper, L. E. Massey, to assistant cashier. Both men graduated from Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. minor position with the Citizens

Exceptional training helps D. B. C. pupils to rise so rapidly in banks and other positions of trust. They are employed by every Fargo bank and all wholesale houses but one.

"Follow the $ucce$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for information.—adv.

Miracle Man, Lyceum, commencing Sunday. j29

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Now prepared to deliver ice to any part of the city in large or small quantities.

"SERVICE"

is the motto of this new concern. Leave your orders with us for immediate delivery or arrange for your future needs.

The Big Four Ice Company
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$1 A DAY Till Paid For Gets You a FORD-IF ORDERED NOW

Buy Now--Save While The Snow Flies--Start Paying When You Start Driving Next Spring

No upkeep costs till you are ready to drive===no delivery delays WHEN you are ready to drive.

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Sapero's
Announce the Arrival of
New Spring Dresses
From Several New York Makers
Taffetas, Satins and Tricolettes
Your Inspection is Invited
THE SAPERO COMPANY

Comparative Statement
of the Creamery for the Past Eight Years

1912, $40,000
1913, $50,000
1914, $90,000
1915, $120,000
1916, $124,000
1917, $159,360
1918, $226,046
1919, $319,701

The Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

PERSONALS

J. F. Gillouley left Tuesday afternoon for his home at Fergus Falls.

A. P. Nelson of Gatzke, was a business visitor in this city the first of the week.

Rev. R. L. Barackman leaves this evening for Virginia, Hibbing and Coleraine on business.

A. E. Sharp left on Wednesday evening for St. Paul, where he will be the guest of his son, P. W. Sharp.

Elling Wagedahl came down from Holt on Wednesday to attend to business affairs and also to visit with friends.

Tudy Brink arrived here this morning from St. Hilaire and will spend a few days visiting at the home of his brother, Mauritz Brink.

Mrs. H. Lerom arrived on Tuesday evening from Warren, where she had been visiting and departed on Wednesday for her home at Strathcona.

Miss Ida Legvold, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Hazel, spent the week-end in this city visiting at the home of her parents.

Rev. R. L. Barackman returned to this city on Tuesday morning from Minneapolis, where he visited with his son, Rufus, and also transacted business.

Mrs. Agnes Warring, who spent a day visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Olson, returned to her home at Steiner on Wednesday morning.

Misses Virginia Will, Louise Erickson and Esther Motz arrived Wednesday morning from Moorhead, where they are attending the normal school and will remain in this city until the lifting of the flu ban which closed the schools there.

Miss Martha Klungness, who is employed in this city, spent Sunday with her parents at Steiner.

H. O. Mugridge of Grand Forks visited in this city on Saturday enroute to Minneapolis on business.

Miss Ruth Hadrath left this city on Sunday evening for Red Wing, where she will take up the study of music.

I. L. Stitt left on Friday evening for Detroit, Mich., being called there because of the serious illness of his mother.

Miss Ruth Sandstrom returned on Thursday morning from Minneapolis, where she visited for a period of a week.

Miss Grace Russell visied in this city the latter part of last week, returning to her home at Steiner on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nason returned on Saturday from Minneapolis, where they made a brief visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Barzen returned to this city the first of the week from Barnesville, where they had been visiting with friends.

H. Hersch left for Hallock on Friday to attend to business affairs in the interest of the Holt and George Plumbing company.

H. G. Gustafson spent Saturday at Middle River attending to business affairs going there in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

Miss V. Gullingsrud returned to her home at Plummer on Thursday evening, after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gullingsrud.

*Miss Constance Klungness, who at*tends the local high school, left on Friday morning for her home at Steiner, where she spent Sunday.

C. Eichhammer returned to his home at East Grand Forks, on Wednesday afternoon, after a short visit with his sister, Miss Margaret, in this cty.

Miss Josephine Phillipson of the clerical force of Oen's department store left on Wednesday afternoon for Middle River, where she made a brief visit with her parents.

Mrs. C. B. Bradley and two children left on Saturday morning for Middle River, and spent Sunday visiting at the home of the former's parents. They returned to this city on Monday morning.

Don't miss The Miracle Man at the Lyceum three days, commencing Sunday. j20

D. E. Kenyon left on Tuesday evening for Clear Lake, Ia., on a business trip.

James Farr left on Monday afternoon for Crookston, where he will be employed.

Arthur Alnes arrved the latter part of last week from Chicago and will remain for some time.

E. L. Rolland left the first of the week for Madison, Wis., having been notified of the serious illness of a brother.

Mrs. John Hoffman returned to her home at Holt on Thursday morning after attending to business matters in this city.

Ole Granum returned to his home at St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon having spent Sunday visiting with relatives in this city.

Councilman O. L. Ihle has been under the weather with the grippe for the past ten days but is again attending to his duties.

Miss Edna Holden, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Alex Strom, returned to her home in Holt on Friday morning.

Mrs. Olaf Ramstad returned to ths city on Tuesday evening from Minneapolis, where she visted for a week wth frends and relatves.

Miss Ruth Gigstad of St. Hilaire, visited and attended to some shopping in ths city on Monday. She returned to her home in the afternoon.

Don't fail to see the most wonderful *production of the age*, "The Miracle Man." Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at the Lyceum. j20

Mrs. Anderson Wangenstein returned to this city the latter part of last week, after a week's visit with friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

Misses Bessie and Christine Lundberg, who spent a week visiting with frends and relatves at Fargo, returned to ths city on Wednesday morning.

Miss Elizabeth Harder of St. Hilaire, arrived in this city Friday morning to atend to some shopping, returning to her home in the afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Anderson, who has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Jacobson in this city, returned to her home at Litchville, N. D., on Monday.

Miss Lena Evenson, who spent a period of two weeks visiting with friends and relatives in Minneapolis, returned to her home in this city on Tuesday evenng.

The Miracle Man is considered by all critics the most wonderful production ever shown on the screen. Lyceum three days commencing Sunday. j29

W. H. Frederick returned last Friday from a sojourn of three weeks in the north woods. He was in the country north of the Red Lakes where he put in the time cutting roads and building houses.

SOCIETY

Ladies Aid.

The ladies aid of the Presbyterian church will be entertained by Mrs. Scott Laird at her home on Main avenue, on Friday afternoon, Jan. 30.

Leap Year Dance.

A number of young ladies of the city entertained at a leap year dance in the Masonic hall last evening. About fifty couples were present to enjoy the dance.

Community Girls Club.

The regular meeting of the Community Girls club will be held in the commercial club rooms on next Monday evening. The J's, K's and L's will serve.

Miss Wilson Entertained.

Miss Agnes Wilson acted as hostess at a lingerie shower in honor of Miss Irma Johnson, at her home on Markley avenue, Wednesday evening. The girls brought their busy work and were served with a delicious lunch before reparting for their various homes.

Presbyterian Choir Entertained.

The members of the Presbyterian choir were entertaind after choir practice on last Friday evening by their director, Mrs. H. E. Edberg. Progressive Buncho formed the chief entertainment. Prizes were awarded to C. Granning and Morris Mabey. At midnight a delicious lunch was served.

PLEASE USE JUDGMENT

During the present prevalence of the flu people should remember that the doctors in the city are very busy and govern themselves accordingly. If it appears as if the services of a medical man would be needed, do not wait until the last minute and then expect him to show up on a moment's notice. Call for him as soon as the symptoms manifest themselves instead of waiting until you are down and out. This may save you from a serious seige and will enable the doctor better to handle your case. J28

SPELLING MATCH AT CROPS EXHIBITION

PENNINGTON COUNTY WILL PROBABLY BE REPRESENTED AT CONTEST.

The seventh annual Red River Valley rural school spelling contest will be held at Crookston on Friday Feb. 13, as a part of the exercises of Northwest School Farmers' Week. J. P. Bengtson of the Northwest School of Agriculture is in charge of the contest this year. He reports that there will be two representatives in the final contest from each of the following counties: Becker, Clay, Clearwater, Kittson, Mahnomen, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake and Roseau.

The winter shows management offers $85.00 in prizes and expenses to these contestants annually. The final oral contest will take place at 4:30 in the Armory. This event is looked forward to by hundreds of the young people attending the rural schools in the Red River Valley counties.

Another interesting educational event which takes place during the annual Northwest Farmers' Week meetings and Red River Valley Winter Show is the students' stock judging competitions. This year there will be a contest of students from the three University Schools of Agriculture at St. Paul, Morris and Crookston; of members of farmers' clubs from Red River Valley counties; of high and consolidated school agricultural departments, and of the freshman, junior and senior classes of the Northwest School of Agriculture. The corn and potato contest will be also resumed this year.

Mayor Appointments.

Mayor Bratrud has appointed Andy Smith night patrolman and recommended that a five dollar raise be given both the new man and Chief of Police Erickson. This was approved by the council.

The council lso confirmed the appointment of Dr. Jacob Biederman as city health officer.

The Minnesota State Board of Health recommends that all milk sold shall be bottled and not sold inany other kind of containers. This is as a protective measure as many homes don't have proper facilities for sterilizing pails and other containers used for milk. The State Board of Health says that pure, clean, wholesome milk is of the utmost importance for keeping the babies healthy and strong.

Therefore we want to comply with their request, and after Feb. 1st, all milk sold by us will be bottled and sold in sterilized bottles only.

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Board of Heath Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all public dances are prohibited in the city of Thief River Falls until further notice as well as of what is still necessure to help in checking the spread of influenza.

BOARD OF HEALTH
J. BEIDERMAN, M. D.
CARL FROSETH
NDREW NESS
1-29-15

OBITUARY

A. J. Gustafson.

A. J. Gustafson died in this city on January 22, at the age of 75 years. The deceased was born in Sweden on Sept. 7, 1844, having been a residnt of this country for the past 61 years. The remains were shipped to Strathcona where interment took place on Jan. 27. A daughter, Miss Freda Gustafson and son, J. Gustafson, were at his bedside at the time of his death.

Mrs. Cecil Hanson.

On Jan. 26 occurred the death of Mrs. Cecil Hanson from influenza at the age of 52 years. The deceased was ill only a short while. She was born in the state of Missouri on Jan. 8, 1868. Tho the past four years Mrs. Hanson had been engaged in the restaurant business in this city. Funeral services were held in the undertaking rooms on Wednesday morning. Rev. Barackman conducted the services. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. N. O. Nora.

Mrs. N. O. Nora passed away at her home in Norden township on Jan. 25 at the age of 57 years, death ensuing after a brief illness from influenza. The deceased was born in Norway on Dec. 18, 1863. She immigrated to this country 31 years ago having resided in this immediate vicinity for the past 27 years. She was buried in Norden township on Jan. 27. Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church in this city, conducted the funeral services.

Mrs. J. A. Russell.

Mrs. J. A. Russell passed away at the physicians hospital on Jan. 24, death being caused by pneumonia following childbirth. She was born in the state of Michigan in 1878, making her age 42 years. At the time of her death she was residing in Excel township. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Smith of the M. E. church, from the undertaking rooms on Jan. 26. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery. Her husband and five children survive. The latter are, Irwin, of this city; Grace, Gladys, Kenneth and the baby girl.

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85 bred sows and gilts bred to Champion boars. This sale includes the prize winners at the North and South Dakota State Fairs.

CHESTER WHITE SWINE—TUESDAY, FEB. 10
40 head of the best Chester White sows and gilts in the Valley go into this sale. Every sow bought will be a good buy.

POLAND CHINA SWINE—TUESDAY, FEB. 10
A choice selection of 25 outstanding Poland Chinas will be offered.

SHROPSHIRE SHEEP—THURSDAY, FEB. 12
A limited number of bred ewes will be sold on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

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SECRETARY W. V. GOUSSEFF, R. R. 5,
Crookston, Minnesota.

I Am "Granny" Chamberlain

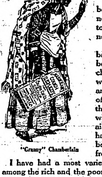

"Granny" Chamberlain

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Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis have I warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

In Appreciation

We wish to extend our thanks to the Fire Department and all citizens who worked so hard in helping protect our building in the fire Sunday.

But for the assistance rendered we feel that our loss would have been much greater.

We thank each and everyone for their help at this time.

Sincerely,

Oen Mercantile Company

CLUB ENDORSES BUDGET PLAN; RETAINS ROOMS

MATTER OF MOVING WILL AT LEAST BE FURTHER CONSIDERED.

STANTON REELECTED PRESIDENT IN SPITE OF HIS OBJECTIONS.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO ACT WITH CITY COUNCIL ON IMPORTANT MATTERS.

The finances of the Thief River Falls Commercial club are in very good condition at the present time and it is the intention of the members that this highly desirable condition shall continue. In order to make certain of this the members decided at the annual meeting last Thursday evening that the budget system of financing should be hereafter employed.

President E. M. Stanton said that the club was now out of debt but that inasmuch as the annual expenses were $1600 as compared with a probable income of $1400 he was very much afraid that this state of affairs would not long continue. Secretary G. Howard Smith called attention to the fact that most successful clubs are now employing this system and stated his belief that it offered the only solution to the financial problems of the organization. Later in the evening the plan was adopted by a unanimous vote.

No New Quarters Yet.

The club will retain its present quarters, at least until such time as the members have had an opportunity to find out whether or not a change is advisable. President Stanton stated that a room which he considered suitable could be secured rent free in the auditorium and fixed up to meet the requirements at a very slight expense. There was a difference of opinion concerning this and the matter was laid over until the next regular meeting.

Officers Are Elected.

When it came time for the election of officers the candidates were mostly conspicuous by their absence. Mr. Stanton stated that he would not again serve as head of the organization and a number of others were placed in nomination. One after the other refused and an elimination contest was suggested. This resulted in the nomination only of those who had previously declined and did not help matters. Finally Mr. Stanton gave in and was unanimously elected.

The other officers chosen are: F. H. Herrick, first vice president; Dan Shaw, second vice president; L. A. Lampert, treasurer. As directors were elected the following: C. L. Hansen, Mayor John Bratrud, W. B. Fuller, W. A. Boreen and Peter Engelstad. These, together with the officers named above, will select a secretary at the February meeting.

A Civic Committee.

Because of the large amount of public work to be undertaken during the coming season it was thought best to apoint an advisory committee to act with the city council in making such investigations as may from time to time be deemed advisable for the general good of the community. Any activity along this line will particularly apply to paving, water mains, electric lighting and other matters in which the people are vitally interested. As members of this committee were named, C. L. Hansen, R. McGinn and Carl B. Larson. The general impression is that the council will welcome any aid that this committee may be able to volunteer.

Was Good Meeting.

Those present were put in good humor by a fine turkey supper served by Julien Provencher of the Hotel Evelyn. It was an excellent meal, well served and plentiful.

The meeting was not as well attended as the business in hand warranted, but those present took a deep interest in the proceedings. The sentiment that the club should not be permitted to drift into a state of inactivity was unanimous and the hope generally expressed that the coming season would prove one of progress and helpfulness.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR WILL AID INCOME TAX PAYERS

In order to assist the people of Pennington county in the making out of their income tax returns a deputy will be sent from the office of E. J. Lynch, internal revenue collector, St. Paul. This deputy will be at the commercial club rooms on February 5 to 10 inclusive and any and all persons who have any doubt as to the manner in which the returns should be made out are at liberty to consult him. In case the same plan is followed as last year, one of the days alloted to the county will be spent in St. Hilaire.

The penalty for avoiding the payment of this tax is severe and no one should miss finding out whether or not he comes under its provisions. A married man is exempt $2,000 and a single person $1,000.

TRINITY CHURCH ELECTS TRUSTEES AND OFFICERS

At a meeting of the congregation of Trinity Lutheran church held last Friday evening, the following were reelected to the position of trustees: Olaf Tessum, Carl B. Larson and H. S. Dahlen. Lars Backe was again selected for the post of secretary and H. S. Dahlen to that of treasurer. Other positions were filled as follows: Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud; ushers, O. D. Ostby, A. J. Andersen, J. O. Sathre and John Gullingsrud.

The matter of a new church building was discussed and the trustees asked to look into the matter of available sites and report at an early meeting.

THE CHURCHES

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Feb. 1, morning and evening worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The pastor will speak. Mrs. H. E. Edberg, pianist and choir director. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Miss Hamry Supt. Everyone present. Everyone on time. Juniors at 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. Bible study John 3.

Bible Lecture at Odd Fellows Hall.—Service in the Scandinavian language on Sunday evening, Feb. 1, at 8 o'clock. Subject: "A Divine Solution to the Human Problem." All are cordially invited.—O. J. Dahl.

The Royal Neighbors met in the Odd Fellows hall last Thursday evening when fifteen new members were initiated. Lunch was served after which the guests were entertained at an old time dance.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church—O. J. Lundell, Pastor, Sunday, Feb. 1st: Sunday school at 10 a. m., and morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. The Ladies Aid will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 4th at the home of Mrs. O. J. Lundell, 389 Kendall Ave. N.

The First Sw. Ev. Luth Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services Sunday. No Sunday school. The Willing Workers society will be entertained by the Malberg family in the church basement Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Misses G. Peterson and Tarjar Segum left on Wednesday afternoon for Fargo, where they will be employed.

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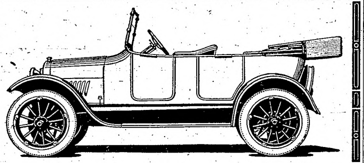

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CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION Of The NORTHERN WOODWORK COMPANY

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the provision of Chapter Fifty-eight (58) of the General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, and any amendments thereof, do hereby associate ourselves as a body corporate, and do hereby adopt the following Certificate of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 1. The name of this corporation shall be Northern Woodwork Company.

Sec. 2. The general nature of its business shall be the manufacturing of furniture, fixtures, building material and all manner of articles, partly or wholly of wood; the buying, owning, selling, mortgaging and leasing of property, real, personal and mixed, which may be necessary in connection with said manufacturing business, and to do each and everything necessary, suitable or proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any one or more of the objects herein enumerated, or which shall at any time appear conducive to or expedient for the protection or benefit of the corporation.

Sec. 3. The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The time for the commencement of this corporation shall be January 15, 1920, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

ARTICLE III.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are: Ole Revdahl of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Nels G. Olson of Thief River Falls, Minn.; E. J. Rustad of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Andrew Stene of Thief River Falls, Minn.; Haakan M. Grindahl of Thief River Falls, Minn.; and Elling O. Iverson of Thief River Falls, Minn.

ARTICLE IV.

Sec. 1. The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Directors, composed of not less than three and nor more than six members. The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are: Ole R. Revdahl, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Nels G. Olson, Thief River Falls, Minn.; E. J. Rustad, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Andrew Stene, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Haakan M. Grindahl, Thief River Falls, Minn.; and Elling O. Iverson, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sec. 2. The first officers of this corporation shall be: President, Elling O. Iverson; Vice President, Ole R. Revdahl; Secretary-Treasurer, E. J. Rustad. All the above named officers and directors shall hold their respective offices aforesaid until the next annual meeting of the corporation to be held on the second Tuesday in January, 1921, at which time and annually thereafter, a Board of Directors shall be elected from and by the stockholders of this corporation. The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the second Tuesday in January in each year. Immediately after the election of directors, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the directors shall meet and elect from their number a president, and a vice president; and from their number or from the stockholders, a secretary and a treasurer. Any office except that of president and vice president may be held by one person. The directors and officers of this corporation shall hold their respective offices until their successors have been duly elected and entered upon the discharge of thier duties. The first meeting of the stockholders and of the Board of Directors shall be held at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 2nd day of February, 1920, at 10 A. M.

ARTICLE V.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00), which shall be paid in, in money or property, or both, in such manner, at such times, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order. The capital stock shall be divided into Two Hundred (200) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00, each.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be subject shall be the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00).

In Testimony Whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this 10th day of January, 1920.

OLE R. REVDAHL.
NELS G. OLSON.
E. J. RUSTAD.
ANDREW STENE.
HAAKAN M. GRINDAHL.
ELLING O. IVERSON.

In the presence of
O. A. NAPLIN.
HANS RUSTAD.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 10th day of January, 1920, personally appeared before me Ole R. Revdahl, Nels G. Olson, E. J. Rustad, Andrew Stene, Haakan M. Grindahl and Elling O. Iverson, to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Senator 63th District, Minnesota.
My term expires January 1, 1924.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 225.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of Sate.

Office of the Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within Instrument was filed in this office for record on the 14th day of Jan. A. D. 1920, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of Miscel., on page 592.

N. J. ANDERSON,
j22-29 Register of Deeds.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months, and For Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Hege Jore.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hege Jore, Decedent.

Letters this day having been granted to William B. Torgerson, and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 16th day of April, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, Minn., in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a legal newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated January 9, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney.
j15-22-29

Notice For Bids.

To rent for the season of 1920, the hay stumpage on the east half of Section 35, Township of Numedal. I will rent to the highest cash bidder. Bids will be received up to February 15. Check must be enclosed with bid. Send your bids to

HERMAN A. KRUEGER,
805 North Main St.,
8-15-22-29 Fairmont Minn.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Gay Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of June, 1916, at one o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actualy due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30) for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04.)

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N1-2) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and state will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five ($75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
of Fergus Falls, Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minn.
j15-22-29-f5-12-19

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Martin J. Berg.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin J. Berg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Anne Berg, Mabel Alvilde Hanson and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent. The petition of Mabel Alvilde Hanson having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

THEREFORE, YOU, and EACH of YOU are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Room, in the Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of February, 1920, at eleven o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 14th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Probate Judge.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j15-22-29

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

Estate of John M. Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of John M. Anderson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Mina (Minnie) M. Anderson and Martin M. Anderson and Mrs. Theo. O. Berg, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedet: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Court.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j22-29-f5

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anders C. Hansen, also known as Anders C. Hanson, also known as A. C. Hansen, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Marit Hansen, Hans T. Hansen, Anna Maria Magnuson, Thora Hansen, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named Decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administrations of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j22-29-f5

A Fine Showing.

The annual report of the cemetery commission shows that the organization closed business at the end of its fiscal year with a surplus of $4,052.25 in the treasury. A large part of this money will have to be spent during the coming year on the new grounds, in the construction of a receiving vault and general upkeep.

GERMANTOWN

Gehart Tharaldson visited at the L. Bendickson home for a couple of days last week.

Emil Hanson was a caller at the Hovelsos home on last Monday.

Charlie Habedank was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls last Monday.

Mrs. Martin Johnson has been confined to her bed for the past week.

Ernest Ristau spent last Tuesday at Thief River Falls.

Will Wayne and Detlef Dau were business callers in Mavie last Monday.

John Gustaf Ristau spent last Monday evening at the Frank Kintz home.

Miss Nettie Bendickson was a guest of Mrs. S. Rolland, Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Bessie and Gladys Roller were callers at Mavie on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Flo of Baker, Mont., who has been visiting with friends here, left for his home last week.

Mrs. Will Wayne and son spent last week with relatives at Goodridge.

Miss Mabel Graff called on Miss Silva Bendickson last Saturday.

Charlie Habedank left for Red Lake Falls last Wednesday, where he will be employed.

Mrs. Hans Jorstad called on Mrs. Martin Johnson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Struble and family were entertained at the H. Roller home last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl were guests at the L. Bendickson home on Saturday evening.

Luella Habedank was a Sunday guest at the A. Ristau home.

Freda Ristau, who is employed at Thief River Falls visited at her parental home over Sunday.

AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF THE GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, No. 1135.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That section six of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six. "The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject, shall be Three Hundred Thousand Dollars."

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Goodridge, Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D., 1920.

H. S. DAHLEN, President.
J. P. JENSEN, Cashier.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 10th day of January, 1920, before me appeared H. S. Dahlen and J. P. Jensen, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Goodridge State Bank, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

THEO. TANDBERG,
(Notarial Seal.) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My commission expires July 9th, 1920.

State of Minnesota, Office of Superintendent of Banks, St. Paul, January 21st, 1920.

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Goodridge State Bank in voting to increase the highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall be subject from One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars to Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

F. E. PEARSON,
(Seal) Superintendent of Banks.
By G. H. SIVWRIGHT,
Deputy Superintendent.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book B of State Bank Records, on page 518.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1920, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of Miscel., on page 596.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
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In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In th Matter of Adolph O. Teslow, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Adolph O. Teslow of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of January, A. D., 1920, the above namd Adolph O. Teslow was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the City of Crookston, in the County of Polk, in said District, on the 17th day of February, A. D., 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated January 24, 1920.

OLE J. VAULE,
j-29 Referee in Bankruptcy.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Leo J. Holscher,

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Ella Holscher, Leo A. Holscher, Viola Holscher, Vivian A. Holscher, Russell M. Holscher, Aurel J. Holscher, Evelyn J. Holscher, William A. Holscher, Herbert Holscher, Gordon Holscher, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Ella Holscher having been filed in this Court, representing that Leo J. Holscher, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 16th day of December, 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to William C. Craft, 1520 Iglehart Street, St. Paul, Minn., and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
SAMUEL A. ANDERSON,
St. Paul, Minn.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Attorneys for Petitioner.

Classified Wants

WANTED TO BUY—Team, harness and sleigh.—Martin Jepson, Rhoda, Minn. 55p

SCHOOL GIRL WANTS place to work for room and board. Address P. O. Box 763, City. 55p

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FOR RENT—160 acres good black loam, well drained, an excellent quarter, three miles south of Goodridge; a state road leading up to farm. Frank N. Schroeder, North Buena Vista, Ia. 56p

FOR SALE—Two heaters, wood. Also other furniture, new. Cheap for cash. 308 Arnold Ave. N

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 51tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull, C. Wiener, Rt. 3 City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 40tf

FOR SALE—Cream separator. Call at 419 Riverside Ave. J. W. Mich. 55p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Fals, 1-4 section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Three stacks of rye hay and six stacks of timothy hay.—C. O. Granum, Phone 295. 50p

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, god lot with some fruit trees, east front; fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 609 Horace Ave. N. 43tf

TO TRADE FOR LAND—Four room house and four lots in city. Andrew Ness. 40tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S1-2 Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley. R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

Dressmaking Wanted.
At the residence of John Christenson, 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 63p

WANTED BEFORE FEB. 14—Hundreds of new and renewal subscriptions to Minneapolis Daily News, Thousands of Farmer Vote Ballots. Send them in to the Daily News and just write "For Chas. W. Correll, Farmers Contestant." Please note, that you will get the Northwest Farmstead, Farm and Fireside, National Alfalfa Journal and Home Life, with the Daily News, all for $5.00 per year; 2 years $9.00. Your kindly support will be appreciated.—Chas. W. Correll, Thief River Falls. 54

Farm Bargain.
Improved farm of 331 acres, 12 miles from town; 140 acres field; 50 acres tame hay, balance prairie; fair set of buildings; flowing well. $1000.00 cash handles this, balance 5 per cent interest, long time. Price $8500.00.—C. W. McDaniels, Thief River Falls, Minn. 54tf

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FLOOD CONTROL PLAN ENDORSED BY TWO JUDGES

PROJECT FAVORED BY LARGE AND REPRESENTATIVE DELEGATION.

FIRST BOARD OF DIRECTORS WILL BE APPOINTED WITHIN SHORT TIME.

RIVER IMPROVEMENT ONE OF FIRST STEPS IN PROPOSED PROGRAM.

At the termination of the hearing last Thursday in the matter of the organization of the Red Lake Flood Control and Conservatency district Hon. Andrew Grindeland of Warren and Hon. C. W. Stanton of Bemidji the judges in charge of the proceedings, announced that the showing was sufficient, htat the district would be organized and that a final order to that effect would be entered as soon as the judges had decided who to appoint as the first board of directors of the district.

The organization of the District is sought under the provision of Chapter 13 of the Special Session Laws of 1919, which is a new departure in the matter of control of floods and flood waters. Senator Frank L. Cliff, of Ortonville, is the author of the bill and has given the subject careful consideration. He was present at this hearing and fully explained the desirable features of the bill and what benefits could be achieved by organization of the district. His explanation was lucid and convincing and all of those present left the hearing fully satisfied that a new step forward had been taken in the matter of the control of floods and flood water in this territory.

All Suit Representatives.

A large portion of the counties of Pennington, Marshall, Beltrami Koochiching, Clearwater, Red Lake and Polk are included in the new district. All of these counties were well represented and all delegates were enthusiastic in favor of the proposed organization. The commercial club of Red Lake Falls took steps to see that both the agricultural and other interests of Red Lake Falls should have an opportunity of being heard Among those present from that county were: Mr. Higginbotham, Charles Boughton, Fred L. Farley. The Polk county delegation was headed by C G. Selvig, superintendent of the Northwest School of Agriculture Crookston, and Charles Loring. Marshall county was represented by A N. Eckstrom and a committee of the county board. George W. Cross, superintendent of the Red Lake Indian agency, was present in the interests of the organization and stated that the Indians on the reservation were strongly in favor of the district and of the proposed improvement of Red Lake and Red Lake river.

Array of Legal Talent.

Julius K. Olson of Warren, and Wm J. Brown, of Thief River Falls, represented the petitioners, Charles Loring of Crookston, Charles Boughton and Fred L. Farley of Red Lake Falls C. C. McCarthy of Grand Rapids, and E. M. Stanton of this city, were of legal assistance in the presentation of the matter to the Court.

A strong board of directors is essential to the support of the undertaking and the judges are giving the matter of the personnel of this first board serious consideration. It is hoped that because of the fact that Pennington county is so materially interested in the proposed improvement the judges will designate some citizen of this county as a member of the first board of directors.

River Improvement First.

The straightening and dredging of the Red Lake river and the installation of controlling works at the headwaters of that stream now seems to be an assured thing. The interior department, which has jurisdiction over the Indian lands, is in favor of the project and the legislation necessary to provide co-operation between the interior department and the newly organized district has been prepared. Congressman Steenerson is energetic in looking after the matter at Washington.

All parties interested in furthering the project are entitled to commendation and it is hoped that further progress in the matter of the project be not allowed to drag but that it be pushed to an early conclusion.

"Link" Again Promoted.

Fred T. Lincoln, formerly secretary of the Thief River Falls Commercial club and for the past three years employed in a similar capacity by the Brainerd Chamber of Commerce, has again been promoted. In a few days he will leave for Billings, Mont., having accepted a position as secretary of the commercial club there at a salary of $4,000 per year.

Mr. Lincoln has proven himself one of the most successful municipal publicity men in the Northwest. Besides his Brainerd job he has been secretary of the Northern Division of the Mississippi River Scenic Highway association, secretary of the Northern Minnesota Development association president of the Minnesota Association of Commercial clubs and president of the Northwestern Secretary's association, the latter organization comprising seven states. "Link" is some hustler and his friends in Thief River Falls will be surprised if he has reached the height of usefulness by associating himself with the Billings club.

Visit Eastern Markets.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left last Sunday evening on an extended trip which will cover many of the larger cities in the East. Mr. Sapero goes to purchase the spring stock for the firm's line of stores—one in this city one at Hibbing and the third at Chisholm—and expects to be gone nearly a month.

Stops will be made at Minneapolis Chicago, Cleveland, Philadelphia and New York, and all the leading women's wear manufacturers visited The quantity of goods required for these three stores is very large and Mr. Sapero figures that he can give better service by making personal selections. The new goods may begin arriving before his return as one of the objects of the trip is to impress upon the shippers the necessity for prompt delivery.

Fire Losses Are Soon Adjusted

VICTIMS OF UNION BLOCK BLAZE GET SATISFACTORY SETTLEMENTS.

A. M. Shelito of the Western Adjustment company, and J. Graef of the John B. Lee Adjustment company both of Minneapolis, were in the city last week for the purpose of adjusting the losses caused by the Union block fire. They went over the ground thoroughly and were most fair in their treatment of everyone concerned.

The total loss, according to the figures of the adjustors, footed up $139,900. Insurance totalled $78,100 making the net loss to those who were burned out $52,800. The heaviest losers are the Times Printing and Manufacturing company and the Thief River Building company, the latter owners of the building. The Times loss was $55,000 with insurance of $38,108, while the building was valued at $52,000 and was insured for $25,000.

The adjustments were in every way satisfactory, Mr. Shelito and Mr. Graef finding little trouble in getting at the figures. They are both pleasant and considerate business men whose sole aim evidently was to see that absolute justice was done all who were insured with the companies for which they acted.

B. F. UMLAND IS ROAD ENGINEER

GLENN MARTZ GOES TO MEEKER COUNTY—NEW BRIDGE AUTHORIZED.

B. F. Umland, formerly state highway engineer for Clearwater county has been appointed to fill a similar position in Pennington county, succeeding Glenn Martz, who has held the job since 1918. Mr. Umland is a man of wide experience in road work and made a very favorable impression upon the members of the board of county commissioners when his appointment came up for approval on Tuesday.

Mr. Martz, who succeeded W. E Monks, will go to Litchfield to become state engineer for Meeker county. He is a young man who was raised in this county and has made good in highway engineering wherever he has been placed. The appointment to the Meeker station must be regarded in the light of a promotion, the field there being larger even if no more important.

The commissioners also authorized the construction of a bridge near the Lang place in the township of North at a cost of $1200. The new bridge will replace one that has served for many years and is no longer considered safe.

Two petitions requesting permission to be annexed to another school district were granted when it was shown that the petitioners would be better served by the change.

GOV. BURNQUIST SERIOUSLY ILL

SUFFERING FROM PNEUMONIA FOLLOWING AN ATTACK OF INFLUENZA.

Influenza has developed into pneumonia in the ase of Governor J. A. A Burnquist, according to a statement by his physicians the first of the week.

"The governor's condition is serious but not alarming," said the announcement.

The governor's illness has kept him at home since early last week.

More than 200 new cases of influenza in Minnesota were listed on Monday reports to the capitol offices of the state board of health exclusive of probably a larger number going to the board's division of preventable diseases on the University of Minnesota campus.

FLU GRADUALLY BEING STAMPED OUT, IS BELIEF

FEW NEW CASES REPORTED AND SITUATION GENERALLY MUCH RELIEVED.

CHURCHES AND THEATRES ARE CLOSED, PUBLIC MEETINGS FORBIDDEN.

BOARD DECIDES NOT TO CLOSE SCHOOLS AT THIS TIME; ATTENDANCE FALLS OFF.

Thief River Falls doctors estimate that there are in the neighborhood of 100 influenza cases in the city and immediate neighborhood at the present time, but say that the situation looks much better than a week ago Comparatively few new cases have come to light during the past two days while those already down with the disease are almost without exception reported as getting along well.

At Goodridge, in the vicinity of which village a large number of cases were found, the situation is reported as much improved.

Partial Close-Down.

City Physician Jacob Biedermann last Thursday ordered the theatres and churches closed until further notice and also forbade the playing of pool, billiards or other games which bring men in considerable numbers together in one room. Merchandise sales at these places were not interfered with.

At a meeting of the school board on Monday night it was decided not to close the schools at this time, although it was admitted that the attendance has fallen off greatly since the flu made its appearance, the absences in the different rooms varying from 15 to 35 per cent.

Believe Worst Over.

Physicians agree that the situation is not as serious as a week ago and believe that the worst is over. They urge care upon everyone, however cautioning against unnecessary exposure for some time to come.

Six Deaths Reported.

According to Dr. H. W. Froehlich county physician, there have been six deaths in the county for which the flu was directly responsible, three of these being in one family. The disease seems of a less virulent nature than a year ago and indications are that it will not hang on as long. There is no great danger if people will exercise common sense and take the proper steps as soon as the trouble manifests itself.

At the present time no one in authority is willing to make any prediction as to when the ban will be lifted.

REPEAL OF WHEAT PRICE ACT ASKED

SEN. GRONNA CLAIMS GUARANTEE KEEPS DOWN RETURNS TO FARMERS.

Declaring that the wheat price guarantee act was being administered so as to keep down the wheat prices, Senator Gronna, republican North Dakota, gave notice in the senate on Monday that he intended to introduce a bill providing for its immediate repeal.

He said the original intention of congress in passing the food control laws was to fix maximum prices but the food and wheat administration had made the minimum prices the maximum.

It is understood Senator Gronna is acting at the instance of the farm organizations.

SPECIAL TRAIN TO STOCK SHOW AT CROOKSTON

WILL LEAVE THIEF RIVER FALLS AT 8 O'CLOCK NEXT FRIDAY MORNING.

SHORTHORN SALE AND OTHER IMPORTANT EVENTS SCHEDULED FOR THAT DAY.

DECIDED THAT INFLUENZA SITUATION DOES NOT CALL FOR POSTPONEMENT.

Friday, Feb. 13, is the big day of the midwinter farm crops show at Crookston and the farmers and other citizens from this section are going to be present in force. Arrangements have been made whereby the Great Northern will run a special train from Thief River Falls to Crookston and return on that day, the special leaving this city at 8 o'clock and stopping at Red Lake Falls, St Hilaire and other places along the way for the purpose of taking on passengers. Returning the train will reach this city about midnight.

Many Wish to Attend.

Because of the railway schedule between Crookston and Thief River Falls many of those who would like to attend this fine sectional fair are every year prevented from doing so In order to remedy the matter County Agent J. J. McCann and President A J. Andersen of the Pennington County Agricultural association, took it upon themselves to see if a special train could not be secured. They were informed that this might be arranged providing a certain number of passengers were guaranteed. These gentlemen personally went good for the required amount, believing that there will be no difficulty in securing a much larger number of passengers than the Railroad company requires In case they are mistaken as to the amount of interest in this event fel by our people they will have to foot the bill personally.

Red Lake Delegation.

There is certain to be a large delegation to go on the special from Red Lake Falls. The people down there have already advertised the trip extensively and there is much interest in the event.

Meeting Postponed.

George L. Sterns, vice chairman of the Armenian and Syrian Relief committees in the county, states that because of the prevalence of influenza the big meeting scheduled to be held in the auditorium on Feb. 12 will have to be called off for the present. The state committee intended sending a speaker and picture films here for the occasion but has been notified that the meeting cannot be held.

THREE MEMBERS OF FAMILY DEAD

INFLUENZA TAKES HEAVY TOLL AT NORA HOME IN NORDEN TOWNSHIP.

Three deaths in one family is the heaviest toll exacted by influenza and pneumonia in Pennington county this year. The home thus severely stricken is that of Nels Nora in Norden township.

Last week Mrs. Nels Nora, aged 57 died from pneumonia after a few days' illness. At this time Ole Nora, a son and his wife were also down with the disease but well on the road to recovery, the former being so far advanced as to be able to convey a shipment of stock from the farm to Thief River Falls a week ago last Saturday. Returning he again took to his bed, pneumonia set in and he died on Wednesday. His wife, also reported much better at the beginning of the week contracted a cold which was speedily followed by pneumonia from which she died on Saturday evening, just one week after her husband's death.

Only two members of this family now remain—Oswald, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Nora, and the grandfather, Nels Nora. These two are also down with the disease but there is good hope of their recovery.

May Postpone Meetings.

Two important meetings announced for the near future will have to be postponed unless the flu ban is lifted. The annual business meeting of the board of directors of the commercial club has been set for Feb. 12 at the Evelyn hotel, but Secretary Smith states that it will not be held if conditions continue as at present.

The same holds good for the meeting of the Merchants association on the 17. At this meeting Frank P Mann of Devils Lake, was to have delivered an address but this will also have to be postponed unless things take a different turn.

One Man Jailed During January

AND HE HAD TO COME BACK IN ORDER TO HAVE THE JOB DONE.

The first month o fthe year 1920 was real peaceful-like—at least so far as concerns the police department of Thief River Falls.

One man was arrested, and he might properly be termed a charity pupil A warrant had been out for him since Feb. 17, 1919, or nearly a year ago the charge being the use of foul and abusive language toward a man who swore that he was not entitled to such usage. At the time the warrant was sworn out the culprit could not be found and he has not been seen in Thief River Falls until toward the end of January, when he could no longer resist the temptation to look again upon the scene of his misdeeds. Chief Erickson gathered him in and Judge Tarrant dug up the old complaint The man, who shall be nameless so far as The Times is concerned, paid the fine imposed and the costs amounting in all to $5.

TIMES IS NAMED OFFICIAL PAPER

COUNCIL AWARDS CONTRACT AT SPECIAL MEETING HELD LAST THURSDAY.

The Times has again been awarded the contract for the city printing by the city council of Thief River Falls The award was made last Thursday after having been laid over from the regular meeting in order to permit the councilmen to look into the matter.

There were two bids presented with little or no difference in price. The acceptance of The Times offer was therefore made strictly on merit, it being admitted that with the greater circulation of that paper much better service could be given.

One of the first items of official printing to appear in these columns will be the financial statement for the year 1919. This is now ready in the office of City Clerk A. H. Akre, and will be turned over to the printer in a few days.

JURY DEEMS HIDE HOUSE NUISANCE

GRAND JURY WOULD CONDEMN BUILDING OF THIEF RIVER HIDE & FUR CO.

Judge Grindeland adjourned the February term of the Pennington county district court until about the middle of March after hearing one court case and receiving the report of the grand jury. Owing to the influenza situation Judge Grindeland did not deem it advisable to proceed with the jury cases at this time.

The grand jury was in session but a short time. The most interesting outcome of its deliberations was the recommendation that the county proceed to have the building of the Thief River Hide & Fur company, adjoining the court house on the north, condemned as a public nuisance.

It was also recommended that more vault room be provided for the records of the county officials.

The court cases will be taken up again on Tuesday. The only matter heard was one involving the estate of the late A. H. Pitkin of St. Hilaire and his son, Charles A. Pitkin of this city. The latter, who was the executor of the estate of his father, died before matters were finally adjusted considerable confusion being the result. A postponement was granted until spring in order to permit interested parties, who are now in California, to be present.

Mrs. J. J. Vorachek returned to this city last Thursday evening from Warren, where she spent the day.

NEW CREAMERY PROJECT VOTED DOWN FOR YEAR

STOCKHOLDERS DO NOT FEEL JUSTIFIED IN STARTING WORK AT THIS TIME.

PAST BUSINESS GOOD BUT NEAR FUTURE PROMISES EVEN BETTER.

HANS ANTON IS REELECTED PRESIDENT AND PETER ENGELSTAD SECRETARY.

The Thief River Falls Creamery association will not erect a new plant this year. This was decsided on at the annual meeting held last Saturday at the commercial club rooms A motion to lay the matter on the table was passed by a heavy majority after efforts had been made to have final decision postponed until March

Secretary Peter Engelstad was the principal spokesman for those in favor of a new building. He explained that the present quarters are too small to properly take care of the growing business and make further expansion impossible. He stated that with a new and larger creamery enough more milk and cream could be handled to insure the additional profits taking care of the interest charge and also of the principal. He pointed out that there was an increase in the business of 72 per cent during the month of December as compared with the previous year and that the plant had now reached its capacity. The Highlanding creamery owners, said Mr. Engelstad, wished to discontinue business and would do so if the product from their herds could be taken care of by the creamery in this city There is at the present time a profit return of $9,200 on the cream shipped in from points outside the county, according to the secretary, and he believed this could be very greatly increased.

Afraid of Condition.

President Hans Anton, Albert Johnson and Treasurer S. O. Lee backed Mr. Engelstad's contention that the association would be money ahead by providing for immediate expansion. Henry Pope spoke in opposition. He said the present is no time to engage on enterprises costing any such amount of money. While it is undoubtedly true that much cream is carried right through this city to Minneapolis and Duluth, he was of the opinion that the sections from which these supplies are shipped will within a short time have creameries of their own and thus have nothing with which to supply the outside plants For these reasons he was against the expenditure of $50,000 to $60,000 at this time, maintaining that the money would have to come out of the cream checks of the patrons in the end.

The majority was evidently of Mr Pope's opinion and voted down the proposition to build at once when J O. Satre moved to lay the matter on the table until the next annual meeting.

Buy Another Lot.

That the plan is to build sometime in the near future became evident however, when the stockholders voted to buy the lots adjoining the present holdings of the association on Atlantic avenue for the sum of $1800.

Old Officers Retained.

Mr. Anton was re-elected as president by acclamation, the rules being suspended to permit of this. The same plan was followed in the selection of Mr. Pope, who was re-elected vice president, Mr. Engelstad, who was again chosen secretary, and Mr. Lee who retains the post of treasurer The salary of the secretary was increased from $1200 to $1800 per year

Dinner Well Attended.

The annual dinner given for the patrons and citizens was well attended and up to the usual standard of excellence. About 200 persons enjoyed the meal.

It was decided to have the minutes of all board meetings published in order that the patrons may at all times be kept appraised of what is going on.

Floods Municipal Rink.

Following instructions from the city council, Fire Chief Paul Midderigh has this week been busy arranging a skating rink on the river for the youngsters. At any rate it is for the benefit of the children that the step is taken but none will be barred from enjoying themselves at any time.

The influenza situation in the city makes the wisdom of permitting skating at this time somewhat doubtful and it may be that the opening will have to be postponed. However this may be, Mr. Midderigh will have the rink ready when the danger has past and the kids are again permitted to congregate.

At the Auto Show.

G. S. Streeter and F. J. Stebbins left Monday evening for Minneapolis where they will take in the automobile show for a day or two. From all reports the present exhibition is the greatest affair ever seen in the West there being cars of every known make on exhibition and hundreds of thousands of visitors to view them.

Still at Your Service

In spite of the fact that the entire plant of The Times was destroyed by fire, the job printing department is still taking care of all orders. Arrangements have been made whereby it will be possible to serve all customers with the same promptitude and efficiency that characterized the house while in its own quarters.

Any work of this kind entrusted to us will receive the most careful attention and delivery will be made when promised.

Do not put up with inferior printing under the mistaken notion that The Times cannot take care of it. Bring it to us as usual.

The Times

SLIGHT INCREASE IN THE COUNTY'S TOTAL VALUATION

INCLUDING MONEYS AND CREDITS THE FIGURES FOOT UP $5,638,295.

OF THIS AMOUNT CITY REPRESENTS ONE AND THREE-QUARTERS MILLION.

INTERESTING DETAILED TABLE SHOWING VALUATION OF EACH DISTRICT.

The total valuation of the taxable property in Pennington county, according to the records recently completed in the office of County Auditor T. P. Anderson, is $5,638,295. Of this amount the real estate represents $4,119,154, the personal property $941,410 and the moneys and credits $577,731. The increase over the previous year is very slight and is to be found almost exclusively in the moneys and credits column.

City Total $1,764,951.

In the ity of Thief River Falls the real estate valuation is $1,080,566, the personal property $349,958 and the moneys and credits $334,427, a total of $1,764,951. Among the townships Rocksbury is the leader with a total of $429,124, followed by North with $316,584. The lowest on the list is Deer Park township, the total valuation is $107,057, including the moneys and credits. In proportion to the total the village of Goodridge shows the largest amount of moneys and credits this item representing $42,065 out of an aggregate of $113,089.

How They Stand.

Following is a statement of the valuation in the city, village and townships of the county:

Township	Real Estate	Personal	Total	M. & C.
Bray	$ 65,330	$ 19,323	$ 184,653	$ 13,007
Black River	118,611	18,794	137,395	15,895
Cloverleaf	127,814	23,996	151,810	8,516
Deer Park	82,983	19,379	102,362	4,695
Goodridge	110,865	9,299	120,164	--------
Highlanding	145,854	38,781	184,635	12,299
Hickory	90,956	20,929	111,885	2,900
Kratka	159,107	26,035	185,142	20,063
Mayfield	84,230	14,060	98,290	310
North	271,599	34,628	306,227	10,357
Norden	133,770	23,946	157,716	16,300
Numedal	109,309	16,270	125,579	650
Polk Center	117,035	18,457	135,492	9,800
Rocksbury	314,293	46,831	361,124	6,800
River Falls	142,080	37,994	180,074	6,900
Reiner	79,904	11,762	91,666	2,900
Sanders	166,769	30,920	197,639	11,133
Smiley	155,888	31,718	187,606	11,105
Silverton	176,167	23,879	200,046	14,125
Star	91,276	21,931	113,207	5,150
Wyandotte	110,795	26,757	137,547	7,184
Goodridge Village	32,956	39,736	72,692	42,065
St. Hilaire Village	50,997	36,046	87,039	26,050
Thief River Falls, City	1,080,566	349,958	1,430,524	334,427
Total	$4,119,154	$ 491,410	$5,060,564	$ 577,731

The School Districts.

A comparison of the valuation in the different school districts in the county is interesting. It will be noted that in a number of instances the district is in both Pennington and Red Lake counties, this situation having arisen at the time of the county division:

Dist.—Location	Valuation
1—Pilk Center and Red Lake County	$ 60,740
2—Norden	31,705
3—Hickory	24,396
4—Smiley	28,161
5—Star	24,150
6—River Falls and Wyandotte	44,230
7—Bray and Numedal	54,990
8—Goodridge Vil. and Twp., Cloverleaf	218,444
9—Hickory	27,547
10—Deer Park and Hickory	27,547
11—Kratka	41,370
12—Rocksbury and River Falls	58,443
15—Cloverleaf	36,984
17—Polk Center and R. L. County	55,312
18—City of T. R. Falls, Rocksbury and North townships	1,590,990
25—North and Norden	40,294
26—North, Rocksbury and Smiley	56,328
28—Silverton	53,567
29—North	88,986
30—Silverton and Smiley	33,897
31—Smiley	45,241
33—Mayfield and R. L. Co.	50,152
34—Deer Park	38,316
35—Mayfield, Kratka and Wyandotte	36,919
37—Highlanding	46,071
38—Highlanding	43,096
39—Mayfield	33,981
41—Kratka	46,882
42—North and Silverton	48,037
43—R. L. Co., and Black River	62,763
44—Cloverleaf and Kratka	32,292
46—Cloverleaf	23,809
47—Highlanding	47,095
48—Reiner	31,963
50—Highlanding	48,378
51—Smiley	30,083
52—Deer Park	47,989
53—Silverton	54,591
54—Rocksbury	84,695
55—Silverton	39,968
56—Star	33,757
57—Reiner	33,872
58—R. L. Co., and Deer Park	37,895
60—Mayfield and Kratka	23,045
64—Numedal	60,208
65—Hickory and Star	26,925
66—Cloverleaf and Kratka	42,051
67—Hickory	20,643
68—Kratka	48,503
69—Bray	67,617
70—Marshall Co., and Reiner	20,152
73—Rocksbury and Sanders	97,664
94—Black River and Polk Center	81,229
99—Polk Center	62,721
102—Black River, Rocksbury, River Falls and St. Hilaire Village	164,601
106—Sanders	47,329
108—R. L. Co., and Black River	76,500
124—R. L. Co., and Black River	50,448
125—Wyandotte	70,230
127—Norden	58,168
133—R. L. Co., and River Falls	84,605
135—North and Norden	50,167
147—Numedal	47,018
148—R. L. Co., and Wyandotte	58,878
149—Bray and Sanders	54,752
154—Rocksbury	74,529
165—Rocksbury	81,902
166—Sanders	50,567
178—River Falls	45,831
180—Bray	60,031
184—Sanders	36,310
219—Marshall County and North	46,400
221—Smiley	37,612
227—R. L. Co., and River Falls	52,883
228—Marshall Co., Goodridge and Reiner	18,698

For the unorganized districts the total is $45,310, divided among the following townships: Mayfield, $10,722; Reiner, $4,686; Kratka, $23,752; Star, $15,150.

The Year's Levy.

Taxes for county purposes for the current year have been levied as follows:

County revenue	$26,000
Roads and bridges	30.00
Bond and interest	3,000
Sinking	3,500
Sanatorium	6,100

The rate of taxation for the county is 13.5 mills and for the state 8.1 mills.

FRENCH ORPHANS APPRECIATE GIFT

LOCAL W. C. T. U. RECEIVES THANKS FOR MONEY SENT TO LITTLE GIRLS.

A letter received this week from two little French girls by the officers of the local W. C. T. U. acknowledges receipt of money sent them last fall. Mrs. T. P. Anderson was president of the organization at that time and the letter was addressed to her. It was written in French and the translation was made by Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh. The girls are Sazamme and Ernestine Hillaret, residing at 81 Rue de Genzay, Portiers, and their acknowledgement is as follows:

"Dear Benefactor: We have received, each of us, your 45 francs, my sister and I, and we thank you very much.

"Ernestine has had a very hard cough and she is not much better. I am always in good health and hope that my sister will get well soon. We hope that you are in good health, that is what we are wishing you.

"At Portiers it has been very cold the past few days and it is continuously raining so that it makes it look very dark. But good weather makes the wheat grow.

"Accept, dear benefactress, the wishes for happiness from two little proteges."

The amount sent the girls by the local ladies was $35.

GREAT SECTIONAL SCHOOL MEETING

FOUR DISTRICTS HAVE INTERESTING SESSIONS AT MAVIE LAST WEEK.

The first sectional meeting held under the auspices of the Teachers' Patriotic League was a great success.

This meeting which was held in the Mavie hall by the four school districts, 46, 41, 44 and 15, was very well attended. It was the first of a series to be held throuout the county at various times during the remainder of the school year. By means of them we hope to arouse the interest of the people in the school work so that we may cooperate for Better Schools in Pennington county.

The following speakers gave interesting and instructive talks upon their respective subjects: County Attorney Quale, The new compulsory education law; Dr. Mellby, Health work; Mr. Anderson, Club work; Mr. Ziegler, Improvement; Supt. Gunderson introduced the speakers with appropriate remarks.

Dr. Mellby explained the importance of care of the teeth; attention to the tonsils and adenoids and last but not least, the diet. "Give the diet of your child at least as much attention as the ration of the livestock."

Mr. Anderson told of the work of the Sheep Club during the past year and something of the work plamned for the coming season. Every boy and girl between the ages of ten and eighteen is to be given a chance to enter one of the following clubs: Sheep, Potato or Baby Beef.

Supt. Ziegler spoke of the great improvement in some of the examinations, namely the use of the measuring scales instead of examinations. These measure the mental ability as well as book learning.

County Attorney Quale explained the new compulsory education law which is even more stringent than its predecessors.

Lunch was sold at the close and a general social time ensued.

Any club meeting desiring a similar meeting in their section please notify Supt. Gunderson or Miss Igna Hamry two weeks in advance.

More Pay For Teachers.

The Minnesota department of education has recommended to the state school board that it fix by resolution a minimum salary of $120 for teachers in both city and country schools who have completed a normal training course and have had two years experience, G. M. Cesander, rural school inspector of the state department, told the St. Louis county association of rural school board members at their annual meeting in Duluth.

Official announcement of the recommendation is expected when the state school board meets in March, Mr. Cesander said.

Notice.

Kolberg & Eastman, Doctors of Chiropractic, have dissolved partnership and Dr. J M. Eastman and Dr. L. V. Johnson have formed a partnership. Dr. L. V. Johnson graduated in April, 1917 from the Palmer School of Chiropractic at Davenport, Iowa. He then located at Hawley, Minn., and practised there until June, 1918 and at that time joined the American Expeditionary forces, enlisting at Camp Grant, and spending three months at Camp Robinson, Sparta Wis., and a short while at Camp Mills, Long Island, N. Y. Embarked for France Sept. 17th and spent almost a year in France. After his discharge from service he has been assisting the Trio Doctors of Chiropractic, Whittenberg Bros., of Detroit Alexandria and Evansville, Minn. Dr Eastman & Johnson have opened offices in the Scandia Block over Lambert's Drug Store. Dr. J. M. Eastman had offices in the Union Block previous to the fire and had been located for the past two and a half years in the city.

Office hours: 10 to 12 a. m. 2 to 5 p. m. Evenings by appointments Phone 213. f5

Trained Men Go to Packing Company

According to their custom when office employees are needed, the Equity Packing Plant, Fargo, N. D., called on Dakota Business College, of that city for capable men to fill two splendid positions. Messrs. Edward Jepson and Clarence L. Sivertson were sent. This firm has employed 18 D. B. C. pupils to date.

High-class position are always open to graduates of this exceptional school. Pupils are trained to make good, and they do.

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This statement, when applied to any piece of housefurnishing, means that the quality is guaranteed. In these days of substitution and "cheap" merchandise as is the order in many branches, this house maintains its reputation for dependability. No matter what the price you pay for a piece of furniture, a stove, carpet, or other thing that we may have to sell, you can rest assured that it is just exactly as represented. We could not afford to do otherwise, even though we wished it.

The present is the best time to buy furniture or other house hold necessities. Like everything else, the price is steadily advancing, and there is no likelihood of its being reduced for a long time to come. Those buying now will be protecting themselves.

Remember, we have everything in the line of housefurnishings, stoves and ranges.

Larson Furniture Co.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Margaret Jorgenson spent Sunday visiting with her parents in Plummer.

Mrs. Dr. Spinks returned to her home at Middle iver after a day spent in shopping here.

Louis Veven departed on Saturday evening for Detroit, Mich., where he will transact business.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer has been unable to be at work the past week because of influenza.

O. Ryerson came down from Holt on Thursday and visited with friends in this city until Friday morning.

Miss Bertha Neseth, who has been a guest of her brother, J. T. Neseth, in this city since Christmas, returned to her home in Kenyon, on Saturday.

Miss Alice Thompson spent the week-end visiting at her home in this city. She returned to Hazel Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher.

A. C. Longdo, assistant fuel supervisor, from Superior, who was in this city on business the latter part of last week, returned to his home on Saturday evening.

Mrs. T. Gutterud, who has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Thune, in this city, for the past month, left on Friday evening for her home at Fairdale, N. D.

Harry Goldberg, a member of the Y. M. C. A. quint, who played the local high school quint here on Saturday evening, spent Sunday visiting with friends in this city. He returned to Grand Forks on Sunday evening.

D. B. Bakke of Holt, was a visitor in this city on Friday, returning to his home on Saturday morning.

Archie Dahl left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where he will take up a course in window trimming.

Peter Dryer, who is employed at Brooks, arrived here on Saturday to spend Sunday with his family in this city.

Miss Olga Gulrud left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis where she spent Sunday visiting with friends and relatives.

M. W. Brink returned to this city on Friday morning from St. Hilaire where he spent a day visiting at the home of his parents.

Miss Rose Hance, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Red Lake Falls, spent Sunday visiting at her home in this city.

Miss Minnie Linstad, who teaches school near Hazel, arrived in this city on Friday evening and spent the week-end visiting with her parents.

Misses Olga and Ida Klungess, who have been employed in this city, left on Saturday morning for their home at Holt, where they will remain indefinitely.

Miss Myrtle Hanson, who gave a reading at the declamatory rontest held in the Lincoln high school on Friday evening, returned to her home at Strandquist on Saturday.

Miss Hazel Boseman, who spent the week-end as the guest of Miss Alvina Jonas in this city, returned to Plummer on Sunday evening to resume her duties as teacher in the city schools.

A. L. Rolland left this city on Sunday evening for Minneapolis to attend to business affairs.

E. P. Modin of Middle River was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week. He returned to his home Friday morning.

Miss Amanda Skomedahl, who is a student in the local high school, spent the week-end visiting at the home of her parents at Steiner.

Miss Irene Lanager spent Friday visiting with friends and relatives here. She returned to her home at Plummer that same evening.

Miss Ida Lannager, who recently completed a course in dressmaking in this city returned to her home at Plummer on Friday evening.

John Gullingsrud left last Tuesday evening for Gary, Minn., where he will spend a couple of days visiting at the home of his parents.

Mrs. M. W. Brink left on Friday afternon for St. Hilaire, where she will be the guest of her parents-in-law for a period of two weeks.

Miss Ruth Evenson arrived Thursday morning from Grand Forks where she had been employed and will spend a few days visiting at her home.

Mrs. John Webakowski and children of this city, left on Friday evening for Alexandria, where they will be the guests of the former's parents for a period of a week.

Mrs. F. T. Dols of Rosewood, left this city on Friday evening for Minneapolis and Lester Prairie, where she will spend a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Alfred O. Somonsen, the inventor of The Pocket Pencil Printer, announced in The Times sometime ago has received the official notice that the patent is granted.

Eli Rolland, who was called to the bedside of his brother who is ill in Madison, Wis., returned to this city the latter part of last week, leaving his brother much improved.

Miss Lorenza Urdahl of the clerical force of Loken's department store returned to this city on Friday evening from her home at Goodridge where she visited for a week.

Miss Esther Barnes returned to her home in Newfolden on Saturday morning after having taken part in the declamatory contest held in the Lincoln high school on Friday evening.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson left on Thursday evening for the twin cities and Milwaukee, where they will do their spring buying. They expect to return to this city in about a week.

Miss Lucille Burns, who is engaged in teaching school in Lake Park, arrived here on Saturday evening and will visit at the home of her parents until the flu ban is lifted in that city.

Miss Lizzie Johnson, a student at the local high school, left on Friday afternoon for her home in Goodridge where she will remain until after the return of her mother, who was called to Fargo.

Carl Sundahl left on Saturday evening for Chicago, where he will receive optical treatment after which he will be the guest of relatives. Mr. Sundahl expects to be gone for about six weeks.

Mrs. Thos. Nelson and baby of Goodridge, left on Friday evening via Detroit, for Fargo, where she was called because of the serious illness of her son, Robert W. Johnson, with pneumonia.

T. J. Hagen and F. S. Ebert, proprietors of the Thief River Music Co. left on Thursday evening for the twin cities from which point they will leave for Chicago and Holland, Mich., to transact business. They will return to this city within ten days.

Miss Doris Halvorson successfully underwent an operation for appendicitics at Oberlin Tuesday morning. In a recent message received by Mr. Halvorson, it was stated that she is quickly improving and is getting along much better than was anticipated.

Railroad and Shop Notes.

John M. Skog, machinist, is visiting relatives at Bronson.

Fireman G. E. Jesswein is spending a few days at Minneapolis.

G. E. Hansen, coal heaver, is spending a few days at Erskine visiting.

M. G. Boutwell, employed as wiper at Fordville, returned to Thief River Falls on the 28th on account of sickness.

Roy L. Erickson, fireman, worked as engine dispatcher a part of last week, taking the place of B. E. Gage who laid off.

Arthur M. Johnson, fireman, is at present working as hostler helper in place of Boutwell, who was transferred to Fordville.

Paul Harris, fireman and general griever for the organization, is at present working on the Minnesota division out of Glenwood.

W. J. Douville, engineer, is working out of Gleenwood. Mr. Douville held the position as engineer on the switch engine here nearly all last summer.

John Jacobson, formerly employed as wiper, was tranferred to a position as hostler helper to take the place of Martin E. Carlson, who is laying off.

Martin O. Stenberg and Gust M. Freitag, firemen, accompanied the rotary as engine watchmen, and Leo Bradley, fireman, is with the expedition as cook.

Lewis Vovea, griever for the maintenance of way, expects to eave for Detroit, Mich., on Feb. 3 to attend a conference of general chairmen and representatives.

Andy Eckbaum, engineer, is taking his annual vacation. He has been holding down the run on trains 162 and 163 between Thief River Falls and Federal Dam.

Section men are busy cleaning up the yards, additional forces being put on. Men on repair tracks are also busy shoveling snow in order to have more room to work.

A. G. Greenseth, roundhouse foreman, has been laying off during the past few days account of sickness J. W. Hendry, master mechanic, has been taking his place as foreman.

Train No. 105 was derailed 35 miles out of Minneapolis and cars thrown off the track. The wrecker from Thief River Falls was ordered out but before it arrived there was ordered back. Joy ride to Erskine and return.

Fireman Sigvard Engh is making preparations to move his family and household goods to Adams, N. D., where he expects to stay during the remainder of the winter, holding down the run on trains Nos. 59 and 60 between Adams and Overly.

George Mostue has accepted a position as storeman in the store department. Mr. Mostue was formerly employed as coach cleaner in the mechanical department. On account of working three shifts it became necessary to put on another man.

A national agreement between the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks and the Director General of railroads was signed on January 9. That portion relating to the wage question was put up to the wage board, and as yet no increase in salary is in sight.

In order to comply with the national agreements all crafts are now working eight hours. It has been the practice to work unorganized labor from ten to twelve hours per day. In general the practice of working eight hours will meet with approval.

S. J. Cloutier, fireman, who has been watching engines at Mahnomen while a new turntable has been installed, returned to Thief River Falls last week and will go to Fordville and take the place of M. G. Boutwell, who is laying off on account of sickness.

T. C. Orme and his mother are taking an extended trip over the eastern and southern portion of the United States. They left Thief River Falls on January 20, and will visit in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Leaving for Chicago over the Soo they will go to Palm Beach, Florida via Buffalo, New York and Norfolk, and will return to Thief River Falls by way of New Orleans and St. Louis. This no doubt will be a very interesting trip for both Cliff and his mother.

Rotary snow plow X17 has been on the western districts of the Winnipeg division during the past week. Efforts were made to open the line wit' a Congdon plow and two engines but the rotary had to be resorted to. Mr. Keene is in charge of the expedition. The first attempt to get through resulted in breaking the frame of the rotary and it became necessary to return to Thief River Falls for repairs. After being fixed again the departed for snow-bound territory and are at present there.

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What stops the cry "Hungry" when children troop from school?
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What was the most dramatic element of the French Revolution?
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What furnishes the staple item of food for the vigorous worker?
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Curfew Ordinance

No. 97

An ordinance prohibits persons under sixteen years of age from being on the streets, alleys or in public places in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, at night after the hour of nine o'clock from March first to September thirtieth, inclusive, of each year, and from October first to the last day of February, inclusive, of each year after the hour of eight o'clock p. m. This Ordinance Will Be Enforced.

E. O. Erickson, Chief of Police

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AUCTION SALE

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13

The following personal property, to-wit:

1 colt, 2 years old
1 horse, 9 lears old, wt. 1200
1 horse, 5 years old, wt. 1150
1 horse, 6 years old, wt. 1100
1 mare, 4 years old with foal, wt. 1250
1 mare, 8 years old with foal, wt. 1300
1 cow 7 years old, fresh, April
1 cow 7 years old, fresh, March
1 cow 6 years old, fresh, March
1 cow 5 years old, fresh, March
1 cow 3 years old, fresh, April
1 cow 3 years old, Fresh, April
1 Milwaukee binder with truck good as new, 7 foot cut
1 Milwaukee mower, 6 foot cut
1 Emerson sulky plow, 16-inch
1 Moline gang, 14-inch cut
1 Monitor drill, single disc, 14-inch
1 McCormick hay rake four-horse dra and cart attachment
1 brush breaker, 16-inch
1 cultivator
1 dick harrow
1 two-seated buggy
2 wide tire wagon gears
1 bob sleigh
2 pump engines, 2½ horse power
2 fanning mills
2 grind stones
2 sets heavy harness
2 hay racks
DeLaval cream separator, size 15
Some blacksmith tools
Other articles too numerous to mention.

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Spring work will crowd in on the farmer's building operations unless he gets an early start and this will mean another loss. If he does not take time by the forelock and begin soon, it may be impossible for him to get a start until after harvest. By that time prices are almost certain to be much higher than now.

For the coming year a person is justified in expecting high prices for what he has to sell, whether it be produce or labor. When things change they will change all along the line and he will, comparatively speaking, be in worse shape than at the present time.

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MAY SOLVE PROBLEM.

The city council is evidently determined that no matter how many other problems arise to engage its attention, the necessity for providing a pure water supply for the people shall not be lost sight of. Experiments up to date have not been fortunate and at times it has seemed as if considerable money has been put where it will do no possible good, but again there are hopes that not only will the sums thus far used be found to have been expended wisely but that the work done to apparently no advantage will turn out to be a long step in the right direction.

A new plan is to be tried. The one well giving promise of being able to furnish a considerable share of the water needed is to be thoroughly tested out by a compressed air process and if it is shown that the plan is workable the sinking of other wells is a matter of comparatively small expense.

The engineering firm recommending this experiment has great confidence *in its being successful. It has been* found so in other cities, some of them not very far distant from Thief River Falls, and there is no reason why the same result should not be obtained here. The enterprise requires no very great outlay of money and has the added advantage of saving from almost total loss the amounts expended for mains, reservoir and other improvements already undertaken.

An ample supply of purer water is absolutely necessary for the development of the city and the welfare of its people. If the small sum voted by the council for making this experiment brings the desired results it will be the best investment ever made.

UNSAFE POSTPONEMENTS.

There is a tendency in certain quarters to advise against making improvements or undertaking extensions of any kind just at this time. The idea seems to prevail that the prices of labor and materials are going to take a drop before long and that whoever can postpone construction enterprises of any kind for awhile will be the gainer. They further point to the general unrest prevailing to a greater or less degree as an indication that no investment is any too safe.

This is the wrong idea and is not in line with what men of wide experience and genuine concern for the welfare of the nation are advocating. These latter maintain that the nearer we come to keeping up to the general program the better we will be off.

The attitude of these people is very likely to bring about the identical conditions they fear. Curtailment of construction is as dangerous as curtailment of production. Both processes should be encouraged instead of discouraged. Refusing to engage upon enterprises of a building nature in the hope that prices will come down is the same as hoping that conditions will so shape themselves that the improvement contemplated will not be necessary. A season of low prices for material and labor, with consequent low prices for everything else, is not to be desired. When such conditions prevail there is demand for expansion along industrial lines, no building undertaken, no farm investments made, no demand for labor.

Conditions at present may not be adjusted exactly right, but the poorest way of remedying the matter would be to start preparing for their becoming worse.

For this reason The Times is sorry that the stockholders of the Thief River Falls Cooperative Creamery decided to postpone the carrying out of a necessary building program. One speaker against the proposition on Saturday gave as his reason the unsettled state of the country, saying that no investment looked safe to him at this time. He evidently did not stop to realize that it is just this kind of an attitude that helps bring on depression and panic. There would be no danger of any such thing if all the building operations for which there is need were now under way. There may be strikes and unrest even in the best of times, but panics do not occur until confidence in the future has been shaken. The best way to prevent anything of the kind is to keep on building. The cost may be high, but so are the returns in proportion.

A new creamery building would be a good investment at any time, but of particular value just now. It would show those of little faith that the dairymen in this section have absolute confidence in the ability to hold their own under any and all circumstances; that the future has no terrors for them, and that they are willing to go ahead with their projects in order that they may add their mite to the general efforts being made by everyone to provide work and an outlet for products, realizing that so long as these channels are open the country is in no great danger from those who are chronically discontented.

It is to be hoped that the police matron to be appointed for Thief River Falls will find nothing to do. Such condition would more than anything else prove the wisdom of her appointment. If she is able to bring about a condition that will make her retention unnecessary she should by all means be retained.

Quite a number of estimable citizens are willing to lay aside their own pressing business for the purpose of serving as governor of Minnesota after the term of Gov. Burnquist closes. Up to date the following have signified their intention of getting into the race: Julius A. Schmahl, Redwood county; Thomas Frankson, Ramsey county; Thomas Keefe, Ramsey county; M. J. Dowling, Renville county; W. I. Nolan, Hennepin county; Franklin Ellsworth, Blue Earth county; S. G. Iverson, Ramsey county; Frank Nelson, Hennepin county; Victor Power, St. Louis county and a Nonpartisan Leaguer yet to be selected. All with the exception of the Leaguer, Tom Frankson, Congressman Ellsworth and Thomas Keefe will submit their ambitions to a Republican elimination convention. Bob Hargadine, who filed for the Democratic nomination was a former state fire marshal and of late has been active in America First circles.

The proposition to hold a tri-county fair for displaying the products of eastern Pennington, southern Marshall and western Beltrami counties, is not getting along very well. The first fair was held last fall at Goodridge and proved a credit to everyone connected with it as well as of great value to the sections represented. Now Grygla wants the next fair and there is trouble. Bro. Mussey of the Grygla Eagle, and Bro. Converse of the Goodridge Banner, are devoting considerable space in their papers to explanations and it looks very much as if the fair, as a tri-county proposition at least, had come a cropper.

RESULTS OF THE FIRE ON JANUARY 25.

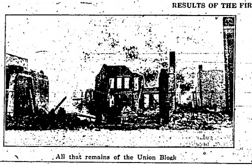

All that remains of the Union Block

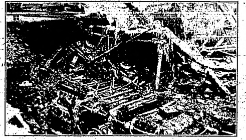

A corner of The Times Press Room

Friends of The Times Express Regret at Loss of Fine Plant

Bemidji Pioneer: The sincere sympathy of the SENTINEL is extended to Brother Ross, of the Thief River Falls Times, whose plant was destroyed by fire Sunday. We know something of the splendid institution that has been built up through the untiring efforts of Mr. Ross, and of the service that he has been giving the people of Pennington County. The equipment was of the best, a model plant in every respect, and by repeated additions the scope of the work had been constantly extended. We have no doubt that wthin a short time the equipment will be replaced and the paper will again be issued on the same thorough scale as before.

Clearbrook Leader: The magnificent big plant of the Thief River Falls Times was totally destroyed by fire Sunday when the building in which it was located was also totally destroyed, amounting in all to a $160,000 loss. The Times loss is figured at $70,000, with but very little insurance. The loss is a hard blow to the company but nevertheless they are game losers and will install a new plant as soon as possible.

Walker Pilot: Publishers throughout northern Minnesota will regret to learn of the fire which destroyed the plant of the Thief River Falls Times last Sunday morning. Press dispatches state that the loss to the Times will aggregate $70,000, with only 50 per cent insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. The Times is one of the really good papers of the north and had a plant second to none in the weekly newspaper field It will take a lot of grief for the publishers to replace an equipment as good as the one destroyed.

Mahnomen Pioneer: Fire destroyed the plant of the Thief River Falls Times last Sunday. The Times had one of the best equipped shops in the state and it means something to lose any part of a print shop these days

John P. Mattson, Publisher Warren Sheaf: "I was very sorry this morning to learn of your very great loss by fire which destroyed your printing plant. Having suffeed such a loss myself a number of years ago, I know how to sympathize with you in your misfortune. After working hard for years to build up a publishing business and equip a modern newspaper plant, it is certainly very discouraging to see the fruit of one's labors go up in smoke in a few minutes. But the average newspaper man has learned by hard experience to overcome obstacles and disappointments in life and I am sure that you also will survive this test, severe though it be. I predict that in a very short time, by the aid of the enterprising business men of your city, a bigger and better Thief River Falls Times will rise Phoenix-like, from the smouldering embers of the old plant.

"The Sheaf plant, including our typesetting machine, is at your service until you can secure new equipment. Be free to call on us for anything we can do to assist you in getting out your paper."

Egley & Crawford, Crookston Press: It was with keen regret that we learned of the destruction of the Times' plant by fire and the great loss sustained, as The Times was almost our ideal of what a community weekly should be, and it will necessarily be some little time before you can get back to the old status again.

We wish at this time to tender such assistance as we may be able to render, realizing that it will be most difficult to get everything running smoothly once more, and we also wish to congratulate you on the enterprising and courageous spirit shown in the issuing of The Times for this week, almost before the ruins were cold.

Fred T. Lincoln, Secretary Brainerd Chamber of Commerce: I learn with much regret of your loss by fire but I hope and believe that from the 'ashes of its dead self' The Times will rise to greater things. You have been very successful in your field there and your paper is recognized as one of the best weeklies in the state of Minnesota and I want to take this occasion to congratulate you in your success and express hope that you recover from your loss by fire and continue to make good."

Rock County Star, Luverne: Last Sunday morning the Thief River Falls *Times plant* was totally destroyed by fire. The paper is owned by the Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., a corporation of which R. H. Ross, formerly owner of the old Luverne Journal, and well and favorably known in this city, is manager. The Star extends sympathy to Mr. Ross and his company over the loss sustained. The Times is one of the leading papers of the state.

Northern News: Fire early last Sunday morning destroyed the Thief River Falls Times plant as well as the store of the Thief River Falls Music Company. The loss is estimated at $160,000 with about fifty per cent insurance.

The newspaper boys all extend sympathy to the boys at the Falls as we realize what a loss of the kind means.

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Local Notes

R. L. Lund of this city left on Monday evening for the cities on matters of business.

Dr. A. W. Swedenburg left for St Hilaire on Saturday to attend to business matters.

Miss Minnie Loven of Gatzke, spent the first of the week visiting with friends in this city.

Miss Olga Juberg, a student of the local high school, spent the week-end visiting with her parents at Oklee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fox and son Arnold, left on Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend the Auto show

Mrs. J. N. Nesse and children returned to this city on Monday, after a brief visit with relatives in Crookston.

William Provencher returned to Minneapolis on Sunday evening after a brief visit in this city with his parents.

Morlan Bishop spent the week-end with his parents in this city, returning to Strathcona the first of the week.

Miss Lena Bothman, who is a student in the local high school, left for her home in St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon.

Miss Martine Cloutier left on Saturday afternon for Grand Forks where she was the guest of friends over Sunday.

Elmer Sollum of Holt visited in this city on Saturday enroute to Crookston, where he spent Sunday visiting with friends.

Stephen Robinson of Oslo, is in the city as the guest of his niece, Mrs. L. G. Larsen. He will return to his home on Monday morning.

Elmer Roll was a week-end visitor with his parents at Glenwood.

Miss Emma Swanson, who teaches school in the vicinity of Mavie shopped in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. A. B. Remmem left on Saturday morning for Viking to visit with relatives for a short period.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen of Goodridge was a shopper in this city on Tuesday She returned to her home in the evening.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop spent Tuesday in the city of Mahnomen attending to business affairs connected with Y W. C. A. work.

Miss Alice Longness of Ada, arrived on Saturday and spent a few days visiting at the home of her friend Miss Grace Craik.

Leslie Provencher returned to this city on Tuesday afternoon, after a brief visit at the home of Judge Holm, in Roseau.

Mrs. E. Davidson and child left on Monday morning for Holt, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Davidson's parents for a short while.

Miss Freda Rundhund returned to her home in Goodridge on Saturday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Leon Babcock.

Mrs. J. A. Flynn arrived on Tuesday morning from her home in Superior, to attend the funeral services of her brother, the late John Severson

Miss Esther Warner came down from her home at Holt on Monday and made a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht.

Mrs. R. Preston and Mrs. J. Halverson of Plummer, were visitors in this city on Saturday, returning to their homes on the evening flyer.

James Stanek of Saskatchewan Canada, and Miss Annie Kozojed of Pennington county were married on Tuesday by Municipal Judge N. W Tarrant. The groom is a farmer in the Canadian province and the couple left the same evening to begin their married life there.

Miss Freda Gustafson arrived on Monday afternoon from Strathcona where she attended the funeral services of her father and departed on the evening flyer for Minneapolis, where she is employed.

Miss Mary Votava visited with her parnets in this city the latter part of the week, returning to Kratka on Saturday, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Engh left on Tuesday morning for Adams, where they will reside in the future. Mr. Engh has been firing on the Soo line out of this city.

Miss Anna Horysh arrived in this city on Monday evening from her home at Waubun and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her grandparents.

Miss Florence Linn of the clerical force of Loken's department store left on Tuesday afternoon for her home in Underwood, where she will make a brief visit.

Richard Heffron of Pipestone, arrived here on Monday evening and made a brief visit at the home of his friends, Francis Burns. Mr. Heffron belonged to the same company as the latter during the war.

Misses Johanna and Augusta Behn who attend the school of dressmaking in this city left on Tuesday afternoon for their home in Red Lake Falls where they will spend a few days.

L. Golla arrived here last week from Dunseth and will visit at the homes of his sisters, Mrs. Victoria McKinney and Mrs. W. H. Warner He expects to remain in this city for ten days.

Miss Marie Gronlie arrived on Saturday *afternoon from Gatzke*, where she had spent the past month visiting at the home of an aunt, and will be the guest of friends here for a few days.

J. J. McCann returned the first of the week from the cities, where he had been in attendance at the state meeting of county agents. He also attended the state poultry exhibit and the annual meeting of Shorthorn breeders.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melby and daughter, Ardith, arrived on Saturday evening from their home in Fordville N. D., and will be the guests of the former's mother in this city. Mr. Melby left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis to attend to business matters.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, of the teaching corps of this city, left on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will visit with her sister, until the first of next week. Miss Fjelstad has contracted a severe cold finding it advisable to remain off duty for a week to avoid serious developments.

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Society

Presbyterian Choir Organizes.

It is due, in large measure, to the diligence and ability of Mrs. Edberg that the Presbyterian choir has grown to its present size and developed to such large degree.

Tuesday evening at regular choir rehearsal officers were elected, who immediately took charge of the tasks connected with their positions. The officers elected were as follows:

President, Gordon Melby; vice president, Carl Granning; secretary Miss Dorothy Lane; treasurer, Miss Jessie Barnett; Librarian, Harold Smithers.

Two committees were then appointed, consisting of the following members:

Membership Committee—Miss Jessie Barnett, Elry Portor, Mrs. M. W Brink.

Social Committee—Miss Meta Kiland, Miss Zella Zeh, Wilbur Roth Wilbur Mabey.

Advertising Committee — William Herrick.

The men's chorus has been the object of special attention the past few weeks. The choir club has planned on a men's organization of twenty-four voices and have already begun to realize their ambitions.

Later, a ladies' chorus is to be organized. Every Sunday there will be a vocal or instrumental solo by a member of the choir followed by a selection by the choir.

The installing of the officers of the Lady Maccabees took place at the Masonic hall on last Tuesday evening Jan. 27. The following officers were installed: Commander, Mrs. W. H. Kline; Lieut. Commander, Mrs. J. H. Hermanson; Past Commander, Mrs. I. G. Sands; Corresponding Secretary Mrs. N. W. Tarrant; Collector, Mrs. N. Waldorf; Chaplain, Mrs. L. R. Johnston; Lady of Arms, Mrs. J. F. Kiltie; Seargent, Mrs. O. F. Halgrim; Sentinel, Mrs. M. Schmitz.

A bountiful lunch closed a very enjoyable evening.

Birthday Party.

A delightful party was held at the Benson home on Duluth avenue when Garfield Benson celebrated his eleventh birthday anniversary. Various games made up the evening's entertainment. Refreshments concluded the evening's enjoyment. The guests were: Earl Bessler, Gordon and Orrin Storholm, Edmund and Herbert Keene, Donald Fitterman Wendall Sether, Chas. Frissell, Jerome Hilliard, Marvin Benson, Edward Kiland, Alf Vistaunet, Lawrence Rolland, Chas. Dablow, Gordon and Eugene Richter.

Slumber Party.

One of the social events of the season was a "slumber party" held at the home of Mrs. M. W. Brink on Thursday evening. The guests attended the lecture by Monteville Flowers held at the auditorium, after which they repaired to the Brink home where a welch rarebit spread had been prepared for them by the hostess.

Y. W. C. A. Meeting.

A meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held at the home of Mrs. J. M Bishop on last Friday evening. All arrangements for work for the coming year were made, after which they attended the declamatory contest held at the Lincoln high school.

Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Chas Teal, surprised him on last Saturday evening at his home. Games formed the amusement after which a delicious lunch was served.

Entertained.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw informally entertained a few of her immediate friends at her home on last Friday afternoon.

Mutal Help Club.

The Mutual Help club will not hold its regular meeting on Feb. 6th, this week, because of the flu situation.

Entertains.

Mrs. P. W. Mabey informally entertained a few of her friends on last Saturday evening.

Marriage Licenses.

January 14—Halvor Danielson and Edma Bjerklee.

January 16—Clyde Nason and Helen E. Erickson.

January 19—J. Thomas and Rose Habedank.

Jan. 23—Arthur Pearson and Martha Furstnau.

Obituary

John J. Amble.

John J. Amble, for sixteen years a resident of Pennington county, died on Sunday afternoon at a hospital in Grand Forks following an operation The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Larson undertaking parlors, Rev George Larson officiating. Interment in Greenwood.

Deceased was born in Norway in 1861 and came to this country when a young man. In 1891 he was married to Miss Julia Tovsliv and to this union was born six children, five of whom, together with the widow, survive. The children are: Mrs. Fred Brandvold, Susie, Cora, Blanche and John, all of Thief River Falls. Besides these there are two brothers S. J. Amble of St. Hilaire, and O. J Amble of Saskatchewan, Canada, and a sister, Mrs. C. Johnson of Grand Forks.

Deceased was one of the best known farmers in the county and a man of fine character. He was successful as a farmer, being among the first in the section to apply improved methods.

John Severson.

John Severson passed away on Feb 2, at his home on 112 Knight avenue south, from tuberculosis from which he had suffered for some time. At the time of his death he was forty years old. Deceased was born in Norway on Feb. 29, 1880, emigrating to this country thirty-one years ago, having resided in this city for the past seventeen years. Funeral services were held in the undertaking parlors conducted by Rev. Kvale. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Alma A. Stover.

On January 31, occurred the death of Mrs. Alma A. Stover at her home 411 Duluth Ave. N., from pneumonia Deceased had been ill only a short while when death ensued. She was born on August 4, 1891, making her age at the time of her death, twenty-nine years. She had been a resident of this city for three and a half years. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery on Tuesday. A husband and two children survive.

Mrs. O. C. McCormick.

Word was received in this city last week of the death of Mrs. O. C. McCormick from pneumonia, on Jan. 27, at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Weiland of Grand Rapids, where she was a guest at the time of her death The deceased is well known to local people having resided in this city and is perhaps better known by her maiden name, Miss Antoinette Smith.

Miss Katie Stein.

Miss Katie Stein passed away at the home of her father, G. S. Stein of Cloverleaf township, on February 1 from influenza. Deceased was 36 years old at the time of her death. Interment ywas made on Tuesda in Mavie cemetery.

Times Want Ads.

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K A. Sundahl. 56tf

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

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LOST—Bundle containing pink camisole. Finder please call Phone 602. 56p

Farm Bargain.

Improved farm of 331 acres, 12 miles from town; 140 acres field. 50 acres tame hay, balance prairie; fair set of buildings; flowing well. $1900.00 cash handles this, balance 5 per cent interest, long time. Price $8500.00.—C. W. McDaniels, Thief River Falls, Minn. 51tf

FOR SALE—Two heaters, wood. Also other furniture, new. Cheap; for cash. 308 Arnold Ave. N.

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

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FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front; fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 608 Horace Ave N. 43tf

FOR SALE—House, 6 rooms, cellar, barn, water and 2 acres land. Zeh's addition.—Iven P. Anderson, Owner. 58p

FOR SALE—Lot in Porter's Addition. Write Otto F. Wendt, 1422 Front St. Fargo, N. D. 62p

FOR SALE—One black walnut parlor set and one complete dining room set, only used a few months. Inquire at The Times. 56tf

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FOR RENT—160 acres good black loam, well drained, an excellent quarter, three miles south of Goodridge; a state road leading up to farm. Frank N. Schroeder, North Beuna Vista, Ia. 6p

FOR RENT—320 acres in Sections 7 and 8, town of Kratka. Improved.—W. H. Frederick. 56

WANTED TO BUY—Team, harness and sleigh—Martin Jepson, Rhoda, Minn. 55p

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8¼ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

WANTED—Breaking done. 160 acres to be broke, disked and drilled to flax. River Falls on the Jefferson Highway. Location ten miles west from Thief Wish to make contract with responsible party.—W. H. Frederick. 56

SALESMEN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address Lincoln Oil Co., Cleveland, O. 55p

WANTED—A young man for sales position for Thief River Falls territory. Sales experience not necessary but should have reasonable business experience to qualify. Address Commercial Service Company, New York Life Building, Minneapolis, Minnesota. 53

WANTED—Reliable party wants to rent improved farm on shares. Inquire Ogahmah Hotel. 56tf

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Dressmaking Wanted

At the residence of John Christenson, 525 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 63p

Income Tax Returns

The First and Peoples State Bank is prepared to render assistance in preparing income tax returns.

In order to enable us to give the best service possible in this instance our Mr. T. M. Thronson was sent to the Income Tax School at Minneapolis for the purpose of familiarizing himself thoroughly with the exact requirements of the government and his services will be at the call of anyone desiring assistance.

The Federal Income Tax Law is very complicated and the Internal Revenue Department is continually finding it necessary to make new rulings and change old ones. Authorities differ in interpreting the law and various rulings so that it is impossible for the Bank to assume responsibility for the opinions given to patrons.

However, in offering this service this bank has made every effort to give the best advice they can obtain.

Please bring your statements of income and expense early.

First and Peoples State Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.

BIG SALE OF PURE BRED ANIMALS AT LIVESTOCK SHOW

THREE HUNDRED HEAD WILL BE OFFERED NEXT WEEK AT AUCTION.

HIGH PRICES FOR DAIRY PRODUCTS EXPECTED TO BOOST THIS CLASS.

GREATEST ARRAY OF SPEAKING TALENT EVER PRESENTED IN STATE.

Long accustomed to raising the hardest of hard wheat, the plumpest and best oats and world record breaking barley in the Red River Valley and still doing so, it is only during recent years that the farmers of that fertile area have set themselves to the task of raising superior live stock. That they can do that, too has been amply proved on many occasions, notably when a noted sire of one of the dairy breeds brought $65,000 at a public sale, a Red River Valley bred, raised and sold bull.

Another epochal event in live stock circles is scheduled to be held at the Red River Valley's pavilion located in Crookston during the week of February 9-13, when nearly 300 head of pure bred stock will be sold. Purple blooded Holsteins, royally bred Shorthorns, Duroc hogs with cherry color Chester Whites and Poland Chinas will all be offered to the present and future live stock farmers of several states who are expected to attend.

Much speculation exists regarding the highest priced individual to be offered at this sale. The Shorthorn men claim that the progeny of the $10,000 imported bull, Royal Cup, should help them top the sale. The Holstein breeders insist that the $65,000 Sir Pietertje Ormsby Mercedes 41st should make them the favorites of the hour and bring the laurel to the black and white. At 75 cents per pound for butter fat much can be said to sustain their claims. The hog men are very enthusiastic about their prospects due to the high quality of consignments listed with the sales' management.

The following sales will be held during the week: Chester White swine, Tuesday; Poland Chinas, Tuesday; Holstein cattle, Wednesday; Duroc Jersey swine, Thursday; Shropshire ewes, Thursday; Shorthorn cattle, Friday.

Hi Riley, St. Paul; C. A. Hitchcock, Crookston; and H. L. Hull Des Moines, will officiate as auctioneers.

Special train service has been arranged for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, February 11, 12 and 13 bringing in hundreds from every direction to attend the meetings of Northwest School Farmers' Week and the live stock and farm crops shows. Duncan Marshall of Alberta speaks Monday evening; Dean Tatcher and Commissioner N. J. Holmberg on Wednesday, February 11; Dr. George E Vincent on Thursday, February 12; and President Marion LeRoy Burton A. D. Wilson and E. G. Quammo on Friday, the thirteenth. Other notable men and women will be in attendance during the week. From every viewpoint it promises to be the Red River Valley's greatest annual event.

SHOULD GET BUSY FIGURING INCOME

DEPUTY FEDERAL COLLECTOR WILL BE HERE NEXT WEEK TO HELP.

The blanks are already here and the collector is coming next week. It is time that some thought were given to the income tax blank, if you are a single person with an income of more than $1,000 per year or a married one whose total for 1919 reached $2,000. If you fell below these figures you need have no fear for anything but the future.

The net income is the difference between what a person takes in and what he pays out for the expenses that he is allowed by the law to deduct.

Ignorance of the law is no excuse and a person who fails to file a return of taxable net income is subject to a fine of not more than $1,000 while the penalty for false affidavit is a fine not exceeding $10,000 or not exceeding one year's imprisonment or both, besides 50 per cent of tax evaded.

The tax rate this year is 4 per cent on incomes of $4,000 and under whereas last year it was 6 per cent Over $4,000 the tax is 8 per cent with an additional or sur tax at graduate rates on incomes over $5,000.

The deputy collector will be at the commercial club rooms for five days and those who are in any doubt as to whether or not they are subject to taxation under the law should make it a point to see him.

Christmas Seal Sale.

A. K. Lockrem, local manager of the Christmas seal sale for Sanders township, has submitted the following report of the number of seals sold in the different school districts of the township:

No. 106—Jas. A. Dahl	$ 2.30
No. 149—Tilda Brandrud	5.00
No. 166—Eric E. Anderson	4.47
No. 194—Helen Norquist	5.00
Total	$16.77

The teachers and children were very much interested in this campaign and promise in the future to aid any enterprise on which the county health association may engage to the extent of their ability.

THE SAMSON TRACTOR STORY

About two years ago some men interested in General Motors Corporation decided that certain new and more sound practices should be introduced into Tractor manufacturing and selling methods.

These men owned and operated farms—regular farms, not gentlemen's estates—and from experience they knew that the Tractor was not on a safe and sane business basis.

A few men might, for a little while, pay a premium for the novelty of Tractor farming, but not many would for very long.

The Tractor was going to go the way of the bicycle unless it got down to sound business—sound business from the farmer's point of view.

What is sound business?

Isn't it simply this? If you are going to buy a Tractor you must get along with fewer horses, or the Tractor is an extravagance.

Usually, you cannot, on sound principles, pay $1,500 for a Tractor and keep the same number of horses.

You cannot pay that sum for a Tractor and have it displace only two or three horses. That is, you cannot profitably do so unless, perhaps your conditions are quite unusual.

The average number of horses displaced by each Tractor in the United States is about three.

"Then" said these gentlemen "the Tractor that displaces three horses must sell for practically the sum of which a farmer would sell three horses and their equipment."

Of couse, the Tractor must have power, simplicity, endurance, and other attributes of quality. But unless it got down to the place where it could, dollar for dollar successfully compete with horses it would never rank in use along with the automobile and the motor truck.

If the Tractor business could be put on a sound, permanent basis no organization was in a better position to put it there than General Motors Corporation.

It had developed success in motor cars to a great volume. In its record were Buick, Cadillac Chevrolet, Oldsmobile and Oakland. It had also been signally successful in building motor trucks —trucks that replaced horses.

The decision was reached by General Motors to build Tractors and other Farm-power units.

The Samson Tractor was designed and tried out successfully.

The Samson Tractor Company was formed at Janesville, Wis.

Work started on the building of the factory there.

Then the war held up the work on the factory, but increased the need for Tractors.

The Automatic Divisions of General Motors Corporation were restricted in car production. The Government was willing that they make Tactor parts.

An advertising campaign was prepared announcing the Samson Tractor—"A Tractor and a Price."

The armistice came. estrictions on automobiles were removed. The various Automobile Divisons of General Motors took up ther usual work and the production of Samson Tractors dropped away below expectations.

In the meantime the Samson Announcements appeared in the farm papers.

Over 25,000 farmers wrote in for more information about this Tractor.

Ten thousand men wrote for dealers' terms and territory.

Samson Tractor Company might easily have alloted territory to dealers, entered into contracts with them and taken deposits amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The dealers in turn could have sold Samson's to thousands of farmers and accepted deposits for them.

So great was the interest in this Tractor priced on a now—a real value to the farmer—basis. But, due to conditions beyond the control of Samson Tractor Company, There were no Tractors or very few to deliver.

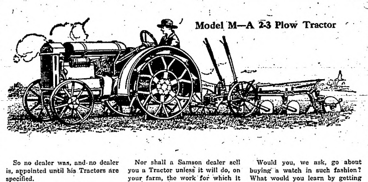

Model M—A 2-3 Plow Tractor

So no dealer was, and no dealer is, appointed until his Tractors are specified.

No dealer is allowed to sell a Samson Tractor to a farmer unless he knows he can deliver to that farmer.

When distributon was begun not one dollar had been taken from dealer or from farmer.

Last spring—and it still holds good today—our advice to a Samson prospect was this:

"Wait for a Samson Tractor if you can, but if you must have a Tractor right now, go and make the next best buy you can find."

Perhaps you want a Samson Tractor. Perhaps you are waiting for one. For you we have a good word.

The work in the mammoth plant at Janesville is going forward rapidly. Even without the completion of the plant with its attendant production, the number of Samson Tractors going out is increasing constantly as the various foundries, forging plants and machine shops get back near to a maximum production.

The time will soon be here when you can have your Samson, whether it be one of the models of Samson Tractors or of Samson Farm Trucks.

You will be interested now, we believe in some of the other policies that Samson is introducing into Tractor methods.

We have told you how the Samson is priced, on the basis of the number of horses it will displace We have told you that our dealers must not take any of your money unless they can make satisfactory delivery of your Tractor.

Nor shall a Samson dealer sell you a Tractor unless it will do, on your farm, the work for which it is intended and which it must do to be a good buy for you.

There are Samson Selling Practices some things that you should know now, even tho you may not immediately buy a Samson Tractor.

You will not, for instance, find us talking about specifications. It has been said even that the Samson Tractor is a myth. If we did not give specifications it must be because we have none to give. To sell Tractors without referring to specifications was unheard of and still is—except that we are doing it.

You can see that specifications will not help you decide on a Tractor. There is a much bigger question you and we must answer—one we do meet face to face with you—the horse replacement value of a Tractor. Will the Tractor go onto your farm and do for you better and cheaper what your horses and mules now do?

Consider how near to the ridiculous one is apt to carry the specification mania.

Suppose you go into a jewelers store for a watch. The jeweler puts a watch down before you. Instead of judging whether the watch will answer your requirements for a timepiece and at the same time please you with its appearance and is priced at what you consider a fair price, you go into the specifications.

You ask its weight, you measure its diameter and thickness, you inquire the length of its mainspring, you count the teeth in the escapement wheel. You get the gear ratios.

Would you, we ask, go about buying a watch in such fashion? What would you learn by getting its specifications that would help you determine the value of that watch to you?

No, you don't buy a watch that way, nor do you buy bread on a chemical analysis. And you never bought a horse on the size collar he wore.

Apply the same common-sense methods to estimating the value to you of a Tractor. What can you care about piston displacement, gear ratios, stroke and bore, if the Tractor delivers the goods?

It is not enough that you and the Samson dealer simply believe that a Samson will do the work you want done.

We insist that the Samson prove itself on your own farm and in your own hands. We give you a demonstration right on your own farm, with the very conditions under which the Tractor must work day in and day out.

With the Samson Model M Tractor you pay a $65.00 fee when you give your order. The dealer puts the Samson on his truck and brings it out to your farm. Neither you nor we want him to drive it out five, ten, fifteen miles posthaste over rough roads and turn it over to you an already used Tractor. He delivers it any distance brand new—just as it left the factory.

You and he hitch it to the implement you want to use. He explains the hitch, shows you how to adjust the implement. Then he shows you how to run the Tractor and how to care for it. You will be the judge of when you are proficient in its operation, care and maintenance.

If you learn in a day—fine. If in three days—no matter. You must be satisfied.

You have known for a long time that a course of instruction should be given. It will prove invaluable to you many times.

Then the Tractor is yours and the responsibility is yours—except that by the terms of the warranty you are protected against defective parts. If you are a careful operator the benefits of your carefullness are yours. If you need a lot of service you will have service bills in proportion.

Did you ever hear of anything fairer?

No big blanket-charge is tacked onto the price of Samson Tractors to enable the dealer or the manufacturer to render free service. As a matter of fact service does not consist in doing something for nothing. Tractor service actually consists in having closely available a competent man to make necessary restorations quickly and at a reasonable price.

With the old system of a blanket-charge for service tacked onto the price of the Tractor, the careful operator pays for service he does not get—service rendered the careless, reckless man.

No, in buying a Samson Tractor you pay only for what you get. No service—no charge.

This policy of keeping value and price on an equality applies to even the fenders and platform of the Samson. These do not add to the perfomance, to the value to you of a Tractor. With the Samson Model M Tractor they are not included, therefore, in the price, $650.00 f. o. b. Janesville, Wis., But farmers want them, and so far scarcely a tractor has been bought without fenders and platform, which cost but $50.00 additional.

It is on these principles, therefore, that Samson Policy is built.

To give you Tractors and Trucks for prices equal to their real value on a strictly sound, economical basis.

To sell you the Samson Model that fits your farm—and no other model.

Never to sell a Samson Tractor or a Samson Truck or any other Farmpower unit just for the sake of making a sale.

To build volume by giving you value—and then to give you in the price the benefit of that volume.

To treat you as though Samson Tractor Company could not succeed unless you were completely satisfied.

By fair dealing to make such a friend of you that we can be sure of your good word for Samson whenever it is mentioned.

To build so solidly and so well that we can look forward from your good will and business to the good will and business of your sons.

To make the word SAMSON mean so much to you that the name alone will sell any power product, any implement, any machine bearing its name, which we will from time to time offer you as part of the Samson Farmpower Line.

To make no promises, either oral or printed, that we are not prepared to fulfill absolutely.

It requires vast resources and an unfailing sincerity of purpose to give these principles life in our every move.

To some, these policies are unique.

To others they seem doomed to failure. In fact, it has been said that we could not succeed on such a broad basis of service to the farming public. We are succeeding, however, even beyond our expectations.

But to us these principles and policies are simply the same, obvious methods of modern merchandising to the business farmer.

Our sucess depends upon making that business farmer an equal partner in the benefits of our efforts.

We believe that only on such a basis can the farm and factory be drawn into that close harmony necessary to the best success of both.

SAMPSON TRACTOR CO.
Janesville, Wisconsin

Peoples Auto Co.
Agents
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

City Council Proceedings

A regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Jan. 27th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent; None.

Minutes of the meeting of Jan. 13th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that bids for City Depository be opened. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the four banks of the City be designated as depositories, the amount of moneys to be maintained in each bank to be in the proportion which the capital and surplus of the banks bear towards each other. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the City Council accept personal bonds for City Depositories. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the bids for city printing be opened. Motion carried and the following bids were submitted:

The Tribune: Twenty-five cents per folio for the first insertion and eighteen cents for each subsequent insertion.

The Times Co.: agrees to publish the financial statement of the City for $50.00, the council proceedings free of charge, and all other resolutions and notices at the rate of forty-five cents per folio for the first insertion and twenty cents for each subsequent insertion.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that bids for the designation of the official printing be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Froseth, that the City enter into a contract with Druar & Smith for testing of the city well. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the matter of a police matron be left with the Mayor. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ihle, that the application of Shannahan & Sheedy, for permit to operate a pool and billiard hall, be granted. Roll Call: Members voting Yes; Froseth, Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Members voting No; Dahl and Brandon. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the application for transfer of pool hall license of James Cosgrove be granted. Roll Call: Members voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members voting No; None. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the appointment of P. G. Peterson as Deputy City Clerk be approved, and that he be required to furnish a bond in the sum of $1,000.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the bond of the City Clerk in the sum of $8,000.00 be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Froseth, that the Mayor's appointment of Chief of Police, Patrolman and Health officer be approved. Motion carried

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the report of the Manager of the Auditorium be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the annual report of the Secretary of the Cemetery Commission be accepted. Motion carried.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution fixing the salaries of the City Officials and Employes for the years 1920 and 1921. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution designating the City Depositories for the year 1920. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Council adjourn until Thursday, Jan. 29th, at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest: A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 27, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the salaries for the following named officers and employes of the City of Thief River Falls for the years 1920 and 1921, be, and the same are hereby fixed and established as follows:

	Per year
Mayor	$100.00
City Physician	200.00
Health Officer	200.00
Aldermen	100.00
	Per month
City Clerk	130.00
City Treasurer	25.00
City Attorney	65.00
Chief of Police	95.00
Patrolman	90.00
Deputy City Clerk and Bookkeeper, Water & Light Department	115.00
Street Commissioner	90.00
Municipal Judge	95.00
Poor Matron	35.00
Mrs. Anna Bang, rent of poor house as per lease	25.00
Librarian	75.00
Janitor of Library	40.00
For and during the months of January, February, March and May, and for the balance of the year, $35.00 per month.	
Janitor of Jail	15.00
Fire Teamster, for self and team	165.00
Sexton of Cemetery	90.00
Superintendent of Water & Light Dept.	160.00
First Electrician	115.00
Second Electrician	105.00
First Engineer	125.00
Second Engineer	110.00
Third Engineer	110.00
Superintendent of Incinerator	80.00
Janitor of Auditorium	80.00
Garbage Collector	75.00

The salary of the City Clerk to include services as Clerk of the Cemetery Commission and the salary allowed by the Cemetery Commission to be deducted from the amount to be paid from the salary above fixed.

The above salaries are to be paid on the first day of each month during said period, to those officials and employes whose salaries are fixed by the month, and to those whose salaries are fixed by the year payment shall be made on the last day of March, June, September and December of each year.

The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized and required to issue and deliver to the above officers and employes, the City Warrants in accordance with the above schedule of salaries.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

Approved Jan. 31st, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.

Attest: A. H. AKRE, City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Counill held Jan. 27th, 1920, Alderman C. Froseth, seconded by Alderman A. Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$465.00
~~Walter S. Booth & Son, birth and death register~~	6.00
First National Bank, premium on City Clerk's bond	32.00
Auditorium Fund.	
L. M. Johnson, labor	2.25
Spring Handle Co., supplies	6.58
Thief River Grocery Co., soap	7.00
Poor Fund.	
O. A. Westin, house rent, Hannah Johnson	12.00
Lieberman Bros., clothing, Mrs. Vavolis	14.50
A. E. Zellmar, groceries	43.51
L. B. Baldwin, Supt., transportation of pauper	10.00
Anna Bang, transportation advanced for pauper	11.73
Mrs. Nels Burthess, house rent, Mrs. Vavolis	15.00
Dr. C. R. Crandall, professional services, Mrs. Swanson	2.50
Electric Light Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc	9.87
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	283.71
N. W. Electric Equip. Co., supplies	461.15
Sulzer Bros. Deisel Engine Co., supplies	20.39
Western Electric Co., supplies	9.79
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil	162.60
Alfred Adolphs, labor	91.70
George Doland, labor	45.00
J. P. Curtis, supplies	2.05
H. G. McFaddin Co., supplies	14.00

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

Approved Jan. 31st, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.

Attest: A. H. AKRE, City Clerk.

Adjourned meeting, Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Jan. 29th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present; Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Members absent; Froseth and Ihle.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the motion to lay the matter of the City Printing on the table be rescinded. Motion carried.

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution accepting the bid of the Times Printing Co., for the city printing for the fiscal year and that the amount of the bond be fixed at $500.00. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the rental of the auditorium for all entertainments be increased $5.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the Superintendent of Water and Light be instructed to place an order for a car of distillate fuel oil. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the Council adoprned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest: A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held Jan. 29,1920, Alderman John Dahl, seconded by Alderman S. Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls Minnesota, that the bid of the Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., publishing the newspaper in said city known as the Thief River Falls Times, for city printing for the year 1920, be, and the same is hereby accepted, and the said newspaper, to-wit: the Thief River Falls Times, is hereby designated the official paper of said city during the ensuing year, and all ordinances, resolutions and proceedings of the city are hereby ordered published and printed in said newspaper.

The terms and conditions of such bid, and the acceptance thereof, are as follows, to-wit:

The financial statement of the City shall be printed and published as required by law for the sum of $50.00.

The proceedings of the City Council shall be published without cost or charge to the city.

All other notices and resolutions requiring publication shall be published at the rate of forty-five cents per folio for the first insertion, and twenty cents per folio for each subsequent insertion.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That said Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., be, and it is hereby required to furnish a bond with sufficient sureties subject to the approval of the city council, in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars, conditioned as required by law, for the faithful and proper performance of its work and services as heretofore set forth.

Aldermen voting Yes; Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Aldermen voting No; None.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Resolution declared passed.

Approved Jan. 31st, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.

Attest: A. H. AKRE, City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 27, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls Minnesota, that the proposals of the following named banks, for depositories of the funds of the City, be, and they are hereby accepted, and that the following banks be, and they are hereby designated as depositories of the moneys in the City treasury during the year ensuing after date hereof, to-wit:

First and Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
First National Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the moneys in the City treasury shall be deposited, and deposits thereof maintained in said banks, in the following proportions, to-wit: In said First and Peoples State Bank, nine twenty-sixths of said moneys; in said First National Bank, eight twenty-sixths thereof; in said Citizens State Bank, six twenty-sixths thereof, and in said Farmers and Merchants Bank, three twenty-sixths thereof, the same being the present proportion which the capital and surplus of said banks bear towards each other.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the proper officials of the City be, and are hereby directed, to maintain the balances of the City's moneys in said banks in the aforesaid proportion, as nearly as possible, and, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proper officials of the City, be, and they are hereby directed to maintain the active checking account of the City in said First and Peoples State Bank.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That such depositories, before any public moneys shall be deposited therein, be required to furnish bonds as required by law; it being agreed, pursuant to such proposals, and the acceptance thereof that said banks shall pay the City interest on all deposits at the rate of three per cent per annum, to be computed and paid on the first day of each month, upon the daily average daily balances during the preceding month.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 31st, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.

Attest: A. H. AKRE, City Clerk.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Gay Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County Minnesota, on the 20th day of June 1916 at one o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30) for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04).

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N½) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and State will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five ($75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
of Fergus Falls, Mortgagee

N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minn.
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AMENDMENT TO CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF THE GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, No. 1135.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 10th day of January, A. D., 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED, That section six of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six: "The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject, shall be Three Hundred Thousand Dollars."

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Goodridge, Minnesota, on the 10th day of January A. D., 1920.

H. S. DAHLEN, President.
J. P. JENSEN, Cashier.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 10th day of January, 1920, before me appeared H. S. Dahlen and J. P. Jensen, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Goodridge State Bank, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

THEO. TANDBERG.
(Notarial Seal.)
Notary Public, Pennington Conuty, Minn.

My commission expires July 9, 1920.

State of Minnesota, Office of Superintendent of Banks, St. Paul, January 21, 1920.

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Goodridge State Bank in voting to increase the highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall be subject from One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars to Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

F. E. PEARSON,
(Seal) Superintendent of Banks,
By G. H. SIVWRIGHT,
Deputy Superintendent.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 21st day of January, A. D., 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book B, of State Bank Records, on page 518.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1920, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of Miscel., on page 596.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
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Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Leo J. Holscher.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Ella Holscher, Leo A. Holscher, Viola Holscher, Vivian A. Holscher, Russell M. Holscher, Aurel J. Holscher, Evelyn J. Holscher, William A. Holscher, Herbert Holscher, Gordon Holscher, and *all persons interested in the granting* of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Ella Holscher having been filed in this Court, representing that Leo J. Holscher, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 16th day of December, 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to William C. Craft, 1520 Iglehart Street, St. Paul, Minn., and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, 1920 at 10:00 A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
SAMUEL A. ANDERSON,
St. Paul, Minn.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Attorneys for Petitioner.
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Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

Estate of John M. Anderson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John M. Anderson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Mina (Minnie) M. Anderson and Martin M. Anderson and Mrs. Theo. O. Berg, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: THEREFORE YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Court.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j22-29-f5

Citation For Hearing on Final Acount and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anders C. Hansen, also known as Anders C. Hanson, also known as A. C. Hansen, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Marit Hansen, Hans T. Hanson, Anna Maria Magnuson, Thora Hansen, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named Decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of January, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
HANS O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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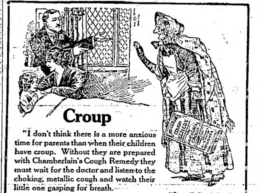

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HOGS AND CATTLE REGISTER SLUMP

MARKET DECLINES ON ALL GRADES BUT CHOICE LAMBS SET RECORD.

The week's opening:
Cattle 4100—Steady to lower.
Stockers & Feeders—Steady.
Calves—Steady, top $18.50.
Hogs—10400; steady to 10c higher er.
Pigs—900 @ $14.50.
Sheep—3600; steady to lower.

Special to The Times—Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul—After hitting the top price for the winter and selling at $15.60, hog values took a sharp slump the balance of the week Friday's sales being $14.70@$14.75. There was a mild reaction Saturday values advancing 15c. Closing trade was registered at $15.65@$14.85. Stock pigs sold up to $15 at times but at the finish, the upper limit was $14.50. Receipts for the week were 60,200.

Cattle trade held about steady most of the week until the closing days, when a decline of 15@25c was registered. The few fair to good short-fed steers that sifted in cashed at $13@$13.50 with an odd sale or two at a higher figure. Bulk of business was ticketed at $10@$11.50 with inferior kinds down to $7. Most business on other grades was on the following basis: Fat cows and heifers $6.50@$9 with choice ones at $10@$11.50. Canners and cutters $5@$6.25; bulls $7@$9; vealers $7@$18.50. Stockers and feeders were slow and lower and dairy cows about steady. Receipts were 19,500.

Choice lambs set a new high mark when they cashed up to $20 and al' grades had good clearance. Quality was rather plain except for a few choice offerings. Current quotations: Lambs $10@$20; ewes $5@$11.50; yearlings $12@$17.50; wethers $10@$12.25; bred ewes $8@$12; feeder lambs $12@$17. Receipts were 9,200

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.21
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.16
Oats	.71
Flax	4.72
Barley	1.12
Rye	1.37
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.70
Bran	2.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.95
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.25
Cracked Corn, 100 lb bags	3.95
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled Hay, cwt	1.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	14 to [illegible]
Geese, alive, per lb	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.20
Spring Chickens	.16
Ducks	.12½
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.57
Dairy Butter	.58
Creamery Butter	.67
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	5-7
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb	.14
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.17
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.10
Steers, per lb	7-9
Calves, per lb	6-7
Cows	6-7
Lamb, per lb	.10

Germans Call Rev. Kreidt.

Rev. Emil Kreidt, who is at present residing at Wheaton, has been called by the congregation of St John's Lutheran church in this city and is expected here the latter part of this week. It was the intention of Rev. Kreidt to preach his opening sermon here on Sunday but the flu ban makes this impossible.

The new pastor was formerly pastor at Galveston, Texas and later at Kennewick, Wash. While in the latter city Mrs. Kreidt was taken sick and it became necessary to seek the aid of the Mayo doctors at Rochester As Rev. Kreidt could not very well leave his wife during this time he resigned his pulpit at Kennewick and has not since that time had a permanent call. The lady is now very much improved and he will again return to the ministry. He is a man most highly spoken of by all with whom he has been associated and the members of the local congregation deem themselves fortunate in securing his services.

Special Nurse Arrives.

Miss Minnie Hauge of Minneapolis arrived in the city yesterday morning for the purpose of taking charge of the flu isolation hospital. Suitable quarters for the hospital were found in a building south of the Great Northern tracks formerly used as a hotel. It is equipped with the necessary conveniences and patients will be well housed. Miss Hauge was sent here by the state headquarters of the Red Cross at the request of President T. P. Anderson of Pennington county chapter. She is a lady of much experience in this kind of work and comes highly recommended. Up to date all flu patients have been taken care of at their own homes but it was feared that the need for a hospital might at any time arise.

Officials are Complimented.

L. M. Cedarburg, a public accountant from the office of the state public examiner, was in the city last week for the purpose of going over the books of City Clerk A. H. Akre and Treasurer E. M. Evenson. The council requested that this be done before the financial statement for the year is presented.

Mr. Cedarburg found everything in the very best of order. In fact he complimented the officials of the city very highly on the manner in which the books have been kept and said it was a pleasure to go over work so carefully executed.

Declamatory Contest.

"Selections," by the high school band was the opening number at the declamatory contest held at the Lincoln high school on last Friday evening. This was followed by "yells" given by the local high school students. Mr. DeLong, superintendent of the schools at Red Lake Falls, acted as chairman. The first speaker was Miss B. Berg of Middle River, followed by Miss M. Hanson of Strandquist Miss Esther Barnes of Newfolden, Miss Myrtle Sunderland of Badger, Lee Ihle of this city, and Foss Paul of Red Lake Falls. The judges decided in favor of Foss Paul. Lee Ihle and Myrtle Sunderland.

Community singing led by Mr. DeLong, was highly enjoyed by everyone. Mr. DeLong also delivered a brief but entertaining address to the students and visitors. A reception was held in the commercial rooms with contestants, judges, committees public speaking classes and band boys as the guests. A delightful lunch consisting of sandwiches, salads, cake and coffee was served. Mr. Foss, as the winner of the contest, will have the distinction of appearing at the Farm Crop show held in Crookston next week.

Doing Good Job.

The building committee of the city council is entitled to the thanks of all citizens for the good job they are having done in overhauling the auditorium building. A corps of scrub women have been busy for the past few days and the place already shows a wonderful improvement. The work is being done under the supervision of R. G. Cook, the new custodian, and he is seeing to it that the performance is thorough.

Hospital Notes.

The following entries were made at the Physicians hospital since last Thursday: C. L. Holm, city; Victor Johnson, Holt; O. Florance, Oak Point; F. Burns, city; Mrs. C. Runcton, Middle River; T. Vohrman, Holt; Mrs. M. Elton, Pine Creek; P. J. Anderson, city; Geo. F. Baird, Erie; Mrs Arnold Dale, city.

Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the trustees of the Trinity Lutheran Church of Thief River Falls, Minn., for the sale of the church building and lot formerly the Haugeh church, located on the N. W. corner of Block 62, Original townsite of Thief River Falls, on Monday, March 1, 1920.

Sealed bids will also be received at the same date for the sale of Fixtures and furniture in the same church, consisting of pulpit, altar, altar railing baptismal font, etc., solid oak and practically new. All made up in the latest tyle.

We also have many other articles such as communion sets, tables, which will be sold at private sale.

C. M. Carlson,
M. Y. EVENSON,
H. S. DAHLEN,
Committee

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DAIRYMAN GAINS SIXTEEN POUNDS

WANTS TO TELL WORLD WHAT A BLESSING TANLAS HAS BEEN TO HIM.

"Yes, sir, I am feeling like my old self again since I have taken Tanlac, and if anything, I am in beter health than I ever was in all my life," said William Echeel who owns a big dairy farm out on Route No. 1 from Newport, Minn., a town ten miles from St. Paul.

"tI was just a year ago this month that I was down in bed for three weeks with the influenza, and the after effects I was never able to get rid of until I started taking Tanlac," Mr. Scheel continued. "My stomach was left in an awful condition and nearly everything I ate disagreed with me. Gas formed and pressed up around my heart and into my lungs until I could hardly breathe. I suffered with pains in my stomach day and night and I got so weak and faint at times that I would almost fall over. I had a bad cough all the time and of mornings it was so bad as to nearly exhaust me. My back troubled me a great deal and it was so weak I had to be very careful about lifting anything. I could sleep but little at night and when I got up every morning I felt so worn-out I just had to drag myself off to my work.

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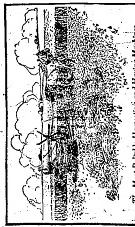

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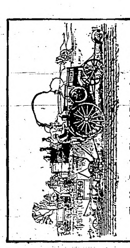

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- Sulky Dump Rakes
- Side Delivery Rakes
- Tedders
- Comb. Side Rakes and Tedders
- Hay Loaders
- Sweep Rakes
- Stackers
- Comb. Swp. Rakes and Stackers
- Baling Presses
- Bunchers

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- Corn Drills
- Planters
- Combined Corn and Cotton Drills
- Walking Listers
- Wide-tread Listers
- Tractor Listers
- Two-horse Cultivators
- Two-row Cultivators
- Lister Cultivators
- Motor Cultivators
- Binders

Corn Machines (Cont.)
- Ensilage Cutters
- Pickers
- Huskers and Shredders
- Shellers

Beet Tools
- Beet and Bean Drills
- Cultivators
- Pullers

Seeding Machines
- Cotton Planters
- Plain Grain Drills
- Fertilizer Grain Drills
- Broadcast Seeders
- Narrow-track Seeders
- Wide-track Seeders
- End-gate Seeders
- Alfalfa and Grass Drills
- Hemp Drills
- One-horse Wheat Drill
- Fertilizer and Lime Sowers

Tillage Implements
- Tractor Plows
- Tractor Grub-breakers
- Riding Plows
- Walking Plows
- Hillside Plows
- Subsoil Plows
- Two-way Plows
- Disk Plows
- Disk Harrows
- Reversible Disk Harrows
- Tandem Disk Harrows

Tillage Implements (Cont.)
- Leverless Tractor Disk Harrows
- Orchard Harrows
- Spring-tooth Harrows
- Peg-tooth Harrows
- Com. Spring and Peg-tooth Harrows
- Flexible Peg-tooth Harrows
- One-horse Cultivators
- Culti-packers (Soil Pulverizers)

Power Machines
- Kerosene Engines
- Gasoline Engines
- Kerosene Tractors
- Motor Trucks

Other Farm Equipment
- Cream Separators
- Farm Wagons
- Farm Trucks
- Grain Tanks
- Manure Spreaders
- Straw-spreading Attachments
- Stalk Cutters
- Feed Grinders
- Stone Burr Mills
- Knife Grinders
- Tractor Hitches
- Cane Mills
- Syrup Evaporators
- Evaporator Furnaces
- Binder Twine

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

VOLUME 10. Eight Pages THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1920. $2.00 a Year. NUMBER.

ADVERTISE FOR BIDS ON PAVING WITHOUT DELAY

CITY COUNCIL DECIDES TO GET STARTED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

BOND BUYERS WOULD PROBABLY BE GLAD TO HAVE CONTRACT RESCINDED.

GOOD PRICES FOR SECURITIES HELPS OFFSET HIGH COSTS AT PRESENT.

The city council evidently believes that there is money to be saved by going ahead with the paving contract as contemplated. The cost of material is higher than when the matter was first considered, it is true, but indications are that this condition will grow worse instead of better. For this reason the council unanimously voted to ask for bids on the work without delay and the engineering company in charge will be requested to have the specifications ready at the earliest possible moment, it being realized that the season is already far advanced.

Will Mean a Saving.

The agent for one of the foremost bond buying houses in the state was present, although he had no interest in the proceedings other than as a spectator. Upon being asked his opinion he stated that he was certain that the companies contracting for the city's bonds would be glad to get out of their bargain if they could and that the postponement of the work might give them this opportunity. Interest rates have advanced sharply since the issue was contracted for and this condition is certain not to improve as the season advances. Hundreds of thousands of dollars in paving bonds are offered by Minnesota municipalities alone and are at present commanding a considerably higher interest rate than was the case at the time this city entered into its contract.

Notify Engineer at Once.

The framing of the advertisement for bids is a part of the work of the Bradley Engineering company of St. Cloud, the concern in charge of the work. City Clerk A. H. Akre was ordered to get in touch with a member of the company and have him come to Thief River Falls to attend a special meeting of the council on Friday night for the purpose of getting action on the matter as quickly as possible.

Streets Will be Ready.

Mayor John Bratrud was present and strongly urged on the council the necessity for early action on the paving matter. A question arose as to whether or not it would be safe to pave immediately after the sewer connections have been made, some fear being expressed that the ground replaced in the sewer and water excavations might continue to settle and cause the pavement to crack. On the best available authority it was stated that where the earth was properly washed in or tamped there would be no trouble on this score.

TO BEMIDJI BY SPECIAL TONIGHT

BASKETBALL PLAYERS OF EKLUND POST TO INVADE ENEMY TERRITORY.

When the basket ball players of Eklund post, Thief River Falls, meet the defenders of the honor of Gracie post of Bemidji at the latter city this evening there will be witnessed one of the greatest games played on any floor in the state this year. The Bemidji bunch was defeated in the game here some time ago and are determined to capture the return bout.

A special train over the Soo has been chartered and there will be about 150 Thief River Falls boosters accompany the boys. The train will leave at 4:45 o'clock and is expected to return about midnight.

That a hot game is anticipated by the Bemidji fans is evidenced by the following, sent by the correspondent of the Grand Forks Herald in that city to this paper:

"Bemidji basketball fans anticipate a good game when the Thief River Falls Eklund American Post team will play the Ralph Gracie Post of Bemidji, in this city Thursday evening Bemidji was defeated in the game at Thief River Falls a short time ago and the team representing the western city is coming to Bemidji determined to take the second contest. Efforts are being made by the Thief River Falls fans to charter a special train for Bemidji, for that occasion and are planning to support their boys to the last. The members of the local team believe they can defeat the Thief River Falls boys if they have fair luck."

There has been some talk of a special train, but the idea has been abandoned, it being feared that the expense would be too great.

A Real Old-Timer.

Otto Nieval of St. Paul, an expert in the salvaging of damaged printing machinery, was in the city last Sunday for the purpose of looking over the machinery wihch went thru The Times fire. Mr. Nieval is one of the real old-timers in this section, although he has not resided here for many years. He was born on a farm three miles from St. Hilaire 42 years ago and the family lived there for some time afterwards. The elder Nieval came up from Tennessee shortly after the civil war and was among the first homesteaders in the St. Hilaire section. There was no Thief River Falls on the map at the period of Mr. Nieval's residence in what was then Polk county and Crookston was the nearest railroad point.

Noted Musician Coming.

Mrs. Charles Horr and son, Wyman, will arrive shortly from Duluth for a visit with the family of Mrs. Horr's sister, Mrs. W. J. LaBree. The young man is one of the most famous pianists in this section of the country and has frequently appeared in concerts before large and discriminating audiences. It is probable that while he is in the city he will give a recital under the auspices of the Woman's club.

ANDERSEN QUITS AS FAIR LEADER

HERBERT FULLER WILL BE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY PRES. DURING YEAR.

At a meeting of the executive board of the Pennington County Agricultural association held this week President A. J. Andersen tendered his resignation and it was accepted. Herbert Fuller, who for three years served as president preceding the election of Mr. Andersen last fall, was again drafted to fill the vacancy until the next annual meeting.

Mr. Andersen resigns to take the position of president of the Citizens State bank of Grygla. Since coming here in the fall of 1918 he has been identified with the Citizens State bank of this city, his title being that of assistant cashier. He has, however, been the bank's outside man, interesting himself particularly in agricultural development of the section. He is a clean-cut, capable young business man and his selection for the Grygla post is a good move both for the bank and for the farmers in that neighborhood, with most of whom Mr. Andersen is already personally acquainted.

The association is fortunate in prevailing upon Mr. Fuller to take up the work laid down by Mr. Andersen. His long experience as head of the organization insures its affairs being well looked after. He refused reelection to the office at the annual meeting and only takes up the work at the earnest request of his fellow members on the board.

Victims of Influenza.

Among the business men who have been on a vacation because the flu compelled them to stay in bed are George Curran and Anton Langseth. Both are back on the job but look rather peaked. These merchants admit freely that they were most awful sick for quite awhile and that if the disease this year is of a milder form than last winter they are glad that their attack was postponed.

Attends Hotel Opening.

C. L. Hansen goes to Red Lake Falls this evening for the purpose of attending the formal opening of the new Lincoln hotel in that city The Lincoln is one of the most modern hotels in this section and its completion will be hailed with delight by the traveling public. It is a beautiful building and adds much to the attractive appearance of the city in which it is located.

Mary Elsie Knutson.

Miss Mary E. Knutson passed away on Feb. 4 in Fargo from pneumonia following influenza. Deceased was born near Holt on May 10, 1891, most of her life having been spent in this neighborhood. At the time of her death she was employed by the Fargo Laundry company. Funeral services were held at Holt on Monday afternoon conducted by N. Bergland, assigned by M. O. Bakken of this city. She is survived by her parents, two sisters and six brothers.

Edwin Rustebakke.

Edwin Rustebakke died on Feb. 8, at his home in this city from influenza. Funeral services were held on Feb. 11 and interment made in Greenwood cemetery. The deceased is survived by his parents, three sisters and three brothers, Mrs. John Parbst, Miss Selma, and Mrs. Ole Brooten all of this city and Alfred, Martin and Theo. all of Scobey, Mont.

Melvin A. Hanson.

Melvin A. Hanson, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Severt Hanson of Silverton township, died at his home on Feb. 8th, from pneumonia. Funeral services were held on Tuesday and interment was made in Silverton cemetery.

Mrs. Johanne Rundton.

Mrs. Johanne Rundton, wife of Christ Rundton of Middle River, died in this city on Feb. 8. Deceased was fifty years old at the time of death.

FLU SITUATION MUCH BETTER; BAN IS LIFTED

THEATRES MAY RESUME BUSINESS AFTER MIDNIGHT ON FRIDAY.

ALL CHURCHES PERMITTED TO HOLD USUAL SERVICES SUNDAY MORNING.

NEW CASES IN CITY ARE FEW, WITH NO DEATHS DURING WEEK.

Business in Thief River Falls will be permitted to resume its wonted course on Saturday morning, the influenza ban which has kept closed all churches and theatres and prevented the holding of public meetings of any kind having been lifted by order of the board of health. Dr. Jacob Biedermann, president of the board, says he feels that it would be putting the people to needless trouble to continue the order in force and only asks that they use all reasonable care in avoiding contagion. Theatres will run the usual Saturday matinees, after which time the programs will continue as formerly.

The churches in the city will be permitted to hold the regular services on Sunday, the same warning as to the exercising of care applying also in their case.

Improving in City.

Very few new cases have been reported in the city during the past week and there have been no deaths. According to Dr. H. W. Froehlich, county physician, however, there are a number of places in the country where the disease still seems to have a strong foothold. There are not many people dangerously sick but quite a number are down.

Dr. Froehlich also urges the greatest care upon everyone. The fact that the disease seems to be on the wane does not warrant anyone in supposing the danger is past. Use ordinary judgment and the trouble, for the present at least, is probably over, while if people grow reckless a recurrance may be expected and it may be worse than the original visitation.

NO CHANCE FOR NEW POSTOFFICE

NOTHING DOING FOR THIEF RIVER FALLS AT PRESENT SESSION.

Postmaster John Morgan has been notified by Representative Steenerson that there is no possible chance of anything being done to provide a new postoffice for Thief River Falls at the present session of congress. Accompanying the congressman's communication is a copy of the report of the committee on public buildings and grounds in which the reasons for not reporting a general public buildings bill at this session are set forth.

The commtitee explains its action on the ground of economy and quotes the report of the secretary of the treasury to prove that there will be a large deficit for the fiscal year and that no money will be available for public work of this kind.

The resolutions of the committee go so far as to declare that "the committee will not report at this session any individual bill which authorizes the appropriation of money."

NEW MACHINERY FIRM IS IN FIELD

STONE & RAMBECK COMPANY WILL BEGIN BUSINESS ABOUT FEB. 20.

O. A. Rambeck, formerly of Germantown, will be the Thief River Falls manager of a general farm machinery and implement house in which O. A. Stone & Co., of Crookston are also interested. The concern which will be known as the Stone-Rambeck company, will open for business here about Feb. 20 with a full line of tractors, separators, binders, mowers and smaller machines. The leader of their line will be the goods manufactured by the Emerson-Brantingham people but other makes will be carried.

Mr. Rambeck enjoys a wide acquaintance among the farmers of Pennington and Marshall counties, has had much experience in the handling of machinery, and the enterprise should be successful from the start. Arthur Rambeck and Gust Gulseth will also become identified with the concern in the capacity of repair and general service men.

The company will temporarily be located in the building directly across from the auditorium and south of the Standard filling station. As soon as possible larger quarters will be secured.

COUPLE HELD FOR CAUSING BABY'S DEATH

MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR PEARSON ACCUSED—IN JAIL AT CROOKSTON.

CONFESS THAT BABY WAS PLACED ON SHED ROOF AFTER BIRTH.

MOTHER FORMERLY EMPLOYED IN THIEF RIVER FALLS AS WAITRESS.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearson are in the Polk county jail at Crookston charged with having caused the death of a child born to them last Friday night. The body of the baby was discovered on Sunday morning by a lodger in the Commercial hotel. Sheriff Bolstad and County Attorney *Montague made* an investigation and as a result of their discoveries arrested the Pearson couple, who were residents of the hotel. According to Sheriff Bolstad they confessed that the baby was born to Mrs. Pearson on Sunday night and placed on the shed from their bedroom window. A post mortem examination was held and it was determined that the child had been born alive but had died of exposure after being placed on the roof.

Formerly Resided Here.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree of Pennington county was notified of the occurrance and asked to look up the history of Mrs. Pearson, she having formerly been employed at a restaurant in this city. Before her marriage to Pearson she was Miss Martha Furstnau and resided here until about two weeks ago when she went to Crookston and married Pearson, who is a fireman on the Great Northern railroad.

Is Not Baby's Father.

She denies, however, that Pearson is the father of the child. It is alleged that they had planned to dispose of the child when born and it is believed the placing of the body on the shed roof was done in the hope that it would not be discovered until spring. Neither had tried to escape following the incident.

Mrs. Pearson, who is 26 years old is now in the county jail under the care of the county physician. Her husband is also in jail.

Smith-Gilkey.

George D. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith of this city, was married to Miss Helen C. Gilkey at Hillyard, Wash., on January 24th. George is well and favorably known to a great many people of this city and all will wish for the young couple nothing but happiness in their wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will make their home for the present at 216 Evergreen avenue, Hillyard, Washington.

The Ban is Off Next Saturday.

At the request of our chairman of the Board of Health, we closed the Princess owing to the flu, but this is what Dr. Royal S. Copeland, president of the board of health of New York City said: "If managers see that health rules are obeyed, one is safer in a well-ventilated theatre than in a hospital, if for no other reason than that there are more germs in a hospital than in a well ventilated theatre."

The Princess Theatre is the only theatre in the northern part of the state with a modern ventilating system. The air is changed every eight minutes, and the building is thoroughly disinfected. You need not hesitate to let your children come to the Princess Theatre.

THE PRINCESS THEATRE CO.
f19 By J. H. Brumund.

Important Club Meeting.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, president of the Woman's club, left last evening for St. Paul, where she will attend the midwinter session of state clubs. A state chairman of the organization's committee of thrift she will deliver the report for that division to the assembly.

WILL INSPECT AIR LIFT FOR WATER

COUNCIL COMMITTEE TO VISIT WAPHETON, MOORHEAD AND OTHER PLACES.

Before going ahead and testing out the deep wells in the city by the compressed air process the members of the city council have decided to secure more definite knowledge on what results may be expected from the experiment. A communication was read from the superintendent of the water plant at Wapheton at the meeting on Tuesday evening and the information it contained decided the council in sending a committee of investigation to visit cities where the plan has been tried. President H. A. Brumund and Councilmen Severn Brandon and John Dahl will make the trip.

Having Good Time.

Word received from friends of the H. O. Loken family, who are spending the winter near Los Angeles, is to the general effect that they are having the time of their lives. A cottage for the season has been rented near that occupied by Mrs. F. H. Gambell and family, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Loken and daughters will return sometime about the middle of March.

Steenerson Files.

Representative Halvor Steenerson, of Crookston, filed on Monday for the Republican nomination at the June primaries for re-election from the Ninth Minnesota congressional district. His filing was received by mail at the office of Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state.

Pleasant Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter returned to this city last week after spending two weeks visiting with friends and relatives in the state of Wisconsin. Enroute to their home they enjoyed renewing old acquaintances in Minneapolis where they resided at one time.

NO EXCURSION TO CROOKSTON; FLU IS REASON

SPECIAL TRAIN CANCELLED UPON ADVICES FROM CROP SHOW MANAGERS.

CONTESTS AND MEETINGS ARE PLACED UNDER BAN OF HEALTH OFFICERS.

CROP EXHIBIT AND STOCK SALE WILL TAKE PLACE AS ADVERTISED.

The special train from Thief River Falls to Crookston, advertised for tomorrow, has been called off. The influenza situation in the neighboring city is such as to cause a great deal of uneasiness and upon a recommendation from the authorities at the university of Minnesota a large part of the proceedings contemplated for the show have been cancelled.

All Arrangements Made.

The cancellation of this excursion is deeply regretted in this section, a large number of people having made preparations for attending the fair. It was known that the influenza had gained somewhat of a foothold in Crookston but it was not expected that the situation would become sufficiently dangerous to call for the abandoning of the programs announced. The report that six deaths had occurred in one day toward the end of last week brought the matter sharply to the attention of the authorities, however, and some of the most important features of the fair had to be abandoned.

Will Hold Stock Show.

The stock sale and exhibition will take place as advertised but it is felt here that interest in these matters would not warrant the chartering of a special train. The exhibitors from the county will make the trip with their entries and many people from here whose interest lies largely in this division of the show will make the trip anyway.

STORM SEWERS IN ALLEY IS PLAN

TO BE CHARGED AGAINST PROPERTY IN PAVING DISTRICT ONLY.

The engineering company in charge of street paving in the city will be asked to make plans and specifications for the placing of storm sewers in the alleys throughout the paving district. The first of these sewers to be installed will cover the section included in the first paving contract and will be known as District No. 1. The cost of these sewers will be charged against the property within this district only, this being deemed the better plan by a majority of the council. Alderman Froseth objected to this, believing that the cost should be a charge against the property in the entire city and cast the only negative vote when the matter came up for decision.

It was explained that by making the storm sewers a charge against the property benefitted only the cost would much more quickly be taken care of. The burden would not fall upon the residents of the present paving district any harder than on others because as the paving is extended each district will have to take care of its storm sewers in the same manner.

The first sewers under this order to be laid will be in the alley between Main and LaBree avenues from First to Fourth streets and also between Main and Knight for the same distance.

The laying of 150 feet of sanitary sewer on Main avenue between Second and Third street was also ordered for the purpose of improving the outlet in that neighborhood.

SCHOOL HEADS ARE ENTITLED TO TRAVEL PAY

JUDGE GRINDELAND DECIDES IN FAVOR OF COUNTY SUPT. GUNDERSON.

APPOINTMENT OF DRAINAGE BOARD MEMBERS IS EXPECTED TODAY.

COURT CASES ONLY BEING HEARD IN DISTRICT COURT AT THIS TERM.

The long drawn-out controversy to decide whether or not a county superintendent of schools is entitled to his traveling expenses when his duties call him to outlying districts of his jurisdiction was decided in favor of the superintendents by Judge Grindeland in district court here yesterday. The court holds that such compensation is allowable and that the superintendent has a right to collect it.

While the case is one in which all the county superintendents in the state are interested, it was brought originally by George M. Gunderson to compel the commissioners of Pennington county to pay his expenses while attending to his duties away from home. The commissioners maintained that this cost was covered by the salary received by the official and that they were not justified in making any further allowance. The repassing at the last session of the legislature of a law formerly repealed makes it obligatory upon the county commissioners to allow such claims.

No Jury Cases Now.

Judge Grindeland has announced that there will be no jury cases tried at this time because of the flu situation. A few minor court cases will be taken up but at the hearings none but the interested parties and their attorneys and the court attendants will be permitted. The jury cases will be called for some time early in March.

Appointments Expected.

A matter in which a great deal of interest is evinced is the appointment of the members of the first commission for the newly organized Red Lake River drainage district. Judge Grindeland had not signed the order creating the district last evening but is expected to do so early today. At the same time the membership of the commission in charge will doubtless be announced.

GIVE EXTENSION OF CENSUS DATE

ENUMERATION WILL CLOSE ON FEB. 15—GET BUSY AT ONCE.

Unless some tall hustling is done during the next few days Thief River Falls and Pennington county will not be credited with all the people to which they are entitled. The date for closing the census books has been extended to the 15th, leaving a little more time for securing the names of those who have been missed.

The time selected for the taking of this census is the most unfavorable of the year. It is hard for enumerators to get around, particularly in the country, and it is the season when the city contains the fewest people This cannot be helped now and the only way in which Thief River Falls can be credited with even an approximately correct number of inhabitants is for the committees in charge to make a special effort to get every name recorded. No matter how conscientiously the enumerators may have done their work there is certain to be many names missing.

While those appointed to look after the matter will do everything in their power to see that a complete enumeration is secured, their work will not be complete without the help of the individual citizen. Wherever a man or woman suspects that their name may have been overlooked they should at once notify G. Howard Smith, secretary of the commercial club, who will see that they are properly recorded.

This is a matter of considerable importance. The city wants to make as good a showing as possible as its population status for the next ten years will be decided by the figures presented at this time.

Tobogganing Party.

A number of young people from this city enjoyed tobogganing south of the city on Friday evening. After a few hours of rollicking good fun the party repaired to Black's Sweet shop for lunch. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were the Misses Kathleen Uhres, Marguerite Burns, Mary Vance, and Harold Smithers, Morris Mabey and Harold Westin.

Entertained.

Miss Meta Kiland informally entertained a few of her friends at her home on Tuesday evening.

STATE EXCHANGE NOT POPULAR IN VALLEY SECTION

MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO PERFECT RED RIVER VALLEY POTATO EXCHANGE.

OBJECTION TO MIXING SUPERIOR GRADES WITH INFERIOR VARIETIES.

PRODUCT RAISED HERE BEST TO BE FOUND IN THE UNITED STATES.

The organization of the Minnesota Potato Exchange which was recently perfected at Little Falls has not proven a popular move with the potato growers of the Red River Valley, says the Crookston Times. Nor does it seem likely that it will have the effect of heading off the organization of a Red River Valley Potato Exchange as was evidently intended.

The Red River Valley counties consitute the principal potato growing section of the state. Red River Early Ohio potatoes are in a class by themselves. In no part of the United States is a potato produced that equals it in general excellance. In fact that bulk of the Early Ohio potatoes grown in the Red River counties are sold in the southern and eastern states for seed. They bring a higher price than any other variety of potato grown. They have a reputation in eastern markets that makes the demand for them far greater than the supply.

To merge these potatoes with the numerous other varieties of inferior quality potatoes grown in other parts of Minnesota would be tq make them lose their identity and destroy for all time the unparalleled reputation that has been established for them.

The Red River Valley growers do not propose to allow this to be done. The only way they can prevent it is to fight shy of the Minnesota Potato Exchange and to organize an exclusive Red River Valley Exchange.

Will Form Organization.

A movement is now on foot looking to this end. A meeting is to be called in Crookston within a short time—probably during the Mid-Winter Fair Week—to perfect such an organization. It is not intended to confine it to the Minnesota counties of the Valley exclusively but will embrace the North Dakota counties of the valley as well.

That such an organization would prove a great boon to the potato growers of the country, is too obvious to require agrument. It would perpetuate and keep in a class by itself the Red Riyer Ohio potato and would do more than any other one thing to promote the growth and permanance of this industry.

Pennington Has 1081 Motor Cars

THIS IS NUMBER OF LICENSES ISSUED FOR YEARS 1918 TO 1920.

While the number of automobiles in a community naturally varies from time to time because of sales and additions, yet the license tally in the office of the secretary of state gives a reasonably correct census of such machines. According to G. L. Streeter, who had the matter looked up there were 1081 licenses issued for motor vehicles owned in the county of Pennington for the three-year term 1918 to 1920 inclusive. More than one half of this number is credited to Thief River Falls, although St. Hilaire will perhaps show the largest percentage in proportion to population. The postoffice address and not the actual residence point of the lincensee is required when licenses are applied for and the following table therefore does not show the exact location of the owners of the machines The addresses given by the applicants and the number from each place is as follows:

Erie	59
Goodridge	65
Hazel	53
Highlanding	23
Kratka	35
Mavie	15
Neptune	3
Rhoda	28
Ruddel	7
St. Hilaire	265
Sunbeam	33
Thief River Falls	636

Three Women in County Offices

Three different county officials recently employed graduates of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., as office assistants. The County Agent at Red Lake Falls, Minn., phoned the school for capable help. Miss Alice Westlin was sent. Miss Sophia Morken went to the County Auditor at Lakota, Miss Norma Melville to the County Treasurer at Cavalier.

Public and private offices throughout the Northwest give preference to well trained D. B. C. graduates.

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TO HOLD EXAMS ON MARCH 18-19

ONLY ONE EXAMINATION PLACE NOW ALLOWED IN EACH TOWNSHIP.

County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson announces that the state high school board examinations for Pennington county will be held on March 18 and 19 at one school house in all townships and the unorganized districts. An important change in connection with these examinations this year is that only the examiner in charge will be permitted to mark the papers submitted. This rule is made so as to make it unnecessary for teachers to accompany their pupils to the examining districts.

Following is a list of the schools at which these examinations will be held, toge therw ith the districts covered by each and the name of the examiner:

School house in District 1, Ethel Keller, examiner. Pupils from Districts 1, 43, 99. Examinees, 14.

District 180. Anna Brandrud, examiner. Pupils from Districts 180 and 69. Examinees, 9.

District 166. Erick Anderson, examiner. Pupils from District 166 only. Examinees, 2.

District 149. Tilda Brandrud teacher. Pupils from District 149 only. Examinees, 3.

District 25. Mrs. Jens Kirk, teacher. Pupils from Districts 25, 135, 2 Examinees, 11.

District 73. Sena Welo, teacher Districts 73 and 54. Examinees, 10.

District 29. Bergot Iverson, teacher. Examinees, 8.

District 28. Elfa Werstlein, teacher. Districts 28, 30 and 42. Examinees, 10.

District 53. Igna Hamry, teacher Districts 53, 55 and 31. Examinees 8.

District 68. Katherine Dunn teacher. Districts 68, 41 and 11. Examinees, 8.

District 27. A. O. Brevik, teacher Districts 37 and 38. Examinees, 10.

District 59. Emma Kenke, teacher. Districts 59, 50 and 47. Examinees, 21.

Unorganized No. 1. Tillie Thompson, teacher. Unorganized 1 and 65 Examinees, 4.

District 57. Olga Olson, teacher Districts 57, 48 and 70. Examinees 14.

District 34. Gunhild Haugen, teacher. Districts 34, 52 and 39. Emaxinees, 12.

District 35. Louise Berg, teacher Unorganized 3 and 35. Examinees 7.

District 133. Lilly Boehm, teacher Examinees, 4.

District 12. Ida Legvold, teacher Districts 12, 6, 221 and 154. Examinees, 20.

District 4. Frances Culver, teacher. Districts 4 and 51. Examinees 5.

District 26. Lena Gullingsrud teacher. Districts 26 and 165. Examinees, 6.

District 9. Freda C. Polly, teacher Examinees, 2.

CREAMERY SHOWS EXCELLENT GAINS

J. S. ROY RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT OF ST. HILAIRE ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Creamery association was held last week The annual report shows the ceramery has enjoyed splendid business the past year and the total is considerable larger than in years past, says the Spectator. In the election of officers several changes were made. J. S. Roy was reelected president and O. L. Larson vice president. Nels K. Anderson, who has faithfully served the association for many years and who has moved to Thief River Falls, was replaced by Fred Erdman. W. P. Wilson was elected treasurer, and Chr. Kruse was elected director. There was practically unanimous sentiment in favor of building a new creamery this year but owing to present form of incorporation, this matter will come up before a special meeting later on.

LENTEN SEASON BEGINS FEB. 18

SEASON OF ABNEGATION OPENS TWO WEEKS EARLIER THIS YEAR.

Lent, that forty days' season of sackcloth and ashes, will be ushered in this year Wednesday, Feb. 18, two weeks earlier than last year and five days later than on the year previous.

With the return of this period of self-abnegation and humility, all Christian people will make preparations for the feast of Easter. In all of the churches of the city special Lenten services will be observed, but most particularly in the Catholic church will the time of repentance and penance be kept.

The method of determining the time of Lent dates back to medieval times when, after much argument and discussion, it was decided that the first Sunday following the first full moon after March 21—the vernal equinox—should be Easter Sunday And the forty-day period before that date, exclusive of Sundays, should determine Ash Wednesday.

Secure New Buttermaker.

D. A. Danielson, assistant buttermaker at the Thief River Falls Co-Operative creamery for some time past, has been appointed to the position of buttermaker at the Goodridge creamery. He was recommended for the position by the state dairy and food commission and is a man who will give to the people to the east excellent service.

The Goodridge creamery last year did a total business of $44,000, which is very good when everything is considered. The amount of butterfat received was 67,000 pounds from which 80,000 pounds of butter was made.

The former directors were all re-elected for another term.

Miss Agnes Lonson left on Monday for Gonvick, where she teaches school, after spending the week-end with her parents in this city.

BUTCHERS! COUNTRY DEALERS! FARMERS!
Don't fail to look up our Adv. on Another Page.
Thief River Hide & Fur Co.

GRYGLA TO HAVE FAIR NEXT FALL

NAMED TWIN COUNTY FARM SHOW AND DATES SET FOR SEPTEMBER 10-11.

At a meeting held in the State Bank at Grygla a few days ago, attended by representatives from various townships in that neighborhood it was decided to hold a farm show in Grygla this coming fall, says the Eagle. The name of the fair organization is to be the Twin-County Farm Show, and the date announced is Sept. 10-11.

At a meeting held last December five men were elected to represent Marshall, and five to represent Beltrami counties, these ten to form an executive committee to perfect arrangements, appoint committees, etc. Following is a list of those elected: Valley, John Peterson; Veldt, Ed. Sheldrew; Eckvoll, Otto Haack, Jr.; Esplee, Chas. Krog; Rollis, A. C. McMillan; Benville, Will Shanley; Spruce Grove, Wm. Paskewitz; Lee, T. J. Lillevold; Hamre, Albert Anvinson; Unorganized, W. C. Schilling.

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MONEY RECEIVED
Sale of wheat, oats, barley, rye, flax, corn and all other grains ________ $________
Sale of milk, eggs, cream, butter, honey, potatoes ________ ________
Sale of hay, straw, vevetables, wool and other products ________ ________
Sale of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep ________ ________
Sale of chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and other poultry ________ ________
All income from rents, interest, dividends and other sources ________ ________
Value of produce traded at stores for merchandise ________ ________
Income of wife, and children under eighteen years ________ ________
Profit on sale of land, machinery, etc. ________ ________
Gross Income ________ $________

MONEY PAID OUT
All farm labor and hired help ________ $________
Board of hired labor ________ ________
Cash rent paid for farm ________ ________
Threshing, twine, silo filling, etc. ________ ________
Cost of feed, seed, grinding, etc. ________ ________
Amount paid for live stock sold in 1919 ________ ________
Cost of horse shdeing, repairing, gasoline, oil (for farm work) ________ ________
Interest paid ________ ________
Taxes paid ________ ________
Losses not covered by insurance (describe same) ________ ________
Donations (Red Cross, Church, Charity, War Work, etc.) ________ ________
Depreciation on buildings, machinery, etc. ________ ________
Total expenses ________ $________

Gross Income ________ $________
Total Expenses ________ ________
Net Income ________ $________

NOTICE!
If you have sold land, cattle or machinery let us know what it cost you and the year same was purchased. Improvements such as tiling and fencing and household and living expenses cannot be deducted from income. Bring the cost of all buildings and fences, except the house you live in. Also cost of animals purchased and machinery and equipment so the exact depreciation can be determined.

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Fill out the above schedule and bring it to this bank.

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Local Notes

G. L. Sterns left on Friday morning for Greenbush on matters of business.

H. W. Protzeller left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend to matters of business.

Miss Mae Mares, who spent a day visiting in this city, returned to her home at Plummer on Friday evening.

Hans Rolland, who had been a guest at the home of his parents in this city left on Thursday for his home at Erskine.

Hal Stanton returned to this city the latter part of last week from the cities where he had been attending to matters of business.

Miss Clara Kolstoe of Plummer spent Friday in this city visiting and attending to shopping. She returned to her home on the evening flyer.

Miss Ellen Anderson, who is employed in this city, left for her home at Middle River on Friday morning where she will be the guest of her

Miss Edna Thompson left on Friday evening for St. Paul where she will attend the funeral services of her sister, Miss Ruth, who died in that city recently.

Miss Irene Lanager, who is engaged in teaching school near Mavie, visited in this city on Friday enroute to her parental home in Plummer, where she spent the week-end.

Enock Dock of New Rockford, N D., visited in this city for a few days with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna Dock. He left on Thursday morning for Roseau, where he will visit for a few days.

Mrs. F. L. Hill and daughter, Vera of Ogema, Saskatchewan, Can., visited in this city between trains on Friday enroute to Fox, where they will visit at the home of the former's parents for an indefinite period.

C. Engelstad of Gatzke, visited in this city with friends between trains on Thursday.

Dr. Spinks of Middle River was in this city on Thursday. He left for Holt on Friday morning.

Mrs. P. Ferdinandson of Goodridge visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Martine Cloutier returned on Thursday morning from Grand Forks where she had been visiting for a week.

Elmer Severson returned to Minneapolis on Friday evening after a brief visit in this city at the home of his parents.

Miss Elenor Culver, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinty of Bijou spent the week end visiting at her home in this city.

Miss Elizabeth Harder came up from St. Hilaire on Saturday and attended to some shopping, returning to her home on the afternoon train.

Mrs. M. W. Brink returned to this city on Saturday morning from St Hilaire, where she had visited at the home of Mr. Brink's parents for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warner arrived on Thursday evening from their home at Nevis and are spending a few days visiting with relatives in this city.

Rev. R. L. Barackman returned on Thursday morning from cities on the range, where he had been attending to business matters connected with Macalster college.

Miss Myrtle Berg visited at her home in this city the latter part of last week returning to Bijou Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the school at that place.

Mrs. O. Alrich arrived here on Friday evening from St. Paul, and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Anderson, after which she will go to Overley, N. D., to visit with friends.

S. J. Cloutier left on Monday for Adams, N. D., on business.

Miss Gladys Smith is a guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith this week.

Ward Long left for Germantown where he teaches school, after spending the week-end with friends in this city.

Miss Borghild Sahl left on Saturday afternoon for Perley, where she will visit with relatives for a short while.

L. Yell left on Monday evening for his home at Minneapolis, after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Soards.

Ben Erickson of this city visited in Minneapolis the latter part of last week. While there he attended the auto show.

A. J. Klinch came up from St. Paul on Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leimers.

Miss Stella McGregor of Duluth, is in the city substituting for Mrs. S. Nelson, Western Union Telegraph operator, who is ill.

Mrs. J. W. Flynn returned to her home in Superior on Monday morning after a few days visit at the home of her parents in this city.

Miss Alice Thompson left on Monday for Hazel, where she teaches school, after spending the week-end with her parents in this city.

Geo. Biddick returned to this city on Monday evening from Wadena, where he had been since Saturday.

C. W. Nelson arrived on Monday

Emil Vistrand of Lancaster, visited in this city the latter part of last week, leaving for Warren on Friday morning, where he will be the guest of friends.

Misses Myrtle Blair and Genieve Erickson spent Thursday in Goodridge visiting with their various friends. Miss Blair was at one time employed in that city.

Clarence Stromme returned to his home at Edmore, N. D., on Monday after having spent a few days as the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Austad, in this city.

Mrs. W. H. Funnel and baby arrived the first of the week from Glenwood to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Funnel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leimers.

Melvin Iverson visited with friends between trains on Monday enroute from Badger, where he visited with his parents, to Kragness, N. D., where he is employed as depot agent.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis and Milwaukee where they had been to do their spring buying for the Johnson Millinery.

D. Knutson, accompanied by M. O Bakken, left on Thursday afternoon for Fargo to make funeral arrangements for the former's daughter, Miss Mary Knutson, who died there on Wednesday. The remains were ship- Macallster college.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Amble came down from St. Hilaire on Friday to attend the funeral service of the former's brother John Amble, who died in a Grand Forks hospital a few days before. They returned to their home in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stover returned to their home at Larimore, N. D., Monday evening after having attended the funeral services of the late Mrs. E. Stover. They were accompanied by E. Stover and children, who will make their future home in the above mentioned city.

Elmer Severson of Minneapolis, is in the city as the guest of his parents.

John Gustafson returned to this city on Saturday after a business trip to Crookston.

Miss Laura Paine is a guest in this city at the home of her sister, Mrs George Curran, this week.

Eli Weston arrived on Saturday morning from Grand Forks, and was the guest of Miss Zella Zeh over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Fellman of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Wednesday She returned to her home on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way returned to this city on Wednesday from Los Angeles, Cal., where they had spent about six weeks.

Mrs. D. Freitag and son, Gustaf, left for Webb, Iowa, Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Freitag's brother-in-law, F. A. Harold.

Nels Christopherson, who visited and attended to business matters in this city, returned to his home at Plummer on Friday evening.

Olaf Thompson, representing the Bridgeman-Russell company, with headquarters at Crookston, was a business caller in this city last Thursday.

Miss Blanche Hoff of St. Hilaire visited and shopped in this city on Friday, coming here in the morning and returning to her home in the afternon.

Miss Bertha Remmem left for Viking, where she attends school, after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Remmem of this city.

Miss Mary Tracy, representing the Geo. L. Schumann Pub. Co., who had been in this city for the past month departed on Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls which city she will canvass.

Miss Laurel Olson of Roosevelt, arrived on Monday afternoon and was a guest of Miss Martha Fallness, until Monday evening when she left for Minneapolis, where she will visit with friends for a brief period.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop returned to this city on Saturday after a trip to Mahnomen, Warren, Hallock and Argyle where she attended to matters connected with the Y. W. C. A. campaign which was started last week.

Mrs. D. Knutson left for Holt on Thursday morning to help make arrangements for the funeral services of her sister-in-law, Miss Mary Knutson, a former resident of this city and who recently succumbed from influenza in the city of Fargo, where she was employed.

Mrs. Fred Leimers and baby left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where they will visit with relatives. They was accompanied by Mrs. Leimer's brother, Walter Kanonberg, who had been visiting in this city for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Leimers contemplate making Minneapolis their future home.

Chas. Teal and Lloyd Zeh left on Wednesday evening for the cities where they spent a few days.

Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, accompanied by Miss Laura Stopple, left on Thursday evening for St. Paul, where they will do their spring buying for the Dalquist Millinery store. They expect to be gone for a period of a week

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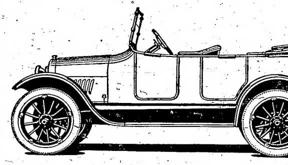

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VOLUME X, NUMBER 1.

With this issue The Times enters pon its tenth year. Properly speaking the paper is much older than that, eing the legitimate successor to all he papers ever printed in the city.

The publishers begin the second deade of The Times proper under a onsiderable handicap. The fine printng plant from which it has been isued was totally destroyed by fire ast month and until another can be ecured the paper will not be up to ts usual standard. Conditions are uch that it is impossible to foretell hen machinery and other equipment vill be delivered and it may be some veeks before The Times can be rought fully up to the old standard.

When things are again in shape, owever, the paper will be bigger and etter than ever. In the past the pubishers have permitted no consideraion to stand in the way of their geting out a newspaper of which the ommunity would be proud, and this im will be pursued even more conscientiously in the future. The fact hat customers and friends are loylly standing by and continuing to avor the publishers with their busiess, even when it is impossible to ook after this in the best manner, is ufficient evidence that the worth of he publication is recognized and that he efforts of these responsible for its ppearance are appreciated.

For the present nothing much in he way of improvement can be promsed. Everyone understands the eason for this and no apology is ecessary. As soon as the paper is gain in its own home it will resume s former place as the premier mong Northern Minnesota publicaions.

MAKE ONE GOOD JOB.

It seems as if the people are to be sked to vote on but one constitutionl amendment this fall—but it is a ighty important one. They are gong to have the opportunity of decidng the question of whether or not hey will continue spending a lot of oney each year on highways and ever have any, or if they will perit the state to build for them conrete roads covering the state and hich will not cost them a cent.

No matter how it is figured out, his is what the Babcock good roads aw proposes to do. Should the meaure be enacted into law it will mean network of paved roads all over the tate, connecting the county seats and ntermediate points. The cost will be et by a tax on automobiles, this beng graduated according to horseower.

It may seem as if this would be forcing the auto owners to pay for the roads used by every person alike, but this is an error. These owners would be almost the greatest beneficiaries, the farmer being the chief gainer. The autoist would pay the tax, it is true, but he would more than make it up in the lessened cost of upkeep. With the roads paved it will cost less for gasoline, for tires and for repairs. It will immensely increase the uses to which autos of all kinds may be put and decrease the cost of hauling everything, whether passengers or produce. It will make all our people neighbors.

One would naturally expect that the opposition to such a law would come from the large cities where the people already have miles of pavement over which to run their cars, but such is not the case. There it is realized that the more convenient it is made for the farmer the better it is for everyone. The objection—what there is of it—is centered in farming communities. Here it is claimed that the program will mean the construction of one great highway through the center of the counties while the side lines will be neglected. Which is altogether the wrong view. The passage of this amendment will in fact release a vastly greater sum than is now available for use on these smaller roads. At present a large percentage of the money appropriated by counties for road purposes goes onto the stretches which will be paved under the new order of things. The money for their upkeep will come from the same source as that which makes possible their construction in the first place and this will release for the improvement of the side lines practically the entire amount available for road work of any kind. The laterals will thus be better taken care of than ever before, making access to the main artery an easy matter and benefitting the farmer wherever located.

Talk over this road amendment with your neighbor. In case he does not see the matter in the right light, explain these things to him. It is your one chance to lift Minnesota out of the mud.

The Times very much appreciated the many expressions of good will found in the press of the section with reference to the recent fire loss sustained by the paper. In one case, however, we indicated very poor judgment in proving this appreciation. One very fine editorial on the subject appeared in the Bemidji Sentinel, edited by H. Z. Mitchell, formerly of this city. In reprinting the article we inadvertently gave credit for it to another paper—an inexcusable proceeding on our part. In the rush and worry incident to getting out any kind of a newspaper at all during the past two weeks, however, many things have gotten by which under ordinary circumstances would have been detected before they appeared, and this explanation, together with an appology and a promise never to do it again, will have to sufice.

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THE Y. W. C. A. PLANS IN 1920

Miss Effie Hamry, county chairman of the Y. W. C. A., states that the solicitation of funds for the 1920 campaign will be started this week. Pennington county has a quota of $300, and as Miss Hamry has the assistance of an able committee of wommen representing many different organizations active in both civic and Christian work in the county, no difficulty is anticipated in raising the amount. This campaign is on during the month of February all over the United States.

In 1920 the Y. W. C. A. of the United States begins its fifty-fifth year of service for women. Half a century ago the association was represented by a handful of "prayer circles" and two boarding homes, one in New York and one in Boston. Today it stands for more than eleven hundred centers of work in the United States and foreign countries and a multitude of activities and opportunities which touch practically every phase of a girl's existence—physical educational, recreational and religous. It reaches out to the girl away from home, the girl in the city, the girl in the country, the girl in industry the business and professional woman the colored girl, the foreign woman the high school and grade school girl the girl in the war-devastated countries of Europe, the girl of the Orient and the girl of South America.

With the progress of the decades women have emerged more and more from the home. The war thrust thousands of them into industry. Hundreds more are rapidly taking their places alongside men in business and professions.

There is the girl, constantly increasing in number, who leaves the small town home to earn her livelihood in the city. She must find a safe and comfortable lodging place—but she is a stranger among strangers. Y. W C. A. room registries, furnishing a list of approved rooming houses and association residences, homelike community living places, exist primarily for this girl. She must have wholesome nourishing food at reasonable cost. For the girl who eats around Y. W. C. A. cafeterias offer tempting meals at a with-in-her-budget price

The girl who wants to get ahead must have opportunities to supplement her eduaction by vocational training, language studies or business courses. She can find such opportunities in Y. W. C. A. classes. The girl out of work must be helped to find the job she needs and the job she fits. The Y. W. C. A. employment secretary can be the guide to that job.

The colored woman must have an equal chance with her white sister. The Y. W. C. A. is trying to give it to her. The foreign-born woman must find a second home-land in the country of her adoption, that she may become "one of us" in spirit as well as in fact. Through its International Institutes, with their foreign language workers, translation service employment bureaus and classes in English, citizenship and American standards, the Y. W. C. A. seeks to bridge the chasm between the foreign woman's old-country past and her new-country future.

Every girl must have wholesome recreation and health saving aids for her leisure hours. Y. W. C. A. social clubs, athletic clubs, gymnasiums, all-summer camps and vacation homes round out the girls playtime hours Every girl should have the opportunity for supplementary religious instruction. Bible and mission study classes are to be found wherever the Y. W. C. A. has unfurled its banner

Throughout its half century of service the Y. W. C. A. has sought to keep pace with the growing needs and demands of the world's Womanhood It has been limited in its efforts only by the limits of its resources—workers and funds.

The slogan for 1920 must be, "Y W. C. A. service for every girl in every country," where the time is ripe We must think, literally, in terms of world service.

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This difference of 7c per pound of butterfat may mean the difference between a dairy herd that makes money for its owner and one that is a loss. A farmer selling two ten gallon cans of cream a week will lose around $200 a year by selling to a station.

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More complete announcement concerning the different lines handled by us will appear later. WATCH THIS SPACE.

Rambeck & Stone Co.
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Local Notes

Geo. Erickson who has been on the rotary in points in Dakota, returned to his home in this city on Saturday.

G. C. Streeter returned to this city the first of the week from Minneapolis, where he attended the auto show.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Noel, who spent two months visiting at Kalispell, Mont., returned to their home in this city on Saturday morning.

Miss Esther Peterson of Orleans, who visited in this city at the home of Mrs. S. Onstad, left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where she will be employed.

Mrs. Irving Quist arrived on Sunday morning from Minneapolis where she had been visiting friends. After a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg, she will return to her home in Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Frederickson, who have been the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Ole Johnson, in this city, left on Saturday evening for Rochester, where Mrs. Frederickson will receive medical treatment, after which they will return to their home in Canada.

H. T. Nelson of Ivanhoe, Minn., arrived in this city on Sunday morning and spent a day visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rolland. He left on Monday morning for Goodridge, where he will be the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jensen. Mr. Nelson was formerly employed as bookkeeper in a bank at Goodridge about four years ago, and s well known to local people.

Mrs. M. Aarneson left on Monday morning for Holt, where she attended the funeral services of Miss Mary Knutson, who recently died in a Fargo hospital.

The following departed on Monday morning to attend the funeral services of Miss Mary Knutson held in Holt: Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. N. Bergland, and Paul Nybakken, Elmer Olson and Roynold Nybakken.

Mayor John Bratrud left last evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend a meeting of the executives of Minnesota cities. He will also take the opportunity offered to hear Former President W. H. Taft, who speaks there this evening.

Sleighride Party.

A party of sixteen enjoyed a sleighride on Sunday afternoon, going to the O. N. Olson farm a short distance from this city, where a fine supper had been prepared for them. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing games.

Surprise Party.

Miss Ursel Anderson was pleasantly surprised by a few of her girl friends on Monday evening at her home at 111 Kendall avenue south The evening was taken up with games and music after which refreshments were served.

Announcement.

New pictures are booked for the Princess. John H. Brumund has been in the cities all week booking an entire new line of pictures. Every attraction booked has been personally inspected by him and you can rest assured they will be O. K., if John says so.

f19 THE PRINCESS THEATRE CO

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to all those who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our son and brother. Particularly are we grateful for the many beautiful floral offerings.

MRS. S. L. SEVERSON.
MRS. JOHN SEVERSON
MRS. J. FLYNN.
f12-p And Families.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned wish to express their appreciation and thanks for the assistance and sympathy shown them in their hour of bereavement by their many friends and neighbors, and the Fargo Laundry company and employes. They also wish to express their thanks for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Knutson and Family and Miss Christine Anderson.

Public Sale.

There will be a public sale of live stock, farm machinery and other persinal property on the farm of Wm. Moeller in Rocksbury township, on March 8. Watch for announcement later. f12-19

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Confirmants meet on Saturday at the parsonage at 2 p. b.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Feb. 22, Sunday school at 10 a. m. No morning or evening services.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Monday at 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., the ordinary Bible study meeting.

The First Sw. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language at 10:30. Bible class at 11:45. Services in the American language at 7:45. The Ladies Aid society will be entertained in the church basement Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 18, by Mrs. O. A. Naplin and Mrs. A. A. Larson.

Bible Lectures at Odd Fellows Hall

The "influenza ban" being lifted there will be service in the Scandinavian language at the Odd Fellows hall, Sunday evening, Feb. 15, at 8 o'clock. The subject will be as before announced: "A Divine Solution to the Human Problem." We extend a cordial invitation to all.—O. J. Dahl.

The Flu and You

During the present prevalance of the "Flu" people should remember that "at the first sign of danger," don't wait until you are on a bed of sickness, but at the first sign of danger see your Chiropractor. You will save much time and money. He will palpate your spine, will locate your trouble and with his bare hands will adjust same. You will thus be saved much suffering and danger.

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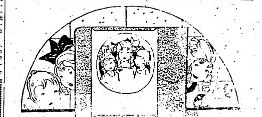

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GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.36
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.31
Oats	.68
Flax	4.57
Barley	1.08
Rye	1.35
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.50
Bran	2.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.90
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.25
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.95
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled Hay, cwt	1.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	14 to 15
Geese, alive, per lb	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.26
Spring Chickens	.16
Ducks	.12½
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.55
Dairy Butter	.58
Creamery Butter	.66
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	5-7
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb	.14
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.17
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.10
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The Flu Situation

The influenza has again returned to this city and because of this, the board of health has taken the necessary action of prohibiting public gatherings. The epidemic has already begun to show signs of abatement.

As yet, the schools have not been closed, as the board of education does not deem it necessary. The majority of cases thus far are mild, so, instead of closing the schools, the students have been asked to stay at home when feeling indisposed or if any one in the family is ill. The total number of pupils absent in the high school on Monday was 101; on Tuesday, 100; on Wednesday, 90; and on Thursday, 75.

Declamatory Contest

The district declamatory contest was held in the high school assembly Jan. 30. Forest Paul of Red Lake Falls won first prize, Lee Ihle of Thief River Falls won second place, and Myrtle Sunderland of Badger was awarded third place. All of the contestants did remarkably well. While awaiting the decision of the judges, we had community singing and high school yells. The band played at the beginning of the program.

Immediately after the contest the two public speaking classes of the high school, the board, the judges and the contestants went down to the commercial rooms which were decorated as reception rooms, and there lunch was served.

8th Grade Basket Ball

On Tuesday, January 13th, it was announced that at fifteen minutes of four o'clock there would be a meeting of all the eighth grade boys in Miss Nylander's room, to elect officers for a basket ball team. When we had assembled, we voted, using the ballot system. "Bob" McGinn was elected captain and Math Barzen manager.

Tuesday, the 20th, we played our first game with the seventh grade. It was a spirited game; the seventh grade players could not make a basket in the first half. One of our best players was put out because of fouls. The first half continued for forty-five minutes with a score of 5 to 13 in favor of our boys. Herbert Keene, an eighth grader, played an especially good game. The guards played well and so did center. At the close of our game, our first this season, the score was 9 to 23 in our favor. The following were the players of our grade, the eighth: Running guard, Math Barzen; standing guard, Steven Longnir; center, Elric Berg; right forward, Herbert Keene; left forward, Robert McGinn.

Basket Ball Standings

At Grand Forks, Dec. 5: Y. M. C. A. 26; Thief River Falls, 36.

At Argyle, Dec. 12: Argyle, 6; Thief River Falls, 21.

At Thief River Falls, Dec. 19: East Grand Forks, 26; Thief River Falls, 37.

At Detroit, Jan. 9: Detroit, 22; Thief River Falls, 14.

At Thief River Falls, Jan. 16: Argyle, 28; Thief River Falls, 45.

At Stephen, Jan. 24, Stephen, 23; Thief River Falls, 14.

At Thief River Falls, Jan. 31: Grand Forks Y. M. C. A., 35; Thief River Falls, 28.

The Detroit and Grand Forks Y. M. C. A. games are not conference games and therefore do not affect our chances for the district championship.

They Say:

The high school basket ball team sent a challenge to the Manitoba University of Winnipeg last Thursday, and if the "U" accepts there will be a "hot time" in Winnipeg in the near future.

The members of the girls' and boys' basket ball teams enjoyed a banquet given in their honor last Sunday evening.

The Senior vaudeville which was to have been given Feb. 7, has been postponed because of the "flu", but don't forget that it will be given as soon as possible.

Fred Will, captain and manager of the Senior basket ball team, returned last Saturday from Glenwood, where he attended the Ski tournament.

The different class basket ball teams have been practicing very diligently the last few weeks and have shown great improvement in their playing.

On account of the many absences caused by the "flu", the Junior-Senior banquet, which was to have been held February 14th, has been postponed to April 10.

Pupils who do not feel well or who have colds are being sent home from school.

Joe Weirus now assumes the title of champion "pie-eater" of Minnesota. Just ask him if there is pie in Stephen.

Miss Dahl was ill for several days last week. Miss Holmes has also been ill.

Roscoe Bakke, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia is recovering.

Ruth Swenson is ill with the "flu." Ruth's mother died last Friday from influenza.

Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Kiland, Julia Brudvick, Esther Scovell, Helen Warner, Dreng Bjornaraa and Roy Flattum, are a few of the "flu" victims.

Leland Schuster is trying to secure a patent on a non-skid trombone.

The bookkeeping students of last year who did not finish their work have been given a chance to get their credits by finishing the work this year. This class is taught by Miss Warth from 7:55 to 8:55 a. m.

The following teachers in the grade schools were absent one or more days last week on account of illness: Miss Schuster, Miss Aske, Miss Larson, Miss Lufgrin, Miss Emerson and Miss Fjilstad.

The hunger of the high school students was appeased last Wednesday after school by a "hot dog" sandwich sale given by the Sophomores.

Mr. Borry has been kept busy the past few weeks taking group pictures of smiling Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors, which will go into the "Prowler of 1920."

Minto Game Cancelled

The girls basketball game with Minto, N. D., to be played at that place Friday, Feb. 6th, was called off late Thursday afternoon, when coach Gunlagson telephoned that place and was notified not to come because of the influenza.

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2. Do not throw paper around the room.
3. Do not stand around the halls.
4. Do not take other people's books without their permission.
5. Do not knock someone's coat down without picking it up.
6. Do not take reference books from library and keep them for two weeks.
7. Do not leave your studying until ten o'clock at night.
8. Do not forget your excuse and report cards at home.
9. Do not forget to look at the board for announcements.
10. Do not skip class meetings so as to shift your share of work on someone else.

The Glory of Athletics

(FRED ERICKSON)

The chief advantage derived from athletics is the power it gives the body and the poise of mind it encourages.

It is hard sometimes for boys to realize that the painful process of training—the muscles, exercising, practicing selfdenial, etc. will react upon the mind.

Jonck, the great French "Ace of Aces," who had, up to September 1, 1918, brought down fifty-seven enemy airplanes, had engaged in more than 200 combats in the air, and never received the slightest injury, nor had his plane been damaged. A Paris correspondent asked the secret of his success, and Lieut. Fonck gave the inquirer the following rules which should be on the first page of the notebooks of all the boys who are trying to develop their bodies to the highest degree possible:

"One must be in constant training, always fit, always sure of one's self, always in perfect health. Muscles must be in good condition, nerves in perfect equilibruim, and all organs of the body exericising naturally.

"Alcoholi s an enemy to success, even wine must be left alone. I must enter combat without fatigue, without nervousness, either physical or moral. I am careful never to fly unless I am fit.

"So difficult is the prize of victory that one must train for air ocmbats as for any other athletic contest. If one is in fine physical control, all the rest is play."

The last sentence strikes the heart of the matter. "The physical control" is the basis of every success in life—body and mind working together for a common goal, both inter-dependent upon each other. The marvelous aviator has demonstrated in his fights and flights above the clouds, in his brave service to his country, what it means to reach this ideal of development.

(Marian M. George.)

Leafless branches, skies of gray,
Morning, sharp and chill;
Happy children every day
On the pond and hill.

Warmer sunshine, melting snow,
Longer days come on;
February's here, you know,
Winter's almost gone.

What doesn't a person want for money these days? One evening a little boy went over to see his grandfather. After they had talked a while he asked his grandfather to croak like a frog. His grandfather asked why he should do that. "Oh," said the boy, "my dad said if you'd croak we would get $6,000."—Ex.

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(Signed) W. W. NORTHRUP.

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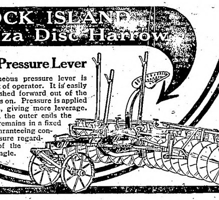

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In the livestock division the herds of Jens Letness and V. O. Noper will be represented, the former with Shorthorns and Mr. Noper with Holsteins. In the poultry section the county will be well represented, the following being the entries: Dennis McGinn, Leghorns; Olaf Neset and Lawrence & Brown, Rhode Island Reds; George Leimers, Wyandottes and Black Leghorns; H. F. Erickson Buff Orpingtons.

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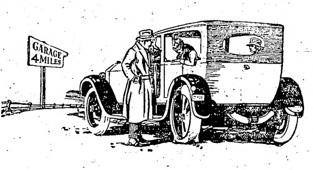

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Gay Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County Minnesota, on the 20th day of June 1916 at one o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30) for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04.)

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein; said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N½) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and State will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five ($75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
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N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

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C. M. Carlson,
M. V. EVENSON,
H. S. DAHLEN,
f5-12-15 Committee

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by T. C. Peterson, a single man, as mortgagor to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, upon the following described lands lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ SW¼) and the South half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 120 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, which said mortgage bears date on the 9th day of December, 1916, and, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 19th day of January, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 369, and which mortgage was assigned to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank by instrument in writing, dated January 20 1917, filed for record in the office of the said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 20th day of January, 1917 at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 322, and which said mortgage was again assigned to Albertus J. Prins by said assignee of mortgage, by instrument in writing dated January 30, 1920, filed for record in the office of said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 2nd day of February, 1920, recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 562, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of Twelve Hundred ($1200) Dollars according to the terms one (1) certain promissory note, made and executed by said T. C. Peterson said mortgagor, to said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, said mortgagee, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 15th day of December in the year 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, each for the sum of Seventy-two ($72.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December 1917, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1918, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1919, are past due and unpaid; and,

WHEREAS, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of interest the whole of the principal sum, together with interest should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assigns, be declared to be due and payable; and,

WHEREAS, the said mortgagor neglected to pay, and has not paid said interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1917, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1918, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1919, as aforesaid, amounting to the sum of Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1917, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15 1918, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1919, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest thereon is by said last named assignee of mortgagee deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

WHEREAS, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Forty and 72-100 ($1440.72) Dollars secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein, and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1920, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated February 5, 1920.

ALBERTUS J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
St. Paul, Minnesota.
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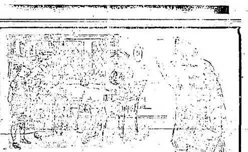

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FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K A. Sundahl. 56tf

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WILL SELL my improved 80 acre farm 7 miles northwest from Thief River Falls, and 1½ miles southeast from Rosewood, at a sacrifice on account of ill health, as I have to go to a different climate. Write Box 992. 58p

FOR SALE—One solid oak extension dining table and one child's bed. 219 Kendall Ave. S. Telephone 111. 57

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3. Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief iver Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

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FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front; fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 608 Horace Ave N. 43tf

FOR SALE—House, 6 rooms, cellar barn, water and 2 acres land. Zeh's addition.—Iven P. Anderson, Owner. 58p

FOR SALE—Lot in Porter's Addition. Write Otto F. Wendt, 1422 Front St. Fargo, N. D. 62p

FOR SALE—One black walnut parlor set and one complete dining room set only used a few months. Inquire at The Times. 56tf

WANTED—Girl at Model Steam Laundry. 57

LOST—Pocket book containing sum of money. Reward for return to Club Pool Hall, next to Stebbins' Drug Store. 57p

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes. About 1000 bushels of fine Marquis, $3.25 per bushel. T. K. Rynestad. Also 200 bu. of Millet seed at $2.00 per bushel. 60

LOST—Specie pocketbook containing small sum of money. Finder please leave at The Times office and receive reward. 57

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland boar pig, one year old in March. Pedigree furnished.—F. G. Dols, Rosewood. 58p

LOTS FOR SALE—Known as the Elder lee house property, at the end of Third St., across from the Soo depot. These lots must be sold. If interested write H. B. Jensen, 3014 18th Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minn. 59p

FOR SALE—A few more houses at a bargain if taken at once.—L. Kruse. 60p

Dressmaking Wanted

At the residence of John Christenson, 525 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school.—Telephone 6072. 63p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cocks and Cocerels. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 60p

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FOR SALE—14 ewes coming in Mar. Some later. Very reasonable price. Halver Odelin, St. Hilaire, Minn.; Rt. 1. 58p

FOR SALE—Five room house and two lots. Also several young truck horses. Would consider exchange for car or anything I can use. Phone 7-F-21. 59p

FOR SALE—Clover hay in stack. A. A. Shoopman, Rocksbury. 57p

FOR SALE—15 tons wild hay, near city.—O. A. Naplin. 60

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock cockerels. $3.00 each.—Mrs. C. Waring, Thief River Falls, Minn. 59p

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework.—Mrs. O. F. Mellby. 57

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

WANTED—Breaking done, 160 acres to be broke, disked and drilled to flax. Location ten miles west from Thief River Falls on the Jefferson Highway. Wish to make contract with responsible party.—W. H. Fredrick. 57

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS—If you have a farm for sale send me the legal description, your net price and best terms of sale.—D. J. Campbell, Crookston, Minn. 60

Cheap Houses For Sale.

No. 245—Tindolph Ave. N., 3 lots, $1200.00; No. 515, 4th St. West, six rooms, 3 lots, $1,000; No. 422 State Ave. N., 4 rooms, 3 lots, $850; No. 506 State Ave. N., 3 rooms, 1½ lots, $450; Four room house and one lot just south of G. N. Ry., water tank, $450. Small cash payments and easy terms will be given on any or all.

C. W. McDaniel,
57tf City.

FOR RENT—on crop shares, half section, 125 acres broke, 2 pastures of 80 acres each, fenced. Can easily put 100 acres more under cultivation. Good house, first class barn, machine shed granary, drilled well with force pump also wooden pump set in reservoir owner can give immediate possession. Location 7½ miles north and two west of Goodridge.—Address A. J. Cummings, Germantown, Minn. 57tf

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Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of C. V. Peterson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Edward Peterson, Leonard Peterson, Annie Johnson and Gustaf Peterson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent The petition of Leonard Peterson having been filed in this Court, representing that C. V. Peterson, then a resident of the County of St. Barbara, State of California, died intestate on the 26th day of January, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Leonard Peterson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of February, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m-4

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NOTICE OF SALE!

Having decided to close up the affairs of the Thief River Falls Building Company, the undersigned will receive offers for the lots, foundation and salvage at the location of the Union Block on Third Street in Thief River Falls, with a view to disposing of the same. All bids must be in before 2 o'clock in the afternoon of

Monday, March 1, 1920

Further information regarding this sale may be had by applying to

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AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my farm, NE¼ of Sec. 4, Township of Bray, 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway and 1 mile south, known as the Jacob Bock farm, 7½ miles south of Viking, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1920

1 gray mare, wt. 1200
1 black mare, wt. 1300
1 black gelding, wt. 1200
1 black mare, wt. 1050
1 gelding, 6 years old, wt. 1150
2 yearling colts.
7 cows, milking now, will be fresh Sept. 1st. Grade Shorthorns.
5 yearling heifers.
1 heifer, 2 years old
6 brood sows, bred, fallow later part of May.
1 Acme binder, 7-foot cut.
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1 John Deere-Dane mower, new
1 hay rack.
1 drill.
1 4-horse drag.
1 sulky plow.
1 stubble plow
1 breaking plow.
1 6-shovel corn plow.
1 4-shovel corn plow.
2 sets of sleighs, 1 6-foot runner and 1 5-foot runner.
2 lumber wagons, double box
1 manure spreader.
1 corn planter, 320 rod check wire.
1 Case corn planter, 160 rod check wire.
1 Emerson potato digger.
40 Plymouth Rock hens.
Household goods.
3 sets work harness
1 fanning mill with sack attachment
8 ton of hay in stack.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale starts at 10:30 o'clock

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash. Over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

FRED R. ADAMS, Owner

W. J. LABREE, Auctioneer. STATE BANK OF VIKING, Clerk.

BIDS WANTED

The Pennington County Fair Directors will receive bids for the lumber in the fence surrounding the Fair Grounds and lumber in several sheds and buildings that are to be replaced. All bids must be in the hands of the Secretary not later than February 25th. The bids to be based on 1,000 feet. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

G. Howard Smith
Secretary
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

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Farmers Attention!

Big Reduction Sale on Harness Shoes, Leather Goods, Etc.

These goods were bought early and at a reasonable figure. We are going to give you the benefit of this good buy. Look up your spring needs in these goods and

Buy Now at Money-Saving Prices Here are a Few of the SPECIALS

Sale Starts Sat., Feb. 14th

28 sets No. 52 breeching harness
1 1-2 in. heel chain trace
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One large lot of collars, all sizes at	$5.00
Halters, 1 1-4 inch, russet and black, regular $2, now	$1.50
Backpads, nickle spotted, 1 1-4 inch skirtings, regular $6.50, now	$4.75
Lines, 1 1-8 x 20, regular $11.50, now	$9.75
Sweat pads, yellow and white, regular $1.25, now	.95
One lot of sweatpads, small sizes at	.30

BIG REDUCTION ON ALL BLANKETS AND ROBES

SHOES AND BOOTS

One lot of work and dress shoes	$3.50
One lot of heavy work boots, 8 and 10-inch top	$8.25
One lot of ladies' shoes	$3.50
One lot of boys' shoes	$2.25

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NAME BOARD IN CHARGE OF NEW FLOOD DISTRICT

ORDER ESTABLISHING RED LAKE UNIT SIGNED BY TWO JUDGES.

ED. A. AUBOL, PENNINGTON COUNTY'S REPRESENTATIVE ON BODY.

EARLY ACTION ON PART OF CONGRESS COVERING RESERVATION EXPECTED.

The Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy district is now an established fact. Judge Andrew Grindeland at Warren and Judge C. W. Stanton at Bemidji, on Monday attached their signatures to the order and findings establishing a corporation for the purpose of handling all matters hereafter connected with the vast project and named the first board of directors. These are five in number, three of whom will serve for four years and two for two years.

Aubol on the Board.

Pennington county's representative on the board is Ed. A. Aubol of St. Hilaire, farmer and former county commissioner. A selection more satisfactory to all concerned could not well have been made. The other member for the four-year term is G. C. Selvig, Polk county. Andrew Johnson, Clearwater county; William Paskowitz, Beltrami county, and Axel Nelson, Marshall county, are the men appointed for two years.

Every man on the board is actually engaged in farming with the exception of Mr. Selvig, who is superintendent of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and is therefor well acquainted with the needs and problems of the farmers of the district. It is a safe and businesslike board upon whose judgment and enterprise the people of the district can absolutely rely.

Attorney Much Pleased.

W. J. Brown of Thief River Falls, attorney for the petitioners in this matter, yesterday expressed himself as highly pleased with the personnel of the board. "They are capable and conscientious men," said Mr. Brown, "and can be depended on to give this undertaking the consideration its importance merits. The appointments show that careful study was given by the judges both to the qualifications of the men selected and to the sections they represent. This augurs well for the success of the project. They understand the law with reference to the enterprise and will see that it is carried out."

Meet in Ten Days.

The newly appointed board must meet in Thief River Falls within ten days of the filing of the order for the purpose of organization. The date for this meeting will depend somewhat upon the convenience of the different members.

Steenerson is Ready.

Congressman Steenerson is ready to introduce legislation in congress looking to the participation of the Indian lands in the project. He has for some time had a bill in readiness and was only awaiting the filing of the court order before introducing it.

PAYS FINE FOR PETIT LARCENY

VALUABLE MATERIAL REMOVED FROM UNION BLOCK RUINS AND SOLD.

Leonard Morstad, a young man, was on Tuesday arrested charged with having removed a quantity of valuable material belonging to the Times Printing & Manufacturing company from the ruins of the recently burned Union block. The loot consisted of copper, brass and other metal, the total representing a considerable sum of money.

Morstad sold the stuff to Charles Fiterman, junk dealer, who claims that he was given to understand that the young fellow had come by the material honestly.

Judge Tarrant in the Municipal court fined Morstad $10 and costs and sentenced him to 30 days in jail, the latter part of the sentence being suspended during good behavior. The fine was paid.

OPENING OF NEW MILLINERY STORE

SPRING PROMENADE, LIVING MODELS AND MUSIC WILL BE FEATURES.

The Bon-Ton Millinery store at 215 East Third street, will be opened to the public tomorrow evening. Miss Helyn Wilson and Miss Edna Applegate of Bemidji, arrived early in the week for the purpose of superintending the placing of the fixtures and stock. There are still some items of furniture lacking, due to delay in shipping, but these will not affect the opening display.

The newest creations in women's headwear will be shown on living models and there will be a spring promenade in which hundreds of styles and effects will be displayed. Vocal solos and instrumental music will be features added for the entertainment of visitors by the management. The doors will be opened at 7 o'clock and a general invitation is extended to the ladies of the neighborhood to attend.

Galloway & Hourigan of Bemidji and Cass Lake, are the owners of the new millinery emporium and Mrs. Galloway will arrange to spend a considerable share of her time in the city.

A Badly Beaten Bunch.

The basketball quintet from the Walsh County Agricultural college at Park River, North Dakota, may be able to hold their own in the Flickertail state but are sadly outclassed when pitted against such veterans as the high school team of Thief River Falls. In the game here on Friday evening they were defeated by a score of 67 to 7, which indicates hardly opposition enough to furnish good exercise for home huskies.

LYCEUM THEATRE CHANGES HANDS

MRS LUCELE JOHNSON BUYS LEASE AND EQUIPMENT OF A. J. LAWRENCE.

The Lyceum theatre, which in common with all other similar places of amusement, was closed for a couple of weeks during the most serious period of the influenza scare, was reopened on Saturday evening under new management. Mrs. Lucele Johnson of this city, purchased the lease and equipment from A. J. Lawrence, manager of the theatre for the past two years, and took immediate possession.

Mrs. Johnson will continue to book for this playhouse nothing but the best pictures obtainable. So far as possible the former contracts of Mr. Lawrence will be continued and other attractions will be added. It is the intention of the new manager to show nothing but the best produced and to see that nothing of an objectionable character is ever permitted.

Mr. Lawrence has not yet decided upon his future course. He is in the cities this week and will probably try to connect with a theatre in another section of the country. He is an energetic and particularly capable show man and will have no trouble in making a go of anything in that line he undertakes.

WIN ON POULTRY AT WINTER FAIR

PENNINGTON COUNTY EXHIBITORS CARRY OFF PRIZES AT CROOKSTON.

Pennington county maintained its reputation as a poultry raising section by the many fine exhibits entered at the midwinter fair at Crookston. Many of the local poultry fanciers secured blue ribbons on their birds together with numerous lesser prizes.

George Leimers was one of the big exhibitors at the fair in this division. In the White Wyandotte class he was awarded first cockerel, second cockerel, first pullet, second pullet, third pullet and fourth pullet. In the Black Leghorn class he secured first cockerel, first hen, second hen, first, second, third and fourth pullet.

Olaf Neset was awarded third cockerel, fifth cockerel and third cock in the Rhode Island Red division.

In the Buff Orpington class H. F. Erickson won second cockerel and fourth pullet.

The White Leghorn division was the largest in the show, making competition very strong. Dennis McGinn landed first cockerel, fifth cockerel, first and fourth hen.

Pennington county was not well represented in the grain exhibit, although Joe Oski of Mavie won some very fine prizes. A number of farmers from the St. Hilaire section won premiums on corn and flax.

Adds Boys' Department.

L. L. Cohn of the Palace Clothing house, is preparing to add a complete boys' department to his store. The partition in the rear of the building will be removed and the fine stock of men's shoes now handled will be sold out and the line discontinued. Mr. Cohn is determined to sacrifice the shoe stock in order to make room for the new department and is quoting some remarkably low prices in his advertisement in another column.

The First Spring Sale.

At the present high wholesale price of merchandise it is a brave merchant who can see his way clear to make any considerable cut on staple goods. Loken Brothers, however, have decided to open the spring season with a big sale, the announcement of which will be found on another page. New spring goods are arriving at the big store daily and more room must be provided. This list of bargains is worth looking over carefully.

MEMORIALS FOR FALLEN HEROES RECEIVED HERE

REPUBLIC OF FRANCE SENDS BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE TO NEXT OF KIN.

TWENTY-FOUR MEN FROM PENNINGTON COUNTY MET DEATH WHILE FIGHTING.

ACCORDING TO RECORDS, TWO FELL ON LAST DAY OF GREAT WAR.

Twenty-four Pennington county homes will be honored by receiving a copy of the beautiful memorial issued by the French government to the families of men who met their death while fighting in the late war. This is the number of those from this county who died while on overseas duty.

The memorial is beautifully lithographed in gold and colors and contains the name of the dead soldier, the date of his death and the name of the battle in which he fell. Above the description is a symbolical group placed on a cenotaph bearing the following inscription in French: "To the Memory of (name of soldier) of the United States of America who died for Liberty during the Great War. The Homage of France. The President of the Republic—R. Poincare." On the wall behind the group forming the design are engraved two lines taken from one of Victor Hugo's famous poems, of which the following is a translation:

> "For those who devoutly died
> for their country
> It is right that the people come
> and pray at their tombs."

There are four memorials yet to be received, these going to the next of kin of Elmer J. Eklund, the first Pennington county man to fall, after whom the local Legion post is named, Casper E. Crown, Frank Sinkey and Gustav Sollom. The last named two are the only ones whose relatives are unknown. In the case of one of the soldiers two memorials are sent, it being deemed that two persons are equally entitled to possess one. The memorials will be mailed by local legion officials so as to reach the parties to whom they are addressed on Washington's birthday.

Two Killed on Last Day.

In going over the memorials it is noted that two men from Pennington county are recorded as having met their death on Nov. 10, 1918, but the exact hour has not been determined in the case of either one. The men were Oscar Carl Bakken, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bakken, and Oscar Martin Dahl, son of Oluf C. Dahl, both families residing in Thief River Falls. The list as at present made out is as follows, the name of the recipient of the memorial being first given, followed by the name of the dead soldier:

Mrs. Tena Dahlen, city—Elmer Dahlen.
O. C. Dahl, city—Oscar Dahl.
Ole L. Bakken, city—Oscar Bakken.
Oscar Seeland, city—Albert Seeland.
John Gaspery, city—Joseph Myers.
Mrs. Carl G. Vake, Erie—Carl Vake.
Mrs. G. Maland, St. Hilaire—Oscar Maland.
Halvor C. Severson, Erie—Eric Severson.
Anna Dempsey, Ruddell—Robert Dempsey.
Mrs. Sarah Paulson, St. Hilaire—Axel Borgie.
Mrs. Theresa Stucy, Highlanding—Harry Stucy.
Mrs. Rachael Poston, city—George Poston.
Louis Olson, city—Emil Olson.
Mrs. H. Hanson, St. Hilaire—C. G. Hanson.
Alice Welch, city—David Welch, Roseau.
Hans Hermanson, city—Henry Hermanson.
Hans Svare, Erie—Henry Svare.
Mrs. L. Mossestad and Miss Laurine Mossestad, city—Ole Mossestad.
Nels K. Anderson, city—Miss Anderson (nurse).

List of Wounded.

Seventeen men wounded in action have returned to their homes, these being Harry Bakken, Jake Grenagle, Halbert Halverson, Fred Scanlan, Osmund Ordahl, Sidney Ellis, Craven Calloway, Andrew Feragen, James Havel, Peter Schaltz and Leo Miller, all of Thief River Falls; Arthur Helgeson and Selmer Lund, Kratka; Robert Nelson, St. Hilaire; G. H. Eklund, Wylie: Edward Klementson, Hazel; John G. Hanson, Neptune.

Is Back on the Job.

Dr. G. A. Penney, who has been one of the victims of influenza during the past two weeks, is again at his office ready to attend to business. The doctor says that the flu is one of the things it does not pay to argue with. When it hits you the only sensible course is to give up and go to bed.

Lutherans Buy Parsonage.

The congregation of the Swedish Lutheran church has purchased the Baugh property on Main avenue north and the same will be occupied by Rev. Rev. A. A. Larson and family about Easter. The residence owned by Rev. Larson, 712 Duluth avenue has been purchased by C. D. Gustafson.

PLAN TO ASSIST MOVEMENT FOR BETTER ROADS

AUTOMOBILE CLUB TO HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING HERE TUESDAY EVENING.

BEST METHOD OF CONDUCTING EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN WILL BE DISCUSSED.

AIM IS TO COORDINATE EFFORTS OF NATION, STATE AND COUNTY.

Indications are that there will be more activity in road building in Minnesota during the coming summer than for any five years in its previous history. Pennington county is as much interested in this matter as any section of the state and plans are already on foot to see that the people secure full advantages of all that is going on.

In order to get a campaign for better highways properly started there will be a meeting of the Pennington County Automobile association held at the municipal court room next Tuesday evening. To this gathering all auto owners and good roads boosters are invited. It is of importance that all be present as some plan for concerted action will be formulated and active work for bringing assistance to those who are striving for better highways will be begun.

A Great Program.

So much road work is contemplated for the near future that unless a community is up and actively doing something it is liable to be left in the lurch. Congress will in all probability pass the Townsend bill which provides for two highways in each state, one running north and south and the other east and west. This section should bend every effort toward having the Jefferson Highway named as one such road in this state and there is every hope that this can be done.

The Babcock Amendment.

Should Amendment No. 1 pass at the next election it will mean that a paved highway will traverse the county. It is very important that every voter be made acquainted with the provisions of the measure in order that he may vote intelligently when the time comes. There is considerable misunderstanding concerning this proposed law and the automobile club members and road boosters generally will be asked to do everything in their power to keep its merits before the voters until after election. This matter will also be discussed at the meeting.

Every friend of good roads should be present. Unless a start is made nothing worth while will ever be accomplished and Pennington county is even now considerably behind many of its neighbors in the preliminary work necessary.

SITE OF BURNED BLOCK FOR SALE

THIEF RIVER FALLS COMPANY WILL CLOSE OUT HOLDINGS AT ONCE.

In another part of The Times today will be found an advertisement offering for sale the site of the destroyed Union block together with the salvage in brick and other material left by the fire.

The stockholders of the holding concern, the Thief River Building company, with to close up its affairs and will open bids for the property as it stands on Monday, March 1. The site is one of the most desirable in the city, being located on the principal business street, while the salvage is of considerable value. The foundation walls alone would represent a large outlay of money if their erection was undertaken under present conditions.

It is understood that a very attractice figure will be made on this property to anyone who will rebuild. C. L. Hansen of the First National bank, has the matter in charge.

Heavy Snow Storm.

The Rosewood and Viking neighborhood was more heavily hit by the snow storm of last Friday than any place in this section. There were no trains over the Wheatline division of the Soo out of this city on that day. It is claimed that in the vicinity of Rosewood the snow is 12 feet deep in places, this being the heaviest fall recorded for many years.

Moved to Oregon.

Mrs. Gust Crown and baby left on Monday afternoon for Silverton, Ore., where they will make their future home. Mr. Crown preceded his family a short time ago, having purchased a barber shop at that place. Mr. and Mrs. Crown have been residents of this city for a number of years and have a host of friends who will regret to learn of their departure.

The Sunday school of Trinity Lutheran church will meet on Sunday, Feb. 22, at 9:30 a. m.

To Correspondents.

Owing to the fact that The Times is now being printed at Red Lake Falls it is impossible to print the correspondence unless same is received on Monday. All Times' correspondents are therefore requested to mail their items so that same will reach us by that time.

The present situation is likely to continue for some time and we hope that our friends will help us out under these trying circumstances by complying with this request.

Meeting of Congregation.

There will be a meeting of the Rindal congregation at the church next Sunday afternoon for the purpose of taking up the matter of a pastor for the coming year. Rev. George Larson of the Zion Lutheran church, Thief River Falls, is now serving the congregation. The regular monthly meeting of the Rindal Ladies' Aid society will be held at the same time.

BANQUET PLANS FOR MERCHANTS

WILL BE GIVEN IN CONNECTION WITH ELECTION ON MARCH 1.

The annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Merchants association will be held at the Evelyn hotel on Monday evening, March 1. The annual banquet of the organization will also be held at this time, followed by the election of officers.

This is expected to be one of the most important meetings in the history of the organization. Many matters of importance will come up for discussion and plans for the coming year gone over.

It has been definitely decided that amalgamation with the commercial club is not feasible. The organizations are somewhat different in purpose and while they will work in harmony and use the same quarters better results can be secured by allowing matters to remain as they are.

A committee is at work on the arrangements and a list of speakers will be announced later.

ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL NORMAL

SLUMP DUE TO PREVALENCE OF INFLUENZE NO LONGER NOTICEABLE.

Attendance in the Thief River Falls schools is again normal after about a month of very unsatisfactory turnouts. Then more or less general influenza scare kept many pupils from school, although it was continually pointed out that the danger of contracting the disease there was not as great as it would be were the children allowed to stay at home and consequently less subject to observation and inspection. The public health nurse kept very close tab on all suspected cases and these were quickly taken care of. Very few of the schol children were actually sick and there was at no time any valid excuse for keeping them away from their studies. Parents, however, having in mind the situation a year ago, believed they were taking additional precautions by not permitting the children to attend. That they were mistaken does not alter the fact that the youngsers will now have to work doubly hard in order to catch up with those who displayed more nerve.

FILM ACTOR DIES; OLD-TIMER HERE

WILLIAM SILVER, RELATIVE OF LOCAL WOMAN, VICTIM OF ACCIDENT.

The following account of the death of a man whom many of the older residents of the city will remember is taken from a Los Angeles paper of recent date:

"William F. Weyer, known in motion pictures as William Silver, son of Mrs. Mary Weyer, 901 Maple street, Pasadena, died Sunday in the Pacific Hospital, Los Angeles, from injuries sustained while engaged in his work as an actor."

Deceased was a cousin of Mrs. F. A. Gobler of Thief River Falls and was a conductor on the Great Northern, running between this city and Crookston before the extension to Warroad was built.

Farm Bureau Meeting.

The annual meeting of the farm bureau board of directors will be held in Thief River Falls at 1:00 p. m., Friday, Feb. 27th. The purpose of this meeting will be to outline a program of work for the year 1920, and to discuss ways and means of increasing the scope and usefulness of the farm bureau organization to Pennington county farmers.

SCHOOLS AGAIN CROWDED PAST THEIR CAPACITY

ALL AVAILABLE SPACE OCCUPIED AND ROOMS ARE OVERCROWDED.

DOUBLE CLASS PLAN EMPLOYED BUT IS CONSIDERED UNSATISFACTORY.

BOARD URGES ADDITION TO KNOX BUILDING DURING PRESENT YEAR.

Thief River Falls is in need of additional school room. So serious has the situation become that a special meeting of the school board was held on Monday evening for the purpose discussing the matter. Every room in the five buildings is filled to capacity and the demand is for still more space. In some of the buildings the condition is such that it is freely admitted that the best results can no longer be obtained.

The library at the high school has been converted into a class room and at the Knox building the double shift plan has been employed. This is unsatisfactory to the school authorities and unfair to the pupils. Whether or not the people feel inclined to go rather extensively into building operations at this time does not particularly matter. The facts are that there is no other way out of the difficulty.

East Side Crowded.

The situation is particularly bad at the Knox building on the East Side. Here certain of the classes contain 50 pupils, which is 15 more than is considered the maximum for efficient work. The state department of education make an extreme allowance of 40 under certain conditions, but advises against attempting to include this number in any one class. It is realized that there is an element of danger in this fact as it is possible for the state to refuse the usual school aid where its provisions are not more nearly complied with.

Members of the board state that if the East Side is to be supplied as it should be a total of 18 teachers would have to be employed in that section alone.

High School Also Crowded.

At the Lincoln high school every room that can possibly be employed for class purposes has been requisitioned and there is still an overflow. The plans as now outlined contemplates the removal of the normal training department to the enlarged Knox building, thus relieving the Lincoln to a considerable extent. From present indications there will be 13 additional rooms needed in the city when school opens next fall.

The Northrup Filled.

When the Northrup building was erected two years ago two rooms were left unfinished, it being the belief that this space would not be needed for some time. Before the year was out both had been placed in commission and the building is now comfortably filled, although there is no crowding there as yet. The converting of the Central building into a junior high school was also expected to relieve the situation, but this leeway has also been taken up.

Special Election Necessary.

A bond issue will be required in order to raise the money necessary for a new building. It is probable that this will be called before long. In case the issue carries there is no doubt but that the money can be secured from the state at a low rate of interest.

Suit Against Newspaper.

Suit has been brought against the Norman County Herald, a weekly paper published at Ada, by Ralph Van Lear, son of the former Socialist mayor of Minneapolis, asking $5,000 damages on account of an alleged libel published in that paper early in January.

The item in question, published on the editorial page, was as follows, according to the complaint:

"The World War Veterans, the soldier organization started in opposition to the American Legion, is headed by Van Lear of Minneapolis, a young man who refused to put on the uniform of the U. S. at Camp Dodge. Nothing more need be said."

Former Pastor on Visit.

Rev. C. E. Boyden renewed the acquaintance of his many friends in this city the first of the week. He left on Wednesday morning for Middle River, where he will visit with his son, Bert, who is engaged in farming in that vicinity. Rev. Boyden was formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church in this city.

Returns From Iowa.

Mrs. F. F. Haynes and daughter, Esther, accompanied by Miss Cora Tofflemier, returned to this rity on Sunday morning from Mason City, Ia., where the two former stopped to visit enroute to their home here from California, where they spent a period of six weeks.

Theo. Rustabakke returned to his home in Scobey, Mont., on Tuesday afternoon having been called to this city for a few days because of the death of his brother.

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WILL THE FARMER STAND IN HIS OWN LIGHT?

Should Amendment No. 1 fail to pass at the next election it will mean that the people of Minnesota have refused to take the one opportunity offered to lift their state out of the mud. And that is not all. It will also show that they are not as progressive and farseeing as their neighbors in other states.

There is not an argument to be made against the Babcock good roads plan that will stand any kind of a test. It is certain that not a person can be found who will say that paved highways are not desirable, and it is fully as certain that no better plan for paying the cost of such roads has ever been devised. The very people upon whom this cost will fall most heavily agree that this is a fact.

If any considerable opposition is developed it will come from the farmer—the man who above all others will be benefitted by the adoption of the plan. He is the one who not only pays the largest share of what is now spent on our makeshift roads, but he is also the heaviest loser because of the decidedly unsatisfactory condition in which they are maintained. Under the present system this cannot be helped. Improvement is noted, it is true, but where this is the case in one part of the highway it is liable to mean neglect in another, so that as a whole the reduction in the cost of transportation is hardly noticeable.

In spite of this well-known fact it is maintained that the farmer will oppose the Babcock amendment. It does not seem reasonable to suppose that he will thus stand squarely in his own light and it is to be hoped that when he fully understands the direct benefits to be derived from a network of paved highways he will be the most enthusiastic booster for their construction. The plan as devised was originally intended to benefit the farmer and will be carried out with this end in view. The city dweller will naturally profit by the lowered cost of transportation from the farm, but outside of this his satisfaction will largely be represented by the greater pleasure to be derived from his car. With the farmer it is purely a business proposition. Better roads mean lower costs in getting his products to market, a wider trading range, closer touch with business conditions generally and a wider opportunity for taking advantage of situations by which he may profit.

The passage of Amendment No. 1 will not alone mean paved highways between county seats. It will also provide much greater sums than are now possible for the lateral roads. These must now take what is left after the main lines have been put in shape, which is often a very small amount. Under the Babcock plan all the money employed by counties on road work can be expended on these sidelines, provision being made for the upkeep of the paved artery by the tax on automobiles. This will not be very severe in any case and will be assessed against every power vehicle in the state according to horsepower. The city man who never uses a country highway will pay as much towards its construction and maintenance as will the farmer along whose property it runs.

There can be no sane opposition to the Babcock law from any source, but the farmer should certainly be the very last to set himself against its being put into effect.

WILL PAVE THE ALLEYS.

The city council evidently figures that as long as Thief River Falls is going to pave a good job may as well be done while we are at it. For this reason it has been decided that the alleys in the downtown business district shall receive the same treatment as the streets.

This is a good idea and will enhance the value of the general undertaking enormously. The alleys in some instances are almost as important as the streets. The traffc, both team and truck, is very heavy along these thoroughfares and business houses particularly will approve the decision of the council.

The placing of storm sewers in alleys is also a good move. The present discharge system of the city is not of sufficient capacity to care for the storm water and sanitary outflow, and something of the kind now decided upon would have to be undertaken within a short time in any event. It will mean the saving of both money and trouble in the end to have this matter attended to at the same time as the larger job is under way.

There may be some difference of opinion as to whether or not these new sewers should be paid for by the abutting property or assessed against the city as a whole, but the view of the majority of the councilmen will without doubt turn out to be the most satisfactory. This is that the cost of storm sewers should be taxed against the property directly benefitted, thus keeping the assessment for this improvement within the present paving district. As this district is extended similar sewers will have to be provided for the areas affected and these will then in turn be called upon to foot the bill.

One good feature about this manner of handling the thing is that the bill will be paid when the paving is paid for, the additional assessment each year being very small. If the entire city is bonded or makes other provision for meeting the cost the amount will be an incumbrance for years and count as a liability whenever it is found necessary to make further improvements. The plan is absolutely fair to everyone. Nothing is paid for this storm sewer until paving in a district is decided upon, at which time the extra cost is added. It hardly seem right that outlying property which will not be directly benefitted by either the pavement or sewer should be forced to stand a share of this expense. The property abutting must pay for paving and there seems to be no good reason for following any other course when it comes to the storm sewers.

AN INEXPLICABLE MOVE.

The remarkable course followed by President Wilson in the case of Secretary of State Robert Lansing makes it hard for even his most ardent admirers to present anything in the shape of justification. He forced the secretary to resign his portfolio under circumstances which cannot help but give credence to the report that his illness has had a most distressing effect upon him, mentally as well as physically.

Lansing may not have been in a class with John Hay or Richard Olney as a secretary of state but no one ever doubted his sincerity of purpose, sterling patriotism or fidelity to his chief. Even when it became apparent that his opinion and that of the president conflicted on matters of the gravest importance did he subordinate his convictions and follow the instructions of his superior. It is well known that Mr. Lansing has for some time been desirous of leaving the cabinet, but loyalty to the president while the latter was unable to shoulder the responsibilities of government kept him at his post. To be humiliated before the country as a reward cannot help but make the people feel that he has been unfairly dealt with.

The president says that Mr. Lansing usurped the powers of the executive, evidently overlooking the fact that at the time this is alleged to have happened the country was practically without any such officer. It was absolutely necessary that someone assume responsibility for the government, and the cabinet, under Mr. Lansing's leadership, kept things going.

The attitude of the president is that of a testy and peevish old man, jealous of his prerogatives and decidedly inconsiderate of the feelings of others. It is not the first mistake he has made but it is one of the hardest to explain.

EXACTLY ON SCHEDULE.

Along about the first of March of every even numbered year some chap comes forward with the announcement that he is going to enter the contest against Halvor Steenerson for the position of congressman from the Ninth Minnesota district. This has been a biennial occurrance for the past eighteen years—and Steenerson is still on the job.

Eighteen years is a long time for a man to stay in congress from a Minnesota district. Ordinarily the people wait until such time as their representative reaches a point where he can be of some use and then they proceed to fire him. Consequently the state is at the tail end of the procession when it comes to influential position at the national capitol. The people of the Ninth have had sense enough to keep one man on the job and he has worked up to where he really is somebody.

There is perhaps nothing to be said against the party who would succeed your uncle Halvor, except that his ambition has run away with his judgment. It is not likely he can show any good reason for making the change he suggests, particularly at this time, and the voters are not throwing overboard a tried and true servant because another would like his position.

Steenerson is one of the big men in the house of representatives. He stands well up toward the head of the class and is the dean of the Minnesota delegation. He has been victorious in many a hard-fought campaign and there is nothing in the present situation that should make him in any manner apprehensive.

It may be that things will yet narrow down to a sensible basis in the gubernatorial contest in this state. The boom for Jake Preus on the Republican ticket has lately shown rather startling signs of life and many look upon him as decidedly the pick of the flock. Frank Day of Fairmont, who has something of a reputation as a picker of winners for the Democrats, comes out strong for Dr. William J. Mayo of Rochester as the Moses who might lead the unterrified band out of the wilderness. Good men, both of these.

The B. P. O. E. in War and in Peace

(Editorial in Duluth Herald.)

By the way, give a thought to the Elks—on the job in the war, and on the job again in the troubled peacetime, standing for, working for and embodying a vigorous American order, with American members, and upholding a virile American ideal with effective force.

Says an Elk spokesman: "The name of this order is a good mouth-filling one in more than one sense. It is distinctively an American order for Americans, and that means REGULAR Americans. A Regular American is one who believes in democracy, who speaks the English language, who believes that the United States is the best country on the globe, and who says to every disgruntled alien who cannot or does not speak our tongue: 'Learn it and SPEAK it; and if you will not learn it and speak it—MOVE!' "

Over six hundred thousand Americans are Elks, and during the World war this great American order was among the first to come to the aid of national government by a free will offering of over two million dollars. More than eighty thousand of its members were enrolled in the armed forces of the country.

The Elks established two base hospitals in France equipped with a thousand beds, and two permanent reconstruction hospitals in this country—one in Boston with a thousand beds, and another in New Orleans with more than eight hundred beds—where disabled veterans are now being nursed back to health, remade, reeducated and enabled to make the future safe for themselves and their loved ones.

The Elks furnished in every city in the land able speakers to help the government make successful the wonderful war loan drives. The Elks took charge of the Salvation Army drive, raising millions for the splendid work of this self-sacrificing organization. They helped, too, in the drives for the Red Cross, the funds for Italian, Belgian, Serbian, Jewish, Armenian, Polish and French refugee relief, the Y. M. C. A., the Red Star and the "Seven Sisters" campaign for war relief purposes. Through subordinate lodges the Elks bought more than three million dollars' worth of Liberty Bonds, and they donated three hundred thousand dollars to the Red Cross, a hundred thousand to the Y. M. C. A. war fund, and a million dollars to other war funds. More than three hundred Elk club houses were turned over for use by the Red Cross and other patriotic agencies.

The Duluth lodge was the active agency in raising more than twelve thousand dollars for the members of the local militia companies, equally distributed, when they were called to duty on the Mexican border. During the forest fire in October, 1918, the local Elks threw open their club house to help in feeding, clothing and sheltering the refugees, and contributed twenty-five hundred dollars to the relief fund. For more than a year they donated, rent-free, spacious headquarters in the Elks' building to the Duluth branch of the Red Cross. They helped raise five thousand dollars to aid the Allied recruiting officers in Duluth. In one day Duluth Elks, putting over a Thrift Stamp drive, sold twenty-eight thousand dollars' worth of stamps, thus giving the subsequent campaign a big impetus toward success.

The Duluth lodge counts among its members very many of the city's most prominent business and professional men—men who follow every respectable calling in life. Every Elk is an American—he must be or he can't be an Elk.

The war over, like true Americans the Elks kept on the job. The Grand Lodge recently went squarely on record against every brand of red radicalism—against every Bolshevist, every I. W. W., every impudent alien who wants to overthrow our sort of government and set up his sort. The B. P. O. E. stands for this idea "without reservations": That every man in these United States, wherever he may come from, whatever his faith, however high or humble his position, should be a sound American from sole to crown.

It is a pleasure, at this time, to direct attention to this outstanding display of unadulterated Americanism, and to say that in the face of this record in war and in peace, every Elk should be proud of his order and glad to support it in all its works.

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An Astounding SHOE OFFER

NEEDING the room for spring merchandise which is daily arriving and having decided to put in a complete line of boys' wearing apparel, which until now we have never carried, we have decided to

Close Out Our Entire Line of Men's Shoes

Consisting of such well-known lines as the O'Donnell, the Gotzian and the Original Chippewa, in both work and dress shoes, at prices which today would not cover the cost at the factories. As shoes are going up by leaps and bounds right along and as no one knows when they will stop soaring, this sale offers an opportunity that no sensible person will overlook.

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Group No. 1
This lot consists of the genuine Chippewa and Gotzian work shoes; all leather Goodyear welts; brown and black. Values up to $7.50.
Sale Price $4.45

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In Group No. 2 you will find genuine Chippewas, 8, 10 and 12 inch tops; water and manure proof. These shoes sold up to $11.50 last year.
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About 100 pairs O'Donnell Shoes in all styles and colors. If you've ever had a pair of O'Donnell shoes you know how they wear. These shoes are today worth $5 a pair more than we ask.
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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

BIG ATTENDANCE IN SPITE OF FLU

FARM CROPS SHOW AT CROOKSTON MOST SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR.

The annual winter farm crops show at Crookston last week was one of the most successful ever held in spite of the fact that many of the features on the program as originally intended had to be abandoned at the last minute because of the prevalence of influenza in the city. The attendance was good and the exhibits, particularly in the livestock division, the finest and most numerous ever seen at a similar show in the state. Pennington county was well represented, both in the number of persons who attended and the variety of displays. A special train advertised to run from this city on Friday was cancelled when it became known that the speaking and judging programs had been called off.

The only major division in which stock from Pennington county was represented was the junior bull calf entries. Fifth place was awarded to Sir Ormsby De Kol Pride, the property of V. C. Noper.

In the county cash awards Henry Simonson of St. Hilaire received first for Pennington county, and Gordon Olson of the same village, second. In the clover division A. A. Shoopman, St. Hilaire, received third prize. Albert Nelson, also of St. Hilaire, was awarded the third price on wheat. In the county competition on wheat Joe Oski of Mavie, won first, Arthur Avelson, St. Hilaire, second and K. O. Gigstad, St. Hilaire, third.

Joseph Mortensen of St. Hilaire, and Mr. Avelson were also prize winners in the sweepstakes for oats. In the county cash awards in this division Mr. Avelson and Herman Jepson of St. Hilaire, were winners.

There were no sweepstakes winners from Pennington county in the barley division. Mr. Jepson was winner in the county awards.

Mr. Avelson had the best rye from this county and Joe Oski was the county winner for flax. The county was not represented among the winners of prizes on potatoes. No winners from this county are recorded in the boys and girls club work division.

RESULT OF WORK ON PEAT LANDS

ACID PHOSPHATE AND MANURE GAVE BEST RESULTS LAST YEAR.

The annual report of the agricultural division of the university of Minnesota has just been issued and contains the usual amount of matter pertaining to the work of the experimental stations, among other things of interest. Concerning the peat demonstrations at Golden Valley the report says:

"Duplicate plots of sixteen different crops were seeded on burned peat, unburned peat, and mineral soil at the Golden Valley peat farm in 1918. The unburned peat was treated with potash, acid phosphate, manure, and various combinations of those fertilizers. The burned peat received only one fertilizer application, barnyard manure, because the ash left from burning contained an abundance of available phosphate and potash.

"The results on the unburned peat indicated very strongly that acid phosphate and manure gave the greatest yields with practically all crops, and that potash gave little if any increase in yield over the check of no-treatment plots. Vast differences could be seen throughout the season in the growth and maturity of the crops, and the yields bore out those differences. Burned peat gave almost the same results as phosphate or manure, showing that phosphate in some form is necessary for the peat at Golden Valley.

"Spring rye yielded 14.6 bushels on no treatment, 14.1 bushels where potash was added, 39.6 bushels with phosphate, 36.8 bushels with manure and 46 bushels on the burned plowed peat. Oats, barley, potatoes, and rutabags yielded in about the same ratio. Flax was a complete failure on burned peat, and no fertilizer except manure showed any beneficial effect on unburned peat. Wheat on burned and manured unburned peat yielded about twice as much as that on soil which was not treated.

"Grasses yielded best on the burned peat, but all gave good response to the application of phosphate and of manure. Sweet clover winter-killed badly during the winter of 1918-19 on both the burned and unburned peat but is growing vigorously on the mineral soil."

Phosphate Arrives.

County Agent J. J. McCann has been notified of the arrival of a quantity of the phosphate shipped here by the state for experimentation on the peat plots selected for the purpose along the state road between Thief River Falls and Goodridge. Mr. McCann states that just as soon as there is any sign of a letup in the weather the work of getting the ground ready, staking out the plots, etc., will be bgun. He states further that a few more farmers who wish to assist in this work by devoting a small part of their peat lands to crops under the supervision of the state will be given an opportunity to do so. Application should be made to Mr. McCann.

COUNTY LEADS IN CERTIFIED HERDS

HAS 86 PROPERLY ACCREDITED OUT OF 318 IN THE ENTIRE STATE.

Pennington county has 86 properly accredited herds of cattle, this being the largest number reported by any county in the United States. Minnesota is the leader among the state in this regard, having 318 accredited herds, according to the state livestock sanitary board, brought down to Feb. 1. Thirty-nine herds were given a *clean bill of health* in January. About 2,000 herds are under test at the present time.

Virginia is second to Minnesota. Iowa has no accredited herds, but is doing much testing work. There is no an accredited herd in Missouri. Minnesota in this respect is far in advance of Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana Ohio, New York and other old and wealthy states.

Minnesota has a national reputation for the healthfulness of its cattle. Breeders all over the country are coming to Minnesota for grade and pure bred stock, knowing that if freedom from tuberculosis is to be found anywhere it can be found here.

Herds duly accredited as being without tuberculosis are, of course more valuable than unaccredited herds and can be shipped from state to state without the difficulties that confront owners of noncertified animals. It takes at least eighteen months for a herd to become accredited. Three tests must be made in intervals of six months. If no tuberculosis animals are found in three tests, the government accredits the herd and issues its certificates.

Robber Quickly Caught.

The Farmers State bank of Bemidji was robbed of $2,000 at noon last Wednesday by a lone unmasked bandit who took all the available cash from B. L. Johnson, assistant cashier, at the point of a gun, and locked him in the vault with Lillian Elmquist, stenographer, the only other employee in the bank at the time. Postmaster P. L. Ritchie, passing the bank discovered the theft and released the prisoners.

Persons on the street said they saw a roughly dressed man come out of the bank and saw him go to a group of deserted buildings which were surrounded by a quickly formed posse. The robber came out with a revolver in his hand and surrendered. All the money was found on him.

Miss Agnes Remmem of this city left on Saturday morning for Viking where she will visit with relatives over Sunday.

BIDS WANTED

The Pennington County Fair Directors will receive bids for the lumber in the fence surrounding the Fair Grounds and lumber in several sheds and buildings that are to be replaced. All bids must be in the hands of the Secretary not later than February 25th. The bids to be based on 1,000 feet. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

G. Howard Smith
Secretary
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

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SIX YEARS TROUBLE OVERCOME BY TANLAC AND HE FEELS FINE NOW.

"It was nearly a year ago that Tanlac overcame my troubles and today I am still in perfect health," was the statement made recently by A. H. Chapman, who resides at 615 E. 14th street, Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Chapman is general agent for the Fidelity Health and Accident Company of Benton Harbor, Mich., and has offices at 1115 Gloyd Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

"I had been in poor health for the past six years and at times my condition was so bad I could not do satisfactory work," he continued. "My kidneys were so badly disordered that I had a constant pain across my back. I had little or no appetite and my digestion was so poor I had to be very careful about what I ate, and I had a heavy distressing feeling after nearly every meal, and often had dizzy spells and headaches, too. My liver seemed to always be sluggish and my whole system just seemed to be all run down. I lost twenty-five pounds in weight and was so weak that if I walked two blocks I would give out completely and have to sit down for awhile and rest. Although I took many different medicines and treatments I kept growing worse and worse all the time.

"I had heard a great deal about the good Tanlac was doing and finally I decided to give it a trial. And by the time I had finished the first bottle my appetite began to come back and my digestion improved. I continued to take it and when I had finished six bottles all my troubles had completely disappeared. It has been ten months now since I have been bothered with my kidneys or liver and what's more I have regained every pound of my lost weight and am in better general health than I've been for years. Everything I eat agrees with me and I don't know what it is to ever have a headache or dizzy spell. I sleep like a log at night and get up of mornings feeling just fine. Tanlac is responsible for my good health and I give it my unqualified endorsement."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store.—adv.

LOCALS BEATEN IN BEMIDJI GAME

FAILED TO SHOW USUAL SNAP AND WENT DOWN. 28 TO 15.

Without any apologies to offer or excuses to make the Elmer J. Eklund Post basketball team returned from Bemidji last Friday morning after having been defeated by the Gracie Post team by a score of 28 to 15.

The local boys failed to get away with their usual snap and the game was sewed up against them before they struck their gait. From all reports it was a very good contest, but for spectacular performances did not come up to the one played by the same teams in this city two weeks ago. The floor at Bemidji is much larger than that at the auditorium here and this bothered the visiting team considerably. According to impartial observers, however, the locals were outplayed, hardly a single member of the team sustaining his previous reputation.

A social session to which all the visiting players were invited was afterwards held at which dancing was the principal feature. The affair was most enjoyable.

About 150 fans accompanied the players, a special in charge of Conductor J. O. Yotter being run over the Soo for their accommodation. All had a good time in spite of the fact that sufficient provision had not been made for their presence at the game.

Made Five Arrests.

According to the quarterly report of the state game and fish commission there were five arrests made in Pennington county during the last quarter of the year 1919. Warden William Munch of Crookston was the complaining officer in each case. Illegal hunting was the charge in each case. Three of those arrested were residents of Bray township and they were fined $25 each. Two gave their home address as Thief River Falls, the fine in each of these cases being $10.

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MONEY RECEIVED
Sale of wheat, oats, barley, rye, flax, corn and all other grains __________ $__________
Sale of milk, eggs, cream, butter, honey, potatoes __________ __________
Sale of hay, straw, vegetables, wool and other products __________ __________
Sale of horses, cattle, hogs, sheep __________ __________
Sale of chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and other poultry __________ __________
All income from rents, interest, dividends and other sources __________ __________
Value of produce traded at stores for merchandise __________ __________
Income of wife, and children under eighteen years __________ __________
Profit on sale of land, machinery, etc. __________ __________
Gross Income __________ $__________

MONEY PAID OUT
All farm labor and hired help __________ $__________
Board of hired labor __________ __________
Cash rent paid for farm __________ __________
Threshing, twine, silo filling, etc. __________ __________
Cost of feed, seed, grinding, etc. __________ __________
Amount paid for live stock sold in 1919 __________ __________
Cost of horse shoeing, repairing, gasoline, oil (for farm work) __________ __________
Interest paid __________ __________
Taxes paid __________ __________
Losses not covered by insurance (describe same) __________ __________
Donations (Red Cross, Church, Charity, War Work, etc.) __________ __________
Depreciation on buildings, machinery, etc. __________ __________
Total expenses __________ $__________

Gross Income __________ $__________
Total Expenses __________ __________
Net Income __________ __________

NOTICE
If you have sold land, cattle or machinery let us know what it cost you and the year same was purchased. Improvements such as tiling and fencing and household and living expenses cannot be deducted from income. Bring the cost of all buildings and fences, except the house you live in. Also cost of animals purchased and machinery and equipment so the exact depreciation can be determined.

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Fill out the above schedule and bring it to this bank.

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Local Notes

Scott Laird spent Thursday in Bemidji attending to matters of business.

Judge Holm of Roseau visited on Thursday with his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Erickson.

Wyman Horr of Duluth, is in the city as the guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. W. J. LaBree.

Mrs. Clarence Erickson left on Friday evening for the cities where she will receive medical treatment.

Otto Gullingsrud left on Thursday afternoon for Crookston to be in attendance at the farm crops show.

E. F. Mulcahey of St. Paul, spent the week-end visiting with friends in this city.

Geo. Leimers left on Thursday afternoon for Crookston on matters of business.

T. M. Thronson left on Thursday afternoon for St. Hilaire, where he attended to business affairs.

Ed. Holmgren, brakeman, left on Friday evening for the twin cities to attend to business affairs.

John Blom returned to his home in Rosewood on Saturday morning after attending to business here.

Miss Mable Haggland returned to Holt on Friday morning after having received medical attention in this city.

Mrs. A. E. Olson left on Thursday afternoon for Fargo, where she will spend a couple of days visiting with friends.

Theo. Rustabakke arrived on last Wednesday from Scobey, Mont., to attend the funeral services of his brother.

Miss Stella Mickelson returned to her home at Holt on Friday, after attending to some shopping here on Thursday.

Geo. Kezar returned to his home in Viking on Saturday morning after a brief visit in this city at the home of G. Kirby.

T. Ryerson returned to this city on Thursday after spending a brief period visiting at the home of his parents near Holt.

Miss Edna Thompson, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Oslo, visited on Saturday at her home in this city.

Miss Esther Motz returned to Moorhead on Thursday afternoon after having spent two weeks visiting at her home in this city.

Mrs. M. Wolf returned to her home at Fairdale, N. D., on Saturday morning after visiting with friends in this city and Big Stone City, S. D.

C. H. Morse left for Viking Thursday morning to attend to business.

H. B. Rafteseth left on Thursday morning for Rosewood on business.

Miss J. Branum returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Thursday afternoon. While here she was the guest of her niece, Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Miss Winnie Booren who had been a guest at the home of her brother, Dr. G. W. Booren in this city, left on Thursday evening for her home at Stillwater.

Mrs. N. E. Muzzey and baby returned to their home at Steiner on Friday after visiting at the home of the former's mother in this city for a few days.

Peter Folstad returned to his home at Hannaford, N. D., on Thursday afternon, after having spent two days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Westven in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Voltinson returned to their home in Deer River the latter part of last week after a brief visit in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl DeVelling.

S. R. Robinson returned to his home at Oslo on Thursday morning after spending a few days visiting with his family who are guests at the F. H. Herrick home in this city.

H. Smith, who had been a guest at the Bronson home in this city, left the latter part of last week for Seattle, where he will visit before sailing for Alaska. This is the third trip Mr. Smith has made to the north.

Miss Mable Arveson of Duluth, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lund, in this city, left on Saturday morning for Warren, where she will visit for a short while before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rose returned to their home in Lankin, N. D., Saturday after having attended the funeral services of the late Joe Maresh. They were accompanied by J. Maresh of Pesik, who came here for the same purpose.

E. O. Mogensen, clothier, left last week on a tour of the large markets in quest of goods to offer the people of this neighborhood this spring. He will go to Minneapolis, Chicago and St. Louis and things may so shape themselves that he will have to go to Philadelphia.

Misses Ruth Mathews, Virginia Will, Caroline Melby and Louise Erickson, all of this city, and Miss Helen Dalquist of Strandquist, who had been a guest of Miss Louise Erickson for a few days, left Thursday afternoon for Moorhead to resume their duties at the normal.

Mrs. John Wallace of Pittsburg, Pa., accompanied by her nephew Frank McKnight, Jr., of this city, left on Thursday evening for the above mentioned place. Mrs. Wallace was called to this city about two weeks ago because of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Frank McKnight, who is now much improved.

Albert S. Lieberman left the first of the week for Chicago on a purchasing trip. He will be gone about two weeks as his search for goods may carry him to points farther east. The clothing situation is rather unsettled and it is almost impossible for a merchant to secure what his trade demands unless he makes personal selections and insists on the stuff coming through.

Miss Bertha Erickson left for Alvarado, Thursday to visit a few days with friends.

William Calhoun left for Grygla on Thursday after spending a few days in this city on business.

Miss Lilian Borger left Saturday for the home of her parents in Silverton to spend the week-end.

Miss Esther Lilja, who has been employed at the City bakery, left for her home in Grygla last Thursday.

I. Bergquan left for his home at Grafton, N. D., Thursday after visiting at the O. H. Field home in this city.

Milton Lund, Joseph Weirus and Fred Will left for Bemidji Thursday morning to attend the basket ball game.

Mrs. J. Wold left for her home in Egeland, N. D., Thursday after visiting for a few days at the Ed. Timm home.

Mrs. P. Ferdinanson of Goodridge, returned home Saturday afternoon after spending a few hours visiting in the city.

Miss Hannah Peterson returned to this city on Thursday morning after having been employed in Fargo for a brief period.

Miss Guretta Dahl returned to her home in Rosewood on Thursday morning after visiting with friends in this city for a short while.

Mrs. Jos. Willmer has returned to her home in St. Paul, after a week's visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cohn, in this city.

Frank Thiviarge, J. Kramer and O. Knudtson from Shilling, Minn., left for Goodridge on Thursday on business, after visiting in this city with friends.

O. E. Sandberg of Hibbing, left for Hazel on Thursday morning where he will visit with his parents. While in this city he was a guest at the Froisness home.

Mrs. Gust Crown and baby left on Friday morning for Seattle, Wash., where they will make their future home. Mr. Crown preceded them a short time ago.

Miss Myrtle Hanson, who resides near this city, left on Saturday for Crookston to resume her studies at the agricultural school, after a short visit at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamre left the first of last week for Excelsior Springs, Missouri in response to a wire that Mrs. Hamre's brother, Ed. Hogenson, was dying.

Mrs. James Farr, who visited for a brief period at the home of her mother-in-law in this city, left on Saturday afternoon for Fargo where she will visit with friends.

Among the Silverton people in the city on Saturday were noted Miss Emma Christofferson, T. McCormick, Gordon Senum, Chester Gunderson, Roy Groven, I. Senum, Nels Gullingsrud and Tom Breznay. Peter Anderson, who returned on Friday from the crop show at Crookston was also among the Silverton contingent which returned home on Saturday evening.

Miss Alice Welsh of this city left on Saturday for Fargo, where she will remain for an indefinite period.

H. A. Brumund left for the cities on Sunday evening to be engaged in matters of business for a few days.

Charles Ptacek left Saturday for his home in Mavie after spending a couple of days in the city on business.

H. B. Rafteseth left on Sunday evening for Pipestone to be employed by the Northwestern Drainage company.

A. J. Lawrence left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where he transacted business, returning to this city on Wednesday morning.

Miss Anna Krumpus of Conway, visited on Saturday with Miss Kelly, enroute to Minneapolis, where she will be the guest of friends.

Misses Elizabeth Johnson, Ellen Nelson, Ruth Anderson and Gladys Gigstad, all of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city on Saturday.

Tom Lonson came down from Calloway on Saturday evening and visited with friends in this city over Sunday. He returned on Sunday evening.

Misses Olga Granum and Margaret Jorgenson returned to this city on Friday evening from Fisher and Grand Forks, where they visited for a few days.

Miss Ruby Stewart of Middle River, who has been in this city for a short time caring for her sister, Mrs. W. H. Wikel, who has been ill, returned to her home on Saturday.

John Ristau, Stanley Panek and Ben Habedank, who have been working near Fosston, visited for a short time in the city on Saturday, enroute to their homes in Germantown.

Miss Paula Amands, who is employed at the Physicians hospital in this city, left on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she spent Sunday visiting at the home of her parents.

G. C. Streeter left on Sunday evening for Red Lake Falls via the Soo, to attend a meeting of the stockholders of the Peoples Auto company, which was held in that city on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Tollefsrud, who recently returned from a month's honeymoon, spent at points in Iowa and the southern part of the state, visited in this city on Saturday enroute to their home in Holt.

Doris and Leslie Provencher, who have been visiting at their home in this city, left Sunday evening for Minneapolis where they will be employed. Mrs. Leslie Provencher and baby will remain here for a while.

Miss Lucille Burns, who has been visitnig at her home in this city for two weeks, returned to Lake Park on Sunday evening to resume her duties in the schools there. It was found necessary to close the schools in that city because of the flu situation.

Paul Snyder returned to his home at Warren on Saturday morning after spending a few days in this city as the guest of his friend, Kenneth Wattem. While here he accompanied the local people to Bemidji to witness the basketball game at that place on Thursday.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink entertained at 7 o'clock dinner last Thursday evening. Covers were laid for twelve. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were the Misses Irma Johnson, Marie Nelson, Blanche Johnson, Grace Wilson, Zella Zeh and Meta Kiland, and Guy and Perry Johnson, Ed. Brevig, George Werstlein and Tudy Brink.

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High School Progress

VAUDEVILLE

Have you seen Willie Jump and Jane Gab?—Who are they?

What a question to ask! The best way to find out would be to go to "A Rehearsal at Ten," the Senior Vaudeville to be given at the Lincoln High school next Saturday, Feb. 21. It will only cost you 15 or 25 cents, so be on hand and enjoy yourself. If you have never laughed before you surely will then. Come on and say goodbye to the blues for awhile.

Matinee in the afternoon at 2:30 and an evening performance at 8 o'clock.

Education

One of Mr. Ziegler's questions is this: "Why are you here? Why are you in school?" Are you in school merely because someone makes you go? Or are you in school just because everyone thinks that is where you should be? Or perhaps, you are in school, just for the fun you can have while you are there.

Are you there for any of these reasons, or are you there, putting in that hard work which will make you something when you go out into the world?

The majority of the young people of today are beginning to realize the value of having a good education. A few years ago, very few people thought it necessary to go farther than the eighth grade. Why should they? They could go to work just the same, and so they were satisfied. Now, however, most people do not even think of leaving school until they have completed high school and many do not stop until they have completed some college or university course.

What are you here for? Are you going to stop with a high school education? Are you taking the easiest subjects offered, "so that you won't have to study much" and have more time for fun? Or did you select a certain course regardless of hard subjects? Take, for example, the commercial course in our high school. Until this year, anyone could take any subject in that course without taking the whole course. Now in the commercial course there are some hard subjects and some easy ones. When it came time to select their subjects some pupils would say: "I guess I'll take typewriting, that's a snap, only typewrite two periods, no outside work and you get a whole credit." The same is said about penmanship and some of the other subjects. All they are looking for is the "snaps" something they can get a whole credit for without working.

Is that the right attitude to take towards school? Decidedly not! The boy or girl who picks the subjects that will help him or her most and takes school seriously is the one who is going to win in the world.

A Resolution

It hurts you none, you know,
To get to school on time.
But students are so very slow
And get to school past nine.

It's queer you get to school.
Just a little past the bell
When doors are closed for roll
And excuse there is to tell.

Let's make a resolution,
To retire at half past nine.
And see the revelation
Of getting to school on time.

Stop! Look! Listen!

Say! have you heard of the Big Idea? No? Say, where have you been? Why its the talk of the school. What is? Why the Carnival the Boys Atheltic association is going to give. Big? I'll say so! It is going to be so big they will have to use three buildings to hold it, the Lincoln, Washington and the new Smith-Hughes building. Ever see the Smith-Hughes building? Well, here is your chance, see it while you are seeing the Carnival. They are planning on 35 shows but you can just bet there will be 50! You'll win! Like ice cream? You can have all you want there! Remember all the Confetti you threw Fair Time? Wasn't it fun? Come to the Carnival, get some Confetti and then pay back that boy or girl who took you unawares and threw a handful down your neck, during the fair. Did you say you guessed it would be a good one? Of course, it is going to be a good one! It can't be anything else but good with 400 H. S. students and teachers behind it all pushing together. Did you say you wouldn't miss it? Of course you wouldn't! You can't afford to. When is ot to be? Friday, February 27th. Every one will hear about it. There'll be something wrong, somewhere if you don't. Watch for it! Wait for it! The time of your life, you'll have it at the H. S. Carnival!

The Student's Creed

I will blot out of my life the failures that come from wasted hours, and write into it the successes that come from time well spent.

I will keep life's page clean, and fill it with the record of knowledge gained.

I will fix my eyes on the goal of my ambition, and hold my hand to its task.

I will work hard, hope high, and live up to the best that is in me; then I can write at the end: "Well Done!"

Freshmen's Experience

Freshie: "Gee, look I got a D in Algebra. I'll go and tell my teacher I deserve more."

Another Freshie: "Take it from me don't you do it."

First Freshie: "But you know I really deserve more and how do you know but——"

Second Freshie: "I know cause I've had experience. I got an E last month. I went and told my teacher and he said: 'Oh, yes, that's my mistake. I had intended to give you F.'"

Oh, Boy!

After you've heard all about the influenza, and they have put a "flu" ban on everything in the line of pleasure, and you are forced to spend night after night, when you might be enjoying a movie, or a basketball game or even a dance, at home reading a book or crocheting or something as exciting as that, if the paper comes out on its regular day and announces the fact that the ban is to be lifted, and you rush to the nearest movie and buy your ticket, and go in still feeling as though its too good to be true, and then the lights go off and the pictures flash on the screen, and then you know the ban is lifted—Oh, Boy; ain't it a g-r-r-r-and and glorious feeling?

Class Games

Next Wednesday will witness the beginning of the basket ball games between the various classes of the high school; to decide which one shall have the honor of having the best team. They have gone through a great deal of diligent practice these last days so that they are all in fine condition for the final trials. The rumors are that each of the classes have excellent teams, so that luck will decide, more than anything else, who shall be victorious. The members of the respective classes are very much interested in these games and judging from their spirit at present, there will be considerable "pep" in the gym next week.

Lincoln H. S. Alumni

Ruby Anderson—Class, 1919. Studying music at Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio.

Sarah Arndt—Class, 1915. At home, Highlanding, Minn.

Vincent Borry—Class, 1917. Auto mechanic, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Emma Bakke—Class, 1904. Married, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Betsy Legvold—Class, 1913. Moorhead Normal.

Genevieve Erickson—Class, 1916. Salveson's Studio, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Avis Akre—Class, 1909. High School instructor, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Martha Bjorsness—Class, 1912. Married, Roseau, Minn.

Carl Sundahl—Class, 1917. Ass't. Manager in Garage, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Belle Blair—Class, 1919. Teaching, Alexandria, Minn.

Agnes Wilson—Class, 1912. High School instructor, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mable McGinnity—Class, 1916. Teaching at Brooks, Minn.

Katherine Thill—Class, 1917. Telephone Operator, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Chester Dow—Class, 1919. Student at University of North Dakota.

Louise Erickson—Class, 1919. Student at Moorhead Normal.

Stella Arndt—Class, 1915.—Union College, Grand Forks, N. D.

Olga Bjorsness—Class, 1912. Married, Newfolden, Minn.

Ida Franzman—Class, 1919. Teacher at Germantown, Minn.

Zella Zeh—Class, 1917. Commercial instructor at Thief River Falls, Minn.

Doris Halvorson—Class, 1917. At Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio.

Evelyn Tessum—Class, 1919. Student at University of Minnesota.

Ruby Jensen—Class, 1919. Student at University of South Dakota.

Ida Legvold—Class, 1912. Teacher, Hazel, Minn.

Doris Brumund—Class, 1917. Motion Picture employer.

Clarence Pope—Class, 1917. Manual Training teacher, Lincoln High School.

Alma Olsen—Class, 1915. Married, Kennedy, Minn.

Myrtle Scovell—Class, 1913. Nurse at Minneapolis, Minn.

Ina Stageberg—Class, 1919. Teaching, McElroy, Minn.

Elfrida Knudsen—Class, 1919. Training at City Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn.

Charles Connor—Class, 1917. Soo Line Call Boy, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Claudie Poston—Class, 1912. Farmer, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Melford Sorenson—Class, 1917. Clerk in Drug Store, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Helen Weeks—Class, 1917. Student at St. Olaf, Northfield.

Ruth Lonson—Class, 1919. Teaching, Thief River Falls, Minn.

They Say:

The Girls' basket ball team is scheduling a number of games to be played after the flu ban is lifted.

Mr. Wyman Horr, who is visiting his cousin, Gordon LaBree, was one of the spectators of the boys' basket ball practice game on Wednesday.

R. M. Hadratil had his shorthand lesson this morning.

Watch for the basketball games scheduled for next week.

Any of the high school students who want a job, apply to Manager C. A. Vevea.

Are you going to the Senior Vaudeville?

Abraham Lincoln's birthday has again passed by, leaving us wondering at and admiring, as ever, the great man who has done so much to better our country and the entire world.

Gordon LaBree has been trying to get the flu but has not succeeded as yet.

A number of high school students enjoyed an impromptu card party at the home of Harriet Anderson last Wednesday evening.

Goldie Kellberg again attended school last Monday after a seven day absence. She had been obliged to go to her home west of this city because of sickness in the family.

Lynn Halvorsen, who has been unable to attend school for some weeks, took his place once more in the assembly room last Wednesday morning.

The flu kept Beatrice Sandum home the past two weeks, but we were all glad to see her among us again on Wednesday.

An amusing incident occurred in the chemistry class last week. The students were preparing chlorine, which experiments required bleaching powder and sulfuric acid. Three girls who were working as partners failed to get chlorine from the mixture. In fact, no action at all took place. Upon investigation it was found that one of the boys had *tricked the girls* by substituting common flour for bleaching powder, so they had been employed in a fruitless attempt to prepare chlorine from flour and sulfuric acid.

Do not forget the Vaudeville!

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our bereavement. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Rustebakke and Family. f19

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends who so kindly helped us during the illness and death of our beloved daughter and sister, Ethel, and also for the beautiful flowers.—Mr. and Mrs. John Dahlen and Family. f19

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to all who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved son and brother. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Rustebakke and Family. f19p

Bottled Manpower

Coughs and colds are weakening. Get rid of them as quickly as you can. Catarrh in any form saps the vitality. Fight it and fight it hard. There is a remedy to help you do it—a medicine of forty-seven years' established merit. Try it.

PE-RU-NA
For Catarrh and Catarrhal Conditions

It purifies the blood, regulates the digestion, aids elimination, tones up the nerve centers and carries health to all the mucous linings. For the relief of those pains in stomach and bowels, belching, sour stomach, rheumatism, pains in the back, sides and loins, PE-RU-NA is recommended.

PE-RU-NA restores to healthy action the vital organs which are so intimately related to the strength and vigor of the nation.

There are fourteen ounces of health giving punch and pep in every bottle. PE-RU-NA is a good medicine to have in the house, ready-to-take for emergencies. It is a good remedy to use any time.

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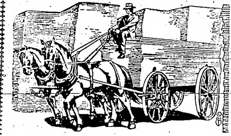
Plan Your Spring
Building Now

But before you start come here and consult with us regarding your plans. Through our knowledge of lumber and building we may be able to save you both time and money.

We buy all the lumber locally that we can for it helps bring prosperity to this community.

THE PRICHARD COMPANY

The Child Whose Eyes Are Right is the Child Whose Mind is Bright

Defective eye-sight causes eye-strain and headaches. And when its head aches and its temples throb you can't expect any child to concentrate.

Come in and have your eyes tested at Neset's Jewelry Store.

OLAF NESET
Jeweler and Optometrist

"Some Men Don't Know It Yet"
says the Good Judge

This class of tobacco gives a man a lot more satisfaction than he ever gets out of ordinary tobacco.

Smaller chew—the good taste lasts and lasts.

You don't need a fresh chew so often. Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put Up In Two Styles
RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco
W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco
Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

Bon-Ton Millinery
"THE STORE AHEAD"
215 East Third Street, Thief River Falls

Announce the Opening of Their New Store by Way of a

Spring Promenade
Friday Evening, February 20, 1920

Hats Will Be Shown on Living Models

Vocal Solos and Instrumental Music

Hundreds of Pattern Hats will be shown for Dress or Street Wear, for Motoring and Travel. Developed of Cellophane, of Batavia Cloth, of Horse Hair, of Raffice, of Silk, of Taffeta, of Straw, of Ribbon and Straw Combinations.

Doors Open at 7 P. M. Music Everyone Invited

Local Notes

First showing of spring hats now on at Dalquist's Millinery. f19

Miss Ella Erickson left on Monday morning for Holt, where she will be the guest of friends for a short time.

Anton Peterson spent Monday in Hazel attending to business affairs, returning to this city in the evening.

Vaudeville—"A Rehearsal at Ten." High school assembly, Saturday, Feb. 21. f19

John Bratrud left on Wednesday evening for points in Iowa and the southern part of the state, where he will attend to matters of business.

Miss Kate Jonas, who has been ill for the past two weeks is again able to resume her duties as head of the ready-to-wear department at Loken's.

Miss Helen Sundahl, accompanied by her brother, John, left on Monday afternoon for Crookston, where the former will enter the agricultural school.

Carl Carlson, warehouseman at the Great Northern depot, who has been confined to his home for the past two weeks because of illness, resumed his work on Monday.

First showing of spring hats now on at Dalquist's Millinery. f19

Miss Una Nelson, accompanied by her mother, returned to this city the first of the week from Minneapolis, where the former has been ecoiving medical treatment.

Ole Ihle left for Vergas, Wednesday on a short business trip.

Vaudeville—"A Rehearsal at Ten." High school assembly, Saturday, Feb. 21. f19

Miss Emma Pawling, who has been ill for the past two weeks, is rapidly improving.

Carl Jenson left for Grafton, N. D., Tuesday where he will visit with friends for a short time.

Miss Thelma Anderson formerly of this city, arrived last Thursday from Superior to visit with friends.

Hulda Johnson, who has just finished a course in dressmaking, left for her home at Kennedy on Wednesday.

Geo. Green of Newfolden arrived on Monday evening and will spend a few days as the guest of his sister, Miss Alice Green.

Robert Baumler left for his home in Albany, Minn., Tuesday after being a guest at the C. Hoffman home in this city the past week.

Miss Anna Hoffman left for Grand Forks, where she is employed, after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoffman in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman, who have been guests at the C. Hoffman home in this city, left for their home in Kempton, N. D., on Tuesday.

Misses Madge and Ivie Jesky, who have been guests of Miss Sara Sanders the past three weeks, returned to their home in Fosston Wednesday.

Mrs. O. I. Christiansen returned to her home in Strathcona on Monday morning after a brief visit in this city at the home of her sister, Mrs. Oscar Erickson.

Mathilda Olson of East Grand Forks, who has been visitnig with Miss Anna Brokke for a short time, left on Wednesday for Esplee on a visit with friends.

Learn to trap foxes and make big money trapping. I have caught 3 foxes in one night. I show you how to trap on land, snow and in water. If you are interested write for terms, to Frank Nortz, 1426 N. Madison St., Chicago, Ill. f19-26

George Newbury was a business caller at Holt on Wednesday.

The City Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—On Feb. 22, the morning hour of worship is 11, and in the evening at 8. At the morning meeting the Men's Chorus will render "A Perfect Day," by Cary Jacobs Bond. Also the choir will render "The Awakening Chorus" by Gabriel. The evening will be occupied by a service of praise. The following special music will be given. Anthem, "Master, the Tempest is Raging" (Palmer) Choir. Duet, Miss Jessie Barnett and Mr. Ellery Porter, selected. Solo, "Unto Thee, O Lord," (Eduardo Marzo), Mrs. M. W. Brink. Southern Plantation Camp Meeting, Men's Chorus and Choir, (by request). Baritone Solo, "I Cannot Always Trace the Way," Mr. Carl Granning. Chorus, "He Leadeth Me," (McPhail.) Sunday school at 10 a. m. Juniors at 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. The Woman's Missionary society will meet on Friday, Feb. 20 at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Barackman, 518 Main Ave. N. The annual report will be read and officers will be elected.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m. Service at St. Hilaire at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Communion immediately after morning service. The confirmation class will meet at the home of Fred Anderson next Saturday at 4 p. m. The Ladies Aid will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 25th at the home of Mrs. O. J. Lundell, 339 N. Kendall Ave.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service by the deacons at 11 a. m. Service by the pastor at 8 p. m. Service at Rosewood at 11 a. m. Service at Norden at 3 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid entertained by Mrs. C. Froseth, Thursday, Feb. 26th. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, Feb. 26. Confirmants meet Saturday, Feb. 28th at 2 p. m. Prayer meetings Wednesday evenings.

Methodist Church, J. B. Smith, pastor—Services in the Methodist church which were interrupted by the advent of the flu, were resumed on Sunday last. Sunday services next Sunday as follows: Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting at 8 p. m. on Thursday.

The First Sw. Ev. Luth Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Service next Sunday morning in the Swedish language at 10:30; in the evening at 7:45. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German services at 10:30 a. m. Lenten service in the English language at 7:30 p. m.

Times Want Ads.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K A. Sundahl. 56tf

WILL SELL my improved 80 acre farm 7 miles northwest from Thief River Falls, and 1½ miles southeast from Rosewood, at a sacrifice on account of ill health, as I have to go to a different climate. Write Box 992. 58r

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3. Thief River Falls. Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener. Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief iver Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front; fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 608 Horace Ave N. 43tf

FOR SALE—House, 6 rooms, cellar barn, water and 2 acres land. Zeh's addition.—Iven P. Anderson, Owner. 58p

FOR SALE—Lot in Porter's Addition. Write Otto F. Wendt, 1422 Front St. Fargo, N. D. 62p

FOR SALE—One black walnut parlor set and one complete dining room set only used a few months. Inquire at the Times. 56tf

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes. About 1000 bushels of fine Marquis, $3.25 per bushel. T. K. Rynestad. Also 200 bu. of Millet seed at $2.00 per bushel. 60

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland boar pig, one year old in March. Pedigree furnished.—F. G. Dols, Rosewood. 58p

LOTS FOR SALE—Known as the Elder Ice house property, at the end of Third St., across from the Soo depot. These lots must be sold. If interested write H. B. Jensen, 3014 18th Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minn. 59p

FOR SALE—A few more houses at a bargain if taken at once.—L. Kruse. 60p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cocks and Cocerels. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 60p

FOR SALE—Improved farm, 7 miles from Thief River Falls. Take city property as part payment; priced low for quick sale. Will rent for season if not sold soon.—Fair set buildings C. W. McDaniel, City. 57tf

FOR SALE—14 ewes coming in Mar Some later. Very reasonable price Halver Odelin, St. Hilaire, Minn., Rt 1. 58p

FOR SALE—Five room house and two lots. Also several young truck horses. Would consider exchange for car or anything I can use. Phone 7-F-21. 59p

FOR SALE—15 tons wild hay, near city.—O. A. Naplin. 60

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock cockerels. $3.00 each.—Mrs. C. Warring, Thief River Falls, Minn. 59p

Cheap Houses For Sale.

No. 245—Tindolph Ave. N., 3 lots, $1200.00; No. 515, 4th St. West, six rooms, 3 lots; $1,000; No. 422 State Ave. N., 4 rooms, 3 lots, $850; No. 506 State Ave. N., 3 rooms, 1½ lots, $450; Four room house and one lot just south of G. N. Ry., water tank, $450. Small cash payments and easy terms will be given on any or all.

C. W. McDaniel,
57tf City.

NOTICE TO LAND BUYERS—Fertile open prairie and rich park land at $11 to $30 per acre. Land under an irrigation system of unfailing water from $50 an acre up. Twenty years to pay interest six per cent. This is the last big block of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Never again on the American continent will farm land be offered so cheap. Special railway rates. Do not delay. Send today for complete information.—D. J. Campbell, Crookston, Minn., authorized agent. 60

FOR SALE—Two cockerels, S. C. Rhode Island Reds. Winners at Pennington County Poultry show.—Lawrence & Brown, Thief River Falls. 58

FOR SALE—Good team of geldings, weight about 2800 pounds.—C. Gustafson & Son. 58tf

A SNAP—One 3-plow tractor in good order with three bottom plows, good as new, for $350.00 cash. Will run a small separator or ensilage cutter. Also have one second hand 12 in. John Deere gang; 2 second hand binders; one 20 in. single disc drill; one wood lever harrow; six second hand cream separators in good order from $5 to $15.00. Will sell my entire implement stock and building. Call on N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 61

FOR SALE—Bull calf, seven-eighths Holstein; sire by Minnehaha Colntha Pontiac.—John Skomedahl, R. F. D. No. 2, City. 60p

FOR SALE—Three good work horses and two sets of work harness. Enquire of P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 60

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Grea Northern depot. 7tf

FOR RENT—on crop shares, half section, 125 acres broke, 2 pastures of 80 acres each, fenced. Can easily put 100 acres more under cultivation. Good house, first class barn, machine shed granary, drilled well with force pump also wooden pump set in reservoir Owner can give immediate possession. Location 7½ miles north and two west of Goodridge.—Address A. J. Cummings, Germantown, Minn. 57tf

FOR RENT—320 acres in Sec. 7 and 8, town of Kratka. Improved.—W. H. Frederick. 58p

FARM FOR RENT—Sale or lease, 9 miles from Thief River Falls.—H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Neb. 58tf

WANTED—MALE

YOUNG MEN for Railway Mail Clerks, $110 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, examinations, write J. Leonard, (former Government Examiner), 276 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 60p

MEN WANTED—Lumber pilers, loaders, mill hands, woods and R. R. work. Steady. Also hardwood inspectors and millwright. Houses. Top wages.—Hackley Phelps Lumber oC., Phelps (Vilas Co.) Wis. 61

WANTED—FEMALE

LADY COOK WANTED—On farm for season.—Mike Driscoll, R. 3, East Grand Forks, Minn. Phone 32-F-14. 62p

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 6.—Mrs. McKinney.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS—If you have a farm for sale send me the legal description, your net price and best terms of sale.—D. J. Campbell, Crookston, Minn. 60

Dressmaking Wanted

At the residence of John Christenson 525 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 63p

WANTED—Breaking done, 160 acres to be broke, disked and drilled to flax. Location ten miles west from Thief River Falls on the Jefferson Highway. Wish to make contract with responsible party.—W. H. Frederick. 58p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between 8th St. Bridge and railway, fountain pen in paper box. Reward. Mrs. H. J. Rustad. 58tf

Auction Sale Arrangements

IF you are planning to hold an auction sale during the coming spring, we suggest that you come in and advise us of your dates at once.

WE will be pleased to take charge of the financial part of the sale, act as clerk and make all settlements in your behalf.

BE SURE AND GET OUR TERMS BEFORE MAKING OTHER ARRANGEMENTS.

Citizens State Bank
Resources Over Three Quarters of a Million

AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction my SEVEN ROOM RESIDENCE located on Lots 16 and 17, Block 12, Porter's Addition, together with the following property, at my house on 410 Duluth Ave. So., 3 blocks south of Lincoln High School,

Thursday, February 26th

Commencing at 2 o'clock Sharp.

1 Summer kitchen, 8x10 feet.
1 auto shed, 22x10x8 feet high.
1 Ford Touring Car, 1919 model.
1 black cow, 5 years old. 1 good cattle dog
1 book case. 1 good rocker. 1 good organ.
1 kitchen range, nearly new. 1 ton hay
24 pure bred White Leghorn chickens.
1 kitchen cupboard, nearly new.
Dishes, books, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1st, 1920.

August Carlson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Farmers Creameries vs. Cream Stations

The Farmers Co-Operative creameries in Minnesota paid an average price for butterfat for 1919 of 66c. The centralizing creameries paid an average price for butterfat for 1919 of 59c.

This difference of 7c per pound of butterfat may mean the difference between a dairy herd that makes money for its owner and one that is a loss. A farmer selling two ten gallon cans of cream a week will lose around $200 a year by selling to a station.

Can you afford it?

Thief River Co-Op. Creamery Association

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Corn Pain Stopped Quick

"Gets-It" Loosens Them So They Lift Off in A Jiffy.

The corn pains cease as soon as a few drops of "Gets-It" reach the corn. It goes out of the hurting business forever.

This Space Vacant
Corn Gone
"Gets-It" Got It

For a day or so the corn remains, getting looser and looser and without a twinge from it. Then, it gets so loose that you just lift it right off, without even feeling it, and cast it away. That's how easily and simply "Gets-It" disposes of the corn nuisance.

"Gets-It," the unfailing, guaranteed, moneyback corn remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mf'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by

J. P. CURTIS
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE
ANDREW BOTTELSON

AUCTION SALE

Having sold our farms, we will sell at Public Auction the following described personal property, on the SW quarter of Sec. 20, Goodridge twp., being one-half mile south and ½ a mile west of Village of Goodridge, on

MONDAY, MARCH 1

AT 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

HORSES AND CATTLE

1 roan mare, 5 years old, weight about 1300 pounds.
1 roan mare, 6 years old, weight about 1300 pounds.
1 black gelding, 9 years old, weight 1200 pounds.
1 bay gelding, 5 years old, weight 1300 pounds.
1 grey gelding, 5 years old, weight 1300 pounds.
1 black and white cow, 5 years old, fresh.
1 white face cow, 6 years old, fresh in April.
1 red cow, 7 years old, fresh in Apr.
1 red cow, 6 years old.
1 high grade Holstein heifer, 3 yrs. old, fresh March 1st.
1 red and white heifer, 2 years old.
1 Shorthorn bull, 1 year old.
1 heifer calf, 8 months old.
1 bull calf, 8 months old.

MACHINERY

1 light draft Kentucky disk drill (18 disks.)
1 6-foot McCormick binder.
1 5-foot McCormick mower.
1 Minnesota mower
2 Deering hay rakes.
2 16-inch John Deere sulky plows.
1 breaking attachment for sulky plow.
1 wide tire New Stoughton wagon with box.
1 double wagon box.
1 narrow tire wagon.
2 single buggies.
1 set of bob sleighs.
2 hay racks.
1 4-horse steel drag.
1 3-horse wooden drag.
1 16-inch walking breaking plow.
1 bucking pole.
5 sets of work harness.
1 single harness.
8 horse collars.
1 3-horse disc.
1 Maxwell 5 passenger automobile, 1919 model.
7 pigs, 8 months old.
200 bu. of 1918 seed oats, cleaned.
50 bu. of 1918 seed barley, cleaned.
100 bu. of feed oats.
100 bu. seed oats.
50 bu. seed barley.
About 7 ton of No. 1 upland hay.
1 10-bbl. water tank.
150 feet of hay carrier rope.
About 50 grain sacks.
1 1-2 horse power gasoline engine with pump jack.
Chickens, Turkeys and Geese.
1 garden cultivator.
4 log chains; 1 gasoline bbl.
5 balls binder twine.
1 grind stone; 3 water bbls.
1 15-gal. rendering kettle.
Some 3 inch plank.
Scoop shovels, long handled shovels, small shovels, forks, spades, saws, hammers, and other small farm tools and carpenter tools. Eveners, neck yokes and double trees. Horse blankets.
And other articles too numerous to mention.

NUMEROUS HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

Patrick Brick and Ole Graver, Owners

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm and have to vacate, I will sell at Public Auction all of my personal property consisting of horses, stock, implements, household goods, etc., on my farm the Southeast Quarter of Section 22, Town of Silverton, being 7 miles east and one mile north of Thief River Falls, farm joining stop seven on the Electric Line on the south, on TUESDAY MARCH 4th, 1920, sale commencing 10:00 o'clock Sharp.

4—HORSES—4

1 grey mare, 12 years old, 1300 lbs.
1 roan mare, 4 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 bay mare, 12 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 bay gelding, 4 years old, wt. 1250 lbs.

3—PURE BRED SHORTHORN COWS—3

No. 465056—Roan Ella. Calved April 2nd, 1914; sired by No. 543709—Blizzard on July 24, 1919.
No. 495265—Grace. Calved June 2nd, 1915; color roan. sired by No. 543709, on July 23rd, 1919.
No. 766714—Susie Ella. Calved February 9th, 1918; color red. Sired July 26th, 1919 by No. 543709, Blizzard.

2—PURE BRED SHORTHORN HEIFER CALVES—2

No. 858458—Rose Ella, calved March 17th, 1919; color roan.
No. 858457—Dolly Grace; calved April 8th, 1919; color roan.

1—PURE BRED SHORTHORN BULL—1

No. 543709—Blizzard, calved on Dec. 17th, 1916; color white.

GRADE SHORTHORN

1 red and white cow, 8 years old, will be fresh about April 1st.
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh December 15th.
1 red cow, 3 years old, will be fresh about April 1st.
1 red cow, 4 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 roan heifer 1 year old.
2 roan heifer calves, 8 months old.
2 roan heifer calves, 3 months old.
1 black and white cow, 6 years old, fresh in December.
About 60 chickens.
2 geese.
4 pigs.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 McCormick binder, 8 foot cut.
1 McCormick mower, 5 ft. cut.
1 Minnesota mower, 5 ft. cut.
1 Deering hay rake, 10 ft. cut.
1 riding cultivator.
1 Van Brunt drill, 18 single disc with grass seed attachment.
1 Van Brunt drill, 16 shoe.
1 Rock Island gang plow, 13 in.
1 sulky plow.
1 John Deere gang plow, 14 in.
2 4-horse drags.
1 3-horse drag.
1 iron drag.
1 disc.
1 scraper.
1 Glover Leaf manure spreader.
1 breaking plow.
1 harrow fanning mill.
1 platform scale.
1 wagon complete.
1 waon, wide tire and double box.
1 80 bu. grain tank.
1 buggy.
2 sets bob sleighs.
3 hay racks.
1 galvanized water tank.
Some grain sacks.
1 National incubator.
2 set work harness.
2 oil barrels.
Barb wire in rolls.
Great Western cream separator
1 grind stone.
About 200 bushel of oats.
Six ton of timothy hay.

ALL HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 Favorite hard coal heater.
1 Comfort range.
2 oil stoves.
1 heating stove.
1 couch.
2 cupboards.
3 tables, one extension table.
1 dresser.
1 writing desk.
6 beds.
1 sewing machine.
9 chairs.
And other articles too numerous to mention.
One New Five Passenger Maxwell Automobile.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

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HANS G. SKOGSTAD, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

TOOTH PASTE—Pepsodent, a regular 60c value, at this sale In our new Drug Department. **39c**

LOKEN'S

Taffeta Hair Bow Ribbons, in plains, plaids and florals; regular 65c, special sale price **39c**

END SEASON CLEAN-UP

This Sale Starts Saturday, February 21st at 8:30 a. m. Continuing for Just 5 Days

DRESSES

Silks, Serges and Wool Jerseys. Just a limited number of these "clean-ups." You will be the winner at these prices.

8 $35.00 Silk Dresses	$24.95
5 Serge, values up to $29.95	$18.95
3 Wool Jersey, value $18.50	$12.85
8 Misses Dresses, value $22.50	$15.50
10 Misses' Serges, value $14.95	$ 9.95
Light Winter Suits and Coats in Styles for Early Spring Wear	ONE-HALF OFF

THIS Sale carries a message to every woman who actually realizes the market condition of today, giving her an opportunity to do her share in combating the tendancy towards high prices. Plan now to get your full share of these offerings and get them early as these prices and "clean-ups" will move out together.

"This Is Our Tip to You"

SKIRTS

Plaids, Silks and Serges One lot of 20 clean-up special for this sale

$3.95

At this price you are getting some bargain

A clear saving of $5 to $15 on New Spring Sport Coats

$25 to $35

We bought these coats early and avoided the recent advance in prices

Dry Goods Department Clean-Ups

Voiles, striped and Lacer. Values up to 85c.
32 in. Ginghamettes. Light and dark patterns. 65c values.
Fancy Sateens for comforters. Another 65c value.
Cotton Ponges, Poplins, Figured and Striped.
Cotton Suitings; Plaid and Striped. Values to 85c.
Serpentine Crepes, Figured Cretons. Choice of above per yard

39c

Woolen Serges

Woolen Serges, in French and Storm and Mohair, in stripes and plaids.

Czarina Crepes, values up to $3.00. Don't overlook this special, sale yard

$1.39

Challies

SILKOLINES
FIGURED VOILES
DOTTED POPLINS

Get here early for this snap. Sale yd.

19c

SILKS

TAFFETAS PLAIDS STRIPED AND SPORTS

$2.00 to $4.00 values. Here is a real buy. Sale yard

$1.00

Colored Voiles, white Gabardines; values up to $1.50. Heavy skirtings, 75c to $1.50 value; lace and seed voiles, 75c to $1.25 values. Sale Yard

69c

Shoes

A black kid boot with dark brown top; leather Louis heel, welt sole and imt. tip. This is one of our finest shoes that has been selling regularly at $13; special for this sale

$9.95

All sizes from AA to C

A dark brown calfskin shoe with field mouse buck top and leather Spanish heel with welt sole. This is a very exceptional bargain at

$6.95

BOOTIE SPATS

Bootie spats—fit the shoes perfectly, graceful and form-fitting, made of fine broadcloth material in light grey, taupe and fawn colors. This is our regular $4.00 spat, special for this sale $2.95

All $3.00 spats at	$2.49
All $2.50 spats at	$1.95

COMFY SLIPPERS

Felt comfy slippers with either the soft padded soles or leather soles and heel, that have been selling at $2.00 and $2.25, will be closed out at

$1.49

Shoes

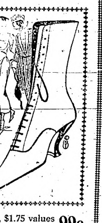

Some brown calf, brown kid and dark gray boots with either the high or military heels. There are values to $11 in this lot, but will go in this sale at

$6.95

A lot of women's and growing girls' shoes in brown calf or black vici kid with military heels, sizes 4 to 10, at

$5.95

10 per cent off on all Waists

The original price of these waists is way below the market and, with our discount, exceptional values.

Chamois Gloves, a $2.50 value, sale price	$1.10
Wool Tams, our $3.50 regular sale price	$1.89
White Cape Gloves, $1.75 values sale price	99c
Children's Knit Sets, $1.65 values, sale price	$1.10
Womens', Misses' and Children's Knit Caps, clean-up	69c

We have many more clean-up specials out on display for this sale

Our Bargain Basement Clean-Ups

600 yards Ginghams	25c
Chambrey Skirting	35c
Black Sateen	69c
Curtaining	29c
1,000 yards Percale	25c
Stripes Skirting	59c
Long Cloth	35c
Calicos	25c

Violet Soap, Medicated, Special, 15 bars for

$1.00

Regular price $1.50

50 piece Gold Band Dinner Set

$10.50

Just a few sets left in this pattern.

Unbleached Toweling	15c
Safety Pins card	3c
Hooks and Eyes 2 cards	5c
Crochet Thread	9c
Turkish Toweling	29c
Snap fasteners Any size	5c
Rick Racks Asst. Colors, card	5c
Pins, card	5c

MURDER CHARGED AGAINST COUPLE

RELATIVES OF MRS. PEARSON HERE SAY CHARGES ARE UNFOUNDED.

Warrants charging Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearson of Crookston with murder in the first degree were sworn out by County Attorney James E. Montague of Polk county on Thursday. The charges allege that the couple placed a baby last Friday night on the roof of the Commercial hotel where it died. Discovery of the baby came on Sunday morning and the arrest of Mr. and Mrs. Pearson followed.

Arthur Pearson answered the charge of murder before Judge L. E. Gossman in Municipal court and preliminary hearing was set at 10 o'clock Feb. 20. As Mrs. Pearson is ill at a local hospital the warrant charging her with the crime was not served. The county attorney said that she will likely be arraigned some time during the present week.

Mrs. Pearson was formerly Miss Martha Furstnau of this city. Her father, William Furstnau, has a communication in this issue of The Times denying that his daughter or her husband are in any manner connected with the crime for which they are being held. Friends of the young woman here as well as the minister who performed the marriage ceremony for Mr. and Mrs. Pearson about three weeks ago are also certain that a mistake has been made, and that she is in no way connected with the alleged crime.

The condition of Mrs. Pearson, who has been at a hospital in Crookston, is said to be steadily improving.

Of Interest to Soldiers.

The next hearing on petitions for citizenship papers in Pennington county will be held in the court house in this city on the 27th day of February, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Honorably discharged soldiers who wish to become naturalized can come to court with two witnesses who are citizens and can identify them, and they can be given their naturalization papers at once if they appear on the day set for hearing on petitions for naturalization. They must bring their certificate of discharge for inspection by the examiner. A soldier can be naturalized in any court, no matter in which county he lives. For further information apply to Adolf Eklund, clerk of court, Thief River Falls.

May Be Governor.

(Fairmont Sentinel.)

A good many republicans see in State Auditor J. A. O. Preus the only solution for a gubernational situation which threatens to weaken their party. Mr. Preus still has two years to serve in his present position, and he will not surrender his "bird in the hand" unless he does so in response to an unmistakable demand. He is frequently referred to as "the brains of the capitol." He has a charming personality and is fitted by nature and education to fill any position within the gift of the people.

Files For Secretary of State.

Sam Y. Gordon, former lieutenant governor and present state printer, has filed for the office of secretary of state. Sam has had a great deal of experience at the state capital and has made good wherever placed. He stands particularly well with the country newspaper boys and will start out with a strong line of support.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kelly returned to their home at Conway, N. D., Monday after spending the greater part of the winter at Williams, Minn. While in this city they visited with relatives.

Increased the Insurance.

The city council members evidently figure that this is not a time to take chances and have therefore increased the insurance carried on both the auditorium building and Carnegie library. The protection was inadequate even at a time when it would cost much less to replace the structures than now and the added insurance is only a sensible move. Both buildings are so constructed that the danger of destruction by fire is not very great, but the possibility is always present.

The council is also considering the advisability of having the auditorium interior redecorated. Nothing has been done in this regard since the building was erected and it is beginning to show the signs of wear. The ceiling and walls undoubtedly need repainting and there are other things necessary but the council hesitates to spend the money while there are so many other things going on that require the outlay of large sums.

INCLUDE ALLEYS IN PAVING JOB

ENGINEERS INSTRUCTED TO SUBMIT PLANS COVERING SIX BLOCKS.

At the same time as the storm sewers are installed in the paving district of the city the alleys through which they run will be paved. This decision was reached by the city council at a conference with R. E. Borrowman of the Bradley Engineering company, St. Cloud, the concern in charge of the work. The engineers were instructed to submit plans and specifications for this work at once in order that it may be included when application for bids is made.

The alleys in six blocks are to be treated in this manner, the district being specifically designated as follows: The alley between Horace and LaBree avenues and that between Main and Knight avenues, running from First to Fourth streets. This covers the paving district as at present constituted.

As soon as the plans are received City Clerk A. H. Akre has been instructed to advertise for bids on the work, the aim being to get started as early in the spring as possible. Well-known paving contractors will be at work in neighboring cities during the summer, both Bemidji and Warren having already awarded extensive jobs, and it is thought probable that these may become interested in the undertaking here.

The Legion Bulletin.

To members of Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117, The American Legion: Owing to the fact that there has been a break in the subscription to the Legion Weekly, the post takes this method of advising the members that the weekly subscriptions expired on December 31 of each year and that their subscription is dropped. Upon the payment of 1920 dues the names of the members are forwarded to Washington. The Weekly is receiving from 35,000 to 50,000 names each week, while publishers are only able to add from 10,000 to 15,000 names a week to the lists. They are literally swamped.

Names will be added to the list as quickly as possible and the members who paid 75 cents will receive the paper for nine months and those who paid a dollar will receive it for one year from the time the subscription is entered.

In the meantime copies of the Legion Weekly can be found on sale at the different news stands in the city.

G. HOWARD SMITH, Sec'y.

Misses Ida Steenerson and Mabel McGinnity visited with their parents in this city the latter part of the week returning to Brooks on Monday, where they are engaged in teaching school.

LEAGUE MAN FOR HALVOR'S SEAT?

REPORT THAT BOWEN INTENDS FILING AGAINST STEENERSON FOR CONGRESS.

There is a rumor current to the effect that the Nonpartisans are planning on putting up a man to run against Halvor Steenerson for congress at the next election. The report, which as yet lacks confirmation, has it that A. E. Bowen, Nonpartisan League organizer and orator who has conducted league meetings in several northern Minnesota towns during the past two years, will be the league's candidate for congress from the Ninth district.

The Ottertail county league convention has endorsed him for the place it is stated.

Bowen is a North Dakota resident and has been employed by Townley as a lecturer and organizer for the past four years. He recently established a residence at Detroit, Minn., with a view, it is supposed, to becoming a candidate in this district.

Post Meeting Tuesday.

The members of Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion, will hold their next meeting in the dining room of the Hotel Evelyn on Tuesday evening. The meeting will be in the form of a smoker and a musical program will be a feature. A more than unusually interesting boxing match is also on the program.

A cordial invitation is extended to all returned service men who may wish to join the post. There are now about 250 members.

WHY IS 57 AND 8 LATE?

I often sit in silent contemplation—
Why in the name of all creation
Is Fifty-seven and Eight so late?
They have a train crew so exacting
It must be caused by poor dispatching

The con is always on a scurry,
His watchword it is "hurry, hurry,"
His body is in constant motion—
Why? The boy is counting on promotion.

The "hoggy" he's an ugly cuss,
But never stirs up any fuss.
He'll drill along with all his might
For sixteen hours without a bite.

The fireman, wet with prespiration,
Looks forward to the destination.
He shovels coal with might and main
While the pop valve murmuers a refrain.

The "hind man" is the way freight drudge.
While he always has a healthy grudge.
He's dependable as he can be
And gives "highballs" quite frequently.

The "swing man" is a carhound sure
His mania has no known cure.
He takes them all and looks for more
He'll surely reach the golden shore

The "head shack"—big and strong an burly,
Never heats in an awful hurry.
But strong of limb and true of mind
He bends the steel with ne'er a whine.

So why is it that this poor way freight
Should always be so terribly late?
With the entire crew so very exacting—
It must be due to poor dispatching
—SILENT OBSERVER

Attend Hotel Opening.

The new Hotel Lincoln at Red Lake Falls was formally opened to the public last Thursday evening, a large number of visitors being present besides practically every business and professional man in Red Lake Falls. C. L. Hansen, Math Barzen and O. D. Ostby were the representatives from Thief River Falls and report that the affair was a great success.

The Lincoln is a brick structure of 25 rooms besides the office, dining room and a fine cafe. It is built of brick and tile and presents a pleasing and substantial appearance. The neighboring city has for a long time been handicapped by reason of the fact that there has been no first-class hotel for the accommodation of the traveling public and the business men decided to take the matter into their own hands. A stock company was formed, all the money being raised right at home, and the result is a credit to their enterprise. The manager of the new hostelry is C. J. Kroll, a man of experience in this line, who will prove a genial and popular host.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Post Office at Thief River Falls, Minn., for the week ending Feb. 14, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date, they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago, Ill.: Anderson, Mrs. Anton; Anderson, Mr. Gilbert E.; Blackburn, Mr. M. L.; Holvorson, H. M.; Johnston, Mr. Harvery; Landro, Miss Agnes; Meyer, Mr. John R. F. D. 2; Olson, Mrs. H. E.; Omundson, Mr. Theodore, (2); Peterson, P. H.; Sanger, H. R.; Sawyer, Mr. E. A.; Seitzler, Mr. W. H.; Solle, Mr. Emil; Swanson, Mrs. L. J.; Thomas, Mrs. Arthur. When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

Interesting News

Concerning the Opening of the New Bon-Ton Millinery Store Friday Night, February 20

Owing to the fact that our floor covering and a few of our fixtures have been delayed in shipment, we will be obliged to open our store before it has been fully completed. However we were fortunate in receiving all our merchandise and there will consequently be no delay in the displaying of the goods. The showings are from ten different houses and comprises the most varied and stylish line ever shown in Thief River Falls. We will show

THE FISK HAT — PAUL PORIOT
THE MONOGRAM — HYLAND
BROWN'S — JOSEPH

and many other well-known models.

Things we intend to do:

1. Keep on hand hundreds of new pattern hats and employ a competent designer the year around.
2. We will not keep you waiting for a home-made hat in the way of orders as you will have hundreds of hats to select from.
3. We will show a complete change in pattern hats every 30 days.
4. Courtesy to everybody and the best service it is possible to give.
5. Our buyer will visit the city markets at least once a month.
6. Our motto: "Volume of Business with Small Profits."

We will look for you to be present on our opening night, Friday, Feb. 20, 1920.

Music and Living Models

The Bon-Ton Millinery

Located in the Christo Building, (formerly the Grundy Block) Third Street.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Because of the ever-increasing prices of all kinds of goods, we are facing very grave problems. These we have for some time been trying to solve. Practically every article handled by us has advanced from 20 to 30 per cent since the first of the year. Prices are already so high we dislike very much being compelled to raise them further. There is only one way open by which this may be avoided and that is to sacrifice on our own profits. In order to be able to do this, however, one thing is absolutely necessary: We must sell our goods for cash or on very short credits. We have therefore studied this matter very carefully and have decided as follows:

FIRST:

A very large proportion of our customers are now buying for cash or on very short terms.

SECOND:

It is not fair to the customer who is prompt pay that he should pay for the customer who lets his bills run.

THIRD:

If we get paid promptly for the goods sold we can pay cash for goods bought and get a discount of 2 per cent instead of paying 8 or 10 per cent interest.

We have therefore decided that from and after the first day of March, 1920, our TERMS WILL BE CASH. However, for the accommodation of customers who have proven themselves prompt pay we will give an extension of 30 days from the time of purchase.

This arrangement is entirely in the interest of the prompt-paying customer as he is the one who must always pay the bill for losses through poor accounts as well as the other expenses merchants have if they are to remain in business.

BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

The Story of The Bank Book

In your Bank Book is written the story of your Success in Life.

It is to your Bank Book you turn when opportunity comes and upon the balance it shows depends in a great measure your ability to grasp your chance.

On rainy days when the storms of adversity gather and break against you bringing financial stress, it is your Bank Book that, walking by your side, brings you through in safety.

Again sickness may come and your earning capacity is limited or eliminated. Your Bank Book comes to your rescue providing for your comfort and, yielding of its resources it brings you back to health.

Then finally when Life's shadows grow dim and the twilight of declining years settles upon you, your Bank Book brings to you the comfort and the cheer that makes your last days, days of independence, happiness and enjoyment.

Why not begin now to cultivate the friendship of your Bank Book. You will be repaid a thousand fold in the years to come.

We'll be glad to show you how easily it can be done.

First National Bank

SAYS GUARANTEE IS STILL NEEDED

DIRECTOR BARNES CLAIMS IT FURNISHES PROTECTION FOR FARMER.

Taking issue with Senator Gronna of North Dakota, who in introducing a bill to repeal the wheat price guarantee act said that such a guarantee was no longer needed for protection of the farmers, Julius H. Barnes, federal wheat director, in a statement this week said that on the day the measure was introduced certain grades of wheat on the Minneapolis market fell within five cents of the guarantee. Just a few days previous, Director Barnes added, the same grades on the same market had fallen fifty cents and more per bushel.

Mr. Barnes also denied the contention of the North Dakota senator that the wheat guarantee act was enforced so as to prevent wheat prices rising above the guarantee.

"Wheat is 193 per cent higher than in 1913 while bread is 77 per cent," Mr. Barnes' statement said.

Senator Gronna in a statement denied his bill would repeal the wheat price guarantee but was intended only to abolish the United States grain corporation.

Is Nearing Completion.

The new brick building of the Northern Woodwork company, the name taken by the contracting and woodworking concern known as Ole R. Revdahl & Co., is rapidly nearing completion. Unless some unforseen delay occurs it is expected that everything will be in running order sometime between the fifteenth of March and the first of April.

When equipped this plant will be one of the best woodworking establishments in this section of the state. The plant will be housed in a new brick building 50x80 feet and two stories high. It is the intention of the concern to be in a position to take care of all orders in its line, no matter what the size or where located.

The Babcock Plan.

Biwabik Times: The Babcock road plan means a trunk highway system in the state of 7,000 miles; it will relieve the counties of all expense in maintaining these highways; it will release sufficient local funds, if concentrated, to enable counties and townships to build in ten years 21,850 miles of graveled roads costing $5,000 per mile; it will make accessible the beauty spots of Minnesota; it will reduce marketing costs and develop the agricultural resources of the state to the extent of millions of dollars; it will give the state the most wonderful road system possessed by any state in the union. And all this will come to pass without increasing the general taxes in the state one penny. The motor vehicle owners, who pay increased fees, will have their money returned to them three-fold through decreased costs of operation. That is what Amendment No. 1 means. Surely it is worth thinking about, talking about and voting for.

PROVIDE RELIEF BEFORE MEETING

FLOOD SUFFERERS WILL BE LOOKED AFTER WHERE NECESSITY EXISTS.

Meetings scheduled to take place at different points in the flood area have been postponed on account of the flu. One was to have been held at Goodridge early in the month by Special Appraiser Scott Laird. Mr. Laird decided that it would be unsafe to call the people together. The meetings will be held as soon as it is safe to proceed, but at the present time no definite date can be set.

Blank forms for those who are in actual need have been sent out and provision made for taking care of them at once. Applications are being received daily from some of those whose situation calls for immediate action and they are being promptly acted upon.

Subscribe for The Times.

Carrying a Ton a Mile for less than a Cent

Freight rates have played a very small part in the rising cost of living.

Other causes—the waste of war, under-production, credit inflation—have added *dollars* to the cost of the necessities of life, while freight charges have added only *cents.*

The average charge for hauling a ton of freight a mile is less than a cent.

A suit of clothing that sold for $30 before the war was carried 2,265 miles by rail from Chicago to Los Angeles for 16½ cents.

Now the freight charge is 22 cents and the suit sells for $50.

The cost of the suit has increased 20 dollars.

The freight on it has increased only 5½ cents.

Other transportation charges enter into the cost of the finished article—carrying the wool to the mills and the cloth to the tailors—but these other charges amount to but a few cents more.

The $10 pair of shoes that used to sell for $5 goes from the New England factory to the Florida dealer for a freight charge of 5⅔ cents—only one cent more than the pre-war rate.

Beef pays only two-thirds of a cent a pound freight from Chicago to New York.

American freight rates are the lowest in the world.

This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York.

Caesar

By VIRGINIA HOOD

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"Oh, papa—please, please don't!"

"Gr-rr!" half roared, half snarled Colonel Abner Taylor, and swung his gold-headed cane at a great water dog ten feet away. Too late Ethel, his daughter, sought to intervene. The heavy walking stick grazed the head of the noble looking animal. For an instant its muzzle quivered and its white, gleaming teeth showed. Then, with rather a contemptuous look than a reproachful one, Caesar straightened up with dignity, took the cane between his jaws, walked over to where Ethel stood distractedly wringing her hands and laid the offending missile at her feet.

In an instant Ethel was kneeling at the side of Caesar, caressing him, her face, flooded with tears, buried in his silky coat. She even kissed him.

"And I'd do it to Waldron, too, if he were here!" she cried, hysterically and defiantly. "Oh, you cruel father! Oh, you wicked tyrant! To try to hurt a poor, innocent dumb animal that wandered here out of compassion for me. Go home, Caesar, and tell Waldron I love him more than I ever did!"

"Innocent dumb animal—bah!" snorted the colonel wrathfully. "The vicious brute would delight to chew me up. Just as Waldron Revere would! Man, dog, friends, mall, everything appertaining to that young man will be taboo around this house, I can tell you!"

"You won't taboo my love from him—never!" sobbed forth Ethel, and ran into the house, leaving her father feeling decidedly uncomfortable.

Once the father of Waldron Revere had defeated Colonel Taylor in a political campaign. The election was fair and decisive. Not so for the beaten candidate. He nursed his sullenness into hatred and never spoke to John Revere again. When his son appeared as the lover of gentle Ethel it was with supreme satisfaction that her father declined his advances. A climax had now come which developed some spirit in Ethel and the autocratic colonel was uneasy at the open rebellion that had materialized.

He did not see Ethel again that day and the next morning she came down to breakfast looking pale and broken-spirited. The heart of the father smote him, but he resolved never to unbend. "The son of an enemy shall not crow over me!" he muttered. Then he took his fishing rod and went down to the brook.

There was a favorite spot where the colonel loved to sit, waiting for a bite. It was a big rock in the center of the stream, around which the current swirled. He reached it with a little skiff, the bow chain of which he secured under two big stones, and got comfortably placed with his fishing tackle, his back braced up against a smooth fragment of slate.

It was a drowsy afternoon and the fish were not inclined to take the bait with any avidity. The sun was hot and beat down upon the marooned angler, lulling him into somnolence. A marooned man he was, but too indolent to note that the skiff had drifted away. Then his chin sank upon his breast, next the fishing rod slipped from his nerveless hand. He toppled finally, went his full length across the face of the rock and, with senses still dazed, slipped over into the water with a splash.

His head had struck a half-submerged boulder and the stunning contact completed his befogged and helpless situation. He was conscious of peril, of fast fading consciousness. He fancied he made out an object leave the shore and approach him. Then, with a choking gurgle in his throat, he sank under the surface of the water.

A little urchin rounding a belt of timber in pursuit of Caesar, the pet of half the town, came into view of his runaway animal playmate to view the dog in midstream, tugging at and holding to the collar of the coat of a limp, draggled form. The brave, intelligent animal managed to land his burden upon the shelving sandy shore. The lad, terrified at the white face and motionless pose of the rescued one, uttered a shrill shriek of terror and ran for the nearest house. It was the home of Caesar and his young master and of the rest of the Revere family. The incoherent story of the bewildered and frightened boy was sufficient to start Waldron Revere and his gardener in hot haste for the river with sincere concern. Waldron hurried his own movements and those of his companion in getting the insensible Colonel Taylor to the house. Then, on horseback, the gardener made wild speed to reach the nearest physician. The latter worked over his inanimate patient for an hour before he pronounced him out of danger.

Lying upon the couch near an open window, Colonel Taylor listened dreamily, and then sitting half-upright, to the voices of two children outside making a wonder story of the adventure of little Tod Wilkins in discovering "the drowned man," of the way Waldron Revere carried the former on his shoulders "clear to the house!" of the wild ride for Doctor Jenkins. It was then that the colonel realized that it was the hand of an enemy that had saved his life. And just then Waldron came into the room. The colonel put out a beckoning hand.

"Revere," he voiced, though feebly, "I'm weak and I've been sinful. Send for Ethel—I want to give you both my blessing."

Know How it Feels.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: We can sympathize with the Thief River Falls Times in the loss of their plant by fire last week. Three years ago on February 15, the Gazette went thru the same trial and we know how hard it is to get things going again, to collect machinery and materials with which to work. But there is nothing to do but buckle in and start all over again and this The Times is doing with all possible dispatch. The Times had a fine plant and had only recently removed to larger quarters where everything was up to the minute. A big newspaper press capable of printing 4,000 copies an hour had been installed last summer, and it certainly is a misfortune that this costly equipment was totally ruined.

Are Paying Up.

The Pennington County Agricultural association will soon be entirely out of debt. A good sum was netted last year and out of this there was $900 paid on the outstanding indebtedness, leaving a balance of $2600 yet to be paid.

James Mulhall has been appointed as special police to have charge of the fair grounds and will be made a deputy sheriff for that purpose.

The Public Forum

Defends His Daughter.

Editor Times: I wish to inform you that my daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearson, who are under arrest in Cookston on a charge of murder, are not guilty of any crime.

They were not married in Crookston, as the Tribune stated last week. It is an easy matter to prove that Mrs. Pearson was not in the condition charged at the time of her marriage.

I am sure that my daughter as well as her husband will prove themselves innocent at the proper time. I believe some dirty sneak took this means of throwing dirt at a nice, clean couple, but it will not go. Mrs. Pearson never was in jail and never will be.

WM. FURSTNAU.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

SW¼, Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings and well on the place. For particulars write J. Pfeffer, 411 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota. 61

Have your public sales taken care of by

T. K. RYNESTAD

AUCTIONEER

For years a resident of Pennington county. Knows conditions thoroughly and is versed in values of live stock, machinery and household goods. Farmers: Have a farmer cry your sales.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

T. K. RYNESTAD,
Thief River Falls.

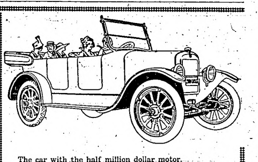

The car with the half million dollar motor.

The Brisco is the car that carried off the most world records in 1919.

The Brisco is the car, with the pep, the speed, the endurance, the power, the comfort to ride, the beautiful lines, the car you will be proud to drive. It's the light weight car, with all the equipment encluded. The car for the country in which we live. It's the car that will give you the miles you expect out of each gallon of gasoline.

Now is the time to get your order placed for your 1920 Brisco.

C. Gustafson & Son

Implement Dealers and Brisco
Automobile Distributors,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

"Granny" Chamberlain

Whooping Cough

"The disease I most dread is Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect it, and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You cannot mistake the symptoms: protracted coughing, worse at night; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; apparent suffocation after coughing.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health —Granny Chamberlain

AUCTION SALE

Having sold our farm and will retire, I will sell at public auction the property listed below at the old farm, the northwest quarter of section 23, township of Smiley, on the south side of Red Lake river known as the old Fisherman's Bend, 5 miles east and 2 miles north of Hazel, and 9 miles southeast of Thief River Falls, on

Friday, February 27

SALE STARTS AT 10:30

HORSES

1 black mare, 5 yrs. old, wt.
1 black mare, 9 years old, wt. 1400.
1 black horse, 8 years old, wt. 1400.
1 sorrel mare, 3 years old, wt. 1150.
1 gray horse, 15 years old, wt. 1500.
1 sorrel mare colt, 2 years old.
1 black mare colt, 10 months old.

CATTLE

1 red and white cow, 7 years old fresh now.
1 red cow, 4 years old, fresh in April.
1 black cow, 9 years old, milking, fresh in July.
1 red and white cow, 7 years, milking, fresh in Sept.
1 red heifer, 2 years old, fresh in July.
1 brindle heifer, 18 months old.
1 red bull, 15 months old.
40 chickens.

FARM MACHINERY, ETC.

1 6-ft. cut Deering binder, new.
1 5-ft. cut Minnesota mower.
1 Van Brunt shoe drill.
1 Deering hay rake.
1 old Deering binder.
1 16-in. Emerson sulky plow.
1 breaking attachment for same
1 14-in. John Deere walking plow.
1 John Deere mower.
2 wide tire wagons.
2 tripple wagon boxes.
1 fanning mill.
1 double buggy.
2 sets heavy harness.
1 disc with truck.
1 3-section iron drag.
1 1-horse cultivator.
1 jumper.
1 7-ft. runner bob sleigh.
1 Acme hay rake.
1 hay rack.
1 U. S. cream separator.
1 grind stone.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 kitchen range.
1 heating stove.
1 kitchen cupboard.
1 iron bed.
2 steel couches.
1 dining table.
5 chairs.
1 wash stand.
1 churn.
1 incubator.
1 brooder.

GRAIN, ETC.

95 bu. good oats.
15 bu. 1918 barley.
40 grain sacks.
1 good row boat.
2 force pumps.
Some fence posts and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

MRS. NELS BERGREN, Owner

PAUL BORGIE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Annual Report

Of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Counties of Pennington and Red Lake, State of Minnesota, For the Year Ending December 31, 1919.

Organized 9th day of March, 1893.

Commenced business 8th day of June, 1893.

Present President: Ed. A. Aubol, P. O. Address, St. Hilaire, Minnesota, Route 1.

Present Secretary: John O. Swanson, P. O. Address, Wylie, Minnesota, Route 1.

Assessments Levied During Year.	
First assessment levied on April 1st. Total insurance then in force	$2,334,565.00
Rate, two (2) mills	
Fire losses incurred	3,520.00
Lightning losses incurred	1,574.07
Total assessment called	4,669.13
Assessments collected	4,514.42
Actual cash balance on hand and in bank as shown by statement December 31st of previous year	$ 1,186.21
Income During Year, 1919.	
Cash received as first payments on policies issued during the year	$ 2,197.96
Cash received from Assessments levied during the year	4,514.42
Total amount of cash received during the year	$ 6,712.38
Total cash including balance on hand from previous year	7,898.59
Disbursements During Year 1919.	
Paid losses incurred during the year	$ 5,094.67
Paid board of audit	6.00
Paid Commission and expenses to agents	490.50
Paid agents for adjusting losses	23.00
Paid directors	15.00
Paid president	80.10
Paid secretary	270.13
Paid treasurer	141.21
Paid vice president	12.00
Heating hall for annual meeting	1.00
Paid postage	63.00
Paid advertising	11.25
Paid office supplies	128.51
Paid insurance department fees	2.00
Livery hire	13.00
War tax	18.39
Total amount of disbursements during the year	$ 6,369.76
Actual cash balance on hand and in bank at end of year	1,528.83
Assets Other Than Cash, Dec. 31, 1919.	
Unpaid assessments	$ 154.71
Total assets other than cash	$ 154.71
Total Assets of the Company, including balance cash on hand and in bank December 31, 1919	1,683.54
Liabilities, December 31, 1919	
ndisputed losses of this year remaining unpaid at end of year	200.00
Total Liabilities December 31, 1919	200.00
urplus or excess of assets over liabilities	1,483.54
Policy Exhibit.	
olicies in force December 31 of previous year, 1352. Amount of same	$2,325,642.00
olicies issued during the year, 381. Amount of same	814,401.00
otal number of policies, 1,733. Amount of same	3,140,043.00
educt policies expired and ceased to be in force during the year, 382. Amount of same	571,248.00
olicies and amount in force at end of year, viz: December 31, 1919, 1351. Amount of same	2,568,795.00
oss claims presented during the year, 10. Amount of same	5,294.67
osses paid in full, 18. Amount of same	5,094.67
ndisputed losses, adjusted but unpaid, 1. Amount of same	200.00
nadjusted losses at end of year	None
osses resisted in full by Company	None

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

We, Nels K. Anderson, President, nd John O. Swanson, Secretary of the ray Mutual Fire Insurance Company eing duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says, that they are the above escribed officers of said Company, nd that on the thirty-first day of December last, all of the above described assets were the absolute property of he said Company, free and clear from ny liens or claims thereon, except as bove stated, and that the foregoing tatement, with the schedules and explanations herein contained, annexed r referred to, are a full and correct xhibit of all the Assets, Liabilities, come and Disbursements, and of the ondition and affairs of the said Company on the said thirty-first day of ecember last, and for the year ending on that day, according to the best f their information, knowledge and elief, respectively.

NELS K. ANDERSON, Pres.
JOHN O. SWANSON, Sec'y.

Subscribed and sworn to before me his 19th day of January, 1920.

O. BURKLEE, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 3, 1923.
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City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, innesota.

A regular meeting of City Council as called to order by H. A. Brumund, resident, at eight o'clock P. M., Feb. 0th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present; Froeth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, le. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of Jan. 27th d adjourned regular meeting of Jan. th, were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, at the monthly reports of the City lerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, ief of Police and Librarian be aproved and ordered filed. Motion cared.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Bran-on, that the bond, with sureties subitted by the First and Peoples State ank, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by ahl, that the bond with sureties subitted of the Farmers & Merchants ate Bank be approved. Motion cared.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Bran-n, that the City Clerk be instructed notify the Bradley Engineering Serce Co., to prepare plans and specifitions for storm sewers, from First reet to Fourth Street, on alley beeen Main and LaBree Ave.; from irst Street to Fourth Street, on alley tween Main and Knight Ave.; and tending sanitary sewer on Main Ave. om Second Street running approxiately 150 ft. north." Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ness, at the cost of the storm sewer be taxed to the paving district. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the chair appoint a committee of three to go to Wahepton to investigate the Fullerton System. Motion carried and the chair apointed Brandon and Dahl together with himself to serve on the committee.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that the Council adjourn until Friday, Feb. 13th, at eight o'clock. Motion carried and the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE, Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Feb. 10th, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be allowed as follows:

Current Fund.

Street Commissioner's payroll	$415.60
Bernt Wold, stove	7.50
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	9.87
The Prichard Co., coal	5.50
The Prichard Co., coal	51.94
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	20.50
John Dicken, repair on fire engine	4.00
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	11.90
The Tribune, publication	.75
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	51.45
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., publications	35.75

Local Improvement Fund.

Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., publication	2.00
Water & Light Dept., power service, sewer lift	12.26

Auditorium Fund.

F. J. Stebbins, floor wax	2.40
Water & Light Dept., light service	87.14
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	3.50
C. O. Myrold, repairs	19.25
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	9.50
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	2.00
The Prichard Co., coal	185.52
Water & Light Dept., labor expense	89.60
Andy Smith, firing boiler, (allowed at)	3.75
Al. Parenteau, labor	8.80
Hermanson Hdw. Co., screws	.20
L. M. Johnson, labor	2.75

Poor Fund.

The Prichard Co., fuel	100.25
S. O. Quammen, fuel	5.50
Water & Light Dept., transportation of pauper	35.00
Louis DeCremer, supplies	26.60
F. J. Stebbins, medicine	4.54
F. J. Stebbins, medicine	9.31
Hicks Furniture Co., steel couch	6.50
E. O. Mogenson, clothing	9.25
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
Eli Rolland, supplies	33.18
T. R. Co-op. Creamery Co., supplies	1.20
S. Simonson, supplies	52.11
Nortz Lumber Co., fuel	33.75
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	6.70
T. J. Carr, fuel	9.00
Hanson & Barzen, flour	9.20
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	1.50

Library Fund.

American Book Co., books	51.33
Herman Goldberger, books	36.45
L. S. Donaldson, books	4.90
Water & Light Dept., light service	2.21
The Prichord Co., fuel	137.59

Electric Light Fund.

The Prichard Co., fuel	86.62
The Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., publications	22.20
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	7.00
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	7.85
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	9.52
Hermanson Hdwe. Co., supplies	10.40
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	3.92
Tom Moe, labor	12.00
Alfred Adolphs, labor	49.00
Water & Light Dept., freight, express	11.58
The Electrical Store, toaster	4.75
National Carbon Co., brushes	6.57
Standard Oil Co., lubrication oil	18.04
General Electric Co., supplies	8.67
Central Electric Co., supplies	.98
N. W. Electric Equipment Co., supplies	132.90

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Feb. 14th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Tobias Olson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Oscar Olson;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 13th day of August, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, three consecutive weeks, as provided by law.

Dated February 11th, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Estate.
f19-26-m3

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of C. V. Peterson.

State of Minnesota; County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Edward Peterson, Leonard Peterson, Annie Johnson and Gustaf Peterson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Leonard Peterson having been filed in this Court, representing that C. V. Peterson, then a resident of the County of St. Barbara, State of California, died intestate on the 26th day of January, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Leonard Peterson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of February, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m-4

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Gay Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County Minnesota, on the 20th day of June 1916 at one o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30), for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04.)

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N½) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and State will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five ($75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
of Fergus Falls, Mortgagee
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

SHIP YOUR Hides-Furs ETC. TO
Deal Direct with the Largest and Oldest House in the West
Established 1887
Highest Prices and Immediate Cash Returns. Write for price list, tags and full information.
D. BERGMAN & CO.
ST. PAUL-MINN.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by T. C Peterson, a single man, as mortgagor to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, upon the following described lands lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ SW¼) and the South half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 120 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, which said mortgage bears date on the 9th day of December, 1916, and, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 19th day of January, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 369, and which mortgage was assigned to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank by instrument in writing, dated January 20, 1917, filed for record in the office of the said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 20th day of January, 1917 at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 322, and which said mortgage was again assigned to Albertus J. Prins by said assignee of mortgage, by instrument in writing, dated January 30, 1920, filed for record in the office of said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 2nd day of February, 1920, recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 562, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of Twelve Hundred ($1200) Dollars according to the terms of one (1) certain promissory note, made and executed by said T. C. Peterson said mortgagor, to said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, said mortgagee, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 15th day of December in the year 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, each for the sum of Seventy-two ($72.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December 1917, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1918, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1919, are past due and unpaid; and,

WHEREAS, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of interest the whole of the principal sum, together with interest should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assigns, be declared to be due and payable; and,

WHEREAS, the said mortgagor neglected to pay, and has not paid said interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1917, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1918, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1919, as aforesaid, amounting to the sum of Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1917, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15 1918, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1919, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest thereon is by said last named assignee of mortgagee deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

WHEREAS, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Forty and 72-100 ($1440.72) Dollars secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1920, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated February 5, 1920.

ALBERTUS J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
St. Paul, Minnesota.
f12-19-26-m5-11-18

Job Printing Orders will be cared for in the same efficient manner as before the fire. The Times Job Department.

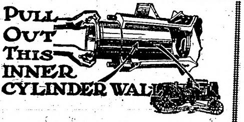
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If you are planning on a 2 Plow Tractor this year, do not forget the 8-16 Avery Tractor, which is large enough to handle 3 plows under favorable conditions, and is a Tractor with proper Belt Power equipment. The price on the 8-16 Avery is now only $700.

The Avery 8-16 Tractor has all of the good Avery features, such as Removable Cylinder Walls, as shown above, Kerosene Gasifier, Adjustable Crank Shaft Bearings from outside. Is equipped with the K. W. High Tention Magneto, and Kingston Dual Carburetor.

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C. Gustafson & Son
Implement Dealers,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Larson Furniture Co. LICENSED UNDERTAKERS AND EMBALMERS
DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE TELEPHONES: DAY CALL 61;
NIGHT 148. THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my farm, NE¼ of Sec. 4, Township of Bray, 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway and 1 mile south, known as the Jacob Bock farm, 7½ miles south of Viking, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1920

1 gray mare, wt. 1200
1 black mare, wt. 1300
1 black gelding, wt. 1200
1 black mare, wt. 1050
1 gelding, 6 years old, wt. 1150
2 yearling colts.
7 cows, milking now, will be fresh Sept. 1st. Grade Shorthorns.
5 yearling heifers.
1 heifer, 2 years old
6 brood sows, bred, fallow later part of May.
1 Acme binder, 7-foot cut.
1 Acme mower, 5-foot cut.
1 John Deere-Dane mower, new
1 hay rack.
1 drill.
1 4-horse drag.
1 sulky plow.
1 stubble plow
1 breaking plow.
1 6-shovel corn plow.
1 4-shovel corn plow.
2 sets of sleighs, 1 6-foot runner and 1 5-foot runner.
2 lumber wagons, double box
1 manure spreader.
1 corn planter, 320 rod check wire.
1 Case corn planter, 160 rod check wire.
1 Emerson potato digger.
40 Plymouth Rock hens.
Household goods.
3 sets work harness
1 fanning mill with sack attachment
8 ton of hay in stack.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale starts at 10:30 o'clock
FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash. Over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

FRED R. ADAMS, Owner
W. J. LABREE, Auctioneer, STATE BANK OF VIKING, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm located 1 mile west and one and one-half miles north of Thief River Falls, section 20, town of North, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1920

All of the following personal property, to-wit:

1 grey mare, weight 1500 lbs.
1 black mare, weight 1500 lbs.
1 grey stud, weight 1600 lbs.
1 grey horse, 7 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 black mare, 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 black mare, 4 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
1 sorrel mare, 4 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
1 grey horse, 4 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 bay horse, 4 years old, weight 1100 lbs.
1 bay mare, 9 years old, weight 1100 lbs.
1 bay mare, 3 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 bay colt, 2 years old.
1 grey mare, 2 years old.
1 grey horse, 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 red cow, 4 years old.
1 red cow, 5 years old.
4 young Holstein cows, 3 1-2 years old.
1 white Holstein cow, 2 1-2 years old
3 Holstein heifers, (coming 3)
3 yearling heifers.
2 calves.
1 brood sow, 2 years old (farrow in April.)
3 brood sows, 1 year old, (farrow in April.)
150 White Leghorn chickens.
1 7-foot Deering binder.
1 6-ft. Deering binder.
1 8-ft. Rock Island disc.
1 8-ft. Osborne disc.
1 14-in. gang plow, long moulboard.
1 14-in. gang plow, stubble bottom.
1 16-in. Emerson sulkey plow.
1 Rock Island cultivator.
1 John Deere cultivator.
1 26-ft. harrow.
1 18-ft. harrow.
1 20-ft. wood lever harrow.
1 14-ft. steel lever harrow, new.
1 20-ft. steel lever harrow, new.
1 10-ft. Van Brunt drill.
1 9-ft. Van Brunt drill.
1 Chatam fanning mill, new.
1 Winner fanning mill, new.
2 one-horse cultivators.
1 Wild Oat mill, new.
1 Smut mill, new.
1 Dowden potato digger, good as new.
1 potato cutter.
1 6-ft. Milwaukee mower.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower.
1 2-horse buggy.
1 single buggy.
2 bob sleds.
1 wide tire wagon, new.
1 4-in. tire wagon.
3 narrow tire wagons.
1 steel wheel truck.
2 brush breakers.
1 hay stacker.
1 Deering hay rake, 10-ft.
2 pumping engines.
4 90 bu. grain tanks, new.
6 hay racks.
6 set of heavy work harness.
1 14-in. Moline breaker, new.
1 NEW FORD AUTOMOBILE
1 FORD AUTOMOBILE, GOOD AS NEW
1 spring cutter.
A lot of other small tools.
Blacksmith tools.
Disc sharpener.
300 bu. of clover seed.
1000 bu. Golden Yellow Seed Oats. (All raised on new land.)
150 cedar posts, (fine.)
4 stacks of hay, clover and timothy.
1 steel range No. 9.
3 heaters.
1 DeLaval cream separator.
1 bureau.
1 bedstead.
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

This is a large sale and will commence at 10:00 o'clock sharp

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

H. G. BORDEN, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Local Notes

Miss Ingaborg Tweeten left for her home in Oklee Monday after visiting at the J. E. Nelson home in this city.

Miss Florence Morin of this city left on Monday evening for Minneapolis where she has accepted a position.

Miss Lucille Brooks returned to this city Friday evening from her home at Plummer, where she visited for a brief period.

Miss Myrtle Berg spent the week-end with her parents in this city, returning to Bejou on Monday to resume her duties as teacher.

V. J. Mundt and son, V. J. Mundt, Jr., arrived Monday morning to attend the funeral of their brother and uncle, the late Raymond Mundt.

Miss Margaret Fier, who is employed in this city, left on Monday morning for her home in Middle River, where she will visit for a brief period.

Ralph Mundt left on Tuesday morning for his home in Enderlin, N. D., after having attended the funeral services of his brother, the late Ray Mundt.

Mrs. G. A. Penney, accompanied by her son, Arthur, left on Monday evening for Duluth, where they will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

James Thompson, who spent a short time visiting at the home of John Anderson in this city, left on Saturday morning for his home at Strathcona.

Miss Laura Payne, who spent a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Curran, in this city, left on Saturday evening for Gilbert, this state, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Miss Theone Walker arrived in this city on Friday evening from points in the southern part of the state where she has been engaged as pianist for the past few months. Miss Walker will remain at her home here for an indefinite period.

V. E. Mundt of Enderlin, N. D., left on Monday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend to business matters before returning to his home. Mr. Mundt came to this city for the purpose of attending the funeral services of his brother, Ray.

GERMANTOWN

Miss Hattie Glockman left for Thief River Falls Thursday where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Goethe, for an indefinite time.

E. Pechie was a caller in this vicinity one day last week.

N. Bundhund of Goodridge visited with friends and relatives of this vicinity last Thursday.

Mrs. Emil Hansen called at the Martinus Johnson home one day last week.

Nettie, Esther and Benard Bendickson visited at the Hans Dahl home Saturday of last week.

Will Wayne was a Mavie caller on Tuesday last week.

Ben Habedank arrived home, where he will visit for some time.

Emil Hanson was a Goodridge caller one day last week.

Oscar Pomerenke and Emil Bentten were guests at the D. Dau home last Sunday.

Hans Dahl was a Mavie caller last Thursday.

Charlie Muldoon returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl called on friends Sunday.

Miss Luella Habedank returned home Saturday where she will visit for some time.

ROCKSBURY

The weather is warmer at present.

School started again Monday after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Randorf visited at the William Moeller home last Sunday.

August Moeller left last Thursday for New London, Wis.

Carl Zinter, Sr., and Carl Zinter, Jr., visited at the William Moeller home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Geske and children visited at the Albert Geske home Monday evening.

Miss Cora Moeller visited with Miss Mayme Randorf Sunday afternoon.

Roy Randorf and Elmer Eastman were callers at the John Engelbart home last Sunday evening.

Miss Hattie Zinter and brother, Willie visited at the John Engelbert home last Sunday afternoon.

Roy Randorf was a caller in Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon.

Richard Timm called at the William Moeller home Sunday.

Albert Geske was a business caller in Thief River Falls Eaturday.

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Feb. 13th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent; None.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the depository bond with sureties as submitted by the Citizens State Bank be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Ness, that the Bradley Engineering Service Co., be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the construction of storm sewers on First Street from Horace Ave., to the center of alley of Block 57, O. T. S., and on Second Street from LaBree Ave., to the alley of Block 36, O. T. S. and on Third Street from Horace Ave., to the alley in Block 29; also for the construction of a sanitary sewer from the manhole at the intersection of Main Ave., and Second Street to connect at the proper point with the present sanitary sewer between Second and Third Street. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the Bradley Engineering Service Co., be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the paving of the alley of Blocks 58, 35, 30, 29, 36, 57, 56, 37, 28. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment of $212.63 to Holt & George on water main contract. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ness, seconded by Ihle, that the insurance on the auditorium be increased $19,200.00 and insurance on the library be increased $11,400.00. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to the Bradley Engineering Service the sum of $466.34. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the rent of the City Clerk's office and stock room be fixed at the rate of $150.00 per month, $125.00 to be charged to the Electric Light Dept., and $25.00 to be charged to the Waterworks Dept., rent of the Municipal Court room at $10.00 per month, Chief of Police office at $15.00 per month and the rent of the room occupied by the Farm Bureau at $15.00 per month. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl that the Council adjourn until Thursday, Feb. 19th. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest: A. H. AKRE, Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held Feb. 13, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the City Clerk be, and hereby is, directed to issue to Holt & George Plumbing and Heating Co., the warrant of the City in the sum of $212.63, drawn on the proper fund, in payment of current estimate in said sum, on the Water Main Contract.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Feb. 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held Feb. 13, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the City Clerk be, and hereby is, directed to issue to the Bradley Engineering Service warrant of the City, drawn on the proper fund, in the sum of $466.34, in payment of the following items, pursuant to the contract entered into between said Bradley Engineering Service and the City on July 8, 1919, to-wit:

To preparing plans and specifications for White Way Improvements, the same being one per cent on the contract price thereof, $107.84;

To two-thirds of two per cent of the contract price of the contract heretofore let for the construction of Sewer and Water Connections and Storm Sewers, $358.50;

The total of said items for services amounting to said sum of $466.34.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Feb. 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Announcement

The Northern Woodwork Company, successors to Ole R. Revdahl & Co., will occupy their new quarters on Knight avenue near the Great Northern tracks sometime between March 15 and April 1. The building is rapidly nearing completion and the installation of machinery will soon be under way.

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All work entrusted to us will receive our most careful attention and will be guaranteed both as to quality of material and excellence of workmanship.

Northern Woodwork Company

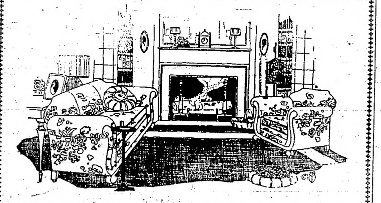

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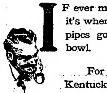

IF ever men are "Tom" and "Bill" to each other, it's when good pipes are a-going. If ever good pipes go their best, 'tis when Velvet's in the bowl.

For Velvet is a mighty friendly smoke. Kentucky Burley is the leaf that Nature *made* for pipes. Wholesome and hearty, honest as the day. And Velvet is that same good Burley leaf, brought to mellow middle age.

For eight long seasons Velvet "meditates" in wooden hogsheads, throwing off the rawness of "young" tobacco—truly "ageing in the wood." Out Velvet comes—cool, calm and generous—the tobacco Nature made good, kept good and made better.

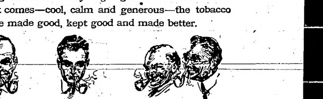

Velvet's sweetness is the sweetness of good tobacco, not "*put on*" like "frosting" on a cake. Its mildness comes from *natural ageing*, not from having the life *baked out*. Its fragrance is true tobacco fragrance, not a *perfume*. And Velvet makes an A Number One cigarette. Roll one.

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Yo' mouth with friendly smoke—
An' let the old world wag."

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—the friendly tobacco

Society

The Horr Recital.

The Woman's club of Thief River Falls enjoyed an unusual treat on Monday afternoon when Wyman Horr of Duluth, formerly of Thief River Falls, appeared in a piano recital. Mr. Horr is a promising musician of more than ordinary ability and his playing has gained for him much favorable comment in musical circles wherever he has appeared.

His program in this city demonstrated that he is a pianist of ample technical gifts and good tone. His interpretative ability was particularly shown in the "Romance" by Sebelius. In the "Etude" by Orensky and the First Movement Nors Sonata by McDowell, his fine rythmical values and aqually good finger work made an excellent showing. The graceful Etudes by Chopin were played with fine spirit. The artist's pedal work was especially good.

Mr. Horr is a nephew of Mrs. W. J. LaBree of this city and is on his way to New York where he expects to continue his studies. He is accompanied by his mother. All who heard him on Monday will wish him success in his musical career and hope they may have the pleasure of hearing him again in the near future.

Foss-Anderson.

A pretty wedding took place at the residence of Rev. A. F. Nelson of St. Hilaire on Wednesday, Feb. 11, at two o'clock in the afternoon, Rev. Nelson officiating. The contracting parties were Clifford Foss of Gilby, N. D., and Miss Anna Anderson of River Falls this county. The couple was attended by H. Wallen and Miss Edna Anderson. Immediately after the ceremony the newlyweds left for Gilby, N. D., where they will make their future home on the groom's farm. Their many friends join in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous married life.

Memorial Program.

The W. C. T. U. will give a Francis E. Willard memorial and jubilee program at the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, Feb. 24, at 8. This promises to be a rare treat as the most able musicians in the city will take part. The Presbyrteiah church choir, under the leadership of Mrs. Edberg, will render several selections. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the program.

Dibble-Favrow.

The marriage of James Dibble and Beatrice Favrow took place at the M. E. parsonage on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. The young people were attended by Wesley Pierson and Miss Mildred Dibble. The newlyweds are well and favorably known here and have a host of friends who will wish them a happy and prosperous married life. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. B. Smith.

Double Wedding.

On Saturday evening at the Swedish Lutheran parsoinage occurred the marriage of Miss Clara Bjerkman and Otto Willie, both of Mahnomen county and Alfred Bjerkman of Mahnomen county and Miss Anna Rierson of Marshall county. The newlyweds were attended by Paul Willie and Lottie Bjerkman.

Surprise Party.

About twenty-five friends of Mrs. E. C. Remer gathered at her home last Saturday evening and surprised her in honor of her birthday. The evening was spent in a social manner and games were also enjoyed. At eleven o'clock a delightful lunch was served.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. P. W. Mabey entertained a few of her immediate friends at a dinner party on last Wednesday evening.

In Honor of Mrs. Horr.

Mrs. W. J. LaBree entertained a few ladies on last Thursday afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Chas. Horr of Duluth who is her guest.

Surprise Party.

A number of ladies pleasantly surprised Mrs. A. B. Stenberg at her home in the Evenson flat on LaBree avenue north last Friday evening. Needlework formed the evening's diversion.

Mrs. Larson Entertains.

Mrs. L. G. Larson entertained about twenty ladies at her home on Bridge street last Saturday afternoon. Whist was played at five tables. At the conclusion of the afternoon a delicious lunch was served.

First showing of spring hats now on at Dalquist's Millinery. f19

Obituary

Mrs. Caroline Rod.

Mrs. Caroline Rod passed away at her home in Spooner at the age of 26 years, death resulting from pneumonia. She was born in Norway Sept. 1, 1882, coming to this country when only three years old. On Feb. 26, 1907, she was married to Axel Rod, and to this union three sons were born, two of whom are living and are as follows: Arthur, aged 10, and Gordon, aged 9. Funeral services were held in this city on Feb. 18 and interment made in Greenwood cemettary. The deceased taught school near this city for six years previous to her marriage. She is a daughter of C. Hofseth of this city, and a brother, John, also resides here. At the time of her death she was president of the Parents and Teachers association and was treasurer of the Spooner school board, serving her third term. The family has resided in the city of Spooner since 1910. She leaves a host of friends and relatives who will deeply mourn her demise.

John B. Engen.

John B. Engen, one of the well-known farmers of Highlanding township, died on Feb. 12. Deceased leaves a wife and family of grown-up children. He was prominent in the eastern end of the county for many years and had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. Details of the funeral will be published next week.

Andrew Gangness.

Andrew Gangness died in this cityl on Feb. 16th, at the age of 60 years. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery on Tuesday afternoon.

Alec Shores.

Alec Shores passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. G. Twinbaugh of Goodridge on Sunday evening. Deceased was a civil war veteran and at the time of his death was 74 years old. He leaves to mourn his demise a wife and one daughter, Mrs. Twinbaugh. Interment took place in the Torgerson cemetery on Wednesday.

Ray W. Mundt.

On February 14 at 3:30 p. m. occurred the death of R. W. Mundt at his home, 109 LaBree avenue south. The cause of his death was pneumonia following influenza. Interment took place in the Catholic cemetery on Feb. 16. He leaves to mourn his demise a wife and four small children.

Ethel Dahlen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dahlen of Erie mourn the loss of their seventeen-year-old daughter, Ethel, who died the first of the week. Besides her parents she leaves five sisters and two brothers, Clara, Mamie, Myrtle, Gena, Nina and Clarence and Justin.

Annie Mathilda Anderson.

Mrs. Annie Mathilda Anderson, wife of Theo. G. Anderson of Sanders township, died on Feb. 14 from influenza. Deceased was 22 years old. Interment took place in Landstadt cemetery on Feb. 17.

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As I am contemplating other extensive improvements in the city, I will offer for sale four houses, all modern, on Fourth St. N., between Main and LaBree avenues, at $2500 each. I also have other property that I will sell at 20 per cent less than it will cost to build them at the present prices. It will pay you to look this up if you want to buy a home.

f19 M. V. EVENSON.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Agnette Torsen.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Agnette Torsen, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Ingeborg Pederson, Eliza Anderson, Anna Olson, Gena Amelia Lindquist, Olga Rolland, Clara Seaverson, Mary Carlson, Julia Sevre, Oscar Sevre, Henry Sevre, Albert Sevre and Emma Sevre, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of N. K. Anderson having been filed in this Court, representinb that Agnette Torsen, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of January, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to N. K. Anderson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 18th day of February, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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Contractors Notice.

Bids will be received by the Wylie Farmers Elevator & Merchants Co., for putting a concrete foundation under the elevator, and also for building a machinery warehouse. Plans and specifications to be seen at the company's office at Wylie, Minn. All bids to be in the company's office on or before the 3rd day of April, 1920.

The Company reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. BERGSTROM,
f19-26 Manager.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of John B. Engen.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Engen, Decedent.

The Sbate of Minnesota to Christian Engen, Ella Hammersten, Henrietta Refness, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Peter Refness having been filed in this court, representing that John B. Engen, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 12th day of Feb. 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Alfred Hammersten, and the court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

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O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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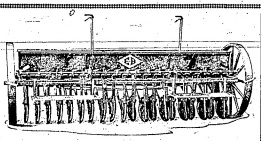

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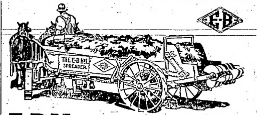

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AGED MAN KILLS SELF; FOILED IN MURDER EFFORT

WENZEL KESSLER, 62, FIRES THREE SHOTS AT MRS. W. J. WINTER.

NONE TAKE EFFECT AND CRAZED MAN TURNS WEAPON ON HIMSELF.

WAS ON GOOD TERMS WITH FAMILY AND NO CAUSE IS KOWN.

Wenzel Kessler, an unmarried man 62 years of age, died at the Physicians hospital last evening as the result of a revolver shot wound inflicted by himself with suicidal intent on Monday evening. Before firing the shot which ended his own life he tried to murder Mrs. William Winters, wife of the man on whose farm he was employed, located about eight miles southeast of the city in Smiley township.

No cause for the act can be assigned, the man having at all times appeared perfectly rational and well satisfied with his surroundings. He has no relatives in this country and was something of a floater, having before coming to this section been a resident of Stearns and Mahnomen counties. Previous to that nothing is known of his history. Kessler had been in the employ of Mr. Winters since last December, was competent and industrious and well thought of by all the members of the family.

Sent to Do Chores.

On Monday afternoon the suicide was out with Mr. Winters sawing wood. Toward evening he was instructed to go to the house and begin doing the chores, Mr. Winter remaining in the wood lot. After his arrival at the house the following story of his doings is told by Mrs. Winter: He went upstairs and removed the heavy clothing in which he had been working and came down again with a .22 calibre revolver in his hand. Approaching Mrs. Winter, who was seated at the sewing machine, he stated that he was determined to kill himself but did not intend to "go alone," at the same time firing at her. The shot struck the machine and Mrs. Winter, leaped toward her assailant. A second shot went into the wall above the woman's head. In the struggle both fell to the floor, where the crazed man sat on his intended victim while he again pulled the trigger. Mrs. Winter managed to push the revolver to one side and the bullet entered the floor alongside her head. Exerting all her strength Mrs. Winter dislodged her assailant and, grabbing him by the hair, pulled him to the door and flung him out, locking herself in against further molestation.

Shot Through Head.

Shortly after this she heard the sound of a revolver from the rear of the house and going out found Kessler had shot himself. Fearing to in any manner touch the wounded man she gave the alarm by telephone, notifying Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh of the occurrance. In company with Coroner H. W. Froehlich, Mr. Midderigh hastened to the scene and found Kessler where he had fallen, no attempt having been made to move him. He was taken to the hospital in this city where it was at once seen that there was no hope for his recovery, an X-ray picture showing that the bullet had gone clear through the head and lodged on the opposite side from where it entered. He lingered until Tuesday afternoon without regaining consciousness.

The funeral was held yesterday, the county footing the cost.

Another Pioneer Gone.

John Deutschman, 46 years of age, a resident of Red Lake Falls since 1892, died last Saturday of pneumonia after a week's illness. Deceased was born in Austria and has made the neighboring city his home since coming to this country. He had many acquaintances among the people in Pennington county who will regret to learn of his death. A wife and four children survive.

CONVENTION OF G. O. P. CALLED

WILL SELECT DELEGATES TO DISTRICT AND STATE CONVENTIONS.

An official call states that Republicans of the county will hold a convention on March 17 for the purpose of electing six delegates to the state convention to be held at the auditorium in St. Paul on Saturday, March 20, and also seven delegates to the district convention which is to be held at Fergus Falls on Friday, March 19. This district convention will select the delegates to attend the Republican national convention in Chicago on June 8, while the state convention will select 12 presidential electors for the election to be held this fall.

The primaries for the election of delegates to these county conventions will be held in each voting precinct of the county on Monday, March 15, from 7:30 until 9 o'clock, at the regular voting place.

The call states that the state central committee will furnish the ballots for use in the presidential preferential elections, but there seems to be some doubt concerning this. It is also set forth that all women voters are permitted to take part in the primaries and conventions, this being the first time in the history of the state that this privilege has been extended.

The only requirements in order to participate in these primaries is that the voter shall pledge that he or she will support the candidates and subscribe to the principles of the Republican party at the general election in November.

WOULD GO TO BIG CHICAGO MEETING

DANIEL SHAW IS CANDIDATE FOR DELEGATE TO REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

For the first time in its history Pennington county asks recognition for one of its citizens as a delegate to a major political convention. The name of Daniel Shaw is presented as a representative from the Ninth district to the meeting which will name the next candidate of the Republican party for president.

In this section of the state no question exists but what Mr. Shaw should be awarded this honor. For 20 years he has been a resident of the district and never once during that time has his allegiance to the Republican party wavered. He has voted for its candidates and supported its policies year in and year out—and always for the purpose of assisting the other follow. Never has he asked anything for himself and it is even now at the behest of his friends that he permits his name to be used. A man more entitled to the honor the district could scarcely produce.

Mr. Shaw is particularly well known in the northern counties and will without doubt go to Fergus Falls on March 19 with practically the solid backing of the delegates from that section. His record is such that his candidacy will command support from the other portions as well. He has never held public office, except serving one term as county commissioner resigning that position for business reasons. He was chairman of the delegation from Red Lake county to the state convention in 1910, this being before the formation of Pennington county.

There never has been a question of Mr. Shaw's regularity. He even stood by President Taft in his fight for re-election when most of the people in this section deserted him. As a Republican there is not a stain on his escutcheon.

Two delegates and two alternates will be chosen. One of the former will in all probability be awarded to the southern end of the district while the north will be found almost solidly behind Mr. Shaw. His selection would be a deserved tribute.

PAVING MATTER HEARD MARCH 19

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS WILL BE ISSUED NEXT WEEK.

The notice of hearing in the matter of paving certain streets in Thief River Falls will be published in The Times next week. Every property owner in the district will be notified of the city's intention to make the improvement and that his holdings will be assessed to defray the costs of that part of the pavement abutting his frontage. The date of hearing has been set for Friday, March 19, at which time all persons interested will have an opportunity of being heard for or against the proposition.

Should it at that time be decided to go ahead with the project bids will be advertised for, this taking another two weeks at least. At the end of that time the contract may be let if any offers are found satisfactory and the council so sees fit. This will take the matter well into April before the actual work can be begun. While this is a little later than the council would like to have matters finally settled, there is no way in which they can be speeded up.

Appointed District Chairman.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton of this city has been appointed chairman of the Ninth District Democratic Woman's organization and has begun taking steps to become actively engaged in the coming campaign. As ward chairmen in the city Mrs. Stanton has appointed the following: First ward, Mrs. Andy Craik; Third ward, Mrs. C. Frizzell; Third ward; Mrs. E. E. Zeh; Fourth ward, Mrs. C. R. Crandall.

It is the intention to form a Democratic Woman's organization in every township in the county but the chairmen for these auxillaries have not yet been selected.

MONEY REQUIRED FOR NEW SCHOOL AT LOWEST RATE

DISTRICT STILL HAS MUCH LEEWAY IN AMOUNT STATE WILL FURNISH

TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS OF $298,000 POSSIBLE UNDER PRESENT VALUATION

BOND ELECTION WILL PROBABLY TAKE PLACE SOME TIME IN APRIL

There is no question but that school district No. 18, Pennington county, can secure the money needed for additional school facilities from the state at a four per cent rate of interest. Assurances to that effect have been received during the past week.

On the present valuation of the district a total of $289,000 can be borrowed from the state. Those who have entertained the opinion that the supply from this source had about reached its limit will be suprised to learn that $158,000 could still be had in case it were needed and the state was in a position to supply it. The probabilities are that even the sum required, however, could not be supplied at one time and would be delivered in installments as was the case with the loan made at the time the Northrup building was erected.

Will Call Bond Election.

It will be necessary to hold an election to authorize the issue and it is not likely the preliminaries can be so arranged as to hold this before some time in April. This would still give sufficient time to have the needed improvement in readiness before the opening of school in the fall. Members of the school board have not yet given out any figures as to the probable cost of the addition contemplated. The most feasible plan at the present time seems to be the enlargement of the Knox building in order to relieve the situation on the East side as well as to take care of the normal department now used in the high school. The return of Supt. W. A. Ziegler from attendance at the convention of the National Educational association will be awaited before the plans are definitely announced.

PICK CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATURE

NONPARTISANS HOLDING CONVENTION AT RED LAKE FALLS TODAY.

Walter A. Day was endorsed by the Nonpartisan league convention in Clearwater county as a candidate for re-election to the legislature at a convention held at Bagley on Tuesday.

Today the members of the organization in Pennington and Red Lake counties are holding a convention for the purpose of selecting his running mate on the ticket. There is an implied agreement between the delegates that inasmuch as Senator O. A. Naplin holds over and is a citizen of Pennington county the other two counties in the district shall be permitted to each name one of the candidates for the house. It was stated last evening that no member from Red Lake county had at that time been decided upon for the place.

The following are representing Pennington county: O. A. Naplin, W. H. Quist, Ben Summer, J. M. Thiege, T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls; C. N. Urdahl and O. Uglem, Goodridge; O. O. Hofdahl and Peter Hedeen, Hazel; W. A. Swanson, Rhoda; R. M. Johnson and Eli Sanders, Kratka; E. O. Parnow, C. O. Elg, and Tom Belland, Erie; T. J. Skaar, Mavie; John Nelson, Highlanding.

MOVING PICTURE OF NEAR EAST

The near East committee has arranged for a moving picture show and lecutre to be given in the auditorium, Thief River Falls, on Monday next, March 1. The lecture is by Dr. Westenburg, an eye witness to many of the scenes depicted on the screen.

The first lecture will be delivered at 2 p. m., and will be for the special benefit for out-of-town people, closing in time for those in attendance to catch the Great Northern train going south and the electric train going east. The second lecture will be delivered at 8 p. m., and will be for the benefit of the city folk who may not be able to attend in the afternoon.

These lectures are intended to give the public some idea of the appalling conditions prevailing in Syria and Armenia. They are free to all and the public is urged to sieze this opportunity both for its intrinsic interest and its educational advantages.

LIGHT QUESTION AGAIN BOBS UP BEFORE COUNCIL

PROPOSAL TO ASSESS REASONABLE RENT AGAINST DEPARTMENT DISCUSSED

CITY ATTORNEY H. O. CHOMMIE CALLS ATTENTION TO FAULTS IN PRESENT SYSTEM.

COUNCILMEN AGREE THAT THE LIGHT CONSUMERS ARE NOT BEING WELL USED

Every so often the subject of somehow getting the public utilities of the city on a different footing comes up for discussion before the council. Everyone connected in any way with the municipal government seems to be convinced that the present method of doing business is most unsatisfactory, but thus far nothing in the way of a change has ever been able to get by the objections raised on the outside.

The matter came up on Tuesday evening in connection with the proposal that the water and light department, together with other divisions, be required to pay a certain sum as rental for the auditorium. An ordinance will be required in order to make such a step possible and City Attorney H. O. Chommie was instructed to have one ready for presentation at the next meeting.

Special Fund Wrong.

Mr. Chommie called the attention of the council to a matter that has received the consideration of each succeeding city attorney for some time. He said that the keeping of the moneys collected from electric light users in a separate fund was in his judgment contrary to law as well as against good business policy. The money should be applied the same as all other receipts of the city and the expenses of the light and water plant provided for every year by budget. It is unfair to the electric light user, said Mr. Chommie, to apply to other purposes the money he pays for this particular service and the system of so doing would eventually get the city into trouble. Building up a huge surplus on the books while at the same time using the money wherever needed he considered the reverse of good policy and urged that the practice be stopped.

Council Agrees Fully.

Councilman Ihle said that he was in favor of the thingsemfwypfwyp in favor of the change being made before further damage was done and suggested a commission for the management of public utilities as one of the ways to help get out of the difficulty. This met with general approval on the part of the council and it is probable that something along this line will be undertaken when the new ordinance is introduced.

BONUS MONEY IS WELCOMED HERE

SEVERAL OF THE BOYS MADE HAPPY BY RECEIPT OF STATE'S CHECK.

The bonus checks for the boys who were in the service from Minnesota are beginning to arrive and as a consequence several Eklund Post men are comparatively "flush" just now. So far as post headquarters has been informed only five Pennington county men have as yet been reached, these being Leo Millar, Fred Scanlan, Derby Anderson, Lawrence Perkins and Bernhard Burggraf. All were volunteers but this does not account for the fact that they received their bonus ahead of their comrades as no distinction is made by the state. In the case of the volunteer, however, the man's record is found in the office of the state adjutant general whereas that of the national army man is only found in Washington and some time must necessarily elapse before this reaches St. Paul.

The payments thus far made are taken from the first $75,000 available through the disposition of the state's bonds. As soon as the remainder can be properly signed up the money will be forthcoming and the checks will be gotten out at the rate of about 800 per day.

Millar, Scanlan and Burggraf got into the game early and their bonuses amount to in the neighborhood of $300.

FLU HOSPITAL IS NEEDED NO MORE

LAST PATIENT LEAVES AND SPECIAL NURSE EXCUSED FROM SERVICE.

The emergency hospital conducted for the special attention of influenza patients in the Grand hotel building on the South side has been closed. The last patient left some days ago and there has been no indication that a reopening will be necessary. The special nurse, sent here at the request of the local Red Cross chapter, has closed her engagement and returned to St. Paul.

From first to last there were but eight patients in the hospital all told. While the number is not large the circumstances were such that it was absolutely necessary that they be taken care of in specially provided quarters. One or two were taken sick while temporarily in the city and had no place to go while others were so situated that they would not have received proper care in any other way.

The siege was nowhere near as severe as a year ago and indications are that there will be no recurrence. Doctors say there are but one or two cases left in the city and that these are not serious.

DEATH SUMMONS PIONEER BANKER

B. E. BURKEE OF ST. HILAIRE, FALLS VICTIM TO ATTACK OF PNEUMONIA.

B. E. Burkee, cashier of the Merchants State bank of St. Hilaire, for the past 35 years a resident of the village and one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Pennington county, passed away on Monday night, the cause of death being pneumonia.

Deceased came to St. Hilaire when the village was nothing but a settlement in the wilderness and before Thief River Falls was on the map at all. He engaged in the mercantile business which he followed until 18 years ago when he became associated with the bank with which he remained until his death. He was an ideal citizen in all that the word implies and is mourned as a personal friend not only by the people among whom he worked directly but by a wide circle of those with whom he came incidentally into contact as well.

Two children, a son and daughter, besides the widow, survive. The son, E. O. Burkee, has been serving as assistant cashier of the bank for some time and will assume his father's place. The daughter is Mrs. Glenn Martz of St. Hilaire.

DENTAL SERVICE IS OFFERED FREE

DENTISTS APPOINTED IN EVERY COUNTY TO GIVE THEM ASSISTANCE.

The government is interested in seeing that every man who decides to continue in effect the life insurance taken out while he was in the army is as good a risk as it is possible to make him. It also realizes that a man's teeth have more to do with his continued good health and longevity than almost any other part of him. For this reason the war department has appointed one dentist in every county in the United States to whom the men applying for insurance are referred for examination and treatment. Dr. G. A. Penney of Thief River Falls has been assigned to this service in Pennington county and all ex-service men who intend continuing their insurance will be referred to him. The department will send the usual claim sheet to the applicant himself. This is to be filled out and taken to the dentist appointed for the purpose of looking to the ex-soldier's teeth, who will perform whatever work is necessary, the government footing the bill.

Free Tractor School.

The Rambeck & Stone company, located opposite the auditorium in this city, announce that a free tractor school will be held at their place of business on Thurday and Friday, March 4 and 5. Experts from the factories of the Emerson-Brantingham company will be present for the purpose of demonstrating the operation and care of tractors to all who attend. The instructions will be the same as given to the United States army officers during 1917, and are condensed into the shortest possible time with the greatest obtainable efficiency. Any man in this section who at present operates a tractor or expects to secure one in the near future will find it to his advantage to attend these sessions.

Another Solier Returns.

Oscar C. Paulson arrived in this city Saturday evening from Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., where he has been on detached service with the vocational training department since his return from overseas in July last year. Mr. Paulson left this city in January, 1918, together with Ben Bothun and F. J. Burns and enlisted in the 20th Co., 20th Engineers. He was stationed at Washington, D. C., until May 9th and then made his departure for France. His company did construction and forestry work and was at Chenonceaux (Indreet-Loire) for the greatest share of the time while overseas.

AUTO CLUB NOW COVERS COUNTY; NEW DIRECTORS

MANAGING BOARD INCREASED SO AS TO INCLUDE ALL SECTIONS.

COMMITTEES NAMED TO HAVE FULL CHARGE OF SUMMER ACTIVITIES.

NUMEROUS RUNS PLANNED AND SURFACED HIGHWAYS TO BE BOOSTED.

The Pennington County Automobile club was formally made the successor of the Thief River Falls Automobile club at a meeting attended by a large number of autoing and good roads enthusiasts at the office of Judge N. W. Tarrant on Tuesday evening. The membership will hereafter include everyone who cares to join, no matter in what part of the county he may reside. This will provide a much better working and boosting organization and will insure a membership that can accomplish a vast amount of good.

Ten Directors Named.

It was decided that in order to obtain the best results the board of directors should be increased from three to ten, two being appointed from each commissioner district. President George C. Streeter, with the full approval of all present, named the following:

District No. 1—Alfred Hammarsten, Highlanding, and Palmer Tvedt, Goodridge. District No. 2—Daniel Shaw and George T. Hamery, Thief River Falls. District No. 3—J. Swanson, Wylie, and Julius Zwer, St. Hilaire. District No. 4—Gust Fellman, St. Hilaire, and T. K. Rynestad, Thief River Falls. District No. 5—O. J. Peterson, Hazel, and John Arntson, Wanke.

Officers Affirmed.

The officers elected by the original club earlier in the season were confirmed by the new organization. They are as follows: G. C. Streeter, president; L. H. Lawrence, vice president; R. M. Sheldon, treasurer; S. C. Coumbe, secretary.

The standing committees for the year were appointed, these being made up as follows: Good roads, Daniel Shaw, chairman; Nels Christianson, Oluf Tessum, K. A. Sundahl and T. K. Rynestad. Membership, Andy Anderson, chairman; E. M. Bonnes, J. O. Yotter, Alfred Hammarsten and Gust Fellman. Law and ordinance, T. P. Anderson, chairman; F. J. Stebbins, O. A. Rambeck, Julius Zwer and John Arntson. Exhibitions, contests and tours, George T. Hamery, chairman; Palmer Tvedt, John Bratrud, R. M. Sheldon and L. H. Lawrence.

These committees may appoint such assistants in different parts of the county as may seem advisable.

Early Tours Planned.

It is the plan to have a larger number of general auto tours this coming summer than ever before. The committee in charge will constantly have something on this order in hand, the aim being to largely extend the radius of travel. For the present, however, the greatest effort of the club will be directed toward aiding in the passage of the hard surface road amendment to the state constitution.

Mission Church Meeting.

The ministerial conference of the Mission church of the Red River valley will be held in this city beginning on Tuesday, March 2 and continuing until Sunday, March 7. Pastors of the denominations from all over the valley will be in attendance.

The forenoon of each day will be given over to business sessions. In the afternoon there will be discussions and addresses covering different subjects, beginning at 2:30. The evenings will be devoted to Gospel meetings.

To the afternoon and evening meetings the public is cordially invited. Some of the best known pastors in the conference will be present and it will be a week of general revival among the members.

Two Important Meetings.

The fifth annual meeting and election of officers of the Thief River Falls Merchants association will be held at the Evelyn hotel on Monday evening, March 1. This is the most important meeting of the year and it is hoped that the entire membership will be present. Return postal cards have been mailed to all members and these must be returned to Secretary G. Howard Smith not later than Friday, Feb. 27 in order that proper povision for taking care of all those who wish to attend the banquet may be made.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Pennington County Fair association at the commercial club rooms on Saturday, Feb. 28 at 2 p. m., at which important business is to be transacted.

Attend the coffee social in the Swedish church basement Friday afternoon. m26

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WORTH CONSIDERING.

The city council is fully aware of the fact that something should be done in the way of providing a site for a future park, but evidently does not like any of the offers thus far submitted. The Bishop block directly back of the auditorium is for sale and would answer the purpose in most respects, but there is a feeling that the price asked is too high. Squaw Point is likely out of reach for the same reason and is besides located too far from the center of the city.

There is, however, one proposition to which some consideration should be given. This is the acquiring of what is known as the Elder triangle at the foot of Third street. It is not of as great extent as the others, but has numerous merits which the latter lack. In the first place it is on the river bank and in the center of the city. These are advantages which go a long way toward making up for shortcomings in other respects. There is no doubt but that our citizens are almost unanimous in the opinion that anything in the way of a park should be located on the river bank if this is possible, and the Elder property is about the only unoccupied piece meeting this requirement.

It is understood that this tract can be secured for $1800. If such is the case the city would make money if it were purchased and used for nothing but a dumping ground for the overburden that must be removed from our streets before paving can be undertaken. There will be thousands of loads of this surface material and it must be dumped some place. The farther it is hauled the greater will be the cost. By acquiring the Elder tract two birds would be killed with one stone. A place would be provided for the depositing of the street material and this would in turn serve in reclaiming the tract, which is at present too low to be of much value for any purpose.

The city would probably be money ahead if something were to be paid for the privilege of dumping this cast-off street surface onto these lots instead of hauling it to some point farther away. But this would be poor business. The property is needed as a recreation ground and boat landing and is the only spot in the city limits meeting these requirements. Its cost would be saved at the outset by economy in getting rid of refuse from the streets. As the place would have to be filled in in any event the advantages would be two-fold.

At any rate the proposition is worth considering.

WHO WILL MAKE THE START?

House rents are going to take a jump in Thief River Falls unless more buildings are erected forthwith. There is not at the present time a single business building or a modern residence to be had at any price and every apartment house is filled to capacity. Under these conditions only two things can happen—more buildings will have to be put up or rents will have to be raised.

In spite of the prevailing opinion to the contrary, this is a pretty good time to build. Material is high as against pre-war prices, but so are wages. When compared with other commodities construction materials have certainly not advanced unreasonably—a fact well worth considering. This may mean that the top has not yet been reached in this class of goods, in which case the man who builds now will be the gainer. Any person who expects the cost of construction to get down to where it was six or seven years ago is wasting his time in the first place and hoping for something that had better not happen in the next place. A crash is even more to be dreaded than a continuance of approximately the present conditions.

But we need houses—business houses and dwelling houses. The reason we have none at the present time is that they have not proven particularly good investments in the past. While it is not likely that the man who pays rent will agree with us, the fact is that he has not been paying enough to make the construction of buildings an attractive proposition. This situation will change and then there will be a greater inducement for men to build for themselves.

Building now will prove a good investment, not only in the city but on the farm as well. The man in town will be protecting himself against the higher rents that are bound to come and the farmer will be putting himself in position to take better advantage of the present prices for his products.

BARGAINS STILL TO BE FOUND.

This is the time of year when the stores in cities of all sizes find it necessary to reduce their stocks in order to provide room for the steadily arriving spring goods. It is also the time for clearing out such wares as the merchant does not care to hold over until another season. And herein lies a big advantage to the buying public.

The goods offered are absolutely all right in every respect, but rather than carry them along to another season the wideawake business man prefers to sell them at a discount and secure in their place something that will keep turning over. The discounts quoted are as genuine as the goods and no one need hesitate to take advantage of the offers made for fear that they are not getting their money's worth.

It has been demonstrated in Thief River Falls during the past week that in spite of the general contention that people are not looking for bargains they are very much alive to any situation that offers a reduction in the cost of things. The stores where special inducements were offered report that never in their history was the response more unmistakable. This is a good sign. Prices will remain where they are as long as the buying public will pay them without a complaint. When there is a tendency to look for something a little cheaper there will be a turn for the better.

The one sure way to keep posted on these bargain opportunities is to read the advertisements in The Times. It is the tried and trustworthy medium used by all progressive merchants in the city and the announcements found in its columns can always be depended on.

No person has a right to kick on high prices unless advantage is taken of the fact that lower prices are offered. The way to keep posted on the subject is to read the advertisements in The Times.

THE WAY IT WORKS OUT.

While the primary object of the Babcock good roads law is the connecting up the different county seats in the state by modern hardsurfaced highways, its benefits will extend much farther than this. Although it is not generally realized the fact is that the lateral roads will be benefitted to almost as great an extent by the adoption of this measure as will those selected as main arteries.

Pennington county, for instance, now receives about $17,500 per year as state highway aid. Of this sum 30 per cent, or $5,250, must be used for maintenance. Out of this item $3,600 per year, or $600 per month for six months is now paid out for patrol and upkeep. In case the Babcock law is passed all this would be taken care of by the maintenance clause in that measure, thus releasing this amount to be applied on the smaller roads. In addition all replacement and upkeep cost on the hard-surfaced thoroughfare would be taken over by the state, adding a still greater sum to that which the different counties would have to expend on the side lines. The plan is the most thorough ever conceived for insuring a net-work of high grade roads into every section of a county.

The objection is sometimes advanced that the bill makes the automobile owner pay the cost of this hard-surfaced road, whereas its construction would benefit everybody. Strictly speaking, such is not the case. The automobiles would be directly taxed, it is true, but this tax would be in lieu of all other assessments. Automobiles and trucks would be removed from the personal property lists and be assessed only on weight and horsepower. The money now derived from this class of taxation would have to be made up in other directions and the general public would in this manner pay at least a small share of the cost of these roads.

As the provisions of the Babcock law become better understood all opposition disappears. The plan is so sane, the distribution of cost so equitable and the benefits to be derived so general that by the time election day rolls around only those who are constitutionally opposed to everything will be found arrayed against it.

The Baudette Region is sixteen years old. During twelve of these years Billy Noonan has been the motive power behind the paper and has made it one of the best known in the state. It is not often that a newspaper man is found who fits his environment so exactly as does Noonan. One cannot imagine any kind of Baudette without the Region and it is just as impossible to conceive of a newspaper up there without Billy at its head. It is a case of mutual appreciation, fully merited.

The Farmer's Grievance.
(Minneapolis Journal.)

Justly or unjustly, the farmer has a grievance against the middleman. From the plain evidence his conclusion appears to him sound. He sells his potatoes for one to two dollars a bushel, and he finds them retailing in the city at five. He draws the conclusion that he has not been dealt with fairly—and the evidence supports his view of the case.

The farmer needs the encouragement of just treatment in the matter of distribution of his product. There is too much mystery about the sale of produce other than [illegible]. The farmer can follow his grain to the final buyer. It is all in the open. We believe it is a sound system. At least the farmer has not been able to suggest a better. He knows in advance what every charge is to be. He has representation on the appeal boards and receives full information, in order that he may be satisfi[illegible] that he is being tr[illegible] justly. But when it comes to poultry, produce and other products the business is carried on under cover, and neither the consumer nor the producer has any idea of what is [illegible]pening.

The new, soft, light weight Spring Hats are beginning to arrive, and this is our invitation to men who like to be a step or two ahead of the crowd to come in and look them over. We emphasize especially a new line of rough finished felts with bound or raw edges, at

$6 to $12

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On account of going into other lines I am offering all my good renting property—Houses, Flats and Duplexes for sale at 75c on the dollar at the present rated value of our dollar. All of these properties are bringing rents to pay big interest on the investment. Investigate this now before the other fellow picks it up.

M. V. EVENSON

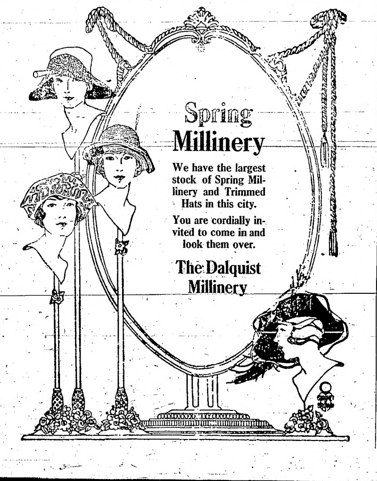

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You are cordially invited to come in and look them over.

The Dalquist Millinery

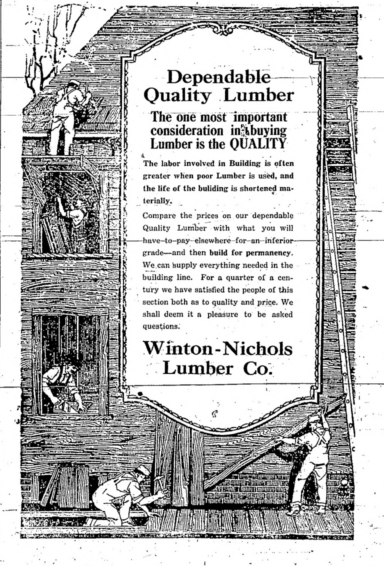

Dependable Quality Lumber

The one most important consideration in buying Lumber is the QUALITY

The labor involved in Building is often greater when poor Lumber is used, and the life of the buliding is shortened materially.

Compare the prices on our dependable Quality Lumber with what you will have to pay elsewhere for an inferior grade—and then build for permanency.

We can supply everything needed in the building line. For a quarter of a century we have satisfied the people of this section both as to quality and price. We shall deem it a pleasure to be asked questions.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

Local Notes

H. S. Dahlen was in Goodridge on business Thursday.

P. B. Malber· was a business visitor in Warren, Thursday.

O. A. Westin attended to business matters in Warren on Friday.

Albert Coyle left for Mavie on a short business trip on Friday.

John Sorenson spent Thursday in Rosewood attending to business matters.

Mrs. James Johnson visited her parents, who [illegible] in Rosewood, on Thursday.

I. Senum of Silverton was in this city on Friday attending to matters of business.

Roy Hawley of Grand Forks was a business caller in this city on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Protz are the happy parents of a daughter, born on February 20.

Selmer Gangness left for Goodridge on Thursday to attend to business matters.

Miss Inga Thune arrived Wednesday from Hazel to visit with Miss Julia Johnson.

Mrs. Ed. Hilson and Mrs. William Herron spent Thursday in Viking visiting with fri[illegible]

H. M. Evanstad left on Friday for Goodridge to conduct a meeting of the American Yeomen.

Matt Neid arrived last week to be the guest of Miss Leah Paquin, of this city, for a few days.

Peter Flo of Baker, Mont., who is visiting friends here, was a visitor in Goodridge on Thursday.

Gaylord Arness of this city left for Bemidji on Friday, where he expects to be employed in a garage.

J. C. Kelly le[illegible] on Wednesday for the twin cities on a short business trip, returning on [illegible]

Emil Evenson of Browning, Mont. is in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

George Kassa left for his home in Goodridge Thursday, after spending a day in this city on business.

Miss Hilma Olson and John Rubeck left Thursday for Warren where they will visit friends for a few days.

Fred DuChamp, after spending Thursday in this city on business, left for his home at Mavie on Friday.

Mrs. R. F. Matslion arrived Thursday from Elkton, S. D., and intends to make this city her future home.

John Sjolsvold, who is employed by the Soo, left on Friday for Rosewood to visit at his home for a few days.

Alfred Johnson, who has been visiting with relatives in this city, left Friday for his home at Plaza, N. D.

Miss Gerda Mortenson left on Friday evening for her home in Fosston, where she was a guest over Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Johnson, who has been visiting with friends in this city, left for her home at Viking on Thursday.

Miss Hanna Johnson left for Hazel on Friday where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Borgie, for a few days.

George C. Hope and mother, from this city, left for Grygla on Friday where they expect to be employed on a farm.

S. R. Robinson arrived on Monday evening from his home in Oslo, to visit his wife who is ill at the Physicians hospital.

Miss Rachel Baker left for her home in Goodridge Friday after being a guest of Miss Ruvella Leslin, in this city.

Oscar Hagen, accompanied by A. Johnson, both of St. Hilaire, were in this city on Friday receiving medical treatment.

Miss Lottie Austin left on Thursday morning for Fosston where she will spend a week visiting at the home of her parents.

F. H. Herrick returned the latter part of last week from a trip to the twin cities where he attended to business matters.

Oscar Smith, state oil inspector, made a business trip to Oklee on Friday morning, returning to this city in the evening.

Ole Granum, who is temporarily employed in a bank in St. Hilaire, spent Sunday at the home of his parents in this city.

Miss Agnes Lonson arrived here on Saturday evening from Gonvick, where she is engaged in teaching school and will spend a week visiting at her home here, when the school is reopened at that place.

John Sorenson left on Saturday evening with a carload of stock for the Twin Cities and eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Enderlie of Plummer, were visitors and shoppers in this city between trains on Saturday evening.

Miss Anna Hoffman returned to Grand Forks on Thursday afternoon after visiting with friends in this city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hanson, formerly of this city, left for Kelliher on Friday where they plan on making their future home.

Miss Marie Erickson returned to Alvarado on Monday morning after visiting in this city over Sunday at the home of her parents.

Miss Thelma White arrived last week and has accepted a position as clerk in the dry goods department at Lokens' department store.

Mrs. L. Sockstad left for her home at Holt on Saturday morning after visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Leiran in this city.

Miss Irene Lanager visited in this city on Friday evening between trains enroute to her home in Plummer, where she visited over Sunday.

Axel Red and two children of Spooner left on Thursday afternoon for St. Hilaire, where the latter will remain for an indefinite period.

Fred Hobbs of Forest River, N. D., visited with friends in this city on Wednesday enroute to Minneapolis, where he expects to be employed.

Willie Bakke came down from Holt on Thursday afternoon and spent the day visiting with friends. He returned to his home on Friday morning.

Miss Hannah Gustafson arrived in this city Friday morning from Crookston where she spent a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Mable McGinnity arrived on Friday evening from Brooks where she is teaching school and visited over Sunday at her home in this city.

Mrs. Nina Anderson of Rosewood arrived on Thursday evening and is spending a few days visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. John Sorenson.

Miss May Wilson left on Thursday morning for her home in Gatzke after spending a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Nels Fountaine in this city.

Mrs. A. Simonson returned to her home at Steiner on Saturday morning after a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rupprecht in this city.

Miss Clara Gunstad arrived on Saturday morning from St. Hilaire and visited for a short time with her sister, Miss Rose, who attends the local high school.

Miss Irene Lanager, who attends the school of dressmaking in this city, returned here on Thursday evening after having spent a few days at home at Plummer.

John Graff from Goodri[illegible] with his sisters, Em[illegible] [illegible]abel Graff, Thursday, le[illegible] [illegible]he evening for R[illegible] [illegible]ere he expe[illegible] to b[illegible]

Miss Bert[illegible] [illegible]ckson departed on Monday mor[illegible]ing for Oklee, where she is engaged in teaching school after a two weeks' vacation as a result of the flu situation.

Miss Gerda Meleander, who has been the guest of her parents at Goodridge, passed through this city on Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks where she is employed.

Miss Petra Olson arrived on Saturday morning from Crookston, where she is employed and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Olson in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schreiter returned to their home in Red Lake Falls on Friday afternoon having spent a brief visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar, in this city.

Mrs. W. A. Schroeder and children, accompanied by Miss Wood, both of Brooks, visited between trains in this city enroute to Minneapolis where they will visit for a week or ten days with friends and relatives.

Mrs. K. Gronvold and two children of Holt left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis where her son will receive medical treatment. While there they will also visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. C. Swenson.

Miss Olava Solem, who is attending school in Minneapolis, visited with friends in this city on Friday enroute to her home at Holt, where she will remain until her health is improved. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Gunhild.

Misses Ruby Bennes, Ella Krohn, Helen Warner, Helen Langseth and Lula Cook accompanied the girls' basket ball team to Warren to witness the game between the Thief River Falls Girls and the Warren girls on Friday.

Miss Gaya Olson arrived in this city Thursday evening from Kennedy, where she had been visiting at the home of her sister. While here she was the guest of Miss Ruth Evenson. She returned to her home in Middle River on Friday morning.

Mrs. A. A. Wilson of Inkster, N. D., arrived on Thursday morning and is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Joseph Zavoral. Mrs. Zavoral was once employed as bookkeeper in the store owned by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson at the above mentioned place.

A. P. Nelson and daughter, Miss Ruth, arrived on Thursday afternoon from their home in Gatzke and will spend a few days visiting with their friends. Mr. Nelson attended to business affairs in Warren the following day, returning in the evening.

Mrs. D. B. Bakke, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Ben Dokken and two children of Holt, visited in this city on Thursday evening enroute to Minneapolis, where they were met by Mr. Dokken, who accompanied them to Colorado Springs, where they will remain for the remainder of the winter months.

Miss Phyllis Dock, who is attending school in Greenbush arrived here on Saturday afternoon to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Anna Dock over Sunday.

Misses Alvina Jonas and Nettie Ove departed on Saturday evening for the cities, where they visited with friends returning to this city on Tuesday morning.

Miss Olga Nettum, stenographer at the First National Bank, departed on Saturday afternoon for Crookston where she was the guest of her parents over Sunday.

Normen Holen of Minneapolis, arrived in this city on Saturday evening from Argyle at which place he had attended to matters of business. Mr. Holen will be the guest of friends in this city for a few days before returning to his home.

Miss Gladys Smith returned to Walker, Minn., on Monday morning, to resume her duties as teacher in the city schools. Miss Smith has been the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, for the past three weeks, the schools in that place having been closed for that period of time, because of the flu.

T. M. Thronson of the First and Peoples State bank, left Saturday evening for Colorado, having received the sad news that his brother had died there of the flu. Deceased left for the Southwest some time ago, being threatened with tuberculosis. He was getting along very well and had started working when he contracted influenza with fatal results.

Miss Dorothy Evenson, who came from Plummer about a month ago, and who has been very ill at the emergency hospital, is very low today. Her mother came from Thief River Falls last night, and her father has been summoned. She was taken ill with the flu about two weeks ago, and it has developed into typhoid. Miss Evenson is a niece of the Messrs. Lafave of Baudette.—Region.

They couldn't be built now for twice $71,000

When the talk turns from politics to railroads, and the traveler with the cocksure air breaks in with, "There's an awful lot of 'water' in the railroads," here are some hard-pan facts to give him:

American railroads have cost $80,900 a mi[illegible] —roadbed, structures, stations, yards, terminals, freight and passenger trains—everything from the great city terminals to the last spike.

A good concrete-and-asphalt highway costs $36,000 a mile—just a bare road, not counting the cost of culverts, bridges, etc.

Our railroads couldn't be duplicated today for $150,000 a mile.

They are capitalized for only $71,000 a mile—[illegible]uch less than their actual value. Seventy-one [illegible]ousand dollars today will buy one locomotive.

[illegible]nglish railways are capitalized at $274,000 a mile; the French at $155,000; German $132,000; even in Canada (still in pioneer development) they are capitalized at $67,000 a mile. The average for all foreign countries is $100,000.

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This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York

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Splendid promotions were recently earned by two former pupils of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. This school's practical training has laid the foundation for many successful ca[illegible]s.

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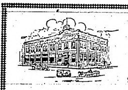

Auction Sale Arrangements

If you are planning to hold an auction sale during the coming spring, we suggest that you come in and advise us of your dates at once.

We will be pleased to take charge of the financial part of the sale, act as clerk and make all settlements in your behalf.

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The wonderful *Triplex* Springs of Overland 4 effect such a change in riding comfort that bad roads now seem to ride like good roads.

Overland 4 has the steadiness of larger cars of long wheelbase, with the light weight, ease of control and low fuel and tire expense of 100-inch wheelbase.

Equipment, including Auto-Lite starting and lighting and three-speed transmission, is high class, in keeping with the general character of the car.

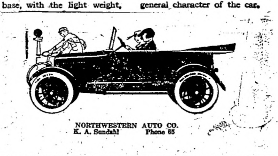

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SCHOOL BOARDS ASKED TO SEND DELEGATES HERE

MEETING ON MARCH 6 TO DISCUSS QUESTION OF TEACHERS' WAGES.

CHOOSE REPRESENTATIVES FOR COUNTY AT STATE MEETING IN MINNEAPOLIS.

RURAL BOARDS MUST HEREAFTER SECURE TEACHERS WITHOUT SUPT'S. AID.

County Superintendent George M. Gunderson has issued a circular to the clerks of all school boards calling attention to the text of a communication sent out by the state educational authorities and asking that all rural boards select one delegate to attend a meeting at the Lincoln high school in this city on Saturday, March 6. Mr. Gunderson's circular setting forth the purposes of this meeting is as follows:

To School Clerks: Upon receipt of these circular letters from the state board of education, I believe it to be a good plan to call a meeting of your school board, consult with them and agree upon the sending of a representative of your school district to a county conference to be held at the Lincoln school in Thief River Falls on Saturday, March 6, 1920, at 1:30 p. m.

"At this conference steps will be taken to elect at least one school officer to represent Pennington county at the state conference to be held in Minneapolis.

Is Important Matter

"If you fail to make this provision, your school must necessarily stand the consequences in regards to increase of teachers' salaries. In connection with your neglect to do this you will have no end to your trouble in trying to employ non-qualified teachers in conformity with the rules laid down by the state board of education. In employing a permit teacher you will then have the following procedure to contend with: Apply direct to the department of education for a permit for your teacher; show to the satisfaction of said department that you have tried to employ a qualified teacher without results; that you have offered a reasonable salary for the services of a qualified teacher without avail. After your appeal to the state department and they are unable to supply your school with a qualified teacher you will, too late, begin to realize your mistake in not attending this conference of school officers.

Must Hire Own Teacher.

"In the future the question of obtaining teachers will rest entirely with the school board. You will not be able then as in the past to write your superintendent and say: 'We are unable to employ a qualified teacher, please furnish us with a permit teacher.' This privilege of the county superintendent will terminate by state board rulings.

"If you are against this proposition of state board origin, make it known thru your representative to the county and state conferences. If you fail to be represented this will be construed to mean you are in favor of these rules.

As To Expenses.

"The school laws authorize the county superintendent to approve of only one expense account statement for school officers meetings. Since one such meeting has already been held, the school board of each district must meet the expenses of their delegate to the county conference.

"At this county conference steps will be taken to elect one or more representatives to the state meeting and provide for the payment of their expenses. The county attorney has promised to be present and vouch for that our proceedings will be legal."

Election at Bemidji.

As the result of one of the most spectacular political campaigns for several years, L. F. Johnson was last week elected mayor of Bemidji, with the majority of nine votes over his opponent, Morris Kaplan. Johnson received 544 votes, and Kaplan 535. The contest had been a rather exciting one as the attitude of Kaplan during the war figured largely in the campaign, and excited much comment.

The fight for the office of city assessor was also quite close, J. P. Lahr winning out by a majority of 88 votes over M. C. Clyde.

The issue of $185,000 paving bonds for the city was carried by an overwhelming majority.

FARMERS TO ASK MANY QUESTIONS

WILL WANT TO KNOW WHERE ALL PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES STAND.

An Associated Press dispatch from Washington states that entrance of 7,000,000 American farmers as a unit into the political arena was forecast last week when the national board of farmer organizations decided that all presidential candidates should be put on record as to their attitude toward questions in which farmers are interested. Each candidate will be asked to answer a questionnaire so his position will be unmistakable.

The resolution proposing this procedure was presented to the annual conference of the board. A committee will frame the questionnaire.

HAVE NO EFFECT ON WAGE STATUS

RETURN OF ROADS WILL NOT PREVENT NEGOTIATIONS BEING CONTINUED.

Assurance has been given railroad labor organizations by the railroad administration that return of the roads March 1 would not affect negotiations now pending as to the interpretations of the various wage agreements which were made with the labor groups during Federal control.

Director General Hines announced that while the divisions of operations and labor as such would be discontinued March 1, representatives of the railroad administration would carry to a conclusion consideration of all grievances. He named C. S. Lake and J. A. Franklin as his assistants to supervise and recommend final disposition of these questions.

Many of the labor demands provide for retroactive pay. In view of this Mr. Hines has authorized railroad boards of adjustment to continue to receive and hear questions which ordinarily would come to them for settlement under existing wage agreements.

Mr. Hines announced that W. S. Carter, director of the division of labor, had arranged to resume his duties as president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen March 1. W. T. Tyler, director of the division of operations, will become vice president of the Northern Pacific railroad company when he leaves the railroad administration.

Mrs. Chas. Horr and son, Wyman, who have been guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. W. J. LaBree in this city, returned to their home at Duluth on Friday evening.

BIG DOLL FREE

HAS REAL CURLY HAIR
Stands Nearly Half a Yard High

Can You Solve the Dolly PUZZLE?

In the picture of Dolly on the left are a number of hidden faces. See how many you can find. Some are looking at you—some show sides of faces—you'll find them upside down; in the folds of Dolly's dress, and every way. Mark each face you find with an X. If you find 10 hidden faces you have solved the Dolly Puzzle.

I Have a Big Doll Like This for You

This is not a cloth doll to stuff, but a regular baby doll. She stands nearly half a yard high and is all dressed up in a dear little "go-to-school" dress. You'll be the proudest girl in the neighborhood when you get this doll. The big blue eyes, the peaches and cream complexion, the little rosebud mouth and real curly hair makes this the handsomest and sweetest doll you could possibly imagine. You'll just love her to death, she is so cute and pretty.

Every Little Girl Can Have a Dolly Like This for Her Very Own.

Mark all the faces you can find. Don't give up too easily. If at first you find it a little hard to solve the puzzle. When you have found 10 faces, write your name and address on the coupon, clip out Dolly's picture and mail without delay with the Puzzle Coupon below.

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IS 75 BUT WORKS LIKE YOUNG MAN

GAINS 15 POUNDS—FEELS HE HAS NEW LEASE ON LIFE SINCE TAKING TANLAC.

"I have gained fifteen pounds in weight since I began taking Tanlac and while I am 75 years old I can do as much hard work as most men years younger than I am," said C. H. McKenny, who resides at 511 Payne Avenue, St. Paul, Minn., recently. Continuing, he said:

"While, as I said before, I am hale and hearty and able to do my share of hard work, I could not do it before I took Tanlac. In fact, I could not work more than half the time, and when I did anything at all I was so weak and tired out I would just have to drag myself around. For the past two years I have been gradually losing weight and strength, having gone from 155 to 134 pounds, and felt tired and worn out all the time. I had scarcely any appetite at all and my stomach gave me a great deal of trouble, for when I would force myself to eat a little something it would sour and I would bloat something awful from gas, and have terrible griping pains. I was also bothered with my back and would have the worst sort of sharp pains running through it nearly all the time and it was with the greatest difficulty I could stoop over and straighten up again. My nerves were in bad shape and I was as restless at night it was next to impossible for me to get a good night's sleep, and I would get up in the morning completely tired out.

"I had been reading a great deal about Tanlac in the news papers and decided to give it a trial, and it just seemed to be exactly the medicine I needed as I began to improve immediately after taking the first few doses, and while I only took six bottles in all, I weigh 148 pounds and at the rate I am regaining my weight I will soon weigh as much as I ever did and more besides. I have a fine appetite and everything I eat agrees with me perfectly. I sleep like a log every night and always get up in the morning feeling ready for my day's work, and I never miss a single day now. My back never troubles me any at all and I never have an ache or pain of any kind. Tanlac certainly straightened me out and gave me a new lease on life and I am only too glad to let others know about what it has done for me and what they may expect from it."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store.—adv.

PEACE TREATY IS STILL IN THE AIR

NO RATIFICATION IN SIGHT WITH OR WITHOUT LODGE RESERVATIONS.

Three "acid test" rollcalls on Saturday demonstrated beyond doubt that a majority of the senate still regards the original Lodge treaty reservations as the "irreducible minimum" and that all efforts to modify or weaken them in any way are doomed to failure. These were the first votes on the treaty since ratification failed in November.

They indicated with equal clearness that the democrats still are standing unflinchingly behind President Wilson in sufficient numbers to prevent ratification with the Lodge reservations, and that hopes of any considerable break in the administration ranks have been groundless.

Abandoned by the "irreconcilables," Senator H. C. Lodge met defeat in his efforts to change his own reservations. The first of his own program of modifications was rejected by the narrow margin of 33 to 32, 10 republican "irreconcilables" joining with the democrats to produce this result.

Senator G. M. Hitchcock, democratic leader, likewise met two decisive reverses. An amendment which he proposed to the first Lodge reservation was beaten, 38 to 26, but on a final showdown on the original Lodge reservation, the democratic leader showed he still could command sufficient support to block any ratification not satisfactory to President Wilson.

ANOTHER BEMIDJI GAME PROPOSED

SUGGESTED THAT LEGION BASKETBALL TEAMS MEET ON NEUTRAL FLOOR.

Basketball fans may have an opportunity of finding out which Legion basketball team is the best—that of Gracie Post, Bemidji, or of Eklund Post, Thief River Falls. The following from the Bemidji Pioneer indicates how the people over there feel about it:

"From the present outlook it is safe to say that another "full of pep" contest will be staged soon between the local American Legion basketball team and the Thief River Falls American Legion aggregation. Backers of the local team are putting up a purse of about $150 or $200 on the game and Thief River Falls fans are reported to be doing the same. With such backing, the clash should be even more exciting than the one staged in Bemidji on Feburary 12, when the local outfit won by a score of 28 to 15, after having been defeated at Thief River Falls a month ago by a narrow margin of three points, the score being 24 to 21.

"Arrangements are being made to meet the Thief River Falls crowd at Crookston, where the game can be staged on a neutral floor. A neutral referee will also be engaged for this match. Definite arrangements have not been completed as yet, but Manager Fraser of the Bemidji team expects that the contest will be played some time the latter part of this month.

The contest here on February 12 was by far the best staged in this city this winter. Although there have been faster and harder fought games played here, the interest shown in the Bemidji-Thief River Falls battle was a real credit to any live athletic town. Even more interest should be shown in a third contest between these two outfits, which at present have one game each to their credit."

SEED TESTER FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

CLUB MEMBERS WILL BE PROVIDED WITH TRAY FREE OF CHARGE.

The Citizens State bank of Thief River Falls, in order to encourage and assist the boys and girls who are members of farm clubs in the country, is offering a seed tester free of charge. Every boy or girl receiving one of these testers is asked to render a report of the results obtained to the bank after it has been tried out. These reports are for the information of bank officials solely, it being their desire to learn whether or not their efforts to assist the boys and girls of rural communities is meeting with any degree of success.

In addition to the free tester the bank is offering cash prizes for the best story on "Why Every Farmer Should Use a Seed Tester." The prizes are $2.50, $1.50 and $1.00 for first, second and third place respectively. The story may be handed to the teacher of the school attended by the boy or girl or may be sent to the bank direct.

Have your public sales taken care of by

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Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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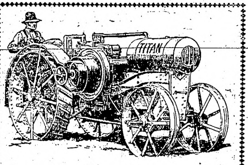

The 10-20 Titan Tractor at $1,000 Is Getting The Most For Your Money

A Three Plow Tractor; the Practical Size. The 10-20 Titan Tractor is large enough to run a small Thresher, Insilage Cutter and all similar work. Its large 20 in. Clutch Pulley direct on crank shaft makes it a leader for threshing power and all belt work. Its the tractor that will stand the hard knocks better than light weight two plow tractors. Its a slow speed motor and will last the longer. The upkeep of the 10-20 Titan Tractor is practically nothing. Its a long-life Tractor; is easy to operate, with sturdy power and sure power. The 10-20 Titan is getting the most for your money.

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"FB 50" is a big, roomy car. Five passengers of any size are seated comfortably and there is still room to spare. It has power for all needs, for any occasion. And as to looks! Model "FB 50" is a distinguished looking automobile. You will say so yourself when you see it

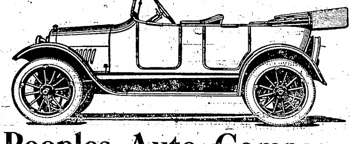

Peoples Auto Company

Thief River Falls, Minnesota

MORE SERIOUS AUTO SHORTAGE IS THREATENED

LOCAL AGENTS SAY DELIVERIES ARE LIKELY TO BE MUCH DELAYED.

FACTORIES CANNOT KEEP UP WITH INCREASED DEMAND FOR NEW CARS.

BUYERS URGED TO GET THEIR ORDERS IN AND SAVE DISAPPOINTMENT.

From present indications there is likely to be a famine in pleasure cars this spring. Thief River Falls dealers without exception say that the situation is worse than a year ago and that there is slight hope of any change during the present season.

The fact of the matter is that the manufacturers have not yet struck the output record maintained before the war. Many of the foremost factories were turned over to making material for the army and navy, while at the same time the orders for cars kept piling up. Plants were enlarged time after time in many instances but at that the market could not be supplied.

All in Same Boat.

"The man who wants a new car this year had *better get his order in early*," is the tune of the song they all sing. "There is every indication that the coming season would be a great one for automobile men—if we could only get the cars," they add.

George S. Streeter of the Peoples Auto company, local agents for the General Motors company's products, says that there is very little to choose between so far as the different cars go. His concern has managed to secure a number of Chevrolets during the winter, but so far as Buicks, Reos, Scripps-Booths and Oaklands go promises are about all that have thus far been forthcoming. "We hope that our customers can all be supplied," said Mr. Streeter, "but the man who puts off ordering is very liable to get left." This concern is also having a very satisfactory demand for the Samson tractor, for which they are the agents in this section.

Had Labor Troubles.

K. A. Sundahl of the Northwestern Auto company, says that he has been promised a supply of the new No. 4 Overland and is in hopes that the first shipment will be here before long. There has been a considerable demand for this model and Mr. Sundahl is assured that before the season is far advanced all will be supplied. The Overland people are particularly anxious that there shall be no disappointments so far as this new light car and the Willys-Knight machines are concerned. The labor troubles at this factory have been adjusted and there is every hope that record production will be the aim hereafter.

Mr. Sundahl has taken the agency in this district for the Republic truck, but has concluded not to handle tractors.

Others are Hopeful.

The McFarland Auto company, handlers of the Ford cars and Fordson tractors, have received a part of the quota alloted to this city but will need a great many more if the opening demand is any criterion. Tractor orders are being booked with the understanding that the machines will be on hand in time for the spring work and there are a number of pleasure cars now in the garage. Mr. McFarland says that the sales this spring are only limited by the number of cars he can secure.

C. Gustafson & Son, who last year handled the Briscoe passenger car and a number of tractors, are preparing for a busy season. This firm is assured that deliveries of their products will be better than a year ago but they doubt if the orders can be kept up with even at that.

The Maxwell car will this year be sold in this city by W. W. Prichard, Jr. This machine was quite popular here before the war and with the many improvements now made there is no question but that it will again be a strong contender for favor when the factory gets in a position to meet the demand. Mr. Prichard will not take on anything in the shape of tractors or trucks.

The Rambeck & Stone company will be a contender for a part of the tractor trade, having secured the agency for the Emerson-Brantingham line. This new concern will be ready for business in a few days and will be prepared to give demonstrations as early as any of the others.

"Act Now," is Advice.

No matter how promising the outlook, every dealer advises those who contemplate the purchase of a car this spring to get their order in at once. The situation is such that deliveries may be next to impossible later in the season and it is certain that the prices will not be lower this year.

Saturday SpecialS

Lent Is Here—Why Not Fish?

Fresh frozen Pike, per lb.	.16
Fresh frozen Pickerel, per lb.	.12
Fancy Salt Black Cod, per lb.	.25
Fancy Salt Trout, per lb.	.25
Fancy Salt White Fish, per lb.	.25
Fancy Salt Red Salmon, per lb.	.25
Fancy Fat Alaska Herring, lb.	.17
Real Torske Lute Fiske, lb.	.13
Veal Stew, per lb.	.16
Veal shoulder Roast, per lb.	.20
Veal Leg Roast, per lb.	.23
Beef Short Ribs, per lb.	.17
Beef Shoulder Roast, per lb.	.20
Prime Rib Roast of Beef, per lb.	.22

Reg. 40c Coffee, 5 lbs. for

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Only 5 pounds to each cutomer.

Swift's Pride Laundry Soap, only 16 bars to each cutomer,

60c

Glycerine Toilet Soap, 8 bars for

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No. 1 corn, special per can	.18
Oranges, reg. 50c per doz. Special per doz.	.30

Why not try a case?

We have a few Roman Beauty Apples left at, per box

$2.40

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PLAN WORK FOR JUNIOR FARMERS

FARM BUREAU DIRECTORS WILL MEET FOR THIS PURPOSE FRIDAY.

The club work for the boys and girls of Pennington county will be outlined at the farm bureau directors meeting on Friday. The county will have sheep, dairy calf, poultry and potato clubs this year. All boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 18 years may try out for some of these clubs. They will be awarded not only liberal premiums but also the free trips to the state fair and livestock show in St. Paul.

The boys' and girls' short course for the Red River valley will be held at the Northwest school at Crookston from March 29 to April 3, inclusive. This course is not restricted to club members but is open to all boys and girls.

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What stops the cry "Hungry" when children troop from school?

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What was the most dramatic element of the French Revolution?

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BANK FEATURES FARM AUCTIONS

FIRST AND PEOPLES EMPLOYS UNUSUAL MEANS OF GIVING SERVICE.

Taking two full pages of a newspaper such as The Times for the purpose of calling attention to farm auction sales is something of an unusual proceeding, but the First and Peoples State bank officials have come to the conclusion that the results more than warrant the expenditure. Having a number of such sales coming off in the near future, Vice President H. S. Dahlen, who has personal charge of this department of the bank's business, decided that the patrons would be best served by making the announcements so prominent that no interested person could possibly miss them. The two center pages of the paper were therefore engaged for the purpose, affording everybody an opportunity to see at a glance just what is offered.

In every instance where a farmer is selling out another is ready to take his place. The reasons given for making the change are varied and in line with those usually advanced in an agricultural section.

Henry Hanson has not been in the best of health for some time and has been advised to seek a change of climate. His farm will be taken over by his brother, Sivert, who has rented the place.

Hans G. Skogstad will leave for the West, having become interested in the section near Bellingham, Wash.

H. G. Borden has sold his farm to a party named Green, a stockman formerly located at Florence, Lyon county, and will move to Portland, Ore. Mr. Green will take possession of the farm this spring and specialize in dairying and stock raising.

Ed. Klappenbach sold his farm to Nels Newman, formerly of Austin, Minn. Mr. Newman will also go extensively into dairying. Mr. Klappenbach will move into town.

Emil Johnson will quit farming and has disposed of his holdings to Gordon Olson, a Sanders township farmer, who only changes location, having recently sold his old farm.

Oscar Ramback has rented his place near Germantown to a newcomer and will engage in business in Thief River Falls, going into the implement business as a member of the Mambeck & Stone company.

W. J. LaBree, the veteran crier, will be the auctioneer at five of these sales and T. K. Rynestad will officiate at the other.

BIG CHECK LIST ON THE INCREASE

JENS KIRK IS TOPNOTCHER IN CREAMERY'S REPORT FOR JANUARY.

Jens Kirk	$371.35
Waldo Christenson	325.48
P. Engelstad	283.86
Hans Anton	225.39
Fred Copp	191.80
Albert Johnson	191.78
Henry Coop	185.22
H. A. Mathees	172.99
Paul Engelstad	160.29
L. O. Stenseth	149.32
R. M. Johnson	145.72
E. Edman	145.11
Rasmus Oen	134.20
Christ Nelson	129.40
Carsten Christenson	126.38
Stewart McLeod	123.24
H. C. Woolson	117.14
A. J. Funnesdahl	111.88
C. Odegaard	105.91
Carl Beiswienger	101.23
Gunder Gunderson	98.07
Louis Hamre	91.72
Carl Erickson	90.72
Nels Nora	90.15
H. T. Waale	89.84
Paul Stock	89.39
Sivert Hanson	86.83
F. B. Conklin	85.10
S. Wiberg	83.59
Wm. Hohner	80.20
Ludvig Larson	85.26
Ole Johnsrud	78.12
Mrs. Katie Meyer	76.57
Soren Sorenson	76.68
A. C. Simonson	72.50
Will Smith	72.36
Knut Finstad	71.65
Ole Linstad	66.84
R. L. Muzzy	66.81
Aug. Johnson	66.52
O. N. Urdahl	65.52
J. J. Kast	64.75
John N. Swanson	63.63
Silas Torgerson	63.51
A. E. Anderson	63.36
Palm Bros.	63.07
Ole Skaar	62.50
Theo. Anderson	61.81
Ole Jaranson	61.76
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	61.65
Carl Mellem	61.34
Emil Krause	61.27
T. H. Bjerke	60.62
James Wilson	59.61
C. Wiener	59.35
C. Peterson	58.87
Frank Stearns	57.57
Aug. Soderberg	57.31
A. G. Loftness	57.24
N. B. Swanson	56.06
John Swanson	55.61
Haugen Bros.	55.16
Christ Steen	54.57
Gunder Olson	53.97
John Phillip	53.90
John Sjolsvold	53.49
O. L. Skonord	53.48
T. G. Helle	53.20
L. J. Hermanson	52.92
Ole Droivold	52.78
Aug. Carlson	52.70
Aug. Ristau	52.57
Knut Ysesund	50.92
P. Hornseth	50.70
Andrew Sanders	50.54
F. M. Kline	50.13

LA COUNT FREED IN MURDER CASE

JURY FINDS MINNEAPOLIS MAN DID NOT KILL HIS YOUNG WIFE.

Ralph LaCount, whose sixteen-year-old wife was found murdered on the C. J. Winton estate at Lake Minnetonka last September was acquitted by a jury in district court late Friday night. The jury retired at four p. m., and notified Judge Steele it had reached a verdict shortly before 11 p. m.

Oscar Lindgren, gardener at the Winton estate, also is held in connection with the murder. His trial is set for March 1st.

Mrs. La Count was found with her throat slashed and her skull crushed by a baseball bat. The state's case against La Count was purely circumstantial. It is said the jury took but two ballots, two members voting for conviction on the first ballot merely to prolong the jury discussion of the case after retirement.

The case has attracted a great deal of attention in Thief River Falls owing to the fact that the Winton family, on whose estate the crime was committed, resided in this city for years.

Miss Barnett Hoirer returned to her home at Holt on Tuesday after visiting for a brief period with Miss Tillie Oftedahl in this city.

Ladies' Aid to Meet.

The ladies' aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon, March 4 in the church basement, entertained by Mrs. E. Thompson, Mrs. Hofto, Mrs. G. Sandum and Mrs. Vistaunant. Everybody welcome.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter entertained a few of their most intimate friends at a charmingly appointed dinner party on Monday evening at their home on Riverside avenue. A patriotic color scheme suggestive of Washington's birthday, was used.

Dinner Party.

The home of Miss Zella Zeh was the scene of a very delightful dinner party on Sunday evening. Covers were laid for ten. The guests were, Misses Agnes and Grace Wilson, Avis Akre, Gena Granum, Irma Johnson, Meta Kiland and Mrs. M. W. Brink, also Norman Holen of Minneapolis, Henry Falk and Earnest Zeh.

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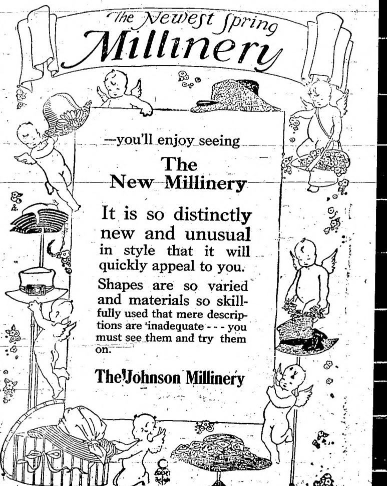

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Auction Sales

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at Public Auction on my farm, the southeast quarter of section 27, Town of Norden, on the Jefferson highway, four miles west of Thief River Falls, on

Monday, March 1, 1920

Sale commencing at 10:00 o'clock sharp, all of the following described personal property, to-wit:

4—HORSES—4
1 black horse 8 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 black horse 9 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 bay horse 12 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 bay horse, 13 years old, weight 1150 lbs.

LIVE STOCK
10 Cows.
1 cow, 3-4 Shorthorn, 7 years old, fresh in spring
1 grey Guernsey, 6 years old.
1 cow 7 years old, fresh in January.
1 cow 6 years old, fresh Dec. 26.
1 Guernsey cow, 5 years old, fresh in January.
1 *3-4 Shorthorn cow, 4 years old, fresh in spring.*
2 3-year old cows, fresh in fall.
2 Shorthorn cows.
2 calves.
70 chickens.
1 18-disc drill.
1 3-section lever harrow.
1 12-disc harrow.
1 John Deere gang plow.
1 16-in. Rock Island sulky plow, new.
1 breaking plow.
1 6-ft. McCormick binder.
1 McCormick rake.
1 5-ft. cut Deering mower.
1 new fanning mill.
1 American cream separator.
1 spring wagon.
1 wide tire wagon.
1 narrow tire wagon.
2 bob sleighs.
2 wheel barrows.
1 walking cultivator.
1 tank heater.
1 flax attachment.
1 scale
4 sets heavy work harness.
50 grain sacks.
1 5-passenger Alter automobile.
500 bu. oats and some tame hay, and a lot of other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

Emil Johnson, Owner

T. K. RYNESTAD, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the NE¼ of section 30, Town of Silverton, four miles east and one mile north of Thief River Falls, and ½ mile south of stop 5, on the electric line, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all the following described personal property, to-wit:

4—HORSES—4
1 brood mare 8 years old, color bay.
1 sorrel horse 6 years old.
1 bay horse 9 years old.
1 gray horse 3 years old.

LIVE STOCK
1 cow 9 years old, color red and white, one-half milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 7 years old, color white 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 2½ years old, color red and white, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 8 years old, color red and slightly roan 15-16 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 6 years old, color roan, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 3 years old, color red, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 3 years old, color roan, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
The above all Tuberculin tested in 1919.
1 Guernsey heifer 2 years old 63-64 Guernsey.
1 heifer 2 years old, ½ Red Poll.
1 bull 15 months old.
1 bull 13 months old.
2 heifers 10 months old, ½ Holstein.
1 heifer 12 months old, ¼ Guernsey.
3 heifer calves, ½ Holstein.
The Holstein calves are out of a bull raised by Hans Rued.
1 Chester White brood sow, farrow about March 20th.

SHEEP
7 grade Shropshire ewes, due in March and Apr.
1 aged ram and 1 ram ten months old
All of the above live stock are choice stuff and in fine condition.

FARM IMPLEMENTS
1 75-bu. John Deere manure spreader.
1 16-disc Van Brunt drill with grass seeder attachment.
1 6-ft. cut McCormick binder.
1 McCormick mower.
1 Minnesota mower.
1 Deering hay rake.
1 12-in. John Deere gang plow.
1 16-in. Emerson sulky plow.
1 16-in. Emerson breaker attachment.
1 John Deere riding cultivator.
1 low wagon.
1 wagon box.
1 2-seated buggy.
1 hay rack.
1 4-horse drag.
1 14-in. Osborne disc.
1 1916 Maxwell automobile.
1 fanning mill.
1 set work harness.
About 200 bushels of White Russian oats.
About 20 bushels of Green Mountain (white) potatoes.
About 400 bushels of Burbank potatoes.
About 200 bushels Early Ohio potatoes.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

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HENRY HANSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Public Auction

Having sold my farm and have to vacate, I will sell at Public Auction all of my personal property consisting of horses, stock, implements, household goods, etc., on my farm the Southeast Quarter of Section 22, Town of Silverton, being 7 miles east and one mile north of Thief River Falls, farm joining stop seven on the Electric Line on the south, on

Thursday, March 4

sale commencing 10:00 o'clock Sharp.

4—HORSES—4
1 grey mare, 12 years old, 1300 lbs.
1 roan mare, 4 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 bay mare, 12 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 bay gelding, 4 years old, wt. 1250 lbs.

3—PURE BRED SHORTHORN COWS—3
No. 465056—Roan Ella. Calved April 2nd, 1914; sired by No. 543709—Blizzard on July 24, 1919.
No. 495265 — Grace. Calved June 2nd, 1915; color roan, sired by No. 543709, on July 23rd, 1919.
No. 766714—Susie Ella. Calved February 9th, 1918; color red. Sired July 26th, 1919 by No. 543709, Blizzard.

2—PURE BRED SHORTHORN HEIFER CALVES—2
No. 858458—Rose Ella, calved March 17th, 1919; color roan.
No. 858457—Dolly Grace; calved April 8th, 1919; color roan.

1—PURE BRED SHORTHORN BULL—1
No. 543709—Blizzard, calved on Dec. 17th, 1916; color white.

GRADE SHORTHORN
1 red and white cow, 8 years old, will be fresh about April 1st.
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh December 15th.
1 red cow, 3 years old, will be fresh about April 1st.
1 red cow, 4 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 roan heifer 1 year old.
2 roan heifer calves, 8 months old.
2 roan heifer calves, 3 months old.
1 black and white cow, 6 years old, fresh in December.
About 50 chickens.
2 geese.
4 pigs.

FARM IMPLEMENTS
1 McCormick binder, 8 foot cut.
1 McCormick mower, 5 ft. cut.
1 Minnesota mower, 5 ft. cut.
1 Deering hay rake, 10 ft. cut.
1 riding cultivator.
1 Van Brunt drill, 18 single disc with grass seed attachment.
1 Van Brunt drill, 16 shoe.
1 Rock Island gang plow, 13 in.
1 sulky plow.
1 John Deere gang plow, 14 in.
2 4-horse drags.
1 3-horse drag.
1 iron drag.
1 disc.
1 scraper.
1 Clover Leaf manure spreader.
1 breaking plow.
1 harrow fanning mill.
1 platform scale.
1 wagon complete.
1 wagon, wide tire and double box.
1 80 bu. grain tank.
1 buggy.
2 sets bob sleighs.
3 hay racks.
1 galvanized water tank.
Some grain sacks.
1 National incubator.
2 set work harness.
2 oil barrels.
Barb wire in rolls.
Great Western cream separator
1 grind stone.
About 200 bushel of oats.
Six ton of timothy hay.

ALL HOUSEHOLD GOODS
1 Favorite hard coal heater.
1 Comfort range.
2 oil stoves.
1 heating stove.
1 couch.
2 cupboards.
3 tables, one extension table.
1 dresser.
1 writing desk.
6 beds.
1 sewing machine.
9 chairs.
And other articles too numerous to mention.
One New Five Passenger Maxwell Automobile.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

Hans G. Skogstad, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm located 1 mile west and one and one-half miles north of Thief River Falls, section 20, town of North, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 1920

All of the following personal property, to-wit:

1 grey mare, weight 1500 lbs.
1 black mare, weight 1500 lbs.
1 grey stud, weight 1600 lbs.
1 grey horse, 7 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 black mare, 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 black mare, 4 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
1 sorrel mare, 4 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
1 grey horse, 4 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 bay horse, 4 years old, weight 1100 lbs.
1 bay mare, 9 years old, weight 1100 lbs.
1 bay mare, 3 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 bay colt, 2 years old.
1 grey mare, 2 years old.
1 grey horse, 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 red cow, 4 years old.
1 red cow, 5 years old.
4 young Holstein cows, 3 1-2 years old.
1 white Holstein cow, 2 1-2 years old
3 Holstein heifers, (coming 3)
3 yearling heifers.
2 calves.
1 brood sow, 2 years old (farrow in April.)
3 brood sows, 1 year old, (farrow in April.)
150 White Leghorn chickens.
1 7-foot Deering binder.
1 6-ft. Deering binder.
1 8-ft. Rock Island disc.
1 8-ft. Osborne disc.
1 14-in. gang plow, long moulboard.
1 14-in. gang plow, stubble bottom.
1 16-in. Emerson sulkey plow.
1 Rock Island cultivator.
1 John Deere cultivator.
1 26-ft. harrow.
1 18-ft. harrow.
1 20-ft. wood lever harrow.
1 14-ft. steel lever harrow, new.
1 20-ft. steel lever harrow, new.
1 10-ft. Van Brunt drill.
1 9-ft. Van Brunt drill.
1 Chatam fanning mill, new.
1 Winner fanning mill, new.
2 one-horse cultivators.
1 Wild Oat mill, new.
1 Smut mill, new.
1 Dowden potato digger, good as new.
1 potato cutter.
1 6-ft. Milwaukee mower.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower.
1 2-horse buggy.
1 single buggy.
2 bob sleds.
1 wide tire wagon, new.
1 4-in. tire wagon.
3 narrow tire wagons.
1 steel wheel truck,
2 brush breakers.
1 hay stacker.
1 Deering hay rake, 10-ft.
2 pumping engines.
4 90 bu. grain tanks, new.
6 hay racks.
6 set of heavy work harness.
1 14-in. Moline breaker, new.
1 **NEW FORD AUTOMOBILE**
1 **FORD AUTOMOBILE, GOOD AS NEW**
1 spring cutter.
A lot of other small tools.
Blacksmith tools.
Disc sharpener.
300 bu. of clover seed.
1000 bu. Golden Yellow Seed Oats. (All raised on new land.)
150 cedar posts, (fine.)
4 stacks of hay, clover and timothy.
1 steel range No. 9.
3 heaters.
1 DeLaval cream separator.
1 bureau.
1 bedstead.
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

This is a large sale and will commence at 10:00 o'clock sharp

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

H. G. BORDEN, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

First and Peoples State Bank
Auction Sales

AUCTION SALE

Having rented my farm I will sell at Public Auction on my farm, the southwest quarter of section 34, Town of Grand Plain, 3½ miles north and one mile east of Mavie, on

MONDAY, MARCH 15

All the following described property, to-wit:

8—HORSES—8
1 horse 7 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 horse 7 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
1 horse 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 horse 12 years old, weight 1150 lbs.
1 horse 5 years old, weight 1150 lbs.
1 mare 10 years old, weight 1150.
1 mare colt 2 years old.
1 mare colt 2 years old.

26—HEAD CATTLE—26
1 cow 5 years old, fresh Feb. 1.
1 cow 6 years old, coming fresh about May 20.
1 cow 6 years old, fresh Feb. 7th.
1 cow 3 years old, coming fresh March 1.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 4.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 6.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 6.
1 cow 3 years old, fresh Feb. 10.
1 heifer 3 years old, coming fresh this spring.
1 heifer 3 years old, will be fresh about March 15.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 12.
1 cow 7 years old, fresh Feb. 2.
1 heifer coming 2 years old.
1 3-4 Shorthorn bull 2 years old.
5 yearling heifers.
7 calves.

FARM MACHINERY
1 7-cut Moline binder nearly new.
1 20-single disc Van Brunt drill nearly new with seed attachment.
1 13-in. John Deere gang plow, good as new.
1 70-bu. Nisco manure spreader, in good shape.
1 Gale 8-shovel pivot axle riding cultivator.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower. 1 walking cultivator
1 three section lever wooden drag.
1 10-ft. McCormick hay rake.
1 manure carrier with 100 ft. track.
1 Weber wide tire wagon.
1 farm truck.
1 good steel wheel truck.
1 good sleigh, 7-ft. runners.
1 good sleigh 6-ft. runners.
1 wagon box.
1 Winner fanning mill with sack attachment.
1 hay rack.
1 15-barrel galvanized stock tank.
1 8-barrel galvanized stock tank.
1 Empire cream separator No. 35, 900 lb. capacity.
1 single buggy.
1 John Deere disc harrow, 14 disc.
1 14-in. breaking plow.
1 *Allwork tractor*, new, only ground feed with three times.
1 triple bottom John Deere engine plow with stubble and breaker bottom.
1 Emerson Brantingham engine tandem disc, 6-ft.
1 Letz No. 2, with self-sharpening burrs.
7 good work harness.
1 complete threshing rig consisting of one 80 B H P J. I. Case steam plow engine.
1 12-25 Mogul tractor in good shape.
1 8-bottom J. I. Case Independent beam plow.
250 cedar fence posts.
1,000 ft. lumber.
1 Niagara second steel frame separator, fully equipped with belts.
1 water tank with pump and good hose.
1 set of 12-in. extensions for engine.
Full set of blacksmith tools.
All kinds of small tools.
1 40-Egg incubator and brooder.
1 No. 9 range.
Household goods and many other articles too numerous to mention.

This Sale Will Commence at 10:00 o'clock Sharp.

Hot Lunch Served at Noon

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OSCAR A. RAMBECK, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm and will retire, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the NE1-4 section 15, Town of Sanders, two miles south and four miles west of Thief River Falls, all of the following personal property, to-wit:

Saturday, March 6

HORSES
1 sorrel team, weight 2200 lbs., five and ten years old.
1 bay team, weight 2000 lbs., five and six years old.

LIVE STOCK
1 red cow, fresh in March.
1 graded Guernsey cow, fresh in March.
1 red cow, fresh in May.
1 red cow, fresh in May.
1 spotted cow, fresh in May.
1 black cow, fresh.
1 graded Guernsey, fresh in March.
1 3-year old heifer, fresh in March.
1 roan cow, fresh.
1 spotted cow, fresh in March.
1 2-year old heifer, fresh in June.
2 yearling calves.
2 calves 2 months old.
Some full blooded Rhode Island chickens.

Farm Implements
1 Deering binder, 6-ft. cut.
1 Deering mower.
1 hay rake.
1 breaking plow.
1 3-horse drag.
1 riding cultivator.
1 truck wagon.
1 narrow tire wagon.
1 John Deere manure spreader.
1 set buggy harness.
1 set farm harness.
1 hay rack.
1 sled.
1 DeLaval cream separator.
1 heater.
1 New Home sewing machine, and other articles too numerous to mention.

This sale will commence at 10:00 o'clock sharp.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

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ED. KLAPPENBACH, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

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Farm Loans: We always have funds on hand for good farm loans. To patrons we extend accommodations on the most liberal terms consistent with safety.

If you are planning an auction sale, come in and see us as to dates and terms. Let us clerk your sale and make your settlements. Because of our wide acquaintance we lead.

We assure you that all business entrusted to us will have the best personal attention of the officers and will be duly appreciated.

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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

High School Progress

Big Carnival Postponed

After a short conference between the main officials of the Lincoln High School Carnival company, it was decided to change the time of showing until a later date, to come some time in the spring. It will be a big out door affair, with tents covering the whole high school campus.

WATCH FOR THE DATE!

Attends N. E. A. Meet

Superintendent W. A. Ziegler is attending the department of superintendents of the N. E. A., which is being held in Cleveland, Ohio this week. This is the biggest educational gathering that has ever been held in the world. Changes of the utmost significance will be discussed by the ablest men in the world. The trend of education in this re-construction period is a striving to fit the pupil for a definite vocation. The high school graduate, as a rule, is in difficulty when it comes to choosing his life vocation. Schools of the future will strive to prepare boys and girls, as far as it possibly can be done, for a practical vocation. Within two years, these changes will materalize. It is the plan to adapt the schools of Thief River Falls to these ideas as far as it possibly can be done. A beginning has already been made here in the establishment of the Trades and Industrial department, housed in the addition to the Manual Training department. The convention at Cleveland will last the entire week.

Important Meeting

The school boards of Northwestern Minnesota held a meeting at Detroit recently, at which the question of adequate salaries was discussed. It is desired to adopt uniformity in the matter of salaries and other conditions as far as possible. A schedule of salaries was adopted subject to the salaries the state might adopt later. It was also decided that all reelections should be held the first of week of March. Dr. Mellby was the member of the local board in attendance at this meeting. A committee of five was appointed to formulate a plan for organization and to make recommendations. The committee appointed is as folows: Colson, Wadena; Sussens, Alexandria; Mellby, Thief River Falls; Lundgren, Hallock; Carmen, Detroit.

The following districts were represented: Wadena, Mahnomen, Hawley, Ada, McIntosh, Park Rapids, Barnesville, Lark Park, Fosston, Detroit, Henning, Alexandria, Erskine, Thief River Falls, Hallock, Breckenridge, Twin Valley.

A similar meeting for the state has been called to meet at the State Superintendent's convention in April in Minneapolis. This will undoubtedly result in still greater good. It is encouraging to note that school boards everywhere are trying to get together to adopt uniform conditions as far as possible.

"The Rehearsal at Ten"

The vaudeville given by the Senior Class of 1920, "The Rehearsal at Ten," last Saturday was greatly appreciated by the audience.

At the matinee the jokes and the throwing down stairs of the author, Percy Penn (Lloyd Peterson), made the children shout with delight.

When the lights were turned out, at the beginning of the evening's performance, the high school assembly was filled to its utmost capacity and even then the people did not cease to ask admittance. Altho it was only a comedy, the interest of the audience was maintained throughout the entire play. Every few minutes, a ripple of laughter filled the hall. The songs sung, and the violin solo by Herman von E. String (Herman Aaker), added to the pleasure of the evening.

The only complaint is that the performance was far too short.

Declamatory Contest

There was a preliminary declamatory contest held in the high school on Thursday. Luella Pederson, Edna O'Brien, Roy Flattum, Lee Ihle and Lynn Halvorson were the contestants, Luella Pederson and Roy Flattum winning first prize. They go to Moorhead where the semi-district contestants hold their contest. The two winning there will go to St. Paul. There the first winner gets a six month course in declamatory work, the second a three month course, and the third—ten dollars in cash.

H. S. Basket Ball

Senior Quint Going Strong.

The Seniors took an early lead in the annual basketball battles for school championship. Up to Wednesday night each team had played two games, the Seniors heading the procession with two victories, the Freshmen and Juniors following with a win and a lose each, and the Sophomores trailing behind with a double defeat. Every game was stubbornly contested and replete with sensational playing. The competing teams showed a cleaner, faster brand of basketball than usually displayed in class games.

In spite of the thrills and excitement furnished free of charge little interest was manifested by the classes. A few lukewarm patriots straggled in to view the contests and, according to the Junior captain, "occasionally emitted enough sound to rattle in a pint tin cup."

Seniors 38; Freshmen 5.

Though the first game resulted, as the score indicates, in a decisive walkaway for the Seniors, there were thrills a plenty. Sorenson, the speedy Freshmen forward, kept the Seniors in a continual state of apprehension by repeatedly wriggling through their defense. Captain Will, however, generally managed to gain possession of the ball and refused to give it up until he had rung in a basket.

Juniors 8; Sophomores 7.

The Juniors disregarded all basketball prophets, upset all dope, and treated everybody to a complete surprise by administering an artistic trouncing to the mighty Sophomores. Without a single experienced man on the team and with several who had played little or no basketball before this season, Captain Coyle built up a machine that was beautiful to behold—to the Juniors mind at least. An efficient five man defense presented a rocky wall of defense through which the shifty Sophomore forwards were unable to penetrate.

Seniors 13; Sophomores 9.

In the third game of the series the Seniors again claimed the long end of the score but kindly consented to bestow only a slightly shorter end on their opponents. The two teams were practically on a par in basket-shooting, speed and weight, but the Seniors superior team work finally decided the contest in their favor. It was anybody's game to the final blast of the whistle.

Freshmen 17; Juniors 13.

The Freshmen team had taken on considerable weight since the first appearance which may account, somewhat, for its showing. The Juniors, however, were not daunted by size and fought gamely. The contest was one long succession of tense moments *from start to finish the teams leading* alternately through the entire forty minutes of play.

Musical Program

Wednesday at chapel period the pupils of the High School were entertained by Wyman Horr, enroute to New York where he is going to complete his musical education. The following is the program rendered, which was greatly enjoyed by every-one:

Impromptu, No. 4	Schubert
Romance	Sebelius
Etude	Arensky
Persian Idyll	Ernest Lockmund
Etude, Op. 5	Chopin
Etude, Op. 25, No. 9	Chopin

The program was concluded by a lively piece of rag time music.

They Say:

Found—On a freshie's essay, the following words: The children ate themselves at the table.

Lost—Three "flu" germs mysteriously dissappeared one day from the high school. No reward is offered for return as Miss Saucer will not let them remain even though they may be brought back.

Hilda Lee returned last week after two weeks' illness.

The "flu" has kept the nurse and teachers busy signing excuses, but we can readily see the attendance has been more regular lately.

We were defeated in our first "Declamatory contest" but since we believe in the old adage "If at first you don't succeed try, try again," we have started another with the word "Win," in mind.

Lloyd Alnes was only six and a quarter minutes late this morning.

Ruby Bennes, Ella Krohn, Helen Warner, Helen Langseth and Lulu Cook accompanied the girls' basket ball team to Warren Friday to witness the big basket ball game between the Thief River Falls girls and the Warren girls.

McGinn has a fever of 102 degrees.

Earnest Zeh came to school without a package of gum.

Mr. Mellby has started a bug hunting expedition. They will depart early in the spring so that the bugs will not yet be active and can be easily caught.

Chas. Herron was seen talking to a girl without blushing.

That the class games which are now half finished are creating lots of excitement. At present the Seniors are ahead.

If Joe Weirus keeps bringing a dog to school every day chances are that we may have some "hot dogs" soon.

The inter-class basket ball games started last Wednesday.

Gordon LaBree gave a party Thursday evening in honor of his cousin, Wyman Horr, who is a guest at his home. The evening was spent in plaping cards and dancing. A delicious lunch was served at 12:00.

Mr. Tommeraasen announced recently that he was ready to compete with anyone for the championship in "Norwegian Whist."

Our local boys will play North Star College, at the Auditorium, Monday.

Lincoln H. S. Alumni

Bertha Olson, Class 1918, teacher, Kennedy, Minn.

Bernard Barzen, Class 1919, Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis.

Bert Boyden, Class 1914, farming, Middle River, Minn.

Myrtle Berg, Class 1917, teaching, Bejou, Minn.

Francis Burns, Class 1915, McFarland's Garage, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Glen Anderson, Class 1916, Meinrath Brockerage Co., Kansas City, Mo.

Lillian Provencher, Class 1919, training at Physicians Hospital, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Alfred Hermanson, Class 1916, employed at Duluth, Minn.

Meta Kiland, Class 1915, reporter, The Times, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Grace Kinsela, Class 1918, linotypist, Crookston, Minn.

Severin Eberhardt, Class 1919, employed, Montevideo, Minn.

Agnes Elg, Class 1916, Moorhead Normal, Moorhead, Minn.

Ray Kiland, Class 1917, Civil Service, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Ella Rasmusson, Class 1919, at home, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Doris Halvorson, Class 1917, Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio.

Agnes Aubol, Class 1916, married, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Helge Quindlog, Class 1919, Normal department, Thief River Falls.

Helen Strand, Class 1917, teaching, Roseau, Minn.

Marie Causin, Class 1918, teaching, Plummer, Minn.

Lillian Hoard, Class 1916, U. of N. Dak., Grand Forks, N. D.

Ruth Lonson, Class 1919, teaching, Thief River Falls.

Isabel Isaacson, Class 1916, married, Hamlet, N. D.

George Mostue, Class 1919, employed on Soo Line.

Mary Poston, Class 1918, Hamline University, Minneapolis.

Milton Weeks, Class 1916, St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn.

Laura Culver, Class 1916, teaching, Bejou, Minn.

Gertrude Blaska, Class 1918, teaching, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Dorothy Bottolson, Class 1917, Hamline University, Minneapolis, Minn.

Elinor Dahlen, Class 1919, U. of N. Dak., Grand Forks, N. D.

Cast Has Party.

The members of the cast in the "Rehearsal at Ten," and the Misses Patrick, Poppitz and Wilson of the high school faculty, enjoyed a party at the home of Miss Luella Pederson on Saturday evening following the performance at the Lincoln high school. The evening was spent in playing whist. Lunch was served. Those present were the Misses Alyce Berg, Ruth Kiland, Jessie Barnett, Agnes Tandberg, Harriet Anderson, Kathleen Ures and Luella Pederson, and Roy Flattum, Leland Schuster, Lloyd Peterson, Henry Sagmoen, Herman Aakre, Gunder Legvold, Henry Aastad and Stanton Dahlen. The honorary guests were the Misses Wilson, Patrick and Poppitz.

Local Notes

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson are the proud parents of a daughter, born on Feb. 20.

Mrs. Oscar Gigstad of St. Hilaire was in this city on Monday receiving medical attention.

C. A. Nason left on Monday afternoon for Crookston, where he attended to business matters.

Mrs. J. H. Sorem left on Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire where she will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Morlan Bishop came down from Strathcona on Monday afternoon and visited for a short time at the home of his parents.

Miss Phyllis Dock returned to Greenbush on Monday morning having visited over Sunday in this city with her mother.

Miss Olga Gulrud spent the weekend visiting with friends and relatives in Minneapolis, returning to this city on Tuesday morning.

Miss Bernice Hobbs visited and shopped in this city on Monday, returning to Holt where she is employed in a bank, on Tuesday morning.

Miss Clara Ingvaldson, who has been the guest of relatives in this city for the past two months, returned to her home in Climax on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Agnes Warring, who had spent the past three weeks visiting at the home of her parents in this city and with a sister residing a short distance from the city, returned to her home at Steiner on Monday.

C. M. Jubb of Great Falls, Mont., arrived in this city on Monday morning and will visit for an indefinite period at the home of his parents. Mr. Jubb was a former resident of this city having resided here for a period of twenty years.

The girls' quint of the Lincoln high school basket ball team experienced the thrills of being snowbound last Friday evening when they played at Warren. It was the intention of the girls to return to this city that same evening but instead of that they were unable to get back until the following evening.

NOTICE OF SALE!

Having decided to close up the affairs of the Thief River Falls Building Company, the undersigned will receive offers for the lots, foundation and salvage at the location of the Union Block on Third Street in Thief River Falls, with a view to disposing of the same. All bids must be in before 2 o'clock in the afternoon of

Monday, March 1, 1920

Further information regarding this sale may be had by applying to

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Announcement

The Northern Woodwork Company, successors to Ole R. Revdahl & Co., will occupy their new quarters on Knight avenue near the Great Northern tracks sometime between March 15 and April 1. The building is rapidly nearing completion and the installation of machinery will soon be under way.

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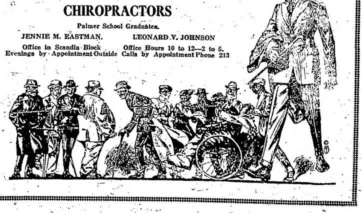

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Your body is in reality a very complex piece of machinery—it gets out of adjustment and will not run properly.

Why not let us examine you today? Examination is Free, and if we cannot help you we will tell you frankly.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Will be at the Viking Hotel on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays beginning on March 10. Hours, 9:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

Goodridge on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays beginning March 16, at the Goodridge Hotel. Hours, 9:00 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

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FARM WAGES AT TOP NOTCH NOW

RURAL LABORER IS STEADILY REGAINING THE GROUND HE LOST.

Farm wages were the highest in the history of the United States last year, the department of agriculture announces. For labor hired by the month with board, the average for the country as a whole was $39.82, without board it was $50.29. Harvest wages per day with board reached the top figure of $4.48 in the North Central states west of the Mississippi river. The lowest farm wages are in the South Atlantic states, with the South Central states next lowest. Monthly wages with board were highest in the Western states, including the Mountain and Pacific states where the average was $62.96, while without board it was $87.12.

Farming operations of 1919 produced crops that had a value at the farm that was 11.8 percent above 1918, and animal products 9.9 percent above, but the gain in wages of farm labor was relatively greater. Wages by the month with board increased 14 per cent, without board 15.3 percent and day wages in harvest, 18.9 percent.

"These figures indicate," says the department of agriculture, "that the farm laborer is still regaining the ground he lost, relatively, early in the rapid upward movement of prices of farm products after 1915. This wage recovery was evident in 1918 as well as in 1919, but full recovery has not yet been accomplished."

Easy on Them This Time.
(Goodridge Banner.)

County Attorney Qualo came out this morning and investigated a case against nine boys, on complaint of Mrs. Wm. Arnold, charging Howard Seavey with hitting Alfred Arnold with a piece of ice yesterday, and the others with being connected with the affair. It appears there has been much "scrapping" among the boys for several weeks and the above was the culmination.

The Arnold boy was not seriously injured and after the boys had been examined and given quite a grilling by the latter recommended to Judge Gunderson that they be let go on suspended sentence, but informed the boys that another complaint would mean arrest by the sheriff, followed perhaps by a stiff reformatory sentence.

W. C. T. U. Due Social.

The local W. C. T. U. will hold a "due" social at the home of Mrs. H. L. Onstad on Knight avenue north next Tuesday evening, March 2nd. All members are expected to be present. Lunch will be served.

Mrs. P. Oien left on Saturday afternoon for Bellingham, Wash. to spend a period of two weeks visiting with friends and relations.

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FRENCH KING FIRST IN FIELD

Writings of Thomas Paine Show That Henry IV Once Contemplated League of Nations.

While President Wilson, Lloyd George and other statesmen are talking of a league of nations the following, taken from Thomas Paine's "The Rights of Man," is historical:

"It was attributed to Henry IV of France, a man of an enlarged and benevolent heart, that he purposed about 1610 a plan of abolishing war in Europe. The plan consisted in constructing an European congress, or, as French authors style it, a pacific republic; by appointing delegates from the several nations, who were to act as a court of arbitration in any disputes that might arise between nation and nation.

"Had the plan been adopted at the time it was proposed the taxes of England and France, as two of the parties, would have been at least ten millions sterling annually to each nation less than they were at the commencement of the French Revolution."

Here is also part of a letter addressed to Lafayette from Paine, February 9, 1792:

"If you make a campaign the ensuing spring, which is most probable there will be no occasion for, I will come and join you. Should the campaign commence, I hope it will terminate in the extinction of German despotism and establishing the freedom of all Germany. When France shall be surrounded with revolutions she will be in peace and safety and her taxes, as well as those of Germany, will consequently become less."

LAWS PRINTED IN GERMAN

How the State of Indiana Catered to the Teuton Element in the Fifties and Sixties.

Time was when the Indiana general assembly directed that its laws be printed in German as well as in English—but never more, observes the Indianapolis News.

In 1852 the legislature enacted a statute that its laws passed at that session should be printed in German and one copy distributed to each of the clerks of the judicial circuits. By joint resolutions of the senate and house the session laws of the special session of 1858, the regular session of 1859, the regular session of 1861, the special session of 1861, and the regular session of 1867 were printed in the German language. The revised statutes of 1853 were ordered printed in German.

Mrs. Edward Franklin White of the law editorial department of the Bobbs-Merrill company, believes the printing of the acts in German was no part of the propaganda for "kultur," which has been so exposed of late, but she rather believes that Indiana was making a special bid for settlement by Germans along with other foreigners who were westward bent. She says all sorts of inducements were held out in the fifties and sixties to attract colonization in Indiana and cites, as another of the inducements, the lax constitutional provisions (constitution of 1852) for obtaining citizenship, or at least the right to vote.

Civilization Fatal to Eskimo.

Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer, to whom the Charles P. Daly medal was presented by the American Geographical society for his "valuable contributions to science," pleaded that no efforts be made to civilize the Eskimo tribes of the far North. All such previous efforts, he stated, had resulted disastrously for the natives. One tribe of 5,000 discovered in 1825 by an English explorer, he said, was now reduced to only 40 persons through adoption of a civilized mode of living, which was unsuitable for the frigid clime.

Vehicle Market in Siam.

Owing to the low-lying and often inundated plains of southern Siam, in which most of the rice farming is done and in which road making is difficult, and also the fact that transportation is easily afforded by the numerous canals which traverse the country in every direction, there is not likely to be any extended demand for farm wagons or other vehicles for the use of the Siamese farmer. It seems, however, that considerable attention will be given to road making in Siam's principal cities, notably in Bangkok, and that therefore a line of municipal vehicles will be needed in the near future.

Didn't Come Off.

In the belfry of a little church in France the Germans placed a bomb connected with wires to the monstrance on the altar. The idea was that when the monstrance was moved the resultant explosion would bring the church down upon the heads of the worshipers. Fortunately Marshal Foch's little paragraph in his armistice terms, to wit, that German commanders would be held personally responsible for all damage done by infernal machines, prevented this characteristically Teuton performance from coming off.—Rochester Post-Express.

Rescued by Mother-in-Law.

William Olive of Bridgewater, after putting a new roof on a dog house in his yard, was afraid the dog would get cut on the nails sticking through, and crawled in to clinch them on the inside. When he had finished the job he found that his coat was caught on a nail and he couldn't get out. He made all the noise he could, and finally, after a long while, his mother-in-law heard him.—Boston Globe.

Carl B. Engen.

Carl B. Engen, who died last week at Highlanding, was 43 years of age and a bachelor. He was born in Norway and came to this country with his parents in 1881. The family settled first at Warren, residing afterwards at Viking. After some time spent at Ringbo, the former name of what is now Holt, deceased went to Highlanding, taking up the homestead on which he continued to live until the time of his death. The remains were sent to Holt for burial.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Alice Hammarsten of Highlanding, and Mrs. Henrietta Refnes of Erie, and a brother, Chris, residing at Holt.

ROCKSBURY

Here I am again feeling fine. Hope your'e the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Moeller visited at the Carl Zinter home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koop and Albert and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Matthees and children, Elvira, Wilma and Norman visited at the Wm. Moeller home Friday afternoon.

Misses Mayme and Elsie Rondorf visited at the Henry Koop home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moeller and children visited at the Albert Geske home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elgelbart and family visited at the Wm. Moeller home Sunday.

Elmer Eastman had the misfortune of losing one of his drivers Saturday evening.

Miss Cora Moeller helped at the H. Matthees home Monday and Tuesday.

Emil Moeller visited over Sunday with his chum, Elmer Geske.

Miss Eda Geske visited from Thursday until Monday with her friends, Miss Margaret Moeller.

Miss Ruth Shtre came home Friday returning to Thief River Falls Monday to resume her duties at the Lincoln high school.

Fosston Defeats Crookston.

Fosston outclassed Crookston high in Friday evening's basketball game at the Armory in the last-named city and won by a score of 25 to 12. The first half ended 14 to 10 in favor of the eastern Polk men.

Regarding the basketball situation generally the Crookston Times says: "Fosston may well be called the champion of this section of the state. However, Fosston's team of 1920 does not look as good as teams from that city in other years. They occasionally get the snap and pep that always marks a team from the little city in Eastern Polk, but continuous good playing is lacking."

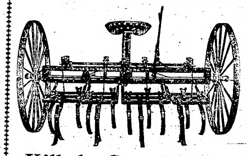

Kill the Sow Thistle

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AUCTION SALE

On account of ill health in the family, I will sell at public auction all of my personal property at my farm, 8 miles due west of Thief River Falls and 8 miles south of Viking, known as the old John Wig farm, all the following property, to-wit, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 2

HORSES, CATTLE, ETC.
1 sorrel horse 6 years old, wt. 1200.
1 sorrel mare 6 years old, wt. 1200.
1 black horse 5 years old wt. 1350.
1 black mare 4 years old, weight 1350.
1 cow 4 years old, will be fresh in April.
1 cow 3 years old, will be fresh in April
1 cow 5 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 cow, 7 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 cow 7 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 heifer 2 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 heifer 2 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 heifer 2 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 cow 7 years old, was fresh two months.
1 cow 3 years old, Jersey, will be fresh in June.
1 cow 3 years old, Jersey, will be fresh in May.
1 heifer calf two months old.
3 Chester White brood sows, bred to full blood boar, Jan. 1, 1920.

FARM MACHINERY
1 Chevrolet touring car, 1919, like new.
2 sets of bob sleighs 7-ft. runners, like new.
1 new John Deere mower.
1 new Minnesota hay rake.
2 new wood wheel trucks.
1 narrow tire wagon complete with box and whippletrees and neckyoke.
1 26-ft. Boss steel harrow, four section.
1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut.
1 14-disc.
1 four shovel walking cultivator.
1 single buggy.
2 hay racks.
1 wheel cart.
1 two-barrel churn.
1 Northwestern cream separator, 900 lb. cap., like new.
1 set of heavy breeching harness, new last spring.
1 set of 1 3-4 inch harness, new last spring.
20 tons of upland hay.
Some oats.
Household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

SALE STARTS AT 10 O'CLOCK SHARP

TERMS: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

RUSSELL CORNER, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk

PUBLIC AUCTION

Having sold my farm, I will offer the following list of personal property at public auction sale at the farm, section 17 of River Falls township, 3 miles south of St. Hilaire, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 1920

Commencing at 11:00 a. m.

FARM MACHINERY
1 McCormick Corn Binder
1 John Deere Binder, 7-ft. cut
1 Deering Binder, 6-ft. cut
2 McCormick Mowers, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick Hay Rake
1 Rock Island Hay Loader
1 Dempster Sweep Rake
1 VanBrunt single Disc Drill, 11-ft.
1 Osborne Disc, 8-ft.
1 steel Harrow, 20-ft.
1 2-section Kovar Quack Grass Killer
1 John Deere Gang Plow, 14-inch
1 Fuller & Johnson Gang, 14-inch
1 16-inch Brush Breaker
1 14-inch Walking Plow
1 Spraying Machine
1 Holland wild oats Separator
1 Hero Fanning Mill
1 Chatham Fanning Mill
1 Clover Leaf Manure Spreader
1 John Deere wide tire Wagon
1 Iron wheel truck Wagon
1 Wagon (old), and Hay Rack
1 Triple Wagon Box

MISCELLANEOUS
2 sets heavy breeching Harness
1 set Concord Harness
1 set 1¼-inch Harness
1 set double driving Harness
1 Cream Separator
1000-lb. capacity Scale
8 tons Prairie Hay
Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention

All dairy stock to be offered for sale at this auction have been tested for tuberculosis and found free from the disease.

11 HORSES
1 Bay Mare, age 12 years, weight 1150 lbs.
1 Bay Gelding, age 6 years, weight 1200 lbs.
1 Bay Mare, age 12 years, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Bay Gelding, age 7 years weight 1450 lbs.
1 Bay Gelding, age 5 years, weight 1500 lbs.
1 Black Gelding, age 5 years, weight 1500 lbs.
1 Bay Mare, age 4 years, weight 1450
1 Roan Mare, 3 years old
1 Bay Mare Colt, 2 years old
1 Bay Horse Colt, 2 years old
1 Black Horse Colt, 2 years old

55 HEAD OF LIVESTOCK
2 Red Cows, 4 years old, fresh in May
2 Red Cows, 6 years old, fresh in March
2 Red Heifers, 3 years old, fresh in April
2 Roan Heifers, 3 years old, fresh in April
3 Red Heifers, coming 3 years old
4 Calves, coming 1 year old
2 Red Heifer Calves, 7 months old
1 Registered Shorthorn Bull
37 head of Sheep

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 and under, cash. Bankable paper, bearing 8 per cent interest, will be accepted for sums over $10.00

J. S. ROY, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer
K. O. GIGSTAD, Clerk

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Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Agnette Torson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Agnette Torson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Ingeborg Pederson, Eliza Anderson, Anna Olson, Gena Amelia Lindquist, Olga Rolland, Clara Seaverson, Mary Carlson, Julia Sevre, Oscar Sevre, Henry Sevre, Albert Sevre and Emma Sevre, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of N. K. Anderson having been filed in this Court, representinb that Agnette Torson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of January, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to N. K. Anderson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 18th day of February, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m4

Contractors Notice.

Bids will be received by the Wylie Farmers Elevator & Merchants Co., for putting a concrete foundation under the elevator, and also for building a machinery warehouse. Plans and specifications to be seen at the company's office at Wylie, Minn. All bids to be in the company's office on or before the 3rd day of April, 1920.

The Company reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. BERGSTROM,
f19-26 Manager.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of John B. Engen.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Engen, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Christian Engen, Ella Hammarsten, Henrietta Refnes, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Peter Refnes having been filed in this court, representing that John B. Engen, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 12th day of Feb. 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Alfred Hammarsten, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 18th day of February, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m4

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Tobias Olson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Oscar Olson;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 13th day of August, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, three consecutive weeks, as provided by law.

Dated February 11th, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Estate.
f19-26-m3

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of C. V. Peterson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Edward Peterson, Leonard Peterson, Annie Johnson and Gustaf Peterson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent The petition of Leonard Peterson having been filed in this Court, representing that C. V. Peterson, then a resident of the County of St. Barbara, State of California, died intestate on the 26th day of January, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Leonard Peterson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of February, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m-4

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and Gay Halvorson, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated June 14, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County Minnesota, on the 20th day of June 1916 at one o'clock P. M., in book 4 of mortgages on page 237, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at low or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and there being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of two thousand three hundred and eight ($2,308) Dollars and the sum of forty-one dollars and seventy-four cents ($41.74) for taxes for 1916, paid by said mortgagee on May 13, 1918, and the further sum of sixty-three dollars and thirty cents ($63.30) for taxes for 1917, paid by said mortgagee on May 12, 1919, making the total amount due at this date the sum of two thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars and four cents ($2,413.04.)

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota to-wit: Lot twelve (12) and the north one-half (N½) of lot eleven (11) in block sixty-three (63) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said county and State will be sold by the sheriff of said county at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 3rd of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to pay said debt, the interest thereon and an attorney's fee of seventy-five ($75) dollars stipulated in said mortgage and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated January 6, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION,
of Fergus Falls, Mortgagee
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by T. C. Peterson, a single man, as mortgagor to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, upon the following described lands lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the South west Quarter (NE¼ SW¼) and the South half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing 120 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, which said mortgage bears date on the 9th day of December, 1916, and, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 19th day of January, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 369, and which mortgage was assigned to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank by instrument in writing, dated January 20, 1917, filed for record in the office of the said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 20th day of January, 1917 at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 322, and which said mortgage was again assigned to Albertus J. Prins by said assignee of mortgage, by instrument in writing, dated January 30, 1920, filed for record in the office of said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 2nd day of February, 1920, recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 563, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of Twelve Hundred ($1200) Dollars according to the terms one (1) certain promissory note, made and executed by said T. C. Peterson said mortgagor, to said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, said mortgagee, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 15th day of December in the year 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, each for the sum of Seventy-two ($72.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December 1917, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1918, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1919, are past due and unpaid; and,

WHEREAS, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of interest the whole of the principal sum, together with interest should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assigns, be declared to be due and payable; and,

WHEREAS, the said mortgagor neglected to pay, and has not paid said interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1917, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1918, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1919, as aforesaid, amounting to the sum of Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1917, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15 1918, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1919, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest thereon is by said last named assignee of mortgagee deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

WHEREAS, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Forty and 72-100 ($1440.72) Dollars secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1920, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash *to pay the amount* which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated February 5, 1920.

ALBERTUS J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
St. Paul, Minnesota.
f12-19-26-m5-11-18

School Board Proceedings

Regular meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' room at the Lincoln high school at 8 P. M., Jan. 12, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Dahlen, Froehlich, Myhrum, Mellby, Supt. W. A. Ziegler. Members absent: Haynes.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved as read.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Dahlen, that a committee be sent to Detroit on January 16, 1920, to attend the meeting of school boards. Motion carried.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Backe, that Dahlen and Myhrum be authorized to dispose of the old blacksmith shop to the highest bidder. Motion carried.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Dahlen, that Fred Holzknecht's salary be increased $10.00 per month and Aug. Sortland's and John Reitz's salaries be increased $5.00 per month, this increase to take effect January 1, 1920. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahlen, seconded by Backe, that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried:

Alfred Prestebak, wood	$105.00
G. N. Railway Co., wood	96.83
Lars Backe, interest on warrants	205.61
S. O. Quammen, wood	252.00
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	22.21
George R. Thiss, mdse	11.35
City Water & Light Dept., water, light and power	351.89
John Brude, work	22.13
McGraw-Hill Book Co., books	2.55
N. W. Telephone Co., rent	8.75
Ed. Lee, work	31.71
Holt & George Plumb. Co., work	33.35
Ed. Lee, work	95.91
Louis Borgen, drayage and wood	95.73
S. O. Quammen, wood	93.41
S. O. Quammen, wood	182.42
Ed O'Hara, wood	130.00
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	13.33
Nortz Lumber Co., lumber	1716.00
F. J. Schantzen, work	9.06
Vernon Evenson, work	17.40
John E. Dahl, work	62.40
Louis Kassa, work	4.40
Clarence Pope, work	40.25
Norman Melum, work	13.50
Arthur Belland, work	16.10
Willis Johnson, work	15.45
Halbert Evenstad, work	2.80
M. A. Schmitt, work	78.75
Ferdinand Schmitt, work	14.40
Ed. Reller, work	2.70
Edward Belland	17.30
Howard Doland, work	13.50
N. W. Supply Co., supplies	260.32
Northern School Supply Co., supplies	200.00
Central Scientific Co., supplies	110.37
St. Paul Book & St. Co., supplies and books	56.81
Allyn & Bacon, books	1.04
Bruce Pub. Co., books	2.19
MacMillan Co., books	1.98
Popular Science, subscription	3.00
Educational Pub. Co., books	48.00
D. C. Heath & Co., books	38.16
W. B. Saunders Co., books	15.59
American Book Co., books	90.20
Chas. Scribner's Sons, books	25.84
Houghton-Mifflin Co., books	17.80
Little, Brown & Co., books	53.63
Century Company, books	24.23
A. S. Barnes Co., books	18.00
Ginn & Company, books	24.00
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	12.50
Rand McNally & Co., books	270.00
O. Crenstrom, groceries	.86
Zeh & Curran, groceries	2.20
H. K. Strand, groceries	14.52
Central Scientific Co., supplies	$1.27
Times Prtg. Co., publishing and supplies	8.35
The Cudahy Packing Co., supplies	35.65
W. A. Ziegler, expenses	45.00
Nortz Lumber Co., wood	145.60
Marvin Lumber Co., wood	96.00
Alfred Prestebak, wood	50.87
N. A. Wicklund, wood	95.00
John C. Aos, supplies	1.50
Loken Bros. Store, supplies	1.10
T. R. Steam Laundry, washing	4.81
A. B. Remmem, livery	10.00
Otto Geske, work	5.00
Henry Young, wood	75.00
Henry Young, wood	283.70

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Regular meeting of the Board of Education was held in the Directors' room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., February 9, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Dahlen, Froehlich, Myhrum, Mellby, Supt. W. A. Ziegler. Members absent: Haynes.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved as read.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Backe, that the January report of Miss Saucer be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Dahlen, that the membership fee of $5.00 to School Boards Association be paid. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahlen, seconded by Froehlich, that the salaries of the Knox and Central janitors be increased $5.00 per month from January 1, 1920. Motion carried.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Backe, that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried:

Dedrick Knutson, wood	$ 11.20
G. N. Railway Co., wood (frt)	164.68
Water & Light Dept., light, power	68.55
I. E. Howick, groceries	1.75
N. W. School Supply Co., supplies	41.26
Loken Bros. Store, supplies	22.98
Standard Oil Co., supplies	126.87
Scott, Foresman & Co., supplies	48.00
Prichard Co., wood, lumber	154.94
Ginn & Company, books	3.33
Bottem Hdw. Co., supplies	379.51
Larson Furniture Co., mdse.	168.22
Henry Holt & Co., books	1.35
Hermanson Hdw. Co., books and supplies	21.73
City Dray & Fuel Co., wood and draynge	46.64
Rand, McNally & Co., books	62.00
Hall Bros. Co., supplies	15.85
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	97.13
Knute Hegtvedt, work	4.20
Gregory Werstlein, work	23.10
Clarence Pope, work	5.85
E. L. Rolland, supplies	9.69
C. Froseth, supplies	4.00
T. R. Creamery Co., supplies	.88
C. Christofferson & Co., supplies	42.24
T. R. Grocery Co., sugar	2.80
World Book Co., books	52.91
V. C. Noper, milk	21.50
Nortz Lumber Co., coal	[illegible]
Zeh & Curran, supplies	6.95
American Book Co., books	165.21
F. A. Tripp, supplies	18.94
M. A. Schmitt, work	27.51
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., work	58.38
Philip Schmitz, work	80.00
Salveson Studio, pictures	16.04
Teachers College, tests	4.48
M. V. Evenson, piano	200.00
Joseph Gulden, work	31.75
Central Scientific Co., supplies	5.07
Louis Kassa, work	10.00
G. N. Railway Co., wood (frt.)	24.62
N. W. School Supply Co., supplies	26.50
Louis Borgen, hauling wood	102.75
Bottem Hdw. Co., supplies	130.72
N. A. Wicklund, wood	118.75
N. W. Telephone Co., service	10.96

On motion the meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the Clerk.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
O. F. MELLBY,
President.

A want ad in The Times Want Column is sure to bring the results that you expect. A trial next week will convince you of this fact.

Farmers Creameries vs. Cream Stations

The Farmers Co-Operative creameries in Minnesota paid an average price for butterfat for 1919 of 66c. The centralizing creameries paid an average price for butterfat for 1919 of 59c.

This difference of 7c per pound of butterfat may mean the difference between a dairy herd that makes money for its owner and one that is a loss. A farmer selling two ten gallon cans of cream a week will lose around $200 a year by selling to a station.

Can you afford it?

Thief River Co-Op. Creamery Association
Thief River Falls, Minn.

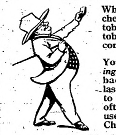

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When you take a little chew of this real quality tobacco, and the good tobacco taste begins to come.

You'll find it *keeps coming*, too. The rich tobacco taste lasts and lasts. You don't have to take a fresh chew so often. Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

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an' a friendly natural tobacco. Keep yo' put-on airs an' "sauced-up" tobaccos for the fellow that likes nut sundaes better than home made pie—

So says a friend of ours named Velvet Joe. And he just about hits the nail on the head.

Velvet is made for men who think there's no smoke like real tobacco. If you are that sort of man, listen:

Velvet was born in old Kentucky, where more than one good thing comes from. It was raised as carefully as any other Kentucky thoroughbred. But the real secret of Velvet's friendly qualities is its slow natural ageing in wooden hogsheads. Ageing in the wood never hurt anything—and least of all, tobacco.

And so we say, Velvet is *good* tobacco—nothing more or less. It runs second to none.

The picture of the pipe on the tin needn't keep you from rolling a jim-dandy cigarette with Velvet.

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Velvet
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Actual Size

—the friendly tobacco

BULLETIN SHOWS DAIRY INCREASE

STATISTICS COMPILED BY J. H. HAY FULL OF INTERESTING FIGURES.

The bulletins sent out by the state department of agriculture are among the most interesting ever issued by a state bureau. The recent issues are four in number, the subjects handled being as follows: "Production, Distribution and Prices of Milk," "Costs and Profits Involved in the Handling of Sugar," "The Fuel Situation in Minnesota," "Production, Distribution and Prices of Bread." All were compiled by J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner and formerly superintendent of the Thief River Falls schools.

The bulletin dealing with the milk situation is perhaps the most interesting to the people of this section. It shows that the number of cows in the state inreased from 556,000 in 1890 to 1,368,000 in 1918. While this is a remarkable record the improvement in the quality of the animals is even more so. The report shows that in 1890, the first year during which records were kept, the average yield in milk per cow was 2,800 pounds, while in 1918 this had been increased to 4,325 pounds. The yield of butterfat per cow was 110 pounds 28 years ago and 164 pounds in 1918. The butter yield increased from 128 pounds to 192 pounds during the same period.

The range in the price of butter is also given in the report, showing that in 1890 the average was 12 cents per pound. This increased at the rate of from three to five cents per year until 1912, when 30 cents per pound was reached, around which figure it remained until 1915. In 1917 it increased from 31 cents to 40 cents, advancing another seven cents for the following year.

The earnings per cow has also steadily increased, being figured at $15.40 in 1890, and at $80.24 in 1918. During this period the advance has been steady, not a single year showing a slump.

In Honor of Wyman Horr.

Gordon and Melford LaBree entertained about thirty of their friends at a party on last Thursday evening in honor of their cousin, Wyman Horr of Duluth, who had been their guest for two weeks. A number of social affairs have been given in honor of Mrs. Horr and son, who leave next week for New York.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at Bethlehem, 11 a. m. Service at Zion Church, city, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at Stageberg's at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies aid Thursday entertained by Mrs. Froseth. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening entertained by Miss Carrie Oftelie. Confirmants meet on Saturday. The deacons lead the services on Sunday morning, at 11 a. m.

ROSEWOOD

Misses Cora and Sena Sevaldson returned on Saturday evening from Warren, where they spent a week visiting with their sister, Mrs. Ole Johnson.

Marie and Hannah Helquist, Clara Nelson, Emil Anderson and Joel Shoberg were pleasantly entertained at the Benhard Ranum home last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Nina Anderson left on last Thursday evening for Thief River Falls, where she will shop and visit until Saturday.

Miss Ruth Ranum returned home from Warren last Saturday evening where she has been employed for some time.

Cashier and Mrs. A. S. Holm, Mrs. L. L. Furan, Isabelle Sagmoen and Edwin Myrom, went to Thief River Falls last Saturday to spend Sunday and to attend the high school play on Saturday evening.

John Sorenson of Thief River Falls was in town between trains last Thursday to purchase stock for shipping.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, arrived here last Thursday for a brief visit with John Helquist and family.

Miss Taggert went to Warren on Friday morning to have some dental work done.

Miss Lydia Batten, teacher at the Northrup school at Thief River Falls, arrived here on Friday morning to spend a few days with her father north of town.

Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls arrived last Saturday and will conduct Sunday forenoon services at the Rindal church, and in the afternoon in town of Norden.

The Swedish Young Peoples society will hold their monthly meeting at the Congregational church next Saturday evening, Feb. 28, Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will have charge. Lunch will be served and good music featured. Rev. Drotts will also conduct forenoon and evening services at that church on Sunday, Feb. 29. All are welcome.

The Park Ridge Telephone company held their yearly meeting at the August Johnson home in Norden last Monday afternoon.

Freddie Ranum is busy hauling home building material which he has purchased in the lumber districts north of Middle River.

Matt Rafteseth returned home on Monday morning from Thief River Falls, where he has been employed the past two weeks.

Joel Shoberg was at Viking last Thursday on business.

Andrew Opseth *returned the first* of the week from Thief River Falls where he had spent several days to visit and attend to business.

Minutes of Meeting of Directors, Thief River Co-operative Creamery Ass'n. Feb. 20. 1920.

Regular meeting convened at Creamery. All members being present.

Bonds of P. Engelstad and S. O. Lee were approved.

Motion by Mr. Pope and same carried unanimously that the report of Mr. Engelstad providing for annual dinner as well as quarters for holding annual meeting, be approved.

Report of Mr. Engelstad closing the deal on the property of Miss Urness, as well as taking out insurance on same was unanimously approved.

Motion made and carried to allow Carlson and Sagmoen one-quarter of a cent on butterfat for handling cream at Rosewood.

Motion made and carried to approve report of Secretary about starting a cream station at Highlanding.

Motion also carried to allow the Highlanding Creamery Association one-quarter of a cent on buttefat for upkeep of station.

Motion made and unanimously carried to raise the salary of Wang and Jacobson $10.00 per month.

Secretary's and Treasurer's books were compared. Usual routine bills allowed.

Adjournment of meeting.

P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

Notice.

Let it Hereby be known, that the undersigned sold out his interest in the business formerly conducted at Erie, Minn., by Kompelien & Aubol last winter and that the partnership has been dissolved. My name having been used more or less in connection with the above concern since that time, this notice is published in order to inform all persons interested that I have no connection whatever with the same and am in no way responsible for any contracts or obligations in which it may engage.

OLUF O. KOMPELIEN.
Dated, Erie, Minnesota, Feb. 23, 1920.
f26-m-4-11

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Emma P. Degran.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot five (5) Block One Hundred eleven (111) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 15th day of March, 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of No Dollars and thirty-nine cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 19th day of January, 1920, for the sum of No Dollars and sixty-eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of No Dollars and Sixty-eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $0.68 thereof from the 19th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 19th day of January, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minn.
By AXEL RISBERG, Deputy.
(Official Seal.)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
f29-m4-11

Times Want Ads.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five horse power Etickney gasoline engine. Cheap if tawen at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief Iver Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 608 Horace Ave N. 43tf

FOR SALE—Lot in Porter's Addition. Write Otto F. Wendt, 1422 Front St. Fargo, N. D. 62p

FOR SALE—One black walnut parlor set and one complete dining room set only used a few months. Inquire at the Times. 56tf

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes. About 1000 bushels of fine Marquis, $3.25 per bushel. T. K. Rynestad. Also 200 bu. of Millet seed at $2.00 per bushel. 60

LOTS FOR SALE—Known as the Elder Ice house property, at the end of Third St., across from the Soo depot. These lots must be sold. If interested write H. B. Jensen, 3014 18th Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minn. 59p

FOR SALE—A few more houses at a bargain if taken at once.—L. Kruse. 60p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cocks and Cocorels. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 60p

FOR SALE—Improved farm, 7 miles from Thief River Falls. Take city property as part payment; priced low for quick sale. Will rent for season if not sold soon. Fair set buildings. C. W. McDaniel, City. 57tf

FOR SALE—Five room house and two lots. Also several young truck horses. Would consider exchange for car or anything I can use. Phone 7-F-21. 59p

FOR SALE—15 tons wild hay, near city.—O. A. Naplin. 60

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock cockerels. $3.00 each.—Mrs. C. Warring, Thief River Falls, Minn. 59p

Cheap Houses For Sale.

No. 246—Tindolph Ave. N., 3 lots, $1200.00; No. 515, 4th St. West, six rooms, 2 lots, $1,000; No. 422 State Ave. N., 4 rooms, 3 lots, [illegible]; No. [illegible] Ave. N., 3 rooms, [illegible]; [illegible] room house and [illegible] G. N. Ry., [illegible] cash payments and easy terms will be given on any of all.

C. W. McDaniel,
57tf City.

NOTICE TO LAND BUYERS—Fertile open prairie and rich park land at $11 to $30 per acre. Land under an irrigation system of unfailing water from $50 an acre up. Twenty years to pay, interest six per cent. This is the last big block of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Never again on the American continent will farm land be offered so cheap. Special railway rates. Do not delay. Send today for complete information.—D. J. Campbell, Crookston, Minn., authorized agent. 60

FOR SALE—Two, cockerels, S. C. Rhode Island Reds. Winners at Pennington County Poultry show.—Lawrence & Brown, Thief River Falls. 58

FOR SALE—Good team of geldings, weight about 2800 pounds.—C. Gustafson & Son. 58tf

A SNAP—One 3-plow tractor in good order with three bottom plows, good as new, for $360.00 cash. Will run a small separator or ensilage cutter. Also have one second hand 12 in. John Deere gang; 2 second hand binders; one 20 in. single disc drill; one wood lever harrow; six second hand cream separators in good order from $5 to $15.00. Will sell my entire implement stock and building. Call on N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 61

FOR SALE—Bull calf, seven-eights Holstein; sire by Minnehaha Colntha Pontiac.—John Skomedahl, R. F. D. No. 2, City. 60p

FOR SALE—Three good work horses and two sets of work harness. Enquire of P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 60

FOR SALE—10 acres rich land all under cultivation, close to town. Inquire of C. Arneson, First house north of Round House. 62p

FOR SALE—One Wakum washing machine, good as new. Call 421 Duluth Ave. S. 61

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

FOR SALE—1,000 bushels Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.00 per bushel. Two miles east from Thief River Falls. C. M. Hoverstad, Kratka Route, City. 61p

FOR SALE—1 Cleveland Cletrac tractor; 1 four wheeled auto trailer; 1 player piano. W. E. Baker. 59tf

FOR SALE—150 bu. of seed barley. Frank Macek, Germantown, Minn., 1 mile north of Stop 7. 60

FOR SALE—2 lots and small house, on Knight Ave. N. and 6th St. A bargain. Dave Gustafson. 59tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FOR RENT—on crop shares, half section, 125 acres broke, 2 pastures of 80 acres each, fenced. Can easily put 100 acres more under cultivation. Good house, first class barn, machine shed granary, drilled well with force pump also wooden pump set in reservoir Owner can give immediate possession. Location 7½ miles north and two west of Goodridge.—Address A. J. Cummings, Germantown, Minn. 57tf

FARM FOR RENT—Sale or lease, 9 miles from Thief River Falls.—H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Neb. 58tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms at 417 Knight Ave. N. 60p

Help Wanted—Male

YOUNG MEN for Railway Mail Clerks, $110 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, examinations, write J. Leonard, (former Government Examiner), 276 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 60p

MEN WANTED—Lumber pilers, loaders, mill hands, woods and R. R. work. Steady. Also hardwood inspectors and millwright. Houses. Top wages.—Hackley Phelps Lumber Co., Phelps (Vilas Co.) Wis. 61

SALESMEN WANTED—To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paint. Salary or commission. Address The Lennox Oil and Paint Co., Cleveland, O. 59p

Help Wanted—Female

LADY COOK WANTED—On farm for season.—Mike Driscoll, R. 3, East Grand Forks, Minn. Phone 32-F-14. 62p

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS—If you have a farm for sale send me the legal description, your net price and best terms of sale.—D. J. Campbell, Crookston, Minn. 60

Dressmaking Wanted

At the residence of John Christenson 925 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 63p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between 8th St. Bridge and railway, fountain pen in paper box. Reward. Mrs. H. J. Rustad. 58tf

FOR SALE OR RENT.

SW¼, Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings and well on the place. For particulars, write J. Pfeffer, 411 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota. 61

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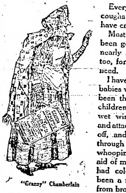

"Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

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AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm and moving to New London, Wis., I will sell at Public Auction on my farm, 4 miles southwest of Thief River Falls and 3 1-2 miles north of St. Hilaire the property below.

MONDAY, MARCH 8, 1920

Sale starts at 10 A. M. Lunch at 11 A. M.

- 1 black stallion 9 years old, weight 1300.
- 1 bay mare in foal, 5 years old, 1300.
- 1 bay horse 3 years old.
- 1 bay horse 3 years old.
- 1 bay horse 2 years old.
- 1 black mare colt, 1 year old.
- 1 gray horse 15 years old.
- 1 gray mare with 3 months old colt.
- 1 heifer calf, 1 year old.
- 1 spotted cow, fresh in March, 5 years old
- 1 spotted cow, fresh in May, 4 years old.
- 1 red cow, milking, 6 years old.
- 1 roan heifer, Shorthorn, 2 1-2 years old.
- 1 spotted heifer, will be fresh in April, 3 years old.
- 60 Plymouth Rock chickens.
- 1 wide tire wagon.
- 1 narrow tire wagon with box.
- 1 truck with rack.
- 1 bob sleigh.
- 1 jumper.
- 1 two-seated spring wagon.
- 1 single buggy.
- 1 Mil. binder 6-ft. cut.
- 1 McCormick mower, 6-ft.
- 1 McCormick rake, 10-ft.
- 1 Van Brunt 12-shoe drill with seeder attachment.
- 1 4-section drag.
- 1 sweep rake.
- 1 800-lb. scale.
- 1 Hero fanning mill.
- 1 Emerson 16-in. sulky plow.
- 1 16-in. breaking attachment.
- 1 hand plow.
- 1 scraper.
- 1 5-shovel cultivator.
- 1 two horse cultivator.
- 3 sets of good harness.
- 1 single harness
- 6 collars.
- 1 Great Western cream separator.
- 1 Monarch range.
- 1 hard coal heater.
- 1 disc with drag trailer.
- 50 oak fence posts.
- Lots of small tools too numerous to mention. Some household goods and carpenter tools. Everything goes!

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1st, 1920.

WM. MOELLER, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK, Clerk.

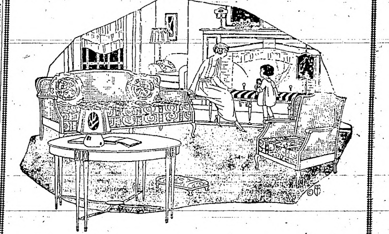

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

Historical Society

Mrs. Horr Honored.

Among many of those who entertained for Mrs. Chas. Horr of Duluth, who was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. LaBree in this city, last week were the Mesdames Emil Zeh, J. Borry, A. D. Adkins, J. M. Bishop, P. W. Mabey and A. W. Swedenburg.

Baldwin-Mostrom.

Wm. F. Baldwin of Montana and Miss Myrtle Mostrom of Hazel, were quietly married in the municipal court rooms by Judge N. W. Tarrant on Feb. 20th. The newlyweds will leave in a short time for Montana, where the groom is engaged in farming.

Swedberg-Ellingson.

At the parsonage of the Swedish Lutheran church occurred the marriage of Alfred J. Swedberg and Miss Effie Clarice Ellingson, both of Randeen. Rev. Albin A. Larson, pastor of the church, officiated in the presence of Miss Ida Olson and Edwin Evenson, also of Randeen.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club will hold its regular meeting in the commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, March 1. J. S. Young of the Department of Political Science, has been engaged to speak for the occasion. His subject will be: "Training for Citizenship." A series of lectures on citizenship has been arranged and the first local speaker will be H. O. Chommie. who will also deliver a talk at this meeting. He has chosen as his subject: "Representative Form of Government, Origin and General Plan." There will also be special music.

Girls' Community Club.

The next regular meeting of the *Girls' Community* club will be held on next Monday evening, March 1 at the commercial club rooms. As this is the end of the first year for the Girls' club, the next meeting will be held in the form of a little birthday party, and the president is asking that each member present the club with a gift, and she wishes that gift to be a new member. This does not mean that just a few are asked to bring a new member. It means that each girl is asked to bring a new member as a gift to the club.

Coffee social in Swedish church basement Friday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. m26

Obituary

Hjelmer Helland.

On February 18th occurred the death of Hjelmer Helland from pneumonia and appendicitis following influenza. The deceased was born on March 17, 1894, making his age about 26 years. He had lived with his parents in this city for the past three years. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery on Feb. 20.

Lawrence H. Cook.

Lawrence H. Cook died on February 22nd from a complication of diseases which followed influenza, at the age of 10 years. Interment took place in the Catholic cemetery on Feb. 24.

Additional Wants

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed wheat, $3.25; 150 bu. seed barley, $2.00 per bu. Four cows coming in between April 1 and June 1. Two 2-year old heifers. Frank Svobodny, Stop 7 electric line. 59tf

FOR SALE—1919 Briscoe 5-passenger car in good condition. Run 2,000 miles. $950.00. Address R. 2, Box 51, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61p

FOR SALE—Seconded-handed Ford Touring Car in A-1 condition. Cheap if taken at once. McFarland Auto Co. 59p

WANTED—Maid for general housework. Small family, good wages. Phone 320. 59

FOR RENT—4 rooms, electric light and well water. Close in. Also two large rooms or 3 small rooms, lights and water for the roomer. Call at The Times office. 58p

WANTED—A woman for general work. Good wages to right party. Must be able to give reference. Address F. E. Brewster, Box 124, Hope, N. D. 62

SALESMEN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Todd Oil and Paint Co., Cleveland, O. 59p

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HE WILL BE AT
Hotel Evelyn March 11.
We fit and furnish two light glasses, ground from one piece of glass, for $10.00.

Notice of Sale.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, (A Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. Bertha Giller, Maurice Giller, Beatrice A. Giller, and John P. Galbraith, as trustee of Maurice Giller Estate in Bankruptcy, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of a certified transcript of the judgment in the above entitled action duly delivered to the undersigned sheriff and now in my hands, which said judgment was duly entered in said Court in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, Maurice Giller, Bertha Giller and Beatrice A. Giller on the 17th day of February, 1920, for the total sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Sixteen and 43-100 Dollars, and which said judgment orders and decrees, among other things, a sale by the undersigned Sheriff of the said County, of the following described real estate in one parcel to satisfy or apply upon the said judgment, viz:

Thirty six feet East of the West fifty feet, and West of the East Fifty Four feet of Lots One, Two, Three and Four in Block Thirty of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls in Pennington County, Minn.

Now, Therefore, Pursuant to the said Judgment, the undersigned Sheriff will, on Saturday the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Front Door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the real estate above described, and all of the right, title and interest of each and all the above named Defendants therein, except the right to redeem as provided by law, to satisfy or apply on said Judgment so entered, together with all accruing costs of sale and interest on the said Judgment from and after the 17th day of February, 1920, at six per cent per annum, subject to redemption within one year after the date of the order of the said Court confirming the said sale as provided by law.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 24th day of February, 1920.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff,
Pennington County, Minn.

J. M. BISHOP,
WM. J. BROWN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.26
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.21
Oats	.73
Flax	4.57
Barley	1.12
Rye	1.39
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.50
Bran	2.60
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.95
Corn and Oat Feed, 80 lb. bags	2.75
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.00
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled hay, cwt	1.35
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.15
Geese, alive, per lb	6-7c
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.22
Spring Chickens	.16
Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.50
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.61
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	6-7
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb	15-16c
Lamb, dressed, per lb	20-22c
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	7-8c
Steers, per lb	7-8c
Calves, per lb	6-8c
Cows	6-7c
Lamb, per lb	12-15c

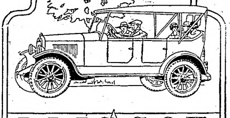

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AMUSEMENTS

AT The Princess

Thursday
Taylor Holmes in "Taxi"

Friday
Constance Talmadge in that very saucy play "Two Weeks"

Saturday
a Western "The Grouch"

Sunday and Monday
Owen Moore in "The Crimson Gardinia"
also a Kinogram
"The Oldest Man in America"

AT The Lyceum

Saturday
Madge Kennedy in "Leave it to Susan"
also
Billy Parson in "You Know What I Mean".

Sunday and Monday
A Double Program
Pearl Shepard
and
William Bailey
in
"Break the News to Mother"
also
Charlie Chaplin in "The Rink"

Join The E-B Tractor School

FREE to all interested in Power Farming. Hear how tractors are designed; see how repaired; learn how to operate a tractor. School will be held for two days

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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

VOLUME 10. Twelve pages. THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 1920. $2.00 a Year. Number Four.

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

PLAN PROVIDES FOR 14 ROOMS AT KNOX BLDG.

SCHOOL BUILDING ON EAST SIDE LARGE AS LINCOLN HIGH NEEDED

BOARD WILL FURTHER DISCUSS MATTER AT REGULAR MEETING MONDAY

MORE THAN 300 PUPILS HOUSED IN BUILDING INTENTED FOR 210.

At a regular meeting of the school board of District No. 18, to be held next Monday evening, the subject of a new school building for the East Side will be discussed. The situation in that section of the city is such that more room is needed at once if the requirement of the state board of education are to be complied with. Continuing as at present places the school aid received from the state in jeopardy, which is something to be avoided at any cost.

Need 14-Room Building.

The tentative plans under consideration by the board contemplate the building of a brick addition of ten rooms and the removal of the wooden section of the building now being used. This would leave four rooms intact making 14 in all and provide a structure similar in size to the Lincoln high school. The plans also provide for a full basement, to be fitted up for gymnasium and auditorium purposes.

Now Badly Overcrowded.

There are at the present time over 300 pupils attending the Knox school, which is 90 over the maximum allowed under state regulations. This attendance gives each teacher an average of 50 pupils, a number much in excess of that under which the best results can be obtained.

Plans are Ready.

The architect has submitted plans conforming to state requirements and these will be studied on Monday evening. Should they meet with the approval of the board steps will no doubt be immediately taken to call a special election to authorize bonds in the amount needed. The money can be secured from the state at a low rate of interest.

GOODRIDGE MAN ALSO CANDIDATE

B. O. NORBY ENTERS FIELD AS CANDIDATE FOR NATIONAL DELEGATE

The chances of having one of the delegates to the Republican national convention hail from Pennington county has been lessened by the entrance of a second man in the race. B. O. Norby, superintendent of schools at Goodridge has been brought out as the "soldier candidate," in spite of the fact that one such is already practically accorded one place on the delegation. Major Rathbun of Detroit, was the first to announce himself as seeking the honor and it will probably go to him by common consent. Such being the case it was figured that the other place should go to some tried Republican with something besides his war record to advance as his claim to recognition.

The action of Mr. Norby in coming out as a candidate claiming the soldier support is to be regretted as in case he secures the support of his own county it will in all probability mean the selection of a man from some other section by the district convention.

WOMAN TELLS OF NARROW ESCAPE

MRS. WINTERS RECOUNTS CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING KESSLER SUICIDE

Mrs. William Winters of Smiley township, undoubtedly owes her life to the fact that a revolver in the hands of Wenzel Kessler failed to fire when in a fit of instanity he tried to kill her on February 24. This was established at the cornorer's inquest held in this city last Saturday. After failing in his purpose to kill Mrs. Winters, Kessler shot himself thru the head, dying of his injuries Wednesday evening.

Wishing to get at the facts surrounding the occurance Dr. H. W. Froehlich, cornoner, ordered an inquest, which was held Saturday. Mrs. Winters was the principal witness and her version of the affair was substantially as follows:

Kessler came in from the wood lot where he had been working in company with Mr. Winters. Going up to his room he changed clothes. Mrs. Winters noticed that he was acting in an unusual manner and asked him what the matter was, receiving no satisfactory reply. The man kept mumbling to himself and returned to his room for a few moments. Mrs. Winters paid no attention to him until she found him standing almost over her with a revolver in his hand. She was sitting at the sewing machine which was placed almost directly under the telephone in the house when she glanced up and found Kessler leaning against the instrument pointing a revolver squarely at her. She grasped his arm and the bullet went into a drawer of the machine. In the struggle which followed she was thrown to the floor where the crazed man again fired, the shot going into the floor alongside her head. Kneeling on her chest he pointed the gun squarely at her face and pulled the trigger, but the cartridge missed fire and to this fact Mrs. Winters perhaps owes her life.

Making a desperate effort she dislodged her assailant and managed to drag him to the door, through which she thrust him. She heard the sound of the shot which Kessler fired thru his own head but was afraid to make an investigation and the body remained where it fell until the authorities arrived.

Three small children of Mr. and Mrs. Winters were in the house with their mother at the time.

ODD FELLOWS INSTITUTE CAMP

STATE OFFICIALS ASSIST IN GETTING NEW ORGANIZATION STARTED

Riverside Encampment No. 22, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was instituted in this city on Tuesday evening with Grand Patriot J. B. Dexter of Detroit, and Grand Scribe H. M. McDivitt of Minneapolis, assisted by the degree team from the former city, conferring the degrees upon 39 charter members.

The evening will long be remembered in Odd Fellow circles in this section as one of the most pleasant and profitable in the history of the lodge. Preceding the degree work a banquet was served at the Hotel Brumund, this being of a particularly high order of excellence.

The session at the lodge room was most impressive, the Detroit team exemplifying the ritualistic work in an exceptional manner. At its close the newly formed organization proceeded to elect its first officers, the following being chosen: Chief Patriot, F. C. Dablow; senior warden, E. P. Burstad; junior warden, E. E. Gage; high priest, A. P. Robinson; scribe, Adolf Eklund; treasurer, T. P. Anderson; trustees, A. M. Langseth John Gassow and Bernhard Knudsen. Short addresses were made by Grand Patriot Dexter, Grand Scribe McDivitt and Chief Patriot Dablow.

The new encampment starts out with every promise of success. Its jurisdiction extends over the northwestern corner of the state, taking in Warren, Argyle, Stephen and intermediate points. It is expected that there will be a large increase in the membership from these and other places when the organization gets properly under way.

GREAT ARRAY OF AUCTION SALES

CITIZENS BANK HAS NINE ON HAND DURING PRESENT MONTH.

The usual spring restlessness is apparently on. As is usual at this time of year there are a large number of auction sales scheduled to take place, there always being those who wish to change location whether they thereby better their condition or not.

Nine of these sales are scheduled for the present month under the direction of the Citizens State bank. This is rather an unusual number for this season and would indicate dissatisfaction were the situation not known. In every instance where one farmer moves away another takes his place. The newcomers as a rule bring their own stock and farming implements and have no use for those of their predecessors. Consequently these are sold, an opportunity being often thus afforded to secure a highly desirable article at a very low cost.

The sales advertised by the Citizens are as follows: Anton Knudson, March 11; Dick Erickson, March 12; Halvor Hjelden, March 13; William Furstnau, March 16; August Soderberg, March 17; John Ulvild, March 18; Val Yager, March 22; E. E. Anderson, March 26; Halvor T. Homme, March 30. It will pay those who are interested in securing livestock or machinery of the better kind at a big reduction to keep these dates in mind.

New Engineer Here.

F. B. Umland, the newly appointed state highway engineer for Pennington county, arrived last week and has entered upon his duties. Mrs. Umland and the children will not arrive until after the close of the school year at Bagley, the home of the family for the past eight years.

THE TIMES FINDS NEW HOME FOR PRINTING HOUSE

LARGE SECTION OF CONNELLY-MEEHAN BLOCK SECURED BY THE TIMES

NEARLY 5,000 FEET OF FLOOR SPACE FOR PUBLISHING AND MANUFACTURING

WORK OF REMODELING WILL BE BEGUN AT ONCE AND RUSHED

The Times Printing and Manufacturing company this week closed a deal with M. J. Burns, local agent for the owners of the building located on the southwest corner of LaBree avenue and Second street, whereby the concern leases the space now occupied by the Holt & George Plumbing and Heating company for a long term of years. In the corner room of this *building are located* the business offices of the Minnesota and Northwestern Electric Railway company, while the Brumund hotel adjoins on the south. The building is located in the center of the city's business district and admirably adapted to the purposes to which it will be put.

Will Remodel at Once.

The total floor space to be occupied by The Times will aggregate nearly 5,000 feet. It is the intention to have the business offices, stock rooms and composing department on the street floor, a large section of the basement being remodeled and fitted out to house the heavier equipment. The rotary newspaper press and the machinery used in the manufacture of the Lonson coin box will be placed in the basement, the work of putting in a cement floor being undertaken as soon as the present tenants can arrange to vacate. The intention is to have the place ready for occupancy by the first of May.

Machinery is Arriving.

Such parts of the necessary equipment as are procurable have been ordered and are arriving every day. It is of the very latest to be had and when all in place will give The Times the finest and most complete plant of its kind in the Northwest. It has been found impossible to get deliveries on certain kinds of machinery and experts are at work in salvaging a certain amount of that which went through the Union block fire. It has been found that by securing new parts a considerable quantity of this can be made practically as good as new and while the cost will be almost as heavy as actual replacement there will be a great saving in the time it will take to again get going.

Chairman Woman's Organization.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard was this week appointed chairman of the Pennington county organization of Republican women. Miss Effie Hamry was appointed vice chairman and will be the head of affairs until the return of Mrs. Melgaard, who is at present absent from the city.

While no plans have been announced it is expected that the women's auxiliaries of both political parties will at once begin active work along the lines of educating their sisters in their duties as voters. They will have an opportunity this spring of casting their ballots for presidential electors and their right of franchise has been further extended.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton was last week appointed as Ninth district chairman of the Democratic women.

LITTLE FARMERS' ACCOUNT BOOKS

ENABLES BOYS AND GIRLS TO FIND RESULTS OF FARM WORK

The First and Peoples State bank of this city is presenting a farmers' account book to the boys and girls of this section through the educational extension department of the bank, conducted by Cashier R. M. Sheldson.

The bank has gone to considerable trouble and expense in providing this book and the officials are therefore anxious to learn what use is being made of it by the youngsters who apply for one. The book is free, the only requirement being that the bank be furnished with a certain amount of information regarding the use to which it is put. At the close of the year the boy or girl will be asked whether or not the book was used, according to instructions, whether a similar book had been used at any previous period and whether or not the assistance of parents was had in keeping the same.

The bank also offers $5 in prizes for the best-kept book, as follows: First prize, $5; second, $1.50; third, $1.00. In case the pupil has no objection to the report submitted being published it is the intention to have those winning prizes appear in The Times at the end of the contest.

ALL DEPENDS ON SATURDAY GAME AGAINST WARREN

IF LOCAL BASKET SHOOTERS DEFEAT WARREN, TOP IS IN SIGHT

WILL PLAY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP WITH WINNER OF ADA-FOSSTON GAME

RECORD OF LOCALS AT PRESENT, FIVE VICTORIES AND ONE DEFEAT

So important is the basketball game between the locals and Warren next Saturday regarded that a special train has been secured to carry the rooters. If Thief River Falls wins this contest the team will be tied with Stephen for the championship of the northern half of the district. At the same time the Ada and Fosston teams will be contesting *for the championship of the southern* half so that one of these outfits will be pitted against the locals—providing Saturday's game is won from Warren and Stephen is downed in the play-off. Coach Tommeraasen is confident that if the boys display the form shown against Stephen Tuesday evening the district championship is practically cinched.

This game was won by a score of 57 to 6, the local boys simply playing the visitors off their feet. The game was fast, snappy, clean and exciting from the outset, every member of the Thief River Falls aggregation showing up to excellent advantage. The lineup was LaBree, Hadrath, Flattum, McGinn and Schuster, with Larson taking the place of LaBree and Ralston going in for Hadrath towards the end. Every man put up a brilliant game from start to finish, the visitors being outclassed in every department.

Last Wednesday evening Warren was defeated 33 to 23, the lineup being the same as above. It was a hard, clean fight from beginning to end, the visitors falling down a trifle when it came to long-distance shooting. This victory and that over Stephen placed the locals decidedly in the running for the championship. They have to date won five and lost one.

FINAL VOTE ON STREET PAVING

PROPERTY HOLDERS WILL BE HEARD FOR OR AGAINST ON MARCH 19.

In another part of The Times today will be found a notice to property owners within the proposed paving district in Thief River Falls calling their attention to a meeting to be held on March 19, at which time they may appear and offer arguments for or against the project.

There are 167 names in the published list, which is according to the records of ownership of the different pieces of land affected as these appear at the present time. It is realized that there may be some instances in which the property referred to has changed hands, but this does not in any manner affect the validity of the notice as all those who know themselves to be residents of the district are held to have been legally informed of the proceedings.

The description of the streets to be paved is given as follows in the notice: Main, from the Great Northern railroad tracks, north to the intersection of Sixth street. LaBree and Horace avenues from the Great Northern tracks to First street. First and Second streets from Atlantic avenue westward to Knight avenue. Third street from the Soo railroad tracks westward to Knight avenue. The alley between Horace and LaBree avenes and between LaBree and Main avenues from First to Fourth streets.

This is a total of 22 blocks of street paving and six blocks of alleys.

Baudette Men in Trouble.

The first arrest made at Baudette on a charge of smuggling liquor from Canada occurred last week when Andy Stockinger was taken into custody by Special Agents Beaton and Salter on complaint of J. A. Kennedy, collector of customs. The booze is alleged to have been found in a car belonging to Mr. Stockinger. There were 114 quarts in the lot, which it is claimed was secured at Rainy River. Stockinger was released on $750 bail and his case will come up before the federal court at the spring term in Fergus Falls.

Democrats Will Caucus.

According to a call issued by Chairman D. D. Daly of the State Democratic Central committee, the delegates will meet in Minneapolis on Tuesday, April 6, for the purpose of selecting four delegates at large and two alternates from each congressional district to attend the national convention of the party on June 20 at San Francisco. County conventions will be held either as a delegate gathering or mass meeting on Saturday, April 3 for the selection of delegates to the county convention.

Pennington county is entitled to seven delegates at the state gathering, other nearby apportionments being as follows: Clearwater, 5; Kittson, 6; Marshall, 10; Polk, 19; Red Lake, 5; Roseau, 6.

Sale of Purebreds.

In the big double-page spread of the First and Peoples State bank in this issue will be found the advertisement of Tobias Skjerping, who will have a public sale at his place on March 19. A purebred Shorthorn bull is one of the principle offerings, another being a purebred calf of the same kind. There are a number of purebred cows of the finest strain in the Northwest, together with 15 head of horses. This is the largest stock sale announcement for the present season and will create a great deal of interest as the Skjerping herd is one of the very best in this section.

On the same page will be found the announcement of a number of other sales taking place in the near future and conducted under the direction of the First and Peoples.

HEMSTAD NAMED DAY'S ASSOCIATE

ENDORSED FOR REPRESENTATIVES—MARSHALL COUNTY CONVENTION HERE TODAY

Walter A. Day of Clearwater county, and A. J. Hemstad of Red Lake county, were endorsed as candidates for the legislature by the Nonpartisan district convention at Red Lake Falls last Thursday. Mr. Day was renominated, he having served the district at the last session. Mr. Hemstad is a farmer residing near Plummer.

The Nonpartisans of Marshall county will select their candidates for the legislature at a meeting held in Thief River Falls this afternoon. H. O. Berve will in all probability be renominated as one of the candidates for the Marshall-Roseau district.

Loyal Legion Dances.

Eklund Post of the Loyal Legion announces two dances for the early spring, one to be given on St. Patrick's day and the other on Easter Monday. For the affair on March 17 the following committee on arrangements has been appointed: Gilmore Husby, George Loken, Lawrence Hermanson, Perry Froseth, Alvin Holzknecht, L. C. Nielson, Ted McGinn. The Easter dance will be in charge of Oscar Smith, Henry Froseth, Ted Hunt, Harold Provencher, Derby Anderson, Carl Granning and J. J. McCann.

PROMISED RAISE IN BEET RETURN

GROWERS WILL RECEIVE $10 PER TON FOR PRODUCT SOLD HERE

A letter received this week by County Agent J. J. McCann from L. E. Flink, manager of the Minnesota Sugar company at Chaska, states that he will be in the city for the purpose of conferring with prospective sugar beet growers within a few days. At the time of writing Mr. Flink was unable to set the exact time of his arrival but this will be announced as soon as ascertained.

The communication also contained the encouraging information that the beet raisers of Pennington county will be paid $10 per ton for their product instead of $9 as originally stipulated.

Interest in sugar beet growing is steadily increasing in this neighborhood. A considerable number of farmers have signified their intention of going rather extensively into the business, their plots varying in size from three to 10 acres.

Farm-Worker Coalition.

Formation of a farmer-labor congressional committee which will assist in the election of a congress "responsible to the people which will make the transportation trust, the food trust and the money trust, servants of the people instead of masters of the people" and restore "constitutional rights of freedom of discussion" was announced last week by George P. Hampton, managing director of the Farmers International congress.

Mr. Hampton is chairman and Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, is vice president of the committee. The personnel of the committee has not been elected in full but will be announced soon. Mr. Hampton said among those already selected are a majority of the heads of various railroad employes' organizations and heads of national and state farmers' and labor organization. Headquarters have been established in Washington.

Supt. David Johnson of Warren, was in the city last Tuesday.

BUILDING-LOAN ASSOCIATION IS NOW CERTAINTY

TWO MILLION DOLLAR CORPORATION IS LAUNCHED BY LOCAL PARTIES

ARTICLES FILED AND ORGANIZATION READY TO BEGIN DOING BUSINESS

AIM TO ASSIST THOSE WHOSE AMBITION IT IS TO OWN A HOME

The Thief River Falls Building and Loan association has filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state and with the register of deeds of Pennington county. This is the first step in a definite policy for helping those who wish to help themselves and provide a much-needed agency for the city.

Those whose names are given as the incorporators are C. M. Carlson, J. M. Bishop and G. L. Sterns. The principal place of business will be in the city of Thief River Falls and the purpose of the corporation will be the providing of funds for those who wish to take the money they are now compelled to pay for rent and apply it towards paying for a place of their own.

Modern Plan Followed.

The system to be employed by the new corporation will be the same as that which has been found so successful in other communities. It is in effect the partial payment plan extended to home ownership. In many communities of the state these concerns have admittedly been of the greatest assistance to both its members and the public at large, the policy being to encourage the owning of homes rather than renting. No better plan has ever been devised by which a trustworthy person may place his rent money where it will eventually make him the owner of the property he occupies.

The need for such an institution in Thief River Falls has long been recognized and it should be successful from the outset.

TREATY VOTE IS POSSIBLE FRIDAY

SENATE CANNOT REACH AGREEMENT WITH OR WITHOUT ARTICLE 10.

An early and unfavorable vote on ratification of the peace treaty was forecast in the senate when Republican leaders, replying to the demands of the treaty's irreconcilable Republican opponents, reaffirmed their determination not to accept any change of substance or of language in the Republican reservation to Article 10.

Both sides concede that enough Democratic senators to defeat ratification are determined to stand with President Wilson and vote against the treaty unless the Article 10 qualification is modified. The Republican decision was followed by evidence that all the elements in the senate fight would co-operate in an effort to end debate and let the treaty issue go undecided into the campaign.

Some of the leaders predict a final vote by Friday, but others thought it would not come before the first of next week.

The information laid before Senator Lodge convinced him that no ratification would be possible either with or without modification of the Article 10 reservation.

Returns From Buying Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned Sunday night from a month's trip to the wholesale and manufacturing centers of the East. They stopped in Chicago, Cleveland, Philadelphia and wound up in New York in which city they spent nearly two weeks.

"We had a great trip," said Mr. Sapero. "When I left Thief River Falls I expected to find merchandising conditions a great deal worse than they proved to be. One can buy today pretty much as formerly, the only difference being that the big wholesalers do not care particularly whether you deal with them or not. The demand is so great that the loss of a sale is a matter of little or no concern. We managed to secure some wonderfully attractive goods for the ladies of Thief River Falls and vicinity and the prices are by no means unreasonable. Buying for the three Sapero stores gave me something of a leverage when dealing, quantity sales still appealing very strongly to these people.

"I believe that our stores are better equipped to meet the demand than ever before in their history. Last spring's orders were doubled at least and from indications I am not at all certain that I went strong enough at that. One thing I can promise, there will be no complaint on the score of quality or variety with Sapero customers this season."

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THE COST OF PAVING.

The objection raised in certain quarters to the effect that the work thus far undertaken with a view to paving has not been done in a satisfactory manner should be looked into. If the contention of those who have made the investigations is correct the contractors should be made to carry out their agreement to the letter. The citizens who have gone into the thing cannot be blamed for wanting the city to get all it pays for. Rather they are entitled to credit for their interest.

But no matter what they have discovered, it does not constitute an argument against paving. If things have not been properly done so far those at fault should be called to account. A competent engineer is looking after such details and the people will hold him responsible. If he is displaying laxity another should be substituted. But none of this has anything to do with the need of paving the streets of Thief River Falls.

One objection raised is on the score of cost. Undertakings of this kind are costly, to be sure, but the permanent benefits to be derived are so much greater that the progressive citizen will lose sight of the original outlay and think only of the advantage gained.

When the matter is looked into the cost does not loom as such a formidable obstacle. The city of Warren recently let a paving contract at the rate of $4.65 per yard. This specified the very best material procurable, a crushed granite base six inches in thickness and a two-inch bitulithic suface.

At this price the owner of a 25 foot lot on Third street in Thief River Falls, for instance, would pay a total of $362.70. This may be covered in 20 annual payments, each of which would amount to $18.13. Interest on the outstanding sum would foot up $20.85 for the first year, this being gradually decreased as the remaining principal became less. The highest sum that would have to be paid for paving in front of a 25 foot lot would thus be $38.98 in any one year. This is $3.28 per month.

It costs the average merchant twice that amount to keep off his floors the mud that is now tracked in. The owner of the building may not so clearly see the necessity for paving as does the renter, but the latter should be permitted to have a little something to say. Were it not for renters there would be but little value in buildings.

But in many cases the owner will not have to stand even this small charge. Tenants have already in a number of instances volunteered to pay an increase in rent sufficient to cover the extra outlay and it is certain that others will come forward with the same proposition when it is learned that owners are shying at the cost. Their action should most effectively dispose of this objection.

To the men who are insisting that everything connected with this important contract should be done strictly according to specifications all credit is due. Those who are merely acting as obstructionists because of a mistaken sense of economy should not be heeded.

The city council has already gone ahead and contracted for much of the preliminary work. The members took this stand because of the unmistakable demand for paving on the part of the people. A hearing is to be had on March 19 at which time final action will be taken. It is not likely that the council will be swayed from its original purpose at this late hour, but it will assist the councilmen in maintaining their stand if every friend of paving in the city will be on hand to back them up. The others are sure to be there.

HIS WORTH RECOGNIZED.

From many sections of the Ninth district have come assurances of support of the candidacy of Daniel Shaw of this city as a candidate for delegate to the national Republican convention at Chicago. Friends of many years standing are naturally anxious to show their appreciation of the good work done for the party by Mr. Shaw in the past, but there is a surpising number of those who are only casual acquaintances and those who only know the Thief River Falls man by reputation who have volunteered their support.

Being selected as a delegate to the national convention of either of the major parties is considerable of an honor and is generally extended to *such as have proven their willingness* to stand by the principles of their organization through thick and thin. Whether or not this is at all times the wisest course is not a subject for consideration. The fact is simply that the man who has been "regular," one who has supported the candidates and advocated the policies of his party is the one who is chosen for this particular post.

There is not a man in the Ninth district coming up to these specifications more closely than does Mr. Shaw. Add to these qualifications the fact that he has never sought political preferment of any kind and it is hard to see how any candidate can have a stronger call upon the voters of his party.

Pennington county Republicans will be found solidly behind Mr. Shaw in his candidacy. It is the first time a man from the county has been actively in the field for the place and indications are that the remainder of the district will recognize the obvious justness of the request now made.

WINCHESTER CO. CONNECTS HERE

BIG CONCERN APPOINTS BOTTEM HARDWARE CO. ITS REPRESENTATIVE

The appointment of the Bottem Hardware company to sell in this community the new hardware and sporting goods manufactured by the Winchester Repeating Arms company is announced. And in the opinion of leading merchants it is one of the most interesting and important developments the local trade has known.

First his family, then his dog, then comes his "Winchester," in the love of the best type of American. Almost every family seems to have possessed a Winchester at one time or another, and the love and respect for the good old gun is just about universal. And now that recently there have been many new additions to the Winchester "family," there is wide popular interest in the new cousins and other relatives of the famous repeating rifle.

Fifty-three years ago the Winchester repeating rifle was placed on the market by the Winchester Repeating Arms company of New Haven, Conn. It was a good rifle, in fact the first truly successful repeater, and almost immediately achieved great popularity. The first success was made secure by the strength and vision of its makers, one of the first American concerns to build with the purpose of gaining and holding a dominant place in the world's industrial arena.

So large was the part played by the Winchester rifle in the settling of the great West and establishing law and order that the name Winchester came into common use in place of the word rifle. And so high was the standard of manufacture maintained for it that it was soon the favorite hunting rifle all over the world.

Improved models followed in the course of time, including the first completely successful repeating shotgun. And with the coming of smokeless powder the Winchester company commenced the manufacture of ammunition, to insure Winchester owners the best possible cartridges and shot shells for their rifles and shotguns. This proved to be an especially good move, for the continued superior shooting qualities of Winchester arms have for many years been partly attributed to ammunition being made for them in the same plant, by the same organization.

Now this great manufacturing establishment, tremendously expanded in the gigantic part it played in the winning of the world war, is apparently branching out to make all possible use of the additional knowledge experience and equipment thus acquired. New articles being made already include tools, cutlery, fishing tackle, flashlights, skates, etc. With half a century of experience and unexcelled equipment entering into their production, it is to be expected that these new products, made in the same skilled and workmanlike manner as the famous Winchester guns have been made for so long, will have merit above the ordinary.

To the good fortune of the many old friends of Winchester in the community who will be the first to wish to examine these new articles, we have here in town a retail hardware concern of such high standing as to be one of the first exclusively selected to present these new Winchester products to the buying public. The agreement thus carries with it the privilege and responsibility of representing the manufacturer more directly than any retail merchant has heretofore done in the case of the Winchester company.

A special invitation is being extended by the Winchester company to all its friends in this district to visit "The Winchester Store," and see the latest additions to the Winchester "family." And as the Bottem Hardware Co. is likewise inviting everybody to do so, the store is enjoying a regular "old home week" of Winchester visitors. New friends will of course be equally welcome with old Winchester acquaintances.—adv.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey were hosts at a dinner party last Thursday evening. Cards formed the diversion at the conclusion of the dinner hour.

Mrs. C. Loen of Radium arrived on Tuesday from Gonvick, where she had been visiting for several days, and is a guest of Mrs. Oluf Tessum.

WHY DO YOU PAY MORE?

Below are quoted only a few of the many bargains in groceries to be found in this store. Similar savings can be made on every purchase, no matter how large or small.

Soda crackers, 3 and 7 lb. boxes, lb.	17c
Fancy Head Rice, per lb.	17c
6 Boxes Macaroni for	48c
6 boxes Egg Noodles for	48c
6 Boxes Spaghetti for	48c
Large package National Rolled Oats	30c
Large package Armour's Rolled Oats	30c
6 Packages Soda for	48c
1 lb. can Calumet Baking powder for	27c
25 oz. can K. C. Baking powder for	23c
1 lb. can Zeh & Curran Baking powder	20c
3 large cans Pineapple for	1.08
3 packages Wheat Cereal for	66c
10 lb. box 60-70 Prunes for	2.00
10 lb. box 70-80 Prunes for	2.10
10 lb. pail White Syrup for	95c
10 lb. pail Dark Syrup for	90c
10 lb. White Pail Syrup for	95c
1 pkg. 12 boxes Matches for	60c
12 bars Lenox Soap for	60c
10 bars White Naphtha soap for	60c
1 doz. True Smoke Tobacco for	1.50
1 roll Snuff for	72c
Salt, per barrel	3.20
25 lb. sack salt for	38c
50 lb. sack salt for	75c
100 lb. sack salt for	1.35

WHY DO YOU PAY MORE?

Zeh & Curran

Consumers Wholesale Grocers
Flour, Feed and Seeds

New Togs for Spring Are Arriving Daily

The store is fast filling up with the latest and best in Suits, Overcoats, Topcoats and Raincoats. The goods selected during our recent trip to the large wholesale centers and manufacturing points will soon all be in place and will offer a variety in style and fabric such as has never before been presented to the men of this section. We invite an early inspection, being certain that we shall be able to please the most exacting demands and satisfy every requirement.

We also have a number of fine suits for men from our 1919 stock which are exceptional values. It will pay you to make a selection from this stock. Come in today and find your size.

Without exception the finest and most complete line in this section. We are exclusive local handlers of the famous EDUCATOR SHOE for men and boys. Here you will also find other well-known and reliable makes for dress or work.

E. O. Mogensen

Spring Styles are Here

I HAVE just returned from New York after spending one month buying the most varied assortment of spring wearing apparel, and wish to inform you that the largest portion of my purchases are now in the store and ready for your choosing.

A great number of our customers have already picked out their garments, and surely are raving about our styles and the reasonable prices. We take this means of inviting you to come in and see this wonderful showing. By special effort we have secured values we did not think possible in the face of present market shortages

SAPERO'S

CUT IN LUMBER PRICES ASSURED ALL ALONG LINE

LARGE MANUFACTURING CONCERNS ACT TO HELP NEEDED CONSTRUCTION.

PROMISE THAT NO INCREASE WILL BE MADE BEFORE JULY FIRST

REDUCTION OF FROM 10 TO 30 PER CENT EFFECTIVE AT ONCE

Announcement of substantial price reductions and assurance that there will be no price increase between now and July 1 have been made by several of the largest lumber manufacturers of the northwest. This step by the lumbermen is taken to induce much needed construction work in the spring. The Northwestern Lumbermen's association already had announced the federal trade commission would be asked to establish minimum prices on lumber.

Price cuts of from 10 to 30 per cent are announced by the Weyerhaeuser Sales company of Spokane, distributing agents for 11 lumber mills controlled by the Weyerhaeuser sales agency. Retail distributers for the Weyerhaeuser interests in the Northwest will be affected by the new rating at once, according to the *Minneapolis Journal.*

The mills represented in the letter to the lumber trade are the Shevlin-Hixon company, Crookston Lumber company, Nichols-Chisholm Lumber company, and Robert H. Chisholm Lumber company. The action of these concerns will have the effect of bringing all other manufacturers and dealers into line.

Will Aid Construction.

A reduction in the cost of lumber, or even the assurance that the cost will not be increased for 90 days, will help stabilize the situation. Contractors will be enabled to go ahead with the knowledge that there will be nothing happen within that time to throw their calculations and figures out of gear and the public on this account receive more satisfactory service.

Other lines are bound to follow the lead of lumber in this respect so that the man who makes arrangements to build between now and the first of July can figure his costs with some degree of certainty. No one can foretell what the situation will be after that date but the indications are that whatever happens will not be in the nature of a reduction.

Much Building Planned.

The steps taken by the lumber dealers stabilize the market and give builders an assured basis from which to work. Vast construction enterprises in the cities have been held up because of the uncertainty regarding the price of material. The same is in a great measure true with reference to the man on the farm. While reconciled to the fact that prices will not come down in any marked degree for a long time, he has wanted to be certain that they would remain somewhere near stationary at least while he was in the act of building.

Reports are to the effect that the action of the big lumbering concerns has had a decidedly stabilizing effect and that construction will go ahead at a more rapid rate in the near future.

SOO RAILROAD TO SPEND HUGE SUM

MONEY WILL GO FOR ROLLING STOCK AND IMPROVEMENT OF PROPERTY

Expenditures of $8,000,000 is to be made by the Soo railroad for new rolling stock and improvements to property, it was announced, following a day in Twin City railroad circles marked by feverish activity. A problem said to be confronting Soo line officials is the administration of the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic and the Mineral Range roads, subsidiary lines to the Soo. Prior to Federal control, separate administration was maintained for the small lines. After March 1 and until President Pennington's return from Florida, the lines will be controlled from the general offices of the Soo in Minneapolis. He will then decide whether to continue with the consolidation of administration or appoint separate officers for the two roads.

Millinery Galore.

This is the season when the feminine mind particularly turns to the subject of hats and the stores handling this line of goods in Thief River Falls are ready for the rush. The Johnson Millinery has assumed its usual spring appearance and is full of the latest things in headwear for the ladies. There will in all probability be no formal opening at this store but the Misses Johnson invite all the ladies of the neighborhood to come in and inspect the very latest to be found.

NAME CANDIDATES MARCH 24 AND 25

NONPARTISANS WILL SELECT MEN FOR PLACES ON STATE TICKET

The Minnesota state convention of the Nonpartisan league for the nomination and indorsement of candidates for state offices, will take place in St. Paul, March 24 and 25, it was announced at the league offices in St. Paul last Thursday.

A convention of the Working People's Nonpartisan Political league will be conducted the same days but in a separate hall, and it is planned to have each body ratify the nominations of the other.

On March 26 a mass meeting of farmers and workmen will be called at St. Paul, and those attending will be asked to ratify the action taken at the two conventions.

Farmer Hines Arrested.

"Farmer" Hines, who about 25 years ago started a railroad from Dakota to Duluth and running through Thief River Falls, was last week arrested in Winnipeg for failure to pay a board bill.

Hines figured that the farmers along the line were going to finance the enterpise and even went so far as to secure rights-of-way, get out ties on the Red Lake reservation and had a part of the roadbed ready. For a man without capital or financial backing he made quite a showing but the scheme collapsed and Hines has been something of a wanderer ever since.

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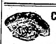

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Local Notes

Curtis Post of St. Hilaire, visited in this city on Saturday.

Pat Roark left on Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to attend to business.

B. J. Bakke left on Saturday morning for Holt, where he visited over Sunday.

Miss Edith Skognung of Holt, arrived here on Friday afternoon to be employed.

L. W. Manther left on Saturday evening for Blue Earth, where he transacted business.

D. B. Bakke returned to his home in Holt on Saturday forning after a brief visit in this city.

Gregory Werstlein returned to this city on Monday morning after a week's stay in Grand Forks.

Mrs. John Hay of Grand Forks, is in this city as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Louise Robbecke.

Misses Myrtle Roseland and Mable Sheveland, who attend high school in this city, spent Sunday at their homes at Holt.

Miss Frances Culver, who teaches the McCrum school, visited in this city over Sunday at the home of her parents.

Miss Ruth Koepp returned from Hazel on Friday evening, where she had been practicing teaching school for a week.

Walter Smith, who is employed in a bank at Mavie, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Mrs. Oliver Molstad of Steiner arrived here on Friday afternoon and will remain here a week receiving optical treatment.

Mrs. M. Strom of Holt, arrived on Friday afternoon and will snend a few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. Peterson.

Mrs. G. Freitag returned on Thursday from Webb, Ia., where she had been called because of the death of her brother-in-law.

Miss Margaret Jorgenson left for her home in Plummer, on Saturday and spent Sunday visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop returned the latter part of last week from a trip to Bemidji and Blackduck in the interests of the Y. W. C. A..

T. Ryerson returned to this city from Holt on Friday having visited for a brief period at the home of his parents near that place.

Mrs. B. Boese returned to her home at Grand Forks on Friday afternoon having completed some business transactions in this city.

E. L. Leinan of Middle River was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week. He returned to his home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. G. Peterson left for her home at Holt on Saturday morning after a short visit in this city at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Warner.

V. E. Anderson of the Anderson Electric company, Alexandria, Minn., spent Friday in this city in view of a location for their northern trade.

Miss Mable Sathre, who is engaged in teaching school at Middle River, arrived here on Friday afternon and visited with relatives until Saturday.

Fred Gunstad, employed by the Gazette at Red Lake Falls, visited in this city over Sunday, returning to Red Lake Falls on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. M. Wilson left on Monday morning for Fordville, N. D., where she was called because of the illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Herman Wilson.

Misses Gladys Evenson and Olive Skramstad left on Thursday afternoon for St. Hilaire, where they will visit at the home of Mrs. M. E. Bjerke.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Olson arrived on Saturday evening from their home at Winger, and spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon.

G. L. Leisner visited in this city on Sunday enroute to his home at Steiner. Mr. Leisner has spent the past few months in Cuba looking after his land interests.

Norman Holen arrived from Argyle on Friday evening and spent the week-end visiting with his many friends, before leaving for his home at Minneapolis.

Miss Lorenza Urdahl of Goodridge who has been confined to her home because of a siege of the flu, is again at her duties as clerk in Lokens' department store.

Miss Betsey Legvold visited over Sunday at the home of her parents in this city. She returned to her duties as teacher in a school near Hazel on Monday morning.

Miss Clara Gunstad of St. Hilaire, visited with her sister, Miss Rose, who attends the local high school, on Friday. While here she also attended to some shopping.

Misses Ida Knutson and Christine Anderson, who spent a few days in this city as the guests of friends, returned to their homes at Holt on Saturday morning.

Miss Hilda Jorgenson left on Thursday afternon for Moorhead, where she is attending the normal school, after a short visit in this city at the home of her parents.

Miss Oleda Brenna, who spent a few days in this city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Gustafson, returned to her home at Middle River on Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George. Curtis and child arrived on Saturday evening from Detroit and will make this city their future home. Mrs. Curtis is a sister of Mrs. Roy Lambert.

Miss Agnes Lonson returned on Monday afternoon to her duties as teacher in one of the schools in the vicinity of Gonvick, after a week's visit at her home in this city.

Orrin Ostby, who has completed a course in a Minneapolis college, arrived on Saturday morning to enter upon his duties as bookkeeper for the Thief River Grocery company.

Miss Alice Wilson, who is taking a course in nursing in the Abbott hospital at Minneapolis, arrived on Friday evening and will spend a period of a month visiting at the home of her parents.

C. T. Tandberg came down from Goodridge on Saturday and spent Sunday visiting at his home in this city. He returned to Goodridge on Monday morning to resume his duties at the bank.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher left the latter part of last week for Grand Forks, after a brief visit in this city. Mrs. Fisher and children will return to this city in about two weeks to remain permanently.

August Koglin of Steiner, was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week. While here he also visited his daughters, Misses Linda and Anna Koglin, who attend school in this city.

Oscar Anderson of Grass Range, Mont., is in the city on a visit to the family of his sister, Mrs. Oluf Tessum. Mr. Anderson has also been visiting at Minneapolis and other points in this state.

Miss Minnie Linstad, accompanied by her sister, Miss Ella, who has been a guest at her home in this city, left on Friday afternoon for Fargo where the former will visit, while the latter will resume her work.

Mrs. S. Ahlborn of Minneapolis arrived on Friday afternoon from Holt where she had been for a brief period visiting at the home of her parents. While here she was the guest of her father-in-law, A. H. Ahlborn.

Misses Rose and Clara Gunstad arrived from St. Hilaire on Monday morning. Miss Clara returned to her home on the afternoon train while the former remained here to resume her studies at the high school.

Miss Florence Lian, who has been absent from her duties at Lokens' department store account of illness, returned to this city on Friday evening from her home in Underwood, where she remained for three weeks.

Mrs. T. Sturre, accompanied by her daughter, Sophie, and son, Chas., visited in this city on Thursday enroute to their future home in Albany, N. Y. Previous to their departure they had resided in the vicinity of Kratka.

Miss Tillie Oftedahl, accompanied by her mother left on Friday afternoon for Fargo and Moorhead, where they attended to matters of business and also visited with friends. They returned to this city on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. B. Boese, who spent a day in this city attending to matters of business, returned to her home at Grand Forks on Friday afternoon. While here she was the guest of the Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichhammer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bovee and family of Baine, Minn., who visited for a short time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Rounds in this city, left on Friday evening for Felix, Ariz., where they will make an extended visit.

Miss Alice Johnson, who has been employed in this city for some time, left on Saturday morning for Holt where she will spend a week visiting with her parents before leaving for Minneapolis where she will be employed in the future.

Miss Della Roller, who has been employed at the City bakery for the past two years, left on Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will be employed. Previous to her departure she had spent a month visiting with her parents who reside near Germantown.

Lawrence Golla, who visited in this city for a month at the homes of his sisters, Mrs. V. McKinney and Mrs. Wm. Warner, returned to Dunseth, N. D., the first of last week. Enroute he will stop off at Grand Forks where he will be the guest of another sister, Mrs. Lucy Ures, for a day.

Friends have received word from Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken to the effect that they will return to this city about the middle of this month. They report having had a wonderful time during their stay in California, and also state that they live only a few doors from Mrs. F. H. Gambell.

Mrs. A. Gibson and little daughter left the first of last week for Litchfield, where they were called because of the death of Mr. Gibson. The deceased was operated on for appendicitis in a hospital at Calgary, which proved fatal because of a neglect to have his ailment attended to in time.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and little son, who have been guests at the F. H. Herrick home in this city for some time, left on Wednesday morning for their home in Oslo. They were accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Anna Watson, who will visit at the home of her daughter for a couple of weeks.

H. G. Swiggum, who for the past year has been representing the Thief River Grocery company in the Wheatline territory, has resigned his position and left on Friday evening for Grafton, N. D., where he will visit at the home of his parents. This vacancy was filled by F. A. Brown, formerly city salesman, who entered upon his duties immediately.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR THRIFT WEEK

WILL SERVE TO IMPRESS THE YOUNGSTERS WITH DANGERS OF SPENDING

State heads of the educational departments in Minnesota and Montana have officially instructed all county superintendents to cause the observance of March "thrift week" in the public schools, in accordance with the government Savings Organization's suggestion that a national week of this kind take place.

J. M. McConnell, Minnesota commissioner of education, has not only instructed special thrift exercises and programs but is forwarding a prepared textbook on the general subject of thrift. Miss May Trumper, state superintendent of education in Montana, has advised Ninth District War Savings headquarters that the public schools of her state will do all that they can do to make the week a success.

No effort will be made to sell a large number of Thrift Stamps, say the Savings workers, but that the purpose is to impress upon "the citizens of tomorrow" the importance of avoiding unnecessary expenditures and of adopting the "happy habit" of saving."

The Savings Organization explains that the government offers a practical means of thrift by supplying 25 cent thrift stamps—16 of which stamps with a few additional pennies may be exchanged for a $5 War stamp—and the pupils will be given an opportunity to sign a pledge reading:

"In order to help my government and myself, I pledge to continue to save regularly during 1920, and to invest as large a part of my savings as possible in Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps."

Suggestions for thrift day programs and appropriate songs and recitations are furnished free to the schools asking for them, these supplies being obtainable at the Ninth district headquarters in Minneapolis.

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On account of going into other lines I am offering all my good renting property—Houses, Flats and Duplexes for sale at 75c on the dollar at the present rated value of our dollar. All of these properties are bringing rents to pay big interest on the investment. Investigate this now before the other fellow picks it up.

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They give 130-inch *Springbase* to a car of 100-inch wheelbase.

This makes for the gently buoyant road action of a large, heavy car with the economy in upkeep, fuel and tires, and convenience of handling of a scientifically designed light car.

Auto-Lite starting and lighting, door-opening curtains and dash light give but a hint of the completeness and quality which characterize everything about Overland 4.

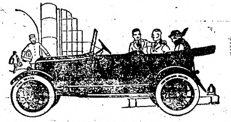

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Announcement

The Northern Woodwork Company, successors to Ole R. Revdahl & Co., will occupy their new quarters on Knight avenue near the Great Northern tracks sometime between March 15 and April 1. The building is rapidly nearing completion and the installation of machinery will soon be under way.

At the new plant we will be in better shape than ever before to undertake any job in the woodworking line, such as Store Fixtures, Millwork, Sash, Doors, Screens, Etc.

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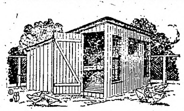

It is Economy to Build Now

PRICES on materials are not going to drop appreciably for some time and the use you will receive from the building will more than repay the slight difference.

Just think of what you could save in both time and labor if you had a new chicken coop or an up-to-date hog house.

Your stock will do better, yield bigger returns and you will be able to care for them with less work.

There are many men who still hesitate to engage upon any elaborate building program at this time, and they are liable to carry their conservation to a point where they will lose money.

You cannot make a mistake in providing better quarters for your livestock, no matter how you feel about building generally.

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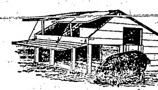

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Catarrh of the Nose, Throat and Stomach.

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AUCTION SALE

Having sold my land I will sell at public auction the property named below at the C. L. Hansen farm on the southeast quarter of section 25, town of Silverton, 8 miles east of Thief River Falls and 1 mile south of stop No. 8 on the Electric Line, on

Monday, March 22

Commencing at 10 o'clock.

1 Sorrel mare, 12 years old, wt. 1200.
1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1150.
1 Bay mare, 6 years old, wt. 1600.

1 Brown cow, 7 years old, giving milk.
1 Roan cow, 6 years old, just fresh.
1 Spotted cow, 4 years old, fresh in June.
1 Roan cow, 5 years old, giving milk.
1 Red grade Shorthorn heifer calf.

90 Plymouth Rock chickens.

1 Van Brunt drill, 16 single disc.
1 18-Shoe Moline drill, with grass seed attachment, good as new.
1 6-ft. Deering binder.
1 7-ft. McCormick binder, good as new.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower.
3 5-ft. Deering mowers.
1 10-ft. Deering hay rake.
1 10-ft. Minnesota hay rake.
1 16-inch John Deere sulky plow.
1 14-inch Walking plow.
1 14-disc Harrow.
1 16-disc Osborne harrow.
1 14-disc Moline harrow.
2 Steel harrows.
1 Wide tired wagon.
1 Steel truck wagon.
1 Wagon with good wagon box.
1 Bob sleigh.
2 Good hay racks.
1 Bull Dog fanning mill.
1 Good platform scale, 1000 lbs.
1 Walking potato digger or lister.
1 Corn drill.
1 Disc corn cultivator.
1 2-horse 6-shovel riding cultivator.
1 1-horse Cultivator.
1 12-inch Breaking plow.
1 16-inch Breaking plow.

2 Sets good working harness.
1 De Laval cream separator, good as new.

1 1914 Model Studebaker auto, 5-passenger, in good condition.

1 250-egg Queen incubator.
1 250-chick Queen brooder.

2 Heavy brass beds, complete.
2 Iron beds, complete.
3 Dressers.
1 Chiffonier.
1 Sewing machine and table.
1 Round extension dining room table.
1 China closet.
6 Dining room chairs.
3 Leather rocing chairs.
4 Plain rocking chairs.
1 Library table.
1 Writing desk and book case.
1 Leather couch.
1 Kithen abinet.
1 Large Round Oak heating stove, good as new.
1 Small heating stove.
1 Box stove heater.
1 No. 9 Quick Meal range.
1 Oil heater.
1 3-burner Kerosene stove.
2 Rugs, 9x12 feet.
1 Gasoline lamps.
1 22-caliber Rifle.
1 8-day Clock.
6 Heavy picture frames, with glass.
1 *Washing machine.*
1 doz. Sanitary wire hen nests.
1 Bench vise and some carpenter tools.
6 Good barrels.
Dishes, cooking utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10, cash; ove rthat amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

VAL YAGER, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction the properey named below at my farm on the NE quarter of section 19, Town of North, 3 miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock

1 black horse, 7 years old, wt. 1400
1 bay horse, 8 years old, wt. 1400
1 bay horse, 8 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 bay mare, 7 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 sorrel mare, 8 years old, wt. 1400
1 mare colt, 2 years old
1 horse colt, 1 year old
1 red cow, 7 years old, was fresh in Dec.
1 red cow, 8 years old, was fresh in Dec.
1 red cow, 5 years old, was fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 6 years old, was fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 7 years old, was fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 5 years old, was fresh in Feb.
3 red steers, coming 2 years old
1 red bull, coming 2 years old
2 red heifers, coming 1 year old
2 bull calves
6 spring calves
About 125 chickens, mostly White Leghorns
11 Bronze turkeys
1 Plano binder, 6-ft. cut
1 Deering mower, 5-ft. cut

1 Minnesota rake, 10-ft. nearly new
1 20-double disc Monitor drill, new
1 gang plow, 14-inch
1 4-horse harrow
1 wide tire wagon, nearly new
1 narrow tire wagon
1 Haney buggy good as new
1 14-disc Osborne disc harrow
1 buck rake
1 single horse cultivator
1 2-horse cultivator
1 Galloway manure spreader
1 Planet Jr., garden planter and cultivator, nearly new
1 set heavy breeching harness
1 set work harness
1 single harness
1 single work harness
1 fanning mill
About 35 grain sacks
1 Rumley cream separator
1 barrel churn, 5-gal.
1 Oak Home heating stove
1 2-burner kerosene stove, with oven
1 Edison Amberol phonograph, with 90 records

Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

AUGUST SODERBERG, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my land, I will sell at public auction the property named below at my farm, the SE quarter of section 20, Town of Excel, 1 mile north of Steiner and 7 miles north of Thief River Falls, on

Tuesday, March 16

Commencing at 11 o'clock

1 team of black geldings, 4 and 5 years old, weight 2400 lbs.
1 team of horses, 7 years old, weight 2800 lbs.
1 bay mare, 10 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 colt, 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 John Deere binder, with truck, 6-ft. cut
1 McCormick binder, 8-ft. cut
1 Minnesota mower, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
1 Minnesota rake, 10-ft.
1 Ideal, 14-single disc drill, with grass seed attachment
1 disc
1 Dowagiac drill, 16-shoe
1 2-horse riding cultivator
1 double row cultivator

1 16-in. sulky plow
1 14-in. walking plow
1 2-section iron drag
1 3-horse drag
2 wide tire wagons
2 bob sleighs
1 hay rack
1 fanning mill
1 Hero fanning mill
1 double seated buggy
1 sow thistle killer
1 grindstone
1 galvanized oil barrel, with faucet 55 gallons
2 sets of working harness

About 500 bushels of oats
All the machinery listed above is as good as new

FREE HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

WM. FURSTNAU, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Evidence

THIS BANK has always taken pride in its reputation for unusual efficiency in the handling of farm auction sales.

WE BELIEVE that the group of nine pending sales advertised on this page, together with the five sucessful sales we have already handled this season, give proof that we are still very much on the job.

ANNOUNCEMENT of other auctions which we have booked for the spring season will be made later.

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AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction the property named below at my farm on the SE quarter of section 10, Town of Reiner, 9½ miles east of Goodridge, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 11

Commencing at 10:00 o'clock sharp.

1 black gelding, weight 1400 lbs.
1 black mare, weight 1450 lbs.
1 black mare, weight 1375 lbs.
1 brown mare, weight 1400 lbs.
1 red cow, 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 5 years old, fresh in Feb.
1 red cow, 5 years old, fresh in Feb.
1 roan cow, 9 years old, fresh in Dec.
1 red cow, 10 years old, will be fresh in May.
1 red cow, 8 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 red and white cow, fresh in Dec.
1 red and white cow, 2½ years old, fresh in Jan.
1 red and white cow, 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 3 years old, fresh in Feb.
1 red cow, 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 3 years old, fresh in Mar.
10 calves by registered sire.
1 yearling heifer
1 Berkshire sow
1 Berkshire brood sow, with pigs
3 sets breeching work harness
2 Stoughton wide tire wagons
1 Columbus wide tire wagon
1 37-in. wagon box and seat
1 Cloverleaf No. 5 manure spreader
1 Deering 8-ft. binder with truck
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
1 Acme mower, 5-ft. cut
1 Dain mower, 5-ft. cut
1 Acme 10-ft. self-dump hay rake
1 McCormick 10-ft. self-dump hay rake
2 Dain sweep rakes
1 Dain overshot stacker
1 Van Brunt, 18 double disc drill, with grass attachment
1 John Deere 14 disc, with truck and eveners
1 John Deere cutaway disc, with truck, 12 disc.
1 John Deere, 14-in. gang plow, extra shares
1 Bradley, 12-in. plow
1 P. & O. tractor plow, 18 inch, with truck and hitch
1 12-ft. land roller and pulverizer
1 4-horse Boss harrow
1 3-horse Boss harrow
1 2-horse Boss harrow
1 John Deere riding cultivator

1 horse harrow
1 combination garden seeder and cultivator
1 set of bob sleighs with long cross chains, 2½ inch runners
2 hay racks
1 jumper with open and closed body
1 Democrat buggy
2 scrapers
1 road drag
1 Winning fanning mill, with all needed sieves and power attachment
1 large grindstone with crank and pulley
1 netting fence stretcher
1 Boston land level with tripod and rod
1 Ford Touring Car
2 bicycles
2 stock tanks
1 force sprayer
1 Farmer dinner bell
1 double harpoon fork
3 hay slings
1 DeLaval separator, No. 15
3 milk cans
1 8-16 Mogul tractor, with belt pulley and extension and self-steering
10-in. Martin feed mill, extra set of burrs
1 8-in. 50-ft. belt
1 1½ H. P. Stately engine
1 pump jack and belt
1 oil wagon
9 steel oil barrels, some oil and grease
1 forge and other blacksmith tools
1 Beloit scale, 1400-lb. capacity
1 cyclone grass seeder
1 meat chopper, with crank and pulley
1 sausage stuffer
800 lbs. of Clover and Timothy seed
100 bu. White Russian seed oats
500 bu. Early Yellow oats
75 bu. seed barley
500 bu. good feed oats
Some Timothy hay
80 grain sacks
4 horse blankets
2 sets fly nets
Ropes, chains, cables and other articles too numerous to mention

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

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ANTON KNUDSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following property named below at my farm on the NW quarter of section 1, Town of Kratka, 2½ miles south of Stop 13 on the Electric line

Tuesday, March 30

Commencing at 10:30 o'clock

1 bay mare
1 bay mare
1 bay mare coming 4 years old
1 bay horse coming 5 years old
1 bay horse coming 3 years old, wt. about 1300
1 red cow, was fresh about Jan. 1.
1 heifer, in calf
1 Deering binder, 8-ft. cut with truck
1 20-single disc Van Brunt drill
1 13-in. John Deere gang plow
1 disc harrow, 14 disc
1 5-section drag
1 Deere & Weber wide tire wagon
1 new Rock Island low wagon
1 double wagon box
1 spring seat

2 hay racks
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
1 galvanized 10-barrel stock tank
1 Hero fanning mill
1 platform scale, 1000-lbs.
1 cream separator
2 sets of work harness
1 single harness
1 buggy pole
65 grain sacks
200 bushels Golden Yellow oats
About 6 ton of Timothy and Clover hay
Some carpenter tools
Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

HALVOR T. HOMME, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction the property named below at my farm on the northwest quarter of section 27, town of Silverton, 6 miles east and 1 mile north of Thief River Falls, or ½ mile south of stop No. 6 on the Electric Line.

Saturday, March 13

Commencing at 11:30 o'clock.

1 Team of Western horses, wt. 2700.
1 Gray mare, 6 years old, wt. 1350.
1 Bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 1800.
1 Red cow, 5 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 Red and white cow, 4 years old, fresh in November.
1 Red and white cow, 6 years old, fresh in January.
1 Heifer, 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 Half grade Holstein cow, 5 years old, will be fresh in June.
1 Holstein heifer, 2½ years old.
1 Grade Shorthorn heifer, 2 years old.
1 Heifer, 1 year old.
1 Bull, 1 year old.
1 Steer, 1 year old.
60 Chickens.

1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. with truck; 1 Van Brunt single 16-disc drill; 1 4-horse harrow; 1 14-disc harrow; 1 John Deere gang plow, 13-inch; 1 Emerson sulky plow, 16-inch; 1 wide tire Stoughton wagon, good as new; 1 kitchen range; 1 Favorite self feeder coal stove; 1 bureau; 1 wash stand; 3 rocking chairs; 1 writing desk; 1 wardrobe; 1 kitchen buffet; 2 beds and springs; 1 table; 10 kitchen chairs; 1 sofa; 1 Victor phonograph, 64 records and case; 1 sewing machine; 1 washing machine; 1 Cyclone churn; 1 DeLaval cream separator; 1 National incubator, 166-eggs capacity; other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All hums under $10, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

HALVOR HJELDEN, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction all of my personal property, on the Mrs. John Dahlow farm, the southeast quarter of section 12, town of North, 3 miles east and 3 miles north of Thief River Falls, being 1½ miles north of stop No. 4 on the Electric Line.

Friday, March 26

Sale starts at 10 o'clock sharp.

HORSES AND CATTLE

1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1300.
1 Sorrel mare, 6 years old, wt. 1300.
1 Blue mare, 4 years old, wt. 1150.
1 Blue horse, 7 years old, wt. 1200.
1 Bay horse, 7 years old, wt. 1200.
1 Red cow, 8 years old, fresh June 1.
1 Roan cow, 6 years old, fresh about June.
1 Red and white cow, 6 years old, fresh May 1.
1 Red and white cow, 4 years old, fresh May 1.
1 Red and white cow, 7 years old, with calf 6 weeks old.
2 Red heifers, 2½ years old, fresh soon
1 Red heifer, 2 years old.
1 Red heifer, 1½years old.
3 Heifer calves, 9 months old.
1 Bull calf, 2 months old.
1 Red bull, 2 years old.
1 Grade Holstein bull, 3 years old.

FARM MACHINERY

1 14-inch Emerson gang plow.
1 8-ft. Moline disc harrow, 14-disc.
1 Keystone drill, 20 single disc.
1 4-horse Drag.
1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut, with truck.
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut.
1 McCormick hay rake, 12-ft
1 Sweep rake.
1 1-horse Cultivator.
2 Hay racks. 1 10-barrel water tank.
2 Sets bob sleighs.
1 Rock Island wagon and 80-bu. grain tank, good as new.
1 Wagon with box. 1 buggy.
1 Newton fanning mill.
1 DeLaval cream separator.
4 Sets good work harness.
1 Set buggy harness.
8 Bushels Millet.
1 5-passenger, Hupmobile.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

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E. E. ANDERSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm on the NE quarter of section 33, Town of Cloverleaf, on the State road, 2 miles SE of Mavie, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 18

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock

1 white mare, weight 1300 lbs.
1 white mare, weight 1250 lbs.
1 black horse, weight 1100 lbs.
1 black colt, coming 3 years old
1 gray colt, coming 3 years old
8 Shorthorn cows
1 red cow, 8 years old, fresh in May
1 red cow, 5 years old, fresh in April
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh in May
1 spotted cow, 5 years old, was fresh in January
1 red cow, 5 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh in Apr.
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh in May
1 red cow, 3 years old, fresh in June
1 Shorthorn bull, 1½ years old
2 heifer calves, 11 months old
3 yearling bull calves
1 heifer calf, 3 weeks old.
1 brood sow, 9 months old, will farrow in May
10 geese
40 Plymouth Rock hens

1 low wheel truck wagon
1 bob sleigh
2 hay racks
1 5-ft. McCormick mower
1 14-in. New Deere gang plow
1 4-horse drag
1 16-shoe Kentucky drill
1 14-in. breaking plow
1 wheelbarrow
8 tons Timothy hay
6 bu. Timothy seed
1 Mersbe steel range
1 15-gal. stone jar
1 3-burner kerosene stove
1 dresser
1 Kimball organ
2 dozen fruit jars
1 8-gal. churn
1 8-gal. cream can
1 DeLaval cream separator
1 spinning wheel
Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

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JOHN ULVILD, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction at the Andrew Erickson farm on the SW quarter of section 9, Town of Sanders, 2 miles south and 6 miles west of Thief River Falls, on

Friday, March 12

Commencing at 12:00 o'clock sharp

HORSES, CATTLE, ETC.

1 team of mares, 8 and 9 years old, weight 3150 lbs.
1 gelding, 4 years old, weight 1400
1 mare, 3 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.
1 mare, 12 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 gelding about 12 years old weight 1300 lbs.
1 cow 6 years old
[illegible]
1 cow 4 years old, fresh in March
1 heifer, 3 years old, fresh in March
1 heifer 3 years old, fresh in June
1 heifers, 2 years old.
1 heifer, 1 year old
1 bull, 9 months old
2 calves, 7 months old

FARM MACHINERY

18-ft. McCormick binder with truck
20 disc Kentucky drill, 16 shoe
1 three-horse drag

1 14-in. Emerson gang plow
1 walking cultivator
1 7-ft. Osborne disc
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick rake, 10-ft.
1 10-ft. Deering rakes
1 truck wagon with double box
1 truck wagon with hay rack
[illegible] flat rack
1 top buggy
1 16-in. Emerson prairie breaker
1 single harness
2 sets work harness; collars
1 DeLaval cream separator
1 new two-burner oil stove
1 tent, 14-17
Horse blankets
Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

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DICK ERICKSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

First and Peoples State Bank

Auction Sales

Ed. Klappenbach

Having sold my farm and will retire, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the NE1-4 section 15, Town of Sanders, two miles south and four miles west of Thief River Falls, all of the following personal property, to-wit:

Saturday, March 6

HORSES

1 sorrel team, weight 2200 lbs., five and ten years old.
1 bay team, weight 2000 lbs., five and six years old.

LIVE STOCK

1 red cow, fresh in March.
1 graded Guernsey cow, fresh in March.
1 red cow, fresh in May.
1 red cow, fresh in May.
1 spotted cow, fresh in May.
1 black cow, fresh.
1 graded Guernsey, fresh in March.
1 3-year old heifer, fresh in March.
1 roan cow, fresh.
1 spotted cow, fresh in March.
1 2-year old heifer, fresh in June.
2 yearling calves.
2 calves 2 months old.
Some full blooded Rhode Island chickens.

Farm Implements

1D eering binder, 6-ft. cut.
1 Deering mower.
1 hay rake.
1 breaking plow.
1 3-horse drag.
1 riding cultivator.
1 truck wagon.
1 narrow tire wagon.
1 John Deere manure spreader.
1 set buggy harness.
1 set farm harness.
1 hay rack.
1 sled.
1 DeLaval cream separator.
1 heater.
1 New Home sewing machine, and other articles too numerous to mention.

This sale will commence at 10:00 o'clock sharp.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

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ED. KLAPPENBACH, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Henry Hanson

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auc tion on my farm, the NE¼ of section 30, Town of Silverton, four miles east and one mile north of Thief River Falls, and ½ mile south of stop 5, on the electric line, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all the following described personal property, to-wit:

4—HORSES—4

1 brood mare 8 years old, color bay.
1 sorrel horse 6 years old.
1 bay horse 9 years old.
1 gray horse 8 years old.

LIVE STOCK

1 cow 9 years old, color red and white, one-half milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 7 years old, color white 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 2½ years old, color red and white, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 8 years old, color red and slightly roan, 15-16 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 6 years old, color roan, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 3 years old, color red, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
1 cow 3 years old, color roan, 3-4 milking Shorthorn.
The above all Tuberculin tested in 1919.
1 Guernsey heifer 2 years old 63-64 Guernsey.
1 heifer 2 years old, ½ Red Poll.
1 bull 15 months old.
1 bull 13 months old.
2 heifers 10 months old, ½ Holstein.
1 heifer 12 months old, ¼ Guernsey.
3 heifer calves, ½ Holstein.
The Holstein calves are out of a bull raised by Hans Rued.
1 Chester White brood sow, farrow about March 20th.

SHEEP

7 grade Shropshire ewes, due in March and Apr.
1 aged ram and 1 ram ten months old
All of the above live stock are choice stuff and in fine condition.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 75-bu. John Deere manure spreader.
1 16-disc Van Brunt drill with grass seeder attachment.
1 6-ft. cut McCormick binder.
1 McCormick mower.
1 Minnesota mower.
1 Deering hay rake.
1 12-in. John Deere gang plow.
1 16-in. Emerson sulky plow.
1 16-in. Emerson breaker attachment.
1 John Deere riding cultivator.
1 low wagon.
1 wagon box.
1 2-seated buggy.
1 hay rack.
1 4-horse drag.
1 14-in. Osborne disc.
1 1916 Maxwell automobile.
1 fanning mill.
1 set work harness.
About 200 bushels of White Russian oats.
About 20 bushels of Green Mountain (white) potatoes.
About 400 bushels of Burbank potatoes.
About 200 bushels Early Ohio potatoes.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

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HENRY HANSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Oscar A. Rambeck

Having rented my farm I will sell at Public Auction on my farm, the southwest uarter of section 34, Town of Grand Plain, 3½ miles north and one mile east of Mavie, on

MONDAY, MARCH 15

All the following described property, to-wit:

8—HORSES—8

1 horse 7 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 horse 7 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
1 horse 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 horse 12 years old, weight 1150 lbs.
1 horse 5 years old, weight 1150 lbs.
1 mare 10 years old, weight 1150.
1 mare colt 2 years old.
1 mare colt 2 years old.

26—HEAD CATTLE—26

1 cow 5 years old, fresh Feb. 1.
1 cow 6 years old, coming fresh about May 20.
1 cow 6 years old, fresh Feb. 7th.
1 cow 8 years old, coming fresh March 1.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 4.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 6.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 6.
1 cow 3 years old, fresh Feb. 10.
1 heifer 3 years old, coming fresh this spring.
1 heifer 3 years old, will be fresh about March 15.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 12.
1 cow 7 years old, fresh Feb. 2.
1 heifer coming 2 years old.
1 3-4 Shorthorn bull 2 years old.
5 yearling heifers.
7 calves.

FARM MACHINERY

1 7-cut Moline binder nearly new.
1 20-single disc Van Brunt drill nearly new with seed attachment.
1 13-in. John Deere gang plow, good as new.
1 70-bu. Nisco manure spreader, in good shape.
1 Gale 8-shovel pivot axle riding cultivator.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower. 1 walking cultivator
1 three section lever wooden drag.
1 10-ft. McCormick hay rake.
1 manure carrier with 100 ft. track.
1 Weber wide tire wagon.
1 farm truck.
1 good steel wheel truck.
1 good sleigh, 7-ft. runners.
1 good sleigh 6-ft. runners.
1 wagon box.
1 Winner fanning mill with sack attachment.
1 hay rack.
1 15-barrel galvanized stock tank.
1 8-barrel galvanized stock tank.
1 Empire cream separator No. 35, 900 lb. capacity.
1 single buggy.
1 John Deere disc harrow, 14 disc.
1 14-in. breaking plow.
1 Allwork tractor, new, only ground feed with three times.
1 triple bottom John Deere engine plow with stubble and breaker bottom.
1 Emerson Brantingham engine tandem disc, 8-ft.
1 Letz No. 2, with self-sharpening burrs.
7 good work harness.
1 complete threshing rig consisting of one 80 B H P J. I. Case steam plow engine.
1 12-25 Mogul tractor in good shape.
1 8-bottom J. I. Case Independent beam plow.
250 cedar fence posts.
1,000 ft. lumber.
1 Niagara second steel frame separator, fully equipped with belts.
1 water tank with pump and good hose.
1 set of 12-in. extensions for engine.
Full set of blacksmith tools.
All kinds of small tools.
1 40-Egg incubator and brooder.
1 No. 9 range.
Household goods and many other articles too numerous to mention.

This Sale Will Commence at 10:00 o'clock Sharp.

Hot Lunch Served at Noon

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OSCAR A. RAMBECK, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Hans H. Peterson

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm the southwest quarter of section 3, Town of Adger, six miles east and four and one-half miles north of Thief River Falls, two and one-half miles north and one mile east of Silverton elevator, the following described property, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17th.

SIX HEAD OF HORSES

1 black mare, 12 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 bay horse, 12 years old, weight 1250 lbs.
1 iron gray horse, 11 years old, weight about 1250
1 black horse, 11 years old, weight about 1250
1 dark brown horse, 12 years old, weight about 1600 lbs.
1 dark roan horse, 5 years old, weight about 1200

LIVE STOCK, MOSTLY SHORTHORNS, TEN COWS

1 cow, will freshen in May
1 cow, fresh in April
1 cow, fresh in May
1 cow, fresh in May
1 cow, was fresh in February
1 cow, was fresh in February
1 cow, fresh in May
1 cow, fresh in March
1 cow, fresh in March
1 cow, fresh in April
1 grade Shorthorn bull, will be 2 years old in May
1 heifer, with calf
4 yearling heifers
1 year-old steer
1 brood sow, will farrow the latter part of Apr.

FARM IMPLEMENTS and OTHER ARTICLES

1 McCormick binder, 7-ft. cut
1 McCormick mower, 4½-ft. cut
1 Milwaukee mower, 5-ft. cut
1 Deering hay rake
1 Stoughton wagon with grain tank
1 disc harrow, 14 disc
1 Van Brunt disc drill, 18 disc
1 4-section wood harrow
1 3-section harrow
1 hay rack
1 65-gal. tin tank
1 Mandt wagon with hay rack
1 pair bob sleighs
1 double buggy
1 Moline gang plow with 5-horse hitch
1 Emerson sulky plow
1 4½ H. P. Olds gas engine and feed mill
1 48-gal. steel barrel
1 55-gal. steel barrel
Set blacksmith tools complete
1 set 1 3-4-in. tugs, butt chains and breeching harness
1 set 1½-ih. tugs, butt chain breeching harness good as new
1 set heel chain harness
2 light harness
1 DeLaval cream separator, No. 15
1 15-gal. barrel churn with pulleys
1 Hinman milking machine, 2 units, with fittings for James steel stalls
400 bushels of oats
20 bushels of cleaned Siberian Millet seed
15 bushels of flax seed
About 10 ton of Timothy hay

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ETC.

1 extension table
1 washing machine with wringer
And other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

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HANS H. PETERSON, Owner

T. K. RYNESTAD, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

First and Peoples State Bank

Auction Sales

TOBIAS SKJERPING

Having decided to retire from farming, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the northeast quarter of section 23, Town of Smiley, better known as the Haraldson farm, 8 miles east and 4 miles south of Thief River Falls, the following described personal property:

FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1920

Sale commencing at 10 o'clock sharp.

Fifteen Head of Good Horses

1 Bay horse 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Bay mare 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Black mare 10 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Black horse 5 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Black horse 12 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 Bay horse 12 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Bay mare 11 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Bay horse 7 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Gray horse 12 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Roan horse 8 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Gray horse 13 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Bay horse 8 years old, weight 1000 lbs. Saddle horse
1 Bay mule 6 years old, weight 900 lbs.
1 Roan mule 6 years old, weight 900 lbs.
1 Black mare 9 years old, weight 1350 lbs.

Twenty-Seven Head of Live Stock

6—PURE BRED SHORTHORNS—6

No. 169010 Gipsy B., calved Dec. 25, 1913, became fresh last week in February.
No. 5051175, Guerina S., calved January 25th, 1915, sired by N . 558254 Buck, will be fresh in April
No. 842464 Gipsy Queen, calved February 16th, 1919, not bred.
No. 695430 Beauty, calved March 12th, 1918, not bred

HERD BULL

No. 558254 Buck, calved March 5th, 1916.
1 Pure bred bull calf, not yet registered.

21—HIGH GRADE SHORTHORN—21

1 White cow 6 years old, fresh in March
1 White cow, 6 years old, fresh in April
1 Red cow 6 years old, fresh in April
1 Red and white cow 4 years old, fresh in summer
1 Red cow 6 years old, fresh in May
All of the above are sired by herd bull No. 558254 Buck
1 Red and white cow 7 years old, became fresh in February
1 Red and white cow 8 years old, became fresh in February
1 Red and white cow 8 years old, became fresh in Jan.
3 Red heifers, 2 years old
5 Red heifers, 1 year old
1 White heifer 1 year old
4 heifer calves, 6 months old
All Cattle Tuberculin Tested in January.

Farm Implements and Other Articles

1 McCrmick binder 6-ft. cut
1 Van Brunt 20-shoe drill
1 wide tire wagon
1 Heavy wide tire wagon
2 John Deere gang plows
1 Disc, good as new
1 16-in. breaker
1 John Deere 16-in. walking plow
2 four horse drags. 1 cultivator
1 Single buggy
1 new set of heavy harness
8 sets of work harness, complete
1 set of light harness
About 25 loads of wood in poles
A lot of other articles too numerous to mention.

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W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk

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High School Progress

Are You Going to Warren?

Are you going to Warren? You bet you are! Everyone is going. So are you. The game which decides whether or not Thief River Falls gets the championship of this district is to be held there on Saturday, March 6. A couple of extra coaches are going to be engaged. Why? Because 400 students are going. A real good time and a spicy game is assured everyone. Warren surely had a representative when they were up here—let's show them that we can represent our school with just as many people. Do not let Warren, with its small population, beat the Power City. Show them that we have pep, too! Are you going? You bet you are!

Washington's Birthday

Last Monday a program was held in the high school at chapel hour, in honor of George Washington's birthday. The program was begun by singing the "Star Spangled Banner." Clarence Vevea then gave a very interesting talk on George Washington's life. Miss Evans also spoke on George Washington's childhood and later life. The program was ended by singing "America." We are reminded of Longfellow's poem, "The Psalm of Life:"

Lives of great men all remind us,
We can make our lives sublime,
And departing, leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time.

They Say:

There is going to be a big game at Warren on Saturday, March 6. Are you going

Our assembly boards look like a funny paper. Read them.

Grace Bakke is still wondering why she gets better marks in Norse than the rest of the students.

Warren was down here last Wednesday. Did you see them?

Ruth Knutson answered the roll call this morning.

Lost: Two studens from Mr. Melby's general science class. No reward for return.

Wm. Alexander came to school without skipping the last period.

Several students almost fainted when they found out that Monday, the 23rd, after Washington's birthday, wasn't a school holiday.

Gregory Werstlein left Tuesday for Grand Forks, where he will spend a few days attending a tractor school.

Lulu Borden has withdrawn from school to accompany her parents to their new home in Washington.

Lillian Mundell has left school due to illness after a hard case of flu.

Roscoe Bake has returned to school after several weeks of illness.

Bookkeeping students of last year have to be early birds if they are going to get to the "make-up" class at 7:45 a. m.

Kenneth Russell spent last weekend at his home near Steiner.

Joe Weirus' dog is figuring on starting school.

The Senior class play, "The Strenuous Life," is going to be "some play."

They say that Warren thinks that Tubby LaBree is very graceful.

Charles Herron is suffering with a sprained ankles since the Freshmen-Sophomore game.

Dennis McGinn is writing a book entitled, "How to Make Personal Fouls."

Miss Houghton was absent several days last week on account of illness.

The basket ball people have relieved their strenuous work in the last few weeks by social entertainments given at the different homes. The first was given at the home of Clarence Vevea, the second at Viola Lund's home, the third at Joseph Weirus' and the fourth at Gordon LaBree's. The evenings were spent in playing cards and dancing after which light lunches were served. These little entertainments were not only enjoyed by everyone but stimulated a greater interest in athletics.

Katie Dahl, librarian, has a new job; she takes the mice out of the traps in Miss Taylor's room.

Local Notes

Subscribe for The Times and get all the news.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Gunderson Feb. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned Monday from a month's buying trip in the East.

Geo. Borden, cashier of a bank at Brooks, spent Sunday here as the guest of Morlan Bishop.

Miss Rose Hance returned Monday to her school at Red Lake Falls after spending Sunday at home.

Carl Sundahl, who spent the past month in Chicago receiving optical treatment, returned Monday.

A. A. Christian of Minneapolis was a guest the first of the week of his cousin, Miss Estelle Charboneau.

Miss Christine Wagedahl of Holt spent a few days this week with her sister, who is a patient at the sanatorium.

Oscar Anderson left the first of the week for Grass Range, Mont., after a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Oluf Tessum.

Wm. J. Ferguson of Saskatoon, Can., was a guest during the week at the home of Miss Inez and Al Parenteau. He left Friday evening for Minneapolis.

Mrs. E. O. Erickson returned Monday evening from Henning, where she had been visiting for a few days. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Louise.

J. A. Speiler of Mavie passed thru the city on Monday, headed for Red Lake Falls, where he unloaded three carloads of Cletrac tractors. Red Lake and Marshall counties have recently been added to Mr. Speiler's territory and he expects to be kept pretty busy.

Faculty Party.

The members of the local faculty enjoyed a cleverly appointed party last Friday evening in the high school gymnasium. It was in the nature of a military affair and all amusements of the evening were in keeping with that spirit. Much merriment and laughter was afforded the guests in their experiences with army life. Mess call concluded the evening's jollities. It was decided at this gathering to have each school entertain the faculty before the expiration of the school year.

The City Churches

Bible Lectures at Odd Fellows Hall—Did you ever wonder why God used so many symbols in revealing the history of the world? He has told us why. We invite you who understand the Scandinavian language to come to the Odd Fellows Hall on Sunday evening, March 7, at 8 o'clock, and hear this subject: "Who is born in Dan. 7:8, 21, 25, having eyes as a man and a mouth speaking great things, but no ears." Come and bring a friend. —O. O. Dahl, Evangelist.

The Sw. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services and Sunday school next Sunday morning at 10:30. The ladies' aid society will be entertained Friday afternoon, March 5, in the church basement by Mrs. R. Johnson and Mrs. J. Longren. Lunch 15 cents. The Home Coming festival will be held in honor of the boys who have been in the service of their country, by the Luther League on Friday evening, March 5.

Christian Science—Services at the Library Auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject "Man." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting at Wistven's on Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Choir practice Thursday, March 4th, at Mrs. Theo. Liden's. Bethlehem Ladies aid meets with Mrs. Ole Ose Wednesday, March 10th. Zion Ladies aid on Thursday, March 11, entertained by Mrs. Bean. Zion Young Peoples meeting on Thursday evening March 11th. Confirmants meet on

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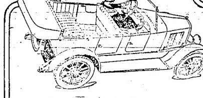

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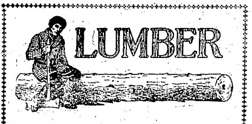

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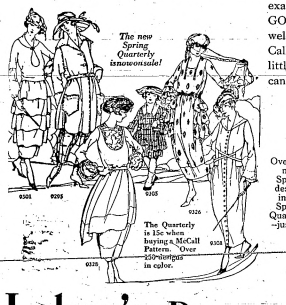
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REPORT ON FIELD WORK OF PAST YEAR AT OAKLAND SANATORIUM

An account of some of the activities being carried out for the anti-tuberculosis movement by the counties maintaining Oakland Park sanatorium at Thief River Falls will undoubtedly be of interest to residents of these counties. As soon as arrangements can be made it is planned to undertake work in the remainder of the sanatorium district similar to that explained in the following article by the sanatorium medical director which appeared in a recent issue of the Minnesota Public Health Journal:

"One of the most important elements necessary for the successful conduct of a tuberculosis sanatorium consists of field work which naturally embraces the tuberculosis clinic. This latter has for its end in a community a two-fold purpose. First, examination and advise by a tuberculosis specialist for all new, postitive or suspected cases of this disease, where secondarily it offers a method whereby discharged cases may be followed up so that fruitful results derived during their stay at the sanatorium may not be lost through neglect or absence of a continued advise when necessary for the affected individual.

"That communities, when given the opportunity, will embrace the advantages of the Tuberculosis Clinic, was shown conclusively in a recent series of such clinics held in Marshall county. Gratifying results were obtained both in response of individuals for examination and the spirit manifested by the people as a whole in this movement for better health.

"A total of eight clinics showed over three hundred applicants appearing for examination or advice. This pleasing response was in a great measure due to the pre-clinic efforts of Miss Elizabeth Hanson, R. N., Marshall county public health nurse. The plan undertaken for preliminary work was as follows:

"1. Records of reported cases of tuberculosis were obtained when possible from the local health officer.

"2. Suspected cases of tuberculosis were interviewed and advised to visit the Clinic.

"3. Members of families harboring or having harbored a known case of tuberculosis were invited to visit the Clinic, special stress being laid upon the appearance of children of such families.

"4. Certain cases of vague ill health in the community were interviewed and requested to appear for advice if not for examination.

"5. Children from schools in the community affected with ill-defined indispositions were given careful consideration.

"6. Local physicians were invited to co-operate with a view of assistance in the appearance of their tuberculosis cases.

"7. Publicity was given to the Clinic by means of the county press.

Histories and records on clinic day were in charge of the county public health nurse while the clinical examination was carried out by the medical director of the sanatorium.

"Following examination advise to the applicant was given by the clinician, according to the condition present. Suitable cases were advised to seek sanatorium care and treatment, with observation for tuberculosis suspects. Arrested cases were advised as to the status of their lung condition and the possibility of enjoying good health under their present mode of life.

"Patients with non-pulmonic conditions were advised to seek treatment from their own family phsician, surgeon, or specialist as the occasion demanded. Of these latter cases there appeared a goodly number affected with various conditions which necessitated care and treatment of other physicians rather than the tuberculosis specialist and they were advised accordingly.

"The results obtained through these clinics show their value to a community not only from the standpoint of tuberculosis, but also a general public health measure.

"Such clinics bring many individuals for examination through enthusiasm of their neighbors and the opportunity for free examination and advice. The prime requisite for successful rural tuberculosis clinic work is the health nurse, who should be either a county health nurse with special training in the work or a full-time specially trained tuberculosis nurse, for it is through her efforts mainly that the success of the clinics depends both as to primary and ultimate results obtained.

"As wide publicity as possible must be given to the proposed Clinic particularly as to its object, date, hours of examination and advantage to to be derived by applicants and the community in general.

"The county press offers the best medium for such a notice and the latter should appear at least one week previous to clinic day, for individuals far removed may find it necessary to so arrange their business affairs to allow for a full day's absence from home.

"Local town officials, business men and educators can assist materially towards successful results in this work for they generally are to be considered the leaders in methods for economic prosperity which must have as its primary adjunct good health in any community."

Mrs. Pfiffner Called.

Word has been received in this city of the death of Mrs. E. J. Pfiffner at Stevens Point, Wis. Deceased was the daughter of James Meehan, a former resident of this city and well-known to all old-timers. Mrs. Pfiffner never lived in Thief River Falls, being born in Sauk county, Wis., and spending all her life in that state. Her husband is still interested in this city, being the owner of the Meehan block on Second street.

Repair Expert Arrives.

George F. Curtis, an expert automobile repair man formerly connected with one of the large garages at Detroit, Minn., arrived last week and has taken up his new post with the Peoples Auto company. He will have full charge of the back room at the garage and will devote his attention entirely to the repairing of automobiles and tractors. Mrs. Curtis and children are also here and the family has secured a flat for housekeeping in the McGinn block.

Republican County Convention of Pennington Co., Minnesota

Pursuant to the call of the Republican State Central committee and of the Republican District committee for this Congressional District, a Republican County convention for this county is hereby called to meet at the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington county, Minnesota, on Wednesday, March 17, 1920, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing six delegates to the State convention to be held at the auditorium in Saint Paul on Saturday the twentieth day of March, 1920. And also seven delegates to attend a Republican convention for this Congressional District which is to be held at Fergus Falls at 11 a. m., on Friday, March 19, 1920. The said District and State conventions to elect delegates to attend the National Republican convention to be held in the City of Chicago, Ill., on the eighth day of June, 1920. Said State convention also to nominate twelve Republican Presidential Electors for the State of Minnesota as provided by law.

All primaries for the election of delegates to said County Convention are hereby called to be held on Monday, the fifteenth day of March, 1920, between the hours of 7:30 o'clock p. m., and 9 o'clock p. m. in the various election districts or precincts of this county and at the regular polling places in said election districts or precints.

Following the recommendation of said Republican State Central Committee, each election district or precinct in this county shall have one delegate at large for every twenty votes cast for the Republican candidate for governor at the general election in the year 1918, or major fraction thereof; provided, however, that every election district or precinct shall have at least one delegate to this county convention.

Said Republican State Central committee will furnish presidential preferential ballots for use in the several election districts or precints of this county with the names of the avowed Republican candidates for presidential nominations printed thereon and blank spaces for marking and writing so arranged that each voter may express his preference for presidential nomination. And the clerk of each election district or precinct in this county shall, in making his report upon the credentials of delegates elected, to include therein a statement of the presidential preference in his election district or precinct, if any such preference shall be expressed by the electors thereof.

These reports shall accompany the credentials of the delegates to the County Convention and shall be instruction to said delegates to support candidates for delegates to the National Convention favorable to the candidate receiving the highest number of votes in the election district or precinct.

In accordance with the above apportionment, the several election districts or precincts of this county are entitled to the following number of delegates to said County Convention:

Precincts	Delegates	Precincts	Delegates
Black River	2	River Falls	2
Bray	1	Sanders	2
Cloverleaf	1	Smiley	1
Deer Park	1	Silverton	1
Goodridge	1	Star	1
Highlanding	2	Wyandotte	1
Hickory	1	St. Hilaire	3
Kratka	1	Goodridge	2
Mayfield	1	Thief River Falls	
North	3	1st ward	6
Norden	1	2nd ward	4
Numedal	1	3rd ward	4
Polk Center	1	4th ward	6
Rocksbury	2		

All duly qualified electors, male and female, who are members of the Republican party, or who believe in its principles and desire to affiliate with said party by supporting its candidates in the coming election, are invited to participate in the primaries and conventions provided for in this call.

We declare it to be a fair test of an elector's right to participate in such primaries and conventions to compel such elector, if his right to vote is questioned, to compel him publicly to pledge himself to support the principles of the Republican party and its candidates at said coming election.

By legislative enactment of the 1919 Legislature, women are given the full right to participate in the primaries and conventions herein mentioned. The republican party rejoices in this new privilege extended to women. We, therefore, urge active participation by all qualified women voters.

All the provisions of Sections 362 to 370 inclusive, G. S. 1913, and by all other provisions of the Statute so far as pertinent are hereby made applicable to the holding and conducting of said primaries and conventions.

By order of the Republican County Committee of the County of Pennington, Minnesota.

Dated February 13th, 1920.

D. P. O'NEILL,
Chairman.

JOHN BRATRUD,
Secretary.

A Beautiful Store.

Among the Thief River Falls stores that are bound to attract the attention of the passer-by this spring is the Dhlquist millinery emporium. The interior has been done over in white enamel and fixtures and show cases refurnished until they present a most inviting appearance. The stock carried is in keeping with the surroundings, greater care than ever before having been taken in making selections. The new styles are now on display and the formal invitation to visit the store will be found in another column.

Miss Lottie Austin returned to this city from Fosston the latter part of last week after a week's visit at the home of her parents.

Work For All.

Come, friends, the world wants mending,
Let none sit down and rest,
But seek to work like heroes,
And nobly do their best.
Do what you can for fellow-man
With honest heart and true;
Much may be done by everyone,
There's work for all to do.

Though you can do but little,
That little's something still;
You'll find a way for helping
If you but have the will.
Now bravely fight for what is right,
And God will help you through;
Much may be done by everyone,
There's work for all to do.

Be kind to those around you,
To charity hold fast;
Let each think first of others,
And leave himself to last.
Act as you would that others should
Act in their turn to you;
Much may be done by everyone,
There's work for all to do.

—Ex.

A THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN'S EXPERIENCE

Can you doubt the evidence of this Thief River Falls citizen?

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Read this:

C. Forsegit, prop. of shoe and Harness shop, 218 La Bree Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "In the harness business I am on my feet nearly all day and this, together with confinement indoors, caused me to have kidney trouble. I had had spells of back ache and every little move I made sent twinges all through my body. The kidney secretions didn't pass regularly and were unnatural. When I was told to try Doan's Kidney Pills I did and soon after using them I improved. I haven't had any more kidney trouble since using Doan's; they made a cure that has lasted."

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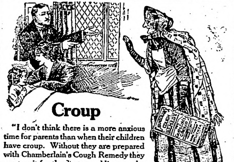

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"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

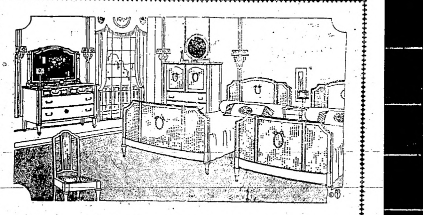

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Your Bed Room

With the arrival of Spring comes the thought of new Furnishings for the Home--and especially for the Bed Room.

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Feb. 24th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the regular meeting of Feb. 10th and adjourned regular meeting of Feb. 13th were read and approved as read

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the bond, with surety submitted of the First National Bank, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the bond of the City Treasurer in the sum of $8,000.00 be approved.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the bond of P. G. Peterson, Deputy City Clerk, in the sum of $1,000.00 be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Ness, that Ordinance No. 163, "An Ordinance Establishing a Storm Sewer District in the City of Thief River Falls," be given its first reading and placed on file for second reading. Motion carried and ordinance was duly read and filed.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Froseth, that the City Clerk be directed to execute and cause to be published, in the manner provided by law, a notice to all property owners whose property is liable to be assessed for the contemplated paving improvements; of a meeting of the City Council to be held March 19th, 1920, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., at the Council Chambers, at which meeting the matter of proceeding with such paving improvements, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file, will be taken up and disposed of as provided by law. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Feb. 24th, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's Payroll	$182.40
Minneapolis Bridge Co., culverts	26.63
Harry Roberts, painting	22.42
Water & Light Dept., express	.35
C. C. Gulrud, smithing	11.35
Aga Boiler Works, smithing	8.20
John H. Meyers, labor	5.00
Jacob Aga, smithing	.90
Bottem Hdw. Co., supplies	3.60
Local Improvement Fund.	
H. A. Brumund, toll call	1.45
Auditorium Fund.	
John H. Meyers, hauling wood	4.50
Bottem Hdw. Co., supplies	7.68
T. R. Grocery Co., supplies	12.85
Jacob Aga, repairs	4.09
Daniel Shaw, insurance	898.56
Poor Fund.	
A. E. Zollmer, groceries	41.61
O. A. Westin, rent	12.00
W. A. Bishop, fruit	1.00
Library Fund.	
Lars Backe, insurance	162.79
Minneapolis Journal, subscription	8.00
Electric Light Fund.	
Western Electric Co., supplies	103.13
Sterling Electric Co., supplies	57.00
Alfred Adolphs, salary	49.00
The Elliott Co., stencils	.90
U. S. R. R. Administration, freight	207.97
Aga Boiler Works, supplies	2.00
Aga Boiler Works, repairs	63.77
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	16.35
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	169.63
Dan Shaw, Ins. premium	4.00
O. A. Westin, insurance	20.16
Lars Backe, insurance	100.80
Busch Sulzer Bros. Deisel Engine Co., engine repairs	13.50
Waterworks Fund.	
Jacob Aga, repairs	3.00
Tom Moe, labor	4.00
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	.50
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	183.08

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Feb. 28th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Notice to Property Owners Within The Proposed Paving District.

Notice is Hereby Given, to all property owners whose property is liable to be assessed for the improvements hereinafter described, to be present at a meeting of the city council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to be held at the council chambers, in said city, on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1920, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which meeting the Council will vote on the adoption of a resolution for the paving of the following streets and alleys of said City, to-wit:

Main Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks, North to the intersection of Sixth Street.

Horace Avenue, from First Street North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

LaBree Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

First Street, from the Red Lake River West to Knight Avenue.

Second Street, from Atlantic Avenue West to Knight Avenue.

Third Street, from the railroad tracks of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, West to Knight Avenue.

The alley between Horace Avenue and LaBree Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street.

The alley between LaBree Avenue and Main Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street.

Such paving improvements being more particularly described in and by the plans and specifications thereof now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Notice is further given, that all property abutting upon said streets and alleys, is liable to be assessed for said paving improvements, if the same is made, and the owners of such property, to-wit:

Sven Svenson, R. McGinn, M. C. Harlow, Ole Flattum, Presbyterian Parsonage, Twentieth Century Church, Eveline J. Oen, M. V. Evenson, Geo. G. Williams, Arthur E. Preston, A. C. Rasmusson, E. O. Gullingsrud, Edward Schultz, Maude G. Mabey, Florence Christianson, Ole O. Nyhus, John O. [illegible] K. Strand, Gilbert Sandum, Mrs. Anna Sheely, Estate and heirs of A. S. Alnes, T. O. Mannum, John L. Bean, Estate and Heirs of Ole Simonson, C. M. Evenson, Anna Moran, Charles Gustafson, Christ Gulrud, Carrie Rasmusson, L. Westlin, T. K. Dahl, First and Peoples State Bank, Inga Berg, W. F. Tank, O. A. Loken, M. K. Bakkedal, Louis DeCremer, Jacob Borry, Perl W. Mabey, Barbara Eastman, F. J. Pfeffer, H. M. Hicks, F. J. Stebbins, Northern Lodge 236, A. F. & A. M., Ed. Lee, Lillian Way, Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., Goodnow Torrison, Larson Furniture Co., Carl B. Larson, County of Pennington, Charles Fiterman, F. H. Wellcome, M. O. Hunt, Hamm Brewing Co., George Nowberry, J. A. Abraham, Robert Cochran, George Leimers, M. P. Hunt, Nortz Lumber Co., C. A. Dosland, George Diebel, Frank Mousley, John J. Aga, Peoples Auto Co., G. C. Streeter, Thos. H. Smith, J. M. Bishop, John Myrland, W. E. Baker, O. E. Jensen, Olga Seeward, Anna Kretzschmar, Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, Mary Rouleau, H. W. Barlow, Lars J. Skromme, H. J. Holden, John Ward, Estate and Heirs of W. J. Gray, Julius Krentz, Empire Farms Co., Julia T. Mead, N. Swanson, John Oftedahl, H. N. Hager, Mrs. Fred Roth, Christ Amundson, Fred Ewing, Tupper Estate, W. W. Prichard, Jr., Annetta L. Dalquist, Thief River Co-Operative Building Co., Julian Provencher, Rasmus Oen, Carl Froseth, Estate and Heirs of Fred Roth, Bertha Giller, First National Bank of Thief River Falls, L. P. Christianson, Betsey Miller, Roy Morgan, Cecil L. Sheedy, Carl G. Hillard, Young Pine Lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F., Bessie K. Hamre, Gopher Real Estate Co., Olaf Neset, Elias Rolland, A. S. Lieberman, Kiewel Brewing Co., F. J. Dudley, Mary McGinn, Nellie Sweeney, H. A. Brumund, James Meehan, Peter Eberhart, Math Barzen, W. A. Bishop, M. C. Harlow, J. J. Vorachek, H. O. Hanson, Peter Quande, G. Heileman Brewing Co., George Leimers, Chas. W. Plain, Joseph Johnson, Lulu D. Halvorson, Anna Amon, George Diebel, Bernhard Knudsen, O. N. Olson, Lucy Grundy, Evangelical Swedish Lutheran Church, Halvor A. Loken, Louis Kruse, Oluf Tessum, W. W. Prichard, Sr., Oen Mercantile Co., Sophia Kratka, Marit Hanson, Joseph Weirus, A. D. Halseth, Queen City Bottling Works, J. J. Vorachek, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., Trinity Lutheran Church of Thief River Falls, Knut K. Haugen, H. O. Lerum, Anna Kretzschmar, Fred Haug, Wm. H. Sponheim, Prichard Stone Co., Joseph E. Schmotzer, Ole Sandness, K. A. Sundahl, A. B. Remmem, Hanna Prestebak, Estate and Heirs of D. Cavanaugh, O. N. Lawson, Thief River Grocery Co., Michael Burns, M. McFarland, Olaf Ramstad, T. L. Melgaard, and all other persons, or corporations, owning property abutting upon said streets and alleys, so proposed to be paved, are hereby notified to be present at the meeting of the City Council, at the time and place aforesaid, at which meeting the City Council will, prior to voting on the adoption of the aforesaid resolution, hear all arguments for or against, and all objections to, the proposed paving improvements hereinbefore described.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 26th day of February, A. D. 1920.

By Direction of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Agnette Torsen.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Agnette Torsen, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Ingeborg Pederson, Eliza Anderson, Anna Olson, Gena Amelia Lindquist, Olga Rolland, Clara Seaverson, Mary Carlson, Julia Sevre, Oscar Sevre, Henry Sevre, Albert Sevre and Emma Sevre, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of N. K. Anderson having been filed in this Court, representiub that Agnette Torsen, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of January, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to N. K. Anderson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of March, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 18th day of February, 1920.

(Court Seal.) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m4

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of John B. Engen.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Engen, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Christian Engen, Ella Hammarsten, Henrietta Refnes, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Peter Refnes having been filed in this court, representing that John B. Engen, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 12th day of Feb. 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Alfred Hammarsten, and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 18th day of February, 1920.

(Court Seal.) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m4

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Tobias Olson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Oscar Olson;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 13th day of August, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, three consecutive weeks, as provided by law.

Dated February 11th, 1920.

(Court Seal.) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Estate.
f19-26-m3

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of C. V. Peterson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Edward Peterson, Leonard Peterson, Annie Johnson and Gustaf Peterson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent The petition of Leonard Peterson having been filed in this Court, representing that C. V. Peterson, then a resident of the County of St. Barbarg, State of California, died intestate on the 26th day of January, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Leonard Peterson, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of February, 1920.

(Court Seal) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f19-26-m-4

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by T. C. Peterson, a single man, as mortgagor to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, upon the following described lands lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the South west Quarter (NE¼ SW¼) and the South half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing 120 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, which said mortgage bears date on the 9th day of December, 1916, and, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 19th day of January, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 369, and which mortgage was assigned to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank by instrument in writing, dated January 20 1917, filed for record in the office of the said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 30th day of January, 1917 at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 332, and which said mortgage was again assigned to Albertus J. Prins by said assignee of mortgage, by instrument in writing dated January 30, 1920, filed for record in the office of said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 2nd day of February, 1920, recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 562, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of Twelve Hundred ($1200) Dollars according to the terms one (1) certain promissory note, made and executed by said T. C. Peterson *said mortgagor, to said Citizens State* Bank of Thief River Falls, said mortgagee, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 15th day of December in the year 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, each for the sum of Seventy-two ($72.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December 1917, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1918, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1919, are past due and unpaid; and,

WHEREAS, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of interest the whole of the principal sum, together with interest should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assigns, be declared to be due and payable; and,

WHEREAS, the said mortgagor neglected to pay, and has not paid said interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1917, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1918, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1919, as aforesaid, amounting to the sum of Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1917, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15 1918, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1919, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest thereon is by said last named assignee of mortgagee deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

WHEREAS, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Forty and 72-100 ($1440.72) Dollars secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1920, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated February 5, 1920.

ALBERTUS J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
St. Paul, Minnesota.
f12-19-26-m5-11-18

Notice.

Let it Hereby be known, that the undersigned sold out his interest in the business formerly conducted at Erie, Minn., by Kompelien & Aubol last winter and that the partnership has been dissolved. My name having been used more or less in connection with the above concern since that time, this notice is published in order to inform all persons interested that I have no connection whatever with the same and am in no way responsible for any contracts or obligations in which it may engage.

OLUF O. KOMPELIEN.

Dated, Erie, Minnesota, Feb. 23, 1920.
f26-m-4-11

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Emma P. Dogran.

(1). You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot five (5) Block One Hundred eleven (111) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 15th day of March, 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of No Dollars and thirty-nine cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 19th day of January, 1920, for the sum of No Dollars and sixty-eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of No Dollars and Sixty-eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $0.68 thereof from the 19th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 19th day of January, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minn.
By AXEL RISBERG, Deputy.
(Official Seal.)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
f29-m4-11

Notice of Sale.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, (A Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. Bertha Giller, Maurice Giller, Beatrice A. Giller, and John P. Galbraith, as trustee of Maurice Giller Estate in Bankruptcy, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of a certified transcript of the judgment in the above entitled action duly delivered to the undersigned sheriff and now in my hands, which said judgment was duly entered in said Court in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, Maurice Giller, Bertha Giller and Beatrice A. Giller on the 17th day of February, 1920, for the total sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Sixteen and 43-100 Dollars, and which said judgment orders and decrees, among other things, a sale by the undersigned Sheriff of the said County, of the following described real estate in one parcel to satisfy or apply upon the said judgment, viz:

Thirty six feet East of the West fifty feet, and West of the East Fifty Four feet of Lots One, Two, Three and Four in Block Thirty of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls in Pennington County, Minn.

Now, Therefore, Pursuant to the said Judgment, the undersigned Sheriff will, on Saturday the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Front Door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the real estate above described, and all of the right, title and interest of each and all the above named Defendants therein, except the right to redeem as provided by law, to satisfy or apply on said Judgment so entered, together with all accruing costs of sale and interest on the said Judgment from and after the 17th day of February, 1920, at six per cent per annum, subject to redemption within one year after the date of the order of the said Court confirming the said sale as provided by law.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 24th day of February, 1920.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff,
Pennington County, Minn.
J. M. BISHOP,
WM. J. BROWN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
f26-m-4-11-18-25-a1

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SW¼, Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings and well on the place. For particulars write J. Pfeffer, 411 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota. 61

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AUCTION SALE
In order to close the affairs of the Hans R. Kolseth Estate, I will offer at public auction the property listed below, on the old Hans R. Kolseth farm, the northeast quarter of section 17, Township of Wyandotte, four and one-half miles southeast of Hazel and five miles north of Plummer, on
Wednesday, March 10th
Commencing at 10:00 o'clock sharp
FOUR GOOD HORSES
1 brown mare, 15 years old, wt. 1400
1 red mare, 12 years old, wt. 1400
1 black mare, 7 years old, wt. 1300
1 red mare, 3 years old, wt. 1300
TWELVE HEAD OF CATTLE
1 black cow, 8 years old
1 black cow, 4 years old
1 red and white cow, 6 years old
1 roan cow 4 years old
1 iron gray cow 5 years old
1 black cow, 7 years old
1 red cow, 3 years old
1 roan heifer, 2½ years old
1 red bull, 2 years old
2 red heifers 1 year old
1 red heifer calf
FARM IMPLEMENTS and OTHER ARTICLES
15-disc Van Brunt drill; 6-ft. cut McCormick binder; 5-ft. cut McCormick mower, new; 5-ft. cut McCormick, old; Deering hay rake; 16-in. Kissell sulky plow; 14-disc harrow; 4-horse Boss harrow; 3-horse Boss harrow; 16-in. breaking plow; two 16-in. walking plows; two 1-horse cultivators; top buggy, nearly new; wide tire wagon, double box and seat; narrow tire wagon; bob sleighs; manure spreader box; single wagon box; set string fly nets; set horse blankets; set heavy work harness; set light work harness; set hay slings, and many other articles too numerous to mention.
1918 5-passenger Overland automobile, good as new; 14x28 Nappanee silo, dismantled; 50 chickens; set carpenter tools; farm scales; 30 bu. oats; 8 tons tame hay; 4 tons wild hay; some lumber.
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
Five chairs, rocker, stand, commode, 2 beds, range, 2 heaters, 2 tables, churn, cupboard, DeLaval cream separator No. 12, cooking utensils, etc.
FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON
TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920
PETER KOLSETH, Administrator
PAUL BORGIE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

ROSEWOOD

The special meetings and ladies' aid at the Rindal church last Saturday afternoon was a very progressive affair and was well attended. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls was in attendance and delivered a short speech, and a dainty luncheon was served by the ladies. A request was signed and sent to headquarters asking that Rev. Larson continue his present work here, and arrangements were also made for increasing his salary.

The Swedish young people's society held its monthly meeting at the Congregational church last Saturday evening. A number of songs were featured by Misses Elsie Vorseth, Isabelle Sagmoen, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Furan, and a short talk was given by Rev. Drotts. Lunch was served to about forty who were in attendance.

Mrs. Holm at the Rosebank school featured a juvenile program in commemoration of Washington's birthday last Friday afternoon. There were no outsiders present but the teacher and pupils enjoyed a splendid time among themselves.

Thom Holten left last Wednesday for Dennison in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother.

Axel Bloom, who has been employed at Gemmel in lumber work this winter, retrned home last Wednesday.

Geo. Schneider and family are expected to arrive this week from Murray county to take up their residence on the old Dick Hall farm, which they have purchased.

Miss Johnson and Miss Metvedt spent Saturday at Warren on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Ranum and son, Stanley, were visitors at Viking last Saturday.

John Sorenson of Thief River Falls was in town a few days this week to buy a carload of potatoes.

Mrs. Severt Benson and two sons and Miss Hilda Hammerstein of Thief River Falls arrived on Saturday for a few days' visit with the Sagmoen and Furan families.

John Sagmoen moved into his new residence this week. Steiner Johnson, whose house Mr. Sagmoen has occupied this winter, arrived Wednesday morning and will take up his residence here.

Matt and Adolph Rafteseth, who have been employed at Thief River Falls for several weeks, arrived this week to visit their parents.

Chas. Swanson of Steiner boarded the Saturday morning train on a trip to Warren.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus of Thief River Falls arrived last Thursday for a few days' visit at the Swen Swenson home.

Ingrid Nordhagen left last Friday for Thief River Falls to visit over Sunday with friends.

Nick Nelson of Crookston was in this vicinity last week on business.

STEINER

Ole Berg has been hauling hay from the Rogers farm which he bought last week.

Nat. Muzzy was trading in this place last Saturday afternoon.

Arthur Simonson was a business caller at Thief River Falls the last of last week.

Erwin Russell visited at his parents home over Sunday of last week.

A good sized crowd attended the Ole Johnson auction sale last Monday.

A special meeting of the Farmers telephone line was called for last Saturday to discuss the matter of the raised rates. Nothing definite was settled upon.

S. R. Rogers transacted business in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Willis Warring has been hauling hay the past week.

Mr. Reidl and son transacted business at the county seat the latter part of last week.

Nick Baker and brother, George, have been hauling hay from the Olaf Ramstad farm the past few days.

Quite a number from this neighborhood attended the Ruck auction sale last Saturday. A large crowd was reported and a lively lot of bidders.

ST. PAUL MAN HAS GAINED 20 POUNDS
TERRIEN WAS SO RUN DOWN HE WAS READY TO GIVE UP. FEELS FINE NOW.
"I have gained twenty pounds in weight since taking Tanlac and not in years have I enjoyed such fine health generally," was the statement made the other day by John Terrien, who lives at 624 St. Peter street, St. Paul, Minn.
"It was six years ago that my health broke down," continued Mr. Terrien, "and since that time I have suffered until I was nearly a wreck. My appetite was so poor that for the past several years all I took for breakfast was a glass of milk and a cup of hot water, and I could eat little or nothing at other meals. The pains in my stomach were so severe they almost drew me double and the only way I could get relief was to bend down over a chair. I would bloat up with gas and would have a heavy, distressing feeling that continued for hours. I was troubled a great deal with heartburn and many a night I was in such agony that I had to get up and walk the floor. I was so nervous I would jump at the least unexpected noise and finally I quit drinking tea and coffee altogether as I thought that was partly to blame for my extreme nervousness, but it did no good. I had to continually be taking laxatives as I was badly constipated. My sleep was restless and broken and I was so weak and run down I can hardly understand how I held up so long under the strain.
"I started reading about Tanlac in the papers and finally I made up my mind to give it a trial. Well, sir, the very first bottle went right after my troubles and the way I improved was remarkable. And today, my recovery has been so complete that it seems almost too good to be true. My digestion was never better in all my life and I don't have to worry over what I can eat because everything agrees with me perfectly. The gas and pains have all disappeared and I am no longer bothered with heartburn. My nerves are steady and normal and I sleep like a log every night. I get up of mornings ready for a hearty breakfast and go off to my work feeling fine. I am no longer constipated; in fact, I am never bothered in any way whatever now. Just the other day I weighed and I tipped the scales at one hundred and forty pounds just twenty pounds heavier than I was two months ago."
Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store.—adv.

ANNOUNCEMENT
The trend of the times demands many changes, which have also spread to the merchandising field. Some of you have doubtless read of the
Winchester Repeating Arms Company
having decided to enter the Retail Hardware field. Also to manufacture other lines of goods which heretofore have not been made by them. And whatever goods are put out under the Winchester label will be guaranteed to be of the same high Winchester quality. The manufacture of new lines of goods, the establishing of eight thousand retail stores, as well as to stock them all with Winchester quality goods, is of course an immense undertaking [illegible] will require time before it can be fully accomplished. We took advantage of the opportunity of becoming a stockholder in the Winchester company and
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It will be our aim to fulfill the hope and wish of the Winchester Repeating Arms Co., that their store will be worthy of their name and be known for quality and square dealings for which the Winchester has been known for over half a century.
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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

SAPERO'S
DRESS SALE
A fortunate purchase while in New York enables us to sell 25 Silk and Serge Dresses, values up to $35.00, for
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You'll wonder how this sale is possible, when you see these lovely dresses at so low a price.
Come Before They Are Picked Over!

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Mr. Farmer, you are invited to come to our new store room opposite the auditorium and inspect the famous Emerson & Brintingham line of farm machinery, comprising
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Attend the Tractor School at our salesroom on Thursday and Friday, March 4-5.
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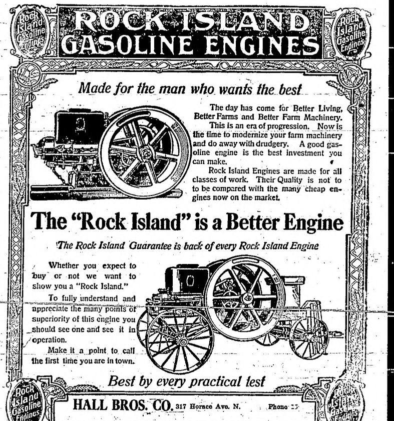

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Make it a point to call the first time you are in town.
Best by every practical test
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In New Quarters.

The Thief River Music company, whose stock and fixtures were entirely destroyed in the Union block fire, is again ready for business in the Meehan block at the corner of Main avenue and Second street. The room is not as large as that destroyed but it is most conveniently arranged and Messrs. Ebert & Hagen will be able ot serve the public efficiently and satisfactorily as in the past.

For first-class groceries trade with P. P. Palmer at Mavie. m4tf

Trinity Young Peoples Society.

The Young Peoples society of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the basement of the church this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Mesdames L. Larson, O. Storholm, Oscar Sponheim and Miss Lena Lonson will entertain.

Highest prices paid for butter and eggs by P. P. Palmer, Mavie. m4tf

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman. Pastor—March 7: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Juniors at 3, and C. E. at 7. Special music both morning and evening. Everyone welcome

For fresh—clean groceries, buy from P. P. Palmer, Mavie. m4tf

St. Johns Lutheran Church E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German services at 10:30 a. m. English lenten services at 7:30 p. m. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Christina Anton. Berea Bible class meets Thursday evening at eight.

Special discount on footwear at P. P. Palmer's, Mavie. m4tf

Co-Operative Store Open.

The Peoples Co-operative store is now open for business and has made arrangements to make two deliveries a day to city customers, the first in the morning at 10 o'clock covering the south and east part of the city, and the second at 3:30 o'clock covering the north and west part. Customers and stockholders who wish to have deliveries made will kindly govern themselves accordingly.

m4 G. F. HIBBARD, Mgr.

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We know from tests made at some creameries that the farmers are losing thousands of dollars every month by separators that don't skim clean. In order to help detect whether your machine is doing good work we are willing to test a limited number of samples from each farmer free of charge.

Thief River Co-Op. Creamery Association

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby extend our sincere thanks to all for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband, son and brother.—Mrs. Ray Munt, John Munt, Vernon and Ralph Munt. m4p

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.41
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.36
Oats	.75
Flax	4.62
Barley	1.17
Rye	0.42
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.50
Bran	2.60
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.95
Corn and Oat Feed, 80 lb. bags	2.75
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.00
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled hay, cwt	1.35
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.15
Geese, alive, per lb	6-7c
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.32
Spring Chickens	.16
Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.50
Dairy butter	.55
Creamery butter	.65
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	5-7
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb	15-16c
Lamb, dressed, per lb	20-22c
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	7-8c
Steers, per lb	7-8c
Calves, per lb	6-8c
Cows	6-7c
Lamb, per lb	12-15c

Times Want Ads.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Fransoh, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, good lot with some fruit trees, east front fine location. Will sacrifice on quick sale. Call 608 Horace Ave N. 43tf

FOR SALE—Lot in Porter's Addition. Write Otto F. Wendt, 1423 Front St. Fargo, N. D. 62p

FOR SALE—One black walnut parlor set and one complete dining room set only used a few months. Inquire at The Times. 56tf

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes. About 1000 bushels of fine Marquis, $3.25 per bushel. T. K. Rynestad. Also 200 bu. of Millet seed at $2.00 per bushel. 60

FOR SALE—A few more houses at a bargain if taken at once.—L. Kruse. 60p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red Cocks and Cockerels. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 60p

FOR SALE—Improved farm, 7 miles from Thief River Falls. Take city property as part payment; priced low for quick sale. Will rent for season if not sold soon. Fair set buildings C. W. McDaniel, City. 57tf

FOR SALE—15 tons wild hay, near city.—O. A. Naplin. 60

Cheap Houses For Sale.

No. 246—Tindolph Ave. N., 3 lots, $1200.00; No. 616, 4th St. West, six rooms, 3 lots, $1,000; No. 422 State Ave. N., 4 rooms, 3 lots, $850; No. 506 State Ave. N., 3 rooms, 1½ lots, $450; Four room house and one lot just south of G. N. Ry., water tank, $450. Small cash payments and easy terms will be given on any or all.

57tf C. W. McDaniel, City.

NOTICE TO LAND BUYERS—Fertile open prairie and rich park land at $11 to $30 per acre. Land under an irrigation system of unfailing water from $50 an acre up. Twenty years to pay interest six per cent. This is the last big block of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Never again on the American continent will farm land be offered so cheap. Special railway rates. Do not delay. Send today for complete information.—D. J. Campbell, Crookston, Minn., authorized agent. 60

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed wheat, $3.25; 150 bu. seed barley, $2.00 per bu. Four cows coming in between April 1 and June 1. Two 2-year old heifers. Frank Svobodny, Stop 7 electric line. 59tf

FOR SALE—1919 Briscoe 5-passenger car in good condition. Run 2,000 miles. $950.00. Address R. 2, Box 51, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61p

FOR SALE—Good team of geldings, weight about 2800 pounds.—C. Gustafson & Son. 58tf

A SNAP—One 3-plow tractor in good order with three bottom plows, good as new, for $850.00 cash. Will run a small separator or ensilage cutter. Also have one second hand 12 in. John Deere gang; 2 second hand binders; one 20 in. single disc drill; one wood lever harrow; six second hand cream separators in good order from $5 to $15.00. Will sell my entire implement stock and building. Call on N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 61

FOR SALE—Bull calf, seven-eights Holstein; sire by Minnehaha Colntha Pontiac.—John Skomedahl, R. F. D. No. 2, City. 60p

FOR SALE—Three good work horses and two sets of work harness. Enquire of P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 60

FOR SALE—10 acres rich land all under cultivation, close to town. Inquire of C. Arneson, First house north of Round House. 62p

FOR SALE—One Wakum washing machine, good as new. Call 421 Duluth Ave. S. 61

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot, 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

FOR SALE—1,000 bushels Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.00 per bushel. Two miles east from Thief River Falls. C. M. Hoverstad, Kratka Route, City. 61p

FOR SALE—1 Cleveland Cletrac tractor; 1 four wheeled auto trailer; 1 player piano. W. E. Baker. 59tf

FOR SALE—150 bu. of seed barley. Frank Macek, Germantown, Minn., 1 mile north of Stop 7. 60

FOR SALE—2 lots and small house, on Knight Ave. N. and 6th St. A bargain. Dave Gustafson. 59tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.25; 150 bu. seed barley, $2 per bu. 4 cows coming in between Apr. 1 and June 1. Four 2-year-old heifers. Frank Svobodny, Germantown Rt. 1, City, or call at Stop 7, Electric Line. 60tf

FOR SALE—One John Deere 12-in. triple horse plow in fine shape. Price $95—a snap. Five second hand, cream separators; one second hand wagon, new last summer, $60. Two sulky plows, price $20 each. One double burr mill in good shape, $15. One pair bobs, 7-ft. runners, McLain knees, $43. Cost price. N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 60tf

FOR SALE—Very desirable residence property on Markely Ave. Modern except heat. Price and terms reasonable. W. B. Fuller. 62

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—Six-room modern house. Garage and shed. 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 195. 61

FOR SALE—White Russian seed oats, raised on new land from clean seed and 1 stack clover hay; some wild hay.—August N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn., R. 1. 62p

FOR SALE—Modern 8-room house, auto shed, 2 corner lots, east front, 3 blocks from business section. Call 403 State Ave. N. Phone 4752. 61p

FOR SALE—Fresh Guernsey cow. Mrs. Alfred Morini, 3 miles west and 2 miles north of of Thief River Falls. 62p

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of City. 63p

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, granary and three lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—House, 6 room, cellar, barn, water, 2 acres land, in Zeh's addition.—Sven P. Anderson, owner. 62p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

ILLINOIS FARM TO EXCHANGE for land in Minnesota. Well improved. 234½ acres. Located only five miles from town. Climate warm, plenty of sunshine and fruit.—W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 62

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FOR RENT—on crop shares, half section, 125 acres broke, 2 pastures of 80 acres each, fenced. Can easily put 100 acres more under cultivation. Good house, first class barn, machine shed granary, drilled well with force pump also wooden pump set in reservoir Owner can give immediate possession. Location 7½ miles north and two west of Goodridge.—Address A. J. Cummings, Germantown, Minn. 57tf

FARM FOR RENT—Sale or lease, 9 miles from Thief River Falls.—H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Neb. 58tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms at 417 Knight Ave. N. 60p

FOR RENT—My place at 214 Tindolph Avenue south. Ed. O'Hara, Rt. 1, Newfolden, Minn. 62tf

FOR RENT—SW¼ section 26, Silverton township; all under cultivation. One of the best set of buildings in the country. 100 acres plowed; ready for crop.—W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 62

Help Wanted—Male

YOUNG MEN for Railway Mail Clerks, $110 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, examinations, write J. Leonard, (former Government Examiner), 276 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 60p

MEN WANTED—Lumber pilers, loaders, mill hands, woods and R. R. work. Steady. Also hardwood inspectors and millwright. Houses. Top wages.—Hackley Phelps Lumber Co., Phelps (Vilas Co.) Wis. 61

Help Wanted—Female

LADY COOK WANTED—On farm for season.—Mike Driscoll, R. 3, East Grand Forks, Minn. Phone 32-F-14. 62p

WANTED—A woman for general work. Good wages to right party. Must be able to give reference. Address F. E. Brewster, Box 124, Hope, N. D. 62

WANTED—Girl at Model Laundry. 60tf

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS—If you have a farm for sale send me the legal description, your net price and best terms of sale.—D. J. Campbell, Crookston, Minn. 60

Dressmaking Wanted

At the residence of John Christenson 525 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 63p

WANTED—To buy a second hand Fordson tractor. State price and condition of tractor in first letter. Address, The Times. 62p

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOUSE, a flat or a duplex, or a farm, see M. V. Evenson, 424 LaBree Ave. Phone 68. 60tf

DRESSMAKING—By day or at home. 501 River side Ave. Tel. 4112. 61p

IF IT'S VALUE YOU WANT, FOR your dollars see H. R. Conner about that Fordson outfit, young horses, cattle, machinery and feed, new Cottage sewing machine. All priced to sell. Act quick. Phone 3043. 61p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between 8th St. Bridge and railway, fountain pen in paper box. Reward. Mrs. H. J. Rustad. 58tf

LOST—In the northern part of town repairs for harness. Reward offered. C. Frosoth Harness Shop. 61p

Order For Hearing on Petition For Consolidation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the Matter of the Consolidation of Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties and 103 in Marshall County, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, all in the State of Minnesota.

A petition for the consolidation of the ditch proceedings above named having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, and the said Clerk having notified the undersigned, one of the Judges of said Court, of the filing thereof:

It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenon of said day, at the court room in the court house in the city of Warren in said county and State; and

It Is Further Ordered that all proceedings in Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota, and 103 in Marshall County, Minnesota, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota, be stayed until the hearing and determination of said petition.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, March 2nd, 1920.

ANDREW GRINDELAND,
Judge of the District Court.

Petition For Consolidation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the Matter of the Consolidation of Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties and 103 in Marshall County, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, all in the State of Minnesota.

To the Honorable Andrew Grindeland, One of the Judges of the District Court Aforesaid:

The County board of the county of Marshall, in the State of Minnesota, which said county is and will be affected by the consolidation and the construction of the drainage ditches hereinafter described, and the undersigned land owners whose property is affected by the overflow hereinafter described and whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for the expense of, the consolidation and construction of the drainage ditches hereinafter described, respectfully show to the court:

I

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain the lands in Townships 155, 156 and 157 north of Ranges 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said Counties of Marshall and Beltrami, in a westerly direction into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

II

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 103, in Marshall County in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain the lands in townships 157 and 158 north of ranges 40 and 41 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said County of Marshall, into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding for the establishment of said Judicial Ditch No. 103, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

III

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 30, in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain and to amplify the present drainage of the lands in Townships 154 and 155 North of Ranges 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43 west of the 5th Principal Meridian and Township 155 North of Ranges 36, 37 and 38 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said Counties of Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami, said lands including the drainage basin of Judicial Ditches Nos. 12, 13, and 18 and County Ditch No. 20 of said Marshall County, in a westerly direction into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding and order of the court on preliminary hearing therein, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

IV

That the proceedings for the establishment of said Judicial Ditches numbered 102, 103 and 30 are for the establishment of open public ditches, and that the waters from said ditches will empty into a water course known as Thief River, and that the construction of said ditches is likely to cause, by reason of the waters added to said River, the overflow of the waters thereof and the inundation of great areas of adjoining land.

V

That said Thief River is a small, narrow, crooked and sluggish stream, incapable of properly draining its watershed or of furnishing an adequate outlet either for the waters which naturally flow into it or for the waters proposed to be added thereto by said ditches.

That said River needs and requires improvement and control for the purpose of furnishing an outlet for the waters proposed to be added thereto by said ditches and to prevent it from overflowing and inundating great areas of land adjoining its banks.

That the improvement and control of said stream as an outlet for said ditches and of the waters emptying into it therefrom will be a public benefit and utility, and will improve the public health, and protect the lands adjoining said stream from overflow and inundation, and furnish an adequate outlet for the waters from said proposed ditches.

Wherefore, your petitioners pray that the said proceedings for the establishment of said Judicial Ditches numbered 102, 103 and 30 be consolidated into one system and the extension of the same so as to furnish a proper outlet for all the waters of the basin and drainage area that naturally drain or are led by ditches into said Thief River, and that the cost of constructing said outlet be borne by all the lands to be benefitted thereby, and that *in order to equitably apportion the cost* of the construction of the said improvement and the extension of said outlet to all the lands to be benefitted thereby it is necessary that said proceedings be merged and consolidated; and your petitioners further pray that the court make an order fixing a time and place for the hearing upon this petition and ordering all proceedings now pending in said Judicial Ditch proceedings numbered 102, 103 and 30 stayed until the hearing and determination thereof.

Dated February 18th, 1920.

County Board of Marshall County, Minnesota.

By,
A. N. LODOEN.
O. ENGE.
OLE TORGERSON.
A. S. ROKKE.
CARL T. OLSON.
County Commissioners.
CAROLINE L. OLSON.
JULIUS J. OLSON.
A. N. ECKSTROM.
A. N. LODOEN.
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AMUSEMENTS

At The Princess

Saturday
HARRY CAREY
In
"THE OUTCAST of POKER FLAT"
Matinee: 2:30

Sunday and Monday
BETTY BLYTHE and JACK PRATT
In
"THE THIRD GENERATION"

He was supposed to be dead and his partner collected his life insurance—he came back and found his wife at the Altar with another man—what would you do in that case?

Matinee: 2:30. Evening: 7:30

At The Lyceum

Tonight
All Star Cast
"WHEN A WOMAN STRIKES"

Friday
SESSUE HAYAKAWA
In
"THE DRAGON PAINTER"

Saturday
GERALDINE FARRAR
In
"THE STRONGER VOW"

Sunday and Monday
LEW CODY
In
"THE BELOVED CHEATER"

KEEP PLENTY OF OUR MILK

in the refrigerator. It is so rich and pure that it is best for baking, making sauces, etc. Besides, once the family learns the taste of our milk, they'll want a glass of it very often. And for the little ones our milk is the kind that physicians unhesitatingly recommend.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

At The Lyceum Sunday-Monday

THE GIRL who wouldn't kiss her fiance.
THE MAN who asked his friend to teach his girl to kiss.
The kiss in the dark that won the girl.
The search for the man who had kissed the girl, and she found

!

SEE
LEW CODY
"The Beloved Cheater"
?

A FASCINATING FANTASY OF COMPLEXED KISSES

MATINEE: 2:30
EVENING: 7:30 and 9:00

In New Quarters

We are now located at the corner of Main avenue and Second street, just west of the post-office and are prepared to supply our customers and friends with everything in our line. Our stock is again complete and we invite a visit.

Thief River Music Company

New Hats Arriving Daily

There is so much individuality and charm to these new hats that it's hard to say which pleases most—and all are specially priced.

We are connected with the largest millinery establishment in America, therefore we can give you better values for less money, and we have one of the largest assortments in the state.

Bon Ton Millinery
The Store Ahead 216 E. 3rd St.

Historical Society

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

VOLUME 10. Twelve pages. THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1920. $2.00 a Year. Number Five.

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

INFANT FOUND DEAD IN STORE ROOM OF HOTEL

BODY OF NEW-BORN BABY BOY DISCOVERED IN BOX AT PARK HOTEL.

POST MORTEM EXAMINATION SHOWS CHILD WAS ALIVE WHEN BORN

OPINION IS CRIME WAS NOT COMMITTED WHERE BODY WAS FOUND

The body of a new-born baby boy was found in a box in a store room on the second floor of the Park hotel in this city by the manager, Ole A. Prestebak, last Saturday. A post-mortem examination conducted by Dr. H. W. Froehlich, coroner, established the fact that the baby had been alive when born and that death was due to strangling.

No attempt had apparently been made to save the life of the infant, all the usual safeguards having been disregarded. Whether or not the child had died simply because of this neglect or through some act of actual violence could not be determined.

In Box of Toilet Paper.

The body was found when Mr. Prestebak went to secure a roll of paper from a box. The cover had been partially removed and replaced after depositing the corpse. No other attempt at concealment had been made and the body was nude when discovered. The authorities were at once notified and started an inquiry which went to prove that the child belonged to no one who had stayed at the hotel within the last ten days. The conclusion was reached that the baby was born at some distance from the city and had been carried to the hotel and deposited, perhaps by someone arriving by train, the Soo depot being located but a short distance from the hotel.

Body Being Held.

The body is being held at the Larson undertaking rooms while an investigation is made. Dr. Froehlich sees no advantage in holding an inquest while there is no evidence of any kind to present and is awaiting developments before ordering burial.

Sewer Plans Show Important Changes

STORM WATER CONDUITS TO BE LAID BELOW SURFACE IN ALLEYS

At the council meeting on Tuesday evening M. V. Evenson and T. L. Melgaard, representing the taxpayers' committee appointed to act with the council on the paving matter, appeared and recommended that the contemplated storm water sewers be laid below the surface in the alleys instead of on the surface as previously proposed. Included in the program as outlined is a large main sewer to be laid along First street to not only take care of the storm water in the present proposed paving district but also provide an outlet for that part of the city lying north and west of the region included in that designation.

Engineer Borrowman was present and explained the plans of the committee. He recommended the change providing it was deemed wise to incur the expense at this time. The plan would provide a certain outlet for the surplus water for a long time to come, he said, would prove wise in the end, and should be undertaken before actual paving work was begun.

The sewer will follow the alleys between Horace and LaBree and between LaBree and Knight from Fourth to First streets. Also on Second street from LaBree to the alley between that thoroughfare and Horace. Also on Third street eastward to the center line of alley between Horace and Atlantic and southward 25 feet. This last provision is made in order that the sewer may be tapped at this point without disturbing the pavement.

The council voted unanimously to adopt the recommendation.

Wages of Teachers For Coming Season

COMMITTEE NAMED TO ATTEND STATE MEETING TO DISCUSS SUBJECTS.

About 100 school officials were present at the meeting in the court house last Saturday, called for the purpose of selecting delegates to a convention to be held at St. Paul on April 3. At this meeting the matter of teachers' salaries will be taken up with a view to securing some kind of uniform action throughout the state.

County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson was chairman of the meeting on Saturday and stated its purpose. W. A. Ziegler, city superintendent of schools, spoke on the salary question and County Attorney Theo. Quale explained the law on the subject. It was decided that the county should be represented at the state meeting in St. Paul and Rev. A. J. Lochrem of Sanders township, and Stephen Singer of Kratka, were appointed delegates. Upon their return another meeting will be called at which time a minimum wage scale for the county will be recommended.

An organization of county school officials was formed with the following as officers: T. H. Bjerke, North township, president; Stephen Singer, Kratka, secretary; A. J. Lochrem, Sanders, treasurer.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES MONDAY EVENING

There will be a caucus of the Republican voters in the city of Thief River Falls at the auditorium on Monday evening, March 15, for the selection of delegates to the county convention to be held at the same place on Wednesday, March 17. At this caucus women as well as men may vote.

The city is entitled to 20 delegates in the county convention, apportioned as follows: First ward, 6; Second ward, 4; Third ward, 4; Fourth ward, 6.

All those whose affiliations in the past have been with the Republican party or who expect to endorse that party's principles and candidates at the next election are entitled to participate.

Sugar Beet Officials Interview Growers

PROSPECTS EXCELLENT FOR LARGE ACREAGE IN COUNTY THIS YEAR

L. E. Flink, general manager of the Chaska Sugar Beet company, and H. H. Dana, chief agriculturist, were in Thief River Falls on Tuesday, to interview the sugar beet growers of Pennington county. Several interested farmers remained all afternoon with Mr. Flink and went home well satisfied that the sugar beet crop is one of the best cultivated crops for this section.

The meeting was not well advertised as the notice did not come until March 7, but those who were not present may call at the farm bureau office for instructions on growing the crop. Those who have given in their names to the farm bureau may secure the contracts at any time. The contracts must be signed in duplicate and sent in to Chaska as soon as possible.

Mr. Flink states that one hundred acres will be alloted to this county this year. It was necessary to cut down the acreage in other sections as many more applied than could be taken care of. Pennington county has just room for a few more applicants if the names are secured very soon.

High Priced Chickens.

Ed. Battenfield, residing 11 miles west of the city, last week received two Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels from the Pattison Poultry farms at Waterloo, Iowa, paying $40 for the pair. This is the higest price ever paid for cockerels of this breed in the county, although Dennis McGinn last year paid $25 for a White Leghorn cock at the Raddison farms near Minneapolis.

Elks Elect Officers and Plan Initiation

ANOTHER LARGE CLASS WILL HAVE HORNS ATTACHED ON MARCH 26.

Thief River Falls Lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E., held its annual election of officers last Friday evening, the following being chosen: G. Howard Smith, exalted ruler; H. W. Protzeller, leading knight; J. W. Hendry, loyal knight; W. W. Prichard, Jr., lecturing knight; E. F. Dolan, secretary; J. P. Eisenpeter, treasurer; Math Barzen, trustee for three years. L. R. Johnston was elected delegate to the national convention at Chicago, with E. F. Dolan as alternate. To the state convention L. G. Larsen was elected with W. H. BonDurant as alternate.

The last big initiation to take place under the auspices of the present officers will be held on Friday evening, March 26, at the auditorium. There is a class of about 40 in waiting and special arrangements are being made for their reception. A committee is at work on the details and these will be of the usual high order. A dancing party has been advertised to take place on this date, but this will in all probability be postponed.

Declamatory Contest.

Miss Ella Evans, principal at the high school, yesterday afternoon left for Moorhead in charge of Roy Flattum and Ella Peterson who appeared there last evening in the high school declamatory contest for the championship of the district. The winners in the competition will go to St. Paul for the purpose of contesting in the state tournament. Supt. W. A. Ziegler was judge in a similar contest at Stephen on Tuesday evening.

MARCH 30 DATE SET FOR SCHOOL BOND ELECTION

SUM VOTERS WILL BE ASKED TO AUTHORIZE IS $135,000.

SHOULD PROVIDE FOR MONEY NOW EVEN IF NOT USED AT ONCE

CAN BE HAD FROM STATE BY JULY 1, 1921, AT FOUR PER CENT

There will be a special election in school district No. 18 on March 30 between the hours of 7 and 9 p. m. for the purpose of deciding whether or not the district shall be bonded in the sum of $135,000 for the erection of additional school buildings. The specific purpose of this loan, according to the official notice, is the erection of a school building, Knox addition.

The school board has ascertained that the money may be had from the state at an annual interest cost of four per cent but that it will not be available until July 1, 1921, there being no funds for the purpose at the disposal of the state before that time.

Has Considerable Leeway.

According to the present assessed valuation of the district, $158,000 may yet be borrowed from the state in addition to the loans now outstanding. There is no question as to the reliability of the security or the willingness of the investment board to advance the money, the only difficulty is in securing it at once. This will not prove much of a drawback even tho it is decided to build now, which is not at this time certain. The board will be governed entirely by conditions and if it appears as if there might be a reduction in construction costs within a reasonable time the probabilities are that the actual construction will be postponed.

Should Secure the Money.

The bonds should be authorized, however, in order that the money may be on hand when needed. It would entail no loss on the district to have the cash available even before building operations are begun as it could be put out at better interest than is charged by the state for its use.

Drainage Board to Make Start on 18th

WILL ELECT OFFICERS AND PROCEED TO ORGANIZE FOR BUSINESS

The recently appointed executive board for the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district will meet for the purpose of organization on March 18, according to the plans now announced. It is possible that all members will not be able to be in Thief River Falls on that date, in which case a postponement to a later date is probable.

At this meeting the chairman of the board will be elected and a plan of procedure announced. It may be also that a secretary will be appointed, someone not a member of the board being selected for this position.

The members of the board are: Ed. Aubol, farmer, Pennington county; Axel Nelson, farmer, Marshall county; C. G. Selvig, superintendent Northwest School of Agriculture, Polk county; Andrew Johnson, Meadow Farm, Clearwater county; William Paskewitz, Clover Grove Farm, Beltrami county.

Short Course in Goodridge.

A University Extension Short course will be held in Goodridge on March 30, 31, and April 1. This is the first one held in the eastern part of the county and should be well attended. Instructions on livestock and grains will be given by some of the best authorities connected with the Extension Division.

Mrs. Pearson Bound Over to Grand Jury

FORMER RESIDENT OF THIEF RIVER FALLS CHARGED WITH INFANTICIDE

Mrs. Arthur Pearson, formerly of Thief River Falls, was bound over to the June term of district court late Saturday in municipal court at Crookston on a charge of murdering an infant child by placing it on the roof of the Commercial hotel where it was found February 8. Mr. Pearson is also awaiting the action of district court on the same charge, having waived examination in municipal court. He is at liberty on $15,000 bonds but Mrs. Pearson is in custody at the Polk county jail, no bonds having been fixed by the district court as yet.

Hearing of Mrs. Pearson came Saturday afternoon and details of the case were recited by witnesses. Testimony was heard behind closed doors.

TO DETERMINE CLUB'S FUTURE STATUS TONIGHT

EXPECTED MANY QUESTIONS WILL BE SETTLED AT ANNUAL MEETING

REV. J. B. SMITH TO SPEAK ON "SPIRIT OF THE NEW AGE"

ANOTHER NAME MAY BE CHOSEN AND QUESTION OF LOCATION SETTLED

The annual meeting of the commercial club, postponed from time to time for various reasons, will be held this evening at the club rooms. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock, the price per plate, $1.00.

Rev. J. B. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church in this city, will be the principal speaker of the evening, his subject being "The Spirit of the New Age." Rev. Smith has seldom been heard outside his church since his return to the pastorate here and this feature of the evening's program will be looked forward to with a great deal of interest. There will also be a musical program.

Subjects For Discussion.

Many matters of more than usual importance will come up for discussion. Among these may be mentioned the retention of the present quarters. A number of members are of the opinion that moving into rooms commanding a lower rental would be wise, while others are convinced that this would be an error.

The budget system, under which the club will hereafter operate, will be explained and a plan of financing submitted. The matter of changing the membership dues is also on the list of subjects.

It has been suggested that a new name be given the club. The term "Commercial" is deemed by many to be misleading when applied to an organization embracing members connected with activities of all kinds in the city and several suggestions are made as an improvement. The arrangement of the kitchen and dining room facilities of the club and the matter of retaining the pool and billiard tables are expected to bring forth lively discussions.

This will be the big meeting of the year and every member should make it a point to be present.

Officers Elected At Physicians' Hospital

PRESENT QUARTERS TOO SMALL TO MEET STEADILY GROWING DEMAND

The annual meeting of the physicians hospital association was held on Monday afternoon with all members of the staff present. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Dr. O. F. Mellby, president; Dr. Jacob Biedermann, vice president; Dr. H. W. Froehlich, secretary; Dr. A. J. Paulson, treasurer.

Secretary Froehlich's report showed that during the past year a total of 700 patients were admitted to the institution and more than 500 operations were performed.

The matter of enlarging the hospital came up for discussion but nothing of a definite nature was proposed at this time. It is realized, however, that something will have to be done to meet the requirements in the near future and the subject is receiving the most careful consideration of the managing physicians.

Shaw's Candidacy Is Strongly Supported

REPUBLICANS OF OTHER COUNTIES RECOGNIZE WORTH OF PENNINGTON MAN

The candidacy of Daniel Shaw of Thief River Falls as one of the delegates from the Ninth district to the Republican national convention is daily receiving more support. Not only are the loyal Republicans of Pennington county behind him to a man, but party workers of note in practically every county in the district have assured his committee that they will be glad to extend all the assistance in their power.

There are two reasons for this. The first is the record of Mr. Shaw himself as a citizen and a Republican, and the other is the feeling that it is time Pennington county was accorded the honor of naming one of the delegates. Both the county and Mr. Shaw are similar in one respect—neither has ever asked for or been accorded any honor of such nature and the justice of the request at this time appeals to all fair-minded men.

Mr. Shaw has during the past week received many letters containing promises of support on the part of the writer. These come from well-known Republicans in all sections of the district, many of whom have served with him in the interests of the party in one capacity or another. They are glad to be thus able to repay favors extended them in former days.

A considerable number of ex-service men have voluntarily come forward and tendered their support. They appreciate the fact that in his sphere Mr. Shaw did his level best for them and their next of kin during their absence. There never was an activity in any manner connected with the war or with the welfare of the boys who were fighting that did not at once enlist Mr. Shaw's active interest and sympathy. He is not attempting to secure the support of the soldiers on this score, but they regard him as their friend and large numbers will prove it, any report to the contrary notwithstanding.

The caucuses will be held on Monday next and the county convention on Wednesday. The Republican voters who wish to see a faithful party man in some slight degree rewarded for the work he has for years performed without recognition of any kind will see that delegates favorable to Mr. Shaw's selection as a national convention delegate are chosen. Assurances have been received from practically every county in the northern part of the district to the effect that he is regarded as the man to whom the honor should go and with this support there is not the slightest doubt but that the district convention at Fergus Falls on Friday will carry ou their wishes.

Fruit Jobbing House New Venture in City

CORPORATION FORMED TO HANDLE DEPARTMENT OF TESSUM CO. BUSINESS

Articles of incorporation of the Tessum-Coumbo company of Thief River Falls have been filed with the secretary of state and within a short time another wholesale establishment will be added to the commercial enterprises of the city. The incorporators are Oluf Tessum, Stanley C. Coumbo and Gynther C. Tessum. The business of the company will be the handling of everything in the line of fruits, candies, tobaccoes, soda fountain supplies and flavorings and goods of that character. A part of the present new warehouse and office building of the Tessum company will be devoted to the new goods, there being ample room to accommodate both the present business and the new enterprise.

Mr. Coumbo, who will be actively in charge of the concern, states that he believes there is a field in this section for just the kind of supply depot the new company intends conducting. It will be the intention to go after trade actively from the outset, experienced traveling men being sent out as soon as things are in running order.

The new arrangement in no manner affects the status of the Tessum Seed, Grain and Supply company, which will continue as at present, handling seeds, feed, grain, hay and other farm produce at wholesale. The business has grown to vast proportions during the past few years and is one of the strong, dependable institutions of the northwestern part of the state.

Primaries Are Open To Women Voters

MAY CAST HER BALLOT IN PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE CONTEST

By enactment of the 1919 legislature, women are given the full right to participate in the presidential primaries and conventions to be held this month, under the same qualifications as apply to men voters.

The voters may indicate their preference for presidential candidate by ballot at the Republican primaries, Monday, March 15, or at the Democratic primaries on April 3. On these dates delegates to the county convention will also be elected. The clerk of caucus or primaries will report the preferential vote together with his credentials of delegates.

All duly qualified electors, male and female, who are members of the Republican, or the Democratic party, as the case may be, or who believe in the principles of either and desire to affiliate with one of said parties by supporting its candidates in the coming election, are invited to participate in the primaries and conventions.

It has been claimed by opponents of equal suffrage that the women, particularly in a farming community such as Pennington county, would not take advantage of the opportunity to vote even though it were offered them and the result of the first election in which they participate will be watched with unusual interest.

Personal Property Taxes.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud has just completed the task of checking up the receipts for personal property taxes paid during the period from Nov. 30 to March 1. He states that during the four months a total of $99,437.16 was paid in, an average of about $1,000 per day. For February the receipts were $68,830.15. Mr. Gullingsrud says that the taxes were cleaned up in a very satisfactory manner, there being fewer delinquents than for some years past.

COST OF PAVING IN NEIGHBORING CITIES COMPARED

CONTRACT PRICE AND DETAIL OF WORK PROPOSED AT WARREN

PAVEMENT OF BEST MATERIAL AND GRADING TO COST $5.58.

BEMIDJI CONTRACT NOT YET LET BUT SURFACING ESTIMATE IS $2.70.

In order to secure something in the shape of reliable figures on the probable cost of street paving The Times this week obtained the figures for the work contemplated in Warren from the city recorder, J. R. Naeseth. According to his figures the cost of actually laying the pavement in that city will come to $4.33 per yard. This is for asphaltic concrete, including all the work above the subgrade, using granite or trap rock for the coarse aggregate in the concrete base and fluxed Bermudez lake asphalt in the wearing surface. To this must be added the cost of excavation and grading, which is stated as follows: For each cubic yard of grading, including the removal of crossings, readjustment of manhole tops and all other work pertaining thereto, $1.25 per cubic yard.

Other Specifications Differ.

Included in Mr. Naeseth's report are figures showing the cost of concrete curbs, excavation for gutter sections and the paving of alley approaches which will differ greatly in different localities. The price of reinforced concrete paving is also given, but this differs but a few cents per yard from that of asphalt.

Cheaper at Bemidji.

Bemidji has a considerable paving job on hand for the coming summer but the contract has not yet been let. H. Mayne Stanton, secretary of the Civic and Commerce association of that city, informs The Times that the estimated cost of eight inch paving with a concrete surface is $2.70 per yard. This naturally does not include any of the other work necessary in an undertaking of this kind. Bemidji paving allotment under the provisions of a bond election recently carried amounts to 51,400 square yards at an estimated outlay for the paving alone of $139,000.

The city of Worthington, with a population of about 3,000 has recently let the contract for the laying of 56 blocks of pavement, making a total of 100 blocks for that municipality.

Play Final Games At Crookston on Friday

THIEF RIVER FALLS BOYS HAVE GOOD CHANCE TO RETURN CHAMPIONS

The final basketball games for the district championship will be played at Crookston on Friday evening and Coach Albert Tommeraasen with the Thief River Falls quintet, left on Wednesday afternoon for that city in order to be in trim for the hardest tussle of the season.

The semi-finals will first be played off, the contestants being Thief River Falls and Stephen for the northern section and Crookston and Fosston for the southern end. The last-named teams will settle the question of supremecy in the afternoon and the other two in the evening.

Unless the dope fails entirely the final contenders for the district championship should be Thief River Falls and Fosston. The two teams have given the most consistent performance during the season and should clean up their adversaries on Friday. Basketball prophesy is very unreliable, however, and there may be another story to tell.

Should the locals and Fosston be pitted against each other for the honor of representing the district at the state tournament one of the best games of the conference year should result. Fosston seems always to have a good team and that representing Thief River Falls high school has been made one of the best ever turned out in the city under the able guidance of Mr. Tommeraasen. The result will be watched with more than the usual amount of interest.

Mrs. Bishop Honored.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city has been appointed chairman of the Republican Women's Organization of the Ninth district. She has been busy during the past week making her selections for chairmen in the various counties, the aim being to wage an energetic campaign from now until the close of the campaign. A large part of the efforts of the organization will be devoted to enlightening the women of the district as to their rights and privileges under the new law which permits their voting for presidential electors this coming fall and to advocating an adherence to the principles of the Republican party generally.

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IS POSTPONEMENT BEST?

At the annual meeting of the Merchants association last week the matter of paving was given some attention, the result being that considerable of a damper has been thrown on the project. One speaker—who, by the way, has been a consistant booster for paving—rather surprised his hearers by saying that the cost of such work is almost prohibitive. He said it would cost over $6 per yard to pave at the present time and was of the opinion that the city had better wait another year or two before undertaking a job involving such an outlay. His argument was that the city would certainly lose nothing by the postponement and might be gaining a great deal.

Mr. Prichard's contention deserves careful consideration, particularly as it comes from a man who is an advocate of paving at the earliest possible moment in spite of the fact that the concern of which he is the head has the greatest frontage on the streets to be paved of any in the city. The trouble is that no one can guarantee that the prices will be lower a year or two years from now, while they may conceivably be higher. To decide that no paving shall be done until the price goes down may mean that the streets of Thief River Falls will forever remain in their present condition. On the other hand, to order the paving to be done no matter what the expense will be may prove almost confiscation in certain instances.

The city council has carefully gone into all this and can safely be trusted to know what it is about. The governing body has acted thus far in response to a general demand and will not be deaf to a similar demonstration on the part of those who oppose the course contemplated. Definite information on the subject of costs will likely be demanded, however, and it is therefore probable that bids will be advertised for. Only in this manner can the actual expense be ascertained. If it is then shown that the cost is prohibitive the matter may be dropped. On the other hand, should it prove that the citizens who are opposing the improvement have been misinformed the council will probably feel justified in going ahead. No one has ever supposed that this paving program would go through with the unanimous consent of all the citizens.

In order that our people may get some idea of what paving is costing in nearby cities, The Times has this week secured the figures at which the contract for similar work at Warren was let, as well as the estimated cost at Bemidji. These will be found in another column of this issue and will prove of particular interest. The Warren figures are furnished through the courtesy of City Recorder J. R. Naeseth. Bemidji has voted the bonds necessary to cover the cost of paving but the job has not been awarded. The figures given are based on estimates and submitted at the request of The Times by H. Mayne Stanton, secretary of the Civic and Commerce association of that city.

There is no division of opinion as to whether or not we should pave. It is hoped that the work may be undertaken this year, but no one will insist that this be done if it is to prove too great a burden on the property owners.

OF MORE IMPORTANCE.

While it is of course important that the people of Minnesota should choose a good man for governor this fall, it is not likely that any other kind will be selected. We have had governors of all kinds, most of whom have managed to get by without a great deal of trouble. There never has been a man in the executive chair satisfactory to all the people and there never will be. If there is enough objection to him he only lasts two years, at the end of which time another may be tried. He in turn will go through exactly the same experience. Neither the future progress of the state nor the eternal salvation of its people depends very largely upon the man who happens for the moment to be governor.

The passage of the good roads amendment is of more importance to everyone except the politicians. Here is a matter in which all the people of the state are interested and will continue to be interested until Minnesota has the best roads it is possible to obtain. For this reason the Babcock amendment is not a political issue nor is it bound up with the success of any political candidate. The proposition must stand or fall on its own merits and while it is certain that party men will align themselves for or against it, its intrinsic value has nothing in common with their attitude. In case the amendment passes *the governor and legislature* can do little except ratify it. Anyhow it is hardly conceivable that the amendment would be passed and persons opposed to it elected to carry out its provisions.

It is not likely that an open fight will be made on this proposition. Those who object to its passage are more likely to leave it severely alone, depending on its defeat through the failure of the people to vote either one way or the other.

There is no sound argument to make against the Babcock amendment. Those who attempt it only succeed in disclosing the shallowness of their contentions. It holds forth the only promise of eventually lifting Minnesota out of the mud that has thus far been presented to the people. It provides the most equitable plan of paying for the work contemplated. It is the one great permanent improvement of which the state stands in need.

We Have Kind Neighbors.

Duluth Evening Herald: The Thief River Falls Times, which Publishers Ross and Austad have made one of the niftiest weeklies in Minnesota, north or south, was burned out a few weeks ago, and is apologizing for not looking better because of the delay in getting its new plant. We know of a number of papers that would be throwink boquets at themselves if they looked as well as The Times does without the new togs.

BUY IT AT HOME.

Women particularly, and men in a lesser degree, will soon be spending more money than they should for the purpose of dressing up for spring. This is all right—if they can afford it and have sense enough to buy their outfits here at home.

It is hard to understand just why the average woman figures that she can be better served by going to some city a long distance away in order to make her selections. She is invariably worse off financially because of such action and nine cases out of ten is not so well satisfied in the end. Some there are who still believe that things are cheaper in the cities, but this idea is not so prevalent as it once was. Others think that the garment secured will be more exclusive, which is not the case. The home merchant will be far more careful about avoiding duplications than is one who has no other interest in the transaction than making the one sale. Then again there is the claim that the selection is larger. Sometimes perhaps, but it is not likely to be more varied or satisfactory on that account.

The sensible woman will buy at home and save money. She will receive better service, just as exclusive styles and be better pleased with herself generally. She should remember that if this town is good enough for her to live in it is good enough for her to do her shopping in. The money she spends was made here and, as far as possible should remain here. The women of the community are greater offenders in this respect than are the men and it is not to their credit.

Remember that the home merchant is making every effort to please. At least give him a chance by looking over what he has to offer.

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Archie Dahl returned Monday from Minneapolis, where ' had been taking a course in window trimming. He has resumed his position as clerk in Lieberman Brothers clothing store.

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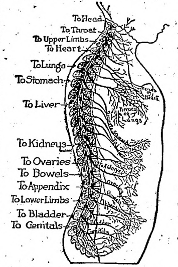

Affections of any of the above parts may be caused by nerves impinged at the spine by a subheated vertebra.

The tonsils are glands and it is reasonable to believe that they are a valuable part of the body, otherwise the Creator would not have made tonsils.

Nerves to Tonsils

These important organs are supplies with nerves that lead from a definite place in the spinal column and it is a fact that when there is no pressure on these nerves the tonsils are normal and give no trouble.

Tonsil Trouble

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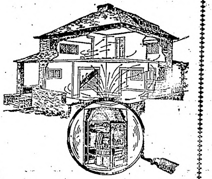

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Local Notes

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Elias Rolland left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend to business matters.

Miss Irene Malberg returned to her home at Steiner on Wednesday after a brief visit with local friends.

P. P. Palmer, who is engaged in the mercantile business at Mavie, was a business visitor in this city on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Anderson, who is engaged in teaching school near Radium, spent Sunday visiting at her home in this city.

John Keller, residing near Goodridge, left Monday evening for points in Texas, where he will remain for an indefinite period.

Rev. Bot Nyborg left Friday afternoon for Crookston to attend to business matters in connection with the work in the Scandinavian Mission church.

Miss Inga Thune, who formerly was employed by the East side grocery, has accepted a position as clerk with the Simonson Meat and Grocery company.

Miss Lucila Habedank returned to her home at Germantown the first of the week after completing a course in dressmaking under the instruction of Miss A. Lautenbach.

Mrs. T. Torgerson returned to her home at Greenbush Wednesday after a short time spent in this city on a shopping expedition. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Anna Dock.

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Supt. David Johnson of Warren was a business caller in this city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Furstnau left Friday afternoon for Crookston to remain for a few days.

Miss Christine Wagedahl returned to her home at Holt on Tuesday after a brief visit with her sister in this city.

Miss Agnes Linde left Friday for Middle River, where she was the guest of Miss Thrine Dosland over Sunday.

Chas. Anderson left Wednesday for his home at Greenbush after spending a few days in this city receiving dental treatment.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren left last week for the Twin Cities and Stillwater, where they will visit with relatives for a week or ten days.

Miss Mabel McGinnity, who is engaged in teaching near Brooks, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGinnity.

Mrs. Carl Ahlborg of Hazel spent Friday with local friends while on her way to Highlanding to be the guest of a sister-in-law for a few days.

Ray Dugan, brakeman on the Soo, visited with friends in this city the first of the week. He rourned on Tuesday evening to his home at Gladstone, Mich.

Mrs. L. L. Huddleson of St. Hilaire arrived Tuedsay afternoon and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Shafer.

Mrs. H. Wingler and daughter, Miss Anna, who had been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wingler in this city, left on Tuesday for their home at Weaver, N. D.

Mrs. Jas. Baugh, who spent a few days in this city visiting at the homes of her sisters, Mrs. H. E. Holt and Mrs. Martin Bothun, returned on Monday to her home at Warren.

Misses Mollie Hermanson, Dorothy Lane and Hilda Hammerstein left on Saturday for Warren to witness the basket ball game, returning to this city in the evening on the special.

Mrs. O. R. Mahlien and children returned to their home at Hastings, this state, Friday afternoon, having visited for a week or two at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. J. T. Neseth.

Miss Stella Lunsetter, accompanied by her mother, arrived Tuesday afternoon from their home at Gatzke to receive optical treatment. They returned to their home on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Hay and two children returned to their home at Grand Forks on Friday afternoon after having spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Hay's mother, Mrs. Louise Robbecke.

Misses Johanna and Gustie Behn, who had been at their home in Red Lake Falls for a month, returned to this city on Tuesday morning to take up their work in the school of dressmaking.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bjerke arrived the latter part of last week from Minneapolis and visited with friends in this city. From here they went to Holt, where they expect to reside in the future.

Misses Margaret Burns and Kathleen Ures left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where they will be the guests of Miss E. Burns and Mrs. Lucy Ures, respectively. They expected to return to Thief River Falls Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Knutson and family of Holt are removing to this city and will reside on State avenue in a home which they recently purchased. They sold their farm property at auction March 4.

Miss Elizabeth Hanson of Albert Lea left Friday afternoon for Holt after a brief visit in this city with Mrs. Frank Horn. At the conclusion of her visit at Holt she will return to this city to be employed.

Misses Ruth Kiland and Maybelle Ostby went to Warren Saturday and witnessed the game played there that evening between the local high school basket ball quint and the Warren school team. They remained over Sunday and visited with friends.

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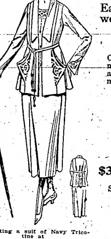

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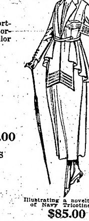

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CITIZENS STATE BANK

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my land I will sell at public auction the property named below at the C. L. Hansen farm on the southeast quarter of section 25, town of Silverton, 8 miles east of Thief River Falls and 1 mile south of stop No. 6 on the Electric Line, on

Monday, March 22

Commencing at 10 o'clock.

1 Sorrel mare, 12 years old, wt. 1200.
1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1150.
1 Bay mare, 6 years old, wt. 1600.

1 Brown cow, 7 years old, giving milk.
1 Roan cow, 6 years old, just fresh.
1 Spotted cow, 4 years old, fresh in June.
1 Roan cow, 5 years old, giving milk.
1 Red grade Shorthorn heifer calf.

90 Plymouth Rock chickens.

1 Van Brunt drill, 16 single disc.
1 18-Shoe Moline drill, with grass seed attachment, good as now.
1 6-ft. Deering binder.
1 7-ft. McCormick binder, good as new.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower.
2 5-ft. Deering mowers.
1 10-ft. Deering hay rake.
1 10-ft. Minnesota hay rake.
1 16-inch John Deere sulky plow.
1 14-inch Walking plow.
1 14-disc Harrow.
1 16-disc Osborne harrow.
1 14-disc Moline harrow.
2 Steel harrows.
1 Wide tired wagon.
1 Steel truck wagon.
1 Wagon with good wagon box.
1 Bob sleigh.
2 Good hay racks.
1 Bull Dog fanning mill.
1 Good platform scale, 1000 lbs.
1 Walking potato digger or lister.
1 Corn drill.
1 Disc corn cultivator.
1 2-horse 6-shovel riding cultivator.
1 1-horse Cultivator.
1 12-inch Breaking plow.
1 16-inch Breaking plow.

2 Sets good working harness.
1 De Laval cream separator, good as new.

1 1914 Model Studebaker auto, 5-passenger, in good condition.

1 250-egg Queen incubator.
1 250-chick Queen brooder.

2 Heavy brass beds, complete.
2 Iron beds, omplete.
3 Dressers.
1 Chiffonier.
1 Sewing machine and table.
1 Round extension dining room table.
1 China closet.
6 Dining room chairs.
3 Leather rocing chairs.
4 Plain rocking chairs.
1 Library table.
1 Writing desk and book case.
1 Leather couch.
1 Kithen abinet.
1 Large Round Oak heating stove, good as now.
1 Small heating stove.
1 Box stove heater.
1 No. 9 Quick Meal range.
1 Oil heater.
1 3-burner Kerosene stove.
2 Rugs 9x12 feet; 1 rug 6x9.
1 Gasoline lamp.
1 22-caliber Rifle.
1 8-day Clock.
6 Heavy picture frames, with glass.
1 Washing machine.
1 doz. Sanitary wire hen nests.
1 Bench vise and some carpenter tools.
6 Good barrels.
Dishes, cooking utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

VAL YAGER, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction the properey named below at my farm on the NE quarter of section 19, Town of North, 3 miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock

1 black horse, 7 years old, wt. 1400
1 bay horse, 8 years old, wt. 1400
1 bay horse, 8 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 bay mare, 7 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 sorrel mare, 8 years old, wt. 1400
1 mare colt, 2 years old
1 horse colt, 1 year old
1 red cow, 7 years old, was fresh in Dec.
1 red cow, 8 years old, was fresh in Dec.
1 red cow, 5 years old, was fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 6 years old, was fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 7 years old, was fresh in Jan.
1 red cow, 5 years old, was fresh in Feb.
3 red steers, coming 2 years old
1 red bull, coming 2 years old
2 red heifers, coming 1 year old
2 bull calves
6 spring calves
About 125 chickens, mostly White Leghorns
11 Bronze turkeys
1 Plano binder, 6-ft. cut
1 Deering mower, 5-ft. cut

1 Minnesota rake, 10-ft. nearly new
1 20-double disc Monitor drill, new
1 gang plow, 14-inch
1 4-horse harrow
1 wide tire wagon, nearly new
1 narrow tire wagon
1 Haney buggy good as new
1 14-disc Osborne disc harrow
1 buck rake
1 single horse cultivator
1 2-horse cultivator
1 Galloway manure spreader
1 Planet Jr., garden planter and cultivator, nearly new
1 set heavy breeching harness
1 set work harness
& single harness
1 single work harness
1 fanning mill
About 35 grain sacks
1 Rumley cream separator
1 barrel churn, 5-gal.
1 Oak Home heating stove
1 2-burner kerosene stove, with oven
1 Edison Amberol phonograph, with 90 records

Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

AUGUST SODERBERG, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my land, I will sell at public auction the property named below at my farm, the SE quarter of section 20, Town of Excel, 1 mile north of Steiner and 7 miles north of Thief River Falls, on

Tuesday, March 16

Commencing at 11 o'clock

1 team of black geldings, 4 and 5 years old, weight 2400 lbs.
1 team of horses, 7 years old, weight 2800 lbs.
1 bay mare, 10 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 colt, 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 John Deere binder, with truck, 6-ft. cut
1 McCormick binder, 8-ft. cut
1 Minnesota mower, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
1 Minnesota rake, 10-ft.
1 Ideal, 14-single disc drill, with grass seed attachment
1 disc
1 Dowagiac drill, 16-shoe
1 2-horse riding cultivator
1 double row cultivator

1 16-in. sulky plow
1 14-in. walking plow
1 2-section iron drag
1 3-horse drag
2 wide tire wagons
2 bob sleighs
1 hay rack
1 fanning mill
1 Hero fanning mill
1 double seated buggy
1 sow thistle killer
1 grindstone
1 galvanized oil barrel, with faucet 55 gallons
2 sets of working harness

About 500 bushels of oats
All the machinery listed above is as good as now

FREE HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

WM. FURSTNAU, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Watch For Our Auctions

Farmers who intend to add to their equipment of livestock and machinery will do well to attend the auctions conducted by the Citizens State Bank this month.

Among the property listed with us for sale you will likely find just what you are looking for, and you may get it at a price considerably less than present market value.

It will be worth your while to watch our newspaper ads and auction bills for announcements of our various sales.

If you intend to have a sale this spring, and have not yet made arrangements for it, we would like to have you come in and talk it over with us.

CITIZENS STATE BANK

Resources Over $800,000.00

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following property named below at my farm on the NW quarter of section 1, Town of Kratka, 2½ miles south of Stop 13 on the Electric line

Tuesday, March 30

Commencing at 10:30 o'clock

1 bay mare
1 bay mare
1 bay mare coming 4 years old
1 bay horse coming 5 years old
1 bay horse coming 3 years old, wt. about 1300
1 red cow, was fresh about Jan. 1.
1 heifer, in calf
1 Deering binder, 6-ft. cut, with truck
1 20-single disc Van Brunt drill
1 18-in. John Deere gang plow
1 disc harrow, 14 disc
1 5-section drag
1 Deere & Weber wide tire wagon
1 new Rock Island low wagon
1 double wagon box
1 spring seat

2 hay racks
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
1 galvanized 10-barrel stock tank
1 Hero fanning mill
1 platform scale, 1000-lbs.
1 grindstone
2 sets of work harness
1 single buggy harness
1 buggy pole
65 grain sacks
200 bushels Golden Yellow oats
About 6 ton of Timothy and Clover hay
Some carpenter tools
Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

HALVOR T. HOMME, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction the property named below at my farm on the northwest quarter of section 27, town of Silverton, 6 miles east and 1 mile north of Thief River Falls, or ½ mile south of stop No. 6 on the Electric Line.

Saturday, March 13

Commencing at 11:30 o'clock.

1 Team of Western horses, weight about 2700 lbs.
1 Gray mare, 6 years old, wt. about 1350 lbs.
1 Bay mare, 8 years old, wt. about 1500 lbs.
1 Red cow, 5 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 Red and white cow, 4 years old, fresh in November
1 Red and white cow, 6 years old, fresh in January
1 Heifer, 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 Half grade Holstein cow, 5 years old, will be fresh in June
1 Holstein heifer, 2½ years old
1 Holstein heifer, 2 years old
1 Grade Shorthorn heifer, 2 years old
1 Heifer, 1 year old
1 Bull, 1 year old
1 Steer, 1 year old.
60 Chickens
1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. with truck
1 Van Brunt single 16-disc drill
1 4-horse harrow
1 14-disc harrow
1 John Deere gang plow, 13-inch
1 Emerson sulky plow, 16-inch
1 Dide tire Stoughton wagon, good as new
1 Narrow tire Stoughton wagon, with box
1 Emerson sulky plow, with breaking attachment
1 Top buggy, auto style seat, good as new
1 bob sleigh

1 Platform scale, capacity 1000 lbs.
1 Hero fanning mill, good as new.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower
1 10-ft. McCormick hay rake
1 Grindstone
1 horse cultivator
2 hay rakes
2 heavy working harness
1 buggy harness
1 water tank, holds about 6 barrels
1 Ford automobile, in good condition
About 75 grain sacks
About 200 bushels seed oats
About 300 bushels oats
18 Bushels good millet seed
1400 lbs. good timothy seed
1 DeLaval cream separator
1 National incubator, 165-egg capacity.
1 Kitchen range
1 Favorite self feeder coal stove
1 Bureau
1 Wash stand
3 Rocking chairs
1 Writing desk
1 Wardrobe
1 Kitchen buffet
2 beds with springs
1 Table
10 Kitchen chairs
1 Sofa
1 Victor phonograph, 64 records and case
1 Sewing machine
1 Washing machine
1 Cyclone churn, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

HALVOR HJELDEN, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction all of my personal property, on the Mrs. John Dablow farm, the southeast quarter of section 12, town of North, 3 miles east and 3 miles north of Thief River Falls, being 1½ miles north of stop No. 4 on the Electric Line.

Friday, March 26

Sale starts at 10 o'clock sharp.

HORSES AND CATTLE

1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1300.
1 Sorrel mare, 6 years old, wt. 1300.
1 Blac mare, 4 years old, wt. 1150.
1 Black horse, 7 years old, wt. 1200
1 Black mare, 4 years old, wt. 1150
1 Red cow, 8 years old, fresh June 1.
1 Roan cow, 6 years old, fresh about June.
1 Red and white cow, 6 years old, fresh May 1.
1 Red and white cow, 4 years old, fresh May 1.
1 Red and white cow, 7 years old, with calf 6 weeks old.
2 Red heifers, 2½ years old, fresh soon
1 Red heifer, 2 years old.
1 Red heifer, 1½ years old.
3 Heifer calves, 9 months old.
1 Bull calf, 2 months old.
1 Red bull, 2 years old.
1 Grade Holstein bull, 3 years old.

FARM MACHINERY

1 14-inch Emerson gang plow.
1 8-ft. Moline disc harrow, 14-disc.
1 Keystone drill, 20 single disc.
1 4-horse Drag.
1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut, with truck.
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut.
1 McCormick hay rake, 12-ft
1 Sweep rake.
1 1-horse Cultivator.
2 Hay racks. 1 10-barrel water tank.
2 Sets bob sleighs.
1 Rock Island wagon and 80-bu. grain tank, good as now.
1 Wagon with box. 1 buggy.
1 Newton fanning mill.
1 DeLaval cream separator.
4 Sets good work harness.
1 Set buggy harness.
8 Bushels Millet.
1 5-passenger Hupmobile.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

E. E. ANDERSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm on the NE quarter of section 33, Town of Cloverleaf, on the State road, 2 miles SE of Mavie, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 18

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock

1 white mare, weight 1300 lbs.
1 white mare, weight 1250 lbs.
1 black horse, weight 1100 lbs.
1 black colt, coming 3 years old
1 gray colt, coming 3 years old
8 Shorthorn cows
1 red cow, 8 years old, fresh in May
1 red cow, 5 years old, fresh in April
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh in May
1 spotted cow, 5 years old, was fresh in January
1 red cow, 5 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh in Apr.
1 red cow, 6 years old, fresh in May
1 red cow, 3 years old, fresh in June
1 Shorthorn bull, 1½ years old
2 heifer calves, 11 months old
3 yearling bull calves
1 heifer calf, 3 weeks old.
1 brood sow, 9 months old, will farrow in May
10 geese
40 Plymouth Rock hens

1 low wheel truck wagon
1 bob sleigh
2 hay racks
1 5-ft. McCormick mower
1 14-in. New Deere gang plow
1 4-horse drag
1 16-shoe Kentucky drill
1 14-in. breaking plow
1 wheelbarrow
8 tons Timothy hay
6 bu. Timothy seed
1 Mersbe steel range
1 15-gal. stone jar
1 3-burner kerosene stove
1 dresser
1 Kimball organ
2 dozen fruit jars
1 8-gal. churn
1 8-gal. cream can
1 DeLaval cream separator
1 spinning wheel
Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

JOHN ULVILD, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

First and Peoples State Bank Auction Sales

Oscar A. Rambeck

Having rented my farm I will sell at Public Auction on my farm, the southwest uarter of section 34, Town of Grand Plain, 3½ miles north and one mile east of Mavie, on

MONDAY, MARCH 15

All the following described property, to-wit:

8—HORSES—8

1 horse 7 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 horse 7 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
1 horse 6 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 horse 12 years old, weight 1150 lbs.
1 horse 5 years old, weight 1150 lbs.
1 mare 10 years old, weight 1150.
1 mare colt 2 years old.
1 mare colt 2 years old.

26—HEAD CATTLE—26

1 cow 5 years old, fresh Feb. 1.
1 cow 6 years old, coming fresh about May 20.
1 cow 6 years old, fresh Feb. 7th.
1 cow 3 years old, coming fresh March 1.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 4.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 6.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 6.
1 cow 3 years old, fresh Feb. 10.
1 heifer 3 years old, coming fresh this spring.
1 heifer 3 years old, will be fresh about March 15.
1 cow 4 years old, fresh Feb. 12.
1 cow 7 years old, fresh Feb. 2.
1 heifer coming 2 years old.
1 3-4 Shorthorn bull 2 years old.
5 yearling heifers.
7 calves.

FARM MACHINERY

1 7-cut Moline binder nearly new.
1 20-single disc Van Brunt drill nearly new with seed attachment.
1 13-in. John Deere gang plow, good as new.
1 70-bu. Nisco manure spreader, in good shape.
1 Gale 8-shovel pivot axle riding cultivator.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower. 1 walking cultivator
1 three section lever wooden drag.
1 10-ft. McCormick hay rake.
1 manure carrier with 100 ft. track.
1 Weber wide tire wagon.
1 farm truck.
1 good steel wheel truck.
1 good sleigh, 7-ft. runners.
1 good sleigh 6-ft. runners.
1 wagon box.
1 Winner fanning mill with sack attachment.
1 hay rack.
1 15-barrel galvanized stock tank.
1 8-barrel galvanized stock tank.
1 Empire cream separator No. 35, 900 lb. capacity.
1 single buggy.
1 John Deere disc harrow, 14 disc.
1 14-in. breaking plow.
1 Allwork tractor, new, only ground feed with three times.
1 triple bottom John Deere engine plow with stubble and breaker bottom.
1 Emerson Brantingham engine tandem disc, 8-ft.
1 Letz No. 2, with self-sharpening burrs.
7 good work harness.
1 complete threshing rig consisting of one 80 B H P J. I. Case steam plow engine.
1 12-25 Mogul tractor in good shape.
1 8-bottom J. I. Case Independent beam plow.
250 cedar fence posts.
1,000 ft. lumber.
1 Niagara second steel frame separator, fully equipped with belts.
1 water tank with pump and good hose.
1 set of 12-in. extensions for engine.
Full set of blacksmith tools.
All kinds of small tools.
1 40-Egg incubator and brooder.
1 No. 9 range.
Household goods and many other articles too numerous to mention.

This Sale Will Commence at 10:00 o'clock Sharp.

Hot Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

OSCAR A. RAMBECK, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Hans H. Peterson

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm the southwest quarter of section 3, Town of Adger, six miles east and four and one-half miles north of Thief River Falls, two and one-half miles north and one mile east of Silverton elevator, the following described property, commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17th.

SIX HEAD OF HORSES

1 black mare, 12 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 bay horse, 12 years old, weight 1250 lbs.
1 iron gray horse, 11 years old, weight about 1250
1 black horse, 11 years old, weight about 1250
1 dark brown horse, 12 years old, weight about 1600 lbs.
1 dark roan horse, 5 years old, weight about 1200

LIVE STOCK, MOSTLY SHORTHORNS, TEN COWS

1 cow, will freshen in May
1 cow, fresh in April
1 cow, fresh in May
1 cow, fresh in May
1 cow, was fresh in February
1 cow, was fresh in February
1 cow, fresh in May
1 cow, fresh in March
1 cow, fresh in March
1 cow, fresh in April
1 grade Shorthorn bull, will be 2 years old in May
1 heifer, with calf
4 yearling heifers
1 year-old steer
1 brood sow, will farrow the latter part of Apr.

FARM IMPLEMENTS and OTHER ARTICLES

1 McCormick binder, 7-ft. cut
1 McCormick mower, 4½-ft. cut
1 Milwaukee mower, 5-ft. cut
1 Deering hay rake
1 Stoughton wagon with grain tank
1 disc harrow, 14 disc
1 Van Brunt disc drill, 18 disc
1 4-section wood harrow
1 3-section harrow
1 hay rack
1 65-gal. tin tank
1 Mandt wagon with hay rack
1 pair bob sleighs
1 double buggy
1 Moline gang plow with 5-horse hitch
1 Emerson sulky plow.
1 4½ H. P. Olds gas engine and feed mill
1 48-gal. steel barrel
1 55-gal. steel barrel
Set blacksmith tools complete
1 set 1 3-4-in. tugs, butt chains and breeching harness
1 set 1½-in. tugs, butt chain breeching harness good as new
1 set heel chain harness
2 light harness
1 DeLaval cream separator, No. 15
1 15-gal. barrel churn with pulleys
1 Hinman milking machine, 2 units, with fittings for James steel stalls
400 bushels of oats
20 bushels of cleaned Siberian Millet seed
15 bushels of flax seed
About 10 ton of Timothy hay.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ETC.

1 extension table
1 washing machine with wringer
And other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

HANS H. PETERSON, Owner

T. K. RYNESTAD, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

TOBIAS SKJERPING

Having decided to retire from farming, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the northeast quarter of section 23, Town of Smiley, better known as the Haraldson farm, 8 miles east and 4 miles south of Thief River Falls, the following described personal property:

FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1920

Sale commencing at 10:00 o'clock sharp.

Fifteen Head of Horses

1 Bay horse 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Bay mare 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Black mare 10 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Black horse 5 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Black horse 12 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 Bay horse 12 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Bay mare 11 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Bay horse 7 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Gray horse 12 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Roan horse 8 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Gray horse 13 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
1 Bay horse 8 years old, weight 1000 lbs. Saddle horse
1 Bay mule 6 years old, weight 900 lbs.
1 Roan mule 6 years old, weight 900 lbs.
1 Black mare 9 years old, weight 1350 lbs.

6—PURE BRED SHORTHORNS—6

No. 169010 Gipsy B., calved Dec. 25, 1913, became fresh last week in February.
No. 5051175, Guerina S., calved January 25th, 1915, sired by N . 558254 Buck, will be fresh in April
No. 842464 Gipsy Queen, calved February 16th, 1919, not bred.
No. 695430 Beauty, calved March 12th, 1918, not bred

HERD BULL

No. 558254 Buck, calved March 5th, 1916.
1 Pure bred bull calf, not yet registered.

21—HIGH GRADE SHORTHORN—21

1 White cow 6 years old, fresh in March
1 White cow, 6 years old, fresh in April
1 Red cow 6 years old, fresh in April
1 Red and white cow 4 years old, fresh in summer
1 Red cow 6 years old, fresh in May
All of the above are sired by herd bull No. 558254 Buck
1 Red and white cow 7 years old, became fresh in February
1 Red and white cow 8 years old, became fresh in February
1 Red and white cow 8 years old, became fresh in Jan.
3 Red heifers, 2 years old
5 Red heifers, 1 year old
1 White heifer 1 year old
4 heifer calves, 6 months old
All Cattle Tuberculin Tested in January.

1 McCrmick binder 6-ft. cut
1 Van Brunt 20-shoe drill
1 wide tire wagon
1 Heavy wide tire wagon
2 John Deere gang plows
1 Disc, good as new
1 16-in. breaker
1 John Deere 16-in. walking plow
2 four horse drags. 1 cultivator
1 Single buggy
1 new set of heavy harness
8 sets of work harness, complete
1 set of light harness
About 25 loads of wood in poles
A lot of other articles too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer H. S. Dahlen, Clerk

First and Peoples State Bank Auction Sales

Andreas Opseth --- Olof Opseth

Having sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction on my farm the E½NW¼, Section 10, Town of New Solum, being one-half mile south of the Village of Rosewood, about eight miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 23

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all the following described personal property, to-wit:

HORSES

1 Gray mare 12 years old, weight 1600 lbs.
1 Sorrel horse 12 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Black mare colt 2 years old

13—HEAD OF LIVE STOCK—13

1 Cow fresh in February
2 Cows fresh firsta of March
1 Cow, will be fresh this month
1 Cow, will be fresh in April
1 Cow, fresh next August
2 Heifers, 2 years old
1 Heifer, 9 months old
4 Calves
12 Chickens

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 John Deere binder with truck, 7-ft. cut
1 Deering Reaper
1 McCormick mower
1 Deering mower
1 McCormick hay hake, 10-ft.
1 John Deere 14-inch gang plow
1 Walking plow
1 Van Brunt 15-shoe drill
1 Drill
1 4-horse harrow
2 Cultivators
1 John Deere engine, double disc harrow, 10-ft. wide
1 Set bob sleighs
1 Water tank with heater
1 Wide tire wagon
1 Two seated buggy
1 Potato sprayer
2 Machine sheds, and some oak planks

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 Fire proof safe
1 Kalamazoo kitchen range No. 9
1 Monogram oak heater No. 18
1 Box stove
2 Oil stoves
1 Extension table, 2 small tables, 1 piano, 1 dresser, 1 sewing machine, 1 set of carpet looms, 1 churn, 4 iron beds, lamps and other articles to numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

Andreas Opseth & Olof Opseth
Owners

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

YOUR attention is called to the strong position this bank holds at this time both as to reserve and resources as is shown by the accompanying statement.

We are prepared to care for your requirements be they large or small, and our resources are placed at your command.

We pledge our best efforts to extend liberal, helpful and intelligent banking service.

Let us serve you on this basis and we will prove to you that your business is appreciated.

BANK NO. 1395.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF
First and Peoples State Bank
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA.
At Close of Business on Feb. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$560,828.01
Overdrafts		1,081.88
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		8,286.05
Bonds and Securities other than those of U. S.		39,275.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		11,356.16
Other Real Estate		57,316.00
Checks and Drafts in Transit		14,486.53
Due from other Banks	$ 52,822.20	
Cash on hand	16,680.00	
Cur. $10,116.75		
Gold 1,040.50		
Silver 5,075.40		
Other 447.35		
Total Cash Assets		69,502.20
Checks and Cash Items		2,286.85
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		2,243.10
Other Resources		343.59
Total		$767,005.37
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$ 75,000.00
Surplus Fund		15,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		20,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$220,468.91	
Certified Checks	79.25	
Cashier's Checks	15,214.36	
Due to Banks	16,314.97	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$252,077.49	
Savings Deposits	37,756.50	
Time Certificates	367,171.38	
Total Deposits	$657,005.37	657,005.37
Total		$767,005.37
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 69,502.20
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		51,495.68

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, H. S. Dahlen, Vice President and R. M. Sheldon, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. S. DAHLEN, Vice President.
R. M. SHELDON, Cashier.
Correct Attest: (Two) Directors
HALVOR LOKEN.
CARL B. LARSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of March, 1920.
(SEAL.) DORA HOLMES.
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires June 22, 1923

First and Peoples State Bank
"The Bank That Backs the Farmer"

Local Notes

For first-class groceries trade with P. P. Palmer at Mavie. m4tf

Scott Laird left on Sunday evening for St. Paul to attend to matters of business.

G. Howard Smith left on Monday for St. Hilaire, where he transacted business.

F. H. Fagley of St. Paul arrived on Saturday evening and visited with friends over Sunday.

James Farr left on Monday afternoon for Crookston, where he attended to business affairs.

D. B. Bakke returned to his home in Holt on Saturday morning after a brief visit in this city.

Judge Holm of Roseau, visited with his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Erickson, between trains on Saturday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Mauritz W. Brink spent Thursday as the guests of the former's parents at St. Hilaire.

Harry Booren left Wednesday evening for Minneapolis to look after business matters for a few days.

Miss Alice Welsh left on Monday evening for the twin cities where she will remain for an indefinite period.

Highest prices paid for butter and eggs by P. P. Palmer, Mavie. m4tf

Miss Marcella Holm of Clearbrook arrived on Monday evening and will be employed at the Chas. Helquist home.

Miss Josephine McClelland, who is employed in this city, left Saturday morning on a brief visit to her home at Strathcona.

Mrs. P. Burstad of St. Hilaire arrived on Monday morning to receive medical attention. She returned in the afternoon.

The Ladies aid of the Methodist church will hold a food sale at Rollands meat market on Saturday, the 13th of March. m11

C. E. Willams of Rollis visited in this city on Monday enroute to the twin cities where he will engage in business affairs.

C. Christofferson and two children left Saturday for Holt and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Skomedahl over Sunday.

Miss Ida Steenerson, who teaches at Brooks, arrived Friday and visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Steenerson.

Mrs. O. H. Dovee of Holt was in the city on Friday receiving dental treatment She returned to her home the following morning.

Misses Gustie and Johanna Behn returned to their home in Red Lake Falls on Saturday after a short visit with friends in this city.

Geo. Phillipson of Middle River was in the city the latter part of last week on business with the Winton-Nichols Lumber company.

Mrs. Oscar Carlson, who has been receiving medical treatment in this city, returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon.

Miss Linda Olson, who has been employed in this city, left Saturday morning for her home at Holt, where she will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. H. Davidson, who has been visiting with her parents, who reside near Holt, returned to her home in this city on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berg of Shelbrook, Sask., Can., are the parents of a daughter born at the Physicians hospital in this city on Friday, March 5.

Clarence Dybvick of the clerical force at Mogensen's clothing store, left on Monday evening for the twin cities where he will take up a course in window decorating. He expects to be gone for a period of a month.

Miss Clara Jacobs this week finished her course in dressmaking with Miss Albina Lautenbach and returned to her home about four miles north of town.

Mrs. C. M. Wilson, who has been visiting at the home of her son, Herman Wilson, at Fordville for a couple of weeks, returned here on Monday evening.

Miss Jessie Barnett left Friday for St. Hilaire, where she was engaged to play for a Leap Year dance given by the young ladies of that village on Friday evening.

Miss Tekla Tornell returned to her home at Roseau on Monday morning after having visited in this city over Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Turnquist.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Halvorson left on Sunday evening for their home at Mahnomen after spending the day in this city as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. DeVelling.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cummings and children left on Saturday afternoon for their home in Fargo, after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Olson in this city.

Miss Ruth Anderson, who teaches near Esplee, visited here Friday evening, leaving on Saturday morning for her home at Middle River, where she visited over Sunday.

Mrs. C. Johnson, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Longren in this city for a few days, returned to her home at Grand Forks on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. John Swanson, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Sarah, who had been guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. T. S. Brokke, returned on Saturday to their home at Steiner.

Paul Nybakken, formerly employed in the grocery department of the Oen Mercantile company, has accepted a similar position in Minneapolis and left last week to assume his new duties.

Mrs. J. P. Johnon, who has been confined in the local hospital for three weeks left for her home in Badger on Tuesday morning. She was accompanied by Mr. Johnon and children, who came to this city to meet her.

Miss Effie Christianson arrived on Saturday afternoon from Holt, where she has been a guest of her brother and family, and will spend a few days in this city as the guest of Mrs. Yotter.

Mrs. H. H. Spink arrived the latter part of last week from Oshkosh, Wis., and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Niclai. Mrs. Spink is a former resident of this city and has a large number of friends here.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman of the women voters in the Ninth district, left Monday for Warren, Stephen, Argyle, Hallock and Crookston to engage in work connected with her position. She will also visit Moorhead, Breckenridge, Fergus Falls and Detroit before returning.

Mrs. Frank E. McKnight left on Friday evening for Pittsburg, Pa., where she will remain at the home of her parents until she regains her health. Her son, Frank Jr., preceded her a few weeks ago having accompanied the former's sister who was a guest at the McKnight home for a couple of weeks.

Miss Effie Christianson, who spent a few days in this city as the guest of Mrs. J. O. Yotter, left on Monday afternoon for her home at Euclid, where she will remain for a brief period making preparations for her return to this city where she has accepted a position with the Oen Mercantile company.

E. M. Bennes, General Agent of the Lincoln National Life Insurance company of this city, returned Saturday evening from Stephen and other points in the valley where he settled two death claims—flu being the cause of death in both cases. Mr. Bennes gives the matter of claims his personal attention and is establishing a record for service to policy holders in this territory. m11

Dr. Douglass Visits.

Dr. J. E. Douglass, formerly of this city but now a member of the staff at Nopeming Tuberculosis sanatorium, visited old friends in the city last week.

Successful Tractor School.

More than 300 persons attended the tractor school held at the show rooms of the Rambeck & Stone company in this city last week, some of the visitors coming a distance of 50 miles to be present. H. E. Howard and John Klingenberg of the Emerson-Brantingham branch at Fargo, were the instructors and they gave an entire course in tractor engineering. Special attention was given to carburation, ignition and the action of different classes and grades of fuel. A feature of the instruction was the removal and replacing of all four pistons by Mr. Klingenberg in less than ten minutes.

A Most Successful Sale.

The largest auction sale, both in point of attendance and money realized ever held in the county, was that held by H. G. Borden last week. The total amount received for the property disposed of amounted to $7,800. It was the largest sale at which Auctioneer W. J. LaBree has ever officiated and the most successful. Record time was made in disposing of the goods, the last article being knocked down just six and one-half hours after the opening. The weather was cold and blustery but in spite of this the crowd stuck to the end.

At the Skogstad sale on the day following the amount realized was $8,500, everything being cleaned up to the last piece of furniture. Mr. LaBree also cried this sale. The First and Peoples State bank officials, in charge of both these auctions, are more than ever convinced that advertising pays. Special efforts were made to get these events before the people, The Times being the principal medium employed, and the result proves the wisdom of the investment.

Some Real Saturday Specials

The home of all good things to Eat. Lent is here. Why not Fish at these Prices?

Fresh frozen pike, per lb.	.14
Fresh frozen codfish, per lb.	.15
Fresh frozen pickerel, per lb.	.11
Extra Choice beef roasts, all kinds, per lb.	.20
Short ribs of beef, per lb.	.17
Pork spare ribs, per lb.	.23
Pork liver, per lb.	.09
Midget bacon, 2 lb. squares, per lb.	.29
Boneless pickeld salt pork, per lb.	.26
Picnic Ham, per lb.	.24
Large size sliced pineapple, Reg. 60c, special per can	.54
Regular No. 1 Peaberry coffee, Special, per lb.	.46
Special to each purchaser, 10 bars white soap, at	.65
Matches, special, per box	.06
Calumet B. Powder, reg. 30c, Special, per lb.	.27
Oranges while they last, per doz.	.30
A few boxes of Roman Beauty apples left at	2.40

Special to the first 100 customers, I cash and carry bag, free of charge.

Mr. Farmer, we pay the highest cash prices for all your produce, stock, butter, poultry and eggs. And it will pay you to come in and see me before selling your goods or buying your meat and groceries. We handle quality goods at prices that are right.

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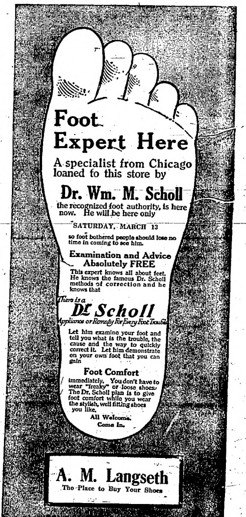

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A specialist from Chicago loaned to this store by

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SATURDAY, MARCH 13

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This expert knows all about feet. He knows the famous Dr. Scholl methods of correction and he knows that

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Let him examine your foot and tell you what is the trouble, the cause and the way to quickly correct it. Let him demonstrate on your own foot that you can gain

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All Welcome. Come In.

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FARM BUREAU'S WORK OUTLINED; FIELD PROGRAM

PLAN TO ESTABLISH COMMUNITY CENTERS AT DIFFERENT POINTS

CAMPAIGN TO BE LAUNCHED AT ONCE FOR PUREBRED SIRES

PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO DIVERSE DEMONSTRATION PLOTS

At a meeting of the directors of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association held last Friday, a program of work was outlined for the coming year. A feature of the farm bureau work which will be particularly emphasized is the establishment of community centers at convenient points in the county where meetings will be held at frequent intervals for the purpose of discussing particularly the problems pertaining to that district. A committee was appointed to meet with the farmers at these places for the purpose of outlining the ways and means whereby the farm bureau might be of assistance.

Wants Purebreds Kept.

It was agreed at the meeting that the members of the association should request every farmer in the county to have his name placed on his mail box in order that there might be no trouble in locating him.

A campaign to encourage the keeping of purebred sires will be launched at once. This will be in the nature of an educational campaign and the man who wishes to make better livestock his aim will receive every aid that the farm bureau is able to extend. There are already a large number of purebred sires of all important breeds in the county and it will easily be possible for the farmer who so desires to secure the best of stock to do so without going far from his home.

The Program of Work.

The work outlined for the year comes under seven general heads. First on the list is placed the further development of the Farm Bureau association. This includes the extension of membership to all parts of the county and the selection of committeemen to assist in project work. Under the head of soil improvement will come peat land reclamation and phosphate experimentation.

In the grain division seed supplies will form an important part of the work. This will be carried on through an exchange list and by pure seed demonstrations. Disease control will include treating for smut and other hurtful invasions.

The potato division is to be enlarged and made more important. This department will also have an exchange list and pure seed demonstrations will be featured. Seed treating and spraying will be employed and special attention given to pest control. In this division of work will also be included the sugar beet experimentations.

Better Feeding Urged.

The improvement and increase of livestock will form an important part of the bureau's work and a special effort will be made to introduce more purebred sires. Assistance in the exchange of breeding stock will be tendered through the exchange list and by sales.

The important subject of feeding will include the encouragement of more silos and the conducting of balanced ration experiments. The value of legumes will be tried out through the systematic feeding of alfalfa and sweet clover.

Perhaps the most successful department of farm bureau work during the past year has been accomplished through cow testing associations, and this will be continued.

Weed control will receive more attention than heretofore. Eradication will be sought through cultivated crops, summer fallowing, crop rotation and more livestock. The bureau will also make an effort to be of assistance in farm accounting.

As work for the boys' and girls' clubs has been chosen potato, sheep, poultry and bread-making clubs. All the boys and girls in the county are promised every assistance possible if they will join one of these clubs.

Co-operation with all other booster organizations in the county will be one of the aims of the farm bureau.

BEGIN PLANNING FOR GREAT FAIR OF MIDSUMMER

ARRANGEMENTS UNDER WAY FOR MOST ELABORATE SHOW YET STAGED

CROWNING AMUSEMENT FEATURE IS SIGFRIED, SUMMER SKI JUMPER

FLYING CIRCUS ALSO ENGAGED TO HELP OUT THREE-DAY ENTERTAINMENT

Pennington county's annual fairs are famous over a wide section of country and admittedly the best exhibitions of their kind held in any county in the north. The plans for 1920, announced at the close of the directors' meeting held last week, give promise of so far eclipsing anything heretofore attempted, however, that all others will be left entirely in the shade. Every department has been placed in the hands of competent and enthusiastic committees and the work of perfecting every detail has already been undertaken.

Skiing in Summertime.

An attraction of unusual interest has been secured for the next fair. This is Sigfried the Great, the man who has created a sensation as a ski jumper. A slide is erected exactly like those used in winter, but instead of snow and ice a coating of grease is used. Sigfried flies over this slippery surface with lightning speed, makes the usual long jump at the end and strikes a canvas landing supported by springs. It is a hair-raising performance, compared to which aeroplane stunts are tame affairs.

The Flying Circus.

Other attractions contemplated are the Diamond Bar outfit, which will put on that most gorgeous spectacle, "The Passing of the West." This is replete with racing features, cowboy stunts and many other things now rapidly fading from the memory. It will be the aim of the committee to bar everything of an objectionable nature, at the same time providing all the clean, wholesome amusement possible.

"The Flying Circus," an air attraction that begins where all others leave off, is also on the books. This contains features never before presented to the public.

Want More Buildings.

The building program is in charge of Herbert Fuller. While not complete in all respects, it is certain that the matter of additional cattle and horse barns will be presented to the public for consideration. The work done last year proved highly satisfactory and it is thought that there will be no difficulty in securing the needed funds.

New Fence Needed.

The unsightly board fence bordering the north limits of the grounds has been removed, the idea being to replace it with one of wire. This will be an improvement in more ways than one. The appearance of the entire layout will be bettered and the snow nuisance in winter largely abated for those who must travel the principal west road.

The Committees.

The officers who will have direct charge of the proceedings are: Herbert Fuller, president; Albert Johnson, first vice president; Fred Beerbower, second vice president; Robert McGinn, treasurer; G. Howard Smith, secretary. Assisting these the following committees will be found:

Privileges and concessions—W. J. LaBree, Julien Provencher, L. A. Lampert.

Grounds and buildings—W. B. Fuller, George Walker, L. D. McAdams.

Amusements—G. Howard Smith, Scott Laird, F. H. Herrick.

Agricultural products—George L. Sterns, Albert Johnson, Peter Engelstad.

Poultry—L. H. Lawrence, Emil Griebstein, Dennis McGinn.

Admissions—W. W. Prichard, Jr., S. C. Coumbo, Ted McGinn.

Judges and judging—County Agent J. J. McCann.

Farm clubs, boys' and girls' clubs and dairy judging—J. J. McCann.

Premiums and publicity—G. Howard Smith, T. J. Austad, R. B. McWilliams.

Mrs. J. H. Hardesty will have charge of the women's department.

Division Superintendents.

As superintendents of the various divisions at the fair the following have been selected: Livestock, Fred ard Smith, T. J. Austad, R. B. Mc-Shorthorns, Mike McAndress, R. J. McKercher. Holsteins, Hans Anton, James Hardesty. Guernseys, Harry Woolson, F. B. Conklin, Stuart McLeod. Red Polled, Waldie Christenson. Horses, Halvor Fodstad, Olaf Ramstad. Sheep, R. L. Muzzy, Morgan Vaughan. Swine, John Skomedahl, W. J. Bell.

Subscribe for The Times.

Saving Maple Lake Fish.

In an effort to enable the fish in Maple Lake to survive until the ice in the lake breaks up, a gasoline engine has been installed on the lake and is pumping air into the water. Thousands of fish, it is said, have died in the lake this winter, due to the thickness of the ice and the dense growth of weeds in the bottom of the lake. It is said the weeds during the winter, throw off a poison which is harmful to the fish and also use the oxygen the fish demand.

A Promising Prospect.

The Times unded ordinary circumstances does not accept the advertising of gas and oil well development companies, believing that many of these are only schemes for relieving the unwarry of their coin. An exception has been made this week in the case of the Burk-Harlin-Hilton Oil and Gas company of Memphis, Texas, of which J. N. Helm of Red Lake Falls, well known to the people of this city is secretary. The offer of examination and bank references submitted indicate that this concern really has something to offer and their proposition will be of interest to those who are watching matters of this kind.

HAD CHRONIC BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY-SIX YEARS NOW WELL AND HAPPY
THIS IS WORTH READING

The experience of Mr. E. J. Toupalik, 1438 Rose street, LaCrosse, Wisconsin, is chiefly remarkable on account of the length of time he was afflicted.

He writes: "I have been suffering with chronic bronchitis for twenty-six years and every winter I would catch cold and become so hoarse I could not speak for six or eight weeks. I could get only temporary relief.

"This winter I was taken with Grip and was in awful shape. A fellow workman advised me to take PE-RU-NA. By the time I had used three-fourths of a bottle, the hoarseness was gone, also that tired feeling. I am on my second bottle. Hereafter PE-RU-NA will be constantly in my house. It is the best medicine ever put up for the purpose."

For any disease due to catarrh or catarrhal conditions, PE-RU-NA is equally dependable. Coughs, colds, catarrh of the head, stomach trouble, constipation, rheumatism, pains in the back, side and loins, bloating, belching gas, indigestion, catarrh of the large and small intestines, are some of the troubles for which PE-RU-NA is especially recommended.

PE-RU-NA can be purchased anywhere in either tablet or liquid form.

Quality Predominates in the Spring the
Patterson Hat
Snappy styles—toppy appearance, combined with high quality.
Ask your dealer for the PATTERSON.
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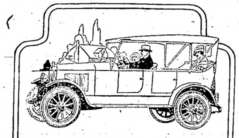

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BRISCOE was building light-weight cars when others were only thinking them.

The 1920 Briscoe is the supreme achievement of years of experience.

C. Gustafson & Son

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The Leader of Light-Weight Cars.

We Are Now Equipped To Do All Kinds of Repair Work

Bring in your car and have it overhauled now. Our expert workmen will put it in good condition and our prices are right.

Our Painting Department can make your car look like new. Come in and talk it over with us.

Evenson & Sons
'Phone 80

When the Roads Break Up---

The farmer who secures his building supplies while these can be hauled on snow is wise. When the break-up comes there is likely to be a period during which it will be next to impossible to transfer loads of any size. This will also be a good time for doing a lot of odd jobs that will need attention before the spring farm rush opens up. Thus the man who prepares early will be saving in two directions.

We Handle Everything in Building Material---

It matters not how large your order is or how small. We can supply it from our large stock or have it here in less time than any other concern in the city. Delays often cost a lot of money and are to be avoided.

Remember, we have supplied the building material wants of the people of this section for nearly a quarter of a century. We have always handled the best and will continue to do so in spite of changing conditions. You can depend on the material purchased from this house.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

High School Progress

An Acknowledgement.

At the last monthly meeting of the teachers of the city schools of Thief River Falls, a committee was appointed to express appreciation for the liberal manner in which the board of education took action on the salary question of the early winter. Due to the publicity which the question received at that time, it was thought best that this acknowledgment be made through the local newspapers.

COMMITTEE.

SENIOR QUINT COPS INTERCLASS CHAMPIONSHIP

The Interclass basketball series came to a close Friday night with the Senior quint still holding a generous lead over the opposing teams. The final games were in speed, skill and aggressiveness similar to the ones preceding and there was no diminuation in the fight even after the champions had the title safely stowed away Wednesday night. The graduating class has placed a strong team in the field every year but it remained for "Pills Pats" to bring home the bacon.

After the smoke of battle had cleared away, and the war cries had died down to subdued murmers, and the dead, dying wounded, and missing had completed their basketball arguments pro and con it was discovered that the Senior Champs had emerged from the fray with but one defeat—that administered by the Juniors in the final game; aforesaid Juniors thereby taking second place with an even number of victories and defeats. The Sophomores and Freshmen pulled in on a par with two victories and four defeats apiece.

Now the hatchet lies buried and the different factions that lately were busily hacking each other are assembled in a spirit of equality and fraternity emitting clouds of smoke from the peace pipe. Hostilities will be resumed in 1921.

Mutual Help Club.

The members of the Mutual Help Club, held their monthly meeting at the Washington building last Friday evening. The Rural School teachers were invited. A short program was rendered by the Normal students. Games were enjoyed until refreshments were served, consisting of buns, fish and coffee. The purpose of the Mutual Help club is to become acquainted with rural school teachers and if possible to help them with some of their problems.

A New Club.

The Public Speaking class is making rapid headway in parlimentary law. The members of this class have organized themselves into a club, and have already drawn up and adopted the constitution by which they are to be governed. At present the club has but two officers, namely, the chairman and secretary, and a committee of three to take care of all business in the meetings. The procedure in the meetings is rather akward, and not very well understood, but if the members hold to the aim of the club they will be able to go thru the procedure without much confusion.

They Say!

The Seniors have received their class rings and are proudly showing them to the school.

The Glee club had its picture taken yesterday.

The chemistry class made H2S again yesterday.

Joe Weirus left his dog at home yesterday. Wonder why?

Dr. Young gave a very interesting talk the other day.

Donis McGinn came to school with a collar and tie on yesterday.

Paul drives past the school house at the noon hour clinging to the side of the sled with one hand and waving the other.

Roy Flattum was not more than three minutes late this morning.

Our basket ball boys are going to Carelton.

On Victor Buskirk's report card, under the "Times Tardy" column, are the figures "3½." He is still wondering if it is minutes or hours. It might be either.

Fred Will is going to start school again.

The annual staff didn't get those 400 articles last Friday.

At the game with Stephen someone in the crowd shouted: "Where's Buster Ralston?" The answering shout was: "Use your imagination."

The Freshmen wanted to hold last Friday's class game off until Monday. Wonder why?

Lee Ihle has at last found a bright yellow collar to match his hair and sweater.

Marshall Race can see nearly as high as Knut Hegtvedt.

Just because the Eagle Stamp company stationery bears the "monikers" of "W. Herrick," "H. B. Smithers," and "L. Alnes" is no reason why these high officers should be kept in after school.

Dennis McGinn is already starting his spring "Chickening." He's going to be a poultry man, a real one. He is having stationery printed and everything. Ask anybody about his supposed pure breds.

The girls went to Minto last Friday. (at last.)

Agnes Tandberg, Senior, has been absent from school some time due to her mother's illness.

Tuesday evening our basketball boys played their last home game of the season with Stephen. Score: 56 to 6 in favor of T. R. Falls. Everybody was out to root for the boys and they showed us all a splendid time.

You always get the longest and hardest lesson in every subject at the same time.

Summer hats come out the first part of March and winter hats the first part of August.

Molly Hermanson is never idle.

The modern history people are never without enough to do for the next week or so.

Mr. Melby can walk faster and give harder exams. than most ordinary people.

Gordon and Dennis always manage to get in the room the third period of the morning.

Queer things happen when Dennis and Reuben take charge of the public speaking class.

Beatrice is reading novels in modern history class.

Marshall Race is never without his English accent and his stately tread.

Kathleen Ures and Marguerite Burns will leave Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where they will visit with friends and relatives over the week-end.

Lois and Howard Struble accompanied by Russell Henry, visited over Saturday and Sunday at the home of the former, near Mavie.

Monday night at the auditorium interesting motion pictures were shown depicting both past and present conditions in the Near East.

James Holle spent last week end at his home near Goodridge.

Our friend, "Old Sol" has again come around to assert himself and soothe us with his winning touch. Will his return be marked by that usually attendant malady called "spring fever?" No serious cases have been reported as yet, but Henry Stengelson's C in American history is a gentle reminder to everyone to be careful and avoid contracting afore mentioned affliction.

Noah, with all his many troubles, now realizes he had a pretty soft time of it.

Suppose, for purposes of comparison, that this had been a "Soviet Ark," and that he had been obliged to chum on Mount Ararat with a cargo of assorted Reds.

All the world's a stage, but don't try to be the whole show.

Molly Hermanson was given the privilege of conducting the Norse class Friday morning because Miss Gunlaugson went to Minto, N. D., with the basketball girls.

Society

Presbyterian Choir Entertained.

The members of the Presbyterian choir were pleasantly entertained at the home of Supt. and Mrs. W. A. Ziegler on last Thursday evening. After the usual practice a delightful lunch was served by the hostess.

Entertained.

Mrs. L. M. Rayson informally entertained nine ladies at her home, 310 Kendall avenue south, last Friday afternoon. The ladies brought their fancy work and at 5 o'clock were served with a delicious lunch.

Mrs. Cronkhite Entertains.

An informal afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite on last Saturday when she entertained ten ladies. Needlework formed the diverision and at the conclusion of the afternoon a delightful lunch was served.

Johnson-Lundberg.

sister of the bride.

Arthur G. Johnson and Miss Mary Christine Lundberg, both of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. Geo. Larson at the home of the groom on Feb. 29. The couple was attended by Herbert Johnson, a brother of the groom and Miss Bess E. Lundberg, a

John Ward Host.

Twenty "Knights of the grip" were royally entertained at the home of John Ward, Saturday evening. Cards afforded the chief entertainment. At midnight lunch was served by Mrs. Ward, assisted by Mrs. L. G. Larson.

Obituary

Joseph Sjolsvold.

Joseph Sjolsvold, 7-year-old son of John Sjolsvold, residing in the town of Norden, died on March 6 at 9:45 p. m. from pneumonia. Funeral services were held this afternoon from the Sjolsvold home conducted by Rev. Geo. Larson of this city. Interment took place at Oak Ridge cemetery.

Gunhild Waagedahl.

Miss Gunhild Waagedahl died on March 3rd at the Oakland Park sanitarium at the age of 28 years, from tuberculosis. Deceased was born in Holt on July 23, 1891, and lived with her parents on a farm near that place until a year ago when she was brought to the sanitarium in this city. She is survived by her mother, sister and brother. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon from Emanuels church at Holt at 2 p. m., conducted by Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church of this city.

Allie Dahlsing.

On March 5th at the Oakland Park sanitarium, occurred the death of Miss Allie Dahlsing of this city from tuberculosis from which she had been a sufferer for over a year. Seven years ago the deceased came to this country from Norway, where she was born on June 29, 1895. She lived with her parents at Argyle for a few years until their removal to this city about a year ago, when she became employed as waitress in one of the local hotels. The survivors are her mother, Mrs. Iver Dahlsing, two brothers and four sisters. The funeral services took place on March 8th from the Zion Lutheran church conducted by Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the church. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our late husband and father. Particularly are we grateful for the financial assistance tendered by the railroad boys.—Mrs. Ray Mundt and Family. m11p

Bonus Plan Opposed.

Following the lead taken by the Loyal Legion post at St. Claud, the Fairmont post last week went on record as opposing the plan submitted for a bonus payment by the government of $50 per month for war veterans. The Fairmont ex-soldiers announced themselves as opposing any federal war bonus. The proposed bonus was disapproved on the ground "that it would fasten tremendous burdens on the nation and on succeeding generations."

Local Man Bereaved.

Charles E. Fox, 76, of Georgetown, Minn., died in a Fargo hospital on Sunday. Mr. Fox was an old resident of Clay county and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. J. D. Hennin, of Borup, and four sons, Arthur P. Fox, of Thief River Falls, Albin J. Fox, of Glyndon, Edgar B. Fox, Goldfield, Mont., and Leslie W. Fox, Seattle, Wash. Burial was at Georgetown.

Sale of Holstein Cows.

The Frank Hedley Stock Farm 4 miles southeast of Crookston, will hold on Friday, March 10th an auction sale of High Grade Holstein cows and heifers. All these animals have passed the tuberculin test, Jan. 20th. Also some pure bred Duroc-Jersey cows. Conveyances at Hotel Crookston at 10 A. M., will take buyers out to the farm without charge. The greatest opportunity of the year to procure fine dairy cows.

FRANK HEDLEY, Owner.
COL. C. A. HITCHCOCK, Auctioneer.
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FOR SALE OR RENT.
SW¼, Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings and well on the place. For particulars write J. Pfeffer, 411 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota. 61

"FREE" Surprise Package "NOVELTY"
Reputation Flower Seeds sent with our Record Breaker Dollar Collection Vegetable or Flower seeds. Real value $2.00 Write Duluth Floral Co. Dept. No. 36, Duluth, Minn.

WOMEN GIVE OUT

Housework is hard enough when healthy. Every Thief River Falls woman who is having backache, blue and nervous spells, dizzy headaches and kidney or bladder troubles should be glad to heed this Thief River Falls woman's experience:

Mrs. Chas. Alexander, 216 Conley Ave., says: "Last fall I had been picking berries, and when I got home I was suddenly taken with a bad attack of kidney complaint. The pains across my back kept me from doing my work and such a thing as doing my washing was out of the question. I often got dizzy and was afraid to walk across the room. My kidneys didn't act as they should and I felt miserable. One of my neighbors suggested Doans Kidney Pills and I got some at the East Side Drug Store. I got entirely over the trouble and I have felt fine ever since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Alexander had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs. Buffalo, N. Y.

Sure Death to Corns

"Gets-It" Makes 'Em Lose Their Grip and Lift Off Painlessly.

The first thing "Gets-It" does when it lands on a corn or callus is to snuff out the pain. Then it shrivels the corn or callus and loosens it.

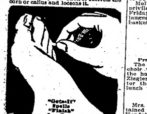
"Gets-It" Spells "Finish" for Corns

Soon, it is almost ready to fall off. You help it just a little by lifting it off 'twixt thumb and finger. You don't even feel it, because there is no hurt left in it. Millions have proved it the cleanest, surest, safest and most pleasant method. "Gets-It," the never failing, guaranteed money-back corn remover costs but a trifle at any drug store. M'f'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by

J. P. CURTIS
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE
ANDREW BOTTELSON

N. E. BURK, President J. N. HELM, Sec-Treas.

The Burk-Harlin-Hinton Oil and Gas Company

CAPITAL STOCK, $75,000 HOLDINGS, 3,000 ACRES
Office Over First National Bank
Memphis, Texas

Location: N. W. 1-4 of Section 28, Block 1, S. P. Ry survey, 3000 acres. Childress county Texas; five miles east of Newlin, and three miles from Red River, upon which is located the most famous oil fields of the world, including the Burkburnett field, directly North west from the Burkburnett pool, and on a direct line between the Burkburnett field and the famous gas wells of Amarillo, Texas.

We are now drilling around 300 feet and expect to complete the well within the next sixty days. We have a first-class rig and th most competent crew obtainable. There are three more locations for drill sites adjoining our lease on the north and east, and all of these will be drilling within forty days. There are *two wells now drilling* within seven miles of us on the southeast and northwest. Our chances are not confined merely to our well, but we have as many chances as there are wells drilling around us; for should either of these wells come in would prove a part of our lease and mean enormous profits for everyone concerned.

The Home People's well, 15 miles up Red River from us struck the pay sand at 1539 feet, and it is only a matter of days until we will be to that depth.

Remember that the dividends paid by some Texas companies are tremendous. One hundred dollars invested in the Fowler Farm Oil Company has given to the investers $15,000, in the M. & P. Burk $2,000, in the Thrift No. 2, $1,800, in the Texas Chief $1,500, in the Marine $1,750, in Hogg Creek $8,000, $3,000,000 dividends have been paid in four months by only four companies, and many others are paying large dividends.

These enormous profits were paid by companies having only from 10 to 100 acres. It would take an imaginative genius to figure the dividends we lill be able to pay on 3,000 acres when we bring in a gusher, as we confidently expect to do.

Our holdings will stand the strictest examination and we refer you to any bank in Childress or Hall counties as to the reliability of the officers of the Company. The President, N. E. Burk, was one of the directors of the famous M. & P. Burk Company, and the Secretary-Treasurer, J. N. Helm, held the same position in that company, so it will be nothing new for them to pay big dividends.

We are offering a limited amount of stock at par and it is imperative that you act now as we confidently expect this stock to be worth many times par within the next sixty days.

APPLICATION FOR STOCK IN BURK-HARLIN-HILTON OIL & GAS COMPANY
MEMPHIS, TEXAS

Gentlemen; I hereby subscribe for ____________ shares of the Capital Stock of the B-H-H- Oil & Gas Co., at $1.00 per share and enclose $____________ in full payment.

Name ______________________________ Address ______________________________

Make all checks payable to J. N. Helm, Secretary. The right to return remittances reserved. No subscriptions accepted for less than ten shares.

30 Dairy Cows At Public Auction

Having decided to breed only purebred Guernseys, I will offer entire herd of grades at public auction on

Monday, April 5, 1920

Cows that have been making money for us in the dairy will make money for you.

Watch for details of this sale if you want fine dairy cows.

Also 20 head of grade Shropshire ewes, bred to champion ram, Minnesota State Fair, 1919.

ALBERT JOHNSON, Owner
One mile south of Thief River Falls.

Wrong Idea Concerning the Cost of Clothing

The cry that clothing prices are abnormally high this spring has been sounded for so long that many are liable to take the statement for granted without troubling to investigate. Every day we meet men who say: "I would like a new suit or overcoat this spring, but as I cannot pay $90 or $100 for it I will have to make the old one do."

No one need pay any such prices at this store

Any man can today purchase an all-wool suit from our stock at prices far below those quoted above. There has been something of an advance as is the case with everything else, but here is what we are prepared to do: We will sell an all-wool suit or overcoat of the latest model, made by the most responsible tailoring houses in the country at

$30 $35 $40 $45 $50 $60 $65

and guarantee the article in every detail—quality, workmanship, style and fit. Do not permit the impression of high prices to prevent your being properly dressed. You owe it to yourself to make an investigation and we shall be pleased to help you.

Below are a few examples of what the men of Thief River Falls and vicinity are being offered at this store. Remember we sell any article under a guarantee of aboslute satisfaction or money refunded.

Men's hard finished worsted suits in grey, blue and mixed goods. These clothes will wear longer than other clothes. We guarantee satisfaction or money back. Only
40.00

Extra fine quality all wool men's suits, the kind you will be more than pleased with.
50.00

Young men are keen for style, and we know it so well that we prepare for that demand with the greatest care. New patterns, new styles, the best of quality, at reasonable prices.
40.00 50.00 65.00

Prep styles, youthful models, just right for his first "long ones."
30.00

ONLY FORTY-FIVE

Extra big values in men's and young men's blue serge suits. Good weight, good quality serge suits, young men's double breasted models and men's single breasted. Incomparable for the price and quality.

$45

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

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BANK NO. [illegible]

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$607,215.4[illegible]
Overdrafts		248.90
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		96,142.85
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		25,100.00
Other Real Estate		20,000.00
Checks and Drafts in Transit		[illegible]
Due from other Banks	$32,366.56	
Cash on Hand	12,047.60	
Currency	7,[illegible]3.00	
Gold	270.00	
Silver	3,277.25	
Other	701.41	
Total Cash Assets	45,30[illegible]	
Checks and Cash Items		[illegible]
TOTAL		$864,701.38

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		50,000.00
Surplus Fund		10,000.00
Undivided Profits		705.08
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		20,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$231,100.38	
Demand Certificates	107.50	
Certified Checks	52.06	
Cashier's Checks	[illegible]	
Due to Banks	31,442.53	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$272,419.81	
Savings Deposits	27,654.44	
Time Certificates	468,622.05	
Total Deposits	$768,696.30	768,696.30
TOTAL		[illegible]
Amount of Reserve on hand		$48,934.32
Amount of Reserve Required by law		47,504.26

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, A. M. Langseth, Vice President and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A. M. LANGSETH, Vice President.
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—

RASMUS OEN.
C. W. VORACHEK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of March, 1920.

(SEAL.) WILHELM MICHELET,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires Sept. 1st, 1925.

BANK NO. 1400.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$290,100.5[illegible]
Overdrafts		587.56
U. S. Bond and other U. S. obligations		23,00[illegible]
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		1,132.46
Due from other Banks	$25,02[illegible]	
Cash on Hand	6,646.76	
Currency	$[illegible]583.00	
Gold	200.00	
Silver	1,501.95	
Other	2,300.81	
Total Cash Assets		30,6[illegible]
Checks and Cash Items		3,[illegible]
TOTAL		[illegible]

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		25,000.00
Surplus Fund		6,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		[illegible]
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		26,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$11[illegible],046.73	
Cashier's Checks	13,[illegible]09.61	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$128,056.34	
Savings Deposits	[illegible]	
Time Certificates	133,[illegible]	
Total Deposits		[illegible]
Other Liabilities		162.60
TOTAL		[illegible]
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 33,888.36
Amount of Reserve Required by law		32,0[illegible]

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We R. McGinn, President and L. A. Lampert, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—

M. T. McFARLAND.
HERBERT FULLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1920.

(SEAL.) EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires April 2, 1926.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF HAZEL, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$ 86,367.03
Overdrafts		[illegible]
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		34.64
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		4,250.00
Other Real Estate		1,928.55
Due from other banks	$ 7,012.87	
Cash on hand:		
Currency	[illegible]	
Gold	[illegible]	
Silver	129.50	
Other	67.13	
Total Cash Assets		[illegible]
Paid out for Expenses, etc. in Excess of Earnings		[illegible]
TOTAL		[illegible]

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		7,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	[illegible]	
Cashier's Checks	2,[illegible]	
Total Immediate Liabilities	[illegible]	
Savings Deposits	2,988.85	
Time Certificates	64,565.80	
Total Deposits		[illegible]
TOTAL		[illegible]
Amount of Reserve on hand		[illegible]
Amount of Reserve Required by law		[illegible]

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Paul Borgie, Vice President and E. C. Karwand, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President.
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest:

OLE ODEGAARD.
C. W. VORACHEK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of March, 1920.

(SEAL.) T. L. MELGAARD,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires Dec. 4th, 1924.

BANK NO. 1222.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

[illegible]ers State Bank

OF MAVIE, [illegible] AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		[illegible]
Overdrafts		[illegible]
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		[illegible]
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		4,550.00
Other Real Estate		[illegible]
Checks and Drafts		2,648.38
Due from other banks	$ 5,120.62	
Cash on hand:		
Currency	$2,097.00	
Silver	[illegible]	
Other	20.11	
Total Cash Assets		7,383.23
Checks and Cash Items		[illegible]
Paid out for Expenses in Excess of Earnings		501.15
TOTAL		$ 69,252.1[illegible]

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		435.2[illegible]
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 20,731.61	
Cashier's Checks	695.00	
Due to Banks	1,946.00	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 23,372.61	
Time Certificates	33,444.24	
Total Deposits	$ 56,816.85	56,816.85
TOTAL		$ 69,252.1[illegible]
Amount of Reserve on hand		7,533.33
Amount of Reserve Required by law		4,243.53

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, O. A. Naplin, President and Walter E. Smith, Assistant Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

O. A. NAPLIN, President.
WALTER E. SMITH, Asst. Cashier

Correct Attest:

J. P. CURTIS.
C. L. HANSEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of March, 1920.

(SEAL.) W. H. AKRE,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires Mar. 25, 1925.

CHARTER NO. 5894. RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 9.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank

AT THIEF RIVER FALLS, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES		
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts		[illegible]
Overdrafts, unsecured		[illegible]
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation	$ 50,000.00	
Pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	[illegible]	
Owned and unpledged	[illegible]	
Total U. S. Government securities		150,050.00
Other bonds, securities, etc.:		
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	[illegible]	
Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged	[illegible]	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		[illegible]
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		[illegible]
Value of banking house, owned and unencumbered		[illegible]
Equity in banking house		[illegible]
Furniture and fixtures		25,000.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		8,601.37
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		[illegible]
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		[illegible]
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies		[illegible]
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		[illegible]
Total of Items [illegible]		[illegible]
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		[illegible]
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due		[illegible]
TOTAL		[illegible]

LIABILITIES		
Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund		[illegible]
Undivided profits		[illegible]
Less current expense, interest, and taxes paid		[illegible]
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned—(approximate)		[illegible]
Circulating notes outstanding		50,000.00
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries		[illegible]
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		[illegible]
Total of Items 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33		[illegible]
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		[illegible]
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		[illegible]
Other demand deposits		[illegible]
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve		[illegible]
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		460,801.18
Other time deposits		40,793.17
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve		[illegible]
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers		11,800.00
Total Deposits		[illegible]
TOTAL		[illegible]

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss: I, W. H. Akre, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. H. AKRE, Cashier.

Correct Attest:

C. L. HANSEN,
GEO. T. HAMERY,
J. P. [illegible]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of March, 1920.

[illegible] NELSON, Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires April 11, 1925.

[illegible] Falls this week, where they have been employed.

[illegible] visited at [illegible] Wayne home on Wednesday evening.

Henry Klockman was an Electric car passenger to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anndahl and son, Arlo, visited at the Dahl home Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the [illegible] Bendickson home on Friday.

Hans Dahl was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls on Friday.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited at the Henry Roller home on Sunday.

[illegible] Lawrence and [illegible] Nelson were guests at the H. Langevan home on Sunday.

[illegible] Hanson and children visited at the Hans Dahl home on Tuesday of last week.

[illegible] Haugen was a [illegible] caller on Monday of last week.

Misses [illegible] and Gladys Roller called at the Emil Hanson home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Strubble and children visited at the Emil [illegible] home last Saturday evening.

ROSEWOOD

Change in Local Store.

[illegible] Carlson & Sagmoen company, on Wednesday purchased the half interest in the company owned by John B. Sagmoen [illegible] in the future conduct this business as sole proprietor under the name of H. Carlson General Merchandise. Mr. Sagmoen in retiring will devote his time to farming on his [illegible] adjoining this village on the east. [illegible] before [illegible] will be enlarged this spring to nearly double its present size, and Mr. Carlson will put in a much larger and more complete line of groceries, dry goods and shelf hardware.

Mrs. Geo. Larson and Mrs. J. Erickson of Thief River Falls were in town last Tuesday to visit and attend the ladies aid meeting.

[illegible] left last Saturday for Thief River Falls, where she will be employed in the future.

Miss Sena Sovaldson returned last Saturday evening from Warren where she has been visiting for the last week.

Miss Nina [illegible] who has been visiting with friends at Adams, N. D., for a week, returned home last Tuesday.

Selmer Haugen, Alick Helquist and O. J. Dahl left last Wednesday for Thief River Falls where they will attend the Nonpartisan league convention.

[illegible] of Minneapolis arrived home last Saturday afternoon for a brief visit with his folks.

Mrs. A. Opseth, who has been in frail health this winter, was somewhat [illegible] and a physician was summoned on Saturday, but could only constantate a general debility.

[illegible] was in Thief River Falls between trains last Friday on business.

H. Carlson and Olof Lappegaard were Sunday visitors in Thief River Falls.

Walter [illegible] returned to his home [illegible] last Thursday following a week's visit with his folks north of town.

Miss Phelia Bjorgen of Goodridge visited for a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Sam [illegible], north of town.

Miss Annie Blom and little Earl Crown left last Tuesday for the town of Rocksbury [illegible] at the Blom home for the last three [illegible].

Axel and Arthur Blom attended the tractor school at Thief River Falls last Thursday and Friday.

John Bloom and T. Mellem are spending the week-end at Thief River Falls to attend the [illegible] River Valley Mission society.

Chas. and Peder Sagmoen left last Monday for Goodridge [illegible] former purchased a set of farm machinery [illegible] who will farm the coming year [illegible] Saxtol, Minn.

Miss Annie [illegible] employed at the Chas. Sagmoen home [illegible] this week.

Mrs. Stuart Benson returned to her home at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Miss Anderson spent [illegible] the middle of this week at Thief River [illegible].

Rev. A. Andrean of Crookston will be at Rosewood next [illegible] and speak at the Congregational church at [illegible] o'clock. [illegible] come and hear this live man speak on vital Christian subjects. All are welcome.

STEINER

Ole Berg transacted business at the home of Theodore Steigen last Friday.

Nick Baker and brother George have been hauling flax from the Ole Berg farm which Nick Baker rented last season. They are hauling it up to the Kolch farm where they intend to thresh it as soon as the weather permits.

Willie Warring transacted business in this place the forepart of the week.

J. A. Russell and Arthur Simonson attended the H. G. Borden auction sale last week.

Rene Warner attended to business affairs at Holt last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman and Carl Steiner drove to the Borden auction sale last Wednesday.

Miss Francis Ruid was a pleasant caller at the Simonson home last Friday afternoon.

[illegible] attended the H. G. Borden auction sale [illegible].

Willie Meyer attended to business affairs in this locality last week.

The Simonson boys were in town the last of the week attending to shopping.

Otto Solein left for Oregon last week where he will take the range for a big cattle rancher the coming season.

[illegible] L. Muzzy was a business caller at Thief River Falls last week.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. C. Strubble visited at the C. Boyce home Friday evening.

Bernard Bendickson called at the O. P. Nelson home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Roller visited at the Martinus Johnson home on Wednesday.

Martin Overby and Clifford Roller returned home from International [illegible].

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm and will leave the country, I will sell at public auction the property listed below at the farm, the northwest quarter of section 16, Township of Smiley, five and one-half miles northeast of Hazel and five miles southeast of Thief River Falls, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 16

Commencing at 11 o'clock

THREE HEAD OF GOOD HORSES

1 Black horse, 5 years old, weight 1300
1 Black mare, 9 years old, weight 1200
1 Gray mare, 6 years old, weight 1100

SEVEN HEAD OF COWS AND HEIFERS—ONE YEARLING BULL

1 Brown cow, 6 years old, fresh
1 Brown cow, 4 years old, fresh
Heifer, 2 years old
2 Heifers, 1 year old
1 Heifer, 10 months old
1 Bull, one year old

FARM MACHINERY AND OTHER ARTICLES

[illegible]
1 3-inch wide tire wagon
2 7-ft. runner bob sleighs
[illegible] rack
1 Jones mower
1 hay rake
[illegible] walking plow
1 set heavy harness
[illegible] sulky plow
2 single buggies
1 1914 Buick automobile
1 Wheelbarrow
1 U. S. cream separator
About 100 fence posts
About 8 tons wild and tame hay
1 Shovel
[illegible] Scythe
1 Stone pick
1 Garden hose
2 Stone sledges
[illegible]
2 Forks
1 Tire crimper
Wire stretcher
Hay knives
Cross cut saws
Cross cut saws
Buck saws
Rifle
Egg crating
Some rutabagas and many other articles

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

[illegible] Kitchen ranges
[illegible] Heating stoves
[illegible] Beds
2 Dressers
5 Chairs
1 Clock
2 Tables
Galvanized tubs; 1 boiler
Ice cream freezer; pails; fruit jars
Oil cans; Wash stand; Lamps
Churn; lanterns
And many other household articles and kitchen utensils

Big Free Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 and under cash; over that amount bankable [illegible] payable November 1, 1920.

Loin & Hakamaki, Owners

PAUL BORGIE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK of Hazel, Clerk

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by T. C. Peterson, a single man, as mortgagor to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, upon the following described lands lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ SW¼) and the South half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing 120 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, which said mortgage bears date on the 9th day of December, 1916, and, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 19th day of January, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 369, and which mortgage was assigned to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank by instrument in writing, dated January 20 1917, filed for record in the office of the said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 20th day of January, 1917 at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "50" of Mortgages on page 322, and which said mortgage was again assigned to Albertus J. Prins by said assignee of mortgage, by instrument in writing, dated January 30, 1920, filed for record in the office of said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 2nd day of February, 1920, recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 562, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of Twelve Hundred ($1200) Dollars according to the terms of one (1) certain promissory note, made and executed by said T. C. Peterson said mortgagor, to said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, said mortgagee, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 15th day of December in the year 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, each for the sum of Seventy-two ($72.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December 1917, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1918, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1919, are past due and unpaid; and,

WHEREAS, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of interest the whole of the principal sum, together with interest should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assigns, be declared to be due and payable; and,

WHEREAS, the said mortgagor neglected to pay, and has not paid, said interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1917, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1918, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1919, as aforesaid, amounting to the sum of Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1917, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15 1918, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1919, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest thereon is by said last named assignee of mortgagee deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

WHEREAS, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Forty and 72-100 ($1440.72) Dollars secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1920, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated February 5, 1920.

ALBERTUS J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee

RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
St. Paul, Minnesota.
f12-19-26-m5-11-18

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Emma P. Degran.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot five (5) Block One Hundred eleven (111) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 15th day of March, 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of No Dollars and thirty-nine cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 19th day of January, 1920, for the sum of No Dollars and sixty-eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of No Dollars and Sixty-eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $0.68 thereof from the 19th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 19th day of January, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minn.
By AXEL RISBERG, Deputy.

(Official Seal.)

Approved May 16, 1919.

CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
f29-m4-11

Notice.

Let It Hereby be known, that the undersigned sold out his interest in the business formerly conducted at Erie, Minn., by Kompelien & Aubol last winter and that the partnership has been dissolved. My name having been used more or less in connection with the above concern since that time, this notice is published in order to inform all persons interested that I have no connection whatever with the same and am in no way responsible for any contracts or obligations in which it may engage.

OLUF O. KOMPELIEN.

Dated, Erie, Minnesota, Feb. 28, 1920.
f26-m-4-11

Order For Hearing on Petition For Consolidation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the Matter of the Consolidation of Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties and 103 in Marshall County, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, all in the State of Minnesota.

A petition for the consolidation of the ditch proceedings above named having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, and the said Clerk having notified the undersigned, one of the Judges of said Court, of the filing thereof:

It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court room in the court house in the city of Warren in said county and State; and

It Is Further Ordered that all proceedings in Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota, and 103 in Marshall County, Minnesota, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota, be stayed until the hearing and determination of said petition.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, March 2nd, 1920.

ANDREW GRINDELAND,
Judge of the District Court.

Petition For Consolidation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the Matter of the Consolidation of Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties and 103 in Marshall County, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, all in the State of Minnesota.

To the Honorable Andrew Grindeland, One of the Judges of the District Court Aforesaid:

The County board of the county of Marshall, in the State of Minnesota, which said county is and will be affected by the consolidation and the construction of the drainage ditches hereinafter described, and the undersigned land owners whose property is affected by the overflow hereinafter described and whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for the expense of, the consolidation and construction of the drainage ditches hereinafter described, respectfully show to the court:

I

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain the lands in Townships 155, 156 and 157 north of Ranges 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said Counties of Marshall and Beltrami, in a westerly direction into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

II

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 103, in Marshall County in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain the lands in townships 157 and 158 north of ranges 40 and 41 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said County of Marshall, into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding for the establishment of said Judicial Ditch No. 103, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

III

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 30, in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain and to amplify the present drainage of the lands in Townships 154 and 155 North of Ranges 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43 west of the 5th Principal Meridian and Township 156 North of Ranges 36, 37 and 38 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said Counties of Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami, said lands including the drainage basin of Judicial Ditches Nos. 12, 13, and 18 and County Ditch No. 20 of said Marshall County, in a westerly direction into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding and order of the court on preliminary hearing therein, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

IV

That the proceedings for the establishment of said Judicial Ditches numbered 102, 103 and 30 are for the establishment of open public ditches, and that the waters from said ditches will empty into a water course known as Thief River, and that the construction of said ditches is likely to cause, by reason of the waters added to said River, the overflow of the waters thereof and the inundation of great areas of adjoining land.

V

That said Thief River is a small, narrow, crooked and sluggish stream, incapable of properly draining its watershed or of furnishing an adequate outlet either for the waters which naturally flow into it or for the waters proposed to be added thereto by said ditches.

That said River needs and requires improvement and control for the purpose of furnishing an outlet for the waters proposed to be added thereto by said ditches and to prevent it from overflowing and inundating great areas of land adjoining its banks.

That the improvement and control of said stream as an outlet for said ditches and of the waters emptying into it therefrom will be a public benefit and utility, and will improve the public health, and protect the lands adjoining said stream from overflow and inundation, and furnish an adequate outlet for the waters from said proposed ditches.

Wherefore, your petitioners pray that the said proceedings for the establishment of said Judicial Ditches numbered 102, 103 and 30 be consolidated into one system and the extension of the same so as to furnish a proper outlet for all the waters of the basin and drainage area that naturally drain or are led by ditches into said Thief River, and that the cost of constructing said outlet be borne by all the lands to be benefitted thereby, and that in order to equitably apportion the cost of the construction of the said improvement and the extension of said outlet to all the lands to be benefited thereby it is necessary that said proceedings be merged and consolidated; and your petitioners further pray that the court make an order fixing a time and place for the hearing upon this petition and ordering all proceedings now pending in said Judicial Ditch proceedings numbered 102, 103 and 30 stayed until the hearing and determination thereof.

Dated February 18th, 1920.

County Board of Marshall County, Minnesota.

By,
A. N. LODOEN.
O. ENGE.
OLE TORGERSON.
A. S. ROKKE.
CARL T. OLSON.
County Commissioners.
CAROLINE L. OLSON.
JULIUS J. OLSON.
A. N. ECKSTROM.
A. N. LODOEN.
m4-11-18

Notice of Sale.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, (A Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. Bertha Giller, Maurice Giller, Beatrice A. Giller, and John P. Galbraith, as trustee of Maurice Giller Estate in Bankruptcy, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of a certified transcript of the judgment in the above entitled action duly delivered to the undersigned sheriff and now in my hands, which said judgment was duly entered in said Court in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, Maurice Giller, Bertha Giller and Beatrice A. Giller on the 17th day of February, 1920, for the total sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Sixteen and 43-100 Dollars, and which said judgment orders and decrees, among other things, a sale by the undersigned Sheriff of the said County, of the following described real estate in one parcel to satisfy or apply upon the said judgment, viz:

Thirty six feet East of the West fifty feet, and West of the East Fifty Four feet of Lots One, Two, Three and Four in Block Thirty of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls in Pennington County, Minn.

Now, Therefore, Pursuant to the said Judgment, the undersigned Sheriff will, on Saturday the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Front Door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the real estate above described, and all of the right, title and interest of each and all the above named Defendants therein, except the right to redeem as provided by law, *to satisfy or apply on said Judgment* so entered, together with all accruing costs of sale and interest on the said Judgment from and after the 17th day of February, 1920, at six per cent per annum, subject to redemption within one year after the date of the order of the said Court confirming the said sale as provided by law.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 24th day of February, 1920.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff,
Pennington County, Minn.

J. M. BISHOP,
WM. J. BROWN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
f26-m-4-11-18-25-a1

Notice to Property Owners Within The Proposed Paving District.

Notice is Hereby Given, to all property owners whose property is liable to be assessed for the improvements hereinafter described, to be present at a meeting of the city council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to be held at the council chambers, in said city, on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1920, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which meeting the Council will vote on the adoption of a resolution for the paving of the following streets and alleys of said City, to-wit:

Main Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks, North to the intersection of Sixth Street.

Horace Avenue, from First Street North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

LaBree Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

First Street, from the Red Lake River West to Knight Avenue.

Second Street, from Atlantic Avenue West to Knight Avenue.

Third Street, from the railroad tracks of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, West to Knight Avenue.

The alley between Horace Avenue and LaBree Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street.

The alley between LaBree Avenue and Main Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street.

Such paving improvements being more particularly described in and by the plans and specifications thereof now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Notice is further given, that all property abutting upon said streets and alleys, is liable to be assessed for said paving improvements, if the same is made, and the owners of such property, to-wit:

Sven Svenson, R. McGinn, M. C. Harlow, Ole Flattum, Presbyterian Parsonage, Twentieth Century Church, Eveline J. Oen, M. V. Evenson, Geo. G. Williams, Arthur E. Preston, A. C. Rasmusson, E. O. Gullingsrud, Edward Schultz, Maude G. Mabey, Florence Christianson, Ole O. Nylius, John O. Aas, Martin Benson, H. K. Strand, Gilbert Sandum, Mrs. Anna Sheely, Estate and heirs of A. S. Alnes, T. O. Mannum, John L. Bean, Estate and Heirs of Ole Simonson, C. M. Evenson, Anna Moran, Charles Gustafson, Christ Gulrud, Carrie Rasmusson, L. Westlin, T. K. Dahl, First and Peoples State Bank, Inga Berg, W. F. Tank, O. A. Loken, M. K. Bakkedal, Louis DeCremer, Jacob Borry, Perl W. Mabey, Barbara Eastman, F. J. Pfeffer, H. M. Hicks, F. J. Stebbins, Northern Lodge 236, A. F. & A. M., Ed. Lee, Lillian Way, Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., Goodnow Torrison, Larson Furniture Co., Carl B. Larson, County of Pennington, Charles Fiterman, F. H. Wellcome, M. O. Hunt, Hamm Brewing Co., George Newberry, J. A. Abraham, Robert Cochran, George Leimers, M. P. Hunt, Nortz Lumber Co., C. A. Dosland, George Diebel, Frank Mousley, John J. Aga, Peoples Auto Co., G. C. Streeter, Thos. H. Smith, J. M. Bishop, John Myrland, W. E. Baker, O. E. Jensen, Olga Seeward, Anna Kretzschmar, Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, Mary Rouleau, H. W. Barlow, Lars J. Skromme, H. J. Holden, John Ward, Estate and Heirs of W. J. Gray, Julius Krentz, Empire Farms Co., Julia T. Mead, N. Swanson, John Oftedahl, H. N. Hager, Mrs. Fred Roth, Christ Amundson, Fred Ewing, Tupper Estate, W. W. Prichard, Jr., Annetta L. Dalquist, Thief River Co-Operative Building Co., Julian Provencher, Rasmus Oen, Carl Froseth, Estate and Heirs of Fred Roth, Bertha Giller, First National Bank of Thief River Falls, L. P. Christianson, Betsey Miller, Roy Morgan, Cecil L. Sheedy, Carl G. Hillard, Young Pine Lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F., Bessie K. Hamre, Gopher Real Estate Co., Olaf Neset, Elias Rolland, A. S. Lieberman, Kiewel Brewing Co., F. J. Dudley, Mary McGinn, Nellie Sweeney, H. A. Brumund, James Meehan, Peter Eberhart, Math Barzen, W. A. Bishop, M. C. Harlow, J. J. Vorachek, H. O. Hanson, Peter Quande, G. Heileman Brewing Co., George Leimers, Chas. W. Plain, Joseph Johnson, Lulu D. Halvorson, Anna Amon, George Diebel, Bernhard Knudsen, O. N. Olson, Lucy Grundy, Evangelical Swedish Lutheran Church, Halvor A. Loken, Louis Kruse, Oluf Tossum, W. W. Prichard, Sr., Oen Mercantile Co., Sophia Kratka, Marit Hanson, Joseph Welrus, A. D. Halseth, Queen City Bottling Works, J. J. Vorachek, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., Trinity Lutheran Church of Thief River Falls, Knut K. Haugen, H. O. Lerum, Anna Kretzschmar, Fred Haug, Wm. H. Spoonheim, Prichard Stone Co., Joseph E. Schmotzer, Ole Sandness, K. A. Sundahl, A. B. Remmem, Hanna Prestebak, Estate and Heirs of D. Cavanaugh, O. N. Lawson, Thief River Grocery Co., Michael Burns, M. McFarland, Olaf Ramstad, T. L. Melgaard, and all other persons, or corporations, owning property abutting upon said streets and alleys, so proposed to be paved, are hereby notified to be present at the meeting of the City Council, at the time and place aforesaid, at which meeting the City Council will, prior to voting on the adoption of the aforesaid resolution, hear all arguments for or against, and all objections to, the proposed paving improvements hereinbefore described.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 26th day of February, A. D. 1920.

By Direction of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Articles of Incorporation of Thief River Falls Building and Loan Association.

For the purpose of forming a Local Building and Loan Association we the undersigned, do hereby associate ourselves together, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Minnesota, in such case made and provided, and for that purpose do hereby make, execute and adopt this Certificate of Incorporation.

Article I

The name of this Association shall be Thief River Falls Building and Loan Association.

The general nature of its business shall be the accumulation of funds from the contributions of its members and the lending to its members of the funds so accumulated and such other funds as may from time to time come into its hands and to receive, hold, execute, dispose of and deliver all necessary and proper deeds, conveyances, mortgages, leases and other contracts, instruments and writings obligatory, to take, hold, improve and dispose of such real estate as may come into its hands as security for and in settlement of the loans of aforesaid and to do any and all business that may be done by a local Building and Loan Association.

Article II.

The principal place of business of this Association shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, and its business operations shall be confined to said county of Pennington, and to the counties immediately contiguous thereto.

Article III.

This Association shall begin on the first day of March A. D., 1920, and shall continue for a period of thirty years.

Article IV.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this Association are as follows: J. M. Bishop, C. M. Carlson and Geo. L. Sterns, all of the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Article V.

The government of this Association and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a board of three directors, who shall hold office until the first annual meeting and until their successors are elected and qualify. The annual meetings shall be held on the third Tuesday in February each year. The names and places of residence of the first board of directors are as follows: J. M. Bishop, C. M. Carlson and Geo. L. Sterns, all of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

All directors shall be shareholders of this Association and shall be residents of the State of Minnesota.

Article VI.

The first officers of this Association shall be: President, J. M. Bishop; Vice President, C. M. Carlson; Secretary, Geo. L. Serns; Treasurer, Geo. L. Sterns.

All of the above named officers shall hold their respective offices until the first annual meeting and until their successors are elected and qualify.

Article VII.

The amount of capital stock of this Association shall be two million dollars ($2,000,000.00), divided into forty thousand (40,000) shares of fifty dollars each, to be sold at such times and in such amounts as decided upon by the board of directors.

Article VIII.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability which this Association shall at any time incur is eighty per cent of its assets.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals this 11th day of February, A. D. 1920.

J. M. BISHOP.
C. M. CARLSON.
GEO. L. STERNS.

In presence of
E. K. AASEN,
E. R. JOHNSRUD.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 14th day of February, A. D. 1920, before me, a notary public within and for said county, personally appeared J. M. Bishop, C. M. Carlson and Geo. L. Sterns, to me well known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

E. K. AASEN,
Notary Public, Pennington Co. Minn.
My Commission expires Mar. 1, 1922.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Department of Banking.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation and the name, "Thief River Falls Building and Loan Association," as given therein, have been this day approved by me.

Dated this 26th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal.) F. E. PEARSON,
Superintendent of Banks.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1920., at 2:00 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 428.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds,
County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 4th day of Mar. A. D., 1920, at 8 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in book H of Miscellaneous on page 619.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
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Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Leonard Peterson;

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 11th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated March 5, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
m11-18-25

In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In the Matter of Murray A. Gotham, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy.

To the Creditors of Murray A. Gotham of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given, that on the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1920, the above named Murray A. Gotham was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the City of Crookston, in the County of Polk, in said district, on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated March 8, 1920.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

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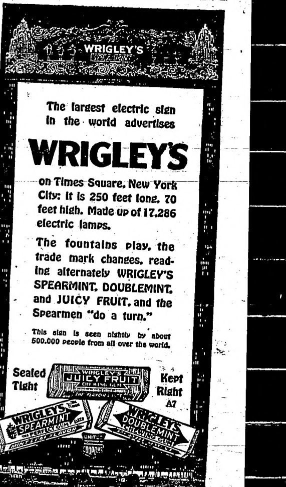

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UNITED COUPONS

Warren in Danger as Conference Member

FORMAL COMPLAINT AGAINST BASKETBALL TEAM THERE IS FILED

In case the charges made by Supt. W. A. Ziegler, acting on behalf of the Thief River Falls basketball team, are admitted to be well founded by the board of complaints of the district basketball conference, it may mean the expulsion of the Warren team from the rolls of the organization.

According to reports that cannot be contradicted, the treatment accorded the Thief River Falls team and the large number of other persons who accompanied the players to Warren last Saturday has no counterpart in the basketball history of the state. Unchecked rowdyism marked every moment of the time the game was in progress, culminating in assaults upon the persons of the Thief River players such as have never before been witnessed on any floor in this section.

Coach Albert Tommeraasen was early made aware of the fact that there would be trouble and warned his charges against doing anything that might bring on even a dispute. As a consequence the boys from this city carried themselves with dignity in the face of most trying circumstances.

Gordon LaBree was badly injured by the kicks and beatings of the Warren fans, assisted, it is alleged, by Stephen parties. He was forcibly pulled into the crowd and before he could be reached by Coach Tommeraasen and the referee he had been beaten unconscious. After being rescued he was laid on the floor while an attempt was made to bring him to and in this helpless condition he was again kicked by some person in the crowd.

Leland Schuster and Reuben Hadrath, forwards, were repeatedly tripped on the sidelines while playing their positions, being more or less bruised in being thrown to the floor. Through all this they followed the instructions of their coach and paid attention to nothing but the game. After the LaBree incident things became so unbearable that Mr. Tommeraasen ordered his team off the floor. In passing out they were jeered at and insulted by the mob.

On Monday Supt. Ziegler went to Warren for the purpose of investigating the incident. He found the better element of the people there genuinely sorry for what had happened and willing to make whatever amends were possible. Mr. Ziegler was informed that a formal apology would be forthcoming on behalf of the high school but deemed the offense one that called for an investigation. He therefore complained formally to the board in charge of such matters.

Unbiased spectators, residents of neither Warren nor Thief River Falls, are unanimous in saying that the players from this city did nothing to merit any such treatment. They were astounded at what they saw and were not backward in saying so. The referee made little or no effort to stop the trouble, perhaps realizing his helplessness.

Democratic County Convention.

Pursuant to call of the executive committee of the State Democratic State Central committee, a mass convention of the democratic voters of Pennington county, Minnesota, is hereby called to be held at the district court room in the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, Pennington county, Minnesota on Monday the third day of April, A. D., 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of electing seven delegates and alternates, to the State Democratic Convention called to be held at Minneapolis, Minnesota, on April 6, 1920, at which State Convention delegates will be chosen to attend the National Democratic Convention.

All women affiliated with or who desire to affiliate with the Democratic party are cordially urged to attend and participate in said County Convention.

By order of Democratic County Committee.

O. GUNSTAD,
Chairman.

A. SAPERO,
Secretary.

Candidate From Roseau.

A. L. Roetman, a farmer residing near Badger, has filed as a candidate for the legislature in the Sixty-seventh district. He will run in opposition to Louis Enstrom, who has the Nonpartisan endorsement, altho Roetman also is a member of that organization.

TheCity Churches

Swed. Ev. Mission Church—O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school next Sunday, March 14th at 10 a. m. Services at the Aug. Erickson school house at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. at St. Hilaire.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Substance." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Bible Lectures at Odd Fellows Hall—There will be service in the Scandinavian language at the Odd Fellows hall on Sunday evening, March 14th at 8 o'clock. The subject will be: "The Antichrist! Who is he? Is it the Bolshevists?" The Bible speaks plainly on this subject. The public is invited to attend.—O. J. Dahl.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Evening worship at 8 p. m. Morning theme: "The Place of Prayer in God's Plan." The evening subject will be: "Jesus, the Source and Giver of Eternal Salvation." The male chorus and choir will furnish special music for both services.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. Services in English at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting at Wistven's Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid entertained by Mrs. Brown Thursday at 2 p. m. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening at 8 p. m. Choir practice Friday evening at Mrs. Nils Berg. The Fosston district will hold meetings from Thursday evening, March 18th, at 8 p. m. and will last over Sunday. The ministers of the district will be present.

Note These Prices

These are not "Specials" but samples of the savings you can make on your grocery purchases.

White Vinegar, per gal.	30c
Brown Vinegar, per gal.	40c
Large Pkg. Golden Rod washing powder	25c
Large Gold Dust, Pkg.	33c
Large Royal Lemon Washing powder, pkg.	23c
Small Royal Lewis Wash powder, pkg.	9c
White Borax Naphtha Soap, per box 100 bars	5.85
Pearl White Soap, per box 100 bars	5.85
Swift's White Laundry Soap, per box 100 bars	5.85
Grape Nuts, per pkg.	17c
Puffed Wheat, per pkg.	14c
Cream Rye, per pkg.	15c
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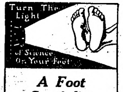

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A Foot Specialist Now at This Store

He is here to show you how to be rid forever of those foot discomforts that now bother you. He is a member of the staff of Dr. Wm. M. Scholl, the noted foot authority, and

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Come in anytime while he is still here and let him examine your feet. He can tell the cause of the trouble in a minute and will *show* you how you can gain immediate relief and rapid correction.

No matter whether the trouble is corns, callouses, bunions, weak arches, flat foot, cramping toes, "rheumatic" foot and leg pains, weak ankles or something else, he knows just what should be done and will tell you.

Here Only Until
SATURDAY
MARCH 13

Be sure to see him before he goes. We want everybody with bothersome feet to take full advantage of this chance. Don't let it pass but get started on the road to foot comfort *now.*

Loken Brothers

"Watch Your Feet"

Society

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich were hosts at a seven o'clock dinner at their home last Saturday evening. Covers were laid for twelve.

Entertains at Breakfast.

Miss Edith Cornforth was hostess to a few of her friends at breakfast in her apartment in the Dohner-Meehan block on Monday morning.

Musical Section Meets.

The musical section of the Woman's club will meet in the commercial club rooms on March 18 at 7:30. An exceptionally fine program has been prepared and an invitation is extended to everyone.

Young Peoples Society.

The Young Peoples society of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the church basement on Thursday evening, March 18, at 8:30. The hostesses will be the Misses Inga Thune, Stella Williams, Beatrice Erickson and Lillian Eide.

For Mesdames Sorum.

Mrs. Dennis LeSage entertained 12 ladies on Monday afternoon in compliment to Mesdames John and Martin Sorum, who have been her guests for the past month. The afternoon was devoted to needlework. At six o'clock dinner was served.

Hoppe-Sevre.

August Frank Hoppe and Miss Julia C. Sevre, both of Pennington county were quietly married on March 3. Mr. and Mrs. Anton Carlson of this city acted as witnesses. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. B. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held in the commercial club rooms on the afternoon of March 15. E. M. Stanton will address the club on this event. His subject will be: "History of the Political Parties of the United States." There will also be a special musical program.

Girls Community Club Meets.

The regular meeting of the Girls Community club will be held in the commercial club rooms on Monday evening, March 15. Special entertainment has been secured and all girls are urged to be present at this meeting. Be sure to cast your vote at the polls before coming to the club. Lunch will be served by the L's and M's.

Wyman Horr Honored.

Joseph Lazino, Russian pianist, has accepted Wyman Horr, who played for him on Sunday in Chicago. He was delighted with Wyman's playing and expressed the opinion that within two years Wyman would appear on the concert platform. He will leave on next Monday for New York, where he will begin his studies under Joseph Lazino.—Duluth Herald.

In Honor of Miss Erickson.

Miss Genevieve Erickson, whose marriage to S. Salveson of this city will take place in the near future, was honor guest at a surprise party and miscellaneous shower given by Miss Myrtle Blair, assisted by the Mesdames Booren and Yotter. The party assembled at the home of Miss Erickson the earlier part of the evening where she was presented with various and useful gifts. From there they repaired to the home of Mrs. W. A. Boreen where a mock wedding took place and a wedding cake was served. The thimble and ring hidden in the cake were received by the Misses Olga Gulrud and Pearl Olson respectively. The remainder of the evening was spent at the home of Miss Blair where they were entertained with music and games.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Chris Storholm, 724 LaBree avenue north, on Tuesday, March 16. Mrs. Storholm and Mrs. Hillard will entertain. Everybody is welcome.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.46
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.41
Oats	.76
Flax	4.66
Barley	1.32
Rye	1.52
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.50
Bran	2.75
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.20
Corn and Oat Feed, 80 lb. bags	2.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
Baled hay, cwt	1.35
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.15
Geese, alive, per lb	6-7c
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.22
Spring Chickens	.16
Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.50
Dairy butter	.50
Creamery butter	.60
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	5-7
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb	15-16c
Lamb, dressed, per lb	20-22c
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	7-8c
Steers, per lb	7-8c
Calves, per lb	6-8c
Cows	6-7c
Lamb, per lb	12-15c

Times Want Ads.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—600 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. O. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Lot in Porter's Addition. Write Otto F. Wendt, 1422 Front St. Fargo, N. D. 62p

Cheap Houses For Sale.

No. 245—Tindolph Ave. N., 3 lots, $1200.00; No. 515, 4th St. West, six rooms, 3 lots, $1,000; No. 422 State Ave. N., 4 rooms, 3 lots, $850; No. 506 State Ave. N., 3 rooms, 1½ lots, $450; Four room house and one lot just south of G. N. Ry., water tank, $450. Small cash payments and easy terms will be given on any or all.

C. W. McDaniel,
57tf City.

FOR SALE—1919 Briscoe 5-passenger car in good condition. Run 2,000 miles. $950.00. Address R. 2, Box 51, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61p

FOR SALE—Good team of geldings, weight about 2800 pounds.—C. Gustafson & Son. 58tf

A SNAP—One 3-plow tractor in good order with three bottom plows, good as new, for $350.00 cash. Will run a small separator or ensilage cutter. Also have one second hand 12 in. John Deere gang; 2 second hand binders; one 20 in. single disc drill; one wood lever harrow; six second hand cream separators in good order from $5 to $15.00. Will sell my entire implement stock and building. Call on N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 61

FOR SALE—10 acres rich land all under cultivation, close to town. Inquire of C. Arnesen, First house north of Round House. 62p

FOR SALE—One Wakum washing machine, good as new. Call 421 Duluth Ave. S. 61

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

FOR SALE—1,000 bushels Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.00 per bushel. Two miles east from Thief River Falls. C. M. Hoverstad, Kratka Route, City. 61p

FOR SALE—1 Cleveland Cletrac tractor; 1 four wheeled auto trailer; 1 player piano. W. E. Baker. 59tf

FOR SALE—2 lots and small house, on Knight Ave. N. and 6th St. A bargain. Dave Gustafson. 59tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S. 61

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.25; 150 bu. seed barley, $2 per bu. 4 cows coming in between Apr. 1 and June 1. Four 2-year-old heifers. Frank Svobodny, Germantown Rt. 1, City, or call at Stop 7, Electric Line. 60tf

FOR SALE—One John Deere 12-in. triple horse plow in fine shape. Price $95—a snap. Five second hand cream separators; one second hand wagon, new last summer, $60. Two sulky plows, price $20 each. One double burr mill in good shape, $15. One pair bobs, 7-ft. runners, McLain knees, $43. Cost price. N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 60tf

FOR SALE—Very desirable residence property on Markely Ave. Modern except heat. Price and terms reasonable. W. B. Fuller. 62

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 63p

FOR SALE—Six-room modern house. Garage and shed. 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 195. 61

FOR SALE—Everbearing Strawberry plants. This is the most reliable and sturdy strawberry for this section and a prolific yielder. Experiments extending over a number of years have shown that these berries will bear more fruit and for a longer period than any other. Have grown these berries here for six years.—Miss Alvina Lautenbach, city. 61p

FOR SALE—Seven room house and two lots with auto shed 16x20 for sale cheap. 420 Horace Ave. N. 64p

FOR SALE—I have 950 acres of land in Beltrami county to sell in a lump or in separate lots. Who wants it? Write to Dr. P. C. Pilon, Paynesville, Minn. 64p

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—2½ acres of land with 5 room house, full basement and large cistern. Barn 14x18; chicken house 16x22; garage; some apple and plum trees, currants, gooseberries, raspberries, strawberries; all fenced with woven wire. Park addition to Thief River Falls. Anton Peterson. 63p

FOR SALE—150 buhels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—240 acres, Marshall Co., about 30 miles from Thief River Falls, must be sold at once. Owner died from flu. 160 acres cleared and ready for seeding. A first crop of flax will more than pay for land. $2300 cash will close deal. Balance easy terms. L. E. Johnson & Co., Wanamingo, Minnesota. 62p

FOR SALE—160 acres, Marshall Co., about 30 miles from Thief River Falls, for quick sale, subject to 1-3 crop lease. Tenant has part in winter rye, balance to be seeded to flax. $2500 cash will close deal. Easy terms on remainder. L. E. Johnson & Co., Wanamingo, Minnesota. 62p

FOR SALE—One Waterloo Boy tractor 12-24 H. P., in good condition John L. Magnuson, 604 Arnold Ave. N., or call at Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co. 65p

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave. Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Leimers. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—White Russian seed oats, raised on new land from clean seed and 1 stack clover hay; some wild hay.—August N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn., R. 1. 62p

FOR SALE—Modern 8-room house, auto shed, 2 corner lots, east front, 3 blocks from business section. Call 403 State Ave. N. Phone 4752. 61p

FOR SALE—Fresh Guernsey cow. Mrs. Alfred Morini, 3 miles west and 2 miles north of of Thief River Falls. 62p

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of City. 63p

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—House, 6 room, cellar, barn, water, 2 acres land, in Zeh's addition.—Sven P. Anderson, owner. 62p

Mr. Bargain Hunter.

I have several hundred acres of improved and unimproved land from 2 to 6 miles of Plummer, Oklee and other Red Lake county towns. Good markets, schools, creameries, roads, wood and water. Deal direct with owner and save middle man's profit.

R. H. BOURDON,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

ILLINOIS FARM TO EXCHANGE for land in Minnesota. Well improved. 234½ acres. Located only five miles from town. Climate warm, plenty of sunshine and fruit.—W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 62

AS I HAVE DECIDED TO QUIT farming I will trade my quarter section farm for property in town. Farm located on Section 29, 5½ miles north of Goodridge in Marshall county. Write Peter Belanger, Goodridge, Minn. 62p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FARM FOR RENT—Sale or lease, 9 miles from Thief River Falls.—H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Neb. 58tf

FOR RENT—My place at 214 Tindolph Avenue south. Ed. O'Hara, Rt. 1, Newfolden, Minn. 62tf

FOR RENT—160 acres with good buildings; near market. Call at office of John Bratrud. 61tf

FOR RENT—SW¼ section 25, Silverton township; all under cultivation. One of the best set of buildings in the country. 100 acres plowed, ready for crop.—W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 62

FOR RENT—80-acre farm 4 miles south of city. Enquire of P. A. Boe. *Phone 4834.* 62p

FOR RENT—On crop-shares, the following farms: Quarter three miles from Mavie on State road and ditch. Ninety acres field, 50 plowed for crop. Quarter 1½ miles from Mavie, all grass. Want 80 or more broken and cropped this season. Quarter at Germantown, 30 broken and flaxed last season. Would like 50 or more broken and cropped this year. Write at once. A good proposition.—A. M. Wise, box 493, Appleton, Minn. 64p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED—Lumber pilers, loaders, mill hands, woods and R. R. work. Steady. Also hardwood inspectors and millwright. Houses. Top wages.—Hackley Phelps Lumber Co., Phelps (Vilas Co.) Wis. 61

SALESMEN WANTED—To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or Commission. Address THE HARVEY OIL CO., Cleveland, Ohio. 61p

Help Wanted—Female

LADY COOK WANTED—On farm for season.—Mike Driscoll, R. 3, East Grand Forks, Minn. Phone 32-F-14. 63p

WANTED—A woman for general work. Good wages to right party. Must be able to give reference. Address F. E. Brewster, Box 124, Hope, N. D. 62

GIRL WANTED ON FARM—Washing and churning done by electricity. State wages wanted in letter.—P. F. Kelly, R. F. D. St. Thomas, N. D. 65pd

WANTED—Competent girl on farm one mile from town. Power washer. Wages $35 a month for seven months, beginning the first of April.—L. L. Kyllo, McCanna, N. D. 61

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

Dressmaking Wanted

At the residence of John Christenson 526 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6073. 63p

WANTED—To buy a second hand Fordson tractor. State price and condition of tractor in first letter. Address, The Times. 62p

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOUSE, a flat or a duplex, or a farm, see M. V. Evenson, 424 LaBree Ave. Phone 68. 60tf

DRESSMAKING—By day or at home. 501 River side Ave. Tel. 4112. 61p

IF IT'S VALUE YOU WANT, FOR your dollars see H. R. Conner about that Fordson outfit, young horses, cattle, machinery and feed, new Cottage sewing machine. All priced to sell. Act quick. Phone 5043. 61p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—In the northern part of town repairs for harness. Reward offered. C. Froseth Harness Shop. 61p

LOST—Saturday afternoon on Jefferson highway west of Thief River Falls a cap. Finder return to The Times office for reward. 61p

Notice of Special Election.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in Independent School District No. Eighteen of Pennington county, at the Auditorium, on the 30th day of March, 1920, from 7 P. M., to 9 P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said district in the aggregate sum of $135,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum; the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose: Erection of school building, Knox Addition; and to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated March 10, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk of Independent
School District No. 18.
m11-18-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent.

Letters of administration on February 16th, 1920 having been granted to William C. Craft:

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 10th day of June, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the city of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated March 3rd, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney.
m11-18-25

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Friday
A Special Double Program.
BESSIE BARRISCALE
In
"BECKONING ROADS"
and
RALPH INCE
In
"THE LAND OF OPPORTUNITY".

Are you 100 per cent American? If so you will enjoy "The Land of Opportunity," with Ralph Ince in the role of Abraham Lincoln.

Matinee: 3:30

Saturday
MABEL NORMAND
In
"THE PEST"
and
BILLY PARSON
In
"POOR INNOCENT"

SPECIAL
Sunday and Monday
GERALDINE FARRAR
with
LOU TELLEGEN
In
"THE WORLD AND ITS WOMAN"

Wednesday
St. Patrick's Day
THEDA BARA
In
"KATHLEEN MAVOURNEEN"
And as added attractions
MRS. DR. FISHER
will sing that beautiful Irish melody
"Kathleen Mavourneen"
Also
A Special Sennett Comedy
"UNCLE TOM WITHOUT THE CABIN"
Matinee: 3:30. Eve. 7:30 and 9:15

At THE PRINCESS

Friday
By Special Request we have a return showing of that beautiful picture
"EVANGELINE"
and
A Harold Loyd Comedy
Saturday
ALL STAR CAST
In
"PHANTOM HONEYMOON"

Sunday and Monday
TOM MOORE
In
"CITY OF COMRADES"
and
A Century Comedy
"WEAK HEARTS AND LIONS"

HOME FOR SALE
75c on the Dollar With Terms

Eight room house well located on East Side. Electric Lights, front and back porches screened. Two good wells, barn and garage. Fine 50-ft. lot with good shade and fruit trees.

It will pay you to investigate this at once as it is going to be sold Owner is Leaving the City

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Just Arrived at the
Kleanall Co. Tailors

A large assortment of fine, pure woolens that are ALL wool. In all the latest shades and weaves at most moderate prices, made to your measure and individual form. Don't fail to see this wonderful assortment before buying your spring suit

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist

will be at Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, March 18.

Historical Society

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

VOLUME 10. Twelve pages. THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 1920. $2.00 a Year. Number Six.

MINNESOTA
HISTORICAL
SOCIETY

G.O.P. PRIMARIES AND CONVENTION FIRST OF SEASON

DELEGATES OF COUNTY CHOSEN FOR STATE AND DISTRICT GATHERINGS

DANIEL SHAW ENDORSED AS CHOICE TO ATTEND NATIONAL MEETING

WOMEN VOTE AND HAVE SEATS IN CONVENTION FOR FIRST TIME

Daniel Shaw of Thief River Falls, was yesterday endorsed as Pennington county's choice a delegate to the national Republican gathering in June by the representatives of the party elected at the primaries on Monday evening. It was the first meeting of the kind this year and may be said to have opened the 1920 campaign in this section.

The convention was called to order by Vice Chairman Thomas A. Way. W. J. Brown was chosen temporary chairman and B. E. Dalquist secretary. The usual committees were appointed, as follows: Credentials, Lars Backe, Mrs. Andrew Bottleson, A. S. Wilson, John McEnelley, Iver Aaseby. Permanent organization, O. L. Ihle, R. M. Johnson, G. I. Fellman, Anton J. Aasen, B. E. Dalquist, Roy Halseth, Mrs. W. H. Crompton. Nominations, P. J. Keating, Mrs. Peter Jacobson, Mrs William Vaughan, Sig Grolid, Stuart McLeod.

In order to give the committees an opportunity to make their reports a recess was taken until after dinner.

All Delegates Seated.

It was found that all delegates present—36 in number—were entitled to their seats, there being no contests. The list was as follows: City of Thief River Falls, First ward; Mrs. E. O. Erickson, G. W. Werstlein, J. W. Hendry, W. J. Brown, James Barnett, Iver Aaseby. Second ward, Mrs. Andrew Bottleson, James E. Walker, O. L. Ihle, P. J. Keating. Fourth ward, Mrs. O. E. Erickson, Leo Millar, C. M. Wilson, Roy Halseth, Sig Grolid, John Bratrud.

Owing to the severe snow storm on the evening of the caucuses but few outside precincts were represented by accredited delegates. Those on hand were as follows: Stewart McLeod, Cloverleaf; O. N. Urdahl, Goodridge; Mrs. William Vaughan and Mrs. W. H. Crompton, Highlanding; R. M. Johnson, Kratka; Fred Scanlan, P. O. Sorlum, M. H. Ballangrud, North; Anton J. Aasen, John McEnelly, Reiner; A. K. Lochrem, Sanders; O. J. Peterson, Smiley; A. S. Wilson, Mrs. A. S. Wilson, G. I. Fellman, St. Hilaire.

Shaw Receives Endorsement.

As delegates to the district convention at Fergus Falls on Friday the following were chosen: Daniel Shaw, Olaf Ramstad, Mrs. W. H. Crompton, Miss Effie Hamry, A. B. Mandt and A. J. Lochrem. The latter announced that he wuld be unable to attend and W. J. Brown was appointed in his place.

The matter of endorsing a man from Pennington county as a delegate to the national convention coming up, the names of Daniel Shaw and B. O. Norby were placed in nomination, the management of the latter's forces being looked after by O. J. Peterson. Mr. Shaw carried off the honor with a vote of two to one, he receiving 24 to his opponent's 12. The selection of the delegates to the national convention will be made by the Ninth district convention which meets at Fergus Falls on Friday.

Bad Night For Primaries.

Outside the city of Thief River Falls and the villages of St. Hilaire and Goodridge, not much interest was taken in the primaries on Monday evening. It was the first time the women were permitted to vote at a presidential primary and a surprising number turned out in the city. Interest centered principally on the endorsement of a delegate to the national convention, for which honor Daniel Shaw and B. O. Norby were contending. The count showed that Mr. Shaw had carried the city by a margin of 46, his delegates receiving 173 votes to 127 for his opponent.

Wood Endorsed in State.

It appears that very little attention was paid to the presidential primaries in the country districts of the state. Gen. Leonard Wood received a good majority in the large cities, Senator Hiram Johnson being in second place. One of the surprises of the primary was the vote received by Herbert Hoover, who ran third although his name had to be written on the ballot.

New School Plan Is Here For Inspection

WILL BE TAKEN UP BY BOARD AT MEETING NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

Architect A. B. Dunham of Minneapolis, who will have charge of the construction of the new addition to Knox school building in case a bond issue for the purpose is authorized, met with the board last Monday evening and submitted plans for the improvement. Definite action on the matter was postponed until next Monday evening when it will be taken up and finally disposed of.

The school board is asking the voters of District No. 18 to authorize the issuing of bonds in the sum of $135,000 for the purpose of constructing and equipping a ten-room addition to the East Side building. It is the intention to remove the wooden part of the structure, allowing the brick addition to remain. This will give 14 rooms in all when completed, every bit of which is urgently needed right now.

It is the intention to provide quarters for the normal department in the new building, thus relieving the pressure on the Lincoln high. This building is now so crowded that it is impossible to secure the best results and something will have to be done to remedy the situation. As more space is absolutely necessary on the East Side the board figures that the best way out of the difficulty is to provide quarters sufficiently large to not only meet this demand but also to permit of the removal of part of the overload from Lincoln high.

A special election to authorize the bonds will be held on March 30.

Hay and McGuire to Speak at Goodridge

EXTENSION COURSE HELD IN VILLAGE THREE DAYS NEXT WEEK

The first university extension short course to be held in Goodridge will take place on March 25, 26 and 27, a change having been found necessary in the dates. A program of exceptional interest has been arranged and some of the best-known speakers and instructors in the state are scheduled to appear during the three-day session.

Prof. A. J. McGuire, one of the foremost authorities on dairying in the West, will speak on that subject. Frank C. Clapp, who has made the marketing of farm products the subject of much study, will give the farmers and townspeople the benefit of his experience, and household economics will be handled by Juniata L. Sheppard, the star speaker on the university staff on this topic.

Two sessions will be held each day and a general meeting on Saturday evening at which Mr. Hay will speak. The program for the course is as follows:

Thursday morning: "The Dairy Industry in Minnesota," by Prof. A. J. McGuire. "Cost of Producing Potatoes and Ways of Reducing Same," by Frank C. Clapp.

Thursday afternoon: "Building of a Profitable Dairy Herd," Prof. McGuire.

Friday morning: "Marketing Farm Products." Figures from a statistical study showing the average variation in prices of wheat, oats, potatoes, cattle and hogs, according to months, by Mr. Clapp. "Plans of Dairy Barns—How to Build for Comfort and Convenience," Prof. McGuire.

Friday afternoon: "Feeding Cattle—the Practical and the Scientific Way," Prof. McGuire. "Planning Cropping Systems With a View to Weed Control," Mr. Clapp.

Saturday morning: "Does it Pay to Borrow Money for Tractors, Trucks, New Barns, Lighting Systems, etc," Mr. Clapp. "The Co-operative Creamery, Its Advantages to a Community; Requirements for a Successful Co-operative Creamery; Comparison of Co-operative Creameries; Individual Creameries and Centralized Creameries," Prof. McGuire.

Saturday afternoon: "What Kinds of Livestock Shall I Keep and How Much?" Prof. McGuire.

Saturday evening: "Potato Associations and Warehouses for Northern Minnesota," J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture.

Miss Sheppard's program will be as follows: Thursday morning, organization; afternoon, "Household Conveniences. "Friday morning, "Thrift in the Home;" afternoon, "Preserving and Conserving Food." Saturday morning, "Planning the Family Meals;" afternoon, "Feeding For Health."

Buying For Fall.

George C. Loken and Alfred Olson of the Loken department store, are in the cities this week on business. Mr. Olson, manager of the shoe department of the big store, is attending a convention of shoe dealers, while Mr. Loken is looking over the early offerings in certain lines for next fall's business. The former is expected to return today and Mr. Loken tomorrow.

Eklund Post Prefers Bonus.

The members of Elmer J. Eklund Post, the American Legion, at a meeting Tuesday evening went on record as preferring a cash bonus to cover the time actually spent in the service. There was some talk of bonds in lieu of a bonus, but the majority preferred the latter plan. The decision will be reported to state headquarters at once, together with a recommendation that the matter be pushed before congress by the legislative committee of the legion.

Speaker From China.

Miss Annie Wogans, who has made her home in Paotingfu, China for eighteen years, will make two addresses in the Presbyterian church next Sunday. The church is inviting the progressive up-to-date people of Thief River Falls to hear her. This is a rare chance to learn first hand about our great neighbor across the Pacific ocean.

FINAL STEPS IN PAVING MATTER FRIDAY EVENING

TAXPAYERS AFFECTED BY PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT WILL BE HEARD

ADVISABILITY OF POSTPONING WORK WILL BE CHIEF TOPIC DISCUSSED

POSSIBLE THAT PLAN TO REDUCE SIZE OF DISTRICT MAY PREVAIL

What promises to be the most important meeting of the city council for many moons will be held tomorrow evening when the taxpayers against whom the cost of the proposed paving will be assessed have a hearing. The council members are anxious that both sides be represented in order that a correct estimate of the state of public opinion may be had.

It is almost certain that there will be no objection to the paving program as outlined by the council, but the question as to whether or not it is advisable to go ahead at the present time will no doubt receive a large share of the general attention.

Claim Prices are High.

During the past week there has developed considerable opposition from unexpected quarters. Property owners who have heretofore been advocates of paving at the earliest possible moment are now hesitating and ask if it would not be better for the community to wait and see if prices will not come down.

May Curtail Program.

Another suggestion made is that the size of the paving district be reduced so that only the streets on which the largest number of retail stores are located will be improved during the coming summer. It is pointed out that in certain blocks in the district the property is at present barely paying the cost of its upkeep and that adding the expense of paving to the burden would prove most inconvenient for the owner. There will still be enough remaining to make a very good start, it is claimed by those advocating this plan, and they are ready to support their contentions by arguments before the council.

May Ask For Bids.

The matter has gone so far that the council will doubtless feel justified in going ahead and asking for bids. In case it is then found that the cost is going to be prohibitive it will be time enough to drop the matter or cut down the size of the contract.

Fail in Finals After Brilliant Exhibition

THE THIEF RIVER BASKETBALL TEAM DROPS DECIDING CONTEST TO STEPHEN

To lose the district championship to a team that they had previously defeated by a score of 56 to 6 was the humiliating experience of the Thief River Falls high school basketball shooters at Crookston last Friday. After having trimmed Crookston by a score of 22 to 20 in the semi-finals, Coach Albert Tommeraasen's men went down before Stephen 27 to 23 when it came to deciding the championship.

Hard luck had considerable to do with the result, but nervousness was perhaps also partly responsible. It is the unanimous opinion of all who saw the game that Thief River Falls had by far the better team, but as sometimes happens, failed to break even in the distribution of luck. Neither coach nor players have any fault to find with the manner in which they were used or with the management of the game—they simply went down before a much inferior team for some reason. According to the dope they should have won hands down, having previously defeated Stephen to the tune of 56 to 6.

Eklund Post Team Plays Fosston Here

WILL PROBABLY BE LAST BASKETBALL GAME OF PRESENT SEASON

The basketball season in Thief River Falls will be wound up with one of the best games of the season. Eklund Post team will meet the Legion players from Fosston on Friday evening at the auditorium and there is certain to be an interesting session. The locals have been strenghtened in a number of places since their last appearance on a local floor and will be able to give a particularly good account of themselves. It is a well known fact that Fosston asks no odds of anything in the line of basketball players in the state and the boys from that city do not intend to take a beating at the tail end of a very successful season.

After the game there will be a dance to which the public is invited. A large delegation is expected up from Fosston and the bunch will stay for the dance. There is sure to be a good time going and it will be worth while being in on it.

SECURE $100,000 FROM STATE FOR AID OF FARMERS

BOARD OF RELIEF SETS ASIDE THIS SUM TO BE USED AT ONCE

BAD SITUATION AVERTED AS DATE FOR COUNTY AID HAD ELAPSED

BORROWERS WILL GIVE SIX PER CENT NOTE AS SECURITY FOR LOAN

One hundred thousand dollars for seed grains was set aside by the state board of relief at a special meeting of that body called Monday in the office of Gov. J. A. A. Burnquist. The meeting was at the request of representatives of the Red River Valley Development association who held an important session of that body in Crookston last Friday, following a report sent out from St. Paul that the state had refused to grant any seed grain to the flood sufferers in northwestern Minnesota.

Appraiser Scott Laird had appeared the forepart of last week before the board requesting aid, and the board, acting upon a decision of Attorney General Louis Weeks, was forced to refuse to loan the various counties affected any money from the state board of relief funds. This would have thrown the whole burden of seed grain back upon the counties, acting under chapter 21, laws of 1917. Such proceeding would have meant that there might several weeks elapse before seed grain would be in the hands of those settlers in the flooded area who most needed it. The meeting at Crookston was called as a result of this situation.

With the representatives from Crookston, Warren and Argyle in attendance at the meeting in St. Paul this week were Ben Docken of the Holt State bank, County Agent John Husby of Warren, Scott Laird of this city, J. H. Hay of the state department of agriculture and D. P. O'Neill of the state board of grain appeals. These men placed the matter before the governor, state auditor and state treasurer, who comprise the board of relief, in the light of greatest importance to this part of the state and convinced them of the necessity of quick action.

Mr. Laird and the county agents were empowered to buy seed to the extent of $100,000 and to furnish the grain to the sufferers, who in payment therefor are to sign a six per cent note running to the state board of relief and payable Nov. 1, next. Mr. Laird told the board that it would take $200,000 to properly care for the flooded area but the board did not feel able to appropriate that amount. This of necessity will mean that grass seeds will not be furnished to applicants.

Meetings of bankers in this part of the state will be held this week to devise ways and means of assisting the state in properly caring for the seed grain situation. A meeting will also be held in Thief River Falls Friday by Mr. Laird and the various county agents to work out the details of the seed purchasing and distribution and a report of the plan adopted will be sent by mail to all flood aid applicants.

Those Receiving Aid Must Stay on Farms

LIABLE TO ARREST FOR MISREPRESENTATION IF THEY MOVE

A situation regarding the state aid which has been and still is being furnished flood sufferers of northwestern Minnesota has arisen within the last few days which is of great importance. The bill as passed by the legislature provided funds for the temporary relief of sufferers for the purpose of having them remain on their farms.

Several of these are now considering the advisability of leaving their homes and going elsewhere, either to town or some other locality. In doing so they will not be living up to the requirements of the law and if they have been afforded aid they will find that their allotment has been ordered cut off and the sheriff notified to collect such portion as they have already secured. This is based on the charge that they have received money under false impressions.

Another phase of the relief matter has been called to the attention of Scott Laird, appraiser for the state board of relief, which calls for action similar to that above. This is that if anyone receiving feed or seed shall sell it instead of feeding or seeding it they will be liable under the law to prosecution.

There is a severe penalty for violation of the laws as above stated and it behooves all flood sufferers to be careful in these matters.

Many are Coming.

Nels Newman, who recently purchased the Ed Klappenbach farm on Route 2 out of St. Hilaire, arrived last week with his family and is getting settled on his new place. He is very much pleased with the section and says there will be large numbers of farmers from the more southern counties looking for land in the vicinity before long. He formerly resided near Austin in Mower county and states that land prices in that neighborhood have reached a point where it is impossible for a man of moderate means to make them earn a return on the investment.

Red Lake Endorses Shaw.

At the Republican county convention held in Red Lake Falls yesterday Daniel Shaw of this city was endorsed as a delegate to the Republican national convention in June. No other name was presented for this honor.

As delegates to the state convention the following were chosen: Dr. N. M. Watson, A. P. Toupin, P. F. Pouliet, Sam E. Hunt, George L. Slyter. Following are the delegates selected for the district convention at Fergus Falls on Friday: Dr. Watson, A. P. Toupin, Joseph Bergeron, Firman Derosier, J. A. Duffy, E. A. Nelson.

Both delegations go uninstructed.

About 50 Baby Elks Will be Gathered In

BIGGEST INITIATION OF THE YEAR SCHEDULED FOR *FRIDAY, MARCH 26.*

Thief River Falls Lodge No. 1308, Benevolent and Progressive Order of Elks, will have a membership of more than 400 when the 50 or so applicants who have been accepted into the order lately have their horns attached on Friday evening, March 26. This makes the Thief River Falls lodge the largest in this section of the state and perhaps the leader in membership of any located in a city of 5,000 in the entire country.

This initiation is going to be particularly impressive. It is the last at which the present officials will have charge of affairs, their successors taking the reins within a short time. During the incumbency of Exalted Ruler L. R. Johnston and his assistants the organization has grown more than in all the previous years of its history combined. It has been a most successful season and it is naturally desired that it shall be fittingly closed.

It is particularly hoped that the many members who reside out of the city may find it convenient to be present at this initiation. A program of special features has been arranged and the occasion promises to be one that will long live in the annals of local Elkdom.

Drainage Board Holds Organization Meeting

TO MAP OUT PROGRAM OF PROCEDURE AND ELECT OFFICERS

The board of directors of the Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy district will hold their first meeting in Thief River Falls on March 23. This meeting was originally set for the 18th, but owing to the inability of certain of the members to be present at that time a postponment was found necessary.

At this meeting the general organization will be affected. A president of the board will be chosen and it is possible that the secretary may be named. The last-named official will have an important part to play in the carrying out of the big project and the directors are certain to inquire closely into the qualifications of all applicants.

It is probable that the provisions of the Steenerson bill will be discussed at this time. This is a law introduced by the Ninth district member providing for a distribution of the costs of improving the Red Lake river and the construction of control works at its source. Before attempting to secure the passage of this measure Mr. Steenerson will be guided by the recommendations of the board as the plan he has in mind must be made to conform to the general aim of the conservancy enterprise as a whole.

Commits Six Children To State Institution

YOUNGSTERS OF SCHMIZER COUPLE ARE REMOVED FROM PARENTS' CARE

Judge Ira C. Richardson in probate court yesterday ordered the removal of six children from the care of their parents and committed them to the Owatonna home. The children were those of Mr. and Mrs. William Schmizer, who have lived in the city but a few months and have consequently not acquired a legal residence here.

The family seems to be unable to make things go right although the husband and father is apparently a willing worker. He is a shoemaker by trade. The children, however, have attracted attention for a long time because of their always being on the streets and also for the untidy appearance. Complaint was made to the authorities and the commitment ordered, although this was strongly protested.

The children are William, Dorothy, Sam, Ruth, Ferdinand and Margaret, the eldest being 11 years and the youngest only about a year.

Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh left last evening for Owatonna in charge of the youngsters.

BUYS 1400 ACRE TRACT AS STOCK AND DAIRY FARM

LARGEST LAND DEAL OF RECENT YEARS IS CLOSED HERE THIS WEEK

WILL AT ONCE BEGIN ERECTING BUILDINGS AND IMPROVING PROPERTY

NEW OWNERS HAVE MEANS NECESSARY TO MAKE VENTURE GREAT SUCCESS

G. M. Wilson of Chicago, acting on behalf of R. P. and Allen Turnbull of Missouri, this week closed a deal whereby they become owners of 1430 acres of prairie land located about seven miles northeast of Goodridge in Esplee township. The new owners will at once begin improving the property with a view to turning it into a model stock and dairy farm.

The deal was made largely thru the efforts of G. L. Peterson of Illinois, who is associated with O. A. Naplin of this city in the handling of a large amount of land in that territory.

Use Much Machinery.

The Turnbulls who will manage the property themselves, are practical farmers and machinists and were connected with the aviation service during the war. The intention is to install about $6,000 worth of machinery on the place at the outset, the equipment including two caterpilar tractors, which will at once be put into operation in breaking. The contemplated improvement program involves an outlay of about $20,000, a considerable part of which will go into buildings.

Stock and Dairying.

While general farming will be followed on the big holdings, livestock, and dairying will form the basis for operations. Thoroughbred cattle will be shipped in when the barns are ready for their accommodation and the work of preparing the ground for crops begun as soon as the season has sufficiently advanced to make such proceeding possible.

More are Coming.

Mr. Peterson has a number of other prospects of similar importance in view, according to Mr. Naplin, and other deals of unusual size are looked for in the near future. The high prices of land in the more southern sections are causing even men of large means to look northward for a field of investment and this section is receiving more attention than any other because of its natural advantages, the reasonable prices at which land is held and the unexcelled marketing conditions.

Instructions in Beet Cultivation Promised

CHASKA COMPANY WILL ALSO FURNISH LABOR IF NECESSARY

Opportunities are still open for those who wish to devote a small tract to the cultivation of sugar beets this summer. Pennington county's allotment by the Minnesota Sugar company for experimental purposes is 150 acres and of this total 85 acres have thus far been parcelled out.

It is not desired that any one person undertake to plant a large acreage at this time as the present contracts are largely for experimental purposes. In order to further encourage the farmers to try it out, however, a price of $10 per ton at Thief River Falls has been offered for the crop when harvested.

The sugar company officials not only stand ready to furnish the seed but will send an expert into the section to give instructions in the proper handling of the crop. Experienced labor will also be provided in case it is found that this amount cannot be had when needed.

The farmer who wishes to try this experiment will not be called upon to make any investment until after the crop is harvested.

Any person interested in the matter should apply to County Agent J. J. McCann, at whose office blank contracts are kept.

Commercial Travelers Initiate.

After an unusually interesting meeting of Minnesota Council No. 521 of the United Commercial Travelers, which included initiation, held Saturday evening, March 13, at the I. O. O. F. hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Senior Counselor, L. G. Larsen; Junior Counselor, John Ward; Conductor, John Rolland; Page, Ferdie Brown; Sentinel, Oscar Olson; Secretary, E. M. Bennes.

Moves to Wisconsin.

William Moeller, who for some years has conducted a farm in Rocksbury township, left with his family last Monday for New London, Wis., near which city he has purchased a farm and will go into the dairying business. Mr. Moeller is a progressive and energetic citizen and his removal is regretted. Another family stood ready to move onto the Rocksbury township place as soon as the former owners moved off.

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AN IMPORTANT MEETING.

The property owners in the proposed paving district will be given an opportunity to have their say before the city council at a special meeting tomorrow night. Notice has been served by publication and the purpose of the hearing fully stated. The advocates of paving will present their arguments and those who wish for a postponement or are in favor of abandoning the project altogether will be accorded the same privilege.

There seems to be no disposition on the part of anyone to make an arbitrary demand. No hard and fast alignment of forces is found either on one side or the other, all being willing to support whatever course seems best after a full and fair discussion. The council will doubtless be guided in its final decision by the wishes of a majority of those actually affected, but the matter has gone so far now that a mere demand for postponement, unless it is backed by the best of arguments, will in all probability not be entertained.

The ultimate disposition of the whole program hinges on the cost. There is no difference of opinion as to whether or not the business streets should be paved, it being admitted that the matter has already been too long postponed. Labor and materials are very costly just now, however, and it will be the contention of one side that a postponement is advisable on this account. Others will no doubt maintain that there is no probability of prices going down for a long time and that the city will be worse off for waiting. It may be difficult to find out which position is the right one, but an agreement of some kind can doubtless be reached.

During the past week there has been considerable talk of a compromise. It is believed that there will be no very serious objection to paving a part of the district designated if the remainder is permitted to remain as it is for another year or two. The advocates of this plan suggest that the Main avenue program be carried out as now suggested. This is the thoroughfare which will be included in the Babcock system if that measure becomes law and the property owners along its course will have practically no assessments to meet. Third street would also be paved in accordance with the present plan, which includes the stretch between Knight avenue and the Soo depot.

The paving on LaBree avenue will extend from Fourth to Second streets if the plan of the compromisers is adopted. This would relieve certain property located near the south end of the last-named thoroughfare, said property being at the present time hardly in the class of revenue producers. Second street from LaBree avenue to Atlantic might be placed in the same class. Horace avenue from Third to First could be omitted without seriously injuring the general program, as could also the last-named avenue from Third street southward.

This change would do away with much of the opposition that is now voiced. The stretches referred to are not in the retail district, properly speaking, and could be passed by for the present and still leave the center of the city pretty well provided with pavement.

It has been the experience everywhere that paving is once begun it is continued on an extended scale from year to year. Many of those who now oppose the idea will be insisting that their property be included when they see the advantages sure to follow the improvement. For this reason it might be well to make a start this year. Unless we begin we will never get anywhere, and a start could be made on the streets that everyone admits should be thus improved and where the property owners have signified their willingness to have it done.

SHOWING SIGNS OF LIFE.

The spirit shown at the meeting of the Commercial club on Thursday *evening is decidedly encouraging.* The organization has been permitted to fall into a rut from which it will be necessary to lift it if anything worth while is to be accomplished.

Never in the city's history have there been so many matters that should receive the attention of the club, but up to the present time these have been given but scant notice. This is perhaps not wholly the fault of the members, but the fact that another attitude will be assumed in the future is cause for congratulation.

One trouble with the club in the past has been the infrequency of its gatherings. This will be remedied, if the program contemplated goes through, by the holding of midday meetings once a week at which luncheon will be served and an opportunity afforded for talking things over. This scheme has been tried out in other cities and found to work in a highly satisfactory manner. It provides an opening for the exchange of opinions under the most pleasant circumstances and without the restraint which many men feel in larger assemblies.

The plan suggested for financing the club is a good one. A most bothersome drawback has been the lack of funds with which to carry on any work that might prove of value. No institution can be expected to succeed when continually bucking a deficit. If the program suggested is adopted the club will hereafter know just how much money it has with which to conduct its affairs and the establishment of a budget system will insure that expenses are kept at a point where they may be met by the receipts.

Deciding the best interests of all concerned would be served by the retention of the present quarters will be generally approved. A small sum might perhaps have been saved by giving up the present commodious and convenient rooms, but in the long run the change would prove a poor one.

The club is all right. It is serving a most excellent purpose even as at present conducted. Operating under a plan that will provide the funds necessary to meet all reasonable demands it should function to much better advantage and there is no doubt but that it will do so.

BETTER QUIT SCRAPPING.

In case Prof. Willis M. West of the University of Minnesota becomes the candidate of the Nonpartisan league for governor, there is a lively contest in sight for his opponents. It will be hard to attack his record for one thing; no one will be able to find fault with him on the score of ability; his Americanism is not open to question.

Even newspapers of the strict partisan variety have for some time been calling attention to the obvious fact that unless the Republicans quit fighting among themselves and, with a reasonable amount of enthusiasm and unanimity, get back of some strong man, prospects for the election of a Nonpartisan candidate are by no means as dim as they would like to see them.

With a sane, progressive platform and such a candidate as Prof. West, the result will not be a foregone conclusion by any means. This is particularly so now that the Republicans are split into half a dozen factions. The situation is giving the politicians considerable concern.

Effect of Good Roads on Value of the Farm

(Minneapolis Journal.)

If Minnesota's proposed hundred million dollar highway bond issue is wisely expended; the value of the property of the State will thereby be increased by a large amount, possibly a billion dollars.

In determining the profits of industry, distance of merchandise from market is a vital factor; and this distance is correctly measured, not in miles to market, but in hours and power expended on the road.

A road from farm to depot that permits a farmer to increase his load and at the same time cut down his traveling time, adds value to every marketable item on his farm and therefore to his acres. Moreover, it increases the value of all town property by reason of the more productive power of its tributary farm lands.

A careful study of road conditions in a certain district in Mississippi, shows that on the old dirt roads the average two-horse team could by a full day's work haul from fifteen to twenty hundredweight eight miles to market and get back. The cost per ton-mile was reckoned at thirty-seven cents. On new roads, about equally divided between waterbound macadam, and sand-and-clay topped earth, the load ranged from twenty-five to thirty-five hundredweight and the cost per ton-mile dropped to twenty cents. Paved roads that will permit of motor trucks and trailers, will show a reduction still greater.

On a farm five miles from market a team hauling a ton on a dirt road and returning consumes the better part of a day. Two such trips daily would be too great a strain upon the team, nor could they do it continuously in wet weather. On hard surface roads a light motor truck could haul three such loads daily, perhaps four. Without question a farm ten miles from market on a paved road is actually nearer town than the farm five miles away on the dirt road.

Good roads move every acre of land nearer to town, nearer to school, nearer to church, nearer to neighbors. In the Mississippi district mentioned, the better roads increased the school attendance from seventy-two to eighty-one per cent; and the quality of the schools was improved at the same time and obviously for the same reason.

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35,000 Owners Praise The New *Triplex* Springs

MORE than 35,000 owners of the new Overland 4 are enthusiastically telling their friends of the wonderful riding qualities of this car. *Triplex* Springs smooth out the rough road bumps!

"Rides as no light car ever rode before."

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"The most advanced piece of work yet produced in the motor car line."—These are some of the sincere compliments paid Overland 4 by proud owners.

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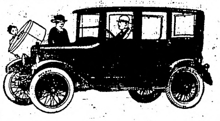

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A Dress You'll Love

At those friendly little affairs, where you meet acquaintances over a cup of tea—

Or wherever there's a group of womenfolks gathered together for a chat—

You'll be happy in the admiration given by your friends to your

Mina Taylor Dresses
For Discriminating Women

Mina Taylor dresses are made in such dainty fashions, with such distinctively "individual" touches that they seem expressly made for you.

And there's a comfort about them that comes only from perfect workmanship—the skill of the worker who is proud of the dress she is creating.

There are patterns and colors here that will be just right for your summer wardrobe; come and see them. Let us show them to you the next time you are in the store.

Our Dry Goods Department

Is also showing a wonderful and beautiful display of fine new

SPRING FABRICS

Printed fancy floral Voiles, dainty Sheer, serviceable Organdies.

Also a complete new line of plain and fancy silks.

You Saw These Knockabout Suits and Polo Coats in Vogue

Suit 4010 has consistently chosen Scotch Tweed mixtures to express the simple lines of this Knockabout suit which the tailored lady is wearing. A contrasting color to face collar and cuffs and a tiny piping of the same color through the belt add a touch of smartness.

$52.50

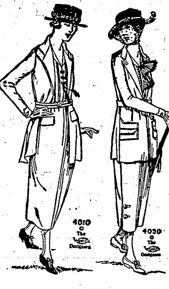

Suit 4030 (on the lady at the left) is of Irish Homespun, and assumes a decidedly mannish air through the cut of its collar, cuffs and pockets. And by means of two buttons on each side of the skirt it combines straightness of line with walking comfort.

$65.00

And we want you to know that we carry these coats and suits with the Wooltex label that stands for "That Well Dressed Look" for each and every type.

And you know that is really the secret of being well dressed at all times. It is having just the *right* costume—*right* for your type and *right* for certain kinds of occasions.

Now come the Spring days and the call of the great out-of-doors when, for the greater part of each day, you will be needing a walking suit or a big soft Polo coat with a semi-sports air.

And how about your particular type? The models that bear the *Wooltex* label consider all types and adapt the favorites of the season to the different types. Note for instance the Knockabout suits, illustrated above—one on the strictly mannish type, another a bit more feminine. And the Polo Coat at the left with its swagger sports air; while the other Polo Coat at the right is just as smart but a trifle more dignified.

Wooltex
Tailor-mades
Designed and Tailored by The H. Black Co.

It's just a bit of white satin embroidered in gold and black. But, neatly fastened inside the collar of your tailormade, it means that you'll wear the coat or suit with all the pride we take in signing it!
Remember, no matter how much it "looks like" a Wooltex Tailormade, it just can't be without that Wooltex signature shown above!

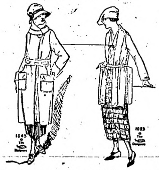

"Meadowbrook." This is another smart Polo Coat. Large, square pockets, convertible collar with self stitching and a nice broad belt make it unusual. The shoulders are snug, the back straight with stitched seam down the centre. It is open in back from about six inches below the waist to the hem. In the same colors as the "Pinehurst."

$58.50

"Pinehurst." It's of French Blue Angora Polo, this little sports coat. The Gray Angora Tuxedo facing conceals two little pockets, and those sharp little points over the hips are extremely smart. The cuff is "linked," the shoulders snug, and the back full. It comes in Squirrel, French Blue and Tan—the Tuxedo collar is of self or contrasting Angora.

$42.50

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The Store That Sells Wooltex

The New "Elsie Dinsmore" and "Little Sister" Dresses For Spring Are Here!

"Little Sister" DRESSES
"Little Sister" DRESSES
"Elsie Dinsmore" FROCKS
"Elsie Dinsmore" FROCKS

Charmingly designed; distinctively different; are the little girls' and young misses' Elsie Dinsmore dresses sold exclusively by us, for spring and summer wear. They are made out of the very best Anderson Ginghams as carefully tailored as women's high grade gowns are, of best unfadeable and non-shrinkable materials. No other makes compare with them. They are of the highest quality.

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Local Notes

Miss Esther Widger of Plummer shopped and visited here last Saturday.

H. G. Borden and family left on Saturday afternoon for their new home in Banor, Wash.

P. G. Peterson, deputy city clerk, visited over Sunday at the home of his parents at Fosston.

Tom Ose left on Saturday afternoon for Pipestone where he will be employed for a few months.

Miss Jennie Bakken of Erie visited in this city on Saturday enroute to Climax, where she will be employed.

Mrs. Hans Hanson of St. Hilaire, spent Wednesday in this city visiting with friends and receiving dental attention.

Willie Meyer of Steiner was a business caller in this city on Friday. He returned to his home Saturday morning.

Miss Clara Gunstad of St. Hilaire visited and shopped in this city Saturday, returning to her home in the afternoon.

Rev. Geo. Larson left for Holt on Friday morning where he conducted the funeral services of Miss Gunhild Waagedahl.

Mrs. S. Leiran and daughter left this city the latter part of the week to visit at the home of her sister who resides at Holt.

Miss Rhoda Finberg visited in this city between trains on Saturday. She returned to Red Lake Falls where she is employed.

C. L. Hansen returned on Wednesday evening from Winnipeg, where he spent a couple of days attending to matters of business.

Miss Olive Helgas, who visited with friends in this city last week, returned to her home at Crookston on Thursday afternoon.

A. L. Carlson left on Sunday evening for his home at Crookston, after spending the week-end visiting at the home of his parents.

A. J. Lawrence and James Parenteau returned to this city on Saturday evening from Warren where they spent the day visiting friends.

Miss Hannah Olson of Buxton, N. D., arrived here on Thursday morning and will spend a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. M. Arneson.

Mrs. Carl Carlson and son, Rud, left last Wednesday evening for Aberdeen, S. D., in response to a telegram to the effect that her sister was seriously ill.

Guy Harris, formerly a resident of this city, spent the week-end renewing old acquaintances here. He returned to his home in Grand Forks Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. P. J. Bottem and little son, returned to this city last Saturday afternoon from Warroad, where they had spent a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. L. Bergren and five children, who have resided in this city for the past six months, left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis where they will reside in the future.

A. Olson, manager of the shoe department of the Loken store, left on Sunday evening for the twin cities where he will attend a shoe convention held in that city the first of the week.

Miss Thrina Dosland, who teaches school at Middle River, spent the week-end visiting with her friend, Miss Agnes Linde. She returned to the above mentioned place Monday afternoon.

Miss Agnes Elg, who has completed her course at the Moorhead normal arrived on Monday morning and will spend a brief period visiting with friends before going to her home in Goodridge.

Scott Laird left on Sunday evening for the twin cities where he attended to matter pertaining to the flood relief and also a meeting of the state board delegation of the Red River Valley Development association.

Marius Rolland, who has spent the past three weeks in this city as the guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rolland, left on Wednesday evening for Madison, Wis., where he is attending the university.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aune and baby visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week. They returned to their home in Gatzke on Friday morning. They were accompanied by the latter's brother, Hans Lian.

Carl Granning, who has been employed in this city for the past seven months as bookkeeper for the Minneapolis Bridge company, has resigned his position and left on Saturday evening for his home in Minneapolis where he will remain for a while.

Miss Olga Standy left last Friday afternoon for Crookston where she witnessed the basket ball game between Stephen and the local high. On her return to this city she was accompanied by Miss Ruth Evenson, who spent Sunday at her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Swenson of Grand Forks arrived on Saturday evening from Warren, where they had been the guests of the latter's parents, Judge and Mrs. Andrew Grindeland. While here they visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

Mrs. H. Nyland and two children left Saturday afternoon for Climax, where they will be the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ingvaldson for a short time. They were accompanied by Mrs. Nyland's parents, who have been visiting at her home in this city for a few days.

John Brude, who has spent the past few months visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brude in this city, left on Saturday afternoon for Scobey, Mont., where he is engaged in farming. Mr. Brude is very optimistic about his plans for a successful year, feeling not at all discouraged after the crop failure of last season.

Among those who attended the basket ball game between Stephen and Thief River Falls at Crookston last Saturday were: Coach Tommeraasen, Supt. W. A. Ziegler, Gordon Melby, Carl Sundahl, Earnest Zeh, A. J. Lawrence, Herman Aakre, Lloyd Peterson, R. McGinn, L. McAdams, John Ward, Roscoe Bakke, Joe Weirus, Sam Cloutier, Oscar Paulson, Francis Burns, H. Hadrath, Bernard Bishoff, B. Burggraf, Jim Parenteau and Lawrence Hermanson.

Bargains in City Property.

As I am leaving the city I will dispose of all my holdings at a bargain. Included is a modern house and several others. Prices from $500 and up. O. A. Westin, Scandia Block. 66p

Buys More Thoroughbreds.

S. E. Hunt, V. C. Noper and J. J. McCann returned last week from Detroit, where Mr Hunt purchased seven cows and one bull out of the thoroughbred Holstein herd of W. F. Schiefer. Mr. Noper secured one cow. The animals are expected to arrive here this week and will make a valuable addition to the purebred cattle holdings in the county. County Agent McCann says that the animals procured are of a particularly fine type.

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What's the thing to do about clothes this spring?

EVERY man knows that clothes are high priced, and that poor ones cost about as much as the good ones. What's a man going to do who wants to make his money go the farthest? There's only one thing to do; buy good all-wool clothes; pay the price to get them. They'll save your money because all-wool wears longer; you wont have to buy so often. We know; we've seen all kinds of clothing. Good stuff is always economy. Hart Schaffner & Marx make clothes that really save for you; that's why we have them and why we talk so much about these clothes.

IF THEY DON'T SATISFY YOU YOU GET YOUR MONEY BACK

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ALBERT S. LIEBERMAN
The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

CLUB ENDORSES BUDGET SYSTEM AND LUNCH IDEA

PLEDGES OF CASH TO BE ASKED SUFFICIENT TO INSURE SUCCESS

DECIDED THAT PRESENT QUARTERS WILL SERVE PURPOSE OF CLUB BEST

PEAT EXPERT WILL BE INVITED FOR TALK HERE IN NEAR FUTURE

The Thief River Falls Commercial club will continue to do business under the old name as in the past and will be provided with funds sufficient to carry on all necessary work. This was decided on at the regular meeting last Thursday evening. The attendance was not as large as the importance of the occasion seemed to demand, but there was a very fair representation.

The supper was served by Julien Provencher and was of the usually satisfactory order. An address on "The Spirit of the New Age," by Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church, was timely and to the point. He referred to the present unsettled condition of the world at large and of the part in the final settlement the American people were destined to play. The address was in a serious vein and distinctly appropriate.

Expenses Provided For.

A number of matters that have been hanging fire for some time were taken up and finally disposed of. It was decided that the interests of the club and everybody connected with it would be best served by retaining the present quarters and it was unanimously decided that this be done.

President E. M. Stanton stated that it would take about $1400 to carry on the work of the club for another year and suggested that ways and means for raising the money be discussed. By unanimous vote it was decided that a budget system be adopted whereby it would at all times be known just how much money it was costing to operate and also where it was coming from. It was figured out that if the business houses of the city would pledge $1200 per year toward supporting the organization the balance could be secured through membership dues. This would leave incidental receipts to be expended in development work of different kinds and leave the treasury in shape to meet all normal expenses. A committee composed of S. C. Coumbe, F. H. Herrick and G. W. Connell was appointed to work out a plan.

Serve Midday Lunches.

A proposition to change the name of the club came up for consideration but did not get far. A motion that the present name be retained for the present was carried without opposition.

In order that the members may get together for informal discussions more often it was decided that a series of midday lunches be given on one day of the week until further notice. This is a plan followed with great success in other cities and met with instant approval. A number of changes will have to be made in the club quarters in order to provide for a kitchen, dining room, etc., and announcement was made that the Community Girls, Merchants association and Loyal Legion would be glad to contribute toward the cost of making the necessary arrangements. A committee composed of President Stanton, F. H. Herrick and Secretary G. Howard Smith was appointed to take the matter up with the officers of these organizations.

Discuss Peat Values.

H. W. Protzeller spoke briefly on the subject of peat, calling attention to the many uses to which the material is now being put. His statistics on the value of peat as fuel, and the byproducts that may be secured while it is being prepared for this purpose were interesting. It was decided to ask Prof. Christenson of the state university to come to Thief River Falls for the purpose of giving a talk on the subject later in the season.

J. B. Connors asked that the club get behind the movement for a larger sugar beet acreage in the county and gave some figures showing the profit to the grower and the value of the crop as a land cleaner.

A committee made up of Olaf Ramstad, Scott Laird and H. W. Protzeller was appointed to work out some plan of advertising Pennington county, particularly with a view of counteracting the impression that this is a cut-over section.

Eight of the normal department girls of the Thief River Falls high school waited on table under the direction of Miss Taylor, their teacher.

Notice.

A sectional meeting under the auspices of the Teachers' Patriotic League will be held at the school house in District 73, March 19, 1920, at 8 o'clock p. m. Districts 219, 25, 165, 194, 26, 135 and 73 are included in this section. Four speakers will speak on the following subjects: Patiotism, Health, School Laws and School Improvement.

Opportunity to Serve in United States Army

RECRUITING OFFICERS WILL BE IN THIEF RIVER FALLS NEXT WEEK

Corporal O'Hare of the regular army, was in the city last week for the purpose of interesting young men in the service. Concerning the opportunities now open he said:

"There is a vast difference between the old army and that of today. The new organization consists of two schools, one being held in the morning, during which time citizens are taught to become soldiers, and the other in the afternoon when soldiers are taught to become citizens.

"During the morning hours, from reveille until noon, we train our men and officers in military science and such technical subjects as are necessary for the army. In the afternoon we conduct our vocational and educational schools.

"Congress has just appropriated $2,000,000 for these schools. We furnish the necessary text books and have hired civilian specialists to instruct in these subjects. These schools are not a project but an actual working proposition. One hundred thousand men are now receiving an education in these army schools, either along educational or vocational lines.

"We can offer the young men who enlist with us now a good thorough course of training in any trade he may desire. If he comes into the army untrained we will send him back to his community trained along some line that will enable him to make a good livelihood.

"We have opened an army recruiting station in the commercial club rooms in Thief River Falls where young men may join any branch of the army they prefer. Every recruit will be given a change to learn one of the 73 different trades offered by the army, all at Uncle Sam's expense. Enlistments vary in length from one to three years. The office is open from 8 o'clock in the morning until 7 at night."

Any young man who might wish for further information on this subject is invited to come in and talk the matter over with Corp. O'Hare, who will return on Saturday and stay in Thief River Falls until the 25th.

The Public Forum

A Request.

Being chosen as one of the two delegates to represent Pennington county at the State conference at St. Paul, April 3rd, I wish to say that it was pleasant to be elected. I expect also to have a pleasant trip to and from the State capital, but the responsibility of doing something at the conference worth the time and the expense of going is not by far so pleasant.

The delegates to that conference have a big issue to deal with, namely, to find a way to replenish the present shortage of teachers for our common schools.

The short cut to obtain that goal is evidently to increase teachers' wages so much that it would draw the necessary number of young men and women out of positions they are now holding in the numerous business lives.

This course would be alright provided it is absolutely necessary. If so our taxpaying citizens would cheerfully take upon their backs the additional tax burden.

To my mind, however, this course is neither absolutely necessary nor fair to the taxpayers of our State. Our duty is to find a course to settle this question in a way that will be fair both to the teaching profession and the taxpayer, and at the same time keep up the educating capacity of our public schools. We must—so I believe—find a method to arrange our public school system in such a way that the teaching profession will be attractive to young men who wish to establish their own homes, and also to make our school house, especially in the country, more homelike to our women teachers. If we could find this method and put it into practice we should at once get a hearty co-operation between the teaching force of our State and the taxpayers. Enough competent men and women would offer their services in the schools and the taxpayers would not feel that they were imposed upon unfairly.

Any suggestions along these lines are welcome. For my part, I cannot make any big promises as a delegate but I would like to know the sentiment of both sides concerned in this question.

Respectfully,
A. K. LOCHREM,
Route 1, T. R. Falls.

P. S.—The State Conference will have no legislative authority, but whatever will be decided there, may come to have the same effect.
D. S.

A Corn Booster.

Rhoda, Minn. Editor Times:—Some time ago I sent in a communication to your paper concerning the results I had got on last year's corn crop. In describing the difference in the rows of corn we made a small error which we want to correct at this time as it was an oversight on our part at the time. We stated that our Pennington county product had from "one to three" more rows of corn than the Goodhue county samples, while we intended to say from "two to four" more rows of corn, as all corn is double rowed. We were neither advertising seed corn nor competing for prizes, but nevertheless we thought an explanation would not be out of place.

The thing we wanted to bring out in our last communication was this: That northern Minnesota is within the corn belt region of the north, that is for the earlier variety of corn, and will and can produce as good corn of this kind as any other part of the state, and better. However, before corn raising can become a success in any country it is necessary that a certain amount of corn is planted and cultivated for any given territory. Corn works a good deal upon the same principle as clover. Unless conditions are right neither the one nor the other will thrive.

About forty years ago when the farmers of southern Minnesota started to plant small patches of corn they seldom got any results for the simple reason that not one farmer in ten really thought it worth while to spend time with those little patches of corn. Consequently it took years before the country tehre got adapted to corn raising. But when the time did come that every farmer got to plant little fields of corn the country soon adapted itself to a condition that made corn raising possible. We have the same thing to overcome here, but we can perhaps, do in a comparatively short time, what it took the southern Minnesota farmers to overcome in fifteen or twenty years. The thing to do is, get started with corn, let every man plant, say from one to five or ten acres or more this year. We can raise corn on ground that we can't raise anything else on. A good stand of corn this year would boost Pennington county land values to a point unthought of. The first thing a prospective land buyer wants to know is: 'Can you raise corn here. Let us show them that we can. 'If you want to sell your farm a good patch of corn will bring you a buyer. Let us boost our county on its own merits.

W. A. SWANSON.

Local House Branches Out.

Grygla Eagle: The first load of machinery for C. Gustafson & Son arrived here on Wednesday and was placed in the Bergeron building south of the Citizens State bank. They have bought the building and are coming here to stay. H. G. Gustafson is here this week looking after the business and states that he intends to be here on Mondays and Fridays to look after their interests as soon as the roads open up, and they also intend to have a man here at all times, as soon as things open up. They state they intend to handle the same high grade line of machinery here as at Thief River Falls and will be able to give much better service on repairs, etc.

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This Company is included in the list of big business because the ideals of service which it holds and maintains are big.

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The success of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) proves that it is performing a useful service and that every link in its chain of achievements is delivering an added benefit to civilization and to you.

Service is the first consideration of this organization, for it knows that by increasing its service to the public its earnings will automatically grow, and all will profit by its activities.

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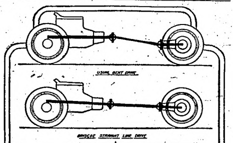

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Six room house well located on East Side. Electric Lights, front and back porches screened. Two good wells, barn and garage. Fine 50-ft. lot with good shade and fruit trees.

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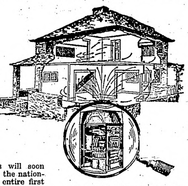

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10 DAY SALE

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ROUND OAK
PIPELESS FURNACE

You can buy the best pipeless furnace made—at a big saving during this sale.

Free

Call or write for a copy of the Round Oak Pipeless Furnace Book which clearly illustrates and explains the many desirable features of the best pipeless furnace on the market.

We purchased this lot at the prices which prevailed in January. Every furnace is guaranteed perfect and the latest 1920 improved type. This is the so-called dull season. To provide work for our installers, who now have the time to take plenty of pains in installing furnaces carefully and well ,e will share profits with you. Relatively low prices on fittings, too, owing to another quantity purchase. Fortify yourself against higher prices by ordering now!

Dust, Gas and Smoke Proof

The patented Round Oak construction is designed to prevent leakage. Have us explain. Let us prove the long-life advantages of the heavy parts used throughout. Although the best pipeless furnace built, pound for pound, we believe it is the lowest in price—and lower priced right now than ever again, we are equally sure. There will be a

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Wait and buy at this big 10-day sale. You will save money.

P. J. Bottem Hardware Co.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many kind neigrbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved wife and mother. Particularly are we grateful for the many floral offerings on the day of interment.—Ole S. Breiland and Family.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Ole S. Breiland.

On March 8 occurred the death of Mrs. Ole S. Breiland, residing in the town of Kratka at the age of 42 years. The deceased was born in Norway, coming to this county at an early age. She is survived by her husband and two children, a girl and boy. Funeral services were held on March 11th from the Ebenezer Lutheran church conducted by Rev. S. Leirfallon. Interment was made in Mayfield cemetery.

Mrs. S. A. Moore.

Mrs. S. A. Moore, who formerly lived in Thief River Falls, mother of Mrs. C. E. Wright, deceased, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Carpenter, Eyota, Minn., on March 12, the cause of death being appoplexy. Mrs. More was 80 years old on March 7th and up to the time of her death was very active. She was the mother of two girls and four boys only one of whom survives, Mrs. E. B. Carpenter. Her husband precedeit her fifteen years ago. Seven grandchildren, L. W. Carpenter, Moose Jaw, Can.; Floyd Carpenter, Minneapolis; Donald Schlotman, Minneapolis; Helen Schlotman, Ringstad, Ia.; and Waldie J. Monge, Virginia, Minn, and two brothers Robert E. McCullis, St. Cloud and John H. McCullis of Beloit, Wis., with a host of friends are left to mourn the loss of a loving mother, grandmother and sister. Funeral services were held from Davis parlors, Minneapolis, conducted by Rev. Roberts on March 16. Interment took place in Lakewood cemetery.

The City Churches

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Matter." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—District meeting Friday at 11 a. m. Saturday and Sunday. Many ministers will be present. Zion Ladies Aid entertained by Mrs. Molum on Thursday, March 25th at 2 p. m. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening with Easter program. All are welcome. Quarterly business meeting in church basement the last Tuesday evening in the month at 8 p. m. sharp. All members are asked to be present. Sunday school and Bible class every Sunday at 10 a. m.

Miss Anna Bredesen and Miss Inez Johnson will entertain the Young Peoples society in the church basement next Thursday evening. There will be an Easter program.

Bible Lectures at Odd Fellows Hall, O. J. Dahl—Service in the Scandinavian language Sunday evening, March 21 at 8. The subject will be: "How Were People Saved in the Old Dispensation Without the Gospel?" A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The First Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Service next Sunday at 10:30. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. Service in the American language at 7:45 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—March 21: Morning and evening worship at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Miss Annie Gowans, of Paotingfu, China, will speak at both services. Miss Gowans has been in China for eighteen years. Here is a rare chance to hear first hand from that great neighboring empire. The people of our city are invited to take advantage of this opportunity. The choir and men's chorus will render a full program of special music. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Juniors at 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school next Sunday, March 21st at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m., and evening service at 7:30 p. m. Friday evening, March 19th, Rev. Albert Peterson of Little Falls, will preach at 8 p. m.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school Sunday at 9:30 a. m., and preaching in the German language at 10:30 a. m. English Lenten service at 7:30 p. m.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL BOARD.

Special meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., February 16, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Myhrum, Dahlen, Mellby, Haynes, Supt. W. A. Ziegler.

Members absent: Froehlich.

Architect A. B. Dunham presented plans for the proposed new Knox Building. No action was taken, and on motion the meeting adjourned.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
DR. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Regular meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., March 8, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Myhrum, Haynes and Mellby.

Members absent: Froehlich and Dahlen.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved as read.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Haynes, that Katie Dahl be granted an increase in salary of $10.00 per month from Sept. 1, 1919. Motion carried.

Moved by Haynes, seconded by Backe, that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried:

Katie Dahl, freight, express, etc	$100.00
G. N. Railway, freight on wood	19.47
Loken Bros. Store, supplies	6.86
W. A. Zeigler, expenses	119.30
Gregory Werstlein, work	2.70
N. W. Tel. Co., rent	11.77
B. H. Sanborn Co., books	67.35
Allyn & Bacon, books	79.16
Gregg Pub. Co., books	20.08
Longmans, Green Co., books	94.48
Hale Book Co., books	28.80
MacMillan Co., books	33.10
American Book Co., books	106.31
Ginn & Co., books	175.12
N. W. School Sup. Co., supplies	44.50
Hermanson Hdw. Co., supplies	9.06
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	35.80
Times Prtg. Co., supplies and publishing	81.00
Manual Arts Press, subscription	2.00
Oen Merc. Co., supplies	53.37
J. P. Curtis, supplies	19.45
Louis Borgen, drayage on wood and oil	51.31
Marvin Lumb. Co., wood	75.00
Spring Handle Co., brushes	33.00
Ihle & Myrom, work	15.12
Am. Radiator Co., valves	11.37
Ed Lee, plumbing	7.50
N. W. Nat. Ins. Co., premium	93.50
Conn. Fire Ins. Co., premium	135.80
Svea Fire Ins. Co., premium on Ins. policy	439.25
Farmers & Merchants State Bank, premium on Ins. policy	448.25
Perl W. Mabey, premium on Ins. policy	357.50
First Nat. Bank, premium on Ins. policy	335.99
Lawrence Mort. Co., premium on Ins. policy	440.00
T. M. Thronson, premium on Ins. policy	184.03
T. M. Thronson, premium on Ins. policy	90.75
Citizens State Bank, premium on Ins. policy	356.24
Carl M. Carlson, estimating for insurance	30.00
A. B. Remmem, livery	17.00
H. G. Bordon, supplies	6.00
V. C. Noper, milk	23.10
Bruce Pub. Co., subscription	2.00
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	1.50
Frank Fisher, livery for Normal	4.50
Phillip Schmitz, work	20.80
Harold Leslin, work	1.40
Louis Kassa, work	0.50
Water & Light Dept., light and fixtures for new building	119.99
Joseph Gulden, work	69.50
Bottem Hdw. Co., supplies	70.73
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	9.30
Northern School Sup. Co., supplies	445.00
Bottem Hwd. Co., tools for new building	571.08
Dan Shaw, premium on Ins. policy	311.24

On motion the meeting adjourned until 8 P. M., March 9, 1920, for the purpose of considering plans for new building, Knox Addition, and for the purpose of considering the issuing of bonds to the State of Minnesota.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
DR. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Special meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M. March 9, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Haynes, Dahlen, Myhrum, Froehlich, Mellby, Supt. W. A. Ziegler.

Members absent: None.

The following resolution was offered by H. S. Dahlen, who moved its adoption:

RESOLVED, by the governing body of Independent School District No. 18, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, at a duly called meeting thereof, legally held on the 9th day of March, 1920, a quorum being present, that in its opinion it is expedient to issue to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said Independent School District No. 18 to the aggregate amount of $135,000.00 for the following purpose:

$135,000.00 for the erection of school building, Knox Addition, to bear interest at the rate of 4 per centum per annum, to mature and to be of the respective number and amounts as hereinafter set forth:

1. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1926.
2. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1927.
3. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1928.
4. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1929.
5. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1930.
6. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1931.
7. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1932.
8. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1933.
9. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1934.
10. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1935.
11. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1936.
12. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1937.
13. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1938.
14. One Bond for the sum of $3000.00, payable July 1st, 1939.
15. One Bond for the sum of $93000.00, payable July 1st, 1940.

That the proposition of issuing said bonds be submitted to the electors of said Independent School District No. 18, at the special election to be held therein on the 30th day of March, 1920, and that due notice thereof be given as required by law.

This motion was duly seconded by H. W. Froehlich, a member of said governing body, and being put to a vote, prevailed:

Six yeas; No nays.

On motion the meeting adjourned until 8 P. M., March 15, 1920, for the purpose of electing superintendent and teachers for the coming year.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
Dr. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Summons.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Philip W. Lee, Plaintiff, vs. Mrs. Wolford Wagar and Wolford Wagar, Defendants.

Summons.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of said District Court, at the Court House, in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the undersigned at his office in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, within twenty days after service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, together with Plaintiff's costs and disbursements herein.

Dated February 5, 1920.

CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Same parties as in Summons immediately preceding this notice.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants, and that the purpose of such action is to reform that certain contract for deed dated November 6, 1918, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, November 18, 1919, at 8:30 A. M., in Book 5 of Deeds, on Page 21; and the further purpose of said action is to cancel the said contract and to obtain the judgment of said Court that Plaintiff is the owner in fee of the premises hereinafter described, free from all claim or interest therein by the Defendants.

The premises affected by said action are the South Half (S½) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-three (23), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), North, of Range Forty-four (44), West, in Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated February 5, 1920.

CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
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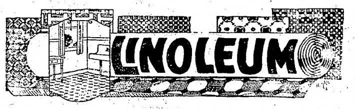

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Dr. H. W. Froehlich left Thursday for Minneapolis on business.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gustafson are the parents of a baby boy, born March 7.

Miss Agnes Linde left this afternoon for Seattle, Wash., where she will be employed during the summer months.

We wish to inform the public we have added a dry goods department. Also a nice line of ladies', Misses' and children's hats, and flowers.—Mulry's Bazaar. m18

To Confer Degrees.

The local Masonic lodge will have a busy time of it next Monday. There are a number of candidates upon whom the Third degree will be conferred and it has been decided to begin the work about four o'clock in the afternoon. This will permit of this part of the program being cleared away by eight or nine o'clock, after which there will be a social session to which the Eastern Star members have been invited.

A Great Stock Sale.

On March 23 one of the most important stock sales of the present season will be held. Julius Nelson of Wyandotte township, will offer at public auction 55 head of grade Holsteins of exceptional quality. He secured this herd three years ago from one of the foremost breeders in Wisconsin and since that time has aimed at steady improvement by weeding out the poorer ones. This will be an exceptional opportunity for anyone desiring cattle of this kind to secure any number from one to a whole herd. Mr. Olson will also sell 10 head of horses at the same time.

A Wonderful Story.

No moving picture production ever turned out has created so much comment as has "Auction of Souls," in which Aurora Mardiganian, the beautiful Armenian, stars. People in the large cities have paid as high as $10 a seat to see this great portrayal. "Auction of Souls" is the most astounding story of race persecution ever told in the world's history. It shows the amazing experience of the lone surviver of half a million Armenian girls. The treatment accorded this young woman by her Turkish persecutor is such as will make the blood of American mothers and daughters boil with fury. Do not miss seeing this presentation, made more realistic by the fact that the star herself underwent the sufferings she portrays on the screen. At the Lyceum Sunday and Monday, matinee and night. m18

Society

Entertains.

Mrs. Gay Halvorson entertained a few ladies at her home last Friday afternoon.

Presbyterian Choir.

The Presbyterian choir will be entertained on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. W. Smithers.

Young Peoples Society.

The Young Peoples society of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Thursday evening, March 18th at 8:30 o'clock in the basement of the church. The hostesses include Misses Inga Thune, Stella Williams, Beatrice Erickson and Lillian Eide.

For Mrs. Peck.

In compliment to Mrs. L. M. Peck, who leaves shortly for Washington, Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom entertained at a series of parties on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, twenty ladies being present on each occasion. A sumptuous supper was served at six o'clock on both days.

Sleighride Party.

Two sleighloads of people from this city enjoyed a sleighride on Thursday evening going to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager, east of here, giving them a complete surprise. Games were played and refreshments brought by the guests was served during the course of the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Yager and family will leave in the near future for Spokane, Wash., where they expect to reside.

Birthday Anniversary.

Mrs. Bjoland was honor guest at a surprise party given at the home of Mrs. M. M. Johnson on Main avenue north Saturday afternoon, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of the former. The afternoon was spent in a social manner and musical selections by Miss Mortenson and Mrs. Geo. Larson delighted the guests. Lunch was enjoyed at 5 o'clock. Before departing the honored guest was presented with a handsome gift.

Eastern Star Party.

The members of Winslow Chapter, Eastern Star, were hostesses at a dancing party for the members of the Masonic fraternity on Tuesday evening. The crowd was exactly the right size to make dancing enjoyable and this pastime provided the principal diversion until midnight. At that hour lunch was served, this having been brought by the Star members in baskets. It was one of the most pleasant parties of the winter and very much enjoyed.

Male Chorus Meets.

The Male Chorus of the Presbyterian church was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edberg on Wednesday evening. After a short rehearsal refreshments were served. The remainder of the evening was devoted to a parlor concert, including vocal solos, duets, etc., and instrumental numbers. The soloists were Carl Granning, Elra Porter, Harold Smithers, William Herrick, Mrs. Edberg and Blanche Johnson. A selection by the male chorus concluded a most enjoyable evening.

Delightful Social Function.

The Lady Maccabees banquet last Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall was a scene of a very pretty function. The Lady Maccabees gave a banquet and reception in honor of Mrs. I. G. Sands, who as retiring officer has served as commander of the lodge for several years. The hall was beautifully decorated with pink roses and the colors of the order. Covers were laid for fifty and a three-course dinner was served. Mrs. Sands received a very pretty token in honor of the love and esteem in which she is held by the members of the lodge.

Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson were pleasantly surprised by seventeen of their friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Johnson, five miles west of the city on Saturday evening. Lunch was served at the conclusion of the evening. A handsome gift was presented by the guests to the young couple as a token of their esteem. The guests included Olaf and Henry Lappegaard, Ted and Ed. Myrom, Henry Erickson, Erick Soderberg, Melvin Peterson, Carl Johnson, Ray Busse, John Anderson, Smiley Brenne, Hilma Hoyum, Mable Hagen, Bertha Bugge, Thea Erickson, Josie Larson, Olga Johnson and Tillie Anderson.

Musical Section Program.

The following program will be given this evening by the musical section of the Woman's club and an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged to those who are not members:

Chorus: "Smiling Dawn," (Jeptha)—Mesdames Nason, Gullingsrud, Brink and the Misses Dora Holmes, Edna Larson, Zella Zeh, Thora Hanson, Meta Kiland; accompanist, Miss Mortenson.

Piano Colo: Impromptu A Minor, (Schubert), Miss Blanche Johnson.

Current Events, Mrs. N. K. Harris.

Vocal Solo: "Until," (Wilfred Sanderson), Miss Dora Holmes.

Paper, American Folk Songs, Mrs. G. Halvorson.

Chorus: "To Tee O Country," (Eichberg), Accompanist, Miss Mortenson.

Vocal Solo: "A May Morning," (Denza), Miss Ella Evans.

The club extends a special invitation to everyone to attend this program.

Community Club Meeting.

The Girls' Community club met in the commercial club rooms on Monday evening. A delightful program had been arranged which consisted of vocal selections by Miss Dora Holmes which were very much enjoyed as were also the piano solos by Miss Blanche Johnson. Rev. J. B. Smith delivered an interesting talk to the girls which was followed by an old-fashioned spelling match, Miss Grace Wilson having the distinction of being the best speller. The decorations were in keeping with St. Patrick's day. A delicious lunch consisting of ice cream and wafers were served by the L's and M's.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms with an unusually large attendance. Elra Porter's vocal selections were especially interesting features of the afternoon's entertainment. This is Elra's first appearance in public and it is for this reason that his singing was looked forward to with a great deal of interest. The male chorus and choir of the Presbyterian church rendered selections which were very pleasing. Mrs. Edberg's work with the Presbyterian choir deserves favorable comment. Her enthusiasm and untiring efforts have made it an organization to me envied. Following the musical program E. M. Stanton delivered a very interesting and instructive address on the "History of the Political Parties of the United States." During the business session which preceded the program the club voted to give $50 to the Near East Relief. Announcement was also made of the return of Mr. Garnes, who in the early part of the season delighted the club with his humorous readings. A lunch concluded the afternoon.

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1 package Sunkist Raisins	.23
1 package Goody-Goody Raisins	.18
Large can Pork and Beans, Tomato Sauce	.18
6 cans Good Corn	.90
6 cans Good Peas	.90
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Mr. Haselrud states that in one instance the skim milk test showed that there was just 1⅓ per cent of cream remaining in the milk sample submitted for testing. This is an unusual showing but in every case that has so far come to his notice the amount of cream remaining is larger than it should be. At an average butterfat test of 3.5 per cent and a yearly milk production of 4,000 pounds for one cow it will be seen that the loss is something enormous in the aggregate. This service will help many dairymen get on the track of butterfat leaks.

Big Returns on Tax Money Paid to State

COUNTY RECEIVES TOTAL OF $58,200 IN AID OF DIFFERENT KINDS.

While it may seem to some as if the state taxes are high, the money paid in for this purpose, at least by counties in Pennington's class, is certainly a very good investment. Last year the state received as taxes from the county a total of $18,521.25, or less than was received from the state for the road and bridge fund alone. The returns, according to the records of County Auditor T. P. Anderson, amounted to $58,200, of which $36,000 went to the schools.

According to a statement issued by State Auditor J. A. O. Preus, for the information of the county auditors and showing the amounts which the state treasury paid to each county during the calendar year, 1919, and the amounts the counties paid in to the state during the same period of time, 83 counties in the state paid $3,557,254.02, while the remaining three counties paid $2,690,701.37, making a total of $6,247,955.39.

Of the total of $8,816,434.54, which the state has paid to the counties, 83 counties received $7,508,817.73, while the other three counties received only $1,307,616.81, the three counties being Hennepin, Ramsey and St. Louis.

Prof. W. M. West is Nonparty Possibility

REPORT THAT U. OF M. HISTORY PROFESSOR HAS BEEN SELECTED

William W. West, a professor of history at the University of Minnesota and a well known radical in politics, is being considered as a possible candidate of the Nonpartisan league for governor, according to the Minneapolis Journal.

The league leaders are said to have turned Congressman F. F. Ellsworth down because he is not a farmer. Professor West spent several years farming near Grand Rapids, Minn., and still is interested in farming, so he is believed to fill the bill in that respect. He is one of the officers of the Saturday Lunch club and prominent in the Committee of Forty-eight movement, and recently presided at a meeting of the World War Veterans auxiliary in Minneapolis.

The convention call for the Working Peoples Nonpartisan Political league has been issued by Thomas Van Lear, secretary and treasurer of the organization. The convention is to meet March 24 at 10 a. m. at the Trades Union Hall, St. Paul, and each local union or brotherhood lodge is directed to send at least one delegate. The Nonpartisan league convention is to meet at the same time, and the two will confer in the selection of a state ticket, it is further announced.

To Discuss Babcock Law.

Five county commissioners and the county auditor of each of Minnesota's 86 counties are invited to St. Paul on March 23 and 24 for the purpose of hearing Amendment No. 1, or the Babcock law, discussed. The expenses of those making the trip are to be paid out of a fund of $12,000 provided for that purpose, a committee representing the St. Paul association and the Minneapolis Civic and Commerce association having raised the amount by independent subscription. The Pennington county commissioners have a meeting on the 17th at which time the proposition will undoubtedly be taken up. The visit will afford an excellent opportunity for learning the exact facts concerning this bill and it is not likely that the commissioners will miss the chance to post themselves on the subject that is at present of more importance than almost any other confronting the people.

A want ad in The Times Want Column is sure to bring the results that you expect. A trial next week will convince you of this fact.

Work in Summer; Study in Winter

When the "busy season" of business begins in fall, there is a big call in offices for trained help. This continues all winter. Thousands have "cashed in" on this knowledge by taking the spring course at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., instead of idling through summer.

Recently the Standard Oil Co. employed four more D. B. C. graduates, L. Thompson, R. Payer, W. Husen and C. N. Lune, making over 70 engaged there.

"Follow the $ucce$$ful" Get particulars about spring term from F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.—adv.

WANT ADS ARE WONDERFUL WORKERS.

Following Her Mother's Advice

WAS ALMOST A WRECK—HAD SUFFERED SINCE A CHILD. GAINS 12 POUNDS

"I have gained twelve pounds in weight and feel ever so much better since taking Tanlac," said Mrs. Jas. J. Ganas, who resides at 897 Maple St., Milwaukee, Wis., recently. Continuing she said:

"Ever since I was a girl I have suffered more or less from nervousness and in later years I have been almost a complete nervous wreck. Any little noise out of the ordinary or worry would completely upset me. My hands would tremble so and I would become so weak I would have to lie down. I could not sleep well and would lie awake for hours at a time and lots of times I would become so restless I would just have to get up and walk the floor, as it was utterly impossible for me to stay in bed, and I felt so badly in the morning that it was with the greatest effort I could get up and dress the children and prepare breakfast. I had terrible headaches once or twice a week regularly that were so bad and caused my head to throb so it felt like I imagine it would if some one were hitting it with a hammer. I had a very poor appetite and would have to force down every mouthful I ate. I had lost weight until I was scarcely more than a frame, and was so weak my housework became a drudgery and I would have to sit down and rest every few minutes, and at the end of the day I would be completely tired out and exhausted.

"My mother was taking Tanlac with such good results that she advised me to try it. Well, I took her advice and Tanlac began to build my nerves up right away, and after taking four bottles of it I only occasionally felt the least signs of nervousness. I could do all my housework without getting tired out and could sleep fine and get up in the morning feeling greatly refreshed. I had a much better appetite and my headaches were less frequent and just about gone and I felt full of life and energy. This was about two months ago and I did what so many people often do, for as soon as I got to feeling so much better I stopped taking Tanlac, but I realize now that I quit too soon, for I am certain that if I had taken it for a while longer I would be in perfect condition now, and I am starting on it again and feel sure that a few more bottles will be all that I need to restore me to perfect health. I know what Tanlac did for me and I do not hesitate to recommend it to others."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's drug store, and in Oklee by John H. Gassman.—Adv.

Legion Posts Organized.

Henry Svare Post No. 440, American Legion, was organized at Goodridge last week with the following officers: E. L. Dahl, commander; B. Rottke, vice commander; Bernard Olson, adjutant; Theodore Tandberg, secretary; Herbert Hanson, treasurer. Efforts are being made to organize another post at St. Hilaire.

On Monday evening a post was organized at St. Hilaire as a branch of Elmer J. Eklund Post of this city. The officers chosen are as follows: President, Sigurd Engh; first vice president, Harold Holmes; second vice president, George Peterson; treasurer, M. H. Jackson; secretary, Carl Nelson.

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NOW IS THE TIME TO HAVE THAT JOB PRINTING DONE

How to Save Money on Your Long Distance Calls

This advertisement is intended to explain the different classes of long distance telephone service and how they may be used to the best advantage.

When you make a long distance call, if you are willing to talk to anyone at the telephone called, you will be using what is known as station-to-station service. This is considerably cheaper than other classes of service. Station-to-station rates are based on a charge of about 5 cents for each six miles up to 24 miles and 5 cents for each 8 miles beyond that distance, with a minimum charge of 10 cents.

HOW TO PLACE A STATION-TO-STATION CALL

When using station-to-station service you should give the long distance operator the name and address of the business or the individual with whose telephone you desire connection. In addition you should give the telephone number if you are sure it is correct. On this class of service the charge begins when the telephone called is answered.

The charge on a station-to-station call cannot be reversed; that is, it cannot be charged to the telephone called.

This is how you would place a call with the long distance operator on a station-to-station message: After giving your own telephone number and name, say, for example, "I want to talk to John Brown's residence at Blue Springs, Minnesota," or "I want to talk to George Anderson's store at Burchard, Minnesota." Care should be taken to make it clear to the long distance operator that you do not want to talk to a particular person or persons at the telephone called as in that case it would be a person-to-person call and you would be charged a higher rate.

By the very nature of your requirements for long distance telephoning, no doubt a great many of your business and social calls permit the use of station-to-station service. And in addition you can more often use this cheaper class of service if you make special arrangements with those with whom you desire to talk, either frequently or occasionally, to be ready for your call at a given time.

HOW TO MAKE A PERSON-TO-PERSON CALL

If you ask to talk to a particular person or persons over long distance, you will be using person-to-person service. The charge for this service is about one-fourth greater than for station-to-station service because the operators may have to spend considerably more time and hold the wires ready while they make an effort to locate the particular party. This class of service is not only more expensive but naturally slower than station-to-station service.

If you desire person-to-person service at a particular hour, and wish to make an appointment to talk at a given time, the appointment rate will apply.

If you wish to talk to a person who does not have a telephone and for whom a messenger must be sent, the messenger call rate will apply.

HOW THE RATES ARE APPLIED

The following is an example showing the station-to-station and person-to-person rates for distances up to sixty-four miles:

Miles.	Station-to-Station.	Person-to-Person.
0-12	$0.10	$0.15
12-18	.15	.20
18-24	.20	.25
24-32	.25	.30
32-40	.30	.40
40-48	.35	.45
48-56	.40	.50
56-64	.45	.55

While the messenger call rate and the appointment rate are not shown in the above table they are each about 50 per cent higher than the station-to-station rate. The report charge, which also is not shown, is about one-fourth of the station-to-station rate.

THE REPORT CHARGE

When you place a call for a particular person and for any reason not within the telephone company's control the call is not contemplated, or if you make a call and are not ready to talk when the other person is ready within one hour, a report charge is made. This is to cover a part of the expense of the operator's time and the use of the wires while we are trying to find your party.

SPECIAL NIGHT RATES

The special evening rate between 8:30 p. m. and 12 o'clock midnight on station-to-station calls is about one-half the day rate and the night rate between midnight and 4:30 a. m. about one-fourth the day rate. The minimum evening or night charge is 25 cents, the day rate applying where the charge is less than that amount. The evening and night rates for person-to-person calls are the same as the day rates.

The rate for any class of service may be obtained by calling "Long Distance."

Further information in connection with our long distance service will be gladly furnished on request.

NORTHWESTERN TELEPHONE EXCHANGE COMPANY

High School Progress

Popular Airs.

The chirp of the snow birds,
The song of the wren
The caw of the crow
The cackling of hen
The whistle of a canary
And when all of them sing
All at a time, they proclaim it is spring.
The song of a robin,
The squeak of a jay,
The meetings of blackbirds
Quite far away.
The tunes of them all
When heard everywhere,
Make up a melody
Of Popular Airs.

Declamatory Contest.

On Wednesday morning Luella Pederson and Roy Flattum, accompanied by Miss Evans, left for Moorhead where they took part in a declamatory contest. Miss Evans, who returned on Thursday, reported that both contestants did very well, Roy winning first place among the boys with Patrick Henry's famous "Call to Arms." He took part in another contest held at Red Lake Falls last Tuesday.

National Thrift Creed.

The Savings division of the United States Treasury department has issued a thrift creed. This creed was built on suggestions sent to Washington from all the twelve reserve districts.

Only the most determined efforts toward thrift, economy, saving and simple living, will bring down the high cost of living. The time for careless spending has passed. The high wages and high prices for all products brought on by the war can not last forever. Wages will probably not go back to the prewar basis. Prices of the necessities of life will become gradually lower and the demand for luxuries will decrease.

We are reminded of the little poem:

Little Thrift Stamps.

One little Thrift Stamp,
Stuck on with glue,
Felt very lonesome,
But soon there were two;
Two little Thrift Stamps
Were lonely no more,
For along came a couple
And then there were four;
Four little Thrift Stamps
Had not long to wait
'Till four more were added,
Then there were eight;
Eight little Thrift Stamps
Looked happier when
Two more enlisted,
For then there were ten;
Ten little Thrift Stamps
Didn't look so mean,
But looked a lot better
When they numbered sixteen;
Sixteen little Thrift Stamps,
Sure they're bound to thrive
Singing: "We'll be worth five dollars
In Nineteen Twenty-five.
—Ben McCutcheon.

Whom Are You Going to Vote For?

Now that election time is drawing near, people have to think who they want for the next president. Because women are allowed to vote, we want to see every woman turn out and show that they want to vote the same as men.

How do you know whom you want to vote for? The only way is to keep up with the times. Read the newspapers and magazines and get acquainted with the leading men of the day. Don't vote Republican or Democratic just because your father belonged to that party. Decide for yourself. Become interested in the things that are going on in the world and know whom you want for president and why you want that man.

Warren.

In these days of high civilization and culture we look back with horror on the days when ancient Rome delighted in the bloody combats of Coloseum. We wonder how the people could enjoy watching a helpless person being devoured by wild beasts. The animal instinct in the people craved bloody struggles. Their idea of a champion was one who could kill. We think of the contrast between now and then. Our idea of a champion is one who wins by skill and science combined.

Yet we find people among us who cherish the old idea of the Romans. When the Thief River high school team went to Warren last Saturday they received a reception which was more fitting for dogs. The Warren team planned to win by foul means. The spectators manhandled our players in the hope of winning a victory for Warren. Some who were under the influence of lemon extract and other wholesome drinks went so far as to beat one of our men until he was unconscious. When he was being carried off the floor some of the enthusiastic spectators kicked him thinking they were doing a great service to the Warren high school team.

We wish to thank Warren for the kind reception which we received and "good spirit" they showed toward us.

A Modern Smithy.

Under the spreading chestnut tree
The village smithy sits,
And waits
For the strike of the
Local blacksmith's
Union
To be called off.

Music.

Someone has said that music is our fourth material want—first food, then clothes, then shelter, and then music. This statement may seem to be exaggerated because most of us look too often on music as "mere art." Whether we recognize our want for music or not, it is always present as there is that in everyone of us which calls for something which only music can supply.

So large a part of our life is spent in a rush and therefore our finer sensibilities become dull and we are blind to the better things of life. We owe it to ourselves to take time for those things that are uplifting and among them music ranks first. It is considered the purest of arts because it appeals to love for the beautiful. It isn't possible for us all to be musicians but we can learn much which will help us in the understanding and appreciation of music. A song gains much if a person knows by whom and under what circumstances it was written. An orchestra concert is much more interesting if the hearer knows something about each instrument.

Weber says: "Music is the true universal speech of mankind."

Oh, For an Inspiration!

"Oh, for an inspiration,"
The weary student sighed,
"My brain is muddled as can be,
My thoughts won't follow straight, you see,
Oh, what a lot they expect of me—
I can't think—tho I've tried.

"Oh, for an inspiration,
A poem, I think I'll write,
Miss Evans wants the notebooks due;
Miss Wilson says: 'You're nearly thru
With these books, and then I'll give to you
A quiz,'—and fail—I might.

"Oh, for an inspiration,
An essay will be best.
Shall I write on thrift and economy?
Or a theme on color and dress maybe,
Only a genius can write you see,
To try is no use for the rest.

"Oh, for an inspiration,
Anything under the sun;
Our team is out of school today,
Its always quiet when they're away.
There goes the bell—what shall I say?
My lesson is left undone."

They Say:

The guy who put the "war" in Warren knew what he was talking about.

John Melgaard is back at school again.

This is the right time of year to look back to the poem in the 1916 Annual entitled: "Muddy Ol' Thief River."

Now that the "flu" is over, the pupils of the high-school have taken advantage of the situation and have introduced the "Spring Fever." In this case, everyone is indisposed so none are excused from school.

The Freshmen girls won the basketball game which was played with the Eighth Grade last Thursday afternoon. Myrtle Senate led in making baskets.

The girls basketball team won the game at Minto with a score of 24 to 14.

It has been requested that someone make out a list of grammatical errors for David Evenson because he needs them for his English II work.

The full forty minutes of the Journalism class passed last Friday without Clarence being called to the telephone.

They say that Webster is an authority—look up the definition for Warren.

That "Wobbly" copped all honors at the Stephens' Baby show, when he was a youngster. I wonder what the judges would say if they saw him now? (A guess)—My, but hasn't he changed?

The basket ball boys were given a rousing send-off by the student body at the Great Northern depot last Wednesday afternoon when they left for Crookston.

The different teachers took charge of assembly while Miss Evans was at Moorhead with Luella Pederson and Roy Flattum, who were contestants in a declamatory contest.

In spite of the hard blows received from the Warren fellows the boys were all back to school Monday morning.

We are all looking forward to a well earned Easter vacation.

Helen Warner was in the assembly a whole period Thursday.

John Hendry recited in Ancient history this week.

Clarence Knudsen didn't talk in Caesar class Thursday.

Julia Longaas has just discovered that she is not as bright as she thot she was.

Thea Guttorud has been taught how to make things coincide in geometry but it is almost impossible to do it in sewing.

Mr. Tommeraason's geometry classes are enjoying a vacation for a couple of days because their instructor went with the basket ball team to Crookston.

Craig Halvorson and Lloyd Peterson went to Crookston to see the district championship game of basket ball pulled off.

Some one saw Amos Mostue with a girl the other day.

Funny things happen some times. It is reported that Bernard Bishop handed in an English paper one day last week.

Bernard Bischoff made a cute remark in English class last Wednesday.

William McGinnity surprised Miss Zeh by having his lesson prepared last Thursday.

Lee Ihle went to Warren with the boys and he is still telling about the "Rotten Deal," we received.

Roscoe Bakke left for Crookston on Wednesday to attend the basketball tournament.

Johanna Wedul returned to school last Monday after an absence of seven weeks.

Ruth Knutson keeps a good sized candy store in her desk.

Mr. Melby is noted for handing out bouquets. What kind, I wonder?

Green Freshman: "Where does this road go to?"

Intelligent Senior: "I don't know as it is going anywhere. If you are afraid of it running away I will stay here and take care of it until you come back."

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30 Dairy Cows
At Public Auction

Having decided to breed only purebred Guernseys, I will offer entire herd of grades at public auction on

Monday, April 5, 1920

Cows that have been making money for us in the dairy will make money for you.

Watch for details of this sale if you want fine dairy cows.

Also 20 head of grade Shropshire ewes, bred to champion ram, Minnesota State Fair, 1919.

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Solve your housing problem by owning your own home!

To help you do this I will offer for sale at public auction the properties described below, at their respective locations, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on

Friday, March 26, 1920

NO. 1—No. 308 Horace Ave. No., 4-room house on 25-ft. lot. Electric lighted.

NO. 2—No. 1015 Horace Ave. No. 6-room house on 3 lots, (75-ft. frontage.) House has good cistern. Electric lighted.

NO. 3—No. 1023 Horace Ave. No. 6-room house on 3 lots (75-ft. frontage.) Good drilled well on premises. Electric lighted.

TERMS: On these three properties terms will be given as follows: One-fourth of purchase price cash; balance in three equal payments, with interest at 6 per cent per annum.

NO. 4—At No. 214, 11th Street. 4-room house and a barn to be moved off the lots. Terms on this cash, or bankable paper.

Do not miss this chance to get a home cheap!

L. KRUSE, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction all of my personal property, on the Mrs. John Dablow farm, the southeast quarter of section 12, town of North, 3 miles east and 3 miles north of Thief River Falls, being 1½ miles north of stop No. 4 on the Electric Line.

Friday, March 26

Sale starts at 10 o'clock sharp.

HORSES AND CATTLE
ay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1300.
orrel mare, 6 years old, wt. 1300.
[illegible] mare, 4 years old, wt. 1150.
lack horse, 7 years old, wt. 1200
lack mare, 4 years old, wt. 1150
Red cow, 8 years old, fresh June 1.
Roan cow, 6 years old, fresh about June.
1 Red and white cow, 6 years old, fresh May 1.
1 Red and white cow, 4 years old, fresh May 1.
1 Red and white cow, 7 years old, with calf 6 weeks old.
2 Red heifers, 2½ years old, fresh soon
1 Red heifer, 2 years old.
1 Red heifer, 1½ years old.
3 Heifer calves, 9 months old.
1 Bull calf, 2 months old.
1 Red bull, 2 years old.
1 Grade Holstein bull, 2 years old.

FARM MACHINERY
1 14-inch Emerson gang plow.
1 8-ft. Moline disc harrow, 14-disc.
1 Keystone drill, 20 single disc.
1 4-horse Drag.
1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut, with truck.
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut.
1 McCormick hay rake, 12-ft.
1 Sweep rake.
1 1-horse Cultivator.
2 Hay racks. 1 10-barrel water tank
3 Sets bob sleighs.
1 Rock Island wagon and 80-bu. grain tank, good as new.
1 Wagon with box. 1 buggy.
1 Newton fanning mill.
1 DeLaval cream separator.
4 Sets good work harness.
1 Set buggy harness.
8 Bushels Millet.
1 5-passenger Hupmobile.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

E. E. ANDERSON, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Watch For Our Auctions

Farmers who intend to add to their equipment of livestock and machinery will do well to attend the auctions conducted by the Citizens State Bank this month.

Among the property listed with us for sale you will likely find just what you are looking for, and you may get it at a price considerably less than present market value.

It will be worth your while to watch our newspaper ads and auction bills for announcements of our various sales.

If you intend to have a sale this spring, and have not yet made arrangements for it, we would like to have you come in and talk it over with us.

CITIZENS STATE BANK
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AUCTION SALE

Having sold my land I will sell at public auction the property named below at the C. L. Hanson farm on the southeast quarter of section 26, town of Silverton, 8 miles east of Thief River Falls and 1 mile south of stop No. 8 on the Electric Line, on

Monday, March 22

Commencing at 10 o'clock.

1 Sorrel mare, 12 years old, wt. 1200.
1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1150.
1 Bay mare, 6 years old, wt. 1600.

1 Brown cow, 7 years old, giving milk.
1 Roan cow, 6 years old, just fresh.
1 Spotted cow, 4 years old, fresh in June.
1 Roan cow, 5 years old, giving milk.
1 Red grade Shorthorn heifer calf.

90 Plymouth Rock chickens.

1 Van Brunt drill, 16 single disc.
1 18-Shoe Moline drill, with grass seed attachment, good as new.
1 6-ft. Deering binder.
1 7-ft. McCormick binder, good as new.
1 5-ft. McCormick mower.
3 5-ft. Deering mowers.
1 10-ft. Deering hay rake.
1 10-ft. Minnesota hay rake.
1 16-inch John Deere sulky plow.
1 14-inch Walking plow.
1 14-disc Harrow.
1 16-disc Osborne harrow.
1 14-disc Moline harrow.
2 Steel harrows.
1 Wide tired wagon.
1 Steel truck wagon.
1 Wagon with good wagon box.
1 Bob sleigh.
2 Good hay racks.
1 Bull Dog fanning mill.
1 Good platform scale, 1000 lbs.
1 Walking potato digger or lister.
1 Corn drill.
1 Disc corn cultivator.
1 2-horse 6-shovel riding cultivator.
1 1-horse Cultivator.
1 12-inch Breaking plow.
1 16-inch Breaking plow.

2 Sets good working harness.
1 De Laval cream separator, good as new.

1 1914 Model Studebaker auto, 5-passenger, in good condition.

1 250-egg Queen incubator.
1 250-chick Queen brooder.

2 Heavy brass beds, complete.
2 Iron beds, complete.
3 Dressers.
1 Chiffonier.
1 Sewing machine and table.
1 Round extension dining room table.
1 China closet.
6 Dining room chairs.
3 Leather rocking chairs.
4 Plain rocking chairs.
1 Library table.
1 Writing desk and book case.
1 Leather couch.
1 Kitchen cabinet.
1 Large Round Oak heating stove, good as new.
1 Small heating stove.
1 Box stove heater.
1 No. 9 Quick Meal range.
1 Oil heater.
1 3-burner Kerosene stove.
2 Rugs 9x12 feet; 1 rug 6x9.
1 Gasoline lamp.
1 22-caliber Rifle.
1 8-day Clock.
6 Heavy picture frames, with glass.
1 Washing machine.
1 doz. Sanitary wire hen nests.
1 Bench vise and some carpenter tools.
6 Good barrels.
Dishes, cooking utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

VAL YAGER, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following property named below at my farm on the NW quarter of section 1, Town of Kratka, 2½ miles south of Stop 13 on the Electric line

Tuesday, March 30

Commencing at 10:30 o'clock

1 bay mare
1 bay mare
1 bay mare coming 4 years old
1 bay horse coming 5 years old
1 bay horse coming 3 years old, wt. about 1300
1 red cow, was fresh about Jan. 1.
1 heifer, in calf
1 Deering binder, 6-ft. cut, with truck
1 20-single disc Van Brunt drill
1 13-in. John Deere gang plow
1 disc harrow, 14 disc
1 5-section drag
1 Deere & Weber wide tire wagon
1 new Rock Island low wagon
1 double wagon box
1 spring seat

2 bay racks
1 McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
1 galvanized 10-barrel stock tank
1 Hero fanning mill
1 platform scale, 1000-lbs.
1 grindstone
2 sets of work harness
1 single buggy harness
1 buggy pole
65 grain sacks
200 bushels Golden Yellow oats
About 6 ton of Timothy and Clover hay
Some carpenter tools
Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

HALVOR T. HOMME, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Save Money on Meat By Using Cheap Cuts

HOUSEWIVES IN STATE WILL TRY OUT SCHEME BEGINNING APRIL 12

The department of justice has announced "Save Money on Meat" week for the different states, the period for Minnesota being scheduled to begin on April 12. The high cost of meats is laid largely to the demand on every hand for the choice cuts and the department intends to demonstrate that the less popular parts are fully as good and can be made up into dishes as nourishing and palatable. The greater demand for the cheaper cuts will have the effect of bringing down the price all along the line, it is hoped.

On each day of "Save Money on Meat" week some particular cut or cuts of the inexpensive variety will be featured and will be sold at a low price. Retailers who hitherto have not carried in stock some of the less costly cuts because their customers did not ask for them intend to lay in adequate quantities of such portions of meat. If the consumers will take advantage of the highly nutritious and palatable pieces of meat which are relatively inexpensive, the saving effected will be tremendous, and the slackened demand for the cuts now popular will result in lower prices thereon.

Under present conditions the price of the choicest cuts are in extreme instances fifty or sixty cents higher per pound than the price of other good, wholesome meat from the same animal.

W. C. T. U. MEETINGS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson, president of the North Dakota Woman's Christian Temperance union, and recording secretary of the National W. C. T. U., will preside over the North Central Regional Conference, to be held at Indianapolis, February 25-26. Five of these conferences have been held under the auspices of the National W. C. T. U., and the last at Indianapolis is a group of states in which North Dakota and Minnesota are included. The program is an intensive one with speakers of national reputation on their special themes. Mrs. Mary Clark Barnes, New York City, head of the Americanization department of the National W. C. T. U., will speak on "Our Foreign-Born Neighbor" on Thursday afternoon and will have charge of the lessons in English that evening preceding an address on "World Prohibition" by Mrs. Mary Harris Armor, the "Georgia Cyclone" as she is so often called.

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Andreas Opseth.

Mrs. Andreas Opseth died at 6 o'clock last Thursday evening following a stroke of apoplexy. Mrs. Opseth had been subject to this disease and last Friday evening suffered an attack which left her unconscious until death. Mrs. Opseth, whose maiden name was Hannah Nordhagen, was born in Tryssil, Norway, Dec. 11, 1841, and was at her death 79 years and three months old. In January, 1875, she was married to Andreas Opseth, who, with four children survives. The children are Olaf and Gust Opseth and Mrs. Benard Rahum, residing at this place, and Mrs. Roy Skinner of Minneapolis. Deceased emigrated to the United States 38 years ago, coming then to Fargo, where the family remained for three years before coming to Rosewood. Mrs. Opseth was a kind, loving Christian woman, whose chief aim in life was the welfare of her family. The funeral was held at the Rindal church Saturday afternoon, with Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls officiating, and was attended by a large number of friends of the family.

Anderson-Bloom Nuptials.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking last Thursday afternoon solemnized the marriage of Mrs. Nina Anderson to Mr. Carl Bloom, both residents of this community. Axel and Anna Bloom acted as witnesses. The newlyweds will go to housekeeping on the groom's farm one mile west of this village. Mr. and Mrs. Bloom left the same evening to spend their honeymoon with a sister of the groom, Mrs. J. M. Phil, and family, at Duluth, and will also visit with relatives at Bemidji before returning.

A pleasant birthday-surprise party was tendered Mrs. Sivert Rafteseth Friday afternoon, in commemoration of her 63rd birthday. The party was arranged by Mrs. A. T. Thoreson and included only friends and neighbors. A dainty luncheon was brought by the ladies, and a beautiful leather covered rocker was presented to Mrs. Rafteseth in remembrance of the event.

Through an error in taking down the number of an automobile which last January ran down and severely injured a pedestrian in Minneapolis, Simon Gulseth was on Tuesday accused of the crime by police authorities of that city. It is not likely that Mr. Gulseth will have any trouble in establishing an alibi, and the incident is regarded very much in the light of a joke.

Mrs. E. Rux, accompanied by two sons and one daughter, left last Wednesday for Northwood, N. D., where they will engage in farming, having sold their farm south of Holt.

John Sorenson returned home last Wednesday from Kansas City, where he had been attending an automobile school.

Geo. Snyder and family arrived on Tuesday from Freeborn county and will make his future home on the old D. Hall farm, west of town, which he bought. Burt Bice arrived a week before with a carload of stock and machinery for Mr. Snyder.

Miss Olga Thoreson, who has been employed at Thief River Falls, arrived Wednesday for a brief visit with her parents.

Mrs. Henry Carlson and two children of Thief River Falls spent Wednesday with Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lappegaard.

Rev. A. Andreen of Crookston delivered a sermon at the Congregational church Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skinner and baby arrived from Minneapolis to attend the funeral of Mrs. Skinner's mother on Saturday.

Emil Mellem, who has spent the winter in Missouri, arrived this week and will visit with his parents for a time and expects later to leave for North Dakota.

John Sorenson has been in town a few days this week to load and ship a carload of potatoes.

Peder Sagmoen left for Goodridge Saturday evening.

A bunch of local young folks were pleasantly entertained at a musical evening at the Steiner Johnson home last Thursday.

Miss Martha Rust of Halma is visiting this week with the Sam Hasby folks west of town.

Miss Lyda and Nettie Batten came from Thief River Falls last Saturday to visit with their father over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem spent a few day's last week at Viking to visit with the S. S. Norgaard family.

Carl Bloom was at Warren between trains last Tuesday.

Miss Sena Johnson returned to her home west of Thief River Falls last Saturday following a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. S. Johnson, of this place.

Miss Nina Westby spent a few days the latter part of the week at Thief River Falls visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lappegaard and two children arrived here last Thursday to visit until Sunday at the O. Lappegaard home.

Henry Sagmoen was home from his high school work at Thief River Falls to spend Sunday with his parents.

Emil Anderson and Joel Shoberg were at Viking last Friday.

Erick Soderberg, Holmer Blom, Adolph and Matt Rafteseth were at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

M. B. Rafteseth left on Monday morning for Oslo to attend to business during the day.

Miss Minnie Sorenson left on Monday for Thompson, N. D., where she will be employed.

Miss Thersia Schenke returned on Monday from Thief River Falls, where she has been visiting for some time.

John Rafteseth was at Warren on Monday attending to business.

NEPTUNE.

John Mostrom is having good success with his saw mill this year. He has turned out between 20,000 and 25,000 feet of lumber so far, and has about 60,000 feet of lumber in logs.

William Baldwin purchased a new house this week. He moved it to the farm near John Mostrom where he intends to make his future home.

Alle Halvorson returned from Thief River Falls Saturday evening where he had been attending to business.

On Saturday, March 6th, Mr. and Mrs. John Mostrom gave a wedding party. There were between 90 and 100 people. Presents and gifts to the bride and groom were numerous. Gifts and presents amounted to somewhere around $600.00. The bride was Miss Myrtle Mostrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mostrom of Neptune, and the groom was William F. Baldwin of Morsyth, Mont.

Miss Mabel Arveson, who has been staying with her sister near Hazel, returned to her home here Saturday evening to attend the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin.

Alfred Mostrom seems to enjoy the shows pulled off by Mr. Baldwin with his brown mare, Flora. He has been planning on buying her but it seems as though Mr. Baldwin does not want to part with her.

Swan Arveson went to Thief River Falls last Thursday and intended to return in a couple of days, but so far we have not seen him.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the southeast quarter of section 3, Town of Sanders, 1 mile south and 4½ miles west of Thief River Falls, on

Monday, March 29, 1920

Sale commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all of the following personal property, to-wit:

4—HORSES—4

- 1 Bay horse, 11 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.
- 1 Bay mare, 11 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.
- 1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
- 1 Black mare, 2 years old

LIVE STOCK

- 1 White cow, 6 years old, coming fresh in June
- 1 White cow, 3 years old, coming fresh in April
- 1 Spotted cow, 9 years old, coming fresh in June
- 1 Spotted cow, 7 years old, now fresh
- 50 White Leghorn Chickens

FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 Deering binder, 6-ft. complete order
- 1 Van Brunt 14-disc drill
- 1 12-disc
- 1 2-seated buggy
- 1 Single top buggy
- 1 Wide tire wagon, box and top box
- 1 Narrow tire wagon
- 1 Milwaukee mower, 5-ft.
- 1 Deering hay rake, 10-ft.
- 1 Deere sulky plow, 16-in.
- 1 Breaking plow, 14-in.
- 1 Set bob sleighs
- 1 Road cart
- 1 Hay rack
- 1 1200-lb. scale
- 1 Grindstone
- 1 Cultivator
- 1 3-horse drag
- 1 DeLaval cream separator
- 3 Working harness
- 1 Single harness
- 50 Grain sacks
- All household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT YUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

Bengt Swenson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Andreas Opseth --- Olof Opseth

Having sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction on my farm the E½NW¼, Section 10, Town of New Solum, being one-half mile south of the Village of Rosewood, about eight miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 23

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all the following described personal property, to-wit:

HORSES

- 1 Gray mare 12 years old, weight 1600 lbs.
- 1 Sorrel horse 12 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
- 1 Black mare colt 2 years old.

13—HEAD OF LIVE STOCK—13

- 1 Cow fresh in February
- 2 Cows fresh firsta of March
- 1 Cow, will be fresh this month
- 1 Cow, will be fresh in April
- 1 Cow, fresh next August
- 2 Heifers, 2 years old
- 1 Heifer, 9 months old
- 4 Calves
- 12 Chickens

FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 John Deere binder with truck, 7-ft. cut
- 1 Deering Reaper
- 1 McCormick mower
- 1 Deering mower
- 1 McCormick hay hake, 10-ft.
- 1 John Deere 14-inch gang plow
- 1 Walking plow
- 1 Van Brunt 15-shoe drill
- 1 Drill
- 1 4-horse harrow
- 2 Cultivators
- 1 John Deere engine, double disc harrow, 10-ft. wide
- 1 Set bob sleighs
- 1 Water tank with heater
- 1 Wide tire wagon
- 1 Two seated buggy
- 1 Potato sprayer
- 2 Machine sheds, and some oak planks

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1 Fire proof safe
- 1 Kalamazoo kitchen range No. 9
- 1 Monogram oak heater No. 18
- 1 Box stove
- 2 Oil stoves
- 1 Extension table, 2 small tables, 1 piano, 1 dresser, 1 sewing machine, 1 set of carpet looms, 1 churn, 4 iron beds, lamps and other articles to numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

Andreas Opseth & Olof Opseth
Owners

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction the following described personal property on the southeast quarter of section 19, Highlanding township, 1 mile west of Highlanding store, on the river and 6 miles south and 1 mile west of Goodridge, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 1920

COMMENCING AT 10:00 O'CLOCK

HORSES AND CATTLE

- 1 Gray gelding 9 years old wt. about 1400 lbs.
- 1 Gray mare 9 years old, wt about 1400 lbs.
- 1 Dark bay mare, 6 years old, wt. about 1500 lbs.
- 1 Sorrel colt, 4 years old, wt. about 1300 lbs., well broke
- 1 Cow, 6 years old, fresh in April
- 1 Cow 4 years old, fresh in April
- 1 Cow 4 years old, fresh in April
- 1 Cow 4 years old, fresh in May
- 1 Cow 3 years old in June, fresh in March
- 1 Steer 2 years old in May
- 1 Bull calf, 10 months old

FARM MACHINERY

- 1 John Deere manure spreader, good as new
- 1 John Deere, 14-in. gang plow
- 2 14-in. walking plows
- 1 Milwaukee mower
- 1 4-horse drag, 5 sections
- 1 Spring drag
- 1 2-horse Acme drag, with levers
- 1 17-disc Van Brunt drill
- 1 McCormick binder
- 2 Wide tire wagons
- 1 Hay rack
- 1 10-ft. John Deere hay rake
- 1 Double wagon box
- 1 Incubator
- 2 Sets of good heavy work harness
- 1 Buggy harness
- 1 Stone boat
- 1 Cutter
- 1 50-Gal. gasoline oil tank
- 1 Walking corn cultivator with hiller

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1 No. 9 range
- 1 Heating stove
- 1 Small cook stove
- 1 Kerosene stove
- 1 Kitchen table
- 1 Kitchen cabinet
- 1 Book case
- Some inlaid lincoleum
- 1 Rug 11½x12
- 1 Bedstead and springs
- 1 Spring lounge
- 1 Bureau and wash stand
- 3 Rockers
- 6 Dining room chairs
- 1 8-day clock
- 2 Large lamps
- Cooking utensils
- 1 5-Gal. cream can, new

MISCELLANEOUS

- 1 DeLaval cream separator
- 4,000 Best grade Washington cedar shingles
- Some lumber; some oak plank
- Some oak posts
- 1 Wheelbarrow
- Shovels and forks
- 3 Sets of hay slings
- 50 lbs. pure Manilla twine
- Axes, grub hoes, wire stretcher
- 100 Bushels of oats
- 1 Cross cut saw
- 1 Grindstone
- 5 Chickens
- 2 Crow bars
- 2 Pairs of skiis
- 1 Brush hook
- 1 Fanning mill
- 3 Tons of tame hay
- 2 Sets of horse blankets
- 1 Scraper
- Fruit jars, picture frames and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920

HENRY ARNDT, Owner

W. J. LaBREE Auctioneer. GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided t quit farming, I will sell at public auction the property listed below, at my farm, the northwest quarter of section 4, Wyandotte township, 3½ miles east of Hazel, 7 miles north of Plummer and 11 miles southeast of Thief River Falls, on

TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1920

SALE STARTS AT 9:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

—10 HORSES—10

- 2 Bay Belgian mares 9 years old, wt. 1600.
- 1 Roan mare 9 years old, wt. 1300
- 1 Roan mare fourteen years old, wt. 1300
- 1 Roan mare 5 years old, wt. 1200
- 1 Black mare, 2 years old
- 1 Roan colt
- 3 Mares, bronchoes, 8 years old

CATTLE—55 HEAD 15-16 GRADE HOLSTEIN, REGISTERED SIRE, ALL TUBERCULIN TESTED

- 3 Grade Holstein cows, 7 years old, rfesh
- 1 Grade Holstein cow, 7 years, coming fresh in April
- 3 Grade Holstein cows, 6 years old, fresh
- 3 Grade Holstein cows, 8 years old, fresh
- 2 Grade Holstein cows, 10 years old, fresh
- 1 Grade Holstein cow, 9 years old, fresh
- 2 Grade Holstein cows, 8 years old, fresh in April
- 4 Grade Holstein heifers, 2½ years old, fresh
- 4 Grade Holstein heifers, 3 years old, fresh
- 1 Grade Holstein heifer, 2 years old, fresh
- 2 Grade Holstein heifers, 2 years old, fresh in Sept.
- 1 Registered Holstein sire, wt. 1800, papers furnished
- 2 Heifers 1½ years old
- 2 Holstein heifers, 10 months old
- 4 Holstein heifers, 5 months old
- 2 Holstein heifers, 2 months old
- 7 Holstein steers; 1 year old
- 11 Holstein bull calves from 2 to 9 months old

FARM MACHINERY, ETC.

- 2 McCormick binders, 6-ft. cut
- 1 Acme mower, 5-ft. cut
- 1 Disc with truck
- 1 Dowagiac shoe drill
- 1 Iron harrow
- 1 Hay rake, 12-ft.
- 1 Harrow riding cart
- 1 Success manure spreader
- 1 4-bbl. stock tank
- 1 9-bbl. stock tank, new
- 1 Corn cultivator
- 2 Bob sleighs
- 1 Wagon box
- 1 Minnesota mower, 5-ft. cut
- 1 John Deere gang plow, 13-in.
- 1 John Deere sulky plow, 16-in.
- 1 John Deere corn binder, new
- 1 Breaking plow, 16-in.
- 1 Acme hay stacker, new
- 1 Acme sweep rake, new
- 1 Wide tire wagon
- 1 Narrow tire wagon
- 2 Hay racks
- 1 Ensilage cutter, 12-in.
- 1 Triple wagon box
- 1 2½ H. P. R. & V. gasoline engine
- 1 Water system consisting of 8 automatic drinking cups, 120 feet 1½ inch pipe, 25 feet 2 inch pipe, 80 feet inch pipe, 20 feet 3-4 inch pipe, 25 feet rubber hose
- 1 Tank pump, 5x5
- 1 Burr feed mill
- 1 Hand cultivator
- 1 Jumper
- 10 Cream cans
- 1 Circle wood saw
- 2 Sets heavy work harness
- 2 Single harness
- 1 Wood pump, 3½ inch
- 3 Incubators, 150 to 280 egg capacity
- 1 Road cart
- 1 No. 15 DeLaval cream separator
- 1 Ford belt attachment
- 1 Soft coal heater
- 1 Set light work harness
- 1 Scale, 600-lb. capacity
- About 4,00 feet of lumber, some grain sacks and other articles too numerous mention.

Free lunch at noon--Free bus from train to farm

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920

Julius Nelson, Owner

PAUL BORGIE AND O. E. GERMANSON, Auctioneers. CITIZENS STATE BANK of Hazel, Clerk

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock, P. M., March 9th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: Ness.

Minutes of the meeting of Feb. 24th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the monthly reports of City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, Chief of Police, Librarian and Manager of the Auditorium be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Council accept the plans of the Citizens Committee in the change of plans for the extension of storm sewers within the proposed paving district, said system being described and such sewers to run as follows, to-wit: In the alley between Horace and LaBree avenues extending from a point 20 feet north of south line of 4th street to a point 20 feet south of north line of 1st street and from a point of center line of Main avenue 20 feet north of the south line of 4th street; thence east to a point on the center line of alley between LaBree avenue and Main avenue, said point being 20 feet north of the south line of 4th street; thence south on center line of alley to a point 20 feet south of the north line of 1st street; also in alley between Main and Knight avenues extending to a point 20 feet north of south line of 4th street to a point 20 feet south of the north line of 1st street; also on 1st street from a point 20 feet south of the north line of 1st street on the center line of the alley between Main and Knight avenues; thence east and parallel with the north line of 1st street to the east line of Horace avenue; also, on 3rd street from a point in the center line of LaBree avenue 20 feet south of the north line of 3rd street east of the center of the alley between Horace and LaBree avenues; also on 2nd street from a point in the center line of LaBree avenue 20 feet south of the north line of 2nd street; thence east to the center line of the alley between Horace and LaBree avenues; also on 3rd street from a point 20 feet south of the north line of 3rd street and 20 feet east of west line of Horace avenue; thence east to the center line of the alley in block 31; thence north along center line of the alley a distance of 25 feet, and the Bradley Engineering Service be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for same. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon that the application of the Tessum Seed Co., for a junk dealer's license be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the application of Chas. Fiterman for a junk dealer's license be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the moving permit of Aug. Carlson be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle that the action of the Cemetery Commission fixing the salary of the Sexton be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the City Clerk be instructed to notify J. M. Bishop that the Council cannot consider the purchase of the property at the price asked. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that proposed Ordinance No. 162 be given its second reading and placed on file for its third and final reading. Motion carried, and proposed ordinance was duly read and filed.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon that proposed ordinance No. 163, an Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 146, be given its first reading and placed on file for its second reading. Motion carried and proposed ordinance was duly read and filed.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that the Council adjourn until March 19th, 1920 at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Bank No. 1400.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls, Incorporated.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 6th day of March A. D. 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED, That section Six and Four of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Section Four. The Government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a board ranging from five to twelve Directors, who shall be elected at the regular annual meeting of the stockholders to be held on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of January of each year between the hours of 10 A. M. and 8 P. M. of the said day. They shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Thief River Falls on the 6th day of March A. D. 1920.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal.)

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 9th day of March, 1920, before me appeared R. McGinn and L. A. Lampert, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls, incorporated; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

(Notarial Seal) EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public, Pennington Co. Minn.
My commission expires Apr. 3, 1925.

Office of Register of Deeds, County Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 13th day of March A. 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book "H" of Misc., page 628.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
M18-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Engen, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Alfred Hamrasten;

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated March 12, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
m18-25-a-1

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by T. C Peterson, a single man, as mortgagor to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, upon the following described lands lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ SW¼) and the South half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ SW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35) in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing 120 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, which said mortgage bears date on the 9th day of December, 1916, and, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 19th day of January, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 349, and which mortgage was assigned to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank by instrument in writing, dated January 20 1917, filed for record in the office of the said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 20th day of January, 1917 at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 322, and which said mortgage was again assigned to Albertus J. Prins by said assignee of mortgage, by instrument in writing dated January 30, 1920, filed for record in the office of said Register of Deeds aforesaid on the 2nd day of February, 1920, recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 562, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of Twelve Hundred ($1200) Dollars according to the terms one (1) certain promissory note, made and executed by said T. C. Peterson said mortgagor, to said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, said mortgagee, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 15th day of December in the year 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, each for the sum of Seventy-two ($72.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December 1917, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1918, and also interest coupon note due on the 15th day of December, 1919, are past due and unpaid; and,

WHEREAS, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of interest the whole of the principal sum, together with interest, should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assigns, be declared to be due and payable; and,

WHEREAS, the said mortgagor neglected to pay, and has not paid said interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1917, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1918, and interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 15th day of December, 1919, as aforesaid, amounting to the sum of Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1917, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15 1918, and Seventy-two ($72) Dollars on December 15, 1919, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest thereon is by said last named assignee of mortgagee deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

WHEREAS, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Forty and 72-100 ($1440.72) Dollars secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, said Pennington County, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1920, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated February 5, 1920.

ALBERTUS J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
St. Paul, Minnesota.
f12-19-26-m5-11-18

Order For Hearing on Petition For Consolidation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the Matter of the Consolidation of Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties and 103 in Marshall County, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, all in the State of Minnesota.

A petition for the consolidation of the ditch proceedings above named having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, and the said Clerk having notified the undersigned, one of the Judges of said Court, of the filing thereof:

It Is Ordered, that said petition be heard on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1920, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court room in the court house in the city of Warren in said county and State; and

It Is Further Ordered that all proceedings in Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota, and 103 in Marshall County, Minnesota, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota, be stayed until the hearing and determination of said petition.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, March 2nd, 1920.

ANDREW GRINDELAND,
Judge of the District Court.

Petition For Consolidation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the Matter of the Consolidation of Judicial Ditches numbered 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties and 103 in Marshall County, and 30 in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, all in the State of Minnesota.

To the Honorable Andrew Grindeland, One of the Judges of the District Court Aforesaid:

The County board of the county of Marshall, in the State of Minnesota, which said county is and will be affected by the consolidation and the construction of the drainage ditches hereinafter described, and the undersigned land owners whose property is affected by the overflow hereinafter described and whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for the expense of, the consolidation and construction of the drainage ditches hereinafter described, respectfully show to the court:

I

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 102 in Marshall and Beltrami Counties in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain the lands in Townships 155, 156 and 157 north of Ranges 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said Counties of Marshall and Beltrami, in a westerly direction into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

II

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 103, in Marshall County in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain the lands in townships 157 and 158 north of ranges 40 and 41 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said County of Marshall, into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding for the establishment of said Judicial Ditch No. 103, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

III

That there has been initiated and is now pending in the court above named a drainage proceeding known as Judicial Ditch No. 30, in Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties in said State by which a drainage ditch is proposed to be constructed to drain and to amplify the present drainage of the lands in Townships 154 and 155 North of Ranges 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43 west of the 5th Principal Meridian and Township 156 North of Ranges 36, 37 and 38 west of the 5th Principal Meridian, situate in said Counties of Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami, said lands including the drainage basin of Judicial Ditches Nos. 12, 13, and 18 and County Ditch No. 20 of said Marshall County, in a westerly direction into the Thief River, for a more particular description of which proceeding, the lands described therein, and the ditch and branches proposed to be constructed thereunder, reference is hereby made to the petition and files in said proceeding and order of the court on preliminary hearing therein, the allegations of which said petition are hereby made a part of this petition.

IV

That the proceedings for the establishment of said Judicial Ditches numbered 102, 103 and 30 are for the establishment of open public ditches, and that the waters from said ditches will empty into a water course known as Thief River, and that the construction of said ditches is likely to cause, by reason of the waters added to said River, the overflow of the waters thereof and the inundation of great areas of adjoining land.

V

That said Thief River is a small, narrow, crooked and sluggish stream, incapable of properly draining its watershed or of furnishing an adequate outlet either for the waters which naturally flow into it or for the waters proposed to be added thereto by said ditches.

That said River needs and requires improvement and control for the purpose of furnishing an outlet for the waters proposed to be added thereto by said ditches and to prevent it from overflowing and inundating great areas of land adjoining its banks.

That the improvement and control of said stream as an outlet for said ditches and of the waters emptying into it therefrom will be a public benefit and utility, and will improve the public health, and protect the lands adjoining said stream from overflow and inundation, and furnish an adequate outlet for the waters from said proposed ditches.

Wherefore, your petitioners pray that the said proceedings for the establishment of said Judicial Ditches numbered 102, 103 and 30 be consolidated into one system and the extension of the same so as to furnish a proper outlet for all the waters of the basin and drainage area that naturally drain or are led by ditches into said Thief River, and that the cost of constructing said outlet be borne by all the lands to be benefitted thereby, and that in order to equitably apportion the cost of the construction of the said improvement and the extension of said outlet to all the lands to be benefited thereby it is necessary that said proceedings be merged and consolidated; and your petitioners further pray that the court make an order fixing a time and place for the hearing upon this petition and ordering all proceedings now pending in said Judicial Ditch proceedings numbered 102, 103 and 30 stayed until the hearing and determination thereof.

Dated February 18th, 1920.

County Board of Marshall County, Minnesota.

By,
A. N. LODOEN.
O. ENGE.
OLE TORGERSON.
A. S. ROKKE.
CARL T. OLSON.
County Commissioners.
CAROLINE L. OLSON.
JULIUS J. OLSON.
A. N. ECKSTROM.
A. N. LODOEN.
m4-11-18

Notice of Sale.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, (A Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. Bertha Giller, Maurice Giller, Beatrice A. Giller, and John P. Galbraith, as trustee of Maurice Giller Estate in Bankruptcy, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of a certified transcript of the judgment in the above entitled action duly delivered to the undersigned sheriff and now in my hands, which said judgment was duly entered in said Court in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, Maurice Giller, Bertha Giller and Beatrice A. Giller on the 17th day of February, 1920, for the total sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Sixteen and 43-100 Dollars, and which said judgment orders and decrees, among other things, a sale by the undersigned Sheriff of the said County, of the following described real estate in one parcel to satisfy or apply upon the said judgment, viz:

Thirty six feet East of the West fifty feet, and West of the East Fifty Four feet of Lots One, Two, Three and Four in Block Thirty of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls in Pennington County, Minn.

Now, Therefore, Pursuant to the said Judgment, the undersigned Sheriff will, on Saturday the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Front Door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the real estate above described, and all of the right, title and interest of each and all the above named Defendants therein, except the right to redeem as provided by law, to satisfy or apply on said Judgment so entered, together with all accruing costs of sale and interest on the said Judgment from and after the 17th day of February, 1920, at six per cent per annum, subject to redemption within one year after the date of the order of the said Court confirming the said sale as provided by law.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 24th day of February, 1920.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff.
Pennington County, Minn.

J. M. BISHOP,
WM. J. BROWN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
f26-m-4-11-18-25-a1

Notice to Property Owners Within The Proposed Paving District.

Notice is Hereby Given, to all property owners whose property is liable to be assessed for the improvements hereinafter described, to be present at a meeting of the city council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to be held at the council chambers, in said city, on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1920, at 8 o'clock P. M., at which meeting the Council will vote on the adoption of a resolution for the paving of the following streets and alleys of said City, to-wit:

Main Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks, North to the intersection of Sixth Street.

Horace Avenue, from First Street North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

LaBree Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

First Street, from the Red Lake River West to Knight Avenue.

Second Street, from Atlantic Avenue West to Knight Avenue.

Third Street, from the railroad tracks of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, West to Knight Avenue.

The alley between Horace Avenue and LaBree Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street.

The alley between LaBree Avenue and Main Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street.

Such paving improvements being more particularly described in and by the plans and specifications thereof now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City.

Notice is further given, that all property abutting upon said streets and alleys, is liable to be assessed for said paving improvements, if the same is made, and the owners of such property, to-wit:

Sven Svenson, R. McGinn, M. C. Harlow, Ole Flattum, Presbyterian Parsonage, Twentieth Century Church, Eveline J. Oen, M. V. Evenson, Geo. G. Williams, Arthur E. Preston, A. C. Rasmusson, E. O. Gullingsrud, Edward Schultz, Maude G. Mabey, Florence Christianson, Ole O. Nyhus, John O. Aos, Martin Benson, H. K. Strand, Gilbert Sandum, Mrs. Anna Sheely, Estate and heirs of A. S. Aines, T. O. Mannum, John L. Bean, Estate and Heirs of Ole Simonson, C. M. Evenson, Anna Moran, Charles Gustafson, Christ Gulrud, Carrie Rasmusson, L. Westlin, T. K. Dahl, First and Peoples State Bank, Inga Berg, W. F. Tank, O. A. Loken, M. K. Bakkedal, Louis DeCremer, Jacob Borry, Perl W. Mabey, Barbara Eastman, F. J. Pfeffer, H. M. Hicks, F. J. Stebbins, Northern Lodge 236, A. F. & A. M., Ed. Lee, Lillian Way, Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., Goodnow Torrison, Larson Furniture Co., Carl B. Larson, County of Pennington, Charles Fiterman, F. H. Wellcome, M. O. Hunt, Hamm Brewing Co., George Newberry, J. A. Abraham, Robert Cochran, George Leimers, M. P. Hunt, Nortz Lumber Co., C. A. Dosland, George Diebel, Frank Mousley, John J. Aga, Peoples Auto Co., G. C. Streeter, Thos. H. Smith, J. M. Bishop, John Myrland, W. E. Baker, O. E. Jensen, Olga Seeward, Anna Kretzschmar, Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, Mary Rouleau, H. W. Barlow, Lars J. Skromme, H. J. Holden, John Ward, Estate and Heirs of W. J. Gray, Julius Krentz, Empire Farms Co., Julia T. Mead, N. Swanson, John Oftedahl, H. N. Hager, Mrs. Fred Roth, Christ Amundson, Fred Ewing, Tupper Estate, W. W. Prichard, Jr., Annetta L. Dalquist, Thief River Co-Operative Building Co., Julian Provencher, Rasmus Oen, Carl Froseth, Estate and Heirs of Fred Roth, Bertha Giller, First National Bank of Thief River Falls, L. P. Christianson, Betsey Miller, Roy Morgan, Cecil L. Sheedy, Carl G. Hillard, Young Pine Lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F., Bessie K. Hamre, Gopher Real Estate Co., Olaf Neset, Elias Roiland, A. S. Lieberman, Kiewel Brewing Co., F. J. Dudley, Mary McGinn, Nellie Sweeney, H. A. Brumund, James Meehan, Peter Eberhart, Math Barzen, W. A. Bishop, M. C. Harlow, J. J. Vorachek, H. O. Hanson, Peter Quando, G. Heileman Brewing Co., George Leimers, Chas. W. Plain, Joseph Johnson, Lulu D. Halvorson, Anna Amon, George Diebel, Bernhard Knudsen, O. N. Olson, Lucy Grundy, Evangelical Swedish Lutheran Church, Halvor A. Loken, Louis Kruse, Oluf Tessum, W. W. Prichard, Sr., Oen Mercantile Co., Sophia Kratka, Marit Hansen, Joseph Weirus, A. D. Halseth, Queen City Bottling Works, J. J. Vorachek, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., Trinity Lutheran Church of Thief River Falls, Knut K. Haugen, H. O. Lorum, Anna Kretzschmar, Fred Haug, Wm. H. Sponheim, Prichard Stone Co., Joseph E. Schmotzer, Ole Sandness, K. A. Sundahl, A. B. Remmem, Hanna Prestebak, Estate and Heirs of D. Cavanaugh, O. N. Lawson, Thief River Grocery Co., Michael Burns, M. McFarland, Olaf Ramstad, T. L. Melgaard, and all other persons, or corporations, owning property abutting upon said streets and alleys, so proposed to be paved, are hereby notified to be present at the meeting of the City Council, at the time and place aforesaid, at which meeting the City Council will, prior to voting on the adoption of the aforesaid resolution, hear all arguments for or against, and all objections to, the proposed paving improvements hereinbefore described.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 26th day of February, A. D. 1920.

By Direction of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Leonard Peterson;

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 11th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated March 5, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
m11-18-25

Notice of Special Election.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in Independent School District No. Eighteen of Pennington county, at the Auditorium, on the 30th day of March, 1920, from 7 P. M., to 9 P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said district in the aggregate sum of $135,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose: Erection of school building, Knox Addition; and to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated March 10, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk of Independent School District No. 18.
m11-18-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent.

Letters of administration on February 16th, 1920 having been granted to William C. Craft;

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 10th day of June, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the city of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated March 3rd, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney.
m11-18-25

BANK NO. 1135
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Goodridge State Bank

GOODRIDGE, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$118,772.69
Overdrafts			695.05
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			650.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			6,750.00
Other Real Estate			500.00
Due from other Banks		$ 8,129.73	
Cash on Hand		4,408.84	
Currency	$3,571.00		
Gold	480.00		
Silver	258.25		
Other	99.59		
Total Cash Assets			12,538.57
Checks and Cash Items			624.00
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			1,286.71
TOTAL			$141,817.02

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		6,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		31.42
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 39,641.71	
Cashier's Checks	3,971.49	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 43,613.20	
Time Certificates	82,172.40	
Total Deposits	$125,785.60	125,785.60
TOTAL		$141,817.02
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 13,162.57
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		9,342.30

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, H. S. Dahlen, President and J. P. Jensen, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. S. DAHLEN, President.
J. P. JENSEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
H. S. DAHLEN.
HALVOR LOKEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1920.
(SEAL.) THEO. M. THRONSON,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires Sept. 11, 1925.

BANK NO. 1015.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers State Bank

OF GOODRIDGE, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 28, 1920.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$147,455.83
Overdrafts			658.00
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			300.67
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			6,645.00
Other Real Estate			413.22
Checks and Drafts in Transit			476.71
Due from other Banks		$ 7,469.54	
Cash on Hand		2,351.56	
Currency	$1,797.00		
Gold	30.00		
Silver	432.95		
Other	91.61		
Total Cash Assets		9,821.10	9,821.10
Checks and Cash Items			888.94
TOTAL			$166,659.97

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		3,018.73
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		10,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 55,835.40	
Cashier's Checks	2,102.13	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 57,937.53	
Savings Deposits	243.97	
Time Certificates	83,459.74	
Total Deposits	$141,641.24	141,641.24
TOTAL		$166,659.97
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 11,180.78
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		11,137.69

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, J. M. Bishop, President and Nick Bundlund, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. M. BISHOP, President.
NICK BUNDHUND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
M. G. THORESON.
JAY PAYNE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, 1920.
(SEAL.) H. B. ROCKNE,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires March 10, 1923.

I Owe My Life to PE-RU-NA

Mr. McKinley's letter brings cheer to all who may be sufferers as he was. Read it:

"I can honestly say that I owe my life to Peruna. After some of the best doctors in the country gave me up and told me I could not live another month, Peruna saved me. Traveling from town to town, throughout the country and having to go into all kinds of badly heated stores and buildings, sometimes standing up for hours at a time while plying my trade as auctioneer, it is only natural that I had colds frequently, so when this would occur I paid little attention to it, until last December when I contracted a severe case, which, through neglect on my part settled on my lungs. When almost too late, I began doctoring, but without avail, until I heard of Peruna. It cured me; so I cannot praise it too highly."

It Cured Me

Mr. Samuel McKinley, 2504 E. 22nd St., Kansas City, Mo., Member of the Society of U. S. Jewelry Auctioneers.

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WHEN you are ready to buy your spring hat remember that the little effort spent in selecting the right hat is worth while

The Lanpher is *always* the right hat

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Discounting Canadian Coin.

For the first time in many years the banks of the country are discounting Canadian coins. Last Friday the local banking houses notified all their patrons that hereafter a discount of 20 per cent would be charged on all such money coming in. There has been a similar discount on Canadian currency for some time.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to the kind friends and neighbors who assisted us at the time of the death and at the funeral of our baby. Particularly are we grateful to the employes of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery and others for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Waag. m18p

The Times, $2.00 per year.

Times Want Ads.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 59tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief iver Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 8-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Lot in Porter's Addition. Write Otto F. Wendt, 1422 Front St. Fargo, N. D. 62p

FOR SALE—No. 1 Midland hay $19 per ton loaded car lots at Henning, Minn.—G. S. Kibby, 616 Plymouth Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 64

FOR SALE—7-room house. Inquire 811 Knight Ave. N. 65

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—One residence, one story high, 4 rooms, 50-ft. frontage, located on Main street of Karlstad; plenty of good water, electric lights. Plan suitable for residence; also good business location for watchmaking, millinery, attorney's office or drug store. For prices and terms write or see Edward Liljevall, Karlstad, Minn. 63

FOR SALE—Twenty hens and one rooster. White Leghorns.—H. M. Hicks. 62

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberries, $3.00 per 100. Call for plants at planting time upstairs over Palace Clothing Store, Miss Alvina Lautenbach. 62tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good Boat. Will hold seven passengers comfortably.—524 Riverside. Telephone 353. 62

FOR SALE—10 acres rich land all under cultivation, close to town. Inquire of C. Arneson, First house north of Round House. 62p

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage. Splendid lot at 617 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 320. 60tf

FOR SALE—1 Cleveland Cletrac tractor; 1 four wheeled auto trailer; 1 player piano. W. E. Baker. 59tf

FOR SALE—2 lots and small house, on Knight Ave. N. and 6th St. A bargain. Dave Gustafson. 59tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.25; 150 bu. seed barley, $2 per bu. 4 cows coming in between Apr. 1 and June 1. Four 2-year-old heifers. Frank Svobodny, Germantown Rt. 1, City, or call at Stop 7, Electric Line. 60tf

FOR SALE—One John Deere 12-in. triple horse plow in fine shape. Price $95—a snap. Five second hand cream separators; one second hand wagon, new last summer. $60. Two sulky plows, price $20 each. One double burr mill in good shape, $15. One pair bobs, 7-ft. runners, McLain knees, $43. Cost price. N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 60tf

FOR SALE—Very desirable residence property on Markely Ave. Modern except heat. Price and terms reasonable. W. B. Fuller. 62

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—Seven room house and two lots with auto shed 18x20 for sale cheap. 420 Horace Ave. N. 64p

FOR SALE—I have 950 acres of land in Beltrami county to sell in a lump or in separate lots. Who wants it? Write to Dr. P. C. Pilon, Paynesville, Minn. 64p

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 311 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—2½ acres of land with 5 room house, full basement and large cistern. Barn 14x18; chicken house 16x22; garage; some apple and plum trees, currants, gooseberries, raspberries, strawberries; all fenced with woven wire. Park addition to Thief River Falls. Anton Peterson. 63p

FOR SALE—150 buhels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—240 acres, Marshall Co., about 30 miles from Thief River Falls, must be sold at once. Owner died from flu. 160 acres cleared and ready for seeding. A first crop of flax will more than pay for land. $2300 cash will close deal. Balance easy terms. L. E. Johnson & Co., Wanamingo, Minnesota. 62p

FOR SALE—160 acres, Marshall Co., about 30 miles from Thief River Falls, for quick sale, subject to 1-3 crop lease. Tenant has part in winter rye, balance to be seeded to flax. $2600 cash will close deal. Easy terms on remainder. L. E. Johnson & Co., Wanamingo, Minnesota. 62p

FOR SALE—One Waterloo Boy tractor 12-24 H. P., in good condition John L. Magnuson, 604 Arnold Ave. N., or call at Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co. 65p

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave. Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Lelmers. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles norhtwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—White Russian seed oats, raised on new land from clean seed and 1 stack clover hay; some wild hay.—August N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn., R. 1. 62p

FOR SALE—Fresh Guernsey cow. Mrs. Alfred Morini, 3 miles west and 2 miles north of of Thief River Falls. 62p

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of City. 63p

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—House, 6 room, cellar, barn, water, 2 acres land, in Zeh's addition.—Sven P. Anderson, owner. 63p

Mr. Bargain Hunter.

I have several hundred acres of improved and unimproved land from 2 to 6 miles of Plummer, Oklee and other Red Lake county towns. Good markets, schools, creameries, roads, wood and water. Deal direct with owner and save middle man's profit.

R. H. BOURDON,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

ILLINOIS FARM TO EXCHANGE for land in Minnesota. Well improved. 234½ acres. Located only five miles from town. Climate warm, plenty of sunshine and fruit.—W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 62

AS I HAVE DECIDED TO QUIT farming I will trade my quarter section farm for property in town. Farm located on Section 29, 5¼ miles north of Goodridge in Marshall county. Write Peter Belanger, Goodridge, Minn. 64p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

FARM FOR RENT—Sale or lease, 9 miles from Thief River Falls.—H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Neb. 58tf

FOR RENT—My place at 214 Tindolph Avenue south. Ed. O'Hara, Rt. 1, Newfolden, Minn. 62tf

FOR RENT—160 acres with good buildings; near market. Call at office of John Bratrud. 61tf

FOR RENT—SW¼ section 26, Silverton township; all under cultivation. One of the best set of buildings in the country. 100 acres plowed, ready for crop.—W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 62

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

FOR RENT—80-acre farm 4 miles south of city. Enquire of P. A. Boe. Phone 4834. 62p

FOR RENT—On crop shares, the following farms: Quarter three miles from Mavie on State road and ditch. Ninety acres field, 50 plowed for crop. Quarter 1½ miles from Mavie, all grass. Want 80 or more broken and cropped this season. Quarter at Germantown, 30 broken and flaxed last season. Would like 50 or more broken and cropped this year. Write at once. A good proposition.—A. M. Wise, box 493, Appleton, Minn. 64p

Help Wanted—Male

SALESMEN WANTED—To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Victor Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 62p

YOUNG MEN—17 upward, desiring Railway Mail clerkships, $110 month. Write for free particulars, examinations.—J. Leonard, (former Government Examiner), 276 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 64p

WANTED—Good dry hand milker to assist herdsman in advanced registry official work. Good opportunity to learn the business.—P. Frost Spaulding Farm Co., Warren, Minnesota. 63

WANTED—About April 1st, several good men to work on farm. Also kitchen help. Steady job. A. Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 66

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl wanted for housework.—409 Knight Ave. North. 62

LADY COOK WANTED—On farm for season.—Mike Driscoll, R. 3, East Grand Forks, Minn. Phone 32-F-14. 62p

WANTED—A woman for general work. Good wages to right party. Must be able to give reference. Address F. E. Brewster, Box 134, Hope, N. D. 62

GIRL WANTED ON FARM—Washing and churning done by electricity. State wages wanted in letter.—P. F. Kelly, R. F. D. St. Thomas, N. D. 65pd

MISCELLANEOUS

HAVE LAYERS, NOT LOAFERS. Anconas are the world's best today. Eggs for sale at $2.50 per 15. Also Partridge Cochins and White Breasted Black Polish.—Ben Kruse, 424 Red Lake Blvd. 66p

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand light saw mill. State price and condition in first letter.—Martin Olson, R. 1, Erskine, Minn. 64pd

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HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

Dressmaking Wanted

At the residence of John Christenson 525 1st. St. Two blocks west of high school. Telephone 6072. 68p

WANTED—To buy a second hand Fordson tractor. State price and condition of tractor in first letter. Address The Times. 62p

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOUSE, a flat or a duplex, or a farm, see M. V. Evenson, 424 LaBree Ave. Phone 68. 60tf

DRESSMAKING—By day or at home. 501 River side Ave. Tel. 4112. 61p

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.41
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.36
Oats	.78
Flax	4.85
Barley	1.30
Rye	1.56
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.40
Bran	2.75
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.20
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.25
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.60
Baled Hay, cwt.	1.35
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	15-16
Geese, alive, per lb	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.22
Spring Chickens	.18
Ducks	.16
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.45
Dairy Butter	.55
Creamery Butter	.67
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	5-7
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	16-17
Veal, dressed, per lb	12-15
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.20
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	8-10
Steers, per lb	6-7
Calves, per lb	6-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb	10-12

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Having decided to quit farming, I will sell the following personal property at public auction on the SW¼ of Section 35, Town of Kratka, 10 miles east of Hazel and 5 miles southeast of Highlanding on the State Highway, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 27

MACHINERY
- 1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut
- 1 John Deere gang plow, 14-in.
- 1 Breaking attachment for above
- 1 John Deere Sulky plow, 16-in.
- 1 Minnesota mower
- 1 McCormick hay rake
- 1 New John Deere disc, 8-ft.
- 1 Wooden drag, 4-horse
- 1 Steel drag, 4-horse
- 1 New Emerson corn cultivator
- 1 Mandt wagon, good as new
- 1 Bushwood wagon, good as new
- 1 Light wagon with box
- 1 Bob sleigh with 7-ft. runners
- 1 Ford Auto, 1918 model
- 1 Nutan fanning mill
- 1 Butterfly cream separator
- 1 Cutter
- 1 Light sleigh with box

LIVESTOCK
- 1 Gray horse, 9 years, wt. 1400 lbs.
- 1 Black mare, 8 years, wt. 1400 lbs.
- 1 Black mare, 6 years, wt. 1250 lbs.
- 1 Black horse, 12 years, wt. 1250 lbs.
- 1 Black horse, 4 years, wt. 1400 lbs.
- 1 Red cow, 7 years, fresh now
- 1 Red cow, 5 years old, fresh now
- 1 Red cow, 5 years old, fresh in May
- 1 Red cow, 8 years old, fresh in May
- 1 Red cow, 5 yrs. old, fresh in April
- 1 Red cow, 3 years old, fresh in Apr.
- 1 Red cow, 3 years old, fresh soon
- 1 Red cow, 3 years old, fresh soon
- 1 Red and white cow, 3 yrs old, fresh soon
- 1 Red cow, 3 years old, fresh soon
- 1 Red heifer, 2 years old
- 1 Red and white heifer, 2 yrs old
- 2 Red bulls, 2 years old
- 5 Calves, 1 year old
- 35 Chickens

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ETC.
- Some blacksmith tools
- 1 hay rake 16-ft.
- 1 Flax attachment
- 2 Sets of working harness
- 1 Set of driving harness
- 1 Set of harness
- 1 Iron bed
- 1 Spring
- 1 Mattress
- 1 Dining table
- 5 Steel chairs
- 1 Cream can
- 1 Cupboard
- 1 Saddle
- 1 horsehide robe
- Some hay
- Some other household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

SALE STARTS AT 10 A. M. FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount time will be given until November 1, 1920, on approved bankable papers.

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38 GRADE DAIRY CATTLE 38
20 GRADE SHROPSHIRE EWES 20
At Public Auction
MONDAY, APRIL 5

Having decided to breed only purebred Guernsey cattle, I will offer for sale at public auction my entire herd of grade Guernsey cattle. (Also eleven (11) head of grade Guernseys by Mr. Sterns.) Sale will start promptly at 12:30 at the old Peter Bakken farm, one mile south of Thief River Falls.

TUBERCULIN TESTED
- 20 Head of mature cows in all stages of lactation. Several fresh. Several to freshen soon.
- 15 Heifers to freshen this spring and summer.
- 1 Heifer calf, 6 months old
- 3 Grade bull calves, 4, 5, and 8 wks. old

SHEEP
- 20 Grade Shropshire ewes, bred, to lamb in May, to the champion 2-year-old ram, Minnesota State Fair, 1919.
- 1 Purebred (not registered) Berkshire sow to farrow soon.

MACHINERY
- 1 McCormick binder
- 1 Corn cutter and silo filler
- 1 Potato cutter
- 1 Potato sprayer, 5-row
- 2 Cream separators
- 1 Empire milking machine good as new
- 1 Top single buggy
- 1 Open single buggy
- Other articles too numerous to mention.

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The New PrincesS

Friday
The new Screen Sensation
BUCK JONES
In
"THE LAST STRAW"
Century Comedy
Coming: "OLD KENTUCKY"

Saturday
WILLIAM DESMOND
In
"WHITEWASHED WALLS"
And a Mack Sennett Comedy
Matinee: 2:30.
Coming: "OLD KENTUCKY"

Sunday and Monday
JACK PICKFORD
In
"IN WRONG"
Sunshine Comedy
Matinee Sunday: 2:30
Coming: "OLD KENTUCKY"

The Lyceum

Saturday
PAULINE FREDERICK
In
"WOMAN ON THE INDEX"
Smiling Bill Parson Comedy
Coming: "OLD KENTUCKY"

The Lyceum
Special Sunday and Monday

Scene From "Auction of Souls"

SEE
Aurora Mardiganian
herself in
"The Auction of Souls"
And a Kinogram. Matinee 2:30

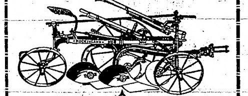

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BOND ELECTION TO PROVIDE NEW SCHOOL TUESDAY

SOMETHING MUST AT ONCE BE DONE TO RELIEVE EAST SIDE

PUPILS' HEALTH AND GENERAL WELFARE DEMAND IMPROVED CONDITIONS

PEOPLE HAVE NEVER YET FAILED TO RESPOND TO DEMAND OF SCHOOLS

There is to be a special school election next Tuesday to vote $135,000 bonds for a new building for the East Side. The crowded condition prevailing in the Knox school makes it necessary that something be done.

There are at present six grades on the East Side. The second and fourth each have two teachers, leaving the first, third, fifth and sixth with but one. There are just as many children in the first, third, fifth and sixth grades as there are in the second and fourth.

The fewer pupils a teacher has the more individual attention can be given and the more thorough will be the education.

Poor Ventilating System.

Attention might be called to other conditions in the Knox school. The superintendent's office compiled accurate figures during the flu epidemic this winter. The strange fact was revealed that buildings which had the fan ventilation had the highest percentage of attendance and the buildings which had no fan ventilation had the lowest percentages of attendance. The Northrup, with its fan ventilation, had an attendance of 65.1% during the week of the flu epidemic and the Knox had an attendance of only 50.7%. This would seem to show that the fan ventilation had considerable to do with the health of the children. Ventilation in the present Knox building is the poorest in the city.

Improved Kindergarten.

Kindergartens are being established very rapidly all over the United States. This is coming to be recognized as one of the most important features of the whole school curriculum. The kindergarten in the Knox building has been shoved into odd corners and places, but the new building will provide ample room for it. There is also no povision made for the seventh and eighth grades on the East Side. If the building can be built large enough there will be room for the grades also in the Knox.

The people of the East Side have always been generous in voting school money. The last sum asked for was for the Northrup building and the East Side people voted heartily in favor of it. Now, as they need a new building themselves, Thief River Falls is not going to turn them down. The East Side needs a new building and everybody should vote in favor of giving them one.

Vote yes for the bonds next Tuesday.

Wholesale Quarters Secured For Bakery

M. L. SWANSON WILL SEPARATE THIS BRANCH FROM RETAIL DEPARTMENT

A lease covering a term of years was this week entered into between M. C. Burns, agent for the owners of the Meehan block, and M. L. Swanson of the City Bakery, whereby the latter will take over the quarters now occupied by the C. C. Swartz cigar factory and Laird's Specialty Shop and use them for the wholesale department of his business. A bake-oven, the foundation of which will extend to the basement floor, will be installed in the rear while the front section will be devoted to packing and shipping.

The space now used as a bakery plant in the rear of the retail store on LaBree avenue will be converted into a modern candy factory, containing all the latest machinery and equipment for turning out goods of the highest grade.

The business of the concern has grown to such proportions that larger quarters were necessary in order to properly care for it, the fame of "Mother's Bread," which is a product of the factory, extending all over this section of the state.

Laird's Specialty Shop will probably move into the quarters now occupied by the Salvation Army, in the same building, while Mr. Swartz has not yet decided upon a location.

Kick on Incinerator.

People residing in the neighborhood of the city incinerating plant have notified the council that the institution is a nuisance and that it should be moved to some other locality. The city dads can hardly see their way clear to comply with this unusual request but have given orders that nothing of an objectionable character shall be dumped on the ground near the plant and that all refuse must be disposed of by burning as soon as received. Persons who take it upon themselves to haul garbage and leave it where it may become a public nuisance will be dealt with as in the laws of the city provided.

Elect New Officers.

At a meeting of the directors of the Thief River Falls Merchant's association held this week the following were elected as officers for the ensuing year: Gynther Tessum, president; W. W. Prichard, Jr., second vice president; Carl Christofferson, treasurer; G. Howad Smith, secretary.

Securing Seed Grain.

W. B. Fuller of the Hanson & Barzen Milling company is in Canada this week for the purpose of buying seed wheat for the farmers of this neighborhood. Ever since it became known that the native stock was low in germination a special effort has been made to get a supply sufficient to meet the demand. Besides the Canadian grain a considerable quantity will be shipped in from southern Minnesota and South Dakota.

Paving Bids Called For; Opened May 4

COUNCIL HEARS ARGUMENTS AND DECIDES TO GO AHEAD WITH WORK

Bids for paving the streets and alleys in the business section of Thief River Falls will be opened by the city council on May 4. The Bradley Engineering Service, in charge of the work, will shortly publish the formal advertisement setting forth requirements.

The city council decided to go ahead and ask for bids after hearing the views of the property owners along the line of the proposed improvement last Thursday evening. The majority of those present were opposed to the city's engaging upon this enterprise during the coming summer, giving as their principal reason that the streets would not be in shape to have pavement laid for another year at least owing to the many excavations necessary in order to place the water and sewer connections in the proper condition. It was maintained by the objectors that the filling in the trenches will settle, leaving the pavement without a solid foundation to rest on.

Among the business men present who urged delay were M. V. Evenson, Julien Provencher, A. B. Remmem, Oluf Tessum, C. M. Evenson, Rasmus Oen, John Vorachek, T. L. Melgaard and M. C. Burns. A. S. Sapero and G. W. Connel, the latter representing the Winton-Nichols Lumber company, spoke in favor of going ahead with the work.

The council will make no definite decision in the matter until after the bids are received.

Will Call Reserves to Keep the Peace

EXPECT TROUBLE AT BASKETBALL GAME BETWEEN H. S. FACULTY AND TEAM

Extra precautions will be taken to keep down the death roll when the high school basketball team meets a quintet made up of faculty members at the auditorium this evening. The youngsters are determined to show their instructors that there is one field of endeavor in which they are absolutely the superiors and it is certain that their opponents will not meekly submit to any such exhibition.

The faculty team is made up of men who have at one time or another made their marks as basket shooters, and are fully convinced that they still understand enough about the game to show the youngsters where to head in. Supt. Ziegler is on the team, as is also Schold, Tripp, Melby, Pope and Tommeraasen. The latter has coached the high school bunch during the season and may be ruled out as knowing too much about their style of play. Only one extra man has been provided which goes to prove that most of the staff expects to stay through the entire game.

This contest is going to furnish lots of fun and will provide a fitting windup to a most successful season.

Assist in Making Budget Estimate

At a meeting of the commercial club held last evening for the purpose of hearing the report of the committee appointed to find ways and means of financing the club, it was found that approximately $500 besides the usual membership dues, had been pledged. This was regarded as a very good start and there is now no question but that the $1,200 needed will be secured. A committee composed of E. O. Mogensen, F. J. Stebbins, C. S. Simonson, W. A. Hall, Gynther Tessum and A. S. Sapero was appointed to continue the work of solicitation.

Those who have to date signified their willingness to contribute toward making up the budget of the club together with the sums pledged by each, are as follows:

First National Bank	$150
The Prichard Co.	75
The Tessum Co.	75
Loken Brothers	50
A. M. Langseth	25
C. S. Simonson	25
E. O. Mogensen	25
John Bratrud	25
Hall Brothers	15
W. H. Frederick	15
F. J. Stebbins	15

Business Men Will Raise $2000 to Further Sugar Beet Experiments

Members of the Thief River Falls commercial club last evening pledged themselves to raise $2,000 for the purpose of carryin on experiments in the raising of sugar beets. It was decided to form a pool in which 40 men would each pledge $50 toward the cost of planting and caring for sugar beet plots within a radius of three miles of the city.

Laboratory tests having determined that beets of unusual saccharine content can be raised in this immediate neighborhood, interest in the culture of the vegetable has grown keen. The Minnesota Sugar company has undertaken to furnish seed and labor for a number of farmers who wish to make limited experiments, but the club members believe the matter of sufficient importance to warrant a more extensive investigation.

Those present at the meeting who went on record as willing to join the pool are as follows: John B. Connor, W. H. Frederick, C. L. Hansen, H. O. Loken, F. J. Stebbins, H. W. Protzeller, R. B. McWilliams, S. C. Coumbe, E. O. Mogensen, C. S. Simonson, John Bratrud and W. W. Prichard, Jr. Daniel Shaw offered to contribute $100 toward the success of the undertaking or give the free use of 10 acres of land. Oluf Tessum will put in five acres himself and furnish ten acres additional for free use. W. W. Prichard, Sr., and C. L. Hansen will each contribute five acres for free use and Math Barzen will plant six acres on his own hook.

J. B. Connor, W. H. Frederick and W. W. Prichard, Jr., were appointed a committee to run the number of contributors up to 40, each pledging $50, which will provide the required $2,000. It is figured that it will cost $40 to properly look after an acre of sugar beets while the net return is figured at $60 an acre.

DELEGATES PLAY IMPORTANT ROLE AT STATE MEET

PENNINGTON COUNTY GIVEN CREDIT FOR MRS. FOSSEEN'S NOMINATION

PLAN OF SLATE-MAKERS UPSET BY ACTION OF W. J. BROWN

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE SENDS LETTER EXPRESSING HER APPRECIATION

At the state convention at St. Paul held last week the Pennington county delegation started the movement that opened the way for the nomination of Mrs. Manley Fosseen of Minneapolis as delegate at large to the national convention at Chicago. A sufficient number of state delegates had apparently made a slate to elect certain men as delegates at large without any recognition of the Republican women of the State. Nominations were being made and it was proposed that each delegation present vote for four candidates. If this plan hal been followed out the slate prepared for the convention would have gone through without a break.

> **LETTER OF APPRECIATION**
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> Mr. W. J. Brown, Thief River Falls, Minn. My dear Mr. Brown:—I certainly want to express to you my most sincere appreciation for the loyal support tendered me at the State Convention. Aside from the great personal feeling which I have, the things that loom up is the triumphal testimony of the faith of Minnesota men in the feminine electorate, and by your "action" you made it a historical event. It will always be a matter of pride to Minnesota that at its first joint convention, the women were given full recognition.
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> I want you to express to your delegation my greatest appreciation of the personal recognition and support and also for the State organization of women which has placed them in politics, in full recognition of their privileges and responsibilities. I am Yours sincerely, Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen.

Brown Upsets Plan.

It was at this time that W. J. Brown of this city made the motion in the interests of Mrs. Fosseen. He moved that the convention proceed immediately to elect her as delegate-at-large by acclamation. He asked the delegates to support this motion, stating that it was time for the Republicans to make good on their promise to the women of the state. This put the convention in an uproar. The slatemakers saw their carefully prepared plan going to pieces. The chairman, Senator A. J. Rockne, put the motion and declared it lost, but the enthusiasm for Mrs. Fosseen would not down.

The Others Withdraw.

W. A. Nolan of Grand Meadow withdrew his candidate in favor of Mrs. Fosseen. Miss Rogers of St. Paul, who had been nominated, immediately withdrew. Senator George Sullivan of Stillwater, dropped out in favor of Mrs. Fosseen. Chairman of county delegations all over the house were fighting for an opportunity to climb onto the Fosseen band wagon. The motion was renewed and carried with a roar.

The action taken by Mr. Brown in the convention had the enthusiastic support of the entire Pennington county delegation.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The next regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, April 5. There being five Mondays in March three weeks will elapse between meetings at this time instead of two as usual.

BANKERS READY TO ASSIST IN SUPPLYING SEED

MORE THAN THE $100,000 ALLOTTED BY STATE WILL BE NEEDED

APPLICANTS FURNISHED WITH PROPER BLANKS THROUGH THE BANKS

SEED WILL BE SECURED FROM LOCAL ELEVATORS WHERE POSSIBLE

Seed grain applications made to the county agents of Pennington, Marshall and Roseau counties were distributed among the various bankers of these counties who were present Tuesday night at the special meeting called by Appraiser Scott Laird in the commercial club rooms in this city.

These applications, together with those of Beltrami and Koochiching counties, had been tabulated and it was found that considerably more than $100,000 had been asked in the way of the five seed grains comprising wheat, oats, barley, rye and flax. This means that the lists will have to be pruned considerably to keep within the appropriation of $100,000 made by the state board of relief last week. Especially is this true in view of the fact that applications for seed grain are still coming in, and it is believed that others may yet be heard from who may wish to secure their seed grain from this source.

Will Act as Agent.

The bankers were asked to take the blanks home, get in touch immediately with the applicants and ascertain just how much seed they would be willing to sign up for on a seed grain note. The bankers will then order from their local elevators the required amount and superintend the distribution thereof. The list of applicants will be thoroughly scrutinized and only such as are entitled to assistance under the state regulations will be permitted to secure the seed at the low rate of interest. Others will have to deal with the banks or with their neighbors.

It is hoped that on the receipt of the specially prepared seed grain notes next Monday a few deliveries of seed grain may be made and that each day thereafter will see quite a volume turned over to the farmers of this section.

50,000 Bushels Applied For.

Mr. Laird states that to date applications for the following amounts of grain of different varieties have been received at his office: Oats, 26,000 bushels; barley, 9,000; rye, 5,000; wheat, 5,000; flax, 4,000.

Local bankers are giving their every effort toward helping out those who will have difficulty in securing seed. The movement was started in this city and has received support from all nearby communities. The prices fixed by the state for seed are as follows: Wheat, $4.00; oats, $1.50; flax, $6.00; barley, $2.00; rye, $2.50.

School Board Raises Salaries of Teachers

INSTRUCTORS IN HIGH SCHOOL AND GRADES WILL RECEIVE INCREASE

The school board of District No. 18 has decided to increase the wages of all teachers now employed, thus conforming to the recommendations of the state educational authorities and acting in harmony with every other board in the state. Grade teachers will hereafter receive salaries ranging from $120 to $140 per month, depending upon length of service and nature of work. High school teachers will not be increased in any definite sum but the minimum has been placed at $140.

At a meeting of school officials to be held in St. Paul next week it will be proposed that these wages be made uniform throughout the state.

Bought For Himself.

In the account of the purchase of 1400 acres of land near Goodridge last week The Times stated that G. M. Wilson of Chicago secured the property for R. P. and Allan Turnbull of Missouri. This was not strictly correct. Mr. Wilson bought the property for himself and will be the sole owner, while the Turnbulls will act as his managers and be in charge of actual farm operations. Credit for making this deal should go principally to Andy Solberg of this city, acting with G. L. Peterson of Illinois. Mr. Solberg conducted the negotiations throughout and had the land on his list for some time previous to the closing of the deal. He states that he has others of almost as great importance pending and that a number of unusual transactions may be looked for in the same region before the summer is over.

Conservancy District Officers Are Selected

FIRST IMPORTANT HEARING WILL BE AT WARREN ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31

The organization meeting of the directors of the Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy district was held in this city on Tuesday. All members were present, as follows: C. G. Selvig, Crookston; Andrew Johnson, Clearbrook; Ed Aubol, St. Hilaire; William Paskewitz, Grygla; Axel Nelson, Holt.

Mr. Selvig was elected president and Adolf Eklund, clerk of court of Pennington county, clerk. W. J. Brown of Thief River Falls was continued in the post of attorney, he having been identified closely with the movement since its inception. No selection for treasurer was made but the unanimous verdict of the board members favored Sam Hunt of Red Lake Falls, who will undoubtedly be accorded the post.

The board will have a hearing at Warren on March 31 at which time the petition of the people residing in the northeast portion of Marshall county will be be heard. They ask that the drainage undertaken in their district be with the view of converting the surplus waters to a point in Thief river where the stream crosses the Pennington-Marshall county line. The board has secured the services of State Engineer E. V. Willard for the purpose of taking the levels in this district and his findings will be presented at the Warren meeting.

Every action taken by the board at its first meeting was by unanimous vote.

Home Talent Plays Season's Best Game

LEGION BASKETBALL TEAM DEFEATS HIGH SCHOOL BY AN EYEBROW

For brilliant, snappy, consistent work no basketball game played in the city this season has been the equal of the contest between the teams of Elmer J. Eklund post and the local high school. The contest was staged at the auditorium on Tuesday evening and not until the referee had sounded the final whistle could anyone tell which would be the victor. The score stood 30 to 20 in favor of the soldiers at the windup.

The legionaries were the heavier team and played with speed and confidence throughout, but their fast, resourceful opponents kept them so busy that every basket made was earned. The crowd was in a high state of excitement all through the contest and gave vent to its feelings whenever an opportunity arose. It was a clean game and fought to a finish.

Thereon closes the season with a record for the legion of six games won out of 10 played. The high school has won nine and lost five with the decision in one still disputed. It has been a very successful season and the teams representing Thief River Falls have acquitted themselves with credit.

Storm Sewer Ordinance.

An ordinance providing for the establishment of storm sewer district No. 1 was given its first reading at the council meeting on Tuesday evening. The ordinance simply provides for the establishment of the district and in no manner provides for the construction of any sewer at the present time. This will have to be taken up as the necessity arises and in the same manner as is now employed in sewer matters generally.

American Legion Banquet.

There will be a banquet and entertainment program for the members of the American Legion held at the commercial club rooms on Saturday evening, March 27. The committee in charge is as follows: Oscar Smith, Walter Jonas, John Brumund, Earl McCord, Carl I. Hovik. No notices of this affair outside of those published will be sent out.

Fair Board to Meet.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Pennington County Agricultural association at the commercial club rooms on Saturday afternoon, March 27, for the purpose of passing on the proposed change in the premium list submitted by the department superintendents. The building program for the year will also be discussed.

WHEAT FAILURE FEARED UNLESS SEED IS TESTED

GRAVE DANGER OF ONLY ONE-THIRD CROP UNLESS CARE IS TAKEN

DISREGARDING WARNING MAY BRING ON DISASTROUS CONSEQUENCES

SAMPLES SENT TO UNIVERSITY IN ORDER TO VERIFY LOCAL FINDINGS

Even though the summer of 1920 turns out to be the best for the growing of wheat in the history of the Northwest, the crop may be doomed to failure unless a warning is sounded and care taken to avert disaster at once. This is the view of men in this neighborhood who have followed farming and grain handling for many years.

The 1919 wheat crop in this section was of decidedly poor quality as compared with those of average years. As a result it was realized that the seed saved would not be of the best in many respects, but it now develops that its germinating test is so far below what was expected that a crop may not be possible even under the most favorable growing conditions.

Less Than One-Third.

Thief River Falls wheat growers who have tested their seed find that even in the case of selected grain the germination is not over 30 per cent. If this is the case with selected samples it is certain that the general run will fall even below this figure. Should it be found that the tests are correct it will mean that more than two-thirds of the wheat saved for seed is of no value for this purpose and that planting it will practically insure there being a crop failure next fall.

Test Before Seeding.

The matter is of such seriousness that no man should plant wheat this spring without being certain that his seed will stand an average test for germination. Anyone can satisfy himself on this score with very little trouble and at practically no expense. There are several ways of testing, one of the best and easiest being carried out as follows: Take two pans—pie tins will do—line the bottom of one with moistened flannel, spread the seed over this and cover with another piece of flannel and pan in the same way. Place no water in the pan as one moistening of the flannel is sufficient. Germination will generally be indicated on the third day but is certain on the fourth unless the grain is sterile.

Should Take No Chances.

While the grain from which the disappointing samples were taken was grown in the neighborhood of Thief River Falls it is not likely that the situation is much different in any of the northwestern counties. Business men as well as farmers are interested in seeing that everything possible is done to avert the disaster that would follow the planting of seed of such low germination and should start campaigns of education with the object of impressing those who may not realize the full extent of the danger.

Commercial Value of Peat His Subject

PROF. CHRISTIANSON TO SPEAK IN THIS CITY ON THURSDAY NEXT.

Secretary G. Howard Smith of the commercial club yesterday received word from Prof. Peter Christianson of the University of Minnesota, announcing that he would be in Thief River Falls for the purpose of delivering an address on Thursday evening, April 1. The meeting will be held at the commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock.

Prof. Christianson's subject will be: "The Development of Peat as Fuel and For Commercial Purposes." He is perhaps the foremast authority on this subject in the United States and as the people of this section are vitally interested in the future of peat he should have a large audience.

Easter Dance by Post.

Elmer J. Eklund post will give a grand ball at the auditorium on Monday, April 5. This will be the big after-lent party in this city and the attendance should break all records. The best music has been obtained and all the arrangements are of the highest order. Eklund post has gained an enviable reputation as a giver of enjoyable dancing parties and this affair bids to outshine all previous efforts.

To Build Warehouses.

An ordinance given its first reading at the meeting of the city council on Tuesday evening will, in case it is passed, grant the Standard Oil company the privilege of erecting warehouses on the former site of the saw mill just south of Bridge street. The company has purchased a part of strip recently secured by the Soo railway from the Thief River Falls Lumber company and will begin the erection of buildings suitable to its purpose as soon as the necessary legal formalities are complied with.

Local Notes

Geo. Borden of Brooks was a guest at the J. M. Bishop home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ford of Red Lake Falls spent Monday in this city on a shopping expedition.

Scott Laird left on Wednesday for Warroad and International Falls in the interests of the flood relief.

Mrs. H. Smith and child left on Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she will make her future home.

Miss Phyllis Dock arrived Monday afternoon from Greenbush and will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Anna Dock.

Mrs. T. Reep of Plummer shopped and visited in this city between trains on Monday, returning to her home in the evening.

Miss Agnes Foser of Holt arrived Saturday afternoon and attended to matters of business, returning to her home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. E. K. Austin of Fosston arrived on Tuesday morning and will spend a few days as the guest of her daughter, Miss Lottie Austin.

Miss Bertha Sorum, who spent a few days visiting her friend, Miss Lillian Berger, in this city, returned to her home at Holt on Monday.

Miss Elvira Carlson left on Saturday evening for Karlstad where she spent Sunday visiting her father, F. Carlson who is employed there.

Milton Forder, who has spent the past month in California, returned Friday evening and is a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Miss Mable Rogers, a student in the normal training department of the local high school, is spending the week in Steiner practicing teaching.

Miss Annie Johnson, who is employed near Highlanding, spent Tuesday in this city enroute to her home in Roseau where she will remain for an indefinite period.

Misses Lulu Allen of St. Hilaire and Sina Anderson of Lancaster, who is her guest, were in this city Friday receiving dental treatment and attending to shopping.

Miss L. Huot, a nurse at the Physicians hospital, left on Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls, where she visited at the home of her parents for a short time.

Mrs. J. Hermanson returned from Erskine Monday evening after visiting over Sunday with Rev. Skogerboe and family, who were former residents of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mortenson of Holt arrived here the first of the week and spent a couple of days visiting with their daughter, Mrs. H. Hadrath, enroute to Montivedio.

Mrs. John Brandon and children returned to their home in Middle River Monday after a three months' stay in this city at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Olson.

Morlan Bishop returned to Strathcona on Tuesday morning to resume his work at the bank at that place. He visited over Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Miss Lena Kilen of Kratka visited with her sister, Miss Anna, who is attending high school here, on Monday, leaving in the afternoon for Reynolds, N. D., where she has accepted a position.

Mrs. H. H. Spink of Oskosh, Wis., who is a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Niclai, left on Tuesday morning for Warroad, where she will visit with friends until Friday when she will return to this city.

Joe Gillette arrived Monday afternoon from Baudette, where he visited a sister, and will spend a few days in this city renewing old acquaintances. Joe had served four years with the Canadian army.

Mrs. S. P. Bolstad and two children, accompanied by the former's sister, Mrs. C. V. Lindblom, all of Crosby, N. D., returned to their home on Monday afternoon having visited at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Olson in this city, for a few days.

Miss Annie Gowans, missionary, left on Monday afternoon for Moorhead, Minneapolis and St. Cloud, where she will give talks on her work in China. She delivered interesting addresses both morning and evening at the Presbyterian church in this city last Sunday. While here she was a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman.

To Manage Large Farm.

Paul Engelstad, one of the best known among the younger farmers of Pennington county will leave in a few days with his family for the purpose of taking charge of the Highcroft farm near Osakis as superintendent. Edwin Hanson, a brother-in-law of Mr. Engelstad, will manage the Rocksbury township property of the latter during his absence, it being no part of his intention to let go of his holdings here. Mr. Engelstad, who is a graduate of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, takes this teps because of the added exeprience it will afford him, the Highcroft farm being one of the largest and most thoroughly equipped and stocked in the state. He is decidedly a live wire, progressive and competent, and the farm bureau members particularly will regret to see him leave, at the same time approving his determination to improve his knowledge by every means at his command.

National Repair Week.

Government bureaus have requested the farmers of the country to observe as national repair week the six days following April 3. This is designated at the proper time for looking over all farm machinery and securing anything that may be needed in order to put things in ship-shape for the spring work. Costly delays are often the result of neglecting to take this precaution at the opening of the season and the wise farmer will see to it that no such thing occurs to force up the expense of doing business. Money will be saved if the worn, missing or broken part is ordered from the implement dealer at this time. He may be able to supply what is wanted at once, but in case he must send for it the earlier this is done the better.

Visited Crookston Elks.

A delegation from Thief River Falls lodge of Elks went to Crookston last Friday for the purpose of attending the initiation of a large class. Members of the order from all over this section were on hand, and all were made welcome. The work was put on in excellent shape and without loss of time. The banquet served in the lodge's dining hall was of a high order and all the appointments strictly in accordance with the best traditions of the organization. Those who attended from here were W. H. Frederick, C. S. Simonson, H. W. Protzeller, Dr. G. W. Booren, Dr. G. M. Milan, W. S. Sylvester, Stephen Yngve and T. J. Austad.

Saturday Specials

Why Pay More?

Potatoes, while they last, per bu.	$2.50

Order your supply now.

10 bars of white soap to each purchaser	65c
10 bars dark soap to each purchaser	55c
Fancy toilet soap, 3 bars to each purchaser	25c
Corn, per can	18c
Toilet paper, 5 rolls	45c
Veal leg roast	25c
Veal shoulder roast	20c
Veal stew	17c
Beef roasts	20c
Pork roasts	25c
Pork chops	30c
Fresh frozen Pike, while they last	12c
Fresh frozen Pickerel, while they last	8c
Home rendered lard	25c

We sell sugar in small quantities, or larger. Come in and place your order.

Mr. Farmer, bing your butter, eggs, poultry, and get our prices before selling. It will pay you.

Use our free delivery system.

Simonson's Meat and Grocery

Phone No. 115

Bon Ton Millinery

The Store Ahead — 215 E. Third St.

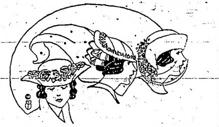

Announces the arrival of a new shipment of trimmed

Pattern Hats for Easter

These hats were selected by our manager, who just returned from the Cities.

Hats of Cellophane
Hats of Sipper
Hats of Batavia Cloth
Transparent hats of Maline
Raphia trimmed hats

Gage Models
Fisk Models
Cupid Models
Monogram Models
Hyland Models

Prices $5.95 to $15.00

Our exclusive models are priced from

$15.00 to $30.00

Don't fail to call and inspect this wonderful assortment of hats. Take advantage of our buying power. Remember we buy for eight large stores.

Come to see us Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Spring Foot Wear Styles

Women's Spring Oxfords and Pumps in Most Stylish Modes

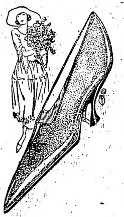

The very fact that in the UTZ & DUNN Fortwear you are buying the most reliable make---forty years of leadership in fine footwear for wcmen---should give you a feeling of confidence in this superior merchandise.

Originality, Quality and Value Assured

The newest ideas in footwear for spring.

A. M. Langseth

The Place to Buy Your Shoes

The Only Store of Its Kind in Northwestern Minnesota---Exclusively Ready-to-Wear

SAPERO'S

EXCLUSIVELY READY-TO-WEAR

The Spring Window Displays Present Fascinating Portrayals of the New Modes

Your Outfit For Easter Is Here:

and if you only knew and could see the beautiful things we have assembled for you--how reasonable they are priced, and see the vast assortments, you'd lose no time in coming to this store Saturday.

We can save you the trouble and time of shopping around, by showing as many garments as would ordinarily be found in two or three stores, and cover a range of styles and prices that will suit everyone's taste and purse.

Garments for the small woman and miss, as well as garments for those who wear the larger sizes. For small women we have suits that are made by makers who make only misses' suits. They're cut and made different, and look smart and fit perfectly. If you have had trouble in the past, come to this store and be satisfied. The same holds true for the woman who wears a large size.

Beautiful Spring Coats

In short, three-quarter and full lengths

Priced $19.75 to $75.00

Our Banner Assortments are at

$25.00 and $29.50

You'll be surprised at these values; in all shades, including Novelty Tweeds.

Wonderful Spring Suits

In Tailored and Novelty Effects

Priced $35 to $110.00

Our Big Assortments are at

$59.50 and $75.00

and Plenty of Good Suits at $39.50, $45.00 and $49.50

Lovely Frocks

A lovely assortment of the newest Georgette, Crepe de Chene, Taffeta, Serge and Tricotine Dresses, in the best styles of the season. You'll surely find your dress here, and moderately priced, too.

25.00 to 75.00

A good assortment around $39.50

Dainty Blouses

Without a doubt the most wonderful collection of Blouses we have ever assembled. You'll find waists of organdie, voiles and batiste as well as wonderful Blouses of Georgette and Crepe de Chene

$2.50 to $25.00

Special assortment at $6.95

Loken Brothers' Easter Specials in Ready-to-Wear for Spring Dress Up

In this assemblage of new Spring Styles, first shown in their entirety for Dress Up Time, every woman will find much of personal interest.

The attractive new shades are most delightfully accented as developed in the smartest modes of the moment.

On every hand Dress Up suggestions bring to your attention the final dictates of Dame Fashion for the New Season.

We welcome you to the Spring Dress Up Occasion.

Waists for Dress Up

of sheer materials for dress wear—of more substantial fabrics for every day, an assortment that makes shopping easy. Your Easter dress up can not be complete without one of our new arrivals in dainty georgette waists, all leading spring shades. Over one hundred beautiful clever new styles to choose from.

Corsets for Dress Up

Models that bring to you the best grace of the new silhouette. Demands a perfect fitting corset. We place on Display this week the new

"Redfern," Warner's and Nemo Corsets for Spring

And shall appreciate your viewing them. If there is one that is attractive to you and you would like to try it on, our Corsetiere will be very glad to serve you. The fabrics used in our spring corsets are the most beautiful designs ever used. Come, let us show them to you. Prices

$2.00 up to $15.00 per pair

A NEW SUIT

Has Become a Springtime Essential

And little wonder when they are as attractive as this season's models. How nice it will seem to discard our heavy winter garments and slip into a well fitting suit. There is no costume more becoming to American women, and realizing this fact she places the Suit first in her wardrobe.

Fashion has been most lenient to every type—for there are models that will interest Misses, Young Women and Matrons. Fabrics, colors and trimmings all show evidences of the accepted mode.

And for this spring season Loken Brothers, as never before, are showing the largest and finest assortment of high quality garments ever assembled. All the good garments produced by America's leading manufacturers are here. And amongst them you'll find the famous

Wooltex, Printzess, Sterling, Hovland Sold exclusively at this store.

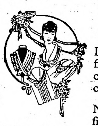

Neckwear for Dress Up

Dainty creations of the finer materials that add a chic finish to your new costume.

New Easter novelties of fine sheer organdie, voiles and georgette crepes. The very latest styles just received today and now ready for your early selection.

Silk Lingerie for Dress Up

Fashioned as carefully as you would do the work yourself. Come and see how well they will please you.

A Triumph in Quality, Beauty, Service!

Fashioned of a new pure Silk, most like the finest Pussy Willow only heavier, closer-woven, even richer.

Gowns—Envelope Chemises—Bloomers—Petticoats—in White or the most delicate Orchid or Flesh.

Wears better and longer; retains its exquisite appearance more perfectly; washes immeasurably better than any Silk Underwear you've ever seen!

Of the high-bred tailored type, designed to fit beautifully, and ornamented with exquisitely refined touches of triple hemstitching like Filet mesh—picot edges—motifs embroidered by hand—heavy double-faced Lady Fair ribbons.

Here Are Some New Arrivals in

Spring Footwear

The woman who prides herself on her perfect grooming gives a great deal of thought to the selection of footwear. Here are 1920 models of extreme modishness that have just arrived.

Kid Oxfords in Black and Golden Brown with medium walking heels and light weight welt soles; Priced at	$8.75 and $9.00
The Dixie, a new exclusive pump last. They cling with that glove-fitting nicety; in the dull kid with leatehr Louis heels and flexible soles, at	$9.00
A black Glazed Kid Pump in the colonial style with military heels and light flexible soles; beauty and service combine in this shoe for street and semi-dress wear; attractively priced at	$8.75

Footwear for Dress Up

Hosiery in several grades to meet the varied demands — Shoes, both low and high, for Spring and Summer wear.

LOKEN BROTHERS

The Home of WOOLTEX and PRINTZESS COATS and SUITS

Spring Dress Up
Spring Dress Up

Shoes Shoes

A Big Value

Weyenberg and Chippewa, well known for good, honest, solid leather shoes, and you can't get shoes too good for work. We have these standard makes, all solid leather, all sizes, 6 to 11. Owing to the enormous demand there will be for these shoes, we have to limit our customers to two pairs only.

$3.89

Medium heavy Black or Tan work shoes with Cromax leather soles. A good, strong work shoe reduced to ---------- **4.69**

Our top grade Goodyear Welt Barnyard resisting uppers. A good, easy and strong work shoe for any kind of work. Worth $7.50. Special ---------- **5.89**

Black glazed Kid Blucher, low heel, medium weight sole, rubber heel. A good, comfortable shoe for tired and sore feet. Big value. Worth $10.00 ---------- **7.39**

Men's dress shoes in Black or Dark Tan, Blucher or English lasts. Good fitting shoes in narrow and wide lasts ---------- **7.39**

Boys' Shoes

Boys' reliable school and dress shoes, all leather gun-metal finish, low heel, full vamp, McKay

sewed. Sizes 9 to 13	2.89
Sizes 1 to 5	3.49

High grade Boys' dark tan dress shoes, all sizes, durable and dressy. Extra big values.

Sizes 9 to 13	3.19
Sizes 1 to 5	3.69
Extra fine Boys' dress shoes	4.79

10 per cent discount on Florsheim Shoes

Work Shirts

Last fall we advised you to buy work shirts as they were going to be higher for spring. The investment is small, the advance is big. We again advise you to buy more shirts now while our low prices prevail. They are going to be much higher, and very soon.

Good weight Chambrey shirts	1.29
$2.00 good black shirts	1.89
$2.00 extra fine blue shirts	1.69
Extra heavy khaki shirts	1.79
Extra sizes in work shirts	1.89
Boys' work shirts	95c
Good khaki work shirts	1.49
Extra special values in work shirts	1.19

A Sale That Will Help Re[illegible]ce the High Cost of Living

Saturday morning, March twenty-sven, we place on sale our stock of spring and summer merchandise. Having bought in eremely large quantities has enabled us to buy for considerably less money than buying just a handful, therefe we are in a position to offer our high grade stock to you at prices below quoted, and to co-operate in helping reduce the higost of living. All economical purchasers will buy now what they need or will need this summer. This is your opportuni It is your chance to get the very best of merchandise at helping reduce hicost of living prices.

Everything in the store on sale, everything rced. You can save on everything you buy.

OUR BIG EASTER SALE

MEN'S WORK SOX
19c

MEN'S HEAVY WEIGHT COTTON SHIRTS AND DRAWERS
$1.19

MEN'S LIGHT WEIGHT SHIRTS AND DRAWERS
59c

MEN'S KHAKI UNIONALLS
$3.65

MEN'S EXTRA HEAVY SUSPENDERS
67c

PRESIDENT SUSPENDERS
59c

MEN'S FINE BLACK AND TAN COTTON HOSE. GOOD QUALITY
29c

ONE LOT OF CARRIED OVER MEN'S DRESS SHOES
$4.19

Goods can be returned or exchanged during this sale.

Raincoats

Men's and young men's raincoats, a very good assortment in men's plain styles and young men's fancy models, all reduced.

$4.45
and up.

Top Coats

Plain and silk lined, the very newest styles, reasonably priced,

$29.50 to $39.50

Men's Pants

for work or dress at prices that will pay you to buy now.

Extra heavy work pants for service	$3.85
Extra good Khaki pants, heavy weight	2.85
One lot of light weight Khaki pants	1.67
All wool dress pants	9.75
Wool mix	5.45
Corduroy pants	4.75
Pure wool pants	12.45
Fink and Headlight Khaki pants	2.95

Fancy small belts reduced

Young men's fancy silk sox reduced

Sale Starts Saturday March 27th

A SPECIL OFFER

Extra heavy weight indigo e Stifel striped OVERALLS, the gine Stifel union made for **$2.45**

Take advantage of th[illegible] They cost us more.

Men's Hats

John B. Stetson, Gordon and th Langley hats at special Easte prices.

One lot Gordon Hats	$4.1
One lot Gordon Hats	4.7
One lot Stetson Hats	4.8
One lot Stetson Hats	8.4

Men's Dress Shirts

igh grade dress shirts, very beautil patterns.

2.50 shirts	$2.15
00 shirts	2.45
00 shirts	3.20
00 shirts	3.35
00 shirts	4.95

Tub silk,	8.50 to 12.50
Fancy fiber silk	4.95
Boys' silk shirts	4.75
Light flannel	2 79

Good Auto Gloves 2.45	Good Auto Caps 1.65	Boys' Pajamas 1.65	Boys' Kaynee Underwaists 1.10
Extra Good Boys' Tan Army Shoes 4.19	Heavy Blue Union Overalls Special 2.45	Boys' Black Blouses, all Sizes 1.29	Good 35c Linen Handkerchiefs 27c
One Lot of Men's Good Raincoats 4.45	Duck Coats for Early Spring Wear Special 4.19	Heavy Blue Denim ade Khaki Pants, all Sizes 2.95	Don't overlook the Overalls and the Chippewa Work Shoes. They are Big Values.

Suits! Suits!

Here is your chance to save. A special offering of one lot of suits in the best grades, like Hart Schaffner & Marx, Artcraft and other well known makes. Not a suit in the lot that is worth less than $45 and from that up to $55. Special offering, your choice

$39.50

Big values, including blue serges.

One lot of Clothcraft worsted suits, values to 32.50,

$23.45

Extra big values in blue serge suits, single or double breasted, the very latest models,

$39.50

Young Men's Suits

Reductions on every suit in the house. We have the finest assortment of suits from $25 to $65. All are on sale where you can save real money.

$25 Suits at	$19.75
$30 Suits at	24.75
$35 Suits at	28.75
$40 Suits at	32.75
$45 Suits at	39.50
$60 Suits at	52.75

Boys' extra good overalls
Sizes to 12 **$1.45** to 18 **$1.79**

All boys knee pants reduced

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

The Store of [illegible]lized Values

Thief Rivells, Minn.

Sale Starts Saturday March 27th

ALL WOOL BLUE SERGE BOYS' CAPS
95c

BOYS' FANCY CAPS
65c to $1.35

BOYS' STRIPED OVERALLS,
SIZES 3 TO 9 **$1.29**
SIZES 9 TO 14 **$1.39**

BOYS' LONG KHAKI PANTS
1.87 to 2.65

BOYS' BLOUSES
69c to 1.19

BOYS' WHITE DRESS SHIRTS
$1.35

BOYS' STOCKINGS MEDIUM WEIGHT
29c
HEAVY WEIGHT
67c

BOYS' UNION SUITS
65c to 1.35

We guarantee everything your money's worth or your money back.

A Special Selling

of all wool high grade styles

Boys' Suits

All wool suits in popular solid colors and nice brown or grey mixtures. They will wear well and keep their shape. Single or double breasted. Values up to $25 ---------- **18.85**

A big line to choose from in the very latest styles; neat and attractive. The quality is guaranteed. At special selling prices

10.85 12.85 14.85

We will refund the money on any suit that won't wear. They are big values.

Juveniles' Suits

The finest assortment in Juveniles' suits we have ever had at popular prices, lot of style and quality in worsted or cashmere. Also serge or corduroy. Sizes: 2½ to 9. Sale prices

4.85 5.85 6.85 9.85

All wool blue serge, new middy blouse style, either short or long pants. Special

8.39

Boys' Top Coats

Size 3 to 9

Top coats in Gray, Brown and mixed, single or double breasted. Some half silk lined with belt around. Very nobby. Sale prices

8.45 9.45

Wash Suits

Cheaper than you can have it made and you get the Kaynee style. Two-piece wash suits—positively guaranteed fast color; in white, blue, tan. Also striped, plain and combination shades. A very big assortment to choose from at sale prices

1.95 2.69 2.95 up to 4.45

Boys' Dress Shirts

of Good Quality.

Sizes 12 to 14. Special

1.35 1.95

Men's Underwear

Spring medium weight union suits, extra good quality. Worth today $3.00	2.29
Regular $2.00 union suits	1.65
Light weight union suits	1.35
Heavy weight shirts and drawers	1.19

The finest assortment in Juveniles' siuts we have prices. Underwear is as bad as work shirts; it is still advancing in price.

10 per cent off on all Munsingwear in the store

Creamery Business Shows Big Increase

JANUARY AND FERBUARY ARE 30 PER CENT ABOVE LAST YEAR

The report of Secretary Peter Engelstad of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association shows that during the month of February a total of $19,205.22 was paid out to dairymen and that 78 were in the $50-or-better class. The number of patrons increased by 23 during the month. The increase in business over a year ago for both January and February is just about 30 per cent, which is a highly satisfactory showing.

Following is a list of those receiving checks for more than $50 for the products of their herds during the month:

Jens-Kirk	$280.42
Waldo Christenson	249.97
P. Engelstad	246.16
Hans Anton	205.05
H. A. Mathees	162.18
Henry Koop	157.05
Fred Copp	152.68
Erick Rensla	132.45
R. M. Johnson	132.04
Albert Johnson	117.73
Paul Engelstad	116.85
E. Edman	114.07
A. J. Funnesdahl	109.81
C. Christenson	109.63
A. C. Simonson	108.73
Christ Nelson	106.98
Gunder Gunderson	100.94
Rasmus Oen	116.35
Casper Iverson	99.15
Carl Beiswenger	95.18
Anton Knuton	91.13
O. A. Rambeck	87.55
C. A. Morwood	86.79
Aug. Koglin	85.79
Hubert Buck	84.76
E. M. Kromrey	82.81
C. Odegaard	80.99
Ludvig Larson	78.26
Ole Dreivold	78.13
Syvert Hanson	77.05
Wm. Hohner	76.04
Ole Johnsrud	75.72
Ed Eells	75.14
L. O. Stenseth	74.43
Knut Finstad	73.16
Mrs. J. J. Berg	71.02
John Westlin	70.87
Aug. Soderberg	70.54
Karl Erickson	73.41
Aug. Burk	69.98
J. B. Hebert	68.67
S. Gjovik	68.52
Aug. Johnson	68.07
S. Wiberg	67.00
Robert W. Anderson	65.97
Claude W. Royer	65.78
Ole Jaranson	65.72
Silas Torgerson	65.66
Will Smith	65.10
Louis Hamre	62.98
Torjus Halvorson	62.94
Henry Pope	62.04
Gordon Olson	61.95
R. L. Muzzy	61.19
Nels Nora	61.10
John Swanson	60.89
E. T. Edwin	60.82
Knut Haugen	60.77
F. B. Conklin	60.70
John N. Swanson	60.32
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	60.17
N. Vicklund	59.26
Pelzer and Theisen	57.99
Knut Solheim	56.54
Oluf Omlid	56.42
C. A. Johnson	56.42
Carl Wilken	56.42
Victor Eckdahl	56.41
Paul Stock	55.77
E. Olaf Bystrom	55.60
Even Anderson	55.04
Lars Stemlien	54.86
J. J. Kast	54.73
N. B. Swanson	54.33
S. Sorenson	54.19
Peter Sabo	52.95
John Sjolsvold	52.05
Aug. Ristau	52.00
Anfind Ness	50.74

Miss Blair Hostess.

In compliment to Miss Genevieve Erickson, a bride of next month, Miss Myrtle Blair entertained at a delightful dinner party at her home on Duluth avenue, Sunday evening. White carnations artistically arranged formed the center piece while a single carnation marked the guest of honor's place. Covers were laid for the following: Miss Florence Lian, Miss Genevieve Erickson and Miss Myrtle Blair, and Martin Stenberg, Geo. Erickson and S. Salveson.

Mrs. Shaw Hostess.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw entertained a number of ladies at her home, Mussey street, Friday afternoon.

In Honor of Mrs. Spink.

Mrs. H. H. Spink of Oskosh, Wis., who is a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Niclai, was honored guest at a number of social functions last week which included parties given by the Mesdames Scott Laird on Thursday afternoon, Mrs. F. C. Niclai on Friday afternoon and Mrs. R. H. Ross on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mabey Entertains.

Mrs. P. W. Mabey informally entertained a few of her most intimate friends last Saturday evening.

Entertains.

Mrs. P. W. Mabey informally entertained a number of ladies at her home on Main avenue Saturday afternoon.

For Mrs. Priske.

Honoring her sister, Mrs. H. A. Priske, who is her guest, Mrs. S. C. Coumbe entertained eight ladies at her home on Knight avenue north, Saturday afternoon. The hours were spent informally.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way were hosts at a dinner party at their home on Duluth avenue Monday evening in compliment to Mrs. H. H. Spink. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Niclai and Mrs. H. H. Spink.

Senior Class Entertains.

The Senior class of the Lincoln high school entertained the members of the basket ball team, all of whom are seniors, on Saturday evening at a six o'clock supper at the high school. Immediately after the supper hour games and music formed the entertainment.

STEINER

Willis Warring transacted business in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

William Meyer and Emil Koglin left for Tenina, Wash., Monday where they will be employed in a lumber camp of that place.

Hobson Rogers attended the basketball game Friday evening at Thief River Falls.

Missionary LaRoe of Thief River Falls conducted services in Steiner Sunday.

Misses Georgia and Lydia Muzzy called at the N. E. Muzzy home last Sunday.

Sunday school was organized again in Steiner Sunday. The same officers were elected and it is hoped it will be attended as well as last year.

Mrs. Kisch of Thief River Falls spent a few days at her daughter's home, Mrs. N. E. Muzzy.

W. Furstnau's auction sale which was held March 16 was a great success.

Mr. Thorholt, our Steiner merchant, transacted business in Thief River Falls the middle of the week.

Louie Meyer has been hauling corn fodder from the C. Swanson farm the first part of the week.

Mrs. Omer Warring has been working at the J. Berg home the past week.

Mable Rogers, normal training student at the Lincoln high school of Thief River Falls, is practice teaching in Steiner this week.

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In order to make room for more spring goods arriving, will give you all a special invitation to take advantage of the great opportunity to select your needs at unheard of bargains in Shoes, Oxfords, Dry Goods, Groceries; in fact everything in this store. Come and convince yourself. A few items are quoted, but remember everything else goes at sacrifice prices.

Shoe Bargains

Regular $15.00 Ladies' high cut, brown — $12.00
Regular $13.00 Ladies' high cut, brown — $10.00
Regular $13.00 Ladies' high cut, black — $9.00
Regular $10.00 Ladies' cloth top, brown and gray — $6.50
Regular $8.00 to $10.00 Oxfords, brown and black — $6.50
Regular $8.00 to $10.00 Men's shoes — $6.50
Regular $6.00 to $7.00 Men's work shoes — $5.00
Regular $4.00 to $5.00 Misses' shoes — $3.75
Regular $2.00 to $3.00 Children's shoes — $1.75 to $2.50
Regular $4.50 Men's 4-buckle rubber shoes — $3,50

Dry Goods

Regular 25c to 28c Print at — 20¢
Regular 35c Apron gingham — 23¢
Regular 45c Dress gingham — 35¢
Regular 45c Percale — 37¢
Regular 35c Percale — 23¢
Regular 50c Shirting — 32¢
Regular 45c Chambrey — 33¢
Regular $1.00 9-4 Sheeting — 85¢
Regular 50c Broadcloth — 43¢
Regular 85c Silk tissue — 65¢
Regular 10c Ladies' handkerchiefs — 3¢
Regular 15c Men's handkerchiefs — 9¢

Bargains in Groceries

55c Bulk coffee — 48¢
50c Peaberry coffee — 43¢
25c Fancy rice — 19¢
8c White Flyer soap — 7¢
7c Brown soap — 6¢
30c Salmon — 22¢
45c Heinze catsup — 37¢
35c Armour's oats — 32¢
30c lb. peanut butter — 25¢
$1.25 Parlor brooms — 95¢

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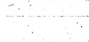

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Saturday, March 27

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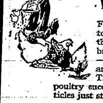

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High School Progress

Honor Roll.

Last Wednesday morning at chapel period Miss Evans announced the Honor Roll Students for the year of 1920.

They are as follows: Henry Stengelsen, valedictorian; Mollie Hermanson, salutatorian; Vivian Gabrielson, salutatorian; Mable Shefland, Ida Sovde, James Helle, Alyce Berg, Hilda Hammarsten, Edna O'Brien, Esther Scovell.

We Are Governed.

The two civics classes of this semester are changed into the State Senate and the House of Representatives. A big campaign for governor was carried out on Wednesday. A great deal of interest and enthusiasm was shown in the campaign and to crown the day, Miss Patrick was elected. The senate has been busy making and passing new bills for the betterment of Minnesota, and the house of representatives is very enthusiastically impeaching its officers and dismissing its undesirable members. Mr. Schuster has a very serious charge against him and will be tried in court. The main charge is that of trying to spoil Mr. Schold's campaign for governorship, by saying he was against "Woman Suffrage." Mr. Aakre is to be judge and Mr. McGinn prosecuting attorney. Very soon Minnesota will be free from political disturbances.

"They Say."

The Eighth grade basketball team played the girls first team last Tuesday night and before the game was half over Mr. Matt Barzen was put out of the game on personals, for holding.

Clarence Knudsen *never bluffs* in American history class.

Alfred Dybvik started school again Friday.

Philip Larson does not feel good unless he is tardy every morning.

Lee Ihle is well satisfied with the outcome of the election.

Rose Orzechowski visited at her parental home over the week-end.

Last Friday Lee Ihle and Helen Warner were expelled from the Senate house on account of "flirting," as the Speaker of the House termed it.

Gena Sanness is carrying only seven subjects, but acquires an A in all subjects every month.

Please put a snap-shot of yourself in the joke-box for the annual.

"Chuck" Warner won a hundred marbles Sunday.

The "Ernests" are repairing the "Ford" for the summer.

Most of the pupils on the honor roll were country students. Wonder why?

Roscoe Bakke, "Ta,Ta" made a big hit in geometry class Thursday, he had his lesson prepared.

Wanted—Everybody to understand that books which are not their own should be returned to their true owners.

Clarence Vevea and Joe Weirus left on Tuesday night for Carleton to see the big basketball tournament.

A studious Junior, Olga Svensgaard, attended the St. Patrick dance, on a school night.

The normal department will be closed the week before Easter vacation. The pupils of the normal school will go to the different rural schools to do practice teaching. Miss Costello will visit the school during that week.

Someone saw Rusty Anderson in school the other day.

All the students in American history class did some studying last Thursday evening.

How can you co-operate without the "cop?"

The sewing girls will soon be seen in their new attire.

The Freshmen girls played against the Seventh grade girls on Thursday, the score being 30-6 in favor of the Seventh grade.

Melford LaBree called his number in roll call every day last week.

Last Friday Miss Evans went out of the room and Ames Pederson didn't throw anything at Edward Nelson.

Watch for a writeup of your favorite star next week!

The girls' basketball team entertained the boys' team and the North Dakota champions at a supper after the game. Miss Gunlaugson and Mr. Tommeraasen were the guests of honor. The Thief River Falls girls won the game by a score of 10-8.

Ruby Bennes is wearing a smile *in remembrance of that*——.

Milton Larson honestly stepped into the room this morning as the last bell was ringing.

St. Patrick and Miss Patrick were honored on March 17.

Stanley Sorenson was very much surprised to see that he had an A plus in geometry last month.

Spring vacation begins on Friday, March 26.

Victor Buskirk and William Alexander spent Saturday between trains at Erskine.

Agnes Oftedahl wants a good sized prize fighter to assist her in collecting class dues.

The advanced cooking class gave a banquet to the basketball boys on Thursday evening.

A "peppy" mass meeting was held Monday during chapel period for the basketball boys who went to Crookston for the tournament. In spite of the fact that the boys lost, basketball spirit was certainly not lacking.

Miss Patrick, who was elected governor on March 17, will consider the high school students as applicants for the vacant positions.

Times Classified Wants

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One Edison Amberole Phonograph, high cabinet style drawers, and 49 records. Practically new. $85. Also other articles.—121 Kendall Ave. N. 63p

FOR SALE—Good timothy hay at the J. J. Amble farm, St. Hilaire, Rt. 1. 64p

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—5-room house with 5 lots, with good wood shed.—338 Main Ave. N. Inquire C. Gustafson & Son. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good work horse, gentle, single driver. Will sell cheap if taken at once.—801 Main Ave. N. 62tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs from prize winning stock, $2.00 for 15 eggs. Also S. C. White Leghorns, $1.50 for 15 eggs. Place your order now.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. 1, Box 529, Thief River Falls, Minn. 66

FOR SALE—Ford Runabout, in good running order. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 63tf

FOR SALE—1 lot, 7-room house and barn, 14x24x12. Price $1400, known as 306 Duluth Ave So., Thief River Falls. Located 1½ blocks south of the Lincoln High School. For inspection call at Sigurd Myrom's residence, 309 Knight Ave. South.—Nels K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 64pd

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull lots: West Side. Will be sold cheap. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well: 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—No. 1 Midland hay $19 per ton loaded car lots at Henning, Minn.—G. S. Kibby, 616 Plymouth Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 64

FOR SALE—7-room house. Inquire 811 Knight Ave. N. 65

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 63tf

FOR SALE—One residence, one story high, 4 rooms, 50-ft. frontage, located on Main street of Karlstad; plenty of good water, electric lights. Plan suitable for residence; also good business location for watchmaking, millinery, attorney's office or drug store. For prices and terms write or see Edward Liljevall, Karlstad, Minn. 63

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberries, $3.00 per 100. Call for plants at planting time upstairs over Palace Clothing Store. Miss Alvina Lautenbach. 62tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

FOR SALE—1 Cleveland Cletrac tractor; 1 four wheeled auto trailer; 1 player piano. W. E. Baker. 59tf

FOR SALE—2 lots and small house, on Knight Ave. N. and 6th St. A bargain. Dave Gustafson. 69tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.25; 150 bu. seed barley, $2 per bu. 4 cows coming in between Apr. 1 and June 1. Four 2-year-old heifers. Frank Svobodny, Germantown Rt. 1, City, or call at Stop 7, Electric Line. 60tf

FOR SALE—One John Deere 12-in. triple horse plow in fine shape. Price $95—a snap. Five second hand cream separators; one second hand wagon, new last summer, $60. Two sulky plows, price $20 each. One double burr mill in good shape, $15. One pair bobs, 7-ft. runners, McLain knees, $43. Cost price. N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 60tf

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson. 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—Seven room house and two lots with auto shed 16x20 for sale cheap. 420 Horace Ave. N. 64p

FOR SALE—I have 960 acres of land in Beltrami county to sell in a lump or in separate lots. Who wants it? Write to Dr. P. C. Pilon, Paynesville, Minn. 64p

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—150 buhels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 52tf

FOR SALE—One Waterloo Boy tractor 12-24 H. P., in good condition John L. Magnuson, 604 Arnold Ave. N., or call at Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co. 65p

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave, Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Leimers. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles norhtwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of City. 63p

FOR SALE—2½ acres of land with 5 room house, full basement and large cistern. Barn 14x18; chicken house 16x22; garage; some apple and plum trees, currants, gooseberries, raspberries, strawberries; all fenced with woven wire. Park addition to Thief River Falls. Anton Peterson. 63p

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WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

AS I HAVE DECIDED TO QUIT farming I will trade my quarter section farm for property in town. Farm located on Section 29, 5½ miles north of Goodridge in Marshall county. Write Peter Belanger, Goodridge, Minn. 64p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

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320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

FOR RENT—On crop shares, the following farms; Quarter three miles from Mavie on State road and ditch. Ninety acres field, 50 plowed for crop. Quarter 1½ miles from Mavie, all grass. Want 80 or more broken and cropped this season. Quarter at Germantown, 30 broken and flaxed last season. Would like 50 or more broken and cropped this year. Write at once. A good proposition.—A. M. Wise, box 493, Appleton, Minn. 64p

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WANTED—Man with team or auto who can give bond to sell 137 Watkins home and Farm products. Biggest concern of kind in world. $1500 to $5,000 yearly income. This county open. Write today J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 112, Winona, Minn. 63pd

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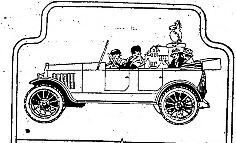

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The City Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—March 28: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11, subject: "Come Forth." Evening worship at 8, subject: "Behold the Man." The choir supplies special music for both meetings. Juniors at 3 p. m. The Woman's Missionary society will meet on Friday, March 26th with Mrs. Barackman.

The First Swd. Ev. Luth Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday as follows: In the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. In the American language at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. The Luther League will be entertained in the church basement Friday evening by Mrs. L. Peterson. Prof. W. Schold will speak.

Christian Science—Service at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Reality." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larsodn, Pastor—Service Friday at 2 p. m. Service Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. O. W. Bakke, of Battle Lake, will conduct the meetings. Zion Ladies aid entertained by Mrs. Melum on Thursday. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening. A good Easter program will be given. Quarterly business meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, March 30th at 7:30 p. m.

Bible Lectures at Odd Fellows Hall, O. J. Dahl—You have no doubt often wondered why God did not destroy the devil immediately when he sinned, but did you ever wonder why Satan works so desperately to lead the human family into sin? The subject for Sunday evening, March 28, 8 o'clock will be: "Is there any personal benefit for Satan in leading the human family into sin and finally to destruction?" All Scandinavians are invited.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—The following services will be held during Holy Week. Palm Sunday, March 28, Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German Lenten services at 10:30 a. m. English Lenten services at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, April 1, English. Communion services at 8 p. m., Good Friday, German preaching at 10:30 a. m. Easter Sunday, April 4, German preaching with communion service at 10:30 a. m. Confessional address at 10:00 a. m. No Sunday school. English preaching at 7:30 p. m. Announcement for communion Wednesday evening, Mar. 31 at the parsonage, and Friday afternoon, April 2nd. The Ladies Aid meets Wednesday afternoon, March 31st with Mrs. Dr. Froehlich, in the church basement.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of James O. Thorstad.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth Thorstad, Eddie Olai Thorstad, Gertie Adella Janks, Bert Nowell Thorstad, Jessie Marinius Thorstad, Gladys Florence Thorstad, Randella Maria Thorstad, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Bert Nowell Thorstad being duly filed in this court, representing that James O. Thorstad, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 1st day of January, 1920, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Bert Nowell Thorstad: NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of April, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of March, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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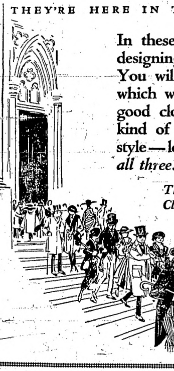

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

GROWING SUGAR BEETS SURE TO BE PROFITABLE

START BEING MADE THIS YEAR MAY MEAN STEADILY INCREASING BUSINESS

EXPERIMENTS HAVE PROVEN SOIL HERE PECULIARLY ADAPTED TO BEET

MINNESOTA SUGAR CO. FURNISHING SEED AND LABOR FOR BEGINNERS

While the sugar beet acreage in Pennington county will not this year be very large, a good start will be made and if the results are as satisfactory as now seem certain this crop may within a very short time become one of the most important raised here. Our soil and climatic conditions are peculiarly adapted to the production of the very finest kind of sugar beets and many believe that when a start is once made the industry will assume vast proportions.

The Minnesota Sugar company of Chaska, has this year interested itself in getting the farmers of a number of northern counties to try the beet on small plots, furnishing the seed and contract to buy the crop at $10 per ton. Besides this the company agrees to send experienced labor here to care for and harvest the beets in case it is found impossible *to secure the help at home.*

Has Vast Possibilities.

Sugar beet growing at this time holds forth more promise of profit for the farmer than almost anything else he can engage in. It is pointed out that in 1915 the United States sent abroad a total of $166,000,000 for the purchase of foreign sugar. This might have been supplied at home from 1,780,000 acres of land and have provided as much money for the growers as the farmers received for all the wheat on 10,779,000 acres of land.

But One Item of Gain.

The annual distribution of $166,000,000 to American farmers and laborers is not the only, nor is it the principal, gain which would come to the American people through producing their entire supply at home. Each of the 1,320 European and 75 American factories is an agricultural experiment station which teaches the farmers better methods of agriculture, not only in the culture of sugar beets, but in all crops.

The cultivation of sugar beets not only provides the farmer with one of his most profitable money crops, but it so prepares and enriches his land that for a series of years it produces greatly increased yields of all other crops which follow. Although the natural soil and climatic conditions of Europe are greatly inferior to those of the United States, through the introduction of sugar beet culture their wornout soils have been rejuvenated so that they now produce a much greater tonnage of all crops.

The Effect on Wheat.

In 1909, Germany, the largest sugar producing country in the world, produced 30.5 bushels of wheat to the acre to our 15.8 bushels; 59 bushels of oats to our 30.3 bushels; 39.5 bushels of barley to our 24.3 bushels; 28.8 bushels of rye to our 16.1 bushels, and 208.9 bushels of potatoes to our 106.8 bushels. From 42,000,000 acres devoted to these five crops in 1909, German farmers harvested 3,000,000,000, while from 92,000,000 acres American farmers harvested but 2,300,000,000 bushels.

Is Never Abandoned.

Wherever sugar beets have been grown in the United States the yields of other crops grown in rotation have increased more rapidly than they increased in Germany and oftentimes have far exceeded the German yields. If, through the general introduction of sugar beet culture our soils were made equal to the German acreage yields, based on the United States farm value in 1909, without extending their acreage, but solely through the value of excess yield, our farmers would be richer by $1,340,000,000 a year.

Elks Plan Big Time For Tomorrow Night

FORTY LITTLE FELLOWS WILL BE GATHERED IN WITH MUCH POMP

Secretary E. F. Dolan of Thief River Falls Lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E., has notified the members of a big event that is to take place on Friday evening of this week. Forty little Elklets are to undergo a transformation which will convert them into big ones and a clever and enthusiastic committee has so arranged things that there is no danger that the occasion will ever be forgotten by them.

Something entirely new in the way of entertainment is to be tried out. Just what this will be no one knows except the members in charge of its selection. There is not a question, however, but that it will be most impressive.

This is the last initiation at which the present officers will preside. Before another batch of fawns is taken into the fold G. Howard Smith will have succeeded L. R. Johnston as exalted ruler and the other officers will have moved forward a peg. The function will close the most successful year in the history of Thief River Falls Elkdom, an increase in membership of about 200 having been recorded for the period.

It is particularly desired that the Elks residing outside the city be present at this initiation and assurances have been received to the effect that they will come in large numbers.

Two Graduates From N. W. Aggie Today

GOODRIDGE HAS ONLY REPRESENTATIVES RECEIVING DIPLOMAS

The following from Pennington county are graduates of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston who will receive diplomas today: Einar Aakre and Ruby Knudson, both of Goodridge.

The total number of graduates this year is twenty-eight. The junior class numbers eighty-six which insures a senior class next year which will be the largest in the history of the school. The enrollment during the present school year was 301. The largest previous enrollment was 208.

The fall term of the school opens October 7. During the summer most of the students will carry on farming work. All are enrolled in special projects on the home farms, thereby putting into practice the lessons learned at the school. Indications point to a record breaking attendance during next year. Accommodations at the school, however, are limited to 250 and it is thought unwise to enroll a larger number on account of the lack of dormitory facilities.

When school opens next fall the new dining hall building will be completed and ready for occupancy. In addition a concrete road from Crookston will be built. The alumni and former students are also subscribing funds for a soldiers' and sailors' memorial which it is expected will be completed before school opens.

St. Hilaire Planning New Creamery Plant

CAPITAL INCREASED TO $30,000 AND AMOUNT RAPIDLY TAKEN UP

(St. Hilaire Spectator.)

Stockholders and patrons of the local creamery met at the village hall here last Friday afternoon to discuss ways and means of raising money for the purpose of erecting a new creamery building either this fall or next spring. The association has already bought a down-town site and it has been their plan to build soon, but the present form of incorporation did not permit, owing to the capitalization being only $5,000.00. After discussing various means, it was decided to leave the present incorporation as it was, but to increase the capital from five to thirty thousand. Additional shares of the same par value as the old, will be issued for the additional capitalization, and an active canvass is now under way to determine how many of these shares can be readily sold. Nearly a hundred shares were subscribed for in the hall and on the street after the meeting. While it is not expected *that all shares will* be sold immediately, they will be taken up before long. As soon as enough are sold to insure success of the project, it is hoped the building committee will have their plans for a new building ready.

The St. Hilaire creamery is one of the most solidly entrenched corporations of its kind in this part of the state, and its present plan to provide up-to-date quarters and equipment is most commendable, and should be heartily supported by everyone interested in this part of the county and its welfare.

Miss Halvorson in Recital.

Miss Doris M. Halvorson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Halvorson, 515 LaBree avenue north, who is studying in the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, played on last Wednesday evening at the regular students' recital. Miss Halvorson's numbers were Prelude for left hand and Etude in D flat by Scriabine, and both were rendered in a thoroughly musicianly manner. Miss Halvorson is studying violin in addition to her major study of piano, harmony, ear training and voice. She graduated from Lincoln high school in 1917, receiving sufficient credit to enable her to enter the conservatory of music, which requires the same entrance demand as the college of arts and sciences.

Commissioners' Meeting.

The board of county commissioners held a meeting last Thursday, matters of routine being about the only things considered. Another meeting will be held on April 2, at which time it is expected a number of road contracts will be let.

Junior Short Course Week at Crookston

BIG EVENT FOR BOYS AND GIRLS BEGINS MONDAY, MARCH 29.

The Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston will hold its Eighth Annual Junior Short course the week beginning March 29. Boys and girls of 12 to 18 years of age may come. The young people stay at the school under the supervision of the faculty. They are met at the train and are well cared for during the week.

The course will consist of stock judging, potato work, courses in grain, poultry, pigs, and gardening, besides canning, cooking, and sewing. Boys and girls planning to do club work the coming year will receive special attention during the week. National and state club leaders will be present to help make the week profitable for those who attend.

Part of each day will be spent in games, field meets, excursions, and entertainment. The total expense at the school will be only $3.00, which includes board and room for the week. Each student should bring necessary bed clothes. All other equipment is furnished.

There are a large number of young folks in this vicinity who are planning to attend. Parents should make this trip possible for their children, and give them the advantages that the opportunities of such a week will afford. It will increase the interest of the young people in the work on the farm and help make them see the many advantages there are in a rural community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Knutson and family, who have resided near Goodridge for the past few months, left on Saturday afternoon for Northwood, N. D., where the former will have the management of a farm in that vicinity.

Mrs. H. R. Conner and son, William, left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where they will visit for an indefinite period at the home of the former's parents. Mr. Conner will remain here for a while yet making preparations for their removal to the above mentioned place.

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FORMER TEACHER LANDS GOOD JOB

Many teachers are forsaking their schoolrooms for more lucrative positions in the business world, where there is also much better chance for advancement. Miss Irma Conner, a former teacher, took a stenographic course at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., and is now with Hatcher Bros. Insurance Co.

The spring term of this popular school offers exceptional advantages to stenographic students. They graduate in busy season of business.

"Follow the $ucce$$ful." Get particulars about spring term from F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St. Fargo, N. D.—Adv.

National Repair Week

FIRST WEEK IN
APRIL

Save Expensive Delays and Transportation Charges by Placing Repair Orders Early

In the interest of BETTER REPAIR SECVICE the Implement Dealers and Manufacturers of the U. S. inaugurated National Repair Week two years ago. At that time it was a war measure. It worked well for farmers, dealers and manufacturers and for that reason it has been deemed advisable to continue it. Farmers who did not inspect their implements and order repairs early suffered great inconvenience and heavy loss for it was impossible to supply the demand for repairs in midst of busy season. Conditions promise to be no better this year and we urge the farmers to—

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We are anxious to give good repair service but to give 100 per cent service must have farmers' co-operation.

The movement has the approval of the U. S. Agricultural Department, all State Agricultural Departments, Agricultural Colleges and Farm Bureaus.

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BABCOCK PLAN FOR IMPROVING ROADS OF STATE

PROVIDES FOR APPROXIMATELY 700 MILES OF HARD SURFACE PIKE

COST WOULD BE ABOUT $18 PER YEAR FOR EACH AUTOMOBILE

WILL RELEASE COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE MONEY FOR WORK ON LATERALS.

The following article has been gotten out by the Minnesota Highway Improvement association, and it contains some facts and figures that should be read by every one interested in the progress of the county and state, and that means everybody. Read and study it:

The adoption of the pending consitutional amendment No. 1, known as the "Babcock plan," establishes in Minnesota a state trunk highway system of approximately 7,000 miles of main or arterial roads, which reaches into every section of the state, the highways to be "located, constructed, reconstructed, improved and forever maintained as public highways by the state of Minnesota."

The construction and maintenance of the roads in this system is to be done by the state of Minnesota and is to be financed by a bond issue which is to be retired by the proceeds from an increased license fee on motor vehicles. The amendment limits the issue of bonds in any calendar year to $10,000,000 par value and provides that there shall never be more than $75,000,000 in bonds outstanding. No bonds are issued by the amendment, but it simply authorizes the legislature to issue and sell the bonds of the state within the limits just stated.

Raised by License Fees.

In order to finance the trunk highway system it will be necessary to levy a license fee on automobiles which will average about $18 per car. If such a license fee is fixed by the legislature, bonds may be issued to the full limit of the constitutional amendment and retired by the proceeds from motor vehicle license fees. If a lower rate than $18 a car is fixed, then the legislature can limit the bonds to be issued to less than $10,000,000, or in other words to the amount which can be financed by such a license fee as is fixed. In no case is it expected that bonds will be issued in such amounts as cannot be retired by motor vehicle license fees.

By the establishment of the trunk highway system all of the local funds—the state aid, county and township levies—are left intact to be used by local authorities in building the local or feeder roads. These funds, based on the two years' average amount to the gigantic total of $10,925,000 a year. This would mean that in ten years from 1921 to 1930, both inclusive, the counties and townships of the state would have a local road building fund of $109,250,000, or enough money to build 21,850 miles of graveled road at an average cost of $5,000 a mile. This ten year period is cited because Commissioner Babcock and his engineers estimate it will take ten years to complete the trunk highway system.

A Ten Year Program.

From the foregoing it can be seen that the Babcock plan, instead of being a scheme to build a 7,000-mile trunk line system, is, in reality a plan to build a highway system of 28,850 miles of well improved roads in the next ten years. Of this system, 7,000 miles will be trunk roads, built and maintained by the state, which serve through traffic and connect all the important towns and cities with each other and which will form the main line of Minnesota's highway transportation system.

Then there will be more than 21,850 miles of lateral, or feeder roads, which reach from the trunk lines into the rural communities and give the farmers an outlet to market their produce. The roads in this secondary system are to be built by local expense and, as is proper because of the local importance, under local jurisdiction. These secondary roads are the ones which Mr. Babcock wishes to take care of and it was the crying need for their improvement that resulted in the pending constitutional amendment. So long as the expensive main lines were left as a burden on the shoulders of the counties and townships, there was no hope of ever being able to find money for the building of these secondary roads.

Helps the Counties.

Mr. Babcock clearly saw that once the burden of these expensive roads was taken over by the state, the counties and townships would be able to use all their money in the building of secondary roads and thus carry the benefits of good roads to the most isolated communities. It is interesting to note that fully 80 per cent of the road building funds in the state is spent upon the identical roads embraced in the trunk highway system. By taking over these roads, the secondary highways will have $10 for improvement where they now have only $2.

The beautiful part of this entire plan is that the state can obtain this magnificent highway system without increasing its highway taxation by a single dollar. The secondary system will be financed by the same levies—state, county and township—as are now being made. The trunk highway system will be financed, as already stated, by an increased license fee on motor vehicles.

But what about the motor vehicle owner? Will he be penalized for owning a car? Far from it. For every dollar he pays in increased license fees, he will receive three dollars in benefits. Let us see how this works out in actual operations.

Experts tell us that it costs to operate the average car over unpaved roads approximately 10 cents a mile for gasoline, lubrication, tires and depreciation. It can be demonstrated that it will cost 20 per cent less to operate a car over a paved road than over an unpaved highway. This would mean a saving of 2 cents a mile in costs of operating on the paved road. But you say all the roads will not be paved. Agreed. Let us say you will drive half of the time over paved roads and half over unpaved. This means your saving will be one cent a mile on your season's mileage.

Now let us see what is the net cost to you in your license fees. The average assessed valuation of all cars listed for taxation on May 1, 1918, according to the records of the Minnesota tax commission was $140 a car. The average tax levy is approximately 40 mills (38.22 mills to be exact). This means the average taxes paid on motor cars in the state is $5.60. Your license fee now is $1.66, or a total for taxes and license of $7.25. Under the Babcock plan you are to pay $18, which will include your personal property tax. This is a net increase of $10.74.

Now, remembering your saving of 1 cent a mile as shown before, if you drive your car 1,074 miles a year, you will break even; if you drive 5,000 miles a year, you will get back, in saving on the cost of operating your car, $50 for the $10.74 which the plan has cost.

Can you find any objections to such a plan? Just think of it! Twenty-one thousand eight hundred and fifty miles of secondary roads to be built from existing funds and without increasing taxation one dollar! In addition to this, 7,000 miles of the most important and most expensive highways in the state to be built by the state of Minnesota with a fund which is entirely additional to any funds now being raised but which, in reality, brings a great benefit to the motor vehicle owners who pay it.

Ten Good Reasons.

1. Because it will give Minnesota a 7,000-mile trunk highway system to care for inter-county and state-wide traffic.
2. Because it will remove from the counties and townships the burden of building and maintaining these expensive highways.
3. Because it will release enough local funds to enable the counties and townships to build 21,850 miles of graveled roads at $5,000 a mile in ten years, if these funds are concentrated on this work.
4. Because this magnificent highway system of 28,850 miles of improved roads will be constructed without increasing general taxes in Minnesota a single penny.
5. Because the motor vehicle owners who pay increased fees will get their money back three-fold through a saving in the cost of operating the cars.
6. Because it will be the first time that Minnesota will be given an opportunity to treat its road building problems in a businesslike way.
7. Because it will make accessible to tourists the beauty spots of the state, turning idle capital into active investments, and thus bring millions of dollars into the state.
8. Because it will add hundreds of millions of dollars to the wealth of the state by reducing marketing costs and developing the agricultural resources of the state.
9. Because it will carry the benefits of good roads to all parts of the state simultaneously without waiting for the slow and wearisome process of road building. State maintenance begins at once.
10. Because it will give Minnesota the most wonderful road system, possessed by any state in the Union without increasing general taxes a single penny.

Be sure to vote "yes" on amendment No. 1 November 2.

PROSPECTS FOR FLOOD CONTROL REPORTED GOOD

MEMBER OF CONTROL BOARD FINDS SENTIMENT IN WASHINGTON FAVORABLE

STEENERSON BILL FOR IMPROVING RIVER LIKELY TO BECOME LAW

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT PROMISES TO RECOMMEND ITS PASSAGE TO CONGRESS

A favorable report by the subdrainage committee of the lower house of congress which should result in the passage of the Steenerson flood control bill, is expected by C. G. Selvig of Crookston, who has just returned from a conference at Washington on this subject. Mr. Selvig appeared before the committee on behalf of the Red Lake river drainage project and was accompanied by a state commission, with O. C. Neuman of Wheaton, as chairman, which represented the Minnesota river drainage project. Both factions co-operated in placing their pleas both before the house committee and the department of interior.

Will Report Favorably.

According to Mr. Selvig the interior department announced it would make a favorable report to the house drainage committee and the committee appeared to favor the Minnesota drainage projects.

The Steenerson bill provides for an assessment, not to exceed $2.50 an acre against Indian reservation lands for deepening and widening the Red Lake river. If adopted it will provide for the draining of the entire Red Lake basin and will mean a big benefit, particularly to thousands of acres in Pennington, Beltrami and Marshall counties.

Mr. Selvig recently said he urged that the Clearwater basin be handled in the same manner and added that it was possible his suggestion would be considered favorably. He also declared that Mr. Steenerson was working hard for the enactment of his bill and that if it was put through it would mean the culmination of ten years of work by valley men in their effort to have the Red Lake river widened and deepened to prevent floods.

Democratic County Convention.

Pursuant to call of the executive committee of the State Democratic State Central committee, a mass convention of the democratic voters of Pennington county, Minnesota, is hereby called to be held at the district court room in the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, Pennington county, Minnesota on Saturday the third day of April, A. D., 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of electing seven delegates and alternates, to the State Democratic convention called to be held at Minneapolis, Minnesota, on April 6, 1920, at which State Convention delegates will be chosen to attend the National Democratic convention.

All women affiliated with or who desire to affiliate with the Democratic party are cordially urged to attend and participate in said County Convention.

By order of Democratic County Committee.

O. GUNSTAD,
Chairman.
A. SAPERO,
Secretary.

U. C. T. Elects Officers.

At a regular meeting of Minnesota Council No. 521, United Commercial Travelers, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: L. G. Larsen, senior counselor; John Ward, junior counselor; D. R. Johnston, past counselor; E. M. Bennes, secretary-treasurer; John L. Rolland, conductor; F. A. Brown, page; Oscar C. Olson, sentinel; trustees for two years, C. Storholm and Julien Provencher.

Three Join Army.

Sergt. O'Hare of the regular army, was in the city last week seeking enlistments, secured three young men who will join different branches of the service. Sigvall Bjorge goes to Camp Grant, and Victor Dryer and William Calhoun to the Hawaiian islands. Sergt. O'Hare returned to the city on Saturday and will leave this evening.

Buys Farm Here.

C. A. Rinderknecht, formerly of Fairmont, Minn., arrived here last week and is getting things in shape for the spring work on the farm he recently purchased from Peter Johnson near Hazel. Mr. Rinderknecht is also an auctioneer of many years experience and will solicit a share of this business for the district.

May Wind Up Affairs of Red Lake Indians

REPORT IS THAT TRIBE WILL BE PUT ON OWN RESPONSIBILITY

Legislation designed to wind up the tribal affairs of the Chippewa Indians on the Red Lake reservation in Minnesota, placing them on their own responsibility, was recently before the Indian committee of the lower house of Congress, according to advices from Washington.

According to the report, Webster Ballanger, counsel for the General Council of the Chippewa Indians, placed charges with the committee to the effect that the Indian Bureau got congress in 1916 to create a national forest reserve in the Red Lake Reservation in Minnesota so that the land could not be divided among the Indians, and that agents of the bureau "who wanted to hold their jobs" had created factions among the Chippewa tribe.

Mr. Ballanger held that the General Council of the Chippewas represented most of the Indians, but Edgar B. Merritt, assistant commissioner of the Indian Bureau told the committee that the Red Lake band of Chippewas "refused to have anything to do with the election of the council."

A want ad in The Times Want Column is sure to bring the results that you expect. A trial next week

An Interesting Offer.

The Round Oak pipeless furnace advertising now being run in The Times by the P. J. Bottem Hardware company is attracting considerable attention. The manufacturers, thru their local agent, Mr. Bottem, intend holding a sale of these furnaces later in the season and are running these advertisements in order to acquaint the people in this neighborhood with their merits. This heating system will be installed in a number of houses in this vicinity before next fall.

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WARNS NATION OF RED PERIL

U. S. Department of Justice Urges Americans to Guard Against Bolshevism Menace.

CALLS RED PLANS CRIMINAL

Press, Church, Schools, Labor Unions and Civic Bodies Called Upon to Teach True Purpose of Bolshevist Propaganda.

Washington.—Calling for the patriotic support of all true Americans in its fight to protect their homes, religion and property from the spreading menace of Bolshevism, the United States Department of Justice has issued a warning against the insidious propaganda of the "Reds" during the new year. It reads:

"It would be extremely helpful to the cause of good government, the maintenance of law and order and the preservation of peace and happiness in our country if the people on this New Year's day would resolve to study, understand and appreciate the so-called 'Red' movement. They can counteract it most effectively by teaching its purpose through the press, the church, the schools, patriotic organizations and labor unions, all of which are within the range of its insidious attacks.

"Red" Theories Criminal.

"The 'Red' movement does not mean an attitude of protest against alleged defects in our present political and economic organization of society. It does not represent the radicalism of progress. It represents a specific doctrine—namely, the introduction of dictatorships the world over by force and violence. It is not a movement of liberty-loving persons, but a distinctly criminal and dishonest movement. Lenine himself made the statement at the Third Soviet Conference, 'Among one hundred so-called Bolshevists there is one real Bolshevik, thirty-nine criminals and sixty fools.' It advocates the destruction of all ownership in property, the destruction of all religion and belief in God. It is a movement organized against Democracy and in favor of the power of the few built by force. Bolshevism, syndicalism, the Soviet Government, sabotage, etc., are only names for old theories of violence and criminality.

Russian Labor Crushed.

"Though their adherents in this country are advocating and fomenting strikes, Lenine and Trotzky forbid strikes, and trade unions are being broken up and completely subordinated to the will of the few demagogues in control in Russia. This Bolshevist experiment on the living body of the Russian people has not proven in any sense of the word an experiment in Democracy. The Bolshevist leaders frankly repudiate democratic principles as we understand them. It has been a gamble which meant for Russia, and, indeed, for the whole of humanity, enormous losses in lives as well as in material resources. The Bolshevists have run up a colossal bill which the Russian workmen and peasants will have to pay.

"Reds" Menace America.

"Having lived at the expense of the Russian people for two years, these speculators in human lives and other people's earnings are trying to move to new fields to the east and to the west, hoping to take advantage of the economic distress and confusion of mind in which humanity finds itself after the terrific strain of five years of war.

"Its sympathizers in this country are composed chiefly of criminals, mistaken idealists, social bigots and many unfortunate men and women suffering with varying forms of hyperesthesia. They are enemies of the government, of the church and of the home and advocate principles which mean the abolition of all three of these safeguards of civilization.

Would Rob Everybody.

"Twenty million people in this country own Liberty Bonds. These the 'Reds' propose to take away; 9,830,000 people in the United States own farms and 3,838,000 more own homes, which they would forfeit; 11,000,000 odd people have savings accounts in savings banks and 18,000,000 people have deposits in our national banks, at which they aim. There are hundreds of thousands of churches and religious institutions, all of which they would abolish. In other words, 110,000,000 hard-working and saving people who own property, love liberty and worship God are asked to abandon all the ideals of religion, liberty and government, which are the outcome of the struggles of their fathers and their own development, and to place themselves, their homes, their family and their religious faith in the keeping and their property under the domination of a small group of Lenines and Trotzkys.

Protection Promised.

"This department, as far as existing laws allow, intends during the forthcoming year to keep up an unflinching, persistent, aggressive warfare against any movement, no matter how cloaked or dissembled, having for its purpose either the promulgation of these ideas or the excitation of sympathy for those who spread them. The movement will not be permitted to go far enough in this country to disturb our peace and well-being or create any widespread distrust of the people's government. It will fall away before the light of popular knowledge and appreciation of its aims and purposes."

Shortening Trunk Highways.
(Minneapolis Journal.)

In laying out trunk highways, preparatory to building paved roadbeds, the tendency is to connect the larger centers of population by the shortest, most direct routes, even tho it involves entirely new construction.

The shortening of a thoroughfare by even so little as a mile, is a measure of importance, particularly if the road is to carry a large volume of traffic. Estimating ten cents a mile per vehicle as the cost of travel, and supposing such a highway to be traveled by five hundred vehicles a day, the saving by the shortening of one mile would amount in a year to $18,250, or the interest at five per cent on $365,000.

Permanent roads once down, are not easily torn up and changed. Neither should they be thoughtlessly laid down. Much that is done in concrete this year will be sound and serviceable a century hence. The saving of a mile a day amounts to an enormous amount in a century.

A few thousand dollars, therefore, spent at the start for expert engineering, may save the State millions in a few years' travel.

Great Farming Year Says Grain Official

NORTHWEST MUST RAISE ANOTHER BIG CROP; WINTER WHEAT POOR

An unprecedented era of prosperity for the northwest, with high prices for wheat, is forecast by C. C. Chambers, president of the Consumers' Grain company, who has just returned to St. Paul after an extensive trip through the south and in the winter wheat sections of the country.

He passed through the winter wheat territory by two different routes on his way to Florida, where he spent a short vacation.

All of the winter wheat section has been subject to alternate thaws and freezes, which have greatly deteriorated the seed, and he predicts that the crop in that section will be very short. There was little snow south of Illinois, and with the cold weather the seed wheat was frozen, he reports, while there is little moisture in the ground.

Mr. Chambers' findings are borne out in the estimates of the government regarding the winter wheat states. In contrast, the Northwest has had an abundance of snow this winter and the soil should be in excellent condition. With favorable weather, the northwest is assured of a big crop and with the winter wheat states producing less than usual, there should be big prices as well as large yields.

Mr. Chambers reports that the garden and fruit products of the South have been greatly damaged by recent frosts.

Life Sentence For Bank Robber Keyes

JUDGE GRINDELAND IMPOSES EXTREME PENALTY—FIRST TIME IN STATE

Forty minutes after the jury had gone out in the Farmers' State Bank of Lengby robbery case late Friday evening, Dan Keyes was declared guilty of the crime. At 7:30 o'clock Judge A. Grindeland sentenced the man to life imprisonment in the state penitentiary at Stillwater. This is the first life sentence in the state for a man holding up a bank.

The trial of Dan Keyes was opened before the Polk county district court Monday morning. A jury was selected and at 3 o'clock that afternoon the state opened its case. Friday forenoon the defendant took the stand and denied guilt. He claimed that the five thousand dollars he had in his possession when arrested had been left him several years ago by a sister who died at the age of 17 years; that he was not in Lengby at the time of the robbery and that the state witnesses told falsehoods when they identified him as the robber.

Local Notes

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson of St. Hilaire, were in the city Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Edberg returned to this city on Friday afternoon from Warroad where they had been since Monday.

Mrs. G. W. Hooper of St. Hilaire was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. N. Peck last week, returning Thursday afternoon.

Misses Gunhild, Alvina, Myrtle and Olivia Solem and Edith Erickson of Holt, were shoppers and visitors in this city Friday.

Mrs. Tillie Sjolsvold who received dental treatment in this city Thursday, returned to her home at Holt Friday morning.

Miss Carrie Ryan left this city Saturday morning for Holt where she has accepted a position as teacher in the Ringbo school.

Miss Vida Anderson, who spent two weeks visiting with friends and relatives at Aberdeen, S. D., returned here Wednesday morning.

Miss Sarah Arndt arrived on Saturday morning from Fargo, where she is employed and will spend a few days visiting with friends.

W. H. Frederick, C. S. Simonson, H. W. Protzeller and T. J. Austad attended the Elks' initiation held in Crookston Thursday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Schmiser left on Saturday morning for Sprague, Ont., Can., where she will remain at the home of a brother for an indefinite period.

Olaf Neset left on Wednesday morning for Erskine, where he attended the funeral services of a relative. He returned in the evening.

Miss Louise Wilson of St. Hilaire shopped and visited in this city on Saturday, coming here in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

Dan Patterson came up from St. Hilaire on Thursday morning and attended to matters of business, returning to his home in the afternoon.

Mrs. Earl Doland of Grand Forks arrived here on Saturday morning and visited for a few days at the home of he parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams.

Misses Gustie and Johanna Behn, who are taking up a course in dressmaking in this city, spent Sunday with their parents, who reside in Red Lake Falls.

Miss Rose Gunstad, a student in the local high school, spent the week-end at her parental home in St. Hilaire, returning to this city on Monday morning.

Morlan Bishop of Strathcona was among the Roseau delegation in attendance at the Republican District convention held in Fergus Falls Friday of last week.

Mrs. J. B. Propp and baby returned to her home in Ogemah Thursday evening after having visited in this city at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Adolphs.

H. A. Hall of Minneapolis spent Wednesday at the C. Granum home in this city. He left on Thursday morning for Middle River, where he attended to business matters.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds left on Wednesday afternoon for Crookston and Ada where she will be the guest of friends and relatives before going to Minneapolis where she will remain indefinitely.

Miss Effie Hamry, vice chairman of the Pennington county organization of Republican women, left on Thursday afternoon for Fergus Falls where she attended the district convention.

Miss Theone Walker, pianist; Ben Lonson cornetist and Norman, Dybvig, drummer, left on Saturday morning for Middle River where they had been engaged to play for a dance that evening.

Mrs. L. Anderson and children returned to their home at Middle River Thursday morning after a few days' visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Norberg in this city.

Miss Clara Sorenson was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson of this city. She returned to Wylie on Monday to resume her duties as teacher.

Mrs. John Skomedahl and son, of Steiner, visited here the latter part of last week at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Carl Christofferson. They returned to their home Fiday morning.

Miss Esther Warner, who is employed as saleslady at Loken Brothers' department store, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, who reside near Holt. She returned to her duties on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman of the Ninth district organization of Republican women, left on Thursday afternoon for Fergus Falls where she was in attendance at the Republican district convention held on Friday.

Mrs. R. L. Barackman, president, and Mrs. C. R. Crandall, treasurer, of the Presbyterial Missionary society of the Presbyterian church, left on Thursday afternoon for East Grand Forks to attend a two-day session of that society.

Miss Olivia Solem arrived Thursday afternoon from Holt where she spent the past month at the home of her parents. She left in the evening via the Soo for Minneapolis where she is attending the university. Miss Solem was graduated from the local high school and is well known in this city.

The following ministers of the Lutheran Free church were in attendance at the meetings held at the Zion Lutheran church in this city last week: Rev. E. Mortenson, Fosston; Rev. O. M. Bakke, Battle Lake; Rev. H. E. Bode, Melford; Rev. J. Hjelmland, Newfolden, and Rev. A. G. Dahle, Maple Bay.

Mrs. Dr. Spinks, accompanied by her sister, Miss Agnes Bakke, who has been her guest for a few days, arrived on Wednesday afternoon from Middle River. The former returned to her home the following morning while the latter left the same evening via the Soo for Fargo where she is employed.

Arthur Olson of Fargo arrived on Wednesday evening from McIntosh, where he spent a brief period visiting with friends, leaving the following morning for Middle River, where he is visiting at the home of his parents for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Case, who have spent the past couple of months visiting in the states of Illinois, Wisconsin and Michigan, arrived here last week and will be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rolland. Mr. Case is a brother of Mrs. Rolland.

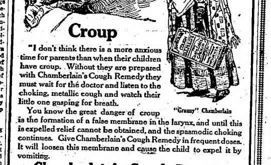
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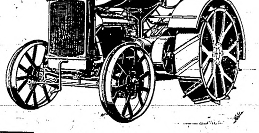

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AMENDMENT NO. 1 EXPLAINED

In another column of The Times today will be found an article by the State Highway commission explaining the purposes of Amendment No. 1, known as the Babcock Good Roads Amendment. This proposition will come before the voters at the general election next fall and should be understood thoroughly by all our people.

That there will be no objection to this proposed law on the part of residents along its course, goes without saying. Those located some distance from it, however, may consider it none of their particular business and on this account fail to register their votes for it. Such neglect on their part will count the same as if they had voted "no."

As is explained in the commission's article, a feature of the bill not generally taken into consideration is the effect the passage of this amendment will have on the lateral or feeder roads. These are now often neglected by reason of the fact that the main lines take all the money *available in many of the counties for* highway work during the year. The highways connecting cities are always in need of repair and the less important ones get what is left after the matter has been attended to. This is often very little and the result is that the man who resides any distance from the main traveled line is left to wallow through the best he can.

The relative position of the main lines and the laterals will remain about the same as at present if the Babcock amendment is passed, with this difference: The side lines will be at least as good as the main roads are now while the latter will be much better. Any farmer ought to be able to realize how this will affect him.

In case the amendment is adopted it means a program of road building covering about ten years. By that time Minnesota will have a system of highways second to none in the United States although there will be others as well off, a number of states having already passed laws similar to that now proposed here. In every instance the plan is the same—a tax on automobiles covering the cost.

The article referred to explains just what this cost will be. It shows how the automobile owner will be the gainer in the end and how the farmer will be a greater gainer from the outset. Any person interested in seeing Minnesota lifted out of the mud should read it carefully. It effectually does away with all objections advanced against the amendment.

POTATO ORGANIZATIONS

The farmers of Polk county have organized a potato growers' association, every section being represented in the membership. The plan is to keep steadily working toward a better grade, uniform in variety and free from disease. A more important step has never been taken by the farmers of a neighboring county.

No section of the United States can produce more or better potatoes than northwestern Minnesota. Growers who have intelligently followed the business have found it most profitable and dependable. The trouble is that the policy employed has been haphazard and without definite purpose. Had the same attention been paid to the improvement of potatoes as has been the case with livestock the results would have been similar and it might even be a question as to which was the most profitable.

Potato associations not only result in greatly increased yields being obtained, but invariably insure higher prices for their members. Seed of uniform kind and quality is secured for an entire neighborhood and the result is that when harvest comes there is a large supply to be secured within a small area. Marketing is a part of the association's business and buyers are readily found who are willing to pay top prices because of their ability to deal quickly for the entire crop. Being in a position to hold its wares the association, need not sell in small dabs to the first comer and can command consideration where an individual would only be laughed at.

An organization of this kind is needed in Pennington county and in every other county in the district. These might in turn join one central sales association covering the entire valley and owning warehouses at the most convenient points. This would provide for the handling of the crop through one sales department for the entire section, lowering the handling cost and insuring the best price.

Certified seed, uniform grades and economical handling would make this the greatest potato district in the country.

TRYING OUT SUGAR BEETS

Many farmers in Northwestern Minnesota will this year try their luck with a new crop. The world's demand for sugar has become so insistent that the growing of the beet from which the staple is extracted is receiving a great deal of attention throughout all the northern states. It has been demonstrated that sugar beets of the finest quality can be produced in this section and there is a campaign on foot to have farmers interest themselves more generally in the industry.

Sugar beets have been grown at a profit when commanding a price of five dollars per ton. The Pennington county farmers who have contracted with the Minnesota Sugar company to grow small plots during the coming summer are guaranteed a price of ten dollars per ton. The seed will be furnished and need not be paid for until the crop is harvested. In addition to this the company agrees to superintend the cultivation and harvesting.

The arrangement opens a great possibility. The crop itself is bringing a price that makes it profitable, but this is perhaps the least of the advantages claimed for it. The beet is a soil builder of the highest order and will reclaim land of poor quality faster than anything that can be put into it. The roots extend to a great depth, opening the soil and tapping reservoirs of fertility that could be reached by nothing else except alfalfa. It has been demonstrated that where sugar beets have been grown the subsequent yields of other crops have been increased as high as twenty per cent. The sugar beet requires intensive cultivation and is for this reason the best land cleaner that can be employed. The money received for the crop itself is therefore but a small part of its actual value.

Many people are of the opinion that the United States produces more sugar than it consumes, but such is far from being the case. The total consumption during the calendar year of 1915, for instance, was 4,257,713 tons of which only 1,130,555 tons were produced in this country. The idea is also general that the cane-growing states supply a large share of what is consumed, but this again is an error. Out of the total consumed less than six per cent is obtained from this source. The likelihood of this being greatly increased is very remote and the beet will have to supply the deficiency unless we are to continue making vast purchases abroad.

During the year above quoted, which is the last for which statistics are at hand, there were 84 beet sugar factories in the United States, only one of which is in Minnesota. The total amount of beets purchased was 6,511,274 tons produced on 611,301 acres of land, an average of about ten and one-half tons. At the 1920 contract price this would represent a gross return of $105 per acre. Compare this with the income fom an acre of wheat.

During the same period these factories employed between 30,000 and 40,000 men, distributed $75,000,000 to farmers, supply houses, railroads and wage earners, the 65,000 farmers who supplies beets coming in for $73,000,000 of the total. The sugar produced amounted to 874,220 tons of a total value of $85,000,000. The beet sugar output in 1916-17 was approximately one million tons.

Northwestern farmers will do well to give this subject more careful consideration. No region that has gone in for sugar beet raising has ever abandoned it, proving conclusively that the returns must be satisfactory. The beet-growing sections are the most prosperous in the country, not alone because of the profit in the crop itself, but for the more important reason that it conserves and enriches the soil, insuring larger yields of subsequent crops.

THE RENTER'S AWAKENING

The very best thing that could possibly happen to the man renting a farm in southern Minnesota or northern Iowa would be that the land on which he is trying to make a living should go up in price to $1,000 per acre. It has reached about half that now in some cases and many have already been emancipated. Incidentally any such advance in land prices down there would be the best thing that could happen to northern Minnesota.

No renter can make more than a bare living on land costing more than $150 per acre, let alone four times that much. Some are sticking it out against their better judgment, but thousands have taken the trouble to look around, with the result that they have seen the folly of devoting their time and energy to making another man's investment pay a profit and will hereafter see if they cannot do something for themselves.

Iowa and southern Minnesota farm owners no longer care anything about the man who rents on shares. They want cash. We are informed by recent arrivals here that this sometimes runs as high as $35 per acre, and that it is being paid. Even with the prices of farm produce at their present level no man can stand this and the exodus of renters is such as to cause grave concern among landlords. Even among farmers themselves—those who are still tilling their own holdings—large numbers are found anxious to let go and seek locations where conditions are more nearly normal.

Many of these homeseekers are coming to Pennington county. One such said the other day that the movement away from the high-price regions has only started and that the coming summer and fall would see the greatest influx of experienced farmers to this section ever recorded. They find that they can almost become owners of farms in this neighborhood for the amount necessary to cover a year's rent where they come from. As soon as they get over the notion that this is a cut-over district and that winter is the only season to be depended on with any degree of certainty, they become enthusiastic over the prospects held out and generally make arrangements for permanent settlement at once.

They are most welcome. Generally they have some means with which to make a start and always they have better sense than to believe that they will grow rich in a year or two but are determined to work sensibly and energetically toward independence and a competence. For such there will be no disappointments. They have cast their lot in the best and most promising region of low-priced lands now remaining on the American continent and future years will demonstrate the wisdom of their course.

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But procrastination is the thief of time and time is money and all too many of us are prone to raise our voices—soprano, tenor and bass—in the popular melody, "I just can't save money." Still way down in our hearts we have a feeling that, under certain circumstances, we really can save and that we don't is due more to the fact that we lack a desirable method of procedure rather than the necessary funds.

Realizing this to be true and viewing with apprehension the present day tendency toward wholesale extravagance, many of the banks of the Ninth Federal Reserve district are opening up a new avenue for savings—the partial payment plan for the purchase of United States Treasury Savings Certificates, the $100 maturity value certificates being obtainable for as low as $2 a week.

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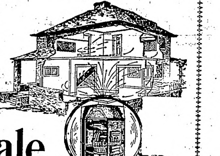

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A Round Oak is the one pipeless furnace that lasts a full generation and is bolted to prevent the leakage of soot, gas or dust. See the patented bolted construction! Also fire proof, and built entirely of heavy durable parts. Examine them! Burns all fuels at big savings. Holds fire a day. Circulates warm, moist, healthful air that prevents furniture from falling to pieces. The best pipeless made—yet, pound for pound, the lowest in cost, and lower priced right now than ever again, we believe. Only 7 days left. Come right in and visit our SPECIAL DISPLAY.

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Call or write for a copy of the Round Oak Pipeless Furnace Book which clearly illustrates and explains the many exclusive features of the best pipeless furnace on the market.

P. J. Bottem Hardware Company

A MAXWELL
reveals the Wisdom of Light Weight

A MAXWELL car carrier the same average passenger weight over the same roads and at the same speed as other cars, regardless of their weight and price. To do this task at extremely low cost is the particular mission of the Maxwell.

Therefore it was necessary to eliminate every pound of superfluous weight, for each added pound to carry around meant added expense.

How to reduce the weight without reducing the strength thus became the vital engineering problem in this car.

To maintain the required strength without increasing weight necessitated the use of the best materials. The great science of metallurgy supplies the answer. Such metals are obviously the quality metals; and a Maxwell car contains them throughout.

An analysis will show that pound for pound the metals that go into a Maxwell car are comparable with the metals in the highest priced cars in the world.

That is the underlying reason why Maxwell cars have given such rare account of themselves in every latitude and clime and have responded so well to every task to which they have been committed.

They hold the greatest efficiency-economy record a car has ever made—22,020 miles at an average speed of 25 miles an hour, with an average of 22 miles to the gallon of gasoline.

And during this test the engine never once stopped, day or night. It was continuous, low-cost, highly reliable mileage.

Such steels, such certainty of performance, such saving, have won many friends for Maxwell.

Prichard Auto Company

Local Notes

Miss Edith Nelson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping in this city on Wednesday.

Joe Dostal left on Wednesday evening for the cities where he attended to business matters.

Miss Huldah Johnson left on Wednesday morning for Duluth, where she expects to be employed.

Mrs. J. C. Knox arrived Wednesday from Hill City and will visit at the home of Mrs. C. M. Falley.

Mrs. Louise Hewitt left on Wednesday evening for the cities where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson left on Thursday afternoon for Crookston where she spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. H. W. Lazier and son left Thursday of last week for Beltrami where they visited over Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. S. Squire returned to her home in Warroad on Wednesday morning after having attended to business matters here.

Glenn Richardson arrived Saturday evening from Bronson and spent Sunday with his wife who is visiting at the John Skog home.

Paul Midderigh left on Wednesday evening with the Schmiser children for Owatonna, where they were entered into the state home.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant and Mrs. J. T. Turley left on Saturday evening for the cities where they will spend a few days visiting.

Mrs. P. Johnson of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city on Thursday, arriving in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

Miss Mary Ahlberg returned to her home in Middle River Wednesday after having had an operation for appendicitis at the local hospital.

Miss Laura Johnson, who visited in this city at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Olson, for a few days last week, returned to her home at Steiner Thursday.

J. Thompson and family left on Wednesday for Saskatchewan, Can., after a three months' visit at the home of Mrs. Thompson's father, A. Olson, of this city.

Mrs. J. Parbst and two children, who have spent the winter at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rustebakke, left on Wednesday morning for their home at Star City, Saskatchewan, Can.

Mrs. Mary Mearow, who has been spending the winter in Spokane, Wash., with her son, J. A. Mearow, arrived Saturday and will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boyden of Middle River, are the parents of a son, born on March 19th, in Minneapolis. The former came down from Middle River Saturday and visited with friends until traintime when he left for Minneapolis. Mr. Boyden is well known to local people having formerly resided here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Boyden, and graduating from the local high school with the class of 1914.

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Sure Death to Corns

"Gets-It" Makes 'Em Lose Their Grip and Lift Off Painlessly.

The first thing "Gets-It" does when it lands on a corn or callus is to snuff out the pain. Then it shrivels the corn or callus and loosens it.

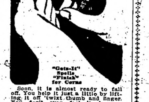
"Gets-It" Spells "Finish" for Corns

Soon, it is almost ready to fall off. You help it just a little by lifting it off 'twixt thumb and finger. You don't even feel it, because there is no hurt left in it. Millions have proved it the cleanest, surest, safest and most pleasant method. "Gets-It," the never failing, guaranteed money-back corn remover costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mf'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by

J. P. CURTIS
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE
ANDREW BOTTELSON

GIVE INSIGHT TO CHARACTER

Shape of Eyebrows Reveal Vigor, Insincerity, Lack of Vitality, and Many Other Things.

It is now conceded that the Greek eyebrow is quite in accord with the conception of mere physical beauty in women. Like the rosebud mouth, it does not indicate the highest order of intelligence and the arch is expressive always of greater sensibility and greater sense of character, says London Tit-Bits.

Scant growth of the eyebrows invariably denotes lack of vitality; on the contrary, heavy, thick eyebrows indicate a strong constitution and great physical endurance. They are not beautiful on a woman's face, however much they may signify either mental or bodily vigor, and when they are not only heavy, but droop and meet at the nose, they are disagreeable and are said to accompany an insincere and prying nature.

Romantic women usually have a very well-defined arch in the center of the eyebrow, while a sense of humor is indicated in the arch nearer the nose. Long, drooping eyebrows, lying wide apart, indicate an amiable disposition. Where the eyebrows are lighter in color than the hair, the indications are lack of vitality and great sensitiveness. Faintly defined eyebrows placed high above the nose are signs of indolence and weakness.

Very black eyebrows give the face an intense and searching expression; when natural, they accompany a passionate temperament. Very light eyebrows rarely are seen on strongly intellectual faces, although the color of the *eyebrows is not accepted* simply as denoting lack of intelligence; the form gives the key to the faculties and their direction. Red eyebrows denote great fervor and ambition; brown, a medium between red and black.

EDUCATION AND THE PUMPKIN

Eastern Writer Points Out Wherein the Two Have Some Strong Points of Similarity.

At one of our city vegetable marts one day a farmer displayed with commendable pride a huge pumpkin of alluring aspect, with the statement that it grew "full twenty feet from the stalk," remarks Rochester Post-Express. This habit of wandering in tortuous uselessness to a long distance from the source of production before the fruit of the vine is produced is long known of the pumpkin.

It would not be amiss for our educators to consider the pumpkin vine; unquestionably some of them have in earlier days, but whether with a view to its close analogy to educational processes is uncertain. Perhaps it is too much to say that the best fruit of the educational vine is produced from its original source; that what comes of schooling is something quite different from the apparent result at the source; that the best things a man or woman does are very different from the particular, or nonparticularized thing, he or she is directly taught to do. We are turning to the business of making our schools show quick fruitage of working ability.

But it is at least a fair hazard to opine that the pupils who become "some pumpkins" will often as not be products known a long way from the special process of education that extreme vocationalists advise.

COLOGNE'S UPS AND DOWNS

Important German City of the Present Has Had Its Periods of Dire Adversity.

During the Middle Ages Cologne was a place of great trade; the weavers, the goldsmiths, and the armorers of the city were famous the world over; while its merchants had houses in London, and the city itself was accorded a chief place in the Hanseatic league. Decay set in with the dawn of the Reformation, and the place owed its downfall to its intolerance. Thus, its university, which in the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries had a great reputation, began at once to decline. This policy dealt severe blows at the prosperity of the town, and when, in 1794, Cologne was occupied by the French, it was a poor and decayed city of some 40,000 inhabitants, of which only 6,000 possessed civil rights. Since 1815, however, when it was finally assigned to Prussia, Cologne has continued to prosper, until today it is one of the most important cities of Germany, with a population of nearly half a million.

The Times, $2.00 per year.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to go more extensively into sheep raising, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the southwest quarter of section 25, Highlanding township, being 7 miles south and 3 miles east of Goodridge, and 3 miles east and ½ mile south of Highlanding postoffice, the following described personal property, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31, 1920

Commencing at 10:00 o'clock

HORSES

1 Black mare, 4 years old, wt. 1150
1 Black mare, 4 years old, wt. 1200

PUREBRED SHORTHORN CATTLE

No. 142895 Glora, color red, calved March 9, 1911
No. 221808 Mollie, color red and white, calved June 26, 1915
No. 524742 Ruby, color red, calved Nov. 27, 1915
No. 849199 Sally, color red and white, calved March 20, 1919
No. 849198 Prince, color red and white, calved April 20, 1919
No. 48857 Duke, color roan, calved Sept. 30, 1912, weight about 1900
Lizzie, color red and white, 3 years old, pedigree will be furnished
Yarico, color red, 2 years old, pedigree will be furnished
Bull calf, color red, 2 months old, pedigree will be furnished

GRADE SHORTHORN CATTLE

1 Gray cow, 11 years old
1 Red cow, 9 years old, milking
1 Spotted cow, 7 years old, fresh
1 Red cow, 7 years old, fresh in May
1 Spotted cow, 6 years old, milking
1 Red cow, 6 years old, milking
1 Red cow, 7 years old, milking
1 Red cow, 13 years old, milking
1 Red cow, 4 years old fresh in May
1 Red cow, 4 years old, fresh in May
1 Red cow, 3 years old, fresh in May
1 Red heifer, 2 years old
1 Red and white heifer, 2 years old
1 Red heifer, 2 years old
5 Red and white heifers, 1 year old
1 Red bull, 1 year old

MACHINERY

1 Threshing outfit consisting of 30-horse power Gaar-Scott steam engine and 40-60 Minneapolis separator, complete with wing feeders
1 30-60 Hart-Parr gas tractor, also Rumely 6 bottom plows, stubble and breakers
1 Fuller & Johnson pump engine
Overland 7-passenger touring car, 1914 model.
1 Emerson 14-in. gang plow
1 Rock Island 16-in. sulky plow with breaker attachment
2 Oliver 20-in. breakers, with truck, broke only 8 acres with them
1 Osborne disc, 16 disc, with truck
1 Osborne disc, 12 disc, with truck
1 Plano 10-ft. self dump hay rake
1 Good wide tire wagon
1 8-bbl. gasoline tank
1 Bone grinder
2 Pairs of ox harness
1 160-ft. 8 inch wide, 5 ply drive belt, used only 8 days
1 8-bbl. wooden tank
1 Good steel range
1 Shingle mill

NOTE: Arrangements for special terms might be had for the purchase of the threshing outfit and the gas tractor and plows

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

ANDREW T. NELSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, Clerk.

4-Dwellings-4
At Public Auction

Solve your housing problem by owning your own home!

To help you do this I will offer for sale at public auction the properties described below, at their respective locations, beginning at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on

Friday, March 26, 1920

No. 1—No. 308 Horace Ave. No., 4-room house on 25-ft. lot. Electric lighted.

NO. 2—No. 1015 Horace Ave. No., 6-room house on 3 lots, (75-ft. frontage.) House has good cistern. Electric lighted.

NO. 3—No. 1023 Horace Ave. N., 6-room house on 3lots (75-ft. frontage.) Good drilled well on premises. Electric lighted.

TERMS: On these three properties terms will be given as follows: One-fourth of purchase price cash; balance in three equal payments, with interest at 6 per cent per annum.

NO. 4—At No. 214, 11th Street. 4-room house and a barn to be moved off the lots. Terms on this cash, or bankable paper.

Do not miss this chance to get a home cheap!

L. KRUSE, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

—OVERLOOKED—

I have sold some of my houses, but my best bargains have been overlooked.

If you want something for investment, look up what I have to offer in flats and duplexes. I can show you something worth while to investigate if you want good returns on your money. I also have a few houses left at a bargain. Rents have gone up but they will still go higher, so will the prices on houses.

The man who has not provided himself with a home is loosing money every day. Investigate.

M. V. EVENSON

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will at public auction all of my personal property, on my farm, the Northwest Quarter of Section 15, Kratka Township, on

Monday, April 5th

Commencing at 11:00 O'clock.

One black team, 10 years old, weight 2,400 lbs.
One sorrel horse, 10 years old, weight 1,400 lbs.
One bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 1,400 lbs.
One gelding, 4 years old, wt. 1,300 lbs.

18 HEAD OF CATTLE

Six young milch cows, all fresh
One yearling heifer
Two steers, 2 years old
Three yearling steers
Five calves, 3 months old
One bull, 2 years old (Hereford)

FARM MACHINERY AND OTHER ARTICLES

One Deering binder, 6-ft. cut, with truck
One McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
One Deering mower, 5-ft. cut
One McCormick hay rake
One International sweep rake
One Superior hay stacker
One Van Brunt drill, 16 double disc, with seeder attachment
One Van Brunt shoe drill
One disc with truck (12 disc)
One Emerson gang plow, 13-in.
One Emerson sulky plow, 16 inch, with breaking attachment
One 4-horse drag, 4 sections
One John Deere prairie breaker, 14 inch
One Moline wide tire wagon
One narrow tire wagon
One single top buggy
One bob sleigh, 7-ft. runners
Two hay racks
One new wagon box
One Maxwell touring car
One Hero fanning mill
One 1,000-lb. platform scale
One complete set blacksmith tools
Two steel oil barrels with faucets, 50-gal.
One U. S. cream separator No. 6
One 8-gal. cream can
Two sets working harness
One saddle
Forty grain sacks
250 ft. oak lumber
20 Wyandotte chickens
1,000 lbs. Timothy seed
200 bushels oats
12 ton Timothy hay

HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES, Etc

Iron bed with spring, brass bed, leather couch, dresser, kitchen table, rocking chair with leather cushions, three other chairs, heating stove, cook stove, 3-burner kerosene oil stove, Winchester repeating rifle, 32 special), repeating shot gun, 12 gauge, (Winchester); sewing machine, 8-day Mantle clock, kitchen cabinet, and other household furniture and articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

Carl Hoven, Owner

L. O. KONGELF, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my place on the Southwest Quarter of Section Ten, Township of Norden, one and one-half miles south of Rosewood and eight miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

Friday, April 9

Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M.

LIVESTOCK

1 Cow 8 years old, fresh in February
1 Cow 6 years old, fresh in February
1 Cow 3 years old, fresh in February
1 Cow 6 years old, fresh last of Dec.
1 Heifer, two years old
2 Heifers, one years old
4 Calves
25 Chickens

FARM MACHINERY

1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut
1 Deering mower
1 Disc drill with grass seed attachment
1 16-in. John Deere sulky plow, with breaking attachment
1 Stock tank and heater
1 Single buggy
1 Sweep rake
1 Self dumping hay rake
1 Wide tire wagon
1 Narrow tire wagon
1 Wagon box
1 Pair bob sleighs
1 Jumper
1 Hay rack
1 Flax attachment for mower
1 Road scraper
1 1,000-lb. scale
1 DeLaval cream separator
1 1-horse cultivator
1 set work harness
1 14-in. brush breaker

OTHER ARTICLES

1 Ford touring car in first class condition
1 cook stove
1 Heating stove
1 Kerosene stove
1 Washing machine
Some oats
Some grain sacks
Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums $10.00 or under, cash; on sums over that amount time will be given until November 1st, 1920, on bankable paper.

MRS. EVA CARLSON Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. A. S. HOLM, Clerk.

The grains of seed wheat, besides being all of one variety, should also be heavy, plump and spherical and free from dirt, weed seeds, or injured, sick or immature kernels.

The seed promotes stooling and the production of spring plants and benefits yield and quality of grain as well as making a stiffer straw. In a small or shriveled seed there is insufficient food supply or an imperfectly developed grain, so the plants from such seed usually have not the power to live although the seed may sprout quite successfully.

Therefore the wise farmer will see that his seed is recleaned thoroughly. One of the most profitable things to do is run the seed through a fanning mill a second time so that the kernels will all be the same size, which will enable them to get an even start and mature at the same time.

SPRING WHEAT

The acreage of spring wheat in 1919 was much greater and up to June we had the promise of the very best crop on record, yet the weather conditions in many localities were such that in Minnesota, North and South Dakota only about 114,000,000 bushels were harvested, much of it being very chaffy, scabby and smutty and unfit for seed.

More than 80,000,000 bushels have already been marketed and our seed requirements for the three states are about 15,000,000 bushels.

As every grain man knows, the wheat now being shipped is badly mixed, full of trash and light in weight, making much of it unfit for seed.

So it therefore becomes imperative that all of those interested in the prosperity of the Northwest should unite for action, make a local survey of seed conditions and where there is a surplus of good seed, make it known, and where there is a shortage, immediately locate proper seed and make some arrangement for financing it and distributing it to the farmers. If there is any 1918 wheat at your station of good quality, you should see that it is held for seeding? Don't mix it in with the new wheat to make grades. You might possibly save a fraction of a cent, but you will sacrifice many bushels in the next crop.

The farmer must first become prosperous before any one can prosper.

PROSPERITY

In a good wheat year every one is prosperous. The farmer must be prosperous before anyone else may prosper. We must have bread and the world is willing to pay the farmer a liberal price for his wheat.

CLEAN SEED

Hitch Your Grader to Your Gas Engine and Fan and Fan—Do a Good Job; Money In It.

Seed wheat is so bad this year that it will be necessary to do some very radical cleaning with the fanning mill. All of the shriveled and diseased kernels should be fanned out. Probably enough seed may be had on almost any farm if the fanning and grading is done severely enough. It has been claimed by many farmers that all seeds, large and small, will grow equally well, but this is not so. A plump seed carries its own food until such time as the shoots and rootlets may be sprouted sufficiently to take nourishment from soil and air. The seed must carry enough plant food so that it will produce a strong plant.

The fanning mill should operate both by screen agitation and wind blast. Some farmers do not use the fanning mill, because it is the only machine on the farm that they cannot ride, but it is a very simple matter to hitch up the hind leg of your Ford and run the fanning mill with a belt. You probably have a gasoline engine for other work. Hitch it to your fanning mill and do a good job.

You cannot take too much care in preparing your seed for this year. Seed is scarce and high. You are guilty of criminal negligence, if you omit to do so. Now is the time for every man to give patriotic service and reconstruction must begin with food and food is based on wheat.

CLEAN SEED WHEAT

The grains of seed wheat besides being all of one variety, should also be heavy, plump and spherical and free from dirt, weed seeds or injured, sick or immature kernels. Heavy seed promotes stooling and the production of spring plants and benefits yield and quality of grain as well as making a stiffer straw. In a small or shriveled seed there is insufficient food supply or an imperfectly developed germ, so the plants from such seed usually have not the power to live, although the seed may sprout quite successfully. Therefore the wise farmer will see that his seed is recleaned thoroughly. One of the most profitable things to do is to run the seed through a fanning mill a second time so that the kernels will all be the same size which will enable them to get an even start and mature at the same time.

FROZEN SEED

Wheat which has been stored in the bin so it has been subject to moisture, freezing and thawing, after sifting snow and driving rains, will be sure to have a large percentage of the grains entirely dead and many others so weak that it will be impossible for them to send up plants sufficiently strong to be of much crop value.

Test your seed in blotter. It should grow 95 per cent strong.

WRIGLEY'S

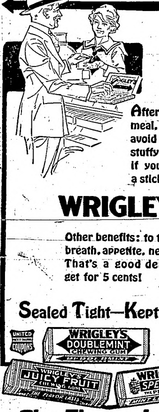

After a hearty meal, you'll avoid that stuffy feeling if you chew a stick of

WRIGLEY'S

Other benefits: to teeth, breath, appetite, nerves. That's a good deal to get for 5 cents!

Sealed Tight—Kept Right

→The Flavor Lasts←

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More Wheat
WHAT SHALL WE DO FOR SPRING WHEAT?

The Five Fundamentals Which Will Insure a Good Crop.

1. Choose the Best Variety. Marquis is the best, then Fife, then Bluestem. Velvet Chaff is weak in bread gluten. Durum has a limited market. Red Durum has no market at all. Don't sow it under any circumstances.

2. Clean Seed in Fanning Mill. To remove weed seeds, shriveled kernels and trash.

3. Treat for Smut and Scab. Use one pound full-strength formaldehyde in 40 gallons of water. Full directions at any drug store.

4. Be Sure the Seed Will Grow. Fold 100 kernels into a piece of wet blotting paper. Keep damp for six days. Ninety-five kernels should grow strong.

5. The Seed Bed. Soil loose and fine on top, packed solid beneath. Sow with drill as early as possible.

THE BEST WHEAT

Contrary to the common opinion, seed wheat does not "run out." It is true that its quality will deteriorate and the yield become smaller if left to its enemies which are inherent in the wheat.

It is therefore important that concerted action should be taken to establish more profitable farming methods.

It is wise to establish the variety best adapted to soil and climate. In almost every county Marquis wheat should be urged. There is nothing the matter with Fife and Blue Stem except that they have not been kept pure and the record will show that they do not yield so well and are not so safe, but taking everything into consideration, Marquis is the most desirable wheat. Velvet Chaff lacks bread gluten and is too soft. Durum is a fine wheat for certain purposes, but has a limited market, there being a demand for not more than 10 per cent of the total spring wheat crop. The price of Durum is often 20 to 80 cents per bushel below the price of No. 1 Northern, which in itself is argument enough. This applies to the macaroni durums which should not be confused in any way with the so-called Red Durum, "Rust Proof" or Durum Fife wheat which has been making so much trouble and for which there is practically no market, and should not be seeded under any circumstances.

PREPARING THE SEED BED

Spring wheat should be sown as soon in the spring as the seed bed can be properly prepared. Germination takes place in the ground when the temperature is about 42 to 50 degrees.

Generally the quantity of seed per acre varies six to eight pecks. Your own experience will tell you how much. Drilling is better than broadcasting. The seed bed should be loose on top and the root bed firm underneath. The use of the corrugated roller is recommended.

Marquis is an early variety ripening from 98 to 135 days after sowing, the average being about 115 days. This makes it three or four days earlier than most of the other Fife varieties, but it should be put into the ground just as soon as the seed bed may be prepared.

The seed usually should be sown about two to three inches deep. The important thing is to get it into soil sufficiently moist to insure germination. In heavy wet soil one to two inches will be deep enough.

Old or stubble land should be plowed in the fall or as early as possible in the spring. Sandy soils with a tendency to drift, should be plowed under in the spring. When land is fall-plowed it should be left rough to catch and hold the snow and to prevent soil blowing. Plow six to eight inches deep, covering all weeds and trash.

Spring plowing may be slightly shallower than fall plowing and should be worked down immediately. The surface mulch should not be too fine and powdery in districts where blowing is common, besides the rain may puddle it and not penetrate so readily. An excellent seed bed can be made in the spring on fall plowing or on spring plowing followed immediately with disks and corrugated rollers.

BREAD VS. BACON

An unskilled laborer at the minimum wage of $4 per day has to work more than three weeks to pay for his year's supply of bacon, if he can afford to buy it. In a single day he can make enough money to buy one-third of a barrel of flour and with three days' work can buy his entire year's supply.

Eat bread. There is nothing so cheap and nutritious no matter what the price of flour.

KILL THE BARBERRY BUSH

Wheat rust is hard to fight. There is no treatment of the seed which is any good. The rust spores winter on the barberry bush. Every boy and girl ought to know the barberry bush and report every one left growing. There is no other treatment for rust except to sow an early variety as early as possible.

"JUST ASK ME," SAYS F. C. DUTZE

EMPLOYEE OF PACKING CO. HAS BEEN GREATLY AIDED BY TANLAC

"When I started taking Tanlac I was in a pretty bad fix, but it wasn't long until this medicine straightened me out and I am in as good shape as I ever was," said Fred C. Lutze, an employee of The Plankinton Packing Co., and who resides at 995 Buffman St., Milwaukee, Wis., recently. Continuing, he said:

"My stomach was giving me a great deal of trouble for years. Anything I ate would just seem to form in a hard lump and cause me intense misery. I would have cramping pains in my stomach after each meal that were so bad they would nearly draw me double, and while I would bloat terribly I never could get any relief by belching. I always had a dull pain in my right side, and at times it would become very acute, and when it did it would seem just like some one was sticking a knife in my side. I suffered a lot from constipation and had to always be taking some sort of laxative. I felt tired and wornout all the time, and it was only with the greatest effort I could work a whole day, as I was suffering every minute with some sort of pain.

"One day I read a statement in a newspaper that sounded so true I was convinced that Tanlac was a great medicine and concluded I would try it, and I am more than glad I did, for the way the very first bottle helped me was truly remarkable. I kept on taking it and today I can truthfully say I am enjoying as good health as I ever did in my whole life. My stomach trouble has gone completely and I never have a pain of any kind. I feel so strong and am enjoying such good health in every way that my work is actually a pleasure to me. If anybody wants to know what I think of Tanlac as a medicine all they have to do is ask me, as I am always glad to recommend it."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—Adv.

Bargains in City Property.

As I am leaving the city I will dispose of all my holdings at a bargain. Included is a modern house and several others. Prices from $500 and up. O. A. Westin, Scandia Block. 66p

FOR SALE OR RENT.

SW¼, Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings and well on the place. For particulars write J. Pfeffer, 411 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota. 61

BARLEY

contains a larger percentage of malt sugar than any other food. This malt sugar not only gives it a wonderful flavor, but it also gives it a higher percentage of energy production than any other food. Add to this the fact that it is the easiest to digest of any article of food and you'll know why it is so popular when presented in this delicious form as "Cream of Barley."

CREAM OF BARLEY

"The Food with a History"

Potato Growers Attention!

We would like to talk over the Seed Potato situation with all farmers interested in putting in potatoes this spring.

Come in and we will try and help you arrange to get GOOD PURE SEED for this year's planting, as we are trying hard to get the quality of potatoes grown around Thief River Falls up to the standard demanded by the seed buyers in the South, who will buy nothing but the best at the high prices prevailing today.

We again urge more farmers to put in a few acres this spring, not a great big acreage that you cannot properly take care of, but 10 to 15 acres of pure Early Ohios will make you some money.

Peterson-Biddick Co.
Telephone 41 Thief River Fall.

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has been discovered that much rheumatism, stomach and kidney troubles, heart disorders, tuberculosis and goitres are causedby diseased teeth.

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Special attention given to out-of-town patients. Write us about your teeth troubles. We are glad to answer any and all questions. Write us.

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NIGHT 148. THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the southeast quarter of section 3, Town of Sanders, 1 mile south and 4½ miles west of Thief River Falls, on

Monday, March 29, 1920

Sale commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all of the following personal property, to-wit:

4—HORSES—4
1 Bay horse, 11 years old, wt. 1800 lbs.
1 Bay mare, 11 years old, wt. 1800 lbs.
1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
1 Black mare, 2 years old
LIVE STOCK
1 White cow, 6 years old, coming fresh in June
1 White cow, 3 years old, coming fresh in April
1 Spotted cow, 9 years old, coming fresh in June
1 Spotted cow, 7 years old, now fresh
50 White Leghorn Chickens
FARM IMPLEMENTS
1 Deering binder, 6-ft. complete order
1 Van Brunt 14-disc drill
1 12-disc
1 2-seated buggy
1 Single top buggy
1 Wide tire wagon, box and top box
1 Narrow tire wagon
1 Milwaukee mower, 5-ft.
1 Deering hay rake, 10-ft.
1 Deere sulky plow, 16-in.
1 Breaking plow, 14-in.
1 Set bob sleighs
1 Road cart
1 Hay rack
1 1200-lb. scale
1 Grindstone
1 Cultivator
1 3-horse drag
1 DeLaval cream separator
3 Working harness
1 Single harness
50 Grain sacks
All household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT YUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

Bengt Swenson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

SHRINE COMING TO AMERICA

Probability That Brahman Temple May Find a Home in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia.

An entire stone Brahman temple, which served as a place of worship in India for hundreds of years, will be installed in the massive rotunda of Memorial hall, Fairmount park, Philadelphia, provided the director of the museum can assemble the 100 tons of stone that go to make the shrine. The Hindoo house of worship was purchased by Mrs. Adeline Pepper Gibson, a Philadelphia woman who died in war service, and every stone in the structure was boxed and shipped in a sailing vessel, which made the trip around Cape Horn. The shrine is the gift of Mrs. Gibson's relatives, who wish it to be a memorial to the work of the dead woman. It is the first time that such a huge piece of sculpture was ever brought to America, and even Europe cannot boast of such an accomplishment. The nearest to it are the Elgin friezes in London, the tomb of Pernab, brought from Egypt to the Metropolitan museum, and the frescoed Asian walls seen in Berlin. While some say the temple is of Dravidian architecture, which would mean that it was built prior to the tenth century, the stone is in such fine condition that it looks less than 300 years old. The fine air of southern India may have preserved it, some say. Nothing of its origin is known.

HOLDS MYSTERY AND HORROR

Land of Tibet Awaits the Illumination Which Can Only Come From Civilization's Light.

Tibet, the mysterious land to the north of India, has got no wheeled vehicles, and the grand lama is carried in a sedan chair. Punishments are cruel. Men are cut to pieces slowly. Women suspected of adultery have their noses and lips slit and then are whipped to death.

Newborn babies are plastered over with butter and then laid in the sun naked. Ears are pierced and heavy rings inserted which often tear out the lobe of the ear.

The limbs and trunks of the dead are hacked apart and left on stones for the dogs, pigs and vultures to devour. The pigs are in turn a table delicacy with the Tibetans.

The "breakers of the dead" are also the scavengers of the country. They live in filthy huts four feet high, built of human bones and the horns of cattle.

Yet the Potata, the seat of the Tibetan ruler, is a magnificent white granite building, larger than any in Europe. It is crowned with huge domes glistening with gold. It is the home of 10,000 monks, as well as the grand lama and his household. The building is 970 feet long, 12 stories high.

Welcome to the Wattle.

Australia's national flower, the golden wattle, has played its part in the welcome to Australian soldiers, and the motorcars which run from the transports to the discharging depot are filled with blossom as well as with khaki. Equally happy is the custom in some cities of utilizing Wattle day as an occasion for a special appeal on behalf of children's charities. It is worth noting that a correspondent in the Sydney Morning Herald declares that the word "wattle" comes from the "wattle-and-daub" huts made by the early pioneers by the aid of the twigs and branches of a strange tree laden with beautiful yellow, ball-shaped flowers. "They began the weaving—the wattling—of such a fabric as the world has never before seen, the warp and woof of a fabric which was in after years to stretch across the globe with never a breaking strand—the fabric of an empire."

Spruce Tree 573 Years Old.

In making a survey of the spruce forests, where the airplane cutting was carried on during the war in the Grays Harbor spruce district, a tree 573 years old was found, says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington. The tree was felled in clearing to make the military camps safe after a limb had fallen and menaced the roof of the officers' quarters. The tree is close to the Olympic highway, 11 miles north of Humptulips. The stump was 11.6 feet from the ground level. The tree was two inches in diameter when Columbus discovered America.

Creative Genius.

Shakespeare used the skeletons of former life that had drifted down to him upon the stream of time and were cast at his feet a heap of mere dead matter. But he clothed them with flesh and blood and breathed into their nostrils; and they lived and moved with a life that was individual and self-existent after he had once thrown it off from his own exuberant intellectual vitality. His teeming brain bred lowlier beggars and kinglier kings than all Europe could have furnished as subjects for his portraiture.—Richard Grant White.

Legal Notices

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held March 9, 1920, Alderman Froseth, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed as follows:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$108.80
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	35.65
Bottom Hdw. Co., supplies	1.42
John Dicken, repair fire engine	13.00
Andy Craik, smithing	2.85
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	30.55
N. W. Tel Exchg. Co., phone rent and tolls	10.20
Leonard Morstad, AS. to Water & Light Dept., labor at "Flu" hospital	17.00
Water & Light Dept., services nurse	44.00
Roy Lambert, flags	1.95
D. B. Bakke, bond premium	32.00
Laird's Specialty Shop, office supplies	.75
The Tribune, printing	11.80
Holt & George, plumbing repairs	13.50
Carl Christofferson, groceries, "Flu" hospital	23.34
Stanton Bros., meals, "Flu" hospital	4.05
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies, "Flu" hospital	26.90
Loken Bros., supplies, "Flu" hospital	40.24
T. R. Steam Laundry, laundry, "Flu" hospital	11.21
Martin Stordahl, supplies, "Flu" hospital	58.50
Physicians Hospital, nursing, "Flu" hospital	9.00
A. B. Remmem, livery, "Flu" hospital	1.60
Roy Lambert, medicine, "Flu" hospital	37.65
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies, "Flu" hospital	7.47
Auditorium Fund.	
The Prichard Co., coal	16.65
Revdahl & Co., repairs	45.45
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., wood	280.50
Ed Lee, repairs	47.84
L. H. Lawrence, insurance	187.20
Roy Lambert, supplies	2.60
Water & Light Dept., labor	31.70
N. W. Tel Exchg. Co., phone rent	3.50
Water & Light Dept., light service	67.21
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	8.82
Poor Fund.	
Eli Rolland, provisions	13.45
The Prichard Co., coal	94.50
Carl Christofferson, groceries	16.03
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	17.77
Axel Axelson, potatoes	43.20
Nortz Lumber Co., fuel	22.95
C. S. Simonson, groceries	5.45
T. R. Co-Op. Creamery, supplies	.65
Ed Lee, repairs	8.65
F. J. Stebbins, medical supplies	17.31
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
Carl Christofferson, groceries	69.10
N. W. Tel Exchg. Co., phone rent	1.50
Library Fund.	
Wagenvoord & Co., rebinding books	44.00
Water & Light Dept., light service	11.97
Local Improvement Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., power service	12.25
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	3.60
Electric Light Fund.	
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil	649.70
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	433.44
General Electric Co., supplies	63.84
Northern Electric Co., supplies	87.76
Bottom Hdw. Co., supplies	14.61
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	17.00
The Prichard Co., fuel	117.85
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	6.25
Jacob Aga, repairs	4.20
Carl Christofferson, supplies	.80
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	12.30
Dan Shaw, insurance	44.40
Laird's Specialty Shop, office supplies	4.05
N. W. Tel Exchg. Co., phone rent	7.00
T. L. Melgaard, insurance	19.40
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	6.35
Farmers and Merchants State Bank, insurance	21.60
American Elect. Htr. Co., supplies	3.88
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	9.19
Water & Light Dept., labor	9.60
First Nat. Bank, insurance	15.30
Roy Lambert, supplies	1.50
Ed Lee, repairs	9.35
Waterworks Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	51.20
John Dicken, labor	12.50
Andy Craik, repairs	5.50
Ed Lee, repairs	18.40
Holt & George, repairs and water main bends	114.65

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved—March 15, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Summons.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Phillip W. Lee, Plaintiff, vs. Mrs. Wolford Wagar and Wolford Wagar, Defendants.

Summons.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of said District Court, at the Court House, in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the undersigned at his office in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, within twenty days after service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, together with Plaintiff's costs and disbursements herein.

Dated February 5, 1920.

CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Same parties as in Summons immediately preceding this notice.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants, and that the purpose of such action is to reform that certain contract for deed dated November 6, 1918, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, November 18, 1919, at 8:30 A. M., in Book 5 of Deeds, on Page 21; and the further purpose of said action is to cancel the said contract and to obtain the judgment of said Court that Plaintiff is the owner in fee of the premises hereinafter described, free from all claim or interest therein by the Defendants.

The premises affected by said action are the South Half (S½) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-three (23), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), North, of Range Forty-four (44), West, in Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated February 5, 1920.

CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
m18-25-a1

Bank No. 1409.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls, Incorporated.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 6th day of March A. D. 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED, That section Six and Four of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Section Four. The Government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a board ranging from five to twelve Directors, who shall be elected at the regular annual meeting of the stockholders to be held on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of January of each year between the hours of 10 A. M. and 8 P. M. of the said day. They shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Thief River Falls on the 6th day of March A. D. 1920.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal.)

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 9th day of March, 1920, before me appeared R. McGinn and L. A. Lampert, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls, Incorporated; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

(Notarial Seal) EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public Pennington Co. Minn.
My commission expires Apr. 2, 1925.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 13th day of March A. D. 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book "H" of Misc., page 628.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
M18-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Engon, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day ahving been granted to Alfred Hammarston;

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated March 12, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
m18-25-a-1

Notice of Sale.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, (A Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. Bertha Giller, Maurice Giller, Beatrice A. Giller, and John P. Galbraith, as trustee of Maurice Giller Estate in Bankruptcy, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of a certified transcript of the judgment in the above entitled action duly delivered to the undersigned sheriff and now in my hands, which said judgment was duly entered in said Court in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, Maurice Giller, Bertha Giller and Beatrice A. Giller on the 17th day of February, 1920, for the total sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Sixteen and 43-100 Dollars, and which said judgment orders and decrees, among other things, a sale by the undersigned Sheriff of the said County, of the following described real estate in one parcel to satisfy or apply upon the said judgment, viz:

Thirty six feet East of the West fifty feet, and West of the East Fifty Four feet of Lots One, Two, Three and Four in Block Thirty of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls in Pennington County, Minn.

Now, Therefore, Pursuant to the said Judgment, the undersigned Sheriff will, on Saturday the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Front Door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the real estate above described, and all of the right, title and interest of each and all the above named Defendants therein, except the right to redeem as provided by law, to satisfy or apply on said Judgment so entered, together with all accruing costs of sale and interest on the said Judgment from and after the 17th day of February, 1920, at six per cent per annum, subject to redemption within one year after the date of the order of the said Court confirming the said sale as provided by law.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 24th day of February, 1920.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff,
Pennington County, Minn.

J. M. BISHOP,
WM. J. BROWN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
f26-m-4-11-18-25-a1

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Leonard Peterson;

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday, the 11th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated March 5, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
m11-18-25

Cannot Praise this Remedy too Highly

THE WAY ONE LADY FEELS AFTER SUFFERING TWO YEARS

Judging from her letter, the misery and wretchedness endured by Mrs. Charlie Taylor, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 144, Dillon, S. C., must have been terrible. No one, after reading her letter, can continue to doubt the great healing power of PE-RU-NA for troubles due to catarrh or catarrhal conditions in any part of the body. Her letter is an inspiration to every sick and suffering man or woman anywhere. Here it is: "I suffered two years with catarrh of the head, stomach and bowels. Tried two of the best doctors, who gave me up. I then took PE-RU-NA and can truthfully say I am well. When I began to use PE-RU-NA, I weighed one hundred pounds. My weight now is one hundred and fifty. I cannot praise PE-RU-NA too highly, for it was a Godsend to me. I got relief from the first half bottle and twelve bottles cured me. I advise all sufferers to take PE-RU-NA."

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Notice of Special Election.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in Independent School District No. Eighteen of Pennington county, at the Auditorium, on the 30th day of March, 1920, from 7 P. M., to 9 P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said district in the aggregate sum of $135,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose: Erection of school building, Knox Addition; and to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated March 10, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk of Independent School District No. 18.
m11-18-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent.

Letters of administration on February 16th, 1920 having been granted to William C. Craft:

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 10th day of June, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the city of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated March 3rd, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal.) Judge of Probate
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney.
m11-18-25

AFTER FIVE YEARS

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WOOD FAILS TO RECEIVE O. K. OF G. O. P. OF STATE

DELEGATES AT LARGE GO TO CONVENTION AT CHICAGO WITHOUT INSTRUCTIONS

TEN OF THE 24 PLEDGED TO HIM WITH TWO CONTESTS PENDING

DANIEL SHAW OF THIS CITY CHOSEN AS ALTERNATE TO BIG MEETING

Minnesota republicans in convention on Saturday refused by a vote of 498 to 595 to instruct their four delegates at large for General Leonard Wood.

While a hard fight had been expected over instructions, the Wood men had been confident of winning. Otherwise they never would have allowed the question to come to a vote, for after a week of apparent success for the Wood forces in Minnesota conventions, the final state convention roll call came as a bad anticlimax.

Ten Delegates Instructed.

While the 24 delegates from Minnesota may vote solidly for Wood on the first ballot at Chicago in June, the Wood forces have only 10 of the 24 tied up by positive instructions. Two more who were instructed for Wood in the tenth district have a contest on for their seats.

The other eight district delegates and the four delegates at large go without instructions. Nearly all of them are claimed as pledged to Wood for the first ballot, but if Wood should not have a commanding lead on the first vote, he will have hard work holding several of the Minnesotans.

Following are the delegates-at-large selected:

Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, Minneapolis; alternate, Miss Julia Rogers, St. Paul.

Alvah Eastman, St. Cloud; alternate, Frank E. Reed, Minneapolis.

R. H. Bach, Owatonna; alternate, George W. Frankberg, Fergus Falls.

Milie Bunnell, Duluth; alternate, J. E. Haycraft, Fairmont.

P. J. Lundeen of Stephen was named as candidate for presidential elector from the Ninth district.

Pennington county's seven delegates went to Wood, although under no special instructions from the voters. Red Lake county also cast its six votes for the general while Marshall county went on record against him. Clearwater county was not represented. Mahnomen, Kittson, Beltrami voted against instructions for Wood while the Roseau delegation was divided, two for and five against.

The District Convention.

The Ninth district convention at Fergus Falls on Friday failed to instruct for any presidential candidate. Charles Loring of Crookston, and R. B. Rathbun of Detroit, were elected delegates to the national convention at Chicago, with Daniel Shaw of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. Wesley Jenkins of Ada, as alternates.

The resolutions adopted at the state convention endorsed the administration of Gov. Burnquist, declared in favor of a return to party conventions, approved the stand on the league of nations taken by the United States senators from the state, urged full women's suffrage, opposed any change in the prohibition laws and endorsed the Babcock good roads amendment.

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Campaign for Fund to Aid German Children

MILLIONS OF YOUNGSTERS IN CENTRAL EUROPE IN DANGER OF STARVING

Twenty-five hundred dollars has been contributed through the Minnesota Committee for the Relief of German children, to aid the American Friends Service committee in its task of feeding the starving children of Central European countries. It is estimated that in Germany alone there are 10,000,000 boys and girls who go to bed at night hungry.

Dr. Maria L. Sanford, of the State University, in accepting the honorary vice-chairmanship of the Minnesota Committee, said:

"We none of us can regard a hungry, helpless child as an enemy."

Governor J. A. A. Burnquist is honorary chairman of the state committee which has its offices with the American Red Cross at 423 South Fifth street, Minneapolis.

The American Friends Service Committee has raised $2,000,000 for the work among German children. An American Quaker in each district of Germany sees to it that supplies reach the babies and young children. All expenses are privately met and every dollar buys a dollar's worth of food.

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Local Notes

O. F. Post of St. Hilaire visited and attended to business matters here on Thursday.

Miss Anna Froiland, who teaches school near St. Hilaire, visited in the city between trains, Saturday.

Mrs. E. Davidson and baby left Friday morning for Holt where they are spending a few days visiting with relatives.

Leonard Peterson returned to Crookston on Wednesday afternoon after a brief visit with his family in this city.

Miss Louise Wilson of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city between trains on Saturday.

Miss Ruth Koepp, who is attending the local high school, spent Sunday at the home of her parents at Middle River.

The Ladies Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Thursday, April 1st in the church basement, entertained by Mrs. Mostue, Mrs. Stageberg, Mrs. Gulrud and Mrs. Quammen. Everybody welcome.

AUCTION SALE

of the John B. Engen Estate

The personal property in the John B. Engen Estate will be sold at Public Auction on the Southwest Quarter of Section 17, Highlanding Township, being 5½ miles South and one-half mile West of Goodridge and one mile north and ½ mile west of Highlanding P. O., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1920

Commencing at 10:00 A. M.

HORSES

1 Black mare 7 years old, wt 1200
1 Black mare 7 years old, wt. 1150
1 Black mare 12 years old, wt. 1150
1 Bay gelding 5 years old, wt. 1360

GRADE GUERNSEY CATTLE

1 Cow 5 years old, fresh in April
1 Cow 6 years old, fresh in April
1 Cow 5 years old, fresh in April
1 Cow 5 years old, fresh in April
1 Cow 3 years old, fresh
1 Cow 5 years old, fresh
1 Cow 5 years old, fresh
1 Cow 4 years old, fresh this spring
1 Heifer 2 year old
2 Heifers 1 year old
4 Steers 1 year old
1 Heifer calf
1 Bull calf

FARM MACHINERY

1 Ideal drill, single disc, 16-disc with grass seeder attachment
1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut
1 Emerson sulky plow, 16-in
1 Monitor double disc drill, 16-disc
1 3-horse Boss harrow, new
1 Minnesota mower, 5-ft.
1 McCormick hay rake
1 16in. brush breaker
1 14-disc harrow
1 wide tire wagon
1 Narrow tire wagon
1 Double wagon box
1 Set of bob sleighs
1 Hay rack

MISCELLANEOUS

1 Ford touring car, 1918 model
1 No. 12 DeLaval cream separator
1 Sow, 6 months old
11 Chickens
1 Grindstone
2 Sets of work harness, good as new
1 10-bbl. stock tank
1 15-gal. bbl. churn
1 8-gal. cream can, nearly new
1 Telephone
1 Mail box
1 Fur robe
1 Sheep skin, fur lined coat, new

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

1 Dresser
1 Kitchen cabinet
1 Wash stand
2 Rockers
5 Chairs
1 Sewing machine
2 Beds
1 Folding cot
2 Tables
1 Steel range
1 wood heater
1 Kerosene stove

And other articles too numerous to mention.

NOTE: As this estate must be cleaned up, every article offered for sale, will be sold, regardless of the price it brings.

NOTE: Alfred Hammarsten will offer 3 Shorthorn bull calves for sale, sired by his prize winner Shorthorn bull, Brave Lad No. 494113.

LUNCH SERVER AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

Alfred Hammarsten, Administrator

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, Clerk

AUCTION SALE

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on the southeast ¼ of section 6, Township of Highlanding, being 3½ miles south and one mile west of Goodridge, and 3 miles north and 1 mile west of Highlanding postoffice, the following described personal property, on

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1920

Commencing at 10:00 o'clock

HORSES AND CATTLE

1 Black gelding, 9 years old, wt. 1350
1 Sorrel gelding, 10 years old, wt. 1200
1 Bay mare, 12 years old, wt. 1400
1 Gray mare, 10 years old, wt. 1250
1 Gray mare, 4 years old, wt. 1200
1 Red Shorthorn cow, 7 years old, fresh
1 Red Shorthorn cow, 6 years old, fresh
1 Red and white Shorthorn cow, 4 years old, fresh in February.
1 Red and white Shorthorn cow, 3 yeas old, milking
1 Red and white Shorthorn cow, 3 years old, fresh in February
1 Red Shorthorn cow, 3 years old, fresh in March
1 Roan Shorthorn cow, 3 years old, milking
3 Heifer calves, 10 months old
1 Shorthorn heifer, 13 months old
4 Spring calves

FARM MACHINERY

1 Van Brunt shoe drill, 17 shoes
1 14-in. Emerson gang plow
1 16-in. breaking plow
1 P. O. corn planter, complete with 160 rods of wire for checking
1 6-shovel corn cultivator
1 Surface corn cultivator
1 Narrow tire wagon
1 Low steel truck
1 Top buggy; 1 hay rack
1 Set of bob sleighs
1 8-ft. disc; 1 Boss harrow
1 Buggy pole and neck yoke, tripple wagon box, complete
1 John Deere mower, 5-ft.
1 Deering hay rake, 10-ft. new
1 Hay bucker
1 Flax attachment

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 No. 9 steel range
1 Wood heater
1 Dresser
1 Baby carriage
1 Large cupboard
1 Oak library table
1 Arm chair
2 Leather rockers
4 Chairs
1 10-ft. extension table
1 Kitchen cabinet
1 Black walnut writing desk and bookcase
1 Wooden bed, pad and spring
1 Steel couch with pad
1 Washing machine
1 3-burner kerosene stove with oven
1 15-gal. barrel churn
1 15-gal. stone jar
Wash boiler, tub and wringer
2 8-gal. cream cans

MISCELLANEOUS

1 Overland 5-passenger touring car, Model 90, 1919, good as new
1 Blue Bell cream separator, 750-lb. capacity.
50 Chickens
1 Set of heavy Concord harness
1 Set of farm harness
1 Set of light harness
2 Single harness
1 Pair of fly nets
1 Foot power grindstone
150 Posts; some barbed wire
1 50-lb. vice
Tamarack timber for straw shed
2 Oak barrels
35 Grain sacks
Some clean oats
Some clean wheat
Timothy and Clover seed
Matured corn in shock
11 Yards inlaid lincoleum
Eveners, forks, shovels and all other small farm tools, and otehr articles too numerous to mention.

NOTICE: All Live Stock has been grain fed all winter.

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

HARVEY BLY, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, Clerk

40-Grade Dairy Cattle-40

20-Grade Shropshire Sheep-20

AT

PUBLIC AUCTION

Having decided to breed only pure bred Guernsey cattle, I will offer for sale at public auction my entire herd of grade Guernsey cattle. (Also 11 head of Guernseys consigned by Mr. Sterns.) Sale will start promptly at 12:30 at the old Peter Bakken farm, one mile south of Thief River Falls

MONDAY, APRIL 5, 1920

One pure bred Guernsey bull, 3 years old; 20 head of mature High Grade Guernsey cows in all stages of lactation, several fresh, several to freshen soon; 15 Guernsey heifers to freshen this spring and summer, 2, 2 1-2 and 3 years old; 1 heifer calf, 6 months old; 3 grade bull calves, 4, 5 and 8 weeks old. These are all exceptionally high grade dairy cattle, all cows showing averages of from 6,000 to 8,000 pounds of milk, with average test of 4.6.

SHEEP Twenty grade Shropshire ewes, bred, to lamb in May, to the champion 2-year-old ram, Minnesota State Fair 1919

MACHINERY One McCormick binder, 1 corn cutter and silo filler, 1 potato cutter, 1 potato sprayer, 5 row; 2 cream separators, 1 Empire milking machine, good as new; 1 top single buggy, 1 open single buggy, and other articles too numerous to mention

Lunch Will Be Served at 11:30

One Mile South of Thief River Falls
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer

ALBERT JOHNSON

One Mile South of Thief River Falls
H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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OUR POSITION EXPLAINED

The Times today is not the newspaper our readers have a right to expect, nor is it the kind of newspaper the publishers wish to turn out. In fact we are apologizing for the dearth of news in its columns. The situation is such, however, that the indulgence of reader and advertiser must be asked for a short time longer. We are in hopes of again printing the paper in our own plant before long when the former standard will be established and maintained. It is next to impossible to print a larger paper than that now issued under existing circumstances and we can only promise that the condition will exist no longer than is absolutely necessary.

Thanking all concerned for the consideration thus far shown we ask that it may be extended for a short time longer.

THE PUBLISHERS.

Rev. Kvale on League Ticket For Congress?

REPORT THAT PASTOR WILL OPPOSE VOLSTEAD IN SEVENTH DISTRICT

A great deal of surprise was caused in this city last Saturday when the Associated Press dispatches in the daily newspapers announced that Rev. O. J. Kvale, who has been serving as pastor of the Lutheran church in this city for some months past, had been endorsed by the Nonpartisan convention in St. Paul as a candidate for congress in the Seventh district. Rev. Kvale had tentatively accepted a call issue by the congregation in this city but reconsidered when his former parishioners at Benson claimed to have a prior claim upon his services. It is understood that he has finally decided to return there and will preach his last sermon in this city in a short time. Rev. Kvale is not at present in the city and no one here has been found authorized to speak for him on this matter.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson of the Ninth district, will also have a league opponent, A. E. Bowen of Detroit, having been endorsed for the place. It has for some time been rumored that it was Mr. Bowen's intention to go into the primaries against the present congressman from this district and the announcement has occasioned no surprise.

The Associated Press report of the convention's action is as follows:

"Three Nonpartisan League and labor candidates for congress to run in the republican state primaries were announced Friday at the league state convention's final session. The candidates approved in district conferences are: Mayor Little, Brainerd, Minn., sixth district; Rev. O. J. Kvale of Benson, in the seventh district and A. E. Bowen, of Detroit, in the ninth district. The latter will run against Halvor Steenerson of Crookston who is an avowed republican candidate.

"A candidate in the fourth district comprising Ramsey county will be endorsed at a labor conference to be held at a date not yet fixed and a candidate in the second district will be named at the labor-farmer congress to be held in St. James April 8.

"The farmer convention endorsed George Siegel of St. Paul for the supreme court. He was approved later in the labor conference, filling out the state ticket except for a candidate for state treasurer who will be selected later by the executive committee of the farmer and labor sections.

Women Chairmen For Ninth District Named

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city, chairman of the Ninth District Women's Republican organization, has made the following appointments as chairmen and vice chairmen in the different counties of the district:

Miss Effie Hamry, Thief River Falls, Pennington county.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, vice chairman, Thief River Falls, Pennington county.

Mrs. Fred Hodgson, Fergus Falls, Ottertail county.

Mrs. L. C. Weeks, Detroit, Becker county.

Mrs. Elmore Jenkins, Ada, Norman county.

Mrs. C. R. Oliver, Barnesville, Clay county.

Mrs. George Stebbins, Roseau, Roseau county.

Mrs. C. P. Rice, Breckenridge, Wilkin county.

Mrs. Geo. Hansell, Bagley, Clearwater county.

Mrs. Blanda Sundberg, Stone, Kittson county.

Mrs. E. H. Spendley, Crookston, Polk county.

Mrs. Charles E. Stanchfield, Warren, Marshall county.

Mrs. H. L. Yetter, vice chairman, Stephen, Marshall county.

Mrs. T. Reep, Plummer, Red Lake county.

Mrs. J. M. Hardy, Mahnomen, Mahnomen county.

Address Women On European Conditions

NOTED SPETAKER WILL BE HEARD AT CLUB MEETING MONDAY

Miss Dorothy Loyhed of the university of Minnesota, will deliver an address at the meeting of the Woman's club next Monday afternoon, her subject being "The Present Situation in Europe." Miss Loyhed has given this matter much study and her conclusions should prove of decided interest. The public generally is invited to hear this address.

Attorney Gay Halvorson of this city will explain the election laws of the United States, particularly as these apply to women voters in this and other states.

There will be a musical program at which the club federation song, "Minnesota Mine," will be given in this city for the first time.

Protested Consolidation.

At a hearing held yesterday at Warren it was proposed to consolidate ditches Nos. 102 and 103 in Marshall and Beltrami counties with ditch No. 30 in Pennington county.

A preliminary meeting was held at Goodridge last Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of entering a protest against the consolidation, so far as this affects ditch No. 30. The people in the eastern end of Pennington county feel that the proper course for this ditch to take is westward emptying into the Thief river. Besides it is felt that the farmers in the Goodridge neighborhood should not be drawn into a big system whereby they would have to stand a considerable share of the cost.

Judge Grindeland took the matter under advisement. County Commissioner A. W. Hanson, Christ Urdahl, Jerry Race and M. G. Thoreson were present at the hearing to present the objections of the people of Goodridge.

Appointed to Post at National Capital

NORMAN PETERSON, EX-SOLDIER, SECURES BERTH WITH POSTOFFICE COMMITTEE

Norman Peterson, formerly employed as stenographer at the office of County Auditor T. P. Anderson, but who has been residing at the home of his parents in Badger since leaving the army, was this week appointed assistant clerk to the committee of postoffices and postroads in Washington, of which Congressman Halvor Steenerson is chairman. The young man left Tuesday evening to take up his new duties. The salary is $2,000 per year.

Mr. Peterson enlisted about June 1st, 1917, and served until the close of the war. He entered the army as a private and came out as sergeant major, the highest post below that of commissioned officer.

The position was offered to G. W. Werstlein, now connected with the Times Printing & Manufacturing company, but his local interests are such that he could not accept.

First Short Course Proves Very Popular

PEOPLE OF GOODRIDGE NEIGHBORHOOD TAKE GREAT INTEREST IN MEETINGS

The university extension short course held in Goodridge on Thursday, Friday and Saturday was a marked success in attendance and the interest shown in the various topics discussed on the program.

The use of phosphate on peat and mineral soils was thoroughly discussed by George H. Nesom, of the soils division. Figures and photographs were displayed showing the increased yield on treated plots as compared with the untreated.

F. C. Clapp handled the dairy feeding part of the program so well that all who attended resolved to supply a balanced ration for their dairy cows, even if it be necessary to purchase all the grain used.

H. J. Hughes of the state department of agriculture, explained the benefits of a local potato association to co-operate with the state association, which was organized in Little Falls last year.

Leonard Houske, representing the State Dairy and Food department, gave a very interesting talk on dairy cattle and feeding for best results.

On Saturday the school house was filled to capacity to hear Prof. A. J. McGuire, of the dairy division of the extension department of the university. Prof. McGuire talked for three hours on "Production and Marketing" and brought up important points seldom thought of by the average farmer. All expressed the wish that the speaker might be able to again appear in Goodridge at some future time.

The people of Goodridge and vicinity are to be greatly complimented for their co-operative spirit in making the short course a success. The ladies on the reception committee also deserve much commendation for their work in serving refreshments and lunches to the large crowd in attendance.

Homes Bring Good Price.

Louis Kruse last week sold three buildings at auction, each bringing a very satisfactory price. The barn located at 214 Eleventh street was bought by A. Wilke for $165. John Efteland purchased the house on the same lot for $625. Edward L. Ellefson paid $1250 for the property at 1023 Horace avenue north. W. J. LaBree officiated as auctioneer and C. W. Vorachek of the Citizens State bank as clerk.

$1,600 is Raised For Experiment in Beets

NEARBY FARMERS HAVE OFFERED 53 ACRES FOR USE OF POOL

Sixteen hundred dollars was pledged within a short time after the committee in charge of the sugar beet pool had started making the rounds this week. More will be coming in and it is certain that the $2,000 originally placed as the goal will be reached. The committee, which is composed of J. B. Conner, W. H. Frederick and W. W. Prichard, Jr., found no difficulty in interesting those interviewed in the matter and are of the opinion that had the subject been brought up a little earlier in the season there would have been no trouble in raising $5,000 in case such sum were needed.

The farmers in the vicinity of Thief River Falls have taken a deep interest in this subject and many have offered to devote a part of their acreage to the raising of the beets. A total of 53 acres have been pledged, exclusive of the plots offered by those who will donate the use of land outright. These are Daniel Shaw, who offers the free use of ten acres or a contribution of $100; Oluf Tessum, who expects to put in five acres himself and gives free the use of 10 acres more; W. W. Prichard, Sr., and C. L. Hansen each offers five acres, and R. McGinn a donation of $50 and a five-acre plot. Math Barzen will put in six acres on his own hook.

Following is a list of those who have signed up as cash contributors:

R. M. Sheldon	$100
J. B. Conner	50
W. H. Frederick	50
H. W. Froehlich	50
C. L. Hansen	50
H. O. Loken	50
F. J. Stebbins	50
H. W. Protzeller	50
R. B. McWilliams	50
S. C. Coumbe	50
E. O. Mogensen	50
S. C. Simonson	50
John Bratrud	50
W. W. Prichard, Jr.	50
A. S. Sapero	50
P. W. Mabey	50
Empire Farms Co.	50
O. F. Mellby	50
A. J. Paulson	50
Geo. T. Hamery	50
Geo. Sterns	50
G. W. Connell	50
Larson Furniture Co.	50
Roy Lambert	50
Geo. Streeter	50
J. Biedermann	50
Citizens State Bank	50
G. G. Williams	25
N. W. Williams	25

The farmers who have offered to devote a part of their land toward the carrying on of this experiment, with the number of acres placed at the disposal of the committee, besides those above mentioned, are as follows: Charles Asp, 3; Paul Engelstad, 3; Christ Vad, 3; Frank Sterns, 3; Ben Rosenthal, 10; Ed. Grundhaus, 3; Mrs. J. A. DuChamp, 3; Edward Knutson, 2; Peter Engelstad, 3; J. M. Bishop, 1; J. B. Roller, 3; Rasmus Oen, 2; Ole Giving, 3.

G. S. Streeter of the Peoples Auto company, has offered the free use of a double row cultivator for one day or as much longer as may be necessary.

The campaign undertaken by the commercial club is not in any manner connected with that of the Farm bureau, but will be supplemental thereto. The bureau has signed up for about 100 acres in addition to the amount mentioned above.

Masonic Meetings.

The third degree was conferred at a special meeting of Northern lodge No. 236, A. F. & A. M., on Monday evening and there are a number of candidates in waiting for the second degree, which will be conferred next Monday. The lodge has considerable work of importance on hand at the present time and it is earnestly desired that all members who can possibly do so will turn out.

Talk on Peat Tonight at Commercial Club

PROF. CHRISTIANSON WILL TELL OF COMMERCIAL VALUE OF PRODUCT

A meeting of more than ordinary importance is to be held at the commercial club rooms this evening. Prof. Peter Christianson of the University of Minnesota will speak on the commercial value of peat and as this is a subject in which there is great interest in this section just at this time he should be greeted by a large audience.

It is claimed that the prairie peat of northwestern Minnesota contains matter of great chemical value and that a high grade of coke can be manufactured from it at a very low cost. According to government chemists the by-products will more than pay for all the work connected with serve of the people represents what is known as new business almost entirely, the deposits of other banks having increased in almost equal ratio during the time that the Farmers and Merchants has been open for business. This indicates a greater degree of prosperity among our people.

The officers have every reason for feeling satisfied with the reception their venture has received. They are Robert McGinn, president; Herbert Fuller, vice president; L. A. Lamport, cashier; Miss Effie Hamry, assistant cashier; Theodore McGinn, teller.

City Records Passed Upon By Examiner

J. O. CEDARBERG COMPLIMENTS OFFICIALS ON EXCELLENT CONDITION

The books of the city of Thief River Falls are being kept in a highly satisfactory manner, according to J. O. Cedarberg, deputy state examiner, who recently went over the records at the request of the city council. In his report Mr. Cedarberg compliments those in charge, at the same time making certain recommendations which the council and other officials will doubtless find it convenient to adopt.

That part of the suggestions dealing with the permanent improvement fund and the inauguration of a more satisfactory system for checking up profit or loss in the sale department of the water and light division have already received some attention at the hands of the council and are changes now under consideration. Mr. Cedarberg's recommendation with regard to the auditorium fund has also been discussed and does not come as a surprise.

The report is made a part of the annual financial statement to be given out to the taxpayers through The Times in a week or so. The recommendations referred to are of special interest and are as follows:

"The records and accounts are all very well kept and the files were found in good order.

"The city finances and affairs in general have been conducted on a conservative basis. All bills and claims against the city are passed on by resolution. In general contracts have been let to the lowest bidder after advertising for bids.

"It is demonstrated by the combined trial balance that several funds are overdrawn. In regard to this overdraft it is suggested that the cemetery commission should take care of the overdraft in the city's cemetery fund.

"The permanent improvement fund is not properly handled. All warrants paid for such permanent improvements are assessable against private property and should be charged to a separate fund called permanent improvement revolving fund and this fund should be financed by issuing certificates of indebtedness payable out of assessments receivable. Separate general ledger accounts should be kept for the assessments in such way as to enable the council to ascertain at any time the amount outstanding on special assessment, either certified to the county auditor for collection or deferred. When it is ascertained how much of the overdraft in the permanent improvement fund is chargeable to the revolving fund the balance should be covered by a tax levy. The overdraft in the interest fund should be covered by a warrant from the current fund.

"The overdraft in the auditorium fund ought to be wiped out by an additional bond issue and the tax levy for the sinking fund should be sufficient to accumulate the money needed to retire all city bonds when due. The sinking fund should be invested in interest-bearing bonds or certificates. As the overdraft in the water works fund is caused by improvements it should be covered by an additional bond issue, which should be sold to the electric light fund.

"A store record should be kept for the water and light supplies in such way as to make it possible for the city council to ascertain at any time how much stock and merchandise should be on hand.

"The city clerk as recorder of the water and light department has on hand $355.75 deposited by electric light customers. This money should be deposited with the city treasurer and accounted for in a separate fund."

Issues Statement On Second Anniversary

Showing deposits of $312,000 at the close of its second year of business, the officers of the Farmers and Merchants State bank may be pardoned for taking pride in the record made. It is the youngest bank in the city and has been very successful from the outset. Particular stress has been laid upon the fact that it is a strictly home institution, backed entirely by home capital. Its business policy has been such as to enlist confidence and it is already considered among the strong, progressive banks of the section.

This addition to the banking re- the production of coke, leaving the highly valuable distillates as clear profit. Prof. Christianson is one of the foremost authorities on the subject of peat in the United States and comes here at the invitation of the club. The particula derivatives for which this waste product forms the basis is just now in great demand and the development of the beds in this section holds forth promise of large profits for those who have the means and foresight to take advantage of the situation.

Every business man in the city should make it a point to be at the meeting this evening.

O'Neill to Washington.

D. P. O'Neill of St. Paul, member of the state grain appeals board, is in Washington this week for the purpose of appearing at a hearing of the bureau of markets. This hearing has been called for the purpose of discussing changes in the federal heat grades. Minnesota and Dakota officials find fault with the grades now applied to hard red spring and Durum wheats. It is expected that the hearing will be postponed at this time, to be continued later at some point in the Northwest.

Postponed Ditch Hearing.

A hearing of those interested in the proposed construction of Judicial Ditch No. 44 was had before Judge Grindeland in this city on Tuesday. Considerable opposition to the project was found among the farmers of Rocksbury township and Judge Grindeland adjourned the hearing to April 21. The engineers found that a route different from that originally planned would provide a greater fall toward the river and recommended that this be followed. This would bring a number of Rocksbury farmers within the territory affected and these objected.

School Bonds Carry By Large Majority

TOTAL OF 174 VOTES CAST OF WHICH 137 WERE FOR BONDING

That the school situation in Thief River Falls is fully realized by the people was demonstrated on Tuesday evening when the proposition to issue bonds in the sum of $135,000 was put to a vote. There were 174 votes cast, which is a large turnout for an election of this kind, it being generally taken for granted that the bonds will carry in any event and that voting is a waste of time. The vote in favor of bonding was 137, an even 100 more than were cast in opposition.

Just what action the board will now take depends upon the cost of the needed improvements. While everyone is of one mind as to the necessity for more school room, yet due consideration will be given to the subject of cost. Should this prove prohibitive the matter will be postponed and some other arrangement made. Application will be made to the state for the money, however, as it may be impossible to secure this at some later date. No loss will be involved in this transaction as the interest receipts will fully cover the interest charge.

Increase For Next Year.

When the school board of district No. 18 announced that salaries of teachers would be raised the understanding was that the increase would take effect at the opening of the school year in the fall. But a short time now remains of the present term and as contracts have all been entered into and the levy made on the basis of salaries now paid it was thought best to allow things to remain as they are until the end of the year.

Crookston Station Helps Supply Seed

The Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston is distributing grain to seed co-operators in the Northwest. In order to get the seed distributed equally throughout the county the maximum amount sold to any one farmer will be enough to plant five acres. They have the following varieties this year at the prices per bushel quoted below, which are very reasonable for seed of that kind:

Mindum 470 durum wheat, $2.75; Minn. 281 oats, $1.15; Minn. 295 oats, $1.15; English Newmarket oats, $1.15; Oderbrucker barley (6 row), $1.75; Ped. Manchuria barley, (6 row) $1.75; Princess barley, (2 row), $1.75; Svanhals barley, (2 row), $1.75; White seet clover (sarified), lb. 30c; Bemis sacks extra at cost or not more than 70c.

The durum wheat averaged 21 bushels last year over the valley, as compared with 10 bushels for Marquis in adjacent fields. This wheat is rust-resistant and yields better than any other on the station every year. The oats are medium early and have done very well so far. The Manchuria, though not as good looking seed as Oderbrucker, is a heavier yielder. Both the two-row barleys are good. The sweet clover contains a slight percentage of small twigs, but no weed seeds, and twigs do not affect the weight.

Anyone desiring to have this seed should notify the farm bureau office as soon as possible in order to make certain of receiving the seed before it is all sold out. Checks may be sent in to the local farm bureau or direct to Crookston to insure prompt delivery.

Special Masonic Meetings.

Northern Lodge A. F. & A. M., is finding it necessary to hold special meetings in order to keep up with the work at the present time. Work in the second degree will be exemplified next Monday evening and indications are that it will be necessary to hold meetings every week until the summer vacation. All lodge members are asked to be present Monday night.

Mrs. Pearson Released.

Mrs. Arthur Pearson, who with her husband was indicted by the Polk county grand jury charged with having caused the death of her infant child, was last week released from custody upon the furnishing of a $20,000 bail bond. It is stated that a number of Thief River Falls business men went on the bond of Mrs. Pearson.

The husband was released some time ago on bonds furnished by Clearwater county friends.

Says 1919 Wheat Is Suitable For Seed

TIMES READER PROVES TO OWN SATISFACTION THAT THIS IS THE CASE

The Times is in receipt of a communication from John Longren wherein that gentleman expresses a different opinion from those who claim that the 1919 wheat crop is unfit for seed. The letter follows:

"Thief River Falls, Minn., March 29, 1920. Editor Times:—On the front page of your last week's issue I read an article regarding the germinating qualities of the 1919 wheat crop and the possible danger of crop failure from its use as seed. I do not know whose wheat around Thief River Falls had been tested to arrive at these results but I seriously question if the statement is borne out by facts. To me it reads more like a seed house advertisement than a statement of facts, honestly arrived at, and I suggest that farmers find out for themselves.

"In order to satisfy myself of the germinating qualities of the 1919 wheat I took 105 kernels and placed same in an improvised germinator and in less than 48 hours 104 of them showed sprouts and the 105th seemed about to. Surely this is better than 30 per cent as stated in your article. I have been in the wheat raising business for more than tirty years in the Red River valley and can say we have planted seed in former years that was inferior to the 1919 crop. It is my opinion that the average wheat of 1919 is safe to plant if the spring season is not too severe."

Mr. Longren has done exactly as The Times recommended—tested his seed. That was all the article in question suggested. There is not the slightest doubt but much of the grain grown last year will turn out all right, but the risk of planting it without testing is too great. There have been instances where the germination test developed less than 30 per cent of fertile kernels and grain of this class should not be planted. Where the test shows the seed to be all right there is certainly no objection to be interposed to its being used. The wise farmer will do exactly as Mr. Longren, however,—test his seed.

Democrats to Hold County Convention

A mass convention of Pennington county democrats will be held on Saturday, April 3, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the democratic state convention to be held in Minneapolis on Tuesday, April 6, which convention will elect delegates to the national democratic convention to be held at San Francisco on June 28. The county convention will be held at the court house room in Thief River Falls and will be called to order at 2 p. m.

Under the call issued by the Democratic State Central committee both the delegates at large and the district delegates will be selected at the state convention, thus making unnecessary the holding of district conventions. Four delegates at large and two delegates for each congressional district, and an equal number of alternates will be elected.

The vote for President Wilson in 1916 is the basis of representation in the election of delegates to the state convention, each county to elect one delegate for each two hundred or major fraction of votes cast for Wilson, and in addition, two delegates at large. On this basis Pennington county democrats will elect seven delegates to the state convention.

All women, as well as men, who believe in the principles of the democratic party, are invited to attend the county convention.

Brilliant Windup of Basket Ball Season

FACULTY PUTS UP GOOD GAME BUT STUDENTS WIN OUT

It was perhaps the most wonderful basketball game ever played in Thief River Falls. The faculty members of the Thief River Falls high school had challanged the senior class team of that institution to prove that they were entitled to be considered among the top-notchers and the challenge was accepted. The game came off on Friday night and resulted in a score of something like 72 to 19 in favor of the students.

To begin with a number of troublesome rules were abrogated. It was found that the pedagogues could perform much better when unhampered by restrictions and they proceeded to make baskets in any manner they saw fit. Supt. W. A. Ziegler was the chief pirate, ably assisted by Tripp, Schmitt and Schold. Tommeraasen had been playing all season so his work was not so spectacular.

Ziegler and Tripp were great in team work. The agricultural teacher climbed on top of a step ladder and the superintendent would bring him the ball which would then be gently dropped through the basket. This worked well, particularly when the other members of the factulty team would manage to engage their opponents in an argument in the center of the floor. The number of baskets thus made was finally estimated and deducted from the total, but not before Ziegler and Tripp had entered most emphatic protests. It is not likely the matter will be taken before the governing board of the conference, however.

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THE RIGHT START.

Should either of the major enterprises upon which the commercial club is now engaged be successful the organization will more than have warranted all the outlay for which it has been responsible since its formation. The objects sought have assumed concrete form and there is every reason for expecting that some benefit of a tangible nature will result to the community.

The club went into the sugar beet proposition a little late in the season for the best results, but no time is being lost in making up for this oversight. Never has a program been taken hold of with such enthusiasm nor has one ever promised so much in the way of success. Merchants, bankers, farmers and citizens generally have gotten behind this movement to prove that sugar beets can be successfully raised in Pennington county and that the farmers are willing to go into the business just as soon as this fact is established. A great many things depend on the success of this experiment and it will be watched with more interest than has been accorded a new venture for some time.

The other proposition has to do with the utilization of peat for commercial purposes. For years the state has been carrying on experiments with a view to reclaiming these vast stretches as agricultural lands, the generally accepted view being that the peat itself was of no value. Recent investigations have demonstrated that the matter contains elements of the highest industrial value and that the particular kind of peat found in certain sections of northwestern Minnesota contains these elements in greater degree than any other in the country. Coke is one of the products that may be secured from peat while the distilates resulting in the manufacture of this fuel are even more valuable than the coke itself.

The club can devote its energies to no more important matter than the discovery of just what can be done with this waste product. The supply is inexhaustible and is easily secured. The possibilities held forth through its utilization are mpossible of computation.

This evening Prof. Peter Christianson of the university of Minnesota will address the citizens of the neighborhood on this subject of peat. He is one of the foremost authorities in the country on its commercial possibilities and what he has to say should prove of great interest to all our people.

TESTS ALL SEED GRAIN.

No business man would be so foolish as to engage upon an enterprise under circumstances that would doom it to failure from the start. He would take every precaution to make certain that there was at least a fair probability of success before investing his money and time.

The farmer who this year plants grain without first ascertaining its germinating qualities is making just such a mistake as would a business man entering a field with no possibility of success. The chances are against his securing a crop, no matter how favorable the season. The seed he puts into the ground must contain the germs of reproduction or neither sunshine nor rain will suffice to make it bring forth.

Last year's crop, particularly the wheat, was of poor quality. This fact alone should condemn it for seed but when to this general disqualification is added the fact that a large part of it has proven sterile the possibility of its unsatisfactory reproduction becomes a certainty. Nothing the farmer can do to the soil and nothing that nature can furnish in the way of weather will in any manner affect the result. Failure is inevitable.

Seed testing is the only certain way out of the difficulty. No grain should be put into the ground that has not been tested to ascertain its germinating qualities. To do otherwise is simply to invite disaster. It has been found that not more than about 30 per cent of the wheat grown in this section last year is fit for seed. In case this is so used it will mean less than a one-third crop. Such an outcome would be a greater disaster to the farmers than all the floods, droughts and hail storms they have ever experienced rolled together. It would mean bankruptcy for many.

Whatever he does, the farmer should satisfy himself that his grain is in such shape that it will sprout. He takes chances enough under any circumstances and should not start out with the certainty of failure.

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CHARLES LIEBERMAN

Local Notes

Math Barzen made a business trip to Middle River Friday.

W. B. Fuller spent a couple of days last week in Winnipeg attending to business matters.

Misses Pearl and Ruby Warring of Steiner visited in this city on Monday, returning to their homes on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson left on Friday evening for Minneapolis where they will attend to matters of business.

Oscar Smith, who left the first of last week on a business mission to Fergus Falls, returned to this city Friday morning.

S. Sapero of Chisholm, who has been a guest of his son, A. S. Sapero, over the week-end, returned to his home Friday evening.

Mrs. O. A. Wiste left Friday afternoon for Fertile, this state, where she will visit at the home of a daughter for an indefinite time.

Misses B. and M. Belanger, teachers in the local schools, left on Friday evening for their home in Duluth where they will visit for a week.

Scott Laird returned to this city Saturday afternoon from International Falls and Baudette, where he had been in the interests of flood relief work.

Merlan Bishop of Strathcona is expected to arrive here on Saturday and will spend Easter at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Miss Margaret Holmes, music instructor in the public schools here, left on Friday for her home in Minneapolis, where she will spend the Easter holidays.

Misses Esther Scovell and Myrtle Olson, both students in the local high school, left on Friday morning for Middle River, where they will spend Easter vacation.

Miss Jessie Barnett, accompanied by her sister, Miss Bannie, left Friday evening for Minneapolis, where they will visit with relatives and friends for a week.

Miss Alice Peterson, a member of the faculty of the Warren high school arrived on Friday morning to spend a week as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Leonard Peterson.

Miss Miriam Bishop, who is a student at the Minnesota "U", arrived Saturday morning and is spending the week as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Esther Loff went to her home in Karlstad on Friday evening to spend the Easter holidays. She will return to this city in time to take up her studies at the local high school.

Steve Warring, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Pearl, who attends the local high school, left on Friday morning for Steiner, where they will visit during the Easter vacation.

Ole Engelstad, a student of the agricultural school at Crookston, arrived on Friday morning and will spend the Easter holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Engelstad.

Theodore Thompson returned to this city on Monday from Montana with a mixed carload of furniture, horses and farm machinery which he contemplates using on his farm a short distance northwest of this city.

Miss Martha England, high school student, left on Friday evening for her home in Karlstad, where she will visit at the home of her parents. She was accompanied by Miss Lee, who will also visit at the home of her parents.

Mrs. O. W. Ferguson, accompanied by her brother, Joe Gillette, of Big River, Saskatchewan, Can., who had been guests of their aunt, Miss Inez Parenteau, for a week, returned to their respective homes Friday afternoon.

Miss Florence Fjelstad left on Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will be the guest of a sister during the Easter vacation. She will return to this city Monday morning to resume her duties in the public schools.

Miss Grace Gunlaugson of the local high school faculty, left on Friday evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit for a couple of days when she will go to her home in Montivedio to send the remainder of the Easter vacation.

Miss Lucille Burns arrived today from Lake Park, where she is teaching school. She will spend a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns. Miss Evangeline Burns is expected tomorrow and will also spend a week at her home here.

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Miss Evelyn Saugen, a student at the Lincoln high school, left on Friday morning for her home in Steiner, where she will visit for a week. She was accompanied by her sisters, Miss Inga, who is a probation nurse at the Physicians hospital and Miss Celia, who teaches near this city.

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Men's Top Coats and Rain Coats, specially priced for Easter.

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BOYS' DRESS SHIRTS

Boys' dress shirts	$1.35

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Boys' underwear	65c to $1.35

Local Notes

Mrs. Anna Dock spent Monday and Tuesday in Roseau attending to matters of business.

Frank Frieund of Red Lake Falls was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week.

John Ward will leave tomorrow evening for Minneapolis where he will spend a few days on a pleasure trip.

Elnor Overland a student of St. Olaf, arrived on Sunday morning and will visit at his home during the Easter vacation.

Miss Margaret Jorgenson spent Sunday at the home of her parents, who reside in Plummer, returning on Monday morning.

Otto Gullingsrud and family left on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where they contemplate residing in the future.

Miss Louise Erickson, Moorhead normal student, is spending the week as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson.

Edward Kiland is visiting at the home of his friend, Purl Anderson, at Greenbush this week. He will return here on Saturday.

Miss Henrietta Roth left on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she was called because of the sudden death of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Sanden returned to their home in Mahnomen on Sunday evening after a brief visit at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Zella Zeh left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will be the guest of friends for a few days. She expects to return tomorrow.

Mrs. H. Wilson arrived Friday evening from Fordville, N. D., and visited over Sunday at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson.

Miss Mary Welsh, instructor in the Lincoln high school, left on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to visit with friends over Easter. Her sister, who attends St. Benedict's college, will join her later.

Miss Alice Wilson, who has been a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson, for three weeks, returned to Minneapolis on Saturday evening to resume her duties at the Abbott hospital where she is taking a course in nursing.

Frank McKnight, who for the past two years has been employed as druggist at Lambert's Drug store, left on Saturday evening for Pittsburg, Pa., where he has accepted a similar position. Mrs. McKnight and little son preceded him a few weeks ago. Their many friends will regret to learn of of their removal.

Mrs. F. F. Haynes, who underwent an operation at Mason City, Ia., last week, is reported to be improving rapidly.

Ulric Rak of Mahnomen, was here a few days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek and family.

Miss Olive Booren of Minot, N. D., is spending the week as a guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren.

Miss Ella Evans, principal of the Lincoln high school, left on Monday morning for Roseau to visit with friends for a few days.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer left on Saturday afternoon for East Grand Forks, where she will visit for a week at the home of her parents.

Miss Mary Prichard, who is attending the University of Minnesota, arrived on Sunday morning and will spend a week as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Peck and children left on Saturday afternoon for their future home in Hartford, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Peck have been residents of this city for the past two years and in that time have made many friends who will regret to learn of their departure.

H. Arndt of Holt, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Sadie, left this city on Saturday afternoon for Spokane, Wash., where they will visit with relatives enroute to their new home in Portland, Ore. Mr. Arndt has been engaged in farming in this community for some time and his daughter is well known to local people having attended school here for a number of years.

Miss Olive Helgas of Crookston is in the city visiting with friends this week.

Miss Myrtle Berg, who teaches school at Bijou arrived the latter part of last week to spend her Easter vacation.

Herman Aakre, Lincoln high school student, is spending the Easter holidays at the home of his parents, who reside near Goodridge.

Mrs. W. H. Akre and daughter, Ardith, left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston to be the guests of the former's parents for a week.

Mrs. Anna Watson, who had been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Robinson of Oslo, for two weeks, returned to this city Saturday evening.

Misses Irma and Audry Iverson of Badger, arrived here on Saturday afternoon and will spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pope.

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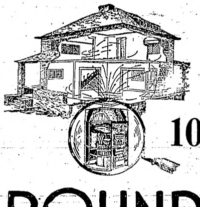

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WE attribute our rapid growth to the fact that we are giving the public a superior banking service.

This being a Strictly Home Bank it is only natural that YOUR best interests are OUR best interests. This puts us in a position where we can handle your business to the best advantage at all times.

Every person connected in any way with this bank takes pride in serving your interests in any manner within their power, standing always ready to be of assistance where possible.

We wish at this time to express our appreciation for the kind cooperation extended by the public.

Herewith is submitted a statement showing the growth of business during our first two years of operation:

There Must Be a Reason

why this bank is the fastest growing bank in this territory!

At close of business March 24, 1919

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$178,444.69	Capital Stock	$ 25,000.00
Overdrafts	272.97	Surplus	5,000.00
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness	5,003.08	Undivided Profits	16.99
Furniture and Fixtures	5,613.98	Bills Payable	23,000.00
Cash and Due from banks	40,324.05	Deposits	176,276.19
Other Resources	3,218.89	Other Liabilities	3,584.48
TOTAL	$232,877.66	TOTAL	$232,877.66

At close of business March 24, 1920

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$306,943.80	Capital Stock	$ 25,000.00
Bonds	422.00	Surplus	5,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	7,132.45	Undivided Profits	1,963.02
Total Cash Assets	39,146.48	Bills Payable	10,000.00
Other Resources	4,643.53	Deposits	312,110.28
		Other Liabilities	4,214.96
TOTAL	$358,288.26	TOTAL	$358,288.26

Can We Be of Service to You?

Farmers & Merchants State Bank

Thief River Falls

Finds Conditions In England Rather Bad

T. H. AND W. J. SMITH ARE GLAD TO GET BACK TO MINNESOTA

While the people of the United States doubtless have a serious kick coming on the high cost of living their condition is much better than that of their English cousins in this respect, according to T. H. Smith of Mavie, who, in company with his brother, W. J., returned last week from a four-months' visit to the old country.

"Everything over there is higher in prices," said Mr. Smith, "with the exception of clothing, while wages are only about one-half of those paid in this country. The low rate at which the English pound sterling is now quoted is making it extremely difficult for a heavily importing nation to keep things going to the satisfaction of the workingman. The normal rate of exchange is about 1.06 while at the present time it is hovering around 75.

"Eggs are selling for 10 cents apiece while hay would be bringing $72 a ton at the present rate of exchange. Bread is cheaper there than here, a four-pound loaf costing 24 cents. Fish is also reasonable. Meats are still distributed on the rationing plan and no one has enough. The situation is such as to breed discontent and there is much socialistic and bolshevistic talk among the working classes."

Both men say they are glad to get back to this county. "I considered myself a pretty good American when I left," says T. H., "but I came back decidedly a better one. So will any other man who has an opportunity to study the difference in conditions prevailing there and here."

Elks Meeting Postponed.

Tomorrow is Good Friday and the observances customary on that anniversary will be observed throughout the city. There will be no meeting of the Elks lodge in the evening and it is understood that all other gatherings of a similar nature have been postponed.

Miss Cary Here.

Miss Miriam Cary president of the Minnesota Library association, made an official visit in this city the forepart of the week. During the war Miss Cary was supervisor of all camp libraries in the southern states and since the cessation of the war is continuing her work by distributing books to disabled soldiers. While here she made a visit to the local sanatorium and was a guest of Mrs. Gaston Ward.

Judge Holm a Candidate.

Judge Mike Holm of Roseau, one of the best-known of the northern Minnesota pioneers and a Republican of lifelong standing, has announced himself as a candidate for the office of secretary of state and will enter the elimination contest which takes place during the first week in May. Judge Holm will receive a strong endorsement from the counties in which he is known as it is recognized that he would make an ideal candidate if nominated and a most competent and obliging official if elected. He has many friends in Pennington county who will help his candidacy all they can.

New Legion Proposal.

Representatives of the American Legion have reached the decision to present before the house ways and means committee a new plan embracing land settlement, home building, and for vocational training and payment of adjusted compensations. The proposal is a substitute explained to the committee by Commander Franklin D'Olier and Thomas W. Miller, chairman of the executive committee, recently. The four fold plan carrying new rates was approved at a meeting of the executive committee.

A. M. Sheldon, president of the First and Peoples State bank, was in the city on business this week.

EVERYONE

from nine to ninety can eat Cream of Barley. Here is a delicious food flavor. Also, it is a health food par excellence, for in a dish of this highly concentrated food you get more nutrition than could be obtained from three or four times as much meat, eggs or potatoes. It is, by the way, the most easily assimilated food in the world.

CREAM OF BARLEY

"The Food with a History"

LOOKED AT IN ANY WAY

our milk is the very best you can use in your household. First, because of its absolute putrity and sanitary cleanliness. Next because of its superior richness and therefore in nourishing quailty. Finally because in spite of its admitted superiority in every way it will cost you no more to use it. Why not at least, then, give it a trial?

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

PAINT

WE carry a complete stock of paint—a high quality line but a medium price seller.

A few dollars invested in brightening up your premises may add hundreds to its value.

Now is the time to look the matter up.

The Prichard Co.

Local Notes

Mr. and Mrs. A. Olson are the proud parents of a son born to them on Sunday morning, March 27.

Mrs. P. N. Pederson of Holt, who made a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson, returned to her home Tuesday morning.

Thomas Lonson of Calloway spent the week-end in this city visiting with friends and relatives. He returned to his duties on Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. S. Ashley and son, Billy, arrived the latter part of last week and are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr.

Miss Phyllis Dock will arrive tomorrow from Greenbush where she is attending school to visit for a week with her mother, Mrs. Anna Dock.

Charles Prichard arrived on Sunday morning from Minneapolis where he attends the university, and will visit for a week at his home in this city.

Milton Weeks and sister, Miss Helen, both students of St. Olaf, are spending the week here as the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence returned to this city the first of the week from Minneapolis, where they had spent a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Emily Fossum, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Physicians' hospital the latter part of last week, is reported to be recovering rapidly.

Mrs. D. P. O'Neill of St. Paul, is in the city as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Connelly, for a few days. Mr. O'Neill will arrive here the latter part of this week.

Reuben Aga is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Aga, this week. He will return to Northfield to resume his duties at St. Olaf college the first of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gase, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rolland for a week, left on Monday morning for their home at Felford, Saskatchewan, Can.

Mrs. Maggie Busse returned to her home at Ada on Tuesday afternoon, having spent the past three months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Val Yager, who resides near this city.

Mrs. R. E. Warner and daughter, Abegail of Fordville, N. D., are in the city this week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Rupprecht. They will return to their home the latter part of the week.

Mrs. H. H. Spink, who has been visiting in this city for a couple of weeks, left on Tuesday morning for White Bear, where she will be joined by her husband when they will leave for their home at Oshkosh, Wis.

Mrs. Anna Anfinson, accompanied by her son, August and daughter, Miss Lida, of Minneapolis, who has been a guest of her mother, left on Monday afternoon for Minneapolis, where they will make their home in the future.

Clarence Dybvik, of the E. O. Mogensen sales force, returned the first of the week from the cities where he is taking a course in window display work and card writing. After spending the Easter season at home he will return to continue his studies.

Rev. A. N. Skogerboe, formerly pastor of the Hauges Synod church in this city, came up from Erskine for the purpose of conducting the funeral services for the late Anders Sanders. Rev. Skrogerboe is now serving the congregation at Erskine and is very much pleased with his new post.

H. S. Dahlen returned the first of the week from a trip through southern Minnesota and northern Iowa in the interest of the land deparment of the First and Peoples State bank. He states that there is much interest among the people of that section in the opportunities offered farmers in this section.

Scott Laird left on Tuesday evening for St. Paul where he will meet with the state board of relief on business in connection with the seed grain situation, and from there he will go to Winona to attend the spring reunion of the Scottish rite and also the Maundy Thursday banquet which is obligatory to all members of the Scottish rite.

The Elks' Initiation.

One of the largest gatherings of Elks in the history of the city witnessed the initiation of some 50 candidates last Friday. The auditorium was used for putting on the work, which was well handled thruout. The entertainment features were particularly pleasing, being of a distinctly high order.

This is the last big meeting at which the present officers will preside, their successors taking their positions in the near future. It has been the most successful year in the history of the organization, the membership having been quadruppled. Thief River Falls lodge is now the largest in this section of the state and perhaps the largest in the country for a city of this size. It is steadily growing and the officers are planning for another banner year.

Educational Meeting.

A sectional meeting under the auspices of the Teachers' Patriotic league will be held at the Hazel hall in District 12 on April 17 at 8 p. m. Districts 12, 4, 6, 125, 133, 154, 178 and 221 are included in this section.

Four speakers will talk on the following subjects: "Citizenship," "Health," "Boys' and Girls' Club Work," "School Laws," and "School Improvements."

After the program lunch will be served and the evening will be spent in a social way.

The City Churches

Trinity Lutheran—There will be services at Trinity Lutheran church Easter Sunday, Rev. I. T. Austad delivering the sermon.

First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. No Sunday school. Children's Easter program at 7:45 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services Easter Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning. Services at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. An offering will be taken at these meetings for the Foreign Mission. Friday, (Good Friday) service at 8 p. m.

Another For Governor.

Dr. Nelson of Minneapolis, president of Minnesota college, has filed as republican candidate for governor. He issued a statement making no reference to the proposed elimination convention by which one gubernatorial candidate would be chosen. The announcement declares the contest against socialist control of the state will be the main issue of the primary campaign.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends and neighbors who so willingly assisted us during the recent illness and death of our son and brother. Especially do we wish to thank the Red Cross at Thief River Falls, Red Cross of Rocksbury and the Hamars Ladies aid.—Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hagen, Mrs. Nellie Hestekind and children. a1p

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to the many kinds friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our late relative, Anders Sanders. Particularly do we thank the Modern Woodmen of America for the many kindnesses shown.—Mrs. Anders Sanders and Children, Nels and Carl Strom. a1p

Taken Up.

Notice is hereby given that I have taken up a stray yearling heifer on my farm, one mile west of Thief River Falls on the Jefferson highway. Red in color. Owner can have same by paying for feed during time animal has been in my care and paying the cost of this advertisement.

N. A. NELSON,
a1-8-15 Thief River Falls, Minn.

JOHN H
Pure Bred Percheron Stallion
Owned by
North Silverton Horse Co.

Will stand at Ramstad's barn in Thief River Falls, April 8 to 17, and at Hans Rued's farm from Saturday evening until Monday afternoon. At Pat Roark's farm, 4 miles north of Thief River Falls, Tuesday and Wednesday. At

Old Ramstad Barn

in Thief River Falls, Thursday, Friday, until Saturday noon.

Odd Fellows Fix Program.

Lone Pine Odd Fellows lodge of this city is rapidly growing in membership and has so much work ahead that a regular program of procedure will at once be inaugurated. The first Tuesday of each month will until further notice be given over to the conferring of the initiatory degree, the second Tuesday will be devoted to the first degree, and so on in rotation throughout the month. The initiatory degree was conferred last Tuesday and will be repeated on April 6 in order to get the new system in working order.

We Owe You Interest
To April First

Bring your savings book in and have it entered.

And why not make a deposit while you are about it?

Every deposit you make before the tenth of April will increase the amount of interest due you July 1st.

First and Peoples State Bank

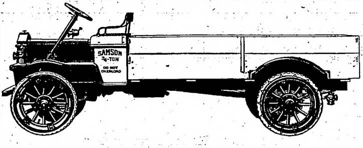

Without the patented extension rims of the Samson Truck, jobs in the field could not be done quickly, as the ordinary tires would mire down.

SAMSON
3-4 TON TRUCK

The value of a farm truck lies in its ability for continuous service, in its economy and its adaptability for farm loads and conditions.

You would think that if all these conditions were known someone could build a truck that would just fit them.

Well, someone has—a truck that fits every farm condition—and we have the truck.

The Samson Truck will go thru mud, snow, deep sand, plowed ground, soft stubble, pastures and slews. Nothing prevents its getting direct to where it is going on schedule time. The extension bases that automatically clear the ground on a hard surface take care of that.

That is what makes Samson Trucks so practical. They are mechanically dependable and they will go anywhere any time. They are just as useful in the fields as on the highway—every day in the year. You can depend on the Samson for uninterrupted service.

Chassis complete with front fenders, platform, bumper, seat, seat cushions, oil lamps and horn

Peoples Auto Co.

Telephone 77 Thief River Falls

Dinner Party.

Mrs. R. H. Ross entertained at dinner on Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. H. H. Spink.

Mrs. Mogensen Hostess.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen pleasantly entertained a group of ladies at her home Friday afternoon in compliment of Mrs. H. H. Spink.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith were hosts at dinner last Thursday evening. Covers were laid for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. N. Christianson, Mr. and Mrs. Mogensen, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey, W. A. Barnard.

Mrs. Fillmore Honored Guest.

Honoring Mrs. Ray Fillmore, who was her guest, Mrs. J. L. Stitt pleasantly entretained a few ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon, March 33. The hours were spent socially and at 5 o'clock a delicious lunch was enjoyed.

Young Peoples Society.

The Young Peoples society of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Thursday, April 1st, at 8:30 p. m. in the basement of the church. The hostesses will be Misses Pearl Olson, Jeannette Lee, Thora Hanson, Christine Clausen.

Hostesses at Dinner.

Mesdames J. Farr and Jens Erickson entertained at dinner on Sunday evening at the home of the former in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager and family who leave in the near future for Washington. Places were arranged for fourteen guests.

Surprised.

Miss Christine Clausen was pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening when twelve of her friends dropped in on her unexpectedly. Dancing formed the chief diversion. Miss Clausen leaves in a short while for Denmark where she will spend the summer months visiting at her former home and with friends and relatives.

In Honor of Mrs. Ashley.

In compliment to her sister, Mrs. E. S. Ashley of Bemidji, who is her guest, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., entertained a few ladies at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Theatre Party.

A small company of her friends was entertained by Mrs. A. S. Sapero at a theatre party and luncheon on Friday evening. During the hours that followed the luncheon cards wre enjoyed. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were Mesdames R. H. Ross, H. F. Booren, L. L. Cohn, H. H. Spink of Oskosh, Wis., F. C. Niclai, Scott Laird.

Lois Peck Honor Guest.

Miss Lois Peck was honor guest at an informal gathering of the younger members of Mrs. Clarence Erickson's class in music at her home on Thursday afternoon, March 18. The hours were devoted to games and music after which lunch was served by the hostess. Miss Lois left last Saturday afternoon for Washington with her parents.

Fancy Dress Party.

Miss Emma Pawling was a delightful hostess to eleven of her girl friends on Tuesday evening at her home on Main avenue. The affair was a fancy dress party and much amusement was afforded the guests in guessing what each costume represented. Lunch was served by Miss Pawling's mother, assisted by Miss Esther Gjertson.

Entertain.

About twenty of their friends were pleasantly entertained by Mesdames Victoria McKinney and F. J. Stebbins at the home of the latter last Saturday evening. The hours were devoted to cards. Mrs. Emil Zeh won first honor which was a beautiful plant and Mrs. O. F. Melby carried the consolation prize. Elk colors were used in the artistic decorations throughout the rooms.

Surprise Party.

About forty neighbors and friends of E. T. Tonmer pleasantly surprised him at his home Saturday evening, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. Singing and games furnished the amusement for the evening, and at eleven o'clock refreshments, brought by the guests, was served.

Delightful Entertainment.

The fifth and last number on the High School Athletic Association Lyceum course was completed in the pleasing entertainment given by Mr. and Mrs. Mitchitao Ongawa, Japanese actors, on Monday evening. Their performance was not only entertaining but instructive as well. Their weird oriental music so unlike that of American origin was a very interesting feature as were also the folk dances. A little playlet entitled the "Fox Woman" portraying the superstitious belief in sorcery and witchcraft concluded a most delightful evening.

Masons Entertain.

The Masons were royal hosts on Monday evening, March 22nd when they entertained the Eastern Stars at a delightful party in the Masonic hall. The dancing was preceded by a pleasing program consisting of selections by the male chorus and choir of the Presbyterian church under the able leadership of Mrs. Edberg, duets and vocal solos by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher whose numbers were liberally applauded and highly enjoyed by the large crowd in attendance. This is one of the largest aggreations that has of the largest aggregations that has a party. A very fine lunch was enjoyed at midnight. The guests dispersed at a late hour voting the Masons exceptional entertainers.

New Furnishings for Your Bed Room

WITH the arrival of spring comes the thought of new furnishings for the home—and especially for the bed room.

To aid you in finding what you need we have provided an exceptionally complete showing of new designs in both metal and wood. Prices are very reasonable. ¶See us about that new stove. We have a full line and you will find both quality and prices right.

Larson Furniture Company

Friday and Saturday Specials For Easter Wear

Loken Bros.

Have you seen the marvelous McCall
"Cordica" Tweed Sport Coat?
Cost only
$5.90

It's a 1920 wonder. We sell you the material and pattern. You can make it in half an hour's time.

ONE SEAM ONLY

The style is right, the fit is perfect. Equal to any $25.00 to $35.00 Coats on the market today.

For your new summer dress, which will it be?

5.90 or 25.00?

Take your choice. The $25.00 dress bought anywhere will not in any way be worth one cent more than the one we can sell you by the yard, together with a McCall pattern. In these days of high cost is it not about time to do a little thinking? Come in and we will gladly prove to you how you can get your new dress at $5.90 or $25.00. Pay whichever you choose.

Why Not a Silk Georgette Waist for Half?

How? Simply buy the goods by the yard and make it up with a McCall pattern. We have the beads, chincalle and braid to match to embroider with. You can save at least $5.00 by two or three hours' work. Let our dry goods salespeople help you plan your next waist and save you money.

White Dresses for This Season Promise to Be Big

White Net, White Voiles, White Organdies, a wonderful selection to choose from and at prices you'll be pleased to pay. Per yard

65c 85c $1.00 $1.25 $1.50

Choosing the New Frock for Easter

Every Department Contributes Special Offerings in Wanted Merchandise for the Easter Season

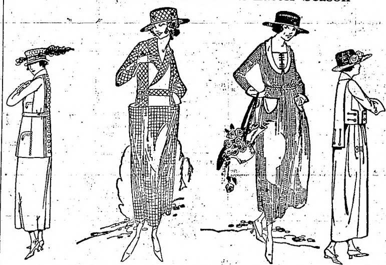

For Friday and Saturday Only

Our PRE-EASTER SALE of Coats Suits, Dresses and Waists

Suits Especially, the Thought Uppermost in Every Woman's Mind

With Easter but two days away, there's not a great deal of time to hesitate before selecting your new apparel. But, fortunately for you, we are featuring new Spring suits at very moderate pricings. These garments were specially purchased and the savings to you are quite substantial. All the new effects are shown—Eton, flare, ripple and Norfolk effects in jackets—also the mannish tailored and box coat styles. The string belts are featured on many youthful models. Braid and embroidery serve as trimming. Mostly of the popular tricotine—but serges, worsted novelties and fulled Jersey cloth, too, are shown. Navy blue, black, tan, rookie, new blue and stripes. Lined with plain or fancy silk and satin.

All wool poplin Spring suits, specially priced at ---------- 35.00
All wool serge Spring suits, specially priced at ---------- 49.50
All wool tricotine Spring suits, specially priced at ---------- 59.50
All wool tricotine Spring suits, specially priced at ---------- 79.50

Wooltex and Printzess Coats for Easter and Early Spring Wear

An especially worth-while selection.

$35.00 $49.50 $59.50 $69.50

In a variety of all the leading new fabrics, styled especially for this season's Easter wear.

Charming Spring Designs in Foulards, Brown and Navy. Georgette Crepes in Navy and Grey.

A Collection of Afternoon Models at

$50.00 to $69.50

Here come the new Spring Foulards, designs of daintiness that have a special fitness for the graceful lines of the new Spring Frocks. Three models in tunic or bouffant draped effects, with the new three-quarter sleeves, with festive little collars or frills of lace.

Beutiful Georgette Gowns for afternoon occasions, with the new straight-across collarless neck, the bodice veiling wide sheaths of scarlet ribbon, the fluffy draperies edged with taffeta ruchings—Gowns of distinctive style.

Loken Bros.

Silk Stockings

Special for Easter wear at present wholesale cost.

At 1.95

Ladies' silk stockings. Entire lot of $2.50, $2.25 and $2.00 values, in black, white, brown and smoke; full fashioned, medium weight.

At 2.95

Women's extra heavy silk stockings; plain full fashioned hose in black, white and cordovan. Values to $3.50.

Silk Georgette Waists

Fifty clever new styles just arrived. Take your choice out of our entire stock. These specials for Friday and Saturday only:

$6.95

Buys a Georgette waist in any shade or style. A $7.50 value.

$8.95

Take your choice of any of our $10 Georgette waists.

$13.95

Buys your choice of any of our $15 waists.

Warner's New Corsets

Spring stock just arrived. No. 1553 in all sizes but 23, 3 1-4 in. bust, made of high quality white coutil; $5.00 corset value, special at

$4.00

Kid Gloves for Easter

Special express shipment just arrived this week, in all shades, black, brown, grey, white and tan.

$3.00, $4.25 and $5.00

Silk Camisoles

Flesh, pink and white. A specially selected lot for Friday and Saturday only at each, only ---------- $1.95

Shoes for Easter

Parisienne Colonail pump in black kid with beaded tongue, 18-8 Century heel with plate and a flexible sole. This is a Queen Quality shoe and is very comfortable and perfect fitting. Price ---------- $9.00

Brown service kid oxford with the military heel, welt sole, imt. tip. Beauty and service combine in this shoe for street and semi-dress wear. Attractively priced at ---------- $9.00

An all black suede calf Ostend lace oxford with 19-8 covered Louis heel and flexible sole. This is a new arrival and we have them in all widths and sizes. Price ---------- $11.00

A one eyelet tie in black kid with leather Louis heel and flexible sole. A very popular number in the much wanted long slender vamp. Price ---------- $8.75

First National Bank Farm Auctions

The First National Bank

HAVE this old, staunch and reliable institution attend to your banking. We do everything a good bank should do and make "service to our customers" the watchword of our institution.

We Give Farm Sales Special Attention

The clerking is placed in the hands of an experienced man who has full knowledge of livestock and machinery values.

Our Farm Loan Department

Is at your service. Should it be necessary for you to make a loan, we shall be pleased to take the matter up with you, assuring you that the most careful consideration will be given to your needs.

First National Bank

C. L. HANSEN, President Thief River Falls, Minn.

CARL HOVEN

Having decided to quit farming, I will at public auction all of my personal property, on my farm, the Northwest Quarter of Section 15, Kratka Township, on

Monday, April 5th

Commencing at 11:00 O'clock.

One black team, 10 years old, weight 2,400 lbs.
One sorrel horse, 10 years old, weight 1,400 lbs.
One bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 1,400 lbs.
One gelding, 4 years old, wt. 1,300 lbs.

18 HEAD OF CATTLE

Six young milch cows, all fresh
One yearling heifer
Two steers, 2 years old
Three yearling steers
Five calves, 3 months old
One bull, 2 years old (Hereford)

FARM MACHINERY AND OTHER ARTICLES

One Deering binder, 6-ft. cut, with truck
One McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
One Deering mower, 5-ft. cut
One McCormick hay rake
One International sweep rake
One Superior hay stacker
One Van Brunt drill, 16 double disc, with seeder attachment
One Van Brunt shoe drill
One disc with truck (12 disc)
One Emerson gang plow, 13-in.
One Emerson sulky plow, 16 inch, with breaking attachment
One 4-horse drag, 4 sections
One John Deere prairie breaker, 14 inch
One Moline wide tire wagon
One narrow tire wagon
One single top buggy
One bob sleigh, 7-ft. runners
Two *hay racks*
One new wagon box
One Maxwell touring car
One Hero fanning mill
One 1,000-lb. platform scale
One complete set blacksmith tools
Two steel oil barrels with faucets, 50-gal.
One U. S. cream separator No. 6
One 8-gal. cream can
Two sets working harness
One saddle
Forty grain sacks
250 ft. oak lumber
20 Wyandotte chickens
1,000 lbs. Timothy seed
200 bushels oats
12 ton Timothy hay

HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES, Etc

Iron bed with spring, brass bed, leather couch, dresser, kitchen table, rocking chair *with leather cushions*, three other chairs, heating stove, cook stove, 3-burner kerosene oil stove, Winchester repeating rifle, 32 special), repeating shot gun, 12 gauge, (Winchester); sewing machine, 8-day Mantle clock, kitchen cabinet, and other household furniture and articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

Carl Hoven, Owner

L. O. KONGELF, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

JOHN TURNWALL

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on my farm, section 18, Town of North, being 4 miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

Thursday, April 8th

Sale commencing at 11:30 o'clock sharp, all of the following personal property, to-wit.

HORSES

1 Bay mare, 9 years old, weight 1250 lbs.
1 Sorrel horse, 9 years old, weight 1250 lbs.

CATTLE AND POULTRY

3 Good milch cows, all fresh
1 Black heifer, fresh
4 Yearling heifer calves
100 Chickens (White Leghorns)

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 Acme binder, 7-ft. cut
1 Mower, 5-ft. cut
1 McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
1 Kentucky 16-disc drill
1 Rock Island 16-disc
1 13-in. John Deere gang plow
1 Drag
1 Feed mill
1 one-horse cultivator
1 two-horse cultivator
1 two-seated buggy
1 Wagon, nearly new
1 Jumper sleigh
1 Wagon, 3-in. tire
1 Pair bob sleighs
1 14-in. breaker
1 Cream separator
1 Tank, 11 1-2 horse engine
1 Tank heater
1 Pump jack
1 Chevrolet automobile

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ETC.

2 Complete iron beds
1 Buffet
1 Phonograph stand
1 Mattress (new)
And other articles too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch at Noon

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

John Turnwall
Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

THOR GUNDERSON

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the southeast quarter (SE-1-4) of section 12, Town of Silverton, being 1 1-2 miles north and 1-2 mile east of Stop 8 on the Electric line, on

Wednesday, April 7th

Sale commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all of the following personal property, to-wit:

HORSES

1 Bay mare, 9 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Bay mare, 9 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
1 Black horse, 14 years old, weight 1200 lbs.

CATTLE AND POULTRY

1 Holstein heifer, 1 1-2 years old
1 Heifer, 3 years old, fresh soon
1 Shorthorn bull, 1 year old
25 Chickens

FARM IMPLEMENTS

1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut
1 Deering mower, 5-ft. cut (with flax attachment)
1 McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
1 Rock Island 16-in. sulky plow
1 Walking plow, 14-in.
1 Walking plow, 18-in.
1 Breaking plow, 14-in.
1 Van Brunt 16-shoe drill
1 12-disc harrow
1 3-section drag
1 Sleigh, 7-ft. runners
1 one-horse cultivator
1 Wide tire wagon, with box
1 Hay rack
1 Single buggy
3 Working harness
1 4-barrel galvanized stock tank
1 Grindstone
1 8-Gal. churn
60 Grain sacks
1 15-Gal. stone jar
Carpenter tools
60 Bu. Marquis seed wheat
4 Ton timothy hay

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ETC.

4 Loads of wood
100 lbs. salt pork
25 Bu. potatoes
1 Extension table
4 Chairs
1 Cook stove
2 Heating stoves
Lamps and other articles too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch at Noon

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

Thor Gunderson
Owner

L. O. KONGELF, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

The City Churches

Bible Lectures at Odd Fellows' hall, O. J. Dahl—We invite the Scandinavian public to come to the Odd Fellows hall on Sunday evening, April 4th to hear one of the greatest delusions of today exposed. The subject will be: "The Law that Christ Nailed to the Cross." The service commences at 8 o'clock sharp.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Unreality." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Easter service with special music at 11 a. m. in city. Afternoon service at Bethlehem church at 3 p. m. Easter service at Rosewood Monday at 11 a. m. Service at Norden Monday afternoon at 3 p. m. Bethlehem Ladies aid at Isaak Isaakson's Wednesday at 2 p. m. Zion Ladies aid in city Thursday at 2 p. m., April 8. Mrs. Griebstein entertains. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, April 8th, at 8 p. m.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Easter Sunday service at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. In the morning service the theme will be: "The Resurrection of Christ." The evening will have a good program in which both the Sunday school children and the big folks will take part. As to the singing the program will be: 1—"Little Glad Hearts," by six primary girls; 2—"The Old Account," by the Sunday School; 3—"Han Lover," Duet; 4—"He Liveth," by Boys' Trio and School; 5—"Tell the Glad Tidings," Quartet. In between the singing there will be reading of the good news. Recitation: "Doubt and Faith," and "A heart to heart message."

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—April 4. Easter, 10 a. m. sharp. Easter exercises by the Sunday school. Easter Program: 11 a. m. morning worship. Sermon subject: "The Resurrection." Easter music, Mrs. H. E. Edberg, director. Hymn 74. Solo: "Be Ye Glad," Composer, Paul Ambrose, Mrs. M. W. Brink and Wilbur Roth. Ladies Trio, from "The Holy City," Mrs. M. W. Brink, Miss Zella Zeh and Miss Meta Kiland. Anthem: "Welcome of Easter," composer, McPhail, Choir. Offertory, Trio, Violin, Mrs. August Holmberg, Cello, Wilbur Roth, piano, Mrs. H. E. Edberg. Hymn 79. 8 p. m. evening worship, service and song. Two selections by the Junior choir. Anthem: "List While the Angels Sing," McPhail, Choir. Anthem: "Christ is Risen," Choir. Easter Cantata: "From Cross to Cross," Judson, Choir. Soprano soloists, Mrs. M. W. Brink, Miss Zella Zeh; Contralto, Miss Meta Kiland; Tenor, Ellery Porter; Bass, Wilbur Roth. Offertory, Saxaphone solo, Theodore Prichard. All who are not expected to be present at other churches are cordially invited to enjoy Easter with us. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 to 7:30 p. m.

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. H. C. Haraldson and daughter of Thief River Falls were in town last Tuesday to attend the Opseth sale and visit with Mrs. Haraldson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Borgen.

Gjermon Nordhagen was at Viking between trains last Friday to visit with his sister, Mrs. A. Gullseth and attend to business.

Olof Opseth spent Friday and Saturday at Warren to attend the combination sale.

Edwin Myrom left last Wednesday for Edmore, N. D., where he will be employed during spring work.

Miss Olga Thoreson returned home fro ma few days' visit with Thief River Falls friends last Tuesday.

Misses Gladys, Geneva and Jonneva Swenson returned home from Thief River Falls last Tuesday where they have been visiting at the S. Brandon and Mrs. Nyhus homes over Sunday.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen left last Saturday for Thief River Falls where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. S. Benson, and attend the W. C. T. U. meeting at the latter home next Tuesday.

Mrs. John Sagmoen and daughter, Gladys, returned home the latter part of this week from Thief River Falls, where they have been visiting with relatives for a few days.

Postmaster H. Carlson is spending Sunday at Thief River Falls to visit and attend to business.

Emil Mollem left last Thursday for Nekoma, N. D., where he will be employed this summer.

Steiner Johnson left last Monday for Grand Forks and other points in North Dakota, where he will visit for an indefinite period with old time acquaintances.

The John Sagmoen family spent Sunday visiting at the Mrs. Eva Carlson home in Norden.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the John Bloom home, south of town last Sunday afternoon: Rev. Werner Drotts, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom, Thorwald Myrom and Joel Shoberg.

Geo. Walker, a son-in-law of John Batten, was in town a few days this week to visit and purchase baled hay, leaving again on Monday morning for his home at Kenmare, N. D.

A. T. Rafteseth of Mahnomen arrived home on Saturday morning for a few days' visit with his parents in town. Mr. Rafteseth is employed at dredging work near Mahnomen.

The Rindal church is being reshingled this week.

Miss Clara Nelson left the latter part of the week for Norden where she will visit for some time with her sister, Mrs. Ole Skaar and will later leave for Minneapolis, where she expects to make her future home.

Axel Bloom left on Monday evening for the town of Rocksbury where he will be employed at the Lloyd Crown farm, this summer.

Several of the high school students of Thief River Falls are spending their vacations at their homes here.

Teacher Miss Lydia Batten of the Northrup school, Thief River Falls, arrived home on Saturday to visit with her father for a few days.

Misses Myrtle and Carrie Nelson of Anita, are over Sunday guests with their friend, Miss Gladys Swenson, at this place.

Iver Westby, Jr., of Goodridge was in town last Tuesday to visit with his folks and to attend the Opseth auctino sale.

Henry Sagmoen is employed as clerk in the H. Carlson store, taking the place of his sister, Miss Isabelle who will accompany her sister, Mrs. S. Benson of Thief River Falls on a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Furan at Slayton, Minn.

Olaf Hall left last Monday for North Dakota where he expects to be employed this spring.

Rev. Drotts of Viking was at Rosewood over last Sunday conducting the Young Peoples society on Saturday evening and two services on Sunday.

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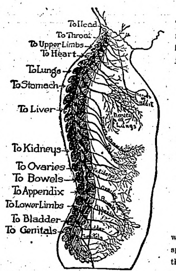

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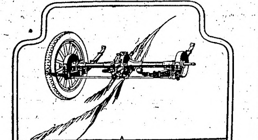

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AUCTION SALE

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following property named below at my farm on the southwest quarter of Section 31, Town of Reiner, 6 miles southeast of Goodridge and 3 miles north of Erie, on

MONDAY, APRIL 12, 1920

COMMENCING AT 10:30 O'CYOCK

1 Black gelding, 6 years old
1 Gray gelding, 4 years old
1 Bay mare, 4 years old
1 Bay mare, 5 years old
1 Bay mare, 11 years old, in foal
1 Gray mare colt, 20 months old.

1 Red cow, 6 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 Red cow, 8 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 Red and white cow, 6 years old, fresh in Jan.
1 Black and white cow, 4 years old, fresh in Feb.
1 Red and white cow, 5 years old
1 Red cow, 8 years old
1 Black cow, 4 years old, will freshen in April
1 Black and white cow, 4 years old, will freshen in April
1 Roan heifer, 3 years old
1 Red heifer, 3 years old
1 Red cow, 4 years old, will freshen in May
1 Roan cow, 8 years old, will freshen in April
1 Red heifer, 2 years old
1 Red and white heifer, 2 years old
1 Red and white heifer, 2 years old
1 Roan Shorthorn bull, 16 months old
1 Red bull, 1 year old
1 Red bull, 1 year old
4 Red heifers, 1 year old
3 Calves
1 Milwaukee binder, 7-ft. cut, with truck
1 20-single disc drill
1 12-inch Emerson gang plow
1 18-inch Emerson walking plow
1 Acme harrow, 12 disc, with truck
1 2-horse John Deere cultivator
1 Boss harrow, 4-section
1 1-horse Osborne cultivator
1 5-ft. cut Acme mower
1 10-ft. Acme hay rake
1 Overthrow hay stacker
1 Sweep rake
2 T. G. Mandt wide tire wagons
1 narrow tire wagon
1 bob sleigh
1 Single buggy, with shafts
1 Double seated buggy
1 Manure spreader
1 Wagon box
1 Spring seat
1 Hay rack
1 90-lb. blacksmith anvil
1 Set work harness, with heel chains
1 Set work harness
1 Set light work harness
5 Horse collars
1 2-horse gas engine
1 Pump jack
1 Stock tank
1 DeLaval cream separator, No. 15, good as new
35 Chickens
Some grain sacks
Some hay
Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: ALL sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

Theo. Hyland, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk

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THIEF RIVER VALLEY

A large number of farmers here attended the E. Anderson sale last Friday.

Tylor Wold and Torbjon Skomedal called on John Easthouse Wednesday of last week.

Gunsten Knutson and Silas Torgerson spent two days last week at Greenbush.

Steve Holm of Kensington, Minn., was a visitor at the G. J. Skomedal home a few days last week.

Ingvald Pederson bought a horse at the E. Anderson sale Friday.

John W. Dahl was a caller at the J. A. Russell home Saturday.

Ole Ose who is teaching school near Germantown, spent his over Sunday vacation at home.

R. Storm is going into the dairy business. He purchased two head of cattle at the Anderson sale.

Nick Baker is busy these days repairing his threshing outfit. He will soon be ready to thresh flax.

Pat Roark sold his farm of several hundred acres last week at $100 per acre, but backed out and raised it $25 per acre when he should sign the papers.

H. B. Halvorson was a caller at the John Skomedal home Sunday afternoon.

ESPLEE

Ed. Kvile visited with L. J. Tenold on Sunday.

Oscar Arndtson left for Thief River Falls last week, after spending a few days assisting L. J. Tenold with his work as the Tenold family have all been very sick.

Mildred John, who has been doing a week's practice teaching in the Esplee school, left for Holt where she will spend her Easter vacation with her folks.

Thomas Lewis is busy hauling to Goodridge this week.

Ruth Anderson, Wilma Sund and Arthur Sund visited with Mrs. John M. Sund on Sunday.

Peter Wold of Highlanding visited with his daughter, Mrs. John Sund, last week.

Mrs. John Hornstine visited with Mrs. Gangness on Sunday.

Erick Strand and Carl Widing left for Grand Forks, N. D., last week.

James Chapman left for Drayton, N. D., last week after visiting with friends here for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Merrill and family left for Langdon, N. D., where they will start farming.

Ed Martinson was a caller in Esplee on Monday.

Christian O. Wold visited with his sister, Mrs. J. M. Sund, here last Sunday.

Conrad J. Sund visited with his folks here over Saturday and Sunday, returning Sunday evening to his school at New Carmel, Minn.

M. K. Wolstad is visiting with Carl Hanson this week.

Ole Finsand made a business trip to Goodridge on Monday.

Jacob Anderson of Jelle, enroute to Goodridge, was in Esplee on Monday.

Max Konig was a caller in Esplee Monday.

E. T. Edwin made a business trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

S. Siverson invested in a new team of horses last week.

Max Konig visited at Siver Siverson's place Sunday.

Geo. Hook went to Grygla on Sunday.

Mrs. John Sund visited at the home of P. P. Sund last week.

Wilhma Sund of Thief River Falls is visiting with her folks here until Easter.

Mr. Evans of Thorhult, enroute to Warren, was in Esplee on Monday.

John Hornstine left on a business trip last week. He is looking for land in Baker county.

Warren Lewis is trying his Maxwell car these days. "It runs like a clock," he says.

MAVIE

Hello, everybody. Here we are again.

Charlie Ptacek was a business caller in Mavie Thursday.

Detlef Dau passed through Mavie Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Charles Horton and his brothers, Kelley and Willie, went to Thief River Falls in his Ford last Saturday. They reported the roads being fine.

Walter and Adam Lendobeja, who have been employed near Duluth for the past three months, returned home Saturday.

Miss. Adella Weiner returned to Thief River Falls Friday after a week of practice teaching in District No. 44.

Leon Lendobeja went to Thief River Falls Saturday to get his sisters, Agnes and Josie. The former has been attending sewing school, and the latter is attending high school.

Guests at the Ed. Kotlan home for dinner Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan, Jr., Miss Leona Horton, Kelley Horton and Charlie Ptacek.

Ed Kotlan drove to Highlanding on Saturday.

Miss Fredia Ristau returned from Thief River Falls Friday for a few days' visit at her home near Germantown.

Mr. Sanders, residing a mile and a half north of Mavie, passed away last Thursday. He had been ailing for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan, Jr., Misses Anna Kotlan and Adella Weiner visited at the Horton home last Thursday.

Walter and Leon Lendobeja visited at the Horton home Saturday evening.

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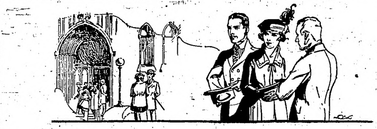

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

City Council

Council chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., March 19th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent; None.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the City Clerk be instructed to notify the Bradley Engineering Service to advertise for bids for excavating and paving and storm sewer construction, bids to call for six to eight inch base, notice to run three weeks in the official paper of the City and such other paper as the Improvement Bulletin; also in some Canadian paper, bids to be opened May 4th, 1920, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., the council reserving the right to reject any or all bids. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Brandon, that the plans of the Bradley Engineering Service for the construction of storm sewers be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that the application of Arthur Alnes for repair permit be granted. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M. March 23, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent; None.

Minutes of the regular meeting of March 9th, and adjourned regular meeting of March 19th, were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that proposed Ordinance No. 162, an Ordinance creating Storm Sewer District No. 1, be given its third and final reading and offered for publication. Motion carried. Ordinance was read and the following Roll Call vote recorded: Yes: Froseth, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. No; Dahl. Ordinance declared passed.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that proposed Ordinance No. 163 be given its second reading and filed for third and final reading. Motion carried and ordinance was duly read and filed.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl that proposed Ordinance No. 164 be given its first reading and filed for second reading. Motion carried and Ordinance was duly read and filed.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the repair permit of M. C. Burns to repair building on West one-half of Lots 1 and 2 of Block 36, O. T. S. be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ihle, that proposed Ordinance No. 165 be given its first reading and filed for second reading. Motion carried and Ordinance was duly read and filed.

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held March 23rd, 1920, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$460.80
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	7.45
State Treasurer, auditing	126.00
Auditorium Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight	4.12
Poor Fund.	
O. A. Westin, rent	12.00
Ole L. Morstad, labor	3.60
Library Fund.	
The Prichard Co., fuel	68.05
M. M. Johnson, repair of chair and desk	10.00
St. Paul Book and Stationery Co., books	16.00
H. W. Wilson Co., subscription	9.45
Electric Light Fund.	
Alfred G. Adolph, labor	98.00
Water & Light Dept., freight & express, etc.	10.09
The Fritz Cross Co., office supplies	5.80
First and Peoples State Bank, insurance	15.00
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	292.04
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	235.70
State of Minnesota, oil inspection	6.50
Power Equipment Co., packing	12.54
Waterworks Fund.	
Power Equipment Co., packing	13.56

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved March 27th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Notice of Sale.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, (A Corporation), Plaintiff, vs. Bertha Giller, Maurice Giller, Beatrice A. Giller, and John P. Galbraith, as trustee of Maurice Giller Estate in Bankruptcy, Defendants.

Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of a certified transcript of the judgment in the above entitled action duly delivered to the undersigned sheriff and now in my hands, which said judgment was duly entered in said Court in favor of the Plaintiff and against the Defendants, Maurice Giller, Bertha Giller, and Beatrice A. Giller on the 17th day of February, 1920, for the total sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Sixteen and 43-100 Dollars, and which said judgment orders and decrees, among other things, a sale by the undersigned Sheriff of the said County, of the following described real estate in one parcel to satisfy or apply upon the said judgment, viz:

Thirty six feet East of the West fifty feet, and West of the East Fifty Four feet, of Lots One, Two, Three and Four in Block Thirty of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls in Pennington County, Minn.

Now, Therefore, Pursuant to the said Judgment, the undersigned Sheriff will, on Saturday the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Front Door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the real estate above described, and all of the right, title and interest of each and all the above named Defendants therein, except the right to redeem as provided by law, to satisfy or apply on said Judgment so entered, together with all accruing costs of sale and interest on the said Judgment from and after the 17th day of February, 1920, at six per cent per annum, subject to redemption within one year after the date of the order of the said Court confirming the said sale as provided by law.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 24th day of February, 1920.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff,
Pennington County, Minn.

J. M. BISHOP,
WM. J. BROWN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
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ORDINANCE NO. 162.

An Ordinance Creating and Establishing a Storm Sewer District in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

The City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, do ordain as follows:

Sec. 1. There is hereby created and established in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, a storm sewer district, to be known and designated as Storm Sewer District No. One, which district shall embrace all that portion of said City of Thief River Falls, hereinafter mentioned and described, viz: All of Blocks, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four and twenty-seven, and lots four to fourteen, inclusive, in Block ten, and lots eleven to twenty-two, both inclusive, in Block twelve, and lots twelve to twenty-eight, both inclusive, in Block twenty; all in Porter's Addition to said City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Sec. 2. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Passed March 23, 1920.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved March 27, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Summons.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Phillip W. Lee, Plaintiff, vs. Mrs. Wolford Wagar and Wolford Wagar, Defendants.

Summons.

The State of Minnesota to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of said District Court, at the Court House, in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the undersigned at his office in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, within twenty days after service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, together with Plaintiff's costs and disbursements herein.

Dated February 5, 1920.

CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Same parties as in Summons immediately preceding this notice.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants, and that the purpose of such action is to reform that certain contract for deed dated November 6, 1918, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, November 18, 1919, at 8:30 A. M., in Book 5 of Deeds, on Page 21; and the further purpose of said action is to cancel the said contract and to obtain the judgment of said Court that Plaintiff is the owner in fee of the premises hereinafter described, free from all claim or interest therein by the Defendants.

The premises affected by said action are the South Half (S½) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-three (23), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), North, of Range Forty-four (44), West, in Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated February 5, 1920.

CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
m18-25-a1

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of James O. Thorstad.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth Thorstad, Eddie Olai Thorstad, Gertie Adelia Janks, Bert Newell Thorstad, Jessie Marinius Thorstad, Gladys Florence Thorstad, Randella Maria Thorstad, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Bert Newell Thorstad being duly filed in this court, representing that James O. Thorstad, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 1st day of January, 1920, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Bert Newell Thorstad; NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of April, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of March, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m25-a1-8

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Engen, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day ahving been granted to Alfred Hammarsten;

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated March 12, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
m18-25-a-1

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Democratic County Convention.

Pursuant to call of the executive committee of the State Democratic State Central committee, a mass convention of the democratic voters of Pennington county, Minnesota, is hereby called to be held at the district court room in the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, Pennington county, Minnesota on Saturday the third day of April, A. D., 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of electing seven delegates and alternates, to the State Democratic convention called to be held at Minneapolis, Minnesota, on April 6, 1920, at which State Convention delegates will be chosen to attend the National Democratic convention.

All women affiliated with or who desire to affiliate with the Democratic party are cordially urged to attend and participate in said County Convention.

By order of Democratic County Committee.

O. GUNSTAD,
Chairman.
A. SAPERO,
Secretary.

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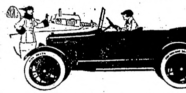

K. A. SUNDAHL

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my farm on the Southwest Quarter of Section Ten, Township of Norden, one and one-half miles south of Rosewood and eight miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

Friday, April 9

Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M.

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1 Cow 8 years old, fresh in February
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1 Cow 8 years old, fresh in February
1 Cow 6 years old, fresh last of Dec.
1 Heifer, two years old
2 Heifers, one years old
4 Calves
25 Chickens

FARM MACHINERY

1 McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut
1 Deering mower
1 Disc drill with grass seed attachment
1 16-in. John Deere sulky plow, with breaking attachment
1 Stock tank and heater
1 Single buggy
1 Sweep rake
1 Self dumping hay rake
1 Wide tire wagon
1 Narrow tire wagon
1 Wagon box
1 Pair bob sleighs
1 Jumper
1 Hay rack
1 Flax attachment for mower
1 Road scraper
1 1,000-lb. scale
1 DeLaval cream separator
1 1-horse cultivator
1 set work harness
1 14-in. brush breaker

OTHER ARTICLES

1 Ford touring car in first class condition
1 cook stove
1 Heating stove
1 Kerosene stove
1 Washing machine
Some oats
Some grain sacks
Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

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Obituary

Baby Ralph Frederick Stenberg.

Ralph Frederick Stenberg, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stenberg, died on March 28 on the same day he was born. Interment took place March 29 at Greenwood cemetery. The bereaved parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community.

Olaus B. Valtinson.

Olaus B. Valtinson passed away at the home of his son, Alfred, at Jessie Lake, Minn., after an illness of several months duration. Deceased was born near Stavanger, Norway in 1841, and immigrated to Green Bay, Wis., where he remained for two years. Since then his home has been in Minnesota the last 15 years of which were spent in the vicinity of Thief River Falls.

Andrew Sanders.

Andrew Sanders passed away on March 25, at his home in Cloverleaf township, at the age of 53 years. Deceased had been a sufferer of tuberculosis for the past three years and death came as a relief. He was born in Sweden in 1867 and immigrated to this country in his youth. In 1902 he was united in marriage to Miss Sigrid Moltzer and to this union four children were born, one of whom survives. In 1904 the family moved to this vicinity where they have since resided on a farm.

Times Want Ads.

—64—

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good timothy hay at the J. J. Amble farm, St. Hilaire, Rt. 1. 64p

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1¼ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—5-room house with 5 lots, with good wood shed.—338 Main Ave. N. Inquire C. Gustafson & Son. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good work horse, gentle, single driver. Will sell cheap if taken at once.—801 Main Ave. N. 62tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs from prize winning stock, $2.00 for 15 eggs. Also S. C. White Leghorns, $1.50 for 15 eggs. Place your order now.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. 1, Box 529, Thief River Falls, Minn. 66

FOR SALE—Ford Runabout, in good running order. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 63tf

FOR SALE—1 lot, 7-room house and barn, 14x24x12. Price $1400, known as 306 Duluth Ave So., Thief River Falls. Located 1½ blocks south of the Lincoln High School. For inspection call at Sigurd Myrom's residence, 309 Knight Ave. South.—Nels K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 64pd

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull lots: West Side. Will be sold cheap. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND OR COWS—Overland light four cylinder touring car in fine condition, with electric lights, starter and guaranteed battery, good tires. Write owner, H. F. Gale, Hunter, N. D. 64

FOR SALE—White Master cornet, King model. Practically new. Price reasonable if taken at once. Call phone 313.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring automobile, 35 H. P., 5 passenger. Pretty body, and in fine shape. Motor in first class running condition. Will sell for $500.00. Reason for selling want new roadster. Look it over at the Aaseby & Burstad garage. Inquire of Frank J. Vorlicky, Thief River Falls. 64

FOR SALE—Six room modern house, garage and shed, 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 196. 64

FOR SALE—Silvertone phonograph, large golden oak buffet, chiffoniere, dresser, kitchen cabinet, table and four chairs, Radiant Home heater, Maytag power washing machine, used only a few times.—George Schwandt, corner 8th and Dewey. 64p

FOR SALE—7-room house. Inquire 811 Knight Ave. N. 65

FOR SALE—No. 1 Midland hay $19 per ton loaded car lots at Henning, Minn.—G. S. Kibby, 610 Plymouth Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 64

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberries, $3.00 per 100. Call for plants at planting time upstairs over Palace Clothing Store, Miss Alvina Lautenbach. 62tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not, modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

FOR SALE—1 Cleveland Cletrac tractor; 1 four wheeled auto trailer; 1 player piano. W. E. Baker. 59tf

FOR SALE—2 lots and small house, on Knight Ave. N. and 6th St. A bargain. Dave Gustafson. 59tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.25; 150 bu. seed barley, $2 per bu. 4 cows coming in between Apr. 1 and June 1. Four 3-year-old heifers. Frank Svobodny, Germantown Rt. 1, City, or call at Stop 7, Electric Line. 60tf

FOR SALE—One John Deere 12-in. triple horse plow in fine shape. Price $95—a snap. Five second hand cream separators; one second hand wagon, new last summer, $60. Two sulky plows, price $20 each. One double burr mill in good shape, $15. One pair bobs, 7-ft. runners, McLain knees, $43. Cost price. N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 60tf

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—Seven room house and two lots with auto shed 16x20 for sale cheap. 420 Horace Ave. N. 64p

FOR SALE—I have 950 acres of land in Beltrami county to sell in a lump or in separate lots. Who wants it? Write to Dr. P. C. Pilon, Paynesville, Minn. 64p

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—150 buhels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—One Waterloo Boy tractor 12-24 H. P., in good condition John L. Magnuson, 604 Arnold Ave. N., or call at Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co. 65p

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave. Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Leimers. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles norhtwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. —Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of city. 68p

FOR SALE—One nine room house and one five room house in Thief River Falls. Apply to Thos. H. Smith, Mavie, Minn. 84tf

FOR SALE—Horse, coming 2 years. Cheap if taken at once. Enquire at Albert Ahlstrom, R. No. 2, or phone 4-F-031. 65p

FOR SALE—Five room house with garage, well and city water in kitchen. Connected with sewer. Cheap if sold soon.—O. H. Nelson, phone 441. 64tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 34, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 208 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

AS I HAVE DECIDED TO QUIT farming I will trade my quarter section farm for property in town. Farm located on Section 39, 5½ miles north of Goodridge in Marshall county. Write Peter Belanger, Goodridge, Minn. 64p

FOR SALE—Five passenger automobile, one piano, one Dayton electric scale. Bargains if taken at once. 110 LaBree avenud north. 64p

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FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15 or $8.00 per hundred.—Thos. H. Bjerke, Thief Fiver Falls. 69p

FOR SALE—Young cow, Red Poll breed, ready to drop calf any time. Half mile east of Soo Round House. P. O. Sorlum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64p

FLAX SEED FOR SALE, $5.50 per bushel.—C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

FOR SALE—Three full blooded Toulouse ganders.—Mrs. C. H. Bartlett. 65

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Grea Northern depot. 7tf

FARM FOR RENT—Sale or lease, 9 miles from Thief River Falls.—H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Neb. 58tf

FOR RENT—My place at 214 Tindolph Avenue south. Ed. O'Hara, Rt. 1, Newfolden, Minn. 62tf

FOR RENT—160 acres with good buildings; near market. Call at office of John Bratrud 61tf

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

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FOR RENT—Large modern house, 1½ blocks from bridge. Inquire at The Times. 64p

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FOR RENT—On crop shares, the following farms: Quarter three miles from Mavie on State road and ditch. Ninety acres field, 50 plowed for crop. Quarter 1½ miles from Mavie, all grass. Want 80 or more broken and cropped this season. Quarter at Germantown, 80 broken and flaxed last season. Would like 50 or more broken and cropped this year. Write at once. A good proposition.—A. M. Wise, box 493, Appleton, Minn. 64p

FOR RENT—160 acre improved farm in Sec. 24, Numedal township. Inquire C. H. Walker, R. 6, Crookston, or phone 15-F-12. 65p

Help Wanted—Male

YOUNG MEN—17 upward, desiring Railway Mail clerkships, $110 month. Write for free particulars, examinations.—J. Leorard, (former Government Examiner), 276 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 64p

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WANTED—About April 1st, several good men to work on farm. Also kitchen help. Steady job. A. Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 65

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl on farm, one mile from town. Power washer. Wages $35.00 per month for seven months beginning first of April.—L. L. Kyllo, McCune, N. D. 66p

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Rosary beads. Owner enquire at The Times office. 64

MISCELLANEOUS

DRESSMAKING WANTED AT HOME —Good work. Phone 424. 63tf

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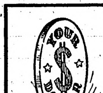

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FLOOD CONTROL ORGANIZATION IS READY FOR WORK

W. J. BROWN RESIGNS AS ATTORNEY AND CHARLES BOUGHTON APPOINTED

GEORGE WALKER OF THIS CITY NAMED AS ONE OF THE ENGINEERS

DEFINITE DRAINAGE PROGRAM RESULT OF YEARS OF AGITATION

At a meeting held at Warren last week for the purpose of hearing the arguments for and against the consolidation of judicial ditch projects No. 80, 102 and 103, Judge Grindeland took the matter under advisement.

The members of the Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy district were present at the hearing and held a meeting at which the organization was completed. W. J. Brown of Thief River Falls, who has acted as attorney in all the proceedings thus far, resigned and Charles Boughton of Red Lake Falls was appointed in his place. The commission also named S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls treasurer. A secretary was tentatively agreed upon but the selection was not officially made.

Walker is Engineer.

George W. Walker, former city engineer of Thief River Falls, was appointed as engineer in charge of the Red Lake and Clearwater river projects. Joseph Baugh, also formerly a resident of the city but now living at Warren, is the engineer on the Thief river project. The consulting engineer is Adolph F. Meyer of St. Paul. The first work undertaken will be that having to do with the drainage basin immediately about the Red Lake river.

Steenerson on the Job.

A communication has been received by the commission from Representative Halvor Steenerson advising that the Secretary of the Interior had advised of his endorsement of Congressman Steenerson's bill making provision for work on the Clearwater and Red Lake projects through the Indian reservation. Congressman Steenerson had taken an active part in furthering these projects where the federal departments were concerned.

Representatives of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association as well as representatives of the states of North and South Dakota were materially aided by Mr. Steenerson while on a visit to Washington in the interest of drainage enterprises in this state and attribute much of the splendid progress they believe was made to the co-operation accorded them by the Ninth district congressman.

Finally Under Way.

The personnel of the Red Lake river district commission is an assurance in itself that the best interests of the residents of the territory involved will at all times be paramount in the consideration and activities of the commission, and much in the way of relief from the re-occurance from floods may be looked for within a reasonable period of time, says the Crookston Times. Accomplishment is not, of course, going to be a matter of but a few months, but that continual progress will be made is confidently to be expected.

That something definite in the way of flood control and water conservation in the Red River valley is finally under way after innumerable years of conference after conference credit is due in no small measure to the unremitting work of the officers and directors of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, the formation of the commission now actively engaged on the Red Lake river basin work being a direct outcome of that organization activities following the floods in the northern portion of the valley last year. That the work of the association will be continued until all portions of the valley are similarly organized under control commmissions is to be hoped.

Many Prove Interest in Peat Discussion

PROF. CHRISTENSEN SHOWS HOW PRODUCT MAY BECOME GREAT ASSET

A fair-sized audience turned out last Thursday night to hear Prof. Christensen of the state university speak on the subject of peat development at the commercial club rooms. In the audience were quite a number of farmers from the eastern section of Pennington and Marshall counties to whom the discussion was of particular interest.

Minnesota possesses fabulous riches in its soil, mines and timber, said Prof. Christensen, and he believes that peat will prove another source of wealth when the value of the strange product is more fully understood. Peat is vegetable matter that has been reserved from entire disintegration by being covered with water, said the professor, and in this respect its origin is similar to that of coal. In fact peat is coal in the process of formation. He told of how for ages the substance has been employed as fuel by people in European countries and of the means employed there in preparing it for burning. The only reason more attention has not been paid to it in this country is that there has until now been an abundance of coal and wood. As the supply of these necessities dwindle the people will turn to peat and utilize it as is done in Europe.

Prof. Christensen had a number of samples of peat fuel with him, showing how different results are obtained by different methods of treatment. Among these were clods of air dried peat and several samples of the machine pressed article. He compared the fuel value with that of other materials employed and showed that it averaged very high.

Stereopticon views of plants where peat was being prepared were shown and proved very interesting. There were also a number of scenes from foreign countries showing the methods of reclamation employed there.

Local Concern Aims at Trade Expansion

THIEF RIVER MUSIC COMPANY ADDS NEW PARTNER AND INCORPORATES

Articles of incorporation of the Thief River Music company are printed in this issue of The Times, announcing that a corporation has been formed with a capital of $30,000 for the purpose of conducting a business for the sale of musical goods in Thief River Falls. The old firm was composed of F. S. Ebert and Theo. J. Hagen and they have added Roy Halseth to the list of owners. There are no other stockholders.

The move was made to permit of expansion. It is the intention to continue the business as at present but to add an up-to-date mail order department through which the entire district can be supplied with anything in the line of instruments, music, phonographs and such other goods as are usually found in an establishment of this kind.

The Thief River Music company is one of the foremost concerns in the business in this section of the state and enjoys an enviable reputation. The store destroyed by fire last winter was a model of its kind and it is the intention of the owners to improve even on this as soon as suitable quarters can be arranged for. The partners are business men of the highest order and the new arrangement will enable them to enlarge their sphere of activity so as to cover a much larger territory than has heretofore been possible.

Democratic Women Chairmen Appointed

MRS. E. M. STANTON NAMES WORKERS IN ALL PARTS OF DISTRICT

Any person who thinks that the women are going to allow the coming election to pass without making their presence felt has another guess coming. From every section of the country comes the announcement that the newly enfranchised voters are going to take an active part in the proceedings and in many districts their votes may easily turn the scales.

The Republican woman's organization in the Ninth district some time ago announced the appointment of county chairmen and now Mrs. E. M. Stanton, district chairman for the democrats, has named her co-workers. They are as follows:

Becker county, Mrs. Charles MacGregor, Detroit; Clay, Mrs. C. J. Thysell, Hawley; Clearwater county, Mrs. John Hickey, Bagley; Kittson county, Mrs. Otto Thorson, St. Vincent; Mahnomen county, Mrs. H. P. Phillips, Mahnomen; Marshall county, Mrs. R. D. V. Carr, Middle River; Ottertail county, Mrs. C. W. Lotterer, Perham; Polk county, Mrs. W. H. Miller, Crookston; Roseau county, Mrs. Anna C. Olsen, Roseau; Red Lake county, Mrs. Ida Hall, Red Lake Falls; Wilkin county, Mrs. P. Darmody, Breckenridge.

Burns Corner Sold.

T. K. Rynestad of Silverton township this week purchased from M. C. Burns the property at the corner of Atlantic avenue and Third street opposite the offices of the Thief River Grocery company. Included in the deal is the brick building occupied by Zeh & Curran, grocers, and three residences. The consideration is understood to have been $12,000. Mr. Rynestad acquired the property as an investment and does not, so far as known, contemplate any extensive improvements at this time. Mr. Burns will continue to occupy one of the houses until Sept. 1, but has made no announcement as to his course after that time.

Loving Cup Awarded County in Seal Sale

In another column will be found a report of the Christmas Seal Sales program in the northern counties by which it will be seen that Pennington county is well toward the top. A later report from state headquarters announces that Thief River Falls stands at the head among cities of from 4,000 to 10,000. The per capita was eight seals and the total realized $400.97. The loving cup awarded the city gaining this distinction has been sent to the farm bureau office, County Agent J. J. McCann having been chairman of the seal committee.

DEM DELEGATION GOES TO FRISCO MINUS ORDERS

INDIVIDUALS ALSO AT LIBERTY TO ACT AS THEY SEE FIT

FRED LYNCH IS ONE OF BIG FOUR DESPITE STRONG OPPOSITION

TWO WOMEN ON PENNINGTON COUNTY DELEGATION TO STATE MEETING

The Minnesota delegation to the national convention at San Francisco will not only go uninstructed as a whole but each individual member will be permitted to use his or her own judgment in the voting. This was decided at the state convention held at Minneapolis on Tuesday. A fight developed when the name of Fred B. Lynch, present national committee man was presented, but he was named as one of the four delegates at large in spite of the opposition. The others are: Anton C. Weiss, Duluth; D. D. Daly, state chairman, Minneapolis; Mrs. Peter Oleson, Cloquet.

By its platform, the convention endorsed the Wilson administration, declared the republican leaders in the United States senate had "maimed" the treaty of Versailles and went on record as endorsing national prohibition. The resolution also declared that the democratic party was entitled to the credit of enfranchising the women of the United States. Nearly 200 of the 1,072 delegates to the convention were women and they hailed this section of the platform joyously.

The delegates to the national convention from the Ninth district are Dr. J. W. Scheolin, Hallock, and Mrs. M. C. McGregor, Detroit, with C. W. Conger, McIntosh, and Mrs. Anna E. Oleson, Roseau, alternates.

The County Convention.

The Pennington county Democratic convention on Saturday was not particularly well attended nor was the gathering particularly enthusiastic. Mrs. Andrew Craik was chosen chairman and H. O. Chommie secretary. E. M. Stanton, A. S. Sapero and John Bundy were appointed as a nominating committee to name candidates to attend the state convention and reported the following as their choice, the action being ratified by those present: Stephen Singer, Joseph Johnson, W. B. Fuller, T. McCormick, James Cosgrove, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mrs. L. K. Ecke. Mr. Fuller and Mr. McCormick later asked to be excused and E. M. Stanton and John Morgan were appointed in their places. The alternates named were: Dr. G. A. Penney, Mrs. H. A. Pratt, John Bundy, H. O. Chommie, S. C. Hunt, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. J. O. Yotter. The delegation went to Minneapolis uninstructed.

In the Lodges.

The work of the second degree was exemplified last Monday evening at a special meeting of Northern Lodge No. 236 A. F. & A. M. First degree work will be taken up next Monday at the regular convocation and the third degree given to a considerable class later in the month. The Masons have a great deal of work to do before the summer recess begins in June and will hold meetings every Monday evening until further notice.

The initiatory degree was conferred on a large class by Lone Pine Odd Fellows lodge on Tuesday evening. Next Tuesday evening the first degree will be conferred, the Odd Fellows having accepted a regular order in the working of degrees. The first Tuesday in the month will be given over to the initiatory, the second to the first degree, the third Tuesday to the second degree and the fourth to the third degree.

The next regular meeting of Thief River Falls Lodge, B. P. O. E., will be held on the evening of Friday, April 16, at which time the newly elected officers will be installed. Those who will assume charge of the organization in this city at that time are: G. Howard Smith, exalted ruler; H. W. Protzeller, esteemed leading knight; J. W. Hendry, esteemed loyal knight; W. W. Prichard, Jr., esteemed lecturing knight; Edward F. Dolan, secretary; Joseph Elsenpeter, treasurer; Math Barzen, trustee; G. W. Connell, esquire; L. D. McAdams, inner guard; E. M. Bennes, chaplain; R. M. Sheldon, organist.

Basket Social.

A basket social will be held at the Willowdale school house, a mile and a half south of Rosewood, on Friday evening, April 9. Besides the basket auction there will be an entertainment program of particular interest. A general invitation to the public is extended.

Winner at Crookston.

Melvin Engelstad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Engelstad of Rocksbury township, was first prize winner in the corn judging contest held at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, during the short course last week. The contestants were taken on a visit to points of interest about the city and were shown a good time generally.

BOND COMPANIES TO TEST LEGALITY OF PAVING LAW

QUESTION OF INTEREST TO THIEF RIVER BROUGHT UP IN LUVERNE

TEST CASE TO BE TAKEN BEFORE SUPREME COURT FOR DECISION

RUMOR OF INJUNCTION PROCEEDINGS HERE NOT GENERALLY CREDITED

There is possibility of a hitch in the paving proceedings in a number of Minnesota cities. The law by which the councils are enabled to undertake work of this kind without the people having a vote on whether or not bonds shall be issued for the purpose has been questioned and a test case instituted at Luverne. In that city the paving will be hung up until a decision is reached at the request of the bond-holding companies, and it may be that all communities in which contracts are about to be entered upon will hold back until the matter is finally settled.

Want to be Sure.

It is a well-known fact that the concerns that have taken over the bonds of many Minnesota municipalities would like to be released from their agreements. Interest rates have gone up considerably since many of these contracts were entered into and while it is not charged that any of the bond buyers are attempting to evade their obligations, yet it is certain that they would not feel seriously put out if some flaw were to be found in the law whereby they would be released.

Thief River Falls, for instance, has contracted to borrow some $300,000 at five and a quarter per cent interest. This was a very low rate at the time it was agreed to and conditions have shaped themselves as to make the money worth a considerably higher figure at this time. It is thought that the action of the concerns contracting for the Luverne issue has something to do with this fact.

Will Probably Go Ahead.

The delay, if one should prove unavoidable, will likely have no effect on the city council of Thief River Falls going ahead with its program up to the opening of the bids. Should the situation at that time be such as to make a postponment advisable it will without doubt be given the proper attention.

Rumor Not Credited.

It has persistently been rumored about the city that in case bids for paving were accepted on May 4 when opened by the council, injunction proceedings will be brought to prevent the work from being undertaken. No one has been found willing to assume the responsibility for having made such statement and it is not generally credited. Objection to entering into a contract at this time may be voiced at the meeting but in case the council deems it advisable to go ahead it is not thought likely that the courts will be called upon to prevent it.

County First Over Top for Y. W. C. A.

TOTAL COLLECTED IN DRIVE IS $330, WHICH EXCEEDS QUOTA ASSIGNED

The 1920 campaign of the Y. W. C. A. is just closing. Reports from many of the counties of the 7th district are already in. Pennington county has the distinction of being the first to go over the top, although there are others that will more than raise their quota. Roseau, Beltrami and Kittson counties all belong in this class with several others not far below. The following is a brief statement of the campaign in Pennington county:

Anna Quale at Soo depot	$ 24.00
Meta Kiland and Blanche Johnson, from Community Girls	55.50
Town of St. Hilaire, by Mabel Patterson	79.00
Town of Goodridge, by Mrs. Payne	18.75
M. E. Ladies Aid, by Mrs. Hardisty	15.50
Presbyterian Ladies Aid, by Mrs. Wm. Booren	12.75
Rural Teachers as follows:	
Igna Hamry	1.00
Emma Henke	1.00
Gunhild Langie	1.00
Stella Olson	1.00
Anna Frolland	1.00
Borget Iverson	1.00
Mary H. Johnson	1.00
High School teachers, by Miss Ella Evans	18.00
Grade teachers, by Ida Tandberg	19.00
Synod Church, by Mrs. Sether and Ida Tandberg	83.50
Total	$330.00

The expense of conducting the campaign was $4.73, this being paid for clerical work, postage and paper.

Souvenirs For Boys.

Saturday is boys' day at the store of Albert S. Lieberman. He has decided that the youngsters shall have an opportunity to look over the stock on wares of particular interest to them the same as grown folks. The store will be turned over to their inspection all day and appropriate souvenirs will be given out from 10 o'clock until 12. Mr. Lieberman has put in a particularly fine line of boys' goods this spring and he is anxious to show it. Parents are invited to come with the boys.

Will Handle the Maxwell.

W. W. Prichard, Jr., has taken the local agency for the Maxwell automobile. There has been no representative for this car located in Thief River Falls for some years—in fact since the factory output was curtailed by reason of the plant being turned over to war work—and many will welcome the news that the machine is again to be had here. The 1920 model is a be[illegible] and differs in many respects from the earlier cars. The lines are stylish and graceful while the power plant is said to be one of the best placed in medium priced cars. The show room is in the Prichard building on Horace avenue.

Merchants Generally Meet Union Demands

AGREE TO CLOSE STORES AT SIX O'CLOCK DURING WORK DAYS

The clerks of Thief River Falls to the number of 46, which includes practically all engaged in retail lines, have affiliated themselves with the Retail Clerks' Internatinal Protective association and will hereafter operate under the provisions of a charter issued by that organization. Ole Granum is president and C. E. Dybvik secretary of local union No. 513, which is the official designation of the Thief River Falls branch.

Every merchant in the city, with but two or three exceptions, have signed the articles of agreement, as will be seen by the advertisement of the union in another column. Those who are holding off have not refused to meet the demands but ask that a little more time be granted for consideration. Many are already displaying the union label in their windows and the clerks feel assured that it will be but a short time until every business place in the city falls in line.

Treatment for Smut on Grain Advised

FARM BUREAU ALSO URGES GUARDING AGAINST POTATO DISEASES

Smut destroyed more than $8,000,000 worth of Minnesota grains in 1918. This loss can be prevented by smut treatment with formaldehyde. There are four methods which may be used in applying this treatment. Explanation may be received at the farm bureau office or if necessary a demonstration will be given in your neighborhood on how to treat by the wet or dry method.

When treated by the wet method the seed should be sprinkled thoroughly until moist with one pint of formaldehyde to forty gallons of water. Shovel repeatedly to distribute the moisture evenly. Forty gallons of this solution will treat sixty bushels of grain.

In the dry method mix one pint of formaldehyde with one pint of water and use in a small hand sprayer. Spray this solution on the grain and shovel at the same time, holding the sprayer close to the seed, taking care that the mist is well distributed. One stroke of the sprayer gives enough mist for a shovelfull of grain. One quart of this solution will treat fifty bushel.

Cards with written directions printed thereon will be sent upon request.

Potatoes should be treated with corrosive sublimate, which is more effective than formaldehyde for all tuber diseases.

A Great Picture Play.

Manager John Brumund has secured one of the greatest pictures of the season for the Lyceum on Sunday and Monday. It is "The Woman Gives," with Norma Talmadge in the leading role. This play was written by Owen Johnson and is said to have more thoroughly satisfied the theater-going public in the large cities than anything that has been presented for a long time. It is a First National attraction and Miss Talmadge is supported by a cast of surpassing excellence.

Besides this great feature the comedy attraction for these two nights is in itself enough to fill the house. Fatty Arbuckle appears in "Back Stage," the funniest thing he has ever done.

The program for the remainder of the week at the local play-houses is one of exceptional merit and Mr. Brumund is to be commended for his efforts in securing the best there is for his patrons.

Business Visitors Here.

E. S. Sanford and O. T. Rishoff of the Lonson Coin Box company, St. Paul, were in the city the first of the week for the purpose of conferring with officers of the Times Printing and Manufacturing company, makers of the Lonson box. These gentlemen, who have charge of the selling end of the utility, are anxious that the factory get under way again, the producing end having been closed down since the plant was destroyed by fire last January. After noting the progress made toward getting started they were satisfied that orders will begin being filled before long. They returned to St. Paul Wednesday.

FINE QUARTERS FOR THE TIMES SOON COMPLETE

WILL BE BEST EQUIPPED PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT IN THIS SECTION

FIVE THOUSAND FEET OF FLOOR SPACE DEVOTED TO THE BUSINESS

MACHINERY NOW BEING INSTALLED AND WORK RUSHED TO COMPLETION

It will be about three months from the time fire destroyed the plant of the Thief River Falls Times that the paper is again issued from the publishers' own plant. The fire occurred on Jan. 25 and getting the paper out since that time has been something of a struggle. The end of this period is now in sight, much to the relief of everyone in any way connected with the organization.

In the new location in the Mechan-Connelly block, more than 5,000 feet of floor space will be devoted to printing and publishing and the manufacture of the Lonson coin box. The main floor will be 40x60 feet in size and here will be located the business and editorial offices, the composing room and the job presses. The rotary newspaper press and the pony cylinder will be placed in the basement, as will also the box machinery.

Completely Remodeled.

The Times has taken a long lease on the premises and these have been remodeled to meet the requirements most admirably. Everything has been placed and arranged with a view to saving time and labor, items that enter most heavily into the cost of producing printing these days. Wide staircases connect the two floors and a freight elevator will be installed for the handling of paper rolls, box stock and other heavy items. An ample outside entrance to the basement has been provided in the east wall and the entire establishment so arranged that work can be handled with convenience and dispatch.

The New Machinery.

A new Intertype of latest model has been installed with full equipment. This is the very latest in typesetting machines and is in itself almost a complete plant so far as the type item goes.

It was discovered that a new rotary newspaper press of the kind wanted could not be had from the manufacturers inside of two years, but that repairs and parts for the one that went through the fire were carried in stock. Experts were set at work in an attempt to salvage the machine and succeeded so well that it will be practically as good as new when again in running order. Much new machinery was required for the job department and box factory, and this has been secured only after long delay.

An Ideal Plant.

It has been the aim to procure everything needful for a first-class plant, capable of turning out the best work and doing it quickly. The equipment is compact, cabinets and other furniture being almost wholly of steel construction. This is the best obtainable for printing offices, saving room and lessening the danger of fire.

The entire Times force will rejoice when things are again running properly and the city will have an establishment of which all the people may well be proud.

G. O. P. Elimination Convention May 8th

CAUCUSES TO BE HELD ON MAY 1, COUNTY CONVENTIONS MAY 8.

The republican state central committee, meeting at St. Paul on Monday, issued a call for an "elimination" convention to be held May 8 at the large field of prospective candidates.

It was decided to hold precinct caucuses in republican ranks over the entire state on May 1. At these caucuses delegates will be elected to the county conventions to be held in the 86 counties on May 5. County gatherings will choose delegates to the state convention.

Apportionment of delegates will be the same as in the presidential primary conventions held last month.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held in the commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon. A new song, "Minnesota Mine," which is winning particular favor, was introduced to the club, led by Mrs. G. Halvorson and seemed to meet with instant approval. This was followed by a short business session when important measures were discussed by the various sections of the club. Miss Dorothy Loyhed of the English department of the University of Minnesota, spoke very interestingly on "Our Coming Sanity Towards Russia." During the hours Miss Zella Zeh offered two vocal selections: "The Last Rose of Summer" and "Annie Laurie" in her usual pleasing manner and were highly enjoyed by everyone present. G. Halvorson was the local speaker for this meeting and gave a very interesting talk on "Our Election Laws."

ANNUAL REPORT OF SANATORIUM FOR 3 COUNTIES

TWENTY-THREE PATIENTS DISCHARGED OUT OF 38 ADMITTED DURING YEAR

AVERAGE DAILY COST FOR EACH PATIENT WAS $2.37, COUNTIES PAYING $1.66

PHYSICIAN IN CHARGE NOW DEVOTES ENTIRE TIME TO OAKLAND PARK

Dr. O. F. Mellby, chairman of the board of the Oakland Park Tri-County sanatorium for consumptives at Thief River Falls, has submitted to The Times the advance report of the work done at the institution. According to the records of Miss Karen M. Knutson, superintendent, it is seen that the total cost of maintenance for the year was $19,111.29, and the daily average cost for each patient was $2.37. The cost to the counties for free patients, that is, patients without means who must be cared for in the sanatorium at public expense, was $1.66, the state contributing $5 per capita per week toward their support. Pay patients are charged $7 per week for their care, the counties paying the balance of the cost, namely, $1.37 each per day.

The expenses of the sanatorium commission for the year total only $101.54, the members serving without pay and getting their reward in the satisfaction that comes from doing good.

Big Percentage Helped.

From the time of opening the sanatorium to Jan. 1, 1920, there have been 93 patients admitted. Of these 38 patients were admitted during the past year and 23 discharged. Patients who leave the institution are such as have improved by their stay there and can care for themselves by following the instructions as to proper living taught them at the sanatorium.

Filled to Capacity.

Of the 38 patients treated last year 17 were from Marshall county, 8 from Roseau county, 11 from Pennington county and 1 from Kittson county; 22 were free patients, 15 pay patients and one a part-pay patient. The average daily number of patients cared for is 22. The capacity of the sanatorium is 25 patients, hence it has been filled most of the time up to its capacity and most of the time has a waiting list.

Has Full-Time Doctor.

So important has the work at Oakland Park become that the board of directors deemed it wise to secure the services of a doctor who would devote his entire time to the institution. The plan of having the medical director divide his time between Oakland Park and the Polk county hospital at Crookston was tried, but the demands of both institutions became so great that a doctor was found necessary for each. Dr. G. M. Milan is now in charge at the Tri-County hospital and his work is meeting with most gratifying success. Previous to his coming to Minnesota, Dr. Milan was engaged in tuberculosis work in the East and has devoted a large share of his time since leaving college to this particular branch of practice. Miss Karen Knutson is the superintendent and her long experience and interest in the fight being everywhere waged on the white plague pecularily fits her for the position.

The sanatorium has proven its value in the number of persons it has already helped towards regaining their health and its usefulness will be more generally appreciated as time goes on. It is fully realized that the hospital must before long be enlarged, there being at all times a number of patients waiting for admission. The matter has received much study on the part of the board and some plan for increasing the capacity may be forthcoming within a short time.

Crookston Favors Concrete.

Sixth street in Crookston, from Broadway to University avenue, will be paved with concrete. This decision was reached at a meeting of the city council last week. Bids for asphalt were rejected and concrete was approved, the city engineer being instructed to submit plans and specifications for the proposed work at the adjourned meeting called for April 1.

A petition signed by 23 freeholders of Sixth street asked that concrete be laid on the street. At the same time a petition from property owners on Broadway, from Third to Fourth street, asked that this block be paved with concrete. Report of the cost of the paving will be submitted at the adjourned session in April.

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Normal Opens June 15.

The annual summer session of the state normal school at Bemidji will open Monday, June 14, and continue for six weeks. Tuition is free to those who will pledge themselves to teach for two years in Minnesota, others paying $5 for the term. All students will be required to pay a term fee of $1 to help defray incidental expenses.

The Bemidji school was opened last year and the first term was well attended and very successful. The institution is most conveniently located for the students from this section of the state who wish to take advantage of a normal course.

Fifty Million Women May Vote Next Fall

THIRTY STATES HAVE ALREADY EXTENDED SUFFRAGE WITH MORE COMING IN

With the women of 30 states already qualified to vote for the next president, the Minnesota League of Women Voters points out the redundancy in the circumstances that necessitate a campaign to complete the ratification of the federal suffrage amendment.

Kentucky's senate by a vote of 30 to 3 voted presidential suffrage to Kentucky women on March 16. That settled the matter for Kentucky. The House passed the measure the week before and the governor's signature is assured.

Quite irrespective of the ratification of the federal suffrage amendment, there are 17,500,000 women over voting age who live in states that have already qualified women to vote in the presidential elections in November. Ratification will extend the privilege to about 9,500,000 more.

The states where women will vote for the next president include the 15 full suffrage states: Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Michigan, Montana, Nevada, New York, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wyoming—the 13 presidential, or presidential plus municipal—Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Maine, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Wisconsin, Ohio, Kentucky and the two primary suffrage states, Arkansas and Texas.

The total number of electoral votes in the choosing of which women will have a voice is 339, counting in Kentucky's 13. This is nearly two-thirds of the total.

And all this whether retification of the federal suffrage amendment is completed or not.

Buys Typesetting Machine.

Publisher O. Gunstad of the St. Hilaire Spectator, announces that there will be a new typesetting machine installed in the office in a short time. He finds the old system of hand composition too slow for present-day requirements, taking up too much of the time that might with better profit be devated to other lines of work.

April 1 "the Ghost Walks"

THAT is, the interest your savings account has earned during the last three months will be paid into your account.

Come in and let us enter it on your bankbook.

Between now and April 10 is the time to add to your account so you'll earn more interest this quarter.

First and Peoples State Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.

DIVISION OF TAX MONEY AND AID FOR SCHOOLS

STATE RETURNS $2.70 FOR EACH OF COUNTY'S 2858 PUPILS

DISTRICT NO. 18 GETS $18,438.41; COUNTY TOTAL $35,419.01.

MUNICIPALITIES' SHARE OF TAXES AMOUNT TO TOTAL OF $25,709.51.

According to the returns received from the state treasurer's office the school attendance is down somewhat from what it was a year ago. The total number of pupils attending school for a sufficient length of time to be entitled to figure in the state aid was 2858, and the amount received for each $2.70.

Checks in the following amounts await the order of the different school treasurers at the office of County Auditor T. P. Anderson:

Dist. No.	Amt.	Dist. No.	Amt.
1	$ 67.06	55	$ 151.60
2	107.15	56	163.09
3	206.63	57	159.17
4	376.23	58	78.35
5	177.04	59	193.56
6	103.93	60	56.62
7	131.47	64	127.12
8	2,999.54	65	359.69
9	103.89	66	106.22
10	139.32	67	366.49
11	251.28	68	136.03
15	120.67	69	59.89
17	41.68	70	164.30
18	18,438.41	73	304.92
25	192.47	94	104.73
26	206.25	99	218.38
28	137.89	102	3,069.64
29	227.24	106	117.43
30	216.21	108	64.26
31	168.46	124	12.22
33	30.68	125	118.97
34	246.51	127	123.11
35	114.10	133	82.03
37	340.05	135	142.79
38	184.08	147	207.73
39	254.45	148	55.67
41	176.90	149	120.80
42	197.23	154	107.38
43	432.91	165	113.83
44	134.61	166	109.17
46	168.05	178	126.46
47	120.96	180	117.63
48	183.88	194	97.63
50	178.64	219	36.86
51	120.75	221	123.68
52	122.85	227	45.24
53	239.51	228	54.75
54	126.59	Unorg.	294.76

The Townships' Share.

Out of a total of $25,709.51 recovered by the townships, Thief River Falls' share is $14,379.81. The figures for each subdivision are as follows:

Bray	$ 307.72
Black River	217.48
Cloverleaf	330.05
Deer Park	418.29
Goodridge	189.08
Highlanding	718.17
Hickory	541.13
Kratka	469.89
Mayfield	240.96
Norden	371.25
North	543.25
Numedal	304.22
Polk Center	245.40
Reiner	535.55
River Falls	381.21
Rocksbury	619.69
Sanders	436.14
Silverton	527.43
Smiley	535.47
Star	369.85
Wyandotte	355.23
Goodridge, Vil.	1,259.71
St. Hilaire Vil.	1,412.53
City of T. R. Falls	14,379.81

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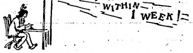
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WHY THIEF RIVER FALLS; ALSO SOME AMBITIONS OF THE CITY

Citizens Are Not Concerned About the Past and Hope to Make Their City the Transfer Point for a Great Playground on the Largest Fresh Water Lake.

(From The Modern Highway For March.)

Names are peculiar. They have many peculiarities. One charateristic is that the mention of a name causes a picture to form in the individual imagination. Jones, Smith, Wilson, Clemenceau, Trotsky—all suggest different persons, different types, distinct pesonalities.

Often, however, names betray their owners. One of these instances is to be found on the Jefferson Highway, and the city is Thief River Falls. Really, no band of outlaws holds possession, exacting tribute from every "dude" who drops off the train or drives past in a car. The river does not slip up on you while you sleep and carry you off, either. So far as civilized man can remember it has never been other than a hustling northern Minnesota community.

The adjective slipped into the last sentence very naturally. Thief River as it is commonly termed by common consent, is no mean city. The Soo line made it a division point. It is a favorite night control for tourists to and from Winnipeg on the Jefferson Highway.

Although it is today known for its commercial advantages, progressive citizens, headed by Daniel Shaw, Scott Laird and others who have made themselves known to Jefferson Highway Neighbors by reason of their enthusiasm for the "Pine to Palm," expect that if plans do not miscarry Thief River will one of these days awaken to bask in the knowledge that it is a great transfer point for pleasure seekers. A great stretch of country to the east and north is almost entirely in its virgin state. There are many things that will appeal to the vacationist longing to escape the modern buzz of metropolitan affairs.

To the east is Red Lake Agency, the reservation of Chippewa Indians. About fifty miles straight east of Thief River lies Red Lake, surrounded by the reservation. It is the largest body of fresh water with the exception of the Great Lakes, in the United States. A shore line of 150 miles is said to offer the finest bathing beach in the world. And why mention fishing? The only trouble is that it is fifty miles away from civilization and there are only twenty-five miles of the 365-day road in that direction.

One of these days the conferences with the Indian Bureau at Washington will result in an order to build the remaining twenty-five miles of road. Then look out for the records of all other vacation centers. There is big game to be found north of Red Lake during the open season. That is just one of the dreams of the Pennington county people, to make it famous all over the world.

In passing it is well to remember that Pennington holds claim to being the "baby" county on the "Pine to Palm." It was taken from Red Lake county only nine years ago. Inaccessibility by rail, which a few years ago was the biggest handicap to a community, was the reason for an agreement whereby Pennington was formed, and Thief River Falls was made the county seat. Another interesting feature about the life and growth of the county is the fact that Jesse LaBree, sheriff of Pennington, is the son of old John LaBree, who was the original homesteader on the site where the city now stands.

Though they may differ in most respects the Red Man and the White Man usually agreed upon the same spots for their habitation. Either the Indian chose well, or the pale-face jealousy wanted that which the other had. Legends differ, but at any rate the old Indian camp became an outpost of settlement, and today we find a modern community called Thief River Falls. Even the origin of the name Thief River is clouded in mystery. Pioneers fastened the "handle" onto the stream. Whether they found a band of outlaw Indians who had been exiled from their tribe, whether an Indian band robbed the explorers, or whether a thieving tribe that preyed upon other bands was found along the shore is not definitely known. All seem to be possible stories. All are more or less credited, and the tenderfoot may choose. Of course the river falls near the townsite, and these falls make power to carry on the whirl of the twentieth century living.

However, Pennington County's claim to special notice is not at all on the historical. As a community for the production of foodstuffs it is in its infancy. Yet between $1,000 and $1,500 daily goes into the hands of dairymen from the creamery at Thief River. A reputation as a tame grass county stands unchallenged from the outside. The growth of sweet clover is phenomenal. Corn, wheat, flax, rye and potatoes are all staple crops. There are some potatoes on display, one of which would be a sufficient supply for the ordinary meal of the average city family. Land is still within reach of the ordinary pocketbook and has been moving fast the past year.

"More land sold to the outsider, independent of agents, last year than ever did before in the history of this section," said Shaw, who is in a position to know. "Men drove up here in their cars, saw the land they liked and bought it, unaccompanied by any agents. Most of them, by the way, came over the Jefferson Highway."

Thief River Falls is preparing for bigger business this year. A contract has been let to build sewers and make necessary water connections before next summer, when twenty-five blocks of pavement will be laid. It will then be a wonderful adventure toward the north for the Jefferson traveler.

He will leave the modern paved streets of this city to journey about four miles west, climbing gradually up over black soil. Gravel has been used to keep the road passable in wet weather, and it would be slick gumbo and the going treacherous but for this 365-day road. On reaching the top of the ridge, where a turn to the north is made, one finds himself on the famous old Pembina Trail.

Geological research has disclosed the fact that in pre-historic times this country was all covered by an immense lake, the "drippings," as it were, of the old glaciers as they gradually disappeared. As the lake receded shore lines were thrown up. The ridge upon which the old Pembina, now the Jefferson, runs north, is a sand shore line, and is a natural road. It marks the line of timber country and the prairie. To the right stretches a vast acreage that was all forest. To the left sweeps the prairie, which old settlers tell us runs on and on into the foothills of the Rockies.

Up this trail, once traversed by two-wheeled ox-carts, as they made their regular trips between St. Paul and Pembina, the modern motor car travels in the well-worn ruts that form a natural road unsurpassed. Until it proves to be impractical for some reason, now unforseen, this stretch will probably be maintained in its unique and original form. The trip through and over all the other sections of the Jefferson would be worth any sacrifice just to get the view, the inspiration and the joy of the drive over this piece of natural scenic highway.

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A Boost For Jensen.

(Clearbrook Correspondence To Bemidji Pioneer.)

The move to induce L. Jensen of Clearbrook, one of the foremost dairymen and boosters in our community and county to announce himself a candidate for the legislature from this district, is beginning to gain free ground and the pressure is becoming stronger and more urgent, but our good neighbor to the north seems to hear not nor heed the call, up to the present. In place of even offering it a smile he goes about his duties on his fine farm just north of town, milking cows and doing other necessary labor to produce cream and butter, along with other work on the place. The progressive element in our district has been looking forward a long time for a man possessing special qualifications with executive abilities, and whose heart and soul are with the farmers in their labors to produce better laws and conditions under which to carry on their work successfully. He is today one of the main and leading figures for better measures to safeguard the dairy industry in Minnesota, the Great Northwest and the United States. This is one reason and is strong enough in itself to warrant the people in this district to send him to the legislature for their own benefit, as well as the dairy industry of the state at large.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Local Notes

Miss Ella Meyer, who is employed at the Brumund hotel, spent Easter at her home near Steiner.

Roy Miller, student at the North Dakota university, arrived on Thursday to spend his spring vacation.

Miss Sybil McGinn, who attends St. Benedicts college is spending her spring vacation at her home in this city.

Miss Lilabelle Schuster left on Thursday morning for Greenbush where she was the guest of friends until Saturday.

Misses Stella and Olive Mickelson of Holt were Thursday shoppers in this city. While here they also visited with friends.

Mrs. Rev. Ordahl spent the latter part of last week visiting with her friends in this city and also attending to shopping.

Miss Elenor Dahlen, who is attending the University of North Dakota, is a guest at her home in this city during the spring vacation.

Mrs. L. S. Lieran and little daughter left on Thursday morning for Gatzke where they spent Easter at the home of the former's parents.

Mrs. Elling Tollefsrud passed last Thursday in this city enroute from Warren and Stephen where she had visited for a few days to her home in Holt.

S. Shafer of Minneapolis arrived here on Friday morning and spent a few days as the guest of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermanson left the middle of last week for Minneapolis where they were guests of their son, Ed. Hermanson and family over Easter.

Mrs. Ethel Pitkin, instructor of dramatics in the Eveleth schools, arrived on Friday morning to spend her spring vacation with her numerous friends in this city.

Mrs. John Onstad arrived on Friday morning from her home in Perley and will spend a short time visiting at the home of Mrs. John Sorenson in this city and with friends at Rosewood.

A. S. Sapero recently purchased the residence formerly owned by Otto Gullingsrud and will occupy same the first of May. Mr. and Mrs. Gullingsrud will remove to Grand Forks in the near future.

Miss Signe Peterson returned to this city on Thursday afternoon from Gatzke where she visited for a month at the home of her parents. She immediately resumed her duties at the Brumund hotel.

O. Erickson, accompanied by his grandson, Master Luverne Rolland, left last Thursday morning for the former's home in Randeen. Luverne will remain at the home of his grandparents for an indefinite time.

Mrs. P. Sleminski, accompanied by O. Soen, arrived the latter part of last week from Greenbush and visited with friends for a brief period, leaving on the evening flyer for their homes in Winona. While in this city they were guests of Mrs. Anna Dock.

Miss Lucile Burns spent the weekend as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns. She was accompanied by Miss Margaret Smith, who also teaches in the school at Lake Park. They returned to resume their duties on Sunday evening via the Soo.

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Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church meets Thursday, April 15th at 3 p. m., entertained by Mrs. C. M. Carlson, Mrs. A. Dybvig, Mrs. Fossum and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Mrs. LaBree Has Party.

A company of her friends were pleasantly entertained by Mrs. W. J. LaBree at her home on Knight avenue Thursday evening. The hours were spent in playing cards after which a dainty lunch was served.

Rufus Poirier Dead.

Rufus Poirier, of Red Lake Falls, well known to many residents in this city, died at a hospital in Crookston last Saturday. The remains were shipped to Red Lake Falls for burial. Deceased is survived by a wife and children.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., announce the engagement of their daughter, Florence Anita, to Mr. Harry W. Fredericks of Bremerton, Wash. The wedding will take place in the near future at the home of Miss Prichard's uncle, F. H. Skewis, at Tacoma, Wash.

Mrs. Swedenburg Honored.

Mrs. W. J. LaBree entertained ten ladies at her home on Knight avenue Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg. A profusion of pink and white flowers were used throughout the rooms which mirrored a note of spring. The afternoon was spent in needlework.

Birthday Party.

Allen Sorenson celebrated his 12th birthday anniversary by entertaining fifteen of his friends at his home, 121 West 5th street on Thursday evening. Games were played until 10 o'clock, when a delicious lunch was enjoyed. A lovely birthday cake of pink and white holding twelve candles formed the centerpiece.

For Miss Nepper.

A delightful dinner party was given at the home of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Friday evening, when Mrs. Froehlich and Miss Carrie Trogan entertained in honor of Miss Viola Nepper, who was their guest during the Easter vacation. The decorative scheme was carried out in the usual Easter colors of yellow and white. Unique place cards indicated each guest's position at the table. The guests included Mesdames M. Helen Montgomery, Ethel Pitkin, Misses Warth, Adams, Asp and Jenson. The hours following the dinner were pleasantly spent in music and in musing over the wicheries of the Ouija board.

Dinner Party.

The home of Mrs. C. M. Adkins was a scene of a charming dinner party Saturday evening. Covers were laid for twelve of her most intimate friends. The spirit of Easter was emphasized in the use of the lily for decorating. Orange and white combined with touches of green gave a most pleasing color note to the dinner.

Miss Erickson Entertains.

Miss Genevieve Erickson pleasantly entertained a few of her girl friends at her home Wednesday evening. The hours were spent in a social manner at the conclusion of which a delicious lunch was served. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were: Misses Jeanette Lee, Pearl Olson, Ruth Sandstrom, Florence Lian and Myrtle Blair.

Entertains.

Mrs. H. F. Booren pleasantly entertained a number of ladies at her home on LaBree avenue last Monday evening in compliment to Miss Olive Booren of Minot, N. D., and Mrs. H. F. Spink of Oshkosh, Wis. Blue and white formed the color note throughout the luncheon which followed an afternoon devoted to needlework. A large basket filled with jonquils formed the charming centerpiece.

Whist Party.

A few of the intimate friends of Miss Agnes Wilson were delightfully entertained at her home on Markley avenue north Saturday evening. Progressive whist was in order during the hours which preceded the very fine luncheon which was served at midnight. Jonquils placed on the tables added a note of charm and yellow and white baskets filled with salted nuts were the favors. Miss Zella Zeh won the honors of the evening which was a pretty Easter basket. The guests included the Misses Zella Zeh, Avis Akre, Grace Wilson and Meta Kiland, and Messrs. Ed. Brevig, C. W. Vorachek, Carl Sundahl and L. T. Rank of Dover, Minn., who was the honored guest.

Miss Anderson Entertains.

Miss Harriet Anderson informally entertained a few of her intimate friends at cards at her home, 111 Kendall avenue Wednesday evening.

For Miss Helen Sether.

Mrs. Chas. Fiterman entertained informally on Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Helen Sether a bride of this month. At five o'clock a delightful three course luncheon was served. Miss Sether was presented with a handsome gift as a token of their esteem.

Mrs. Sether Entertains.

A number of ladies were delightfully entertained by Mrs. Sether at her home on Knight avenue on Tuesday afternoon in commemoration of her 27th wedding anniversary. Pink and white carnations formed effective decorations. The afternoon was spent in needlework after which a lovely two course luncheon was served. A clever arrangement of carnations formed the centerpiece.

Anderson-Helquist.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of C. E. Helquist, 811 Duluth avenue north on Saturday evening, April 3rd, when Ernie Anderson and Miss Marie Helquist, both of Rosewood, were united in marriage. Emil and Hannah Helquist, brother and sister of the bride, were witnesses of the ceremony. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, officiated.

Misses Erickson Hostesses.

The Misses Bernice, Dorothy and Elsie Srickson were charming hostesses to twenty-five of their little friends on Friday evening at their home on Duluth avenue. Various games and contests afforded the guests much merriment. Prizes were awarded to Eloise Carlson, Ethel Erickson and Vera Erickson. Clever decorations of yellow and white were used while cunning little bunny baskets were the favors. A dainty lunch served by Miss Myrtle Erickson concluded a delightful party.

In Honor of Miss Yager.

A pleasant social event of the season was a party given in the Masonic hall Tuesday evening for Miss Alice Yager, who leaves on Thursday afternoon for Ada with her parents, where they will spend a brief period visiting with relatives previous to leaving for their new home in Spokane, Wash. Informal dancing was the chief entertainment for the evening. The hall was artistically decorated in various shades of crepe paper. About twenty-five couples were present to enjoy a most enjoyable time. Lunch was served at midnight. Misses Pearl Olson, Jeanette Lee, Alvina Jonas and Alpha Bishop had charge of the arrangements.

Salveson-Erickson.

Sigurd Salveson and Miss Genevieve Erickson were quietly married at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Wm. Boreen, on Easter Sunday at 3:30 p. m. by Rev. R. L. Barackman. The ring ceremony was used. Miss Myrtle Blair and Roy Erickson, brother of the bride, were the attendants. The bride was beautifully attired in a gown of white satin combined with georgette crepe. The bridesmaid also wore a white dress. The rooms were effectively decorated in pink and white and pink carnations were used in profusion. A three course dinner immediately followed the ceremony. Only the intimate friends and relatives of the contracting parties were present. The newlyweds left on the evening flyer for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend a six months' honeymoon after which they will return to this city to make their future home.

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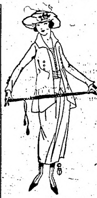

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Local Notes

Miss Caroline Melby left on Monday afternoon for Moorhead where she is attending the normal.

Miss Evelyn Tessum, who is attending the University of Minnesota, spent her spring vacaton at her home in this city.

Miss Delona Hance left on Monday for Grand Forks where she is employed, after a brief visit at her home in this city.

Miss Thora Skomedahl returned to her home in Steiner on Monday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Christofferson.

Miss Rose Hance made a brief visit at her home in this city last week, returning to her duties in a school near Red Lake Falls on Monday.

Miss Esther Motz who spent the Easter holidays at her home in this city returned to her studies at the Moorhead normal Monday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Mathews who spent a week visiting with her parents here, left on Monday afternoon for Moorhead where she attends the normal school.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen visited over the week-end at her home in this city returning to her studies at the University of North Dakota on Monday afternoon.

Miss Clara Sorenson returned to her duties as teacher in a school near Wylie on Monday afternoon after a two weeks' vacation spent at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Miss Irene Sorenson visited over the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson in this city. She returned to Minneapolis where she is employed, the first of the week.

Miss Helen Dalquist of Strandquist arrived Sunday evening and visited until Monday afternoon with Miss Louise Erickson, when they both left for Moorhead where they are students at the normal school.

Miss Margaret Welsh of Black River Falls, Wis., spent the latter part of last week in this city as the guest of her sister, Miss Mary Welsh, and Miss Sybil McGinn, who is a classmate of the former at St. Benedicts. The two latter returned to take up their studies the first of the week.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chittick last Sunday.

Mrs. A. Jallo of Fargo is in the city visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Tweeten.

Miss Evelyn Tessum left on Monday for Minneapolis where she is taking a five year-course in nursing at the university.

Misses Clara and Agnes Froslund who are employed here, spent the week-end visiting with their parents, who reside in Viking.

Milton Weeks, accompanied by his sister, Miss Helen, returned to St. Olaf on Sunday evening after a visit with their parents here.

Mrs. K. Wick returned to her home in Detroit on Thursday evening after spending a few days visiting with her friend, Mrs. F. Dablow.

Clarence Dybvik returned the latter part of last week from the cities where he spent a month taking a course in window trimming.

G. L. Sterns left on Wednesday morning for Greenbush, Badger and Warroad on business in connection with the Northwestern Telephone company.

Chas. Boughton and S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls motored to this city Friday, returning the same evening. They reported a good trip in spite of bad roads.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn returned to her home in Viking on Saturday morning after visiting with her daughters, Misses Violet and Myrtle, who attend the local high school, for a few days.

Miss Anna Longren arrived Saturday evening from Adams, N. D., where hse is teaching and visited over Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Longren.

Alfred Patterson, a dental student at the University of Minnesota, was in the city last week on a visit to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Richter, enroute to his home in Fargo.

The Willing Workers society of the First Swedish Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mrs. K. A. Sundahl, 309 Conley avenue south on Thursday evening, April 15th. Everybody welcome.

G. Howard Smith of the Northern Land and Insurance company, left the first of the week for points in Iowa where he will close contracts with land agents whereby his concern will be the representative in this section for land companies interested here. He will be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. O. F. Holden left on Saturday for Kennedy where hse spent a short time visiting with friends.

Miss Hazel Hazelton who teaches school at Greenbush passed Monday attending to some shopping in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Sponheim left Monday afternoon for Hatton, N. D., where they will attend the wedding of a relative.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant returned to this city the first of the week from Minneapolis where she had visited at the home of her parents.

Miss Josephine Phillipson departed the latter part of last week for her home in Middle River where she will remain for a period of a week.

Miss Ida Lanager, who is employed at the Bon Ton Millinery visited at her home in Plummer over Sunday, returning to this city Monday evening.

Leonard Peterson, superintendent of the water and light plant at Crookston, returned to his duties on Monday afternoon having spent Easter with his family here.

Mrs. J. Weirus left on Tuesday evening for the cities where she will spend a period of a week visiting with friends and relatives. From there she will continue to Colfax, Wis., where she will visit for a few days.

J. Linde, accompanied by his son, Coleman, who has been his guest for a few days, left on Wednesday for Fargo, where they will visit with relatives for a brief period. From that point the latter will return to Chicago where he attends school.

S. R. Rogers, for many years a prominent resident of the Steiner neighborhood, will leave in a few days for the West. He has set no point as his particular destination and will simply take the time to *visit around.* Whether or not Mr. Rogers will decide to move toward the coast in order to make that section his home depends upon how well he likes the outlook when he gets there.

F. C. Niclai transacted business in the city of Holt on Wednesday going there in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pinney and family of Mavie departed on Saturday evening for Centerville, Iowa, where they will reside during the summer months.

Miss Lillian Mjelde arrived on Friday morning from Crookston where she spent a few days visiting with friends.

Leon Stanton returned to this city on Monday morning from Bemidji, where he visited with friends over the week-end.

Taken Up.

Notice is hereby given that I have taken up a stray yearling heifer on my farm, one mile west of Thief River Falls on the Jefferson highway. Red in color. Owner can have same by paying for feed during time animal has been in my care and paying the cost of this advertisement.

N. A. NELSON,

a1-8-15 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Taken from the Minneapolis Journal of April 5th.

ALL RECORDS BROKEN---

This theater played to more thoroughly satisfied patrons yesterday than any other Minneapolis theater of similar size has ever attracted, which proves that not only is Miss Norma Talmadge the local favorite, but that the current program is THE BEST SHOW OF THE SEASON

A First National Attraction.

Norma Talmadge

Winner of the Minneapolis Journal's Nation-wide Popularity Contest in.

"The Woman Gives"

By Owen Johnson

After showing in the New Garrick of Minneapolis. All This Week. This Beautiful Picture

NORMA TALMADGE

In

"The Woman Gives"

Will be shown at the Lyceum Sunday and Monday and as an added attraction

FATTY ARBUCKLE

In his greatest comedy

"Back Stage"

We are offering this big Special Program at the usual Sunday Admission. Matinee Sunday: 2:30

Strength

Present abnormal conditions, with prospects of still further changes, offer sound reasons for making the most favorable banking connections obtainable.

Join forces with this strong, old-established, dependable bank---one that you can absolutely rely upon at all times.

Citizens State Bank

Resources Over Three Quarters of a Million

Articles of Agreement

Between

Retail Clerks International Protective Association

and

(NAME OF MERCHANT)

This agreement, mutually entered into this 29th day of March, A. D. 1920, by and between The Retail Clerks International Protective Association, through their authorized Agents, Ole Granum, as President of Local No. 513 and Clarence Dybvik, as Secretary of Local No. 513 of the City of Thief River Falls, and State of Minnesota, as parties of the first part, and (name of Merchant), of the City of Thief River Falls, and State of Minnesota, as party of the second part.

WITNESSETH: That said parties of the first part, in consideration of the covenants and agreements hereinafter mentioned and mutually agreed upon by all parties to be kept, done and performed, do hereby lease for the period of one year to the said party of the second part one Union Store Card, the property of and issued by The Retail Clerks International Protective Association.

Parties of the second part agree to retain in their employ only members, or those if eligible, who will become members within thirty days from the date of their employment, of Local No. 513 Retail Clerks International Protective Association.

Parties of the second part agree that (his or their) store, located at (address) in the City of Thief River Falls, State of Minnesota, shall close at the following time:

All day on Sunday; all day on the following Legal Holidays: New Year's Day, Christmas Day, Thanksgiving Day, Decoration Day and the 4th day of July, at 12 o'clock noon on the following Legal Holidays: Labor Day. From April 15th, 1920, and to April 15th, 1921, for clerks nine hour day. Closing at six o'clock on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays; at nine o'clock on Saturdays. (See amendment.) Parties of the first part agree to advise all Local Organizations of the City of Thief River Falls, and State of Minnesota, of the action of the second parties signing this agreement, and

IT IS FURTHER AGREED by all parties that the interest of each shall be mutually taken care of and advanced, and that any violation of the foregoing stipulations shall be sufficient cause for surrender of the Union Store Card.

Retail Clerks International Protective Ass'n.
Parties of the first part.

OLE GRANUM, Pres. Local No. 513
C. E. DYBVIK, Secy., Local No. 513.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL CONTRACT

"That the merchants may keep the original closing hour of ten o'clock and the clerks to work the additional hours for time and a half over time or with such mutual agreement made between employer and employee; that said six o'clock closing hour stand as contract signed."

Employers may open up their place of business in the morning according to their own judgment.

The following business houses have signed the above agreement:

LARSON FURNITURE CO
HICKS FURNITURE CO
CARL FROSETH, Shoes and Harness.
LOKEN BROS. DEPT. STORE
SIMONSON'S MEAT & GRO.
CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO., Grocers.
ALBERT S. LIEBERMAN, Clothier.
LOUIS L. COHN, Clothier.
ZEH & CURRAN, Grocers.
HALL BROS. CO., Hardware.
CHAS. LIEBERMAN, Clothier.
HALVOR LOKEN, Harness.
H. K. STRAND, Grocer.
OEN MERCANTILE CO.
ANTON M. LANGSETH, Shoes.
PEOPLES CO-OP. STORE, Groceries.
HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.
LOUIS DeCREMER, Meats.
M. N. BENSON, Dry Goods.
BREDESON & CO., Groceries.
THE SAPERO CO., Ladies Furnishings.
GILBERT SANDUM, Gen. Merc.

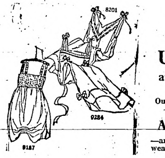

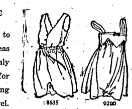

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Permit you to have
Dainty Underwear
at a tremendous saving
Our Fabrics, Your Fingers and
A McCall Pattern
—and your dream of Underwear, Beauty and Economy is Realized

No scarcity here of sheer cotton and silk weaves, and there is no extravagance in the price. Besides an excellent assortment of underwear material, we offer some of the rarest possible values. In this advertisement you will see illustrated only a few of the McCall Underwear designs.

For hundreds of other styles of Parisian underwear and intimate garments, see a copy of

McCALL'S Spring Quarterly

IS NOW ON SALE

—it will enable you to get a great many ideas and inspiration not only for underwear, but for beautiful, gratifying regular wearing apparel.

And they're original and dainty, to the point of exclusiveness

Get the Spring Quarterly before they are all sold. The demand was never so great, because more women than ever are making their own clothes.

15c when buying a McCall Pattern.

Loken's Department Store

SILKS --- SATINS --- VELVETS --- LINENS --- SERGES

THE PUBLIC FORUM

Tells of Convention.

Editor, The Times:—Permit me to say a few words in regard to the convention just held in St. Paul on the 24th and 25th of March. As a delegate to this convention we wish to state the fact that the candidates nominated and endorsed are the choice of the entire delegation present in both the Farmer and Labor conventions held jointly and are not the hand-picked choice of Townley or any other group or faction, as it has been reported by certain twin city dailies—and others.

The convention, from start to finish, was absolutely in the hands and control of the delegates present, and no attempt was made by Mr. Townley or any one else present outside of the delegates to dictate, in any way, and no candidate endorsed was nominated without the most careful consideration on the part of the delegation from the two conventions working hand in hand jointly. Every candidate on the ticket named has the full endorsement of the two conventions jointly, held for this one purpose.

In regard to the congressional candidate for the 9th district must state the fact that 9 out of the 12 counties in the district besides the Labor delegates present were one and all for Mr. Bowen to a man. Consequently Mr. Bowen got the entire endorsement of all the counties with the exception of Red Lake county. Being the unqualified choice of the district as a candidate for congress in the 9th district, Mr. Bowen was not a candidate at any time for this position, but has simply been drafted for the purpose and has under the circumstances accepted the call as such.

Among other things discussed at the convention was the much talked of Babcock road plan. This proposition was very much discussed from all angles by men that were fully qualified to speak upon the subject, but from all that was said it all went to show that the Babcock system of road building or rather the cement road so prepared has been a failure wherever it has been given a tryout test, both in this country, and the soldiers also report the same from what they saw and experienced in other countries, as well during the time of war, without taking into consideration the prohibitive cost of construction of such road which from available facts and records shows to be more than double the estimated cost of the Babcock plan.

The rural population is not demanding any such roads nor do they want to load down their counties with a needless burden upon the strength of getting aid from a federal appropriation that was made some time back for such purpose, but which expires within the next two years as a matter of fact.

What the farmers want is a system of good graded roads and for this they are going on record.

The Babcock road plan needs to be analyzed and it is time that the people of the state get the right understanding of this system of road building, but in order to get at it, it is necessary to go outside of the Highway Road commission to get it. The subject no doubt will be fully discussed from the two sides within the next few months.

The Farmer Labor ticket prepared and endorsed at the two conventions held jointly, speaks for itself, and no doubt will meet with the full approval of the citizens of the state as a whole.

W. A. SWANSON,
Pennington County Delegate,
Rhoda, March 28, 1920.

Opposes Babcock Amendment.

Editor, The Times:—Knowing your *fairness in giving space for discus*sion of all topics of public interest, I shall venture to give, through your paper, my opinion of the much boosted Amendment No. 1, or what is sometimes known as the Babcock Road Law.

In nearly every paper we chance to read, we see some or other article putting forth the advantages held out to the farmers by the establishing of the trunk line highway system. Now whether I am too thick-skulled to see a good thing when it is offered or whether it really lacks merits, remains to be seen, but I feel free in saying that there has so far never been advanced one single argument in its favor that will hold water.

In the March 26th issue of The Times appeared an article, gotten out by the Highway commission that on its face looks very glimmering; but all is not gold that glitters. After applying a little common sense the gloss will disappear. They seem to try to picture our state as some superman who will give us anything if we only will say yes. The state has no more nor any less than its taxpayers pay into its coffers so that anything that is paid out must first be paid in.

The article states that "by the establishing of the trunk highway system all of the local funds, the state, county and township levies are left intact to be used by local authorities in building the feeding roads." This by their figures amounts to the gigantic sum of $10,925,000 a year. Now I challenge any man to show me how they will release an amount anywhere near that sum. They will release only that part of it which would be applied on the particular road that the trunk line takes over, which will be a very small percentage of the total, and that would have to be paid for because if the auto is exempted from personal property taxes the remaining personal property must be taxed higher in order to get sufficient funds to run the government machinery.

The great saving on gasoline and wear and tear on the motor vehicle is another unfounded argument. The man with an automobile will run his car over the road that takes him to where his business calls him whether it happens to be over this cement floor or not. That being the case, the saving will be small, except for the tourist and he can afford to pay for his gas. And what's more it was never intended that we should get anything of it until the others had their's, and then it would be far from what the newspapers tell us.

According to information gained from a reliable source, it is intended to build 3,000 mil— of 18 ft., and 2,500 miles of 9 ft. hard surface roads and then 1,500 of dirt roads. Lines number 1, 2, 3, etc., would of course be considered main lines, to be 18 ft., then the balance of 9 ft.; then we would come in for our share of steak on the 1,500 miles of dirt or graded roads. Our road is number 32.

Summed up in a few words, it's the rankest piece of legislation ever attempted to foist upon the taxpayers of Minnesota.

Be sure to rub the Burnquist wool out of your eyes and vote "No" on Amendment No. 1 Nov. 2nd.

T. H. BJERKE.

A Gentle Roast

Whether or not it is a sign that spring is here or merely that railroaders, like Silas Wegg, occasionally "drift into poetry," The Times is not prepared to say, but more railroad "poems" have reached the office during the past month than in a similar period in the history of the paper. The following lines have been submitted by one who evidently believes there is room for improvement in the service through Dakota.

There's a railroad that runs through Dakota
From Fordville to a city called Drake,
Whose watchword is safet— and court'sy
And which claims you make no mistake
When your ticket reads over the Soo line—
Where the service is always the best.
And you glide o'er the rails and sweep thru the vales
Like an Eagle bound home to its nest.

In the summer the service is splendid,
For once during each sunny day
An old scrap-heap of an engine
Goes puffing along on its way
With a string of creaking old box cars
And a coach at the rear of the freight,
That for service and passenger traffic
Has years ago gone out of date.

If a man full of hope for the future,
Vowing that he would gain wealth and fame,
Should purchase a ticket some morning,
And step briskly onto this train—
Before reaching the end of his journey
His head would be white as the snow
And his form would be bent with old age and grief,
For those he had left long ago.

But the service in summer is splendid
Compared with what happens each year,
When the wind and the snow of the winter
Howls over the prairies so drear,
For enginemen, conductor and brakemen
When they leave home to take out their train,
Bid their families and friends a loving goodbye,
For they never may see them again.

Now, poor devils who come to this country
To make homes 'long the line of the Soo,
They are not asking this railroad
To do more than others can do.
But few miles to the south the Great Northern
Is putting its trains thru each day,
And it seems dev'lish queer if the people out here
Have to wait for a train till next day.

In 2000 Counties This Month

The Forces of the Church of Christ Will Gather To Face the Facts

IN 2000 counties in the United States the pastors and laymen of 30 great denominations will meet in conference this month.

It is the kind of conference that generals hold before a critical engagement; that business men hold before entering a new market. A conference of judgment, not emotion; a clear-eyed facing of the facts.

A Survey that Business Men Must Admire

For more than a year hundreds of workers have been quietly engaged in making a scientific survey of the mission fields, and of America *county by county.*

The facts developed are startling. No such picture of America's religious situation has ever before been drawn.

On the basis of these surveys thirty Protestant denominations are uniting in a

Nation Wide Cooperative Campaign

Each of the thirty denominations has its own "Forward Movement" organized and officered. The Interchurch World Movement is the clearing house for all of these.

It is the agency which the churches have created to avoid duplication, to foster cooperation and make sure that every man and dollar render the utmost service possible.

The month of April will be devoted to making the facts of the survey known to America; in the week of April 25th-May 2nd, will come a united simultaneous financial campaign.

Whether You Are Inside the Church or Out

To every man and every woman who loves his country, these 2000 county conferences are vitally important.

For the facts developed by this great survey show vividly what forces are at work in America—and what kind of a country this country is to be.

See that the pastor of your church appoints delegates. Any pastor can tell you the conference place and date. Or write direct to the

INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT
45 WEST 18th STREET, NEW YORK CITY

The publication of this advertisement is made possible through the cooperation of 30 denominations.

It Does the Work, Geo. Olinger Says

ST. PAUL MAN DECLARES TANLAC HELPED HIM LIKE OTHERS SAID IT HELPED THEM

"I don't know what it is, but there's something about this medicine that certainly does the work," said George Olinger, as he purchased a bottle of Tanlac at the St. Paul drug store in St. Paul, Minn., recently. Mr. Olinger has lived in St. Paul for many years. He is employed by a leading wholesale hardware concern and his address is 433 West 7th street.

"It beats anything I have ever run across," he continued. "Why, I have already gained nine pounds and am just buying my third bottle. For more than a year now, that is until I began taking Tanlac, I have been taking treatment for my kidneys and stomach but just kept getting worse. My kidneys disturbed me so often at night and my back ached so bad that I couldn't sleep. I got in such a bad fix that it was all I could do to stick to my work. My back hurt me so when I stooped over to pick up anything I could hardly keep from crying out. My stomach would bloat up with sour gas and I had attacks of indigestion that kept me feeling miserable for hours. My tongue was thickly coated and I always got up in the morning with a sickening taste in my mouth.

"But since I began taking Tanlac my troubles have disappeared and I am now building up rapidly in weight and strength. I can now lift a hundred pounds easier than I could ten before and never feel a pain in my back any more. My kidneys are in fine shape, and I have such a big appetite that I can hardly get enough *to eat and I never feel a sign of in*digestion now no matter what I eat. Tanlac has helped me just like the people whose statements I read in the papers said it helped them. I am certainly glad I decided to try my luck with it, for I believe it has kept me from having to lay off and lose time from my work. I honestly believe it's the best medicine ever sold in a drug store."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—Adv.

Mrs. Jos. Salley made a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht last week, returning to her home in Red Lake Falls Thursday afternoon.

Job Printing Orders will be cared for in the same efficient manner as before the fire. The Times Job Department.

WRIGLEY'S
For mother, father, the boys and girls. It's the sweet for all ages—at work or play.
When you're nervous or tired, see how it refreshes!
The Flavor Lasts
WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT CHEWING GUM
PEPPERMINT
WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM
THE FLAVOR LASTS
WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT THE PERFECT GUM
The Flavor Lasts
MINT LEAF FLAVOR
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UNITED COUPONS
SEALED TIGHT— KEPT RIGHT

NOW IS THE TIME TO HAVE THAT JOB PRINTING DONE

ARE YOU STILL HESITATING?

THE COUNTRY IS FULL OF MEN WHO NOW REALIZE THEIR MISTAKE IN NOT BUILDING LAST YEAR. THEY WERE WARNED THAT PRICES WOULD NOT GO DOWN FOR SOME TIME TO COME, IF AT ALL, BUT FIGURED THAT THEY WOULD BE AHEAD BY WAITING. IT IS NOW REALIZED THAT THIS WAS A MISTAKE.

Again We Say---Build Now

Every day you get along without necessary buildings costs real money. If you reside on a farm a slight loss in the condition of stock or the deterioration of products will more than offset the cost of providing the proper buildings. If you are a city dweller you must have noticed the tendency towards higher rents.

Material For Your Spring Work

In the spring there is always more or less building work to be attended to. The living house needs remodeling or refitting, barns must be repaired, outhouses generally gone over, granaries built, fences fixed, and many other things. Remember we are in a position to furnish at once anything needed for this work.

Ask the Help of Our Service Department

We have plans for every kind of building on file at our office and these are at the service of our customers. They have been specially selected to meet conditions in this section. Our quarter of a century of experience in this neighborhood enables us to judge pretty accurately what is needed.

Winton - Nichols Lbr. Co.

Spending a Dollar

To *make* money the business man *spends* money, and even *borrows* money. The farmer is a business man. He too must spend and borrow in order to earn. And right here especially is where our bank comes in, with

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

This bank cares for your savings, loans and investments. This national farm weekly cares not only for the growing of crops and livestock, but also the buying and selling end of the farmer's business.

In its pages, Maine potato growers learn from Wisconsin potato growers; Texas and Indiana cattle men exchange pointers; and so on, each section helping another solve its most important problems.

We are bankers, and where we can't help you in farm management we know who can.

We firmly believe that by spending a dollar for a year's subscription to THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN you may save a hundred or two in your business during the coming year—to deposit in *our bank.* Ask us to enter your subscription. We'll start it promptly and charge your account with the price.

It's Only *One* Dollar!

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Capital $75,000.00
H. S. DAHLEN, President
Phone No. 22
See: R. M. Sheldon

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has been discovered that much rheumatism, stomach and kidney troubles, heart disorders, tuberculosis and goitres are caused by diseased teeth.

Get Our Prices First
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Special attention given to out-of-town patients. Write us about your teeth troubles. We are glad to answer any and all questions. Write us.

--Nitrous Oxide Gas--
--Pure Oxygen--

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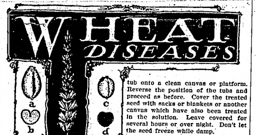

(a) Normal kernel of wheat.
(b) Cross section of normal kernel.
(c) Smutted kernel or smut ball.
(d) Cross section of smutted kernel.
(e) Head of wheat infected with scab.

There are three serious diseases: Smut, scab and rust. Rust cannot be prevented by seed treatment. The other two can. Damage from rust can be partially avoided by selecting a good quality of Marquis seed and by early seeding in order to get an early maturity.

Blow out with a fanning mill as many of the smut balls as possible or remove them from the grain by other means. There are a number of ways of treating the seed with formaldehyde. Perhaps the simplest and most successful method is to mix one pound of common commercial formaldehyde in forty gallons of water. Provide two tubs or half barrels; raise one of them on a box higher than the other, which may be on the ground. Fill the top tub about half full of the solution, then pour the wheat in loose. Stir it around until it is all thoroughly wet and the smut balls, trash, shriveled kernels and many weed seeds will float. Skim off the floating stuff and destroy it by grinding it and feeding it to chickens after it is dry. Don't feed it whole because many weed seeds, being indigestible, will find their way back to the fields.

After skimming take a short piece of hose, fill it in the top tub and quickly throw one end of it over into the other tub. This will act as a siphon and draw off the solution. When drained dump the moist seed from the upper tub onto a clean canvas or platform. Reverse the position of the tubs and proceed as before. Cover the treated seed with sacks or blankets or another canvas which have also been treated in the solution. Leave covered for several hours or over night. Don't let the seed freeze while damp.

Another very successful method is to put the wheat in a tight wagon box, drive along after the seeder in the field, sprinkle and shovel over the seed, then shovel the wet seed into the seeder box and sow it wet. Be careful that you don't clog your seeding spouts.

The formaldehyde treatment of the seed frequently increases the yield more than would be naturally expected from simply replacing the smutted heads with sound ones. A substantial gain is made from the use of formaldehyde. Increases of over four bushels per acre have been found in spring wheat in which only a little over one and one-half bushels were actually destroyed by smut. This is probably due to the fact that the grain is affected by other seed-borne parasites than smut and scab and which are as effectually checked by the treatment.

EARLY SOWING

Spring wheat should be sown in the spring as soon as the seed bed can be properly prepared. Germination takes place in the ground when the temperature is about 42 to 50 degrees. The acreage quantity of seed per acre sown is about 1½ bushels. Sometimes a little less and sometimes a little more will be better. Your own experience will tell you how much. Drilling is better than broadcasting. The use of the corrugated roller is recommended. The seed usually should be sown about two to three inches deep. The important thing is to get it into the soil sufficiently moist to insure germination. In heavy wet soil one or two inches will be deep enough.

CASH FOR WHEAT
The Price of Wheat

The farmer must first become prosperous before anyone else can prosper.

Money to Be Made This Year—Winter Wheat Disappointing—Opportunity for a Big Yield of Spring Wheat.

While there is no government guaranty for the 1920 crop, yet the world shortage will insure a good price. One of the best authorities says that the world's import requirement is 760,000,000 bushels and that the world is confronted with a shortage more acute than of any recent year.

In the reconstruction period following the Civil war, the highest price of wheat was in 1867, two years after the close of the war, so it is reasonable to suppose that wheat will continue to sell at high prices.

The winter wheat crop now in the ground is disappointing. Last year the acreage was about 50,000,000, this year it is only about 39,000,000 and the condition was much higher all through the winter season than it is this year, probably from 10 to 15 per cent.

The normal crop for spring wheat is 350,000,000 bushels on an acreage of 22,000,000. Every acre should count because it will be up to the Northwest to furnish the discrepancy of wheat.

There is good money in wheat properly raised. Of course the weather has much to do with it, but wheat is the standard of value in all the Northwest. Without wheat we should go bankrupt.

Many farmers think that they will not sow wheat, but what can they sow which will do any better? In some places they can put in corn and there is much talk of live stock, but owing to the scarcity of labor and the comparative ease with which wheat is handled and harvested, there is nothing more profitable as a usual thing than to grow wheat but grow it properly and profitably.

It is folly to argue that by reducing the wheat crop we can make more money. What would it profit any man if he had little or no wheat to sell at a high price? He would have to buy back his bread and flour from a few farmers who perhaps would make a little money.

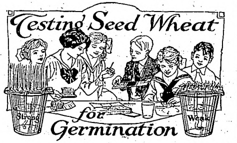
Testing Seed Wheat for Germination
Strong
Weak

Every school in the Northwest has been asked to help in the spring wheat campaign by testing seed wheat in blotting papers for each farmer in each school district. Good seed wheat should germinate ninety-five per cent. If it tests weak fan it again and again.

If wheat has become heated or moldy in storage or from any other reasons, it may not grow at all or else have only a low percentage of germination. It is advisable therefore to make a few germination tests from different parts of your seed wheat. This may be done by taking an ordinary blotting paper, folded like a book. Wet it, open flat, count 100 kernels just as they come, place them on one-half of the blotting paper so that they do not touch; tear a strip of cloth about two inches wide and ten inches long, put it in the fold of the blotter, fold as before. Pile up your tests, wrap a cloth or piece of waxed paper around the tests, leaving the ends open, letting the cloth strip hang down like the wick in a lamp, in a glass of water. This will keep the blotting paper always wet. Don't let the test freeze or dry out. Always keep water in the glass. Read the test after seven days, separate into three lots: Strong, those growing an inch or more; weak, those just starting with short stems; dead, those which have not germinated at all.

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Says Wheat is O. K.

Editor Times: In regard to your publication of a week ago concerning the germination of wheat raised in this territory, will say that I took 54 kernels from a bin, uncleaned wheat, and placed them between two wet flannel cloths and in two days 53 kernels were sprouting. That shows that wheat raised here is O. K. for seed.

C. WEINER, Route 3.

Resigns as Club Secretary.

G. Howard Smith has resigned as secretary of the Thief River Falls Commercial club and with H. E. Elling, formerly of St. Paul, has formed the Northern Land and Insurance agency. Offices have been secured in the McGinn block and the new concern is all ready for business.

The sale and development of Northern Minnesota lands will be the principal business of the concern, contracts having been closed with similar companies in southern Minnesota, Iowa and Illinois, with whom the Thief River Falls men will cooperate. Insurance of all kinds will also be handled, a number of the best-known companies being on their list.

Mr. Elling is a land and insurance man of many years experience and will be able to give prompt and efficient service in this department.

The commercial club trustees have not yet decided upon a successor to Mr. Smith.

Interchurch Council Meeting.

The county council of the Interchurch Movement is meeting today at the M. E. church in this city. Rev. W. Johnson and three other leaders in the movement will be present to deliver addresses. The first meeting will be held at 9:30, another in the afternoon at 2:30 and one in the evening at 8 o'clock. This movement is creating a great deal of interest all over the country and these first meetings will be devoted to explaining the purposes of the campaign. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Walter Larson.

Walter Larson, seventeen year old son of Louis Larson of Badger, died at Oakland Park sanatorium on April 4 from tuberculosis. The deceased had been a patient of the sanatorium for ten months. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

A Night in Honolulu.

A night in Honolulu which comes to the Auditorium, Thief River Falls next Wednesday, April 14 is a big musical play of 16 people. This company carry all their own special scenery and electrical effects. One realistic scene shows a smoking, burning volcano in full action.

A troupe of real native Hawaiian singers and musicians will play and sing some of their wonderful entrancing music. Mark Twain once said the Hawaiian music is the most entrancing in the world. Princess "Lei-Keia," a native Hawaiian girl will render a number of beautiful dances.

The acting company is headed by Miss Una Carpenter and Mr. Lester Al Smith, well known actors long associated with the best new York road shows. Others are Beatrice Murrill, Frances Dowling, Constance Neilson, Stanley Andrews, Clifford Green, Charles Grenier.

This is a meritorious company stopping at Thief River Falls to play an engagement on their way to Winnipeg.

Manager Henry Froseth is on the track of a number of excellent attractions for the auditorium in the near future.

The City Churches

Beautiful Easter Service.

The musical program at the Presbyterian church on Easter Sunday has been the subject of much praise on the part of the large audiences attending both the morning and evening service. The choir, under the leadership of Mrs. Edberg, sang a number of selections appropriate to the occasion in a manner that would have been a credit to any church choir in the state. The duet by Mrs. Holmberg, violin, and Wilbur Roth, cello, was particularly good.

In the evening the choir presented an Easter cantata, adding to the reputation gained at the morning service. The choir selections on this occasion were also of an exceptionally high order.

The Presbyterian choir, since Mrs. Edberg assumed direction, has taken the leadership among musical organizations in this section of the state. Its work is such as to call forth compliments from all sides.

Methodist Episcopal Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Sunday, 11 a. m. the U. C. T. will attend service in a body. Choir unexcelled, under the leadership of Mrs. Dr. Fisher will furnish music. 8 p. m. plain gospel sermon, Young Peoples choir will lead singing. S. C. at 10 a. m. E. L. at 7 p. m. Mid-week service Thursday at 8 p. m.

First Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services next Sunday. Sunday, April 18th. Services in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m. The Mission society of the church will be entertained by Mrs. E. E. Forsberg at her home on Duluth avenue north on Thursday afternoon, April 15th. The willing Workers society will be entertained by the Sundahl family at their home on Conley Ave. S., Thursday evening, April 15th.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—A series of special meetings will be held by Rev. and Mrs. Brownell, accompanied with a song leader. The meetings will begin Thursday the 8th at 8 p. m. and will continue for about a week. Each night the services begin at 8 p. m. Three services are to be held on Sunday at 11 a. m., 3 p. m., and 8 p. m. All these meetings will be in English.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: Is Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Bible Lectures at Odd Fellows Hall, O. J. Dahl—There will be services as usual on Sunday evening, April 11th at 8 o'clock in the Scandinavian language. The theme will be: "The Lord's Day, How Long Is It? Twenty four Hours or a Thousand Years?" The public is cordially invited to attend.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday at 2 p. m., entertained by Mrs. Griebstein. Zion Young Peoples society Thursday evening at 8. Eddie and Willie Oftelie entertain. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. in the church basement. Confirmants meet every Saturday at 2 p. m. in the church basement.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—April 11: 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning worship; Holy communion. 8 p. m. evening worship, "The Ascension." A full program of special music will be rendered at both services. Mrs. H. E. Edberg, choir diector. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. April 3 p. m. Ladies aid picnic lunch at the church.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school Sunday, April 11 at 10 a. m. Morning service at the Aug. Erickson school house, east of St. Hilaire, at 11 a. m., and evening worship at St. Hilaire at 8 p. m. Young Peoples meeting next Tuesday at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at the home of Aug. Nordlund, 612 St. Paul Ave. S., at 8 p. m.

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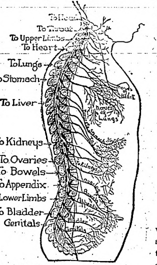

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THE USE OF PEAT FOR FUEL PURPOSES

(By H. W. Protzeller.)

Within the past few years a marked depletion of the visible supplies of coal and oil fuels, the approaching exhaustion of the supply of wood available for fuel purposes and a constantly growing demand for fuel for industrial and domestic uses have led to a constantly increasing price for these important commodities. It has been conservatively estimated by the best authorities that at the present increasing rate of consumption the fuel oil supply of the United States will be exhausted in less than forty years, the anthracite coal supply in sixty years and the bituminous coal supply in less than two hundred years. This condition has caused economic geologists and those vitally interested in the fuel supplies of the country to seek out and appraise new sources of fuel and to contrive means of more perfectly utilizing the present supplies.

The two foundations upon which is reared the entire economic structure of our industrial progress are land and fuel. The land supplies the raw material and the fuel the means of manufacturing them into finished products and transporting them to the consumer. Any disturbance in the price of fuel, caused by supply and demand or any other cause, is immediately reflected in every field of activity. Hence the importance of being absolutely sure many years in advance of a reliable source of fuel supply.

There is absolutely no shadow of doubt but that the immense deposits of peat scattered throughout the United States must eventually supply a large portion of the insatiable demand for fuel, and with this end in view the time has now arrived when we must begin to avail ourselves of the enormous resources of our peat bogs.

What Peat Is.

Peat is partly decomposed and disintegrated vegetable matter that has accumulated in places where the ordinary decay has been arrested or retarded by means of water preservation. It may consist of various forms of plant life, from the common grasses to the largest trees. In northwestern Minnesota the main forms of peat are of vegetable grass origin, which produces a more or less fibrous peat. Peat is really incipient coal, or coal in the process of formation. Should the water, which has retarded the decay, be drained off and the peat beds covered in some manner with thick, heavy layers of earth stratum, producing a high pressure, it would very soon turn to a hard, dense mass—lignite. If the pressure is great enough and of long duration coal of bitumionous or possibly anthracite structure would be formed. From this it is plain that peat is the lowest form of coal, and just as surely as we are now using far inferior coals for fuel purposes than was thrown on the dumps as waste a few decades ago and paying high prices for it, so surely will we be using its youngest relative extensively in the next few decades.

According to its origin and the conditions under which it accumulated, peat may vary in color from brown to black, and in texture from a light spongy matter that is porous, coarse and fibrous, or even woody, and easily falls to pieces when dry, to forms that are nearly devoid of structure and when wet are as plastic as clay and when dry form dense, hard masses resembling lignite. In all cases peat in the bed is nearly saturated with water, containing usually from 80 to 95 per cent by weight. When peat is dug from the bog and allowed to dry it becomes very much darker in color. Raw or untreated peat is easily crumbled when dry and makes a bulky and unsubstantial fuel that does not bear transportation.

History of the Use of Peat For Fuel.

The earliest use of peat was for fuel and dates back to the dawn of civilization. In the time of the conquest of northern Europe by the Romans they found that the inhabitants were using peat to heat and cook with. Especially is this true of Ireland. In Holland, Denmark, Germany and Russia peat has been used for hundreds of years, especially by the poorer classes. This peat was simply dug up from the bog and dried in the shape that it came out, usually a large square lump. When burned it produced a smoky flame and not a great deal of heat. In later years a great deal of attention has been given to the proper preparation of this peat fuel in order to make it more suitable for transportation and storage. At the present time practically every country in Europe that possesses peat deposits is preparing it for both domestic and commercial uses. It is conservatively estimated that at the present time at least 30,000,000 tons of peat are produced and consumed annually in Europe.

In Canada, because of climatic conditions and the scarcity of coal deposits, the peat fuel industry has been exploited for a considerable time and a great deal of experimental work has been done. Peat beds are being successfully worked in several places. In the United States, because of the abundance of coal and other fuel, the peat fuel industry has not been given the attention it deserves. Still, in the New England States cut peat has been used in a small way for many years. In the last few years this important industry has received considerable more attention due to the high price of other fuel. There is no doubt that in the near future enormous strides will be made.

The Peat Deposits of the United States.

In the United States there are 139,855 square miles of swamp lands and it is estimated that this area contains at least 30,000 square miles of workable peat beds, of an average depth of more than six feet. Countless tests have proven that a minimum of 200 tons of marketable fuel can be obtained from each acre per foot of depth. This means that there are available in the United States more than 20,000,000,000 tons of peat fuel.

Minnesota is *pro-eminently* the great peat state, there being not only more peat than in any other state, but also a greater need for it. According to Professor Soper, a peat expert who has closely examined Minnesota for peat, there are in this state alone over 7,000,000,000 tons of usable peat fuel. Of this quantity, a considerable proportion lies in the northern part of the state. The most conservative estimate will place at least 2,000,000,000 tons of peat within 100 miles of Thief River Falls. As this peat, when properly prepared, has a heating value of one and a third tons of peat to one ton of good anthracite coal, which would make it worth at least $6.00 per ton in this part of the country, it is very readily seen that lying at our very doors is a resource worth ten or twelve billions of dollars. Some day this enormous resource will be developed and when that day comes the country contigous to Thief River Falls will make the richest oil countries look like a ten cent piece of Canadian money.

Absolutely nothing has been done with this peat in our section for fuel purposes and practically nothing throughout the rest of the United States. The time has now arrived when we should avail ourselves of this opportunity. Start a peat plant somewhere in our neighborhood and in a few years it will attract many others. The extraordinary cheap power that is thus made available will attract countless manufacturing industries that are ever on the lookout for such an opportunity.

Value of Peat for Fuel Purposes.

Freshly dug peat from an undrained bog contains about 90 percent of water, 8 to 13 percent of carbonaceous material and a widely varying proportion of ash. When the ash content is more than 18 percent it is not a good fuel. The peat in our bogs contains about 10 to 12 percent of ash on the average, and some even lower. Fresh peat must be dried of some of the water before it will burn. When dried to about 25 percent of water peat burns under suitable conditions with a very hot flame, almost 4,000 degrees F., with a red, somewhat smoky flame. Compared with coal the value of air-dried cut peat is about one-half. Machine peat properly prepared is far superior to cut peat and approaches coal in value, one and a third tons of prepared peat being equal to one ton of good anthracite coal. The following table shows the value of peat compared with other fuels:

Kind of Fuel	Calorific Value Per Pound in B. T. U.
Good hardwood	5,760
Air-dried cut peat	6,840
Bituminous coal	11,000
Peat coke	12,676
Aid-dried machine peat	10,000
Anthracite coal	14,000

Methods of Handling and Preparing Peat For Fuel.

As stated before, the different countries of Europe have developed the peat industry to big proportions commercially. The great amount of experimental work and the number of failures in this country where attempts have been made to use peat in a small way as a substitute for coal have served to prove what can be done and have also shown what mistakes to avoid. Various methods have been suggested and tried out for utilizing peat and many machines have been invented and built, a great number of them failures. Most of these failures have been due to ignorance of the properties of peat. Peat is a very deceptive article in many respects. When you examine it in the bog, knowing that it will burn when dry, all that seems necessary is to take this wet peat and press or roll the water out of it, leaving the balance in the form of briquets ready for use. This has proven the downfall of many enterprises because you can no more press the water out of peat than you can press it out of jelly. Countless experiments have proven that the only successful way to prepare it is to dig it out of the bog, grind it up or macerate it so as to tear all of the fibers apart and break up the plant cells and then let it dry in the air, where it undergoes a chemical change. As the natural peat contains from 80 to 95 percent of water, air drying is the only successful method, otherwise it would take more heat than the peat itself contains to drive out the moisture.

The methods of utilizing peat that have been proven possible are classed under five heads as follows:

1. Cut peat for direct firing, in which the peat is cut out of the bog, usually by hand, allowed to dry and then burned in the ordinary stove.
2. Machine peat, where the peat is dug by machinery, macerated and then allowed to dry in the form of bricks or briquets. To be used either in this form or pulverized.
3. Machine peat for gas producer fuel without by-product recovery.
4. Machine peat in by-product recovery producers.
5. Machine peat in standard by-product ovens used for coking.

Each one of these methods will be explained in detail in another article.

Plans Outlined For Boy and Girl Clubs

YOUNGSTERS WILL COMPETE IN RAISING CALVES, POULTRY SHEEP, POTATOES

A meeting of county club leaders was held at the school of agriculture in Crookston last Thursday to outline plans for boys' and girls' club work in the Northwest this coming season.

Pennington county will have four clubs enrolled in the state contest this year namely, dairy calf, poultry, potato and sheep.

All boys and girls between the ages of 10 to 18 years, inclusive, may enroll in any of these clubs.

The requirements for each club is explained in the following paragraphs:

Each member must own one grade or purebred heifer of one of the dairy breeds and feed and care for it during the period of the contest.

Each member must keep a complete record of all operations involved in feeding, care and management of the calf on forms that will be provided for each member.

Each member must show his calf, heifer or cow at the club show that will be held at the close of each year's project.

Each member must agree to study the instructions sent him from the state university agricultural extension division and to send the completed reports to the local leader at the close of the contest.

A more extended outline of the year's work will be given at a later date. Any further information may be obtained from County Agent J. J. McCann and any boy or girl who wishes to enroll in any of these clubs should send in their names immediately so that the list can be sent down to the state department.

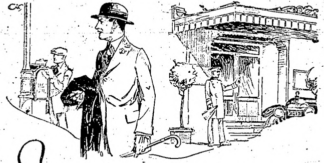

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YOUR ATTITUDE APPRECIATED

Unless there is a slip in the program somewhere The Times expects to issue from its own printing house within two weeks. Since the destruction of the plant by fire on January 25 the paper has been printed under difficulties that none but a newspaper man understands. The copy has been prepared in Thief River Falls as usual while the crew performed the mechanical work at the plant of the Gazette at Red Lake Falls. The towns are twenty miles apart and close co-operation has been impossible, although both departments have tried by every means in their power to keep the paper somewhere near its former standard.

The publishers realize fully that the service has not been what the patrons have a right to expect, but our position has been understood and everyone has made due allowances. The news columns have fallen below par, advertisements have been cut in size and sometimes left out entirely. Country correspondence has been shamefully neglected. Through it all, however, subscribers and business men have stood by the paper. For this we can at the present time only express our thanks. It proves that all realize the handicap under which we have tried to conduct the business and that they have been willing to overlook many things for which there would under ordinary circumstances be no excuse.

Messrs. Christie & Cutten, publishers of the Gazette at Red Lake Falls, have at all times displayed a true brotherly spirit. Saddling a paper the size of The Times onto their plant has put them to a great deal of inconvience but they have shared annoyances with us and put themselves out in many ways in order that our service might not entirely be demoralized. They are fine neighbors and live up to the best traditions of the craft.

When The Times is again in its own home it will have the finest printing plant in this section—even better than the one destroyed, which is saying a good deal. The very latest in the way of type and machinery has been secured and we will be in better position than ever before to meet the steadily growing requirements of the section.

It has been a season of disappointments and annoyances, but it is happily nearing an end.

THE INTERCHURCH MOVEMENT

In 2000 counties in the United States the pastors and laymen of 30 great church denominations will meet in conference this month. The occasion will be one of the most important in which the church in America has ever engaged. According to the announcement in another column of The Times today, "It is the kind of conference that generals hold before a critical engagement; that business men hold before entering a new market. A conference of judgment, not emotion; a clear-eyed facing of the facts."

The plan includes the grouping of all missionary, educational and philanthropic organizations within the several communities or denominations and of allied interdenominational agencies.

Among thinking men of the deepest religious convictions there has long been a feeling that much of the effort expended by the churches has been misdirected. Denominations differing but slightly in outward formalities and not at all in essential principles have entered the same field of action with the result that the expenses have been doubled and confusion planted where there should have been singleness of purpose and economy in administration.

The World Movement aims to do away with all this. In simple terms the Movement provides opportunities for its co-operating constituents to conduct their informational and financial propaganda annually at the same time, while the work generally has the following purpose and scope:

"To present a unified program of Christian service and to unite the evangelical churches of North America in the performance of their common task, thus making available the values of spiritual power which comes from unity and co-ordinated Christian effort in meeting the unique opportunities of the new era."

WEALTH IN PEAT LANDS

What has always been regarded as an annoying and valueless nuisance by the people of northern Minnesota may yet turn out to be one of their main sources of wealth. Should the experiments now being carried on with a view to discovering a practical means of converting peat into fuel meet with success—and there is every indication that such will be the result—the one drawback to our rapid advancement industrially will have been removed.

Peat is one of nature's wonder products. Its possibilities are as great as those of coal. In fact the product is composed of almost exactly the same elements as coal but lacks the age of the latter and has not been subjected to as great a pressure. That it contains substances of great commercial value has long been known, but outside of a few experiments conducted under government supervision no efforts have been made to convert it into a merchantable article. Such attempts will now be made, states and private concerns having awakened to the importance of the matter.

In another column of this issue of The Times will be found an article on this subject by H. W. Prozeller of this city, general manager of the Minnesota Northwestern railway. Mr. Protzeller has given much study to peat development and has arrived at the same conclusion as all others who have taken the trouble to look into the matter. While he realizes that the fuel feature of peat is perhaps the most important to the country in a general way, he finds that the byproducts and derivatives furnish a much more interesting field for study and experiment. As a result of his own investigations and a careful perusal of the government's reports he is of the opinion that these byproducts would more than pay the entire cost of mining and preparing peat for fuel, leaving the latter item as clear profit.

H. W. Richardson of Duluth, is another Minnesota man who has devoted much time to the study of this subject. His conclusions are substantially the same as those of Mr. Protzeller, although he stresses particularly the fuel feature. Mr. Richardson's investigations have been confined almost entirely to the pitch or timber peat found in the northeastern portion of the state, while Mr. Protzeller has studied the prairie or bog peat. The substance in both instances is the same, any deviation in composition being due to differences in the length of time the matter has been submerged. The Times will publish an article by Mr. Richardson in an early issue.

The people of the Northwest, and particularly the business men, cannot devote their attention to a more important subject or one that promises greater returns. The possibilities held out for the solving of the fuel problem is in itself sufficiently attractive to call forth the best efforts of chemists and investigators as well as insure the most liberal support in a financial way from state and nation.

FOR A SENSIBLE PROGRAM

The Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy commission has made a good beginning. It is only a short time since the personnel of the board was announced but meetings have already been held with a view to getting the work started without delay. The board is composed of capable and progressive men who will devote their best efforts toward the solving of the most important question now confronting northern Minnesota.

Much drainage work has already been done in this section and the results have undoubtedly warranted the expense. There is no getting away from the fact, however, that a more comprehensive program at the outset would have saved a great deal of money and time. It is now the intention to go at the problem right and from the only direction in which it can be approached with any hope of its ever being satisfactorily solved.

The one point around which the success of any drainage problem hinges is the outlet. It makes no difference how many ditches are dug nor how well these are constructed if no proper provision is made for getting rid of the water finally. To dain one man's farm or a township of land only to run the surplus water onto another farm or township is not going to improve matters to any great extent. That this has been done cannot be denied and the reason has been that the ditch outlet has not been properly taken into consideration.

The natural drainage artery for this section of the state is the Red Lake river. Eventually the discharge from all ditches will have to find its way to that stream. This is the first thing to bear in mind, and the commission has started out with that idea fully realized. For this reason the success of the entire undertaking is dependent upon the improvement of the Red Lake river. The stream must be deepened and straightened before it can be expected to take care of all the water that will be converted towards it—in fact this is the first essential consideration connected with the whole proceeding. There is every hope that this work will be speedily entered upon. The survey has been made and the cost apportioned. The distribution is deemed equitable and no serious objection is anticipated from any of the interests affected.

It has taken years of patient toil to arrive at this point. Now every interest in any way involved seems willing and anxious that the work shall proceed. Congressman Steenerson holds out the hope that congress will act favorably on a bill introduced by him and covering the entire project, including control works at the head of the stream. The reclaiming and conserving of a vast section of the finest agricultural land in the United States is nearer realization now than at any time during the twenty years that the necessity for it has been agitated.

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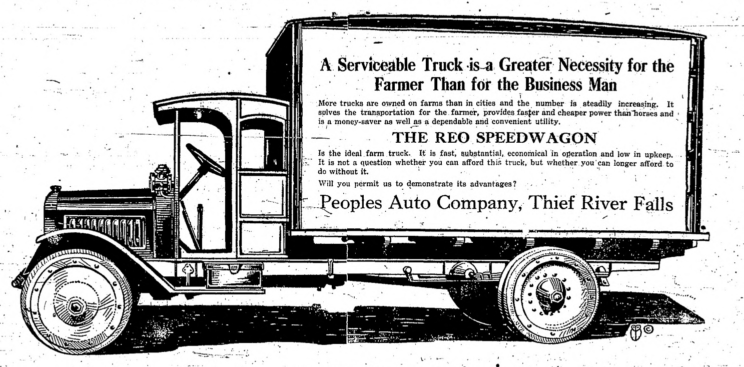

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Local Notes

Harry Warner returned to his home in Holt Monday morning after a brief visit in this city.

Miss Olga Nettum returned here on Monday morning from her home in Crookston, where she spent Easter.

H. L. Fageley returned to his home in St. Paul on Monday morning after visiting over Easter with friends in this city.

Mrs. Henry Hoard left on Monday morning for Holt where she will spend a brief period visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager left on Saturday for Plummer to visit over Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Lanager.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer, who spent a week visiting at her home in Grand Forks, returned to this city on Saturday morning.

Miss Francis Culver, who teaches near Gonvick, spent the Easter holidays in this city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hal Stanton.

Miss Carrie Ryan returned to her school duties in Holt on Monday morning after a brief vacation spent with relatives in this city.

Miss A. Viola Neper of [illegible]ashwauk, who formerly taught in this city, spent her Easter vacation here as the guest of Miss Carrie Trogan.

Mrs. L. L. Cohn and little daughter, returned on Monday morning from Crookston, where they spent Easter visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela returned to her home in Crookston on Saturday after a brief visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Phelps, in this city.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left on Monday morning for Warroad to attend the International Church World District convention, as a member of the team.

Miss Mable Sathre visited with friends and relatives in this city on Monday morning enroute to Middle River where she teaches in the public school.

Miss Olga Lindquist of St. Hilaire visited with friends in this city between trains on Monday enroute to Moorhead where she is a student at the normal school.

Theo. Hunt, city salesman for the Thief River Grocery company, returned to this city on Monday morning from Red Lake, Falls where he visited over Easter.

Miss Minnie Johnson, instructor in the public school in this city, returned on Saturday evening from Minneapolis where she spent a period of a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Elofson of Newfolden arrived on Saturday evening and will spend a few days as a guest at the homes of her sisters, Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom and Mrs. Lawson.

R. J. Lawson arrived on Wednesday evening from Minneapolis to make his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lawson, who recently removed to this city from Grove City.

Miss Eleanor Miller, assistant cashier of a bank at Fordville, N. D., spent the week-end at the home of her mother in this city. She returned to her duties on Monday morning.

Miss Madeline Thill left on Thursday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to visit for a few days.

L. T. Rank who has been a guest at the C. M. Wilson home in this city, returned to Dover on Tuesday evening.

Edward Kiland returned to his home here after visiting for a week with his friend, Purl Anderson at Greenbush.

Miss Margaret Murray returned on Saturday evening from her home in Duluth, where she visited during the spring vacation.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, who spent Easter with relatives in Grand Forks, returned to this city Monday morning via the Soo.

Miss Alvina Mireault of Red Lake Falls arrived on Thursday morning and will be employed at the Oak Park sanatorium.

George Borden returned to Brooks on Monday morning having spent Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop in this city.

Elnor Overland, who visited for a week at his home in this city, returned to Northfield, where he is attending St. Olaf college, on Tuesday evening.

Scott Laird returned Saturday morning from Winona, accompanied by his father-in-law, G. C. Geise, who will be a guest at the Laird home for a few days.

James Prichard returned to Minneapolis the first of the week after a week's vacation spent at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Miss Mable Johnson, who spent her spring vacation at her home in Bemidji, returned here on Saturday evening to resume her duties in the Washington school.

Miss Alice Peterson returned to Warren where she is instructor in the high school, after a brief vacation spent in this city at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson.

Miss Olive Booren returned to Minot, N. D., where she is instructor of domestic science, the first of the week, after visiting for a week at the H. F. and Dr. G. W. Booren homes in this city.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis where she will visit for a few days. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Miriam, who was a guest of her parents during the spring vacation.

Misses Lucile Burns and Margaret Smith, who has been her guest, left on Monday evening for Lake Park, where they will resume their duties in the public school. While here they visited at the home of the former.

Miss Erma Thompson, who has been a guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Matson, for a few days, left Thursday afternoon for her home at Crookston. She was accompanied by Mrs. Matson and baby who will visit with relatives for a short period.

Mrs. Irene Miller, who has remained in this city the past winter at the homes of her daughters, Mrs. W. H. Kline and Mrs. J. A. Wassgren, left on Friday afternoon for her home in Spokane, Wash. Enroute she will stop at Crookston where she will visit with relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Bertha Giller spent Easter at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Goodman in St. Paul, returning to this city the first of the week.

Mrs. James Farr, Jr., and young son left on Thursday afternoon for their new home in Crookston. Mr. Farr preceded them a few weeks ago.

Mrs. C. G. Matson, and baby left on Thursday afternoon for Crookston where they spent Easter at the home of the former's parents.

Mrs. J. A. Duffy and daughter, Meryl, returned to their home in Red Lake Falls Thursday last week, coming here in the morning to engage in shopping.

Mrs. Henry Erickson and son left on Friday evening for Mahnomen where they were called because of the serious condition of the former's father, who has been ill for some time.

Miss Agnes Bakke left last week for Washington, D. C., where she will be employed. Miss Bakke, previous to her departure for the East was employed as bookkeeper for some large concern in Fargo.

Miss Vivian Johnson of Middle River arrived here on Thursday afternoon and visited with Miss Ruth Sandstrom until flyer time when she left for Plummer to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Preston for a few days.

Friends of Miss Lottie Elg, a former resident of this city, have received the communication that she is seriously ill with pneumonia at the sanatorium at Dunseth, N. D., where she has been employed as stenographer for a number of years.

County Made Record in Xmas Seal Sales

TOTAL REALIZED WAS $381.83, EARNING SEVENTH PLACE IN NORTH

The report of Miss Eva K. McCarry, state director of Christmas seal sales, shows that the people of Minnesota invested $144,288.34 in better health insurance through the medium of these little helpers.

Pennington county's record is one of the best in the state. In the list of 15 northern counties Pennington stands seventh with a total of $381.83. Beltrami county is the leader in this division, $1,301.28 being raised there. The others topping Pennington are: Becker, Koochiching, Norman, Ottertail and Polk. The counties not coming up to the Pennington record are Clay, Cass, Clearwater, Kittson, Mahnomen, Marshall, Roseau and Red Lake. The per capita sales are not given but it is certain that the county leads in this respect. following are the figures: Becker, $464.51; Beltrami, $1,301.28; Cass, $233.75; Clay, $179.79; Clearwater, $204.11; Kittson, $105.50; Koochiching, $561.16; Mahnomen, $119.94; Marshall, $253.60; Norman, $470.20; Ottertail, $903.35; Pennington, $281.83; Polk, $591.02; Roseau, $187.49; Red Lake, $124.49.

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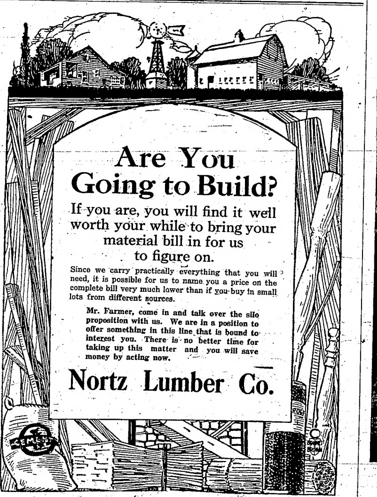

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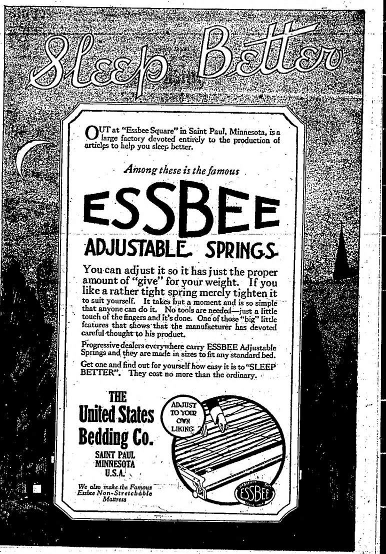

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ROSEWOOD

Helquist-Anderson.

Wedding bells are ringing merrily throughout the community again. This time their merry chimes brot joy and happiness to two of our most popular young folks, Miss Marie Helquist and Mr. Emil Anderson, who were quietly married at the home of a brother to the bride, C. E. Helquist at Thief River Falls last Saturday afternoon with only the most intimate relatives present. Hannah and Emil Helquist, a brother and sister to the bride, acted as bridesmaid and best man. Rev. George Larson of the Zion Lutheran church performed the ceremony. The newlyweds will make their future home on the groom's beautiful farm adjoining this town on the east, and the entire community joins in extending to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson all the joys of a happy married union.

Miss Mabel Sjolsvold and Miss Clara Nelson left last Thursday evening for Minneapolis where they expect to be employed the coming summer.

Miss Olga Thoreson left on Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with friends at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Carl Mellem returned home on Saturday evening from Warren where she had been to attend the market days, and to visit with her mother, Mrs. O. M. Holson.

Miss Marie Helquist, who has been staying at her brother's home, C. E. Helquist at Thief River Falls the last two weeks, came home on Wednesday morning for a brief visit with her folks.

Rev. Geo. Larson arrived from Thief River Falls on Thursday morning to conduct the ladies aid meeting of the Rindal church which was held that day at the home of Mrs. John Rafteseth.

The Rosewood shipping association will ship stock from this place on Saturday, April 17. This will be the first shipment by the new manager, Adolph Haugen.

O. A. Flann of Thief River Falls spent last week at this place to attend some real estate affairs. Mr. Flann recently purchased 40 acres of land in section 26, formerly owned by K. Solbeck.

Mrs. Ingeborg Onstad of Fargo, arrived last Saturday morning for a week's visit at the Even Anderson home and with other friends.

The following spent Monday evening at Thief River Falls to attend the play: "An Evening in Japan," at the auditorium: Axel and Annie Blom, Lester Holmes, Olof Lappegaard and Joel Shoberg.

Miss Laura Hall of this place and Melvin Pederson of Thief River Falls were quietly married at Warren the first part of last week. They left immediately for North Dakota where they will be employed during the summer, expecting later to return to Thief River Falls where the groom has his home.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, spent two days the middle of this week visiting at the John Helquist home north of town.

Emil Anderson and Thomas Thoreson spent Thursday at Warren attending to matters of business.

Marven and Garfield Benson of Thief River Falls spent the week-end visiting with the L. L. Furan young folks at this place.

Misses Norma Eide and Isabelle Sagmoen returned on Wednesday morning from Thief River Falls, where they have been visiting with friends for some time.

Renie Werner of Holt was in town last Wednesday on his way to Warren, where he was attending a meeting of protest against the proposed enlargement of Thief river, which, according to the adjoining farmers' viewpoint would involve more expenses than the amount of benefits.

E. M. Bennes of the Lincoln Life Insurance company, was in town last Thursday on business in connection with the Farmers State bank.

Mrs. A. C. Vorseth has been confined to her bed with sickness the last week.

Matt Rafteseth returned home from Thief River Falls last Thursday with his new Ford which he purchased this spring.

J. S. Benson of Viking was in town last Saturday delivering a Ford Touring car to B. Ranum.

Alfred and Adolph Rafteseth came home from Mahnomen last Tuesday where they had been to purchase a team of horses for their farm north of town.

Ed. O'Hara left Saturday morning for Warren where he will attend to business.

Miss Hannah Helquist left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls where she will be the guest of her brother, C. E. Helquist, over Sunday.

Miss Laura Kron, teacher at Willowdale school, spent Good Friday visiting with friends and shopping at Thief River Falls.

A closing day program and social will be given at the Willowdale school next Friday evening, April 9.

Miss Emma Sorenson, who has been employed at Thief River Falls this winter, came home for a stay with her mother last Wednesday.

Alfred Rafteseth, who has spent a week's vacation with his parents at this place, will leave on Monday evening for Mahnomen to resume his dredging work.

[illegible] [illegible] purchased a half acre of land from B. P. Sagmoen in the eastern part of this town and will erect a small house thereon to be used as a shop when laboring near the place.

Thom Holten returned last week from Dennison, where he had spent three weeks visiting with his mother, who has been sick.

Miss Lilly Axelson arrived from Viking last Friday and will be the guest with Misses Myrtle and Carrie Nelson over Easter.

Miss Minnie Bergland left last Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where she visited during Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Thom Holten and youngest daughter spent Easter at Viking visiting with friends.

The following were pleasantly entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blom on Easter: John Blom and daughter, Miss Anna, Ole and Norman Uleand, Joel Shoberg, Theodore, Goodwin and Edelin Holten.

ST. HILAIRE

Miss Olga Lindquist, who is attending the Moorhead normal school, arrived last Saturday for a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist.

Miss Alice Fricker left last Wednesday to spend her Easter vacation with her sister, Miss Esther, who is teaching school at Prosper, N. D.

The Women's club was entertained by Miss Mabel Patterson at her home Tuesday evening, March 30.

Miss Huldah Gigstad left Friday evening for Moorhead, where she is teaching in the public school, after spending a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Sigurd Vik and his sister, Anna, left Thursday for Grand Forks to seek medical aid.

Joe Laplante, Jr., and Mrs. Joe Laplante, Sr., left Thursday for Crookston after having spent a few days at the Hans Wilson home.

Mrs. J. Sieff and children came Friday forming from Red Lake Falls to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson.

Mrs. Glen Martz, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. B. E. Burkee, left Friday evening via the Soo, Thief River Falls, for Litchfield, Minn., where she will make her home.

Miss Ethel Anderson came Friday evening from Thief River Falls to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson.

Albin Adolphson left for Crookston Saturday evening after spending a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Brink and other relatives.

Paul Poetz and son arrived Saturday morning from St. Peter with a carload of stock and machinery, and are busy moving out to their farm four miles south of here.

Miss Agnes Shaffer and sister, Eva, came Saturday evening from Thief River Falls to spend Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Huddelson.

Mrs. Rev. Nelson and daughter, Gunhild, shopped and visited in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Holmstrom left Saturday for Detroit, Minn., after spending two weeks at her parental home.

Mrs. C. Swanson entertained the ladies aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindahl came Saturday from Roseau to visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Joe Laplante, Jr., and baby, left Monday for Crookston after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson.

Miss Florence Lane of Thief River Falls spent Sunday with Miss Louise Wilson.

Miss Scott and Miss Borgebakken arrived Monday morning after spending a few days at their parental homes.

Rev. C. M. Grimsrud left Monday evenng for Grand Forks, N. D., to visit with Mrs. Grimsrud, who underwent an operation about a week ago.

Mr. Johnson and Miss Goodman arrived Monday evening via the Soo, Thief River Falls, after spending Easter at their homes in Hallock.

Miss Ethel Keller left Saturday for Wylie, where she is teaching school, having spent two weeks at her parental home.

MAVIE

Follow the latest fad and go horseback riding or get your boat.

Miss Leona Horton and Kelley Horton visited at the Ed Kotlan home one day last week. They came on horse back.

Mr. Linburg went to Mavie on horse back last Tuesday to transact business.

Miss Anna Horton, with her gray horse, called at the Horton family Thursday evening.

Charley Ptacek went to Thief River Falls Easter Sunday to visit with his sisters, Mamie and Emma.

Miss Agnes Lendobja returned to Thief River Falls one day last week to resume her duties at the sewing school.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan, Jr., and Miss Anna Kotlan visited with their parents, and sister, Mrs. Jack Houfek, Easter Sunday.

Daiv Gaven transacted business in Mavie last Saturday.

Misses Rose and Clara Oski, who have been visiting at their home during Easter vacation, resumed their duties at the Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls last Monday.

Charles and Louis Stein returned from Texas last week where they had spent the winter visiting with their sister, Mrs. J. Wayne. They also took a trip through Mexico before returning home.

Ben Levos was a business caller in Mavie last Saturday.

Andrew Kotlan visited at the Horton home Sunday.

Miss Anna Hincek returned to Thief River Falls after spending her Easter vacation at home. She is attending high school.

S. Stenberg and John Banner visited at the Edward Kotlan home on Easter Sunday.

The Fuller brothers are busy preparing things on their farm and preparing for spring work.

Misses Anna Kotlan and Leona Horton attended the Legion dance at Thief River Falls last Monday night.

Card of Thanks.

Rev. and Mrs. O. J. Lundell wish to heartily thank their many friends for the pleasant surprise and liberal donations given them last Monday evening.

Employed in North Dakota.

Ernest H. Johnson of Wylie, who since his return from the army has been working in the supply department of the Grand Forks Herald, has entered the employ of Bovey, Shute & Jackson, a large corporation in the lumber and implement trade. Mr. Johnson will be stationed at the branch in Zahle, N. D.

Overland Five-Passenger
Touring Car
$390

In good condition, four new tires, new storage battery and the motor in first-class condition.

Pullman Lightweight Truck $750
Good as new and is worth $1400

12-25 Avery Tractor $395
Skcond-hand, in good running order.

These are exceptional bargains and offered only for cash deals and immediate sale to make room for fnrther shipments of new BRISCOE cars and additional tractors, which will soon be here.

C. Gustafson & Son

NOW IS THE TIME TO HAVE THAT JOB PRINTING DONE

Quick Action Corn Cure

"Gets-It" Stops Pain Instantly and Corn Soon Lifts Right Off.

A few drops of "Gets-It" quenches corn pains like water quenches fire. Gives you immediate relief.

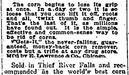

The corn begins to lose its grip at once. In a day or two it is so loose that you can lift it off, roots and all, 'twixt thumb and finger. That's the last of it, as millions have found out. It is the simple, effective and common-sense way to be rid of corns.

"Gets-It," the never-failing, guaranteed, money-back corn remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mf'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by
J. P. CURTIS
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE
ANDREW BOTTELSON

The Man Who Milks the Cows

down on the dairy farm where our milk comes from is clean and perfectly healthy, or he doesn't get the job. Same with all other help. So you can drink our milk with confidence. It is healthy milk as well as rich. Try it for a while and note the difference.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

This Store is Headquarters For Men's Goods of Admitted Superiority

The lines we carry are nationally known as the best to be had in men's and boys' wearing apparel. The reputation of these goods is sufficient guarantee of their excellence, but a guarantee is in every case added

Stein-Bloch
Smart Clothes

For style, fit, workmanship and quality in general, no house in the country turns out more satisfactory garments than Stein-Bloch. Something is put into these garments that others lack and which makes them distinctive. There is individuality in every line.

The Mallory Hat

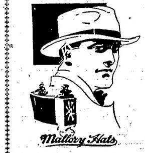

No more popular line is offered to the public. The styles for spring are now on display and add to the reputation for distinctiveness enjoyed by this famous house

BOSTONIANS
Famous Shoes for Men
Ask the Man Who Wore a Pair

WILSON BROTHERS SHIRTS

Our Boys' Department

Here we are prepared to meet every demand. Our stock comprises such well known makes as Best-Ever Clothes, Black Cat Stockings, guaranteed fast color, Kreider's Shoes

Charles Lieberman
Thief River Falls

The Stein-Bloch Co.

Concert by Blind Pianist.

Envoy Walter Jeffries, the blind evangelist, will visit the local corps of the Salvation Army on Wednesday, April 14. The envoy lost his sight when he was 7 years old, receiving his education at a school for the blind. He learned to play the piano and became an artist. Through the assistance of others his voice was trained and he became a remarkable singer, being engaged for concert work by one of the leading opera companies of the country. Through the instrumentality of the Salvation Army he was converted and has since employed his wonderful gifts in furthering the work of that organization.

No admission charge will be made but a free-will offering will be taken up to help defray expenses.

ESPLEE

Mrs. Will Chapman and son, Erwin, attended the sale at Penney's farm near Jelle.

Wilhma Sund returned to Thief River Falls on Saturday where she is attending high school.

Mathilda Olson and Anna Strand vsited at the East Esplee school on Wednesday.

L. O. Opsata called on Sver Siverson on Saturday.

Lillian Anderson of Jelle, enroute to Thief River Falls, was a caller in Esplee on Saturday.

Ole Finsand, E. T. Edwin and Jacob Anderson returned from Warren on Friday where they had been attending to business matters.

Pete Carlson attended the sale at Geo. Carlson's farm near Thorhult last week.

Will Chapman is busy hauling hay these days.

The water in ditch 20 which was threatening to overflow and cause another flood, has gone down considerably and if we don't get too much rain think we will live on dry land once more.

Emil Englund, who has been spending about a week with his folks here, left for work on Tuesday.

John Hornstine returned home Saturday after about a week's absence.

Conrad J. Sund spent Easter at his home, returning to his school duties Sunday evening.

Mrs. Will Chapman and daughter, Olive, visited with friends in Grygla Thursday.

Mrs. R. E. Luttrell left for Grygla to spend Good Friday and Easter with her husband.

Mr. Fiskevold was a caller in Esplee Saturday.

Ruth Anderson visited at the home of O. H. Olson over Wednesday and Thursday.

Conrad Sund made a business trip to Grygla on Saturday.

Ervin Chapman called on L. J. Tenold last Friday.

Will Chapman has purchased an Avery tractor.

Warren Lewis went to Grygla on Saturday.

Ed. Martinson was an Esplee caller last Saturday.

John Sund visited at his home over Saturday and Sunday.

Paul P. Sund made a business trip to Goodridge Saturday.

Peter Strand left for Duluth last week.

Anna Strand is leaving on Monday for Thief River Falls where she will do office work.

Theo. Rolfstod is spending a week at the home of L. J. Tenold.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hendrickson and two sons, left for French River, Minn., last week where they will reside for the present time as Mr. Hendrickson is still uncertain just what he will do.

Albert Anvinson of Jelle, enroute to Goodridge, was a caller in town last Monday.

Otto and Willie Reisow made a business trip to Grygla last Monday.

F. E. Magnuson went to Goodridge last Monday.

Basil Ballou called on friends in Esplee on Monday.

There was a meeting held at the home of P. P. Sund last Monday.

F. E. Magnuson had the misfortune of breaking a wheel of his wagon while enroute to Goodridge, but managed to get it fixed so he could make the trip O. K.

M. K. Woldstad called on friends in Esplee last Monday.

ERIE

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Komplien on March 23rd, a fine baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bye are the parents of boy twins, born March 23rd.

Miss Thelma Hovet is quite ill. A doctor from Thief River Falls was called on Sunday who said she has a slight touch of pneumonia.

The Erie ladies aid met with Mrs. Hans Fjeld on Wednesday afternoon. The Eastern Star aid will meet with Mrs. Knute Roysland on Wednesday of next week.

The social which was given in the Clover Nook school, taught by Miss Tillie Thompson, was not very well attended owing to the bad condition of the roads. However, the program was good and those who did attend had a nice time.

Ludvick Johnson and Henry Dahlen motored to Thief River Falls on Monday in the former's Ford. They were accompanied by H. C. and Iver Iverson who left for the mining regions to seek employment.

The Tharaldson family and Mrs. O. K. Lien were pleasant callers at the Hovet home on Sunday.

Sakaris Hole is busy canning meat these days.

Mrs. Henry Hanson of Barnesville is here for an indefinite stay with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hans Svaare.

Ed. Torgerson invested in a fine grade cow at the Andrew Nelson sale.

Fred Iverson was a caller in S. E. Star a few days ago.

Tillie Thompson spent Easter with her parents near Kratka.

Eddie Arveson is to have a sale soon. Eddie, with his family, plan on moving to Dakota in the near future.

Elvin Bammerud of Rhoda has been staying with the Gust Iverson family for some time. While here he was busy hauling logs to the saw mill.

Saturday Is Boys' Day at This Store

OUTFITTING the boy is a serious problem with most families these days. Like everything else, the things the lad and boy most need have gone up in price and great care must be exercised in making purchases if one is to get value received.

Realizing these things we have taken special pains in making selections for the spring and summer. These selections will be placed on display for the boys' special benefit on

Saturday, April 10

THE new arrivals in Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, Socks, Underwear, Blouses, Shirts and everything a boy needs, will be shown, the boys themselves being particularly invited to be present. Parents will be made welcome also.

A Free Souvenir
From 10 to 12 o'clock

EVERY boy who visits our store between these hours will be given an appropriate souvenir as a remembrance of the first day ever set aside by a clothing house in Thief River Falls for his particular benefit.

The Invitation is General and Boys From City or Country Will Be Made Welcome

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS
ALBERT S. LIEBERMAN

STEINER

Mrs. John Reidl, living one mile north of this place, died last Thursday night. She was taken to Thief River Falls on the train Friday for burial. Deceased was one of the pioneers of this section.

J. A. Russell transacted business at Thief River Falls last week.

School was delayed here last week on account of so much water in the roads and ditches.

Mable and Jessie Rogers have been spending their Easter vacations at home this week after which they will return to their school work in Thief River Falls.

Vivian Copp returned home the past week from St. Paul, where she had been attending school.

G. L. Leisner returned to take possession of his store and farm which he had leased the past winter. He spent most of the winter in sunny Cuba combining business with pleasure. He sold his sugar plantation while there.

Henry Rogers and his dad transacted business in Holt last Tuesday between trains.

Lewis Meyer was a business caller in Steiner last week.

Willis Warring carried a sack of flour home the other day. He said the way the roads were this was the surest way to get it home.

Word has been received that H. G. Borden is settled in his new home near Vancouver and is well pleased with the change.

An Easter program given by the Steiner Sunday school, April 4 was well attended. Missionary LaRoe gave an Easter sermon.

Bargains in City Property.

As I am leaving the city I will dispose of all my holdings at a bargain Included is a modern house and several others. Prices from $500 and up O. A. Westin, Scandia Block. 66p

OLD AND NEW BATTLE NAMES

Hard to Bestow Appropriate Appellations Upon Conflicts Having Wide Fronts.

There seems to have been little trouble in the past in naming battles, although even Waterloo is called Quatre Bras by the French. But on the whole a name seems to have attached itself to a battle quite naturally, like Blenheim, Talavera, Jena, Leipzig, the Nile and Trafalgar.

But in the great war, where a battle extended over weeks of time over a forty-mile front, including many villages, and sometimes several objectives in the shape of big towns, the difficulty of naming a battle with a name that is universally recognized is extreme.

The names which have actually settled down completely and taken their places in history are the battle of the Marne, the two battles of Ypres, the battle of Verdun, the battle of the Bight, the battle of Jutland, the battle of the Somme, and that seems almost all.

The battles of the later phases of the war have hardly settled down to a name yet. Probably the battle in which the Vimy ridge was stormed will be known as Arras; but the battle of Messines will probably be a sticker, just as the Chemin des Dames will live in French annals for all times.

Perhaps the great battle which at the time seemed disastrous to British arms, commencing on March 21, 1918, will go down to history as the battle of Amiens, while the battle of Cambrai may stand for all that heroic recovery which brought the British to *their final victory.*

NAME GUNS BETSY AND ELSIE

Yankee Artillery at the Front Follow Gallant Custom of French Cannoneers.

Following a gallant custom of the French artillery, the boys of Battery B in one of our own F. A. regiments, decided to name their guns after those whom they considered the outstanding figures among the patriotic women of American history.

Many were named but two were chosen. The first, according to Stars and Stripes, France, was Betsy Ross, who, in her little house in Philadelphia, made for General Washington the first American flag. The second was Elsie Janis, who, in the little huts of France, made the first hit of the A. E. F.

"These guns are of the railway artillery," the captain says, "and among the most powerful in France, and the names selected are now painted on the carriages, where they will be constant inspiration in the future, and, we hope, a credit to their namesakes."

One of these two namesakes, who probably never thought of herself as a figure in American history at all, is just back from a tour of the front where she had a good many thrills, including the thrill of finding her name in divisional general orders.

There she delighted one of the bands by turning drum major throughout a long march, cheered up some young German prisoners by talking to them in their own tongue, and came away much pleased by the news that Elsie Janis II had just raised merry h— with a German machine gun emplacement.

WEARIED OF CONSTANT BRAY

Spaniards Make Offer to Exchange Mules for Something That Has More Musical Sound.

A little while ago it was reputed that the army mule in France, invaluable for transport, was making himself obnoxious by his propensity to bray when in close proximity to the enemy. And now, according to advices received by the National Piano Manufacturers' association, the Spaniards are anxious to dispose of their mules to us and to obtain in return pianos and other musical instruments.

Evidently what Wordsworth calls "the hard, dry see-saw of his horrible bray" is no better relished by the esthetic consciousness of the Iberians than by the valorous gentlemen of France. It is doubtful whether even an implacable futurist in music like Leo Ornstein or Arnold Schoenberg derives genuine satisfaction from the student cantatas and blatant oratorios of the mule. Some cynics have detected a resemblance between the voice of the bagpipe and the mule's spontaneous lyricism, but this is a libel.

With patience one can detect a definite melody in the Scotch pibrochs and strathspeys, whereas mule music like the world in the making, is without form and void. As long as Spain is not at war she can afford to dance the fandango and play the mandolin. When by the logic of events she is swept out of her neutrality into belligerency and has to haul cannon and wagons, she will wish she had the mule.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Mascagni and the War.

Pietro Mascagni, the celebrated composer, once told how the opening chorus of "Cavaleria" was composed on the night of February 3, 1880, when his first child was born. That son, Mimi, is now, or was recently, driving a motor-truck for the Italian army; and a second boy, Dino, became a private in the engineer corps, blowing up Austrian barbed-wire barricades. On a visit to the young soldiers Mascagni saw his first battle.

"This is indeed music," he wrote. "It seems as if all the big drums in my orchestra had been multiplied by a million and suddenly gone mad."

The composer gave open-air concerts in the trenches, on one occasion attended by the king of Italy, and he set himself at work on a great patriotic symphony, designed to be a musical apotheosis of Italy's "war of redemption."

Mine Wrecks Garden.

While sitting on the back porch of her home, Mrs. William Dolmetsch of the 700 block, on North Bromley avenue, Scranton, Pa., saw the rear portion of the yard sink into a mine working, exposing numerous mine props, while a short distance away a similar settling exposed men at work in the mines. In each case the gardens have dropped about 15 feet. The home of Matthew Scott has escaped damage, but the earth on all sides has sunk, making the residence appear as though on an island.

Few streets in the city are suffering worse damage from mine caves than Bromley avenue. Gardens, posts, trees and sidewalks have fallen in.

She Knew Him Best.

It was an after-supper party on the porch.

For days on just such occasions, Oldman Cabon had been making sour remarks regarding the money the administration is spending to remain sane and conduct a war at the same time. Sometimes Oldman C. brought out a little hammer and rapped on the porch swing.

"I wish I wuz in Washington where I could take a rap attum," he said, "I'd show them some things."

"You," piped his wife. "Oh, yes, you, who cannot even make our poodle dog behave."

Women Never Had Better Chances

Records of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., show that there are boundless opportunities for women in business, if properly trained. Within a few days, this school sent Miss Susie Walper to a $100 stenographic position with the Bankers Mortgage & Cattle Loan, Co., and Miss M. Edwards to the Merchants National Bank. Another D. B. C. graduate, Miss E. McDonald is with the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Minn.

"Follow the $ucce$$ful." Enter school for spring term beginning soon. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.—Adv.

OVERLOOKED!

I have sold some of my houses, but my best bargains have been overlooked.

If you want something for investment, look up what I have to offer in flats and duplexes. I can show you something worth while to investigate if you want good returns on your money. I also have a few houses left at a bargain. Rents have gone up but they will still go higher, so will the prices on houses.

The man who has not provided himself with a home is losing money every day. Investigate.

M. V. EVENSON

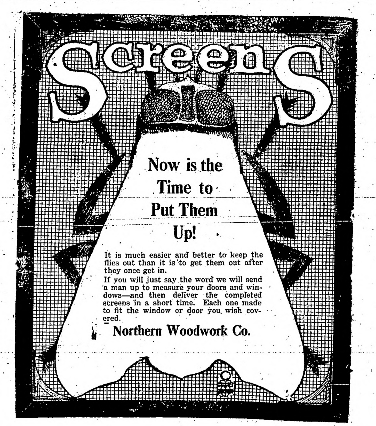

Now is the Time to Put Them Up!

It is much easier and better to keep the flies out than it is to get them out after they once get in.

If you will just say the word we will send a man up to measure your doors and windows—and then deliver the completed screens in a short time. Each one made to fit the window or door you wish covered.

Northern Woodwork Co.

You have no doubt admired some good job of painting but you probably never stopped to think that it was the Paint and not the work which pleased you.

Good Paints, such as we sell, not only look well, but cover more surface and last longer than ordinary Paints.

A few dollars invested in Patek's guaranteed paints will add hundreds to the value of your property. This is the right time to have this work done.

See us about that bill of lumber for your spring repairs.

The Prichard Co.

The
Patterson Hat

No chance for doubt dare exist if you wear a Patterson Hat It's quality is top notch and style supreme.

Ask your dealer for the PATTERSON.

T. W. Stevenson Co.
Minneapolis. *Distributers.* Minnesota.

FARM HORSES & HARNESS
For Sale

Schwartz & Johnson
Thief River Falls, Minn.

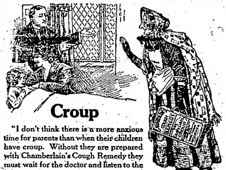

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health,—Granny Chamberlain

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of James O. Thorstad.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth Thorstad, Eddie Olai Thorstad, Gertie Adelia Janks, Bert Newell Thorstad, Jessie Marinius Thorstad, Gladys Florence Thorstad, Randelia Maria Thorstad, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Bert Newell Thorstad being duly filed in this court, representing that James O. Thorstad, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 1st day of January, 1920, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this Court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Bert Newell Thorstad: NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of April, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of March, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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STORM SEWER CONSTRUCTION.
Bids Close May 4th, 1920 at 2:00 P. M.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., until 2:00 P. M., on the 4th day of May, 1920, for the installation of storm sewer extensions in said City in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn.

The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

586 lineal feet of 8 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

3345 lineal feet of 12 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

950 lineal feet of 15 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

380 lineal feet of 18 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

423 lineal feet of 20 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

6684 lineal feet of trench 5'-7' deep.

21 manholes.

24 feet extra depth of manholes.

4 catch basins.

Tapping 10 present manholes and catch basins.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank in the amount of $1400.00 payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., and extra sets may be purchased from the Bradley Engineering Service, Weber Bldg., St. Cloud, Minn., at the rate of $5.00 per set.

The right is reserved by the City to reject any or all bids.

By order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
a8-15-22 City Clerk.

PAVING
Bids Close May 4th, 1920 at 2:00 P. M.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota until 2:00 P. M., on the 4th day of May, 1920, for the grading, curbing and paving of certain streets and avenues and the grading and paving of certain alleys in said city in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn.

The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

48,857 square yards of street pavement.

4800 square yards of alley pavement.

13,370 cubic yards of street excavation.

1500 cubic yards of alley excavation.

Adjusting present sewer appurtenances.

13,760 lineal feet of straight curb.

Removing present curb and gutter.

3606 square yards of brick gutter.

Furnishing and placing reinforcing steel.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., for the amount of $20,000.00, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Alternate bids will be received on Creosote Block, Brick, Bitulithic, and reinforced concrete pavement, concrete pavement and concrete base to be either pit run gravel, washed and screened sand and gravel or stone concrete according to the decision and opinion of the City Council.

The Council reserves the right to select different type of pavement for alleys than that which is selected for street and avenue paving.

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Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of Thief River Falls Times, Published Weekly at Thief River Falls, Minnesota for April 1, 1920.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared R. H. Ross, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Manager of the Thief River Falls Times and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of Aug. 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager are:

Publisher, Times Printing & Mfg. Co., Thief River Falls, Minn.

Editor, Thomas J. Austad, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Managing Editor, R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Business Manager, R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

2. That the owners are: Times Printing & Mfg. Co., R. H. Ross, G. W. Connell, Thomas J. Austad, George W. Werstlein, P. O. Myhrum, Dr. O. F. Mellby, H. J. Rustad, all of Thief River Falls, Minn., J. R. Brown, Little Rapids, Wis., P. W. Sharp Prtg. & Mfg. Co.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

R. H. ROSS,
Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of March, 1920.
(Seal) GEORGE W. WERSTLEIN,
My commission expires Oct. 22, 1926

Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 8½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—5-room house with 5 lots, with good wood shed.—338 Main Ave. N. Inquire C. Gustafson & Son. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good work horse, gentle, single driver. Will sell cheap if taken at once.—801 Main Ave. N. 62tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Red eggs from prize winning stock, $2.00 for 15 eggs. Also S. C. White Leghorns, $1.50 for 15 eggs. Place your order now.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. 1, Box 529, Thief River Falls, Minn. 66

FOR SALE—Ford Runabout, in good running order. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 63tf

$1000.00 EACH, HALF CASH, balance at 6 per cent takes SE¼ Sec. 3, Twp. 157, Rge. 37, and NW¼, Sec. 6, Twp. 157, Rge. 38—J. R. Addy, 5024-42d Av. S., Minneapolis, Minn. 66

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 66tf

FOR SALE—300 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull lots; West Side. Will be sold cheap. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—$1200.00 Case tractor, almost new. Will sell cheap—Address Times. 69p

FOR SALE—White Master cornet, King model. Practically new. Price reasonable if taken at once. Call phone 213.

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—House and 50-ft. lot on Conley Av. $500.00 takes it.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Sec. 17-154-41, 2½ miles northwest from Mavie. Price $5,000.00 $500.00 down, balance in five years.—Chas. Radtke, Nerstrand, Minn. 71p

FOR SALE—7-room house. Inquire 811 Knight Ave. N. 66

FOR SALE—5-room house with 5 lots, with good wood shed, 338 Merriam Ave. N. Inquire of Fred Brandvold at C. Gustafson & Son. 68tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberries, $3.00 per 100. Call for plants at planting time upstairs over Palace Clothing Store, Miss Alvina Lautenbach. 62tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 320. 60tf

FOR SALE—1 Cleveland Cletrac tractor; 1 four wheeled auto trailer; 1 player piano. W. E. Baker. 59tf

FOR SALE—2 lots and small house, on Knight Ave. N. and 6th St. A bargain. Dave Gustafson. 59tf

FOR SALE—250 bu. Marquis Seed Wheat, $3.25; 160 bu. seed barley, $2 per bu. 4 cows coming in between Apr. 1 and June 1. Four 2-year-old heifers. Frank Srobodny, Germantown Rt. 1, City, or call at Stop 7, Electric Line. 60tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap, might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—One John Deere 12-in. triple horse plow in fine shape. Price $95—a snap. Five second hand cream separators; one second hand wagon, new last summer, $60. Two sulky plows, price $20 each. One double burr mill in good shape, $15. One pair bobs, 7-ft. runners, McLain knees, $43. Cost price. N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 60tf

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 66p

EGGS FOR HATCHING FROM MY Blue Ribbon Stock, Black Leghorns. Most attractive chickens, heavy layers, easy keepers. White Wyandottes. Known for beauty as well as for utility. Mammouth Pekin Ducks. Very large snowwhite kind.—Geo. Leimers. 65tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—150 buhels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—One Waterloo Boy tractor 12-24 H. P., in good condition John L. Magnuson, 604 Arnold Ave. N., or call at Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co. 65p

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave. Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Leimers. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles norhtwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. —Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of city. 68p

FOR SALE—One nine room house and one five room house in Thief River Falls. Apply to Thos. H. Smith, Mavie, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—Horse, coming 2 years. Cheap if taken at once. Enquire at Albert Ahlstrom, R. No. 2, or phone 4-F-031. 65p

FOR SALE—Five room house with garage, well and city water in kitchen. Connected with sewer. Cheap if sold soon.—O. H. Nelson, phone 441. 64tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 67tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15 or $8.00 per hundred.—Thos. H. Bjerke, Thief Fiver Falls. 60p

FLAX SEED FOR SALE, $5.50 per bushel.—C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

FOR SALE—Three full blooded Toulouse ganders.—Mrs. C. H. Bartlett. 65

FOR RENT

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 71tf

FARM FOR RENT—Sale or lease, 8 miles from Thief River Falls.—H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Neb. 58tf

FOR RENT—My place at 214 Tindolph Avenue south. Ed. O'Hara, Rt. 1, Newfolden, Minn. 62tf

FOR RENT—160 acres, with good buildings; near market. Call at office of John Bratrud. 61tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms at 116 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 3322. 64tf

FOR RENT—One-half crop plan, SE¼ Sec. 7 and SW¼ Sec. 8, Kratka. Owner to furnish seed and pay one-half twine and thresh bill. Communicate with W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

FOR RENT—160 acre improved farm in Sec. 24, Numedal township. Inquire C. H. Walker, R. 6, Crookston, or phone 15-F-13. 65p

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—About April 1st, several good men to work on farm. Also kitchen help. Steady job. A. Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 65

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Capable girl, $40.00 a month for season. Power washer.—Mrs. Frank Quigley, Fisher, Minn. 64

WANTED—Competent girl on farm, one mile from town. Power washer. Wages $35.00 per month for seven months beginning first of April.—L. L. Kyllo, McCune, N. D. 66p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Sheepskin coat, somewhere between Red Lake Electric and 4 miles west of town. Reward of $5.00 offered for return to Times office. 65pd

MISCELLANEOUS

DRESSMAKING WANTED AT HOME —Good work. Phone 424. 63tf

HAVE LAYERS, NOT LOAFERS. Anconas are the world's best today. Eggs for sale at $2.50 per 15. Also Partridge Cochins and White Breasted Black Polish.—Ben Kruse, 424 Red Lake Blvd. 66p

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOUSE, a flat or a duplex, or a farm, see M. V. Evenson. 424 LaBree Ave. Phone 68. 60tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING, FROM Single Comb White Leghorns. Orders filled as received. Tel. 3204.—Lester H. Coyle. 65p

PUREBRED White Pekin Duck eggs, settings of 13 for sale, per setting $1.; also purebred B. Plymouth Rock chicken eggs, per setting 80c. Leave orders at Benson's old stand or write to me.—Purebred Stock and Dairy Farm, C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

JOHN H

Pure Bred Percheron Stallion

Owned by

North Silverton Horse Co.

Will stand at Ramstad's barn in Thief River Falls, April 8 to 17, and at Hans Rued's farm from Saturday evening until Monday afternoon. At Pat Roark's farm, 4 miles north of Thief River Falls, Tuesday and Wednesday. At

Old Ramstad Barn

in Thief River Falls, Thursday, Friday, until Saturday noon.

AUCTION!

Having decided to quit faming, I will sell at public auction on the northeast quarter of Section 19, Township of Espiee, being 4 miles east and 5½ miles north of Goodridge, 2 miles west and ½ mile north of Espiee postoffice, 5 miles south and 5 miles west of Grygla, the following described personal property, on

Friday, April 16th

COMMENCING AT 10:00 O'CLOCK

HORSES

1 Bay mare, 13 years old, wt. 1300
1 Gray mare, 13 years old, wt 1200
1 Brown gelding, 11 years old, wt. 1000 lbs.
1 Sorrel mare, 4 years old, wt. 1000
1 Gray colt, 3 years old

CATTLE

1 Roan cow, 9 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 Red cow, 5 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 Red cow, 4 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 Red cow, 6 years old, fresh in Feb.
1 Red heifer, 3 years old, fresh in March
1 Red heifer, 3 years old, fresh in May
1 Red and roan cow, 4 years old, fresh in May
1 Farrow cow
1 Red Durham bull, 2 years old
7 Head of young cattle
5 Spring calves

FARMMACHINERY

1 Milwaukee binder
1 Milwaukee rake
1 Deering mower
1 John Deere, 14-in. gang plow
1 John Deere 16-in. disc
1 Small wooden drag
1 Walking plow
1 Walking cultivator
2 Set of bob sleighs
1 Top buggy
1 Columbus wagon, complete with box
1 Narrow tire wagon, in good shape
1 Hay rack

MISCELLANEOUS

1 Set of heavy breeching harness
1 Set farm harness
1 Single driving harness
1 Dehorning clipper
About 50 ft. of 1¼ in. rope
1 Grindstone
1 2-in. plank stone boat
Some barrels
1 DeLaval cream separator
1 Fat pig
About 45 chickens
1 Pair of geese
1 Chicken house 8x18 ft.
1 Barn 14x20 ft.
1 3-horse Gas. engine, complete with saw

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 Kalamazoo Royal range
1 Heating stove
1 Couch
2 Rocking chairs
Dishes, kitchen utensils
1 Iron bed
Some kitchen chairs
2 Cream cans
1 Wash machine
1 Pair canary birds

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

L. E. GEERLINGS, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, Clerk

Cash for Cream

65c

For Butterfat

Thief River Co-Op. Creamery Association
Thief River Falls, Minn.

AUCTION!

Having decided to retire from farming, I will sell at public auction at my place on the south half of section 4, Town of Sanders, one mile south, 5 1-2 miles west of Thief River Falls, and 5 miles north and 5 miles west of St, Hilaire, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 13

Sale commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, all of the following personal property which will be offered for sale to the highest bidder:

5—HORSES—5

1 Bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.
1 Bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.
1 Mare 3 years old, weight 1200 lbs.
1 Colt coming two years old
1 Colt coming 1 year old

LIVE STOCK

1 Brood sow, will farrow about March 25
1 Brood sow, will farrow about March 28
1 Brood sow, will farrow about April 7
1 Brood sow, will farrow about April 20
3 Butchering hogs
3 Shoats
About 60 chickens
3 Toulouse geese

IMPLEMENTS

1 Bull Dog fanning mill, new
1 300-lb. scale
1 Set of heavy Concord harness
1 Set of 1-4 in. harness
1 Buggy harness
1 Deering binder in good running order
1 Wide tire wagon
1 Hay rack
1 Top buggy, good as new
1 Howell Roller feed mill
1 Sampson tractor and plows, new in fall of 1919

5—CATTLE—5

1 Red cow 4 years old, fresh in a week
1 Red cow 7 years old, fresh in three mos.
1 Red cow 4 years old, will be fresh the latter part of May
2 Heifers, 2 years old

MISCELLANEOUS

1 Gasoline barrel and about 30 gal. gas.
2 Kerosene barrels
1 32-Gal. oil barrel
1 United States cream separator
1 8-Gal. cream can
2 Cream coolers
1 Wagon jack
One Model 90 Overland Automobile, run 2800 miles
About 12 bushels potatoes
About 250 bushels seed oats
About 4 tons timothy hay
1 Writing desk, new
1 Dresser, new
1 10-ft. extension table
2 Iron beds, with springs and mattresses
Other articles too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1920.

J. C. ZWER, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Bids On Paving and Storm Sewers Asked

WILL BE OPENED BY CITY COUNCIL MONDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 4.

The official call for bids for the paving of the streets and installation of storm sewers in Thief River Falls will be opened by the city council at 4 o'clock on Monday afternoon, May 4, according to the official notice published in The Times this week. The work to be bid on includes 48,867 square yards of street pavement, 4800 yards of alley pavement, 13,370 yards of street excavation, 1500 yards of alley excavation, the adjusting of present sewer appurtances, 13,760 lineal feet of straight curb, 3666 square yards of brick gutter, the removing of present curb and gutter and the furnishing and placing of re-enforcing steel. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the amount of $20,000.

The storm sewer bids will be for 5098 lineal feet of sewer pipe, 8, 12, 15, 18 and 20 inches in diameter; the digging of 5684 lineal feet of trench, 21 ordinary manholes and 24 extra depth manholes, and four catch basins. In this job is also included the tapping of 10 present manholes must accompany these specifications, and catchholes. A check for $1,400

Pays Nearly $3,000 Gross Earnings Tax

MINNESOTA NORTHWESTERN HELPS SWELL CITY AND TOWNSHIP RECEIPTS

Pennington is one of three counties in the state receiving anything in the way of direct taxes from the railroads. The Minnesota Northwestern is all within the borders of the county and the gross earnings tax is for this reason distributed among the townships through which it runs and in the municipalities where terminals are located.

The total tax is $2,966.95, distributed as follows: City of Thief River Falls, $761.17; Silverton township, $109.55; North, $63.74; Goodridge, $28.10; Cloverleaf, $71.26. The school districts are also gainers in the following sums: No. 8, $105.32; No. 18, $1147.96; No. 28, $29.58; No. 44, $43.98; No. 53, $51.90; No. 66, $20.24.

The share of the tax paid to the county of Pennington is $544.15.

Augsburg Glee Club in Concert April 16

FAMOUS ORGANIZATION WILL APPEAR AT ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

A musical treat of rare merit is in store for the people of this section when the glee club of Augsburg seminary, Minneapolis, appears at the Zion Lutheran church on April 16. This organization is one of the most famous in the West and gives a varied program of high grade music in both the English and Norwegian languages. There will also be a short address by Prof. H. E. Hendrickson of the seminary.

The program will be composed almost wholly of sacred and lyrical selections, the arrangement being the same as that employed in the larger cities of the country.

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION of the Thief River Music Company.

We, the undersigned, for the purpose pursuant to the provisions of Chapter Fifty-eight (58), General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, and amendments thereof, do hereby associate ourselves as a body corporate, and do hereby adopt the following Certificate of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 1. The name of this corporation shall be Thief River Music Company.

Sec. 2. The general nature of its business shall be to manufacture, buy, sell and otherwise dispose of and deal in all kinds of music, musical instruments and works of art, to manufacture and repair, buy and sell pictures and picture frames and works of art, to buy, own, sell, mortgage, convey and lease real and personal property necessary and proper to the business, and to do each and every thing necessary and proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any one or more of the objects herein enumerated, or which shall at any time appear conducive to or expedient for the protection or benefit of this corporation.

Sec. 3. The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The time for the commencement of this corporation shall be April 5, 1920, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

ARTICLE III.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are: F. S. Ebert, Theo. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

ARTICLE IV.

The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Three Directors. The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are F. S. Ebert, Theo. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, all of Thief River Falls, Minn. The first officers of this corporation shall be: President Roy P. Halseth, Vice-President and Treasurer F. S. Ebert, and Secretary Theo. J. Hagen. All of the above named officers and directors shall hold their respective offices aforesaid until the next annual meeting of the corporation to be held first Monday in April, 1921, at which time and annually thereafter, a Board of Directors shall be elected from and by the stockholders of this corporation. The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the first Monday in April in each year. Immediately after the election of directors, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the directors shall meet and elect from their number a president and a vice president, and from their number a secretary and a treasurer. Any office except that of president and vice president may be held by one person. The directors and officers of this corporation shall hold their respective offices until their successors have been duly elected and entered upon the discharge of their duties. The first meeting of the stockholders and of the board of directors shall be held at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1920, at 5 P. M.

ARTICLE V.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Thirty Thousand Dollars, which shall be paid in, in money or property, or both, in such manner, at such times, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order. The capital stock shall be divided into Three Hundred shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be liable shall be the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars.

In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this 31st day of March, 1920.

F. S. EBERT.
THEO. HAGEN.
ROY P. HALSETH.

In the Presence of:
O. A. NAPLIN.
O. K. NORVALSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 31st day of March, 1920, personally appeared before me F. S. Ebert, Theo. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation, and each acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

O. A. NAPLIN.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book J-4 of Incorporations on page 315.

Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I, hereby certify that the within Instrument was filed in this office for record on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1920, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of Miscl. on page 632.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
By GLADYS G. ANDERSON,
Deputy.

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Martin A. Miller or M. A. Miller.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31; Block 14, and lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 17 Block 15; all in Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 12th day of May, 1913, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 14th day of March, 1913, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1911, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Eight Dollars and thirty-five cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 8th day of January, 1920, for the sum of Fourteen Dollars and forty-seven cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fourteen Dollars and forty-seven cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $14.47 thereof from the 8th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 5th day of April, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Official Seal.)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
a8-15-22

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To P. O. Johnson.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 32, 33 and 34, Block 14, Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 12th day of May, 1913, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 14th day of March, 1913, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1911, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Two Dollars and fourteen cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2120, G. S. on the 8th day of January, 1920, for the sum of Three Dollars and ninety-three cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Three Dollars and ninety-three cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $3.93 thereof from the 8th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

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RESOLUTION.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held March 19, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, notice has been duly given as required by law, to all persons owning property abutting upon the streets and alleys of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, hereinafter described, to be present at the meeting of the City Council held the 19th day of March, 1920, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposition of paving such streets and alleys, and

WHEREAS, it is deemed expedient to improve such streets and alleys in the manner hereinafter set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the Council do hereby determine and decide to improve the streets and alleys hereinafter described by laying pavements thereon, such pavement to consist and be constructed of such materials as shall hereinafter be found and determined by the Council to be most suitable, such streets and alleys being described as follows, to-wit:

Main Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks, North, to the intersection of Sixth Street.

Horace Avenue, from First Street North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

LaBree Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks North to the intersection of Fourth Street.

First Street, from the Red Lake River West to Knight Avenue.

Second Street, from Atlantic Avenue West to Knight Avenue.

Third Street, from the Railroad tracks of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, West to Knight Avenue.

The Alley between Horace Avenue and LaBree Avenue and LaBree Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street.

The Alley between LaBree Avenue and Main Avenue, from First Street to Fourth Street;

And, Be It Further, Resolved, that the cost of such improvements and pavement shall be assessed upon the property abutting upon such streets and alleys, such assessments to be based upon the number of feet fronting upon such streets and alleys, so proposed to be paved, but that the City shall pay out of its general fund, for the cost of all pavements across intersecting streets and alleys, and one-half of the cost of pavement opposite any property owned by the city.

And, Be It Further Resolved, that the improvement of all those streets and alleys, so proposed to be paved and improved as aforesaid, be included in one proceeding and conducted as one improvement, to be known and described as Paving Improvement Proceeding No. 1, and that the Council do proceed with such improvement, advertise for bids for the letting of the work of making the said improvements, and take all steps necessary and proper that the same may be carried forward and completed.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Ihle, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Dahl. Alderman voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.
Approved March 22, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.
Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

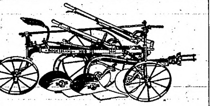

YOU NEED THIS FAMOUS CTX GANG

With its strong one-piece frame, ideal foot lift, high wheels, self-adjusting parallel rod, adjustable hitch, short bails and hangers, etc., you have a plow, in the Rock Island No. 8 Gang, that, for strength, ease of operation and light draft cannot be surpassed.

The frame of the No. 8 is the stoutest ever put on a plow—a heavy one-piece frame, opening at the right hand corner of the front, where the least strain is. The two ends are bolted together—the strongest construction possible.

HIGH WHEELS—LONG WHEEL BASE

You will notice all of the wheels are higher, the big land wheel being 36 inches, and the front and rear furrow wheels, 24 inches.

The No. 8 Gang is very light of draft, for it has a long wheel base, yet a short hitch. The long wheel base steadies the plow and holds it to its work, and at the same time makes it possible to seat the driver well back over the rear wheel. Seated in this position, he can see the work being done while the ground is being turned over.

"CTX" BOTTOMS

Add to these features the famous "CTX" Bottom and you have the best plowing outfit on the market. "CTX" Bottoms go into any soil and turn the furrow slice clear over, saving the moisture for the hot, dry days—which means saving your crops from drought.

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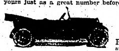

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Cities	All Private Places	Water Coolers	Restaurants Groceries Soft Drink Stands	Ice Cream Factories Wholesale Houses Butcher Shops
	Price per 100 lbs.	Price per Month	Price per 100 lbs. Minimum 100 lbs.	Price per ton
Thief River Falls	50c and 5c extra each floor	$3.50 in coolers	40c small places 35c large places	$5.00 in boxes $3.00 drop ice
Crookston	50c and 5c extra each floor	$4.00 in coolers $3.50 drop ice	40c small places 35c large places	$3.50 drop ice $4.50 in boxes
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MANY TO BEGIN SPRING SEEDING FIRST OF WEEK

GROUND DRYING FAST IN NEARLY ALL SECTIONS OF THE COUNTY

ABSENCE OF FROST WILL HELP IN MAKING UP FOR LOST TIME

SECTION BUT LITTLE BEHIND REST OF STATE WITH SPRING WORK

While farmers in this neighborhood generally speak with their fingers crossed, they are of the opinion that seeding can be commenced next Monday. This makes them just about a week later than they would prefer to be, but the delay is not serious enough to cause much concern. April 10 is regarded as the latest date on which seeding should be begun in Pennington county in order to get the best results, but a few days one way or the other has never been known to make much difference. The outcome all depends on what kind of weather is in store during the remainder of the growing season.

With but few exceptions seeding operations in all sections of Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana will be started by Monday, unless weather conditions make it impossible. Minnesota soil, with the large amount of moisture, this year, is in excellent condition to receive the seed and, according to officials of the State Agricultural department, the decrease in acreage due to a scarcity of labor and poor quality of seed, will be negligible.

Breakup Was Easy.

While a large amount of snow fell during the past winter the breakup has been so gradual that no serious flooding has been reported. Some of the ditches in the eastern section of Pennington and Marshall counties have not yet gotten rid of their winter burden, but the Red Lake river ice is going out at a rapid rate and it will be but a short time before the ditches are cleaned.

Unlike other years seeding in the northern and central sections of Minnesota will start as early as in the southern districts, where the work was retarted by late storms and cold weather. The soil in the central sections is practically free of excessive moisture and frost.

Hay and Potatoes.

Considerable acreage will be sown to clover, alfalfa and timothy, despite the high price of this seed, by farmers in the north central section of the state, according to J. H. Hay of the Minnesota department of agriculture. The farmers, he said, can handle this crop with a minimum amount of labor, and the returns are large. Sugar beets also will be a factor this year in Minnesota, especially in Pennington and Polk counties where farmers are making arrangements to plant a large acreage.

City Asked to Have Incinerator Removed

COUNCIL DOES NOT FEEL JUSTIFIED IN COMPLYING AT THIS TIME

Smoke from the stack of the city incinerator is annoying a lot of citizens, according to a complaint submitted to the council on Tuesday evening. The complainants asked that the plant be removed to some other point, they evidently did not care where, as no suggestion on the subject was made.

The petition was not only signed by people residing near the incinerator, but a number who reside in the business district of the city and far away from any chance of annoyance by the fumes evidently figured on helping the matter along and attached their signatures. Some reside in the north part, others are far removed in a westerly direction and one or two are residents of Kratka township. The petition was rather formidable until it was noted that sometimes six or seven members of the same family had attached their names.

The council considered the matter seriously, realizing that under certain conditions the smoke might be annoying to the people of the neighborhood. A new brick smokestack about twice the height of the present one was suggested but the idea was dropped because of the cost. Alderman Brandon finally moved that the matter be laid on the table, Councilman Ihle seconded the motion and it was unanimously carried.

"The Miracle Man," Lyceum Next Week

The greatest moving picture success ever filmed is coming to the Lyceum theatre next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. It is George Loan Tucker's "Miracle Man," a picture that has received the attention of both press and pulpit wherever it has been shown. It is a production of such stupendous magnitude that all others seem to sink into insignificance, by comparison. The story is different, the acting exceptional and the setting superb. Never in the history of the photoplay industry has a production been hailed with such universal acclaim. No matter how many other pictures you miss see this one. You may never have another opportunity.

"The Miracle Man" was booked for Thief River Falls last winter but the flu came along and closed the theatres for a time and the date had to be cancelled. Manager John Brumund has been on the trail of the film ever since and has only now been able to find these three dates open.

Let Paving Contract.

The board of commissioners of Polk county last week let the contract for paving the highway from Sixth street and University avenue in the city to the Northwest school of agriculture. The paving will be of concrete and was let to M. R. Hussey of Crookston at $3.60 per sq. yd., and 50 cents per lineal foot for six inch drain tile. The contract total is $58,697.60. The work is to be started by May 15 and completed by Nov. 15.

Mrs. Stanton is Dem Choice For Elector

WOMEN SECURE SEVEN PLACES ON BALLOT TO ONLY FIVE FOR MEN

Thief River Falls will have a candidate on the national ballot this fall in spite of the fact that it looked as if only pre-election honors would come this way. Mrs. E. M. Stanton of this city was last week selected as the Ninth district candidate for presidential elector at the state convention in Minneapolis, although the fact was not discovered until after the meeting had adjourned. Mrs. Stanton was properly nominated and elected but an error in the report stated that it was Mr. E. M. Stanton to whom the honor had fallen. The nominee is chairman of the women's Democratic organization in the Ninth district and active in the interests of the party.

Seven of the twelve candidates on the ticket are women and only five men. The number was originally six and six, but S. D. Weeks of St. Paul withdrew, his name in favor of Mrs. Albert R. Hall of the same city.
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Brotherhood Chiefs Denounce Strikers

AIM IS TO DISRUPT RAILROAD ORGANIZATIONS, THEIR CLAIM

A signed statement was issued at Cleveland on Monday by the chiefs of the four big transportation brotherhoods saying:

"The present strike of men engaged in switching service was originated in Chicago by a new organization that has for its purpose the destruction of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Switchmen's union and its inception had nothing to do with the wage question, but was a demand for the reinstatement of the leader of this opposition organization.

"After this strike was instituted for this purpose the leaders of the new organization then injected the wage question for the sole purpose of deceiving the yardmen throughout the United States and to promote the 'one big union' idea. There can be no settlement of pending wage questions, while this illegal action continues. We insist that every member of these brotherhoods do everything within their power to preserve their existing contracts, which, if abrogated, may take years to rebuild. The laws of all of these organizations provide penalties for members engaged in illegal strikes, and those will be inforced.

(Signed)

"L. E. Sheppard, president Order Railroad Conductors.

"W. G. Lee, president Order Railway Trainmen.

"W. S. Stone, grand chief engineer, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

"W. H. Carter, president Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen."

O'Neill Visits City.

D. P. O'Neill, former state senator and now a member of the state board of grain appeals, was in the city the first of the week. He spoke at the meeting on Monday evening at which Mrs. M. L. Fosseen, chairman of the Women's Republican state organization, appeared and delivered himself of some regular old-fashioned G. O. P. doctrine in his usual happy vein. Mr. O'Neill recently returned from Washington where he appeared before a congressional committee at a hearing on grain grades. His position is an important one and he likes the work very much. The present home of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill is in Minneapolis.

Basket Social and Dance.

There will be a basket social and dance given in the school house of District No. 4, on Saturday evening, April 24. A general invitation has been extended to the public to come and have a good time.

Stag Party.

The first of a series of parties given by L. R. Johnston at his home, 524 LaBree avenue north, was held last Friday evening when eighteen of his friends were entertained at cards. A very fine supper was served at midnight.

CONFIDENCE MAN IS ARRESTED BY LOCAL OFFICIALS

G. W. BAKER, WANTED BY SEVERAL STATES, PICKED UP BY AUTHORITIES

ALLEGED THAT LIFE INSURANCE FRAUDS ARE HIS PARTICULAR LINE.

TRACED FROM MINNEAPOLIS, THROUGH BEMIDJI AND TO THIS CITY

A man whose right name is said to be G. W. Baker but who has operated under numerous alliases, was arrested last Wednesday night by Sheriff W. J. LaBree and Chief of Police E. O. Erickson. Word was received from Bemidji to be on the lookout for this party as he was wanted particularly by the authorities at Elkhart, Ind., on a charge of grand larceny in connection with the fraudulent selling of life insurance. The description accompanying the request was such as to leave the officials in no doubt and the man was arrested as he stepped off the train.

The following day E. W. Fritz, representing the chief of police of Elkhart, arrived from Bemidji, to which city he had followed his quarry from Minneapolis, and took charge of the prisoner. The latter decided to waive extradition and went with the officer without trouble.

Is Active Customer.

Concerning the activities of Baker the Bemidji Pioneer has the following account:

"This man, under the name of Baker, visited Bemidji about two months ago and was here again the latter part of March. While in the city he called on W. L. Brooks, cashier at the Northern National bank, and endeavored to interest him in the insurance line and get his assistance in writing life insurance. Although Baker was very persistent in his efforts to interest him, Mr. Brooks refused absolutely to be interested in any way. Through a physical description of the man furnished by Cashier Brooks, Sheriff Johnson was enabled to wire the chief of police at Thief River Falls last night and the arrest was then made.

"Not through any confidence work in this city was any charge made against this man, but his actions here led to his arrest. On February 25 he worked his game at Lowell, Ind.; on February 28 at Hammond, Ind., and on March 1 he was operating in Minneapolis. After comparing the description of the man, sent out by the superintendent of police at Elkhart, Ind., with the man seen here several times, he was traced to Thief River Falls last night, as a result of a conversation Baker held with another man at a local hotel a short time ago."

Mrs. Fosseen's Talk Well Received Here

STATE CHAIRMAN ADDRESSES GOOD SIZED CROWD ON MONDAY EVENING

What may be regarded as the first political meeting of the year took place on Monday evening, when Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen of Minneapolis, state chairman of the Republican women's organization, delivered an address on the principles of the Republican party. There was a good sized audience present, the ladies of the city and vicinity turning out in numbers that goes to prove their interest in affairs political.

Mrs. Fosseen reviewed the history of the Republican party from the time of its organization to the present day, claiming that it had always been the progressive and forward-looking division of American politics. The party's history with regard to the questions of particular interest to women was dwelt upon at some length, the speaker showing where the Republicans had at all times been leaders in every movement for the moral and intellectual uplift of the people, child labor laws, temperance legislation and reform measures generally being credited to the statesmen of the party.

The speaker said she felt particularly friendly toward the people of Pennington county, it having been largely through the efforts of one of the Thief River Falls delegates to the state convention, W. J. Brown, that she was chosen as a delegate to the Chicago meeting. She is a charming speaker and her discourse greatly pleased the audience.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, district chairman of the women's organization, spoke of the interest that is being taken by the women of the Ninth district in all matters pertaining to politics and considered this one of the best auguries for the future. Former Senator D. P. O'Neill, who was here on a visit from Minneapolis, delivered one of his characteristic talks, mixing logic with laughter in just the right proportions.

Miss Effie Hamry, county chairman, presided, performing the duties of the office like a veteran at the business.

W.W.V. MEETING TO BE HELD HERE NEXT SATURDAY

WORLD WAR VETERANS EXPECT TO ORGANIZE BRANCH AT THAT TIME

STATE CHAIRMAN C. O. PARSONS AND L. E. MARTIN SCHEDULED TO SPEAK

INVITATIONS TO ATTEND ISSUED TO ALL RETURNED SERVICE MEN

Notices of a meeting to be held at the auditorium in this city next Saturday have been sent to all returned service men in the county by a committee interested in the formation of a branch of the World War Veterans association. The meeting is called for 8 o'clock and is open to the public. In fact outsiders are particularly asked to be present, it being the intention to explain the aims and purposes of the organization for the benefit of all and not only the ex-soldiers.

The main address of the evening will be delivered by C. O. Parsons of Minneapolis, state chairman of the veterans. He will explain the reasons for the entrance of the organization into the ranks of the men and show what it is hoped to accomplish thru the formation of the branch. Mr. Parsons is said to be a pleasing and convincing speaker.

"Aims and Obligations of World's War Veterans" will be the subject of a talk by L. E. Martin, another man high in the councils of the body in the state.

All who are in any way interested in the formation of a branch of the organization in this county are requested to be present and matters of the greatest importance will be laid before them.

Granted Reduced Rate.

Representatives of the Northern Woodwork company have applied for a reduced rate on the amount of electric current used in their new factory. Because of the varying loads during the different seasons it was maintained that it would be impractical to apply the principle of a minimum charge plus, and a flat rate was asked for. An agreement whereby they are to pay $53 per month for the current used by their 50 horsepower motor has been agreed upon until Jan. 1, 1921. By that time the requirements of the factory and the cost of supplying the power will have been established.

Bring the Budget Sheets.

The Woman's club asks the members to bring in all budget sheet allotments at the meeting on Monday, April 19. The committee on thrift is very desirous of having these reports at this time.

Would Improve River For Entire Distance

ATTORNEY CHARLES BOUGHTON SAYS PROJECT WILL BE GREATLY EXTENDED

In an interview appearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette today, Charles Boughton of that city, recently appointed attorney for the Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy district, tells of a contemplated extension of the project so as to have it cover the entire length of the river from the Red Lakes to its outlet into the Red River of the North at Grand Forks. Mr. Boughton's interview is as follows:

"Instead of the original plan of deepening and straightening the river for a distance of 45 miles from the outlet of Red Lake, petitions have been prepared asking that the entire length of the Red Lake river be improved. This action will give the drainage board control over the powed dams at Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls and Crookston and will make possible the effective control of the river.

"It is planned to deepen the outlet at Red Lake between 3 and 4 feet thus affording an enormous reservoir comprising 441 square miles in area and between three and four feet in depth. In flood seasons the gates can be closed and the water stored to be let out gradually during the dry season.

"A bill authorizing the deepening and straightening of Red Lake river has been passed by the national house of representatives and awaits action by the senate, where its changes are considered favorable since the war department has given the project its full approval.

"The bill permits work upon the river including that part passing thru the Red Lake Indian reservation, and provides that the Indian lands shall be taxed for about one-third of the cost. The government pays a portion and the power companies are assessed as are the cities which are using the Red Lake river for their water supply. The government estimate of the cost of the project is $779,000.

"I am preparing a petition at the request of the drainage board providing for the improving the Clearwater river by deepening and straightening so as to give control of the waters. These drainage projects will be of immense benefit to the people in this section of the state."

Died in Montana.

P. Stenhjem, who with his family formerly resided about five miles east of Thief River Falls, died at his home in Montana on March 22, following an operation for tumor. The Stenhjems left Pennington county about three years ago. This is the second death in the family inside of five months, the daughter, Julia, having died last December at the age of 16.

Sam Iverson Files.

And still they come. Samuel G. Iverson, former state auditor and candidate for governor in the primaries in 1914 and 1916, has again announced his entrance into the ring. He declares himself in favor of a presidential primary and for improving the primary law but not for a return to the convention system.

Request White Way Extended on LaBree

WILL BE GRANTED ON SAME TERMS AS PREVIOUS INSTALLATIONS

Business men in the block between Third and Fourth streets on LaBree avenue have petitioned the city for an extension of the white way along that stretch. The improvement would be most welcome to all the people of the city and would help out the appearance of that particular district a great deal.

The petition will be granted providing the petitioners are willing to make the same arrangement as other property owners along whose holdings the white way has been installed. This is to pay personally for the lamp posts while the city stands the remainder of the cost. This has been the plan followed in every instance where these lights have heretofore been placed and it eases the burden on the city without bearing too heavily on the property owners.

Supt. Legvold of the water and light department has been instructed to make an estimate of the costs to each party to the agreement and to present these to the petitioners for their approval.

Grant Legion Use of Auditorium Building

NOMINAL FIGURE PLACED AS RENTAL TO COVER ACTUAL LABOR COST

The members of Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion, will be permitted to use the city auditorium for any purpose they may see fit on ten different occasions during the year 1920. The legion will reimburse the city for the actual outlay in money on any evening that the hall may be used by them, such outlay being placed at $12.25 by the council. This will generally cover the light bill and pay for the removal and replacing of the seats, cleaning up, etc.

It is the intention of the legion to go rather extensively into entertaining in the future. There is no intention of doing this for personal gain but simply in order that there may be something in the shape of a treasury balance accumulated. Dances, theatricals, minstrel shows and other entertainments will be put on at different times to which the public will be asked to come.

Many cities have taken steps to provide the ex-service men with suitable quarters for holding entertainments of this kind and something along the same line may at a future date be undertaken here. For the present, however, the boys are well satisfied to secure the auditorium on such favorable terms.

U. C. T. Has Initiation.

The meeting of the U. C. T. on Saturday evening was well attended. Three candidates were initiated which was followed by an excellent lunch. A basket social will be held at the Masonic hall on next Saturday evening. Informal dancing will be in order. Because of the rapid increase in membership of the local U. C. T. lodge all future meetings and parties will be held in the Masonic hall.

Railway Mail Clerks.

There will be an examination of applicants for the position of railway mail clerks held at the postoffice in Thief River Falls on May 15. This position pays a salary of $1300 per year to begin with. Application blanks may be had by applying to T. S. Brokke, secretary civil service commission, at the postoffice.

Permit to Move Building.

J. J. Aga has purchased the old Grand theatre building near the corner of First street and LaBree avenue from H. N. Hager and is preparing to move to alongside of his machine shop and West Second street. Permission for the removal was granted by the council on Tuesday evening.

Bond is Approved.

The city council at its meeting on Tuesday evening approved the bond of Henry Froseth as auditorium manager. The sureties are Carl Christofferson and P. W. Roark.

COUNTY'S VOTE IS DIVIDED ON ROAD QUESTION

TWO REPRESENTATIVES FAVOR BABCOCK PLAN AND TWO ARE FOR GRAVEL

SENTIMENT AT ST. PAUL MEETING OVERWHELMINGLY FAVORS PAVING

GRAVEL MAY BE CHOSEN TO BEGIN WITH IN CERTAIN INSTANCES

Pennington county sent four representatives to the good roads meeting held at St. Paul last week—Commissioners Oscar J. Peterson, Robert McGinn and Gust Naplin, and County Auditor T. P. Anderson. John Gullingsrud, county treasurer, also made the trip in order to see what was going on.

Every county was represented, 495 out of a total of 516 commissioners and auditors in the state being present. It was the most representative gathering of its kind ever held in this section of the country and according to those who were there the enthusiasm for better roads could not have been more pronounced.

Delegates Split Their Votes.

Pennington county's representatives were not of one mind as to the best methods of securing the desired results, although there was no difference of opinion as to the desirability of better highways. Commissioner Peterson on the last day of the session introduced a resolution authorizing graveled in place of hard surfaced roads. According to the St. Paul Ditpatch the resolution was drawn by Senator Iver Lee of Glenwood, offered by Mr. Peterson and seconded by Mr. Naplin. It was defeated by an overwhelming majority, receiving only about 15 votes. This is regarded as remarkable and is taken by many to indicate that there is no attempt on the part of the Nonpartisan League to defeat the Babcock amendment, many of those present being affiliated with that organization.

May Use Some Gravel.

There is a probability of a considerable amount of gravel being used at that. The meeting seemed to regard with much favor a proposition to hard surface only the stretches subjected to very heavy traffic at first, employing gravel where travel is lighter. When it comes time to pave these latter pieces the surface can be scraped to one side and a fine, solid bed be thus formed for the permanent dressing. In this manner a much greater mileage will be covered within a short time and the state still be fairly well provided with satisfactory highways. Paving was, however, regarded as the ultimate solution for the road troubles of Minnesota and any other plan adopted would only be regarded as a temporary measure.

No Bonds Needed.

Speakers pointed out that it would not be necessary to issue bonds to meet the cost of the highway improvement. There are at the present time 284,000 automobiles in the state and this number is expected to reach 300,000 by January 1, at which time the Babcock law will go into effect if approved by the people in November. At an average yearly license fee of $18 per car this will provide $5,400,000 to begin with. Besides this there will be $2,840,000 in federal aid available.

Many Farmers Present.

The farming districts of the state were particularly well represented, fully 75 per cent of those present hailing from the country. The purpose of the amendment was explained by C. A. Babcock, state highway engineer, J. H. Mellen and Senator P. H. McGarry. The highway commissioners of Illinois and Indiana were also present and spoke of the great work that is being done in their commonwealths toward securing just such roads as were endorsed by the county officials.

The principal speaker against the amendment was Senator Lee.

Woman's Club Offers Exceptional Program

LECTURE RECITAL NEXT MONDAY BY DR. JAMES DAVIES OF MINNEAPOLIS

A feature of unusual interest will be offered the public at the meeting of the Woman's club next Monday. Dr. James Davies, musical critic of the Minneapolis Tribune and one of the foremost authorities on things musical in the West, will give a lecture-recital on "Folk Songs." Dr. Davies has been in a position to give the subject much study and his discourse is said to be both entertaining and instructive.

Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher will sing a group of selections chosen with a view to carrying out the general folk song idea of this meeting.

It is also the date for the election of delegates to the district meeting of Women's clubs to be held at Warren on May 5 and 6.

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THE NORTHWEST'S CANDIDATE

Northwestern Minnesota has one candidate for a place on the Republican state ticket this year who should receive the support of every man and woman in the district. Mike Holm of Roseau, has announced himself for secretary of state and to judge from the favor with which his candidacy has been received in all sections of the state he is going to prove a most formidable contender at the elimination contest on the 8th of May.

Judge Holm has for years been a member of the state fair board and as such has come in contact with a large number of people from every section of the state. His unfailing courtesy and constant desire to be of help and assistance, to those with whom his official duties have brought him in contact has made him popular everywhere. So far as ability goes he is the peer of any man mentioned for the place and he would be a credit to any administration with which he might become associated.

A REMARKABLE SHOWING

Although Pennington is one of the smallest of Minnesota's 86 counties, it stands in sixty-second place in the number of farms within its borders, according to the annual report of The Farmer, an agricultural paper published at St. Paul, which has just completed a valuable compilation of the agricultural status of every county in the state.

According to this report the county has a total of 1244 farms of all sizes, more than half this number, or 665, being between 100 and 174 acres in extent. There are 112 farms with an acreage greater than the latter figure and below 259 acres, while 27 are more than 500 acres in extent.

A more extended review of this report in another part of this issue gives some very interesting figures. It shows that the value of all field crops in the county, including grains, was $2,197,615 for the year 1919. This is a better showing than was made by Aitkin, Beltrami, Carlton, Cass, Clearwater, Cook, Crow Wing, Hubbard, Itasca, Kanabec, Koochiching, Mahnomen, Mille Lacs, Pine, Ramsey, Red Lake, Roseau and St. Louis. All the counties in the above list, with the exception of Red Lake and Ramsey, are larger than Pennington and many of them located in much older communities, viewed from a standpoint of settlement and farm development.

While the report is highly satisfactory from every viewpoint, the section dealing with the dairy product output will perhaps prove of greatest interest. This shows that the herdsmen of Pennington county were last year paid a total of $328,196,02 for their butterfat. This is the best showing made by any county north of a line drawn clear across the state at the southern boundary of Clay and Becker counties, with the one exception of Polk. This latter county has about twice the dairy receipts of Pennington with about four times its territory.

The report is one of the most interesting and valuable ever gotten out by a Minnesota publication and reflects much credit upon the enterprise of the publishers of The Farmer.

TEST IT FOR LUCK.

The Times has received a number of communications lately from farmers who claim that an article appearing in the paper a short time ago was misleading. It stated that last year's wheat crop in this section was of poor quality when compared with those of most previous years and that in a number of instances the germinating qualities of the grain had been found far below standard. The farmers referred to say they have tested their grain and found it all right.

That's fine and we are mighty glad to hear it. In fact we hope that we were misinformed entirely and that every farmer in northwestern Minnesota will proceed to prove that we were wrong by testing his wheat before planting it. And the more completely wrong we are shown to have been the more satisfied we shall be.

If the article referred to has the effect of making every farmer in the section test his wheat it will prove to be one of the most valuable "pieces" ever printed in this or any other newspaper in this region. It will mean that not a bushel of grain will be sown that has not been tested for its germination and the result will be the largest and most satisfactory crop in the history of the Northwest—all other things being even. It will have caused the farmer to take the only measure for the protection of his crop that is open to him.

While we are on this subject of seed testing it might not be amiss to put in a word concerning potatoes. Not a spud should be planted that has not been treated against infection. The cost of doing this is as nothing compared with the benefits. A tight barrel, fifty gallons of water and a little formaldehyde may make a difference of hundreds of dollars in the price received for the crop. Any man who will plant potatoes without taking this precaution deserves to have his crop ruined.

All this is well known, of course, but this is a good time of year to remind folks of it just the same.

IT MIGHT HELP.

The government seems to be up a stump when it comes to discovering some way to relieve the print paper situation. It is realized that unless relief of some kind is afforded at an early date a large number of publications will have to go out of business. It is no longer a question of price, everyone having seemingly resigned themselves to paying four times as much for paper as before the war without in the least understanding the reason for being compelled to do so. The trouble is to get the material at all.

While looking around for ways of helping the situation the governmental departments might hit upon some plan of saving paper in their own business. Every newspaper office in the country, large and small, every day receives enough propaganda matter to fill their publications in case they were foolish enough to use it. Not once in a moon of blue Sundays is there by any chance an idea mixed up in the general run of trash that would interest the general public, yet these publicity seekers and space grafters send it along as if it were of the highest importance.

And our government is one of the worst offenders. Nearly every department seems to have a large crew on its staff whose duty it is to see that the mails are overburdened and a lot of white paper wasted in telling the public of the wonderful work that is being done along some line or other. The fact that not one-tenth of one per cent of this stuff ever sees the light of day in no way discourages its continuance. It keeps coming day after day and finds its way to the wastebasket, much of it without having the covering torn off.

The thing is a nuisance and a waste of good material. Thousands of tons of paper would be saved every year if the government would stop the practice. It could undoubtedly be done and it certainly should be.

With the campaign coming on the waste will be greater than ever and the newspaper publishers will have to stand further increases because of the shortage.

Pennington county is faring pretty well in the distribution of purely honorary positions this year. The chairmen of the women's organizations of both the Republican and Democratic parties are residents of Thief River Falls; one of our citizens is an alternate delegate to the Republican convention at Chicago, and last week another was selected as the Ninth district's presidential elector on the Democratic ticket. We have no candidates for office but are right there when it comes to securing plums that permit the recipients to spend their own money and a lot of time attending conventions and things.

A Good Wheat Crop Needed.

(Minneapolis Journal.)

War time experience testifies that the food yield of the United States may be increased by a campaign of education. There can be no question that the need for a large food crop this season is as great as though actual war existed. Do the best we can; America cannot this year glut the world's food market.

Particularly does this seem to be true of wheat. The indications are that the world's wheat supply is now about two hundred million bushels less than a year ago; that the winter wheat area is about twelve million acres less; that the visible supply of wheat in the country s about sxty-five million bushels less; and that the indications in Kansas are for a sixty-five to seventy-five per cent wheat crop this season.

Our total crop of last year was three hundred and fifty million bushels. Such a crop can hardly be looked for this year; but if so large a crop were harvested, the hungry world would probably take it all and more. The power to grow wheat on the wheat lands of Europe has been enormously reduced, and will recover but slowly.

On our Northwest lands, where spring wheat can be profitably grown in a reasonable rotation of crops, it would seem that this year as much wheat as can be well planted and harvested should be raised. The greatest hindrance to food production is the lack of competent labor at reasonable wages; but in the cost of no other staple food is there so small a percentage of labor as in wheat.

The same rule of industrial economics that makes the laborer prosperous in proportion to his output, applies to the farmer. No farmer gets rich off his idle acres; though there have been years and localities when overproduction has impoverished him. But this year and this country will not see such a time and locality.

Planting the right varieties of wheat, and good, clean, fertile seed in well prepared soil, is a policy that should be widely advocated and conscientiously practiced.

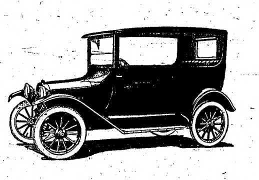

WHAT a man buys in an automobile is not the car itself but the transportation it affords. Comfortable, handsome, economical in operation and always dependable, the Chevrolet "FB-40" is a safe car to buy.

Peoples Auto Co.
Phone 77

Times Advertising is a Profitable Investment Always

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HOUSE PAINT
GLOSS ENAMEL
Paint up

In no way can a person spend a little bit of money to better advantage than in buying paints. The actual value of a piece of property can be increased by hundreds of dollars by the simple application of a coat or two of the right kind of paint. It has been said that when you "save the surface you save all," and nothing is more certain.

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Come and look over the color chart, get prices and go to work.

The Prichard Co.

Our Policy---

It Pays Us Because It Pays Our Customers

Since its establishment, the policy of this bank has been to give every customer not only protection for his money on deposit with us, but helpful advice and suggestions in his financial transactions and his investments as well.

It helps customers to prosper—it has made this bank grow bigger and stronger.

You'll like our policy.

First and Peoples State Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.

St. Olaf Choir Gains Fame While on Tour

FAMOUS MINNESOTA ORGANIZATION RECEIVES PRAISE FROM CHICAGO CRITICS

St. Olaf college choir last week started on a concert tour of the large Eastern cities and the reception with which these singers have been met must be very gratifying to the large number of persons in Thief River Falls who are themselves graduates of the institution or who have relatives there at present. The following comment on the work of the choir by W. L. Hubbard of the Chicago Tribune, is in line with that appearing in all the papers of that city on the morning after the concert. It shows that the young men and women from the Minnesota college are presenting something in the way of choral music that is new to the easterners. The Tribune's comment follows:

"The concert in Orchestra hall last night by the St. Olaf Lutheran choir attracted a large audience and proved an entertainment of exceptional musical worth and beauty.

"The choir which numbers some fifty-two men and women under the leadership of M. Melius Christiansen comes from St. Olaf's college in Northfield, Minn., and a tour which is to include the principal cities of the east was commenced with this concert. If the singing offered throughout the tour be of such quality as was that last night, the reputations of both choir and its leader will hold high place in the choral world by time the homecoming is accomplished.

"The choir sings exceptionally. The voices are beautiful in their freedom of emission, their roundness and their purity, and all seem to posses a suggestion of freshness and out-doorsness that involuntarily creates visions of wide plains, big forests and clear air.

"The voices are the singing voices of the Scandinavian with the tang and freshness that so often distinguish such. And these voices are admirably trained. They are true as a bell and they respond with the same certainty, exactness and clarity. The tone is capable of finest graduations ranging from ringing forte to an exquisitely soft piano, and the soft tone is ever just as pure, just as true as is the loud. The voices blend perfectly thus making the tonal mass invariably a delight.

"Musically and interpretatively, too, the choir stands on high level The diction is such that every word is clearly and easily intelligible, and in the handling of either massed harmonies or in the weaving of polyphonic lines the singers do exceptional work.

"The program was purely sacred in musical matter, but it nevertheless interested and held the hearers because of the rare manner in which every number was sung."

A Roast Bear Dinner.

E. O. Mogensen, W. H. Akre and H. W. Protzeller were hosts at a bear dinner party given at the home of the first-named gentleman last Wednesday evening. The dinner was served at 7:30 and was a delightful affair. The bear was only the main item of a most elaborate and appetizing menu which was not unusual in composition, but of the kind to appeal with particular favor to a bunch of menfolks. After the meal whist tables were arranged for those who wished to pass the time pursuing that diversion while others just visited and discussed the flavor of bear. The occasion was greatly enjoyed by all present.

The Public Forum

Put Streets in Shape First.

Editor Times: In your paper of April 8, I find an article in which the following paragraph appears:

"It has persistently been rumored about the city that in case bids for paving were accepted on May 4 when opened by the council, injunction proceedings will be brought to prevent the work from being undertaken. No one has been found willing to assume the responsibility for having made such statement and it is not generally credited. Objection to entering into a contract at this time may be voiced at the meeting but in case the council deems it advisable to go ahead it is not thought likely that the courts will be called upon to prevent it."

I wish to go on record as stating that if the city council should decide to go ahead with paving this season on our streets before these are put in proper shape—that is, by backfilling all the trenches that have been dug and that will be dug for sewer and water connections—and this work done strictly in accordance with the specifications in the contract between the city and the contractor before paving, I for one shall apply for an injunction until such time as the requirements are complied with.

And I will further state that if the city council decides not to pave this season I shall demand that all this preliminary work of back filling of trenches, etc, as mentioned above, be strictly complied with according to the specifications in the contract, and if this is not complied with I shall also ask for an order restraining the city from paying any money on such contract until the conditions are complied with.

Now do not try to construe this as an indication on my part that I am opposed to paving, because such is not the case. I am heartily in favor of the work, but I want to see our streets put in shape first. My motto has always been "a Bigger and Better Thief River Falls," but we want to build on a solid foundation.

I also wish to call attention to the following opinion of the attorney general:

"Cities and villages in Minnesota must build and pay for their own streets and roads and may not be reimbursed from the trunk highway fund to be created in case of adoption of the proposed Babcock trunk highway law, under a ruling issued by Attorney General Clifford L. Hilton. The opinion, written by C. Louis Weeks, assistant attorney general, holds that the proposed amendment provides for reimbursement of counties only."

Also note the following clipping from the Minneapolis Journal of April 9, with reference to paving:

"Restriction of bitulithic paving to residence districts will be recommended to the city council at its next meeting by the committee on municipal research of the Civic and Commerce association, David P. Jones, chairman, announced today.

"If the council thinks creosote blocks are too expensive," said Mr. Jones, "we urge that care be used in placing the bitulithic paving. It should be only in residence districts where travel is continuous and light.

"Bitulithic paving under heavy loads tends to break and fill with deep holes. We believe its use in the downtown districts to be uneconomical."

M. V .EVENSON.

"BORROW A PAPER, DO NOT BUY ONE"

This is what the print paper shortage has brought about: The Chicago Tribune, one of the largest newspapers in the world, printed in large type on its front page last Sunday: "Please do not buy a Chicago Tribune. Borrow One." For a hundred years it has been assumed by newspaper men that the pinacle of meanness has been reached by the man who borrows his neighbor's paper instead of subscribing for one of his own, but times have changed. Now every expedient must be resorted to in order to make the paper supply go around and it must be said to their credit that many of the big dailies are doing their utmost to help save the lives of their smaller neighbors.

Mills are turning down orders for news print stock even when offered 12 and 13 cents a pound for it. In 1914 The Times was buying this same stock for $2.40 per hundred pounds on a yearly contract and teh large papers were playing as low as $1.80 per hundred.

Proposed Drainage Plan.

Dear Editor:—I am submitting a drainage plan for western Beltrami, eastern Marshall and northeastern Pennington counties. I think this would be a possible way to drain this district with as little expense to the people living in the district as possible.

The first thought the writer has in mind is the dredging of Red Lake river, dredging the river gradually ten feet deep commencing at Highlanding and east to the lake. By doing this I think it is possible to lower the lake a number of feet so the lake would take the water in this territory in place of flooding the country. Of course, it may be some danger of flooding the river, but if this is the case, I should think it possible to put in locks at the source of the river so as to lower or raise the lake as it seems necessary. I think that if we had these locks at the source of the river so when we had a flood we could close them and let the lake fill to its capacity and then open the locks and let the water out gradually, and not all at once.

The cost of dredging the river and putting in these locks should be taken up by the government, and not assessed to the land owners adjoining the river or lake, because it is a benefit to the country in general.

When this work is finished the first need of this district is one big ditch from Highlanding and running due north to the northern part of Marshall county. And another ditch about half way between Red lake and Highlanding and due north to the divide or about ten miles north of upper Red Lake.

The cast of constructing these ditches should be taken up by the state, and not by honest settlers living upon this land. By this I mean it should not cost the people living in this district any more than the ones living in the southern part of the state.

There may be some ridges to cross with these ditches. These ridges could either be cut or tunneled so as to get the water through. The land in this district should not be assessed any more than any other land in the state. Because the people coming to live on these land will be doing all that can be expected of them when they improve the lands without being burdened with ditch taxes. You must give them a chance or they will never be able to stay.

If this work could possibly be done as I have thought of it, it would be a benefit to the country as a whole. In place of people leaving their land or farms, they would stay and help to improve the country.

Trusting that you will have a space for this plan in your paper, I am

Yours respectfully,
C. A. SWANSON.

Opposes Babcock Plan.

Editor Times:—I noticed in my last week's writeup that somehow the word "graded" roads had been inserted instead of "graveled" roads, in describing the road proposition that we stated the farmers were going on record for, instead of the Babcock plan. The farmers are all in favor of a good graveled road system and no other, as that is the only road that will give a general service to all concerned at a reasonable cost.

If the people of Minnesota see fit to expend the amount of money for good roads that is suggested in the Babcock plan they can get five times as many miles of graveled roads for the same money taking Babcock's own figures for it as they can of cemented roads. Now, which of the two *road plans will come nearest to give* the greatest number the best service? The Babcock system is a 10-year plan of road building, but the bonds are to bear interest from the start and will no doubt run fifteen or twenty years or more. This amounts to a nice little sum of interest every year that we have no returns for. Why not plan so that we can pay as we go?

A meeting has recently been held by the Highway commission, Babcock and others together with certain county officials throughout the state for the purpose of boosting the Babcock plan, and get things started, or in other words, putting on the steam rollers. It appears that a law was passed at the last legislature giving the county commissioners of any county the authority to bond their county without the vote or consent of the taxpayers to the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars, (for no other purpose but putting the skids under the Babcock system, or some such proposition), with the understanding that by doing so the commissioners could avail themselves of a federal appropriation to take care of the bonds with and thus get started road building while the state got time to amend the present automobile license system so that an $18 license fee or road tax rather can be tied on the tail end of a "Tin Lizzie" which in turn is to make up the Babcock road fund.

It seems that a few of the counties have already fallen for this plan and swallowed hook, bait and all and have made use of this law contrary to the wishes of the taxpayers, and to make a long story short, that in order to make the rest of the counties fall in line it is necessary to put on the steam rollers now so that things can be lined up in such a shape that the voters will this fall simply have to vote "yes" on Amendment No. 1.

The object is to simply force the Babcock road plan onto the people and make them swallow it. That is no doubt the reason why this authority was placed in the hands of the commissioners so that they could accomplish in this way what they possibly could not hope to accomplish by the vote and consent of the voters.

It is without doubt one of the rankest pieces of legislation ever conceived or hatched in the minds of a political ring.

W. A. SWANSON.

Bon Ton Millinery
The Store Ahead 215 E. 3rd St.

EXTRAORDINARY

After Easter Sale

OF TRIMMED HATS

We will select 200 hats from our large stock at values from $7.50 to $15. These will be placed on sale

Friday and Saturday
Only at
$6.95

Our past reputation will convince you that these are really and truly the values we represent them to be. We advice you to come early and make your selection as all of the hats are not valued at $15.00 though many of them are.

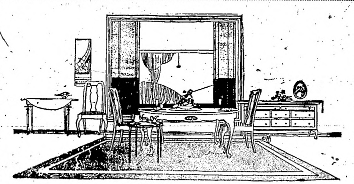

Dining Room Furniture You Should See

Whether you are planning on refurnishing or buying for a new home, our present showing of Dining Room Furniture is well worth your careful attention.

Many pieces are actually priced at less than we could hope to replace them in today's market.

Our line of stoves is the largest in this section. We handle some of the most noted makes in the country and will gladly prove that the prices are right.

Can we interest you in a kitchen cabinet or refrigerator?

LARSON FURNITURE CO.

This Is Not the Time to Hold Back

The man who goes steadily ahead providing for the future is the one who will come out of the present unrest unscratched. A postponement of any contemplated building program is above all things to be avoided. It simply means a loss of money while you are getting along without the needed addition.

Buy Your Material Now

The demand is liable to grow much greater later in the season and there is every indication that there may be a shortage in certain lines. The past two years have proved that a waiting game is a losing game.

Protect Your Livestock

Livestock is going to be a more important item in the country's production than ever before. The man who provides the best quarters for his stock is going to reap heavy dividends. This is a good time to build a new barn, hog house, sheep shed or chicken house.

Our Aim Is to Serve

For a quarter of a century we have satisfactorily served the people of this section. We have plans for all kinds of buildings on file in our office and you are at liberty to use them as much and as often as you see fit.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

WE are now in a position to furnish Ford cars at once.

Placing your order today will insure against delay.

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ON THE SOLE
Peters Diamond Brand

"Your Money Back and a New Pair of Shoes Free"
To the Wearer Who finds PAPER in the Heels, Soles or Counters of a Pair of
PETERS DIAMOND BRAND SHOES
SHOES WITH THE DIAMOND TRADE MARK ON THEIR SOLES

For Style, Comfort and Service

Ask your shoe man for Peters "Diamond Brand" shoes.
There is a "Diamond Brand" Shoe for every purpose; a price for every purse.

For Sale in Thief River Falls only by
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Solid Leather - Strongly Put Together

"Granny" Chamberlain

"My Best Advertisement

Is a mother who has once used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, for she makes a point of telling other mothers about it, who in turn pass the news on. It is this that has made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a household word throughout the world. Just ask some mother in your community what she thinks of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy—she will tell you that it enables her to get her children through the winter without coughs, colds or croup, and that at first approach of a cold she herself takes

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

She will tell you that it is as thoroughly reliable for the youngest child as for the oldest member of the family. You can give it to the baby, the children going to school, or take it yourself, always with the same result—a quick relief."

Yours for Health — Granny Chamberlain

Don't overlook the big combination sale at Mavie on the 22nd. a15

John Skog of Warren attended to business affairs here on Saturday.

A. Stochinger of Baudette was a business caller in this city on Monday.

E. S Rankin of Warren visited with friends in this city last Saturday.

Mrs. E. Arveson of Erie spent the week-end visiting with friends and relatives.

C. J. Nelson of St. Hilaire arrived Thursday of last week and transacted business.

A. E. Strandquist of Strandquist, spent Sunday in this city visiting with friends.

P. W. Mabey spent the first part of the week in Crookston on a business mission.

J. H. Baugh formerly of this city but now residing at Warren, spent Sunday in this city.

Mrs. Carl Bakken and daughter of Erie, passed Sunday visiting with friends in this city.

Miss Ellen Nelson arrived Saturday from her home in St. Hilaire and spent the day shopping.

Miss Lillie Johnson of Roseau arrived Thursday and spent a brief period visiting with frends.

A combination sale of particular interest at Mavie on Thursday, April 22. See advertisement. a15

Fred Brendecke left on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where he attended to matters of business.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon, April 20 at the home of Mrs. Andrew Craik, 622 Horace avenue north.

Miss Olga Gulrud left on Saturday evening for St. Paul where she was the guest of relatives over Sunday. She returned here on Monday morning.

For rent on shares—Ninety acres on state road near Mavie. Fifty acres already plowed. Address Chas. Wise, Care of Thief River Falls times. a15

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sherstad and family returned to their home in Stephen Monday after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Arneson, in this city.

J. W. Brown and family of Grygla motored to this city the latter part of last week and were guests over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maloney and family of Erie left this city Saturday evening for Parkers Prairie where they will remain during the summer months.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where he attended a two-day session of the Adams Presbytery held there Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Norma Swanson, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary Dargon, left on Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls, where they will visit with relatives for a brief period.

A. W. Anderson of Iroquis, S. D., a former resident of Pennington county, was here on Friday. He stated that seeding was about finished in the section about Huron.

H. W. Protzeller and Attorney E. M. Stanton departed on Sunday evening for Washington, D. C., on matters of business concerning the Minnesota Northwestern Electric company.

Mrs. Carl Wedmer, accompanied by her niece, arrived on Tuesday from Benwood, where they had been visiting and visited here between trains with the former's mother-in-law, Mrs. Anna Wedmer, leaving on the flyer in the evening for their home at Preston.

Miss Birdie Tweeten, who has been employed in Black's Sweet shop for the past year has resigned her position and will leave in a short while for Fargo where she has accepted another position. The vacancy at Black's has been filled by Miss Clara Dahl, who was formerly employed there.

Theo. Salverson, formerly engaged in business in this city, now conducting a large general store at Ada, was calling on old acquaintances last week. He says that business at the Norman county capital is very good but that spring is holding off longer than seems necessary.

A communication stating that Mrs. F. E. Weiland's mother had passed away on Friday at her home in Grand Rapids, Wis., was received here the first of the week. The deceased is known to many local people, having visited here several times while the Weilands were residents of this city.

Nels Christianson and G. S. Streeter went to Red Lake Falls last week and came back with a new Buick roadster purchased by the first-named gentleman. In fact both he and Mr. Streeter drove a car back, the other going to Warren parties. Mr. Christianson now has one of the classiest cars in the city.

Bargains in City Property.

As I am leaving the city I will dispose of all my holdings at a bargain Included is a modern house and several others. Prices from $500 and up O. A. Westin, Scandia Block. 66p

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.71
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.66
Oats	.85
Flax	4.37
Barley	1.34
Rye	1.72
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.60
Bran	2.86
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.40
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.80
Craced Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.50
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.60
Corn and Oat Feed, 80 lb. lb. bags	2.80
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	15-16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.18
Eggs	.35
Dairy Butter	.55
Creamery Butter	.62
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.35
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.67
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	5-7
Calf Hides	.30
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	16-17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	12-15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.20
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	8-10
Steers, per lb.	6-7
Calves, per lb.	6-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	10-12

A Plain Statement of My Position

The president of the clerk's union and another member of the organization called at my store with regard to the contemplated closing of all business places at certain hours. I suggested that a meeting of the merchants and clerks be called for the purpose of arranging the matter to everyone's satisfaction. No such meeting has been called.

Since a report is current to the effect that I have refused to sign the agreement and declined subscribing to all the demands of the recently formed union, and as such report has been assiduously circulated with the evident intention of injuring my business, I ask leave to set forth the following facts:

1. The clerks asked me to sign a contract pledging myself to observe certain rules with regard to the conduct of my store, pay certain sums as wages and close the place at certain hours in the evening.

2. It has been presented to me in more ways than one that unless I complied with these requests a general boycott would be declared against the store and my business thereby be made to suffer.

As regards the request made in paragraph 1 above I will state that never in my life have I been opposed to the organization of workingmen and women, the clerks being no exception to this rule. I also recognize the fact they have a right to say as to the number of hours they shall be required to work, the amount of pay they shall receive and the conditions under which they are compelled to labor.

BUT WHAT I DO NOT ADMIT IS THAT THESE SALESPEOPLE HAVE THE RIGHT TO TELL ME THAT I CANNOT OPEN MY OWN STORE AT ANY HOUR I SEE FIT AND KEEP IT OPEN AS LONG AS TO ME SEEMS NECESSARY.

This I would be prevented from doing by the terms of the agreement submitted by the clerks and I cannot see my way clear to conform to their dictates, so far as this particular item is concerned.

Thief River Falls is a railroad and farming town. Trains arrive in the evening after the closing hour set by the clerks' union and leave again before the stores are open. For this reason anywhere from 100 to 300 persons would daily be deprived of any opportunity to trade in the city. How are we going to build up Thief River Falls as a trading center if we are not permitted to serve those who come here for the purpose of trading? This business is of such nature that unless it is taken care of when offered it goes to some other point, being largely transient.

With summer coming on and farm work getting into its full swing, how are the men on the farms going to be served for the things they may need in a hurry? They can only come to town in the evening unless willing to lose valuable time. Are we to refuse to serve these people and thereby compel them to do their trading in some other town?

Suppose that the railroad brotherhoods or any other class of workers engaged in occupations requiring a service extending over a period longer than eight or nine hours were to attempt to dictate not only the length of time they were to work—which is their right—but also to say which particular hours out of the 24 they were willing to work. What would become of the service? The situation is the same so far as I am concerned. I WILL PAY THE UNION SCALE, OBSERVE THE UNION HOLIDAYS, WORK MY CLERKS ONLY THE REQUIRED NUMBER OF HOURS—but I consider it unfair for any man or organization to say that I have not the right to serve customers who may come to my place of business outside of such hours. Closing on Sundays is already provided for by state law.

This is not the first time that this store has been singled out for attack. A short time ago a story was started to the effect that myself and another merchant in the city had attempted to have all free passes for the men working on the Soo revoked in order that it might not be so convenient for them to leave the city. The accusation was too ridiculous to merit consideration and is only mentioned here to show that the clerks' demands are not alone what is causing the trouble.

Certain of the signers of the agreement with the clerks stand to lose nothing by their action. The women's wear stores have always closed at six o'clock in the evening, as have also certain of the grocery and shoe stores. The owners of these are naturally indifferent as to the outcome of this movement on the part of the clerks. With the clothiers it is different. Compliance would mean a large loss.

I am not asking clerks to put in any more hours for me than others are working. If, however, I deem it necessary in order to properly serve the public to keep my store open in the evening I believe that all fair minded persons will accord me that right. Clerks would receive the same number of hours away from duty or would be paid overtime if compelled to stay beyond this period. I ask nothing except what is fair for myself and aim to treat all those in any manner connected with me in the same way.

My clerks have always had the privilege of regulating their own working hours. Any of those who may have been required to work in the evening has always been instructed to come as late as necessary the next morning in order that he might secure the proper amount of time for rest and recreation. Furthermore they have always been permitted to leave the store to attend to their own affairs at any time during the day and I have never docked a man working for me for time lost for any reason. Furthermore, my men are willing and anxious to secure a certain amount of overtime pay, but are prevented from doing so under the rules of this agreement.

Railroad men, farmers and our people generally are fair-minded. They do not ask a man to cripple his business in order to meet some requirement, particularly when it makes no difference whether or not it is complied with, so far as union principles or requirements are concerned.

It is to be presumed that the merchants who have signed this agreement can see their way clear to live up to its every specification. Such would have been my intention could I have seen my way clear to sign it. As I cannot for the reasons above stated do so, I maintain that my stand is the more straightforward and reasonable.

Hoping that the public will give the above their open-minded consideration and believing that I am absolutely right in the stand I have taken, I am

Yours for continued service,

E.O. MOGENSEN

Mavie Merc. Co.
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Saturday Specials

Large can Tomatoes	20c
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Jell, 2 packages for	25c
Pork and Beans, 2½ lb. can	28c
Dill Pickles, gallon	40c
1 lb. package Codfish	35c
Sewed parlor brooms	90c
Large can corn	18c
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Large bottle formaldehyde, at	65c

All kinds of seeds and grains

Highest prices paid for butter, eggs, veal and pork.

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C. A. Nason made a business trip to Fosston on Monday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited in this city Monday.

Fine livestock and good machinery offered at combination sale, Mavie, Thursday, April 22. a15

Mrs. W. H. Mulry left on Monday afternoon for Crookston where she spent a brief period visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. H. Akre and daughter, Ardith, left on Monday afternoon for Crookston to be the guests of the former's parents for a short while.

Ben Docken of Holt visited here on Monday between trains, leaving on the evening flyer for St. Paul where he attended to matters of business.

George Johnson of Grygla arrived on Tuesday morning from Minneapolis where he had been on business. He left the same day for his home via the auto route.

T. Peterson, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Minnie, left on Monday evening for Grand Rapids, Wis., where they will visit at the home of the former's daughter for a few days.

Geo. P. Sanders, formerly assistant county agent, spent Monday in this city, returning to his home in Grygla by auto the same day. He was accompanied by Verner Nelson of the same place.

Mrs. S. E. Hunt and son, Samuel of Red Lake Falls, came to this city last Monday to attend to some shopping, returning to their home in the afternoon. Mrs. H. S. Findeisen, also of Red Lake Falls, accompanied them.

Dental Notice.

Commencing Saturday, April 24, and continuing until Nov. 1, all dental offices in Thief River Falls will close every Saturday at noon.

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Mrs. R. M. Schlanbush of Crookston is in the city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Miss Helen Huotary, who is employed here visited between trains with friends at Middle River on Tuesday.

Mrs. Scott Laird left on Sunday evening for the cities where she will spend a short while visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left on Sunday evening for Chisholm where the former will attend to business matters for a few days.

Mrs. Fred Leimers and baby left on Tuesday morning for their home in Middle River, after a brief visit at the George Leimers home here.

Miss Emma Johnson of Holt shopped and visited with friends in this city Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Lafayette and sister-in-law, Harriet Lafayette, arrived Monday evening from their home in Plummer to receive dental treatment. They returned to their home the same evening.

Miss Ruth Evenson spent the week-end as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Evenson. She returned to Crookston Monday afternoon where she is employed in a millinery store.

Mrs. R. L. Stebbins, county chairman of the Republican Woman's organization of Roseau, came here on Monday to attend the lecture of Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, state chairman of the Republican organization of women, givien in the evening at the court rooms. She returned to her home in Roseau the following morning.

Broke His Arm.

David, the 13-year-old son of Postmaster and Mrs. John Morgan, is carrying his arm in a sling these days. He took a tumble down a flight of stairs the other day and when an inventory of the damage had been made it was found that one of his arms was broken.

New-Born Twins Die.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ebert are extending their heartfelt sympathy to the couple over the particularly sad bereavement sustaned by the couple this past week. Twin boys were born on April 7, one living but a few hours and the other passing away the day following.

Worth Looking Into.

The sale of pipeless furnaces advertised by the Bottem Hardware company during the past month is now on. It presents an opportunity for installing one of these modern and highly efficient heating plants in homes at a very low cost. Before fall the price will have advanced and anyone contemplating changing their heating system or installing a new one cannot do better than see Mr. Bottem concerning the proposition he is authorized to make on the pipeless.

Society

Parcel Shower.

On last Thursday evening a dozen young ladies assembled at the home of Mrs. C. A. Nason at a parcel shower given in honor of Mrs. Clyde Nason. The hours were devoted to games and music after which a delicious lunch was enjoyed. The honored guest was the recipient of many beautiful and useful gifts.

Juniors Entertained.

The twenty members of the Junior choir number one of the Methodist church were pleasantly entertained by their leader, Mrs. C. A. Nason at her home on last Friday evening at a marshmallow toast. In addition to the merriment caused by toasting marshmallows the young guests were also entertained with various games and music.

Meyer-Miller.

On Saturday, April 10th occurred the marriage of John Meyer and Mary Miller, both of Pennington county. The ceremony was performed in the municipal court rooms with Judge N. W. Tarrant officiating. The newlyweds will reside on a farm in this vicinity.

Entertained.

The Royal Neighbors entertained on Thursday evening at a card and dancing party in the I. O. O. F. hall in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager and family who leave in a short time for their new home in Washington. Everyone attending reported a very enjoyable evening.

Lady Maccabees Entertain.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season was held in the Odd Fellows hall on Monday evening when the Lady Maccabees entertained at cards and dancing. A very large crowd was in attendance. At midnight a very fine lunch was served.

The City Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Concert by Augsburg Glee club Friday evening at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid, the 22nd entertained by Mrs. Lars Lian and Mrs. Ludvig Lian. Zion Young Peoples meeting the 22nd, entertained by Miss Mable Hustad. Services at Norden church Sunday at 3 p. m. with communion. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening in the church basement.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—April 18: 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning worship. 3 p. m. Juniors. 7 p. m. C. E. 8 p. m. evening worship. An invitation to enjoy these meetings with our congregation is always intended by this announcement.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m., Morning service at 11 a. m., and evening service at 8 p. m. The Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. Alf. Olson at 236 Markley Ave. N. Wednesday, April 21st at 2:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

Scandinavian Bible Lectures—At Odd Fellows hall. There are some things that will do to get second handed, but food you always want first handed, so with the Gospel News. Come to these meetings and hear for yourselve. The subject for Sunday evening, April 18, will be: "The Sabbath of the New Testament." Service commences at 8:00 o'clock sharp. Literature on the subject presented free. All are welcome.

First Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday as follows: In the Swedish langauge at 10:30 a. m. In the American language at 7:45 p. m. Bible Class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. The Ladies Aid society will be entertained in the church basement Wednesday, April 21st by Mrs. Gust Gustin and Mrs. Frank Dalquist.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m., subject: "Doctrine of Atonement." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

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JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET

One of the great events of the season, the Junior-Senior banquet has come and gone. As a sample of the annual festival it fully equalled, if not surpassed, any of its precedents in size and magnificence, and the guests are unanimous in their expressions of admiration for the whole affair and their gratitude for the enjoyable time.

The thrifty Juniors had spared neither time nor labor in preparing for the event as was evidenced by the change that had taken place in Lincoln high school. A complete evolution had been brought about. The commercial rooms on the main floor had been transformed into a double reception room, and may have rivaled the Parisian salons in luxurious splendor. It was, however, in the main banquet hall, also gymnasium, where Junior decorative genuis was displayed to its fullest. Instead of the bare plastered walls the banqueters found themselves inclosed by masses of streamers of alternating colors giving a pillared effect. For a ceiling streamers extended from the walls and terminated in a circular canopy in the center underneath which a fountain bubbled. The stage, now a secluded arbor, was occupied by the orchestra.

About two hundred guests, including members of the faculty, members of the board of education, Juniors and Seniors were grouped around fifty small tables. A four-course dinner was served by efficient waiters. The following program was rendered:

Welcome..........Clayton Steenerson
Response..........Herman Aakre
Vocal Solo..........Miss Evans
"In the Harbor"....Dr. O. F. Melby
"Sailing"..........Miss Evans
Piano Solo..........Miss Poppitz
"Rocks and Reefs"....W. A. Ziegler
"Anchored"..........Miss Zeh
"Home Again"..........Miss Wilson

After the banquet the obstructing furniture was removed and they who had feasted destined themselves to enjoying the various forms of frolic and entertainments usually indulged in. At 12 o'clock the party broke up and the merry makers departed.

THEY SAY!

Just mention "railroading" to Fred Will and then be prepared to listen for awhile.

The Sophomore boys had a live class meeting Thursday evening.

No one saw "Wobbly" as he jumped over the shrubbery on the campus. It's a good thing, too.

"Rags" can play baseball. If you don't believe it ask him.

High school baseball and football practice started last Thursday night.

Mr. Schold was wearing black on account of the resignation of a certain member of the faculty.

Baseball playing is the biggest sport now.

The "Lab." was "Wet" Friday morning because someone had turned on the water the night before and left it.

Lloyd Peterson has fallen for the "charms of women."

Joe Weirus' dog was absent the other day but all the teachers willingly put their "John Hancock" on his excuse.

Marshall Race was seen sitting in the same seat with a girl on Friday afternoon. WHY MARSHALL!

There is to be a boxing match between "Kid" Bakke and "Knockout" Ralston at the carnival.

Herby Johnson wants to take some one on for a few rounds at the carnival. Don't all speak at once.

We haven't had chapel for a whole week.

Alrfed Dybvik started school again last Monday.

Rover was absent from modern history class last Tuesday, but he brot his excuse today stating that he had the spring fever. It was signed J. S. W.

Amos Mostue is still talking about that "Homer" he made last summer.

Something must be going to happen. Herman Aakre was in school again last Friday.

Miss Zeh was unable to conduct her classes on Monday because she was ill.

The Sophomore class will have a party on Saturday, April 17, at the high school. The girls' and boys' basket ball first teams are the honorary guests. A good time and good lunch is looked for and we are sure that no one will be disappointed.

Have you signed up for the "Prowler?" You will always regret it if you do not get one of the 1920 Prowlers.

Everyone was ready to work after a week of vacation for Easter.

Watch for the Senior class play, "A Strenuous Life," to be given at the auditorium April 30. All Star Cast.

Alpha Bishop is taking charge of the library and likes her new position.

The following alumnae have visited in school the last week: Evelyn Tessum, Coleman Linde, Alf Krohn, Bertha Olsen, Marie Causin and Selma Maland.

General Science classes have been rather proud these days; they have been allowed to do laboratory work.

Miss Holmes has resigned her position as music instructor in the schools.

Lyall Coyle celebrated his Easter vacation by letting his horses run away so he could chase after them for excitement.

Whenever a teacher wants to find out if Joe Weirus is absent, all she has to do is to go down into the hall and see if his dog is there. If the dog is in the building, so is Joe.

There are about forty more days of school. Ain't it a grand and glorious feeling!

Miss Saucer, the school nurse, has not been at the high school for some time, as she and Miss Solheim have been giving physical examinations in the Northrop school.

Ruby Bennes does not dare to go home nights without——.

Benny Lind is beginning to talk to the girls.

The Senior girls are having quite a fuss about what they should wear for graduation.

Mr. Melby in modern history class: "Mr. Holmgren, will you please tell me what event of importance happened in December, 1915, of the World War?"

Mr. Holmgren: "The people sent Christmas presents to the soldiers."

Mr. Schold to Gorden L. on entering physics class late: "You are one minute late, Gordon."

Gordon: "You don't have to keep track of such a short time do you?"

Mr. Schold: "Anything more than ten seconds."

Gordon: "Ah, make it two minutes then."

Florence Burns is extending her vacation. She has not yet returned from her visit.

The Oski girls were seen at the Easter dance, and on a school night.

Dorothy Lane, speaker of the house, was impeached by the senators.

We are not receiving enough good articles for the "Prowler."

The Juniors seem to have the time of their lives collecting class dues.

Lloyd Alness answered a question in English II last Thursday.

The state tests are near at hand. Everybody prepare.

Gunder Legvold has secured a brown vest to match his green suit.

Reward for the returning of the chemists, Misses Ures, Ostby, Tandberg and Burns, during our first class period held from 1:30 until 2:10. Phone or call Mr. W. M. Schold, instructor.

Corrinne Adsero was seen walking home without Amy Sorlem one day last week.

Our gorvernor, Miss Patrick, is fulfilling her office duties very well.

Allan Fossum was seen in English III last Wednesday.

Why are so many of the Freshmen wearing green? Because spring is here.

Miss Zeh retports that her typewriter students are advancing very rapidly in spite of the many "crippled" machines.

Ask Alice Bredesen how to prove propositions in geometry.

Why are so many students losing books and rubbers?

Some "baby" pianos have arrived which prove to be of much assistance in amusing the "children."

If everybody will work as hard as Clarence Vevea does the carnival will be a success.

Have you noticed Signe Bjornson's curiosity of late?

Wanted: Gas masks in English III during experiments of H_2S by ex-chemists, the last period in the afternoon. Write Miss A. Wilson.

Wanted: By police, Miss D. Lane, chairman, for keeping too late hours with Senator Smithers; complaint from the House.

Wanted: An experienced man to control Helen Warner's quick and hot temper. Call or phone John Melgaard.

EFFICIENCY

What is efficiency? The dictionary gives a definition of the word as, having the power to produce the results intended or capability of producing the result intended. Do you think you have succeeded when you have become efficient? A certain man, who is said to be the highest-salaried man in the world, when asked how he had succeeded, made this answer: "I haven't succeeded. No real man ever succeeds. There is always a larger goal ahead." To succeed you must be efficient.

How can you become efficient? The first step is to want something—so want it that the whole world can't stop you. Be determined to do, to the finish, what you have decided to do. To become rich you must be efficient. Efficiency is the difference between wealth and poverty. The number of efficient people decides the number and size of the many slum districts in our large cities.

It has been said that only efficiency conquers fate. Every man's life is a battle between fate and efficiency. All of a man's forces are lined up on one side or the other. Have you gathered your forces under efficiency's banner? Or are you undecided? Are you leaving your life to fate? Fate may fail you, efficiency never fails. Which side are you on? Are you going to become another John D. Rockerfeller or another inhabitant of the slums in one of our large cities?

A. J. Lawrence arrived Monday evening from Minneapolis where he attended to matters of business. He will remain here a few days when he will return to the above mentioned place.

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ROSEWOOD

Closing Day Festivity at Willowdale.

The combination ribbon social and closing day program held at the Willowdale school last Friday evening was very successful and well attended. The evening program supervised by the teacher, Miss Laura Kron, commenced at 9:00 o'clock and consisted of the following selections:

Song: "America", by the School and Audience.

Dialogue: "Whose Dog?" by three boys.

Song: "Star Spangled Banner," by the school and audience.

Play: "Lunatic or Professor," upper grades.

Song: "Happy Summer Days," by the school.

Play: "Winning a Prize," by several pupils.

Song: "Oh, Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean."

Play: Aunt Joshua and Uncle Josh, (Black face), Upper and Intermediate grades.

Song: "Springtime," by the school.

Recitation: "Closing Day," by Edwin Lappegaard.

After the program nine ribbon envelopes were sold by auctioneer F. G. Dols. These ribbons together with the lunch sold netted about $25, which fund goes to securing additional books for the school library. The latter part of the evening was delightfully spent in parlor amusements and conversation. About 75 persons were present. The school room was very prettily decorated for the occasion in red, white and blue.

The Mellem brothers have purchased 40 acres of land from John Sagmoen. This land lays on the south side of the Soo railway and adjoins this town on the east. The consideration was about $1,300.

Wtih the roads smoothening down daily, automobiles are coming into general use.

Sheriff Hans Hanson of Warren, was in town between trains last Wednesday to attend to some official business connected with the sale of some lots.

Carlson's auction sale last Friday was quite successful and well attended. Property valued at over $2,000 changed hands during the day. The former owner, Mrs. Eva Carlson, moved on Saturday to this town where she has purchased a house and will make her future home. Chas. Sagmoen who has leased the place in company with John Sjolsvold, has moved his belongings there and will prepare to go to farming in deep earnest at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hasby and Miss Anna Rugt left on Saturday morning for Halma, where the former will visit with relatives for some time, and the latter returning to her home after visiting at the Hasby home for a month.

Mrs. T. Mellem was at Warren between trains last Tuesday visiting with Mrs. J. Backlund of Strathcona, who is at present an inmate at the hospital there to undergo an operation for cancer.

A communication has been sent us from the Sunshine district north of town announcing another meeting of the New Solum Farmers club to be held at the Sunshine school building next Saturday evening, April 17, and to which everybody is heartily invited. A good program is promised, and the intention is to have a debate on "Resolved, that a temperance law is preferable to the present prohibitory law," with John Batten on the affirmative and E. A. Silverness on the negative. Lunch will be sold.

Adolph Rafteseth left last Monday for Baudette where he expects to be employed in the future.

A bunch of the local young folks went up to Anderson's place Monday evening to render the usual charivari serenade, in honor of the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson, who returned home that morning and evidently enjoyed a good time in its kind.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm left on Saturday evening for Gully to bring home their Overland automobile, but had to give up the attempt on account of the condition of the roads in that section. It appears that about six inches of snow has fallen at that place a couple weeks ago which has rendered the roads in a very bad shape for driving in any kind of vehicle.

William Sorenson left on Tuesday evening for Steiner to attend a birthday party at the John Moyer home in honor of their daughter, Miss Ella, who is home on a visit.

Miss Myrtle Anderson was a pleasant caller in town last Saturday, to shop and visit.

Miss Alice Soderberg returned on Friday morning from Thief River Falls where she had spent a few days to shop and visit.

Enoch Nelson and John Sorenson of Anita, have been employed in town the last week doing some finishing work on the residence of A. S. Holm.

Sigurd Rafteseth was in Warren between trains last Saturday to attend to matters of business.

Miss Emma Sorenson left last week for North Dakota, where she will seek employment for the summer.

Two carloads of lumber have been shipped in this week, one for Contractors Sagmoen & Ranum for the new bank building, and one for the Hanson & Barzen Milling company.

Both the Standard and Manhatten oil trucks have been in this vicinity this week.

Thomas Thoreson left last Thursday for Nekoma, N. D., where he will be employed this spring.

A. T. Thoreson and daughter, Miss Olga, returned on Thursday morning from a visiting and shopping tour to Thief River Falls.

Herbert Carlson, Olof Opseth, Olof and Henry Lappegaard spent Sunday at Thief River Falls.

Matt Rafteseth and Joe Weiss left last Tuesday for Thief River Falls where the former will be employed, and the latter for a business trip.

ST. HILAIRE

Miss Anna Johnson and brother, Edward, shopped and visited in Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Rev. A. F. Nelson was pleasantly surprised last Wednesday at his home by a few friends, the occasion being his sixty-sixth birthday. He was presented with a neat sum of money.

Mrs. Paul Poetz and family of St. Peter, came here Wednesday morning.

Victor Scholin and Miss Tena Swanson of Black River, were quietly united in marriage at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage by Rev. A. F. Nelson last Wednesday afternoon. They were attended by the groom's sister, Edith, and Edward Johnson.

Miss Ida Engh arrived last Monday from Hillsboro, N. D., for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Herman Ortloff left Friday for Crookston to spend a few days with her daughters, who are employed there.

Miss Ethel Anderson came here on Friday from Thief River Falls, where she is taking a course in dressmaking, to spend the week-end at her parental home.

Miss Gladys Larson came Friday from Crookston to visit with Miss Blanche Hoff.

Mrs. A. Vik, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Anna, spent Friday in Thief River Falls, where they received dental treatment.

Mrs. G. Fellman and daughter, Mildred, came here Saturday morning from Grand Forks where the latter received medical treatment.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and Miss Mable, shopped and visited in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson spent Saturday in Thief River Falls.

A number of the young people here attended the dance in Hazel Saturday evening.

Misses Gladys Thorstad, Ellen Nelson, Irene Peterson and Clara Fellman, spent Saturday in Thief River Falls.

N. J. Highberg of St. Peter, arrived Monday morning to visit with relatives and friends.

Ben Lardy returned Monday morning from Grand Forks after spending Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlson and children left Monday for Gilbert, Minn., after spending a week at the L. A. Carlson home.

ESPLEE

Gust Fundanet called on friends in Esplee Sunday.

Gladys and Lester Siverson went to Esplee on Sunday.

Mrs. John Sund and children visited at the home of Paul Sund over Sunday and Monday.

Rev. J. O. Hoyum, Mrs. Nelson and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Sund, were visitors at the home of Paul Sund on Sunday.

Basil Bailou called on friends in Esplee on Sunday.

Fred Solly was a business caller in town on Monday.

Willie and Erick Kiessow made a trip to Esplee Monday.

Ruth Anderson made a trip to Grygla Saturday attending the Better School association meeting which was held there.

Conrad Sund spent Sunday visiting with relatives and friends in Esplee on Sunday.

Ruth Anderson and school children attended the program in the Moyland school house held last Thursday evening.

Paul P. Sund returned from Warren on Saturday after attending to business matters there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hornstine left last week for Bejou, where they will make their future home.

Turnbull Bros., called on John Carlson last Sunday.

W. E. Chapman has purchased a threshing machine and is in full work now.

Ruth Anderson, Hannah, Cora, Arthus and Axel Sund went to Carmel last Friday to take in a program and social given by the Carmel school. They report having had a good time.

Tom Lewis is busy hauling cord wood to Goodridge this week.

Mrs. Max Konig returned from Minneapolis on Monday after spending the winter there with her relatives.

Max Wonig went to Esplee Monday.

L. J. Tenold called on Oscar N. Olson last Monday.

Carl Hanson is hauling hay from the M. K. Woldstad farm this week.

Margaret Hoyum spent Saturday and Sunday with Alice Tenold.

Max Konig called on J. E. Ballow last Sunday.

Arthur Sund made a trip to Grygla last Saturday.

The Becker brothers are busy hauling hay from the Franzman place.

STEINER

Harvey Copp made a trip to this burg last Saturday.

Miss Pearl Warring visited at her grandmother's home over Sunday.

John Rejdl was a business caller here the middle of the week.

Miss Alice Solem visited at her home the last of the week.

Chris Stigen sawed wood for Mr. Warner last Friday.

Clarence Ringham visited with the S. R. Rogers family the past week. He returned to Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Harvey Copp made a business trip to Holt the last of last week.

Willis Warring was a business caller in Thief River Falls the last part of last week.

Arthur Simonson made a trip to Thief River Falls in his Ford the latter part of last week.

Nick Baker took a load of flax to Holt last Saturday.

S. R. Rogers called on Mr. Kisch the last of the week.

Arthur Bartelson moved his threshing machine from Mr. Roger's place to Mr. Mallberg's. He expects to finish threshing this week.

Arthur Simonson and family visited with the Baker family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Katie Meyer and son, Louie, called at the Ed. Warner home Sunday.

Joe Russell and little daughter, Gladys, called at the Roger's home Sunday afternoon.

Notice.

Party taking hay from stack in Section 1, town of Bray, between April 5 and 12, is known and he is hereby asked to call and settle for same in order to avoid trouble.—S. L. Sorenson, R. 1, Box 10-A.
a15-22-p.

WANT ADS ARE WONDERFUL WORKERS.

JOHN H
Pure Bred Percheron Stallion
Owned by
North Silverton Horse Co.

Will stand at Ramstad's barn in Thief River Falls, April 8 to 17, and at Hans Rued's farm from Saturday evening until Monday afternoon. At Pat Roark's farm, 4 miles north of Thief River Falls, Tuesday and Wednesday. At

Old Ramstad Barn

in Thief River Falls, Thursday, Friday, until Saturday noon.

AUCTION!

There will be a public sale of furniture at 501 Horace Ave. North, one block north of Central School House,

Wednesday, April 21st

Commencing at 12:30 o'clock sharp

1 Reo 5 passenger touring car, good as new
2 New beds
2 Sagless springs
2 Large leatehr rockers
5 Other rockers
1 Oak library table
1 Large dressing table
1 Dining room table
8 Dining chairs
2 Dressers
1 Walnut wash stand
2 Kitchen tables
1 Sanitary cot
2 Mattresses
1 Round Oak heater
1 Small heating stove
1 Good sewing machine
1 Automatic wringer
3 Wash tubs
1 Copper boiler
1 Copper tea kettle
Fruit jars, crocks and dishes

1 Kitchen cabinet
2 Stoves
1 Dining table
6 Dining chairs
4 Rocking chairs
1 Morris chair
1 Center table
1 Magazine stand
1 Dresser
1 Wash stand
2 Beds
2 Springs
2 Mattresses
1 Carpet sweeper
1 Wash boiler
2 Churns
1 Writing desk
1 Lounge
1 Wash tub and board
1 Carpet
Dishes and kitchen utensils
Other articles too numerous to mention.

E. T. Emmerson & Geo. Stevens

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION

The following articles will be disposed of at public auction at 611 Main Ave. No., on

Tuesday, April 20th

Commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp.

About 70 bu. good oats
1 Large ice box
1 All glass china closet
3 Tables
1 Rug.
A number of large pictures
1 Musical stand
1 Leather couch, good as new
1 Rocking chair
2 Large dining room tables
2 Cupboards
2 Oil stoves
6 dining room chairs
1 Kitchen table
2 Kitchen chairs
1 High chair
1 Child's bed
1 Dresser

1 Sewing table
4 Rocking chairs
1 Bed complete with spring and mattress
1 Couch
1 Blackboard
1 Self feeder coal stove
1 Book case
1 Center table
1 Wood box
1 Copper wash boiler
2 Tubs
1 Large carpet
2 Rolls linoleum
1 Wringer
1 22-cal. rifle
Dishes, kitchen utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

USAL TERMS

ED. WILCOX, OWNER

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Farmers' Combination Sale!

at Mavie, Minn.

on

Thursday, April 22

The following personal property will be sold at auction on the above date at the Public Square in Mavie:

HORSES

1 Bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1200
1 horse, 12 years old, wt. 1000
1 black mare, 5 years old, wt. 1400
1 bay mare, 3 years old, wt. 1200
1 bay gelding, 5 years old, wt. 1250
1 bay gelding, 4 years old wt. 1200
1 bay mare, 12 years old, wt. 1200
1 bay gelding, 8 years old, wt. 1400
1 black gelding, 8 years old, wt. 1400
1 mule, 10 years old, wt. 1000

CATTLE

1 cow, 4 years old
1 heifer, 2 years old
1 red cow, 5 years old
1 red cow, 5 years old
1 red cow, 6 years old
2 sow pigs, one year old
1 pig, 1 year old

MACHINERY, ETC.

1 5-ton wagon scale
1 Lowden potato digger, new
1 5-ft. Deering mower
1 Double seated buggy complete, good as new
1 Single buggy
1 Narrow tire wagon
1 Narrow tire wagon with hay rack
1 Wide tire wagon
1 Single buggy, good as new
125 Second growth oak fence posts
2 Sets of work harness
1 set 1 1-4 work harness
1 set 1 1-2 inch work harness
1 16-inch sulky plow
1 4-section iron drag
1 22-shoe drill, running order
1 3-burner oil stove with oven
1 24-ft, Boss harrow
1 Cleveland tractor, used as a demonstrator
1 24-inch Avery breaking plow
1 16-inch Monitor drill with grass attachment
1 2-section steel drag
1 3-horse Fairbanks gasoline engine
1 Martin feed mill, 6-in.
1 International manure spreader, new
1 14-in. Oliver gang plow, new

W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer Farmers State Bank of Mavie, Clerk

Rag Ball Social.

A rag ball social will be held at the North Star school house, Dist. No. 25, 5½ miles northwest of Thief River Falls on Saturday evening, April 17. Ladies, please bring rag ball and lunch for two.

An Unusual Sale.

In the big double page advertisement of Loken Brothers appearing on pages 12 and 13 of this issue will be found an array of bargains of the most unusual kind. The letter of explanation appearing in the announcement shows how the big store is able to offer goods of this character at such prices. A fortunate buying opportunity and the courage to make a large investment at the right time makes it possible for this store to stage this most astounding sale at a time when merchandise of almost every kind is steadily going upward in price. It will be worth the time spent for every woman reader of this paper to go over the offerings in the paper with the utmost care.

Combination Sale.

A rather unusual sale takes place at Mavie next Thursday when a number of residents of that neighborhood will pool quite a number of head of livestock and a quantity of farm machinery and offer it to the highest bidder. An announcement giving full details will be found in another section of The Times today. W. J. LaBree is the auctioneer in charge and the sale will be clerked by the Farmers State bank of Mavie.

Hospital Notes.

The following entries were made at the Physicians hospital since April 8:

Mrs. W. W. Gregory, city; Mrs. H. Peterson, Holt; Mrs. A. Bresne, Mavie; Francis Hincik, Mavie; Hannah Hannison, Halma; O. Florence, Oak Point; David Drotts, Viking; Mrs. S. Hanson, city; Louis Hanson, Holt; Mr. Melby, city; Mrs. G. H. Malstrom, Grand Forks; Mrs. H. Dahlen; Erie; Leonard Hoium, city; E. Sostad, Holt; Miss Dahlsing, city.

Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE

N. W. ¼ Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings on place. Write

J. PFEFFER
411 Torrey Bldg. Duluth, Minn.

FOR SALE—I have 20 acres 1 3-4 miles from Oslo, Florida; finest orange and grapefruit land; finest climate in the world. No winter, no bad storms. Plenty rain and sunshine. No crop failures. Can produce more on 20 acres there than 160 here; only 4 miles from ocean. Land selling now for $200 to $250 per acre, but will sell mine for $100 per acre if sold soon. May consider trade for city property. —J. L. Bean, City. 69p

EGGS FOR HATCHING FROM MY Blue Ribbon Stock, Black Leghorns. Most attractive chickens, heavy layers, easy keepers. White Wyandottes. Known for beauty as well as for utility. Mammouth Pekin Ducks. Very large snowwhite kind.—Geo. Leimers. 65tf

PUREBRED White Pekin Duck eggs, settings of 13 for sale, per setting $1.; also purebred B. Plymouth Rock chicken eggs, per setting 60c. Leave orders at Benson's old stand or write to me.—Purebred Stock and Dairy Farm, C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR SALE—150 bu. of Marquis wheat, 100 per cent germination guarantee. Grade No. 1, $3.25 per bu. 150 bu. barley, 99 per cent germ., $2.00 per bu.—F. Svobodny, Stop 7, Electric line, Germantown Route. 66tf

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 66tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave. Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Leimers. 61tf

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Sec. 17-154-41, 2½ miles northwest from Mavie. Price $5,000.00 $500.00 down, balance in five years.—Chas. Radtke, Nerstrand, Minn. 71p

FOR SALE—2 six-year-old horses, or your pick out of four. Some seed wheat, test 99, and seed oats of 1918 crop.—R. L. Muzzy, R. 2, Thief River Falls, Minn. 60p

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberries, $3.00 per 100. Call for plants at planting time upstairs over Palace Clothing Store, Miss Alvina Lautenbach. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at $11 per acre, 15 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric line. Inquire Times office or phone 4492. 65tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 67tf

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 8½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

160 ACRES UNIMPROVED LAND 6 miles to creamery, store and postoffice at a bargain. Will consider trade for good auto.—O. H. Nelson. Phone 441.

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FOR SALE—Large 6 room house. Pipeless furnace, 2 large porches, good water, 50 foot lot, wood shed and garage. 615 Markley Ave. S. 66p

FOR SALE—Overland touring car. Cheap if sold at once. Overhauled and painted. In fine shape throughout. $660.—E. L. Helgeland. 69

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—John Deere 24 inch brush breaker plow, steel beam, $125. H. P. Nabben, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls. 68p

FOR SALE—Good 5-room house with wood shed. Five lots. On East Side by Fred Brandvold. Enquire at C. Gustafson & Son. 65tf

FOR SALE—One nine room house and one five room house in Thief River Falls. Apply to Thos. H. Smith, Mavie, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—White Master cornet, King model. Practically new. Price reasonable if taken at once. Call phone 213.

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—Joliet Oil Pull tractor in good order with 5 plows. A bargain.—First and Peoples State Bank. 66

FOR SALE—Good work horse, gentle, single driver. Will sell cheap if taken at once.—801 Main Ave. N. 62tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles norhtwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—500 bu. Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bu. C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

GIVE ME A BID ON LOTS 6 and 7, Blk. 30, Red Lake Rapids.—Ole Habberstad, Lanesboro, Minn. 67

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Stable and garage combined, and a toilet. Inquire Joe Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 66tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Heater, China closet and good cupboard. Leaving town. Telephone 1651. 67p

FOR SALE OR RENT—Good modern house, four blocks from postoffice. Call The Times office. 65tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull lots; West Side, Will be sold cheap. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Ford Runabout, in good running order. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 63tf

FOR SALE—150 buhels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 100 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Set light driving harness.—Henry Wetmore, 208 Atlantic Ave. N 68p

FOR SALE—$1200.00 Case tractor, almost new. Will sell cheap—Address Times. 69p

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—House and 50-ft. lot on Conley Av. $500.00 takes it.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—1919 Oakland Touring car, $1,000.00—First and Peoples State Bank.

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. —Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of city. 68p

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

HOUSE FOR SALE—Inquire of Rev. Aug. Bredeson, Phone 233. 65tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots; one team of horses; two sets harness; two sets bob sleighs; two wagons.—Andrew Ness. 57tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15 or $8.00 per hundred.—Thos. H. Bjorke, Thief River Falls. 69p

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FLAX SEED FOR SALE, $6.50 per bushel—C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One-half crop plan, SE¼ Sec. 7 and SW¼ Sec. 8, Kratka. Owner to furnish seed and pay one-half twine and thresh bill. Communicate with W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

THREE MODERN ROOMS for rent. Furnished complete for light housekeeping, or rent single rooms furnished for rooming. 309 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 3761. 69p

FURNISHED ROOM FOR RENT—209½ Third Street, over Dalquist's Millinery. Ask for Mrs. F. H. Schmidt. 66p

FOR RENT—My place at 214 Tindolph Avenue south. Ed. O'Hara, Rt. 1, Newfolden, Minn. 62tf

FOR RENT—160 acres with good buildings; near market. Call at office of John Bratrud 61tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms at 116 St. Paul Ave. S.—Phone 3322. 64tf

FOR RENT—Farm. Inquire at Great Northern depot. 7tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Salesman for Thief River Falls and vicinity. Commission contract only, for spare time or full time. We will teach you to sell income protection through our free school of instruction and help you build a business of your own. Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., Accident and Health Dept., Saginaw Michigan, Capital $1,500,000. 67

WANTED—Man with team or auto, who can give bond to sell 137 Watkins home and farm products. Biggest concern of kind in world. $1500 to $5,000 yearly income. Territory in this county open. Write today, J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 112 Winona, Minn. 68p

WANTED — Experienced man as bookkeeper and for general office work.—Kiewel Brewing Co. 69

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl on farm, one mile from town. Power washer. Wages $35.00 per month for seven months beginning first of April.—L. L. Kyllo, McCune, N. D. 66p

WANTED—Capable girl, $40.00 a month for season. Power washer.—Mrs. Frank Quigley, Fisher, Minn. 64

WANTED—Scandinavian girl for general house work.—The Times. 69p

GIRL WANTED FOR GENERAL housework, 400 Knight Ave. N. 66

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Sheepskin coat, somewhere between Red Lake Elevator and 4 miles west of town. Reward of $5.00 offered for return to Times office. 66pd

MISCELLANEOUS

SELL YOUR HOUSE WHILE PROPerty is high. Don't buy for awhile. Property is going to be cheaper later. I want to buy a five-room house and a good car. Call or write. Cash deal. August Carlson, city. Box 1124. 66p

HAVE LAYERS, NOT LOAFERS. Anconas are the world's best today. Eggs for sale at $2.50 per 15. Also Partridge Cochins and White Breasted Black Polish.—Ben Kruse, 424 Red Lake Blvd. 66p

FIRST-CLASS HAIR DRESSING and shampooing with soft water. Hairdressing, 25 and 50 cents; with shampoo, 75 cents; massage, 35 cents. Six for $5.00. Phone 502 for appointment. 70

DRESSMAKING WANTED—Reasonable. Place 1½ miles south of Elwell school. Address Gertrude Barstad, T. R. F. 66

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOUSE a flat or a duplex, or a farm, see M. V. Evenson, 424 LaBree Ave. Phone 68. 60tf

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

DRESSMAKING WANTED AT HOME —Good work. Phone 424. 63tf

Amusements

The Lyceum

Today and Friday
J. WARREN KERRIGAN
—in—
"A White Man's Chance"
He Sticks to his Friends and Smites his Enemies
Harold Lloyd Comedy

Saturday
MABEL NORMAND
—in—
"When Doctors Disagree"
She Took a Correspondence Course in Love.
Century Comedy
"African Lions and American Beauties"

THE LYCEUM

Big Special Double Program
SUNDAY and MONDAY
Paramount Artcraft Picture
THOS. H. INCE
Special Presentation
"Dangerous Hours"
—also—
"A Kinogram"
—and—
CHARLIE CHAPLIN
IN HIS FOURTH MILLION DOLLAR COMEDY
"A Day's Pleasure"
Matinee Sunday: 2:30. Evening 7:30 and 9:00.
Usual Sunday Admission

The PRINCESS

Saturday
GEORGE WALSH
—in—
"The Winning Stroke"

This is the picture showing the actual life of a boy at Harvard University. It is based on the greatest college athletic and social event of the year, the Yale-Harvard Varsity boat race

Also the ninth episode of
"SMASHING BARRIERS"

Sunday and Monday
"The Still Alarm"
—with—
THOMAS SANTCHI and FRITZI BRUNETTE

A wonderful picture, produced at an enormous cost. A seven-story chemical factory and a beautiful mansion were burned to the ground. Seven fire companies were used to produce the different scenes. This picture will be of special interest to our fire department and the management hereby extend an invitation to the members of our fire department to see this picture Sunday afternoon at our expense.

Matinee Sunday: 2:30
KINOGRAM NEWS

A Necessity in the Gentlemen's Wardrobe—The
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Sold in stores where style and quality dominates.
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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Local Notes

Mrs. H. L. Groven of Holt shopped and visited in this city last Wednesday.

Aug. Rolland of St. Hilaire was a business caller in this city last Wednesday.

P. P. Palmer, prominent merchant of Mavie, was a business caller in this city on Monday.

William Korstad of Highlanding spent Saturday in this city attending to business affairs.

Mrs. J. Holstein arrived the first of last week from Overly, N. D., to attend to business affairs.

Phil Bryant, Soo dispatcher at Superior spent Sunday visiting with his many friends in this city.

Miss Agnes Froslund returned to Red Lake Falls Wednesday after visiting at the home of her parents here.

Miss Gerda Mortenson, instructor in the local schools, spent Sunday at the home of her parents in Fosston.

Miss Clara Erickson left on Monday morning for Holt where she will be the guest of an aunt for a few days.

Miss Marie Thill left on Thursday afternoon for St. Hilaire where she visited until the following morning with friends.

Mrs. E. F. Dolan returned the latter part of last week from Fergus Falls where she visited at the home of her parents.

Mrs. H. E. Edberg left on Sunday evening for her former home in Chicago, where she will remain for an indefinite period.

Miss Clarice Finberg left on Monday morning for Middle River where she will visit with relatives for a short while.

Supt. David Johnson of Warren, was a visitor in this citiy Thursday evening. He returned to Warren the following morning.

Miss Elizabeth Strom returned to her home in Spooner on Monday morning having completed a term of school near this city.

Alf Krohn who spent a few days last week visiting at his home in this city, returned to Aneta, N. D., where he is employed in a drug store.

Miss Adele Gulden, for the past few months employed in Minneapolis, arrived last week to remain indefinitely at the home of her parents.

Miss Alice Thompson spent the week-end visiting at her home here. She returned to Hazel where she teaches school, on Monday morning.

Carl Sundahl left on Saturday evening for Chicago where he will remain with relatives for a week or ten days, while receiving optical treatment.

T. P. Anderson left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis where he appeared as a witness at a trial of a young man from this community who evaded the draft.

Mrs. John Hay and two children left Friday afternoon for their home in Grand Forks after a brief visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Louise Robbecke.

Mrs. Dan Patterson, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mable, visited and shopped in this city Saturday, returning to their home at St. Hilaire on the same day.

Miss Helen Strand left on Saturday morning for Roseau where she is engaged in teaching school, after a week's vacation spent at the home of her parents in this city.

Mrs. Oscar Neste and daughter, Amanda, returned to ther home at Greenbush Monday morning having spent a few days here receiving medical treatment for the latter.

Miss Effie Christianson arrived on Thursday morning from her home in Fertile to enter upon her duties as saleslady in the ready-to-wear department at Loken Bros.' store.

Mrs. A. Maddison returned to her home in McIntosh on Friday evening after visiting for a brief time at the home of Mrs. M. Strom in this city, and with her parents who reside in Holt.

E. J. Kelley left on Thursday afternoon for his home in Medicine Lake, Mont., after spending a few days visiting at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kelley.

Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, state chairman of the Republican Woman's organization, arrived on Saturday evening from Bemidji. While in this city she was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

C. E. Williams of Rollis spent Friday in this city, enroute to his home. Previous to his visit here he had spent a period of a month visiting with friends and relatives in the southern part of the state.

Mrs. M. W. Brink left on Monday morning for Rainy River, Ont., Can., where she will spend a couple of days as the guest of Mrs. W. J. Foley, nee Elsie SinClair. She will return to this city Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop returned on Saturday morning from St. Paul, where she had been in attendance at the meeting of the state executive committee of the Republican Womans organization, held there last week.

Mrs. Christian Nelson left on Friday afternoon for Devils Lake, N. D., where she will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives. Her daughter, Miss Mina Nelson, accompanied her as far as Grand Forks.

Miss Alice Yager left on Thursday afternoon for Ada where she will be the guest of relatives and friends for a short while. Her parents will join her there and together they will continue to Spokane, Wash., where they will reside in the future.

Miss Violet Eckren spent the week-end visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Anna Langseth. Miss Eckren formerly attended school in this city and while here made her home with her aunt. She returned to Birchdale where she is engaged in teaching school, on Monday morning.

Junior-Senior Banquet.

A transformation of the undecorated walls of the high school gymnasium into a veritable garden was the clever accomplishment of the Juniors in their banquet to the Seniors on Saturday evening. The walls and ceiling were concealed by a solid network of yellow and green crepe paper which colors accentuated the spirit of spring. In the center of the room was arranged a unique fountain surrounded by ferns. Directly above suspended from the paper dome hung a beautifully shaded light.

Sweet strains of music furnished by Wilbur Roth and Mrs. Holmberg, with Miss Jessie Barnett, accompanist, floated over the gay party as they dined. The orchestra was seated in a cleverly arranged arbor on the stage.

This was the beautiful setting for the two hundred guests who sat at small tables, fifty in number. Twenty-five girls dressed in middy costumes served under the supervision of the Misses Grace Wilson and Meta Kiland.

The decorative scheme of the menu cards and baskets containing mints was carried out in yellow and green. The guests were seated at the tables from eight until ten. The banquet was served in five courses with Julian Provencher of the Evelyn hotel as caterer. The menu follows:

Mint Cocktails
Roast Pork Mashed Potatoes
Pickles
Parker House Rolls
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Cake and Coffee
Mints

Immediately following the last course a delightful program was given.

Welcome............Clayton Steenerson
Response..............Herman Aakre
"In the Harbor".....Dr. O. F. Mellby
Vocal Solo...............Miss Zella Zeh
"Sailing"...........Miss Ella M. Evans
"Rocks and Reefs".....W. A. Ziegler
Piano Solo.......Miss Lillian Poppitz
"Anchored"..............Miss Zella Zeh
"Home Again"...Miss Agnes Wilson

The decorations were under the supervision of Miss Zeh, Junior class advisor, and much appreciation and thanks are due her for the time and effort put forth in order to produce such artistic and original effects. The gymnasium will be open during the coming week to anyone who wishes to view it.

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The Uses of Peat for Fuel Purposes

(By H. W. Protzeller.)

In the countries of Europe where peat is extensively used, namely Ireland, England, Denmark, Germany and Russia, the simplest and most ancient method of preparation is still most commonly used. This is mainly due to the fact that hand labor is cheaper in these countries than in the United States; also the peat beds or deposits are small and quite widely scattered, there being very few farms of any size that do not contain at least a small amount of peat. In most parts of these countries practically the only fuel used by the peasants is peat that has been prepared by themselves. They go to the peat bogs and dig up and dry their winter supply of fuel in much the same manner as the American farmer formerly went to the forests and cut his supply of wood.

The preparation of cut peat is so simple and the equipment for making it so inexpensive that the owners of peat bogs can readily make enough for their own domestic consumption. However it is a question whether this cut peat will ever come into any general use in the United States outside of the communities directly contiguous to the peat bogs.

One Advantage Here.

In Northwestern Minnesota practically all of the peat bogs are already thoroughly drained so that the most expensive part of the work of preparing cut peat has been accomplished. Also the peat is usually in better condition to be worked and handled on account of this drainage. The next step is to strip off the top sod and lay it to one side, leaving the lower surface as nearly smooth as possible to form a drying ground for the cut peat.

The tool used for making cut peat is called a slane, which is a narrow steel spade with a sharp cutting edge. It is ten to twelve inches long and six inches wide. It has a sharp steel lug welded on one side of the point of the blade and at right angles thereto. The digger forces this slane into the peat, cutting a brick of the peat the size of the slane and about four inches thick. He then raises it up and passes it to the so-called tender who takes it from the blade and lays it on the smooth surface already prepared and to one side of where the digging takes place. Here the bricks are allowed to remain until dried. The digging then continues along the bog in most any manner desired, always leaving the new surface of the bog from which the peat has been dug as smooth as possible so as to form a new drying ground.

When the blocks of this cut peat are placed on the drying ground they are usually piled on edge to allow the surplus water to dry out. Sometimes they are turned after they have stood for a week or so, although this is not necessary. After the bricks are dry enough to be easily handled they are stacked up in piles of twelve to twenty bricks so arranged that the air can readily circulate through the whole pile. They are allowed to remain thus for about four weeks, depending upon the weather. They are then removed to a large stack somewhere near where they are to be used. When placing the bricks in this stack they are so arranged that there is a small air space between each brick, which allows still more of the water in the peat to evaporate.

These cut peat bricks weigh from a half to one pound each after they have been thoroughly air dried and will be about 6 to 8 inches long, 4 inches wide and 2½ to 3 inches thick. They contain about 20 to 30 percent of moisture. This is really the poorest form of peat fuel, as it is bulky, easily broken or crumbled and burns up very rapidly, especially if the draft is strong. However, it is equal to wood in the amount of heat produced. It burns with a red, somewhat smoky flame. It kindles very easily and will retain a fire for a long time if the draft is closed. It can be burned in all wood stoves and in most coal stoves except those of the magazine type.

Cost of Production.

The cost of producing peat in this form varies with the cost of labor, as it is entirely a hand labor proposition. Two men with the ordinary amount of skill will dig and lay out on the drying ground from six to ten tons of cut peat per day of ten hours. The total cost of producing the cut peat, stacked ready for use will run, in this country, from $1.75 to $3.00 per ton of air dried product.

Cutting and drying of this form of peat should be done as early in the spring as possible, for the reason that it is much easier to dig at this time and also it will dry more readily in the early spring and summer than later in the fall. When the cut peat is placed in the final stack it should be covered over in some manner, either with boards or with a grass tatch, in order to keep the snow of winter and the rains of fall from it. Otherwise the peat bricks will take up moisture and will have to dry out again before being ready or fit to use.

No Commercial Value.

There are other methods of preparing this cut peat by hand, but the above is the one most generally used and the most practical. One way is to use an ordinary hay knife and go through the bog cutting large square lumps by sawing to a depth of two or even three feet and then loosening these lumps at the bottom and taking them to the drying ground. This, however, is not very satisfactory for the reason that the bricks are too large to handle easily and they crumble from their own weight.

Machines have been developed and are used to some extent to do the necessary cutting of this form of peat, when it is used on a larger scale. The essential parts of these machines are a series of knives which are forced through the bog leaving the cut bricks behind them. They are then picked up and loaded in carts or wheel barrows and taken to the drying grounds. From then on the process is as outlined above.

This cut peat has really no commercial value for the reason that it will not bear transportation and it is so bulky that in order to store a winter's supply for the ordinary home a basement several times the size of the house would be necessary. But there is no reason why farmers and settlers living close to a peat bog should ever buy any wood or coal when this fuel may be so easily prepared, and where it may be stored outdoors the bulkiness is no drawback.

Machine Peat.

The term machine peat is used to designate all forms of peat fuel which, after being dug, has been treated to a process of grinding or macerating and pressing before forming it into bricks for final use. It is the result of developments from the old hand process of taking cut peat and was designed to overcome most of the defects to be found in that form. It produces a more compact and very much denser product and one that will bear transportation to most any distance.

The fibrous peats to be found in this region are so vastly improved by the machining that there is no comparison. The effects of this mechanical treatment is to reduce the fibers to a pulp, thus releasing all of the water contained in the plant cells that cannot otherwise be reached by the drying process. The water retaining capacity is greatly lowered, hence the peat will dry much more rapidly and to a greater extent so that the resulting fuel is more compact, denser and of far superior quality.

When the macerated or ground pulp is placed on the drying racks or ground the outside is soon covered with a coating of a gluelike substance that becomes nearly waterproof when thoroughly dry, but which still is porous enough to allow the water of the inside to evaporate and escape. The result is that rain does not wet this form to any appreciable extent.

Equipment Not Expensive.

There are two distinct methods of processes used for macerating the peat. The first is to add enough water to the peat as it comes from the bog to make it into a soft paste. After grinding the material is almost a liquid. It is then flowed upon the ground and after drying sufficiently it is cut into bricks and allowed to dry still more. This method has been supplanted by the more recent and better process of grinding the peat just as it comes from the bog, which produces a pulp of about the consistency of ordinary mortar. This pulp is then forced through orifices of the proper shape to make bricks by cutting into the proper lengths. This is the method most generally used and differs only in the type of machine and the method of drying the pulp.

This method of manufacturing peat into commercial fuel is adaptable to all kinds of raw peat. The equipment needed for carrying on the process is not very expensive and it has been so thoroughly demonstrated as to be far past the experimental stage. As a matter of fact it is the only method so far found to be satisfactory in Europe for producing fuel for general purposes, being much more profitable than the briqueting processes.

The first types of machines for making this form of peat fuel attempted to force the water from the substance by means of pressing. This was a natural mistake, as it seems that it should be very easy to press water out of peat, but after many years of expensive trials it has been proven impossible. The forces of nature, the sun and the wind are the only successful and profitable means to employ in getting the water out of peat.

The different types of machines and their resulting products will be discussed in another article.

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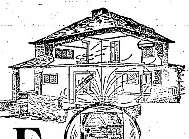

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Places of More Than 5,000, Less Than 25,000, Included.

200,000 MINNESOTANS TO BE ASKED QUESTIONS

Under the direction of Rev. Howard Johnson, the Interchurch World Movement will make a survey in Minnesota of all cities of 5,000 and less than 25,000 population. There are about 30 of these cities in all, and they include all Minnesota cities except Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth. The total population of these 30 cities is more than two hundred thousand.

The survey will include a plat of the educational, industrial business, philanthropic and religious activities in each block of the city. This block survey will be followed by a house to house inquiry to ascertain the church membership or religious preference of each person living in the city. Results will be tabulated to give a comprehensive idea of the whole situation in the community.

Each church will also fill out a detailed schedule, giving a recital of past achievements and an estimate of future needs. Recommendations based upon the surveys will be sent to the various denominational missionary boards concerning the needs of each field.

The cities to be surveyed in Minnesota under this arrangement are varied in character, but for the most part are agricultural, railroad or educational cities. Six of the cities are in the Iron Range district.

Mr. Johnson resigned as pastor of the Baptist Church of Luverne to give all his time to the Interchurch World Movement. He is a graduate of Bucknell University and Crozier Theological Seminary. He came to Minnesota three years ago from a New York pastorate.

The surveys are already organized in Northfield, Winona, Rochester, Hibbing, Bemidji, Brainerd and Moorhead.

A Letter From the West.

To our many friends in Thief River Falls: We promised so many to write and tell about our trip and how we like Washington that I will ask The Times to print a letter which will have to answer to all and save me a lot of work.

We left Thief River Falls on the 24th of March, stopping at Crookston and Grand Forks on our way to Ferndale, Washington. At Grand Forks we were met by Mr. and Mrs. Ladmell and we had just time to say goodbye before the coast train came in.

The first night we did not sleep much as we were not used to sleeping on a train. Next morning we found ourselves out in Montana and found another party from Thief River Falls on the train—Mr. and Mrs. Erick Lorn—on their way to Seattle. We had our coffee cooked and table set just like home and enjoyed our trip although there is not much to see through Montana. It became dark before we reached Glazier Park so we did not see much there.

The second night we slept well and next morning noticed that the train was standing still. I looked out and saw the steep mountain on one side and a river on the other. Found there was a rock slide ahead of the train and saw a big rock had fallen out of the mountain wall and across the rail. The trainmen were using dynamite in an effort to blast it away but the rock was so large that each charge took away but little of it. At last they chiselled away sufficient to allow the engine to pass but the ladders on the side of the baggage car caught and the train had to back up again. Finally after three hours and twenty minutes delay we managed to pass. That rock might have thrown the whole train into the river but for the watchman patrolling this dangerous pass. He happened to hear the rock slide and stopped the train just in time. This happened a little ways east of Bonners Ferry, Idaho. Arrived at Spokane and had a 15 minute stop, continuing at high speed as they were trying to make up for lost time. This was not to be, however, as just as we were coming to a little station named Edwall we were again stopped by a wrecked freight train ahead. Another three hours of waiting.

But they say everything has an end and so it was with this trip. We had been delayed so much that in running down to Winatche it became dark and we missed the most interesting scenery on the whole trip—the Cascade mountains where the train runs on high trestles, through tunnels and winding in and out among mountain peaks. Arrived at Everett at 12 o'clock at night and stayed till morning. Boarded another train going north and arrived at our destination at 1 o'clock.

Now I presume your question is about as follows: How do you like Washington? The answer is: Don't like it so far. We were told before we came here that it was full summer, but such is not the case. There is an awful cold wind and we even have snow on the ground since we came here, so we have not gained anything by changing places so far and if we don't like it any better a year from now most likely we will move back to Minnesota.

We live on a paved road where about 1,000 autos pass every day with such speed that I am afraid to look at them. Accidents happen very often.

Met the Skogstad family since we came here and they seem to like it allright. They have a very nice place.

Well, I don't know whether The Times has its own printing plant again so I must close my letter. Should I find that it has been of any interest to my old neighbors I might perhaps write another. This is my first communication to a newspaper, but I trust in the mountains being so high that I cannot hear the remarks.

Our best greetings to all our friends at Thief River Falls. Yours truly, O. J. OIEN and Family.

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"For three years I have been in bad health. I was in the army but it failed to improve my condition like it did for most of the boys, in fact, I kept getting worse and worse all the time," continued Mr. Hangen. "When I got out of the army I was in such a weakened, run-down condition that I was as pale as a ghost, felt tired all the time, had an awful case of indigestion and, in short was in the worst fix I had ever been in. My appetite was so poor that I had to force myself to eat enough to keep alive and even then what I ate disagreed with me and gave me terrible cramping pains in my stomach and caused me to have attacks of heartburn. My blood was in bad condition and I had awful attacks of headaches and my kidneys troubled me so much that I had terrible pains through my back. *I couldn't sleep sound at night* and I was so weak that I could hardly get about and all that kept me going was nerve.

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$85.0 Ladies' Suits, in all wool Tricotines and Men's Wear Serge; large selection to choose from. Come early if you want one of these Suits at our price of only ---------- **$49.95**

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Ladies' Suits in fine all l Men's Serge and Novelty Suitings. A wonderful s ion of fine garments in this ce
$[illegible]9.95

$35.00
Ladies' fine Sport Coats, also full length Navy and Black Serge Coats and a wonderful selection of Tweed Coats. Wonderful styles and all sizes. Special each
$22.95

FIFT SILK TAFFETA DRESSES.
Just arrived from New . All the latest styles from Fifth Avenue. Every one of these dresses was ma sell at $35.00 to $40.00, but they arrived six weeks late and just in time for sale. The entire lot, which consists of all sizes, mostly in Navy Blue and Bl with a few of every leading Spring shade, goes on this sale at your choice for e only ---------- **$22.95**

Positively no lay-bys, no alterations, no mail orders, no telephone ders, no approvals at this sale. Each and every article sold for spot cash only. No credit or approv charges to anyone during this sale.

120 HIGH SCHOOL MIDDIES

Made of the highest quality white Middy cloth detachable Navy Blue felt collars and cuffs. $3.50 and $4.00 values. At this sale ---------- 2.95

APRONS

One big lot of Aprons; several styles; all colors and all sizes: all $2.00 values. At this sale each, only ---------- 1.[illegible]

CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES

o Children's Gingham Rompers. Assorted atterns. Sizes 2 to 6. Special at this sale, ---------- 1.25

CHILDREN'S SKIRTS

Something new. Washable, to be worn with middies. Sizes 2 to 12 years. Two lots are offered at this sale for each only ---------- 85c-$1

One rack of Women's Coats, Suits and Dresses, regular $25.00 to $50.00 values, choi Silk Messaline, Silk Taffeta, and All Wool Serge Dresses, at your choice over 60 garments consisting of Ladies' Serge Suits and Coats, **Half Price**

Extra Special Dress Value

One big lot of $50.00 Silk Georgette and Silk Taffeta Dresses. A splendid selection of styles in all shades and nearly all sizes. During this sale they go at - - - - - - - **$39.95**

Special White Waist Value

ur entire stock of Organdie and Voile White Waists, all sizes, several styles. All slightly soiled due to handling. They are all regular $3.50, $3.00 and $2.50 values For this sale take your choice at each - - **$1.98**

Our Entire Stock of Fine Georgette Waists I luded in This Sale at Money-Saving Prices

$7.50 Georgette Waists, all colors and all sizes, on sale at $5.95

$10.00 Georgette Waists. Entire stock on sale now at $7.95

$12 Georgette Waists. ntire stock on sale a ch $9

$15.00 Georgette Waists. Entire stock on sale at each $11.85

$18.00 Georgette Waists. Entire stock on sale at each $13.95

Silk Petticoats, a Beautiful Line to Se[illegible] From, at Remarkable Bargain Prices

$6.00 Values at ------$4.98 $6.50 Values at ------$5.85 $7.50 Values at ------[illegible] alues at ------$6.98 $10.00 Values at -----$8.35 $12.50 Values at -----$9.95

Black Sateen Petticoats at Below Wholesale Cost

$1.35 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.00

$1.50 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.19

$1.95 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.69

$2.50 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.99

APRONS

The biggest line of fine Mina Taylor Aprons ever produced.

$2.50 Values, a big selection of neat styles in several patterns. This sale ---------- $2.35

$3.00 Values, all new styles in all sizes; new patterns, new $2.75

$3.50 Values, some of our very best new styles. This sale $3.19

Silk Skirts

big line of patterns to choose from. Plaids, Stripes, etc., all to go this Sale at a big reduction in order to reduce stock.

$10.00 k Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $7.95

$12.50 Silk Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $9.95

$15.00 k Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $11.85

$18.50 Silk Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $13.95

Visit Our Basement

Ready-to-Wear Department

Aprons	69c, 89c, 99c
Rompers	50c, 65c, up to $1.25
Girls' Dresses	$1.00, $1.25

Coats and Suits on Sale at a Fraction of Their Real Value.

You can always find lots of splendid bargains in our basement—values that cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

Loken Brothers [illegible]epartment Store
Thief River[illegible] Minnesota

Loken's Silk Department

Steps Forward With the Most Wonderful Values Offered in Years

SILK CREPE DE CHENE: our entire stock of over thirty shades; a $3.50 value everywhere, run special by us only at $2.85. Special for this sale, choice of the entire stock at, per yard ---------- **$1.98**

100 Yards of 36-inch Black Taffeta and 50 yds. Black Messaline Silk, will be offered on this sale at, per yard
$1.98

100 Yards of Sport Silk; a remarkable value. This material is suitable for several purposes and will be offered at wholesale in order to close it out. Per yard
98c

GEORGETTE SILK CREPE. Our entire stock of 35 shades, No. 1 quality, regular $3.50 value, special for this sale only at per yard ---------- **$2.39**

WE SHALL OFFER AT THIS SALE A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF PLAIDS AND STRIPED FANCY DRESS SILKS, VALUES $2.00 TO $4.00, IN THREE LOTS, AT CHOICE PER YARD

$1.59 $1.98 $2.98

Extra Special 1000 Yards fancy wide Silk Ribbon, over 100 patterns both light and dark to choose from, 50c values, at this sale, per yard ---------- **39c**

225 Yards of 36-inch Fruit of the Loom Muslin, 60c per yard value, limit 10 yards to any one customer, at per yard
39c

75 Yards Striped Cotton Suiting, a value that would be cheap at twice our price. Special per yard for this sale
39c

50 Yards of Striped Satin Voile. A dollar value but goes for this sale at per yard only
79c

100 Yards Fancy Voile, assorted patterns, special per yard - - - 69c

PEPSODENT TOOTH PASTE Sold the world over at from 50c to 60c. Our price
39c

14x22 inch Huck Towels, best bleached, smooth even weave, fast color, Turkey red border, ea
15c

18½x39 in. Turkish Bath Towels. You don't often find towels of this size and quality at each
39c

Special Shoe Values Offered For This Sale Only in Our Main Floor Shoe Dept.

An all white washable F., B. & C. Kid Shoe with a covered Louis heel and welt sole. This is a $22.00 value; special for this sale
$14.95

The same Shoe as above only in the Pearl Grey. Price per pair
$13.95

A lot of high grade Brown Kid and Black Kid Shoes with covered Louis heels and flexible welt soles, will be sold for less than manufacturers' cost. There are values to $16.00 in this lot. Special sale price
$9.95

Some Grey Kid Shoes with either the leather or cloth top and military heels. Special
$7.95

A lot of Women's and Growing Girls' Shoes in the Brown Calf, Black Kid or Gun Metal, with military heel. A dandy shoe for the school girl. Sizes 4 to 8. Per pair
$5.95

The same Shoe as above in sizes 11½ to 2
$4.65

And in sizes 8½ to 11
$3.95

THE good looks of a Lanpher may get you· its wearing qualities will hold you. The new models certainly have a pleasing personality.

LANPHER HATS

THE STRENGTH OF A BANK

The strength of a bank depends entirely upon the ease tnr speed with which it can make its assets available in Cash when needed. Because of our membership in the Federal Reserve System, we can at any time instantly obtain cash. This in effect increases our available reserve and insures our being able to meet any demand for funds which the community may make upon us.

YOU WILL BENEFIT BY MAKING THIS STRONG NATIONAL INSTITUTION YOUR BANKING HOME

First National Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Resources Over One Million Dollars

52¢
How would YOU like a raise like this?

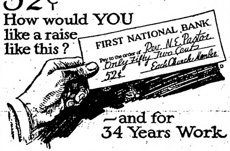

—and for 34 Years Work

THAT is the kind of increase in salary the minister has received. His living expenses have risen just as fast and as far as yours.

But he is paid on the average just 52 cents more *per church member* than he was paid 34 years ago.

The Minister Never Fails You

Every officer of the Government with a war message to deliver appealed to the ministers first of all.

But 80% of the ministers receive less income than government economists figure as a minimum for the support of an average family.

When hospitals need money they enlist the support of the ministers—and receive it.

But when sickness visits the minister or the members of his family they must be treated in a charity ward. His pay is less than a day laborer's.

8 out of every 10 ministers receive less than $20 a week—about half the pay of a mechanic.

We Pay Him Half the Wages of a Mechanic

And of these pitifully inadequate salaries, how much do *you* contribute? Nothing if you are outside the church; an average of less than 3c a day if you are a church member.

All of us share in the benefits of Christian ministers to the community. They marry us; bury us; baptize our children; visit us when we are sick. In their hands is the spiritual training of the youth.

We Are All Profiteers at Their Expense

Part of the Interchurch World program is this—a living wage for every minister of Jesus Christ; an efficient plant, and a chance to do a big man's job.

If you want better preachers, help to pay the preachers better. It's the best investment for your community—and for your children—that you can ever make.

INTERCHURCH WORLD MOVEMENT
45 WEST 18th STREET, NEW YORK CITY

The publication of this advertisement is made possible through the co-operation of 30 denominations.

MANY KINDS, AND ALL GOOD

That Would Seem to Be the Verdict of Humanity on the Great Question of Pies.

They were talking about pies and discussing which was the best, and, what we gathered from the cheerful controversy, all were the best.

The person who stood up for the good old apple pie was just as eloquent in his references to the peach or pumpkin pie. In fact, each person would hurry through the praise of one kind of pie in order to champion another, which convinced us that of all the varieties of food in this world the pie is the blessedest.

Sometimes you will find a man who doesn't eat pie, but watch him. Pie is a remedy for many distempers. We one time cured a ferocious sick headache with a quarter of mince pie, and that, too, on the advice of a physician.

One of the party never heard of a mulberry pie, and what a barren life she must have led. We are through with the cherry pie era and with what joy it has filled the world! We came to the berry era, and first of all there is the huckleberry pie, which berry has rescued from sunshine and soil all the grace of the earth. If a man does not like a huckleberry pie, it is because the pie or himself has not been well made. The black raspberry pie stands away up on the snowy peaks of perfection and for picnic purposes it is unparalleled. When we eat raspberry pie in the woods we feel that the Dryads are feeding us from their lily white hands.

There are other glorious pies, of course, but we must have room to say that the glory of a pie is in the grace and charm of the cook. The pastry depends upon her temper, and the pastry is three-fourths of a pie. If we were going to get married again, we would arrange a pastry-making contest, and the damsel that made the best pastry we would marry—if we could.—Ohio State Journal.

UNABLE TO ANALYZE DRUG

Intoxicating Principles of Powerful Narcotic, "Cohoba," Remain a Mystery to Chemists.

When Columbus arrived at the island of Haiti he and his followers were interested to observe a curious practice of the natives, who were accustomed on ceremonial occasions to make use of a narcotic snuff productive of a sort of hypnotic state, with vision supposed to be supernatural.

The tribal wizards, or priests, while under the influence of the drug, were accustomed to hold communication with unseen powers, and their mutterings were construed as prophecies and revelations of hidden things.

The snuff was called "cohoba," and, in the form of a fine powder, was inhaled through a forked wooden tube, the forks being inserted in the nostrils and the lower end of the tube buried in a little heap of the snuff, which was held on a tray of carved wood. Sometimes large snail shells were used for snuff boxes.

The mimosa-like tree from which the snuff is obtained is plentiful along the banks of the Orinoco and the Amazon. It grows in Haiti, Porto Rico and other islands of the Antilles. The seeds yielded by its pods are dried, roasted and ground to powder, which is sometimes mixed with lime from calcined snail shell.

Only recently has this tree been identified by Dr. W. E. Safford of the government plant bureau as the source of the snuff, the origin of which has hitherto been a puzzle. The chemical properties of the drug are still unknown and so its intoxicating principle remains a mystery.

Frightful Experience.

"What was my most thrilling experience?" mused the ex-pilot. "Ah! I could never forget it. It was a bright starlight night, but the lurid flashes around us obscured all else as we sped through the air. The advancing enemy was hard upon us, while all around we heard the weird, savage music so terribly familiar, and the thud as of a thousand falling meteors. We dived, looped, corkscrewed till our senses were numbed. I felt a sharp pain in my right foot, a dull weight in my side—I was falling, falling—and knew no more till I found myself lying on the ground badly smashed some hours later."

"And that was really your record aerial engagement?"

"No," he replied; "it was my first experiment with the jazz."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Paying the War Cost.

Referring to the cost of the war, Secretary of War Baker told the finance committee of the senate and house that the total outgo in round numbers would be $30,000,000,000; but $9,000,000,000 of this was loans to our allies. Nearly a third of the net cost has already been paid out of money raised by taxation. The other two-thirds was obtained from the five Liberty loans. If we pay a billion a year, besides interest, we can clear off the war cost in about twenty-one years.

Big Contribution to War.

One of the most striking contributions of the United States to the war was the enormous quantity of smokeless powder high explosives produced, says the Scientific American. From April 1, 1917, to November 11, 1918, we produced 632 million pounds of smokeless powder, which was almost exactly equal to the combined output of France and Great Britain.

Taken Up.

Notice is hereby given that I have taken up a stray yearling heifer on my farm, one mile west of Thief River Falls on the Jefferson highway. Red in color. Owner can have same by paying for feed during time animal has been in my care and paying the cost of this advertisement.

N. A. NELSON,
a1-8-15 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Automobile Insurance Agents Wanted

In every town in Minnesota to represent us. Must be reliable live wires.

LOW RATES
BIG COMMISSIONS

Northwestern Automobile Ins. Co.
Worthington, Minn.
a8-15

Investigate This

I have 160 acres, ten miles out on the State Highway, one mile to Mavie on the Electric line. New house, 18x36, two stories high, full basement with cistern. Maple floors both upstairs and downstairs. New barn, 26x40. Built of excellent quality lumber. Another building used for granary, 20x36, shingle roof; 20 acres pasture, 50 acres in timothy, 50 acres ready for crop. Am in shape to give possession at once. Will sell on easy terms to right party.

M. V. EVENSON

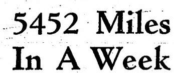

5452 Miles In A Week

New *Triplex* Springs Help Overland 4 Break Record

In the great endurance test recently at Indianapolis an Overland 4 stock car covered an average of more than 778 miles each day for 7 days.

The success of this severe test is another proof of the quality of material in the Overland 4, and the protection afforded the chassis by the *Triplex* Springs.

Overland

K. A. SUNDAHL

CAMEL
TURKISH & DOMESTIC BLEND
CIGARETTES
Camel
CIGARETTES

It's dollars to doughnuts—

no man ever smoked a better cigarette at any price!

CAMELS quality, and their expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos hand you a cigarette that will satisfy every smoke desire you ever expressed. You will prefer this Camel blend to either kind smoked straight!

Camels mellow-mildness will certainly appeal to you. The "body" is all there, *and that smoothness!* It's a delight!

Go the limit with Camels! They will not tire your taste. And, they leave no unpleasant cigaretty aftertaste nor unpleasant cigaretty odor!

Just compare Camels with any cigarette in the world at any price!

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes for 20 cents; or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.

HOME GROWN SEED

Repeated tests in the spring wheat states prove beyond any question that Marquis outyields any other spring wheat and because of its excellent milling qualities is gaining very rapidly in popularity.

Being a better wheat than the other Fifes, Bluestem and Velvet Chaff in most localities, a concerted action should be taken to establish Marquis as the standard wheat.

Home-grown seed if of a fair quality, is better than that obtained from a distance, although a good seed brought from another locality is usually better than poor seed grown at home. Each farmer will do well to keep his seed as pure as possible and to select for seed a field which can be kept free from weeds and other grain mixtures. Every farmer ought to establish a seed plot on a different piece of ground each year and keep enough seed for at least two years. Oftentimes seed grown from such a plot is worth a lot of money.

If good seed is not available at home or in the locality, ask your banker or elevator what plans have been made to bring seed into the county or write to the state experiment station. If you have any 1918 seed do not sell it at the elevator but keep it for seed and let your neighbors know that you have some good seed. Don't sell any wheat suitable for seed at the elevator for the market. Hold it for seed. Somebody wants it. Seed is scarce this year.

SEED BED FOR WHEAT

Loose on Top, but a Firmly Packed Root Bed.

Wheat is a shallow feeding plant and therefore should have a firm foundation. When wheat is to follow corn or other cultivated crop, no plowing is necessary, but the surface should be made fine with a harrow. The plowing ought to be done in the fall for best results. If deep turned a few days before seeding in the spring time, no maximum yield is possible unless some sort of sub-packing implement can firm the root bed thoroughly.

Do you remember the circus ring in the morning after the show, after the horses have pounded it down and at the same time scuffed it up on top? That is the ideal condition for the seed and root bed.

Deep plowing is probably necessary now and then owing to conditions, but the root bed should not be disturbed by the plow or any other tool for spring seeding.

The spring work should be nothing more or less than pulverizing the top layer about two or three inches deep on corn land or land which is in proper condition.

If necessary to plow in spring, a heavy corrugated roller should be used. The root bed must be packed hard and firm. A hard under surface is imperative whether obtained by machinery or by nature.

SEED VERY POOR

The indications are that seed wheat has low germinating qualities this year and it will take careful fanning and selection to get the best of it out for seed. In all probability the 1919 crop contains a sufficient amount of good wheat to sow the required acreage in Minnesota, North and South Dakota, but it will take very careful handling to grade it, to treat it for smut and to test it for germination.

Farmers are accustomed to taking their wheat from their own bins, therefore the cost of seed wheat will be approximately that of Marquis wheat or possibly 10 to 15 per cent above. Farmers will continue to grow wheat if they can be reasonably sure of a fair profit. The price is high and will be high for the year. Every effort should be made to sow a normal acreage of spring wheat.

SEED WHEAT

Select seed with dark flinty kernels free from yellowberry. Marquis is the favored wheat because it contains plenty of gluten of the best quality for bread-making. It matures from five to ten days earlier than other wheats, avoiding danger from hot winds and drought. Being earlier it is not so liable to rust. It does not shell out and waste so badly as Bluestem, Fife and Velvet Chaff during harvest even when overripe. The straw is shorter and stiffer and therefore suffers less from lodging.

If you buy seed be sure that the variety is as pure as possible, because one variety is always better than a mixture.

SPRING PLOWING

Spring plowing may be slightly shallower than fall plowing and should be worked down immediately. The surface mulch should not be too fine and powdery in districts where blowing is common. If too fine the rain may puddle it and not penetrate so readily. An excellent seed bed can be made in the spring on fall plowing or on spring disking followed immediately with corrugated rollers.

Number of Days to Harvest.

Marquis is an early variety ripening from 98 to 135 days after sowing, the average being about 115 days. This makes it three or four days earlier than most of the other Fife varieties, but it should be put into the ground just as soon as the seed bed may be prepared.

HOUSE BUILDING IN KOREA

Operations Always Begun by the Construction of a Most Ingenious System of Flues.

When a Korean begins to build a house he first lays down a system of flues where the floor is to be. These flues begin at a fireplace, usually built in an outer shed or in a closed alleyway connected with the house. From the fireplace the flues branch out like the ribs of a fan and end in a trench at the back of the floor space. This trench, in turn, opens into a chimney, usually built at some distance from the house. When the flues are completed the builder carefully covers them over with flagstones; he then cements the whole floor and covers it with a sort of thick oiled paper for which Korea is famous. The rest of the house is then built round the completed floor.

The heating system works in this way: When it is time to cook the rice for the morning meal the housewife lights a little straw or brushwood in the fireplace in the outer shed. While the rice is cooking the heat from the fireplace passes through the flues, heating the stone flags of the floor and diffusing a pleasant warmth that lasts until it is time to prepare the next meal. Two heatings a day generally suffice to keep the floor warm. On the floor the people sit by day and sleep by night. The heavy oiled paper that covers the floor prevents any smoke from entering the room.

Center of Agricultural Production.

The center of agricultural production of the United States, according to the value of crop and animal products for 1917, is in west-central Illinois, as shown by a diagram just issued by the department of agriculture. The states of greatest production are: Iowa, $1,330,000,000; Illinois, $1,255,000,000; Texas, $1,045,000,000; Missouri, $947,000,000; Ohio, $851,000,000; Nebraska, $774,000,000; Indiana, $766,000,000; Kansas, $735,000,000; New York, $700,000,000; Minnesota, $646,000,000; Pennsylvania, $630,000,000; Georgia, $605,000,000; Wisconsin, $598,000,000; California, $575,000,000; Michigan, $534,000,000, and Kentucky, $520,000,000.

Really Serious.

The Newlyweds had unwittingly chosen their abode in the neighborhood where scandal was rife.

One morning one of the neighbors sent a hoarse whisper over to her chief confidant:

"What's the trouble between the Newlyweds?"

"Her husband tried to keep something from her."

"Oh, that's not serious! Men will have their little secrets."

"Ah, you don't understand! This is serious. He tried to keep a dollar and a quarter of his last week's pay."

Legal Notices

PAVING
Bids Close May 4th, 1920 at 2:00 P. M.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota until 2:00 P. M., on the 4th day of May, 1920, for the grading, curbing and paving of certain streets and avenues and the grading and paving of certain alleys in said city in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn.

The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

48,857 square yards of street pavement.
4800 square yards of alley pavement.
13,370 cubic yards of street excavation.
1600 cubic yards of alley excavation.
Adjusting present sewer appurtenances.
13,760 lineal feet of straight curb.
Removing present curb and gutter.
3666 square yards of brick gutter.
Furnishing and placing reinforcing steel.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., for the amount of $20,000.00, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Alternate bids will be received on Creosote Block, Brick, Bitulithic, and reinforced concrete pavement, concrete pavement and concrete base to be either pit run gravel, washed and screened sand and gravel or stone concrete according to the decision and opinion of the City Council.

The Council reserves the right to select different type of pavement for alleys than that which is selected for street and avenue paving.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., and extra copies may be purchased from the Bradley Engineering Service, Weber Bldg., St. Cloud, Minn., at the rate of $5.00 per set.

The right is reserved by the City to reject any or all bids.

By order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
a8-15-22 City Clerk.

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Martin A. Miller or M. A. Miller.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31; Block 14, and lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 17 Block 15; all in Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 12th day of May, 1913, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 14th day of March, 1913, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1911, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Eight Dollars and thirty-five cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land, and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 8th day of January, 1920, for the sum of Fourteen Dollars and forty-seven cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fourteen Dollars and forty-seven cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $14.47 thereof from the 8th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 5th day of April, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Official Seal.)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
a8-15-22

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To P. O. Johnson.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 32, 33 and 34, Block 14, Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 12th day of May, 1913, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 14th day of March, 1913, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1911, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Two Dollars and fourteen cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. on the 8th day of January, 1920, for the sum of Three Dollars and ninety-three cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Three Dollars and ninety-three cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $3.93 thereof from the 8th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 5th day of April, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Official Seal.)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
a8-15-22

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MONDAY, APRIL 19

Sale commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp, the following personal property, to-wit:

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One bay mare, 12 years old, wt. 1400
One bay mare, 13 years old, wt. 1300
One iron grey mare, 6 years old, wt. 1500
One brown mare, 12 years old, wt. 1260
One black horse colt, 1 year old

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Six good milch cows, all fresh
Two cows, fresh in June
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Two small calves
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Two Guinea fowls

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One Deering mower, 4½-ft. cut
One 12-ft. hay rake
One Van Brunt 17-shoe drill
One walking plow, 16-in., new
One walking plow, 14-in.
One brush breaker, 14-in.
One 2-horse steel harrow
One 3-horse spike tooth harrow
Two 16-disc harrows
One 12-disc harrow
One garden cultivator
One Spaulding tilling machine
One hay rack
One medium light wide tire wagon
One steel wheel farm truck
One pair heavy bobs
One 2-seated buggy
One triple box, new
Two sets harness
One DeLaval cream separator
One National 150-egg incubator
One feed mill with drive belt
Two colonies of bees
Bee supplies
One combination safe
One organ
Stoves, tools and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

W. E. WOOD, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

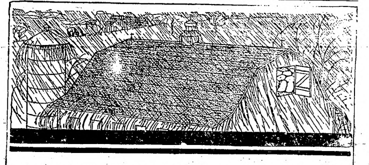

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VALUE OF CROPS OF COUNTY LAST YEAR $2,197,615

THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE $328,196 PAID TO PATRONS FOR BUTTERFAT

BEST DAIRY SHOWING IN NORTH HALF OF STATE, OUTSIDE OF POLK

WHEAT STILL THE BIG CROP, RUNNING TO OVER HALF MILLION DOLLARS

While Pennington county is one of the smallest in the state in acreage it stands in sixty-second place among the 86 counties in the number of cultivated farms contained within its borders, and in sixty-sixth place in the value of general field crops produced. The total value of the rye, corn, spring wheat, barley, potatoes, hay and flax was $2,197,615, there being 18 counties falling under this figure, among them communities of recognized agricultural standing such as Carlton, Aitkin, Crow Wing, Hubbard, Kanabec, Mille Lacs and Roseau.

The spring wheat crop is still the most important in the county, representing about a quarter of the total in money value. According to the above statement the amount received for this cereal by the farmers of Pennington was $585,000. Polk and Ottertail are the banner wheat counties, the former producing a crop worth $5,400,000, while the latter scored an even million dollars less. Marshall also was a heavy producer, the crop there being valued at $4,286,000.

Corn Shows Up Well.

Last season was particularly favorable for corn in the northwestern part of the state and all counties made good records. The value of the crop raised here was $205,200, which is only about $20,000 below Kittson, a much larger county. The banner corn county in the state is Renville, the value of the crop there being $5,241,600.

The oat crop of Pennington county was worth $374,800 as compared with $230,400 for Red Lake county and $294,000 for Roseau. Nobles county is the leader in this cereal, $2,553,600 being the return there.

Fair in Potatoes.

As compared with Polk and Marshall counties Pennington was not very strong on barley, the crop totaling $171,520. In this cereal also Polk and Marshall are leaders, the former's crop being worth $1,760,880 and the latter's $1,252,800.

The value of Pennington county's potato crop was $214,200, there being 40 counties that did not reach this amount. Among these are Marshall, Roseau and Cass. Clay is the leading potato county of the state, the crop there being valued at $4,700,160, while Polk is rapidly coming to the front, its production last year bringing the neat sum of $1,028,160.

Pennington County's rye crop was worth $117,000, being beaten in this department by Red Lake county, whose total was $136,000.

Hay Crowds Wheat.

It will no doubt prove a surprise to many to find that the hay crop of the county was almost as valuable as the wheat. The total for this staple amounted to $508,200, which falls but little short of the record made by Sherburne, Norman and Scott counties. In hay Marshall county leads Polk, the former totalling $938,000 as compared with $770,000 for Polk.

The flax output of the county was valued at $396,495, leading Ottertail, Norman, Pope, Red Lake and Roseau and falling only about $75,000 behind Kittson. Marshall is state leader in this crop, its value there being $794,825.

Satisfactory as the above showing is, it is in the dairy division that Pennington county stands almost at the head. Outside of Polk there is not another county in the northern half of the state reaching the figure for butterfat production credited to Pennington. The total is $328,196.02 as against $634,034.75 for Polk county with four times the acreage and twice the number of cattle. The figures for other nearby counties will prove of interest: Red Lake, $165,880.70; Kittson, $200,435.15; Roseau, $168,446.07; Marshall, $268,051.98; Clearwater, $136,912.26; Norman, $247,578.19; Mahnomen, $68,184.20; Clay, $172,370.72; Becker, $306,866.80; Hubbard, $43,887.85; Cass, $92,627.12; Itasca, $45,506.53.

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Mrs. Martha C. Dale, R. F. D. 1, Cannon, Del., writes: "I am entirely cured of chronic catarrh of the stomach and bowels by PE-RU-NA."

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Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors who assisted us during the death and funeral of our dear mother. Especial thanks to Rev. and Mrs. George Larson for all kindness towards us. We also wish to thank the Bethlehem Ladies Aid, Mr. and Mrs. I. Isaacson, Mrs. H. Nabben, Jacob Hamre, Tom Tharaldson and Iver Veum for the lovely flowers.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rude and Melvin Rude. a15p

Board of Health.

Notice is hereby given that all property owners within the city limits must have all ashes, garbage, manure etc., removed from their yards and adjoining alleys, to the public dumping grounds. It is urgent that this be done as soon as possible. On May 1st city ordinance will be enforced.

DR. J. BIEDERMAN,
Health Officer.

a-15-22-29

STORM SEWER CONSTRUCTION.

Bids Close May 4th, 1920 at 2:00 P. M. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., until 2:00 P. M., on the 4th day of May, 1920, for the installation of storm sewer extensions in said City in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn.

The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

586 lineal feet of 8 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

3345 lineal feet of 12 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

950 lineal feet of 15 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

380 lineal feet of 18 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

423 lineal feet of 20 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.

5684 lineal feet of trench 5'-7' deep.

21 manholes.

24 feet extra depth of manholes.

4 catch basins.

Tapping 10 present manholes and catch basins.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank in the amount of $1400.00 payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., and extra sets may be purchased from the Bradley Engineering Service, Weber Bldg., St. Cloud, Minn., at the rate of $5.00 per set.

The right is reserved by the City to reject any or all bids.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

a8-15-22

CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION of the Thief River Music Company.

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the provisions of Chapter Fifty-eight (58), General Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, and amendments thereof, do hereby associate ourselves as a body corporate, and do hereby adopt the following Certificate of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

Sec. 1. The name of this corporation shall be Thief River Music Company.

Sec. 2. The general nature of its business shall be to manufacture, buy, sell and otherwise dispose of and deal in all kinds of music, musical instruments and works of art, to manufacture and repair, buy and sell pictures and picture frames and works of art, to buy, own, sell, mortgage, convey and lease real and personal property necessary and proper to the business, and to do each and every thing necessary and proper for the accomplishment of any of the purposes, or the attainment of any one or more of the objects herein enumerated, or which shall at any time appear conducive to or expedient for the protection or benefit of this corporation.

Sec. 3. The principal place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The time for the commencement of this corporation shall be April 5, 1920, and the period of its duration shall be thirty years.

ARTICLE III.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are: F. S. Ebert, Theo. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, all of Thief River Falls, Minn.

ARTICLE IV.

The management of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of Three Directors. The names and addresses of the first Board of Directors are F. S. Ebert, Theo. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, all of Thief River Falls, Minn. The first officers of this corporation shall be: President Roy P. Halseth, Vice-President and Treasurer F. S. Ebert, and Secretary Theo. J. Hagen. All of the above named officers and directors shall hold their respective offices aforesaid until the next annual meeting of the corporation to be held first Monday in April, 1921, at which time and annually thereafter, a Board of Directors shall be elected from and by the stockholders of this corporation. The annual meeting of this corporation shall be held at its principal place of business on the first Monday in April in each year. Immediately after the election of directors, or as soon thereafter as practicable, the directors shall meet and elect from their number a president and a vice president, and from their number a secretary and a treasurer. Any office except that of president and vice president may be held by one person. The directors and officers of this corporation shall hold their respective offices until their successors have been duly elected and entered upon the discharge of their duties. The first meeting of the stockholders and of the board of directors shall be held at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 15th day of May, 1920, at 5 P. M.

ARTICLE V.

The amount of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Thirty Thousand Dollars, which shall be paid in, in money or property, or both, in such manner, at such times, and in such amounts as the Board of Directors shall order. The capital stock shall be divided into Three Hundred shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars.

ARTICLE VI.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall at any time be liable shall be the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars.

In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this 31st day of March, 1920.

F. S. EBERT.
THEO. HAGEN.
ROY P. HALSETH.

In the Presence of:
O. A. NAPLIN.
O. K. NORVALSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 31st day of March, 1920, personally appeared before me F. S. Ebert, Theo. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, to me known to be the persons named in and who executed the foregoing Certificate of Incorporation, and each acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed, for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

O. A. NAPLIN.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 3rd day of April, A. D., 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book J-4 of Incorporations on page 315.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1920, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of Miscl. on page 632.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
By GLADYS G. ANDERSON,
Deputy.

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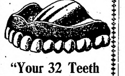

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unite in saying: Let's reconstruct the produce middleman and get better prices for both grower and consumer. Let's reconstruct the meat handler and give the stockman a chance. Let's reconstruct our marketing system.

Let's make the farmer's dollar bigger and its buying power greater. In a word, let's recognize that the American farmer deserves the biggest, broadest leadership that can be found — such leadership as THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN, nationally, and this bank, locally, are giving today. ONE DOLLAR will bring you this oldest and best farm periodical for 52 weeks. Just ask us to charge your account; or, if you haven't an account with us, come in and talk it over.

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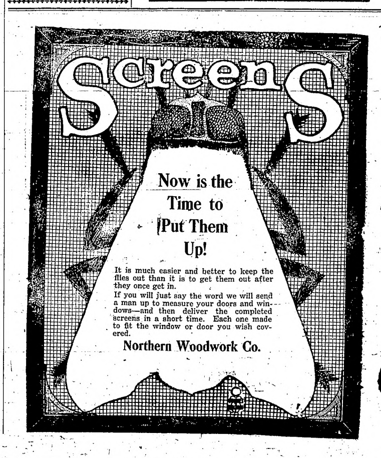

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COURT DECREES DITCHES 102-3 MADE ONE JOB

DITCH NO. 30, PENNINGTON COUNTY, TAKEN OUT OF PROCEEDINGS

SURVEY OF DIAGONAL PLAN ALSO CALLED FOR BY JUDGE GRINDELAND

ACTION ACCORDS WITH RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE RED LAKE COMMISSION

Judge Grindeland in chambers at Warren this week signed the order consolidating ditches No. 102 and 103 in Beltrami and Marshall counties and dismissed from the proceedings the petition to make ditch No. 30 in Pennington county a part of the consolidated system. This does not mean an individual enterprise. Ditches 102 that the latter project is abandoned but that it can be better handled as n individual enterprise. Ditches 102 and 103 will hereafter be known as Consolidated Judicial Ditch No. 1.

The court also ordered the engineer in charge to make a survey of the proposed route for what is known as the modified diagonal ditch and present the same as early as possible. This proposal is for a ditch beginning in the northeast part of Marshall county and having its outlet in the Thief river a short distance above Thief River Falls.

Commission Approves.

The decision in this matter by Judge Grindeland is in thorough accord with the recommendations of the newly organized Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy commission so far as the desirability of undertaking the work is concerned, but nothing in the nature of a plan of procedure is suggested, this being left to the engineers.

Plan of New School Accepted by Board

SUND & DUNHAM, MINNEAPOLIS, WILL RUSH WORK ON SPECIFICATIONS

At a meeting of the school board on Tuesday evening the plans of Sund & Dunham, Minneapolis architects, for a new school building on the East Side, were accepted. The successful firm is prepared to go right ahead with the work of getting out the specifications and will advertise for bids as soon as possible.

The plans call for a 14-room building. The old structure will be wrecked and the brick and other material used as far as possible. The frame building will continue to be employed as a school until the new one is completed. This will not provide sufficient room but it is the intention to rent one or two of the churches on the east side of the river and equip them temporarily for school purposes.

No name has as yet been selected for the new building and it is probable that the children themselves will be permitted to suggest one.

Outside Merchants Invited to Lecture

LOCAL ASSOCIATION WILL HOLD INTERESTING MEETING WEDNESDAY

There will be a business session of the Thief River Falls Merchants association next Wednesday evening, followed by a lecture by R. I. Byington, lecturer for the Burroughs Adding Machine company, on "Personal Efficiency as Related to System." The talk is educational along general accounting lines.

A special invitation has been extended to the merchants of surrounding towns to come and hear this lecture and the business men of the city, whether members of the association or not, will also be welcomed.

A 50 cent lap lunch and smoker will follow the lecture.

Resigns as Pastor of Lutheran Church

REV. O. J. KVALE MAY ENTER CONGRESSIONAL RACE IN SEVENTH

After serving as pastor of the Lutheran church in this city since January 1, Rev. O. J. Kvale last Sunday preached his farewell sermon to the congregation and will take up the pastorate of his former call at Benson, Minn.

It has been known here for some time that the congregation at Benson was adverse to letting him go and that he felt as if the people there had the first call upon his services. He finally decided to give up the charge here and return to his former home.

Rev. Kvale was a short time ago endorsed for the Republican nomination as congressman from the Seventh district by the Farmer and Labor convention in Minneapolis. While he did not specifically so state it is the understanding here that he will accept and make the campaign. In referring to the matter in church on Sunday, Rev. Kvale only stated that he was undecided, but that should he conclude to enter the political field he would apply to the work the same principles and be guided by the same religious ideals as he has espoused as a minister of the Gospel.

The retiring pastor is a man of high standing within the councils of his denomination and a speaker of both charm and force. His acceptance of a nomination at the hands of the Nonpartisans would surprise many of his closest friends here, but he has stated that he would follow the dictates of his conscience in the matter and is evidently not prepared to apologize to anyone for the stand he may finally decided to take.

Winton-Nichols Co. Buys Lengby Yards

NINTH PLANT IN THIS SECTION ACQUIRED BY WELL-KNOWN CONCERN

C. A. Nason, secretary of the Winton-Nichols Lumber company, this week closed a deal with Lillo Brothers at Lengby whereby the lumber yrad operated by them is added to the Winton-Nichols string. The change of ownership was affected at once, the old manager, W. S. Wheeler, being left in charge.

This last acquisition makes nine yards in this immediate section operated by the Winton-Nichols people, the others being located at Thief River Falls, Mavie, Goodridge, Radium, Middle River, Holt, Fosston and Viking. The concern is one of the oldest in this section of the state engaged in the lumber and building material business and one of the best-known and most favorably regarded in the state. According to Mr. Nason negotiations are pending whereby it is probable that others will be added in the near future, giving the concern a buying power enjoyed by but few of its competitors.

Another Pioneer Gone.

James Novotny, father of Mrs. John Havel of this city, died at his home near Badger at the advanced age of 85 years. Mr. Novotny came to this country from Bohemia about 60 years ago and had been a resident of northwestern Minnesota for 40 years. He formerly resided at Tabor in Polk county, but for the past 20 years has made Badger his home. During recent years deceased had been in failing chalth. He leaves a family of grown up children and a wide circle of friends. Mrs. Havel attended the funeral which was held on Sunday.

Loses One Finger.

Fred Stephanson, 10-year-old son of the Goodridge druggist, accidently fired the charge of a shot gun thru his hand this week. He was holding the hand over the muzzle of the piece when in some manner it was discharged. The member was badly lacerated and Dr. H. W. Froehlich, who was called found it necessary to ambutate the middle finger.

Stork a Loafer But Still Leading Reaper

DECREASE OF 27 IN NUMBER OF BIRTHS DURING PAST YEAR

Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund has just received the annual report of the births and deaths in Pennington county from the state board of health. There were 296 babies born during 1919 as compared with only 143 deaths. At that the stork did not maintain the record of the year previous, failing by 27 to reach the total for 1918. There was an increase of one in the death roll over the previous twelve months, which is a very good showing when it is remembered that the county went through a severe influenza epidemic.

Deer Park carries off the banner among the townships, reporting 11 arrivals and no departures. Smiley also did remarkably well, there being 17 births and four deaths. Rocksbury, Reiner and Black River make the poorest showing, the first reporting 11 births and 16 deaths, Reiner 5 births and 6 deaths and Black River 2 births and 8 deaths. In the case of Rocksbury the figures are misleading as the Tri-County sanatorium is situated there and deaths occuring at that institution are charged against the township. Following is the record for the different localities in the county:

Township	Births	Deaths
Black River	2	8
Bray	4	1
Cloverleaf	7	2
Deer Park	11	0
Goodridge	4	1
Hickory	7	2
Highlanding	9	6
Kratka	8	2
Mayfield	4	0
Norden	10	4
North	13	6
Numedal	4	2
Polk Center	4	0
Reiner	5	6
Rocksbury	11	16
Sanders	7	2
Silverton	11	4
Smiley	17	4
Wyandotte	5	2
Goodridge, vil.	7	2
St. Hilaire, vil.	8	3
Thief River Falls	120	70

INDIAN IS SENT TO STILLWATER FOR FOUR YEARS

REV. MARCUS D. SMITH OF MAHNOHMEN PLEADS GUILTY TO SERIOUS CHARGE

TWO OTHERS SIMILARLY ACCUSED COMMITTED TO ST. CLOUD REFORMATORY

JUDGE GRINDELAND ALLOWS FOR TRIBAL CUSTOMS IN HIS SENTENCE

Rev. Marcus D. Smith, a fullbloded Indian and an Episcopal minister at Twin Lakes, Mahnomen county, was on Tuesday evening sentenced to four years in the state penitentiary at Stillwater by Judge Andrew Grindeland at a special term of court held in this city. Smith pleaded guilty to a charge of having carnal knowledge of an adopted daughter 14 years of age. Arrested with him on the same charge were Joseph Summers and Alfred Oliver, both Indians. The latter are about 22 years of age and were committed to the state reformatory at St. Cloud.

C. C. Cooper, county attorney of Mahnomen county, Sheriff Joseph Urnes and Clerk of Court T. H. Blanchard accompanied the prisoners to this city. The latter were represented in court by Attorney A. J. Parsons.

Judge is Lenient.

In pronouncing sentence Judge Grindeland said that while mindful of the seriousness of the charge to which the prisoners pleaded guilty, yet he could but take into consideration the fact that they were Indians and according to their tribal customs the crime was one to which no great importance was attached. Because of his supposedly superior education and greater age Smith was given the most severe sentence, although there seemed to be no great difference in the degree of guilt admitted by the trio.

The Mahnomen county officials left for their homes in charge of the prisoners Wednesday morning.

Will Commemorate I. O. O. F. Centenary

DR. JAMES O. WERNTZ WILL DELIVER PRINCIPAL ADDRESS HERE

It was one hundred and one years ago on April 26 that the first Odd Fellows lodge in the United States was instituted at Baltimore. In every subordinate lodge in the country appropriate exercises in commemoration of that event will be held on some date as near the actual anniversary as is possible. Lone Pine lodge of Thief River Falls is making preparations for thsi event which will mark another step in the progress of this great organization. Dr. James O. Werntz of Moose Lake, grand marshall of the I. O. O. F. of Minnesota, will be the principal speaker and it is possible that August Hohenstein of St. Paul, grand master-elect, will also be present. The meeting will be held in the hall of the lodge on Monday evening, May 3.

Numerically the Odd Fellows is the largest lodge in America having a membership of considerably over two million. The three links are in evidence wherever there is any considerable congregation of men and the great work it is doing makes it very popular.

The meeting will be open to all Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, together with their invited friends. Members of the order who may belong to some other jurisdiction will be particularly invited and it is hoped to make the meeting one of the best in the history of the lodge.

Thief River Pioneer Dies in Milwaukee

JAMES MEEHAN, SR., OWNER OF FIRST SAW MILL, DIES AT ADVANCED AGE

Word has just been received here of the death in Milwaukee of James Meehan, Sr., an old-time resident of Thief River Falls. He was 86 years of age.

Together with his brother, Patrick, James Meehan built the first saw mill in Thief River Falls, the plant beginning operations in 1891 and continuing until 1898, when they sold out to the Thief River Falls Lumber company. Previous to that time they had built a mill at St. Hilaire but found that because of the low stage of water in the river it would be impossible to drive the logs to that point. Having been given a bonus to locate there, however, the people would not permit them to remove the machinery and it was necessary to secure other equipment for the plant here, at the same time permitting that at the lower town to remain where it was. The Meehans never did saw any logs at St. Hilaire.

Deceased is well remembered by all old-timers, having been something of a power in local affairs during his residence here.

BURTON SPEAKS AT AUDITORIUM NEXT TUESDAY

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT TO STOP OFF HERE BY SPECIAL REQUEST

ENROUTE TO GREENBUSH TO DEDICATE NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

MAY BE LAST OPPORTUNITY FOR MANY TO HEAR THIS NOTED EDUCATOR

The people of Thief River Falls and vicinity will be given an opportunity of again hearing Dr. Francis Marion Burton, president of the university of Minnesota, before he leaves the state for the purpose of becoming the head of Michigan university.

Dr. Burton will speak at the auditorium here next Tuesday forenoon at 10 o'clock and a general invitation has been extended to all to come out and hear him. The subject of his discourse has not yet been nanounced, but that it will be both timely and of general interest goes without saying.

The university president will be on his way to Greenbush for the purpose of dedicating a school building and stops off here at the request of a large number of citizens. In complying Dr. Burton stated that he looks forward with a great deal of pleasure to this opportunity of again meeting the people of this neighborhood.

High-Salaried Man.

As president of Michigan university Dr. Burton will receive the highest salary paid to a man in his position by any similar institution in the United States, the reported figure being $12,000 per year. He is recognized as one of the foremost educators in the country and is in constant demand for addresses by the people of all sections. Those who recall the masterly speech delivered by him during the war will not need to be urged to be present on this occasion.

The problems confronting the country are serious and numerous. Dr. Burton has made a deep study of both their cause and cure so that the remedies and solutions he proposes should carry a great deal of weight.

Everybody is invited to hear this address and there is no admission charge.

Issues Republican Pamphlet.

Nearly 20,000 copies of a pamphlet entitled "Why Republican?" compiled by Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, chairman of the state republican women's committee, are to be sent out to women in all parts of the state through the county organizations, women's clubs and church organizations. Five hundred copies were sent out today to county chairmen and women, congressional chairmen and women delegates to the state convention. This pamphlet includes brief chapters on suffrage, prohibition, child labor, federal reserve bank, the republican party, and "Achievements of the Republican Party."

Flood Control Bill Favorably Reported

FINAL HEARING ON MEASURE HELD IN HOUSE LAST SATURDAY

Representatives Steenerson and Knutson appeared Saturday before the House Flood Control committee on the final hearing on the bill for the improvement of Red Lake and Red Lake river for navigation, drainage and flood control purposes. The bill authorized the construction of controlling works at the outlet of Red Lake and authorizes the deepening and straightening of the Red Lake river, and tributaries, with a view to prevent floods, not only in the drainage basin of Red Lake and Red Lake river, but also in the Red River. This bill was favorably reported by the committee.

The control of the Red Lake water levels will in effect establish a reservoir to prevent floods in the Red River valley. The bill confers upon the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district, organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, authority to construct these improvements. The purpose is not only to prevent floods but to establish drainage outlets for vast areas in Itasca, Beltrami, Clearwater, Pennington, Red Lake and Marshall counties. A quarter of a million acres of this area is in the Red Lake Indian reservation.

The total cost of the primary project will be about $800,000, but only part of this sum will be assessed against lands for drainage benefits, the expense being apportioned as follows: Water Power companies operating between Thief River Falls and Grand Forks, $240,000; Indian lands, $236,000; lands outside of the reservation, $248,000; and the United States government, $15,000.

This is a great piece of constructive legislation and the project, when completed, will easily rank as one of the most beneficial reclamation projects ever completed in the northwest, and will add to the agricultural area of northern Minnesota at a conservative estimate one million acres. This is a project in which the whole state of Minnesota is interested for owing to severe storms and floods hundreds of farmers in this drainage district lost their crops, valued at many millions of dollars last year, and that the state was compelled to authorize relief of several hundred thousand dollars at the last session of the legislature.

Several weeks age a committee of the Minnesota Legislature visited Washington in the interest of reservoir projects on Lake Traverse and Ottertail Lake for the purpose of preventing floods in the Red River valley in Wilkin, Clay, Norman, Polk, Marshall and Kittson counties, and the reservoir on Red Lake will be a part of this comprehensive scheme when completed.

Willing to Pave if Streets Are Ready

PREPAREDNESS RATHER THAN COST TO BE ARGUED BY OBJECTORS

When the bids for paving the streets of Thief River Falls are opened on May 4 it is expected that citizens interested will be at the council chambers in force to present their views on the subject. That there will be strenuous objection to undertaking the work at this time is certain, but those most outspoken in their opposition state that they are not taking this attitude because of their objection to paving but solely on the ground that the streets are not in condition at the present time to be usrfaced in this manner. They point out the unsightly hummocks left by reason of the sewer and water excavations and maintain that if these are leveled off a hollow will in a short time develop which will mean craced pavements and endless cost for repairs and upkeep.

Others claim that these trenches may be paved over and no one will ever know they are there for all the damage that can result. They point to the admitted fact that other cities have gone ahead with their surfacing immediately after the excavations have been filled and that they have held up under the most severe traffic.

It was expected that the item of cost would be the stumbling block, but this is gradually disappearing as an argument. It seems to be realized that there is slight likelihood of any reduction for many years to come and that the job might as well be undertaken now as any other time.

Whatever the outcome when the bids are read, the session is certain to be most interesting.

Boy Hit by Auto.

Melvin Tweten, seven years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Tweten, 502 State avenue north, was quite severely injured by being struck by an automobile on Sunday. The lad was rolling a hoop along the street and had stepped out of the way of an automobile coming from the west and directly in front of one driven by Carl Loen. The latter was running very slowly at the time and stopped his car within a few feet of where the boy was struck. The latter was unconscious when picked up and rushed to the Physicians hospital where Dr. Froehlich attended him. It was at first feared that the accident might result fatally but the victim has picked up gradually and there is every reason to hope that he will soon be as sound as ever. Mr. Loen is keenly sorry for the accident but does not believe himself in any manner responsible.

Accused of Bringing Whiskey Across Line

TWO MEN HELD HERE AWAITING FURNISHING OF $2,000 BOND

Frontis Parker and Oscar Johnson of Warroad, were brought here last Friday by Deputy U. S. Marshall Frank L. Bradley and placed in the Pennington county jail on a charge of having shipped 24 quarts of whisky from Sprague, Man., across the line into the United States in violation of the national prohibition act. They were arrested upon their arrival on the American side, taken to this city and given a hearing before Court Commissioner Wilhelm Michelet.

The men are being held awaiting arrangements for the furnishing of $2,000 bonds imposed by the commissioner. Friends were expected to arrive last evening to furnish the necessary sum and provide for their release. During the time that they have been awaiting someone to come to their rescue they have been in charge of Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh.

Attending Medical Clinic.

Dr. A. J. Paulson left the first of the week for Minneapolis where he will attend the state clinic. On Sunday he will continue his journey to New Orleans to attend the meeting of the National Medical association. Thereafter he will spend some time doing post-graduate work at Tuloume university, specializing in work pertaining to the eye, nose and throat.

ORGANIZED WITH AIM OF HELPING BIG MOVEMENT

REV. J. B. SMITH CHAIRMAN OF CHURCH CAMPAIGN IN THIS COUNTRY

CLOSER COOPERATION IN FINANCING IS VITALLY NEEDED CHANGE

MOVEMENT EMBRACES THE WORLD AND INCLUDES ALL DENOMINATIONS

The church has long recognized the fact that there has been a lack of efficiency in reaching the unhurched masses of our own country, as well as the great non-Christian masses of foreign lands. It has also been aware that this inefficiency has been due, in part at least, to denominational rivalry, overlapping and other evils that ought to admit of remedy when a proper Christian spirit prevailed. Hence this is a move for closer co-operation and in no sense a unification of the different evangelical bodies.

Plan of Operation.

The methods employed are labor along much needed lines and in places where the need appears to be greatest, and to raise vast sums of money somewhat commensurate with the great wealth of the church. There is a local organization for the survey of the district comprising Pennington and parts of Red Lake and Marshall counties. Dr. Johnson of St. Paul was the principal speaker at a meeting here last week and under his direction the following organization was affected: Rev. J. B. Smith of the M. E. church, chairman; Rev. R. L. Barackman of the Presbyterian church, chairman of the tithing department; Miss Ella Evans, life service; Andrew Bottelson, finance; Rev. Elmer Laroe, county survey, and Mrs. Christianson, spiritual work.

Collecting Information.

It is the purpose of this organization to collect and send to headquarters all the information available so that an intelligent disposition of the forces of the church may be made and that the local work of the churches concerned may be prosecuted with the utmost energy and governed by greater intelligence and brotherly feeling.

The move seems to be a spontaneous one on the part of the church to meet her responsibilities fairly and intelligently and will have the unflagging interest of all those who are interested in the spread of vital Christianity over the earth.

Take Entire Swartz Cigar Factory Output

TESSUM COMPANY BECOMES SELLING AGENT FOR CIGARS MADE HERE

The Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply company have added another department to their wholesale business in this city. Recently a deal was made whereby the concern takes all the cigars turned out at the factory of Charles C. Swartz and will become the distributors for these popular goods. The Swartz brands are Thief River Falls Booster, El Como and Factory Smoker—each a strong favorite in its division.

The new arrangement is adopted on the score of economy. The Tessum company recently became the handlers for this section of a nationally renowned line of candies and as the concern maintains a corps of traveling men making the territory at all times the addition of a line of cigars seems like a good business proposition. At the same time it enables Mr. Swartz to devote his intention to the manufacturing end.

"Big Time" Artists With Legion Revue

NOTED STARS ADDED TO OTHER FEATURES OF BIG SOLDIER SHOW

Fred Scanlan, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the American Legion Revue, the big vaudeville attraction booked for the auditorium next Tuesday evening, has received a letter from Reynolds & Lundberg, managers of the show, informing him that besides the features noted in the large advertisement in The Times today, they have secured two special numbers of more than ordinary merit—Irene Wenzeland and Rae LeAsne, two very clever artists appearing in piano and song. These young ladies are just off the "big time" vaudeville circuit and have joined forces with the revue for this tour. This makes the show one of seven exceptional acts, including the famous "Destroyer" cast which shows a United States destroyer stripped for action in the war zone and gives glimpses of the life on board one of these famous little fighters.

The revue will without question be the greatest thing of its kind ever presented in Thief River Falls.

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THE OVERALL BRIGADE

There is hardly a doubt but that the overall movement, inaugurated in the South and which is rapidly spreading to other sections of the country, will have the effect of bringing down the prices of clothing if it is followed far enough. Whether or not anything in the nature of a permanent benefit results depends upon the determination of the votaries of the new fad.

A short time ago the women in many cities went on a luxury strike, vowing that they would not purchase unnecessary articles or anything for which an exorbitant price was asked. The movement fell flat, presumably because the feminine buyers had not the hardihood to withstand the temptation of buying the proscribed apparel.

Will the men be able to carry the matter past the fad stage? It begins to look as if there might be some hope of this. Clothing is too high and the blame is variously placed. Investigations have failed to fasten the responsibility on anyone and it is likely that conditions beyond the control of any person or group of persons is primarily responsible. Referring to this matter the Duluth Herald says:

"The Overall club is the latest. It is bobbing up here, there and everywhere, including Duluth.

"In Birmingham, Alabama, where it started, one result was the prompt raising of the price of overalls from three dollars a suit to six; but even at that, overall wearers are way ahead if they stick to it. This spring men's clothes are ten dollars more than last fall's, and unless something happens next fall's will be ten dollars higher still.

"If enough people stop buying commodities that are soaring, they will quit soaring. They can't help it. But one overall club will not do it, nor a dozen nor a hundred. What will do it is to make the fashion spread all over the country, and to have those who take it up stick it out for awhile.

"Don't blame the retailer for all the imposition. It goes from him back all the way to the button-hole stitcher who used to get nine dollars a week and now exacts fifty; and it takes in everybody connected with the process.

"Moreover, the retailer has to take what the jobber will sell him, pay whatever the jobber asks, and pretend to like it. The production isn't up to the demand; but if enough wear overalls that will be cured, and a good many other things too.

"Overalls will do it IF enough people get the habit and stick to it."

The St. Paul Dispatch seems to think that even though the price of clothing does come down the cost of the favored overalls will immediately jump to a point that will make their acquirement impossible. Warning those who are favoring this movement of what they may expect, the Dispatch says:

"Is there a possibility that the promoters of the overall club movement have overlooked one interesting probability? They are abandoning ordinary clothing and donning jeans for two reasons—first, because the jeans are cheap and second, as a warning to clothing profiteers. All right; but how long will overalls be cheap if there is a general movement in their favor? If these promoters are correct in their premises and there is profiteering in clothing, it is logical to expect that the same profiteering methods will be applied to overalls the instant the new demand for them is felt. Have the overall clubs thought of this?"

IT MEANS MORE POTATOES

All right, get mad about it if you want to. The Times is going to keep right on urging every man in northwestern Minnesota to test his seed before planting just as if we were hired to do so. It is realized that farmers know more about farming than do editors, but that makes no difference.

After all that has been said on the subject it will be taken for granted that no man will sow wheat without first having ascertained its germinating percentage. He would not be foolish enough to start the season with the chances all against his securing a crop. If native wheat is shown to be all right there will be no need of looking farther. On the other hand, if this seed fails to come up to expectations nothing could be more indefensible than putting it into the ground with the expectation that it would somehow acquire virtues it does not intrinsically possess. The chances against the wheat grower are sufficiently numerous and varied without his deliberately adding to them.

But how about potatoes? The spud is fast becoming an item of first importance in the section and the growers should begin to work toward a definite result. This can only be done by getting together and agreeing on the variety best adapted to the conditions here and then striving toward securing the very choicest products representing that particular kind. The marketing problem is always present but this need not be taken into consideration unless there are potatoes to sell.

Treat the seed against disease. The fact that a person believes his ground to be clean and that no blemishes are visible on the spuds he intends to plant will not insure a sound crop. Unless the seed is treated trouble may occur at any stage of its development. The safety of the crop is worth this much of an investment in insurance.

The potato is liable to prove the big ready-money crop next fall. More should be planted than ever before but the matter should be approached in the same manner as any other business proposition. Hap-hazzard methods will get us nowhere. This has been demonstrated in the case of livestock and field crops are no different. If you would secure the best results you must plant the best seed.

WHAT AILS THE SOLDIERS?

The facts may as well be admitted and the situation faced. The returned soldiers are dissatisfied with everything connected in any way with their reception and the provisions made for their future. Some of the expressions heard are astounding when it is considered that they are uttered by men who but recently were fighting for their country.

Ask almost any young man who has returned from service in France and you will be shocked at the views he expresses. The other day a group in this city was heard to remark that never again under any circumstances would they don the uniform of Uncle Sam. No specific reasons were given—they were just disgusted.

What is the reason for this attitude and how is it to be overcome? The American Legion is apparently unable to stem the wave of dissatisfaction now sweeping the country—in fact it may develop that the Legion itself is partly responsible for it. Hundreds of thousands of soldiers will have nothing to do with the organization, asserting that it is representing only the officers and doing nothing for the rank and file. The accusation is probably unjust, but that does not alter the fact that it is being made.

A writer in the Saturday Evening Post a couple of weeks ago called attention to the same situation. He stated that the East was full of discontent on the part of the soldiers at the treatment they had been accorded upon their return. Attempts to in any manner use them for political purposes was also being resented, he said, and warned any party undertaking anything of this kind that it would be treading on dangerous ground.

The trouble may straighten itself out but at present the situation is far from pleasant. When you hear young men who have worn the uniform say that they will be found dead before they will ever don it again it denotes a condition that should have the effect of making all our people thoughtful.

WOOL GROWERS ASSOCIATIONS

Farmers who have sheep are advised to interest themselves in forming county wool growers associations, similar to live stock shipping associations, which will handle the marketing of the wool for members. Directors of such an association hire a storage place and elect a manager who takes in the wool and, upon their orders, sells it for cash or consigns it to a wool commission firm. This plan has been tried in a small way for several years in Minnesota and has usually resulted in a savving of 5 to 12 cents a pound for the producer.

Sheep owners who are interested in forming associations to handle wool pools are advised to consult with their cunty agricultural agent or local farm bureau officials and to suggest a meeting of growers for the organization of a wool pool, if after full discussion it seems desirable.

A sample constitution and suggestions for handling a wool pool may be secured from the department of agriculture, State capitol or from the extension division, University Farm, St. Paul upon application.

WILL THIS HAPPEN?

Potatoes at 65 cents per order! It is not so long ago that a person could secure a pretty good meal, from soup to pie, for that amount of money at many a good eating house anywhere in America. Now it is the price charged for the potatoes alone. The spud is the table aristocrat at this particular moment and it looks as if he is about to be considered altogether too exclusive for common association.

Potatoes perform an important part in the table scheme of the ordinary American family and when the price of spuds goes up to between $5 and $7 per bushel, as now seem likely, the situation becomes little short of alarming. There are not many things the workingman's household can substitute for potatoes and when the price reaches a prohibitive figure he is decidedly up against a hard proposition. Supds may be dropped from the bill of fare of hotels, and are so being dropped, but these are in a position to offer something in their place. This is not always possible in the household of the workingman.

If the farmer benefitted to any extent by the present situation it would not be so bad, but he does not. He sold his potatoes long ago and is in luck if he has enough remaining for seed.

Another trouble is that instead of these prices stimulating potato planting this spring the opposite may be the case. It is quite a temptation to the farmer to be able to sell all he has on hand at a higher price than was ever offered before and devote his potato acreage to something else. He is liable to figure that there will be so many potatoes by fall that they will be worth little or nothing and for this reason consider himself justified in "taking his profit" when it is offered.

This is one of the hardest blows yet recorded against the dinner table of the poor man.

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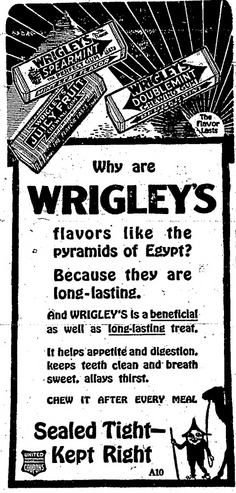

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Build This Year and Be Prepared

Comparatively it costs less to build now than at any other time. The cost is somewhat higher but so are the returns. DO NOT DELAY.

We shall be pleased to give you the benefit of our wide experience in supplying material. We have been doing it in this section for a quarter of a century.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

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RAINBOW SALE
Continued For One Week

While our Rainbow Sale last week was the most successful ever known in the history of this or any other store in Thief River Falls, we find that our stock will stand even greater reducing and will therefore offer the people

Six Additional Bargain Days

Closing the sale on Saturday, May 1, instead of on April 25 as at first contemplated.

People flocked to this sale to take advantage of these unheard-of bargains, but more goods remain. During the remaining days of this sale we will feature Women's Ready-to-Wear, Hosiery and Underwear.

Ladies' $65.00 Coats $39.95

About 50 late arrivals by express will be placed on sale for this week. This wonderful lot of fine Sterling Coats consists of full length Black and Navy Blue Men's-Wear Serge Coats, with a big selection of Fancy Polo, Heather Mixtures and Novelty Wool Cloakings in the popular short or sports style coats, in all sizes. Every garment is a remarkable bargain and worth $65.00. Special at this Big Rainbow Sale, each $39.95

$65.00 Ladies' Suits in fine all-wool Men's Serge and Novelty Suitings. A wonderful selection of fine garments in this lot at, choice 39.95

$35.00 Ladies' fine Sport Coats, also full length Navy and Black Serge Coats and a wonderful selection of Tweed Coats. Wonderful styles and all sizes. Special each 22.95

FIFTY SILK TAFFETA DRESSES
Just arrived from New York. All the latest styles from Fifth Avenue. Every one of these dresses was made to sell at $35.00 to $40.00, but they arrived six weeks late and just in time for this sale. The entire lot, which consists of all sizes, mostly in Navy Blue and Black, with a few of every leading Spring shade, goes on this sale at your choice for each, only $22.95

We have accumulated a big assortment of dropped numbers in Warner's and Nemo Corsets. They are $3.50 to $9.00 values and we will sell them at per pair 2.69 to 4.95

300 Pairs of Ladies' and Misses' Oxfords, Pumps and Shoes. This is an odd lot in sizes, 3, 3½ and 4 only. Good solid leather shoes in black, bronze, etc. The values are several times the price asked. They will be on sale in the basement only. You will have to sell yourself and fit yourself. All we will do is let you take your choice, wrap them up and collect. (No approvals, no lay-bys, no exchanges.) Every sale spot cash. Come, take your choice if you can use size 3, 3½ or 4, at per pair only $1.99

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180 Pairs of Misses' Hose, regular 75c values, at per pair 39c

360 Pairs of Ladies' Stockings 50c to 75c values, at per pair 29c

65 Pairs Infants' Cashmere Wool Hose, at per pair 29c

175 Pair of Infant's Lisle Hose at Choice, per pair 20c

200 Pair of Ladies' Artificial Silk Stockings, worth $1.25, Special 69c

40 Pairs of Infant's and Children's Cashmere Wool Hose, the best non-shrinkable hose on the market. Worth 75c per pair. This lot to go at, pair 49c

250 Pair of Ladies' Pure Thread Silk $3.00 Stockings, in all shades and sizes. Price, per pair $1.89

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In three big lots we shall offer 300 Ladies Vests and Pants, 35c to 60c values, at 19c 25c 39c

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Positively no lay-bys, no alterations, no mail orders, no telephone orders, no approvals at this sale. Each and every article sold for spot cash only. No credit or approval charges to anyone during this sale.

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN. LOKEN BROTHERS THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Miss Inez Johnson left on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where she was the guest of relatives for a brief period.

Miss Laura Culver arrived the latter part of the week from Bijou where she recently completed a term of school.

Miss Clara Gulrud of Goodridge visited here on Tuesday enroute to Fargo where she will remain for a few days.

Mrs. Martin Strom left on Monday afternoon for Grafton, N. D., where she was called because of the death of a nephew.

LOST—Between The Lyceum and The Princess theatres 23½ Dollars. Finder return to the Lyceum theatre and receive reward. a22

Mrs. Scott Laird returned on Sunday morning from the twin cities where she visited for a period of a week with friends and relatives.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned on Tuesday morning from Chisholm, where she spent a week visiting at the home of Mr. Sapero's parents.

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Even Senum returned the first of the week from Danville, N. Y., where he visited his son, Andrew, who is connected with the hospital at that place.

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NOTICE—To any Young Lady or young Man who is just 23½ Years Old Sunday, will be given a free Ticket to the Matinee at Lyceum or Princess. a22

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Miss Eunice Lind, nurse at the Physicians hospital left on Monday afternoon via the Great Northern for Minneapolis where she will remain for a brief period.

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The ladies auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen organized in this city on Saturday electing as their Grand Vice President Mrs. A. Strong of Boone, Ia. Other out of town women who were present at the meeting were: Mrs. O. F. Larson and Mrs. J. M. Cassidy of Glenwood and Mrs. Bruce Mathewson of Detroit. They returned to their respective homes on Saturday evening.

Heavy oats raised 2 years ago for sale by Jos. Johnson, 128 LaBree Ave. S. a22

He's a Papa Now.

The Times crew—or the members thereof who are holding forth at the Gazette office in Red Lake Falls—have been treated to cigars and broad smiles this week, the reason being that Mrs. Horace W. Cutten, wife of one of the Gazette publishers, presented her husband with a fine baby girl on Sunday. Mrs. Cutten is at a Crookston hospital and getting along fine. Horace is also managing to hold himself within bounds in spite of the fact that this is their first-born.

Monsieur Beaucaire

Monsieur Beaucaire is a far-famed French nobleman.

He is one of those happy-go-lucky, independent chaps, with a smiling disposition.

His cousin, Louis XV, is desirous of his marriage with a certain French girl.

The girl is satisfied, but for obvious reasons, Monsieur is not. He'd like a little romance first he declares, and so he sail for England in the disguise of a common barber. However, he does not carry on that profession, but he runs a gambling den. Then he gets his first glimpse of the beautiful English girl, Lady Mary. He resolves to meet her, and in doing so forgets the French lassie at home.

In order to meet her he forces an English Lord (whom he has in his influence, due in some way to the gambling den), to introduce them. And then———.

Come to the Lyceum Tuesday, April 27th, and John Seaman Garns will tell you if he had any romance, if he meets Lady Mary, his impression, about the French girl, and what happened to Monsieur.

In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States, For the Sixth Division District of Minnesota. No. 1757.

In the matter of Fred D. Haug, (Also doing business as the Fred D. Haug Auto Co.) Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota.

Fred D. Haug of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents:

That on the 15th day of August, 1919, last passed, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

WHEREFORE HE PRAYS that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 8th day of January, A. D. 1920.

FRED D. HAUG,
Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On this 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

ORDERED BY THE COURT, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1920, before said court, at St. Paul, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

WITNESS the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of said court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920.

(Seal of the Court.)
CHARLES L. SPENCER,
Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSEN,
a-22 Deputy Clerk.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Bert Newell Thorstad,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that the 20th day of October, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated April 20, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
a22-29-m6

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of Adelaide Bailey, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Samuel V. Bailey, Josephine Archibald and Alice E. Marshall, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of May, 1920, at Ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a22-29-m6

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Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE
N. W. ¼ Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings on place. Write
J. PFEFFER
411 Torrey Bldg. Duluth, Minn.

FOR SALE—I have 20 acres 1 3-4 miles from Oslo, Florida; finest orange and grapefruit land; finest climate in the world. No winter, no bad storms. Plenty rain and sunshine. No crop failures. Can produce more on 20 acres there than 160 here; only 4 miles from ocean. Land selling now for $200 to $250 per acre, but will sell mine for $100 per acre if sold soon. May consider trade for city property. —J. L. Bean, City. 69p

GOING TO BREED BLACK LEGhorns exclusively, I will sell my fine flock of White Wyandottes, 2 young cocks and about 25 hens. Also 1 drake and 10 ducks, White Mammoth Pekins at reasonable prices. My birds capture the Blue Ribbons wherever shown.—Geo. Leimers. 67tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING FROM MY Blue Ribbon Stock, Black Leghorns. Most attractive chickens, heavy layers, easy keepers. White Wyandottes. Known for beauty as well as for utility. Mammouth Pekin Ducks. Very large snowwhite kind.—Geo. Leimers. 65tf

FOR SALE—At reasonable prices: Fordson tractor, plow, breaking plow, disc and harrow; all adpted for tractor. Good stump puller. All articles in first class condition and located at Holt, Minn. Address C. S. Holgren, New Richland, Minn. Box 66. 70

FOR SALE—Electric washing machine only used two months, $90.00 A new Royal sewing machine, $20.00. A heavy Vernice Martin bed, complete with spring and mattress, $20.00. Must be sold before May 10th as I am moving.—121 Kendall Ave. N. 67

PUREBRED White Pekin Duck eggs, settings of 13 for sale, per setting $1.; also purebred B. Plymouth Rock chicken eggs, per setting 60c. Leave orders at Benson's old stand or write to me.—Purebred Stock and Dairy Farm, C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR SALE—A 3-burner "Kerogas" kerosene stove in first-class condition, almost new. A snap for someone if taken at once as I am leaving the city. —A. Olson, 907 Knight Ave. N. Telephone 4923. 67

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 66tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well: 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave. Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Leimers. 61tf

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Sec. 17-154-41, 2½ miles northwest from Mavie. Price $5,000.00——$500.00 down, balance in five years.—Chas. Radtke, Nerstrand, Minn. 71p

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at $11 per acre, 15 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric line. Inquire Times office or phone 4492. 65tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

160 ACRES UNIMPROVED LAND 6 miles to creamery, store and postoffice at a bargain. Will consider trade for good auto.—O. H. Nelson. Phone 441.

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FOR SALE—Overland touring car. Cheap if sold at once. Overhauled and painted. In fine shape throughout. $550.—E. L. Helgeland. 69

FOR SALE—Flax seed at $5.50 per bushel. Also 8 ton of timothy hay in stack, $15.00 per ton.—Thos. McCormick, Town of Silverton. 67p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow—1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Threshing rig and engine complete. Will sell cheap. Also 10-20 gas tractor. Inquire Kotlan Bros., Mavie, Minn. 68pd

FOR SALE—John Deere 24 inch brush breaker plow, steel beam, $125. H. P. Nubben, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls. 68p

FOR SALE—Good 5-room house with wood shed. Five lots. On East Side by Fred Brandvold. Enquire at C. Gustafson & Son. 65tf

FOR SALE—A bargain; one seven room house, one barn and five 50-ft. lots. Enquire Mrs. Sandy Miller, 704 Conley Ave. S. 68p

FOR SALE—One nine room house and one five room house in Thief River Falls. Apply to Thos. H. Smith, Mavie, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eticknoy gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 58tf

FORSALE — Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

UPLAND HAY FOR SALE—Between 12 and 15 tons. Located 12 miles west of city. Apply at 420 Knight Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—40 bushels of Marquis seed wheat. Tests 98.—Mrs. L. P. Brandrud, St. Hilaire, Minn. Route 1. 68p

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles norhtwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bushel.—C. Weiner, R. 3. Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

GIVE ME A BID ON LOTS 6 and 7, Blk. 30, Red Lake Rapids.—Ole Habberstad, Lanesboro, Minn. 67

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Stable and garage combined, and a toilet. Inquire Joe Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 66tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Heater, China closet and good cupboard. Leaving town. Telephone 1651. 67p

FOR SALE OR RENT—Good modern house, four blocks from postoffice. Call The Times office. 65tf

FOR SALE—Tent, 14x16 feet, almost new. Cheap if taken at once. 420 Knight Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—A good 160 acres, $25 per acre. Enquire at Rocheleau & Fishers livery barn. 68

FOR SALE—Ford Runabout, in good running order. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 63tf

FOR SALE—150 bushels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house. 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Eight room house with two corner lots.—F. B. Newell, 322 Kendall Ave. S. 68p

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences at reasonable prices.—C. W. Vorachek. 67tf

FOR SALE—Set light driving harness.—Henry Wetmore, 208 Atlantic Ave. N 68p

FOR SALE—$1200.00 Case tractor, almost new. Will sell cheap—Address Times. 69p

FOR SALE—Young horse, cheap.—Mrs. C. H. Bartlett, North of Roundhouse. 68

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—1919 Oakland Touring car, $1,000.00—First and Peoples State Bank. 66

FOR SALE—House and six acres north of Roundhouse.—C. H. Bartlett. 72

FOR SALE—5-room house. Inquire Fred Holzknecht, 510 Riverside Ave. 69p

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. —Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of city. 68p

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—6 room modern house. Phone 4841.—E. F. DeVelling. 69p

HOUSE FOR SALE—Inquire of Rev. Aug. Bredeson, Phone 233. 65tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 5 lots.—J. Weirus. 71

HAY FOR SALE—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CAR—40 acres land one mile west of Rosewood. Nearly all prairie and well drained, adjoining improved farms. What have you got? A. S. Holm, Rosewood, Minn. 67

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15 or $8.00 per hundred.—Thos. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 69p

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND —One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—The Hay residence on East Side. Four blocks from postoffice.—M. C. Burns. 68tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE—Lots 2 and 3 of Sec. 1-154-43, consisting of 124 acres. The above farm situated about 7 miles northeast of Thief River Falls; is for rent or sale. For particulars call at First National Bank, Thief River Falls, Minn. 68

FOR RENT—One-half crop plan. SE¼ Sec. 7 and SW¼ Sec. 8, Kratka. Owner to furnish seed and pay one-half twine and thresh bill. Communicate with W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

THREE MODERN ROOMS for rent. Furnished complete for light housekeeping, or rent single rooms furnished for rooming. 309 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 3761. 69p

FOR RENT—160 acres with good buildings; near market. Call at office of John Bratrud. 61tf

FOR RENT — Modern furnished rooms at 116 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 3322. 64tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Salesman for Thief River Falls and vicinity. Commission contract only, for spare time or full time. We will teach you to sell income protection through our free school of instruction and help you build a business of your own. Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., Accident and Health Dept., Saginaw Michigan, Capital $1,500,000. 67

WANTED—Man with team or auto, who can give bond to sell 137 Watkins home and farm products. Biggest concern of kind in world. $1500 to $5,000 yearly income. Territory in this county open. Write today. J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 112 Winona, Minn. 68p

WANTED — Experienced man as bookkeeper and for general office work.—Kiewel Brewing Co. 69

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework or school girl.—409 Knight Ave. N. 67

WANTED—Scandinavian girl for general house work.—The Times. 69p

WANTED—Two laundry girls at Hotel Evelyn. 67

SITUATION WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—Young lady would like a nice place to do housework for gentleman on a small farm, or in a city. State wages in letter. Address S. S. Route 1, Box 68, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 67p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Black straw hat, boy's size 6 7-8, left at Rolland's Meat Market. Will party who took it by mistake please return to Times.—Mrs. Horn. 67

MISCELLANEOUS

FIRST-CLASS HAIRDRESSING and shampooing with soft water. Shampoo, 75c, with dressing, $1; special dressing, 50c; scalp treatment, 75c; manicuring, 50c; facial massage, $1. Six dollars worth for $5. Phone 502 for appointment. 70

IF YOU WANT TO BUY A HOUSE a flat or a duplex, or a farm, see M. V. Evenson, 424 LaBree Ave. Phone 68. 60tf

FREE SAND FOR FILLING purposes may be had at the premises of J. H. McClelland, 314 Conley Ave. S. 68

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

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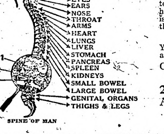

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Miss Lena Lonson, stenographer for the Thief River Grocery company, left on Friday afternoon for Devils Lake, N. D. where she visited with relatives for a week.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Mrs. W. B. Fuller and three children left Tuesday evening for the Twin Cities, where they expect to spend two or three weeks on a visit to relatives and friends.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Mrs. Gilbert Shock and children left on Monday evening for points in Wisconsin, where they will reside in the future. Previous to their departure they lived in the vicinity of Grygla.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Mrs. W. Orm arrived on Tuesday morning from Marshall where she had visited at the home of her parents. She was the between-train guest of Miss Theone Walker, returning to her home in Badger that same morning.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Miss Alice Yager left on Monday afternoon for Crookston where she will be met by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager, leaving the following day for Ada where they will spend a short time before leaving for their new home in Washinton.

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Miss Leah Paquin, who is employed in this city left on Saturday evening for Plummer, where she spent a brief period visiting with friends, leaving the following day for Brooks and Oklee via the auto route. She returned on Monday morning.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

President C. L. Hansen of the First National bank, left Monday evening on a month's business trip to Eastern points. He will go first to Pinchurst, N. C., where important matters will engage his attention, and will probably visit Washington and Philadelphia on his way back.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Miss Esther Burkee arrived Monday evening from St. Hilaire where she had spent a week visiting with friends and relatives. While here she was the guest of Misses Gena Granum and Nettie Ove, leaving on the flyer that evening for her home in Spokane, Wash. Miss Burkee formerly resided in this city.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Mrs. J. M. Bishop returned to this city on Saturday after attending a meeting for the consolidation of schools held in Strathcona. The event was a community gathering at which speeches and music formed the chief entertainment of the afternoon. The subject of consolidation aroused a great deal of enthusiasm in this particular community.

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Society

Entertained.

Mesdames L. H. Lawrence and Roy Lambert entertained a number of ladies on Wednesday afternoon at the home of the former. Needle work formed the chief diversion.

Faculty Party.

The Northrup teachers entertained the Teachers club on Thursday evening in the high school gym. The hours were devoted to playing progressive carom. A delightful lunch concluded the evening.

Shadow Social.

A shadow social and program will be given in the Lundwood school house, Dist. No. 57, Thursday evening, April 29. Ladies will please bring lunch for two. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. Coumbe Entertains.

A delightful party was held at the home of Mrs. S. C. Coumbe on Saturday evening when she entertained a number of her most intimate friends. Cards and dancing made up the evening's entertainment. A delicious lunch was served at midnight.

Surprise Party.

Eighteen of the young friends of Miss Madelyn LaBree repaired to her home on Knight avenue north on Monday evening and gave her a complete surprise. Informal dancing was in order and at midnight a delicious lunch brought by the guests was served.

Dinner Party.

The members of the executive board of the Woman's club and their husbands were guests at a prettily appointed dinner party given by Mrs. H. W. Froehlich at her home on Main avenue, on Monday evening. The hours following the dinner were spent informally.

Dinner Party.

W. A. Barnard entertained a number of his friends at a dinner party at the Evelyn hotel on Friday. Immediately following the dinner the guests repaired to the Mabey home on Main avenue north, where cards formed the diversion for the remainder of the evening.

Entertained at Cards.

Mesdames Roy Lambert and L. H. Lawrence were delightful hostesses to twenty of their friends when they entertained at cards at the home of the latter, 114 W. Sixth street, on Thursday evening. Whist was played at five tables. Delicious refreshments were served at midnight.

U. C. T. Basket Social.

About forty U. C. T's., including their wives and sweethearts were present at the basket social and dance given at the Masonic hall on Saturday evening. Excellent music was furnished by Miss Grace Wilson, pianist, and Clarence Dybvig, banjoist. Lunch was served at twelve o'clock.

Young Peoples League.

The Young Peoples Luther league of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Thursday evening, April 29th at 8:30. Refreshments will be served by Mesdames C. Sjoberg, J. E. Nelson, Iver Holum and L. Fossum.

Elks' Dance Friday.

There will be a dance at Masonic hall on Friday evening of this week for the Elks and their ladies. The committee in charge has secured the best music obtainable for this occasion and there is no question but that the usual enjoyable time will be had. Members residing in the nearby towns are particularly invited to attend.

Birthday Party.

Little Betty Cohn celebrated her second birthday anniversary by entertaining twelve of her friends at her home on Friday afternoon. Contests and games furnished the amusement for the little folks. Prizes were awarded to Robert and John Chommie, Geo. Lambert, Sidney Lieberman and Clifford Froehlich. Decorations were in pink. Lunch was served at five o'clock by the hostess' mother, Mrs. L. L. Cohn, assisted by Mrs. Biddick and Mrs. H. A. Booren.

Erickson-Johnson.

On Easter Monday at 8:30 o'clock at the Catholic parsonage occurred the marriage of Dr. E. O. Erickson of this city and Miss Minnie Johnson of River Falls, Wis., Rev. J. M. Noesen officiating. Dr. and Mrs. Norcross of Bemidji were the only attendants. The groom is a well known dentist in this city while the bride is one of the popular members of the teaching corps. Dr. and Mrs. Erickson will continue residing here. Their many friends wish to extend their heartiest congratulations.

Girls Community Club.

The Girls Community club met in the commercial club rooms on Monday evening with a very large attendance. The girls had the good fortune of listening to a very interesting and instructive talk on Citizenship by Mrs. P. L. Fevoist of Duluth, who was formerly vice president of the State Federation of Woman's clubs but is now state chairman for the Gen. Wood campaign. In her talk she brought out many points of interest regarding the ability of women in the political field as well as along other lines of work for public good. Three little girls from Miss Tandberg's eighth grade class gave readings on Americanization. A group of boys from the same class offered a playlet on different nationalities when receiving citizenship papers. Lunch was served by the S's and T's. Preceding the program a short business meeting was held in which delegates were elected to the convention to be held at Warren on May 5 and 6. Those chosen were the Misses Rosa Taylor, Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson and Marie Nelson.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A lecture-recital by Dr. James Davis, musical critic of the Minneapolis Tribune, was the chief attraction at the meeting of the Woman's club held on Monday afternoon at the commercial club rooms. His chosen topic was "Folk Songs." In his talk he expressed strong antagonism toward rag-time and "jazz" stating that it was degenerating and that it failed to produce serious thinking. He then went on to explain the origin of folk-songs and told how they were the basis of all good music. Dr. Davis alleged that all of our great composers found their inspirations in folk-lore. At the conclusion of his lecture he sang a number of folk-songs which met with the hearty approval of all present. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher also delighted the audience with two vocal numbers. "Who Knows," and "Smilin' Thru."

At the business meeting which preceded delegates were elected to the district meeting of the Woman's clubs to be held in Warren on May 5 and 6. Mrs. W. J. LaBree, Mrs. O. F. Mellby and Mrs. E. M. Stanton were chosen. A committee of five including Mrs. H. O Loken, Mrs. R. McGinn, Mrs. G. C. Streeter, Mrs. J. Provencher and Mrs. G. H. Biddick was appointed to make arrangements for the Garnes entertainment to be given in this city on April 27. The following ushers were appointed: Mrs. S. C. Coumbe, Mrs. G. W. Connell and Mrs. Gynther Tessum.

Big Feature!

Do not miss it! Where? When? What? Tuesday, April twenty-seventh, one of the season's best selections will be offered when JOHN SEAMAN GARNS, famous impersonator, baritone, and speaker, who has been procured by the WOMAN'S CLUB, will appear at the LYCEUM THEATRE.

Mr. Garns, who possesses numerous laudable qualities, will offer the public his best with his artistic reading, musical voice and rich humor.

A special matinee for high school and grade students will be given at four o'clock. The program will consist of story-telling and humorous selections.

Admission, 15 cents for students and 25 cents for adults. In the evening the program will start at 7:30 sharp. It promises to be very entertaining.

Mr. Garns will give Monsieur Beaucaire, a fascinating novel by an equally fascinating author—Booth Tarkington.

Half an hour will be spent on broad comedy and Irish group songs.

Admission, 35 cents.

Are we going? Sure!

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Olaus J. Hole, Insane Ward.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court:

In the matter of the estate of Olous J. Hole, Insane Ward.

The State of Minnesota to Olaus J. Hole, Peter C. Wold and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Insane Ward; The petition of Peter C. Wold as representative of the above named Insane Ward, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of Insane Ward described therein be sold and praying that a license be to Peter C. Wold granted to sell the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of May, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 21st day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
WILHELM MICHELET,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
a22-29-m6

Saturday Specials

No. 2½ can Pork and Beans	25c
Canned Milk, Home brand	16c
No. 2½ can Tomatoes	20c
6 lb. can canned apples	65c
Old Dutch Cleanser, per can	12c
Corn Flakes, 2 pkg.	20c
4 bars Naphtha Soap	25c
25c can B. P.	20c
Dill Pickles, per gal.	40c
Large can corn	17c
Large bottle catsup	28c
Salt, per bbl.	$3.20
Rock salt, per lb.	2c
2 boxes Home Jell	23c
Formaldehyde, per bottle	65c

All kinds of seeds at reduced prices.
Highest price for butter, eggs, veal and pork.
Trade at Home and save money.
Mavie Mercantile Co.

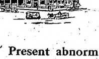
Strength

Present abnormal conditions, with prospects of still further changes, offer sound reasons for making the most favorable banking connections obtainable.

Join forces with this strong, old-established, dependable bank---one that you can absolutely rely upon at all times.

Citizens State Bank
Resources Over Three Quarters of a Million

HELP

FARMERS, we are in need of several tons of scrap iron to complete a carload and will pay
$10.00 per ton
Gather up a load---do it now
Thief River Hide and Fur Co.

C. G. MUGG, O. S.
OF GRAND FORKS, N. D.
FITS GLASSES
HE WILL BE AT
Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, afternoon of April 28; St. Hilaire afternoon of April 27. Will fit and furnish solid bifocal glasses for $10.

Bon Ton Millinery
THE STORE AHEAD
215 E. Third St.

Extraordinary
After-Easter
Sale
of
TRIMMED HATS

Owing to the fact that we could not supply the great demand for our sale hats of last week, a new shipment has been received which we offer to you

Friday and Saturday
only at
$6.95

INTRODUCING
A KIEWEL PRODUCT
A BRAND OF UNIFORM QUALITY

This Label On Any Product Insures
QUALITY, CLEANLINESS, PURITY

This is of supreme importance to you. It means that you can secure from your Grocer, Dairy or Confectioner
Dairy Products, Confections or Beverages
of perfect purity and unvarying quality

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CROOKSTON THIEF RIVER FALLS

V.95

$49,600.00

represents what was paid by the WALKER-GESELL SELLING SERVICE this year for the following quarter sections:

Citizens State Bank	5	quarters	Chas. Lieberman	1	quarter	H. F. Ericson	1	quarter
O. A. Naplin	5	"	Carl Stenerson	1	"	William Blake	1	"
G. R. Gray	1	"	R. McGinn	1	"	M. Hershy	1	"
A. S. Lieberman	1	"	John Pierson	1	"	R. Storm	1	"
H. S. Dahlen	1	"	Emil Anderson	1	"	C. L. Hansen	1	"

7,200

represents acreage sold by the WALKER-GESELL SELLING SERVICE this year.

91

represents number of days in January, February and March, 1920.

50

represents the number of days spent by our president, LESTER E. GESELL, in Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and North Dakota during January, February and March interviewing agents.

42,000

represents the number of Postal Cards mailed by the Walker-Gesell Selling Service during the months of January, February and March to bankers, lawyers and real estate men in the States of North and South Dakota, Minnesota, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri.

$1,200.00

represents cash paid by the Walker-Gesell Selling Service for Postal Cards, Postage Stamps and Stamped Envelopes during months of January, February and March.

10,000

represents the number of Northwestern Minnesota Maps that we are now having printed in New York, size 28 inches x 34 inches. This is the most up-to-date map ever put on the market. It shows the location of Drainage Ditches, State Rural Highways, Jefferson Highway, Minnesota Scenic Highway, Constructed and Proposed Railroads, Towns, Villages, Names of Townships and the Location of the Greatest City in Northwestern Minnesota today and for years to come---Thief River Falls, Minnesota, the Gateway to Clover Land.

$2,000.00

represents what has been spent for Edison Dictating Machines, Edison-Dick Electric Mimeograph and Mimeoscope Machines, Typewriters, Rand McNally Map Tack System, Addressograph machine, etc.

50,000

represents the acreage owned and controlled by the Walker-Gesell Selling Service. Rich open prairie Clover Land, not cut over.

1909

represents the year that Geo. W. Walker (Sept. 27-09) and Lester E. Gesell (Sept. 28-09) came to this city and have been residents ever since.

The American Rural Planning Association of Madison, Wisconsin, is the name of the firm engaged by the Walker-Gesell Selling Service to furnish certification of farm lands, soil survey and soil maps to our Buyers and Agents.

Try the Walker-Gesell Selling Service. They lead. They advertise. They sell.

Licensed Realtors---member of Wisconsin Association of Real Estate Brokers and Minnesota Realty Owners and Dealers Association.

Walker-Gesell Land Co.

Thief River Falls, Minnesota --- Gateway to Clover Land

LESTER E. GESELL, Pres. and Mgr. G. W. WALKER, Sec. and Civil Engineer

Local Notes

Miss Olga Standy visited over Sunday at her parental home in Mahnomen.

Otto Gullingsrud spent the first of the week in the twin cities attending to business.

Scott Laird has suffered an attack of the flu but at the present time is much improved.

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer was a between train visitor here on Saturday evening.

Pete Anderson of Holt motored to this city on Sunday and spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss Alvina Jonas visited with relatives and friends in the cities over Sunday, returning on Monday morning.

Miss Nellie Saustad of Holt visited here over Sunday enroute to Strandquist where she will finish a term of school.

Miss Bertha Erickson, who is engaged in teaching school at Oklee visited at her home in this city over Sunday.

J. Sweningson of Grygla visited in this city on Saturday enroute to Fisher where he will make his future home.

George and Jack Houfok left on Saturday evening for the twin cities where they passed a few days visiting with friends.

Carl Sundahl returned on Monday morning from Chicago where he had spent a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Claude Crandall passed Sunday visiting with her numerous friends in Crookston, returning on Monday morning.

Paul Snyder of Warren was an over Sunday guest of Kenneth Wattam in this city. He returned on Monday morning.

Mrs. R. M. Schlanbush returned to her home in Crookston on Saturday after a week's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Mrs. R. Rupprecht and children left on Sunday evening for the cities where they will spend a period of a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. S. Barnett and son, James, left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis where they will visit with friends and relatives for a week or ten days.

K. K. Austin of Highlanding was in the city on Saturday attending to matters of business. While here he was the guest of his niece, Miss Lottie Austin.

Hans Rolland of Erskine, attended to business affairs here on Friday.

John Bailey of Mahnomen arrived Friday evening and visited with friends for a brief period.

Mrs. Ed. Peterson returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Saturday afternoon having come here for the purpose of receiving medical aid for her daughter, Miss Agnes.

Misses Huot, Patnode and Mrs. J. O. Lasha, all of Red Lake Falls, shopped and visited in this city on Saturday, arriving here in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

Miss Agnes Shefveland of Newfolden was a guest of her sister, Miss Mable, who attends the local high school, on Sunday, returning to her home via Holt, on Monday morning.

Miss Birdie Tweeten, who for the past winter has been employed at Black's Sweet shop, left on Saturday afternoon for Fargo where she will remain with her sister, Miss Delia Tweeten.

William Austin, H. B. Bjerkness and Matt Berg, all of Gonvick, visited with friends at the First National bank, between trains the first of the week, leaving on Wednesday morning for Bagley.

Miss Birdie Tweeten, who left on Saturday for Fargo, returned to this city on Monday in response to a telegram stating that her ten-year-old brother had been run over and seriously injured by an auto.

Misses Myrtle Berg and Anna Shaska arrived on Friday evening from Bijou and spent the week-end visiting at the home of the former in this city. They returned to the above mentioned place on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson of Fordville, N. D., visited at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson on Sunday, leaving in the evening for the twin cities where they will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. M. W. Brink left on Friday morning for Detroit, where she attended the concert given by the Macalester Glee club, given that evening. Her brother, Rufus, who is a member of the Glee club, accompanied her to this city and visited at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman, returning to Minneapolis to resume his studies on Sunday evening.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY
Colds Croup

"Granny" Chamberlain

Whooping Cough

"The disease I most dread is Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect it, and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You cannot mistake the symptoms: protracted coughing, worse at night; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; apparent suffocation after coughing.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health—"Granny" Chamberlain.

LINOLEUM
and
CONGOLEUM

WITH THE COST OF ALL FLOOR COVERINGS SO HIGH, LINEOLEUM AND CONGOLEUM ARE SOLVING THE PROBLEM FOR MANY HOUSEWIVES.

THE INITIAL COST OF THESE FINE FLOOR COVERINGS IS MODERATE, YET THEY WILL GIVE LONG AND SATISFACTORY SERVICE. THEN, TOO, IN THE MANY ATTRACTIVE PATTERNS IN WHICH THEY ARE SHOWN AT THIS STORE IT IS EASILY POSSIBLE TO MAKE ANY ROOM IN THE HOUSE MOST ATTRACTIVE.

Stoves and Ranges

IN FIGURING ON THE NECESSARY PURCHASES FOR SPRING DO NOT OVERLOOK THE FACT THAT WE ARE IN A POSITION TO QUOTE MOST ATTRACTIVE PRICES ON STOVES AND RANGES. WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE TO CHOOSE FROM AND THE PRICES ARE RIGHT.

Refrigerator Time

WARM WEATHER WILL SOON BE HERE AND IT IS TIME THE REFRIGERATOR MATTER WERE LOOKED INTO. DO NOT DECIDE ON ONE UNTIL YOU HAVE SEEN OUR LINE. WE HAVE THEM FOR EVERY PURPOSE AND AT ALL PRICES.

LARSON FURNITURE CO.

CLASS OF 1920
Will Present
"A Strenuous Life"
In Three Acts
Friday, April 30
Auditorium Thief River Falls

Times Advertising is a Profitable Investment Always

Velvet
TOBACCO
LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

The Velvet tin is twice as big as shown here

"No Rheumatics" is a Mighty Poor Reason for Wearing a Wooden Leg

NO sting or hot burnin' is a mighty weak-kneed recommendation for tobacco. But when tobacco *is* mild and cool, and yet as full of "fun" as a barrel of monkeys—well, that's another story—that's Velvet.

And 'cause why?

'Cause Velvet is *brought* up—not jerked up by the hair. It's raised as carefully as a favorite child. It's cured in the big fresh air. And it mellows away for two years in wooden hogsheads 'til it's smooth and rich as cream. The wonder would be if Velvet *wasn't* a whacking good pipe smoke.

"Let Nature mellow yo' tobacco an' that tobacco will shore mellow yo' nature," says Velvet Joe. And he's pretty nearly right.

NATURE-AGEING in the wood does more to make tobacco friendly than any camouflage you can cover it with—and don't you forget it. *See, taste, smell, feel* the "real tobacconess" in Velvet. Why, you can almost *hear* it. Velvet's the tobacco you can judge with your eyes wide open and specs on.

There's a whole lot in Nature's way of making good tobacco better. And it's all in Velvet.

Here's to a full pipe and a friendly one.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

—the friendly tobacco

Company to Develop Peat Near Hibbing

MILLION DOLLAR CORPORATION WILL BE FORMED IN NEAR FUTURE

A million-dollar corporation to be known as the Mesaba Peat syndicate, organized for the purpose of utilizing the vast peat beds in and around Hibbing, will be formed soon. Articles of incorporation will be prepared and filed about June 1. Ernest Heuer Perry Cargill and H. H. Hindshaw and a St. Paul banker whose name is withheld will be the incorporators. Mayor Victor Power has announced his willingness to enter the syndicate, according to Heuer. Other prominent Hibbing men will also be members.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Is Remarkable Play.

"The Miracle Man," the great moving picture that will be shown for the last time at the Lyceum this evening, has created more comment than any other film production ever seen in the city. It is a great picture and teaches a valuable lesson besides being photographically a masterpiece. The attendance on the first two evenings as well as at the matinees was very good and it is expected that the final performance will be as well favored.

Lady Maccabees.

The ladies of the Maccabees request all memmers to be present at a meeting in their hall on April 26. As business of importance is to be transacted all members are urged to be present. By request of the commander.

State Board Examinations.

Office of county examiner, State Board Examinations for May, 1920, Pennington county, Minn.

Program for the May Examinations of 1920.

Papers must be sent to the State Examiner not later than Thursday, June 3, 1920.

Examinations must be taken on the day and at the hour named or not at all.

No examination shall be prolonged beyond the two-hour limit. This rule applies to individuals as well as to classes.

Friday, May 21: Commercial geography, higher algebra, physiography, 8:00 a. m.; English, 1st year, Caesar, modern history (from 800 A. D. or from 1600 A. D.), 10:15; Physiology, commercial arithmetic, English, 2nd year, Spanish, 1st year, 2:00 p. m.

Monday, May 24: Elementary algebra, Cicero, English, 4th year, 8:00 a. m.; German, 1st year, German, 2nd year; high school American history, 10:15 a. m.; Latin Grammar, chemistry, Physics, General Science, 2:00 p. m.

Tuesday, May 24: American history, Plane Geometry, Solid Geometry, 8:00 a. m.; Civil Government, Political Economy, Zoology, Spelling, (30 min.), 10:15 a. m.; Eighth grade Grammar and Composition, Ancient history (to 800 A. D., or 1600 A. D.) Agronomy (Field Crops), French, 1st year, 2:00 p. m.

Wednesday, May 26: Arithmetic, Commercial Law, Animal Husbandry, 8:00 a. m.; English, 3d year, Botany, French, 2nd year, 10:15 a. m.; Geography, Vergil, Social Problems, Bookkeeping (2½ hours), 2:00 p. m.

To The Teachers of Pennington County:

At the time of the mailing of the teachers' requisition for State High School Board examinations, the teachers attention was called to the fact that he or she must make out his or her requisition at that time, for both March and May examinations.

The card blank known as "Eighth Grade Information" contained two squares in which to check for either or both examinations. The teacher checking only for the March examination and not the May examination will not receive the May examinations questions.

The county examiners' (or county superintendents') requisition must be *made not later than April 3, 1920.* You will therefore note that any requests for questions after said date cannot be considered. Therefore the two squares on your "Eighth Grade Information Card."

The county superintendent is known as the county examiner. If you will read the rules, you will note that he and his deputy have only one week in which to forward the returns for the county to the state examiner. That is one week following the last day of the examination. It is therefore very necessary for all district deputy examiners to be prompt in forwarding their returns to this office.

At the time of the March examination, two deputy district examiners forwarded their returns too late. These returns were received a day later than our returns were due at the department. These returns could not be accepted and were therefore returned to the respective district examiners. If you want the returns of your examiners district to be forwarded to the state examiner, you must forward to reach us on or before June 1, 1920. Remember we must be allowed some time in reviewing your marking of the papers. We must have the county returns in by June 3 as we need this time for our work.

Teachers whose pupils are taking the examination but who are not themselves appointed examiners are not permitted to accompany their pupils to the examination district without first making special arrangements with their school boards to "make up" the days so lost.

The class lists are not made out by the district deputy examiners but by the county examiner and his deputy. The county is created as though it were one school with the county superintendent as the examiner. These lists will not be sent out from this office.

Below will be found a list of all appointed examiners, grouping of schools, number of examinees, etc. This list is based upon all requests for May examinations made at the time "The Eighth Grade Information" cards were made out. If you failed to designate on same that you wanted the May examinations, it is now too late to apply for them. The state high school board accepts no requisitions from the county after April 3, 1920:

First is given district, then name of examiner, grouping of districts, and number of examinees:

Dist. 11, Mamie Votava, 11 and 2 Unorg., 6; 68, Katherine Dunn, 68, 3; 135, Gunda Engen, 135 and 25, 9; 31, Anna Barstad, 31 and 28, 3; 42, Mabel Engen, 42, 5; 43, Gladys Johnson, 43, 3; 15, Irene Lanage 15 and 46, 11; 37, Jas. Dahl, 37, 5; 48, Agnes Aakre, 48 and 57, 10; 73, Sena Welo, 73 and 54, 10; 50, Emma Henke, 59, 8; 65, Joren Hegland, 65 and Unorg. No. 1, 4; 69, Dena Wold, 69, 3; 70, Tollef Tollefson, 70, 3; 165, Elizabeth Finhart, 165, 2; 178 Anna Froiland, 178, 6; 12, Ida Legvold, 12 and 221, 9; 29, Borgot Iverson, 29, 8; 41, Annie Haugen, 41, 3; 8 Cons., Prin. B. O. Norby, 8 Con., 30; Pennington county, court house, court rooms, Geo. M. Gunderson, all schools not applying, 20.

High school subjects will be given only at the Goodridge Consolidated schools, Prin. B. O. Norby, examiner.

Very truly yours,
GEO. M. GUNDERSON,
County examiner or county superintendent of schools.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Maxwell Cars Will Be Advanced $100 in Price May 1

We have just been notified by the Maxwell people that all models manufactured by them will advance $100 in price on the first of May.

Get Yours Now and Save this Amount

It is predicted that by June first there will not be a new automobile to be had in the United States.

Get Yours Now and Protect Yourself

The Maxwell this year is one of the best buys obtainable in cars of its class. The demand would exceed the supply even under normal conditions. As it is, there is certain to be a shortage.

Get Yours NOW!

The Prichard Auto Co.

MINNESOTA BINDERS-MOWERS-RAKES

are guaranteed by the state of Minnesota. From raw material to finished product, these machines are manufactured under the supervision of State-employed experts.

All important points such as lightness of draft, ease of operation, smoothness of running gear and long-wearing qualities can be absolutely relied upon in the Minnesota Line of farm machinery.

They are made right.
They work right.
They are priced right.

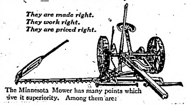

The Minnesota Mower has many points which give it superiority. Among them are:

Large Wide-faced Wheels. Strongly Built Frame.
Four-pawl drive each side. Vertical lift.
Wide-range tilting bar. Automatic clutch shift.
Special oiling system on crank shaft and crank pin.

r dealers carry a liberal supply of repair parts. If you ve any difficulty in locating a dealer write direct to

innesota State Prison
Stillwater, Minn.

SOLD BY
AFSON & SON
River Falls, Minn.

We have a client who is in the market for from twelve to thirty quarter sections of land, improved, located within 8 miles of Thief River Falls, which can be sold on terms prevailing in Northern Iowa, as follows:

Down Payment, $500. to $1,000. March 1st, 1921, $4,000 to $10,000.

No further payments for first year of occupancy, balance beginning March 1, 1923, and running from five to ten years, 5 per cent interest.

Adjustments on interest to conform to local rates can be made in the price.

These farms are desired for settlers from a Hollander settlement who will only purchase under the terms with which they are familiar.

These buyers will be ready to view lands after May 15th, and if you desire to sell your farm confer with the undersigned.

Northern Land & Insurance Agency
McGinn Block
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

AUCTION

There will be a public sale at First House North of Roundhouse, on

Friday, April 30

Commencing at 1:00 P. M. Sharp.

- 1 Exceptionally good milch cow, 6 years old, a pure bred Red Poll coming fresh soon, milk test 4.6
- 1 Bay horse, weight about 900 lbs.
- Some pure bred Belgian hares
- 1 Single harness
- 1 Buggy
- 1 Jumper, nearly new
- 1 Planet Jr., garden hand cultivator
- 1 DeLaval cream separator in good order
- 2 Pair skils and 1 sled
- 1 R. R. mail box
- 1 Long cow chain
- 1 Kitchen cabinet
- 1 Square dining room table
- 1 Dresser
- 1 Parlor table
- 1 Rocking chair
- 4 Dining room chairs
- 1 Writing desk
- 1 Singer sewing machine in good running order
- 1 Hardwood folding kitchen table
- 1 Large sized bed with spring and mattress
- 1 Three quarter bed with spring and mattress
- 1 Favorite hard coal baseburner, nearly new
- 1 Peninsular range
- 1 Extra heavy copper wash boiler
- Buckets, tools and empty barrels
- Potato fork, spade, fork, rake, axes
- 1 Sheep lined coat
- Dishes, kitchen utensils and other articles too numerous to mention

C. ARNESEN, OWNER
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk

Amusements

The Lyceum

LAST TIME TODAY "The Miracle Man"
George Loane Tucker's Production
Ask your neighbor, then come.

SATURDAY
Tom Moore in "Heartsease" | Century Comedy "My Dog's Pal"

SUNDAY and MONDAY
"23½ Hours Leave"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Big, Powerful WILLIAM FARNUM in
"Wolves of the Night"
Don't miss this great photoplay. Matinee 3:30.

The New Princess

TODAY
Triangle Special Presentation
TAYLOR HOLMES in "3 Black Eyes"
Billy West Comedy, "BONE DRY."

FRIDAY
Owen Moore in "SOONER or LATER"
Treat yourself to the best laugh of the season—and there's a pretty love story, too.
Harold Lloyd Comedy
"She Loves Me Not"

SATURDAY
EDYTHE STERLING in
"The Arizona Cat Claw"
and 10th Chapter of "Smashing Barriers, "Overpowered." Matinee 2:30.

SUNDAY and MONDAY
A First National Special Attraction
"EVEN AS EVE"
By Robert W. Chambers
Adapted from his Novelette, "THE SHINING BAND"
The Romance of a girl reared in the wilderness by her hermit father and what happened when fate suddenly threw her into "polite" society.
Paramount Magazine
Matinee: 2:30

THE LYCEUM

Sunday and Monday

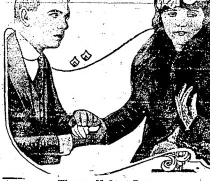

Thomas H. Ince Presents
Douglas MacLean and Doris May
in
"23½ Hours Leave"
By Mary Robert Rinehart

Atlas "Educational Weekly" Sunshine Comedy "Training Husbands"

We guarantee this program will cure any case of the blues.
If not satisfied your money will be refunded.
Matinee 2:30.
A PARAMOUNT-ARTCRAFT PRODUCTION

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

B. P. O. E. INSTALL AND TALK OVER HOME BUILDING

NEW OFFICERS ASSUME THEIR STATIONS IN BIG LODGE FRIDAY NIGHT

MATTER OF BUILDING HOME PLACED IN HANDS OF COMMITTEE

MEMBERSHIP INCREASED 260 DURING PAST YEAR; TOTAL NOW 452

New officers for the year were installed last Friday night by Thief River Falls Lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E., at one of the best meetings of the year. The following were inducted into their respective stations. Past Exalted Ruler Andy Anderson officiating as installing officer: G. Howard Smith, exalted ruler; H. W. Protzeller, esteemed leading knight; J. W. Hendry, esteemed loyal knight; W. W. Prichard, Jr., esteemed lecturing knight; Edward F. Dolan, secretary; Joseph Elsenpeter, treasurer; C. H. Storholm, W. H. BonDurant and Math Barzen, trustees; G. W. Connell, esquire; L. D. McAdams, inner guard; E. M. Bennes, chaplain; R. M. Sheldon, organist.

Johnston Relinquishes Gavel.

Before turning over the principal office in the lodge to his successor, R. L. Johnston delivered a short address in which he thanked the officers and members for their co-operation during the year, stating that it was through their hearty support that the remarkable growth in membership had been possible and the work of the order carried on with such marked success. He was of the opinion that no lodge in the state could show a better record and urged his successor and those who will serve under him not to permit the good work to stop but to put forth every effort to maintain the same ratio of growth during the year just opening. Mr. Johnston said that while he relinquished the chair he wanted it understood that this fact in no manner lessened his interest in the order nor would he consider his responsibilities in any way lightened. He urged the others to continue to serve in the same splendid manner as heretofore and hoped that when it came Mr. Smith's duty to turn the lodge over to a successor it would be in quarters owned by the lodge. Mr. Johnston was given an ovation at the close of his address.

Smith Feels Responsibility.

Upon assuming the chair the new exalted ruler said he hoped to deserve the high honor conferred upon him by the members, but feared that his term would fall short of that of his predecessor in actual achievement. He bespoke for himself the same open-hearted co-operation as that which has been so much in evidence during the past and heartily seconded the hope that an Elks' home would be the one crowning achievement of his administration.

Mr. Smith then announced his appointments and standing committees, stating that he had called the other officers into conference, particularly regarding the personnel of the building committee. This, in his opinion, was the most important of them all at this time and he hoped that its members would go about their duties with that fact in mind. The committee is made up of the following: F. H. Herrick, chairman; Math Barzen, Andy Anderson, C. A. Nason, H. W. Protzeller, T. L. Melgnard, W. A. Barnard, W. W. Prichard, Jr., L. A. Lampert, all of Thief River Falls; F. W. Shogren, Lancaster; George Marvin, Warroad; and Frank Johnson, Mahnomen.

The question of erecting or securing an exclusive Elks' home was discussed at considerable length, all present being heartily in favor of going ahead if this could be done within the means of the lodge. Ways and means of financing the enterprise were talked over and finally left to the committee in charge. A number of sites will be carefully considered and it is very likely that something definite will be reported within a short time.

The Standing Committees.

Exalted Ruler Smith gave out his list of appointments for the year as follows, the first named being in each case the chairman:

Sick committee, P. J. Keating, J. O. Yotter, Dr. C. R. Crandall, A. H. Akre, C. W. E. Nelson, F. F. Haynes.

Committee on by-laws, Theo. Quale, Perl W. Mabey and W. J. Brown.

Auditing committees: Disbursements, W. W. Prichard, Jr., Emil Zeh, E. P. Brevig. Books, G. W. Werstlein, Peter Myhrum, L. H. Hermanson.

Entertainment and dances, L. A. Lampert, G. W. Connell, O. C. Olson, C. W. Vorachek, F. E. Hunt.

Initiations, W. H. Akre, A. J. Borry, W. H. Patterson, E. O. Mogensen, L. G. Larsen, L. H. Lawrence.

Elks' show committee, H. W. Protzeller, A. S. Sapero, H. A. Brumund.

Flag Day committee, H. D. Keene, F. E. McGinn, Raymond Johnson.

Memorial Sunday committee, H. W. Protzeller, William Peterson, F. H. Herrick.

Lunch and refreshments, L. H. DeCremer, J. Provencher, H. A. Brumund, L. C. Nielsen, E. M. Bennes, Joseph Elsenpeter.

Charity committee, G. Howard Smith, H. W. Protzeller, J. W. Hendry, W. W. Prichard, Jr.

Attendance committee, W. H. Akre, James Cosgrove, William Kline, Roy Lambert, E. O. Mogensen.

Membership committee, L. R. Johnston, P. J. Keating, W. S. Sylvester, R. H. Storholm, T. J. Austad.

Custodian of lodge property, L. D. McAdams.

Was Greatest Year

The membership of the lodge was increased by 260 members last year, being at the present time more than twice the size it was when the officers who retired on Friday evening took charge. The total membership is 452, being one of the largest in the country for a town the size of Thief River Falls.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Spud May Disappear From Hotel Tables

LOWLY TUBER BRINGING FROM $4.80 TO $7.00 IN MINNEAPOLIS

The "Passing of the Potato" impends.

With the time honored spuds retailing in Minneapolis markets at from $4.80 to $7.00 a bushel, they are about to disappear from public and private menus.

This was indicated when the Minneapolis Hotel and Restaurant Men's association called a meeting to consider the question of the soaring Irish specialty.

Dispatches last week from Chicago were to the effect that potatoes there had assumed a top place on price cards, with listings of 65 cents an order common.

Such prices are not considered likely in Minnesota, however. Instead, potatoes will just disappear from many menus, it is prophesied.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Did Thorough Job.

Julien Provencher has had a crew of men at work repainting the interior of the Hotel Evelyn during the past three weeks and the place has taken on almost a holiday appearance. Every room, no matter for what purpose used, has been gone over, the entire building receiving new spring decorations.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Household Furniture Auction

As I have sold my house and am moving away, I will sell at public auction all my household furniture and personal property on

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At my residence at 122 St. Paul Ave. No.

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- Hall mirror
- 3 Sewing rockers
- Golden oak buffet
- Russian leather oak davenport
- Golden oak extension dining table
- 6 Oak leather dining chairs
- 6 Oak dining chairs
- Several center tables
- Several complete bedroom sets, consisting of brass and iron beds, good springs and mattresses, dressers and wash stands
- Singer sewing machine
- One parlor rug, 12'x14'
- One parlor rug, 9'x12'
- One parlor rug, 8'x10'
- Two Congoleum rugs, 9'x12'
- One large Brussels carpet
- Many small rugs
- One plush parlor set
- One large ice box, nearly new
- One medium size ice box
- One Majestic range, good as new
- One Moore Bros. range, with reservoir and water front
- Wood or coal heater
- Two oil stoves
- Several kitchen tables
- Several kitchen chairs
- Wash tubs, wringers, wash boilers, clothes racks and baskets, etc.
- Two lawn mowers and garden tools
- Preserves, jellies, pickles, sauces
- One man's Coon fur coat
- One ladies' Astrikan fur coat
- Kitchen utensils, dishes, clothing, tools, furniture and many articles too numerous to mention.

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Great Show Coming For Legion Benefit

VAUDEVILLE REVUE OF REAL MERIT PROMISED FOR NEXT TUESDAY

The American Legion Revue which comes to the auditorium on Tuesday for the benefit of Elmer J. Eklund post, is a vaudeville revue of real merit. It contains such acts as James and Darling, Eddie Russell, Al Scheeman, Fred Lundberg, the king of Swede dialect comedians, the Destroyer Quartet, the Legion Minstrels, and one added attraction put on especially for the tour they are now making. Besides which they have American Legion orchestra.

James and Darling feature Jimmy James and his piano-accordeon, of which he is a master. Miss Darling is a lady xylophone player of preeminence, and together this team are venders of both the classical and jazz.

Eddie Russell is a great eccentric tramp and dance artist, and his novelty wooden shoe dances are the latest steps in jazz terpischorean art. As a comedian he is a second Nat Wills.

Al Scheeman is to be remembered as the man who had charge of the U. S. theatre at Camp Cody and later toured France with the A. E. F. Revue. It is requested that Al be given a chance to work on some of the neutrals in the crowd. He takes your time but leaves your watch—the peerless prestidigitator, if you please. Try and catch him—you will be the first to do it.

Fred Lundberg is known as the best Swede dialect comedian on the stage today and his interpretation of a Swedish janitor is one of the funniest acts in vaudeville.

The Destroyer quartet are masters at blending both the classic and near-jazz numbers, as well as the old standard songs that we all know and like to hear when they are sung in the good old way.

The Legion Minstrels are seven clever young fellows who dance and sing in a way that gives you the impression of the famous minstrels of other days. And then look for the added attraction.

Bonus Certificates Are Placed on Sale

STATE ASKS PUBLIC TO INVEST IN VERY DESIRABLE SECURITY

Nearly $5,000,000 of Minnesota soldiers' bonus certificates of indebtedness are being offered at a fifteen days' popular sale. The sale began on Tuesday under the direction of Henry Rines, state treasurer and bonus board members. The certificates bear 5 per cent interest, payable semi-annually, and are exempt from all taxes. Because of the high class investment offered and the purpose for which the funds are being made, bond board members expressed confidence that the issue will be oversubscribed.

The sale will be handled through the state treasurer's office, but all banks and trust companies in Minnesota have been asked to co-operate and purchasers may make their application through any bank or direct to the state treasurer.

Treasurer Rines estimated that funds now available for paying soldiers' bonuses will be exhausted about May 1, and announced that the continuation of payments then will depend largely on the success of the depend largely on the success of the popular sale. Service men may purchase certificates with their bonuses, it was pointed out, inasmuch as better investments are difficult to find. Notices to that effect will be inclosed with bonus checks mailed out in the future.

John Seaman Garns in Recital Program

WILL GIVE TWO READINGS UNDER AUSPICES OF WOMAN'S CLUB

John Seaman Garns, one of the foremost impersonators and readers in the west, will appear in two programs under the auspices of the Woman's club on Tuesday, April 27. One entertainment will be held at the Lyceum in the evening and an admission fee of 35 cents will be charged.

As a monologist Mr. Garns has few superiors on the lyceum circuit. He appeared in this city last winter before the club in a number of miscellaneous humerous readings and made a decided hit. It is expected that at the evening entertainment he will choose as his program selections from Booth Tarkington's "Monsieur Beaucaire," regarded everywhere as his best. Among the other numbers in his repertoire are "Old Baumgartner," by John Luter Long, "What You Will," by Richard Mansfield, "Ireland in Song and Story," "Poets of the people" and "American Humor."

Those who had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Garns on his previous visit will not need to be told that there is a treat in store. He has appeared in recitals in every state in the North and the press has invariably given his work the highest praise. Concerning his interpretation of Monsieur Beaucaire the Sheboygan News says: "It was the best thing ever given here."

BUSINESS MEN WIN PROMOTIONS

"Honor where honor is due," says S. J. Severson, recently appointed yard manager of the White & McCullough Lumber Companies, Harwood, N. D. He wrote to Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., saying the position was directly due to his training there.

Another former D. B. C. student, John Schneider, announces his promotion to Service Dept. Mgr. of the Standard Oil Co., Grand Forks, N. D. Thorough training pays.

Spring term begins soon. "Follow the Succe$$ful" and enter now. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

The Interchurch Movement.

(Duluth Herald.)

The Interchurch World Movement is, we believe, a project that should have the earnest support not only of every member of the church organizations that are affiliated with it, but of every Christian citizen who believes that humanity's greatest need today is the profession and practice of Christianity—of every man and woman who wishes well to humanity.

The movement is a grouping of missionary, educational and philanthropic organizations within the several denominations, and of allied interdenominational agencies.

All of these organizations do many things of the same nature. The Interchurch World Movement is an affirmative answer to this uestion: "Cannot these organizations group themselves for mutual benefit, study one another's plans and literature, and actually do some things together; for example, conduct a united publicity and financial campaign?"

Question and answer both are obvious. The situation suggested the question, which cannot be a new one; and the question suggested the answer, which is the Interchurch World Movement. It is a co-ordinating organization, as we take it; an organization to prevent overlapping, to reduce overhead costs by sharing them, and to give the common work the strength and impetus of united effort.

If, incidental to the start thus made, something in the nature of church consolidation ultimately should come out of it, that too is an obvious need and an obvious and inevitable result, even though this is not the primary aim of the organization.

When the question of affiliation was before one of the denominational bodies recently a pastor of that denomination warned its members that the movement embodied danger to the independent existence of some denominations. It was significant that despite this warning the members of that denomination voted overwhelmingly to affiliate. Which is as it should be.

Says a booklet from headquarters describing the movement: "In the process of such an enlarged co-operation there may be revealed to some Christian organizations, especially those which are already closely akin, the knowledge that consolidation or combination would produce better results for the entire cause of the kingdom of God, and there may be supplementary actions of this character. The effort itself, however, is not directed primarily to these questions, but rather to the more immediate and pressing one of co-operation."

The need of this work, and the value of it, are only too plain. The movement itself is analogous to very similar movements in many fields that are characteristic of this hour of flux and change and progress. Co-operation is the magic word of the time. That the Christian bodies associated in this movement can do more and better work through co-operation than they can possibly do independently is so plain that it does not even need stating.

And if, in the end, co-operation to some extent by natural processes involves consolidation, that too will be an inevitable forward step dictated by obvious necessities.

The Interchurch World Movement is a movement forward and upward and it deserves the widest possible sympathy and support. So irresistible is its appeal to common sense that it is not imaginable that either sympathy or support will be withheld.

The Public Forum

The Teacher's Conference.

Several persons have asked me what was done at the conference. I shall therefore give a brief outline of it.

At 10 o'clock Saturday morning about 1200 people, men and women, were seated in the auditorium of the Farm School awaiting the beginning of the deliberations.

One of the members of the state board of education was assigned the duty of leading the meeting.

Hon. J. M. McConnell, commissioner of education, opened by reading a very scholarly paper on education in general and the necessity of increasing the salaries of teachers. Then followed the reading of two other papers consisting principally of figures and statistics gathered by a special committee appointed by the state board to investigate the yearly earnings of teachers, farm hands, city and mine laborers, storekeepers, lawyers, doctors, craftsmen of nearly all trades, etc. About 60,000 questionnaires had been sent out to gather such information besides quite a little personal investigation. This was done to prove that most of the teachers are working for too small salaries. Many statements in these two papers were sharply questioned by some of the delegates.

The fourth address was delivered *by Hon. G. B. Aiton, president of the* state board of education. In an eloquent way he pointed out the necessity for increasing teachers' salaries. He also urged the necessity of increasing the requirements as to education of teachers. When his address was finished the fingers of the clock pointed to the figure 2. Some of the delegates then asked if there was any chance to get dinner near by. Mr. Aiton replied that it was doubtful, as we were so many. We were literally in a wilderness, although the city of Saint Paul stretched out several miles on all sides of us. We therefore decided to have a short delegates' meeting at once. No delegate could very well stay over Sunday, so everything was hurried along at top speed, with minds full but empty stomachs. A temporary organization was formed by electing one Mr. Larson chairman; the secretary of the M. E. A. acted as temporary secretary. A few short speeches were made by delegates. A motion was made to form a permanent organization by joining the M. E. A., but as only a few of the delegates understood what M. E. A. signified, (Minnesota Educational Association), the motion was tabled. The traditional American maxim, "Keep out of Entangling Alliances," finished that motion quickly.

The exciting sense of having much to do and no time in which to do it, made it just about impossible to conduct business in any workable way. The chairman had a hard time of it. That conference represented much of the practical intelligence of the state.

The state board of education had recommended a minimum teacher's salary of $65.00 and a maximum salary of $140.00 per month, this to be adjusted to circumstances by people who were willing to promote the best possible education in their districts. It was moved, seconded and carried to adopt this recommendation. A motion to adjourn was quickly carried, and we all hurried out to the street looking for street cars to take us somewhere to get some dinner and get our passenger tickets, etc—and the conference was over.

Being one of the few delegates who made a short speech at the conference and having my mind full of my subject yet, I will, later, if I get time and the editor permits, write a few short articles on the necessity of improving the living conditions for teachers of our public schools. We have made fine development in making school buildings and their equipment, but the living conditions for teachers are the same now as they were 50 years ago.

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Great Record For Season by Local Basket Shooters

Coach Albert Tommeraasen of the Thief River Falls high school has completed a performance record for the basketball team and finds that the boys acquitted themselves with much credit throughout the season. A total of 507 points were made in the different games played, while opponents scored 298. The record is nine games won and five lost, with one disputed.

The individual score given below is based on 24 points as perfect. Each division is given three points in the point score. Goals scored, assists, defensive play and generalship are positive qualities, while fouls and bad passes are negative qualities. Making 50 per cent of all goal tries would give a perfect score in short shots, 33⅓ per cent in long shots and 20 per cent in extra long shots.. The score follows:

Name	Short Shots	Long Shots	E. Long Shots	Assists	Def. Play	Fouls	Bad Passes	Gen'l-ship	Total Score
Schuster ----	150-49	72-20	29-4	2.43	2.0	1.07	0.64	1.7	15.8
McGinn -----	37-10	12-2	2-0	3.9	2.0	2.2	0.3	2.0	16.
Hadrath ----	184-57	59-4	13-2	2.07	1.7	1.2	0.36	1.3	15.
Flattum -----	29-7	48-8	27-5	1.08	1.6	1.5	1.0	1.6	15.
Larson ------	80.23	42-5	11-1	2.06	1.6	1.2	0.8	1.5	14.5
LaBree -----	29-7	34-4	18-1	1.1	1.14	0.8	0.5	1.0	14.

The points scored by each individual player are as follows: Schuster, 158 in 15 games; McGinn, 50 in 11 games; Hadrath, 141 in 15 games; Flattum, 40 in 14 games; Larson, 65 in 14 games; LaBree, 41 in 11 games; Ralston, 10 in part of three games; Warner, 2 in part of two games; Werstlein, 2 in part of two games.

Local Notes

Martin Olson of Holt was the guest of his friend, Elric Berg, over Sunday.

J. M. Bishop left Thursday morning for Strathcona where he attended a bankers meeting.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, who accompanied Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen to Ada, returned Thursday morning.

J. H. Johnson of Spokane, Wash., is in the city as the guest at the home of hs sister, Mrs. E. J. Rustad.

Mrs. W. H. Mulry, who visited with friends in Crookston a few days last week, returned on Thursday morning.

L. Tolland, brakeman on the Soo, spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends in the twin cities.

William Bedell left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis where he spent a few days visiting at the home of his parents.

Mrs. John Gustafson, who spent a day visiting at the home of her [illegible] ents at Middle River, returne [illegible] city Wednesday.

Miss Mildred Ha [illegible] the local high sch [illegible] Sunday at the ho [illegible] parents who reside in Wyl [illegible]

Miss Lily Rustad [illegible] ntosh returned to her home Friday morning after a short visit at the home of her brother, E. J. Rustad.

Miss Betsey Legvold who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Bemidji, spent the week-end visiting at her home here.

Mrs. S. Leiran and daughter returned on Wednesday from Gatzke where they visited with relatives for a period of two weeks.

Miss Ruth Koopp, who is attending the local high school, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her parents at Middle River.

Miss Nina Anderson left on Friday morning for Newfolden where she visited during the week-end at the home of her parents.

Mrs. L. E. Gesell returned on Friday evening from points in Wisconsin, where she had spent the past two weeks visiting with relatives.

Hugh McDaniel and Fred Haug are spending the week renewing old acquaintances here. Both are at present employed in Minneapolis.

Miss Minnie Mattson of Oakland Park sanatorium, left on Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she visited with friends over Sunday.

Miss Marie Causin visited with relatives and friends here on Wednesday, enroute to Crookston, where she spent a week visiting with friends.

Misses Anna and Elsie Johnson, who were guests of friends here for a few days last week, returned to their home in Minot, N. D., Thursday.

Miss Agnes Peterson of Underwood was a between train visitor here the first of last week. While here she was the guest of Miss Florence Lian.

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer visited with friends here the latter part of last week. While in the city she also attended to some shopping.

Mrs. John Hagen left on Saturday morning for Badger to attend the funeral services over the remains of her father who died at that place recently.

Miss Sarah Hennesy returned to her home at Conway last Friday after spending a few days here as the guest of her cousin, Miss Lauretta Kelley.

Miss Margaret Fier left Friday for Middle River where she spent Sunday at the home of her parents. She returned to this city on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. G. O. Vigness and three daughters left on Saturday morning for Warroad and Roosevelt, where they will spend a week or ten days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. E. Sjorsvold and two granddaughters, Misses Linda and Lida Anderson, left on Saturday morning for Warren where they spent a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. M. W. Brink, who spent a few days the first of last week as the guest of Mrs. Wm. J. Foley, nee Elsie Sin Clair at Rainey River Ont., Can., returned to her home here Thursday afternoon.

Misses Pearl Warring and Linda Koglin left on Friday morning for Steiner, where they spent the week-end visiting at the home of their parents. Both are students in the local high school.

Miss Myrtle Johnson arrived Wednesday evening from Warren where she had visited for a couple of days leaving here the following morning for her home in Rollis. While here she was the guest of friends.

Norman Dybvig left on Thursday morning via Duluth for Bessmer, Mich., where he has accepted a position as drummer in Morck's orchestra. Mr. Morck was formerly located in this city, removing to the above mentioned city only a few years ago.

Mrs. Ray Lindquist, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Maren Loken, returned to her home in Minneapolis on Friday evening. Mrs. Loken and son, Luther, will leave the first of next month for Minneapolis, where they will reside during the summer.

Miss Lauretta Kelley, who has been employed in this city for some time past left on Sunday evening for Mahnomen where she visited with relatives until Wednesday when she returned here, leaving the following morning for her home at Conway, N. D., where she will remain during the summer months.

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Iowa ranks second for 1919, with 87,914,633 pounds; Wisconsin third, with 85,654,334 pounds; California fourth, with 61,785,295 pounds, with Ohio, Nebraska, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri in the order named, all showing increases, but not so great as Minnesota.

The total production in the United States in 1919 was 866,850,150 pounds, an increase of 7.18 per cent over 1918.

For Soldier Memorial.

A special election will be held on May 11 in Red Lake county to decide whether or not bonds for the erection of a soldiers' memorial building or monument will be voted. The location for the memorial is not designated in the call for the election.

New University Head.

Dean Lotus D. Coffman last week was formally elected president of the University of Minnesota by the board of regents, who met in plenary session to approve the preliminary action taken at the State Capitol.

The action Tuesday ends the search by the regents to find a successor for President M. L. Burton, who resigned December 30, to become head of the University of Michigan. The search began and ended with Dean Coffman He was the first candidate to be seriously considered, and in spite of a careful survey of the field, he remained the first candidate throughout, it has been learned.

Minneapolis Population Grows.

Minneapolis is given a population of 380,498 by the 1920 federal census.

The percentage of gain over the census figures of 1910 is 26.2, which exceeds any normal increase of cities of the Minneapolis class so far reported by the census bureau.

The increase in the city's population in the last ten years is shown as 79,090. The census was taken in January, and the result was announced at Washington Saturday night.

The twin cities now have a population of 615,242, and as an urban center are nearly 100,000 greater in population than they were 10 years ago. On the basis of the 234,744 given St. Paul by the census bureau, the twin cities as an urban center have increased in actual figures by 99,090.

Notice.

Party taking hay from stack in Section 1, town of Bray, between April 5 and 12, is known and he is hereby asked to call and settle for same in order to avoid trouble.—S. L. Sorenson, R. 1, Box 10-A. a15-22-p.

Dental Notice.

Commencing Saturday, April 24, and continuing until Nov. 1, all dental offices in Thief River Falls will close every Saturday at noon.

"Perhaps You Don't Know"

says the Good Judge

That nearly every wise tobacco chewer got over the big chew idea long ago.

A little of the Real Tobacco Chew gives you more tobacco satisfaction and saves you money. Its rich taste lasts a long time.

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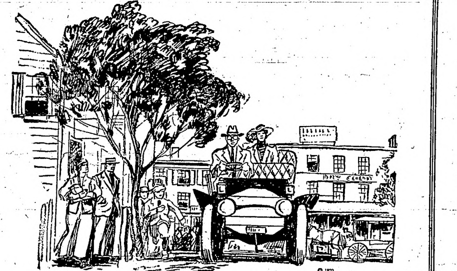

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Remember when the first automobile came to town

TODAY there are more than 7,000,000 of them in the country. Pretty soon nearly everybody in this section will be traveling around in his own automobile.

II

The first thing a man wants to know nowadays, when he starts out to buy a car, is *how much it is going to cost him* to keep it running.

It's all very [illegible] to take some dealer's [illegible] bout a tire—if you [illegible] *he is* and his *obje* [illegible] g it to you [illegible] C [illegible] S. Tire [illegible] *come* [illegible] k [illegible]—and *be glad* that we sold them to you.

III

U. S. Tires have a record behind them.

They are built by the people who perfected the *first* straight side automobile tire, who produced the *first* pneumatic truck tire.

Two of the greatest contributions to *tire* and *motor economy* ever made.

IV

As representatives of the oldest and largest rubber concern in the world, we have a reputation to live up to. We can't afford to substitute "just as good" tires for tires of *standard quality*.

Select your tires according to the roads they have to travel:

In sandy or hilly country, wherever the going is apt to be heavy—The U. S. Nobby.

For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.

For front wheels—The U. S. Plain.

For best results—*everywhere*—U. S. Royal Cords.

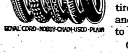

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ROSEWOOD

Consolidated School Meeting April 30

County Superintendent of Schools David Johnson, has announced a meeting at this place on Thursday evening, April 29, for a further discussion regarding the practicability of consolidating the Rosebank, Willowdale, Busy Bee and part of the Prichard school districts, and the forming of a consolidated school here in the near future. As will be remembered this plan was greatly agitated last summer, but for certain reasons was postponed indefinitely. Believing that the time may now be ripe for the realization of the plan Mr. Johnson wishes to gather the people of these districts to ascertain their views in the matter. County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson of Pennington county, in which county part of the area intended for consolidation lies will be present at this meeting, as well as Miss Shelland of the Board of Education at St. Paul. This promises to be a more than general interesting and educational meeting and it is hoped that the people of the four districts will come out and hear what these speakers have to say. Anyone will also have the opportunity of asking for information regarding these schools, transportation of pupils, number and qualifications of teachers, taxation, etc. The meeting will be held at the Congregational church in town and will open at 8:00 p. m.

The following were at Viking last Friday attending to matters of business: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen, Mrs. John Sagmoen, Steiner Johnson and Joel Shoberg.

The following left last Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to attend the "World War Veterans" at the auditorium: Isabelle Sagmoen, Mabel, Olof and Henry Lappegaard, Clifford Hasby and Howard Carlson.

T. Mellem spent a few days at Viking the latter part of the week to visit at the S. S. Nordgaard home.

Miss Lyda Batten of Thief River Falls is spending Sunday with her father, north of town.

Students Henry Sagmoen and Henry Stengelson of Thief River Falls high school, spent Saturday at their parental home here.

Swen Swenson and daughter, Miss Jennevieve, left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls to attend the Augsburg Glee club concert at the Zion church in the evening.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, are spending Sunday at the John Helquist home north of town.

Albert Helquist and family of Newfolden spent a few days of last week visiting at the John Helquist home here.

Percy Hanson and John Nakken are home from the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, where they have spent the winter.

Mesdames Gust Nakken and John Rafteseth have spent a few days this week at Dakota Junction to visit with their sister, Mrs. C. Stromberg.

J. S. Benson of Viking has been in town a couple days this week delivering Chevrolet automobiles to Selmer Sorenson and Joel Shoberg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson of Angus were in town last Saturday to look after their land interests east of this place.

According to the Minneapollis dailies, marriage lincese has this week been issued to Miss Clara Nelson, formerly of this place and Martin C. Olson from Iowa.

Miss Synneva Sorenson and Mrs. Selmer Haugen left last Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls where they will shop and visit for a day.

Miss Ethel Kron left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls from where she will proceed to Grand Forks where she expects to be employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hasby returned on Monday from Stephen where they have been visiting over Sunday.

Mr. Sullivan, an agent for photographic enlargements, toured this vicinity the first of the week.

John Sjolsvold of Norden was in town last Tuesday on business connected with the Rosewood Shipping association.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen spent Monday and Tuesday at Viking visiting at the Mrs. Johanne Styrlund home.

E. P. Johnson left on Monday morning for Viking to secure some repairs for his gasoline engine.

Selmer Haugen spent a couple days in Viking the last week to have repair work done to his automobile.

Services will be conducted at the Congregational church in town next Sunday, April 25 at 10:30 a. m., and at 8:00 p. m. On Saturday evening, April 24, will be held the monthly meeting of the Swedish Young Peoples society at the same place. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will have charge of all meetings. All are welcome.

Sunday school commenced last Sunday at the Congregational church. it is the intention to teach in both English, Swedish and Norwegian. John Bloom and T. Mellem are in charge.

Society: Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem spent Sunday at Anita visiting at the Enoch Nelson home.—The following were among the Sunday callers at the F. G. Dols home: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem and daughter, Alice.—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom were pleasant Sunday callers at the Thom Holten home.—Mr. and Mrs. B. Ranum and family and A. Opseth spent Sunday visiting at the Mrs. G. Ranum home, out west.—Sunday callers at Thief River Falls were: Axel Larson, Olof Opseth, Joel Shoberg, Herbert Carlson, Dave Mosbeck, Isabelle Sagmoen, Synneva Sorenson and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm.

Mrs. Ellen Sjosvold and Miss Elinda Anderson arrived from Thief River Falls last Wednesday for a few days' visit with the Alby family and other friends north of town.

Gust Nakken was at Warren between trains last Monday attending to matters of business.

Steiner Johnson returned home from Fosston this week where he has been visiting for some time.

John Bloom was an east-bound passenger Tuesday evening to attend some business at the Pennington county seat.

The Farmers State bank shipped out one of their largest safes this week to Pinewood where another bank is to start business this spring.

Miss Thompson left last Wednesday for Thief River Falls where she will be employed.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom home on Wednesday evening: Mesdames John Sagmoen and L. L. Furan and Misses Ella Nelson and Isabelle Sagmoen.

Miss Laura Kron, who concluded a successful six months' term of school at Dist. No. 2, last Tuesday, left on Thursday for Thief River Falls where she will spend the weekend visiting with friends.

Mrs. Carl Mellem spent a few days the first of this week visiting with her sister, Miss Lily Holson at Viking.

Burt Bice left last Thursday for his home at Freeborn county after spending a month here assisting Geo. Snyder with the arrangements at his new farm home.

Willie Rux arrived here last Saturday from Northwood, N. D., to attend some business among his former neighbors north or town.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

ESPLEE

Mrs. W. E. Chapman called on Mrs. Peder Strand on Thursday.

Daniel Hanson made a business trip to Thief River Falls last week.

Mrs. John Mohn and children left for McVille, N. D., on Thursday where Mr. Mohn has rented a farm for the summer.

Lena, Selma, Rosa and Erick Kiesow spent Saturday afternoon in Goodridge.

Olive Chapman spent Wednesday at the J. E. Ballou's home.

J. E. Ballou and sons have purchased a new Avery tractor and are getting ready for spring work.

There was a large crowd of people who attended the L. E. Geerlings auction sale last Friday. Everything sold at good prices.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Geerling are visiting with Barney Baker over Sunday.

Mrs. Max Konig called on Mrs. S. Siverson on Wednesday.

Mrs. Jesse Merrill visited with Mrs. Peder Strand last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman attended the Geerling auction sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sund and son, Arthur, visited at the home of A. P. Horn, near Grygla, on Sunday.

Carl Erickson and family made a trip to Goodridge Saturday.

Mabel and Sarah Martinson visited at the home of John Sund last Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Luttrell visited at the home of W. E. Chapman last Thursday.

Pete Carlson was a business caller in Goodridge Thursday.

Mrs. W. Chapman and son, Earl, were business callers in Grygla last Thursday.

Ed. Martinson and Carl Hanson made a business trip to Goodridge Thursday.

Mr. Opsata and a few of the young folks of the Sund family attended the singing concert given by the Augsburg Glee club at Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Turnbull and Mr. and Mrs. A. Turnbull made a trip to Grygla last Sunday.

John Lamporter and family called on friends in Goodridge Saturday.

John Sund spent Sunday at his home in Esplee.

Ruth Anderson, Cora and Arthur Sund autoed to Goodridge last Sunday.

Andrew Spiten and sons are visiting with friends here for a while.

L. O. Opsata and Carl Hanson transacted business in Grygla last Monday.

Oscar H. Olson and daughter, Mabel, were callers in Goodridge on Saturday.

E. O. Erickson called on Kittel Haugaas last Sunday.

The dragging contract on State Road No. 12 was let to Paul Sund and Geo. Hook.

ST. HILAIRE

Sam Nelson motored to Thief River Falls last Tuesday to receive dental treatment.

Last Tuesday evening two new members, Mrs. Madsen and Mrs. Erlen, were initiated into the Iris Rebbekah lodge.

"Pat" Hall arrived last Tuesday from Hawick, and has entered upon his duties as cashier of the Farmers State bank.

Mrs. A. Belden returned last Wednesday from South Dakota, where she was called some time ago by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. J. Sieff and children returned to Red Lake Falls after spending two weeks at the A. S. Wilson home.

Chas. Bigelow arrived Wednesday morning after having spent the winter in Iowa.

Mrs. J. W. Denhart left last Wednesday for Pipestone to visit with friends and relatives.

Ben Lardy left Wednesday for Grand Forks, N. D., where he will be employed by the American Printing company.

Miss Esther Burkee arrived Saturday from Tacoma, Wash., and is visiting at the E. O. Burkee home.

Miss Dot Peterson arrived Friday from Thief River Falls to visit at the H. A. Olson home.

Miss Selma Hoff left Saturday evening via the Soo, Thief River Falls, for Hyattsville, Maryland, to make an extended visit with friends there and at other points. Josephine Branum will assist at the postoffice during Miss Hoff's absence.

Miss Amanda Ortloff left Monday for Crookston to visit with her sisters who are employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Amble left Monday for Crookston to visit with friends and relatives.

The dance given Saturday evening by the American Legion was well attended.

Hans Wilson left Monday for Crookston to seek medical treatment.

Miss Adelia Kruse will be employed at the St. Hilaire pharmacy.

N. A. Nelson made a business trip to Alexandria Tuesday.

Banquet for Augsburg Glee Club.

The Young Peoples society of the Zion Lutheran church entertained the Augsburg Glee club on Friday evening at a seven o'clock supper. About fifty people were seated at tables which were becomingly decorted with vases of artificial spring flowers. The color note of yellow was carried out in the decorative scheme of the place cards. Toasts were made by the various members of the Glee club. Miss Anna Bredesen, president of the Zion Young Peoples society was toastmistress. Miss Gerda Mortenson offered a delightful piano number to which she graciously responded with an encore.

Brick Given Away

Any person desiring the brick on the site of the former Union Block may have same for the carting away. For particulars apply to

Julien Provencher
Hotel Evelyn

LIGHTENS THE FARM WORK

During these days of high wages and scarcity of help the farmer often is a heavy loser by reason of not being able to get his work done at the right time. He could get rid of a large part of this worry and loss if he would install a

Fairbanks-Morse "Z" Gasoline Engine

Made one and a half, three or six horsepower.

These engines have these distinctive features:

1. Economically use kerosene—or distillate, coal oil, tops, etc.—as well as gasoline.
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4. Throttling governor assures constant, reliable power. It makes the engine run smoothly.
5. Suction fuel feed—no pump—simple and reliable.
6. Convenient speed controller gives change of speed, if desired, while engine is running.
7. Removable bushings in bearings.
8. Close speed regulation.
9. Ample positive lubrication.
10. Practically automatic in operation, requiring but little attendance—easily started and stopped. Run smoothly, quietly, cleanly.
11. Fairbanks-Morse Quality throughout.
12. Furthermore, every bit of metal in these engines is effectively used to give greatest strength without excess weight. The crank shaft is of forged steel with extra large bearing surfaces—it is built for long life. The interchangeable die-cast liners in main and crank bearings are easy for you to replace if necessary. Need but little floor space—simple foundation.

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Station-to-Station Calls Are the Cheapest and Quickest Long Distance Telephone Service

Two principal classes of long distance telephone service are in use. They are known as "STATION-TO-STATION" and "PERSON-TO-PERSON" service.

Station-to-station service should be used when you are willing to talk to anyone at the distant telephone called. Person-to-person service is intended for use when you wish to talk to a particular person or persons.

Station-to-station service is not only cheaper but it is more rapid and less subject to error than person-to-person service. On station-to-station service the call can be completed as soon as the distant telephone is answered, while on person-to-person service the particular person wanted must be located and summoned to the telephone.

The charge for a station-to-station call can not be reversed; that is it can not be charged to the telephone called, for in that case the telephone operator would have to locate a particular party to approve the charge which would make it a person-to-person call.

HOW STATION-TO-STATION CALLS SAVE MONEY

Station-to-station calls, no doubt, can always be used for a large part of your business or social calls, but you may be able to make greater use of this lower-priced service if, just before you place your call, you will analyze the probable conditions in the office or home of the person wanted.

For example, if it is possible that Mr. Brown may be out but his clerk can give you the information you want, a station-to-station call will meet your needs. Or if you are reasonably sure Mr. Jones will be at home at a certain hour, a station-to-station call could be made advantageously.

Then too, by making previous arrangements, the person you want could be near the telephone at the time you put in your call.

For example, if Mrs. Jones calls her daughter regularly once a week, it could be arranged between them that the call will be made at a specified time so that the daughter can be near the telephone to receive the call. Or if it is an occasional call, a postal card could be sent to the daughter telling her what time the call will be made.

HOW TO MAKE A CALL.

When making a STATION-TO-STATION call, you would say, for example, "I want to make a Station-to-Station call to George Smith's store at (give town and state and, if known, the street address and telephone number.)

If you want to use PERSON-TO-PERSON service you would say, for example, "I want to make a Person-to-Person call to John Smith at George Smith's store at (give town and state and, if known, the street address and telephone number.)

EXAMPLES OF DIFFERENT RATES

Following are examples showing the station-to-station and person-to-person rates for distances up to sixty-four miles:

Miles	Station-to-Station	Person-to-Person
0-12	$0.10	$0.15
12-18	.15	.20
18-24	.20	.25
24-32	.25	.30
32-40	.30	.40
40-48	.35	.45
48-56	.40	.50
56-64	.45	.55

APPOINTMENT AND MESSENGER RATE

Appointment calls and Messenger calls are special kinds of person-to-person calls.

An APPOINTMENT CALL rate, which is about 50 per cent higher than the station-to-station rate, is quoted for service when an appointment is made by the calling party to talk at a particular time.

When a person who does not have a telephone is called over long distance and a messenger must be sent to summon the party to the telephone, the MESSENGER CALL rate, which is about 50 per cent higher than the station-to-station rate, is charged, and to this is added the necessary messenger charges.

THE REPORT CHARGE

When you place a call for a particular person or persons and for any reason they can not be reached the same day at the address given, or will not talk, or if you make a call and you are not ready to talk when the other person is ready within an hour, a REPORT CHARGE is made. The report charge is about one-fourth the station-to-station rate. It is intended to cover part of our expense of handling the uncompleted call.

SPECIAL EVENING AND NIGHT RATES

The EVENING rate, between 8:30 p. m. and 12 midnight on station-to-station calls, is about one-half the day rate. The NIGHT rate, between midnight and 4:30 a. m., is about one-fourth the day Station-to-station rate.

However, no evening or night rates are quoted on station-to-station calls where the day rate is less than 25 cents. On such short-haul calls the day rate applies. For longer distances special evening and night rates are quoted.

Because it is difficult to reach particular persons at night, when many are away from their homes and places of business, there are no special evening or night rates quoted for person-to-person calls.

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High School Progress

THE CARNIVAL

One of the biggest events of the year is the "Big Carnival", which is to be held on the 22nd and 23rd of this month. You can't afford to miss it, no matter how poor you may be, because you'll never have another opportunity like this one.

What are you going to see when you get there? Well in the first place you will think that a big circus has come to town when you see the tents which are pitched on the grounds of the high school. Every thing you wish to see will be right there at hand. We have a Japanese Tea Garden, Perfume Stands, Kewpie Dolls, Grab-bags, Chocolate Wheels, Leather Pillow Tops, Confetti by the bushel, also Fortune Tellers, Wrestlers, Boxers and Coon Dodgers and almost fifty large shows.

It would be an impossibility to mention what we are going to have; it would be easier by far to tell what we are not to have. Also a big parade will be given in the main streets of the city. We have a number of tents both large and small so we can accommodate a large number of people.

Come! See what the students of the local high are capable of giving the public. You will never feel sorry, because your money is not wasted. Everybody welcome.

DEBATING TEAMS LOOKING FOR A PICNIC

The Public Speaking class has begun its debate work for April. The class is divided into teams, each team consisting of four members and having a different subject to debate upon. Both the affirmative and the negative sides are working hard and anxious to be entertained at the picnic which will be given by the defeated side. So far, the two sides have an equal number of victories and they stand the same chance of being victorious at the end of the season.

THE SOPHOMORE CLASS PARTY

On Saturday evening the old gym was again the scene of merryment and feasting. The Sophomore class prepared a fine dinner and program for the boys' and girls' basket ball teams. The evening was spent in playing various games and dancing. Everyone present seemed to have enjoyed the evening immensely. This was the annual party given by the Sophomores.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

On Thursday Mr. Main talked to the Public Speaking class on the value of the ability of speaking in public, regardless of the type of work the individual is following.

Clear enunciation combined with the power to think clearly are the most important factors in the requisites for success.

To illustrate the necessity and the importance of clear enunciation and accurate thinking Mr. Main gave several selections, which were greatly appreciated by the students.

FRESHMAN PARTY

On April 16th the Freshmen gave a party at the Lincoln high. The guests were the faculty of the high school.

The following program was given:

Address by Freshmen President——Harold Aga
Piano Solo——Pearl Weeks
Song——Myrtle Williams
Violin Solo——Allison Stitt
Accompanist——Alice Lonson
"Lord Ullin's Daughter"——Members of the Class of 1923

After a delightful lunch the remainder of the evening was spent in games and dancing.

THE SINGLE TAX DEBATE

The Public Speaking class on Friday heard the question of Single Tax debated. The affirmative was upheld by Dreng Bjornaraa and Herman akre and Gunder Legvold and Dennis McGinn defended the present system, or in other words, took the negative side of the debate. The decision of the judges was in favor of the negative.

It was one of the best of this year's debates. Every speaker was filled with the subject and delivered it in a creditable manner.

KEY TO YOUR SALARY

How much salary are you getting? Twelve a week, did you say? Oh, you are talking dollars!

What else are you getting? The chance to learn Business, are you not? Experience! In other countries you have to pay for that; you do not receive pay for it.

What else are you getting? Association with men farther up the ladder, you hope to climb. Well, each one of them is giving you a part of all he has. All that he has learned, all the skill or ability he has acquired. He may not know that he is giving it but he is, if you are the right kind of chap.

If you are in the atmosphere of success, you must absorb some of the elements of success. If there are great men above you in the organization then a portion of their greatness will find lodgement in your system, if you will let it.

What is your twelve dollars compared with these returns. It is only the dividend from your investment of time and effort.

THEY SAY

Clarence Vevea was seen working.

We wonder if Ernest Zeh is acquainted with that familiar quotation: "In spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love."

Mr. Gap, Racehorse, Hadrath, former B. Ball "star," spent the week end in Minneapolis.

Florence Burns returned last Monday evening from a two weeks' visit with her brother and friends at Gimmel.

Louis Kassa is getting over his bashfulness.

Herchel Hanson, "Punk," claims that he can do something that no one else can do and that is to read his own hand writing.

Lloyd Alnes wasn't late last Friday morning.

Milton Larson had a serious accident last Tuesday morning, spoiling his suitcoat by spilling some sulphuric acid on it.

Lee Ihle has accepted a position as assistant manager of the High School Carnival company.

Miss Evans has tried a new remedy for preventing Kermit Anderson from skipping.

Lee Ihle was one of the first students completing the work in bookkeeping, and he is proud of it, too.

There were a great many spectators inspecting the "Gym" Monday morning.

If Grace Craik could do everything else as fast as she can talk, she would be a regular flying machine.

The "Biggest Carnival" that has ever been given will be next Thursday evening and Friday, April 22 and 23. It will be given on the high school campus. Don't miss it.

Have you noticed Alyce and Hank lately?

Don't forget the Class Play which will be given April 30.

The 1920 Prowler will be out some time soon.

The Sophomores have quit having class meetings. What on earth has happened?

Bill Herrick has made a big hit with some girl in high school. We wonder who it is?

John Hendry really sprang a joke in English class. It was reported original.

Mable Graff is back to school again after a week's absence.

Everybody is wondering about Florence Burn's curiosity.

Ruth Knutson is always late to penmanship class.

Lynn Halvorson, "Skinny," has started a "boxing school," and has already a large class.

Little Bill Herrick came in contact with a big baseball last Sunday and received a bump on the nose. As he put it: "The players went around and around and around."

Benjamin Franklin Lind, "Battling Bennie," is now in training and intends to box at the Carival if there is any one who will risk his life in a three-round bout with him.

Don't forget the Senior Class play, "A STRENUOUS LIFE," April 30.

Joseph Weirus' dog is getting to be very popular. His name is in the paper every week.

You can't afford to miss the Carnival.

Do you doubt that spring is here? Have you seen Mildred Bottleson's white shoes or Elmer Larson's and Alfred Dybyik's "evening apparel?"

Dennis McGinn was quiet in English class for once on Thursday. Now Miss Wilson looks and wonders. Why so subdued?

Reuben Hadrath has gone south for a few days.

The faculty members had sore finger nails after the party on Thursday night.

Rover and Joe went out for basket ball last week.

Would you like to enjoy an entire evening of fun? Then attend the Carnival on Thursday and Friday.

The seniors, with Miss Evans' supervision, have begun practicing their graduation songs.

Clarence Knutson gave a five minute recitation in American history on Wednesday.

Are you interested in the Senior Class play? It will be given April 30 at the auditorium.

The Senior Class will give their class play April 30.

Miss Evans' public speaking class is giving a series of debates on Thursdays and Fridays of every week.

The "Twentieth Century Reviews" are getting ready to present the best performance they have ever given.

On Friday a few of the peppy Seniors enjoyed a six o'clock breakfast at Squaw Point. All report a most wonderful time.

The Northrup baseball team defeated the Knox quint by a score of 7-0.

The attendance of the stenography class was very small last Friday. Wonder why?

Rueben Hadrath has his car ready for——

The Seniors will give a pageant at the closing exercises of school.

Boost for the Carnival. If you can't boost, do it anyway!

The Seniors had a class meeting Friday.

Have you seen "Skinny" Larson's derby?

Where was Tommeraasen last night?

Miss Hoorn returned to Lincoln high school Tuesday morning.

Ask Pills what he thinks about private ownership of railroads.

Joe's dog will not finish the school term.

The Sophomores had some party last Saturday evening. Well, can you blame them?

Spring fever isn't catchy. No, it just comes right on.

Henry Stengelsen was out last night. With a woman? Yes! Poor woman.

The fountain at the high school has turned into a fountain of youth. The little children are playing on it.

The assembly black boards have been converted. Yes, into Wanted, Lost and Found ads.

"Rags" will make the baseball team this year. Hope so.

The "Prowlers" are selling fast. Better get one. Your vacation kit will be incomplete without one.

The Seniors are going to pull off the "Pageant." What will they try next?

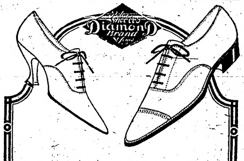
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MEN who were buying Lanphers in the seventies are picking out their 1920 spring Lanpher now. And still some people claim quality doesn't count.

LANPHER HATS

The Milk We Deliver

will prove to be a daily delight. Always on time and always pure, rich and wholesome. If we do not already number you among our numerous satisfied customers, instruct us to call *regularly hereafter* and leave a bottle of milk or cream each day. We know you will like it.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

HARRY T. MOREY

When not at work on a picture Harry T. Morey is to be found in No. 16, a dressing room which dates back to the early days of his career in the Brooklyn studio of Vitagraph. It was 10 years ago that he occupied this room with Earle Williams. The walls resemble a combination of art museum and rogues' gallery. They are hung with pictures of Morey in various roles, ranging from a policeman, his first part; the crook, Joseph Garson of "Within the Law," to the high financier in "The Gamblers." Recently, he has added Philip Grey in "The Birth of a Soul" and a detective character in "The Flaming Clew."

JOE RYAN

Joe Ryan felt that he just had to be a villain to keep up the natural fitness of things. He was born at the foot of Devil's Tower, in Crook county, Wyo., and he just naturally had to play he was a bad man. That he succeeded is evidenced by the hisses he receives in nearly every city and town in this broad land. But away from Vitagraph's thrilling serials, he is one of the most quiet and likable men in the motion picture world. And to prove it he is being co-starred with Jean Paige in a serial.

WILLIAM DUNCAN

It is only natural that William Duncan should be the hero of hundreds of thrilling escapes and strenuous rescues in Vitagraph's famous serials. His physique and early training particularly fitted him for just such a career. He completed his education at the University of Pennsylvania, where he took a prominent part in college field games and athletics. He became athletic instructor and toured the country at the head of his own dramatic company before becoming a serial star and director.

SOLDIERS LIKED WAR BREAD

British Fighting Men Found Their Health Improved Through Use of Unbolted Wheat Meal.

A little more than a century ago, when Britain had been fighting for years against Napoleon, food became very scarce. Following is from a book on bread-making, written by Sylvester Graham, in 1837:

"In order to conserve wheat as much as possible, the British government ordered that the army should be supplied with bread made from unbolted wheat meal, i. e., simply the wheat ground without having the bran or middlings removed. The soldiers were at first displeased with the bread and refused to eat it, even casting it from them in great rage, but after two or three weeks they began to be much pleased with it and preferred it to the fine-flour bread.

"The result of this experiment was that not only was the wheat made to go further, but the health of the soldiers improved so much and so manifestly in the course of a few months that it became a matter of common remark among themselves and of observation and surprise among the officers and physicians of the army. They expressed themselves with confidence and zeal on the subject. The public declared that the soldiers were never so healthy and robust. The public papers were for months filled with praise of whole-wheat bread, and it was regularly introduced into families.

"Still, after this experiment with such happy results and so general and full a testimony had been given in favor of the coarse-wheat bread, when large supplies of superfine flour came in from America, and the crops from home became again abundant and the act of parliament regarding the food of the army became extinct, most of the people by degrees returned to their old habits of eating fine bread."

SURGEONS DO GREAT WORK

Rehabilitation of Wounded Soldiers Seems Little Short of Miraculous to a Civilian.

Foster Debevoise of South Orleans, N. J., on a recent tour through France and England, visited the armies at the front, and speaks with enthusiasm of their indomitable spirit and unfailing hopefulness.

In commenting he speaks on the work done for wounded soldiers:

"The men in English cities, of whom I saw hundreds, without legs or arms, or with reconstructed faces, and those in hospitals in process of being mended, all had the same words: 'If only I could go back again!' And this brings me to another wonderful thing, and that is the way the hospitals are performing miracles. When finally, sometimes after months and months of treatment, the reconstructing process is finished, the men are taught trades and placed in positions so that they are enabled to take up their lives again with a large degree of happiness. Straps operate as muscles on artificial legs and arms; and I have seen such men swing a hammer, play golf, knit, or work at lathes. It is almost incredible what is being done. Hats off to the doctors, I say!"

The United States government will apply the same methods of reconstruction to those of our boys that are disabled or crippled.—Marion Couthouy Smith.

Saccharin Not Injurious.

Some quite unfounded statements have been made to the effect that saccharin disturbs the digestion, injures the kidneys, or is even responsible for gastric carcinoma. There is no evidence that saccharin or its allies has any effect whatever on the economy even when it is used in quantities larger than are required to sweeten foods and beverages to suit ordinary tastes. And this, in spite of the fact that saccharin has been in use for more than a quarter of a century.

The mere fact that it is an artificial substance remotely derived from coal-tar does not necessarily render it poisonous, as some seem to suspect. At the same time it is, of course, valueless as a food in the sense in which sugar is a food, and even as a flavor it to most tastes is inferior to the natural substance.—British Medical Journal.

Rubber in Japan.

The rubber manufacturing industry in Japan has developed greatly within the past year in the scope and variety of its products. In the export trade, too, its importance is increasing. The growth of the industry may be seen from the steady increase in the import of crude rubber. The official trade returns state that the import in 1917 totaled 9,689,632 yen over the figure for 1915. Formerly most of the automobile tires used in Japan were imported into that country, but now the greater part of Japan's needs are supplied by domestic manufacturers. The export of automobile tires has also begun with the development of rubber plants in Japan.

Girls Herding Sheep.

Herding sheep—the loneliest job in the world—is the latest industry to attract women. Wyoming ranchers have given so many men to the war that sheepherders are very scarce. Hence Misses Lulu Munson, Belle Pattison and Grace Keenan, Campbell county lassies, have become shepherdesses at a wage of $50 a month and "found." They have been employed by B. J. Reno, and each girl acts as guardian to 2,500 "woolies." These girls are said to be the first feminine sheepherders in the United States.

He Couldn't Stand Up Under the Work

WAS SO RUN DOWN ASKED FOR LIGHTER EMPLOYMENT—IS WELL AND STRONG NOW

"I have taken my share of medicine during the past three years but everything failed to relieve my trouble until I got hold of Tanlac", said John Versen, a civilian employee in the quartermaster's department at Fort Snelling, Minn., while telling of his remarkable recovery by the use of this medicine, recently.

"I had held out about as long as I could, after being troubled for three years with rheumatism, indigestion, constipation and a general run-down condition," Mr. Versen continued. "I had rheumatism in my arm and shoulder blades, so bad I could hardly move my arms and it was agony for me to put on my coat or dress myself, let alone trying to do my work. I had been doing o[illegible] work but I could not stand up under it any longer and had to ask to be transferred to the inside. M digestion was so bad that hardly a thing agreed with me. About a half hour after every meal I would start to bloat up with gas and would have awful attacks of indigestion and was troubled all the time with constipation.

"As I said, nothing helped me one particle until I began taking Tanlac, and that did the work, and today after taking three bottles, I haven't an ache or pain in my body. All signs of rheumatism have disappeared entirely and I am as active as I ever was before. I eat three hearty meals every day and never suffer any bad after effects at all and my constipation has been relieved. I sleep better at night and when morning comes I am ready for as big a day's work as any man. I feel several years younger and am just full of life and energy all the time."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

THAT MORNING LAMENESS

If you are lame every morning, and suffer urinary ills, there [illegible] a cause. Often it's weak [illegible] To strengthen the weakened [illegible] avert more serious [illegible] Doan's Kidney Pills. You [illegible] Thief River Falls testimony.

H. C. Liden, 424 Davis St., [illegible] River Falls, says: "Not long [illegible] began to have trouble from my kidneys. My back pained most all th[e] time, and mornings I was sore and lame. Often I had to have my shoes pulled on for me because I couldn't stoop to get them on myself. My kidneys didn't act regularly sometimes they acted too freely and then again the secretions were scanty. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Curtis' Drug Store and two boxes entirely ended the trouble."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Liden had. Foster-Milburn Co. Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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SHOE POLISHES
BEST FOR HOME SHINES
SAVE THE LEATHER
THE BIG VALUE PACKAGES
PASTES AND LIQUIDS For Black, Tan, Ox Blood, Dark Brown and White Shoes
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I have 160 acres, ten miles out on the State Highway, one mile to Mavie on the Electric line. New house, 18x36, two stories high, full basement with cistern. Maple floors both upstairs and downstairs. New barn, 26x40. Built of excellent quality lumber. Another building used for granary, 20x36, shingle roof: 20 acres pasture, 50 acres in timothy, 50 acres ready for crop. *Am in shape to give possession at once. Will sell on easy terms to right party.*

M. V. EVENSON

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For Sale
Schwartz & Johnson
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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TURKISH & DOMESTIC BLEND CIGARETTES

No sir-ee, bob!

No premiums with Camels—all quality!

CAMELS quality plus Camels expert blend of choice Turkish and [illegible]oice Domestic tobaccos pass out the m[illegible] wonderful cigarette smoke you ever[illegible] into your mouth!

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[illegible]amels have a mild mellowness that [illegible] as new to you as it is delightful. Yet, that desirable "body" is *all there! They are always refreshing—they never tire your taste.*

Camels leave no unpleasant cigaretty aftertaste nor unpleasant cigaretty odor! Your say-so about Camels will be:

"My, but that's a great cigarette".

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes for 20 cents; or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO.
Winston-Salem, N. C.

Camel CIGARETTES

School Board

March 17, 1920.

Special meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at eight P. M., March 17th, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Froehlich, Haynes, Myhrum, Mellby, Supt. Ziegler.

Members absent: Dahlen.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Haynes, that the minimum salary of $120.00 per month and the maximum salary of $140.00 per month be fixed as our schedule for the grade teachers for next year.

Roll Call: Members voting yes: Backe, Froehlich, Haynes, Myhrum, Mellby. Members voting no: None.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Myhrum, that the minimum salary of $140.00 per month and the maximum salary of $165.00 per month be fixed as our schedule for high school teachers for the next year.

Roll Call: Members voting yes: Backe, Froehlich, Haynes, Myhrum, Mellby. Members voting no: None.

Moved by Haynes, seconded by Backe, that Supt. Ziegler's salary for next year be placed at $3,200.00.

Roll Call: Members voting yes: Backe, Froehlich, Haynes, Myhrum, Mellby. Members voting no: None.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Haynes, that Mr. Schmitt be sent to Chicago to purchase equipment for the Manual Training building. Motion carried.

On motion the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
DR. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

The following notice was duly posted in three or more public places in each precinct of the said municipality at least ten days before the election held thereunder, viz: On the 19th day of March, 1920, (and was duly published in one or more of the legal newspaper of said municipality, designated by me).

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Notice of Special Election.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a special election will be held in Independent School District No. Eighteen of Pennington County, at the Auditorium, *on the 30th day of March, 1920,* from Seven P. M. to Nine P. M. for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $135,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose: Erection of School building, Knox Addition, and to be numbered and to mature, as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated March 10th, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk of Independent School District.

April 1, 1920.

Special meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., April 1st, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Froehlich, Dahlen, Myhrum, Mellby.

Members absent: Haynes.

Pursuant to the resolution hereinafter mentioned and notice duly given, a special election was duly held in Independent School District No. 18 in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of March, 1920, at which election the proposition of issuing certain bonds to the State of Minnesota, contained in that certain resolution adopted by the governing body of said Independent School District No. 18 on the 30th day of March, 1920, was duly submitted to the qualified electors thereof. The vote was by ballot, and was cast in a special ballot box. The election was legally conducted and after the close thereof the ballots cast thereat were duly counted and canvassed; whereupon it appeared and was duly certified that there had been 174 ballots cast at said election, of which 137 were in favor of said proposition and 37 opposed thereto, and such result was thereupon duly declared.

The following resolution was offered by H. S. Dahlen, who moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, a special election was duly held in Independent School District No. 18 in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of March, 1920, pursuant to the resolution of this governing body adopted on the 9th day of March, 1920, at which election the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota certain bonds of said municipality was duly submitted to the qualified electors thereof, and a majority of the electors voting thereat voted in favor of said proposition;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, by the governing body of said Independent School District No. 18, at a duly called meeting thereof, legally held on the 1st day of April, 1920, a quorum being present, that the treasurer of said Independent School District No. 18, make application to the State Board of Investment of Minnesota for a loan of the amount and character and upon the terms and conditions specified in said resolution; that upon the granting of said application, the president and clerk of this governing body be and they hereby are authorized and directed to sign and execute such bonds and the treasurer to countersign the same and deliver them to the State of Minnesota, and all other officers are hereby further authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver the necessary papers and furnish all necessary information in connection with the issuance of the foregoing bonds and the application to said State to purchase the same as may be required by said State Board of Investment.

This motion, being duly seconded by H. W. Froehlich, a member of said governing body, was put to a vote and prevailed, five yeas.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
DR. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Board of Health.

Notice is hereby given that all property owners within the city limits must have all ashes, garbage, manure etc., removed from their yards and adjoining alleys, to the public dumping grounds. It is urgent that this be done as soon as possible. On May 1st city ordinance will be enforced.

DR. J. BIEDERMAN,
Health Officer.

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City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., April 13th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of March 23rd, 1920 were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Chief of Police, Municipal Court, Manager of the Auditorium and Librarian be accepted and placed on file.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Ness, that the application of O. H. Fields for a renewal of Pool and Billiard license be granted. Roll Call: Aldermen voting yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members voting No: None. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the application of J. J. Aga for repair and moving permit be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Ihle, that the bond of Henry Froseth as Manager of the Auditorium in the sum of $500.00, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the petition for moving the incinerator be laid on the table. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the American Legion be granted the use of the auditorium for 10 entertainments for the year 1920; the cost to be computed at $12.00 net to the City for each entertainment; the Legion to be responsible for any loss or damage to furniture and fixtures. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the Northern Woodwork Co. be granted a flat rate of $63.00 per month on a 50 H. P. motor until Jan. 1st, 1921. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that proposed Ordinance No. 163 be given its third and final reading and presented for publication. Motion carried. Proposed Ordinance was duly read and the following vote recorded: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that proposed Ordinance No. 164 be given its second reading and placed on file for third and final reading. Motion carried and proposed Ordinance was duly read and filed.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that proposed Ordinance No. 165, creating storm sewer district No. 2, be given its second reading and placed on file for third and final reading. Motion carried and proposed Ordinance was duly read and filed.

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held April 13th, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$140.45
Fire Dept., payroll	325.00
John H. Meyers, labor	6.00
C. S. Simonson, groceries, Flu hospital	4.31
Paul Midderigh, fire warden services	29.75
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	42.30
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	10.50
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	12.10
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	8.81
Andy Craik, repairs	8.35
Water & Light Dept., freight	1.46
LaCoe & Fountaine, drayage	1.60
Andy Craik, smithing	9.15
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	4.25
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	4.47
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	5.80
Ed. Lee, repairs	18.99
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	2.15
Local Improvement Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., light service	12.25
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	12.75
tour	22.50
John Dahl, expense, paving tour	22.50
Andrew Ness, expense, paving tour	22.50
Auditorium Fund.	
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	3.60
Water & Light Dept., light service	91.23
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., wood	162.50
S. O. Quammen, wood	19.75
John H. Meyers, labor	9.00
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	9.00
John Svedeen, labor	4.40
Poor Fund.	
Carl Christofferson, groceries	139.70
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	19.10
F. J. Stebbins, supplies	18.05
C. S. Simonson, groceries	30.45
Eli Rolland, provisions	21.28
Supero Co., mdse.	9.75
H. K. Strand, groceries	13.55
Ole Morstad, labor	3.50
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	67.50
Bredesen & Co., supplies	38.88
Zeh & Curran, supplies	31.11
Ed. Stokke, labor	1.25
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	1.50
Albert Coyle, milk	5.50
Mrs. Nels Burtness, rent	15.00
S. O. Quammen, fuel	10.50
Library Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., light service	9.60
St. Paul Book & Sty. Co., books	45.33
Underwood & Underwood, books	27.80
Norman Forsythe, books	5.99
Gena Granum, salary	45.00
T. R. F. Public Schools, newspaper rack	16.50
Electric Light Fund.	
N. W. Elect. Equipment Co., supplies	818.04
Northern Electric Co., supplies	93.57
Hermanson Hdwe. Co., supplies	7.50
Rochester Stamping Co., supplies	1.50
Minneapolis Electric Equipment Co., supplies	61.65
Electric Light Fund.	
Standard Oil Co., supplies	31.40
Julius Andre & Sons Co., supplies	6.80
Thief River Grocery Co., paper	5.88
Burroughs Adding Mch. Co., repairs	5.68
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	4.05
Scott Laird, supplies	3.50
C. M. Evenson & Sons, repairs	48.90
Power Equipment Co., emery wheels	5.26
Ed. Lee, repairs	5.25
LaCoe & Fountaine, drayage	.75
Aasby & Burstad, repairs	2.80
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	7.00
Water & Light Dept., freight and express	83.33
Alfred Adolphs, labor	66.50
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	10.60
E. T. Emmerson, wire connector	2.00
Waterworks Fund.	
Carl Froseth, expense, filtration investigation	22.50
John Dahl, expense, filtration investigation	22.50
Andrew Ness, expense, filtration investigation	22.50
Power Equipment Co., repairs	28.39
Neptune Meter Co., meters	214.67
Water & Light Dept., freight	7.76

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved April 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held April 13, 1920, Alderman Brandon seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the City Clerk be authorized and directed to issue to the Bradley Engineering Service warrant in the sum of Three Hundred Eighty-four and 11-100 Dollars upon the proper fund, in payment of services performed by said Bradley Engineering Service under their contract with the city and according to statement furnished and dated March 17, 1920, as follows, to-wit:

Feb. 17, 1920: One per cent of estimated cost of alley paving	$230.24
Feb. 17, 1920: One per cent of estimated cost of relaying sewer	7.87
March 17, 1920: One per cent of estimated cost of storm sewer extensions (alley system)	146.00
Total	$384.11

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No; None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved April 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. 163.

An Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 146, Entitled "An Ordinance Adjusting and Fixing Rates to be Paid by the City of Thief River Falls, to the Department of Water and Light For Hydrant Rent and Electric Lighting, and Providing For the Payment of Tax and Office Expenses by the Department of Water and Light to the City, and for the Further Regulation of Said Department."

The City Council of the City of Thief River Falls do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section five (5) of Ordinance No. 146, entitled "An Ordinance Adjusting and Fixing Rates to be paid by the City of Thief River Falls to the Department of Water and Light for Hydrant Rent and Electric Lighting, and providing for the Payment of Tax and Office Expenses by the Department of Water and Light to the City, and for the further Regulation of said Department," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 5. The Department of Water and Light shall be charged with the salary of the bookkeeper of the two Departments and the salary of the Deputy Clerk, and office rental of $150.00 per month, which charges shall be paid by the two departments in the following ratio, to-wit:

One tenth thereof shall be paid by the Water Department.

Nine tenths thereof shall be paid by the Electric Light Department.

Section 11. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes; Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Ordinance declared passed.

Passed April 13th, 1920.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved April 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

STORM SEWER CONSTRUCTION.

Bids Close May 4th, 1920 at 2:00 P. M. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., until 2:00 P. M., on the 4th day of May, 1920, for the installation of storm sewer extensions in said City in accordance with the plans and *specifications therefor now on file in* the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn.

The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

586 lineal feet of 8 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.
3346 lineal feet of 12 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.
950 lineal feet of 15 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.
380 lineal feet of 18 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.
423 lineal feet of 20 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe.
5684 lineal feet of trench 5'-7' deep.
21 manholes.
24 feet extra depth of manholes.
4 catch basins.
Tapping 10 present manholes and catch basins.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank in the amount of $1400.00 payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., and extra sets may be purchased from the Bradley Engineering Service, Weber Bldg., St. Cloud, Minn., at the rate of $5.00 per set.

The right is reserved by the City to reject any or all bids.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

a8-15-22

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Martin A. Miller or M. A. Miller.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31; Block 14, and lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and 17 Block 16; all in Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 12th day of May, 1913, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 14th day of March, 1913, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1911, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Eight Dollars and thirty-five cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 8th day of January, 1920, for the sum of Fourteen Dollars and forty-seven cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fourteen Dollars and forty-seven cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $14.47 thereof from the 8th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 5th day of April, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Official Seal.)

Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

a8-15-22

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To P. O. Johnson.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 32, 33 and 34, Block 14, Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 12th day of May, 1913, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 14th day of March, 1913, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1911, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Two Dollars and fourteen cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. on the 8th day of January, 1920, for the sum of Three Dollars and ninety-three cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Three Dollars and ninety-three cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $3.93 thereof from the 8th day of January, 1920, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

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PAVING

Bids Close May 4th, 1920 at 2:00 P. M. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota until 2:00 P. M., on the 4th day of May, 1920, for the grading, curbing and paving of certain streets and avenues and the grading and paving of certain alleys in said city in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn.

The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

46,857 square yards of street pavement.
4800 square yards of alley pavement.
13,370 cubic yards of street excavation.
1500 cubic yards of alley excavation.
Adjusting present sewer appurtenances.
13,760 lineal feet of straight curb.
Removing present curb and gutter.
3666 square yards of brick gutter.
Furnishing and placing reinforcing steel.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., for the amount of $20,000.00, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Alternate bids will be received on Creosote Block, Brick, Bitulithic, and reinforced concrete pavement, concrete pavement and concrete base to be either pit run gravel, washed and screened sand and gravel or stone concrete according to the decision and opinion of the City Council.

The Council reserves the right to *select different* type of pavement for alleys than that which is selected for street and avenue paving.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., and extra copies may be purchased from the Bradley Engineering Service, Weber Bldg., St. Cloud, Minn., at the rate of $5.00 per set.

The right is reserved by the City to reject any or all bids.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

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JOHN H
Pure Bred Percheron Stallion
Owned by
North Silverton Horse Co.
Will stand at Ramstad's barn in Thief River Falls, April 8 to 17, and at Hans Rued's farm from Saturday evening until Monday afternoon. At Pat Roark's farm, 4 miles north of Thief River Falls, Tuesday and Wednesday. At
Old Ramstad Barn
in Thief River Falls, Thursday, Friday, until Saturday noon.

The Gasoline Problem

THE grave problem confronting the serious-minded men in the petroleum industry today, is to keep pace in production with the seven-league strides of the demand for gasoline.

In ten years the production of crude oil in the United States has increased only 90 per cent, while during the same period the output of gasoline has increased 560 per cent.

The demand for no other commodity in general use has increased to a degree that even approximates the mark reached by gasoline.

In ten years the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has increased its output of gasoline from 150 million gallons to more than 600 million gallons a years.

It is apparent that this could not have been accomplished except by intensive application of improved, scientific methods of refining.

As a matter of fact, the price of gasoline is held in bounds only by the sheer force of science.

Except for the ability of such institutions as the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) to make a wide range of useful products from that part of the crude oil which is not used to make gasoline, you would be paying a much higher price for gasoline than you pay today.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is bending every effort to increase its output of gasoline to meet the demands and to sell it to you at as low a price as possible.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2036

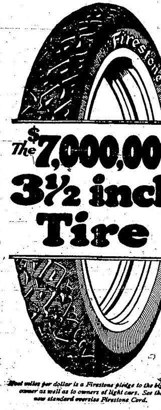

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War Veterans Form County Organization

C. O. PARSONS, MINNEAPOLIS, DELIVERS ADDRESS EXPLAINING AIMS

A fair sized crowd turned out to hear an address by C. O. Parsons of Minneapolis, on the aims and purposes of the World's War Veterans at the auditorium last Saturday evening.

The speaker started out by saying that the war veterans was the first organization of service men on record, having been formed while the boys were still in France. According to him the army officers attempted to suppress its extension among the soldiers even before the formation of the American Legion. The latter, said the speaker, was an organization of officers while the War Veterans aimed to look after the interests of the rank and file. Out of 42 bodies formed at one time or another for the purpose of including all those who served in the war, only two now remain—the Legion and the Veterans.

Mr. Parsons scored the legion members for their stand at the St. Louis meeting where they opposed the granting of a bonus of any kind to the soldiers. He asserted that $257,000 had been received from the Morgan bank in New York to further the work undertaken by the Legion.

Referring to the action taken in this state by the legislature in an attempt to do something for the boys, Mr. Parsons said that when the bill was introduced at the regular session only the farmer and labor members were in favor of it. By the time the special session had been called the demand for fair treatment for the soldiers had become so strong that the politicians no longer dared hesitate.

He criticised the conduct of the war, stating that 23,000 new millionaires had been created by reason of it, but now that it was time to do something for the men who did the fighting different schemes for making the common people pay the bill were proposed. Everyone who dared oppose the work of the grafters, he said, were accused of being slackers and bolsheviki.

Mr. Parson's address smattered strongly of socialism throughout but apparently pleased the audience. At times it seemed as if he took no pains to conceal this fact, referring frequently in the most bitter terms to the "bosses of the old parties." Particularly did the Republicans come under the ban of his displeasure.

After the address a World's War Veteran organization was formed with 23 charter members. This, it is understood, has since grown to about 40.

Big Sale now going on at the Palace Clothing House. a22

Welfare Board for County Appointed

HAS CHARGE OF ENFORCING LAWS RELATING TO CHILD WELFARE

The State Board of Control has appointed Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Thief River Falls, and Peter C. Wold, Highlanding, as members of the Pennington county welfare board, with George M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools, and Oscar J. Peterson, chairman board of county commissioners, as ex-officio members.

This board is created under the provisions of the new laws relating to children which were passed by the last legislature.

The board will act as a local administration unit for the county in the enforcement of all laws relating to the protection of defective, delinquent, dependent, and neglected children. It is an official body acting throughout the county and in behalf of the state for the protection of children who are in need of the state's care and guardianship.

The board will work in close contact with the probate judge Ira C. Richardson, who is the judge of the children's court. It will investigate for the judge applications for county allowances (so-called mothers' pensions) and will visit frequently the homes where such allowances have been given in order that the fullest possible measure of help and assistance may be rendered to the mother and her children. The judge will also be assisted in the administration of the new juvenile court law. Cases of delinquency and neglect of children will be investigated by the welfare board, and the shaping of an enlightened policy in dealing with delinquency should result from the mutual labor of the board and the judge.

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High School Play a Rollicking Comedy

STUDENTS WILL OFFER "A STRENUOUS LIFE" AT AUDITORIUM APRIL 30

The annual senior class play of the Thief River Falls high school will be presented at the auditorium on Friday evening, April 30. The title of the production is "A Strenuous Life" one of the cleverest and most amusing of present-day comedies. The training of the cast has been in the hands of Miss Agnes Wilson and Miss Ella Evans, who have selected the personnel with much care. Rehearsals are carried on daily and by the time the play is presented every detail will have been brought to perfection.

Following is the cast:

Tom Harrington, foot ball captain ---------- Leland Schuster
Reginald Black, his chum ---------- Herman Aakre
James Roberts, a freshman ---------- Lloyd Peterson
Byron Harrington, father of his son ---------- Roy Flattum
William Everett James, a new professor ---------- Henry Sagmoen
Dan Devenant, from the hills ---------- Joseph Weirus
Prof. Magee, director of the gym ---------- Henry Stengelson
Nugata Good, honest Japanese school boy ---------- Clarence Vevea
Dawley, a collector ---------- Leo Ihle
Mrs. Wiggenton Wiggins, the landlady ---------- Jessie Barnett
Marian Devenant, her father's daughter ---------- Alyce Berg
Ruth Thornton, Mrs. Wiggin's niece ---------- Mollie Hermanson
Dulcie Harrington, Tom's sister from high school ---------- Kathleen Ures
Widow McGuire, "The Widow" ---------- Alpha Bishop

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300 DELEGATES TO FREE CHURCH SESSION IN JUNE

THOSE PRESENT WILL REPRESENT ALL SECTIONS OF U. S. AND CANADA

MEETINGS TO CONTINUE FOR ONE WEEK, BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9

LOCAL CONGREGATION TAKING STEPS TO MEET PROBLEM OF LODGING

The annual conference of the Lutheran Free church of the United States and Canada will be held in Thief River Falls from June 9 to 15. An English conference and young peoples' rally will be held at the same time, the delegates to these helping very materially to swell the crowd.

Eight years ago the conference meeting of the same denomination was held in the city and our people made a special effort to take care of the delegates. The members of Rev. George Larson's church alone were not sufficiently numerous to look after the visitors and others volunteered the use of such rooms as they might have for their accommodation. The treatment accorded the visitors at that time was such as to make the selection of Thief River Falls unanimous when it came to naming the place for holding the 1920 convention. The church membership is greatest in the Northwest and this city is most conveniently located for holding the meeting.

Will Ask For Rooms.

The majority of those who will come do so at their own expense and it will be the aim to make the cost as light as possible. To this end citizens who can lodge one or more persons for a few days will be asked to do so free of charge. Committees have been appointed for the purpose of canvassing all section of the city for the names of those who will volunteer to assist in this matter and there is no doubt but that the response will be liberal. This committee is made up of the following, together with the territory they will canvass: L. Savig, State and Arnold avenues; John Dahl, Duluth avenue; Ole Snustad, Knight avenue; J. L. Bean, Main avenue; T. A. Fossum, LaBree avenue; Carl Froseth, Horace avenue; Mrs. Inga Berg, Atlantic avenue; Mrs. E. O. Erickson and Mrs. George Larson, Red Lake Boulevard and east of Soo depot; August Sorteland, Riverside avenue and south of Great Northern depot; Ole Revdahl, Conley and St. Paul avenues; Ole Oftelie, Markley avenue; Olof Neset, Kendall avenue; Soren Berglund, Tindolph avenue; Elling Iverson, Crocker avenue and eastward.

Ask Aid of Churches.

Outside of the serving of meals by the Zion Ladies aid, there will be no arrangements made in this regard, the hotels and restaurants being expected to take charge of the overflow.

The use of three other churces in the city will be asked for the holding of English services during the evenings and for committee and corporation meetings.

Is Important Body.

The membership of the Lutheran Free church at the present time is about 30,180. There are 250 pastors and 30 missionaries. Rev. Johan Mattson of Minneapolis is president; Rev. O. H. Sletten, Minneapolis, vice president; Rev. P. O. Laurhammer, Fairdale, N. D.; secretary, and Rev. Elias Berlie, Dalton, Minn., ordinator. As auxiliaries of the church are many institutions and bodies, among these being Augsburg seminary, one of the oldest Lutheran colleges in the United States; a board of home missions and the Lutheran board of missions, Oak Grove Lutheran Ladies' seminary, Fargo; Bethania college, Everett, Wash.; Bethesda homes, Willmar; Paulsbo Orphan and Old Folks' home, Paulsbo, Wash., and a number of ohters.

The city auditorium will be used for the general meetings, having been tendered free by the city council.

Peat Plots Started on Twenty Fields

PHOSPHATE APPLIED TO DETERMINE EFFECT OF TREATMENT ON WHEAT

The Pennington County Farm bureau in co-operation with the University of Minnesota, through the divisions of soils and extension, is starting experimental plots on twenty fields along the Elwell road. On each field two plots of one half acre each are laid out and acid prosphate applied. The yields of wheat on the treated and untreated plots will be determined and reported later.

The purpose of the experiments is to find out whether acid phosphate will increase the yield per acre. In 1918 similar experiments on good soil in Stevens county showed that an application of acid phosphate at the rate of two hundred pounds per acre gave an increase in yield of wheat on unmanured land of two to ten and a half bushels per acre, as reported in Special Bulletin No. 34.

In 1918 at Golden Valley, on the peat experimental tract, acid phosphate caused very marked increases in yields in case of nearly all crops. In 1919 the crops at Golden Valley showed the same effect until destroyed by high water. A large number of demonstration plots were started last year on peat soils of farmers in the northwestern counties and the crops on almost all of these showed that the phosphate was very beneficial.

A new form of acid phosphate is expected to be placed on the market sometime this summer. The new form will carry 48 per cent of available plant food instead of 16 per cent, the amount carried by the common acid phosphate. One ton of this new triple super-phosphate will treat as much land as three tons of the old and the price, while more per ton, will undoubtedly be much less per pound of plant food than in the case of the regular 16 per cent acid phosphate.

Primary Elections in State Saturday

WILL CHOOSE DELEGATES TO COUNTY MEETING ON THE FIFTH

Republican voters in every county in the state will hold a caucus on Saturday of this week for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend a county convention on May 5, at which meeting will be selected delegates to attend the state elimination convention on May 8. According to the call the purpose of the last-anmed gathering will be the selection of a candidate for the offices of governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general and one railroad and warehouse commissioner. The names of the parties selected for each of the above offices to be the ones going on the primary ballot at the election on June 21.

In Pennington county the hours for holding open the voting places have been fixed from 7 until 9 o'clock. The basis of representation is the same as in the presidential primaries early in the present month and the county is also entitled to the same number of delegates in the state convention, this being seven. Women will be permitted to participate in these caucuses and conventions.

Double Anniversary Sale at Mogensen's

CLOTHIER HAS BEEN FOUR YEARS IN CITY—ONE YEAR IN NEW STORE

As will be seen by the double page spread in another section of the paper today, E. O. Mogensen, the clothier, is going to celebrate two anniversaries by holding a great bargain sale. An event of this kind is rather unusual during these days of constantly increasing prices and the opportunity offered our people to secure goods of the very highest grade at big discounts will no doubt be taken full advantage of.

It was just four years ago that Mr. Mogensen entered the business field in this city. He was successful from the start and his store soon became recognized as one of the best in this section. One year ago he moved to the present fine quarters and increased patronage has resulted because of the more favorable location and also by reason of the wider acquaintance now enjoyed by the proprietor. The Mogensen store is one of which any city might well be proud and his reputation is such that everyone knows that any bargain offered by him is genuine.

ORGANIZATION MEETING COUNTY WELFARE BOARD

Meeting called to order by Oscar J. Peterson. The following people were in attendance and listened to Miss Helen Montegriffo of the state board of control who gave information as to the numerous duties connected with their work: County Commissioner Oscar J. Peterson, County Attorney Theo. Quale, Judge of Probate Ira C. Richardson, Peter C. Wold, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Geo. M. Gunderson and Mrs. A. Larson.

The new board proceeded to organize by electing the following officers: Mrs. J. M. Bishop, president, to serve as such at the pleasure of the board; Geo. M. Gunderson, secretary, to serve until such time as a county nurse is appointed by the county board of commissioners. If this provision failed to materialize then his term to terminate at any time he himself saw fit.

The time of meeting was by motion set for the first Monday of every month at 2 p. m.

The county was, by motion, divided into the following districts, to be presided over as follows: Peter C. Wold, all of the territory lying to the north of the Red Lake river and east of the Thief river, excluding the city; Oscar J. Peterson, all of the territory lying south and east of the Red Lake river, excluding the city; Geo. M. Gunderson, all of the remaining territory including the village of St. Hilaire, but excluding the city: Mrs. Larson and Mrs. Bishop, all of the city of Thief River Falls.

The secretary was instructed to publish the proceedings in the city papers.

The meeting was by motion adjourned without electing a treasurer and vice president.

POPULATION OF 4,685 SHOWN BY CENSUS FIGURES

TEN YEAR INCREASE IN CITY IS 971, OR 26.1 PER CENT

DOES NOT INCLUDE RESIDENTS OF HALF DOZEN NEW ADDITIONS

BEMIDJI RECORD GOOD WHILE CROOKSTON REPORT IS DISAPPOINTING

The population of Thief River Falls, according to the federal census of 1920, is 4,685. This news was contained in a telegram received from Congressman Steenerson by Mayor John Bratrud on Saturday.

The result is somewhat disappointing, it being generally believed that the city would reach 5,000 at least. The gain during the past ten years was 971 or 26.1 per cent. This is the best showing thus far reported for any city in this immediate vicinity.

Additions Not Counted.

Only the persons residing within the corporate limits were counted—and not all of these. The city as commonly referred to is considerably larger than this, there being six residential additions adjoining the corporation limits at different points the residents of which are citizens to all intents and purposes. These additions are Rustad's, Fairgound, Fairfax, Bothun's, Park and Smiley. It is certain that another thousand would have been found had these been included. The comparison is very good, however, and there is no use raising a howl over the count now.

Crookston's Bad Showing.

One of the surprises of the census returns is the record made by Crookston. According to the figures the neighboring city has a population of 6650, a decrease for the decade of 909, or 12 per cent. Crookston papers are claiming that the enumeration was inefficiently carried on and that no such slump as that indicated is possible.

Bemidji has made rapid progress, showing an increase of about 32 per cent. The total population there is 7,086 as compared with 5,099 ten years ago. This is a gain of 1987 persons, but in this number is included nearly 1000 persons residing at Nymore, which has become a part of Bemidji since the state census was taken five years ago. At that time the population of Nymore was given as 834. Deducting this from Bemidji's figures would give the city an actual increase of 1153, or just 182 more than is credited to Thief River Falls.

Senior Class Play at Auditorium Friday

CLEVER PLAY TO BE PRESENTED BY PARTICULARLY COMPETENT CAST

The Senior class of the Thief River Falls high school will present "A Strenuous Life" as the annual class play on Friday evening at the auditorium. The people taking part have been putting in something of a strenuous time in getting ready for the presentation, but it has been rehearsed until every detail runs with the smoothness of a professional production. Miss Agnes Wilson and Miss Ella Evans have had charge of the coaching and reports are that they have accomplished wonders. The cast and carried on as rapidly as funds prove decidedly worth while. Here is the lineup:

Tom Harrington, foot ball captain ---------- Leland Schuster
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Widow McGuire, "The Widow" ---------- Alpha Bishop

Cliff Rice Returns.

Clifford Rice, formerly clerk at the store of E. O. Mogensen, was in the city last week on business. Since his return from the army he has joined the force of G. Sommers & Co., St. Paul, as traveling salesman. "Cliff" put in 11 months overseas, six of which were spent in Germany. He was on the actual firing line for 41 days but came out without injury. One of the pleasant surprises of his army career he says was running into George Loken on the streets of Paris during a furlough.

SIGN PETITION FOR IMPROVING RED LAKE RIVER

SIXTY FARMERS IN EAST SECTION OF COUNTY ASK ACTION OF CONGRESS

CITY COUNCIL FORMALLY GOES ON RECORD AS FAVORING THE PROJECT

REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON STATES THAT BILL WILL SOON PASS

Early action by congress in the matter of passing the bill providing for the straightening and deepening of Red Lake river is indicated by dispatches from Washington. Congressman Steenerson has informed interested parties in this city that the government is about ready to undertake its part of the work and that there is no doubt of the passage of the bill at an early date.

W. J. Brown, on behalf of the Red Lake Conservancy and Flood Control district, on Tuesday evening appeared before the city council and asked that body to formally attach the approval of the city to the petition to be forwarded to Mr. Steenerson for use in presenting the final arguments to congress. Mr. Brown explained that the city was in no manner obligating itself in the matter of costs by thus advocating the early passage of the measure and that it was a matter of very great importance to the future of the entire section. The council unanimously passed a resolution complying with this request and instructed Mayor John Bratrud and City Clerk A. H. Akre to sign it on behalf of the city.

Approved by Farmers.

The petition already contained the names of more than the required number of signers, about 60 farmers in the eastern section of Pennington county having indicated their approval of the petition.

The request calls for the straightening and deepening of the river from its outlet at Red lake to the western boundary of Kratka township and for the construction of controlling works at the head of the stream.

Every detail connected with this important matter is now progressing satisfactorily and things are being placed in readiness to begin the preliminary work as soon as authority is granted and the necessary formalities attended to.

Cemetery Plan Submitted.

Frank H. Nutter of Minneapolis, landscape gardener and architect, has submitted plans for the improvement of the recenty added plot at Greenwood cemetery. The old cemetery is filled up and the commission has purchased 43 acres adjoining. The work of clearing and improving this new site will be begun at once and carried on as rapidly as funds will permit. The plan submitted by Mr. Nutter will provide a beautiful cemetery, graveled drive ways, ornamental fences and miniature parks being some of the features.

The commission has requested all who own lots at the cemetery to have them cleaned up by Memorial Day. A number of the graves have an uncared-for appearance which detracts from the appearance of the entire plot.

Will Learn Cost of Paving on Tuesday

BIDS TO BE OPENED BY CITY COUNCIL AT SPECIAL MEETING

The city council will meet in extra session next Tuesday at 2 o'clock for the purpose of considering bids for paving 22 blocks in the business section of Thief River Falls. Whether or not the city engages upon this work during the coming summer will depend almost entirely upon the cost as disclosed by the bids.

Much of the opposition to paving seems to have disappeared. Many of those who were prepared to fight the proposition to the last ditch three weeks ago now profess to be favorably inclined if it can be proven that the streets are in condition to proceed with the work. That a certain amount of opposition will develop is certain but indications are that it will be nowhere near as serious as at first anticipated.

As to the kind of pavement to be laid nothing has as yet been decided. There seems to be a strong feeling that cement should not be employed, but outside of this no favorite has developed. Much will undoubtedly depend on the cost of the different substances, although the council may be depended on to take everything into consideration when awarding the contract.

On Tour of Inspection.

President H. A. Brumund and Councilmen John Dahl and Severn Brandon left Tuesday evening on a tour of inspection of the paving done in a number of nearby cities. They will go to Fargo, Wahpeton, Crookston, Breckenridge and other places and will look into the water supply question at the same time. Several of the places to be visited have lately installed water supply systems of different kinds and the Thief River councilmen will get all the data available on each kind. They will return in time to be present at the meeting next Teusday afternoon, at which time bids for paving will be opened.

Ordinance Passed.

The ordinance giving the Standard Oil company the right to erect the buildings necessary for storing inflammable oils within the city limits was given its third reading and passed on Tuesday evening. The site for the structure is on the East Side a short distance from Bridge street and about where the power house of the saw mill stood in former years.

Joins Browning Society.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson, of Thief River Falls, who is attending Hamline University, St. Paul, has been pledged to membership in the Browning Society, a woman's literary organization at that school.

Ask Steps be Taken to Hold Park Site

COUNCIL COMMITTEE WILL ACT WITH PARK BOARD IN MATTER

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Bankers at Pinehurst.

The Associated Press dispatches of Monday morning announced the arrival of the executive council of the Minnesota Bankers association at Pinehurst, N. C. Among the Minnesota representatives were noted Kelsey S. Chase, president of the Peoples bank, St. Paul; C. L. Hansen, president First National bank, Thief River Falls; A. A. Crane, vice president First National bank, Minneapolis, and Theodore Wold, vice president Northwestern National bank, Minneapolis.

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BOWEN AT RED LAKE FALLS CLAIMS TO BE ORIGINATOR OF MOVEMENT

E. A. Bowen of Fergus Falls, will not enter the primaries as a candidate for congress in the Ninth district against Halvor Steenerson. This was the statement made in a number of address in this section last week and repeated to a large audience at the court house here on Thursday evening.

Mr. Bowen evidently did not think a great deal of the advantages of going to congress and stated that in his opinion he could be of greater value to the cause by continuing as an organizer and expounder than as a representative at the national capital.

A meeting of the district leaders will be held at Crookston on May 4 for the purpose of deciding whether or not another candidate is to be selected to make the primary race. The Polk county Nonpartisans held a mass convention on Monday and endorsed R. T. Buckler of that city as the man to make the run against Congressman Steenerson.

Bowen is Fine Speaker.

Mr. Bowen was greeted by an audience that filled every available space on the second floor of the court house and extended down the stairs and into the hall. He is a pleasant and forceful speaker and put forth his arguments with good effect. He kept away from extremes and made a most favorable impression even on those who did not agree with him or in the purposes of his program.

Considerable time was devoted to showing that the state-owned industrial plants in North Dakota were successful in cutting the cost to the consumer at the same time providing a greater return for the producer. Mr. Bowen claimed that the flour mill at Drake, for instance, was making good in spite of the fact that it was selling flour for considerably less than others and paying the farmer more for his wheat, particularly the plans of its votaries whereby they expect to eliminate the costs added to necessities of life by reason of alleged mismanagement and profiteering by middlemen.

The speaker touched but lightly upon Amendment No. 1 but said enough to prove that he was not in favor of its passage in the present form.

Says He Was Originator.

A statement alleged to have been made by Mr. Bowen in his address at Red Lake Falls has occasioned considerable surprise. He claimed that the credit for originating the Nonpartisan league belonged to him and not to the parties to whom it is generally attributed.

Women Will Wonder How it Can be Done

LOKENS WILL PAY MORE FOR RETURNED GARMENT THAN ITS FIRST COST

H. O. Loken is not a betting man ordinarly but last week he decided to take a chance. A traveling man for one of the largest suit houses in the country ended his trip in Thief River Falls and offered to sell Loken his entire sample line of fall and winter coats. He said in effect: "I'll bet you anything that you can sell these coats right now if the inducement is made sufficiently attractive." Loken did not think so at the time but the price made on the garments was such that no merchant could withstand the temptation. He bought.

Now he intends selling winter garments in the spring and will go about it this way: Any lady wishing one of the coats—and they are beauties—can buy it at exact cost, plus one dollar. It matters not whether the garment costs $200 or $20—the agreement holds. She may retain this coat until the first of October and if at that time she is for any reason dissatisfied with her bargain she can return it and get her money back, including the dollar, and she will besides be paid eight per cent on her money for the time it has been kept by the storekeeper.

No more unusual proposition was ever presented and Mr. Loken is now of the opinion that he will lose his bet.

Mother's Day May 9.

Mother's Day falls on May 9 this year and local greenhouses are prepared to take care of the demand usual just previous to that anniversary. Of late years it has become the custom of sons and daughters who have left the old home to remember mother on this particular day with a gift of flowers and to wear one themselves as an act of homage and respect. It is a beautiful custom and should be encouraged.

War Veterans Form County Organization

C. O. PARSONS, MINNEAPOLIS, DELIVERS ADDRESS EXPLAINING AIMS

A fair sized crowd turned out to hear an address by C. O. Parsons of Minneapolis, on the aims and purposes of the World's War Veterans at the auditorium last Saturday evening.

The speaker started out by saying that the war veterans was the first organization of service men on record, having been formed while the boys were still in France. According to him the army officers attempted to suppress its extension among the soldiers even before the formation of the American Legion. The latter, said the speaker, was an organization of officers while the War Veterans aimed to look after the interests of the rank and file. Out of 42 bodies formed at one time or another for the purpose of including all those who served in the war, only two now remain—the Legion and the Veterans.

Mr. Parsons scored the legion members for their stand at the St. Louis meeting where they opposed the granting of a bonus of any kind to the soldiers. He asserted that $257,000 had been received from the Morgan bank in New York to further the work undertaken by the Legion.

Referring to the action taken in this state by the legislature in an attempt to do something for the boys, Mr. Parsons said that when the bill was introduced at the regular session only the farmer and labor members were in favor of it. By the time the special session had been called the demand for fair treatment for the soldiers had become so strong that the politicians no longer dared hesitate.

He criticised the conduct of the war, stating that 23,000 new millionaires had been created by reason of it, but now that it was time to do something for the men who did the fighting different schemes for making the common people pay the bill were proposed. Everyone who dared oppose the work of the grafters, he said, were accused of being slackers and bolsheviki.

Mr. Parson's address smattered strongly of socialism throughout but apparently pleased the audience. At times it seemed as if he took no pains to conceal this fact, referring frequently in the most bitter terms to the "bosses of the old parties." Particularly did the Republicans come under the ban of his displeasure.

After the address a World's War Veteran organization was formed with 23 charter members. This, it is understood, has since grown to about 40.

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Welfare Board for County Appointed

HAS CHARGE OF ENFORCING LAWS RELATING TO CHILD WELFARE

The State Board of Control has appointed Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Thief River Falls; and Peter C. Wold, Highlanding, as members of the Pennington county welfare board, with George M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools, and Oscar J. Peterson, chairman board of county commissioners, as ex-officio members.

This board is created under the provisions of the new laws relating to children which were passed by the last legislature.

The board will act as a local administration unit for the county in the enforcement of all laws relating to the protection of defective, delinquent, dependent, and neglected children. It is an official body acting throughout the county and in behalf of the state for the protection of children who are in need of the state's care and guardianship.

The board will work in close contact with the probate judge Ira C. Richardson, who is the judge of the children's court. It will investigate for the judge applications for county allowances (so-called mothers' pensions) and will visit frequently the homes where such allowances have been given in order that the fullest possible measure of help and assistance may be rendered to the mother and her children. The judge will also be assisted in the administration of the new juvenile court law. Cases of delinquency and neglect of children will be investigated by the welfare board, and the shaping of an enlightened policy in dealing with delinquency should result from the mutual labor of the board and the judge.

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High School Play a Rollicking Comedy

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300 DELEGATES TO FREE CHURCH SESSION IN JUNE

THOSE PRESENT WILL REPRESENT ALL SECTIONS OF U. S. AND CANADA

MEETINGS TO CONTINUE FOR ONE WEEK, BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9

LOCAL CONGREGATION TAKING STEPS TO MEET PROBLEM OF LODGING

The annual conference of the Lutheran Free church of the United States and Canada will be held in Thief River Falls from June 9 to 15. An English conference and young peoples' rally will be held at the same time, the delegates to these helping very materially to swell the crowd.

Eight years ago the conference meeting of the same denomination was held in the city and our people made a special effort to take care of the delegates. The members of Rev. George Larson's church alone were not sufficiently numerous to look after the visitors and others volunteered the use of such rooms as they might have for their accommodation. The treatment accorded the visitors at that time was such as to make the selection of Thief River Falls unanimous when it came to naming the place for holding the 1920 convention. The church membership is greatest in the Northwest and this city is most conveniently located for holding the meeting.

Will Ask For Rooms.

The majority of those who will come do so at their own expense and it will be the aim to make the cost as light as possible. To this end citizens who can lodge one or more persons for a few days will be asked to do so free of charge. Committees have been appointed for the purpose of canvassing all section of the city for the names of those who will volunteer to assist in this matter and there is no doubt but that the response will be liberal. This committee is made up of the following, together with the territory they will canvass: L. Savig, State and Arnold avenues; John Dahl, Duluth avenue; Ole Snustad, Knight avenue; J. L. Bean, Main avenue; T. A. Fossum, LaBree avenue; Carl Froseth, Horace avenue; Mrs. Inga Berg, Atlantic avenue; Mrs. E. O. Erickson and Mrs. George Larson, Red Lake Boulevard and east of Soo depot; August Sorteland, Riverside avenue and south of Great Northern depot; Ole Revdahl, Conley and St. Paul avenues; Ole Oftelie, Markley avenue; Olof Neset, Kendall avenue; Soren Berglund, Tindolph avenue; Elling Iverson, Crocker avenue and eastward.

Ask Aid of Churches.

Outside of the serving of meals by the Zion Ladies aid, there will be no arrangements made in this regard, the hotels and restaurants being expected to take charge of the overflow.

The use of three other churces in the city will be asked for the holding of English services during the evenings and for committee and corporation meetings.

Is Important Body.

The membership of the Lutheran Free church at the present time is about 30,180. There are 250 pastors and 30 missionaries. Rev. Johan Mattson of Minneapolis is president; Rev. O. H. Sletten, Minneapolis, vice president; Rev. P. O. Laurhammer, Fairdale, N. D.; secretary, and Rev. Elias Berlie, Dalton, Minn., ordinator. As auxiliaries of the church are many institutions and bodies, among these being Augsburg seminary, one of the oldest Lutheran colleges in the United States; a board of home missions and the Lutheran board of missions, Oak Grove Lutheran Ladies' seminary, Fargo; Bethania college, Everett, Wash.; Bethesda homes, Willmar; Paulsbo Orphan and Old Folks' home, Paulsbo, Wash., and a number of ohters.

The city auditorium will be used for the general meetings, having been tendered free by the city council.

Peat Plots Started on Twenty Fields

PHOSPHATE APPLIED TO DETERMINE EFFECT OF TREATMENT ON WHEAT

The Pennington County Farm bureau in co-operation with the University of Minnesota, through the divisions of soils and extension, is starting experimental plots on twenty fields along the Elwell road. On each field two plots of one half acre each are laid out and acid prosphate applied. The yields of wheat on the treated and untreated plots will be determined and reported later.

The purpose of the experiments is to find out whether acid phosphate will increase the yield per acre. In 1918 similar experiments on good soil in Stevens county showed that an application of acid phosphate at the rate of two hundred pounds per acre gave an increase in yield of wheat on unmanured land of two to ten and a half bushels per acre, as reported in Special Bulletin No. 34.

In 1918 at Golden Valley, on the peat experimental tract, acid phosphate caused very marked increases in yields in case of nearly all crops. In 1919 the crops at Golden Valley showed the same effect until destroyed by high water. A large number of demonstration plots were started last year on peat soils of farmers in the northwestern counties and the crops on almost all of these showed that the phosphate was very beneficial.

A new form of acid phosphate is expected to be placed on the market sometime this summer. The new farm will carry 48 per cent of available plant food instead of 16 per cent, the amount carried by the common acid phosphate. One ton of this new triple super-phosphate will treat as much land as three tons of the old and the price, while more per ton, will undoubtedly be much less per pound of plant food than in the case of the regular 16 per cent acid phosphate.

Primary Elections in State Saturday

WILL CHOOSE DELEGATES TO COUNTY MEETING ON THE FIFTH

Republican voters in every county in the state will hold a caucus on Saturday of this week for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend a county convention on May 5, at which meeting will be selected delegates to attend the state elimination convention on May 8. According to the call the purpose of the last-anmed gathering will be the selection of a candidate for the offices of governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, attorney general and one railroad and warehouse commissioner. The names of the parties selected for each of the above offices to be the ones going on the primary ballot at the election on June 21.

In Pennington county the hours for holding open the voting places have been fixed from 7 until 9 o'clock. The basis of representation is the same as in the presidential primaries early in the present month and the county is also entitled to the same number of delegates in the state convention, this being seven. Women will be permitted to participate in these caucuses and conventions.

Double Anniversary Sale at Mogensen's

CLOTHIER HAS BEEN FOUR YEARS IN CITY—ONE YEAR IN NEW STORE

As will be seen by the double page spread in another section of the paper today, E. O. Mogensen, the clothier, is going to celebrate two anniversaries by holding a great bargain sale. An event of this kind is rather unusual during these days of constantly increasing prices and the opportunity offered our people to secure goods of the very highest grade at big discounts will no doubt be taken full advantage of.

It was just four years ago that Mr. Mogensen entered the business field in this city. He was successful from the start and his store soon became recognized as one of the best in this section. One year ago he moved to the present fine quarters and increased patronage has resulted because of the more favorable location and also by reason of the wider acquaintance now enjoyed by the proprietor. The Mogensen store is one of which any city might well be proud and his reputation is such that everyone knows that any bargain offered by him is genuine.

ORGANIZATION MEETING COUNTY WELFARE BOARD

Meeting called to order by Oscar J. Peterson. The following people were in attendance and listened to Miss Helen Montegriffo of the state board of control who gave information as to the numerous duties connected with their work: County Commissioner Oscar J. Peterson, County Attorney Theo. Quale, Judge of Probate Ira C. Richardson, Peter C. Wold, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Geo. M. Gunderson and Mrs. A. Larson.

The new board proceeded to organize by electing the following officers: Mrs. J. M. Bishop, president, to serve as such at the pleasure of the board; Geo. M. Gunderson, secretary, to serve until such time as a county nurse is appointed by the county board of commissioners. If this provision failed to materialize then his term to terminate at any time he himself saw fit.

The time of meeting was by motion set for the first Monday of every month at 2 p. m.

The county was, by motion, divided into the following districts, to be presided over as follows: Peter C. Wold, all of the territory lying to the north of the Red Lake river and east of the Thief river, excluding the city; Oscar J. Peterson, all of the territory lying south and east of the Red Lake river, excluding the city; Geo. M. Gunderson, all of the remaining territory including the village of St. Hilaire, but excluding the city; Mrs. Larson and Mrs. Bishop, all of the city of Thief River Falls.

The secretary was instructed to publish the proceedings in the city papers.

The meeting was by motion adjourned without electing a treasurer and vice president.

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The population of Thief River Falls, according to the federal census of 1920, is 4,685. This news was contained in a telegram received from Congressman Steenerson by Mayor John Bratrud on Saturday.

The result is somewhat disappointing, it being generally believed that the city would reach 5,000 at least. The gain during the past ten years was 971 or 26.1 per cent. This is the best showing thus far reported for any city in this immediate vicinity.

Additions Not Counted.

Only the persons residing within the corporate limits were counted—and not all of these. The city as commonly referred to is considerably larger than this, there being six residential additions adjoining the corporation limits at different points the residents of which are citizens to all intents and purposes. These additions are Rustad's, Fairgound, Fairfax, Bothun's, Park and Smiley. It is certain that another thousand would have been found had these been included. The comparison is very good, however, and there is no use raising a howl over the count now.

Crookston's Bad Showing.

One of the surprises of the census returns is the record made by Crookston. According to the figures the neighboring city has a population of 6650, a decrease for the decade of 909, or 12 per cent. Crookston papers are claiming that the enumeration was inefficiently carried on and that no such slump as that indicated is possible.

Bemidji has made rapid progress, showing an increase of about 32 per cent. The total population there is 7,086 as compared with 5,099 ten years ago. This is a gain of 1987 persons, but in this number is included nearly 1000 persons residing at Nymore, which has become a part of Bemidji since the state census was taken five years ago. At that time the population of Nymore was given as 834. Deducting this from Bemidji's figures would give the city an actual increase of 1153, or just 182 more than is credited to Thief River Falls.

Senior Class Play at Auditorium Friday

CLEVER PLAY TO BE PRESENTED BY PARTICULARLY COMPETENT CAST

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Cliff Rice Returns.

Clifford Rice, formerly clerk at the store of E. O. Mogensen, was in the city last week on business. Since his return from the army he has joined the force of G. Sommers & Co., St. Paul, as traveling salesman. "Cliff" put in 11 months overseas, six of which were spent in Germany. He was on the actual firing line for 41 days but came out without injury. One of the pleasant surprises of his army career he says was running into George Loken on the streets of Paris during a furlough.

SIGN PETITION FOR IMPROVING RED LAKE RIVER

SIXTY FARMERS IN EAST SECTION OF COUNTY ASK ACTION OF CONGRESS

CITY COUNCIL FORMALLY GOES ON RECORD AS FAVORING THE PROJECT

REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON STATES THAT BILL WILL SOON PASS

Early action by congress in the matter of passing the bill providing for the straightening and deepening of Red Lake river is indicated by dispatches from Washington. Congressman Steenerson has informed interested parties in this city that the government is about ready to undertake its part of the work and that there is no doubt of the passage of the bill at an early date.

W. J. Brown, on behalf of the Red Lake Conservancy and Flood Control district, on Tuesday evening appeared before the city council and asked that body to formally attach the approval of the city to the petition to be forwarded to Mr. Steenerson for use in presenting the final arguments to congress. Mr. Brown explained that the city was in no manner obligating itself in the matter of costs by thus advocating the early passage of the measure and that it was a matter of very great importance to the future of the entire section. The council unanimously passed a resolution complying with this request and instructed Mayor John Bratrud and City Clerk A. H. Akre to sign it on behalf of the city.

Approved by Farmers.

The petition already contained the names of more than the required number of signers, about 60 farmers in the eastern section of Pennington county having indicated their approval of the petition.

The request calls for the straightening and deepening of the river from its outlet at Red lake to the western boundary of Kratka township and for the construction of controlling works at the head of the stream.

Every detail connected with this important matter is now progressing satisfactorily and things are being placed in readiness to begin the preliminary work as soon as authority is granted and the necessary formalities attended to.

Cemetery Plan Submitted.

Frank H. Nutter of Minneapolis, landscape gardener and architect, has submitted plans for the improvement of the recenty added plot at Greenwood cemetery. The old cemetery is filled up and the commission has purchased 43 acres adjoining. The work of clearing and improving this new site will be begun at once and carried on as rapidly as funds will permit. The plan submitted by Mr. Nutter will provide a beautiful cemetery, graveled drive ways, ornamental fences and miniature parks being some of the features.

The commission has requested all who own lots at the cemetery to have them cleaned up by Memorial Day. A number of the graves have an uncared-for appearance which detracts from the appearance of the entire plot.

Will Learn Cost of Paving on Tuesday

BIDS TO BE OPENED BY CITY COUNCIL AT SPECIAL MEETING

The city council will meet in extra session next Tuesday at 2 o'clock for the purpose of considering bids for paving 22 blocks in the business section of Thief River Falls. Whether or not the city engages upon this work during the coming summer will depend almost entirely upon the cost as disclosed by the bids.

Much of the opposition to paving seems to have disappeared. Many of those who were prepared to fight the proposition to the last ditch three weeks ago now profess to be favorably inclined if it can be proven that the streets are in condition to proceed with the work. That a certain amount of opposition will develop is certain but indications are that it will be nowhere near as serious as at first anticipated.

As to the kind of pavement to be laid nothing has as yet been decided. There seems to be a strong feeling that cement should not be employed, but outside of this no favorite has developed. Much will undoubtedly depend on the cost of the different substances, although the council may be depended on to take everything into consideration when awarding the contract.

On Tour of Inspection.

President H. A. Brumund and Councilmen John Dahl and Severn Brandon left Tuesday evening on a tour of inspection of the paving done in a number of nearby cities. They will go to Fargo, Wahpeton, Crookston, Breckenridge and other places and will look into the water supply question at the same time. Several of the places to be visited have lately installed water supply systems of different kinds and the Thief River councilmen will get all the data available on each kind. They will return in time to be present at the meeting next Teusday afternoon, at which time bids for paving will be opened.

Ordinance Passed.

The ordinance giving the Standard Oil company the right to erect the buildings necessary for storing inflammable oils within the city limits was given its third reading and passed on Tuesday evening. The site for the structure is on the East Side a short distance from Bridge street and about where the power house of the saw mill stood in former years.

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Legion Revue Cancelled.

There was no entertainment staged in this city by the Legion Revue last Tuesday, although the appearance of the troupe here had been widely advertised. A message from Bemidji caused the committee in charge to cancel the date. Fred T. Scanlan, chairman, stated that if the things reported were true he did not wish to be in any way responsible for the appearance of the outfit in this city.

The revue showed at Brainerd last week and was to have filled a date at Bemidji on Saturday. The class of performance presented was so rank that the Brainerd legion committee rang the curtain down before the end of the performance and at once notified Bemidji of what had happened. The boys in the latter city cancelled at once and in turn put the Thief River Falls bunch wise. From here the word was passed on to Crooksson. That outfit will find itself out of luck.

Bankers at Pinehurst.

The Associated Press dispatches of Monday morning announced the arrival of the executive council of the Minnesota Bankers association at Pinehurst, N. C. Among the Minnesota representatives were noted Kelsey S. Chase, president of the Peoples bank, St. Paul; C. L. Hansen, president First National bank, Thief River Falls; A. A. Crane, vice president First National bank, Minneapolis, and Theodore Wold, vice president Northwestern National bank, Minneapolis.

BOWEN DECIDES NOT TO ENTER CONGRESS RACE

NONPARTISAN SPEAKER SEES NO ADVANTAGE IN GOING TO WASHINGTON

MEETING OF LEADERS AT CROOKSTON MAY 4 WILL DECIDE COURSE

BOWEN AT RED LAKE FALLS CLAIMS TO BE ORIGINATOR OF MOVEMENT

E. A. Bowen of Fergus Falls, will not enter the primaries as a candidate for congress in the Ninth district against Halvor Steenerson. This was the statement made in a number of address in this section last week and repeated to a large audience at the court house here on Thursday evening.

Mr. Bowen evidently did not think a great deal of the advantages of going to congress and stated that in his opinion he could be of greater value to the cause by continuing as an organizer and expounder than as a representative at the national capital.

A meeting of the district leaders will be held at Crookston on May 4 for the purpose of deciding whether or not another candidate is to be selected to make the primary race. The Polk county Nonpartisans held a mass convention on Monday and endorsed R. T. Buckler of that city as the man to make the run against Congressman Steenerson.

Bowen is Fine Speaker.

Mr. Bowen was greeted by an audience that filled every available space on the second floor of the court house and extended down the stairs and into the hall. He is a pleasant and forceful speaker and put forth his arguments with good effect. He kept away from extremes and made a most favorable impression even on those who did not agree with him or in the purposes of his program.

Considerable time was devoted to showing that the state-owned industrial plants in North Dakota were successful in cutting the cost to the consumer at the same time providing a greater return for the producer. Mr. Bowen claimed that the flour mill at Drake, for instance, was making good in spite of the fact that it was selling flour for considerably less than others and paying the farmer more for his wheat, particularly the plans of its votaries whereby they expect to eliminate the costs added to necessities of life by reason of alleged mismanagement and profiteering by middlemen.

The speaker touched but lightly upon Amendment No. 1 but said enough to prove that he was not in favor of its passage in the present form.

Says He Was Originator.

A statement alleged to have been made by Mr. Bowen in his address at Red Lake Falls has occasioned considerable surprise. He claimed that the credit for originating the Nonpartisan league belonged to him and not to the parties to whom it is generally attributed.

Women Will Wonder How it Can be Done

LOKENS WILL PAY MORE FOR RETURNED GARMENT THAN ITS FIRST COST

H. O. Loken is not a betting man ordinarly but last week he decided to take a chance. A traveling man for one of the largest suit houses in the country ended his trip in Thief River Falls and offered to sell Loken his entire sample line of fall and winter coats. He said in effect: "I'll bet you anything that you can sell these coats right now if the inducement is made sufficiently attractive." Loken did not think so at the time but the price made on the garments was such that no merchant could withstand the temptation. He bought.

Now he intends selling winter garments in the spring and will go about it this way: Any lady wishing one of the coats—and they are beauties—can buy it at exact cost, plus one dollar. It matters not whether the garment costs $200 or $20—the agreement holds. She may retain this coat until the first of October and if at that time she is for any reason dissatisfied with her bargain she can return it and get her money back, including the dollar, and she will besides be paid eight per cent on her money for the time it has been kept by the storekeeper.

No more unusual proposition was ever presented and Mr. Loken is now of the opinion that he will lose his bet.

Mother's Day May 9.

Mother's Day falls on May 9 this year and local greenhouses are prepared to take care of the demand usual just previous to that anniversary. Of late years it has become the custom of sons and daughters who have left the old home to remember mother on this particular day with a gift of flowers and to wear one themselves as an act of homage and respect. It is a beautiful custom and should be encouraged.

Local Notes

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

A. D. Nordstrom of Gatzke visited with friends here last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Clara Gulrud left on Monday evening for Detroit on a business mission.

Miss Odina Berg of Plummer spent Monday in this city on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Dr. Spinks of Middle River spent Thursday and Friday of last week in this city.

Willie Sorum came down from Holt Friday and spent the day attending to business affairs.

Fred Haug, who passed a week in this city renewing old acquaintances, returned to Minneapolis on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Robt. Vance returned last Wednesday evening from Minneapolis where she spent a week visiting with relatives.

Miss Jennie Moen who had been a guest of Miss Lena Robertson, returned to her home in Osakis Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Covert of Middle River arrived here on Thursday afternoon and spent a brief period visiting with friends.

Mrs. Paul Ortloff was a between train shopper in this city on Friday. She returned to her home in St. Hilaire in the afternoon.

Mrs. Olaf Olson of Middle River was in the city the latter part of last week attending to some shopping and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sagvold who have been residents of this city for the past five years left Monday evening for Glenwood where they will reside.

C. E. Williams and daughter, Maggie Mae, visited with friends here last Friday enroute to Ada where they were the guests of friends over Sunday.

Mrs. H. Peterson and daughter returned to their home in Berthhold, N. D., on Friday after a week's visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Grans.

R. M. Schlanbush of Crookston was in the city on business the latter part of last week. While here he was the guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson arrived here Friday evening from Kansas City, Kansas and are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson.

Misses Henrietta Raaf and Olga Efteland left last Monday afternoon for Shelly, where the former will be employed and the latter will visit with relatives for a short time.

Rev. George Propp of Ogemah and Rev. E. H. Kreidt, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church of this city, left on Tuesday morning for Cass Lake to attend a clerical convention.

Mesdames A. C. Kvennes, O. J. Olson, C. A. Berg and R. E. Spinks of Middle River were in this city last Thursday on a shopping expedition. They returned to their respective homes Friday morning.

Miss Edna Evenson, who has been a member of the clerical force at Lokens' department store for the past three years, has resigned her position. It is her intention to remain at home during the summer months.

Mrs. James Vorachek of Fordville, N. D., arrived here the latter part of last week from Minneapolis and Hopkins where she had been visiting, and spent a day as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek.

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

H. Benson of Minneapolis was a week-end guest of friends in this city.

Roy E. Luttrell of Grygla spent Sunday in this city as the guest of friends.

L. Monson of Holt attended to matters of business in this city last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernen Nelson of Grygla visited with friends in this city last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Qualo left on Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend to business matters.

F. E. Weiland of Grand Rapids, Wis., spent Saturday in the city renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Gladys Swenson returned to her home in Rosewood on Friday after a brief visit with relatives here.

Mrs. W. A. Bishop returned Monday evening from Erskine where she had been visiting at the home of her mother.

Nels Christianson left on Monday evening for Minneapolis where he attended a convention of wholesale grocers.

Mrs. Martin Strom returned here Thursday from Grafton, N. D., where she attended the funeral services of a nephew.

Miss Clara Gunstad of St. Hilaire was a shopper here on Saturday. While here she visited with her brother, Fred.

C. Rice of Fargo was in the city last week renewing old acquaintances. He returned to Fargo Saturday afternoon.

W. Innes returned to his home in Minneapolis on Monday evening after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Farnum.

Mrs. A. Garvick, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Carlson, returned to her home in Baker, N. D., on Friday morning.

Mrs. W. H. Frederick and son, Billy, returned last week from Rockford and Minneapolis, where they had spent two weeks visiting with relatives.

Chars. Rolland returned Monday afternoon from Randeen where he spent the past two weeks looking after his farming interests in that vicinity.

Mrs. H. A. Halvorson of Gully was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Rassmussen the latter part of last week, returning to her home Friday morning.

Miss Ruth Torkelson who is a student in the local high school spent the week-end visiting at her home in Hazel. She returned here on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sande left last Monday afternoon for Crookston and Tilden, where they will be the guests of relatives. O. R. Sande accompanied them as far as Tilden.

A. Olson, head of the shoe department at Lokens' department store, has resigned his position. Mr. Olson and family will leave on Saturday for St. Paul where he will be engaged in similar work.

Misses Hazel Lund and Louise Erickson of Warren arrived here last Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting with friends. They returned to their homes on Monday via the motor route.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson who have been engaged in farming in the vicinity of Randeen for a number of years, arrived here the latter part of last week and contemplate making this city their future home. At present they are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Eli Rolland.

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

E. O. Sabo arrived here on Monday from Grygla on a business mission.

A. S. Lieberman left for Minneapolis Monday evening to engage in buying clothing for his store.

J. W. Mueller of Durram, Okla., was in the city the latter part of last week attending to matters of business.

Miss Zella Zeh returned Monday morning from Grand Forks where she had attended a Sorority party given on Friday evening.

E. Albertson of Middle River was a business caller in this city last Thursday. He returned to his home Friday morning.

Mrs. C. B. Bradley and two children left on Saturday morning for Middle River and were the guests of relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Larson returned to her home in Holt last Saturday after having received medical treatment at the Physicians hospital.

Miss Anna Froiland shopped between trains here on Saturday, returning the same day to St. Hilaire where she is engaged in teaching school.

Miss Elizabeth Rankin of Warren visited in this city on Saturday enroute to Middle River where she was a guest at the home of her parents for a brief period.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dale spent the first of the week attending to business matters in Bemidji. It is their intention to remove to that city if suitable living quarters can be secured.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rayson, accompanied by their daughters, Lucille and Lorraine left on Monday evening for Minneapolis where they will visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Simon Warring, accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Amy Whitman, both of Steiner, spent last Friday in this city attending to shopping. They returned to their homes Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Emerson left Monday afternoon for Kalispell Mont., where they will reside in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson have resided in this city for many years and their many friends regret to learn of their removal.

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

C. W. Nelson who has been confined to his home for the past two weeks was out for the first time Monday.

Miss Ruth Hadrath arrived Monday evening from Red Wing where she has been attending a school of music. Her health has been impaired to such an extent that she was unable to complete the school year.

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

R. D. V. Carr, editor of the Middle River Pioneer was a visitor here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Halvorson are the parents of a 9½ pound daughter, born to them April 25.

O. A. Winson arrived Thursday afternoon from his home in Gatzke and spent a short while as the guest of friends.

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

Mrs. F. F. Haynes returned Monday morning from Mason City, Iowa, where she underwent an operation. Mrs. Haynes is very much improved in health.

Mrs. W. Wedger, Mrs. T. Steenerson and Mrs. Halda arrived Monday evening from their homes in Clearbrook and will spend a few days as guests at the G. T. Steenerson home.

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Presented by the

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THIEF RIVER FALLS HIGH SCHOOL

Seats on sale at Lambert's Drug Store. 35c-50c-75c

MEN READ

Palace Clothing House

LaBree Ave.

MEN READ

Money Raising Sale

Going on

WITH GREATER FORCE THAN EVER

We sure did pack 'em in the first days of our sale, and everybody went away pleased carrying home some real Bargains.

Think of it---a brand new stock slaughtered --- Prices shattered

Here are some Bargains you do not want to miss Saturday and next week.

Suit Cases
Values to $2.50
$1.45

Heavy Work Shoes
standard makes
$4.45

Men's Dress Shoes
$4.95

Men's 2-piece Underwear
each
49c

MEN'S SUITS

ALL WOOL GRAY SERGE SUITS
small sizes only, 36, 37 and 38, worth $35.00, now only

$19.50

BLUE SERGE SUITS

All wool blue serge Suits, values to 42.50, all sizes, now only

$23.50

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

in all the latest patterns and styles, all sizes, values to 47.50, they go at only

$29.50

Men's Caps
95c

Men's Canvas Gloves
Gauntlets
17c

Men's Unions
medium weight
$1.45

Suspenders
39c

Last Two Days of Loken Bros. Big Rainbow Sale

Friday, April 30, and Saturday, May 1

Promise to be Two of the Very Big Days of this, the Greatest Sale in Our History

1000 yards 36 in. Bleached Muslin; to replace this same muslin today it could not be sold for less than 40c, but for Friday and Saturday only, per yd. **25c**

EXTRA SPECIAL! 1800 yds. 36 in. Percale just received; 80 patterns to choose from, dark, navy blues, light blues, greys, fancy candy stripe shirtings **35c**

LAST CALL to be able to purchase $3.50 Silk 40 inch Crepe de Chene, in several good shades, at our ridiculously low price of only - - - **$1.98**

If you have not already purchased your Spring and Summer Suit or Coat, by all means do it not later than Saturday, May 1

The Most Astounding Offer Ever Made!

We Will Pay More For a Returned Garment Than it Cost in the First Place!

You will say this cannot be done. Ordinarily you would be right, but this is how the matter stands: A traveling man representing one of the largest coat houses in the country just about closed his spring selling trip in this city. It should be remembered that goods for fall delivery are sold early in the spring and that the selling season is about at an end. He offered to make a bet that the Loken store could sell the coats he carried right at this time, providing the inducement was made sufficiently attractive. We took him up and here is our proposition:

We will place these garments on sale for two days only—Friday and Saturday of this week—on the following terms:

> The garments cost us all the way from $20 to $200 each. We will sell them at exactly this price, plus one dollar to cover the cost of actual handling, express, etc. It makes no difference what kind of a coat you select from this stock—we will hand you the wholesaler's invoice and you pay us what it calls for, plus one dollar.

"But," you say, "there is nothing to prevent Loken from marking up the price or presenting a fake invoice." The proposition is so unusual that you are justified in being suspicious of it and we do not blame you, but here is the guarantee of our good faith in the matter:

> You may carry off any of these garments on the terms above set forth. You may keep it until the first day of October, 1920. If on that date you are for any reason dissatisfied with your bargain, bring the garment back. We will return the original purchase price, plus the dollar, AND WILL PAY INTEREST ON THE MONEY YOU DEPOSITED WITH US AT THE RATE OF EIGHT PER CENT for all the time we have retained it. Not a question will be asked and no excuses offered. Bring back the garment and get your money, plus eight per cent.

How Can We Do This?

We know that next fall the prices on coats will be at least 25 to 50 per cent higher than at present. We therefore stand to lose nothing by having these exceptional coats thrown back on our hands. In fact, we will be gainers if you decide not to keep them. NO SUCH OPPORTUNITY WILL COME YOUR WAY AGAIN. ACT NOW.

Next Year's Styles

Remember that these goods are not left-overs from a previous season's stock. Every garment represents exactly what will be worn next fall and just what every up-to-date merchant is buying for his trade at that time. Nothing different or better can be had because nothing else will be made. Long before goods such as these are offered to the trade the manufacturers will be making up garments for next spring. You positively cannot go wrong on this. WE COULD NOT AFFORD TO HAVE YOU DO SO.

Come in, pick out the garment you want and take it with you under above positive guarantee!

Think of it! New garments at such prices

$85 Ladies' Suits and Coats, in all wool Tricotines and Men's Wear-Serge; large selection to choose from. Come early if you want one of these Suits at our price of only **49.95**

$65.00
Ladies' Suits and Coats in fine all-wool Men's Serge and Novelty Suitings. A wonderful selection of fine garments in this lot at, choice
39.95

$35.00
Ladies' fine Sport Coats, also full length Navy and Black Serge Coats. Wonderful styles and all sizes. Special each
22.95

FIFTY SILK TAFFETA DRESSES

Just arrived from New York. All the latest styles from Fifth Avenue. Every one of these dresses was made to sell at $35.00 to $40.00, but they arrived six weeks late and just in time for this sale. The entire lot, which consists of all sizes, mostly in Navy Blue and Black, with a few of every leading Spring shade, goes on this sale at your choice, only
$22.95

You will never again this year buy Silks at anywhere near such low prices as we name you here.

GEORGETTE SILK CREPE
Our entire stock of 35 shades, No. 1 quality, regular $3.50 value, special for this sale only at per yard
2.39

100 Yards of Sport Silk; a remarkable value. This material is suitable for several purposes and will be offered at wholesale in order to close it out. Per yard
98c

100 Yards of 36-inch Black Taffeta and 50 yards Black Messaline Silk, will be offered on this sale at, per yard
1.98

Extra Special!
1000 Yards fancy wide Silk Ribbon, over 100 patterns, both light and dark to choose from, 50c values, at this sale, per yard
39c

Dress Silks
We shall offer at this sale a large assortment of Plaids and striped fancy dress Silks, values $2.00 to $4.00, in three lots, at choice per yard
1.59 1.98 2.98

Positively no lay-bys, no alterations, no mail orders, no telephone orders, no approvals at this sale. Each and every article sold for spot cash, only. No credit or approval charges to anyone during this sale.

120 HIGH SCHOOL MIDDIES
Made of the highest quality white Middy cloth detachable Navy Blue felt collars and cuffs. $3.50 and $4.00 values. At this sale **2.95**

APRONS
One big lot of Aprons; several styles; all colors and all sizes; all $2.00 values. At this sale each, only **1.85**

CHILDREN'S GINGHAM DRESSES
Also Children's Gingham Rompers. Assorted patterns. Sizes 2 to 6. Special at this sale, each only **1.25**

CHILDREN'S SKIRTS
Something new. Washable, to be worn with middies. Sizes 2 to 12 years. Two lots are offered at this sale for each only **85c-$1**

One rack of Women's Coats, Suits and Dresses, regular $25.00 to $50.00 values, choice of over 60 garments of Ladies' Serge Suits and Coats, Silk Messaline, Silk Taffeta, and All Wool Serge Dresses, at your choice **Half Price!**

Extra Special Dress Value
One big lot of $50.00 Silk Georgette and Silk Taffeta Dresses. A splendid selection of styles in all shades and nearly all sizes. During this sale they go at **$39.95**

Special White Waist Value
Our entire stock of Organdie and Voile White Waists, all sizes, several styles. All slightly soiled due to handling. They are all regular $3.50, $3.00 and $2.50 values. For this sale take your choice at each **1.98**

Our Entire Line of Fine Georgette Waists Included in this Sale at Money-Saving Prices

$7.50	$10.00	$12.50	$15.00	$18.00
Georgette Waists, all colors and all sizes, on sale at	Georgette Waists. Entire stock on sale now at	Georgette Waists. Entire stock on sale at each	Georgette Waists. Entire stock on sale at each	Georgette Waists. Entire stock on sale at each
$5.95	$7.95	$9.95	$11.85	$13.95

Silk Petticoats, a Beautiful Line to Select From, at Remarkable Bargain Prices

$6.00 Values at $4.98 $6.50 Values at $5.85 $7.50 Values at $6.35 $8.50 Values at $6.98 $10.00 Values at $8.35 $12.50 Values at $9.95

Black Sateen Petticoats at Below Wholesale Cost

$1.35 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.00

$1.50 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.19

$1.95 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.69

$2.50 Black Sateen Petticoats; all sizes. This sale, each $1.99

Aprons

The biggest line of fine Mina Taylor Aprons ever produced.

$2.50 Values, a big selection of neat styles in several patterns. This sale $2.35

$3.00 Values, all new styles in all sizes; new patterns, now $2.75

$3.50 Values, some of our very best new styles. This sale $3.19

Silk Skirts

A big line of patterns to choose from. Plaids, Stripes, etc., all to go on this Sale at a big reduction in order to reduce stock.

$10.00 Silk Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $7.95

$12.50 Silk Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $9.95

$15.00 Silk Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $11.85

$18.50 Silk Skirts, choice at this sale, each only $13.95

Visit Our Basement

Ready-to-Wear Department.

Aprons 69c, 89c, 99c
Rompers 50c, 65c, up to $1.25
Girls' Dresses $1.00, $1.25

Coats and Suits on Sale at a Fraction of Their Real Value.

You can always find lots of splendid bargains in our basement—values that cannot be duplicated elsewhere.

Loken Brothers Department Store

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

Strength

Present abnormal conditions, with prospects of still further changes, offer sound reasons for making the most favorable banking connections obtainable.

Join forces with this strong, old-established, dependable bank---one that you can absolutely rely upon at all times.

Citizens State Bank

Resources Over Three Quarters of a Million

BON TON MILLINERY

Big Clearance Sale of Trimmed Hats

We have selected 50 hats from our stock from $12.00 to $18.00 which we will place on sale Tuesday and Wednesday at $10.00.

We have also selected 50 more values from $8.00 to $12.00 which will be placed on sale, choice $7.50.

These hats are all black sand and dark colors, good serviceable hats for all summer year.

Light hats will not be displayed in the Cities for another week as no one would enjoy wearing a light has so early, and besides the styles will be better later on. Select one of these good serviceable hats on sale at $7.50 and $10.

Fishing With Zane Grey

How'd you like to go fishing with Zane Grey—the man who wrote The Mysterious Rider, The Man of the Forest, Desert Gold, and other popular stories that have appeared in

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

Well, here's your chance—the very next best thing to a real trip. Mr. Grey will take you catching tuna and swordfish from the Pacific, rainbow trout at Crater Lake, etc.

Fishermen will enjoy these stories for the thrill of the sport. Zane Grey fans will like them because they will get better acquainted with this author .... Incidentally let me tell you on the Q. T. that Mr. Grey is writing the story of an Arizona Bear hunt that will be coming along in THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN in a month or two .... When you think that all these stories are extra—added to the practical farm-garden-livestock-poultry features with which every week's issue is crowded—you can see what wonderful value you get in a year's subscription. Give me your dollar and let me send in your name today.

$1.00 for a whole year—52 BIG weekly issues.

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Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

Miss Stella Hamre arrived Monday morning from Crookston and will be the guest at the home of her uncle, T. P. Hamre in this city.

W. H. Akre spent Sunday visiting with his wife and daughter, who are guests of Mrs. Akre's parents at Crookston.

Read Thief River Greenhouses ad in this issue.

Miss Evelyn Cornforth arrived on Monday morning from Grand Forks and is spending the week as the guest of her sister, Miss Edith Cornforth.

Progressive Everbearing Strawberry plants, $2.50 per 100. Get your order in at once. Phone 102, Flower Shop.

Mrs. Carl Hilliard and son returned Monday morning from Crookston where they spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. Joe Skaddix and baby of Coleraine were in the city last week as guests of the former's father, Paul Midderigh.

F. A. Fossum spent the latter part of last week attending to business affairs at Baudette.

Beautiful new Organdy and Voile Dresses just received in time for our Big Quick Disposal Sale.—The Sapero Co.

Peter Newman Dead.

Word was received here this week of the death of Peter Newman at the Milwaukee, soldiers' home. He was 80 years of age and a pioneer of Thief River Falls, having lived in this city for about 35 years and leaving only about a year and a half ago to spend his last days at the Milwaukee home, he having been a soldier in the Union army and hailing from that state. Deceased homesteaded the farm now owned by T. P. Hamry about two miles north of the city and resided there for many years. Coming to town he engaged in the restaurant business, which he followed for some time. One daughter and an adopted son survive, the former being Mrs. Andy Smith of this city. He enjoyed a wide acquaintance among the old-timers here and was a man of some consequence in the days of his prime and prosperity.

A Successful Carnival.

From an attendance and amusement point of view the carnival staged last week by the high school students was a decided success. Financially it would have turned out all right also had not certain of the booth tenders misjudged its purpose. The system of accounting seems to have been rather inefficient and as a result a deficit may result where there was every promise of a large surplus. Something like a thousand dollars was taken in and the exact outcome will not be known until the books are fully checked up. It was a great show; however, and it is to be hoped that the financial returns will be as great as merited. It took a lot of hard work on the part of everyone to put the thing across and it would be too bad to find that a serious slip had been made in one of the most important departments.

Four Minute Speaker Here.

This evening the first of a series of talks, under the auspices of the Minnesota Sound Government association, will be given in this city at the Lyceum theatre.

J. Edward, four minute speaker, will talk on the organization and leadership of the Nonpartisan league and the one reel motion picture entitled, "Who's Your Friend?" will be shown in addition to the regular program. The picture deals with the origin of the Nonpartisan league and features Max Figman in the leading role. The picture is highly interesting and entertaining. Mr. Figman is supported by an excellent cast.

Other talks and pictures relating to the Nonpartisan league will be shown at intervals of about five days, the exact dates to be announced later. No extra admission charged.

Grant Pool Hall Licenses.

All pool and billiard hall licenses expire on May 1 and applications for renewals were granted by the council on Tuesday. Those who made application are: James Cosgrove, Shannahan & Sheedy and C. B. Bradley. License to conduct moving picture theatres was granted to H. A. Brumund and Mrs. Lulle Johnson, representing the Thief River Theatre company, owners of the Lyceum and the Princess.

Baker Sells Home.

W. E. Baker, city agent of the Great Northern, this week sold his residence property at 518 Knight avenue north to Roy Lambert, the druggist.

The City Churches

The First Swed. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language at 10:30. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m. The Willing Workers society will be entertained Monday evening, May 3.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 2: 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. public worship. Morning theme: "Mine? Yours? or Your's and Mine?" Evening theme: "The Laboratory Test of the Good News." The Woman's Mission Society meets with Mrs. Barackman, 518 Main Ave. N., on Friday, April 30 at 3 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 2: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. Communion immediately after evening service Young Peoples meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting at the home of Lars Johnson, 403 Crocker Ave. N. Thursday at 8 p. m.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services next Sunday, May 2nd at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. The forenoon and evening meetings will be in Norwegian, and the 3 o'clock meeting in English. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Monday at 8 p. m. prayer meeting. Wednesday at 8 p. m. Bible study meeting.

Trinity Lutheran Church—Services Sunday evening, May 2, in the Norwegian language. Sermon by Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Afternoon service at Rosewood, 3 p. m. Rosewood Ladies' Aid at Mrs. Bore Sagmoen's Tuesday at 2 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid, in city, on Thursday, May 6th at 2 p. m., entertained by Mrs. Ingeborg Bjoland and Mrs. Albert Thoreson. Zion Young Peoples society Thursday evening, May 6th, entertained by Perry Froseth, Henry Froseth and Levine Bean. Prayer meeting every Wednesday in the church basement.

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For those who are in need of a remedy for kidney troubles and backache it is a good plan to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They are strongly recommended by Thief River Falls people. Ask your neighbor!

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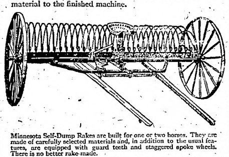

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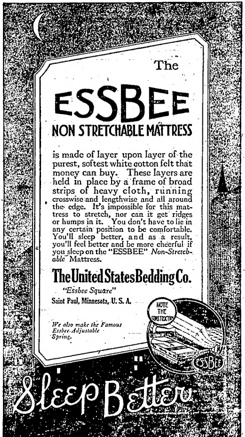

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Local Notes

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

Miss Esther Gjertsen, freight cashier at the Great Northern depot, returned Friday from a visit of a few days at the home of her parents at Sandstone.

J. M. Bishop was a business caller in Crookston last Wednesday.

Mrs. John Swanson returned to her home in Steiner after a brief visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. Brokke.

Miss Jeanette Oftedahl has resigned her position as stenographer in County Agent J. J. McCann's office and has accepted a similar position with the Kiewel Products company.

Plant Cabbage now. Large early plants, 35c basket at Flower Shop.

Mrs. L. H. Landahl of Little Falls spent a few days the latter part of last week as the guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Niclai.

Mrs. Chas. Fellman and daughter, Alice, of St. Hilaire were shoppers here on Saturday.

Mrs. H. Olson and daughter, Miss Gladys, of St. Hilaire, passed Saturday in this city attending to shopping and visiting with friends.

Say it with Flowers for Mother, May 9th. Fine stock at Flower Shop.

Mrs. Oscar Peterson of St. Hilaire arrived here Saturday morning and shopped between trains.

Rev. Albin A. Larson returned on Tuesday evening from Warren where he had been for the purpose of delivering an address at the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of the founding of Augustana synod.

Mother's Day cards at Laird's.

Mrs. Ed. Hoiren and son, Edgar, arrived Wednesday evening from Minneapolis where they spent a few days visiting at the home of the former's mother. They left the following morning for their home at Holt.

To Play Safe—Better place your order now, for FLOWERS, Mothers' Day, May 9th.

Miss Fern Johnson, who is engaged in teaching school in Goodridge spent Friday and Saturday in this city visiting and attending to shopping.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who teaches school at Goodridge, was a week-end guest at the home of her parents in this city.

The most wonderful collection of wash dresses ever assembled just received, and go at sale prices.—The Sapero Co.

C. Paul, who for the past few months has been employed as bookkeeper for the Kiewel Products company, left on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where he has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Olson arrived the latter part of last week from their home in Northfield and will spend a brief period as the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Oen. Mrs. Olson was formerly Miss Clara Oen.

A. C. Kvennes of Middle River was a business caller in this city last Saturday.

You can now choose your Wash Dress. Three shipments arrived this week, and they go in our big sale at sale prices.—The Sapero Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Novak returned last Monday from Grand Forks to which city they were called by the serious illness of Mrs. Novak's brother, Dr. J. B. Chaska.

Miss Myrtle Blair left on Saturday evening for the cities where she will remain for a period of a week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Evju and son, Bobby, were in Duluth the latter part of last week where the former took the barbers examination.

A. A. Gunderson left last Thursday morning for Holt, where he attended to matters of business.

Did you order Strawberry plants? If not better phone 102 at once.

Miss Inez Johnson returned last Thursday morning from Crookston where she spent a few days visiting with relatives.

Think of it! Over 50 brand new wash dresses just received—included in our Quick Disposal Sale—$9.75 to $29.75.—The Sapero Co.

Ward Long, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Germantown, spent the week-end visiting with friends here.

Miss Inga Dokken of Fargo arrived Friday and spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hjelden.

Kenneth Russell, a student in the local high school, visited at his home at Steiner over Sunday.

Miss Lydia Samuelson, who was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Longren, returned to her home in Warren last Saturday.

Ole Oberg of Strathcona, passed through this city last Saturday enroute to Alexandria where he will reside. While here he was a guest at the hom of Rev. Albin A. Larson.

Casper Wiener, who had spent the winter in Minneapolis, arrived last Thursday evening to remain during the summer months.

Mrs. S. Erickson left on Wednesday morning for Rosewood where she will visit with relatives for a short while.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reep of Plummer shopped between trains here on Tuesday evening.

H. E. Edberg, merchandise manager at Lokens' resigned his position and left on Tuesday evening for his former home in Chicago, where he has accepted a position. Mrs. Edberg preceded him two weeks ago.

Mrs. Peter Neth and two children who have been visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein, returned to their home in Grand Forks on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Stella Hamery arrived on Monday morning from Crookston and spent a few days as the guest of her brother, George Hamery and Miss Olga Nettum.

Mrs. E. G. Buse of Red Lake Falls was a Tuesday shopper in this city.

E. S. Johnson, superintendent of the Oklee schools, was an over Sunday guest of Walter Schold in this city.

Mrs. O. Sherstad and children of Stephen arrived here on Saturday and will make this city their future home. Mr. Sherstad preceded his family some time ago.

Mesdames C. O. Rud and J. A Anderson of Portland, N. D., were guests at the H. P. Sponheim home the latter part of last week.

Society

Royal Neighbors to Dance.

The local order of the Royal Neighbors lodge will hold a public dancing party in the auditorium on Friday, May 7.

Community Girls Meeting.

The Community Girls' club will meet in the commercial club rooms Monday evening, May 3. It is hoped that all members will endeavor to be present. Lunch wil be served by the W's and Z's.

Luther League Meet.

The Young Peoples Luther league of the Trinity church will meet today April 29th at 8:30. Lunch will be served by Mesdames C. Sjoberg, J. E. Nelson, Iver Hoium and L. Fossum.

Surprise Party.

A successful surprise party was given last Monday evening in honor of Miss Lucille McGinnity at her home, 511 E. Fourth street. The hours were spent informally. At midnight delicious refreshments were served.

In Honor of Miss Johnson.

Misses Stella Williams and Rose Severson entertained about twelve girls at the home of the former on Tuesday evening at a surprise party and parcel shower in honor of Miss Julia Johnson whose marriage will take place the last of this month. The hours were spent informally and a delicious lunch was served at midnight.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. L. J. Cerny was very pleasantly surprised last Saturday afternoon at her home, Markley avenue south, by about twenty of her lady friends, the occasion being her birthday. The afternoon was spent in conversation and whist playing after which a delightful lunch was served, brought by the ladies. Mrs. Cerny was presented with a beautiful glass dish.

Peterson-Kittleson.

The following account of the marriage of P. G. Peterson, deputy city clerk, taken from the Fosston Thirteen Towns, will prove of interest to local people. The newlyweds will make this city their home and will live in the Ness flat, Duluth avenue north:

Monday of this week at the Presbyterian parsonage at Bemidji, Miss Genevieve Kittleson, an estimable young lady of that city, became the bride of Peter G. Peterson of Thief River Falls, and eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Peterson of Fosston. They were attended by Miss Elaine G. Boyd of Thief River Falls and Nary Kittleson, brother of the bride. The same afternoon they came by train to Fosston and have been visiting at the home of Mr. Peterson's parents. They have the best wishes of their many friends here, the bride having visited here on many occasions and the bridegroom being an old-time Fosston boy.

Garns Lecture Well Received.

The recital by John Seaman Garns of the McPhail School of Dramatic Art, given at the Lyceum theatre under the auspices of the Woman's club Tuesday evening was of the highest order and exceptionally entertaining. The leading number was the presentation of Booth Tarkington's "Monsieur Beaucaire." His impersonation of the happy-go-lucky French nobleman was exceedingly good. Mr. Garns also delighted his audience with a number of vocal selections and humorous stories in the dialect of the Yankee, Irish and Scandinavian. Between the first and second acts of Monsieur Beaucaire Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher rendered two solos which were very much enjoyed. The entertainment on the whole was one of the best of its kind ever given in this city and it is hoped that Mr. Garns will visit our city again in the near future.

Entertained Informally.

In commemoration of her birthday anniversary Miss Avis Akre entertained a few of her friends informally at her home on Duluth avenue north on Wednesday morning. Needlework formed the chief diversion. At 11 o'clock a delicious lunch was served. The guests included Misses Zella Zeh, Agnes Wilson, Meta Kiland and Grace Wilson.

For Mrs. Sponheim.

The members of the musical section of the Woman's club pleasantly surprised Mrs. Oscar Sponheim last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Dr. O. F. Mellby. Immediately following the program given at the commercial club rooms that evening the guests repaired to the Mellby home where the hours were spent in an informal manner. The honor guest was presented with a handsome gift as a token of their appreciation and esteem. Mrs. Sponheim has been an active member of the musical section for a number of years and her departure from this city in the near future will mean the loss of a most efficient and estimable woman.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.81
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.76
Oats	.80
Flax	4.14
Barley	1.39
Rye	1.86
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.70
Bran	2.95
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.60
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.65
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.60
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.15-.16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.18
Eggs	.35
Dairy Butter	.56
Creamery Butter	.62
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.35
Dairy Butter	.58
Creamery Butter	.65
Cow Hides, per lb	.27
Horse Hides	5-7
Calf Hides	.35
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	16-17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	12-15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.20
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	8-10
Steers, per lb.	6-7
Calves, per lb.	6-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	10-12

Sale of Millinery Still Continues

The stock is still large and presents excellent opportunities for securing one of the latest and most stylish hats at a considerable reduction from the regular price.

There are a variety of very good numbers to select from and we invite an inspection. We shall be pleased to have the ladies of the city and vicinity look over this line.

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Because merchandise of all kinds is scarce and hard to get. Transportation is slow and getting worse. We have been buying heavily ever since the first of the year and this merchandise is all here now and crowded on our shelves. We have a better stock to pick from now than we will have in a month or in two months or any time until this fall when the Christmas goods begin to arrive.

Buy especially Graduation Books and give them now so that the students will have a chance to get them filled out before the class graduates and scatters.

Shop now and buy when you see what you want, avoid being disappointed. Nine times out of ten when you find just what you want and put off the purchasing of it until later you find the article gone when you go back to get it.

Laird's Specialty Shop

No New Automobiles After June 1

Such are the prospects at this time. Unless you buy your car at once the chances are that you will have to get along without one. The steel situation is such that no deliveries of raw material can be assured and a number of plants have already been forced to shut down.

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We have a number of these superior machines on the floor of our salesroom at the present time and can supply you without delay. It means something to be able to get your car without any delay these days.

There are no better cars in its class than the New Maxwell. An inspection and a ride in one will convince you of this without a doubt. And you will get them while the present supply lasts. Nothing can be guaranteed after that.

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DISSOLVE one pound of sugar in a gallon of grape juice. Then go to a fruit store and—

Stop on the way and see the rest in "The Six Best Cellars." You'll laugh till you're weak!

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When You Start to Read

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Mother's Day

All That I Am or Hope To Be, I Owe To My Angel Mother
—Abraham Lincoln

"Flowers for Mother"

Join the Millions of Men, Women and Children of this Great Nation in Paying Homage to Her.

This day has been set aside by an Act of Congress as a day to be kept sacred in honor of the "Mothers" when we, as a Nation, turn aside fro mour usual tasks to pay homage to her who gave us birth, whose guiding hand and unselfish love made life's path smooth for our first faltering steps.

FLOWERS

Profusely fragrant and delightfully refreshing, they will, if presented on this day, be a true token of love and devotion. It means so much to Mother, every petal, every leaf, every waft of fragrance is laden with a message for her. It speaks to her in langauge no human tongue can speak—it makes her feel that the pain, the anxiety, the fear, the sleepless nights, her silent sorrow, her sufferings have not been in vain—it speaks to her of love returned, the sweetest of all compensations and it means so little to you measured by the standard of gold and silver.

Give Her Favorite Flower to "The Best Mother That Ever Lived, Your Mother." All flowers are appropriate for "Mother's Day." Blooming Plants, Cut Flowers, Baskets, in fact any of the many kinds She likes so well.

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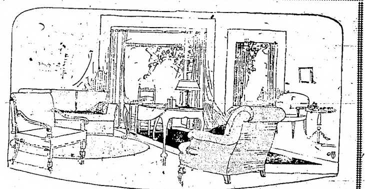

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High School Progress

PRESIDENT BURTON'S ADDRESS

At ten o'clock on Tuesday morning the Auditorium was filled to its utmost capacity. Dr. Burton's name acted as a bugle which called the people together.

The theme of Dr. Burton's speech was the importance of education. Knowing that the citizens of tomorrow—the school children of today—will have to face grave problems of the uttermost importance. Dr. Burton attempted to impress upon his audience the value of their training. He told the students that they must do their work thoroughly; the teachers that they must arouse the pupils to active thinking; and the citizens of Thief River Falls that they must support their educational system because these three things would assist in building characters that will make the future of American democracy secure.

The people who went to the Auditorium, hardly knowing what to expect, left it feeling that they had been permitted to see farther than the surface—that they had learned to do their share in making our educational system a truly democratic institution.

HOME ECONOMICS EXHIBIT

The department of Home Economics of Lincoln high school will have an exhibit in Loken's windows on Saturday, May 1 At five o'clock the food products of the exhibit will be sold. This will, no doubt, be an interesting display as the material has all been made by high school students.

THE STRENUOUS LIFE

Say! Have you ever stopped to *consider that you can*

SEE Tom Harrington, the carefree, happy-go-lucky, jolly college football captain.

SEE Byran Harrington, his proud and confident father.

SEE Dan Davenant, the healthy and otherwise miner from Angel's Camp.

SEE Dawly, the Jewish bill collector.

SEE Widow Wiggins, fickle and shrewd.

SEE James Wobberts, freshman, trusting and green.

SEE Dulcie Harrington, sensitive and loving.

SEE Nugata, frightened and figity and confused.

How? Attend the Senior class play, "A Strenuous Life," Friday, April 30.

THEY SAY!

The carnival was a huge success. Many people attended both evenings. Schold's and Melby's mystery show was very popular.

Gregory Werstlein is considered a lucky fellow. He won twelve boxes of candy at the carnival.

Bernard Bischoff had to bail his friend out of the carnival police court before he could see her home.

Vera Daily, editor-in-chief of the Prowler staff, left for Hazel Monday where she will teach for a week.

The janitors were pleased with the looks of the buildings Thursday night.

Marshall Race who attends school at Thief River Falls, spent the week-end at his parental home near Erie.

A large collection of garments made by the high school girls will be exhibited at the Loken Brothers' department store on Saturday.

Everyone be sure to attend the Senior class play entitled, "A Strenuous Life," at the Auditorium Friday, April 30.

Elline Annensen of the Lincoln high school left last Thursday afternoon to spend the week-end at her home near Mavie.

Mabel Olson attended the Sophomore party without Helen Skramstad.

Ingeborg Barstad is wearing a smile in remembrance of the night of the Sophomore class party.

Miss Dorothy Jones of St. Paul has been in this city visiting Miss Ella Krohn, for the last week.

Harold Westin is worried about the state examinations.

The school house was found in a surprisingly fine shape on Monday morning.

The Senior class play characters seem to be rather upset, now that 30th is nearing.

Mr. Schold sprung a quiz on his civics students on Monday.

You missed a good time and a good speech if you did not hear Clarence Vevea speak on Monday a. m. in the assembly.

Everybody go to Lambert's drug store and secure a ticket or two for the Senior class play to be held on April 30.

Agnes Oftedahl has obtained a position as stenographer at the Farm bureau office.

Melby and Schold pulled off their stunt in the carnival with perfection.

Some of the barkers at the carnival can join a troupe next summer (seeing how well they used their voices at the H. S. Carnival.)

Ruby Ness and Olga Bundy were the cutest clowns at the H. S. Carnival.

It is expected that Julia Langaas will join a carnival next summer and tell fortunes. She made a big hit telling fortunes at the high school carnival.

Gladys Maland took a job as barker for the carnival. Did she BARK??!

Wanted: Some new mechanical toys that would entertain David Evenson and keep his mind from wandering while in class.

Poor Kaiser Bill found that his new kingdom was pretty hot for him.

Mollie and Alyce have to start curling their hair for the class play.

Dr. Davies of the University of Minnesota addressed the high school on Wednesday during the regular chapel hour. His readings were exceptionally good and were appreciated by every one.

J. S. Garnes of MacPhail school addressed the public at the Lyceum theater Tuesday afternoon and evening.

If Leland continues his artistic pursuits he will go to Bexux Arts to study soon. His latest picture is "The Fisher."

If Stanton didn't watch the girls he wouldn't have arrested so many for flirting.

"Tubby" LaBree has quit stepping out with the girls. We wonder if it is true.

"Pills" has quit all the girls in T. R. Falls. "What is the matter, "Pills?"

Hobson Rogers was in town Friday for the carnival.

Alfred Dybvik started school last Tuesday, but quit the same day.

Mr. Scholds didn't have to make up much to take his part in the carnival.

Phil Yarson was seen escorting a girl home the first night of the carnival.

Helen Warner is a regular cowpuncher. Ask Helen about it.

Rover has undertaken to teach all the dogs in Thief River Falls the manly art of self defense.

Mr. Scholds was a regular devil during the carnival.

The class play will be the best show that has struck T. R. F. in a long time.

Fred Haug was the best policeman on the force during the carnival.

Ask Bernard Sundahl how the court collected fines from those who had no money.

Don't forget the Senior class play, "A Strenuous Life" to be given at the Auditorium April 30. Tickets on sale at *Lambert's* drug store. Prices 35c, 50c and 75c. You can't afford to miss it.

Herman Aakre was the victim of a practical joke Friday evening and as a result has a dislocated kneecap. He is getting along very well, however.

Everybody about the school is so tired looking. Why? Merely the reaction of the carnival.

Miss Zella Zeh spent Saturday and Sunday in Grand Forks.

Victor Buskirk is now walking to and from school due to the fact that his glasses were dusty and he didn't see a certain team of horses coming up the road. As a result his bicycle is in the hospital.

We'll have to watch "Balmy" Benny Lind and those girls. He's getting so regular that he has taken the same one home twice.

Schold and Melby, supernatural inferno, caused quite a sesation at the carnival. Some even saw it twice, but here's the reason. Every act was missing some detail. Chemicals don't dork every time.

Speaking of the "Strenuous Life" will Rover be on the stage with Joe?

Did you notice the clown whom Tommy was interested in?

Mrs. S. Charboneau arrived last Thursday morning from her home in Spokane, Wash., to attend the funeral services of her brother, Martin Stokke, which was held in the afternoon of that day. Mrs. Charboneau will remain here a short period as the guest of relatives.

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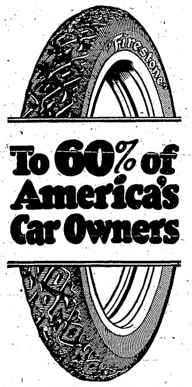

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A sale that grows bigger and busier as more people learn of its extraordinary values.

Think of It! Everything in the Store on Sale

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About 25 pair, to close out
$1.95
Small sizes only.

This season's choicest merchandise—all from regular stock, and not shipped in here for sale purposes.

No Job Lots **No Samples** **No Odds and Ends**

DO NOT BE MISLED—merchandise is going up daily. But we are not speculating—we must turn the biggest part of our stock INTO CASH.

We have prepared even greater bargains for Friday and next week. Those of you who have been here, come again, and if you have not already attended this sale, be sure and be here—you owe it to yourself. Those who are not accustomed to attending to sales should not fail to attend this one. Loads of bargains awaiting you.

HERE ARE A FEW EXTRA SPECIALS PREPARED FOR SATURDAY.

Women's and Misses'
MIDDIES AND SMOCKS
Values to $3.00, while they last
98c

One lot of Dolman wraps, values to $75.00—a practical garment that is always in style. The linings alone are worth more than we will sell them for. Choice

$9.95

Materials are Boliva, Silvertone, Serge, Tricotine. Only 25 garments in this lot.

We have included in this group 10 women's suits, values to $50.00, to go at $9.95 also.

There are 10 plain coats in poplin and velour, values to $30.00, will also go at $9.95.

Closing Out All
CROCHET THREAD
D. M. C., Star Brand and T. B. C., values to 25c ball
Special 10c Ball
15,000 spools to go in this lot, all colors and most all sizes.

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Selmer Haugen left last week for Dakota Junction where she will assist with the home work at the Carl Stromberg home for a week.

Miss Annie Bloom left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls where she will shop and visit with her sister, Mrs. Crown, for a day.

Mrs. J. T. Taggert was at Warren between trains last Friday attending to business and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rafteseth spent Sunday at Grygla visiting with Mrs. Rafteseth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hanson.

Nic Nelson of Crookston has been in town a few days this week in the interest of his cutlery business.

Mr. Adams of the foresty department at St. Paul, was in town last Wednesday taking orders for White pine trees.

Howard Carlson was at Warren a couple days the latter part of the week on business.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking arrived here Saturday evening to conduct the Swedish young peoples society that same evening and also had two services at the Congregational church on Sunday.

Morris Halvorson of Viking has been employed at the John Ranum farm this week.

Miss Ella Nelson commenced her work as clerk at the Herbert Carlson store last Monday.

Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie, left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls to make arrangements for a piano course for the latter during the summer months. They will visit over Sunday at the Jens Severson home.

Bank Examiner G. P. Daily of St. Paul, was a caller at the Farmers State bank on Thursday.

John Helquist went to Newfolden Saturday to bring home two of Albert Helquist's children who have been visiting here during the week.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen is at Thief River Falls over Sunday visiting at the Mrs. J. Nyhus home.

The following have visited at Dakota Junction during the week: Mr. and Mrs. Sivert Rafteseth, Mrs. John Rafteseth, Mrs. Gust Nakken and daughter, Gladys.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm went to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to bring home their Overland automobile.

Howard Carlson, Henry Lappegaard and Miss Olga Thoreson left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where they will visit over Sunday.

Miss Alice Soderberg from town of Norden boarded the Monday evening train here destined to Thief River Falls.

Sjur Hattlestad of Minneapolis was in town last Saturday looking over the S. Salop farm west of town with the intention of purchase.

Waldo Batten of Minneapolis was in town one day the middle of the week with a number of prospective real estate buyers from the southern part of this state.

Miss Laura Kron came home from Thief River Falls last Monday where she has spent the last week visiting with her sister, Miss Ethel Kron.

Miss Roseland left on Monday morning for Warren to shop and visit during the day.

A. Opseth spent Monday at Viking visiting and attending to business.

Julius and Lewis Alby have been employed in town the last week excavating for the basement at the new Carlson store.

The Viking song choir comprising eight voices came over by car Sunday evening and featured a number of beautiful religious selections at the service at the Congregational church. Thanks. We appreciated your music. Come again.

Cement work commenced for the foundation of the new Farmers State bank building this week.

Assessor Olof Opseth was at Warren between trains last Friday attending to official business.

STEINER

Willis Warring took a load of hogs to Thief River Falls last Friday.

M. O. Saugen attended the Evenson auction sale in Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Miss Mathilda Liden called at the Berg home one day last week.

Mrs. Agnes Warring called on the Whitman family last Saturday.

Harvey Copp sold one of his oxen last Saturday.

Louis Meyers and Henry Rogers visited with Harvey Copp last Wednesday evening.

Arthur Simonson made a business trip to town the latter part of last week. He says the roads are pretty rough.

Harvey Copp was in this burg last Wednesday.

Henry and Hobson Rogers moved Mr. Whitman's old barn last Saturday. They converted it into a garage for Mr. Whitman.

Mrs. S. Warring and Miss Amy Whitman took the train Friday for Thief River Falls and returned Saturday morning.

Otto Saugen had feed ground at Stigen's the last of the week.

Quite a few of the farmers of this vicinity are working in the fields, Some say it is all right and others claim it too sticky to do anything.

Ole Berg had feed ground at Swanson's the last of the week.

Renie Warner made a trip to Holt in his big car the latter pat of last week.

ESPLEE

Oscar Arndtson visited at the home of P. P. Sund over Saturday and Sunday.

Mathilda Olson is spending a few days in Grygla visiting with friends.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman and son, Harold, made a trip to Esplee on Friday.

A Turnbull transacted business in Esplee Saturday.

L. O. Opsata called on Carl Erickson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Solly visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Sund last Sunday.

Gust Fundanet transacted business in Goodridge last Saturday.

Paul Sund returned from Warren last week where he transacted business

Ella Ostmoe visited at the home of Louis Carlson last Sunday.

Jessie L. Ballou transacted business matters in Thief River Falls last Wednesday, returning home Thursday.

Earl Chapman was a caller in Esplee one day last week.

Oscar Arndtson called on L. J. Tenold Sunday.

R. E. Luttrell of Grygla, enroute to Bemidji, was in Esplee last Sunday.

Mr. Leshar was a caller in Esplee last Sunday.

Conrad J. Sund, R. E. Luttrell, Oscar Arndtson and Arthur Sund autoed to Thief River Falls last Sunday

Mrs. Allyn Turnbull visited at the home of S. J. Gangness last Sunday.

Oscar H. Olson is busy hauling hay this week.

Mrs. Louis Carlson visited at the home of W. E. Chapman last Friday.

Mrs. R. E. Luttrell called on friends in Grygla over Saturday and Sunday.

Oscar Arndtson and Arthur Sund returned to Esplee on Monday after spending Sunday afternoon in Thief River Falls visiting with friends and relatives.

Ella Ostmoe made a trip to Thief River Falls on Sunday.

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. L. A. Westphal left last Thursday for Red Lake Falls to visit with friends.

C. Klemensrud of Crookston attended to business matters here last week.

Lewis Cathelineau, Jr., left last Wednesday for Litchfield where he will be employed by Glenn Martz.

Misses Lisa Hendrickson and Ruth Anderson shopped and visited in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Damman shopped in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Mr. Tice of Pella, Iowa, arrived Friday to visit with friends and attend to business matters.

Thomas Hovet was taken to Thief River Falls Friday where he was operated on for appendicitis and is getting along as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

Misses Olivia Nelson and Blanche Hoff spent Saturday in Thief River Falls where they received dental treatment.

Misses Ellen Nelson and Gladys Thorstad spent Saturday visiting and shopping at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Oscar Carlson and Mrs. Olaf Nelson received medical treatment in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mrs. Ben Lardy left Saturday for Grand Forks, N. D., where they will make their home. Mr. Lardy will be employed by the American company.

Mrs. Hansen of Crookston arrived last Wednesday to spend a week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. Jepson.

Miss Gladys Olson arrived Friday evening from Plummer after completing an eight months' term of school.

O. Aaberg and family left Monday by car for Benson to visit with relatives and friends.

Soldiers Are Missing.

Postmaster John Morgan has this week received inquiries concerning the whereabouts of Jesse Alonzo Frost and Irving Odin Madsen. Both these men enlisted for the war from Pennington county but did not return here so far as known. Anyone able to give any information concerning them should communicate with Postmaster John Morgan, who will notify the inquiring relatives.

Ready For Business.

I am now prepared to attend to all kinds of paper hanging as well as inside or outside painting jobs. Three men are now employed, including a first-class paper hanger. Shop open all day.

O. E. JENSEN,
m6 114 Main Avenue South.

WANT ADS ARE WONDERFUI WORKERS.

MELLBY, PAULSON FROEHLICH & FISHER
Physicians and Surgeons
Citizens State Bank Building
General Practice, Surgery,
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Office Hours:
Forenoon and Afternoon
Evening by Appointment

Our Route

takes in all those homes in which purity and richness are considered of prime importance as relates to milk. Condition is another of our hobbies. There are no long lapses of time between milking and delivering with us. Fresh milk is Safe milk, and our organization was planned for farm-to-table service.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Bread is Your Best Food, Eat More of It!

What stops the cry "Hungry" when children troop from school?
BREAD!

What was the most dramatic element of the French Revolution?
BREAD!

What carries armies forward to success?
BREAD!

What furnishes the staple item of food for the vigorous worker?
BREAD!

What must be baked fresh daily—can't be hoarded—is vital to health as pure water?
BREAD!

What food more than any other, will reduce the high cost of living?
BREAD!

What is sufficiently important to find its way into the prayer uttered daily by millions?
BREAD!

What Bread is Highest in Quality and Therefore First in the Estimation of Housewives?

Jung's "Victory" Bread

NOW IS THE TIME TO HAVE THAT JOB PRINTING DONE

MODERN ORGANIZATION

The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

First National Bank

Thief River Falls, Minn.
MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
Resources Over One Million Dollars

SATURDAY ONLY

Positively for One Day Only

Suits at cost and in some cases below cost

WHEN we advertise that we are selling these at cost and in some cases below cost, we are telling you the truth. We don't have our merchandise marked sky high, then cut in half and make you believe we are giving it away. We have our merchandise marked closely at all times and when we give a special like this it is a real saving to you.

All	$25.00	Suits	Saturday	Only	$18.75
All	30.00	Suits	Saturday	Only	23.75
All	35.00	Suits	Saturday	Only	29.25
All	45.00	Suits	Saturday	Only	38.75
All	50.00	Suits	Saturday	Only	43.75
All	65.00	Suits	Saturday	Only	56.25
All	70.00	Suits	Saturday	Only	61.00

LIEBERMAN BROS.

The Store of Standardized Prices

V.95½

Goes Into Land Business.

As will be seen by the advertisement in another column of The Times today, Senator O. A. Naplin has taken the agency in this section for the lands controlled by the Peterson-Lundgren company of Moline, Ill. This concern sold a number of large tracts in this neighborhood last year and have a large list of prospects whom they hope to interest. The lands are located in the eastern part of Pennington and Marshall counties for the most part. Mr. Naplin will be in a position to talk business with anyone who wishes to dispose of his holdings as well as with those who contemplate buying.

To Pass on Nonparty Status.

Attorney General Hilton has been asked for an opinion as to the right of the candidates endorsed by the Nonpartisan League to go into the primaries as republicans. The parties asking for the opinion maintain that the Nonpartisans are a separate political organization and as such can not carry the label of another party.

On Cemetery Commission.

Mayor Bratrud has appointed W. W. Prichard, Jr., a member of the cemetery commission to succeed I. G. Sands, who has moved from the city.

Corn Pain Stopped Quick

"Gets-It" Loosens Them So They Lift Off in A Jiffy.

The corn pains cease as soon as a few drops of "Gets-It" reach the corn. It goes out of the hurting business forever.

For a day or so the corn remains, getting looser and looser and without a twinge from it. Then, it gets so loose that you just lift it right off, without even feeling it, and cast it away. That's how easily and simply "Gets-It" disposes of the corn nuisance.

"Gets-It," the unfailing, guaranteed, moneyback corn remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mf'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by

J. P. CURTIS
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE
ANDREW BOTTELSON

Musical Section Has Program.

The musical section of the Woman's club held their last meeting of this club year on Thursday evening. The program consisted of music by Scandinavian composers, as follows:

Paper, Scandinavian Music——Miss Edna Larson
Vocal Duet, "Last Night," by Kjerulf——Mrs. G. H. Halvorson
and——Miss Meta Kiland
Piano, (a) "Ich Liebe Dich,"
(b) "Menuetto," by Greig
(c) "Papillon,"——Mrs. Oscar Sponheim
Voice, Selected——Mrs. O. F. Mellby
Current Events——Mrs. C. A. Nason
Songs, (a) "Thou Art My Rest," Karl Collar
(b) I. "Heard the Gull," Christian Sinding——Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher
Piano Duet, Anitraz Dance from Peer Gynt's Suite——Miss Freida Mortenson
and——Miss Lillian Poppitz

Farm Labor Scarce.

A shortage of farm labor which may be as acute as that of 1918 and threatens to curtail food production on American farms, Secretary of Agriculture Meridith said in an appeal to the businessmen and college students to spend their vacations working on farms particularly as helpers in the harvest fields. The supply of farm labor is only 72 per cent of normal, carefully compiled, reports to the department indicate, as compared wth 84 per cent last year.

Notice.

All persons owning lots in Greenwood cemetery are hereby requested to have same put in presentable shape before Memorial Day. A number of the graves have fallen in and decorations are misplaced and broken on others. It is impossible to keep up the appearance of the cemetery if the people do not look after plots in which they are personally interested. By order of the Commission. a29

Mother Took Her Son From School

WAS WORRIED BECAUSE HE WAS FRAIL AND THIN—IS THE PICTURE OF HEALTH NOW

"I just wish I could tell every mother in Milwaukee about Tanlac, for it is simply wonderful what it has done for my boy," said Mrs. Bertha Krause, 1031 Pratt St., Milwaukee, Wis., while telling of the remarkable benefits her son derived from taking the medicine.

"Ever since Earl was ten years old," Mrs. Krause said, "he had been in poor health, and in spite of all I could do for him he got worse. He had awful sick headache spells nearly every day and they made him so faint and weak he would have to go to bed. His appetite was so poor that he ate practically nothing, and his stomach was so badly upset that he could hardly retain the little he did eat. He was almost continually nauseated and every morning he complained of a bad taste in his mouth. His nerves were badly unstrung and he was so restless he could not sleep well. He had a pain in his side so bad that he could not lie on that side. For a year and a half he was out of school and he got so weak and thin I worried over him all the time.

"One day he read about Tanlac himself and asked me to get him some. It was no time before he began to improve and now he really looks like a different boy entirely. His appetite is just fine and everything he eats agrees with him perfectly. The headaches have disappeared and he never complains of that pain in his side. His nerves are steady and normal and he is sleeping soundly every night. His face has filled out and he looks better and stronger in every way. I am more grateful to Tanlac than words can express, and I will always have a good word to say for it of what it has done for my son.

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

Articles of Incorporation of "Walker-Gesell Land Company."

Know All Men By These Presents, That we, the undersigned do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota and to that end do hereby subscribe the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be "WALKER-GESELL LAND COMPANY." The general nature of the business of this corporation shall be to buy, lease or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, sell, convey and generally deal in real and personal property, situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to loan money for itself and as agent for others upon notes, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness which shall be secured by mortgages upon real or personal property, or both, situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to act as agent in the leasing, letting, selling, buying, conveying and transferring of real and personal property; to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, exchange, hypothecate, sell and transfer mortgages, stocks, bonds, notes and other evidences of indebtedness; to act as agent in soliciting and placing fire insurance and other insurance, and in general this corporation shall have power to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, lease, sell, convey and transfer any and all property and property rights necessary, convenient or incident to the conducting of its business and shall possess any and all powers necessary, convenient or incident to the transaction of its business permitted by the laws of the State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The principal office and place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE III.

The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the 15th day of May, 1920, and shall continue thereafter for a period of thirty (30) years.

ARTICLE IV.

The amount of capital stoock of this corporation shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) and shall be divided into five hundred (500) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) per share and shall be paid in at such times and in such amounts and in such manner as the Board of Directors shall determine.

ARTICLE V.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be at any time subject shall be the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00).

ARTICLE VI.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows: Geo. W. Walker residence, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katherine Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

ARTICLE VII.

The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of three (3) Directors, all of which shall be elected annually by and from the stockholders of this corporation at the regular annual meeting thereof which shall be held at the principal office of this corporation in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the first Monday after the first Tuesday in January of each year and shall hold office for a term of one (1) year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The first Board of Directors shall be Geo. W. Walker, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katherine Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The officers of this corporation shall be a president, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be chosen annually by the Board of Directors from the stockholders for the term of one (1) year immediately after the annual meeting of the stockholders each year and such Board of Directors shall have such other officers or agents as the interests of this corporation shall from time to time demand. Any two of said offices, except those of President and Vice President may be held by the same person.

The first officers of this corporation shall be Lester E. Gesell, President; Katherine Gesell, Vice President; and Geo. W. Walker, Secretary and Treasurer, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors and until their successors are elected and qualified.

In Testimony Whereof, The said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 24th day of April, 1920.

GEO. W. WALKER (Seal)
LESTER E. GESELL (Seal)
KATHERINE GESELL (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of:
PERL W. MABEY,
ALICE ELGSTEN.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 24th day of April, 1920, before me a Notary Public within and for said County personally appeared Geo. W. Walker, Lester E. Gesell and Katherine Gesell to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing and annexed Articles of Incorporation, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

PERL W. MABEY,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires Nov. 28, 1924
(Notarial Seal.)

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 26 day of April, A. D. 1920 at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 711.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 27 day of April A. D., 1920, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in book "J" of Miscel. on page 16.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds,
By Gladys G. Anderson,
Deputy.

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Amusements

The Lyceum

LAST TIME TODAY

WILLIAM FARNUM
—in—
"Wolves of the Night"
and
Mack Sennett Comedy
"Up in Alf's Place"

Saturday

PAULINE FREDERICK
—in—
"The Peace of Roaring River"
A Romance in the heart of the West
And a Century Comedy
"Loose Lions and Lovers"

Sunday and Monday

THE RACING SPECIAL
"Checkers"
Matinee: 2:30

Tuesday & Wednesday

BRYANT WASHBURN
—in—
"The Six Best Cellars"
See Bryant Washburn in the Funniest Role of his life.
Matinee Wednesday: 3:30

The New Princess

FRIDAY

ALBERT RAY
and
ELINOR FAIR
—in—
"Tin Pan Alley"
A Musical duet in pictures.
Merit Comedy

SATURDAY

EDWARD EARLE
and
GLADYS HULETTE
—in—
"High Speed"
11th Chapter Smashing Barriers
"The Den of Deviltry"
Matinee: 2:30

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

MABEL NORMAND
—in—
"Upstairs"
A Ragtime Romance with Cupid at the Drums
Paramount Magazine
Matinee Sunday: 2:30

William Fox Presents the Greatest Racing Story in the World

"Checkers"

Thoroughbreds and high life intermingled with a basic drama of the human emotions.

Tense with life, action and abounding thrills

Atlas Educational
"Weekly"

Billy West Comedy
"Scented Romance"

THE LYCEUM

Sunday and Monday

Matinee Sunday, 2:30.

Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE
N. W. ¼ Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings on place. Write
J. PFEFFER
411 Torrey Bldg. Duluth, Minn.

FOR SALE—I have 20 acres 1 3-4 miles from Oslo, Florida; finest orange and grapefruit land; finest climate in the world. No winter, no bad storms. Plenty rain and sunshine. No crop failures. Can produce more on 20 acres there than 160 here; only 4 miles from ocean. Land selling now for $200 to $250 per acre, but will sell mine for $100 per acre if sold soon. May consider trade for city property.—J. L. Bean, City. 69p

GOING TO BREED BLACK Leghorns exclusively, I will sell my fine flock of White Wyandottes, 2 young cocks and about 25 hens. Also 1 drake and 10 ducks, White Mammoth Pekins at reasonable prices. My birds capture the Blue Ribbons wherever shown.—Geo. Leimers. 67tf

FOR SALE—My home at 933 Arnold Ave N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and ready for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, hot water heat, all rough in plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. M. Hothun.

EGGS FOR HATCHING FROM MY Blue Ribbon Stock, Black Leghorns. Most attractive chickens, heavy layers, easy keepers. White Wyandottes. Known for beauty as well as for utility. Mammoth Pekin Ducks. Very large snowwhite kind.—Geo. Leimers. 65tf

FOR SALE—At reasonable prices; Fordson tractor, plow, breaking plow, disc and harrow; all adpted for tractor. Good stump puller. All articles in first class condition and located at Holt, Minn. Address C. S. Holgren, New Richland, Minn. Box 66. 70

EVERBEARING Strawberry plants will be on the market next week. These plants are an improvement over the Progressives according to nursery reports. $3.00 for hundred; $1.75 for 50. Mrs. Alvina Lautenbach, over Palace Clothing house. 70p

FOR SALE—One 15-30 Titan Tractor; one J. I. Case threshing machine; one John Deere 24-in. breaking plow; one P & O 4-bottom plow. All practically new. Come and see them or write Box 66, Strandquist, Minn. 68p

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 66tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—One 1916 Oldsmobile Six, seven passenger, in first class condition. Electric lights; tires in good condition. Address Wm. L. Boyce, 404 7th Ave. S., Fargo, N. D. 69

FOR SALE CHEAP BY OWNER—Residence, (not modern), garage, splendid lot at 517 Knight Ave. N. Cash or terms. Write Cora E. Wold, Grand Forks, N. D., Box 220. 60tf

PUREBRED B. Plymouth Rock chicken eggs, per setting 60c. Leave orders at Benson's old stand or write to me.—Purebred Stock and Dairy Farm, C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR SALE—Lots 4, 5, 6, and 7, LaBree Ave. Lots 19 and 20 Main Ave. These have buildings on. Will sell at a sacrifice. Will consider trade for farm.—Geo. Leimers. 61tf

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Sec. 17-154-41, 2½ miles northwest from Mavie. Price $5,000.00 $500.00 down, balance in five years.—Chas. Radtke, Nerstrand, Minn. 71p

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at $11 per acre, 15 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric line. Inquire Times office or phone 4492. 65tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

160 ACRES UNIMPROVED LAND 6 miles to creamery, store and postoffice at a bargain. Will consider trade for good auto.—O. H. Nelson. Phone 441.

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FOR SALE—Overland touring car. Cheap if sold at once. Overhauled and painted. In fine shape throughout. $550.—E. L. Helgeland. 69

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bushel. Cleaned ready for seeding.—C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—Black Minorca eggs for hatching, $1.50 per setting of 15. Prize winners at county fair.—Phil Amon, 113 LaBree Ave. S. 69

FOR SALE—Threshing rig and engine complete. Will sell cheap. Also 10-20 gas tractor. Inquire Kotlan Bros., Mavie, Minn. 68pd

FOR SALE—John Deere 24 inch brush breaker plow, steel beam, $125. H. P. Nabben, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls. 68p

FOR SALE—Good 5-room house with wood shed. Five lots. On East Side by Fred Brandvold. Enquire at C. Gustafson & Son. 65tf

FOR SALE—A bargain; one seven room house, one barn and five 50-ft. lots. Enquire Mrs. Sandy Miller, 704 Conley Ave. S. 68p

FOR SALE—One nine room house and one five room house in Thief River Falls. Apply to Thos. H. Smith, Mavie, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Call at 108 Conley Ave. S. 68tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

UPLAND HAY FOR SALE—Between 12 and 15 tons. Located 12 miles west of city. Apply at 420 Knight Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—40 bushels of Marquis seed wheat. Tests 98.—Mrs. L. P. Brandrud, St. Hilaire, Minn. Route 1. 68p

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Modern residence, three corner lots, 120 Markley Ave. N. By Owner, 304 Riverside Ave. S. 69p

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition. Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—Month old pigs, full blood Duroc Jerseys.—O. Flattum, 522 North Main St., city. 68p

FOR SALE—The Hay residence, large modern house, 4 blocks from postoffice.—M. C. Burns. 68tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Stable and garage combined, and a toilet. Inquire Joe Johnson, 123 LaBree Ave. S. 60tf

FOR SALE—Tent, 14x16 feet, almost new. Cheap if taken at once. 420 Knight Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—A good 160 acres, $25 per acre. Enquire at Rocheleau & Fishers livery barn. 68

FOR SALE—Two purebred Holstein bulls, one big enough for service. C. Wiener, Rt., 3, city. 68tf

FOR SALE—150 bushels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Eight room house with two corner lots.—F. B. Newell, 322 Kendall Ave. S. 68p

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences at reasonable prices.—C. W. Vorachek. 67tf

FOR SALE—Set light driving harness.—Henry Wetmore, 208 Atlantic Ave. N 68p

FOR SALE—$1200.00 Case tractor, almost new. Will sell cheap—Address Times. 69p

FOR SALE—Young horse, cheap.—Mrs. C. H. Bartlett, North of Roundhouse. 68

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—House and six acres north of Roundhouse.—C. H. Bartlett. 72

FOR SALE—5-room house. Inquire Fred Holzknecht, 510 Riverside Ave. 69p

FOR SALE—Seed barley, 1918 crop. —Peter Anderson, 3 miles NE of city. 68p

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—6 room modern house. Phone 4841.—E. F. DeVeling. 69p

FOR SALE—9 room house at 604 Knight Ave. N. Call 4754. 70p

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. G. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 5 lots.—J. Weitrus. 71

HAY FOR SALE—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15 or $8.00 per hundred.—Thos. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 69p

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND —One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE—Lots 2 and 3 of Sec. 1-154-43, consisting of 124 acres. The above farm situated about 7 miles northeast of Thief River Falls, is for rent or sale. For particulars call at First National Bank, Thief River Falls, Minn. 68

FOR RENT—One-half crop plan, SE¼ Sec. 7 and SW¼ Sec. 8, Kratka. Owner to furnish seed and pay one-half twine and thresh bill. Communicate with W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

THREE MODERN ROOMS for rent. Furnished complete for light housekeeping, or rent single rooms furnished for rooming. 309 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 3761. 69p

FOR RENT—160 acres with good buildings; near market. Call at office of John Bratrud. 61tf

Help Wanted—Male

WE ARE LOOKING FOR A PARTY to represent us in Pennington county with headquarters in Thief River Falls, selling a nationally advertised household necessity direct to the homes. We offer a wonderful opportunity for a live energetic person to own a business of his own. Promotion guaranteed. Write, WHITEHEAD SALES CO., 410 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota. 69

WANTED—Man with team or auto, who can give bond to sell 137 Watkins home and farm products. Biggest concern of kind in world. $1500 to $5,000 yearly income. Territory in this county open. Write today, J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 112 Winona, Minn. 68p

WANTED — Experienced man as bookkeeper and for general office work.—Kiewel Brewing Co. 69

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girls for general housework on farm. Wages $6.00 per week. Lind Bros., St. Hilaire. 71p

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework or school girl.—409 Knight Ave. N. 67

WANTED—Scandinavian girl for general house work.—The Times. 69p

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 120 Markley Ave. N. 68tf

MISCELLANEOUS

FIRST-CLASS HAIRDRESSING and shampooing with soft water. Shampoo, 75c, with dressing, $1; special dressing, 50c; scalp treatment, 75c; manicuring, 50c; facial massage, $1. Six dollars worth for $5. Phone 502 for appointment. 70

WANTED TO RENT—5 or 6 room house. Will take 6 months or year lease. Need not be modern. Enquire at Times. 69p

FREE SAND FOR FILLING purposes may be had at the premises of J. H. McClelland, 314 Conley Ave. S. 68

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

WANTED—To buy old bicycle frame in good condition. Phone 2292. 68p

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Dr. Werntz to Speak at I. O. O. F. Meeting

GRAND MARSHAL OF ORDER WILL BE HERE NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

The members of Lone Pine Odd Fellows lodge are making preparation for a big meeting next Monday evening when Dr. J. O. Werntz, grand marshal of the state, will be here for the purpose of delivering an address.

This event is in commemoration of the one hundred and first anniversary of the order and is being made an important occasion all over the country. All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and their families are expected to be present and may invite such guests as they believe intrested in the work of the order.

Dr. J. O. WERNTZ

Dr. Werntz is one of the best speakers in the lodge and the members are looking forward to an evening of both profit and enjoyment.

Congress Approves Bridge at Red Lake

SUPERINTENDENT INSTRUCTED TO GO AHEAD WITH CONSTRUCTION

Representative Harold Knutson has received a letter from the Indian bureau, stating that plans for the proposed bridge at the outlet of Red lake, on the Red Lake reservation, have been approved and the superintendent has been instructed to proceed with its construction.

Plans for the construction of roads on the reservation during the current season have been approved, involving an expenditure of about $10,000.

A similar amount will be expended for road work in the next fiscal year, and the superintendent has been asked to submit plans for the work, so that it may be commenced July 1, when funds become available.

Lutherans to Help Europe's Starving

REV. GRIMSRUD IS CHAIRMAN OF CAMPAIGN IN PENNINGTON COUNTY

To meet Minnesota's quota of $228,000 in the intensive campaign for $1,800,000 among the Lutherans in the United States for the suffering, famine-stricken and destitute Lutherans in 15 different countries in Europe, every county in the state is being organized and county chairmen named to head the work.

The chairman in charge of this work in this county is Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire, and each congregation will be reached from headquarters, 501 West hotel, Minneapolis, through the congregational secretaries.

More than 50 counties of the state are already organized, and preliminary work locally being done to launch a successful drive May 9th to May 16th. "Lutherans in Minnesota and America have never before been confronted with such immense responsibilities," said Rev. G. Keller Rubrecht of Minneapolis, president of the synod of the Northwest, who is state director of the campaign, at the first meeting of state workers in Minneapolis last week, in his opening address, charging Minnesota Lutherans with the duty to meet the appalling conditions abroad. "Minnesota and America were never so wealthy as they are today. Europe was never, not even during the years of war, so poverty stricken and helpless. Even the terms of the peace treaty makes us peculiarily responsible for our brethren over there. The cry of millions of starving children alone must break the dear hearts to liberal response."

Goes to Grand Forks.

H. Mayne Stanton, who since his return from the army has been secretary of the Civic and Commerce association of Bemidji, has resigned and accepted a similar post with the Commercial club of Grand Forks, entering upon his duties on May 15. Mr. Stanton has been one of the most consistent and tireless of the Bemidji boosters and will be greatly missed The job he assumes will give a somewhat larger field for his talents, however, and advancement is the order of the day.

Ribbon Social.

There will be a ribbon social at the Swenslie school house, district number 135, 3 miles west of the city on the Jefferson highway, Saturday evening, May 1. Girls bring ribbons and lunch for two. Everybody invited.

THE REASON WHY

There are many reasons WHY clothes will be UP in price again this coming season—host of them are *very good reasons indeed.*

The Princess Theatre has a surprise for its audience this week—a compelling and very worthy reason why men are paying good prices for clothes. Incidentally it is a reason which every good American will be proud to know of.

Through the Oen Mercantile Co., proprietor of The House of Kuppenheimer here and John Brumund of the Princess a short photoplay scenario with a powerful punch has been filmed entitled THE REASON WHY. It is running on this week's bill—be sure and see it.

Briefly here is its story—A young alert chap is about to accept a new and important position where clothes appearance counts a great deal. He goes with his father to select a smart and serviceable suit. The price is a little more than he paid for his last suit and like all alert young men of today he asks WHY—and is shown the answer, which is the surprise of the photoplay. The young man is thoroughly satisfied and proud that the making of KUPPENHEIMER clothes is different than the old time way all ready-to-wear clothes used to be made. He is not the kind of a fellow who wants to profit at the expense and the suffering of others—he is a thoroughly 100 percent American.

Aside from giving a graphic reason for the increase in the cost of clothes the picture also accents the value of good clothes appearance—the importance of wearing clothes that have real style and right fit. a29

The Public Forum

Our Public Schools.

Our public schools can be improved very much in one particular line, namely, the living conditions for teachers.

I shall begin with the Rural Schools.

Our beloved country has made no development along this line the last 50 years. Searching thru the storehouse of my memory back to 50 years ago, I can find no other line of human activity where development has been at a stand-still. It happened that we had a man teacher 50 years ago, but the percentage is steadily decreasing.

Our public schools have been depending on the good and untiring service of women teachers, but it can be figured out by mathematics that we will continue to have too few teachers if we shall continue to depend on the supply from our women friends. The young women are now getting to be just as good business managers as men, and it is getting to be the custom to pay them the same wages as men. Consequently women will more and more be drawn into business life.

The steadily increasing demand from our state educational department for more years of education for teachers will in a large measure decrease the number of students for the teaching profession, for the simple reason, that a good training for business life can be obtained for about half the expense and half of the time it takes to become an acceptable teacher. It is only by the divinely *imbued inclination of the female sex* to live among and to care for the feeble and young folks of our race that we have so many more women teachers than men. But this very same blessed inclination also takes the young women out of the teaching profession and into homes of their own, as a rule, after only a few years of teaching, and their average years of teaching are but few. We see, then, that the forces that tend to draw young women out of the teaching profession are from two directions, namely, Business life and Home life.

The force that tends to draw the young men out of the teaching profession need be only from one of these lines, namely Business life. If we establish Teachers' Homes right by the school house and let teachers live there with their family the whole year free of charge, and if we add about 10 acres to the school grounds and make of these acres a little teacher's farm on which could be kept one or two milch cows, etc., and let teachers care for this little farm his own way and to his best advantage during his summer vacation, free of charge, we shall soon have a great number of men teachers who have chosen teaching as their life profession.

Anyone can easily see that such a teacher's home right by the school house if properly cared for would be equivalent to several hundred dollars to the teacher. Anyone that knows something about human nature can judge that many young men would prefer a free life during the summer months on such a teacher's home to being tied up indoors in many other occupations.

The modern auto, and telephone would take away the feeling of loneliness and the teacher and his family would have the great advantage of an out-door life during summer. In these times of tuberculosis an outdoor life during summer is to be coveted.

The Minnesota Health Journal for April 8 has a table showing percentage of deaths from tuberculosis out of every 100,000. Out of 53 different lines of occupation the man on the farm stands next safest against tuberculosis. This fact alone ought to increase the interest for rural life. The rural school teacher should be interested in rural life and should be able to interest the children in the science of producing the precious fruits of the earth. By having a little farm to attend to he would naturally become an able teacher in this much needed branch of study.

But I must write one more article on Rural Schools.

A. K. LOCKREM.

WANTED!

FARMS FOR SALE

I have arranged to take care of the local business of Peterson-Lundgren Land Agency of Moline, Illinois. This firm sold large areas around here last year and has many more prospects anxious to buy. If you care to dispose of your land, wild or improved, write or call for information.

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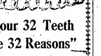

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It is only a question of time until the renters in Thief River Falls and other nearby towns will be up against the same thing. Houses are scarce and the owners may be justified in demanding a higher return. There is one way in which you can beat this game—

Own Your Home

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CEMENT NOT SPECIFIED

Those who find fault with the hard surface road program of the State Highway commission base their objection principally on the mistaken notion that the passage of Amendment No. 1 will mean the paving of these roads with cement. They not only object to the material itself but also to the enterprise as a whole, stating that it will mean a few miles of excellent roads near the large cities and nothing for the rest of the state. Furthermore, they are of the opinion that roads entirely satisfactory and much cheaper can be built and the money derived from the tax on automobiles thus be made to stretch over a much larger territory.

To some extent their opposition is not without merit, but when they go so far as to advocate the rejection of Amendment No. 1 because of it they are certainly making a mistake. There is nothing in the proposed law that makes it incumbent on the commission to employ cement, or even to pave, for that matter. The law itself simply establishes the routes and provides the means for paying for the roads later on, no matter how these may be constructed. As to this latter matter, the legislature would have to decide.

It may be found that actual paving of the highways is not feasible. The high cost may serve to make this impracticable and the greater speed with which a larger area can be served by substituting gravel may convince the lawmakers that the latter plan is best. This would do away with the objections voiced against cement on so many sides. It might leave the counties that have already voted to issue bonds for paving in a rather difficult position, but the remainder of the state can not be expected to follow their lead if it is proven to be to their disadvantage.

The trouble is that by defeating Amendment No. 1 the people would be de depriving themselves of any road program whatever, other than the makeshift now in force. This they do not wish to do and would gladly endorse the proposition if assured that all sections of the state would be treated alike. As the matter now appears to many the law simply gives them an opportunity to help pave the main highways in the state—say one between the twin cities and head of the lakes and a couple more in the southern section—leaving the less populous districts to wallow in the mud for years, during all of which time they would be helping pay for pavement that is of no benefit to them. Quit emphasizing this cement paving proposition and a large part of the opposition will disappear.

THEY HAVE ANOTHER GUESS

The one hundred and sixty-two senators and representatives who are planning a junketing trip to the Orient at the expense of the government had better stick around awhile and maybe they will change their minds. The cost of this trip is vaguely placed at "hundreds of thousands of dollars," while as far as can be learned its value to the country will be nil.

Treasury officials are estimating the current year deficit in the government revenue by the billions of dollars and warnings of greater economy are being sounded from every direction. Public enterprises of great importance are halted because there is no money in sight with which to carry them on. The tax burden is causing murmurs of discontent everywhere. In spite of these things a lot of peoples' representatives consider the time proper for a long and useless journey "at government expense."

The trip is to be made on army transports, according to the information given out. This plan was undoubtedly adopted because it is the most expensive.

WHEAT BADLY NEEDED

The backward spring is liable to curtail the amount of acreage devoted to wheat in this section much beyond the point that would have been reached had the season been normal. Under ordinary circumstances the fact that less wheat than usual was being planted would be a cause for congratulation rather than the opposite, but conditions make things very much different this year.

There is an alarming shortage in the winter wheat crop and a scarcity will be the probability even with an increased acreage of spring wheat. As matters now stand large numbers of farmers who had decided to cut down on wheat and devote their land to other crops may change their minds and go in more heavily than ever for the more popular grain. They are practically assured of a good price even though the government guarantees have been removed and it is also probable that many will take the world-need into consideration and do what they can toward relieving the situation. Certain it is that unless the program is changed the food outlook will be worse instead of better.

Seeding has been somewhat retarded in this neighborhood by the late spring, but there is still time to plant wheat with every hope of its coming out all right. Men who have farmed here for years say that some of their best crops have been secured from seed planted after the first of May. The delay should not therefore be urged as an argument against going into wheat to the same extent as in previous years.

The government's request is that wheat—more wheat—be planted. Everything indicates that this will prove good advice.

RETAIN THE OLD NAME

It is only a matter of sentiment, of course, but even at that the subject is worth considering for a moment.

A modern building is to be erected on the site of the present Knox school on the East Side and it has been suggested that the name be changed to something different from the one now used.

There is much opposition to this, particularly among the old-timers. *The present name to them represents* something. It recalls a period in the history of the city when the building of school houses was not such an easy matter as it seems to be at present. They remember the time when such enterprise could only be entered upon providing all the people were willing to forego something in order to make its consummation possible. Every detail connected in any manner with the construction and equiping of this particular school is still fresh in their memory and they wish to have a voice in this matter of changing names.

When a school building was first needed on the East Side the district had no money with which to provide one. In order to lighten the burden on the taxpayers Charles J. Knox, at that time a resident of Thief River Falls and the owner of considerable property in the neighborhood, donated the site of the present Knox school. He did not attach a solitary condition to his gift and the naming of the building after him was an act of his fellow citizens who simply wished in this manner to voice their appreciation of his generosity.

A fine school building, such as the Knox was at that time considered, would not be complete without a bell in the little steeple adorning the entrance. This meant the outlay of more money and the school trustees hardly felt themself justified in providing it. Again Mr. Knox came to the rescue. He offered to raffle off one of the lots owned by him on the East Side, the proceeds to go towards the purchase of a bell. E. K. Aasen, still a resident of the city, won the lot. He has perhaps forgotten its exact location and only remembers that the raffle brought in money enough to provide the desired bell.

People on the East Side were proud of the Knox. It was a model school at the time of its erection and every man and woman in the city had in some manner contributed toward its attaining this distinction. Mr. Knox was given much credit at the time and no one has arisen since to maintain that he was not entitled to it.

What the old-timers now wish to know is this: Why should the new building be given a name that signifies nothing in particular instead of being permited to retain the one around which so many fond memories linger?

A SPASM IN OVERALLS

The statement is made that the fad of wearing overalls has already had the effect of bringing down the price of clothing in cities of the East. If such is the case it has certainly served a good purpose.

Up to the present time, however, the movement has scarcely assumed proportions which entitle it to be regarded as more than a fad—and a passing fad at that. If it continues to grow it is bound to bring down the cost of the higher grade clothing materials—but that is not all it will do.

Laboring men have entered a strong and rather well-taken protest against the thing being carried any farther. They say that even as matters now stand they are compelled to pay about $7 for a suit of overalls worth half that sum, and that if this thing continues it will mean still greater advances. These men are not wearing overalls as a protest against the high cost of other kinds of clothing, but because it is the only material suitable to their purpose. Farmers are in the same fix exactly and do not view the new movement with unmixed enthusiasm.

Economy in buying clothing is all right and should be practiced along with economy in other lines. The trouble is that the overall movement simply provides another opportunity for needless expense, at the same time adding to the burden of those who must buy this particular class of goods. The man who allows a fairly serviceable suit of clothes to hang in a closet and buys himself a suit of overalls for $7 is not helping lower the cost of living. If he did not buy the overalls he would in all likelihood not have bought anything at all in the line of wearing apparel for the simple reason that he did not need it. He has simply aided by one suit in raising the cost to the man who must have one like it and bought seven dollars' worth of something he did not need.

Would it not have been a much more sensible idea to start a movement having for its purpose the wearing of the clothes one already has until these are past serving their purpose? We are all more or less wasteful in this respect and the saving that might be effected if all would wear their clothes a little longer would make a greater difference in the demand for high-class goods than all the overall movements that can be introduced and would not unnecessarily boost the price of the latter class of garments.

Make a patch on the county seat of a man's trousers a sort of badge of honor and see if the result is not much more satisfactory.

MAYBE THIS MEANS YOU

Just why it is that certain autoists consider it necessary to run past a church with their cut-out wide open on Sunday morning when services are being conducted is something that is a little hard to understand. That such is the practice will be admitted by all those who do not own an automobile and consequently go to church on Sunday morning.

The practice should be stopped. Drivers should stop it voluntarily as it shows an unconcern for the feelings of others that is certainly not creditable. No doubt thoughtlessness is to blame in most instances but this does not excuse the practice. Where there is no such mitigating circumstances there should be an ordinance that would make it a misdemeanor.

Just the least bit of consideration for the rights of your neighbor, however, will be all that is necessary.

Martin Stokke.

Martin Stokke died at his home near Germantown on Sunday following a two weeks' illness. The deceased was born in Crookston on May 5, 1883, at which place he lived with his parents until he was 21 years old. He then homesteaded at Malcolm for 17 years, later moving to Germantown where he acted as postmaster for two years. His later years were spent in farming in the vicinity of Germantown. In 1912 he was married to Miss Betsey Larson of Germantown and to this union were born three children all of whom survive. Funeral services were held from the Trinity Lutheran church on Thursday afternoon. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery.

Republican Primaries.

There will be held a Republican Primary Election in the different precincts of the county, on the first day of May, between the hours of two and nine P. M., for the election of delegates to a County Convention to be held in the city of Thief River Falls, on Wednesday the 5th day of May, when delegates will be chosen to the State Convention, to be held in the city of St. Paul on the eighth day of May.

The basis of representation for precinct and county will be the same as for the Presidential primary. Women are entitled to participate fully in the primaries and convention. The delegates present from the different precincts will co-operate with the present chairman of the woman voters, Miss Effie Hamry, for the selection of women chairman for the different precincts, where such selection has not already been made. Representation from every precinct in the county is urgently requested.

(Signed) D. P. O'NEILL,
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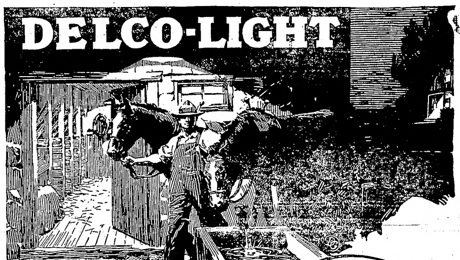

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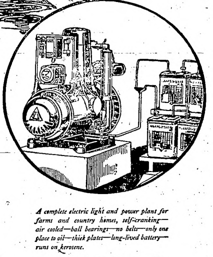

A complete electric light and power plant for farms and country homes, self-cranking—air cooled—ball bearings—no belts—only one place to oil—thick plates—long-lived battery—runs on kerosene.

Valve-in-Head Motor.

Over
100,000
Satisfied Users

Manufactured by
DELCO-LIGHT COMPANY, Dayton, Ohio

There's a Satisfied User Near You

The Reason Why the leading grocers of Thief River Falls offer for sale NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY'S products, is because they thoroughly believe that a line which has always stood for the high standard of quality that this line has, will give their customers the best that money can buy, and the satisfaction which results in goods containing only the best of raw materials. NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY uses no substitutes such as lard compound, butterine, egg seconds, skim milk, etc., in the manufacture of its goods. But the use of highest grade flour, fresh creamery butter, strictly fresh eggs, leaf lard, sweet milk, fancy New Orleans molasses, and pure spices, is a policy that is strictly adhered to. Above all **Uneeda Biscuit**

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We Specialize on

National
Biscuit
Company's
Products

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Peoples Co-Operative Store Co., Inc.

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GINGER SNAPS

The best bite you ever had

QUALITY GROCERIES

We want to sell you your Groceries for a good business reason: You will SAVE MONEY if we do; because the WAY UP Quality of the Groceries that you get from us *will always satisfy. It will also pay you to deal with us* because OUR'S is the store where the HUSTLE is. This means that we sell our GOODS so fast they can't have time to grow STALE. YOU WANT FRESH GROCERIES, DON'T YOU? You get them from us. Our auto free delivery service is the best in town. South and East in the forenoon, North and West in the afternoon. No limit on orders—large or small. Try our Groceries.

Uneeda Biscuit

and Other Good Groceries

We Have Them

Bredeson & Co.

Phone 109

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Fill Your Market Basket

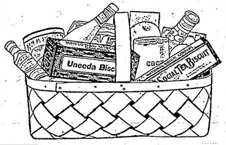

Specials For Saturday

Last Chance for Johnath • Apples, at per box	$2.95
10 Bars White Soap, (only 10 bars to customer) at	.70c
10 Bars Dark Laundry Soap, (only 10 bars to customer) at	.60c
50c Bulk Coffee, Special at per lb	.46c
Cranberries, while they last, per lb	.05c
Cookies—Cookies, Special, per lb.	.28c
Herring—Fancy Herring, 10 lb. pails only, per pail	$1.38
Tomatoes, Best Brand, (only 4 cans to each customer) 4 cans for	.89c
Corn, No. 1 Standard Brand (only 5 cans to customer) 5 cans for	.91c
MEAT SPECIALS	
Beef Chuck Roasts, per lb	.21c
Beef Rib Roasts, per lb.	.22c
Short Ribs of Beef, per lb.	.18c
Home Made Minced Ham, per lb.	.23c
Home Made Bologna, per lb.	.21c
Home Made Liver Sausage, per lb.	.20c
Home Rendered Lard, per lb.	.23c
Pickled Barrel Pork, per lb.	.24c

We have other bargains too numerous to mention. Come in and see for yourself. We also have sugar and potatoes—and always a fresh line of greens, vegetables and berries for your Sunday dinner.

MR. FARMER: Bring your produce, such as butter, eggs, poultry and stock to us; it will pay you. We pay the highest cash prices. Come in and see us and be convinced.

FREE DELIVERY SERVICE—USE IT
Phone No. 115

SIMONSON'S
FANCY MEAT AND GROCERY

Your Telephone Order for

Uneeda Biscuit

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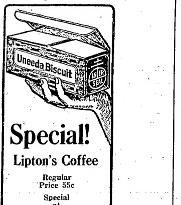

Special!

Lipton's Coffee

Regular Price 55c

Special at

47c

Carl Christofferson & Company

ZELLMER'S
EAST SIDE STORE

Where the children do the shopping

Fresh supply of
National Biscuit Co.'s Products
Always on hand. Let the little tots have their pick.

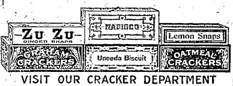

VISIT OUR CRACKER DEPARTMENT

City Meat Market

Good Meats and Best of Eats

Let National Biscuit Company Do Your Baking. We are prepared to supply you with these fine cakes.

Uneeda Biscuit

Sandum's

Saturday Specials!

Coffee, per lb.	40c 45c 50c
Laundry Soap, per bar	5c
25c Jap Rice, per lb.	20c
$12.00 Ladies' Dress Shoes, per pair	$9.00
35c Apron Gingham, per yard	25c

Gilbert Sandum
General Merchandise

To the Public:

Just one year ago we opened our present quarters for the approval of our people. The patronage we have received has been a great source of satisfaction to us. We know that our efforts to please the public are appreciated. Our policy will continue to be "the public be pleased."

Store Open Until 9 P. M. Evenings

MOGENSEN'S ANNIVERSARY SALE! 8 Days Only

Commencing Friday, pril 3Oth, at 9 A. M.

we will celebrate the end of our first year in our new store and the h year of successful merchandising in Thief River Falls by giving to our many friends and patrons a sale of real [illegible] grade merchandise at greatly reduced prices.

Profits Forgotten FOR EIGHT DAYS ONLY, Commenc g Friday, April 30th, and Ending Saturday, May 8th.

Be on hand Friday morning at 9 A. M. Stock will be arranged for quick selling, prices marked in plain figures. lothing, Shoes, Underwear, Hosiery, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Raincoats, Overalls and Jackets, Pants, Boys' Suits, Shirts, Neckwear, Handkerchiefs. Suspenders, in fact everything for men and boys to wear. Come to this sale pecting real savings. You will not be disappointed. All sales STRICTLY FOR CASH. Money back if not satisfied with your purchase. Many articles c sale not mentioned in this advertisement.

The whole store a sea of bargains for men and boys.

There are no goods but our regular stock in this sale. They are of first class makes and will satisfy you.

Men's Shirts

One lot of men's fine Shirts, 2.50 and 3.00 values, each 1.85	Men's Extra Good Khaki colored Work Shirts with two pockets $2.00 value, each 1.45
WORK SHIRTS each 1.29	Black Sateen Work Shirts, 2.50 value, each 1.85

Silk Shirts greatly reduced in price.

Boys' Suits

Our entire stock of Boys' Suits---a good assortment and plenty to choose from, sizes 3 to 18, knee pants style. The quality is of the best. About 100 Suits to choose from.

$10 Suits	7.95	$8 Suits	6.45
$12 Suits	9.85	$7 Suits	5.95
$14 Suits	11.45	$6 Suits	4.45
$15 Suits	11.95	$5 Suits	3.65
$20 Suits	16.45		

MEN'S C OTHING

Our entire stock of men's Suits ON SALE FOR 8 AYS ONLY. Our Suits are of the best makes known. We have a large and complete selection to c se from. We guarantee perfect fit and satisfaction or money back. Single breasted, double breaste elt around, in fact almost any style you may wish. There is one thing sure---we will satisfy yo

Every suit bears the present s ice marked in plain figures.

Sale prices a follows:

Former Price	Sale Price	Former Price	Sale Price	Former Price	Sale Price
$25.00 Suits	18.75	$45.00 Suits	36.50	$65.00 Suits	54.50
$30.00 Suits	23.50	$50.00 Suits	39.50	$70.00 Suits	59.50
$35.00 Suits	28.50	$55.00 Suits	46.50	$75.00 Suits	63.50
$40.00 Suits	32.50	$60.00 Suits	49.50	$80.00 Suits	68.50

AFTER four years of successful business in this city, the people have learned to know the quality of merchandise this store handles.

This is not a sale of a few items, it is a sale of our entire stock and while it is impossible to go through and mark every article over, we will make special reductions on any article priced regularly over $1. We will satisfy you.

Hosiery

One lot of extra fine BLACK "Streetwear" men's Hose, 50c values, now, per pair ---------- 35c

All sizes 9 1-2 to 12.

Handkerchiefs

Men's fancy fine woven Handkerchiefs, 35c value, each ---------- 27c

Four for a dollar

INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, 3 in a box, 1.25 value ---------- 85c Box of Three

Hats and Caps

All our new stock included.

HATS		CAPS	
$12 Hats	9.95	$1.50 Caps	1.29
$10 Hats	7.95	$2.00 Caps	1.65
$8 Hats	6 45	$2.50 Caps	1.95
$7 Hats	5.95	$3.00 Caps	2.35
$6 Hats	4.95	$3.50 Caps	2.75
$5 Hats	3.95	$4.00 Caps	2.95
$4 Hats	3.25	$4.50 Caps	3.25
		$5.00 Caps	3.50
		$6.00 Caps	4.50

Overalls

"HEADLIGHT" Overalls, and Jackets, BEST QUALITY
FOR ONE HOUR ONLY,
9 to 10 A. M., FRIDAY
$2.65 each garment

COMBINATION SUITS

Conden "Service" Suits, "Alloveralls" and "Leo Unionalls" At Reduced Prices

Rain Coats and Slip-on Coats

10 men's fine trench style Coats, regular $18 value now $12.95

Auto Coats

$18.50 Auto Coats $14.95 $22.50 Auto Coats $17.95

ne Lot Men's Light Colored Suits

few dark colored ones, worth 5.00 and 35.00, your choice, r suit ---------- $18.95

Sizes 34 to 38 only

Men's Underwear

Men's fine Spring Needle Uion Suits, long or short sleeves, $2.50 values, suit ---------- 1.95

2-Piece Ballbriggan Underwear, Shirts or Drawers, each ---------- 85c

NIGHT SHIRTS and PAJAMAS

$2.00 Men's Night Shirts ---------- 1.65

$2.50 Men's Night Shirts ---------- 1.95

$3.00 Pajamas, Now ---------- 2.35

Suspenders / Belts

Suspenders		Belts	
60c Suspenders	45c	50c Belts	39c
75c Suspenders	55c	75c Belts	55c
$1.00 Suspenders	79c	$1.00 Belts	75c
$1.25 Suspenders	95c	$1.50 Belts	1.15
$1.50 Suspenders	1.19	$2.00 Belts	1.45
$2.00 Suspenders	1.49		

Garters, 29c each pair.

Shoes Shoes hoes Shoes

AN AVALANCHE OF ME S AND BOYS' SHOES.

About 1,000 pairs of men's and boys' Shoes to be sold at eatly reduced prices. These are real leather Shoes.

$10 Men's Dress Shoes Now, Pair $7.95	$12 Men's Dress Shoes Now, Pair $8.95	$1 Men's Dr Shoes Now, $10	$15 Men's Extra Fine Dress Shoes. Two-tone Style. Extra Special $10.95	EDMOND'S Foot Fitter Shoes $12 Value, pair $9.95

These are all genuine reductic rom regular selling price.

Spring xfords

Our stock of men's fine Oxfords, consisting of all our n arrivals, about 75 pair in a number of styles and leathers. Regular selli rice $12.50 and $15.

$12.50 Oxfords now . . . $10.45 5.00 Oxfords now . . . $11.75

Boys' Blouses

One lot of about 20 dozen boys' fine Blouses, "Kaynee" and "Ideal," each 98c	A lot of 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50 "Kaynee" Blouses, each 1.29

"Little Major" Suits, 2 to 8 . . $1.69 suit

EXTRA

Special Shoe Value

One lot of odd pairs of Shoes, sizes 6 to 11; $7, $8 and $9 shoes, choice

$4.85 per pair

EXTRA

SPECIAL

12 inch High Cut Work Shoe, $10 value, Sizes 6 to 11

$6.45 per pair

Neckwear	Wash Suits
at reduced prices	for boys 25 per cent off

Gloves

3.50 Auto Gloves, "Grinnell" make, pair ---------- 2.75

All kinds of Work Gloves at reduced prices.

Remember

our shoes are all of high grade manufacture and every pair guaranteed to give satisfaction or your money back.

10 Per Cent	10 Per Cent
discount on all Men's Pants	off on all Trunks and Bags

Army style Shoes for Boys	Tennis Shoes for Boys
$3.95 pair	$1.15 pair

Many other bargains in Boys' Shoes

Every reduction is a real one and is made for

8 Days Only

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLO HIER
F RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
"If it comes fro ogensen's it must be good."

All Sales Strictly Cash

For Eight Days

TAX ON INCOME ONLY EQUITABLE PLAN YET FOUND

TAX EXPERT HERE URGES ADOPTION OF CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

TOTAL TAX LEVY FOR YEAR IN COUNTY INCREASED BY $70,770

PREDICTS FUTURE WILL SEE NO DECREASE IN PUBLIC EXPENDITURES

The Assessors' meeting for Pennington County was held at the court house last week. Nearly all of the assessors of the county were in attendance.

H. B. Bacon, chief clerk of the Minnesota Tax commission, spoke on the duties of the assessors, explaining the assessment laws and answering questions relating to the duties of the assessor in his work of valuing real and personal property.

In his talk Mr. Bacon said: "The public has the right to expect and should demand of every person elected to any public office, the full, fair and impartial discharge of the duties of his office, to the very limit of his ability.

"This applies to the office of the assessor, which while too often thought unimportant, is the real foundation upon which the whole administration of the general property tax rests. It is, in fact, one of the most important and difficult of all of the minor public offices, for upon the fairness of the work of the assessor depends the fairness of the distribution of the tax burden.

"There was more than $92,000,000 spread on the tax list of the state in 1919, and the justice with which this great sum is supportioned among the tax payers of the state depends entirely upon the foundation furnished by the assessor. Inequality in assessment means inequality in taxation, and the omission of any taxable property from the assessment roll, an added burden to the honest tax payer, and works an injustice to the person of moderate means and in favor of the prosperous citizen.

"Taxes have increased in every county in the state, and in Pennington county in about the same proportion as in other counties.

"In 1918 the total levy for the county was $240,934, and in 1919 this was increased to $311,713, and the average tax rate from 48.7 mills in 1918 to 61.3 mills in 1919.

"This increase, however, should give the assessor no concern. He is no more responsible for the increase in the tax than any other citizen in his district, but upon him rests the duty of making the burden fair for each tax payer in his district. He can do this only by placing on the assessment roll all of the taxable property of his district and valuing such property in accordance with the standard fixed by law. This is the best service he can render to the people who have elected him.

"It is not likely that there will be any decrease in expenditures. It is more likely to increase, and because of the increase, some new source of revenue should be provided.

"An amendment to the constitution has therefore been submitted to the people for adoption at the next general election to be held in November of this year, giving the legislature wider powers in exempting, in whole or in part, certain kinds or classes of personal property from taxation and giving them power to impose a tax on incomes privileges and occupations.

"This amendment, if adopted, provides that the legislature may exempt from taxation, household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools implements and machinery, and all real and personal property owned by the county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs.

"It provides for taxes on incomes, privileges and occupations, which taxes may be graduated and progressive, and for the exemption from taxation of a reasonable amount of income, and finally that such taxes may be in lieu of taxes on any class or classes of personal property as the legislature may determine.

"The assessors should carefully study this law and if it meets with their approval, call the attention of the tax payers to the importance of the amendment.

"In Wisconsin, where an income tax law has been in successful operation for some years, the revenue amounted to $11,784,000 in 1918 and in 1919 the tax assessed against incomes amounted to $20,988,000, giving only a little more than 2 per cent of which was directly paid by farmers.

"It is altogether likely that the return from such tax would be as great if it did not exceed the revenue derived from this form of tax in Wisconsin.

"When you take into consideration the very great increase in the tax during the past few years and the probable demands for increased revenues in the future, it would seem that the best source may be found in the adoption of the income tax amendment."

Stephens For Governor?

H. B. Crozier, political writer for the St. Paul Pioneer Press and Dispatch, announces through the columns of these papers that A. D Stephens of Crookston is figuring on entering the Republican elimination convention which will select the candidates of the party for governor. The announcement caused considerable surprise in this section of the state, where Mr. Stephens has more friends than in any other part, no one having imagined that he entertained ambitions in that direction.

The candidates, declared and receptive, now line up as follows: Julius A. Schmahl, S. G. Iverson, J. A O. Preus, L. A. Fritsche, M. J. Dowling, Thomas Keefe, W. F. Schilling, W. I Nolan, Thomas Frankson, F. E. Hadley, A. D. Stephens.

Prizes For Finders of Misspelled Word

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY EMPLOYS NOVEL MEANS IN ADVERTISING

In another part of The Times today will be found a joint advertisement of the dealers in Thief River Falls who handle the products of the National Biscuit company. In order to add to the interest of these advertisements one word has been purposely misspelled and the first three persons finding this error and bringing the paper to the merchant in whose advertisement the error appears will be awarded the following prizes:

First prize, 12 packages of Uneeda Biscuit.

Second prize, one barrel of ginger snaps.

Third prize, one barrel of ginger snaps.

This advertisement should be read over carefully as there may be more than one error.

Persons in any way connected with The Times are barred from participating in this contest.

Again Tell Farmers of Wheat Shortage

NEED OF LARGE CROP OF SPRING VARIETY IS VERY URGENT

Reports from the spring wheat regions of a plan for reduced acreage this year caused the department of agriculture to issue a statement last week urging farmers to revise their planting plans. Weather conditions and a shortage of farm labor have affected the planting but statistics presented by the department advised increased production because of the poor condition of the winter crop and the continued world demand for wheat.

The normal requirements for consumption and export are about 800,000,000 bushels. Of this amount only 483,617,000 bushels is indicated from the winter wheat this year. The world demand, it was pointed out, will be as great as usual and none can be expected from Australia because of a poor wheat year, and the disorganized transportation conditions makes it improbable the movement of the 55,000,000 bushels Russia has announced she will have ready for export.

It was pointed out that the estimated 483,617,000 bushels of winter wheat may be even less because of winter killed fields and indications that the Hessian fly will be unusually active through large areas. The grasshopper menace, the statement also said, is serious in large parts of great plains belt.

Maria Sanford Dead.

Dr. Maria Sanford, professor emeritus of the University of Minnesota and one of the best-known women in the United States, was found dead in her bed at the home of Senator Knute Nelson in Washington last Wednesday morning. She was 83 years of age and had gone to Washington for the purpose of attending the annual session of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Heart disease was given as the cause of her demise.

The women of the state will particularly mourn the death of Miss Sanford, who was one of the most earnest workers for equal suffrage and other legislation in which women are particularly interested to be found in this country. She was a recognized authority on educational and social problems and only a short time ago delivered a lecture on these subjects in Thief River Falls.

WANT ADS ARE WONDERFUL WORKERS.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Julia E. Ellingson, Ellda Johnson, Julia Nichols, Agot Robertson and Olga Ellingson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Julia E. Ellingson having been filed in this Court, representing that Ole Ellingson, then a resident of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 15th day of April, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Helge Klemmetsen, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of May, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 23rd day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a29-m6-13

16 Million 438 Thousand Miles a Day

THIS is the potential mileage supplied daily to the people of the Middle West by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

In arriving at these figures we have taken ten miles per gallon as the performance of the average car, and multiplied it by 600,000,000, the number of gallons of gasoline marketed by this Company last year, and divided the result by 365.

The task confronting the Company is a dual one.

Not only must it maintain this flow of gasoline at all times, but it must so plan its activities as to keep pace with constantly increasing demand for fuel, whether this demand be normal or abnormal.

That, in a word, is the job of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) and the Company is as big as its job.

Every resource, every ounce of energy, and all its equipment are at work to keep pace with the insistent demands for gasoline and other products.

The management recognizes its responsibility to the motorists of the 11 states the Company serves, and every effort is being made to meet this responsibility.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2039

FISK TIRES

THE only tires built to an advertised Ideal—an Ideal that definitely indicates the policy and aim of the makers of Fisk Tires.

The Fisk Ideal: "To be the best concern in the world to work for, and the squarest concern in existence to do business with."

Next time—BUY FISK

Peoples Auto Co., Thief River Falls
Viking Garage, Viking. Hanson & Wokasch, St. Hilaire

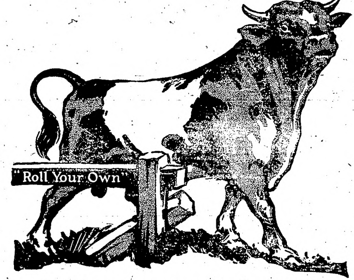

HE'S THE OLD RELIABLE

GRAND old "Bull". He's the best there is. He sold over 300,000,000 bags last year.

You know genuine "Bull" Durham—never an enemy; millions of friends.

Genuine "Bull" Durham tobacco—you can roll 50 cigarettes from one bag.

That's *some inducement,* nowadays.

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

GENUINE DURHAM
Smoking Tobacco
50

10c

To pipe smokers: Mix a little "BULL" DURHAM with your favorite tobacco. It's like sugar in your coffee.

Guaranteed by
The American Tobacco Co.

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SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M. April 12, 1920.

Members present: Haynes Dahlen, Froehlich, Myhrum, Mellby, Supt W. A. Ziegler.

Members absent: Backe.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved as read.

Moved by Dahlen, seconded by Froehlich, that we call for competitive plans for building of twelve class rooms, 1 kindergarten room and combination auditorium and gymnasium, plans to be submitted to the Board on April 22, 1920. Motion carried.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Haynes, that M. A. Schmitt be re-elected at a salary of $2400.00 for twelve months. Motion carried.

Moved by Haynes, seconded by Dahlen, that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried:

Great Northern Railway Co., wood (freight)	$ 28.86
Kittil Knudson, work	196.46
Kittil Knudson, work	27.60
Minton Hoard, work	19.00
Harold Erickson, work	9.60
Chas. Johnson, work	95.00
Water & Light Dept., light, power	348.37
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., supplies	39.60
Northwestern Telephone Co., telephone	8.75
Augsburg Publishing Co., books	9.88
Ginn & Co., books	24.00
Laurel Book Co., books	96.48
Webb Publishing Co., books	5.40
E. P. Dutton & Co., books	1.77
American Book Co., books	.61
Houghton-Mifflin Co., book	.95
McGraw-Hill Book Co., book	2.13
Thief River Music Co., supplies	2.15
Carl Fischer, supplies	5.50
Northern School Supply Co., supplies	108.90
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	11.95
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., supplies	25.85
S. Y. Gillan & Co., supplies	12.01
World Book Company, books	10.35
Devoe & Raynolds Co., supplies	12.09
Mrs. Palmer Efteland, work	4.16
Thief River Creamery, supplies	1.92
Bredesen & Co., supplies	45.63
Elias Rolland, supplies	12.38
F. J. Stebbins, supplies	1.00
P. J. Bottem Hdw. Co., supplies	15.27
Central Scientific Co., supplies	8.12
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., supplies	17.40
Henry Young, wood	81.00
Louis Borgen, hauling wood	67.55
Sunlight Coal Mine, fuel	302.50
G. N. Railway Company, wood, (freight)	19.47
Marvin Lumber & Cedar Co., wood	192.00
Hall Brothers, coal	3.20
Andres Richelieu, livery service	3.00
Julia Costello, R. R. fare	2.60
Jessie Carlson, R. R. fare	3.78
V. C. Noper, supplies	9.00
The Tribune, supplies	10.95
St. Paul Book & Stat. Co., supplies	4.00
Albert Belland, work	2.40
Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., supplies	204.10
Peoples Auto Co., supplies	.60
Hermanson Hdw. Co., supplies	4.45
Aaseby & Burstad, supplies	8.00
C. M. Evenson, supplies	10.00
Holt & George Plumbing and Heating Co., supplies	168.87
M. A. Schmitt, R. R. fare	13.50
Thief River Iron Works, supplies	83.18
Peoples Auto Co., supplies	1.20
Ed Lee, supplies	500.75
Ella A. Evans, R. R. fare	46.40
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	20.14
World Book Company, book	1.50
Atlantic Monthly Press, books	6.06
Louis Kausa, hauling water	15.20
Jackson Piano Co., piano	328.00
Colborn Supply Co., swings, etc	560.00
Lars Backe, Treasurer, Int. on warrants	177.28

On motion the meeting adjourned.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
Dr. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States, For the Sixth Division District of Minnesota, No. 1757.

In the matter of Fred D. Haug, (Also doing business as the Fred D. Haug Auto Co.) Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota.

Fred D. Haug of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents:

That on the 15th day of August, 1919, last passed, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

WHEREFORE, HE PRAYS that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 8th day of January, A. D. 1920.

FRED D. HAUG,
Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On this 10th day of April, A. D. 1920, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

ORDERED BY THE COURT, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1920, before said court, at St. Paul, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

WITNESS the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of said court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920.

(Seal of the Court.)
CHARLES L. SPENCER,
Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSEN,
Deputy Clerk.
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Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Bert Newell Thorstad,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that the 20th day of October, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated April 20, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
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Board of Health.

Notice is hereby given that all property owners within the city limits must have all ashes, garbage, manure etc., removed from their yards and adjoining alleys, to the public dumping grounds. It is urgent that this be done as soon as possible. On May 1st city ordinance will be enforced.

DR. J. BIEDERMAN,
Health Officer.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of Adelaide Bailey, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Samuel V. Bailey, Josephine Archibald and Alice E. Marshall, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of May, 1920, at Ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a22-29-m6

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Olaus J. Hole, Insane Ward.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court:

In the matter of the estate of Olous J. Hole, Insane Ward.

The State of Minnesota to Olaus J. Hole, Peter C. Wold and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Insane Ward; The petition of Peter C. Wold as representative of the above named Insane Ward, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of Insane Ward described therein be sold and praying that a license be to Peter C. Wold granted to sell the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of May, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 21st day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Jude of Probate Court.
WILHELM MICHELET,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
a22-29-m6

"A Word to the Wise" says the Good Judge

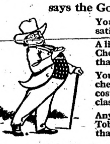
You want real chewing satisfaction.

A little of the Real Tobacco Chew lasts so much longer than the old kind.

You don't need a fresh chew nearly as often—so it costs no more to chew this class of tobacco.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

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RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco
W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco

Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

How much should I give to make this a better world?

A CERTAIN man in New York filled out his income tax report.

It showed an income so large that his tax was 53%. *And his total gifts to church and charity for the year were $148.*

Think of it—thousands spent for luxuries and pleasure for himself; and $148 to leave the world a little better than he found it!

Most of us do better than that; but not so very much better.

Our average daily gift for all church causes is

—less than we spend for daily papers
—less than a local telephone call
—less than a third of the day's car fare
—less than 3 cents a day

No wonder that 80% of the ministers of America are paid less than $20 a week. No wonder that the church hospitals turn away thousands of sick people a year. No wonder that China has only one doctor for every 400,000 people. No wonder that every church board and charity society is forever meeting deficits, forever passing the hat.

It isn't because we are selfish; it isn't because we don't want to help. It's just because no one has ever put up a great big program to us, and asked us to think of the work of the church in a systematic businesslike way.

The Interchurch World Movement represents the united program of thirty denominations. They have surveyed their whole task, no business could have done it better.

They have budgeted their needs; no business could have a more scientific budget. They have united to prevent the possibility of waste and duplication. At least a million dollars will be saved by the fact that thirty individual campaigns are joined in one united effort.

And they come to the men or women who love America—to you—this week asking you to use them as the channel through which a certain definite part of your income can be be applied to make this a better world.

Only you can determine what part of your income that should be.

It's a good time right now to answer that question. We're passing through the world just once; how much better will the world be because *you* passed through?

United Financial Campaign April 25th to May 2nd

The INTERCHURCH World Movement of North America

The publication of this advertisement is made possible through the cooperation of thirty denominations.

Ten miles used to be a long way

WHAT a difference in these motor-car days, when every point in the county is hardly more than "just around the corner."

People's ideas are changing, too.

They're beginning to figure out *how much it is costing them* to keep a car. And the man who is doing the greatest amount of figuring is the man with the *moderate-price* car.

II

There still seems to be a notion in some quarters that *any* tire is good enough for a small car.

That's not what the man who owns it thinks.

In recommending and selling U. S. Tires we are trying to see *his side* of the proposition—finding out what *he* wants in a tire and *giving him that.*

III

Large or small, U. S. Tires are built to *only one standard* of quality—the standard that produced the *first straight side* automobile tire, the *first pneumatic* truck tire.

Every tire that bears the name "U. S." is built the *best way* its makers know how. It isn't the car, but the *man who owns the car,* that counts with the oldest and largest rubber concern in the world.

IV

As representatives of U. S. Tires in this town, we offer you the benefit of our experience and advice in settling your tire problem.

Select your tires according to the roads they have to travel:

In sandy or hilly country, wherever the going is apt to be heavy—The U. S. Nobby.

For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.

For front wheels—The U. S. Plain.

For best results—*everywhere*—U. S. Royal Cords.

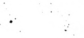

United States Tires

N. W. AUTO CO., Thief River Falls, Minn.
Ole Hamerness, Holt, Minn. J. S. Benson, Viking, Minn.

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Church Fund Drive in County This Week

FRIENDLY NON-MEMBERS WILL BE ASKED TO ASSIST MOVEMENT

G. L. Sterns of Thief River Falls, has been named county campaign director of the Interchurch World Movement in Pennington county. The appointment is made by W. L. Smithies, state campaign director, with offices at Minneapolis.

Mr. Sterns will have charge in a general way of each of the co-operating denominational drives for funds and in this capacity will combine nearly a dozen drives which would ordinarily be made separately.

In view of the attention which this united campaign is expected to attract, there is to be made at the same time, April 25 to May 2, a non-denominational request for funds. This request will be made of persons who are friendly to the church or who may not have been reached by the denominational canvasses in the county.

"It has been pointed out," Mr. Sterns says, "that the co-operation of the churches will provide a financial ingathering of $336,000,000, which will make possible unheard-of things in the service of the Christian church to all huamnity.

"When we realize how little this really amounts to as a donation from each church member, or from those persons who are friedly to the church, success of the Movement is assured."

Start Campaign to Fight Tonnage Tax

PEOPLE OF NORTHWEST MINNESOTA WILL SOON EXPLAIN THEIR POSITION

The Minnesota Fair Tax association was formed at a mass meeting attended by over 500 people from 66 different towns in northern Minnesota on Jan. 12 of this year. It is claimed to be a people's organization with which the mining companies have nothing to do, and its aim is to fight the tonnage tax, not in the legislature as the mining companies have always done, but by taking the facts concerning iron ore and its taxation directly to the people of the state.

The organization plans to circulate literature, public advertisements in papers, send speakers throughout the state and in every way possible acquaint the people of the state with all the facts concerning a tonnage tax. This work will be begun the first week in May when canvassers, prominent business men of northern Minnesota who have volunteered their services will invade all parts of the state with propaganda directed against the tonnage tax.

Funds for carrying on this campaign were secured by selling over 30,000 memberships at $1 each, and by contributions from commercial clubs and business men in northern Minnesota.

The work of the Minnesota Fair Tax association is being carried on by an executive committee consisting of the following northern Minnesota business men: R. W. Hitchcock, Hibbing, chairman; N. M. Koll, Cass Lake; R. R. Wise, Brainerd; W. G. Brown, Chisholm; E. C. Kiley, Grand Rapids; W. J. Archer, Virginia; F. J. Dacey, Duluth; G. H. Lommen, Biwabik; J. A. Thomas, Ely; F. E. Murphy, Crosby; S. V. Saxby, Hibbing, secretary

$20,000 Needed to Complete Buildings

VALLEY LIVE STOCK ASSOCIATION WILL MAKE DRIVE FOR FUNDS

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Red River Valley Live Stock association it was decided to organize a vigorous drive to secure the balance needed to complete the buildings owned by the association. May 12 and 13 have been decided on for this drive. The directors and members of the advisory board will be in charge in each county and will call upon all interested in live stock development to assist. Each county has a certain quota which must be secured if the work of the assoiation is not to be greatly hampered and the new addition delayed.

The recent articles in "The Country Gentleman" have given the Red River Valley live stock national prominence. It is up to the valley now to maintain this record. Without the winter live stock show is destined to become a great annual event not only so far as this section is concerned but for a much larger area.

This drive will include the counties from Becker to Roseau. $21,000 is needed to complete a $50,000 plant owned and controlled exclusively by the members of the association themselves.

The following well known Pennington county men are members of the official boards of the association: Fred Beerbower and Paul Engelstad of Thief River Falls. In addition there are 20 stockholders at present in this county. This number must be increased materially in order to secure the remainder of the county's quota.

Some Favor It.

Warroad Pioneer: There has been some rumor that the Nonpartisan league would oppose Amendment No. 1, but that seems improbable. While Mr. Lee, who led the opposition to the amendment in the conference, is a Nonpartisan senator, the best speech in favor of it was made by Senator Schmeckel, of Renville county, also a Nonpartisan.

Plummer Bank Sold.

F. P. Sheldon, A. M. Sheldon, A. G. Wedge and H. S. Dahlen, have sold their interests in the Farmers State bank of Plummer to Edward Florence of Humbolt, Minn. According to the announcement made Tobias Reep will remain as cashier for the present, the other officers being: Edward Florence, president; O. H. Langlie, vice president, G. J. Hagen, assistant cashier.

C. A. Rinderknecht
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Fifteen years' experience as licensed auctioneer. Will cry all classes of sales, large or small. Have city license. Write for dates.
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BANK NO. 1133.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Goodridge State Bank.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED; That section Six of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six:

"The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the Corporation shall at any time be subject, shall be Three Hundred Thousand Dollars."

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Goodridge, Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1920.

H. S. DAHLEN, President.
J. P. JENSEN, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal.)

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 10th day of April, 1920, before me appeared H. S. Dahlen and J. P. Jensen, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Goodridge State Bank, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

THEO. TANDBERG,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires July 9, 1926
(Notarial Seal)

State of Minnesota, Office of Superintendent of Banks, St. Paul, April 21, 1920.

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Goodridge State Bank in voting to increase the highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall be subject from One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars to Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

F. E. PEARSON,
Superintendent of Banks.
(Seal)
By G. H. SNIVRIGHT,
Deputy Superintendent.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1920, at 12 o'clock M., and was duly recorded in Book H of State Bank Records, on page 675.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book "J" of Miscl. page 75.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
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SACRIFICE

My property located on lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, LaBree Avenue and lots 19 and 20 on Main Avenue. I will sell or trade at a real sacrifice if taken at once. Business is excellent as the Citizens State Bank will testify.

GEORGE LEIMERS

Times Advertising is a Profitable Investment Always

Velvet
TOBACCO
LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

The Velvet tin is twice as big as shown here

There's a World of Solid Comfort In the Rich, Red Tin

YES, sir, we mean that same warm red and gold tin that smiles a welcoming "Howdy" to you in every tobacco store. Know what those colors mean?

The red is for the friendly warmth, the mellow cheeriness, that Velvet puts into your old pipe. And the gold is where the Kentucky sunshine, that ripens good old Velvet, has just sort of soaked through.

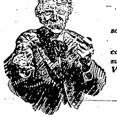

Remember what Velvet Joe said about it?

"You've met canned meat and canned music. Ever see any tinned sunshine? Well, look into any Velvet tin."

And think this over:

We don't have to hide Velvet's taste or smell with a lot of this, that and the other thing. Because Velvet has *naturally* what pipe smokers want—real simon-pure *tobacco* taste and fragrance. It's just good, honest Kentucky leaf, made still more friendly and mellow by two years' ageing in wooden hogsheads. Just good tobacco. That's all. But it's mighty near enough for the man who wants a pipeful of tobacco and not a box of bon bons.

The picture of a pipe on the tin needn't keep you from rolling a jim-dandy cigarette with Velvet.

How's the Velvet holding out in your old red tin?

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

—the friendly tobacco

Call at the
Thief River Falls Iron Works
for
Line Shafting, Pulleys
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Rebuilt Flour City 30-60 Tractor for sale—Bargain.

About 20 ton cast iron scrap wanted. Will pay $12.00 per ton delivered at Iron Works.

Telephone 222

BARGAINS IN TIRES

WE HAVE ABOUT 200 RACINE TIRES WHICH WERE BOUGHT BEFORE THE RAISE. WE ARE OFFERING THESE AT

15 Per Cent Off List

WE ALSO HAVE A FEW FIRST-GRADE FIRESTONE, GOODRIDGE AND GOODRICH TIRES IN SIZE 30x3 WHICH WE ARE SELLING AT

$12.50

BY TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THIS OFFER YOU ARE GIVEN A CHANCE TO SAVE CONSIDERABLE MONEY ON YOUR TIRE BILL FOR THE YEAR.

WE CAN SELL ONLY THE TIRES WE NOW HAVE IN STOCK AT THESE PRICES, SO ACT AT ONCE OR PAY MUCH MORE LATER ON.

McFarland Auto Co.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

Volume 10. Twelve pages. Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Thursday, May 6, 1920. $2.00 a Year. Number Thirteen.

Paving Job Awarded to Canada Men

Bitulithic Is Material Favored and the Price $3.98 Per Square Yard

Cost For Each 25-Foot Lot Will Be $400—Twenty Years in Which to Pay

C. C. Knutson of Blue Earth, Gets Storm Sewer Contract at $13,444

The contract for paving 24 blocks in the business district of Thief River Falls was on Tuesday let to the Bitulithic Construction company of Winnipeg. The contract price for the completed job is $3.98 per square yard and calls for a two-inch bitulithic surface on a six-inch crushed stone base, plain monolithic concrete curb and gutter, except at the corners, where the gutter will be armored, and at the intersections of sidewalks.

Includes Entire District.

The contract was let in accordance with the resolution originally passed in March of the present year, no attempt being made to reduce the size of the district. It was expected that objectors would be on the ground for the purpose of attempting to gain a postponement of the program, but none appeared. The job was let to a concern enjoying the reputation of being one of the most responsible in the business and which has a number of similar contracts in the neighborhood.

Concrete is Cheapest.

The same company offered to install concrete pavement for $3.65 per square yard but council members who had made visits to other cities and inspected the results following the use of all kinds of paving materials were evidently convinced that the more elastic material would better serve the purpose here.

Four bidders were on hand when the meeting opened. The General Contracting company of Minneapolis, submitted an offer to do the work for $4.04 for bitulithic and $3.80 for concrete. E. Johnson & Co., of Superior, submitted a bid covering concrete only, their price being $3.94 per square yard. Fielding & Shepley, St. Paul, presented a bid calling for creosote blocks at $6.25, bitulithic, $4.09, and concrete $3.90. After reading the bids the council adjourned until 5 o'clock when they again took the matter up and without further argument accepted the bid of the Winnipeg concern.

Totals $400 Per Lot.

The cost of paving the streets will be a trifle over $400 for each 25-foot lot. As the payments are scattered over a term of 20 years it means the retirement each year of $20 on the principal, to which must be added the interest. This last item will grow smaller year after year, however, as the principal sum is reduced. Even those who were at one time most outspoken in their opposition now admit that the undertaking is not such a serious matter. Persons outside the present paving district have already signified their intention of applying for pavement at the earliest date possible.

Reenforce Across Trenches.

Where trenches have been dug for the purpose of installing new water connections the pavement will be reinforced with steel in order that there shall be no danger of a cave-in. The condition of these trenches has been one of the causes for the objections to paving, it being maintained that these were not properly refilled. Holt & George of this city, the contractors, have volunteered to go over all the work done, take out the dirt and puddle it back to the entire satisfaction of the engineer in charge. The early freeze-up last fall forced them to hastily provide such protection as they could against the frost and they stand ready to rectify any errors that circumstances caused them to commit at that time.

The Paving District.

Men of long experience in such matters state that there is not the slightest danger in paving over newly filled trenches, particularly when these have the additional protection of re-inforcement. The heavy rollers employed will pack the dirt sufficiently to insure it against future settling.

The district to be paved is as follows: Main avenue from the Great Northern railway tracks to Sixth street; LaBree avenue from First to Fourth street; Horace avenue from First to Fourth street; Third street from the Soo tracks to Knight avenue; Second street from Atlantic to Knight avenue; First street from the Red Lake river to Knight avenue. Six blocks of alleys will also be paved as follows: From First to Fourth streets between Horace and LaBree and between LaBree and Main avenues.

Storm Sewers Let.

The installing of storm sewers in district No. 1, was let to C. C. Knutson of Blue Earth, his bid being $13,444. G. H. Ward of Grand Forks, and Holt & George of this city, were also bidders on this work, their figures being $16,184 and $16,868 respectively.

Will Await Decision.

The successful bidders will await the outcome of a supreme court decision before going ahead with their contracts. Last week Judge W. L. Converse of the Dakota county district court rendered a decision in a case involving paving in the village of Farmington that may delay matters for a short time. The court held that the law passed in 1919 which provides that cities and villages may issue bonds for public improvements without submitting the matter to a vote of the people invested them with no such power and that the citizens must pass upon the question. This decision has upset the paving program in a number of Minnesota municipalities and will be tested before the supreme court as quickly as the matter can be legally arranged. Before this decision was rendered Attorney General Hilton gave it as his opinion that the law empowered municipalities to go ahead in the manner adopted by the councils of Thief River Falls and other cities. Judge Converse did not rule that the law was unconstitutional but simply that it failed to make its intent sufficiently clear. The bidders for the work fully understand the circumstances and were willing to accept the contract tentatively. If Judge Converse is upheld it will simply mean that matters will have to be postponed until an election can be held.

Leaguers Buy Paper.

It is rumored that the Crookston Press, a twice-a-week publication, has been sold to a company made up principally of Polk county farmers and that it will hereafter espouse the cause of the Nonpartisan league. The Press has had a hard row to hoe for a long time and its sale to Nonpartisan interests has been rumored for more than a year.

ANOTHER STATE ROAD FROM CITY NORTHWARD

Application Laid Over—Ditch Objection Disregarded by Commissioners.

An application for a state highway running northward from the Soo roundhouse to the county line was presented to the county commissioners at their meeting last week. The petition was signed by a large number of farmers living in the district that would be traversed by such highway and its construction would benefit a large section of country, besides providing another lead toward the city from that direction. The matter was laid over to a later meeting.

The commissioners ordered County Auditor T. P. Anderson to advertise for bids for the repairing and cleaning of ditches Nos. 39, 45 and 59 in Kratka and Highlanding townships. This action was taken in the face of objections voiced by several farmers from the neighborhood who were present and asked that the work be not undertaken because of the expense. It was shown that these ditches were badly filled up and that postponement of the necessary cleaning would add greatly to the cost later on.

A petition for a ditch in the town of Star was presented. This ditch would run north and south near the center of the township and empty into the Red Lake river.

The application of John Dahlen, asking that he be set off from school district No. 57 and attached to district No. 8, was granted.

SANATORIUM CALLED MODEL INSTITUTION

Federal Inspector Pays High Compliment to Tri-County Management

Dr. John Soper, federal inspector of tuberculosis sanatoriums, was in the city last week for the purpose of looking over the Tri-County institution. He was very much pleased with the manner in which the work has been carried out here thus far and spoke most highly of the plans pursued as well as of the evident competency of the personnel. Dr. Soper stated that the hospital at this point was the best and most efficiently conducted of any he has visited in the four states which comprise his territory.

As this was the first visit made to the sanatorium by a federal inspector the commissioners and management are naturally very much pleased over the report.

Odd Fellows Anniversary Meeting Well Attended

An audience which filled all the available space at the lodge room of the Odd Fellows in this city listened to an address by W. O. Werntz of Moose Lake, grand marshall of Minnesota, on the history, aims and purposes of Odd Fellowship, last Monday evening. The meeting was held to commemorate the one hundred and first anniversary of the founding of the order in the United States, this being a season of similar gatherings all over the country.

Dr. Werntz delivered a most interesting discourse. He did not devote much time to the history of the order, preferring evidently to speak on its aims and purposes. He said that the charitable work being carried on in every state in the Union has reached enormous proportions and that the homes established for the care of the aged, infirm and dependant Odd Fellows and Rebeccas were accomplishing wonders. He is an eloquent and interesting speaker and an authority on the order's history. The large audience followed him with the closest attention and lent its particular approval to the highly patriotic expression of his discourse.

A musical program, arranged by Miss Jessie Barnett, was presented and greatly enjoyed. The meeting closed with a lunch and dancing.

Speakers Here For and Against Nonparty League

J. F. Hillyer, a speaker for the Farmers and Workers Nonpartisan organization, spoke to a fair-sized audience at the auditorium last Monday evening. He hammered big business unmercifully and maintained that the program of the party to which he belongs was the only one that promised anything in the way of relief from the profiteers and other oppressors of the people. Senator O. A. Naplin acted as chairman of the meeting.

F. L. Ferguson, a young man sent out by the Minnesota Sound Government association, spoke for a few minutes at the Princess theatre on Monday evening, preceding his remarks by showing a short moving picture film. He lambasted Townley and the league's record in North Dakota and claimed that the state had been practically ruined through the laws enacted by the last legislature.

Filtration is Favored by Councilmen

Committee Reports Strongly in Favor of Chemical Treatment Plant.

Would Provide Inexhaustible Supply From River at Very Low Cost.

Deep Wells Found Generally More Expensive and Less Reliable.

Another attempt will in all probability be made by the city council to provide the people of Thief River Falls with pure water. They will undoubtedly proceed along a new line this time, starting out with the idea that the only satisfactory solution of the problem is chemical treatment of the water from Red Lake river.

The council committee appointed to visit neighboring cities with a view to *learning something from the experience of others* was composed of President H. A. Brumund and Councilmen John Dahl and Severen Brandon. These representatives put in three days last week in making their investigations and returnd firmly convinced that a chemical treatment plant will provide the surest, safest and cheapest supply that can be installed.

Wapheton's Experience.

Among the places visited was Wapheton. This city has an excellent water supply, the source of which is the Red River of the North. This is a murky, muddy stream, as is well known, but the water comes out of the filtration plant as clear as crystal and absolutely free from any injurious substances of any kind. The cost of pumping from the river to the supply tank is five and three-tenths cents per thousand gallons and the cost of filtering, including the necessary chemicals, is two and three-tenths cents per thousand gallons. This total outlay of seven and six-tenths cents per gallon provides all the water needed for all purposes in the city.

Wells at Moorhead.

The city of Moorhead is supplied by wells and the water is chemically pure. The quantity, however, leaves something to be desired as it has happened that there has been a shortage and two more wells will be drilled.

Grand Forks uses filtered water and the people there are well satisfied with it. The supply is reliable and the cost of providing is very low.

Will Act Soon.

Mr. Brumund says that the matter will be brought to the attention of the council at the time the committee reports. He has written to the concern making a specialty of chemical filtration plants and expects to learn something concerning prices and lay a complete report before the council at an early date.

Nothing is of greater importance to the future of the city than a supply of pure water and in Thief River Falls it can now be secured without incurring a very heavy expense.

Lutherans Call Pastor From North Dakota Town

Rev. T. E. Sweger, at present serving the congregation of the Lutheran church at Cooperstown, N. D., has been offered the post of pastor by the congregation of Trinity Lutheran church in this city and has tentatively accepted. Rev. Sweger is a young man who has made a reputation for himself in the North Dakota town and is highly recommended by all who know him. He has already resigned his present call but will not be able to come to Thief River Falls before the first of September. A plan for securing a man to fill the place temporarily is now under consideration by the trustees. It is likely that a theological student will be asked to come here during the college vacation period.

Seek to Raise $20,000 For Valley Live Stock Pavilion

A campaign for the live stock pavilion fund will be carried on in the Red River Valley on May 12 and 13. It is the intention of the live stock breeders of the valley to build a $20,000 annex to the barns in Crookston.

The winter show and sales have been so successful the past two years that they have far outgrown the present capacity of the buildings. Even under difficulties last winter's sales amounted to over $100,000, and new state records were made. The educational value, together with the prestige given to the Red River Valley stock breeders directly or indirectly, benefits every resident of the territory.

The allotment for Pennington in this drive is set at $750, and with the present enthusiasm for better live stock this amount should easily be reached.

Mayor Hodgson Re-Elected In St. Paul on Tuesday

Mayor L. C. Hodgson was re-elected Tuesday in the most hotly contested city election in recent political history of St. Paul.

"Larry Ho" defeated his opponent, William Mahoney, Socialist-labor candidate for the mayoralty, by the narrow margin of 2,353 votes.

The soldier vote played an important part in the Hodgson victory, it was evidenced when the returns from the 132 precincts placed three soldier candidates in the city council. Latest returns indicated that three labor councilmanic candidates won.

ISSUING A NEWSPAPER UNDER DIFFICULTIES

The Times will reach its readers this week somewhat freakish in appearance. Only about one-quarter of the new material ordered has as yet put in an appearance and we are simply compelled to make the best of the situation.

A newspaper man will fully appreciate our fix. No column rules, head rules, head letter, newspaper heading, and only a very limited supply of display type—and with such layout the crew is trying to print one of the largest weekly papers in the state. First-class men, however, never permit little things like these to bother them, particularly when backed by an Intertype machine. None of us know just how or where we are coming out but the paper will be printed even if it is found necessary to split cigar box covers to provide slugs and fasten forms on the press with hay wire.

Times Stood as Leader of State Papers

Publishers' Directory Shows This Paper's Circulation to be the Largest.

Is More Than 1500 Ahead of That of Any Other Minnesota Weekly.

Isued From Own Plant This Week For First Time Since Fire.

The Thief River Falls Times enjoys the distinction of having the largest circulation of any weekly newspaper printed in the English language in Minnesota. The publishers have maintained this to be the case for the past two years and now their claims are verified by the foremost authority on the subject to be found in the United States. The Annual Newspaper Directory, published by N. W. Ayer & Son of Philadelphia, contains the circulation figures of every paper in this country, Canada and Mexico for the year 1919. The compilation is made by experts who have access to all the data, books and records of the papers and is the most reliable and thorough that it is possible to secure. The data is secured principally for the benefit of national advertisers—the people who buy space on proven circulation figures alone. The authenticity of the directory has never been questioned during the 57 years that the work has been issued.

Is the Highest Honor.

There are weekly publications in Minnesota issuing more papers than The Times but they are printed in a foreign language or devoted to some particular purpose or enterprise. From a purely newspaper standpoint The Times is in the lead its nearest competitor being the Wilmar Republican.

This is a position that no amount of money could purchase. The subscribers must be bonafide and of record or they are not counted. So particular are the Ayer people in this respect that the press count is not taken, every paper going to employers, handed out over the counter or sold on the street being deducted. Nothing is credited except the names actually on the list. It is the most reliable work of its kind to be found in America and is so regarded by advertisers everywhere.

From Its Own Plant.

The Times is today issued from its own plant for the first time since January 26, at which time practically the entire outfit was destroyed by fire. The interim has been a most trying season to everyone having anything to do with the paper, patrons as well as publishers coming in for their share of annoyance. Only a part of the equipment has as yet arrived and the getting out of the edition entails considerable hardship, but a start is made and conditions will grow rapidly better from now on. Equipment deliveries are very unreliable and manufacturers refuse to make definite promises covering anything. When things are finally in shape, however, The Times will have an outfit second to none to be found in the office of a weekly in the Northwest.

Sponheim Families Leave To Make Home in West

H. P. Sponheim and son, Oscar, with their families, last week left for Seattle with the intention of permanently settling in that neighborhood if conditions are to their liking. Their intention when leaving was to stay a year in the extreme Northwest, at the end of which time they would have definitely decided upon their future course.

The Sponheims, father and son, are pioneer bankers of Thief River Falls, the former having been the first president and principal stock holder of the Peoples State bank, now merged with the First and Peoples. Oscar became connected with the institution upon his graduation from high school and was until a short time ago its cashier. Both have been prominent in the business and social life of the city for the past fifteen years and enjoy perhaps the widest acquaintance of any men in the county. H. P. Sponheim still retains his interest in a number of enterprises in this neighborhood and will doubtless return at frequent intervals even tho he should decide to stay in the West permanently, but it is understood that Oscar has disposed of practically everything in which he was interested here.

Dalton Man N-P Choice in 9th Dist.

N. E. Thormodson Secures Endorsement at Meeting in Crookston.

Senator O. A. Naplin of Pennington County Was Favorably Considered.

Action Means Lively Contest in Republican Primaries Next Month.

N. E. Thormodson, farmer, residing at Dalton in Ottertail county, was on Monday endorsed for the republican nomination for congressman from the Ninth district at a meeting of delegates representing the Nonpartisan league, held at Crookston. He will be the opponent of Halvor Steenerson at the primaries next month, the winner in this preliminary contest being *in turn pitted* against Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls at the election in November.

Mr. Thormodson, who is a man between 35 and 40 years of age, has nere held public office, but was endorsed for the legislature by the League organization in Ottertail county this year. He will withdraw his name from the legislative ticket and devote his attention to the congressional campaign, it is stated. He is a graduate of the law department of the university of Minnesota and has practiced his profession at Madelia and Hanska. During the past few years he has been conducting a farm near Dalton.

Others Were Mentioned.

Senator O. A. Naplin of Pennington county was among those very favorably considered for the place and could without doubt have had the endorsement had he desired it. R. T. Buckler came to the convention with the endorsement of the Polk county delegation, but the south end of the district united on Thormodson and made their claims stick.

Pennington county was represented at the convention by Gust Naplin of Polk Center township.

SORTEDAHL IS AGAIN CANDIDATE FOR HOUSE

Present Member From Red Lake County Consents to Make Run

Martin O. Sortedahl of Red Lake county, one of the representatives from the Sixty-fifth district in the state legislature, last week filed as a candidate for re-election. He had decided not to again allow his name to be used in this connection, but friends prevailed upon him to change his mind.

This gives Red Lake county two candidates for the nomination, A. J. Hemstad of Plummer, having been endorsed for the place by the Nonpartisan league about a month ago. The other representative is Walter A. Day of Clearwater county, who is also a candidate for re-election with Nonpartisan endorsement. Pennington county, which with Red Lake and Clearwater forms the Sixty-fifth district, will in all probability not have a candidate for the house, Senator O. A. Naplin, who holds over, being a resident of this city.

Local Bank Applies First For Soldier Bonus Bond

The First and Peoples State bank of Thief River Falls was one of the first two banks to apply to State Treasurer Henry Rines for a chance to invest in the new soldier bonus bonds issued by the state. The bank whose request came in at the same time is a Goodhue county institution. The First and Peoples took $10,000 worth of the securities.

Wins First Prize For Thrift Exhibit at Warren

The Thief River Falls Woman's club was the winner of first prize in the thrift exhibit at Warren on Tuesday. The exhibit consisted of children's clothes made over from those of older persons, renovated home made articles such as coats, aprons, dresses and many other things.

Nearly every club in the district had an exhibit at the meeting and the verdict was that the Thief River Falls ladies had by far the finest. Among those who attended the Warren meeting were: Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, president of the local club; Mrs. Jacob Biederman, Mrs. W. J. LaBree, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mrs. G. C. Tessum, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Mrs. E. E. Zeh, Mrs. Gay Halvorson, Mrs.

Urge Extension of Wheat Control Until July 15

Sentiment is rapidly crystalizing among wheat growers of the Northwest in favor of an extension of the Federal wheat guaranty, until July 15, in order that ample time may be provided for the marketing of holdover stocks of grain, according to Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce firms.

Southwestern farmers already have appealed to their congressmen for an extension of Federal control of the wheat market, although Julius Barnes, wheat director of the United States, has expressed his disapproval of a continuation of the existence of the grain corporation.

Views of farmer organizations, as well as grain exchanges, will be given at a conference in Chicago on Friday, called by Julius Barnes, and at which Minnesota banks and grain firms will be represented.

O'Neill Speaks at Crookston.

At the noonday luncheon of the Association of Public Affairs at Crookston last Wednesday, former State Senator D. P. O'Neill of Thief River Falls, a member of the state board of grain appeals, boosted good roads in a general discussion of the Babcock amendment. Many of the delegates to the Polk county Republican convention were present at the meeting by invitation.

Will Attend Convention.

Julien Provencher, proprietor of the Hotel Evelyn, leaves this evening for Chicago, where he will attend the convention of the National Hotel Men's association. Returning he will visit Manistee and other points in Michigan and make the trip by boat as far as Duluth.

Assessor Starts Out.

Lars Backe, city assessor, on Saturday started on his round of good cheer. Up to date he has only gone so far as to hand the usual blanks to the business men of the city, who were doubtless all glad to see him come around on this particular mission. The real estate is also to be assessed this year.

50 Per Cent Less Wheat This Spring

Yields in Grain and Potatoes Expected to be Greatly Reduced.

Late Season and High Cost of Seed the Disturbing Factors.

Flax and Barley Will be More Heavily Planted Than Ever.

The wheat acreage in northwestern Minnesota is this year just about one-half what it was in 1919, according to County Agent J. J. McCann and others who are in a position to know just how matters stand. While it is true that much more wheat was sowed last year than is ordinarily the case, yet reliable estimators figure that the amount planted is fully 25 per cent below the five year average.

Various reasons are given for this state of affairs. One is that now the government price guarantee is romevd the farmer is not sure of being able to sell his crop at a profit even though he should secure one and he therefore prefers to take chances on something less tricky than wheat. Another reason for the shortage is the scarcity of good seed. The crop last year was not of the best and many farmers are adverse to using it for seed. Others sold their entire supply, figuring that when seeding time came they would be able to secure what they needed and at the same time improve the quality. They now realize their error but nothing can be done about it.

World Needs Wheat.

There is a shortage of wheat thruout the civilized world and there is no question but that the cereal will bring a high price in the fall. It is even maintained that suffering and death from hunger is not outside the range of possibility because of the lowered production in the countries recently at war. The Argentinie crop is not heavy and so strenuous has become the demand for it that the government has established an embargo and prevents any wheat from being shipped out of the country. The United States and Canada will be depended on to supply the world and present indications are that they will be unable to do so. Prices will naturally advance under such conditions and the farmer who plants wheat and is able to get it into the ground in good season will unodubtedly be well repaid.

Potatoes Also Short.

The potato acreage in Pennington county will also be fully 50 per cent less than last year. For this condition the price of seed is almost entirely responsible. A farmer cannot see his way clear to pay from four to six dollars per bushel for seed potatoes and much land heretofore devoted to the crop will be turned to other uses. When potatoes took a sudden jump to unheard-of prices many farmers sold all they had on hand, figuring that it was not good business to hold on when such profits could be secured. Many no doubt thought that by seeding time more could be procured at a price below that for which their own holdings were sold and now find themselves up against a hard proposition.

More Flax and Barley.

Instead of wheat more flax and barley will be sowed than ever before. Flax will in many cases be put into old land, providing it has not before carried such crop. The usual proceedure is to put flax on new breaking but many will try it out in older fields this year. Barley can be sowed later than wheat and is not in the same danger of being destroyed by rust. Oats also are being more exclusively planted than for many years past.

SHIP IN CARLOAD OF PUREBRED HOLSTEINS

A carload of purebred Holsteins were purchased from W. F. Schafer of Detroit by Gust and Oscar Wilson of Hazel and Ben Rosendahl of Thief River Falls being assisted in the selection by County Agent J. J. McCann. These animals have some of the best breeding of the Holstein families and will be a credit to their owners as well as to the county.

Pennington county is rapidly coming to the front in the number of purebred cattle owned by its farmers. During the last eight months 46 purebreds of the various breeds have been purchased for this vicinity.

Instruct For J. Preuss as Ticket Head

Seven From Pennington Will Support State Auditor For Governor.

Roseau County Man Favored as Candidate For Secretary of State.

Only Few Outside Districts Represented at County Convention.

The Republicans of Pennington county seem to be in favor of J. A. O. Preus as the party's candidate for governor this fall and they went so far at the convention on Monday as to instruct the county's seven delegates to vote as a unit for him until such time as he has been nominated or it shall appear that his selection is impossible.

Following are the delegates: Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mrs. J. H. Hardesty, Dr. O. F. Mellby, H. S. Dahlen, T. P. Anderson, Thief River Falls; J. P. Jensen, Goodridge, and G. I. Fellman, St. Hilaire.

The caucuses for the selection of delegates to the county convention were held on Saturday evening but outside of Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire and Goodridge it is probable that there were few precinct headquarters in the county open for voting. At any rate not more than two or three sent representatives to the county gathering.

This does not necessarily imply that there is no interest in the elimination convention to be held at St. Paul today, but that the party's voters generally will be satisfied with the choice, no matter who it may be.

Holm Gets Delegation.

Mike Holm of Roseau county, will have the solid vote of the delegation in his effort to capture the nomination for secretary of state. Judge Holm has been making an active campaign and it looks as if he will go into the convention with a following stronger than that of any other man. He has been making an active campaign and has the solid backing of the northwestern corner of the state.

Theodore Quale was chairman of the convention and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson secretary.

GOVERNMENT RUSHING FLOOD CONTROL WORK

Blueprints, Specifications and Estimates For Proposed System Submitted

The vigor with which the federal government is quietly pushing plans for drainage and flood protection in the Red River valley is brought to mind by the appearance of blue prints, specifications and estimates of construction cost just printed by the U. S. Bureau of Drainage.

The preliminary work has confirmed all officials in the belief that the best way to stop the many millions of annual crop loss, due to actual flooding or to water-soaked fields which cause late seeding and the consequent rusting of grain, is by a valley wide project consisting of dams, reservoirs and channel improvements, to hold back the "peak" of the spring flood and retain it for a short time until the local waters have had time to drain out of the flat Red Valley.

Gates and controlling works are recommended for the dams so that the water can be emptied with a few days or weeks, avoiding any great amount of damage from flooding about the reservoir. As a limited amount of good land will be damaged estimates are included in the report covering generous compensation to the owners.

Officers Discover Booze But Bootleggers Escape

County Attorney Theo. Quale, Sheriff W. J. LaBree and Chief of Police E. O. Erickson have in their charge 16 quarts of perfectly good Canadian whiskey and they would very much like to lay hands on the owners.

The whiskey was found concealed in an ice house in the northern part of the city and the men who put it there were seen but they managed to get away. Very good descriptions were obtained, however, and there is every probability that they will be approached.

On Monday Chief Erickson received word from Lancaster to the effect that three men were headed for Thief River Falls with whiskey in their possession. Mr. Erickson informed the sheriff and county attorney and the three awaited the arrival of the freight on which the parties were riding. Owing to a misunderstanding the officers were not on hand just when the train stopped and their quarry managed to get off without being suspected. They were evidently suspicious of the ice house, however, and proceeded to make an investigation. The men had hidden the whiskey and made their getaway, the 16 bottles being unearthed without any difficulty.

Reads Paper on Life Work Of Late Maria L. Sanford

At the meeting of the Woman's club on Monday afternoon Mrs. Robert Vance read a paper on the life and work of Miss Maria L. Sanford. At the conclusion of her remarks the audience was asked to rise and stand in silent contemplation for one minute as a mark of respect for the dead teacher.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, May 17.

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Oats	.82
Flax	4.29
Barley	1.40
Rye	1.85
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Flour, per cwt	7.60
Bran	2.95
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	15-16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.35
Dairy Butter	.55
Creamery Butter	.62
Cow Hides, per lb.	.27
Horse Hides	5.7
Calf Hides	.33
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	16-17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	12-15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.20
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	8-10
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Society

Senior Class Pleases In Fine Comedy Production

An audience that practically filled the auditorium witnessed the performance of "A Strenuous Time" by the senior class of the Thief River Falls high school last Friday evening. The play is a clever comedy and was well handled by the cast. Every member had his or her lines perfect and acted their parts with thorough appreciation of what was required. Many are of the opinion that no high school play in years has been so well presented and Miss Agnes Wilson and Miss Ella Evans, have been highly complimented on the excellent results.

It is the intention to present the play at several nearby towns later in the month, the itinerary including Baudette, St. Hilaire, Plummer and other places.

Following is the cast of characters:

Tom Harrington, foot ball captain .... Leland Schuster
Reginald Black, his chum .... Herman Aakre
James Roberts, a freshman .... Lloyd Peterson
Byron Harrington, father of his son .... Roy Flattum
William Everett James, a new professor .... Henry Sagmoen
Dan Devanent, from the hills .... Joseph Weirus
Prof. Magee, director of the gym .... Henry Stengelson
Nugata Good, honest Japanese school boy .... Clarence Veven
Dawly, a collector .... Leo Ihle
Mrs. Wiggenton Wiggins, the landlady .... Jessie Barnett
Marian Devenant, her father's daughter .... Alyce Berg
Ruth Thornton, Mrs. Wiggins' niece .... Mollie Hermanson
Dulcie Harrington, Tom's sister from high school .... Kathleen Ures
Widow McGuire, "The Widow" .... Alpha Bishop

For Miss Bredesen.

Miss Katie Dahl and Gerda Mortenson entertained about thirty of their friends on Friday evening at the home of the former in compliment to Miss Anna Bredesen, who left for Hallock where she has accepted a position in the court house.

The rooms were decorated in daisies and sweet peas in profusion. Conversation and games made up the evening's entertainment at the close of which the guests enjoyed a delightful lunch. Miss Bredesen was presented with a beautiful hand bag as a token of their esteem.

On Thursday evening the Zion Young Peoples society entertained at a farewell party for Miss Bredesen, in the basement of the church. A delightful program and lunch was enjoyed. The guest of honor was presented with a handsome black leather traveling bag as a token of their appreciation of the work she has done for the society since her election as president two years ago. The hearty good wishes of the society go with her.

Adolphs-Freitag.

On Friday evening at 8 o'clock occurred the marriage of Miss Esther Adolphs and Gustav Freitag at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Adolphs, with Rev. E. H. Kreidt pastor of the German Lutheran church officiating. The couple was attended by Alfred Adolphs of this city and Mrs. Propp of Mahnomen, brother and sister of the bride. The newlyweds left the same evening for the twin cities on a short honeymoon after which they will return to this city where they will reside. The groom is employed by the Soo line while the bride up to the time of her marriage held a position as stenographer for the Holt and George Plumbing company. Before the ceremony a six o'clock supper was served to the immediate relatives and friends. The bride wore a gown of georgette crepe and satin and carried a bouquet of roses. Their many friends wish them all the joys of a happy wedded life.

For Mrs. Sapero.

Twelve ladies pleasantly surprised Mrs. A. S. Sapero in her new home, Duluth avenue north, Wednesday afternoon. The ladies went in a body to the Sapero home during Mrs. Sapero's absence, she finding the ladies all assembled upon her return. Whist became the entertainment for the afternoon. Mrs. Roy Lambert carried off the first prize while Mrs. R. H. Ross held the consolation prize. Refreshments brought by the guests were served at 5 o'clock.

Surprise Party.

Misses Lorenza Urdal and Edna Evenson were pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening at the Rupprecht home, Duluth avenue, where twelve girls had assembled for that purpose. The party was in the nature of a farewell for the girls who left the clerical force at Loken's the first of the month. The hours were devoted to games and music. A delightful lunch was served at midnight. Each of the honored guests was presented with a lovely gift as a token of their friendship.

Norquist-Johnson.

Carl H. Norquist and Julia M. Johnson, both of this city were united in marriage on Saturday evening, May 1, at the home of the groom, with Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church officiating. The couple was attended by Carl J. Melby and Miss Inga Thune. The rooms were prettily decorated in pink and white roses and carnations. Immediately after the ceremony a supper was served to the guests.

Birthday Party.

Master Stuart Booren celebrated his 7th birthday anniversary by entertaining seven of his friends at his home, Duluth avenue north, Thursday afternoon. Games formed the afternoon's diversion after which a delicious lunch was served. The young host was presented with many handsome gifts as a remembrance of the occasion.

In Honor of Miss Rathjen.

Honoring her sister, Miss Hattie Rathjen of Luverne, who is her guest, Mrs. R. H. Ross pleasantly entertained a company of friends on Monday evening. Informal dancing was in order during the hours. At midnight dainty refreshments were served.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. W. J. Brown is entertaining at cards at her home this afternoon.

Chris Storholm Host.

Twenty of his friends were entertained by Chris Storholm on Saturday evening at the home of the Evenson flat. The hours were devoted to cards. At midnight a sumptuous supper was served by Mrs. Storholm assisted by Mrs. F. H. Herrick.

Luther League.

The Young Peoples Luther league will meet Thursday evening, May 13th at 8 o'clock. Lunch served by Mesdames J. T. Nesseth, Gilbert Sandum, Carl Hillard and P. L. Vistaunet.

Churches

Swed. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 9th: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Young Peoples meeting at 8 p. m. Service Thursday, May 6th at 8 p. m. Rev. J. Fjellstedt will preach. A musicale program will be rendered Tuesday, May 11th at 8 p. m. by the ladies' quartet. Address in evening by Cras Philstrom from Warren. Service Sunday at 11 a. m. in the A. Erickson school house east of St. Hilaire. At Black River at 3 p. m. Young Peoples meeting at 8 p. m. at Black River. No services at St. Hilaire Sunday.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor.—Services Sunday, the 9th, at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. Theme in the morning, The parable of the tares of the field. The afternoon service will be a young people's meeting in English. In the evening the theme will be: "What the world is drifting to." Prayer meeting Monday at 8 p. m. Bible study meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 9: Mother's Day. Special arrangement has been made to receive and honor our mothers at the morning hour of worship, 11 a. m. An appropriate theme will occupy the time. At 8 o'clock in the evening a visiting clergyman will speak. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Juniors at 3 p. m.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m., subject: "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 and 8 p. m. Bethlehem Ladies aid at Senum's Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m., May 12th. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening in church basement.

Swedish Lutherans Join World Service Campaign

At a meeting held on Monday evening at the Swedish Lutheran church the Lutheran Church World Service was discussed by Prof. C. E. Sjostrand of Warren. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire, chairman of the Pennington county committee, spoke on the subject of raising funds. Minnesota's quota is $228,000 out of a national total of $1,800,000, the portion of Pennington county being placed at $1,817. Prof. Sjostrand explained that the need is so great that twice the amount specified could be used to good advantage.

An organization was effected with Rev. Albin A. Larson as chairman. Committees for the various churches of the denomination in the county will be appointed during the present week and an active campaign carried on.

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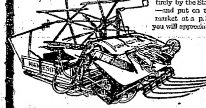

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Time to Re-tire?
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In Our Dry Goods Department

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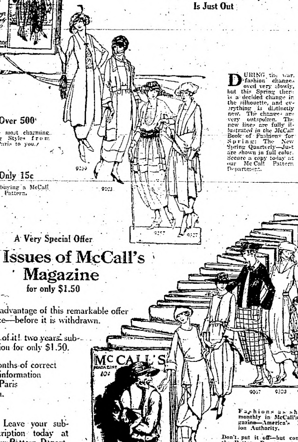

DURING the war, fashion changes moved very slowly, but this Spring there is a decided change in the silhouette, and everything is distinctly new. The changes are very outspoken. The new lines are fully illustrated in the McCall Book of Fashions for Spring: The New Spring Quarterly—Just are shown in full color. Secure a copy today at our McCall Pattern Department.

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Spring fashions are so alluringly feminine that it follows logically—and fashionably—that these modes should be interpreted in silk. And the new silks are here—colorful, rich, and artistic in weave.

A Sensational Value
Plaid Silks
A "Mikado" Silk

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A yard—36 inches wide

The most noteworthy value in many seasons in the silk shop.

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Saving Found in Our Ready-to-Wear Department

Raincoats

We are showing many new Coats that are different—really dressy for the rainy days.

To close out at

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Percale Aprons.
Light or Dark
$1.85 and $2

White Wash Waists
Values up to $3.50
$1.95

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$3.50 to $10

Wash Skirts
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All going at a sale price. A wonderful assortment to select from. Here are a few of the cut prices:

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heavy tin 10 to 12 quarts A good buy at	Special	Blue and White Heavy and big Values up to $2.00	By the yard	By the yard	By the yard
69c	$1.79 Guaranteed for 20 years.	99c	15c	29c	25c

LOKEN'S DEPARTMENT STORE

Silks Satins Linens Velvets Serges

City News

Flowers for Mother's Day at Flower Shop. m6

S. Neseth of Pinewood visited with friends here last Friday.

Math Barzen spent the first of the week in Minneapolis on business.

Wm. Gaylord of Goodridge attended to business here on Thursday.

A. J. Hanson of Gonvick transacted business in this city last Saturday.

Stationery Sale at Laird's. m6

W. C. Hartig left last Wednesday for Austin on a ten days' business trip.

Flowers for Mother's Day at Flower Shop. m6

Miss Claire O'Hara of Holt spent the first of the week visiting with friends here.

Toilet Paper Sale at Laird's. m6

Flowers for Mother's Day at Flower Shop. m6

H. Blomberg, who is employed at Ottertail, passed the week-end in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobstret of Roseau vsiited with friends in this city on Saturday.

Roy Johnson of St. Hilaire was in this city Monday attending to business affairs.

H. E. Turnwall arrived on Saturday and spent the day attending to business affairs.

Miss Helen Walgoske of Oklee was the guest of Miss Christine Giefer over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hamre left on Monday morning for Grafton, N. D., on a business trip.

Miss Violet Krohn, who attends the local high school, spent Sunday at her home in Viking.

Miss Olive Sjoquist of Wannaska was a guest of friends in this city the first of the week.

Mrs. L. Blakely, who had been the guest of Mrs. M. H. Connelly, left on Saturday for Bemidji.

Miss Vera Ketzenberg left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she has accepted a position.

Miss Lily Hoard, who teaches in the vicinity of Erie, passed Sunday visiting at her home here.

Miss Ella Causin, a student at the Lincoln high school, was a week-end guest at her home near Hazel.

Tom Lonson of Calloway was in the city the first of the week as the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson left on Saturday for Warroad, where they attended to matters of business.

Judge Mike Holm of Roseau visited on Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Erickson.

57 Different Magazines at Laird's.

Flowers for Mother's Day at Flower Shop. m6

Earnest Zeh and Earnest Barzen motored to Grand Forks on Sunday *and spent the day as guests of Eli* Westen.

Miss Carrie Holden, who is teaching school at Brookston, spent Sunday in this city as the guest of her parents.

Miss Alta Helland arrived Monday evening from Gonvick and will be the guest of Miss Gladys Anderson for a week.

Miss Anna Bredeson left Saturday morning for Hallock to take up her duties as stenographer in the Farm Bureau office.

Dr. Theo. Bratrud returned Monday morning to Warren after a brief visit at the home of his brother, John Bratrud.

Miss Dora Torgerson left Saturday morning for her home at Oklee after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lund.

Mrs. C. H. Castle of Holt attended to matters of business in this city on Monday, returning to her home the following morning.

Mrs. K. A. Sundahl returned Monday evening from Hazel, where she had been visiting with friends since the previous Saturday.

Joe Werstlein of Aurora, Ill., arrived here on Saturday for an extended visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein.

Miss Esther Anderson of Grygla visited in this city with her sister, Nettie, on Tuesday, enroute on a trip to visit friends at Hallock.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson left Sunday evening for their former home in Norway, where they will visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. H. Peterson and son returned to their home at Middle River Tuesday morning after a brief visit at the home of Mrs. C. Anderson.

Miss Hulda Johnson, who has been employed here for the past two weeks, returned on Saturday morning to her home at Gatzke.

H. O. Loken left Monday evening for Chicago, where he will spend a week or two buying goods for Loken Brothers' department store.

Mrs. Mary Werstlein left on Wednesday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Peter Neth.

Mrs. J. A. Douglas left Wednesday afternoon for her home at Sauk Centre after a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Christie.

Innes Ward, contractor, is in the city attending to business affairs. Mr. Ward was formerly a resident of this city but is now located in Duluth.

Mrs. M. P. Dargon, who had been the guest of relatives in this city for some time, left the latter part of the week for her home at Nashwauk.

Mrs. P. J. Bottem and son left on Monday afternoon over the Great Northern for the Twin Cities, where they will visit for an indefinite time.

G. A. Benson arrived Monday afternoon from his home in Grygla and spent the day attending to business.

I. W. Ward, of Duluth left last Wednesday afternoon for Fargo after attending to business matters in this city.

M. Forder returned to this city on Wednesday from Rollis where he spent a week looking after his farm interests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Chapman of Rainy River, Ont., Can., arrived on Thursday afternoon and spent a brief period visiting with friends.

Miss Hannah Campeau came down from St. Vincent on Tuesday evening and will visit at the R. J. Halvorsen home for some time.

Geo. Biddick returned to this city Wednesday evening from Winnipeg where he had spent the past two months transacting business.

Mrs. Dan Shaw returned on Wednesday evening from Warren where she attended a day's session at the convention of the Woman's clubs.

Flowers for Mother's Day at Flower Shop. m6

Ed. Peterson returned to his home at Manistique, Mich., on Sunday after a short visit at the home of his brother, Leonard Peterson, in this city.

Mrs. J. S. Barnett and son returned on Saturday evening from the cities, where they had spent two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Abbott of Wannaska were visitors in the city on Wednesday. While there they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Mrs. H. W. Wilson returned to her home at Fordyille on Tuesday after a week's visit at the home of Mr. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson.

Mrs. J. S. Jenson and daughters, Ardith and Dorothy, left on Sunday visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. H. P. Perdy, for an indefinite time.

Mrs. John Skomedahl of Steiner made a brief visit in this city the first of the week. While here she was a guest at the home of Mrs. Carl Christopherson.

Miss Emma Olson arrived Monday evening from Warren, where she had been visiting with friends, and left the following morning for her home at Middle River.

Mrs. O. Melby and daughter, Ardith, of Fordville, were guests of relatives in the city the latter part of last week, returning to their home on Tuesday morning.

H. B. Imsdahl of Pitt, arrived on Monday afternoon and visited with friends until Tuesday morning when he left for Warren where he attended to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Olson of Northfield returned to this city last week to make their home. Mr. Olson has accepted a position as salesman in the Oen Mercantile store.

Mrs. E. T. Dale and three children, Joel, Rene and Lenore, left last Wednesday evening for McIntosh for a visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Louise Stovern.

Mrs. Louise Pawling returned last evening from a trip to Northfield. She has been offered the position of cook at the Odd Fellows home in that city but has not yet decided to accept.

Paul Nybakken left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where he will be employed. Up to the time of his departure he had been employed in the grocery department of the Oen Mercantile company.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson of Grygla were visitors here on Monday. Mr. Nelson returned to Grygla the next day, while Mrs. Nelson left for St. Hilaire to visit at her parental home for a short time.

Miss Tora Hanson returned to the city Monday evening from Oslo, at which place she visited over the week-end. She was accompanied by Miss Christine Clausen, who had also visited at the same place.

C. S. Simonson, accompanied by his brother-in-law, George Aspelund, left Sunday morning via the motor route for Ada, where they passed the day visiting with relatives of the former. They returned on Monday.

Miss Gladys Jones returned to her home in Minneapolis the first of the week after a two weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boreen. The latter accompanied her and will remain for a period of a week visiting with friends.

Rev. and Mrs. Propp returned on Monday evening to their home at Ogema after having attended the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Esther Adolphs. While in the city they were the guests of Mrs. Propp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Adolphs.

LEAGUER FILES FOR ATT'Y-GENERALSHIP

May 12 is the Last Day Candidate Can File For State Office.

Thomas Sullivan, St. Paul, a Nonpartisan league candidate, on Monday filed in the office of the secretary of state for the republican nomination for attorney general at the primaries June 21. Mr. Sullivan was the successful candidate for the nomination two years ago. Attorney General Hilton, incumbent, already has filed for re-election on the republican ticket.

Wednesday, May 12, 40 days before the primaries, will be the last day for filing for state offices. Candidates for county office may file as late as June 2, but judges of probate, county commissioners and some clerks of court are the only county officers to be elected this year.

At Work on Streets.

Holt & George have a crew of men at work refilling the trenches dug last fall for the purpose of changing the water main connections. They are puddling the earth back into place and tamping it down, this being one of the stipulations of their contract. The early freezeup forced them to abandon the streets in rather bad condition but they are remedying the matter as rapidly as possible. It is quite a contract to go over the work again but it will have to be done before any further steps are taken in the matter of paving.

Still It Pays.

(Pathfinder)

Paper famine is forcing papers to combine, reduce size, raise advertising and subscription rates, or in many cases go out of business altogether. Numerous Sunday papers now sell at 10 cents or more. The Ladies' Home Journal sends us its new advertising rate card, and you may be interested in seeing what that high-toned monthly charges for its advertising space. The rate is $12 a line or $168 an inch. A full page in colors costs $11,000 and if it is the back cover page it runs up to $15,000. These rates are for one insertion. The Saturday Evening Post rate is $10 a line, and $10,000 for last cover page. How many pages would you like at these rates?

What Are You?

(Grand Rapids Herald-Review)

The world is either too conservative or too radical. We do not know which way to turn. Organized labor is too radical for some and too conservative for others. Individuals are either bolshevists or rank reactionaries. The man of good sound sense seems to have been lost in the shuffle.

It is a very easy thing to call names to classify the other fellow. The sooner, however, that America gets down to the business of looking at its problems and its people without hangover prejudices, the sooner large public difficulties will be solved.

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Warmer weather is surely coming and the wise housewife will protect herself as far as possible from loss as well as make provision for her comfort as far as possible. Among the things necessary are

Refrigerators
Kitchen Cabinets
Oil Stoves

We can supply the best there is in the market in any of the above articles and at prices that are right. Actual money loss results from attempting to get along without these warm weather necessities, to say nothing of the discomforts and annoyance their absence entails.

Ask to see our line. It is certain that you will find something that just suits your purpose at just the price you wish to pay.

Larson Furniture Company

Horton Motor Company Educational Tour

Representatives of the Maxwell-Chamblers line of automobiles and trucks will be ini Thief River Falls on

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 3

and will show Cut-Open Chasis which presents view of all working parts of an automobile. This is part of an educational tour of the Northwestern states, and is the most sensational display ever made by manufacturers of automotive vehicles.

Watch for further particulars.

Prichard Auto Co.

Cooling and Nourishing

is a glass of our ice cold milk on a hot day. Better than all the alcoholic or carbonated beverages as a real satisfying drink. More men are drinking milk and buttermilk all the time. Folks don't call men mollycoddles for using sound sense, of which milk drinking is evidence.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Times Want Ads Sure Pay

Summer Hats for Summer Wear

For the new Summer Season we are showing a fetching array of original models.

Our showroom is the place for those who are seeking fashionable millinery. Come in and see our special showing on

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Farm Machinery Situation

We feel that it is our duty to call to the attention of our trade, the facts before us. In brief then; We have been requested by the several manufacturers with whom we do business to advance our prices on different machines from 10% to 25%, these advances having been made by International Harvester Co., Moline Plow Co., and others taking effect at once.

BUT

We, however, are not bound under our contracts to make these advances in prices at this time, but that we are protected under our contracts to the extent of machinery ordered under our contracts we are going to give to our trade the benefit of the old prices for some time.

How we will protect our customers

This means that we will not advance our prices until present stock is exhausted, and by placing your orders now for anything in the line of farm machinery which we handle, the entire saving of these advances will go to such customers. For example; Grain Drills having advanced 20%, by buying now will mean a saving of about $40.00 or over. Grain Binders have advanced 10% and if you will give us your order now, this saving is yours. On Grain Binders, and other machinery which you buy for Harvest and fall use, we do not ask for settlement now. Simply your order, and we will then protect you under the old prices. This we will also do on Twine. Twine is now about 6 cents per lb., cheaper than last year, but there is no guarantee that this price will be in effect when harvest season comes. But we can protect you under these saving prices if you will place your order now. If you need a plow of any kind, now or for fall or next year, buy now, or place your order now and save from 10% to 15%. Hay Stackers and Sweep Rakes are up 20%. If you need any of these buy now and save this 20%. We have mentioned just a few items above, but there is hardly a single piece of machinery that is not advanced in price as per above percentage.

The manufacturers give the reason for these increases in prices that almost daily they are confronted with increases in the cost of both labor and material, and while we are very sorry indeed to make the statement, we are quite confident that further advances are bound to follow. Therefore the very wisest move—we state to our customers now—figure out what you need for some future time, or even that you believe you can make use of, and place your orders with us now. It will positively be a safe and good investment.

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ALL REDUCTIONS ARE GENUINE

Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, and Shoes at Greatly Reduced Prices

Saturday, May 8 is positively the LAST DAY. If you are in need of Clothing, Shoes, Underwear, Hats or Caps, Sox, Shirts, Gloves, Suspenders, Raincoats, Autocoats, Overalls—in fact anything for men or boys to wear COME TO THIS SALE.

MANY SPECIAL PRICES FOR SATURDAY

A few of the many bargains. Many others not mentioned here. Special prices will be made on anything in the store regularly priced at over one dollar.

Hats and Caps

All our new stock included.

HATS		CAPS	
$12 Hats	$9.95	$1.50 Caps	$1.29
$10 Hats	$7.95	$2.00 Caps	$1.65
$8 Hats	$6.45	$2.50 Caps	$1.95
$7 Hats	$5.95	$3.00 Caps	$2.35
$6 Hats	$4.95	$3.50 Caps	$2.75
$5 Hats	$3.95	$4.00 Caps	$2.95
$4 Hats	$3.25	$4.50 Caps	$3.25
		$5.00 Caps	$3.50
		$6.00 Caps	$4.50

MEN'S CLOTHING

Our entire stock of men's Suits ON SALE UNTIL SATURDAY NIGHT. Our Suits are of the best makes known. We have a large and complete selection to choose from. We guarantee perfect fit and satisfaction or money back. Single breasted, double breasted, belt around, in fact almost any style you may wish. There is one thing sure—we will satisfy you.

EVERY SUIT BEARS THE REGULAR SELLING PRICE MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES. SALE PRICE AS FOLLOWS:

Former Price	Sale Price	Former Price	Sale Price	Former Price	Sale Price
$25.00 Suits	$18.75	$45.00 Suits	$36.50	$65.00 Suits	$54.50
$30.00 Suits	$23.50	$50.00 Suits	$39.50	$70.00 Suits	$59.50
$35.00 Suits	$28.50	$55.00 Suits	$46.50	$75.00 Suits	$63.50
$40.00 Suits	$32.50	$60.00 Suits	$49.50	$80.00 Suits	$68.50

One Lot Men's Light-Colored Suits

A few dark colored ones, worth $25.00 and $35.00, sizes 34 to 38 only, per suit $18.95

10 per cent discount on all Men's Pants

Work Shirts.
Men's Blue and Gray "Red Seal" union made Work Shirts. These Shirts are well worth $2.00 today. For Saturday each
$1.29
Sizes 14 to 17.

Black Sateen Shirts.
McDonald Union made Black Sateen Shirts. These are worth $2.50 to $3. For Saturday each
$1.85
Sizes 14 to 17.

One Lot Work Shirts.
Men's good grade of Khaki colored work Shirts made with two pockets, very well made. A shirt worth $2.50. While they last each
$1.45
About 5 dozen. Sizes 14 to 17.

Boys' Blouses.
"Kaynee" and Ideal" Boys Blouses. The best kind made. They are worth $1.50. For Saturday
98c
Come early for these.

Auto Gloves.
"Grinnell" Auto Gloves, a regular $3.50 Glove For Saturday
$2.75
Per pair

Overalls.
Men's best grade blue Denim "Bear Brand" Overalls and Jackets. $3.50 values today. For Saturday
$2.65
Per pair
One Suit to a customer.

Men's Shirts

One lot of men's fine Shirts, $2.50 and $3.00 values, each $1.85

One lot of men's fine Dress Shirts, each $1.69

Boys' Suits

Our entire stock of Boys' Suits—a good assortment and plenty to choose from, sizes 3 to 18, knee pants style. The quality is of the best. About 100 Suits to choose from.

$10.00 Suits	$7.95	$8.00 Suits	$6.45
$12.00 Suits	$9.85	$7.00 Suits	$5.95
$14.00 Suits	$11.45	$6.00 Suits	$4.45
$15.00 Suits	$11.95	$5.00 Suits	$3.65
$20.00 Suits	$16.45		

Shoes Shoes Shoes Shoes

AN AVALANCHE OF MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES

About 1,000 pairs of men's and boys' Shoes to be sold at greatly reduced prices. These are real leather Shoes.

$10.00 Men's Dress Shoes Now, Pair	$12.00 Men's Dress Shoes Now, Pair	$14.00 Men's Dress Shoes Now, Pair	$16.00 Men's extra fine Dress Shoes, Two-tone Style, Extra Special	EMOND'S Foot Fitter Shoes $12 value, pair
$7.95	$8.95	$10.45	$10.95	$9.95

These are all genuine reductions from regular selling price.

Spring Oxfords

Our stock of men's fine Oxfords, consisting of all our new arrivals, about 75 pair in a number of styles and leathers. Regular selling price $12.50 and $15.00.

$12.00 Oxfords now $10.45
$15.00 Oxfords now $11.75

Men's Underwear

Men's fine Spring Needle Union Suits, long or short sleeves, $2.50 values, suit $1.95
2-Piece Balbriggan Underwear, Shirts or Drawers, each 85c

NIGHT SHIRTS and PAJAMAS

$2.00 Men's Night Shirts $1.65
$2.50 Men's Night Shirts $1.95
$3.00 Pajamas, Now $2.35

RAIN COATS AND SLIP-ON COATS

8 Men's fine trench style Coats, regular $18 value, now $12.95

AUTO COATS

$18.00 Auto Coats $14.95
$22.50 Auto Coats $17.95

Hosiery

One lot of extra fine BLACK "Strutwear" men's Hose, 50c values, now, per pair 35c
All sizes, 9½ to 12.

Handkerchiefs

Men's fancy fine woven Handkerchiefs, 35c value, each 27c
INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, 3 in a box, $1.25 value (boxes of three) 85c

EXTRA SPECIAL

12 inch high cut men's leather Shoes. Regular value at $10 to $12. For Saturday $6.45 Pair

Our Shoe Stock for men and boys consists of all good first class Shoes. These are not the usual sales variety offered at reduced prices. These Shoes are made to wear; they will fit your feet, look right and give you the best of comfort and satisfaction.

EXTRA SPECIAL

Men's Shoes consisting of odds and ends of different lines. Worth $7, $8 and $10. Choice, per pair $4.85

SUSPENDERS		BELTS	
60c Suspenders	45c	50c Belts	39c
75c Suspenders	55c	75c Belts	55c
$1.00 Suspenders	79c	$1.00 Belts	75c
$1.25 Suspenders	95.	$1.50 Belts	$1.15
$1.50 Suspenders	$1.19	$2.00 Belts	$1.45
$2.00 Suspenders	$1.49		

Garters, 29c each pair.

"Litle Major" Suits $1.69 Sizes 2 to 8.

One Lot Men's Hats
Worth $2.50 to $7.00.
Your choice, each
$1.49

ARMY STYLE SHOES FOR BOYS
$3.95 Pair
These are worth $6 to 7 per pair

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THE PAVING PROGRAM.

Now that the contract has actually been let it is probable that not half a hundred people in Thief River Falls would go on record as being opposed to paving. For a long time some of them thought they were, but the longer they looked at the proposition the more convinced they became that it was a needed improvement and one that the city had gone without too long already. Most of those who have been on the list of objectors—and many of them were good, conscientious men who actually believed that the move was unwise—now are willing to go at least so far as to say that there never was a question as to the desirability of paving but that they rather figured that the time was not ripe.

It is going to cost the man who owns a twenty-five foot lot in the paving district just about $400 to have the pavement placed in front of his property. He will be given twenty years in which to pay this sum, or at the rate of $20 per year. To this will be added the interest, but this and more can surely be discounted by reason of the added value of his holdings. He realizes this now and is willing to admit it.

The outcome of this paving agitation shows what can be accomplished when everyone is willing to approach a subject with no other intent than that of solving it in the best manner possible. At the outset it looked as if the community might be pretty well divided on the question, but as time passed and it became more and more evident that no one was trying to put across anything but what he considered for the best interests of all concerned a better feeling prevailed and it was admitted that there might something be said for both contentions. That so little fuss was made over the final letting of the contract proves that the people are pretty well satisfied that the wisest course has been taken.

The members of the city council are entitled to a whole lot of credit for having held out in their original determination, which was to pave the streets if it could be done at any sort of a reasonable price. They were criticised in some quarters and praised in others, but were not swayed unduly by either attitude and did what in their judgment was best for the future of the city. That their final decision was the right one to arrive at everyone will admit before the end of the summer.

There may be those who believe that a cheaper material should have been employed, but they are few. The council took pains to investigate the advantages or drawbacks of every kind of pavement within reach of the different committees and when after such investigation they voted unanimously for bitulithic it could have been for no other reason than that they considered it the best within their means.

Cement would have been a few cents per yard cheaper but if the material chosen is even in the slightest degree more suitable for the purpose the rejection of the less costly surfacing was justified. It must be remembered that we will have to live right with this pavement for years and years and that the few cents difference in cost is a matter of absolutely no importance if we find that we have what we want.

WHEAT STILL KING

Unless surrounding counties go in more heavily for wheat this spring than has Pennington, this corner of Minnesota is gonig to fall far behind its usual supply of this important staple. Men competent to judge of the matter claim that not more than 50 per cent of last year's acreage will be planted to wheat this spring, and this means about 75 per cent of a five year average. Because of the price guarantee and the recognized shortage the farmers devoted more than the usual attention to wheat last year. This guarantee has been removed and uncertainty as regards future prices has had something to do with the curtailment, but the late spring is the principal factor in bringing about the present decidedly serious condition.

The farmer knows that the world will need his wheat next fall but he is afraid that the rust will get to it before he has a chance to turn it over to the world, in which case no one would get any benefit out of the time and money he spent in getting it into the ground. Experience has proven that when wheat is planted later than the twentieth of April the chances against its bringing forth a crop are not particularly good. He therefore turns to flax or barley, both of which can be sown later and with a greater assurance of coming out all right.

It should be remembered that the northwestern farmer is not to blame for the present conditions. He would willingly plant wheat were he given any kind of assurance that his crop could be disposed of at a profit. He proved this to the entire satisfaction of everyone while the guarantee held good. He would likely do the same thing this year without a guarantee, realizing that the price will in all probability be higher than when a minimum was fixed, but the weather has taken the matter out of his hands.

He can still help out the situation by planting potatoes, however, but again he is up against it. Seed is so high that he is afraid the harvest price will leave him with no margin. This fact threatens to cut down the potato acreage also, creating a shortage in another necessary staple.

Bear in mind the fact that the city is more interested in what the farmer does this year than is that individual himself. The latter will provide enough for his needs without any trouble, but if he does no better than this it will go hard on the consuming public. For this reason if no other every agency should be bent toward assisting him and encouraging him to plant such crops as are most likely to be in demand. Just how this may be done is not very apparent. It is not likely that any plan for providing cheaper and more plentiful seed can be launched at this late day with any hope of saving the situation. Urging more extensive planting without in some manner providing the means for carrying out such program will not help. The farmer is simply powerless to act differently even if he wished to.

The outlook is not very cheering, but the farmer is perhaps less to be pitied than those dependant upon his products.

A COMMUNITY ASSET

The beautifying of home grounds in towns and villages is not only a source of pleasure to owners of homes but is a real community asset, says R. S. Mackintosh, horticultural specialist of the agricultural extension division of the University of Minnesota. Mr. Mackintosh says that in his travels about the state he has noticed that travelers, in passing through any community, are quick to give attention to local improvements and that a town in which the grounds about residences are improved always excites favorable comment. At this time of year, therefore, there should be a general setting out of trees and shrubs for shade, beauty and protection, and the planting of back-yards with vegetables, fruits and flowers as a means of reducing the high cost of living and of adding to the pleasures of the table and the beauty of the home surroundings. As a preliminary to this, Mr. Mackintosh adds, there should be a general cleaning up in every community. Tin cans, ash-piles and other debris, should be removed, lawns raked, and leaves gathered up and burned or else piled where they will decay in order to be made use of later as fertilizer materials.

Every town urges Mr. Mackintosh, should be well groomed, and a concerted movement by the people of every community should be made to see that such grooming is general thruout the community.

Just at this time when so much is being said about church unity, the action of the people of Baudette stands out as an excellent example for others to follow, especially those of the smaller communities. During the past year or two five Protestant pastors belonging to different denominations have been forced to leave the field at Baudette because of lack of support. The citizens of that enterprising burg have come to the conclusion that their efforts are being too widely scattered and that centralization will bring better results. Consequently a movement has been started having for its purpose the calling of a pastor to serve a community church to which all will be invited to come on an equal footing. They have found that they cannot maintain a half dozen organizations whose aim it is to arrive at one purpose in practically the same way and will "cut the overhead" by consolidation. The only fault to find with a movement of this kind is that it was not started sooner.

The Country Weekly.

(Adams)

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I am the friend of the family, the bringer of tidings of other friends; I speak to the home in the evening light of summer's vine-clad porch, or the glow of winter's lamp.

I help to make this evening hour; I record the great and the small, the varied acts of the days and weeks that go to make up life.

I am for and of the home; I follow those who leave humble beginnings; whether they go to greatness or to the gutter, I take to them the thrill of old days, with wholesome messages.

I speak the language of the common man; my words are fitted to his understanding. My congregation is larger than that of any church in my town; my readers are more than those in the school. Young and old alike find in me stimulation, instruction, entertainment, inspiration, solace, comfort. I am the chronicler of birth, and love and death—the three great facts of man's existence.

I bring together buyer and seller, to the benefit of both; I am part of the market place of the world. Into the home I carry word of the goods which feed and clothe and shelter, and which minister to comfort, ease, health and happiness.

I am the word of the week, the history of the year, the record of my community in the archives of state and nation.

I am the exponent of the lives of my readers.

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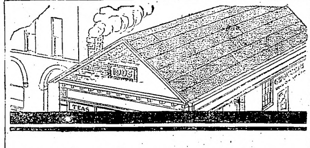

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City News

Birthday Cards at Laird's. m6

Mrs. A. Prevy of Plummer shopped between trains here on Thursday.

Miss Alice Peterson came down from Warren on Friday to witness the class play given in the evening.

Miss Emma Rud of Holt spent Friday in this city. While here she attended the class play given that evening.

Misses Lena Risan and Edna Stephenson of Goodridge, were here last Wednesday visiting with friends and shopping.

Miss Tilda Frylsholm, who recently visited in this city the latter part of last week enroute to her home in Minneapolis.

Misses Emma Henke and Anna Froiland, teachers in the vicinity of St. Hilaire were shoppers in this city on Saturday.

Maurice Goodman of St. Paul was in the city last week attending to business matters. He returned to his home Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. Torgerson of Greenbush was in the city on Tuesday attending to shopping. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Anna Dock.

Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag and come to Mavie Saturday night and have a real old time dance. Good music and good eats.—m6

Dr. G. M. Milan returned last week from St. Louis, where he had been attending the annual meeting of the National Tuberculosis association.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds arrived Thursday evening from Minneapolis where she has been for the past two months and will remain in this city for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Erickson and children left on Thursday afternoon for their new home in Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Erickson had resided in this city for the past winter.

Milton Foster left this city last Sunday morning for his farm near [illegible] where he will remain for an indefinite period. He had spent the past few months as the guest of his daughter Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Mrs. T. L. Mehrer and son, Leo, and daughter, Margaret, returned to this city Saturday, motoring from Portland, Ore., after a four months' absence. They report a very pleasant trip but were glad to return to their home and friends here.

Miss Evelyn Cornforth arrived last Friday morning from Grand Forks and was the guest of her sister, Miss Edith, until flyer time when she left for Minneapolis where she will await an appointment with the Western Union Telegraph company.

"Bob" Jordan, at one time the greatest first baseman in the world and a member of the Thief River Falls team, was in the city the first of the week. His business had to do particularly with the members of the First National bank staff, but he [illegible] greeting none of his old cronies whom he could find.

Kodak Album Sale at Laird's. m6

Born, Sunday, May 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson, a baby girl.

Mrs. Thos. Rowan left Tuesday for Minneapolis, where she will visit with friends for a week.

Miss Alma Bolstad left Monday afternoon for Crookston, where she has secured employment.

Mrs. O. J. Weekly of Gully is in the city as a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ray Spencer.

H. L. Faugly left on Monday evening for Minneapolis after visiting with friends here since Saturday.

Carl Sandahl and Kenneth Wattam motored to Warren on Tuesday evening to witness a home talent play.

Mrs. J. N. Nesse and two children are spending the week as guests at the former's parental home in McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Mauritz Brink passed Thursday and Friday in St. Hilaire visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Russell Anderson left on Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls, where he will be employed for a month on a surveying job.

Miss Margaret Fier left Wednesday morning for her home at Middle River after a short time spent in this city doing some shopping.

L. A. Lampert moved on Monday into his new residence on Knight avenue, which he recently purchased from Wm. Boyce of Superior.

Miss Ione Mallery arrived Wednesday evening from Warren and remained until Wednesday morning, returning at that time to her home at Steiner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson left for Crookston on Tuesday morning via the auto route. Mrs. Peterson returned to her home here Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Al. Cunnington arrived Monday evening from her home in New York City and will visit indefinitely at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Thompson.

Dean McGinn, advertising manager for the class play, left on Saturday morning for Greenbush, Roseau and Baudette to make arrangements for the appearance of the play at those places in the near future.

Mrs. Lucy [illegible] arrived Friday morning from Grand Forks where she is employed and spent a short period visiting with her daughter, Miss Kathleen. While here she also witnessed the class play in which her daughter played an important part. She returned to the above mentioned place on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Agnes Ele of Goodridge was the guest of friends here on Wednesday enroute to Dunseith, N. D., where she will remain during the summer with her sister, Miss Lottie Ele, who is a patient at the sanatorium at that place. The latter had a severe attack of the flu this winter which later developed into pneumonia leaving her in a very weakened condition. At present however, she is on the rapid road to recovery, of which her many friends will be pleased to learn.

Letter Files below cost, at Laird's.

Miss Florence Robbecke left on Friday afternoon for Fargo where she was the guest of friends for a few days.

Mrs. S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls shopped and visited here on Friday, arriving in the morning and returning in the afternoon.

David Johnson, county superintendent of Marshall county, motored to this city on Thursday and spent the day attending to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Oscar Gunstad of St. Hilaire, visited in this city between trains Wednesday.

Clayton Olson, accompanied by Miss Vera Didnow, motored over from Argyle on Sunday. While in the city they were the guests of Miss Zelia Zeh.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wilcox, who for the past thirty years have made this city their home, made their departure last Wednesday morning for Cass Lake where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Carlson of Holt were in the city on Friday to witness the class play. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson of Newfolden and Miss Gunhild Solem of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rockstad who had spent the winter in California, visited in this city the latter part of last week with relatives, leaving on Thursday evening for their home in Hastings, this state.

Mrs. Chas. Pellymunter of Fayette, Ia., is in the city as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Berg. She will remain here until after the commencement exercises, her sister being a member of the senior class.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jenas, accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fox, and family, left on Saturday morning via the auto route for Ada and Felton where they will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mother's Day Cards at Laird's. m6

Mrs. E. Aspelund spent the first of the week at Newfolden visiting with relatives.

Miss Thora Bergland left Monday morning for Steiner, where she spent a few days visiting with friends.

Olaf Winger left on Thursday morning for his home in Kennedy after a brief business mission here.

Roy Miller student at the North Dakota university spent the week end as the guest of his mother, Mrs. Betsey Miller.

Miss Lucille Brooks, who is employed here left on Thursday morning for Duluth, where she will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Ruth Evenson motored over on Sunday from Crookston and spent the day visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Evenson.

Lars Kleppe of Newfolden arrived here on Thursday evening and spent a day visiting with friends. While here he was the guest of Francis Burns.

Mrs. Art Hailen and children of Grand Forks, arrived Saturday morning and spent a few days visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Chris Storholm.

Mrs. J. Johnson and daughter, Ellen, who were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Sewson last week, returned to their home in Warren on Thursday morning.

Glenn Anderson returned to this city on Saturday morning from Grand Forks where he had attended to matters of business. It is his intention to remove to the above mentioned city in the near future.

Mrs. Chas. Moore and little daughter, Elaine arrived here on Friday afternoon from her home in Rainy River, Ont. Can., in response to a letter stating that her grandmother was seriously ill. While in the city they will be the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Wm. Patten.

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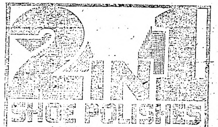

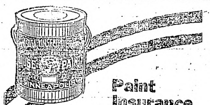

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The time has come when we must choose between two courses, that of lowering the quality or increasing the price of the bread.

The first course is out of the question as far as we are concerned. We will not allow ourselves to stoop so low regardless of the temptations which present themselves from time to time.

The only course left open to us is that of increasing the price. Knowing full well the conditions we are all up against, we have been reluctant to do this in the immediate past. The last straw having come with the recent rise in flour and sugar.

However, in looking over the present prices of the various foods we find bread even at this price to be very cheap, in fact it is the cheapest as well as the best food that money can buy, this on account of its high caloric content.

Bread is composed of about 85% Carbo-drates, 10% Protein, 3% fat and 2% Ash and Crude Fiber. You can readily see by this analysis that bread is your BEST food. Carbohydrates and fat represent the ENERGY producing ability and the Protein represents the TISSUE building and repair value of the food. Ash and Crude fiber represents the waste material.

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VICTORY BREAD

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SIX FIRES IN COUNTY IN 1919; LOSS $29,500.

The report of State Fire Marshall George H. Nettleton for the year 1919 has just been issued. It shows that the total loss from fires during that period in the state was $3,891,544 while the value of the buildings in which these fires occurred and the contents thereof was $5,907,194.

Pennington county had six fires, the value of the property involved being $46,350, the damage $29,500, and insurance $27,800. One arrest was made and conviction secured in the county for persons accused of setting fire to their property.

Red Lake county also had six fires the loss there being $8,500 with insurance of $8,025. Marshall county had three fires, Roseau county had 11, and Clearwater county none.

Dwelling houses naturally head the list in the classes of property destroyed in the state, there being 1005 reported under this classification. Stores and barns come next with 169 and 164 respectively. Eleven wholesale houses caught fire and there were 36 hotel fires.

Fires of unknown origin were 424 in number and responsible for losses amounting to $1,569,166. Sparks from chimney heads the list among the known causes, there being 213 thus designated. Among the other causes of fires were defective flues, 125; carelessness with matches, 102; electric wires, 81, and gasoline explosions 23.

Visited Neighboring Lodge.

Two auto loads of Odd Fellows, members of Lone Pine lodge, went to St. Hilaire last Thursday evening and witnessed the conferring of the third degree on a class of eight. The work was very well done and all the proceedings of the evening most interesting. A number of the St. Hilaire Odd Fellows made application to join the recently formed Riverside encampment in this city and will be initiated at an early meeting. There is considerable interest in this department of Odd Fellowship in this section and as the Thief River Falls lodge takes in a large territory the growth of the new branch will no doubt be rapid.

Will Support Steenerson.

Warroad Pioneer: There is a large element within the league membership in this district that supported Steenerson two years ago and will support him again this year, regardless of any other candidate that may be offered. Six thousand five hundred of those who voted for Lindbergh two years ago also voted for Steenerson. This element consists of the well informed grain growers in the Valley counties, who have kept close watch on legislation effecting the northwest grain farmer, and who know that in the last few years Steenerson has been the most effective spokesman in congress in their behalf. This, together with the fact that he has always been ready to co-operate with the North Dakota delegation on local measures affecting the northwest may cause the league leaders to abandon the idea of putting up a candidate against him this year.

Pennington County Boys Will Attend State Camp

Farm boys of the state will have their ninth annual camp at the Minnesota State Fair this year, Sept. 1 to 11. Two farm boys from each county who won first place in the contest for the largest enrollment in club projects, conducted by the agricultural extension division of the Minnesota farm college in 1919, are entitled to membership in the camp. Those who will go from Pennington county are Amos Mostue and Vernon Copp of Thief River Falls.

Ole R. Tuff.

Ole R. Tuff of Wanke passed away at his home last Saturday. Deceased was 69 years, 6 months and 18 days old. He had been ailing for some time with rheumatism, and this, followed by an attack of rheumatism, caused his death. The children were all summoned home and spent his last days with him.

After all there is only the difference of a few beats of the heart between the living and the dead. A little more anxiety, a few more tears, a few more moments of gladness, and the universal fate will be ours.

The body was laid to rest at Nazareth's cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. B. A. Johnson of Northwood, N. D., was the only out-of-town person present aside from the immediate relatives.—Contributed.

ANOTHER CANDIDATE FILES FOR CONGRESS

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls Wants Democratic Nomination

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls believes there is a chance that a Democrat may be elected to congress from the Ninth district this year and has filed as a candidate. This is the first time for some years that the Democrats have had a man on the ticket for this position, and while his chances of election do not look particularly bright it is understood that he will make a campaign for the place.

According to the Red Lake Falls Gazette Mr. Jeffers, who is the present register of deeds in that county, sizes up the situation as follows:

"Millions of dollars and millions of men have been sacrificed to make the world safe for Democracy so I figure that it is now safe for a Democrat to run for Congress in this Ninth district."

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank neighbors and many friends who were with us during the loss of our father. "Human sympathy is balm in sorrow."—Mrs. O. K. Tuff, Melvin Tuff, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wiberg, Jane R. Tuff, Olga Tuff, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Lee.

A. Lonson of Calloway was in the city the first of the week attending to business matters.

W. L. SMITHIES LEADS INTERCHURCH DRIVE

W. L. SMITHIES

Minnesota Director of Interchurch United Simultaneous Financial Campaign.

STATE ORGANIZED TO BACK CHURCH

Duluth Man Heads Campaign to Raise Minnesota's Quota.

INTERCHURCH CAMPAIGN ASKS BILLION IN U. S.

Men Who Gave Services to Government for Dollar a Year Enlist in Cause under Banner of Cross.

During the week of April 25 Minnesota is to raise her quota in the billion dollar campaign proposed by the Interchurch World Movement. The responsibility of directing the financial campaign in this state rests upon W. L. Smithies, executive secretary of the Interchurch Council of Duluth, who has been appointed state campaign director.

Mr. Smithies organized and successfully directed war drives in northern Minnesota, including the Red Cross membership drive, Y. M. C. A. and united war work campaign and has launched into his new work by dividing the state into 11 districts with general headquarters at 836 Lumber Exchange, Minneapolis.

Campaign Directors Named.

Campaign directors have been appointed in each of the 11 districts. They in turn select a campaign director for each county, and the county directors assume the responsibility of community organization. These community organizations are made up of both church members and non-church men who have a friendly feeling toward the church.

Each cooperating denomination will have its solicitors who will work wholly among the people of their denomination. The citizens' committee in each community will approach friendly citizens with no particular church affiliation and call upon business organizations to present the program for more businesslike church activity.

"During the war," says Mr. Smithies, "business men of broad caliber were willing, as a patriotic service, to give their time and energy to the work of winning the war on the dollar-a-year basis. Men of the same kind—indeed, in many instances the same men—are accepting the challenge of this inspiring task of raising money for the spread of the Christian religion throughout the world, and for the efficient administration of Christian churches and institutions in the United States. These men recognize in this movement a new spirit of forgetfulness of theological or denominational differences. In fact, the movement is grounded on the principle that friendly rivalry between different denominations will enhance the effectiveness of the entire campaign for funds.

Every Dollar Assigned.

"For the first time in history, people of the United States will be asked to give to the World Movement and they will know beforehand just where every dollar of their money is going. Absolute protection of the local church identity and denominational identity is one of the strong features of the plan. No local church is asked to yield one whit of its rights and privileges when entering the united campaign.

"All denominations come together in a great meeting to make their reports. Denominations form divisions and local churches form units in those divisions. In addition there is the enlistment of the citizens' division, made up of friends in the community who have no denominational connections.

"It is proposed in the united campaign in the community that the great report meetings made up of denominational divisions and local church units, together with the powerful Citizens' Division, give a demonstration in the community of the solidarity of the Christian forces and the wonderful comprehensiveness of the church program which has grown out of the survey."

And Still They Come.

Oliver J. Quane, newspaper editor, veteran of two wars and successor to John A. Johnson as editor of the St. Peter Herald, has filed for governor of Minnesota on the Democratic ticket. His makes the fifth entry, the others being R. W. Hargadine, St. Paul; C. M. Andrist, Minneapolis; Julius Thorson, Benson, and Edward Indrehus, Foley. As there are about eight on the Republican ticket the voter will have a wide range to select from.

FREE SCHOLARSHIP AT HAMLINE IS OFFERED

High school students of Thief River Falls have been invited to participate in a scholarship competition by Hamline university, St. Paul. A scholarship valued at $100 will be awarded to the high school senior who is successful in competition against other students of his district.

For the purposes of the competition the state has been divided into districts. Pennington county, with Kittson, Roseau and Marshall, is in the twenty-eight district.

The contest is open to accredited high school seniors who expect to be graduated this spring. Each candidate must submit a transcript of his high school record, a composition of from 500 to 2,000 words on a current topic and three testimonials as to character. These will be judged by the Hamline scholarship committee.

The high schools in the twenty-eighth district are Argyle, Stephen, Warren, Hallock and Roseau.

Libraries As a Protection Against Wildcat Schemes

Speculation in "wild-cat" stocks which has caused enormous losses in the last few years, is being checked not only by investigations conducted by municipal chambers of commerce and kindred organizations, but by public libraries. Thousands of dollars have been diverted from spurious or doubtful enterprises and much misery spared by information obtained from books on library shelves dealing with the fundamentals of the proposition which "promised" large and quick returns on the investment.

A man in a middle western city recently lost a large sum by investing in a gasoline producing proposition without informing himself in its feasability. Another saved himself thousands by going to the public library and reading about the technology of gasoline making. Enormous amounts of money could be saved daily by persons in every walk of life if they would obtain authentic information before they undertake the particular proposition in which they are interested.

A vast store of technical information is available at the public library and its widespread use will tend to eliminate many sources of waste and useless effort in the industrial and business world. The Enlarged Program of the American Library Association purposes to promote good reading and universal self-education through books and libraries and create a public sentiment that will adequately support existing libraries and cause libraries to be created where they do not now exist. To carry out the provisions of this program, a fund of $2,000,000 is now being raised by librarians, library trustees and friends of libraries without recourse to an intensive drive.

Let's Talk Potato

You, as a grower, and we as handlers, have a common interest in the success of next fall's potato crop. Unless you are successful in producing the staple we will have none to handle.

Potatoes are high in price and indications are that they will continue to be one of the most profitable and dependable products that a man can raise. But the stock must be of a kind and quality for which there is a demand. Northwestern Minnesota growers have already lost thousands of dollars by failing to observe the rules long ago adopted by successful potato men in other sections.

Stop this loss. Get together and plant uniform seed, treated to prevent disease. Plant it in ground carefully prepared and which has grown no diseased potatoes for some years. Cultivate consistently and spray when necessary in order to prevent insect pests from destroying your crop.

Follow These Instructions and You Cannot Fail

Come in and talk the matter over with us. We will be glad to give you the best advice of which we are capable. In this way you may be prevented from making a mistake at the outset and we will have been instrumental in increasing the potato yield of the section. We'll both be money ahead and will be generally better off for the acquaintanceship.

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Classified Wants

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FOR SALE

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N. W. ¼ Sec. 22, Township of Smiley. Good buildings on place. Write

J. PFEFFER
411 Torrey Bldg. Duluth, Minn.

FOR SALE—I have 20 acres 1 3-4 mile from [illegible], Florida; finest orange and grapefruit land; finest climate in the world. No winter, no bad storms, plenty rain and sunshine. No crop failures. Can produce more on 20 acres there than 160 here; only 4 miles from ocean. Land selling now for $200 to $250 per acre, but will sell mine for $[illegible] per acre if sold soon. May consider trade for city property.—J. L. Bean, City. 69p

FOR SALE—My home at 935 Arnold Ave. N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and ready for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 50 bbl. cistern, hot water heat, [illegible] plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. M. Bottem.

FOR SALE—[illegible] acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 2½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE. At reasonable prices: Fordson tractor, plow, breaking plow, disc and harrow; all adapted for tractor. Good stump puller. All articles in first class condition and located at Holt, Minn. Address C. S. Holgren, New Richland, Minn. Box 66. 70

FOR SALE—[illegible] acres of rich land, all under cultivation with small buildings, located on graveled road close to town. If interested call at once as I am going West in a few days. C. Arneson, 522 Red Lake Blvd., upstairs. 69p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Red Eggs from prize winning stock, $2.00 for 15 eggs. Also S. C. White Leghorns, $1.50 for 15 eggs. Place your order now.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. 1, Box 529, Thief River Falls, Minn. 70p

EVERBEARING Strawberry plants will be on the market next week. These plants are an improvement over the Progressive according to nursery reports. $3.00 for hundred; $1.75 for 50. Mrs. Alvina Lautenbach, over Palace Clothing house. 70p

FOR SALE—Davenport. Single bed, complete, dresser, water power washing machine and other household goods. Also some chickens.—Jos N. Gulden, 317 Horace Ave. N. 69p

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 66tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING—I have setting eggs from my prize-winning S. C. Rhode Island Reds which will be sold at $2.50 for 15 eggs.—Olaf Nesset. 70

FOR SALE—One 1916 Oldsmobile Six, seven passenger, in first class condition. Electric lights; tires in good condition. Address Wm. L. Boyce, 401 7th Ave. S., Fargo, N. D. 69

PUREBRED B. Plymouth Rock chicken eggs, per setting 60c. Leave orders at Benson's old stand or write to me.—Purebred Stock and Dairy Farm, C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Sec. 17-154-41, 2½ miles northwest from Mavie. Price $5,000.00 $500.00 down, balance in five years.—Chas. Radtke, Nerstrand, Minn. 71p

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at $11 per acre, 15 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric line. Inquire Times office or phone 4492. 66tf

FOR SALE—Good 6-room house on Red Lake Boulevard, close to Soo depot on river bank. Will be sold cheap. Write to C. G. Franson, Viking, Minn. 57tf

FOR SALE—Apperson roadster, "Jackrabbit" model. Tires in good shape, Atwater Kent ignition system. Phone 11. 69p

FOR SALE—Team of dapple gray horses, mare and gelding, 5 and 6 years this spring. Good lead team for plow. Work good everywhere.—Aug. Schnedder, Goodridge, Minn. 69p

160 ACRES UNIMPROVED LAND 6 miles to creamery, store and postoffice at a bargain. Will consider trade for good auto.—O. H. Nelson. Phone [illegible].

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. [illegible] R. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 66tf

FOR SALE—Overland touring car. Cheap if sold at once. Overhauled and painted. In fine shape throughout. $550.—E. L. Helgeland. 69

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large 6 room house. Pipeless furnace, 2 large porches, good water, 50 foot lot, wood shed and garage.—615 Markley Ave. S. 71p

FOR SALE—Marquis seed wheat at $2.50 per bushel. Cleaned ready for seeding.—C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 51tf

FOR SALE—Black Minorca eggs for hatching, $1.50 per setting of 15. Prize winners at county fair.—Phil Amen, 113 LaBree Ave. S. 69

FOR SALE—John Deere 24 inch brush breaker plow, steel beam, $125. H. P. Nabben, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls. 68p

FOR SALE—One nine room house and one five room house in Thief River Falls. Apply to Thos. H. Smith, Mavie, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Call at 105 Conley Ave. S. 68tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dahlquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room residence 3 corner lots, Markley Ave. N. Call 313 Riverside Ave. S. 69p

FOR SALE—Letter Files, new and second-hand at reduced prices account of moving.—Laird's Specialty Shop. 71

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—The Hay residence, large modern house, 4 blocks from postoffice.—M. C. Burns. 68tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Two purebred Holstein bulls, one big enough for service. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, city. 68tf

FOR SALE—150 buhels of seed barley, $2.00 per bushel. Oscar Evenson Sec. 13, Silverton. 62tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71f

FOR SALE—A number of good residences at reasonable prices.—C. W. Vorachek. 67tf

FOR SALE—$1200.00 Case tractor, almost new. Will sell cheap—Address Times. 69p

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 61tf

FOR SALE—Little pigs. Can deliver about May 10. Order them now. Phone 1251. 69p

FOR SALE—Three day old chicks with clucks. 913 Main Ave. N. Phone 349. 69

FOR SALE—5-room house. Inquire Fred Holzknecht, 510 Riverside Ave. 69p

FOR SALE—Acre lot. Easy terms. H. F. Erickson, 941 Duluth Ave. N. 68p

FOR SALE—6 room modern house. Phone 1341.—E. F. DeVeling. 69p

FOR SALE—9 room house at 604 Knight Ave. N. Call 4571. 71p

FOR SALE—Double Harness. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 121 LaBree S. 70tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. O. A. Penney. 39tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 711 Knight Ave. N. 69

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 5 lots.—J. Wetrus. 71

HAY FOR SALE—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15 or $8.00 per hundred.—Thos. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 69p

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 303 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

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320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

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WANTED—Blacksmith. Mostly plow work. Good wages, steady work. Call or write Wm. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 70p

WANTED — Experienced man as bookkeeper and for general office work.—Kiewel Brewing Co. 69

WANTED—Two boys to deliver and sell Sunday papers. Laird's Specialty Shop. 69

WANTED—Bricklayers at Crookston Agricultural school. 70p

WANTED—Night Clerk at Hotel Evelyn. 69

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girls for general housework on farm. Wages $6.00 per week. Lind Bros., St. Hilaire. 71p

WANTED—Scandinavian girl for general house work.—The Times. 69p

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 120 Markley Ave. N. 68tf

MISCELLANEOUS

PHONOGRAPH COMPANY has excellent opening for man or lady to establish branch in Thief River Falls, and sell direct from factory to homes. Your investment would be small as you need only two machines for demonstrating. Will pay your expenses here if you qualify.—Suite 710 Northwestern Building, Minneapolis, Minn. 69p

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FOUND—Suitcase on State road about 6 miles east of Thief River Falls. Owner may have same by calling at Times office and paying for this ad. 69

WANTED TO RENT—5 or 6 room house. Will take 6 months or year lease. Need not be modern. Enquire at Times. 69p

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

LOST—Child's fur neckpiece in alley back of Pritchard Lbr. Co. Notify phone 117. 69

WANTED—2 canary birds.—Mrs. H. A. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 70p

WANTED TO RENT—Small house.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESS

The Value of Song.

In these days of money-grabbers the people are too busy to think of the better things in life. Years ago, songs were sung while the people performed their daily work. Many of these were sung by their ancestors, some of them were composed as the people worked—just simple melodies of home life. Now we are too busy to sing, except when some "popular song" catches our fancy. The person who really understands music, the one who looks farther than the notes is considered an exception. That should not be the case. A little thought, a little attention would make it possible for everyone to understand the beauties of music. Because it would be easy, is the one reason why we should forget habits of hurry, and learn to know the better things in life.

So let us spend at least a few minutes every day in songs that personify American life.

"A Strenuous Life."

The play of Friday was a decided success. Both the matinee and the evening performances were well attended. The Senior class received about $500.50.

The serious troubles that Tom Harrington (Leland Schuster) had to face and his methods of solving were certainly entertaining. The delightful actions of "the freshman," the policy of Mrs. Wiggins and the Japanese servant's "Yes" were appreciated by everyone.

Miss Evans and Miss Wilson and the cast worked very hard that this play might be a success. The fact that they presented such an excellent performance shows that they are worthy of the praise which everyone has given to them.

They Say!

Gladys Dybvik took her own seat in Norse once this week.

Olga Bundy studied a whole period without looking around the room.

Fat Evenson had two girls out riding Tuesday evening.

Joe's dog brought a partner ballion with him to school Thursday afternoon.

George Votava only asked three questions in algebra class Thursday morning as they had a test.

Kenneth Russell got a job on the track team, taking the discus to the fair grounds and back.

The Junior class ice cream social on Friday night after the Senior class play was a success. About fourteen dollars were taken in.

Mil and Beans had a delightful time Sunday evening.

Morris is disillusioned.

Clarence has a new "pomp."

Beatrice was "en promenade" in an automobile Sunday afternoon.

Harold Smithers is looking for a non-stop appliance for his car.

Violet Krohn brought her excuse on time to Ancient history this week.

Preparations are being made for the Pageant.

Thursday evening an accident occurred in Miss Akre's room which is just beneath the laboratory. The faucets had been left turned on and the floor was flooded with water, which soaked through the floor causing some of the plastering to fall down in Miss Akre's room. Fortunately no one was in the room at the time.

Victor Beckirk is again riding to school. Roscoe Bakke's bicycle knowledge is responsible.

Melby is not going to play ball on the campus any more. Last Thursday he missed the ball and it did not stop until Bill Herrick's head got in the way.

Coach Tommeraasen has his track team going in very good style. The boys are beginning to take a greater interest in the work and greater numbers are coming out every night.

An inter-class track meeting is to be held here on Saturday, May 8th, which will be a lively affair.

Kenneth Russell is a good jumper.

"Dovey" Dolan walked in from the fair grounds without any help last night.

The General Science classes will have accomplished a great task if they have their long "essays" in on Friday.

Some of the teachers visited Ingeborg Barstad's home Sunday.

Did you all notice the smile that Selma Newton had on the other day?

Adylyn LaBree was wondering what would happen if she did not write her essay the day before it was due.

The typewriting classes were given tongue-twister exercises on Friday, and they did twist.

Some of the students in bookkeeping are getting a short vacation—those who have worked hardest.

You are worth a lot from the chin up. There is no limit. (If there is anything there at all.)

Do you know what Tommy said to Mildred Bottelson in Geometry class last Thursday a. m.?

Lillian Knight is getting to be quite popular in geometry class. Do you know why?

Those elected for the athletic board for next year are: Myrtle Krohn, Forrest Ralston and Charles Herron.

Botany: Student (finding it impossible to make a branch on a tree he was drawing look natural.):

"Say, I've struck it! I'm going to pretend its chopped off right here like this."

Another: "Aw, I say, let's just chop the whole tree down and draw the stump."

Mr. Melby evidently thinks some of his pupils ought to wear the Belleau Wood brand of collar.

One: "Well, I just got me a new car."

Another: "I thot you were going to have your old one repaired?"

One: "I couldn't afford it."

"You have a nerve, young man! Can you tell me why I should take you in partnership?"

"Well, you see, I'm going to marry your daughter and you can't afford to have a mere clerk for a son-in-law."

We see that Lloyd Lonson is now wearing long trousers.

Lynn Halvorson is a rising young orator.

Knute Hegtvedt has been confined to his home in Erie for the past week on account of sickness.

Who knows but what there is a reason for "Pills" attitude toward the girls of T. R. F. during the past week?

The carnival had more effects on the school and pupils than a financial one.

Herman Aakre went to bed at a reasonable hour one evening.

The "Prowler" is still prowling.

Roy Flattum intends to tie his "stomach" on the back of his car when the class play goes to Baudette.

Fella went to Greenbush—"I'm advance agent for our class play. Oh, I'm quite a guy, they all look up to me."

Adylyn LaBree states that her big ambition is to "ride a horse with a fluffy dress."

Helen Warner has written a poem entitled, "I Like To Hear 'Em Rave."

"Charley" Schuster has composed a song entitled, "Gee, It's Great T' Be A He-Vamp."

Alfred came to algebra today.

Milton Larson seems mighty busy evenings now.

Frank Erickson says Norse is easy.

Harold Westin was seen on LaBree avenue north after 10 o'clock.

Why was Miss Evans cross Tuesday when she told Marie to sit down?

Kaiser Melby has had charge of the assembly the last period for two days.

Will Jim be the champion jumper of T. R. Falls?

Ralston will have a better chance to speak now.

Why does Jim shine his ring every day?

Our Public Schools.

In my last article I advocated the making of teachers' homes by the school houses in the country districts. By this I do not mean to say that such should be done in every district.

In my home district we have more than one teacher whose home is within easy walking distance of the school house, and we wish to employ home talent. But in districts where there are no teachers and difficult to get one, an arrangement can easily be made with some gentleman who would be willing to enter the teaching profession, provided he would be assured a suitable home near the school house on a little farm on which could be kept one or two milch cows, etc., and he was assured a steady job as long as he did good work. In the little country of Norway this arrangement has been running nicely for a generation.

The teacher's home should be provided free of charge to the teacher. He should be held responsible only for careless or unnecessary breakage or destruction of any or all parts thereof. His salary should be a certain amount of money per annum and the free use of the farm. He should be his own boss on the farm; the better he managed the farm the more his income per year would be. By this method the district would pay several hundred dollars every year. In other words, the teacher would allow the district a reasonable amount of house rent and the teacher would make for himself quite a sum of money from the farm. The district would run no risk in losing anything on the farm, because farm lands are raising in value every year, while the buildings could be insured.

This is the arrangement the church people have with ministers who reside in the country, and I see no reason why the same method should not do with teachers. They are supposed to be honorable and fair-minded men. In the cities also the different congregations furnish parsonages free of charge to their ministers and have no trouble to get along that way. The character of teachers in a moral sense are in many ways the same as that of ministers.

In order to get men into the teaching profession as above stated the time limit also must be changed. Hitherto no district has ever dared to employ a teacher for a longer period than just the school months. Why be so nervous about this? Are teachers a dangerous set of men that must be got rid of as soon as school is out? I think it would be perfectly safe to have them in the district during the summer vacation also.

There should be no time limit set. The agreement should be that the teacher continue as teacher of the district as long as he does good work. If the teacher then has a school where he wishes to continue, anyone can see that he would do his very best to do good work. Thus the teachers would strive to acquire efficiency and the schools would be the gainers.

A. K. LOCKREM.

In the Jam.

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$9.00 John B. Stetson Hats. Saturday only ---------- $6.95

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ROSEWOOD

Consolidation Meeting Great Boost.

One of the most important meetings in the history of this community was held last Thursday evening at the Congregational church to discuss the consolidation of Districts Nos. 26, 137 and 41 in Marshall county and No. 2 in Pennington county. Great interest is prevailing throughout these districts for the realization of the plan and the church was filled to capacity with enthusiastic boosters. The first speaker of the evening was Miss Shelland of the department of education, St. Paul, who delivered a very stirring lecture on the past and present educational conditions in the state and what may be expected for the future. Also the advantages offered in the city schools compared to the present one-room country schools and how this deficiency can be greatly overcome in the establishing of consolidated country and village schools, with the arrangements for individual tutors for the primary, intermediate, upper and high school grades. Miss Shelland made particular mention of the lost time in the one-teacher school and the consequent necessary condensation of all the work carried on. Most teachers in country schools are required to teach as many as eight different grades and the result is that no grade can be permitted a recitation period longer than ten and twelve minutes—a time deplorably insufficient to properly elucidate and explain an average school lesson.

Consolidation, according to Miss Shelland, was the only hope for the rural districts of ever competing with the city in the education of the coming generations, and she gave it her recommendation.

The second speaker was County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson of Pennington county, who spoke for a few minutes on the present conditions of the schools of that county, the existing deficiencies along many lines in several of the rural districts, and the notable advantages offered the children of Thief River Falls in comparison. From a little pamphlet on the past and present conditions of the schools in Missouri, Mr. Gunderson extracted a few humorous incidents which, when related in his own jocular manner, caused considerable merriment among the audience but which tended to show that at a time not very long past the people in general thought considerable more about their stock, mules and hogs than about the proper rearing and education of their own boys and girls.

David Johnson, superintendent of Marshall county, next took the speakers chair. He did not deliver any address but gave a number of statistics concerning these schools from communities where they have existed for some time and also left the meeting open for any inquiries from the people present. Mr. Johnson had also prepared a number of figures concerning the cost and upkeep of a school of the size required for this community, and both himself and Miss Shelland were convinced that an annual taxation of about 40 mills would fully cover the necessary expenses of maintaining a consolidated school here. Considering that the average present taxation in these districts is about 10 mills the increase would be about 30 mills above what is being paid now. An informal vote of the people present was taken to ascertain the true sentiment among the crowd, but the actual vote was not counted as practically every hand in the building was raised in favor of the plan. Superintendent Johnson was authorized to prepare a plat of the four districts and submit the same for the approval of the department of education at St. Paul and petitions will later be circulated to secure the necessary signatures of freeholders for the realization of the plan.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gulseth of Viking have purchased the present quarters of the Farmers State bank, and will move here next week to take up their residence and it is their plan to run a lunch cafe in the future. The front of the building will continue to be used by the bank until their new building is completed.

Enoch Nelson of Anita was in town last Saturday with the intention of purchasing a few acres of land owned by the Farmers State bank, and adjoining this village on the west.

Emil Anderson has purchased a new Chevrolet car this week and has sold his old Ford to Chas. Sagmoen, south of town. John Sagmoen purchased the Overland from A. S. Holm.

The following were pleasantly entertained at the Gust Nakken home last Tuesday evening: Miss Ella Nelson, Ingrid Nordhagen, Mary and Joel Shoberg.

Mrs. S. Erickson and baby arrived last Tuesday from Thief River Falls for a few days' visit at the A. T. Thoreson home.

Field work on the prairies commenced the first part of the week. Practically all sand ridges are done.

Howard Carlson spent Tuesday attending to business at Warren.

Gust Opseth was at Grand Forks last Monday on business.

Several carloads including Sagmoen, Furan, Kron, Sorenson, Blom and Shoberg were at Thief River Falls on Friday evening to attend the high school class play, "A Strenuous Life," at the auditorium.

Friday concluded a successful seven months' term of school at Rosebank, the afternoon being delightfully spent in entertaining the parents and brothers and sisters of the pupils with music and other entertainments, and a dainty lunch was served before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family, Mrs. Betsy Blomberg and Mrs. Johnson of Crookston were in this vicinity last Sunday visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm, in company with two friends, spent Sunday evening at Warren.

Services were conducted at the Norwegian church last Sunday afternoon with Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls officiating.

AGDER

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Senum and family were visiting at the E. Senum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Senum and Mrs. Sam Groven and Miss Annie Senum shopped in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mrs. Hans Jerstad and Miss Esther Bendickson visited at Christ Nelson's home last Sunday.

Walter Evenson and Carl Isaacson and Melvin Rude were out fishing last Sunday.

[illegible] and Ralph Hanson called at the Christ Nelson home last Sunday evening.

[illegible] Friday.

Mrs. Hanson and daughter Agnes shopped at Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mrs. Thoreson and her daughter-in-law visited with Mrs. Willie Rude last Friday.

Tom Senum is working for Mr. Sam Groven during spring work.

Edward Senum called at the Berger home last Friday afternoon.

Albert Peterson is at the hospital in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. John Esplee was a caller in Thief River Falls last Friday.

Oscar Evenson was dragging the road Saturday.

Ole Senum and Gunder Senum were in town last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evenson were in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Hazel Evenson visited at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Melvin Rude and Carl Isaacson were in Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Miss Julia Griebrog closed her school in Dist. No. 121 last Saturday afternoon. She had a program in the afternoon and everybody who was present enjoyed a good time.

Ned Hanson visited at the Chas. Evenson home last Sunday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and children, Lloyd, Seymore, Clifford, Veral and Edith visited at the Bendickson home last Sunday.

Clarence and Esther Williams visited at their home Sunday.

Miss Gladys Evenson, who has been working in Thief River Falls, returned to her home last Sunday afternoon.

Melvin Rude spent Sunday with Carl Isaacson.

Walter Evenson spent Sunday forenoon in Thief River Falls.

Mr. Knaddle and boys were in Thief River Falls last Saturday evening.

Harold Knaddle spent last Sunday with Clarence Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Overum and daughters, Clara and Ella, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jerstad last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nabben spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude.

Harry Moe and Miss Agnes Hanson and Josepha and Mr. Hanson spent Sunday afternoon in Thief River Falls.

Jens Lelanes called on Tom McCormick Sunday afternoon.

CHECK LIST AT LOCAL CREAMERY IS GROWING

Patrons Drawing More Than $50 Per Month Number More Than Hundred.

In spite of the late spring the milch cows seem to be getting down to business. There were a total of 1?? patrons receiving checks for more than $50 for their March supply, two of whom are in the $300 or better class. Five received more than $200 and 29 more than $100.

Following is a list of those whose checks amounted to over $50:

Waldo Christensen	$368.69
Jens Kirk	327.92
P. Engelstad	296.52
Hans Anton	246.37
Fred Coop	218.77
A. C. [illegible]	[illegible]
Henry Koop	[illegible]
Paul Engelstad	178.14
P. A. Mathews	[illegible]
E. S. Johnson	[illegible]
G. T. [illegible]	153.65
[illegible]	147.75
[illegible]	[illegible]
Albert Johnson	141.68
A. J. [illegible]	140.59
H. C. [illegible]	[illegible]
Erick [illegible]	133.62
J. B. [illegible]	129.01
F. [illegible]	127.21
Mrs. J. J. Berg	[illegible]
Aug. Buck	[illegible]
Ledvig Larson	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
G. L. [illegible]	[illegible]
Hubert Buck	105.15
Carl Erickson	103.71
P. Oen	[illegible]
Carl Erickson	[illegible]
Wm Smith	[illegible]
Sven Sorenson	97.94
L. O. Opseth	97.55
Severt Hansen	97.55
C. Beiswenger	97.25
John Johnson	96.64
Olaf Omlid	95.92
Hans Sande	95.62
K. Ekstad	95.54
P. Solem	93.46
Mrs. M. O. Saunerr	91.32
Chris Nelson	[illegible]
H. Pope	88.16
W. J. McCrum	86.62
Wm. Hohner	86.25
O. B. Gunderson	84.67
Knut Solheim	84.03
Christ Steen	82.49
Ole Drivold	81.24
C. Odegaard	83.10
John Bloom	81.55
John A. Sundt	80.85
John N. Swanson	78.47
Gunder Gunderson	77.96
Ole Finsaand	76.84
Ole Johnsrud	76.72
O. M. Johnson	75.74
S. Wiberg	75.67
John Swanson	79.28
R. L. Muzzy	76.14
Ole Jarnnson	74.91
A. F. Bernhardson	73.82
C. H. Swanson	72.44
Julius Hanson	72.21
Paul Stock	71.97
Mrs. Even Anderson	71.55
Aug. Johnson	69.96
O. L. Skonord	67.52
C. Wiener	67.37
Aug. Carlson	66.59
Gust Wilkin	66.37
Silas Torgerson	65.54
C. Liden	65.02
Fred Hollander	64.84
Walter Dobuzynski	63.66
P. A. Johnson	63.35
M. J. Graetinger	62.77
Peter Lovly	62.69
John Sjolsvold	62.91
E. R. Anderson	61.56
Alex Muger	61.02
J. J. Kast	60.15
Nick Meyer	60.07
Louis Hamre	59.27
John Martinson	57.89
Ole J. Dahl	57.55
A. W. Hanson	56.50
J. Adsero	55.94
Nels Nora	55.87
N. A. Wicklund	55.48
John Kellberg	55.42
Mrs. Charlotta Blomquist	55.25
F. Fayman	55.21
Gordon Olson	55.16
F. B. Conklin	54.96
John Stroberg	54.48
C. T. Edwin	54.11
Mrs. Katie Meyer	54.10
F. T. Satre	[illegible]
T. P. Davos	52.90
Ole Finstad	52.35
Knut Ystesund	52.26
Ben K. Kveste	52.25
Mrs. Theo. L. Olson	51.27
H. E. Sjoquist	51.14
Carl P. Anderson	50.58
C. Olsn	50.54
L. J. Hermanson	50.53
Bert Thorstad	50.36

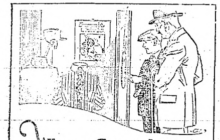

When Grandpa and Willie agree

Willie may not be able to get together on some [illegible] they may have different ideas as to [illegible]

Summit Shirts

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It is not likely that you will build many houses for yourself during your life time. The same holds good with regard to barns or any other kind of a major enterprise. For this reason you should get just what you want and should have an opportunity of finding out just how things will appear when completed.

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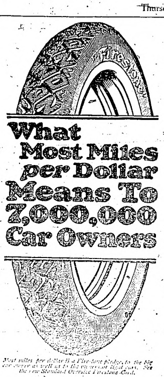

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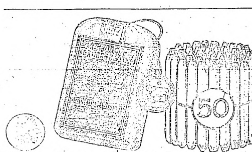

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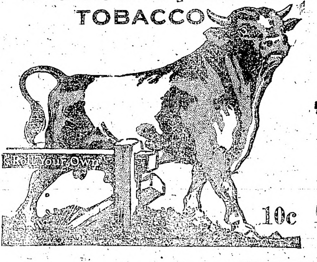

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Legal Notices

Articles of Incorporation of "Walker-Gesell Land Company."

Know All Men By These Presents, That we, the undersigned do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota and to that end do hereby subscribe the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be "WALKER-GESELL LAND COMPANY." The general nature of the business of this corporation shall be to buy, lease or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, sell, convey and generally deal in real and personal property situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to loan money for itself and as agent for others upon notes, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness which shall be secured by mortgages upon real or personal property, or both, situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to act as agent in the leasing, letting, selling, buying, conveying and transferring of real and personal property; to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, exchange, hypothecate, sell and transfer mortgages, stocks, bonds, notes and other evidences of indebtedness; to act as agent in soliciting and placing fire insurance and other insurance, and in general this corporation shall have power to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, lease, sell, convey and transfer any and all property and property rights necessary, convenient or incident to the conducting of its business and shall possess any and all powers necessary, convenient or incident to the transaction of its business permitted by the laws of the State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The principal office and place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE III.

The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the 15th day of May, 1920, and shall continue thereafter for a period of thirty (30) years.

ARTICLE IV.

The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) and shall be divided into five hundred (500) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) per share and shall be paid in at such times and in such amounts and in such manner as the Board of Directors shall determine.

ARTICLE V.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be at any time subject shall be the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00).

ARTICLE VI.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows: Geo. W. Walker, residence, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katharine Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

ARTICLE VII.

The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of three (3) Directors, all of which shall be elected annually by and from the stockholders of this corporation at the regular annual meeting thereof which shall be held at the principal office of this corporation in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the first Monday after the first Tuesday in January of each year and shall hold office for a term of one (1) year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The first Board of Directors shall be Geo. W. Walker, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katharine Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The officers of this corporation shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be chosen annually by the Board of Directors from the stockholders for the term of one (1) year immediately after the annual meeting of the stockholders each year and such Board of Directors shall have such other officers or agents as the interests of this corporation shall from time to time demand. Any two of said offices, except those of President and Vice President may be held by the same person.

The first officers of this corporation shall be Lester E. Gesell, President; Katharine Gesell, Vice President; and Geo. W. Walker, Secretary and Treasurer, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors and until their successors are elected and qualified.

In Testimony Whereof, The said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 24th day of April, 1920.

GEO. W. WALKER (Seal)
LESTER E. GESELL (Seal)
KATHARINE GESELL (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of:
PERL W. MABEY,
ALICE EGGSTEN.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 24th day of April, 1920, before me a Notary Public within and for said County personally appeared Geo. W. Walker, Lester E. Gesell and Katharine Gesell to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing and annexed Articles of Incorporation, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

PERL W. MABEY,
Notary Public.
My commission expires Nov. 25th, 1921.
My commission expires Nov. 25, 1921
(Notarial Seal.)

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 26 day of April, A. D. 1920 at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 711.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 27 day of April A. D., 1920, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in book "J" of Miscel. on page 16.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
By Gladys G. Anderson,
Deputy.
a 29-m6

BANK NO. 1153.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Goodridge State Bank.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That section Six of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six:

"The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the Corporation shall at any time be subject, shall be Three Hundred Thousand Dollars."

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose, and held at the Banking House in Goodridge, Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1920.

H. S. DAHLEN, President,
J. P. JENSEN, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal.)

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 16th day of April, 1920, before me appeared H. S. Dahlen and J. P. Jensen, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Goodridge State Bank, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

THEO. TANDBERG,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires July 9, 1926
(Notarial Seal)

State of Minnesota, Office of Superintendent of Banks, St. Paul, April 21, 1920.

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Goodridge State Bank in voting to increase the highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall be subject from One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars to Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

P. E. PEARSON,
Superintendent of Banks.
(Seal) By G. H. [illegible],
Deputy Superintendent.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1920, at 12 o'clock M., and was duly recorded in Book R of State Bank Records, on page 675.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book [illegible] of [illegible] 15.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Bert Severt Thorstad,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that the 26th day of October, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated April 29, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
a22-29-m6

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of [illegible] J. Hole, Insane Ward.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Olav J. Hole, Insane Ward.

The State of Minnesota to Olaus J. Hole, Peter C. Wold and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Insane Ward: The petition of Peter C. Wold as representative of the above named Insane Ward, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of Insane Ward described therein be sold and praying that a license be to Peter C. Wold granted to sell the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of May, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 21st day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
WILHELM MICHELET,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
a22-29-m6

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of Adelaide Bailey, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Samuel V. Bailey, Josephine Archibald and Alice E. Marshall, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition, praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of May, 1920, at Ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
[illegible] M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a22-29-m6

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Julia E. Ellingson, Ellen Johnson, Julia [illegible], [illegible] Robertson and Olga Ellingson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Julia E. Ellingson having been filed in this Court, representing that Ole Ellingson, then a resident of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 12th day of April, 1920; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Helge [illegible], and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of May, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a29-m6-13

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., April 27th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Hile. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of April 13th, were read and approved as read.

Moved by Hile, seconded by Dahl, that the application of B. Dan Bjorkman for building permit be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Hile, seconded by Ness, that the application of S. K. Dahle for building permit be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ness, that application of James Cosgrove to operate a Pool and Billiard hall at 319 LaBree Ave. N., be granted.

Roll Call. Members voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brumund, Hile. Members voting No: None.

Motion declared carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the application of Shanahan and Sheedy to operate a Pool and Billiard hall at 206 LaBree Ave. N., be granted.

Roll Call. Members voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Hile. Members voting No; None.

Motion declared carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the application of C. B. Bradley to operate a Pool Hall at 221 3rd. St. E. be granted.

Roll Call: Members voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Hile. Members voting No; None.

Motion declared carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the application of Henry Hound to move building from 401 Riverside to 4[illegible] Riverside Ave., be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the complaint of A. O. Anderson regarding the dumping of clay in alley be referred to the Street Committee.

Motion carried.

Moved by Hile, seconded by Brandon, that the Mayor's appointment of W. W. Prichard, Jr., as member of the Cemetery Commission to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of I. G. Sands, for a period of two years, and the re-appointment of C. B. Larson for a term of five years, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Hile, seconded by Ness, that the City of Thief River Falls and the City Council thereof sign a petition to the Board of Directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District, dated April 12th, 1920, for the improvement of the Red Lake River and for the installation of controlling works at the outlet of Red Lake and that the Mayor and the City Clerk be, and they are hereby instructed to sign same on behalf of the City Council and the City of Thief River Falls. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the Chair appoint a committee of three to act with the Park Board to secure a piece of ground for Park purposes. Motion carried and the following committee appointed; Froseth, Ness and Hile.

Moved by Hile, seconded by Dahl, that the application of H. A. Brumund and [illegible] E. Johnson to conduct moving picture theatres in the buildings known as the Princess and Lyceum Theatres, situated on LaBree Ave. North be granted.

Roll Call Members voting Yes. Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Hile. Members voting No: None. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that proposed Ordinance No. 161, "An Ordinance granting permission to the Standard Oil Co., to construct and maintain warehouses and tanks," be given its third and final reading and offered for publication. Motion carried and proposed ordinance was read and the following roll call vote recorded: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Hile. Aldermen voting No: None. Ordinance declared passed.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the Council adjourn until Tuesday, May 11, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held April 27th, 1920, Alderman Froseth, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved, by the City Council, of Thief River Falls, Minn. that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$250.65
Eureka Fire Hose Co., hose	350.00
Model Steam Laundry, laundry	2.70
Water & Light Dept., stamps	1.00
Poor Fund.	
Ed Rolland, meat	19.29
O. A. Westin, rent	12.00
Bernt Wold, chair and rocker	6.50
Library Fund.	
T. J. Carr, wood	15.50
Electric Light Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight and express	4.77
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	273.08
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	513.16
City Dray & Fuel Co, drayage and fuel	19.50
Alfred Adolphs, labor	49.00
McFarland Auto Co., repairs	5.80
Crocker Wheeler Co., repairs	10.21
The Elliott Co., stencils	.45
Bottom Hdwe. Co., supplies	15.71
Auditorium Fund.	
Missouri-Kansas Chem Co., supplies	12.50
Waterworks Fund.	
Superintendent's labor payroll	71.40
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	.50

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Hile. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 4, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Ordinance No. 161.

An Ordinance granting permission to Standard Oil Company, a corporation organized and doing business under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Indiana, to erect and maintain on the property described below, warehouses, tanks and other buildings necessary for the conduct of its business, and to store therein illuminating oils, naphtha, gasoline or any other mineral oils or fluids, the products of petroleum, in quantities sufficient to meet the requirements of its business.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

Section I. That permission and authority is hereby given and granted to Standard Oil Company, a corporation organized and doing business under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Indiana, to construct and maintain for a term of 20 years on the following described property within the limits of the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

All that part of Thief River Falls Lumber Company's alteration of the plats of Red Lake Rapids, Conely's Addition to Red Lake Rapids and Knox's Re-Arrangement of Block 23 and 24 of Red Lake Rapids, according to the record of said plats on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota.

Warehouse, tanks and other buildings necessary for its business, and to store therein illuminating oils, coal oils, naphtha, gasoline, or any other mineral oils or fluids, the products of petroleum, in quantities sufficient to meet the requirements of said company's business.

Section II. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section III. This ordinance shall be in force and effect on and after its passage and acceptance in writing by said Standard Oil Company.

Passed and approved this 27th day of April, A. D. 1920.

By JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Ready For Business.

I am now prepared to attend to all kinds of paper hanging as well as inside or outside painting jobs. Three men are now employed, including a first-class paper hanger. Shop open all day.

O. E. JENSEN,
111 Main Avenue South.
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"STUDY NOW" SAYS HEAD OF SCHOOL

F. L. Watkins, Pres. of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., says young folks make a grave mistake in putting off their business studies until fall. Those beginning in spring, graduate in the season when openings are most frequent.

D. B. C. pupils are preferred by big firms. Delco Light Co. recently employed Miss M. Spencer. F. C. Ronne was made Office Mgr. of McVille Auto & Supply Co. Miss B. Blaine, *Accountant*, went to More Bros. Corp.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D. about spring term.

"It Will Surprise You" says the Good Judge

When you learn how long a little of the Real Tobacco Chew lasts.

How long it holds its rich tobacco taste.

The real satisfaction.

The money saved.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put Up In Two Styles

RIGHT CUT *is a short-cut tobacco*

W-B CUT *is a long fine-cut tobacco*

Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

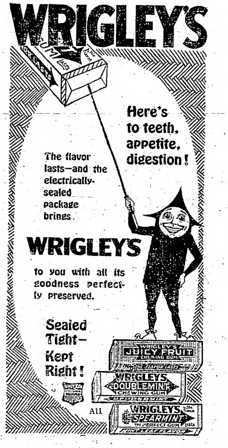

Here's to teeth, appetite, digestion!

The flavor lasts—and the electrically-sealed package brings WRIGLEY'S to you with all its goodness perfectly preserved.

Sealed Tight—Kept Right!

Imperfect Page

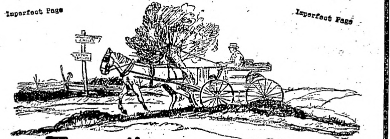

Ten miles used to be a long way

WHAT a difference in these motor-car days, when every point in the county is hardly more than "just around the corner."

People's ideas are changing, too.

They're beginning to figure out *how much it is costing them* to keep a car. And the man who is doing the greatest amount of figuring is the man with the *moderate-price* car.

II

There still seems to be a notion in some quarters that *any* tire is good enough for a small car.

That's not what the man who owns it thinks.

In recommending and selling U. S. Tires we are trying to see *his side* of the proposition—finding out what *he* wants in a tire and *giving him that.*

III

Large or small, U. S. Tires are built to *only one standard* of quality—the standard that produced the *first straight side* automobile tire, the *first pneumatic* truck tire.

Every tire that bears the name "U. S." is built the *best way* its makers know how. It isn't the car, but the *man who owns the car,* that counts with the oldest and largest rubber concern in the world.

IV

As representatives of U. S. Tires in this town, we offer you the benefit of our experience and advice in settling your tire problem.

Select your tires according to the roads they have to travel:

In sandy or hilly country, wherever the going is apt to be heavy—The U. S. Nobby.

For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.

For front wheels—The U. S. Plain.

For best results—everywhere—U. S. Royal Cords.

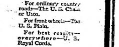
ROYAL CORD · NOBBY · CHAIN · USCO · PLAIN

United States Tires

N. W. Auto Co., Thief River Falls, Minn.

OLE HAMERNESS, Holt, Minn. J. S. BENSON, Viking, Minn.

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GREAT CONCERT TROUP AT LYCEUM SATURDAY

Norwegian Nightingales to Appear in Songs and Instrumental Selections

The "Norwegian Nightingales," Agnes Lerstad, mezzo contralto, and Melvina Lerstad, soprano, are young ladies with naturally delightful voices who are rapidly climbing the pinnacle of fame. They are being featured in the Lerstad Concert company under the management of The Northwestern [illegible] bureau of St. Paul.

With them are Mary Goodrich Read, a violinist whose equal is not often heard. She has a life-long familiarity with the violin, has received her training both in this country and in Europe and has played before many audiences in both countries. The harpist, Fern VanBramer, adds a quaint attraction to the program. The sweet harmony of the harp is not equaled by any other instrument and the training and experience Miss VanBramer has received enables her to produce most pleasing effects. All this is delightfully supported by the excellent accompanying on the piano by Miss Margaret Henke. Miss Henke's remarkable technique enables her to perform not only as a soloist, but also as an accompanist of a most sympathetic type.

Miss Hazel Bryngelson, who as a reader makes the audience both laugh and cry is also with the "Norwegian Nightingales." She expresses the subtle humor found in O. Henry's stories by the inflection of her voice and in her splendid facial expression. She also reads from other authors. Her lighter numbers include many dialects.

It has been said by most severe critics that this is a group of artists that is seldom, if ever, surpassed. So there is a real treat in store for the people of Thief River Falls, at the Lyceum theatre, Saturday, May 8, at 8:00 p.m. m6

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their heartfelt kindness and sympathy during the illness and after the death of our beloved daughter and sister, Ingeborg. Especially do we wish to thank the Ekland ladies aid and Fairview school for their floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. Ekwall, Hulda Ekwall, Amanda Ekwall, Emma Ekwall, Carl Ekwall, Eda Ekwall, Ottea Ekwall and Martin Ekwall. m6p

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Rosewood witnessed the class play here on Friday evening.

HIGHER ADVERTISING RATE ONLY SOLUTION

Would Reduce Amount of Space Used and Thus Save Print Paper

Blame for the high price of print paper was placed primarily on mill manufacturers, brokers and jobbers, although publishers themselves were held partly to blame, by witnesses before a senate investigating committee. Curtailed consumption to break the spot market pending increased production was advocated generally as a remedy.

Opposition to a suggestion by Senator J. A. Reed that the government receive authority to take over the print paper supply and allocate it to the newspapers was unanimous. Such a plan, according to Fleming Newbold of the Washington Star, would be disastrous to production.

Warren G. Bailey, publisher of the Warrenstown, Pa., Democrat, alleged a combination existed among the paper manufacturers.

Print paper production will be increased by 200,000 tons next year, Paul Patterson, Baltimore Sun, told the committee. If publishers continue the universal efforts to reduce consumption there should be a marked effect by next fall, he said.

Publishers seriously are considering raising prices to three cents a copy in many cities, he explained.

"The only effective way to curtail consumption is to reduce advertising space by charging higher rates and thereby reducing the size of advertisements. An arbitrary reduction in advertising space would be almost impossible to execute."

"The real remedy is a happy and reasonable restriction by newspapers that is closing the gap between production and consumption, is it not?" asked Senator Reed.

"Yes," Patterson replied, "but there is no possibility of increasing production this year."

"We also have reached the point where advertising rates must be radically increased to meet the situation."

"Prior to this year I don't think advertising rates were increased beyond the increase of circulation."

Savings Certificate Record.

According to the report of the government savings organization the Ninth Federal Reserve district bought $5,456,000 worth of saving certificates and stamps during the year 1919. Minnesota led the states of the district with $2,935,744.70, of which Pennington county furnished $10,219.67. Other counties in the ten thousand dollar class are Kandiyohi, Meeker, Pipestone, Rock, Scott and Steele. The record for Northwestern Minnesota counties is as follows: Clearwater, $2,535.23; Kittson, $4,200.27; Marshall, $6,856.76; Norman, $11,164.80; Polk, $22,433.64; Red Lake, $4,604.98; Roseau, $4,873.92.

For Near East Relief.

There will be a meeting held at the Sathre school house southwest of the city next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. R. L. Barackman of the Presbyterian church, will deliver an address on the subject of Near East relief and steps will be taken to form an organization for the securing of funds for this cause. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

The Sugar Problem

(The following letter, received by the Thief River Grocery Co., will no doubt be of interest to all sugar users):

NATIONAL WHOLESALE GROCERS' ASSOCIATION
OF THE UNITED STATES
No. 6 Harrison Street, New York, N. Y.

April 22, 1920.

TO MEMBERS:

Your officers have been very busy, with regard to the sugar problem, *doing several things which will count for good if anything can.* We have been studying the facts and figures, conferring with refiners, officials and others acquainted with the situation, trying to find "the nigger in the woodpile" if there is any, and finding some better way actually to improve conditions than "hollering about it." Innumerable letters from our members, telling us the facts in their several sections of the country have been helpful and such as have greatest value as evidence to get at the truth, have been placed in the proper hands, with our most urgent prayer for action.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH SUGAR?

That the sugar situation is critical and severe admits of no denial. From every part of the country, wholesalers and retailers, as well as consumers are complaining of inability to get enough for their needs and with good reason. But the excited way in which some of the scramble for sugar presents itself suggests that perhaps the excitement has become one of the very causes back of the trouble and a little more calmness and patience would help the situation. As we find the situation, here are some of the salient points:

1—Sugar is not to be had in sufficient quantities and regular supply from refiners, even for their long-time regular customers.

2—Speculators, brokers and often parties wholly outside the wholesale and retail grocery trade are offering sugar at fancy prices, 2, 3 and even 4 cents above the refiners' nominal prices, for immediate carlot delivery.

3—Refiners complain of inability to buy raw sugars at reasonable prices at points of origin and consequently have no surpluses available for delivery, but most of them are hard at work refining raws for private owners who outbid them in Cuba and elsewhere, on a basis of toll fees, which fees are understood to be far more profitable than the permitted legal fees which formerly prevailed when they were working on their own sugars for sale through regular channels.

4—Not all refiners are agreed as to the causes of the high prices and not all are as frank as might be desired as to why they are unable to make regular delivery to their old customers.

5—Plainly the speculators are in control of the refined surpluses of sugar, while the Cuban owners of raws have inflated ideas of values entirely out of reason; and have sold most of their crops at prices which give them enough money to allow them to hold their unsold portions till buyers will pay the prices demanded. And as long as American refiners do not get together with them on a buying basis, and foreign refiners and domestic speculators do, the balance of the crop unshipped stands a mighty slim chance of getting into the channels which normally flow through the wholesale grocer to the households of this country at reasonable prices.

6—So far as appears, the Government officials who might possibly gain some control over the situation are evidently not securing results and the refiners generally display a complacency that perhaps follows naturally from a contemplation of their bank balances.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

These conclusions are not idle chatter based on excited letters and haphazard theories, but are the outcome of conferences with those best informed, a study of statistics of unquestioned accuracy and much consultation among our own best authorities. As nearly as we can get at it, the whole trouble started when Mr. Hoover's policies of control were too hastily abandoned, in the days just preceding the action of Congress in extending the Lever Act. Had the Government authorities at that time taken control of the raws in Cuba, bought the whole crop, even at the prices then prevailing, much less than half what Cuba demands today—and continued apportioning the supply to refiners, licensing rigidly all buyers and sellers, the statistical shortage would have been met and overcome. Everyone would have had comparatively enough sugar for their needs. By the time Uncle Sam realized this, the speculators had control and the resulting high prices prevented even belated correction.

Then came the Louisiana incident.

Next came the reaction from the speculators buying of Cuban raws by manipulators. The owners of the raws contracted with our own refineries to refine the raws on a toll basis, reported to be a good deal more profitable to the refiners than operating on their own lines under the Lever Act for the service of their regular customers. It is not altogether certain that all the refiners tried to resist. It should be said to the credit of a very few refiners that they have refused to do any toll refining. It might also be said that if the refiners had not made their plants available to the speculative owners, the latter could not have "turned the trick."

FACING THE ISSUE.

There are a good many other causes that have played a part in the situation—car shortage—strikes at seaboard termini, on railroads and in plants—foreign exchange complications and what not—but unless they have any bearing on a possible remedy, they come largely under the category of "crying about spilt milk," so we refrain from further discussion. Looking at the situation, face to face:

1—There is a great amount of sugar held by speculators, here and in Cuba. Also a great deal (in the aggregate but in small individual lots) in the hands of alarmed jobbers, manufacturers, retailers and housewives. Bought as a precaution, it caused an unnecessary shortage, created a psychological scare that only added to the trouble and now offers a temptation to the lucky owners.

2—There is a statistical shortage in the remaining stock of raws which might be forced into regular trade channels if the refiners would function as they ought to. Cuba has produced (to the first of April) about 1,991,000 long tons as against 1,738,000 the preceding year, but had shipped off the island 1,307,086 tons as against 292,485 last year year and has stocks on hand of only 659,330 tons as against 778,076 the preceding year. The stocks of raws in the United States and Cuba together amounted to 765,188 tons as against 1,111,203 tons, a shortage of 346,015 tons and New York raw prices (duty paid) were quoted at (April 15) 18.56 cents as against 7.28 cents at the same time last year. Refiners were reported as having melted since January 1st 911,000 tons as against 779,000 tons, but against 78,500 tons and had on hand (in all hands) only 86,234 tons had exported since the first of January 145,000 tons of refined as as against 118,589 tons last year.

These facts are not reassuring but they do seem to offer too substantial a front to be swept away by mere complaining and shifting responsibility.

WHAT CAN WE DO ABOUT IT?

What can we do about it? To this problem we have given a great deal of attention and study, not to mention conferences with refiners, government officials in Washington and others. It looks to us as though the wholesalers, retailers and consumers chief hope lies in having the authorities at Washington exercise the power granted them under the Lever Act against speculators.

We are trying to help you get out of trouble, by intelligent effort. If every member will try to understand the situation and help us find not only causes but remedies and then get behind us as we put them up to the Government on one side and the speculators on the other, we may find some way out of our dilemma.

We are glad to report that the United States Department of Justice has now called an important conference at Washington to consider some of these facts.

JOHN B. NEWMAN,
Acting Secretary.

Closing Out Sale

I have sold my Store Buliding and must close out my stock of New and Secondh a n d Furniture, Rugs and Stoves in the next 30 days regardless of cost. You can buy New Furnitcre at wholesale and Secondhand at your own price. Come early and get your choice

J. L. Bean
317 Main Ave. N.
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"YOUR 32 TEETH ARE 32 REASONS"

Why you should have a b s o lutely dependable dentistry at absolutely dependable prices.

DRS. NORCROSS AND ERICKSON
operating as
UNION DENTISTS
All Work Guaranteed
Scandia Building

Takes Special Courses.

Dr. G. W. Booren leaves next Monday for Grand Forks where he will attend the annual meeting of the North Dakota Dental association. At the close of the session he will take a special course in conductive anesthesia, which is the scientific name for nerve blocking, the course being conducted by Dr. Arthur E. Smith of Chicago, one of the most noted specialists in this branch of dental surgery to be found in this country. From Grand Forks Dr. Booren will go to the university of Minnesota for an advanced course in crown and bridge work. He expects to be gone until about June 10 and upon his return will superintend the installation of one of the latest and most approved X-ray machines in his offices here.

WILL ASK ALL TO HELP IN CHURCH MOVEMENT

Every Person Will Be Given Opportunity to Boost Along Good Work

With a hundred million dollars actually raised to date and the discovery that hundreds of people who are willing to give to the Interchurch World Movement have not been asked to do so, the announcement is made that the whole machinery of all the denominational campaigns as well as the general campaign organization, will be turned loose during the present week for a strenuous effort to give every person the opportunity to say yes or no to a request for the support of the church.

"There are thousands of dollars waiting to be given for the advancement of Christian work in Minnesota that require only the asking on the part of some interested person," said W. L. Smithies, state campaign director, in making the announcement.

"The astonishing response so far reported throughout the state has served to stimulate scores of churches who dispaired of being able to raise their quotas. I am receiving letters daily from towns, which on account of the necessary haste with which the campaign was set up have been unable to complete the work of organization, and in practically every one of these letters a statement is made 'give us a little time and we will come through. We are going to raise this money if it takes a month.'

"This makes it probable that the final figures in the campaign will not be available for several weeks, and maybe months, but the church is aroused and the people are stirred to an interest in the Interchurch World Movement and the success of the $336,000,000 campaign is unquestionably assured by this awakening enthusiasm."

JOHNSONS OUTNUMBER SMITHS AND BROWNS

Records Show That Famous Family Was Well Represented During War

Postmaster John Morgan is in receipt of a whole sheaf of printed matter pertaining to the work of the bureau of war risks at Washington and has been perusing the contents with considerable interest. He finds that upward of 4,600,000 soldiers, sailors and marines were insured under the war risk insurance act. In the card indexes are listed the names of 53,200 Johnsons, the most numerous family name in the bureau records. Some of these Johnsons also spelt their names variously, as Johnston and Johnstone. The Smiths, with 51,950, are not far behind numerically. The Browns, with 48,000, are third, and the Williams family comes to the front with 47,000 names. Then in the order named come the Joneses, 28,050 strong; the Andersons, 22,000 the Walkers, 18,500.

Of the 53,200 Johnsons, 2,138 were christened John, and 2,062 William Johnson. The favorite Christian name in the Smith family is William, being borne by 3,412 Smiths; while John was the given name of 2,625 Smiths. Of the 48,000 Browns who wore the uniform 2,000 were named plain John Brown. Of the Williams family, 280 signed up as "Willie Williams," and 170 as "William Williams." There were 900 "John Andersons," 800 were Christianed "Carl," and 600 "Charles."

DISPENSARY CLINICS HELD AT SANATORIUM

Examinations in the City Will Hereafter be Discontinued

A dispensary clinic on diseases of the lungs and throat will be held at Oakland Park sanatorium on Thursday mornings of each week at 10 o'clock. Examinations will be in charge of Dr. M. G. Milan, sanatorium medical director and are free to all applicants.

This clinic is being established and maintained under the auspices of the Tri-County sanatorium in connection with the anti-tuberculosis activities of the institution.

The weekly clinics which have heretofore been conducted in the city will be discontinued.

Is State Organizer.

Emil Pladsen, a former business man of Thief River Falls, has been appointed state manager for the Nonpartisan league in Wisconsin with headquarters at Madison. Pladsen was at one time a candidate for the state senate in this district against D. P. O'Neill, running on the Socialist ticket.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and after the death of our daughter. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Steen. m6p

Card of Thanks.

We the undersigned wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown us during the sickness and after the death of our beloved husband and father, son and brother. Also for the many floral offerings. Especially do we wish to thank Peter Wold, uncle of the widow who so graciously donated a spot in the family lot in Greenwood cemetery.—Mrs. Ed. Stokke and children, Stella, Olive and Martha; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Stokke and Mrs. Rena Charboneau. m6p

ST. PAUL TEACHER GAINS 21 POUNDS

Was Almost Helpless For Over a Year—Quickly Restored by Tanlac

"I was almost helpless with rheumatism when I began taking Tanlac, but now I haven't an ache or pain of any kind and have gained twenty-one pounds in weight," said Miss Lily Minor Peese, 83 West Tenth St., St. Paul, Minn., who has been a teacher in and about the city for eighteen years, in a statement the other day.

"I suffered with rheumatism so long that I have been able to get out of the house only three times during the past year," she continued. "I was almost helpless, for I was confined to my bed for weeks at a time and I was simply in misery from morning till night. The pains in my back felt like a knife cutting, my joints were stiff and my muscles were drawn and swollen. My appetite left me and my stomach was so badly upset that what little I ate caused severe pains in my sides and around my heart. My nerves were in an awful condition and I lost weight until I was so weak I could not stand up at times.

"My next door neighbor advised me to try Tanlac, and since it has done so much for me I will always be grateful to her for telling me about it. The rheumatism began leaving me right after I started taking Tanlac and now it has completely disappeared. The pains in my back and sides and around my heart have also left me. My appetite was never better and I can eat just anything I want without suffering any bad effects. I am not nervous or restless and am sleeping soundly every night. I have not felt so well and strong in years and it is a real pleasure for me to recommend the medicine that did it all."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at *Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.*

Cousin Killed in Wreck.

W. B. Fuller left Friday evening for Waseca for the purpose of attending the funeral of his cousin, L. S. Fuller, who was the engineer killed in the head-on collision on the Chicago and Northwestern railway near Lamberton Thursday morning. Four other persons were killed and 12 injured in the wreck. Carelessness on the part of a telegraph operator is said to have been the cause of the accident.

Butterfat Prices

Monthly prices for March

Sweet Cream
75c

Common Cream
73c

CASH PRICE NOW
65c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Committee Chairmen For Goodridge Fair Appointed

At a meeting of the Goodridge Fair association held last week the chairmen to have charge of the various departments during the fair next in September were appointed and the list of officers completed as follows: President, Stuart McLeod; first vice president, Morgan Vaughn; second vice president, Elmer Bly; secretary, B. O. Norby; treasurer, Nick Bundhund. As committee chairmen the following were named: Arrangements, [illegible]; farm product, Alfred Hammerstein; amusements, Mr. P. O. Tvedt; canning, Mrs. Carl Christianson; finance, Mrs. E. H. McDonald.

The first fair at which products of the eastern section of the county were shown was held last year and was successful beyond all expectations. With the experience gained and the greater interest already displayed there is no doubt but that the coming event will far eclipse the former effort.

A THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN'S EXPERIENCE

Can you doubt the evidence of this Thief River Falls citizen?

You can verify Thief River Falls endorsement.

Read this:

C. Froseth, prop. of shoe and harness shop, 218 LaBree Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "In the harness business I am on my feet nearly all day and this, together with continual being indoors, caused me to have kidney trouble. I had had spells of backache and every little move I made sent twinges all through my body. The kidney secretions didn't pass regularly and were unnatural. When I was told to try Doan's Kidney Pills I did and soon after using them I improved. I haven't had any more kidney trouble since using Doan's; they made a cure that has lasted."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Froseth had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

AMUSEMENTS

The Princess

Friday
H. B. WARNER
In
"The Pagan God"
Harold Lloyd Comedy
"COUNT YOUR VOTE"

Saturday
LOUIS BENNISON in
"Oh Johnny"
12th Chapter Smashing Barriers
"EXPLOSIVE BULLETS"
Matinee: 2:30

Sunday and Monday
She was all Irish and all of a sudden one morning the papers, with her consent, announced she was married.
"Paramount Magazine"
Matinee; 2;30

ADOLPH ZUKOR Presents
MARGUERITE CLARK
in
"ALL OF A SUDDEN PEGGY"
A Paramount Artcraft Picture

The Lyceum

STARTING TODAY AND FRIDAY
Realart Special Presentation
ALICE BRADY
—in—
"THE FEAR MARKET"
By Amelie Rivers

Saturday
"THE NORWEGIAN NIGHTINGALES"

Sunday and Monday
The Picture You have all waited for
TOM MIX
—in—
"ROUGH RIDING ROMANCE"
The Daredevil of the world is at his best. Bring the whole family, they will all like it
SPECIAL SUNSHINE COMEDY
"GREAT NICKEL ROBBERY"
Matinee: 2:30

The NORWEGIAN NIGHTINGALES
Agnes and Melvina Lerstad

Coming! Coming!! Coming!!!
The Norwegian Nightingales
Assisted by
HARPIST VIOLINIST
READER PIANIST

Saturday, May 8 8:15 P. M.
Admission, 50c, 75c and $1.00, plus tax.

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Meets Death Under Hoofs Of Mad Bull

Christ Mattson, Aged Farmer, Fatally Injured by Animal Friday Evening.

Knocked Down and Trampled On, He Manages to Crawl Toward House.

Taken to Hospital in This City Where Death Occurred Last Sunday.

Christ Mattson, a farmer living about one and a half miles northwest of Hazel and who, on the day previous had celebrated his seventy-eighth birthday, was fatally injured by a Holstein bull in the barn at his home on Friday evening. He was taken to the Physician's hospital in this city where he died Sunday morning.

The aged man had gone to the barn for the purpose of feeding the bull, this being one of his chores. The animal had at no previous time given indications of an ugly disposition and no one considered it in the least dangerous to go near him.

According to Dr. H. W. Froehlich, who was called, the animal had evidently hooked his victim first, the stub horns entering on the inside of the left leg near the body, tearing a wide gash and knocking the man down. Using his hoofs the bull had thereupon pounded his prostrate victim across the stomach, tearing the muscles and inflicting internal injuries, although the skin was not broken at this point.

Examination at the hospital showed his injuries to be such as to make recovery practically impossible and the members of the family were notified. The body was prepared for burial at the Larson undertaking rooms and interment made in Hazel cemetery.

Deceased was born in Norway and came to this country at an early age. He was a resident of Pennington county for many years and most highly regarded among the people of the neighborhood in which he lived.

ELKS SECURE OPTION ON RIVER FRONT PLOT

Would Fill in Property With Overburden Taken From City Streets.

Thief River Falls lodge of Elks has secured an option on the piece of property at the foot of third street and fronting on the river with a view to erecting a club house thereon and in other ways improving the place. The plot is in its present state too low and subject to overflowing and it would be necessary to do considerable filling in order to make it available for building purposes. It would also be necessary to have the east end of Davis street condemned as a thoroughfare.

In order to see what could be done in the matter, a committee composed of Math Barzen and F. H. Herrick waited on the council Tuesday evening with the request that the city order all dirt taken from the streets when preparing them for paving dumped onto the low land referred to. It was pointed out that no nearer place for getting rid of this overburden could be found and that the city would be under no expense for leveling.

It was found that the contract with the paving concern provides that no charge is to be made for hauling this material for a distance up to 1000 feet but that 2½ cents per yard will be charged for any distance over that. It is estimated that 15,000 yards will have to be removed and as the Elks will not require over 6,000 yards the matter was easily arranged. The council figured that besides providing a convenient dumping place it was worth something to the city to have this particular section improved and the request was unanimously granted.

As Davis street now ends at Third and there is no possibility of its ever being continued farther, this part of the petition was quickly disposed of.

JOINS GREAT MOVING PICTURE COMBINATION

Manager Brumund Becomes Member of First National Exhibitors Organization.

Mark Ross, representing the First National Exhibitors' organization, a combination of producers and theatre men who have joined forces for the purpose of providing the public with better moving pictures at a lower price, was in the city the first of the week and laid the program of the association with which he is identified before Manager Brumund of the Lyceum and Princess theatres. So favorably did Mr. Brumund regard the proposition that he became a member at once.

The First National aims to so arrange things that the men who show the pictures will have something to say about them. As things now stand, according to Mr. Ross, a few men absolutely control the business and can do as they please both as regards quality and price. The National now has 26 distributing offices in the United States and will soon cover the country from ocean to ocean. The concern has under contract such stars as Mary Pickford, D. W. Griffith, Norma and Constance Talmadge, Katharine Macdonald, Charlie Chaplin, Charles Ray, Anita Stewart, Marshal Neilson, Mildred Harris, Jack Pickford, Olga Petrova, Bert Lytell, Mitchell Lewis and many others. These are the very topnotchers in the moving picture profession.

Being a member of the First National will mean that the Princess and Lyceum will show the same pictures as New York and Chicago houses and at a price that is not prohibitive. Mr. Ross stated that Mr. Brumund was entitled to much credit for thus securing the best for his patrons, particularly when the fact that he has no opposition is taken into consideration.

Winger Returns to City.

After an absence of about a year, during which time he was connected with a business house at Kennedy, Olaf Winger has returned to this city and accepted a position at the store of A. S. Lieberman. Mr. Winger was for years in the clothing department of the Oen Mercantile company and is one of the best known young men in the county. He has a large number of friends, particularly among the farmers, and these will be glad to welcome him back.

PINE SEEDLINGS FOR PLANTING NEAR HERE

Expert Will be on Ground Next Week to Assist in Setting Out Trees.

A shipment of between 15,000 and 20,000 white pine seedlings is expected to arrive in this city within a few days for distribution among the farmers and others who are willing to plant and care for the young trees. The shipment comes from the state propagating station at Cloquet and is sent under orders from the state forestry board, of which Daniel Shaw of this city is a member.

G. M. Couzet of the forestry department, is expected in the city about the time the shipment arrives and will give information as to the best manner of setting out the seedlings, which are from 8 to 14 inches in height.

A large number of farmers have signified their intention of setting out the young trees but the largest order will go to the Tri-County sanatorium where 1000 will be placed. The planting will be with the intention of providing groves for windbreaks, it being claimed that a shelter of trees on three sides of a building is equivalent in climatic effect to moving it 200 miles farther south.

Mr. Couzet advises that in case he is delayed in getting here, all those who receive trees must be sure to keep the roots thoroughly wet as in this manner they will keep for a long time if put in a cool, shady place.

Mr. Shaw has frequently attempted to secure a greater interest in tree growing in this section, both among the people here and the officials of the forestry department, and this initial shipment is a direct result of his efforts.

Park Plan Opposed By Council Majority

The city council does not take kindly to the proposition that the point formed by the Red Lake river at its confluence with the Thief be purchased for park purposes. While admitting that the property is in every way desirable and very reasonable—$1200 being the price asked—they maintain that it is too small to be of much use as a playground. Councilman Andrew Ness reported that he had secured an option and the purchase was strongly urged by Mayor Bratrud and President Brumund, besides Mr. Ness. They pointed out that the point now constituted almost the only place where property touching the river can be secured at any such price and that unless it is taken up at once it may be too late. In fact Mr. Ness said he would buy it himself as an investment if the council did not care to do so. Nothing definite was done about the matter and it will in all probability come up at a special meeting to be held on Tuesday.

MINIMUM WAGE SCALE FOR RURAL TEACHERS

Pass Resolutions Placing $85 as the Low Figure For Beginners.

At a meeting of rural teachers held in the court house in this city last week a resolution was passed for presentation to the different school boards establishing a minimum wage scale for teachers. The resolution was drawn up by a committee composed of Misses Werstlien, Votava, Richardson, Kellberg and Johnson, and provides for the following rate; the first figure applying to teachers who have served less than two years and the second figure to those of longer experience:

Second class certificate, $85-$90; first class certificate, $95-$105; high school training, $100-$110.

The meeting was opened by County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson and a permanent organization formed by the election of Miss Anna Froiland as president and Miss Mabel Kellberg secretary.

The action taken as regards the salary scale was by unanimous vote of all present.

Extensive Experiment in Onion Raising is Launched.

The Goodridge Banner states that 20 acres of ground in the vicinity of that village have been rented from Joe McCabe and are being sown to onions. The ground has been plowed, disced and harrowed until it is in first-class shape. The seed is sown broadcast. The work is being done under the direction of S. O. Palmer, the promoter of the scheme. Associated with him are J. P. Jensen, Ted Tandberg and Prof. Norby. It had been planned to get the seed in the ground last fall, but winter set in too early.

This is an experiment that will be watched with interest by people thruout northern Minnesota, for if good yields of onions can be obtained here, it means thousands of dollars to the farmers.

Potato Men To Organize Next Friday

Senator James Cumming Will Address Growers at St. Hilaire Meeting.

Associations Already Formed in Nearly Every County in the State.

Aim Will be Standardization and Improved Marketing Conditions.

A Pennington County Potato Growers association will be organized at a meeting to be held in St. Hilaire on Friday afternoon, May 21, at one o'clock. Senator James Cumming of East Grand Forks, who has been instrumental in forming associations of this kind all over the state, will be present and assist in getting the work started. The plan is to at once *affiliate with the State Potato Growers'* association, organized at Little Falls last year.

The aim of the new organization is to put Minnesota forward as the chief potato state of the nation. To this end all association members will be asked to plant uniform varieties and work toward certified seed. The movement is one of the most important engaged upon by the farmers of the state for years and the enthusiasm with which they are taking hold of the proposition is most encouraging.

The people in the vicinity of St. Hilaire have taken the lead in this matter. Much interest has been evinced in the raising of certified seed and some work toward forming an organization already accomplished. Plans for the building of a potato warehouse have been considered and it is probable that the erection of such plant will be begun within a short time after the county organization is formed.

Another matter that will in all probability come up for discussion at the meeting will be the pooling of wool. This plan has been followed with marked success by sheep raisers in other sections and will no doubt be found of value here.

Senator Cumming is an authority on these matters and it will be to the interest of those engaged in potato and wool raising to be present at the meeting.

FAMOUS CHOIR WILL ATTEND CONVENTION

Lady Singers From Oak Grove Seminary Here For Church Meeting.

Interest will be added to the meetings of the delegates of the Lutheran Free Church, to be held in this city from June 9 to 15, by the presence of the ladies' choir of Oak Grove seminary, Fargo. This is one of the most famous organizations of its kind in the West and will insure that the musical division of the meetings is fully in keeping with the importance of the event as a whole.

Rev. George Larson, pastor of the local church of the denomination, says that the committee on arrangements is meeting with much success in finding lodging places for the delegates. As there will be in the neighborhood of 3,000 of these, the problem of their entertainment presents some difficulties, but these are all being overcome. Rev. Larson is keeping a regular card index system to show just who is coming and what disposition is to be made of them so that there will be no confusion upon their arrival.

The convention, which is to be held in the auditorium, will without question be the largest in the history of the organization and very much the largest for which the people of Thief River Falls have ever acted as hosts.

Makes Proposal Changing White Way Light Poles

The representative of a large electrical supply house was in the city this week for the purpose of conferring with the council regarding the proposed extensions and changes to be made in the electric light system. Underground conduits will have to be laid before paving is put down and the figures presented were for this work. One of the suggestions made by him was that the present light standards on the White Way be retained but that instead of the cross-arm type now employed the city should remove the crosses and use one large lamp at the top. The salvage in making this change would go a long way toward making the necessary change. He was awarded a contract with the understanding that if the courts prevented the city from going ahead with paving the order would be automatically cancelled.

Greatest Silk Purchase In History of Northwest.

H. O. Loken returned Saturday morning from Chicago, where he attended one of the most remarkable merchandising events of late years. The largest silk importing house in America suddenly found itself compelled to unload a large part of its holdings and notified a few merchants in each state by telegraph. As an indication of the standing of the Loken store among wholesalers it may be mentioned that outside of the Twin Cities and Duluth only three men in Minnesota were notified of the sale, Mr. Loken being one of these.

The reason for the sale is that Japanese bankers suddenly found themselves with a vast quantity of silk securities on their hands, the high prices having had the effect of curtailing the demand. Importers were notified that bills must be met at once and the slump in prices followed. Mr. Loken says that buyers were present early in the morning on the first day of the sale and that the transactions for the two days totaled $2,000,000. The price reduction was astounding, he states, it being considered impossible to secure even the lowest grade silks for what these premium goods were bringing. He secured $5,600 worth—by far the largest silk order ever placed by a house in this section.

The bargain is to be passed on to the people without delay, a full-page advertisement in this issue of The Times giving further details of this remarkable merchandising event. The ladies of this section will find that they can dress in the finest silks at a cost in many cases lower than that of wool. This should bring a demand for these goods during the next few days that will make the merchant sorry he did not buy $10,000 worth.

Opening Gun By Nonparty In This City

Dr. Shipstead, Candidate For Governor, Will be Here Monday Evening.

E. N. Thormodson, Congressional Choice of Nonpartisans, Will Speak.

Thomas Vollom of Erskine, Who Opposes Mike Holm, Will be in Party.

The first political rally of the 1920 campaign to be held in Thief River Falls will be on Monday evening, May 17, when Dr. Henrick Shipstead of Glenwood, endorsed by the Nonpartisan league as the Republican candidate for governor and who will contest for the honor of leading the party in the state with J. A. O. Preus at the primaries, will be the principal speaker. Dr. Shipstead will make an active campaign from now on and will appear in different sections of the state with such other candidates as may reside at the points of his appearance.

There is no question but that he will be greeted by a packed house in Thief River Falls, as those who do not agree with him and will not vote for him will be as anxious to hear what he has to say as will his most ardent supporters.

Candidate for Congress.

E. N. Thormodson of Dalton, endorsed by the Nonpartisans for congress in the Ninth ditsrict, will be on the platform with Dr. Shipstead and will present his views on national issues to the people. Another member of the party is Thomas Vollom of Erskine, who will contest in the primaries for the nomination for secretary of state with Mike Holm of Roseau county.

Will Draw Large Crowd.

The prominence of the speakers is sure to draw large crowds from all sections of the Northwest, Thief River Falls having been selected for this big meeting because of having a hall of sufficient capacity to hold any audience that is likely to appear under almost any circumstances.

The meeting is called for 8 o'clock.

Contribute Liberally to Near East Relief Fund.

The people of Rocksbury township have always been noted for the liberality with which they have supported any worthy movement brought to their attention. It was so with the different Red Cross campaigns during the war, the Y. M. C. A. drives, church fund campaigns, and everything else in which they interest themselves. The latest move engaging their attention is Near East relief, and S. O. Lee, township chairman, reports as follows on the results of the solicitations thus far made:

S. E. Hunt, $5; S. O. Lee, $5; Paul Engelstad, $5; C. E. Oien, $5; Halvor H. Olson, $2.50; Casper Falk, $5; Knute Ystesund, $1; Lars G. Netteland, $5; S. O. Finhart, $1; K. H. Finstad, $5; Fred Turnquist, $1; Dan Johnson, $1; Johan Johnson, $2; A. E. Anderson, $1; Henry Oen, $2; Mrs. Halvor Hostvedt, $1; Ed. A. Aubol, $5; P. Engelstad, $5; Henry Pope, $2; O. B. Gunderson, $1; G. P. Hanson, $1; Emil Welo, $1. Total $62.00.

Delegates to Conferences of Swedish Lutheran Church

Rev. Albin A. Larson of the Swedish Lutheran church in Thief River Falls, was chosen as the delegate to the synodical conference of the denomination at Johnstown, N. Y., by the Red River valley conference held at Nelson, near Fergus Falls, this week. Mrs. Larson was selected as the delegate of the Woman's Home and Missionary societies of the district to the national meeting held at Johnstown on the same dates as the synodical conference.

The Nelson meeting was one of the most successful ever held. It was decided to open an orphanage and receiving home and a committee was appointed to investigate the prospects for beginning hospital work. Warren, Moorhead and Alexandria are being considered as locations.

The taking over of Northwestern university at Fargo and North Star college at Warren as denominational institutions was also up for consideration.

The Lutheran Bible Institute is a new feature of church work that is being carried on in a most satisfactory manner. S. M. Miller of St. Paul is in charge of this work and was present at the district conference.

Preus G.O.P. Favorite For Ticket Head

Present State Auditor Chosen on First Ballot at Minneapolis Meeting.

Mike Holm of Roseau Endorsed as Candidate For Secretary of State.

Platform Declares For Fair and Equitable Tonnage Tax on Iron Ore.

Jacob A. O. Preus, present state auditor, was on Saturday endorsed for the Republican nomination for governor by the elimination convention held in Minneapolis. But one ballot was taken, the vote in favor of Mr. Preus being so decided that his selection was made unanimous.

Louis L. Collins of Minneapolis, *returned army service man,* was nominated for lieutenant governor without opposition, other candidates withdrawing in his favor.

Judge Mike Holm of Roseau was nominated for secretary of state in a field of six candidates after three ballots had been taken. The Pennington county delegation had been instructed for Preus and Holm and were thus with the winners from the outset.

Three present officials were endorsed for renomination, these being Clifford L. Hilton, attorney general; Henry Rines, state treasurer, and O. P. B. Jacobson, member of the railroad and warehouse commission. Judge Homer B. Dibell of the supreme court was also endorsed for renomination in the primaries.

Julius Schmahl Withdraws.

One of the things that paved the way for the early nomination of Mr. Preus was the withdrawal of Julius A. Schmahl from the race. The present secretary of state has been an active candidate since early in the campaign and while he requested that he be not considered by the elimination convention there is considerable speculation as to what his course will be. The other candidates for the gubernatorial endorsement—Thomas Frankson, Thomas Keefe, S. G. Iverson, M. J. Dowling and L. A. Fritsche—will without question withdraw from further effort to secure the nomination at the primaries.

Tonnage Tax Is Up.

Delegates from the iron mining districts supported Mr. Preus for the indorsement, but he was "put over" by delegates from northwestern and southern Minnesota who favored the tonnage tax. The real battle of the convention was over this question. Friends of the tonnage tax were determined that it should be settled before nominations were made.

It was freely stated on the floor that several county delegations would stand for Preus if the convention declared for the tonnage tax, but otherwise would not vote for him. Three votes were taken and the convention insisted on adopting its resolutions before taking a ballot on governor. Once the tonnage tax had been endorsed, the endorsement of Preus was a certainty.

New Planks Appear.

The resolutions adopted by the convention reaffirm the platform of March 20, which includes support of prohibition and woman suffrage.

New planks were approved:

Declaring for Americanism against socialism.

Declaring for farmers' co-operative movements and against state ownership of industries.

Indorsing collective bargaining.

Indorsing the Babcock road amendment.

Favoring a "fair and equitable tonnage tax law on iron ore."

Favoring return to the convention system for party nominations, and advocating legislation to prevent any but bona fide members of the party from running as republicans.

Pledging support of republicans to the candidates indorsed and to the national ticket.

SIXTY-FIFTH SPLITS ON IRON TAX ISSUE

Pennington For Tonnage Measure, Red Lake and Clearwater Against.

Pennington county's seven votes were cast in favor of a tonnage tax on iron ore at the Republican elimination convention in Minneapolis on Saturday. In this attitude the delegates were deserted by their conferees from the other two counties in the district, Red Lake county's six votes and the seven from Clearwater going against the proposition.

The vote in the convention stood 701 in favor of the tax and 331 against it. A number of delegations were split on the issue, Polk being among these, eight of its 14 votes being in favor with six against. The counties of the Ninth congressional district lined up as follows on the proposition:

	Yes	No
Becker	11	
Clearwater		7
Clay	9	
Kittson	7	
Mahnomen	7	
Marshall	10	
Norman	9	
Ottertail	14	4
Pennington	7	
Polk	8	6
Red Lake		6
Roseau		7
Wilk'n	7	1
Total	89	31

Returns to Gonvick.

George T. Hamery, vice president of the First National bank in this city for the past five months, left yesterday afternoon for Gonvick for the purpose of again taking up his residence in that village. He is president of the Farmers' State bank in the Clearwater county town and has other interests there which require his personal attention almost constantly. He is a high-class business man and it is to be regretted that he could not see his way clear to remain in Thief River Falls. He made many warm friends during his stay here and these will regret his departure.

Returns From East.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, returned last week from the East where he had been on business for about three weeks. Mr. Hansen attended the meeting of the National bankers association at Pinehurst, N. C., and stopped at a number of the larger cities enroute. He had a very pleasant trip but is not particularly enthusiastic over the stretches of the country he saw. So far as agricultural development is concerned, he says, northern Minnesota is so far ahead of the Southeast that there is absolutely no chance of making a comparison.

STEENERSON TO STAY ON JOB AT CAPITAL

May Not be Able to Visit Constituents Before the Primary Election.

Close personal friends of Congressman Steenerson in Thief River Falls, who have been asking him to pay the city a visit before the primaries, have been informed that it will be impossible for him to leave his duties at Washington at the present time. A number of important measures in which he is interested, among them the Red Lake river improvement project, are at a stage where he does not believe it advisable to absent himself for any considerable time. He has been working hard on matters of interest to the district and would welcome an opportunity to escape for awhile, but states that the people are now so well acquainted with him that a tour of speech-making seems superflous.

Later in the summer, after the adjournment of congress, Mr. Steenerson says he will pay the city a visit and expects at the same time to continue his trip to Goodridge and Grygla.

Economy and Efficiency Demand Change of Current

Robert Payne, representing the Northwestern General Electric company of St. Paul, was in the city the first of the week for the purpose of explaining the advantages to be gained by changing the current now generated at the electric plant from a direct to an alternating type. He said that the city should prepare to make the change at once and that more equipment should be added in order to secure the best results. He further suggested that a dam be built at a point a short distance down the river where sufficient power could be generated to supply not only the city but a large section of adjacent territory as well.

W. W. Prichard Sr., who was among those present when Mr. Payne spoke in the council room, said that the thing to do was to appoint a commission to handle the public utilities of the city.

Mr. Payne in the course of his remarks said that Thief River Falls is the only city in the state now using a 220 volt direct current.

Flax Advised Where Late Spring Retards Seeding

To farmers who have been unable to get in the usual crops, on account of the lateness of the season, agricultural college men at University Farm are making the suggestion that flax be sown.

Various causes at home and abroad have served to create an unprecedented demand for the cereal. Since 1913 the price has advanced each year until it is now about four times the pre-war price. Flax seed is indispensable in construction work and its cultivation is a simple proposition. New breaking or clean Minnesota land should, climatic conditions being normal, produce a good crop even if sown after other farm crops have been planted.

Flax may be sown early or as late as June 1 to 15. Andrew Boss, vice director of the Minnesota Experiment station, recommends the use of one bushel of seed to every two acres. Seed should be secured at once, as it is scarce. If there is danger of the seed being affected with wilt, treat it with formaldehyde. Care must be exercised not to get seed too wet.

Beltrami Farmers to Grow Sorghum and Build Mill.

Farmers in the vicinity of Ten Lakes, a township east of Bemidji, have decided to establish a sorghum mill. The proposition is being promoted by Oscar Hauglum, who has purchased a mill and evaporator. Several farmers have secured seed and will plant a large acreage of cane this spring.

Next fall the mill will be put into operation and syrup will be manufactured. The farmers believe that they will not only be able to take care of their own needs, but that they will also be able to put a quantity on the market and if the proposition proves profitable it will become permanent.

New Shoe Man In Charge.

A. C. Aure, formerly connected with one of the largest shoe houses in Minneapolis, has taken charge of the shoe department of the Loken store, succeeding Alfred Olson, who has returned to the cities. Mr. Aure is a man of long experience in the business and comes very highly recommended. This particular department of the Loken store has kept pace with the remainder in growth and takes the entire time of an expert in the business. Mr. Aure will give his personal attention to the correct fitting of every pair of shoes leaving the place.

Put Utilities In Hands of Commission

Motion to This Effect is Introduced at Council Meeting Tuesday Evening.

Can be Accomplished by Simple Resolution Creating Necessary Board.

Matter Laid Over in Order to Give Members Time For Consideration.

Again the proposition to place the public utilities of the city in the hands of a commission is under consideration. The matter has come up on numerous occasions before but for one reason or another it has never been carried out.

That some of the members of the council have always considered the plan the only feasible one for handling the electric light and water department is well known, and when on Tuesday evening Supt. Ole Legvold of the department reported that one of the turbines had slipped and that no power from the dam could be expected until the matter had been remedied, the thing come to a head suddenly. Councilman O. L. Ihle, without preliminary of any kind, moved that a commission be appointed at once with full power to take charge of the water and light plant.

Others Advise Waiting.

There was no outspoken opposition to the program, but Councilman Carl Froseth said he wanted a little more time in which to acquaint himself with the consequences of such action. Other members rather seemed to favor this view and it was suggested to lay the matter over until next meeting, which was done without a vote having been taken on Mr. Ihle's motion.

Empowered to Go Ahead.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie stated that there was no doubt of the council's right to appoint such commission without further fuss than a resolution to that effect duly passed by the required majority. The law provides that the council may appoint commissioners to have charge of public utilities, the terms of such officers being for one, two and three years. The one serving the last year of his term would in each case be chairman of the commission. The matter of compensation is left entirely in the hands of the council, but the law provides that it must not exceed a stated sum.

In the Modern Way.

In practically every city in Minnesota the utilities have been placed in control of a separate body, it being realized that the councilmen cannot give the matter proper attention, no matter how willing they may be to devote their time to the subject.

Turbin at Power House Goes Out of Commision.

Just before six o'clock on Tuesday afternoon an accident occurred at the dam power house, the extent of which has not yet exactly been ascertained. The turbine at the east end of the flume without apparent cause slipped out of position sufficient to prevent the cogs from meshing and thus threw the work of running the dynamos onto the companion wheel. This does not furnish sufficient power and the auxiliary Diesel engines had to be called into play. Superintendent Legvold believes that the floor of the flume must have moved and thus let the wheel down, but cannot be certain until a more extended examination has been made.

American Legion Post to Elect Officers Saturday

The semi-annual meeting of Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion, will be held at the Brumund hotel at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening, May 15. The election of officers will take place at this time and other matters of much importance are likely to come up. Any ex-service man who wishes to join the legion is invited to attend the meeting and become affiliated with the organization at this time.

Sons and Daughters Will Celebrate Norway's Day

The seventeeth of May—Norway's independence day—will be appropriately celebrated by members of the local Sons and Daughters of Norway lodges next Monday. The exercises will take place at Masonic hall at 8 o'clock and will be open only to members of the two organizations.

Hans O. Chommie will be the speaker of the day and an appropriate program of music and recitations has been arranged.

Mayor Hodgson Fles as Candidate For Governor

Mayor L. C. Hodgson of St. Paul, who was recently re-elected to that position, on Tuesday filed as a candidate in the primaries for the Democratic nomination for governor.

On the same day Dr. L. A. Freitsche withdrew as a candidate on the Republican ticket.

George L. Siegel of St. Paul, has filed as a candidate for associate justice of the supreme court and has the endorsement of the Nonpartisan

For Mail Carrier's Job.

It will soon be the time of year when some man must be appointed by the department for carrying the mails between the Soo depot and postoffice in this city. Those who wish to apply for the place must have their bids in the postoffice by noon next Saturday as none will be received after that time. Further information can be had by applying to Postmaster John Morgan.

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Charges For Phone Work Are Reduced

Thief River Falls Among Cities Affected by Commission's New Ruling.

Making Changes in Type of Instrument Reduced From $3.50 to $1.00.

Material reduction of installation and miscellaneous charges by telephone companies has been ordered by the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission, the order to become effective May 15. Some time ago the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company, the Tri-State Telephone and Telegraph company, and some of the larger local telephone companies, filed with the commission a graduated scale of charges for service connections, moving of telephones, changing of equipment, and for other work, which scale, in some particulars, was higher than those prescribed by the so-called Burleson or federal rates. After hearings, which continued several days, and a careful study of the proposition, the commission disapproved the proposed charges and established a revised schedule, considerably lower than that proposed, and much lower than the federal scale.

Applies to Thief River Falls.

Thus in cities of the third group the charge for installation—also known as service connection—when *instrument is not in place*, is $2.50 for a business house and $1.75 for a residence; when instrument is in place the charges respectively are $1.75 and $1.25 for business and residence. The federal rates were $3.50 flat for either business or residence, with the telephone not in place, and $1.50 with the telephone instrument in place.

The cities and villages of the third group to which these rates apply are as follows: Anoka, Biwabik, Buhl, Coleraine, Bovey, Excelsior, Gilbert, Glenwood, Grand Rapids, Hopkins, Litchfield, Little Falls, Luverne, Marshall, Montevideo, Morris, Northfield, Ortonville, Pipestone, Princeton, Thief River Falls, Tracy, Wadena, Wayzata, Willmar and Windom.

For installing an extension telephone, the new charge is $1.00 if the instrument is not in place and no charge will be permitted if the instrument is in place. The federal charges respectively were $3.50 and $1.50—a very decided decrease. Connections on private branch exchanges will be made for $1.00 each instead of $3.50 as under the federal scale.

Moving Cost is Cut.

Moving of telephones, which formerly cost the patron $3.50, in the future will cost but $1.00; if the move is made outside the premises the charge will be the same as for a service connection instead of the flat rate of $3.50.

Changes in type of equipment, as from a wall telephone to a desk set, which formerly cost the patron $3.50 will cost but $1.00 in the future. A subscriber superseding another but retaining the old number will be required to pay only $1.00 for directory listing in place of $1.50. When a new number is necessary the routine will be the same as for a new installation and corresponding charge for business and residence telephones will apply instead of the flat rate of $3.50 which was in effect during government control.

HE COULDN'T STAND UP UNDER THE WORK

Was So Run Down Asked for Lighter Employment—Is Well and Strong Now.

"I have taken my share of medicine during the past three years but everything failed to relieve my trouble until I got hold of Tanlac," said John Versen, a civilian employee in the Quartermaster's department at Fort Snelling, Minn., while telling of his remarkable recovery by the use of this medicine, recently.

"I had held out about as long as I could, after being troubled for three years with rheumatism, indigestion, constipation and a general run-down condition," Mr. Versen continued. "I had rheumatism in my arm and shoulders and in my back, right between the shoulder blades, so bad I could hardly move my arms and it was agony for me to put on my coat or dress myself, let alone trying to do my work. I had been doing outside work but I could not stand up under it any longer and had to ask to be transferred to the inside. My digestion was so bad that hardly a thing agreed with me. About a half hour after every meal I would start to bloat up with gas and would have awful attacks of indigestion and was troubled all the time with constipation.

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Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

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Oats	.93
Flax	4.30
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FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	8.20
Bran	2.93
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.05
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	15-16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.35
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.62
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	16-17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	12-15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.29
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	8-10
Steers, per lb.	6-7
Calves, per lb.	6-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	10-12

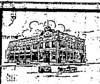

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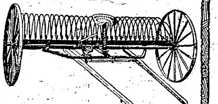

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Our Congressman

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The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

has been hunting up the farmers in Congress—and, let me tell you, it's like hunting for a needle in a haystack. At any rate, it is finding out who are the farmers' friends, and that's something to know.

In the issue of THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN that will be out next week there's a big article called "How Congressmen Vote." I wish you'd read it—it sure is an eye-opener. There's an election coming on, and the farmers should know who are their friends in Washington. THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN will keep you posted if you read it every week and follow its Washington dispatches. . . . Best way to get them is by subscribing. Comes right to your mail box 52 times a year—a great, big farm weekly, full of fine, friendly articles.

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We were notified by telegraph that the largest silk importing house in America would on a certain day sell at a tremendous reduction some two million dollars worth of silks, and were asked to be present. Only three other merchants in Minnesota outside the three large cities were thus notified. Arriving at the salesroom in Chicago we found that the reductions were so astounding that we purchased the largest consignment of silks ever secured by a merchant in this section, the amount being $5,500. The goods are here and we are going to give the ladies of this vicinity the benefit of this fortunate purchase. Read every word of the advertisement appearing on our page ad of The Times today. Prove to your own satisfaction that never has such an opportunity come your way.

This is but another indication of what the Loken buying system can accomplish for you. Our standing and connections often makes it possible for us to pick up bargains of this kind and they are immediately passed on to the public. On this occasion it is silks which we are able to offer at a price in many instances lower than that of wool. Another time it may be something else. But in order to continue doing business along this line the public must show some appreciation of the efforts made in its behalf. We know that big reductions in these days of constantly advancing prices are looked at with suspicion, but many occasions still develop whereby the wide-awake merchant can secure bargains for his trade—providing that trade will take advantage of what he offers. Just now all we ask is that you inspect this line. It will be worth your while to have looked over the shimmering, dazzling array even if you do not buy a single yard of the goods.

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THE NEXT IMPORTANT MOVE.

Whatever else may be said when the present city administration finishes its term of office, it is certain that the charge will not be made that it has been a "do-nothing" outfit. So far as progressive plans and actual accomplishments are concerned every member must be credited with keeping abreast of the demand and up with the times.

After many years of discussion and some few attempts at getting at the matter, it has finally been decided that our business streets shall be paved. The necessity for engaging upon this work has been apparent for a long time, but no administration has until now cared to brave the opposition that was sure to be voiced should the work actually be undertaken. Now that the project is well under way it is found that even those who were loudest in their protests are at least reconciled if not enthusiastic over the prospect.

But another and even more important step is soon to be taken. We need paving badly enough but we need a plentiful supply of pure water even more. This fact is fully realized by the council members and they are going to start right in to supply what is wanted. Careful investigations have been made and the kind of a system practically decided on. The plan that should have been adopted in the first place will now be tried out. It is absolutely certain that it will be successful.

Considerable money has been spent in sinking wells, it being hoped that a sufficient flow would in this manner be disclosed. The effort failed. For this the councilmen then in charge of the city government were not to blame. The scheme looked promising to everyone who had anything to do with making the decision in its favor, a committee of citizens advocating the plan strongly. Nothing is to be gained now by harping on the failure. The only thing that is worth remembering is that water can evidently not be secured by this means and that some other must be tried.

The council believes that filtration is the only sensible system to employ. By installing a purifying plant there would be an unlimited supply furnished by the Red Lake river and there is no question but that treatment will make it equal to any found in the state. As a matter of fact there is nothing much the matter with the river water right now. In its course from the Red lakes it picks up considerable vegetable matter but the absence of cities or even villages of any size along its banks between Thief River Falls and the source prevents contamination of a more dangerous kind. Filtration of the river water presents the surest and cheapest method of securing this necessity for the people.

The city has money with which to install this plant and no borrowing will be found necessary. The project presents nowhere near the difficulties attendant upon the paving proposition and can be carried through without much of an effort. The delay has been due in a large degree to our inability to decide on the best plan to follow and now that this has been found there is no longer an excuse for holding back.

A POOR TIME TO QUIT.

The Thief River Falls commercial club seems to have reached a state of what Grover Cleveland would call innocuous desuetude and which by the rest of us would be referred to as harmless inactivity. The organization could not have hit upon a worse time for suspending animation.

A newspaper does not particularly like to call attention to shortcomings on the part of the civic body to which all the people look for initiative and guidance, but someone will have to do it and it may as well be The Times. It is not to be understood that fault is found with the officers or directors to any greater extent than with the rest of the members. Everybody seems by common consent to have dropped all interest in the club, and the fact is decidedly to be regretted.

Three or four years ago the city had the model commercial club of this section. Plans were made, things undertaken—and sometimes carried out. The fact that not every program entered upon was successfully completed made no difference. Interest was kept alive through our trying to accomplish something. Now this stimulus seems in a great measure to have been removed.

Why is this the case? There is as much need for a live commercial club right at this minute as ever before in the city's history—in fact the need is greater. There are more projects and prospects that should be engaging the attention of the people of the community now than has been the case for a long time. Why are we not at it?

One trouble is that there is no longer a secretary in charge. It makes no difference what may be undertaken, it is practically foredoomed to failure unless there is a man on the job in whom responsibility may be centered. Someone must be at the head of things and it is impossible for the president to assume details. He may initiate and suggest, but the actual work of carrying on must be left to a man who has access to all records and attends to the correspondence of the club. He it is who must secure the co-operation of other members in any plan that is deemed worthy of being tried out. Without a secretary the club will get nowhere.

There are projects now on foot in which the Thief River Falls commercial club should be involved up to its ears. Passing up the river improvement proposition as on a fair way to being realized, there is the need of a road through the Indian reservation. This city was the original trading point for a vast section of country in that direction and would become so again with the right kind of roads. If the club would concentrate its efforts on this one item during the present year and help in its accomplishment it would not have been maintained in vain. As matters now stand it would not be surprising to find those who have liberally supported it in the past drop out and simply permit the organization to die from lack of nourishment.

The result obtained in the sugar beet enterprise is evidence of what can be accomplished when an effort is made. There are others just as important and they should be attended to.

THE CANDIDATES.

Whether or not the candidate for governor selected by the elimination convention last week is elected in November will depend very much upon the attitude of others who were also candidates for the same position before that convention. If one of them should refuse to stay eliminated it would gum up the program and might result in both being sidetracked in the primary election. The ticket as selected is, we believe, satisfactory to a majority of the Republicans in the state, but that is not quite all that is necessary.

It is hinted that Julius Schmahl will make the primary run in spite of the fact that Preus was the man selected for the place. This is not likely. Julius has been used pretty well by the Republicans and to add to the burdens of the party this year by dividing the primary vote would be playing the part of an ingrate. Preus will need all the votes in order to defeat Shipstead, who will enter the race against him with Nonpartisan endorsement. Anyone who believes that there will be nothing to the contest and that it is already a foregone conclusion that Preus will be the final nominee has another guess coming. The very quietness with which the Shipstead campaign is being conducted should give the regulars some considerable concern.

The nomination of Mike Holm as secretary of state is naturally pleasing to the people of this section. He has long been a resident of northwestern Minnesota, is a man in every way capable of holding the position and his chances of election seem very good. It was good politics to name him, as Thomas Vellom, whom the Nonpartisans have endorsed, is also from the Ninth district.

As concerns the remainder of the ticket, it is in every way acceptable. Rines, Hilton and Jacobson will run on their records and there is nothing in these they need be afraid to have the people scrutinize.

The platform contains a demand for a fair and equitable tax on iron ore. On this proposition the delegates from the Sixty-fifth district were divided, the seven from Pennington voting for the resolution while those from Red Lake and Clearwater counties voted against it. The probabilities are that this particular plank will become one of the leading issues of the campaign and the vote at the elimination convention would indicate that even in northwestern Minnesota sentiment is divided.

Big Political RALLY!

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MONDAY, MAY 17

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Thomas Vollom
Candidate for Secretary of State

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THE TIMES CIRCULATION.

The circulation of the Thief River Falls Times has been investigated by one of the highest authorities on the subject in the United States and found to be larger than that of any other weekly printed in the English language in Minnesota. This is perhaps the most enviable position that can be achieved by a newspaper and one of which the publishers are justly proud.

The figures are taken from the newspaper directory of N. W. Ayer & Son of Philadelphia, the most authentic and dependable work of its kind in the United States. The report is given out only after the most careful investigation, the concern staking a reputation gained during fifty-two years of constant service to the advertisers of America on its correctness.

It is the conviction of the publishers that no other paper in the state covers its field so thoroughly as does The Times. The homes in Pennington county into which the paper does not go are few and far between. It is the "county paper" for hundreds of families the members of which depend upon its columns almost entirely for news of their neighbors and the outside world. These readers have stuck to The Times for years, never complaining even when circumstances, such as the fire of last winter, has forced the paper to curtail on both news and advertising, and consequently on service. This proven loyalty on the part of its friends is the most cherished asset that the paper has, being regarded as even more to be desired than its circulation standing among Minnesota publications.

Many interesting facts are given in the new directory. It finds that there were at the time of compilation 22,428 publications in existence, a decrease of 646 for the year. These papers are printed in 10,088 towns, a decrease of 201. As an indication of the hardships through which newspapers have passed since the war started it is stated that a total of 2296 have suspended publication during that period.

Merely for the sake of comparison it may be stated that all papers at present printed in Pennington county are recorded and that the publication next to The Times in point of circulation is credited with 600.

Welcomes the Women.

Warren Sheaf: The city of Warren has the great honor and privilege this week to be the host to a large number of the best people of the state, the ladies of the Federation of Women's Clubs of the Ninth District, who hold their twentieth annual convention here today and tomorrow. From widely scattered homes they come to counsel and discuss with one another questions of vital importance to the home and home life, to the community, to the state and to the nation. As the emancipation of woman progresses, her mellowing, purifying and ennobling influence is being felt more and more in all spheres of human endeavor. It is not many decades ago that the proper and only place of woman was to prepare the meals, to wash the dishes, to sweep the floors, the make the beds, and even to build the fires and have a cup of hot coffee ready for her lord and master when he arose in the morning. Education, especially the higher education, was denied to her. Today woman is recognized as an equal partner with man. It is recognized that she has a mind and soul fully as capable of development as the mind and soul of man, and that she has rights and responsibilities fully as important and sacred as those of man. While she will always shine with the greatest luster in the home, and her varied domestic duties be her most blessed work, so we hope at least for the sake of mere man, yet society has found out that woman should be given the same opportunity to develop her God given powers as are given to man. By making the most of her life she will enhance the happiness and welfare of the whole human race. By developing her talents and powers she will become a better wife, a better mother, and a better citizen. This is the age of co-operation, and men and women are learning that by co-operation will they enhance each other's happiness and be better able to solve the many perplexing questions of life.

Warren extends a most hearty welcome to you, good and noble women, who have come to participate in this convention. May you have an enjoyable and profitable meeting and may you carry away pleasant memories from your visit to Warren, memories that shall sweeten your work and be helpful to you in days to come.

It Must Improve.

Bemidji Sentinel: The Thief River Falls Times will soon be issued from its new plant, fitted out since their recent fire. They have been issuing a splendid paper, despite the obstacles encountered, and it is difficult for us to see how it can be much improved, even when they start with their own equipment.

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$3.00 men's fine quality combed yarn, best grade Munsing make, in White and Cream color, short or long sleeves for Saturday only	$2.20
$2.50 men's medium weight Union Suits	$1.65
$2.00 men's light weight Union Suits, short sleeves, ankle length	$1.45
Ventilated mesh weave Cotton Union Suits. Special for Saturday only	$1.35
$2.00 men's B V D style extra fine quality Munsing and Sealpax; finest make. Special	$1.45
$1.50 men's B V D style Union Suits. Special for Saturday	$1.15

Boys' Underwear

$1.50 boys' fine quality ventilated mesh Union Suits	$1.15
$1.00 boys' mesh Union Suits	75c
Boys' fine combed yarn Union Suits, short sleeve, knee length	95c
$1.00 children's Underwaists; sizes 2 to 7	65c

Specials on Work Clothes!

Men's medium weight Oxford Grey Striped Mole Pants, Saturday	$3.45
Good strong work pants in dark stripe Patterns. Saturday Special	$3.15
Our very best $6.00 medium weight work Shoes, Special	$4.85
Good soft muleskin Shoes with heavy leather sole. A very good comfortable work shoe for summer wear	$3.15
$1.75 extra good work Shirts for Saturday only, Special	$1.29
$2.00 Work Shirts, Saturday only	$1.45
$4.50 Khaki shade unionalls, for Saturday only	$3.35
Rockford work Sox	19c
Flashlight union made $2.20 Overalls. Sizes up to 50. Special	$2.65

Raincoats

Suitable for work. A good coat for driving. Special	$4.45
Work Caps	65c
$2.25 Horsehide Gloves for work. Saturday Special	$1.85

Boys' Wash Suits

$3.50 extra fine quality, good weight, fancy makes; colors are Cadet, Blue, Tan, Grey, nobby sailor effect model. Sizes 3 to 8. Saturday only	$2.65
$4.00 boys' cool Crash Suits, assorted shades, all around belt with buckle, straight cut pants. Sizes 3 to 8. Saturday only	$3.15
$3.25 high grade white French linen, large sailor collar, cuffs and collar trimmed to match. For Saturday only	$2.45
$4.00 handsome Oliver Twist Suits of extra fine quality, Pekin Blue, Tan straight cut pants, fastening at waist with large pearl buttons. Sizes 3 to 8. Saturday only	$2.95
$9.00 all wool blue serge Sailor Suits. Sleeves trimmed with silk, navy emblem. Short or long pants. Saturday only	$6.95
$1.50 Rompers, plain and trimmed, assorted shades. Saturday	85c

Boys' Suits

$18.00 boys' all wool blue serge Suits. Sizes 10 to 18. Special for Saturday	$14.65
$12.00 boys' blue serge Suits. Sizes 2 to 9. Saturday only	$9.65
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Society

Woman's Club Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Woman's club on Monday afternoon, May 10, at the commercial club rooms. A special program has been arranged, consisting of numbers by the chorus of the musical section, led by Mrs. G. Halvorson. Ingolf Grindeland of Warren will also offer a group of songs. There will be election of officers for the ensuing year. All members are urged to be present at this session.

Community Girls Meeting.

The next regular meeting of the Girls' Community club will be held at the commercial club rooms Monday evening, May 17. All members are urged to be there at 7:30 for the business meeting, which will include the report of the district convention held at Warren last week, and also election of officers, after which cars will be waiting to take all who wish to go out to the Johnson farm. Those who wish to go please notify the secretary so arrangements can be made for sufficient cars. All members are urged to be at the commercial club rooms for the business meeting at 7:30.

Buringrud-Phillipson.

On Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock a quiet wedding was solemnized at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, uniting Miss Josephine Phillipson and Andrew Buringrud in the holy bonds of wedlock. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the church, officiated in the presence of Miss Clara Gullingsrud and Alf Anderson. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party left for the bride's home at Middle River, where a reception was given to immediate friends and relatives. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Phillipson of Middle River and for the past few years has been employed in this city, following the profession of nurse until two years ago, when she entered the employ of the Oen Mercantile company as saleslady. The groom is well known in this vicinity, having been a stockholder in the Oen Mercantile company for a number of years.

Sande-Sether.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether at 4 o'clock on Friday afternoon, May 7, when their daughter, Miss Helen M. Sether, was united in marriage to Henry Sande. The bride wore a dress of white crepe de chine combined with shadow lace and carried a bridal bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Alma Sether, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, while Ole Sande, brother of the groom, was best man. Miss Sarah Lee of Wannaska played Lohengrin's wedding march. Immediately after the ceremony a three-course dinner was served. The young couple left by car on a short honeymoon, after which they will return to this place and will reside on the Conner farm west of town.

Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mrs. Anna Lonson on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Tilden, whose birthday anniversary occurred on that day. About thirty of the latter's closest friends were present to enjoy the hours. Mrs. Tilden was presented with many beautiful gifts and also a purse of money. A delightful lunch concluded a most enjoyable time.

Horeen-Hegglund.

Leor Horeen and Miss Ida Hegglund, both of Holt, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Zion Lutheran parsonage. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the church, was the officiating clergyman. The couple was attended by John A. Jacobson and Miss Alice Bugge.

For Mrs. Rolland.

Mrs. Clarence Erickson is entertaining a few ladies this afternoon in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Eli Rolland.

Engagement Announced.

John Linde of this city announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Agnes Linde, to Charles Lovell of Portland, Oregon.

Marshmallow Roast.

The civics classes of the Lincoln high school are holding a marshmallow roast at Squaw Point this evening.

Entertains.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hoggan on Duluth avenue was the scene of a delightful whist party on Saturday evening. A lovely lunch was served at midnight.

Churches

The First Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services next Sunday. Mission festival in the church this evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Emmy Evald of Chicago will be the speaker. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained in the church basement Wednesday afternoon May 20, by Mrs. F. Carlson and Mrs. Herman Moline. The Luther League will be entertained by the Kellberg family at their home in the country Friday evening, May 21.

Sw. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 16th. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. No evening service. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Subject, "Truth." The Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Gustave Anderson, 317 Markley avenue north, next Wednesday, May 19th. All welcome.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 16: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; 11 a. m., morning worship. The pastor will discuss a subject that is of local and immediate concern to Christian people. 8 p. m., evening worship. The subject for thought will be "The Origin of Things, or Bible Philosophy."

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service 11 a. m. Service in English at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Ladies' Aid in church basement Thursday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Oftelie entertains. Zion Young Peoples' society meets Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Mortals and Immortals." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Trinity Lutheran Church—Services in the Norwegian language next Sunday forenoon by Rev. H. Bjornson. Sunday school as usual.

Obituary

Horton Rae Aga.

Horton Rae, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart J. Aga of this city, died on May 7 after a brief illness. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery on May 8.

John William Warner.

On May 7 occurred the death of John William, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Warner of this city. The cause of the child's death was influenza, from which he had suffered only a short while. Interment took place on May 8 in the Catholic cemetery. The bereaved parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community.

Alfred Norman Hestekind.

Alfred Norman Hestekind, son of Andrew Hestekind of Smiley township, died on May 3 from pulmonary tuberculosis following influenza. The child was 8 months and 22 days old at the time of his death.

P. O. Risberg.

P. O. Risberg died in this city on May 6, from a complication of diseases, at the age of 55 years. Deceased was born in Sweden Dec. 6, 1865, and immigrated to this country 30 years ago. Funeral services were held at Holt on May 10.

Mrs. Sigrid Anfinson.

Mrs. Sigrid Anfinson died at her home in Smiley township on May 1, at the ripe old age of 81 years, 7 months and 21 days. Death was due to asthma, from which she had been a sufferer for 15 years. Interment took place in St. Paul cemetery in Smiley.

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Royal Hot Griddle Cakes

2 cups flour
½ teaspoon salt
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1½ cups milk
2 tablespoons shortening

Mix and sift dry ingredients; add milk and melted shortening; beat well. Bake on slightly greased hot griddle.

Griddle Cakes with Eggs

1½ cups flour
½ teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 eggs
1½ cups milk
1 tablespoon shortening

Mix and sift dry ingredients; add beaten eggs, milk and melted shortening; mix well. Bake immediately on hot griddle.

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Buckwheat Cakes

2 cups buckwheat flour
1 cup flour
6 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1½ teaspoon salt
2½ cups milk or milk and water
1 tablespoon molasses
1 tablespoon shortening

Sift together flours, baking powder and salt; add liquid, molasses and melted shortening; beat three minutes. Bake on hot greased griddle.

Waffles

2 cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
1½ cups milk
2 eggs
1 tablespoon melted shortening

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together; add milk to yolks of eggs; mix thoroughly and add to dry ingredients; add melted shortening and mix in beaten whites of eggs. Bake in well greased hot waffle iron until brown. Serve hot with maple syrup. It should take about 1½ minutes to bake each waffle.

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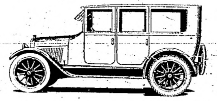

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To the People of Minnesota and the Nation

A man has to learn to be a Congressman. A new congressman must begin at the bottom of the class and work up.

A. E. Bowen, nominated for Congress by the Non-Partisan League, in stating why he declined to be a candidate, said that, if elected, he would be buried in some insignificant committee assignment, would have but little chance to express himself on the floor of the House, and would be unable to render his constituents the service they could reasonably expect of him. He is absolutely correct. Though above the average in ability, he would have to remain there for years before coming to the front as a factor in shaping the affairs of the nation. And that is true of every new man elected.

Halvor Steenerson had to begin at the bottom and work up. He is now chairman of the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads—the legislative head of the world's greatest co-operative business institution, the postal service of the United States. He is probably the best informed man in the nation today on postal affairs. For years he has been one of the main forces back of the rural free delivery service, and he hasn't forgotten the folks at home, for the Ninth District of Minnesota is among the first in the country in its miles of rural mail routes.

In former Republican periods of power the New England states largely controlled in Congress. They returned their members term after term until they got on the important committees and secured leadership. Minnesota and Iowa today are in a position of commanding influence in Congress for the same reason. Minnesota and Iowa leadership in Congress means control in behalf of agriculture—the farmers. New England leadership means control in behalf of the manufacturers and their employees.

Agriculture is the big industry in the Ninth District. It is a fine theory that every man should take a national view in legislation, but in actual practice every congressman fights for the principal industries in his district. If he did not do so, he would not remain a congressman. The farmers have had no abler advocate in Congress than Halvor Steenerson, and he is now in position to be of greater service to them than ever before.

He came to northwestern Minnesota when it was a vast wilderness, and has lived to see it become one of the garden spots of the nation. His heart is with the people of this district, his pleasure is in seeing that they get a square deal, and he has the fighting ability necessary to be effective in their behalf.

Respectfully submitted by
THE STEENERSON COMMITTEE
Martin Widsten, Sec., Crookston, Minn.

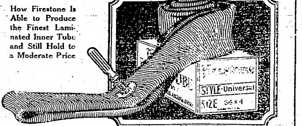

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Firestone

City News

Graduation Cards at Laird's. m13

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Arpart, on May 5, a boy.

Eli Weston of Grand Forks was a week-end guest at the Emil Zeh home.

Miss Ida Legvold, who teaches at Hazel, spent Sunday at her home in this city.

Geo. Streeter left Tuesday evening for the Twin Cities on a business trip.

Glenn Anderson of Grand Forks spent the week-end with his family in this city.

Carl Sundahl left on Thursday for Crookston to attend to matters of business.

Miss Alice Westline of Red Lake Falls shopped between trains here on Saturday.

Misses Esther and Myrtle Anderson of Warren visited with friends in this city on Friday.

Miss Bertha Erickson, who teaches at Oklee, passed the week-end as the guest of her parents.

Miss Olga Juberg, a student in the high school, passed the week-end at her home near Oklee.

Miss Elsie Causin, a student in the local high school, spent the week-end at her home at Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Selvig of Crookston were in the city Saturday attending to matters of business.

Millard Peterson left on Saturday afternoon for Neilsville where he will be employed this summer.

Mrs. J. W. Rock of Iowa City, Ia., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, this week.

M. Knutson left the latter part of the week for Warroad where he spent a few days visiting with relatives.

Miss Bernice Kaulum of Sisseton, S. D., arrived on Sunday and is the guest of her brother, R. J. Halvorsen.

C. L. Hansen returned on Saturday from a three weeks' business trip through the eastern and southern states.

Miss Olive Helgas of Crookston arrived Tuesday morning and will remain for a few days as the guest of friends.

Joe Werstlein returned this week to Aurora after a week's visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Selvig of Crookston returned to their home on Saturday after attending to business matters here.

Milton Forder returned to Rollis on Saturday after visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emil Zeh, for a few days.

Miss Alice Peterson of Warren arrived Friday evening and visited over Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Leonard Peterson.

Judge Mike Holm and brother, John, of Roseau, were guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Erickson, on Tuesday.

Miss Effie Martin of Oslo passed Monday in this city as the guest of Miss Vera Daily, who is a student in the local high school.

Mrs. N. J. Kaulum and daughter, Miss Maragarite, arrived on Sunday from Fergus Falls for a visit at the home of R. J. Halvorsen.

Miss Anna Stalmo, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. G. Knutson, returned on Tuesday afternoon to her home at Fisher.

Miss Esther Tandberg visited at her home here over Sunday. She returned on Monday to Lancaster to resume her duties in the schools.

Miss Irene Lanager of Plummer visited in this city between trains Friday. While here she was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Halvor Loken.

C. Arenson left Wednesday afternoon for Portland, Ore., where he intends to remain permanently. His family will follow in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson, R. Rassmussen and A. Prugh comprised a party that left on Saturday morning for Federal Dam on a fishing expedition.

Miss Irene Malberg of Steiner left this city on Saturday morning for Viking where she will spend a month visiting with relatives.

Graduation Books at Laird's. m13

Mrs. Bert Umland of Badger spent the latter part of last week in this city with her husband, who recently accepted a position as state engineer for Pennington county.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bush of Detroit motored to this city on Saturday and passed Sunday as guests at the homes of their daughters, Mrs. Roy Lambert and Mrs. Geo. Curtis.

C. Halvorson has returned to the city after an absence of two years and will resume his former position in the Neset jewelry store. Mr. Halvorson has spent the past year in Boston.

Mrs. Nels Berg spent Sunday as the guest of her daughter, Myrtle, who teaches school at Bejou. On Monday she was was the guest of friends at Winger, returning to her home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sande, accompanied by O. R. Sande and daughter, Veronica, left on Friday evening for Minneapolis after attending the wedding of Henry Sande.

Mrs. S. Lee and daughter, Sarah, who had been guests at the J. O. Sether home here left on Saturday morning for Warren where they will spend a few days before returning to their home in Wannaska.

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$10.00 Boys' Suits..$ 8.00
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High School Progress

Freshmen Carry Off Track Honors at High School Meet

The interclass track meet held at the fair grounds Monday night was carried out with great success. The outcome of the class competition resulted in the Freshmen carrying off the honors with a total of 55 points and the Juniors, Seniors and Sophomores taking second, third and fourth places with 26, 19 and 10 points respectively. The particularly bright light of the contest was Parenteau who starred in a great variety of feats. The divisions, time and winners of the contest were as follows:

100 yard dash: Time 10.8—Parenteau, 1st; Halvorson, 2nd; Dolan, 3rd; Hadrath, 4th.

220 yard dash: Time 24—Parenteau, 1st; Halvorson, 2nd; Hadrath, 3rd; Paulson, 4th.

440 yard dash: Time 61.8—Dolan, McGinn, Coyle, Holmgren.

½ mile run: Time, 2.42—Parenteau, Olson, Erickson, Knudzen.

1 mile run: Time, 6:6.8—Herron, Coyle, McGinnity, Holmgren.

Shot put, 12 lb. Distance, 33 feet 10 inches—Parenteau, Sorenson, Flattum, Olson.

Discus, 81 feet 8 inches—Parenteau, Olson, Legvold, Coyle.

Broad jump, 16 feet 6.5 inches—Parenteau, Dolan, Halvorson, McGinn.

High jump, 5 feet 1 inch—Hadrath and Parenteau tied for 1st; Russell, 2nd; Dolan, 3rd.

Relay race: 1.59—Freshmen, 1st, per Dolan, Herron, Barzen, Parenteau.

The Pageant.

Instead of the usual Senior-day exercises, there will be presented a huge pageant. About three hundred and fifty students will take part in it. It will be presented on Friday evening, May 21, for the first time.

The name of the pageant is "The Light." All the glimmers are gathered into one broad gleam of education.

Any City, an alderman attempts to cut down the appropriation for education. Education then shows, in a vision, the necessity of public support of the schools. There are eleven glimmers; they are, Experience, Tradition, Invention, Training, Discipline, First Lesson in Democracy, The Bark, Force, Training for Democracy, A Warning and Education's Dream of the Future.

Summer Project Work.

Many people think that a high school education is merely a theory. This, however, is not so. Several classes are planning to put into practice the knowledge obtained from their text books during this school term.

The agricultural students are going to apply their book knowledge during the summer months.

The students in the home economics department will carry on their work. They will continue to bake bread, cakes, etc., and in addition can fruits and vegetables. When the school term opens in September, the students who have utilized their knowledge will give a report of their project work. In this way the pupils can be easily judged and their true merit determined.

They Say!

This column is what "they say" about that class play trip.

Clarence Vevea was snoring in Hotel Hagenah when Leland murmured, "Blessed Youth, happy in the possession of peace." Clarence looking up—"Yis."

"Yes, Sir, I am Professor Yames," said Henry Sagmoen at Roseau.

Prof. Melby to Gordon LaBree, "Can you catch an out?"

Dennis McGinn danced with a girl in Spooner.

Ernest Barzen returned from Baudette in time for the 220 yard dash.

Greenbush had one screen, a squeaky Davenport, and a scenic stage.

We are still wondering why the assembly room was so quiet on Thursday and Friday of last week.

The "Light" will be the first pageant ever given in Thief River Falls.

Several agents (?) have visited the public speaking class during the past week. Every one was well supplied with cars, face cream, powder, magazines and electric motors.

Miss Wilson, "What part did Ophelia play in Hamlet?"

Maybelle, "Oh, she was a chambermaid!"

(Ophelia's father was a Chamberlain).

The Senior lament is "Every day brings us nearer the end."

Joe's dog had a lonesome time for a couple of days last week.

If you want to know how to run a Maxwell, ask Stanton. He doesn't even stop for ditches.

Where is South America? It's about fifteen miles from the road to Baudette.

All Hank Stengelson has to do is to give his "Lizzie" the address and *she rambles along* without any more effort.

Clarence Vevea missed his calling when he didn't join a circus. His specialty is doing acrobatic stunts on the back of the "Speed Demon."

A common question, "Where do we eat?"

Answer, "When in doubt eat anywhere and anything and charge it."

Referring to the stage in Baudette Alpha Bishop said, "even the schenery sook"—and she hadn't been in Spooner.

Miss Zeh's speed tests seem to be speeding up again.

The Juniors actually have taken down their banquet decorations.

Examinations begin on Friday May 21st.

Ask Henry Stengelson, Henry Sagmoen, Lee Ide, Dennis McGinn, or Clarence Vevea about the dress parade they put on in the Hagenah hotel in Roseau.

Baudette citizen to member of the Thief River Falls Senior class play cast, "Well what's the title of this play you're putting on?"

Cast member, "Oh, it's the Strenuour Life."

Baudette citizen, "Yes, I imagine it is, but what's the name of the play?"

79 SENIORS IN 1920 HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

Largest Number in School's History to Graduate With End of Term.

Preparations for commencement week are already under way at the Thief River Falls high school. All classes are this year larger than at any previous graduation, that of the seniors exceeding last year's score by seven and that of the year before by two. There are 79 young men and women who will lay aside their school work at the end of the term, at least so far as the regular course of studies is concerned, and will either engage in some pursuit or enter an institution of higher education.

The school year has been most successful from every point of view, no untoward circumstance having interposed to check the progress of the work. Two years ago war activities broke in on the regular program and last year the influenza epidemic served to retard progress. The work in every department has this season been of a highly satisfactory character, most of the students graduating with high credits.

According to Miss Ella Evans, principal, the following will be awarded diplomas at the close of the school term:

Edgar Aasland, Henry Aastad, Harriet Anderson, Lillian Anderson, Jennie Anderson, Jessie Barnett, Alice Berg, Alpha Bishop, Orlando Bishop, Celia Biorge, Inez Breeze, Milden Bogren, Margaret Burns, Lulu Cook, Stanton Dahlen, Vera Daily, Frances Erickson, Fred Erickson, Marcus Evenson, Ellen Fellmen, Roy Flattum, Vivian Gabrielson, Florence Gavin, Emma Graff, Rose Gunstad, Rueben Hadrath, Hilda Hammarsten, James Helle, Mollie Hermanson, Ruth Halvorson, Lee Ide, Mildred Jahr, Anna Johnson, Alpha Johnson, Ruth Kiland, Anna Kilen, Amanda Klungness, Ruth Koep, Gordon LaBree, Dorothy Lane, Philip Larson, Gunder Legvold, Dagny Leverson, Hubert Malberg, Denis McGinn, Harold Nelson, Knute Nelson, Agnes Newton, Christine Newton, Edna O'Brien, Myrtle Olson, Maybelle Ostby, Lutrella Paulson, Puella Pederson, Lloyd Peterson, Lovina Poirier, Sylvia Pierson, Helga Quindlog, Mabel Rogers, Myrtle Roseland, Elsie Randorf, Henry Sagmoen, Leland Schuster, Esther Scovell, Henry Stengelson, Elsie Sundahl, Mabel Shefveland, Gerda Soriom, Wilhma Sund, Ida Sovde, Amy Syverson, Agnes Tandberg, Madeline Thill, Kathleen Ures, Charles Warner, Joseph Welrus, Hazel Welo, Gladys Wiener, Adelia Wiener.

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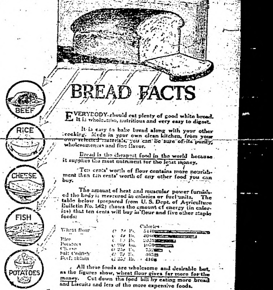

BREAD FACTS

EVERYBODY should eat plenty of good white bread. It is wholesome, nutritious and very easy to digest.

It is easy to bake bread along with your other cooking. Made in your own clean kitchen, from your own selected materials, you can be sure of its purity, wholesomeness and fine flavor.

Bread is the cheapest food in the world because it supplies the most nutriment for the least money.

Ten cents' worth of flour contains more nourishment than ten cents' worth of any other food you can buy.

The amount of heat and muscular power furnished the body is measured in calories or fuel units. The table below (prepared from U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Bulletin No. 142) shows the amount of energy (in calories) that ten cents will buy in flour and five other staple foods:

		Calories
Wheat flour	[illegible] lb.	5440
" "	[illegible] lb.	4080
Rice	[illegible] lb.	2025
Potatoes	@ 20c [illegible]	1070
Cheese	@ 25c lb.	732
Salt Codfish	[illegible] lb.	465
Beef, sirloin	@ 25c lb.	410

All these foods are wholesome and desirable but, as the figures show, wheat flour gives far more for the money. Cut down the food bill by eating more bread and biscuits and less of the more expensive foods.

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THE number of motor vehicles in use in the United States during 1919 increased 23.2 percent over 1918. For the same period the production of gasoline increased only 9 percent.

To supply gasoline for the greatly increased fleet of motor vehicles is the problem confronting the petroleum industry.

To date, the solution of this problem has been possible by reason of the reserve stocks on hand. This bulk storage has served as an expansion and contraction factor to keep supply equal to demand.

In the 11 states it serves, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) maintains 3780 bulk storage stations where stocks of gasoline are carried sufficient to meet the normal demand, with a reserve for almost any emergency.

Had it not been possible to keep this tremendous reserve in the field, thousands of motorists would have been unable to operate their cars during the late transportation troubles.

This equipment, representing an investment of millions of dollars, is managed by alert men, trained to serve you. So far it has proved itself equal to any demands made upon it.

The foresight of the men responsible for the operation of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has enabled them to estimate accurately the probable needs of the motorist for gasoline, and they have located bulk and service stations at convenient points throughout the territory, where the needs of the buying public can be supplied quickly and easily.

This emphasizes the benefits derived by the public from the efficiency of a company as big as its job.

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(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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VICTORY BREAD

Effective May 5th

Owing to the steadily increasing cost of raw materials we are forced to increase the price of "VICTORY BREAD" from 10 and 15 cents to 12 and 18 cents per loaf.

The time has come when we must choose between two courses, that of lowering the quality or increasing the price of the bread.

The first course is out of the question as far as we are concerned. We will not allow ourselves to stoop so low regardless of the temptations which present themselves from time to time.

The only course left open to us is that of increasing the price. Knowing full well the conditions we are all up against, we have been reluctant to do this in the immediate past. The last straw having come with the recent rise in flour and sugar.

However, in looking over the present prices of the various foods we find bread even at this price to be very cheap, in fact it is the cheapest as well as the best food that money can buy, this on account of its high caloric content.

Bread is composed of about 85% Carbo-drates, 10% Protein, 3% fat and 2% Ash and Crude Fiber. You can readily see by this analysis that bread is your BEST food. Carbohydrates and fat represent the ENERGY producing ability and the Protein represents the TISSUE building and repair value of the food. Ash and Crude fiber represents the waste material.

Compare Bread With Any Other Food In Regard To Their True Value As A Food and You Will Be Convinced Beyond the Slightest Shadow of a Doubt, That—

"BREAD IS YOUR BEST FOOD AND YOU WILL EAT MORE OF IT."

Jung's Quality Bakery
Thief River Falls

VICTORY BREAD

Neighborhood Notes

AGDER

Gunder and Tom Senum autoed to Thief River Falls on Monday.

Ole Senum called at Sam Groven's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Solberg autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Evenson called on Mrs. Carl Overum Monday afternoon.

Henry Esplee spent Sunday night with LeRoy Groven.

Henry Esplee visited with George Senum Monday afternoon.

Ole Senum left Monday evening for Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. George Nestvold was a caller at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Ole Listol called on Gunder Senum Monday evening.

Ole Senum visited at George Senum's Monday afternoon.

Clarnora and Annie Senum and Mabel and Verna Trockman were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Ole Senum called on Mrs. George Senum Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Berger called on Mrs. L. Kneadle Tuesday afternoon.

Tom McCormick brought home a new Ford Wednesday.

George Senum was at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Christ Nelson and Millie autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Elmer Senum visited at Groven's on Wednesday.

John Esplee and Henry called on Ole Easthouse Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Isaceson went over to the Jens Letnes home Wednesday and bought some potatoes.

Halvor Listel was an electric line passenger to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Henry Nabben dragged the roads Tuesday.

Ole Ose called at the Isaacson home Monday.

Ed. Hanson made a business trip to Holt on Tuesday.

Melvin Hamre was at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Annie Senum called at E. Senum's last Thursday.

Elven Senum was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mr. Isaacson called at the Rude home Thursday forenoon.

Christ Nelson was a visitor at the Letnes home Thursday.

Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

W. Rude was a visitor at the Letnes home on Thursday.

Clarnora and Annie Senum visited with E. Senum's Thursday afternoon.

Harry Mee and LeRoy Groven motored to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Hans Peterson came out on the electric car Thursday.

Lawrence Groven was visiting with his grandfather Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Senum on Sunday.

Mr. Isaacson hauled some wheat to Silverton on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. Nelson hauled some wheat to Silverton Friday.

Mrs. Esplee was a caller at Thief River Falls Friday.

Mrs. George Senum and Mrs. Ole Senum were passengers on the electric car Friday to Thief River Falls.

H. Peterson was a passenger on the electric line to Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Verna Trockman visited at Groven's Friday afternoon.

Ole Solberg autoed to Thief River Falls Friday afternoon.

Carl Isaacson and Melvin Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Melvin Torgerson was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Edward Senum visited with Groven's Saturday afternoon.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Ole Senum and children visited at the E. Senum and S. Groven homes Saturday.

Oscar Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Ole Senum and children left Saturday evening for Minneapolis to make their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evenson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Evenson Sunday.

Lydia Evenson visited with her parents over Sunday.

Christ Nelson and children visited with V. Swanson Sunday forenoon.

Ole Ose and Gladys Evenson motored to Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Everum and Walter Evenson were out *joyriding* Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Invold Wold and children visited with Victor Trockman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Esplee and Henry visited at the K. Ose home on Sunday.

Neil Nelson visited with Oscar Nestvold Sunday.

ESPLEE

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Tenold visited at the home of Allyn Turnbull, Sunday.

Mrs. S. Stephenson called on Mrs. Louis Carlson last Friday.

Mrs. Carl Hanson and children visited with Mrs. Paul Sund on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kiesow and children, Lena and Erick, were callers in Esplee Sunday.

Gust Fundanet called at the home of Paul Sund Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Strand visited at the home of Clabo, near Grygla, Thursday.

S. Stephenson left for work last Thursday.

Tillie Frykholm, Hanna J. Sund, Oscar Arndtson, Arthur and Axel Sund spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Thief River Falls, returning Sunday evening.

Elmer Olson and Anna Strand of Thief River Falls were guests at the home of Peter Strand Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman and daughter, Olive, were callers in Grygla Wednesday.

W. E. Chapman has been busy threshing his wheat the last week and Monday he commenced threshing for L. J. Tenold, whose grain is still untouched.

S. Siverson transacted business in Grygla last Friday.

T. C. Gray of North Dakota spent a few days with L. O. Opsata the last week.

L. O. Opsata and T. C. Gray transacted business in Thief River Falls last Friday.

Nick Bundhund of Goodridge called on Paul P. Sund one day last week.

Henry Olson, who has spent the past year in Texas, returned to his home here last week.

Oscar H. Olson transacted business in Esplee last Saturday.

Ed. Martinson is busy fixing up the old James Chapman place where he intends to move into this coming week.

Mrs. Oscar N. Olson and daughter, Cora, spent Sunday at the Martinson home.

L. O. Opsata called on Carl Olson last Monday.

E. N. Miller transacted business in Esplee last Friday.

Henry Olson left for Bemidji last Monday where he intends to be employed.

Ruth Anderson transacted business in Grygla one day last week.

T. Tweten of Liner is busy cleaning a well at the farm of P. P. Sund.

Ruth Anderson, Colar Sund and Mabel Olson called on the Martinson family last Sunday.

Mathilda Olson is spending a few days in Thief River Falls with friends and relatives. She will return the latter part of the week.

Turnbull brothers are busy putting in wheat and potatoes this week.

Ruth Anderson is leaving for her home at Middle River on Tuesday.

Mrs. Max Konig visited at the home of P. P. Sund Friday.

Oscar Arndtson ejoys taking trips to Thief River Falls in his "Ford", but he doesn't believe in going alone. "The more the merrier," is his motto.

L. J. Tenold transacted business in Goodridge on Saturday.

A number of young folks from Esplee took in the program and vaudeville given at Goodridge Monday evening.

STEINER

Julius Alby of Rosewood passed through here on his way to Thief River Falls the latter part of last week.

Louis Meyer motored to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Irvin and Kenneth Russell were out in a new Ford which they purchased the latter part of the week.

Several of the young folks of this community motored to Holt Sunday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the Mothers' day program given by the Sunday school children on May 9. It was very well rendered and enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. August Koglin made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mrs. M. O. Saugen was a visitor in Thief River Falls last week.

Arthur Muzzy transacted business in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers and son, Henry were business callers in Thief River Falls Friday.

George Slack of Boone, Ia., has moved onto his farm near this place. He shipped in his farm goods and horses Tuesday. He tells the writer, that it was very hard to get a freight car or he would have been here sooner. His wife and sons are touring up in the family Studebaker.

John Brown called at the Rogers home Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. Berg visited with friends at the county seat last week.

The Steigen folks have moved from the R. L. Muzzy farm which they have been renting for the past year, to their own farm about one-half mile south of Steiner.

Peter Solum drove to Thief River Falls last Thursday where he attended to business matters.

Parties from Iowa have moved into this vicinity recently taking their household furniture and other belongings in a freight car.

Christian Berg motored to Thief River Falls last Wednesday to attend to business affairs.

John Swanson spent Sunday afternoon visiting with his brother, G. A. Swanson.

Mr. Copp motored to Thief River Falls Friday on business.

USES TELEGRAPH TO GET STENO

Well trained office assistants are not "picked up" everywhere. When big firms need capable help, they wire or "long distance" Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D.

Recently the Dakota Construction & Engineering Co., of Valley City wired for an efficient bookkeeper-steno. Miss R. Gregerson was sent. A phone message from the James River National Bank, Jamestown, resulted in placing A. P. McDonell in their Edmunds branch.

"Follow the Succe$$ful." Enter summer school now. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.—adv.

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Tonnage Tax

Tonnage tax has been an issue—a political issue—in Minnesota for about twelve years. It has been used as a political club. Almost no facts as to its nature or its effects have been published, but the Minnesota Fair Tax Association now proposes, in a series of advertisements, to give the principal facts concerning the iron ore industry and its taxation and thus give the people of Minnesota an opportunity to judge for themselves as to the effect of a tonnage tax.

If these facts are not correct, they can easily be proved untrue; if they are correct, they are of most serious concern to everybody in Minnesota.

1. **No state levies a tonnage tax.**

   If any state should levy a tonnage tax, surely it is the great coal mining state of Pennsylvania. Its mineral production and export is much greater than Minnesota's, but it does not levy a tonnage tax. Neither does any other state.

2. **Every state that has tried a tonnage tax has discarded it as unwise, unjust, and unprofitable.**

   Michigan had a tonnage tax from 1853 to 1891 when the law was repealed as injurious to the state.

   Minnesota had a tonnage tax from 1881 to 1895 when it was repealed in face of vigorous opposition from the "steel trust."

   British Columbia tried a tonnage tax for a number of years but found it so unprofitable that it was repealed.

3. **One of the "arguments" in favor of a tonnage tax is the "steel trust"—people seem to think that iron mining in Minnesota means the "steel trust."**

   Do you know that there are about 130 iron mines in Minnesota and that the "steel trust" operates only 32 of them?

   Do you know that the "steel trust" does not own or operate a single mine on the Cuyuna Range?

   Do you know that the "steel trust" does not own or control one-half of one per cent of the iron ore that the U. S. Geological Commission says exists in Minnesota?

Why adopt something that is so bad that nobody else will have it?

Why levy a tax that will hit the people of Minnesota 200 times as hard as it hits the "steel trust?"

Published by the MINNESOTA FAIR TAX ASSOCIATION.

CITIZENS STATE BANK AUCTION SALES

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following property at my farm on the southeast quarter of Section 19, town of Reiner, 4 miles east of Goodridge, on

Wednesday, May 19th

Commencing at 11:30

One roan horse, 8 years old
One bay horse, 2½ years old
One red cow, 3 years old
One spotted cow, 10 years old
One brindle cow, 10 years old
One red cow, 3 years old
One black and white cow, 6 years old
One brindle cow, 2½ years old
One red heifer, 2 years old
One brindle heifer, 2 years old
One brindle heifer, 2 years old
One red heifer, 2 years old
Three heifers, 1 year old
Three heifer calves
One bull, 2 years old
One bull calf
47 Shropshire sheep, some with lambs at side
One Ford touring car, 1916 model.
One 8-16 Ford tractor
One triple gang plow
Two breaker bottoms
One 14-shoe Kentucky drill
One 7-ft. McCormick binder
One 14-in. John Deere gang plow
One 16-in. John Deere sulky plow
One 5-ft. John Deere mower
One 3-horse wooden harrow
One set of harness
One saddle
One manure cart
One stone sleigh, all oak
About 200 oak fence posts
One 1½-horse power gasoline engine.
One large stock watering tank
One large rim water tank
One pump jack
One White Way washing machine
Some barrels, tubs, etc.
One writing desk
Two 8-gallon cream cans
Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

Thorjus Morken, Owner

There will be a public sale at 408 Markley Ave. South, one-half block south of Knox School House, on

Thursday, May 20, 1920

Commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp

1 Piano, black walnut finish
2 Beds, springs and mattresses
2 Rocking chairs
6 Dining chairs
1 No. 9 range, good as new
1 China closet
1 Kitchen table
Comodes
Stands
1 Coal heater
1 Wood heater
4 Shovels and 1 spade
1 Lawn mower
1 Good single harness
1 Horse collar 20-inch
2 Rugs
Carpenter tools
Cooking dishes, crockery and many other articles.
1 Cow, 6 years old, fresh about July 1st.
1 Cow, 5 years old, fresh in April
1 Calf, 1 month old
About 25 chickens
1 Organ
1 Range
2 Round Oak heaters
1 Cupboard
1 Dining table
1 Center table
1 Dresser
1 Sewing machine
1 white enameled bed
1 Folding bed
1 6-piece library set
1 Rocker and some chairs
1 Electric iron
Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

H. D. Cady & Elias Angell
Owners

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following property at my farm on the south half of Sec. 4, Township of Sanders, 5 miles west and 1 mile south of Thief River Falls, on

Tuesday, May 18, 1920

Commencing at 12:30 O'clock.

One Bay mare with colt by side
One Bay mare with colt by side
One black mare with colt by side
Two black mare colts, 3 years old
One black mare colt, 1 year old
One black colt, 2 years old
Two bay colts, 1 year old
One Red Poll cow, fresh in June
One black Poll cow, fresh in June
One wide tire wagon, complete with box
One wide tire wagon
One hay rack
One Ideal single disc drill
One Deering mower, new
One Acme binder, good as new
One Deering hay rake, 10-ft.
One gang plow
One sulky plow
One 4-section lever steel drag
One pair bob sleighs
Two sets of heavy work harness
Some oats
15 Grain sacks
One Majestic range
One sewing machine
One Sanitary couch
Household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

CARL ZWER, OWNER

In order to close up the Lizzie Rude Estate, I will sell the following property at Public Auction, in Section 33, Township of Agder, 3½ miles North and ½ mile East of Silverton Station, on

Tuesday, May 25, 1920

Commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp.

1 Chevrolet Autoo.
1 Disc
1 14-in. Breaking plow
1 16-in. walking plow
1 Feed mill
1 Fanning mill with elevator
1 No. 12 DeLaval cream separator
74 Bushels of barley
1 Safe
1 Organ
2 Comodes
1 Extension table
1 Bed cot
3 Beds
1 Writing desk
1 Wash stand
8 Dinning room chairs
1 Leather rocking chair
2 Photograph machines
1 Sewing machine
1 Cupboard
1 Kitchen table
1 3-burner oil stove with heating closet and oven
1 Cook stove
1 Heating stove
1 Spinning wheel
Some Fruit and preserves
Dishes, kitchen utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

WILLIAM RUDE
Administrator

W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer

Citizens State Bank, Clerk

SOLDIERS URGED TO OBSERVE LEGION WEEK

Governor Issues Proclamation Fixing Period as Week of May 9.

Governor Burnquist has proclaimed American Legion week beginning next Monday, and urges all Minnesota service men to unite with that organization and the people of the state to appreciate its great present and future value to the state and nation. The proclamation follows:

"One of the great results of the World war is the American Legion. This organization has now more than 480 posts in Minnesota with a total membership of about 60,000.

"During the week beginning May 17 a campaign will be conducted in our state and throughout the entire country for the purpose of increasing the legion's membership.

"No patriotic organization in the United States should be more enthusiastically encouraged or sustained than the American Legion. It stands for the perpetuation of American principles, the Americanization of all of our citizens and the spirit of fraternity of our people. As the Grand Army of the Republic has for several decades been a most effective force for the development of loyalty to country, so will this new organization be of influence and power in our national life.

"Therefore I, Joseph A. A. Burnquist, governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week beginning May 17, 1920, American Legion week and urge all our service men to unite with said organization and all our people to appreciate its great present and future value to our state and nation."

Grasshopper Raid Feared In West Valley Counties.

Warning of an impending visitation by grasshoppers in numbers sufficient to do great damage to vegetation has been sent by A. G. Ruggles of University Farm, state entomologist, to county agents of western border counties in Minnesota. North Dakota entomologists confirm reports that the hopper pest has spread to virtually all districts in that state. North Dakota agents have purchased immense quantities of paris green and white arsenic for the preparation of bran mash with which to fight the insects.

In his communication the state entomologist urges county agents along the western border to organize the farmers so far as possible to meet the impending invasion from the west.

Mrs. J. O. Hoyum and children are spending this week in Thief River Falls visiting with friends and relatives.

The Times' Classified Wants

Famous For Results

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My home at 923 Arnold Ave N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and ready for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, hot water heat, all rough in plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. M. Bothun.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—[illegible] Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—At reasonable prices: Fordson tractor, plow, breaking plow, disc and harrow; all adapted for tractor. Good stump puller. All articles in first class condition and located at Holt, Minn. Address C. S. Holgren, New Richland, Minn. Box 66. 70

FOR SALE—Pure bred Rhode Island Red Eggs from prize winning stock, $2.00 for 15 eggs. Also S. C. White Leghorns, $1.50 for 15 eggs. Place your order now.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. 3, Box 320, Thief River Falls, Minn. 70p

EVERBEARING Strawberry plants will be on the market next week. These plants are an improvement over the Progressives according to nursery reports. $3.00 for hundred; $1.75 for 50. Mrs. Alvina Lautenbach, over Palace Clothing house. 70p

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 60tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 57tf

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodora L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

PUREBRED B. Plymouth Rock chicken eggs, per setting 60c. Leave orders at Benson's old stand or write to me.—Purebred Stock and Dairy Farm, C. Wiener, R. No. 3. 64tf

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Sec. 17-154-41, 2½ miles northwest from Mavie. Price $5,000.00 $500.00 down, balance in five years.—Chas. Radtke, Nerstrand, Minn. 71p

FOR SALE—9 room house at 601 Knight Ave. N. Call 457. 71p

160 ACRES UNIMPROVED LAND 6 miles to creamery, store and postoffice at a bargain. Will consider trade for good auto.—O. H. Nelson. Phone 441.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, garage, well and 3 lots at 322 Knight Ave. N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First and Peoples State Bank. 60tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at $11 per acre, 15 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric line. Inquire Times office or phone 4192. 65tf

FOR SALE—Overland touring car. Cheap if sold at once. Overhauled and painted. In fine shape throughout. $550.—E. L. Helgeland. 69

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

EGGS FOR HATCHING—I have settings from my prize-winning S. C. Rhode Island Reds which will be sold at $2.50 for 15 eggs.—Olaf Neset. 70

FOR SALE—Large 6 room house. Pipeless furnace, 2 large porches, good water, 50 foot lot, wood shed and garage. —615 Markley Ave. S. 71p

FOR SALE—Marquis seed wheat at $3.50 per bushel. Cleaned ready for seeding.—C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Smiley Twp. 54tf

FOR SALE—One nine room house and one five room house in Thief River Falls. Apply to Thos. H. Smith, Mavie, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Call at 108 Conley Ave. S. 68tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire H. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 1-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 64tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Letter Files, new and sound, at reduced prices account of moving.—Laird's Specialty Shop. 71

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—The Hay residence, large modern house, 4 blocks from postoffice.—N. C. Burns. 68tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Two purebred Holstein bulls, one big enough for service. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, city. 65tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 65tf

FOR SALE—Two good houses, cheap. Might consider trade for farm. 109 Main Ave. S.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71f

FOR SALE—A number of good residences at reasonable prices.—C. W. Vorachek. 67tf

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—Double Harness. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree S. 70tf

FOR SALE—Residence on East Side. Apply Dr. O. A. Penney. 39tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 6 lots.—J. Weirus. 71

FOR SALE—Barn 16x24 with floor and hay loft. A bargain for some one if taken soon. Located on 163 Markley Ave. So. Call on or write E. M. Bennes, Owner. 71

FOR SALE—New modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Eggs from Rose Comb White Wyandotte, single comb Buff Orpington pens, headed by 1st cockerel, Crookston and 2nd pen, Cock, St. Paul. Single comb white Leghorn pen. Mating eggs $2.00 per 15.—Arthur Steenerson, Clearbrook, Minn. 70p

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Jersey spring pigs. Sired by first prize boar at Minnesota State Fair, 1919. Grandsire and great grandsire also 1st State Fair winners. Also herd boar for sale. —Gunsten Skomedal, R. 2, City. 72

PUREBRED B. PLYMOUTH ROCK hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15. Prize winners and winter layers. Mammoth Pekin Duck eggs, $1.25 for 11. First prize at Pennington County Poultry Show.—Ed. Battenfeld, 2nd house north of Roundhouse, Thief River Falls. 71

FOR SALE—Top writing desk and safe. Inquire E. P. Ahlborn, Tailor. 73p

FOR SALE—Planet Junior garden seeder and cultivator. Used one season. Enquire of L. M. Lundgren, Times office.

RANGE FOR SALE—Six hole, gun metal steel top, reservoir, hot water tank connections. 723 Knight Ave. N. Tel. 406. 70tf

FOR SALE—I now have the Everbearing strawberry plants at my place in Thief River Falls.—Miss Alvina Lautenbach, over Palace Clothing Store. 71

FOR SALE—White Pekin duck eggs. 10c each. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Phone 4362. 70-tf

FOR SALE—7 young Duroc Jersey pigs, $6.00 apiece. Delivered the last days of May. Inquire of Willi Rondorf, St. Hilaire, R. R. No. 1. 71p

FOR SALE—Little pigs, Durocs, three weeks old.—Ose Brothers, 2½ miles east of Steiner. 71p

HAY FOR SALE—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 3 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

WANTED TO TRADE—About 50 acres of land for house and lot in town. Inquire Times office. 71-p

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern room. Call 417 Knight avenue. 71

FOR RENT—One-half crop plan, SE¼ Sec. 7 and SW¼ Sec. 8, Kratka. Owner to furnish seed and pay one-half twine and thresh bill. Communicate with W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

Help Wanted—Male

WE ARE LOOKING FOR A PARTY to represent us in Pennington county with headquarters in Thief River Falls, selling a nationally advertised household necessity direct to the homes. We offer a wonderful opportunity for a live energetic person to own a business of his own. Promotion guaranteed. Write, WHITEHEAD SALES CO., 410 Torrey Bldg., Duluth, Minnesota. 69

WANTED—Two good carpenters. L. Faucher, Waubun, Minn. 71

WANTED—Blacksmith. Mostly plow work. Good wages, steady work. Call or write Wm. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 70p

WANTED—Bricklayers at Crookston Agricultural school. 70p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 716 Knight avenue N. 70

WANTED—Girl for general housework. The Times. 71p

WANTED—Girls for general housework on farm. Wages $6.00 per week. Lind Bros., St. Hilaire. 71p

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 120 Markley Ave. N. 68tf

MISCELLANEOUS

The Crookston College will run a special summer term for teachers and high school students. Write to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minnesota. M-27

YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN for Railway Mail and Government Clerks, $110 month. Age, 18 upward. Examinations May 15. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, write J. Leonard (Former Government Examiner), 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 70p

FIRST-CLASS HAIRDRESSING and shampooing with soft water. Shampoo, 75c, with dressing, $1; special dressing, 50c; scalp treatment, 75c; manicuring, 50c; facial massage, $1. Six dollars worth for $5. Phone 502 for appointment. 70

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 6.—Mrs. McKinney.

WANTED—2 canary birds.—Mrs. H. A. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 70p

WANTED TO RENT—Small house.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

WANTED—Modern 6 or 7 room house. Rental between $40.00 and $45.00 per month. Address P. O. Box 717. 70

WANTED—200 cords dry wood.—Thief River Co-op. Creamery. 73

WANTED—To rent two or three rooms in modern house, suitable for light housekeeping. About June 15. Apply at The Times. 70p

LOST—Man's dark brown velour coat between Knight Ave. and Hans Sande's farm. Return either to Hans Sande or The Times office. 70p

LOST OR STOLEN—A radiator cap with motor meter attached with letter "H". Finder please return to Berg's Garage for reward. 70p

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Legal Notices

Articles of Incorporation of "Walker-Gesell Land Company."

Know All Men By These Presents, That we, the undersigned do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota and to that end do hereby subscribe the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be "WALKER-GESELL LAND COMPANY." The general nature of the business of this corporation shall be to buy, lease or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, sell, convey and generally deal in real and personal property situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to loan money for itself and as agent for others upon notes, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness which shall be secured by mortgages upon real or personal property, or both, situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to act as agent in the leasing, letting, selling, buying, conveying and transferring of real and personal property; to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, exchange, hypothecate, sell and transfer mortgages, stocks, bonds, notes and other evidences of indebtedness; to act as agent in soliciting and placing fire insurance and other insurance, and in general this corporation shall have power to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, lease, sell, convey and transfer any and all property and property rights necessary, convenient or incident to the conducting of its business and shall possess any and all powers necessary, convenient or incident to the transaction of its business permitted by the laws of the State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The principal office and place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE III.

The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the 15th day of May, 1920, and shall continue thereafter for a period of thirty (30) years.

ARTICLE IV.

The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) and shall be divided into five hundred (500) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) per share and shall be paid in at such times and in such amounts and in such manner as the Board of Directors shall determine.

ARTICLE V.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be at any time subject shall be the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00).

ARTICLE VI.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows: Geo. W. Walker residence, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katharine Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

ARTICLE VII.

The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of three (3) Directors, all of which shall be elected annually by and from the stockholders of this corporation at the regular annual meeting thereof which shall be held at the principal office of this corporation in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the first Monday after the first Tuesday in January of each year and shall hold office for a term of one (1) year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The first Board of Directors shall be Geo. W. Walker, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katharine Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The officers of this corporation shall be a president, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be chosen annually by the Board of Directors from the stockholders for the term of one (1) year immediately after the annual meeting of the stockholders each year and such Board of Directors shall have such other officers or agents as the interests of this corporation shall from time to time demand. Any two of said offices, except those of President and Vice President may be held by the same person.

The first officers of this corporation shall be Lester E. Gesell, President; Katharine Gesell, Vice President; and Geo. W. Walker, Secretary and Treasurer, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors and until their successors are elected and qualified.

In Testimony Whereof, The said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 24th day of April, 1920.

GEO. W. WALKER (Seal)
LESTER E. GESELL (Seal)
KATHARINE GESELL (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of:
PERL W. MABEY,
ALICE ELGSTEN.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 24th day of April, 1920, before me a Notary Public within and for said County personally appeared Geo. W. Walker, Lester E. Gesell and Katharine Gesell to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing and annexed Articles of Incorporation, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

PERL W. MABEY,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My commission expires November 23rd, 1921.
(Notarial Seal.)

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 26 day of April, A. D. 1920 at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations, on page 711.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 27 day of April A. D., 1920, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in book "J" of Miscel. on page 16.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
By Gladys G. Anderson,
Deputy.
m-14-20

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at Two o'clock P. M., May 4th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that bids for paving certain streets and alleys be opened. Motion carried and the following bids were submitted:

General Contractor Co., Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Bitulithic & Contracting Co. Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.

Ed. Johnson & Co., Superior, Wisconsin.

Fielding & Shepley.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that bids for the construction of Storm Sewers be opened. Motion carried and the following bids were submitted:

Carl C. Knudson, Blue Earth, Minnesota.

J. W. Ward, Grand Forks, N. D.

Holt & George, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the Council adjourn until 5:00 o'clock P. M., Tuesday, May 4th, 1920. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at Five o'clock P. M., Tuesday, May 4th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced a resolution accepting the bid of the Bitulithic Contracting Co., for the paving of certain streets and alleys. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the bid and proposal of Carl C. Knudson for storm sewer construction be, and the same is hereby accepted subject to the provisions of law, particularly Chapter 65, Session Laws of 1919, and upon filing the proper bond, and the Mayor and City Clerk be instructed to enter into contract with Carl C. Knudson for the construction of said work. Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No. None. Motion declared carried.

On motion duly seconded the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held May 4, 1920, Alderman Andrew Ness, seconded by Alderman O. L. Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, proposals of various bidders have been filed with the City Clerk, opened and read by the City Council in the matter of the paving proceedings heretofore instituted and described as Paving Improvement No. 1, for the paving of certain streets of said City described in the resolution duly passed by the City Council on the 10th day of March, 1920, and,

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the City Council it is expedient and advantageous to pave the streets hereinafter described, of the materials as hereinafter, and in the plans and specifications of such proposed paving specified, and,

WHEREAS, The Bitulithic Contracting Company, of Winnipeg, Canada, has submitted the lowest figures for the doing of said work, and has submitted their certified check therefor as provided by law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following streets, to-wit.

Main Avenue from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks, North to the intersection of Sixth Street;

Horace Avenue, from First Street North to the intersection of Fourth Street;

LaBree Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks north to the intersection of Fourth Street;

First Street, from the Red Lake River West to Knight Avenue;

Second Street, from Atlantic Avenue West to Knight Avenue;

Third Street, from the railroad tracks of the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, west to Knight Avenue;

be paved, and that the materials to be used in so paving the same be, and the same is hereby determined to be that known as "bitulithic," with six inch stone concrete base, and plain, monolithic concrete curb and gutter, armored at the corners and intersections, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor, on file in the office of the City Clerk; and,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the proposals and bid of the said Bitulithic Contracting Company, be, and the same is hereby accepted, subject to the provisions of law, and particularly to Chapter 65, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, and upon said Bitulithic Contracting Company furnishing and filing the bond required by law, in an amount and with sureties to be approved by the City's Engineer and the council, that the City Mayor and Clerk be, and hereby are, instructed and directed to enter into a contract with said Bitulithic Contracting Company for the construction of said work as aforesaid.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 8, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Foreign Will.

Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Austin K. Hogenson, Andrew K. Hogenson, Kate Hogenson, Anna Hogenson, Anton K. Hogenson, Tom P. Hamre, Bessie K. Hamre, Bertha A. Hanson, Anna A. Nelson, Clara Hegg, United Deaconess Hospital, Grafton, North Dakota, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said Decedent: The petition of Bessie K. Hamre, representing that Edwin K. Hogenson then a resident of the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, died on the 11th day of February, 1920, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the Probate Court in and for the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters of administration with the Will annexed be thereon granted to T. P. Hamre.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner,
m-13-20-27

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will.

Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Ingeborg Iverson, Pamolina Lillemoe, Knut P. Iverson, Iver A. Iverson, Martha C. Iverson, Adina H. Iverson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Knut P. Iverson being duly filed in this court, representing that Andrew N. Iverson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 19th day of September, 1918, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Knut P. Iverson: Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable, Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 10th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner,
m-13-20-27

SCHOOL BOARD.

Special meeting of the Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln high school at 8 p. m., April 26, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Dahlen, Froehlich, Haynes, Myhrum, Mellby, Supt. W. A. Ziegler. Members absent, none.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Froehlich, that the plans for a school building, Knox addition, submitted by Architects Sund & Dunham, be accepted and that the architects be instructed to complete plans and specifications. Motion carried.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the chairman of the township of Silverton, Pennington county, Minnesota, up until 11 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 28, 1920, at which time the bids will be opened by the board of supervisors of said township, for the following service. The furnishing of power for grading purposes on a 12-foot blade grader. About ten days' work.

The bids must be on the basis of a certain sum per hour and must state what horse power can be furnished.

The board of supervisors reserves the right any or all bids.

OSCAR EVENSON,
Chairman,
m-6-13 Germantown, Minn.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Sophie Severson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Sophie Severson having been filed in this Court, representing that Joe Severson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 2nd day of February, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emil E. Zeh, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of June, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m-13-20-27

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Madeline Glard and Joseph Glard, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated December 31, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on January 30, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 58 of mortgages on page 432, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and it being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of six hundred and sixty seven dollars and thirty eight ($667.38), and the taxes for 1918 amounting to fifty three dollars and eighty nine cents ($53.89) paid by said mortgagee, making the total amount now due seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents ($721.27).

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots eleven (11), twelve (12), and thirteen (13) of block nine (9), in Knox's addition to Red Lake Rapids, now part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County,

will be sold by the sheriff of said County at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 29th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, to pay said debt and interest thereon and the taxes and an attorney's fee of fifty (50) dollars stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 1, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Fergus Falls,
Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
m13-20-27-j3-10-17

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Marion L. Cooper, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Wesley C. Cooper, Charles J. Cooper, George Edwin Cooper, Bernice May Cooper, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 8th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner,
m-13-20-27

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Julia E. Ellingson, Elida Johnson, Julia Nichols, Anot Robertson and Olna Ellingson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Julia E. Ellingson having been filed in this Court, representing that Ole Ellingson, then a resident of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 15th day of April, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Helge Klemmetsen, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of May, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 23rd day of April, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a23-m6-13

The Lyceum

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY

Matinee: Wednesday, 3:30

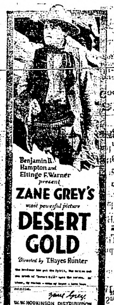

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City News

Graduation Presents at Laird's. 13

F. H. Herrick was a business caller at Adams on Friday.

Orville Herron passed the week-end fishing at Federal Dam.

Mrs. D. C. Payne visited over Sunday with friends in Erskine.

Francis Burns left on Tuesday morning for Badger on business.

C. J. Lonquist of Goodridge was in this city on business on Thursday.

H. S. Dahlen returned on Sunday morning from a business trip to the cities.

Paul Snyder of Warren was an over-Sunday guest of Kenneth Wattum.

Leonard Peterson of Crookston visited with his family in this city over the week end.

Miss Margaret Bergland departed on Monday afternoon for Climax for a visit with friends.

Miss Clara Peterson arrived here on Tuesday from St. Hilaire and spent the day shopping.

Walter Soderberg arrived on Saturday evening from Duluth where he had been visiting with relatives.

Rev. R. L. Barackman, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. M. W. Brink, spent Monday in St. Hilaire.

Mrs. W. E. Baker left on Monday morning for Roseau where she spent a brief period visiting with friends.

Miss Selma Sheveland of Holt visited over Sunday here with her sister, who is a student in the local high school.

Misses Alice Hoyeme and Esther Lilja departed on Monday afternoon for Fargo where they will be employed.

Miss Gladys Anderson left on Friday morning for Duluth where she will be the guest of friends for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. R. Slitvold returned to her home in Oklee on Thursday after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hegtwedt.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Simonson motored over from Crookston on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evenson departed on Friday afternoon for Devils Lake, where they will spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Baugh and a company of friends from Warren autoed to this city on Sunday and were the guests of friends for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson returned to their home in Crookston on Monday after a brief visit with the former's mother, who is very ill.

Mrs. K. Lee and daughter Sarah, returned to their home in Wannaska on Tuesday, after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. J. H. Hardisty, delegates from the ninth district for the Republican State Convention left on Thursday for St. Paul.

Mrs. H. Ingebretson and three children, who have been guests of their cousin, Mrs. J. A. Malafa, for a short while, returned on Wednesday afternoon to their home at Gary.

Miss Alma Sether arrived here on Friday morning from British Columbia to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Helen, who was married last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson arrived here on Tuesday evening from Alexandria and visited over night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink, leaving the following morning for her home in St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dablow, Mrs. Jenson and Isabelle Ritcher left on Friday morning for Federal Dam where they spent Sunday fishing.

Geo. Dickens, who has been employed during the past winter at the P. W. Roark farm, left Wednesday afternoon for Crookston, where he will engage in farming.

Mrs. Margaret Tofte of Bergland, Ont., left this city on Monday morning for Warroad where she will visit with friends. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Ole Brude.

Miss Clara Baldwin of the State Library Commission spent Thursday here on official business, leaving on Friday morning for Warren where she attended the Woman's club convention.

Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Miss Effie Hamry, Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mrs. J. L. Stitt left Monday evening for St. Paul to be in attendance at the Eastern Star convention which started on Tuesday and contined for three days.

Miss Alvina Lautenbach has just received a large shipment of the famous "999" Everbearing strawberry from Iowa, paying $50 per hundred for the plants. She will put them out this year.

Miss Esther Gustafson of Fargo visited between trains on Friday with her sister Miss Lila, who attends the local high school. She departed that day for Grygla where she will visit at the home of her parents.

Mrs. O. M. Sullivan returned on Tuesday to her home at Watford City, N. D. While here she was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. W. McGinnity. She was accompanied as far as Red Lake Falls by another sister, Miss Delia Ford, who also visited at the McGinnity home.

Mesdames L. H. Lawrence and Roy Lambert departed on Thursday morning for Crookston via the auto route and spent the day visiting with their friends. On the return trip they were accompanied by Mrs. Willis Akre and daughter Ardith who had passed three weeks as guests at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Luella Peterson returned on Monday morning from St. Hilaire where she was the guest of her cousin, Miss Gladys Olson, over Sunday. The latter accompanied her to this city and shopped between trains, returning to her home in the afternoon.

Miss Christine Clausen, who for a number of years has conducted a dry cleaning establishment in this city, left Tuesday evening for New York, from which point she will leave for her former home in Denmark to visit during the summer with relatives. It is her intention to return to Thief River Falls after a two or three months' stay.

Misses Grace Wilson and Meta Kiland left on Friday morning for Baudette and Rainy River. While in the latter place they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foley. They returned on Sunday via the auto route, with the class play cast who played at Baudette on Saturday evening.

Miss Ruth Hadrath returned to Red Wing on Saturday evening to resume her studies in a school of music after a two weeks' vacation spent in visiting at the home of her parents here. She was accompanied by Miss Helen Norquist who will be her guest for a week.

Removal Sale on at Laird's. m13

WOMEN GIVE OUT

Housework is hard enough when healthy. Every Thief River Falls woman who is having backache, blue and nervous spells, dizzy headaches and kidney or bladder troubles should be glad to hear this Thief River Falls woman's experience:

Mrs. Chas. Alexander, 218 Conley Ave., says: "Last fall I had been picking berries, and when I got home I was suddenly taken with a bad attack of kidney complaint. The pains across my back kept me from doing my work and such a thing as doing my washing was out of the question. I often got dizzy and was afraid to walk across the room. My kidneys didn't act as they should and I felt miserable. One of my neighbors suggested Doan's Kidney Pills and I got some at the East Side Drug Store. I got entirely over the trouble and I have felt fine ever since."

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Veal Stew, per lb	16c
Veal Shoulder roasts, per lb	20c
Pickled Salt Pork, per lb	24c
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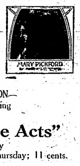
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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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86 Graduates Drop School Duties Soon

Largest Senior Class in History of Thief River Falls High School.

Baccalaureate Sermon by Rev R. L. Barackman at Auditorium Sunday.

Pageant Takes Place of Class Day Exercises Monday and Tuesday.

Commencement week at the Thief River Falls high school will begin with the delivery of the baccalaureate sermon at the auditorium on Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. Rev. R. L. Barackman, of the Presbyterian church in this city, will deliver the sermon and the general public is extended an invitation to be present. Following is the program for this service: Offertory, Miss Blanche Johnson; Invocation, Rev. George Larson; Hymn; Scripture; Anthem, Faculty Chorus; Prayer, Vocal solo, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher; sermon, Rev. Barackman; Hymn, Benediction.

Educational Pageant.

The usual class day exercises will be omitted so far as the high school graduates are concerned and in their place will be staged the beautiful and instructive educational pageant, "The Light." This will be presented at the auditorium on Monday and Tuesday evenings at 8 p. m.

Eighth Grade Program.

The eighth grade pupils will hold their commencement exercises at the assembly room of the Lincoln school on Wednesday evening. Following is the program:

Chorus—"A Merry Life"	Class
Invocation	Rev. J. B. Smith
Instrumental Solo	Palma Langseth
Salutation	Mabel Johnson
"Uncle Sam's Visit"	Class
Instrumental Solo	Edith Novak
Valedictory	Ruby Conklin
Instrumental Solo	Alice Mulry
Address and presentation of diplomas by	Supt. W. A. Ziegler
Chorus—"Anchored"	Class
Benediction	Rev. J. B. Smith

Address by Prof. Reeve.

The commencement address will be delivered by Prof. W. D. Reeve, head of the high school department in the college of education, University of Minnesota. He is one of the foremost educators in this section of the country and a speaker of unusual ability.

Two Salutatorians.

An unusual situation was disclosed when general averages were computed at the end of the present term. Two of the students were found to be entitled to exactly the same credits. Consequently Mollie Hermanson and Vivian Gabrielson will both have the honor of being salutatorians. Henry Stengelsen had no very near competitor for the valedictorian's honor.

The commencement day exercises will be held at the auditorium on Friday evening, following being the program:

Invocation	Rev. J. B. Smith
Music	Senior Chorus
Salutatory	Mollie Hermanson
Music	Senior Octette
Salutatory	Vivian Gabrielson
Address	Mr. W. D. Reeve
Music	Senior Chorus
Valedictory	Henry Stengelsen
Alma Mater	Class of 1920
Presentation of Diplomas	Dr. O. F. Mellby
Benediction.	

Seven names have been added to the list of graduates since The Times report was published last week, making the total 86, an increase of 14 over last year. The corrected roll is as follows:

Herman Aakre
Edgar Aasland
Henry Aastad
Harriet Anderson
Lillian Anderson
Jennie Anderson
Jessie Barnett
Alyce Berg
Alpha Bishop
Orlando Bishop
Celia Bjorge
Inez Breeze
Milden Boreen
Marguerite Burns
Lulu Cook
Stanton Dahlen
Vera Dally
Francis Erickson
Fred Erickson
Marcus Evenson
Ellen Fellman
Roy Flattum
Vivian Gabrielson
Florence Gavin
Emma Graff
Rose Gunstad
Ida Gustafson
Reuben Hadrath
Hilda Hammarsten
James Helle
Mollie Hermanson
Ruth Halvorson
Lee Ihle
Henrietta Isaacson
Mildred Jahr
Anna Johnson
Alpha Johnson
Ruth Kiland
Anna Kilen
Amanda Klungness
Ruth Koop
Gordon LaBree
Dorothy Lane
Philip Larson
Gunder Lervold
Daisy Levorson
Hubert Malberg
Denis McGlinn
Gladys Nelson
Harold Nelson
Knute Nelson
Agnes Newton
Christine Newton
Edna O'Brien
Myrtle Olson
Maybelle Ostby
Lutrella Paulson
Luella Peterson
Lloyd Peterson
Lavina Poirier
Sylvia Pierson
Helga Quindlog
Mabel Rogers
Myrtle Roseland
Elsie Randorf
Henry Sagmoen
Gena Sannes
Leland Schuster
Esther Scovell
Henry Stengelsen
Elsie Sundahl
Mabel Sheveland
Gerda Sorlein
Wilma Sund
Ida Sovde
Amy Syverson
Agnes Tandberg
Madeline Thill
Kathleen Tres
Clarence Vevea
Charles Warner
Joseph Walrus
Hazel Wels
Gladys Wiener
Adella Wiener
Fred Will

SENIOR CLASS STAGES ELABORATE PAGEANT

"The Light" to Be Presented on Two Evenings at the Auditorium.

The senior class of the Thief River Falls high school has engaged upon a rather unusual undertaking to mark the closing of the school year. It is the presentation of the pageant, "The Light," designed to show the progress of education through the ages. The presentation will be the second to take place in the United States, the first being at Cleveland during the meeting of the National Educational association this spring. Supt. W. A. Ziegler, who saw the pageant at Cleveland, says it is most beautiful and instructive and created a vast amount of enthusiasm among the people of the Ohio city as well as the visiting educators.

The presentation will take place at the Auditorium on Monday and Tuesday, May 24 and 25, at 8 o'clock in the evening. A cast of 250 people is required and it will be necessary to build the stage out six feet in order to accommodate the production.

The same pageant will be presented at Minneapolis in the fall but will not be seen at another Minnesota school this spring. The students and faculty have been busy of late in the rehearsing of the different scenes and tableaus and those who have been permitted to get a line on the presentation say that it is without doubt the most remarkable thing ever attempted by a high school class.

Choir Visits St. Hilaire.

The children's choir of the local M. E. church went to St. Hilaire Sunday and sang in the M. E. church to the delight of a large congregation. The young folks were taken in autos and enjoyed the trip very much. Mrs. C. A. Nason, who has had the children in charge, was congratulated upon her success in training the young choir to such a state of efficiency. They will sing in the M. E. church here Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

SUPT. ZIEGLER LOSES TIPS OF THREE FINGERS

Gets Members Into Jointer at High School Mechanical Department.

Supt. W. A. Ziegler of the city schools met with a serious accident while working in the mechanical department of the high school on Monday afternoon. He was running a short piece of board over the power jointer when it was wrenched out of his hand, throwing his fingers into contact with the rapidly revolving knives. The first two fingers on his right hand were cut off just below the first joint and the third finger just below the tip. According to those in the building with him at the time, the superintendent was running the board through against the grain and was holding it firmly onto the jointer. The knives wrenched it from him and threw it against his left hand with sufficient force to lacerate that member quite severely. Before he could regain his balance the knives had caused the damage noted to his right hand.

The injury was immediately dressed and Mr. Ziegler is getting along first rate, although both hands are causing him a great deal of pain.

DELEGATION ATTENDS WATERWAYS HEARING

Thief River Falls Shows Interest in Lake-to-Ocean Movement.

States and Canada jointly maintain a commission of six members, three appointed from each country, having jurisdiction over the boundary waters and the boundary lines between the two countries. There has been a good deal of agitation for the deepening and improvement of the canals from the head of Lake Superior to tide water in order that ocean vessels might make the points on the Great Lakes and sail direct to the markets of the world with unbroken cargoes.

Naturally in such a project much may be said both for and against and the commission above referred to has been requested to hold hearings and gather data in those sections of the country more immediately interested and whose products might advantageously reach the world's markets over the proposed route.

A hearing by the commission was held at Grand Forks on Tuesday, at which there was considerable representation from communities in western Minnesota and North Dakota. Thief River Falls was represented by Olaf Ramstad, Math Barzen, T. P. Hamry, and Daniel Shaw, and the commission was informed that the best evidence they could give of the interest of this community in the matter was the fact that they had driven sixty miles over mud roads to be present.

Facts and figures were presented by Governor Frazier of North Dakota, Professor Ladd and many others representing the two states.

Man Hit by Automobile Recovering at Hospital

Omer Anderson, returned service man and clerk at the Hermanson Hardware company's store, was quite seriously injured Sunday night in a manner that still remains something of a mystery. With a number of companions he had been at Warren and the party was returning when they ran out of gasoline. There were four occupants of the car and each started in a different direction to look for fuel. Anderson took the road straight ahead, it is said, and as one of the others found what was wanted before he returned the rest of the party started ahead with the idea of overtaking him. The lights were working badly and the driver was unable to see far ahead. A short distance from where the stop was made the car overtook Anderson and ran smack into him. He was brought to the hospital where it was found that two ribs were broken and that he had sustained other injuries. He is now on the road to recovery, it is stated.

Anderson was aboard the Tuscania when that vessel was torpedoed during the war but came out of the wreck without injury.

Steenerson Names Three To Take Naval Exams.

Congressman Steenerson has nominated William Breen, Fergus Falls; Arnold Lloyd Odegaard, Roseau, and Fritz Anderson, Crookston, for examination on June 22 for admission to the United States naval academy at Annapolis.

Visitors From Grygla.

A party consisting of E. M. Mussey and daughter, Mrs. L. R. Moran, Mrs. H. Bush and Mrs. Reuben Sandberg motored to this city on Monday from Grygla and spent the day visiting with friends and relatives.

Ladies' Club Very Active During Year

Annual Report of Secretary Discloses a Very Successful Season.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw Elected to Head Organization For Ensuing Term.

Chairmen For Different Divisions of Club Work Also Appointed.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Thief River Falls Woman's club was held at the commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon. The report of the secretary, Mrs. E. M. Stanton showed that the season had been the most active in the history of the organization and that it has exerted a marked influence upon the social and home life of the city. Under the leadership of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, the retiring president, the club has gained renown for its achievements in every section of the state and is at the present time regarded as the model organization of its kind in this section of the country. There is not a doubt but that this excellent record will be maintained under the guidance of the new officers, all of whom have been active in the councils of the club and instrumental in bringing it up to its present enviable level.

The new officers are as follows: Mrs. Daniel Shaw, president; Mrs. E. E. Zeh, vice president; Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, secretary; Mrs. Robert Vance, treasurer. Besides Mrs. Froehlich the following will retire from office at this time: Mrs. P. W. Mabey, vice president; Mrs. E. M. Stanton, secretary, and Mrs. G. Howard Smith, treasurer.

A Splendid Record.

The secretary's report submitted by Mrs. Stanton enumerated the following as the more outstanding features of last year's actitivities, particularly in the entertainment line. The record indicates that the committees in charge were at all times desirous of securing the best to be had and that their efforts met with unusual success.

May 17th, 1920.

Report of the work of the Thief River Falls Woman's Club, for the year ending May 17th, 1920.

Fifteen meetings were held during the year. The meeting for February was not held on account of the "Flu" epidemic then prevailing in the city. Music, gymnasium, French and social welfare sections were organized, all of which were active throughout the year. A donation of $20.00 was made at Christmas time to help in making A Merry Christmas for the poor and needy of the city and later on a contribution of $50.00 was made for the Near-East Relief. During the year various donations were made to other charities by the Social Welfare section.

For the several sections, the following chairmen were appointed:

Music section—Mrs. Guy Halvorson
French section—Mrs. A. W. Swedenberg
Gymnasium section—Mrs. A. S. Sapero
Thrift section—Mrs. Daniel Shaw
Community service—Mrs. L. G. Larsen
Americanization work—Mrs. Heggan

Mrs. Richards was appointed chairman of the Public Health for the Ninth Congressional district, by the president, Mrs. Selvig of Crookston.

The following out of town speakers and entertainers appeared at our club meetings: October 20th, 1919, John S. Garns of the University Extension department and the McPhail School of Music in a lecture recital, "Passing Phase of American Humor." November 3rd, 1919, Miss Hester Pollock, director of Women's Activities of the Ninth Federal district, on "Thrift." On November 17th, 1919, the late Dr. Maria L. Sanford, instructor and head of the English department of the University of Minnesota for over 30 years and known as "Minnesota's Grand Old Woman," gave us a very inspiring talk on "Our Duty to Our Boys and Girls and How to Make Thief River Falls the Best Place in Minnesota to Bring Up Our Boys and Girls." On January 19th, 1920, Prof. Payne, head of the industrial department of education of the State University, lectured on the "Fundamental Causes of the Present Industrial Unrest." On February 16th, 1920, Mr. Wyman Horr of Duluth, favored us with a piano recital. March 1st, 1920, Prof. J. A. Young of the Department of Political Science of the Minnesota University, gave us a talk on "Citizenship and Americanization." April 5th, 1920, Miss Dorothy Lovhed of the English department of the University, spoke on our "Coming Sanity Toward Russia." April 19th, 1920, Dr. James Davies of the University Extension Course appeared in lecture recital, "Folk Songs."

Local musicians and speakers who appeared before the club during the year include Mrs. Halvorson, who led several community sings; Mrs. Aga, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Sponheim, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Gullingsrud, Mrs. Mellby, Mrs. Brink, Miss Hoorn and Miss Zeh; Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Edberg with the Presbyterian choir; Elry Porter, Herman Bishoff and Miss Alice Bourque, who furnished a musical December 29th, 1919. Mrs. Hardisty gave us a talk on the Women Voters' league; Mrs. L. G. Larsen on Community Spirit; Mrs. Daniel Shaw on "Thrift"; H. O. Chommie on "Our Representative Form of Government"; E. M. Stanton on "Political Parties"; G. Halvorson on "Our Election Laws," and G. L. Sterns on the Near East Relief.

Mr. Garns appeared for the second time during the year, and recited "Monsieur Beaucaire" at the Lyceum April 27th, 1920.

A loving cup costing $25.00 was presented to the residents of LaBree avenue as a reward for their efforts in the clean-up campaign, and H. G. Gunseth of 319 Riverside avenue, was awarded a second prize of $10.00 for the best improvement of his premises.

Forty new members have been added to the club membership during the past year, which now numbers nearly three hundred.

MEETING OF CITIZENS TO ARRANGE PROGRAM FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Mayor John Bratrud requests all citizens interested in the proper observance of Memorial Day to meet at the commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock on Friday evening for the purpose of discussing an appropriate program for the occasion. The local Legion post has appointed a committee to work with a similar body representing the citizens generally and it will be the aim to make this latter appointment on Friday evening in order that there may be no delay in the preparations. Representatives of the schools, churches and civic organizations generally are asked to be present at the meeting in order that it may be made a community affair.

May 30, which is the date for observing the anniversary ordinarily, this year falls on Sunday and it will be up to the citizens present at the meeting to decide whether the exercises shall be held on Saturday or Monday.

POTATO MEET FRIDAY; WOOL GROWERS NEXT

Latter Will Meet at County Agent's Office on Saturday Afternoon.

Considerable interest centers in the outcome of the potato growers meeting in St. Hilaire tomorrow afternoon. Farmers from all sections of the county are expected to be present as the plan is to form a county association and also to take the preliminary steps toward the erection of a potato warehouse. Senator Cummins of East Grand Forks, an authority on the raising and handling of potatoes, will deliver an address.

A meeting of Pennington county wool growers will be held in the Farm Bureau office at 2 o'clock on Saturday, May 22. The purpose of this meeting is to arrange for the marketing of all the wool in the county to a central point where it may be graded by a state grader. Plans have been made for storehouses in Thief River Falls and Goodridge where the wool will be graded by an expert who will place it in three or more classes. All the wool will be disposed of at one sale, each grower being paid in proportion to the quality and quantity of the wool he has in the pool.

Local buyers as well as outsiders will be privileged to bid on this wool. It is believed that better prices can be paid for the wool in larger lots than could be secured under the old hit and miss system that has prevailed in the past.

BOHEMIAN LODGE WILL CELEBRATE FOUNDING

Zare Zeveru to Observe 20th Anniversary of Organization Here.

The members of Zare Severu lodge of the Western Bohemian Fraternal association are making preparations for a big meeting on Thursday, May 27, in Masonic hall. A fine program has been arranged for the occasion and there will be an address by Joseph Tyra of Minneapolis.

This event is in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of the forming of the lodge in this city. The organization now numbers among its members practically all the persons of Bohemian birth or extraction in the city and is in flourishing condition.

All members of Z. C. B. J. lodges and their families are expected to be present and may invite such guests as they think will be interested.

VALLEY GUERNSEY MEN MEET HERE ON JUNE 8

Annual Picnic and Sale Will Take Place on Albert Johnson Farm.

The Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders association will hold their first annual summer meeting, picnic and combination sale of purebred Guernseys on Tuesday, June 8, at the Burr Oak Guernsey farm of Albert Johnson a short distance south of Thief River Falls.

A cordial invitation is extended to all dairymen and their families to attend this gathering. A good program has been arranged for the occasion and Prof. Eckles of the University farm will be the principal speaker.

The animals consigned to this sale, both male and female, are of the highest quality and the event will offer excellent opportunities for securing foundation stock from some of the best herds in the Red River Valley.

Rain Comes Just in Time to Help Northwest Farmer

Farmers throughout this section were made happy on Tuesday by a fall of rain that continued all day. The rain was the first of the planting season and came just as most of the seeding had been completed and consequently could not have been more opportune. City gardens are looking up already because of the application of moisture and everything seems to have taken on a more spring-like appearance. Particularly was this rain needed to give the pastures a start.

Potato growers are getting ready to do their planting and many will have completed the work before the first of next week. It is not likely, even with ideal weather conditions, that much corn will be put in the ground before the first of June.

N-P Talkers Accuse Both Old Parties

Large Crowd Turns out to First Political Rally of Present Campaign.

Dr. Shipstead Unable to be Present and William Mahoney is Substituted.

People Have First Introduction to Thormodson, Candidate For Congress.

An audience which comfortably filled the auditorium and which was composed about equally of farmers and townspeople listened to speakers favoring the Nonpartisan league discuss the issues of the campaign on Monday evening.

Thomas Vollum of Erskine, candidate for secretary of state, who laid no claim to being an orator, told of the success attending attempts at co-operation in his home town of Erskine, stating that the same principle on a larger scale is what the Nonpartisan league is contending for. He has evidently made a study of this matter and is convinced that it is the only method by which the evils of the present system of huge combinations can be overcome. Mr. Vollum seemed satisfied that he would be returned the winner in the primaries and later in the elections.

Is Vigorous Talker.

N. E. Thormodson of Dalton, candidate for congress in the Ninth district with Nonpartisan endorsement, was the next speaker. He is a socialist and proud of it, evidently believing in all the tenets put forth by the organization. Mr. Thormodson is an energetic talker and flayed the profiteers unmercifully, but claimed that the latter were but the natural product of the governmental system under which the country is now operating. He attempted to show where the interests of the laboring man in the city were identical with those of the farmer and urged that the two divisions get together for the purpose of making a general housecleaning. The candidate did not at any time specifically refer to his opponent, Halvor Steenerson, confining his remarks principally to a general attack upon existing conditions.

High Costs the Cause.

William Mahoney, who was defeated for mayor of St. Paul at the recent election, was the next speaker. He regarded as useless any attempt to make wages keep even with the cost of living while the prices of necessities keep advancing by bounds. He laid the blame at the door of the profiteers and arraigned the administration for permitting them to go unchecked.

Mr. Mahoney charged that the grossest corruption was resorted to in order to defeat him for mayor of St. Paul and said that the same would be true of the state campaign this fall. Millions of dollars will be poured into Minnesota, he said, for the purpose of defeating the candidates put forth by the league.

ELKS' BUILDING MATTER DECIDED TOMORROW

Lodge Will Determine Upon Location at Meeting Held In the Evening.

One of the most important meetings of the year will be held by Thief River Falls lodge of Elks tomorrow evening. While there is a considerable amount of regular business to come up, the matter of greatest importance will be the report of the building committee. A short time ago it was decided to investigate the matter of a building site and the committee is understood to have several propositions to offer. Two sites at least will be offered, either of which is acceptable, and the final choice will depend upon whether or not the members prefer a club house devoted to the purposes of the lodge only or if they wish one within the city from which something in the way of rents could be secured. It is understood that they will be given their choice.

There is a great deal of interest in this matter among the members and it is likely that the meeting tomorrow evening will be anything but dull.

Rev. Sweger Accepts Call From Local Congregation

The trustees of Trinity Lutheran church have been notified that Rev. T. E. Sweger of Cooperstown, N. D., will accept the call recently extended to become pastor of the congregation at this point and that he will be installed in his new position on Aug. 15. Rev. Sweger expected to be unable to leave his present position before sometime in September but matters have been so arranged that he will be here about a month ahead of that time.

THIEF RIVER TO HAVE RECRUITING STATION

One of Fifteen Minnesota Cities Designated as Permanent Points.

Thief River Falls has been designated by the War Department as one of fifteen Minnesota cities to have permanent recruiting stations.

Major R. E. Frith, U. S. A. retired, with headquarters in Minneapolis reports that assistant recruiting officers have been selected and that offices will be opened without delay.

Sergeant Vance P. Hunter, general service infantry, is the army representative in Thief River Falls. Sergeant Hunter formerly belonged to the 51st Infantry, Camp Grant, Illinois, and served with the Sixth Division. His headquarters in Thief River Falls will be at the commercial club.

"This station is being opened in accordance with a plan recently adopted by the War Department to have the army represented more widely," said Major Frith. "The recent campaign brought about a much better general understanding of the work being done by the new army. The service now is looked upon as a training school for prospective citizens, with excellent opportunities to learn trades or receive a general education, instead of as merely a military machine.

"Practically every good citizen has contributed his share of service to his country, and the young man of today should be encouraged to follow in their examples, particularly under conditions which now prevail. It is an honor to belong to the United States army."

Stations also are to be opened at Austin, Fergus Falls, Little Falls, Moorhead, Owatonna, Albert, Red Wing, Pipestone, Willmar, Brainerd, Detroit, East Grand Forks, Alexandria and Sleepy Eye.

EAST-SIDERS DECLARE AGAINST NAME CHANGE

Want New School Building Called "Knox" Same as Present Structure.

In order that the matter might be settled to the entire satisfaction of all concerned the school board on Monday called a meeting of the citizens of the East Side for the purpose of deciding upon a name for the new school building to be erected there. A number of those present were outspoken in their demand that the name of "Knox" be retained, that being the designation of the structure now on the site. A vote was taken and was unanimously so decided. The board members stated that the wishes of the people in the neighborhood would most certainly be respected and the structure named according to their wishes.

A demand had been made that a seventh and eighth grade be made part of the plan for the new school. The directors explained that this would not accord with the program now being carried out. Special teachers are secured for these grades and it would be doubling up on the service as well as the expense to meet this suggestion. The school patrons saw the force of this reasoning and withdrew the request.

LEGION ELECTS OLD OFFICERS; BIG DRIVE

Efforts to Increase Membership Being Made Throughout Nation This Week.

At the semi-annual meeting and banquet of Elmer J. Eklund Post, the American Legion, held at the Brumund hotel on Saturday evening the present officers were re-elected for another term, as follows: Fred Scanlan, president; George Werstlein, first vice president; Carl Nelson, second vice president; Edward Brevig, treasurer; G. Howard Smith, secretary. The standing committees will also remain as at present constituted. As a permanent dance committee for the next six months the following were appointed: Harold Provencher, Ray Johnson, Hal Stanton, F. E. Hunt and Hugh McDaniel. The Decoration Day committee was instructed to meet with the city committee having charge of a program for the observance of that day. The legion conferees are L. H. Lawrence, H. O. Chommie and G. Howard Smith.

The members voted to send a contribution of $5 to the committee in charge of collections for the decoration of graves in France.

A campaign for membership in the American legion is this week being carried on throughout the nation. Approximately 9,500 posts of the organization will work simultaneously and it is expected that one million new members will be gained in the campaign. This would give a total of two and one half million members to the organization.

CAMPAIGN FOR STOCK PAVILION NEARS END

Pennington County Required to Raise Balance of Quota Immediately.

A drive to raise the remainder of the amount needed for the Red River Valley livestock pavilion at Crookston started in each of the 11 counties of the district yesterday and is being carried on with vigor today. Pennington county's quota for this purpose was placed at $750, out of which sum $180 has been paid in. It is very necessary that the remainder be secured at once and the committee is making special effort to interest the livestock breeders and business men in the project.

Polk county has undertaken to raise $9,000 on these two days in spite of the fact that the people there have already contributed $18,096. The amounts remaining for Marshall and Norman counties is $2250 and the others are behind in lesser amounts. Clay county has oversubscribed its quota and Red Lake county is only $15 behind its goal. Clearwater and Mahnomen counties have not yet reported anything and will be expected to raise $750 each during these two days.

The committee in charge of the collection in Pennington county is made up of Fred Beerbower, Paul Engelstad and J. J. McCann, Thief River Falls, and N. E. Beebe, St. Hilaire.

Tire Dealer Locates Here.

William A. Clay, formerly of Bemidji, has rented the building at 313 Main avenue north and will engage in the tire repair business. Mr. Clay has taken the agency for the Pennsylvania tire and has an interesting introductory announcement in another part of The Times today. The new establishment will be equipped to do all kinds of tire repair work, including vulcanizing.

Not in Favor of Changing Management

Majority of Council Sees No Advantage in Utilities Commission.

Alderman Ihle Sticks to Idea That Change Would Be Good Thing.

Commission Form For Entire City Again Comes Up For Discussion.

The city council met on Tuesday evening for the purpose of cleaning up a batch of postponed business and incidentally to talk over the proposition advanced the week previous, to-wit: The placing of the city utilities in the hands of a commission.

The discussion on Tuesday evening was only informal but indicated that most of the councilmen are from Missouri and will have to be shown before they are willing to make the suggested change. President H. A. Brumund stated that he was unable to see just where the advantage would come in. It was his opinion that the council would have to take final action in all matters of importance in any event, in which case the members might as well carry a project along from the time of its inception. He was not prepared to say that he would oppose the proposition, however, but wanted more light on the subject before committing himself.

Can Go Right Ahead.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie stated that there was no question of the council's authority to provide for a commission in case such course was decided upon but there were certain matters pertaining to the disposition of funds now held to the credit of the utilities that he would have to look up carefully before being able to lay a complete course of procedure before the board. He also volunteered the statement that he could not see where anything would ultimately be gained by the suggested course.

Alderman Carl Froseth voiced the fear that the naming of a commission would only serve to increase the expense of running the city's plants without in any manner adding to their efficiency or reducing the cost of their operation. He also was willing to be convinced that such was not the case, he stated.

Ihle Still Sticks.

Mr. Ihle said there were a lot of things about a commission he did not know but he was of the opinion that more satisfactory results would be obtained if a board of three interested citizens were put in charge. They would have no other responsibility so far as the city government was concerned and would, he believed, make a sort of hobby out of seeing that the plants were efficiently and economically conducted. He named a number of cities in the neighborhood where this plan is employed and believed that it has been found generally satisfactory.

Commission Form Again.

All the councilmen were agreed that the most sensible solution of the whole affair would be placing the entire city under a commission form of government with a city manager in charge. In this way certain of the commissioners would have the conduct of their own department only to look after with the result that nothing of benefit would be overlooked. The citizens voted down this proposition a few years ago but there is no doubt but that many of them have changed their minds concerning its desirability since that time.

It was not an important meeting so far as results were concerned but was full of interesting incidents.

Goes on Vacation.

L. R. Johnston has resigned his position as traveling salesman for the Thief River Grocery company after serving five years with the concern. He will leave in a short time with his family for a visit at points in Iowa, where the latter will stay while Mr. Johnston is attending the national convention of Elks as the delegate from Thief River Falls lodge. After his return he will go on the road for the Lyle culvert company, working out of this city, taking the place of W. S. Sylvester, who has been assigned to another territory.

Setting Out Trees.

G. M. Gonzot of the State Forestry division, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of instructing those who had contracted for young pine trees in the matter of setting out the seedlings. There were some 20,000 young pines in the shipment and many of our farmers took the opportunity offered to start groves.

Red Lake Falls Masons Will Put on Degree Here

For some time members of the Masonic fraternity at Red Lake Falls have been trying to secure a charter for a lodge in their city. The matter has progressed to a point where it is only necessary that the officers prove themselves sufficiently well versed in the secret work of the order to have their request granted. Quite a number of the members in Red Lake Falls have for years been affiliated with the Thief River Falls lodge, but have been given every assistance by officers and members here in their efforts to realize their ambition.

Lodge quarters have been secured, officers elected and degree teams put to work. In order that the latter may have an opportunity to get in some practice work they have been invited to come to this city on May 24 for the purpose of conferring the second degree on a class of candidates. It is also probable that they will be given a chance to exemplify the other degrees if they so see fit.

T. W. Hugo of Duluth, grand custodian of the order, will be in Red Lake Falls for the purpose of making the examinations and institute the

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86 Graduates Drop School Duties Soon

Largest Senior Class in History of Thief River Falls High School.

Baccalaureate Sermon by Rev R. L. Barackman at Auditorium Sunday.

Pageant Takes Place of Class Day Exercises Monday and Tuesday.

Commencement week at the Thief River Falls high school will begin with the delivery of the baccalaureate sermon at the auditorium on Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. Rev. R. L. Barackman, of the Presbyterian church in this city, will deliver the sermon and the general public is extended an invitation to be present. Following is the program for this service: Offertory, Miss Blanche Johnson; Invocation, Rev. George Larson; Hymn; Scripture; Anthem, Faculty Chorus; Prayer, Vocal solo, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher; sermon, Rev. Barackman; Hymn, Benediction.

Educational Pageant.

The usual class day exercises will be omitted so far as the high school graduates are concerned and in their place will be staged the beautiful and instructive educational pageant, "The Light." This will be presented at the auditorium on Monday and Tuesday evenings at 8 p. m.

Eighth Grade Program.

The eighth grade pupils will hold their commencement exercises at the assembly room of the Lincoln school on Wednesday evening. Following is the program:

Chorus—"A Merry Life"——Class
Invocation——Rev. J. B. Smith
Instrumental Solo——Palma Langseth
Salutation——Mabel Johnson
"Uncle Sam's Visit"——Class
Instrumental Solo——Edith Novak
Valedictory——Ruby Conklin
Instrumental Solo——Alice Mulry
Address and presentation of diplomas by——Supt. W. A. Ziegler
Chorus—"Anchored"——Class
Benediction——Rev. J. B. Smith

Address by Prof. Reeve.

The commencement address will be delivered by Prof. W. D. Reeve, head of the high school department in the college of education, University of Minnesota. He is one of the foremost educators in this section of the country and a speaker of unusual ability.

Two Salutatorians.

An unusual situation was disclosed when general averages were computed at the end of the present term. Two of the students were found to be entitled to exactly the same credits. Consequently Mollie Hermanson and Vivian Gabrielson will both have the honor of being salutatorians. Henry Stengelsen had no very near competitor for the valedictorian's honor.

The commencement day exercises will be held at the auditorium on Friday evening, following being the program:

Invocation——Rev. J. B. Smith
Music——Senior Chorus
Salutatory——Mollie Hermanson
Music——Senior Octette
Salutatory——Vivian Gabrielson
Address——Mr. W. D. Reeve
Music——Senior Chorus
Valedictory——Henry Stengelsen
Alma Mater——Class of 1920
Presentation of Diplomas——Dr. O. F. Mellby
Benediction.

Seven names have been added to the list of graduates since The Times report was published last week, making the total 86, an increase of 14 over last year. The corrected roll is as follows:

Herman Aakre
Edgar Aaslund
Henry Anstad
Harriet Anderson
Lillian Anderson
Jennie Anderson
Jessie Barnett
Alyce Berg
Alpha Bishop
Orlando Bishop
Celia Bjorge
Inez Breeze
Milden Boreen
Marguerite Burns
Lulu Cook
Stanton Dahlen
Vera Daily
Francis Erickson
Fred Erickson
Marcus Evenson
Ellen Fellman
Roy Flattum
Vivian Gabrielson
Florence Gavin
Emma Graff
Rose Gunstad
Lila Gustafson
Reuben Hadrath
Hilda Hammarsten
James Helle
Mollie Hermanson
Ruth Halvorson
Leo Ihle
Henrietta Isaacsen
Mildred Jahr
Anna Johnson
Alpha Johnson
Ruth Kiland
Anna Klen
Amanda Klungness
Ruth Koop
Gordon LaBree
Dorothy Lane
Philip Larson
Gunder Legvold
Dagny Levorson
Hubert Malberg
Denis McGinn
Gladys Nelson
Harold Nelson
Knute Nelson
Agnes Newton
Christine Newton
Edna O'Brien
Myrtle Olson
Maybelle Osthy
Lutrelle Paulson
Lucile Peterson
Lloyd Peterson
Lavina Poirier
Sylvia Pierson
Helga Quindlog
Mabel Rogers
Myrtle Roseland
Elsie Randorf
Henry Sagmoen
Gena Sannes
Leland Schuster
Esther Scovell
Henry Stengelsen
Elsie Sundahl
Mabel Shefveland
Gerda Sorlom
Wilhelm Sund
Ida Syvde
Amy Syverson
Agnes Tondberg
Madeline Thill
Kathleen Ures
Clarence Vevea
Charles Warner
Joseph Weirus
Hazel Wold
Gladys Wiener
Adella Wiener
Fred Will

SENIOR CLASS STAGES ELABORATE PAGEANT

"The Light" to Be Presented on Two Evenings at the Auditorium.

The senior class of the Thief River Falls high school has engaged upon a rather unusual undertaking to mark the closing of the school year. It is the presentation of the pageant, "The Light," designed to show the progress of education through the ages. The presentation will be the second to take place in the United States, the first being at Cleveland during the meeting of the National Educational association this spring. Supt. W. A. Ziegler, who saw the pageant at Cleveland, says it is most beautiful and instructive, and created a vast amount of enthusiasm among the people of the Ohio city as well as the visiting educators.

The presentation will take place at the Auditorium on Monday and Tuesday, May 24 and 25, at 8 o'clock in the evening. A cast of 250 people is required and it will be necessary to build the stage out six feet in order to accommodate the production.

The same pageant will be presented at Minneapolis in the fall but will not be seen at another Minnesota school this spring. The students and faculty have been busy of late in the rehearsing of the different scenes and tableaus and those who have been permitted to get a line on the presentation say that it is without doubt the most remarkable thing ever attempted by a high school class.

Choir Visits St. Hilaire.

The children's choir of the local M. E. church went to St. Hilaire Sunday and sang in the M. E. church to the delight of a large congregation. The young folks were taken in autos and enjoyed the trip very much. Mrs. C. A. Nason, who has had the children in charge, was congratulated upon her success in training the young choir to such a state of efficiency. They will sing in the M. E. church here Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

SUPT. ZIEGLER LOSES TIPS OF THREE FINGERS

Gets Members Into Jointer at High School Mechanical Department.

Supt. W. A. Ziegler of the city schools met with a serious accident while working in the mechanical department of the high school on Monday afternoon. He was running a short piece of board over the power jointer when it was wrenched out of his hand, throwing his fingers into contact with the rapidly revolving knives. The first two fingers on his right hand were cut off just below the first joint and the third finger just below the tip. According to those in the building with him at the time, the superintendent was running the board through against the grain and was holding it firmly onto the jointer. The knives wrenched it from him and threw it against his left hand with sufficient force to lacerate that member quite severely. Before he could regain his balance the knives had caused the damage noted to his right hand.

The injury was immediately dressed and Mr. Ziegler is getting along first rate, although both hands are causing him a great deal of pain.

DELEGATION ATTENDS WATERWAYS HEARING

Thief River Falls Shows Interest in Lake-to-Ocean Movement.

States and Canada jointly maintain a commission of six members, three appointed from each country, having jurisdiction over the boundary waters and the boundary lines between the two countries. There has been a good deal of agitation for the deepening and improvement of the canals from the head of Lake Superior to tide water in order that ocean vessels might make the points on the Great Lakes and sail direct to the markets of the world with unbroken cargoes.

Naturally in such a project much may be said both for and against and the commission above referred to has been requested to hold hearings and gather data in those sections of the country more immediately interested and whose products might advantageously reach the world's markets over the proposed route.

A hearing by the commission was held at Grand Forks on Tuesday, at which there was considerable representation from communities in western Minnesota and North Dakota. Thief River Falls was represented by Olaf Ramstad, Math Barzen, T. P. Hamry, and Daniel Shaw, and the commission was informed that the best evidence they could give of the interest of this community in the matter was the fact that they had driven sixty miles over mud roads to be present.

Facts and figures were presented by Governor Frazier of North Dakota, Professor Ladd and many others representing the two states.

Man Hit by Automobile Recovering at Hospital

Omer Anderson, returned service man and clerk at the Hermanson Hardware company's store, was quite seriously injured Sunday night in a manner that still remains something of a mystery. With a number of companions he had been at Warren and the party was returning when they ran out of gasoline. There were four occupants of the car and each started in a different direction to look for fuel. Anderson took the road straight ahead, it is said, and as one of the others found what was wanted before he returned the rest of the party started ahead with the idea of overtaking him. The lights were working badly and the driver was unable to see far ahead. A short distance from where the stop was made the car overtook Anderson and ran smack into him. He was brought to the hospital where it was found that two ribs were broken and that he had sustained other injuries. He is now on the road to recovery, it is stated.

Anderson was aboard the Tuscania when that vessel was torpedoed during the war but came out of the wreck without injury.

Steenerson Names Three To Take Naval Exams.

Congressman Steenerson has nominated William Breen, Fergus Falls; Arnold Lloyd Odegaard, Roseau, and Fritz Anderson, Crookston, for examination on June 22 for admission to the United States naval academy at Annapolis.

Visitors From Grygla.

A party consisting of E. M. Mussey and daughter, Mrs. L. R. Moran, Mrs. H. Bush and Mrs. Reuben Sandberg motored to this city on Monday from Grygla and spent the day visiting with friends and relatives.

Ladies' Club Very Active During Year

Annual Report of Secretary Discloses a Very Successful Season.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw Elected to Head Organization For Ensuing Term.

Chairmen For Different Divisions of Club Work Also Appointed.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Thief River Falls Woman's club was held at the commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon. The report of the secretary, Mrs. E. M. Stanton showed that the season had been the most active in the history of the organization and that it has exerted a marked influence upon the social and home life of the city. Under the leadership of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, the retiring president, the club has gained renown for its achievements in every section of the state and is at the present time regarded as the model organization of its kind in this section of the country. There is not a doubt but that this excellent record will be maintained under the guidance of the new officers, all of whom have been active in the councils of the club and instrumental in bringing it up to its present enviable level.

The new officers are as follows: Mrs. Daniel Shaw, president; Mrs. E. E. Zeh, vice president; Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, secretary; Mrs. Robert Vance, treasurer. Besides Mrs. Froehlich the following will retire from office at this time: Mrs. P. W. Mabey, vice president; Mrs. E. M. Stanton, secretary, and Mrs. G. Howard Smith, treasurer.

A Splendid Record.

The secretary's report submitted by Mrs. Stanton enumerated the following as the more outstanding features of last year's activities, particularly in the entertainment line. The record indicates that the committees in charge were at all times desirous of securing the best to be had and that their efforts met with unusual success.

May 17th, 1920.

Report of the work of the Thief River Falls Woman's Club for the year ending May 17th, 1920:

Fifteen meetings were held during the year. The meeting for February was not held on account of the "Flu" epidemic then prevailing in the city. Music, gymnasium, French and social welfare sections were organized, all of which were active throughout the year. A donation of $20.00 was made at Christmas time to help in making A Merry Christmas for the poor and needy of the city and later on a contribution of $50.00 was made for the Near-East Relief. During the year various donations were made to other charities by the Social Welfare section.

For the several sections, the following chairmen were appointed:

Music section——Mrs. Gay Halvorson
French section——Mrs. A. W. Swedenberg
Gymnasium section——Mrs. A. S. Sapero
Thrift section——Mrs. Daniel Shaw
Community service——Mrs. L. G. Larsen
Americanization work——Mrs. Heggan

Mrs. Richards was appointed chairman of the Public Health for the Ninth Congressional district, by the president, Mrs. Selvig of Crookston.

The following out of town speakers and entertainers appeared at our club meetings: October 20th, 1919, John S. Garns of the University Extension department and the McPhail School of Music in a lecture recital, "Passing Phase of American Humor." November 3rd, 1919, Miss Hester Pollock, director of Women's Activities of the Ninth Federal district, on "Thrift." On November 17th, 1919, the late Dr. Maria L. Sanford, instructor and head of the English department of the University of Minnesota for over 30 years and known as "Minnesota's Grand Old Woman," gave us a very inspiring talk on "Our Duty to Our Boys and Girls and How to Make Thief River Falls the Best Place in Minnesota to Bring Up Our Boys and Girls." On January 19th, 1920, Prof. Payne, head of the industrial department of education of the State University, lectured on the "Fundamental Causes of the Present Industrial Unrest." On February 16th, 1920, Mr. Wyman Horr of Duluth, favored us with a piano recital. March 1st, 1920, Prof. J. A. Young of the Department of Political Science of the Minnesota University, gave us a talk on "Citizenship and Americanization." April 5th, 1920, Miss Dorothy Loyhed of the English department of the University, spoke on our "Coming Sanity Toward Russia." April 19th, 1920, Dr. James Davies of the University Extension Course appeared in lecture recital, "Folk Songs."

Local musicians and speakers who appeared before the club during the year include Mrs. Halvorson, who led several community sings; Mrs. Aga, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Sponheim, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Gullingsrud, Mrs. Mellby, Mrs. Brink, Miss Hoorn and Miss Zeh; Mrs. Fisher, Mrs. Edberg with the Presbyterian choir; Elry Porter, Herman Bishoff and Miss Alice Bourque, who furnished a musical December 29th, 1919. Mrs. Hardisty gave a talk on the Women Voters' league; Mrs. L. G. Larsen on Community Spirit; Mrs. Daniel Shaw on "Thrift"; H. O. Chommie on "Our Representative Form of Government"; E. M. Stanton on "Political Parties"; G. Halvorson on "Our Election Laws," and G. L. Sterns on the Near East Relief.

Mr. Garns appeared for the second time during the year, and recited "Monsieur Beaucaire" at the Lyceum April 27th, 1920.

A loving cup costing $25.00 was presented to the residents of LaBree avenue as a reward for their efforts in the clean-up campaign, and H. G. Gunseth of 319 Riverside avenue, was awarded a second prize of $10.00 for the best improvement of his premises.

Forty new members have been added to the club membership during the past year, which now numbers nearly three hundred.

MEETING OF CITIZENS TO ARRANGE PROGRAM FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Mayor John Bratrud requests all citizens interested in the proper observance of Memorial Day to meet at the commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock on Friday evening for the purpose of discussing an appropriate program for the occasion. The local Legion post has appointed a committee to work with a similar body representing the citizens generally and it will be the aim to make this latter appointment on Friday evening in order that there may be no delay in the preparations. Representatives of the schools, churches and civic organizations generally are asked to be present at the meeting in order that it may be made a community affair.

May 30, which is the date for observing the anniversary ordinarily, this year falls on Sunday and it will be up to the citizens present at the meeting to decide whether the exercises shall be held on Saturday or Monday.

POTATO MEET FRIDAY; WOOL GROWERS NEXT

Latter Will Meet at County Agent's Office on Saturday Afternoon.

Considerable interest centers in the outcome of the potato growers meeting in St. Hilaire tomorrow afternoon. Farmers from all sections of the county are expected to be present as the plan is to form a county association and also to take the preliminary steps toward the erection of a potato warehouse. Senator Cummins of East Grand Forks, an authority on the raising and handling of potatoes, will deliver an address.

A meeting of Pennington county wool growers will be held in the Farm Bureau office at 2 o'clock on Saturday, May 22. The purpose of this meeting is to arrange for the marketing of all the wool in the county to a central point where it may be graded by a state grader. Plans have been made for storehouses in Thief River Falls and Goodridge where the wool will be graded by an expert who will place it in three or more classes. All the wool will be disposed of at one sale, each grower being paid in proportion to the quality and quantity of the wool he has in the pool.

Local buyers as well as outsiders will be privileged to bid on this wool. It is believed that better prices can be paid for the wool in larger lots than could be secured under the old hit and miss system that has prevailed in the past.

BOHEMIAN LODGE WILL CELEBRATE FOUNDING

Zare Zeveru to Observe 20th Anniversary of Organization Here.

The members of Zare Severu lodge of the Western Bohemian Fraternal association are making preparations for a big meeting on Thursday, May 27, in Masonic hall. A fine program has been arranged for the occasion and there will be an address by Joseph Tyra of Minneapolis.

This event is in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of the forming of the lodge in this city. The organization now numbers among its members practically all the persons of Bohemian birth or extraction in the city and is in flourishing condition.

All members of Z. C. B. J. lodges and their families are expected to be present and may invite such guests as they think will be interested.

VALLEY GUERNSEY MEN MEET HERE ON JUNE 8

Annual Picnic and Sale Will Take Place on Albert Johnson Farm.

The Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders association will hold their first annual summer meeting, picnic and combination sale of purebred Guernseys on Tuesday, June 8, at the Burr Oak Guernsey farm of Albert Johnson a short distance south of Thief River Falls.

A cordial invitation is extended to all dairymen and their families to attend this gathering. A good program has been arranged for the occasion and Prof. Eckles of the University farm will be the principal speaker.

The animals consigned to this sale, both male and female, are of the highest quality and the event will offer excellent opportunities for securing foundation stock from some of the best herds in the Red River Valley.

Rain Comes Just in Time to Help Northwest Farmer

Farmers throughout this section were made happy on Tuesday by a fall of rain that continued all day. The rain was the first of the planting season and came just as most of the seeding had been completed and consequently could not have been more opportune. City gardens are looking up already because of the application of moisture and everything seems to have taken on a more spring-like appearance. Particularly was this rain needed to give the pastures a start.

Potato growers are getting ready to do their planting and many will have completed the work before the first of next week. It is not likely, even with ideal weather conditions, that much corn will be put in the ground before the first of June.

N-P Talkers Accuse Both Old Parties

Large Crowd Turns out to First Political Rally of Present Campaign.

Dr. Shipstead Unable to be Present and William Mahoney is Substituted.

People Have First Introduction to Thormodson, Candidate For Congress.

An audience which comfortably filled the auditorium and which was composed about equally of farmers and townspeople listened to speakers favoring the Nonpartisan league discuss the issues of the campaign on Monday evening.

Thomas Vollom of Erskine, candidate for secretary of state, who laid no claim to being an orator, told of the success attending attempts at co-operation in his home town of Erskine, stating that the same principle on a larger scale is what the Nonpartisan league is contending for. He has evidently made a study of this matter and is convinced that it is the only method by which the evils of the present system of huge combinations can be overcome. Mr. Vollom seemed satisfied that he would be returned the winner in the primaries and later in the elections.

Is Vigorous Talker.

N. E. Thormodson of Dalton, candidate for congress in the Ninth district with Nonpartisan endorsement, was the next speaker. He is a socialist and proud of it, evidently believing in all the tenets put forth by the organization. Mr. Thormodson is an energetic talker and flayed the profiteers unmercifully, but claimed that the latter were but the natural product of the governmental system under which the country is now operating. He attempted to show where the interests of the laboring man in the city were identical with those of the farmer and urged that the two divisions get together for the purpose of making a general housecleaning. The candidate did not at any time specifically refer to his opponent, Halvor Steenerson, confining his remarks principally to a general attack upon existing conditions.

High Costs the Cause.

William Mahoney, who was defeated for mayor of St. Paul at the recent election, was the next speaker. He regarded as useless any attempt to make wages keep even with the cost of living while the prices of necessities keep advancing by bounds. He laid the blame at the door of the profiteers and arraigned the administration for permitting them to go unchecked.

Mr. Mahoney charged that the grossest corruption was resorted to in order to defeat him for mayor of St. Paul and said that the same would be true of the state campaign this fall. Millions of dollars will be poured into Minnesota, he said, for the purpose of defeating the candidates put forth by the league.

ELKS' BUILDING MATTER DECIDED TOMORROW

Lodge Will Determine Upon Location at Meeting Held In the Evening.

One of the most important meetings of the year will be held by Thief River Falls lodge of Elks tomorrow evening. While there is a considerable amount of regular business to come up, the matter of greatest importance will be the report of the building committee. A short time ago it was decided to investigate the matter of a building site and the committee is understood to have several propositions to offer. Two sites at least will be offered, either of which is acceptable, and the final choice will depend upon whether or not the members prefer a club house devoted to the purposes of the lodge only or if they wish one within the city from which something in the way of rents could be secured. It is understood that they will be given their choice.

There is a great deal of interest in this matter among the members and it is likely that the meeting tomorrow evening will be anything but dull.

Rev. Sweger Accepts Call From Local Congregation

The trustees of Trinity Lutheran church have been notified that Rev. T. E. Sweger of Cooperstown, N. D., will accept the call recently extended to become pastor of the congregation at this point and that he will be installed in his new position on Aug. 15. Rev. Sweger expected to be unable to leave his present position before sometime in September but matters have been so arranged that he will be here about a month ahead of that time.

THIEF RIVER TO HAVE RECRUITING STATION

One of Fifteen Minnesota Cities Designated as Permanent Points.

Thief River Falls has been designated by the War Department as one of fifteen Minnesota cities to have permanent recruiting stations.

Major R. E. Frith, U. S. A. retired, with headquarters in Minneapolis reports that assistant recruiting officers have been selected and that offices will be opened without delay.

Sergeant Vance P. Hunter, general service infantry, is the army representative in Thief River Falls. Sergeant Hunter formerly belonged to the 51st Infantry, Camp Grant, Illinois, and served with the Sixth Division. His headquarters in Thief River Falls will be at the commercial club.

"This station is being opened in accordance with a plan recently adopted by the War Department to have the army represented more widely," said Major Frith. "The recent campaign brought about a much better general understanding of the work being done by the new army. The service now is looked upon as a training school for prospective citizens, with excellent opportunities to learn trades or receive a general education, instead of as merely a military machine.

"Practically every good citizen has contributed his share of service to his country, and the young man of today should be encouraged to follow in their examples, particularly under conditions which now prevail. It is an honor to belong to the United States army."

Stations also are to be opened at Austin, Fergus Falls, Little Falls, Moorhead, Owatonna, Albert, Red Wing, Pipestone, Willmar, Brainerd, Detroit, East Grand Forks, Alexandria and Sleepy Eye.

EAST-SIDERS DECLARE AGAINST NAME CHANGE

Want New School Building Called "Knox" Same as Present Structure.

In order that the matter might be settled to the entire satisfaction of all concerned the school board on Monday called a meeting of the citizens of the East Side for the purpose of deciding upon a name for the new school building to be erected there. A number of those present were outspoken in their demand that the name of "Knox" be retained, that being the designation of the structure now on the site. A vote was taken and was unanimously so decided. The board members stated that the wishes of the people in the neighborhood would most certainly be respected and the structure named according to their wishes.

A demand had been made that a seventh and eighth grade be made part of the plan for the new school. The directors explained that this would not accord with the program now being carried out. Special teachers are secured for these grades and it would be doubling up on the service as well as the expense to meet this suggestion. The school patrons saw the force of this reasoning and withdrew the request.

LEGION ELECTS OLD OFFICERS; BIG DRIVE

Efforts to Increase Membership Being Made Throughout Nation This Week.

At the semi-annual meeting and banquet of Elmer J. Eklund Post, the American Legion, held at the Brumund hotel on Saturday evening the present officers were re-elected for another term, as follows: Fred Scanlan, president; George Werstlein, first vice president; Carl Nelson, second vice president; Edward Brevig, treasurer; G. Howard Smith, secretary. The standing committees will also remain as at present constituted. As a permanent dance committee for the next six months the following were appointed: Harold Provencher, Ray Johnson, Hal Stanton, F. E. Hunt and Hugh McDaniel. The Decoration Day committee was instructed to meet with the city committee having charge of a program for the observance of that day. The legion conferees are L. H. Lawrence, H. O. Chommie and G. Howard Smith.

The members voted to send a contribution of $5 to the committee in charge of collections for the decoration of graves in France.

A campaign for membership in the American legion is this week being carried on throughout the nation. Approximately 9,500 posts of the organization will work simultaneously and it is expected that one million new members will be gained in the campaign. This would give a total of two and one half million members to the organization.

CAMPAIGN FOR STOCK PAVILION NEARS END

Pennington County Required to Raise Balance of Quota Immediately.

A drive to raise the remainder of the amount needed for the Red River Valley livestock pavilion at Crookston started in each of the 11 counties of the district yesterday and is being carried on with vigor today. Pennington county's quota for this purpose was placed at $750, out of which sum $180 has been paid in. It is very necessary that the remainder be secured at once and the committee is making special effort to interest the livestock breeders and business men in the project.

Polk county has undertaken to raise $9,000 on these two days in spite of the fact that the people there have already contributed $18,096. The amounts remaining for Marshall and Norman counties is $2250 and the others are behind in lesser amounts. Clay county has oversubscribed its quota and Red Lake county is only $15 behind its goal. Clearwater and Mahnomen counties have not yet reported anything and will be expected to raise $750 each during these two days.

The committee in charge of the collection in Pennington county is made up of Fred Beerbower, Paul Engelstad and J. J. McCann, Thief River Falls, and N. E. Beebe, St. Hilaire.

Tire Dealer Locates Here.

William A. Clay, formerly of Bemidji, has rented the building at 313 Main avenue north and will engage in the tire repair business. Mr. Clay has taken the agency for the Pennsylvania tire and has an interesting introductory announcement in another part of The Times today. The new establishment will be equipped to do all kinds of tire repair work, including vulcanizing.

Not in Favor of Changing Management

Majority of Council Sees No Advantage in Utilities Commission.

Alderman Ihle Sticks to Idea That Change Would Be Good Thing.

Commission Form For Entire City Again Comes Up For Discussion.

The city council met on Tuesday evening for the purpose of cleaning up a batch of postponed business and incidentally to talk over the proposition advanced the week previous, to-wit: The placing of the city utilities in the hands of a commission.

The discussion on Tuesday evening was only informal but indicated that most of the councilmen are from Missouri and will have to be shown before they are willing to make the suggested change. President H. A. Brumund stated that he was unable to see just where the advantage would come in. It was his opinion that the council would have to take final action in all matters of importance in any event, in which case the members might as well carry a project along from the time of its inception. He was not prepared to say that he would oppose the proposition, however, but wanted more light on the subject before committing himself.

Can Go Right Ahead.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie stated that there was no question of the council's authority to provide for a commission in case such course was decided upon but there were certain matters pertaining to the disposition of funds now held to the credit of the utilities that he would have to look up carefully before being able to lay a complete course of procedure before the board. He also volunteered the statement that he could not see where anything would ultimately be gained by the suggested course.

Alderman Carl Froseth voiced the fear that the naming of a commission would only serve to increase the expense of running the city's plants without in any manner adding to their efficiency or reducing the cost of their operation. He also was willing to be convinced that such was not the case, he stated.

Ihle Still Sticks.

Mr. Ihle said there were a lot of things about a commission he did not know but he was of the opinion that more satisfactory results would be obtained if a board of three interested citizens were put in charge. They would have no other responsibility so far as the city government was concerned and would, he believed, make a sort of hobby out of seeing that the plants were efficiently and economically conducted. He named a number of cities in the neighborhood where this plan is employed and believed that it has been found generally satisfactory.

Commission Form Again.

All the councilmen were agreed that the most sensible solution of the whole affair would be placing the entire city under a commission form of government with a city manager in charge. In this way certain of the commissioners would have the conduct of their own department only to look after with the result that nothing of benefit would be overlooked. The citizens voted down this proposition a few years ago but there is no doubt but that many of them have changed their minds concerning its desirability since that time.

It was not an important meeting so far as results were concerned but was full of interesting incidents.

Goes on Vacation.

L. R. Johnston has resigned his position as traveling salesman for the Thief River Grocery company after serving five years with the concern. He will leave in a short time with his family for a visit at points in Iowa, where the latter will stay while Mr. Johnston is attending the national convention of Elks as the delegate from Thief River Falls lodge. After his return he will go on the road for the Lyle culvert company, working out of this city, taking the place of W. S. Sylvester, who has been assigned to another territory.

Setting Out Trees.

G. M. Gonzet of the State Forestry division, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of instructing those who had contracted for young pine trees in the matter of setting out the seedlings. There were some 20,000 young pines in the shipment and many of our farmers took the opportunity offered to start groves.

Red Lake Falls Masons Will Put on Degree Here

For some time members of the Masonic fraternity at Red Lake Falls have been trying to secure a charter for a lodge in their city. The matter has progressed to a point where it is only necessary that the officers prove themselves sufficiently well versed in the secret work of the order to have their request granted. Quite a number of the members in Red Lake Falls have for years been affiliated with the Thief River Falls lodge, but have been given every assistance by officers and members here in their efforts to realize their ambition.

Lodge quarters have been secured, officers elected and degree teams put to work. In order that the latter may have an opportunity to get in some practice work they have been invited to come to this city on May 21 for the purpose of conferring the second degree on a class of candidates. It is also probable that they will be given a chance to exemplify the other degrees if they so see fit.

T. W. Hugo of Duluth, grand custodian of the order, will be in Red Lake Falls for the purpose of making the examinations and institute the

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Trip by Car to Portland is Described

Mrs. A. H. Fasel Tells Interesting Story of Journey Towards West.

Family Finally Decides to Locate on Farm Near Nampa, Idaho.

Practically No Rain There But Irrigation Insures Wonderful Crops.

(The following letter has been received from Mrs. A. H. Fasel, and will be of much interest to our readers. The Fasel family resided in Thief River Falls for many years, Mr. Fasel being at different times county auditor and city clerk. The letter was written last fall, Mrs. Fasel states, but was mislaid and only recently discovered. The lateness of its appearance detracts nothing from its general interest, however.—Editor)

Editor Times:—It is more than a year since we loaded our Studebaker with camping outfit and started out from Thief River Falls on our 2600 mile motor trip west—and surely a better way could not be devised for seeing our own U.S.A., than to meander thru the country by auto, camping and visiting with tourists, farmers, garage men, etc., enroute with side trips seeing points of interest here and there.

We had practically no car trouble and the weather was so fine that we only found it necessary to stop at hotels twice during the six weeks trip. The homes of relatives living in North Dakota and Montana were so conveniently located that we could stop and rest, clean up and visit just when we felt that we needed it.

The first blow out we had was at Minot, N. D., and we had to stop to change a tire at a place where millions of army worms were crossing the road. This migration extended over an area about a mile in width. We bought one new tire in Butte and still had Pennington county air in one tire when we reached Twin Falls, Idaho.

First Sight of Boise.

We arrived in Boise at dusk one evening about the middle of September just as the sun was setting behind the hazy, purple hued mountains. The road that we had just traveled over was a fifty mile stretch of sage brush desert as far as eyes could see and the only sign of life was the scurrying, half-starved sage rabbit. We were rather tired and dusty and not very keen about making camp where possible rattlesnakes might invite themselves to share our quarters, when suddenly on the edge of the "Bench" we looked down and beheld beautiful Boise spread out before our astonished gaze, an oasis in the desert. Here too we found a huge sign informing the wayfarer, "This way to the free auto tourists' campground." Following the lead we arrived at the tourist camp and felt as tho we had been invited to a party. A fine park, electrically lighted and off to one side a huge bonfire around which tourists were grouped, swapping yarns and telling each other their traveling experiences, while at numerous small tables the women were engaged in supper preparations. In the background tents and traveling equipment of all description were grouped while chattering children scampered round enjoying the swings, chutes, trapeze and other joy-equipment put there for their special benefit.

A caretaker mingled with the crowd, answering questions and lending a helping hand generally. Nearly all the states in the Union were represented here. This camp is equipped with bath house, laundry and a good sized screened-in kitchen with two sinks, running water and six electric stoves.

We were so charmed with this place that we lingered here for three days, going out to see the country every day. This camp idea has been the means of inducing many home seekers to settle here because of the low facilities provided while investigating land values in the surrounding territory.

Continued to Oregon.

As we had started out with the intention of seeing Oregon in general and Portland in particular, we dared not linger in this valley and longer, as we had a long and perilous drive to make over the Blue mountains before the early snows set in. We set out and traveled thru miles and miles of uninhabited mountain country and camped one night on top of the world surrounded by mountain peaks as far as eyes could see. The scenery here beggars description, and the air redolent with the pungent, spicy fragrance of pine was so good we could not get enough of it.

We camped in a great open space, smooth as a clipped lawn, surrounded with giant firs and an undergrowth of mountain laurel. There was a full moon and the only sound was the soughing of the pines and the occasional cry of some wild animal.

Next day we reached Pendleton, Oregon in time for the great annual roundup. The city was gorgeously decorated in all the colors of the rainbow while a motley crowd, including Indians in full regalia, cowpunchers in chaps and spurs and people from distant states paraded the streets, chaffing each other and enjoying the gala occasion. Of course, we saw that greatest of all wild west shows, the Roundup, and departed from Pendleton feeling that our fund of knowledge and experience had been greatly augmented. From Pendleton to Portland we traveled over some of the rockiest roads extant, and emerged on the Columbia Highway with tires frayed to a frazzle and just barely reached the city at all.

Back to Idaho.

We rented furnished apartments and lived in Portland for three months. Mr. Fasel worked as guard in the shipyards, guarding against German spies that were not, and Willis went to Astoria to work as timekeeper for a lumber company. First he enjoyed a three weeks' siege of the flu. Every Sunday we would go somewhere to look over the country, but found nothing that looked good to us, not even in the much talked of Willamette Valley, so we decided to go back to Idaho, and here we are!

This is Sunday evening, and we have just returned from a hundred mile trip thru the irrigated section called the Boise Valley and the Deer Flat. Every Sunday we take such a trip in company with some good friends whom we met near Eugene, Oregon on our tour last summer. They were also touring the country, but live here. We always fill our thermos bottles and lunch kits and set out for the day. Every time we come back more enthusiastic than ever. If we should tell you of the many opportunities here you would consider them fairy tales. We have yet to find the first person who is not an enthusiastic booster for this section of Idaho and they have jolly good reason to be. Today we drove thru miles of orchard loaded with apples and the roadside planted to rambler and ever-blooming roses. For people who had *lived in a climate where an apple tree* was a novelty it was all a revelation. And yet the fruit crops in this state are not considered a success commercially as they cannot be depended on to be safe from frost. The state fair is just over and I saw wonderful exhibits of apples, prunes, peaches, grapes, plums, (apricots and cherries come earlier), almonds, English walnuts, and every conceivable vegetable and melons. Every Sunday we come home with our auto spilling fruits. We have seen places where some philanthropically minded person had planted fruit trees in variety along the roadside like a long lane. We are still eating strawberries and raspberries and huckleberries. We stopped today at a place where a farmer was packing some strawberries. He had less than a quarter of an acre of ever-blooming strawberries near the house, and he told us he had sold $500 worth of berries off from that patch. A little farther on we stopped and talked with a farmer sitting in front of the barn, sorting potatoes. Among other things he showed us the alfalfa hay that he had taken off from a five acre tract. He had 40½ tons by actual measurement. One man rented forty acres and planted it to spuds. His share of the proceeds netted him $10,000. The owner of course did equally well. Mr. Fasel talked with a man from Nampa a week ago. He had just sold some clover seed off a 23 acre tract. He showed a check for $5,400 which he had just received for same. We hear so many tales like these that they become almost monotonous but the best part of it is they are true.

Results of Irrigation.

This is comparatively new country. Of course Boise has been on the map for 50 or 60 years, in fact the Idaho Statesman, the largest newspaper in the state, has been published since '64. Boise was once a typical frontier town during the time of the gold rush and the immense cattle ranches. It is now one of the most orderly as well as beautiful cities I have ever seen. It reminds me of Albert Lea except that it is much larger—population 30,000. Fine old trees, roses, shrubs and hedges. The agricultural section remained undeveloped until 15 years ago when a few private irrigation projects were started. This demonstrated the possibility of producing crops here, and led to the building of the Arrow Rock dam at a cost of seven million dollars. This is one of the great engineering feats of the world, and compares favorably with the Roosevelt dam of Arizona. It was completed about eight years ago, and the crop off from the Twin Falls tract alone for one year, estimated at forty million, was enough to pay 8 per cent interest on the assessed valuation of all the property of the state. Arrow Rock dam supplies water for thousands of acres of the most fertile land in the world. There are still thousands of acres of sagebrush desert that will some day be put under irrigation, (if the politicians ever get thru playing politics, stealing each others plums and milling out propaganda.) But the most desirable land is taken, of couse. Up to three years ago the best land could be bought for $150 per acre, that is, improved land; today it is worth much more, in fact, some has sold as high as $500 per acre, and still going up. There are two great advantages in living here, the climate, and water for irrigation. Electrical storms, cyclones, hail and even mild winds are unknown here in the valley, so sheltered is the section by the surrounding foothills. With irrigation one is practically assured a crop every ear. No section of the U. S. can offer a safer place for farming. The valley is not very extensive in area so naturally the land is valuable.

Many a time we have berated ourselves for not coming here two or three years earlier. However, we have bought one hundred acres of irrigated land on the interurban line which makes it very convenient to the city. There are cars passing, both ways, every hour except at noon. We are so located that any member of the family can work in town if they wish. In this way we get away from the high house rents and have a much better home. We have the everbearing strawberry and raspberry and a small orchard (prunes, cherries, nectarines, etc.), on the place.

This year we had no rain for 156 days, between April and September, but the farmers harvested an enormous crop—thanks to their irrigation system.

Idaho has great mineral wealth and many unexplored mountain regions. In fact Idaho is mostly mountain with small valleys dotted in between.

Florence is a sophomore at the University of Idaho, is a sorority girl and enjoys her life at the U very much.

Willis spent the winter at the University, agricultural course, and is now at home doing the spring work on the farm.

Machinery Experts Leave; Worked on Times Presses

Oscar and Ernest Nyval, who have been in the city for the past three months rebuilding and repairing that portion of the machinery of The Times Printing and Manufacturing company found worth while salvaging after the fire of last winter, completed the job this week. They are experts in their line and have so managed things that the printing establishment is in shape to go ahead with work at its own plant long before it would have been possible to secure new material. The machines not entirely ruined have been put into shape and are ready to run while those ordered shortly after the fire have not yet put in an appearance. The Nyvals are workmen of the highest class and most pleasant gentlemen to deal with. The Times publishers recommend them without hesitation to anyone having printing machinery to be overhauled. Oscar Nyval goes to Virginia, Minn., to erect a new press in the printing department of the public schools, while Ernest will stay in Minneapolis for the present.

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MINNESOTA BUTTER OUTPUT, 130,785,508 POUNDS, LEADS U. S.

Minnesota led all other states in butter production in 1919 with an output of 130,785,508 pounds, according to a bulletin just issued by the Bureau of Markets of the Department of Agriculture. This is an increase of 8,800,000 pounds over 1918.

—News Item.

We are interested in this news item because this bank's funds have helped to make our Farmers' Co-operative Creamery one of the most successful in the State.

The wide-awake farmer will always find this bank ready to help improve his herd.

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Still Seeking Way to Stop City Paving

Alleged That Plans For Injunction Are Now Under Consideration.

Objectors State Entire Cost is Not Covered by Contractor's Bid.

Express Fear Law Permitting Action by Council is Unconstitutional.

It seems that the paving matter is not yet settled. A few of those who are opposed to the project still seek ways by which the will of the majority may be defeated and, if reports are to be relied on, will seek by every means in their power to prevent the work being carried out.

A story is going the rounds to the effect that a meeting was held at one of the business houses in the city last Wednesday at which about 35 citizens were present and where plans for stopping the paving project at this time were discussed. It was decided, according to report, that legal advice as to the probability of an injunction suit winning out was to be secured and further action taken at a later meeting.

Claim Figures are Wrong.

One of the speakers present, so The Times is reliably informed, stated that the *figures* given the *public* as regards the cost of paving are wrong, maintaining that instead of its costing $400 per 25-foot lot to pave the streets the figure will be at least $600. It was also claimed that the city would have to do the excavating at its own expense and pay for all steel used.

This statement would mislead many if it were permitted to go unchallenged and The Times has secured the original bid of the Bitulethic Contracting company, the concern to whom the contract was awarded, and copied therefrom the items included in their offer. This bid reads as follows:

Bitulethic pavement, per yd	$3.98
Removing crosswalks, yd	.25
Adjusting manholes and catch basins	3.50
Straight armored curb, lineal foot	1.00
Straight plain curb, lineal foot	.90
Removing present curb, foot	.30
Straight plain curb and gutter, lineal foot	1.48
Straight plain curb and gutter armored, foot	1.65
Removing present gutter, lineal foot	.20
Removing curb and gutter	.35
Plain radius curb, lineal foot	1.21
Armored radius curb, lineal ft.	1.75
Overhaul, per cubic yard per 100 lineal feet	.02½

The Price Per Lot.

Taking these figures men well versed in work of this kind have figured out that the cost should be about $407 for each 25-foot lot abutting on the paved area. The objectors are alleged to have stated that this is too low by at least $200 but have submitted to the general public no figures to show how they arrive at this conclusion.

Court Decision Feared.

Another reason for taking the stand attributed to them is said to be that the supreme court is almost certain to declare the law under which this work is undertaken unconstitutional. Should such prove to be the case it was the opinion of the meeting that the work would have to be paid for by direct taxation and within a very short time. For some reason nothing seems to have been said about the contract having been let with the understanding that in case the court's decision is adverse the entire matter will be dropped and the contract become null and void. It is certain that no concern would undertake a job involving an outlay of some $300,000 without knowing from whence its money was coming and if the proceedings under which it had been acting were found irregular it is not very likely that the enterprise would be continued.

Might Have Been Worse.

Peter Eberhardt of this city, who has been at LaPas, Manitoba, since early spring in the employ of the Wintons, last week sent a copy of The Pas Herald to Daniel Shaw in this city. From the appearance of the paper The Pas must be a lively place as the paper is well filled with advertising and local news notes. One of the items is rather unusual and shows that even in that far-off land editors refuse to take life too seriously. The item reads as follows:

"The report of the wedding of Tom Bear and Lizzie Flint at Piqultona, published in the Herald a few weeks ago, is all wrong, writes Magistrate May, who says it was a fight instead of a wedding. We are glad it is not as bad as at first reported."

Another article reads: Mayor Stitt has gone in for raising hens. He bought six Leghorn pullets and a rooster and received seven eggs every day, five of which he is suspected of buying at the stores.

Sheriff Martinson Pleads Guilty to Liquor Charge

Oscar Martinson, who resigned last Thursday as sheriff of Hennepin county, on Friday pleaded guilty to the liquor conspiracy charge. The plea was accepted by Judge Page Morris in United States district court in Minneapolis, and on motion of Alfred Jaques, United States district attorney, sentence was deferred.

Martinson's plea came after Judge Morris had completed charging the Federal grand jury, which reconvened this morning to consider the evidence upon which the government based its charges against William M. Nash, temporarily relieved at his own request of the office of Hennepin county attorney.

The charge against Martinson was that he conspired to bring a shipment of liquor from Winnipeg to Minneapolis concealed in a car of scrap iron. The plot was discovered and the sheriff, together with a number of other Minneapolis citizens were placed under arrest.

Hotel Brumund Dining Room Closed For Improvements

The dining room of the Hotel Brumund was closed on Monday night and will remain out of commission for perhaps six weeks. Manager H. A. Brumund states that he has decided to repaint and redecorate the place throughout and that this work cannot be done very well while the place is in operation. A number of improvements will also be added to the kitchen at the same time and the entire place gone over with a view to making it strictly modern in every detail. The closing down of this department will also give Mr. and Mrs. Brumund an opportunity for a vacation, something they have not been able to enjoy for eight years.

The Brumund has always been one of the most popular eating places in the city and many will miss its genial atmosphere. The rooming division will be operated as usual but will receive an overhauling at the same time that the work is being done to the rest of the place.

The Ideal Graduation Gift

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Regular $3.50 values in all leading fashionable new shades: Peacock Blue, Maize, Turquoise, Coral, Salmon, Navy, Apricot, Taupe, Pink, White, Black, Cereise, Red, Gold, Green, etc
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AT YARD
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Regular $3.50 values, in a wonderful range of handsome new shades such as Coral, Yellow, Pink, Black, Pekin, Lemon, Navy, Salmon, White, Pale Blue, Turquoise, Black, Green, Scarlet, Taupe, Flesh, Peacock Blue, Belgian Blue, Brown, Ivory, Copenhagen Blue.

Radium Changeable Taffeta
Yard Wide
Apricot and Salmon, Purple and Blue, Light and Blue, Taupe, American Beauty, Gold and Blue, Green, Maize and Pink, Navy. Regular $3.50 value for dresses, petticoats, bloomers and skirts
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Navy Blue, Taffeta and Black Taffeta. Extra heavy quality, 36 in. VALUE $4.00 $2.95

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40 inch Printed Malisons Foulard. A $6.00 silk value. Also one Piece of Broche Ground Printed Satin Twill in brown. A beautiful Silk, at per yd. $3.50

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TWO IMPORTANT MEETINGS.

On Friday afternoon there will be a meeting of the potato growers of Pennington county held at St. Hilaire. The purpose of this gathering is to form a growers' association and make plans for planting and handling the present season's crop.

Seldom has a meeting of greater importance been called in this neighborhood. The section is fast becoming recognized as one of the foremost potato centers of the country and it is time that something besides the hit and miss policy that has heretofore prevailed were employed. We can raise the crop, have the markets and can safely anticipate a heavy demand. But in order to secure the best results a certain amount of intelligent co-operation must be called into play.

There are a number of rules to be followed if our potatoes are to receive the attention they merit at the hands of buyers. The latter know exactly what they want and cull unmercifully where anything else is offered. They require uniform grades and single varieties. They like to deal in a section that has managed to get a reputation for raising dependable potatoes in quantities that makes it worth their while to send agents into the field for the purpose of taking the entire output. A potato district where one man grows Burbanks, another Early Ohios and still others Carmens or some nondescript variety does not command much respect from those who deal heavily in the staple. What they want is a clean crop of one kind. A potato association will help to bring about this condition.

On Saturday there will be a meeting held at the office of the county agent at which wool will be the subject discussed. Pretty much the same plan will be followed as with potatoes if the sheep owners present are alive to their best interests. The idea is to arrange for a central point in the county where storage houses will be maintained and at which all wool may be graded and stored until such time as it can be disposed of to the best advantage. An expert will be put in charge of this work and every fleece will be offered strictly on its merits. This will insure a quantity sufficient to make it worth while for buyers to come long distances for the purpose of bidding on the entire lot. Each grower would be paid according to the grade and amount he had in the pool.

Every man in the county who is interested in these products should attend the meetings. He is sure to learn something to his advantage by so doing.

BRINGING THE OCEAN NEARER.

Probably everyone knows that the world's wheat price is fixed at Liverpool. That city is the center of all export trade in this staple and every transaction pertaining in any manner to it is based on the Liverpool market. For this reason transportation charges from the place of production to the docks in the English city play an important part in the amount the American farmer receives for his grain.

For the northwestern farmer the rail charge proves the heaviest burden connected with the marketing of his crop. It costs more to get the wheat transported from his primary market to the seaboard at New York than for the entire ocean trip. For this reason he is interested in the movement now on foot to bring the ocean nearer to him.

The Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater association is an organization formed for the purpose of explaining the value of having direct waterway connection between the head of Lake Superior and European ports. The undertaking presents no insurmountable difficulties and the cost would be trifling when compared with that of the Panama canal, while to the people residing in the Mississippi valley it would be of even greater importance.

A hearing at which representatives of the United States and Canadian governments were present, was held on Tuesday at Grand Forks. Thief River Falls sent a delegation over to the Dakota city for the purpose of adding its voice to the demand that has now become general throughout this section and which requests congress to at once take the preliminary steps to set the undertaking on foot. Opposition to the plan is encountered in New York, Philadelphia and other points at which the transfer from rail to vessel is now made as it would mean the loss of a tremendous amount of business for these ports. It would in corresponding degree build up the interior of the country, however, and bring down the cost of transportation, which in turn would raise the price the farmer receives for his crop and lower the cost to the ultimate consumer.

A WORTHY UNDERTAKING

The showing thus far made by Pennington county in the campaign to raise funds for the Red River Valley Livestock association pavilion at Crookston is not particularly creditable. According to the report submitted our people have only come across with $180 out of a quota of $750. The fact that this is a better record than has been made by some of the other counties does not help our case in the least.

This is an important matter and is worth more attention than it is receiving. The amount asked is small and we do not believe that there will be any trouble in securing it when the matter is presented in the right light.

Polk county has already raised $18,995 and has promised to secure $9,000 more in the drive that is being carried on this week. Marshall county has subscribed $2,380 and Red Lake $1,235. Neither of the two last-named counties are in any way more interested in the success of the project than is Pennington. In fact, being admittedly one of the leading livestock counties of this section Pennington should have a greater concern over the outcome than most of its neighbors.

The drive is on this week and the committee will no doubt see to it that every person who is in any way interested will be given a chance to contribute. The fact that the building is located at Crookston makes no difference. The project concerns the district and is intended to advance the livestock industry of the entire section. Pennington county is bound to receive its full share of benefit and its people should gladly contribute the small sum asked as their share.

YOUR LIBERTY BONDS

The United States Government borrowed money from you to finance the War. You hold the Government's promise to pay you back. This promise is called a Liberty Bond or Victory Note. On this Bond is stated the conditions under which the Government borrowed the money from you.

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Now, if you keep your Bond until the date when the Government pays you in full for it, you do not need to worry if, in the meantime, the price is low one day or high the next. You and Uncle Sam are living up to your agreement with each other, and neither will lose by it.

On the other hand, if you sell your Liberty Bond now, you will find that the man you sell it to will not give you a dollar for every dollar you paid for it. The price has been brought down because so many people are offering to sell their Bonds. If the market is flooded with tomatoes, you can buy them cheap, but if everyone is clamoring for tomatoes and there are few to be had, the price goes up. The same is true of Liberty Bonds. Short-sighted people are dumping them on the market, and wise ones are buying them.

The best advice that can be given to the owner of a Liberty Bond is this: Hold the bond you bought during the war; it is as safe and sound as the United States Government itself.

Buy as many more at the present low rate as you can afford. If you hold them to maturity, you are bound to make the difference between what they sell at now and their face value. You will also receive good interest on your investment.

Hold on to your Liberty Bonds and buy more.

On Cemetery Board.

Mayor Bratrud has appointed Carl B. Larson as a member of the cemetery board for a period of five years, the council approving the appointment at the meeting on Tuesday evening.

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$3.50 summer weight Flannel Shirts $2.85

Underwear

Light weight Union Suits, short or long sleeves. Special for Saturday 95c
Chalmers best grade Union Suits, all sizes. Regular $2.50 values. Saturday only $1.95
Men's Balbriggan Union Suits, Special $1.35
Best grade boys' Balbriggan Union Suits, Saturday 95c
Boys' Ecru shade Union Suits, short sleeves, knee length 65c

Children's Pajamas, Kaynee make. Special for Saturday $1.35

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Men's wool Suits, hard finish. Material that will hold its shape, in Grays, Browns; also heavy weight Blue Serge. Every Suit guaranteed a big value or money back. Values to $55.00. Special for Saturday $38.45
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Corduroy Suits. Sizes 3 to 8. Special $4.40

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City News

Is your wife Temperamental? Constance was. m20

Scott Laird was a business caller in Holt on Wednesday.

Steve Warring spent Monday in this city on business.

Dr. H. B. Newell spent the first of the week in St. Paul on business.

Miss Irene Lanager of Plummer shopped in this city last Friday.

Miss Tilda Liden of Steiner visited with friends in this city on Friday.

Mrs. E. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire attended to shopping in this city on Friday.

If you want to see Mary's ankle go to the Princess next Sunday or Monday. m20

Mrs. P. J. Rustad of Plummer shopped and visited in this city on Monday.

Ed. Anderson of Warroad spent last Thursday in this city on matters of business.

Miss Effie Christianson visited with friends at Holt between trains last Thursday.

Mrs. A. F. Lanska of Steiner arrived on Friday afternoon and attended to shopping.

Miss Lillian Severson of Clearbrook arrived here on Friday evening to be employed.

James Rowe of Roseau arrived on Thursday afternoon and attended to business matters.

Miss Myrtle Rosland, normal student, passed the week-end at her home in Newfolden.

Miss Eva Rayppy, who is employed here passed Sunday visiting at her home in Middle River.

Miss Agnes Johnson of Strandquist was in this city on Saturday attending to business matters.

Attorney Theo. Quale left on Monday evening for St. Paul where he attended to business matters.

Thos. MacKenzie of St. Paul spent the first of the week in this city attending to business matters.

Miss Alvina Jonas left on Saturday for Duluth where she will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Elmer Smith motored down from Lancaster on Wednesday evening and visited with his many friends.

Mrs. John Collins and children left on Sunday evening for St. Paul for a two weeks visit with relatives.

Miss Marie Stensrud left Friday afternoon for Fargo, where she will remain for an indefinite period.

E. J. Fehr, new deputy city engineer under the Bradley Engineering company, arrived here on Monday.

A. S. Sapero spent a few days the latter part of last week attending to business affairs in the twin cities.

Misses Julia and Freda Bredesen of Plummer arrived on Monday evening for a few days' visit with friends.

Miss Effie Hamry returned last Friday from St. Paul where she had attended the Eastern Star convention.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left on Sunday evening for Hibbing where he will remain for a period of a week.

Mrs. M. W. Brink returned Saturday morning from St. Hilaire where she spent a few days with relatives.

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A. J. Linde of the Department of State Engineers, was in the city the first of the week on official business.

Mrs. Clarence Erickson spent Saturday in Warren attending the funeral services of her cousin, Carl Holm.

Miss Myrtle Krohn, who is a student in the local high school, visited over Sunday at her home in Viking.

Miss Hannah Swenson who had been visiting in Erie left on Thursday afternoon for her home in St. Hilaire.

Mrs. B. Fox returned to her home at Glyndon on Friday after a brief visit at the A. P. Fox home in this city.

Miss Dorothy Loen, who is engaged in teaching school in Gonvick, spent the week-end visiting with friends here.

Miss Rose Gunstad, who is a student in the local high school, spent Sunday visiting at her home in St. Hilaire.

Mrs. Ruth Chamberlain Miller and a party of women from Crookston, motored to this city on Monday to avail themselves of the bargains at the silk sale which was on at Loken's the first of the week.

Mrs. M. B. Hanson of Erskine arrived here on Friday and spent a few days as the guest of Mrs. Oscar Anderson.

Stanton Dahlen motored over to Grand Forks on Saturday to attend the May fete. He returned to this city on Sunday.

Mrs. A. Sheror of Davenport, N. D., arrived here on Friday morning and is the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Carlson.

Mrs. D. Danielson of Middle River visited with friends here on Friday enroute to Lambert, Miss., where she will be employed.

Miss Rhoda Finberg, who is employed in Red Lake Falls visited between trains with her parents in this city last Friday.

Pete Myhrum motored to Mavie on Tuesday evening on business in connection with the Hanson & Barzen Milling company.

E. Aukre of Goodridge spent Friday in this city on business, and also visited his son Herman who attends the local high school.

Miss Hattie Rathjen has returned to her home in Luverne after a month's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. H. Ross.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson and Mrs. Arthur Johnson visited over Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Furr in Holt.

Misses Hilda and Anna Ahlberg, who are employed in this city spent last Thursday visiting at the home of their parents in Hazel.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer spent Sunday visiting with her parents in Grand Forks, returning to this city on Monday morning.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and two children visited a few days the latter part of last week at the home of the former's parents in Fisher.

A. S. Sapero returned on Monday evening from Chisholm where he visited with his parents and also attended to business matters.

Mrs. A. Forseth and children, Mrs. J. W. Pehlen and Miss Clara Kolstoe, all of Plummer, shopped between trains here on Saturday.

Mrs. C. K. Kimball of Clearlake, Ia., returned to her home on Friday after a brief visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stewart Aga.

After a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Alexandria, Mrs. Ed. Forsberg returned to her home in this city on Monday evening.

Mrs. E. S. Mecham returned to her home in Moorhead on Friday after a brief visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Johnson in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Farr and son arrived on Saturday morning from Crookston for a brief stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Farr.

Evert Rhoemhild returned to this city Monday evening from Waterville where he had visited for the past two months with friends and relatives.

Milton Gillette and Herbert Haroldson left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston where they visited over Sunday at the home of the latter.

A. E. Mattson, superintendent of schools at Roseau, visited over Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hoard in this city.

Misses Hannah Gustafson, Edith Skogland, Mrs. Chas. Gustafson, Mrs. Alfred Olson and Mrs. O. J. Lundell motored to Roseau and back on Friday.

D. K. Bryant of McIntosh is in the city this week assisting in the Newell drug store during the absence of Dr. Newell, who is in the cities on business.

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G. S. Streeter, accompanied by Gordon LaBree, left on Monday evening for Minneapolis on business. On their return trip they will drive back Buick cars.

Miss Irma Smith left on Thursday morning for Bemidji where she will remain at the home of her brother, S. P. Smith, for a period of three weeks.

H. C. Rowberg, former law partner of E. M. Stanton in this city, came up from St. Paul yesterday for a visit with the family of his uncle, City Clerk A. H. Akre. Mr. Rowberg is now title examiner for one of the large St. Paul banks.

Mrs. Pete Tofte returned to her home in Bergland, Ont., the latter part of last week after visiting at the homes of Mrs. Ole Eggerud and Mrs. O. Brude.

E. M. Bennes and family, accompanied by Mrs. H. Halrath and Orrin Ostby, motored to Grand Forks Sunday where they spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss Marie Klink of Minneapolis visited with friends between trains on Wednesday enroute to Holt where she will be the guest of a sister for a short period.

Mrs. J. A. Piprew returned to her home in Lakota, N. D., on Saturday afternoon having spent a few days here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. M. Gillette.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Storholm and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick and families motored to Grand Forks on Sunday and spent the day visiting with relatives.

Mrs. K. K. Austin of Highlanding left this city on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Laurent, for a brief period.

Mr. and Mrs. William Huff and son, Richard, returned to their home in Malcolm Saturday, having spent a brief period visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Kline.

Is your wife Temperamental? Constance was. m20

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse visited on Friday and Saturday with the latter's parents in McIntosh. While there they attended the wedding of Mrs. Nesse's sister, Miss Andora Dale.

Miss Louise Furstnau, who recently finished a term of school near Clearbrook, arrived here on Friday evening and will remain at the home of her parents during the summer months.

Harold Myre, who for the past few months has been employed as cashier at the Great Northern depot, resigned his position and left on Friday for Noyes where he will be employed as car checker.

Miss Edith Lindquist, who had spent two weeks visiting with friends and relatives here, returned on Monday evening to Minneapolis where she is taking a course in nursing at the Swedish hospital.

Mrs. Verner Nelson arrived Wednesday evening from Bemidji where she had been visiting with friends leaving the following morning for St. Hilaire to visit her parents before returning to her home in Grygla.

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Mrs. Chas. Moore and daughter, Elaine, returned on Wednesday morning to their home in Rainy River, Ont., after a two weeks' visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. James Patton.

Mrs. Margaret Wendt of Warren who has spent the past month and a half visiting with her friends in this city, left on Wednesday morning for Steiner where she will be a guest at the John Meyer home.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen returned to Grand Forks Sunday evening after a brief visit at home here. Mr. and Mrs. Dahlen and son, Stanton, motored to the above named city on Saturday and on their return were accompanied by Miss Eleanor.

Miss Lillian Syvertson, of Clearbrook arrived here on Monday evening and is now employed as stenographer and bookkeeper for the Northwestern Telephone company. Miss Syvertson is a niece of Mrs. Elmer Ohm of this city.

Mrs. Delia Poland arrived Wednesday morning from her home in Chapman, Kansas for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Anderson, who is a guest at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson.

Mrs. Elmer Swenson arrived on Wednesday morning from Grand Forks. She was accompanied by her little niece, Jean Mellby, who has been with her since the Christmas holidays. While in the city they will be guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

Mrs. H. Arndt and daughter, Miss Stella, left on Friday afternoon for Portland, Ode., where they will remain. They were preceded by Mr. Arndt and daughter, Sadie, who have established their home. Up to the time of their departure the Arndt family resided on a farm in the vicinity of Holt.

Dave Gustafson, accompanied by W. Mattson of Greenbush and A. E. Abel of Roosevelt, left on Sunday evening for Jackson, Mich. The two latter are connected with the C. Gustafson and Son implement company as Briscoe automobile agents. A number of dealers from North Dakota and Minnesota are making this trip to the Briscoe factory and all will drive back Briscoe cars.

Found: Cover for automobile top. Owner may have same by calling at The Times office and paying for this ad.—m20

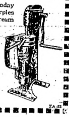

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The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—the National Remedy of Holland since 1696. Guaranteed. Three sizes, all druggists. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation

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C. G. Mugg, the Grand Forks Specialist, will be at Evelyn Hotel, Thief River Falls, May 23; Goodridge May 24.

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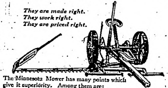

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Factory prices for clothing and shoes are still at as high a point as at any time. There is no indication that they will come down for a long time. A real saving will be made when buying clothing or shoes at these prices.

It has been the established policy of this store to always sell dependable merchandise at reasonable prices. During the whole season our prices have been less than elsewhere, quality considered. All season we have been offering remarkably good grade Suits at

$40.00 $45.00 $50.00 $55.00 $60.00 $65.00 70.00 $75.00

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EVERY GARMENT in our Boys' Suit Dept. included.

ALL BOYS' SUITS AT 20 PER CENT OFF

$ 5.00 Boys' Suits	$ 4.00
$ 6.00 Boys' Suits	$ 4.80
$ 7.00 Boys' Suits	$ 5.80
$ 7.50 Boys' Suits	$ 6.00
$ 8.00 Boys' Suits	$ 6.40
$10.00 Boys' Suits	$ 8.00
$12.00 Boys' Suits	$ 9.60
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All of our high grade caps, consisting of the very finest caps made; worth up to $6 each. All caps

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$35.00 Suits are	$28.00	$60.00 Suits are	$48.00
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$45.00 Suits are	$36.00	$70.00 Suits are	$56.00
$50.00 Suits are	$40.00	$75.00 Suits are	$60.00
$55.00 Suits are	$44.00	$80.00 Suits are	$64.00

10 Per cent reductions is also offered on Trousers and Raincoats. There is also a limited number of less expensive suits and coats at as low prices as $25, also subject to 20 per cent discount.

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$ 5.00 Dress Shoes	$ 4.00
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$ 9.00 Dress Shoes	$ 7.20
$10.00 Dress Shoes	$ 8.00
$11.00 Dress Shoes	$ 8.80
$12.00 Dress Shoes	$ 9.60
$13.50 Dress Shoes	$10.80
$14.00 Dress Shoes	$11.20
$15.00 Dress Shoes	$14.40
$15.00 Dress Shoes	$12.00
$18.00 Dress Shoes	$14.40

10 Per Cent Tax on the Amount Over $10 on All Shoes.

BOYS' SHOES
10 Per Cent Off on All Boys' Shoes

Tennis Shoes at Reduced Prices

Churches

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m., subject: "Soul and Body." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening, meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Trinity Lutheran Church—Services next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. Sermon by Rev. I. T. Aastad. An offering for the aid of missions will be taken up at this time. No evening services. Sunday school at the usual hour.

Presbyterian Church—R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 23: The morning service will be held in the city auditorium at 11 o'clock when the pastor will preach the Baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of the high school. Subject: "Vision." The evening service will be held in the church at 8 o'clock. The pastor will use a series of stereopticon views to illus- invited. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. trate his evening remarks. Everyone Note the earlier hour. Juniors 3 p. m. The Woman's Missionery society will meet with Mrs. Barackman, 618 Main Ave. N., Friday May 21st at 3 p. m. All the women of the church circle are invited to attend.

Methodist Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—The 11 o'clock service in the M. E. church on Sunday next, May 23, will be withdrawn to afford the congregation an opportunity to attend the service at the auditorium. Sunday school at 10 a. m. E. L. at 7 p. m., and evening service at 8 p. m. as usual.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services, Pentecost Sunday at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. The meeting at 3 o'clock will be in the English language.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 23rd: Sunday school at 10 a. m. No morning service. Evening service at 8 p. m. Services at Black River at 11 a. m., and St. Hilaire at 3 p. m. Communion, immediately after the afternoon service. Young Peoples meeting Tuesdays at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting at the church Thursday, at 8 p. m.

The First Swed. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 10:30 a. m. The Luther League will be entertained by the Kellberg family at their home in the country, Friday evening, May 21.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Pentecost service, city, 11 a. m.; Rosewood, 1:30 p. m.; Norden, 3:30 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid entertained by Mrs. Oftelie Thursday afternoon. Zion Young Peoples society entertained by Misses Olive and Grace Skramstad on Thursday evening, the 19th.

Red Lake County Voters Turn Down Memorial Bonds

The voters of Red Lake county last Tuesday turned down the proposition to issue $50,000 in bonds for the purpose of erecting a soldier memorial. The rejection was most decisive, being over three to one. The vote in the affirmative was 300 as compared with 951 against. The city of Red Lake Falls voted favorably on the proposition, although in the first ward the majority was only three votes. Every precinct in the county went strongly against the issue, not a single vote being cast for it in Emardville, Oklee, Garnes, Equality, Brown's Creek and River townships. Poplar River township, the most populous in the county voted no 110 to 1.

Mrs. R. J. Halvorsen.

Mrs. R. J. Halvorsen, 23 years of age, died at the Physicians hospital early last Sunday morning of septicemia after a short illness, under circumstances particularly sad.

Mrs. Halvorsen gave birth to a baby girl about three weeks ago and both seemed to be getting along splendidly when the septicemia set in and the young mother was unable to withstand its ravages although making a brave fight and being at times seemingly in a fair way to throw off the poison.

Deceased, who was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Parenteau, was born at St. Vincent August 12, 1897, and came to this city with her parents when a baby. She attended the public schools here and up to the time of her marriage was employed at the plant of the Times Printing and Manufacturing company. Besides the husband and infant daughter she is survived by her parents, three brothers and three sisters. The funeral was held from St. Bernard's church on Tuesday morning, Rev. M. J. Noesen officiating. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The young woman had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances who are deeply grieved at her death. Their heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and after the death of our wife and daughter. Especially do we thank the members of Northern Light lodge, Brotherhood of Railroad Car Repairers, and those of the Thief River Falls Times force for the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral.—R. J. Halvorsen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parenteau.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, do hereby wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for all help and assistance rendered us by neighbors and friends, under the death of our beloved father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Torkel Anfinson. (Signed.) Anfin Torkelson, Ole T. Anfinson, Mrs. J. E. Johnson, Mrs. Ellen Hendrickson.

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Corn Pain Stopped Quick

"Gets-It" Loosens Them So They Lift Off in A Jiffy.

The corn pains cease as soon as a few drops of "Gets-It" reach the corn. It goes out of the hurting business forever.

This Space Vacant
Corn Gone
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For a day or so the corn remains, getting looser and looser and without a twinge from it. Then, it gets so loose that you just lift it right off, without even feeling it, and cast it away. That's how easily and simply "Gets-It" disposes of the corn nuisance.

"Gets-It," the unfailing, guaranteed, moneyback corn remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. Mf'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by J. P. Curtis, Lambert's Drug Store and Andrew Bottelson.

GOES 40 MILES TO GET MORE TANLAC

Would Go Farther if Necessary—Gains 30 Lbs. and Feels 20 Yrs. Younger.

"Yes, sir, I have come forty miles today just specially to get Tanlac, and if it was necessary I would go even farther than that," was the remarkable statement made by Carl Sweno, who lives on route No. 4, White Water, Wis., when he called at the Central Drug Co., in Milwaukee, a few days ago.

"I was so bad off before I commenced taking Tanlac," continued Mr. Sweno, "that I lost fifteen pounds in two weeks' time and was almost a complete nervous and physical wreck, but now my troubles have all left me. I have gained thirty pounds in weight and am feeling fine as a fiddle. It was a year ago that my stomach went back on me and since that time I suffered all the agony that goes with indigestion; rheumatism, nervousness, backache and sleeplessness. My appetite was next to nothing, and when I did force down a little something I had a burning like a fire in my chest and stomach. I was so choked up I had to fight for air and I had severe cramps and pains in my stomach. I had rheumatism through my whole body, all my joints would get stiff, especially from my legs down, and the pains were so awful in my shoulders I could not raise my arm above my head. The muscles in my legs cramped up into knots and I had to sleep on my back, for if I lay on one side my leg would go to sleep. I had awful pains across my back and if I stooped over it was agony to try to straighten up again. Some nights I did not sleep a wink, but would roll and toss and finally get out of bed and walk the floor. Every morning I had a bad taste in my mouth and my tongue was coated all the time. I had such severe headache spells I thought my head would split open, and I would get so dizzy I could hardly stand up. I was so nervous I shook like a leaf, and I lost weight until I was as weak as a rag.

"That was the awful condition I was in when I commenced taking Tanlac, but now it seems like a dream that all my troubles have completely disappeared and I am enjoying perfect health. Eat? Why I eat like a hungry wolf and I am never troubled afterwards with indigestion in any form. All traces of the rheumatism have left me. The pains in my back have gone and I am as active as I ever was before. I don't know what it is to ever have a headache or dizzy spell. My nerves are as steady as a clock and at night I sleep like a log. As I said before I have gained thirty pounds in weight and can do as hard a day's work as any man. I feel twenty years younger and I will praise Tanlac the longest day I live."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

Carnival and Dance.

There will be a carnival and dance given at the school house in district No. 4 on the evening of Friday, June 4, beginning at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation extended to all.

AFTER FIVE YEARS

Thief River Falls Testimony Remains Unshaken.

Time is the best test of truth. Here is a Thief River Falls story that has stood the test of time. It is a story with a point which will come straight home to many of us.

E. T. Emerson, retired farmer, 417 LaBree Ave. N., Thief River Falls, says: "I was greatly annoyed with a lame, aching back and pains across my loins kept me in misery. My kidneys were weak and didn't act as they should. I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Curtis' Drug Store and two boxes gave me splendid relief. I recommend this fine remedy highly."

OVER FIVE YEARS LATER Mr. Emerson added: "The cure Doan's Kidney Pills made for me some years ago is permanent. I am glad to again recommend them."

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AUCTION SALE

In order to close up the Lizzie Rude Estate, I will sell the following property at Public Auction, in Section 33, Township of Agder, 3½ miles North and ½ mile East of Silverton Station, on

Tuesday, May 25, 1920

Commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp.

- 1 Chevrolet Auto.
- 1 Disc
- 1 14-in. Breaking plow
- 1 16-in. walking plow
- 1 Feed mill
- 1 Fanning mill with elevator
- 1 No. 12 DeLaval cream separator
- 74 Bushels of barley
- 1 Safe
- 1 Organ
- 2 Comodes
- 1 Extension table
- 1 Bed cot
- 3 Beds
- 1 Writing desk
- 1 Wash stand
- 8 Dinning room chairs
- 1 Leather rocking chair
- 2 Photograph machines
- 1 Sewing machine
- 1 Cupboard
- 1 Kitchen table
- 1 3-burner oil stove with heating closet and oven
- 1 Cook stove
- 1 Heating stove
- 1 Spinning wheel
- Some Fruit and preserves
- Dishes, kitchen utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1st, 1920.

WILLIAM RUDE
Administrator

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

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RICE
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FISH
POTATOES

BREAD FACTS

EVERYBODY should eat plenty of good white bread. It is wholesome, nutritious and very easy to digest.

It is easy to bake bread along with your other cooking. Made in your own clean kitchen, from your own selected materials, you can be sure of its purity, wholesomeness and fine flavor.

Bread is the cheapest food in the world because it supplies the most nutriment for the least money.

Ten cents' worth of flour contains more nourishment than ten cents' worth of any other food you can buy.

The amount of heat and muscular power furnished the body is measured in calories or fuel units. The table below (prepared from U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Bulletin No. 142) shows the amount of energy (in calories) that ten cents will buy in flour and five other staple foods:

		Calories
Wheat flour	@ 3¢ lb.	5140
" "	@ 4¢ lb.	4080
Rice	@ 8¢ lb.	2025
Potatoes	@ 60¢ bu.	1070
Cheese	@ 25¢ lb.	752
Salt Codfish	@ 7¢ lb.	465
Beef; sirloin	@ 25¢ lb.	410

All these foods are wholesome and desirable but, as the figures show, wheat flour gives far more for the money. Cut down the food bill by eating more bread and biscuits and less of the more expensive foods.

HANSON-BARZEN MILLING COMPANY

THE recent advance in the price of automobiles is only a beginning. We are assured that by the first of July new cars will be practically off the market, which means greatly advanced costs for those who are able to get them at any price.

Secure yours today. Look over our display of the new Maxwells—the finest and best car in its class offered to the public this spring. We have them on hand and can make deliveries without delay—A fact that should be worth considerable to the purchaser.

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MANUFACTURERS OF PURE LINSEED OIL &
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It costs too much nowadays to experiment with paint. You can't afford to take a chance. Don't use cheap paints.

Remember—about 75% of the cost of a painting job is paid for the work in applying the paint. And it costs just as much to apply poor paint as it does good paint.

The use of poor paints may cost you years of dissatisfaction as they do not leave a surface that is fit to repaint.

The use of good paint pays, not only in wearing qualities, but will leave a surface fit to repaint.

Use good paints. Use—

Minnesota Paints

They're just as good as the best materials and 50 years' paint-making experience can produce.

"There's a special Minnesota Paint for every paintable surface—inside or out."

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MINNESOTA PAINTS
Two Best
SINCE 1870
MINNESOTA LINSEED OIL
Trade Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

Graduation Gifts

Graduation is a momentous occasion for any boy or girl. It is an event to be looked back to in after years and everything connected with it will at that time stand out more clearly than at the present. For this reason any memento or remembrance presented to the student should have something of individuality—something to indicate that it was secured especially for the recipient and to commemorate a particular occurrence.

Nothing is so appropriate for this use as jewelry. Clothing wears out, flowers wilt and social functions mean but little. With an appropriate gift of jewelry it is different. Such article is treasured and becomes a constant reminder not only of the occasion but also of the well-wishes of the donor.

We have exactly the right article for either boy or girl. The cost need not be great and whatever the price you are assured of getting something worth while. Anything selected from this large stock is sure to please.

OLAF NESET
JEWELER AND OPTOMETRIST

Money Wasted

Up to the present time it may have been cheaper for a man to rent a home than build one in Thief River Falls, but this condition is due to change suddenly. There is every indication that with the increased demand rents will go to a figure not deemed possible at this time. When this occurs the renter will look back at the money he has wasted by paying for someone else's property for years. He will probably figure out that had he built his own home he would have paid for it with the sum he has handed to his landlord. He would be secure, no matter how high rents went and would be in no danger of being inconvenienced by changes in conditions.

The home-owner is everywhere considered the desirable and dependable citizen. Banks and business houses are looking for opportunities to favor him. He's a fixture and an asset to a community. The renter on the other hand, is regarded as less stable and consequently does not command the same regard.

If you are in the renter class, get out of it now. We will gladly help you.

WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

Butterfat Prices

Monthly prices for March

Sweet Cream
75c

Common Cream
73c

CASH PRICE NOW
60c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

7 Good Men Seek Place at Top of Ballot

Party in State Well Supplied With Men Who Would Be Governor.

Democrats Also Have Seven Willing to Serve People in That Capacity.

Four Adherents of Last-Named Party File For Congress In the Ninth.

When the voters enter the primary booths on June 8 for the purpose of selecting the candidates for state offices, they will be confronted with an array that gives them a wide choice. The time for filing closed last Thursday and there were a number of last-minute developments, some of which were never before suspected.

The Republicans have nine candidates for governor, two others having withdrawn their names after the elimination convention in Minneapolis last week. Those still in the field are: Thomas Frankson, St. Paul; Thomas Keefe, St. Paul; Julius A. Schmahl, Redwood Falls; Samuel G. Iverson, St. Paul; J. A. O. Preus, Minneapolis; Henrik Shipstead, Glenwood, and Franklin F. Ellsworth, Mankato.

The Democrats are almost as well supplied, there being seven seeking the nomination for governor on that ticket. They are: Robert Harpadine, St. Paul; Edward Indrehus, Foley; Julius Thorson, Benson; Charles M. Andrist, Minneapolis; L. C. Hodgson, St. Paul; Oliver J. Quane, St. Peter, and Alfred Jaques, Duluth. Cyrus M. King of Deer River filed as a last-minute candidate on the Farmer-Labor ticket.

For Other State Offices.

Lieutenant Governor—Republican: Oscar Arneson, St. Paul; D. F. Robbins, Minneapolis; Louis L. Collins, Minneapolis, and George H. Mallon, Minneapolis. Democrat: James P. McDonnell, Waverly.

Attorney General — Republican: Clifford L. Hilton, Fergus Falls; T. V. Sullivan, St. Paul; John C. Larson, Minneapolis; Stella S. Smith, Worthington, and Elmer C. Patterson, Minneapolis. Democrat: R. A. McOuat, Grand Rapids. Farmer-Labor: Cornelius A. Lane, St. Paul.

For Secretary of State—Republican: A. M. Opsahl, Brainerd; Edward L. Rogers, Walker; Sam Y. Gordon, Browns Valley; Mike Holm, Roseau, and Thomas Vollom, Erskine. Democrats: B. M. Loeffler, Albert Lea, and Frank C. Barmaster, Minneapolis. Farmer-Labor: Roy C. Smelker, St. Paul.

For State Treasurer—Republican: Henry Rines, Mora, and Charles A. Lund, Vining; Democrat: H. F. Luciers, Norwood, Farmer-Labor: John P. Wagner, St. Cloud.

For Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—Republican: O. P. B. Jacobson, Fergus Falls, and Paul I. D. Osthy, Emmons. Democrat: Ralph W. Robison, Staples. Farmer-Labor: E. C. MacKenzie, St. Paul.

For Associate Justice of Supreme Court—Without party designation: Albert Johnson, Red Wing; William H. Vanderburgh, Minneapolis; George L. Siegel, St. Paul, and Homer B. Dibell, Duluth.

Many For Congress.

Four Democrats seek the congressional nomination in the Ninth district, while one Republican will try and wrest the place from Halvor Steenerson at the primaries. The latter is N. E. Thormodson of Dalton. The Democratic aspirants are: Frank Jeffers, Red Lake Falls; Wm. A. McGlennon, Bagley; Axel Ringbore, Bagley, and Charles H. Nelson, Lake Park.

Jenson For Legislature.

One candidate was added to those seeking the nomination for the legislature in the Sixty-fifth district before the time for filing closed. L. Jenson, Clearbrook, stockraiser and banker, will try for the place, the other candidates being A. J. Hemstad, Plummer; Martin O. Sortedahl, Red Lake Falls, and Walter E. Day, Bagley.

Society

Miss Halvorson Scores In Recital at Oberlin

Miss Doris M. Halvorson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Halvorson of 516 LaBree avenue north, who is studying this year in the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, appeared on the regular program of the weekly students' recital on last Wednesday evening. Her number was the Scherzo by Pachulski, and it was played in a most musicianly manner. Miss Halvorson is studying harmony, ear training, voice and piano. She graduated from Lincoln high school, receiving sufficient credit to enable her to enter the conservatory of music which now demands the same entrance requirement as the college of arts and sciences. lodge sometime late in June.

Community Club Meeting.

The Girls' Community club held its last meeting of the season on Monday evening at the commercial club rooms. The business session was taken up with the reading of the report of the convention at Warren by the president, and the election of officers for the ensuing year. Miss Marie Nelson, who so ably performed her duties as president during the past year, was unanimously re-elected. It is through her enthusiasm and untiring efforts that the club has reached its present stage of success, carrying the reputation of being one of the largest and best in the state. Miss Nelson has in every respect lived up to the responsibilities connected with her office. With the hearty co-operation of its members during the coming year, the club is certain to become the best club of its kind in the state. Miss Zella Zeh was elected vice president, while Miss Effie Hamry was re-elected secretary and Miss Esther Gjertson was chosen treasurer. At the conclusion of the business meeting the girls were taken to the Johnson home south of the city, where the remainder of the evening was devoted to wiener roasting, coffee and doughnuts completing the lunch. The committee on refreshments included Misses Rose and Barbara Votava, Marie Thill, Laura Stopple, Blanche Johnson, LaVida Hilson and Miss Smith.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The last meeting of the Woman's club held on Monday afternoon, May 17 concluded the club year. Election of officers took up the greater portion of the session. The following are the names of the newly elected officers: President, Mrs. Daniel Shaw; vice president, Mrs. E. E. Zeh; secretary, E. O. Mogensen, and treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Vance. It was decided at this meeting that in case the council failed to appropriate funds for the upkeep of the garden plot on the south side of the auditorium the club would furnish the necessary amount. A short program followed the business session. Mrs. Aug. Holmberg rendered two very pleasing violin selections and a chorus taken from the musical section offered a song entitled: "Gypsy Life," under the leadership of Mrs. G. H. Halvorson. A lunch was served at the close of the afternoon.

Parcel Shower.

The Misses Theresa Giefer and Una Nelson entertained a number of girls Saturday evening at the home of the latter in compliment to Miss Alfa Wetsrich, whose marriage to Joe Perdzock, formerly of this city, will take place the early part of June. The event was a surprise to the honor guest and was in the nature of a parcel shower. A delightful evening was spent in games and music. The presentation of the many useful and beautiful gifts was done in a very novel and entertaining manner. A delicious lunch was served to the guests at midnight.

Hoag-Montgomery.

Announcements have been received in this city of the marriage of William Hilton Hoag of Minneapolis to also of Minneapolis, on Friday, May Miss Hazel Elizabeth Montgomery, 14. Mr. Hoag is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hoag formerly of this city, and was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1916. The young couple are now honeymooning in Wisconsin and upon their return they will reside in either Superior or Duluth where Mr. Hoag is connected with the highway commission.

Pleased with Play.

Roseau Times-Region: The Thief River Falls high school senior class play, "A Strenuous Life," presented at the Princess theatre last Friday evening was greatly appreciated by the large audience and everyone voiced the same sentiment that it was above the average professional plays usually shown. Every member of the cast carried his or her part perfectly and it was a real pleasure to be in the audience.

In Honor of Mrs. Boreen.

In compliment to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Boreen, who are leaving this city the first of next month for their new home in Rhinelander, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanson entertained on Monday evening. On Wednesday afternoon the members of the local chapter of Eastern Stars entertained in the Masonic hall for Mrs. Boreen.

Shields-DeChaney.

Miss Margaret Shields, daughter of Mrs. Cady, and Raymond DeChaney were married in the M. E. church last Wednesday at 4 p. m. Miss Ora McMahon and Miss Ida Shields were bridesmaids and the ceremony was witnessed by quite a number of friends of the bride. The groom is a business man from Duluth and the young people will make their home in that city.

Picnic Dinner.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre, Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence motored to St. Hilaire on Sunday to attend a baseball game and also enjoy a picnic lunch. Although the weather proved threatening throughout the day it failed to detract from their good time.

Dinner Party.

Misses Lillian Poppits and Irene Patrick were hostesses at a delightful dinner party given at the Evelyn hotel on Sunday. Covers were laid for the following: Misses Avis Akre, Zella Zeh, Agnes Wilson, Grace Wilson, Meta Kiland, Lillian Poppits and Irene Patrick.

Fears For Safety of Son; Deserter From U. S. Army

Mrs. M. Erickson, an aged lady who has been residing with friends near here during the winter, was in the city Saturday in an attempt to get word of her son, Joe Anderson, a returned service man. The lad enlisted in the army when but 16 years of age and served in France. Upon his return to this country he reinlisted and was sent to Camp Mercedes, Texas. He was in poor health and, becoming discontented with army life, deserted. The military authorities have been unable to find any trace of him and his mother does not know his whereabouts. The boy was not mentally strong and it is feared that some accident has befallen him. He faces trial for desertion if caught but Mrs. Erickson believes that when the circumstances of his reinlistment are understood he will escape any serious sentence. She is very anxious to hear of or from him and anyone able to furnish information of any kind will be doing her a great service.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.81
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.76
Oats	.86
Flax	3.90
Barley	1.41
Rye	1.84
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	8.20
Bran	2.05
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.80
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.50
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.35
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.58
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	11-16
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.20
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	8-10
Steers, per lb.	6-8
Calves, per lb.	6-9
Cows	3-6½
Lamb, per lb.	10-12

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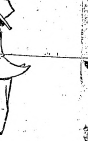

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In direct taxes	$2,340,403.00
In gross earnings taxes	1,708,164.00
Total	$4,048,567.00
In state royalties	954,679.00
Grand total	$5,003,246.00

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GERMANTOWN

Miss Tillie Ose, who is teaching school in district number 76, spent Sunday at her home at Thief River Valley.

The Charley Wayne family of Rollis, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne last Sunday.

Misses Selma Johnson and Marie Hamre were guests of Bernice Strubel last Sunday.

Miss Emma Haggy was taken to the Oakland sanatorium at Thief River Falls last Wednesday where she will receive medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. A. Haggy accompanied her.

Fred Bentin arrived here to visit at his home for a number of weeks.

Mrs. C. Strubel called at the Chester Boyce home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Maldoon and children, Willie, Angeline and Leo, were shoppers in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Strubel were callers at the Stein home Sunday of last week.

Misses Minnie Benttin and Silva Bendickson were guests of Miss Emma Haggy Sunday.

Miss Lois and Howard Strubel who are attending high school at Thief River Falls spent Saturday and Sunday at their home.

Miss Emma Ristau was an electric car passenger for Thief River Falls on Saturday to visit with her sisters, Misses Tillie and Freda who are employed there.

Burtin Nelson visited at the Haggy home last Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Roller was a caller at the Stokkie home on Wednesday.

Miss Silva and Esther Bendickson shopped in Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Henry Tharaldson of Starbuck, arrived at Mavie on Thursday with horses and machinery. He will start farming as he has purchased the land formerly owned by Carl Siverson.

The Aug. Ristau young folks were visitors at the Strubel home on Friday evening.

Salve Tharaldson autoed to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aandahl and children visited at the D. Dau home last Sunday.

Miss Silva Bendickson was a visitor at the O. P. Nelson home one day last week.

Misses Bessie and Gladys Roller called on friends one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clausen and children were guests at the Henry Roller home Saturday evening.

Guests at the Hans Dahl home Sunday were: Mrs. Albert Rohrer and daughter, Annie; Mrs. Emil Hanson, Benard, Esther and Silva Bendickson.

Mr. Mork, Mr. Groven, Selmer and Annie Rosett, and Helen Longevan called at the Bendickson home Sunday.

ESPLEE

H. Nilsson of Greenbush, the Rawleigh man, has been calling on the neighbors around Esplee this week.

Mrs. Carl T. Hanson and children; Mrs. Paul Sund and L. O. Opsata autoed to Newfolden last Friday to visit with Mrs. Hanson's parents, L. Thompson of Newfolden. They returned on Saturday.

Jacob Lee went to Grygla Saturday to look after farm interests.

Paul Sund called on O. H. Olson last Saturday.

Mathilda Olson returned from Thief River Falls last week after spending a few days visiting with friends.

Geo. Johnson of Grygla called on friends in Esplee last Saturday.

Arthur Sund visited with the Thomas Lewis family on Sunday.

Tommy Cullen, Dena Olson, Ottar Fiskevold and Lillian Erickson autoed to Esplee on Sunday.

Oscar Arndtson, Arthur and Axel Sund autoed to the dredge on Sunday to inspect some of its work. They reported that it was doing splendid work.

Mrs. Oscar H. Olson spent a few days in Thief River Falls last week, returning on Wednesday.

John Sund of Goodridge brought out a load of goods last Saturday evening for P. P. Sund.

Julius Jelle of Iowa, enroute to his home at Jelle, was in Esplee on Saturday. He reported that in Iowa was not a sign of green grass or people working in the fields.

Ruth Anderson who successfully finished a term of school at the West Esplee school, left for her home at Middle River last Wednesday.

M. K. Woldstad made a trip to Esplee on Saturday.

Tillie Trykholm, who has been spending a week visiting with friends around Esplee, left for Minneapolis last Wednesday.

Lillie Erickson and Mrs. Gerrulat transacted business in Esplee Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Svendpladsen and family of Grygla, visited at the home of L. P. Tenold over Sunday.

Mrs. Siver Siverson, Mrs. Luttrell and Miss Mathilda Olson were guests at the home of Step. Stephenson last Sunday.

Molly Gangness visited at the Allyn Turnbull home over Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. S. Stephenson transacted business in Esplee on Monday.

Oscar Arndtson, L. O. Opsata, Carl Hansen, Paul P. Sund, Ed. Martinson and Arthur Sund autoed to Thief River Falls Monday to hear the speech at the auditorium.

STEINER

Nick Baker and brother, George, spent Saturday evening in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Katie Meyers and son, Louie, attended church services in Holt last Sunday afternoon.

Henry Rogers and Harvey Copp motored to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Helmer Kellberg and sister, Esther, were in Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Oscar Swanson and sister, Sarah, attended the dance at St. Hilaire last Saturday night.

Miss Amy Whitman closed a successful term of school last Wednesday, with a picnic and program, which was well attended.

Miss Ruby Warring called at the Meyer home last Sunday.

Mrs. M. O. Saugen is on the sick list this week.

Miss Katie Reidl is confined to her bed with scarlet fever.

Hobson Rogers and Arthur Muzzy attended the dance at St. Hilaire last Saturday night and report a good time.

Ole Berg purchased a stack of tame hay from the Rogers Bros., last week.

AGDER

Mr. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls last Monday.

Willie Rude was a caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Gunder Senum autoed to Thief River Falls last Monday.

LeRoy Groven was in Thief River Falls Monday.

Wallie Rude spent last Tuesday in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Sam Groven was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Earl Senum was suddenly taken ill Monday. He was taken to the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls. The latest reports are that he is improving.

Oscar Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

The Standard Oil man was around with oil one day last week.

Mrs. Carl Overum was on the sick list last week.

R. Oen of Thief River Falls was a business caller at McCormick's last Wednesday and purchased some flax.

Mrs. Tom Tharaldson and baby are visiting with her brother, Willie Rude.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Annie Senum entertained the ladies' aid last Wednesday.

Olaf Neset and daughter called at the Isaacson home last Thursday.

Olaf Listol autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Olaf Listol, Walter Evenson, Gunder Senum and Melvin Rude were callers at the Christ Nelson home last Thursday evening.

Mrs. V. Trochman was a passenger on the electric car last Friday enroute to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and Clifford, Veral and Edith, autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

George Senum was a visitor in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Anton and Severt Forthune were in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Molstad autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. J. Klungnes was a caller in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

L. Larson visited in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Solberg and daughters, Myrtle and Bernice, autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Oscar Peterson brought his car to Thief River Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Knaddle autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Roman Olson, Annie and Laura Senum and George Senum visited with Groven's last Sunday.

LeRoy Groven visited with Nell Nelson Sunday.

Mabel and Julia Trochman visited with Ingvald Wold Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Philipp and children, Edna, Lawrence; Stella and James visited with Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson last Sunday.

Ole Ose and Elven Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Walter Evenson visited with Mr. Haugen at St. Hilaire last Sunday.

Ole Ose was a caller at the Evenson home Sunday evening.

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I have arranged to take care of the local business of Peterson-Lundgren Land Agency of Moline, Illionis. This firm sold large areas around here last year and has many more prospects anxious to buy. If you care to dispose of your land, wild or improved, write or call for information.
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Doughnuts
3 tablespoons shortening
¾ cup sugar
1 egg
¾ cup milk
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon salt
3 cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
Cream shortening; add sugar and well-beaten egg; stir in milk; add nutmeg, salt, flour and baking powder which have been sifted together and enough additional flour to make dough stiff enough to roll. Roll out on floured board to about ¼ inch thick; cut out. Fry in deep fat hot enough to brown a piece of bread in [illegible]. Drain on unglazed [illegible] and sprinkle with po[illegible] sugar.

Afternoon Tea Doughnuts
2 eggs
6 tablespoons sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon grated nutmeg
2 tablespoons shortening
6 tablespoons milk
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
Beat eggs until very light; add sugar, salt, nutmeg and melted shortening; add milk, and flour and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Drop by teaspoons into deep hot fat and fry until brown. Drain well on unglazed paper and sprinkle lightly with powdered sugar.

Crullers
4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
3 cups flour
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
¾ cup milk
Cream shortening; add sugar gradually and beaten eggs; sift together flour, cinnamon, salt and baking powder; add one-half and mix well; add milk and remainder of dry ingredients to make soft dough. Roll out on floured board to about ¼ inch thick and cut into strips about 4 inches long and ½ inch wide; roll in hands and twist each strip and bring ends together. Fry in deep hot fat. Drain and roll in powdered sugar.

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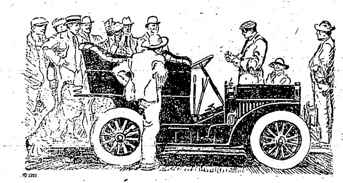

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ROSEWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellom have purchased the residence of Mrs. Carl Blom, south of town and expect at a later date to take up their residence here.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gulseth moved in from Viking this week and have taken possession of the back rooms of the present quarters of the Farmers State bank. Mr. Gulseth has purchased a building in Thief River Falls which he will move up here and rebuild into a residence this summer.

Several carloads of Rosewood people attended the Lerstad Sisters concert at Thief River Falls last Saturday evening.

John Remmem, proprietor of the Rosewood Bargain store, spent Monday at Warren attending to business.

Mrs. Axel Kron is spending a week at Black River visiting with her relatives.

The following were pleasant callers at the John Sor home during last week: Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom, Mrs. A. G. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie; Alex and Hannah Helquist, Miss Synnera Sorenson, Ingrid Nordhagen, Ella Nelson and A. Opseth.

Miss Mabel Uland of Radium arrived last Thursday evening for an over Sunday visit with her friend, Miss Annie Blom.

Alex Helquist spent Sunday visiting with friends at St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Helquist and family of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests at the John Helquist home north of town.

Mr. Jacobson, a Nonpartisan man, was in town last Thursday to sell stock in the Minnesota Daily Star, a Minneapolis publication.

Steiner Johnson left last Tuesday for North Dakota where he will spend a few weeks visiting with relatives.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen left last Thursday for Slayton where she will visit for a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Martin Furan. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Sivert Benson of Thief River Falls.

There will be a meeting of the Rindahl Young Peoples society at that church on Wednesday evening, May 19. A good program will be furnished and lunch will be served. Everybody is invited.

Herbert Carlson and Miss Gena Aas motored to Warren on Sunday afternoon.

The A. Stroble family of Angus, and the G. Anderson family of Warren were at this place last Sunday to celebrate P. Sorenson's birthday.

Iver Westby is spending this week at Goodridge visiting with his son, Martin.

Peter Stromberg returned home from Minneapolis last Friday.

Herbert Carlson and the Alby Bros. have purchased new Chevrolet cars this week. A. S. Holm purchased a new Overland 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Severn Brandon and Mrs. Lund of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests at the Swen Swenson home.

A. S. Holm left last Saturday for Twin Valley where he will visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Holm over Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Holm left last Thursday for Browns Valley after receiving a message stating that her grandfather at that place was ill and desired to see her.

A. A. Thoreson and son, Lincoln, of Thief River Falls, were in town last Saturday on a brief business visit.

Howard Carlson spent a few days of last week visiting with his brother, Helmer Carlson at Devils Lake, N. D.

L. L. Furan is building a new combination garage and laundry on his city property.

Henry Whitehead of Mora, was in town a few days this week to erect a monument over the grave of his wife at Rindal cemetery, and also to visit with relatives at this place.

Services at the Congregational church in town next Sunday, May 23, in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m., and 8 p. m. The Swedish Young Peoples society holds their meeting at the same place on Saturday evening, May 22. Rev. Drotts of Viking, will have charge.

The Alby brothers are repairing the exterior of the Rindal church this week.

A six weeks' term of parochial school in the Norwegian language will commence on Monday morning, May 17 at the Rosebank school building. Mrs. Inga Berg of Thief River Falls will teach.

Swen Swenson, who has spent the last week at Thief River Falls looking after his residence, returned home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kraus and family of Thief River Falls were Sunday callers at the A. C. Vorseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stromberg and family of Dakota Junction, spent Sunday visiting at the S. Rafteseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and son, Alton, of Newfolden, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg and family were pleasant Sunday guests at J. Sors'.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Anderson of Thief River Falls arrived on Monday morning to spend the day at the A. C. Vorseth home in honor of the latter's fifteenth wedding anniversary.

The J. Backlund family of Thief River Falls Sundayed at the Ingrid Nordhagen home in town.

Nels Holm of Twin Valley is visiting for a few days this week at the home of his son, A. S. Holm, in town.

Herbert Carlson and Olof Lappegaard left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where they will spend Sunday with their lady friends.

S. S. Nordgaard and son, Alton, were in town from Viking last Friday on a brief business and visiting call.

City Council

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., May 11th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Members absent: Brandon.

Minutes of the meeting of April 27th and adjourned regular meeting of May 4th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the monthly reports of City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, Chief of Police, Librarian and Manager of the Auditorium be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the bond of Chas. Ftermann, in the sum of $500.00, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the repair permit of A. A. Thorson and building permit of A. Olson be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the application of Ed Lee for Plumber's License be granted. Roll Call: Members voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Members voting No: None. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the reading of Ordinance No. 165 be postponed until the first regular meeting in June. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution ordering the construction of a sidewalk in Red Lake Rapids Addition. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Froseth, that the Council adjourn until Tuesday, May 18th, 1920 at 8:00 o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held May 11th, 1920, Alderman C. Froseth, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed.

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$300.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	3.37
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Co., culverts	21.76
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	48.55
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	10.50
Times Ptg. & Mfg. Co., printing	8.70
Alex Welch, special police	4.20
E. O. Erickson, expense	3.08
Halvor Loken, repairs, Fire Dep.	15.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	1.50
LaCoe & Fontaine, labor	15.00
Andy Craik, smithing	3.00
The Prichard Co., supplies	9.95
Local Improvement Fund.	
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	5.55
Tessum Co., sewer tile	.55
The Prichard Co., planks	5.60
Contractor Record, advertising	35.10
Water & Light Dept., power service	13.15
Contractor Record, advertising	31.95
Improvement Bulletin, advertising	78.40
Times Ptg. & Mfg. Co., printing	18.55
Auditorium Fund.	
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	15.55
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	47.52
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., fuel	131.35
Water & Light Dept., light service	93.71
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	3.50
Halvor Loken, repair	.40
Water & Light Dept., freight	1.79
Poor Fund.	
Perry Froseth, shoes	32.95
Dahlquist Millinery, supplies	3.75
Carl Christofferson, groceries	102.65
H. K. Strand, groceries	10.00
C. S. Simonson, groceries	9.93
E. J. Stebbins, medical supplies	5.52
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	1.50
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	4.00
S. A. Rustebakke, hay	14.33
Zeh & Curran, provisions	28.07
Anna Haug, potatoes	3.50
A. M. Langseth, repair on shoes	5.15
Hoberman Bros., stockings	.65
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
Reff B. Rasmusson, fuel	12.00
The Prichard Co., fuel	24.25
Library Fund.	
St. Paul Book and Sty. Co., books	67.81
The Prichard Co., fuel	17.35
Water & Light Dept., light service	.75
Herman Goldberger, books	15.50
Electric Light Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	138.12
Hermanson Hdwe. Co., supplies	3.05
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	4.78
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	6.75
N. W. Elect. Equipment Co., supplies	55.30
Standard Oil Co., supplies	20.20
Universal Elect. Co., supplies	50.00
A. J. Berry, repair	.50
The Prichard Co., fuel	82.37
Andy Craik, smithing	.65
Burroughs Add. Mch. Co., ½ maintenance agreement	5.85
Alfred Adolphs, labor	40.00
Norris Lbr. Co., fuel	7.35
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	9.40
Times Ptg. & Mfg. Co., printing	6.75
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	[illegible]
C. M. Evenson & Sons, repairs and storage on car	12.00
Waterworks Fund.	
Payroll, repair of leak in suction pipe	135.60
H. Mueller Mfg. Co., repair, tapping machine	35.98
Andy Craik, smithing	10.00
LaCoe & Fontaine, drayage	[illegible]
Holt & George, labor	203.41
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	1.01
Water & Light Dept., express	.67
The Prichard Co., lumber	119.39
H. A. Brumund, junket expense	44.50
John Dahl, junket expense	41.50
Severn Brandon, junket expense	41.50

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: Brandon.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 15th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held May 11th, 1920, Alderman O. L. Ihle, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, it appears to be necessary and expedient and the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, deems it necessary and expedient to construct a sidewalk on the property hereinafter described fronting on St. Paul Avenue North, beginning at the southwest corner of lot twenty-eight (28) of Block Twenty-one (21) of Red Lake Rapids, now part of said city, running thence north along the east line of said St. Paul Avenue to the northwest corner of lot thirty-two (32), in said block twenty-one (21), in said Red Lake Rapids;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, By the City Council of said City of Thief River Falls, that the said sidewalk be, and the City Council, do hereby on its own motion order the same to be constructed, on said St. Paul Avenue north, along the west side of lots twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31) and thirty-two (32), in Block twenty-one (21), of Red Lake Rapids, now a part of said City, and the owners of property fronting on said St. Paul Avenue North, and hereinafter named, are hereby notified and required to construct said sidewalk five (5) feet wide, to be constructed of cement or concrete in accordance with the requirements and specifications contained in the ordinances of the said City and in accordance with the plans and specifications on file with the City Clerk of said City; said sidewalk to be completed on or before the 10th day of July, 1920, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution shall be served on or before the 29th day of May, 1920, upon all the owners of all the lots or parcels of ground fronting on said St. Paul Avenue North, where said sidewalk is hereby ordered to be so constructed and whose names with their respective holdings are hereinafter stated; that such service be made in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided:

Name of Owner—Ethel C. Pitkin and Ole Haralson. Property Owned—Lots 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 of Block 21, in Red Lake Rapids, now a part of said City of Thief River Falls.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 15th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. K. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Times Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My home at 932 Arnold Ave N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and ready for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 50 bbl. cistern, hot water heat, all rough in plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. [illegible] Bothun.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks, one week old.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. 1, Box 52, Thief River Falls, Minn. 71tf

FOR SALE—State Land, Viking, $2.69 per acre deposit, balance 1941, 4 per cent interest. Open farm, hay and pasture land.—The Times. 73

FOR SALE—My National 6 Cylinder, 7 passenger automobile, in best running order. One set new cord tires, 5 other good tires and lot of inner tubes and extras. One of the best autos in city and the best buy. Can be seen at Berry's garage. Reason for selling, going away.—J. L. Bean. 72

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 66tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

$2600.00 CASH WILL BUY QUARTER section of land, five miles northwest of [illegible]. See Healy Land Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. 74

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Sec. 17-[illegible], 2½ miles northwest from Mavie. Price $5,000.00 $500.00 down, balance in five years.—Chas. Radtke, [illegible]strand, Minn. 71p

FOR SALE—9 room house at 604 [illegible] Ave. N. Call 4374. 71p

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—B. J. Bakke, [illegible] and salesroom at Berry's garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. [illegible] Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, barn, [illegible], well and 3 lots at 322 Knight [illegible] N. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at [illegible] and Peoples State Bank. 00tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at [illegible] per acre, 16 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric [illegible]. Inquire Times office or phone 192. 63tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 5 lots. Good investment.—J. Welms. 7p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Cow, fresh in April.—O. Flaben, Phone 681. 71p

FOR SALE—Large 6 room house. Pipeless furnace, 2 large porches, good water, 50 foot. lot, wood shed and garage. —615, Markley Ave. S. 71p

FOR SALE—4-yearold mare, weight [illegible], one three-yearold gray horse colt; [illegible] Deering 7-ft. cut binder. Inquire [illegible] M. Poston. 71

FOR SALE—Six-weeks-old pigs. Phone [illegible], 615 Markley Ave. S. 72

FOR SALE—Five horse power Bicks[illegible] gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. Sundahl. 55tf

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Call at 108 Conley Ave. S. 68tf

FORSALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Letter Files, new and sound at reduced prices account of moving.—Laird's Specialty Shop. 71

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—The Hay residence, large modern house, 4 blocks from postoffice.—M. C. Burns. 68tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Small pigs ready for immediate delivery, $5.00 each. Inquire of Albert Coyle, City. Phone 3291. 71p

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences at reasonable prices.—C. W. Vorachek. 67tf

FOR SALE—35 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 61tf

FOR SALE—Double Harness. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree S. 70tf

FOR SALE—Barn 16x24 with door and hay loft. A bargain for some one if taken soon. Located on 103 Markley Ave. So. Call on or write E. M. Bennes, Owner. 71

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tatik, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Jersey spring pigs. Sired by first prize boar at Minnesota State Fair, 1919. Grandsire and great grandsire also 1st State Fair winners. Also herd boar for sale. —Gunsten Skomedal, R. 2, City. 72

PUREBRED B. PLYMOUTH ROCK hatching eggs, $2.00 for 15. Prize winners and winter layers. Mammoth Pekin Duck eggs, $1.25 for 11. First prize at Pennington County Poultry Show.—Ed. Battenfeld, 2nd house north of Roundhouse, Thief River Falls. 71

FOR SALE—Top writing desk and safe. Inquire E. P. Ahlborn, Tailor. 73p

FOR SALE—I now have the Everbearing strawberry plants at my place in Thief River Falls.—Mrs. Alvina Lautenbach, over Palace Clothing Store. 71

FOR SALE—White Pekin duck eggs, [illegible] each. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Phone 1582. 70-tf

FOR SALE—7 young Duroc-Jersey pigs $6.00 apiece. Delivered the last days of May. Inquire of Willie Roddyef, St. Hilaire, R. R. No. 1. 71p

FOR SALE—Little pigs, Duroc, three weeks old.—Ose Brothers, 2½ miles east of Steiner. 71p

HAY FOR SALE—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 8-16 Mogul tractor with 2 bottom plows. Will also sell two breaker bottoms. Will take some cattle.—Syverson Bros., section 4, Smiley. 62tf

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

WANTED TO TRADE—About 20 acres of land for house and lot in town. Inquire Times office. 71-pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND —One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots.—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern room. Call 417 Knight avenue. 71

FOR RENT—One-half crop plan, SE¼ Sec. 7 and SW¼ Sec. 8, Kratka. Owner to furnish seed and pay one-half twine and thresh bill. Communicate with W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

320 ACRES FOR RENT—Fair set of buildings, in sections 7 and 8, township of Kratka, one-half crop basis. Further information inquire W. H. Frederick, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 62tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—Ambitious, energetic man to handle the sale of our guaranteed household products in this county. We have a complete and attractive line of flavoring extracts, toilet articles, spices, medicines, etc. Good sellers. Steady repeats. Experience unnecessary. We furnish capital. Hustler can easily make $150 to $300 a month. Write quick for free particulars and secure your home county.—Heberling Medicine Company, Bloomington, Illinois. 74p

WANTED—Two good carpenters. L. Faucher, Waubun, Minn. 71

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. The Times. 71p

WANTED—Girls for general housework on farm. Wages $6.00 per week. Lind Bros., St. Hilaire. 71p

MISCELLANEOUS

BE YOUR OWN BOSS. Phonograph company wants man or lady for Thief River Falls and surrounding towns to establish branch selling direct from factory to homes, chance to make quick money as only about 18 per cent of homes have phonographs. Your investment would be small as only few machines are necessary for demonstrating. Will pay expenses to Minneapolis if you qualify. Suite 710 Northwestern Building, Minneapolis, Minn. 71p

The Crookston College will run a special summer term for teachers and high school students. Write to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minnesota. M-27

PASTURING $3.00 per head per season.—H. R. Leslin, Erie, Minn. 71p

I HAVE THE AGENCY FOR THE well-known World's Star Mills, manufacturers of high grade seamless hosiery and sanitary packed underwear for men, women and children. I will be glad to call and let you inspect my samples at your leisure.—Mrs. Alice B. Kratka, 205 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 165. 73

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 6.—Mrs. McKinney.

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three rooms in modern house suitable for light housekeeping. About June 15. Address P. O. Box 1172, City. 72p

WANTED TO RENT—Small house.— W. E. Baker. 69tf

WANTED—200 cords dry wood.—Thief River Co-op. Creamery. 73

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

Office of the County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

To Henneretta Krumm.

You are hereby notified, that at a Tax Judgment Sale held on the 8th day of May, 1916, the following described parcel of land, situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lots 23, 24 and 25, Block 8, Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids, an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, was sold for the sum of Fifty-four and 19-100 Dollars; That the amount required to redeem said parcel, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Fifty Four and 19-100 Dollars, and interest as provided by law to the day such redemption is made; and that the tax certificate issued upon said sale has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and the time for redemption of said parcel from said sale will expire sixty days after the service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 12th day of May, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor of Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal)
m20-27-j3

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter A. or P. A. Ekstrom, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Mary Ekstrom, Carl Emil Ekstrom, Esther Anderson, Jacob Lorentson, Cora Ekstrom, Mabel Ekstrom, Rosa Ekstrom, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled, Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of June, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 11th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m-20-27-j3

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

To Louise Karnow.

You are hereby Notified, that the following described piece or parcel of land, situate in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows: Lots 18, 19 and 20, Block 8, Knox's Addition to Townsite of Red Lake Rapids an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, is now assessed in your name; that on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1916, at the sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 15th day of March, A. D., 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914 for the said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of One Hundred Thirteen and 23-100 Dollars, and the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the cost to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of One Hundred Thirteen and 23-100 Dollars, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said 8th day of May, A. D. 1916, to the day such redemption is made and interest on $52.63 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 9th day of February, 1917 to the day such redemption is made, and that the said tax certificate has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 12th day of May, A. D. 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor of Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Official Seal)
m20-27-j3

Articles of Incorporation of "Walker-Gesell Land Company."

Know All Men By These Presents, That we, the undersigned do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota and to that end do hereby subscribe the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be "WALKER-GESELL LAND COMPANY." The general nature of the business of this corporation shall be to buy, lease or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, sell, convey and generally deal in real and personal property situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to loan money for itself and as agent for others upon notes, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness which shall be secured by mortgages upon real or personal property, or both, situate in the State of Minnesota or elsewhere; to act as agent in the leasing, letting, selling, buying, conveying and transferring of real and personal property; to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, exchange, hypothecate, sell and transfer mortgages, stocks, bonds, notes and other evidences of indebtedness; to act as agent in soliciting and placing fire insurance and other insurance, and in general this corporation shall have power to buy or otherwise acquire, hold, enjoy, encumber, improve, exchange, let, lease, sell, convey and transfer *any and all property and* property rights necessary, convenient or incident to the conducting of its business and shall possess any and all powers necessary, convenient or incident to the transaction of its business permitted by the laws of the State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The principal office and place of transacting the business of this corporation shall be the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE III.

The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be the 15th day of May, 1920, and shall continue thereafter for a period of thirty (30) years.

ARTICLE IV.

The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000.00) and shall be divided into five hundred (500) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) per share and shall be paid in at such times and in such amounts and in such manner as the Board of Directors shall determine.

ARTICLE V.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation shall be at any time subject shall be the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00).

ARTICLE VI.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this corporation are as follows: Geo. W. Walker residence, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katharine Gesell, residence, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

ARTICLE VII.

The government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of three (3) Directors, all of which shall be elected annually by and from the stockholders of this corporation at the regular annual meeting thereof which shall be held at the principal office of this corporation in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the first Monday after the first Tuesday in January of each year and shall hold office for a term of one (1) year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The first Board of Directors shall be Geo. W. Walker, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Lester E. Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and Katharine Gesell, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The officers of this corporation shall be a president, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, all of whom shall be chosen annually by the Board of Directors from the stockholders for the term of one (1) year immediately after the annual meeting of the stockholders each year and such Board of Directors shall have such other officers or agents as the interests of this corporation shall from time to time demand. Any two of said offices, except those of President and Vice President may be held by the same person.

The first officers of this corporation shall be Lester E. Gesell, President; Katharine Gesell, Vice President; and Geo. W. Walker, Secretary and Treasurer, and they shall hold office until the first annual meeting of the Board of Directors and until their successors are elected and qualified.

In Testimony Whereof, The said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 24th day of April, 1920.

GEO. W. WALKER (Seal)
LESTER E. GESELL (Seal)
KATHARINE GESELL (Seal)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of:
PERL W. MABEY,
ALICE ELGSTEN.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 24th day of April, 1920, before me a Notary Public within and for said County personally appeared Geo. W. Walker, Lester E. Gesell and Katharine Gesell to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing and annexed Articles of Incorporation, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

PERL W. MABEY,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My commission expires November 28th, 1924.
(Notarial Seal.)

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 26 day of April, A. D. 1920 at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 711.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 27 day of April A. D., 1920, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in book "J" of Miscel. on page 46.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
By Gladys G. Anderson,
Deputy.
m-11-20

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Foreign Will.

Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Austin K. Hogenson, Andrew K. Hogenson, Kate Hogenson, Anna Hogenson, Anton K. Hogenson, Tom P. Haure, Bessie K. Haure, Bertha A. Hanson, Anna A. Nelson, Clara Hogg, United Deaconess Hospital, Grafton, North Dakota, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Bessie K. Haure, representing that Edwin K. Hogenson then a resident of the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, died on the 11th day of February, 1920, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the Probate Court in and for the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters of administration with the Will annexed be thereon granted to T. P. Haure.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m-13-20-27

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will.

Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Ingeborg Iverson, Samolina Lillemoe, Knut P. Iverson, Iver A. Iverson, Martha C. Iverson, Adina H. Iverson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Knut P. Iverson being duly filed in this court, representing that Andrew N. Iverson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 19th day of September, 1918, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Knut P. Iverson; Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable, Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 10th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m-13-20-27.

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the chairman of the township of Silverton, Pennington county, Minnesota, up until 11 o'clock A. M., on Friday, May 28, 1920, at which time the bids will be opened by the board of supervisors of said township, for the following service: The furnishing of power for grading purposes on a 12-foot blade grader. About ten days' work.

The bids must be on the basis of a certain sum per hour and must state what horse power can be furnished.

The board of supervisors reserves the right any or all bids.

OSCAR EVENSON,
Chairman,
Germantown, Minn.
m-6-13

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Sophie Severson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Sophie Severson having been filed in this Court, representing that Joe Severson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 2nd day of February, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emil E. Zeh, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of June, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m13-20-27

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Madeline Giard and Joseph Giard, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated December 31, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on January 30, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 69 of mortgages on page 422, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and it being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of six hundred and sixty seven dollars and thirty eight ($667.38), and the taxes for 1918 amounting to fifty three dollars and eighty nine cents ($53.89) paid by said mortgagee, making the total amount now due seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents ($721.27).

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots eleven (11), twelve (12), and thirteen (13) of block nine (9), in Knox's addition to Red Lake Rapids, now part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County,

will be sold by the sheriff of said County at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 29th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, to pay said debt and interest thereon and the taxes and *an attorney's fee of fifty (50) dollars* stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 1, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Fergus Falls,
Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
m13-20-27-j3-10-17

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Marion L. Cooper, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Wesley C. Cooper, Charles J. Cooper, George Edwin Cooper, Bernice May Cooper, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 5th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m-13-20-27

The Food Supply of the Future

AUTHORITIES agree that the food supply of the future depends upon the increased use of mechanical power on the farm. The tractor, motor truck, stationary gas engine, and the automobile, all dependent upon cheap, efficient motor fuel, have multiplied the efficiency of human labor, thereby increasing the acreage a man can handle.

In 1919 farmers owned 3,000,465 of the 7,523,664 automotive vehicles registered in the United States. These figures give a fair idea of the use being made of motor vehicles in producing and distributing food products.

There is no more prolific food producing area in the world than the territory served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

To serve the farmers of the Middle West is a major part of the Standard Oil Company's business. For that reason the dark, green tank wagon of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is recognized by the farmer as serving an indispensable need in promoting the increase of food products.

Thousands of these tank wagons travel continuously, on schedule, throughout the 11 states of the Middle West, served by this Company.

During the busy season, when the farmer needs power most, this Company delivers gasoline even to the tractors in the field. Rain or shine, these wagons are on duty to help make certain that the nation's food supply shall be planted, harvested, and delivered on time.

To enable the farmer of modest means to utilize automotive machinery in cultivating an increased acreage at a lower cost per acre, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) strives constantly to keep down the price of gasoline by increasingly efficient refining methods, and to expand and perfect its comprehensive system of distribution.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
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BACKWARD PASTURES AFFECT CREAM YIELD

Showing Hardly Up to Average For This Time of Year at Creamery.

Things are looming up better now but during the month of April there is no question but that the backward spring adversely affected the receipts at the local creamery. There were 109 patrons receiving more than $50 for their output, which is an increase of only two over the month previous. Under ordinary conditions the showing should have been considerably better, but there is still ample time for herd owners to make up the average.

Waldie Christianson is at the top of the list for the month, with six others in the $200 class. Twenty-three others received above $100. Following is a list of the topnotchers:

Waldie Christianson	$280.93
Hans Anton	251.98
Jens Kirk	249.15
P. Engelstad	247.78
Fred Copp	217.17
R. M. Johnson	209.92
Mrs. J. J. Berg	189.75
Henry Koop	181.36
A. C. Simonson	176.10
Paul Engelstad	168.99
Aug. Buck	145.51
A. J. Funnesdahl	143.86
C. Liden	138.07
Erick Rensla	137.06
S. Wiberg	132.96
C. Christenson	129.39
E. Edman	128.26
H. T. Waale	128.41
John Johnson	124.62
H. A. Mathees	123.26
H. C. Woolson	123.21
Aug. Koglin	120.86
Soren Sorenson	119.17
Ludvig Larson	114.99
Hans Sande	110.11
O. L. Skonord	107.31
Oluf O. Omlid	106.72
Will Smith	104.17
Carl Beiswenger	101.89
James Wilson	101.19
Henry Pope	98.46
P. Solem	96.10
John Bloom	93.67
Carl Erickson	91.64
Mrs. P. Fagerstrom	92.05
Aufind Ness	93.65
J. J. Kast	88.91
Syvert Hanson	88.12
S. E. Hunt	86.69
John A. Sundt	84.48
Alb. Hanson	83.77
K. Finstad	82.57
C. Steen	82.01
Hubert Buck	79.90
L. O. Huseth	77.97
J. B. Hibert	76.83
Rasmus Oen	75.85
O. B. Gunderson	75.52
John Kellberg	74.70
K. G. Morstad	74.54
J. B. Conklin	74.39
Silas Torgerson	74.23
Wm. Langlois	74.04
C. H. Swanson	73.64
Chris Nelson	72.10
Nick Meyer	71.68
Mrs. Mossbeck	70.27
C. Odegaard	69.49
Wm. Hohner	68.12
John Shoberg	65.95
Aug. Carlson	65.17
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	65.02
R. L. Muzzy	64.39
Ed. Hanson	67.90
Fred Berberick	63.26
Ole Johnsrud	63.56
M. Hogland	62.32
Walter Panisch	62.09
And. K. Haggy	61.75
Ernest Yonke	61.58
Ole Finsand	61.55
Knut Solheim	61.10
Ole Ahlstrom	60.89
T. H. Bjerke	60.82
George C. Edwards	62.09
S. Husby	59.05
Julius Hanson	58.27
Olson & Boe	58.18
Nels Nora	57.52
Alex Magee	57.45
P. Hornseth	57.07
Fred Hollander	56.56
James Crosby	56.21
Fuller and Gordon	55.55
John Hellquist	55.05
M. J. Gerlings	54.92
Wm. Korstad	54.92
A. T. Bernhardson	54.50
J. Adsero	54.29
Albert Johnson	54.09
Ole O. Aune	54.09
John Sjolsvold	53.92
Lars Arnson	53.61
Gust Wilkin	53.08
Mrs. Theo. L. Olson	52.99
E. T. Edwin	52.83
S. O. Lee	52.57
W. J. McCrum	52.42
C. Wiener	52.40
Carl P. Anderson	52.31
Christ Yonke	51.82
C. R. Anderson	51.81
Nels Gunderson	51.75
Jacob Klungness	51.67
Mikkel Jorde	50.80
N. E. Muzzy	50.77
A. Hammarsten	50.50
Paul Stock	50.29
Aug. Ristau	50.07

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet on nxt Tuesday afternoon, May 25. Mesdames J. H. Hardisty and Geo. Biddick will entertain at the home of the former. This will be a white ribbon recruit meeting and all mothers are requested to come and bring their babies.

COUNTY HAS 36,412 HEAD OF LIVESTOCK

This is Estimate Arrived at by St. Paul Agricultural Publication.

The Farmer, an agricultural paper published at St. Paul, has been gathering data for an estimate of the amount of live stock in each county in the state and the results are very interesting. The figures presented include milch cows, other cattle, horses, swine and sheep and indicate that considerable care has been taken in the compilation.

Among the northwestern counties, in which is included Beltrami, the leader is Polk, with Marshall following, the figures for the group being as follows:

Pennington	36,412
Beltrami	34,708
Clearwater	21,592
Kittson	71,938
Marshall	105,305
Polk	137,098
Red Lake	34,861
Roseau	52,917

There are nearly 19,000 cattle of all kinds in Pennington county. The general impression has always been that dairy breeds have far outnumbered the others, but the estimate shows that they are not far in the lead. Following are the figures for each division of cattle in the eight northwestern counties:

	Milch cows	Other cattle
Pennington	9,747	9,089
Beltrami	6,889	9,251
Clearwater	3,753	6,642
Kittson	12,816	11,269
Marshall	14,286	19,433
Polk	21,828	50,487
Red Lake	8,068	10,035
Roseau	8,700	13,474

The county makes the poorest showing in swine while there is evidently a surprising number of horses. Sheep raising is a comparatively new industry in this section and the showing made is very good. A table comparing the number of these animals in each of the counties follows:

	Horses	Swine	Sheep
Pennington	6,199	3,327	8,050
Beltrami	5,026	3,909	9,633
Clearwater	3,424	2,373	5,400
Kittson	9,933	9,012	28,908
Marshall	17,191	10,503	22,431
Polk	27,743	19,901	17,130
Red Lake	6,534	5,893	4,331
Roseau	7,427	4,854	18,492

Moellers Like Their New Central Wisconsin Home

The William Moeller family, former residents of Rocksbury township, who this spring disposed of their holdings and moved onto a farm in the neighborhood of New London, Wis., seem to like their surroundings very well. In a letter to The Times Mr. Moeller says:

"We are well settled down now but the spring is backward here. We are all done with small grain planting, however, and I have disced my corn ground all over once and some of it twice. It is so cold that we will do *no corn planting until next week*, although there are a few small patches planted here and there.

"Grass is nice and green and the cows are in clover. For April we received $3.10 per 100 pounds of milk and for March $2.75 per hundred. Our butterfat check for April was $77.50 and for March $68.75.

"We all like it here. At present we are busy hauling gravel on the road at wages of $8 per day for man and team. Horses are high in price—that is, the good ones weighing from 1400 to 1600 pounds. Gravel shovelers receive $4 per day. Potatoes are very high in price and so is everything else.

"New London has a population of 8383, concrete streets and modern in every way. Land has increased in value here since I bought and I could now get about $22,000 for my holdings, but I want $25,000 before letting go again. This is a very good dairy country and we have all the leading breeds. Good grades are sold as scrubs but registered stuff brings a good price."

Civil Service Examinations.

A telegram has just been received from the United States Civil Service commission stating that several hundred stenographer-typists are needed immediately in Washington, at entrance salary of from $1000 to $1200 per annum, plus the bonus of $20 a month. Examinations may be taken every Tuesday at the regular examination points in the district. Persons desiring appointment should send at once to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., a properly completed application on Form 304 which can be received at the local post office.

Organize Camp at Grygla.

On Saturday evening, May 15, a Royal Neighbor camp of twenty-two members was organized at Grygla by Assistant Deputy Christina Ohm, assisted by Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Richardson. The camp is to be known as Victory Camp and by the enthusiasm manifested they are sure to be victorius.

The Princess

FRIDAY

WILLIAM FOX PRESENTS

Peggy Hyland

In

"Merry Go Round"

Goldwyn Comedy

"BIRDS OF A FEATHER"

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Thomas H. Ince Presents

DOUGLAS MAC LEAN and DORIS MAY

In

"Mary's Ankle"

Mary had a little ankle;
Injured it one day.
Now the young "doc" who repaired it
Just can't stay away!

The blithe young stars of 23½ Hour's Leave.

You will agree with us that it is worth Going Miles to See!

Matinee Sunday: 2:30

The Lyceum

TODAY AND FRIDAY

If you have not attended this wonderful show you do not know what you have missed. Ask anyone!

Zane Grey's

Most wonderful picture

"Desert Gold"

Zane Grey claims the producer has put the true spirit in this production.

SATURDAY

GRACE DARLING in

"False Gods"

14th Chapter Smashing Barriers

"TRAPPED LIKE RATS"

Matinee: 2:30

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

CONSTANCE TALMADGE

In a

John Emerson-Anita Loos Production

"A Temperamental Wife"

Constance Talmadge

Constance Says There's nothing like calling in a doctor to bring hubby to his senses.

And a Special Sennett Comedy

"BACK TO THE KITCHEN"

Matinee Sunday: 2:30

A FIRST NATIONAL ATTRACTION

CALL AT THE

THIEF RIVER FALLS IRON WORKS

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LINE SHAFTING, PULLEYS

and all other repairs needed on spring machinery

Rebuilt Flour City 30-60 Tractor for sale—Bargain.

About 20 ton cast iron scrap wanted. Will pay $12.00 per ton delivered at Iron Works.

Telephone 222

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My residence on East Side. Modern, Big Garage, Fine Water, 100-ft. Front, Splendid Location

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At Auditorium

Educational Pageant

"THE LIGHT"

Gorgeous Display of Colored Lights

STARTLING EXHIBIT OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS

This Pageant was displayed at Cleveland, Ohio, during the meeting of the National Educational association and was an astounding success. It will be the most brilliant exhibition seen for many a day in Thief River Falls.

For 2 Days

Monday, May 24
Tuesday, May 25

At 8 o'clock P. M.

35c—50c—75c

SEATS AT LAMBERT'S

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

You should be as loyal to your community as to your name

The Thief River Falls concerns listed here, conscious of the fact that thousands of dollars are being sent out of this territory for merchandise that can be bought at home, have launched a campaign in the hope that it will create a feeling of stronger community interest—a sentiment most vital for the prosperity of the entire community. In bold type, you therefore read the slogan that they propose to popularize—"**TRADE IN YOUR HOME TOWN.**"

It is the purpose of the progressive concerns whose names appear on this page, to present arguments of such convincing nature that the people of this community will respond thereto with the result that they will make a solemn pledge to first endeavor to get what they need from home merchants before sending their money out of town.

The time for consideration of this question could not be more opportune than the present. "Preparedness," the watchword of America, should begin at home and can be exemplified in no more far-reaching manner than by real co-operation in this vitally important "**TRADE AT HOME**" movement. It is a thought that should be taken to heart and given consideration by all persons who earn their living in, or owe their success to, this community.

This campaign is launched in the firm belief that the people of this community will follow the dictates of their good sense, and bring the "**TRADE AT HOME CAMPAIGN**" to an actuality that will be of vast benefit to the entire territory.

This movement is no selfish propaganda of these progressive concerns, who have combined in co-operative community appeal. They urge that you read the brief message they will give you each week through the columns of The Times. They invite you to give careful consideration of the facts which will be presented, to talk this matter over with your friends and neighbors. Results are sure to follow.

The firm resolve to "**TRADE AT HOME**" will not only help the retail merchants, but the manufacturer and jobber, the farmers adjacent to town, and it will also help in every line of business. It will either directly or indirectly benefit every individual of this section.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere. —LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the Nu-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side. —ANDREW BOTTELSON.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

THE EAST SIDE IS OUT OF THE HIGH RENT DISTRICT. Our stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products cannot be equalled in Thief River Falls, and we refuse to be undersold. Secure our prices before buying elsewhere.—A. E. ZELLMER.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station. —K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate. —THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.— HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries. —ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality, Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over. —CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.—HALL BROS. CO.

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Pay Tribute to Heroes of Three Wars

People of Thief River Falls Will on Monday Honor Soldiers' Memory.

Program of Exercises in Auditorium and Parade to the Cemetery.

Committee of Citizens Headed by Legion Men in Charge of the Plans.

Arrangements for the proper observance of Memorial Day in Thief River Falls are under way and the occasion will be commemorated with all the dignity and solemnity that its importance calls for. Every activity in the line of business in the city will close down for the day and all our people join in showing their respect for the men, living and dead, who in three wars have faced the enemy in defense of the country's honor and in the upholding of principles of liberty and equality.

The exercises will be held at the auditorium, beginning at 10:30. The completed program has not yet been announced but will include songs, addresses and instrumental musical numbers. The school children will take a prominent part in this portion of the day's activities as well as in the parade to follow immediately upon the closing of the meeting.

Will Decorate Graves.

Headed by the band, the veterans and citizens will march to the cemetery where the usual decoration of graves and firing of salutes in honor of soldiers buried there will be attended to. It is the desire of the committee that all ex-service men appear in uniform wherever this is possible as this will help lend impressiveness to the occasion.

Chommie is Speaker.

At the auditorium the address of the day will be delivered by H. O. Chommie, who is well qualified to perform this important duty being himself an ex-soldier of the late war.

Following are the committees in charge: Arrangements, L. H. Lawrence, G. Howard Smith, Paul Midderigh; officer of the day, H. O. Chommie; program committee, Dr. G. A. Penney, T. P. Anderson, Mrs. G. Howard Smith, Miss Marie Nelson; parade, W. B. Fuller, H. D. Keene, W. A. Ziegler; band, A. S. Sapero, W. J. LaBree, D. J. Cordes.

City Helps Pay Cost.

At the meeting of the city council on Tuesday evening a motion by Councilman Brandon, seconded by Councilman Froseth, was carried, appropriating the sum of $300 to help defray the expenses of a proper observance of Memorial Day.

—Trade at Home—

SOLDIER'S REMAINS SENT FROM ENGLAND

Edward Lund, Soldier, Will Rest in Pennington County Cemetery.

The first body of a soldier who died overseas to be returned to Pennington county is that of Edward Lund, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lund of Eric. The lad died at Ramsey Heights, England, on Oct. 12, 1918, and was laid to rest in Winchester cemetery. In accordance with the law passed by congress a short time ago all soldiers buried in Europe are to be returned to this country and the work of transfer has already commenced.

The ship carrying the body was expected to dock at Hoboken last Monday and the remains may arrive here at any time. Plans are on foot to hold a military funeral under the auspices of the American Legion. Members of the firing squad particularly, are asked to hold themselves in readiness for a hurry call.

There were two of the Lund boys in the army, Ingvald being the other. He has been home for some time, after having served with distinction. As a member of the 308th infantry he was with the historic lost batallion in the Argonne forest but escaped without injury. Edward was with the 331st regiment and went no farther than England.

—Trade at Home—

Is Holding Soldier Mail.

Postmaster John Morgan states he is holding important mail for two soldier boys whose whereabouts are at present unknown. They are Miller Kruta and Iver Bergenson. No person connected with enlistments or registrations in this city is able to tell what has become of these men. In case any of their former comrades know where they may be reached they will be conferring a favor by notifying Mr. Morgan.

—Trade at Home—

WOMEN OF DISTRICT FORM ORGANIZATION

Will Meet at Moorhead For This Purpose on Eighth and Ninth of June.

Women of the Ninth congressional district will have a busy week early in June. The organization conference of the League of Women Voters in Moorhead, June 8 and 9, marks the finish of the campaign to put a league organization in every congressional district in the state.

The fact that the Ninth district is the last in the series is no fault of its own—someone had to be last—but Mrs. Robert Hannah of Fergus Falls, who is the chairman, believes that the conference will benefit by the experiences of all the others and be the most successful meeting of them all.

The plan of the state league, having organized the districts, will be to assist in organizing the counties at once, and it is aimed to have a school of political education in every county. One successful school has been already held at Fergus Falls. The school lasted three days and was under the direction of Mrs. Walter J. Marcley of Minneapolis.

Mrs. William Russell of Moorhead, chairman of the conference for Moorhead with Mrs. Ralph Wheelock of Fergus Falls in charge of the district outside Moorhead. Mrs. F. H. Peterson of Moorhead, is chairman of the conference committee and women of the surrounding towns will assist her.

Women who will act as publicity chairmen in the various parts of the districts are: Mrs. C. M. Graves, Crookston; Miss Marie Nelson, Thief River Falls; Mrs. G. W. Christie, Red Falls; Mrs. A. L. Hanson, Ada.

There will be special conferences on the all-important subject of food supply and demand; upon which the league has a national committee and a committee in every state. Miss Hope McDonald, state chairman of American citizenship for the league, will go to Moorhead and conduct a sub-conference on American citizenship. Miss McDonald was a delegate to the National Americanization conference held in Minneapolis recently. A special session on the unification of laws relating to women and children will also be part of the proceedings.

—Trade at Home—

GOES OVER DAM APRON AND REMAINS UNHURT

Young Boy is First in History of City to Make the Trip in Safety.

Howard, the eight-year-old son of Mrs. Adeline Girard, St. Paul avenue, has the distinction of being the only person who in recent years has gone over the apron of the power dam in this city and come out with nothing worse than a wetting.

There are some old planks laid out into the river just above the dam on the east side and the lad was walking out on these when he missed his footing and went into the stream. The current caught him at once and swept him over the apron in a flash. He somehow escaped getting drowned in the wicked backlash at the bottom and was thrown into the quieter waters near the east side where the eddy caught him and carried him toward the shore.

Even here he would probably have been helpless had not Eddie Nelson and Peter Giefer, who were fishing a short distance down the stream, caught sight of him and managed to grab onto his clothes as he swirled past. He was hauled to shore and after shaking himself a few times made for home, apparently no worse for his record-breaking performance.

Old residents say that a number of years ago a traveling man made the same trip and came out all right, but that is the only time on record that a person has been swept over the apron without being drowned.

—Trade at Home—

Insane Man Released But Brought Back Same Day

Gilbert Vraa, a farmer residing in the Goodridge neighborhood, was brought to the city and lodged in jail last Sunday on an insanity charge. It is reported that he had become affiliated with some religious organization and that his actions were such as to cause the neighbors to seek police protection. He was left in charge of Deputy Paul Midderigh at the jail until Tuesday and seemed steadily to improve. Vraa seemed perfectly rational and the authorities were satisfied that he would be all right if let alone. Sheriff W. J. LaBree accordingly started with him for his farm in an auto, but never reached there. When a short distance out from the city the man suddenly became unmanageable and the sheriff was forced to subdue him by main strength. He brought his passenger back and at a hearing before Judge I. C. Richardson on Tuesday he was adjudged insane and at once sent to Fergus Falls in charge of Frank McGinnity, who was deputized for the purpose.

—Trade at Home—

MINNESOTA'S OLDEST CITIZEN VISITS TOWN

John Smith, 117 Years Old at Least, is Object of Much Interest.

John Smith, which is the English name of the present chief of the Winnebegoshish division of the Chippewa tribe of Indians, was in the city last Sunday and created quite a sensation. The most conservative investigators place John's age at 117 years, while others say there is no doubt of his being 135. At any rate he is a very old man and the concensus of opinion is that the greater figure is more nearly the right one.

Smith has led a most eventful life, most of it before men who are now well along in years were born. He is said to have been eight times married, although he is not quite certain on this score. Numerous trips to Washington and other large centers of population have made him almost a national figure.

The old Indian chief was accompanied to this city by his adopted son, who acts as interpreter. John has gotten past the conversational stage himself, although his faculties seem to be but slightly impaired. His face is seamed with wrinkles of unbelievable depth and his hair, of which he still has a very respectable mop, is white as snow.

A tour of the neighboring cities is at present being made for the purpose of exhibition and selling a short history of John's life. Born to worship the Great Spirit in the old Indian way, the old-timer has for years professed Christianity, no matter what he has practiced. He has never caused trouble to the white people with whom his lot has been thrown and he has on many occasions shown himself to be their friend.

—Trade at Home—

Street Lights Ordered.

Electric lights have been ordered placed at the following corners in the city: Bridge street and Kendall avenue; Nora street and Tindolph avenue; Eighth street and Arnold avenue.

Form Potato Association For County

Plans Formed For Erection of Storehouse Costing $10,000 at St. Hilaire.

Members Vote Unanimously to Join Minnesota Potato Growers Exchange.

Wool Growers Also Decide to Form Pool For Handling of Their Product.

The Pennington County Potato Growers association was formed at a meeting held at St. Hilaire last Friday afternoon, the following being chosen as the first officers of the organization: Alfred Benson, president; R. J. McKercher, vice president; Ben Rosenthal, secretary; Lloyd Crown, Jens Letness, Dan Johnson and O. K. Sevre, directors.

Potato growers from every section of the county were present and the gathering was the most important of its kind ever held in this neighborhood. Senator Cummins of East Grand Forks, spoke of the advantages to be derived from becoming associated with the state organization and explained some of the things necessary in potato growing in order to obtain the best results. Senator Cummins stated that co-operation was no longer an experiment and that wherever the farmers have gone together with the intention of making the most of their opportunities through a community of interests they have been successful.

Plan For Storehouse.

The association already has under consideration plans for a $10,000 storehouse to be erected at St. Hilaire. It has not been definitely decided that the building is to be ready in time for the present season's crop, but the arrangements will all be made and construction begun next spring at the latest.

Sheep Men Organize.

Complete arrangements for handling all the wool grown in the county were made at a meeting in the office of the farm bureau on Saturday. A building for storage purposes will be secured in the city and a state grader will have charge of the grading.

Committees for different sections of the county were appointed to look after the marketing of the product in their particular neighborhood, as follows: For Thief River Falls, Emil Griebstein, Christ Larson, R. L. Muzzy and S. E. Hunt; for St. Hilaire, Ed Aubol, J. V. Patton and Carl Anderson; for Hazel, J. W. Denhart. A separate assembling house will be placed at Goodridge for the accommodation of the people in the eastern section of the county. The product gathered at this point will also finally be sent to Thief River Falls and the entire output disposed of at one time. This will give local buyers the same opportunity to bid on the clip as those from the outside.

—Trade at Home—

ELKS PURCHASE RIVER PROPERTY FOR CLUB

Secure About Two Acres at Nominal Figure—Building Plans Discussed.

The most important step thus far taken in the proposal to erect an Elks' club house in this city was recorded on Friday evening when the lodge voted to buy the tract at the foot of Third street and fronting on the river for the sum of $1800. There are about two acres in the plot, which is the last one available providing access to the river within the city limits. The price in considered very reasonable even though the property in its present condition is of little actual value.

Filling in will be necessary before anything in the way of building operations can be begun. The dirt necessary will be furnished by the present surfacing of the streets of the city, which must be removed before paving can be undertaken. The city council has promised to have this overburden dumped onto the property acquired by the lodge at no expense to the latter. There will be in the neighborhood of 15,000 yards excavated by the city, about 6,000 of which will be required for filling purposes by the Elks.

Mr. Chamberlain, an architect from Minneapolis, was present and addressed the lodge on the subject of a club building. He submitted drawings of a structure which he considered would meet the requirements and which would cost in the neighborhood of $50,000. The lodge is not yet prepared to go ahead with the building proposition and may not be for some time, but the subject will be kept alive and there is no question but that ultimately a fine club house will adorn the bank of the river on the site secured.

—Trade at Home—

EXPLAINS PURPOSE OF BABCOCK AMENDMENT

Good Roads Meeting at Club Rooms on Monday Evening Well Attended.

A good sized audience of townspeople gathered at the commercial club rooms on Monday evening to hear R. R. Gibson of the Minnesota Highway Improvement association explain the purposes and workings of the Babcock good roads amendment, which is to be voted on at the next general election. Because of inability to give sufficient notice of the meeting, the attendance of farmers was not as large as desired but these are to be given an opportunity to hear other speakers at a later date.

Mr. Gibson was well posted on the subject in hand. He went into the project in detail and showed how it would be possible for the state to secure 7,000 miles of hard surfaced road without issuing a dollar's worth of bonds and without increasing taxes one cent. Not only will the roads be built by the tax on motor vehicles proposed in the Babcock law, but the maintenance of the thoroughfares will always be taken care of by the same method.

The speaker explained that there is nothing in the amendment itself providing that any particular kind of surfacing or paving is to be used. In fact, details of the work are left entirely up to the legislature. All the Babcock law does is to provide for raising the money necessary and lay out the routes. This latter feature had to be embodied in order to make a law that would hold good before the courts.

Mr. Gibson showed how the big cities would pay vastly more than their share for these roads while they would not be directly benefitted in any degree. The law provides that highways built under its provisions shall go no farther than to the limits of any first or second class city, while in the case of those of the third and fourth classes the state will carry the roads clear through without any cost to the property owners.

The address was instructive and was very well received by those present.

—Trade at Home—

WIND STORM CAUSES SMALL LOSS IN COUNTY

Barn and Outbuildings on Bell Farm Blown Down Monday Night.

A windstorm of unusual violence passed over this section of the state about midnight on Tuesday doing considerable damage to farm structures and outbuildings. The most serious loss reported in Pennington county is that of W. J. Bell of Kratka township where a barn and several other structures were blown down. The loss sustained by Mr. Bell is estimated at $1200. From other sections come reports of slight damage, the money loss in the aggregate being but little.

In the city trees were broken off and small buildings overturned. The awning in front of the J. P. Curtis drug store was ripped to pieces and the front of the old Newbury building on Second street considerably damaged.

—Trade at Home—

MANY VISITORS DUE; MORE ROOMS NEEDED

Cots Will be Placed Buildings to Take Care of Expected Crowd.

There will shortly be a lively skirmish for housing for the 2000 delegates expected here to attend the annual convention of the Lutheran Free church, which will be held June 9 to 15. The city's hotels can only take care of a small portion of this crowd and citizens generally will have to lend a helping hand. This is one of the largest and most important conventions ever held here and the city's reputation as a host is at stake.

The members of the Woman's club have agreed to canvass the city thoroughly in order to discover places where one or more of the delegates may be given quarters during their stay. It is admitted, however, that no matter how willing the people residing here may be to help out in this pinch, the room is simply not to be found. It has therefore been decided to place cots in certain of the school houses as well as the auditorium and offer these to the visitors in lieu of more desirable sleeping quarters. The merchants of the city have offered the free use of automobiles for such of the Woman's club members as may wish to make use of them in their canvass or in any other work undertaken by them in this connection.

—Trade at Home—

MERCHANTS GO AFTER WILFUL SLANDERERS

Tired of Defending Themselves Against False and Baseless Charges.

The members of Thief River Falls Retail Merchants association are going to make an example of someone in order to put a stop to a lot of vexatious reports that have been circulated for the evident purpose of hurting business and bringing the merchants of the city into disrepute. In an advertisement appearing in The Times today they are offering $100 reward for information that will lead to the apprehension of the guilty party.

The latest story started by the slander mongers is that certain business men in this city had been caught in the act of profiteering by an officer of the United States government and had been forced to disgorge some of their ill-gotten gains. There is not a vestige of truth in the report, of course, but its spread may place them in a false light and they are willing to pay for finding out just who is guilty of starting the rumor. If this can be done the law will be permitted to deal with such person.

This is in direct line with a foolish tale circulated last winter to the effect that certain merchants in the city had attempted to have the passes of the railroad men's families revoked so that it would be harder for them to go out of the city. The railroads were in the hands of the government at the time and whoever started the rumor must have regarded the business men of Thief River Falls as decidedly influential in high places.

An attempt will be made to fasten such stories onto the right parties and see if something cannot be done to stop them.

—Trade at Home—

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 30: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m., and evening service at 8 p. m. Young Peoples meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. and Prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m.

Will Arrive In Airplane For Meeting

A. C. Townley to Attend Nonpartisan Gathering at Urdahl Farm Wednesday.

Dr. Henrik Shipstead Will Speak at Auditorium in the Evening.

George H. Mallom, Candidate For Lieutenant Governor, is Also Coming.

The Nonpartisan league members in Pennington and surrounding counties are planning for a big rally next Wednesday at 11 o'clock. A general meeting will be held in the afternoon at the Urdahl farm, about one and a half miles west of Goodridge, at which A. C. Townley, Dr. Henrik Shipstead, candidate for governor, George H. Mallom, candidate for lieutenant governor, and others are expected to be present.

Mr. Townley will arrive at the meeting in an airplane, he having adopted this means of getting from one place to another during the campaign. He will probably deliver an address to those assembled but will later in the afternoon continue his journey to Roseau, at which point he is to speak in the evening.

Dr. Shipstead to Speak.

In the evening Dr. Shipstead and Lieut. Mallom will deliver addresses at the auditorium in this city. The former was scheduled to appear here a short time ago but through a confusion in dates was unable to make connections. It is not likely, however, that there will be any lack of interest on this account. Because of the convenient railroad connections and the easy access to the city by road it is expected that there will be a large crowd here from the surrounding country.

—Trade at Home—

Three Sunday Schools Hold Group Gathering

Rev. Elmer LaRoe of this city, missionary for the American Sunday School Union, announces that there will be a group gathering of Sunday schools representing Mavie, Goodridge and Kratka next Sunday afternoon at the first-named place. An excellent program full of interesting features connected with the work will be given, as follows: Study of the Lesson at 10:30, after which there will be five minute talks by each of the superintendents, followed by a sermon. The afternoon exercises will begin at 1:30 with a study of Sunday school work at which papers will be read on the subject of "Lesson Preparation" and "Our Juniors: Their Possibilities." At 2:30 o'clock there will be a sermon by Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church, Thief River Falls. Special music and good singing is promised for both meetings.

—Trade at Home—

Educational Campaign on Tonnage Tax Issue

How long will iron mining last in Minnesota?

Most people think about 40 or 50 years.

The Minnesota Fair Tax Association, in an ad. published in this issue, claims that it will last from 1,000 to 2,000 years if the state develops its enormous deposits of low grade iron ores. It is claimed that these deposits of low grade ore cover all that part of the state north and west of a line drawn from Duluth to the county of Rock in the southwestern corner of the state. The Association claims, however, that these ores will never be developed if the taxes of the mines, now higher than any other taxes in the state, are made still higher by a tonnage tax.

The Association, which has headquarters at Room 282, St. Francis Hotel, St. Paul, will send complete information to anyone who desires it.

—Trade at Home—

Name Judges of Election For the Four City Wards

The city council at its meeting on Tuesday evening appointed judges for the forthcoming primary and general elections, naming the following: First ward, M. C. Burns, Ed Ness, M. V. Evenson; Second ward, S. T. Johnson, Alfred Bredesen, William Parbst; Third ward, Phil Zeh, Frank Mousley, William Knight; Fourth ward, Frank Cernousek, Elmer Klungness, Louis Cerny.

Mayor Bratrud's appointment of John H. Meyers as dog catcher for the present year was approved by the council.

—Trade at Home—

Duluth Falls Just Short of Reaching 100,000 Mark

The city of Duluth is also disappointed in the census returns, altho coming within a very few of making its boast good. The people of the third largest city in the state have been claiming a population of 100,000 and they came within 1083 names of making it. The actual population, according to the census figures, is 98,917. This is an increase in ten years of 20,151 or 26.1 per cent.

—Trade at Home—

Feature of the Big Auto Exhibits is Coming Here

The people of the district will be afforded on Thursday, June 3 an opportunity to see the $75,000 Maxwell-Chalmers cut-open chassis exhibit which has featured every auto show of the present season, including New York, Chicago and Minneapolis. The Horton Motor company educational tour will stop here on the above date. The detailed schedule is published elsewhere in this issue in an advertisement. Look it over carefully, as the stops must of necessity be brief in that 156 towns in the Fargo territory are being visited. The undertaking is without question the biggest thing of the kind ever attempted. Don't fail to see it. The show is entirely free. A bugler accompanies the tour and will announce its arrival at each point.

—Trade at Home—

Crushed the Ice House.

The storm on Tuesday evening blew down what remained of the east wall of the Union block, burned last winter, and caused considerable damage to property belonging to Julien Provencher of the Hotel Evelyn. An ice house in the path of the falling wall was crushed, as was also a small poultry house in which was housed about a score of live hens. Not a bird was left alive and the Evelyn landlord is provoked as he had purchased them only the day before.

—Trade at Home—

Houses at Auction.

B. E. Dalquist will sell the house on lot 7, block 5, Original townsite, at public auction on Tuesday, June 1. This sale was advertised for a previous date but rainy weather made a postponement necessary. Mr. Dalquist wishes to use the lot on which the house is located for another purpose and it is certain that someone will secure a bargain. With houses in the city scarcer than at any that a good crowd will be present.

—Trade at Home—

SCHOOL YEAR CLOSES TOMORROW AFTERNOON

Program at Auditorium and Presentation of Diplomas Is Last Act.

The entire week has been given over to closing exercises at the different schools. Final examinations and markings have been the order and nothing of importance in the line of class work has even been attempted. With the commencement exercises for the senior class at the auditorium the work for the season will be closed and teachers and scholars will prepare for a well-earned rest.

Prof. W. D. Reeve of the University of Minnesota, will deliver the commencement address to the 87 students who complete their public school course at this time. The public is invited to attend these exercises and from past experience it is known that the big hall will be crowded. Following is the program:

Invocation	Rev. J. B. Smith
Music	Senior Chorus
Salutatory	Mollie Hermanson
Music	Senior Octette
Salutatory	Vivian Gabrielson
Address	Mr. W. D. Reeve
Music	Senior Chorus
Valedictory	Henry Stengelsen
Alma Mater	Class of 1920
Presentation of Diplomas	
	Dr. O. F. Mellby
Benediction.	

—Trade at Home—

Kindergarten Tots Will Close Their First Year

The program to be given at the high school auditorium Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock will mark the closing of the first year of the kindergarten in Thief River Falls. Parents and friends of the kindergarten children, as well as the general public, will be assured of a pleasant entertainment. A paper on "The Origin and Progress of the Kindergarten Movement" will be read by Miss Freistedt. The children's program follows:

Song, "Good Evening" ...... Schools
Rhythms
Ten Central Kindergarten Children
Group Songs, "Hush-a-by Baby," "Twinkle, Twinkle."
.... Three Knox Kindergarten Girls
Dramatization, "Little Miss Muffet," "Humpty, Dumpty," "Cock-a-Doodle-Do."
An allegorical play, "Blossoming Flowers," ... Central Kindergarten
May-pole Dance . Knox Kindergarten

—Trade at Home—

FAILS IN ATTEMPT TO RESCUE DROWNING MAN

W. J. Brown of This City Sees Victim Go Down in Union Lake Sunday.

George H. Brown, 40 years old and married, was drowned in Union Lake Sunday while fishing from a rowboat which capsized and tipped him into the water. His fall into the water was witnessed by Miss Ruth Brown, daughter of W. J. Brown, attorney of Thief River Falls, who has a cottage on the edge of the lake in Godfrey township. Mr. Brown went to the rescue of the drowning man in a motor boat but the man had gone down for the last time before he reached the scene.

The drowned man, who was a farmer living north of Erskine, had borrowed a boat from the Martin O'Brien boat house and had gone out in the middle of Union Lake. The boat was not water tight and had evidently half filled with water before it capsized. Brown had stuffed the cracks with paper to keep the water out and had stood up on the seat to keep dry and to cast his fishing line. It is believed that while casting Brown stepped on one side of the boat and the water laden craft tipped over.

—Trade at Home—

Bring Suit Against City For Price of Dead Horse

LaCoe & Fontain, draymen, have filed an action in district court against the city of Thief River Falls claiming damages in the sum of $200 for the loss of a horse. The animals fell into an excavation for water mains on Second street last summer and was so badly injured that it had to be killed.

City Attorney Chommie was instructed to deny responsibility on the part of the city in any event as well as any negligence on the part of the contractors, Holt & George. The action, while brought against the city, is in fact against the last-named concern, as the bonds of the latter protect the city in any such contingency.

The case will undoubtedly come up for hearing at the June term of court.

Paving Held Up For Spell By the Court

Judge Grindeland Grants Temporary Restraining Order Last Tuesday.

Petitioners Are Same as Have Steadily Objected to the Improvement.

Council Prepared to Present Case When Called on June 8.

The expected has happened and those objecting to the paving of the business streets of Thief River Falls have succeeded in securing a temporary injunction stopping the city council from going ahead with the work. The restraining order was signed by Judge Andrew Grindeland at Warren on Tuesday and made returnable June 8 at chambers in the same city.

The petition was presented by Attorney Theo. Quale and signed by M. V. Evenson, Olaf Ramstad, W. W. Prichard, Sr., Rasmus Oen and J. J. Aga. No irregularities in the proceedings are charged and the order is asked for principally on the ground that the streets of the city are at the present time unfit for paving by reason of having recently been torn up by excavations for water mains, etc.

Hinges on Supreme Court.

The petitioners further allege that the city has not at the present time sufficient funds available for paving; that it will be necessary to issue bonds or certificates in order to provide the needed money and that such securities cannot be issued unless authorized by a vote of the people. A case now pending before the supreme court on appeal from a decision of the district court of Washington county covers this point and there was no intention on the part of the council in this city to proceed until such decision had been announced.

Council Is Ready.

Notice of the injunction was sent to Mayor Bratrud and City Clerk Akre and read at the meeting of the council on Tuesday evening. City Attorney H. O. Chommie was instructed to make answer to all allegations made in the petition and to prepare to oppose the injunction being made permanent at the hearing on the 8th.

—Trade at Home—

LIVESTOCK PAVILION DRIVE BIG SUCCESS

Predicted That All Counties Will Have Reached Quota By June 1.

The Red River Valley live stock pavilion drive is meeting with splendid success in the counties where the committees have been at work during the past week. Polk county has nearly reached its quota of $10,000, only nine townships in the eastern part of the county remaining to canvass. Two townships, Lee and Hendrum, in western Norman county raised $3600 in a two day drive under the leadership of Mandren, Rustad and Canning. Vigorous work is being done in all of the other nine counties where the drive has just begun so that by June first it is expected that the $200,000 required will be reached. All realize the great benefits derived from this association which has already made a record even in its infancy that is attracting nation-wide attention.

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Chew-Chew, Health Clown, Gives Kiddies Good Advice.

Chew-Chew, the health clown, was here at the request of the Pennington County Public Health association, and proved a great attraction for the boys and girls Monday when he appeared at the Lincoln school. Chew-Chew tells the youngsters how to become strong and healthy and puts his message across in a way that makes it stick. Health rules pertaining to the welfare of children are given. They are told what to eat and what to avoid, how to go to bed [illegible] ally in [illegible] against [illegible] ease.

Chew-Chew carries with him a little puppy that furnishes a great deal of fun for the youngsters and assists the speaker in [illegible] his advice. The idea is a good one as it brings facts home to the children in a way that cannot [illegible] them.

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Thorough acquaintance with modern [illegible] do much to [illegible] problems [illegible] home and [illegible] often are [illegible] formation [illegible] immense [illegible]

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Everyone will be glad to see prices come down and there are strong indications that a movement in that direction has started. New York banks through credit restrictions compelled extensive liquidations and a cut was forced on business men in order to supply cash in the shortest possible time. The New York move was reflected throughout the country and during the past week there has been a regular cyclone of price-cutting. Just how far the pendulum will swing in this direction it is impossible to foretell. There are those who maintain that the high-price era is at an end and that the decline will continue until a normal base is reached. Others are as strongly of the opinion that the slump is only temporary and that high costs will come back with a bang, soaring past even the present figures. The latter class back up their assertions with the statement that essential first costs, such as labor and material, have not been reduced and while these remain at their present level it is impossible for the final price to drop for any length of time. Manufacturers, they say, may find it necessary to lower the bars in order to meet pressing obligations, but that the demand still exceeds the supply and high first costs still prevail. Under these conditions they figure there can be no lasting reduction.

However that may be, this is probably a good time to buy. The effect of the cut is being felt even in the smaller communities and there is an effort to secure the cash early by a general reduction. Particularly is this noted in the wearing apparel lines. Retail merchants in this city are reducing stocks and the buyer can now supply his wants at a figure very much below that of a month ago. It is not likely that things will go much lower than they already are, at least not for some time. Any general break would prove a hardship on the retailer. He purchased his present stock at the top of the market and if forced to unload everything he carries at a heavy reduction it may mean disaster for many. This is realized and every effort is being made to keep things steady, at the same time forcing a gradual reduction.

The right time to buy is now. A person cannot lose much because of further reductions and he may be saving a great deal because of future increases.

IT WILL COME SOMETIME.

The plan proposed for putting the public utilities of Thief River Falls in the hands of a commission is a good one, but that providing for a commission form of government for the entire city is much better. Practically the same purpose would be served and the latter plan is the more modern and satisfactory.

It might be that the people would again vote down a proposal to change the system under which the city is governed, but it can do no harm to discuss it. Such at least is evidently the opinion of the council members. Some day this will be the plan adopted and any discussion as to the best means of bringing it about is of value even though nothing positive is accomplished for the time being.

Many persons who voted against the change three years ago would without question favor it now. They have had time to study the subject more thoroughly and have besides the example of a larger number of communities to go by. They know, if they have cared to look the matter up, that not in a single instance where the commission form has been tried out has a municipality gone back to the old way of doing business. The superiority of the later model is at once so apparent that nothing could induce people who have once experienced its benefits to change back to the old haphazard and cumbersome aldermanic plan.

But these things can not be brought about in a day—particularly in Thief River Falls. Our people are conservative—perhaps too much so at times—and seem adverse to making any changes so long as the old plan works out in any degree satisfactorily. For this reason they may occasionally fall behind their neighbors for a short spell but they are all the better prepared when the time comes for them to alter the order of things.

It is not likely that any real effort will be made to bring about this change at this time. The council members are talking about it, however, and as before stated, this is a good thing. The commission form is bound to come before very long and the more thoroughly our people are posted on its details the better it will work out.

IS ANYBODY'S FIGHT.

The Republican national convention is only eight days away and yet there is not the slighest indication of who will be nominated. Gen. Leonard Wood will probably receive the largest vote on the first ballot, although the supporters of Senator Hiram Johnson deny this. According to the general's backers he will have from 297 to 302 votes at the outset, which will be increased by from 12 to 20 votes on the second and that he will be nominated on the third or fourth ballot. The Johnson men set the same stage in the convention's deliberations for the nomination of their man but claim that he will have a total of 336 to start with.

Gov. Lowden of Illinois has 78 votes pledged and Senator Harding of Ohio has the 39 from his state. There are a number of contests to be decided but it is doubtful if these will result in material changes being made.

It is generally admitted that the chances of Wood will gradually dwindle if he cannot capture the nomination before the fifth ballot. Johnson's situation is not much better and the other two leading candidates are not anywhere considered in the race unless something altogether unforseen happens. And this is just what is very liable to happen. Many well-posted men in all sections of the country maintain that the next candidate for president on the Republican ticket is not to be found among the four high men at this time but that a dark horse will be the winner. There are different views as to who this will be, Ex-President Taft and Charles E. Hughes being those mentioned as the most likely parties. Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania is also regarded as a possibility as is Governor Coolidge of Massachusets.

No candidate is apparently going into that convention with the intention of quitting early. Because of the large number of uninstructed delegates there is likely to be a fight to the last ditch with the chances steadily growing less for the present favorites.

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WHAT SHALL WE DO WITH THE LIARS

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This fair city of ours seems to be afflicted with the presence of a few low-down liars who will stoop to anything in order to injure the reputation for honesty and decency built up by a firm or individual. This class of people start and circulate the most ridiculous and absurd falsehoods with no other intent than that of injuring their fellow-citizens. And the most surprising part of it is that we have people—and lots of them—so narrow minded that they believe these things and even repeat them with the evident intention of having them taken as fact. And as tongues waggle the lies grow.

Some time ago an insane story was started to the effect that we had attempted to have the passes taken away from the railroad men's wives (some power, we are) and many people swallowed the yarn—bait, hook and sinker. These stories were believed, as similar tales so often are. There is no trouble in finding people who will accept a thing as the truth so long as it is bad and rotten enough, and deals with the doings of their neighbors and does not apply to themselves. If it is something GOOD about anybody they hardly take the trouble to notice it. Start a scandal or something reflecting on a person's or concern's honesty or honor and it grows into a cyclone black as mud.

"Oh, yes. Did you hear so-and-so? It's very exciting! Why, all the LIVE merchants in the city and some of the DEAD ones were arrested for profiteering."

That is one of the stories. No one but the liars knew of it. Not a merchant in this city has ever been even approached by an agent of the government on the subject of profiteering. Not one is a profiteer and any government official who cared to make an investigation would be convinced of the fact before having been in the city an hour. But how the tongues did run and how that story spread!

Another example: It was reported that certain merchants in the city had made an attempt to have passes for the families of railroad men cancelled. The object of this presumably was to prevent their going out of the city for their goods.

Now here is a tip. Our influence is so great that next week we are going to stop all the railroads from running and the officials will all have to go on a vacation because we want it that way. If we can stop the roads from issuing passes—and while the lines are under government control at that—we should not have much trouble in stopping transportation altogether. Surely it must be plain to you that there is nothing we cannot do if we but make up our minds to try.

We are getting just a little tired of all this and an example is going to be made of someone—providing we can catch him, or her. We therefore make the following offer: The next time someone starts a story of this kind reflecting on our honor or honesty and calculated to injure our business, grab him by the collar and bring him to a member of this association. We will pay you ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for your trouble. AND REMEMBER, this offer holds good at any time as we are going to make the liars of Thief River Falls put up or shut up.

We have stood all this tomfoolery as long as we are going to. From now on we will prosecute every last one of these falsehood-spreaders until we have cleared the field of this kind of foul weed.

The business houses of Thief River Falls enjoy a reputation for square dealing that brings people from long distances here to trade. This reputation has been built up by years of the most careful kind of work and we do not propose to permit some disreputable ignoramus to injure our business by spreading broadcast lies of this character. We are entitled to better treatment at the hands of those whom we honestly try to serve.

If the merchants of Thief River Falls had ever been found wanting it would be a different thing. But they have not. Never has a worthy enterprise been presented that has not had their full support. It has not mattered what the object. If money is needed for any purpose we are the ones who contribute most liberally, whether it is for new buildings at the fair grounds, for aid to Fergus Falls, Cloquet or Mud Lake. The merchcants of Thief River Falls are the friends of the people of the neighborhood and not their enemies. This has been proven too often to need reiteration. They ask neither credit nor praise for this. They simply acted as do the merchants of other progressive American cities. On the other hand, they certainly should not come in for an avalanche of misrepresentation and abuse at a time when merchandising conditions leave them up against the hardest proposition of their lives.

Retail Merchants Association of Thief River Falls

P. S.—All stores in Thief River Falls will be closed on Monday in order that proprietors and employes may fittingly observe Memorial Day.

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LARGE CROWD HEARS ADDRESS TO SENIORS

Rev. Barackman Delivers Impressive Sermon at Auditorium Sunday.

An audience that nearly filled the auditorium listened to the baccalaureate address for the graduating class of the Thief River Falls high school delivered by Rev. R. L. Barackman last Sunday forenoon. The pastor took for his subject, "Vision," and showed how this must be applied to matters of every day life if one is to succeed.

The young man or woman starting out in life with vision and a determination to make that vision come true has already one of the great requisites for achieving success, said the speaker. For the most complete development of any life some sort of goal is absolutely necessary, he said, and the higher this goal is placed the greater will be its value and the more it is worth striving for.

Enumerating many of the greatest men the country has produced, Rev. Barackman called attention to their success in different lines and said that this could not have been possible were it not that they had a vision, combined with confidence and perseverance. In this country, said the speaker, nothing is impossible for the young man or woman who earnestly strives to make the most of whatever opportunities are presented, and cited instances to prove his contention. The mind can arrive at its full development only when a goal is visualized, whether this be in the direction of material or spiritual things.

The sermon was one of the best heard on an occasion of this kind in the city and the direct manner of its delivery should make a lasting impression on the minds of the young Americans to whom it was particularly directed.

HIGH SCHOOL PAGEANT BEAUTIFUL SPECTACLE

The senior class of the Thief River Falls high school on Monday and Tuesday evenings presented the pageant, "The Light," to large audiences at the auditorium. It is an elaborate presentation, requiring in the neighborhood of 200 participants. These were taken from the different school classes.

The aim of the pageant is to show the advance of education throughout the ages and is divided into eleven episodes and a prologue. The feature roles were taken by Miss Agnes Tandberg as Education and Roy Flattum as the doubter. The characters were handled in a manner that showed careful study of the meaning as well as keen appreciation of the possibilities of the parts. Their work was consistently good throughout and no little part of the success attending the entertainment is due to their fine impersonation.

A particularly pleasing feature of the performance was the representation of Greek and Roman statuary by young men students at the high school. The different methods of instruction employed at different stages of the world's progress were depicted with fidelity and an earnest endeavor to achieve historical correctness. Step by step the progress made in methods of education from the earliest stages was depicted until the last scene showed a modern school during one of the busy periods of its sessions.

An exhibition of soft-toned dancing with Miss Mary Vance in the solo part was very graceful and pleasing. The grouping was beautiful and the girls well trained.

The affair was a success from first to last and those in charge have every reason to feel gratified over the result.

—Trade at Home—

Society

Reierson-Aspelund.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Erick Aspelund home, 412 Knight avenue north at six o'clock on Sunday evening, when their daughter, Miss Millie Aspelund was united in marriage to Tilfred J. Reierson. Rev. Geo. Larson pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, was the officiating minister while Miss Anna Aspelund and George Aspelund, sister and brother of the bride were the only attendants. The room was tastefully decorated in roses and carnations. The bride was attired in a gown of white georgette. Both are highly respected and well known to residents of this community. Mr. Reierson holds the position as secretary of the Oen Mercantile company, while the bride has been employed as saleslady for the Oen Mercantile company for a number of years until her resignation a short time ago. A sumptuous wedding supper was served to the guests which included the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Reierson will reside in this city having rented a home on Main avenue north. Their many friends join in wishing them all the joys of a happy wedded life.

—Trade at Home—

For Miss Wilson.

In compliment to her sister, Miss Agnes Wilson, whose marriage to L. T. Rank of Dover, Minn., will take place the early part of June, Mrs. John Ward pleasantly entertained a number of young ladies at her home, Markley avenue north, on Friday evening. During the hours the guests busied themselves by tying a quilt for the bride-to-be. At midnight a sumptuous lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Ferdie Brown. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were Misses Ella Evans, Rosa M. Taylor, Gena Granum, Dora Holmes, Avis Akre, Lillian Poppitz, Irene Patrick, Avis Akre, Zella Zeh, Marie Nelson, Irma Johnson, Grace Wilson, Agnes Wilson, Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, and Meta Kiland.

—Trade at Home—

Honoring Miss Shafer.

A number of ladies from this city enjoyed a picnic lunch at Rosewood last Thursday afternoon, the event having been arranged by Mrs. A. S. Sapero in honor of her sister, Miss Janet Shafer of Minneapolis who was her guest. The party was taken to the above named place in the Sapero and Nielai cars and included the Mesdames L. L. Cohn, Geo. Biddick, Scott Laird, F. C. Nielai, H. F. Booren, A. S. Sapero and Miss Janet Shafer. The ladies returned to this city in the evening.

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Karwand-Olson.

Edwin C. Karwand and Miss Bertha Olson were quietly married in Warren April 29, by Rev. K. Windberg. Only the immediate relatives were present at the ceremony. They will be at home to their many friends at 328 Merriam avenue, this city, after May 20. Miss Olson is well known by local people having formerly resided here with her parents and only a few years ago taught in the city schools. The groom was at one time employed as bookkeeper at the Citizens State bank in this city and at present is cashier of the Hazel State bank. Their many friends will wish them much happiness and prosperity.

—Trade at Home—

Entertain.

The Misses Ruby Bennes and Edythe Haugen informally entertained a number of their young friends at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Bridge street and St. Paul avenue, last Wednesday evening. Effective decorations were used in the living room and at 11:30 a delightful lunch was served by the hostesses. The following guests were present: Misses Mildred Haugdid, Esther Hadrath, Lucille McGinnity, Palma Langseth, Esther Bennes, Stella Nepstad, Irene Priskie, and Kermit Anderson, Allison Stitt, Forrest Ralston, Bernard Bischoff, Lloyd Bennes and Milton Larson. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. E. M. Bennes.

—Trade at Home—

Musical Recital.

Misses Pearl Weeks, Lois Nicholson, Mildred Engen and Grace Day, advanced pupils in Miss Blanche Johnson's school of music, will appear in a joint recital at the Presbyterian church this evening at 8 o'clock. The following program will be offered:

"Spring" ---------------- Grieg
"Egyptian Dance ------------ Friml
"Valse Trieste" ---------- Sevilius
"Mountain Spring" -------- Bohn
By Pearl Weeks
"Rustle of Spring" -------- Sinding
"Rhapsody March" ---------- Liszt
By Lois Nicholson
"Serenata" ------------ Moskowski
"Barcarolle" -------------- Nevin
"Hall of the Mountain King" -- Grieg
"Barcarolle" ------------- Jenson
"Columbine Minuet" ------ Delahaye
By Mildred Engen
"Water Lily" ----------- MacDowell
"To an Indian Lodge" --- MacDowell
"Indian Mazurka" --------- Godard
By Grace Day

—Trade at Home—

For Miss Erickson.

Honoring her sister, Miss Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, who is her guest, Mrs. Ed. Dolan entertained a number of young ladies at her home on Thursday evening. The hours were devoted to cards and at eleven o'clock a very delicious lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. John Bratrud. The guests included the Misses Alice Erickson, Avis Akre, Agnes Wilson, Zella Zeh, Doris Brumund, Marie Nelson, Grace Wilson and Meta Kiland.

—Trade at Home—

Honoring Mrs. Boreen.

Mesdames J. O. Yotter, C. T. Christianson and H. O. Loken are entertaining the O. D. O. club at a six-thirty luncheon this evening in honor of Mrs. Wm. Boreen who leaves shortly for Rhinelander, Wis., where the family will reside. Covers were laid for twenty. The color scheme used throughout the luncheon was lavender and white and lilacs in the same colors were used for decoration.

—Trade at Home—

Theater Party.

Miss Doris Brumund was a charming hostess at a thater party on Tuesday evening. After witnessing the noted picture, "The Great Question," the guests were taken to Black's Sweet shop where refreshments were served. The party was given in compliment to Miss Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Dolan.

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It is now necessary to convert into money many thousands of dollars worth of the present stock to pay off Mr. S. Sapero.

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Everyone will be glad to see prices come down and there are strong indications that a movement in that direction has started. New York banks through credit restrictions compelled extensive liquidations and a cut was forced on business men in order to supply cash in the shortest possible time. The New York move was reflected throughout the country, and during the past week there has been a regular cyclone of price-cutting. Just how far the pendulum will swing in this direction it is impossible to foretell. There are those who maintain that the high-price era is at an end and that the decline will continue until a normal base is reached. Others are as strongly of the opinion that the slump is only temporary and that high costs will come back with a bang, soaring past even the present figures. The latter class back up their assertions with the statement that essential first costs, such as labor and material, have not been reduced and while these remain at their present level it is impossible for the final price to drop for any length of time. Manufacturers, they say, may find it necessary to lower the bars in order to meet pressing obligations, but that the demand still exceeds the supply and high first costs still prevail. Under these conditions they figure there can be no lasting reduction.

However that may be, this is probably a good time to buy. The effect of the cut is being felt even in the smaller communities and there is an effort to secure the cash early by a general reduction. Particularly is this noted in the wearing apparel lines. Retail merchants in this city are reducing stocks and the buyer can now supply his wants at a figure very much below that of a month ago. It is not likely that things will go much lower than they already are, at least not for some time. Any general break would prove a hardship on the retailer. He purchased his present stock at the top of the market and if forced to unload everything he carries at a heavy reduction it may mean disaster for many. This is realized and every effort is being made to keep things steady, at the same time forcing a gradual reduction.

The right time to buy is now. A person cannot lose much because of further reductions and he may be saving a great deal because of future increases.

IT WILL COME SOMETIME.

The plan proposed for putting the public utilities of Thief River Falls in the hands of a commission is a good one, but that providing for a commission form of government for the entire city is much better. Practically the same purpose would be served and the latter plan is the more modern and satisfactory.

It might be that the people would again vote down a proposal to change the system under which the city is governed, but it can do no harm to discuss it. Such at least is evidently the opinion of the council members. Some day this will be the plan adopted and any discussion as to the best means of bringing it about is of value even though nothing positive is accomplished for the time being.

Many persons who voted against the change three years ago would without question favor it now. They have had time to study the subject more thoroughly and have besides the example of a larger number of communities to go by. They know, if they have cared to look the matter up, that not in a single instance where the commission form has been tried out has a municipality gone back to the old way of doing business. The superiority of the later model is at once so apparent that nothing could induce people who have once experienced its benefits to change back to the old haphazard and cumbersome aldermanic plan.

But these things can not be brought about in a day—particularly in Thief River Falls. Our people are conservative—perhaps too much so at times—and seem adverse to making any changes so long as the old plan works out in any degree satisfactorily. For this reason they may occasionally fall behind their neighbors for a short spell but they are all the better prepared when the time comes for them to alter the order of things.

It is not likely that any real effort will be made to bring about this change at this time. The council members are talking about it, however, and as before stated, this is a good thing. The commission form is bound to come before very long and the more thoroughly our people are posted on its details the better it will work out.

IS ANYBODY'S FIGHT.

The Republican national convention is only eight days away and yet there is not the slighest indication of who will be nominated. Gen. Leonard Wood will probably receive the largest vote on the first ballot, although the supporters of Senator Hiram Johnson deny this. According *to the general's backers he will have* from 297 to 302 votes at the outset, which will be increased by from 12 to 20 votes on the second and that he will be nominated on the third or fourth ballot. The Johnson men set the same stage in the convention's deliberations for the nomination of their man but claim that he will have a total of 335 to start with.

Gov. Lowden of Illinois has 78 votes pledged and Senator Harding of Ohio has the 39 from his state. There are a number of contests to be decided but it is doubtful if these will result in material changes being made.

It is generally admitted that the chances of Wood will gradually dwindle if he cannot capture the nomination before the fifth ballot. Johnson's situation is not much better and the other two leading candidates are not anywhere considered in the race unless something altogether unforseen happens. And this is just what is very liable to happen. Many well-posted men in all sections of the country maintain that the next candidate for president on the Republican ticket is not to be found among the four high men at this time but that a dark horse will be the winner. There are different views as to who this will be, Ex-President Taft and Charles E. Hughes being those mentioned as the most likely parties. Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania is also regarded as a possibility as is Governor Coolidge of Massachusets.

No candidate is apparently going into that convention with the intention of quitting early. Because of the large number of uninstructed delegates there is likely to be a fight to the last ditch with the chances steadily growing less for the present favorites.

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WHAT SHALL WE DO WITH THE LIARS

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This fair city of ours seems to be afflicted with the presence of a few low-down liars who will stoop to anything in order to injure the reputation for honesty and decency built up by a firm or individual. This class of people start and circulate the most ridiculous and absurd falsehoods with no other intent than that of injuring their fellow-citizens. And the most surprising part of it is that we have people—and lots of them—so narrow minded that they believe these things and even repeat them with the evident intention of having them taken as fact. And as tongues waggle the lies grow.

Some time ago an insane story was started to the effect that we had attempted to have the passes taken away from the railroad men's wives (some power, we are) and many people swallowed the yarn—bait, hook and sinker. These stories were believed, as similar tales so often are. There is no trouble in finding people who will accept a thing as the truth so long as it is bad and rotten enough, and deals with the doings of their neighbors and does not apply to themselves. If it is something GOOD about anybody they hardly take the trouble to notice it. Start a scandal or something reflecting on a person's or concern's honesty or honor and it grows into a cyclone black as mud.

"Oh, yes. Did you hear so-and-so? It's very exciting! Why, all the LIVE merchants in the city and some of the DEAD ones were arrested for profiteering."

That is one of the stories. No one but the liars knew of it. Not a merchant in this city has ever been even approached by an agent of the government on the subject of profiteering. Not one is a profiteer and any government official who cared to make an investigation would be convinced of the fact before having been in the city an hour. But how the tongues did run and how that story spread!

Another example: It was reported that certain merchants in the city had made an attempt to have passes for the families of railroad men cancelled. The object of this presumably was to prevent their going out of the city for their goods.

Now here is a tip. Our influence is so great that next week we are going to stop all the railroads from running and the officials will all have to go on a vacation because we want it that way. If we can stop the roads from issuing passes—and while the lines are under government control at that—we should not have much trouble in stopping transportation altogether. Surely it must be plain to you that there is nothing we cannot do if we but make up our minds to try.

We are getting just a little tired of all this and an example is going to be made of someone—providing we can catch him, or her. We therefore make the following offer: The next time someone starts a story of this kind reflecting on our honor or honesty and calculated to injure our business, grab him by the collar and bring him to a member of this association. We will pay you ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for your trouble. AND REMEMBER, this offer holds good at any time as we are going to make the liars of Thief River Falls put up or shut up.

We have stood all this tomfoolery as long as we are going to. From now on we will prosecute every last one of these falsehood-spreaders until we have cleared the field of this kind of foul weed.

The business houses of Thief River Falls enjoy a reputation for square dealing that brings people from long distances here to trade. This reputation has been built up by years of the most careful kind of work and we do not propose to permit some disreputable ignoramus to injure our business by spreading broadcast lies of this character. We are entitled to better treatment at the hands of those whom we honestly try to serve.

If the merchants of Thief River Falls had ever been found wanting it would be a different thing. But they have not. Never has a worthy enterprise been presented that has not had their full support. It has not mattered what the object. If money is needed for any purpose we are the ones who contribute most liberally, whether it is for new buildings at the fair grounds, for aid to Fergus Falls, Cloquet or Mud Lake. The merchcants of Thief River Falls are the friends of the people of the neighborhood and not their enemies. This has been proven too often to need reiteration. They ask neither credit nor praise for this. They simply acted as do the merchants of other progressive American cities. On the other hand, they certainly should not come in for an avalanche of misrepresentation and abuse at a time when merchandising conditions leave them up against the hardest proposition of their lives.

Retail Merchants Association of Thief River Falls

P. S.—All stores in Thief River Falls will be closed on Monday in order that proprietors and employes may fittingly observe Memrial Day.

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LARGE CROWD HEARS ADDRESS TO SENIORS

Rev. Barackman Delivers Impressive Sermon at Auditorium Sunday.

An audience that nearly filled the auditorium listened to the baccalaureate address for the graduating class of the Thief River Falls high school delivered by Rev. R. L. Barackman last Sunday forenoon. The pastor took for his subject, "Vision," and showed how this must be applied to matters of every day life if one is to succeed.

The young man or woman starting out in life with vision and a determination to make that vision come true has already one of the great requisites for achieving success, said the speaker. For the most complete development of any life some sort of goal is absolutely necessary, he said, and the higher this goal is placed the greater will be its value and the more it is worth striving for.

Enumerating many of the greatest men the country has produced, Rev. Barackman called attention to their success in different lines and said that this could not have been possible were it not that they had a vision, combined with confidence and perseverance. In this country, said the speaker, nothing is impossible for the young man or woman who earnestly strives to make the most of whatever opportunities are presented, and cited instances to prove his contention. The mind can arrive at its full development only when a goal is visualized, whether this be in the direction of material or spiritual things.

The sermon was one of the best heard on an occasion of this kind in the city and the direct manner of its delivery should make a lasting impression on the minds of the young Americans to whom it was particularly directed.

HIGH SCHOOL PAGEANT BEAUTIFUL SPECTACLE

The senior class of the Thief River Falls high school on Monday and Tuesday evenings presented the pageant, "The Light," to large audiences at the auditorium. It is an elaborate presentation, requiring in the neighborhood of 200 participants. These were taken from the different school classes.

The aim of the pageant is to show the advance of education throughout the ages and is divided into eleven episodes and a prologue. The feature roles were taken by Miss Agnes Tandberg as Education and Roy Flattum as the doubter. The characters were handled in a manner that showed careful study of the meaning as well as keen appreciation of the possibilities of the parts. Their work was consistently good throughout and no little part of the success attending the entertainment is due to their fine impersonation.

A particularly pleasing feature of the performance was the representation of Greek and Roman statuary by young men students at the high school. The different methods of instruction employed at different stages of the world's progress were depicted with fidelity and an earnest endeavor to achieve historical correctness. Step by step the progress made in methods of education from the earliest stages was depicted until the last scene showed a modern school during one of the busy periods of its sessions.

An exhibition of soft-toned dancing with Miss Mary Vance in the solo part was very graceful and pleasing. The grouping was beautiful and the girls well trained.

The affair was a success from first to last and those in charge have every reason to feel gratified over the result.

—Trade at Home—

Society

Reierson-Aspelund.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Erick Aspelund home, 412 Knight avenue north at six o'clock on Sunday evening, when their daughter, Miss Millie Aspelund was united in marriage to Tilfred J. Reierson. Rev. Geo. Larson pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, was the officiating minister while Miss Anna Aspelund and George Aspelund, sister and brother of the bride were the only attendants. The room was tastefully decorated in roses and carnations. The bride was attired in a gown of white georgette. Both are highly respected and well known to residents of this community. Mr. Reierson holds the position as secretary of the Oen Mercantile company, while the bride has been employed as saleslady for the Oen Mercantile company for a number of years until her resignation a short time ago. A sumptuous wedding supper was served to the guests which included the immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Reierson will reside in this city having rented a home on Main avenue north. Their many friends join in wishing them all the joys of a happy wedded life.

—Trade at Home—

For Miss Wilson.

In compliment to her sister, Miss Agnes Wilson, whose marriage to L. T. Rank of Dover, Minn., will take place the early part of June, Mrs. John Ward pleasantly entertained a number of young ladies at her home, Markley avenue north, on Friday evening. During the hours the guests busied themselves by tying a quilt for the bride-to-be. At midnight a sumptuous lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Ferdie Brown. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were Misses Ella Evans, Rosa M. Taylor, Gena Granum, Dora Holmes, Avis Akre, Lillian Poppitz, Irene Patrick, Avis Akre, Zella Zeh, Marie Nelson, Irma Johnson, Grace Wilson, Agnes Wilson, Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, and Meta Kiland.

—Trade at Home—

Honoring Miss Shafer.

A number of ladies from this city enjoyed a picnic lunch at Rosewood last Thursday afternoon, the event having been arranged by Mrs. A. S. Sapero in honor of her sister, Miss Janet Shafer of Minneapolis who was her guest. The party was taken to the above named place in the Sapero and Nielai cars and included the Mesdames L. L. Cohn, Geo. Biddick, Scott Laird, F. C. Nielai, H. F. Booren, A. S. Sapero and Miss Janet Shafer. The ladies returned to this city in the evening.

—Trade at Home—

Karwand-Olson.

Edwin C. Karwand and Miss Bertha Olson were quietly married in Warren April 29, by Rev. K. Windberg. Only the immediate relatives were present at the ceremony. They will be at home to their many friends at 328 Merriam avenue, this city, after May 20. Miss Olson is well known by local people having formerly resided here with her parents and only a few years ago taught in the city schools. The groom was at one time employed as bookkeeper at the Citizens State bank in this city and at present is cashier of the Hazel State bank. Their many friends will wish them much happiness and prosperity.

—Trade at Home—

Entertain.

The Misses Ruby Bennes and Edythe Haugen informally entertained a number of their young friends at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Bridge street and St. Paul avenue, last Wednesday evening. Effective decorations were used in the living room and at 11:30 a delightful lunch was served by the hostesses. The following guests were present: Misses Mildred Haughlid, Esther Hadrath, Lucille McGinnity, Palma Langseth, Esther Bennes, Stella Nepstad, Irene Priskie, and Kermit Anderson, Allison Stitt, Forrest Ralston, Bernard Bischoff, Lloyd Bennes and Milton Larson. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. E. M. Bennes.

—Trade at Home—

Musical Recital.

Misses Pearl Weeks, Lois Nicholson, Mildred Engen and Grace Day, advanced pupils in Miss Blanche Johnson's school of music, will appear in a joint recital at the Presbyterian church this evening at 8 o'clock. The following program will be offered:

"Spring"	Grieg
"Egyptian Dance"	Friml
"Valse Trieste"	Sevilina
"Mountain Spring"	Bohn
By Pearl Weeks	
"Rustle of Spring"	Sinding
"Rhapsody March"	Liszt
By Lois Nicholson	
"Serenata"	Moskowski
"Barcarolle"	Nevin
"Hall of the Mountain King"	Grieg
"Barcarolle"	Jenson
"Columbine Minuet"	Delahaye
By Mildred Engen	
"Water Lily"	MacDowell
"To an Indian Lodge"	MacDowell
"Indian Mazurka"	Godard
By Grace Day	

—Trade at Home—

For Miss Erickson.

Honoring her sister, Miss Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, who is her guest, Mrs. Ed. Dolan entertained a number of young ladies at her home on Thursday evening. The hours were devoted to cards and at eleven o'clock a very delicious lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. John Bratrud. The guests included the Misses Alice Erickson, Avis Akre, Agnes Wilson, Zella Zeh, Doris Brumund, Marie Nelson, Grace Wilson and Meta Kiland.

—Trade at Home—

Honoring Mrs. Boreen.

Mesdames J. O. Yotter, C. T. Christianson and H. O. Loken are entertaining the O. D. O. club at a six-thirty luncheon this evening in honor of Mrs. Wm. Boreen who leaves shortly for Rhinelander, Wis., where the family will reside. Covers were laid for twenty. The color scheme used throughout the luncheon was lavender and white and lilacs in the same colors were used for decoration.

—Trade at Home—

Theater Party.

Miss Doris Brumund was a charming hostess at a thater party on Tuesday evening. After witnessing the noted picture, "The Great Question," the guests were taken to Black's Sweet shop where refreshments were served. The party was given in compliment to Miss Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Dolan.

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Gigantic Dissolution Sale

The headlines above tell you frankly the exact facts. A Sapero and M. Sapero have arranged to buy out their father, S. Sapero, interests in Thief River Falls, Chisholm, and Hibbing, Minn., 3 big stores. Mr. S. Sapero retires after 20 years in the retail business and will move to Los Angeles, California. A. Sapero will still manage the Thief River Falls store as in the past.

It is now necessary to convert into money many thousands of dollars worth of the present stock to pay off Mr. S. Sapero.

Come and see the wonderful bargains.

Sale Begins
Friday, May 28
and continues with fury until a large part of this stock is turned into cash.
STORE CLOSED THURSDAY TO ARRANGE STOCK

SPARE NOTHING ARE THE ORDERS; $15,000 MUST and WILL be raised to pay out Mr. S. Sapero. We have given the word to clear the decks for final action now! We have plunged the knife deep into the prices in order to raise the necessary amount. Our entire $50,000 stock is at the mercy of the people—NOW. The store will be closed THURSDAY to arrange stock and cut prices as never before. Come for miles to take advantage of this wonderful bargain feast. Get your share of the greatest of all bargains we have here—

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Store Hours Daily; 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Saturdays until 9:30 P. M.

LOKEN BROTHERS'

Store Closed all day Memorial Day, Monday, May 31st, 1920.

7th Annual Anniversary Sale

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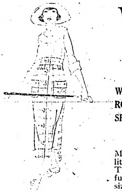

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Ladies' full length Tweed Coats, all sizes, at . . . **$15.00**

Misses' Sport model short Tweed Coats, leather trimmed . . . **$9.95**

10 Women's New Spring Suits **$19.95** You'll be surprised at theses wonderful values. Every Suit was regularly $30, $29.95, $27.50 and $25.00. Come take your choice out of this lot now, at only ------------------ $19.95

5 Women's fine Men's-wear Serge Suits **$49.95** Only five beautiful Suits in this lot. Every one of them worth $65.00 each. Now come, take your choice at this Big Saving, choice ------------------ $49.95

3 Women's fine all wool Tricotine Suits, Printzess and Wooltex makes, now go at **$58.50** The season's finest offering. Everyone of them worth $85.00. A wonderful bargain at each -------------- $58.50

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12 Women's $60.00 Suits, fine Tricotines and Serges, choice, each $39.95

Women's and Misses' Coats at Unheard of Prices

$7.95 For Shepherdchecked Girls' full length Coats, new stock just received. Sizes 10-12-14 years.

$19.95 A choice of ten splendid coats, everyone of them $30.00, $28.50 and $25.00 values. If you can use a good coat at a bargain, get one of this lot.

$29.95 The wonder lot of them all. 40 beautiful new Coats. Our $50.00, $45.00, $42.50 and $35.00 coats go in this big assortment of all styles and sizes at only---------$29.95

$39.95 Eleven of the season's finest $75.00 and $65.00 Coats. They must be sold all of them at once. Therefore this big loss.

$58.50 Only three wonderful $85.00 Coats in this lot. There are none better nor none finer produced than these 3 handsome coats. Now at --------------- $58.50

Dress Prices Take an Awful Tumble

LOT NO. 1 of 26 Dresses. Come take your choice at just HALF PRICE.

$28.50 Dresses, now------**$14.25** | $35.00 Dresses, now------**$17.50** | $40.00 Dresses, now------**$20.00** | $50.00 Dresses, now------**$25.00** | $60.00 Dresses, now------**$30.00**

Lot No. 2—One big rack of new $35.00 Silk Dresses. A wonder Value, now each --------------------------- **$19.95**

Lot No. 3—Consists of a fine selection of Silk Georgette Waists worth double our special price of, each--------------- **$3.95**

The Famous John Wanamaker 20 per cent Reduction Sale

will hold good at this Sale on Everything in Our Ready-to-Wear Department not above listed. Remember this includes our entire stock of Waists, Blouses, Petticoats, both cottons and silks, Bloomers, Skirts, the newest Dresses, Kimonas, Furs, entire line of Children's new Gingham dresses; all our new Mina Taylor House Dresses and Aprons, Rain Coats and high grade Tweed Coats. Remember: No Approvals, No Laybys, No Alterations, No Exchanges. Every Sale for Spot Cash only. And no goods to dealers at these prices nor on this Sale.

Loken Brothers' Ready-to-Wear Dept.

This Sale Commences Friday, May 28th at 9 A. M., continuing for Seven Short days only.

LOKEN BROTHERS'

Seven successful years of merchandising in Thief River Falls. This, however, will be the best Birthday Sale of them all.

7th Annual Anniversary Sale

Just Received 400 Yards of fine pure Silk Tricolettes, plain solid weave, colors white, rose, pink, taupe, brown, black, navy, delph blue, turquoise blue; value per yard $8.00. At this sale per yard $4.50

1st Anniversary Sale of Shoes

Our Shoe Department was opened last July so this is its first opportunity to participate in

OUR BIG ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY SALE

In order to make this a memorial event, we shall offer you your choice of our entire stock of high grade shoes at special reduced prices for this Seven Day Sale Only!

Here Are the High Spots of Shoe Values

24 pair of ladies' brown Kid Exfords, Louis Heel. Sizes 3 to 8. A wonderful 1920 value. Special this Sale at pair **$5.55**

19 pair ladies' Patent Leather Pumps, Louis Heel. Sizes 2½ to 8. Another splendid 1920 value. Special this sale at pair **$5.55**

9 pair ladies' brown Kid Shoes, Louis Heel. Sizes 5 to 7½. A $13.00 Shoe. A close out style. Special this sale **$8.95**

10 pair ladies' Gray Kid Shoes, Military Heel, Sizes 4 to 7½. $8.50 values, now at -------------------- $5.95

21 Pair of Ladies' Gray Kid, Cloth Top, Military Heel. Sizes 2½ to 8. Special, pair---- **$6.80**

Ladies' and Misses' Shoes in Black, Kid and Brown Calf, Louis heel, Sizes 2½ to 8-- **$4.75**

Misses' Stitch-down smoked Elk Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2, low heel. A splendid Shoe at, pair **$3.60**

Misses' Kid and Brown Calf skin Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2. An unsual Shoe value at, pair **$3.85**

Children's all Patent Leather, 4-strap Roman Sandals, ribbon bow. Sizes 8½ to 11 **$4.40**

Children's same as above. Sizes 8½ to 11, wedge heel **$3.20**

Children's, same as above. Sizes 8½ to 11, at, pair **$2.80**

Good baby Shoes at Special prices at this sale.

Basement Shoes Over 100 pairs of $5.00 to $10.00 Shoes to choose from. Small sizes only, 2½, 3, 3½ and 4, at per pair------ **$1.99**

Ladies' Silk Hosiery

Overstocked is the word, on a big quantity of women's fine $2.50 Silk Stockings. We have them in all sizes—Black, White, Dark Brown. This Sale at per pair -------- **$1.89**

Ladies' cotton dark brown Hose just received, at pair------------ **65c**

Ladies' black Hose, all sizes; seconds. A wonderful value, at per pair------------------ **35c**

Tooth Paste, Bebeco or Pepsodent, at, tube ---------------------- **39c**

Colgates Talc. Powder. Special per can ---------------------- **19c**

Entire Stock of Women's Skirts Go at This Sale

These are all wool, navy and black Skirts. All-wool Plaid Skirts, Silk Taffeta Skirts and fancy Silk Skirts, besides White Cotton Skirts.

$ 7.50 Skirts, sale price	$ 6.00
$10.00 Skirts, sale price	$ 8.00
$12.50 Skirts, sale price	$10.00
$15.00 Skirts, sale price	$12.00
$18.00 Skirts, sale price	$14.40
$25.00 Skirts, sale price	$20.00

Bargain Basement

Anniversary Sale of Extraordinary Values

Basement Men's Section

White dress Shirts, collar attached **99c** Just the shirt for warm weather

Straw Hats Dress and work **29c** A bargain heap.

2-piece summer underwear **49c** Only a limited stock of these.

1,000 pair Canvas Gloves **12½c** Buy them by the dozen at this offer.

Athletic Union Suits **59c** Cool, Comfortable A suit worth double this price.

Basement Boys' and Girls' Section

500 Rah! Rah!! Sport Hats **49c** A price with a snap to it.

100 Boys' Work Shirts **69c** A Shirt the boys can "rough it" in.

Boys' Athletic Union Suits **49c** Great for the summer weather

Indian and Cowboy Suits **$1.50** Feathers, Ropes and War Paint with these suits.

Basement Dry Goods Section.

Long Cloth, by the yard **35c** Cheaper than wholesale prices.

Calico By the yard **25c** Buy liberally of these bargains.

Shirting **59c** Wide and many attractive patterns.

Curtaining **29c** For summer homes or cottages.

Aluminum Percolators (7-cup) **$1.85** Worth $2.65.

Aluminum Roasters **$1.85** Fine for pot roasts.

Granite Ware Assortment **50c** Values up to $1.25.

500 Dairy Pails 10 and 12 qt. **69c** Always a wanted item.

Basement Notion Section

Hooks and Eyes **5c** 2 cards

Safety Pins **3c** card

Peroxide **25c** Large bottle

Absorbent Cotton **25c** Large roll

Pins **15c** a package

Talcum Powder **15c** per can

Crepe Paper Napkins **5c** a 100

Pearl Buttons **4c** a card

Lace **5c** per yard

Rick-Rack Braid **5c**

Kitchen Klenzer **20c** per large can

Medicated Toilet Soap 4 bars for **25c**

Specials in Our Glassware Department this week.

Our Basement Sections will have many new things at this sale.

Loken Brothers' Department Store, Thief River Falls

City News

L. L. Moss of Lancaster was a business visitor here on Thursday.

William Abel of Bagley spent Sunday in this city visiting with friends.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fiterman on Saturday, May 15.

A. Johnson arrived here on Thursday morning from St. Hilaire and attended to business matters.

M. K. Odegaard of Hazel spent Friday visiting with friends in this city and also transacting business.

Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Swedenberg are the parents of a baby boy, born May 19.

Edward Kelley of Adams, N. D., is in the city this week visiting with friends.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller on Monday morning, May 16, a daughter.

Miss Lulu Saucer, school nurse, left on Friday evening for her home in Minneapolis.

Pete Anderson of Holt arrived on Wednesday afternoon to attend to business affairs.

W. A. Smith, bank examiner, was in the city the latter part of last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Korstad are the proud parents of a daughter born on Thursday, May 21.

Miss Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls is in the city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Dolan.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Nelson of Crookston visited with friends in this city the first of the week.

D. Wiggin arrived on Friday from Crookston for the purpose of inspecting the sugar beet plots.

Mr. and Mrs. Gynther Tessum spent the latter part of last week visiting with friends in Fergus Falls.

A. C. Kvennes and Olaf Olson of Middle River were business callers here on Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Roy of St. Hilaire spent Wednesday in this city shopping. She returned home in the afternoon.

Scott Laird left on Tuesday morning for Bemidji on business. He returned to this city in the evening.

F. E. Weiland of Grand Rapids, Wis., was in the city the first of the week attending to business affairs.

Mrs. O. Matterle, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Swediden, returned to her home in McFarland, Wis.

Miss Eleanor Culver returned here on Friday evening from Mahnomen where she completed a term of school.

Miss Alice Thoreson of Williams arrived here on Saturday afternoon and spent Sunday visiting with her friends.

Elmer Smith motored to this city Thursday evening from his home in Lancaster and visited with his many friends.

Carl Sundahl left on Saturday evening for Detroit where he attended a house party. He returned here on Tuesday morning.

Miss Jure Austed returned to her home in Oklee on Friday after spending a couple of days in this city as the guest of friends.

Miss Myrtle Bengtson who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Owen, returned to her home in Warren on Friday.

Mrs. A. O. Luff, who spent three weeks visiting with friends and relatives in Cass Lake, returned to her home here on Tuesday evening.

Captain Allen of Minneapolis was an over night guest on Friday of Sergeant Vance P. Hunter, recruiting officer, who is stationed in this city.

Mrs. B. J. Umland returned to Badger on Friday having spent a few days in this city with her husband who is county engineer of Pennington county.

Chas. Kiewel of Crookston spent Tuesday in this city looking after his business interests. His new ice cream plant is rapidly nearing completion.

A. L. E. Wallgren of St. Paul is expected to arrive in this city the latter part of the week to be the weekend guest of the H. A. Brumund family.

Miss Esther Erickson arrived Friday and is visiting for an indefinite period with her friend, Miss Lillian Olson, who resides on a farm near this city.

Mrs. Agnes Warring arrived on Thursday afternoon from Steiner and spent a day visiting with relatives, returning to the latter place by car the next day.

Misses Svey and Freda Wallin, who have been employed in this city, left Friday morning for their home in Baudette where they will remain for an indefinite period.

E. Nordquist, accompanied by his daughter, Ella, left this city on Thursday evening for Minneapolis where they will visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Dr. G. W. Booren left on Friday evening for Minneapolis to attend a special course in dentistry. He will be absent from the city for a period of three weeks.

Mrs. N. A. Knutson of Kenmare, N. D., was an overnight visitor in this city on Thursday enroute to Oklee where she will be the guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. E. Motz returned to her home here on Wednesday morning after a brief visit with her daughters, Misses Ina and Esther Motz, of Fargo and Moorhead, respectively.

Mrs. R. J. Berge returned to her home in Argyle on Friday morning after a brief visit with her husband who is receiving treatment at the Try-County sanatorium.

Miss Clara Sorenson, who recently completed a term of school near Wylie, is spending her vacation in this city at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

S. C. Coumbe of the Tessum-Coumbe company, left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis and Chicago where he will attend to business matters connected with that firm.

Rev. R. L. Barackman returned on Thursday morning from cities on the iron range where he had passed a week attending to business connected with MacAlester college.

Mrs. Chas. Olson of Fox arrived here Thursday afternoon to meet her husband who has been confined in a hospital in Minneapolis. They returned to their home the following morning.

Fred Greenagle of Elizabeth arrived here the latter part of last week and has accepted a position as assistant cashier at the Great Northern depot.

Harry Ginsberg, who had been visiting at his home in Winnipeg was the guest of friends here the latter part of last week enroute to Minneapolis. Mr. Ginsberg is employed in Chicago.

Jacob Grenagle, formerly of the Great Northern station crew in this city and now depot agent for the same road at Strathcona, was calling on old friends in the city over Sunday.

Rev. Isaacson of Wadena arrived on Tuesday and left the following morning, accompanied by Rev. Albin Larson of this city, for Strandquist where they will attend a mission meeting.

Misses Nora and Olive Grothe returned to their home in Hazel on Thursday morning after a short visit in this city. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dahl.

Mrs. S. Sommerfeld of St. Paul arrived on Wednesday morning being called here because of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. L. L. Cohn, with the flu. At the present writing Mrs. Cohn is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Galloway of Bemidji were in the city the forepart of the week attending to business affairs connected with the Bon Ton millinery store. They left on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston.

Frank Burggraf and G. W. Werstlein left on Thursday afternoon for Crookston, where they attended the organization of the fourth degree assembly of the Knights of Columbus. They returned on Friday morning.

Mrs. Glenn Anderson left on Wednesday morning for Grand Forks where they will reside. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Delia Poland, who will make her home with her daughter. Mr. Anderson has spent the past month in the above named city having gone into the brokerage business.

Miss Nora Kjos, who has been engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Brooks, returned to her home in this city on Friday evening to spend her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGinnity.

Mrs. J. Branum returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Thursday after a brief visit with her granddaughter, Mrs. Ferdie Brown. She was accompanied by Mrs. Brown, who returned to this city the following morning.

J. Pfeffer returned to his home in Duluth on Friday evening after spending three days in this city attending to business affairs. Mr. Pfeffer and family resided here for a number of years previous to their removal to the above named city about a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson and Miss Alice Huff motored to this city on Tuesday evening from their home in Middle River to witness the pageant, "Light" presented at the auditorium. Because of the storm that evening they were forced to leave their car and return to their homes by train the next morning. They were accompanied by Miss Mable Larson, who will be a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Olson.

O. A. Westin and family left on Sunday evening for their new home in Forest Lake, this state. Mr. Westin is a pioneer resident of this city having been engaged in business here for the past fifteen years. During the past five years Mr. Westin devoted the greater share of his time to the real estate business. The community will feel the loss of these estimable people but will wish them much success in their new venture. Harold, their oldest son remained for a few days because of his school duties but leaves this evening to join his parents at the above named place.

Miss Stella Charbonneau left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston, where she will be the guest of relatives.

Here Is a Tip!

The man who s wise enough to put in his coal now will be the big gainer. The past two years have demonstrated what delaying this matter means. Conditions will likely be worse instead of better—at least such are the indications now.

By ordering your fuel supply at once it is possible for us to give you a choice of variety. If you hesitate you will certainly have to take what we happen to have and most likely at a much higher price.

We are now receiving coal in limited quantities and distributing it in the rotation in which orders are received. Protect yourself by ordering today.

Nortz Lumber Co.

The Child and the Milk Bottle

Do you appreciate the importtance of giving only absolutely pure, rich wholesome milk to your children? All milk—especially all bottled milk—is not alike in quality. Ours is warranted of the highest grade produced.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Why Some Dealers Sell Private Brand Roofing

Any responsible dealer can sell Certain-teed, but some dealers prefer to sell private brands. Why? Because competition is not possible—nobody else has their private brand for sale—nothing regulates in any way the profit that they can take on a private brand if you'll buy it.

If they sell Certain-teed they must limit their margin of profit to a reasonable figure. They get enough, but they can't play the hog. Every reputable dealer has a free right to buy and sell it at fair prices.

Private Brands Are a Gamble

Where's the percentage for you in private brands anyway? You don't know what they will do for you. You don't know whether the little mills that made them know how to make good roofing or not. And even roofing experts can't tell much about roofing by just looking at it.

But you know the Certain-teed reputation for high-quality products and for fair dealing. You know that Certain-teed Roofing is guaranteed.

It's as easy as two and two. When you buy Certain-teed you know what you are getting. When you buy some private brand you don't.

And don't forget that any responsible dealer can get Certain-teed for you quickly from a nearby Certain-teed warehouse or jobber. He gets it when he wants it and he gets what he wants. He can afford to sell you at a fair price.

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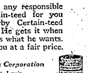

Certain-teed

Beware of the dealer who tells you he has Certain-teed, but tries to sell you a private brand. He probably wants a bigger profit.

For the benefit of those that could not get in last Saturday due to the rain, we will repeat these extraordinary values for Saturday, May 29th only.

EXTRAORDINARY VALUES

We are offering unequaled values in the articles advertised below for

SATURDAY, MAY 29 ONLY

Take advantag of the big reductions as the values are exceptional

Dress Shirts

Special Values in Dress Shirts for Saturday only:

$2.50 and $2.75 Shirts $1.95
$3.00 and $3.50 Shirts $2.45
$5.00 Shirts $4.15

Signal Shirts

Special for Saturday. Values up to $3.50 Saturday only $2.85
$3.50 summer weight Flannel Shirts $2.65

Underwear

Light weight Union Suits, short or long sleeves. Special for Saturday 95c
Chalmers best grade Union Suits, all sizes. Regular $2.50 values. Saturday only $1.95
Men's Balbriggan Union Suits, Special $1.35
Best grade boys' Balbriggan Union Suits, Saturday 95c
Boys' Ecru shade Union Suits, short sleeves, knee length 65c

Children's Pajamas, Kaynee make. Special for Saturday $1.35

Boys' Sport Shirts, $1.50 values. Saturday 85c

A Remarkable Sale of Suits

Cool Crash and Palm Beach Suits for tall, short or stout men. Sizes 34 to 52 in. long. A very specal event for Saturday only $12.45
Extra fine young men's Palm Beach Suits, single or double breasted. Special $18.45
Silk lined Palm Beach Suits. The very best values to $32.50. Special $24.45
A very good assortment of young men's confirmation Suits including serges. Values up to $27.50. Special for Saturday $21.45
Men's wool Suits, hard finish: Material that will hold its shape, in Grays, Browns; also heavy weight Blue Serge. Every Suit guaranteed a big value or money back. Values to $55.00. Special for Saturday $38.45
Pure wool Suits including Hart Schaffner & Marx makes. An extraordinary offer for Saturday only. Extra Special value going at $48.45

Boys' Suits

Our entire stock of the best boys' Suits in the store, $18, $20 and $22 values. Your choice Saturday only $15.45
All $13.50 and $15 boys' Suits. A very good assortment to choose from. Your choice, Saturday only $11.45
Corduroy Suits. Sizes 3 to 8. Special $4.40

Hats

Special offering in Panama and felt Hats for Saturday.

Your choice of any $6.00 Hat in the store, of the best makes. Saturday Special $4.45
Newest and latest styles in Panama Hats. Special for Saturday $5.45
The finest assortment of children's Straw Hats in different shades and shapes. Values to $1.75. Special $1.15

Shoes & Oxfords

Florsheim Shoes are always good Shoes. They are the most economical because of their quality. Saturday's prices:

All $11 Florsheim Shoes .... $ 8.45
All $10 Florsheim Shoes .... $ 7.95
All $15 Florsheim Shoes $11.95

WORK SHOES

A Special Offer of all our $5 and $6 Work Shoes, Saturday $3.95

Pants

Good, strong work Pants $3.15
Good dress Pants, Saturday $9.25
Best grade union made Unionalls, regular price $6. Saturday Special $5.15
Good weight Unionalls, Special $3.65

Special offer on Work Shirts and Khaki Pants at 25% below market value:

$2.50 Signal Shirts and Khaki .... 8 os
$2.50 Signal Shirts $1.95
$1.75 Work Shirts $1.35
$4.00 Khaki union made Pants $3.15
$2.50 Khaki Pants $1.95

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes.

City News

Mr. and Mrs. V. Anderson of Warren were over Sunday visitors in this city.

Mrs. H. Ortloff of St. Hilaire shopped in this city between trains last Monday.

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer shopped and visited between trains in this city on Friday.

Miss Jeanette Shafer of Minneapolis was the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. S. Supero last week.

Mrs. T. L. Olson of Kratka spent the latter part of the week visiting with numerous friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Scholin of St. Hilaire motored to this city on Friday to attend to some shopping.

The following from Grygla motored to this city on Monday: J. Peterson, P. P. Maney and Ole Newton.

Geo. Hayes returned to take up his duties at the University after a brief visit in this city with friends.

Mrs. Geo. Kestel of Superior is in the city as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burggraf.

Prof. Walter Schold, chemistry instructor, will leave on Friday evening for his home at North Branch.

O. Norby arrived here on Friday from his home in Newfolden and spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss Anna Rasmussen of Warroad arrived here on Thursday and spent a brief period visiting with friends.

J. Nomland of Grygla attended to business matters in this city Monday, returning to his home the following day.

Geo. Johnson arrived here on Monday from Grygla via the auto route and passed the day transcasting business.

County Superintendent David Johnson of Warren motored to this city on Thursday and attended to business affairs.

Miss Carrie Lillegard arrived here on Thursday evening from her home in Stephen for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Alice Peterson visited over Sunday with friends in Red Lake Falls, returning here on Monday morning.

Nels Christianson spent the first of the week in Fargo on business connected with the Thief River Grocery company.

F. Belin of Red Lake Falls arrived Monday to attend to business matters. He returned to his home on Tuesday.

Mrs. O. F. Post and son, Curtis of St. Hilaire, visited with friends in this city Monday, coming here via the auto route.

Mrs. A. Glenville and daughter, Dorothy, are in the city as the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Berg.

Miss Ruth Reddin of Minneapolis is in the city this week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. H. BonDurant.

Lewis Anderson came down from his home at Strandquist on Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting with friends.

Miss Clara Dahl who is employed in Black's Sweet shop, left on Thursday for her home in Hazel where she spent a week.

L. C. Nielsen and H. L. Hall spent Sunday in Bemidji visiting with friends. They returned here on Monday morning.

P. Morrissette of Plummer arrived on Monday evening on a business mission, returning to his home Tuesday morning.

Miss Lorraine O'Hara of Holt arrived Tuesday afternoon and will be the guest of Miss Amy Syverson for a short time.

J. L. Griffith and J. H. Lippert, residing on farms in the vicinity of Middle River, transacted business in this city Friday.

Mrs. A. P. Hegstrom of St. Hilaire returned to her home on Tuesday afternoon, having attended to shopping in this city.

Misses Gladys Wilson, Thelma Gilbertson and Florence Richards of Goodridge, visited with friends in this city on Friday.

Mrs. O. Hofdal left on Monday afternoon for Crookston where she will spend a brief period visiting with friends and relatives.

Leonard Peterson passed the weekend visiting with his family in this city. He returned to his duties in Crookston on Monday.

Miss Amelia Hoorn, instructor in mathematics, will leave Saturday afternoon for her home at Fergus Falls to spend her vacation.

Miss Gerda Mortenson, who taught in the local schools during the past year, will spend the summer vacation at her home in Fosston.

Mrs. E. S. Favrow left on Saturday evening for Faribault to get her son, Milton. She was absent from the city for a period of two days.

Mrs. J. W. Muller of Fordville, N. D., passed Thursday visiting with friends in this city and also attending to matters of business.

Misses Blanche Johnson, Marie Nelson and Irma Johnson will leave on Saturday morning for Winnipeg where they will remain over Sunday.

Miss Irene Lanager, who recently completed a successful term of school in the vicinity of Erie, returned on Friday evening to her home at Plummer.

Prof. Gordon Melby will leave tomorrow evening for his home in Minneapolis. He will return here in the fall as instructor in chemistry and physics.

Mrs. S. Eglund and three children left Tuesday afternoon for Halstad to visit for a week at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hovland.

Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein left on Monday morning for Greenbush where she will visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. Sommerfelt for a few days.

Mrs. Chas. Pellymonter returned on Tuesday evening to her home at Fayette, Ia., after a month's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Berg.

Mrs. J. C. Peterson of Norma, N. D., arrived Friday evening and made a short visit with friends and relatives, returning to her home the first of the week.

Misses Oline and Nora Grothe returned to their home in Hendrum on Monday afternoon, having spent a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dahl.

Mrs. B. Walker and Mrs. Frank Henning and children were guests of their niece, Miss Olga Koglin, on Tuesday while enroute to their home at Lakota, N. D.

A. J. Clynch of Grand Forks arrived here on Saturday evening and was an over Sunday guest at the Geo. Leimers home. He returned to his home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray DeChaney, newlyweds left on Wednesday evening for their new home in Duluth. Mrs. DeChaney was formerly Miss Margaret Shields of this city.

Mrs. J. F. Farr returned to this city Tuesday morning from Crookston where she spent a day visiting with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Farr.

C. G. Niles of Grand Forks, who passed a few days visiting at the A. Koglin home near Steiner, was the guest of his niece, Miss Olga Koglin, on Monday en route to his home.

Mrs. N. Anderson, accompanied by her son, Daniel, left Tuesday afternoon via the Great Northern for Havre, Mont., where they will spend a month as the guests of relatives.

The Willing Workers socity of The First Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church will be entertained by the Peterson family Monday evening, May 31 at their home near Rosewood. m27

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Schlanbush came up from Crookston on Saturday morning and visited between trains with the latter's sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse, returning to their home in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Ryerson of Holt arrived on Saturday afternoon to attend the wedding of their son, Tilfred, whose marriage to Miss Millie Aspelund of this city took place on Sunday.

Jacob Greenagle, station agent in Strathcona, passed the latter part of the week with friends in this city. While here he was the guest of his brother, Fred, who is employed at the Great Northern depot.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker and son, Earl, left on Monday afternoon for Minneapolis where they will visit with friends. On their return to this city they will drive back Buick cars for the Peoples Auto company.

Mrs. Anna Watson left on Monday afternoon for Ada where she will be the guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Weatherhead, and also attend the graduation exercises of her nephew, Harold Weatherhead.

A. A. Wangenstein, jeweler, has rented the building on Third street opposite the Evelyn hotel formerly occupied by Stanton Brothers and will move his stock of jewelry to the new location the first of the week.

Miss Helen Kenyon of Fordville, N. D., visited with friends between trains on Friday, leaving on the evening flyer for Mahnomen to be the guest of friends over Sunday. She returned to her home by car on Monday.

Albert Tommerassen, instructor in the local high school and also supervisor of athletics during the past year, leaves this evening for his home at Willmar. Mr. Tommerassen will return in the fall to have full charge of athletics in the schools of the city.

Mrs. H. Hanson and two daughters left on Monday afternoon for their home in Barnesville after spending the past two months in this city as the guests of relatives. They were accompanied by the former's brother who will remain with them for a short period.

Miss Grace Gunlaugson, instructor in Norse at the local high school during the past term, will leave the latter part of the week for her home at Montevideo, where she will spend the greater part of her vacation. Miss Gunlaugson has a position in the Minneapolis schools in view for next year.

Luther Loken left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis where he will join his mother, Mrs. Maren Loken, who preceded him a few weeks ago. Luther remained here after the departure of his mother because of his school duties. The Lokens will reside in the above named city during the summer.

F. H. Herrick left Monday afternoon for Fargo on a business mission in connection with the Thief River Grocery company. On his return on Wednesday evening he was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. H. B. Herrick of Grand Forks, who will be a guest at the Herrick home for an indefinite period.

Mrs. A. P. Robinson, Mrs. C. Whiting, Ora McCann, Ruth and Martin Sandstrom comprised a party which motored to Red Lake Falls Friday evening, going there for the purpose of attending a social given by the Rebekah lodge. Mrs. Fred Dablow, who had visited at Red Lake Falls, returned with them.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher and children left on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where the latter will remain with Mrs. Fisher's parents while the doctor and his wife will spend a period of six weeks in Chicago, where Mrs. Fisher will take a course in music and Dr. Fisher will take a special course in medicine.

Roy Flattum and Stanton Dahlen returned to this city on Thursday afternoon from Roseau after having driven a car there the day previous which was owned by J. S. Williams of Baudette. Mr. Williams was in the city on business the first of the week but because of the inclement weather conditions was forced to leave his car and return to his home by train.

Miss Irene Patrick, instructor of English during the past school term, leaves this evening for her home in Hinckley where she will spend her summer vacation. Miss Patrick will return to this city in the fall. She was accompanied as far as Minneapolis by Miss Lillian Poppitz, who returns to her home at Heron Lake after completing her duties as instructor in sewing. The latter will also teach in this city next year.

—Trade at Home—

Improved Facilities.

C. S. Simonson has put in a new glass display case for meats and other perishable foods in his store. It is a fine piece of furniture, enameled in white with each side of an ice chamber arranged to hold the goods, which are in plain sight at all times. A new computing scale of the latest and most approved pattern has also been installed.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. McGinn Entertains.

Mrs. R. H. McGinn was a delightful hostess on Saturday evening when she entertained a number of the younger set in honor of her son, Dennis, who is a member of the senior class of 1920. Informal dancing was in order during the evening and at midnight a delicious lunch was served. The guest list included the Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn, Ruth Kilian, Eileen Herron, Nora Lindquist, Helen Langseth, Ella Krohn, Mary Welsh and Grace Gunlaugsen; Reuben Hadrath, Gordon LaBree, Stanly Sorenson, Joseph Weirus, Chas. Herron, Clifford LaBree, Ted McGinn and Dennis McGinn.

—Trade at Home—

Bread Club Has Picnic.

The Bread Club held its annual picnic on Saturday evening at six o'clock on the school campus. In spite of the inclement weather the party was a decided success and everyone had a splendid time.

—Trade at Home—

Community Girls' Meeting.

The Community Girls will meet at the commercial club rooms on Monday for the transaction of regular business. Important matters are expected to come up for discussion and a full attendance is requested.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

The New Theo Tie

Something new in a French Pump which is one of the most popular styles of this season. We have them in:

Dull Kid at $10.00
Brown Kid, at $11.00
Black Suede, at $13.00
White Linen Cloth, at .... $ 7.50

Come in and get a pair for Decoration Day.

Carl Froseth

They Did Not Die in Vain

SUCH heroes, such men, such AMERICANS that if every one of them could have his choice of again living under a compromised flag or dying for the cause he knew was right—not one would fail to answer "HERE" to the roll call of supreme sacrifice.

A NATION pauses in reverence before the shrine of eternal memories.

Long Lines of Blue and Khaki

—returned to us, but alas with blank files. "Somewhere in France" thousands of our boys are resting.

THE splendid traditions of Bunker Hill, Gettysburg and San Juan were nobly upheld at Chateau Thierry.

ON Decoration Day we honor the memory of those who made the supreme sacrifice. Their glory lives eternal.

THIS bank will be closed all day, Monday, May 31st, in silent tribute to those who once filled the now blank files.

Citizens State Bank

WANTED!

Farms for Sale

I have arranged to take care of the local business of Peterson-Lundgren Land Agency of Moline, Illionis. This firm sold large areas around here last year and has many more prospects anxious to buy. If you care to dispose of yocr land, wild or improved, write or call for information.

O. A. NAPLIN
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Auction Sale

Tuesday, June 1

At 10:00 O'Clock A. M.

On Lot 7, Block 5, Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, Knight Avenue North, between 6th and 7th Streets.

I will sell at Public Auction on the above date one five room, frame house complete with cement foundation, storm doors, windows, etc.

Main building ... 18x20 feet
Kitchen wing ... 14x16 feet

House to be moved off within thirty days from sale date.

TERMS:—Cash or bankable paper due Nov. 1st, 1920.

B. E. Dalquist, Owner

First and Peoples State Bank, Clerk. W. J. LaBree, Auct.

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BISCUIT! What delight this word suggests. So tender they fairly melt in the mouth, and of such glorious flavor that the appetite is never satisfied. These are the kind of biscuits anyone can make with Royal Baking Powder and these unusual recipes.

Biscuits

2 cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons shortening
¾ cup milk or half milk and half water

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt, add shortening and rub in very lightly; add liquid slowly; roll or pat on floured board to about one inch in thickness (handle as little as possible); cut with biscuit cutter. Bake in hot oven 15 to 20 minutes.

Royal Cinnamon Buns

2½ cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons shortening
1 egg
½ cup water
½ cup sugar
2 teaspoons cinnamon
4 tablespoons seeded raisins

Sift 2 tablespoons of measured sugar with flour, salt and baking powder; rub shortening in lightly; add beaten egg to water and add slowly. Roll out ½ inch thick on floured board; brush with melted butter, sprinkle with sugar, cinnamon and raisins. Roll as for jelly roll; cut into 1½ inch pieces; place with cut edges up on well-greased pan; sprinkle with a little sugar and cinnamon. Bake in moderate oven 20 to 25 minutes; remove from pan at once.

Parker House Rolls

4 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
6 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons shortening
1⅓ cups milk

Sift flour, salt and baking powder together. Add melted shortening to milk and add slowly to dry ingredients stirring until smooth. Knead lightly on floured board and roll out ½ inch thick. Cut with biscuit cutter. Crease each circle with back of knife one side of center. Butter the small section and fold larger part well over the small. Place one inch apart in greased pan. Allow to stand 15 minutes in warm place. Brush each with melted butter and bake in moderate oven 15 to 20 minutes.

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Sugar Price Booster Hit By New Bill

Steenerson, Offers Measure Aimed at Profiteers in Necessary Staple.

Refiners and Importers Must File Price Charged with Trade Commission.

Also Introduces Bill Compelling Uniform Price on Newsprint Paper.

A bill intended to prevent profiteering in sugar was introduced in the House last Saturday by Representative Halvor Steenerson of Minnesota.

The measure is patterned after the act imposing an excise tax on trading in cotton futures. It requires all refiners and importers of sugar to file with the Federal Trade commission a list of the prices they charge for sugar. A tax of 5 cents a pound is assessed against either refiner or importer who does not adhere to the prices he submits to the commission. No tax is levied where the price schedules are followed.

Would Curb Prices, He Thinks.

Mr. Steenerson is confident that with a check such as he proposes on the refiner and importer there will be no boosting of prices by brokers and wholesalers. The public will be able to find out who is doing the profiteering and the government can prosecute the profiteers, he thinks.

"*I am convinced that the sugar* brokers are responsible for the present prices of sugar and the apparent shortage," Mr. Steenerson said.

"There is no real shortage of sugar. From New York I have received a long list of sugar brokers. Before the war a vast majority of them, I am sure, didn't know the difference between wheat and sugar. They have no place in the sugar business. But they are buying and selling sugar among themselves with the result the public is paying unheard of prices for sugar when it is to be had at all."

The cotton tax law was written originally to protect the producer, while the proposed sugar legislation is intended to protect the consumer from profiteering speculators. The cotton law fixes cotton grades in about the same way the grain standards act authorizes the fixing of Federal wheat grades. It provides that in future sales there must be a written contract, specifying the grade of cotton to be delivered. Failure to deliver this grade of cotton results in a Federal tax of 2 cents a pound being levied against the person or firm making the delivery.

Under the old system, traders by delivery of inferior quality of cotton, were able to depress the market and injure the producer. Mr. Steenerson said that the excise tax has done much towards eliminating this evil from the cotton trading centers.

Print Paper Bill Approved.

A week ago Mr. Steenerson introduced a bill to put an end in profiteering in newsprint paper by assessing a tax against manufacturers and importers who do not charge uniform prices. He said he has received letters from many sections of the country urging the passage of his print paper bill and also requesting him to present a similar bill to deal with the sugar shortage and high prices.

—Trade at Home—

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minn., post office for the week ending May 22, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch at Chicago.

Besstler, Mr. Robert.
Evenson, Miss Mayme.
Harris, Mrs. Fred.
Johnson, Mr. Axel.
Olson, Mr. Fred.

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised. JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

—Trade at Home—

Diamonds, Diamonds.

I have just received the finest collection of diamonds ever brought to this city and will place them on display at once. I will be enabled to sell these gems at a price that will surprise everyone.—If interested in diamonds you are invited to inspect this beautiful collection.—A. A. Wangenstein, Jeweler. m27

—Trade at Home—

More From Moeller.

Editor Times: Just received my paper and see my letter—also a mistake. Butterfat was 77.50 per hundred pounds for March and 68.75 for April. We receive our checks twice each month, the last ones received by me being for the following sums: March 16 to March 31, 4026 pounds testing 3.6 makes $112.98; April 1-15, 3193 pounds testing 3.5 totals $67.52.

Milked seven cows in April; now we milk eight and get over 200 lbs. of milk a day. Just bought a registered bull calf from my neighbor so now I have two registered Holsteins and two registered Guernseys. Hereafter I believe I will breed Guernseys only. Mr. Koop saw the herd from which I secured this calf when it was three days old. I paid $50 for him and it was a bargain at that.

Finished planting my corn this week. We now have our Ford car and are all more at home. The neighbors gave us two big surprise parties.

Did not get all the silage fed up the past winter and have about three feet left in a 12-foot silo. Here are the prices that are charged in this neighborhood: Potatoes, $4.25; old hens, 28 cents; eggs, 40 cents; oats, $1.10 to $1.25 per bushel.

Have been too busy to go fishing but will soon find time. I saw the game warden take three big sturgeon out of the Big Wolf river and sell them for 50 cents per pound but I did not want any. There are quite a few sturgeon here but I shall not catch them. Suckers, pike, pickerel, catfish, bull heads, trout, sunfish—nearly all kinds are here. The suckers sometimes get to weigh 10 to 15 pounds apiece. WM. MOELLER.

Conservation

—the cry of the world today. Don't let waste material lie around idle—turn it into cash—and do it now!

Scrap iron and metals are resmelted, rubbers reclaimed; rags are made into a dozen kinds of paper, and in fact we believe that the redemption of waste material is one of the biggest phases of conservation. And it is one that every one can participate in.

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And to make sure that every transaction is absolutely satisfactory we ask the privilege of refunding the entire purchase price when anything bought here does not give you the service you expect of it.

Hats Mostly Straws, but a liberal assortment of soft Felts for men who prefer them. But whatever your choice, you can count on the style being right. At several prices.

$1.50 TO $12

Suits Style, Fit, Quality, Good Tailoring—the points that every man wants in Clothes are prominent features of every Suit in this store.

A few minutes spent here now will quickly convince you how well prepared we are to Suit you for Summer.

An ample choice in medium and light weights are offered at

$17.50 $20 $22.50
$25 $30

Shirts Silks, Madras, Percales—in the new patterns and colors. Tailored to a comfortable fit.

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Oxfords Tans in the darker shades are very popular for summer. The wide range of sizes we have insures a perfect fit and foot comfort for the hot weather.

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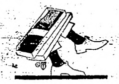

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$12 $15

Less 10% from above regular prices.

Underwear If there is one thing more than another that makes for Summer comfort it is well fitting Underwear. We are glad to recommend these garments for we know they will fit.

$1.50 $2.00 $2.50
$3.50 $5.00

Hosiery Whether you prefer Silk or Cotton, you do want Hose of fast color. You can count on the Hose you buy here giving satisfaction.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Fine Outlook For All Crops in the County

A Little More Rain Than is Absolutely Necessary, But No Damage Yet.

Low Spots in East End of County Slow in Getting Dried Out.

Best Outlook For Hay Reported in This Section For Many Years.

While the rains of the past week were not absolutely necessary to the welfare of growing crops in Pennington county, yet the precipitation was not sufficient to cause any annoyance except in very rare instances. Crops on the high lands to the west of the city never looked better at this time of year and even in the lower stretches the promise is for an excellent yield.

It is of course too early to make any prediction as to what the outcome will be, but so far as the season is concerned everything promises well. Cool weather and plenty of water at this stage is one of the best insurances against any retarding influence later in the season. Grain has stooled out well and the soil has absorbed a moisture supply against possible dry spells later in the growing season.

The wheat acreage of the county is cut between 40 and 50 per cent as compared with last year. This will be taken up largely by flax and barley. The late spring and high price of seed helped along the general tendency to fight shy of wheat this year, although the cereal is certain to be a good price.

Hay Outlook Best.

One of the most important crops in this section is hay and there is every indication that there will be a record-breaking production. The spring season has been just right for grass growth and the good effects of this are already evidenced by reports of receipts at the creameries. Spring pasturage has been excellent, altho a little late in putting in an appearance.

Still Wet in the East.

On some of the low lands in the eastern part of the county the wet weather has kept farmers off the fields and these will be far behind in their spring work. Unless things dry up so as to permit of barley and flax being sown within a short time the outlook there is not of the best. The situation emphasizes the fact that drainage is absolutely necessary in that region—the sooner the better. The many projects now on foot will undoubtedly relieve this backward condition but cannot do so in time to be of any help this year.

Time yet For Potatoes.

County Agent J. J. McCann reported a couple weeks ago that there would be a smaller acreage of potatoes planted this year, but this outlook in this direction has somewhat improved. There is still plenty of time for getting this crop into the ground and many who had at first concluded to keep out of spuds this year will plant a good acreage.

Sugar Beets Bounding.

This weather seems ideal for sugar beets. From all sections come reports to the effect that the outlook could not be better for this time of year. The beets are up and seem to be flourishing. This is a hardy crop and with the start it now has it is not likely that anything will happen to retard it.

As the situation now stands things look highly satisfactory to the farmers in most sections of the Northwest.

—Trade at Home—

All orders filled in rotation. Place your orders for cut flowers at once for Memorial Day. m29

—Trade at Home—

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson on Thursday morning, May 27.

—Trade at Home—

IT DID NOT FAIL SAYS VAN DOREN

"All My Wife's Troubles are Gone Since She Took Tanlac," He States.

"It has been many years since my wife enjoyed such fine health or felt so well generally as she does since taking Tanlac," said George E. Van Doren, a well-known machine designer residing at 294 West Albans St., St. Paul, Minn., in a statement the other day.

"Several years ago my wife suffered a general breakdown," he continued, "and since that time her health has been miserable. She had indigestion so bad that nearly everything she ate soured on her stomach and caused her to have heavy, nauseated feelings in her chest for hours afterwards. She suffered from constipation and constantly had to be taking laxatives. Her nerves were badly upset and little noises she had always been used to would startle her terrible. She was restless at night, got very little sleep and had lost so much strength and energy that she looked like she was almost ready to give up any time.

"I spent a lot of money on different medicines and treatments, but everything failed until she tried Tanlac. But Tanlac didn't fail and that is just the reason why her troubles have all left her and she is looking so well and strong today. She does not have to worry over what to eat now, because everything agrees with her and she does not suffer any bad after effects at all. She is free from constipation and her nerves are so steady she can sleep all night long like a child. Since her troubles have disappeared she is getting back her strength and energy and says she is feeling like a different person altogether."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

—Trade at Home—

Telegraph or telephone orders. Received all day Sunday.—Flower Shop, phone 102. m27

Notice—being Memorial Day Monday, our Flower Shop will be open "all day Sunday." m29

Memorial Day Program

AUDITORIUM, 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M. MAY 31, 1920.

"America" .... Audience
(Directed by Mrs. G. G. Halvorson)
Invocation .... Rev. J. B. Smith
Vocal Solo .... (Selected)
Lincoln's Gettysburg Address .... Prof. W. A. Ziegler
Song, "In Flanders Fields" .... Quartet
Address .... H. O. Chommie
"Star Spangled Banner" .... Audience
(Directed by Mrs. G. Halvorson)

PARADE, 11:00 A. M.
Form on Main Avenue at Auditorium facing North
Line of March:
Main to Fourth; Fourth to LaBree; Labree to Bridge; Bridge to Conley;
Conley to Cemetery.
ASSEMBLE
H. D. Keene, Officer of the Day
Band, Second and Main
Colors, Color Guard, Firing Squad
Civil War and Spanish-American War Veterans
Members American Legion (not in uniform)
Mayor and City Officials
Assemble in Front of Library
Ladies of the Red Cross, Woman's Club, Community Girls
Woman's Auxiliaries, Fraternal Societies
Assemble in Front of Court House
South Side of Court House
High School Pupils, Grade School Pupils, Fire Department
Exercises at Cemetery, Decorating Graves, Selection by Band. Salute by Firing Squad, Taps.

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Barley	1.30
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Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	4.05
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	4.10
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.16
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.33
Dairy Butter	.35
Creamery Butter	.54
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.25
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.15
Steers, per lb.	6-8
Calves, per lb.	7-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	12-15

Grasshopper Menace Not Serous on Minnesota Side

Grasshoppers threaten only a slight damage to crops in Clay and Norman county but make a more serious menace on the Dakota side, J. H. Hay, state deputy commissioner of agriculture has announced. The statement followed an investigation of reports that grasshoppers threatened a heavy damage in the Red River valley.

—Trade at Home—

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SCHEDULE IN THIS DISTRICT

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2nd

Leave Strandquist		7:00 a. m.
Greenbush	9:00	11:00 a. m.
Badger	12:00	2:00 p. m.
Roseau	3:00	5:00 p. m.
Greenbush	7:00	Control

THURSDAY, JUNE 3rd

Leave Greenbush		7:00 a. m.
Middle River	8:00	10:00 a. m.
Holt	11:00	1:00 p. m.
Thief River Falls	2:00	4:30 p. m.
St. Hilaire	5:15	7:00 p. m.
Red Lake Falls	7:45	control

FRIDAY, JUNE 4th

Leave R. L. Falls		7:00 a. m.
Plummer	8:00	10:00 a. m.
Oklee	11:00	1:00 p. m.
Trail	1:45	2:45 p. m.
Gully	3:15	4:45 p. m.
Clearbrook	5:45	7:15 p. m.
Bagley	8:30	control

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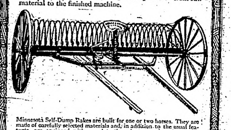

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Fair Dixie rallies to the call,
For he shall not forgotten fall
Who dies that such a faith might live,
Which bids the soldier all to give.
United shall they march today,
Once foeman in the blue and gray,
Who, in the khaki of their son
Have found their causes are as one.

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1920

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AGDER

Chas. Evenson was a caller in Holt Monday.

Charles Evenson had some feed ground at Isaacson's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sagstuen and children, Louise and Margaret, visited at Christ Nelson's Monday.

Christ Nelson and George Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Hans Jerstad was a caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

H. Nabbin autoed to Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ristau and children, Minnie and Johnny autoed to Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Ole Ose was a caller at Isaacson's Tuesday.

John Esplee and son, Henry and George Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Hans Jerstad was a visitor at the W. Rude home Tuesday afternoon.

Norwegian school started last Monday.

George Senum was a caller at the Groven home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Evenson called on Mrs. Overum last Tuesday.

Victor Trochman was a caller at the Christ Nelson home Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed Hanson was a visitor in Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Willie Rude and son, Herman were callers at the Isaacson home Tuesday.

Mr. Groven was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Gunder, George and Annie Senum and Mrs. George Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday afternoon.

Willie Rude made a short call on Isaacson's Wednesday forenoon.

Christ Nelson and Seymore autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Will Rude and Mrs. Tom Tharaldson and baby, and Mr. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday afternoon.

Henry Esplee visited with George Senum Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and children, Clifford, Verah and Edith, visited with the Hans Jorstad and Victor Trochman families Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Trochman visited with Mrs. Wold Wednesday afternoon.

Hans Jerstad was a visitor at the Rude home Wednesday.

Mrs. Isaacson visited with Mrs. Rude Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Evenson visited with Carl Overum Thursday.

L. Sagstauen and brother, and David Johnson from Holt, have started to level the ditch dumps.

Willie Rude and son, Hermond made a short call at the E. Senum home Thursday evening.

H. Nabben, H. Listol and P. Mickelson caller at the Christ Nelson home Thursday evening.

Walter Evenson called at the Isaacson home Thursday evening.

Ned Hanson called at Isaacson's Thursday evening.

L. Knaddle autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Victor Trochman was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls Friday.

Gunder Senum called at the Christ Nelson home Friday.

John Reller called at the Isaacson home Friday afternoon.

E. Senum visited with H. Listol Friday evening.

Hermond Rude was an over night visitor at the Isaacson home one day last week.

John Esplee was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Henry Nabben dragged the road on Friday.

Willie and Melvin Rude and Carl Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

The Rindal Young Peoples society held their monthly meeting at that church last Wednesday evening with about 25 persons present. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls was present and delivered a short speech. The song, "The Children's Friend Is Jesus" was sung by several pupils from Mrs. Berg's school. Lunch was served at the close. The next meeting will be held at the same place on Saturday evening, June 19.

Miss Viola Axelson, who has been employed at Black's Sweet shop at Thief River Falls, returned home last Friday.

Albert Peterson of Fargo spent a few days the first of the week visiting at the E. Anderson home.

Miss Nina Westby, who has spent several months at Adams, N. D., came home last Saturday evening. She was accompanied by Mrs. Eckstrom who will visit here for some time.

Gust Opseth has secured the contract for erecting a cheese factory of cement blocks at Radium and will commence work in the near future.

Miss Ida Sorenson spent a few days this week visiting with her cousin, Mrs. A. Stroble at Angus.

Miss Ethel Kron is home over Sunday from Thief River Falls to visit with her parents, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bergland and son, Leonard of Bemidji, arrived on Saturday morning and will visit for some time with Mrs. Bergland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem.

A baby daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem last Tuesday.

S. Rafteseth was a between train business caller at Warren last Tuesday.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg and baby of Dakota Junction spent Friday and Saturday here visiting at the John Rafteseth home.

The Nonpartisan meeting at Thief River Falls last Monday evening was well patronized by Rosewood people.

Axel Larson has been in the employ of Gust Opseth the last week making cement blocks for the former's new house in the eastern part of this town. Mr. Opseth will leave this week for the Gust Nakken farm where he has a contract to break 20 acres of brush land for the latter.

A gentleman from Freeborn county arrived last Friday driving a Buick automobile which belongs to G. Snyder, north of town.

Diel Hall sold his farm east of town to the Farmers State bank at this place.

Howard Carlson left last week for Duluth where he expects to be employed in the future.

Gilbert Saugen left on Monday morning for Warren to seek medical aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels C. Holm left last Sunday for Twin Valley after spending a week visiting with their son, A. S. Holm here.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking was in town over last Sunday conducting the Old Peoples society on Saturday evening and having services twice on Sunday at the Congregational church.

Three of the Christensen boys from Eastern Norden went through here with a drove of young cattle last Monday which they will pasture west of Viking during the summer months.

The Melve boys from Viking were in town last Friday looking for a suitable location for the erection of a new garage which they intend to start here in the summer.

Horbert Carlson and Sigurd Rafteseth spent Sunday afternoon and evening with friends at Thief River Falls.

Pentecostal services were conducted at the Rindal church last Sunday afternoon by Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. A. Overby was a shopper in Goodridge last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kast and daughter, Helen, visited at the D. Dau home Sunday.

Mrs. John Philip and children visited at the Klockman home last Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Roller was a visitor at the M. Stokke home last Monday.

Miss Silva Bendickson visited at the Olaf Tharaldson home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson was a shopper at Goodridge one day last week.

Mr. Brownlie was a caller at the L. Bendickson home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Philip and children, Edna, Lawrence, Stella and James, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson of Agder Sunday of the past week.

Olaf Tharaldson was a caller at the Hovelson home last Tuesday.

Emil Ristau and John Clausen autoed to Mavie Saturday.

Salve Tharaldson called at the M. Lindvick home Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Martinus Johnson home last Thursday.

Mesdames C. Struble and Roller called on friends one day last week.

Charley Struble autoed to Thief River Falls last Saturday. He was accompanied home by Lois and Howard Struble.

Mrs. Harry Weber and children, Hannah and Violet from Nebraska, are visiting at her parental home.

Benard Bendickson was a business caller at Mavie last Saturday.

Stella and James Philip were guests at the Klockman home one day last week.

Louis Bendickson was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aandahl and children were guests at the D. Dau home last Sunday.

—Trade at Home—

ESPLEE

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Tenold visited at the home of Jim Turnbaugh on Sunday.

Louis Carlson transacted business in Esplee last Monday.

Mathilda Olson visited with Mrs. Siver Siverson and Mrs. Belle Luttrell on Sunday.

Florence and Flossie Chapman visited with Gladys Siverson on Sunday.

Harold Chapman called on Nels Strand Sunday.

Oscar Arntson, Arthur and Axel Sund called at the Thomas Lewis home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Turnbull visited at Allyn Turnbull's last Sunday.

John Nelson called on Carl Hanson Sunday.

Olive Chapman spent Saturday evening in Grygla.

Mrs. Gerrulat and Lillian Erickson, Dena and Mabel Olson, were guests at the Ed. Martinson home Sunday.

P. C. Sund transacted business in Esplee on Monday.

Ed. Martinson and family moved to their new home on Monday.

J. B. Olson of Grand Forks, N. D., is in Esplee a few days looking after farm interests.

L. O. Opsata and Carl Hanson transacted business in Goodridge Monday.

Everybody is busy finishing their spring work. The rain on Saturday hindered it somewhat although it was needed.

Mrs. Luttrell went to Grygla on Saturday.

Oscar Arndtson called at the Martinson home on Sunday.

J. F. Brown of Grygla, enroute to Warren, was a caller in Esplee Saturday.

There will be religious services in the West Esplee school house next Sunday, May 30 at 11 a. m.

Miss Stella Conor of Thief River Falls, enroute to Grygla, was in Esplee Saturday.

Frederick Larson.

On Monday, May 24, occurred the death of Frederick Larson of Holt, from Erysipiles from which he had suffered for some time. Five days previous to his death he was taken to this city and remained with friends at 107 Duluth avenue south. The deceased was born in Norway Aug. 1, 1891, and came to this country 39 years ago. At the time of his death he was engaged in farming in the vicinity of Holt. Interment takes place in the Holt cemetery this afternoon.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

Patients at the Physicians hospital since last Thursday are as follows: Mable Wick, Pine Creek; Fred Host, Thief River Falls; Howard and Alice Johnson, Gatzke; Mrs. T. H. Liden, Thief River Falls; Mike Minorski, Mahnomen; Alva Ortloff, St. Hilaire; Mrs. A. Johnson, city; Julia Langas, city; Henry Leiber, Greenbush.

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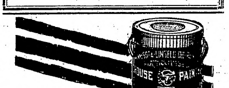

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Important Ruling is of Much Interest to Returned Service Men.

War veterans who desire may belong to the national guard and the reserve officers' training corps at the same time, according to a ruling from the War Department received this week by Sergeant Hunter, in charge of the local army recruiting station.

Secretary of War Baker has ruled that there is no objection to a man belonging to the national guard and serving in the reserve officers' corps simultaneously. They may attend the summer camps of the national guard and the reserve corps and receive pay for both, under this order.

There are 314 reserve officers training corps units, with a total enrollment of 114,674 men. Strength of the national guard of the United States was estimated 45,272 on May 1. This is 25 per cent of the authorized strength. Minnesota is third in the list of states, with 3,334 members.

—Trade at Home—

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Axelson and two sons, of Rosewood, passed Tuesday in this city attending to shopping and also visiting with their daughter and sister, Miss Olive, who is employed at Black's Sweet Shop.

—Trade at Home—

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., May 18th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the application of Holt and George for Plumber's license be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the building permit of John Bratrud be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the bill of Holt and George for the laying of water main and sewer extension be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl that the bill of Dr. G. A. Penney be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution increasing the salary of the Firemen for the month of June. (See Resolution.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held May 18, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the salary of the Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Fire Department for the month of June, 1920, be and hereby is increased in the sum of $160.00, with the provision that said money be used in attending the meeting of the State Fire Men's Association, to be held at Moorhead, Minnesota, on June 14, 15, and 16, 1920, and that there be hereby appropriated said sum for such purpose, and the Mayor and the City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver to the Chief of the City's Fire Department, the City's warrant in said sum, to be distributed and use in accordance herewith.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 22nd, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

BANK NO. 1409.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Incorporated.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 6th day of March, A. D., 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That section Six and Four of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Section Four. The Government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a board consisting from five to twelve Directors, who shall be elected at the regular annual meeting of the stockholders to be held on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of January of each year between the hours of 10 A. M., and 8 P. M., of the said day. They shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Thief River Falls, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1920.

E. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal)

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. On this 9th day of March, 1920, before me appeared E. McGinn and L. A. Lampert, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Incorporated; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public, Pennington Co., Minn.
My commission expires April 2, 1925.
(Notarial Seal)

State of Minnesota, Office of Superintendent of Banks, St. Paul, April 9th, 1920. This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Incorporated, in voting to increase the highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall be subject from Two Hundred Fifty Thousand dollars to Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars; and changing the number of Directors from seven to from five to Twelve, as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

F. E. PEARSON,
Superintendent of Banks.
By G. H. SIVRIGHT,
Deputy Superintendent.
(Seal)

State of Minnesota, Department of State. I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1920 at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book R of State Bank Records, on page 662.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn. I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in book "J" of Miscl., on page "8".

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds,
By Gladys G. Anderson,
Deputy.
m27-j3

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter A. or P. A. Ekstrom, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Mary Ekstrom, Carl Emil Ekstrom, Esther Anderson, Josie Lorentson, Cora Ekstrom, Mabel Ekstrom, Rose Ekstrom, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of June, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 14th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m-20-27-j3

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Helge Klemmetsen,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 28th day of August, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated May 22nd, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
m27-j3-10

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

Office of the County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

To Henneretta Krumm.

You are hereby notified, that at a Tax Judgment Sale held on the 8th day of May, 1916, the following described parcel of land, situated in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lots 23, 24 and 25, Block 8, Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids, an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, was sold for the sum of Fifty-four and 19-100 Dollars; That the amount required to redeem said parcel, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Fifty Four and 19-100 Dollars, and interest as provided by law to the day such redemption is made; and that the tax certificate issued upon said sale has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and the time for redemption of said parcel from said sale will expire sixty days after the service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 12th day of May, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor of Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal)
m20-27-j3

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

To Louise Karnow.

You are hereby Notified, that the following described piece or parcel of land, situate in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots 18, 19 and 20, Block 8, Knox's Addition to Townsite of Red Lake Rapids an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, is now assessed in your name; that on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1916, at the sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 15th day of March, A. D., 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914 for the said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of One Hundred Thirteen and 23-100 Dollars, and the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the cost to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of One Hundred Thirteen and 23-100 Dollars, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said 8th day of May, A. D. 1916, to the day such redemption is made and interest on $52.93 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 9th day of February, 1917 to the day such redemption is made, and that the said tax certificate has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 12th day of May, A. D. 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor of
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Official Seal)
m20-27-j3

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Foreign Will.

Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Austin K. Hogenson, Andrew K. Hogenson, Kate Hogenson, Anna Hogenson, Anton K. Hogenson, Tom P. Hanure, Bessie K. Hanure, Bertha A. Hanson, Anna A. Nelson, Clara Hegg, United Deaconess Hospital, Grafton, North Dakota, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said Decedent: The petition of Bessie K. Hanure, representing that Edwin K. Hogenson then a resident of the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, died on the 11th day of February, 1920, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the Probate Court in and for the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters of administration with the Will annexed be thereon granted to T. P. Hanure.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m-13-20-27

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will.

Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Ingeborg Iverson, Samolina Lillemoe, Knut P. Iverson, Iver A. Iverson, Martha C. Iverson, Adina H. Iverson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Knut P. Iverson being duly filed in this court, representing that Andrew N. Iverson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 19th day of September, 1918, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Knut P. Iverson; Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable, Ira C. Richardson, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 10th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge.
(Court Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m-13-20-27

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Sophie Severson and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Sophie Severson having been filed in this Court, representing that Joe Severson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 2nd day of February, 1909, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emil E. Zeh, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; THEREFORE, YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of June, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m13-20-27

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Madeline Giard and Joseph Giard, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated December 31, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on January 30, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 58 of mortgages on page 432, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and it being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of six hundred and sixty seven dollars and thirty eight ($667.38), and the taxes for 1918 amounting to fifty three dollars and eighty nine cents ($53.89) paid by said mortgagee, making the total amount now due seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents ($721.27).

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots eleven (11), twelve (12), and thirteen (13) of block nine (9), in Knox's addition to Red Lake Rapids, now part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County,

will be sold by the sheriff of said County at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 29th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, to pay said debt and interest thereon and the taxes and an attorney's fee, of fifty (50) dollars stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 1, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Fergus Falls,
Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
m13-20-27-j3-10-17

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Marion L. Cooper, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Wesley C. Cooper, Charles J. Cooper, George Edwin Cooper, Bernice May Cooper, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 8th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—My home at 932 Arnold Ave N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and fenced for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 60 bbl. cistern, hot water heat, all rough in plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. M. Bothun.

FOR SALE—300 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 2½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks, one week old.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. R. Box 52, Thief River Falls, Minn. 71tf

FOR SALE—State Land, Viking, $2.60 per acre deposit, balance 1911, 4 per cent interest. Open, farm, hay and pasture land.—The Times. 75

FOR SALE—My National 6 Cylinder, 7 passenger automobile, in best running order. One set new cord tires, 5 other good tires and lot of inner tubes and extras. One of the best autos in city and the best buy. Can be seen at Borry's garage. Reason for selling, going away.—J. L. Bean. 72

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 66tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 87tf

FOR SALE—Eight good work horses and one gang plow; 1 binder and 2 sets of work harness.—Mrs. Theodore L. Olson, Kratka, Minn. 61tf

$2040.00 CASH WILL BUY QUARTER section of land five miles northwest of Wylie. See Healy Land Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. 74

FOR SALE OR RENT—120 acres one-half mile from Thief River Falls east, described as SE¼NE¼ and lots 9 and 10, and part of 11, Sec. 2-153-43.—A. R. Jorris, Spring Valley, Minn. 73

FOR SALE—Black draft mare, five years old, weight 1500, with five-weeks-old colt. Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 72tf

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—H. J. Bakke, office and salesroom at Borry's garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. J. Wiener, Rt. 2, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Large, modern house on East Side. Former residence of Prof. J. H. Hay. Four blocks from postoffice. The price is attractive. See M. C. Burns. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at $11 per acre, 15 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric line. Inquire Times office or phone 1492. 93tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 3 lots. Good investment.—J. Weirus. 75p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek. 72tf

FOR SALE—A good horse at 718 Horace Ave. N. 73p

FOR SALE—Six-weeks-old pigs. Phone 1251, 615 Markley Ave. S. 72

FOR SALE—Five horse power Erickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Call at 103 Conley Ave. S. 63tf

FOR SALE—Maccaroni wheat for seed. Also two pure bred Shorthorn bulls old enough for service.—P. W. Roark. 61tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. F. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Two quarter sections west of St. Hilaire, along main road. All fenced with galvanized barb wire. Good living house and two good barns. Well and granary. 200 acres under cultivation. Balance, timber and pasture. $75.00 per acre.—L. A. Carlson, Water St., St. Hilaire, Minn. 75

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1972, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—Geraniums and cut flowers for Decoration Day.—Mrs. Emil Olson, 1422 Bridge St. 72p

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 lots. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 53tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—1 kitchen cupboard, and many other useful articles too numerous to mention. Call at once No. 402 Red Lake Blvd. 72

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—A few bushels of Rural New York seed potatoes.—Peter Omundson, Kratka Rt., city. 72

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 61tf

FOR SALE—Double Harness. Inquire Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree S. 70tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc Jersey spring pigs. Sired by first prize boar at Minnesota State Fair, 1919. Grandsire and great grandsire also 1st State Fair winners. Also herd boar for sale.—Gunsten Skomedal, R. 2, City. 72

FOR SALE—Top writing desk and safe. Inquire E. P. Ahlborn, Tailor. 73p

FOR SALE—White Pekin duck eggs, 10c each. Mrs. H. J. Rustad. Phone 4502. 70tf

Waste Material.

Capitalize your waste material! Write for price list on old metals, rags, rubbers and magazines now! Thief River Hide and Fur Co. 74

HAY FOR SALE—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 303 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Milch cows, for horse or team.—Sakarias G. Hole, Erie. 74p

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms at 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 393. 71

FOR RENT—Five rooms upstairs at 604 Knight Ave. N. Telephone 4574. 73p

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—Ambitious, energetic man to handle the sale of our guaranteed household products in this county. We have a complete and attractive line of flavoring extracts, toilet articles, spices, medicines, etc.) Good sellers. Steady repeats. Experience unnecessary. We furnish capital. Hustler can easily make $150 to $300 a month. Write quick for free particulars and secure your home county.—Heberling Medicine Company, Bloomington, Illinois. 74p

MISTER SALESMAN—Do you want to make $100.00 per week and up? Get our proposition. Address P. O. box 132, Superior, Wisconsin. 71

WANTED—2 men for work in creamery. Thief River Falls Creamery. 72tf

WANTED—Night clerk at Hotel Evelyn. 72

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for housework on farm. Steady place, $10.00 per week.—Mrs. J. L. Martin, Climax Minn. 73p

WANTED—Second cook and chambermaid at Hotel Evelyn. 72

WANTED—Middle-aged girl for housekeeper. Easy place. Call 408 Duluth Av. S., or write. 74pd

MISCELLANEOUS

Waste Material.

Capitalize your waste material! Write for price list on old metals, rags, rubbers and magazines now! Thief River Hide and Fur Co. 74

FOUND—Saturday, boy's overcoat on St. Hilaire road. Finder can have same by applying at The Times office and paying for this ad.

The Crookston College will run a special summer term for teachers and high school students. Write to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minnesota. M-27

LOST—Pig, 4 weeks old. Finder notify Bernt Wold, Markley Ave. N. 73p

LOST—One pair English walking shoes and blue serge coat. Lost Friday evening on St. Hilaire road. Finder return to Home Cafe. 72

I HAVE THE AGENCY FOR THE well known World's Star Mills, manufacturers of high grade seamless hosiery and sanitary packed underwear for men, women and children. I will be glad to call and let you inspect my samples at your leisure.—Mrs. Alice R. Kratka, 204 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 165. 73

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block Hours 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three rooms in modern house suitable for light housekeeping. About June 15. Address P. O. Box 1172. City. 72p

WANTED—200 cords dry wood.—Thief River Co-op. Creamery. 73

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

Life is Give and Take Proposition

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There was a time in the world when a man could do pretty much as he pleased. What one man did was of little concern to anyone else, for it had little effect on anyone else. Those days are gone, however, and they never will return. Today, no man can live entirely unto himself. Life is a complicated affair under modern conditions. No one man in any community is entirely independent of all others in that community.

Organized society, in the form of governments, national, state and local, have recognized the new conditions and have decreed that every man must observe certain rules in his relations with his fellow men. He must not do certain things that would endanger the health of other people in his community. He must not do such things as would disturb the peace and quiet of his neighborhood. He must remember that he owes a duty to his community.

Not Question of Right.

A man may say that he has the right to spend his money where he pleases; that no one can stop him if he wants to buy his groceries, his clothes and his furniture in some city miles away from where he earns the money to pay for them. He is right. There is no law to prevent him from doing so, unless it is the law of self-preservation. The man who has the right to send his money away to some distant city instead of spending it at home, also has the right to send his children to that city to be educated in the schools, which his money helps to support, but he doesn't exercise that right. He sends his children to the local schools, the maintenance of which is made possible by the men who spend their money at home.

Life in any community today is a give-and-take proposition. A man can not take everything and give nothing and get away with it for any great length of time. He can not take his living from any community and give nothing back to help the other fellow make a living. If he cuts off the other fellow's living, he is bound eventually to cut off his own, for unless the other fellow has money to buy his labor or his goods he cannot make a living himself.

You may say that what you buy doesn't amount to much and the money that you send away to the mail order houses in other cities can not have any great effect upon the general business conditions in your town. Maybe it doesn't amount to much and maybe it won't have any great effect upon the community's prosperity in itself, but what will be the result if every person in the community, or half of them, or a tenth of them, take the same view of the matter. Your business, in itself, may not amount to much, but taken together with the business of a hundred others in the community, it amounts to a great deal. It amounts to the difference between a prosperous community and a "dead" one. It amounts to the difference, in the end, between good times and bad times for yourself and your own family. If you lived on a desert isle, it would make no difference where you sent your money, because it would make no difference whether you had any money at all or not. But you are not living upon a desert isle. You are living in a modern community. To do everything possible to build up that community is not only a duty which you owe to the community, but—more important still—it is a duty which you owe to yourself.

Taxes Will Increase.

You have children to educate. You want your community to have good schools so that your children may have the same advantages that the children in the big city have. If you live on a farm you need good roads over which to haul your products to market. You may say that you pay your share of the taxes out of which the school houses are built and the roads constructed. Maybe you do pay your share in proportion to the value of your world's goods, but where is the other fellow to get the money to pay his share of the taxes if, after you pay your taxes, you send the remainder of your money to some other community to help build their schools and construct their roads. The merchants of any community pay a very considerable part of the taxes collected in that community. Go to the tax books and you will find this to be the case. When the business of the merchant falls off and he carries smaller stocks and has less money in the bank, he pays smaller taxes, and as the amount he pays in taxes decreases, the amount you pay must increase if the schools are to be maintained and the roads kept up. It may be a man's own business if he wants to send his money to help build up the big cities where the mail order houses flourish, but it's poor business for himself as well as for everybody else in the community in which he lives.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS, AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate.—THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side.—ANDREW BOTTELSON.

THE EAST SIDE IS OUT OF THE HIGH RENT DISTRICT. Our stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products cannot be equalled in Thief River Falls, and we refuse to be undersold. Secure our prices, before buying elsewhere.—A. E. ZELLMER.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil.—AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station.—K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service
and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.—HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries.—ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here. — HALL BROTHERS CO.

Homestead Entry Cancelled.

In a decision handed down May 24 in the homestead contest case of Herbert Carl Severson against Olaf Torger Ness, the entry of Ness is ordered cancelled, subject to appeal to the Secretary of the Interior. The decision is based on the ground that Ness is disqualified from making homestead entry on the grounds of citizenship, he having claimed exemption from military service because he was not a citizen of the United States. This case has been before the United States Land office for some time and has attracted a great deal of attention. The defense of Ness was that he misunderstood his questionnaire and withdrew his claim for exemption on the grounds of citizenship as soon as he discovered just what he had done. It is apparent, however, that the evidence submitted did not have the desired effect and the above ruling resulted.

—Trade at Home—

FARM BUREAU PICNIC COMMITTEES NAMED

Annaul Community Outing Will be Held at Squaw Point on June 14.

A meeting was held in the farm bureau office last evening to outline the plans for the Community Picnic on June 14.

County Agent J. J. McCann was elected chairman with the following committees: Sport Committee, Supt. B. O. Norby, L. A. Lampert and Ben Rosendahl; finance committee, R. J. McKercher, I. A. Rolstad, and R. Moran; refreshment committee, Fred Beerbower and Harry Woolson; program committee, V. C. Noper, Elev Aukre and F. A. Tripp; reception committee, Fred Beerbower, Jesse LaBree, J. W. Denhart, Mike McAndress and Morgan Vaughn; ground committee, V. C. Noper, J. Payne, Eber Conklin and G. M. Gunderson.

The Woman's club will also appoint representatives to act on the various committees named. These will be published at a later date, also a more detailed statement of the program for that day.

—Trade at Home—

Political Announcement.

(PAID ADVERTISEMENT—Written by and inserted for Thomas Keefe, 231 Endicott Bldg., St. Paul, Minn., for which $5.00 has been paid.)

There never will be a government FAIR to all the people until all the people have as good a chance to go to CONGRESS as the rich man and his lawyer.

The ONLY way to get a law-making body that will do what the people want done is to have a *SAMPLE of* the people to make the laws.

That sample will be as honest, intelligent and fair as the people. It will be interested as the people are interested, will want what the people want, and will do what the people would do.

However, that sample never can be had by picking and choosing, but only by taking at random, by chance, by DRAWING LOTS. Let all file, free of expense, who wish to; then draw lots. That's business: election is only politics.

More than 2300 years ago the people of Athens realized that election resulted in government by WEALTH, changed their method, chose their law-makers by lot, got a sample of the people, and had a business government, fair to all.

And the period which resulted is known to all historians as the GOLDEN AGE of Athens.

I stand for DRAWN DEMOCRACY.

THOMAS KEEFE,
Candidate for GOVERNOR,
Republican Primaries.

—Trade at Home—

In Memorial of our heroes. Place orders at once for cut flowers at Flower Shop. m27

—Trade at Home—

ALL TIRED OUT

Hundreds More in Thief River Falls in Same Plight.

Tired all the time;
Weary and worn out night and day;
Back aches; head aches,
Your kidneys are probably weakened.

You should help them at their work. Let one who knows tell you how.

Mrs. J. H. McClelland, 14 Conley Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "We have used Doan's Kidney Pills and know they are just as represented. I had kidney trouble and my back ached. I felt tired at times and my kidneys acted irregularly. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Lambert's Drug Store and they soon had me feeling all right. Since then I have had no kidney trouble to complain of."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. McClelland had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

—Trade at Home—

Play Safe, order your cut flowers today for Memorial Day. m29

—Trade at Home—

Churches

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

—Trade at Home—

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Confirmation at Bethlehem church east of town at 11 a. m. Services in Zion church at 8 p. m. Rindal Ladies aid at Mrs. Stengelsen's Tuesday at 2 p. m. Confirmants 1 to 2 p. m. Confirmation in city June 6th. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

—Trade at Home—

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 30: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Special Memorial Day theme. Evening worship at 8 p. m. Our church is for everyone. You are invited.

—Trade at Home—

Return Party For Juniors.

The Seniors of the Lincoln high school are entertaining at a return party for the Juniors in the high school gymnasium this evening.

—Trade at Home—

Commencement flowers. Highest quality at Flower Shop. Phone 102.

Bargains in Bicycles

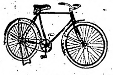

Desiring to close out our entire line of fine bicycles we will dispose of them at the following attractive discounts:

	Reg. Price	Sale Price
4 Red Bird Bicycles	$37.50	$29.50
1 Red Bird (boy's size)	$37.50	$29.50
1 Girl's Bike	$45.00	$37.50
1 Westminister Clincher Rim	$45.00	$37.50
1 Westminister Regular	$43.50	$35.00

Hall Brothers Co.

"A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE"

'Phone 15 317 Horace Ave. N.

We Were Chosen to Guard the Indians' Money

and, as you know, Uncle Sam picks only the strongest banks in the country as depositories for Indian Funds. Large capital and surplus, strong officers, directors and stockholders, and a good record behind us make for the kind of safety that pulls through all sorts of conditions.

And we are as helpful as we are safe. Open an account and find out.

First and Peoples State Bank

Thief River Falls, Minn..

"Granny" Chamberlain

Whooping Cough

"The disease I most dread is Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect it, and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You cannot mistake the symptoms: protracted coughing, worse at night; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; apparent suffocation after coughing.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health—"Granny" Chamberlain

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Sugar today, (2 lbs. to each customer), per lb	27c
Fancy Herring, 10 lb. pails, each	$1.25
Cookies, Cookies, per lb	23c
Apples, Apples, per box	$2.95
Fancy canned Corn, reg. 25c, Special per can	22c
Fancy canned Peas, reg. 25c, Special, per can	22c
Assorted Fruen's Breakfast Food, special per pkg	15c
Flour, Flour, 98 lb. Pillsbury, Gold Medal or Vivo, Cash	$8.00
Extra fine white Potatoes, Special, per bu	$4.50

MEAT SPECIALS

Pork Roast, per lb	24c
Beef Roasts, per lb	21c
Veal Stew, per lb	16c
Pork Sausage, per lb	22c
Hamburger, per lb	22c
Extra fine Home rendered Lard, per lb.	25c
Frankfurters, per lb	19c
Chickens, Chickens, No. 1 fat and juicy. Fresh killed as per order, per lb	30c

Fresh line of greens, berries and fruits at all times. We pay the highest cash prices for all produce, cattle and poultry. See us before selling, and also come in and get our prices. We have the most sanitary Meat Market and Grocerly store that can be obtained, and it's open to the public for inspection at all times, from top to bottom. We advertise because our prices are right and the quality of our meat and groceries can't be surpassed. Use our free delivery service at all times. It's for you.

PHONE 115

We will be closed all day Monday, which is Decoration Day.

Simonson's MEAT AND GROCERY

For Sale

One purebred Holstein Bull, born Oct. 12, 1919. Sired by Pinehurst Glen 102429, out of Peebe Champion with 31 A. R. O. daughters and 9 sons with A. R. O. daughters. Dam, Pietertje Pauline Ormsby. Sired by Sir Pietertje Ormsby Mercedes 31st. He is more white than black. A Show Bull to be sure. Priced to sell and the first man that sees him will buy. A few registered Berkshire male pigs.

H. P. RUED,
8 miles east on Elwell Road.

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AUCTION SALE

There will be a public sale at 412 Markley Ave. South, one-half block south of Knox School House, on Tuesday, June 1, 1920

Commencing at 1:00 O'Clock Sharp

One Ford Auto with express body
Three beds
Two springs
Two rockers
Six dining chairs
Four kitchen chairs
One Monarch range, nearly new
One coal heater
One kerosene stove, used one season
One oak cupboard
One round oak table
One kitchen table
One couch
One Sanitary couch
One Princess dresser
One walnut dresser
One phonograph cabinet with records
One Singer sewing machine
One writing desk
One 6-piece library suite
One reed baby cab
One rug, 9x12, used 2 months
One rug, 8x10
One washing machine
One wringer
Fruit jars, tubs, boilers and other articles too numerous to mention.

C. M. Jacobson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioner. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Ellen T. Byrom.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Thirty-eight, Thirty-nine, Forty, Forty-one, Forty-two, Forty-three and Forty-four, Block Twenty-eight; (Lots 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44, Block 28) in Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 14th day of May, 1917, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 14th day of March, 1917, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1915, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of One Hundred Dollars and Thirty-nine cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 25th day of October, 1918, for the sum of One Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Fifty-seven cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Fifty-seven cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $118.57 thereof from the 25th day of October, 1918, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 19th day of May, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
By AXEL RISBERG,
Deputy.

(Official Seal)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. O. F. Melby. 72

A BUSINESS HOUSE AND AN 8 room dwelling house, both in good condition for sale—very cheap. Inquire at Loken's Harness Shop. 75

Paid Advertisement

—Ordered and paid for at regular rates by Steenerson Committee, Martin Widsten, Secretary, Crookston, Minn.

Only three Minnesota congressmen, since the state was organized and up to the present date, have reached the position of chairman of a major committee in the House of Representatives. Halvor Steenerson is one of the three.

The Princess

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
The Screen's most natural actor
WILL ROGERS
in

"Almost a Husband"

"The funny man with the sunny smile." When you see him you will agree that he's the happiest, snappiest, peppiest male star on the screen. If you miss this don't blame us.

Keystone Comedy
"WORST OF FRIENDS"
Matinee Sunday: 2:30

The Lyceum

TODAY AND FRIDAY
MABEL NORMAND
In the snappiest, funniest Picture of Her Career
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"PINTO"

It's all about a Society Debutante. The funniest, friskiest deb that ever "Came Out"—for she debuted to the tune of a smoking 45 and a twirling lasso. Fun? Speed? You never saw anything like it before.

LET'S GO LET'S GO

SATURDAY
GLADYS BROCKWELL
in

"Chasing Rainbows"

Story of an American Girl who did more good in a western town than a preacher and a pair of six-shooters.

15th and last chapter "Smashing Barriers"
Matinee: 2:30

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
MARY PICKFORD
In another great Picture from Her Own Studio

"Heart O' the Hills"

She has that smile as you know turns to sadness, to anger, despair, hatred and revenge as the play runs. This is the story of a little mountain girl, true to her principle but ready to fight with fist or gun for clan or against oppression.

Sunshine Comedy "DANGEROUS EYES"
Matinee Sunday: 2:30

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No Contest In Primary For County

But One Candidate For Each Place to be Filled in Pennington County.

Eklund Tries for Re-election; Lars Backe Files for Probate Judge.

Three County Commissioners Will Have No Opponents in June Balloting.

So far as the primary election on June 28 is concerned the contest for offices in Pennington county is going to be decidedly tame. Only two officials outside of the county commissioners are to be elected this coming fall and there is but one candidate for each place.

Adolf Eklund, present clerk of court, is a candidate to succeed himself and will have to make no campaign before the primaries. Up to date there has not even been mention of a man to succeed him and it is probable that he will face no more trouble in the final test than in the preliminaries.

Backe a Candidate.

Judge of Probate Ira C. Richardson decided that he would not again enter the race and will retire after holding the office for two years. Lars Backe, former mayor of Thief River Falls, is a candidate for the place and will have no opposition so far as the primaries are concerned.

For County Commissioners.

There are three county commissioners to be elected this fall, A. W. Hanson of the First district, who is filling the unexpired term of the late G. W. Hunt, being required under the law to make the race if he wishes to retain the seat for the remaining two years of the term. In the Second district Robert McGinn has filed as a candidate to succeed himself, as has J. S. Roy in the Fourth. All three will be unopposed in the primaries and it is not likely that the situation will be any different in the finals.

Contestants in the State.

There will be sixteen candidates for governor on the primary ticket—eight each of Republicans and Democrats. The first named are Franklin F. Ellsworth, Mankato; Tom Frankson, Samuel G. Iverson and Thomas Keefe of St. Paul, J. A. O. Preus, Minneapolis; Julius A. Schmahl, Redwood Falls; Henrik Shipstead, Glenwood.

The Democratic list is as follows: Charles M. Andrist, Minneapolis; Robert W. Hargardine and L. C. Hodgson, St. Paul; Edward Indrehus, Foley; Alfred Jaques, Duluth; Oliver J. Quane, St. Peter; Julius Thorson, Benson.

The Democrats have no candidates for other state offices with the exception of secretary of state, for which place Frank C. Burmaster, Minneapolis, and B. M. Loefler, Albert Lea, have filed.

The complete Republican ticket outside of governor follows:

Lieutenant Governor—Louis L. Collins and George H. Mallon, both of Minneapolis.

Secretary of State—Mike Holm, Roseau; A. M. Opsahl, Brainerd; Thomas Vollom, Erskine.

State Treasurer—Charles A. Lund, Vining; Henry Rines, Mora.

Attorney General—Clifford L. Hilton, Fergus Falls; John C. Larson and Elmer C. Patterson of Minneapolis; Stelle S. Smith, Worthington; Thomas V. Sullivan, St. Paul.

Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—O. P. B. Jacobson, Fergus Falls; Paul I. D. Ostby, Emmons.

It was continually rumored about the capitol right up to the last hour for filing that Julius Schmahl would withdraw from the race, but he permitted his name to appear. He declares that he will draw heavily from the Nonpartisan league and that 85,000 votes will be enough to nominate a candidate for governor.

—Trade at Home—

Chimney Pulled Down.

On Tuesday afternoon Fire Chief Paul Midderigh in charge of a crew of men demolished the chimney of the burned Union block and removed a menace to life and property. The chimney was one of the tallest in the city and had remained standing since last winter when fire destroyed the building. The fire chief considered it dangerous and notified the owners. He was given full authority to act as he saw fit and it was not long until the landmark was leveled. After undermining the stack it was pulled toward the south with horses and dropped where it could hurt nothing.

—Trade at Home—

TEACHERS LEAVE FOR SUMMER VACATIONS

Scatter to All Points of Compass for Well-Earned Season of Recreation.

There has been a general exodus of school teachers from the city during the past week. During the next two months they will accumulate a coat of tan and recuperate for another strenuous season. Some will take up special work at some institution of higher learning during the period, Misses Alice Benson, Bessie A. Ray, Mary Grizold and Agnes Enerson being among these. The following will remain in the city or visit for a short time in the immediate neighborhood: Supt. W. A. Ziegler, Agnes Wilson, Frederick A. Tripp, M. A. Schmitt, Edna Larson, Emma Tandberg, Ida C. Tandberg, Maude Frissell, Agnes Aske, Livie Aske, Martha Posten, Minnie A. Johnson, Zella Z. Zeh and Mrs. Erickson. Most of the others will spend the time at their homes or with relatives in other parts of the country. Miss Ella Evans, high school principal, will visit at different points near New York City, the temporary addresses of others being as follows:

Cora Emily Houghton, Minneapolis; Mary E. Welsh, Black River Falls, Wis.; Irene Patrick, Hinckley; Albert Tommeraasen, Wilmar; Amelia Hoorn, Fergus Falls; Mary Belle Warth, West Virginia; Rose M. Taylor, Minneapolis; Lillian Poppitz, Heron Lake; Grace Gunlaugson, Montevideo; Walter M. Schold, North Branch; Gordon Melby, Minneapolis; Julia Costello, Sauk Center; Jessie Carlson, Crookston and Moorhead; Margaret Jordan, Duluth; Ada Whipps, Minneapolis; Mabel A. Johnson, Bemidji; Blandine Belanger, Duluth; Malaria Belanger, Duluth; Lyda Batten, Newfolden; Evelyn Zellmer, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Gerda Mortensen, Fosston; Inez Howe, Tower; Mabelle Lindberg, Botteneau, N. D.; Florence Nylander, Duluth; Florence Fjelstad, Grand Forks; Olga Lofgren, Tower; May Bark; Duluth; Katherine Smith, Minneapolis; Lovina Adams, Luverne; Carrie E. Trogan, Eveleth; Margaret Murray, Duluth; Ruth V. C. Friestedt, Duluth.

—Trade at Home—

Government Wheat Price Fixing Ends

Proclamation of President Withdraws Price Guarantee on Staple June 1.

Except in the Case of Contracts Wheat Value Will Depend on Conditions.

Probable That Corporation Will Show a Small Profit on Transactions.

Federal control of wheat and wheat products ended on Tuesday, the wheat director ceasing to function his office and the food administration control of President Wilson.

This means the passing of the government guarantees of $2.00 a bushel for wheat established to stimulate war production. Some existing contracts remain to be carried out by the United States Grain corporation, which has been the instrumentality of the government in handling wheat. As soon as the contracts have been executed the corporation will wind up its affairs and turn over its finances to the treasury department.

The licensing of dealers in wheat and wheat products has been in the hands of the wheat director and the food administration and this arrangement being ended those who have contracts at fixed figures are free to buy and sell at such prices as trade conditions may bring about automatically.

Officials said the corporation had operated at a slight profit but the exact figures would not be known until the corporation had wound up its affairs.

—Trade at Home—

HAY AND WILSON AT FARM BUREAU PICNIC

Will Speak at Annual Community Outing at Squaw Point on June 14.

The picnic to be held at Squaw Point on June 14, by the Farm Bureau association, will be the biggest and best in the history of that organization. The committees in charge are including more new features in the program than has ever before been attempted and the day will be one of genuine profit as well as pleasure.

J. H. Hay has consented to be one of the speakers. Having resided for years right here in Pennington county and being still interested in a material way in its progress and development, he is perhaps better qualified to address our people on an occasion of this kind than any other man in the state. He will be accompanied by A. D. Wilson, general manager of the extension division of the state university, a man well known in every section of the country for his advanced views on farm improvement and community building.

This being a picnic for all the people the women are to have an important part in it. Attorney H. O. Chommie will speak on behalf of the Woman's club and Community Girls and others will represent different civic organizations. Several songs will be given by the Community Girls and there will be the usual games and pastimes for the younger set.

—Trade at Home—

City Made Headquarters For New Fuel Enterprise

Fred D. Haug, who previous to his enlistment in the army conducted a garage in this city and who has made Minneapolis his home since being mustered out, has returned and is preparing to put a new product on the market. It is the King Gas Maker, a device for generating gas from kerosene and providing fuel for heating and cooking. According to the circulars this substance is composed of 96 parts air and four parts kerosene. Numerous demonstration tests have been made and the reports are most encouraging. So certain is Mr. Haug that it will do all claimed for it that he has interested well-known citizens here in the matter and has secured the agency for the entire northwestern section of Minnesota, his territory embracing eleven counties. Headquarters for the district will be in Thief River Falls, arrangements having already been made for suitable quarters. Mr. Haug will shortly start on a trip for the purpose of making demonstrations and appointing sub-agents.

Annual Sale of Guernsey Cattle June 8

Breeders From All Sections of Valley Expected Here Next Wednesday.

Albert Johnson's Burr Oak Farm Will be Scene of Big Gathering.

Entries Not Numerous But Every Individual of Highest Quality.

The annual picnic and sale of the Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders' association will be held at Burr Oak farm, owned by Albert Johnson and located two miles south of Thief River Falls, on Tuesday, June 8. Harry Woolson, Thief River Falls, is president of the association, and Leonard Housko, Halstad, is secretary. These officials have been working hard to get news of this meeting to the members throughout the district and to secure sufficient entries to make the sale attractive. Up to date there are but few entries but these are of a class that should insure considerable attention.

Prof. Eckles Speaker.

C. H. Eckles, professor of dairy husbandry at the University of Minnesota, will deliver an address and other well-known speakers will be on hand. Prof. Eckles is one of the foremost dairy experts in the Northwest and it will be worth while for any person interested in the industry to hear what he has to say.

An added feature of interest will be an auto tour to nearby Guernsey farms where visitors will have an opportunity of viewing some of the best herds in this section.

Some Excellent Entries.

County Agent J. J. McCann states that to date five head have been entered and will be placed on sale at the meeting. More are expected to come in before the date of sale, but even this number is sufficient to cause considerable interest because of their high breeding and general excellence. The individuals thus far entered are as follows:

Pride Jasper First, born Feb. 23, 1919. Sweepstakes winner at Pennington county fair last year. Is son of Imported Robert Criterion of Bellview, first winner at New York State fair, 1915-1916 and second at national show in 1916. Consigned by W. J. Bell, Thief River Falls.

Lady Vera of St. Savior's Second. Heifer, born Jan. 1, 1919. The dam of this heifer had a butter fat record of 568 pounds at two and a half years. Consigned by F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls.

Cow, Sweet Alice of Clover Crest. Born Dec. 10, 1913. A very fine animal. Herd record, 416 pounds butterfat under farm conditions. Consigned by L. Jensen, Clearbrook.

Cow, born Feb. 6, 1919. Sired by Craigmoor Bruce. Large show cow of splendid type and color. Heavy milker, has run 47 pounds per day during month of April. Consigned by L. Jensen, Clearbrook.

Heifer, Phyllis of Silverton. Born Oct. 1, 1919. Light fawn and white. Sired by Velvet Standard. This is a splendid heifer calf with good A. R. backing and will make a splendid foundation cow. Consigned by H. C. Woolson, Thief River Falls.

Pedigrees furnished with all animals.

—Trade at Home—

MINNESOTA WILL HAVE LITTLE VACANT LAND

Productive Power of State Can Easily be Increased Nearly Three Times.

Minnesota's productive power will be increased two and one-half times and it will be able to support 16,000,000 people when its resources are fully developed.

With hardly an acre of waste land, the state then will have 36 per cent of its total area under plow, compared with 16 per cent being tilled now, 30 per cent in meadows and 24 per cent in forests, while the cities and roads will continue to occupy two per cent and the present 57 per cent undeveloped now will be in other classifications.

Development of these resources to the maximum will be the argument in Minnesota's brief in support of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence tidewater project at a hearing opening Friday in Duluth before the international joint commission. The hearing will be directed to the possible benefits and advantages of the proposed waterway that would enable Atlantic vessels to dock at Duluth and connect Great Lake ports with ocean ports.

The foregoing excerpts are from the brief dealing mainly with agricultural phases of the project which is to be presented by Commissioner N. J. Holmberg and Hugh J. Hughes, marketing director, for the state department of agriculture.

—Trade at Home—

SCHOOLS STARTED TO ASSIST WOMEN VOTERS

Mrs. W. J. Marclay Here Yesterday For Purpose of Arousing Interest.

The Ninth district branch of the League of Women voters is planning a campaign of education for the purpose of instructing the new voters with regard to the importance of their responsibilities. Mrs. Walter J. Marclay of Minneapolis, was in Thief River Falls yesterday and conferred with the women leaders concerning a school of political education to be organized here. The matter will be further discussed at the district meeting to be held in Moorhead next week.

Plans for the Ninth Congressional District League of women voters conference to be held at Moorhead on June 8 and 9 are steadily pressing forward. Mrs. F. H. Peterson, conference chairman, has appointed an excellent working staff in her heads of conference committees. The following women will assist Mrs. Peterson: Literature and information, Miss Jessie Comstock; entertainment, Mrs. Arthur Costain; reception, Mrs. O. J. Hagen; accommodation, Mrs. James Garrity; publicity, Mrs. William Russell; music, Miss Lucy Sheffield.

Mrs. Robert Hannah of Fergus Falls, who is chairman of the district, has been in Minneapolis for the last day or so in consultation with the members of the state board at league headquarters.

CONVENTION RETURNS WILL BE RECEIVED AT TIMES OFFICE HOURLY

By arrangement with the Western Newspaper Union reports from the Republican national convention which convenes at Chicago next Tuesday will be received by The Times. Every development of general interest pertaining in any manner to this important event will be flashed to the hundreds of papers served by this organization throughout the United States. There will be at least one bulletin every hour during the day, while night sessions will be fully covered where these are necessary.

The dispatches will be posted in the windows of The Times as soon as they are received and the service will be continued until the convention has adjourned.

—Trade at Home—

Reports Bill in Favor of Flood Relief

Red Lake River Improvement Has Sancton of Committee in Congress.

Includes Authority to Construct Control Works at Source of Stream.

Government Will Sell Certain Indian Lands to Help Cover the Cost.

The committee on flood control on Saturday favorably reported to the house the Red Lake bill with amendments suggested by the secretary of the interior. It now includes authority to construct controlling works at the outlet and to deepen and straighten Red Lake river and its tributaries which include Clearwater river, along which is some of the richest bottom lands in the state, half of them on the Indian reservation and half outside.

To Sell Indian Lands.

The bill carries authority to sell Indian lands to reimburse the United States for the sum expended on its part in the project and in carrying out this provision the department will offer for sale part of this valuable reclaimed land not required for allotments to Red Lake Indians which will mean an influx of desirable settlers and great development for that region in the near future.

The purpose is not only to prevent settlers and great development for floods but to provide drainage outlets for millions of acres in Itasca, Beltrami, Clearwater, Pennington, Red Lake and Marshall counties and to conserve and develop water power that will be made to pay about one-half of the cost of the improvement.

Congressmen Halvor Steenerson and Harold Knutson, who have charge of the bill, expect to call it up under suspension of the rules and have it passed at the first opportunity.

The reporting of this bill favorably is one of the most important steps in the program of securing flood relief for the Red Lake river drainage district. It is not anticipated that there will be any difficulty in securing its passage through the house while it is understood that the senate is also favorably disposed, Senator Nelson and Kellogg have both given the matter much study and it has their hearty support.

—Trade at Home—

Candidate Was Formerly Resident of Thief River

Paul I. D. Ostby, candidate for railroad and warehouse commissioner, was in Thief River Falls the first of the week in the interest of his candidacy and also on a visit to old friends. Mr. Ostby was a former resident of the city and also farmed for awhile in Red Lake county. He took an active part in the county division fight, upholding the claims of the people in this neighborhood although he was at that time a resident of Red Lake. He is now farming in Freeborn county.

HOUSE FAILS TO PASS RESOLUTION OF PEACE OVER WILSON'S VETO

An effort to override President Wilson's veto of the republican peace resolution failed last Friday in the house. The vote was 219 in favor of overriding the the veto to 152 against or 29 less than the required two-third's majority.

Two republicans, Representative Kelley of Michigan, and Fuller of Massachusetts, voted to sustain the veto while 17 democrats joined the republican majority in an effort to override it.

Honor Paid To Soldiers of All Wars

Large Audience Attends Exercises at Auditorium on Monday Forenoon.

Business of All Kinds Closed Down and All Join in Observances.

H. O. Chommie pays Tribute to Those Who Answered War's Summons.

Memorial Day was appropriately observed in Thief River Falls, the audience at the auditorium exercises being the largest ever seen in this city on an occasion of this kind. Mayor John Bratrud acted as chairman and the invocation was pronounced by Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church. Supt. W. A. Ziegler added a considerable interest to his impressive *reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg* address by making a short explanation of the circumstances under which the memorable oration was delivered. A quartet composed of Miss Zella Zeh, Miss Meta Kiland, Carl Sundahl and F. C. Niclai, sang "In Flanders Fields" in an acceptable manner.

Tribute to the Dead.

Attorney H. O. Chommie delivered the oration of the day. He paid an eloquent tribute to the soldiers of all wars in which the United States has engaged since its establishment as a republic and said that in every instance they have gone into battle in order that the principles of democracy might be upheld. This was the spirit behind the men who died at Concord and Lexington as well as at Shiloh and Gettysburg. It was the one great impulse animating those who drove Spain out of the western hemisphere and blossomed forth again when the country was called upon to uphold the banner of free governments in a foreign land.

Mr. Chommie did not, however, confine his remarks to the lauding of those who answered the call to arms and in many instances made the supreme sacrifice on the field of battle. He particularly admonished the men and women of the country to aim in a more unselfish manner toward bringing about the fruition of the things for which these soldiers fought. Two kinds of people in the United States, he said, stand in the way of its progress. One class is composed of those who for one reason or another obstructed the government in its prosecution of the war. The other class is made up of those who through selfishness are taking advantage of the conditions brought about by reason of its happening and an advancing of their own material interests at the expense of their neighbors. In his judgment the bolshevik is no more dangerous to the future peace and welfare of the nation than is the profiteer. The attitude of one is based largely on ignorance and that of the other almost entirely on selfishness, he said. It is the lesson of unselfishness taught by those who gave up everything to answer the call when it came that should be emulated in everyday life, said Mr. Chommie and he hoped that this would be the aim of all true Americans.

A Long Procession.

Headed by the band and the firing squad of the American Legion, a large number of ex-service men marched to Greenwood cemetery for the purpose of decorating the graves of soldiers buried there. Taps were sounded and the usual volley fired over the graves. A line of automobiles more than six blocks in length followed the boys in khaki to the last resting place of their comrades and paid a silent tribute to their memory while the exercises at the graves were taking place.

Business in the city was entirely suspended during the day and there were many visitors in from the country.

—Trade at Home—

Would Discontinue Long Bridge and Change Road

The final hearing on a road petition signed by citizens of North township will be held at the commercial club rooms in this city on Tuesday, June 15, at 2 o'clock. The project also involves the discontinuing of what is known as the Long bridge and routing the road across the land owned by Nels Myron. There is considerable interest in this matter among the people of the township and a large turnout is looked for. The changing of this road would greatly benefit a large number of farmers without seriously affecting anyone.

—Trade at Home—

SOLDIER BONUS BILL PASSES LOWER HOUSE

Carries Benefits Aggregating $1,400,000,000 For Ex-Service Men.

After an all afternoon battle, the soldier bonus bill, with benefits of more than $1,400,000,000 for approximately 4,300,000 former service men, was passed by the house and sent to the senate on Saturday.

It received a majority of more than 3 to 1, after a special rule was adopted blocking all amendments. The final vote was 289 to 92, or 35 votes more than the necessary two-thirds majority required under the parliamentary procedure to keep out amendments.

Additional taxes of approximately $1,300,000,000, the payment of which would be started next December and continue for three years, are imposed by the bill. None of the benefits granted will be available until June 1, 1921.

The service men are given the option of cash bonus, home aid, land settlement, paid up insurance or vocational training, and the taxes are imposed upon real estate transfers, stock and grain transactions, with increases over the present surtaxes and tobacco levies.

The charge was made frequently in the house today that it will be killed in the senate. It is virtually certain no action will be taken before the proposed adjournment or recess, the latter part of next week.

Forty republicans and 52 democrats voted against the bill on the final roll call.

All Minnesota members with the exception of Congressman W. H. Newton of Minneapolis, voted for the measure.

—Trade at Home—

Leave on Visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Froehlich and two sons leave tomorrow for a month's absence in the southern part of the state. They go first to Mankato for a stay with the doctor's people, after which Mrs. Froehlich will attend the bi-ennial meeting of the National Association of Woman's clubs at Des Moines while Dr. Froehlich attends to business matters at Rochester. They expect to return about the first of July.

—Trade at Home—

Use Movies in Campaign Now Raging

Speaker For Good Government League Will be in City Tuesday Night.

Promises to Expose Methods Used by Nonpartisan League in Dakota.

Six Reel Film on Subject Will be Shown Free at Princess Theatre.

It is quite evident that the political campaign in this state is not going to lack excitement. Never in the history of the northwest has there been so much interest displayed in the outcome as at present and all sides are resorting to the most unusual methods for calling the attention of voters to their own outstanding virtues and the patent shortcomings of their opponents.

There have been speakers for the Nonpartisan League in Thief River Falls and now the opposition is sending representatives to counteract any influence the first comers may have exerted. One such address will be delivered at the Princess theatre on Tuesday evening when a speaker for the Minnesota Sound Government association will be present and give a short talk in connection with the running of a six reel picture purporting to show the damage done to North Dakota by Townley and the party of which he is the head.

Admission is free and it is urged by those instrumental in securing this picture for exhibition here that the people should make it a point to acquaint themselves with both sides in order that they may be able to judge impartially of the merits of each. Members of the Nonpartisan league will be made fully as welcome as those who are opposed to the program of that organization, say those in charge of the meeting.

—Trade at Home—

FIRST CROP REPORT FOR YEAR IS ISSUED

Shows Spring Wheat Acreage in County Reduced 20%. Condition Good.

The first crop report for the 1920 season for Pennington county has been sent out by County Agent J. J. McCann under date of June 1. Mr. McCann exercised great care in the compilation of this report, he having found numerous revisions necessary as he proceeded with his investigations. As the season advances there will be more or less changes to note, but at this time the conditions are as closely in conformity with the report as it is possible to get them.

It is found that the spring wheat acreage stands at 65 per cent as compared with 85 per cent a year ago. This reduction of 20 per cent in the acreage is smaller than was expected, many predicting that the falling off would reach 50 per cent.

Oats are five per cent over the figures of a year ago, standing at 105, and 10 per cent over the usual average. Condition is placed at 97.

Barley is placed at 112 per cent in a comparison with the amount presented a year ago and 115 per cent when compared with the usual acreage. Condition 97. No acreage figures are given for rye but the condition of this grain is reported at 90.

Clover for hay is figured at 104 in a comparison with a year ago and 108 when compared with the usual acreage. The condition is 99.

Pasturage is given a score of 97 per cent and field and cow peas 90 per cent. Onions are placed at 96 per cent and sugar beets at 99.

—Trade at Home—

Supreme Court Upholds Nonpartisan League Laws

Seven of the most important laws enacted by the Nonpartisan league legislature of North Dakota, all of which gave the state power to enter private business fields, were upheld on Tuesday by the United States supreme court. The decision affirmed the North Dakota supreme court.

—Trade at Home—

Move to the West.

H. C. Reed, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Grace, and son Marian left on Wednesday evening for Badger after a brief visit at the T. P. Anderson home in this city. From the latter point they will leave for their new home in Oregon.

Tractor Tips; Killing Man Riding Plow

Aug. Schnieder Meets Death in Peculiar Manner While at Work Plowing.

Machine Bogs in Wet Ground and Upends When Power is Applied.

Deceased, Whose Home is in Missouri, 27 Years Old and Single.

August Schnieder, 27 years of age, owner of a quarter section of land near Erie, was instantly killed Saturday afternoon while plowing a field with a gasoline tractor. No one was present when the accident happened but from all appearances the machine must have struck a low place in the field and gone down to a considerable distance. The supposition is that Schnieder turned on all the power possible, as the tractor was found up-ended with the unfortunate man pinned beneath.

He was discovered by Emil Grams, a neighbor, who was on his way home from Thief River Falls. Grams saw the front end of the machine sticking out of the low place in the field and investigated. Schnieder had been pressed into the mud so far that only his legs were visible and Grams was unable to do anything to release him. Hurrying to Goodridge he secured aid and the tractor was pulled away, Dr. H. W. Froehlich of this city having in the meantime been notified. The man had been dead for some hours when discovered, it would appear. The chest had been crushed in and death must have been instantaneous.

Home in Missouri.

The young man hailed from Missouri and had been in this neighborhood off and on for about two years. Two brothers arrived from his former home yesterday and took charge of the body. Besides these two sisters and a blind mother survive him.

Schnieder bore an excellent reputation among the neighbors, being industrious and accommodating in every way. The body will be taken to Missouri for burial.

—Trade at Home—

SUMMER COURT TERM STARTS WEEK LATER

Convenes on June 29—No Grand Jury Call Expected to be Made.

The June term of the Pennington county district court will be convened one week later than usual on account of Judge Grindeland being compelled to attend court in another part of the district. The petit jury has been called for Tuesday, the 29th, there being no grand jury call as yet. Unless something develops to make the convening of this body seem more necessary than at present it is not likely that a panel will be drawn. The petit jurors selected to serve for the term are as follows:

E. K. Aasen, William Furstnau, M. M. Johnson, Mike Schmitz, Emil Griebstein and Fred Holzknecht, city; Halvor Fodstad, Henry Hanson and John Hegernes, Silverton; A. B. Mandt and Oliver Resan, Goodridge; Olof Wahlberg and Jerry Hruby, Cloverleaf; J. E. Solomonson, Smiley; H. F. Atwood, Numedal; John Rustad, Highlanding; Joe Kiland and P. H. Wright, Kratka; C. J. Bothman, River Falls; Carl Wahlin, Reiner; Gust Lundberg, St. Hilaire; Herman Harder, Polk Center; J. D. Turnwall, North; Emil Kruse, Sanders.

—Trade at Home—

MANY CONCERNS MAKE CHANGES IN LOCATION

Thief River Music Co., Bon Ton Millinery, and City Bakery Involved.

There will be quite a shifting around among the business houses in the city during the next few days. The Bon Ton Millinery will go out of business in Thief River Falls and the quarters now occupied by this concern will be taken over by the Thief River Music company. The rooms will be remodeled to accommodate the new line of business and will provide an ideal location as well as more sales and work space than at present. The music company has been located in the Meehan block since fire destroyed their store last winter.

Laird's Specialty Shop is crowded out of its present quarters by reason of M. L. Swanson of the City Bakery having taken a long-time lease on the quarters. He will remodel the room and devote it to the wholesale department of his business. Mr. Laird will temporarily move into the room immediately to the west. This is too small for his purpose but will be made to answer until the building now occupied by the Walker-Gesell company on Third street is vacated. This last-named concern is in turn waiting for the First and Peoples State bank to move into its new building directly opposite, after which the quarters now used by the latter will be taken over by the realty company. The bank building is rapidly nearing completion, the delay having been caused by the impossibility of having material delivered on schedule time.

—Trade at Home—

Leap Year Dancing Party.

A number of the young ladies of the city are planning a dancing party to be given in the Masonic hall on Saturday evening.

Society

Dancing Party.

The gayest event of the spring season was a dancing party given by Doris and John Brumund in the hotel dining room on Saturday, complimentary to Miss Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, who is a guest at the E. F. Dolan home, and A. L. E. Wallgren of St. Paul, who was the week-end guest at the Brumund home. Miss Theone Walker delighted the dancers with the excellent music she furnished. A sumptuous lunch was served to the guests at midnight. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were Misses Alice Erickson, Unn Nelson, Theresa Geifer, Marie Nelson, Irma Johnson, Amy Krohn, Avis Akre, Zella Zeh, Laura Stopple, Onata Stopple, Meta Kiland, Mrs. R. M. Sheldon, Mrs. Geo. Johnson and Messrs. Guy Hinton, Guy Johnson, Theo. Tandberg, Jordan Penney, Lawrence Hermanson, Alvin Holzknecht, Geo. Werstlein, Walter Patterson, Theo. Hunt, Ralph Rasmussen, Wm. Kistler, R. M. Sheldon, Ernest Zeh.

Birthday Party.

Miss Helen Keating celebrated her thirteenth birthday anniversary on Saturday afternoon by entertaining about fifteen of her friends at her home on LaBree avenue. The hours were spent in playing games and at five o'clock a delicious lunch was served. A feature of the lunch was the lovely birthday cake adorned with thirteen candles which delighted the children.

Stuart Booren Honored.

Mrs. Renhard Knutson entertained a number of children on Saturday afternoon at a picnic at Squaw Point the event being in honor of Stuart Booren, who left the first of the week with his parents for Rhinelander, Wis., where they will live. The party was chaperoned by Mesdames R. Knutson and A. H. Akre.

Picnic.

Misses Avis Akre, Alice Erickson of Fergus Falls, and Messrs. Alvin Holzknecht and Jordan Penney motored to St. Hilaire on Sunday and enjoyed a picnic dinner in the Aubol grove nearby. In spite of the inclement weather a splendid time was reported.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre were hosts at a dinner party on Sunday evening given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Booren and family who left the first of the week for their new home in Rhinelander, Wis. Covers were laid for eleven.

For Miss Wilson.

Miss Irma Johnson entertained on Wednesday evening at her home on LaBree avenue at a parcel shower in honor of Miss Agnes Wilson, whose marriage takes place some time in June.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mrs. G. W. Halvorson entertained a few teachers at a dinner party on Thursday evening at her home, 515 LaBree avenue north.

—Trade at Home—

Thief River Falls Girls Among Hamline Graduates

Sixty seniors will be graduated from Hamline University, during the sixty-second annual commencement to be held at the St. Paul college, from Sunday, June 6, to and including Wednesday, June 9. Commencement events will begin with the baccalaureate sermon by President S. F. Kerfoot at the Hamline Methodist Episcopal church today. Commencement exercises will take place next Wednesday afternoon at the same church. Dr. Merton S. Rice of Detroit, Mich., will be the commencement speaker. There will be numerous athletic events, banquets and reunions.

The following of Thief River Falls are enrolled at Hamline University: Mary E. Poston and Dorothy L. Bottelson.

—Trade at Home—

Miss Halvorson Returns.

Miss Doris Halvorson will return to this city from Oberlin, Ohio, June 17th, and will begin teaching piano, harmony and ear training, the following week. Miss Halvorson has a large class awaiting her, but will take a few more pupils. Anyone desirous of engaging lessons may apply to Mrs. G. Halvorson, 515 LaBree avenue north. J-3

—Trade at Home—

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Confirmation at 11 a. m. Service with communion at 8 p. m. The Lutheran Free church annual conference opens Wednesday at 10 a. m. at the auditorium. The following will be confirmed on Sunday in the Zion Lutheran church: Arnt Anderson, Theodore Dahl, Arthur Bergland, Gilfred Sannes, Walter Larson, Oliver Sielsvold, Clarence Vollen, Alma Savig, Alice Bugge, Clara Ostmoe, Bertha Remmem, Lydia Evenson, Hilda Peterson and Olga Olson.

—Trade at Home—

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—June 6. 10 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., Morning worship. 8 p. m., Evening worship, 3 p. m., Juniors. In the morning the sermon will be concerning Christ as the appointed head of the church. In the evening a gospel theme. We invite our friends and neighbors to spend these hours of worship with us. We need the hours that we spend aside with God.

—Trade at Home—

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, June 6th—No Sunday school nor services. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Subject: "Our Life's Calling." The Ladies Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. E. Beckman, 409 Crocker Ave. N., Wednesday, June 9. Prayer service Thursday at 8 p. m.

—Trade at Home—

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop and son Morlan and Prof. A. C. James, of the economics department of the University, at dinner, on Saturday evening at their home one mile south of this city.

—Trade at Home—

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—English preaching service Sunday 10 a. m. Sunday School 9 a. m. The Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement.

—Trade at Home—

Trinity Lutheran Church—Rev. I. T. Aastad will preach in English at the morning service and in Norwegian in the evening. Sunday school at the usual hours.

—Trade at Home—

WILL INITIATE LARGE CLASS EARLY IN JUNE

Forty Odd Fellows To Take Encampment Degrees at That Time.

Riverside Encampment No. 22 of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, while the youngest organization in the city, is rapidly growing in membership. A class of about 35 will be given the degrees early in June, but the exact date has not yet been decided upon. Chief Patriarch, J. V. Dexter, of Detroit, with the degree team from that city, will be here for the purpose of putting on the work and the members of the local lodge look forward to an evening that will mark an epoch in their history.

At the regular meeting last week the newly elected officers were formally installed, they being as follows: E. H. Borsted, chief patriarch; A. P. Robinson, senior warden; B. F. Umland, high priest; Ray Spencer, junior warden; Alfred Eklund, scribe; F. C. Dahlow, trustee.

—Trade at Home—

Smash School Windows And Ruin Other Property

There are a number of boys in this town who need attention in order that certain destructive propensities now displayed by them may be discouraged. They have an utter disregard for the property of others and are headed straight for a large amount of trouble.

The other evening as Miss Cora Houghton, one of the teachers, was finishing up some work in her room she was startled to hear windows on the lower floor come crashing in. Hurriedly investigating she found that besides the windows there had been ink bottles broken and other damage done to the equipment in the room. She hurried to see what was causing the disturbance and was in time to overtake nine boys who were in the act of making their getaway. They were nearly all armed with slingshots and had deliberately fired at the windows. Miss Houghton secured the names of every boy implicated and has handed them in to the school board. Just what the developments will be is not yet known but they are quite sure to be interesting in a number of cases.

—Trade at Home—

Farmers Warned Against Contracting Potato Crop

Reports are reaching the extension division at University farm that occasionally farmers are making contracts for the sale of their 1920 potato crop.

"Such a contract," says W. L. Calvert, farm management specialist, "is a very one-sided affair unless one is selling to a thoroughly responsible dealer. The farmer is a responsible party and must deliver his potatoes even if the market is higher than the agreed price. Upon the other hand, if the price at the time of delivery should be lower than the agreed price the grower may find it difficult to make the purchaser carry out his contract unless the seller has been given 50 to 75 cents a hundredweight.

"The plan being followed by a number of local co-operative associations of asking growers to pledge their crop to the local co-operative selling agency is to be highly commended, for in this way the grower is assured of the maximum market price at the time of delivery. This puts the business of the local co-operative selling association upon a firm basis."

—Trade at Home—

Morlan Bishop Editor of Strathcona's New Paper

The Screwdriver News is the name of a new publication at Strathcona. Morlan Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city, is editor, B. Olson, publisher and M. Spjut, business manager. This is quite a staff for a paper the size of the Screwdriver News, which is printed on one side of the sheet, five columns in width. Apologies are made for the appearance of the first issue but better things are promised for the future. At present the production hardly bears the earmarks of a serious undertaking and the publishers put the matter squarely up to the people of Strathcona. If the latter will support the paper it will be continued, if not, its early demise may be expected.

—Trade at Home—

Serenade With Open Cutout Lands Joy Rider in Jail

Driving about town with the cutout of an automobile open is enough to make a peaceful citizen hostile at any time, but when the practice is persisted in at two o'clock in the morning it is enough to make a person wish to commit manslaughter at least. Night Patrolman Andrew Smith gathered in Harold Hall on Monday evening, charging him with disturbing the peace in this inexcusable manner. The next morning Judge N. W. Tarrant fined the culprit $1 and costs upon the solemn promise of the latter never to do it again. It is the first arrest made on this charge for a long time and it is rather to be hoped that the police department will continue the good work now that a start has been made.

Attends Cotton Sale.

H. O. Loken left Saturday evening for Chicago where he will attend the manufacturers' showing of cotton goods. This is an annual event in which there is great interest among retailers as opportunities for making selections of the season's latest are always presented. There are also possibilities for picking up some rare bargains and the public can safely look forward to an interesting announcement upon Mr. Loken's return.

—Trade at Home—

Visitors From Ada.

Messrs. Clifford and Herman Logan of Ada, visited with friends here the will visit with friends. From that point they will go to Chicago where they will extend their visit and also secure employment.

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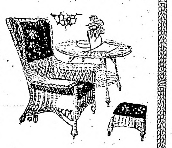

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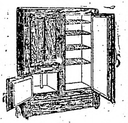

Larson Furniture Company

City News

Alvin Ratko of Goodridge passed Friday evening visiting with friends in this city.

Miss Ingaborg Dale of McIntosh is in the city this week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Miss Gertrude Odegaard of Oslo was the guest of friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Kenneth Wattum returned on Monday evening from Warren where he visited over Monday at his home.

Miss Clara Gunstad arrived here on Thursday from St. Hilaire, for an indefinite visit with her brother Fred.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Angell and family left this city on Tuesday afternoon for their new home in Coeur d' Alene, Idaho.

Miss Zella Zeh left on Wednesday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Miss Gena Legvold returned to her home on Friday evening after having completed a successful term of school near Trail.

Miss Lillie Johnson of Roseau arrived here on Thursday afternoon and spent a brief period visiting with friends here.

Miss Minnie Linstad returned to her home here on Tuesday morning from Fargo where she has been the past few months.

Miss Grace Perry of Madison arrived here on Tuesday to be the guest of her cousin, Miss Florence Haney, for a short while.

Miss Esther Movick of Holt, spent the latter part of last week in this city as the guest of her friend, Miss Mollie Hermanson.

Miss Lorenza Urdal has returned to her duties as saleslady at Loken's after a month's vacation spent at her home in Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Salveson, who passed the last two months in California, returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Lillian Olson returned on Thursday evening from Warren where she had been visiting with friends for a few days.

Miss Dagny Tharaldson has secured a position as stenographer in the office of the Co. Supt. of Schools, during the summer months.

Mrs. T. Torgerson of Greenbush attended to some shopping in this city on Friday. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Anna Dock.

Mrs. O. Blageb of Gonvick arrived in this city on Thursday evening for a brief visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. O. Skomedal.

Miss Cora Swenson, who passed the last eight months teaching in the vicinity of Oklee, returned to her home in this city on Friday evening.

Severin Eberhardt departed on Tuesday evening for Montevideo where he is employed after a week's vacation spent at his home here.

Frank Archibald of Mahnomen is in the city this week as the guest of friends. Frank at one time attended the local high school in this city.

Miss Julia Costello, normal instructor, departed on Monday evening for her home in Sauk Center, where she will remain during her vacation.

Miss Adele Keene, probation nurse, left on Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she will visit at the home of her parents for an indefinite period.

Misses Ruth, Mable and Maude Pautz were among the St. Hilaire shoppers here on Tuesday. They returned to their homes on the afternoon train.

Roy Miller returned to his duties at the University of North Dakota [illegible] Tuesday after passing the week [illegible] as the guest of his mother, Mrs. Betsey Miller.

Mrs. H. G. Gustafson and baby daughter left on Saturday morning for Roseau, where they will visit at the home of the former's parents for a brief period.

Miss Ada Whipps departed on Sunday evening for her home in Minneapolis after completing her duties as teacher in the local schools during the past term.

Miss Rose Hance, who recently completed a term of school near Red Lake Falls, returned to her home in this city on Saturday to spend her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Erickson returned to this city on Monday evening from Bemidji where they passed the week-end as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Norcross.

Henry Blaska, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. C. Keller, left this city on Thursday evening for New Hampton, Ia., where they were called because of the death of a sister.

Miss Dorothy Loen, who has been teaching near Gonvick, visited in this city on Friday evening, enroute to [illegible] home in Viking where she will pass the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Swanson and children of St. Hilaire passed Monday in this city visiting with friends and also attending the decoration exercises at the Auditorium.

Mrs. O. Frosley and three children returned to their home in Fergus Falls on Friday afternoon, having passed a short period visiting at the Tallem home in this city.

Miss Grace Wilson left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where she was the guest of friends over Sunday and Monday. She returned to this city on Tuesday morning.

Miss Marie Phillipson arrived here on Friday afternoon from her home in Middle River and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Andrew Burringrud for an indefinite period.

Miss Vivian Johnson of Middle River visited with friends here between trains on Tuesday enroute to Plummer where she will visit at the [illegible] of her sister, Mrs. R. A. Pres[illegible]

Miss Hannah Gustafson departed on Saturday evening for Minneapolis where she will visit with friends and relatives before leaving for the coast where she will spend an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Hanson and family left on Friday afternoon for Devils Lake, N. D., where they will spend the summer months. Mr. Hanson has secured a position as manager of a farm.

Miss Pearl Warring left on Saturday morning for her home in Steiner after completing her freshman year in the local high school. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Ruby, who visited with her for a day.

Mrs. C. S. Simonson and children accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Aspelund and sister, Miss Anna, visited with relatives in Ada, the latter part of the week, returning to their home in this city on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reed, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. Reed and Miss Grace Reed visited in this city a couple of days this week at the T. P. Anderson home enroute to the coast where they will spend the summer months.

Mrs. O. Nystrum returned to her home in Roseau on Saturday morning having come here the day previous to attend the commencement exercises. While here she was the guest of Miss Mollie Hermanson, who was one of the graduates.

Mrs. L. S. Frederick and son Gordon left this city on Thursday evening for Plymouth, Ia., where they will visit before returning to their home in Baker, N. D. While here they were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gran.

Mrs. A. Anderson of Crookston arrived here on Wednesday and will spend a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. and Willis Akre. Upon her departure from this city she will go to Chicago where she will visit with friends and relatives for a period of two months.

Miss Alice Erickson, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Dolan, returned to her home in Fergus Falls on Tuesday afternoon. She was accompanied as far as her home by Jordan Penney, who continued his journey to the cities where he spent a few days on business.

Miss Palma Holmes returned to this city the first of the week from Billings, Mont., where she has been teaching school. After a brief visit with her sister, Miss Dora, and with friends here, she will spend the remainder of her vacation with her parents who reside on a farm near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston and family departed on Sunday evening for points in Iowa where they will visit with relatives and with the former's parents. Mr. Johnston will later go to Chicago to attend the Elks' convention. It is their intention to be absent from this city for a period of two months or more.

An auto party comprised of the Misses Mable Johnson, Margaret Murray and Messrs. Ernest Zeh and Derby Anderson left this city on Friday morning for Erskine where the young ladies boarded the train for their respective homes in Bemidji and Duluth. Messrs. Zeh and Anderson returned here that same evening.

Wm. Booren and family left this city yesterday via the auto route for their new home in Rhinelander, Wis. The Boorens have resided in this city for many years and their removal will be greatly regretted by their many friends. Both Mr. and Mrs. Booren have been active in civic affairs and were always willing to do their share in the upbuilding of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gjelhaug of New York City, are expected to arrive here on Monday or Tuesday. Enroute to this city they visited in most of the large cities in the east, including Niagara Falls and Buffalo. At present they are visiting with Mrs. Gjelhaug's parents in Winona. While here they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird. At the completion of their visit here they will leave for Baudette to visit with relatives. They are well known to local people, having both formerly resided in this city. Mrs. Gjelhaug was formerly Miss Anna Wicek.

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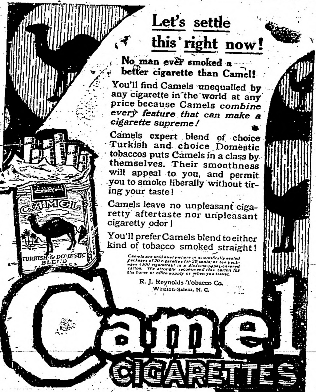

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ARE WORTH THE PRICE.

Well might the valedictorian of the 1920 class of the Thief River Falls high school state that the graduates would always carry with them a feeling of deep appreciation for the many things done for them by the people of District No. 18 of Pennington county. To feel otherwise toward those who have for four years met without murmur the ever-increasing cost of maintaining this splendid school would indicate but a meager realization of what it has meant.

Not that the money spent is at all begrudged. It is realized that it could not have been devoted to a more worthy and important purpose, but it cannot be denied that the cost is reaching a point where it hurts. That is nothing, however, if the boys and girls will only in the future so make use of the education acquired in such manner that the vast sum shall not have been spent in vain.

Not all of the ninety graduates are actually residents of Thief River Falls or even of Pennington county, many coming from nearby communities, thereby paying the school a high compliment at the same time that they are saddling a heavy expense on the district. There is no way of preventing these students from taking advantage of the superior opportunities offered here without cutting the school off from the assistance given such institutions by the state. We do not wish to cut them off, but some system should be found that would permit of the district's being re-embursed to a greater extent than is possible under the law as it now stands. The cost of sending a boy or girl through high school is no small matter and when a class numbers in the neighborhood of a hundred the total is greater than most people realize. As the school must take all students who apply for admission, no matter from what section of the state they hail, it would seem only fair that the state as a whole should pay a greater share of the maintenance cost. Only a few cities in Minnesota are placed as is Thief River Falls in this regard, but wherever these conditions do obtain the situation as regards costs is similar.

The legislature should at the earliest possible moment take measures for the relief of districts such as No. 18 of Pennington county. The school is doing a wonderful work for the young men and women of a vast section and is bearing the cost almost alone. At least it is no more favored in the state aid distribution than are districts having a comparatively light burden in the shape of outside attendance. This is manifestly unfair to our taxpayers and there should be a way in which the situation can be remedied.

But the students are not to blame for this unequal distribution. No person could look at that fine, clean aggregation of northern Minnesota young men and women without being glad to think that he or she had been permitted to have a share in equipping them for the work they are to do in the world. No high school in the state is turning out a more promising bunch and no community anywhere takes greater pride in the quality of its product.

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THE COMMUNITY PICNIC.

The one big event in which all the people, regardless of occupation or station, are interested is again at hand. The annual picnic of the Pennington Farm Bureau association will be held on June 14 and it is by far the most important gathering of the kind held in the county during the year.

The Farm Bureau association is greater in scope than its name would indicate. While matters connected directly with farm activities are naturally its first concern, yet its influence extends much farther and the value of its work embraces a much more extended field. It is the nearest thing to a county community club we have and the nature of its aims are such that every person, whether in the city or country, is directly interested in its success.

For this reason the annual picnic given under its auspices takes us all in. The banker and merchant should have as a lively interest in its success as the livestock raiser or potato grower. It concerns the manufacturer and laborer as much as it does the dairyman and general farmer.

Every person in the county should make June 14 a holiday and with his family journey to Squaw Point on the Thief River just outside the city limits of Thief River Falls. The location is as convenient as any to be found and the attractions are more varied than those at any other point. A splendid program is being arranged and well-known speakers will be present to hand out inspiration and instruction. Make it a point to be present.

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NOON-DAY LUNCHEONS.

Alterations made in the interior arrangement of the Commercial club rooms will soon be completed and the suggested noon-day lunches started. A recommendation at the annual meeting advocating that the plan be tried was passed unanimously and the only reason that nothing further has been done about this matter before this is that the rooms were not properly equipped for the purpose.

The plan is a new one as far as Thief River Falls is concerned but has been successfully followed at Crookston, Bemidji and other nearby cities for some time. That the idea will prove popular and result in much good being accomplished is certain.

These noon-day meetings will be valuable principally for the opportunity they afford of informally discussing topics in which the club and city are interested. It is not the intention that any definite action shall be taken on matters coming up on these occasions but that subjects of general interest may be discussed with a view to finding out what each man thinks should be the method of their final disposition. The regular club meetings will be more interesting and have a more definite purpose if these things are considered before the time of actually determining what shall be done with them.

Specialists in different lines will make short addresses from time to time, outsiders being often invited here for the purpose. The sessions would be devoid of formality and all present would feel more like expressing their opinions than at a regular meeting.

The plan is decidedly worth trying and the club will soon have an excellent place in which to try it.

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MINNESOTA CHEAP LANDS

(Minneapolis Tribune.)

The Department of Agriculture in Washington and the Iowa State College have been making an investigation of land values in 60 Iowa counties, prompted by the land boom which flourished especially during the summer of 1919. That boom is said to have forced prices of farm lands in Iowa up to a level at which it was impossible for any but the exceptional farmer to make more than three per cent on his capitalization and made it out of the question for a large proportion of the tenants to buy land with borrowed capital.

It appears that the high valuation was assumed on the basis of the actual sale of comparatively few farms—perhaps 10 per cent of the total number—and that it is not justified by the average earning power of the land. Data on farm incomes on some 400 selected farms, supplemented with facts derived from farm management surveys, afford much more accurate information as to actual values based upon producing capacity.

They also disclose the remarkable fact that the increase in the average value of farm lands in the counties in which investigation was conducted was greater during the single year of the boom than during the 50 years from 1850 to 1900. A comparison of the estimated values in 1915 and 1920 show the increase per acre for that period to have been $121.

Iowa farmers are supposed to be—as a matter of fact are—prosperous. It is a mighty interesting fact, however, that while improved farm lands are costing as much as $300 an acre in Iowa and Illinois, lands nearly, if not quite equally good, and perhaps for some purposes better, may be obtained in Minnesota at from $15 to $20 or $25 an acre. They require clearing, and in some instances clearing is expensive, the cost rising as high as $50 or more an acre; but, allowing $25 for the land and $75 for the clearing and bringing the ground under cultivation, the discrepancy between $300 an acre farming land in Iowa and $100 land in Minnesota ought to attract the attention of men who are really looking for ground for cultivation. And it seems to us that this fact must ultimately impress itself upon land seekers—men who are searching for lands on which to settle and out of which to make productive farms. Neither the state nor the federal government, nor private owners, are making of these lands all that might be made of them.

The opportunity offered here for successful enterprise challenges attention.

—Trade at Home—

SPECIAL LAW FOR FARMERS

(St. Paul Dispatch.)

With the knowledge that existing conditions have imposed hardships upon the farmer class which may be catalogued, there is in addition a conviction that in a general way the agriculturist is a special victim of conditions and therefore a subject for special assistance. Such a conviction is at the root of the passage of the Volstead bill legalizing farmer combinations and the collective-marketing and sale of their own products. That it is a species of class legislation cannot be questioned, but that it is legislation justified by conditions is the argument which carried the measure through by an impressive majority.

Such legislation is the recognition of the importance of promoting the general agricultural industry at what is regarded as a critical period. The farm is at the foundation of national existence, to say nothing of national prosperity. Our supply of foodstuffs must be our first consideration. Conditions of late years have steadily militated against the farm and are culminating in a situation which makes field labor increasingly difficult to obtain and at costs steadily ascending. It is the result of a conviction, rather than of a clearly and logically worked-out theory, that legislation in the farmer interest meets approval rather than objection.

Labor was granted special favor in national legislation, but the suspicion was present that politics, rather than economics, was the influencing factor. In the farmer case there seems to be less of politics and more of economics; and there is an absence of evidence that Congress was subjected to coercion of the usual character.

It may be expected that the effect of the new legislation will be to increase the price of farm products; otherwise why enact it? But the far-seeing view must be that it is destined to prevent still higher prices and, by a promotion of the industry, guarantee the food upon which the national life depends.

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This weather may not exactly suit everybody. No weather ever does. For general purposes, however, the northwestern farmer will find it answers the purpose. If it has a tendency to hold him back in one certain direction it will be found to help him along in half a dozen others.

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Give and it Shall be Given.

(Bemidji Pioneer.)

There are many who seem to think that a farmer is not entitled to the same basis of profit on his produce as the manufacturer in the city, or the same interest on his investment as the banker.

It is a common opinion that the farmer cannot possibly be entitled to as much per hour for his labor as the mechanic, the plasterer, electrician or plumber. And why not? Certainly not because he does not have to serve his apprenticeship in learning his trade; not because his produce is a luxury and therefore his labor not so essential as his city brothers; not because he does not work as faithfully for his return. No, it cannot be so. One basis of wages, one set of working hours, one percentage of profit cannot be maintained for one class of laborers or tradesmen, and a lesser scale in another industry requiring equal skill and application.

The farmer plants his seed and cultivates his ground, leaving the rest to "Him who sendeth the sunshine and the rain." Very many times not only come the sunshine and the rain, but the grasshopper and potato bug, and then the farmers' war starts. He must be content with what he gets. He cannot go to his employer and say "I want a raise to meet increased expenses." The farmer accepts all chances but the workman gets his wages in full and in regular intervals.

The farmers' tools are many and expensive—farm machinery, horses or tractors, cows, and buildings—he has to furnish them all—he has no employer to furnish them for him.

His returns, if large, must be the result of large action. He cannot stop to argue whether he should start to work at 6 o'clock in the morning or 8 o'clock. If his wheat field is ready to be threshed he threshes it as fast as possible.

He is becoming organized, it is true, but not organized to stop working—rather to work more and into a greater degree of intelligence. Organized idleness results in increased cost for decreased production and supply of the necessities of life, and if organized capital shall ever develop into organized rapacity it will be but a boomerang returning upon itself for its destruction.

BIG SALE ON TIRES

We will for a short time sell all new Auto Tires, any size, at—

20 Per Cent Discount

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FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 1920

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One black gelding 4 years old
33—HEAD OF CATTLE—33
Nine milch cows, fresh
Six milch cows, fresh in June
One heifer, fresh in July
Four yearling heifers
Four steers 1½ years old
Two yearling steers
Four spring calves, heifers
Two spring calves, steers
One Aberdeen-Angus bull, 1 year old
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One 8 foot Deering binder
One shoe drill, 22 shoes
One 14-in. John Deere gang plow
One 16-in. sulkey plow
One Van Brunt disc drill, 18 disc
One Osborne disc, 14 disc
One 18-in. walking plow
One Maple Bay fanning mill
One 18-foot lever harrow
One disc harrow
One harrow
One Northwestern wide tire wagon
One 125 bu. grain tank
One low wheel wagon
One 5-foot Johnson mower
One 10-foot hay rake
One hay rack
One hand sprayer
One fanning mill
One 6-horse gas engine
One 1½-horse gas engine
One feed mill
One pump jack
Two sets of work harness
One grind stone
Blacksmith tools
One 5 Passenger Case touring car
One Empire cream separator
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
One new Majestic range
One Round Oak heater
One 8-foot extension table
Two cupboards
One dresser
Three beds
Two rocking chairs
One washing machine
Three 10-gal. cream cans
One 10-gal. churn
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$3.50 Overalls of the best makes like Headlight, Tirck and Carhartt $2.95
$3.00 good heavy blue Overalls $2.48
$2.75 Blue stripe O-Alls $2.15

Shoes

10-inch top work Shoes, Extra Special $5.45
12-inch top work Shoes, Special $7.85
Good strong ordinary $5.00 work Shoes $3.85
Dress Shoes. Your choice of any $10.00 Shoes in the store $7.45
Good comfortable men's Shoes, black or tan. Big value at $5.45

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Children's Sandels:
Sizes 2 to 5 79c
Sizes 5 to 9 $1.29
Sizes 9 to 12 $1.59
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6 to 8 $1.48
9 to 2 $1.68
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For Friday and Saturday Only.
Men's Balbriggan Union Suits 98c
All $2.00 Union Suits for Friday and Saturday, Special $1.35
Munsing Underwear for short, tall and stout men. All sizes. Extra Special for Friday and Saturday, $2.50 and $3.00 kinds $1.95
Boys' $1.00 Underwear 69c
Boys' $1.50 Underwear 95c

Shirts

Good work Shirts, the kind you pay $1.75 for. Special $1.29
$2.00 Shirts in black or khaki $1.45
$2.50 Signal work Shirts; the best that money can buy, Special $1.99

DRESS SHIRTS
All $2.50 Dress Shirts $1.85
All $3.50 Dress Shirts $2.65

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All $13.50 and $15 boys' Suits $11.45

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$4.00 Oliver Twist Suits in white or fancy shades, Special $2.79
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MEN'S UNIONALLS
Khaki Unionalls, Special $3.65

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Your choice of any John B. Stetson Hat in the store, $9 or $10 Hats $6.95
Your choice of any $6.00 Gordon Hat in the store $4.45

Pants

Good, neat striped dress Pants, regular $12 and $13.50 pants $9.65
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City News

Miss Agnes Haugh of Hawley, visited here Friday with friends.

F. H. Herrick spent Monday at Union Lake engaged in fishing.

Miss Emma Holland of Mavie shopped in this city on Monday.

Miss Ida Christianson of Erskine passed Monday visiting with friends here.

Ole Engelstad spent Wednesday in Steiner attending to matters of business.

Miss Lena Linstad of Clearbrook was a guest of friends here over Sunday.

A. Grand arrived here on Saturday evening from Argyle on a business mission.

M. J. Hegland of Roseau attended to matters of business in this city on Saturday.

B. L. Hoff of Lancaster came here on Thursday to attend to business matters.

C. W. Stuart and son, John, spent Monday at Federal Dam on a fishing expedition.

Oscar Smith, state oil inspector, left on Saturday evening for St. Paul on business.

Miss Mable Johnson of Gonvick visited with friends here the latter part of the week.

H. Carlson came up from Rosewood on Saturday and spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Eli Weston of Grand Forks will be the week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Judge Harris of Bemidji was entertained over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Halvorson.

Mrs. N. M. Jenson of Fordville, N. D., arrived here on Thursday evening to be the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Grow and family left on Saturday evening for Ellsworth, Ia., where they will reside.

Sheriff Jesse LaBree and Scott Laird, passed Saturday in Neptune, attending to matters of business.

Miss Maude Bradley of Williams arrived here on Thursday and spent a brief period visiting with friends.

Aug. Thuen of Hazel was in the city the latter part of last week transacting business and also visiting with friends.

Miss Olga Standy passed the week end at her home in Mahnomen.

Verner Nelson of Grygla visited with his friends here the first of the week.

Miss Hilma Olson of Middle River was among the shoppers here on Monday.

Harold Hall of Minneapolis passed a week in this city as the guest of his cousin, Arthur Granum.

Herman Aakre departed on Saturday for Minneapolis on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Derby Anderson left on Saturday evening for the cities where he will spend a week or ten days.

Mrs. Roy Morgan returned Sunday morning from a two weeks' visit at Kenosha, Milwaukee and Neenah, Wis.

Miss Mable Cook, who has been employed in Minot, N. D., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cook.

P. J. Bottem, of the Bottem Hardware company, made a business trip to the cities the latter part of last week.

Miss Henrietta Isaacson left on Saturday evening for Detroit where she spent a brief time visiting with friends.

Morlan Bishop arrived here on Friday afternoon from Strathcona and spent a brief period visiting with his parents.

C. M. Rolland returned on Saturday from Randeen, where he had been for two weeks attending to his farm interests.

Miss Francis Culver left on Monday evening for Bemidji, where she has accepted a position with a bridge company.

Miss Lillian Olson arrived here on Friday evening from her home in Bronson and visited with friends over Sunday.

Messrs. "Jelly" Smith and M. A. Johnson of Lancaster were in the city on Monday renewing old acquaintances.

O. Tessum of the Tessum-Coumbe Co., passed the latter part of last week in the cities attending to business affairs.

S. Lewis of Ontario, passed a few days in this city the week-end and while here was a guest at the B. G. Walker home.

Reuben Hadrath left on Tuesday for Baudette where he has accepted a position as stenographer with a lumber company.

Miss Gladys Thorstad, who has been engaged in teaching school in St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Monday.

John Aalberg of Middle River arrived here on Monday and visited with friends returning to his home the following day.

The Young Peoples' Luther League of the Trinity church will meet in the church basement Thursday evening, June 10, at 8:00.

Mrs. Arnold Anderson returned on Tuesday evening from Minneapolis and Duluth where she had passed three weeks visiting with friends.

Mrs. G. C. Streeter returned on Friday morning from the cities where she had spent a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Ed. Korstad arrived here the latter part of last week for a brief visit with his family who will soon join him at Poplar, Mont.

Miss Helen Strand returned to her home in this city on Saturday afternoon, having completed teaching a school term in Roseau.

Mesdames J. E. Robinson and E. A. Stoughton left on Monday morning for Ardoch where they will visit with friends for a few days.

Mrs. Anna Dock left on Wednesday morning for Greenbush in response to a call that her daughter Phyllis was very ill with the measles.

Miss Lucille Burns returned to her home here on Friday evening from Lake Park where she has taught during the past school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Neset motored to Bemidji on Friday where they visited at the home of the latter's parents for a few days.

Miss May Bark, who has been engaged in teaching in the city schools the past term, left for her home in Duluth on Friday evening.

Miss Rose Oski, who during the past school term has attended the local high school, left on Monday afternoon for her home in Mavie.

Miss Elizabeth Rankin of Warren visited with friends here on Wednesday enroute to Middle River where she will visit with her parents.

Miss Margaret Smith, who has been engaged in teaching school in Lake Park the past term, is in the city as the guest of Miss Lucille Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaynor arrived here on Friday evening from Minneapolis and will spend an indefinite period visiting with friends.

Victor Buskirk, who attended the local high school the past term, returned to his home in Brooks on Friday where he will spend the summer.

F. W. Weisspfenig returned to his home in Minneapolis on Thursday evening after a brief visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. Gray in this city.

Ray Johnson and Ted McGinn returned on Tuesday morning from East Grand Forks where they spent Sunday and Monday visiting with friends.

Miss Marie Jarvis, who has been visiting in this city at the home of her parents, left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston, where she will be employed.

Miss Myrtle Berg arrived here on Friday evening from Bijou where she has been teaching school. She will remain here during the summer months.

Dr. Milan and A. S. Sapero left on Saturday evening for Union Lake where they spent Sunday fishing. While there they occupied the Brown cottage.

Ed. Brevig left on Wednesday evening for the cities and Black River Falls, Wis., where he will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. M. Handlin of Rainey River, Ont., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Christ Storholm, enroute from Grand Forks where she was the guest of relatives, to her home.

Mrs. J. N. Nesse and children left on Thursday evening for McIntosh where they attended the graduation exercises of the former's sister, Miss Beatrice Dale.

Miss Anna Fertig arrived Tuesday evening from her home in Kennedy and will spend a couple of weeks in this city visiting with her sister, Mrs. R. W. Belcher.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, who taught in the local schools the past term, left on Saturday for Grand Forks, where she will remain with relatives for an indefinite period.

Miss Leona Bourque who is employed at the Farmers State bank in Fordville, spent Sunday and Monday in this city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Miss Ruby Anderson, who is a patient at the Oak Park sanitdrium, left on Saturday morning for her home in Middle River where she will visit for a short while.

Miss Amelia Hoorn, instructor of mathematics in the local high school, left on Saturday afternoon for her home in Fergus Falls. Miss Hoorn will return here next term.

Miss Olga Nettum has resigned her position as stenographer for the First National bank and left yesterday for her home in Crookston where she will spend an indefinite period.

Miss Gerda Mortenson left for her home in Fosston on Saturday after teaching for the past nine months in the local schools. Miss Mortenson will return here in the fall.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left on Saturday morning for Coleraine, where he was asked to preach the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Coleraine high school.

Miss Lovina Adams, who has taught in the city schools the past year, left on Monday evening for her home in Luverne to spend the summer.

Miss Florence Aalberg arrived here on Wednesday morning from Minneapolis and will pass the summer as the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg.

H. Ingvaldson and daughter, Miss Myrtle, arrived here on Wednesday morning from their home in Climax for a visit at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. H. Nyland.

The Ladies' Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the church basement Thursday June 10, at 3 p. m., entertained by Mesdames Loftness, Adsero, A. Olsen and J. Eide.

Miss Huldah Anderson returned to Grand Forks on Saturday afternoon, having come here for the purpose of attending the commencement exercises of her sister, Miss Jennie Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bower and Miss Rose Bohm of Jamestown, N. D., are latter part of last week. The former left on Saturday evening for the cities to extend his visit while the latter remained.

Mrs. Ray Thuse and son of Red Lake Falls who visited with relatives here for a short time left on Wednesday morning for Gatzke where they will visit at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Stella Nystad, who has been attending school here the past year, left on Tuesday evening for Big Timber, Mont. Miss Nystad while here made her home with her aunt, Mrs. O. Flattum.

Herman Bischoff who has been attending the school for the blind at Faribault, has returned and is spending his summer vacation with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Fuller, 112 Markley avenue north.

Prof. Gordan Melby left this city on Saturday evening for his home in Minneapolis where he will pass the greater part of his vacation returning here in the fall to be instructor of advanced science.

Mesdames Carl and William Korstad, accompanied by their mother-in-law, Mrs. P. P. Korstad, all of Highlanding, passed Friday in this city visiting with friends and also attending to some shopping.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen, who is a student in the university of North Dakota, spent the week-end as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen. She returned to the above named city on Monday.

Friends of Mrs. W. J. Foley, of Rainey River, Ont., formerly Miss Elsie SinClair, of this city, will be interested to learn of the birth of an eight pound son on May 26. Mother and child are getting along nicely.

The many friends of Miss Alice Bourque who has been studying for the past year in the Minneapolis school of music, will be pleased to learn that she is now studying harmony under Louis Shawe of St. Paul.

Miss Mary Welsh, instructor in the local high school, left on Friday evening for Eau Claire, where she will visit friends before going to her home in Black River Falls, Wis., where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

Prof. A. C. Jaines of the economics department of the University spent the week-end in this city as a guest at the J. M. Bishop home. Prof. James is well known in this city having been here on several occasions previously.

Mrs. C. M. Wilson, accompanied by her grandson, Jack Ward, departed on Monday evening for Lafayette this state, where they will spend an indefinite period visiting at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Salveson returned last week from their wedding tour which was spent on the west coast. They visited San Francisco, Los Angeles and other points of interest and returned by way of the Canadian Rockies.

Mrs. O. G. Shelgrin and daughter, Miss Hilma Nyborg, arrived here on Tuesday evening from Warren where they visited friends and remained in this city with relatives until the following morning when they departed for their home in Holt.

Paul Scanlan and Leslie Robinson made their departure on Saturday evening for the twin cities where they in the city as guests at the Chas. Schuster home. They will return to their home tomorrow via the motor route, accompanied by their niece and nephew, Miss Lila and Leland Schuster, who will visit at their home for an indefinite period.

Miss Ida Sovde, a graduate of the class of 1920, left on Saturday morning for her home in Greenbush where she will spend the summer months. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Clara, who is a patient at the Oakland Park sanitarium.

Miss Ella M. Evans, principal of the Lincoln High school, left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit for a short while before leaving for New York City, where she will pass the greater part of her vacation. Miss Evans will return here in the fall.

For Sale—Beans "1200 to 1". I have a few of these beans left and will sell them for 40c per pound. I paid $2.00 per pound for my starters. If planted before the 12th, will be all right in an ordinary season. S. T. Johnson, 715 Arnold avenue north.
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Muffins
2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 tablespoon sugar
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup milk
2 eggs
1 tablespoon shortening

Sift together flour, baking powder, sugar and salt; add milk, well-beaten eggs and melted shortening; mix well. Grease muffin tins and put two tablespoons of batter into each. Bake in hot oven 20 to 25 minutes.

Eggless Muffins
2 cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
3 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons shortening

Mix and sift dry ingredients, add milk and melted shortening and beat until smooth. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven 20 to 25 minutes.

Corn Muffins
¾ cup corn meal
1¼ cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons shortening
1 egg

Sift together corn meal, flour, baking powder, salt and sugar; add milk, melted shortening and well-beaten egg; mix well. Grease muffin tins and drop two tablespoons of mixture into each. Bake about 25 minutes in hot oven.

Popovers
2 cups flour
½ teaspoon salt
2 eggs
2 cups milk

Sift together flour and salt. Make a well in flour, break eggs into well, add milk and stir until smooth. Pour into hot greased gem pans and bake 25 to 35 minutes in a very hot oven. If taken out of oven too soon they will fall.

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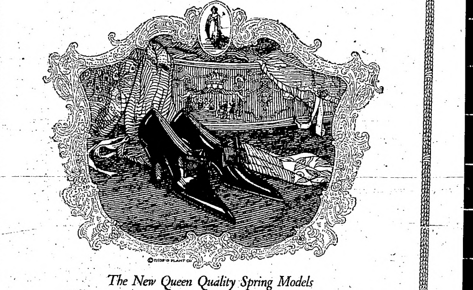

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Standards on Wheat Grade Must Remain

Secretary Meredith Refuses to Comply With Request of Graini Interests.

Secretary of Agriculture E. T. Meredith has denied the request of the northwest grain interests, farmers, and others, to modify the present grain grading regulations.

The basis of his refusal was that changes proposed would reduce the price to the farmers, that the present grades have been in operation only during the war, under government price control, and that opportunity should be given to test the present grades under "normal competitive conditions."

Education of farmers is to be carried on so that the producers will learn the value of producing standards.

The northwestern men who appeared before Secretary Meredith asked for the following changes in spring wheat grades:

First—That the subclass "red spring" be eliminated.

Second—That the word "bright" be eliminated in the spring and durum grades except in the No. 1 dark southern spring and the No. 1 amber durum.

Third—That the percentage of moisture in the spring and durum grades be increased to 15 per cent, that this maximum percentage be the same in all grades from No. 1 to No. 5 inclusive, that wheat having more than 15 per cent be graded the same as that having less, except that in addition it be clased excessive moisture, and stating the percentage of moisture.

15 Per Cent Moisture Unsafe.

Secretary Meredith indicates the possibility of loss to the producer in increasing the moisture content to 15 per cent, in an allowance of 5 per cent on durum with spring; or an allowance of 1 per cent of rye with high-grade wheat.

"Wheat containing 15 per cent of moisture is unsafe for transportation or storage," he says. "Investigation by the department of several thousand carlot shipments of wheat shows that, as the moisture content increases, the percentage of cases in which deterioration occurs also increases. The department's standards are more liberal than the percentage of moisture recommended in 1916 by the chief grain inspector of the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission. His recommendation was a maximum of 14 per cent while the department allows 14½ per cent."

High Water Content Cuts Price.

The actual yield of wheat drops in proportion to the increase in moisture content," the secretary continues. "In an average carload of 1,200 bushels of wheat containing 14 per cent of moisture, there are 168 bushels of water. If the moisture content were increased to 15 per cent there would be an increase of 12 bushels of water and a decrease of 12 bushels of dry matter. On this basis at the present prices (say $3 a bushel) these 12 bushels of water would represent a difference in value of $36 in the carload and the buyer would consequently reduce his bid, whether it did actually contain this moisture or not, and the farmer would lose.

Secretary Meredith says that raising the moisture content for Nos. 1 and 2 to a point beyond that safe for transportation and storage will result in buyers specifying the moisture content, in addition to the grade, in their purchases from terminal markets, which will complicate business transactions, or it will lower the prices on all purchases of these grades in order to insure themselves against loss. The reduction in price will be reflected back to the farm and "the farmer with the dry wheat will receive a lower price, while the farmer with the wheat containing a slightly higher percentage of moisture will receive no more."

Regarding the proposed increase in permissible percentage of rye and of durum, Secretary Meredith says:

"The great bulk of wheat produced and marketed in the central northwest does not contain rye. Over 95 per cent of the wheat from this section as it reaches terminal markets contains either no rye at all or in such small amounts that it is not a factor of grade. Therefore the farmer would not be benefited by a revision of the wheat standards permitting more rye in wheat. On the contrary, inasmuch as the ultimate buyer of the wheat, whether the miller or the export shipper, will expect to receive wheat with the highest percentage of rye allowed, due to the mixing of the elevator man, he must make his price accordingly, thereby penalizing the farmer who has wheat free from rye. Because rye is cheaper than wheat, such a revision would serve only as an inducement for adulteration by elevator operators after the wheat has left the farmer's hands. The price to the farmer therefore will be lower.

Durum and spring wheats are utilized for the different purposes. Durum wheat mixed with spring wheat is detrimental to the milling and bread making qualities of spring wheat. On the other hand, spring wheat mixed with durum is detrimental to the qualities possessed by durum wheat for the purpose of macaroni and allied products.

Consequently, spring wheat mixed with durum will not bring the same price as spring wheat free from durum, nor will durum wheat mixed with spring command the same price as durum wheat in the pure state. A revision of the present standards permitting free mixture of spring and durum wheat will increase the opportunities for mixing in terminal elevators and will penalize farmers producing a superior product."

Concerning the lowering of grades one pound per bushel, Secretary Meredith says:

"The amount of flour obtained from wheat is the factor which largely determines its value. The milling yield or flour contents of wheat is directly proportional to the weight per bushel. More barrels of flour and more loaves of bread can be produced from 1,000 pounds of wheat testing 58 pounds a bushel than can be produced from the same amount of wheat testing 57 pounds a bushel, other factors of quality and condition being equal.

Weight For Bushel is Price Basis.

"Fifty-eight pound wheat is worth more and commands a higher price on the market than 57 pound wheat, all other factors being equal. Labeling wheat No. 1 which weighs only 57 pounds a bushel does not make it worth as much as 58 pound wheat. Quotations to the country elevator by commission men, track buyers, terminal elevator men, etc., who buy for export shippers or millers, are based upon the lowest quality of wheat permitted in the grade because the buyer cannot be sure he will get a better quality. In reselling by grade, the mixer will see that the miller or exporter does not get a better quality than the lowest permitted by the standard. Therefore, the price on grade No. 1 with 57 pound test weight will be less than the quotation would have been on 58 pound wheat. The farmer with 58 pound wheat who sells it to the country elevator man as No. 1 will have to take a 57 pound price for it. Normally, there is an abundance of wheat produced in the central west which weighs 58 pounds a bushel or more. To lower the test weight per bushel requirement for No. 1 to 57 pounds would deprive the farmers who produce this 58 pound wheat of the price to which they would be entitled, with no advantage to the producers of wheat weighing 57 pounds, as the latter would sell for 57-pound wheat in any event."

—Trade at Home—

Some Figures Showing Cost Of Ad Work

Committee After Careful Investigation Finds Present Prices Much Too Low.

Shows Prices Charged by The Times to Be Far Below Value of Service.

Change of System Most Urgent Necessity For Majority of Publishers.

The special committee of the National Editorial association, which has had in charge the study of conditions so as to make recommendations to the members of the N. E. A. and all other publishers of papers with a circulation up to 5,000, has made its report and it is just given out by H. C. Hotaling, field secretary of the association.

The committee is composed of men who have had opportunities of study probably not equaled by the average publisher, and includes President Edward Albright, Gallatin, Tenn.; R. T. Porte, Salt Lake City; E. K. Whiting, Owatonna, Minn.; H. U. Bailey, Princeton, Ill.; George T. Haubrich, field secretary of the Colorado Editorial association, Greeley, Colo.; O. O. Buck, field secretary of the Nebraska Press association, Harvard, Neb.; G. L. Caswell, field secretary of the Iowa Press association, Ames, Ia., and H. C. Hotaling, field secretary of the National Editorial association, St. Paul, Minn.

The committee had also in consultation with them in an advisory capacity B. S. Herbert of the National Printer-Journalist, Chicago; Harry Hillman of the Inland Printer, Chicago, and N. A. Huse, vice president of the American Press association, New York.

Report of the Committee.

"The special committee of the National Editorial association appointed to study the selling price for advertising space in weekly newspapers based on known costs of production, recommends the following rates per inch:

"For newspapers of 500 or less circulation, 20 cents.

"For newspapers of 1,000 or less circulation, 25 cents.

"For newspapers of 1,500 or less circulation, 30 cents.

"For newspapers of 2,000 or less circulation, 35 cents.

"For newspapers of 2,500 or less circulation, 40 cents.

"For newspapers of 3,000 or less circulation, 43 cents.

"For newspapers of 3,500 or less circulation, 46 cents.

"For newspapers of 4,000 or less circulation, 49 cents.

"For newspapers of 4,500 or less circulation, 52 cents.

"For newspapers of 5,000 or less circulation, 55 cents.

"After a thorough study of the present situation, the members of the committee were unanimous in the opinion that the prevailing rates for advertising in community newspapers are much too low and that these rates do not compare with the increased cost of other commodities.

"After studying the costs of production as reported from newspaper offices in the different parts of the country the committee finds that only a small percentage of country newspaper publishers realize the perils which confront their future existence. In the mechanical departments labor costs have increased from 50 per cent to 150 per cent; machinery and materials have advanced in keeping with the rising costs and the newspaper publishers have not followed in the procession but have been deluding themselves into the belief that they are making a profit and that their future is as secure as their past apparently has been. It was found upon investigation that most publishers have a very inadequate idea of the cost of producing their publications. Most of them have considered that the increased price of paper stock was the one item which should principally concern them. It is the one subject over which they have been especially alarmed. Since the circulation of most country newspapers is from 500 to 2,500 copies per week, the committee has felt that although the item of increased cost of print paper should have serious consideration it is of minor importance as compared to the increased costs of labor, machinery, material, rent, insurance and the various other items of expense which are standard. It was found that a number of publishers who own their own building are not charging the item of rent in figuring what their publications are costing, nor have any considerable number been including interest upon the money invested in their plants as a part of the production cost of their newspapers. Others have been failing to put themselves upon their own payrolls for any adequate salary such as they might easily earn elsewhere, and from year to year have been laboring under the false delusion that they were making money. They have not taken into consideration the depreciation of plants and of the tremendously increased cost of replacement of machinery and still they have continued to sell space in their publications at rates which have prevailed for years.

"The committee is strongly of the opinion that disaster and ruin faces thousands of publications unless they immediately adjust themselves to the new conditions and rigidly adhere to the rates which the committee of investigation recommends."

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When you want publicity that pays big for the money invested, try a want ad. in The Times.

Where Gasoline Prices Stand

OIL products have advanced in price more slowly than any other products. The U. S. Department of Labor, in a comparative statement of price advances between January 1913, and December 1919, says:

(In the following table 100 is taken as the normal base for 1913)

	Jan. 1913 From	Dec. 1919 To	Percentage of Increase
Cloths and Clothing	100	335	235 %
House Furnishings	*100*	*303*	*203 %*
Labor and building material	100	253	153 %
Farm produce	97	244	151.5%
Food	99	234	136.3%
Chemicals	101	179	77.2%
Fuel and lighting	103	181	75.7%
Metals and metal products	107	169	58 %

(Monthly Labor Review, Vol. X, No. 2)

On January 1, 1913, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) was paying $1.44 per barrel for crude delivered at the refinery at Whiting, Ind., and was selling gasoline for 14½c per gallon.

On December 31, 1919, the price of crude had advanced to $3.51 per barrel, f. o. b. Whiting, and the selling price of gasoline to 21c per gallon.

In other words this Company is paying two and one-half times as much for crude oil as it was in 1913, but because of its more efficient refining methods it is able to sell gasoline to you for less than one-half more than was charged at that time.

(Continuing the table:)

Crude Petroleum	100	240	140 %
Red Crown Gasoline	100	144.8	44.8%

It will be seen from the above tables that gasoline stands at the end of the list as regards price increase, and that crude petroleum stands sixth from the end, showing how effectually refining efficiency has operated in behalf of the motorist.

Every cost entering into the making of gasoline has risen immensely. The cost of crude, the cost of refining, and the cost of marketing are all greater than ever before.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) by superior efficiency in every process of refining and distributing has contributed in no small degree to hold the price of gasoline down to its present level. Every man in the manufacturing end of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is keenly alive to the pressing necessity for an increased output of gasoline at a minimum manufacturing cost.

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Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
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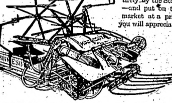

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Third packer	Best quick-turn tongue truck
Floating elevator	Sure tie—no loose bundles
Improved outer reel support	Well spaced decks

There are dealers all over the Mid-West states handling the Minnesota Line, and they carry ample stocks of repairs. If there should not be one within easy reach of you, write direct for catalog and prices to

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Song of 10,000 Lines Being Written for India's Pariah Water Drawers

Missionaries encounter strange problems in their work of spreading the doctrine of Christianity. But generally they are able to work out a good solution. Doctor Walter F. Scudder, for years a missionary of the Dutch Reform Church in India, but now attached to the Foreign Survey of the Interchurch World Movement, tells of one curious problem well solved.

For centuries the Pariah water drawer of India has measured the number of buckets of water he draws by means of a song of 10,000 lines. Unable to count, much less to add or subtract, the water drawer had to be given some method of measurement. So this song was adopted. It runs:

"Three Hundred and Thirty Million Gods have I."

"Five Hundred Million Rishi have I."

and so on for 10,000 variations.

An East Indian Water Drawer at His Primitive Well Pump, Which Has Not Been Improved Since the Days of the Pharaohs

The employer desiring a certain number of buckets to be drawn, tells the water drawer to stop his song at such a verse or line. The drawer pulls up one bucket for each line of the song and stops at the appointed place. He will have exactly the number wanted.

Now that many of these humble laborers of India have been converted to Christianity, they are faced by the problem of how to count without chanting a song which no longer represents their religious belief. So the missionaries are writing a song of 10,000 lines dealing with the life and teachings of Christ to be substituted for the chant now used.

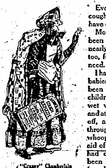

I Am "Granny" Chamberlain

"Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Next Time—BUY FISK

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THIEF RIVER FALLS
Viking Garage, Viking. Hanson & Wolrach, St. Hilaire.

Labor Board Must Grant $2500 Wage

[illegible]ee Demands Presented Which Must be Granted to Satisfy Shop Men.

Chairman of Railway Board Objects to Implied Threat of B. M. Jewell.

Explained That Object of Testimony Was to Prove Men's Claims Sound.

[illegible]less the railway labor board [illegible] the demands of the shopmen [illegible] national minimum scale which [illegible] pay "a minimum wage of [illegible] a year with an eight-hour day [illegible]mmon labor" the employes' re[illegible]ntatives cannot guarantee that [illegible]oard's decision will be acceptable [illegible]e men, B. M. Jewell, acting pres[illegible]t of the railway employes depart[illegible] declared in testifying before [illegible]e board on Monday.

[illegible]r. Jewell's testimony brought a [illegible]rp question from Judge Barton, [illegible]airman of the board, who asked [illegible]hether he was "issuing an ultima[illegible]um to this board or trying to dictate to it as to the decision it should make?"

"We want all the information possible but we do not intend to let every one come in here and tell us what we should decide," Judge Barton said.

Mr. Jewell then explained the employes' representatives were not trying to dictate but felt it their duty to explain fully certain conditions.

Mr. Jewell, who was presenting the shop employes' rebuttal, said any award by the board that did not include the following stipulations would "not be a fair and just award."

1. A minimum wage of $2,500 a year with an eight hour day for common laborers.
2. Establishment of differentials according to training, skill, hazard and responsibility of the men affected.
3. Action by the board on the national agreement.

—Trade at Home—

[illegible]. O. Forces Get Increase in Pay Rate

Commission Urges Advances For Carriers of From $150 to $250 Per Year.

Thief River Falls Among the Cities Whose Postmaster is Included in List.

Report Also Recommends an Eight-Hour Day For All Post Office Employes.

Increased salaries for postal em[illegible]yes amounting to approximately [illegible],000,000 for the first year, effective July 1, have been recommended in a report to congress by a joint congressional commission.

Increases of $150 to $250 annually for postal clerks and letter carriers with $400 for supervisory officers were recommended. No increase for first class postmasters receiving more than $5,000 a year was proposed, however.

Rise For Rural Carriers.

For rural delivery carriers, the commission recommended $1800 for a 24-mile route and an additional $30 for each mile in excess of that distance. Motor route carriers covering 50 miles or more would receive not in excess of $2,600. The pay of village delivery carriers would be from $1,000 to $1,200. Should the recommendations of the commission, based on hearings held in various parts of the country, be adopted, clerks at first and second class post offices, as well as city carriers, would be divided into five classes, with those in the first class receiving $1,400 annually and $100 added for each class. Substitutes and temporary clerks [illegible]ld receive 60 cents an hour, while [illegible]cial clerks would be paid from [illegible],900 to $2,000 annually. Watch[illegible]en, messengers and laborers would [illegible] divided into two grades, the first [illegible]ceiving $1,350 and the second [illegible]1,450.

Clerks in the postal mail service would be divided into six classes, with those in the first class receiving $1,600; those in the sixth class $2,300 and the others graduated between.

Eight-Hour Day Favored.

Service for all clerks, the commission's report recommended, would be on an average of eight hours a day, 306 days a year. Division superintendents in the postal mail service under the commission's recommendations, would receive $4,200 annually, assistant superintendents, $3,200; the chief clerks, $3,000, and assistant chief clerks, $2,500.

Pay of post office inspectors would range from $2,300 to $4,200 with an allowance of not more than $5 a day for expenses, while traveling clerks [illegible] division headquarters of the post[illegible] inspection service would re[illegible] from $1,600 to $2,600.

[illegible] graduated increase was proposed by the commission for first class postmasters receiving less than $5,000 annually, ranging from $200 to $400 for postmasters now receiving $3,000 to $3,700 annually, $400 to $500 for those now getting between $3,700 and $3,800 and $500 and $600 for those whose pay now is between $3,900 and $4,000.

Advance for Various Classes.

Second class postmasters whose present salary ranges from $2,200 to $3,000 would receive an increase from $100 to $300. Assistant postmasters would be increased $300 from basic salaries each, the salaries ranging from $1,000 to $2,200. The commission also recommended that fourth class postmasters be allowed 140 per cent on cancellations of $75 per quarter and less; 115 per cent from $75 to $100 of cancellations per quarter and in excess of $100 per quarter; 100 per cent on the first $100; 75 per cent on the next $100 and 60 per cent on the rest.

The commission recommended a graduate scale of pay based on office receipts for supervisory officers in first class post offices. The scale ranges from $2,200 for assistant postmasters, and $2,100 for superintendents of mail in offices with receipts between $10,000 and $75,000 to $4,600 for the former and $4,400 for the latter when receipts are above $20,000,000 annually. Provision also is made for paying increases for other supervisors.

Fifteen days' vacation annually with pay for all employes and sick leave of not more than 30 days a year with pay, also were recommended.

—Trade at Home—

Northern Minnesotans Will Meet at Bemidji

Possibilities and problems of northern Minnesota will be discussed June 18 and 19 at Bemidji, when the Northern Minnesota Development association holds its 22nd annual convention.

Invitations have been sent to city and county officials, farmers' clubs, school boards, shipping associations, county agents and nurses, and many others interested in Minnesota's future. Members of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association also have been asked to attend.

Such questions as the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence tidewater project, taxation, mineral resources and protection will be dealt with, according to an announcement yesterday.

The officers of the association are: E. E. McDonald, Bemidji, president; A. P. Silliman, Hibbing, vice president; M. N. Koll, Cass Lake, secretary, and George Munford, Two Harbors, treasurer.

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Pennington Has Largest Percentage of Milch Cows

According to the latest report dealing with livestock in the northwestern counties of Minnesota, Pennington county has more milch cows than all other classes of cattle combined and is the only county in the entire district where such conditions obtain. The report states that there are 9,747 head of milking animals in the county as compared with 9,089 head of cattle of other varieties, giving the former a lead of 658. In Roseau county the milk breeds are 4,774 head behind the beef varieties; in Beltrami county the difference is 2,362 head in favor of the same kind of stock; Clearwater county has 2,889 less of milkers than others; Marshall is 5,147 head behind; Polk county has only 21,828 head of milch cattle as compared with 50,487 head of other kinds, and Red Lake county is in even numbers 2000 head to the bad.

—Trade at Home—

American Legion Dance at Auditorium Monday, June 7th. Music by Emard's orchestra of Grand Forks. j3

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Salvation Army Secures Permanent Quarters Here

The Salvation Army has maintained barracks in Thief River Falls for a quarter of a century but has not owned its home. Consequently moving has been the order of the day and this has in many ways interfered with the work. Permanent quarters have now been arranged for by the purchase of the Bean building at 317 Main avenue north, where the army officers will hereafter be found.

There will be a grand opening at the new barracks next Saturday and Sunday. Adjt. Charles Nelson of St. Paul, will conduct the meetings, assisted by Capt. J. C. Kelly and Lieut. Hibbard. Everyone will be made welcome at these housewarming meetings.

—Trade at Home—

Surscribe for The Times.

INJUNCTION HEARING AT WARREN ON JUNE 8

Motion to Vacate Temporary Restraining Order Will be Argued Before Court.

The paving matter is still somewhat up in the air although friends of the enterprise are not all alarmed over the outcome of the injunction proceedings to be heard by Judge Grindeland at Warren on June 8. The temporary restraining order has had no visible effect upon the preparations, the completing of the work started last summer being steadily carried on.

Practically the entire outcome hinges on the decision of the supreme court in a similar case brought in Dakota county. The trial judge there held that it is necessary for cities and villages to secure the endorsement of a majority of the voters at a special election before going ahead and awarding contracts for such public improvements. Officials of the village of Farmington, on the contrary, take the same position as the council of Thief River Falls, namely that the law enacted in 1917 expressly permits municipalities to issue their certificates of indebtedness to pay for work of this kind and that no vote of the people is necessary.

The matter has created a great deal of interest in this city and the supreme court decision is awaited with considerable anxiety. Just what the council will do in case the verdict is against the city is not known, but it is likely that before an election could be held it would be too late to accomplish anything this year.

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MISTAKEN FOR WOLF, MAN IS SHOT IN ARM

Goes to Sleep in Hay Stack and is Discovered by Small Boy—Dad Shoots.

Halvor Williamson of Grygla, who last week was shot through the arm by a farmer named Calhoun and brought to the Physicians hospital here, is getting along first rate. His arm is naturally very painful but there is hopes of his being able to use it pretty much the same as ever within a short time.

Williamson, who it is claimed had been taking on a load of peppermint or some other concoction of a similar nature, fell asleep in the hay stack on the Calhoun farm. Small boys playing in the neighborhood saw something near the stack they took for a wolf. Upon being notified, Mr. Calhoun grabbed his rifle and let fly in the general direction of the supposed marauder. One shot only took effect, this being in the right elbow. The injured man was brought here at once and given medical attention.

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Seed Buckwheat

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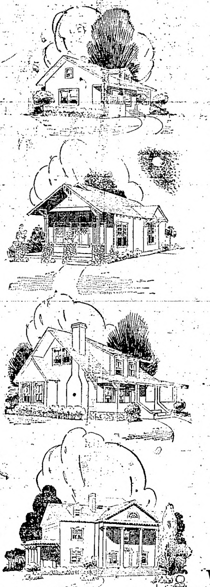

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Crowds Hear N-P Speakers at 2 Meetings

President Townley Fails to Show Up at Goodridge Gathering.

Dr. Henrik Shipstead and Homer Cook Greeted by Packed House.

Candidate in Poor Voice But Companion Makes Vigorour, Telling Address.

Two well-attended meetings were held in Pennington county by the adherents of the Nonpartisan league yesterday. The weather was far from ideal, being cold and damp, but in spite of this fact people came from every section of the northwest to hear the speakers. A. C. Townley, president of the league, was scheduled to arrive by airplane in time for the meeting at the Urdahl place near Goodridge, but the wind and threatening rain must have served to keep him away. At any rate he failed to show up, much to the disappointment of many who had come long distances especially to see and hear him.

Present in Crowds.

The Goodridge meeting was a great success, however. One of the largest crowds ever seen in the county greeted Henrik Shipstead, candidate for governor, and Homer Cook, one of the speakers for the league. Both spoke, their remarks being along the lines generally followed.

The Auditorium Meeting.

The crowd at the auditorium in the evening taxed that large assembly room to the limit. Dr. Shipstead had contracted a cold and was consequently in poor voice, but his traveling companion, Mr. Cook, made up for any shortcomings in this respect. He is a whirlwind talker and had his audience with him from the start. Mr. Cook devoted considerable of his time to showing that the Nonpartisan league was not the kind of organization its enemies would make it out, but on the contrary a law abiding and constructive force. The speaker is evidently a man of wide reading, his remarks being thickly interlarded with exerpts and quotations intended to prove the correctness of his position. His address was perhaps the ablest of any yet delivered here in favor of the cause he espouses.

—Trade at Home—

Will Attend Chicago Convention.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman of the Pennington County Republican Women's organization, will attend the national convention at Chicago, leaving Minneapolis on Sunday evening on the special train carrying the Minnesota delegation. While in the metropolis of the west Mrs. Bishop will be a guest at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hoover.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following entries to the local hospital were made during the past week: Mrs. Christ Hagen, city; Mrs. Fred Larson, Holt; Mrs. H. Roe, city; Lila Schuster, city; Wendell Larson, city; Corrine Adesro, city; Geo. Hunter, Antelope, Mont.; Denny Major, Strathcona; Mrs. Norby, Strathcona; Mable Swanson, St. Hilaire; Chester Wood, Wylie.

—Trade at Home—

Outline of Republican Convention Next Week

Nominating speeches in the Republican national convention at Chicago next week probably will come on Thursday, with balloting on Friday, L. W. Henley, secretary of the arrangements committee, announced. Following the keynote speech of Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, temporary chairman, and appointment of committees on Tuesday, Mr. Henley said the convention probably would adjourn until Wednesday for committee work.

Permanent organization, rules and order of business are on Wednesday's tentative program. After the nominating speeches Thursday, Mr. Henley said the tentative program would leave Friday and Saturday and possibly part of Thursday for ablloting and consideration of platform.

On Monday preceding the opening of the convention, caucuses of many state delegations are scheduled to select national committeemen and make committee nominations.

—Trade at Home—

Deleware House Defeats Suffrage Ratification

The lower house of the Deleware legislature, late on Wednesday defeated the ratification of the woman suffrage amendment by a vote of 21 to 10, ending a struggle which had lasted ever since the beginning of the special session, March 22. Motion was made to go into committee of the whole to consider suffrage. This was voted down, thus blocking rollcall on ratification itself and killing it.

—Trade at Home—

300,000 Autos and Trucks Licensed in Minnesota

Nearly 300,000 automobiles and motor trucks are licensed in Minnesota according to a bulletin issued by Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl. License sales total 12,322 last month and 33,305 during the first five months this year. There have been 293,048 registrations since January 1, 1918.

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LUND FUNERAL SUNDAY FROM CITY AUDITORIUM

Body of First Dead Soldier Sent From France to Receive Military Honors.

The body of Edward Lund, first Pennington county soldier to be transferred from European soil to his native land, will arrive in the city on Saturday morning, as near as can now be judged. The remains left New York on Wednesday over the Lackawanna and are scheduled to reach Thief River Falls over the Soo at that time. If this proves to be the case the funeral will be held from the auditorium at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

Lund will be given a military burial, the details being in charge of the American Legion. It is requested that the firing squad appear at the auditorium at 1:30 o'clock in order that everything may be in readiness at the appointed hour.

It is also desired that as many Legion men as possibly can do so will report in uniform. This will be the first burial in the county under these circumstances and the expectations are that our people generally will wish to show their respect by being in attendance.

The ceremony may be witnessed by anyone wishing to do so.

—Trade at Home—

Political Gossips are Now Linking Knox and Johnson

Gossip along Presidential Row in Chicago linked the names of Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania for president and Senator Hiram W. Johnson, California, for vice-president as a possible compromise ticket. The proposal was considered by some national committeemen as indirect result of the senate investigation of campaign expenditures. It was explained as having arisen from a feeling that a presidential candidate who had not been mentioned in Washington testimony would be desirable.

At Johnson headquarters, attention was called to the senator's recent announcement that he would not be a candidate for vice-president.

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—Trade at Home—

High Facts on Hard Roads

The St. Paul Dispatch and Pioneer Press have been publishing a series of articles on the Babcock Good Roads program, showing how this applies to each of the counties in the state. These papers have the following to say regarding Pennington county:

"This county is also in the Red Red River valley and is said to be among the leaders in richness for farming values, it being more or less of a pioneer county, yet there are only 9,376 residents here.

"The proposed Babcock plan of hard surfacing nearly 7,000 miles of trunk highway will give Pennington county 37.5 miles of this road. Estimating the cost of construction at $30,000 a mile, there will be $1,125,000 spent here.

"Motor vehicles to the number of 1,000 are registered from this county. If the legislature fixes the average license fee at $18 a car, there will be only $18,540 paid into the state highway fund a year.

"But the savings, estimated by government experts at 2 cents a mile for every mile the motor car is run over hard surfaced roads, will amount to $20,600 for only 1,000 miles of running over these proposed boulevards.

"State highway department figures show 950 miles of roads already in the county. Taking the 37.5 miles of pavement leaves 912.5 miles of road to be graded, graveled and maintained out of the county road and bridge fund.

"Pennington county, therefore, will receive 37.5 miles of pavement, 912.5 miles of good gravel road, and the motor vehicles savings each year by seeing to it that Amendment No. 1 is approved by the voters at the November elections."

Minnesota Girl Winner In Breadmaking Contest

"How far that little candle throws its beam."

Andelia Swanson, Minnesota farm girl, was the state junior club champion breadmaker in 1918. Now she has been advised that her picture and story are to be widely circulated in the Argentine republic where agricultural leaders will try to introduce boys and girls club work as it has been developed in the United States. The news was broken to Andelia in a letter from the office at Washington of the Argentine ambassador to the United States. She was told that her picture was the one used to illustrate "Breadmaking in the Home," a publication of the United States department of agriculture which had been translated into Spanish for distribution in the South American republic. "Breadmaking in the Home" was based on a bulletin issued at University Farm by the state leaders of Minnesota junior club work.

Andelia won her championship in a war year, when the use of substitute flours become necessary and bread work was a real problem. Not only that, but she organized her girl friends into a breadmaking club and she helped to cut about 150 acres of wheat on her father's farm near Kenyon, Goodhue county.

"As I think of it now," she says, "I am happy in the thought that I was able to help Uncle Sam even in so trifling a manner." Now her work and example are to be an inspiration to youth in foreign lands.

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to time pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. j3tf

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FOR RENT—Six room house. Place for cow, chickens and garden. One mile south of city on Soo tracks.—Albert Johnson.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.78
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.71
Oats	.90
Flax	3.65
Barley	1.35
Rye	1.98
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.20
Bran	2.05
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	4.10
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	4.10
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.30
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery Butter	.55
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.25
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.15
Steers, per lb.	6-8
Calves, per lb.	7-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	12-15

It May be Your Turn Next

Castle Rock, Minn., was wiped out May 22 by Tornado, making the second community to be thus visited this season in Minnesota.

Fergus Falls was destroyed last June.

Property valued at $1000 destroyed by storm Tuesday night in Kratka township.

Smaller losses in the city and other parts of the county.

Insure Today with First and Peoples State Bank

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Buying out the Railroads

If all the farmers in the United States should sell all their livestock and all the crops they raise this year, they would have money enough to buy all the railroads in the Nation. That's how big the farming business is. Worth knowing about—eh?

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

carries to its readers each week the news of this eighty-billion-dollar business. It tells of successes—and the failures, too—of farmers in every state.

The farmers right round this town have a part in that $80,000,000,000; the merchants and preachers and lawyers and doctors here in town are getting their living, directly or indirectly, from the farmers. . . . Do you read THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN? Regularly? Every week? If you don't you're not keeping very closely in touch with this farming business that could buy out the railroads. . . . Better subscribe. Costs only $1.00 for a whole year—fifty-two big weekly issues—and it will put before you the whole Nation's farming—from the backyard garden to the million-acre ranch in Texas.

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Soap, white, 10 bars for	65c
Soap, dark, for	55c
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Brooms, Special	69c
Washing Powder, Special a package	6c
Apples, just a few, Per box	$2.95
10 lb. pails Herring, Special	$1.25
MEAT SPECIALS	
Pickled Salt Pork, Per lb.	25c
Home rendered Lard No. 1 Per lb.	25c
Beef Roasts chuck, Per lb.	21c
Prime Ribs Beef Roasts, Per lb.	22c
Beef Stew, Per lb.	17c
Pork Liver, Per lb.	9c
Bologna, Per lb.	21c
Liver Sausage, Per lb.	20c

We also have a full, complete line of Vegetables and Fruits on hand at all times. Use our free delivery service.

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You Still Have the Opportunity of Taking Advantage of Mogensen's

20% REDUCTION SALE on Clothing and Shoes

The effort to reduce the high cost of merchandise still continues at this store. Hundreds of pleased men have taken advantage of this offer and the same opportunity is open to hundreds of others.

Come in today while the line is still complete

Suits

We are not offering something that has been laying around the store and must be sold at any price. Style, fit, quality and workmanship are fully up to the reputation enjoyed by all clothing carried at this store. We have the light and dark weights in the latest styles. Exceptional values at

$17.50, $20.00, $22.50, $25.00, $30.00

Underwear

Be comfortable during the hot weather that is coming. You may not wish to don light weights at once, but buy them now—they will cost considerably more later on. Wide price range and a great variety.

$1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.50, $5.00

Trousers

Something lighter in trousers is wanted for this time of year—lighter in weight and in color. We have also made them very light in price, there being a discount of

10 per cent

from these already low figures

$6.00, $7.50, $10.00, $12.00, $15.00

Shoes

We have always taken pride in keeping our Shoe stock at a point that commands admiration. This is the time for Oxfords and we have them in large variety and at right prices.

$11.00, $12.50, $15.00

Less 20 per cent.

Hats

Straw hat season is here and unless our line is inspected you cannot be sure of choosing the best. Also the light weight felts if you prefer.

$1.50 to $12.00

Hosiery

Summer comfort depends a great deal on how the feet are dressed. We have a full line in silk, lisle or cotton, a number of makes being exclusive with us in this section.

50c to $2.00

Ties

In this department we simply defy all competition. It makes no difference whether your preference is for a wash tie or a heavy silk—we have it at prices ranging from

50c to $5.00

It matters not what you may need in our line, you can save money by buying it now

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Peak Prices Are Reached For District

Federal Reserve Bank States Advance in Commodity Costs Has Ended.

Tendency All Along the Line is to Unload Merchandise Stocks at Once.

Public Taking Advantage of Reduction Offered by Merchants Everywhere.

The steadily accumulating evidence of the month indicates that the peak of high prices has been reached, and that a general break has occurred. Retail trade has slowed down perceptibly, and the slowing down process has been marked by increased efforts to move goods, accompanied by price reductions and widely advertised sales. There seems to be good reason to believe that the steady advance in retail prices, which has continued since the early months of the war, has come to an end. While there will still be advances in certain lines and on certain classes of goods due to shortages, difficulties in securing delivery, and maintaining stocks, and while it will be some time before price adjustments have become sufficiently pronounced to alter the cost of living, the drift is in the right direction, and substantial changes are in progress.

Transportation Breakdown.

Several factors have contributed in an important way to the changes during the month. There has been a growing rebellion on the part of the public against excessive prices, and a gradual spread of the determination not to buy high priced goods or submit to further profiteering. This has resulted in part from gradual increases in money rates and in part from the lower quotations in Government securities, which have served to call the attention of the public to the fact that a general readjustment is under way. Another factor of great importance is the breakdown of transportation which is more serious than anything business has experienced in the United States at any previous time. The movement of all goods is abnormally delayed, and there has been, during the month, a slowing down of production in some lines as a direct result of inability to obtain materials. Most of the larger manufacturing concerns have scouts on the road endeavoring to trace and expedite the movement of materials which are essential to maintain current production.

Conservative Buying.

The slowing down in trade and the price changes of the month have not affected the price of food stuffs to any extent, but have left an imprint upon many lines of retail trade. There has been a noticeable reduction in prices on certain classes of women's wear, shoes and a considerable range of the higher priced goods. Price changes on medium grade articles are not yet so apparent. There is an inclination on the part of the public to buy conservatively, and retailers outside of the larger centers are cautious in accumulating stocks. They are working on hand to mouth policy and ordering to fill current requirements only, and many have cancelled outstanding orders.

Is Reflected Locally.

The general tendency is reflected in the action of Thief River Falls retailers, particularly in the women's wear and clothing lines. All of the larger stores are making bargain offerings in order to reduce present stocks and notable price cuts are made. In some cases this means an immediate loss to the merchants, the goods having been purchased at the top of the market, but they prefer to forego profits at this time rather than hold large stocks under the present uncertain conditions. The public generally is taking advantage of the situation and stocking up, feeling no doubt that there is no guarantee against things advancing again at a later date.

The strain upon all banks in this district has been heavy due to the double burden imposed by carrying the remainder of the last crop and the demands arising out of spring planting operations. Due to the policy of conservatism and prudence, the banking situation has recently shown some slight signs of improvement and there is nothing unfavorable in the present outlook other than the fact that it may be necessary to carry the present burden for some time in order to take advantage of the prospective liquidation.

Crops are Promising.

Crop conditions are promising. The seeding of spring wheat which represents the bulk of the Northwest's production has progressed rapidly and is completed with the exception of some of the poorer lands and fields that have been too wet. The acreage will be approximately 15 per cent less than a year ago, owing to the shortage of farm labor, the high price of seed, the lateness of the season, and the shrinkage that is inevitable after the intensified production of the war period. The reduction in acreage will not be important if the present favorable crop conditions continue and a good average yield in the acreage seeded will give a very satisfactory total production. The shortage of acreage will be largely overcome by increased seeding of flax, barley and oats. Corn shows indications of being an unusually large crop this year. Winter wheat, which is less important from the standpoint of its proportion to the total production, is making slow progress owing to cold weather and unusual rains. Different estimates indicate that from 75 to 90 per cent went through the winter without damage.

—Trade at Home—

School Officers' Meeting At Spruce Grove June 18

The school officers of Beltrami county will hold meetings in a number of centrally located places next week. A session is scheduled for the Sundberg or West school in Spruce Grove township on Friday, the 18th. G. M. Casander, rural school inspector, and J. C. McGhee, superintendent of schools of Beltrami county, will be present to address the officers at the forenoon session, while J. E. Harris, judge of probate, will be added to the list of speakers at the afternoon session.

The Times, being the newspaper most widely circulated throughout that particular section of Beltrami county, has been requested to give notice of this meeting and announce that all school officers are expected to be present. They will be paid at the rate of $3 per day while attending the meeting and also receive five cents per mile for the distance traveled.

—Trade at Home—

Bemidji Concerns Request Protection Against Mobs

Thief River Falls people who came through Bemidji the first of the week stated that there is a serious labor situation in the neighboring city. They were informed that men were being intimidated and that the destruction of the mills was threatened. An influx of I. W. W. agitators from all sections of the country was reported on Monday to Governor Burnquist. Major W. C. Garis, assistant to Adjutant General W. F. Rhinow, was sent to Bemidji on the first train to investigate and promptly report his finding to the governor.

Sheriff Andrew Johnson and Mayor L. E. Johnson made an official report of threatening conditions in advance of the opening of the mills Tuesday. They requested the national guard company at Bemidji be ordered to remain there to assist in protecting lives and properties and be excused from attending the national guard brigade encampment to open next week at Fort Snelling.

Two Bemidji manufacturing companies sent telegrams to the governor confirming the officials' statements and joining in the request that military protection be maintained in the town.

—Trade at Home—

Prize For Best Answer Offered by Movie Concern

The Chaplin-Mayer Pictures Co., Inc., who are presenting Mildred Harris Chaplin in a series of motion picture productions, offer a prize of $500 in cash for the best letter answering the question, "Which is the Inferior Sex?"

The contest is open to everyone—man, woman or child. There is no entry fee. The only requirement is that the answer shall be in form of a letter addressed to Mildred Harris Chaplin, 6 West 48th street, New York City, and that the letter shall be not more than three hundred words in length. The award will be given to the letter which in the opinion of the judges is the best argument to upset the time-worn tradition that woman is man's inferior and proving that woman is not the inferior of the sexes.

The judges will be Mildred Harris Chaplin, William H. Leahy, head of the scenario department of her company and a representative from one of the leading motion picture magazines, appointed by the editor.

Mildred Harris Chaplin will send an autographed photo of herself to each person entering the contest immediately upon receipt of his or her letter.

The date on which the contest ends will be announced later.

Those who wish to enter this contest may get some ideas by attending the play when is it presented in *Thief River Falls next Sunday and Monday.*—J3.

SUMMER WEATHER AN ASSURED FACT; FIRST STRAWS OUT

It has been a little slow in coming but it is finally here. We have had a few real warm days but official recognition of the fact that summer has arrived was not general until last Thursday when Dr. G. A. Penney appeared in his Panama. For years the doctor's has been the first straw lid to make its appearance and until he felt safe in setting the pace no person dared take the momentous step. There have been times when he has been a little too previous and has found it necessary to resort to earlaps for protection, but this year there is no doubt about his being right. The next day F. H. Herrick was found under a new straw sailor and this settled the question. Both these gentlemen would hardly be guilty of making the same kind of a mistake at the same time. Those who have sufficient credit to procure a new one as well as those among us compelled to make the old one answer, are now justified in going ahead.

—Trade at Home—

Get Busy Pennington.

(Red Lake Falls Gazette.)

Several complaints have been registered the past week with regard to the condition of the Pennington county road this side of St. Hilaire. One party of tourists coming from the north over the road Monday announced their intention of making the return trip by way of Wylie and up the Pembina trail to Warren, thereby saving themselves the discomfort of traveling over this short stretch of bad road as well as several miles in distance.

—Trade at Home—

Important Shorthorn Sale Near Euclid on Wednesday

An outstanding event in live stock circles will take place at the Palmer farm near Euclid on June 9 when 56 head of milking Shorthorns will be sold. They are consigned by A. E. Palmer, Euclid, and R. R. Wheaton, Thorndale, Ontario, Canada. There will be buyers present at this sale from at least ten states as world record animals of the milking Shorthorn strain are offered. It will be the occasion also for the gathering of Red River Valley breeders from all counties as no event since the Holstein sale at the Schroeder farm near Moorhead last June equals this in importance.

"SPENT A LOT OF MONEY," HE SAYS

St. Paul Railroad Man Got No Relief Until He Took Tanlac.

"I have spent a lot of money trying to get rid of my troubles, but nothing ever did me any good until I started taking Tanlac," said Otto Selbitschka, 553 Edmond street, St. Paul, Minn., who is employed in the Great Northern Railroad shops.

"For three years," Mr. Selbitschka continued, "I suffered from stomach trouble, my appetite was so poor I could not eat any breakfast at all, only drinking a small cup of coffe, and I often became so nauseated I could not even retain that, and at my other meals I hardly ate enough to keep me alive. The little I did manage to force down would puff me up until I would be in misery for hours afterwards; I also had dreadful sick headaches and at times I would get so dizzy I could barely keep from falling. My right shoulder hurt me all the time and was so stiff I could not raise my hand above my head. I could sleep hardly at all and in the mornings felt so tired and worn out I could hardly get out of bed and just had to force myself off to work.

I certainly wish I had started taking Tanlac sooner, for I began to get better on the very first few doses. First the neauseated feeling left me and my appetite begun to return and I was troubled less with gas. I continued to improve until now I am completely over all my troubles. I eat anything I want without feeling the slighest bad after effects, my headaches have stopped and I never get dizzy any more. The pains and stiffness have left my shoulder. I sleep well and always get up in the morning feeling simply splendid. In fact, I feel just fine all the time and I owe it all to Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

—Trade at Home—

Important School Meeting.

To all School Boards of Pennington County:

Upon request of the Board of Directors of the Association of Pennington county school officers and with the approval of the County Superintendent of Schools, I hereby wish to announce that a general meeting of all school officers of the county will be held at the auditorium of the Lincoln high school at Thief River Falls on June 5, 1920, at 1 o'clock p. m.

The purpose of this meeting will be to hear the report of the delegates sent to the school officers conference held at St. Paul, Minn., during the month of April, to make provision for the payment of the expenses and to hear their reports on the teacher shortage and teacher salary situation in the state and our county.

At this meeting it is also proposed to meet in a joint meeting with the committee of teachers elected by Pennington County Teachers' League; to hear their report on the minimum salary schedule adopted at their meeting held on April 24.

We urge that every member of every school board make special effort to be present at this meeting as it is the desire of the directors to retain as many as possible of this last year's teachers.

This conference is also called for the purpose of maintaining our school board organization by increasing its membership and together with the committee elected by the teachers' league, agree upon a minimum wage schedule for the coming school year. If such an agreement cannot be entered into it will be your duty as school officer to suggest a remedy for the teacher shortage and salary schedule or the County Organization of School Officers may, at this meeting, adopt their own minimum wage schedule for teachers' salaries for the coming school year. If no action, in regard to this matter is taken by the school officers of our county, it will be an impossibility for the county superintendent or anyone else to supply teachers for our county for the coming year.

A register of all school officers in attendance will be kept and all schools represented at the meeting will be given the first opportunity of engaging teachers through application now on file at the superintendent's office or in the hands of the directors of our association.

With the hope that every school officer of Pennington county will avail himself of the opportunity of securing a teacher for our next school year by attending this meeting, I remain,

Yours truly,
THOMAS H. BJERKE.

—Trade at Home—

Redecorating Library.

The public library will be closed during the remainder of the week. A crew of men are at work redecorating and repainting the interior and the board considered it best to close the institution entirely until they have finished their contract. The regular service will be resumed next Monday.

For Sale

One purebred Holstein Bull, born Oct. 12, 1919. Sired by Pinehurst Glen 102429, out of Peebo Champion with 31 A. R. O. daughters and 9 sons with A. R. O. daughters. Dam, Pietertje Pauline Ormsby. Sired by Sir Pietertje Ormsby Mercedes 31st. He is more white than black. A Show Bull to be sure. Priced to sell and the first man that sees him will buy. A few registered Berkshire male pigs.

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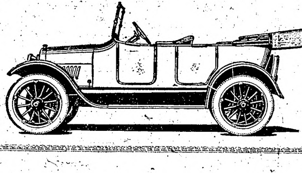

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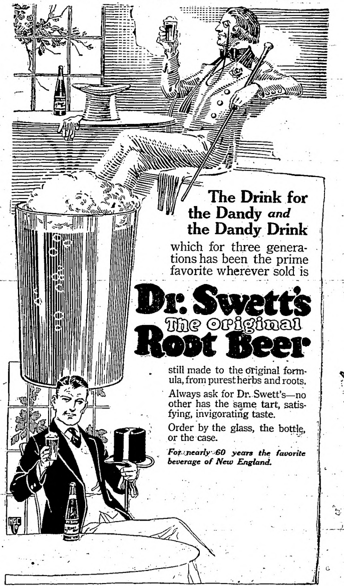

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EXCEL FARMERS HELP EASTERN RELIEF FUND

Contribute $56.50 For Relief of Distress in Armenia and Syria.

Money for the suffering people of the Near East is still coming in, the campaign in several sections being but recently started. A report is this week sent from Excel township which shows that the people in that neighborhood have contributed $56.50 toward the fund. Following are the contributors, together with the amounts subscribed by each:

Fred Copp	$ 5.00
John Kelberg	2.00
Hugh Best	2.50
C. J. Berg	1.00
Harold J. Berg	1.00
Mrs. Martha J. Berg	1.00
Mrs. Bertha Saugen	1.00
Miss Celia Saugen	10.00
John Whitman	1.00
Mrs. John Whitman	1.00
Miss Amy Whitman	1.00
Ole M. Berg	1.00
Mrs. S. Warring	1.00
Harvey Copp	1.00
H. Rogers	1.00
P. N. Pederson	.50
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John A. Olson	1.00
Mrs. John Simonson	1.00
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L. O. Williams	.50
John Martinson	1.00
H. B. Halvorson	1.00
J. A. Russell	1.00
Mrs. Aug. Koglin	1.00
John W. Dahl	2.00
G. J. Skomedal	.50
Lars Ose	1.00
G. T. Ose	1.00
Nick Baker	1.00
Peter Solem	2.00
A. G. Loftness	1.50

—Trade at Home—

PUBLIC FORUM

The Tonnage Tax.

Editor Times: The Minnesota Fair Tax Association (emphasis on fair) is spending large sums of somebody's money to help educate the ignorant voters of this state about the tonnage tax on iron ore. It is the last card played by the Steel Trust, for it feels itself slipping with the men who will dictate the future policy of the state. It dares not trust to the old method of corrupting lawmakers and lawenforcers and so it is making a gigantic effort to mislead the voters and throw dust in their eyes. It uses the same worn out arguments against the present form of proposed tonnage tax as it did against the first bill ever offered, and the two are as different as night and day.

It states that iron ore is now paying a higher tax than any other kind of property. Let us see.

If you are to read the Statute and not go any further this would be true, for iron ore is there taxed at 50 per cent of its full and true value, which is higher than other property. But what of it? Is there any human mind or human ingenuity keen enough to deduce the true and full value of the iron ore deposits in this state buried hundreds of feet below the surface of the earth? Of course not, the protestations of the Tax Commission to the contrary notwithstanding.

Their own dope handed to the public for swallowing without hesitation disproves their own contention. The Tax Commission states that for 1917 (an average year) the iron ore interests were taxed for 1,386,291,000 tons. It also states that in the same year there was shipped out of the state 42,975,000 tons of ore. From the above figures of the Tax Commission and upon which the Steel Trust actually pays taxes, you will see that the supply would be exhausted in little better than 42 years.

The advocates of a tonnage tax claim the supply will be exhausted in some 50 years and for that reason a tax should be paid upon the actual number of tons removed in addition to the ad valorem tax. To this the Fair Tax association replies that the argument of exhaustion is foolish and the supply will last 2000 years. If that is true, it proves conclusively that the steel trust and ore interests do not pay one small part of the amount of tax they should. If the supply should last for 2000 years there ought to be some 86,000,000,000 tons. And taxes are paid on 1,286,000,000 tons, or less than 1½ per cent of the total amount. Of course they can afford to pay at the rate of 50 per cent on less than 1½ per cent of the ore.

These are their own figures and this is the state of affairs the Minnesota Fair Tax association seeks to maintain.

O. A. NAPLIN

Thief River Falls, May 31.

—Trade at Home—

ESPLEE

Mrs. Fundanet and daughter, Myrtle visited at the Carlson home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson visited at the home of P. P. Sund last Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Carlson visited at the S. Basgard home last Friday.

Mrs. Fundanet and daughter, Myrtle, visited at the Carl Olson home last Thursday.

A number of young folks gathered on the school grounds and spent a few hours in playing volly ball Thursday evening.

Mrs. Stromberg and children visited at the Mrs. Gullenback home Thursday.

Geo. Wilson is spending a few days at the Turnbull home.

Mrs. Gullenback called on Mrs. Sund last Friday.

Quite a number of people from Hungry Island went to Grygla to take in play day which was last Saturday.

Mrs. Paul Sund, Hanna Sund and L. O. Opsata autoed to Thief River Falls last Friday to stay for graduation.

Oscar Arndtson, Arthur Sund and Mabel Henrickson autoed to Thief River Falls last Saturday, returning on Sunday.

Mabel Henrickson of Thief River Falls spent a few days with Cora Sund last week.

Mrs. William Gerrulat went to Fergus Falls to visit Mr. Gerrulat, who is there.

Wilhma Sund returned from Thief River Falls on Sunday where she has finished the high school course of four years.

P. C. Sund transacted business in Esplee last Monday.

Pete Henricks of Thief River Falls is spending a few days in Esplee visiting with friends and relatives.

S. Siverson transacted business in Grygla Monday.

Cora Sund and Mabel Henrickson were callers at the L. J. Tenold and Allyn Turnbull homes last Saturday.

O. H. Lewis of Hendrum spent a few days at the home of P. P. Sund last week.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the John Neptal home at Cottonwood last Sunday.

Mr. Prehall and children were guests at the O. P. Nelson home last Sunday.

Selmer Rosett was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Miss Minnie Ristau was a guest of Miss Emma Ristau last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Rose Wakoch returned home from Whitman, N. D., where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. F. Horeigh for some time.

Misses Emma and Minnie Ristau visited at the C. Strubble home last Wednesday.

Miss Silva Bendickson visited with Miss Mildred Nelson last Monday.

Mrs. Henry Roller was a shopper at Goodridge one day last week.

Henry Ristau returned home recently.

Miss Mildred Nelson was a guest of Silva Bendickson last Sunday.

A. K. Haggy called at the H. Roller home last Sunday.

Miss Mabel Christianson was a guest of Rose Kakoch one evening last week.

Mrs. Thomas Clausen from Waverly, Wash., is visiting at the D. Dau home.

Guests at the L. Bendickson home Sunday were: A. Haggy and Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl.

Mrs. H. Roller visited at the Martinus Johnson home one day last week.

—Trade at Home—

AGDER

Chas. Evenson made a short call at the Christ Nelson home Monday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Flume were callers at the home of W. Rude last Monday.

Willie and Melvin Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Roman Olson of Holt, called at the Groven home Monday.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday forenoon.

Mrs. A. Rupprecht was a visitor at the W. Rude home Tuesday.

Chas. Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday forenoon.

Hans Peterson of Thief River Falls came out on the electric car one day last week.

Mrs. Tom Tharaldson and baby left last Wednesday for their home in North Dakota.

Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Halvor Listol sold his land to Ole Halsa last week.

Julia Ose visited with Annie Senum Tuesday evening.

Esther Berger was a visitor at the Victor Swanson home Wednesday.

George Senum was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Albert Klungness was a caller at the W. Rude home Wednesday.

Arthur Nestvold was a caller at Groven's Wednesday.

Halvor Listol was a visitor at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Gunder Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Sam Groven was a caller at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Harry Moo was a visitor at Willie Rude's last Thursday.

Lydia Evenson returned to her home after having attended school at Thief River Falls.

Hans Jerstad was a caller at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Christ Nelson and Neil were callers at the Sam Groven home Thursday evening.

Neil Nelson was a caller at the Chas. Evenson home Thursday.

Walter Evenson was a caller at the Christ Nelson home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. Isaacson was a caller at the W. Rude home Friday.

Carl Johnson was a caller at Christ Nelson's Friday.

Carl Overum autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

L. Knaddle was a caller at Thief River Falls Friday forenoon.

McCormick autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Ole Listol and Gunder Senum were callers at the Christ Nelson home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and daughter, Miss Edith, autoed to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Halvor Listol was a passenger on the electric car enroute to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

E. Senum and son, George, were visitors in Thief River Falls Saturday.

John Esplee and son, Henry, were callers at Thief River Falls Saturday.

LeRoy Groven was in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Chester Gunderson was a caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Those who were confirmed in Bethlehem church last Sunday are: Chester Gunderson, LeRoy Groven, Hans Johnson, George Senum and Hannah and Mattias Nabben.

WANTED!
Farms for Sale
I have arranged to take care of the local business of Peterson-Lundgren Land Agency of Moline, Illinois. This firm sold large areas around here last year and has many more prospects anxious to buy. If you care to dispose of your land, wild or improved, write or call for information.
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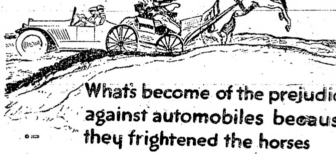

What's become of the prejudice against automobiles because they frightened the horses

Now cars are everywhere. The horses have gotten used to them—and so has everybody else. Think of it! This year the American people will spend *nearly a billion dollars* on tires alone.

Tires are one of the *biggest items* on the car owner's bills.

II

Hardly a Saturday, when you motorists drop in to "tune up" for a Sunday trip, that one or more of you doesn't tell us something of value to our business. Sooner or later it comes back to you in *Service*.

Service is what the car owners of this community are looking for nowadays.

And especially the *small car* owners, who put service *first* in figuring their motoring expenditures.

III

Just because a man has a moderate-price car is no reason why he should get any *less service* out of his tires.

We believe that the man with the small car is entitled to *just as good* tire service as the man with the big car—and both are entitled to the *best tire service* they can get.

That's why we represent U. S. Tires in this community.

And why more car owners—*large* and *small*—are coming to us every day for U. S. Tires.

IV

Come in and talk to us about tires. We're here to help you get the kind of tires you want.

Select your tires according to the roads they have to travel:

In sandy or hilly country, wherever the going is apt to be heavy—The U. S. Nobby.

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Times Want Ads

FOR SALE

HAVING SOLD MY IMPLEMENT business, I have for sale the following at a bargain: 1 Avery gas tractor, 40-80, with extension rims; 1 12-bottom cock shutt engine gang stubble plow; 2 Avery tractors, 8-16; 2 Waterloo tractors, 12-25; 1 Mogul tractor, 15-25; 1 Titan tractor, 10-20; 1 triple John Deere tractor plow, 1 Triple LaCrosse tractor plow. All of the above tractors are in good condition and all but one has been rebuilt. One new 2-ton pneumatic tire Nash truck, electric lights, self-starter, chains and pump. 1 Ford truck almost new, complete with cab and grain tank. One new 12-20 Emerson gas tractor.—Fred Thill, Argyle, Minnesota. 73

FOR SALE—My home at 933 Arnold Ave. N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and ready for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 50 bbl. cistern, hot water heat, all rough in plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. M. Bothun.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks, one week old.—Mrs. O. A. Holmes, R. 1, Box 52, Thief River Falls, Minn. 71tf

FOR SALE—State Land, Viking, $2.69 per acre deposit, balance 1941, 4 per cent interest. Open farm, hay and pasture land.—The Times. 75

FOR SALE—Power lift tractor drill to be sold cheap. Inquire at McFarland Auto Co. 74p

FOR SALE—Lot 16 and 20 feet of lot 17, in Block 21. Small house and barn. Will be sold cheap to close an estate. Enquire of The Times or write Alfred Hammersten, Kratka, Minn. 65tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 87tf

$2000.00 CASH WILL BUY QUARTER section of land five miles northwest of Wylie. See Healy Land Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. 74

FOR SALE—Black draft mare, five years old, weight 1500, with five-weeks-old colt. Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 72tf

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—R. J. Bakke, office and salesman at Borry's garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Large, modern house on East Side. Former residence of Prof. J. H. Hay. Four blocks from postoffice. The price is attractive. See M. C. Burns. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land at $11 per acre, 15 miles NE from Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Electric line. Inquire Times office or phone 4452. 65tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 5 lots. Good investment.—J. Welrus. 7p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek.

FOR SALE—A good horse at 718 Horace Ave. N. 73p

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Call at 108 Conley Ave. S. 68tf

FOR SALE—4-year-old mare, weight 1500; one three-year-old sorrel horse colt; one Deering 7-ft. cut binder. Inquire of E. M. Poston. 73

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Steel range, six holes, hot water attachment, reservoir. In excellent condition. Also laundry stove and cook stove. Call phone 816. 73tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Five 8-room house. Also 80 acres of good land with good buildings.—Frank Mousley, city. 71

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave. N. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 25tf

FOR SALE—Roadster, good condition. Will be sold cheap. Call phone 103 or 316. 73p

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 65tf

FOR SALE—A few bushels of Rural New York seed potatoes.—Peter Omundson, Kratka Rt., City. 73p

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71f

FOR SALE—Having finished breaking my farm, will sell John Deere sulky plow, 18-inch stubble with breaking attachment. New in 1916, $70.—August N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Section 19, Sanders township. 75p

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—Five tons good upland hay located in Section 35, Numedal township.—Ingval Martinson. 74p

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Ten tons of good upland hay. Located on Section 21, Numedal township.—A. G. Roos. 71p

FOR SALE—By owner, adjoining lots. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—About 10 tons of upland wild hay. About 4 miles west of fair grounds on Jefferson Highway.—Gordon M. Olson, R. 1, Box 65, City. 75p

FOR SALE—6-room house. Enquire at 313 State avenue North. 76p

FOR SALE—Top writing desk and safe. Inquire E. P. Ahlborn, Tailor. 73p

FOR SALE—White Pekin duck eggs, 10c each. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Phone 1362. 70tf

Waste Material.

Capitalize your waste material! Write for price list on old metals, rags, rubbers and magazines now! Thief River Hide and Fur Co. 71

HAY FOR SALE—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Milch cows, for horse or team.—Sakarias G. Hole, Erie. 74p

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots.—Andrew Ness. 67tf

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FOR SALE OR RENT

FOR SALE OR RENT—120 acres one-half mile from Thief River Falls east, described as SE¼NE¼, and lots 9 and 10, and part of 11, Sec. 2-153-43.—A. R. Jorris, Spring Valley, Minn. 72

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms at 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 302. 71

FOR RENT—Five rooms upstairs at 601 Knight Ave. N. Telephone 1574. 73p

HAVE A COUPLE OF GOOD HOUSES for rent or for sale, at a bargain. Inquire at John Bratrud office. 73tf

FOR RENT—Strictly modern house, Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree S. 73tf

LOST

LOST—On road between Highlanding and Goodridge or in Goodridge, a moleskin vest, sheep skin lined. Finder please return to H. I. Finstad, Kratka, Minn., and receive reward. 71

LOST—Pig, 4 weeks old. Finder notify Bernt Wold, Markley Ave. N. 73p

LOST—Four spring calves. Notify Mrs. Ellen Iverson, Goodridge, Minn. 72p

LOST—Side curtain for automobile on road from St. Hilaire to Goodridge or in city of Thief River Falls. Return to Times office. Reward.

FOUND

FOUND—Saturday, boy's overcoat on St. Hilaire road. Finder can have same by applying at The Times office and paying for this ad.

I WANT TO BUY a well improved farm not over five miles from town. Give legal description in first letter.—John Walters, Lock Box 24, Meservey, Iowa. 75p

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—Grey mare, weight about 900 lbs. Owner can have same by paying expenses. Ed. Timm, Phone 8-F-11, 2 miles S. E. City. 73p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—250 cords dry wood.—Thief River Co-op. Creamery. 73

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—Ambitious, energetic man to handle the sale of our guaranteed household products in this county. We have a complete and attractive line of flavoring extracts, toilet articles, spices, medicines, etc. Good sellers. Steady repeats. Experience unnecessary. We furnish capital. Hustler can easily make $150 to $300 a month. Write quick for five particulars and secure your home county.—Heberling Medicine Company, Bloomington, Illinois. 71p

MISTER SALESMAN—Do you want to make $100.00 per week and up? Get our proposition. Address P. O. box 132, Superior, Wisconsin. 74

WANTED—2 men for work in creamery. Thief River Falls Creamery. 72tf

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for housework on farm. Steady place, $10.00 per week.—Mrs. J. L. Martin, Climax, Minn. 73p

GIRLS WANTED—At once. Highest wages paid.—Hotel, Brumund. 71

WANTED—Middle-aged girl for housekeeper. Easy place. Call 408 Duluth Av. S., or write. 74pd

MISCELLANEOUS

LEARN TO NURSE—Medical and surgical training; two years course. Practical and theoretical class work. Staff of 25 doctors. $25 a month, board, room and laundry included. Classes about to begin. Montrose Avenue Hospital and Sanitarium, 2338 Montrose Ave., Chicago, Ill. 77

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WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

HEMSTITCHING IN SCANDIA Block. Hours 8 to 12, and 1 to 5.—Mrs. McKinney.

No Change in Membership Plan of Farm Bureau Now

The farm bureau board of directors holding meeting last evening to discuss the membership status of the bureau. County Agent Leader F. E. Balmer of St. Paul, explained the life membership plan which was very favorably received by the directors. It was thought, however, best not to adopt that ruling at the present time but to continue the drive under the old plan for the present year.

Mr. Balmer also explained the state federation of farm bureaus and the benefits to be derived from having a membership in that organization.

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

The following attended Catholic services at Thief River Falls last Sunday morning: Mr. and Mrs. John Haider and son, Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dolezal, Paul Schankey, Edward Schankey, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie, and J. E. Shoberg.

Matt Rafteseth arrived from Hibbing where he has been employed this spring, last week and will visit briefly with his parents at this place.

Marven and Garfield Benson arrived on Monday morning from Thief River Falls and will be guests at the L. L. Furan home for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stromberg purchased a residence at Thief River Falls and moved, this week with the intention of making their future residence there.

Decoration Day was observed quite generally at both the Rindal and Wildwood cemeteries, and most all graves present a neat and tidy appearance this week.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, teacher at Busy Bee, gave an entertaining outdoor sports picnic on the school grounds last Sunday afternoon in commemoration of the closing of a successful seven months' school term, and to which was invited all pupils, together with their relatives and friends. A number of interesting games, foot races, three legged races, handkerchief, necktie and garment removal races, tug-of-war, orange theft and the like had been arranged, and was partaken in with much enthusiasm by the young people. Confections of various kinds were on sale by Miss Myrtle Nelson, and lemonade and cake were served free to all before returning home.

N. C. Holm, Miss Ellen and Oswald Ellerud of Twin Valley were in town last Sunday as guests with A. S. Holm.

F. G. Johnson and daughters, Jenney and Tillie, of Rocksbury, were in town on Monday for a brief visit with friends enroute home from Karlstad where they had spent the previous day with friends.

Mrs. P. Stengelson, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan, Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, A. S. Holm and Joel Shoberg attended the "Pageant" at Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie, and Mrs. Inga Berg were at Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to attend the graduation exercises of the eighth grade school pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen and Miss Ella Nelson attended the senior graduation at Thief River Falls last Friday evening.

Mr. Rierson of Holt, who has been on the petit jury at Warren for a few days this week, returned on Friday evening and visited the next day with the A. T. Thoreson family here.

Mrs. Anton Gullseth left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit for a few days with Mrs. A. B. Remmem.

Miss Gladys Swenson and Miss Myrtle Mellem, in company with Miss Inga Berg, left last Friday for Thief River Falls where they will remain over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, arrived here on Monday morning to spend Decoration Day at the John Hellquist home north of town.

Jens Severson, a brother-in-law of Mr. Vorseth, arrived last Monday for a brief visit with the latter.

Miss Clara Sorenson of Thief River Falls is visiting for a few days with Miss Synneva Sorenson.

Axel Axelson has been employed at carpenter work on the bank building the last week.

—Trade at Home—

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City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., May 25th, 1920.

Roll Call. Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of May 11th, and adjourned regular meeting of May 18th, were read and approved as read.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution appropriating $200.00 for Memorial Day exercises. (See Resolution.)

The Council appointed the following voters to act as election judges:

First Ward: Mike Burns, E. Ness, M. V. Evenson.

Second Ward: S. T. Johnson, Alfred Bredeson, Wm. Parbst.

Third Ward: Phil Zeh, Frank Mousley, Wm. Knight.

Fourth Ward: Frank Cernoucek, Elmer Klungness, L. J. Cerny.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Mayor's appointment of John H. Meyers to enforce Ordinance relating to dogs, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the matter of watermain extension on Horace Avenue, between Second and Third St., be referred to the Water & Light Committee with power to act. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Brandon, that the City Attorney interpose proper answers or demurrers and take such action as may be necessary and proper to properly defend the City in the cases commenced by M. V. Evenson et al, and by Fontaine & LaCoe. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Brandon, that the Supt. of Water & Light be instructed to install street lights on the corner of Bridge St. and Kendall Ave. and on the corner of Norn and Tindolph and on the corner of Eighth St. and Arnold Ave. Motion carried.

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment of $140.00 to G. A. Penney for expense incurred in the matter of the State Ex Rel. Theo. Quale vs. Dr. Penney as Mayor. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment of $968.41 to Holt & George on final estimate of watermain contract on east side. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment of $487.88 to Holt & George on final estimate of sewer contract on east side. (See Resolution.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held May 25, 1920, Alderman John Dahl seconded by Alderman S. Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the contract for sewer extension on the east side of the river, in said city, entered into between the City and Holt & George, has been completed, and,

WHEREAS, there is a balance due said Holt & George, on said contract, of $487.88, for which a proper claim has been filed with the Clerk;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that said claim be and hereby is allowed and ordered paid, and the City Clerk is hereby instructed and directed to issue to said Holt & George, the warrant of the City, drawn upon the Local Improvement Fund, in the sum of $487.88, in payment of said claim and balance due on said contract.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Aldermen voting No: O. L. Ihle not voting.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 29, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held May 25, 1920, Alderman A. Ness, seconded by Alderman S. Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the sum of $140.00 be and hereby is appropriated out of the Current Expense Fund, of said City, for the purpose of reimbursing G. A. Penney, former Mayor of the City, for expenses and counsel fees incurred by him in the matter of the State Ex Rel Theo. Quale vs. G. A. Penney, as Mayor of said City, and, the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to issue to said G. A. Penney the warrant of the City, drawn upon the Current Expense Fund, in the sum of $140.00 in payment of the claim of said G. A. Penney for reimbursement as aforesaid, as per his duly verified claim filed with the clerk and presented to the Council.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Aldermen voting No: O. L. Ihle not voting.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 29, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held May 25th, 1920, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the sum of $200.00 be appropriated for Memorial Day Exercises and that the arrangement of said exercises be left in charge of the Band Committee and that a warrant for the above mentioned amount be drawn on the Current Expense Fund payable to the Treasurer of the Band.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 29, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held May 25, 1920, Alderman A. Ness, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the current watermain contract, entered into between the City and Holt & George, has been completed, and,

WHEREAS, there is a balance due said Holt & George thereon, of $968.41, for which a proper bill has been filed;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be instructed and directed to issue the warrant of the City, drawn upon the Waterworks Fund, to said Holt & George, in the sum of $968.41, in payment of said bill and balance due on said contract.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Aldermen voting No: Ihle.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 29, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held May 25, 1920, Alderman O. L. Ihle, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$112.62
P. Nybakken, hauling horse to burner	15.00
Paul Hilderigh, special police	3.50
Alex Welch, special police	3.50
John H. Meyers, labor	4.50
Auditorium Fund.	
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., wood	190.00
Hall Bros. Hdwe. Co., stove bolts	.40
Poor Fund.	
Andrew Ness, transportation of poor charges	16.00
Louis DeCremer, meats	9.70
E. Nordberg, labor	2.00
Electric Light Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight and express	21.09
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	223.73
Northern Electric Co., supplies	70.00
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	225.89
Standard Oil Co., oil	25.40
The Elliott Co., stencils	.50
Lulu H. Saucer, Headlite heater	10.50
Alfred G. Adolphs, labor	49.00
Hall Bros. Hdwe. Co., step ladder	6.50
Roy Dibble, labor	1.50
E. H. Draper, repair on water wheel	21.50
Waterworks Fund.	
Crane & Ordway Co., hydrant repairs	39.00
L. W. Ward, watermains	110.00

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved May 29, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Order.

State of Minnesota, Pennington County, ss. In District Court. Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the dissolution on Petition of Corporation of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Building Company, a corporation.

Order.

In the above entitled matter, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided; and upon the presentation of a petition therefore first having been duly made to this court therefore, this court hereby fixes the 29th day of June, 1920, at Ten o'clock A. M., at the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as the time and the place for the hearing thereon, and it is further ordered that three weeks published notice thereof be given by the publication of a copy of this order, as notice to all parties interested, in said hearing and said matter, that this order be served by the publication thereof in the Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, published at Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, May 27th, 1920.

ANDREW GRINDELAND,
District Judge,
14th Judicial District of Minnesota.

j3-10-17

BANK NO. 1109.

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Incorporated.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 6th day of March, A. D., 1920, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That section Six and Four of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Section Four. The Government of this corporation and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a board ranging from five to twelve Directors, who shall be elected at the regular annual meeting of the stockholders to be held on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of January of each year between the hours of 10 A. M. and 8 P. M., of the said day. They shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Thief River Falls, on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1920.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal)

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. On this 9th day of March, 1920, before me appeared R. McGinn and L. A. Lampert, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the President and Cashier of Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Incorporated; that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation; that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public, Pennington Co., Minn.
My commission expires April 2, 1925.
(Notarial Seal)

State of Minnesota, Office of Superintendent of Banks, St. Paul, April 9th, 1920. This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Incorporated, in voting to increase the highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation shall be subject from Two Hundred Fifty Thousand dollars to Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars; and changing the number of Directors from seven to from five to Twelve, as provided for in the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

F. E. PEARSON,
Superintendent of Banks.
By G. H. SIVRIGHT,
Deputy Superintendent.
(Seal)

State of Minnesota, Department of State. I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1920 at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book H of State Bank Records, on page 663.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn. I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 14th day of April, A. D. 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in book "J" of Miscl., on page "S".

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
By Gladys G. Anderson,
Deputy.

m27-j3

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Ellen T. Hyrom.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Thirty-eight, Thirty-nine, Forty, Forty-one, Forty-two, Forty-three and Forty-four, Block Twenty-eight (Lots 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44, Block 28) in Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 14th day of May, 1917, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 14th day of March, 1917, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1915, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of One Hundred Dollars and Thirty-nine cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 25th day of October, 1918, for the sum of One Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Fifty-seven cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Fifty-seven cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $118.57 thereof from the 25th day of October, 1918, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 19th day of May, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
By AXEL RISBERG,
Deputy.

(Official Seal)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

m20-j3-11

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter A. or P. A. Ekstrom, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Mary Ekstrom, Carl Emil Ekstrom, Esther Anderson, Josie Lorentson, Cora Ekstrom, Mabel Ekstrom, Rose Ekstrom, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of June, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 14th day of May, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.

m-20-27-j3

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Helge Klemmetsen,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent, may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 28th day of August, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated May 22nd, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)

m27-j3-10

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

Office of the County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

To Hennerette Krumm.

You are hereby notified, that at a Tax Judgment Sale held on the 8th day of May, 1916, the following described parcel of land, situated in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lots 23, 24 and 25, Block 8, Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids, an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, was sold for the sum of Fifty-four and 19-100 Dollars; That the amount required to redeem said parcel, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Fifty Four and 19-100 Dollars, and interest as provided by law to the day such redemption is made; and that the tax certificate issued upon said sale has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and the time for redemption of said parcel from said sale will expire sixty days after the service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 12th day of May, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor of Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal)

m20-27-j3

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

To Louise Karnow.

You are hereby Notified, that the following described piece or parcel of land, situate in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots 18, 19 and 20, Block 8, Knox's Addition to Townsite of Red Lake Rapids an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, is now assessed in your name; that on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1916, at the sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 15th day of March, A. D., 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914 for the said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of One Hundred Thirteen and 25-100 Dollars, and the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the cost to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of One Hundred Thirteen and 25-100 Dollars, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said 8th day of May, A. D. 1916, to the day such redemption is made and interest on $52.[illegible] thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 5th day of February, 1917 to the day such redemption is made, and that the said tax certificate has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 12th day of May, A. D. 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor of Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Official Seal)

m20-27-j3

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Foreign Will.

Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Austin K. Hogenson, Andrew K. Hogenson, Kate Hogenson, Anna Hogenson, Anton K. Hogenson, Tom P. Hamre, Bessie K. Hamre, Bertha A. Hanson, Anna A. Nelson, Clara Hess, United Deaconess Hospital, Grafton, North Dakota, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said Decedent: The petition of Bessie K. Hamre, representing that Edwin K. Hogenson then a resident of the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, died on the 11th day of February, 1920, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the Probate Court in and for the County of Walsh, State of North Dakota, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters of administration with the Will annexed be thereon granted to T. P. Hamre.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in City of Thief River

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Madeline Giard and Joseph Giard, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated December 31, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on January 30, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 55 of mortgages on page 432, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and it being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of six hundred and sixty-seven dollars and thirty eight ($667.38), and the taxes for 1918 amounting to fifty three dollars and eighty nine cents ($53.89) paid by said mortgagee, making the total amount now due seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents ($721.27).

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots eleven (11), twelve (12), and thirteen (13) of block nine (9), in Knox's addition to Red Lake Rapids, now part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County,

will be sold by the sheriff of said County at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 29th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, to pay said debt and interest thereon and the taxes and an attorney's fee of fifty (50) dollars stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 1, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Fergus Falls,
Mortgagee.

N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

m13-20-27-j3-10-17

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

Unsight-Unseen is Gamble

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When you were a youngster, did you ever make a trade, "sight unseen?" Of course you did. What boy has not risked his jackknife or his choicest marble on such a proposition and how often has he repented of his rash deed when he discovered what he got in the trade? He generally found that the deal turned out to the advantage of the one who made the proposition.

There is a little of the gambling instinct in the blood of nearly every man, woman and child, but even the hardened gambler likes to get a "run for his money." The "sight unseen" proposition doesn't appeal to him in the least. There are thousands of people, however, who would be properly indignant if they were accused of being gamblers, who every day take a chance on the greatest gambling game in the world. And worse than that, they are risking their money on a "sight unseen" proposition.

When one of the thousands of persons who build up and keep up the great mail order houses of the country sends his money away to pay for some article that he has selected from the mail order catalogue, he is taking a chance on getting what he expects to get. The mail order house may be perfectly honest and still the purchaser stands a good chance of not getting what he expects to get. The mail order catalogues are filled with pictures that catch the eye. The descriptions are brief, as they must be when thousands of articles are to be described within the confines of one book. No matter how hard the mail order house might try to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth, it would be an impossibility. The buyer is simply taking a chance.

Buying "Sight Unseen."

How much more satisfactory it is to walk into a store in your home town and ask to see an article which you may have seen advertised in your home paper. What would anyone think of your business ability or your common sense if you walked into a store at home and said: "I saw a picture in the paper today of a suit which I liked very much. Please wrap up one for me. Here's the money." The merchant would think that you were crazy, but that is exactly what you do every time you send an order to a mail order house. You buy "sight unseen" and you haven't a ghost of a chance of getting your money back if the article is unsatisfactory when it reaches you.

How different is the proceeding when you go into the store in your own home town to buy a suit or clothes, or a stove or a yard of ribbon. You may have seen a picture of it in the merchant's advertisement in the home paper and you know that, as the merchant is reliable, you can count on the goods being as he represents them in his advertisement. But does he ask you to take his word for everything? Does he hide the article behind the counter and tell you that you can't even see it until you buy it and pay over the money for it? Hardly. If the article is not already in plain sight on the counter, the merchant produces it for your inspection. If it does not exactly suit you, he has others that are a little different and that he is glad to have you inspect.

Get Merchant's Guarantee.

Then, if it is a suit of clothes you are buying, or a piece of dress goods or a pair of socks, you may ask if the merchant will guarantee that it will wear as long as an article of that kind could be expected to wear and he will tell you either that he will guarantee it or that he will not. If he tells you that he will guarantee it you will know that you will get your money back or another suit or another pair of socks in its place if it doesn't wear like it should, for the merchant, besides being an honest man in most cases, cannot afford not to make his word good. He is dependent upon your business and that of others in his own community and he cannot afford to misrepresent his goods.

After having all this opportunity to see what you are buying, you take your suit or your stove or whatever it is you buy home or it is sent home for you without any delivery charges and after you get home and take another look at it and decide you don't want it after all, you send it back.

You are not buying something "sight unseen" when you buy from your home merchant. You don't look at a picture of an article in a newspaper, read a short description of it, go to the postoffice and buy a money order and send it to the merchant with the instructions, "send me a suit of clothes"—or a stove or whatever it may be—"and I'll pay your delivery man 50 cents for delivering it to me."

There is a world of difference in the two methods of doing business and it's not hard to figure out which is the best for the man who is doing the buying.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

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YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford-Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over. —CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

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WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

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THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side. —ANDREW BOTTELSON.

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TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

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WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

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WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries. —ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise, Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

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FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS.
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here. — HALL BROTHERS CO.

Appropriate Exercises at End of Term

Eighty-six Seniors Receive Diplomas and Bid Their Alma Mater Goodbye.

Auditorium Packed With Relatives and Friends of Graduating Class.

City's Possibilities as Educational Center Touched Upon by Supt. Ziegler.

A audience that tested the capacity of the auditorium gathered to witness the commencement day exercises for the senior class of the Thief River Falls high school on Friday evening. The spacious stage was crowded to make room for the 86 young men and women who on this occasion bid farewell to school life so far as Thief River Falls is concerned and closed four years of study with most appropriate ceremonies.

Two Salutatorians.

Rev. J. B. Smith delivered the invocation. The singing by the class under the direction of Miss Ella Evans, principal, was greatly enjoyed, particularly the number given by the octette. Misses Mollie Hermanson and Vivian Gabrielson were salutatorians, having exactly the same percentage standing in the class. The former voiced the appreciation of the seniors as a whole for the conscientious efforts in their behalf exerted by the teachers in particular and the public in general, while Miss Gabrielson spoke on the importance of thrift. Both addresses were well delivered while the subject matter was appropriate and of interest.

Changes are Coming.

W. D. Reeve, head of the college of education of the university of Minnesota, delivered the commencement address. The principal burden of his remarks went to show that the schools as at present conducted are not as efficient as they might be made and that a new order of things in matters educational is due to come within a very short time. The methods followed in school work at present are practically the same as when the republic was in its infancy, he said, and it is time something different were tried. Particularly did he assail the plan followed by placing a certain number of children in the same class just because they have attended school for the same length of time, regardless of their natural ability to learn. Mr. Reeve said that his idea would be to divide the students into three degrees, placing those particularly bright in one division, the large intermediate class of ordinary abilities in another, while those who find it hard to maintain the pace would be so placed that special attention could be paid to them and in this manner assist them in keeping up with the rest. Mr. Reeve's remarks, while not in line with what is generally expected in a commencement address, were perhaps all the more interesting on this account.

Keep Interest Alive.

Henry Stengelsen was valedictorian of his class. He spoke of obligations resting upon the students to make good now that the people and teachers have done so much for them. Stating that the only way in which the debt could be repaid was for each and every graduate to conduct him or herself in the future that their accomplishments would be a source of gratification and pride to their relatives, friends and neighbors, he hoped that they would strive to make the most of the opportunities presented. Particularly did he admonish them to become interested in the furtherance of education wherever their lot might be cast.

Dr. O. F. Mellby, president of the school board, after a short presentation address, distributed the diplomas. He said that he hoped the class members would particularly remember the admonition of the salutatorian and not allow their interest in education to drop merely because they themselves were about to take up the more serious problems of life, as on their shoulders must fall the responsibility of maintaining the standing of our schools in the future.

Supt. W. A. Ziegler, in closing, said great things were in store for Thief River Falls as an educational center, providing the people were alive to the value of their position. A junior college will without doubt be established in this section before long, he said, and the chances for the city's becoming the favored site were exceedingly good. He thanked the people of the district on behalf of the faculty for the hearty co-operation at all times extended and bespoke its continuance in the future.

—Trade at Home—

Francis Burns motored to Grand Forks on Friday. On his return trip he was accompanied by his sister, Miss Evangeline, who has been engaged in teaching in East Grand Forks and Mrs. Lucy Ures, who came for the purpose of attending the commencement exercises.

Miss Kathleen Ures left the first of the week for Grand Forks where she will reside with her mother. During the past winter she has made her home with her aunt, Mrs. V. McKinney, in order to remain with the class that was graduated from the local high school on Friday evening. It is Miss Ures' intention to enter the University of North Dakota next fall.

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Summer school opens soon. "Follow the SucceSSful" and write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D. for information.

Sure Death to Corns

"Gets-It" Makes 'Em Lose Their Grip and Lift Off Painlessly.

The first thing "Gets-It" does when it lands on a corn or callus is to snuff out the pain. Then it shrivels the corn or callus and loosens it.

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Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by J. P. Curtis, Lambert's Drug Store and Andrew Bottelson.

New Bureau Proves Value In One Year

Six-Reel Film on Subject Will be Shown Free at Princess Theatre.

State Agricultural Commission is Performing Great Work for Farmers.

Will Take Over Grading of Potatoes Where so Requested by Grower.

In the establishment of the separate Department of Agriculture, Minnesota, in 1919, took a forward step which is already redounding to the credit of the legislators responsible for the action, says George E. Akerson in the Minneapolis Tribune.

This department has now been operating about 15 months and the results are showing in a big way. With a practical farmer at its head, N. J. Holmberg of Renville, the department has accomplished many big things for the benefit of the agriculturists of Minnesota. J. H. Hay, formerly of Thief River Falls, is the assistant commissioner.

Under the statute, the commissioner of agriculture, the head of the department, is called upon to encourage and promote the development of agricultural industries, investigate marketing conditions affecting the marketing of farm products, and assist farmers, producers and consumers in the organization and management of co-operative enterprises and the co-*operative marketing of farm products* whenever the commissioner of agriculture determines that public necessity and public welfare requires such markets.

One of the important duties of the commissioner is to provide for a farm census at least once every two years and he may do so annually if deemed advisable. In this census, data in regard to the agricultural products of the state and industries is to be gathered.

The Department of Agriculture provides for the inspection and grading for the purpose of sale, of eggs, fruits, potatoes, vegetables and other farmer products not now provided for such as grain, hay, straw and livestock.

Grading of potatoes is one of the duties of the commissioner if he deems it advisable. This is something which potato growers of Minnesota have long demanded.

Problems of Farmers Solved.

One of the great evils farmers have complained of in the shipping of products of the farm to commission men and brokers has been the disputes arising as to the condition of the products upon arrival. Under the new law, any broker or commission merchant finding produce spoiled shall have an inspection made by an inspector of the Department of Agriculture unless the consignee waives such inspection.

The commissioner is also authorized to receive complaints against any parties dealing in, shipping or selling farm produce except hay, straw, grain and livestock which is already provided for under another state department. He has full authority to make complete investigations of these complaints. If he finds that state laws have been violated he is authorized to institute court actions in the name of the state.

Scientific tests of samples of wheat gathered from all parts of the state as early in a crop year as possible are provided for under the new law. The Department of Agriculture, with its manifold functions, is destined to prove a boon to the farmers of Minnesota.

Co-operative Code.

At the same time that the bill creating the new Department of Agriculture became a law, the Legislature passed several bills having to do with co-operative organizations. The farmers of Minnesota, in many sections, have formed co-operative enterprises. The Minnesota co-operative code is a model of its kind in the United States.

The passage of this co-operative code is just one more example that the farmers of Minnesota can get what they want and deserve from men having faith in the Republican form of government under which the state now operates.

—Trade at Home—

Notice of Hearing.

Final hearing in the matter of the construction of a road running north and south through North township and the discontinuing of what is known as the Long bridge will be held at the Commercial club rooms in Thief River Falls at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, June 15, 1920, at which time arguments for and against said proposition will be considered by the township board.

By order of the Board,
J 3-10 T. H. BJERKE,
Town Clerk.

—Trade at Home—

KARLSTAD AIMS FOR PLACE ON SPORT MAP

Big Wrestling Match Will be Staged in That Village on June 9.

Cal Farley, of Humbolt, champion wrestler of the American expeditionary forces and Henry Kolln, of Greenbush, winner of more than 50 matches with men of his class the past two years, were at Karlstad Saturday and signed contracts for a match to be held at Karlstad June 19, says the Karlstad Advocate.

The match has been in the making the past six months, Kolln wanting to meet the champion. Farley has agreed to meet him provided Kolln will make the weight of 148 pounds and Kolln has signed the contract to make that weight on June 19 or forfeit $200 which has been placed on deposit in the State Bank of Karlstad.

This will be one wrestling match that will be absolutely on the square. Both parties have deposited $300 as a guarantee to appear and wrestle. So far there is over $4000 involved in the deal. Farley's backers having deposited at Karlstad $1500 which has been covered by Kolln's followers.

The match will be staged by the Karlstad Athletic club, who will build an open air ring with plenty of seating capacity and they have deposited a purse of $500 of which $400 goes to the winner of the match and $100 to the loser.

Farley is known all over the United States, pictures and writeups appearing some time ago in all the leading dailies of him as the winner of the A. E. F. championship.

Kolln has been wrestling the past two years, here, in Iowa and North Dakota, and has never lost a match, often wrestling men much heavier than he is. It is expected that Jimmy Potts, well known boxer and wrestler of Minneapolis, will referee the match.

—Trade at Home—

POTATO MEN ENDORSE LAKE-OCEAN PROJECT

Believe it Would Mean Lower Transportation Charges on Their Product.

The board of directors of the Minnesota Potato Exchange held a meeting at Minneapolis last Friday and Saturday and adopted the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, The State of Minnesota during the year 1919 raised 30,000,000 bushels of potatoes, the greater amount of which is shipped to eastern markets; and

WHEREAS, The production of potatoes in Minnesota is yet in its infancy; and

WHEREAS, The potato growers in Minnesota are deeply interested in transportation facilities and in a reduction of transportation:

THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the members of the Board of Directors of the Minnesota Potato Exchange at their meeting held at Minneapolis, May 28, 1920, that legislation be enacted by the congress of the United States, and sufficient appropriations be made to open up navigation from Duluth to the Atlantic ocean by way of the Great Lakes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Great Lake-St. Lawrence Tidewater association at Duluth.

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Stock Reducing Sale

Due to the fact that the new store building we have secured is somewhat smaller than where we have been located for the past nine months we must reduce our present stock. Our temporary location is one door west of our recent place—just beyond the post office.

Special Two Day BARGAINS

Will be offered the public during June and July. Do not fail to watch the display windows and the bargain tables in the store. The price of paper is still climbing so here is your chance to save.

Laird's Specialty Shop

The Lesson of Experience

We warned you last year of the difficulty sure to be encountered if you did not order your coal early in the season. You found that we are right.

AGAIN WE URGE YOU TO BUY COAL NOW

We are taking orders and filling them just as fast as the supplies arrive. A large number of people in this neighborhood have already told us to take care of them as soon as possible and these will be protected when the shortage comes. IT IS SURE TO COME.

DO NOT WAIT FOR LOWER PRICES

There will be no such thing. On the contrary, the nearer we approach to winter the higher coal prices are liable to go. Those who took our word last year found that we were right. You will find the same thing if you order today.

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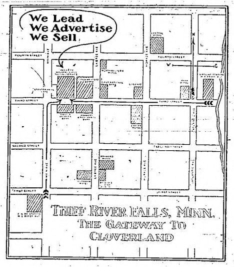

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Instant Death Meted Out by Thunderbolt

Asbjorn Stenberg is Killed While Seated at Table Tuesday Afternoon.

Death-Dealing Messenger Followed Telephone Wire Into House.

Deceased Leaves Family of Grown-up Children—Long in County.

Asbjorn Stenberg, 53 years of age, was instantly killed by lightning while seated at a table in his home at the east end of Bridge street during the electric storm which passed over this section on Tuesday afternoon.

The Stenberg family had just finished supper and most of the members had left the table. The father and one son remained behind, retaining their seats. The senior Stenberg was seated directly under the telephone instrument, which fact is *no doubt responsible* for his receiving the full force of the shock. He toppled over and was dead before anyone reached his side.

Entire Family Stunned.

None of the others were injured in any way but all were more or less stunned. As soon as they could gather their senses, Dr. A. J. Paulson, deputy coroner, was notified. He gave it as his opinion that death had been instantaneous. No mark of any kind was found on the body.

Deceased leaves besides his wife a family of five grown children. They are Arthur, Alfred, Martin, Otto and Inga, all residents of Thief River Falls. The funeral will probably take place on Friday, although no definite arrangements have yet been made.

The deceased was born in Norway and settled in Norman county upon coming to this country. The family has lived in Pennington county for the past ten years, six of which were spent on a farm near St. Hilaire. Since leaving the farm they have made Thief River Falls their home.

—Trade at Home—

HOME FOR NURSES AT SANATORIUM FAVORED

Commissioners From Three Counties Approve Plan of Institutional Board.

All the commissioners from Pennington county, a number from Marshall and Roseau counties and one who had been especially invited from Red Lake county, although the latter is not a unit in the Tri-County Hospital association, met with the sanatorium board yesterday afternoon for the purpose of inspecting the hospital and talking over matters pertaining to its welfare. The visitors were taken out to the institution and everything connected with it was explained to them. The need of a home for nurses was pointed out and the county representatives admitted the necessity without argument. A resolution will be presented to the respective boards at an early meeting providing for a tax levy of one mill for this purpose. This will insure in the neighborhood of $25,000, to which a similar amount will be added by the state. The total will be ample for the purpose intended.

Every representative present praised the work thus far done by the institution very highly and complimented the commission as well as Dr. G. M. Milan, the medical director, and the superintendent, Miss Karen Knudsen, on the record made.

—Trade at Home—

WOMEN VOTE IN FALL BUT NOT AT PRIMARIES

Attorney General Hilton Explains Law Relating to Right of Franchise.

The women's votes at the November election will be completely segregated pursuant to the state election law as interpreted by Attorney General Clifford L. Hilton in an opinion addressed today to the secretary of state. Women will not vote at the state primary election June 21 nor are they entitled to vote for candidates for state officers, the secretary said.

There will be separate registers for women voters, also separate presidential election ballots, boxes and tally sheets and the women vote will be made in separate return and canvassed apart from the male vote in the November vote under Mr. Hilton's direction.

"The secretary of state must furnish separate presidential ballots for women," says the attorney general's opinion with reference to the 1919 law which permits women possessing male qualifications as male voters to vote the same as men for the presidential electors. "The presidential ticket for male voters will appear on white ballots immediately preceeding the state ballot. The women are not entitled to vote for candidates for state offices and it would be misleading and confusing to present them with ballots containing the names of candidates for whom they were not entitled to vote."

—Trade at Home—

Ask Injunction Against Further Ditch Contracts

Attorney H. O. Chommie, representing K. K. Austin, Stephen Singer and Albert Hanson, who in turn are acting for a number of farmers affected by the decision to repair ditches No. 39, 45 and 53, this week applied to the court for an injunction restraining the county commissioners from letting the jobs. The order is returnable before Judge Grindeland at Warren on June 19.

The petitioners claim that the cost of doing the proposed work would be from 25 to 145 per cent of the cost of originally digging the ditches and that the benefits do not warrant any such outlay.

—Trade at Home—

Visitor Breaks Arm.

A. Anderson of Crookston, father of Mrs. W. H. Akre, who had been here on a visit, is at the Physicians hospital with a badly broken arm. He started from the Akre home yesterday morning to catch the westbound train on the Soo. When at the corner of Duluth avenue and Sixth street he fell and in trying to throw out his arm to protect himself he fell on it with the result that it was broken at the wrist.

—Trade at Home—

Building Permits Issued.

The city council has granted permits to George Werstlein for the repair of his residence at 610 LaBree avenue north at a cost of $1200. A basement is being dug and sewer and water mains will be laid.

Andrew Ness was granted a permit to repair his building on Riverside boulevard at a cost of $1000.

—Trade at Home—

LOCAL BUTTERMAKER GOES TO N. D. PLANT

Lars Haselrud Leaves in Short Time to Assume New Position.

An important change will soon take place at the Thief River Falls cooperative creamery. Lars Haselrud, for years buttermaker at the plant, has resigned his position and will shortly leave for Werner, North Dakota, for the purpose of taking charge of one of the state-owned creameries soon to be put in operation. Werner is located a short distance from Bismarck.

Mr. Haselrud has given the very best of satisfaction to both patrons and stockholders of the creamery during his employment here and makes the change only because he is offered considerable more salary as a state employe. He is a fine business man as well as buttermaker and stands high in the estimation of every person with whom he has come in contact while a resident of the city.

North Dakota is planning on operating 10 or 12 creameries and the one at Werner will be the first one to get under way.

A successor to the retiring buttermaker has already been selected in the person of Harold Olson, at the present time connected with the Bridgeman & Russell branch at Grand Forks. He is said to be a man who understands his business thoroughly and comes with the highest recommendations.

—Trade at Home—

ATTACKS ON LEAGUE LEADS TO HECKLING

Sound Government Speaker Plied With Questions by Large Crowd.

Whoever is responsible for the sending out of the "Sound Government" speakers who are now touring the state and addressing the people in opposition to Nonpartisan league candidates and principles would have served their cause better if they had kept the speakers at home. Such at any rate is the general impression in Thief River Falls after hearing one of them speak his piece.

O. N. Verenius spoke to a good sized audience at the Princess theatre on Tuesday evening, supplementing his remarks by moving pictures. The movies purported to show just how Townley operates in pulling the wool over the eyes of farmers, but the exhibition failed to bring forth any enthusiasm on the part of an audience made up in about equal parts of city people and farmers. The statements made were generally of such nature as to make the hearer angry, particularly if he happened to be a supporter of the league program, while even those who in no way agree with Townley or the party of which he is the head admit that a great deal of what was said and shown was in poor taste, failed to be convincing and did no good whatever. Mr. Verenius was asked innumerable questions by those in the audience and his answers were not always satisfactory. That he was out of sympathy with the majority of his hearers was early apparent and he would have done better to quit before presenting his pictures.

G. C. Selvig, superintendent of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, who was in the city attending the picnic and sale of the Valley Guernsey breeders, spoke briefly while the audience waited for the principal orator to put in an appearance. Mr. Selvig devoted his time to making an appeal for better farming and more livestock. He is a fine fluent talker and what he had to say was received with every mark of approval.

—Trade at Home—

Delegates to be Given Auto Rides Next Sunday

President George S. Streeter of the Pennington County Automobile club requests all members and other auto owners to be at the commercial club rooms at 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon for the purpose of taking out such of the Lutheran Free church delegates for spins through the surrounding country as may wish to go. Many of these people have come a long way and it will be well worth our while to see that they have a good time, and receive a favorable impression of this section of the state. An auto ride covering an hour or two will be a mighty welcome change from attendance at meetings and listening to committee reports.

—Trade at Home—

Provide Beauty Spot.

A committee of ladies has during the past week planted flowers in the bed started last year along the south side of the auditorium. This little strip of color in the center of the city was greatly admired last summer and bids fair to be even more beautiful the present season.

Decision on Injunction is Postponed

Judge Grindeland Declines to Hear Arguments Until After June 19.

Will Give Supreme Court Time to Reach Decision in Warren Appeal.

Matter of Special Attorney's Fee Also to be Taken Up on Same Date.

The motion for a restraining order enjoining the city of Thief River Falls from proceeding with the paving of its business streets was scheduled to come up for hearing before Judge Grindeland at Warren on Tuesday. City Attorney H. O. Chommie appeared on behalf of the city and Theo. Quale represented the petitioners. Mayor John Bratrud was also present to assist in looking after the city's interests, while Olaf Rumstad and M. V. Evenson were the only *signers of the petition for an injunction* who were present.

Matter is Postponed.

Judge Grindeland stated that inasmuch as a case brought in the city of Warren and covering practically the same ground is now pending before the supreme court, he considered it useless to render a decision in the Thief River Falls case. It is understood that the supreme court will render its decision on Friday, June 18, and that this will practically dispose of the matter for both municipalities. Should the court hold that the city council is not authorized by the law of 1919 to issue bonds without submitting the matter to a vote of the people it will hold up paving proceedings in many Minnesota cities and towns until special elections can be held. If, on the other hand, the higher court finds that the law empowers city governments to engage upon this kind of undertaking without further authorization it will in all probability mean that work will at once be resumed. The objection raised as to streets of the city being at the present time unfit for the laying of pavement, this is not considered a matter for judicial interpretation.

Special Attorney's Salary.

The injunction brought to prevent the payment of $140 as special attorney's fees to E. M. Stanton will also come up on the same date. The council allowed this bill but its payment was stopped by a temporary injunction.

—Trade at Home—

Resumes Business.

The Brumund hotel dining room, which has been closed during the past two weeks while workmen were repairing and redecorating the place, was on Tuesday morning reopened for business. The appearance of the room has been greatly improved and it now presents an even more inviting appearance than was the case formerly. Mr. Brumund found that closing the eating department of his hotel was not a popular move with the trade and hastened the completion of the renovating work more on this account than would otherwise have been the case.

—Trade at Home—

CLEARWATER COUNTY MAN SHOOTS FATHER

Jess Porter, 27, Holds Gun to Elder Man's Head and Fires.

While the family were enjoying the Sunday afternoon at home near Ebro in Clearwater county, Jesse Porter, age 27, took a shot gun and holding it within six inches from his father's head, pulled the trigger and literally blew the top off.

After firing the shot, he took his knife and slashed the body, leaving it in a horribly mangled condition. The young wife of the father, Mrs. Scott Porter, rushed from the room. It was then that young Porter barred the door and did the slashing.

He was taken to Bemidji on the train yesterday noon by E. D. Barnes, sheriff of Clearwater county, and lodged in the county jail.

Porter admitted killing his father, when questioned by deputy sheriff O. M. Skinvik and when asked why, he said: "I had a talk with my father Saturday morning and he said something which hurt my feelings very much. This is not the first time he has hurt my feelings."

The nature of the conversation was not disclosed by Porter.

Sheriff Barnes states that as soon as he had committed the crime, Porter made his get-away, and that he was caught at Pine Bend, Mahnomen county, about 10 o'clock Sunday night.

—Trade at Home—

LAST HOPE OF WETS SHATTERED BY COURT

Supreme Tribunal Upholds Prohibition and Enforcement Acts in Entirety.

Both the federal prohibition amendment and the enforcement act, passed by congress, were held constitutional on Monday of the United States by the supreme court.

Injunctions restraining prohibition officials from interfering with the Manitowoc Products company, a Wisconsin corporation in the manufacture of beer containing more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol were dissolved by the court.

The court upheld federal court decrees dismissing proceedings brought to enjoin the prohibition amendment from being enforced against Christian Feigenspan, a brewer of Newark, N. J.

The court also dismissed injunction proceedings brought by the state of New Jersey to prevent enforcement of prohibition within that state.

The court dismissed the petition filed by the state of Rhode Island to have federal officials enjoined from enforcing prohibition in that state.

Federal court decrees denying similar injunctions sought by the St. Louis Brewing association likewise were affirmed.

The court's opinion was very short, setting forth only the court's conclusions. The court's opinion on the main issues involved was unanimous. Associate Justices McKenna and Clark, however, dissented in part.

Permission to file motions asking for a rehearing of the cases was given by the court, at the request of the attorneys in the various prohibition cases.

—Trade at Home—

Base Ball Game Sunday.

The Thief River Falls base ball team will play Red Lake Falls on the grounds here next Sunday. This will be the first opportunity our people have had of seeing the outfit perform since a number of changes were made in the lineup and there is considerable interest in anticipating just what kind of a game they will put up. The team was to have played Grygla in that town last Sunday but rain prevented the game.

—Trade at Home—

Future Dark For Leaders at Chicago

Latest Report is That Johnson and Lowden Are Both Eliminated.

Wood Has Largest Number of Delegates But Far From Nomination.

Knox and Johnson Combination is Hinted at as a Solution.

The Republican national convention has been in session at Chicago since Tuesday morning but might as well have started today as far as any indication of what is going to happen is concerned. No convention in recent years has been so completely in the air.

Wood, Johnson and Lowden.

The three leaders are probably out of it entirely. General Wood is the only one who seems able to hold what he came to Chicago with and it is freely predicted that after a few ballots his support will dwindle. Senator Johnson, while perhaps the most spectacular figure at the convention, cannot be nominated; the Old Guard refusing absolutely to have him considered. Disclosures of the use of money by the Lowden managers in Missouri has hurt the Illinois governor and the convention seems to be shying away from him.

A New Combination.

Reports this morning are to the effect that there may be a combination formed whereby the presidential nomination will go to Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania, with Senator Johnson as his running mate. The latter has repeatedly said that he will not form the tail of the kite, but even the fact that such rumors secure a foothold goes to show that the situation is pretty much at sea.

Hoover Not Mentioned.

One surprising thing about the convention so far is the small amount of noise made by the Hoover men. There are those who profess to see clever politics in this, believing that the Hooverites are satisfied to let the others tire themselves out and then to spring their candidate with a rush.

Dark horses are looming up everywhere but the one with the most promising following is Governor Sproul of Pennsylvania. Newspaper men on the ground say they would not be surprised to see the convention turning to him if there is prospect of a long fight.

Governor Henry Allen of Kansas is another who is standing directly in the path of the lightning.

It is not likely that the balloting will be begun until tomorrow morning and the best judges say there is very slight possibility of a selection being made before Saturday.

—Trade at Home—

CITY PAYS RESPECTS TO SOLDIER'S REMAINS

Edward Lund Buried Sunday With Military Honors. First to Arrive Here.

The body of the first soldier to be exhumed in Europe for return to Pennington county was laid to rest in the plot set aside for the purpose in Greenwood cemetery on Sunday. The remains arrived over the Soo in the morning and the services were held in the afternoon.

The auditorium was crowded with people wishing to pay their last respects to one who lost his life while in the service of his country, even though he did not reach the actual battlefield. Lund died while in training camp at Ramsey, England, on Oct. 12, 1918, and was buried in Westminster cemetery.

Rev. I. T. Aastad of Trinity Lutheran church delivered the funeral sermon, and H. O. Chommie spoke on behalf of the American Legion. Both addresses were of a fine patriotic order and brought home again to many a realization of the sacrifices made by those who went out to offer themselves for their country when the call came.

Preceded by a firing squad the casket was taken to the cemetery where a volley was fired as the grave received the remains, taps sounded and the Lutheran burial service read.

—Trade at Home—

Bought Needed Equipment.

A new cellar nozzle and a smoke helmet has been ordered for the fire department. These are articles that may at any time be badly needed and will be found a good investment.

Many Arrive For Meet of Free Church

Sessions Begun With Three Meetings Yesterday at Auditorium and Church.

Annual Election of Officers Will Take Place at This Afternoon's Session.

Young Peoples' Rally and English Conference at Trinity Church

The twenty-fourth annual session of the Lutheran Free Church of America began its deliberations at the auditorium in this city yesterday morning with an opening sermon by Rev. E. E. Gynild. A considerable number of the delegates had not arrived in time to take part in the opening ceremonies but they kept arriving from all directions during the day and it is expected that this morning practically every accredited delegate as well as a large number of persons interested in the work of the church will be on hand. Those in a position to know state that the replies to notices sent out indicate that the attendance will be the largest in the history of the church, it being expected that in the neighborhood of 2000 will be on hand before evening.

After the sermon by Rev. Gynild there was a short business meeting for the purpose of deciding upon the time for the different sessions and the naming of certain committees.

Last evening church services were held with addresses by Rev. E. O. Larson and Rev. Arevik.

Today's Program.

This forenoon will be given over to reports by chairmen of the different permanent committees. These will be continued as long as necessary during the afternoon, after which the annual election of officers will be held. In the evening there will be discussion, the topic being Eph. 6, 10-20, with Rev. Lillehei leading.

Friday all day will be taken up in general discussions and these will be continued throughout the evening. There will also be a meeting of the pension association in Trinity Lutheran church. The congregation of the latter church has tendered the visitors the use of the building, which is the largest of its kind in the city and best adapted to the purpose.

There will also be meetings during the day of the Woman's Missionary society, special programs having been arranged for these sessions.

Grand Concert Saturday.

Saturday morning there will be a meeting of the English conference. The unfinished business of the Bible school committee for the previous year will at this time come up for discussion, after which committee designations will be made.

In the evening there will be a grand concert at the auditorium by the Ladies' Choir of Oak Grove seminary, Fargo. This is one of the most famous women's singing societies in the West and presents a program of religious music such as is seldom heard. Most of the songs presented will be in English with only a number or two in the Norwegian language. An admission fee of 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children will be charged.

Services on Sunday.

Services with Lord's Supper at 9 o'clock. At 10:30 o'clock Rev. Elias Pedersen will make a short address after which the regular sermon will be preached by Rev. Ytrehus. An offering for the home missions will be taken up.

In the afternoon there will be ordination of pastors if any candidates appear. This may be changed to a foreign missions meeting with sermon by Rev. Dyrnes. The evening will be given over to a general meeting of the young people.

The Closing Day.

Monday will be devoted to committee appointments and the instructions for the newly appointed committee members. In the evening there will be an address on the subject of "Mission Work in the Larger Cities," by Rev. Tollefson. "Christian Instruction," will be the subject of an address by Rev. O. Swenson.

Tuesday will see the committee appointments completed while the evening will be given over to addresses by a number of the pastors present.

Two Evening Meetings.

There will be two meetings each evening during the convention, Norwegian being the language used at the auditorium while English will be employed at the Trinity church meetings. The program arranged for the last named sessions is as follows:

Wednesday evening—Singing and devotions. "Whom Can Christ Save?" J. M. Halvorson; "God's Call," P. W. Erickson.

Thursday evening—Singing and devotions. Introduction of the topic, 30. 6, 10-20. I. Hovland, leader. Discussions and testimonials.

Friday evening—Singing and devotions. "Praying Christians," C. J. Nestvold; "Working Christians," C. E. Norberg; "Victorious Christians," L. Pederson.

Saturday morning—Business session of the English conference.

Sunday evening—Young Peoples' Rally. Singing and devotions. Addresses by O. H. Sletten and Claus Morgan.

Monday evening—Singing and devotions. "Servants of Christ," M. L. Hostager. "Increased Faith," A. Lien; "Full Consecration," J. S. Paulson.

Securing Sleeping Quarters.

Rev. George Larson, pastor of the local Lutheran Free church, and a committee have been working hard for weeks in order to have everything in readiness for the visitors. The problem of securing lodgings for such a large number was a vexing one but it was solved in a large measure by the offer of the school board to permit the use of the Central building for the purpose. Cots will be arranged in the halls and recitation rooms and a large number will be taken care of in this manner. Many citizens have also offered to give accommodations to such visitors as they can find room for and the general inclination on the part of everybody is to make the delegates most welcome and as comfortable as is possible.

—Trade at Home—

STORM UPSETS TIMES SPECIAL CONVENTION TELEGRAPH SERVICE

From now on there will be a greater interest in the telegrams received from the Republican convention at Chicago. The preliminaries are always rather lacking in exciting features but something lively may be expected to break.

The storm to the south of us on Tuesday afternoon put telegraph wires out of business and very little could be gotten thru yesterday. This morning everything is in fine shape, however, and the dispatches will be coming all day.

The Times office is the only place in the city where these dispatches are being received.

Good Prices Secured For Prize Cattle

First Annual Picnic and Sale of Valley Breeders Held Here on Tuesday.

Best Price, $350, is Paid For Six-Year-Old Cow—Heifer Brings $300.

Crowd Not Large But Good Time Was Had by All Who Were Present.

The first annual picnic and stock sale, held by the Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders' association at the farm of Albert Johnson on Wednesday, was very successful even though the attendance was not large nor the number of animals offered very imposing. Everybody present had a good time and as the outing was more for the purpose of getting acquainted than to break any selling records the aim was well accomplished.

Five Purebreds Sold.

Only five head were consigned but the quality of these was very high. L. Jensen of Clearbrook placed on sale a six-year-old cow for which $350 was paid by Stuart McLeod of Goodridge. Mr. Jensen also offered a young heifer which was secured by F. B. Conklin of Thief River Falls for $260. The latter in turn sold a yearling heifer to E. A. Uggen of McIntosh for $280, while a bull consigned by W. M. Bell of Thief River Falls was bid in for $115 by Eli Peterson of Hazel. Mr. Peterson also paid the highest price of the sale for a heifer, giving $300 for a splendid specimen consigned by Harry Woolson of Thief River Falls.

Two Good Addresses.

C. H. Eckles of the University of Minnesota gave a fine talk on dairy animals and complimented the breeders of the valley on the fine showing at their first sale. Supt. C. G. Selvig of Crookston also addressed the crowd and encouraged them to keep on with the good work they had started. Mr. Selvig pointed out the progress that has been made in the Red River valley during the last few years and prophesied that advancement would be much more rapid in the near future.

—Trade at Home—

SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF NORWAY TO PICNIC

District Outing Will be Held at Squaw Point on Sunday, June 20.

The annual picnic of the Sons and Daughters of Norway will be held at Squaw Point, Thief River Falls, on Sunday, June 20. For some years past this event has been celebrated at Maple Lake but by common consent the banks of Red Lake river will this year form the playground for the day.

If the weather is favorable will be present one of the largest gatherings ever seen in the city. Lodge members from Crookston, Twin Valley, Halstad, Grand Forks and other nearby cities will be on hand and the picnic will be of the kind that sticks in the memory.

There will be a number of speakers from out of town present and the local lodge will be represented in this division by H. O. Chommie. It is the intention to invite some of the best known men of Norwegian birth or descent in two states to be present and there is no doubt that many will accept. The complete program has not yet been announced but a committee is at work and it will appear in full next week.

—Trade at Home—

Bids For Construction of New School Called For

Architect Dunham was up from Minneapolis yesterday and submitted to the board the final plans for the new school building on the East Side. These were found satisfactory and the advertisement for bids for the construction will be found in another part of The Times today. The bids must be in the office of P. O. Myhrum on or before Wednesday, June 23. The plans may be secured from the

At Chicago Convention.

Daniel Shaw left Saturday night for Chicago as alternate delegate from the Ninth district to the Republican national convention. With the rest of the Minnesota delegation he expected to start from St. Paul Sunday night and arrive at Chicago on Monday morning. Quarters for the delegates had been secured in advance at the new Morrison hotel.

If the weather is of the regular June brand in Chicago attendance at the convention will be anything but a picnic.

All Is Ready For Picnic on Monday

Indications Are For Greatest Community Turnout in History of County.

J. H. Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Agriculture, Principal Speaker.

Program of Games the Best and Most Varied Ever Presented Here.

Practically everything is in readiness for the big Community picnic to be given at Squaw Point on Monday, June 14—Flag Day. The grounds have been fixed up, the sports arranged and the program of speeches and songs selected.

Without a question it will be the greatest event of its kind in the county's history. It will be the fourth picnic given under the auspices of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association and it is certain to be the best.

Three addresses will be delivered during the afternoon. J. H. Hay, for years a resident of the county and now assistant state commissioner of agriculture, will be the principal speaker—and there are none whom our people would rather hear. They figure Mr. Hay as one of themselves in spite of his having changed his place of residence and he in turn has never lost the warm spot in his heart for our citizens.

H. O. Chommie will speak for the women's organizations of the county, while Stuart McLeod of Goodridge will address the gathering for the farm bureau association.

The community singing will be in charge of Mrs. G. Halvorson and the men's chorus led by V. C. Noper.

After the close of the program there will be an athletic contest on the grounds with good prizes for the winners. A number of the races are listed below but more are being added. It is desired that the boys who wish to enter the canoe race leave their names with County Agent J. J. McCann on or before Saturday. Here is a list of the sports thus far decided upon:

Boys' pie eating contest, men's pie eating contest, dry cracker contest, boys' and girls' one-legged race, ladies' nail driving contest, boys' 100 yard dash, girls' 100 yard dash, potato race, three-legged race, sack race, boys' swimming race, canoe race, tug of war.

Committees have been appointed to look after the different features connected with this jollification and the crowd will be well taken care of. These committees are made up as follows, the first named in each case being the chairman: Sports, B. O. Norby, L. A. Lampert, Ben Rosenthal; refreshments, Fred Beerbower and Harry Woolson; finance, R. J. McKercher, I. A. Rolstad, R. Moran; program, V. C. Noper, Elev Aakre, F. A. Tripp; reception, W. J. LaBree, Fred Beerbower, J. W. Denhart, Mike McAndress, Morgan Vaughan, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. E. M. Schutt, Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. G. A. Penney; grounds, Eber Conklin, V. C. Noper, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Ferdinand Brown, Mrs. C. A. Nason, Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Jay Payne and George M. Gunderson.

—Trade at Home—

Red Wing Seminary Burned.

The Lutheran Ladies Seminary at Red Wing was completely destroyed by fire Monday night, with a loss estimated at approximately $250,000.

More than 150 students and visitors present for the commencement exercises were forced to flee in night attire. None were injured. The cause of the fire is not known. The building was insured for $100,000.

—Trade at Home—

Anti-Socialist Speaker to Appear Here on June 17

Mr. F. G. R. Gordon, secretary of the American Anti-Socialist League will address the people of Pennington county at the Auditorium in Thief River Falls Thursday evening, June 17th, at 8 o'clock.

He comes here from the state headquarters of the Minnesota Sound Government League under the auspices of the Pennington County Branch of that organization.

It is understood that the address will be one of a purely political nature and no admission will be charged.

—Trade at Home—

OPPOSE ANY CHANGE IN PRESENT HIGHWAY

Discontinuing Long Bridge is Also Meeting With Decided Objection.

When the proposition to discontinue what is known as the Long bridge and change the highway of which it forms a part comes up for consideration by the town board of North township on June 15, it is going to meet with strenuous and well-organized opposition. The past week has disclosed the fact that a large number of farmers in the township are going to fight the suggestion to the limit of their power and on a number of seemingly excellent grounds. A petition has been circulated in opposition to the one presented when the hearing was granted and it contains more than three times the number of signatures found on the original. Those signing this last petition maintain that the abandoning of the road would leave a number of families stranded entirely and that the discontinuance of the Long bridge would leave others without means of crossing the river except by making wide detours. It is claimed that 10 families now use the Long bridge regularly; that the new program would mean a large expenditure of money unnecessarily, and that a number of those signing the first petition did not thoroughly understand its purpose.

Society

Perdzock-Werstlein.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Bernard's Catholic church, Monday morning, June 7, at 9:30 o'clock, when Miss Elfa Rosella Werstlein of this city and Joseph Perdzock of Grand Rapids, Wis., were united in holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. Father Noesen officiating. They were attended by Miss Theresa Geifer, bridesmaid, and George Werstlein, brother of the bride, best man. The bride was prettily gowned in white organdie and wore a picture hat. She carried ophelia roses. The bridesmaid wore a dress of pale green organdie with hat to match and carried daisies. The church was beautifully decorated with bridal wreath and ferns. A sumptuous wedding dinner was served to relatives and immediate friends at the home of the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Perdzock left the same evening for a short wedding trip after which they will take up their residence in Grand Rapids, Wis., where the groom is auditor of the Northwestern Drainage Co. The newlyweds are highly esteemed and well known by local people and they have a host of friends who wish them all the joys of a happy wedded life. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Neth of Grand Forks, N. D.; Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Werstlein, Larimore, N. D. and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson, Middle River.

Hermanson-Standy.

On Saturday evening, June 5, Lawrence Hermanson and Miss Olga Standy surprised their many friends in this city when they were quietly married at the home of the former. The young couple were attended by Miss Belle Hermanson, sister of the groom, and Bert Ostvolden. Only the immediate relatives were present at the ceremony which was performed by Rev. I. T. Aastad. Immediately afterward the newlyweds left on the flyer for Mahnomen where they visited over Sunday with the bride's parents. Both bride and groom are well and favorably known in this city. The former is a popular young lady and for the past year has been employed in the office of Dr. G. W. Booren. The groom has spent practically all of his life in this vicinity and was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1915. At present he is employed as teller in the First and Peoples State bank. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Peterson-Dahlstrom.

The Dahlstrom home in Black River was the scene of a pretty wedding last Friday when Miss Lydia Dahlstrom became the bride of Martin J. Peterson of Hazel. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. O. J. Lundell, the bridal party entered, and beneath the large white wedding bell, Rev. Lundell of Thief River Falls performed the marriage ceremony in the presence of about fifty relatives and friends of the bride and groom. Miss Hattie Dahlstrom and Miss Lena Peterson acted as bridesmaids, while George Peterson and Elmer Dahlstrom attended the groom. The bride was attired in a gown of pussy-willow taffeta and georgette. She wore a veil, caught up with lilies of the valley. Her bridal bouquet was carnations and maiden hair fern. She wore a string of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were gowned alike, in pale blue crepe de chine, and wore corsage bouquets of pink carnations.

A bountiful three-course dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson will make their home on the groom's farm near Hazel, and have the best wishes of their many friends for a long and happy wedded life.

Hanson-Oftedahl.

On Friday afternoon, June 4, at the home of the bride on LaBree avenue, occurred the marriage of Olaf Hanson of St. Cloud and Miss Tillie Oftedahl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Oftedahl of this city. Rev. I. T. Aastad was the officiating minister, with Ole Johnson, cousin of the groom and Miss Jeanette Oftedahl, sister of the bride, the only attendants. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Miss Palma Langseth. The bride was beautifully gowned in a gown of blue georgette crepe over satin. The out-of-town guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones of Fargo, N. D.; Mrs. Jack Hawkins of Foam Lake, Sask.; Mrs. J. Hedstad of Badger and Ole Johnson of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson left on Monday morning for St. Cloud where they will reside. Mr. Hanson is manager of a department store in that city. Their many friends will wish them much joy and happiness in their journey through life.

—Trade at Home—

Entertain.

Mrs. G. W. Booren and Mrs. L. G. Larsen were delightful hostesses at a series of parties given at the home of the latter, on last Thursday and Friday. On the first afternoon whist was played at five tables. Mrs. Victoria McKinney was the winner of the first prize while Mrs. W. J. Brown carried the consolation prize. The second afternoon was devoted to auction bridge which was played at six tables. The first prize was awarded Mrs. H. W. Protzeller and Mrs. W. J. Brown held the lowest points. A delicious lunch was served at the conclusion of each afternoon.

Honoring Mrs. Ross.

In compliment to Mrs. J. C. Ross of Minneapolis, who is her guest, Mrs. R. H. Ross pleasantly entertained a few ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon. The hours were spent in playing bridge. A delicious lunch closed the afternoon. The guests included Mesdames J. C. Ross, Daniel Shaw, T. L. Melgaard, G. W. Booren, L. J. Larsen, E. M. Schutt, H. W. Protzeller, Montgomery, G. W. Connell, E. O. Mogensen and Miss Sarah Vaughn.

Entertain For Mrs. Weirus.

About thirty members of the Royal Neighbors and Rebekahs pleasantly surprised Mrs. Jos. Weirus at the home of Mrs. Hilson last Thursday evening. Mrs. Weirus left Saturday evening with her family for their new home at Fairfax, la. The hours were devoted to cards, music and conversation, and at midnight a sumptuous lunch was served, the latter being provided by the guests.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins were hosts at a six o'clock dinner party at their home on Saturday evening in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamberson of Warren. Covers were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mabey, Mrs. H. G. Hieber, Mrs. Parmley and Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

Honoring Miss Wilson.

On Tuesday evening at the home of the former, Misses Avis Akre and Meta Kiland entertained a few of the intimate friends of Miss Agnes Wilson whose marriage takes place this month. The hours were devoted to needlework and at midnight a delicious lunch was served. The guests included Misses Agnes Wilson, Irma Johnson, Blanche Johnson, Marie Nelson, Gena Granum, Grace Wilson, Florence Aalberg and Zella Zeh.

Parcel Shower.

Miss Emily Fossum entertained about thirty girls at her home Wednesday in honor of Miss Tillie Oftedahl whose marriage to Olaf Hanson of St. Cloud will take place on Friday. The event was a parcel shower. Miss Oftedahl was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. C. Johnson, 408 Main avenue north, on Friday afternoon, June 11. Come early prepared to work. Lunch will be served at 4 o'clock.

Missionary Society Meeting.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet at the farm home of P. B. Mallberg on Friday, June 11. Rev. Nelson of St. Hilaire will be present. All welcome.

—Trade at Home—

Lodge Notes

To Attend Convention.

J. L. Gasrow left Monday evening for Mankato as a delegate from Lone Pine lodge to the state meeting of Odd Fellows. Mrs. J. F. Farr and Mrs. F. C. Dablow left at the same time to attend the Rebekah convention, the former as delegate from Lion lodge of this city and Mrs. Dablow to act in her official capacity as grand chaplain of the state.

No Flag Day Exercises.

Monday, June 14, is Flag Day, an important event for all members of the Progressive and Benevolent Order of Elks. It will be impossible to hold the usual services in Thief River Falls this year for the reason that no hall is available. The auditorium will be used by those attending the Lutheran Free church convention and the Masonic hall has also been engaged. Besides this it is the day of the community picnic and it would be a hard matter to get people to turn out. It has therefore been decided to abandon the program prepared by a committee and await a more suitable time for the observance.

Initiation and Dance.

The Elks will hold another big initiation on the evening of Friday, June 18 at Masonic hall. There are about 25 candidates in waiting and there will be a big time. Out-of-town members are particularly invited to be present at this ceremony. There will be a reception and musicale at the auditorium beginning at 7:30 o'clock for the ladies, with cards for those who wish to pass the time in this manner. At the close of the initiation ceremony, which will begin at 7:30 promptly, the Elks will also betake themselves to the auditorium to put in the remainder of the evening at dancing. It will be one of the great parties of the season and all members are urged to be on hand.

Masons Finishing Up.

Northern Masonic lodge expects to complete its work for the summer in another week and will take a vacation during the hot months. The past season has been unusually busy, there having been special meetings with degree work every Monday evening for the past four months. Last Monday the third degree was conferred upon five candidates and next Monday the second will be given to another class. The officers hope to finish up during the present month with the candidates now on hand, after which there will be a recess until about Sept. 1.

Big Encampment Meeting.

Riverside Encampment No. 30, I. O. O. F., will hold a big initiation on the evening of Wednesday, June 30. Grand Patriarch J. V. Dexter of Detroit, with the degree team from that city, will be on hand to put on the work, there being some 35 candidates in waiting. This is the youngest lodge in the city but is growing very rapidly, a large part of the regular Odd Fellow membership having already taken the degree and more intending to do so within a short time.

Odd Fellows Work First.

The first degree was worked on a class by the Odd Fellows on Tuesday evening. This lodge has adopted the plan of putting on one degree each Tuesday night of the month, beginning with the initiatory and closing with the third.

—Trade at Home—

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barnckman, Pastor—June 13: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Last practice for Children's Day. Morning worship, 11 a. m., and evening worship at 8 p. m. Speakers are expected to be present from the Lutheran church which is holding an annual meeting in Thief River Falls. The Ladies Aid society and friends will be entertained by Mrs. H. C. Johnson, 408 Main Ave. N., on Friday, June 11, at 3 p. m.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m., subject: "God the Preserver of Man." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Methodist Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—A delegate to the Free church convention will preach in the Methodist church Sunday forenoon and evening. Sunday school at the usual hours. Epworth league meeting at 7 p. m.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Service Sunday the 13th at 11 a. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. No meeting in the afternoon and evening.

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K. C. Lodge Initiation.

Polk County Leader: The Knights of Columbus initiated a class of seventy candidates at their hall last Monday afternoon. Representatives from every Catholic community in northwestern Minnesota were present. Three degrees were conferred, the Winnipeg team assisting in the work. The day's program began with 8:30 Mass in the morning, all members of that order attending in a body. Following the initiation, an elaborate banquet was served by the ladies at 7:30 o'clock, there being in the neighborhood of five hundred guests. I. A. Hamel, of this city, acted as toastmaster. Among the prominent speakers were Right Reverend Bishop Timothy Corbett, T. A. Sullivan, of East Grand Forks, Fathers McNeil and McDonald and J. H. O'Conner, district deputy of Winnipeg. Following the speeches, vocal selections were given by Misses Desrochers and Ross R. Chesterman, which were heartily applauded. At half past ten, the Knights and their ladies were entertained at Fournet hall, where a social time was enjoyed. Music was furnished by Olson's orchestra.

COST OF THE TONNAGE TAX

Will Not Profit Minnesota but Will Kill the State's Iron Ore Industry.

The following article is a paid advertisement prepared and published by the Minnesota Fair Tax Association, an organization of the people of Minnesota whose aim is to save the state from the evils which will follow the enactment of a tonnage tax measure:

What the people of Northern Minnesota are trying to do is to talk with their neighbors and fellow-citizens of Southern Minnesota—to talk to them STRAIGHT, and without the use of mediums that confuse and distort and create mutual antipathies and misunderstandings.

The people of Northern Minnesota are trying to talk straight to the people of Southern Minnesota about the tonnage tax on iron ore—trying to talk WITH them—trying to talk it all over fairly and squarely.

In the past a high wall of misunderstanding has been built up because there was no effort to get the people of the two parts of the state to talking straight to each other.

So it was that a lot of people in Northern Minnesota got to talking as though the people in Southern Minnesota were a bunch of highbinders and highwaymen bent on ruining the people of the North.

So it was that a lot of people in Southern Minnesota got to talking as though the people in Northern Minnesota were a bunch of corporation tools who were trying to help the steel trust dodge their taxes.

It isn't so. Neither end of it is so. North and South, they are just people—the same kind of people, interested in the same sort of justice, helped by the same things and hurt by the same things. If tonnage tax is good, it will help Northern Minnesota at the same time that it helps Southern Minnesota. If tonnage tax is bad, it will hurt Southern Minnesota just as surely as it hurts Northern Minnesota—just as surely, if less vitally.

The Story of Tonnage Tax.

This is the story of the tonnage tax in Minnesota:

When the tonnage tax was first introduced in the 1907 legislature its primary purpose was to compel the manufacture of iron and steel in this state, and its secondary purpose was to compel the iron mining interests to pay their fair share of the expenses of the state government.

The first tonnage tax bill was for a tax of 25 cents a ton, 20 cents to be rebated on all iron smelted within the state; this shows the primary purpose of this proposed legislation. This being obviously an attempt to tax exports from the state, which the Federal Constitution forbids, this first measure was dropped, and the straight tonnage tax bill, followed later by a "supertax" bill, came in.

While the tonnage tax was pending in the 1907 legislature efforts theretofore made by Duluth citizens to induce the United States Steel Corporation to begin the manufacture of steel in this state were brought to a head, and when the bill was defeated, there was a promise from that company that a steel plant, to cost $6,000,000 to $7,000,000 would be built in Duluth.

Today there is in Duluth a great, up-to-date steel plant of the United States Steel corporation, costing $30,000,000 instead of the promised $6,000,000 or $7,000,000, and plans are drawn ready for immediate extensions costing $10,000,000 more.

Though happily the tonnage tax has failed, this aim of the original tonnage taxers has been met—to the great benefit of all Minnesota.

How about the taxes? In 1907 the total assessed valuation of all the iron mines of Minnesota was $64,486,409, on which the state in that year got a total of $179,272.

This year, 1920, the assessed valuation of the iron mines of Minnesota is $288,937,230—more than four times that of 1907—and the state's direct tax from this wealth will be $2,340,403—more than thirteen times that of 1907.

So the secondary purpose of the original tonnage taxers has also been met.

The tonnage tax agitation, therefore, has given the state a monster steel industry, and has compelled the iron interest to pay taxes on a just valuation multiplying the state's revenue from this source by twenty-two.

It has served both the purposes for which it was started. Why should it be continued, when the threat of it jeopardizes the creation of a great industry that cannot fail to benefit every part of the state?

Politics vs. Business.

The tonnage tax had served the purpose for which it was proposed. It had reached its climax, had dwindled, and had all but died—as it should, since its purposes had been served—when Townleyism, carpet-bagging from North Dakota, exhumed it as a vote-getting issue. This is proved by the history of the tonnage tax in the legislature.

The first tonnage tax bill was introduced in the 1907 legislature by Representative R. H. Jefferson of Cottonwood County. It provided for a tax of 25 cents per ton, 20 cents to be rebated on every ton smelted within the state. That being declared unconstitutional, a straight five-cent tonnage tax bill was offered by Representative Jefferson, joined by Representative H. O. Bjorgo, and was defeated.

But the issue came back still stronger in 1909, and the bill passed both branches of the legislature. But it was vetoed by the late Governor John A. Johnson in a ringing message which did so much to clear the public judgment on this measure that as an issue it began from that time to dwindle.

A tonnage tax bill was introduced in the 1911 legislature, but it was beaten in the house, never reaching the senate.

The bill was again introduced in the 1913 legislature, and again it was beaten in the house, this time even more decisively.

So far had this issue paled in public interest that in the 1915 session no tonnage tax bill was even introduced—the tonnage tax was dead; dead because it had served its purpose and because people had become convinced that it was wrong.

That seemed to be the end of the tonnage tax, which had threatened to divide the state into two hostile sections, and it WOULD have been the end of it if Townleyism had not come into the state.

In 1916 Townley, flushed with *triumph from his North Dakota* victories, reached out for Minnesota. Seeing a plausible vote-getter in the tonnage tax issue, Townley dug it up and made it one of the principal planks in the Nonpartisan platform. Nevertheless, it was defeated in the 1917 legislature and again in the regular session of 1919; but it was rushed through in a panic by the special session of September, 1919, and vetoed by Governor Burnquist.

It will be an issue in this campaign only because Townley has made it an issue.

Is Minnesota, having produced the results it sought with this issue and then dropped it, ready to risk deadly injury to the people of the entire state by adhering to this issue in order to help the carpet-bagger Townley pull political chestnuts out of the fire?

Facts Undisputed.

The people of Northern Minnesota, thru the Minnesota Fair Tax Association have conclusively proved the following pertinent facts and no attempt has been made by the proponents of the tonnage tax to disprove them:

That no state levies a tonnage tax.

That every state or country that has ever had a tonnage tax has abandoned it as unjust, unwise and unprofitable.

That the iron mines are now paying taxes on a higher valuation than any other form of property in the state, that they are paying a higher rate on this high valuation than is paid by any county in Southern Minnesota and that the total revenue of the STATE ALONE this year from the iron ore business is more than $5,000,000.

That the "steel trust" owns or controls only 32 of the 132 iron mines of the state, that it does not own or operate a single mine on the Cuyuna range, and that it does not control ONE-HALF OF ONE PER CENT of the iron ore known to exist in Minnesota.

That the Cuyuna range, Minnesota's newest iron range, a field of low grade ores, is languishing today because of excessive iron ore taxation and that any further mineral tax, no matter what its form, tonnage tax, profits tax or other super tax, will completely put it out of business—and this is a sample of what such penalizing taxes will do to all low grade iron ore development in Minnesota.

That Minnesota has only 1,400,000,000 tons of commercial ore, but that it has hundreds of billions of tons of low grade ore; that tonnage tax will kill the iron ore industry in Minnesota in the next 30 to 40 years, but that if the development of the state's low grade ore is encouraged iron mining in Minnesota will last for many CENTURIES.

That the iron ore industry brings the STATE ALONE this year over five million dollars in cash as well as an abounding prosperity that affects every portion of the state—a yearly cash payment and an annual prosperity which will continue unabated, and probably increase if the industry is encouraged, but which will cease entirely in a few decades if the tonnage tax prevails.

The issue today in Minnesota is whether we shall greedily grab a few millions each year for a few years while our high grade ore is being taken out or whether we shall bend our energies to developing our enormous deposits of low grade ore and so maintain Minnesota's supremacy in the iron ore industry for more than a thousand years. In our greed for ready cash shall we tear down the greatest iron ore business in the world, or shall we develop it to its utmost and continue the wonderful prosperity it brings the state practically forever?

"We want this tonnage tax money now. We want to spend it today. We don't care anything about the future," declared a tonnage tax advocate. If that is the way we manage the state's business and our own prosperity, we might, if we care nothing for justice, be for a tonnage tax, but if we do care for the future, if we want Minnesota's vast iron ore prosperity to continue and to increase for many centuries to come, then we ought to be against the tonnage tax with all our might.

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STICK TO THE OLD RELIABLE.

There are six candidates in the primaries for the nomination for congressman from the Ninth district of Minnesota—two under the Republican banner and four with the Democratic label. It is likely that the former are all the people need concern themselves over although to judge by the number seeking the Democratic nomination there must be those who believe they see a chance for whoever is selected by that party.

The Republican aspirants are Halver Steenerson and N. E. Thormodson. Mr. Steenerson has spent 18 years on the job and is conceded one of the biggest and ablest men on the Minnesota delegation, of which he is now the dean. He is chairman of the committee on postoffices and postroads, one of the most important in the lower house. His standing with the leaders of his party is high and his influence a factor to be reckoned with in any matter that comes up.

During the past two years Mr. Steenerson has been particularly busy with problems in which the people of Pennington county are interested. At the head of the list stands the improvement of the Red Lake river and the drainage project which forms the major portion of that program. For 16 years Mr. Steenerson has worked steadily toward bringing this great project up to the point it now has reached and the end of the present term sees success in sight. One of the very first things the new congress will take up, in all likelihood, is this matter of drainage for northwestern Minnesota. The subject is one of such far-reaching importance to the entire Northwest that it cannot longer be put aside. Mr. Steenerson's untiring work will at last be rewarded and his commanding position in the house will insure its favorable consideration.

Other matters of almost as great importance are on the program for early settlement. Mr. Steenerson has been on the job through all the different stages of their progress and knows just what there is left to be done in order to bring them to a successful conclusion. That they will have his whole interest until such time as he can report success is certain.

Is there any good reason for supplanting Mr. Steenerson with an untried man at this time? The next congress will without doubt be Republican. It will be controlled by the men who have been Mr. Steenerson's companions in the house for many years. Can the Ninth district afford to throw away the prestige this situation gives it?

There is perhaps nothing to be said against the men who are seeking the place held by Mr. Steenerson, either Republican or Democratic. As a matter of self-interest, however, can the people of the Ninth afford to make the change? It must be remembered that another man will have to go over the same path in order to reach the place now occupied by Mr. Steenerson and that it will take years to do so. Leaving everything else out of the consideration, is any man on either ticket so well equipped to serve the district during the next two years as is Mr. Steenerson? That is the only question to be answered by the voters.

During the past quarter of a century only three Minnesota congressmen have reached the chairmanship of a major committee in the house of representatives. Mr. Steenerson is one of these. Can the people of the district afford to throw away the prestige this insures?

OUR VISITORS THIS WEEK.

The people of Thief River Falls welcome the delegates to the Lutheran Free church annual convention and hope that their visit may be pleasant and profitable. It is one of the largest conventions to which Thief River Falls has ever acted as host and our facilities are being somewhat taxed. Everyone is anxious to do his utmost in order that there shall be no inconvenience, however, and with the visitors willing to accept things with allowances and the citizens anxious to put forth the best they have there should be little trouble in getting along.

Many of these people have come from long distances and to a large number this will be the first opportunity of seeing a north Minnesota city for any length of time. It is important that a good impression be made and there is no doubt but that every possible effort will be put forth to make it. It would be a fine thing to have 2,000 enthusiastic men and women scatter to all corners of the United States singing the praises of Thief River Falls and it will be our own fault if they do not do so.

The best we have in the larder and in the way of entertainment is none to good for such a delegation.

THE DEPORTATION PROGRAM.

It is probable that when all the strange proceedings of the past few years are viewed by persons who have had time to weigh their purpose and effect it will be found that the deportation program of the department of justice can least easily be explained. Having the support of practically every person in the country when first put into effect the plan has steadily dwindled in popularity until at the present time there are few who can find anything in it to defend.

The fuss made over a handful of cranks has been such as to give them exactly the advertising they wanted. The attitude of the government clothed them with an importance to which they were never entitled. These same people had been spouting the same kind of doctrine for half a century and nothing had come of it except in cases where forcible suppression had been attempted. So long as these warped and misguided propagandists were permitted to holler their heads off no well balanced person paid any attention to them. Now there are many who regard them as martyrs and believe that their deportation was due to the fact that they were telling the truth. Other governments have the same thing to contend with but it must be admitted that in most cases a more sensible policy is followed in combatting the trouble.

A recent writer in the New York Times, a paper that certainly cannot be accused of radical leanings, says that these deportations and "Compulsory Americanization" are an indication of the country's periodic attacks of Know-Nothingism. He incidentally ridicules the idea that our Near-Eastern, and particularly our Russian, emigration is in any manner dangerous to the safety of the country. Enforced Americanism, he says will prove of no value whatever. It takes time to make a good American out of a certain class of Europeans and the job cannot be hurried. He is of the opinion that the Americanization of the foreigner can only be wisely and safely accomplished if the process is spread over a period of about three generations.

However that may be it is certain that one cannot deport an idea nor imprison a principle. These propagandists and spouters are misguided but most people will have a stronger faith in the stability of American ideals and purposes than to think that anything they can do or say will upset our institutions or imperil the Republic.

A FINE EXAMPLE.

William M. Wood, head of the American Woolen company, known also as the woolen trust, has been indicted on 11 counts for profiteering. The concern is said to have made a profit of $15,000,000 in six and a half months on a capitalization of $6,000,000. This would indicate that the investigators did not unearth all the facts, the complaint claiming only that a profit of 35 per cent was made on certain transactions.

But what will make the ordinary American most disgusted in connection with this case is the attitude of this same man Wood toward those whom he himself assailed as profiteers only a short time ago. It will be remembered that as boss of the city of Lawrence, Mass., where many of the company's mills are located, Wood issued an ultimatum to the retailers stating that unless they cut their prices he would open retail stores, sell necessities at cost and drive them out of business. He was going to stop the crime of charging a cent more than was necessary for a pound of butter or a loaf of bread while his own concern was gouging the American people to the tune of 250 per cent, *if* the report of the government investigators is to be believed.

To add to the feeling of general good will toward Mr. Wood and his company the records show that the mills over which he has control have been idle five and one-half months during the past year because its operators were on strike for an advance in wages. This is nothing unusual, there being but few concerns in this country having had a greater amount of trouble with its employes.

Mr. Wood is not the kind of American that can be pointed to with pride these times.

THE LAST APPEAL.

The supreme court of the United States has decided that both the federal prohibition amendment and the enforcement act are constitutional and all avenues of appeal on the part of those who were trying to find a loophole through which to escape their application have been closed. All injunction proceedings were dismissed and the verdict is that one-half of one per cent alcohol is the limit that any beverage may contain.

The decision was expected and will be accepted without much objection so far as its general intention is concerned. The prohibition act itself is all right but some of the methods employed for its enforcement are proving unpopular. There is decided objection to having an army of men on the government payroll whose sole duty seems to be the preventing of making dandelion wine. They cost too much for the amount of good they accomplish. If the thing goes much farther we may soon expect to see official inspectors of mince pies and our jails full of housewives whose winter supplies of preserves unexpectedly develop a kick.

There is a suspicion that there is a plan on foot to see just how ridiculous and irksome the proceedings can be made in the hope that the people will get mad enough to demand a sensible enforcement of the prohibition act. Very few persons will wish for the return of the American saloon and its abolishment is perhaps the best thing that has ever happened to the country, but a little judgment in the carrying out of the new law will be welcomed.

GO THERE YOURSELF.

Do not permit yourself to get so busy that you will have to depend upon a neighbor's version of what happened at the community picnic. Be there yourself. It is your picnic as much as anybody's. The things that will there take place concern you as much as they do the man across the road or in another section of the county. Let nothing keep you away. The family needs the outing.

The picnic at Squaw Point on Monday is going to be the biggest thing of its kind ever pulled off in Pennington county. So many matters of interest to every man and woman will be discussed that any person who fails to be there will be missing something of real value. Arrangements have been made for providing the children with all the wholesome fun they can stand. There will be something of interest doing every minute and anyone not present will have cause to regret it for a long time.

The Crookston Press has been sold by Egley & Crawford and the name of the paper changed to the Polk County Leader. The purchaser is a corporation made up of some 500 Polk county farmers and the paper will espouse the principles of the Nonpartisan League and support the candidates of that organization for office. It is understood that the Leader will be a semi-weekly, for the present at least.

How Farm Bureaus Help.

(Minneapolis Journal)

The county farm bureaus are adding remarkably to the agricultural efficiency of this Northwest by the promotion of co-operation among farmers in the production and sale of livestock and livestock products.

For example, in South Dakota, these bureaus have organized a hundred and twenty breeders' associations, mostly county-wide, and a hundred and fourteen livestock shippers' associations. Seventeen counties were induced to pool their output of wool, and thereby made a saving of twenty-five thousands dollars. The shippers' associations saved to the farmers of the state in 1919 more than a million dollars.

This co-operation is not only a matter of trade but of education in farm methods. A survey of the State showed that but one-fourth of the sires in cattle herds are desirable purebred stock. It showed also that in an average herd of twenty grade cows the use of a purebred sire adds an annual profit of $4.50. At this rate the saving to the whole State by the use of such superior sires would be more than twenty million dollars annually.

One instance is noted of a farmer who shipped five fat steers to the Omaha market, from five grade cows of equal merit. Two of the steers were sired by a scrub and three by a purebred. The latter sold for $147.80 each, the former for $95.05. Probably the poorer two were produced at a loss.

Boys and girls' livestock clubs are fostered by the bureaus. More than twenty-five hundred purebred sows are owned by these junior farmers. Last year 1,109 boys and girls of South Dakota made a profit of $335,618 on pigs. The best record was made by a girl who in 1919 marketed $2,425 worth of pigs from one Poland China sow.

This work of the bureaus is not alone interesting. The margins between cost and income in haphazard farming have now grown so narrow, that some such general spread of farm education and such co-operative work must be done to keep the balance of the farm business on the right side of the ledger.

—Trade at Home—

Advocates City Commission.

The city council at Grand Forks on Monday considered petitions recently circulated, which were filed May 24, asking that it submit to the voters the question of adopting a city commission form of government.

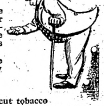

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Cookies
¾ cup shortening
1 cup sugar
¼ cup milk
2 eggs
¼ teaspoon grated nutmeg
1 teaspoon vanilla extract or grated rind of 1 lemon
4 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

Cream shortening and sugar together; add milk to beaten eggs and beat again; add slowly to creamed shortening and sugar; add nutmeg and flavoring; add 2 cups flour sifted with baking powder; add enough more flour to make stiff dough. Roll out very thin on floured board; cut with cookie cutter, sprinkle with sugar, or put a raisin or a piece of English walnut in the center of each. Bake about 12 minutes in hot oven.

Cocoa Drop Cakes
4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
1 egg
¾ cup milk
1½ cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
½ cup cocoa
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Cream shortening; add sugar and well-beaten egg; beat well and add milk slowly; sift flour, baking powder, salt and cocoa into mixture; stir until smooth, add vanilla. Put one tablespoon of batter into each greased muffin tin and bake in moderate oven about 20 minutes. Cover with boiled icing.

Orange Cakes
4 tablespoons shortening
½ cup sugar
⅓ cup milk
1 egg
2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon orange extract
grated rind of 1 orange

Cream shortening; add sugar slowly, beating well; add milk a little at a time; then add well-beaten egg; sift flour, baking powder and salt together and add to mixture; add flavoring and grated orange rind; mix well. Bake in greased shallow tin, or individual cake tins, in hot oven 15 to 20 minutes. When cool cover with orange icing.

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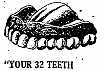

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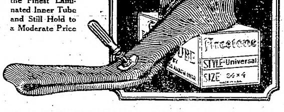

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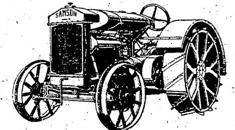

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Men's Dress Shirts at Bargain Prices.
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$4.00 Crash and Beach Cloth Suits with belt. Will take the place of a regular suit during the summer months. A big value at $3.19

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$1.00 Underwear, all styles 78c
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$1.25 boys' extra strong work shirts 89c
$1.50 boys' work shirts, at only 95c

Children's Stockings in white, brown or black 27c

SPECIAL Boys' $1.50 Sport Shirts 89c

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Men's Dress Shoes
Our regular $12.50 tan semi-English last $9.65
Florsheim black English, values to $12 $8.85
Men's $8.50 Shoes $6.45
Some lots of odds and ends in Shoes $4.45

For the benefit of those who can't get fitted from the bargain table in shoes, we have placed on sale our entire line of Florsheim and Ralston, $10, $12, $13, $15, $16 Shoes on the shelf at big reductions. All sizes, all widths, from triple AAA to EE wide. Sale prices will be marked plain.

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Wholesale Prices on these Shoes and some selling below. It is exactly as we advertise. We have the merchandise and plenty of it at the right prices. The goods were bought right and you benefit.

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Boys' Suits
at Bargain Prices
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$13.00 Suits $9.45
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Palm Beach Suits
Sizes 33 to 52, long, stouts. Reduced to $9.75, $14.45, $18.45

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$1.50 Ties 95c
$2.00 Ties $1.35
$2.50 Ties $1.65
$3.00 Ties $2.15

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

City News

Olaf Neset returned on Monday from a business trip to Baudette.

Mrs. Chas. Fellman of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Saturday.

Miss Lena Bothman of St. Hilaire visited here between trains on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Rice of Plummer were shoppers in this city on Saturday.

Nathaniel Muzzy of Steiner was in the city Monday attending to business matters.

Oscar Larson of Strandquist was an over-Sunday guest at the K. A. Sundahl home.

Leon Stanton returned on Monday evening from Bemidji, where he had been on a visit to friends.

Miss Olga Koglin returned to her home at Steiner on Monday after a brief visit with local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones arrived on Wednesday from Fargo to attend the wedding of Miss Tillie Oftedahl.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughters, Misses Mabel and Inez, of St. Hilaire, were shoppers in this city on Tuesday.

Perry Froseth returned this morning from a week's vacation spent visiting friends and fishing near Glenwood.

Rev. Norlund of Cannon Falls and Rev. Nielson of St. Hilaire were guests at the B. E. Dalquist home on Monday.

Miss Virginia Will, who has been attending the Moorhead Normal, returned on Tuesday to her home in this city.

Miss Stella Charbonneau, who had visited for a short time with friends at Crookston, returned to this city on Monday.

L. Lockrem of Grand Forks arrived on Tuesday and will visit at the home of his son, W. C. Lockrem, for a few days.

Tilman and Byron Tharaldson left Tuesday afternoon for Climax, where they will visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. A. Bjorge.

Mrs. C. G. Mattson and child returned Monday morning from Crookston, where they had visited with relatives for a few days.

Wm. Dixon and Fred Stromberg of Warren were among the many out-of-town people who attended the dance here Monday evening.

Miss Margaret Simms, who is employed in Duluth, arrived Monday evening for a short visit with her parents, who reside near this city.

Mrs. M. V. Evenson and daughter, Margaret, spent the week-end visiting with their daughter and sister, Miss Ruth Evenson, at Crookston.

Miss Stella Charbonneau returned Monday morning from Crookston, at which place she had spent a month as the guest of Mrs. Lee Townhead.

Misses Alice Elgston, Hazel and Sena Welo, who attended the Oylen camp meetings held near Staples, returned to this city Monday evening.

Miss Josephine Eichammer of East Grand Forks is in the city as the guest of her sister, Miss Marguret. She will remain here for an indefinite time.

Mrs. S. Loveid of Middle River arrived Monday afternoon to attend to some shopping. She returned to her home that evening via the auto route.

Mrs. Jack Hawkins arrived Thursday evening from Foam Lake, Sask., Can., to spend a couple of months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oftedahl.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Werstlein returned to their home at Larimore, N. D., on Tuesday after attending the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Elfa Werstlein.

Alvin and Elmer Tandberg, who have been attending St. Olaf's college, arrived here the latter part of the week and will remain here during the vacation period.

Miss Esther Scovell departed on Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to visit friends for a few days. Before leaving for her home in Minneapolis she will return to this city.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Ilstad. From there she will go to Fargo to extend her visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Agnethe Norby, accompanied by her brother, Clifford, passed a day visiting with their mother, Mrs. C. H. Norby, who is receiving medical treatment in this city. They returned on Tuesday to their home at Strathcona.

Peter Neth of Grand Forks arrived Saturday morning to attend the wedding of his sister-in-law, Miss Elfa Werstlein. He returned to his home on Monday. Mrs. Neth and children, who arrived previously, will remain for a week.

Miss Mabel Cook, who has been here for a short visit with her parents, returned Monday morning to Minot, where she is employed. Her sister, Miss Lulu, left for the Dakota city with her, having also secured employment there as a stenographer.

Mrs. Leo Butler and two children, who had visited at the Mjelde home in this city, left on Monday for their home at Plaza, N. D. Miss Sophie Mjelde, the former's sister, accompanied them as far as Minot, where she will be engaged in missionary work during the summer.

Nick Baker of Steiner was in the city on Monday attending to business.

Joe Perdrock of Grand Rapids, Wis., arrived here on Friday evening for a visit with friends.

Scott Laird left Wednesday morning for Baudette and International Falls on a business trip.

Derby Anderson returned Monday morning from Minneapolis, where he had passed a week visiting friends.

Fred Will returned the latter part of the week from Alexandria where he spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. L. L. Cohn left on Wednesday evening for St. Paul, where she entered St. Luke's hospital for medical treatment.

Miss Blanche Hoiren of Holt was the guest of Miss Evelyn Thorsen on Thursday. She returned to her home on Friday morning.

Miss Helen Wilson, who has been employed as saleslady at the Bon Ton Millinery, left Monday morning for her home at Bemidji.

Miss Lydia Peterson, who was a guest at the E. Larson home for a short time, returned to her home in Greenbush on Monday.

Mrs. Karl Korstad and son of Highlanding, motored to this city on Monday and attended to shopping and also visited with friends.

Mrs. Lizzie Case of Hankinson arrived here on Tuesday and will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Rolland, for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero motored to Grand Forks on Thursday to attend to business matters. They returned to this city on Saturday.

Milton Forder arrived here on Friday afternoon from his farm near Rollis, for a brief visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Mrs. Rev. Propp and children of Ogemah, arrived here on Thursday evening for a visit at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Adolphs.

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Misses Lyda Johnson and Mable Offerdahl returned to their home in Holt on Friday morning after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oel Knutson.

Miss Esther Movick, who had been visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Peterson, returned to her home in Holt Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink returned here on Thursday morning from Ishpeming, Mich., where they spent a week visiting with relatives of the former.

Mrs. Mary Jevne of Strathcona returned to her home on Monday morning after spending a brief period in this city receiving dental and chiropractic treatment.

Mrs. H. Phifer and son of Alsen visited with friends here between trains on Monday evening enroute to Alexandria, where they will make a short visit with relatives.

Miss Selma Nyman, who is employed at the Dr. Swedenberg home, departed on Monday morning for her home in Strathcona, where she will visit for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Art Stensrud and Miss Alva Stensrud, who has been making her home with the former for a year, arrived Monday morning from Spokane, Wash. They will visit for an indefinite period with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Miss Iola Baugh of Warren passed a few days last week as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. O. Erickson.

W. H. Akre has purchased the Wm. Booren residence on Duluth avenue north, and will occupy same soon.

Tom Lonson of Calloway was in this city the latter part of last week visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. P. L. Vistaunet returned here on Monday from Halstad where she visited over Sunday with her husband.

Walter Smith, bookkeeper in the bank at Mavie, visited at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Mrs. Wm. Olson and daughter, Miss Echo, of St. Hilaire, were among the shoppers in this city on Saturday.

H. G. Gustafson left on Friday evening for Jackson, Mich., on business and on his return will drive back a Briscoe Sedan.

Mrs. Anna Kretamar departed on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she visited with relatives for a few days.

Mrs. J. Ralston and three children went to Red Lake Falls on Saturday afternoon to visit at the home of the former's uncle, J. Ralston.

F. Holmgren left this city on Friday evening for Minneapolis where he has accepted a position with the Minneapolis bridge company.

Mrs. Markley of Minneapolis was in the city on Wednesday organizing a league of women voters. She departed in the afternoon for Red Lake Falls on a similar mission.

Miss Gladys Smith, who has been engaged in teaching school at Walker returned here on Friday morning and will spend the summer with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Henry Stengelson, who graduated from the local high school with the class of 1920 left on Thursday morning for Duluth where he will spend the summer visiting with relatives.

Bert Berg arrived here from his farm in Alberta, Can., on Sunday and will spend a short time visiting at the Westvin home where his wife and daughter have been guests since December.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughters, Miss Olive and Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, were shoppers in this city on Saturday. They returned to their home in St. Hilaire via the auto route the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gjelhaug spent the latter part of the week here visiting with friends, enroute to Baudette where they will visit with the former's relatives. They left for the above named city on Monday morning.

Mrs. R. B. McWilliams and daughter Helen, departed on Thursday evening for Hampton, Ia., where they will visit with relatives. They will also visit at several other points in the state before their return to this city within a month.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Maland of Hesper, Ia., are in this vicinity visiting at the home of the former's brother, O. O. Maland. At the completion of their visit here they will go to Crookston, Minot, N. D., and Billings, Mont., to be the guests of relatives and friends before returning to their home.

Mrs. C. A. Chelin and daughter, Ebba, have moved from this city to St. Hilaire, where they will run a boarding house. They have been residents of this city for a number of years, having conducted a boarding house here until June 1, when it was taken possession of by Miss Amanda Hanson.

O. Olson of Middle River motored to this city Monday on business.

Henry Dustal left this city on Thursday evening for Crystal Falls, where he will be employed.

Mrs. C. C. Elg left this city last Wednesday for Benson where she will visit for an indefinite period.

Miss Stella Brabender arrived here on Saturday morning for a visit with her many friends in this city.

Capt. Allen of Minneapolis was in the city between trains and was the guest of recruiting officer Hunter.

Miss Harriet Anderson departed on Saturday morning for her home in Holt after a brief visit with friends in this city.

Mrs. F. J. Post and children of Grand Forks are in the city as the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stene.

Theo. Hunt, representing the Thief River Grocery Co., on the Wheatline territory, passed the week end visiting at his home in Red Lake Falls.

Miss Alice Peterson returned on Friday evening from Warren where she has been instructor in the high school during the past school term.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund returned on Saturday evening from Calloway where she was the guest of her sister Mrs. Albert Lonson, for a few days.

Mrs. Knute Hasselmoe and daughter, Miss Theone, departed on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where they will pass a week visiting with relatives.

Miss Hilda Aalberg has resigned her position in Black's Sweet Shop and left this morning for her home at Hazel, where she will remain for some time.

Miss Ella Miller, who has been engaged in teaching school in Eveleth returned to this city on Saturday to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Betsey Miller.

Henry Halvorson of Warren, arrived here on Saturday evening to attend the dance given by the Warren orchestra at the Rink and also visit with friends over Sunday.

Miss Zella Zeh returned on Saturday morning from Grand Forks where she visited for a few days. She was accompanied by Eli Weston, who was her guest over Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. A. Mathison of Roseau arrievd here on Monday and will remain during the summer. Mr. Mathison has been superintendent of the Roseau schools during the past term.

Miss Ella Causin, who has been visiting with friends and relatives in Crookston, arrived in this city on Saturday morning for a brief visit with friends before returning to her home in Hazel.

Miss Ruth Mathews returned to this city on Saturday morning from Moorhead, where she had attended the Normal during the past winter, and will spend the summer months visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Marian Miller returned here on Monday morning from New Rockford, N. D., where she has been teaching and will spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Betsey Miller. Enroute to this city she attended a sorority party in Grand Forks.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left on Saturday evening for Chicago, where she hoped to gain admission to the Republican convention. It was understood that admission tickets would be at a premium, the delegates being allowed but a limited number. Mrs. Bishop will imporve the opportunity and visit with relatives during her absence.

Miss Martha Schenke of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Friday.

Mrs. Reep of Plummer shopped in this city between trains on Thursday evening.

Miss Betty Johnson of Holt attended to some shopping in this city on Friday.

Miss Jennie Wing of Middle River is in this city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley.

Mrs. A. E. Lofgren and two children departed on Friday morning for Holt on a brief visit with relatives.

Ole Johnson of Holt arrived here on Thursday afternoon to attend the wedding of Miss Tillie Oftedahl of this city.

Miss Mina Nelson departed on Friday afternoon for Devils Lake where she will be the guest of relatives for a brief period.

Miss Margaret Smith, who has been visiting at the M. C. Burns home for a week, returned to her home in Winton, via Duluth, on Saturday.

Mrs. H. J. Oien of Holt shopped between trains on Friday. While in this city she was the guest of her sister, Miss Effie Christianson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Holmberg departed on Friday morning for Middle River where they will spend a few days on their farm near that place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell and children returned here on Thursday morning from Luverne, where they passed two weeks visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Clausen arrived here last week from their home in Spokane, Wash., and will spend a few months in this vicinity visiting with friends and relatives.

Sybil McGinn returned to this city on Friday morning from St. Joseph's academy at St. Cloud and will spend the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn.

Mrs. Peter Neth and children arrived here on Saturday morning from their home in Grand Forks to attend the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Elfa Werstlein, which occurred on Monday morning.

Miss Olga Nettum arrived here on Friday evening from Gonvick where she had been visiting friends and spent a day here enroute to Crookston where she will be the guest of her parents for a week or so before taking up her duties as stenographer in the bank at Gonvick.

Mrs. C. W. J. Ott of Pembina arrived here on Saturday evening from Minneapolis, where she spent a week to be the guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Iver Peterson. She returned to her home the first of the week, accompanied by her neice, Miss Luella Peterson, who has accepted a stenographic position in the latter named place.

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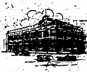

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Grygle Eagle: Considerable agitation has been going on in Thief River Falls on account of a few wanting to give a new name to the east side school house which is to be built in the place of the old Knox school building. As the location was donated to the district in an early day by C. J. Knox, and the building given the name as an honor to him, it would be an insult, not only to him, but to all the old settlers especially to those living on the East Side to call any school building erected on this site anything but the Knox School just to satisfy some jealous whim.

—Trade at Home—

Boys May Now Enlist.

Word has just been received from the Navy Recruiting Station at 408 Second avenue south, Minneapolis, that boys seventeen years of age may now be enlisted for period of minority until 21 years of age or for a p of three years. Boys seventeen of age must have parents' cons enlist, must have a minimum w of 120 stripped, and a mini height of sixty two inches, wit shoes.

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City News

ner tubes, all sizes $2.75 at the store.—J-10.

d. Sorenson of Viking visited h friends here on Thursday.

Miss Ella Nelson of St. Hilaire was shopper in this city Wednesday.

D. B. Brownlee of Mavie was a business caller in this city on Thursday.

For Sale. Ford delivery car and one-ton Ford truck. At Hicks' store. —J-10.

George Singer, store keeper at Rhoda, spent Tuesday in this city on business.

Free, inner tube with each automobile tire sold this week. Bottem Hdw. Co.—J-10.

L. P. Christianson left Monday for Warren, where he will undergo an operation.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree passed Friday at Goodridge looking after business affairs.

Milton Gillette left Friday morning for Hibbing, where he has secured employment.

Richard Houske of Halstad was in the city on Monday attending to business matters.

Mrs. E. Fleming left Thursday afternoon for Red Lake Falls for a visit with friends.

Harold Olson came dawn from Warren on Thursday to attend to business affairs.

Perry Froseth left Saturday evening for the Twin Cities to attend to business matters.

Rudolph Dahl returned to Golden ley on Monday after visiting over day with friends here.

ss Emma Hoiland of Mavie ar Saturday afternoon and visited Sunday with friends.

H. Hermanson, the hardware was transacting business in Be the first of the week.

is Sall of Plummer returned to home Wednesday after spending y here visiting with friends.

G. W. Walker made a business trip the Cities on Thursday evening. He returned via the auto route.

Mrs. E. Albua left Wednesday afternoon for Shelley to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Tronnes.

Lloyd Alness left Monday morning for International Falls, where he has secured employment for the summer.

Miss Louise Thompson of Crookston is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Mattson, this week.

Miss Stella Mickelson returned to her home at Holt on Wednesday after receiving medical treatment in this city.

G. A. Benson arrived Wednesday from his home at Grygla and spent the day attending to business matters.

Miss Clara Sorenson has completed her term of school near Wylie and is spending her vacation at her home here.

Miss Madeline Thill spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with relatives at Red Lake Falls.

Miss Myrtle Munson arrived here on Thursday afternoon from Badger, where she had been visiting with friends.

Mrs. Elmer Anderson of Greenbush spent Thursday attending to shopping in this city and also visiting with friends.

Mrs. H. Nodshalder left Wednesday afternoon for St. Hilaire, where she will spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Miss Madeline Thill spent a few days the latter part of the week visiting with friends and relatives at Red Lake Falls.

Miss Clara Sorenson left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis to be employed in the offices of the American Express company.

Milton Weeks, who has been attending St. Olaf's college, is spending his vaction with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Am opening up a Kodak Finishing shop Quick service and first class work guaranteed. M. Skomsvold, McGinn Block.—J-10-17.

Mrs. Mary Kearns returned to her home at Washburn, Ill., Thursday evening after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gesell.

Ole Tharaldson, who had passed a week visiting at his home in this city, returned on Thursday evening to Henning, where he is employed.

J. J. Weeks left Sunday evening for Northfield to visit with his son, Milton, and daughter, Miss Helen, students at St. Olaf's college.

Mrs. T. Torgerson of Greenbush was a guest yesterday of Mrs. Anna Dock while enroute to Houston to attend the wedding of a niece.

Mrs. Anna Watson returned Wednesday morning from Ada, where she had passed two weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jason Weatherhead.

Free, inner tube with each automobile tire sold this week. Bottem Hdw. Co.—J-10.

Martin Hanson, who had been visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Risberg, returned on Wednesday to his home at Salol. He was accompanied by his cousin, who will visit for an indefinite period at the home of his uncle, Iver Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lamberson of Warren motored to this city Saturday and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins until Monday evening.

Mrs. E. G. Lane, accompanied by her daughter and son, Dorothy and "Buster," left Saturday evening for Easthome, Ill., to spend the summer with her parents.

Mrs. L. H. Moo of Pelican Rapids returned to her home on Wednesday after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Sophie Paulson, and nephew, Dr. A. J. Paulson.

Miss Josephine McClelland of Strathcona returned to this city on Wednesday to resume her duties at the Evelyn hotel after a two weeks' visit at her home.

Mrs. Wm. Poirier was among those who attended a political meeting at Red Lake Falls last Thursday evening. The Lady Foresters also held a banquet the same evening.

Mrs. Chas. Alexander and two children, Edna and Mary, left Monday evening for the Twin Cities to visit with relatives. They will also visit at Painesville, Ill., before returning.

Mrs. E. S. Ashley and son, William, arrived Wednesday morning from Bemidji for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr. Mrs. Prichard and Mrs. Ashley are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Weirus and son, Joseph, left Saturday evening for their new home at Colfax, Wis. The latter will return to this city in a short time, having secured employment here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ohm returned Tuesday morning from Minneapolis, where they had visited for a short time. On Friday morning they went to Faribault, returning to Minneapolis on Monday.

Mrs. H. Holzknecht, Mrs. J. J. Richter, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht and *Miss Louise Majeres* were among those who attended the banquet given by the Lady Foresters at Red Lake Falls last Thursday evening.

Milton Weeks, accompanied by his sister, Miss Josie, arrived on Wednesday from Northfield. The latter had spent a week visiting at St. Olaf college and taking in the graduation, Milton being one of the students.

Misses Mabel and Ruth Knutson arirved here on Tuesday evening from Warren, where they had visited with relatives. They left the following morning for their home at Holt.

Dreng Bjornaraa, who attended the local high school the past term, departed the latter part of last week for his home at Gully, where he will spend a few days before going to Hibbing to work during the summer.

N. H. Aaker of Kenyon, this state, an uncle of City Clerk A. H. Akre, arrived Tuesday morning for a short visit with the family of his nephew. He will also visit relatives at Badger while in this section of the state.

Ferdinand and Benno Schmitt, sons of Prof. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt, left Friday evening for Chicago, where they will spend the summer visiting with an uncle. In the fall they will return to Minneapolis to become students at Dunwoodie Institute.

Misses Blanche Johnson and Marie Nelson left Wednesday evening for the Twin Cities to visit friends. From there Miss Johnson will go to Aurora, Ill., her former home, to be the guest of relatives for an indefinie period. Miss Nelson will continue her trip to Eau Claire, Wis., where she will be the guest of her parents for a week.

H. G. Gustafson left the first of the week for Jackson, Mich., for the purpose of securing two Briscoe cars for his firm. He will bring the machines back with him. About two weeks ago C. D. Gustafson made a similar trip for the same purpose and found it much more satisfactory than depending on deliveries by the usual methods.

Miss Phyllis Dock left Wednesday afternoon for Crookston, where she will be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Duckborth. She will return to this city for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Anna Dock, before her departure for Williston, N. D., where she will spend the remainder of the summer with her grandmother.

Mrs. H. G. Hieber and daughter, Helen, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Whitney, arrived the latter part of last week from Los Angeles, Cal., and will spend the greater part of the summer here. At present they are occupying the residence of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, while the latter are visiting with friends and relatives in Iowa.

—Trade at Home—

Swedish Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet in the church basement Thursday, June 17, entertained by Mrs. Paulson and Mrs. Sundahl. J-10-pd

—Trade at Home—

FARMERS' REFERENDUM ON STRIKES APPROVED

—Trade at Home—

Farm Bureau Federation at Chicago Favors Compulsory Arbitration.

Sentiment for a referendum among farmers of the country on the compulsory arbitration of strikes was strong at the sessions of the executive committee of the American Farm Bureau Federation held at Chicago. The March convention of the federation adopted a resolution to this effect, and officers said that they expected a farmers' referendum to be ordered by the executive committee.

Membership in the federation now is 900,000, secretary J. W. Coverdale reported. "There is a great movement among farmers in every section of the country and a demand for reliable information and co-ordinated effort," President Howard said.

Referendums on the repeal of the Adamson law and on the Townsend federal law also have been recommended it was announced. Results of the first farmer referendum, in which 359,626 farmers voted, were officially reported to the committee today. It resulted in an overwhelming majority against the bill of Congressman Nolan for a tax of 1 per cent on the ownership of land in excess of $10,000.

—Trade at Home—

FARM BUREAU TO TAKE SURVEY OF LIVESTOCK

Attempt Will be Made to Steady Flow of Supplies to Marketing Points.

Minnesota is among the eleven corn belt and north central states in which under the auspices of the American Farm Bureau Federation, a quarterly or semi-annual survey of meat animals on farms of the live stock growing section of the United States will be taken. The object of this great co-operative undertaking, which will be farmer-owned and farmer-controlled, will be to steady the flow of stock to markets and thereby avoid violent price fluctuations, to protect the producer against losses through unreasonably depressed markets and to assure the consumer of good meat and meat products at fair prices.

Such a survey has been in the minds of farm leaders for years and they have repeatedly pointed out the necessity of such data, but it remained for the farm bureau movement to get away from the talking stage and really do something. The program was launched at a meeting in Chicago recently.

W. A. McKerrow, secretary of the Minnesota Central Live Stock Shippers' association was the Minnesota delegate, he having been authorized to represent the Gopher Farm Bureau Federation because its regular officers were devoting all their time to membership work.

The plan, briefly stated, involves the sending of a questionnaire to every farm bureau member in the section to obtain from him a confidential report on the number of meat animals he has on hand, the number of feeders he expects to buy, when he expects to sell and where. These blanks, when returned to the state headquarters, where the data will be recapitulated and carefully guarded, will enable the farm bureau chiefs to give well founded advice on the general live stock situation. Plans for regulating the live stock flow have not been devised as yet, as it was the opinion of the conference that perfection of the machinery for gathering the data was of greatest importance.

—Trade at Home—

New Firemen Appointed.

Omer Anderson has been named a fireman by Chief Midderigh and the appointment confirmed by the city council. Anderson will take the place on the department made vacant by the resignation of Charles Warner.

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Congress is considering legislation which will perpetuate our war-built merchant marine.

Until this is done the ships we have should not be sold to face conditions which, prior to the war, resulted in the decline of our merchant marine to insignificance.

This Committee calls attention to these facts because a right solution of our shipping problem is vital to the future prosperity of shipbuilding, but equally vital to the safety and prosperity of the nation.

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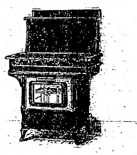

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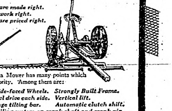

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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Miss Laura Kron spent the week-end at Wylie to attend the wedding of Miss Lydia Dalstrom to Mr. M. Petterson.

Mrs. Thom Holten and son returned on Tuesday evening from Warren where they had spent a few days with Mrs. Holten's father, Gilbert Haugen, who is an inmate at the hospital there to undergo an operation.

Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls was in town between trains last Tuesday to meet with his confirmation class and to conduct the monthly Ladies' Aid meeting at the P. Stengelsen home.

Mrs. A. S. Holm returned home the beginning of the week from Browns Valley, where she had spent a month visiting with her folks.

Henry Sagmoen has spent a week with his parents following the close of the Thief River Falls high school last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson of Thief River Falls were in town last Sunday to visit at the Sagmoen and Furan homes. Accompanying them was Miss Isabella Sagmoen, who had just returned from Slayton after a month's visit with relatives.

Olof and Henry Lappegaard returned the beginning of the week from Thief River Falls, where they had been visiting over Sunday.

Alex and Emil Hellquist and Joel Shoberg went to Viking last Thursday evening to look over some corn machinery.

Miss Tena Westby left the middle of the week for Adams, N. D., where she will be employed for some time.

Martin Swenson of Newfolden conducted Sunday afternoon services at the John Swenson home north of town.

A. Opseth is in Minneapolis to visit with his daughter, Mrs. Roy Skinner, and with Mrs. Martin Olson.

Miss Myrtle Berg returned to her home in Thief River Falls last Saturday after spending a few days here practicing at the Norwegian school.

Gust Opseth, who has been employed at Thief River Falls doing auto draying for some time, returned home last Friday and is now employed at tractor breaking southeast of town.

Judge Grindeland and son, Ingolf, of Warren, were in town last Thursday to look after some real estate west of town.

John Sorenson has purchased a lot on the east side with the intention of going into the garage business this summer.

Mrs. John Bergland and son, Leonard, left last Friday for Viking to visit relatives over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and family of Thief River Falls were visitors at the home of Mrs. Eva Carlson on Sunday.

Plasterers from Thief River Falls will be out this week to stucco and finish plastering both the exterior and interior of the new Farmers State Bank building. It is expected that the building will be ready for use in about two weeks.

Work on the new addition to the H. Carlson retail store was commenced on Monday by the same crew that had charge of the bank building. It is anticipated that this building will be completed in about a month.

Miss Alice Mosbeck of Wylie arrived the beginning of the week and will be employed at the home of Mosbeck Brothers north of town this summer.

H. Thompson returned home Saturday evening from Warren, where he had been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson and Joel and Mary Shoberg attended the mission meetings at Viking last Sunday afternoon.

The following motored to Goodridge last Tuesday to attend the Nonpartisan outing picnic: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan and daughter, Violet, Miss Laura Krohn, Henry Sagmoen, Iver Westby, Adolph and Selmer Haugen, Emil Blomberg, Peter Mellem, John Sagmoen and Joel Shoberg.

The Rosewood Shipping association will ship mixed stock from Rosewood on Saturday, June 26. Manager Adolph Haugen of New Solum territory will accompany the shipment to St. Paul.

—Trade at Home—

HAZEL

Are chickens a profitable investment? Here are facts. Ole Odegaard and Ole Mathson, our local merchants, paid out $4,416.85 for eggs from May 1, to June 5, 1920.

John Sheggrud is erecting a nice five room house on his lots south of the Citizens State bank.

Several farmers from southern Minnesota have visited our community the past few days, and they all say northern Minnesota and our locality in particular looks good to them. We are in hopes that many will come and make their homes here with us.

Contractor O. L. Ihle, of Thief River Falls, is putting a good foundation and full basement under the St. Pauli church north of town. The congregation is to be commended on this action as it will add much to the appearance of their church.

Paul Borgie is planting trees and making other improvements on his acre lot here. We are glad to see our village improve, Paul, so keep up the good work.

We want a good blacksmith to locate here. The right man will find more work here than he can do. The Farmers club or the Citizens State bank will be glad to furnish any information desired. Mr. Blacksmith, if you are looking for a location where you can make good under agreeable surroundings, this is your opportunity.

Our creamery is doing better every day. Mr. Farmer, bring your cream to your home creamery and you will never be sorry. There are about 135 shareholders in this strong Co-operative creamery and new ones coming in right along. O. C. Peterson, our local buttermaker, is a good one and during his stay here the creamery has gone ahead.

There will be a big creamery picnic here on Saturday, June 19. Plenty of refreshments on hand, good speakers and a general getting-together to promote the better community spirit. Make this an annual outing and bring the whole family. The Creamery board earnestly desires all to be present.

—Trade at Home—

ESPLEE

The town officials had a meeting at Carl Hanson's residence on Monday.

Wm. Gerrulat is home again and enjoying farm life. He has been at Fergus Falls for the past two months.

Quite a number of farmers attended the picnic at the Urdahl farm last week and had the honor of hearing a lecture given by H. Shipstead, who was present to entertain.

Mrs. Carl Hanson and children were callers in Esplee on Monday.

Earl Chapman transacted business in Esplee on Monday.

Paul Sund is busy assessing these days.

Willema Sund returned home from Thief River Falls last Sunday where she completed the four-year high school course.

Pete Henrick and Hannah and Willema Sund were Grygla callers on Wednesday.

R. Turnbull transacted business in Goodridge Saturday.

Arthur Sund called on Ole Goore last Friday.

Oscar H. Olson transacted business in Esplee on Thursday last week.

L. O. Opsata called on Fred Solly last week.

Mrs. J. G. Nelson transacted business in Grygla on Monday.

Mrs. Louis Carlson and son Clarence and Pete Carlson, autoed to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mrs. Allyn Turnbull has been visiting with Mrs. Russell Turnbull.

C. L. Hansen of Thief River Falls, accompanied by Mr. Simmons, called at the home of P. P. Sund Monday.

Pete Henricks left for Thief River Falls last Wednesday after spending a few days at Esplee.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Geerling were Grygla callers on Wednesday. They are now visiting at Lamporter's and other friends in that neighborhood. They expect to leave for Wisconsin this week.

Mr. Miller was a caller in Esplee one day last week.

—Trade at Home—

AGDER

The Moe boys autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Simon Moe is breaking with his tractor for Willie Rude.

Elven Senum was a caller at Geo. Senum's place Monday.

Mrs. Bergar and children visited with Mrs. Knaddle on Sunday of last week.

Ed. Hanson was a caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. Victor Trockman and son visited at Christ Nelson's Monday afternoon.

Willie Rude called at Isaacson's on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Senum was on the sick list last week.

Christ Nelson was a caller at C. Evenson's Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Knaddle and children, autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

Mrs. L. Knaddle's sister is visiting at her home. She arrived here on Tuesday evening.

John Esplee was a caller in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Ole Saleberg was a caller at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ed. Hanson called on Chas. Evenson Wednesday.

Herman Rude was a caller at the Isaacson home Wednesday.

Lydia Evenson is reported ill this week.

Anton Forthune was a caller at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

H. M. Hicks of Thief River Falls was out looking after his farm interests Wednesday.

Agnes Panick was a caller at Oscar Evenson's Tuesday.

Christ Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. E. Hanson autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Gunder Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Sam Groven called on George Senum Thursday.

Mrs. Berger was a caller at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Florence Knaddle was a caller at Berger's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Knaddle and children autoed to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Groven visited with Mrs. George Senum Thursday.

Miss Julia Ose visited with Mrs. George Senum Thursday evening.

Gunder and Annie Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday evening.

Ed. Hanson was a caller at Carl Overum's place Thursday.

Harry Moe visited at Willie Rude's Thursday evening.

H. Nabben was a caller at Isaacson's Thursday evening.

Victor Swanson autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Victor Trockman was a caller at Thief River Falls Friday.

Verna Trockman was a caller at Groven's Friday.

George Senum was a visitor at Sam Groven's Friday.

Carolina and Edward Senum made a short visit at E. Senum's Friday.

Gunder Senum, Ole Listol and Walter Evenson were callers at Christ Nelson's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nabben and Hannah, Martha and LeRoy Groven autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Willie Rude and Simon Moe autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Melvin Rude visited with Harry Moe Friday evening.

Mr. Isaacson and son Carl, called at W. Rude's Friday.

Victor Trockman was a caller at Christ Nelson's Saturday forenoon.

Mr. Esplee and Henry autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Gunder, George and Elven Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Christ and Millie Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

L. Knaddle was a caller at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Chas. Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

—Trade at Home—

Father Dies Suddenly.

Word has just been received in this city from North Branch announcing the sudden death of the father of Walter S. Schold, for two years science teacher in the Thief River Falls high school. Death followed after a short illness and was due to apoplexy. The son had only been home a day or two when his father was stricken.

USES TELEGRAPH TO GET STENO

Well trained office assistants are not "picked up" everywhere. When big firms need capable help, they wire or "long distance" Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D.

Recently the Dakota Construction & Engineering Co. of Valley City wired for an efficient bookkeeper-steno. Miss R. Gregerson was sent. A phone message from the James River National Bank, Jamestown, resulted in placing A. P. McDonell in their Edmunds branch.

"Follow the Succe$$ful." Enter summer school now. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

STEINER

R. L. Muzzy visited with his son and family, N. E. Muzzy, last Sunday.

Ruby and Pearl Warring called at the Meyer home Sunday.

Mrs. John Meyer was in Holt Sunday to attend Memorial exercises in the German Lutheran church there.

Mrs. Nick Baker transacted business in Thief River Falls Friday.

Oscar and Edwin Swanson, Arthur Muzzy and Hobson Rogers, took in the "movies" at Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mrs. Simon Warring visited at her daughter's home, Mrs. John Whitman, Sunday. The latter has been ill for the past week.

Harold Berg transacted business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Irvin Russell and Hobson Rogers were in Holt Sunday evening.

Ruby and Pearl Warring visited at the Slack home Wednesday evening.

John Steiner transacted business in Steiner the first of the week.

Seed Buckwheat

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COAL FOR NEXT WINTER.

(Editorial in Minneapolis Journal.)

Coal dealers agree that the situation would be greatly relieved and steadied, if householders would order their coal as early as possible. To delay unnecessarily will only increase the congestion at the advent of winter and throw the heavier burden on coal transportation at a time when the conditions of delivery are not so propitious as in summer or early fall. To order now means a continuous and dependable demand. It is a form of individual and national economy.

There is a lot of good advice contained in the above. Order now and be sure of your supplies. Delay can only mean one thing—delay—and may mean higher prices as well. Our predictions regarding coal have always come true. Do not disregard them at this time.

The Prichard Co.

Food—the Problem of the Hour

THE need for food has the world in its grip. To produce more food we must depend upon gasoline power on the farm to multiply the efficiency of the man-power available.

The following interesting comparison of man-power vs. machine-power, required per acre is illuminating:

Crop (1 acre)	Man-Hours By Hand	Man-Hours By Machine
Barley	64	4.25
Corn	39	7.70
Cotton	168	79
Hay	21	8.45
Oats	66	4.25
Potatoes	109	38
Rice	62	17
Rye	63	4.25
Wheat	61	4.25

The United States has changed from an agricultural into a semi-industrial nation. Never again will it see the day when 97 percent of its population dwells on farms. Yet the fact remains that the United States must feed itself, and the only way this can be done is through intensive soil cultivation, made possible by automotive machinery.

On the farms of the Middle West the gasoline tractor, truck, and automobile are multiplying the productiveness of man-power, and are doing their part in furnishing an adequate supply of food-stuffs.

Throughout this great section the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has developed a system of distribution which insures the farmer an adequate supply of gasoline and lubricating oils. This system is based upon huge storage depots, fed from three large modern refineries.

Anticipation of possible difficulties is but one of the many burdens the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) assumes in order that consumers of the Middle West may have their wants supplied.

Standard Oil Company
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We will for a short time sell all new Auto Tires, any size, at—

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We are heavily overstocked and are making this big reduction in prices in order to reduce our stock.

C. M. Evenson & Sons

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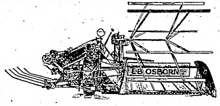

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Self-aligning Bearings are used on all rollers, main wheel, countershaft, pitman shaft and packer shaft.

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The binder head is driven from the pitman shaft by a separate chain rather than by the elevator chain.

A range of 17 inches on the Binder Head ties perfect bundles in the longest or shortest grain.

The Adjustable Lock Stop and Stop Arm keeps the binder head in perfect adjustment.

The Elevator chain cannot catch straw.

Rambeck-Stone Company
Across from Auditorium

Congressional Candidate Visits Old Friends Here

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls, candidate for the congressional nomination on the Democratic ticket, was in the city on Tuesday calling on old friends and also to attend the Guernsey men's picnic at the Albert Johnson place. Mr. Jeffers is one of the best known of all old-timers in this section and one of the most highly regarded. Were it possible for a Democrat to secure the election for congress from this district it is more than likely that Frank would be the man, but it looks like a hopeless proposition.

—Trade at Home—

Condemned by State Fire Marshal's Inspectors

One building in Thief River Falls and two in St. Hilaire were condemned as unsafe last month by State Fire Marshal George H. Nettleton. The structure in this city to which the department objects is the store of H. M. Hicks, while in St. Hilaire the dwelling and barn of Nick Skele are declared unsafe. There are 11 condemnations in Bemidji, the fire hall itself being among the structures under the

—Trade at Home—

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to the citizens of Pennington county for the honor shown our son at the time of his burial. Particularly are we grateful to the members of the American Legion for arranging for the beautiful ceremony and in other ways assisting us.

Ole Lund and Family.

—Trade at Home—

Wedding Dance at Rhoda.

A dance will be given at the Rhoda hall Saturday evening, June 19, in honor of the marriage of Miss Josen Hegland to Arthur Baird.—J-10-17-p.

—Trade at Home—

Notice to Voters.

Town of North will hold polling place at Commercial Club rooms in Thief River Falls Monday, June 21st. Polls open 6 a. m. to 9 p. m.

T. H. BJERKE,
Clerk.

—Trade at Home—

Singers, Attention.

Mrs. G. Halvorson wishes to meet all people in the city who sing, at the Commercial Club rooms, at 7:30 on Friday evening. This meeting is called for the purpose of arranging for music at the Community picnic on June 14.

—Trade at Home—

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning prepared to tune pianos. Anyone course at school for blind am now desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. j3tf

—Trade at Home—

Notice of Hearing.

Final hearing in the matter of the construction of a road running north and south through North township and the discontinuing of what is known as the Long bridge will be held at the Commercial club rooms in Thief River Falls at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, June 15, 1920, at which time arguments for and against said proposition will be considered by the township board.

By order of the Board.

J 3-10 T. H. BJERKE,
Town Clerk.

Dr. Booren Returns.

Dr. G. W. Booren, who has been taking post graduate work at the University of Minnesota dental department for the past month, has returned and has resumed his practice. During his absence he also attended the lectures given by Dr. Arthur Young of New York at the University of North Dakota.

—Trade at Home—

Seavy-Josephson.

Merton O. Seavey and Miss Rachel Josephson, both of Goodridge, were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse on June 7. Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the Presbyterian church in this city, officiated. The newlyweds will continue to live in Goodridge where they are well known as among the substantial citizens of that place. They were attended by Miss Mildred Seavey.

—Trade at Home—

Co-eds Have Party.

A delightful affair of the evening was a Leap Year dancing party given by young ladies in this city at the Masonic hall on Saturday. Streamers of green and white crepe paper formed a canopy under which the guests danced to elegant music furnished by Miss Theone Walker, pianist and Alfred Dybvik, drummer. Baskets of flowers also added to the attractiveness of the hall. At the conclusion of the evening a light lunch was served by the Misses Ruth Kiland, Harriet Anderson and Luella Peterson. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence chaperoned the party.

—Trade at Home—

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—Trade at Home—

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—Trade at Home—

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Church Picnic Sunday.

The Synod Church Young Peoples society will have their annual picnic at Mrs. A. Guttrue's farm Sunday June 13th. Bad weather prevented them from having it last Sunday as was planned. There will be a good program rendered by the young people and also by the school. Lunch and other refreshments will be served. Also swimming, boat riding and horseshoe playing. And if you had not planned on coming for any other reason you surely don't want to miss the exciting ball game between Excel and the Agder Pussyfoots.

Ole Ose called on his bothers, Ivend and Talak one day last week.

John M. Johnson was a caller at the John Skomedal home Friday of last week.

Miss Grace Russell was out joy riding Monday evening.

Peder Pederson is spending his vacation with Ingvard Pederson. He came home from Fargo last week where he had finished a successful term at college.

Ben Tildahl of Oslo visited in this locality Sunday.

John Dahl is busy talking politics these days.

Ingvard and Peder Pederson called on Henry Wendt Monday afternoon.

Miss Helga Ose returned from Fargo last week where she had attended a ladies school.

A. Alstrom and son, Albert, called on Tobjon Skomedal one day this week.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Miss Tillie Ristau visited at her parental home last Sunday.

Miss Hattie Klockman was a Germantown caller one day last week.

Misses Junit Boline and Gladys Johnson were guests at the L. Bendickson home last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. K. Haggy visited with friends one day last week.

Olaf, Salve and Henry Tharaldson and Benard Bendickson were business callers at Mavie last Monday.

Emil Ristau was a caller in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Oscar Hovelson autoed to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mrs. Thomas Clausen was a guest at the F. Kaintz home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the S. Rolland home one day last week.

Misses Annie Rosett and Doris Johnson were Germantown callers one day last week.

Gehart Tharaldson was a guest at the L. Bendickson home last Tuesday.

A. K. Haggy was a caller at Mavie last Wednesday.

Miss Rose Vakach entertained a number of her friends last Sunday. Those present were: Misses Emma Ristau, Lena Ristau, Lois Stubble, Alice and Myrtle Johnson and Silva Bendickson; and Johnnie and Edd Ristau and Howard Strubble.

Mrs. Emil Hanson was a shopper in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Benard and Esther Bendickson visited at the Olof Tharaldson home last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Hannah Weber was a guest of Stella Philipp on Monday.

Miss Rose Vakoch was a Germantown caller last Monday.

Miss Silva Bendickson visited at the Olof Tharaldson home last Wednesday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Emil Hanson home one day last week.

Benard Bendickson was a Mavie caller last Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Roller was a caller at the M. Stokkie home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Stokkie was a business caller in Mavie one day last week.

Miss Esther Bendickson was an electric car passenger enroute to Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.66
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.61
Oats	.92
Flax	3.62
Barley	1.20
Rye	2.00
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.80
Bran	2.05
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.85
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.18
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.31
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.51
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7.5
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.17
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.25
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.75
Steers, per lb.	6-8
Calves, per lb.	7-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	12-15

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil E. Zeh.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 11th day of September, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated, June 5th, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
j10-17-24

—Trade at Home—

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Knut P. Iverson.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 10th day of September, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated, June 4, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j10-17-24

—Trade at Home—

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Peter Newman.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mrs. May Smith and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Mrs. May Smith, having been filed in this Court, representing that Peter Newman, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 20th day of April, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to N. W. Tarrant of Thief River Falls, Minnesota and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of July, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 3rd day of June, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
j10-17-24

—Trade at Home—

BIDS CLOSE JUNE 23. SCHOOL BUILDING, THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The undersigned hereby gives notice that sealed proposals will be received up to the hour of 2 p. m., June 23, 1920, for all labor and material for the erection of a school building, together with bids for all mechanical equipment for said building, all in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Sund & Dunham, Architects, 512-514 Essex Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. Plans may be seen at the office of the architects, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, or at the Builders' Exchanges of Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Bids are to be enclosed in sealed envelopes and delivered to P. O. Myhrum, Clerk of the Board of Education. A certified check, made out to P. O. Myhrum, in amount of five per cent of the bid must accompany each bid. This check is to become the property of the Board of Education in case the bidder refuses to enter into a contract with the Board within ten days after he has been notified of his having been awarded the contract.

The bidder to whom the contract is awarded will be required to furnish a surety bond in the amount of his contract.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

(Signed.) BOARD OF EDUCATION,
Independent School District, No. 18,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Sund & Dunham, Architects,
512-514 Essex Bldg, Minneapolis.
J-10-17

—Trade at Home—

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Helge Klennetsen.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 28th day of August, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated May 22nd, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
m27-j3-10

Order.

State of Minnesota, Pennington County, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the dissolution on Petition of Corporation of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Building Company, a corporation.

Order.

In the above entitled matter, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided; and upon the presentation of a petition therefore first having been duly made to this court therefore, this court hereby, fixes the 29th day of June, 1920, at Ten o'clock A. M., at the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, as the time and the place for the hearing thereon, and it is further ordered that three weeks published notice thereof be given by the publication of a copy of this order, as notice to all parties interested, in said hearing and said matter, that this order be served by the publication thereof in the Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, published at Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, May 27th, 1920.

ANDREW GRINDELAND,
District Judge,
14th Judicial District
of Minnesota.
j3-10-17

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Madeline Giard and Joseph Giard, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated December 31, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on January 30, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 58 of mortgages on page 432, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and it being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of six hundred and sixty seven dollars and thirty eight ($667.38), and the taxes for 1918 amounting to fifty three dollars and eighty nine cents ($53.89) paid by said mortgagee, making the total amount now due seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents ($721.27).

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots eleven (11), twelve (12), and thirteen (13) of block nine (9), in Knox's addition to Red Lake Rapids, now part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County,

will be sold by the sheriff of said County at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 29th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, to pay said debt and interest thereon and the taxes and an attorney's fee of fifty (50) dollars stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 1, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Fergus Falls,
Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
m13-20-27-j3-10-17

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Ellen T. Byrom.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Thirty-eight, Thirty-nine, Forty, Forty-one, Forty-two, Forty-three and Forty-four, Block Twenty-eight; (Lots 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44, Block 28) in Red Lake Rapids Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 14th day of May, 1917, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 14th day of March, 1917, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1915, for said County of Pennington; the above described pieces or parcels of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of One Hundred Dollars and Thirty-nine cents.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2128, G. S. 1913, on the 25th day of October, 1918, for the sum of One Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Fifty-seven cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Fifty-seven cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $118.57 thereof from the 25th day of October, 1918, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 19th day of May, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
By AXEL RISBERG,
Deputy.
(Official Seal)
Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
m26-j3-11

Times Want Ads

—74—

FOR SALE

A BUSINESS HOUSE AND AN 8-room dwelling house, both in good condition for sale very cheap. Inquire at Loken's Harness Shop. 75p

FOR SALE—My home at 933 Arnold Ave N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and ready for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, hot water heat, all rough in plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. M. Bothun.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—12 lots, Conley's 3rd Addition. All under plow. For particulars see Solberg Land Co., City. 73p

FOR SALE—State Land, Viking, $2.60 per acre deposit, balance 1941, 4 per cent interest. Open farm, hay and pasture land.—The Times. 75

FOR SALE—Power lift tractor drill to be sold cheap. Inquire at McFarland Auto Co. 74p

FOR SALE—8 weeks old pigs, $5.00 each. A. J. Funnesdahl, R. 1, City. Telephone 10-F-22. 75p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

$2610.00 CASH WILL BUY QUARTER section of land five miles northwest of Wylie. See Healy Land Co., Red Lake Falls, Minn. 74

FOR SALE—Black draft mare, five years old, weight 1500, with five-weeks-old colt. Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 72tf

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—B. J. Bakke, office and salesroom at Berry's garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—One young Jersey cow, one heifer; one Overland auto in first class condition. Inquire Ahlborn, the Tailor. 77p

FOR SALE—Have some barb wire to sell. $2.80 a roll. Andrew Ness. 74tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 5 lots. Good investment.—J. [illegible] 77p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek. 72tf

FOR SALE—50 Pigs, 6 weeks old. The Burgen Farm. 75p

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—A money making modern steam heated flat. Priced right and terms for quick sale. For further information call or write C. W. McDaniel, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79

FOR SALE—4-year-old mare, weight 1300; one three-year-old sorrel horse colt; one Deering 7-ft. cut binder. Inquire of S. M. Poston. 75

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Steel range, six holes, hot water attachment, reservoir. In excellent condition. Also laundry stove and cook stove. Call phone 406. 73tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Fine 8-room house. Also 80 acres of good land with good buildings. Frank Mousley, city. 71

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow. 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 35tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71tf

FOR SALE—Having finished breaking my farm, will sell John Deere sulky plow, 18-inch stubble with breaking attachment. New in 1918, $70.—August N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Section 19, Sanders township. 75p

FOR SALE—5 passenger Overland Touring car in good condition.—Fred Protz. 64tf

FOR SALE—Five tons good upland hay located in Section 35, Numedal township.—Ingval Martinson. 74p

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Ten tons of good upland hay. Located on Section 24, Numedal township.—A. G. Roos. 74p

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—About 10 tons of upland wild hay. About 4 miles west of fair grounds on Jefferson Highway.—Gordon M. Olson, R. 1, Box 65, City. 75p

FOR SALE—6-room house. Enquire at 313 State avenue North. 76p

Waste Material.
Capitalize your waste material! Write for price list on old metals, rags, rubbers and magazines now! Thief River Hide and Fur Co. 74

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 303 Arnold Ave. N. 64tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Milch cows, for horse or team.—Salaritis G. Hole, Erie. 74p

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots.—Andrew Ness. 67tf

Waste Material.
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LOST—On state road between City and Goodridge on Tuesday evening, one sample case. Kindly return to Times office for reward. 74

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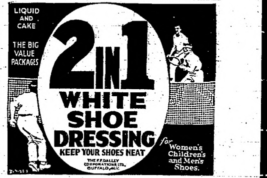

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Yours for Health—"Granny" Chamberlain

Church Body Will Report Great Work

Norwegian Lutherans to Meet For Seven Day Session at Minneapolis Today.

Progress Made Since Union Was Affected Regarded as Very Satisfactory.

Missionary Feature Will be Accorded Special Attention by Delegates.

The most important convention ever held by the Norwegian Lutheran Church of America will be that beginning today and ending next Thursday. It is being held in the auditorium building, Minneapolis, and representatives from every state and territory will be present. Trinity congregation, Thief River Falls, has voted to send Olaf Ramstad and Olaf Tessum as its delegates. Besides these the city will be in a measure represented by Rev. I. T. Aastad, president of the Northern Minnesota district of the conference, whose home is here.

Since the union of the three Norwegian Lutheran church bodies of America in 1917, the new organization has accomplished much toward the founding of needed churches throughout the Middle West and other parts of the nation where their fellows have settled. Many handsome new churches and homes have been constructed and the work of the denomination carried on with great activity in every department.

Adopting English Language.

Very rapidly the church has been adopting the English language in its services. At the time of the last report there were 146 purely English congregations and this number will have been greatly increased by the time the account for the present period is rendered. The congregations in which the English language is used in at least half of the services, such as is the case in Thief River Falls, number 437. This is a feature of the work that will receive special attention at the Minneapolis meeting.

The Missionary Work.

In the $1,000,000 budget of the church foreign missions take the leading place, being responsible for an outlay of $300,000. The work in this direction has been characterized by exceptional breadth and magnitude. The field covered is China, South Africa and India. To China alone the denomination sent out 76 missionaries. Nearer home most excellent work has been done in Alaska and among the Indians. During the past year the Wittenberg Indian school at Wittenberg, Wis., has been purchased for the purpose of carrying on this work.

Women Also Meet.

The Women's Missionary Federation of the church, will also meet in Minneapolis on the same dates. An advance in the position of the women in the church is indicated by the fact that the president and secretary of the Woman's Missionary Federation are advisory members of both the board of foreign missions and the board of charities.

Heavy enrollments, increasing endowments and the pleasant satisfaction that the world is coming to know something of the great educational work of the church will be high points made in the report to be submitted to the convention.

—Trade at Home—

Congress Has Good Record Says Member

Expects to visit All Sections in Interest of Candidacy For Re-Election.

Blames President Wilson For Failure to Reduce High Cost of Living.

Congressman Steenerson Returns After Long Session At Washington.

Congressman Steenerson returned from Washington yesterday afternoon and will spend a short time going over the Congressional district in the interests of his candidacy for re-election, says the Crookston Times.

Owing to the fact that Mrs. Steenerson has been ill for the past two months she did not feel equal to the journey at this time but Mr. Steenerson expects to return to Washington about July 1st and bring her back with him.

In speaking of the political situation in this district and of the work done by the last congress, Mr. Steenerson said:

"Through letters from friends in various parts of the district and from reports received from local committeemen I have kept in fairly close touch with the sentiment in the district and have been unable to find any serious dissatisfaction or disaffection with the manner in which I have represented the district. The impression seems to prevail that there has been some growth in radical sentiment throughout this section of the state but I cannot find that this is the case. On the contrary I believe the people are keeping better posted and are taking a wider view of governmental affairs than ever before. This is a good sign and cannot fail of being beneficial in bringing support to those who are honestly striving to better conditions.

Much Work Accomplished.

"I expect to visit various parts of the district during the next few weeks. Tomorrow I have been invited to speak at a farmers' picnic in Clay county, and other engagements have been made for me at other points in the district."

In speaking of the accomplishments of the last congress Mr. Steenerson said:

"While not as much was done as we could have wished, still [illegible] with the opposition of a hostile administration much beneficial legislation was enacted.

"The most important measures were those connected with the telegraph and telephone service, the law returning to their owners and the regulation of the railroads, the prohibition enforcement law, the postal salary act, the budget law and the repeal of war legislation. The two latter measures being vetoed by the president at the last minute.

President Was to Blame.

"I notice the President's answer to the letter of railroad brotherhood chiefs stating that Congress has done nothing to check the evil of profiteering or to punish the evil doers. The answer is that it is not the function of Congress to punish evil doers because the Congress can do no more to put people in jail than can the state legislature. All that it can do is to make laws for punishing offences but the enforcement of this law is with the president. We gave the president war powers which he still holds and refuses to give up. Under these he has complete control of the necessaries of life, including food. We gave him special power to control the price of sugar and provided him with the necessary agencies to buy up the supply so as to resell it to the people. This was done for a year but last year he refused to continue to do so. He was asked by his own advisors and also by Mr. Hoover to buy the Cuban sugar crop which could be bought for 6½ cents, but he failed to act and instead allowed that crop to go over to Europe. If he had used the power we gave him it is probable sugar would be now selling at retail to the public at not above 10 cents which would have been a saving of more than a billion dollars a year."

—Trade at Home—

Clash With Strikers.

As the result of a fracas at the gates of the Crookston lumber company's mill, 10 persons, three women and seven men, have been arrested, charged with interfering with workers at the mill.

The trouble arose when workers leaving the mill after work, were accosted by strike sympathizers. An argument developed into a fight, in which the women took a hand. Police and deputy sheriffs arrested 10 of the strikers' friends.

Other fights developed later in the day, in one of which Charles Lindahl one of the men who returned to work was beaten up.

After the trouble occurred the Crookston Lumber company obtained an injunction from Judge C. W. Stanton in district court, restraining 16 union men from intimidating workers in any way.

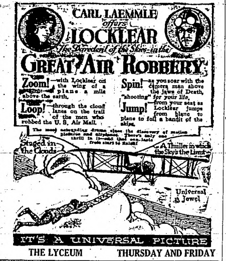

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This is the first picture Miss Janis has made since her return from France where she entertained the Boys in Khaki for a year and a half.

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"LEAP YEAR"

Matinee: 2:30

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

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If you thought the other two pictures of this young pair were screams, well this is a knockout.

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"SHOULD DUMMIES WED?"

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Drastic Lowering of Prices on Men's Clothing and Shoes

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$45 suits now **$36**
$55 suits now **$44**
$60 suits now **$48**
$50 suits now **$40**
$70 suits now **$56**
$65 suits now **$52**
$75 suits now **$60**
$80 suits now **$64**

A few men's suits at **$25, $30** and **$35.** All go at 20 per cent off.

The variety of fabrics, models and sizes is at present complete. An immediate selection is advisable.

All our fine summer Palm Beach suits included at 20 per cent reduction. Get one now and keep cool. **$17.50** to **$30** less 20 per cent.

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Our entire stock of boys' dress suits now on sale at 20 per cent reduction.

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$10 suits now **$ 8.00**
$12 suits now **$ 9.60**
$7 suits now **$5.60**
$8 suits now **$6.40**
$14 suits now **$11.20**
$15 suits now **$12.00**
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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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Storm Brings Great Picnic to Quick End

After Promise of Fine Day Weather Man Proves Most Treacherous.

Large Crowd Disappointed and Had to Scurry to Escape Drenching.

Train Wreck and Storm Combine to Put Speakers in Good Humor.

The intention was to make it the greatest picnic in the history of the Pennington County Farm Bureau, and it was nobody's fault that the affair turned out otherwise.

Monday started out with every promise of behaving itself as befitted the occasion, but made a slip somewhere. At that, neither wind nor rain was of enough importance to make much difference, but the outlook was sufficiently threatening to make most folks wish they had remained at home. The picnic broke up early in the afternoon, but not before those present had an opportunity of listening to some mighty good speeches.

Hay Leads Off.

J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture and formerly a resident of this city, was the first speaker. His remarks covered the subject of community gatherings in general, pointing out particularly the value and necessity for having people get together for a better undertsanding of each other's purposes. Mr. Hay made his remarks brief as it was already evident that the threatening weather was making the large crowd restless and apprehensive.

Congressman Steenerson, who arrived in the city without having been notified of the picnic, was asked to address the gathering. He stated at the outset that he would not attempt to make a speech under the circumstances and confined himself largely to calling attention to the significance of Flag Day, which fell upon the date selected for the picnic. He did, however, refer to the passage of a bill by the last congress permitting farmers to form associations for their own advancement without running counter to the Clayton anti-trust bill. Co-operation, he said, had done much for the farmer to date and if permitted to go unhampered in its operation, would prove of greater benefit in the future. He also referred briefly to the bills now ready for consideration looking toward the improvement of drainage conditions in this district.

Is Keen Disappointment.

President Stuart McLeod of the Farm Bureau association and County Agent J. J. McCann were particularly disappointed in the outcome of the picnic. For weeks they had, together with the committees appointed for the purpose, been working to make this the greatest picnic in the county's history. Everything pointed to their being successful. They had an unusually interesting array of good speakers, the sports program was the best ever put forth and interest throughout the county all that could be wished for.

And we did not need the rain.

—Trade at Home—

NORSEMEN PLANNING FOR GREATEST OUTING

Speakers and Singers From Many Cities Here For Norway Son's Picnic.

Assurances received from Sons of Norway lodges in nearby cities justify officers of the local organization in believing that the district picnic to be held at Squaw Point next Sunday will be one of the most widely attended of any in its history. Favorable answers have been received from Crookston, Halstad, Twin Valley and Detroit, promising large delegations from these cities, while lodges as far away as Cass Lake have signified their intention of showing up in force if the roads are passable.

Hans O. Chommie will be the speaker for the local lodge. Other speakers of note will be on the platform but the only lodge sending in the name of its orator is Bjarne of Grand Forks, which will be represented by Dr. Olav Fortin. Bjarne men's chorus from the same lodge will be among the singing societies furnishing music, and as this is one of the most famous in the United States there is a treat in store for all those attending.

Braga men's chorus of Thief River Falls, an organization that in years past has been able to hold its own with the best, will again be in evidence. War activities and other matters have engaged the attention of its members during late years but there is a strong movement on foot to again bring the chorus back to its one-time prominence.

Bernhard Knudsen is chairman of the program committee of the local lodge and his efforts to provide something of unusual interest is being backed by every member of the organization.

—Trade at Home—

Officers Elected.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year by the delegates at the Lutheran Free Church convention held in this city during the past week: President, Prof. E. P. Harbo; secretary, Rev. Claus Morgan; treasurer, J. U. Peterson, all of Minneapolis.

—Trade at Home—

Legion to Give Dance At Auditorium Monday

Elmer J. Eklund Post, the American Legion, will give another of its famous dancing parties at the auditorium on Tuesday evening, June 22. Music for the occasion will be fur- [illegible]

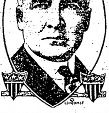

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WARREN G. HARDING

Born Nov. 2, 1865, near Corsica, Ohio.

Graduated from Iberia college, 1881.

Bought Marion, Ohio, Star in 1881.

Married Miss Florence King in 1891.

Elected state senator in 1899.

Re-elected state senator in 1901.

Elected U. S. senator in 1904.

Appointed temporary chairman of G. O. P. national convention in 1916.

ANNUAL MEETING OF "SATESDALS STEVNE"

Famous Norwegian Society Will Make Merry Here For Two Days.

President Bj. Bjornarna of Wanke, of Saeteldal Stevnet, a society of persons who hail from Saetersdalen in Norway, will hold their annual convention in Thief River Falls on June 23 and 24. The membership is scattered over quite a large section of country and if traveling conditions are favorable there is likely to be a considerable crowd present. The organization held its meeting here about three years ago at which time about 1000 persons attended.

"Thief River Falls is a fine place to visit at all times, but especially so when the Saetesdals have their 'stevne' there," writes Mr. Bjornarna. He further states that on June 23 and 24 it will "braka laust" with amusements of various kinds. The best Norwegian speakers, violinists, declamators and singers will be in attendance and the intention is that all shall enjoy themselves in regular old country fashion.

Wednesday evening will be "rosinen i polsa," according to the president. At that time there will be a real "Satesdals kveld," an event none who witness it will forget. There will be speeches, "skroner," and readings. Among the features will be "Halling," "gangar," and "springdans." Spectators are warned to step out of the danger zone when the boys do their "rundkast."

The stevne will be held at the auditorium and the hope is expressed that the building will be "smekkande fuld."

On Thursday there will be "Satesdals Messe" in Trinity church, where Rev. I. T. Aastad will deliver a sermon on "Sandsmaal."

All Norwegians and others interested are cordially invited to be present and join the festivities.

—Trade at Home—

Kicked By Auto.

Ted Smith is the unhappy possessor of a busted wing. While attempting to crank a bucking automobile the other day at the fair grounds he lost control and the critter kicked back, with the usual result. The break is not very bad but sufficient to lay Ted up for quite a few days.

—Trade at Home—

CREAMERY PICNIC AT HAZEL ON SATURDAY

Entire County Invited to Join People There in Annual Jollification.

"Lay off your daily toil on Saturday afternoon, June 19, and come to Hazel for the purpose of listening to instructive speeches and joining in all the frolic and fun."

Such is the invitation issued to the people of the rest of the county by patrons of the Hazel Co-operative Creamery association. This is the youngest organization of its kind in the county and the parties responsible for its being in existence want all the neighbors to come and observe how well they are getting along down there. The creamery has made a great record for the short time it has been in operation and the patrons are justly proud of the fact.

Six different committees are at work on the arrangements and program and reports are to the effect that something different than the usual order will be given.

Everybody is invited and it is certain that those who attend will find the time both pleasantly and profitably employed.

—Trade at Home—

Minneapolis Headquarters For New Potato Exchange

Minneapolis has been selected by the directors of the Minnesota Potato Exchange for permanent headquarters. The organization was formed last February by representative potato growers of the state and agricultural extension men from the state university. A general manager will be chosen soon, it is said, and steps taken for organizing a sales agency for Minnesota potato growers. Lud- [illegible]

Road to Lake at Early Date is Promised

Congressman Steenerson Says Indian Department Realizes Its Importance.

Part of Federal Highway Aid May be Expended on Its Construction.

River Improvement Bill Due For Early Passage by Congress, He Says.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson has been taking advantage of the opportunity presented by the adjournment of congress to make a tour of this section of his district during the past week. He arrived in Thief River Falls unheralded on Saturday afternoon after having appeared at a picnic at Plummer, where he spoke briefly by invitation, following his opponent in the primaries, N. E. Thormodson. Mr. Steenerson explained several acts of congress during the late session that had been called into question, and from all reports managed to present things in such manner that his hearers received a new viewpoint.

On Monday afternoon Mr. Steenerson spoke briefly at the picnic of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association. A threatening storm forced him to cut his remarks short and he did not touch upon politics in any manner. It was Flag Day and he devoted what time he had to remarks appropriate to the occasion.

Visits East End.

The principal object of Mr. Steenerson's visit at this time was to explain to the people residing in eastern Pennington county just what has been done in the matter of improving the Red Lake river so as to prevent the lands along its course from being overflowed. Also to give information concerning the steps taken to provide a road for the Indians westward through the reservation.

Two meetings were held, one at Highlanding and one at Goodridge. Both were well attended and the information the congressman was able to present was received with much favor.

Indians Await Action.

Drainage of the reservation lands must be an accomplished fact before the lands are finally alloted to the Indians so as to give them their choice. When this matter is finally attended to the remainder of the reservation will in all likelihood be thrown open to settlement. Mr. Steenerson is hopeful of securing favorable action on the drainage bill at the short session of congress which convenes in December.

Road to the Lake.

Mr. Steenerson has been able to convince the department that in order to give the Indians an outlet to civilization, a road should be constructed across part of the reservation to connect with the county highway reaching the eastern terminus of Pennington county. Indian officials admitted that such road would be of great value to the Indians but doubted their right to appropriate monye from tribe funds for its construction. Mr. Steenerson suggested that the Indians furnish one-half of the necessary money and that the other half be taken from the federal road aid allotted to Minnesota. The state will have, in the neighborhood of $7,000,000 to its credit from this source within a short time and by securing legislation placing the Indian reservations on the same footing as counties it will be possible for the former to share in this distribution. The plan as now mapped out presents no grave difficulties, according to Mr. Steenerson, and he is hopeful of getting the matter under way in a short time.

Is Natural Playground.

"Opportunity should be given the people of western Minnesota and the Dakotas to visit this fine body of water," says Mr. Steenerson. "It is one of the great natural beauty spots still remaining untouched by the tide of modern commerce and every means should be employed to keep it in that condition."

Mr. Steenerson was very much pleased in being able to meet old friends again after having spent the past two years in Washington without much of an opportunity to get away, his duties as chairman of the committee on postoffices and postroads as well as the importance of the general legislation in which he is interested keeping him closely chained to his office.

—Trade at Home—

LOST BATALLION HERO RAPIDLY RECOVERING

Andrew Senum Has Been in Hospital Since His Return From the War.

According to reports received by his parents and County Auditor T. P. Anderson, who has taken a good deal of interest in the matter, Andrew Senum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Senum of Agder township, will soon be back in his old haunts. This lad left Thief River Falls to join the army in May, 1918, and must have been rushed to the front as he was in a number of actual engagements. He went over the top twice with his command and was with Major Wilkinson and the lost battalion in the spectacular performance of that unit. For 24 days the batallion was lost during the great Argonne offensive and were given up by the army authorities. A remnant finally showed up, however, after incredible hardships and at the close of one of the most sensational episodes of the war.

The exposure and hardship of the trip temporarily undermined the [illegible]

TIMES BULLETIN GIVES FIRST NEWS OF RESULT AT CHICAGO CONVENTION

The Times, through its special convention service, was able to post the name of the nominees of the Republican convention within a few minutes after the last ballot was taken on Saturday afternoon. This service was greatly appreciated by the people of the city, who for three days had been watching the bulletins posted in The Times' windows with keen interest.

Arrangements have been made for the same efficient service covering the Democratic convention at San Francisco, which convenes on the 28th.

Return From Convention.

J. L. Gassow, delegate from Lone Pine Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Thief River Falls, returned the first of the week from the annual meeting of the order at Mankato. Mrs. F. C. Dablow, grand chaplain of the Rebekah order in the state during the past year, and Mrs. J. F. Farr, delegate from the local lodge of the same organization, also returned. They report a most interesting meeting. Virginia was chosen as the place for holding the next state convention.

—Trade at Home—

Made Memorial Address.

E. M. Stanton of this city, made the address at the memorial observance of the Elks' lodge at Crookston, on Monday. According to reports the Thief River Falls man gave a brilliant talk to a large gathering.

Because of the impossibility of securing a suitable hall for the purpose this important event in the program of Elks' lodges, had to be postponed in Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

G.O.P. Rally Friday Night As a Windup

J. F. Jacobson and Fred W. Putnam Will Wind Up Primary Campaign.

Appearing on Behalf of the Regular Republican State Candidates.

Both Good Speakers and Will No Doubt Be Greeted by Large Crowd.

ANTI-SOCIALIST SPEAKER WITH WIDE REPUTATION SPEAKS HERE TONIGHT

Tonight at the auditorium the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity will have an opportunity of hearing one of the most famous opponents of socialism in the United States. F. G. R. Gordon, formerly a shoe cutter and a man who has been identified with organized labor for the past 25 years, will speak under the auspices of the American Anti-Socialist League.

For 14 years Mr. Gordon acted as an organizer for the American Federation of Labor and became convinced that the salvation of labor in this country is not over the socialistic route.

Because of his previous connections and the prominence he has gained as an opponent of the more radical division of organized labor, Mr. Gordon's addresses have been attracting considerable attention.

The last political rally of the preprimary period so far as Pennington county is concerned, will be held at the courthouse in Thief River Falls on Friday evening. Speakers advancing the cause of the candidates favored by the elimination convention last month will give their reasons for believing that the state will be best served by the selection of these men as standard bearers.

J. F. Jacobson of Lac qui Parle county, one of the wheel horses of Republicanism in Minnesota for many years and at one time candidate for governor, will be one of the speakers. "Jake" is regarded as a hard-headed and hard-hitting citizen and generally manages to make things interesting. He is a good speaker and has a wide following. Many years service in the legislature has made him acquainted with conditions in every part of the state and what he has to say is generally worth hearing. Mr. Jacobson is not a candidate for office this year but is lending his energy and influence toward securing the election of the ticket headed by J. A. O. Preus.

The other speaker is Fred W. Putnem, at the present time a member of the state railroad and warehouse commission and candidate for re-election. He has made something of a record while in office and will tell the people of this neighborhood the reasons he has for thinking he should be retained for another term. Mr. Putnem is opposed for the nomination by P. I. D. Osthy, formerly a resident of this section.

—Trade at Home—

Watch Your Rear Lghts And Don't Open Cut-Out

The police department of Thief River Falls is determined to make things disagreeable for those who pay no attention to traffic rules. On Monday morning ten citizens were brought before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant and charged with having driven their automobiles on the city streets without having complied in all respects with the ordinance governing such performance. The majority of the offenders were charged by Patrolman Andy Smith with [illegible]

Harding and Coolidge are Final Choice

Former Nominated on Tenth Ballot by Chicago Convention Saturday.

Deadlock Seemed Certain When Leaders Decided to Choose Ohio Senator.

Wood, Lowden and Johnson Were Leaders in Early Part of Contest.

Warren G. Harding, United States senator from Ohio, was nominated for president, and Calvin Coolidge, governor of Massachusetts, was named for vicepresident by the national republican convention at Chicago on Saturday evening.

The choice of Senator Harding was effected on the 10th ballot of the convention, and the sixth rollcall of the two session for the day, early in which the impossibility of nominating either General Leonard Wood or Governor F. O. Lowden was demonstrated.

General Wood went down fighting desperately to the last, but overwhelmed by the coalition of all his opponents under the Harding banner. Governor Lowden though he had forged ahead of Wood at the morning session, found his strength, like that of the general, receding, and, realizing his continuance in the contest only would prolong the deadlock, released his delegates, most of whom went to Harding and accomplished his nomination.

Harding received the necessary majority of 493 votes at 6:14 p. m., when Pennsylvania swung 60 delegates to his support, making his total at that point 520. The result of the complete rollcall on the 10th and final ballot was: Harding, 674; Wood, 157; Johnson, 80; Lowden, 12; scattering, 58.

Harding Virtual "Dark Horse."

Traditions were shattered in the choice of Harding. For the first time in the history of the nation a member of the United States senate was nominated for the presidency. In other respects the selection also was unusual. Harding started as one of the leading contenders for the nomination months ago, but he participated in only two primaries, Ohio and Indiana, and was widely regarded as having been eliminated by his failure to capture the solid delegation of his own state, and by the fact that he ran fourth in Indiana.

Wood Starts Strong.

Brig. Gen. Leonard Wood was a leader in the vote during the first five ballots. He started out with 287 delegates in his favor, reached his highest point, 312, on the seventh, and ended with 157 after the nomination of Harding was practically assured by the breaking to him of a number of large eastern states.

Lowden reached his highest point in the sixth and seventh, when he had 311 and was even with Wood. At no time up to the seventh ballot did Harding have over 100 votes, Senator Johnson leading him steadily until that time. The Hoover vote was negligible, he having five or six on each ballot and ending up with 9½. The total number of candidates receiving votes at one time or another during the convention was 22.

Coolidge on the First.

Calvin Coolidge received the vicepresidential nomination on the first ballot. Senator Lenroot of Wissonsin, was placed in nomination by Senator McCormick of Illinois, but received only 146 votes against 674 for Coolidge.

The Wisconsin delegation came to the convention with instructions to vote for LaFollette and stayed by him to the last, refusing even to make the nomination of Harding unanimous.

How Minnesota Voted.

The Minnesota delegation generally stuck to Gen. Wood, he receiving 19 votes on the first ballot, Johnson receiving 2 and Lowden 3. There was not much change in this lineup until the tenth ballot when 22 were cast for Wood. Coolidge received the state's 24 votes for vicepresident.

—Trade at Home—

$400 APPROPRIATION GIVEN COUNTY FAIR

Commissioners Refuse to Include Goodridge Show Resolution.

The majority of the board of county commissioners are evidently of the opinion that one agricultural fair is enough for Pennington county and do not feel justified in dividing the appropriation so as to cover any more. At their meeting last week the board members voted an appropriation of $400 in aid of the fair, first voting down an amendment to give a part of the money to the East End fair at Goodridge. Commissioners Hanson and Peterson favored a division but Roy, Naplin and McGinn voted against such action.

While this will no doubt prove something of a disappointment to the people in the eastern section of the county, the general opinion will be that the commissioners acted for the best interests of all. The Goodridge fair is a sectional proposition at best and those residing in other sections of the county receive practically no benefit from it. The commissioners who voted against the proposal felt that whatever encouragement that might be extended should go to the enterprise in which all the people have an interest.

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Miss Halvorson Elected As Junior at Oberlin

Miss Doris M. Halvorson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Halvorson of 515 [illegible]

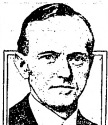

Calvin Coolidge, Candidate for Vice President.

CALVIN COOLIDGE

Born July 4, 1872 at Plymouth, Vermont.

Graduated from Amherst college.

Began political career as city councilman in 1899.

Elected to state legislature in 1907.

Elected mayor of Northhampton in 1911.

Elected to state senate in 1913.

Elected lieutenant governor in 1915.

Elected governor in 1918.

Re-elected governor in 1919.

DULUTH MOB LYNCHES THREE NEGRO FIENDS

Victims Accused of Attacking Young White Girl—Jail is Stormed.

Three negroes were lynched at Duluth Tuesday night by a mob estimated at 5,000 persons, which overpowered the police, took possession of police headquarters and seized the negroes, who were held in connection with an attack on a young white girl.

Not a shot was fired in the attack on the police station, the members of the mob using bricks and other missiles, and in the final stages of the fight, streams of water from the fire hose taken from the police themselves.

A mock trial was held by the mob in the station and three negroes were found guilty while three others, also held in connection with the assault, were acquitted and turned back to the police.

Eight policemen and a newspaper reporter suffered minor injuries in the attack on the police station. They were hit by bricks or other missiles, or were swept off their feet and severely bumped in the water fight.

The negroes hanged were Isaac McGhie, Elmer Jackson and Nate Green, all about 22 years old. They were lynched in the order named at 11:30 p. m., 11:38 p. m. and 11:45 p. m., respectively. All professed their innocense.

The negroes were roustabouts with a circus that appeared in Duluth on Tuesday and the attack on the 17 year old white girl took place on the circus grounds that night. The circus was in Virginia on Wednesday, and it was said eight negroes were taken into custody there, but only four held.

—Trade at Home—

ELKS PLANNING BIG TIME FRIDAY NIGHT

Initiation, Musicale and Dance Included in Elaborate Program.

Thief River Falls lodge of Elks is arranging for one of the biggest parties of its history tomorrow evening. There are about 30 fawns to be initiated into the order and something special in the way of entertainment has been arranged. The initiation proper will take place at Masonic hall and will begin at 7:30 sharp.

In the meantime the wives and daughters of Elks will be entertaining the ladies of the out-of-town members at a card party held at the auditorium. Mrs. L. G. Larsen is at the head of a committee which has arranged an excellent program for this part of the evening's entertainment, which will begin at 8 p. m. sharp. As soon as the initiatory ceremonies are over the men folks will join the ladies at the auditorium and dancing will be the order of the evening.

It is particularly desired that the out-of-town members of the order be present at this entertainment, the affair being largely gotten up for their benefit. They are urged to bring their ladies along on this trip and particular efforts will be made to see that the latter have a good time.

—Trade at Home—

Turning Out Excellent Mechanics at High School

Four members of the Thief River Falls high school faculty will leave shortly to take up post graduate work. Supt. W. A. Ziegler goes to the university of Minnesota for a month or six weeks, as does Miss Zella Zeh, commercial teacher. M. A. Schmitt and Clarence Pope of the mechanical department will acquaint themselves further with the requirements of the Smith-Hughes law at the same institution.

Mr. Schmitt's pupils are progressing at a most satisfactory rate. Among the tasks performed by them toward the close of the term was the dismembering of a Ford car, scattering its "innards" all over the place, and then assembling them into a per- [illegible]

Free Church Closes Great Convention

Delegates From All Sections of Northwest in Session Here For Week.

Resolution Denouncing Radicalism Passed Practically Without Opposition.

Increased Budget Voted For Support of Home and Foreign Missions.

The twenty-fourth annual convention of the Lutheran Free church of America came to a close in this city on Tuesday evening after the most successful session in the history of the organization. The convention began on Wednesday, June 9.

These meetings were held in the auditorium and at times there were more than 1500 people in attendance. Delegates were present from all northwestern states as well as most provinces of western Canada. The meetings were harmonious throughout and much good work was accomplished. The visitors were loud in their praise of the manner in which the local congregation, under the leadership of Rev. George Larson, the pastor, had arranged for their comfort and appreciated greatly the general welcoming attitude of our people.

Church is Progressive.

There were delegates from 475 congregations present and almost without exception these reported the work of the church in their neighborhoods as progressing in a very satisfactory manner. The institutions, both educational and charitable, associated with the church, are prosperous and growing in popularity. The English language is supplanting the Norwegian at an amazing rate, fully 45 per cent of the churches employing the former in at least one-half of the services, while 60 per cent of the young peoples' work is carried on in that language. A resolution was passed by an almost unanimous vote condemning all radical political movements.

Besides the auditorium and the Zion church building, other edifices were offered the visitors for their use. Night sessions in the English language were held at Trinity Lutheran and on Sunday a number of pulpits in the city were filled by visiting clergymen.

Exerpt of Transactions.

As it would be impossible to give anything like a complete record of the transactions of the convention, a summary has been placed at the disposal of The Times. Following are some of the outstanding features:

Voted to establish a Bible school in the fall. This school will be a co-educational institution.

Four permanent professors were added to the faculty of Augsburg Seminary, Minneapolis, namely: Prof. R. B. Nell, chair of natural science; Prof. Elmer D. Busby, professor of mathematics; Prof. L. Lillehei, formerly of Luther Bible school, chair of church history on the theological faculty. Rev. C. E. Norberg was elected to fill the vacant professorship in Norse.

Two thousand persons were present at morning worship on Sunday, when Rev. C. Ytrehus, chairman of the board of home missions, delivered the sermon.

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Dyrnes, missionaries in Madagascar for 17 years, were among the most interesting delegates at the convention. Both gave valuable accounts of the present work.

On Sunday evening a young peoples' rally was held in the auditorium, the hall being packed to capacity. Rev. O. H. Sletten, president-elect, was the principal speaker.

Monday's sessions were largely taken up with business matters of one kind and another.

Corporation board of Oak Park Lutheran Ladies' seminary at Fargo announced that work on the erection of a new $60,000 school building will be commenced next month. This is the fourteenth year of the school and a considerable increase in attendance was reported for the past season.

New Augsburg Members.

The board of corporation of Augsburg seminary elected S. O. Severson, at present principal of Simmons school, Minneapolis, and S. Hovland of Sauk Creek, Wis., as members and also re-elected Otto Hanson of Minneapolis as a member of the board of trustees.

Following are the officers elected by the Women's Mission league of the church: President, Mrs. M. Mattson, Minneapolis; vice president, Mrs. A. Olson, Morris; secretary, Mrs. J. Mortensen, Fosston; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. Carlson, Wanamingo; treasurer, Mrs. A. Oftedal, Minneapolis. The league voted to build a new mission station at Honan, China, and to increase the church extension fund.

The minister's pension society reported a surplus of $12,000.

Rev. S. M. Miller, dean of the Lutheran Bible Institute, St. Paul,

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Made Member of State Draft Board Association

County Auditor T. P. Anderson was this week notified of his appointment as a member of the executive committee of the Minnesota State Draft Board association. The duties or requirements of this organization are a trifle indefinite, but the personnel will be maintained in order that should necessity for the services of the men who assisted in assembling the army during the late war arise again, their whereabouts will easily be determined.

—Trade at Home—

Sugar Rationing is Again Ordered For Restaurants

Rationing of sugar as in wartime is to go into effect in hotels and restaurants throughout the country [illegible] June 21, Armin W. Riley, special assistant to Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer, announced last week.

Fair Profits For Weekly His Subject

Chairman of Committee on Newspaper Production Costs Makes Statement.

Publishers Must Have 20 Cents Per Inch Even With 500 Circulation.

The Times Has Twice Number of Readers Necessary to Justify Its Schedule.

The cost of producing a weekly newspaper under present conditions has lately been the subject of exhaustive investigation by the American Newspaper Publishers association, and some of the findings are startling. They prove that in but few instances are publishers receiving anywhere near the returns to which the service they render entitles them and it is only a matter of a very short time until they will go to the wall unless they employ modern methods in the conduct of their business.

E. K. Whiting of the Owatonna (Minn.) Journal-Chronicle, was chairman of this committee, and has given the newspaper men as well as the public the benefit of a few observations of his own at the same time as he submits the report, which, by the way, was approved unanimously. The investigation was made for the purpose of finding a basis of procedure that would be fair to both publisher and advertiser and the result represents the work of months and an investigation covering a large section of the country.

The Times Rate Low.

It will be noted by Mr. Whiting's article that any paper having a subscription list of 2000 should make a charge of 35 cents per inch for advertising. The Thief River Falls Times has a list of more than twice this number, yet this is the price made on contracts. If the ratio were carried out so as to cover papers in The Times class the price would be nearer 50 cents per inch, than 35 cents.

Mr. Whiting's report is interesting to any person interested in advertising costs and is absolute proof that the per inch cost for space in The Times is low when its standing and circulation is taken into consideration.

Two Examples Cited.

A part of the schedule recommended was published in this paper last week. Following are the recommendations and suggestions and made a part of the report:

"In the formulation of a schedule of advertising rates for country newspapers the committee appointed by the National Editorial association indorsed the accompanying schedule only after careful study of all cost data obtainable. The cost data of two well-known mid-West home print weeklies with circulation of 2,200 each was used as a basis upon which to build the proposed schedule. Both of these newspapers operate with Standard cost systems and the papers are very similar in makeup, size and number of pages issued during the year. The total cost of production, including ad composition, news composition, presswork, makeup, mailing, print paper, editorial department and all direct expenses chargeable to the newspaper, was $11,212.42 for one and $11,119.03 for the other.

Cost Steadily Advancing.

"In order that publishers of this class of papers may net themselves 20 per cent profit on the gross receipts of their newspapers it was shown by cost data presented that a basic rate of 35 cents an inch must be charged. This rate provides for 15 per cent agency commission for all plate contracts and a similar discount to local advertisers making yearly contracts. In this connection attention of doubting Thomases is called to the fact that the average hour costs on the two newspapers taken as a basis upon which to formulate the schedule of advertising rates, are considerably lower than the national average for 1919.

"The committee was thoroughly convinced by cost data presented that no publisher could produce an inch of advertising for less than 20 cents and for that reason papers of 500 circulation or less are given that rate. In stepping up and down from the basic rate of 35 cents for papers of 2,000 circulation one member of the committee suggested the heretofore accepted rate of one-half cent per hundred circulation. This rate was quickly rejected when it was found that print paper costing 10 cents a pound, which is the average price these days, and carrying 50 per cent advertising and 50 per cent reading matter actually costs 1 cent an inch per 500 copies for white space alone. It was found possible to decrease this "spread" slightly with papers of over 2,500 circulation due to the possibility of distributing the overhead charges over a greater volume of business.

Serious Times Ahead.

"These are indeed serious times for country publishers and few seem to have really analyzed the true reasons for the startling increase in cost of production. The prevailing prices of print paper, that by many seem to be largely responsible for increased cost of newspaper production, are in reality, but a nominal factor with the country publisher with limited circulation. Pay rolls have mounted startlingly the past few years and the day of $15 printers is fast coming to the $45 mark. The little old drum cylinder that used to cost around $800 or $900 erected in your shop, now costs three times that amount F. O. B. factory. The 10 by 15 jobber that some of us have bought in the past as low as $165 now costs the modest sum of $530. Same way with type, ink, and everything entering into the cost of printing. Why, even the "devil" now starts his profession in Minnesota with a minimum wage of $7.20 and in nine months draws down $11 a week.

"Country newspaper advertising rates have been ridiculously inadequate in the past and in order that the country publisher may survive and function in his community as he should, he must draw adequate compensation for himself and in addition make a profit from his business. In no other way can the country newspaper effectively serve its community and the nation as a whole."

—Trade at Home—

Cannery For Baudette.

Baudette Region: The foundation for the canning factory has been completed and work on the building is being rushed so that it will be ready for the produce as soon as it comes in. The prospects of a splendid yield of small berries was never better.

There was a light frost in certain localities last week, but it did no damage to the blossoms, and prospects of anything indicating small crops are very much wanting. The cool weather will assist in making the berries larger than ever and altogether this should be a banner crop.

—Trade at Home—

No Damage by Flood.

Grygla Eagle: Last Tuesday evening a very heavy rain storm swept over the state. In some places it was almost a flood. The vicinity of Grygla was not hurt in any way, but there was enough. Seeding is pretty well done and everything is growing fast. Crop prospects are good around here.

Free Church Closes Great Convention

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addressed the convention on the Bible school movement.

English Conference.

The Oak Grove ladies' choir from Fargo, arrived at the convention from an extended tour of North Dakota and appeared in a concert on Saturday evening. The auditorium was filled and the entertainment the best of its kind ever given in the city.

The English conference of the Lutheran Free church, organized in 1905, held its convention at the same time. It was recommended that greater activity be shown in the work among young people and that a Sunday school training course be instituted.

Rev. Claus Morgan, Minneapolis, chairman of the convention, reported extensive work on the part of the field secretary.

At the Sunday morning devotionals Rev. Chr. Ytrehus, traveling secretary for the board of home missions, made an appeal for the support of more extensive work in the Northwest.

Rev. O. H. Setten, representative of the Lutheran Free church to the National Lutheran council, reported on the progress of European reconstruction work.

The question of moving Augsburg seminary to another location was discussed but no action taken.

In Aid of Institutions.

The committee on the board of organization delivered a report presenting 83 resolutions to the assembly. Suggestion for a plan of action in dealing with the following institutions were included: Norwegian Lutheran Deaconness institute at Minneapolis; Zion society for Israel; Ladies' Auxiliary league, and Minister's Pension society. Bethany college at Everett, Wash., was voted moved to Seattle. The convention also voted to consolidate the 17 church treasuries to facilitate the handling of funds.

FREE CHURCH (Continued.)

It was recommended that the independent corporation of Oak Grove seminary at Fargo be incorporated as an integral part of the Lutheran Free church.

The only subject calling forth anything in the nature of a heated argument was the question of moving Augsburg seminary from its present location in Minneapolis. No decision was reached but the assembly seemed inclined to favor the removal of at least the deaconness department of the school to some site in the vicinity of Minneapolis where a more spacious campus could be provided.

H. Jackson of Minneapolis was elected to fill a vacancy on the board of directors of the Lutheran Free Church Messenger.

Committee Elections.

The following members were elected as a parochial educational committee: Prof. J. L. Nydall, Rev. A. Oftedal, Mrs. P. W. Erickson. A board of directors for the Bible school of the church, the establishment of which was authorized, was chosen as follows: Three year term, Rev. J. Mattson, Minneapolis; Rev. Amund Ostmo, Grand Forks. Two year term, Rev. Andrew Olson, McIntosh, Minn.; Gilbert Severson, Sand Creek, Wis. One year term, Prof. Gustav Norberg, Fargo; Prof. L. Lillehei, Minneapolis.

A music committee was appointed, composed of the following: Prof. M. Bjornson, Fargo; Rev. I. Hovdal, Hatton, N. D.; Miss Julia Brekke, Aneta, N. D.

Rev. O. H. Sletten was appointed to fill the vacancy on the organization committee made vacant by the resignation of Rev. Claus Morgan. The latter was elected transportation secretary of the church.

The following were elected as officers of the English conference: President, Rev. T. O. Burntvedt; Minneapolis; vice president, J. M. Halvorson, Northwood, N. D.; secretary, Rev. John Huiom, Madelia, Minn.; treasurer, Prof. T. A. Sneegen.

Young Peoples' Federation.

A federation of all the young peoples' societies of the church was discussed at length and a resolution authorizing establishment of such federation passed. A committee to arrange the preliminary steps was appointed as follows: Bernhard A. Helland, Minneapolis; Rev. H. A. B. Winthers, Climax; Rev. Elmer Huset, Rochester; Alfred Adsen, Minneapolis; Rev. L. M. Hostager, Brainerd. The new federation will have a membership of 7,000.

The assembly voted its unqualified approval of all steps taken to enforce national prohibition.

The Closing Sessions.

The final day brought a rush of business. Resolutions to the number of 75 were entertained but in spite of this fact the convention finished its work on schedule time. Rev. Johan Mattson, Minneapolis, the retiring chairman, proved himself a master parliamentarian and carried the business of the afternoon along at a good pace.

The committee covering the report of the board of home missions recommended a budget of $50,000 for the coming year. More extensive evangelistic work in the English language was decided upon.

A more strict observance of Sunday was advocated and the closing of the Minnesota state fair on that day recommended. The following were appointed as a committee to have charge of this matter: Rev. O. H. Sletten, Prof. G. Sverdrup, Hon. O. O. Sageng.

As a final act the board of trustees of Augsburg seminary were instructed to purchase grounds for a campus on the outskirts of Minneapolis and to establish a co-educational academy on the new site.

The convention closed with an address by Rev. I. Tollefson of Ferndale, Wash.

THANKS CITIZENS FOR COURTESIES EXTENDED VISITING DELEGATES

The Lutheran Free church has just closed in this city the most successful convention held during its 24 years of existence. It is no small undertaking for a place the size of Thief River Falls to assume the role of host to a gathering of 1,500 strangers and the fact that these were all taken care of with so little confusion and inconvenience speaks well for the co-operation extended by all our people.

I wish at this time particularly to thank the congregations and pastors of other churches in the city for the many kindnesses shown in assisting to make this even the great success it undoubtedly proved. Also the members of the school board for placing at our disposal the Central building, the city council for the free use of the auditorium and the many who without cost to them provided quarters for visiting delegates.

GEORGE LARSON,
Pastor Zion Lutheran Church.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

How Farm Production Is Geared to Demand

SINCE the discovery of petroleum, the per capita production of wheat in the United States has more than doubled, and this in the face of a constantly decreasing percentage in our farm population. The products of petroleum have been largely responsible for the increase.

In 1850, 90 percent of our people lived on farms; in 1919 only 33 percent of the population was listed as rural.

In 1850 the per capita production of wheat was 4.4 bushels, while in 1919 it was almost 9 bushels.

On the farms of the Middle West—the bread-basket of the nation—the gas engine is best known. And here this engine is plowing, seeding, and harvesting by the square mile instead of by the acre, and it is doing the work better, quicker, and cheaper than it could be done by horse-power.

These engines must have gasoline, and they must have oil, both products of petroleum.

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The manufacture and distribution of gasoline, lubricating oils, and other petroleum products, have been developed to a high degree of efficiency by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

This organization, trained by years of experience to anticipate unheralded conditions, has been able to foresee and prepare to meet problems, which, unsolved, might have proved disastrous.

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MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
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There is a three-fold satisfaction enjoyed by those who make this store their Furniture Headquarters. First, there is the satisfaction of knowing that for every dollar they expend they get a full dollar's value; second, the joy and contentment of having their home furnished with furniture of the better quality; third, they know that the price paid has been right.

WE OUTFIT HOMES COMPLETELY

The proper furniture for every room from hall to garret. This includes the carpets and stoves, oil cloths, lineoleums, congoleums, etc. Do not make your selections before seeing our line.

Larson Furniture Co.

There's always room at the top
for Highest Possible Quality at Lowest Possible Price

Spur Cigarettes

HERE is the topmost cigarette—the highest point of smoking enjoyment and satisfaction—the SPUR CIGARETTE. Studied "from the ground up"—in seed, soil, plant and culture. Studied in blending, studied in making, studied in packing. ∞ Spurs are blended in a new way from American and Oriental tobaccos, bringing out to the full that good old-time tobacco taste. ∞ The satiny imported paper is crimped, not pasted, making an easier-drawing, slower-burning cigarette. ∞ You'll approve of the smart brown and silver packet, three-fold, that preserves Spur's taste and fragrance.

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

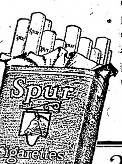

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Society

Wilson-Rank.

The C. M. Wilson home, Markley avenue north, was the scene of a very pretty wedding Thursday evening, June 10th when their daughter, Miss Agnes was united in marriage to Theron L. Rank of Dover, this state. The bride looked charming in a gown of white organdie. She wore a beautiful corsage bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. There were no attendants. Before the ceremony was performed Miss Meta Kiland sang "Oh Promise Me." Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city was the officiating minister. Directly after the ceremony a sumptuous three course wedding supper was served to the guests who included only the immediate relatives and intimate friends of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Rank left on the flyer for the twin cities and Chicago where they will spend a two weeks' honeymoon. The bride wore a handsome traveling suit of blue taffeta with hat to match. They will be at home to their many friends at Dover where the groom is connected with a bank. The bride is one of the highly esteemed and popular young ladies of this city and has spent practically all of her life in this vicinity. She was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1912, after which she completed a course in English at the University of Minnesota. During the past two years she has been engaged as instructor of English in the local high school. Their many friends wish them all the joys of a happy wedded life.

Miller-Shetler.

Announcements were received in this city on Saturday of the marriage of Miss Florence Adylynn Shetler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Shetler, Arnold avenue, this city, to Eldon Monroe Miller of Gold Beach, Ore. The bride is a graduate of the local high school with the class of 1918, taking also a post graduate course in the Normal training department. Since the time of completing her course she has been teaching school. The newlyweds are taking an extensive trip into the southern states and Panama canal zone. They wil make their home at Gold Beach, Ore.

Sether-O'Leary.

Friends of Miss Alma Sether will be surprised to learn of her marriage to T. J. O'Leary of Lucerne, B. C., Canada. The wedding took place in Winnipeg at 3:30 on Saturday afternoon, June 5, the newlyweds arriving in this city the same day. They left Saturday morning for Lucerne, where they will reside. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether of this city and until a few years ago made her home here. The groom is a conductor on the Canadian Northern railroad.

Married.

John Pearson of Roseau county and Miss Carin Olson of Pennington county, were married last Friday at the office of Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant. The couple left in the evening for Mahnomen, where they expect to make their home.

Conner-Klinke.

Frank Conner and Miss Mae Klinke were quietly married at 6:30 Friday afternoon, June 11, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conner, 720 LaBree avenue north. Besides the immediate relatives present at the ceremony were Mrs. Davidson, sister of the bride, and Miss Palma Holmes. An elegant wedding dinner immediately followed the ceremony. The newlyweds left on the evening train for Hibbing, where they will make their future home.

For Miss Sandum.

Misses Tillie Sundahl, Amy Krohn and Lena Evenson were hostesses at a parcel shower on Saturday evening at the home of the former, in compliment to Miss Gertrude Sandum, a bride of the month. The evening was very pleasantly spent in conversation and music, and was concluded with a delightful lunch. Miss Sandum received many handsome and useful gifts.

In Honor of Miss Booren.

A pleasant informal afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. A. S. Sapero when she entertained a few ladies on Tuesday afternoon in compliment to Miss Olive Booren who is visiting in this city. The hours were spent in conversation and a delicious lunch was served at the close of the afternoon.

Picnic.

A delightful picnic supper was enjoyed by the employes of the Loken department store on Tuesday evening. The picnicers were taken by car to a place about three miles west of town, where the sumptuous spread was enjoyed. There were about twenty in the party, including Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken.

Luther League.

The Young Peoples Luther League of the Trinity church will meet in the church basement Thursday evening, June 24th at 8:00 o'clock. Lunch will be served by Mesdames O. Ramstad, E. B. Bakke, O. H. Nelson and I. T. Aastad.

In Honor of Mrs. Hermanson.

Misses Amy Krohn and Abbie Evenson are entertaining at the G. H. Smith home this evening at a parcel shower in honor of Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, whose marriage was recorded in these columns last week.

—Trade at Home—

Obituary

Anna J. Duntley

Anna J. Duntley died on May 29 at the Rest hospital in Minneapolis. Deceased had been employed as a graduate nurse in Minneapolis for the past 15 years, previous to which time she conducted a confectionery store in St. Hilaire for a considerable time.

Short services were held in the Johnson undertaking parlors, Minneapolis, on Monday, May 31. The remains were brought to Hazel by Mr. and Mrs. John E. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gustafson. The funeral took place from Clara Swedish Lutheran church on Wednesday afternoon and interment was made in the family plot adjoining the church.

Two brothers and a sister are left to mourn her loss. The former are John E. Peterson of Hazel and Chas. Peterson of Canada, while the sister is Mrs. E. B. Gustafson of Fertile.

Bert B. Lufkin.

On Tuesday occurred the death of Bert B. Lufkin at his home, 230 Markley avenue north. The cause of death was hardening of the arteries, from which he had been suffering for the past two years. Bert B. Lufkin was born in the state of Maine on May 31, 1858, making his age at the time of death 62 years and 15 days. He had resided in this vicinity for a number of years, having been engaged in farming. Two years ago he moved to this city because of failing health. Besides his wife he is survived by four children, all of whom are grown up. They are Elmer, Kenneth, and Mrs. A. D. Hall of this city, and a married daughter residing in North Dakota.

Ramon S. Olson.

Ramon S. Olson of Holt died in this city on Tuesday, June 15, at the age of 54 years, 2 months and 24 days. Deceased was born in Norway and came to this country when four years of age. Interment will take place in the Holt cemetery next Saturday.

—Trade at Home—

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all our friends who so kindly extended their help and sympathy thru our recent sorrow, the death of our husband and father, and for the many floral offerings.

Mrs. Mary Stenberg
Arthur Stenberg
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stenberg
Martin Stenberg
Inga Stenberg
Otto Stenberg

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—Trade at Home—

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—June 20: 11 a. m. combined service of church and Sunday school. All church people are requested to be present and lend their encouragement to the work our young people are doing. Evening meeting begins at 8 p. m. The address will be on "Coming Americans." *Accompanying and illustrating the address* some sixty slides will be used with a stereopticon throwing pictures on the canvas. Everyone is invited to enjoy this evening meeting with us. The Woman's Missionery society meets on June 18 at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Barackman, 518 Main Ave. N.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching in the German language at 10 a. m. The Ladies Aid meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement with Mrs. E. H. Kreidt. The choir meets Tuesday and Thursday evening. The annual Mission festival will be held June 29.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services, city, 11 a. m. Service at Norden, 3 p. m. Service, city, 8 p. m. Goodridge Ladies aid on Wednesday, June 23 at 2 p. m. Confirmation in Rosewood Sunday, June 27.

—Trade at Home—

Sleeper Service on Soo Taken Off For Few Days

The sleeping car service over the Soo railway to and from Thief River Falls will be interrupted for a short time soon. The car will make its last trip southbound on the night of June 23, the schedule being again resumed on the night of June 29.

LOCALS WIN IN GOOD GAME FROM RED LAKE

Wound Up Strong After Being Held Down During Eight Frames.

A batting rally in the eighth inning, coupled with a number of errors on the part of the visitors, gave Thief River Falls the edge on the ball game played against Red Lake Falls last Sunday. The score at the wind-up was 6 and 5, but until the eighth inning the boys from the lower town had the best of it. Then something happened to change things around. Timely hitting started a last-minute spurt which ragged fielding helped along. Five scores were gathered during this session and this proved to be just enough. The game was a good one throughout.

Thief River Falls did not score at all until the sixth inning, while the visitors secured one in the first, three in the fourth and one in the seventh, the game standing five to one in their favor at the opening of the eighth.

A return game will be played at Red Lake Falls on Sunday and the probabilities are that a large number of fans will accompany the team from here.

Following was the lineup in Sunday's game here:

T. R. F.		R. L. F.
Graden	c	Healy
B. George	ss	Breastan
L. George	2b	Duchaim
Brazel	p	Keifenheim
Herron	lf	Zens
Jonas	3b	Swaboda
Prugh	cf	Guchmitt
Millar	1b	Letendrens
Eggerud	rf	B. Duchaim

Score by innings:—
T. R. Falls 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 5 x—6
R. L. Falls 1 0 0 3 0 0 1 0 0—5
Umpire, Busse of Red Lake Falls.

—Trade at Home—

New Buttermaker Arrives Takes Place of Haselrud

Harold Olson, accompanied by Mrs. Olson and their two children, arrived the first of the week from Grand Forks and will make their home in the city. Mr. Olson, who was formerly connected with the Bridgeman-Russell company at the Grand Forks branch of that concern, will take the position of buttermaker at the Thief River Falls creamery, to which he was appointed by the directors upon the resignation of Lars Haselrud.

Mr. Haselrud will leave this week for Werner, N. D., to become superintendent of the state-owned creamery recenty established at that place.

—Trade at Home—

O'Neill Coming to Vote; County is Still His Home

D. P. O'Neill, former state senator and at present a member of the state board of grain appeals, regards Pennington county as his home in spite of being located in Minneapolis for the time being. In a letter to County Auditor T. P. Anderson he asks that his name be registered as a voter here, but this will not be necessary as no such proceeding is required except in the large cities. "D. P." says that this is still his home and that he is coming to do all his voting where he has done it for many years past. Also that at the end of his term he is coming back as a permanent fixture.

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Boys' and Girls' Tennis Shoes, sizes 11 to 2. Priced at $1.35	Ladies' Tennis Shoes, sizes 2½ to 7. Priced at $1.50
Children's Tennis Shoes, size 5 to 10½. Priced at $1.15	Ladies' Tennis Shoes with heel, sizes 3 to 8. Priced at $2.15
Misses' Mary Jane Keds, sizes 11 to 2. Priced at $1.20	Ladies Mary Jane Keds, sizes 3 to 7. Priced at $1.35
Children's Mary Jane Keds, size 5 to 10½. Priced at $1.10	Ladies Mary Jane Keds, sizes 3 to 6½. Priced at $1.80
Big Boys' Tennis Shoes, sizes 2½ to 6. Priced at $1.45	White Shoe Powder, 2 for 25c

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Oxfords and Pumps in canvas and leather, all colors and styles, including Queen Quality and other high grade makes, on sale at a special 10 per cent discount.

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Daily, 8:30 a. m. to 6 p. m.
Saturdays 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m.

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This Sale will last 3 days only. Come early.

Annual Remnant Sale

Remnants Galore of everything in yard goods, ribbons, white goods, wash goods, linens, toweling, percales, outing flannels, ginghams, georgettes, crepe de chenes, messaline silks, taffetas, poplins, laces, embroideries, woolen goods, cretones, curtain goods, malls, crepes, sheetings, muslins, oil cloths, longcloths, nainsooks, linings, buntings, etc., etc. Remnants of every kind and description, including our entire stock of short-ends and mill-ends, and traveling samples. All of it goes on one grand Remnant Sale commencing Saturday morning, June 19th at 10 o'clock A. M. Sharp.

At a Cash Saving to You of 25, 33⅓ and 50 Per Cent

If you want to save Big Money on your Purchases this is your greatest opportunity. The entire store will be re-arranged, displaying and showing nothing but remnants. On account of there being thousands of different kinds and lengths of remnants, and very few where there are two alike it makes it impossible to quote prices. But here are a few taken from random:

1¼ yds. Silk 40 in. Printed Georgette	3½ yd. Length of 36 in. Percales	3 Yds. of Lace	1½ yd. Length of plain 40 in. Georgettes	1¼ Yds. of Wide Fancy Hair Bow Ribbon	1½ Yds. of White Voile
would cost you $4.38 if bought off the piece by the yard. Price of remnant	worth $1.40 at 25% off. Price of remnant	worth 10c per yard. On this sale, price of remnant	A good waist pattern worth $5.25. Price of remnant	worth 63c. Price of remnant	worth 75c. Price of remnant
$2.47	$1.05	19c	$2.98	45c	49c

This sale will last 3 days only, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, June 19, 21 and 22. Remember those 3 days only.

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LET COMMON SENSE DECIDE.

There really is only one good reason for retaining Halvor Steenerson as congressman from the Ninth Minnesota district. There may be a larger number in the opinion of personal friends, but so far as the people of the district are concerned there is but one and it is this: The district will be better served by his remaining where he is than by the election of any other man.

A great deal might be said concerning the things he has accomplished for the district during the eighteen years he has served as its representative, but even this would weigh but little in his favor if another were now available who would or could do more in the future. The people are to elect a man for his future usefulness, and past performances, even when these are of the highest order, are a secondary consideration.

Does any man in the district really believe that his interests could be so well looked after in Washington if another were to supplant the present congressman? If so he has a very limited knowledge of workings and processes at the national capital. A new man would be an apprentice. He would be at the bottom of the committee lists. *Neither ability nor* exalted purpose would get him anywhere for years to come. There are certain rules and methods of procedure connected with being a congressman that none escape. Nothing has ever overcome the priority rule. The valuable representatives are those permitted to remain on the job year after year.

Steenerson knows the ropes. He has reached a point attained by but few Minnesota congressmen before him. He and Volstead are at the head of major committees while those from the other districts are for the most part far down in the ranks.

Supposing that one of Mr. Steenerson's present opponents could be elected. No matter how hard he might try to force himself forward he could not reach the eminence now occupied by the Ninth district member inside of fifteen or eighteen years, even though the party to which he belonged remained in power continuously during that time.

Re-elect Steenerson. To do otherwise would be like discharging a tried and valued servant merely because another might at some time make just as good a man. Your own personal interests demand that just a little judgment be displayed in making this choice.

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A RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT.

There is an organization functioning in the Red River valley to which the people residing in that garden spot owe a good deal. This debt is not recognized as clearly as it should be but it is there nevertheless.

The Minnesota Red River Valley Development association is the most helpful organization of its kind in the state. Nothing in any manner pertaining to the welfare of the district escapes its attention and its work in behalf of the people residing there is carried on with intelligent persistence at all times. Secretary Charles H. Zealand of Crookston, to whose excellent work much of the success of the association is due, has just published a list of the subjects in which it has interested itself. It will be noted that in nearly every instance the work undertaken has had to do with the improvement of agricultural conditions in the section. Other activities have from time to time engaged the attention of the members, but better farming has at all times been the object towards which its energies have generally been directed.

Mr. Zealand has issued a short summary of the achievements of the association and it will be seen that they have invariably been worth while. Here they are:

For the past six years has helped in the promotion and conduction of the Red River Valley farm crops and live stock winter shows through which ported that could not extend relief the agricultural and live stock development of the valley has unquestionably received much impetus and the valley derived much good, widespread publicity.

Has continuously agitated activities toward the control of floods. Sent delegation to Washington which was successful in interesting federal authorities. Was instrumental in the formation of various of the flood control boards under the new Cliff act.

When wheat price guarantee matter was up at the opening of war, maintained constant communication with representatives at Washington in efforts to insure a fair and equitable price to the grain growers of the Red River Valley.

Has expended a considerable sum in the fight against the barberry bush as a producer of rust. Sent one member of a delegation from western states to Washington and got federal government active.

Has actively concerned itself in the matter of the sow thistle and is hopeful of being instrumental in the early eradication of this insidious and too lightly considered pest.

Before and during last potato shipping season sent numerous telegrams in efforts to increase available supply of cars for movement of Red River valley potatoes. Though the shortage remained acute, information is that the association's efforts were not without effect.

Sent telegrams in protest against proposed increase in rail-and-water transportation rates on grounds of such increase being detrimental to producers of northwest.

At time of fuel shortage last winter, sent vigorous telegrams to Washington in protest of proposed diversion of coal from head-of-lakes.

Took up with all larger publications of northwest the matter of incorrect and injurious news reports of crop conditions, storms, floods, etc., in the valley.

When relief commission of state reported that it could not extend relief to flood sufferers to the extent of seed grain loans, hurriedly arranged for delegation which succeeded in getting decision reversed and loans extended. Action which will possibly mean hundreds of thousands of dollars in production in the affected areas.

Arranged for delegations from all parts of valley to hearing at Grank Forks on Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater project. Presentation made by representatives from this side of valley said to have been of exceptionally high order, and to have materially furthered this great project which can mean so much to the northwest in the matter of transportation.

Has endeavored at all times to asculture to carry forward the great work that it is doing for the agricultural development of the section—and the perhaps greater work it is doing in the development of the rising generation of the citizenry of Minnesota Red River Valley.

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HARDING AND COOLIDGE.

Republicans generally profess themselves as well satisfied with the ticket nominated at Chicago. The Democrats say that nothing could possibly have happened to suit them better. Everybody seems pleased and things are lovely.

It is certain that the nomination of Harding is something that but few Republicans in this section expected and not many wished for. An able man and most excellent citizen in every way, the general impression in this neighborhood is that he represents the old standpat element of the Republican party and is not in sympathy with the progressive wing. He prides himself on being a conserva- sist the Northwest School of Agri- tive, makes no bones of it and is one of those most violently opposed to any and everything with which President Wilson and the Democratic party has had anything to do. He is "regular" to the last degree, his friends declaring him safe, sane and dependable.

Just how traits of this character will hit the voters remains to be seen. All signs point to a Republican victory in the coming elections and while Harding is not by the majority regarded as the strongest man that could have been put up the probabilities are that he will be the next president of the United States.

Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts, the candidate for vice president, is the more spectacular figure of the two. There are many who believe that the ticket would have been better with the candidates transposed, but the convention evidently thought differently. Coolidge is strong with certain elements but may be found weak with labor. The very act that brought him prominently before the country—that of ousting the striking policemen in Boston—may not act as an asset when it comes to attracting votes.

Present indications are that the ticket will be elected, however, whatever its shortcomings or strong points. The platform on which it is placed before the people lacks the vigor and ring of Roosevelt's days and opponents will claim that it is a compromise and a straddle. How successful they are in convincing the country of this remains to be seen.

The Democrats meet at San Francisco on the 28th for the purpose of making nominations. When this detail is completed the country will be fairly launched on another presidential campaign. That it will lack interest is not likely.

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VOTE NEXT MONDAY.

The primary election in the state of Minnesota takes place next Monday. At that time the adherents of the different political divisions have the privilege of deciding upon the candidates to be voted for at the general election in November and it is as important that they indicate their choice as it is to cast their vote in the finals. In fact it is more important.

Pennington county is spared the ordeal of a county primary, something for which the people are no doubt thankful. That there will be any less interest taken in the matter than would have been the case had there been a county fight is very doubtful, however. Interest in the outcome among those who are seeking the higher places to be filled is perhaps more keen than at any other time in the state's history. The issues are sharply drawn and the voters generally have ere this decided upon their course.

The Times has no advice to offer as to how anyone should vote. That is his or her business and it is not likely that a newspaper's views would now materially affect the outcome. It is to be hoped, however, that every man in the state will give serious consideration to the duty confronting him. If this is done and the voter then casts his ballot in accordance with the conviction reached there is small danger of our doing anything very far out of the way.

It is the duty of every good citizen to go to the polling place in his precinct on Monday next and pick out the candidates of his party. Unless he does so he has but small right to roar afterwards if things do not go to suit him.

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To Begin Friday Morning and Continue 2 Weeks

We will place our entire stock on sale at an astounding cut in prices. The goods offered are not left-overs, seconds for the purpose of making an excuse for a so-called sale, but comprises goods carried regularly in our stock. Every shoe offered was bought for the present season's business and represents the latest in both style and quality.

Below will be found listed a few of the bargains offered during these two weeks.

Ladies' Shoes

The New Theo Tie

McKay Sole, Louis Heel. Regularly selling for $13. Now **$10.85**

Black Kid same description. Sold for $10.85, now **$8.85**

Brown Kid Theo Tie. Same description as above. Sold before at $11.50 **$9.85**

Black Kid Oxfords, McKay welt, Leather Louis heel; also in patent leather. Formerly $9.50, now **$7.85**

Same Shoe in Brown Kid. **$8.35**

These Oxfords also in Cuban heel.

Black and Brown one-eyelet. A Delphia pump, imitation turn 17-8 leather Louis heel Formerly $10.50. At this sale **$8.35**

Brown Kid Oxford, military heel, formerly $7.50 now **$4.95**

Same in black ---------- **$4.75**

Other Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords as low as ---- **$4.15**

Men's Shoes

Men's Cordovan Calf bal. Single sole tip welt. English last. These shoes formerly sold for $13. Now **$10.35**

Men's Tobacco Brown Calf, single sole, tip, welt. Formerly $10.50. Now **$8.85**

Men's Brown Calf, McKay, English last. Formerly $8.00, Now **$6.35**

Edmund's Foot Fitter. Solid leather, Edmo calf skin, rich, dark shade, Goodyear welt, grain oak outer and inner soles. Formerly $12. Now **$9.85**

Men's Vici Kid Goodyear welt, tip, Mahogany brown, Wall street last, Formerly $13. Now **$10.85**

Russian Calf, English Oxford, Goodyear welt, Bal. Formerly $12. Now **$10.35**

Men's English Calf, Bal. Mahogany, single sole, welt, rubber heel. Speed last. Formerly $10. Now **$8.35**

Growing Girls' and Misses' Shoes

Black Gun Metal Calf, seven inch lace, McKay, — Formerly $7.50 now **$5.35**

Same in Brown, formerly $8.50, now **$5.95**

Big Girls' Mahogany lace Oxfords, low heel, tip. Size 2½ to 7. **$4.55**

Misses, same as above. Sizes 12½ to 2. **$3.65**

Boys' Shoes

Boys' Cocoa Brown English, bal. sizes 2½ to 5½ **$4.85**

Same as above in youth's sizes, 12 to 2 **$4.35**

Boys' outing Shoes, green leather sole; sizes 2½ to 5½ **$3.65**

Youths Shoes, same as above; sizes 12 to 2 **$2.95**

Little Gents' Shoes. Same as above. Sizes 9 to 12 **$2.65**

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We pride ourselves on having the biggest and best stock of underwear, Munsing and Chalmers, and can sell them to you at 40% less than you can buy them anywhere.

Just think, Munsing $2.75 and $3.00 Union Suits in long or stouts, Fully 40% saving, at	$1.95
Chalmers spring middle white Union Suits, worth $2.50 anywhere, at	$1.75
Men's mesh Union Suits, For only	98c
Athletic Union Suits, Worth $1.75	$1.35

Dress Shirts

Men's Dress Shirts at Bargain Prices.

$2.50 Shirts, at	$1.95
$3.00 Shirts, at	$2.35
$3.50 Shirts, at	$2.85
$4.50 Shirts at	$3.45
$5.00 Shirts, at	$4.20
$6.50 Shirts, at	$4.95

Hats

Gordon & Stetson Hats below cost.

$6.00 Gordon Hats, at	$4.45
$9.00 Stetson Hats, at	$6.95
Panama Hats, at	$5.45
Carried over hats, good for work, at	$2.45

AUTO CAPS		BOYS' CAPS	
$1.50 Caps	$1.19	$1.00 Caps	65c
$2.00 Caps	$1.45	$1.50 Caps	95c
$3.50 Caps	$2.45	Children's Hats	65c
		Good Straw Hats	$1.15

Suit Bargains for Everybody

We are sure slashing prices on all of our suits to make this the greatest of all Clearance Sales.

Your unrestricted choice of our $40 line of Suits at $27.45. Too much cannot be written about the values of these suits. When you see them they speak for themselves and a big selection to choose from. $40.00 Suits—

$27.45

All wool worsted Suits of dependable fabrics in grey, blue or brown, regular $50 values, which will all go at this sale for a big honest saving—

$36.95

One lot of carried over Suits, odds and ends. Among them you will find Hart Schaffner and Society brand suits that used to sell for $25.00. They will all go at a clearance price of—

$18.95

Extraordinary values on our 3rd group of Hart Schaffner & Marx best Suits. These suits have to be seen to be appreciated. They are the very best of materials and workmanship. Regular $65, $70 and $75 suits. Your choice of this lot; this is remarkably low for these suits—

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Lucky chance for stout men. Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits at 40% below market values. We have 10 suits of these in Blue Serge, Stouts and long stouts; market price today $70. Closing out for $46.85. A sledge-hammer blow to high prices. If you need a suit you can save the difference between $70.00 and $46.85. **$46.85**

A wonderful buy. Just think, Hart Schaffner & Marx $60.00 Blue Serge Suits for $43.85. The suits are positively worth today $60.00. Your chance for the biggest bargain in the best line of suits on the market at rock-bottom prices. **$43.85**

Mothers!

The biggest values you have ever had are these wash suits. No need of wearing yourself out sewing in warm weather when you can buy this beautiful stylish Kaynee wash suit for less than the materials would cost you.

White Beach cloth Suits trimmed in black; a very stylish $3.50 suit for	$2.48
Madras wash suits, the kind that can stand the hard wear,	$2.69
Shrunk Cotton and plain Chambray, a very big assortment of styles	$2.39
Middy Cloth. Very stylish and nicely trimmed; the cloth alone is worth as much as the suit. Offered to you at	$2.48
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$1.00 Underwear, all styles	78c
$1.50 Balbriggans, at only	95c
One special lot left from last year at	69c
$1.25 boys' extra strong work shirts	89c
$1.50 boys' work shirts, at only	95c

Children's Stockings in white, brown or black	SPECIAL Boys' $1.50 Sport Shirts
27c	89c

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Men's Dress Shoes

Our regular $12.50 tan semi-English last	$9.65
Florsheim black English, values to $12	$8.85
Men's $8.50 Shoes	$6.45
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Sizes 2 to 5, Per pair	85c
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Good Sox **19c**	$1.00 President Suspenders **68c**	Men's Unionalls $4.00 at **$3.35** $6.00 at **$4.95**	Men's $1.25 and $1.50 Interwoven Silk Sox **95c**	$1.75 Good full size Work Shirts **$1.29**	Men's 25c Red or Blue Handkerchiefs **15c**	Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers **48c**	SPECIAL All Blue Serge Sailor Suits, regular $10.00 Suits at **$6.85** A big buy.	Boys' long Khaki Pants $2.25 values **$1.65**	Childs' 50c Barefoot Sox **39c**

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$7.50 Coats	$4.75
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$20.00 Coats	$14.45
$25.00 Coats	$17.45
$30.00 Coats	$23.45

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$7.50 Suits	$5.45
$11.00 Suits	$8.45
$13.00 Suits	$9.45
$15.00 Suits	$11.45
$20.00 Suits	$15.45

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Headlight, Carhartt, Finch, the 3 best known makes sold everywhere for $3.50, at **$2.95**

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All work or dress Pants at clearance prices.

$2.50 Khaki Pants	$1.85
$3.50 Khaki Pants	$2.85
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$5.00 dress Pants	$4.20
$7.00 Pants	$5.45
$12.00 Pants	$9.45

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$3.50 at	$2.45
$4.50 at	$3.45

Neckwear

All Ties greatly reduced

75c Ties	45c
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$1.50 Ties	95c
$2.00 Ties	$1.35
$2.50 Ties	$1.65
$3.00 Ties	$2.15

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS, Thief River Falls, Minn.

City News

Miss Eunice Peterson of St. Hilaire visited with friends between trains on Thursday.

Ben Habedank came down from his home in Mavie on Monday for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Ella Nelson of St. Hilaire was in the city the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Mrs. F. LaCount and son left on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls for a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. R. L. Olson of Holt passed Sunday visiting with her husband who is a patient at the Physicians hospital.

Miss Olive Booren arrived on Friday morning for a visit at the homes of her brothers, G. W. and H. A. Booren.

Miss Anna Aspelund spent a couple of days the latter part of last week visiting with friends and relatives in Lancaster.

Miss Mildred Gillette left on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where she spent a few days visiting with friends.

C. H. Gran returned to his home in this city on Tuesday evening from Warren where he has been confined in the hospital.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson, who has been attending Hamline university, returned to her home in this city on Wednesday morning.

Walter Larson of Newfolden arrived here on Monday and spent the day visiting with friends and also attending the community picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen returned to this city the latter part of the week after attending the U. C. T. convention held in Fergus Falls.

Miss Alice Modal returned to her home in Strathcona on Friday after a brief visit with her cousins, Misses Lida and Linda Anderson, in this city.

Miss Mildred Oen, stenographer for the Prichard company, left on Saturday evening for her home in Alexandria where she will spend her vacation.

Miss Huldah Fossum, who taught school at Lowry the past term, left on Saturday afternoon for Moorhead where she will attend summer school.

Rev. O. H. Sletten of Minneapolis was among those who attended the Lutheran Free Church convention in this city. He returned home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. G. Hagen arrived last Thursday evening from Warren where she visited with friends, and left the following morning for her home in Birchdale.

Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Helseth left on Wednesday morning for their home in Bisbee, N. D. While here they attended the Lutheran Free Church convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tanem and daughter arrived on Saturday afternoon from their home in Baudette and will be guests of the former's mother for a few days.

Mrs. Peter Neth and children returned to their home in Grand Forks on Monday having spent two weeks visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. M. Werstlein.

Rev. and Mrs. Mattson of Minneapolis were in the city since last Thursday attending the Lutheran Free Church convention. They returned to their home on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. S. Iverson and daughter, Miss Sadie, Mrs. P. Peterson, Mrs. G. Peterson, all of Alsen, N. D., returned to their homes on Saturday after having attended the Lutheran Free Church convention in this city.

The following ladies attended the Missionery meeting of the Swedish Lutheran church held at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Malberg near Steiner on Friday: Mrs. R. Knutson, Mrs. Forsberg, Mrs. C. Crown, Mrs. C. Gustin, Mrs. L. E. Crown, and Miss Mattson.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

10 Bars Lenox Soap at	55c
10 Bars Flake White Soap at	65c
5 Boxes Matches, I pkg.	30c
5 Large rolls No. 1 Toilet paper	50c
3 oz. bottle Lemon Extract	25c
Reg. 60c can Sliced Pineapple	54c
50c Peaberry Coffee per. lb.	44c
Cookies! Cookies!! only per lb.	23c
50c Large Preserves, per lb.	44c
Salt Herring, per lb.	14c
MEAT SPECIALS—	
Beef Roasts, all kinds, per lb.	22c
Short Ribs of Beef, per lb.	18c
Veal Stew, per lb.	16c
Veal Shoulder Roast, per lb.	20c
Home Made Liver Sausage, per lb.	19c
Home Made Bologna, per lb.	20c
Home Rendered Lard No 1, per lb.	25c
Pickled Barrel Pork, per lb.	23c
Fresh Side Pork, per lb.	27c
Fresh Home Killed Chickens, Killed to order	30c
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Miss Helen Erickson and mother of Red Lake Falls were shoppers here on Friday.

J. L. Lundgren of Perley visited over Sunday at the home of his son, L. M. Lundgren.

Jordan Penney returned on Thursday morning from Minneapolis where he spent a week.

Miss Margaret Fier of Middle River visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Perry Johnson left on Tuesday evening for the twin cities where he will attend a stock sale.

C. E. Williams motored here the latter part of last week from Rollis to attend to business affairs.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad and sister, Miss Mable Patterson of St. Hilaire, were shoppers in this city Tuesday.

James Nomland of Grygla visited with friends here on Tuesday. He returned to his home on Wednesday.

Miss Mable Lillesve of McIntosh arrived on Thursday evening for a short visit with her friend, Miss Helen Strand.

Mrs. N. Bergren left on Saturday morning for Mahnomen to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. Halvorson.

Mrs. H. W. Miller and daughter left on Friday afternoon for Crookston where they will pass a few days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davies of Windom visited at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Thos. Way, the latter part of the week.

Mrs. O. S. Kirkeland of Goodridge left this city on Saturday for Barnesville where she will visit with relatives for a short period.

Miss Hilma Olson who is employed in this city left on Friday morning for her home in Middle River where she will visit for a few days.

Prof. A. Helland and son returned to their home in Minneapolis on Tuesday evening. They spent a week here attending the convention.

R. M. Sheldon and Lawrence Hermanson motored to Crookston Friday to attend to business affairs connected with the First and Peoples State bank.

Miss Emily Olson, who had visited at the A. Munson home in this city, left on Saturday afternoon for Moorhead where she will attend summer school.

Miss Louise Erickson who has been attending the Moorhead Normal is spending the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Erickson.

Mrs. R. M. Olson returned to her home in Holt on Thursday having accompanied her husband to this city for medical treatment at the Physicians hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Carlson of Wanamingo returned to their home Tuesday evening after spending a week in this city attended the Lutheran Free Church convention.

Miss Angela Schmitt left on Monday evening for Eden Valley where she will attend the wedding of a cousin. From there she will go to Minneapolis for an indefinite visit with friends.

Mrs. M. Mickelson and daughter, Miss Melva, returned to their home at Moorhead on Saturday after spending a few days visiting at the home of their brother and unsele, M. Mickelson in this city.

Mrs. A. Anderson, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, south of this city, returned to her home in Aurora, Ill., Tuesday evening. Mrs. Anderson is a sister of Mr. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rank left on Thursday evening on a two weeks' wedding trip to the twin cities, and Chicago, after which they will go to Dover where they will reside. Mrs. Rank was formerly Miss Agnes Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Theisen of Colfax, Wis., returned to their home Tuesday evening, having attended a full session of the Lutheran Free Church convention. Mr. and Mrs. Theisen are the parents of Mrs. Geo. Larson and were her guests during their stay here.

Mrs. J. E. Farnum and three children, accompanied by Mrs. Farnum's sister, Miss Keller, left on Friday afternoon for Lakota, N. D., where they will live in the future. Mr. Marnum preceded them and has accepted a position with the telephone company at that place.

Miss Gustava Anderson, who had been visiting with her aunt, Miss Laura Larson, at Hazel, left Wednesday afternoon for Fargo, where she is employed. Miss Larson accompanied her here and spent the day with friends, returning to her home in the evening.

Mrs. C. E. Hazelton and two children, who have been guests at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. I. Peterson, returned to their home in Beltrami last Thursday. They were accompanied by the former's niece, Miss Luella Peterson who will remain with them for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson left on Tuesday evening for the twin cities where they will attend a convention of the Mission church. They will be met by their daughter, Miss Hannah, who has been visiting in Minneapolis for some time. From that point the latter will journey west for the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tessum returned last Wednesday from an automobile trip to Fairdale, N. D., where they called on friends and were in attendance at the wedding of George Benson and Miss Bertha Aune. They were accompanied on their return by Miss Tilda Aune, who will visit for a short time at the Tessum home. Mr. Tessum states that the crops near Fairdale are late because of a lack of rain but that the outlook is very good.

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Morlan Bishop of Strathcona was an over Sunday guest at his home here.

Ole Sande arrived here on Tuesday evening from Gully for a visit with relatives.

Miss Caroline Koop left on Friday evening for St. Paul where she has accepted a position.

R. B. McWilliams left on Thursday evening for Hampton, Ia., where he will spend a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Rev. O. J. Lundell and son left on Friday morning for Roseau where they passed a day visiting with friends.

H. Burrell arrived here on Saturday from Grand Forks and will spend a short time visiting his brother, James Burrell.

Miss Sylvina Sundahl of Hauge, Minn., arrived on Saturday afternoon for a visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. L. C. Hegstad.

Mrs. T. Trontveidt and children left on Saturday afternoon for Shelly where they will spend a few days visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Florence Nelson, who had attended North Star college at Warren visited with friends here on Friday evening enroute to her home in St. Hilaire.

Miss Elizabeth Hoffman of Steiner spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. J. L. Montague in this city. She returned to her home on Monday morning.

Miss Laura Anderson and nephew, Obert, of Detroit, arrived here Thursday evening for a week's visit at the homes of the former's brothers, Carl and Albert Anderson.

Bernhard and Roy Barzen returned to this city on Monday morning to spend their vacation. During the past school term they have been students at Marquette University in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Wm. Hagen returned to her home in Minneapolis on Tuesday evening after a week's visit with friends here. She also attended the convention held by the Lutheran Free church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Krampton and son of Highlanding, left this city on Friday evening for St. Paul where they will meet the mother of the former who will return with them for an extended visit.

Mrs. Hans Vik of Grygla attended the Lutheran Free church convention in this city. Mrs. Vik left last Monday for Perley where she will visit with relatives and friends before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson of Henning are visiting at the homes of their daughters, Mrs. E. O. Erickson and Mrs. Alfred Bredesen this week. While here they also attended the Lutheran Free Church convention.

Mrs. G. M. Christianson and Mrs. J. Houghton of Fertile, spent a short time in this city as the guests of the former's daughter, Miss Effie Christianson. They returned to their respective homes last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Lund and child residing on a farm a few miles from this city, left on Tuesday evening for Alexandria where they will be guests of the former's parents. From that point they will go to New London to attend the wedding of a brother of Mrs. Lund.

Mrs. J. A. Duffy and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Red Lake Falls, visited with friends here on Saturday.

Mrs. C. K. Perkins returned to her home in Warroad on Monday after visiting with friends in this city since Saturday.

George Loken will leave on Friday via the auto route for the twin cities where he will spend the greater share of his vacation.

Mrs. O. J. Bottem and baby, who visited with relatives in this city since Saturday, returned to their home in Roseau on Monday.

Mrs. H. G. Gustafson and baby returned last Friday afternoon from Roseau where they visited at the home of the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Leiran and little daughter left on Monday morning for Gatzke to spend a few days visiting at the home of the latter's parents.

Miss Ruth Rugland, who has been in this city for the past month receiving medical treatment, returned to her home in Pine Creek on Friday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Mortenson returned to their home in Fosston on Tuesday after having attended the Lutheran Free Church convention for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Hoff and daughter, Katinka, of Perley, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Boe while attending the Lutheran Free church convention.

Miss Hilma Liden, who is employed as bookkeeper in Stack's Department store in Duluth, is spending a few days this week visiting at her home in this city.

Mrs. H. B. Backland arrived here on Friday evening from Warren where she had visited with friends, and left the following morning for her home in Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson arrived on Thursday from Roseau and visited with friends until Saturday afternoon when they left for Fargo where they will make their future home.

Miss Alice Johnson arrived here the latter part of last week from her home in Crookston and is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Gustafson. She will remain in this city over Sunday.

Mrs. T. H. Kveen and two children, accompanied by Miss Anna Listug, a sister of the former, returned to their home in Roseau on Monday morning after having attended the Lutheran Free Church convention since Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Adolphs left last Friday evening for Windom where they will visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Keitzer. From there they will go to Echo, this state, where they will continue their visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hustoft left on Tuesday evening for Detroit where they will visit with friends before returning to their home in Medina, N. D. Mr. and Mrs. Hustoft had spent a week in this city attending the Lutheran Free Church convention.

Miss Mildred Holbrook left on Friday afternoon for a visit with friends in St. Hilaire after which she will go to her home in Grygla, where she will remain for a short period. Miss Holbrook will return to this city and spend the remainder of the summer months with her sister, Mrs. Yager.

Eric Holm of Roseau was a guest at the home of his niece, Mrs. C. A. Erickson the latter part of the week.

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter, Birdie, were among the St. Hilaire shoppers in this city last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney left on Friday evening for Union Lake where they spent the week-end at their cottage.

Mrs. Paul Ortloff and little daughter, Pearl of St. Hilaire, were in the city last Saturday receiving medical treatment for the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hedrick and daughter, Helen, left this city on Friday evening for Knoxville, Ia., where they will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives.

Mrs. E. Dahlquist of Crookston visited for a few days the latter part of the week at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Egstrom. She returned to her home on Saturday.

Political Advertisement.

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STEENERSON'S PLATFORM

Many of the people of this country, or their ancestors, came here to escape militarism. Let us keep the nation free from it. I am opposed to compulsory training or service. I believe in adequate preparation for defense, but am not for aggression or entangling alliances.

I favor raising as much as possible of the national revenue by income and inheritance taxes on the great fortunes; in using the taxing power to keep them leveled down so they will not become a menace to the freedom of the people.

There is need for much improvement in the marketing channels of the country. I believe co-operative organizations, under government encouragement and regulation, the most hopeful means toward better condition.

We should exercise the greatest possible toleration for the opinions of the individual on political, religious and other subjects. Freedom of speech may sometimes be abused, but it is one of the fundamental principles on which the nation was built, and one of the things we must be careful to preserve.

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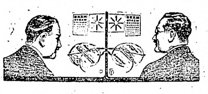

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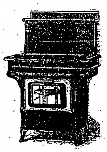

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Elopers Caught.

Spooner News: Brooks, the blind piano man of Baudette, who eloped a week ago with a young woman from that village, leaving his wife and children behind, was arrested at Butte, Mont., this week, in company with the young woman. Both are being held awaiting extradition papers.

It seems that since leaving they had visited at points in Iowa and at Aberdeen, S. D., having registered as husband and wife while enroute.

PUBLIC FORUM

Tonnage Tax and Other Taxes.
Minneapolis, June 15.

Editor Times: In your Public Forum of June 3, I see an article from Senator Naplin on taxation, I also noticed Articles from the Minnesota Fair Tax association, whoever they may be. It occurred to me that neither party was giving all the facts, that the public might want in order to arrive at a fair decision in the matter.

The commission only gives figures friendly to its side of the argument, while the senator draws wrong conclusions from the facts as they exist today. In the first place, by what reasoning does he arrive at the conclusion that iron ore will be all mined in 32 or 50 years, as 42 was a misprint. According to figures given by the Minnesota Tax commission, from which he quotes, there was a steady increase in tonnage from 1,191,969,757 in 1907 to 1,397,717,105 tons in 1914, with a gradual falling off to 1917 when the remaining tonnage was 1,386,291,353. But what about 1919? We find that it has again jumped into the lead at 1,399,835,854 tons or 2,118,749 more tons than 1914, the high year. We also find that although there has been shipped 366,902,948 tons in the last ten years, there still remains 204,528,146 more tons on the tax books than there was ten years ago.

I am inclined to think, Senator, that the association has rather the best of the argument on that point, and that does not take into consideration the 173,473,348 tons of non-merchantable ores which are not taxed. Because of their poor quality and expense of mining they have no commercial value today, but they will have some day and then they will be taxed.

Experts estimate that there are billions of tons of low grade ore extending from Cook county in the northeast to Traverse county in the west-central part of the state, and as they are discovering more ore every year there is no reason why there will not be ore mining 500 years from now. They are just skimming the cream at the present time.

The tax commission has no set price per ton that they follow, but put a valuation on from year to year in accordance with the quality of the ore and its monetary value. As you find in the years from 1914 to 1918, although there was a decreasing tonnage each year, the assessed value was increased on account of the increased value of the ores. Your statement, Senator, as to the amount of tax paid by the iron ore people, while practically correct, was misleading to people not thoroughly acquainted with the situation as they might draw the inference from it that it was the total amount of tax paid by them. You did not give the gross earnings taxes on the ore roads, nor on the three million ton of stock pile which is assessed as personal property, so that when you take into consideration the increased value in connection with the increased rate for state purposes, you will find that if it does not quite reach $5,000,000 for 1920, it will approximate it. Add the royalty paid for state leases and you will have your five million paid into the state treasury for the year 1920. In addition their local tax for county, school, township, roads and bridges has been raised from about $9,000,000 to over $12,000,000, making a total in all of about $17,000,000, and while the state and public have been trying to get more taxes out of the steel trust, as they call it, the trust has kept on increasing its dividends and about all the farmers get out of it is increased cost of machinery.

But even at that I am in favor of a super-tax or an additional tax for the difference in the value of the ore on the surface as against its value in the ground. If the senator wishes to do something that will redound to his glory he will join in the preparation of a bill, which of course must be introduced in the house, that will provide for an advalorum tax for local purposes and a graduated tonnage tax according to the value of the ore for state purposes. I am of the opinion that he would have the support of the tax commission for such a bill.

Just a word relative to the cry: "North Dakota as It Is; Minnesota as We Would Make It." In the first place there is nothing more misleading than figures when not explained. While Minnesota has a tax levy of about 4 mills more than North Dakota, that is explainable by the fact that North Dakota bases its levy on One Hundred percent valuations of land and income property, while in Minnesota the levies are on forty percent valuation for city property and 33 1-3 percent for land. The total valuation of all property in Minnesota today is about five billion dollars. Two mills on that valuation would raise all and more than needed. We have a tax of one mill for roads which North Dakota has not and which is divided among the counties. In fact 83 of the 86 counties pay practically $4,000,000 annually less into the state treasury than they draw out.

Take Pennington county for example. We pay, in all taxes, into the state treasury in 1919 $17,208.46 and received from the same treasury $69,144.74, Pennington county receiving $51,936.28 more than it paid. The Senator's district pays a total of $41,970.75 and received $171,013.37, or $129,042.62 more than it pays. The responsibility for a part of this I plead guilty to myself.

Now let the friends of the North Dakota system show some agricultural counties that even get back as much as they pay. Then they can with some justice recommend their system to the tax payers of Pennington county.

I do not wish to tresspass on your space to go into detail as to the different items that the state of Minnesota raises the money for as against the levies in North Dakota, but might state that Minnesota at its last session of the legislature appropriated *over three times as much for education* and the building of educational buildings as the total tax levy of the State of North Dakota. Besides $20,000,000 for soldiers' bonus, $2,000,000 of which is levied annually for a 10 year period to be paid in cash.

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- ½ teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
- ½ cup shortening
- cold water

Sift together flour, salt and baking powder; add shortening and rub in very lightly with tips of fingers (the less it is handled the better the paste will be). Add cold water very slowly, enough to hold dough together (do not work or knead dough). Divide in halves; roll out one part thin on floured board and use for bottom crust. After pie is filled roll out other part for top.

Rich Pastry

- 2 cups pastry flour
- ½ teaspoon Royal Baking Powder
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ⅔ cup shortening
- cold water

Sift flour, baking powder and salt; add one-half shortening and rub in lightly with fingers; add water slowly until of right consistency to roll out. Divide in halves; roll out one half thin; put on in small pieces half remaining shortening; fold upper and lower edges in to center; fold sides in to center, fold sides to center again; roll out thin and put on pie plate. Repeat with other half for top crust.

Apple Pie

- 1½ cups flour
- 1½ teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons shortening
- 4 apples, or 1 quart sliced apples
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 teaspoon milk

Sift flour, baking powder and salt; add shortening and rub in very lightly; add just enough cold water to hold dough together. Roll half out on floured board, line bottom of pie plate; fill in apples, which have been washed, pared and cut into thin slices; sprinkle with sugar; flavor with cinnamon or nutmeg; wet edges of crust with cold water; roll out remainder of pastry; cover pie, pressing edges tightly together and bake in moderate oven 30 minutes.

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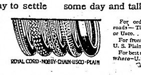
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In the matter of the relation between capital and labor the platform favors collective bargaining and proclaims against the strike or lockout which may be minimized by a properly equipped tribunal to arbitrate differences, although it does not advocate the principle of compulsory arbitration in private industries. It favors a legislative budget in governmental affairs and retrenchment in the expenditure of public money by the elimination of unnecessary officials and the raising of the standard of industries efficiency; it advocates a thorough investigation of the present organizations of federal departments and bureaus with a view to securing consolidation on a more business like basis; it promises a reduction of taxation by substituting a simple in place of the present complex tax laws, and a simplified form of income tax returns. It proclaims against the inflation of currency and credit and demands the exercise of public economy by a revision of all war imposed taxes, unusual to peace time economy, and enforcement of the antiprofiteering laws.

It opposes government ownership and operation or employe operation of railroads and indorses the transportation law enacted by the last republican congress.

It favors the encouragement and development of water transportation services in connection with commerce of the United States. It approves in general of the present law against advocates an amendment which will provide business men better means for determining in advance whether a combination is or is not lawful.

It favors the application of the workmen's compensation act to the merchant marine and of re-elevating the standard of immigrants coming to the country by adequate laws or a better enforcement of the present laws. It pronounces for free speech, free assembly and free press but favors the deportment of aliens who are a real menace to the country's peaceful existence.

It favors liberal appropriations and cooperation with the states for construction of highways and for the development of natural resources.

It favors liberal appropriation for maimed and disabled soldiers; the establishment of a women's bureau in the United States department of labor; equal pay for equal service in government positions in which women are employed and a federal law limiting the hours of employment for women in intensive industries the product of which enters into inter-state commerce.

It opposes the acceptance of a mandate for Armenia or any other country in America or Asia. It stands for an agreement among the nations to preserve the peace of the world if same can be done without depriving the people of the United States in advance the right to determine for themselves what is just and fair when the occasion arises and without involving them as participants and not as peacemakers in a multitude of quarrels the merits of which they are unable to judge.

It repudiates the policy of the present administration as relating to Mexico and says we should not recognize any Mexican government unwilling to give guarantee that life and property of American citizens be respected and protected.

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HAD SUFFERED SINCE A CHILD

Life Was Made Miserable by Indigestion and Rheumatism—Tanlac Proves Merit.

"I cannot begin to express my appreciation for what Tanlac has done for me," said Mrs. D. J. Alford, 394 Van Buren street, St. Paul, Minn., recently, while telling of the remarkable benefits she has received from Tanlac.

"I had been in a more or less rundown, weakened condition as long as I can remember," continued Mrs. Alford, "but after undergoing an operation I was worse than ever. My appetite was extremely poor and after every meal I was troubled with gas on the stomach. I suffered terribly from nausea and there were only certain things and a very limited quantity of these, I could eat and retain. At times I had the worst kind of dizzy spells, when everything would just turn round and round before me and I would have to sit down to keep from falling. I woke up every morning with a severe headache which gradually wore off during the day only to return again the next morning. I also suffered with intense pain in my back and the pain in my right shoulder was so bad I could not raise my right arm. I had no energy and felt so tired and wornout all the time I could hardly manage to do my house work.

"I had noticed several statements in the newspaper from friends of mine praising Tanlac and decided I would try it myself and am glad to say I am about entirely rid of all my troubles. I have splendid appetite and can eat anything I want and as much as I want without a sign of gas or becoming nauseated afterward. Those headaches have entirely gone and those dizzy spells have about stopped. The pains in my back and right shoulder disappeared shortly after I started taking Tanlac and I can use my arm as freely as I ever could. That tired, wornout feeling is all gone and I can do my housework with the greatest ease. I have been benefited so greatly by Tanlac I am only too glad to join others who are praising it."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

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Winter Rye Outlook in Northwest is Very Good

With the indications now pointing to $3 or $4 wheat because of short acreage throughout the country the prospects now point to the harvesting of a very profitable rye crop in the Red River Valley counties this summer.

The reports are of an increased acreage in many of the counties and the present indications are for a heavy crop.

Winter rye is already headed out in most of the fields and it shows a heavy stand, healthy color and long well developed heads.

The recent rains came just in time and the cool weather that followed was just what was needed during the heading process.

With a fair price which seems assured the rye crop will add many thousand dollars to the income of Valley farmers this year.

Lumber Prices Are Down

If you are planning on any kind of a building job during the present season, now is the time to get it under way. Lumber prices are down to a point that was not thought possible three weeks ago.

Get Busy Before the Reaction Sets In

The wise man will take advantage of the present situation. It is the most favorable from his point of view to be presented for a long time. Let us quote prices on your bill.

The Prichard Co.

FOR SALE

My residence on East Side. Modern, Big Garage, Fine Water, 100-ft. Front, Splendid Location

Enquire of
Dr. G. A. Penney

As sure as you are a foot high—

you will like this Camel Turkish and Domestic blend!

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TURKISH & DOMESTIC BLEND CIGARETTES

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes for 20 cents; or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.
R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO.
Winston-Salem, N. C.

YOU never got such cigarette-contentment as Camels hand you. Camels quality and expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic Tobaccos make this goodness possible—*and make you prefer this Camel blend to either kind of tobacco smoked straight!*

Camels mellow-mildness is a revelation! Smoke them with freedom without tiring your taste! They leave no unpleasant cigaretty aftertaste nor unpleasant cigaretty odor!

Give Camels every test—then compare them puff-for-puff with any cigarette in the world!

Mogensen's
Entire Stock of Men's and Boys' Suits, Caps and Shoes

Now selling at 20 per cent reduction

We intend to sell every suit of our present stock and are making a flat reduction of 20% off on every man's and boy's suit in the house. This includes all our new arrivals from the shops.

Kirshbaum, Kuppenheimer and Hirsh Wickwire SUITS

All on Sale at 20% off as follows:

$40 Suits	$32	$50 Suits	$40	$60 Suits	$48
$45 Suits	$36	$55 Suits	$44	$65 Suits	$52

These suits are without question three of the very best made suits in America today. We stand behind every garment, with our usual guarantee of satisfaction or your money back.

A number of lower priced suits to go as follows:

$20 Suits	$16	$25 Suits	$20	$30 Suits	$24
$22.50 Suits	$18	$27.50 Suits	$22	$35 Suits	$28

These suits are wonderful values, many of them are carried over and the original prices are still on them, making the value exceptionally great at this time.

Palm Beach Suits

For Men and Young Men, in many colors and styles; all very well made and just the thing for now. The kind of suit to wear for comfort as well as style.

We have them at **$17.50 to $35.00, less 20%** which includes all of our new arrivals in the very latest colors and styles.

$17.50 Palm Beach Suits	$14.00	$25.00 Palm Beach Suits	$20.00
$20.50 Palm Beach Suits	$16.00	$30.00 Palm Beach Suits	$24.00
$22.50 Palm Beach Suits	$18.00	$35.00 Palm Beach Suits	$28.00

BOY'S SUITS

Our entire stock of boys' dress suits now on sale at 20 per cent reduction.

$5 suits now **$4.00**
$6 suits now **$4.80**
$10 suits now **$ 8.00**
$12 suits now **$ 9.60**
$9 suits now **$7.20**
$7 suits now **$5.60**
$8 suits now **$6.40**
$20 suits now **$16.00**
$14 suits now **$11.20**
$15 suits now **$12.00**

These are all our regular stock suits and we stand behind every sale and money back if not satisfied.

Silk Shirts

A wonderful selection of Men's and Young Men's extra fine quality silk shirts. A large variety to choose from in sizes 12½ to 16.

All of our fine silk shirts, priced regularly at $10, now only	All of our fine silk shirts, priced regularly at $12, now only	All of our fine silk shirts, priced regularly at $15 now only
$7.95	**$9.45**	***$11.95***

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

Our stock of Men's shoes is second to none in this section. It is very complete and consists of very high grade calf, kid and kangaroo leather. Shoes made by the country's very best shoe manufacturers. All our fine dress shoes now selling at 20 per cent reduction.

$8 shoes now **$6.40**	$10 shoes now **$8**	$12 shoes now **$9.60**	$14 shoes now **$11.20**	$15 shoes now **$12.50**

Shoes made to fit at a fair price.

Oxfords A very fine selection in a number of desirable styles in Russian Calf and Kid stock. Many sizes and widths to get your correct fit. **WE FIT YOUR FEET.**

All Men's Caps 20 % off	10% off On all Men's Dress Pants	10% off On all Rancoats	**Panama Hats $5 to $12**

We Sell Quality Merchandise at Reasonable Prices

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good.

Are You Watching Our Show Windows? It Pays

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13 Purebreds at Dispersion Sale June 25

Fine Shorthorn Stock Will be Offered at the Jens Letnes Farm.

Decendants of One of Most Famous Sires Ever Brought Into Section.

Fine Opportunity to Secure Purebred Animals For Foundation Stock.

The most important live-stock sale ever advertised for Pennington county will be the purebred Shorthorn dispersion sale at the Jens Letnes farm on Friday, June 25. Thirteen head are to be disposed of and among them are cows of fine breeding and good records as well as a number of particularly fine heifers.

Village Garnet, the sire of most of the individuals offered, is one of the finest Sshorthorn bulls ever brought to the Northwest. He was bred at the North Dakota Agricultural college and his decendants, both male and female, have been in the prize winning class for some time. All the young stock offered is from this strain.

Other great sires whose decendants will be represented in the offerings are Shamrock, Redbud, Scotch Hero, Empire Ray and Hoosier Count.

Registry certificates and full pedigree will go with each purchase. All the animals are in good condition and will afford purchasers just the opportunity sought for going into the purebred business.

Further information regarding this sale may be had by applying to County Agent J. J. McCann. The sale will be cried by W. J. LaBree and clerked by H. S. Dahlen. There will be a free lunch at noon.

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POTATO MEN HOLD MEETING SATURDAY

Further Details Connected With Organization Will Be Discussed.

The first annual meeting of the Pennington County Potato Growers' association will be held at the office of County Agent J. J. McCann on Saturday afternoon next at 1 o'clock. The new organization has now progressed to a point where its success is assured and every man in the county who expects to go into the growing of this staple to any extent should make it a point to be present at Saturday's meeting.

Last Friday President Ludvig Mosbaek of the Minnesota Potato exchange met with members of the local association and explained further the advantages to be gained through having the local association a member of that body. Affiliation means the assurance of the crop being sold to the best advantage and at the lowest possible cost for handling. Mr. Mosbaek told of the success of state associations elsewhere and said they had proven of the greatest value to the grower.

The new association already has a large membership and it is certain that others will be glad to join when its purposes are understood. Applications may be made to be considered at the meeting Saturday and members will be admitted at once and given an opportunity to take a hand in the proceedings of the annual session.

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HOGS HIT HIGH SPOTS FOR MONTH OF JUNE

Cattle Also Advance, Reaching Top Figure For Present Season.

Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul, June 14.—With decreasing receipts and a strong demand best hogs closed at the top figure for June, selling at $14.25. The week's advance was placed at 75c and was the highest since May 31. Mixed hogs sold at $14.10@14.15 with many sales at $14.20 and with choice lights at $14.25. Stock pigs are higher, selling around $12 with boars at $5@8. Receipts were 44,000.

Fat cattle staged a sharp upturn and are now at the high point of the season, selling at $2.50@3 higher than the low time in May. Sales were received up to $16 on some choice beeves and one load of 1568 lb. cattle went to an Iowa feeder at $15.50. Packers were paying $14@$14.75 for the better grades of killer steers with other kinds on down to $9@10. Fat heifers and cows scored $11.50@13 in some instances with bulk of trade at $7@10.50. Some grassy stuff made its appearance and was cashed at prices 25c lower in most instances than for dry-fed grades. Bulk of butcher cows went at $7@10 with canners and cutters at $5@6.50 and bulls at $6@8.50. Top vealers brought $13.50. Receipts were 18,000.

Sheep and lambs closed 50c@$1 *lower with receipts still light.* Lambs were quotable at $6@15.50 with fat ewes at $2@7 and wethers at $5@7.50. Yearlings were rated at $8@11.25 and bucks at $4@5.75. Receipts were 1800.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.71
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.63
Oats	.92
Flax	3.47
Barley	1.28
Rye	2.02
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	8.10
Bran	2.25
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.65
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.18
Geese, alive, per lb	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.30
Dairy Butter	.48
Creamery Butter	.58
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.25
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.15
Steers, per lb.	6-8
Calves, per lb.	7-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	12-15

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Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minn., postoffice for the week ending June 12, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago, Ill.:

Dahl, Carl
Flour State Baking Co. Purity Bakery.
Paute, Miss Maud
Putman, G. H.
Sivalding, Mr. S. (Foreign.)

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P.-M.

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WANTS INDEPENDENTS TO GET OFF TICKET

Committee of One Hundred Believes They are Hurting Prospects.

All independent gubernatorial candidates claiming affiliation with the republican party were requested to withdraw immediately from the field by the state Committee of One Hundred at a meeting held in St. Paul Saturday. The resolutions adopted by the committee said:

"We call on all independent candidates who claim allegiance to or presume to affiliate with the republican party, to refrain otherwise than as supporters of the republican ticket selected at the state convention of May 8.

"On behalf of the republicans of Minnesota we request that those gubernatorial candidates who have thus far permitted their supposed personal interests to replace the welfare of this party, immediately to withdraw in favor of our republican convention candidates."

THIEF RIVER CITIZEN MISTAKEN FOR KENTUCKY COLONEL AT CONVENTION

While it is possible that someone else may have been referred to, it is hardly probable. Irvin Cobb, in one of his stories of the Republican convention at Chicago, says that he has amused himself by trying to judge where a man came from by his appearance. He was not very successful. If the following description does not apply to the well-known citizen of Thief River Falls who attended the convention as an alternate, then there must have been two of them. However well justified Mr. Cobb may have been in one respect, he is away off in another—most Kentucky colonels are Democrats. Here is his story:

"Guessing by his looks where a delegate hails from is a game with which the brethren of the press stands while away the dragging hours while waiting for the convention to do something. Out of four tries I scored three misses and one bullseye. I identified a person with gray side whiskers and tan gloves as being a member of the New York delegation. He came from New Mexico. I figured that a tall weather beaten stranger in a wide white hat, with his shirt open at the throat, must inevitably belong in Texas. It turned out that he was from Maine. The only true to form Kentucky colonel in sight proved to be an alternate from Minnesota. In these days types are misleading. But I won my bet when I said a dark brown brother wearing gold rimmed spectacles hailed from Georgia. As a matter of fact, I had inside information. I knew the person. He is a power in republican politics down his way, and shaves practically all the leading democrats."

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MAKER OF DANDELION WINE MAY BE FINED

Minneapolis Judge Says Decoction Must Contain Only Stipulated Percentage.

Your dandelion wine must not contain more than half of 1 per cent of alcohol, or prosecution and conviction will follow—if you are caught.

So ruled Judge H. D. Dickinson in Hennepin county district court when he sentenced Harold O. Ness to pay a fine of $100 or serve a term of three months in the workhouse. The charge to which he pleaded guilty, was manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

Ray M. Hughes, attorney for Ness, argued that his client had merely been following the usual custom of making dandelion wine for use as a spring tonic and was not strictly guilty of breaking the law, but the court failed to make any distinction.

"I will issue this warning to the public," said the judge, "that no matter from what source the dangerous juice is extracted, be it dandelions or what not, if it contains more than half of 1 per cent of alcohol there has been a violation of the law and I shall find the manufacturer guilty. The fine in this instance will be $100.

Ness paid the fine. He said he never again would make any more of the "dangerous juice."

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BONUS PAYMENTS ARE TEMPORARILY HUNG UP

No More Funds Available at This Time; Will be Resumed Next Month.

Available cash exhausted, the state soldier bonus board announced no bonuses will be paid until additional funds can be raised through new sales of bonus bonds. Suspension of bonus payments during the next few months is virtually certain, bonus board members said and barring the remote possibility of a relaxation of the money market enabling the sale of the five per cent securities more bonus bonds will be paid only after the 1921 state legislature has increased the maximum interest rate to make the bonds marketable.

Bonus application will be prepared in the meantime for payments as soon as more funds are available. The bonus board has expended approximately $10,000,000 and has paid about 45,000 claims to date. More than 60,000 applications are unpaid.

A later report states that the payments will be resumed next month when more than $500,000 will be available for the purpose from current tax collections. The report is confirmed by State Treasurer Henry Rines.

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La FOLLETTE MAY BE THIRD PARTY LEADER

Rumors Are Rife Tending to Show This is Program of Radicals.

A declaration by Amos Pinchot, member of the committee of forty-eight, that there possibly would be a new party presidential candidate in the field, rumors that Senator LaFollette would head the ticket as presidential candidate and the announcement that the campaign in behalf of Senator Warren G. Harding, republican presidential nominee, would be started promptly were the outstanding developments following the republican national convention which ended in Chicago Saturday evening.

The statement by Pinchot declared that the republican party had driven out of representation in its councils millions of voters who followed Roosevelt, Johnson and LaFollette" and the new party would represent these voters and "present a definite and constructive program." Reports concerning LaFollette's possible candidacy were less clearly defined and in some instances were linked with *declarations made in behalf of the* committee of forty-eight.

BIG FARGO FIRMS "PICK WINNERS"

"Because their auditor, cashier and head bookkeeper all graduated from Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., the Union Light, Heat & Power Co. of that city naturally called on D. B. C. when a capable bookkeeper was needed recently. Mr. C. Eckman was sent.

Big firms are keen for employees with the get-ahead spirit that D. B. C. training gives. Every wholesale house but one and every bank in Fargo employs D. B. C. graduates.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Enter school for summer term. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Farm Bureau Meeting.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: An enthusiastic annual meeting of the Red Lake County Farm Bureaus association was held Monday afternoon at the city hall at Plummer and officers were elected for the ensuing year. In the absence of President Ovilla Robillard, Vice President W. A. Schroeder presided.

August Burk of Brooks was elected president to succeed Mr. Robillard. W. A. Schroeder of Brooks was elected first vice president; Ferment Desrosier, Terrebonne, second vice president; Edmund J. Porter, Red Lake Falls, secretary and treasurer. The following were chosen directors: Clyde Childs, Brooks; Earl M. Smith, Poplar River; W. R. Holcomb, Plummer; Frank P. Grenier, Red Lake Falls; Ovilla Robillard, Terrebonne; E. G. Buse, Red Lake Falls; A. P. Toupin, Oklee; H. J. Enderle, Plummer; A. F. Turgeon, Brooks; Marius Waldahl, Plummer and Carl Rindahl, Oklee. The officers are ex-officio directors.

It was decided to start a membership campaign June 25 to run until July 23, membership to be solicited upon the continuous plan. The Bureau unanimously voted to join the state and national federations of farm bureaus. H. J. Enderle of Plummer was appointed to take charge of the ball game at the annual picnic Thursday, June 24.

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Denounce Red Flag.

The editor of the Bemidji Pioneer last week received the following communication from M[illegible] Morse, respectively p[illegible]retary of Masons' a[illegible] Union No. 6:

"Editor Pioneer: I here[illegible] as president of Central Lab[illegible]cil, to take effect at once.

"We also withdraw Plasterers' Un[illegible] No. 6 of Minnesota from Central Body, for this reason: At the meeting Sunday of the Labor League the chairman made a statement why 'we' adopted the Red Flag, and what it meant. The International Union of Bricklayers recognize no other flag but the Stars and Stripes and never will. We refuse at all times to affiliate or take part in any meetings where red flag men are tolerated."

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Unusual Tires

TIRES that are different in their distinctive good looks and in their construction. An extra ply of fabric, an extra heavy tread and generous oversize make a tire of remarkable endurance.

Next Time—BUY FISK

Peoples Auto Company
THIEF RIVER FALLS
Viking Garage, Viking. Hanson & Wokasch, St. Hilaire.

FISK RED-TOP TIRE

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Political Advertisement.

(Prepared and ordered inserted on behalf of the candidates named by the Committee of One Hundred, Maj. R. H. Rathbun, president, St. Francis Hotel, St. Paul. Amount paid, $6.40.)

It's Jake Preus *or* Socialism

To turn back the red wave from North Dakota the Republicans of Minnesota chose the following men. They are your only hope. At the primaries, June 21,

CONCENTRATE ON THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION CANDIDATES

FOR GOVERNOR
J. A. O. PREUS X

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
LOUIS L. COLLINS X

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE
MIKE HOLM X

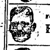
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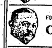
FOR RAILROAD AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSIONER
O. P. B. JACOBSON X

SMASH SOCIALISM!

Bottled Manpower

Coughs and colds are weakening. Get rid of them as quickly as you can. Catarrh in any form saps the vitality. Fight it and fight it hard. There is a remedy to help you do it—a medicine of forty-seven years' established merit. Try it.

PE-RU-NA
For Catarrh and Catarrhal Conditions

It purifies the blood, regulates the digestion, aids elimination, tones up the nerve centers and carries health to all the mucous linings. For the relief of those pains in stomach and bowels, belching, sour stomach, rheumatism, pains in the back, sides and loins, PE-RU-NA is recommended.

PE-RU-NA restores to healthy action the vital organs which are so intimately related to the strength and vigor of the nation.

There are fourteen ounces of health giving punch and pep in every bottle. PE-RU-NA is a good medicine to have in the house, ready-to-take for emergencies. It is a good remedy to use any time.

TABLETS OR LIQUID SOLD EVERYWHERE

ATTENTION LIVESTOCK ME
PUREBRED SHORTHOR
DISPERSIO
SALE

Sale on Letnes Farm three miles east and one mile north of Thief River Falls. Can be reached
Stop Four.

FRIDAY, JUNE 25

Sale Commencing at 1:00 p. m. Sharp.

SIX PUREBRED COWS

Name	Calved	Dam	
Molly 2nd—No. 627509	Nov. 8, 1917	Molly—No. 97777	Sha
Polly 2nd—No. x1819	Jan. 9, 1917	Carrie's Pride 4th	Red
Maud 2nd—No. 570696	July 21, 1916	Maud—No. 203792	Sha
Molly—No. 97777	Jan. 14, 1910	Bessie by Themistocles	Sco
Georgiana—No. 85517	June 5, 1908	May of Empire 3rd	Em
Carrie's Pride 4th—No. 35211	May 24, 1907	Carrie's Pride—No. V56-905	Hoos

SEVEN HEIFERS

Name	Calved	Dam	
Nancy—No. 771971	Nov. 30, 1918	Georgiana—No. 85517	Village
Sultana—No. 694807	Mar. 27, 1918	Maud 2nd—No. 570696	Village
Nora—No. 868350	Oct. 25, 1919	Maud 2nd—No. 570696	Village
Norma—No. 868351	Oct. 21, 1919	Georgiana—No. 85517	Village G
Molly's Pride	May 28, 1920	Molly—No. 97777	Village Ga
Heifer calf	Aug. 17, 1919	Polly 2nd—No. x1819	Village Gar
Heifer calf	Aug. 23, 1919	Polly—No. 483317	Village Gar

Registry Certificates for last three applied for, but not yet received.

Village Garnet, the sire of seven of these cows is a large fine bull bred by the North Da and is the son of the famous bull Village Sultan No. 410465.

These animals are of good breeding and in good condition. This affords any breede into the Purebred Shorthorn business on a solid foundation with some of the best Shortho and complete information as to pedigrees, or other information, write or call the Farm Bur Minnesota, where registry certificates are on file.

JENS LETNES, Br

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer.

INVEST IN A PUREBRED SHORTHORN. IT WILL ADD TO YOUR PR
FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Halvorson-Znerold.

Miss Manda Halvorson, daughter of Mr. John Halvorson, town clerk of this township, was married last Sunday afternoon at her home in the western part of the town to Mr. Geo. Znerold, of Warren. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking. A delicious supper was served to a few of the most intimate friends and relatives. The bride was attended by her sister, Esther and Raymond Halvorson acted as best man. The newlyweds will make their future home at Warren, where the groom is a prominent business man.

Sigurd Rafteseth spent Friday at Warren to buy farm machinery for the Rafteseth Bros. farms north of town.

Ole Hall was a business visitor at Warren between trains last Friday.

There will be a two days series of Mission meetings at the Congregational church in town commencing on Wednesday forenoon June 23. The meetings will be in charge of the local minister, Rev. Drotts, who will be assisted by Rev. Lindholm of Tien, Student Segerstrom of Viking, O. J. Landell and others. The public is cordially invited. All services will be in the Swedish language.

P. Sorenson is spending a few days in the western part of this county visiting with relatives.

The following were among the Sunday callers at the J. E. Hellquist home: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hellquist and family of Newfolden, Mr. and Mrs. J. Flodstrom of Viking, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family and Mrs. Betsy Blomberg of Crookston.

Helmer Carlson arrived from Devils Lake on Saturday evening and will visit with his relatives here for a day. While here Mr. Carlson purchased his brother's Ford and will make the journey home via the auto

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...Swenson spent a few days ...this week in Douglas and ...ties on real estate busi-...

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not thoroughly dried on the north and west walls of the building.

Banker Albert Myrbo and Emil Petterson of Viking were in town last Thursday evening to call on friends.

Two of the Anton Remmem girls of Thief River Falls, were Friday guests at the home of their uncle, in town.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Fingerson of North Dakota are visiting at the Swen Swenson home this week. They left on Friday evening in company with the Swensons for Thief River Falls, where they will visit and attend the Union meetings over Sunday.

Miss Nina Westby left last Thursday for Thief River Falls where she expects to be employed in the future.

James Johnson and little Earl were in town between trains on Thursday to visit at the J. E. Hellquist home.

Among those who attended the Oak Grove Ladies' Seminary Chorus from Fargo concert at Thief River Falls, last Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson, Joel Shoberg and Helmer Bloom.

The Legion dance at Holt last Saturday evening was attended by a number of the local young folks.

Thomas Thoreson of Warren was in town over Sunday to visit with his folks.

Quite a number of the Rindal church members spent part of last week at Thief River Falls, attending the Union meetings.

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AGDER

Mr. Sagstauen was a caller at the Christ Nelson home Monday forenoon.

Ole Listol, Tom Senum, Melvin Rude, Gunder and Ralpha Hanson visited with Carl Isaacson Sunday of last week.

Mrs. Trockman and children, Ernest, Ancela and Clifford, visited at the Wold home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Knaddle autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Hans Jerstad was a caller at Thief River Falls Monday.

Oscar and Melvin Moe visited with their parents last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Kisch visited with Mrs. Sam Groven Monday forenoon.

Hans Peterson was a caller at the Ed. Hanson home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Solberg and children, Bernice and Myrtle and Mrs. Solberg's father, Mr. Kaushagen, visited at the Henry Kaushagen home Monday evening.

Sam Groven was a caller at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson were visitors in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Gunder and George Senum and E. Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

Carl Isaacson made a short call at the Hanson home Wednesday.

Mrs. Isaacson visited with Mrs. Solberg Wednesday afternoon.

David Johnson was a caller at C. Nelson's Thursday forenoon.

Mr. Isaacson and Carl and Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mayme Evenson, who has been employed in Thief River Falls, returned to her home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

John Ose was a caller at the Isaacson home Thursday.

George Senum visited with Henry Enlee Thursday afternoon.

Gunder and Tom Senum and E. Senum autoed to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Christ Nelson and Neil and Lloyd autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mrs. Trochman was a visitor in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Ernest Trochman spent Thursday evening with LeRoy Groven.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaacson and Melvin, Willie and Hermond Rude, autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Sam Groven was an electric car passenger enroute to Thief River Falls last Friday.

Tom Senum who has been working in Thief River Falls returned to his home last Saturday.

...e Solberg autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

...tor Trochman was a caller in ...River Falls last Friday.

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...orge Senum was a visitor in ...River Falls last Friday.

... Overum and Mrs. Sagstauen ...children, Louise and Margaret, ...ed with Mrs. Chas. Evenson last ...nesday.

...scar Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

...r. and Mrs. C. Overum autoed to ...ief River Falls last Friday.

...r. and Mrs. Nabben were callers ...Thief River Falls last Friday.

... Knaddle was a caller in Thief ...er Falls last Saturday.

...r. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and ...v, autoed to Thief River Falls ...dnesday.

Halvor Listol was a caller in Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hanson were callers in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Ralpha, Agnes and Annie Hanson were visitors in Thief River Falls last Friday afternoon.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Miss Burnice Strubble visited with Ruth Boyce on Tuesday.

Emil Hanson was a business caller in Mavie last Friday.

Last week a deal was closed whereby Mr. Hickley of Crookston became the owner of the land owned by Olaf Tharaldson.

Selmer Rosette was a Germantown ...er last Wednesday.

...r. and Mrs. Henry Roller autoed ...hief River Falls on Friday.

...ss Nettie Bendickson shopped at ...River Falls last Tuesday.

...ss Bernice Strubble visited with ...Johnson last Friday.

...er Hanson was a Germantown ...last Tuesday.

... C. Strubble called on Mrs. C. ...nd one evening last week.

...nd Bendickson was a business ...at Mavie last Friday.

Henry Tharaldson was a Germantown caller one day last week.

Mrs. John Philip and daughter, Edna, were business callers and shoppers at Thief River Falls on Friday.

Miss Esther Bendickson left last Friday for Bemidji where she will attend summer school.

Miss Selma Johnson visited with Miss Marie Hamry one day last week.

Miss Silva Bendickson visited at the Olaf Tharaldson home last Tuesday.

Miss Hannah Weber visited with Miss Stella Philipp last Monday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Emil Hanson home one evening of the past week.

Mr. Hamre was a business caller in Thief River Falls on Friday.

Will Wayne was a business caller in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Benard Bendickson was a Germantown caller last Wednesday.

Selmer Rosett visited at St. Hilaire a few days last week.

Miss Stella Stokkie visited with Augustine Rolland last Friday.

Miss Silva Bendickson was a Germantown caller on Wednesday.

Miss Clara Johnson returned home last Friday from Oslo where she has been employed.

A. K. Haggy was a Mavie caller on Friday.

Hans Dahl was a caller at Germantown last Friday.

Mrs. M. Stokkie and children were shoppers at Mavie last Saturday.

Ewald Pomeranke was a caller in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Henry Roller was a Mavie caller on Saturday.

Henry Klockman, accompanied by Emil Benttin and Mrs. Harry Weber and children, Violet and Hannah, were business callers and shoppers at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Lester Hanson called at the Henry Roller home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nelson visited at the H. Longevan home last Sunday.

Guests at the Carl Habedank home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. P. Stock and children, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clausen and Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau.

A number of the young people of this vicinity attended the ball game at Grygla Sunday.

Miss Silva Bendickson was a guest of Mildred Nelson Sunday.

Salve and Henry Tharaldson visited at the L. Bendickson home last Sunday evening.

Miss Hattie Klockman was a Germantown caller one day last week.

Hannah Weber was a guest of Stella Philipp last Tuesday.

Services will be held in the Norwegian church Sunday, June 20, which will be the last service given by Rev. Bjornson in this vicinity.

—Trade at Home—

STEINER

Several of the Steiner lads are grading the road running on the north of Simon Warring's farm. They have secured the grader and they expect to make a very big improvement on the road.

Miss Elsie Koglin returned to her home the middle of the week. Miss Koglin has been attending the Bible school in Anderson, Ill.

J. A. Russell was out on Friday looking after the telephones of this community. New fixtures of various sorts were put in nearly every telephone and we think we will have better service for the time being at least.

Fred Copp called at his son, Harvey's home Friday evening.

The dance at Holt Saturday evening was well attended by the Steiner bunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner and son, Renie, transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Black and family spent Wednesday evening at the S. R. Rogers home.

Louis Meyer has been having some dental work done the past week.

A. Koglin was in Thief River Falls Thursday attending to business matters.

Stephen Warring visited at his mother's home a few days the past week. His two daughters, Pearl and Ruby, are staying with his mother.

—Trade at Home—

Miss Milicent Mott arrived here on Sunday morning for a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Giefer.

Northwest News Notes

Indicted in Polk County.

Crookston Times: The Polk county grand jury which finished its June term this afternoon, returned 23 indictments, a majority of which are still kept secret pending arrests. Those made public included Oscar Swenby, two counts, for indecent assault on two of his daughters; Ed. Vincent, charged with shooting with intent to kill; Robert Casmey alleged to have committed rape on a 15-year-old girl and released on $10,000 bonds; Mrs. Josie Rice, who is charged with keeping a disorderly house, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearson, charged with the murder of their infant child.

In the report of the grand jury that body found little fault with the conduct of county affairs. The sheriff's office management was commended as well as all other county offices. It was recommended to the county commissioners that the walls and ceiling of the county jail should be kalsomined.

Mission Conference.

Spooner News: The Red River Valley District conference of the Swedish Mission churches is being held at the Auditorium this week. The following ministers are in attendance: O. J. Lundell of Thief River Falls, C. W. Olson of Warren, O. Bernhard Olson of Crookston, Verner Drotts of Viking, C. J. Bjorn of Jupiter, F. A. Lindholm of Teien, August Rodfeldt of Roseau and J. A. Fjellstedt of this village. Lay delegates from Warren, Thief River Falls, Ericsburg, Peppermint Creek, and Grassy River are also present.

So far matters of church management and other business matters have been discussed and these will occupy the greater part of the time until Sunday, which will be a great rally day. Three services will be held, the afternoon service being in English.

Hospital Notes.

Patients entering the Physicians hospital since last Thursday are as follows: Olive Nelson, city; Gladys Russel, city; Glenn Moe, Mavie; Mrs. H. Tollem, city; Geo. Johnson, city; Mrs. I. Holum, city; Mrs. Ed. Krogstad, city; K. Jorneshagen, Goodridge; Edith Gustafson, Rhoda; Oscar Smith; city; Iver Sande, city; Willard Strombe, city; W. Holtenson, city; K. Helgeson, Highlanding; Severt Hanson, city; Mrs. Grindeland, Newfolden; Wm. Wagener, Holt; Tilda Aune, North Dakota; Mrs. Bessie Gotham, city; Adele Johnson, city; Edna Helda, North Dakota; Mrs. Hilda Munson, Trail; Roy Flattum, city; Wm. Patznich, Holt.

Gov. Frazier at Fair.

Polk County Leader: Lynn F. Frazier, governor of North Dakota for two terms and considered candidate to succeed himself to that position, has been invited to speak to the people of Polk county at the forthcoming fair, which will be held July 7, 8, 9 and 10. The invitation has been extended to Governor Frazier through the courtesy of Secretary Geise, who says that if Governor Frazier comes to Crookston, one day of the fair will be set apart for the farmers. Other political parties will also be extended the same privilege.

Back to Old Home.

Baudette Region: Thoughts of boyhood days—memories of more than a century ago—and visions of fish sparkling in the waters of extreme northern Minnesota, have proved an irrestible lure for Ga-Be-Nah-Gwan-Wonce, the 130-year-old Indian of Cass Lake.

"Old John" Smith, as he is familiarly known, today packed his rods and line and with his family departed for the Rainy River country to try again his piscatorial prowess on the waters he has not visited for nearly 115 years.

Women on a Hike.

Gonvick Banner: Mrs. D. A. Clark and sister, Mrs. Olaf Berglund, left Tuesday on a hike to Fosston. Some time ago the two women bet that they could make the trip on foot and early Tuesday morning they set out upon the 12-mile journey. Members of their families were betting that they would swing aboard a passing car before they covered the distance and are anxiously waiting a report from the walkers.

Appelants Get Damages.

Warroad Pioneer: Clerk of Court A. O. Hagen received the findings of Judge Watts on the Roosevelt road damage appeal cases this week with orders to enter judgments against the county for amounts as stated.

The findings are in accordance with the testimony presented by the appellants which tended to show that the lands were worth $100 per acre. In addition the memoranda attached show allowance for fencing at $1.00 per yard and also considers inconveniences.

Enlarging Light Plant.

Greenbush Tribune: At the special election held Tuesday the voters decided by a vote of 35 to 3 to issue bonds to install an additional unit at the electric light plant. It was a foregone conclusion that an additional unit was necessary for next winter's load, and there was no particular opposition to the bond issue. The bonds were also voted to take up the floating indebtedness by the same vote.

—Trade at Home—

Good Man to Keep.
(Warroad Pioneer.)

There are many men who would make good congressmen, but it would take half a generation for them to get into position of influence in the national councils. We have a man from this district who has already arrived at leadership in congress. He is a good man, and truly represents the ideals of the agriculture of the northwest. Vote for Steenerson.

—Trade at Home—

Opens Parochial School.

The parochial school conducted in connection with *Zion Lutheran church* will open for the season next Monday morning with Mrs. George Larson as teacher.

—Trade at Home—

Wedding Dance at Rhoda.

A dance will be given at the Rhoda hall Saturday evening, June 19, in honor of the marriage of Miss Josen Hegland to Arthur Baird.—J-10-17-p

—Trade at Home—

Chas. Knutson of Grygla attended to business matters in this city on Monday.

Wool Growers Attention

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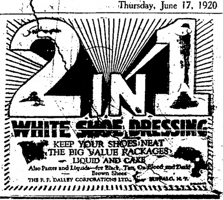
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Having decided to leave, I will sell at Public Auction all of my personal property, consisting of horses, stock, implements, household goods, etc., on my farm, the Northwest Quarter of Section Three, Town of Kratka, two and one-half miles south, one mile east of Mavie, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 22

Sale Commencing at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

HORSES

One bay mare, 13 years old, weight 1100
One bay mare, 6 years old, weight 1100
One bay gelding, 10 years old, wt. 1100

LIVE STOCK

PURE BRED HOLSTEINS:
One bull, Prince Pontiac Aaltji Edith, No. 256986, 1½ years old; his sire ¾ brother to King Segis Pontiac Alcastra, the $50,000.00 bull.
One heifer, Klondyke Pietertje Girl No. 478949, 1½ years old, bred to the above bull.
HIGH GRADE HOLSTEINS:
One cow, 7 years old, 15-16 Holstein, will be fresh this month
One cow, 5 years old, 15-16 Holstein, was fresh in May
One cow, 3 years old, 15-16 Holstein, will be fresh this month
62 Ewes
66 Lambs

FARM IMPLEMENTS

One Deering binder
One gang plow
One corn cultivator
One breaking plow
One wagon
Two drags
One McCormick mower
One hay rake
One disc
One fanning mill
One hay carrier and cable
About 80 oak fence posts
One cream separator
About 250 rods of fencing

FURNITURE

Kitchen range
One heater
One dining table
One sewing machine
One organ
Beds, chairs and a lot of other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

All Sums of $10.00 or under, Cash; over that amount Bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

REV. H. BJORNSON, Owner

T. K. RYNESTAD, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., June 8th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the Council adjourn until Wednesday, June 9th, at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., June 9th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Members absent: Brandon.

Minutes of the meeting of May 25th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Court, Chief of Police, Librarian and Manager of the Auditorium be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ihle, that the building permits of Andrew Ness and G. W. Werstlein be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the appointment of Omer Anderson to membership in the Fire Department to succeed A. C. Warner, resigned, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Dahl, that the Fire Chief be authorized to order supplies for the Fire Department to the amount of $84.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Froseth, that the plumber's bond of Holt & George in the amount of $1,000.00 be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the reading of Ordinance No. 165 be postponed until July 13th, 1920. Motion carried.

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment of the sum of $4,554.45 to Holt & George, second estimate sewer and water connections. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution ordering a sidewalk to be constructed on the West side of Arnold avenue between Third and Fourth streets. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced a resolution ordering a sidewalk constructed on the South side of Gulf Street, from Tindolph Avenue south to Crocker Avenue south. (See Resolution.)

On motion duly seconded the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held June 9, 1920, Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota deem it necessary and expedient to construct a cement sidewalk in said City along the South side of Gulf Street from Tindolph Avenue to Crocker Avenue South, on said street:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls acting on their own motion, and not otherwise, do hereby determine to order such sidewalk built, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said cement sidewalk be, and it is hereby ordered to be constructed on the South side of Gulf Street, from Tindolph Avenue South, to Crocker Avenue South; such walk to be constructed five (5) feet wide, of cement or concrete in accordance with the requirements and specifications contained in the ordinances of said City, and in accordance with the plans and specifications on file with the City Clerk of said City; and the owners of property fronting on said Gulf Street and hereinafter named, are hereby required and notified to construct and complete said sidewalk on or before the first day of August, 1920, and,

FURTHER, that this resolution shall be duly served on or before the 15th day of June, 1920, upon all the owners of the lots or parcels of ground fronting on the said Gulf Street where said sidewalk is hereby ordered constructed and whose names with their respective holdings are hereinafter stated; such service to be made in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

Name of Owner—Haakon Johnson. Description of Property—Lot One (1), Block Five (5), Red Lake Rapids, now part of said City.

Name of Owner—Erickson. Lot Forty (40), Block Five (5), in Red Lake Rapids, now part of said City.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved June 14, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held June 8th, 1920, Alderman John Dahl, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$452.55
The Prichard Co., lumber	2.00
Water & Light Dept., express	.48
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., cement, posts	60.50
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	12.78
J. J. Alg, repairs	6.00
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	10.50
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	9.50
W. A. Bishop, wood	10.25
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., printing	9.00
Alex Jaranson, special police	28.00
Paul Midderigh, special police	3.50
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Co., culverts	145.58
The Studebaker Co., washers for sprinkler	3.74
Andy Craik, smithing	[illegible]
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	41.10
Local Improvement Fund.	
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., printing	8.55
Western Union Tel. Co., telegram	.41
Water & Light Dept., power service	12.25
T. R. Iron Works, catch basins	18.00
Auditorium Fund.	
Larson Furniture Co., plates for chairs	63.51
T. R. Grocery Co., supplies	14.59
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	3.75
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	3.50
Dan Shaw, insurance	250.00
Water & Light Dept., light service	45.50
Andy Smith, firing boiler, allowed at	20.00
Poor Fund.	
Carl Christofferson, provisions	75.00
Zeh & Curran, provisions	20.51
C. S. Simonson, provisions	5.43
Oen Mercantile Co., provisions	2.55
H. K. Strand, provisions	30.00
M. N. Benson, supplies	4.75
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
W. A. Bishop, fuel	4.50
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	1.50
The Prichard Co., fuel	17.00
Larson Furniture Co., burial expense	15.00
Library Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., light service	9.31
Park Fund.	
Frank Dahlquist, labor	30.00
Zeh & Curran, seed	26.67
Electric Light Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	12.55
T. R. Iron Works, repair	19.95
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies, light service	15.50
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., toll calls	.50
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	7.00
G. A. Grow, motor	20.00
T. M. Thronson, insurance	30.00
Hermanson Hdwe. Co., supplies	7.65
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., printing	4.50
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	6.00
Red Lake Ice Co., cooler ice	4.00
The Prichard Co., lumber	1.00
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	109.01
Power Equipment Co., supplies	1.50
J. J. Alg, repairs	32.75
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	10.28
Northern Electric Co., supplies	122.48
Mpls. Elect. Equip. Co., repairs	30.35
J. I. Holcomb, supplies	5.90
General Electric Co., meters	406.57
Duluth Elect. Supplies Co., supplies	145.55
Standard Oil Co., gasolene	10.00
LaCoe & Fontaine, drayage	1.00
Alfred Adolphs, labor	40.00
Waterworks Fund.	
Andy Craik, smithing	10.00

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved June 14, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held June 9, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the City Clerk and Mayor are hereby authorized and directed to issue and deliver to Holt & George the warrant of the City in the sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty-four and 45-100 Dollars, ($4,554.45), to be drawn on the proper funds of the city, in payment of Estimate No. 2, 1920, for work done by said Holt & George, on the sewer and water connection contract; such estimate being submitted by the Bradley Engineering Service under date June 7, 1920; said sum is hereby appropriated out of such funds for the purposes aforesaid.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved June 14, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held June 9, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, deem it necessary and expedient that a sidewalk be constructed along those portions of Arnold Avenue North, between Third and Fourth Streets, hereinafter described;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the said sidewalk be, and the City Council do hereby on its own motion order the same constructed on said Arnold Avenue North, between Third and Fourth Streets, along the East side of Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), nine (9), and ten (10), in Block Twenty-five (25) of the Original Townsite of said City, the same being along the West side of said Arnold Avenue opposite said lots, and the owners of property fronting on said portion of Arnold Avenue and hereinafter named, are hereby notified and required to construct said sidewalk five (5) feet wide, to be constructed of cement or concrete, in accordance with the requirements and specifications of the ordinances of said City, and with the plans and specifications on file with the City Clerk of said City; said sidewalk to be so constructed and completed on or before the first day of August, 1920, and further that this resolution shall be duly served on or before the 15th day of June, 1920, upon all the owners of the lots or parcels of ground fronting on the said portion of Arnold Avenue North above described, and whose names with their respective holdings are hereinafter stated; such service to be made in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

Name of Owner—August Bredeson. Description of Property—Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), and six (6), of Block twenty-five (25) of the Original Townsite of said City.

Name of Owner—Berdie C. Newell. Description of Property—Lots nine (9), and ten (10), of Block Twenty-five (25), in said Original Townsite of said City.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved June 14, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Peter Newman.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mrs. May Smith and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Mrs. May Smith, having been filed in this Court, representing that Peter Newman, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 20th day of April, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to N. W. Tarrant of Thief River Falls, Minnesota and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of July, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 3rd day of June, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
J10-17-24

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil E. Zeh.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 11th day of September, 1920, at 10.00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated June 5th, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
J10-17-24

BIDS CLOSE JUNE 23. SCHOOL BUILDING, THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

The undersigned hereby gives notice that sealed proposals will be received up to the hour of 2 p. m., June 23, 1920, for all labor and material for the erection of a school building, together with bids for all mechanical equipment for said building, all in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Sund & Dunham, Architects, 512-514 Essex Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. Plans may be seen at the office of the architects, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, or at the Builders' Exchanges of Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Bids are to be enclosed in sealed envelopes and delivered to P. O. Myhrum, Clerk of the Board of Education. A certified check, made out to P. O. Myhrum, in amount of five per cent of the bid must accompany each bid. This check is to become the property of the Board of Education in case the bidder refuses to enter into a contract with the Board within ten days after he has been notified of his having been awarded the contract.

The bidder to whom the contract is awarded will be required to furnish a surety bond in the amount of his contract.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

(Signed.) BOARD OF EDUCATION,
Independent School District, No. 18,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Sund & Dunham, Architects,
512-514 Essex Bldg, Minneapolis.
J-10-17

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Knut P. Iverson.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 10th day of September, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated June 4, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Edward Peterson, Leonard Peterson, Annie Johnson, Gustaf Peterson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in *the City of Thief River Falls in the* County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of July, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 15th day of June, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J17-24-J1

Order.

State of Minnesota, Pennington County, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the dissolution on Petition of Corporation of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Building Company, a corporation.

Order.

In the above entitled matter, and pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided; and upon the presentation of a petition therefore first having been duly made to this court therefore, this court hereby fixes the 29th day of June, 1920, at Ten o'clock A. M., at the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, as the time and the place for the hearing thereon, and it is further ordered that three weeks published notice thereof be given by the publication of a copy of this order, as notice to all parties interested, in said hearing and said matter, that this order be served by the publication thereof in the Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, published at Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated at Warren, Minnesota, May 27th, 1920.

ANDREW GRINDELAND,
District Judge,
14th Judicial District
of Minnesota.
J3-10-17

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Madeline Giard and Joseph Giard, her husband, as mortgagors, to Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls, a corporation, as mortgagee, dated December 31, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on January 30, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M., in book 58 of mortgages on page 432, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, and it being claimed to be due and is actually due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of six hundred and sixty seven dollars and thirty eight ($667.38), and the taxes for 1918 amounting to fifty three dollars and eighty nine cents ($53.89) paid by said mortgagee, making the total amount now due seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents ($721.27).

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein said mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots eleven (11), twelve (12), and thirteen (13) of block nine (9), in Knox's addition to Red Lake Rapids, now part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County,

will be sold by the sheriff of said County at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 29th day of June, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, to pay said debt and interest thereon and the taxes and an attorney's fee of fifty (50) dollars stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the expenses of sale, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated May 1, 1920.

NORTHWESTERN BUILDING ASSOCIATION of Fergus Falls,
Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
m13-20-27-j3-10-17

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received at the Clerk's office by the Town Board of Mayfield, up until 2 o'clock P. M., Monday, June 28th, 1920, for five miles of road grading to be done in said town. Three miles of this work can be done with tractor and grader. Any further information can be had the day of meeting. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

M. O'LEARY,
Clerk.
j17

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to tune pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. j3tf

—Trade at Home—

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

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Times Want Ads

FOR SALE

A BUSINESS HOUSE AND AN 8-room dwelling house, both in good condition for sale—very cheap. Inquire at Loken's Harness Shop. 75

FOR SALE—My home at 933 Arnold Ave N. With garage and about 1½ acres of land, all plowed and ready for garden. House, 7-room, full basement, 90-bbl. cistern, hot water heat, all rough in plumbing. Just outside city limits. This year's tax $25.10. M. Bothun.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 6 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—State Land, Viking, $2.00 per acre deposit, balance 1941, 4 per cent interest. Open farm, hay and pasture land.—The Times. 75

FOR SALE—Power lift tractor drill to be sold cheap. Inquire at McFarland Auto Co. 74p

...R SALE—6 weeks old pigs. $5.00 each. A. J. Funnemark, R. 1, City. Telephone 10-F-22. 75p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced; good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Black draft mare, five years old, weight 1500, with five-weeks-old colt. Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 72tf

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—D. J. Bakke, office and salesroom at Borry's garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—One young Jersey cow, one heifer; one Overland auto in first class condition. Inquire Ahlborn, the Tailor. 77p

FOR SALE—Have some barb wire to sell. $2.80 a roll. Andrew Ness. 74tf

FOR SALE—New 7-room house and 3 lots. Good investment.—J. Weirus. 7p

...R SALE—Three good residences, ...five building lots, several small ...of land. Close to city. Houses ...rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek. 72tf

FOR SALE—50 Pigs, 6 weeks old. The Barzen Farm. 75p

FOR SALE—Five horse power Ellickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—A money making modern steam heated flat. Priced right and terms for quick sale. For further information call or write C. W. McDaniel, Thief River Falls, Minn. 78

FOR SALE—4-year-old mare, weight 1300; one three-year-old sorrel horse colt; one Deering 7-ft. cut binder. Inquire of H. M. Poston. 75

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—5 fresh cows with calves and one good team of young horses, and numerous other things. See Frank Mousley or call 11-F-841. 75tf

FOR SALE—Six ton good timothy hay. —Paul Engelstad, Rt. 3, city. 75p

FOR SALE—One player, piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—Oldtown Canoe. Complete equipment. A-1 condition. See J. A. Penney. 75

FOR SALE—Two quarter sections west of St. Hilaire, along main road. All fenced with galvanized barb wire. Good living house and two good barns. Well and granary. 200 acres under cultivation. Balance timber and pasture. $75.00 per acre.—L. A. Carlson, Water St., St. Hilaire, Minn. 77

FOR SALE—Four weeks old pigs, $5.00 apiece. Phone 8-F-03. 75p

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Steel range, six holes, hot water attachment, reservoir. In excellent condition. Also laundry stove and cook stove. Call phone 400. 73tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 813 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 35tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Having finished breaking my farm, will sell John Deere sulky plow, 18-inch stubble with breaking attachment. New in 1916. $70.—August N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Section 10, Sanders township. 75p

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf.

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—About 10 tons of upland wild hay. About 4 miles west of fair grounds on Jefferson Highway.—Gordon M. Olson, R. 1, Box 65, City. 75p

FOR SALE—6-room house. Enquire at 313 State avenue North. 76p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 303 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1 1919 Maxwell Truck; 1 1918 Ford Truck; 1 Mogul tractor, plows and breaker. All the above in first class shape.—Dahl Brothers, Goodridge, Minn. 75

FOR RENT—Strictly modern house. Jos. Johnson, 123 LaBree S. 73tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern 10 room house with full basement, 75x140 grounds. Barn room for 12 head of stock. Cement floor in barn and hay loft. Call at 123 LaBree Ave. S. 75tf

FOR RENT—2000 acres hay land near Goodridge; 800 acres hay land near Viking. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 74tf

HAVE A COUPLE OF GOOD HOUSES for rent or for sale, at a bargain. Inquire at John Bratrud office. 73tf

LOST

LOST—Side curtain for automobile on road from St. Hilaire to Goodridge or in city of Thief River Falls. Return to Times office. Reward.

FOUND

I WANT TO BUY a well improved farm not over five miles from town. Give legal description in first letter.—John Walters, Lock Box 24, Meservey, Iowa. 75p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Tent large enough for eight horses.—John A. Jacobs, Middle River, Minn. 80

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—20 boys, ages 13 years and up. Good wages. Call Farm Bureau. 77

WANTED AT ONCE—Competent cook. Wages—$35.00 per month. Also second cook, wages $25.00 per month. Both room and board. Address D. McCuman C-o Merchants Hotel, Grafton, N. D. 78pd

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Two girls at once.—City Bakery. HM

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Lady wanted to keep house for family of two. For particulars, etc., address Lock Box 882, Thief River Falls.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED — Easy place, small family. Must be neat and tidy and well recommended. Call 108 Duluth avenue south. 76pd.

WANTED—Girl for general housework on farm. Steady position. State wages wanted in first letter. A. V. Eastman & Sons, Johnston, N. D. 75pd.

MISCELLANEOUS

LEARN TO NURSE—Medical and surgical training; two years course. Practical and theoretical class work. Staff of 25 doctors. $25 a month, board, room and laundry included. Classes about to begin. Montrose Avenue Hospital and Sanitarium, 2538 Montrose Ave., Chicago, Ill. 77

WANTED—Bookkeeping position, by young lady recently graduated from the South Dakota School of Business. Write Miss Emma Grimley, Erie, Minn. 75p

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

WANTED—Dressmaking. Miss Mundle, Phone 4112, 501 Riverside Ave. S. 76p

WANTED TO RENT—A ladies' bicycle. Call at Times. 75-pd

STRAYED FROM MY PLACE—Five calves about 8 months old, also one sow. Notify John Bergquist, Route 1, box 52. 76

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?

The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campa...

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here... your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these, dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over. —CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

What One Dollar Will Do

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It is a rather wonderful thing when you stop to think about it what one lone dollar will do, if it is kept at work. This has been illustrated in a striking manner on several occasions by means of a very simple experiment. If you want to see just how important a role a silver dollar or a dollar bill plays in the life of a community here is the way to do it. Just attach a tag to the dollar and turn it loose, with the request that every person who receives the dollar make a note on the tag as to how he received it. The result will be an eye-opener.

Here is the way it works: Smith, the lumber dealer, who first possesses the dollar, buys some groceries from Brown and pays for them with the dollar. About that time Jones, the plumber, who had done some work for Brown, sends his collector around and Brown pays the bill with this dollar. Jones owes Green, the printer, a small advertising bill, so he sends this dollar with possibly some others, to Green to pay his bill. Green had just put the dollar in his cash drawer when in comes Black, the milkman, to whom Green owes a dollar for milk delivered at his home. Green takes the dollar out of his cash drawer and pays Black. For some time Black has owed White, the carpenter, for some work done on his dairy house, so now he takes the dollar that Green has paid him and pays up what he owes White. White still owes for some lumber that he bought from Smith, the lumber dealer, so he takes the dollar and squares up his account with Smith. Smith now has his dollar back. Brown has been able to pay his plumbing bill, Jones has squared up with the printer, and so on, all around the circle.

What Might Have Happened.

Now suppose that Smith, instead of buying his groceries from Brown, had purchased them from a mail order house in a far distant city and sent his dollar to pay for them. Brown would not have had that dollar to pay Jones, the plumber; Jones could not have paid his printing bill; the printer would have had to stand off the milk man; White, the carpenter, would not have got the money for the work he had done for the milkman and Smith would not have got the money which White owed him for lumber.

This is all so simple that it requires no student of accounts or professor of mathematics to figure it out. Anyone can see that when Smith sends that dollar to Chicago or some other city where the mail order houses flourish, that dollar is gone so far as Smith and Jones and Green and the rest of the people in Smith's town are concerned. That dollar will never come back to pay any bills in Smith's town, and the thing that stands out most striking, but is most often overlooked, is that Smith, the man who first spends the dollar, is hurt just as much when he sends that dollar out of town as is the home grocer from whom he might have bought his groceries.

Now just multiply this one dollar by a hundred or a thousand or ten thousand. One dollar may not seem to make much difference in the average town, but a thousand dollars or even a hundred dollars does make a difference. Just as one dollar will pay a dozen or a hundred small bills, a hundred or a thousand dollars will pay a dozen or a hundred big bills. When Brown, the grocery man, owes a thousand dollars and can't pay it, he is headed for the bankruptcy courts. When Jones, the plumber, can't collect the money which is due him from Brown or maybe a dozen Browns, he is headed in the same direction as Brown. And so it goes all around the circle until it hits Smith or a dozen Smiths who have sent their money out of town to add to the fortunes of the mail order men.

Buyer One Who Is Hurt.

Thus, it will be seen that this buy-at-home proposition is really a selfish one with the man who buys the goods. He is not hurting the home merchant when he sends his money out of town, any more than he is hurting himself.

Every sensible man knows that his livelihood depends upon whether business in his town is good or not. If business is not good, he cannot make a good living for himself and his family, no matter how hard he may work, and business cannot be good if the business men in the town are not making money. This is a plain business proposition for every man and woman in the community. By spending their money at home they are helping the home merchant only incidentally. They are buttering their own bread. When they send their money to the mail order house, they are not only hurting the home merchant incidentally but—a thing more important to them—they are likely to be taking the bread out of the mouths of their own children.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate. —THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side. —ANDREW BOTTELSON.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERF... NISH you with estima... lumber requirements and... advise you regarding you... us explain our methods... NORTZ LUMBER CO. (In...

SE US FOR TIRES. We... unusually large stock of we... tires which we are offering... than list price. We carry the... stone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayto... Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find t... benefit of our advice rega... personal millinery require... satisfying. At present w... ing attractive values in th... latest models.—JOHNSO... NERY.

THE NORTHWES... CO. will be pleased... the Overland Car... time. We make g... and completely ove... cars. Our work is... lard Storage Battery... —K. A. SUNDAHL,...

WE CONTROL THE... AGENCY for the Fa... City Feeder and Fairba... Engines. Our repair de... fully equipped to repair... machinery and farm im... RAMBECK & STONE CO...

HONESTY E... Automobile Serv... and Repairs... Oxyacetylene We... BORRY'S GARA...

PURE MILK contains... sential elements of food... the body. Therefore, d... milk, but safeguard your... curing our milk, which is... wholesome.—THIEF RIVER... ERATIVE CREAMERY A...

PURITAS ICE CR... wholesome and refre... acme of health-giving... for Puritas the next t... implies its quality.—... DUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING... your local dealer ask... which is a product m... your home town and e... ishing value flour mad... HANSON & BARZEN...

PROGRESSIVENESS... of this centrally locat... Grocery Store. We carry... line of Choice Meats and... Staple Groceries. Our lar... guarantees freshness and w... ness of merchandise.—CITY... AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our m... tomers real dollars on all... of Groceries, Flour, Feed... here. We carry at all... usually large stock of... Food Products, etc.,... We solicit an oppo... your home with fir... —ZEH & CURRA...

WE ARE LOC... Moline, Internatio... Machinery, Tracto... We would be gl... any machinery... strate any of ou... SON & SON.

A LARGE STO... chandise, Dry Good... Fancy Groceries is... selection. We desire... and in turn offer y... chandise. Service a... by our personal... BERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDE... not affect our busin... paign has, however,... dorsement. — PETE... CO.—Wholesale Prod...

SHELF AND HEA... FARM MAC... PAINTS, OIL... Highest quality and... prevail here.—H... CO.

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City News

Stationery Sale at Laird's, next door to old location. j17

F. Helm of Red Lake Falls visited with friends here on Sunday.

Chas. Knutson of Grygla visited with friends here on Monday.

Fred Hoyez of Moorhead passed Sunday with friends in this city.

Hans Sorgaard of Fosston was in the city on Thursday attending to business.

Geo. Johnson of Grygla visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Paul Sund of Esplee motored to this city the latter part of last week on business.

Miss Lucille Brooks spent Sunday visiting at the home of her parents in Plummer.

Miss Dorothy Olson of St. Hilaire visited with her cousin, Miss Dorothy Pederson on Tuesday.

Michael Giefer of Napoleon, N. D., is in the city this week visiting at the home of his parents.

Miss Eleanor Lee of Grygla arrived here on Monday afternoon for a brief visit with friends.

Misses Alma Wikum and Gladys Paulson of Gully visited with friends here the latter part of the week.

Geo. Sheldrew motored to this city on Saturday from his home in Grygla and visited with friends over Sunday.

R. Detling came up from Red Lake Falls on Sunday to witness the ball game between that city and the local team.

Miss Rhoda Finberg arrived here Tuesday morning from Red Lake Falls and spent a brief period at her home.

Dan Shaw returned on Monday morning from Chicago where he attended the Republican National Convention.

Rev. E. O. Larson returned to his home in Willmar on Tuesday afternoon, having attended the Lutheran convention for a week.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson left on Wednesday for Fargo, where they will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. F. A. Hoppe, who had visited with friends at Bemidji, returned to her home in this city on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. S. Simonson arrived on Tuesday from Ada and will visit at the home of her son, C. S. Simonoson, for a few days.

Wanted—Saleslady for general merchandise store, capable of assisting in bookkeeping. Address Overly Mercantile Co., Overly, N. D.

Miss Ruth Torkelson of Hazel left Wednesday morning for her home after a few days' visit at the T. P. Anderson home in this city.

Sigrud Bakke, who visited for a short time at the home of her uncle, Gunder Bakke, returned on Wednesday to her home at Neilsville.

Miss Lila Schuster and brother Leland returned the first of the week from Valley City where they spent two weeks as guests of relatives.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen, who has been attending the University of North Dakota is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen.

Miss Alice Larson, who spent a week visiting at the home of her grandparents in Oslo, returned to her home in this city on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson left on Tuesday for a trip to Michigan points on a visit to relatives. They expect to remain for about three weeks.

O. Miller and daughter Irene motored to this city on Saturday from their home in Crookston and were over Sunday guests at the Rolland homes.

Messrs. G. O. and N. D. Evju of Portland, N. D., were in the city the first of the week attending to business affairs and also visiting with relatives.

Misses Borghild and Selma Zakarjason returned to their home at Middle River on Wednesday after having received dental treatment here for a few days.

Ed. Brevig returned to this city after a two week's vacation spent in visiting with friends in Minneapolis, and also at his home in Black River Falls, Wis.

Mrs. Anton Erickson left Wednesday afternoon via the Great Northern for Scobey, Mont., where she will visit at the home of a brother for two weeks.

Miss Josephine Eichammer, who is a guest of her sister, Margaret, in this city, departed for Hazel on Saturday morning to visit at the home of Miss Clara Dahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Korstad and children who have spent the past winter here, left on Tuesday afternoon for Poplar, Mont., where Mr. Korstad is engaged in farming.

Lloyd Peterson left on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where he will visit with his father, Leonard Peterson, Supt. of the water and light department of that city.

Mrs. H. W. Miller and daughter Edna returned to their home here on Tuesday morning after spending a few days as the guests of the former's parents in Crookston.

P. J. Bottem, the hardware man, returned Monday from a business trip to Warroad. He says the crops in the country to the north are looking excellent for the most part.

Mrs. A. Lappegaard and children, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. N. Rye, left on Tuesday morning for Fox, where they will spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Karl Korstad, accompanied by her mother-in-law, Mrs. P. P. Korstad, shopped in this city on Wednesday. They returned the same day by car to their home at Highlanding.

Miss Zella Zeh will leave this evening for Minneapolis, where she will attend summer school for a period of six weeks. While there she will also be the guest of relatives and friends.

Miss Helen Leen of Radium visited with friends in this city between trains Saturday evening, enroute to Bemidji where she will be the guest of friends for a period of six weeks.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, who had the distinction of being one of the women attending at the Republican National Convention held in Chicago, returned to this city on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Grothe of Hendrum returned to their home yesterday after spending a week attending the convention. While in the city they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dahl.

Misses Maybelle Ostby, Margaret Burns and Messrs. Stanton Dahlen and Orrin Ostby, motored to Maple Lake on Saturday evening to attend the dance. They returned to this city on Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Curtiss returned to this city the first of the week from Northfield where she has been attending Carleton college. She will remain at her home in this city during the summer.

Miss Olga Rhodegaard returned to her home at Roseau on Wednesday after a pleasant visit at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Rhodegaard, who reside on a farm west of the city.

Jerome Higgins arrived the first of the week from Cour d' Alene, Idaho, to visit with friends and relatives. From here he will go to Bemidji to spend the remainder of the summer at the home of his parents.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Hostager returned to their home in Brainerd on Monday after having attended a two day session of the Lutheran Free church convention. They made the entire trip both ways by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gjelhaug arrived here Tuesday afternoon from Baudette and spent a few days visiting at the Laird home, enroute to New York City where Mr. Gjelhaug is in the employ of the government.

Mr. and Mrs. Eno Hendrickson and daughter, Evelyn, who had been visiting at the I. Finsand home at Goodridge, left Wednesday morning for Warroad to visit for a short time before returning to their home at Albert Lea.

Mrs. H. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Lute York, Roy and Gerald Turney are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. York left the first of the week for Argyle for a brief visit, after which they will return to this city to complete their visit at the Anderson home.

George Loken leaves today on an extended automobile trip and intends to stay away for about a month. He will go first to Crookston and from there to the twin cities. He has not marked out any particular itinerary but will travel as he sees fit and very much in accordance with road conditions.

Mrs. O. R. Christianson, who had been in the city for a few days' visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Erickson, left Wednesday on her return to her home at Strathcona. She was accompanied by her mother-in-law, Mrs. I. Christianson, of Detroit, who also had been a guest at the Erickson home.

Miss Doris Halvorson is expected to arrive in this city on Friday morning from Oberlin where she has been studying music. Miss Halvorson intends to instruct in piano during the summer and already has a large class of pupils. She has been highly honored the past month having been classed which will mean her graduation next spring.

Norris Johnson arrived here the latter part of last week from Minneapolis, where he is attending the University and spent a brief period as the guest of his sister, Mrs. O. A. Naplin. He departed on Tuesday morning for Gatzke where he will spend an indefinite period visiting at the home of his parents, who reside on a farm near that place.

Auditor F. B. Swallen of Breckenridge spent several days in the city this week on official business. While here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson. Mr. Swallen recently had the misfortune of losing a new Buick car, the auto having been stolen at Barnesville, and no trace has yet been found of the machine or the men who made away with it.

Hector Baxter, president of the Minnesota and Manitoba Railroad and also general solicitor for the Canadian National Railway company, was in this city on Wednesday on official business. He departed via the Great Northern on Thursday for Warroad and Baudette where he will spend a few days on business, before returning to his home in Minneapolis.

Mrs. L. L. Hill and son, Robert, of Detroit, Mich., arrived Wednesday for a brief visit with Mrs. Hill's sister, Mrs. Carl Evju. A brother, L. J. Armes, will arrive Thursday evening from a business trip through the eastern states and together they will leave tomorrow morning for the latter's home at Pasadena, Cal. Enroute they will visit at Vancouver, Seattle, San Francisco, Los Angeles, and other points in the West.

Miss Harriet Hanson and Dr. C. M. Larson of Minneapolis are spending a few days at the home of Dr. Larson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson, 215 East Sixth street. They made the trip by motor and came through without experiencing any great inconvenience on account of bad roads. Dr. Larson, a graduate of the local high school, has recently been graduated from the University of Minnesota and is now practicing medicine with Dr. Theo. Tennyson of Minneapolis.

RETURNS SATISFIED FROM G. O. P. MEETING

Daniel Shaw Says He Believes Ticket Selected is a Strong One.

The probabilities are that all delegates to the Chicago convention were thankful when the battle was over and they were permitted to return to their homes. Such was the case with Daniel Shaw of this city, who attended as an alternate from the Ninth district.

"While to a man who had never been present when a major political convention held its sessions the proceedings were full of interest," said Mr. Shaw upon his return Monday, "yet the discomforts rather outweigh the advantages quite largely." While favoring Gen. Wood as the candidate himself, Mr. Shaw believes that the Harding-Coolidge combination will prove particularly strong, an opinion shared by practically all the delegates at the convention, he said.

Asked which particular speech he considered the best of all those made Mr. Shaw replied without hesitation that the effort in this respect of Mrs. Roosevelt Robinson of New York in seconding the nomination of Gen. Wood was in his judgement far ahead of anything of the kind attempted by the others.

—Trade at Home—

Soldiers May Get Bonus Money Now; Discount Small

The proposed plan to enable Minnesota service men to cash their bonus claims at once by taking small discounts was declared feasible Wednesday by M. J. Desmond, superintendent of accounts in the office of State Auditor Preus.

The superintendent was first to announce that bonus payments would be temporarily resumed with funds from current tax collections which he estimated would make a total of $1,325,000 available for bonuses in thirty days, and to raise the question of whether payments cannot soon be made in anticipation of November tax collections.

"I believe the plan would prove successful and that the great majority of service men will prefer to discount their bonus claims for cash than to wait for the full amount," said Mr. Desmond.

The proposal briefly, is that the bonus board issue certificates on each claim, stating that payment will be made at a certain date, that the holders discount the certificates at fixed rates to Minnesota banks, and then that the board redeem them indirectly with regular bonus bonds.

—Trade at Home—

May Decide to Celebrate Fourth Here After All

Is Thief River Falls to have a Fourth of July celebration this year? That is a question being asked by many. Because of numerous celebrations in the smaller town in the neighborhood there has been a sort of implied agreement that this city is not to bid for a crowd, but there are many who believe that this is not just the right way to feel about it.

A self-appointed committee started out this afternoon to sound out the business men on the subject and if there is interest enough evinced in the proposition to make it look like a success a big time will be staged.

One of the reasons for holding off is the general impression that a big blow-out so near the dates of the county fair might act as a damper on the latter event, but this reasoning does not seem sound to many of those who believe that the Fourth is the one day of the year on which our people should make a special effort to put on something of an appropriate character.

The committee has not yet reported but will no doubt do so at once as but a short time remains in which to get things in readiness if it is decided to go ahead with the matter.

—Trade at Home—

Storm Passes Us Up.

The weather on Monday afternoon was just threatening enough to spoil the community picnic but did not get around to a point where any rain fell. Pennington county escaped almost without a wetting but in Red Lake and Polk there was the heaviest rainfall of the season and considerable damage to crops was at first reported. The weather turned cool and the water drained off rapidly, however, and it is likely that the first estimates were in excess of the actual damage.

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Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

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W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco

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Farming to Beat Oil

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The demand for farm electric light and power plants is growing with amazing rapidity. It seems that almost every up-to-date farmer wants this great convenience. The advantages of safe electric light in house—barns—yard and other buildings—running water under pressure, and power for all light machinery—are too apparent to overlook.

We are distributors in this territory, for the famous

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FARM ELECTRIC POWER AND LIGHT PLANT

This is the remarkable plant that is demonstrated at the fairs, running under full load, with three ordinary drinking glasses as a foundation. It is the plant that is absolutely free from ruinous vibration—needs no special foundation—runs quietly without being anchored—has so many wonderful features that it practically sells itself.

WE WANT A LIVE DEALER IN EVERY LOCALITY —THE CHANCE OF A LIFETIME

We will back this dealer to the limit with the stuff that makes sales.

This is the fastest growing business in the farm field Live light plant dealers are all doing a big business. Silent Alamo dealers are unusually successful.

Write today for dealer proposition. Act now before your territory is closed.

ALAMO MINNESOTA LIGHT CO.,
126 Washington Ave. N.
Minneapolis.

To Keep American Ships on the Seas

For the first time since the Civil War we have a real merchant marine. It cost us $3,000,000,000 to get it.

The farmer, manufacturer, laborer—every American is interested in holding our position on the seas.

As a first step in this direction it is necessary to modify those articles of existing commercial treaties which have operated to thwart the upbuilding of our merchant marine—

By giving the notice of termination for which the several treaties provide.

This action is directed in the constructive Shipping Bill now before Congress;

Which declares it to be the policy of the United States "to do whatever may be necessary to develop and encourage" a merchant marine.

This policy deserves the support of every American.

Lacking this support the present effort to maintain our merchant marine may suffer the fate of many ineffective attempts of the past.

Send for a copy of "For an American Merchant Marine."

Committee of American Shipbuilders
30 CHURCH STREET, NEW YORK CITY

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THERE are a few features you ought to know all about. One of them is the eccentric bushing that keeps the cutter bar lined up with the pitman.

You know how the cutter bar will get to sagging, no matter how careful you are. It bumps into clods, ant-hills, stones and stumps that you don't see until too late, and first thing you know it's hard to pull and you begin to break knife heads and have trouble.

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"Even as Eve"
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Starring GRACE DARLING
Supported by a strong cast.
Love—Armed Conflicts—Outdoor Thrills
Sunday and Monday
A First National Attraction.

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DUSTIN FARNUM
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Great said the large crowds that witnessed this picture last night.
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"The Beggar Prince"
The most fascinating picture of Hayakawa's career.
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A thrilling drama of the west.
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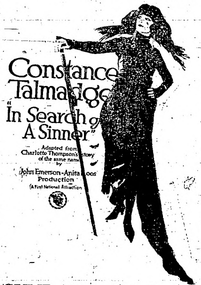

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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Court Ruling Fails to Settle Paving Status

Decision Applies Only to Cities Having Home Rule Charters.

Points Raised in Thief River Falls Case Not Touched Upon.

Action Before District Court on Injunction Probably Next Move.

The expected decision in the case brought by Warren citizens for the purpose of clearing up the law regarding the paving of streets in cities of the third and fourth class was handed down on Thursday by the supreme court. So far as the matter concerns Thief River Falls, however, not much of anything has been gained one way or another.

The supreme court holds that cities operating under home rule charters in Minnesota are not permitted to enter into contracts for public improvements such as paving without first having submitted the matter to a vote of the people. As Warren is operating under a charter of this kind the decision effectively puts a stop to paving proceedings in that city until such time as an election authorizing a bond issue can be held.

It has been the prevailing impression that the decision in the Warren case would cover all actions brought to test the validity of the 1919 law, but such is not the case. The court specifically refers to cities "having home rule charters" as being prevented from proceeding under this statute, but fails to say whether or not such municipalities as may be organized under a different statute are included. Thief River Falls is not a home rule city, being organized under a different provision. There are but two other cities in the state now operating under the same statute—Cloquet and Red Lake Falls. Neither of these are parties to the action now pending having no paving campaign under way.

Up to District Court.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie, on behalf of the municipality, and Theo. Quale, attorney for the petitioners for the injunction, both state that the matter will now have to come before the district court on the regular calendar in order that a separate decision may be rendered. This will undoubtedly mean another appeal to the supreme court, no matter how the question is decided. This means that the paving program is dead for the present year. It is not likely that the case could be brought before the higher court even by stipulation before the October term and by the time the matter could be determined it would be too late to do anything until the following spring.

The contentions of the objectors, as submitted by Mr. Quale, as their reasons for asking an injunction are four in number and cover the following points: 1. That the act is unconstitutional because it places a burden upon property without due process of law. 2. That certificates of indebtedness for improvement of this kind cannot be issued without the authorization of the voters. 3. That the city council exceeded its authority in contracting to pave before having provided for the payment of such work through a tax levy. 4. That the streets of the city are not in proper condition for paving.

None of these points were touched upon by the supreme court.

—Trade at Home—

Banks to Close Earlier on Saturday Afternoons

Beginning on Saturday, July 3 and continuing throughout the months of July and August, all Thief River Falls banks will close at 1 o'clock on Saturday afternoons. An advertisement signed by all four banks and announcing this change will be found in this issue of The Times.

This is a plan followed generally during the hottest weather of the year by all banks in the state. As a rule the closing hour is made 12 o'clock but in order to provide somewhat greater accommodation to the public the Thief River Falls institutions decided to extend the time an additional hour.

HALVOR STEENERSON
Winner of Republican Nomination for Congress in Tuesday's Primaries.

—Trade at Home—

NORWAY SONS PICNIC GREATEST EVER HELD

Estimated That 2500 Were Present—50 Autos From Grand Forks.

Taking advantage of the ideal weather conditions, many members of the Sons and Daughters of Norway lodges in this neighborhood gathered at Squaw Point just north of the city for their annual picnic on Sunday afternoon. Grand Forks, Crookston, Twin Valley and other nearby points at which there is a large population of Norwegians were well represented, a number coming also from as far away as Devils Lake on the west and Cass Lake on the east.

Bernhard Knudsen of Snore lodge, Thief River Falls, was general chairman and addresses were made by Dr. Fortun and Prof. Aakre of Grand Forks, and H. O. Chommie of this city. The general trend of the speakers' remarks had to do with the reconstruction work now necessary all over the world in order that the effects of the war may as quickly as possible be overcome. It was urged that while it is perfectly proper to cherish a feeling of appreciation and high regard for the land of one's nativity, the first and foremost duty of all at this time is to prove worthy American citizens.

The picnic was admitted by visitors to be the best ever held by the society. Excellent singing by Braga Men's chorus, Thief River Falls, added interest to the proceedings. The games and sports furnished amusement for everybody and all had a good time. Lunch was served on the grounds and refreshments were plentiful. A tug of war between members of the local lodge and representatives of the Grand Forks organization resulted in a victory for the latter. In the ladies' contest, however, the result was transposed, the locals hauling their rivals all over the lot.

—Trade at Home—

Ninth District Bankers Elect Officers For Year

The Ninth District Bankers' association held their annual meeting in conjunction with those of the Sixth district at Walker last week. It was a well-attended session and many matters of great interest to the future of the sections represented were taken up.

Officers for the ensuing year for the Ninth district group were elected as follows: President, J. H. Shea, State Bank of Perham; vice-president, J. M. Hanson, Polk County State Bank, Crookston; secretary-treasurer, R. B. Rathbun, Merchants' National bank, Detroit; executive committee, C. R. Gillespie, State Bank of Stephen; W. B. Torgerson, Farmers' and Merchants' State bank, Oklee.

—Trade at Home—

THE BUSINESS HOUSES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY ON MONDAY, JULY 5. j24

Petitions For Big Drainage Job Received

Red Lake District Commission Orders Work Along Two Streams Begun.

Marks Inaugural Step in Flood Control Plan For This Section.

Members Will Make Personal Inspection of Territory Involved.

The Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy district commissioners held an important meeting in the court room in this city yesterday. The entire board was present—Chairman G. C. Selvig of Crookston, Frank Nelson, Holt; William Paskewitz, Grygla; August Johnson, Clearbrook, and Ed Aubol, St. Hilaire.

Petitions were received covering drainage and flood control operations on the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers and the engineer, George W. Walker, was instructed to proceed with the survey. When this is completed assessments will be made by a board of viewers who will estimate the costs and fix the amount of benefits or damages.

This means that the work will be taken up in earnest and carried out as rapidly as possible. The preliminaries have been most carefully attended to and the commissioners have at every step made certain of their ground. The proceedings mark the first step in the most important drainage undertaking ever engaged upon in this state.

To Make Personal Visits.

On July 1 the commission will begin a tour of personal inspection which will include the greater part of the drainage district. They will meet at Red Lake Falls and work northward for the purpose of securing first-hand knowledge of conditions.

Chairman Selvig says the matter will be taken hold of with enthusiasm and a determination to remedy once for all a condition that has held back the development of northwestern Minnesota for years.

While in the city Mr. Selvig also took occasion to get in a good word for the livestock pavilion to be erected on the grounds of the Northwestern Fair association at Crookston. The quota of Pennington county has been placed at the low figure of $750 and he thinks that when the importance of the matter is fully understood there will be no trouble in raising this small amount. It is a most worthy undertaking and one in which our people are as deeply interested as are those of Crookston.

—Trade at Home—

REJECT ALL BIDS ON NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

Found to be About $25,000 Higher Than Estimated by Architects.

Bids for the erection of a new school building on the site of the present Knox school were opened by the board of education on Monday. There were four bidders on the general contract and about 15 who bid on some particular part of the work. Most of the contractors were present in person.

It was found that the lowest price at which the building could be erected was $104,300. Architect A. B. Dunham, who was present, stated that this was $25,000 more than had been calculated on and he recommended that all bids be rejected. Uncertain labor and transportation conditions had much to do with the high price asked, said the contractors.

The board will probably wait until spring and then re-advertise the job. Conditions may at that time have so adjusted themselves as to give contractors a more secure cost foundation to work from. This will delay the final opening of the new building but little as it would be impossible to secure material now in any event.

THE TIMES WILL HAVE SPECIAL REPORTS FROM DEMOCRAT CONVENTION

The Democratic National convention will convene at San Francisco on Monday, June 28, and The Times has made arrangements to receive special telegraphic reports of its doings through the agency of the Western Newspaper Union. This organization will have its own reporters right on the convention floor and the reports will be sent to its patrons over leased wires. There will be no better service received by any paper in the country.

During the progress of the Republican convention in Chicago The Times office was the busiest place in the city. The bulletins were found absolutely reliable and so up-to-the-minute that practically every movement was known in Thief River Falls as soon as it was announced on the streets of Chicago.

Watch The Times windows during the Democratic convention.

Aerial Stunts Are Featured For the Fair

Art Williams, Dare-Devil Performer With Plane, is the Headliner.

Minneapolis News Flying Circus Secured For one Day and Evening.

The Savages, Comedy Aerialists, in Sensational Performances.

A glance at the program of amusement attractions for the Pennington county fair which will be held in Thief River Falls on August 4, 5 and 6, indicates that an unusual number of the stunts will take place in the air. Secretary G. Howard Smith has completed the bookings and they are by far the most interesting and unusual ever offered at a fair in this section of the country.

Heading the list is Al. Williams, perhaps the most sensational of all air pilots. He performs unbelievable acrobatic stunts while his machine is in the air, walks out on the wings and makes a drop of 5,000 feet by the aid of a parachute.

The Flying Circus.

Arrangements have been made with the Minneapolis Daily News for the exhibition here of the flying circus staged as an advertising feature by that publication. The circus is different from anything ever seen before and is attracting a great deal of attention. Among the features to be offered by Lieut. Wilbur Larrabee, formerly of the United States Aircraft company, and an army aviator, who is with the circus, are barrel rolls, spirals, tail spins, vertical eights, loops and the latest and greatest of all aeronautical performances, "The Falling Leaf," in which Lieut. Larrabee will make a sheer drop of 5,000 feet, stopping and righting his machine when only 800 feet from the earth.

The fair association secures this circus by agreeing to see that 100 subscribers to the Minneapolis News are secured at $5 each. A popularity contest, the details of which will appear later, will enter into the arrangements for this wondrful show.

The Great Siegfred.

A ski-jumping performance in midsummer is certainly sufficiently novel to excite the interest of everyone. Siegfred, the champion ski jumper of Sweden and also the holder of the Canadian cross-country championship, will ride down a greased incline and land in a net. This is a hair-raising performance and brings out great crowds when offered as a lone attraction.

Blondin and his dog will prove the great attraction for the kiddies. Blondin is a slack wire performer and the dog is also an artist in this line.

The continuous performance division will be in charge of the Little Giant company, reputed to be one of the best in the business. This concern guarantees, under penalty of being ejected from the grounds if the agreement is not carried out, to under no circumstances permit anything in the nature of a "forty-nine" show, immodest dances or other exhibitions to which objections have been raised in the past.

There will be the usual ferris wheel, merry-go-round and a new devise known as an airplane carousal.

The coming fair is going to be the greatest ever staged in this county, which means the greatest in the Northwest.

—Trade at Home—

BOY'S NECK BROKEN BY KICK OF HORSE

Lad Instantly Killed While Feeding Animal on Sunday Evening.

Edward Phelps, 14 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phelps, was instantly killed Sunday evening by being kicked in the head by a horse on the farm of his parents in Excel township. The body was brought to this city, where the family formerly lived, and buried in Greenwood cemetery on Wednesday afternoon, the funeral being held from the Methodist church. Rev. J. B. Smith officiated.

The boy was sent to feed the horses on Sunday evening about 8 o'clock, his father being away at the time working as a member of a dredging crew. The horse struck the boy in the head, breaking his neck. Dr. A. W. Swedenburg was summoned from this city but death had been practically instantaneous.

Deceased was the eldest of eight children and was the man of the house during the time his father was away. He was a dependable and industrious boy and highly regarded in the neighborhood. He had reached the age where his assistance was of great value to his parents and the loss will be felt more keenly than usual by the large family.

—Trade at Home—

STRANGE RESULT OF ELECTION IN SEVENTH

Volstead Defeated by Minister Because of His Temperance Stand.

Rev. O. J. Kvale, for about three months pastor of Trinity Lutheran church in Thief River Falls, was on Monday nominated for congress in the Seventh district, defeating Andrew J. Volstead, who has held the office for 16 years. Mr. Volstead is at the present time chairman of the judiciary committee of the house, one of the most important in congress.

The result presents perhaps the strangest situation in connection with Tuesday's election. Mr. Kvale, while a minister of the Gospel, received the support of all factions who are opposed to the Volstead act for the enforcement of the bone-dry law. The fact that Mr. Volstead himself is not a teetotaler and only submitted the completed law as chairman of the committee framing it failed to make any difference. The measure is obnoxious to those who wish for a more liberal interpretation of the eighteenth amendment and they evidently hold Mr. Volstead responsible for its present drastic conditions. His opponent, being a pastor, might be expected to be even more severe in his condemnation of the liquor traffic, but this was lost sight of and the present congressman punished for something he could not help.

Rev. Kvale's home is at Benson.

—Trade at Home—

Coin Stuck in Throat.

The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Asop, who are here from Alexandria on a visit to friends, had a narrow escape on Sunday evening when he managed to swallow a five-cent piece. The coin went part way down and became lodged. The treatments generally employed in such cases were of no avail and the little fellow was in grave danger of chocking to death. Dr. A. J. Paulson was called and located the obstruction with the aid of the X-Ray. Its extraction presented no great difficulties and the boy was all right in a short time.

Ticket Headed by Preus Winner in Primary Contest

Candidates Endorsed at Republican Elimination Convention Successful in Every Instance, Defeating Those Supported by Nonpartisan League.

Congressman Steenerson Re-elected by Majority Expected to Reach 1200. Indications Are Kvale Has Defeated Volstead For Re-election in Seventh.

Pennington County Gave Every Candidate on Nonpartisan Ticket a big Majority, City of Thief River Falls Joining in the General Stampede.

With only a few scattering precincts yet to hear from the nomination of Jacob A. O. Preus as the Republican candidate for governor by a majority variously estimated at from 12,000 to 18,000 is indicated. The entire state ticket endorsed at the elimination convention on May 8 was successful and the following will appear as the party's candidates at the election in November:

Governor, J. A. O. Preus.
Lieutenant governor, Louis L. Collins.
Secretary of state, Mike Holm.
State treasurer, Henry Rines.
Attorney general, Clifford L. Hilton.
Railroad and warehouse commissioner, O. P. B. Jacobson.

Steenerson Wins Out.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson was nominated over N. O. Thormodson by a majority of about 1200. The regular organization candidates were successful against their Nonpartisan opponents in every district except the seventh. While the returns are not yet complete the indications are that Andrew J. Volstead has been defeated by O. J. Kvale in that district. The latter is a Lutheran pastor and served the congregation in Thief River Falls for a short period during the past winter.

Steenerson carried a number of the counties which went against him two years ago but in others his lead at that time was cut down in the voting Monday. Pennington county turned against him hard, giving his opponent even a larger majority than was the case two years ago.

Democrats Choose Hodgson.

Lawrence W. Hodgson, mayor of St. Paul, was chosen as the Democratic standard bearer. But few votes were cast for the party's candidates in Pennington county, the total number being 52 of which Thorson received 18, Hodgson 10, Hargadine 8, Andrist and Indrehus 4 each, and Quane 3. Two years ago there were 72 ballots cast by the party's adherents in the county.

Jeffers For Congress.

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls received the Democratic nomination for congress in the Ninth district. The vote was very light, there being but 50 votes cast in Pennington county for candidates for this office. Of these Jeffers received 36, Kellson 4, Ringborg 10 and McLennan 2.

The county gave Siegel, candidate for supreme judge with Nonpartisan endorsement, 1004 votes as compared with 225 for Judge Dibell, present incumbent and choice of the convention. Vanderbugh received 119 and Johnson 470.

Consistent Throughout.

Preus carried but one precinct in Pennington county, this being the old dependable Democratic Third ward in the city of Thief River Falls. Steenerson also carried this ward, together with the villages of St. Hilaire and Goodridge. He broke even in the First ward of the city, lost the Second by 22 and the Fourth by 18. The total vote in the city was Steenerson 285, Thormodson 317. The congressional vote in the county was considerably less than two years ago and Mr. Steenerson was the heaviest loser. Monday's result was as follows: Steenerson 606; Thormodson 1178. In 1918 the result was Steenerson 886, Barton 1159.

The vote in the county was 282 below that of two years ago. Lindbergh, the Nonpartisan candidate at that time, received 1606 as compared with 553 for Burnquist. The candidates on Monday lost about in even proportion, Preus receiving 377 and Shipstead 1479.

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At Least Three Stations Will be Provided in the County.

The Pennington County Produce association held its annual meeting in the farm bureau office last Saturday. R. J. McKercher of St. Hilaire was elected representative at the state meeting to be held in Minneapolis during the first part of July. It was agreed to have at least three loading places in the county for the product next fall. Graders will be purchased by individuals in each vicinity clubbing together. Each grower's product will be tagged so that no poor lots can be placed in a car without knowing the place where they were shipped from. This will save all shippers against h
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Society

Tommeraasen-Moscow.

The following, taken from the columns of the Northfield News, will be of much interest to Thief River Falls readers, the groom being well known through his work at the Lincoln high school and most highly regarded by the people of the city:

"A pretty wedding occurred Thursday at high noon in the Christiana church, when Miss Mildred Moscow of this city became the bride of Albert N. Tommeraasen. The simple ring service was used with Rev. Mr. Skavland officiating. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Clary Moscow as maid of honor, and Misses Elva Schonning and Selma Slette as bridesmaids. Oscar Tommeraasen, brother of the groom, acted as best man, Minnie Grove of this city and Clara Skreen of Minneapolis were the ushers.

"The church was beautifully decorated in green and white. The bride's maid of honor sang, "Calm as the Night", just preceding the ceremony and "At Dawning" immediately after the ceremony. Minnie Fanno played the wedding march, using MacDowell's beautiful "To a Wild Rose."

"The bride's gown was a combination of white satin and georgette with crystal trimming. The bride carried a shower bouquet of white bride's roses and sweet peas. Her veil was arranged in coronet fashion with crystals and maiden hair ferns. The attendant's dresses were of pale pink, pale green, and pale blue organdie respectively.

"Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The house was very prettily decorated, the living room in green and white, and the dining room in pink and white.

"Mr. and Mrs. Tommeraasen left for a short wedding trip to Albert Lea and Lake Mills. They will be at home after August first at Thief River Falls, where the groom is director of physical education and coach in the high school. The groom is a graduate of St. Olaf college, in the class of 1919. The bride has been employed at the Ellingboe dry goods store for several years and has many friends here."

Bakke-Suitor.

A pretty wedding was soleminzed at the bride's home in Fosston on Wednesday, June 14, when Miss Ida Bakke was united in marriage to Frank Suitor of Cass Lake. The rooms were effectively decorated in pink and white. The bridal couple entered unattended to the sweet strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played by Mrs. Evan Corrington, a friend of the bride. Mrs. Suitor was beautifully gowned in white organdie and carried a handsome corsage bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. The ring ceremony was used. Immediately following the ceremony a four-course wedding dinner was served to the guests who included only immediate relatives. The newlyweds left the same afternoon by

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The bride wore a gown of smoke grey crepe de chine and georgette crepe, and carried a boquet of orchid colored lilies and pink roses. The groom wore the conventional black.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served, after which the bride and groom left by auto on a trip to Salt Lake City where Mrs. Williams speaks before the National Educational association next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams were the recipients of many beautiful presents.

Out of town guests were: Miss Esther Larson, St. Paul; Mrs. Pernilla Williams, Margarite Mae Williams and Norman Williams, all of Rollis; Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson of Warren, and Rev. and Mrs J. C. Shelland of St. Paul.

Entertain.

The Oen Mercantile company and employees, including their wives, entertained on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Aasen in honor of Mr. and Mrs. A. Burringrud and Mr. and Mrs. T. Reierson whose marriages recently occurred. The evening was spent in conversation and at midnight a delicious lunch was served. As a token of their appreciation and esteem each couple was presented with a purse of money. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. R. Oen, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Aasen, Mr. and Mrs. C. Granum, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ness, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Burringrud, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Reierson, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Granum, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Kiland, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parbst, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson, Geo. Swanson, Alfred Haugen, Ole Snustad, Laura Feregan and Clara Gullingsrud.

Bottelson-Cousins.

The many friends of Hugh Bottelson will be surprised to learn of his marriage on Saturday, June 12 to Miss Helen Cousins of Des Moines, Iawo. The ceremony was performed at the bride's home in Des Moines. Immediately following the ceremony the young couple left for the twin cities where they spent a couple of days enroute to this city where they made a brief visit at the groom's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bottelson left on the flyer Thursday evening for International Falls where they will reside. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson of this city and until two years ago made his home here. He was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1915. The best wishes of a host of friends go with him to his new home.

Banquet.

One of the most delightful affairs of the season was the banquet given for the members of the Presbyterian church in the church basement Tuesday evening, June 22. At six-thirty the guests were seated at tables which were becomingly decorated with vases of various colored peonies. A sumptuous two-course dinner was served. At the conclusion of the repast "America" was sung by all, after which the guests listened to interesting speeches by Rev. R. L. Barackman, local pastor; Dr. E. H. Moore, pastor of the Bethany Presbyterian church in Minneapolis, and Dr. G. L. Wilson of Stillwater.

W. C. T. U. to Have Picnic.

The local Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday, June 29. A picnic will be enjoyed at the Albert Johnson home south of this city on that afternoon. A committee in charge of arrangements will see that all members who wish to attend will have an opportunity to ride.

Reception.

The Bottelson home, Bridge street, was the scene of an informal reception on Thursday evening given in compliment to their son, Hugh Bottelson and bride. The guests included the most intimate friends and classmates of the groom who was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1915. The hours were spent in dancing. At the conclusion of the evening delicious refreshments were served.

Severson-Tinne.

Announcements have been received in this city of the marriage of Elmer Severson, formerly of this city, to Miss Amy Tinne of Minneapolis, on Saturday, June 19, at the home of the bride. They will reside in Minneapolis where the groom is employed by the Browning and King company.

Bridal Luncheon.

Mrs. Ralph M. Sheldon gave a luncheon at her home on Wednesday in honor of Miss Doris Brumund, who is to be a bride next month. Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mrs. John Bratrud, Miss Brumund, Miss Una Nelson and Miss Meta Kiland were the guests.

—Trade at Home—

Alby-Taggart.

Julius M. Alby and Miss Liliah B. Taggart, both from Marshall county, were united in marriage June 16th at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. George Larson officiating in the presence of Martin Alby and Miss Litha Taggart.

FINE CROP OUTLOOK IN MINNESOTA GENERAL

Potatoes Hit Hardest by Wet Weather But Are Recovering Rapidly.

Crops throughout the northwest are the best in years, according to a survey made by scores of persons thruout Minnesota, Montana, North and South Dakota, says the Minneapolis Journal. In some sections, their reports show, small grains and potatoes have suffered from unusually heavy rains, but districts in which these conditions are found are scattered *and not widespread* enough to affect the general condition.

Although a late spring caused many farmers to decrease their acreage of spring wheat, the amount of corn and flax planted brings the acreage up to virtually the same amount as that sown in 1919. The cool weather of early spring gave the grains an exceptional opportunity to stool, with the result that recent general rains and hot weather have brought the grains along to a point estimated to be at least a week in advance of last year's crop at this time of the summer.

Damage done by tornadoes, cloudbursts and floods, reported during the past month, although heavy in some sections, is reported offset by splendid conditions generally. The Minnesota potato crop has been hit harder than others in the state by the rains of the past two weeks. Potato growers estimate that the yield will be less than it would have been with more perfect weather conditions, and predict that the tubers may not be of highest quality. In the lowlands, the heavy fall of rain has caused some loss, which cannot yet be estimated. In the western section of the state, and in some parts of the central section, as well as southeastern Minnesota, this condition is found. With favorable weather during the coming week, much of the damage which might result may be corrected.

—Trade at Home—

Discharge Papers May be Recorded in All Counties

An inovation by the federal government that should be of interest and importance to discharged army and navy men is that whereby the register of deeds of each county is authorized to formally record army and navy discharges.

The matter of the safe keeping or recording of discharge papers may not appear to be of much importance at this time, but possibly a few years later they might be of great consequence to a man, and if he has not already got them placed away in a safety deposit box no time should be lost in recording them or putting them where they will be safely kept or both.

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SMALL PROFIT FOR FARMERS IN WHEAT

Cost is $2.15 Per Bushel, According to Government Farm Bureau.

Cost of producing wheat of the 1919 crop averaged $2.15 a bushel, according to a survey made by the department of agriculture. At this price, the department says, half the farmers would have lost money. The government guaranteed price was $2.23.

The survey included a compilation of statistics from 481 farm. Nine representative winter wheat areas in Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri and five spring wheat areas in Minnesota, North and South Dakota were visited by field men of the office of farm management.

For winter wheat 284 records were taken and for spring wheat, 197.

On two farms the cost was as low as $1 a bushel. On 20 farms it was $5 or over. There was one farm in the winter wheat area where the cost reached $2.80. The average cost of producing winter wheat was $1.87. In the spring wheat areas the average cost was much higher—$2.65—the range running from $1.10 for one farm to $5 and over for 17 farms. If the price received had equaled the average cost, between 50 and 55 per cent of these spring wheat growers would have failed to break even.

Yields averaged 14.9 bushels an acre for the winter wheat farms, and 8.4 bushels for the spring wheat farms. The cost per acre was $27.80 for winter wheat, as against $22.40 for spring wheat.

Department specialists state that to allow a profit of 80 per cent of the wheat produced on the farms covered, the price should have been about $2.30 as compared with an average cost of $2.15. At a price covering the average cost plus 10 per cent, 85 per cent of the crop would be covered, but 40 per cent of the growers still would fail to break even.

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The Work of Hoodlums.

Grand Rapids Herald-Review: A number of the pupils of the Grand Rapids high school, in an effort to show disrespect for their former principal, Mr. Cook, proceeded late Monday evening to the Chas. Chalberg home, where Mr. Cook roomed, and threw a choice collection of rotten eggs at the windows of his room. A window pane was broken, and the house and windows smeared with the eggs.

Mr. Chalberg declares that he knows a number of the boys who engaged in this outrage, and that it included a number of members of this year's graduating class. The boys were apparently afraid to perpetrate this indignity on the person of Mr. Cook himself, as he was out about the town during the evening, and no attempt was made to molest him. The action taken was evidence of contemptible cowardice.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—June 27. 10 a. m. Sunday school meets for the study of God's word. The church meeting for worship begins at eleven o'clock. The subject for instruction and meditation will be taken from Collossians 1:21-29. In the evening at eight o'clock there will be held a service at which some sixty stereoptican views on "Porto Rico" will be shown. All who are not under obligations elsewhere are urged to be present at these meetings. The Ladies' Aid society meets with Mrs. Barackman on June 25. Holy Communion July 4.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services conducted by the laymen, 11 a. m. Evening service by the pastor, 8 p. m. Confirmation service at Rosewood, 11 a. m. Communion service at 3 p. m. Zion Ladies aid entertained Thursday, July 1st, at 2 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Parochial school every day, Mrs. Rev. George Larson, teacher.

First Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday: In Swedish at 10:30 a. m. In American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. The Ladies Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. J. Kollberg at her home in the country Thursday, July 1.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services Sunday the 27th at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Prof. C. B. Buge will speak at both meetings. Come and hear him. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Monday at 8 p. m. prayer meeting. Wednesday, the 30th, Prof. Bjuge will be with us again.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, June 27: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Services at St. Hilaire at 3 p. m. Evening service at 8 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church—English services at 11 a. m. Norwegian at 8 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday St. John's celebrates its annual Mission Festival. Two services will be held, the first at [illegible] a. m. in German; Rev. Preske of Wheaton will preach. The second service at 2:30 p. m. in English; Rev. Schulz of Brown's Valley will deliver the sermon. A collection for the support of missions at home and abroad will be taken in both services. The Ladies' Aid will serve lunch during the noon hour. A large number of visitors are expected from Holt, Goodridge, Germantown, Esplee and Erie. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets Wednesday afternoon, June 30, with Mrs. Zinter.

SUMMER PUPILS MOST EARNEST

"We're proud of our summer classes," says F. L. Watkins, Pres., Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. "Former school teachers, high school graduates and other ambitious young folks pitch in and land good jobs before you know it."

Thousands of firms and about 700 banks employ D. B. C. graduates. On the same day Miss O. Gandrud went to Blaisdell State Bank and G. Rheault to Farmers State Bank, Bentley, N. D.

"Follow the Succe$$ful." Enter summer school now. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D. for information.

Saving 3 Hours 53 Minutes on Every Bushel of Corn

MR. Frank D. Gardner in Successful Farming says that, with man power, from plowing to feed trough it takes four hours and thirty-four minutes work to raise one bushel of corn. The use of power machinery has reduced this to forty-one minutes, thus enabling one man to do the work of six.

The importance of this saving of time may be realized when we learn that for 1920 Iowa is short 50,000 farm hands. Similar conditions are reported from the Middle West generally. This presents a serious problem.

The answer is gasoline power used in tractor, truck and automobile. The food supply of the future depends upon gasoline.

Last year the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) provided the Middle West with power for 16,438,000 motor miles a day. Much of this went to the farms to help multiply the crops. Much of it was used in motor trucks to help the farmer get his crops to market.

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You cannot afford to permit anything to spoil. The way to avoid spoilage of food is to provide yourself with a Refrigerator. The saving will soon pay for it.

An Oil Stove In Your Kitchen

will save money, time and work. No family should be without one.

Look over our stock before buying.

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Notice

The banks of Thief River Falls will close at one o'clock p. m. on Saturday afternoons during the months of July and August.

First National Bank
Citizens State Bank
First and Peoples State Bank
Farmers and Merchants State Bank

City News

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Paine visited over Sunday with relatives in Erskine.

The best tires made at last year's prices, while they last. McFarland Auto Co. J24

Gay Halvorson returned to this city on Monday evening from Bemidji where he attended to matters of business.

Miss Hilda Knutson of Grand Forks was the guest of Misses Margaret Eichammer and Lottie Austin on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Dybvik returned on Saturday evening from Blackduck, where she attended the funeral services of her mother.

Chas. Dostal arrived here on Saturday evening from Hibbing where he is employed, for a brief visit at the home of his parents.

Messrs. Ray Kiland, Kenneth Wattem and Ernest Zeh, motored to Maple Lake on Saturday evening. They returned here on Sunday evening.

Mayor and Mrs. John Bratrud, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bratrud of Warren, motored to Twin Lakes Sunday where they spent the day.

Miss Esther Motz, who has been attending the Moorhead Normal, returned to her home in this city on Thursday, to spend her summer vacation.

Miss Mary Prichard and brother, Charles, who are students at the University of Minnesota, returned to this city last week to spend their vacations.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Swenson of Grand Forks motored over from Warren on Sunday and spent the day as guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

Dennis McGinn and Gorden LaBree were among those from this city who spent Sunday at Maple Lake. They returned here on Monday morning.

Miss Louise Netteland, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. S. Gryting, returned to this city on Saturday evening from Warren where they were the guests of friends.

R. W. Belcher, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Chas. Belcher, arrived here on Saturday evening. Mr. Belcher has been employed at Duluth during the winter.

Tom Lonson and a company of friends motored over from Calloway on Sunday and visited with friends. They returned to the above named city in the evening.

Mrs. J. Mahoney and daughter returned to their home in Crookston on Tuesday afternoon having made a brief visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. D. LaCoe.

James Prichard, who has been attending the University of Minnesota this winter, arrived here last week to spend his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Mrs. Ole Torrison of Minneapolis, who is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evenson, left on Thursday morning for Middle River on a visit with friends. Mrs. Torrison is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evenson.

Miss Helen Novotny, who had been staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lubinski in this city, left on Saturday morning for her home in Badger. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Margaret, who has been visiting here.

Mrs. John Englebret and children of Bronson arrived here the latter part of the week for a brief visit at the Ferdie Brown home. Mrs. Brown, who had been a guest at the home of the former, accompanied her to this city. Mrs. Englebret left on Saturday for Grygla, where she will spend a month at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown.

Standard Oil Filling Station at McFarland Auto Co. garage. J24

Mrs. R. Johnson and two children left on Thursday afternoon for Crookston to visit with relatives.

Lubricating Oil at 25 cents per quart or $1 per gallon. McFarland Auto Co. J24

Miss Lida Anderson left on Thursday for Benwood where she will visit for an indefinite period with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Osgood of New York, arrived here on Friday morning to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Osgood in this city.

Miss Lottie Austin departed on Wednesday for her home in Fosston, where she will spend a brief period visiting with her parents.

Mrs. Louis Sundred arrived here on Monday evening from her home in Trail for a brief visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. T. T. Kiland.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson returned to this city on Saturday afternoon from Holt, where she spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Olivia Garfee, accompanied by Miss Inga Garfee, returned to their home in Holt on Thursday after having visited at the home of Mrs. H. Moe.

Carl Christofferson and Elmer Olson left on Saturday evening for Alexandria, where they will attend a week's session of the Pentecostal convention.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist, who spent two weeks visiting with friends and relatives in Grand Forks and Fargo, returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Misses Elsie and Esther Sundahl left this city on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where they will attend a six week's session of summer school at the University.

Supt. *and Mrs. W. A. Ziegler and* family left on Sunday morning via the auto route for Minneapolis where the former will take a special course at summer school.

H. A. Brumund, John Dahl and A. H. Akre returned here on Thursday evening from Bemidji where they attended a convention of the League of Minnesota municipalities.

Ed. Swansrud arrived here on Saturday evening from points in North Dakota and will spend an indefinite period as a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Palmer Efteland.

Miss Gladys Durham and Gene Rogers of Warroad arrived here on Thursday and were guests of Miss Alice Welch. They left for Winnipeg on the morning flyer to visit with friends.

Mrs. L. M. Lundgren, accompanied by her sister, Miss Lottie Anderson, left Tuesday for different points in Montana where they will visit with relatives during the greater part of the summer.

Mrs. C. M. Rolland left on Sunday via the motor route, for Randeen, where she will spend an indefinite period on their farm near that place. Mr. Rolland and son Lawrence preceded her a short time before.

Miss Ella Peterson, who since completing a term of school in Nebraska, has been visiting at her home in this city, departed on Saturday afternoon for Fargo, where she will be the guest of friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gjelhaug, who have been visiting with friends in this vicinity, left on Thursday for New York City where they will spend another year. Mr. Gjelhaug expects to be discharged from government service within a month.

Ralph Hilson arrived here on Wednesday morning from Chicago where he has been attending an art school and spent a week visiting at the home of his parents here. He departed this afternoon for Oregon, where he will spend the summer. It is his intention to attend school in the state of California the coming winter.

Racine Country Road tires at last year's prices. McFarland Auto Co. J24

Geo. Merril spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Miss Edith Skogen visited over Sunday with friends and relatives in Mahnomen.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Temple and son, Robert, of Minneapolis, were guests of friends here over the week-end.

Gay Halvorson and family motored to Grand Forks on Sunday and spent the day with friends and relatives.

John Nelson of Litchfield arrived here on Saturday evening and was an over-Sunday guest at the home of Roy Miller.

Mrs. John Torrison and three children left on Tuesday afternoon for Fisher, where they will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Arthur Melgaard of Warren spent the first of the week as a guest at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard.

Mrs. F. Knudson arrived Thursday from Weber, Mont., and will visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. Beckman, for an indefinite period.

Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, made a business trip to Strathcona, Greenbush and Badger the latter part of the week.

The summer school of Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn., is now in session. Students may enter at any time. Send for free catalog. j24

Mrs. J. J. Voruchek left on Saturday morning for Lankin, Fordville and Conway, where she will spend a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Geo. L. Smith and son, Marshall, returned to their home in Breckenridge last Thursday after visiting *for a few days* at the N. K. Harris home.

J. M. Bishop left on Friday morning for Strathcona, on a business trip. While there he visited with his son Morlan, who is connected with the bank at that place.

Mrs. A. J. Oden, accompanied by her daughter, Lois, and son Robert, left on Friday evening for the twin cities where they will spend a period of a month visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, who have been guests at the A. H. Akre home, left on Thursday afternoon for their home in Crookston before leaving for Chicago where they will spend a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Melgaard and daughter, Miss Adele, and nephew, Lawrence Holen, motored to this city from their home in Argyle, on Sunday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard.

Mrs. C. Storholm and little daughter, left on Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Hallen. She was accompanied by her neice, Miss Ruth Severson, who is her guest.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McDaniel and son Hugh, accompanied by Fred Haug, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Newell, Misses Lottie Austin and Josephine Eichammer, enjoyed a picnic at Squaw Point on Sunday. Everyone concerned reports a very nice time.

W. E. Coleman, connected with the Powers Mercantile company in Minneapolis, arrived on Friday morning to take up his duties as window trimmer for the Loken Brothers' department store during the absence of George Loken, who is taking a vacation.

A. C. Kvennes of Middle River was a business caller in this city on Friday.

Fred C. Rice of Minneapolis passed the week-end visiting with friends in this city.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman left on Friday evening for Waterloo, Ia., where she will visit with relatives for two or three weeks.

Mrs. Gilbert Sandum returned on Saturday morning from Fargo where she spent a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson, who have been visiting in Alexandria for a week, returned to their home in this city Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. S. Sylvester and son returned on Saturday morning from Chicago where they had spent the greater portion of the winter.

Henry Halvorson of Warren visited with friends here the latter part of last week. While in the city he was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

Mrs. Anna Dock left on Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will spend a week visiting at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Gifford.

Blair Vaughn of Milliken Bend, Miss., spent two days in this city the latter part of the week visiting with friends and attending to matters of business.

Miss Lottie Austin, of Black's Purity Sweet Shop, spent Tuesday visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Austin, in Highlanding.

Rev. and Mrs. Albin A. Larson returned to their home here Thursday after a two weeks' absence spent in attending a church convention in Jamestown, N. D.

Miss Julia Brudvick, accompanied by *her two nieces, Harriet and Margaret* Dillon, departed on Saturday evening for Erskine, where they visited over Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson and daughter, Mrs. Poland and Mr. Sodum motored to this city from Grand Forks on Friday and visited over Sunday at the T. P. Anderson home.

Mrs. A. Kleppe and daughter, Evelyn, returned to their home in Grand Forks on Thursday after spending a week visiting with friends in the vicinity of Goodridge, Erie and Highlanding.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., accompanied by their son and daughter, Charles and Mary, also Miss Lucille Burns and Ralph Hilson, motored to the Prichard farm northwest of this city and spent the day.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher returned on Thursday morning from Grand Forks where they visited with the latter's parents enroute from Chicago where they spent the past month. Ed. Mallory, a brother of Mrs. Fisher returned with them for a brief visit.

Miss Violet Krohn of Viking spent the first of the week visiting with friends here.

Miss Esther Movick arrived on Friday from Holt for a week-end visit at her home.

Miss Ruby Anderson, a student at Oberlin; has returned to this city to spend the summer months.

The Joe Zavoral and A. P. Robinson families passed Friday on a fishing expedition at Federal Dam.

Frank Campeau arrived here on Saturday evening from St. Vincent to spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Misses Gladys and Thelma Christianson left on Thursday for Neilsville where they visited until Tuesday with friends.

J. J. Vorachek returned on Thursday evening from Mahnomen where he had spent two weeks looking after his farm interests.

Leo Miller left this city on Friday evening, via the Soo, for Grand Forks, where he was a candidate for initiation into the Knights of Columbus lodge.

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100 lb. bag Salt	$1.50
50 lb. bag Salt	80c
25 lb. bag Salt	40c
50 lbs. Block Salt	65c
P. & G. Soap, per bar	09c
Lenox Soap, per bar	05c
White Borax Naphtha, per bar	06c
10 lb. Box 70-80 Prunes	$2.00
25 lb. Box 60-70 Prunes	$5.00
1 Pkg. 12 boxes Matches	70c
5 Gal. can white pail Syrup	$4.95
5 Gal. Palace Brand Syrup	$4.80
5 Gal. Liberty Brand Syrup	$6.25
Prince Albert, Tobacco, per can	14c
Velvet Tobacco, per can	14c
Tuxedo Tobacco, per can	14c
Snuff, per roll	72c
True Smoke, Doz.	$1.50
14 lb. Paris Green, per lb.	53c
2 lb. Paris Green, per lb.	54c
1 lb. Paris Green, per lb.	55c

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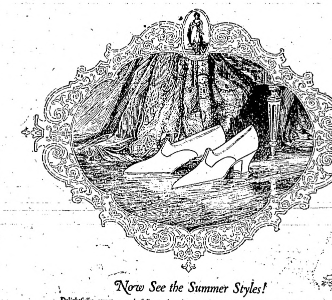

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NO PAVING THIS YEAR.

The decision of the state supreme court holding that the law of 1919 permitting municipalities to undertake public improvements without submitting the matter to a vote of the people does not apply to villages and cities of the third class will have the effect of forcing a postponement of the paving program mapped out by many cities in the state. Thief River Falls is probably among these.

The paving program here had advanced to a point where everything was in readiness. The contract had been let and much of the preliminary work done. The people of the city were practically unanimous in their demand that paving be undertaken at once, what difference of opinion there developed being over the question of the best methods to be employed.

It is to be regretted that the matter must now be delayed. In order to pave it will now be necessary to submit the question of a bond issue to a vote of the people. While there is not the slightest doubt as to what the outcome would be in such case, the season is now so far advanced that it would be impossible to get the work under way this year.

Another feature of this decision hits *Thief River Falls* hard. The money with which to pay for this improvement had been contracted for at a very attractive rate of interest—5½ per cent to be exact. Interest rates are now soaring and it is doubtful if a loan of this kind could be placed for less than 7½ per cent. The difference would fall on the property owners and bring the total to a point that would prove burdensome in many instances. Money may become cheaper later on but there is small prospect of the city's getting so good a price for some time to come.

By rushing the matter it might still be possible to hold an election and get paving started early in the fall. In such case the present agreement as to the interest charge on the loan would hold good, the expiration date being Dec. 31. It is not likely that the council will take this way out of the difficulty, however, and the paving matter will probably be dropped for the time being.

Dissapointment among business men will be particularly keen. For years they have fought to have Thief River Falls lifted out of the mud and
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The entire state ticket endorsed as "regular" at the elimination convention in May won out. This proves that the party organization is still in good working order and able to deliver when it comes to a showdown.

The farmers stuck to Shipstead, there can be no doubt of that fact. Had the expected support been forthcoming from the laboring men of the cities there would have been but slight chance of defeating the combination. As is generally the case when fusions of this kind are attempted the combination would not stick.

The Democratic vote was a negligible quantity and Mayor Hodgson of St. Paul received the endorsement for governor. The probabilities are, however, that these two will not be allowed to fight it out at the polls. Although defeated in the primaries the League made a sufficient showing to prove that it will be a contender in the wind-up. Cyrus M. King of Deer River, is already a candidate on the farm-labor ticket and it is expected that the Nonpartisan support will swing to him. If such should prove to be the case there is another red-hot campaign in sight.

DULUTH'S DISGRACE.

The lynching of three negroes in Duluth last week is an act passing the understanding of our people generally. Here is a northern city with *a population made up generally as are* others of its class in this section. The citizenry is composed largely of second generation Scandinavians, Germans and British Islanders with a good representation of Canadians. There are decendents of good old New England families and many from the Central states of the Union. It is a hard-headed, law-abiding and straight-thinking outfit. No community on earth has been louder in its condemnation of mob violence in other places.

When a populace of this description suddenly goes unbalanced there must be a reason, although in this case it does not seem to have been very clearly defined. A number of negro roustabouts connected with a circus were accused of having assaulted a white girl. Many suspects were arrested and the mob began forming. From all accounts the police must have been lame in their protection of those placed in their charge; there being evidently no determined opposition to the purpose of the lynchers. A mock trial was held, three of the negroes found guilty, taken a short distance from the jail and hanged to electric light standards. The authorities claim to have every reason for believing that two of the men executed had nothing whatever to do with the original crime.

There is nothing much to be done about this matter now except to try and find who were guilty of this outrage and make them face the penalty of the law. Duluth and St. Louis county owe it to the rest of the state to set every agency in motion to apprehend those principally responsible and there is a promise that this will be done.

The North has for years pointed the finger of accusation at the South for permitting crimes of this kind. This occurance shows, however, that under certain circumstances there is not much difference between the white men residing in Atlanta, Macon, Chicago, Omaha or Duluth. It would also seem as if negroes of a certain class are incapable of learning anything anywheres. They know that the penalty for a certain class of crime is death in a most horrible form, but these things happen just the same.

Duluth's action places a blot upon the state's name. Disregard for the orderly processes of law are not to be countenanced under any circumstances. Two wrongs will not make one right and one crime cannot in any way be expiated by the commission of another.

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NOT QUITE PLAIN SAILING.

According to all signs, pottents and indications, this should be a Republican year. The candidates and platform do not suit all the voters of that party it is true, but they never do. To nominate a ticket pleasing to everyone on a platform even measurably satisfactory to all would have been out of the question under the most favorable condition, let alone where a compromise was forced.

With none but the candidates of the two parties contending for the office of president it is more than likely that Warren G. Harding would be the choice. The Democrats are being blamed for most of the things that are now happening to upset the country and the people seem determined on a change. Whether the present administration deserves to be thus accused has nothing to do with the matter. The ordinary voter does not look into these things very closely and the Republicans are making the most of the situation as they find it.

But another factor will enter into the final result. The Committee of Forty-eight, composed of representatives of the mild radicals in every state, will meet on July 10 to place a ticket in the field. They claim that the recent Republican convention played into the hands of the reactionaries and standpatters and that those who followed Roosevelt, Johnson and LaFollette in an effort to liberalize the organization have been left out in the cold.

The candidates of this third party will not be elected. No third party candidates have ever been successful in the United States. They may, however, draw enough votes from the regular ticket to again make the outcome decidedly doubtful. There are a number of states in which these ultra-progressives are rather strong and as their members have been drawn largely from the Republican party that organization will be the sufferer. It is easily conceivable that in states like the two Dakotas, Minnesota and Wisconsin a man of LaFollete's stripe might secure support enough to throw the electoral vote to the Democrats. It would make the outcome in Illinois even more doubtful.

All these are normally Republican states and if they should fall out of the party column the story of four years ago might easily be repeated.

While the third party's support would not all come from the Republicans, yet the G. O. P. would be the greatest sufferer from its entry into the field. Its activities might even spell disaster for the regular candidates. The experience of 1912 is a recent reminder of what can happen under such circumstances.

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The Bemidji Pioneer says that Beltrami county is the "richest" in the state in peat lands. That is the way to feel about it. When peat is regarded as an asset most of the counties in this neighborhood are in the multi-millionaire class, Pennington being quite prominent among the top-notchers. Peat lands have not to date been considered particularly valuable property but the time is coming when this order will be changed. Billions of dollars in actual wealth is represented in the peat bogs of this section and at no distant date plans for getting the money out of it will be launched. It all takes time and in the meantime there seems to be no danger of the supply getting away.

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MODIFICATION OF DRY LAW IS DEM. INTENT

More Liberal Application of Volstead Act May Be Platform Plank.

Postmaster General Burleson's statement Monday at San Francisco regarding Democratic platform issues drew particular attention among party leaders because of its frank declaration for modification of the Volstead prohibition act. Mr. Burleson's demand for repeal of "drastic and absurd" provisions of the act expressed in more direct fashion views which some of the party leaders now there previously had voiced privately. Coming from a member of President Wilson's cabinet the statement was regarded *as a possible intimation of the* administration's attitude on the prohibition issue before the convention.

Senator Glass of Virginia is understood to have been entrusted with the formal expression of President Wilson's views as to the platform. On other occasions, however, the postmaster general has been the direct spokesman of the president on important issues, and Democrats were inclined to take his expression as to the prohibition plank as more than a statement of his own views.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. G. Nesland and Mrs. Ole Darley of Oklee arrived on Wednesday to attend the meeting of Sueteslaget.

—Trade at Home—

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors, and especially to the members of the Modern Woodmen of America and Royal Neighbors, who so kindly assisted us during the death and burial of our husband and father, Bertt R. Lufkin.—Mrs. Bertt R. Lufkin, Kenneth Lufkin, Mrs. Iva L. Hall, Archie Lufkin, Red Lake Falls; Mrs. Alfred Ernie, Woodworth, N. D. —J-24-p

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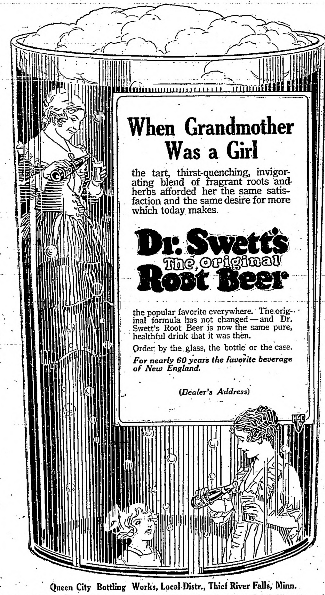

When Grandmother Was a Girl

the tart, thirst-quenching, invigorating blend of fragrant roots and herbs afforded her the same satisfaction and the same desire for more which today makes

Dr. Swett's The original Root Beer

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Order by the glass, the bottle or the case.

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For 8 Days **MOGENSEN'S** For 8 Days

Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

Consisting of our entire stock of Clothing, Gent's Furnishings and Shoes

Commencing Saturday at 9:00 a. m., June 26

We intend to sell every garment of spring and summer merchandise on hand at this sale. To make this possible we are offering still larger reductions. Our stock is of the very best produced. We stand back of every purchase with our usual guarantee of money back if not satisfied. The prices we are quoting below are in most instances less than we can replace the same merchandise for on the market today. We do not intend to carry over any of our present stock into next spring. We want to sell it now. Prices are so low that we will surely dispose of the greatest part if not all our present summer stock. Our patronage is very large and it extends for many miles from Thief River Falls. People are learning to know that this store gives real honest quality values. With the extra low prices now offered, this sale should be the greatest yet held here. SUITS, SHOES, SHIRTS, HATS, CAPS, UNDERWEAR, NECKWEAR, COLLARS, HANDKERCHIEFS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, OVERALLS, UNIONALLS, ALLOVERALLS, and SERVICE SUITS, in fact everything Men and Boys wear. The merchandise here offered is of the very best and the prices are extremely low.

UNDERWE'R

Men's Poros weave Union Suits	$1.19
Men's Nainsook Union Suits. No sleeves, knee length, at	$1.19
"Seal Pax" Union Suits, regular $2 value	$1.65
"Otis," "Lewis" and "Galaxy" mills, short sleeves, ankle lengths and long sleeves and ankle length Union Suits	$1.95

These we sell regularly at $2.50, and are worth more today. Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, $1.00 values, each, only 75c

HOSIERY

Our entire stock of men's fine hosiery now on Sale at reduced prices.

35c black Sox	23c
60c black colored Sox	47c
75c black colored Sox	59c
85c black colored Sox	65c
$1.25 Silk plaited Sox	95c
$1.50 and $2 Silk Sox	$1.29

ALL COLORS

These are all the famous "Strutwear" knit and will give you satisfaction.

Pajamas--Night Shirts

$2.50 Pajamas, Now	$1.95
$3.00 Pajamas, Now	$2.35
$4.00 Pajamas, Now	$2.95
$2.00 Night Shirts, each	$1.85

Men's Neckties

50c Ties, Now	39c
65c Ties Now	50c
75c Ties Now	55c
$1.00 Ties Now	85c
$1.50 Ties Now	$1.19
$2.00 Ties Now	$1.65
$2.50 Ties Now	$1.95
$3.00 Ties Now	$2.35
$3.50 Ties Now	$2.85
$4.00 Ties Now	$2.95

COMBINATION WORK SUITS, ALL AT REDUCED PRICES

SUSPENDERS		MEN'S BELTS	
50c Suspenders	39c	50c Belts	39c
60c Suspenders	45c	75c Belts	55c
75c Suspenders	55c	$1.50 Belts	$1.15
85c Suspenders	65c	$2.00 Belts	$1.45
$1.00 Suspenders	75c	$3.00 Belts	$2.35
$1.25 Suspenders	95c		

HANDKERCHIEFS		GARTERS	
andkerchiefs	10c	35c Garters	25c
ndkerchiefs	15c	50c Garters	35c
Handkerchiefs	25c	$75c Garters	59c
50c Handkerchiefs	35c		

Men's Suits

Every suit of our entire stock included. Nothing reserved. Pick them off the racks yourself, everyone at a reduced price. All the late arrivals included. New nifty up-to-date men's and young men's suits; blues, browns, greys and greens. Many mixed stripe patterns. Suits made by such high grade, well-known manufacturers as **Hirsh-Wickwire, Kuppenheimer** and **Hirshbaum.** Every suit made by them, hand tailored.

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$40 Men's Suits	$29.50
$45 Men's Suits	$33.75
$50 Men's Suits	$37.50
$55 Men's Suits	$41.50

A Number of Lower Priced Suits as follows:

$35 Men's Suits	$26.50
$32.50 Men's Suits	$24.75
$30 Men's Suits	$22.75
$25 Men's Suits	$18.75

THESE ARE EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS. GET ONE WHILE THEY LAST. 15% OFF ON ANY RAINCOAT IN THE STORE.

Palm Beach Suits

A large selection to choose from. Just received word that a belated shipment of men's Palm Beach Suits would reach us this week. These are the season's very latest and best Suits. They all go at reduced Prices.

15% off on all men's Dress Pants.
15% off on all men's Work Pants

Genuine "Little Major" Suits, regular Price $2.00. Now, only, per garment $1.65

"Koverall" Suits for boys, in Khaki, Blue Demin and stripes; regular $2.00 values, per garment $1.65

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

Our eitire stock of men's Shoes now offered at 20% off, and less on a great many. If you want good shoes this is the place to come.

$6.00 Shoes, now only	$4.50
$7.00 Shoes, now only	$5.25
$9.00 Shoes, now only	$6.75
$10.00 Shoes, now only	$7.85

We carry only good Shoes, every pair guaranteed to Satisfy.

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Add 10% war tax to amount over $10 on Shoes.

$12.00 Shoes, now only	$8.95
$14.00 Shoes, now only	$10.50
$15.00 Shoes, now only	$11.45
$18.00 Shoes, now only	$14.50

BOYS' SHOES
"Educator" and "Signet" Makes
20% off
Get our "Educator" NOW!

Straw Hats

Any Straw Hat in the store now at Discount of 25%

Hats and Caps

Your choice of any Hat or Cap in the store at Discount of 20%
All our fine new stock included

Auto Gloves at 20 per cent off

BOYS' SUITS
Your choice of any Boys' Suit in the store at 20 per cent off

SHIRTS

Here you will find a very fine and exceptional showing of men's and young men's Shirts, in poplin, madras, cords, and Silks; "Arrow Brand," "Cutter and Crosette," "Beau Brummel," "Ardsley," and "Kaynee" makes. All full cut and well made. Our entire stock of men's Shirts to go at greatly reduced prices. Stock up on Shirts, NOW:

$2.00 Men's fine Dress Shirts	$1.65
$2.50 men's fine Dress Shirts	$1.95
$3.00 men's fine Dress Shirts	$2.35
$3.50 men's fine Dress Shirts	$2.85
$4.00 men's fine Dress Shirts	$2.95
$4.50 men's fine Dress Shirts	$3.35
$5.00 men's fine Dress Shirts	$3.65
$6.00 men's fine Dress Shirts	$4.45
$7.00 men's fine Dress Shirts	$4.95

Silk Shi

All of our fine Silk Shirts consiting
and stripes. The best there is in Silk
GET YOUR'S NOW. Sizes 12½ to 16
$10 Silk Shirts, Now, only
$12 Silk Shirts, Now, only
$15 Silk Shirts, Now, only $1
Don't go without a Silk Shirt when you can buy
these prices.

Work Shirts

Men's "Red Seal" work Shirts. They are Union Ma
-tra full cut, and the kind that is worth today $1.50 t
$1.29
Regular sizes 14½ to 17½

Railroad Shirts

The kind with two collars, in Blue, and Blue wit
Polka Dots, Chambrey. They are Union Made, by t
McDonald Mfg. Co., each
$2.35
Sizes 14½ to 17½

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We have a number of fine high grade traveling Ba
Trunks, your choice,
AT 15% OFF

Overalls

"Headlight," "Penn," and "Bear Brand,"
Now, per garment
$2.85

BLOUSES
Boys' "Kaynee," and "Ideal" Blouses, $1.50 and $1.75 values, each
$1.29

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WASH SUITS
For Boys, "Tom Sawyer," and "Kaynee Brand."
20% OFF

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of all kinds in leather. Your Choice
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If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good.

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City News

Miss Esther Warner, of the clerical force at Lokens, spent Sunday visiting at her home near Holt.

Miss Seno Welo and mother, who reside near this city spent Tuesday shopping and visiting with friends here.

Herbert Conner left on Monday evening for Minneapolis where he will spend an indefinite period with his family.

Willie Bakke spent the week-end visiting with friends in this city. He returned to his home via the auto route on Monday.

Miss Millicent Motl, who was a guest at the Geifer home in this city, left the latter part of last week for Jackson, where she attended the wedding of a sister, before leaving for her home in St. Paul.

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer shopped and visited between trains here on Monday.

Miss Carrie Ryan left on Monday afternoon for Cour de A'lene, Idaho where she will pass the summer months.

Miss Ebba Scholin came here on Monday from her home in St. Hilaire and spent the day as the guest of Mrs. Alf Borry.

Miss Bertha Gangsness left on Saturday afternoon for Fargo, N. D., where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. T. Hanson.

Mrs. H. S. Strong and son Gaylord of Garfield, this state, left this city on Tuesday morning for Holt where they will visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Swenson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rustad and family left on Saturday evening for McIntosh, to attend the wedding of a sister of the former. They returned to this city on Monday evening.

Miss Betty Johnson of Holt arrived here on Monday afternoon for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Mable Egelstad of Gatzke motored to this city on Monday with her father and spent the day attending to shopping.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela of Crookston, arrived here on Saturday morning for a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ness and daughters, Betsey and Ruby, left on Saturday afternoon for Hendrum to attend the wedding of a cousin.

"Chesty" Hulbert, who has been playing ball with the Leeds, N. D., team, returned to this city Monday evening for an indefinite visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pope left on Monday evening for Minneapolis where the former will attend a six weeks' session of summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Soderholm of Strathcona visited with friends in this city on Monday evening enroute to Hoffman where they will be the guests of friends.

Mrs. J. S. Barnett, accompanied by her children, left on Monday evening for the twin cities where they will spend a period of two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Agnes Aukre of Goodridge visited in this city Monday evening with her brother, Herman, enroute to the twin cities where she will be the guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Anderson and children of Badger, returned to their home on Saturday morning, having accompanied the former's mother, Mrs. Betsey Olson, to this city. The latter left on Saturday morning via the Soo for Rolla, N. D.

Miss Ida Stacy who has been staying with an aunt and attending school in Williston, N. D., was the guest of Miss Margaret Burns between trains on Tuesday enroute to her home in Warroad where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. Helen Montgomery, ticket agent and operator at the Great Northern depot, enjoyed a brief vacation at Crookston, going there by car on Sunday and returning here by train on Monday morning. While in the above named city she was the guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bakke returned the latter part of last week from Fergus Falls where the former was a delegate to the U. C. T. convention. While in the above named city they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Henry, former residents of this city. Local people will be interested to learn that Mr. Henry is in the best of health and the family is nicely settled in their new home.

Miss Esther Soards is spending the summer in Minneapolis.

Remember Hamre's Auction Sale Monday at 1:00 o'clock. j27

E. Paulick of Shelly arrived yesterday for a visit with friends.

Curtis Post of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Wednesday.

Carl Olson of Plummer transacted business affairs in this city on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Sapero of Chisholm are guests at the home of their son, A. S. Sapero.

M. S. Leavitt of International Falls spent Wednesday in this city renewing acquaintances.

Ralph Hilson spent Wednesday in Plummer as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Reep.

Miss Inga Berg of Battle Lake arrived here on Tuesday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Emma Hoff of Middle River is in the city as the guest of her friend, Mrs. W. H. Frederick.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard left last evening for the twin cities for a brief visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Quitberg of Clearbrook are spend a week in this city as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Davidson.

Prof. Norby and Stuart McLeod of Goodridge were in the city on Wednesday attending to matters of business.

Miss Doris Brumund spent a week visiting with relatives at Calloway, returning to her home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes of Middle River motored to this city on Wednesday to attend to business and shopping.

M. W. Brink returned here on Saturday morning from St. Hilaire, where he spent a day looking after his farm interests.

Mrs. Leonard Peterson, who had spent a few days at Crookston visiting her husband, returned to this city Wednesday morning.

Miss Nora Mellby left this city on Saturday evening for Sanborn where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives.

Miss Hilma Liden, who has been a guest at her home in this city for a week, left Saturday evening for Duluth, where she is employed.

Mrs. E. Lovejoy arrived here on Monday evening from her home in Kempton, N. D., and spent a brief period visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire spent Tuesday in this city attending to business affairs and shopping. They made the trip by car.

Mrs. P. J. Soards returned on Wednesday morning from a ten days' trip to Minneapolis and Barnesville, where she visited with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maribou left on Friday for a trip to Twin Lakes, returning on Monday. The entire trip was made by car.

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Al. Berg of Baudette visited with friends here between trains on Saturday enroute from Moorhead, where he had attended the State Firemen's convention, to his home.

Roy Flattum left this city on Monday evening for Minneapolis on a business trip. On his return to this city he will drive back a Buick car for the Peoples Auto company.

Alfred Ernie and his wife, who is a daughter of Mrs. B. R. Lufkin, visited the latter at the home of Mrs. Iva L. Hall, arriving Friday by auto from Woodworth, N. D., and returning Monday morning.

Mrs. H. O. Rotvold returned to her home in Hesper, Ia., this morning after passing two weeks visiting with relatives in Trail and in this city. While here she was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Kiland.

Michael Geifer, who spent a week visiting at his home in this city, left the latter part of last week for Alexandria, where he attended a week-end party. From there he will go to the cities for a visit before returning to Napoleon, N. D., where he is connected with a bank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter Jeanette, departed on Sunday in the Loken car for Winnipeg, where they spent the day. Mrs. Loken left the latter point for Boharm, Sask. Can., where she will be the guest of Mrs. Devenny. Mr. Loken and Mr. and Mrs. Mogensen returned to this city on Monday.

The following relatives attended the funeral of Bertt R. Lufkin and made a brief visit to their sister, Mrs. B. R. Lufkin and family at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Iva L. Hall: Arthur Tower and Sherman Tower and son, Leslie, of Staples, Minn., and L. B. Tower of Brainerd. Also a brother-in-law and two sisters of Bertt R. Lufkin, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Voght and Georgia Lufkin of Courtenay, N. D. A brother, Fred, of this city, and Archie Lufkin of Red Lake Falls also attended the funeral.

—Trade at Home—

HOLD OPPONENTS FOR 8 INNINGS, THEN LOSE

Local Base Ball Team Has Hard Luck Sunday at Red Lake Falls.

It is tough luck for a baseball team to hold its opponents scoreless for eight thrilling innings and then throw the game away. That is just what the Thief River Falls nine did last Sunday at Red Lake Falls. Until the ninth frame was reached not a Red Laker had managed to get to third base. The boys from this burg played air-tight ball and absolutely had things their own way. The other lads were playing some ball at that, as is evidenced by the score, which was 5 to 4 when the session ended.

Thief River Falls had the game won right along. The fielding was excellent throughout and the battery worked like a veteran organization.

In the eighth the slaughter began. It was not because of errors on the part of one or two men that the disaster befell, the entire outfit seeming to go to pieces at once. The Red Lake boys began hitting but this would not have mattered if the bunch from this city had maintained the fielding form shown earlier in the game. The grounds were not in good shape for fielding, it is true, but even at that a better showing should have been made. Nothing doing in the sympathy line.

Next Sunday the locals play Grygla on the grounds here. They are putting up a fine quality of baseball and deserve all the support our people can give them. On July third they meet the Forest River, N. D., team at Warren on the grounds at the latter city. Warren has no team this year and a game is wanted to enliven the fair. In the Forest River outfit the locals will find the fastest-playing and hardest-hitting bunch they have yet encountered and if they can hang the scalps of these Flickertails on the fence, they will have accomplished something really worth while.

The line-up in last Sunday's game was as follows:

T. R. F.		R. L. F.
Gradan	c	Gillmette
B. George	ss	Bristow
L. George	1b	Zins
Herron	lf	Latendreau
Brazel	p	Kiefenheim
Lambert	cf	Brink
Lawrence	2b	Duchaim
Jonas	3b	Healy
Boos	rf	Sobolia

Umpires, Brink of Red Lake Falls; Erickson of Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

Given Store Robbed.

Bemidji Pioneer: The Given Hardware company store was robbed last night, approximately $25 in cash being taken from the cash register. No merchandise has been reported missing and it is believed that the robber confined himself to the drawers of the cash register.

In taking the money the robber overlooked a $5 bill in one of the drawers and considerable small change, and it is believed that while in the act of extracting the money from the drawers in the register, he hid behind the register and reached up into the drawers, fearing that by looking into them he might be discovered from the outside.

—Trade at Home—

MOB WARNING SENT TO DULUTH POLICE

Lynching of Negroes Will be Probed to the Bottom Says Greene.

The special grand jury, called to investigate the original crime committed by circus Negroes against a young white girl at Duluth last week, which led to the lynching Tuesday night of three Negroes and the wrecking of the Duluth police department building and jail is continuing its investigation.

The investigation disclosed that the police department had been warned early Tuesday afternoon that a West end mob would come up to the city and make an attempt to lynch the six Negroes then held at police headquarters.

Subsequently, it was testified, firemen came to the aid of the police, but the mob cut the hose, leaving the police armed with only their night sticks. The police had been instructed by Safety Commissioner Murnian not to shoot.

It was testified that the mob was prepared to use dynamite to force an entrance into the jail. However, sledge hammers, rails and heavy bers were used and proved succe in breaking down jail doors and

"I am going through with thing," Warren E. Greene, cou torney, said. "There will be way measures. Any and all implicated are going to be d through the courts to the lin

Lumber Prices at Present Are About Where They Were Last August

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Take Advantage of This Opportunity

There s no telling how long it will be before conditions force another advance.

The Prichard Co.

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aving decided to discontinue house-
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Auction my Household Goods and Furniture on

Monday, June 28

1 o'clock, at my home, 421 LaBree
Ave. N., Thief River Falls, Minn.

large kitchen cupboard
oak buffet
eather couch
r seated dining room chairs
dining room chairs
chairs
cking chairs
case and writing desk
all oak
ith springs and mat-
lete
odes
other pieces of furniture
Also k[illegible]en utensils of all kinds
Several rugs
One large Royal Wilton rug
One large Axminister rug
And many small ones

Also quilts, bed spreads and other bed clothes. Dishes of all kinds, including one complete dinner set of white China, (this is new.) Several dozen Mason jars. Also jugs and crocks.
One 25 Gal. jar with cover
One 120 Gal. gasoline tank, automatic measuring pump. Just the thing for a farmer.
Will also sell my 5-passenger Buick, Model 37, 4 cylinder automobile, which is guaranteed in good mechanical condition—New Willard battery and new Non-Skid tires on rear and new Spare casing.
Also one auto trailer, with universal hitch
And many articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1st, 1920.

T. P. HAMRE

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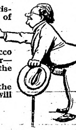

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says the Good Judge

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Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

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If you wish to sell your farm, we will find a buyer.

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Mammoth Clearance Sale Continues

With bigger reductions than ever, everything on sale, nothing reserved, everything goes.

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THIS SENSATIONAL SELLING EVENT, ATTRACTED HUNDREDS OF EAGER BUYERS FROM THIEF RIVER FALLS AND VICINITY WHO CROWDED OUR STORE TO CAPACITY, EAGER TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE MOST STUPENDOUS SALE EVER HELD HERE. HUNDREDS OF UNEQUALED VALUES STILL REMAIN AT SACRIFICED FIGURES AS MANY NEW ATTRACTIONS ARE ADDED EVERY DAY. BELOW ARE JUST A FEW OF THE MANY BIG BARGAINS WE OFFER:

Overalls

HEADLIGHT
CARHARTT
FINCH

The 3 best union made overalls on the market, sold everywhere for $3.50.

Sale Price

$2.65

$2.00 best grade Boys' Major Suits

$1.55

Men With Tired, Aching Feet

For your benefit we will add to our Sale at a sacrifice price our $8.50 army last, strongest and most comfortable Work Shoes made. Makes no difference if you have corns or callouses or just tender feet, this shoe won't trouble you. Extra Special Sale Price—

$6.45

Hats

You can save real money on hats at this sale. Gordon Hats fully worth $6.00. Sale Price ------------$4.45

Stetson Hats sold everywhere for $9.00. Sale Price $6.95

Caps

$3.50 Caps ---------$2.79
$3.00 Caps ---------$2.45
$2.50 Caps ---------$1.95

Boys' Straw Hats

$1.75 Hats ---------$1.15
85c Hats ---------- 65c
75c Hats ---------- 45c

Men's and boys' Dress Shirts

A big assortment of plain and fancy patterns at real Sale Prices—

$2.50 Dress Shirts----$1.95
$3.00 Dress Shirts----$2.19
$3.50 Dress Shirts----$2.85
$4.50 Dress Shirts----$3.45
$5.00 Dress Shirts----$4.20
$6.50 Dress Shirts----$4.95

Boys' Dress Shirts.

$1.50 Dress Shirts----$1.19
$2.00 Dress Shirts----$1.45
$3.00 Dress Shirts----$2.19

Boys' Work Shirts

$1.25 Shirts ----------87c
$1.50 Shirts ----------95c
$1.00 Blouses ----------78c
$1.25 Blouses ---------95c

Underwear

Athletic Union Suits—
$1.50 garments -----$1.15
$1.50 Mesh Union Suits --------------98c
$2.50 Chalmers -----$1.79
$2.50 and $2.75 Munsing Wear; best Union Suits -----------$1.95
Regular $2 Union Suits $1.45
Boys' Union Suits—
85c Union Suits------ 65c
$1.00 Union Suits---- 78c
$1.25 Union Suits---- 95c
Boys Athletic Union Suits—
75c Suits ---------- 48c
$1.00 Suits -------- 69c
$1.50 Suits -------- 95c
$1.75 best grade Athletic Union Suits-------$1.19

Everything in Underwear Reduced.

Wash Suits

We have the finest and biggest assortment of Wash Suits in the city at real Bargain Prices and cheaper than you can make them yourself:

$3.50 Suits --------$2.35
$4.00 Suits --------$3.19
$2.50 Suits --------$1.95

Boys' Suits

All Wool, Browns, Blues and Mixtures; all sizes. Pants lined and well tailored at real Clearance Sale Prices.

Your choice of all $10 Suits ---------$ 6.85
Your choice of all $15 Suits ---------$11.45
Your choice of all $20 Suits ---------$15.45

Odd lots and left-overs at Special Bargain Prices.

Take advantage of this sale, look over your wardrobe

YOU MAY NEED A SUIT FOR THE FOURTH OF JULY. BUY NOW.

Suits — Big Saving for You — Suits

$18.85

The finest assortment of young men's suits, in particular for boys who are ready for their first long pants. Suits made in very latest styles for only $18.85. A big bargain.

$27.45

Men's novelty patterns in fine suit fabrics. Suits that have sold as high as $40.00. We have grouped them all at a great sacrifice to clean up the entire lot at $27.45.

$36.95

Clothcraft, the most wonderful line of good worsted suits on the market made to sell at $45.50 and $55. Your choice of any suit in the house in any shade, blue, grey, brown, check or stripe, at above sale price of $36.95.

$43.85

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—Trade at Home—

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tanem, who spent a week visiting with relatives in this vicinity returned to their home in Baudette on Monday.

—Trade at Home—

County Agent Resigns.

Warren Register: John Husby, who has been County Agent for Marshall county since the organization of the Marshall County Farm Bureau Association two years ago, has tendered his resignation to the association. Mr. Husby has been offered the position as superintendent of the animals husbandry division at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. This position will not only bring a considerable increase in salary but offers great opportunities for still further advancement.

Through Mr. Husby's efforts and his interest in the live stock industry, the breeders of Marshall county have made great strides in the development of their herds during the past two years. His good work in this line will be in evidence for years and will show greater results as the years pass by.

Last year Mr. Husby rendered valuable services to people in the eastern part of the county when he took charge of the relief work in the flooded district, which task he accomplished in a fair and equitable manner.

—Trade at Home—

GOOD CATTLE STEADY; PORKERS SCORE GAIN

Livestock Market at South St. Paul Holds About Even For Week.

—Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul—It was a week of ups and downs on the hog market but at the close, best porkers had scored a net gain of 30c over last week's finish. Closing top was $14.60 with few sales below $14.25. Light and mixed hogs are quotable at $14.50@$14.60; heavy mixed $14.40@$14.50; heavy packers $12@$13; pigs $8@$13.50 and boars at $5@$8.50. Receipts were about 45,000.

The range on the cattle market widened with good dry-fed steers holding about steady while plain, between-grades and grassers declined anywhere from 50c to $1 and more. Packers wanted the good cattle and were willing to pay the price but other kinds were draggy and hard to move promptly. Loads of best steers sold at $15@$15.50, with small lots up to $16—last week's top. Bulk of other kinds sold at $8@$11 with plain, light steers down to $6. Butcher cows and heifers ranged from $7@$9.50 mainly, with choice dry-feds up to $12 occasionally. Canners and cutters were weak and lower with sales at $4@$5.50 while bulls suffered a sharp decline, selling at $6@$8 mostly. Vealers ruled steady with a $13.50 top. Stocker and feeder trade was slow and draggy with feeders going at $8.50@$10.50 mainly, and she stuff at $4.50@$7.50. Receipts were 20,000.

Best lambs advanced 50c last week but sheep ruled steady. Good spring lambs are salable at $15.50@$16 with lighter weights at $10@$12 and with culls down to $6. Ewes are selling at $2@$7 with wethers at $5@$7.25 and yearlings at $8@$11.25. The run totaled 2500.

CREAMERY BUSINESS SHOWS FINE INCREASE

Twenty-seven Patrons Go Over Hundred Dollar Mark For May

The unexcelled pastures in the territory served by the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association shows up in the results obtained at that institution. There are a total of 104 patrons on the $50-or-better list for the month of May, the largest number for some time. Five of these received sums ranging from $200 to $300, while 22 received checks for more than $100. The list follows:

Hans Anton	$289.07
Waldo Christenson	256.84
P. Engelstad	243.06
Jens Kirk	232.37
A. J. Funnesdahl	205.00
R. M. Johnson	195.32
Mrs. J. J. Berg	189.51
Fred Copp	174.29
Henry Koop	167.72
Paul Engelstad	164.85
S. Wiberg	158.40
H. Pope	156.85
H. T. Waale	151.40
H. A. Mathees	140.90
Ludvig Larson	136.50
A. C. Simonson	136.11
Anfind Ness	130.00
C. Liden	121.93
S. Sorenson	116.15
Will Smith	114.01
C. Christenson	113.63
Aug. Koglin	107.11
Nick Meyer	102.71
Christ Nelson	102.71
W. J. McCremer	102.65
Ed Edrman	102.50
Karl Erickson	100.02
Mrs. Mossback	99.96
Hans Sande	99.20
John Johnson	98.81
Albert Hanson	98.12
Willadson Bros.	97.75
C. Beiswenger	97.64
Hubert Buck	97.19
Knut Finstad	94.96
Mrs. Carrie Johnson	91.45
John Bloom	90.88
S. Torgerson	89.56
John Swanson	89.39
C. E. Olen	88.43
Mrs. Katie Myers	86.77
John Sjolsvold	85.15
L. Hitterdahl	81.34
H. C. Woolson	80.89
John Stroberg	80.75
P. P. Solem	80.46
Mrs. Theo. L. Olson	80.01
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	78.77
C. H. Swanson	78.71
O. L. Skonord	78.24
F. B. Conklin	77.53
S. E. Hunt	76.85
Wm. Hohner	75.13
James Wilson	73.27
C. Odegaard	72.26
C. Wiener	71.86
P. Hornseth	70.85
Oluf Omlid	70.43
Ole Ahlstrom	70.24
Carl P. Anderson	69.93
Henry Sande	69.19
Nels Gunderson	68.23
Peter Voldness	68.13
Nels Nora	66.10
J. M. Thiege	66.03
Aug. Carlson	65.51
James Ramsey	65.07
Fuller & Gorden	64.95
O. B. Gunderson	64.21
J. E. Hellquist	62.84
John A. Sundt	62.30
Gust Wilken	61.31
C. H. Hoverstad	60.79
And. K. Haggy	64.54
John Krechelink	60.66
John Kellberg	59.98
Julius Hanson	59.53
J. M. Peterson	59.28
Louis Hamre	59.09
Mrs. P. Fagerstrom	59.22
Ole Breiland	58.56
Paul Stock	58.46
K. Solheim	58.12
Syvert Hanson	60.07
G. L. Montague	57.72
S. O. Lee	57.55
Fred Hollander	57.36
Ole Gesellquist	56.70
Fred Dols	56.41
F. T. Satre	56.41
And. Sander	56.25
A. Hammersten	54.59
J. E. Salmonson	54.47
J. Klungness	54.01
L. Stenseth	53.42
R. Oen	53.21
Bert Thorstad	52.87
N. E. Muzzy	52.55
James Crosby	52.16
And. Feragen	51.76
Ernest Yonke	51.99
N. Rhodegaard	51.61
Joe Oski	51.66
Knut Ystesund	50.09

—Trade at Home—

Swedish Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. John Kellberg at their farm home, Thursday, July 1st.

—Trade at Home—

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to tune pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. j3tf

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

Taggart-Alby.

Last Wednesday, at Thief River Falls, occurred the marriage of Miss Lillah B. Taggart to Julius M. Alby, both prominent young people of this place, residing about three miles north of town. Rev. Larson officiated. Mr. A. Alby and Miss L. Taggart acted as witnesses. The newlyweds will make their home on the groom's farm north of town and the community joins in extending to them all the joys of a happy married life.

Tom Holten left Sunday evening for Dennison, following the receipt of a telegram announcing the death of his mother a few days previously, at that place.

Gilbert Haugen returned home on Thursday evening from Warren where he underwent an operation and is improving nicely.

Henry Sjolsvold, who had the misfortune of having a bone in his wrist broken thru the accidental backfire of an automobile, is recovering as well as can be expected.

Misses Evelyn Petterson and Inez Bjornson of Twin Valley have been visiting this week, with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm in town.

Mrs. Ole Lappegaard and son Henry left on Wednesday morning for Warren where the former will seek medical treatment.

An ice-cream social was staged at the Edgewood schoolhouse last Sunday afternoon and in all respects was very successful.

Mrs. Petterson of Fargo arrived here last Thursday and will visit for a week with the Mellem and Anderson families.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Petterson left the first of the week for Fergus Falls after receiving word that the storm on Monday had done considerable damage to the buildings on their farm near that city.

Steiner Johnson left last week for Fargo where he will spend some time attending a Norwegian "Hallingdals" meeting.

Miss Annie Blom left last Monday evening for Thief River Falls where she will be employed in the future.

J. Bergland returned last Monday from North Dakota where he has been employed and will visit here.

Oliver Sjolsvold has secured temporary employment as a section hand at Dakota Junction.

Herbert Carlson spent Sunday visiting with friends in Pennington county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm enjoyed a Sunday outing at Warren and Argyle.

Olof Borgen was at Warren between trains last Thursday on matters of business. Mr. Borgen has been employed at a retail store in Mavie this spring and is home on a visit.

Misses Gladys, Olivia and Geneva Swenson returned home Thursday morning from Thief River Falls where they have been the guests of Mrs. Severt Brandon.

A. Opseth returned the first of the week from the Twin Cities where he spent a week visiting with his daughter, Mrs. R. Skinner.

The Congregational church has received an exterior coating of white paint this week, the work being done by members of the congregation and friends.

Mrs. Gilbert Grindeland is at Thief River Falls hospital to receive medical treatment.

Confirmation exercises of this year's class will take place at the Rindal church, one and one-half miles north of town, next Sunday, under the auspices of Rev. Geo. Larson.

Manager Adolph Haugen goes to South St. Paul next Saturday with a carload of mixed stock for the Co-operative Equity Exchange. Those who have listed animals for this shipment will please bring them to the Rosewood stock yard before 11 a. m., on Saturday.

The Opseth and Ranum families spent Sunday at Thief River Falls to attend the Sons of Norway picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum, Miss Lilly Holson, Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Joel Shoberg, Otto and Fred Ranum, Alfred and Thomas Thoreson and Emil Helquist, motored to Argyle last Saturday to attend the Marshall county annual Farmers' club picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm left on Saturday evening for Twin Valley where they will spend Sunday visiting with friends and relatives.

Herbert Carlson has sold two lots on the east side in town this week to L. L. Furan and Anton Gullseth.

Mrs. O. M. Holson and daughter, Miss Lilly, arrived here from Warren on Saturday evening and will visit with the Carl Mellem family and other friends for a few days.

Mrs. Inga Berg, teacher of the parochial school, spent Sunday at her home in Thief River Falls. Her school here will close next Friday, and the pupils, together with their parents and friends, will enjoy an outdoor picnic, with recitations, songs and merriment, at the Rindal church on Sunday afternoon, July 4.

A few families from this community, attended the Mission meetings at Newfolden last Sunday.

The Selmer and Adolph Haugen families motored to Crookston last Sunday to visit with the Oscar Blomberg family for the day.

Messrs. and Mesdames L. L. Furan and B. P. Sagmoen, enjoyed a Sunday motor spin to Maple Lake and vicinity.

Miss Ethel Krohn is home from Wylie where she has been employed the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, motored to Middle River on Sunday morning where they visited at the E. Petterson home.

Mrs. Ole Olson of Thief River Falls arrived here on Saturday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum.

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A Substantial Drop and A Sudden Stop

Lumber prices are down considerably from the prices of a few weeks ago. For a short time the tendency in all commodities was downward, but the decline was short-lived. Building material can today be purchased for considerably less than was the case in the spring, but there is no telling just how long this condition will continue.

The Wise Man Will Do His building Now

Everything points to an advance before fall. When this hits us it may force the prices up past the high point previously reached. One thing is certain: material cannot drop much farther under present conditions. Mills are now selling at an actual loss in order to reduce stocks. Take advantage of this condition. Do your building now. If you are too busy at this moment, at least order your supplies while the present favorable conditions prevail.

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Building plans of all kinds are also at your disposal. Service is the watchword of our business today as it has been for a quarter of a century.

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STEINER

Evelyn Saugen visited at the Koglin home last Wednesday.

A. Lanska and sisters, Alice [illegible]nes Koglin, visited with the family last Thursday.

[illegible] and Mrs. P. B. Malberg and [illegible] autoed to Viking Sunday.

[illegible]st Slack transacted business in [illegible] River Falls the first of the [illegible]

[illegible] Amy Whitman called at the [illegible]n home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Solem was in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Miss Alyce Solem, who has been spending her three weeks' vacation at her home, returned to her work in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. John Meyer attended services in Holt last Sunday.

The Flag Day exercises given Saturday evening in Steiner school proved to be a successful undertaking. After the program a light luncheon was served.

Nick and George Baker drove to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

—Trade at Home—

AGDER

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Overum and children autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday.

Melvin Rude and Carl Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

[illegible] and Mrs. Will Rude and Melvin [illegible]ermond Rude and Bertha Sor[illegible], took in the picnic at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson was a caller at Thief River Falls Monday.

Will Rude autoed to Thief River [illegible]lls Tuesday.

[illegible]rs. Sam Groven and Mable Trockman were passengers on the electric [illegible]hief River Falls Monday evening.

[illegible]r. Isaacson was a passenger on the electric to Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. Will Rude visited with Mrs. Isaacson on Tuesday.

Gunder and Annie Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evenson and Gladys autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Sam Groven called at Roman Olson's at Holt, Tuesday evening.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. Berger called at L. Knaddle's [illegible]day evening.

[illegible]nry Esplee visited with George Senum Wednesday afternoon.

George Senum was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Harry Moe autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Halvor Listol and Olaf and E. Senum, autoed to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Carl Isaacson visited at Will Rude's Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Swanson and baby and Mrs. G. Senum visited with Mrs. Groven Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Treckman and Margaret, visited at Christ Nelson's on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Wednesday evening.

Severt Evenson and S. Skramstad and Roy, of Thief River Falls, are visiting at the Chas. Evenson home.

Halvor Listol visited at John Es[illegible]'s on Friday.

[illegible]m Groven was a caller in Thief [illegible]er Falls Friday.

[illegible] Berger and Lily and Esther [illegible] callers at Thief River Falls on [illegible]y.

Mrs. Swanson and baby visited with Mrs. L. Knaddle Friday afternoon.

Will Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Hermond Rude visited with Isaacson's Friday.

Oscar Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Christ Nelson called at Overum's Friday evening.

Mr. Kaushagen left for his home last week.

Henry Esplee visited with Roy Skramstad Friday.

Mr. Esplee and Henry and George Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Ed. Hanson was a caller in Thief River Falls Friday.

Melvin Rude called on Carl Isaacson Saturday.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

L. Knaddle was a caller at Thief [illegible] Falls Saturday.

[illegible] McCormick autoed to Thief [illegible] Falls Saturday evening.

[illegible]om Senum was a caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Roy Skramstad visited with Henry [illegible]plee Saturday forenoon.

Mr. Kaushagen left last week for [illegible]s home.

Henry Esplee visited with Roy [illegible]kramstad Saturday evening.

Christ Nelson called at C. Over[illegible] Saturday evening.

[illegible]nie and Laura Senum visited at [illegible]ge Senum's Sunday afternoon.

[illegible]vrence and Edward Senum visited Even Senum's Sunday forenoon.

[illegible] Skramstad girls visited at C. [illegible]on's and Oscar Evenson's Sun[illegible]

[illegible]ry Moe visited with Ed. Han[illegible]d family Sunday evening.

[illegible]n McCormick was out visiting [illegible]day evening.

Roy Groven called at Steiner one [illegible] week.

—Trade at Home—

Holt Physician Dies.

[illegible] Weekly News: R. L. Olson [illegible]d Tuesday afternoon at the hospi[illegible] in Thief River Falls. His death [illegible] due to blood poisoning, which [illegible] him great suffering for the [illegible]w days, and death came as a [illegible] relief from pain. The attack [illegible]d poisoning was brot on by a [illegible] the finger which did not seem [illegible] any trouble for a few days but [illegible] caused swellings that reached [illegible]he throat, and a couple of days [illegible] death it extended to his limbs. [illegible]edical skill and good nursing [illegible]ot overcome the effects of the poison.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the sorrowing widow and son, the aged father and other relatives and friends of the deceased.

GERMANTOWN

Miss Doris Johnson is visiting at the L. Rosett home.

Miss Bessie Roller was a Germantown caller last Monday.

Guests at the L. Bendickson home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children and Messrs. Henry Tharaldson and Hilbert Berve.

Mr. and Mrs. Amond Johnson and children were guests at the Henry Roller home Sunday.

Miss Rose Vakoch was a Germantown caller last Monday.

Miss Hannah Weber has been on the sick list the past week.

Messrs. [illegible] and Henry Tharaldson, called at the H. Roller home on Sunday.

Miss Berthina Haggy visited with her sister at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Miss Mildred Nelson was a caller at Mavie one day this week.

Benard Bendickson left for Garrison, N. D., where he will visit for an indefinite time.

Among those from this vicinity who attended the Community picnic at Thief River Falls, were: Detlef Dau, Henry and Salve Tharaldson.

Guests at the L. Bendickson home Tuesday were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clausen and Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau.

Clifford Roller was a guest at the Martinus Johnson home one day last week.

Milton Nelson was a caller at Mavie one day of the past week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Louis Bendickson home last Tuesday.

Salve Tharaldson departed for St. Paul Saturday to attend summer school.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited at the Stephen Rolland home Sunday afternoon.

Misses Lucy and Augustine Rolland called on Stella Stokke one day last week.

Henry and Salve Tharaldson were Germantown callers Monday.

Emil Bentin left for Larimore, N. D., where he will visit for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kast and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clauson and children, were guests at the D. Dau home one evening of the past week.

Benard Bendickson was a Germantown caller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Struble and children were guests at the Henry Roller home Sunday.

Miss Gladys Paulson was a guest at the Henry Roller home Saturday.

Charles Hubedank and Ewald Pomerenke autoed to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl and Mrs. Wm. Jones and children, spent last Wednesday at the Martinus Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ristau were Sunday guests at the August Ristau home.

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FOR SALE—Double registered Polled Shorthorn bull, three years old. Gus Hillyer, Route 1, city. 80-pd.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1¼ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3¼ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

FOR SALE—6 room house and two lots, close in, a bargain. Solberg Land Co. 77pd.

USED CARS FOR SALE—Studebaker Six, 7-passenger overhauled and in A1 shape, $875; Empire Speedster, a snap at $800; Buick Four, overhauled, repainted with new top and battery, $700; Buick, Model C 25, overhauled and in good shape at $600; Overland, in good shape, $150; New Staude Tractor Attachment for Ford car $150. E. C. Parsons Auto Company, Warren, Minn. 77

FOR SALE—Second-hand Ford car. In fine condition and at the right price. McFarland Auto Co. 70

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief iver Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—H. J. Bakke, office and salesroom at Borry's garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—One young Jersey cow, one heifer; one Overland auto in first class condition. Inquire Ahlborn, the Tailor. 77p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek. 72tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Eickney gasoline engine. Cheap if tawen at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—A money making modern steam heated flat. Priced right and terms for quick sale. For further information call or write C. W. McDaniel, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—5 fresh cows with calves and one good team of young horses, and numerous other things. See Frank Mousley or call 11-F-011. 75tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—Two quarter sections west of St. Hilaire, along main road. All fenced with galvanized barb wire. Good living house and two good barns. Well and granary. 200 acres under cultivation. Balance timber and pasture. $75.00 per acre.—L. A. Carlson, Water St., St. Hilaire, Minn. 77

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Steel range, six holes, hot water attachment, reservoir. In excellent condition. Also laundry stove and cook stove. Call phone 406. 73tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Orygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 33tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 63tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 100's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—6-room house. Enquire at 313 State avenue North. 70p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8¼ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1500, with seven weeks' old colt.—Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 76tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2000 acres hay land near Goodridge; 600 acres hay land near Viking. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 71tf

FOR RENT—Three good rooms upstairs. Call at 408 LaBree Ave. N. 77p

LOST

LOST—Red auto casing and rim, size 33x4, black oil cloth cover. C. W. McDaniel. 76

LOST—Side curtain for automobile on road from St. Hilaire to Goodridge or in city of Thief River Falls. Return to Times office. Reward.

FOUND

FOUND—Old flat-bottomed boat, name Thor. Call Great Northern Depot. 76

FOUND—Set of auto curtains. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for adv. Call at Times office. 70-tf

FOUND—Auto chain. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Call at Times office. 70

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Improved farm, give description, location and price at first writing. Frank Schroeder, North Buena Vista, Iowa. 78 pd.

WANTED—Tent large enough for eight horses. John A. Jacobs, Middle River, Minn. 80

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—Competent cook. Wages $55.00 per month. Also second cook, wages $35.00 per month. Both room and board. Address D. McCaman C-o Merchants Hotel, Grafton, N. D. 78pd

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Two girls at once.—City Bakery. 1tM

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Lady wanted to keep house for family of two. For particulars, etc., address Lock Box 682, Thief River Falls.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED — Easy place, small family. Must be neat and tidy and well recommended. Call 408 Duluth avenue south. 70pd.

MISCELLANEOUS

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FORD CARS—If you are in the market for a second hand Ford car in excellent condition call on the McFarland Auto Co. J21

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

WANTED—Dressmaking. Miss Mundle, Phone 4112, 501 Riverside Ave. S. 70p

STRAYED FROM MY PLACE—Five calves about 8 months old, also one sow. Notify John Bergquist, Route 1, box 52. 76

TAKEN UP—One cow. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for care of animal and adv. Call 403 LaBree N. 78

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Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Peter Newman.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Mrs. May Smith and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Mrs. May Smith, having been filed in this Court, representing that Peter Newman, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 20th day of April, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to N. W. Tarrant of Thief Rolver Falls, Minnesota and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of July, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 3rd day of June, 1920.

(Court Seal) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
j10-17-24

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil E. Zoh[illegible]

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 11th day of September, 1920, at 10.00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated June 5th, 1920.

(Court Seal) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
j10-17-24

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson or A. N. Iverson, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to Knut P. Iverson,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 10th day of September, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated June 4, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
O. A. Naplin,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Edward Peterson, Leonard Peterson, Annie Johnson, Gustaf Peterson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of July, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 15th day of June, 1920.

(Seal.) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j17-24-j11

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When you spend your money you naturally want to get all you can in return. No one can criticize you for having that desire. Only those who are commonly referred to as having "more money than sense" throw their money away. All others are careful to see that they do not get the worst of any bargain. But one has to be able to look farther than the end of his nose if he is to be sure that he is getting the most that he can get for his money.

That is the defense of the man who buys from the mail order house instead of patronizing the merchants in his own town. He says he can get more for his money when he buys from the mail order man than when he spends his money at home. But in arriving at that conclusion he certainly has not been able to look farther than the end of his nose.

In most cases the man who buys goods from a mail order house does so because he thinks he is getting the goods for less money than he would have to pay for them at the store in his own town. He thinks he is looking out for No. 1 and he says it is not his fault if the merchant in his town cannot make any money and is forced to go out of business. He overlooks the fact that he is likely to be as hard hit as anyone else when that merchant closes his doors but, leaving that probability out of consideration, the chances are about 10 to 1 that the buyer has really lost money on his deal with the mail order man.

Price Not Only Consideration.

If buying an article of any kind, whether it be a house and lot or a paper of pins, the price is not the only thing to be considered by any means. You are not in the habit of going into a store when you want to buy a suit of clothes and saying to the storekeeper: "Give me the cheapest suit of clothes you have in the house." You want the best suit of clothes you can get for the price you pay for it, but you don't usually want the cheapest thing you can find.

A man may delude himself into believing that when he buys a suit of clothes from a mail order house for $10 he is saving money, but what is there to justify him in such a belief? The mere fact that he is getting a suit for $10 does not mean that he is saving money. The chances are that if he should go to the man who runs the clothing store in his own town and ask for it he could get a suit of clothes for $10 and the chances are also that it would be just as good if not a better bargain than the suit which he could get from the mail order house for the same sum. It is not the price he pays that shows whether he is getting a bargain or not. It is the quality of goods that he gets for his money that counts.

Can Undersell Mail Order House.

The home merchant can sell as cheaply as the mail order man if he sells as cheap goods as the mail order man sells. His expenses are not as heavy as those of the mail order man. He pays less rent in proportion to the business he does, his taxes are less in proportion to the capital invested. His advertising bills are less than those of the mail order man in proportion to the volume of his sales. He can undersell the mail order man any day in the year if he wishes to sell only goods of the same quality and style of those sold by the mail order man, but he doesn't do this because he knows that the majority of the people in his town do not want that quality and style of goods. Therefore he keeps in stock goods of all qualities and all prices. He has the $10 suit for the man who thinks that he can get more for his money by buying a suit at that price than he can by buying a better one for $20, but he tells the customer just what he is buying.

The next time you think about buying something from a mail order house, if you ever do think of such a thing, go first to your home merchant and ask to see the article which you are thinking of buying.

Ready to Compare Prices.

Your home merchant is a business man. He gets the best values he can for his money when he buys goods, and he does not expect his customers to do anything else. All that he asks, in return for the favors he does his customers and the things he does for the good of the community is that he be given an opportunity to meet the insidious competition of the mail order house. He is perfectly willing to have his prices and his values compared to those of the mail order house, but he has a just complaint when he is not given a chance to make this comparison.

If all buyers would take the value as well as the price of the article they are buying into consideration the mail order houses would all go out of business.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

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IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

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Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here. — HALL BROTHERS CO.

Lutherans to Preserve Old Church Title

Decide by Vote of Two to One Against Eliminating "Norwegian."

Budget Providing $1,338,000, Adopted at Minneapolis Meeting.

Rev. I. T. Aastad of Thief River Falls Given Vote of Confidence.

The retention of the nationality designation in the name of the church, the endorsement of the National Lutheran council, and the adoption of a budget of $1,337,807.94 were the outstanding points in a great mass of business transacted by the Norwegian Lutheran Church of America at its general convention in Minneapolis, which closed last Thursday.

Great Budget Adopted.

Dr. J. N. Kildahl was unanimously re-elected vice president of the synod. The term is for three years.

The proposed budget for 1920-1921 was approved. It calls for appropriations of $1,337,807.94, distributed as follows:

Home missions	$310,198.81
Foreign missions	487,133.21
Charities	246,658.38
Schools	245,819.54
Administration	28,000.00

The budget was adopted following a prolonged discussion. Objection was urged against what to some appeared to be unnecessarily large administration expenses. In reply it was pointed out that on account of the large business of the church it was now necessary to employ salaried executive secretaries devoting their entire time to their work. It was also pointed out that the value of the dollar has been considerably reduced as compared with pre-war times.

Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren, presided during the discussion of the finances, which were conducted largely in the English language.

Receives Vote of Confidence.

At the meeting of the delegates from the Northern Minnesota district Rev. I. T. Aastad of Thief River Falls who became district president following the resignation of Rev. J. M. Sundheim, was given a vote of confidence by the district. Rev. J. H. Stenberg of Duluth was elected to succeed him as vice-president. Rev. Sundheim was elected as a member of the mission committee, and Rev. H. O. Svare of Granite Falls, was elected financial secretary. The district's quota of the general budget for next year is $149,672—about $1 for each confirmed member.

Was Greatest Meeting.

Rev. Aastad, Olaf Ramstad and Olaf Tessum, the two last-named attending the convention as lay delegates from Trinity Lutheran church in this city, returned the last of the week. They all agree that it was without question the greatest gathering of Lutheran churchmen ever held in the Northwest if not in the entire country. The church is progressing at a wonderful rate and the work is being most successfully carried on in every department.

—Trade at Home—

Postmaster Morgan Assists In Capturing Wolf Whelp

While making an inspection of the rural mail roads to the west of the city on Saturday Postmaster John Morgan picked up a somewhat unusual souvenir. With Albert Swenson as chauffeur Mr. Morgan was returning to the city when they observed a small animal which they at first took for a gopher in the road ahead of them. On getting closer Mr. Swenson decided that it was either a wolf or a fox and stopped the car. The men had no trouble catching the little fellow, which proved to be a wolf whelp, apparently about four weeks old. The youngster was brought to town in a gunny sack and a pen has been provided for him. Up to date he does not seem to be any the worse for his change of environment.

—Trade at Home—

Presbyterian Ladies Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. R. L. Barackman, 518 Main avenue north, Friday afternoon, June 25. Lunch will be served at 4 o'clock.

To our patrons: The Charles Ray picture that we are showing Sunday and Monday, is one of his very best and I urge you to see this picture, and anyone not thoroughly satisfied, their money will be refunded. JOHN H. BRUMUND, Mgr.

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MADGE KENNEDY
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"My Salomie Lions."
Matinee 2:30

Sunday and Monday
Thos. H. Ince Presents
CHARLES RAY
in
"Alarm Clock Andy"
A Laugh Hit that Never Runs Down!
Special Larry Semon Comedy
"The Fly Cop"
Beautiful Girls and they dance, they swim, they keep you on the jump.
Matinee Sunday, 2:30.

SCHEDULE OF GAMES FOR FAIR BASEBALL

Arrangements Are Made For Great Contests and Valuable Prizes.

The baseball schedule for the Pennington county fair dates was arranged yesterday afternoon. George Bakken represented St. Hilaire, Alvin Holzknecht acted for Grygla and L. B. George looked after the interests of Thief River Falls. It was decided to draw for partners in the games of the first two days, the winners in these contests to play off for the championship on the last day. On August 4 the contenders will be St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls while on the day following Grygla and Red Lake Falls will cross bats. The purse will be doubled for the play-off.

These games will greatly help out an already wonderful program of attractions.

—Trade at Home—

Remember Hamre's Auction Sale Monday at 1:00 o'clock. j27

—Trade at Home—

SUNSET BAND COMING FOR CONCERT, DANCE

Famous Organization Will be in Thief River Falls About July 20.

Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion has signed a contract with the manager of the famous Sunset Division Million Dollar band, one of the organizations that made a record in overseas service, whereby music is to be furnished for a concert and dance in this city about July 20.

The present plan includes an open-air concert at Squaw Point. To cover the cost of such entertainment tags will be sold to all who wish to attend. The price of these tags has not yet been definitely decided upon.

—Trade at Home—

Miss Granum Reappointed Librarian at Present Pay

The library board has appointed Miss Gena Granum as city librarian and the city council has approved the selection. A recommendation accompanying the notification of Miss Granum's selection urging that her salary be raised from $75 to $85 per month was turned down for the present. The council felt that as salaries for the present year had been fixed it would be better to allow things to remain as they are until the first of the year when it is probable that a readjustment will have to be made in the case of all city employes.

—Trade at Home—

Had Narrow Escape.

Last Thursday evening Carl Brink and Miss Dorothy Windsor, both of Viking, had a narrow escape when their car went into the ditch a few miles from Thief River Falls. They were returning from a dance and took the wrong road and in making a turn the car went into the ditch, throwing the occupants through the wind shield. Nobody was hurt and the only damage to the car was a broken windshield.

—Trade at Home—

Former Residents on Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson motored over from Greenbush on Sunday and spent the day visiting with friends and relatives.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

Patients entered at the Physicians' hospital during the past week are as follows:

Belle Severson, city; Mrs. J. S. Jacobs, Benwood; Jerome Hawkins, Phone Lake, Sask., Can.; Wm. Wagner, Holt; Adolph Wagner, Middle River; Alvin Tandberg, city; Barney Moe, city; Mrs. G. Knutson, city; Wm. Lexton, Alexandria; Blanche Haugen, Holt; Mrs. C. Saugen, Erie; Mrs. O. Westrum, Clearbrook; Mrs. O. Hol-

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.61
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.56
Oats	.96
Flax	3.54
Barley	1.20
Rye	1.99
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	8.10
Flour, per cwt.	8.10
Bran	2.95
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.65
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.50
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.18
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.18
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.30
Dairy Butter	.48
Creamery Butter	.58
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.25
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.15
Steers, per lb.	6-8
Calves, per lb.	7-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	12-15

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To close out some second hand letter files we will reduce the price each day 'till stock is gone—
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LAIRD'S

Important Meeting of Fair Directors Saturday

There is a plan on foot to make use of the auditorium during the coming fair for the purpose of housing the boys' and girls' exhibits and the women's department. The idea is to get the assistance of the merchants, asking the latter to put in booths for the purpose of advertising and demonstrating the wares handled by them. The idea is appealing strongly to the business men, according to Mr. Smith, particularly as it is realized that the buildings on the fair grounds are inadequate for the purposes to which they are put during fair time. The auditorium would provide ample room and make the exhibit secure against damage by rain.

A meeting of business men will be held in the commercial club rooms at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon for the purpose of further discussing the matter.

—Trade at Home—

Returns From Convention.

Rev. and Mrs. Albin A. Larson returned last week from attendance at the annual meeting of the Swedish Augustana synod at Johnston, N. Y. Rev. Larson was the delegate from the district conference while Mrs. Larson represented the Women's Home and Mission society. The meetings were held in the largest church of the synod in America and the building was often filled.

A great many propositions of much interest were taken up, some of which cannot be determined until next year. It was decided that the minimum salary for pastors should be placed at $1800 per year and free house rent. The Indian and foreign missions were voted continued with greater attention to be paid to the work in Porto Rico and the Soudan.

—Trade at Home—

Luther League Meeting.

The district convention of the Luther league of the Swedish Lutheran church was held at Hallock last week. It was the best ever held by the organization, more than 1000 persons being present at the Sunday services. A feature of particular interest was the address of S. M. Miller, of the Lutheran Bible institute, St. Paul.

Officers for the year were elected as follows: Rev. Albin A. Larson, Thief River Falls, president; Rev. L. P. Lindgren, Hallock, vice president; Miss Lundberg, Kennedy, secretary; Miss Levina Nordland, Alvarado, treasurer.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. Marie Jacobson.

Mrs. Marie Jacobson died at her home in Highlanding on June 19 from heart trouble. Deceased was born in Norway in 1867, making her age at the time of her death 53 years. She came to this country when a girl and has resided in this immediate vicinity for the past fifteen years. Interment took place at Greenwood cemetery on June 24, 1920.

—Trade at Home—

In Honor of Miss Hoff.

Honoring Miss Emma Hoff, who is her guest, Mrs. Wm. Frederick informally entertained a few of her friends at her home on Wednesday afternoon. The hours were devoted to needlework. A delicious lunch was served at five o'clock.

—Trade at Home—

Ladies' Aid Auction.

There will be an auction sale of articles contributed by the Ladies' Aid society of Mavie at the Lutheran church of that place on Friday, July 2. A general invitation to attend is extended to all.

—Trade at Home—

Children's Day.

Children's Day will be observed at the Methodist church next Sunday, June 27 at 11 a. m. Everyone interested is extended a cordial invitation to attend these exercises.

Sunday School Gathering.

Sunday school group gathering at Steiner next Sunday, June 27. Morning program will begin at 10:30 and the afternoon program will begin at 2:30. Rev. John O. Ferris of Minneapolis, will be the speaker of the day. V. C. Noper will lead the singing.

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McAdoo Still Refuses Dem Leaders' Plea

Asks That Name be Not Presented as Candidate at Frisco Convention.

Suspected That His Backers Are Waiting to Have Him "Drafted."

League Plank in Platform Adopted as President Wilson Orders.

CONFLICTING REPORTS ON NORTH DAKOTA PRIMARIES

The result of the primary election held yesterday in North Dakota is still in doubt. From Non-partisan sources comes the information that Frazier has carried the first precincts heard from—those in the Red River valley—by a majority of 2,500 votes. Langer's supporters claim, however, that their man has a lead of 9,000 in the 295 precincts heard from up to 9 o'clock this morning.

It is not likely that any ballot on a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president will be taken until this afternoon. This is the latest word from San Francisco.

There are almost as many candidates mentioned as was the case at the Republican convention in Chicago. Yesterday was the time for entries and the following were placed in nomination: Senator Owen of Oklahoma, Homer Cummings of Connecticut; Ex-Governor Schallenberger of Nebraska; A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania; Secretary of Agriculture Meredith of Iowa.

W. G. McAdoo's name was not presented, he having requested that it be withheld. By many this move is looked upon as a maneuver to force the convention to "draft" him when it finally comes to a show down.

Moderately Wet.

Several hours of debate yesterday failed to bring the platform committee into agreement on the prohibition issue. Secretary of State Bainbridge Colby is leading the fight for light beers and wines, with President Wilson's support, it is understood. Bryan is making the fight of his life against the incorporation of any such plank in the platform.

League of Nations to Fore.

The League of Nations plank approved by President Wilson has been made a part of the platform. It states among other things:

"The democratic party favors a League of Nations as the surest, if not the only practicable means of maintaining the permanent peace of the world and terminating the insufferable burden of great military and naval establishments.

"It was for this that America broke away from traditional isolation and spent her blood and treasure to crush a colossal scheme of conquest.

"It was upon this basis that the president of the United States in prearrangement with our Allies consented to a cessation of hostilities against the imperial German government and upon this basis that the armistice was granted and a treaty of peace was negotiated.

"The honor and integrity of the United States are involved in ratification of this agreement, which brought war to an end."

425 Pledged Against McAdoo.

After a careful checking up of the delegations, it was stated by one of the authors of the measures of common defense that approximately 425 delegates were pledged to stand pat against McAdoo as long as his name is before the convention. If these hopes should be realized McAdoo would be left at best about 100 votes short of the two-thirds majority.

—Trade at Home—

DECLINE RE-ELECTION AS SCHOOL TRUSTEES

H. S. Dahlen and F. F. Haynes Soon to Retire From Board.

The annual school election this year falls on Saturday, July 15. Calling attention to this fact thus early is at the request of the retiring members, H. S. Dahlen and F. F. Haynes. As neither of these gentlemen will be a candidate to succeed himself it is the wish of both that this fact be made known in order that the people of the district may have ample time in which to decide upon their successor.

Mr. Dahlen has served six years as a member of the board of education and feels that he should now make room for another man. He positively declines to stand as a candidate for re-election, giving as his reason the fact that his private business affairs will not permit of his devoting the necessary time to the work. He has been a most capable and conscientious official and there is no doubt of his being retained for another term if he could be prevailed upon to accept. Mr. Dahlen states that he deeply appreciates the many kindnesses shown him during his term of office and regrets that it is impossible longer for him to continue in a service that has proven most pleasant.

The same holds good in the case of Mr. Haynes. He is serving his first term and has given the duties of the office all the time his varied business interests permitted. He feels that this has at times been insufficient and has decided that someone who can devote more attention to the constantly growing needs of the district should be chosen. Were it not that he expects to be away from the city a good share of the time he would be pleased to again offer his services but he says conditions are such that he must decline.

—Trade at Home—

State Officers Shifted.

An important shift in state offices takes place today. Gust Lindquist, secretary to the governor, has been appointed state commissioner of insurance; John B. Sanborn, present commissioner of insurance, has resigned to accept an appointment as member of the state tax commission, while Leland W. Scott, clerk of the pardon board, has been named to governor's private secretary.

—Trade at Home—

REV. AASTAD TO MAKE DETROIT HIS HOME

Pioneer Clergyman Leaves Next Week With Family For New Residence.

Rev. and Mrs. I. T. Aastad and children will leave in a few days for Detroit, Minn., which city will be their home for the present at least. Rev. Aastad is president of the Northern Minnesota district of the Lutheran church and finds that his territory can be served somewhat more conveniently from the Becker county city. Besides the conference has purchased a home for the president in that city which fact also makes his residence there an object.

Rev. Aastad is the oldest pastor in point of service now residing in Thief River Falls. He served the congregation of the former Synod church for more than 22 years previous to his taking up his present post. No other clergyman has ever become so closely identified with the varied interests of the community and his departure will take from our city one of its most prominent and popular residents.

Coming to Thief River Falls immediately upon having completed his theological studies at the seminary, Rev. Aastad has never held another charge since that time although calls to other churches have been numerous. His record in this respect is somewhat unusual there being very few pastors in the entire conference who can show a longer term of service in one place. It also perhaps testifies more strongly than anything else to his general worth and character. Church people of every denomination will miss him almost as keenly as those with whom he has served directly during the past quarter of a century and will wish him and his excellent family every success in their new home.

—Trade at Home—

NO CELEBRATION HERE ON FOURTH OF JULY

People of City Will Go to Nearby Points to Make Eagle Scream.

It has definitely been decided that there is to be no community celebration of the Fourth of July in Thief River Falls this year. It was for some time thought that the band or the base ball boys might wish to take hold of the matter but they have evidently decided that it will be better for everyone concerned if the bigger town does not cut in on the celebrations planned by its neighbors at this time.

Many citizens have already made plans for spending the day at other points. Middle River will receive a large contingent, there being a regular old-fashioned celebration planned for that town. Grygla will also be a point of interest. In some instances a trip will be made to nearby lakes for a two-day sojourn, there being no business houses open in the city on Monday.

One reason for this action on the part of the people of Thief River Falls is that they wish to remain on the best possible terms with their neighbors. The Pennington county fair will be held about the first of August and that event is sufficient in the way of a general celebration for some time to come. Giving the smaller neighbors a chance to hold a jubilation without any counter attraction on the part of the larger town has been found to help the general good feeling. At that there are many who believe that we should have a celebration of some kind. It is now too late to undertake anything of this kind, however.

—Trade at Home—

Ball Game at St. Hilaire is Attraction For Fourth

The Thief River Falls base ball team goes to St. Hilaire Sunday with blood in its collective eye. A couple of Sundays ago they made a trip to the neighboring town and were beaten by a small margin. They are determined to wipe out the disgrace in Sunday's game or be brought back in an ambulance.

As there is no other celebration of the Fourth until Monday there should be a large delegation go to St. Hilaire with the ball team. The boys will need all the encouragement they can get as the bunch in the south end of the county are a fast, husky lot. If nothing of greater importance occurs to prevent your being present it will prove a most interesting way to spend the afternoon.

Hopper Pest Threatens to Lower Yield

Menace Reported Serious in Certain Sections of Pennington County.

Devoting Attention to Grasses at Present But Must be Checked.

Farm Bureau Opens War and Issues Instructions For General Combat.

The grasshoppers have been reported a serious menace in many parts of Pennington county during the last few days. They are feeding mostly on the timothy and other grass crops at the present time but if not checked will move to rye and grain fields later in the season.

C. Jensen of University Extension Division worked with County Agent J. J. McCann on Tuesday, preparing the bran mash poison for fourteen farmers in the eastern part of the county. In places where this had been tried a few days ago many hoppers were found dead on the fields.

Are Easily Poisoned.

The large locust has not appeared in the county up to the present time. They do much more damage in a shorter time than is done by the small hopper.

Either the locust or the small hopper can be successfully eradicated by the use of poison bran mash as follows: Four pounds of paris green, one-hundred pounds of bran, two gallons of molasses, twelve lemons, four pounds of salt, sixteen gallons of water. Mix paris green and bran dry on a floor. After mixing molasses, lemons, salt and water add slowly to paris green and bran and mix with a shovel until all bran is moist. This should be mixed in the morning and covered with a blanket until five o'clock in the afternoon so that the poison may soak into the bran. Then spread the mixture on the field broadcast by hand where the hoppers are the worst. It is not necessary to cover the entire field as the lemons and molasses attract the hopper to any part of the lot. One hundred pounds will cover twenty acres of grain.

Delay is Dangerous.

It is important that steps be taken for the eradication of this pest as soon as it puts in an appearance. Apply the above mixture to infested fields at once and notify Mr. McCann, who is not taken unawares by this invasion and is prepared to help anyone whose crops are threatened. If the hopper can be stopped before getting into the grain the work of eradication will be much easier.

—Trade at Home—

Has Sleeping Sickness; Is Slowly Recovering

Herman Carlson, 18 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Carlson, South St. Paul avenue, is slowly recovering from an attack of the sleeping sickness of which he has been a victim for three weeks. The attack followed a siege of the flu and his is one of the few cases reported from this neighborhood in which there has been any hope of recovery. For three weeks he has been in a state bordering on unconsciousness so far as appearances went and seemed unable to rouse himself. Lately, however, he has improved and there is now every hope of his ultimate recovery. There have been three or four similar cases reported in the county within the past two years and in none has a recovery resulted.

—Trade at Home—

TRI-COUNTY FAIR AT GOODRIDGE IN SEPT.

Second Event to be Greater in Every Respect Than First Attempt.

Goodridge has again been decided on as the place for holding the Tri-County fair and the dates are set for Sept. 20 and 21. This fair is intended particularly to be an exhibition of the products raised in the eastern end of Pennington, southern Marshall and western Beltrami counties. Last year, because of poor road conditions and the late start, the two last-named communities were not very strongly in evidence but it is hoped that this season there will be a better representation.

The Goodridge fair last year was the talk of Northwestern Minnesota. The products displayed were as fine as any produced any place in the state and the variety fully as great. It proved that the section around Goodridge is wonderfully well adapted to diversified farming as well as stock raising and the region received a lot of invaluable advertising. Conditions during the present season are an improvement over last in every way and the fair will be correspondingly greater. Thoroughbred livestock of all classes will be more prominently featured, large numbers of fine animals having been shipped in during the past twelve months. The officers and division heads are enthusiastic workers and from now on until the first day of the fair they will make its success the great object of whatever work is undertaken. It is certain that other sections of the county will take a much greater interest in the event than was the case a year ago.

CITY STORES WILL CLOSE ALL DAY ON THE FOURTH

The closing committee of the Merchants' association has notified all business houses to remain closed during the entire day on Monday, July 5. It is requested that all store patrons bear this fact in mind so as not to be inconvenienced. The merchants and clerks are all planning to celebrate the nation's natal day in some manner and the fact of its coming on Monday gives them an opportunity for a two-day outing.

Do not neglect to secure enough of everything on Saturday night to last until Tuesday morning as there will be no way of breaking into a Thief River Falls store except with a crow bar until that time.

Auto Stalled on Crossing; Four Injured

Soo Train Hits Machine Containing Entire Family at Karlstad.

Mother Still in Serious Condition at Hospital in This City.

One Daughter Jumped For Safety and Escaped Without Injury.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Lyon, farmers residing in the neighborhood of Karlstad, a daughter Eva, and two sons Earl and Richard, had a narrow escape from instant death when an automobile in which they were riding stalled on the Soo crossing near their home Sunday afternoon. Four members of the family were more or less severely hurt, but the one most dangerously injured was Mrs. Lyon. She was brought to this city on a special and placed in the hospital where she showed no signs of regaining consciousness for more than 36 hours. Reports this morning are to the effect that she is somewhat improved and that there is every reason for expecting her recovery.

Jumped Just in Time.

The daughter, Eva, who is here with her mother, had the presence of mind to jump when she saw that it would be impossible to get the car started in time to avoid the train, and escaped unhurt. Mr. Lyons and the two boys were taken to Karlstad where they received attention. The former has several broken ribs and is badly bruised about the head and body.

Mrs. Lyon has a number of scalp wounds but no scull injury is evident. Two fingers on the right hand were torn nearly off and the left is badly crushed. Amputation of the mangled fingers was found necessary, but Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, who is in charge, believes that the remainder may be saved. The injured woman is also suffering from the shock and is conscious only at short intervals.

Saw Train Coming.

According to the story told by the daughter as well as the train crew, the family had ample time to cross the track ahead of the train. In climbing the slight grade along side of the track the engine was killed and instead of jumping to safety four of the occupants stayed in the car while Mr. Lyon, who was driving, vainly attempted to get the machine going. The train, which was a fast freight, struck the car square and the wonder is that every person in it was not killed outright.

Train Crew Not Blamed.

It is stated that those injured are not disposed to blame the train crew in any way. When it became apparent that the car could not be started in time to avoid an accident it was too late to bring the heavy train to a stop.

—Trade at Home—

Appropriation by Council As Aid to County Fair

Following the usual custom the city council will appropriate a sum at its next meeting to assist the county fair management in putting on the annual exhibit on August 3, 4 and 5. Secretary G. Howard Smith waited on the councilmen at the last meeting and asked that the matter be not neglected as it is the intention to have the greatest fair in the history of the county and it is going to cost money. He explained that there was objection to going among the business men and asking for donations outright, as this plan has been followed until it no longer possesses any charm.

Last year the council appropriated $400 for this purpose and it is probable that this action may be repeated, although Mr. Smith did not insist upon it and one or two of the councilmen were inclined to the opinion that the county should stand rather the heavier donation. Assurance was given, however, that an appropriation would be forthcoming.

—Trade at Home—

Luther League to Meet.

The Young Peoples Luther League of the Trinity church meet in the church basement Thursday evening, July 8, at 8:00 o'clock. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Ed. Ness, Mrs. E. Tharaldson, Miss Olga Gulrud and Miss Jeanette Oftedahl. All members are requested to be present at this meeting.

Arrange For Biggest Fair Held to Date

Attractions the Most Wonderful Ever Seen in This Entire Section.

Judges and Committee Chairmen Appointed Are Already at Work.

Merchants Enthusiastic Over Industrial Exhibit at Auditorium.

Pennington county has always had good county fairs, the last three having without question been the best held in Northern Minnesota. Particularly is this true as regards the amusement attractions that have been offered.

This year the aim of the fair management is to eclipse all former efforts so far that when a county fair is mentioned any place in this neighborhood it will be taken for granted that the big show at Thief River Falls is referred to. Every detail connected with the arrangements is on a larger and more elaborate scale than ever before and the only thing that can prevent its being the greatest of all successes is a freakish spell of weather.

Amusements Featured.

It is realized that it takes something besides fine cattle, fat hogs, heavy grain and premium butter to make up a county fair that will satisfy the people these days. They want features that will help take their minds off business affairs, whether these be of the farm, the workshop, profession or trade. They get enough of these things throughout the year under any circumstances and are only too glad when something a little out of the ordinary is provided for them.

Much of the entertainment furnished at the fair this year will take place in the air. Some of the acts provided are sensational in the extreme and will be seen at no other fair in this section.

Al Williams, the premier airman of the West, alone would be drawing card enough for most fairs. Besides him, however, there is the Flying Circus, concerning which more information is given in the fair association's advertisement in this issue. Miss Edna O'Brien is the first to enter her name as a contestant. Future advertisements will acquaint our people fully with the acts of the different dare-devils as well as the other free exhibitions.

Division Judges Named.

The judging particularly in the livestock division, will be in the hands of the most competent men in the state. W. A. McKerrow of University farm, will judge the dairy cattle, horses and sheep; W. M. Morris, also a member of the University farm faculty, will decide in the cases of beef cattle and hogs; C. E. Brown, the Crookston poultry expert, will be the aviator in that division. Perry Johnson of Thief River Falls, will also be a judge in the beef cattle class.

Concessions Available.

It is the desire of the directors that the concessions at the grounds be taken over by local people as far as possible. Numerous requests have been received from outsiders asking that they be permitted to offer their wares during the fair, but these will be held off until all local organizations have had an opportunity to express their wishes. Lodges, church societies and others have heretofore gathered in considerable money by catering to the needs of the crowd and they will doubtless wish to do so again.

The premium list is now in the hands of the printer and will be ready for distribution in a short time. Large numbers will be mailed out but those not receiving them in this manner may secure any number by applying at the office of The Times, the farm bureau office or at the banks in the county.

—Trade at Home—

Telephone Hearing

Notice of the special hearing to be held by the State Railroad and Warehouse commission at St. Paul on July 8 for the purpose of taking testimony relative to a fair rate of return to which telephone companies are justly entitled to earn in the state has been received by the club. It will be recalled that the club two years ago endorsed the movement to assist in securing fair phone rates in this locality and tendered the use of the club rooms for a hearing in this city.

—Trade at Home—

MUSIC HOUSE OPENS FINE NEW QUARTERS

Grand Public Reception to be Held on Saturday Evening.

The Thief River Music company will on Saturday evening formally open new quarters in the Christo building at 215 East Third street. This concern has been handicapped for space ever since its stock and equipment was destroyed by fire last winter and was only recently able to make arrangements for a store and workroom suitable to its purpose.

Traveling men who have inspected the new store say that there is nothing finer in the state outside the twin cities. The salesroom is finished in ivory enamel against a dark brown background, making a rich and striking combination. Demonstration booths for phonograph records have been installed making it possible to run at least three pieces at one time without causing any confusion of sound. Every detail has been most carefully looked after and when everything is in readiness there will not be an item missing.

T. J. Hagen, F. S. Ebert and Roy Halseth, owners of this beautiful store, have decided to give a public reception and general opening on Saturday evening. There will be vocal and instrumental music and each visitor will be presented with a souvenir. Gentlemen visitors will receive cigars and there will be flowers for the ladies.

The Thief River Music company's store is one in which the entire city takes pride and there is no doubt but that a large crowd will be present to assist the enterprising proprietors in their housewarming.

—Trade at Home—

DESPONDENT, TRIES TO END HER LIFE IN RIVER

Young Woman on Tuesday Tuesday Jumps Into Stream With Suicidal Intent.

Mrs. Josephine McClelland, a waitress, 17 years of age, on Tuesday afternoon made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide by jumping into the Red Lake river just below the dam. She was fished out apparently dead but had shipped but little water and was within a short time sufficiently recovered to warrant her release from the hospital.

The young woman, who is only 17 years of age according to acquaintances here, has had considerable trouble during the past two years and this is responsible for the mental state which brought about the desire to do away with herself. Married when only 15 years of age, her husband left her without means of any kind shortly after the wedding day and has not been heard of since. Her own people, who reside near Strathcona, it is understood, treated her anything but kindly because of her early marriage and she has had altogether too hard a time of it for a youngster.

Yesterday morning Sheriff W. J. LaBree took her to the home of her parents where he is prepared to make such explanations as are necessary.

—Trade at Home—

BREMER MAKES GOOD GRYGLA BANK DEFICIT

St. Paul Man Personally Takes Loss of Depositors and Stockholders.

Creditors will lose nothing through the closing of the Farmers' State bank of Grygla. Otto Bremer, St. Paul banker, having sent them his personal check for an amount in excess of $10,000 for the difference between their claims and the first and final 55.55 per cent dividends paid last week by F. E. Pearson, state superintendent of banks. Mr. Bremer refused to give the exact amount.

Mr. Bremer besides being a stockholder was also the largest depositor in the bank and lost accordingly, in addition to the cost of personally making good on the claims of other depositors.

"I have complied with all legal demands under our laws on account of being a stockholder," said letters accompanying Mr. Bremer's check. "Regardless of this, I still feel a moral obligation to local depositors of the bank, as some may have intrusted their money to it on account of my name appearing as one of its officers."

The Grygla bank closed June 22, 1918.

—Trade at Home—

FINE CONCERT TROUP HERE SUNDAY EVENING

Gustavians to Present Varied Program Under Swedish Church Auspices.

There is an unusual treat in store for the music lovers of Thief River Falls and vicinity. On Sunday evening there will be a concert by the Gustavians, the famous musical organization from Gustavus Adolphus college. While the attraction is brought to this city under the auspices of the Swedish Lutheran church the concert will be given in Trinity Lutheran. The latter edifice is the larger of the two and besides contains a particularly fine pipe organ, an instrument which plays an important part in the concert.

Besides the organ recital there will be selections for voice, violin, cello, viola and piano.

The troup is making a tour of Northwestern cities and has everywhere meet with the most pronounced approval. It is not often that our people are given an opportunity of listening to an organization of the first rank and it is certain that the size of the crowd will only be limited by the capacity of the building.

An admission fee of 50 cents will be charged and tickets may be had at the Thief River Music company's store.

—Trade at Home—

Ready For Business.

The coin box manufacturing department of The Times corporation is again ready for business after having been practically at a standstill since the fire last January. Inability to secure the necessary machinery has been the reason for the delay.

Big Award In Personal Injury Case

Fred Brendecke Gets Verdict For $11,000 Against R. R. Administration.

Lost Foot in Yards While at Work as Fireman in Fall of 1918.

Asked For $25,000, Claiming Defective Equipment Was Cause of Accident.

A jury in district court here last evening brought in a verdict of $11,000 in favor of Fred Brendecke and against the United States Railroad administration. Brendecke sued for $25,000 as damages for the loss of a foot while at work as a fireman on the Great Northern during the time the road was under federal control.

The accident happened on October 24, 1918, at which time Brendecke was firing an engine at work in the yards in this city. The complaint alleged that while in the pursuit of his duties he descended from the cab and on again attempting to get aboard he stepped on a defective car step which swung away under his weight with the result that one of his feet was caught under the front wheel of the tender and so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

Sam A. Anderson of Minneapolis and Hans O. Chommie of this city were attorneys for Brendecke, while the government was represented in court by A. L. Janes, counsel for the Great Northern, and E. M. Stanton of this city.

Verdict Quickly Reached.

The case occupied two days, being the first called on the June term calendar. The taking of testimony was completed yesterday afternoon and the jury retired shortly after 7 o'clock in the evening. The verdict was sealed and the result was not known until the opening of court at 9 o'clock this morning.

Calendar is Short.

The June term of district court promises to be a short one. There are but eight other new cases on the civil calendar, while there are 17 left over from last term. The new causes of action are: John Bratrud vs. A. T. Hauge; Joseph F. Kokosh vs. Rose Morin; A. J. Lawrence vs. G. C. Williams et al; Julius Zwer vs. Carl Zwer; Thena Rustad vs. L. A. Lampert; Peter Nelson et al vs. Board of Supervisors Township of Smiley; Belle Iverson vs. Henry Iverson; Nels Fountain et al vs. City of Thief River Falls.

No grand jury was called for this session of court and there is only one case continued from last term. This is the petit larceny charge against Earl Long which has been on the calendar for nearly two years.

—Trade at Home—

ELSWORTH MAY TRY AGAIN; VOLSTEAD TOO

Nothing in Primary Election Law to Prevent Their Going on Ticket.

Although defeated for nomination in the recent Republican primaries, Franklin F. Ellsworth of Mankato may run for Governor by petition, and Congressman Andrew Volstead by the sticker route in the November election for the offices they seek, according to informal opinion given Monday in the office of Attorney General Clifford L. Hilton.

It was pointed out that a 1913 amendment of the 1905 primary election law omitted, perhaps inadvertently the words, "defeated candidate at the primary election shall be ineligible for nomination for the same office under the provisions of this section."

By way of precedent it was recalled that Fred E. Tilquist of St. Paul, after being defeated for the Republican nomination for state railroad and warehouse commissioner in the primary, ran as a farmer-labor candidate for the same office at the general election.

—Trade at Home—

Will Make War on Rats At Incinerator Grounds

Councilman O. L. Ihle offers to fix 'em. Complaint has been made to the city council that rats in the vicinity of the incinerator plant are multiplying at an astounding rate and will soon be a menace to life and property. The condition is one for which those dumping refuse at the plant are in a great measure to blame, but measures for protecting the public will have to be taken nevertheless.

Councilman Ihle stated that he would secure the necessary help and drench the places where the rodents have their quarters with kerosene and set fire to them. He says it will take in the neighborhood of 500 gallons but that rats will be scarce when he is through. The fire will also clear up a whole lot of rubbish that has been permitted to accumulate, consisting mostly of tin cans and other containers. These make excellent hiding places for the pests.

One of these days when the wind is just right there is going to be a cleaning out at the incinerator and the death rate in the rat colony will be something fearful.

Society

Mrs. Adkins Entertains.

Mrs. C. M. Adkins is entertaining sixteen ladies at cards at her home this afternoon. The decorations used throughout the rooms will be baskets of peonies.

Launch Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Booren and Mr. Geise enjoyed a launch ride three and one-half miles up the river on Sunday. A fine picnic dinner was partaken of before their return in the evening.

Dinner Party.

Miss Myrtle Blair was hostess at a delightful dinner party on Sunday evening. Covers were laid for the following: Mr. and Mrs. S. Salveson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stenberg, Miss Pearl Olson, M. Stenberg and George Erickson.

Nurses Entertain.

The nurses' home on Knight avenue north was the scene of much merriment on Friday evening when they entertained a number of their friends. Games and music made up the evening's entertainment and at midnight delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Sapero Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained the clerical force of the Sapero store at a picnic supper a few miles out of the city last evening. The guests were conveyed to the picnic grounds in the Sapero car. All concerned report a splendid time.

Boman-Peterson.

Albert Boman and Cora Peterson, both of Beltrami county, were united in marriage on Sunday afternoon, June 27th at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of that church, officiating. The witnesses were Victor Peterson and Charlotte Larson.

Social.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church of this city had a wiener roast on the banks of the Red Lake river last Tuesday. A large number of autos conveyed the young people to the home of Mr. Conklin where the young folk report having a splendid time.

Grace Provencher Has Party.

A delightful party was given at the Evelyn hotel yesterday afternoon between the hours of 2:30 and 5 o'clock, when Miss Grace Provencher celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary by entertaining twenty of her little friends. The hours were spent in playing games. A delicious luncheon was served at five o'clock. The little hostess received many pretty and useful gifts.

Picnic.

The Ladies' Aid societies of the Methodist Episcopal churches of Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire held a delightful picnic in Aubol's grove on June 30. Lunch was served under the shade of the beautiful trees on the banks of the Red Lake river to which the large crowd present did ample justice. A delightful car ride home closed one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

In Honor of Miss Skewis.

Honoring her cousin, Miss Mary Skewis, of Seattle, Wash., who was her guest, Miss Mary Prichard was a delightful hostess on Friday afternoon, when she entertained a number of girls at her home on Horace Ave. The hours were devoted to needlework. At five o'clock delicious refreshments were served. The guests included the Misses Ella and Marian Miller, Ruth Brown, Doris Halvorsen, Myrtle Berg, Dorothy Bottleson, Mary Skewis, Harriet Anderson, Florence Alberg, Lucille Burns, Meta Kiland.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained sixteen ladies at cards on Tuesday afternoon at her home, Duluth avenue north. Baskets of wild flowers adorned the rooms. At five o'clock a delightful lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. H. A. Booren. The guests were Mesdames C. M. Adkins, W. J. Brown, Roy Lambert, Ila Reynolds, H. A. Booren, Scott Laird, E. J. Richards, G. F. Curtis, L. H. Lawrence, Thos. Way, Thos. Rowan, L. F. Fisher, W. H. Aker, G. W. Connell, Nels Christianson, E. O. Mogensen, H. W. Protzeller and Mrs. Busch of Detroit, who is a guest of her daughters, Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Curtis.

Rankin-Rankin.

Edwin S. Rankin and Miss Barbara Scott Rankin were united in marriage on June 29 at the home of the bride near Badger, Roseau county, by Rev. J. B. Smith of this city. The occasion drew together all the Scottish clans within a radius of many miles. The groom is a young engineer of Mahnomen and the bride is a resident of Roseau county. At the close of the ceremony a sumptuous feast was spread to which the assembled relatives and friends did justice. Mahnomen will be the future home of these young people.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Gracia Loraine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin Lockrey of 6320 Normal Blvd., Chicago, to Coleman J. Linde was announced at a luncheon at the Hotel LaSalle on Saturday, June 26. Mr. Linde is the son of John Linde of this city and is well known by local people, having made his home here until two years ago when he departed for Chicago where he took a course in draftmanship. He was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1917. At present he is a structural steel draftsman and designer employed by the Ketler-Elliott Erection company.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Leo Fahey and Miss Palma Holmes were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given in honor of Miss Stella Conner, whose marriage to Otto Haack of Grygla took place yesterday evening at the home of the former on Main avenue north. The evening was spent in hemming towels for the bride-to-be, after which the guests witnessed a mock wedding. The guest of honor was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. A delicious lunch was served at midnight. Misses Ruth Sandstrom, Effie Christianson, Inez Johnson, Dora Holmes, Lola Jubb, Hazel Conklin, Mary Poston, Minnie Bancroft, Gladys and Irma Smith were the guests.

Smith-Jackson.

On Thursday last, June 24, Walter E. Smith, the young banker of Mavie, and Miss Mary Alice Jackson of Willmar, were quietly married at the home of the latter in the presence of the immediate relatives of Miss Jackson. The Rev. J. B. Smith, father of the groom officiated. After the ceremony a fine dinner was served and the happy couple started on their wedding tour which included the twin cities and Bemidji. The future home of the newlyweds will be Mavie. These young people are well known in our city as Mr. Smith was for several years an official in the local postoffice, and Miss Jackson was formerly principal of the Central school. The Times joins their many friends in hearty congratulations.

Farewell Party.

A successful surprise party was that given on Tuesday evening by the Zion Lutheran congregation in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean and Mr. and Mrs. C. Bean at the home of the former. The hours were devoted to playing various games after which refreshments brought by the guests were served. Each couple was presented with a handsome gift of silverware as a token of their regard. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean left yesterday morning for Veroka, Wis., where they will spend a couple of weeks when they will return to this city to remain for a short while before leaving for their new home in the state of Washington.

Conner-Haack.

The Conner home on LaBree avenue was a scene of a very pretty June wedding on Wednesday afternoon, June 30th at 3:30 o'clock, when a large circle of friends and relatives were assembled to witness the marriage of Miss Stella Conner to Otto Haack of Grygla. Rev. J. B. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. There were no attendants. The spacious living room was tastfully decorated with peonies and lady slippers. The bridal pair took their places under a bell in the archway which had been beautifully decorated with flowers and crepe paper. The bride wore a handsome gown of white crepe de chene and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The groom wore a suit of navy blue serge. Immediately after the ceremony Miss Dora Holmes sang, "I Love You Truly." A sumptuous wedding dinner was served at 5 o'clock. The newlyweds received many beautiful and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Haack left the same evening by car for Grygla where the groom is engaged in farming. The bride is well known and highly esteemed by local people and was graduated from the Thief River Falls high school with the class of 1915. Since that time she has been engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Grygla. She has a host of friends who wish her all the joys of a happy wedded life. The out-of-town guests present at the wedding were Misses Alice and Louise Haack of Minneapolis, sisters of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Haack, Sr. J. B. Conner, father of the bride came all the way from Denver, Colo., to witness the ceremony.

—Trade at Home—

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

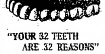

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Rules of Contest

Young ladies and young men between the ages of 8 and 80 are eligible to compete.

Each subscription for one year counts 100 votes; two years 300 votes; three years 500 votes.

The Pennington County Agricultural Society will pay $1.00 in cash for each subscription secured and the votes will be placed to the credit of any candidate.

The lady or gentleman receiving the largest number of votes in the city contest, which comprises Thief River Falls subscribers, will be entitled to A FREE RIDE IN AN AIRPLANE ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 5. The lady or gentleman candidate from any other section of the county will receive the same. A season ticket to the fair and all attractions will be given to the two winners.

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Our entire stock of men's fine hosiery now on Sale at reduced prices.

35c black Sox	23c
60c black colored Sox	47c
75c black colored Sox	59c
85c black colored Sox	65c
$1.25 Silk plaited Sox	95c
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$2.50 Pajamas, Now	$1.95
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$4.00 Pajamas, Now	$2.95
$2.00 Night Shirts, each	$1.85

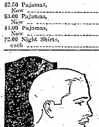

Men's Neckties FOR THE FOURTH

50c Ties Now	39c
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75c Ties Now	55c
$1.00 Ties Now	85c
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$2.00 Ties Now	$1.65
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$3.50 Ties Now	$2.85
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SUSPENDERS For the Fourth

50c Suspenders	39c
60c Suspenders	45c
75c Suspenders	55c
85c Suspenders	65c
$1.00 Suspenders	75c
$1.25 Suspenders	95c

MEN'S BELTS For the Fourth

50c Belts	39c
75c Belts	55c
$1.50 Belts	$1.15
$2.00 Belts	$1.45
$3.00 Belts	$2.35

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20c Handkerchiefs	15c
35c Handkerchiefs	25c
50c Handkerchiefs	35c

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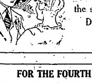

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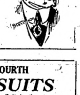

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Prices of necessities are on the downward path—there can hardly be a doubt of it. This condition may not continue, but it surely is most welcome while it does last. The reductions are not yet so startling as to cause heartfailure on the part of the public, but there is a difference nevertheless.

A glance at the pages of The Times today will convince any person interested of the fact that there are great bargains to be had on articles of quality right here in Thief River Falls. The situation in this city reflects the feeling everywhere. Merchants do not wish to be caught with heavy stocks. There is no indication of an immediate break of sufficient magnitude to warrant anyone in believing that the bottom is going to fall out of things but it is a fact that right at the present moment goods can be bought for less than at any time within the last three years. This is particularly true of wearing apparel. Clothing and shoes for both men and women are cheaper today than for some time past and, it is to be feared, cheaper than they may be for some time to come. Replacements are still being made at very high prices and wholesalers state that even these will increase. The desire to cut down on stocks carried is responsible for the decline in a much greater degree than are reduced first costs.

For this reason the wise man and woman will buy now. The saving is very real at the present moment but conditions may at any time make it necessary for merchants to withdraw the opportunity. Just now most of them need the money worse than they do the stock. Should they later need stock worse than they do money and still be unable to get it, prices will again bound. The safe way is to buy now. It is not probable that things will go much lower with the present undercurrent, while the next high cost wave may swing them up away past their former level.

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GO AFTER THE HOPPERS.

County Agent J. J. McCann has sounded the warning. He states that the grasshopper menace is very real and that it behooves every farmer in Pennington county to be on the lookout for the pests. As yet the visitation is not general and only grasses in a few places are attacked. Unless every precaution is taken, however, it will be but a short time until the rapidly heading rye will fall before this marauder, after which other grains may follow.

Grasshoppers have done but little damage in this section for a long time. Last year there were places where the insects were responsible for a small amount of loss, but prompt action at that time doubtless saved thousands of dollars worth of crops. The same promptness will have to be displayed again. Mr. McCann states that in a few places the grasshoppers have appeared in sufficient numbers to make the situation alarming and he calls upon every person to assist him in waging the war.

In another section of The Times today more detailed attention is called to this threatening plague. Read the advice as to what to do when the hoppers first put in an appearance—and do not wait. Do not even wait for them to appear on your premises before preparing. Secure the ingredients for dosing them now. If you do not need anything of the kind, so much the better. If you do need it, the fact of your having it ready will save you hundreds of dollars.

There is nothing to be alarmed over particularly. Common sense, however, dictates that every precautionary measure should be taken. Give them the bran mash the first thing and then notify Mr. McCann. He will help you make the fight.

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WE'LL ALL GO AGAIN.

The people of Goodridge have decided to hold another Tri-County fair in that village despite the fact that but little encouragement in the way of outside support has been secured. The county commissioners very properly figured that as matters now stand appropriations for two different fairs are hardly justified. They have some such arrangement down in Polk county, one fair being held in Crookston and the other at Fosston and the plan seems to be working out fairly well. Polk is a large county, however, being nearly four times the size of Pennington, and what is advisable down there might not prove a good thing for the people here.

The fair at Goodridge last year was a hummer. For a first attempt it had anything beaten ever seen in this section. No one can blame the people residing in the neighborhood for wishing to show the world the really wonderful products that can be raised there, and as the county fair dates are now arranged there is no other way of making a show except by holding an exhibition later in the year. On the other hand the county commissioners cannot be blamed for refusing to appropriate public money for something that at best will benefit only a small portion of the community and in which but a small percentage of the population are directly interested.

It may be that some day when there will be a strictly agricultural fair held in the county and when that time comes the claims of Goodridge as its location should be most carefully considered. For the present what little money is available for such purposes might better be devoted to making one enterprise a success. There is not enough of it to divide and such action would only result in eventually crippling both fairs.

Everyone will hope that the fair at Goodridge on September 20 and 21 will be a success. Hundreds will go from this city and none will be more pleased to note the wonderful progress the section is making.

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NO TIME TO GET SMART.

Editors of certain Republican newspapers in this state are doing something they may later on have cause to regret. In their jubilation over the fact that their ticket carried in the primaries they are taking the usual shots at the Democrats for good measure and referring derisively to the poor showing made by that party's candidates in the contest.

There is more than a possibility that these same Republicans will be calling for help before the final vote is cast in November, and it would not be the first time. Two years ago the Democrats patriotically abandoned an admirable candidate of their own to help elect Burnquist on a war service platform. There are any number of careful observers who maintain that had the party at that time stuck to their ticket Fred Wheaton instead of Burnquist might have been governor. It is certain that but for their aid the latter would have had hard sledding.

There is no war on this year but the republicans see, or profess to see, an even more serious situation confronting them. There is not a doubt but that Cyrus M. King of Deer River will be brought forth as a candidate with the Nonpartisan endorsement. If such should prove the case, the Republican regulars will be no better off than they were before the primaries. King is not without certain vote-getting qualities of his own. He speaks well, makes a striking appearance and has considerable ability. He may not be well known throughout the state at the present moment but there is still time to remedy this defect. To imagine that he can under no circumstances prove formidable is a mistake.

For this reason the Democrats may come handy again. Thousands of them voted for Preus in the primaries and it is quite easy to imagine circumstances under which they would do so again.

Republican editors should remember these things and apply the brakes whenever they feel an irresistible impulse to poke fun at their traditional enemies.

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NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Bad Accident at Orleans.

Middle River Pioneer: The good time at the Orleans picnic last Friday was spoiled by a bad accident that took place late in the afternoon when the aeroplane was going up for one of its flights.

While plenty of running ground had been provided for the plane to make its ascension the crowd wanted the bird man to run the plane out to the other end of the field and make his ascent over the crowd who were looking for thrills. He did not want to do it but being urged he started the engine and was off. By the time he was almost up on the crowd the plane was just leaving the ground and he noticed he would not clear and in order to prevent the killing and maiming of perhaps scores of people he turned sharply into some autos on the side. He hit Will Griffin's Ford and took the back seat clean off, one little girl was hit and her jaw bone broken and Mrs. Will and Emma Griffin, sisters-in-law of Leslie Jamieson of this place, were hit and knocked unconscious. Miss Griffin got a bad blow on her head and both were badly bruised. The little girl was most seriously hurt and there are doubts as to her recovery. The aviator paid Mr. Griffin $450 for his car on the place and promised to pay all hospital charges for the people who were hurt.

We understand that the parents of the little girl are contemplating suing for $5,000 damages.

—Trade at Home—

Crop Outlook Good.

St. Hilaire Spectator: That this part of Pennington county will harvest an average good crop this year, is the concensus of opinion judging by conditions prevailing at the present time. While there has been some grain drowned out in low spots the balance is looking fine. In some places oats seems to have suffered some from too much water, but other grains more than make up for this loss. The hay crop which is an important one here due to an extensive dairying industry promises to be equally as good as last season's, and clover is looking better in many places. The Benson farm, east of town has some excellent clover which stands over three feet high now. Unless unfavorable weather conditions should set in and prevail for some time, everything indicates that this section will be blessed with an average crop.

—Trade at Home—

Will Investigate Killing.

Bemidji Pioneer: A special grand jury has been ordered by Judge C. W. Stanton to convene at Bagley next Tuesday and investigate the alleged killing of Scott Porter, aged 57, by his son, Jesse Porter, 27, a few days ago near Ebro. The accused is here in the county jail having been brought here to escape possible mob violence. It was first thought the crime was committed on the White Earth reservation, making it a Federal case, but later this was disproved.

—Trade at Home—

Oak Ridge Congregation Will Celebrate Fourth

Among the interesting Fourth of July celebrations to be held in this neighborhood is that under the auspices of Oak Ridge Lutheran church. The event will take place at the former Cornelius Syverson farm, one-half mile west and one mile north of the new school in Norden township.

The usual services will be held in the forenoon and an appropriate program presented in the afternoon. A choir will sing on both occasions. Dinner and refreshments will be served by the ladies and young men of the congregation, the proceeds going to the church building fund.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

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Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.68
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.61
Oats	.95
Flax	3.41
Barley	1.19
Rye	1.95
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	7.95
Flour, per cwt.	8.10
Bran	2.95
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.60
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.50
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.18
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.22
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.30
Dairy Butter	.48
Creamery Butter	.55
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.25
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.15
Steers, per lb.	6-8
Calves, per lb.	7-8
Cows	5-6½
Lamb, per lb.	12-15

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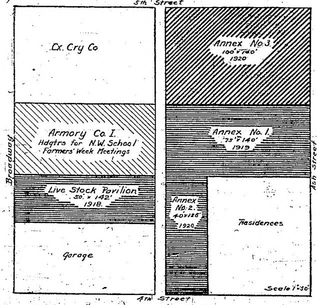
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City News

Supt. David Johnson of Warren visited here Thursday.

Chas. Vornchek motored to Argyle on business yesterday.

M. K. Austin of Kratka visited with friends here on Thursday.

Mrs. M. Mattson of Holt visited with friends here on Thursday.

Rev. A. F. Nelson of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. M. Gillette spent Thursday visiting with friends in Red Lake Falls.

Miss Ella Reep of Plummer visited in this city between trains on Friday evening.

Mrs. C. Haroldson of Gatzke is visiting at the home of her parents in this city.

Wm. Kilden of Baudette passed Tuesday in this city on matters of business.

A. E. Stromberg of Warren was a business caller in this city the first of the week.

Miss Eva Lyon of Karlstad passed yesterday in this city visiting with numerous friends.

C. C. Gulrud returned on Monday evening from Duluth where he spent a few days on business.

Miss Tillie Hagen of Holt visited with friends here the latter part of last week enroute to Warren.

Do not fail to see the Fruitina demonstration at the Simonson store on Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. j1

John Rustad of Highlanding motoer to this city on Tuesday for the purpose of transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown and daughter, Miss Ruth, passed the week end at their cottage at Union Lake.

C. L. Peterson left on Thursday evening for the twin cities where he will spend a week on a pleasure trip.

Vance P. Hunter, recruiting officer left this morning for Warren where he will spend a period of five days.

John Melquist and A. Hagglund motored to this city from Holt on Thursday evening and visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knutson returned to their home in Grand Forks on Thursday after visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. Emma Davidson returned to her home in Crookston yesterday after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Mattson.

Miss Theone Holum, who attended the Saterlag convention in this city, returned to her home in Oklee on Friday morning.

Miss Marie Swenson arrived here on Saturday evening from her home in Newfolden to spend Sunday as the guest of friends.

Mesdames A. Ellingbo, A. K. Austin, and W. Gilbert of Crookston were here on Thursday as the guests of Miss Lottie Austin.

Messrs. Leland Schuster and Jordan Penney motored to Union Lake on Friday afternoon to engage in fishing for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knutson motored over here last evening from Red Lake Falls and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tilman of Northcote were guests of the latter's sister, Miss Margaret Eichhammer, the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ness and family returned on Thursday morning from Hendrum where they attended the wedding of a relative.

Theo. Liden returned to this city on Sunday morning after a six month's absence in Peoria, Ill., where he attended a horological school.

Mrs. William Warner and children went to Holt on Thursday morning to visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Peterson.

Mrs. F. G. Eagler and daughter, returned on Thursday evening from Enderlin, N. D., where they spent a brief period visiting with friends.

Mrs. G. Sorenson, who had been visiting in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. Senum, returned to her home in Fisher on Thursday.

Miss Lottie Austin of Black's Sweet shop left on Thursday evening for her home in Fosston where she will pass a week visiting with her parents.

Mrs. G. C. Bush returned to her home in Detroit last night after a brief visit with her daughters, Mrs. Roy Lambert and Mrs. Geo. Curtiss.

Misses Ruby and Betsey Ness, who passed a week visiting with relatives in Halstad and Hendrum, returned to their home here on Monday morning.

Mrs. Inga Berg, who has been teaching a term of parochial school in Rosewood returned to her home in this city on Friday evening.

M. A. Clark of Greenbush visited between trains here on Friday enroute to Minneapolis where he will attend to matters of business.

Harry Johnson of Warren was the guest of friends between trains on Friday evening enroute to Erskine where he will visit with friends.

Mrs. O. A. Parkne and daughter Mary left this city on Friday evening for Minneapolis where they will spend two weeks visiting with relatives.

Miss Olive Zaiser, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Hazel Zaiser, were visitors in this city last Friday. They returned in the afternoon to Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Louis Sundred and baby returned to their home in Trail on Friday morning after a brief visit at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. T. T. Kiland.

Mrs. J. U. Skoglund returned to her home in Roseau on Thursday after spending a few days visiting in Minneapolis and at the Axel Risberg home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne and son, Logan, accompanied by Miss Jessie Leslie, all of Rollis, motored to this city on Thursday to attend to business matters and shopping.

Misses Thea and Theresa Sallmonson departed on Thursday afternoon for their home in Thompson, N. D., after spending two days here attending the Saterdal convention.

Miss Ethel Olson of Badger, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. A. Munson in this city, left on Thursday afternoon for Fargo where she will be employed.

Mrs. Thos. Phelps and son of Warroad returned to their home on Thursday morning having come here for the purpose of attending the funeral services of their nephew and cousin.

G. A. Fallness leaves Saturday for Detroit for a visit of about a week. Mrs. Fallness and the children have been there for some time and will accompany him back to this city.

Misses Lena Evenson, Gladys Anderson, Louise Majeres and Anna Brokke departed last night for Detroit where they will spend a two week's outing at Lake Shoreham.

Miss Mildred Holbrook of Grygla arrived here last week and will pass the remainder of the summer at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. Yager, who resides on a farm near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Helm were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter, leaving this city on the flier in the evening for Chicago where they will remain for an indefinite period.

Attorney Samuel A. Anderson of Minneapolis arrived here on Tuesday morn'ng to act as attorney for Fred C. Brendicke in his personal injury case against the Great Northern railway.

Mrs. L. Sheppard and son Lowell, returned to their home in Mason City, Ia., on Thursday evening, having passed a few days here as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Glines.

Dr. C. M. Larson and Miss Harriet Hanson left by auto for Minneapolis Sunday morning after a two week's visit at the home of Dr. Larson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson, E. Sixth street.

Miss Isabelle Finhart, who has been engaged in teaching the Englestad school during the past term, departed on Friday evening for her home in Grand Meadow, where she will pass her vacation.

Atty. A. L. Janes returned to his home in Minneapolis last evening, having spent a couple of days here on the personal injury case of Fred C. Brendicke against Director General of Railroads.

Miss Olive Booren, who has been visiting with relatives and friends here for two weeks, left on Thursday evening for her home in Stillwater where she will spend the remainder of her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sjoberg and daughter Nettie, left this city on Wednesday via the Great Northern for points in Montana, where they will spend a month visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Mildred Seavy left this city on Friday evening for New Rockford, N. D., where she is probation nurse in the hospital at that place. While in this vicinity she was the guest of her parents, who reside in Goodridge.

Miss Clara Ferdinandson of Goodridge, left this city on Friday evening, for Pelican Rapids where she will visit with her sister before departing for Minneapolis where she has accepted a position with the Dayton Co.

Dr. Chester Ihle arrived here on Friday evening from Chicago in response to a call that his father was dangerously ill in the Warren hospital. Enroute to this city he visited at his parental home in Newfolden.

Mrs. A. Bjorge and daughters, Ardele and Alvina, who have been visitings at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. T. Tharaldson, during the Saterdal convention, returned to their home in Climax on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Olson of Prince Albert, Sask., arrived here the first of the week from Red Lake Falls, where they had been visiting relatives and will spend a brief period here as the guests of friends, before returning to their home.

Mrs. J. P. Jenson, who spent a few months with her daughter, who is a student of the University at Brookings, S. D., returned to her home in Goodridge the latter part of last week. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ruby.

Mrs. J. L. Stitt returned last evening from Kenmare, N. D., where she accompanied her mother, Mrs. Bacon, the day previous. Mrs. Bacon will leave the latter point for Kermit, N. D., where she will spend the remainder of the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Brokke and Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Brokke of Climax, were among those who attended the Satesdal convention here on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. While in the city they were the guests of their neice, Mrs. T. Tharalson.

Picnic paper plates, spoons, etc., at Laird's Specialty Shop. j1

A. J. Lawrence arrived here yesterday morning to attend to matters of business.

Mrs. John Skomedahl of Steiner visited with friends and relatives in this city yesterday.

Attend the Fruitina demonstration at the Simonson store on Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. j1

Mrs. Ole Landro of this city spent the latter part of last week in Grygla visiting at the O. Lloyd home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson motored here on Thursday from their home in Middle River to attend to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicial returned last evening from Little Falls where they spent a week with relatives of the latter.

On Friday, Saturday and Tuesday there will be a demonstrator at the Simonson store for the purpose of demonstrating the various uses of the famous product, Fruitina. The public is cordially invited to attend. j1

C. M. Rolland left this morning for Hibbing where he has accepted a position with one of the meat markets in that city. His family will remain here for the present or until he is able to secure suitable living quarters.

Miss Hazel Willet, who has been a student of telegraphy at the local exchange during the past winter, has secured a position as manager at Wahpeton and left for that city the latter part of last week. Miss Emma Pauling of this city will continue as messenger.

Miss Ruth Babcock has resigned her position with the Western Union Telegraph company in this city and has gone to Fargo where she will visit with friends and relatives before departing for Portland, Ore., where she will secure a position as manager of the Western Union exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Olson and family left on Wednesday morning for New London where they will spend two weeks visiting with relatives. They were accompanied by Mrs. Selma Erickson and daughter, Miss Mary Erickson, mother and sister of Mrs. Olson, who have been her guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McAdams and children will leave this week for a six weeks' visit with relatives and friends in different parts of the state. They will go by auto and with no set schedule, making the trip as convenience and pleasure dictates. Staples, Pine City and Milaca are among the points to be visited and the tourists will stop on the way to catch fish whenever they feel like it.

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—Trade at Home—

Card of Thanks.

Our heartfelt thanks are hereby extended to those who assisted at the funeral of our baby. Especially are we grateful for the many beautiful floral offerings presented.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mehrkens. j1p

That Little Odd Job Before Haying Starts

This is a good time to get it off your hands. You are going to be pretty busy in a little while and will be money out unless everything is in shape to go right ahead.

Fix the barn, hay mow, granary and *racks now while you have the time.*

The best material for work of this kind will be found in the stock of this old, reliable concern.

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"Three years ago my system was in a terribly run down condition and I was broken out all over my body. I began to be worried about my condition and I was glad to try anything which would relieve me. Peruna was recommended to me as a fine blood remedy and tonic, and I soon found that it was worthy of praise. A few bottles changed my condition materially and in a short time I was all over my trouble. I owe my restoration to health and strength to Peruna. I am glad to endorse it."

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Was in a Terribly Run Down Condition

Miss Ricka Leopold, 238 Layco St., Menasha, Wis. Sec'y Liederkranz. Miss Leopold's letter opposite conveys in no uncertain way the gratitude she feels for Peruna.

Liquid and Tablet Form

Notice

The banks of Thief River Falls will close at one o'clock p. m. on Saturday afternoons during the months of July and August.

First National Bank
Citizens State Bank
First and Peoples State Bank
Farmers and Merchants State Bank

The Birthday of a Nation

July 4th, 1920 is the 144th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence.

As flags fly and bands play, let us not be unmindful of the devotion, loyalty and sacrifice which gave freedom to our country. All honor to the Stars and Stripes which symbolize our American heritage—life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

As the "Fourth" falls on Sunday, this bank will be closed all day Monday, July 5th, in observance of the Nation's birthday.

Citizens State Bank

Piano Tuning.
Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to tune pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. j3tf

CALL AT THE
THIEF RIVER FALLS IRON WORKS
FOR
LINE SHAFTING, PULLEYS
and all other repairs needed on spring machinery

We do Welding of all Kinds of Castings.

60 TON SCRAP IRON WANTED, $12 PER TON.

Telephone 222

AUCTION SALE

Being unable to carry on farming, I will therefore sell at Public Auction on the Oscar Rambeck farm, the SW¼, Section 34 in the Town of Grand Plain, being three and one-half miles north and one mile east of Mavie, on

Thursday, July 8

Sale commencing at 11 o'clock sharp, all of the following personal property, to-wit:

4—HORSES—4
- One horse, 12 years old, wt. 1150 lbs.
- One mare, 10 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.
- One horse, 5 years old, wt. 1100 lbs.
- One mare, 3 years in July, wt. 1100 lbs.

LIVE STOCK
- One Guernsey cow, 8 years old
- One cow, six years old
- One cow, one-half Shorthorn, 3 years old
- One cow, one-half Shorthorn, 3 years old
- One cow, one-half Shorthorn, 3 years old
- (All coming fresh in November.)
- Two spring calves
- 25 Plymouth Rock chickens
- One Black Minorca Rooster

FARM IMPLEMENTS
- One Deering binder
- One John Deere Disc, 14 disc
- One John Deere, 16-in. sulky plow
- One Champion mower
- One Three-horse drag
- One Champion 10-ft. hay rake
- One T. G. Mandt wagon gear
- One sleigh
- One buggy
- One hay rack
- One truck wagon
- One Seltz feed mill
- Two set work harness
- One stock tank
- One set springs for wagon, 4500 capacity
- One grindstone
- One 14x28 Allwork tractor, new
- One 12x25 Int. tractor
- One 80 H-P J. I. Case steam engine, with coal bunkers and water tank. Engine equipped with twelve inch extensions.
- One 34x56 Buffalo Pitts Niagara Second steel frame separator. Outfit complete with belts and twelve barrel water tank.
- 30 grain sacks
- Some lumber

ALL HOUSEHOLD GOODS
- One range
- Tables and chairs
- Two heating stoves
- One Davenport
- One cupboard
- One dresser
- One telephone instrument, and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

Mrs. Martin Stokke and Oscar A. Rambeck, Owners

H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church—Norwegian services 11 a. m. No evening service.

First Sw. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Service next Sunday morning at 10:30. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. Concert in the evening by the Gustavian company in the Trinity Lutheran church.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service in city 11 a. m. Picnic in Rindal church Rosewood, 2 p. m. Service in city, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rinday Ladies' Aid meets at Nakken's Tuesday at 2 p. m. Rindal Young Peoples' society at Rindal church on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, July 4. Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services. Mission meetings at St. Hilaire district as follows: Services at East Side school house June 30 at two and eight p. m.; July 1st at 10:30 a. m., 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. At Black River July 2nd, Friday, at 2 and 8 p. m.; Saturday at 10:30 a. m. and 2 p. m. At St. Hilaire July 3rd, Saturday, at 8 p. m.; Sunday at 10 a. m., 2:30 and 8 p. m. A hearty invitation is extended to all to attend these meetings.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—July fourth is Independence Day for the United States and the occasion will be remembered in our church services. The Sunday school meets at ten o'clock in the morning and the church at eleven. The church at this hour of public worship will celebrate Holy Communion. The subject of the address at the 8 o'clock evening hour of worship will be patriotic and the men who were members of the army in our country's wars are invited to be present as our guests.

—Trade at Home—

COMMERCIAL CLUB NOTES

Conditions in Europe.

The Inter-Racial Council of New York City in a letter to the club secretary attempts to point out the danger which besets many people who are planning on returning to Europe to make that country their home again as in former years. Many are going there under the mistaken impression that prices are lower and living conditions better there than in America, states the clipping of the Council, one of which is given herewith:

"A recent letter from Norway contains the following passage: 'There is only one advice to you who are thinking of visiting Norway; 'Don't leave your work in the United States if it appears to be somewhat steady, unless you secure beforehand a position and a roof over your head in the old country. The possibility is that you, as the undersigned, otherwise will be bitterly disappointed.'

"At a meeting of the Trade Unionists, it was stated that a workman's family now required 4,601 kroner per annum in order to maintain the standard of living for which in 1914, 1,528 kroner were sufficient.

"According to the latest report of the various labor organizations throut the country, there are between 3,000 and 4,000 more persons seeking employment than vacant situations available."

Farm Labor Situation.

The scarcity of farm labor is called to the attention of the Commercial club members of this city, in common with like institutions throughout the country, in a letter just received by Scott Laird, local secretary, from the United States Department of Agriculture. All cities, along with the federal and state agencies, are admonished to do what they can to alleviate the conditions. City people are advised to enjoy their summer vacations on the farms assisting the owners thereof in harvesting a bountiful crop of cereals and garden truck.

Interesting Reading.

Literature on eastern automobile tours has been received and may be found on the reading tables which also are being quite well supplied with matter during the past few weeks. The cool breeze which is generally prevalent evenings in the club rooms has been enjoyed of late by quite a number of members.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following patients were entered at the Physicians' hospital since June 24: T. G. Gewold, city; John Kivel, city; Henry Iverson, Goodridge; Katherine Molby, city; Loretta O'Brien, city; Theresa Fuller, city; Mrs. E. F. Dolan, city; Mrs. R. G. Lyon, Karlstad; Otto Borgen, city; Celia Saugen, city; Thea Saugen, city; John Denhart, Hazel; Wm. Harton, Kratka; Theresa Geifer, city; Josephine McClelland, city; Mrs. A. T. Johnson, city.

—Trade at Home—

Notice.

The members of the L. T. L., or any child interested are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. J. O. Sether, Knight avenue, on Friday evening, July 2, at 7:30 o'clock.

—Trade at Home—

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls Minn., postoffice for the week ending June 26, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago, Ill.:

Cross, Al.
Fuller Bros.
Hanson, C. F.
Hermanson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman
Peterson, A. V. A. (Aneta)
Po[illegible]y, Mr. V. F.
[illegible]yer, Karl E.
[illegible]an, Mrs. O. M.
[illegible]nter, John

When calling for the above letters [illegible]ase state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

The Times, the best value for $2.00 per year. Subscribe now.

Grand Celebration July 5.

There will be a picnic July 5th at the John Skomedal farm. A program will be given by the school and the Ladies' Aid will have a sale on ladies' aprons and gentlemen's shirts. They've got colors and sizes to suit the most particular. Lunch and refreshments will also be served. Everybody welcome.

Ivend Ose shipped a carload of cattle to St. Paul last Saturday.

Miss Annie Ose, Tillie Austad and Gunnie, Lars and Tarkel Ose, visited at the T. Austad home in Smiley township.

Misses Amanda, Olga and Constance Klungness and Tyler Wold, Olaf and Torbjon Skomedal, were out riding Sunday afternoon.

John M. Johnson left last Thursday for Black River to attend the funeral of his aunt, who died recently.

Talak Froisness is busy these days hauling flax straw from John Skomedal's to Thief River Falls.

Miss Gladys Russell returned last week from the Thief River Falls hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Marriage Licenses in June.

The following are the marriage licenses for the month of June:

June 1—Martin J. Peterson and Lydia M. Dahlstrom.
June 3—Arthur J. Baird and Joren Megland.
June 4—Olaf T. Hanson and Tillie T. Oftedahl.
June 5—Joseph Perdzock and Elfa Werstlein.
June 5—Lawrence A. Hermanson and Olga E. Standy.
June 7—M. O. Seavy and Rachel Josephson.
June 10—Theron L. Rank and Agnes M. Wilson.
June 10—John Pearson and Carin Olson.
June 11—Frank B. Conner and Mae A. Klinke.
June 23—Joseph F. Heininger and Tillie Weiner.
June 24—Cecil Brantner and Ethel Patterson.
June 25—Jerry Race and Tillie Thompson.
June 20—J. Clarence Holte and Gertrude Adelaide Sandum.
June 30—Otto Haack and Stella E. Conner.

Taxpayers' Notice.

The city council of the city of Thief River Falls will meet as a board of review at the council room in the Auditorium on Monday, July 12, at which time all applications for correction of tax assessments will be heard.

By order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
j1-8 City Clerk.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our heartfelt thanks to those who came to our aid following the death of our son and brother. Particularly are we grateful for the assistance extended by the business men of Thief River Falls as well as the farmers in the neighborhood where we reside. We wish also to thank those who thoughtfully presented floral offerings at the funeral.

FRANK E. PHELPS
j1p and Family.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, do hereby extend our sincere thanks to all the people in Thief River Falls and vicinity who so kindly assisted us at the Free church convention here June 9 to 15.

Respectfully,
Board of Trustees, Zion Church,
By J. L. Bean, Secretary.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to thank all those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our father and brother, S. J. Ostlie. Particularly do we appreciate the kindness shown by the ladies of Zion church.—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thoreson, C. Jenson. j1p

Notice to Library Patrons.

Anyone possessing library books which are overdue please return at the earliest possible convenience.

MISS GENA GRANUM,
Librarian.

Barn Dance.

There will be a big barn dance given by Olson Brothers on the Carl Zizer farm, seven miles south of Thief River Falls, on Saturday evening, July 3. A three-piece orchestra will furnish music. Everybody welcome. j1

Will Dedicate Church.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: St. Dorothy's Catholic church at Dorothy station will be dedicated Sunday, July 11 by the Rt. Rev. Timothy Corbett, Bishop of Crookston. Benediction will be held before high mass at 10 a. m., and confirmation after mass. Dinner will be served, and at 3 o'clock the bell will be blessed by Bishop Corbett. The Dorothy church has just been completed and is a credit to the community and the pastor, the Rev. A. P. Lamy. The public is cordially invited by Father Lamy to come out to Dorothy and assist in the celebration Sunday, July 11.

Editors Meet Next Month.

Crookston Times: July 16, 17 and 18 are the dates set for the summer meeting of the Northern Minnesota Editorial Association. The summer meeting is to be held at Crosby in Crow Wing County. The attractions are fishing and bathing at the lake near there and an auto trip along the iron range. Senator Knute Nelson has accepted an invitation to attend and will deliver an address on Saturday evening.

A program of out door exercises and games has been arranged which looks most attractive. There will undoubtedly be a large attendance of editors from the Red River Valley section of the state as the Northern Minnesota association through the efforts of its secretary has become as large in membership and importance as the state association and its meetings have always proven a great success.

The annual meeting held in February will take place in Crookston.

Premium List of Pennington County Fair

PROSPECTUS FOR 1920.

For the nineteenth time we present the premium list of the Pennington County Agricultural Society.

The reconstruction period having readjusted conditions so as to permit normal exhibits during the 1920 season special effort will be made to enlarge and encourage the Boys' and Girls' Industrial Department and the board realizing that encouragement of the young people to remain on the farm is one of the most important of their endeavors will make every effort to make this department attractive and will launch a campaign with the end in view of building an exclusive building for that department and many features have been added to this department and additions have been made to the prizes.

The work of the Farm Clubs has been developing rapidly and great strides towards perfection in that division will be made this season and the purses have been made larger and it is expected that efforts along these lines will surpass everything accomplished heretofore.

There has been an entire revision of the poultry department placing that branch of the fair under the same rules and operating under the same conditions as the Poultry Association and it is hoped that the changes will be accepted by the exhibitors in the spirit in which they have been made, namely for a better and bigger Poultry Department.

The work of the society is done almost entirely by volunteer workers, and it is expected that little mistakes will occur from time to time. Remember, the officers will be pleased to rectify the same when they are called to their attention.

The Boys' and Girls' Judging Contest last season was one of the features of the Fair and should command special interest this year and the young judges should look eagerly forward to the possibility of a trip to St. Paul and Chicago with all expenses paid.

The amusement features will be given the greatest of attention possible this year and only the most meritorious attractions booked and the board can safely guarantee that the program of 1920 will surpass that of last year and that no feature on the grounds will be such that anyone will object to its operation or conduct and the board has reserved the right to remove any attraction or concession from the grounds upon complaint of the patrons.

The securing of Siegfried, the World's Champion Ski Jumper, as the feature attraction has met with favorable comment from all sources and many who were familiar in the past with that form of amusement have expressed their appreciation of a chance of seeing a revival of their former favorite sport even though not under natural conditions.

The board desires to thank its patrons of the past for the loyal support it has received and the assistance rendered from all sources and again your assistance and cooperation is urged, and any suggestions that you may have for a better and bigger Fair will be appreciated.

THE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF THE PENNINGTON COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All entries of live stock shall be made on first day of fair, and all other articles by noon of the second day.
2. Entries should be made on written forms.
3. Only one entry will be allowed to an exhibitor in one section of any class other than stock, provided, however, that no animal shall be entered in more than one class except to make up herds or team.

N. B.—No purse will be awarded where there is no competition, unless specially recommended by the judges, and no unworthy animal will be awarded a prize.

4. Each exhibitor of live stock must purchase an exhibitor's ticket at the time of making entry. Fee for exhibitor's ticket is $1.00 and admits entryman each day of fair.
5. On receipt of entries a card will be prepared for each animal or article, specifying the class, section, article and number of entry, which card must remain attached to the animal, or its pen, or its stall, or to the article, during the whole period of the exhibition. Where postal facilities will permit, these cards will be mailed to intending exhibitors. Those who do not thus receive them can obtain them at the secretary's office up to the day of opening.
6. No exhibits shall be removed from the grounds until after 5 o'clock p. m., on the last day of exhibition, and no ticket shall be removed from the article until that hour. Exhibitors acting in defiance of this rule, will forfeit all prizes awarded them. However, the Fair Association will not be responsible for exhibits or properties left on the grounds after 9 o'clock p. m., on the last day of the fair.
7. No exhibits or coverings containing them will be admitted with the name, mark or initial on them.
8. Articles on exhibition shall not be handled except by officers of the department to which they belong.
9. In all classes, where required, a copy of the certificates, showing registration in one of the stud or herd books, must be produced to the judge, if required, before the judging takes place. The registration number of animal and name of stud or herd book must be given with all entries.
10. Live stock must be the bona fide property of the exhibitor at least thirty days before exhibition.
11. The age of an animal shall be reckoned from the first day of January in the year of its birth.

Rule No. 12.

Junior calf—Born between Feb. 1, 1920 and Aug. 1, 1920.
Senior calf—Born between Aug. 1, 1919 and Feb. 1, 1920.
Junior yearling—Born between Feb. 1, 1919 and Aug. 1, 1919.
Senior yearling—Born between Aug. 1, 1918 and Feb. 1, 1919.

13. Brood mares must have foal by side or give evidence of having had a foal in 1919.
14. Grains, roots and all agricultural and horticultural products must be the property of the exhibitor, and produced in Pennington, Red Lake, or Marshall counties.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

HERBERT FULLER, President.
ALBERT JOHNSON, First Vice President.
FRED BEERBAUER, Second Vice President.
ROBERT McGINN, Treasurer.
G. HOWARD SMITH, Secretary.

COMMITTEES.

Premiums and Publicity—G. Howard Smith, chairman; T. J. Austad, R. R. McWilliams.
Privileges and Concessions—Julian Provencher, chair, assistants—L. A. Lampert, W. H. Akre.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Live Stock—Fred Beerbauer, Assistant—V. C. Noper.

Divisional Live Stock Superintendents.

Shorthorn—Mike McAndrews, R. J. McKercher.
Holstein—Hans Anton, James Hardesty.
Guernsey—Harry Woolson, F. B. Conklin, Stuart McLeod.
Red Polled—Waldie Christianson.
Horses—Halvor Fodstad, Olaf Ranistad.
Sheep—R. L. Muzzy, Morgan Vaughan.
Swine—John Skomedahl, W. J. Bell.
Grounds and Buildings—H. B. Fuller, chairman, George Walker, L. D. McAdams.
Amusements—G. Howard Smith, chairman; Scott Laird, F. W. Herrick.
Agricultural Products—Albert Johnson, chairman; George L. Sterns, Peter Engelstad.
Poultry—L. H. Lawrence, chairman; Emil Griebstein, Dennis McGinn.
Admissions—W. W. Prichard, Jr., chairman; Stanley Coumbe, Ted McGinn.
Judges and Judging—J. J. McCann.
Farm Club; Boys' and Girls' Industrial and Dairy Judging—J. J. McCann, County Agent.

Judges will be selected from the officers and faculty of the State Farm School and Agricultural Colleges of the State of Minnesota.

WOMAN'S DEPARTMENT.

Superintendent—Mrs. James H. Hardesty; Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. George Biddick.
Culinary—Mrs. Bert Walker, Mrs. H. C. Durrin, Mrs. G. W. Hooper.
Fancy Work and Sewing—Mrs. T. A. Way, Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. Louise Pauling.
Crochet Work, Knitting and Weaving—Mrs. John Cronkhite, Mrs. Wm. Boreen, Mrs. A. Cruik.
Plants and Flowers—Mrs. L. G. Larson, Mrs. Emil Zeh, Mrs. G. W. Connell.
Art—Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Mrs. Ida Reynolds, Mrs. V. H. McKinney.
Educational and Boys' and Girls' Department—Prof. W. A. Ziegler, superintendent; Geo. M. Gunderson, J. J. McCann, Miss Ida Tandberg, Miss Gena Granum, Miss Maud Frissell, Miss Stella Conner.

FARMERS' CLUB EXHIBIT.

Agricultural Special—$75.00 1st prize; $35.00 2nd; $25.00 3rd; $15.00 4th.

In scoring any class, emphasis should be laid on the importance of the varieties or articles. For instance, in vegetables, large red tomatoes are more important than yellow ones; carrots and beets are more important than gourds and parsley. In fruits, the varieties recommended by the State Horticultural Society take preference over others.

Some judges score collections of fruit, vegetables, corn, grain and potatoes as follows: Count number of important ones of each. On the basis of 100, 40 per cent is given to variety, and the rest, 60 per cent to quality. Under this scheme, a collection having six important varieties of good quality would score more than ten varieties of less importance, although of equal quality.

In staging an exhibit, use care in the selection of colors for trimming. Do not use gaudy colors. Exhibits are of little value, unless they can be seen by the visitors, so it is best not to have the booths too deep and dark. Let the exhibit consist of the common and important things suited to the locality.

Grain (seed) one-half peck samples	100
Corn, ten ear samples, or sheif	100
Grass and clover seed, one quart samples	25
Forage in bundles two inches in diameter	100
Potatoes, one-half peck samples	100
Vegetables, table, six of each	75
Table, canned, one jar of each	50
Stock, three of each	25
Fruits, fresh	75
Canned, one of each kind grown in community	50
Miscellaneous—honey, eggs, butter, cheese, canned and cured meat, home-made garments, etc.	100
Design and arrangement	100
Industrial effect	100
Total	1,000

HORSES

Class 1—Heavy Draft.

Sec.		1st	2nd
1	Stallion, any age, registered	$10.00	$5.00
2	Filly or gelding, 3 years old	5.00	3.00
3	Filly or gelding, 2 years old	5.00	3.00
4	Filly or gelding, 1 year old	5.00	3.00
5	Brood mare and foal	10.00	5.00
6	Team in harness, to be shown hitched to wagon	10.00	5.00

Class 2—General Purpose.

Sec.		1st	2nd
1	Stallion, any age, 1500 or over	$8.00	$4.00
2	Filly or gelding, 3 years old	5.00	3.00
3	Filly or gelding, 2 years old	5.00	3.00
4	Filly or gelding, 1 year old	5.00	3.00
5	Brood mare and foal	8.00	4.00

Class 3—Carriage and Roadster.

Sec.		1st	2nd
1	Team in harness, over 1000 or under 1200, hitched to wagon	$8.00	$5.00
2	Team drivers in harness	8.00	5.00
3	Single drivers in harness	5.00	3.00
4	Filly or gelding, 3 years old	5.00	3.00
5	Filly or gelding, 2 years old	5.00	3.00
6	Filly or gelding, 1 year old	3.00	2.00
7	Brood mare and foal	5.00	3.00

Class 4—Mules and Jacks.

Sec.		1st	2nd
1	Span mules in harness, 1000 or over, to be shown hitched to wagon	$10.00	$5.00
2	Mare and mule colt	10.00	5.00
3	Jack, any age	8.00	4.00

Class 5—Shetland Ponies.

Sec.		1st	2nd
1	Stallion, any age	$5.00	$3.00
2	Best team in harness	5.00	3.00
3	Best single driver in harness	4.00	2.00

CATTLE

Class 1—Shorthorn, Beef Type.

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CATTLE HERDS.

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SHEEP

No Prizes Will Be Awarded Where There Is No Competition, Unless Specially Recommended by the Judges.

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SWINE

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POULTRY

No Prizes Will Be Awarded Where There Is No Competition Unless Specially Recommended by the Judges.

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No. 6—Be sure to fill out your entry blank properly.

PREMIUMS.

Three places will be awarded on cock, hen, cockerel, pullet and old pen, in all varieties.

In case there is no competition, first award and second money will be paid.

No pen awards will be made on ducks, geese or turkeys.

The following cash premiums will be paid on cock, cockerel, hen, pullet and old pen, in all varieties:

First	Second	Third
$1.00	$0.75	$0.50

Additional entry blanks and any other information desired, regarding this department, may be obtained from the Superintendent or Assistant of this department.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

No Prizes Will Be Awarded Where There Is No Competition, Unless Specially Recommended by the Judges.

Sec.		1st	2nd
1	Cheese, factory	$5.00	$3.00
2	Cheese, home made, not less than 5 lbs.	5.00	2.50
3	Butter, home made, not less than 5 lbs.	5.00	3.00
4	Butter, home made, prints or rolls, not less than 3 prints	5.00	3.00
5	Butter, creamery	5.00	3.00

AGRICULTURE

Class 1—Grains and Grasses.

No sheaf or samples less than 6 inches in diameter will be considered.

Threshed grain to be grown in 1919-1920.

Note:—No specimens will be considered in this class in any less amounts than specified.

Sec.		1st	2nd
1	Wheat, blue stem, one-half bushel	$3.00	$1.50
2	Wheat, hard, one-half bushel	3.00	1.50
3	Wheat, Macaroni, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
4	Wheat, winter, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
5	Oats, white, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
6	Oats, yellow, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
7	Oats, black, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
8	Barley, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
9	Speltz, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
10	Rye, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
11	Flax Seed, one-half bushel	2.00	1.00
12	Red Clover Seed, 4 quarts	2.00	1.00
13	Alsike Clover seed, 4 quarts	2.00	1.00
14	Alfalfa Seed, 4 quarts	2.00	1.00
15	Timothy Seed, 4 quarts	2.00	1.00
16	Millet Seed, 4 quarts	2.00	1.00
17	Peas, field, 4 quarts	2.00	1.00
18	Beans, field, 4 quarts	2.00	1.00
19	Sheaf Blue Stem Wheat	2.00	1.00
20	Sheaf Hard Wheat	2.00	1.00
21	Sheaf Macaroni	2.00	1.00
22	Sheaf Speltz	2.00	1.00
23	Sheaf Rye	2.00	1.00
24	Sheaf Winter Rye	2.00	1.00
25	Sheaf Flax	2.00	1.00
26	Sheaf Barley	2.00	1.00
27	Sheaf Fodder Corn	3.00	2.00
28	Sheaf Field Corn	3.00	2.00
29	Sheaf Oats, white	2.00	1.00
30	Sheaf Oats, yellow	2.00	1.00
31	Sheaf Oats, any other variety	2.00	1.00
32	Sample Red Clover	1.00	.50
33	Sample Alsike Clover	1.00	.50
34	Sample Alfalfa	1.00	.50
35	Sample Timothy	1.00	.50
36	Sample Red Top	1.00	.50
37	Sample Millet	1.00	.50
38	Sample second growth Red Clover	1.00	.50
39	Sample second growth Alsike	1.00	.50
40	Sample second growth Alfalfa	1.00	.50

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Class 2—Field Roots.

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Class 3—Garden Produce.

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CULINARY

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(Continued next week.)

BJORNARAA IS AGAIN SATESDAL'S PRESIDENT

Successful Two-Day Meeting Closed in This City Last Thursday Evening.

B. J. Bjornaraa of Wanke was elected to succeed himself as president of Satesdalslaget at the close of a two-day meeting in this city last Thursday. Other officers were elected as follows: Vice president for Minnesota, Olaf Neset, Thief River Falls; vice president for North Dakota, Ivind Aakhus, Grand Forks; secretary, John Johnson, Kloten, N. D.; treasurer, Arne Grundeson, Fisher; directors, T. K. Rynestad, Thief River Falls; Sam Bjerkeland, McIntosh; Ole Ose, Fisher; Knute Branke, Buxton, N. D.

While not the largest meeting the organization has held, there were between 300 and 400 outside visitors in attendance. They had a most enjoyable time, Wednesday evening being the feature occasion. Folk dances famous in the section of Norway from which these people hail, were shown and there was a contest of violinists. The proceedings were all in the Norwegian language.

The place for holding the 1921 meeting will not be decided until later.

—Trade at Home—

RETURN ENGAGEMENT OF GREAT COMEDIAN

"Olle i Skrathult" and His Company at Auditorium on July 13.

"Olle i Skratthult" the famous Swedish comedian and his popular company of eight people, back from their successful eastern tour where they played to packed houses and turn-away business in the greater cities, will by request, come back to the Thief River Falls Auditorium on Tuesday, July 13, at 8 p. m. Reserved tickets on sale at Lambert's drug store. Buy your tickets early to get a seat. Big dance after program, starts at 10:30 p. m. Exceptionally good music by accordion artists and pianist with the company. See the advertisement elsewhere in this paper and on bills and posters.

What other papers think of "Olle": "Olle i Skratthult" attracted a great throng of people to the M. W. A. hall Saturday evening. Two performances were given and the hall was completely filled on each occasion. "Olle" himself brought down the house. The songs were most pleasingly rendered and the accordion music was simply great. The Swedish National Dancers, too, were well received and the entire performance made a decided hit with the hundreds in attendance."—Isanti Weekly News.

Note—This is the last opportunity to see and hear this great company.

—Trade at Home—

PRICE OF POTATOES WILL REMAIN HIGH

Dealers Say Spuds Will Continue Luxury During Fall and Winter.

Potatoes will continue high thruout the summer and will be a luxury again next fall and winter, wholesalers and retail grocers say. Prevailing opinion among former potato growers contends that because of the labor situation and high price of seed potatoes it does not pay to raise them for market use. Many potato growers in the state are growing potatoes for home use only.

For two days potatoes dropped last week on the city market from $4.25 a bushel to $3.25. The reason for this was that ten commission men rounded up all the remaining old potatoes from farmers within a radius of fifty miles of the twin cities and sold them on the city market.

Farmers objected, declaring that the potatoes were sold at a loss to them, since they had been forced to pay exorbitant prices for seed potatoes this spring, but they were obliged to get the potatoes off their hands before rotting.

New potatoes coming in from California, Texas and Florida, slowly are ten and eleven cents a pound, retailing at from $1.00 to $1.50 a peck, according to grade.

—Trade at Home—

HOG MARKET JUMPY; CATTLE PRICES FAIR

Best Light Porkers Bring $14.80 at South St. Paul Market.

Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul. It was another week of fluctuations on the hog market, with best light hogs closing at $14.80, a gain of 20c over the close of last week. Range, $14.50 to $14.80 with bulk of sales at $14.75 to $14.80. Pigs have been in active demand at from $8 to $14, with boars $5 to $9. Dealers feel that there will soon be a wider spread between choice light hogs and the heavier less desirable kinds. Receipts were 42,500.

Trade on the cattle market in good to choice dry fed steers steady to strong most of the week, but under the influence of increased receipts prices declined somewhat at the close. Best steers were selling at $15 to $15.50 with a few at $16. Other grades of butcher steers sold from $6 to $11.50. Bulk of butcher cows and heifers were selling from $6 to $9, with best kinds up as high as $11.50. Canners and cutters brought $3.25 to $5.50 with bulls steady at $6 to $8. Veal calves have declined to $12.50 top. Trade in the stocker and feeder division was slow all week with most of steers going at $8 to $10.50 and cows and heifers $4.50 to $6. Receipts for week were about 21,000.

Lamb and sheep prices suffered a sharp decline at the beginning of the week, but regained practically all of the loss so that they are now practically on the same basis as a week ago. Best spring lambs are selling around $15.50 with others from $11 to $12. The commoner kinds are down to $6. Ewes bring $2 to $7 with wethers from $4 to $8 and yearlings $8 to $11. Receipts were about 4500.

—Trade at Home—

Bible Chautaugua.

A series of Bible Chautauqua meetings will be held in the chautauqua tent on the corner of LaBree avenue and Fourth street, beginning Thursday evening, July first at 7:45. The Norwegian language will be used throughout these meetings. Song and music will form a part of the program, as well as stereopticon pictures. Subject for Thursday evening: "Who We Are and Why We Are Here."

—Trade at Home—

ANOTHER LAST-INNING VICTORY FOR LOCALS

Defeated Grygla in Good Game on Grounds Here Last Sunday.

Some mighty good baseball games are being played in these parts just now, although our fans do not seem to be aware of the fact. The Thief River Falls team is putting up an excellent article in the way of a ball game and deserves better support than has been forthcoming to date. It is not very encouraging for a team to realize that something in the line of entertainment is being furnished that is just a little better than anything of its kind available for years and then have the people fail to take any interest in it.

Another good game was played here Sunday when the locals defeated Grygla by a score of 5 to 4. Lately it has seemed as if the Thief River Falls team is bound to look like a *loser until the end of the session and* then finish up strong. This is vastly better than going to pieces at the tail end and gives the spectators something to look forward to. It was so in Sunday's game. Grygla took the lead in the third and kept it until the fifth when the score was evened up and stayed that way. Grygla failed to score in the ninth while Thief River Falls forced two across. According to the strike-out and hit record of the two teams the visitors should not have been given a look-in, but somehow they managed to keep close all through the session. Following was the lineup:

T. R. Falls		Grygla
Graden	c	Becker
B. George	ss	Brown
L. George	p	Seamen
Prugh	1b	Sheldren
Lambert	cf	Hallbrook
Lawrence	2b	McBrian
Brazil	lf	Nelson
Herron	3b	Duessley
Anderson	rf	Sanders

Following is the score by innings:

T. R. F.	2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2	5
Grygla	0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 1	0—4

Hits, off George 4; off Seaman 11. Bases on balls, by Seaman 1; struck out, by George 6; by Seaman 1.

Next Saturday afternoon the locals play the Park River, N. D., team at Warren, this being the last day of the Marshall county fair. The game will be called at 6 o'clock. The North Dakota outfit is regarded as one of the best in the state and the Thief River Falls boys will have to put forth the best there is in them. It is expected that quite a number of people will go from here, the fair being well patronized every year.

—Trade at Home—

Canning Fruit Without Sugar is Now Practical

It is now certain that there will be an abundance of wild fruits to be gathered this year. Under ordinary circumstances this news would be hailed with delight by the frugal housewife but the sugar situation is such that she will fear advantage cannot be taken of the easily procured supply.

In order to show how all this food may be saved the Thief River Grocery company is this week inserting an advertisement in The Times telling how to pack fruits for future use without sugar. It shows that the sugar may be added later without in any manner injuring the product. It will be worth anyone's time to read the instructions over carefully.

—Trade at Home—

Air Lift Plan Abandoned; Operation Cost Too Heavy

While the city council some time ago abandoned the idea of trying to secure a water supply for the city by means of the air lift process, the matter is not yet quite ended. Druer & Smith, the contracting firm proposing to make the experiment, want $75 for the preparatory work alleged to have been done before this decision was reached and the council does not see where there is any justification for paying the bill.

Mr. Druer came to this city of his own accord for the purpose of laying the matter before the aldermen and they gave his proposition favorable consideration. Before entering into a contract, however, they wished to find out more about the plan and appointed a committee to learn what had been the experience of other municipalities with this particular kind of service. The committee visited other cities and found that the cost of pumping water by compressed air was much greater than that at present paid by the city and that the service could not be guaranteed to prove satisfactory. For this reason it was decided to go no farther with the project.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie was instructed to explain this matter to the contractors and to inform them that according to majority opinion of the council members there was nothing coming in the way of remuneration.

—Trade at Home—

STATE OF MINNESOTA
Department of Education.
St. Paul, May 10, 1920.

To Teachers:

The law provides that an applicant for a first-class certificate, who has taught in the public schools less than eighteen months prior to 1915, must show a given amount of Professional Training to receive such first-class certificate or one of higher rank.

All professional courses required for completion or renewal of first class certificates will be offered only in State Normal Schools. A full professional course in the Normal Schools required for the completion of first-class certificates, will consist of six (6) credits, four including Reading and Primary Methods chosen from Group II; and two (2) including Rural School Methods and Administration chosen from Group III.

A half course in Professional Training requires six weeks' attendance at a State Normal School, and the completion of three credits. It is suggested that two credits be chosen from Group II, and one from Group III.

Group 1. (Academic subjects.)

GROUP II.

- Arithmetic Methods.
- Composition and Language Methods
- Grammar Methods.
- Primary Methods.
- Reading Methods.

GROUP III.

- Music Methods.
- Drawing Methods.
- Primary Handwork.
- Foods and Cookery.
- Garment Making.
- Hygiene and Sanitation Methods.
- Playground Methods.
- Rural School Methods and Administration.

Special First Class Certificates.

Applicant who lacks a half credit in any first grade academic subject, or who lacks a half of the full professional training course, but who has met all other requirements for a first-class, may be issued a special first-class certificate for one year.

The completion of a special first-class certificate based on the half course in Professional Training will require the earning of three additional professional credits at a State Normal School. These credits may be obtained at a six weeks' summer session.

The renewal of a regular five-year first-class common school certificate requires eighteen months' teaching on certificate, four acceptable Reading Circle credits, attendance at a State Normal Summer School for a term of six weeks, and the completion of such subjects as are recommended by the Normal School and constituting a full summer term's work.

Very truly yours,
JAMES M. McCONNELL,
Commissioner of Education.

Department of Education.

Program of Examinations for Common School certificates, July 26, 27 and 28, 1920.

Monday, July 26.

A. M.—8 to 8:45 Enrollment; 8:45 to 9:15, Spelling; 9:15 to 10, Penmenship; 10 to 12, Arithmetic.

P. M.—1 to 2:45, Geography; 2:45 to 4:15, Composition; 4:15 to 5:30, Reading.

Tuesday, July 27.

A. M.—8 to 9:45, United States History; 9:45 to 11:30, English Grammar; 11:30 to 12, Music.

P. M.—1 to 2:45, Physiology-Hygiene; 2:45 to 4:15 Civics; 4:15 to 5:15, Drawing.

Wednesday, July 28.

A. M.—8 to 8:30, Enrollment; 8:30 to 10:15, Geometry; 10:15 to 12, Physics.

P. M.—1 to 2:45, Algebra; 2:45 to 4:15, Physical Geography or General History; 4:15 to 5:30 Agriculture.

The above examinations will be held at the Lincoln High School Commercial room, Thief River Falls, on the above mentioned dates.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

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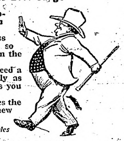

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The finest assortment of young men's suits, in particular for boys who are ready for their first long pants. Suits made in very latest styles for only **$18.85.** A big bargain.

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Good work Shirts	Good work Sox	Dress Pants	Work Pants	Special All wool Children's Sailor Suits	Children's Stockings	Sport Shirts	$4.50 Boys' Shoes Special	Good Semi-dress Pants
$1.19	19c	$13.50 Pants $9.75 $12.00 Pants $8.45	$3.50 ______$2.85 $4.50 ______$3.35	$6.85	27c All sizes	89c	$3.19	$6.45

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12 inch high top Shoes, $9.00 values, at________$6.95
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Boys' work Shoes, high or low top, worth $5 and $6, at $3.45 $4.45
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$25.00 Coats ______$17.45
$30.00 Coats ______$23.45

Boys' Tan Army Shoes

Sizes 9 to 12, per pair_$3.19
Sizes 13 to 2, per pair_$3.69
Sizes 3 to 5, per pair_$3.98
$3.50 boys' Outing Shoes, per pair________$2.65
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For your benefit we will add to our Sale at a sacrifice price our $8.50 army last, strongest and most comfortable Work Shoes made. Makes no difference if you have corns or callouses or just tender feet, this shoe won't trouble you. Extra Special Sale Price—

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You can save real money on hats at this sale. Gordon Hats fully worth $6.00. Sale Price ____________$4.45

Stetson Hats sold everywhere for $9.00. Sale Price $6.95

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$3.50 Caps __________$2.79
$3.00 Caps __________$2.45
$2.50 Caps __________$1.95

Boys' Straw Hats

$1.75 Hats ________$1.15
85c Hats __________ 65c
75c Hats __________ 45c

Men's and boys' Dress Shirts

A big assortment of plain and fancy patterns at real Sale Prices—

$2.50 Dress Shirts____$1.95
$3.00 Dress Shirts____$2.19
$3.50 Dress Shirts____$2.85
$4.50 Dress Shirts____$3.45
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$6.50 Dress Shirts____$4.95

Boys' Dress Shirts.

$1.50 Dress Shirts____$1.19
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$3.00 Dress Shirts____$2.19

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$1.25 Shirts __________87c
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Athletic Union Suits—
$1.50 garments _____$1.15
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Boys' Union Suits—
85c Union Suits______ 65c
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Boys Athletic Union Suits—
75c Suits __________ 48c
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Cost is Small if Compared With Benefit

Such is Committee's Report on Red Lake Flood Control Project.

Full Knowledge of Importance of This Matter is Indicated.

Bill Among Those Schedules to be Taken Up at an Early Date.

While it is to be regretted that the Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy bill could not be reached in time for action before the adjournment of congress, nevertheless it is a cause for much satisfaction to know that the measure will no doubt be among those taken up early in the short session which convenes in December. The bill has been favorably reported by the committee on flood control, the text of the report and recommendations being as follows:

The Committee on Flood Control, having had under consideration H. R. 14311, "To authorize the improvement of Red Lake and Red Lake River, in the State of Minnesota, for navigation, drainage, and flood-control purposes," report the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Red Lake, situated in northern Minnesota, has an area of 441 square miles, with a watershed of 1,950 square miles. Its outlet is the Red Lake River, which flows in a westerly course to where it joins the Red River of the North at Grand Forks, N. Dak., which river has a watershed of 3,180 square miles, making a total watershed of 5,130 square miles.

The Red Lake Indian Reservation, containing an area, exclusive of water, of 850 square miles, or 24 townships, completely surrounds the lake, except a small part of the northeast corner. The outlet of the lake is in the southwestern part, and the river flows through the reservation for a distance of 15 miles before it reaches the settled country to the west. The Indians live mostly in the timbered country surrounding the lake, and the lands are still unallotted. The river, from its outlet to Highlanding, a distance of about 25 miles, has a fall of only about 5 or 6 inches to the mile, and the banks are so low that in seasons of considerable rainfall the surrounding lands are overflowed and rendered unfit for agriculture. The river is navigable from Thief River Falls to the lake, a distance of about 40 miles, for small steamers and gasoline launches in ordinary high water. Below Highlanding the banks are high and the fall considerable, and there are already six developed water powers and five undeveloped waterpower sites susceptible of improvement.

The river and harbor act of 1916 authorized a survey of this drainage and flood-control project with a view to devising plans for regulating works whereby the level of said lake and the flow of said stream may be controlled in the interest of navigation, and in making such examination and survey any proposition by local interest for participation in the expense of said project was to be taken into consideration. The survey was made, and the report of the Chief of Engineers, War Department (H. Doc. No. 61, 66th Cong., 1st sess.) pronounced the project feasible and suggested that it should be carried out by a local drainage district who should finance the project in cooperation with the power and municipal interests and the Indian Bureau under supervision of the War Department. Obviously the carrying out of this project is feasible only through the cooperation of the State authorities having authority to exercise the right of eminent domain and taxation, but these authorities alone can not carry out the improvement, because it involves the erection of controlling works at the outlet of the lake to control the level and the outflow, and the straightening and deepening of the river, not only for the 15 miles within the reservation but for 10 miles farther to the west beyond the reservation line.

Section 1 of the bill, therefore, confers upon the Red Lake Conservancy District of the State of Minnesota, a municipal corporation duly created and organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, authority to deepen and straighten the river and to regulate the height of the water in Red Lake and control the same, as outlined in said document, provided that the work on the Red Lake Indian Reservation shall be in accordance with plans submitted to and approved by the Secretary of the Interior, and that compensation shall be made to the Indians for any land that may be required (lines 13 to 21, page 2 of the bill), and that an agreement with the Secretary of the Interior *shall be made as to the maximum and* minimum levels which the waters in the lake shall be permitted to fluctuate.

Section 2 authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to make contract arrangements with regard to the work to be done within the reservation lines, and the assessment of the proportionate share of the cost to the lands benefited must be agreed to by him. The War Department estimated the cost of the improvement at $779,000 and recommended the following apportionment of the cost: Water power, $240,000; Indian lands, $236,800; lands outside Indian reservation, $248,000; municipal water supply, $39,000; and the Federal Government for navigation, $15,000. The section provides that the lands in the reservation shall be assessed in the same manner and proportion as other lands, and that the maximum cost shall not exceed $2.50 per acre. An appropriation is authorized to pay the share apportioned to the Indian lands, reimbursable to the United States, however, from the lands assessed.

A similar bill (H. R. 12380) was introduced and referred to the committee on February 6 last, and extended hearings were held thereon, representing the different interest affected. It was shown that about 290,800 acres of the reservation which are now swampy and periodically overflowed and useless for agriculture, would by construction of this improvement and suitable laterals be made the richest lands in the State, and 248,500 acres outside of the reservation, some of which is already drained, would be protected from floods. Red Lake appears to be an ideal reservoir for controlling the water, and the erection of this improvement would tend to diminish the disastrous floods in the Red River of the North itself below Grand Forks, N. D. The expense, compared with the ultimate benefits, is insignificant.

—Trade at Home—

WHISKEY SMUGGLERS CAUGHT AT BAUDETTE

Shots Are Fired at Runners But Two Make Their Escape.

Phil Godin of Rainy River is in the Baudette jail and two hundred and forty quarts of Canadian and Scotch whiskey were taken in a raid on the American side of the Rainy River near the Fritz Klingbiel farm Tuesday night, says the Baudette Region.

Information that the liquor had been cached the previous night was given to Prohibition Officer J. F. Alberts of Duluth by J. A. Kennedy, local customs officer. A watch was placed on it and near midnight Tuesday a canoe with three men in it came from the Canadian side. Alberts commanded the men to throw up their hands, but two of them jumped into the water and escaped, although Alberts fired several shots from a revolver at them, one of the bullets grazing an ear of one of the men.

Godin made no attempt to escape and was brought to Baudette, where he was lodged in jail. He appeared before Morris Willett, U. S. Commissioner, and his bonds were placed at $1500, which was furnished.

—Trade at Home—

Aim to Secure Complete List of War Service Men

The Minnesota department of The American Legion has commenced a state wide effort to obtain a complete list of Minnesota service men who gave their lives for their country.

The Minnesota Historical society is anxious to preserve the record. Every post in the state has been urged to make a complete report for its district and to offer supplementary information.

"We have only heard from a fraction of the posts in Minnesota," says G. Whitmore, department adjutant. "When every post has reported the hero dead from its district we will feel quite confident that our list is close to completion. It is unnecessary to say that Minnesota Historical society is preparing to give the list a leading place in its memorials."

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Want Public to Know How Much Good Tanlac Has Done at Old Soldier's Home.

So many of the old "Vets" out at the Soldier's Home in Leavenworth have been benefited by Tanlac lately that they decided the fact ought to be made public.

The call for volunteers to report the matter was quickly answered by J. F. Johnson and C. H. Ostrander, each seventy-four years of age, and David M. Cain, who is now in his eightieth year.

Their statements, which were received at the Tanlac offices a few days ago, all seem to have been signed with a steady hand and tell in no uncertain terms of the remarkable results these old heroes of the "Sixties" have obtained from the Master Medicine.

David M. Cain, Corporal of Company "I," Ward 1, the older of the trio, says: "I have lived a long time and have had lots of experience with medicines, but I have never come across the equal of Tanlac. It has not only rid me of a case of nervous indigestion of eight years standing, but I have actually gained sixteen pounds in weight by taking it. Before taking Tanlac I had no appetite and what little I did eat would sour on my stomach and I would swell up with gas until I could hardly breathe. My heart would palpitate at a terrible rate and I also had raging headaches, and often got so dizzy I could scarcely stand on my feet. I had pains all through my body and was so weak it was difficult for me to get around at all.

"But Tanlac has done away with all my miserable feelings and put me in better shape than I have been for eight or ten years. I can eat just anything I want and my appetite is a caution. And sleep, why, I just sleep like a log every night, feel good and strong, and have more energy than I have had in years. I have recommended Tanlac to many of my comrades, who have also taken it with fine results. It certainly is the right medicine for old folks."

"At the time I began taking Tanlac," said J. F. Johnson, "I couldn't eat or sleep to do much good and just felt miserable all the time. I suffered from indigestion, dizziness, pains in my back, and about all my strength had left me. I had just about come to the conclusion that I would never be well again, but I am now in better physical shape than I have been for a long time. In fact, I don't think I ever felt much better, even when I was a young man, than I do since taking Tanlac."

C. H. Ostrander says: "I believe I had about all the miserable feelings anybody with indigestion can have, and I was so weak and nervous I could hardly drag around. I had been battling with this condition for three years and was ready to give up the fight. But by the help of Tanlac I am now feeling fine.

I'd like to tell all the soldiers everywhere how Tanlac is helping us here in Leavenworth."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John Gassman.—adv.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. V. McLeod of Goodridge was among the out-of-town shoppers in this city Monday.

FOR SALE
My residence on East Side. Modern, Big Garage, Fine Water, 100-ft. Front, Splendid Location
Enquire of
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THERE'S a real zestful flavor in this refreshing drink that everyone likes and it's more than a delicious drink for it's healthful qualities are scientifically proven—a liquid cereal food that will give you increased energy and a feeling of good health that makes every-day enjoyable.

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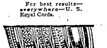

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For best results—everywhere—U. S. Royal Cords.

There were some pretty long waits for the Doctor in the horse-and-buggy days

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II

Every now and then you hear a neighbor complain that "he doesn't seem to have much luck with tires."

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The minute a man begins to *question the service* his tires are giving him, he's ready to listen to reason.

Our business is built on the principle that the only way to get better *tire service* is to get *better tires* to start with.

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III

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It is not by chance that U. S. Tires are made by the *oldest* and *largest* rubber concern in the world.

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City News

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dolan on Monday.

Fred Hanson of Badger spent Saturday visiting with friends here.

C. A. Montgomery and family left this city on Sunday by car for St. Paul.

Mrs. J. Sullivan of St. Hilaire was a between trains visitor in this city on Saturday.

The P. Malberg family of Steiner motored to this city on Tuesday to attend to shopping.

Mrs. G. H. Smith and daughter are spending the month visiting with relatives in Minneapolis.

Misses Olga and Agnes Koglin of Steiner were visitors and shoppers in this city on Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Reddin of Minneapolis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. BonDurant, this week.

Miss Mathilda Liden of Steiner motored to this city on Tuesday to attend to some shopping.

Miss Sarah Swanson arrived here on Monday from her home in Steiner to engage in shopping.

Miss Clara Peterson of Battle Lake visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dena Evenson, last week.

Mrs. G. M. Gustafson of Strathcona arrived here on Tuesday afternoon to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. R. L. Olson returned to her home in Holt on Tuesday after a brief visit with friends here.

Miss Elsie Brekke, who had been visiting with friends in Fargo, returned to this city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson left on Thursday morning for Osnabrook, N. D., for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Emma Rud arrived here on Monday afternoon from her home in Holt for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Ethel Keller arrived here on Thursday evening from her home in Hazel for a visit with friends here.

Miss Mae Olson left on Wednesday afternoon for her home in St. Hilaire after a brief visit with friends here.

Mrs. S. Anderson left on Thursday for Moorhead where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with friends.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster was a week-end guest of friends here, returning to his home on Monday morning.

Miss Rosetta Loberg of St. Hilaire visited with friends here last week. She returned to her home on Thursday.

Misses Maxine and Helen Johnson of this city are spending two weeks visiting with relatives in Warren and Fargo.

Misses Alice and Aneta Anderson left on Thursday morning for Oklee where they will visit with friends for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gullingsrud and family motored to Holt and Middle River on Sunday and visited with friends.

Mrs. Selmer Quammen and children left this city on Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. Carl Hillard and son Jerome, departed Saturday evening for Granite Falls, where they will visit with relatives.

Mrs. Hal Stanton returned here on Thursday evening from Minneapolis and other points where she visited with friends.

Miss Joyce Peterson of Fosston arrived here the first of the week for a visit at the home of her brother, Pete Peterson.

Mrs. J. H. Carlson and family of Alexandria will arrive here tomorrow to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson.

Miss Ella Linstad, who paid an extended visit to her parents in this city, returned to Fargo where she is employed, Saturday.

Mrs. M. Marken and three children left this city on Thursday afternoon for Moorhead, where they will visit for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero intend to spend the coming week-end at Birchmont. They will motor to the above mentioned place.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, accompanied by Misses Anata and Laura Stopple, enjoyed a picnic dinner at Squaw Point on Sunday.

Miss Lovey Urness, who was the guest at the Finberg home in this city for a week, returned to her home in Grand Forks on Monday.

Mrs. K. Shreider and daughter Miss Anna, arrived here on Monday from their home in Ada for a visit at the P. Jonas home in this city.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman of St. Hilaire came up on Saturday morning to engage in shopping. She returned to her home in the afternoon.

Miss Ruth Reddin returned to her home in Minneapolis on Monday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. H. BonDurant.

O. C. Hanson, real estate agent, whose territory extends to points in South Dakota, arrived here on Monday for a visit with his family.

Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., left on Monday evening for Storm Lake, Ia., where she was called because of the serious illness of her grandson.

Mesdames E. Johnson and A. Hedlund left on Tuesday morning for Steiner where they will spend a couple of days picking strawberries.

Miss Delia Ford of Red Lake Falls shopped in this city on Monday between trains. She was also the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. McGinnity.

Mrs. Wm. Laurent of Crookston is *a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.* K. K. Austin at Kratka. The Laurents were former residents in this city.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Sr., Mrs. Hal Stanton and Mrs. Duncan Stanton left Tuesday for Goodridge where they will spend the week picking strawberries.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson returned the first of the week from points in Michigan where they spent two weeks. They also visited in the twin cities.

Mrs. M. Iverson and daughter, returned to their home in McIntosh on Sunday evening, after a brief visit with the former's daughter, Mrs. Asp in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown and daughter, Miss Ruth, returned on Monday evening from Union Lake where they had spent the week at their cottage.

Mrs. A. Robinson returned to her home in Barnesville on Tuesday after a short visit at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Quisberg, who have been guests at the Legvold home in this city, returned to their home in Belgrade, this state, on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Emma Garfee arrived here on Wednesday evening from Clearbrook, where she visited with friends. She departed the following morning for her home in Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boughton of Red Lake Falls, were in this city on Wednesday. The former was here for the purpose of attending a ditch hearing, while the latter shopped.

Mrs. B. Knutson of Fisher, Mrs. O. Olson of Brooten and Mrs. O. Quisberg returned to their respective homes on Saturday after a week's visit at the Legvold home in this city.

Miss LaVida Hilson, accompanied by her brother Ralph, left on Thursday afternoon for Seattle, Wash., where the former has secured a position while the latter will visit before leaving for California where he will attend school the coming term. It is Miss Hilson's intention to remain in the west permanently.

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Messrs. Chas. Vorachek, Ed. Brevig, James Prichard and Carl Gulrud spent Sunday visiting with friends in Grand Forks. The trip was made in the former's Ford.

Mrs. F. Protz, accompanied by her son Rudolph, were passengers to Crookston on Thursday afternoon. They will spend about a week visiting with numerous friends.

Mrs. C. E. Russell and children of Superior, Wis., are expected to arrive this evening and will be the guests of Mrs. C. T. Christianson. The Russells were former residents of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. C. Haroldson and daughter Lillian, who have been visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. John Aos, in this city, returned to their home in Gatzke on Thursday morning.

Miss Hilda Knutson returned to Crookston on Monday, after a brief visit with Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichammer. She also attended the wedding of her brother Axel, which took place in this city.

Mrs. Carl Olson arrived here on Thursday evening from Cass Lake where she visited with friends and was a between train guest of Miss Belle Blair. She departed the same evening on the flier for her home in Alexandria.

Miss Agnes Peterson, who has been the guest of her friend, Miss Florence Lian the latter part of last week, en*route from Badger* where she had visited her brother and family, left on Monday afternoon for her home in Fergus Falls.

Misses Alice and Minnie Greslie of Middle River shopped and visited with friends here on Monday and Tuesday. The former was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1916, and has since been engaged in teaching school.

Mrs. Ole Torrison and three children, who have passed a month as guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evenson, and visiting with friends in this vicinity, departed on Saturday evening for their home in Minneapolis.

Mildon Boreen, who recently removed from this city to Rhinelander, Wis., with his parents, arrived here the latter part of last week for a visit with his many classmates and friends. Mildon was graduated this spring with the class of 1920.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stageberg, who have been guests of the former's parents and the latter's sister, Mrs. H. W. Miller, departed on Saturday afternoon for Crookston where they will visit with relatives before returning to their home in Minneapolis.

Miss Mary Skewis, who has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., departed on Sunday evening for points in Iowa, where she will visit with relatives before returning to her home in Seattle, Wash. Miss Skewis is a neice of Mrs. Prichard.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson and family, accompanied by Mrs. Fisher, a sister of the latter, who is a guest at the Anderson home, motored to Grand Forks Sunday and were guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Anderson.

Mrs. John Lian and daughter, Miss Agnes, left on Monday evening for their home in Detroit, after spending a month at the Dr. Kirbey home, a short distance from the city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross and son Richard, left the latter part of last week via the auto route for Luverne where they will visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Ross and Richard will be absent for a period of a month while the former will return to this city in a short while.

Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church in this city, left Monday morning for Baudette where he was asked to perform the marriage ceremony of Miss Emma Lillesve, daughter of O. Lillesve of that city. Rev. Larson is an old friend of the Lillesve family.

Miss Mamie Zavoral arrived on Monday morning from Melvin, where she had been engaged in teaching school. Enroute she visited with friends in Crookston. Miss Zavoral will spend the remainder of the summer months visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Zavoral.

Rev. and Mrs. O. J. Lundell returned last week from St. Paul after having attended the annual conference of the Swedish Evangelical Mission Covenant, this being the largest conference in the history of the church. They also visited at the home of the latter's brother, Dr. C. Paulson at Hartland, Minn.

Mrs. John Brandon of Middle River, returned to her home on Monday morning, having come to this city in response to a call that her brother, Herman Olson, was seriously ill. At the present writing he is somewhat improved.

Mrs. J. F. Farr and son Glenn left Saturday by auto for Crookston, where they spent a few days visiting at the home of their son and brother, J. E. Farr. From there they went to Cavalier, N. D., to spend a few days with other relatives, who recently sold their farms and expect to leave in a short time for Vancouver, B. C., to make their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Flattum and son Roy, left Monday via the auto route for points in Montana on an extended visit to relatives. While on their trip they will visit Yellowstone National Park. It is their intention to be gone for a period of six weeks at least. The entire journey will be made in their new Buick six, which they recently purchased from the Peoples' Auto Co., in this city.

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Saturday Evening, July 3
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The public is invited to come and inspect the finest music store in the state outside the Twin Cities. There will be vocal and instrumental music and an unlimited number of new phonograph pieces.

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Come and spend part of the evening at this up-to-date store.
All will be made welcome.

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Saturday Specials

Sugar, while it lasts, $28.50 cash.
5 cents off on each of the following canned Fruit:
Pineapple, large can
Pears, large can.
Egg Plums, large can
Sliced Peaches, large can
Apricots, large can
Green Gage Plums, large can.

Laundry soap by the box, $1.00 off from regular price.

Fruitina, a delicious drink, special 40c a bottle.

There will be a demonstrator at our store on Friday, Saturday and Tuesday who will give free demonstrations in the use of FRUITINA. The public is invited to attend this demonstration.

MEAT SPECIALS:

Pork shoulder roast, per lb.	24c
Fresh side pork, per lb.	27c
Veal stew, per lb.	16c
Veal shoulder roast, per lb.	20c
Veal leg roast, per lb.	25c
Pickled salt pork, per lb.	24c
Home made bologna, per lb.	21c
Bacon squares, per lb.	35c

SPECIAL FOR FRIDAY.

Fresh Fish, 15c per pound while they last.

We pay the highest cash prices for all stock, produce, such as butter and eggs. Special prices given on goods bought in crate lots.

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It has been proven by practical experience that sugar is not needed for the actual preservng of fruts and when used only adds flavor. There is no trouble in packing fruits for home canning without the use of sugar, provided the product is perfectly sterilized and packed in AIR-TIGHT Jars. In canning without sugar use the same rules as for canning when sugar is used and fill the cans with boiling water in place of hot syrup.

Add Sugar Later

It will be found that the desired flavor may be obtained by adding the sugar in the form of syrup when the fruit is served.

Sugar will no doubt be cheaper when the new crop of Beet Sugar comes on the market in September and new Cane Sugar in December and the supply will be more plentiful. Thus fruits canned now can be sweetened later with sugar, cheaper and more generously.

Factory Canned Fruits packed with sugar will be very high and SCARCE, due to the advanced prices of fruits and high priced sugar, and the enterprising, economical housewife will this year put up her fruits without sugar and insure having a supply for winter use at satisfactory cost.

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THIS STORE CLOSED ALL DAY JULY 5th.

The last and biggest sale of the season comes just at the right time to stock your summer wardrobe. At the exceptionally low prices named in this ad, you ought to lay in all your requirements for months to come

This Sale Commences Friday, July 2nd, Continuing Just Seven Days, and Closing on Saturday, July 10

Hosiery and Underwear in July Clearance

Ladies' $2.50 Silk Hose, in Brown, Black, Navy and White. Now on Sale at, Per Pair	$1.89
Ladies' Union Suits in dropped numbers, $1.50 values, at Choice	85c
$2.00 Ladies' Silk Hose (dropped stitch) cordovan and dark grey shades only. Special Per Pair	99c
Children's white Muslin Petticoats and children's white Muslin Drawers, 65c and 85c values. Special	48c
Ladies' black and white Cotton Hose, Special, Per pair	35c
Ladies' white kid and chamois Gloves, Regular $1.35 values, at, per pair	69c
$2.50 ladies' top Union Suits; to close them out at once choice	$1.68
Dollar Ladies' Black and White fine Cotton Lysle Hose, hemmed and ribbed top, at	88c

LADIES' UNION SUITS

$1.25 Values at, Suit	99c
$1.50 Values at, Suit	$1.22
$2.00 Values at, Suit	$1.69

LADIES' SEALPAX UNION SUITS.

$3.50 values, now go at	$2.48
$5.00 values, now go at	$3.48

Dry Goods Department July Clearance

40 in. Silk Crepe de Chenes. Regular $3.50 values in all leading shades. This Sale at, per yard	$1.98
40 in. all Silk Georgettes. Regular $3.50 values, in 30 leading shades. A wonderful value, at, per yard	$1.98
Regular $8.50 Pure Silk Tricolettes in all leading shades, 36 in. wide, at yard	$4.50
Cheney Bros. shower proof Silk foulards, 36 and 40 in. widths. Entire lot on this Sale, at per yard	$2.95
Radium Changeable Taffeta. A wonderful fine Silk, in all the leading new Shades, at per yard	$1.98
Wash Satins, White and Flesh, yard wide, at per yard	$1.98
Pepsodent Tooth Paste. Sold the world over at from 50c to 60c. Our Price	39c
50c fancy Hair Bow Silk Ribbons, per yd	39c
36 in. Plaid Silks; a good selection of Plaids at Per Yard	$1.98

Our entire stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's muslin gowns corset covers, petticoats, combination suits, teddy bears, etc., go at this sale. All new stock of choice selection of Dove Undermuslins: $2.00 values at $1.79 $3.00 values at $2.69 $4.50 values at $3.98

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Pumps, Oxfords and Canvas Shoes, Priced Very Low For Our July Clearance Sale

LADIES' OXFORDS—	Black and Brown and Patent Leathers, Louis and Military Heel. Reg. $10 value. Sale Price	$7.95
LADIES' OXFORDS—	Black and Brown, Kid and Calf skins, Louis and Military Heel. Reg. $8.50 and $9 values. Sale Price	7.20
LADIES' OXFORDS—	Black Kid, Calf and Patent Leathers; high and low heel. Reg. $7.50 and $8 values. Sale Price	6.35
LADIES' & GIRLS' OXFORDS—	Black and Brown, Louis and School Heel. Reg. $6.50 and $6.95 values. Sale Price	4.95
LADIES' 2-EYELET TIES—	Black and Brown, Kid and Patent Leathers, Louis Heel and Baby Louis Heel. Reg. $10.50. Sale Price	8.45
LADIES' PUMPS—	Black Kid, plain Louis Heel. Reg. $10 values. Sale Price	7.95
LADIES' THEO. TIES—	Black Kid, turned sole, Louis Heel. Reg. $9.00 values. Sale Price	7.20
LADIES' PUMPS—	Gun Metal, Louis Heel. Reg. $5.95 values. Sale Price	4.75
LADIES' NILE CLOTH SHOES—	9 in. Top, Louis Heel. Reg. $7.50 value. Sale Price	5.95
LADIES' CANVAS SHOES—	8 and 9 in. Top, high and low Heel. Reg. $5.50 values. Sale Price	4.40
LADIES' CANVAS NURSE SHOES—	Rubber Heel. Reg. $4.00 values. Sale Price	3.15
LADIES and GIRLS' CANVAS SHOES—	Low Heel. Reg. $3.00 values. Sale Price	2.35
LADIES' OXFORDS, WHITE IVORY CLOTH—	Military Heel. Reg. $8.00 values. Sale Price	$6.40
LADIES' OXFORDS, NILE CLOTH—	Louis and Military Heel. Reg. $5.00 values Sale Price	3.95
LADIES' OXFORDS, CANVAS—	High and low Heel. Reg. $2.75 and $3.00 values Sale Price	2.35
LADIES' PUMPS, NILE CLOTH—	Plain and Colonial style, Louis Heel. Reg. $5.75 and $5.95 values. Sale Price	4.75
LADIES PUMPS—	Fine Canvas, Louis Heel. Reg. $4.50 values Sale Price	3.60
MISSES' ANKLE STRAP—	Patent Leathers, School Heel; sizes 2½ to 6. Reg. $4.75 values. Sale Price	3.80
MISSES' ANKLE STRAP—	Patent Leathers with Heel; sizes 11½ to 2. Reg. $4.25 values. Sale Price	3.60
CHILDRENS' ANKLE STRAP—	Patent Leather, Spring and Flat Heel, sizes 8 to 11. Reg $3.25 values. Sale Price	2.60
CHILDRENS' ANKLE STRAP—	Kid and Patent Leather; sizes 5½ to 8. Reg. $2.50 and $2.75 values. Sale Price	2.15
CHILDRENS' ANKLE STRAP—	Patent Leather, sizes 5½ to 8. Reg $1.85 values Sale Price	1.45
CHILDRENS' CANVAS ANKLE STRAP—	Sizes 2½ to 7½, Reg. $1.50 values Sale Price	1.20
	Sizes 8 to 11½, Reg. $2.25 values Sale Price	1.80
	Sizes 11½ to 2, Reg. $2.50 values Sale Price	1.95

Our Entire Stock of Low Shoes Included In This Sale

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LOKEN BROTHER'S JULY CLEARANCE SALE

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAY, JULY 5.

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COMMENCES FRIDAY, JULY 2

When We Shall Place on Sale Over $10,000 Worth of the Season's Finest and Newest Garments at

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Think of it; that one dollar will do the work of two dollars; talk about cutting the high cost of dressing; this is your opportunity! The most drastic cut price sale that we have ever announced! Its our final sale this season!

$100.00	Coats, suits	and dresses,	choice	$50.00
85.00	"	"	"	42.50
75.00	"	"	"	37.50
65.00	"	"	"	32.50
50.00	"	"	"	25.00
35.00	"	"	"	17.50
25.00	"	"	"	12.50

Special	Special	Special	Special
Misses' and Girls' Middies	100 Aprons at each	New White Voile waists at	Georgette Waists at each
99c	$1.69	$1.50	$2.98

50 Silk Crepe de Chene and Georgette Waists go on Sale at Half Price

7.50 Waists $3.75 10.00 Waists $5.00 15.00 Waists $7.50 18.50 Waists $9.25

Our entire stock of everything else not included in above in our Ready-to-Wear Department goes on this Sale at 20% off. This includes all our Ladies', Misses' and Children's Gingham Dresses and Aprons, Silk and Cotton Petticoats, Rain Coats, Tweed Coats, and our very finest Dresses and Skirts, etc. This Seven Day Sale is positively our last Sale of Spring and Summer merchandise. We advice you to buy liberally while such prices are possible as these prices will not be equalled again this season.

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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Confirmation Exercises Sunday.

The confirmation exercises of this year's class was held last Sunday forenoon at the Rindal church, under lead of Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls. The church was filled to capacity, over two hundred attending. Quite a number game by car from the neighboring cities and towns bringing their dinners and attending the communion services held in the afternoon. Rev. Larson delivered a stirring sermon and the exercises by the confirmants gave proof of previous hard work and was a recommendation to their leader as well as themselves. Ten pupils, four boys and six girls, were confirmed.

A special meeting of the New Solum Farmers' club was called at the Edgewood schoolhouse last Saturday evening for the purpose of organizing a community potato growers association, to take care of the marketing and storing of this fall's potato crop.

The Rosewood Shipping association will ship mixed stock from Rosewood again on Saturday, July 10. Those who were unfortunate in not having their orders in for the shipment last Saturday, may list their stock for the next shipment.

Messrs. and Mesdames Anton Remmem and Ole Norhagen and families, from Thief River Falls and Norden and Mrs. Gullseth of Viking, were Sunday guests at the Anton Gullseth home.

A few auto loads of local people attended the tent meetings south of Viking last Sunday evening.

Axel Blom, who is employed at the Lloyd Crown farm in the town of Rocksbury, spent Sunday at his home south of town.

The Brandon, Berg and Nyhus families of Thief River Falls, were Sunday guests at the Swen Swenson home.

Misses Olga and Esther Thoreson of Thief River Falls, were in town last Sunday to attend the confirmation exercises and to visit with their parents.

Miss Viola Axelson, who is employed at Black's Sweet Shop at Thief River Falls was home for a visit last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Petterson left on Tuesday morning for Fargo after visiting with relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lindberg of Alvarado were in town last Wednesday to attend the mission meetings and will later visit with the Peter Liden folks at Steiner.

The A. Anderson, M. Petterson and M. Dalstrom families of Wylie were in town a few days last week attending the mission meetings and visiting at the Axel Krohn home.

The Mission meetings at the Congregational church on Wednesday and Thursday were fairly well attended. The ministers were Revs. Segerstrom of Viking, Frans Lindholm of Telen and Lennard Lindholm of Minneapolis.

I. M. and Albert Myrbo of Viking were in town Friday evening on business.

Tom Holten returned last week from Dennison, where he has been to attend the funeral of his mother.

Miss Theresa Soderberg returned last Wednesday from Bellingham, Wash., where she has been employed for the past two years and will spend her vacation with her parents.

Mrs. P. Sjolsvold, accompanied by one of the Dicken boys, arrived Saturday morning from Thief River Falls and will visit with former neighbors, for several days.

Mrs. O. M. Holson and daughter Lilly, left last Wednesday for Newfolden where they will visit with friends over the fourth.

Steiner Johnson returned the beginning of last week from Fargo where he has been in attendance at the Norwegian Hallingenlaget and to visit for a few weeks.

A. Opseth has purchased Steiner Johnson's forty acres of land adjoining this town on the east and it is his intention to move Mr. Opseth's and B. Ranum's residences to this land. Mr. Johnson has purchased a lot in the eastern part of town from B. P. Sagmoen and will move his residence thereon as soon as possible.

The Norwegian Parochial school will give an ice-cream social and program at the Rindal church grounds next Sunday afternoon, July 4, for the benefit of this year's pupils and their parents and friends.

The A. C. Vorseth family motored to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening to attend the meeting at the auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter Elsie, Joel and Mary Shoberg, spent Sunday evening at Viking as guests of the J. Styrlund family.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus of Thief River Falls spent a few days here this week attending the Mission meetings and visiting with friends.

O. A. Flann of Thief River Falls returned home Friday evening, after a business visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whitehead and Edna and Albin Rye of Mora, Minn., arrived here in their car last Saturday for a short visit with the E. P. Johnson family and will later go to Canada where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, of Thief River Falls, arrived last Saturday to look after their farming interests north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family arrived in their car from Crookston last Saturday and will visit at the Haugen brothers homes for a week.

—Trade at Home—

AGDER

Willie and Hermond Rude visited at the Carl Overum home Sunday of last week.

Neil Nelson visited with Josepha Hanson Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Knaddle visited at Bailey's Sunday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maiske and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Knaddle Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Solberg and children, Myrtle and Bernice, visited at the Henry Knaushagen home Sunday of last week.

Willie Rude was a caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

John Esplee was a passenger on the electric car to Thief River Falls last Monday.

Severt Evenson visited with Oscar Evenson Monday.

Gunder, Tom and Eiven Senum, and LaRoy Groven autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

LeRoy Groven left for Canada on Tuesday evening where he will visit with his sister, Mrs. Einer Olson.

Florence Knaddle stayed over night with Mrs. Swanson Monday.

Mable Trochman, Myrtle Wold and Mrs. Wold left last week for Trail where they will visit with relatives.

Louie Knaddle visited at the McCormick home Monday evening.

Mrs. L. Knaddle called on V. Swanson Monday evening.

Henry Esplee spent Monday afternoon with George Senum.

Mrs. Willie Rude visited with Mrs. Isaacson Tuesday.

Severt Evenson left last Monday evening for his home in Pelican Rapids.

Verna Trochman called at the Groven home last Tuesday.

Chrest Nelson and Mrs. Trochman autoed to Thief River Falls last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nabben autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Annie Senum visited with Mrs. S. Groven last Friday afternoon.

Chas. Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

George Senum spent Friday evening with Tom McCormick.

Carl Johnson and Bennie Newberge autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Neil Nelson made a short call at the Sam Groven home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude and son, Hermond, Mrs. George Senum and son, Lawrence, autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Gunder and Annie Senum and Mrs. S. Groven autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

George Senum spent Saturday evening with Tom McCormick.

Carl Overum autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Neil Nelson spent Wednesday evening with Josepha Hanson.

Gunder, Tom, Even and George Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and baby autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Swanson and baby visited at the Swanson home near Steiner last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Knaddle and children visited at the Frank Maiskea home last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Sam Groven entertained the ladies' aid last Thursday afternoon.

Ole Listol and Tarkel Ose autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening.

Mayme Evenson visited at the Forthune home Tuesday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chrest Nelson and baby autoed to Thief River Falls last Tuesday forenoon.

Sam Groven was a caller in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

George Senum was a caller in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Henry Esplee was a passenger on the electric car enroute to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Swanson and daughter, Edna, visited at the T. Brokke home in Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. A. K. Haggy was a passenger to Thief River Falls Thursday, where she went to spend the day with her daughter, Emma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anndahl and children, were guests at the D. Dau home Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Roller was a Germantown caller last Monday.

Miss Silva Bendickson visited at the S. Rolland home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Selma Johnson visited with Bernice Strubble Thursday.

L. Bendickson was a caller at the Hans Dahl home Wednesday.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited at the A. K. Haggy home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Payne and son Daniel, accompanied by Mrs. Will Wayne and children, autoed to Austin last week to visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. D. Dau and children and Henry Detlef, autoed to Mavie Thursday.

Miss Silva Bendickson was a Germantown caller Monday.

A. K. Haggy was a caller at Mavie last Thursday.

Paul Stock called at the A. Ristau home Tuesday.

Hans Dahl was a Germantown caller Friday.

L. Bendickson and daughter Silva, were shoppers at Mavie Thursday.

Bessie Roller was a Germantown caller Saturday.

C. Strublo and children autoed to Mavie Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson called at H. Josted's home one day last week.

Mrs. Henry Paulson and children returned to their home at Bemidji, last Monday, after having visited at the M. Johnson home for some time.

Louise, Anna and Edwin Rosett were Sunday guests at the L. Bendickson home.

Emily Reitze of Thief River Falls visited with friends here for a few days.

Helen Longevan shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Weiber and children spent last week at the J. Reitze home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Chester Boyce and children were Thief River Falls callers Friday.

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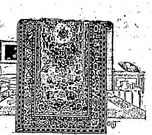

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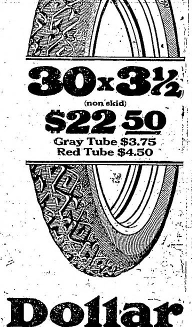

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Northwest News Notes

Picnic a Big Success.

Plummer Pioneer: The Cloverland Farmers club held their annual picnic last Saturday at the Gilbertson farm. The day was an ideal one for a picnic, and there was a crowd of at least 500 or 600 people there. A program of speeches was started after dinner was served. Marius Waldal acted as chairman and called upon A. J. Hemstad, Claude Townley, Halvor Steenerson, and N. E. Thormodson, for addresses. The speeches lasted until about 4:30 p. m., when the ball game between Cloverland and Plummer was called. The game was an interesting one all the way through and resulted in a score of 9 to 3 in favor of Plummer. Following was the line-up: Cloverland—M. Waldal, lf; Perusse, ss; B. Froiland, 3rd; Gilbertson, 2nd; H. Connors, 1st; E. Lafayette, p; O. Lafayette, c; H. Hoflus, rf; E. Malwitz, cf. Plummer—Mares, ss; Jackson, 2nd and sub.; Maynard, 1st; Miller, p; Schmidt, c; Melcher, 3rd; C. Rice, rf; Halverson, 2nd and sub.; J. Norby, lf, cf, and sub.; R. Rice, lf and sub. Umpires, Eukel and Enderle.

—Trade at Home—

Sold Bonds Locally.

Warren Sheaf: With the Argyle village bonds in the sum of $30,000 placed, nothing now stands in the way to prevent the project of securing electric current from Crookston being carried out. The financial conditions of the country are such at the present time that the village was unable to place its bonds with a bonding company. The matter of financing the project was taken up by the business men of the town and in a very short time last Saturday considerably more than the required $30,000 was pledged to be taken in village bonds by the enterprising business men of the town who are always at the front with financial aid and push to keep up Argyle's reputation as one of the most progressive towns in the Red River Valley. Bids for the contract of extending the line from Crookston to Argyle will be opened next Monday, and with the financial end taken care of there is nothing now to hinder the contract being made.

—Trade at Home—

Polk's Big Bond Sale.

Crookston Times: County Auditor Henry J. Welte was instructed by the county commissioners in adjourned session at the Polk county court house Friday to advertise for the sale of county bonds amounting to $310,000 at 6 per cent. One hundred thousand dollars of these bonds would go toward roads while $210,000 would be used in ditch work.

The county board recently advertised the sale of $460,000 bonds at 5½ per cent but bond buyers would not accept them at that rate of interest.

A. F. Turner of Grand Forks was awarded the contract for grading the county road north from Section 8, Northland to the county line at 50 cents a yard for excavation. The road extends for a distance of 6½ miles.

—Trade at Home—

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 7-room house, hardwood floors, city water. East side. Andrew Ness. 70-tf

FOR SALE—Double registered Polled shorthorn bull, three years old. Gus. Hillyer, Route 1, city. 80-pd.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

For Sale.—Modern 8-room house, 718 LaBree Ave. N. 82p

USED CARS FOR SALE—Studebaker 6, 7-passenger overhauled and in A1 shape, $875; Empire Speedster, a snap at $300; Buick Four, overhauled, repainted with new top and battery, $700; Buick, Model C 25, overhauled and in good shape at $300; Overland, in good shape, $250; New Stande Tractor Attachment for Ford car $150. E. C. Parsons Auto Company, Warren, Minn. 77

FOR SALE—3 room house and two lots, close in, a bargain. Solberg Land Co. 77pd.

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings; drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—B. J. Bakke, office and salesroom at Borry's Garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. Wisner, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—One young Jersey cow, one heifer; one Overland auto in first class condition. Inquire Ahlborn, the Tailor. 77p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek. 72tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Efficiency gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—A money making modern steam heated flat. Priced right and terms for quick sale. For further information call or write C. W. McDaniel, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—5 fresh cows with calves and one good team of young horses, and numerous other things. See Frank Mousley or call 11-F-611. 75tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—Two-quarter sections west of St. Hilaire, along main road. All fenced with galvanized barb wire. Good living house and two good barns. Well and granary. 200 acres under cultivation. Balance timber and pasture. $75.00 per acre.—L. A. Carlson, Water St., St. Hilaire, Minn. 77

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Steel range, six holes, hot water attachment, reservoir. In excellent condition. Also laundry stove and cook stove. Call phone 406. 73tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house. 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—SE¼ of Sec 25, T. 161, North of Range 43, and lot 2 of Sec. 2, T. 160, North of Range 43 West. This 200 acres, edge of Greenbush, fair buildings, can be purchased at low figure. Write H. H. Maxwell, New Rockford, N. D. 77

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Wernstein. 68tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—One Minneapolis engine, 25 H. P., and one Avery separator, 32 in. cylinder.—Erickson Bros., [illegible] miles west of St. Hilaire. 79p

For Sale—Good mowing machine and binder and feed grinder. Enquire O. A. Bishop, R. 3, 1 mile south of town. Tel. 6781. 77p

FOR SALE—Between 2,000 and 3,000 plants of Winter Cabbage and cauliflower, at 25c per dozen.—Carl Carlson, 819 Arnold Ave. N. 77

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 309 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1500, with seven weeks' old colt.—Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 78tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—200 acres hay land near Goodridge; 600 acres hay land near Viking. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 74tf

FOUND

FOUND—Set of auto curtains. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for adv. Call at Times office. 76-tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Improved farm; give description, location and price at first writing. Frank Schroeder, North Buena Vista, Iowa. 78 pd.

WANTED—Tent large enough for eight horses. John A. Jacobs, Middle River, Minn. 80

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—Competent cook. Wages $55.00 per month. Also second cook, wages $35.00 per month. Both room and board. Address D. McCannan Co., Merchants Hotel, Grafton, N. D. 79pd

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Two girls at once.—City Bakery. HM

WANTED—County agent. Full coverage policy, Life, Accident and Health, Old Line, Legal reserve.—McDonald-Parthun, Genl. Agents, 420 Soo Line Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 78p

MISCELLANEOUS

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WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

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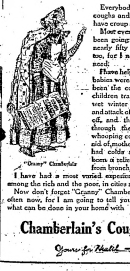

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I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

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Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of the city council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock p. m., June 22nd, 1920.

Roll call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: none.

Minutes of the meeting of June 8th were read and approved, as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Plumber's bond of Ed. Lee be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the report of E. M. Bennes, as secretary of the band, be accepted and ordered filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the bills for music of the band and for drum head in the sum of $26.80 be allowed and placed on the resolution of bills at the next regular meeting of the city council. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Cemetery Commission be granted the full power to act in improving the cemetery grounds.—Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the Library Board's appointment of Miss Grannum as librarian, be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ihle, that the matter of an increase in salary of the librarian be laid on the table until the first meeting in January 1921. Motion carried.

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced a resolution ordering a sidewalk to be built on the south side of Gulf Street, from Tindolph avenue south to Crocker avenue south. (See resolution.)

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution ordering a sidewalk to be built along the west side of Arnold avenue between Third and Fourth streets. (See resolution.)

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Froseth, that the City Clerk be instructed to issue the city's warrant to Lars Backe for one-half of salary as assessor for the current year. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the communication of Drake and Smith be referred to the City Attorney. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the meeting adjourn until Monday, June 28th, 1920, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Motion carried and meeting adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held June 22nd, 1920, the following resolution was passed:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$435.18
Quarterly payroll Fire Dep't	325.00
Water & Light Dep't., box rent, freight	2.40
Holt & George, running levels	3.00
S. A. Rustebakke, care of team	8.00
Ed. Lee, repairs	10.04
[illegible] A. Kolden, election expense	4.05
Alfred K. Olson, election expense	4.05
L. J. Cerney, election expense	4.05
F. J. Cernousek, election expense	4.05
Elmer Klungness, election expense	4.05
D. K. Bryant, election expense	5.25
N. W. Tarrant, election expense	5.25
Phil J. Zeh, election expense	5.25
F. J. Carr, election expense	5.25
Henry Wilkin, election expense	5.25
J. L. Bean, election expense	5.55
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H. E. Dahlquist, election expense	5.55
Wm. A. Parbst, election expense	5.55
Alfred Bredeson, election expense	5.55
S. T. Johnson, election expense	5.55
O. Jacobson, election expense	4.05
Derby Anderson, election expense	4.05
C. E. Glines, election expense	4.05
Nels Larson, election expense	4.05
Bernhard Knudsen election expense	4.05
John Dahl, expense to convention	33.62
Severn Brandon, expense to convention	33.62
Carl Froseth, expense to convention	33.62
A. H. Akre, expense to convention	33.62
Auditorium Fund.	
Ed. Lee, repairs	2.00
Lawrence Mtg. Co., insurance	140.40
M. Bothun, flowers	11.50
Hermanson Hdw. Co., netting	3.72
C. M. Evenson & Son, repairs	2.00
Poor Fund.	
Rolf H. Rasmusson, rent	12.00
Ross Ness, provisions	13.60
A. M. Langseth, shoes	3.50
Library Fund.	
Lars Backe, insurance	110.28
E. M. Stanton, insurance	110.28
Electric Light Fund.	
Kelley Duluth Co., supplies	8.00
General Electric Co., supplies	188.52
St. Paul Electric Co.	1.51
N. W. Electric Equipment Co., supplies	441.01
Northern Electric Co., supplies	10.00
Minneapolis Elect. Equipment Co., supplies	12.41
Alfred Adolphson, labor	50.00
Mike Welch, labor	50.00
Andy Craik, repairs	4.35
Northern Woodwork Co., repairs	4.50
Ed. Lee, repairs	6.42
F. J. Stebbins, supplies	.65
Water & Light Dep't., frt., express etc.	57.51
The Elliott Co., stencils	.25
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	8.10
Waterworks Fund.	
Ed. Lee, repairs	70.20
Pay Roll, repair suction pipe	71.40

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved June 26, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. V. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Edward Peterson, Leonard Peterson, Annie Johnson, Gustaf Peterson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of July, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 15th day of June, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.

(Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J17-24-Jl1

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held June 22, 1920, Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota deem it necessary and expedient to construct a cement sidewalk in said City along the South side of Gulf Street from Tindolph Avenue to Crocker Avenue South, on said Street.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, acting on its own motion, do hereby determine to order, and does hereby order, such sidewalk built, and,

BE IT RESOLVED, that such cement sidewalk be, and it is hereby ordered, to be constructed on the South side of Gulf Street, from Tindolph Avenue South, to Crocker Avenue South; such walk to be constructed five (5) feet wide of cement or concrete in accordance with the requirements and specifications contained in the Ordinance of said City, and in accordance with the plans and specifications on file with the City Clerk of said city; and the owners of property fronting on said Gulf Street and hereinafter named are hereby required and notified to construct and complete said sidewalk on or before the 10th day of August, 1920, and, further, that this resolution shall be served on or before the 1st day of July, 1920, upon all the owners of the lots or parcels of ground fronting on the said Gulf Street where said sidewalk is hereby ordered and whose names with their respective holdings are hereinafter stated: Such service to be made in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

Name of Owner—Haakon Johnson; Description of Property—Lot one (1), in Block five (5), in Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids, now part of said City of Thief River Falls.

Name of Owner—Amalia Erickson; Description of Property—Lot forty (40), in Block five (5), in Knox Addition to said Red Lake Rapids, now part of said city.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved June 26, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held June 22, 1920, Alderman Dahl seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, deem it necessary and expedient that a sidewalk be constructed along those portions of Arnold Avenue North, between Third and Fourth Streets, hereinafter described;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the said sidewalk be, and the City Council do hereby, on its own motion, order the same constructed, on said Arnold Avenue North, between Third and Fourth Streets, along the East side of lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), nine (9) and ten (10), in Block twenty-five (25), of the Original Townsite of said City, the same being along the West side of said Arnold Avenue opposite said lots, and the owners of property fronting on said portion of Arnold Avenue and hereinafter named, are hereby notified and required to construct said sidewalk five (5) feet wide, to be constructed of cement or concrete, in accordance with the requirements and specifications on file with the City Clerk of said City; said sidewalk to be so constructed and completed on or before the 10th day of August, 1920, and, further, that this resolution shall be duly served on or before the 1st day of July, 1920, upon all the owners of the lots or parcels of ground fronting on the said portion of Arnold Avenue North, above described; and whose names with their respective holdings are hereinafter stated; such service to be made in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

Name of Owner—[illegible]; Description of Property—Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5) and six (6), of Block Twenty-five (25), of the Original Townsite of said City of Thief River Falls.

Name of Owner—Berdie C. Nowell; Description of Property—Lots nine (9) and ten (10), of Block twenty-five (25), in said Original Townsite of said city.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved June 26, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

NO TIME FOR "AMATEUR" HELP

Law courts and law offices can't afford to waste time with "amateur" office assistants. More and more often they call on Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., to supply efficient stenos, such as this school has a reputation for training.

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Markets Needed By the Farmers

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Residents of towns and cities everywhere are beginning to realize more acutely the fact that, except under very unusual conditions their communities will prosper and develop only in proportion to the prosperity and development that comes to the farming sections which surround them. Realizing this fact, commercial clubs and chambers of commerce have in recent years been devoting as much of their attention to developing the country districts as they have to securing new industries and attracting new residents. They know that as the country about the towns becomes more thickly settled and as the farmers become more prosperous the more money will be spent in the towns and the faster these towns will grow. It is largely for this reason that the residents of the towns and cities have been doing more and more to aid the farmers in growing bigger crops and in improving marketing conditions. The towns and cities have contributed more and more liberally toward the building of good roads in the country districts and have paid a large part of the expense of maintaining agricultural experts to assist the farmers in growing bigger crops and getting more money out of their crops when they are placed on the market.

Not One-Sided Proposition.

But this is not a one-sided proposition. If the city is dependent upon the country, so is the country dependent upon the city. What the farmer raises is worth absolutely nothing to him unless he can sell it at a price that will pay him a fair return on the money and time invested in its production. The farmer, without markets, would be in the same fix as a storekeeper without customers. In almost every case the farmer is dependent upon the near-by town or city for a market for at least his perishable products.

In the language of the street, it is a fifty-fifty proposition. The town needs the country and the country needs the town. The farmer needs the assistance of the storekeepers of the town in securing a market for his products. He needs the assistance of the storekeepers of the town in getting good roads over which he may haul his products without losing more time than the products are worth. He often needs the assistance of the storekeepers in helping him over a period of financial stringency.

Storekeeper Needs Farmer's Trade.

On the other hand the storekeeper needs the business of the farmer. He does not ask the farmer to sell him his products on credit even though at the time he may be hard pushed for cash and may need more credit badly. He does not ask the farmer to help him build a sidewalk in front of his store. He does not ask for the business of the farmer the goods he needs at as low a price as he can secure them for elsewhere.

But does he always get the farmer's business? Ask the mail order man in the big city or ask the postmaster or the express agent in an town, or city in the country. They could, if they would, tell of thousands of dollars sent away to the big cities to pay for goods that could be purchased just as cheaply and much more conveniently in the nearest town or city. These thousands of dollars, when sent to the mail order houses in the big cities, never come back. They do not help to build good roads past the farmers' houses. When the next crops are harvested, the mail order man won't buy any of the farmer's products. The potatoes, the tomatoes, the melons and other things that the farmer raises may lie and rot upon the ground so far as the mail order man is concerned.

No Credit From Mail Order Man.

The mail order man won't sell the farmer 2 cents' worth of goods on one day's credit no matter how badly the farmer may need the goods or how little ready cash he has to pay for them. If the farmer's house burns down, the mail order man is not going to sell him any lumber on credit so that he may build another home. He will take what cash he can get the farmer to send him and there his interest in the farmer ends. If the farmer has no money to pay for what he needs, the mail order man will find others to help swell the stream of dollars which is building up his great fortune and helping build up the great city in which he lives. Let the home merchant help the farmer when he needs it. And the local merchant does help the farmer as long as he can, but there comes a time when he cannot. He cannot make money without customers. Without the legitimate profit that he makes from his sales he cannot "carry" the farmer over the rough spots, he cannot contribute to the good roads funds, he cannot pay the farmer cash for his products.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere. —LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over. —CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side. —ANDREW BOTTELSON.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

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OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

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WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

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WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN WRITES OF EXPERIENCES IN FAR SIBERIA

(By Lyman R. Hyatt)

Formerly Instructor in Agriculture at Lincoln High School.

(The following is the first of a series of articles by Mr. Hyatt. He left Thief River Falls with Dr. F. H. Gambell in September, 1918, to engage in Siberian rehabilitation work under the auspices of the American Red Cross. Mr. Hyatt's descriptions of the people, their habits and manners, as well as the country in general, will be found particularly interesting at this time when things Siberian are so prominently discussed in every section of the world.—Editor Times)

SECTION 1.

Enroute Western Siberia, December 4, 1919. Trying to get out of the country before the Bolsheviki overtake us.

After commuting up and down the Great Trans-Siberian railroad between Vladivostock and Tomsk for a half year and exposing myself as best I could to Russian life, the supposition would be that I would have made some observations. This letter will be a little account of some of these observations, which I offer to you, not claiming for them any special significance or value, but presuming that you will be interested in them to some small extent at least.

The average American's idea of Siberia at the present time is wrapped up, I suppose, in three words: Cold, Exiles and Bolsheviks. A typical average American, one of my advisors, told me, when I suggested that I might be going to Siberia, that he had looked up in his Encyclopaedia the description of Siberia, and found it to contain only political criminals and cold weather.

Now, as a matter of actual record, it does become cold in Siberia. But ordinarily, the cold weather is less of a problem than it is in Missouri. The houses are built for warmth and where in Missouri the walls are three or four inches thick, in Siberia they are three or four feet thick, if built of stone or brick, or one or two feet thick if of wood. Windows are double thickness. Stoves are immense and there is a limitless supply of wood and coal.

Being almost wholly an agricultural country there is a great abundance of meat and bread, which in normal times, is literally given away when compared with prices in the States. Three or four kopecks (one to two cents) for a funt (about a pound) of meat, compared to twenty-five to forty cents for a like amount in St. Louis. Pork, beef, mutton, fowl, eggs, butter and lard are found in great abundance. In summer numerous gardens furnish the same range of vegetables as are produced in the garden of the up-to-date Missouri or New York farmer—cabbage, sweet corn, potatoes, tomatoes, radishes, lettuce, beets, carrots, and all the rest.

And when it comes to clothes, even beggars, now after five years of the most cruel and devastating war and revolution are wearing furlined leather great-coats and warm head and foot wear. Everyone, from the baby up to the babushka (grandmother) has fur clothing—great-coat, cap, mittens, fur pieces and sometimes furlined boots. Valenkies, a felt boot without overshoes or leather or rubber soles, are worn universally, and are absolutely impervious to cold. A Russian would be as lonesome in Siberia without valenkies in winter as a sinner would be in hell in the summertime with no ice-cream cones available.

It now looks as though the old regime governmental artists had a wrong steer when it came to exiling undesirables to Siberia, for it is a rich and beautiful country, filled with almost unbelievable charm and potential wealth. Siberia is chock full of beauty. You may travel thousands of miles through prairies, sometimes level, sometimes rolling, stretching away as far as the eye can see. Where the soil has been turned up it frequently exhibits a granular texture, very black in color, and is covered with a heavy growth of varied vegetation, indicating great fertility.

Here and there creeks, ravines and hills break up the monotony of the prairies. Everywhere are trees, largely birch, spruce and pines. The country is well drained with rivers, such as the Ob, Tom, Om, Irtish, Yenesee, Lena and Amur.

In the center of Siberia lies Lake Baikal, the largest, deepest and clearest inland lake in the world. The railroad skirts the southern and southeastern edge of Lake Baikal for some two hundred versts and gives the traveller in summer such an avalanche of beauty as can be excelled with difficulty anywhere else.

Brilliantly colored wild flowers of infinite variety and color; forests rich in color and grandeur; mountains and rocks, some covered with forests, some precipitous and bare and some vine-covered; intoxicatingly fascinating odors; a continuous succession of curves and bends, each with its new and increasingly delightful vistas; and the most exquisitely charming tints and hues on the surface of the lake, particularly at sunset.

Paved streets, with electric lighting, street cars, moving picture houses, theatres, churches, railroad station, harbor, museum, newsboys wiht daily papers on the streets; first-class restaurants and hotels, large schools, university, technological and commercial schools, library—all these modern improvements you find in Vladivostock, the "New York of Russia" and excepting the street railway system, in Irkutsk, Krasnyarsk, Novo-Nikolievsk, Tomsk, Tobolsk and Omsk.

At Vladivostock there are excellent beaches for bathing and here every day in summer there may be seen a slice of the entire population, not excluding the babies and the old men and women. The young women particularly, are expert in diving and swimming.

Some of the exiles' private homes have been most disappointing to me as an untutored American. Rooms twice or three times as large as those in the Missouri citizen's home, with very high ceilings and hand decorated walls; copies of standard art works, or perhaps original paintings; grand piano, electric lights, bath, push-bell with servants attached, oriental rugs and upholstered, hand-carved furniture. I do not wish to give the impression that all exiles live in such homes, but many of them who were the flower, intellectually of Old Russia and whose punishment consisted merely in banishment to Siberia, have become rich and influential members of the Siberian community.

Every village of any size and all the towns and cities have entertainment houses which are known locally as sobrienayas. A sobrienaya is a semi-public house containing an auditorium with stage fixtures and orchestra equipment, with a floor that can be cleared for gymnastic exercises, dancing, shows or exhibits. It contains also a large dining-room and bar, corresponding, except the bar, to the facilities of a hotel in the States. There is a smoking room, or more than one, perhaps extra rooms for conferences, rest-rooms and the like.

In the auditorium are held local theatricals, as well as shows by travelling companies and movies. The sobrienaya is a place of comfort, entertainment and rest, to which the citizen may come and eat, rest, smoke, dance or go to a show. In the cities are commodious theatres. In these as well as in the larger sobrienaya are held concerts, operas, comedies, tragedies, benefit performances and the like, where for reasonable prices may be seen fairly competent artists in the standard stage compositions.

Whenever a citizen of a Siberian town wakes up in the morning and by the calendar, finds he is facing a scheduled holiday, he turns over in his bed and takes an extra nap, later has an extra cup of tea and then dresses up in his best clothes, including a hand-embroidered shirt which buttons up on the side of his neck—and goes for a walk.

He does not wish to have his excellent appearance wasted, of course, so he goes to the city public parade grounds, which takes the form of a large and elaborate park. The fact that the shrubs and trees of Siberia are of great variety and beauty has been taken advantage of in the construction of large and well-planned parks, with fine gravel walks winding about through the trees, rustic bridges, and formal flower plots filled with brilliantly colored flowers in grandiose planting designs. On Sunday afternoons and evenings, as well as on holidays (bolshot prozneeks) band concerts are given in the parks, supplemented perhaps with folk dances in native costume or local "spektakles" given by home-grown artists.

—Trade at Home—

Jailed on Booze Charge.

Bemidji Pioneer: Frank Woodward, who was caught with two bottles of whiskey in his home in the Town of Frohn, on June 8, by Indian Agent William Johnson, appeared before Court Commissioner H. A. Simons Thursday and was placed under bond to await the action of the grand jury at the next term of court at Fergus Falls.

In default of furnishing bail, he was taken to the county jail for safe-keeping.

Lead of Preus Cut to 8,499; Halvor's 843

Regulars Win Out in Every Instance But Margins Are Not Large.

Frank Jeffers is Democratic Candidate For Congress in Ninth.

O. J. Kvale Nominated in Seventh Over Volstead by 2210 Votes.

J. A. O. Preus received the Republican gubernatorial nomination in last Monday's primary by a plurality of 8,499 votes over Dr. Henrik Shipstead the Nonpartisan league candidate, official returns compiled in the office of the Secretary of State today showed.

Preus polled a total of 133,586 votes, according to the tabulation made by Secretary of State Julius A. Schmahl, as against the 125,087 garnered by Shipstead. Other candidates for the gubernatorial nomination received this vote: Ellsworth, 7,731; Frankson, 27,353; Iverson, 7,362; Keefe, 5,047.

The total Republican vote was much lighter than expected, being less than was cast two years ago in the state election as well as in the general election four years ago.

The entire ticket headed by Mr. *Preus was successful, the hardest* fight being on attorney general. For this office the present incumbent, Clifford L. Hilton, won over Thomas Sullivan by 1,622 votes. For the offices below governor the following figures are official:

For Lieutenant Governor—Louis Collins, 155,101; George Mallon, 137,905.

For Secretary of State—Mike Holm 134,420; A. M. Opsahl, 40,400; Thomas Vollom, 111,422.

State Treasurer—Charles A. Lund, 136,249; Henry Rines, 152,881.

Attorney General—Clifford L. Hilton, 118,683; John C. Larson, 29,354; Elmer C. Patterson, 12,829; Steele S. Smith, 17,281; Thomas V. Sullivan, 117,061.

Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner—O. P. B. Jacobson, 166,342; P. I. D. Ostby, 119,844.

Steenerson's Narrow Escape.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson made the grade in the Ninth but the margin is the narrowest of his long career. Early returns indicated that his lead over N. E. Thormodson would be in the neighborhood of 2,300 votes but as the outlying districts began coming in it was evident that this would be cut heavily. The official count gives Steenerson 15,827, Thormodson 14,984, a majority for the former of 843.

O. J. Kvale, for a short period pastor of Trinity Lutheran church in this city, was nominated for congress in the Seventh, defeating Andrew J. Volstead by 2310 votes. There is talk in that section of running M. J. Dowling as an independent against the Nonpartisan nominee.

Jeffers Also Winner.

The Democratic vote in the Ninth was very light. Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls received the nomination for congress, his vote being 526. Other candidates for the place fared as follows: Charles H. Kelson, 239; William A. McClennon, 189; Axel Ringborg, 191.

—Trade at Home—

NEW VICTORY MEDAL FOR WORLD WAR MEN

Emblems Will Signify Nature of Service For Which They Are Awarded.

Every man in Pennington county who served under the American flag during the World war is entitled to one of the Victory medals, 4,000,000 of which will be distributed by the army within the next three months. All men who were in the 151st field artillery throughout the war and many other men who were in the Rainbow division or other organizations which saw foreign service are entitled to five clasps indicating service in that number of major operations of defensive sectors, according to word received here. Each medal carries one clasp for each major operation in which the recipient of the medal participated.

Distribution will begin from the office of the Depot Quartermaster, Philadelphia. The award covers all officers, enlisted men, army field clerks and members of the army nurse corps. The operations for which clasps will be awarded are: Cambrai, Somme defensive, Lyse-Aisne, Montdidier-Noyon, Champagne-Marne, Aisne, Marne, Somme offensive, Oise-Aisne, Ypres-Lyse, St. Mihiel, Meuse-Argonne and Vittorio-Veneto. Foreign service, as distinguished from Major operations entitling men to clasps, includes defensive sectors in France, Italy, Siberia, Russia and England. A great many men who served in the Rainbow division are entitled to clasps for service in the Champagne-Marne defensive, Aisne-Marne offensive, St. Mihiel offensive, Meuse Argonne offensive and in the defensive sector in Lorraine.

The system decided upon for distributing the medals is for men to make application at the nearest recruiting station with their discharge papers. The recruiting officer will then fill out the proper form and forward it to Philadelphia and the medal will be sent direct.

—Trade at Home—

POPULATION OF U. S. FIGURED 105,000,000

Growth Drops, Compared With Previous Decades, Estimate Shows.

The population of continental United States is estimated at 105,000,000 by J. A. Kill, chief statistician of the census bureau. His calculation is based on the combined population of 1,406 cities and towns for which statistics have been announced.

The increase over 1910 is placed at about 13,000,000, showing the growth of the country has not kept pace with previous decades. Almost complete cessation of immigration during the war is the chief reason assigned, besides two influenza epidemics, returns of aliens to their native lands and deaths of soldiers.

The aggregate population on which the estimate was made is 41,029,354. This is an average gain of 26 per cent compared with 25 per cent in the previous decade.

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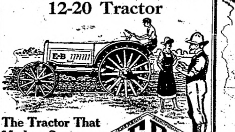

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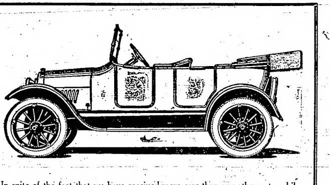

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Help Fair by Auto Trip to Near Towns

Cavalcade Will Leave on Morning of 27 on Trip to Warroad.

Stop at All Points on G. N. Going Up; Follow Soo Line Back.

Figured That 25 Autos Will be in Line With 100 Passengers.

If you were a member of the booster bunch which went to Baudette for the purpose of advertising the Pennington county fair last year you will be interested in the statement that another such expedition will be undertaken soon. This time, however, Warroad will be the terminating point of the journey. There are those who would like to continue on to Baudette again—and some doubtless will do so—but it is the turn of Warroad to entertain the Thief River Falls bunch and no partiality will be shown.

The start will be made as early as possible on the morning of Tuesday, July 27 and the entire run will be under direction of officers of the Pennington County Automobile association. President G. C. Streeter called a meeting of the association for last evening at which time it was expected that all arrangements would be made, including a definite fixing of the dates. It is thought that most of our people will find Tuesday and Wednesday the most convenient time to be away from their business, although in this matter the wishes of the majority will be deferred to.

Stops Along the Line.

The tentative program is to follow last year's itinerary on the trip north, stopping at all towns along the Great Northern—Holt, Middle River, Strathcona, Badger and Roseau. On the return trip, which would be made on the following day, the line of travel would be laid out to include the towns on the Soo line, perhaps going as far west as Lancaster and visiting Halma, Bronson, Karlstad, Newfolden and intermediate points. This makes an ideal route and takes in practically every trading point tributary to Thief River Falls.

Take Band Along.

A band would be carried for the purpose of furnishing music at all stops along the line. Speakers would also be on hand to invite the crowds to attend the greatest of all northern Minnesota fairs.

Similar trips have been taken during the past two years and have proved the great outing events of the season. That a larger number of our people would join the excursion now than ever before is certain.

—Trade at Home—

OFFERS $50 FOR BEST CALF RAISED BY CLUB

First National Bank Will Also Give Banquet to Club Members.

The officers of the First National bank have decided to take a hand in the encouragement of stock raising by members of the Pennington County Boys' and Girls' club and will give $50 to the member raising the best dairy calf during the present season. President C. L. Hansen, who attended a recent meeting of the club, explained the value of such organizations and pointed out why Pennington county should have one of the strongest and best clubs in the state. He also stated that at the end of the season he would be pleased to act as host for the club members at a banquet.

Much interest in this contest is being displayed by the youngsters and 18 have to date registered at the farm bureau office. Their calves are receiving the very best of attention and will present a fine appearance when exhibited in the fall.

Any boy or girl who wishes to enter this contest should send their names to Mr. Hansen or J. J. McCann, county agent.

—Trade at Home—

WIN AT WARREN AND LOSE TO ST. HILAIRE

Ball Team Has Varied Luck While Away From Home During Week.

A ball team can't always win, of course, but there are times when there seems to be no good excuse for losing. The Thief River Falls boys have had experience in both directions during the past week.

One of the best ball games of the season so far as close scores and equally good playing is concerned was that between Thief River Falls and the Park River, N. D., team at Warren last Saturday. At the end of the eighth inning the score was a tie—8 and 8. In the ninth the defense of the North Dakota boys went to pieces while the Pennington county stars found their collective batting eye and proceeded to hammer 'em out all over the lot. Eight runs crossed the plate in their half of the final session making the tally 16 to 8. The box score indicates that the game was good ball playing in spite of the erratic figures. Brazil, box artist for Thief River Falls, had the best of the argument, striking out seven men and giving four bases on balls, as compared with six strikeouts and seven passes by Bode, the opposition hurler. Following is the score by innings:

T. R. F.………1 0 3 0 0 3 0 1 8—16
Pk. Riv. ………1 2 1 0 0 0 3 1 0— 8

The Fourth of July game played at St. Hilaire on Sunday did not turn out so satisfactorily, the boys scoring the first complete goose egg of the season. The result was to a large extent caused by hard luck, but that is poor satisfaction. The St. Hilaire boys crossed the plate five times during the matinee, which indicates that not only were the county seat lads lame on hitting the ball but that their defense was also very weak.

Radium comes here for a game next Sunday and there will be something doing. It is understood that this is a salaried outfit and that it has a great record. This will be a good opportunity for our people to turn out and see just what the home team can accomplish when pitted against a bunch with a reputation.

NO CANDIDATES FILE FOR SCHOOL BOARD POSITIONS

At the school election to be held on July 17 there will be no regularly nominated ticket, no candidates having filed for the place up to 5 o'clock last evening, which was the last hour for making declaration of candidacies under the law.

This means that voters will have to write in the names of those for whom they wish to cast their ballots unless stickers are used or tickets provided through private channels.

Two members of the board are to be elected at this time in place of H. S. Dahlen and F. F. Haynes, both of whom refuse again to be candidates.

—Trade at Home—

MILLION DOLLAR BAND PLAYS HERE JULY 21

Famous Overseas Musical Organization Secured by American Legion.

Great interest has been attached to the announcement that Harold Bachman and his Million Dollar Band is to play in Thief River Falls this month. Perhaps there has never been a musical organization which became so widely and favorably known in as short a time as has this organization which is scheduled to appear on Wednesday evening, July 21st under the auspices of the American Legion.

Practically unheard of three years ago, Mr. Bachman, through his splendid work in the army and because of the fine impression made by his band on its eight month tour of the central states last season, has become recognized as one of the leading bandmasters and his band as one of the really fine bands of the United States. This is testified to by the splendid list of engagements which the Million Dollar Band will play during the 1920 season. This includes: The North Dakota State Fair, The Wisconsin State Fair, The Minnesota State Fair, Tennessee State Fair, Cotton Exposition at Waco, Texas and other large expositions.

BACHMAN, LEADER OF MILLION DOLLAR BAND.

Among the well known members of the band who have been connected with it from its beginning, Mr. Bachman announces Robert Bruce, the Indian Cornetist and James E. Son, the March writer as special features. Earling Sodahl of Duluth will be featured as a violin soloist and Graydon Lower of Minier, Illinois as baritone soloist and the band will also carry a soprano soloist this year.

The concert will be played at Squaw Point providing the weather permits, otherwise the program will be carried out in the Auditorium. The admission to this concert is 50c for adults, and 25c for children.

—Trade at Home—

Annual Picnic of Masons And Eastern Stars Planned

The joint picnic of the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges will be held as usual on Labor day at Squaw Point. A committee is at work on the arrangements and the affair will be on a scale similar to the picnics of the past. The outing is for members of the Masonic fraternity and their families exclusively.

The Masonic lodge in this city will on Monday evening close one of the most active seasons in its history. A recess during the hottest months of the year will then be taken, the picnic on Labor day marking the opening of a new season.

Prize Cattle On Exhibit at Big Fairs

Pennington Guernsey Breeders Will Display Stock at Nearby Points.

Entire Carload, Representing Many Herds, to Make Complete Circuit.

Reach Crookston Today After Having Been Exhibited at Ada and Fertile.

The members of the Pennington County Guernsey Breeders association are determined that the world at large shall know something of the class of cattle raised in this neighborhood and have, at their own expense, fitted out an exhibition car containing individuals from a number of the best herds in the county. This car will make the northwestern fair circuit, the first stop being at Ada where the Norman county fair was held on July 1, 2 and 3. From there the show stock was shipped to Fertile and shown on the 5th, 6th and 7th, and will be taken to Crookston for exhibition at the fair there during the remainder of this week. July 12 to 17 the car will be at the Fargo fair, finishing up at Grand Forks from the 19th to the 24th. After making this circuit the car will return to Thief River Falls in time for the Pennington county fair on August 4, 5 and 6.

Great care has been taken to display the animals to the best advantage and the enterprise will give the county a boost as a livestock center such as no other plan could accomplish. Each animal will be labeled with the name of the owner and the tag will contain briefly such other information as stock fanciers are interested in. One large sign has been attached to the car advertising Pennington county as the Guernsey center of the northwest and as the locality which contains more accredited herds than any other in the United States.

The show stock is being taken care of by Roman Paulson and Eber Conklin of Thief River Falls. These boys have been working hard to prepare the animals for the show ring and will bring their charges through the circuit in fine condition as well as with much favorable recognition and many prize ribbons.

—Trade at Home—

EASTSIDERS PROVIDE GREAT CELEBRATION

Get Together and Make Excellent Showing on Very Short Notice.

For reasons sufficiently well understood the people of Thief River Falls did not go into a Fourth of July celebration very heavily this year. Large numbers of our citizens went to nearby towns where exercises appropriate to the occasion were scheduled and all had a good time.

Residents of the East Side, however, apparently did not consider the occasion sufficiently well impressed upon our people through this visiting around and proceeded to provide a show of their own. Quite a sizable sum of money was collected by popular subscription, fireworks were bought and ice cream provided. Children from any section of the city were made welcome but it was for those residing on the East Side that the display was particularly staged.

The fireworks were beautiful and could be seen for long distances. The pieces were set off on the bank and the rockets and other aerial messengers allowed to fall into the river where no damage could result. The display closed with the touching off of a set piece of many-colored light effects through which could be plainly spelled out the sentence, "Be an American." It was a most fitting climax to an evening given over to the furthering of patriotic impulses and the entire affair reflects much credit on the forethought and good judgment of its sponsors.

Already there is heard the demand that something of a similar nature be provided for next year, but that it should embrace the entire city.

—Trade at Home—

RED LAKE HAS GREAT FARM BUREAU PICNIC

Nearly 3600 People Attend Annual Outing at Terrebonne Last Thursday.

The third annual picnic of the Red Lake County Farm Bureau association at Terrebonne Dam, Thursday, was a big success and was attended by more than 3,000 people. There were over 600 automobiles counted at the grounds besides which there were many horse drawn vehicles and lots of people came on foot. It was the largest picnic ever held in the county, and the program went off as per schedule in spite of threatening weather. The program was opened by the Rev. Sam Bouchard, pastor of St. Anthony's Catholic church of Terrebonne who gave the address of welcome.

President August Burk of Brooks, of the Farm Bureau association, responded and gave a brief talk on the aims and purposes of the bureau. Prof. W. A. McKerrow of the Livestock department, University Farm, talked on the advantages of the farmers of the county forming a wool pool in order to market their wool to better advantage. The bureau decided then and there to form a pool and Idaige Baril of Red Lake Falls was chosen as manager.

The ladies of St. Anthony's church served dinner to those who did not bring a picnic dinner. After the noon recess, V. E. Patnaude, state boiler inspector, gave a brief talk on the Babcock Amendment and gave reasons why it should be passed. Professor McKerrow gave an interesting demonstration of dairy cattle, and Joe Montgomery, also of University Farm gave one on beef cattle. J. A. Duffy, Ferment Derosier and Albert Paradis, furnished the cattle for the demonstrations.

A thirteen inning ball game was one of the attractions of the day, Plummer and Emardville teams fighting desperately for inning after inning. Plummer finally nosed out a victory by a score of 12 to 11. The farm bureau picnic was under the direct management of County Agent Chas. C. Lake, and in the opinion of disinterested observers it was one of the biggest and most successful events ever held in this part of the state.

—Trade at Home—

League Men Win Again in N. Dakota

All State Offices But One Fall to Candidates of Nonpartisans.

Senator A. J. Gronna's Defeat by Dr. E. F. Ladd Now Certain.

Congressman Baer, Leaguer, Beaten by Burtness, Ind. Representative.

With 1,412 precints out of 2,064 heard from, Thomas Hall, Independent Republican, had a lead of 6,270 votes over his Nonpartisan opponent, J. I. Cahill, for the nomination for secretary of state in last Wednesday's primary election in North Dakota.

Returns thus far received indicate that the entire league state ticket with the possible exception of Cahill, has been nominated. Cahill is running far behind Governor Frazier, who has been nominated, and Hall is running ahead of the vote polled by the leader of his ticket. The vote on secretary of state is Hall 43,241 and Cahill 35,971.

Senator Gronna Defeated.

Dr. E. F. Ladd, Nonpartisan, has received the nomination for United States senator on the face of returns from all but 233 precincts in the state, the standing being Ladd 48,509; Gronna 46,446. The absent precincts are in what is generally considered strong league territory and are expected to increase Dr. Ladd's majority.

Burtness Successful.

League candidates were beaten in two of the three congressional districts in the state, Baer losing to Burtness in the first district and Pendray meeting defeat in the second at the hands of Young. Unofficial tabulations from all counties in the second district with but ten precincts unaccounted for give Young a majority of 2,693 over his league opponent.

Frazier's lead over William Langer now is 5,000, but is expected to be nearer 6,000 when the 54 missing precincts have reported. Frazier's vote is 57,995 and Langer's, 52,994.

—Trade at Home—

NONPARTY TICKET TO BE PRESENTED AGAIN

Entire Primary Slate Endorsed at Meeting in St. Paul Yesterday.

Nearly 1,000 Nonpartisan leaders, representing every county in the state, at a meeting in the Auditorium, presided over by A. C. Townley, decided late today that every Nonpartisan candidate for state office, from Dr. Henrik Shipstead down, defeated at the primaries in June, are to be candidates again in November for the same offices.

The decision was arrived at after Townley had given a talk that lasted for 45 minutes. He explained how the move could be accomplished by petition, the names of the defeated candidates to replace those now on the Farmer-Labor ticket, who are to withdraw their names, Townley said.

Wild cheers greeted the name of Dr. Henrik Shipstead every time it was mentioned.

After the decision had been reached, the members devoted the time to discussing ways and means for the financing the full campaign.

H. J. Rustad of Thief River Falls, was the delegate to the meeting from Pennington county.

—Trade at Home—

Police Chief at Duluth Held For Liquor Smuggling

Chief of Police John Murphy of Duluth is under arrest on a federal warrant charging him with complicity in "aiding and abetting the introduction of liquor from Canada into the United States, and in its transportation to Duluth." Frank Bradley, a deputy United States marshal, and Frank Schaffer, who conducts a cigar store in Duluth, also are under arrest on a similar charge. Warrants are out for John Hamilton, an automobile salesman. It is said Hamilton left the city.

Small Sums Involved in Court Cases

Larger Number of Actions For Minor Sums Than Are Generally Found.

Peter Nelson Secures Verdict For $300 Against Smiley Township.

Giller Divorce Case is Set For Hearing Next Monday Morning.

District court adjourned for the day last evening after the attorneys had made their pleas in the case of Nels Fountain and Eugene LaCoe against the city of Thief River Falls. Plaintiffs are suing the municipality for $200 damages for the loss of a horse alleged to have fallen into water works excavation on Second street last winter and so severely injured that it had to be killed. The complaint alleges that the trench was not properly refilled and that no effort was made to *prevent accidents to* vehicles or horses. This case took up about a day and a half.

A jury on Saturday evening awarded Peter and Edwin Nelson a verdict of $300 against the township of Smiley. Plaintiffs maintained that they were entitled to damages by reason of a road having been laid out across their land, thus cutting their farm in two as well as depriving them of the returns from crops that might be produced on the strip so employed.

In the case of Joseph F. Koseth against Rose Morin, in which a controversy arose over the renting of a farm, the defendant was given a verdict of $79.30.

In an action brought by H. N. Hager against Jack Paul and Jack Daus the jury decided in favor of the plaintiff, awarding him $243.53.

A verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $25 was returned in the case of Fred and Violet Lorentson against William Novak.

Charles Fiterman of this city won out in the case brought by the Fefferman & Moris company in which it was alleged that he failed to deliver a carload of scrap iron contracted for. It was proven that owing to the transportation situation it was impossible for Fiterman to live up to the agreement.

Quite a number of civil cases were dismissed and others will be heard by the court when the jury actions are out of the way.

Action For Divorce.

The first divorce action brought in this county for some time is set for trial on Monday. Mrs. Beatrice Anna Giller sues for separation from her husband, Maurice Giller, who is at present serving an indeterminate sentence for arson in Stillwater. Both parties are well known here, having resided in the city for many years. Mrs. Giller is at present living in St. Paul.

—Trade at Home—

J. A. O. PREUS SPENDS SHORT TIME IN CITY

Was Enroute to Greenbush to Deliver Fourth of July Oration.

J. A. O. Preus, Republican candidate for governor of Minnesota, was in Thief River Falls for a few hours last Saturday morning. He came up on the Soo night flyer, going later to Greenbush where he delivered the Fourth of July oration. A delegation of Greenbush citizens came down in automobiles and escorted their guest to the village. While in this city Mr. Preus was shown around by Dr. O. F. Mellby, H. S. Dahlen and other old acquaintances. He had little to say concerning politics at this time, simply stating that he found the sentiment toward his candidacy very favorable wherever he had been. Later in the campaign he hoped to be able to come to Thief River Falls for the purpose of delivering an address to the voters.

Mr. Preus is a very pleasant gentleman to meet and there is no question but that personal contact with the voters will greatly help him when it comes to making their decision in November.

—Trade at Home—

RED LAKE DRAINAGE PROJECT IS EXPLORED

Conservancy Board and Engineers Visit Site of Proposed Work.

Members of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District board, accompanied by Drainage Engineer George W. Walker, Thief River Falls, are making a trip up the Clearwater and Red Lake rivers where extensive drainage improvements are contemplated.

The trip is being made with automobiles up to Red Lake where the outlet into Red river will be viewed. Petitions have been approved by the drainage board for deepening, widening and straightening both Red Lake and Clearwater rivers. Upon the issuance of an order by Judge Andrew Grindeland of the district court for preliminary funds for expenses, the work of making a survey will proceed.

A great deal of interest is being taken in the work because hundreds of thousands of acres of land needing better drainage will be benefited when the proposed improvements are completed.

The plan contemplated provides for Red lake being made into a huge reservoir to store the surplus water during flood periods until the rivers are able to carry it off. Added water power will result from this plan.

The members of the board making the trip of inspection are C. G. Selvig, Crookston, president; Andrew Johnson, Gonvick; Axel Nelson, Holt; William Paskewitz, Grygla; Ed. Aubol, St. Hilaire, and the attorney for the board, C. E. Boughton of Red Lake Falls. It is expected that three days will be consumed in going over the territory to be drained.

COX'S CAREER.

1870—Born at Jacksonbury, Ohio.

1887—"Printer's devil" and reporter on a Dayton paper.

1898—Bought Dayton Daily Daily News.

1903—Bought Springfield paper and formed the News League of Ohio.

1909—Began first of two terms in congress.

1913—Governor of Ohio.

1915—Defeated for governor by F. B. Willis.

1917—Defeated Willis and began second term as governor.

1919—Began third term as governor.

1920—Nominated by democrats for president.

—Trade at Home—

LARGE CLASS GIVEN ENCAMPMENT DEGREE

Thirty-six Admitted to the Purple, Detroit Team Doing Work.

One of the largest classes ever taken into an Odd Fellows Encampment in this section was accepted as purple degree members of Riverside Encampment No. 22 last Wednesday evening. There were 36 candidates in the class, all hailing from Thief River Falls or the immediate neighborhood. The work was in charge of Grand Patriarch J. V. Dexter of Detroit, who was accompanied by the following members of the degree team in that city: Jesse Nunn, Wilbur Lillicoe, Herman Farber, Henry Gilbert, William Bonner, Jacob Beck, Dr. O. W. Whitenberg, I. H. Berg, Al Gridley. These were assisted by the following officers of the local lodge: E. P. Burstad, C. P.; A. P. Robinson, S. W.; B. F. Umland, H. P.; Walter Spencer, J. W.; F. C. Dablow, district deputy grand master. There were also two visiting patriarchs present from the lodge at Grand Forks.

The ritualistic work was beautifully exemplified by the Detroit team and the entire proceeding one long to be remembered by those who took part. An elaborate lunch was served at midnight but because of the unusual size of the class it was two hours after that time before the meeting closed.

—Trade at Home—

Want Best Thrift Display In State at County Fair

The Woman's club of Thief River Falls displayed a thrift exhibit at Warren during the district federation in May and it was so favorably commented on that the club was asked to send it to headquarters in Minneapolis. The exhibit has gone on record as one of the most interesting evidences of thrift ever displayed in the state. The Woman's club is anxious to have a larger and a better exhibit at the Pennington County Fair and asks for the hearty cooperation of club members and all the women in the county. Let the women make Pennington county notable for its thrift.

For particulars inquire of Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, secretary of the club.

—Trade at Home—

SEMI-ANNUAL BOARD MEETING ON MONDAY

Budget Will be Presented and Other Important Matters Considered.

The semi-annual meeting of the Pennington county board of commissioners will be held next Monday. This is an important event of the business year and many matters of interest are certain to be brought up.

The budget of expense for the county during the next twelve months will be presented. This is prepared before the meeting by the commissioners and County Auditor T. P. Anderson and is a subject most carefully considered. Last year the levy was $68,600 and Mr. Anderson believes that it can be kept within this sum for the ensuing twelve months. Only one item in the schedule is likely to call for a larger outlay than last year, this being the Tri-County Sanitarium. The construction of a home for nurses has been decided upon and it is probable that the amount voted for the institution will have to be increased on this account. The belief is, however, that cuts can be made in other directions sufficient to keep the total down to last year's figure.

—Trade at Home—

Hurt in Runaway.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brude were badly shaken up when a horse driven by the former became frightened and ran away last evening. The rig was overturned at the courthouse corner and the occupants thrown out. Both were stunned and it was feared that they were severely injured. Examination at the Physicians hospital, however, disclosed that nothing serious in the way of damage had resulted.

Cox is Named For President by Democrats

Nominated on Forty-Fourth Ballot, With McAdoo as Leading Contender.

Palmer Withdraws His Name and Ohio Governor is Chief Beneficiary.

Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York Named For Vice President.

The Democratic candidates are: James M. Cox of Ohio for president; Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York, for vice president.

After being in session for practically one solid week the Democratic national convention finished its labors on Tuesday morning. Only two conventions in the history of the country have required a greater number of ballots. In 1852 it required 49 roll calls to place Franklin Pierce in nomination, while eight years ago Woodrow Wilson was named on the 46th ballot at Baltimore.

The ballot which resulted in the nomination of Gov. Cox was taken at 1:40 a. m., on Tuesday morning after a motion to adjourn had been voted down, 637 to 407.

McAdoo's Good Start.

William G. McAdoo, son-in-law of President Wilson and former secretary of the treasury, was the leader in the opening ballots of the convention. Attorney General Palmer was next and Governor Cox third. There were a dozen other names presented, each receiving a very respectable number of votes at the start, but by Monday night the contest had narrowed down to the three leaders. These were not very far apart and it was apparent that no choice could be made if the alignment held approximately as it stood at the time of adjournment on Monday. During the evening session and at the close of the thirty-fifth ballot Attorney General Palmer released his delegates, in order, as stated by his spokes-man, "that the convention might proceed to nominate the next president of the United States."

On the fortieth ballot the count stood: McAdoo, 467; Cox, 490; others, 143. The forty-second resulted in 427 for McAdoo and 540 for Cox. On the forty-third this changed to 412 for the former cabinet member and 568 for the Ohio governor. A motion to make the nomination of Cox unanimous was enthusiastically carried.

On the nominating ballot Minnesota's 24 votes were divided as follows: McAdoo, 15; Cox, 8; absent 1.

Points of Platform.

Following are some of the main points of the platform adopted:

Lauds the record of the administration and condemns the inaction of the Republican Congress.

The platform does not mention prohibition.

Advocates immediate ratification of the peace treaty without reservations which would impair its integrity.

Attributes present quiet on Mexican border to past policy of the administration and urges recognition of the new government of Mexico when it becomes stable.

Expresses "active sympathy" with new nations, "deep and earnest sympathy" for the unfortunate people of Armenia, and "sympathy for the aspirations of Ireland."

Points to Federal Reserve system as indispensable in winning the war and the hope and inspiration of business.

Condemns failure of Congress to revise present tax laws.

Blames H. C. L. on Republican Congress.

Pledges party to economy and the budget system.

Indorses tariff for revenue only.

Promises to promote growth of merchant marine, port facilities, interior waterways, flood control and reclamation of arid lands.

Proposes Federal supervision of live stock markets.

Indorses collective bargaining, pledges the party to contrive methods of composing industrial differences.

Opposes compulsory arbitration of disputes in private industry.

Favors collective bargaining by farmers and co-operative handling and marketing of the products of workshop and farm.

—Trade at Home—

Immigration Heads Forced Out; Too Much Politics

Fred D. Sherman of Grey Eagle, state immigration commissioner, and A. M. Opsahl of Brainerd, assistant commissioner, were dismissed from office today by the state board of immigration. James S. Arneson of St. Paul and Charles T. Kelley, publisher of The Journal at Menahga were appointed to the respective vacancies. The changes are effective July 15.

"Too much politics and friction in the department," was given by a board member as the reason for the dismissal.

—Trade at Home—

Who Owns This Bicycle?

Chief of Police E. O. Erickson last week found a bicycle partly concealed by weeds and rubbish in an alley in the city. He is of the opinion that it may have been stolen and that the thieves were frightened away before it could be securely hidden. Anyone missing their wheel had better notify the chief and describe their property.

Society

Sandum-Holte.

Simple but very impressive was the marriage Wednesday evening, June 30, of Miss Gertrude Sandum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Sandum, 609 Horace avenue north and Clarence Holte, which occurred, at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. I. T. Aastad officiated. The bride appeared in a gown of ivory satin and silver lace and wore a veil made in cap effect with a wreath of myrtle and pearls. Her bouquet was ophelia roses and maiden-hair ferns. The assembly was tastefully decorated. The bridal party entered to the sonorous strains of Mendelsohn's Midsummer's Dream, played by Miss Edna Larson and took their places under the bridal arch which was of constructed lattice work of pink and white with a large white bell in the center. Howard Sandum acted as best man and Valborg Sandum as maid of honor. Misses Lavina Nelson and Beatrice Sandum were the bridesmaids. Only immediate relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony.

Immediately afterward a three-course wedding supper was served. Covers were laid for thirty. The out-of-town guests present were: Miss Lavina Nelson of Minneapolis, a cousin of the bride, Howard Sandum of Austin, a brother; Mrs. C. Holte of Northwood, mother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Holte and family, also of Northwood; Bennie Gestee of Bricelyn, a cousin of the bride; N. Gestee of Albert Lea, Miss Lillian Johnston and Mrs. Carl Johnston of St. Hilaire. Mr. and Mrs. Holte will be at home after August 1, at 108½ West Third street.

Charboneau-Provencher.

On Tuesday morning at high mass occurred the marriage of Miss Stella Charboneau and Harold Provencher at St. Bernards Catholic church in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. The bride wore a gown of white organdie and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by Miss Lillian Provencher, sister of the groom, who wore a dress of pink crepe de chine. Norman Charboneau of Bisbee, N. D., the bride's brother, acted as best man. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Charboneau, 726 E. Eighth street. In the evening a reception was held for the newlyweds in the Evelyn hotel dining room. About sixty guests were present to extend congratulations. Beautiful decorations were in evidence and dancing formed the chief entertainment for the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Provencher are well and favorably known in this city having lived here with their parents practically all of their lives. They will reside in this city where the groom is employed as chef at the Evelyn hotel, of which his father, Julien Provencher, is proprietor.

Brumund-Wahlgrin.

Miss Doris Brumund and A. L. Wahlgrin of St. Paul were quietly married on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at the parsonage of St. Bernards Catholic church with Rev. Neesen officiating. Miss Brumund was given away by her father. She was attired in a simple gown of white tricolette and carried an arm bouquet of white roses, lilies of the valley and sweet peas. The bridesmaid, Miss Una Nelson, wore a dress of old rose organdie and carried pink roses. The groom wore the conventional black and was attended by Monroe Wahlgrin and John Brumund. Following the ceremony a 1 o'clock dinner was served in the dining room of the Hotel Brumund to immediate relatives and friends. Covers were laid for twenty. Mr. and Mrs. Wahlgrin left the same afternoon via the Great Northern for Minneapolis where they will reside. The bride is a graduate of the local high school, later completing a business course at the Grand Forks Commercial college. The best wishes of a host of friends go with her to her new home.

Brekke-Nordin.

On July 3rd, Albert Brekke and Miss Selma Nordin, both of Plummer were united in marriage at the Presbyterian manse, with the Rev. R. L. Barackman officiating. They were attended by the bride's brother and Miss Johnson. The bride was beautifully attired in a gown of white satin and wore a full bridal veil. She carried a shower bouquet of roses. The impressive ring service was used. These young people expect to make their home in Kewatin. Their many friends wish them bon voyage.

Heiningen-Weiner.

On Thursday, June 23 occurred the marriage of Miss Tillie Weiner, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Weiner of Smiley township, to J. F. Heiningen of St. Paul. They will make their home in St. Paul where Mr. Heiningen is connected with the Stock Yards Co. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Svare-Bye.

Melvin Svare and Betsey Bye, both of Erie, were united in marriae on July 2 at the parsonage of the Zion Lutheran church, Rev. George Larson officiating in the presence of Glenn Svare and Miss Clara Bye.

In Compliment to Miss Charboneau.

Mrs. Henry Holt entertained at a parcel shower on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Stella Charboneau whose marriage to Harold Provencher took place on Tuesday morning. The rooms were prettily decorated in pink and white. The evening was spent in a social manner and at midnight a dainty lunch was served. Those present were Mesdames Theira Sneider, Anna Dock, J. E. Bloomquist, L. B. George, Miss Anna Aspelund, Miss Belle Hermanson. Miss Charboneau received many pretty and useful gifts.

In Honor of Miss Brumund.

Honoring Miss Doris Brumund, a bride of the month, Miss Una Nelson informally entertained a few friends at her home, Knight avenue north last Thursday evening. The hours were devoted to music and conversation and at midnight a delightful lunch was served. The guests included Misses Irma Johnson, Doris Malvorson, Anata and Laura Stopple, Gena Granum, Marie Nelson and Meta Kiland. The matrons of the evening were Mrs. H. A. Brumund and Mrs. C. W. Nelson.

Boating Party.

A very novel and unique idea was carried out by Mrs. Scott Laird when she gave the first of a series of boating parties on Friday afternoon. The ladies were taken about six miles up the river in the "Rover" piloted by Mr. Draper. The boat had been appropriately decorated in the National colors and a clever arrangement of flags formed the centerpiece on the serving table. Conversation and music formed the diversion. At the specified distance the boat was anchored while the guests enjoyed a delicious lunch. The guests were: Mesdames A. S. Sapero, H. A. Booren, L. F. Fisher, W. H. Akre, L. H. Lawrence, H. W. Protzeller, F. S. Ebert, R. B. McWilliams, G. C. Tessum, Nels Christianson, F. H. Herrick, W. H. Frederick and Miss Doris Halvorson.

Entertain at Cards.

Mrs. G. C. Streeter is entertaining a number of ladies at cards, at her home, 312 Riverside avenue south, this afternoon. Whist will be played at four tables. During the hours frappe and cake will be served. The rooms will be effectively decorated in peonies and roses. This evening Mr. and Mrs. Streeter will be hosts to twelve of their friends. There will be three tables of whist. Special music will be enjoyed.

Bridal Dinner.

Honoring Miss Doris Brumund, whose marriage took place yesterday noon, Mrs. John Bratrud and Mrs. George Johnson entertained at a bridal dinner, on Tuesday evening, at the home of the former. The dining room was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Covers were laid for seventeen.

Ladies Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies aid will hold a picnic lunch in the church basement on Friday afternoon, July 9, at 3:00 p. m. Everyone invited.

Entertained.

Miss Luellle Grundhus entertained a party of friends at the home of Mrs. C. W. Correll in township of North on Thursday evening. Games and music formed the diversion. A dainty lunch was served at midnight.

Ladies Aid.

Mrs. J. Erickson will entertain the Ladies Aid of the Swedish Mission church at her home, 313 Tindolph avenue on Thursday afternoon, July 15.

Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained Thursday, July 15, by Mrs. John Swanson at her home in the country. All are welcome.

M. E. Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will meet next Wednesday, July 14, at the V. C. Noper home one-half mile west of the city. Those desiring to attend are asked to meet at the church at 2:30. Free conveyances will be provided and everyone is invited to be present.

—Trade at Home—

T. J. Rowan left on Tuesday evening for the twin cities on a business trip.

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City News

Miss Alvina Jonas left on Saturday for the twin cities for a week-end visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Nyland and two children visited over Monday with relatives in Climax.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero motored to Birchmont on Saturday where they remained over Monday.

H. F. Mussey, editor of the Grygla Eagle, was a visitor in this city Friday enroute to Warren on business.

Rev. and Mrs. Erickson of Fosston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Evenson for a brief period last week.

Miss Ruby Thompson left on Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she visited with friends over the Fourth.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela who spent a brief period in this city visiting with relatives, returned to her home in Crookston on Saturday.

Miss Laura Nelson of Minneapolis arrived on Wednesday morning to attend the Sandum-Holte wedding which took place that evening.

Mrs. O. A. Tweet and daughter, Ella, returned to their home in Grand Forks on Saturday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Quammen.

Mrs. C. Holte of Northwood returned to her home the latter part of the week after attending the wedding of her son, J. Clarence Holte to Miss Gertrude Sandum.

E. Cote and daughter, Miss Lydia, of St. Paul, left on Friday afternoon for Crookston for a visit with friends and relatives. While in this city they were guests of their son and brother, Phil Cote.

Miss Alvina Schmalemberg, who is employed in this city, left on Saturday afternoon for her home in Grand Forks where she visited over the Fourth. She returned here on Monday evening.

Norman Holen of Minneapolis arrived here on Wednesday morning for a visit with his numerous friends. While in the city he will be a guest at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard.

L. L. Cohn left on Saturday evening for the twin cities where he visited his wife who has been confined at St. Lukes hospital with pneumonia. Her condition was critical for a time but she is now very much improved.

Mrs. Ed. Kelley and children of Mahnomen, who visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zavoral in Erie and her sisters, Mrs. John Reed and Mrs. Chas. Votava, and at the home of her brother, J. Kelley in this city, returned to her home on Saturday evening.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson, violinist, who has been engaged in concert work the past year arrived on Saturday morning from Grand Forks to play for the formal opening of the Thief River Music company. Miss Sorenson has a host of friends here who were pleased to learn of her appearance on the program. Miss Sorenson formerly taught violin in this city.

[illegible] was a business caller in this city last Friday.

M. W. Brink left on Friday afternoon for St. Hilaire to look after his farm interests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Booren attended the fair at Warren on Saturday.

Mrs. John Havel and children left on Saturday morning for Greenbush to spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. T. B. Folden of Holt left on Saturda evening for Otterail where she will spend an indefinite time visiting with relatives.

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Herman Aukre, insurance agent, returned to this city on Friday afternoon having spent a week in Baudette and vicinity on business.

Mrs. A. Blegen and children left on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where they will spend a short time visiting with friends.

Miss Alice Etraaberg returned on Thursday evening from Bemidji and will remain at her home here for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. C. R. Rupprecht and little son left on Friday morning for Holt where they will spend a brief period with the former's parents, who reside on a farm near that place.

Miss Theresa Thompson arrived on Friday evening from her home in Clearbrook and visited with friends. She left on the flyer for Twin Valley where she will remain over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reep and daughter, accompanied by Miss Ella Reep and Rev. K. Storlie, father of Mrs. Reep, motored to this city from Plummer on Saturday and spent the day visiting with friends.

Howard Sandum returned to Austin where he is employed the latter part of last week having come here for the purpose of attending the wedding of his sister Miss Gertrude to J. Clarence Holte.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skog, who have spent the past two months in Wadena and Minneapolis where the former has received medical treatment, returned to this city on Friday evening. Mr. Skog is very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Husby left on Friday evening for Minneapolis where they visited over the Fourth.

Miss Annie Erickson returned to her home in Holt on Friday after spending a few days here as the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Erickson left this city on Friday evening for Bemidji and Milaca where they will visit until Tuesday morning.

Miss Esther Laudaunet, who visited with friends in this vicinity for a few days, returned to her home in Halstad Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson and three children left on Saturday evening for Detroit where they visited with friends over Monday.

Morris Mabey, Robert Andrews, and Hubert Holzknecht left on Saturday evening for Detroit where they spent Sunday and Monday on an outing at the lakes.

Mrs. Carl Johnston and daughter, Lillian, returned to their home on Thursday morning after having attended the wedding of Miss Gertrude Sandum the day previous.

W. W. Prichard, Sr., left on Saturday evening for Storm Lake, Ia., in response to a call that his grandson had died. Mrs. Prichard had gone to Storm Lake a few days previously.

Mrs. Homer Mussey was a between train visitor in this city last Friday coming here in the morning from Red Lake Falls where she is visiting with her parents, and returning in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams and daughter, Helen, and S. C. Coumbe motored to Vergas on Saturday to spend the Fourth at the summer home of the latter. Mrs. Coumbe and son, who have been there the past two weeks awaited them.

Miss Olga Gulrud spent the week-end with relatives in Minneapolis.

W. W. Prichard, Sr., left on Friday evening for the twin cities and Storm Lake, Ia., on a visit with relataives.

Mrs. S. O. Quammen and daughter left on Saturday evening for Bemidji where they spent a few days visiting with relatives.

Bennie Gestee of Bricelyn and N. Gestee of Albert Lea, attended the wedding of their cousin, Miss Gertrude Sandum on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Morrissette and daughter spent a brief period in this city Friday evening visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halseth.

Arthur Granum visited at his home in this city over the week-end.

Harold Benson of Fargo was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Lottie Austin, who passed a week visiting with her parents in Fosston, returned to this city on Friday evening.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard who had spent a week in Minneapolis visiting with relatives returned to this city on Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Holte and family, who attended the wedding of Miss Gertude Sandum and J. Clarence Holte, returned to their home the latter part of the week.

LEAGUE OFFICE IN GOOD HANDS

Office management of the Non-Partisan League, Mitchell, S. D., is now under the capable direction of O. P Reitan. He received his training for this responsible position at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. Miss H. Soldin, stenographer-secretary in the same office, is also a D. B. C. graduate.

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Help your fair and make a nice bit of side money at the same time. Remember you get one dollar from the Fair Association for every subscriber you secure. RENEWALS COUNT.

Besides this cash prize the lady or gent securing the largest number of subscribers in the city will be given a free ride in an airplane on Thursday, August 5. The person securing the largest number of subscribers in other sections of the county will receive the same. A season ticket to all fair attractions will also be given the two winners.

For full particulars concerning this contest apply to G. Howard Smith, Secretary, Farmers and Merchants Bank Building, Thief River Falls.

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FACING THE FACTS.

While it is true that the Nonpartisan league candidates were defeated in the Minnesota primaries, yet the showing made by the organization was such as to cause leaders in the older parties decided concern. This is not the view of friends of the league alone, careful observers who have thus far been unable to see anything good in the movement admitting freely that it has apparently assumed the importance of a force to be reckoned with very seriously.

Vance Chapman, who writes under the name of The County Chairman and furnishes free copy for newspapers of the Republican persuasion—providing they will use it—says that the time has come when the old parties must either eradicate or absorb this new political factor in the state.

Chapman's comment on the lessons of the late primary is interesting to say the least. For years he has been writing for Minnesota newspapers, giving his articles invariably a Republican bias. He would hardly be expected to find anything to commend in the Nonpartisan movement and yet he is evidently sincere in his conviction that it cannot either be ignored *or frightened away. In his article* dealing with the primary result Chapman says:

"While the tendency is to gloat over the defeat of the Townley crowd the showing made by his creation, the Nonpartisan League, compels attention. A. C. Townley, its chief inspiration, undoubtedly received a body blow and one that is due to cost him the League leadership, but his dream goes marching on and it will have to be reckoned with in days to come. In the way of information it might be interesting to know that the League candidate for governor carried fifty-five counties, that the League swept the Seventh and Ninth Congressional districts clean, that it prevailed in the Third and Sixth districts, and even broke into the First, Second, Eighth and Tenth districts. All that saved the convention nominees were the population centers and Southern Minnesota. The country districts as a rule were League in their following. A study of the primary figures shows without any chance of contradiction that the League bug has fastened itself on the rural section of the state and the problem that now confronts the two leading parties is how to meet it. The whole thing has either to be eradicated or absorbed, and the sooner the party leaders get together on the problem the better."

THE CAMPAIGN IS ON.

It took one entire week for the Democratic convention at San Francisco to finish its work and 44 ballots were required before the candidate for president was decided on. James M. Cox, at present serving ~~his~~ third term as governor of Ohio, is the party choice. He is a newspaper publisher. His opponent on the Republican ticket, Warren G. Harding, also is from Ohio and is a newspaper publisher.

Governor Cox has made quite a record as chief executive of the Buckeye state and there is no question raised as to his ability to fill the high office to which he aspires.

Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York, assistant secretary of the navy, was nominated for vice president.

As is usually the case, the result is highly satisfactory to Democrats and Republicans alike. The former believe that with this ticket and the platform declarations of their party Democracy's chances in the coming election are fully as good as those of the opposition. This was not the case a few weeks ago. It then looked as if nothing could prevent a Republican landslide. Such outcome is yet possible, of course, but is by no means as certain.

From now on the fight will rage with ever-increasing fury until the ballots are cast on the first Tuesday in November. It will be the old story over again with no prospects of anything new being sprung to add interest.

There is no danger of this republic going onto the rocks, no matter which one of these Ohio gentlemen are elected. Both are men of ability and experience and either will no doubt prove an acceptable administrator. Indications favor Harding, but many things can happen to upset the dope before the final decision is reached.

Catfish Destroy Crops.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: While we in Minnesota think that a mosquito or potato bug bothers us now and then, we should bear in mind that other sections of this old world are having troubles also. The fish are eating the cotton crop in Louisiana. This week Mrs. V. M. Higinbotham received a copy of the Jena (Louisiana) Times of June 5 and among the many interesting items from that section was the following:

"The river at this point is at a stand and, with a continuation of the good weather, a fall is anticipated at an early date. If this should take place a good cotton crop could still be made, and this section needs both a good corn and cotton crop.

"Report reaches here that a good many of our farmers are having a lot of trouble with the cat fish and gars breaking into the fields and eating up the cotton. In many places the fish have destroyed the stand entirely and the cotton will have to be planted over."

THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN WRITES OF EXPERIENCES IN FAR SIBERIA

(By Lyman R. Hyatt)

Formerly Instructor in Agriculture at Lincoln High School.

(Second Installment.)

Practically every village, and all the towns and cities, have one or more churches. The church, carrying aloft the Greek cross, is the most commanding structure in the village, just as the cathedral overshadows all the other buildings in the city. The churches are filled with worshippers whenever services are held. The people use the church when they are born, named, sick, in trouble, married, during celebrations and holidays, and in death. Inside the churches are religious symbolisms of rich and varied character ritual, pictures, statues, crosses, candles, incense, singing, sermon—every known source of religious emotional inspiration is utilized.

Has One Great Railroad.

The Trans-Siberian railroad stands as a vital national institution in Siberia. It binds Western Civilization with the Orient. It is the lifeblood of the nation as perhaps no other railroad or river is, for it is the sole means of transportation between Europe and Siberia overland. As an engineering feat it holds high place. With an unparalleled roadbed, a guage six inches wider than our standard guage, and an almost unbelievable number of cars and engines at the outset, it has had carried over its rails, men and materials for two great wars, one lesser one, and a revolution and is now engaged in evacuating the Czech, Polish, Roumanian and other Allied contingents, besides hundreds of thousands of civilian refugees, eastward. Given anything like normal conditions it would again resume traffic conditions comparable to those found anywhere under similar conditions in the world.

Outside the seven cities of Siberia, in which live about 3,000,000 people, the remaining 18,000,000 inhabitants live in villages, ranging in size from a few hundred to many thousands of people. The number of people who live alone on the land in separate houses, is negligible.

Bathing in Family Groups.

I suppose it is a sign of dishonesty that every village and city street is shut off from the yards surrounding the houses by walls. Almost all the houses are grouped around a courtyard, the whole surrounded by a walled stockade, entrance being effected through heavy, pad-locked doors. In one of these compounds may be frequently found a complete community, with shoemakers, carpenters, grocers, bakers, and all the other necessary artisans. Every village has a bath house, where everybody takes his weekly bath. Usually, I understand, this is done by families at a time.

Some of the smaller villages have no schools, church, or public meeting place, and just now have no supplies of candles, kerosene, or electricity, and these present a most disconsolate appearance. The villages of a few hundred or more inhabitants, however, have their church, school, sobrienaya, bath-house, park, hospital, shops of various kinds, and have the possibilities for a well-rounded life.

Livestock Well Protected.

Before the war it was possible to buy land, the loam black and fertile, fifty versts from a railroad station in quantities up to about 80 acres, for 50 kopecks (25 cents) a desitina 2½ acres.) Close to a city or a station the price of land ranged greatly, but it was very cheap, compared to our way of thinking. There are millions of acres unoccupied, save for roving herds of cattle, sheep, horses, and camels—land capable of producing good crops of wheat, buckwheat hay, rye, oats, beans, millet, broom corn, flax, tobacco and Indian corn, to say nothing of the vegetable crops common to the United States.

The livestock grow a heavy coat of fur, and, relatively speaking, require much less shelter than livestock in Minnesota, or even Missouri. Vast herds of cattle, sheep, horses and camels in Manchuria and Southern Siberia are wintered through with no thought of any barn or artificial shelter—nothing but the hills and trees. Natives tell me that livestock require little in winter, and that they keep in quite prime condition when left to shift for themselves.

Raise Little For Market.

I saw no clover growing under cultivation, but saw both sweet and red clover growing wild along the railroad tracks. I saw hundreds of valleys and prarie fields on which only patches of native, poor quality hays were harvested, which, so far as my knowledge of agriculture goes, could with proper development grow superior quality roughages in great quantities.

Agriculture on a commercial scale, such as we know it in America, is not much practiced in Siberia. A peasant produces enough of crops to take care of his establishment, and sells what little is left over, if he can, to people in the large villages and towns. As far as the matter of making the land give a reasonable account of itself, that has not been even touched.

A rather strange aspect of agriculture is carried on in Siberia in that large quantities of honey are produced, and honey is as common a product as butter and eggs. At Tousk, the farthest north railroad station in Siberia, there are large and successful apiaries. The use of wax candles in the churches furnishes a strong motive for beekeeping, and doubtless this was the original motive, but if honey is a by-product, it is an acceptable one.

(Continued next week.)

—Trade at Home—

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Chief of Police

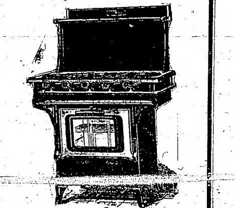

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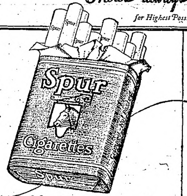

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City News

Miss Ruth Mandeen of Minneapolis is a guest of Miss Irma Johnson this week.

Miss Olga Overby of Germantown visited with friends in this city on Wednesday.

A. H. Ahlborn left on Saturday afternoon for Crookston where he visited over Monday.

Miss Bertha Bugge left on Saturday evening for St. Paul where she expects to be employed.

Mrs. Chas. Larson and son of St. Hilaire were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ebbighausen on Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Newland returned Tuesday evening from Warren where she had spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lonson arrived here on Monday evening for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brumund.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Miller of Crookston motored here on Saturday and visited over Monday at the Rolland homes in this city.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster visited with friends in this city between trains on Tuesday enroute to Minneapolis on business.

Mrs. Arnold Dale and son arrived on Tuesday evening from Bemidji for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holzknecht and son, Alvin, motored to Warroad and Baudette on Sunday and visited with friends for a couple of days.

Fred Greenagle has resigned his position as assistant cashier at the Great Northern depot and left Saturday afternoon for Crookston.

Miss Mildred Owen returned to this city the latter part of last week after completing a two weeks' vacation spent at her home in Alexandria.

Ole Granum and sister, Miss Gena, and Miss Dora Holmes, motored to Middle River on Monday where they spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss Ruth Kiland returned on Saturday evening from Warren where she attended the fair. While there she was the guest of Miss Edith Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson and family returned on Saturday morning from an extended auto tour of the southern part of the state and Wisconsin.

Mrs. Wm. Sexton and children left for their home in Alexandria on Friday morning after spending three weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Gran.

Mrs. Chas. Olson and daughter, Dorothy, who have been guests at the T. J. Austed home in this city, returned to their home in Edmore, N. D., on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Thea Olson of Randeen arrived here on Tuesday for a day's visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. Ole Erickson. She left the following day for Mapes, N. D., where she will visit with friends.

Mrs. Emma Motz returned here on Saturday after a three weeks' absence spent in visiting with friends and relatives in Minneapolis and Fargo. While in the latter place she was a guest of her daughter, Miss Ina Motz.

Miss Caroline Christiansan returned to her home in Mahnomen on Sunday evening after remaining in this city for a couple of days with her brother, Neil, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Physicians hospital.

S. T. Marshall of Pipestone, W. T. Marshall, attorney for the Travelers Insurance company of Philadelphia, Mrs. L. M. Ridley of Plainfield, N. J., Mrs. Leroy Gregory of Pittsburg, Pa., spent the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. L. T. Douglas. They also visited with Delos Douglas in the town of North.

Miss Leona Knox of Fisher is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. T. McFarland this week.

Chas. Krause and children motored to Bemidji on Friday for a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson visited over Monday with the latter's parents in Mahnomen.

Earl Baker is acting as substitute warehouseman in the absence of Emil Olson, who is taking a vacation.

Mrs. A. Johnson and son Harry arrived on Friday evening from Duluth and visited with friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Barbara Eastman of Minneapolis is in the city as the guest of friends and also attending to business affairs.

Miss Lucille Burns left on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will spend a week as the guest of Miss Lois Wold.

Wm. Harje left on Saturday afternoon via the Great Northern for the Twin Cities where he remained until Tuesday morning.

Carl Sundahl motored to Crookston on Saturday where he spent a couple of days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Schlanbush.

Miss Theresa Hovelsos left on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston after a week's visit in this city at the home of Mrs. H. K. Strand.

Elra Porter, who had spent the past few months in Missoula, Mont., returned to this city on Saturday to remain for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ebbighausen and family left on Wednesday for Crookston where they will spend a brief period visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dahl returned on Saturday from Fergus Falls where they spent two weeks as the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Walter Hanson.

Mrs. Eric Bergquist and daughter, Miss Gota, returned to their home in Salol on Saturday. The latter had been receiving medical treatment at the local hospital.

Miss Esther Stebbins arrived the first of the week from Rochester where she is taking a course in nursing in the Mayo hospital, for a brief visit with her parents.

Oscar Gran and sister, Miss Caspara Gran, accompanied by Miss Lena Robertson, motored to Grand Forks on Friday morning and spent the day visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. N. B. Ruud.

Geo. Loken who spent a month on an outing trip through the southern part of the state, returned on Wednesday morning. During his absence he visited with his mother, Mrs. Karen Loken, in Minneapolis.

Williard Sluka arriver on Saturday evening from Mahnomen and spent a day visiting with friends. An uncle from Fordville, N. D., motored to this city to meet Mr. Sluka, who will spend a short time visiting in the above named city.

Mrs. O. Norlander and three children arrived here on Saturday evening from Bemidji and visited until Tuesday with Mrs. A. Molin. They left on Tuesday afternoon for St. Hilaire where they will visit at the home of Mrs. Norlander's brother.

Charles Prichard left on Saturday evening for Fosston where he spent the Fourth.

Mrs. C. M. Gillette returned on Tuesday morning from Red Lake Falls where she spent the Fourth.

Misses Mable and Ruth Sheveland returned to their home in Holt Tuesday after a visit with friends here.

Miss Ella Peterson returned Saturday morning from Fargo where she had spent a week visiting with friends.

Miss Anna Aspelund spent the first of the week week visiting with Miss Anna Bredesen, who is employed at Hallock.

Miss Verna Thompson and Lulu Beebe of St. Hilaire shopped and visited with friends here between trains on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bean, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Liden, motored to Maple Lake Sunday where they spent a couple of days.

Jordan Penney and Leland Schuster returned to their homes in this city on Tuesday evening after spending a few days at Maple Lake.

Russell Anderson and Allen Fossum left on Sunday evening for Detroit where they passed Monday visiting with friends at Lake Shoreham.

Mrs. J. J. Vorachek returned the latter part of the week after an extended visit in Fordville, Conway, Lankin and other places on the Wheatline.

Mrs. H. O. Loken and children returned to this city on Friday evening from points in Canada where they spent a period of ten days visiting with friends.

Svere Steen arrived here on Tuesday afternoon from his home in Warroad and visited between trains with friends enroute to Detroit where he *will be employed.*

F. J. Stebbins returned the first of the week from Rochester where he had been visiting with his daughter, Miss Esther, and also attending to business matters.

Miss Ebba Scholin of St. Hilaire shopped between trains in this city last Tuesday. On her return to St. Hilaire she was accompanied by Miss Kellberg who will spend a couple of days at her home.

Mrs. Johanna Hawkins, who had spent two weeks as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Erickson, left on Saturday afternoon for Fargo where she will continue her visit with relatives before returning to her home in Barnesville.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son, Raymond, Jr., arrived here on Tuesday afternoon from Middle River where they visited a few days. While in the city they will be guests of the former's sister and mother, Mrs. F. H. Herrick and Mrs. Anna Watson.

C. W. Vorachek left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis where he will visit for a couple of days. From that point he will take a special for Duluth where a bankers' convention is to be held on July 7 and 8. A boat trip to Chicago has been planned after which they will return to Duluth to board the special back to the twin cities. He expects to be gone for a week.

Herman Aakre left on Wednesday morning for Baudette on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Korstad of Highlanding were visitors in this city on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren spent the week-end visiting with friends at Union Lake.

Miss Inez Johnson left on Saturday morning for Park River where she visited with friends over Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey and son, Richard, spent Sunday and Monday at Union Lake on a camping expedition.

Mrs. A. Risberg and children left on Saturday morning for Roseau where they will spend a week visiting with relatives.

Supt. Norby of Goodridge returned on Saturday afternoon from Greenbush where he spent a few days on business.

Henry Smith left on Wednesday afternoon for Cavelier, N. D., after a brief visit at the Leo Babcock home in this city.

Mrs. R. Bartley of Minneapolis arrived here the latter part of last week and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Keene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown and daughter, Ruth, returned on Tuesday from Union Lake where they spent the week-end.

Mrs. K. Bolstad left on Saturday evening for International Falls for a brief visit with her husband and son who are employed there.

Mrs. Theira Snyder and two sons returned on Monday evening from Bemidji where they spent a couple of days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and family motored to Union Lake on Sunday to be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney at their summer cottage.

Rueben Aga, Rueben Teslow, Stanton Dahlen, Herman Aakre and Milton Weeks motored to Maple Lake on Saturday evening where they remained until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Douglas of Moorhead motored to this city on Friday and visited at the home of his mother, Mrs. L. T. Douglas, returning home the same evening.

Miss Edna Miller, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Faith Quesnell of Minneapolis, who has been her guest, left on Saturday for Crookston where they will visit their grandmother.

Miss Gladys Nelson left on Thursday morning for Radium, where she will spend a week as the guest of her friend, Miss Dorothy Loen. While there she will also attend the Marshall county fair.

Misses Marie Nelson, Irma Johnson and Ruth Mandeen of Minneapolis, and Theo. Tandberg, motored to Maple Lake Saturday evening in the latter's car to be the guests at the Patterson home over Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Cronkhite and sons, Donald and Ray, of Yakima, Wash., and their daughter, Mrs. H. C. Hall of Seattle, arrived by auto last week and were guests at the J. Q. Cronkhite home. The entire party, including Mr. and Mrs. Cronkhite of this city, left on Monday for Shoreham for an outing at the lakes.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who was operated on for appendicitis last week, is quickly recovering.

Mrs. George Curran was taken to the hospital in Warren where she will undergo an operation.

William Provencher arrived here on Tuesday morning from Minneapolis to attend the wedding of his brother, Harold.

Miss Mable Hustad left on Saturday morning for Warren where she will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. Wm. Warner and two children left on Wednesday morning for Holt where they will spend a few days visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christenson motored to Detroit on Sunday and visited with friends over Monday.

Miss Lila Schuster and Miss Celia Peterson of Roseau spent Sunday and Monday at the lakes near Detroit.

Miss Alice Anderson arrived on Friday evening from McIntosh and will spend a week visiting with friends.

Mrs. Oscar Swanson returned on Monday evening from Superior where she spent the week-end as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Joe Flynn.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant left the first of the week for Minneapolis and Milwaukee where she will spend an indefinite time visiting with friends and relatives.

Don't Let Them Loaf

THOSE Liberty bond coupons that became due in March, April, May and June—have you clipped them yet?

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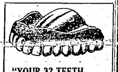

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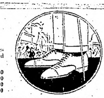

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City News

Miss Marie Lucy, chief telephone operator at Carrington, N. D., is spending the week as the guest of her brother, Edward, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Richards and daughter returned on Monday evening from Detroit where they spent the week-end at Lake Shoreham.

A. Yngve returned on Tuesday evening from the twin cities where he spent a couple of days on an outing at Lake Minnetonka with a party of friends.

H. C. Geise, who had spent two months visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Scott Laird, returned on Tuesday evening to his home in Winona.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rambee and son, Laverne, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Norquist, motored to Maple Lake on Sunday, returning on Monday evening.

Monroe Wahlgrin arrived on Tuesday morning from his home in St. Paul to attend the wedding of his brother, A. L. E. Wahlgrin, to Miss Doris Brumund.

Leonard Fevig and Oscar Smith, both connected with the Standard Oil company in this city returned on Monday evening from Detroit where they visited over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stageberg, who have spent the past month visiting with relatives in this city and Crookston, left for their home in Minneapolis on Tuesday evening.

Misses Ida Larson and Thora Ness arrived here on Friday evening from Faribault where they have been employed and will remain at their respective homes here for an indefinite period.

Fred Leimers, who is engaged in farming in the vicinity of Randeen, left on Wednesday morning for his home after a brief visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leimers.

—Trade at Home—

Prohibition Agents Arrested.

Spooner News: Last night two prohibition agents attempting to hold up the Tom Clauson sedan car just west of Baudette, shot the rear end of the car all full of dents.

The occupants of the car claim that they had no notice of anyone trying to stop them, had driven out the state road about a mile west of Baudette where they turned and headed back to town. When well on their way back, someone came up in the rear and began shooting at them, and they, believing that someone was trying a hold up stunt, hit the high spots for town. Tom Clauson, who was at the wheel, claims he didn't know his car had that much speed.

As a result of the affair, warrants were issued by Judge Soderstrom at Baudette, for Edwin A. Olson and Herman Miller, the prohibition agents. They were arrested and their hearing set for July 31st. John A. Kennedy and Franz Schmidt of the customs office furnished bonds for their appearance in the sum of one thousand dollars each.

There is a general feeling of unrest all over this section, over the action of the enforcement agents.

Numerous cars of reputable citizens have been held up at the point of a gun, seemingly without authority.

Among those held up last night was Attorney Chilgren, who was stopped on his way home from court, by two men, purporting to be prohibition agents, who stepped out from behind the piles of cedar poles, just as he was driving into his home town of Williams.

The William Spence place in Old Baudette was searched twice during the week by these legacies of the Volstead act.

—Trade at Home—

Train Strikes Boy.

Warren Register: Johnny, the eleven-year-old son of Fred Gehris, living near March siding, lies in the Warren hospital, hovering between life and death, as the result of an accident Saturday afternoon. About three o'clock he left home to go for the family mail, a distance of a mile or less. His failure to return soon was thought nothing of, as he sometimes, when going for the mail, stopped to play with a neighbor boy. When the evening shadows began to fall and he still failed to put in an appearance, the family became alarmed and searching parties went out to look for him.

It was about four o'clock Monday morning when he was discovered near the Soo track, about a mile west of March siding. The little fellow was terribly injured and unconscious and it was evident that he had been struck by a Soo freight, which passed that point about 3 o'clock the previous afternoon, and dragged some distance over the ties before finally landing in the grass a few feet away. One shoulder was broken, also an arm and one leg, the big toe of one foot was cut off and he sustained internal injuries. Lying there without aid for thirteen hours, it is a wonder that the boy did not bleed to death.

—Trade at Home—

Pays $2500 For Bull.

Warren Sheaf: Andrew I. Hanson, one of the progressive farmers living north of Warren, purchased the fine yearling Shorthorn bull, Gipsy King 859107, from D. W. Aylor, of Grandin, N. D., at a Shorthorn sale held near Fargo on Monday, for the sum of $2500. The animal is of roan color and is an exceptionally fine individual of good breeding and will make an excellent head for Mr. Hanson's excellent herd of Shorthorns. Gipsy King won first in his class at the Shorthorn Congress held at Chicago this year. Mr. Hanson expects the arrival of this valuable animal at Warren in time for exhibition at the Marshall County Fair this week. This may seem like a high price to pay for a single animal, but when the fact that the sire is one-half the herd is taken into consideration, it can readily been seen that it pays to place the very best of blood lines and breeding at the head of the herd.

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Says He Knows What Tanlac Will Do and is Not Surprised That Others Praise It.

"There was a time," said John Furstenfelder, a car repairer living at 1322 Sixth street, North, Minneapolis, Minn., "when I had my doubts about Tanlac, but since trying it myself I believe anything good I read or hear about it.

"When I began taking it," he explained, "my stomach had been in bad shape for three years. What little food I ate would sour and cause me to suffer for hours from gas and indigestion. I was also in a badly rundown condition, suffered from constipation and my nerves were so upset that I could not get sufficient sleep and rest.

"I tried everything, it seems to me, but nothing helped me one bit until I got Tanlac and now I feel just like a brand new man. Many of the things told me about Tanlac seemed unbelievable, but I had been taking it but a few days when I was convinced it would do the work just as they say it will.

"I can now eat just anything I want without having the least trouble from it. Tanlac has not only set my stomach right but it has put my entire system in the best condition. The first few doses of Tanlac helped me and by the time my first bottle was gone my appetite had returned in full force and I was eating like a wolf. I am no longer surprised that so many people are praising Tanlac, and I am glad of the opportunity to make a statement and tell what is has done for me, too, if it is likely to help others. My strength has returned so that my work is no longer a burden to me. In fact, for the first time in years I feel like a well man."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

—Trade at Home—

Pays For "Whipping."

Crookston Times: Twelve hundred dollars damages were awarded Thomas Egeland of Bygland township against Nere Anderson for a "whipping" administered by him on April 22, this year. Jury in district court brought in the verdict early last evening.

The first criminal actions to come before juries in district court since the opening of the district court early in June came today when the case of the state against Knute Thompson of East Grand Forks was tried. Thompson is alleged to have sold liquor. Up to a late hour this afternoon the jury on the case had reached no agreement. A similar charge against Ole Olson and Knute Thompson is next to be heard.

—Trade at Home—

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

Extraordinary Values

We are offering unequaled values in the articles advertised below

HATS

Special offering in Panama and Felt Hats.

Your choice of any $6.00 Hat in the store, of the best makes. Saturday Special	$4.45
Newest and latest styles in Panama Hats. Special	$5.45
The finest assortment of children's Straw Hats in different shades and shapes. Values to $1.75. Special	$1.15

SHOES and OXFORDS

Florsheim Shoes are always good Shoes. They are the most economical because of their quality:

All $11 Florsheim Shoes	$ 8.45
All $10 Florsheim Shoes	$ 7.95
All $15 Florsheim Shoes	$11.95

WORK SHOES

A Special Offer of all our $5 and $6 Work Shoes ---- $3.95

PANTS

Good, strong work Pants	$3.15
Good dress Pants	$9.25
Best grade union made Unionalls, regular price $6. Saturday Special	$4.85
Good weight Unionalls, Special	$3.65

Special offer on Work Shirts and Khaki Pants at 25% below market value:

$2.50 Signal Shirts	$1.95
$4.00 Khaki union made Pants	$3.15
$2.50 Khaki Pants	$1.85
$3.50 Pants	$2.85

SUITS

The finest assortment of young men's suits, in particular for boys who are ready for their first long pants. Suits made in very latest styles for only ---- $18.85

Men's novelty patterns in fine suit fabrics. Suits that have sold as high as $40.00. We have grouped them all at a great sacrifice to clean up the entire lot, at ---- $27.45

Clothcraft, the most wonderful line of good worsted suits on the market made to sell at $45.50 and $55. Your choice of any suit in the house in any shade, blue, grey, brown, check or stripe, at, Sale Price ---- $36.95

Biggest values possible to give. Just think! Hart Schaffner & Marx all wool suits, sleeve silk lined, every thing the best for ---- $43.85

These suits were made to sell for $60 and $65. A big saving with a positive assurance of satisfaction or your money back.

Extraordinary values on our 3rd group of Hart Schaffner & Marx best Suits. These suits have to be seen to be appreciated. They are the very best of materials and workmanship. Regular $65, $70 and $75 suits. Your choice of this lot; this is remarkably low for these suits at ---- $57.95

Genuine Palm Beach Suits in single or double breasted; the latest models. Big reduction on this lot, at ---- $18.45

2-Piece Cool Crash Suits, very comfortable for summer wear. A big snap at ---- $9.00

Cannot be duplicated anywhere for the price.

RAINCOATS

We have a big assortment sizes 34 to 50 with or without belts:

$ 7.50 Coats	$ 4.75
$15.00 Coats	$10.85
$20.00 Coats	$14.45
$25.00 Coats	$17.45
$30.00 Coats	$23.45

CAPS

$3.50 Caps	$2.79
$3.00 Caps	$2.45
$2.50 Caps	$1.95

BOYS' STRAW HATS

$1.75 Hats	$1.15
85c Hats	65c
75c Hats	45c

MEN'S AND BOYS' DRESS SHIRTS

A big assortment of plain and fancy patterns at real Sale Prices:

$2.50 Dress Shirts	$1.95
$3.00 Dress Shirts	$2.19
$3.50 Dress Shirts	$2.85
$4.50 Dress Shirts	$3.45
$5.00 Dress Shirts	$4.20
$6.50 Dress Shirts	$4.95

Boys' Dress Shirts

$1.50 Dress Shirts	$1.19
$2.00 Dress Shirts	$1.45
$3.00 Dress Shirts	$2.19

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JULY 20th TO 24th INCLUSIVE

Great Agricultural Fair and Industrial Exposition

LIVE STOCK, POULTRY, GRAINS, VEGETABLES, FARM MACHINERY, AUTOMOBILES, ART WORK, DOMESTIC SCIENCE, STYLE SHOW, ETC., ETC.

$40,000 In Premiums AL. SWEET and his wonderful SINGING BAND You'll Certainly Enjoy This Number	$5,000 Race Program C. A. WORTHAM will be there with his RENOWNED SHOWS Many New Features—Great!

GREAT FIREWORKS SPECTACLE

Under the Direction of Theral Duffield

BATTLE OF THE MONITOR AND MERRIMAC

Historic Battle of the Civil War

Hundreds of People Will Take Part in This Stupendous Production—Tons of Explosives Will Be Used—Marvelous Fireworks

HORSE RACES Every Day—The Biggest and Best Pulled Off For Years	DANCING Every Evening to Fine Orchestral Music
MENAGERIE WILD WEST SHOW	See the Holland Giant—9 feet 5 in. Age 19, Biggest Man in the World

SPECIAL SATURDAY ATTRACTION

AUTOMOBILE RACES

in which Sig Hugdahl, the Great Champion and other world renowned automobile racers will appear.

SPECIAL RATES ON ALL RAILROADS—LET'S GO!

Firestone

EXTRAVAGANCE has gone by the board. Thrift is in the air. Men are buying where the value is.

The Firestone thrifty 3½ is leading the small-tire field today. Because it is built on real thrift methods from start to finish.

Firestone experts on the spot in the raw material markets of the world are able to get first choice of quality at quantity purchase prices.

Firestone men have worked out the way to produce this tire by concentrated methods—no waste material, no waste motion, no waste space.

And Firestone volume output, through thousands of dealers, permits selling at a close margin. The user gets the benefit. Try this Firestone thrifty 3½.

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(non skid)

$22.50

Gray Tube $3.75

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Most Miles per Dollar

Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Large Picnic Sunday.

The parochial school picnic held last Sunday afternoon at the Rindal church grounds, in commemoration of the closing of a successful five weeks' term of school under the direction of Mrs. Inga Berg of Thief River Falls, was a very demonstrative and educational entertainment and brought out several hundred attendants, many of whom came by car from nearby towns including Thief River Falls, Viking, Newfolden, Holt and others. A short speech was given by Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls and a lengthy program including many selections of readings, solos, duets, recitations, etc., were very admirably rendered by the school pupils. The music and singing was lead by Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Anita. Refreshments of various kinds were on sale after the program on the grounds.

Mrs. Axel Axelson is at this writing in a very low condition caused by bloodpoisoning of the knee following an infected small ulcer by poisonous weeds when picking strawberries. She is under constant care by physicians from Thief River Falls and her condition is considered very serious.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm, John Sagmoen and Joel Shoberg spent Saturday evening at Warren to attend the county fair.

Gust Opseth and Axel Larson were home from Radium where they are employed to visit with friends last Sunday.

Another sharp decline in the beef prices in South St. Paul has caused the Rosewood Shipping association to postpone their next shipment of mixed stock until Saturday, July 17, to watch the trend of the market. Local buyers are this week offering as low as 2½ cents for canners and slightly above for better grades.

Joel Shoberg and Axel Blom spent Sunday afternoon at Hazel as guests of the J. Shoberg family.

Miss Annie Blom, who has been employed east of Thief Rvier Falls for some time, returned home this week.

Miss Ethel Kron will leave the beginning of this week for Fargo where she will seek employment for the summer months.

Miss Laura Kron spent Sunday at Wylie to visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Gulseth of Pinewood are visiting this week with the Anton Gulseth people in town.

A number of friends, neighbors and relatives surprised aged Mrs. Gulseth, northwest of town last Sunday, in commemoration of her birthday.

Emil Mellem of Nekoma, N. D., arrived the latter part of the week to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem during the Fourth.

The Rindal Ladies Aid held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Gust Nakken last Tuesday afternoon, and the young peoples society of the same congregation met at the church the same evening. Both meetings were fairly well attended and successful. Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls was in attendance. The next ladies aid meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. Jarsaw on the afternoon of August 3.

Miss Inga Saugen, a nurse from the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls is spending her vacation with her mother, north of town.

The A. C. Vorseth family, in company with some friends, spent Monday at Middle River as guests of the Emil Peterson family.

Lars Lee, a former resident of this place, who is now making his home in the southern part of this state, arrived here last Saturday morning for a few days' visit with friends.

Gust Nakken returned last week from Fargo and Moorhead where he had spent a week visiting and attending to business.

Swen Swenson spent a few days of this week attending to business matters in Newfolden.

Banker and Mrs. A. S. Holm, John Sagmoen and Joel Shoberg left Saturday evening for Warren to attend the county fair.

"Fritz" Rafteseth came home last Saturday from Pipestone where he is employed at dredging work to spend the Fourth with his parents here.

Herbert Carlson and Miss Gena Aos left on Saturday morning by car for Devils Lake, N. D., where they will visit for a day with Mr. Carlson's brother, Helmer, who is employed at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Halvorson of Clay county, arrived by car last Saturday for a brief visit with Mrs. Halvorson's brother, Anton Gulseth and other relatives.

—Trade at Home—

STEINER

Mr. and Mrs. Church and family of Angus visited at the Simon Warring home Sunday.

William Meyer, who has been in Tenino, Wash., for the past few months, returned home Friday.

Edgar Ufer visited at the J. Whitman home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers and family dined at the R. L. Muzzy home last Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Slack and son, Ernest, drove to Holt Saturday evening.

Louis Meyer and Miss Amy Whitman attended the fair in Warren.

G. L. Leisner went to Minneapolis the middle of the week to attend to business matters.

Hobson Rogers and William Meyer attended the dance in Holt Saturday evening.

Mrs. Meyer was in Holt Sunday to attend church services.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. C. Struble were guests at the D. Dau home last Tuesday evening.

Miss Bertine Haggy left last week for Minneapolis where she will visit with friends for a couple of weeks.

Silva Bendickson was a caller at the Hans Dahl home Tuesday evening.

A. Johnson was a business caller in Mavie last Monday.

Miss Hattie Klockman was a Germantown caller last Monday.

Mrs. Harry Weber and children, Violet and Hannah, are visiting at the Klockman home.

Hans Dahl called at the Bendickson home last Monday.

Miss Clara Johnson visited at the Henry Roller home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited at the Hans Dahl home Tuesday.

Olaf and Henry Tharaldson were callers at the L. Bendickson home on Friday.

Mrs. Harry Weber and children, Hannah and Violet, visited at the John Philipp home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Gehart and Silva and Henry Tharaldson autoed to the L. Bendickson home Thursday afternoon.

Hans Dahl was a Tuesday caller in Mavie.

Mrs. John Philipp called at the Carl Klockman home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Silva and Gehart, and Henry Tharaldson were guests at the L. Bendickson home Tuesday evening.

Bessie Roller was a Germantown visitor one day last week.

Miss Florence Johnson visited with relatives and friends in the vicinity for a few days.

H. Berve was a Germantown caller last Monday.

Bernice Struble visited with Ruth Boyce one day last week.

A. Johnson was a caller at the L. Bendickson home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Reitz and children of Thief River Falls were visiting at the C. Klockman home over Saturday.

Edna Philipp visited at the Klockman home Saturday.

Mrs. A. Rohrer entertained a few of her friends on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roller autoed to Thief River Falls last Thursday.

—Trade at Home—

AGDER

Joseph Hanson is hauling gravel for H. Peterson in Thief River Falls this week.

Chrest Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude and son, Herfmond, and Mr. and Mrs. I. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls last Monday.

Henry Esplee visited with George Senum Monday afternoon.

Mr. Esplee was a caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Chrest Nelson was hauling fence posts for Rev. Bjornson last Tuesday.

Halvor Listol and Olaf and E. Senum and G. Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

S. Nabben was a caller in Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

George Senum called at the Sam Groven home last Wednesday forenoon.

Oscar Evenson and daughters, Hazel, Lydia and Vernie, left in their car for Pelican Rapids where they will visit with relatives for some time.

Lawrence Groven visited at the E. Senum home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chrest Nelson and baby autoed to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Mr. Swanson was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Lloyd, Seymore, Clifford and Veral Nelson called at the Chas. Evenson home last Wednesday forenoon.

Victor Swanson autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Knaddle and children autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening.

Mrs. George Senum visited with Mrs. Sam Groven Wednesday afternoon.

Chrest Nelson and Bennie Newberg visited at the Sam Groven home on Wednesday evening.

Adolpha Rupprecht was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Carl Johnson visited at the Ole Christianson home in Mud Lake Wednesday evening.

Mayme Evenson left for Thief River Falls Monday where she will be employed for the summer.

Neil Nelson visited at the Ed. Hanson home Thursday evening.

Willie Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Friday forenoon.

Sam Groven and son, Lawrence, called at the Chrest Nelson home Friday.

Ed. Hanson called at Chrest Nelson's Friday evening.

Gunder and Tom Senum, Ole Listol, Walter Evenson and John Esplee called at the home of Chrest Nelson Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Solberg and daughters, Myrtle and Bernice motored to Thief River Falls Friday afternoon.

Soren Bergland of Thief River Falls did some carpenter work for Mr. Isaacson Friday and Saturday.

Willie Rude visited at the home of Ole Isaacson Friday evening.

Henry Esplee visited with George Senum over night Friday.

Chrest Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Gunder, Tom and E. Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Henry Esplee was an electric car passenger enroute to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Tom McCormick and George Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Senum and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude Sunday afternoon.

Josepha and Floyd Hanson visited at the Chrest Nelson home Sunday afternoon.

Melvin Rude visited with Carl Isaacson Sunday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Swanson and baby visited at Karlstad where they attended her bother's wedding last week.

Mrs. I. Wold visited with Mrs. S. Groven Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nabben visited with Chas. Evenson Sunday evening.

—Trade at Home—

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to tune pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. 53tf

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

AUCTION SALE—Cows with calves, horses and farm implements, on Eastman farm, section 4, Sanden, 6 miles west of Thief River Falls and one mile south of Jefferson Highway, on Wednesday, July 14, 1920, commencing at 1:30 o'clock.—F. M. Mousley, Prop., W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer, L. A. Lampert, Clerk. 78

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 7-room house, hardwood floors, city water. East side. Andrew Ness. 76-tf

FOR SALE—Double registered Polled Shorthorn bull, three years old. Gus. Hillyer, Route 1, city. 80-pd.

FOR SALE—860 acres near Fargo, N. D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 acres in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red River, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. Rustad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

For Sale—Modern 8-room house, 716 LaBree Ave. N. 82p

FOR SALE—A second-hand Ford at a bargain.—A. S. Holm, Rosewood, Minn. 78

FOR SALE—Team of horses with harness. Will sell cheap.—B. Hruby, Erie, Minn. 81p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 27tf

FOR SALE—Used automobile at bargain. In good condition.—B. J. Bakke, office and salesroom at Berry's garage. 71tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room house on East Side. Good location, corner lots. Enquire N. A. Nelson, Phone 10-F-23 80p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 82tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek. 72tf

FOR SALE—Five horse power Stickney gasoline engine. Cheap if taken at once.—Northwestern Auto Co., K. A. Sundahl. 56tf

FOR SALE—A money making modern steam heated flat. Priced right and terms for quick sale. For further information call or write C. W. McDaniel, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire, B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—5 fresh cows with calves and one good team of young horses, and numerous other things. See Frank Mousley or call 71-F-041. [illegible]

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—1914 Ford runabout.—James Cosgrove, 219 LaBree Ave. N. 79

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Bates Steel Mule Model "C" and three bottom Grand DeTour engine gang with both stubble and breaking bottoms in good shape.—Kenneth Lufkin, Thief River Falls, Minn. 75p

FOR SALE—Steel range, six holes, hot water attachment, reservoir, in excellent condition. Also laundry stove and cook stove. Call phone 406. 73tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 2200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house. 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 33tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 75tf

FOR SALE—One Minneapolis engine, 25 H. P., and one Avery separator, 32 in. cylinder.—Erickson Bros., 6 miles west of St. Hilaire. 79p

FOR SALE—Good work horse. Your pick of five head.—H. C. Woolson. 80

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 303 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1580, with seven weeks old colt.—Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 76tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—My property at 230 Markley Ave. N. Phone 434.—Kenneth Lufkin. 78p

FOR RENT—2000 acres hay land near Goodridge; 400 acres hay land near Viking. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 74tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 801 Main Ave. N. 78tf

LOST

LOST—On road between Loken's store and Goodridge three bath towels and ladies' apron. Finder please leave at The Times office. 83p

LOST—Rear side curtain for Oakland car. Finder notify Rev. George Larson. 78p

WANTED TO BUY

FARM WANTED—I want to hear from party having farm for sale. Give price and description.—John W. Wait, Champaign, Illinois. 79

WANTED—Improved farm, give description, location and price at first writing. Frank Schroeder, North Buena Vista, Iowa. 78-pd.

WANTED—Tent large enough for eight horses. John A. Jacobs, Middle River, Minn. 80

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand baby carriage. Must be in good condition. Phone 2301. 78

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—Competent cook. Wages $85.00 per month. Also second cook wages $55.00 per month. Both room and board. Address D. McCanan C-o Merchants Hotel, Grafton, N. D. 78pd

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—County agent. Full coverage policy. Life, Accident and Health. Old Line. Legal reserve.—McDonald-Parthun, Genl. Agents, 420 Soo Line Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 78p

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—I buy and sells Harps and Violins, at bargains. Anyone interested write to N. W. Renlin, Red Wing, Minn. 82

FORD CARS—If you are in the market for a second hand Ford car in excellent condition call on the McFarland Auto Co. [illegible]

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—J. E. Hurt, Phone 7-F-21. 75tf

Smiles Laughs

TUES. JULY 13

8 p. m.

Thief River Falls Auditorium

Reserve Tickets on sale at Lambert's Drug Store.

Big Dance Starts at 10:30 p. m.

"Olle i Skratthult"

the famous Swedish Comedian

and Big popular company of eight people. See big advertising on billboard posters.

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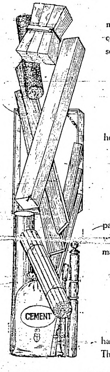

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Needed Money Badly But Returned Lost Wallet

If there is a man in the county who could very handily use $50 just now it is Halvor Williamson of Grygla. A short time ago he was mistaken for a bear and shot at by a neighbor with the result that he has been under the care of doctors here for about three weeks. While leaving the court room on Monday after listening to the proceedings awhile, he picked up a wallet on the floor. The pocketbook contained $50 in greenbacks and there was nothing to prevent him from retaining the money with every assurance that nothing would ever be known of the matter. Instead he turned it over to Sheriff W. J. LaBree who in turn easily discovered the owner, P. J. Keating.

—Trade at Home—

Wants Boys and Girls to Get Fair Exhibits Ready

Miss Ida Tandberg, in charge of the boys' and girls' exhibit at the county fair, writes from Moorhead asking The Times to remind the young folks of the necessity for beginning the preparation of their exhibits at once. It is particularly desired that the children's display be the best ever shown at a county fair in this section as it will be shown at the auditorium under the most favorable circumstances. This department has always been one of the most interesting at the fair and it is hoped that every boy and girl will make an effort to have it even better for this year's great fair.

—Trade at Home—

Absence of Snow Fails to Check Great Ski-Jumper

Ben E. Bothun, formerly on the reportorial staff of The Times and now city editor of the Chippewa Daily Herald, sends the following clipping from his paper with reference to the Great Siegfried, the summer ski jumper who is to appear at the Pennington county fair on August 4, 5 and 6:

"It may be of interest to the many ski sport followers in Chippewa Falls to know that Sig Stienwall, who was among the noted ski riders who participated in the National tournament in this city last January at which time Anders Haugen won the American championship, is still in the game right in the middle of the summer. He didn't hang his skis up when the snow went away and is now riding down greased scaffolds at county fairs and landing in a net."

—Trade at Home—

San Franciscan Elected Elks' Grand Exalted Ruler

William M. Abbott of San Francisco, was elected Grand Exalted Ruler of the Elks at the first executive session of the Grand Lodge on Tuesday and Los Angeles was selected as the meeting place of the National Convention next year.

Fred C. Robinson of Dubuque, Ia., was re-elected grand secretary and P. J. Brennan of Dennison, Texas, was retained as grand treasurer.

A report from Grand Secretary Robinson, which was approved by the board of Grand trustees, was submitted to the convention, recommending that a permanent home and administration building be erected, with facilities for serving the 700,000 Elks in the United States in "some centrally located large city."

—Trade at Home—

Chief Issues Warning to Those Bathing Near Bridge

Bathers are warned to stay on the north side of First street bridge when swimming in the river, otherwise there is liable to be a serious accident one of these days. People watching the bathers rush across the bridge in order to keep track of those whose habit it is to float under the structure and lately some have just missed being run down by automobiles. Stay on the portion of the bridge provided for foot passengers and do not get in the way of traffic. This is the advice given by Chief of Police E. O. Erickson in a notice published in another part of The Times this week.

—Trade at Home—

Summer Vacations For Postoffice Force Begin

Tarje S. Brokke and his sister, Miss Anna, members of the postoffice staff, began their summer vacations the first of the week. They will have a two-weeks' rest which will be spent in visiting relatives and friends in other sections of the state. Upon their return two other members of Postmaster Morgan's staff will leave for a similar period. Fred Protz, carrier on city route No. 2, is the first man in his department to take advantage of the vacation opportunity given by the government and has started on his layoff. Gunder Legvold is acting as substitute clerk and Ray Kiland as substitute carrier.

—Trade at Home—

Auction Sale.

Of cows, horses and farm implements, 6 miles west and 1 mile north of Thief River Falls, Wednesday, July 14, at 1 p. m., on Eastman farm. F. M. Mousley. j8

—Trade at Home—

Taxpayers' Notice.

The city council of the city of Thief River Falls will meet as a board of review at the council room in the Auditorium on Monday, July 12, at which time all applications for correction of tax assessments will be heard.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

j-1-8

NEW HAY ALREADY BEING SHIPPED FROM COUNTY

Nick Bundhund, the Goodridge banker, informs The Times that the hay shipping season has already opened in the eastern end of the county. One carload has been sent to Montana parties by Andrew Aasen and more will follow in the near future. The crop is one of the best of late years and the demand is such as to make a good price practically certain. There has been an excellent market developed for Pennington county hay, both tame and wild, in Montana, that state taking practically all that our farmers do not need for their own use.

Railroad Men Will Examine Record of Both Candidates

Records of Senator Warren G. Harding, the republican nominee for president, and of the nominee of the democratic convention, Governor Cox, will be sent to the members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, who will be asked to form their own opinions and vote accordingly.

President W. G. Lee of the Brotherhood announced this is the policy to be followed by the organization in the November election. The records will be mailed out from the Washington office of the brotherhood as soon as they are prepared, Mr. Lee said.

"Records of the candidates will be placed side by side and sent to the men," Mr. Lee declared. "With the facts before them our members are sufficiently intelligent to form their own opinions."

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following entries were made at the Physicians hospital since last Thursday:

Miss Mable Patterson, St. Hilaire; Iver Sande, city; Verna Liden, city; Neil Christenson, Mahnomen; John Gustafson, city; Melvin Olson, city; J. J. Weber, Angus; Geo. Ferries, city; Leslie Keebler, city; John Kalinoski, Greenbush; Emil Hedland, city; Ralph Werdin, city; Grace George, city; Helen Wagner, Middle River; Ida Wagner, Middle River; Bart Costello, Rhoda; Harry Anderson, Middle River; Mrs. M. L. Swanson, city.

—Trade at Home—

Mail For Soldiers.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of Amund E. N. Eknes or Celia Omdahl, presumably returned service men although not originally from Pennington county, may be conferring a great favor on them by notifying Postmaster John Morgan where they may be reached. Mr. Morgan has departmental mail awaiting them and has been unable to discover their present place of residence.

—Trade at Home—

Attending Elks' Convention.

D. J. Cordes and Perry Froseth, members of the Thief River Falls band, left Sunday evening for Chicago where they will play for the annual convention of Elks as part of the Fergus Falls band. They will return the last of the week.

Public Reception at Music Store.

The formal opening of the Thief River Music company was held on Saturday evening in their new quarters, 215 E. Third street. Every detail which would tend to make it a success was carefully attended to. The musical numbers consisted of vocal, violin and piano by Mrs. Irma Hallory Fisher, Ausilga Sorenson and Doris Halvorson, respectively, all of whom are artists, were especially well received. Miss Sorenson came up from Grand Forks that same day for the express purpose of entertaining the public at this opening. Each visitor was presented with a souvenir. Flowers were given to the ladies while the gentlemen received cigars.

Splendid Concert.

A musical attraction which delighted a large audience was that given by the Concert Company from Gustavus Adolphus college under the auspices of the Swedish Lutheran church last Sunday evening in the Trinity Lutheran church. Every number, which consisted of selections for voice, violin, cello and piano, was liberally applauded. Everyone who attended considered the concert one of the best of its kind ever given in this city. The Swedish Lutheran church is to be complimented in being able to secure an entertainment of such high standing.

—Trade at Home—

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Tuesday afternoon, July 13 at the home of Mrs. Finberg, east of the Eighth street bridge. They will be entertained by Mrs. Christenson. There will be election of officers for the ensuing year and it is requested that every member will be present at this meeting. Anyone sewing for the Belgians will please bring a finished product.

—Trade at Home—

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.04
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.01
Oats	.86
Flax	3.22
Barley	1.07
Rye	2.04
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.80
Bran	2.05
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.00
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.50
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.17
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb.	.15
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring Chickens	.25
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.30
Dairy Butter	.48
Creamery Butter	.55
Cow Hides, per lb.	.15
Horse Hides	5-7½
Calf Hides	.25
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.18
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.15
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.13
Steers, per lb.	.07
Calves, per lb.	.07
Cows	.06
Lamb, per lb.	.10

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Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church—Sunday: English service at 11 a. m. No evening services. Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock Ladies Aid. 8 p. m. Young Peoples society in basement of church.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Burackman, Pastor—On Sunday, July 11th the regular meetings will continue: In the morning Sunday school at 10 a. m. and public worship at 11. In the evening at eight o'clock the evening meeting for worship.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, July 11: Sunday school at 10 a. m. No morning service. Service at 8 p. m. conducted by Rev. W. Drotts of Viking. Rev. Drotts will also preach at Black River at 3 p. m.

The First Swed. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Service next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Service in the American language at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and bible class at 11:45. The Ladies Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. J. Swanson at her home near Steiner, Thursday afternoon, July 15.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Ladies Aid at Goodridge Wednesday at 2 p. m., July 14. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday, July 15, Mrs. Wollen entertains. Bethlehem Ladies Aid at Bethlehem congregation will give a mission fest out in the free at Mr. Sam Groven Sunday afternoon, July 17th, at 2 p. m. Ice cream and coffee will be served to all. All are invited to this fest.

Bible Chautauqua.

The Scandinavians of Thief River Falls consider themselves very fortunate in having a Bible chautauqua Trockman's Friday, July 16, at 2 p. m. held in their own language. The meetings are attended with great interest. All Scandinavians are invited to the chautauqua tent to hear the following subjects. Thursday evening, "The Power of God Unto Salvation." Friday evening: "Will Christ Come Again the Second Time? How? and Why?" Sunday evening: "Are We Living in the Time of the End? May We Know When it Began?"

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Today and Friday
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A Paramount-Artcraft Picture.

Saturday
MADALINE TRAVERSE
In
"WHAT WOULD YOU DO?"
Black despair engulfed her! One way out presented itself—Did she seize it?
Keystone Comedy
[illegible] 2:30

Sunday and Monday
WALLACE REID
In
"EXCUSE MY DUST"
With a strong supporting cast including
Theodore Roberts—Ann Little—Tully Marshall
As for speed, love, daring, fight and excitement—Oh, Boy! Oh, Girl! You'll say it's a PICTURE!
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A Paramount-Artcraft Special
Matinee Sunday: 2:30

Paying What's Fair

THE average American is fair-minded. He prefers to pay his way and ask no favors.

People have no objection to paying the right price for a commodity once they know what the right price is.

The right price for gasoline is based first, on the cost of crude oil; second, on the cost of refining; and third, on the cost of distributing the refined product.

During the war prices were fixed by Governmental demand rather than by natural law.

The very low prices obtaining in 1915 were due to two causes—first, to ultra-conservatism due to uncertainty; second, to the spectacular production of oil in the Cushing fields, a production which dwindled almost as magically as it increased.

Since the Armistice the cost of every item entering into the production, refining, and distribution of petroleum products, has increased to an unprecedented degree. The production of crude petroleum has not kept pace with the demand. This has caused fierce competition for such crude oil as is obtainable. This competition has forced the price of crude up until it is costing the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), f. o. b. Whiting, $4.30 a barrel, as against $2.92 on Nov. 11, 1918—an increase of 47 percent.

Yet in the same period gasoline advanced in price but 24 percent.

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Monday, July 19, 1920

all my personal property, to-wit:

26 head high grade Guernsey Cattle
All milch cows have had the tuberculin test and found free.
10 of these cows were sired by Golden Morning, registered Guernsey.
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One cow 4 years old, milking
One cow 4 years old, milking
One cow 4 years old, milking
One cow 10 years old, milking
One cow 8 years old, milking
One heifer 3 years old, milking
One heifer 3 years old, milking
One heifer 3 years old, milking
One bull 2 years old
One bull 2 years old
Three yearling heifers
Three yearling bulls
Three winter calves

Horses
One black gelding 4 years old
One sorrel gelding 11 years old
One yearling colt
30 chickens

Machinery
Tractors and [illegible]
One Fordson tractor, used one season
One set of Fordson fenders
One self-lift tractor plow
One double tractor disc
One runabout Metz, with box

One gasoline pump with hose
One manure spreader
One Deering 7-ft. cut binder, new
One McCormick mower
One Jones mower
One McCormick hay rake, new
One sulky plow with breaking attachment
One 16 disc harrow
One 14 in. breaking plow
One 3-horse harrow
One harrow cart
One Van Brunt 16 disc drill
One Mandt Wagon
One wide tire wagon
One garden cultivator
One grain tank
One set of bob sleighs
One jumper, one buckboard
One cutter, one buggy
One Hero fanning mill, new
Hay racks, grindstone, buggy poles
One set heavy work harness
One set breeching harness
One single work harness
One single buggy harness
Bridles and 6 collars
One stock pump and tank
One well pump
Two iron barrels
Six yards of good gravel

Household Goods
One dining table, one library table, one oak and [illegible] folding davenport, one sanitary couch, two iron beds, three springs, two mattresses, two pads, 11 chairs, 4 rocking chairs, one commode, one dresser, one sewing machine, center table, fur robe, carpets, rugs, steel range, 3 burner kerosene stove, heating stove, kitchen cabinet, table, churn, washing machine, cream cans, one DeLaval cream separator and farm and garden tools too numerous to mention.

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COURT VACATES PROCEEDINGS IN PAVING MATTER

Restraining Order Set Aside and City May Proceed With Program.

City May Issue Its Certificates For Share of Costs in the Undertaking.

Complainants Fail to State a Cause For Action, Says Judge Grindeland.

Judge Andrew Grindeland in chambers at Warren on Tuesday denied the application of a citizens committee of Thief River Falls requesting that a permanent injunction be granted to prevent the city council going ahead with the local paving program.

A temporary restraining order was issued by the court on May 25, and this order is vacated and set aside by the recent ruling. The temporary order was issued pending a decision of the state supreme court in a case which had been appealed to it for an opinion. This ruling was found to have aplication only in cities operating under home rule charters, and therefore the status of the Thief River Falls case was not altered through these proceedings.

The Court's Opinion.

Judge Grindeland, in refusing to grant a permanent injunction, rendered the following opinion:

"Under said Chapter 65 the city has the power to issue certificates for the payment of the 'whole or part of said improvement' and section nine thereof provides that the 'amount of any such certificates at any time outstanding shall not be included in determining any such municipality's net indebtedness under the provisions of any applicable law.'

"From a fair and reasonable construction of said Chapter 65, Laws 1919, the court is of the opinion that the city can issue the certificates in payment of the city's proportionate share of the cost of the improvement as well as that which is to be borne by special assessment against abutting property. Hence the city can raise by such certificates a sufficient amount to pay the entire cost of the improvement and pay the contract price complained of. The said Chapter 65 further provides that the city shall provide funds to meet the certificates as they become due. The court can see no valid reason presented by the pleadings whereby the city cannot appropriate from the general revenue fund of said city each year a certificate falls due a sufficient amount, plus the amounts received by the city for special assessments, to meet the certificates as they fall due, and this may cover a period of 20 years, if the city so desires, and there is nothing in the pleadings which would indicate to the court that the city will be unable to meet the certificates as they fall due.

"The court is of the opinion that the complaint fails to state a cause of action and the application for an injunction is therefore denied and the restraining order vacated and set aside."

—Trade at Home—

BIG ST. PAUL TOUR INCLUDES THIS CITY

Thief River Falls Among Points to be Visited on Second Booster Trip.

Saturday, July 31, representatives of the jobbing subdivision of the St. Paul Association will be in Thief River Falls for the purpose of meeting our merchants and improving trade relations between the two cities. The Capitol City boosters will arrive over the Soo by special train but the length of their stay in the city has not yet been determined. The entire week beginning on July 26, will be taken up by this excursion which will visit Glenwood, in this state and Oaks, Valley City, Minot and Kenmare in North Dakota, making Thief River Falls the last stop before returning home.

Practically every business house in St. Paul will be represented and the event will be an important one. A previous tour was made to the cities [illegible] the Northern Pacific in North Dakota and Montana.

—Trade at Home—

MUCH INTEREST IN BIG BAND CONCERT

Soloists a Particular Feature of Bachman's Million Dollar Organization.

Graydon Lower, euphonium soloist with Harold Bachman's "Million Dollar Band" will appear in Thief River Falls on the 21st of July, on his second season with that organization. During the war Mr. Lower was leader of a cavalry band which achieved considerable reputation. He was recognized as one of the finest euphonium players in the army service. Mr. Lower was one of the hits of the season with the "Million Dollar Band" last season and comes back to the organization this summer after a successful season in Illinois and Iowa as a director of a 12-piece concert orchestra under his own name. In addition to his work with the brass sextette and quartette that Mr. Bachman is featuring this summer, Mr. Lower will be heard on this sweetest toned of all band instruments in several of the standard solos for the euphonium.

As a special attraction with his Million Dollar Band, Mr. Bachman is presenting a very talented violin soloist, Mr. Ering Sodahl, of Duluth. Mr. Sodahl has studied with the finest teachers in the northwest and comes to the Bachman band from Duluth with the highest recommendations from the press and critics of that city. Sodahl's repertoire consists of the more popular of the violin classics. Some of his accompaniments are played by Walter F. Klingman, of Louisville, Ky., at the piano and some are played by the band. Mr. Bachman says that the most difficult thing his band has to do is to play accompaniments for the violin solos and it is this class of work that the real art of his organization is best displayed.

Mr. Sodahl is also a splendid pianist and a saxaphone soloist. He was featured in special saxaphone numbers with the "Million Dollar Band" at the Palace Music Halls in Chicago last year.

—Trade at Home—

GREATEST FAIR GETTING READY FOR EXHIBITION

Every Department Will This Year be More Interesting Than Ever Before.

Amusement Features of High Order Secured For Three Days of Exhibition.

Great Interest Centers in Auditorium, Where Several Exhibits Will be Placed.

As the time approaches for the opening of Pennington county's fair, August 4, 5 and 6, it is becoming more and more evident that it will far surpass anything of the kind ever before attempted in this section of the state. Not only will the amusement features be in a class by themselves, but the exhibits also promise to excel those of previous fairs both in number and quality. Barring a season of extremely inclement weather—which the fair management neither hopes for nor expects—the attendance this year undoubtedly will be much greater than last year. The success of previous fairs held here and the rapidly increasing interest of local people in such exhibits portend a record-breaking attendance during all three days of the Pennington county fair this year.

Amusement Features.

Nothing has been left undone to make the amusement features of the fair everything to be desired. Besides the many special attractions which will be free to all those securing admission to the fair grounds, Secretary Smith announces that he has secured the famous Little Giant shows in order to make this part of the program all that can be desired. While this aggregation may be placed in the class of "carnival companies," it is not of the kind which proved objectionable to local people some two or three years ago.

The Little Giant shows are engaged with the explicit understanding that any attraction complained of by fair patrons may immediately and without further argument be closed by the fair management. Among the amusement devices carried by this company may be mentioned a Ferris wheel, merry-go-round, airplane carousal and a number of high class vaudeville and other tent shows. The Little Giant people are now filling a series of engagements on the Grain Belt circuit in North Dakota and nothing but words of commendation have been heard concerning them.

Exposition at Auditorium.

About twenty local merchants, wholesalers and manufacturers have engaged quarters at the auditorium for industrial exhibits and demonstrations during the fair. While this part of the exhibition has not yet been completed in detail, assurance is given that it will be very interesting and well worth going to see. Among other things, Dr. Milan will show a number of samples of basket work done by patients at the sanitarium. It is also expected that a number of [illegible] will have excellent exhibits placed in this section.

Free Program Twice Daily.

A full program of free attractions will be given in front of the grand stand each afternoon and evening of the fair. There will be no increase in admission over previous years, despite the fact that this year's numbers cost the management about twice what ordinarily has been spent for these features.

A drive for the sale of season tickets for the fair is to be carried on by the Woman's club and the Girls' Community club. Season tickets will be sold at $2 and there admit the holder or any member of his family to any performance. This is done for the purpose of relieving the congestion at the gates which results when all tickets are purchased at the grounds. The following prices of admission will prevail at the grounds: Day prices, adults 50 cents; children 25 cents; automobiles 25 cents and grandstand 25 cents. After 6 p. m. adults will be admitted to the grounds for 25 cents and children for 10 cents.

GUERNSEYS WIN ALL PRIZES AT OUTSIDE FAIRS

Cattle Display From Pennington County Makes Clean Sweep in Three Cities.

F. B. Conklin, Albert Johnson and H. C. Woolson Herds Are Represented.

Sweepstakes as Well as Individual Awards Fall to Local Breeders.

WIN CHAMPIONSHIPS, DAKOTA STATE FAIR

Word was received in the city yesterday announcing the winning by the Pennington county Guernsey display of the most important awards at the North Dakota State fair, Fargo. F. B. Conklin's cow, "Ciss," and H. C. Woolson's bull "Robert Boy Minnesota," took the grand championship prizes in their respective divisions against very strong competition. Three famous herds were pitted against the Pennington county cattle. One of these was shown at the National Show last year and is now on its way to be again exhibited there.

Added triumphs have this week been scored by Pennington county cattle. In this immediate neighborhood it has for some time been recognized that the dairy stock raised here was equal to any and superior to most of that produced in this section, but it remained for the Pennington County Guernsey Breeders' association to prove to outsiders that this was no mere local boast.

Just as a starter 22 head from three of the foremost Guernsey herds in the county were selected for the purpose of exhibition at nearby fairs. The exhibit has captured everything in the way of prizes for which it has thus far been entered and it looks as if the entire trip would be one triumphal journey.

Win Three to Date.

The first stop was at Ada where the Norman county fair was in progress. Here the Pennington county exhibit was awarded the blue ribbon in each of the classes in which it was entered. The fair rules at Ada do not permit of outsiders competing for the money prizes but this was a matter of small importance. The main thing so far as the owners were concerned was the knowledge that the judges acknowledged their exhibits to be the best on the grounds.

At Fertile three days later the same thing was repeated. The Pennington county exhibit secured all the blue ribbons in the Guernsey division in competition with some of the best herds in that section.

Clean Up at Crookston.

A report of the livestock entries at the Crookston fair last week states that in the Guernsey class, F. B. Conklin of Thief River Falls, was the chief exhibitor. His prize ribbons include: first on senior yearling bull, aged cow and also grand champion, two year old heifer, senior heifer calf, senior bull calf, junior heifer calf, second on senior yearling heifer and third on senior yearling heifer.

Albert Johnson of Thief River Falls won first prize on "Golden Mossman of Jean-Duluth" in the junior yearling bull class.

H. C. Woolson of Thief River Falls, won first prize on aged bull and also sweepstakes in this class, first on yearling heifer and junior bull calf; second on aged cow, two year old heifer, senior bull calf, heifer calf; third on two year old heifer.

At Fargo This Week.

During the remainder of this week this exhibit will be found at the Cass county fair at Fargo where it is expected that the success attending its previous appearances will be repeated. In fact Prof. W. A. McKerrow of the University of Minnesota, who judged these animals at the Crookston fair, stated that they would without question be strong contenders at the Minnesota state fair.

Next week the tour will come to an end after the stock has been shown at the North Dakota state fair, G[illegible] it will be brought back in time for the Pennington county fair in this city on Aug. 4, 5 and 6.

—Trade at Home—

$25,000 ADDITIONAL FOR FLOOD VICTIMS

Total Now Has Reached $200,000 Out of Appropriation of Half a Million.

The state board of relief at a special meeting Monday in the governor's office at St. Paul appropriated an additional $25,000 to cover the feed and seed relief granted during the winter and spring by Appraiser Scott Laird to flood sufferers in this part of the state. This makes a total of $200,000 set aside for flood relief out of the half million dollar appropriation by the special session of the state legislature a year ago following the disastrous July floods. However, a considerable part of this sum will revert to the state next fall when the seed grain notes are paid by the borrowers.

Mr. Laird expects shortly to make a tour of the flooded areas before closing up his work for the summer. The relief was granted for the purpose of getting settlers to remain on their land this spring and start over again and not to recompense those who suffered loss. In this way much good was accomplished for in many instances people would have been forced to abandon their farms which quite often were so heavily encumbered that they would probably have been sold under mortgage foreclosure.

—Trade at Home—

Bound Over to Grand Jury on Liquor Selling Charge

Godfrey Carlson of Thief River Falls was yesterday placed under $600 bonds to insure his appearance before the next grand jury to answer to the charge of bootlegging. The complaint was sworn to by Solomon Blue, an Indian, who claims he purchased three pints of alcohol and one quart of whiskey from the defendant on July 10. The case was tried yesterday in municipal court and the evidence was sufficiently convincing to cause the accused man to be bound over.

The necessary bonds have been secured and the defendant is now at liberty.

—Trade at Home—

SCHOOL ELECTION SATURDAY EVENING

Two Places on Board to be Filled But No Candidates Seek Positions.

The annual school elections in District No. 18 will be held next Saturday evening, at which time two directors are to be chosen to fill the places of H. S. Dahlen and F. F. Haynes, whose terms have expired. These gentlemen have decided, for business reasons, not to seek re-election at this time. They have given efficient service in the past but feel they can no longer afford to devote the time which close attention to school matters, board meetings and other school business necessitates.

No candidates filed for the positions previous to the expiration of the time limit for such filings, and therefore it is hard to conjecture whom the voters will decide upon as successors of the two retired board members. There is a general feeling, however, that two women should be chosen for the place, making four men and two women on the board, and the names of Mrs. L. G. Larsen and Mrs. J. J. Richtel have been prominently mentioned. These ladies are fully qualified to handle the work incident to these positions, both being public spirited and each enjoying a record of much public work well performed.

—Trade at Home—

THIRD CHILD'S CLINIC SATURDAY, JULY 24

Dr. Pearson of State Board of Health Will be Examining Physician.

The third children's clinic to be held in this city has been announced for Saturday, July 24 at the auditorium. Dr. Pearce of the state board of health will be the examining physician.

The two previous clinics held here were among the most successful in the state, the number of children examined being large and the general interest keen. Our people were highly complimented by state health officials for the knowledge they showed concerning the importance of this move for better babies on the part of the board of health and their action quoted as an example for other communities to follow.

Dr. Pearce will examine all children brought to him and give advice as to their care. He will also diagnose all cases where disease is suspected and prescribe a course of treatment.

Parents generally are invited to take advantage of this opportunity to have their children examined by an expert.

—Trade at Home—

Local Young Men Freed of Highway Robbery Charge

A case involving an alleged holdup came up in municipal court for hearing yesterday, but was dismissed on motion of County Attorney Theo. Quale for lack of evidence.

The complaint was sworn out by Gussie Shoemaker, transient, who said she and Solomon Blue, while passengers in a taxi driven by Godfrey Carlson, were relieved of $40, a watch and handbag, by a thug who held them up just outside the city limits. The complaint charged Joe Jetland with the holdup and Carlson with being an accomplice, alleging that the driver was not molested by the highwayman.

Owing to the somewhat shady character of the complaining witnesses their testimony was not given much credence, and the case was dismissed.

—Trade at Home—

Joins Sanitarium District.

Red Lake county will co-operate with Pennington, Roseau and Marshall counties in the maintenance of the Oakland Park sanatorium for tuberculosis, located near Thief River Falls, according to action taken by the Red Lake county board. A tax of 1 mill will be levied for maintenance and a 1-mill tax for the erection of new buildings. Red Lake county's two members on the sanatorium board have not yet been chosen, but it is expected that they will be when the board meets.

STOCK KILLED AND BUILDINGS RAZED BY WIND

Country to North of Thief River River Falls Visited by Tornado Last Sunday.

Lars Erickson, Residing Near Gatzke, is One of the Heaviest Losers.

No Crop Damage Here and Reported But Slight in Other Localities.

A wind storm, which at times gained the violence of a tornado, visited the country to the north and west of Thief River Falls last Sunday. Considerable rain fell in Pennington county and there was some wind but no damage worth mentioning has been reported either to crops or other property. Other sections did not fare so well.

Lars Erickson's farm, two and one-half miles southeast of Gatzke, received the full force of the blow. His large frame barn was literally torn to pieces and scattered over forty acres of ground. The barn contained five horses, two of which were killed. His well house, machine shed and other smaller buildings also went. The residence, being of logs, set up endwise, stood the strain and did not fall, though it was somewhat wrenched, the walls in places being torn away from the floor for a space of six inches. The kitchen part is a one-story log addition on the east end of the house and at one instant the northeast corner of this addition raised up a foot from the ground. Mr. Erickson and the women folks of his household expected the house to go over, but it settled back and the danger was past. Mr. Erickson and his family stayed near the south door and did not leave the building. Even the plastering did not fall.

Fine Grove Destroyed.

A fine grove of large poplar trees nearly surrounded the Erickson buildings and this is a complete wreck, few of the trees remaining undamaged, most of them being broken over and the broken tops twisted into snarls. Trees a foot in diameter were broken up the same as the smaller ones.

Mr. Erickson's neighbors came on Monday and gathered up and stacked what they could find of the 25 or 30 tons of new tame hay that had recently been put in the barn.

The Lundsetter place a mile west of Erickson's was damaged somewhat, a threshing machine being demolished and parts of it were picked up in the Erickson grove a mile away.

Church Skidded Along.

The Presbyterian church about three miles west of Erickson's and a mile northwest of Rollis, was also destroyed. It stood on the C. E. Williams farm and the wreckage is scattered over probably forty acres of his land. The marks on the ground show that the building was first lifted off its foundation and skidded on the ground right side up for about fifty feet before going over. The cupola, under which the bell hung, was driven into the ground about 100 feet from the former site of the building. The stove, a good sized round upright heater, was standing right side up in the field about 500 feet from the foundation, unbroken except that the doors and legs were gone from it. Pieces of the organ, chairs and other furniture and apparatus were scattered over a wide expanse of territory.

Is Heaviest Loser.

But the hardest hit man in all the storm-swept area is George Curtiss, who lived in the town of Whiteford, about five miles west of the Rollis church. His house, barn, machine shed and all other smaller buildings, excepting the chicken house, were demolished, household goods, machinery and all being broken and scattered. Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss and the smaller children were visiting at the W. J. Evans home, half a mile north at the time, but three of the older children were in the house and miraculously escaped unhurt, the oldest girl of the three pulling the younger two out from under the wreckage after the storm had passed.

A mare and a couple of colts were tied in the barn but were unhurt, being found nearby tied to the two by four which had formed part of the manger.

The tamarac grove near the Curtiss buildings was badly torn up by the wind, though it does not appear to have been as hard hit as was the Erickson grove.

Mr. Erickson fortunately carried $1500 in storm insurance, which will help out some in making good his loss, but Mr. Curtiss, carrying no insurance, and losing his house and household goods as well as his outbuildings, is left in a bad situation. It comes particularly hard on him as he is still feeling the effects of being completely drowned out in last year's flood.

Along with the wind there was hail that did some damage to crops in places, though this damage was not general. According to reports the hail was worse further north and east, hail stones as large as a man's fist being reported from the country around Salol in Roseau county. Some minor damage to buildings, trees and outstanding property was done in the Hanson neighborhood ten miles northeast of Middle River.

Comes From Far South.

John A. Carlson, for many years bridge foreman for the Soo railroad in this section with headquarters in this city, is back on a visit to old friends. For the past three years Mr. Carlson has been residing at Dyar, Alabama, and has practically ceased from active labor. At the time of his retirement he was one of the oldest men in point of service employed by the Soo and is now on the pension roll. He has a wide circle of friends here who were greatly pleased to find him looking so hale and hearty in spite of the fact that he has passed man's alloted three score and ten. Mr. Carlson is not certain that he will stay at his present location, although he likes Alabama well enough. He is at present considering going to California for the purpose of making that state his home in the future.

—Trade at Home—

Hay Shipments Begin.

Two carloads of prairie hay from this year's crop were this week shipped from the vicinity of Goodridge to St. Paul. The hay brought $23 per ton at the city market, and it is anticipated that much more of the same kind will soon be ready for shipment.

—Trade at Home—

KENORA MAY BE TOURISTS' GOAL ON ANNUAL RUN

Plans Being Considered Which Will Include Visit to Canadian City.

Would Mean Practically a Two-Day Voyage on Beautiful Lake of Woods.

Arrangements Nearly Complete and Indications Are For 100 Excursion Members.

Local automobile bugs are patching up their Lizzies and plugging up the leaks in their spare tires. Every little detail which might add to comfort or reduce hazard in a long road run is carefully being looked after. And it is very likely the weather man is receiving numerous supplications for a period of dry weather the latter part of this month. The aforesaid bugs can hardly be blamed for this unusual activity when it is remembered that on the morning of the 27th they expect to start out more than a hundred strong on a boosting tour which is expected to put all previous efforts along this line in a total eclipse.

To Boost County Fair.

The primary object of this run is, of course, to spread propaganda concerning the Pennington county fair among Thief River Falls' neighbors to the north. With their destination as Warroad, the boosters plan to stop at every town on the Great Northern enroute, and upon their return will accord similar treatment to the towns along the Soo. Two full days will be occupied in this manner, and there will not be a minute to spare if it is to be done up right. A band will accompany the pilgrimage to liven up the proceedings with choice bits of music, and the wide-awake northenders will no doubt do their part in adding what little details are necessary to make the visits mutually pleasant.

May Go Farther.

Since the tour was announced last week it has been proposed that the tourists extend their trip to a boat ride on the beautiful Lake of the Woods, with Kenora, Canada, as their destination. It is more than likely that this boat excursion will be included in the program and in this case three or four days will probably elapse before the pilgrims return to Thief River Falls. At this time of the year nothing could be finer than a long voyage on the big boundary line lake and the idea is received with enthusiasm by all who contemplate joining the booster party.

President Streeter of the Automobile association is busy attending to details of the trip and if anything is lacking to make it a complete success it will not be his fault.

—Trade at Home—

VOLSTEAD CONTESTS KVALE NOMINATION

Former Thief River Falls Pastor Accused of Violating Corrupt Practices Act.

Proceedings in the contest against Rev. O. J. Kvale, formerly pastor of a Thief River Falls church, and Nonpartisan league candidate nominated for congress in the seventh district republican primaries over Congressman A. J. Volstead, were to open in district court at Benson Monday.

Nomination of Rev. Kvale is being contested under the corrupt practice act on charges preferred by 25 voters of the district, alleging that he made false and slanderous statements regarding Mr. Volstead, and that the latter unjustly was attacked as an "atheist" in a pamphlet issued on behalf of Mr. Kvale shortly before election. The pamphlet also, it is said, made false statements regarding Mr. Volstead's record in congress. Should the contest be sustained, Mr. Kvale would be ousted as nominee and Mr. Volstead would be declared the republican candidate for congress in the seventh district.

BOOSTERS FROM MANY SECTIONS HEAD THIS WAY

Grand Forks Coming Tomorrow One Hundred Strong to Boom State Fair.

Will Arrive From Warren, Stay For Dinner and Continue to Crookston.

One Hundred St. Paul Wholesalers Coming on Special Saturday, July 31.

After having for some time been rather neglected when the itinery of trade excursions from the cities were being considered, Thief River Falls is promised its full share of visitors of this kind in the near future. Two booster parties will visit the city during the present month and there are prospects of more coming later on.

Grand Forks Leads Off.

Secretary H. Mayne Stanton of the Grand Forks Commercial club, has notified The Times to the effect that about 100 business and professional men from that city will be in Thief River Falls tomorrow, arriving in time for dinner. Their particular mission, outside of making a friendly call, is the boosting of the Grand Forks fair, which will be held in Grand Forks next week. The boosters will arrive by auto from Warren and will in all likelihood stage a parade, make some speeches and otherwise conduct themselves as high grade boosters should. They are making a tour of all the cities and towns in this section and the understanding is that they will go from here to Crookston.

St. Paul Wholesalers Next.

About one hundred of the leading wholesale merchants and manufacturers of St. Paul will visit Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 31, arriving at 7:45 a. m. and remaining for about two hours.

The trip will be conducted under the direction of the St. Paul Association of Public & Business Affairs, to which all the important jobbers and manufacturers of the city belong.

These excursions have become a regular feature of the work of the association's sub-division of jobbing and manufacturing and affords an opportunity for the business men of St. Paul to meet the business men of other cities of the Northwest.

Territory covered will be by special train over the lines of the Soo road, going from St. Paul to Glenwood; from Glenwood to Oakes; from Oakes to Valley City; from Valley City to Minot; from Minot to Kenmare and Portal; and from Thief River Falls to Detroit.

The trade tour will occupy the entire week of July 26, being made by special train of eleven cars including sleeping and dining cars so that the entire party can live on the train during the week.

Carry Great Band.

The Minnesota State band of twenty-five pieces will accompany the party and concerts will be given in each town in which the train stops. The feature of the visit will be the parade of the entire party through the main streets of the city immediately upon their arrival. Numerous souvenirs will be distributed to the children.

The object of these trips is that the wholesalers and manufacturers may have an opportunity to personally meet their friends and customers in the towns visited, see their places of business and acquaint themselves with business conditions.

The special train schedule has been approved by the operating departments of the various railroads and it is expected that schedule will be maintained.

—Trade at Home—

EASY WINNERS IN RAGGED BALL GAME

Radium Team Outplayed in Every Department by Thief River Falls on Sunday.

The poorest and most ragged ball game of the season was played on the diamond here last Sunday when the locals won over the much-advertised Radium team of salaried players. There was nothing to it from the start, the Thief River Falls bunch having it on the visitors at every turn. The final result stood 16 to 4 in favor of the locals. There was a very light attendance.

Next Sunday the fast Grygla team comes for a return game. This team was defeated by Thief River Falls by a narrow margin on the Grygla grounds and the boys from up there will come determined to even things up. These same teams will also be pitted against each other in the elimination contest at the county fair and Sunday's game will give something of a line on what to expect at that time.

Outside of the game last Sunday those played in this city up to date have been excellent base ball exhibitions and should have drawn larger crowds. Unless a little more interest is taken in the sport the boys can hardly feel justified in keeping up an organization. It means work and expense for them and if the people of the city do not care to even turn out to see the games all attempts to keep the club going will be abandoned.

City News

Mrs. Russell of Superior is a guest at the Christ Christianson home this week.

Frank Cecke of Hillsboro, N. D., was in the city on Friday attending court.

Fred Johnson of Holt spent Thursday in the city attending to business matters.

Jennie Folden, who has been employed in the city, left on Monday for her home at Holt.

Bernhard Knudsen left Monday for Minneapolis to attend to business interests for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bijono of Lisbon, N. D., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Oen.

A. C. Dale left on Monday for International Falls, after having spent Sunday at his home here.

Rev. George Larson returned on Monday from Walker, where he had attended a church dedication.

Scott Laird left Sunday night for St. Paul on business for the State Board of Relief.

The greatest bargain giving event of the season—Charles Lieberman's Money-Raising Sale. J15

Mrs. Rierson arrived on Monday afternoon from Holt to visit with Mrs. Lufkin for a few days.

G. Halvorson left Sunday night for Dumont, where he will attend to business matters for a few days.

Beatrice Dale of McIntosh arrived in the city on Monday to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Miss Onata Stoppel left Monday evening for her home at Alexandria to spend a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire shopped and visited with friends here on Thursday.

Rev. George Larson left on Thursday evening for Walker where he will attend the dedication of a church.

Miss Viviah Tripp arrived from Baudette on Monday to visit at the S. C. Simonson home for a few days.

Depend upon yourself. If you lack training take a course in the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Warrick and children, of Bellingham, Wash., are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Adkins.

Miss Theone Walker returned Friday from Detroit where she had spent last week visiting with friends at the lake.

Mrs. J. Hedman of McIntosh returned to her home on Thursday after visiting at the home of Mrs. O. Ness.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, left on Saturday morning for Rosewood where they visited at the John Hellquist home.

Miss Ruth Dybvik left on Monday for Baudette, where she will visit at the home of her brother, Harry, for a *few weeks. Her sister, Gladys,* who has been visiting there for the past month, will accompany her home.

Alfred Haugen on Tuesday resumed his duties at the Oen Mercantile company after enjoying a few days' vacation.

L. O. Dock left on Monday for Greenbush to attend to business matters. He remained there for two days.

Alfred Dybvik left on Monday for Baudette, where he will be employed by the International Lumber company.

Miss Loretta left on Monday for her home at Williams, where she will be the guest of her parents for a few weeks.

Attorney P. J. Swenson of Hillsboro, N. D., spent Friday in the city attending court and visiting with friends.

Minnie Troland, who is employed at the Evelyn hotel, has gone to her home at Gatzke to enjoy a two weeks vacation.

Buy clothing, shoes and furnishings now. You can save money while the great sale is going on at Charles Lieberman's. J15

Miss Mabel Shefveland of Holt is a guest this week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Bot Nyborg. She arrived last Saturday.

Clifford Storholm returned to this city Monday evening from Gonvick, where he had spent a week visiting with relatives.

Mr and Mrs. E. Larson of Kenmare, N. D., arrived on Wednesday for a visit at the home of their son, L. G. Larson and family.

Sam Oen and son, Sigrud, motored over from Park River, N. D., on Sunday and spent the day visiting at the Rasmus Oen home.

Mrs. Harry Fisher returned to the city on Tuesday after spending the week end visiting with her niece, Mrs. Mortenson of Cyrus.

Sergeant Vance B. Hunter returned on Wednesday from Red Lake Falls, where he had spent a *day attending* to business matters.

P. K. Calloway returned on Sunday to Minneapolis. He had been the guest of Dave Gustafson since the previous Wednesday.

Mrs. G. B. Evenvold arrived from her home at Detroit Monday evening to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gust Wollen, for a week.

Miss Esther Warner, who is employed at the Loken store, left on Saturday for her home at Holt to enjoy a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Margaret Wilkinson of Red Lake Falls arrived Friday morning and will be the guest of Miss Agnes Tandberg for a few weeks.

Miss Lucile McGinnity has returned from Red Lake Falls after spending a month's vacation at the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Ford.

Lake Bourque and Fred Will returned the first of the week via auto from Alexandria, where they had spent a few days with friends.

Mrs. Morris Goodman and son of St. Paul arrived here the latter part of last week for a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Bertha Giller.

Miss Edith Craven left Saturday morning for Bemidji, where will be employed. She had spent a week in this city with relatives and friends.

A. E. Fossum returned to Grand Forks on Monday after spending a few days visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fossum.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned Sunday from Bemidji where they spent the week-end visiting with friends. The trip was made via auto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek, Miss Anna Vorachek and Mrs. Hodek motored to Itasca State Park on Sunday morning to enjoy a week's outing.

Reductions all along the line—not only on a few items. We need the money and are sacrificing profits in order to get it quick. Charles Lieberman. J15

A. Berven of Minneapolis, who had been visiting for a few days at the home of his cousin, Mrs. O. Tessum, left Monday night on a trip to Montana.

Mrs. N. B. Waldorf and daughter Bernadette left on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where they will be the guests of relatives for a week or ten days.

Misses Mary and Alice Mulden, who had been visiting for a month with their parents, returned on Monday afternoon to Fargo, where they are employed.

R. L. Hill arrived from his home at Red Lake Falls on Monday. He will remain here for some time to receive medical aid at the Physicians hospital.

Mrs. R. J. Meadows arrived on Sunday morning from her home in Chicago to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Bakken, for a few weeks.

Miss Irene Kimball, who had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Abbott, for two weeks, left for her home in Cedar Rapids, Ia., on Sunday evening.

Miss Karen Knutson left Saturday afternoon for Fargo, where she will visit with relatives and friends for a week. While there she will also attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bredeson motored to Henning on Saturday where they will spend two weeks on an outing. They were accompanied by Miss Louise Erickson.

A big barn dance will be given at the Carl Zwer farm in town of Sanders on Saturday, July 17. Three-piece orchestra will furnish music. Everybody welcome. J15

Mr. and Mrs. M. Benson and children returned Wednesday evening from Detroit, where they had been enjoying an outing at the lake for the past two weeks.

The Luther League of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained at the J. P. Swanson home near Steiner, Friday evening, July 16. Everybody welcome.—J-15p.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Nelson, Miss Dorothy Holmes and Lloyd Scholtz, all of Inkster, N. D., spent Sunday and Monday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zavoral.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pratt returned the first of the week from a motor trip to Ottertail and Detroit. The roads were in fine condition and they enjoyed the trip immensely.

Misses Hannah and Freda Erickson of Fargo, who have been visiting at the home of their cousin, Gustaf Erickson, left on Monday for Holt to visit other relatives.

Emil Olson left the latter part of the week for New London, where he will visit with relatives for a few days. While there he will also visit with relatives in Irving township.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nybakken arrived recently from Minneapolis and are spending a few weeks visiting at their parental homes. Mrs. Nybakken was formerly Miss Vera Kitzenberg.

The great sale of high-grade clothing, furnishings and shoes continues at the Charles Lieberman store. The prices are reduced all along the line. Come while the picking is good. J15

Mrs. Harry Fisher, who has been visiting at the T. P. Anderson home for the past month, left on Saturday for Cyrus, where she will be the guest of her niece, Mrs. Jens Mortenson.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Wang and daughters Ruth and Laura spent Tuesday in the city visiting with friends enroute to Long Lake where they will spend the rest of the summer.

Bernhard Knudsen left on Monday evening for Madison, Wis., for the purpose of attending the grand lodge meeting of the Sons of Norway as delegate from Enorre lodge of this city.

Robt. Flynn of Minneapolis, accompanied by Miss Ruth Ella Mabey, of Lake City, arrived here on Thursday evening for a visit at the home of their daughter and aunt, Mrs. E. M. Stanton.

Mrs. J. E. Mahoney and Mrs. Wm. Kirkwood returned to their homes in Crookston on Friday. They were accompanied by their sister, Miss Mamie LaCoe, who will visit with them for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patton of Malcolm, passed through this city on Tuesday. They were on their way to Federal Dam, where they will make their future home with their son, F. C. Patton.

Leonard Peterson and nephew, George Johnson, left Monday afternoon for Crookston, where Mr. Peterson is employed. They had spent a few days visiting at the Peterson home in this city.

Mrs. C. E. Carlson and children and Miss Doris Johnson left on Saturday morning for Fordville, N. D., where they will visit for three weeks at the home of Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sculthorp.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Peterson left for the cities on Sunday. While there Mrs. Peterson expects to buy the fall hats for her millinery. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson expect to be absent for [illegible]

Miss Marie Lacey, who was in the city for a week on a visit to friends and relatives, returned Monday morning to her home at Carrington, N. D. She was accompanied as far as Detroit by her brother, Ed.

John Ness and family arrived Saturday via auto from Spokane, Wash., to visit at the Ed. Ness home for a week. They were joined at Hendrum by Ole Rogness and family, who spent Sunday at the Ness home.

Mrs. Laurence Larson left for her home in Milwaukee on Sunday evening. She expects to stop at Minneapolis and Toma, Wis., to visit relatives for a few days. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Nels Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beckley, A. N. Morgan and Miss Olive Johnson of DesMoines, Ia., who had been guests at the Roy Morgan home for a week, left last Thursday for a visit at St. Paul enroute to their home. They were accompanied to Federal Dam by Mr. and Mrs. Morgan where they spent a few days fishing.

Ten per cent off on vases and candlesticks until July 25, at Laird's.

This is the season for pumps and oxfords. Prices reduced at Langseth's. J15

Picnic paper plates, saucers, spoons, napkins, at ten per cent discount until July 25, at Laird's.

Olivia Swenson of Rosewood, who had been visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Nyhus, left on Monday for Badger, where she will visit with relatives for a few weeks.

Rev. Olaf Gulseth of Minneapolis made a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wangenstein the latter part of the week, before leaving for points in North Dakota where he will visit.

Misses Merriam and Ella Miller, Evangeline and Lucille Burns and Meta Kiland, and Oscar Paulson and Francis Burns left on Saturday morning via the auto route for Itasca State Park where they will spend the week camping.

Misses Frieda and Tillie Ristau, Barbara, Rose and Mayme Votava, Agnes and Josephine Lendebjan, Fred Woods, Frank Votava and Richard Lund motored to Maple Lake on Sunday. The party reports a very enjoyable time.

Jordan Penney, Derby Anderson, Rolf Rasmusen, Alvin Holzknecht and Archie Dahl motored to Crookston on Saturday to attend the fair. From there they went to Maple Lake and spent Sunday. They returned to this city Sunday evening.

Mrs. P. Becken and two sons, Eugene and Russell, returned to their home in Erskine on Thursday via the Great Northern. They spent two weeks visiting with friends in this city and with the former's parents, who reside near Mavie.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Terney arrived on Friday from Newfolden where they have been visiting relatives the past few weeks. While in the city they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson. Mr. Terney is a brother of Mrs. Anderson.

Miss Anna Leimers left Monday night for Glenwood to spend a few days visiting with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Funnell. From there she expects to go to San Francisco to visit during the remainder of the summer with another sister, Mrs. Kueffer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Ramstad motored to Hillsboro, N. D., on Saturday. They will visit at the O. A. Stavaas home for a few days. Mr. Stavaas will be remembered as a former pastor of the local United Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes and daughter Ruby, Mrs. Ole Ostby and daughter Maybelle, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Thorson, left this morning via auto for Minneapolis. From there they expect to go to Spring Grove where they will visit with relatives for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larson of this city had as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Kleppe and daughter, Murial of Genora, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dahl and son, Herman, of Minot, N. D. Mrs. Kleppe and Mrs. Dahl are sisters of Mr. Larson.

Mrs. John S. Anderson and daughter, Carmen, of Minneapolis, spent last week visiting with their husband and father, who is employed as a painter in this city, and also at the Joe Zavoral home. Before returning to Minneapolis they expect to go to Warren and visit relatives for a few days.

Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has been granted a well-earned vacation. He plans to start for his old home in Pennsylvania early next week, where he expects to spend some time with his aged father, and with his sister, who is at home from Africa on a furlough. From there the distance is not great to New York city where his brother lives on the Jersey side. Rev. Barackman expects to be back to resume his duties on August 22. Meanwhile the church is to receive some repairs.

—Trade at Home—

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City News

Big reductions on pumps and oxfords at Langseth's. J-15

All ten cent tablets at 9c or 3 for 25c at Laird's until July 25.

Albert Arveson of Neptune spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Clarence Cook of Karlstad spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Regular 10c package of envelopes at 9c or 3 for 25c until July 25 at Laird's.

F. C. Brendecke left on Wednesday for Chicago to attend to business matters.

Miss Evelyn Peterson of Hazel is taking her father's place on the Board of Audit this week.

O. C. Hanson left Wednesday for Wentworth, S. D., after spending a few days in the city on business.

Miss Esther Bennes left this morning for Fertile, where she will visit at the home of her aunt for two weeks.

Misses Lavenn Nelson and Valborg Sandum left Wednesday for St. Hilaire, where they spent a few days visiting.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn and daughter Lillian of Viking are spending a few days in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Christ Krohn returned to the city from Alexandria on Tuesday where he has spent the last week visiting with friends.

Alvin Holzknecht, Willie Bakke and Elmer Smith left on Wednesday via auto for Detroit where they will visit a week at the lake.

Mrs. Bertha Giller, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Goodman, who had been her guest for a number of days, left *Saturday evening for the* latter's home at St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Bradley, who are guests at the Johnson home, motored to Crookston on Saturday to attend the races.

Jas. Parenteau has returned from Noyes following a visit with his brother.

Note the prices quoted on the pumps and oxfords displayed in our windows. A. M. Langseth. J15

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rowan and son returned Wednesday evening after a few days' visit with friends at Argyle.

John and Arnold Wollen returned yesterday from Fordville, where they had spent six weeks with their uncle, Ole Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tommeraasen arrived on Wednesday from Willmar and expect to make this their permanent home.

Mrs. Beatrice Giller and Miss Margaret Hayes of Boston arrived Tuesday and will be the guests of friends for a few days.

Mrs. W. LaFave left on Wednesday morning for Fort Francis to visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Frenette for a month.

Allan Grady, who is employed at the Lambert drug store, left yesterday for his home at Isanti to enjoy a week's vacation.

Misses Selma and Emma Swanson left Wednesday afternoon for Grand Forks to attend the fair and spend a few days visiting.

Mrs. John Bergstrom and children of Federal Dam are guests at the L. W. Manther home. They expect to remain for about two weeks.

Rev. Olaf Gulseth of Minneapolis, formerly of Park River, N. D., visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein from Tuesday to Friday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Larson and little daughter Loraine of Milwaukee visited last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dargan from Bovey arrived in the city on Wednesday to spend a few days at the Thill home. Mr. Dargan is Mrs. Thill's brother.

Misses Ivy and Fern Thompson, who have been visiting at the Ben Swanson home in the city, returned to their home in Montevideo Wednesday.

Mrs. W. Larraint and children left on Wednesday for their homes in Grand Forks after spending a few days visiting with Miss Lottie Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradley arrived from their homes in Minneapolis on Friday evening to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson for several weeks.

Mrs. Han. Hoven of Plummer arrived yesterday and will be a guest at the John Gullingsrud home for a few days. Mrs. Hoven and Mrs. Gullingsrud are sisters.

Mesdames L. H. Lawrence, Roy Lambert, W. H. Akre, T. A. Way, W. B. Lawrence and Mrs. A. Lawrence left on Wednesday via auto for Crookston, where they spent the day.

Mrs. Hamry of Handley Can., and Mr. Kinsley and Miss Quiel of Park River, N. D., visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein. Mr. Wangenstein is an uncle of the former.

Miss Mable Satre left Wednesday for Fargo where she will meet Miss Thrina Dosland, formerly of this city. From there the young ladies are going to Spokane, Wash., to visit with relatives indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Perl W. Mabey left Sunday morning via auto for Lake City, where they will spend a week visiting with relatives. On their way back they will stop at Grand Rapids to visit friends a week.

Miss Amy Nelson and nephew, Robert Johnson, arrived Wednesday morning from Minneapolis, where the former has finished teaching a term of school. They will visit at the O. H. Nelson home indefinitely.

The Young Peoples' society of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the church basement on Thursday, July 22. Entertained by Mrs. A. Dybvik, Mrs. J. J. Weeks, Mrs. C. B. Larson and Mrs. S. O. Quammen.

Roy Brown returned on Tuesday from Bronson where he has been visiting with relatives for the past week. He spent the day in this city visiting with friends and relatives before returning to his parental home in Grygla.

Ed. Hermanson returned to his home in Minneapolis on Tuesday evening after spending the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermanson. Mrs. Hermanson and children will remain in the city for a few weeks.

Society

Boyden-Murphy Marriage.

The following, taken from the Shakopee Tribune, will be of interest to many residents of Thief River Falls, Rev. Boyden having at one time been pastor of the Presbyterian church in this city where the bride is still well remembered by many:

"The marriage of Miss Flora Boyden, only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Boyden of Eden Prairie to John Murphy of Washington, D. C., was quietly solemnized at the Presbyterian church last Sunday, immediately after the morning services.

"The church was beautifully decorated in green and white. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Rev. C. E. Boyden.

"The bride was attired in white organdy with a pink georgette hat.

"The bridal couple left that evening on a short honeymoon trip. Owing to the illness of the bride's father they will live here for a while.

"Congratulations and best wishes are given to the newly wedded couple."

Dinner Party.

Mrs. Nels Larson entertained a number of ladies at her home on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Laurence Larson who has been her guest the past week. The rooms were prettily decorated with white daisies. The afternoon was spent in doing needle work and at six o'clock a delicious dinner was served. Those having the pleasure of the afternoon were Mesdames Reynolds, Knudsen, W. Sponheim, Tandberg, Weeks, E. O. Erickson and Misses Josie Weeks and Esther Tandberg.

Sholes-Olson.

Mr. Melvin Olson and Miss Nellie Sholes were quietly married on Monday the twelfth at the Presbyterian manse, Rev. Barackman officiating. The bond was sealed by giving and receiving the wedding ring. The bride had chosen to be married in georgette over blue satin. Mr. Olson is manager of the Co-operative store at Salol where the young people will make their home after a short motor trip. Their many friends wish them a prosperous experience.

Fiske Club Gives Party.

The Fiske club gave a party for Elric Berg on Tuesday evening, the event being his sixteenth birthday. The evening was spent in playing games and at 10:30 a most delicious lunch was served. Those having the pleasure of the evening were: Lloyd Johnson, Allan Sorenson, Clifford Storholm, Orren Storholm, Willis Johnson, Elric Berg, Robert McGinn and Margaret Melgaard, Eyrsle Anderson, Margery Hoppe and Thelma Christianson.

Eaton-Johnson.

Mr. Orman H. Eaton and Miss Mary G. Johnson were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon last at the M. E. parsonage by the Rev. J. B. Smith. The young couple came from Red Wing and their unison will pleasantly surprise their many friends. Mr. Chris Berg and Miss Esther Johnson, both of this city, witnessed the ceremony.

Miss Grundhaus Entertains.

Miss Lucille Grundhaus entertained a party of young folks at her home on Saturday evening. The evening was spent in dancing and games, and at midnight a most delicious lunch was served. Everyone concerned report a splendid time.

Klungness-Nustvold.

John Klungness and Ethel Nustvold of Marshall county were united in marriage June twenty-fifth at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. Geo. Larson officiating in the presence of Arthur Nustvold and Amanda Klungness.

Mrs. Erickson Entertains.

Mrs. E. O. Erickson was hostess at a delightful dinner party on Sunday evening at her home on 416 Horace Ave., given in honor of Mrs. Laurence Larson of Milwaukee who has been visiting at the Nels Larson home in the city.

—Trade at Home—

Church Notice.

Bethlehem Ladies' Aid at Bethlehem congregation will give a mission fest out in the free at Sam Groven's Sunday afternoon, July 18th at 2 p. m. Ice cream and coffee will be served to all. All are invited to this fest.

—Trade at Home—

Dance Wednesday Evening.

After the concert at Squaw Point by the Million Dollar Band, Wednesday, July 21st, a dance will be given at the Auditorium, dancing to commence at 9 o'clock. A 7-piece orchestra, made up of members of the Million Dollar Band will furnish the music. This orchestra is classed as one of the very best so that a good time is assured to those attending.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following people have entered the Physicians' hospital since Thursday, July 8th:

Gladys and Clarence Iverson, Erie; Wallace Berg, Naytahwaush; Mrs. Paskewitz, Grygla; Mrs. Ed. Peterson, St. Hilaire; Vivian Gabrielson, city; Lillian Domstad, Wylie; R. L. Hills, Minneapolis; Elmer Rouken, Goodridge.

—Trade at Home—

Captain Kelly Bids Farewell.

After spending a period extending to about eight months in Thief River Falls, Captain Kelly of the local Salvation Army corps will bid farewell to this city on Sunday, July 18, at 8 p. m.

Captain Kelly was a little surprised to receive orders to leave as he was in the midst of a successful stay with the work here.

While in this city the captain has secured permanent quarters for the army, thereby putting it on a good footing. While here he has also received a promotion in rank from first lieutenant to captain.

Captain Kelly has made many friends and regrets the fact that he has to leave them after just getting acquainted. The farewell meeting will take place at the local barracks, 317 Main Ave., and the captain will leave the following week for New Rockford, N. D., where he will take care of the army's work.

—Trade at Home—

Notice to the Public.

Notice is hereby given that on and after Monday, July 19, all journeymen barbers in the city of Thief River Falls will cease work for the day at six o'clock p. m. On Saturday work will cease at ten p. m.

(Signed)
P. J. COTE
B. G. WALKER
O. E. ERICKSON
E. PHILLIPSON
W. W. GREGORY
GEO. BAKKEN
CARL HILLIARD
WILLIAM POIRIER
ELMER A. SOLTAN
RICHARD JORINGDAL
OSCAR EVANS J15

—Trade at Home—

Norwegian Lutheran Folks Picnic at Silverton Church

A picnic will be given on the Silverton church grounds by the members of the congregation next Sunday. This is an ideal place for a gathering of this kind and it is anticipated that everyone attending will have a splendid time. The ladies' aid society will serve a lunch and the young people's society is planning on running a refreshment stand. The general public is cordially invited to come out and spend Sunday at the picnic with the Silverton folks.

Important Elks' Meeting.

There will be a regular meeting of Thief River Falls lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E., next Friday evening. Among the important matters scheduled for consideration are the final arrangements for the annual picnic. It is desired that all members be present.

—Trade at Home—

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

—Trade at Home—

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minn., postoffice for the week ending July 10, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago, Ill.:

Brand, Mr. B. & W. Barristers.
Henson, Mr. Thomas
Moore, John H.
Olson, Mr. Willie
Plosecker, Mrs. Gena
Riebeo, Miss Idella
Tommerdahl, Mr. H. C.
Tostenson, Miss Clara

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$65.00 SUITS	$16.25	$48.75
$55.00 SUITS	$13.75	$41.25
$50.00 SUITS	$12.50	$37.50
$45.00 SUITS	$11.25	$33.75
$40.00 SUITS	$10.00	$30.00
$35.00 SUITS	$ 8.75	$26.25
$30.00 SUITS	$ 7.50	$22.50
$25.00 SUITS	$ 6.25	$18.75
$20.00 SUITS	$ 5.00	$15.00

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BOOST THE COUNTY FAIR.

In three weeks the Pennington county fair will have been held and its success or failure recorded. There is no likelihood of its being a failure, but each and every man and woman in the county can do something to make it a winner than will be the case if they take its success for granted and let it go at that.

The Pennington county fair is the greatest in Northwestern Minnesota. This does not mean that others are not worth attending, because such is not the case. It does mean, however, that the Pennington County Agricultural society makes a greater effort to have the event one of outstanding importance than is the case in other communities. During the past few years the attendance has been the greatest and the features the most varied of any county in this section. This is admitted.

Every department is this year going to be bigger and better than ever before and it is up to our people to let the world know about it. There is something every one of us can do to help boost this big show. Talking about it under any and all circumstances will keep interest alive for one thing. Secure something in the nature of advertising matter for the fair and include it in your correspondence, particularly that part of it reaching nearby territory. Make the fair your fair and its success a matter of personal concern. The undertaking is big enough to warrant your doing this without afterward being called to account.

Another thing you can do is to become a member of the boosting party visiting towns to the north of Thief River Falls on July 27 and 28. This will be a most enjoyable outing on its own account and particularly important because of the good it will do the fair. A couple of days' vacation will benefit us all anyway, and if the program now under contemplation by the tour committee of the automobile association is carried out, those who fail to join the party will have occasion to regret it long and sincerely.

THE NORTH DAKOTA RESULT.

The politics, nationality, location or business association of a candidate evidently makes no difference to the voters of North Dakota. They follow no rules in their voting and it is just a little difficult to see just what they are trying to do.

Frazier was renominated as the Republican candidate for governor but Baer, the Nonpartisan congressman, was defeated in the Grand Forks district. Senator Gronna was defeated by Ladd, the latter having the Nonpartisan endorsement. The variation in the vote for the different candidates shows that neither the Nonpartisans nor the opposition made any pretense of voting their ticket straight.

This may prove that the people of North Dakota vote for the man instead of the party, which is perhaps a good sign. At any rate it leaves the result rather hard to analyze.

One can never tell much about North Dakota, anyway. With an overwhelming Republican population of Scandinavian descent, the state on three different occasions elected John Burke, Democrat, to the office of governor. It is very evident that the people over there refuse to be tied to any political party or dictated to by any particular leader. For this reason the outcome in November can only be guessed at, although it is certain that all factions opposed to the Nonpartisans will get behind O'Connor, Democrat, for governor.

AGAIN OUR CATTLE WIN.

Pennington county livestock has again scored, this time in a manner that cannot help but attract wide attention.

The Guernsey breeders of the county have steadily and intelligently been breeding toward a better type of dairy cow. Every year has noted a great improvement, and while the same is true of those who fancy cattle of other breeds, the Guernsey men have taken the lead in working toward thoroughbred herds. They have not been noisy or assertive about it, being satisfied to plug along steadily with approximate perfection as their ultimate goal.

The good results of their efforts have during the past week been made manifest in a most unmistakable manner. These breeders got togther a carload of stock of this class for the purpose of display at nearby fairs. Thus far everything in the way of awards has gone to this Pennington county exhibit. Ada was the first point at which the animals were entered and every prize ribbon at the disposal of the judges fell to their lot. Norman county fair rules do not permit cattle from outside to compete for the money prizes, but this is a matter of no particular importance. The main thing as far as the owners are concerned is that their stock was the best at the fair. At the Fertile and Crookston fairs the result was the same. This week the display will be exhibited at Fargo, and during three days of next week it will be found at the North Dakota state fair, Grand Forks.

The Guernsey breeders are entitled to a lot of credit for their enterprise in thus advertising to the world the fact that Pennington county is producing stock of surpassing quality. They are bearing the expense of the undertaking themselves but the benefit will extend to every part of the county. Another year it is more than likely that the Holstein and Shorthorn men will also get into the game. Their stock would be certain to attract as much favorable attention as have the Guernseys.

FODDER GOING TO WASTE.

Last year the hay growing wild on thousands of acres in the eastern part of Pennington county proved the means whereby the herds of many a Montana and western North Dakota stockman were saved. Because of the shortage of the hay crop in those localities this wild hay was cut, baled and shipped to the points where it was needed and brought a good price.

Up to date three carloads of this fodder has been shipped this year and there should be a thousand more. The demand seems to be unlimited and the price sufficiently high to insure a good return for the man who proves enterprising and far-sighted enough to take advantage of the opportunity offered. The hay shipped this year brought $23 per ton in St. Paul, which sum should leave a good margin over the cost of production and the transportation charges.

Here is a crop that may be had practically for the taking. It has cost nothing for breaking, harrowing, seeding or seed. The supply is unlimited and the market at hand. It is probable that a farmer could make more actual money by devoting his time to the gathering of hay of this kind than by farming on a more diverisfied scale—at least while the price remains where it is.

There are a number of men in the county so fixed that they could take advantage of this situation if they so desired. Some have the means to go into an enterprise of this kind as a business proposition, while others have the necessary equipment. Getting together would mean that there would be solid returns from a product that will otherwise go to waste. This is almost as good as making two blades of grass grow where but one grew before.

Churches

The First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services Sunday morning. Bible Class and Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. J. Swanson at her home near Steiner Thursday afternoon July 15. The Luther League will be entertained by the Swanson family Friday evening, July 16, at their home.

Methodist Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Miss Bolton of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday next, July 18, at 11 a. m. and Rev. G. O. Parish will occupy the pulpit for the evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Cordial invitation to all.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, July 18. Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services morning or evening. Services east of St. Hilaire at 10:30 a. m. and Black River 3 p. m. and St. Hilaire at 8 p. m. The Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. John Erickson at her home 313 Tindolph avenue north, Thursday July 15th.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson Pastor—Service in city 11 a. m. Mission fest in Sam Groven's grove, east of city, 2 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Gust Wallen entertains. Zion Young Peoples' society meets Thursday evening at 8 p. m. The society entertains. Bethlehem Ladies Aid at Truckman's, east of city Friday, 2 p. m.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Life." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—On Sunday, July 18, the regular services will be held in the church. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. and evening worship at 8 p. m. The Woman's Missionary society will meet at 518 Main avenue north on Friday, July 16. The Sunday school will continue to meet on the following Sundays at ten o'clock. On July 25th and August 1st, the Sunday school will hold its meetings in the basement of the church. Regular services will be resumed on Aug. 22.

—Trade at Home—

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. John's Lutheran church will meet in the church basement on Wednesday afternoon, July 21. Mrs. A. M. Langseth entertains. All are welcome.

GREAT "ROUNDUP" IN ROUNDUP BANK

Recently the Citizens State Bank, Roundup, Mont., "rounded out" its banking force by employing C. Van Hise, a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. This "roundup" of former D. B. C. pupils in bank's also includes the cashier, asst. cashier and bookkeeper.

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HAROLD BACHMAN, Conductor.

Harold Bachman, Director of the Million Dollar Band, which is to play in Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening, July 21, has had a career which fits him admirably for the position he now holds as director of a big concert band. After graduating from college, where he specialized in music for a period of eight years, he played for several seasons on the road with different concert organizations, among which was the famous Bohumir Kryl Concert Band of Chicago.

Between seasons he studied his chosen instrument, the cornet, with H. A. Vandercook of Chicago, and Mr. Vandercook counts Director Bachman as one of his most successful pupils, using his name on all his advertisements for his cornet school.

With this experience Mr. Bachman was well qualified to make a name for himself as director of an army band, in which capacity he served for about two years before taking his own band on the road to enter into the commercial band business.

The Duluth Herald has the following compliment to pay to the ability of Director Harold Bachman: Those who have heard the Million Dollar Band at the Rex feel sure that they have seen one who is to become one of the foremost band leaders of the country. Conductor Bachman fairly dripped music from his finger tips and it is small wonder that his company of musicians did so well under his competent direction.

"Look Out Sousa," was the heading of an article in the Milwaukee News on the work of Mr. Bachman, who played to record-breaking audiences in the Miller Theatre of that city during the week of the 12th of October last season.

Mr. Bachman says that his band this year will be much better than ever before.

Milwaukee News: "Look Out Sousa! The Million Dollar Band is a whirlwind."

Billboard: "Good assembly, capable musicians, selections all well played."

Chicago Vaudeville: "This band is far above the average and well worthy of its place in Big Time Vaudeville."

Minneapolis Tribune: "Conductor Bachman's Band has proved its right to be reckoned among the foremost bands of the country."

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The complete unofficial returns of [illegible] Dakota Republican primary [illegible] Lynn J. Frazier, Non[illegible]6, for governor and [illegible], Independent, 54,172, [illegible]274 for Frazier.

[illegible] state treasurer with [illegible], give John Steen, [illegible]01 and R. H. Walk[illegible], 53,915.

[illegible] railroad commission, N. [illegible] and Frank Milhollan, Non[illegible], and J. Williams, Independent, have been nominated on the face of almost complete unofficial returns.

—Trade at Home—

Home For Masons Opened Saturday Near Shakopee

The ceremonial opening of the home for aged Masons of Minnesota on the banks of the Minnesota river across from Savage, took place last Saturday. The home is reserved exclusively for aged Masons but later on it is intended to enlarge the home by means of separate cottages for taking care of the children of indigent Masons.

The home itself was the M. W. Savage homestead purchased for about $56,000 and remodeled. There are 271 acres.

—Trade at Home—

Boy Scalded to Death.

Warren Sheaf: A very sad and distressing accident happened Monday forenoon about eleven o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Strom in this city. Their little boy, Earle, nearly five years old, while playing about the house, happened to fall into a wash boiler containing a small quantity of hot water, severely scalding his back, limbs and shoulders. Medical aid was obtained immediately and everything possible done to alleviate the pain and save the boy's life, but to no avail. His injuries were too severe and he died on Tuesday morning at 9:15 o'clock. The parents are almost beside themselves with grief at the loss of their darling little boy in this unfortunate manner.

—Trade at Home—

FARMERS SPLIT TICKET TO FAVOR STEENERSON

(Warroad Pioneer.)

The returns show that over 4,000 of those who voted the league ticket made an exception for Halvor Steenerson. And nearly all of those were in the country precincts, among the [illegible] no personal objection to his opponent, Mr. Thormodson, any more than to any other candidate on the ticket. It was a vote for Steenerson, not against someone else. The farmers have watched his fight for a square deal in grain grading and in getting fairer markets, they have seen some results gained, some progress made; have seen that he is capable of holding his own with any of the best of them, and they want him to continue his efforts, in co-operation with any and all other forces that may be lined up in behalf of the farmers. And the result of this great vote of confidence will no doubt be to give him renewed determination and courage—qualities with which he has always been well supplied—to carry on the battle for a square deal for the producers in the grain markets, and to help carry it on to a successful conclusion.

—Trade at Home—

Run Down By Automobile.

Warren Register: Andrew M. Anderson took County Attorney Eckstrom and Deputy Sheriff Bordewich out to Nelson Park yesterday to investigate the death of a Karlstad young man who was killed there a few days before by being run over by an automobile. The driver of the car, Ole Anderson, who bears a reputation for speed and reckless driving, is being held pending further examination and the other two persons in the car are being held as witnesses. The victim was injured Sunday and died the following day. Dr. Riegen left today for Karlstad, where he and a local physician will make a post mortem examination of the dead man, who was drunk at the time he was struck by the car and whose death has been attributed by some to causes other than his being run over by the auto.

—Trade at Home—

Fall Class For Nurses at University Announced

The school of nursing of the University of Minnesota will enter a new class in the fall quarter on Sept. 29. Application blanks may be had on request of Miss Louise M. Powell, superintendent of the school, who will notify applicants of the dates of meetings of the enrollment committee.

The three years' course in the school leads to the degree of graduate in nursing; a five year course to the combined degrees of bachelor of science and graduate in nursing. Applications should be filed early and not later than Sept. 10.

The courses in public health nursing will begin Sept. 15.

—Trade at Home—

MANY PERSONS APPARENTLY DROWNED MAY BE SAVED

At this time of year when swimming and bathing are so greatly enjoyed by everyone there is always present the element of danger from drowining. It may be of value, therefore to know just what to do in case of such accidents.

If the discovery by Dr. H. K. Whitford of Elgin, Ill., proves to be what he predicts, hundreds of lives will be saved every year. *He declares he is* able to revive human life after it has been submerged in water up to six hours.

The theory advanced by Dr. Whitford and deemed not illogical by physicians, is an entirely new one. In speaking of his method he says:

"It is impossible for a drop of water to enter the lungs of a person who enters the water alive. This is a contradiction to the timehonored belief that the lungs of a drowned person are filled with water.

"The water striking the larynx causes a spasm which closes the lungs and prevents the entrance of water for a period of nine days, until relaxation commences. Drowning, so called, is merely suspended animation and yet not death.

"To restore animation I proceed first to thoroughly warm the body chilled by long submersion. This is accomplished with hot water in which the subject is immersed for 20 minutes or longer. Following this the old ordinary methods of restoration are resorted to."

This process, he says, makes possible the saving of lives of persons who have been submerged for a time not exceeding six hours. Dr. Whitford claims never to have failed in this method of resuscitation and believes that it will be adopted universally.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBERG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

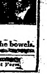

PE-RU-NA
Made Me a Well Man

Mr. Louis Young, 1652 Clifford St., Rochester, N. Y., writes:

"I suffered for thirty years with chronic bowel trouble, stomach trouble and hemorrhages of the bowels.

We bought a bottle of Peruna and I took it faithfully, and I began to feel better.

My wife persuaded me to continue, and I took it for some time as directed. Now I am a well man."

Suffered thirty years with stomach trouble and hemorrhages of the bowels.

Liquid or Tablet Form

It's dollars to doughnuts—

no man ever smoked a better cigarette at any price!

CAMELS quality, and their expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos hand you a cigarette that will satisfy every smoke desire you ever expressed. You will prefer this Camel blend to either kind smoked straight!

Camels mellow-mildness will certainly appeal to you. The "body" is all there, *and that smoothness!* It's a delight!

Go the limit with Camels! They will not tire your taste. And, they leave no unpleasant cigaretty aftertaste nor unpleasant cigaretty odor!

Just compare Camels with any cigarette in the world at any price!

Camels are sold everywhere in scientifically sealed packages of 20 cigarettes for 20 cents; or ten packages (200 cigarettes) in a glassine-paper-covered carton. We strongly recommend this carton for the home or office supply or when you travel.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO CO., Winston-Salem, N. C.

BANK NO. 448.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

CITIZENS STATE BANK

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$780,058.54
Overdrafts			88.37
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			62,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			25,100.00
Other Real Estate			26,600.00
Checks and Drafts in Transit			448.20
Due from other banks		$ 20,253.69	
Cash on hand:			
Currency	$5,400.00		
Gold	165.00		
Silver	2,970.40		
Other	207.02		
Total Cash Assets			35,871.71
Checks and Cash Items			3,859.03
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in excess of earnings			7,223.72
Total			$951,860.83

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock			$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund			10,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable			102,500.00
Deposits Subject to Check		$205,246.01	
Demand Certificates		6,354.04	
Certified Checks		158.06	
Cashier's Checks		11,698.37	
Due to Banks		25,670.91	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$249,128.05		
Savings Deposits	30,258.92		
Time Certificates	508,011.03		
Total Deposits	$787,398.00		787,398.00
Depreciation on U. S. Bonds			1,962.23
Total			$951,860.83
Amount of Reserve on hand			$ 39,730.74
Amount of Reserve Required by law			58,808.88

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Olaf Ramstad, President and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

OLAF RAMSTAD, President,
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
A. M. LANGSETH,
RASMUS OEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1920.
(Seal)
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires May 29, 1927.

BANK NO. 1395.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

First and Peoples State Bank

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$561,216.75
Overdrafts			1,222.01
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			3,760.75
Bonds and Securities other than those of U. S.			49,275.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,030.50
Other Real Estate			59,047.26
Checks and Drafts in Transit			5,617.24
Due from other Banks		$ 92,768.09	
Cash on hand		11,351.82	
Currency	$10,475.00		
Gold	1,102.00		
Silver	2,410.30		
Other	363.92		
Total Cash Assets			107,119.91
Checks and Cash Items			2,955.07
Paid out for expenses, etc., in excess of earnings			5,687.05
Other Resources			719.04
Total			$807,599.58

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock			$ 75,000.00
Surplus Fund			15,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable			25,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$310,020.69		
Certified Checks	217.05		
Cashier's Checks	26,779.50		
Due to Banks	16,662.75		
Total Immediate Liabilities	$362,680.58		
Savings Deposits	40,385.01		
Time Certificates	289,528.19		
Total Deposits	$692,599.58		692,599.58
Total			$807,599.58
Amount of Reserve on hand			$107,119.91
Amount of Reserve Required by law			61,252.82

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, H. S. Dahlen, Vice President and R. M. Sheldon, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. S. DAHLEN, Vice President,
R. M. SHELDON, Cashier.

Correct Attest. (Two) Directors—
HALVOR LOKEN,
CARL B. LARSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1920.
(Seal)
DORA HOLMES,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires June 23, 1923.

CHARTER NO. 5891.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT THIEF RIVER FALLS, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	$867,525.31		
Total loans			$867,525.31
Overdrafts, unsecured			3,385.17
U. S. Government securities owned:			
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	50,000.00		
Pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	79,000.00		
Owned and unpledged	25,550.00		
Total U. S. Government securities			154,550.00
Other bonds, securities, etc.:			
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	1,000.00		
Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged	26,637.80		
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.			27,637.80
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)			2,400.00
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered			59,500.00
Furniture and fixtures			9,514.87
Real estate owned other than banking house			12,292.01
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank			51,757.80
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks			8,073.80
Net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 12, 13 or 14)			151.70
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 16)			[illegible]
Total of items 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17	35,102.34		5,976.75
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer			2,500.00
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable past due			[illegible]
Total			$1,022,910.26

Capital stock paid in			$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund			30,000.00
Undivided profits	$ 31,445.46		
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	28,904.93		[illegible]
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned—(approximate)			5,060.00
Circulating notes outstanding			49,500.00
Net amounts due to national banks			2,918.46
Net amounts due to banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in items 29 or 30)			47,760.59
Certified checks outstanding			43.07
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding			11,333.94
Total of items 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33	65,117.06		
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):			
Individual deposits subject to check			178,079.34
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)			[illegible]
Other demand deposits			33,525.12
			354.98
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39	211,957.44		
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):			
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)			494,780.62
Other time deposits			51,179.51
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 40, 41, 42 and 43	545,960.13		
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers			11,800.00
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank			50,000.00
Total deposits	$834,865.27		
Total			$1,022,910.26

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss:
I, W. H. Akre, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. H. AKRE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
C. L. HANSEN,
RASMUS OEN,
J. P. CURTIS, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1920.
MARIE D. NELSON,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
(Seal) My Commission Expires April 11, 1923.

BANK NO. 1169.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$310,317.69
Overdrafts			121.13
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			422.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			7,132.15
Due from other Banks		$ 23,747.29	
Cash on hand		6,475.61	
Currency	$3,256.50		
Gold	220.00		
Silver	1,686.15		
Other	1,312.06		
Total Cash Assets			30,222.90
Checks and Cash Items			4,810.14
Total			$352,035.22

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock			$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund			5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net			232.99
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable			25,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check		$127,889.71	
Cashier's Checks		5,494.47	
Total Immediate Liabilities		$133,434.21	
Savings Deposits		6,342.63	
Time Certificates		158,025.39	
Total Deposits		$297,802.23	297,802.23
Total			$352,035.22
Amount of Reserve on hand			$ 35,039.04
Amount of Reserve Required by law			24,226.35

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, R. McGinn, President and L. A. Lampert, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1920.
(Seal)
EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires April 2, 1925.

BANK NO. 1231

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

CITIZENS STATE BANK

HAZEL, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30th, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$ 95,185.33
Overdrafts			120.43
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			80.10
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,250.00
Other Real Estate			1,069.84
Checks and Drafts in Transit			89.70
Due from other banks		$ 15,201.67	
Cash on Hand		2,117.25	
Currency	$1,836.00		
Silver	210.50		
Other	61.75		
Total Cash Assets			17,310.22
Checks and Cash Items			334.22
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in excess of earnings			1,593.46
Total			$121,050.39

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock			$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund			2,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable			7,000.00
Deposits subject to check		$ 19,161.90	
Cashier's Checks		2,409.17	
Total Immediate Liabilities		$ 21,571.07	
Savings Deposits		3,069.48	
Time Certificates		77,409.84	
Total Deposits		$102,050.39	102,050.39
Total			$121,050.39
Amount of Reserve on hand			$ 17,310.22
Amount of Reserve Required by law			6,612.69

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Paul Borgie, Vice President and E. C. Karwand, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President,
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
OLE ODEGAARD,
OLAF RAMSTAD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1920.
(Seal)
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires May 29, 1927.

"Are You Getting Real Tobacco"
says the Good Judge

There's more good, lasting taste in a little of the Real Tobacco Chew than you get out of the ordinary kind.

You don't need a fresh chew nearly so often—that's why it costs you less to chew this class of tobacco.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco
W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco

Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on my farm, the Northwest Quarter of Section 14, Town of Kratka, four and one-half miles south and two miles east of Mavie, on

Friday, July 23rd, 1920

Sale commencing at Ten o'clock a. m., all the following personal property to-wit:

6—HORSES—6

One Black mare, 8 years old, weight 1650 lbs.
One Black mare, 8 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
One Bay mare, 12 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
One Grey horse 10 years old, weight 1450 lbs.
One Bay mare, 4 years old, weight 1400 lbs.
One Bay horse, 3 years old, weight 1300 lbs.

13—HEAD LIVE STOCK—13

Five Good milch cows, all fresh in May.
Two Heifers, 2 years old.
Five Spring calves.
One Holstein bull, one year old.
Ten Calves, 3 to 6 months old.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

One binder, 7-ft. cut.
One Deering mower.
One McCormick mower.
One McCormick hay rake.
One 13-in. John Deere gang plow.
One walking plow.
One Van Brunt drill.
One cultivator.
One garden plow.
One three-horse drag.
One disc.
One Cloverleaf manure spreader.
Two sets of new work harness.
One single harness.
One wide-tire Mandt wagon.
One single buggy.
One buggy pole.
One wagon box, with top box.
One spring seat.
One 1000-lb. scale.
One cream separator.
One oil stove.

TERMS: All sums under $10, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1920.

FREE LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

S. T. Gjervold, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auct. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk

COULDN'T RAISE HER HAND TO HEAD

Mrs. Theresia Schneider Gets Rid of All Her Troubles by Taking Tanlac.

"Tanlac has done me so much good and I am so thankful for it that it is a real pleasure for me to tell others about it," said Mrs. Theresia Schneider, 1038 Edmond Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

"Before I began taking Tanlac I was in a badly run-down, weakened condition. My appetite was extremely poor, and after meals I suffered terribly from the formation of gas. At times I had awful dizzy spells, and when one came on me I had to sit right down to keep from falling. I also suffered with intense pains in my back and shoulders, the pain in my shoulders being so bad I could not raise my hand to my head. I had no energy and just felt so tired and worn-out all the time I could hardly manage to do my housework. I could not sleep well and got up every morning with a headache which grew worse during the day until I could hardly stand it.

"I had noticed several statements from friends of mine praising Tanlac and decided I would try it myself and while I have taken only three bottles so far I am glad to say I am just about rid of all my troubles. I have a splendid appetite and can eat anything I want in such quantity as I desire without ever having a sign of gas afterwards. The headaches I had every morning are entirely gone and I never get dizzy any more. The pains in my back and shoulders left me soon after I started taking Tanlac and I can use my arms and hands as freely as I ever could. That tired, worn-out feeling is all gone and I can do my housework with the greatest ease. I am glad of this opportunity to tell what a grand medicine I think Tanlac is."

—Trade at Home—

For Sale Very Cheap.

Freight prepaid, the following slightly used furniture and fixtures: Mahogany dresser, $8.00; mahogany commode, $4.00; large restaurant refrigerator $39.50; one square oak dining room table $6.00; one wardrobe $3.00; store coffee mill $10.00; baby scale $10.00; cigar lighter $12.00; penny match machine $5.00; 12 small wooden stools 75c each; National cash register $60.00; bread showcase $5.00; gum showcase $4.00; wall showcase $25.00; cigar showcase $25.00; candy showcase $17.00; pastry showcase $15.00; notion showcase $12.00; 2 rock Hydraulic barber chairs, leather seats, 1 16-foot wall French Bevel mirror, lavatory and hot water heater, complete $175.00. $125 Remington typewriter $75.00.

Write Metropolitan Furniture Co., 1219 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. Reference Industrial State Bank, Minneapolis, Minn. J-15-pd.

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

New Family Honored.

About a dozen Rosewood families motored out to the Alberts farm three miles west of town last Saturday evening to tender Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, a new family who recently purchased land two miles south of town and intend to make their future home in this community, a welcoming surprise. The evening was delightfully spent in conversation and dancing, and a dainty luncheon brought by the ladies was served at midnight. A massive solid oak rocker was left with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson as a memento of the event. As there are no buildings on Mr. Thompson's land he is renting the Alberts residence until he has the opportunity of erecting a suitable home. The community is glad to welcome all new settlers and especially young and enterprising folks like the Thompsons. What we need is more people on the farms, with a co-operative spirit prevailing. We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and trust their stay will be pleasant and of long duration.

P. Sorenson returned on Friday evening from Warren and Angus, where he had spent a few days visiting his daughters, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Stroble.

The Oscar Blomberg family returned to their home at Crookston the first of the week after spending a week's vacation with the Haugen brothers' families here. Their oldest son, Herman, remained and will spend a few additional weeks here.

The annual school meeting will be held at Rosebank next Saturday, July 17. Both a new clerk and new treasurer will be elected, besides other business pertaining to the school district will require attention. Both men and women, of legal age and residents of the district, may vote.

Miss Jenive Swanson left last Saturday for Badger, where she will pay an extended visit to friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Ranum and children, Stanley and Harry, motored to Roseau last Sunday to visit with friends and relatives during the day.

Mrs. Nels Holm of Twin Valley and Mrs. J. W. Bowman and infant daughter, of Soudan, arrived the middle of the week for a week-end visit with the A. S. Holm family.

Selmer Swenson of Thief River Falls is visiting for a few days with his uncle, A. C. Vorseth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson and son, Earle, of Thief River Falls were Monday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson.

Mrs. Axel Axelson is reported considerably improved and the doctors are giving fair hopes of a complete recovery.

There will be services at the Congregational church in Rosewood next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. The Young Peoples society will meet at the church on Saturday evening, July 17, when lunch will be served at the close of the meeting. Rev. W. Drotts of Viking will have charge. Everybody is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Henning Backlund and family of Strathcona were Sunday visitors at the Carl Mellem home south of town.

Joel and Mary Shoberg spent Sunday afternoon at Holt as guests of the Martin Strom family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blom and sons, Martin and Helmer, spent Sunday at Middle River with the J. Blomquist family.

Messrs. Olson and Anderson, two relatives of Mrs. A. Axelson, arrived last Thursday from Wannaska for a brief visit at the Axelson home.

The Farmers State bank moved into its new building last Monday. This is the finest building in town, modern and up-to-date, and a credit to the community.

—Trade at Home—

AGDER

Ole Soleberg motored to Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. Williams and daughter, Cora, Esther and Grace Torsensen called at Nelson's and Evenson's on Tuesday.

Lawrence Groven visited with Henry Esplee on Tuesday.

Alfred Klungness was a caller at Christ Nelson's Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Peterson and sons, Oscar and Albert, visited at the Hanson and Isaacson homes on Sunday evening.

The county commissioners were looking over the ditch grades in this neighborhood last week.

Tom Senum was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Christ Nelson and children, Clifford, Veral and Edith, visited at Bendickson's last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Swanson and baby autoed to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Mrs. Victor Swanson's sister is her guest this week.

Even Senum visited at Sam Groven's on Wednesday.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday afternoon.

George Senum visited with Henry Esplee Thursday forenoon.

Clara Overum visited at the Chas. Evenson home Thursday forenoon.

Gladys Evenson was a caller last Thursday at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rude and Hermond autoed to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Mr. Berger was a caller on Thief River Falls last Friday.

Carl Johnson and Olaf Halvorson were visitors at Christ Nelson's and Sam Groven's on Friday.

Mrs. George Senum visited with Annie Senum last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Isaacson visited with Mrs. W. Rude on Friday afternoon.

Mr. Antonson and son, Erick, were guests at the Christ Nelson home on Friday evening.

Hermond Rude visited at Isaacson's Saturday forenoon.

Christ Nelson and Millie autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Halvor Listol and son, Ole, and Mrs. J. Esplee autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Carl Overum autoed to Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Mr. Isaacson motored to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Evenson motored to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rupprecht and baby and Otto motored to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Oscar Evenson and children have returned from Pelican Rapids, where they had been visiting with relatives and friends.

Oscar and Roy Nestvold and Otto and William Rupprecht vicited at the Christ Nelson home Sunday forenoon.

Melvin Kaushagen was a visitor at the Ole Solberg home last week.

Mrs. G. Nestvold and children motored to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Roman Olson and children of Holt visited at Sam Groven's last Sunday.

Christ Nelson and Clifford and Veral visited at Hans Jerstad's Sunday afternoon.

Myrtle and Gladys Wold visited at Trockman's Sunday afternoon.

Ernest and Frank Ristau spent Sunday evening at the Christ Nelson home.

Annie Senum visited with Mrs. Geo. Senum on Sunday afternoon.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. C. Struble were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller on Sunday.

Martinus Johnson was a Goodridge caller on Saturday.

The sad news of the death of Emma Haggy at the Thief River Falls sanitarium has reached us. She passed away Thursday afternoon following an illness of several months' duration. Deceased was eighteen years of age and will be very much missed in her home and among her large circle of friends. Rev. H. Bjornson conducted the funeral services on Monday afternoon. The sincere sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Nettie, Benard and Silva Bendickson were callers at the O. Tharaldson home Sunday afternoon.

Bjorne Jorstad was a Sunday guest of Hans Johnson.

Mrs. Harry Weber and children, Violet and Hannah, were guests at the John Phillips home last Thursday.

Silva Bendickson was a caller at the Longevan home Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Emma Ristau and Lois Struble were Sunday guests at the Emil Ristau home.

Hans Dahl was a caller at the Martinus Johnson home one day last week.

Guests at the Bendickson home on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. C. Nelson and children, Edith, Verral and Clifford.

Mrs. Bertina Haggy was a caller at Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Gladys Roller was a caller at Germantown one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Silva and Gehart, and Henry Tharaldson, autoed to Goodridge Monday evening.

Hattie Klockman was a Germantown caller one day last week.

Benard, Nettie and Silva Bendickson motored to Goodridge Sunday evening.

Miss Bernice Struble was a Mavie caller one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl called at the L. Bendickson home Sunday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the S. Rolland home Monday.

Guests at the H. Longevan home Sunday were Anna Rosette and Elinor Cummings, Edwin Rosette and Alfred Cummings.

CALL AT THE

THIEF RIVER FALLS IRON WORKS

FOR

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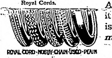
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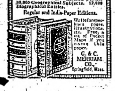

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ESPLEE

V. E. Chapman autoed to Thief [illegible]er Falls on Friday and met Mrs. [illegible]pman, who had been visiting relatives and friends at Dumont and [illegible]erloo, Iowa, for three weeks.

[illegible] and Mrs. L. Hendrickson and [illegible]eter, of Thief River Falls, spent [illegible]day with relatives in Esplee.

[illegible]ul Sund, with a crew of men, [illegible] been busy working on State Road [illegible] 12 the past week. They have [illegible]ted a piece of grade and did a [illegible] job. The road is now in excellent condition.

[illegible]eorge Hook has used the grader State Road No. 12 from Grygla to Esplee, making a smooth surface. The state road is now in the best condition it has been this year.

Miss Elsie Bush spent a few days at the home of J. E. Bollan last week.

Guttorm Krokvik and Ole Ness, of Alaska, spent one day at the home of P. P. Sund last week. Mr. Krokvik is a nephew of Mrs. Sund. They left on Saturday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Paul Sund, Wilhlm Sund and L. O. Opsata, as far as Thief River Falls. The two boys are on their way to their parental home in Norway and sail from New York on July 16.

Warren Lewis returned home from North Dakota last week. He has been employed there since this spring, and expects to remain here a short time.

Mrs. Peter Strand is visiting with relatives in Chicago this summer.

Clarence and Beatrice Cook visited with Olive and Earl Chapman last Sunday.

Riley Chapman has arrived from Drayton, N. D., to visit with relatives and friends for a short time.

An auction sale will be held at the Wm. Gerrulat home on July 15. All are invited to attend.

Oscar H. Olson visited with Jacob Einerson on Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar H. Olson and children have been visiting with relatives and friends near Gully the past week. Mrs. Olson returned home Sunday, in company with her brother, Anton Knutson, who will look after his farm interests here, after which he will return to Gully accompanied by his niece, Dena Olson, who will visit for some time at Gully.

Mr. Anderson was a caller in Esplee on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hendrickson and son, Peter, of Thief River Falls, were guests on Sunday at the home of P. P. Sund.

Axel Sund called on the Lewis Brothers Sunday.

Carl Hanson called on friends at Esplee on Sunday.

—Trade at Home—

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—Trade at Home—

SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln high school, at 8 P. M., May 10, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Froehlich, Myhrum, Mellby and Supt. W. A. Ziegler. Members absent: Dahlen and Haynes.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved as read.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Froehlich that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried:

Katie Dahl, express, freight, etc.	$100.00
Water & Light Dept., light	57.51
Chas. Johnson, gravel	10.00
Welch Mfg. Co., certificates	14.41
Stanton Bros., hot lunches	51.00
Thomas Charles Co., supplies	338.07
Wiedner's Columbia Shop Records	7.50
Acme Mills Co., supplies	1.09
Holt & George Plb. Co., supplies	8.85
Thief River Grocery Co., supplies	5.63
City Dray and Fuel Co., drayage	1.50
Times Print. and Mfg. Co., supplies, board proceedings, etc.	10.89
F. A. Tripp, express, supplies	16.58
Simonson Grocery Co., supplies	41.68
Northern School Supply Co., supplies	33.30
Remmem Livery, livery	3.00
Thief River Greenhouses, supplies	1.05
Thief River Co-op. Creamery, supplies	.43
Gilbert Haavi, school bus	12.75
Louis Borgen, drayage	24.05
Henry Holt & Co., supplies	1.35
J. J. Aga, livery	13.62
N. W. Telephone Co., telephone	13.79
Mrs. Palmer Efteland, laundry	3.83
McFarland Auto Co., supplies	3.65
Hermanson Hardware Co., supplies	1.00
Loken Bros., supplies	6.85
Crescent Paint Mfg. Co., supplies	183.00
Lawrence Hermanson, election	2.00
Ted Mellina, election	2.00
Louis Kassa, water	0.20
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	.75
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	7.60

On motion the meeting adjourned.

O. F. MELLBY, President.

P. O. MYHRUM, Clerk.

Regular meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., June 14, 1920.

Members present: Myhrum, Mellby and Supt. W. A. Ziegler. Members absent: Backe, Dahlen, Froehlich and Haynes.

A quorum not being present the meeting adjourned subject to call of the president.

O. F. MELLBY, President.

P. O. Myhrum, Clerk.

Special meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., July 6, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Dahlen, Froehlich, Haynes, Myhrum and Mellby. Members absent: None.

Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Backe that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried:

Water & Light Dept., light	$78.83
N. W. Telephone Co., telephone	15.14
Nortz Lumber Co., supplies	408.00
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., supplies	142.35
C. Elgsten, rent	30.00
J. J. Aga, livery	37.48
Silver, Bendell & Co., books	4.85
Metropolitan Music Co., books	45.10
Ed. Lee, supplies	253.57
W. D. Reeve, address	33.22
T. R. Iron Works, supplies	3.80
T. R. Steam Laundry, laundry	.74
Improvement Bulletin, advertising	14.00
Sund & Dunham, plans	2500.00
Water & Light Dept., light	92.91
Leonard DuChamp, livery	4.00
Roy Lambert, supplies	16.80
Nels Syverson, work	3.00
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	7.36
Christ Halvorson, tuning piano	6.00
Doubleday, Page & Co., books	2.93
Oen Merc. Co., supplies	2.55
Ferdinand Schmitt, work	11.00
J. P. Curtis, supplies	9.00
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., supplies, etc.	20.50
Elias Rolland, supplies	8.35
Loken Bros., supplies	14.20
W. A. Ziegler, car fare	50.00
MacMillan Co., books	38.90
Rochealle & Fischer, livery	10.55
Louis Borgen, drayage	13.40
F. A. Tripp, slides	8.00
Webb Pub. Co., supplies	2.30
Educational Supply Co., supplies	25.07
M. S. & S. S. M. Ry. Co., freight	6.20
E. R. Williams Stat. Co., supplies	10.53
Minn. Pub. Health Association, supplies	7.24
Ideal Sanitary Supply Co., supplies	187.00
J. J. Aga, livery	19.50
Northern Woodwork Co., supplies	60.76
Hermanson Hdw. Co., supplies	7.07
Peoples Auto Co., supplies	2.68
Model Steam Laundry, laundry	4.72
Ella A. Evans, supplies	4.96
World Book Co., book	1.20
Zell & Curran, supplies	11.32
George Gunderson, work	3.00
N. W. Telephone Co., telephone	16.90
Mrs. Palmer Efteland, laundry	4.05

On motion the meeting adjourned.

O. F. MELLBY, President.

P. O. MYHRUM, Clerk.

Special meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 2 P. M., June 23, 1920, to consider bids for the construction of the new building in Knox Addition.

Members present: Dahlen, Haynes, Myhrum and Mellby. Members absent: Backe and Froehlich.

On motion the bids were opened and read as follows:

General Contract, School at Thief River Falls, Minn., June 23, 1920.

A. E. Rydlum—Main Bld. $90,885.00; Asbestone Floors instead of tile, $150.00; Woodwork stained, $250.00; Face Brick Joints setback, $240.00; Face Bricks Joints setback colored, $450.00; Price per Cu. Ft. Additional walls, 50c.

C. M. Carlson—Main Bld. $85,080.00; Asbestone Floors instead of tile, $350.00; Woodwork Stained, $175.00; Face Brick Joints setback, $515.00; Face Bricks Joints setback, colored, $815.00; Price per Additional walls 50c.

J. A. McDonald Const. Co.—Main Bld. $81,000.00; Asbestone Floors instead of tile, $200.00; Woodwork Stained, $200.00; Face Brick Joints setback, $215.00; Face Bricks Joints setback, colored, $500.00.

Colwell-Long Co.—Main Bld. $88,400.00; Asbestone Floors instead of tile, $310.50; Woodwork Stained, $250.00; Face Bricks Joints setback, $185.00; Face Bricks Joints setback, colored, $248.00; Price per Cu. Ft. Additional walls, 80c.

Mechanical Equipment, School at Thief River Falls, Minn., June 23, 1920.

Bjorkman Bros.—Heating, $18,015.00; Plumbing, $6,168.00; Combined, $23,813.00.

Dakota Ht. & Plb. Co.—Heating, $18,600.00; Plumbing, $7,460.00; Combined, $25,959.00.

Ed. Lee—Heating, $17,000.00; Plumbing, $7,275.00.

C. A. Hooper & Co—Heating, $15,604.00.

C. E. Hasey—Heating, $14,500.00; Plumbing, $8,800.00; Combined, $23,000.00.

Johnson & Carlson—Heating, $17,336.00; Plumbing, $6,235.00; Combined, $23,271.00.

Red Lake Falls Electric Co.—Electrical $2,604.00.

Langford Electrical Co.—Electrical, $2,635.00.

Twin City Electrical Co.—Electrical, $2,750.00.

Moved by Dahlen, seconded by Haynes, that all bids be rejected. Motion carried.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

O. F. MELLBY, President.

P. O. MYHRUM, Clerk.

Notice of Annual School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the qualified voters of Independent School District No. 18 of Pennington County, Minnesota, will be held at the Auditorium in the City of Thief River Falls in said County on July 17, 1920, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing two directors, each for a term of three years, to succeed F. F. Haynes and H. S. Dahlen, whose terms will expire, and to transact any other business which may come before the meeting.

The following are the names of the candidates for the office of school director for whom applications have been filed, that their names be placed on the ballots as such candidates at said meeting, to-wit: None.

July 7, 1920.

P. O. MYHRUM, Clerk.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to N. W. Tarrant

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 6th day of November, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated July 9, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON, Judge of Probate.

(Court Seal) J15-22-29.

Classified Want Ads

—78—

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 7-room [illegible] hardwood floors, city water. East [illegible] Andrew Ness. 76-tf

FOR SALE—Double registered Polled [illegible]rthorn bull, three years old. Gus. [illegible]lyer, Route 1, city. 80-pd.

FOR SALE—800 acres near Fargo, [illegible] D. Good buildings. All under cultivation, 1½ miles to station. 320 [illegible] in N. Dak., 8 miles from Red [illegible]ver, 3½ miles to station. All under cultivation. Fair buildings.—H. J. [illegible]stad, Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 62tf

For Sale.—Modern 8-room house, 716 [illegible]aBree Ave. N. 82p

FOR SALE—Team of horses with harness. Will sell cheap.—B. Hruoy, Erie, Minn. 81p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull [illegible] Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room house on East Side. Good location, corner lots. Enquire N. A. Nelson, Phone 10-F-23. 80p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—A number of good residences, city lots, business property and improved farms at reasonable prices and easy terms.—C. W. Vorachek. 72tf

FOR SALE—A money making modern team heated flat. Priced right and terms for quick sale. For further information call or write C. W. McDaniel, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire E. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—5 fresh cows with calves and one good team of young horses, and numerous other things. See Frank Mongeley or call 11-F-011. 75tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—1914 Ford runabout.—[illegible] Cosgrave, 219 LaBree Ave. N. 79

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1290 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 12 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—7 cows and 3 spring calves. Buy consider team of young horses or car.—Tandrup Saltvedt, Highlanding, Minn. 81pd

FOR SALE—Threshing outfit complete for work. Reeves engine and Reeves separator, 36-60, with Garden City Wing feeder. Engine is a 40-80 gas tractor with 400 gallon gas tank mounted on truck; 8 bottom stubble plow, also breaker. A good outfit for someone that wants to go threshing. For particulars write or call on me.—B. J. Backe, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79tf

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton station. Seventy-five acres summer fallowed. For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, Administrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 79tf

FOR SALE—One span of Fullmouth brood mares. Will sell for bankable paper or trade for stock.—R. L. Muzzy, Thief River Falls, Minn., R. R. No. 2. 80p

FOR SALE—Detroit 17-foot canoe. Enquire at Times office. 79tf

CLOSING OUT MAXWELL

Immediate sale for cash, at less than cost, 3 new Maxwell 1920 touring cars at $1085 each. No trades considered. Regular price $1285. E. C. Parsons Auto Co., Warren, Minn. 79tf

FOR SALE—One Holstein cow, 2 heifers, 1 fresh and 1 expected any day to be fresh. Will be sold cheap if taken at once. 115 Horace Ave. N., or Wangenstein's Jewelry Store. 79

FOR SALE CHEAP—An E. C. Simmons range. Call phone 601. 80p

FOR SALE—One Minneapolis engine, 5 H. P., and one Avery separator, 32 in. cylinder.—Erickson Bros., 6 miles west of St. Hilaire. 79p

FOR SALE—Beautiful farm, 160 acres. Fine black loam; 75 acres meadow; fine grove. Sec. 7, Township 157, Range 41, Marshall County. Six miles from Middle River. Write Mrs. Irish, 1779 Dayton Av. St. Paul, Minn. 82p

FOR SALE—Ford Touring car, practically new. Phone 15-F-11. 80p

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gerell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Forty-foot tower windmill at a bargain. H. P. Nabben, Germantown Route, City. 80p

FOR SALE—Good work horse. Your pick of five head.—H. C. Woolson. 80

FOR SALE—Good five passenger car. Phone 1682, 811 Knight Ave. N. 79tf

FOR SALE—One 15-16 Holstein bull calf, from good stock. $20 if taken at once. Wm. Bruce, Hazel, Minn. 80

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1500, with seven weeks' old colt.—Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 76tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—2000 acres hay land near Goodridge; 600 acres hay land near Viking. Farmers Cooperative Land Co. 71tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 811 Main Ave N. 78tf

FOR RENT—160 acre farm with good set of new buildings located two miles west and one-half mile south of Moyle. Desire party to plow at once for next year's crop, and to sow some winter rye. Some pasture and hay land. A good deal to the right party. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, city. 78tf

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

LOST

LOST—On road between Loken's store and Goodridge three bath towels and ladies' apron. Finder please leave at The Times office. 81p

LOST—Child's black silk coat between Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 10. Finder please return to Gazette office, Red Lake Falls, for reward. 79p

LOST—On road between Grand Forks and Thief River Falls via the Pembina trail, one 33x4 Diamond Cord tire (spare) with tire cover and rim. Reward paid for its return. O. Tessum, Thief River Falls. 79

WANTED TO BUY

FARM WANTED—I want to hear from party having farm for sale. Give price and description.—John W. Watt, Champaign, Illinois. 79

WANTED—Tent large enough for eight horses. John A. Jacobs, Middle River, Minn. 80

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand baby carriage. Must be in good condition. Phone 2301. 78

Help Wanted—Female

TWO GIRLS wanted at the Northern Baking Co. 79

GIRL WANTED at once at Black's Purity Sweet Shop. 79

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—I buy and sells Harps and Violins, at bargains. Anyone interested write to N. W. Remlin, Red Wing, Minn. 82

FORD CARS—If you are in the market for a second hand Ford car in excellent condition call on the McFarland Auto Co. 32t

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

BANK NO. 1015.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

FARMERS STATE BANK

OF GOODRIDGE, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts			$157,503.00
Overdrafts			323.07
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			205.20
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			[illegible]
Other Real Estate			1,178.08
Checks and Drafts in Transit			618.25
Due from other banks		$5,255.55	
Cash on hand		2,811.53	
Currency	$2,159.00		
Gold	30.00		
Silver	202.05		
Other	50.48		
Total Cash Assets			8,107.08
Checks and Cash Items			1,350.84
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in excess of earnings			690.32
Total			$176,707.03

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$10,000.00
Surplus Fund		3,500.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		25,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$15,189.20	
Cashier's Checks	1,877.02	
Due to Banks	5,015.56	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$22,381.88	
Savings Deposits	210.50	
Time Certificates	85,611.65	
Total Deposits	$138,207.03	138,207.03
Total		$176,707.03
Amount of Reserve on hand		$8,090.08
Amount of Reserve Required by law		10,566.55

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, J. M. Bishop, President and Nick Bundhund, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. M. BISHOP, President.
NICK BUNDHUND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—

M. G. THORESON.
JAY PAYNE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1920.

(Seal)

H. E. ROCKNE,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires March 10, 1925.

BANK NO. 1135.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Goodridge State Bank

GOODRIDGE, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$141,477.71
Overdrafts			141.79
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			750.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			7,525.00
Other Real Estate			500.00
Due from other Banks		$5,725.76	
Cash on hand:			
Currency	$1,480.00		
Gold	487.50		
Silver	475.40		
Other	161.90		
Total Cash Assets			8,339.56
Checks and Cash Items			1,497.75
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in excess of earnings			2,417.09
Total			$162,618.93

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$10,000.00
Surplus Fund		6,000.00
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Cashier's Checks	1,270.81	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$40,310.70	
Time Certificates	96,302.23	
Total Deposits	$136,618.93	136,618.93
Total		$162,618.93
Amount of reserve on hand		$9,887.31
Amount of reserve required by law		9,501.39

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, H. S. Dahlen, President and J. P. Jensen, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. S. DAHLEN, President.
J. P. JENSEN, Cashier.

Correct Attest, (Two) Directors—

H. S. DAHLEN,
HALVOR LOKEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1920.

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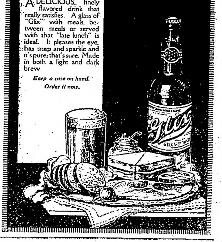

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COUNTY BUDGET SET AT SLIGHT INCREASE

Total Required For Next Year Not Much Greater Than For Last.

At the semi-annual meeting of the commissioners held last week, the expenses of conducting the county for next year were estimated and County Auditor T. P. Anderson was instructed to place to the credit of each fund the amount decided upon.

While the allowances for some funds are in excess of last year, the increases are slight. The county revenue fund is provided with an increase of $3,000, while the sinking fund comes in for an additional $2,500. A new fund created for court house construction purposes makes another $3,000 which was not included in the budget last year. The entire budget requires $76,500, as compared to $68,000 last year. That county affairs have been economically conducted is indicated by the fact that every fund had a credit balance at the end of the fiscal year which came to a close July 1.

The various funds and the amount each receives is given below:

County revenue	$28,000
Road and bridge	30,000
Bond and interest	3,000
Sinking	6,500
Court house construction	3,000
Sanitarium construction	3,000
Sanitarium maintenance	3,000
Total	$76,500

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Sugar-cane sugar, while it last, 100 lbs.	$28.98
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Lippincott's pure preserves, per jar special	48c
Corn Flakes, 3 packages for	35c
Quart jars pure strained honey special each (Only one to each customer.)	$1
Toilet soap 5 bars for	25c
Welch's Grape Juice, extra quality, per bottle	40c
Brooms, special prices each	69c 92c

MEAT SPECIALS—LOOK THEM OVER

Home made bologna, per lb.	19c
Bacon squares, some bargain per lb.	30c
Beef ribs, per lb.	17c
Beef chuck roasts, per lb.	22c
Prime rib roast of beef, per lb.	24c
Pork liver, per lb.	9c
Veal stew, per lb.	16c
Veal shoulder roast, per lb.	20c
Veal leg roast, per lb.	25c

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JUNE DIVISION OF TAX MONEY IS OVER $160,000

Sent to Clerks of Subdivisions This Week From Office of County Auditor.

State's Share of Total Collected Less Than $11,000 For the Half Year Period.

City of Thief River Falls Receives $20,640 and School District $29,924.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson last week sent out to the different city, township and school treasurers in the county the share of the June distribution of tax collections returned by the state. Pennington county's total was $160,345.10 out of which the state retains $10,819.02 as its share. The schools come in for far the largest amount as usual, the total for county purposes being only $56,579.75, distributed among the following funds:

Revenue	$10,894.02
Road and Bridge	13,355.62
Bond and Interest	1,275.78
Other special taxes	30,875.29
Mortgage registration	356.13

The Township's Share.

Rocksbury and North are the topnotchers among the townships beneficiaries in the distribution, there being but a few dollars difference in the amount received by these. The city of Thief River Falls gets over one-half of the entire sum going to cities, villages and towns, the municipalities award being $20,649.74 out of a total of $36,651.83. Following are the amounts received by each under this head:

Bray township	$ 738.25
Black River township	533.69
Cloverleaf township	434.37
Deer Park township	483.71
Goodridge township	362.59
Highlanding township	955.61
Hickory township	527.52
Kratka township	754.82
Mayfield township	521.80
Norden township	580.05
North township	1,246.41
Numedal township	545.91
Polk Center township	793.81
Reiner township	423.82
River Falls	582.35
Rocksbury township	1,264.25
Sanders township	793.30
Silverton township	881.70
Smiley township	759.91
Star township	370.26
Wyandotte township	736.26
Goodridge village	511.26
St. Hilaire village	1,149.38
Thief River Falls city	20,640.74

$20,000 For District 18.

School District No. 18, which includes the city of Thief River Falls, receives nearly $20,000 of the total for the county, No. 102, (St. Hilaire) following with $3,730.64, No. 8 (Goodridge) being third with $2,944.21. The entire list follows:

Dist.	Amt.	Dist.	Amt.
1	$ 126.52	54	$ 154.29
2	180.79	55	321.30
3	187.78	56	157.24
4	226.10	57	204.08
5	117.85	58	46.37
6	124.23	59	213.92
7	158.82	60	112.87
8	2,944.21	64	267.18
9	103.21	65	173.84
10	169.90	66	65.62
11	275.97	67	88.25
12	210.48	68	167.47
15	173.83	69	139.80
17	99.51	70	37.70
18	19,824.00	73	478.06
25	136.01	94	364.24
26	302.98	99	176.57
28	155.74	102	3,730.64
29	181.22	106	142.49
30	159.19	108	128.47
31	114.86	124	18.74
33	43.78	125	192.12
34	249.01	127	200.03
35	141.10	133	72.51
37	289.33	135	128.22
38	155.83	147	272.24
39	249.01	148	108.72
41	174.89	149	243.40
42	239.70	154	147.12
43	48.73	165	215.94
44	154.03	166	225.05
46	178.01	178	245.21
47	56.06	180	141.51
48	135.30	194	146.05
50	185.22	219	64.54
51	206.76	221	144.26
52	130.54	227	38.36
53	155.10	228	58.50
Unorg.	348.73		

—Trade at Home—

Murder and Suicide.

John Tysdal, a farmer who lived for several years in Anthony town, near Ada, committed suicide with a Winchester rifle, after having killed his wife, evidently in a fit of insanity. The bodies of the two were found by Sheriff Nygaard, who was summoned to the farm home by neighbors. Tysdal's body was found in the position that he evidently was in when he ended his life, kneeling, with the muzzle of the gun against his chest and the butt against the wall.

It had been known for some time that Tysdal was not mentally right. He was arranging for an auction sale and insisted on having it on a holiday, July 5. It was also known that he walked 15 miles to town in the night not long ago.

Articles of furniture in the house were found to be smashed with a hammer, and Mrs. Tysdal had been killed with a hammer, so it is thought that the man in a fit of insanity had begun to smash the furniture when his wife interfered. It is believed that he struck her before he could control himself, and then realizing what he had done, ended his own life.

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CROP OUTLOOK NEVER BETTER AT THIS TIME

Indications Are That Yield Will More Than Double That of 1919.

Wheat Conditions Reported Excellent With No Rust in Evidence.

Other Grains in Four Northwest States Promise to Break Record.

The 1920 Northwest wheat crop crop will be 250,000,000 bushels, more than double the yield of last year, according to statements issued by E. G. Quamme, president of the St. Paul Federal Land bank, and based on a survey of crop conditions made by the bank.

In the four states of Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana the total wheat crop last year was 122,905,000 bushels, while the crop in North Dakota alone this year at the present outlook, Mr. Quamme said, will be more than 100,000,000 bushels.

Montana is expected to produce 30,000,000 bushels, and both Minnesota and South Dakota will show an increase of about 100 per cent, according to Mr. Quamme. While the acreage of wheat this year is smaller than that of last year, the yield will be tremendous, it is asserted.

"This weather following the rains, with plenty of sun and wind, and yet cool, is made to order for wheat, and there is little or no danger of rust setting in, which would have been the case had we had real hot weather after the rains," Mr. Quamme said.

"We have not yet had a report of black rust. There have been isolated spots where corn has rotted, but on the whole the corn, oats, barley, flax, rye and pasture crops are very, very good."

Must Provide Cars.

That the Northwest should have cars to move the crop is imperative, Mr. Quamme asserted. He said that the railroads were making every effort to provide them.

"If the crops are to be moved, we must get coal into this territory at once," Mr. Quamme said.

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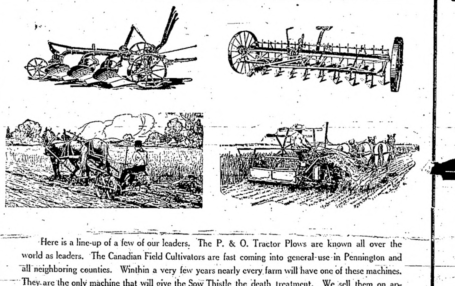

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STREET PAVING WITHOUT DELAY; SIGN CONTRACT

Material and Machinery Arriving; Actual Work to Begin Early Next Week.

Recent Court Order Dissolving Injunction Clears Away Last Obstacle.

Contractors Expect to Complete Entire Job Before Cold Weather Sets In.

The work of paving 22 blocks in the business district of Thief River Falls will in all probability be begun early next week. The council on Tuesday evening signed a contract with the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, representatives of the concern leaving immediately for the purpose of beginning the shipment of machinery and material.

A. D. Hanson, H. R. Boyle and R. R. Collard, the latter the concern's general superintendent, represented the contractor at the meeting. They stated that the result of court actions in the state had been closely followed and that they were ready to go ahead without further delay upon the signing of the contract and its acceptance by the bonding company.

Legal Matters Cleared Up.

The decision last week by Judge Grindeland refusing to grant an injunction on the score that the city could not legally proceed under the law of 1919 to dispose of its certificates of indebtedness without being authorized to do so by a vote of the people cleared the way so far as cities operating under charters similar to that of Thief River Falls was concerned. The decision of the supreme court to the effect that the law itself was constitutional removed any further objection and both the council and paving company considered themselves justified in proceeding without further delay.

No Danger of Caveins.

One objection urged by the applicants for the restraining order was that the streets were in no condition for paving at the present time because of the excavations that were recently made for sewer and water connections. R. E. Borrowman of the Bradley Engineering company of St. Cloud, in charge of the preliminary work for the city, stated that this contention was not sound. The paving company's engineers agreed with him, assuring the council that there would be no danger of the depressions because of these trenches. In order to protect the city, however, the council exacted a bond from the contractors holding the latter responsible in case defects should develop inside of five years. This agreement the company gladly entered into, experience having proven that nothing of the kind was likely to develop. This guarantee bond is for 25 per cent of the contract price of the work.

No Objectors Present.

The fact that the matter of finally disposing of this contract had been widely circulated. The Northwestern Trust company and the Capital Trust company of St. Paul, with whom arrangements had previously been made for furnishing the needed money, were notified of the proceedings but failed to have a representative at the meeting. This is taken to mean that there will be no objection interposed from this source.

Prices Have Gone Up.

Representatives of the Bitulithic company stated that in case they were called upon to make a bid for this work at the present time the cost would be considerably higher, both labor and material having advanced sharply since the contract was let. Were it not for the fact that they have at the present time considerable stocks of the needed supplies at their Winnipeg headquarters it would be impossible for them to carry out their end of the agreement without incurring heavy loss. As matters stand, however, they are in a position to go ahead with the work at once. They left at once for Winnipeg for the purpose of beginning the loading of machinery and have secured a warehouse building on the Soo tracks for storing the same upon arrival.

Will Work Two Shifts.

Superintendent Collard stated while in the city that in spite of the lateness of the season the company would aim to complyete the contract before cold weather sets in. When things get going in good shape it is the intention to work two shifts, he said, it being feasible to lay paving during the night as well as in day time.

People Urged to Spread Tidings of Baby Clinic

Township directors of the Pennington County Public Health association, and others interested in health work, are requested to do all in their power to spread news concerning the baby clinic to be held at the auditorium, Thief River Falls, on Saturday, July 24. Many mothers living at a distance from Thief River Falls would undoubtedly be glad to take their babies to the clinic providing they knew about it in time to make the necessary arrangements.

The time is short and immediate action is necessary in order to make the clinic of benefit to people residing in all parts of the county.

McFarland Buys Farm.

M. T. McFarland of the McFarland Auto company last week closed a deal for the purchase of the Robert Olson farm three miles east of Thief River Falls. After making several extensive improvements on the tract, Mr. McFarland expects to make the place his home. The new owner intends to engage extensively in the raising of pure bred cattle, conducting the entire farm along strictly modern lines.

Special Train to Grand Forks Fair on Tuesday

A special train was run over the Great Northern on Tuesday for accommodation of those who wished to attend Minnesota day at the Grand Forks fair. The train left Thief River Falls at 7 o'clock in the morning and returned a little after midnight the same day. Scarcely more than half a dozen tickets were sold at this point, and it is understood that very few boarded the train at other stations between here and Crookston. In these days of automobile travel a special train is not the drawing card of former days.

KVALE CANDIDACY BARRED BY COURT

League Congressional Candidate in Seventh Disqualified For Law Violation.

Rev. O. J. Kvale of Benson is disqualified as the Republican candidate for congress in the Seventh Minnesota district in a decision filed on Tuesday by District Judge Albert Johnson, who heard the suit contesting Kvale's nomination.

Congressman A. J. Volstead of Granite Falls, who was defeated by Rev. Kvale in the primaries June 21, was declared in the decision to be the "duly nominated candidate of the Republican party for congress in the Seventh district."

Rev. Kvale was endorsed by the Nonpartisan league. Action contesting Rev. Kvale's nomination was brought by 25 voters in the district, who charged violation of the state corrupt practices act. Hearing of the suit was held last week. Judge Johnson's decision asserts the actions of Mr. Kvale "constitute a deliberate, serious and material violation of the laws of the state relating to nominations and elections and there is no justification or excuse therefore."

Basis for the suit included charges printed and circulated by Rev. Kvale referring to Volstead as an atheist and opposed to the bible, and that he made sneering illusions to Rev. Kvale's preaching on the miracle of the five loaves and two small fishes. Counsel for Kvale indicated that an opinion adverse to their client would result in an appeal to the state supreme court.

CITY ELECTRICIANS SEEK WAGE RAISE

Twenty Per Cent Increase Asked in Petition to Council. No Action Taken.

The electrical workers employed by the city of Thief River Falls have presented a petition to the council asking for a twenty per cent increase in pay. At last week's meeting of the council the matter was laid on the table, further consideration being deemed advisable by the council members before making a decision. The demand of the electrical workers will probably come up for hearing at the next regular meeting of the council, which takes place Tuesday evening.

Since July the electrical workers have operated as union men, having formed a local and affiliated with the International Brotherhood of electrical workers. The Thief River Falls local has been designated as No. 1088, and includes every electrical worker in the city.

The contract submitted to the council contains an overtime provision, which it is understood will be withdrawn providing the wage increases are granted.

Local Banker Enjoys Two Weeks of Fun and Travel

C. W. Vorachek, assisant cashier of the Citizens State bank, returned last Saturday from Duluth, where he had been in attendance at the convention of Minnesota bankers held July 7 and 8. Mr. Voracheck had been absent from the city for two weeks and traveled quite extensively during that time. Among other pleasure jaunts he made a boat trip from Duluth to Chicago, occupying four days on the voyage.

At Chicago the Minnesota bankers were royally entertained by the bankers of the Windy City. The Minnesota delegation made the return trip from Chicago to the twin cities on a special train. Mr. Vorachek reports a very enjoyable trip, and says the banking interests of the state are very optimistic over future prospects, believing the country will return to normal conditions without serious trouble.

Open New Garage.

Fred D. Haug and Hugh McDaniel have opened a new garage in the building opposite the Winton-Nichols Lumber company's office and are prepared to look after all work in their line. Mr. Haug was in the garage business in this city for many years before joining the army and is in hopes that his old friends will give the new concern a share of their business.

INCREASED PAY GRANTED TO ALL RAIL EMPLOYES

United States Railway Labor Board Grants Increase of 21 Per Cent.

About Three Hundred Thief River Falls Rail Men Affected By Decision.

Wage Awards Made Retroactive to May 1—Threatened Strike Considered Improbable.

Six hundred million dollars was added to the pay envelope of the nation's 2,000,000 railroad workers on Tuesday in the first award handed down by the new United States Railway Labor board.

Rejecting the demands of organized rail unions for increases totaling approximately $1,000,000,000, the board decided approximately 60 per cent of that sum would be a just increase to meet present living conditions.

Twenty-one Per Cent Increase.

The award adds approximately 21 per cent to the present pay schedules. An 18 per cent increase in freight rates will be necessary to meet the 21 per cent wage award granted railroad employes, E. T. Whiter, representative of the roads in the hearings before the railway labor board, announced. Railroad officials plan, it is said, to file new tariffs with the interstate commerce commission as soon as they can be prepared.

The railroads, Mr. Whiter announced after a conference with the Western Managers' association, will accept the board's award and apply its terms immediately.

General Strike Doubtful.

Whether the award as given will stave off the threat of a general railroad strike remains to be seen. The leaders of virtually every one of the sixteen big railroad unions, were present when Judge R. M. Barton, chairman of the board, handed down the decision. They left immediately to present the award to 1,000 general chairmen, who had gathered there to pass on its acceptability.

The board's decision is retroactive to May 1. As the maximum increase granted any class was 18c an hour, or $36.72 per month, the biggest pay check due when the back pay settlement is made August 1 will be for $110.16. Engineers, firemen and helpers in the yard service will receive this amount.

The board provides that the back pay checks shall be made out separately so that each man will know the amount he receives from the source.

Arbitration Provided For.

In addition to the sixteen recognized brotherhoods two other unions, the International Association of Railroad Supervisors of Mechanics and the American Train Dispatchers' Association, are made a party to the decision. More than 400 railroads are specifically named as parties.

The decision provides that in case of a dispute as to the interpretation of the decision the question shall be referred to the board for decision. The law does not require, however, that either side must accept the award.

The decision provides that the daily increase shall be computed as eight times the hourly rate and the monthly increase as 204 times the hourly schedule.

300 Local Men Affected.

Approximately 300 railroad men in Thief River Falls are directly affected by the award of the labor board. This includes trainmen, yardmen, clerks, round house employes of all kinds, freight handlers, and other workers in the freight and passenger depots.

It is understood the action of the labor board meets with general approval among the railroad men here. While some feel the increase should have been greater, the great majority are of the opinion that the award is a just one.

OPEN AIR CONCERT DRAWS BIG CROWD

Bachman's Million Dollar Band in Varied Program at Fair Grounds.

The largest crowd ever seen at a band concert in this city turned out last evening to greet Bachman's Million Dollar band, which appeared at the fair grounds under the auspices of the American Legion. The program was varied and included everything from light popular numbers to classic compositions such as are attempted only by the highest class musical organizations in the country.

The solo numbers were particularly appreciated, a violin selection played by Erling Sodahl being exceptionally well rendered. The cornet solo by Robert Bruce was another feature that met with great approval.

After the concert a dance was given at the auditorium at which an orchestra selected from among the band members furnished the music. There was a large crowd in attendance and the evening was greatly enjoyed.

Visiting Eastern Markets.

A. S. Sapero leaves the last of the week for a trip of a month among the large cities of the East. He will be joined at Duluth by his brother from Hibbing and the two will make the there they will go to Cleveland, Philadelphia and New York for the purpose of making fall purchases for the four Sapero stores. Experience has shown Mr. Sapero that a merchant can deal more satisfacorily with the manufacturers and wholesalers when directly on the ground as this gives an opportunity for personal inspection. He will have something of interest to report to the ladies of this section upon his return.

Looking After His Farm.

D. P. O'Neill, member of the state board of grain appeals, who now makes Minneapolis his home, arrived in the city yesterday morning for the purpose of looking after the crops on his farm. Mr. O'Neill says that the region looks pretty good to him but doubts if we will have the bumper crop expected. Central Minnesota, he says, seems to be particularly favored this year, with the northwest next in point of excellence.

According to Mr. O'Neill, it is possible that the state will have a grain exhibit at the Pennington county fair this year as an educational feature. He also stated that Chairman Holmberg of the State Bureau of Agriculture might be secured to make an address at the fair ground on one of the days of the fair.

EVERY DETAIL OF BOOSTER TRIP IS GIVEN FINAL O. K.

Roads Reported in Fine Condition Over Entire Course For Tourists.

Warroad Makes Extensive Plans to Entertain Visitors From Thief River Falls.

Steamer Trip to Kenora Made Optional But Many Expect to Make the Voyage.

Next Tuesday morning will witness a mighty exodus from Thief River Falls providing all signs do not fail. At 7:30 o'clock sharp the fair boosters who expect to take part in the northern tour will be on hand to make the trip, with Warroad as their destination. According to President G. C. Streeter of the automobile association, it is expected that about thirty cars will make the trip—and every one of them no doubt will be loaded to capacity with enthusiastic fair boosters.

Mr. Streeter and George Loken drove to Warroad on Sunday and found the roads in first class condition. A number of interested citizens of that city held a meeting Sunday afternoon and formulated an excellent program for the entertainment of the Thief River Falls folks during their stay.

Among other things a fish dinner will be furnished at the picnic grounds upon the arrival of the visitors, and boat rides will be provided for all who care to enjoy them. A big bowery dance is to be staged if the weather permits, but in case of rain the hall will be utilized for this purpose. Badges are to be provided for all visitors in order to avoid confusion and as an assurance that they will not be neglected by the entertainment committee. Plenty of fine band music also has been secured to help enliven the occasion.

Lake Excursion Optional.

Those of the visitors who can spare the time will avail themselves of the opportunity of visiting Kenora, Canada. A steamer bound for that place leaves Warroad Wednesday morning, returning the following day, and a real outing is promised those who make the trip over the Lake of the Woods to the Canadian city.

An expert mechanic has been provided for the tour in order that any car trouble developing on the road may promptly be taken care of.

The entire trip has been planned and will be carried out under the supervision of the Thief River Falls Merchants association, Commercial club, Fair association and Automobile association. With the backing of these organizations there is little doubt but what the tour will be an unqualified success from every point of view.

Must Register All Cars.

All those desiring to make the trip are requested to register their cars at once with H. C. Johnson, phone 110, or S. C. Coumbe, phone 74. This tour is not to be regarded in any sense as a speed event, and is intended solely as a sociability run. The schedule as prepared provides for an average speed of 17 miles per hour, and with the roads favorable it is not likely that much trouble will be experienced in maintaining this average.

An average running schedule of 17 miles an hour will be maintained which will get the party to Warroad about 5:30 in the evening. The stopping period for each point visited will be given to the excursionists at the time of starting from this city as it has been thought best not to set a definite schedule.

To Explain Grain Grading.

The fair management has written to the state department of grain inspection for the purpose of securing a demonstration of grain grading during the fair. This demonstration is for the purpose of showing the difference between the present state system and the old federal system. Positive announcement will be made next week regarding this demonstration, and in case it can be secured it will be placed in the agricultural building during all three days of the fair.

INTEREST GROWS AS FAIR OPENING DAY COMES NEAR

All Indications Point to Record-Breaking Attendance During the Three Days.

Exhibits at Auditorium to Furnish Interesting Part of Attractions to Visitors.

Free Amusements Galore Both Afternoon and Evening at the Fair Grounds.

Just one week from next Wednesday the Pennington county fair will open its gates to the public. From now until that time everybody connected with the big exhibition will be doing some tall hustling to get everything ready and in smooth running order for the opening date. And evidence is not lacking to prove that things will be in tip-top shape on the morning of Aug. 4.

Fair grounds and fair buildings have been gone over and all necessary repairs and alterations made. Accommodations have been provided for a larger number of exhibits than ever before—and indications are that these accommodations will all be needed.

Industrial Exhibit.

Much interest is taken in the industrial exhibit to be staged at the auditorium during the three days of the fair. About 20 business men and manufacturers have contracted for space in this department and it promises to be very interesting. These exhibits will be free to all and the auditorium will be open all day and evening. This exhibit, together with the women's department which also will be housed in the auditorium this year, will no doubt draw large crowds to the auditorium during the fair.

Attractions at Grounds.

No effort has been spared to make the free program at the fair grounds the best ever. Art Williams, the peerless aviator, has been secured to give hair-raising performances daily for the amusement and edification of fair patrons. Visitors at the recent Elks' convention at Chicago, where Mr. Williams did some of his fancy flying, are unanimous in the opinion that he is one of the best flyers in the game today.

On Thursday, Aug. 5, there will be still more excitement in the air, for on that day the Minneapolis Daily News Flying Circus will perform its part of the program. This company is said to be a whole show in itself and much entertainment is promised for those who witness the performance.

Some Real Ski Jumping.

Sigfried, the man who jumps and runs on skis in the summer time, is on the program for several thrilling stunts each day of the fair. It is said that the only other man who ever attempted ski jumping on anything but snow came out of the experience with a broken leg, which proves the game to be anything but mild.

A complete program of free attractions will be given twice daily at the fair grounds, afternoon and evening. These attractions, in addition to those furnished by the Little Giant Shows, should be sufficient to satisfy the most exacting amusement seeker.

RYE CUTTING WILL BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Wheat May Crowd Farmers Before Earlier Grain is Out of the Way.

The tame hay crop is pretty well gathered so far as Pennington county is concerned and farmers are preparing to get into their rye fields the first of the week. The stand is in most places very good but is hardly expected to break records on an average over the county.

Harvest work will hit in about fair time this year but no good farmer will allow this fact to prevent his seeing the big show. The rye is not so far advanced that it will be in any manner injured by waiting for a day but other grains may be ready for cutting before the work is well out of the way. Wheat is coming along at a bounding rate and promises to yield well. It is too early to predict anything as to the quality but men of experience say that it will be far ahead of last year. It is certain that the yield will be greater than at any time since 1915 and because of the larger acreage the county total may exceed that banner year.

The hay crop is the best in years and ideal weather has been the rule during the cutting. There is no question but that this crop is the best ever raised in the county.

Corn and sugar beets are promising well and the general outlook could not very well be improved upon.

No Injunction Against Letting Ditch Contract

The county commissioners have been expecting to face injunction proceedings in the matter of awarding a contract for the repairing of Ditches Nos. 39, 45 and 59 in Kratka township. This job was let last month in the face of considerable objection, but the demand that the work be done was so much more insistent than the request for a postponement that it was considered best to proceed with the work. Injunction proceedings were instituted and heard in chambers at Warren but the commissioners found when meeting on Tuesday that no notice of the granting of any injunction had been filed with Clerk of Court Eklund. This disposes of the matter so far as the objectors are concerned.

Wool Growers to Hold Meeting Friday, July 23

The wool growers in the western part of the county will hold a meeting in the Farm Bureau office in Thief River Falls at 7:30 p. m. Friday, July 23.

The purpose of this meeting is to decide the advisability of pooling the wool with the National Wool Warehouse in Chicago. Prices are very low at the present time and according to the opinion of W. A. McKerrow of the University Farm it is more advisable for all wool growers to pool their wool for a few months until prices raise.

NEW SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS ELECTED

Mrs. L. G. Larsen and E. O. Mogensen Choice of Voters at Annual Meeting.

Mrs. L. G. Larsen and E. O. Mogensen were on Saturday evening named by the voters of school district No. 18 as members of the board for a term of three years, to take the places of H. S. Dahlen and F. F. Haynes, whose terms expired and who had not filed for re-election. No candidates had filed for the positions, and the new board members were chosen by having their names written on the ballots. Mrs. Larsen received 44 votes and Mr. Mogensen 23, while Mrs. J. J. Richter ran a close third with 19 votes to her credit. There were several scattering votes, no other person receiving more than four.

At the annual meeting $104,000 was voted as the sum required to conduct the schools in district No. 18 for next year. This is an increase of $30,000 over last year, but greater costs generally and necessary increases in salaries of teachers easily account for the larger requirements.

Annual reports for the district were read at the meeting, all of which were accepted and filed without change or criticism.

MANAGER BRUMUND GETS BIG PICTURE

"Birth of a Nation" to Be Attraction at Lyceum For Two Evenings Next Week.

"The Birth of a Nation" is coming back. Manager Brumund has secured the famous picture for two days, Thursday and Friday, July 29 and 30, and it will be shown at the Lyceum theatre. In addition to the twelve reels of this wonderful production, added inducement to the theatregoing public is furnished by a large symphony orchestra which accompanies the picture throughout and adds wonderfully to the effects.

In this glorious spectacle one is actually witnessing in a single sitting the condensed action of a lifetime in the annals of the nation. War, romance and sociology play immense parts, but the entire gauntlet of human emotions is played upon as they never were before and as it is doubtful if they ever will be again.

"The Birth of a Nation" has come to be regarded as a classic in motion pictures. It is the most stupendous and most marvelous thing ever attempted and has remained in a class by itself ever since its production. Every graduation of happiness, of sorrow, of pain and joy, are shown. Life and death, human relations, hatred and friendship, are there too, and in the depiction of friendship one of the prettiest scenes of the whole twelve reels is displayed.

Patrons of the Lyceum are elated over this opportunity to witness once more the greatest motion picture in the world, and the theatre will no doubt be packed to capacity during the two performances.

New Party Comes to Life at Chicago Convention

Harley P. Christensen of Salt Lake City, member of the Committee of 48 and permanent chairman of the convention recently held at Chicago, has been named as candidate for president by the farmer-labor party, an organization which resulted from the fusion of several elements represented at the convention. Despite urgent requests Senator LaFollette refused to become the standard bearer of the new party, and the choice settled upon Christensen.

After his nomination, Mr. Christensen made a brief statement to the meeting, saying: "You wanted LaFollette and if there is still any way of getting him I will not stand in the way. I must remain true to the loyal group of working men and women who nominated me, but I tell you I hope we can all get together after all."

Yeomen Rally at Baudette.

Everybody is extended a real welcome to the big Yeomen rally at Spooner-Baudette on July 25. J. A. O. Preus, Mike Holm and others are to give addresses. Sports, etc., are going to take place and the Yeomen up there want to see their brothers and their friends present.

DETROIT IS HOST TO HUNDREDS OF WATERWAY MEN

C. L. Hansen of Thief River Falls Chairman of Minnesota Delegation.

Fifteen Hundred People in Attendance at Meeting of National Importance.

Proposed Plan Would Prove of Vast Benefit to Farmers of Northwest.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank of Thief River Falls, is this week in attendance at the meeting of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Congress, to be held at Detroit, Mich., July 22, 23 and 24. Mr. Hansen is the delegate from northern Minnesota to the congress and also has received the distinct honor of being named chairman of the Minnesota delegation. The other delegates include C. H. Draper, Wells; J. W. Barton, Minneapolis; L. C. Simon, St. Paul, and J. W. Snyder, Duluth. A large attendance at the congress is expected and many interested people other than the delegates will be present.

A National Undertaking.

After years of discussion and study, it has become a national issue to determine whether the waterways which lose themselves in the Atlantic, shall become connected for navigation purposes and form an outlet for the products and materals produced by the states west of the Allegheny Mountains. Practical men and theorists have studied and figured and the last of the evidence is being compiled, preparatory to final action.

Action is to be forthcoming as the result of the congress to be held at Detroit, when all the authorities and supporters and students of the Great Lakes to the Sea movement will assemble. Out of the sessions, which will consider every angle of this enterprise, there will come a policy, workable and reasonable, to put this project through.

Many Noted Speakers.

The congress will hold its sessions in the auditorium of the Detroit Board of Commerce, which organization is acting as host for the delegates and visitors. Among the speakers scheduled to discuss this project are: Herbert Hoover, war-time food administrator; Chas. E. Townsend, United States Senator from Michigan, father of the Lakes-to-Ocean movement; Medill McCormick, United States Senator from Illinois; Senator Miles Poindexter, of Washington; Major General Lansing H. Beach, chief of engineers, U. S. A.; Julius H. Barnes, former president United States Grain Corporation; Gardner S. Williams, American Institute of Consulting Engineers, Ann Arbor; Congressman A. P. Nelson, Wisconsin; Senator Atlee Pomerene, Ohio; Charles Evans Fowler, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers; J. W. Shorthill, former vice-president, American Grain Exporters Association, Omaha; Charles K. Anderson of New York, vice president, American Manufacturers' Export Association; W. L. Ross, president, Clover Leaf Railroad, H. Merrick, president, Mississippi Valley Association.

Canada Endorses Plan.

The Great-Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater Association represents a union of fourteen states, as follows: Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, North and South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado and Nebraska. Enthusiastic co-operation has been forthcoming since the beginning of this movement from the Dominion of Canada which will be ably represented at the meeting. Advance advices indicate that the congress will be attended by more than 1,500 delegates from all over the United States.

It is planned to cover the waterway project from every standpoint involved, financial, engineering, political, international, economic, as to the power it will develop for other uses, how it will affect other mediums of transportation commodities and time required.

The results and findings, it is planned, will be submitted to congress in the United States and the Parliment in Canada, who will be responsible for the completion of the waterway.

N. C. Michelet, Veteran Attorney Dies, Aged 82

Nils Christian Michelet, 82 years old, father of Attorney Wilhelm Michelet of Thief River Falls, passed away last week at his home in Minneapolis, at the advanced age of 82 years. Mr. Michelet had been a practicing attorney at Minneapolis since 1882, retiring from active work three years ago, when he sustained serious injuries in an accident. He was deputy collector of customs in Minneapolis under President Harrison's administration. He also was editor of a Norwegian newspaper at LaCrosse, Wis., and served as clerk in the land office at Madison, Wis.

Mr. Michelet was born at Frederikshald, Norway, Oct. 24, 1837, and is survived by his wife and four children, Ove Michelet of Oakland, Calif.; Maren Michelet of Minneapolis, Simon Michelet, private secretary to Senator Knute Nelson at Washington, and Wilhelm Michelet of Thief River Falls.

City News

Joe Feely of Roseau spent Friday in the city on his way to St. Paul.

J. T. Thill of Red Lake Falls spent Thursday with his family in this city.

Mrs. L. M. Rayson spent a few days last week in Red Lake Falls as the guest of friends.

Lieut. Wallace of Minneapolis visited a few days with Sergt. Vance B. Hunter last week.

Violet Krohn arrived from her home in Viking on Saturday to visit with friends for a few days.

Fred Protz left on Thursday for Crookston to attend the Minnesota Mail Carriers covention.

Miss Inez Johnson left on Saturday night for Minneapolis, Chicago and Madison, Wis., where she will visit with friends and relatives for about two weeks.

Attorney Theo. Quale left on Thursday for St. Paul to attend to business matters for a few days.

Miss Laura Stopple left on Saturday for her home in Alexandria where she will visit for a week.

Elvera Carlson left on Friday afternoon for St. Hilaire where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Mrs. Nyborg visited at the E. S. Christy home a few days last week. Mrs. Nyborg is Mrs. Christy's niece.

Miss Marie Thill left on Friday for Red Lake Falls where she will visit with her father and friends for a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Herron left on Thursday morning for Viking to visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Jenson for a few days.

Gladys Olsen of St. Hilaire, who has been visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Peterson, for a few days, left for her home in St. Hilaire on Friday.

There May Be Delay In Moving Your Telephone

If you order your telephone moved next week you may be told to expect a delay in getting it done.

Nearly half a million other telephone users in the United States will move their telephones this month, too. And for all of them many carloads of wire and other materials will be needed.

A general shortage of materials, as well as a lack of sufficient transportation facilities, is holding back factory output and the telephone companies can't get enough supplies.

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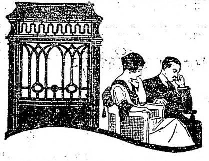

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Mrs. John Karbowski is in the city as the guest of her friend, Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht.

Miss Amanda Mickelson of Holt arrived on Wednesday for a brief visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Melin and children spent Sunday visiting with friends at Bemidji.

Miss Helen Strand is spending a week as the guest of Miss Agnes Holden at Union Lake.

Ruby Anderson left for Goodridge on Thursday to be the guest of her friend, Miss Ruby Jensen, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Randall returned to Pennsylvania on Saturday after spending a few days at the G. L. Randall home.

Miss Ella Gran left on Saturday for Fargo where she will be the guest of her friend, Miss Bernice Anderson, for a week.

Mrs. Lena Halstrom and son, Harold, left on Monday for Warroad where they will visit with relatives for a week.

Magdalen Hance returned on Saturday to Grand Forks where she is employed, after spending a few days at her home in this city.

Milden Boreen and John Henry left last week for Rhinelander, Wis., where they will visit at the home of the former for a week.

Mrs. M. F. Olson arrived from her home in Duluth on Friday to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holden, for a week.

Miss Olga Sortland returned to Minneapolis Friday where she is employed, aftr spending a six weeks' vacation with her parents.

Mrs. O. Finberg and Mrs. C. T. Christianson left on Friday for Middle River where they visited with Mrs. Hjertos over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoppa and children left on Friday for Stevens Point, Wis., where they will visit with relatives for a week or ten days.

Mrs. C. H. Bartlett and children, Dorothy and Ruth, left on Saturday for Rhinelander, Wis., where they will visit with relatives for a week.

Mrs. Harry Miller returned on Thursday from Columbus, N. D., where she has been visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Roy Newberger.

There is a bigger chance today than there ever was. It is for you to lay hold. Write Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn., for catalog.

Mrs. S. P. Child, who has been visiting the past six weeks with her daughter, Mrs. A. Bottelson, returned to her home in St. Paul on Thursday.

Miss Ida Englund, who has been employed at the Evelyn hotel in this city, left on Thursday for Grand Forks where she has accepted a position.

Mrs. W. H. Thompson and children returned to their home in Crookston on Saturday. They have been visiting at the C. Mattson home the past week.

Miss Mildred Haraldson returned to her home in Middle River on Monday after spending six weeks as the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Aos.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Tridle returned to their home in Nebraska City, Neb., Sunday after visiting for a period of two weeks with Mrs. Tridle's brother, L. S. Chaplin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johnson returned to this city on Wednesday morning from Barron, Wis., where they were called by the death of the latter's mother.

Misses Myrtle and Margaret Williams left on Saturday for Grand Forks where they will attend the fair and visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. E. C. Doland.

Mrs. G. Swenson spent Sunday in this city as the guest of friends. She was enroute to her home at Holt from Fergus Falls where she had been visiting her father who is in the hospital there.

Leah Huot, who has completed a course in nursing at the Physicians hospital in this city, arrived from her home in Red Lake Falls on Friday to attend the nurses' picnic which was held that day.

Miss Elvina Schmalenberg, who has been employed at the Thief River Grocery company for the past two months, left on Thursday for her home in Grand Forks, where she has accepted a similar position with the Creasey Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and children left on Sunday for Minneapolis via auto, where they will visit with relatives. Mr. Loken will go on to Chicago on a buying trip, and Mrs. Loken and the children will remain in Minneapolis. They expect to be gone about one month.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family, accompanied by Mrs. Lindquist, left on Sunday morning via auto for the twin cities where they will spend a two weeks' vacation. Enroute they followed the Green Trail which meets the Jefferson highway at Douglas lodge in Itasca Park.

Mrs. C. H. Arneson and three children left on Wednesday afternoon for Portland, Ore., where they will reside. Mr. Arneson preceded his family a short time ago. The Arnesons have been residents in this city for the past seven years and will be greatly missed among their wide circle of friends.

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Miss Ruth Torkelson of Hazel spent the week-end as the guest of Miss Shirley Anderson.

Mrs. J. E. Mahony and daughter of Crookston visited in this city between trains on Tuesday.

Miss Gertrude Bergquist of Parkers Prairie, was the guest of Miss Ella Miller the first of the week.

Miss Amy Krohn, Ted Hunt and Orrin Ostby motored to Maple Lake on Saturday returning on Sunday.

Mrs. P. L. Vistaunet who spent the week end with her husband at Halstad returned here on Tuesday morning.

Miss Edna Anderson left on Tuesday morning for Bemidji where she will spend a brief period visiting with friends.

Miss Ruby Knutson arrived here on Monday evening from Gully for a few days' visit at the Engelstad home near this city.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy in Crookston between trains on Tuesday.

Mrs. Leonard Peterson returned on Wednesday morning from Crookston where she visited for a few days with her husband.

Miss Beatrice Dale returned to her home in McIntosh on Tuesday evening after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Miss Yvonne Poirier of this city is spending an indefinite time in Crookston visiting with her friend, Miss Grace Kinsela.

Mrs. R. L. Thuse and son left on Wednesday morning for Gatzke where they will visit at the home of Mrs. Thuse's parents.

Mrs. H. M. Swanson of Warren visited between trains on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether on her way to Belgrade.

Norbert Holzknecht and Clyde Nason left on Saturday for Union Lake where they will visit over Sunday at the Nason cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller and son of Crookston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Halvorson on Sunday. The trip was made by car.

Miss Alice Wilson of Minneapolis is spending an indefinite time in this city at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson.

Miss Bernette Dery returned to her home in Plummer on Saturday after spending a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Velland.

Miss Almyra Rancour, who passed a week visiting at the home of her parents in Mahnomen, returned to this city on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bernholt and children of Park River, N. D., were guests at the home of Mrs. Sena Larson in this city last week.

Mrs. Martin Stokke and children of Germantown passed a few days last week visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Sena Larson.

Mrs. Albert Johnson returned to her home here on Tuesday morning after spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. J. M. Bishop at Maple Lake.

Miss Laura Wold of Highlanding and Miss Carrie Ellingson of Rugby, N. D., were guests at the S. J. Anderson home for a few days this week.

Mrs. Herman Wilson returned to her home in Fordville, N. D., on Tuesday morning after a week's visit at the C. M. Wilson home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johnson returned Wednesday morning from Barron, Wis., where they were called by the death of Mr. Johnson's mother.

Mrs. Oscar Haglund of Cannon Falls, is a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Swedenburg this week. Mrs. Haglund is a sister of Dr. Swedenburg.

Mrs. J. E. Blomquist and Miss Anna Aspelund left on Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where they will spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Harold Weatherhead of Ada, who has been visiting at the S. R. Robinson at Oslo, arrived Tuesday evening and is a guest at the home of his aunt Mrs. F. H. Herrick.

Mrs. Sena Larson and daughter, Olga, Miss Edna Anderson and the John Bernholt family of Park River, N. D., passed Sunday in Germantown visiting with friends.

Miss Anna Tanem arrived here the first of the week for a three weeks' visit at the home of her parents. Miss Tanem is taking a course in nursing at the Northwestern hospital in Minneapolis.

Mrs. C. M. Rolland and son, Lawrence, are busy preparing for their removal to Hibbing where they will reside. Mr. Rolland has been in the above named city for a couple of weeks and is very much pleased with his new location.

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Miss Carrie Ellingson of Rugby, N. D., returned to her home the first of the week after completing a visit with friends here at the Peter Wold home near Highlanding.

Grant Ohm passed two days the first of the week visiting at the home of his parents in this city. He returned to Bemidji where he is employed on Wednesday morning.

The Carl M. Carlson, Ostvolden and S. J. Anderson families, accompanied by Miss Janet Oftedahl of this city and Mrs. Odin Anderson of Stanley, visited at Angus over Sunday.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. L. Stitt at 901 LaBree Ave. N., Friday afternoon, July 30. A lunch will be served at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. L. L. Cohn is expected to arrive home on Saturday morning after having been confined in St. Lukes hospital for the past eleven weeks. Mrs. Cohn is much improved in health.

Misses Blanche Johnson, Marie Nelson, Irma Johnson and Messrs. Guy and Perry Johnson will spend the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop at their cottage at Maple Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Melgaard and family of Warren and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Melgaard and family of Argyle motored over on Sunday and were guests at the T. L. Melgaard home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Klungness and daughters, Margaret and Clara, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fuller and family motored to Maple Lake on Saturday to spend the week-end with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson and children, accompanied by Mrs. Harry Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Lute York, Gerald and Roy Turney, motored to the Lake of the Woods on Saturday, returning on Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Hermanson and children returned to their home in Minneapolis on Monday evening after a ten day visit at the H. Hermanson home in this city. Mr. Hermanson preceded his family a few days.

Miss Olga Hogland of Fertile and the H. L. Waage family of Crookston visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Anderson last week. On Sunday they motored to the country where they were the guests of friends.

Miss Lucille Burns returned Tuesday morning from Grand Forks where she spent two weeks visiting with her friend, Miss Lois Wold and sister Miss Evangeline Burns, who is attending summer school at the university.

Miss Alice Hanson arrived here on Monday evening from her home in St. Paul for a visit with friends. At present she is the guest of Miss Ruby Jenson in Goodridge. Miss Hanson is a member of the class of 1919.

Helmer Anderson of Stanley, this state, departed the first of the week for Devils Lake, N. D., where he will visit with friends before returning to his home. While in this city he was a guest of his brother, S. J. Anderson.

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Misses Lottie Austin and Marguerite Eichhammer, accompanied by Miss Josephine Eichhammer, who has been a guest of her sister for the past month, departed on Tuesday morning on the special for Grand Forks where they took in the fair. The former returned on the special in the evening while Miss Eichhammer will remain at her home for a couple of weeks.

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City News

Mrs. A. Soards and three children of Annandale, arrived in the city on Saturday evening and will spend a short time visiting with friends. From here they will go to St. Hilaire to visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Severson.

Elmer Simonson of Ada, brother of C. S. Simonson of this city, accompanied by Walter Betcher of the same city, visited at the Simonson home on Monday evening. They continued their journey to Maple Lake and Bemidji, traveling by car.

Miss Ruby Halvorson arrived on Tuesday evening from Minneapolis where she is employed at Donaldson's, and will spend a week as the guest of her father, C. Halvorson. This is Miss Halvorson's first visit to this city since her departure for the East where she visited relatives two years ago.

A. L. Saeks, representing the Liggett & Myers Tobacco company, is in the city today in the interests of Spur cigarettes. Mr. Saeks states that while Spurs have only been offered to the public for a short time they have already become strong favorites with cigarette smokers in every section of the country.

Misses Ella and Marian Miller, Meta Kiland, and Gertrude Bergquist, the latter of Parkers Prairie, Oscar Paulson, Francis Burns, returned on Monday morning from a week's outing at Itasca Park. They were accompanied by Mrs. Betsey Miller and son, Roy, who motored there on Friday to spend the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Reger, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hudson, Lester, Merle and Taylor Hudson, who have been on a week's outing at Itasca State park, were guests for a couple of days at the home of Mrs. Betsey Miller. They left this morning via the auto route for Crookston and Grand Forks where they will visit before returning to their home in New Rockford, N. D.

—Trade at Home—

Society

For Miss Hanson.

Complimentary to Miss Effie Hanson of Fertile, who was her guest, Mrs. Nels Christianson informaly entertained a few ladies at her home on Friday afternoon.

Entertains.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist informally entertained a number of ladies at her home on Thursday afternoon. Sewing formed the diversion. A delicious lunch concluded the afternoon.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The district convention of the Womans Christian Temperance Union will be held at Euclid on July 28 and 29. It is hoped that a great many of the members will be able to attend as Mrs. Levins of Crookston, who is district secretary, recently returned as a delegate to the world's convention in London and will have many interesting things to relate about her travels abroad.

Thune-Arneson.

Ole Gerhard Thune and Miss Clara Eline Arneson, both from Hazel, were quietly married on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock July 17th at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. George Larson officiating. The bond was sealed by giving and receiving the wedding ring in the presence of Clarence Arneson, a brother of the bride, and Alma Thune, sister of the bridegroom. The young couple left immediately for Hazel where a wedding dinner awaited them. Their many friends wish them a prosperous and happy life.

Luther League to Have Program.

The Luther League of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet this evening, July 22 in the basement of the church. The hostesses will be Mrs. A. Dybvik, Mrs. S. Quammen, Mrs. C. Larson and Mrs. J. J. Weeks. A splendid program has been arranged which follows:

Devotion	Arthur Rholl
Piano solo	Palma Langseth
Reading	Gladys Nelson
Vocal solo	Ella Miller
Speech	Reuben Aga
Piano solo	Mrs. G. Ward
Vocal number	Mixed Quartette

A business meeting will follow the program. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Jenson-Tolland.

A marriage which has been kept a secret for almost a month will come as a complete surprise to many local people. Leroy Tolland of this city and Miss Marie Jenson of Overley, N. D., were quietly married on June 26, at the parsonage of the Baptist church in Kenmare, N. D., with Rev. Dunnett, pastor of the church, officiating. Mr. Tolland is a highly respected and well known young man in this city having bee employed as brakeman on the Wheatline run for a number of years. The bride has been engaged in teaching school in Crosby, N. D., during the past school term. Mr. and Mrs. Tolland will be at home to their friends in Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

Lady Maccabees to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Lady Maccabees will be held Monday afternoon, July 26th at 2:30 p. m. All members are requested to be present.

—Trade at Home—

Churches

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, July 25: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. At 2:30 the Sunday school children and parents will meet at the church for an outing in the afternoon.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school picnic at Tindolph Park Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. Ice cream and cake will be served. Service at Rosewood, Rindal church, at 11 a. m. Zion Ladies Aid wil be entertained by Dina Evenson and Mrs. Sorenson on Thursday, July 29th at 2 p. m. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, July 29th at 8 p. m. Mrs. Savig entertains. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening in the church.

—Trade at Home—

Arrested on Serious Charge.

Louis Champagne of Crookston has been arrested on a serious charge. The complaint was sworn out by the husband of the woman whom he is alleged to have assaulted Tuesday. Champagne has been released on $500 bonds and his hearing has been set for August 5.

—Trade at Home—

Sawdust on Fire.

The fire department was called Tuesday evening to put out a fire which had gained considerable headway in the saw dust on the old mill grounds. This dust is several feet deep in places and considerable water is required to put out a fire after it has gained a foothold.

—Trade at Home—

State Commissioner Coming.

Secretary G. Howard Smith of the fair association has received word to the effect that J. N. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture, may find it possible to visit Thief River Falls on the second day of the fair. In case of his arrival, Mr. Holmberg will deliver an address at the fair grounds in the afternoon.

—Trade at Home—

Deported From City.

Gussie Shoemaker, a shady character who had been hanging around the city for a week or more, was on Monday arrested and brought into municipal court for a hearing. Judge Tarrant gave her the option of serving 60 days in jail, paying a fine of $50 or getting out of town at the first opportunity. Gussie chose the latter and departed on the next train for greener pastures.

—Trade at Home—

Surprising Discovery.

A Baudette woman picking strawberries in the woods near town the other day stumbled onto six cases—and they weren't cases of strawberries either. Just what she did with the cases history sayeth not. If you found six cases of perfectly good liquor while picking strawberries what would you do with them? That's the answer.

A Conversation.

A. "Good morning, Mr. B. What are you thinking so seriously about?"

B. "I am wondering what true Christian faith is, and if it is anywhere to be found."

A. "I have often thought of that; but just come to the tent next Friday evening, there you can find out. They answer many such questions. Next Sunday evening they speak about the good and evil angels. You have probably wondered if they are our departed friends."

B. "I certainly must go and hear what the Bible says about these things."

—Trade at Home—

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—Trade at Home—

Mill Company Meeting.

Goodridge Banner: The stockholders of the Farmers Elevator and Milling company held their annual meeting Tuesday at the school house. *Many of the stockholders* had brought their friends and there was a big attendance. The best of feeling prevailed throughout and the stockholders were well pleased with the showing made of 20% profit from the first years business—this notwithstanding the adverse conditions; delay on the part of the railroad in getting the machinery here for the mill, general poor crops and consequent shortage of wheat. The mill when completed cost more than $5,000 more than had been expected. It was voted to raise the price of shares from $100 to $120. There are 22 shares yet unsold.

The following officers were elected: Stuart McLeod, president; M. Vaughin, vice president; A. B. Mandt, secretary-treasurer. Theodore Gilbertson and Emil Grans, directors. These officers were all re-elected from last year.

—Trade at Home—

A Warning.

The postoffice at Verdun, Minn., was robbed July 18, 1920 of money orders No. 1601 to 2000 inclusive. Care should be exercised in cashing money orders and hotel proprietors, merchants, and others be on the lookout for these.

STEINER

Mrs. Katie Meyers and daughter, Esther, transacted business in Thief River Falls the middle of the week.

Ruth and Arnie Solem spent Sunday with the Rogers family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaton and Miss Esther Johnson, spent a few days at the J. Berg home. They returned to their homes in the southern part of Minnesota Monday evening.

S. R. Rogers and daughter, Mable, drove to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Inga Saugen, nurse at the Physicians hospital in Thief River Falls returned to her work Tuesday after spending a three weeks' vacation at her mother's home.

Paul Koglin has been working for N. E. Muzzy the past week.

Mrs. J. Berg gave a party Sunday evening in honor of her niece and nephew, Esther Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Eaton. Games and music formed the entertainment and at midnight delicious refreshments were served to about fifty young people.

Arthur Simonson called at the S. R. Rogers home Sunday.

Vivian Copp has been helping his brother, Harvey, make hay the past week.

Mrs. Werner spent Sunday with Mrs. Katie Meyer.

Harvey Copp transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Misses Ruby and Pearl Warring, Jessie Rogers and Esther Meyers called at the Slack home the middle of the week.

Miss Ruth Solem made a trip to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Louis and William Meyers transacted business in Steiner Thursday evening.

Miss Ruth Solem was a caller in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Misses Pearl and Ruby Warring spent Friday evening with the M. O. Saugen family.

Luther League was held at the John Swanson home Friday evening. A large crowd was present and a good time had by all present.

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PAVING AT LAST IN SIGHT.

The city council, upon the advice of some of the foremost attorneys in this section, has decided to go ahead with the paving program and it is probable that dirt will be flying before the end of next week. The contractors intend to push the work with a view to completing the contract during the present summer, being prepared to employ double shifts as soon as things get going in good shape.

So many unexpected factors have threatened to delay the paving for at least another year that this sudden termination of all controversies comes as a surprise. To practically everybody in the city the final decision will bring a feeling of relief.

The citizens who attempted by injunction proceedings to prevent the work from being undertaken are not yet reconciled, it seems. According to the best legal advice obtainable there is not much they can do, however, and it is to be hoped that they will now see the uselessness of attempting to block the city's progress any further.

One thing in connection with this paving matter seems to be generally overlooked. Should anything now happen that would prevent the work from going forward it would mean a costly delay for the city. The streets certainly could not be left in their present condition over another year and the leveling necessary because of the many excavations would in itself represent a considerable outlay. But more important than this is the certainty that no such favorable contract as the city now has could be secured at any time in the near future. The contractors themselves state that their figure for this work would be very much higher if they were to do the bidding at this time, the price of both labor and material having advanced since their offer was accepted. In fact it would be impossible for them to undertake the job at the present figure were it not that they have a large supply of the required material already on hand at Winnipeg.

The arguments advanced by the objecters for postponing the paving matter do not loom up as very sound when fully considered. The principal reason given for their opposition is that the streets are not at present in a condition for paving. The engineers employed by the city as well as those of the paving contractors say there is absolutely nothing to this assertion. The contractors put up with the city a surety bond covering 25 per cent of the total cost of the job for the purpose of guaranteeing it for five years. Anything going wrong with the work within that time will have to be made good by them. It is certain that they would not go ahead and put in something that would fail to hold up for that length of time, while it is admitted that if the pavement stands for five years without caving it will stand for the full life of such pavement generally.

It is to be hoped that there will be no further attempt to prevent the carrying out of this contract. Every argument advanced by those who demand a postponement has been met and they no longer have a point in their favor. The courts have held that every preliminary move is strictly according to law and that there seems to be no good reason for preventing the decision of the council, backed by the will of a majority of the people, from being carried out.

WHAT THE PRIMARY PROVED.

A study of the primary election figures reveals some interesting things, not to mention considerable food for thought. J. A. O. Preus led his chief rival for the republican nomination for governor, Dr. Henrik Shipstead, by 8,499 votes. He carried the First congressional district, the Second, the Fourth, the Fifth and the Eighth, but he lost the other five districts. In the First district Mr. Preus prevailed by 5,051, in the Second by 2943, in the Fourth by 2,658, in the Fifth by 8,594 and in the Eighth by 5,215. In these five districts were located the principal population centers and the regular republican nominees prevailed in nearly all of them. Dr. Shipstead, the League candidate carried the Third district by only 35 votes, the Sixth by 112 votes, the Seventh by 6,416, the Ninth by 7,444 votes and the Tenth by 29 votes. Mr. Preus prevailed in 32 counties and Dr. Shipstead in 54. There was a total of 319,860 Republican ballots cast of which Preus received 133,586 and Shipstead 125,087. The other four Republican gubernatorial candidates, which included Franklin F. Ellsworth, Tom Frankson, S. G. Iverson and Thos. Keefe, polled a combined total of 47,493 votes. The total number of democratic votes cast and counted was 27,288. At the primaries two years ago, with only two Republican candidates contesting for the gubernatorial honor, the regular republican candidate prevailed in 56 counties and the League candidate in only 30 counties. The total Republican vote case was 369,098 and Democratic vote 32,649. In the two League strongholds, the Seventh and Ninth districts, Lindberg, the League candidate of that period, only led by 1,065 in the Seventh and by 5,619 in the Ninth. The banner republican district was the Fifth which gave the regular candidate a majority of nearly 15,000.

INEXCUSABLE LAXNESS.

A total of 50 votes cast at a school election in a district containing a population of at least 6,000 does not speak very well for the interest taken in school matters. And at that the vote on Saturday evening was larger than at most similar elections in recent years.

When the meeting opened at 7:30 o'clock there were barely enough citizens present to constitute a quorum. The report of the past year was read and the budget for the coming twelve months adopted. This budget provides for an expenditure of $104,000. The greater part of this money comes out of the pockets of taxpayers. It is certain that were it proposed to expend a like sum for any other purpose every man who pays taxes in District No. 18 would be around to find out just what it was going to be used for. He would want to know the reason for a larger levy at this time than was necessary a year ago. In fact he would want to know all about what was going on.

And his attitude would then be the right one. Disregarding our plain duty go under the supposition that everything is all right is highly flattering to the school officials, but they would rather the public turn out and help share the responsibility. No one questions the figures presented by the board and there is not a hint to indicate that our schools should get along with a smaller sum. The people have absolute confidence in the ability and judgment of the board members—and it is fully deserved.

But that is not the idea. These officials would greatly prefer that the people assist them in a matter of such importance as, for instance, the voting of the budget. Our schools represent the largest item of expenditure to be met by the taxpayers during the year and yet it receives the smallest amount of attention. The success of our schools is perhaps regarded as the most important thing among all undertakings of a public nature, yet the people are willing that six board members shall carry the responsibility without a single helpful suggestion from those most interested. It is not a very satisfactory way to operate a business of such magnitude.

The newly elected members—Mrs. L. G. Larsen and E. O. Mogensen—will prove officials of a very high order and help to maintain the excellent record held by the board for years. Giving the women representation on the board is something that should have been thought of a long time ago. Mrs. Larsen is perhaps as well qualified for this position as any who could have been selected. She has followed the teaching profession herself, has always taken a deep interest in the work of the schools and looks at things from a mother's viewpoint. Mr. Mogensen is a business man of sound practices and good judgment. He will apply both in assisting to administer the affairs of the district.

The board as a whole could not be improved on. But this does not excuse the apparent unconcern of our people.

NEIGHBORHOOD VISITS.

Every person in Thief River Falls who can possibly do so should join the sociability run to Warroad next Tuesday morning. If there is a period during the year when there is a slight lull in business in this section it is just before harvest. In a short time everybody will be so busy that taking a couple of days off will be out of the question.

The main idea of the run is to boost the Pennington county fair. This idea of making personal visits to neighboring communities in order to call attention to the big event of the year at each county seat has of late become general and no better plan could be devised. It brings all the neighbors into personal touch with one another and promotes good feeling generally.

The people of Warroad showed themselves excellent hosts on a previous occasion of this kind and are prepared this year to break their own record. To a committee sent to their town to find out whether or not our people would be welcome assurances were given that nothing would be left undone to give the tourists the time of their lives. Lake trips, dancing, and band concerts are among the things provided, besides one of those sturgeon dinners for which the region is famous. The trip will help stave off old age and show the neighbors to the north that Thief River Falls cares enough about them to occasionally pay a visit.

Another Baby Clinic to Be Held on Second Day of Fair

Arrangements have been completed for conducting another baby clinic at the auditorium in Thief River Falls on the second day of the fair, August 5. These clinics are conducted under the auspices of the Pennington County Public Health association, and all mothers are urged to take advantage of this opportunity of giving their children a thorough medical examination by an expert in children's diseases.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. W. M. Ellofson who passed a week visiting with friends in Fisher arrived here on Tuesday morning and will spend a few days visiting with her sister, Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom, before returning to her home in Newfolden.

FORKERS SCORE BIG GAINS AT CLOSING

But General Market is Lower For Week—Best Cattle Top at $15.50.

Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul, July 19.—Hogs declined most of last week but made some recovery near the finish and only closed 25c to 50c lower. Closing top was $15.75 compared to $15.25 the previous week while bulk sold at $13.75 to $14 with low end $13.25. Pigs sold at $8 to $14 and boars at $5 to $8. Receipts were about normal, totalling around 40,000.

Killing cattle were quoted 25c to 50c lower for the week, though trade firmed up some after a bad start on Monday. Stockers and feeders were slow sellers and looked 50c to $1 lower. Packers paid up to $15.50 for choice dry-fed steers and there were a few sales at $12 to $13.75 on decent sorts. Bulk of trade was registered at $8 to $11. She stuff sold all the way from $6 to $12.25 with most trade at $6 to $8 except on the good kinds. Canners and cutters were unchanged at $3 to $5.50 with bulls at $5 to $7 mostly. Vealers advanced $1.50, closing at $13 for top. Dairy cow demand was a little better and prices higher with most sales at $70 to $100. Receipts were 22,000.

Sheep and lamb trade closed generally 50c higher all around with choice ewes selling as high here as anywhere in the country. Quotations: Lambs $6 to $15; ewes, $2.50 to $7.50; wethers, $6 to $8; yearlings, $6 to $10. Receipts showed an increase, totalling 9,200.

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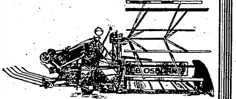

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BASEBALL TOURNAMENT

The fastest baseball teams in Northwestern Minnesota will participate in an elimination tournament for the championship of Northwestern Minnesota during the Fair and will compete for purses offered by the Fair Association.

SCHEDULE OF GAMES
Thief River Falls vs. St. Hilaire at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, Aug. 4th
Red Lake Falls vs. Grygla at 3:45 p. m. Thursday, Aug. 5th
The two winners will play off for the championship Friday, August 6th, at 3:30 p. m. Don't miss this exhibition of our National Sport

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PROGRAM THURSDAY, AUG. 5
1:30 p. m. Selections by Thief River Falls Band
1:45 p. m. The Atlas Trio, Triple Trapeze artists
2:00 p. m. Brancel & Dog, performance on the slack wire
2:15 p. m. The Savages, performing on the mechanical revolving ladder
2:25 p. m. Art Williams, daredevil aviator
2:55 p. m. The Great Sigfred, Ski Jumper
3:15 p. m. The Minneapolis Daily News Flying Circus
3:45 p. m. Baseball, Red Lake Falls vs. Grygla

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NEW AEROPLANE CARROUSEL, MERRY-GO-ROUND, FERRIS WHEEL, AND MANY NEW AND NOVEL FEATURE SHOWS AND AMUSEMENT DEVICES.

PRICES:
Season tickets good for any member of purchasers family for any one performance, $2.00

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Adults	50c	Adults	25c
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Automobiles	25c	Automobiles and Grand Stand	free
Grand Stand	25c		

THAT FUNNY CLOWN
with The Savages presenting a side-splitting act on the mechanical revolving ladder.

MISS IRENE SAVAGE
of The Atlas Trio, one of the most clever Triple Trapeze artists appearing before the public.

ART WILLIAMS
that Daredevil Birdman who walks on the wings in mid air, hangs by his knees on the supports and crawls all over that plane hundreds of feet in the air finishing his performances with a drop in a parachute from the aeroplane at an altitude of 5,000 feet in the greatest thriller in the amusement world of today. Appearing August 5th only, afternoon and evening.

BRANCEL & JACK
Introducing one of the most beautiful and clever slack wire acts in vaudeville.

Presenting a wonderful line of juggling and balancing tricks on a thin thread of a wire, he also rides forth and back on a unicycle a trick which must be seen to be appreciated. He is assisted by Jack; no, Jack is not human, he is a clever little Fox Terrier and does everything but talk.

THE GREAT SIGFRIED
the Champion Ski jumper of Sweden and holder of the Canadian Cross Country championship in an exhibition of that great Scandinavian National sport, the most novel and entertaining act appearing before the public. Sigfried is the only man in the world putting on such an exhibition in mid-summer.

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These artists 25 feet in the air perform the most daring and hazardous feats of strength and agility ever presented to the public.

In their death defying Triple Trapeze Casting Act, they defy every law of gravitation and turn the world upside down.

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The original Mechanical Revolving Ladder Act introducing the most comical Clown now appearing before the public. This act will be especially pleasing to the kiddies.

MISS EVELYN SAVAGE
who furnishes the real thrillers with the Atlas Trio in their Triple Trapeze Aerial Casting Act.

LIEUT. LARRABEE
Known as "The Flying Squirrel," with the Minneapolis Daily News Flying Circus. Appearing August 5th only, afternoon and evening.

AGDER

Ole Solberg autoed to Thief River Falls Monday afternoon.

George Senum was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls Monday.

Wm. Rude and son, Herman, autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Agnes Hanson was a caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. Knaddle autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday afternoon.

Carl and Hjalmer Johnson and Alfred Klungness and Auther and Oscar Nestvold visited at the Christ Nelson home Thursday evening.

Gunder Senum and E. Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Monday afternoon.

Oscar Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Edward and Lawrence Senum visited with Henry Esplee Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Gunderson was a caller at the Christ Nelson home Tuesday evening.

Halvor Listol visited at the John Esplee home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. George Senum and baby, and Selma Olson were electric car passengers enroute to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Groven and son, Lawrence, were callers in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. Esplee and son, Henry, were callers in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Victor Trochman was a caller at the Christ Nelson home Wednesday evening.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Oscar Evenson motored to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

H. Nabben motored to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Misses Annie and Laura Senum were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Hermon Rude was visiting at the Isaacson home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and baby autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Solberg and daughters Myrtle and Bernice, autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Groven and son, Lawrence, visited with Mrs. George Senum last Thursday afternoon.

Ole Solberg was a caller at the Christ Nelson home Friday forenoon.

Carolina Senum visited at Groven's and Senum's Friday.

Hazel Evenson visited at Forthune's Friday.

Mrs. S. Groven visited with Annie Senum Thursday evening.

Mrs. Trochman entertained the Ladies Aid society last Friday.

Ole Ose autoed to Thief River Falls last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Swanson and baby visited with friends in Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Mr. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday forenoon.

Chas. Evenson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson was a caller in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Knaddle and children autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Seraphine Rolland and children, Augustine, Louise, Lucy and Marshall were Thursday guests at the Hans Dahl home.

L. Bendickson and son, Bernard, were business callers at Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. Sanders and daughter, Julia, were callers at the Ole P. Nelson home last Monday.

Henry Roller and daughters, Della and Bessie, were business callers at Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Rose Vakoch was a Germantown caller last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Gehart, Silva and Henry, were callers at the L. Bendickson home Monday.

Lawrence Nelson returned home recently from International Falls where he had been employed.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Martinus Johnson home last Tuesday.

Benard Bendickson was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Hattie Klockman was a Germantown caller on Wednesday.

Bernice Struble visited with Ruth Boyce last Monday.

Silva Bendickson was a shopper at Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Miss Lillian Prehall was a caller in Mavie one day last week.

Henry Klockman was a caller in Thief River Falls on Friday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Martinus Johnson home last Tuesday.

Miss Stella Stokkie visited with Augustine Rolland one day of the past week.

Hans Dahl was a caller at Goodridge one day last week.

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

Grand Forks Commercial Club Visits Town.

Twenty six auto loads of people from Grand Forks comprising members of the commercial club and of the Grand Forks state band paid us a pleasant visit last Friday at noon, to advertise the Grand Forks fair and to become better acquainted. The tournament arrived here shortly before dinner and stopped for a while in town, where the band boys played several selections and representatives of various advertising firms called briefly upon the main business houses in town, leaving a large amount of advertisements both for the fair and for various local business interests of Grand Forks. A representative was in town a few days before announcing their arrival and the time, and most of the town people as well as some farmers had turned out to see the affair. The party, who was making a day's tour of this section in the interests named above, went from here to Thief River Falls where a stop was made for dinner and where considerable advertising was done.

At the annual school meeting held at Rosebank last Saturday evening Alex Hellquist was elected as clerk for the coming year and Joel E. Shoberg, treasurer. There will be seven months teaching next term and the sum of $1500 was voted in to defray the expenses. Through vote it was decided that the school building shall be open for all business and public meetings of a peaceful nature and in the interests of the people of the district for everything except school purposes, and annulling last year's closing order when the school house was closed.

The Swedish Young Peoples society held their monthly meeting at the Congregational church in town last Saturday evening with a fair attendance. Rev. Drotts of Viking was in charge. Meetings were also conducted twice on Sunday at that church and a Christening service was held at the home of Carl Mellem at 5 p. m.

Helmer Bloom, in company with three friends, left on Sunday morning for a day's outing tour to visit with friends at Warren and Grand Forks.

Mrs. J. Hanson, in company with several children from Grygla, are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Rafteseth.

Miss Tena Weatby, who has been employed at Adams, N. D., for several months, came home for a vacation to visit with her parents last Saturday.

Oswald Hellerud and Miss Ellen Holm of Twin Valley were Sunday visitors at the A. S. Holm home in town.

Axel Larson, who has been employed at Radium this summer, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Mabel Uland of Radium and the Lloyd Crown family of Rocksbury were Sunday visitors at the John Bloom home.

Miss Ida Sorenson returned on Saturday from Warren where she had spent a few days visiting.

Mrs. Axel Krohn has been at Thief River Falls the last week to seek medical treatment.

Mrs. Carl Bloom is reported on the sick list the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan and daughter, Violet, went to Goodridge on Monday morning to look after business interests during the day.

A number of people in the Busy Bee district gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Alby, newlyweds, last Sunday afternoon to surprise them. A neat sum of money and a bounteous luncheon was brought along to make the event more interesting.

The Enoch Nelson family and Olaf Hall spent Sunday at Strathcona as guests with the Henning Backlund family.

BANK NO. 1232.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

FARMERS STATE BANK

OF MAVIE, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1920.

RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts		$ 60,627.20
Overdrafts		42.04
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		4,550.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		3,900.00
Other Real Estate		5,141.27
Due from other Banks	$ 5,911.81	
Cash on hand:		
Currency	$605.00	
Silver	139.05	
Other	78.09	
Total Cash Assets		6,822.85
Checks and Cash Items		355.30
Paid out for expenses, etc., in excess of earnings		670.50
Taxes paid on other real estate		104.79
Total		$ 82,714.01
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		435.28
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		6,245.00
Deposits subject to check	$ 23,122.68	
Cashier's Checks	856.79	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 23,979.47	
Time Certificates	40,054.26	
Total Deposits	$ 64,033.73	64,033.73
Total		$ 82,714.01
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 6,822.85
Amount of Reserve Required by law		4,880.25

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We O. A. Naplin, President and Thos. H. Smith, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

O. A. NAPLIN, President.
THOS. H. SMITH, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
WALTER E. SMITH.
J. P. CURTIS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, 1920.
(Seal)
WALTER E. SMITH,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My commission expires Dec 18, 1926.

"Going All Around"

says the Good Judge

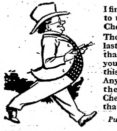

I find men are taking to the Real Tobacco Chew.

The good, rich taste lasts so much longer that you find it saves you money to use this class of tobacco. Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco
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Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

A Newspaper Man Asks Information About Gasoline Prices

"WHAT are the reasons for the advance in gasoline prices?" was asked by the President of a large daily newspaper.

Continuing, the gentleman said: "I can conceive how the cost of a manufactured article might increase as much as 50 to 100 percent because of the increased cost of raw materials, labor, etc.; but it has always seemed to me that the price of a product taken from the ground at a comparatively low cost should not be affected to any marked degree."

This constitutes a fair question, and we are glad of an opportunity to answer it frankly.

Gasoline is refined from crude petroleum by a lengthy and expensive process, and is, in the truest sense, a manufactured article. Time, labor, and heavy investments enter into the manufacture of gasoline from the crude, and each of these necessarily affect the price.

The cost of crude is a dominant factor in fixing the price of gasoline.

The extraordinary demand for petroleum products, plus the abnormal increases in the cost of labor, machinery, and money necessary for drilling and equipping oil wells, have combined to force upwards the price of crude oil f. o. b. Whiting from $1.54 to $4.30 per barrel in four years, nearly 180 percent.

For the same period the selling price of gasoline has increased but 44 percent.

Since the Armistice was signed, the production of automobiles, tractors, trucks, and other power using machinery, has created a demand for gasoline far in excess of normal. Gasoline reserves have been reduced to an alarming extent, and the bidding for crude-oil on the part of refiners generally, has forced prices upward.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) having practically no wells of its own is obliged to go into the open market and compete with other refiners for the crude oil it requires.

Because of its acknowledged superior efficiency in manufacturing, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) despite these conditions has been able to exert a marked deterrent pressure upon the upward sweep of the gasoline market.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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For Sale

WE HAVE FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES WHICH ARE NOT IN USE, AND ALL IN GOOD CONDITION:

One wide tire wagon gear, medium size, nearly new.
One wide tire wagon gear, large size, nearly new.
One potato planter, slightly used.
One heavy work harness, short tug.
One set bob sleds, nearly new.
One Queen Incubator.
One Brooder.
Several neck yokes for machinery and wagons.
Several eveners for harrows.
One foot-power potato cutter.
One wild oats tester.

The Prichard Co.

Legal Notices

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to N. W. Tarrant

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 6th day of November, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated July 9, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
j15-22-29

—Trade at Home—

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Hege Jore, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Sauve Jore, Else Jore, Engebjorg Tvelt, Torvald Jore, Asmund Wetleson Brekke, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of August, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of July, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j22-29-a5

—Trade at Home—

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBERG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

SQUEEZED TO DEATH

When the body begins to stiffen and movement becomes painful it is usually an indication that the kidneys are out of order. Keep these organs healthy by taking

GOLD MEDAL
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The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles. Famous since 1696. Take regularly and keep in good health. In three sizes, all druggists. Guaranteed as represented. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

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A DELICIOUS, finely flavored drink that really satisfies. A glass of "Glix" with meals, between meals or served with that "late lunch" is ideal. It pleases the eye, has snap and sparkle and it's pure, that's sure. Made in a light and dark brew.

Keep a case on hand. Order it now.

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A big-scale road test on 3,200 tubes

How Firestone puts the miles in — and then proves it—not at YOUR expense.

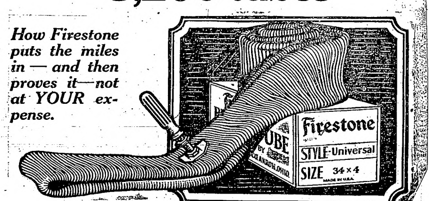

No other tubes in the world are road tested on so big a scale as Firestones. The Yellow Cab Company of Chicago uses Firestone Tubes exclusively on its 800 taxi cabs. The service of these tubes is checked constantly—improvements and developments are arrived at.

By close watching of a large number of tubes in service—not confined to isolated instances, the conclusions are accurate and definite.

Firestone puts the best in materials into tubes by establishing purchasing experts at Singapore, center of the world's rubber market. Firestone puts the best in workmanship into tubes by organizing the crack manufacturing organization of the industry on a profit-sharing basis.

And then subjects the finished product to this big-scale road test—in order to get you more for your tube money and more miles out of your tires. And yet Firestone Tubes cost no more than the ordinary kind.

Firestone Tubes

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., July 13, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: Froseth.

Minutes of the meeting of June 22nd were read and approved as read.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Chief of Police, Municipal Judge, Librarian and Manager of the Auditorium be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the Thief River Falls Monumental Works power rate be fixed at the rate of $60.00 per month until Jan. 1, 1921. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the request of the Water & Light Dept. employees for an increase in salary be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Dahl, that the Pennington County Fair Association be granted the use of the Auditorium for the Industrial Exhibition for three days during the fair at the rental of $12.00 per day. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the building permits of Nortz Lumber Co., and J. G. Newland be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the appointment of Harry Schuster to membership in the Fire Department in place of C. C. Swartz, resigned, be approved. Motion carried.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment of $400.00 to the Pennington County Agricultural Society. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, That Mrs. Gust Swanson and Mrs. Vavella be allowed $20.00 per month for groceries and meat bills. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that Ordinance No. 165 be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Holt & George the sum of $3465.29, third estimate on water and sewer connections. (See Resolutions.)

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the Council adjourn until Thursday July 15th at 8:00 P. M. Motion carried and the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held July 13, 1920, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$545.91
Holt & George, sewer tile and labor	518.75
Paul Midderight, fire warden services	20.25
John H. Meyers, labor	14.00
Andy Craik, smithing	3.85
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	21.03
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber and cement	67.30
Water & Light Dept., brick	14.50
D. J. Gerdes, music	26.00
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	10.50
Water & Light Dept., light service	60.15
Water & Light Dept., express	1.10
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., printing	48.40
H. A. Brumund, expense convention	14.75
O. L. Ihle, expense convention	14.75
Manhattan Oil Co., oil	65.70
Local Improvement Fund.	
Geo. W. Werstlein, curb rebate	8.80
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., printing	11.25
Water & Light Dept., power service	15.85
Auditorium Fund.	
T. M. Thronson, insurance	140.40
T. P. Hamre, insurance	280.80
Lars Backe, insurance	[illegible]
Midland Chemical Co., supplies	97.25
John H. Meyers, labor	1.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	4.30
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	3.50
Water & Light Dept., St. service	101.82
Poor Fund.	
Eli Rolland, provisions	14.21
Eli Rolland, provisions	32.36
A. M. Langseth, shoes	8.25
Louis DeCremer, provisions	8.54
Carl Christofferson, provisions	77.08
F. J. Stebbins, supplies	8.50
City Dray & Fuel Co., wood	13.50
Lieberman Bros., clothing	4.05
Bernt Wold, clothing	2.70
Zeh & Curran, provisions	25.04
Oen Mercantile Co., provisions	4.71
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	1.50
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
Library Fund.	
Wagenwoord & Co., rebinding	29.65
St. Paul Book & Sty. Co., books	13.13
St. Paul Book & Sty. Co., books	24.55
Ed. Lee, repairs	9.52
Elsie Sundahl, expense	25.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	10.00
Water & Light Dept., light service	0.83
Electric Light Fund.	
Ole Legvold, expense	30.00
Red Lake Ice Co., ice	4.00
C. M. Evenson & Sons, repairs	63.00
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	1.25
Hermanson Hdwe. Co., supplies	1.45
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	1.55
H. M. Hicks, cushion	10.00
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., printing	3.00
Water & Light Dept., Elect. supplies	9.75
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	7.00
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	20.88
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	6.65
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	170.98
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	957.88
Alfred Adolphs, labor	84.00
Mike Welch, labor	73.50
Lloy L. Peterson, labor	43.75
Andy Craik, smithing	3.30
Minneapolis Elect. Equip. Co., repairs	55.56
Kelly Duluth Co., supplies	10.90
Roth Bros. & Co., supplies	23.87
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	10.00
Ashelman Bros., supplies	31.71
James Leffel Co., supplies	84.00
Frank A. Bourque, labor	65.50
Northern Elect. Co., supplies	135.44
Alec Welch, telephone supplies	6.00
Waterworks Fund.	
Oscar Dicken, labor	7.50
John Dicken, labor	2.50
Holt & George, supplies, allowed at	122.57
Holt & George, repairs	22.88

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.
Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.
Approved July 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held July 13, 1920, Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-five and 29-100 Dollars ($3465.29) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated out of the local improvement fund, to Holt and George, in payment of Estimate No. 3, for work done on the Sewer and Water Connection Contract, in accordance with the said Estimate No. 3 as submitted by the Bradley Engineering Service under date July 3, 1920, and the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to issue to said Holt and George the warrant of the City in said sum, drawn on said fund, in payment of the aforesaid estimate.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.
Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.
Approved July 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held July 13, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400.00) be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the current revenue fund of the City, to the Pennington County Agricultural Society, for the purpose of encouraging the holding of a County Fair during the summer of 1920, at or near said city, and the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to deliver the warrant of the City in said sum, to the proper officer, or officers, of said society.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.
Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.
Approved July 17, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President at eight o'clock P. M., July 15th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Dahl, Brumund, Ihle. Members absent: Froseth, Ness, Brandon.

There being no quorum present, the meeting adjourned until Monday, July 19, 1920, at eight o'clock P. M.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., July 19, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the application of Dr. A. W. Swedenberg for building permit be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the appointment of P. G. Peterson as Deputy City Treasurer, during the absence of the City Treasurer, be approved. Motion carried.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the contract of paving with the Bithulithic Contracting Company on behalf of the city. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the City Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for the scraping and painting of the wagon bridge, in two separate bids: one for labor only and one for labor and material: bids to be opened at a regular meeting of the City Council on Aug. 10th, 1920. Motion carried.

Alderman O. L. Ihle, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced a resolution providing for monthly estimates for payments on paving contract. (See Resolution.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held July 19, 1920, Alderman O. L. Ihle, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council, that

WHEREAS, The City Clerk and Mayor have been authorized to execute on behalf of the City, a contract with the Bithulithic Contracting Company of Winnipeg, Manitoba, for the construction of the proposed paving improvements in said City, and,

WHEREAS, Section Six (6) of Chapter 65, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year, 1919, authorize the payment to the contractor from time to time as the work progresses, and before its completion;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that payments of the contract price for the doing of said work, be made on monthly estimates to be furnished by the engineer, on a basis of seventy-five per cent of the amount already earned under such contract, conditioned, however, upon the said contractor properly performing the work under said contract, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the engineer be, and hereby is, required to furnish monthly estimates of said work, as the same progresses, and submit the same to the Council.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.
Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.
Approved July 23, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held July 19, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the restraining order issued by the District Court in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, restraining the officials of the City from entering into a contract with the Bithulithic Contracting Company of Winnipeg, Manitoba, pursuant to resolution of the City Council adopted May 4, 1920, has been in all things annulled and vacated; and,

WHEREAS, the Bradley Engineering Service has submitted a form of contract for the construction of the paving improvements described in the said resolution adopted on May 4, 1920, and,

WHEREAS, said form of contract has been approved by the City Attorney;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that said form of contract be, and the same is hereby approved, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Mayor and City Clerk be, and hereby are authorized and empowered to sign said contract and execute the same on behalf of the City.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.
Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.
Approved July 23, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Proceedings of the Board of Review, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Pursuant to law, the Board of Review of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, met in the Council Chambers of the Auditorium, June 28, 1920, for the purpose of reviewing and adjusting personal property and real estate assessments of the City for the year, 1920, and for the purpose of hearing any and all complaints of persons feeling aggrieved by said assessment.

Meeting was called to order by H. A. Brumund, Chairman, Monday, June 28, 1920, at 2:00 P. M.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund and Brandon. Members absent: Ness and Ihle.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the Board adjourn until Monday, July 12th, at 10:00 A. M. Motion carried and Board adjourned.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Review was called to order by H. A. Brumund, Chairman, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., July 12, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent, None.

There being no complaints entered the Board of Review adjourned until July 13, 1920, at 10:00 A. M.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Review was called to order by H. A. Brumund, Chairman, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., July 13, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the assessments of the following named parties be increased in the amounts hereinafter mentioned:

M. M. Johnson & Son, Goods & Mdse., increased from $1,800 to $2,800.

Drs. Mellby, Paulson, Froehlich and Fisher, Office Fixtures, increased from $200.00 to $1,000.00.

W. W. Prichard, Jr., Goods & Mdse., assessed at $4,000.00, nothing listed.

Larson Furniture Co., Goods & Mdse., increased from $20,000.00 to $30,000.00.

Albert Lieberman, Goods & Mdse., increased from $17,000.00 to $20,000.00.

Halvor Loken & Co., Goods & Mdse. increased from $1,100.00 to $2,000.00.

Loken Bros., Goods & Mdse., increased from $20,000.00 to $32,500.00.

Loken Bros., Office Furniture & Equipment, increased from $1,100.00 to $2,500.00.

All members voting in favor of the above-mentioned changes, the motion was declared carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the assessments as made by Lars Backe, Assessor, be accepted. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the Board, on motion made and seconded, adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
Chairman.
CARL FROSETH.
JOHN DAHL.
ANDREW NESS.
SEVERN BRANDON.
O. L. IHLE.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
Clerk of the Board.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

Classified Want Ads

—80—

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 7-room house, hardwood floors, city water. East side. Andrew Ness. 76-tf

FOR SALE—Double registered Polled Shorthorn bull, three years old. Gus. Hillyer, Route 1, city. 80-pd.

For Sale—Modern 8-room house, 710 LaBree Ave. N. 82p

FOR SALE—Team of horses with harness. Will sell cheap.—B. Hruby, Erie, Minn. 81p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Pure-bred Holstein bull. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—One new pneumatic tires, self starter, generator, electric lights, internal drive; 1 new 10-20 Titan tractor. Will take good, young horses as part payment.—Fred Tiedt, Argyle, Minn. 80

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room house on East Side. Good location, corner lots. Enquire N. A. Nelson, Phone 10-F-23. 80p

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land—Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—5 fresh cows with calves and one good team of young horses, and numerous other things. See Frank Mousley or call 11-F-911. 75tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—1914 Ford runabout.—James Cosgrove, 219 LaBree Ave. N. 79

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—7 cows and 3 spring calves. May consider team of young horses or a car.—Tandrup Saltvedt, Highlanding, Minn. 81pd

FOR SALE—Threshing outfit complete for work. Reeves engine and Reeves separator, 36-60, with Garden City Wing feeder. Engine is a 40-80 gas tractor with 400 gallon gas tank mounted on truck; 8 bottom stubble plow, also breakers. A good outfit for someone that wants to go threshing. For particulars write or call on me.—R. J. Bakke, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79tf

FOR SALE—Pigs five weeks old, delivered to any part of the city.—Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 4362. 80tf

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton station. Seventy-five acres summer fallowed. For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, Administrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 79tf

FOR SALE—One span of Fullmouth brood mares. Will sell for bankable paper or trade for stock.—R. L. Muzzy, Thief River Falls, Minn., R. R. No. 2. 80p

FOR SALE—Second-hand tent, 24x24, with six foot walls. Center 14 ft. high. In good condition and will sell for $35.00. Ned Syversrud, Rhoda, Minn. 80p

CLOSING OUT MAXWELL.

Immediate sale for cash, at less than cost, 3 new Maxwell 1920 touring cars at $1085 each. No trades considered. Regular price $1285. E. C. Parsons Auto Co., Warren, Minn. 79tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—An E. C. Simmons range. Call phone 601. 80p

FOR SALE—Six room house. Block 410 Crocker Ave. N 83p

FOR SALE—5 horses, weight 1400 to 1600 pounds, ages from 6 to 7 years. Will be sold cheap if taken at once.—Nick Baker, R. 2, City. 83p

FOR SALE—Computing scale.—Carl Christofferson & Co. 80tf

FOR SALE—Good buggy with pole and fills. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—One bay gelding, 6 years old, weight 1150.—W. E. Smith, 5 miles NW of Thief River Falls. 83p

FOR SALE—E½NE¼ Sec. 24, Township 155, Range 44, under ditch; about six miles NW of Thief River Falls. Address H91 c/o Times. 84p

FOR SALE—Bull calf, 14 months old; over half Shorthorn. H. Strandvold, R. 1, City. Three miles west of town. 80p

FOR SALE—Farm. Inquire of Mrs. L. F. Douglas.

FOR SALE—5-room house and barn. O. Tessum, city. 82p

FOR SALE—Belgian hare rabbits. Phone 3123. 84p

FOR SALE—Ford Touring car, practically new. Phone 15-F-711. 80p

FOR SALE—Beautiful farm, 160 acres. Fine black loam; 75 acres meadow; fine grove. Sec. 7, Township 157, Range 41, Marshall County. Six miles from Middle River. Write Mrs. Irish, 1779 Dayton Av. St. Paul, Minn. 82p

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 64tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel-Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Forty-foot tower windmill at a bargain.—H. P. Nabben, Germantown Route, City. 80p

FOR SALE—Good five passenger car. Phone 1082. 811 Knight Ave. N. 76tf

FOR SALE—One 15-16 Holstein bull calf, from good stock. $20 if taken at once.—Wm. Bruce, Hazel, Minn. 80p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 308 Arnold Ave. N. 54tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots.—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1300, with seven weeks old colt.—Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 70tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Several sections of land for sale or trade for city property or anything I can use. 604 Arnold Ave. N., city. Telephone 5041. 84p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room at 801 Main Ave N. 78tf

FOR RENT—160 acre farm with good set of new buildings located two miles west and one-half mile south of Mavie. Desire party to plow at once for next year's crop, and to sow some winter rye. Some pasture and hay land. A good deal to the right party. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, city. 78tf

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

FOR RENT—Modern rooms; light housekeeping if desired. 417 Knight Av. N. 80p

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. Inquire 415 Bridge St. Phone 85. 81p

LOST

LOST—On road between Loken's store and Goodridge three bath towels and ladies' apron. Finder please leave at The Times office. 81p

LOST—Watch and chain between Great Northern depot and creamery. Return to The Times for reward. 81p

LOST—Platinum bar pin with white sapphire setting Monday evening between Princess Theatre and 519 Duluth Ave. N. Return to Dr. J. N. Nesse for reward. 81

FOUND

FOUND—Doctor's medicine case. Julien Provencher, Hotel Evelyn. 80

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Tent large enough for eight horses. John A. Jacobs, Middle River, Minn. 80p

WANTED TO BUY—Full blood Guernsey bull calf, four months old or over, also several females. Send price and amount of butter-fat.—Jim McKeand, R. 4, Warren, Minn. 82p

WANTED—A few good fresh milch cows. Write box 781 or call Tel. No. 3294. 80p

Help Wanted—Male

SALESMEN WANTED—To solicit orders for Paints, Roofing Cements, and Specialties, direct from manufacturer. Salary or commission. Address, Builders Products Corporation, Box 345 Cleveland, Ohio. 80p

WANTED—At Evelyn Hotel, chore man. 80

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED AT ONCE—Competent girl for general housework. Small family. Apply at Palace Clothing House. 80tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. M. T. McFarland, 807 Knight Ave N. 81p

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—I buy and sell Harps and Violins, at bargains. Anyone interested write to N. W. Remlin, Red Wing, Minn. 82

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 81p

WANTED—Clerical position in office or as saleslady in store. Have experience for either position. Write Mrs. G. W. Bohal, Shelling, Minn. 82p

"Granny" Chamberlain

Whooping Cough

"The disease I most dread is Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect it, and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You cannot mistake the symptoms: protracted coughing, worse at night; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; apparent suffocation after coughing.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

—Yours for Health—"Granny" Chamberlain

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IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

Golden Rule Has Place In Trade

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Some cynical persons have remarked that the Golden Rule has no place in business. They have taken the position that instead of doing unto others as you would have them do unto you, the only safe and sane plan is to do others before they have a chance to do you.

Fortunately for business and for the world at large, however, these persons are few and far between. The great majority of people are honest.

It has been proven repeatedly that even in business it pays to practice the Golden Rule, just as it has been proven repeatedly that "honesty is the best policy." It not only makes a man feel better down in his heart when he employs the principle of the Golden Rule, but he finds that it is good business. This applies not only to the man who stands behind the counter and gives a full pound of sugar to the man who asks for a pound, but also to the man who stands on the other side of the counter and pays his money for the pound of sugar.

Does Consumer Do His Part.

The consumer expects the merchant to be honest and square and give him his money's worth for every penny that he spends with him, but how often does the consumer stop and ask himself the question, "Am I being as fair and honest with the merchant as he is being with me?" The consumer not only expects the merchant to give him honest weight and full measure at the lowest possible price, but he expects a world of other things at the same time. Nine times out of ten he expects the merchant to give him credit, and nine times out of ten the merchant does it. Many times he expects the merchant to "carry" him for three or four months before he pays for what he buys, and as many times the merchant does it. He expects the merchant to pay for advertising space in the church program which he is getting up, and the merchant does it. He expects the merchant to "kick in" most liberally when he is raising a fund for the benefit of the town band, and the merchant does it.

He expects the merchant to provide the bonus which is to be paid to obtain a new factory which will benefit the working man, the clerk and everybody else in the town, and the merchant does it. He expects the merchant to "come across" with a donation to help the poor family which otherwise would become a charge upon the common funds of the community, and the merchant does.

Another Side to Picture.

Now, look on the other side of the picture. Mr. Consumer decides that he needs a new suit of clothes, or Mrs. Consumer decides that she wants a new kitchen range, or some of the little Consumers express a desire for a train of cars or a bobsled. Mr. Consumer picks up the big mail-order catalogue which the mail-order house has printed with his money or that of others like him, and he looks it over until he finds a picture that strikes his eye. It's a picture of a "nifty" looking suit of clothes. Of course, he can't feel the picture to see whether the cloth is as good as it looks; he can't look the mail-order man in the eye and ask him whether he will guarantee it to wear for at least a month or six weeks; he can't tell the mail-order man that he will drop in the first of the month and settle for it; he can't tell the mail-order man that he would like to have a little of his business or a chance to do a little carpenter work or painting or plumbing work for him as long as he is buying his goods from him, for the mail-order man hasn't any business or any work to give him. But the picture is a pretty one, so Mr. Consumer digs out his hard-earned cash, goes down to the postoffice, buys a money-order and sends it to the mail-order man.

After a week or ten days, or probably two weeks, the suit arrives. It may be nothing like the picture. The cloth may be of poor quality. The chances are that it doesn't fit at all. But there is nothing for Mr. Consumer to do but put the suit on and wear it. He can't get his money back. He might send the suit back and the mail-order man might send another in its place, but the chances are that it wouldn't be any better than the first and Mr. Consumer would only be out the additional express charges.

Found Golden Rule Pays.

Mr. Consumer found that it pays to remember the Golden Rule in business. If he had done unto the merchant as he would like the merchant to do unto him, he would have got more for his money and he would have aided in making it possible for the merchant to help him and his town when they needed help.

The world has discovered that the Golden Rule is not for use only on Sundays, but that it is value on every day of the week.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere. —LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over. —CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side. —ANDREW BOTTELSON.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate. —THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SEE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly-Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station. —K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service
and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.— HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries. —ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.—HALL BROTHERS CO.

BOOSTERS FROM STATE CAPITAL COMING JULY 31

Business Men of St. Paul to Pay Early Morning Visit.

Parade and Band Concert on Program for Thief River Falls.

Short Stops Also to be Made in Neighboring Villages on Soo.

The Times is advised by the St. Paul Association of Public and Business Affairs that the annual trade tour which visits Thief River Falls on Saturday, July 31, from 7:45 a. m. until 9:30 a. m., bids fair to have the largest delegation ever sent out on any trade tour by St. Paul's wholesalers.

The trip is over the Soo line to Portal, and return via Detroit. The train will consist of five standard sleepers, two dining cars, observation car, two tourists sleepers for the band and train employes, and two baggage cars. The fact that the train travels at night and also very often at meal time makes it necessary to include sleeping car and dining car facilities on the train.

Music Provided For.

The party will be accompanied by the Minnesota State Band of 25 pieces which has the reputation all over the Northwest of being a very fine concert band, and a high grade line of entertainment is assured the people present upon the visitors' arrival.

The party will have a community singer and everybody will be given an opportunity to do a little singing. Song sheets will be distributed to school children and others. There also will be a good variety of souvenirs for distribution by representatives of the various houses participating in the trip.

Parade Leading Feature.

Immediately upon the arrival of the special train there will be a parade, headed by the band, through the business section of the city. Following the parade the band will play a concert on the street at the bank corners while the St. Paul business men are calling upon their friends and customers.

The train schedule has been approved by the operating officials of the railroads, and barring accidents or unusual conditions of some kind the train will arrive on schedule.

Other Palces on Schedule.

The special will arrive in Thief River Falls from Kenmare, traveling all night without a stop. From here the tourists leave over the main line of the Soo for St. Paul and will make numerous stops along the way. They will be at Hazel from 9:40 to 9:55, and at Plummer from 10:15 to 10:35.

—Trade at Home—

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.08
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.01
Oats	.30
Flax	2.97
Barley	.90
Rye	1.77
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	7.70
Bran	2.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.60
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.65
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb	5-7
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.20
Spring Chickens	.25
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.30
Dairy butter	.50
Creamery butter	.53
Cow Hides, per lb	.15
Horse hides	.04
Calf hides	.19
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.20
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.08
Steers, per lb	.07
Calves, per lb	.07
Cows	.06
Lamb, per lb	.13

Citizenship For Soldiers Now Easy of Attainment

There will be a hearing on citizenship and naturalization papers at the court house on Friday, July 30, at 10 a. m. Any honorably discharged soldier who is not a citizen of the United States and who wishes to become such can be admitted to citizenship immediately if he appears at the hearing. He must have his discharge paper and two witnesses who can identify him and who are citizens of the United States. He does not have to prove length of residence or jurisdiction of court and no fee is charged. Further information will gladly be supplied by Adolf Eklund, clerk of Court.

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Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—Adv.

SONS OF NORWAY IN ANNUAL MEET

A Very Successful Convention Held at Madison, Wis. Large Attendance.

Bernhard Knudsen of Thief River Falls returned last week from Madison, Wis., where he had been in attendance at the Grand Lodge meeting of the Sons of Norway. Mr. Knudsen attended the meeting as a delegate from Snore lodge.

Questions of organization work and insurance, election of officers and selection of a place for next year's program occupied most of the time during the first day of the convention. A program of music and addresses was carried out in the evening. Prof. R. B. Anderson spoke on the purpose of the order, which he said was to contribute the best in Norse culture to the greatness of America. The program opened with the singing of America and the Norwegian anthem.

The meeting was largely attended, delegates being present from all parts of the country. It was a most successful meeting and those present were royally treated by the people of Madison.

—Trade at Home—

Period For Enrollment In Naval School Extended

The period for enrollment in the Naval Summer School at Great Lakes, Illinois, has been extended to July 27th. Boys between the ages of 16 and 20 years, of good character, who are physically fit and who have their parent's consent are eligible for enrollment in this school.

The enrollment will be for three months, but the course of training lasts only until Sept. 1, when the boys will be returned to their homes, so that regular school work will not be interferred with.

Recruits who are accepted must pay their transportation to Great Lakes, Illinois, but while there will receive the pay of an apprentice seaman—$50.00 for the six weeks, and the return transportation to their homes will be paid by the government. Food, lodging and uniforms will be furnished free. Boys must first report to the Navy Recruiting Station, 408-2nd Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minn., for physical examination. Any further information can be obtained by communicating with that office.

—Trade at Home—

Health Clown Coming to Amuse Children of City

The kids of Thief River Falls no doubt will be interested in the announcement that the health clown who visited the local schools last winter has been persuaded to return. He will be here during the last two days of the fair, and promises a rare treat for the kiddies who make arrangements to see him perform. Further announcement concerning the health clown and his visit will appear in these columns next week.

—Trade at Home—

Zion Congregation Will Hold Picnic Next Sunday

The congregation of the Zion Lutheran church will hold a Sunday school picnic at Tindolph park next Sunday afternoon, beginning at two o'clock. The program will consist of several sermons in English and Norwegian, and singing by the children. Ice cream and cake will be served. The ladies of the congregation are asked to bring a cake with them. The general public is invited to attend this picnic.

—Trade at Home—

Free Clinic For Babies On Saturday, July 24

Saturday, July 24th at the Auditorium in Thief River Falls from 9 a. m., to 5 p. m., under the auspices of the Pennington County Public Health Association, Dr. Pearce, Baby Specialist from St. Paul, will conduct a free clinic for our children under five years of age.

—Trade at Home—

Now is the time to subscribe for The Times. $2 a year and worth it.

Hospital Notes.

Following are the names of patients entered at the Physicians hospital since July 15:

Berging Rorne, Hazel; Mrs. A. C. Mathison, city; Margaret Johnson, city; Katherine Dudley, city; Roy Dudley, city; Mrs. A. J. Fixter, city; Ingaborg Barstad, city; Mrs. L. E. Gesell, city; Geo. Peterson, Hazel; M. Quirk, Hazel; Rose Sheedy, city; Mildred Sheggerud, city; Fern Denhart, city; Wm. Sheedy, city; Nyal Dokken, city; Mary Sanders, Kratka; Mable Christopherson, city.

—Trade at Home—

LOCALS TAKE OLD ENEMIES INTO CAMP

Defeat Grygla Sunday 13 to 3 in Fine Exhibition of National Pastime.

Grygla's fast baseball aggregation met defeat on its home grounds last Sunday at the hands of the sluggers from Thief River Falls. When the smoke of battle had cleared away sufficiently for the scorekeeper to get the tally sheet straightened out it was found that the visitors had piled up 13 scores to Grygla's three.

It was a hard fought battle all the way through, and the local boys showed up to excellent advantage. The heavy score piled up by Thief River Falls was due entirely to hard hitting and very few of the tallies were chargeable to errors of the opposition.

Judging from the quality of ball the locals have been putting up recently, they have found their gait and from now on will be mighty hard to beat.

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GRAND FORKS MEN PAY SHORT VISIT

Delegation of Boosters From Dakota City Entertained at Thief River Falls.

A large delegation of Grand Forks business and professional men were guests of Thief River Falls last Friday. The visitors came for the purpose of advertising the forthcoming Grand Forks Fair, making a tour of this section of the state in automobiles. Arriving from Warren, where they had spent most of the morning, the visitors reached Thief River Falls in time for dinner. After dinner, headed by the Grand Forks municipal band they headed for the commercial club rooms, where a short program was given.

President E. M. Stanton of the club welcomed the visitors and T. B. Elton of Grand Forks gave an excellent address in response. Several excellent musical selections were rendered by the Grand Forks band, which were greatly enjoyed. From here the tourists left for Plummer, Terrebonne and Red Lake Falls on their return trip to Grand Forks.

The Grand Forks party was made up of the following members: Chas. Allen, H. H. Anker, Stan Brown, Geo. A. Benson, M. G. Bacheller, N. G. Bennor, M. W. Day, Geo. Dixon, Chas. S. Evenson, John Eichoff, E. L. Ellington, Ed. Fitts, Sam Freeman, A. Fink, W. W. Fegan, Sam Friedman, C. S. Giles, P. B. Griffith, Dr. Healy, John Hulteng, C. Hvidstom, C. G. Hendrickson, Henry Holt, D. C. Hair, Harry Harm, G. L. Ireland, G. R. Jacobi, Ray Kelly, Oscar Knudson, F. J. Lander, N. Nordlund, J. H. McNicol, F. McKernan, J. E. MacLean, Tom Moore, Joe Mahowald, Jas. Malone, Ross E. Mr. Onsahl, H. B. Oline, P. S. Pano-Munro, E. R. Montgomery, Geo. Munro, Casper Olson, W. V. O'Connor, vitz, Sam Papermaster, Si Poppler, I. K. Raymond, E. P. Robertson, L. Rohde, Geo. Richards, H. M. Stanton, M. E. Stricker, E. J. Severson, A. Swarstad, Wheeler Smith, T. J. Smith, Rev. S. L. Tallakson, W. R. Vanderhoef, Dr. Witherstine, H. N. Wells, P. H. Wilder, Geo. H. Wilder, H. H. Wilson, E. A. Moses and fifteen members of the Municipal band.

—Trade at Home—

County Health Association Urges Clinic Attendance

Mothers, bring your babies under five years of age to the free clinic at the Auditorium in Thief River Falls Saturday, July 24th, conducted by Dr. Pearce, baby specialist from St. Paul. Hours from 9 a. m., to 5 p. m.

To avoid waiting make arrangements with Mrs. J. J. Richter. Telephone call 506—Pennington County Public Health Association.

—Trade at Home—

Jordan Penney, Dennis McGinn, Ray Kiland, Kenneth Wattum and Allan Fossum comprised an auto party which motored to Maple Lake on Sunday to spend the day.

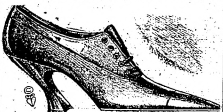

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ATMOSPHERE IN PAVING MATTER GROWING CLEAR

Prospects Grow Brighter Daily For Paving to Be Begun in Near Future.

City Council Sends Delegation to St. Paul to Interview Bonding Companies.

Legal Authorities Agree That Supreme Court Will Not Reverse Judge's Order.

The status of the paving proposition in Thief River Falls has not changed greatly during the past week. Whether prospects for immediate action are bright or gloomy depends a good deal upon the viewpoint, and also to a certain extent upon whether a man is an optimist or a pessimist. Optimists feel that nothing serious stands in the way of getting paving started at once, while the pessimists fear that something may happen to delay the program indefinitely.

One by one the obstacles in the way of paving have been removed by the city council and other boosters for the program, until now the only thing remaining is the sale of city certificates to cover the cost of the work.

A contract has been entered into by the city council with the Northwestern Trust company and the Capital Trust company at St. Paul, providing for the sale of sufficient bonds to cover the cost of the improvement, but owing to the unsettled condition of affairs, chief among which is the appeal from the recent vacating order issued by Judge Grindeland, these financial concerns are naturally a little careful in performing their part of the contract.

To Get Action Soon.

The council Tuesday evening appointed City Attorney H. O. Chommie and H. A. Brumund, president of the council, as a committee to go to St. Paul to see what could be done to get immediate action in the matter of the bonds. The council wants to know what the bonding companies propose to do, and the purpose of sending these representatives to St. Paul is to get an immediate showdown in the matter.

According to the best legal advice obtainable in this section of the state, including Chas. A. Loring of Crookston, there is not one chance in a thousand that the supreme court will reverse Judge Grindeland in the matter of the vacating order. The contractors evidently feel the same way about it, being all ready to begin operations as soon as satisfactory arrangements can be made with the bonding companies to furnish the city with the necessary funds.

Opposition Dwindling.

Aside from the few who have led the fight on paving from the very start, opposition to the project has rapidly dwindled during the past week or two. Most of the objectors have come to realize that the city stands to lose thousands of dollars unless the project is taken up at the present time and under the present contracts.

In the first place, prices on all materials entering into work of this character have advanced during recent weeks and will continue to advance, according to the best authorities. Add to this fact that railroads undoubtedly soon will be granted a substantial increase in freight rates, and it is obvious that any contract entered into in the future would necessarily be at a much higher figure.

GUERNSEYS CAPTURE GRAND FORKS PRIZES

Local Herds Receive Highest Awards in Face of Strongest Kind of Competition.

Just to make it unanimous and to dispel any doubt which might still remain in the minds of those skeptical regarding the quality of the Guernsey herds of Pennington county which have been on exhibition at a number of the best county and state fairs in the Northwest during the past two weeks, the Guernseys last week won highest honors at the Grand Forks fair. This comes as a fitting climax to a trip which has been one victory after another for the specimens from Pennington county's herds.

At the Grand Forks fair the local cattle carried away all ribbons in their classes, competing against herds which were on exhibition at the International Live Stock show last year.

The Guernseys also won grand sire and cow, which is an honor of no small importance when the number of animals on exhibition is taken into consideration. The success of the exhibition trip has been phenomenal and the owners of the prize winning animals have good reason to feel proud of their accomplishments.

Another Splendid Rain.

A nice shower of rain fell late Monday evening, and while it was not badly needed it served to freshen things up wonderfully. Conditions are very nearly ideal for all crops and with anything like a fair shake from now until harvest time this will prove to be a banner year for the farmers of Pennington county.

PENN[illegible] HOG RAISERS G[illegible]

If by chance there should be a farmer in Pennington county who is imbued with the notion that he can raise fat hogs he will have a chance to prove it at the county fair next week. Joe Oski of Mavie recently converted into pork what he claims is the fattest hog ever reared within the county, and to prove his assertion will have a side of pork from the hog on exhibition at the fair. In order to add interest and to prove if possible that other farmers can raise hogs of the same corpulent qualities, the fair board has hung up a prize of $5 which will be paid to anyone who places on exhibition a side of pork which shows a greater proportion of fat. Here is a chance for local hog raisers to show what they can do.

MONEY NEEDED FOR SUPPORT OF BAND

Thief River's Musical Organization Soon to Receive Overdue Remuneration.

Thief River Falls has for some time prided itself in having a band which ranked high among musical organizations throughout the state. But it seems that, like similar bodies, the local band finds time and money very necessary adjuncts. Time has generously been given by the band boys, but they have not seen much of the money.

At the annual meeting of the commercial club held a year ago a special committee was appointed to "continue making arrangements for the maintenance of the Thief River Falls band." The committee at once began to collect sundry sums from various men and institutions of the city and also secured from the city council a neat sum, all of which went toward the support of the band.

There the matter rested. Recently a bill has been presented to the commercial club by the band for services rendered during 1919, and the special committee named a year ago has been asked by the directors of the club to proceed at once to collect the amount still due the band boys. Accordingly this committee will soon be calling on the merchants and other business men of the city for a donation to cover the amount necessary to take the band out of the creditor class.

MARSHALL COUNTY DIVISION IS SOUGHT

Rival Factions Argue Merits of Respective Petitions Before Governor Burnquist

A hearing was conducted last Saturday morning before Gov. J. A. A. Burnquist at the state capitol, to determine which of the two projects for the division of Marshall shall be submitted to the voters at the November election. One petition asks the creation of Liberty county, with Holt as the county seat, while the other asks the establishment of Park county, with Middle River as the county seat. Attorneys for both factions argued the matter before the governor, but no decision in the matter had been rendered up to last evening. It is promised, however, that the people of the area affected soon will know which of the two propositions they will have an opportunity of voting on this fall. No serious opposition has so far developed to the division of Marshall county, but a wide difference of opinion exists as to how the division should be made. Both the Holt and Middle River factions have large followings and a regular old-fashioned county seat fight is promised before the matter finally is settled.

Ditch Injunction Stands; County Cannot Proceed

According to H. O. Chommie, attorney for the objectors in the matter of repairing ditches Nos. 39, 45 and 59 in Kratka township, all proceedings have been stopped by a court order and the work cannot go forward unless the county commissioners take steps to reopen the case and have the restraining order set aside. Mr. Chommie states that no work is being done on these contracts and that none can be done under the present status of the case.

The cost of this proposed work, as set forth in the complaint of the petitioners, would be about 140 per cent of the original outlay for digging the ditches. The job is therefore not in the nature of repairs, say the parties interested, but constitutes a new undertaking entirely, at least for a considerable distance, and cannot be let as a repair job.

LaBree White Way to Be Extended to Fourth Street

Electroliers have been ordered for both sides of LaBree avenue between Third and Fourth streets, and the new lights will be installed as soon as they arrive.

The lights are of the single lamp system, a style which has recently come into favor. Experience has proved them to be preferable to cluster lamps, principally on account of having fewer globes to replace on account of breakage. It is probable the entire city will be equipped with this style of lights within a few years.

CROP PROSPECT BETTER THAN IN PREVIOUS YEARS

Timely Rains Have Done Wonders For Small Grains in Pennington County.

Rye Harvest Well Under Way and Wheat is Past All Danger From Rust.

Alfalfa, Sweet Clover and Other Hay Crops Give Best Yields in Years.

All small grains in Pennington county which were sown on well cultivated soil, give promise of producing an exceptionally good yield this year. The rye harvest is well under way and, to judge from present appearances, promises to make a record yield. The straw stands up well and in almost every case has a long, well-filled head.

The quality and yield of wheat already is far ahead of last year's crop. Many farmers predict yields of from 20 to 35 bushels per acre. Rust has made its appearance in a few fields, but the grain in most cases has reached the dough stage and cannot be greatly damaged even though unfavorable weather should prevail from now until harvest time.

In some parts of the county lack of moisture threatened to curtail the wheat crop, but opportune showers during the past week have done wonders to brighten prospects for a bumper crop of small grains.

Banner Hay Crops.

Alfalfa, sweet clover and all hay crops are the best in years. The good weather of the past few weeks has been used to advantage by farmers, and thousands of tons of fine hay have been stacked in the best of condition.

Approximately two thousand acres of clover have been grown in the immediate vicinity of Thief River Falls, and all of this is yielding above expectations.

Potatoes and sugar beets have been greatly benefited by the recent rains and both of these crops should easily yield above the average.

Weed Pest Decreases.

The sow thistle has decreased about 25 per cent on land which is cropped. Buckwheat, sweet clover, alfalfa and rye have successfully smothered it out in many places. It has thrived best on wheat land which was plowed shallow and sowed late. In some of the fields it will prove advisable to cut or plow under before the blossom goes to seed.

The state law requires that all noxious weeds should be cut where possible, especially on vacant lots whether in the city or country. All township chairmen in Pennington county have been notified and have expressed their willingness to co-operate in helping to eradicate the weed pest.

WOOL GROWERS TO TRY POOL SHIPPING

County Farmers Form Association and Will Make Shipments Aug. 9 and 10.

At a meeting of wool growers held here last Friday it was decided to pool the county wool with the National wool warehouse in Chicago. This is an organization of wool growers who will hold the wool from one to five months at a cost of three cents per pound, which covers the grading, storage, insurance and all other risks. W. A. McKerrow of University farm is handling all wool shipped from Minnesota at a cost not to exceed one-half cent a pound.

The committee in Pennington county decided to ship on August 9 and 10, and for this reason all wool should be brought to Thief River Falls or Goodridge on those days. Each sack should be labeled with the name of the grower, the address, number of sacks shipped by each man, and the weight of wool in each sack. This should be painted on with black paint or lamp black.

As this is a co-operative movement, no money is advanced until the wool is sold. It is the intention to hold it until prices raise. In many places where wool growers need the money, local banks are advancing a percentage on the value of the wool. This is the most effective way of forcing the large wool buyers to pay a reasonable price for wool, and if all wool growers enter the pool there is little doubt that prices will advance very soon.

Freight need not be paid on wool as it will be paid by the warehouse company and deducted from returns.

All But One of 16 Unions Accept Labor Board Award

Railway union executives left Chicago Friday following a three day conference at the conclusion of which it was decided all of the recognized 16 unions, except one, the Order of Railway Telegraphers, to accept under protest the railway labor board wage award, seven voting for a referendum for the individual unions. The telegraphers referred the award to their membership with a strike proposition. The other 15 unions intend renewing their cases before the board.

BOOSTER TRAIN FROM ST. PAUL HERE SATURDAY

Capital City Trade Tour This Year Includes Thief River Falls in Itinerary.

Special Train Carrying Business Men and Band Scheduled to Arrive at 7:45 A. M.

Parade, Community Singing and Band Concert Promised as Attractions By Visitors.

Interest in the St. Paul tour which visits Thief River Falls next Saturday morning, July 31, is rapidly increasing. Providing the weather is favorable it is likely a large crowd will be on hand to welcome the visitors when the special pulls in over the Wheatline at 7:45. It is desired that Thief River Falls make as good an impression as possible upon the visitors, and for this reason all who can do so are urged to be present upon the arrival of the distinguished visitors.

DAN E. WEIGLE
General Secretary, St. Paul Ass'n.

Plenty of Entertainment.

It is planned to have the train pull in on schedule time. There will be a parade from the depot to the main section of the city, and while the business men themselves are calling upon Thief River Falls business men, the band will give its concert. There will also be community singing, which will be conducted by Hal Geer, a well known baritone singer. A prize will be given to the boy or girl who sings the loudest and, in addition, there will be souvenirs for distribution among the children.

Visit Neighboring Towns.

The St. Paul Trade Tour leaves Thief River Falls over the main line of the Soo, making short stops at Hazel and Plummer to get acquainted with people in these towns. The last stop before reaching this city is Kenmare, N. D., where a part of Friday afternoon will be spent. No stops are scheduled between Kenmare and Thief River Falls and the trip between these points will be made during Friday night.

Any detailed information regarding the trip may be obtained from the agent of the Soo line, who, with other railway officials, is co-operating in making the trip a most successful one.

BOYS AND GIRLS TO JUDGE LIVE STOCK

Event of Special Interest to the Youngsters Takes Place on Second Day of Fair.

A feature of the county fair which promises to be of especial interest to the boys and girls is the dairy judging contest, which is scheduled for the second day, Thursday, Aug. 5, at 10 a. m. Any boy or girl between the ages of ten and 18 years may take part in the contest.

Liberal prizes are offered by the state live stock breeders and the Pennington county fair association, as well as a free trip to the live stock show at South St. Paul. These prizes and trip will be distributed to the three boys and girls making the highest scores.

All boys and girls who plan to enter the contest should leave their names at the farm bureau office not later than Aug. 2.

Grygla Ball Team Again Defeated By Local Lads

Grygla again met defeat last Sunday at the hands of the local base ball team in a clean game played at the fair grounds in this city. The score stood 3 to 2, with the visitors drawing the short end of the tally. Absence of errors featured the game and it was an excellent exhibition of the national pastime. Due to the fact that rooters for the Grygla team were conspicuous by their absence, the game was a very quiet affair and was minus much of the usual rooting and cheering from the bleechers. The Grygla boys put up a fine article of ball and kept the local sluggers busy at all stages of the game. Superior hitting and generalship, however, saved the day for the locals.

GYPSIES TRAVEL IN STYLE BUT GET COLD WELCOME

Bands of Gypsies operating in automobiles have become so numerous as to make of themselves a positive nuisance. Thief River Falls has come in for its share of these nomadic wanderers, and the matter finally came to such a pass that something had to be done to protect people from the insistent nagging and thieving proclivities of the various tribes. On Tuesday Chief of Police Erickson and Deputy Sheriff Frank McGinity drove out of its lair a tribe which had taken up temporary quarters at Lover's Lane, and another which had chosen desirable camping quarters near the Great Northern tracks west of the city. Both outfits were given until three o'clock to make their getaway, and both complied with orders.

LIGHTNING CAUSE OF SERIOUS FIRE

Northern Woodwork Company Suffers $10,000.00 Loss to *Building and Contents.*

Fire resulting from a bolt of lightning late Monday evening caused damage approximating $10,000 to the plant and building of the Northern Woodwork company, on Knight avenue south near the Great Northern tracks. It is understood the loss is poorly covered by insurance as but $6,000 was carried on the building, with none on the machinery and material which it contained.

The bolt struck in the southeast corner of the building and followed the wires to the interior, where the flames spread quickly. An alarm was immediately turned in by passersby who chanced to see the flames and the fire department was upon the scene within a few minutes. The fire lads did valiant work and deserve credit for being able to save the building from total destruction. The flames were confined to the interior of the main section of the building, several thousand feet of lumber in the dry kiln being entirely unharmed.

A large part of the east wall collapsed outward, due to an explosion or pressure from the heat inside, and every window glass in the place also was broken from the same cause. All the machines in the building were equipped with leather belting, the value of which has been estimated at nearly $1,000. All of this was entirely ruined by the flames.

The fire comes as a serious handicap to the company, as the plant had only recently been brought to a stage where it was running smoothly. An accident causing part of the east wall to collapse during the construction of the building last winter occasioned considerable delay, and this, together with trouble in securing machinery and other material, made it impossible for the company to get under way at full capacity until quite recently.

EMPLOYES OF CITY GET SALARY BOOST

General Increase All Along Line Granted By Council Tuesday Evening.

The city council Tuesday evening took action upon the petition of the electrical workers for a raise in salary of 20 per cent. After debating the question pro and con it was finally decided that a raise of 15 per cent at this time would be just about right and this increase was granted.

Other employes of the city also were included in the wage raise, those coming in for consideration being the driver of the fire department team, the superintendent of the incinerator, and deputy city clerk. A. H. Akre, city clerk, also come in for an additional $15.75 per month by virtue of his position as collector for the electric light department.

After allowing the usual batch of bills and briefly discussing the paving proposition the council adjourned to meet in special session next Tuesday, Aug. 3.

Distinguished Wisconsin Democrat Here For Visit

A. F. LaBudde, cashier of the Farmers State bank, is looking forward to an early visit from his father, Otto LaBudde of Milwaukee, Wis., who is expected to arrive in Gonvick sometime next week, says the Gonvick Banner. The senior LaBudde is state chairman of the Wisconsin Democratic committee and he himself holding a political post—that of collector of customs, a position having to do with state imports and federal property in the Badger state. That the position carriers some responsibility is evident by the fact that he has some 350 deputies, clerks and secretaries working under him.

Articles Solicited For Thrift Exhibit at Fair

Attention is called to the thrift exhibit which will be given under the auspices of the Woman's club at the auditorium during the county fair. Contributions to this exhibit are desired from all parts of the county, made-over clothing and similar articles being particularly acceptable. Articles intended for this exhibit may be left with Mrs. E. M. Stanton or Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, who will see to it that they are properly credited and displayed during the fair.

BANNER FAIR OF NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA OPENS DOORS WIDE WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 4

Every Indication Points to Record-Breaking Attendance and Facilities Are Provided By Fair Management to Care For Huge Crowds.

Exhibits in All Departments Promise to Excel Both in Quality and Number Those of Previous Fairs Held in Pennington County.

Long List of Free Attractions Gives Assurance That All Visitors Will Be Furnished With an Abundance of Clean Amusement.

Just a few more days and the Pennington county fair will be on in full swing. Next Wednesday morning is the opening date of the greatest agricultural fair and industrial exhibition ever attempted in Northwestern Minnesota, and indications are that attendance will break all previous records.

The fair management and others responsible for preliminary arrangements have been hard at work for many weeks and everything, to the minutest detail, has received the most careful attention. With the unusually large list of entries in all departments and the exceptionally fine list of amusement attractions, nothing but a siege of extremely unfavorable weather can possibly keep the fair from being an unprecedented success.

Many Unusual Attractions.

On another page of The Times today will be found an advertisement giving in detail the list of attractions to be presented during the fair. A perusal of this advertisement should be sufficient to convince the most skeptical that the local county fair will this year be in a class by itself. There will be something doing every minute of the three days, the attractions being so varied and numerous that it is doubtful if visitors can make the rounds in a single day.

The free attractions alone will keep people busy all afternoon and in order to view the splendid exhibits and to investigate what the Little Giant Shows have to offer, it will be necessary to spend at least two days at the exhibition.

Grain Grading Demonstration.

The Minnesota grain inspection department has arranged to have an exhibit in the farm products building. All farmers and others interested in the present methods of grain grading are urgently invited to be on hand to see for themselves just how this important part of grain marketing is performed.

The principal reason for this demonstration is to show the difference between the present state system and the old federal system. Everything connected with this feature will be free, and should prove of much value to those interested in the matter of grain grading.

Holmberg to Speak.

N. J. Holmberg, commissioner of agriculture of the state of Minnesota, has promised to attend the fair on Thursday, Aug. 5. He has agreed to deliver an address relating to the operations of his department, which was created by the last legislature, and is an entirely new departure in the government of this state. Added interest in this department is felt by Pennington county people due to the fact that J. H. Hay, formerly of Thief River Falls, a year ago was appointed to the position of first assistant to Mr. Holmberg.

Attention, Cattle Breeders.

Holstein-Friesian breeders will be interested in knowing that the Minnesota association is offering $30 in prizes to be competed for at the Pennington county fair. An invitation also has been extended to Pennington county breeders to enter a herd at the Minnesota state fair for the large and attractive prize money offered for this class at the state exhibit.

This feature of the Pennington county fair is in addition to and separate from the regular cattle entries provided for in the premium list. It is a special invitation to breeders of Holstein-Friesians to exhibit the best to be found in the county, and also to make preliminary arrangements for a similar exhibit at the state fair.

Special Added Attraction.

Arrangements were made this week whereby a harness racing classic was added for the second and third days of the fair. The board has secured the stable of classy pacers owned by Mrs. H. M. Bryan and recently winners of large purses at the Grand Forks fair. These horses also have been booked for the Iowa state fair.

This added attraction will be put on in the form of a 2:15 pace during the afternoons of Aug. 5 and 6. The horses entered in these races are as follows: Lottie Russell, 2:11¼; Flying Pachen, 2:17½, Snider Bill, Green; Midnight, 2:24½. Mrs. H. M. Bryan, the only lady driver now appearing on the track, will drive one of the entries at each race.

Racing Officials Selected.

The following officials have been selected by the fair management to have charge of the horse races: Dr. G. A. Penney, superintendent and starter; Daniel Shaw and A. H. Akre, judges; Wilhelm Michelet and F. J. Stebbins, timers.

RAIN CUTS NUMBER OF FAIR BOOSTERS

Dozen Cars, Loaded to Capacity, Start For Warroad on Sociability Run.

Due to the rain of the night before, the fair boosters who started for Warroad Tuesday morning did not make a getaway until about nine o'clock. Instead of 25 or 30 cars making the trip as expected, only 12 were on hand when the start was made. The cars were well filled with excursionists, however, and it is estimated that about 60 people are making the trip.

Accompanying the boosters is the Thief River Falls band and short concerts were given at each stop along the way. On the way to Warroad the boosters visited Rosewood, Viking, Newfolden, Strandquist and Karlstad. After lunching at Karlstad the party proceeded to Greenbush, Badger, Roseau, Salol and Warroad.

On the return trip yesterday it was planned to visit Strathcona, Middle River and Holt. The sun came out bright and clear Tuesday morning, soon drying up the roads sufficiently to make travel conditions ideal. A boosting spirit pervaded the entire party when it left Thief River Falls and the trip, in addition to being a most enjoyable one for the tourists making it, will no doubt prove to be of great value in calling the attention of neighbors to the good qualities of the Pennington county fair.

New Addition Makes More Room For Music Company

Work was begun this week on the construction of a 30-foot addition to the rear of the building on Third street occupied by the Thief River Music company. The addition will be of brick, one story high, and is so constructed that another story may be added whenever it is found necessary. L. D. McAdams and crew of men are doing the work.

The music company found itself cramped for room to take care of its repair shop and picture framing department, and the new addition will furnish 750 square feet of badly needed floor space. This improvement makes it possible for the company to carry a heavier stock of musical goods and gives the boys a much greater opportunity for taking care of their repair work.

Improving Home.

The residence at 109 Main avenue south is undergoing marked improvements. The owner, F. E. Mousley, has moved the building back from the sidewalk and as soon as he can secure the necessary cement intends to provide it with a full basement and numerous other improvements.

WHOLESALE CANDY HOUSE OPEN SOON

St. Cloud Men to Locate in T. H. Smith Building on Main Avenue South.

A new wholesale candy firm is to be added to the business interests of Thief River Falls about Sept. 1. P. M. and Irving Carlson, brothers, for a number of years residents of St. Cloud, have leased the Smith building on Main avenue south and expect to be ready to embark in business within a few weeks.

The Carlson boys have for seven years been engaged in the retail candy business at St. Cloud, but felt that Thief River Falls held out an excellent opportunity in the wholesale field. It is planned to add a complete line of cigars and fountain supplies to the business in the near future. The firm will be known as the Thief River Candy company and will cover the entire northwestern section of the state. Thief River Falls is the logical distributing point for this territory and this, together with the encouragement offered the new concern by local business interests, hastened the decision of the brothers to locate here.

P. M. Carlson will be in active charge of the business and will devote his entire time to the city trade and office work. Irving Carlson has been assigned to the road and will have charge of sales outside the city. Nothing but the very highest quality goods are to be handled and the new firm faces a very bright business future.

CAR SHORTAGE FOR POTATOES LIKELY

State Officer Warns Local Growers and Urges Erection of Storage Facilities.

In a letter of warning from the department of agriculture of the University of Minnesota, potato growers are warned of the probable serious shortage of cars for the movement of potatoes this fall. A considerable portion of last year's grain crop is still unmoved owing to the shortage of cars and the movement of this together with the crop of this year will in all probability hinder the movement of potatoes this fall, the letter states. It is therefor probable that the potato growers will be unable to ship their potatoes before the winter sets in.

It is further urged by the state department that those raising potatoes find a way of storing their crops before the winter sets in, at their own farms or in local warehouses. Any necessary construction for storage purposes should be commenced immediately in order to have the needed facilities ready for the crop, the harvesting of which is less than 60 days away.

The warning was issued by Otto L. Bergh, superintendent of the North Central Experiment station of the department of agriculture of the University of Minnesota.

—Trade at Home—

Farm Bureaus to Have Wool Agent in Chicago

The Minnesota Federation of farm bureaus is planning to secure a representative in Chicago to watch the weighing, grading and handling of wool shipped from this state, says F. L. French, secretary of the Federation. The expense for such service will be pro-rated against the sales for the individual consignors and will be in addition to the three cents per pound charged by the consignee. The expense for the service should cost from 1-6 to ½ cents per pound, depending upon the amount received and whether the wool is received at one time or in small shipments extending through several weeks or months.

Six conferences of officers of wool selling associations have recently been held in Minnesota—at Marshall, Mankato, Rochester, Crookston, Wadena and Duluth. The sentiment in general favored the consignment of the wool of the several associations as the best means of disposing of it this season.

—Trade at Home—

Soldiers' Mail Unclaimed.

Postmaster Morgan is making an effort to locate three veterans of the late war in order to deliver mail which recently reached the Thief River Falls postoffice addressed to them. Albert M. Ekholm, Henry Olson and Julius A. Kramer are the three soldiers sought and any information regarding their whereabouts will be thankfully received by the postmaster.

—Trade at Home—

Society

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson entertained a number of their friends at a six o'clock dinner at their home, Bridge street, Saturday evening. There were seven guests.

Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Grundhaus on Saturday evening in honor of their son, Edward, in commemoration of his twentieth birthday anniversary.

Ladies' Aid Lunch.

The Ladies' aid society of the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church will serve lunch to fair visitors on the second day of the fair, Aug. 5, in the church basement, from 11 a. m., to 7:30 p. m. Special lunch will be served during the noon hour.

Hard Time Party.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church of this city held a hard time social at the V. C. Noper home about a mile west of town, on Tuesday evening. Everyone attending report a very jolly crowd and an exceptionally good time.

Laura Brown Hostess.

Miss Laura Brown entertained about twelve of her friends Tuesday evening at a launch party in compliment to Miss Anna Mellum, who is visiting in the city. The guests were taken to a point about three miles up the river in boats owned and operated by August Langseth and Paul Helseth, where they landed, built camp fires and spent the evening in roasting marshmallows and weiners.

In Honor of Mrs. Rolland.

In compliment to Mrs. C. M. Rolland who left the city this week for her new home in Hibbing, the members of the Royal Neighbors lodge entertained at the Masonic hall, on Thursday evening. The hours were spent in conversation and music. A delicious lunch was served at midnight. The honored guest was presented with a handsome cutglass dish as a remembrance of the order.

Four Couples Wed.

Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant has been very busy the past week performing marriage ceremonies. On Sunday afternoon he united in marriage Aug. J. P. Carlson, Duluth Ave. S. and Miss Nellie Payne of Musselshell, Mont.

On Monday afternoon Dilbert H. Gates of Palo Alto Co., Iowa and Miss Hazel Grandy of Cass Co., N. D., were united in marriage.

On Tuesday morning Erick D. Dahlman, Ramsey Co., N. D., and Miss Hulda Ekwall, Pennington Co., were united in marriage in the municipal court rooms, Judge Tarrant tying the nuptial knot.

Albert Zavoral of Erie and Miss Ella Rasmussen of this city were united in marriage on Tuesday afternoon.

Churches

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at St. Hilaire East Side school house at 10:30 a. m. Black River at 3 and St. Hilaire at 8 p. m. Come and bring your friends.

The First Swedish Ev. Luth Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services will be conducted next Sunday by Mr. R. P. Kron, in Swedish at 10:30 a. m. and in American at 7:45 p. m. Lunch will be served in the basement on the second day of the fair, Aug. 5 from 11 a. m., to 7:30 p. m.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Morning worship at 10 o'clock in the German language. Celebration of the Lord's Supper. Confessional address at 9:30. Announcements will be accepted Friday afternoon and evening at the parsonage. There will be no Sunday school.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. Services at Norden at 2:30 p. m. Services in city at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Zion Ladies aid Thursday, Mrs. Dina Evenson and Mrs. Sorenson entertain. Zion Young Peoples society Thursday evening. Mrs. Savig and daughter entertain. Trustee meeting Friday evening in the church basement. Rindal Ladies Aid at Rosewood will be entertained by Mrs. Jarsaw Tuesday, Aug. 3. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. All are invited.

—Trade at Home—

City News

GIRL WANTED—Apply at Black's Sweet Shop.

O. W. Lind of Lengby, this state, was a business caller here on Tuesday.

Conrad Ronning of Erskine transacted business in this city on Monday.

Miss Doris Halvorson left yesterday for Hawley, where she will visit until Monday.

Messrs. M. and G. Svare, residents of Erie transacted business here on Tuesday.

Knut Kausted of Gonvick attended to business affairs in this city on Saturday.

Capt. Allen of Minneapolis, was the guest of recruiting officer V. P. Hunter on Tuesday.

Miss Jessie Tollefson of Montevideo passed the early part of the week with friends here.

C. Larson of Golden Valley attended to business affairs in this city the first of the week.

Geo. Borden of Brooks spent a week as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Elmer Smith came down from his home at Lancaster Tuesday evening to attend the dance.

V. E. Polmann left Saturday afternoon for Vancouver, B. C., where he will spend a month.

Mrs. H. E. Bottelson of International Falls is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson.

Mrs. C. A. Anderson who spent three weeks visiting with her sister at Drayton, N. D., returned to this city Sunday evening.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer returned yesterday morning from East Grand Forks, where she passed two weeks at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Anna Rowberg, who had visited at the home of a sister at Goodridge, left Saturday afternoon for her home at Crookston.

Miss Alice Hanson of St. Paul is spending the week as the guest of Miss Ruby Anderson.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire visited with friends in this city the first of the week.

Misses Gena and Helga Sather of Grafton, N. D., passed Sunday visiting with friends here.

Gay Halvorson returned on Tuesday from Alvarado, where he had attended to business matters.

The H. E. Holt and L. B. George families motored to Grand Forks Saturday to attend the fair.

Miss Lylabelle Schuster returned yesterday morning after a brief visit with friends at Crookston.

Miss Theono Walker left on Monday evening for Minneapolis where she has accepted a position.

Oscar Halvorson of Erie spent a brief period here the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Crabtree arrived here on Monday afternoon from their home in Pitt for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Agnes Abrahamson left Friday afternoon for Fargo, where she will visit at the home of her sister.

Miss Alice Lee visited with friends here on Tuesday. She returned to her home in Gonvick the day following.

Mrs. James Farr, Jr., left Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will spend a week visiting a sister.

Geo. Gusa of Middle River arrived here on Monday afternoon and attended to matters of business for a day.

Mrs. E. Sandstrom and sons motored to Baudette the latter part of the week to visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop have returned to their home here after a two weeks' vacation spent at Maple Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lysaker motored here on Monday from Grygla and spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss Hazel Sapero arrived Wednesday evening from Chisholm for a three weeks' visit at the Sapero home in this city.

Miss Doris Richter, who had been the guest of friends in Vergas for a week, returned to her home here Friday evening.

Earnest Barzen and Leland Schuster spent a couple of days the latter part of last week attending the fair at Grand Forks.

Mrs. J. O. Sether was among the women who left this city by car yesterday for Euclid to attend the W. C. T. U. convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Legrand child arrived here on Monday from their home in Waunaska and made a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. T. T. Kiland left yesterday morning for Euclid, where she will attend a two-day session of the W. C. T. U. convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Collins returned on Saturday to their home at Spokane, Wash., after visiting with relatives in this vicinity.

N. J. Anderson returned on Wednesday afternoon from Warroad where he had gone the day previous on the sociability run.

Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein departed yesterday for Euclid to attend the convention of the W. C. T. U. held there on July 28 and 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Erickson and family left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where they attended the fair and also visited friends.

Misses Marie Nelson and Irma Johnson will leave on Saturday afternoon for Crookston where they will be the guests of friends over Sunday.

Geo. Hendel motored here from Minneapolis this morning and will spend a couple of days as the guest of C. Halvorson and daughter Ruby.

Mrs. C. Bartlett and daughters, Dorothy and Ruth, returned Friday evening from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Rhinelander, Wis.

Geo. Hamery, formerly connected with the First National Bank in this city but now located in Gonvick renewed old acquaintances here the first of the week.

Mrs. Homer Mussey of Sauk Rapids, who has been visiting her parents at Red Lake Falls, was the guest of friends here the latter part of last week.

Misses Judith and Alpha Skogerbo of Erskine, are spending the week in this city as the guests of Miss Beatrice Sandom. The two former at one time lived here.

Roland Thompson, real estate dealer, located at Moorhead, attended to business matters here on Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Thompson was a former resident of this city.

Alf Krohn, who has been employed in a drug store in Aneta, this state, for the past year returned to his home here the latter part of last week to remain permanently.

D. J. Cordes, director of the local band, returned on Wednesday afternoon via the Great Northern, from Warroad, where he had gone with the fair boosters the day previous.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Sands and family, who have been residents of this city for a number of years, left Saturday afternoon for Redfield, S. D., where they will reside in the future.

The many friends of Alvin Tandberg, youngest of the Tandberg boys, will be deeply grieved to learn that he is seriously ill at his home on Horace avenue with leakage of the heart.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Gran and daughter, Miss Caspera, also Oscar and Carl Gran, returned last Wednesday from a motor trip through the Northern and Western part of North Dakota. Enroute to their home they attended the fair at Grand Forks.

Among those who attended the fair at Grand Forks on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre, Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence.

O. Nesja, accompanied by Ole Snustad, departed on Friday morning for Duluth, points in Wisconsin and Minneapolis. The entire trip will be made by auto. They expect to be gone for two weeks.

Miss Helen Hall of Minneapolis visited at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Granum, for a few days last week. She left Thursday afternoon for Middle River to be the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson left the latter part of last week for Fargo, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Powell, for a short time. From that city she will go to Bismarck, N. D., to visit with friends.

D. K. Bryant arrived Saturday evening from McIntosh for a brief visit with his son, Art, who is visiting with friends here. The latter left on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where he will remain for a short period.

Mrs. A. A. Magill and daughter, Miss Delphine, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hermanson, departed Monday evening for Erskine to continue their visit before returning to their home at Kelliher.

Olaf Tharaldson, who is employed at Henning, arrived Friday and visited over Saturday at his home. On his return he was accompanied by his sister, Miss Ann, who will spend a week as the guest of friends at Battle Lake.

Mrs. Lena Halstrom and son, Clarence, of St. Hilaire, visited at the home of the former's nephew, O. A. Naplin, the latter part of the week. They left Monday evening for Winger to spend a short time visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross and son, Richard, Jr., who had visited in Luverne at the home of the latter's parents, for the past month, returned on Tuesday by car. Enroute to this city they spent a week in Minneapolis as the guests of relatives. They were accompanied by the former's sister, Mrs. M. W. Halloran and three children of Minneapolis, who will visit at the Ross home for an indefinite time. Mr. Halloran arrived here last evening on the local.

E. W. Heinrichs, who has been connected with the J. C. Penney stores moved with his family to this city from Crookston the first of the week. He will have charge of the new Penney store which will be opened in the Dobner-Meehan block the first of next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Miller of Breckenridge were guests the latter part of the week of Mr. and Mrs. Julien Provencher. Mrs. Miller and Mr. Provencher are sister and brother. Mr. Miller is president of the Wahpeton - Breckenridge typographical union and was on his way to Albany, N. Y., as a delegate to the national convention of the union.

Messrs. Geo. Werstlein, W. R. Patterson and T. J. Austed are enjoying a week's outing at the Lake of the Woods. Mr. Austed left for Warroad on Tuesday with the boosters on the sociability run while Messrs. Werstlein and Patterson joined him the following day. Mr. Noonan, editor of the Baudette Region has invited a number of gentlemen in addition to those mentioned to spend a week at the lake.

WE WILL LOOK FOR YOU AT THE FAIR

Like everyone else in this neighborhood, you undoubtedly plan to take a day off next week to attend the Pennington County Fair.

Your time will be well spent, for it is very much worth while to see what this county of ours, under proper conditions, can produce in the way of grain, vegetables and livestock.

All of our friends from the surrounding country, during their visit in town, are invited to come in and see us and make use of our accommodations.

You will be welcome.

CITIZENS STATE BANK

"Love and Sympathy"

Truly Expressed by Flowers or Emblems from Duluth Floral Co., Duluth, Minn.

Demonstration --of-- Free Sewing Machine --at-- Auditorium Exposition August 4

A demonstrator from the factory will be on hand on the above date to demonstrate the many advantages of this great Machine.

Given Away Free!

One of these machines will be given away absolutely free on Aug. 28 at our store. Ask the man at the booth for a number. It costs you nothing.

Larson Furniture Company

Here Are Some Real Shoe Bargains

We are overstocked on low cut shoes and must unload, and in order to do this in a hurry we are making these exceptionally low prices on high grade Pumps, Oxfords and Canvas Shoes.

Ladies' Gun Metal Colonial Pumps, formerly $5.95, Now only	$4.35	Ladies' Canvas Pumps, Plain or with buckle. Formerly $4.50, Now only	$3.39
Ladies' Brown Kid Oxfords. Formerly $6.95, Now only	$4.65	Misses' Patent Leather Ankle Strap Pumps. Formerly $4.20, Now only	$2.60
Ladies' Kid and Patent Leather Pumps and Oxfords. Formerly $7.50, Now	$5.85	Children's Patent Leather Ankle Strap Pumps. Formerly $2.00, Now only	$1.45
Ladies' Kid, Calf and Patent Leather Pumps and Oxfords. Formerly $10.00 Now only	$7.95	Baby Shoes at only	29c

All Canvas and Low Shoes Going at 80c on the Dollar

We have added a Bargain Table to our shoe department and have loaded it with Ladies', Misses and Children's First Quality Shoes priced as follows:

Children's, sizes 8½ to 11 at $3.55 Misses', sizes 11½ to 2 at $3.85

Ladies', sizes 2½ to 8 at $4.95

These are not odds and ends but a full line of sizes and several styles to select from. This is a permanent fixture and you will find just the size you want at all times, and you will save from $1.00 to $1.50 on every pair you buy from our Bargain Table.

Loken Brothers Department Store

ANNUAL AUGUST CLEARANCE SALE

Consisting of all of our summer merchandise, to be sold regardless of cost for a quick clearance. Men's Suits, Shirts, Underwear, Neckwear, Hats and Caps, Pants, Gloves, Trunks, Bags, Raincoats, Shoes, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs and Suspenders.

13 Days | Final Reductions on All Summer Goods For Two Weeks Commencing Saturday, July 31st | 13 Days

Hosiery

Men's fine Hosiery in Silk, Silk Lisles and Cotton; Browns, Blues, Greys, Blacks, Whites, and Chapagne. Our entire stock at reduced prices

35c Men's Sox	27c
50c Men's Sox	39c
60c Men's Sox	45c
75c Men's Sox	60c
85c Men's Sox	65c
$1.25 Silk Sox	95c
$1.50 Silk Sox	$1.15

These are the famous "Strutwear" brand of men's Hosiery

Underwear

All of our men's fine Spring Needle and Nainsook Underwear to go at reduced prices. "Otis" Spring Needle Union Suits in White and Ecru color. Regular $2.50 value.

Sale price	$1.85
All $2.50 Summer Union Suits to go at	$1.85
75c Summer Underwear	55c
$1.00 Sumr. Underwear	75c
$1.50 Sumr. U-wear	$1.15

Raincoats *and* Auto Coats 15 per cent off

Work Pants 10 per cent off

Palm Beach Suits

While they last as follows:

$18.00 Suits	$13.50
$20.00 Suits	$14.95
$22.50 Suits	$16.50
$25.00 Suits	$18.75
$27.50 Suits	$19.75
$30.00 Suits	$21.50
$32.50 Suits	$22.75

Men's Straw Hats

Your choice of any Straw Hat in the house at 25% off

Neckwear

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$2.00 Ties, now	$1.65
$2.50 Ties, now	$1.95
$3.00 Ties, now	$2.35
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$45 Suits, now	$34.75
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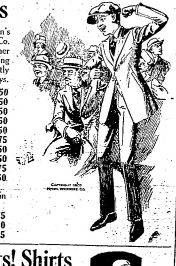

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$3.00 Men's Shirts	$2.35	$7.00 Men's Shirts	$5.45
$3.50 Men's Shirts	$2.65	$7.50 Men's Shirts	$5.65
$4.00 Men's Shirts	$2.95		

Men's Work Shirts

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$2.50 Work Shirts	$1.95

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$8 Hats, now	$6.50	$4.50 Caps, now	$3.35
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$2.50 Work Gloves	$1.95
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$2.25 Tennis Shoes	$1.85
$3.00 Tennis Shoes	$2.35
$3.25 White Oxfords	$2.45

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A number of things too numerous and varied to mention will be found with sale tags attached and with extra low prices arranged on tables.

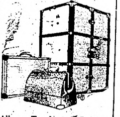

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AGAINST THEIR OWN INTERESTS

The well-meaning and very excellent citizens who have consistently opposed the paving of Thief River Falls streets have certainly been poorly advised. Not only are they attempting to block the carrying out of a necessary improvement but in so doing are actually laying themselves open to a heavier personal expense account than would otherwise be the case.

One point on which particular stress was laid in their application for a restraining order dealt with the inability of the city to obligate itself to pay for the paving of the intersections because of the fact that no money is now available with which to meet this charge.

In case this view should be upheld by the courts it will only mean that the cost of paving these interesections will have to be borne by the abutting property and will in no manner affect the legality of the paving enterprise as a whole. This is something that seems to have been overlooked when the particular fact referred to was made one of the main points in the request for an injunction.

The law does not make it incumbent upon the council to assess the costs of paving intersections against the city as a whole or even against all the property in the paving district. The work may be charged against the abutting property the same as is done the case of all other paving.

It is estimated that the paving of corners will cost about $30,000, or ten per cent of the total contemplated expenditure. The intention of the council has right along been that this part of the outlay should be charged against the city as a whole, thus easing up somewhat on the property abutting on the paved area. Such proceeding is strictly legal, the choice of methods lying with the council.

Such being the case, the objectors—most of whom are corner owners—are working to saddle a large expense onto themselves by opposing the present program, and particularly by questioning the city's right to go ahead because no money has been provided with which to pay for the intersections. In case the courts hold that the city must have the funds for this work on hand before the contract is let it will only mean that the system of charging will have to be changed and the property owners affected will be compelled to foot this $30,000 bill which it has been the intenton to charge against the entire city.

A number of those who have arrayed themselves in opposition to the paving program have during the past week gone over to the other side. They have applied directly to members of the council and had the entire matter explained with the result that their objections have vanished. There may be a few who are still holding out but the sentiment for paving is right now about as near unanimous as it is possible to get anything in a city the size of Thief River Falls.

There has been a great deal of misunderstanding concerning certain phases of this paving matter right along. Most of the objections have been explained away and there only remains the opposition of those who do not wish to see the streets paved under any circumstances. At no time has there been many of these and their number is growing smaller every day. They realize that anything done now to block the will of the majority will only result in added expense to themselves and will besides hurt their standing with the neighbors.

MADE A CLEAN SWEEP.

Pennington county cattle just naturally capture everything in the way of prizes wherever exhibited. In competition with contenders from four states the animals sent out to represent local herds by the Pennington County Guernsey Breeders association have well nigh swept the boards clean.

There has been nothing to it. The cattle from this county were so far ahead of anything else shown that there was never a doubt as to what the judges would do. While this result might have in a measure been expected at Ada, Fertile and Crookston it certainly took some faith to believe that the record would be duplicated at Fargo and Grand Forks. At the fairs in the latter cities the competition was keen and covered a considerable section of country. The best animals from the best herds in North and South Dakota were there of course, but Montana and other sections of Minnesota were also represented. To carry off grand championship awards in this kind of company is some achievement, particularly when it is noted that prize stock from the North Dakota college of agriculture formed part of the contending exhibit. A number of the Valley county stock associations were represented at all the shows, yet Pennington proved a comparatively easy winner.

This means something to the community as a whole, besides being a big boost for the owners of the cattle. A reputation for raising the finest stock in four states cannot be acquired in any other manner than by raising the stock. One must have the goods in order to get any recognition. It is safe to say that more people now know about Pennington county and the opportunities offered for stockraising here than ever heard of the place before. Farmers seeking a change of location will give a section capable of producing such stock careful consideration. They will at least believe it worth their while to investigate. That is all we ask. Not only will they find the Guernseys here of prize-winning quality but the fact that Shorthorns and Holsteins of the same class are just as numerous will be evident. Our stockmen are getting so they are not satisfied with anything short of the best, no matter what breed they may fancy, and that kind of thing is what builds a reputation for the community.

The Guernsey men have earned the gratitude of every citizen in the county by their enterprise. The value of the prizes they received is small in itself compared with the greater benefits accruing to the entire community.

YOUR BOY.

The lessons of the school year that has just closed will have been studied in vain if the graduates, about to enter upon their chosen careers, have failed to learn that thrift and saving in their proper sense are quite as important as anything in the curriculum over which they have thumbed and labored. Many graduates and, unfortunately, pupils of younger years are leaving the graded schools at this time and seeking employment. This period represents a crisis in their lives which leads them either to loose habits or to the habit of thrift and ultimate prosperity. The inexorable decree, that in the sweat of his brow shall man earn his bread, cannot be set aside. Education makes a better workman in every field, but no man can hope to enjoy the fruits of his toil unless he has acquired habits of thrift in his early life.

The world owes no able-bodied slacker a living. He must go out among his fellows and earn it. The character of that living depends solely upon the mental and physical equipment with which he has been endowed, aided and developed by his own unceasing efforts. The work slacker in peace times is as much a menace to his country as his prototype in times of war. He is costing his country millions every year and he it is who is pushing ever upward the cost of living through reduction of output and effort. More individual effort and more production will bring down the cost of living and thereby remove distress. Thrift is the lever through which this war-worn world is to be stabilized, for neither the nation nor the individual can get back to a rational basis so long as the desire to indulge in reckless spending controls it. "Work and save" should be the slogan of the rising generation, for upon the character of those now entering upon man's estate depends the future of this nation.

THE COUNTY FAIR.

The success of the fair is now up to the people of the county. The officials have done practically everything possible to make the event the greatest of its kind ever attempted in the Northwest and it will not be their fault if it in any manner falls short of this aim.

During the past five years the Pennington county fairs have attained a place among similar institutions in the state which is the envy of all neighbors. Excellence of exhibits alone are not responsible for this. It is doubtful if these have even been a major factor in the steady progress that has been made. Exhibits are necessary, of course, but of far greater importance is the attitude of the people themselves towards the fair as a whole. The unanimous desire to have the best and most attractive mid-summer exhibition in this section has had the effect of bringing here an array of products as well as a variety of amusements that other counties have found it impossible to support. This speaks well for the public spirited attitude of our people, both on the farms and in town.

The coming fair will be a hummer. So many new and novel exhibitions are promised that there will be something to please every taste. A lot of questionable performances have been denied the right of appearing on the grounds, even when this would have meant a larger income for the fair association. In this respect the fair will certainly be an improvement on some of its forerunners, although none of them have been particularly bad. Every act booked is clean and there will not be a hint of anything objectionable tolerated.

It takes work and money to arrange a fair of this kind at all times, and this is particularly true this year. An auxillary exhibition has been arranged to be held at the auditorium where local business men will have industrial displays. Demonstrators from wholesalers and manufacturers will be on hand to show how time and money can be saved by the employment of devises not yet in general use. Household conveniences and farming utensils will be shown in vast variety, but there will also be demonstrations of food products and lessons in household economics. This feature of the fair should prove very popular.

As The Times has before remarked, this is YOUR fair. It does not matter whether you are a farmer, a merchant or a working man—the fair will hold something of interest for you and touch at some point the products you contribute as your share toward the general development and progress. For this reason all should show the greatest and best of its kind take an equal interest in making the ever held.

Attend this great fair and work for its success. The object is worthy of engaging our best attention.

Where the Heart is Right.

Warroad Pioneer: Last Saturday the editor was present at a meeting of settlers in Beaver township.

The business at hand was to devise ways and means for completing a leveling contract that has been in default on account of war conditions.

The contractor is a farmer in the community. He took the job at prewar prices, before the war started, lost several hundred dollars on it and was up against a greater loss before it was completed.

Sixty of his neighbors were present, and unanimously decided that any further loss should be spread over the whole community.

It was a fair thing to do—but they did not have to do it. They might have insisted on the full pound of flesh.

But out there in the woods the hearts run true to justice and squareness rather than to the technical interpretations of law.

It is re-assuring and refreshing to meet with a bunch of people like that.

It strengthens a man's faith in his fellow men.

—Trade at Home—

Soldiers' Citizenship.

A hearing will be held at the court house in Thief River Falls tomorrow, Friday, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of conferring citizenship upon discharged soldiers. Any honorably discharged soldier who is not a citizen of the United States can be admitted to citizenship immediately if he appears at the hearing. He must have his discharge papers and two witnesses who can identify him and who are citizens of the United States. He does not have to prove length of residence or jurisdiction of court and no fee is charged. Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund will have charge of the hearing and further information may be secured from him.

—Trade at Home—

Makes Insurance Record.

F. J. Dudley, local agent for the National Life Insurance company of Vermont, has recently been notified by his company that he is winner of a valuable prize for having written the largest volume of insurance of any agent in the employ of the concern. The prize is in the form of a free trip to a popular mountain resort in Vermont, where he is to spend two weeks with all expenses paid by the company. Mr. Dudley expects to leave for the eastern resort about Aug. 1 and will make the trip by steamer down the Great Lakes.

—Trade at Home—

Former County Agent Now Stationed at Aggie School

John Husby, formerly county agent of Marshall county, assumed his duties as head of the live stock department of the Northwest School and Experiment Station on July 15. Mr. Husby has also been elected secretary of the Red River Valley Live Stock association which embraces a membership of over fifteen hundred which will be increased to over two thousand when the campaign for the live stock pavilion is completed. Mr. Husby enters upon a work of great importance to the farmers of northwestern Minnesota. On every hand confidence is expressed in his ability to carry on this work successfully.

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City News

A. F. LaBudde of Gonvick visited with friends here on Tuesday.

Miss Rose Gunstad of St. Hilaire was a visitor in this city on Monday.

Math Barzen spent Tuesday in Greenbush attending to business matters.

Mrs. Inga Berg has been visiting the past week with friends at Grand Forks.

Rev. I. T. Austad, formerly of this city but now of Detroit, spent Tuesday in the city.

Mrs. A. Olson returned to her home at Perley on Monday after visiting with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite are spending the month at their summer home near Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Keene left Friday evening for the cities to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Ilet LeSage returned Tuesday morning from Crookston, where she had visited with friends.

Miss Anna Strand left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will visit with relatives.

Earnest Barzen and Leland Schuster left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to attend the fair.

Mrs. F. Brendecke returned Saturday morning for Crookston following a brief visit with friends.

Dr. O. F. Mellby and family motored to Detroit on Friday to spend a couple of weeks at the lakes.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds departed on Wednesday evening for Minneapolis and Chicago on a business mission.

Geo. Haynes of Mason City, Ia., is spending the week at the home of his son, F. F. Haynes, *in this city*.

O. N. Urdahl of Goodridge visited in this city on Saturday enroute to St. Paul with a carload of cattle.

Miss Thora Skomedal of Steiner visited in this city over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. C. Christofferson.

Miss Una Nelson and mother, Mrs. C. W. Nelson, are spending two weeks visiting with relatives in Painsville.

Miss Marie Thill returned Tuesday morning from Red Lake Falls, where she spent a few days with relatives.

Misses Lucille Burns and Avis Akre left Friday morning for Lake Shoreham to enjoy a ten day outing.

Miss Amy Severson left Thursday morning for Bemidji where she will spend a week visiting with a cousin.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson left Monday morning for Holt, where she will spend a brief period with her parents.

Born, on Monday, July 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nason, a boy. Mother and child are reported as doing nicely.

Mrs. Roy Morgan returned on Saturday evening from Pinewood where she had been berrying during the day.

Miss Alta Helland arrived Monday evening from Detroit for a short visit with her friend, Miss Gladys Anderson.

Alfred Sharkstad of Middle River motored to this city Tuesday evening to attend the dance given by Finley's orchestra.

Miss Ruth Dybvik returned Friday afternoon from Baudette, where she had visited at the home of her brother, Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wangenstein are spending the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sommerfelt at Greenbush.

Miss Gladys Grindeland of Warren arrived Friday evening for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

Miss Laura Stopple returned the first of the week from a short vacation spent at the home of her parents *in Alexandria*.

Jordan Penney, Chas. Prichard and Kenneth Wattam motored to Maple Lake Saturday evening, returning the following day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pratt left Saturday morning by car for Itasca State Park, where they spent Sunday at Douglas Lodge.

Mrs. Fred Quale and two children left on Friday evening for Minneapolis, where they will visit with relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. H. F. Mussey accompanied by her mother-in-law, Mrs. H. E. Mussey of Grygla, visited with friends in this city on Saturday.

Harry Ives of Minneapolis, formerly of this city, spent a few days here the latter part of last week renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Waldorf and daughter returned Saturday morning from Euclid, where they had been the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Olson and family returned on Monday from a two weeks' vacation spent with relatives at Green Lake.

Master Edward Kiland left on Monday morning for Greenbush, where he will visit with his friend, Purl Anderson, for a week.

Miss Ruth Evenson arrived Monday morning from Crookston and will visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

O. C. Hanson returned on Sunday morning from Minneapolis and Watertown, S. D., where he had been on an extended business trip.

Misses Gilma Ostvolden and Olga Gulrud returned Monday evening from a week-end visit with friends and relatives at Glenwood.

Mrs. A. Brendigen of Crookston returned to her home on Monday after a brief visit in this city with her friend, Mrs. J. S. Barnett.

Mrs. Knute Melby and two sons left Monday afternoon for Twin Valley where they will spend two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

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Dr. M. G. Milan, of the Oakland Park Sanitarium, spent a couple of days the latter part of last week attending the fair at Grand Forks.

Mrs. P. E. Estenson and children returned to their home at Climax on Monday after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hegland.

Mrs. J. H. Bloomquist and Miss Anna Aspelund, returned Tuesday morning from Minneapolis, where they spent a week visiting with friends.

A. Tommeraasen, instructor in the local high school, accompanied by his bride, arrived here the latter part of the week to take up their residence.

Roscoe Bakke was a passenger on Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where he attended the fair. While there he was the guest of relatives.

Miss Gertrude Bergquist, who had passed a week visiting at the home of Mrs. Betsey Miller, returned on Friday to her home at Parkers Prairie.

Mrs. K. B. Johnson visited with friends here on Monday enroute from St. Hilaire, where she was the guest of relatives, to her home in Lancaster.

Miss Vivian Tripp of Baudette, who had been visiting at the C. S. Simonson home for a couple of weeks, returned to her home on Monday morning.

Mrs. H. A. Gaty and children, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Risberg for a few days, returned to their home at Roseau on Thursday morning.

Misses Betsey Legvold and Hulda Fossum returned on Saturday morning from Moorhead, where they attended a six weeks session of summer school.

Miss Minnie Troland returned Monday afternoon from a two weeks' vacation spent with her parents, who reside on a farm in the vicinity of Gatzke.

Mrs. H. Hadrath left Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit with friends. From there she goes to Montevidio to take charge of a store for a few weeks.

A. S. Sapero left Tuesday evening for Chicago and other points on a fall buying trip for the Sapero stores. His brother from Chisholm will accompany him.

Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom, accompanied by her mother-in-law, Mrs. N. Cronstrom, who is her guest, spent the latter part of the week visiting with friends at Holt.

Mrs. S. Rondickson and baby of Garrison, N. D., who had been visiting with her folks in Germantown, left Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Larsen returned to their home at Kenmare, N. D., the latter part of last week after spending two weeks visiting at the home of their son, L. G. Larsen.

Misses Ella and Clara Anderson visited between trains on Saturday with friends enroute to their home at Jelle from Moorhead, where they had attended summer school.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson, accompanied by her two daughters, Thelma and Gladys, left Thursday evening for Nevada, Ia., where they will spend two weeks visiting with relatives.

Miss Selma Shefveland, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mable, returned to her home at Holt on Thursday afternoon, having spent a few days in this city visiting with friends.

Miss Ida Oftedahl, who is employed at Michigan, N. D., visited between trains on Friday at the Hendrickson home. She left Friday morning for her home in Holt to spend her vacation.

Mrs. H. O. Sweiven and daughter, Miss Fern, returned to their home at Montrose, this state, after visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Anna Wedmer, and sister, Mrs. M. Bakken, for three weeks.

Mrs. P. Henricks and four children of Crookston, arrived Tuesday morning to take up their residence in the house owned and recently vacated by the C. M. Rolland family. Mr. Henricks arrived here the same day with the household furniture, which was taken over in trucks. Mr. Henricks is manager of the new Penney store which is to have its formal opening the early part of next month.

—Trade at Home—

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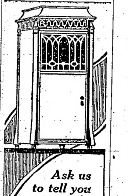

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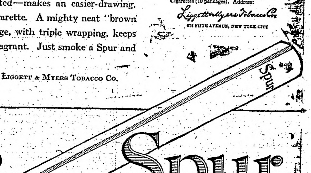

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HARDING SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE A NEW KEYNOTE

Republican Nominee at Notification Ceremonies Discusses Problems Confronting Nation.

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Marion, Ohio—(Special), Warren G. Harding was officially notified here of his nomination as the Republican candidate for the presidency. His speech of acceptance is, in part, as follows:

Chairman Lodge, members of notification committee, members of National committee, ladies and gentlemen, the message which you have formally conveyed brings to me a realization of responsibility which is not underestimated. It is a supreme task to interpret the covenant of a great political party, the activities of which are so woven into the history of this republic and a very sacred and solemn undertaking to utter the faith and aspirations of the many millions who adhere to that party. The party platform has charted the way, yet, somehow, we have come to expect that interpretation which voices the faith of nominees who must assume specific tasks.

Let me be understood clearly from the very beginning. I believe in party sponsorship in government. I believe in party government as distinguished from personal government, individual, dictatorial, autocratic or what not.

No man is big enough to run this great republic. There never has been one, such domination was never intended. Tranquility, stability, dependability—all are assured in party sponsorship, and we mean to renew the assurances which were rended in the cataclysmal war.

Our first committal is the restoration of representative popular government, under the constitution, through the agency of the Republican party. Our vision includes more than a chief executive, we believe in a cabinet of highest capacity, equal to the responsibilities which our system contemplates, in whose councils the vice president, second official of the Republic, shall be asked to participate. The same vision includes a cordial understanding and co-ordinated activities with a House of Congress, fresh from the people, voicing the convictions which members bring from direct contact with the electorate, and cordial co-operation along with the restored functions of the Senate, fit to be the greatest deliberative body of the world.

It is not difficult, Chairman Lodge, to make ourselves clear on the question of international relationship. We Republicans of the Senate, conscious of our solemn oaths and mindful of our constitutional obligations, when we saw the structure of a world supergovernment taking visionary form joined in a becoming warning of our devotion to this Republic. If the torch of constitutionalism had not been dimmed, the delayed peace of the world and the tragedy of disappointment and Europe's misunderstanding of America easily might have been avoided. The Republicans of the Senate halted the barter of independent American eminence and influence, which it was proposed to exchange for an obscure and unequal place in the merged government of the world. Our party means to hold the heritage in American nationality unimpaired and unsurrendered.

The world will not misconstrue. We do not mean to hold aloof. We do not mean to shun a single responsibility of this Republic to world civilization. There is no hate in the American heart. We have no envy, no suspicion, no aversion for any people in the world. We hold to our rights and mean to defend, aye, we mean to sustain the rights of this nation and our citizens alike everywhere under the shining sun. Yet there is the concord of amity and sympathy and fraternity in every resolution. There is a genuine aspiration in every American breast for a tranquil friendship with all the world.

One may readily sense the conscience of our America. I am sure I understand the purpose of the dominant group of the Senate. We were not seeking to defeat a world aspiration, we were resolved to safeguard America. We were resolved then, even as we are today, and will be tomorrow to preserve this free and independent Republic.

In the call of the conscience of America is peace, peace that closes the gaping wound of world war, and silences the impassioned voices of international envy and distrust. Heeding this call and knowing as I do the disposition of the Congress, I promise you formal and effective peace so quickly as a Republican Congress can pass its declaration for a Republican executive to sign.

It is better to be the free and disinterested agent of international justice and advancing civilization, with the covenant of conscience, than be shackled by a written compact which surrenders our freedom of action and gives to a military alliance the right to proclaim America's duty to the world. No surrender of rights to a world council or its military alliance, no assumed mandatory however appealing, ever shall summon the sons of this Republic to war. Their supreme sacrifice shall only be asked for America and its call of honor. There is a sanctity in that right we will not delegate.

Disposed as we are, the way is very simple. Let the failure attending assumption, obstinacy, impracticability and delay be recognized, and let us find the big, practical, unselfish way to do our part, neither covetous because of ambition nor hesitant through fear, but ready to serve ourselves, humanity and God. With a Senate advising as the constitution contemplates, I would hopefully approach the nations of Europe and of the earth, proposing that understanding which makes us a willing participant in the consecration of nations to a new relationship, to commit the moral forces of the world, America included, to peace and international justice, still leaving America free, independent and selfreliant, but offering friendship to all the world. It is folly to close our eyes to outstanding facts. Humanity is restive, much of the world is in revolution, the agents of discord and destruction have wrought their tragedy in pathetic Russia, have lighted their torches among other peoples, and hope to see America as a part of the great red conflagration. Ours is the temple of liberty under the law, and it is ours to call the sons of opportunity to its defense. America must not only save herself, but ours must be the appealing voice to sober the world.

It must be understood that toil alone makes for accomplishment and advancement, and righteous possession is the reward of toil and its incentive.

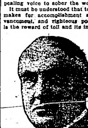

There is no progress except in the stimulus of competition.

The chief trouble today is that the world war wrought the destruction of healthful competition, left our storehouses empty, and there is a minimum production when our need is maximum. Maximums not minimums is the call of America. It isn't a new story because war never fails to leave depleted storehouses and always impairs the efficiency of production. War also establishes its higher standards for wages and they abide. I wish the higher wage to abide, on one explicit condition—that the wage-earner will give full return for the wage received.

I want, somehow, to appeal to the sons and daughters of the republic, to every producer, to join hand and brain in production, more production, honest production, patriotic production because patriotic production is no less a defense of our best civilization than that of armed force. Profiteering is a crime of commission. Underproduction is a crime of omission. We must work our most and best else the destructive reaction will come.

The menacing tendency of the present day is not chargeable wholly to the unsettled and fevered conditions caused by the war. The manifest weakness in popular government lies in the temptation to appeal to grouped citizenship for political advantage.

It would be the blindness of folly to ignore the activities in our own country which are aimed to destroy our economic system, and to commit us to the colossal tragedy which has destroyed all freedom and made Russia impotent. This movement is not to be halted in throttled liberties. We must not abridge the freedom of speech, the freedom of press, or the freedom of assembly, because there is no promise in repression. These liberties are as sacred as the freedom of religious belief, as inviolable as the rights of life and the pursuit of happiness. We do hold to the right to crush sedition to stifle a menacing contempt for law, to stamp out a peril to the safety of the republic or its people, when emergency calls, because security and the majesty of the law are the first essentials of liberty. He who threatens destruction of the government by force or flaunts his contempt for lawful authority ceases to be a loyal citizen and forfeits his rights to the freedom of the republic. No party is indifferent to the welfare of the wage earner. To us his good fortune is of deep concern and we seek to make that good fortune permanent. We do not oppose but approve collective bargaining because that is an outstanding right, but we are unalterably insistent that its exercise must not destroy the equally sacred right of the individual in his necessary pursuit of livelihood. Any American has the right to quit his employment, so has every American the right to seek employment. The group must not endanger the individual, and we must discourage groups preying upon one another and none shall be allowed to forget that the government's obligations are alike to all the people.

We are so confident that much of the present day insufficiency and inefficiency of transportation are due to the withering hand of government operation that we emphasize anew our opposition to government ownership. We want to expediate the reparation and make sure the mistake is not repeated.

A state of inadequate transportation facilities, mainly chargeable to the failure of governmental experiment is losing millions to agriculture. It is hindering industry, it is menacing the American people with a fuel shortage little less than a peril. It emphasizes the present-day problem and suggests that spirit of encouragement and assistance which commits all America to relieve such an emergency.

Gross expansion of currency and credit have depreciated the dollar just as expansion and inflation have discredited the coins of the world. We inflated in haste, we must deflate in deliberation. We debased the dollar in reckless finance. We must restore in honesty. In all sincerity we promise the prevention of unreasonable profits, we challenge profiteering with all the moral force and the legal powers of government and people but it is fair, aye, it is timely, to give reminder that law is not the sole corrective of our economic ills.

Let us call to all the people for thrift and economy, for denial and sacrifice if need be, for a nation wide drive against extravagance and luxury, to a recommittal to simplicity of living, to that prudent and normal plan of life which is the health of the republic. New conditions which attend amazing growth and extraordinary industrial development call for a new and forward looking program. The American farmer had 120,000,000 to feed in the home market, and heard the cry of the world for food and answered it, though he faced an appalling task amid handicaps never encountered before. Contemplating the defenselessness of the individual farmer to meet the organized buyers of his products and the distributors of the things the farmer buys, I hold that farmers should not only be permitted but encouraged to join in cooperative associations to reap the just measure of reward merited by their arduous toil.

Our platform is an earnest pledge of renewed concern for this most essential and elemental industry and in both appreciation and interest we pledge effective expression in law and practice. We will hail that cooperation which again will make profitable and desirable the ownership and operation of comparatively small farms intensively cultivated, and which will facilitate the caring for the products of farm and orchard without the lamentable waste under present conditions.

America would look with anxiety on the discouragement of farming activity either through the governments neglect or its paralysis by socialistic practices. A Republican administration will be committed to renew regard for agriculture, and seek the participation of farmers in curing the ills justly complained of, and aim to place the American farm where it ought to be highly ranked in American activities and fully sharing the highest good fortunes of American life.

Becomingly associated with this subject are the policies of irrigation and reclamation, so essential to agricultural expansion, and the continued development of the great and wonderful west. It is our purpose to continue and enlarge federal aid, not in sectional partiality, but for the good of all America.

I believe the budget system will effect a necessary, helpful reformation, and reveal business methods to government business.

I believe federal departments should be made more business-like and send back to productive effort thousands of federal employees, who are either duplicating work or not essential at all.

I believe in reciprocative tariff policy and know we will be calling for its saving Americanism again.

I believe in a great merchant marine. I would have this Republic the leading maritime nation of the world.

I believe in a navy ample to protect it and able to assure us dependable defense.

I believe in a small army but the best in the world with a mindfulness for preparedness which will avoid the unutterable cost of our previous neglect.

I believe in our eminence in trade abroad, which the Government should aid in expanding both in revealing markets and speeding cargoes.

I believe in establishing standards for immigration which are concerned with the future citizenship of the Republic not with more man power in industry.

I believe that every man who dons the garb of American citizenship and walks in the light of American opportunity must become American in heart and soul. I believe in holding fast to every forward step in unshackling child labor and elevating condition of womans' unemployment.

I believe the federal government should stamp out lynching and remove that stain from the fair name of America.

I believe the federal government should give its effective aid in solving the problem of ample and becoming housing of its citizens.

I believe this government should make its liberty and victory bonds worth all that its patriotic citizens paid in purchasing them.

I believe the tax burdens imposed for the war emergency must be revised to the needs of peace and in the interest of equity in distribution of the burden.

I believe the negro citizens of America should be guaranteed the enjoyment of all their rights that they have earned the full measure of citizenship bestowed that their sacrifices in blood on the battlefields of the Republic have entitled them to all freedom and opportunity all of sympathy and aid that the American spirit of fairness and justice demands.

I believe there is an easy and open path to righteous relationship with Mexico. It has seemed to me that our undeveloped uncertain and infirm policy has made us a culpable party to the Governmental misfortunes in that land. Our relations ought to be both friendly and sympathetic; we would like to acclaim a stable government there and offer a neighborly hand in pointing the way to greater progress.

I believe in law enforcement. If elected I mean to be a constitutional president and it is impossible to ignore the constitution, unthinkable to evade the law when our every committal is to orderly government.

The four million defenders on land and sea were worthy of the best traditions of a people never war like in peace and never pacifist in war. They commanded our pride, they have our gratitude which must be genuine expression. It is not only a duty, it is a privilege to see that the sacrifices made shall be requited and that those still suffering from casualties and disabilities shall be abundantly aided and restored to the highest capabilities of citizenship and its enjoyment.

The womanhood of America, always its glory, its inspiration and the potent uplifting force in its social and spiritual development is about to be enfranchised. In-so-far as congress can go the fact is already accomplished. By party edict by my recorded vote by personal conviction I am committed to this measure of justice. It is my earnest hope my sincere desire that the one needed state vote be quickly recorded in the affirmation of the right of equal sufferage and that the vote of every citizen shall be cast and counted in the approaching election.

And to the great number of noble women who have opposed in conviction this tremendous change in the ancient relation of the sexes as applied by government I venture to plead that they will accept the full responsibility of enlarged citizenship and give to the best in the Republic their suffrage and support.

Ours is not only a fortunate people but a very common sensical people with vision high but their feet on the earth with belief in themselves and faith in God. Whether enemies threaten from without or menaces arise from within there is some indefinable voice says, "Have confidence in the Republic. America will go on."

SALIENT POINTS IN SPEECH OF ACCEPTANCE

"I pledge fidelity to our country and to God and accept the nomination of the Republican party for the presidency of the United States. The human element comes first, and I want the employers in industry to understand the aspirations, the convictions, the yearnings of millions of American wage earners."

"The constitution contemplates no class and recognizes no group. It broadly includes all the people, with specific recognition for none."

"We approve collective bargaining."

"Gross expansion of currency and credits has depreciated the dollar. We will attempt intelligent and courageous deflation."

"When competition—natural, fair impelling competition—is suppressed, whether by law, compact or conspiracy we halt the march of progress, silence the voice of aspiration and paralyze the will for achievement."

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"I can hear the call of conscience an insistent voice for largely reduced armaments throughout the world."

"Our vision includes more than a chief executive. We believe in a cabinet of highest capacity, equal to the responsibilities which our system contemplates, in whose councils the vice-president, second official of the republic shall be asked to participate."

Farm Wages High.

What farmers are willing to pay for labor in Minnesota is being found out by F. L. French, secretary of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation. Through the county agents Mr. French is gathering statements from farmers as to what they regard fair wages.

Reports from 32 counties widely distributed have been received. These show that for general work by the day farmers fix the wage on an average at $3.15; for work by the month for 8 months, $65.86; for work at haying by the day, $3.80; shocking, $4.30; threshing, $4.35; fall work, $3.35; corn picking, per bushel 8 cents; winter work per month, $44. To these wages room and board should be added.

Labor is going to be tempted to leave the city for the farm, thinks Mr. French, inasmuch as such wages with room and board added give the laborer more than he can earn, according to present scale in the cities.

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Several Kinds of Fools.

The angry man, who sets his own house on fire that he may burn his neighbor's.

The envious man, who cannot enjoy life because others do.

The robber, who for the consideration of a few pounds, gives the world liberty to hang him.

The hypochondriac, whose highest happiness consists in rendering himself miserable.

The jealous man, who poisons his own banquet, and then eats it.

Siberia Seen by American

(Lieut. L. R. Hyatt)

Camels Are Common.

The horses are generally "light chunks" and ponies who through long centuries of the survival of the fittest are now a race of extremely hardy, swift-footed, strong animals. Sheep are grown largely for their wool. Camels are used as beasts of burden, principally to draw wagons and sledges, but before the war Siberia exported 5,000,000 pounds of camel's wool.

Cattle are decidedly dual purpose animals, more "dual" than anything else. Recently, however, considerable attention has been given to improvement for milk production by creamery associations and the zemstvos, the latter being a local governmental agency which has interested itself in many phases of community development. A strictly beef type of cattle has not been attempted, so far as I can find out. The country has no packing houses, as we understand them, and this industry, together with livestock production in its largest sense, offers opportunities of remarkable development.

Are National Linguists.

"Sprekken-sie Deutche?" or "Parley-voo Fransooskie?" often are offered the foreigner who does not speak Russian, as straws at which he may grasp in his effort to hold conversation with the natives. Any Russian who has made any attempt at education, has a knowledge of one or more of the modern languages, French and German being more commonly known than English. The American who makes a sincere attempt to learn the Russian language soon thinks he understands why the Russian likes to use some other language besides his own.

All phases of modern education are represented in Siberia, from the kindergarten to the university. It is possible to obtain as good an education in Siberia as it is in Missouri. But it is not compulsory, and most people don't get it. No attempt has been made on the part of the government to make elementary education compulsory and universal, and even elementary education has been expensive and hard to get because the government has not shouldered the responsibility for it.

Few Attend University.

At Tousk there is a large, beautifully located university, housed in about twenty-five substantial, handsome, large, and well-equipped buildings, which offers standard courses in the law, medicine, philosophy, and in technological subjects. It is an institution that Missouri or Illinois or Wisconsin would be proud of. It has an enrollment of about 2,500 students from a population of 22,000,000. Allowing 2,500 students in attendance for the few other technical and commercial schools under state endowment, and you have one person in 5,000 going to an institution of higher learning, as opposed to about one in every 100 of the population in the United States.

An Emotional Race.

The Siberians are more emotional than the Americans. Consequently, the Siberian does more with life than we do. Or rather, life does more with him than it does with us. He is capable of the extremes of hope and depression. He loves music, songs, and dances. He likes to "have a good time," to tickle himself in any way that will affect his emotions, the same as we do in America, only more so.

I am told that there are 48 rather common folk dances in this country, some simple, but many intricate and complicated. I saw one Russian girl dancing some of these more difficult dances one evening at a little party, and when I asked her how she learned so many, she told me that she hadn't made any particular attempt to learn the dances, but that it was born in Russians to dance, that they did it naturally and unconsciously, and that they took a peculiar joy in it.

I do not blame them, for their dances are based upon the rythm, the gracefulness of motion, and the joy of artistry. In public exhibitions of dancing in the theatres, as well as in the ordinary entertainments where dancing is practiced, I have been impressed with the apparently absolute lack of suggestiveness or passion. Somehow or other, one does not sometimes gather the same impression from similar observations in our own country.

Affection of Siberian Women.

These girls and women, especially the younger ones, possess a degree of animation that is not common with us. Life seems to them to be crowded with wonder and interest. Seldom does a woman appear to be blase. Enthusiasm, sheer happiness, and lively curiosity are present, even when the women are laboring under exceedingly trying circumstances. They possess a very large measure of affection. I don't know as I would care to attempt to underwrite their universal constancy of affection, but then, that would not always be a safe risk anywhere in the world.

But this very quality of affection makes necessary, or at least prevalent, a liberality in love that has both its good and bad aspects. When a Siberian woman loves a man, she loves him with a tremendous, surging, overwhelming affection that must be exceedingly satisfying. There is a common saying, however, that a man is not considered by the women to be married if his wife happens to be at the time outside a radius of 200 miles.

Humour of the People.

No matter how dark the times or how difficult, the common people whose heads are not stuffed with theories, find some trite and poignant saying or witticism which helps to smooth over the difficult places and makes life more easy to live. The language of the peasant is filled to the brim with these homely, humorous saws. You may frequently see mature men wrestling and tumbling each other about in the snow in friendly good nature. I have seen peasant women wrestling, bundled up in enormous sheepskin coats and valenkies and after a while one would throw the other on her back, then proceed to sit upon her stomach, both women laughing and having a glorious time.

Singing Soldiers.

I have heard Russian soldiers by the thousands singing war songs, generally in unison but sometimes with parts, in that minor key characteristic of Slavic music, and it was beautiful. They do not have the ragtime ditties such as we have in our army; their songs are not so light-hearted and enemy-taunting as were ours; they are serious and heavy and mean business. The cadence is slow and the notes are long drawn out, and the effect, on a winter's evening at dusk is fascinating in the extreme.

The Soldier Philosophizes.

When the Siberian soldier began to philosophize he got into trouble—that is, he got his own army into difficulty. When he began to question his conditions he somehow or other came to the conclusion that the grass would be superior on the other side of the fence. Whereas for example, in the spring of 1919 he had made up one of an army of 500,000, by the fall of the same year he had associated in the ranks with him only those soldiers who had not been sent to the front and who had not had a chance to go over the top and to the other side.

Patience of the People.

No other but a patient, long-suffering people would have stood for the centuries of abuse and neglect that has characterized the treatment of the Siberians. "We'll do the best we can now, even though things are bad—perhaps conditions will be better later on," seems to characterize their way of looking at things. In domestic life, however, they are likely at times to be most impatient. A husband may treat his wife most unmercifully, but at the same time the wife will be patient with her husband and instead of "grabbing off" a divorce or going back to her mother, as our women would do, she applies poultices to her bruises and later, when the irate husband becomes ashamed of himself and wants to apologize, she is ready to receive him with kisses.

Tolerance of the People.

If a man commits a civil crime, his neighbors, including the judge, want to know why he did it. Jury and judge are frequently extremely lenient. These people will tolerate broken sidewalks, poor pavements, mudholes in the middle of the streets, flies and insanitation to a greater degree than any other people—excepting the Chinese—that I know of. This quality of tolerance makes possible a vast amount of bribery, dishonesty and crooked dealing. Why did a man take a bribe. He was short of money; he didn't make much of a salary; he was in some special difficulty—well, it was justified. Consequently, if you want anything moved on the Great Trans-Siberian railroad you must "grease the palm" of the "Nachalnech," or commandant, of the station, or if you want to send a telegram, bribe the telegraph operator—and so on down the line.

See Chassing.

"See Chass" in a Russian dictionary means "Immediately." In actual Russian life it means any time from the present to the vague future. You go into a restaurant. The girl sees you after a while and shouts to you "see chass." She brings you a menu-card, and says "see chass." Later she takes your order and when you ask her to hurry it she says "see chass." That all means that you will be served in about an hour and a half.

This is true in every phase of life. Ask a station agent when your train is going to leave. He will reply: "See Chass." This may mean within the next ten minutes or within the next ten days, and one guess is as good as the other. My first ride in Russia was a "see chass" ride. The train was to have left on a Monday afternoon at 4:30; it left the following Friday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

One accompaniment of "see chassing" is tea-drinking. Every Siberian must have his tea many times a day. In the middle of the morning's work, of course; in the middle of the afternoon, in the middle of the evening, before going to bed, and at such other times as guests or business visitors come in.

Shiftlessness Prevails.

A kind of exasperating shiftlessness prevails. Take the example of the 6,000 war prisoners that were sent on three barges on the Tom river from Tobolosk to Tomsk in the summer of 1919. They had five days' food furnished them and it took forty days to make the trip. Typhus and starvation killed five-sixths of them before the end of the journey.

There is a real delight in this "see-chassing" and tea-drinking, however, which may point a lesson to the nerve-wracked and ever-busy American, who hurries about from morning till night as though he had only one day in which to live a lifetime. Breaking up the long hours of the busy day with a little complete rest and a warming up of the stomach with some hot tea and the cockels of the heart with a little social gossip and gab is not a half-bad idea.

Russian dinners baffle description as they also baffle experiencing. A half-week after my first truly Russian dinner I felt like a poisoned frog. I had that strange feeling that follows a lull in the battle—just as though my mother-in-law had died or I had missed a big opportunity in life. Meat, cheeses, cabbage-pies, coffee, vodka, heavy cakes, greasy gravies, fed into the intake valve often and persistently for a period covering perhaps three hours, produces a condition unheard of in American circles—or in American stomachs.

Elaborate Funerals.

A good subject to touch upon following Russian dinners. The main features about the Russian funeral are: A corpse, who rides in a very fancy, elaborate, pagoda-like house set up on side poles, all white, and carried aloft by the shoulders of the pall-bearers or on a set of wheels; a coffin, the bottom part of which prevents the corpse from rolling around in the pagoda, and the top of which is carried ahead of the pagoda by other pallbearers. Ahead of the lid, a horse pulls a decorated cart, which contains the flowers of the occasion, and also bears the advertisement of the funeral director, with his address and telephone number. The priest, or priests, togged up in gold and green and purple and red, march on behind, carrying certain banners and placards, while the mourners march in military formation behind them.

Always Present Samovar.

Every Russian family has a samovar. It is as necessary as a bed or a table. A samovar is a clumsy percolator for the heating of water for tea, which is heated by burning charcoal. Every American buys a somovar to take home with him, usually buiyng a very large one which cannot be packed in even his largest trunk and which he must carry under his arm when he travels. When a visitor comes, out comes the samovar, tea is made and all gather about the samovar on the table and feast on tea and gossip. The future of Russia will probably not be settled in parliaments or soviets but around the family samovars.

The Russian loves his life and aims to get as much out of it as he can while he is living. He doesn't bother much about death. He doesn't know anything about it himself, so he does not worry about it.

He is polite, and the drunker he gets the more polite he is.

He takes an occasional bath, more for the pleasure he gets out of it than as a sanitary measure.

He doesn't bother about germs. He doesn't know about them, in fact, and he overcomes high mortality by a high birth-rate. This arrangement seems to please both the men and the women and the national increase in population compares favorably with those countries who are well acquainted with germs.

If a typhus epidemic comes along he worries about it a little in the abstract while it rages, but doesn't care to take any special precautions, and when it has run its course he forgets it.

The Siberian male population needs

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Paying What's Fair

THE average American is fair-minded. He prefers to pay his way and ask no favors.

People have no objection to paying the right price for a commodity once they know what the right price is.

The right price for gasoline is based first, on the cost of crude oil; second, on the cost of refining; and third, on the cost of distributing the refined product.

During the war prices were fixed by Governmental demand rather than by natural law.

The very low prices obtaining in 1915 were due to two causes—first, to ultra-conservatism due to uncertainty; second, to the spectacular production of oil in the Cushing fields, a production which dwindled almost as magically as it increased.

Since the Armistice the cost of every item entering into the production, refining, and distribution of petroleum products, has increased to an unprecedented degree. The production of crude petroleum has not kept pace with the demand. This has caused fierce competition for such crude oil as is obtainable. This competition has forced the price of crude up until it is costing the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), f. o. b. Whiting, $4.30 a barrel, as against $2.92 on Nov. 11, 1918—an increase of 47 percent.

Yet in the same period gasoline advanced in price but 24 percent.

Only through the efficiency of large scale refinery practice and through advanced scientific processes of extracting an ever increasing percentage of gasoline from the crude oil, has the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) been able to hold gasoline prices down to present levels, and still yield a fair return to its 4799 stockholders.

It is generally conceded in the petroleum industry that the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is operating on the closest margin possible.

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educating them, and what do they do? First, they discard their quaint, attractive costumes for cheap, gaudy clothing from the factory towns; second, they drink themselves silly on vodka; and third, when they learn to read, they read only the cheapest, most vulgar novels."

"But the zemstvos? Are they not a hopeful sign in Russia?"

"The original idea was good, but now only Jews belong to the zemstvos and there is no hope from that source."

"I always understand that your women were very democratic," went on this young monarchist. "Why then, do so many of your society women marry Russian or foreign titles?"

"Probably for the same reason that Russian titles marry American girls for their money," I ventured in reply. "But about 99 and 199-200 per cent of our girls don't marry titles."

Vodka is a staple product, under government control, and sold in government shops. Siberians form "vodka lines" awaiting the opening hour of the vodka shop. It is not an infrequent sight to see a Siberian gloriously drunk. All the people probably use vodka more or less, principally more, when they can get it. Cigarettes are extremely popular. One of the few sentences the Russian boy along the railroad where English-speaking people had been, was: "Give me cigarette."

The president of the Siberian Temperance society was entertaining at dinner a Y. M. C. A. functionary. The Y. M. C. A. secretary claims that he was surprised when the president of the Siberian Temperance society served vodka along with the cabbage pie and other victuals.

The Newspaper Correspondent.

This is a type of character which has invaded Siberia in considerable numbers within the last two years. The correspondent usually writes most of his articles on the ship on the way over. He stops at Vladivostock, interviews some officers and takes the next boat back to the States. A few go up to Harbin, a city in China, a few hundred miles inland, and a very, very few travel as far into the country as the travel facilities then extent, will carry them.

But the greatest mass of them know nothing about the country, and write everything about it. I read an article in a reputable weekly journal in America by one of these "birds" concerning Vladivostock, and the correspondent pictured the doughboys sitting on the wharf in Vladivostock fishing, and pulling in long, heavy salmon just so fast that pulling them in became a bore. Well, I never saw a doughboy fishing on the wharf at all. There were some Russian, Chinese and Korean anglers there at intervals, but I never observed any pulling out salmon, and none appeared to tire of the activity, due to too fruitful results in their catch.

Cossacks and Doughboys.

When the doughboys first came to Verkne-Udinsk—where the 27th U. S. Inf. Regt. went to do guard duty—they went out to look the town over. Cossack officers, both with and without girls, they met on the sidewalk. The American doughboys were new to the Cossacks and felt inclined to allow them about half the sidewalk, but the Cossacks were also new to the doughboys and they thought they'd need at least two-thirds of the sidewalk. The matter of the etiquette of the sidewalk was decided satisfactorily, or at least expeditiously, after a few doughboys grabbed the long swords off the officers and took their girls away from them. Some officers had to be slapped across the face with their own swords, but after that all went lovely, and the doughboy got all the sidewalk if he thought he needed it.

Ataman (headman) Semenoff, chief general for the Eastern Siberian Cossacks, whose headquarters were at Chita, east of Verkne-Udinsk, decided at one time to send his armoured train through the stretch of railroad guarded by the Americans. Colonel Morrow, in charge of the American troops at Verkne-Udinsk, thought it unnecessary, and wired the Ataman to that effect.

Semenoff wired back that he deemed the matter urgent and that his armoured train would be forwarded west. To which Colonel Morrow again wired: "No." Semenoff wired: "If you don't let my train through, I'll send my troops against you with hostile intent." Morrow replied promptly that his own troops were ready to meet the Cossack hostile troops. The train was sent west, but never got farther than Verkne-Udinsk. In fact, Semenoff was given three days to get his train out of town. To make this request sound plausible the Americans placed their big guns, machine guns, and plenty of troops in a convenient position with reference to Semenoff's train, and at the end of the third day, the Japanese, our allies, gallantly relieved the embarrassment by taking the train into their custody for safe-keeping.

The next time Semenoff wired that he was sending on his armoured train, Morrow replied that he would blow it up if it came in sight—and it never came in sight.

I had occasion to witness some of the courageous acts of the Cossacks on the occasion of the great Chinese Eastern Railway strike last summer. Amongst the *many gallant deeds* of these Cossacks, who carry swords, knotted lashes, pistols and rifles, were: whipping railroad workmen; shooting unarmed strikers; and whipping defenceless women with knotted leather whips.

The American Red Cross relieved an enormous amount of suffering in Siberia and did a great deal toward cementing the already existing friendship between the real Russian people and the American people.

It is not for me to appraise the value of the organization in which I have been serving in Siberia, the Young Men's Christian association, but it strikes me that its work has been tremendously worth while, both in the accomplishment of the work it set out to do, and in the lessons and experiences it received, which will form a sound basis for future development of its work in Russia.

One of the great dramatic episodes of Siberia lately has been the Czech Army, in its organization from the prison camps of Russia; its 6,000 mile journey overland from Kiev to Vladivostock; its invaluable service in guarding and operating the railways, and its evacuation to the homeland. You already know the story in general, and there are too many of the interesting sidelights and incidents connected with this wonderful set of men and their life in Siberia to attempt in a short letter.

Admiral Kolchack, his rise to power, his strong bid for outside assistance and recognition, his efforts at the establishment of a so-called moderate, all-Russian government, the failure of this attempt; and his tragic death, supply interesting material for a volume in itself. My own opinion is, that Kolchak faced an impossible task. At any event, it seems that he himself played the game valiantly, and honestly attempted to bring about a great blessing to his people.

Now, I haven't begun to touch upon the story of Siberia and her great resources in raw materials and natural wealth, nor upon the life and experiences of the great people who inhabit the country. No one could describe adequately the tragedy, the sorrow, the broken homes, the epidemics of disease, and all the other terrible factors which have come in the trail of six years of war and revolution. The causes and results of the ignorance, the oppression, and the persecution of the people of Siberia, it would take volumes to tell about.

There seems to be the possibilities in Siberia of a nation as rich and as populous as the United States. The Russian people themselves appear to have within them the possibilities as a race, for creating a nation, as vigorous, as cultured, as modern and as permanent as any nation the sun ever shone on. To tell you why this seems to me to be possible would take still other volumes which I couldn't write even though I had a good stenographer and plenty of time.

The present peril of Siberia as represented by the swarming hordes of armed yellow Japanese, who under the cloak of pretending to help the Russian people, are apparently intending to steal great and rich territories from their Ally. This peril I should like to write to you about fully, but that also cannot be within the scope of such a short and inadequate letter.

I am preparing a supposedly semi-humorous, semi-fact, manuscript which it is intended will cover the leading characteristics of the people of Siberia and their country, and I shall send this MMS to Dr. H. J. Waters, Editor, Kansas City Weekly Star, Kansas City, Missouri. He may have it published in book form. If he gets it illustrated and published, I believe you will be interested in receiving a copy of it. If you wish to secure this volume, you may do so through Dr. Waters, if, as, and when it shall be available. Incidentally, any profits from this venture go to the development of the work of the Y. M. C. A. in Russia, so you needn't feel backward about contributing the price of the book.

Then, too, I have had the good fortune to secure 26 of the most common and best selections of Russian folk song and dance music. This is written for the piano, and was extracted from the original by one of my Czech musical artist friends. I have forwarded a copy of this music to Miss E. H. Burchenal, 2790 Broadway, New York City, who is a specialist on folk dances and folk songs and music, and she may have this collection published in folio form. If you wish to receive a copy of these wonderful selections, the status of this possible publication will be furnished by the above address.

Also an article "Trade Possibilities With Russia" may have appeared in the Kansas City Weekly Star under recent date, May, 1920, and by subscribing to this worthy paper, you may receive this article, if, as, and when it is published.

I trust you have enjoyed this little dissertation and that it has proved a satisfactory account of my observations in Siberia. If it is satisfactory to you, I shall be very much pleased, as it is in no sense to me an adequate, comprehensive, or thorough word picture of Siberia and her wealth, beauty and people.

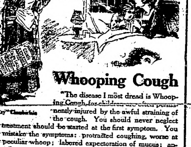

"Granny" Chamberlain

Whooping Cough

"The disease I most dread is Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect it, and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You cannot mistake the symptoms: protracted coughing, worse at night; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; apparent suffocation after coughing.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

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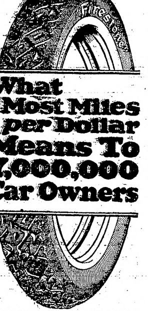

What Most Miles per Dollar Means To 7,000,000 Car Owners

That means quantity buying, quantity production and quantity selling — always the Firestone way to better tire values at low cost.

Buy Firestones!

Most miles per dollar is a Firestone pledge, to the big car owner as well as to the owners of light cars. See the new Standard Oversize Firestone Cord.

Firestone

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

No Humbug For American People

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It was a famous American showman who declared that the American people love to be humbugged. That saying is many years old now but sometimes it seems that there is about as much truth in it now as there was when it was first uttered.

People as arule do not like the idea of having "something put over" on them, but from the way in which the great mail order houses in the big cities flourish it seems that a great many people do not mind it a bit.

The business man who, when he gets a call for an article which he has not in stock, attempts to substitute some other article of a similar nature without telling the buyer of the substitution, is "putting something over" on his customer. Few retail merchants nowadays attempt to do a thing of that kind. The great majority of merchants do not do this for two reasons. One reason is that they would not do it if they could and the other is that they could not do it if they would. The man who buys an article over the counter and sees what he is buying before he pays for it, is pretty sure to get what he wants.

Ordered Shirt, Got Pajamas.

But there is another class of merchants, of which the same thing cannot be said. A man who has been closely connected with some of the big mail order houses is authority for the statement that the heads of the various merchandise departments of many mail order houses have standing orders to substitute with the nearest thing they have if the articles ordered are not in stock and available for delivery. It is related that in one instance as a result of these instructions, a man who ordered a dress shirt from a mail order house received a pair of pink pajamas instead.

It is easy for the mail order house to get away with this substitution of another article for the one that is ordered for the reason that to exchange an article received from a catalogue house is a costly undertaking.

Exchanges Are Costly.

If a mail order buyer is disappointed in his purchase, as he is very apt to be when he compares the article upon its arrival with the picture and flowery description which appeared in the catalogue, the wisest plan is to take what he gets and make the best of it for every time he sends an article back to be exchanged, he is pilling up the express or freight charges and even if the article is exchanged as requested, the buyer is not apt to fare much better on the second attempt.

The mail order houses are well aware of the fact that the majority of their customers will not go to the trouble and expense of returning an article if it does not come up to their expectations and as a result they can work the substitution game to their heart's content.

The home merchant, however, cannot do business in this way and, as has been said, the majority of them would not do it if they could. The home merchant, if he has not the article called for may offer another with the explanation that it is of the same quality as the one for which the customer asked. Good merchants nowadays even hesitate to offer something "just as good" to the customer especially when the article called for is one that has become well-known and popular through the advertising done by the manufacturer, but to attempt to make a substitute without the knowledge or consent of the customer. Well, it isn't being done by the local merchants today.

Substitution Made Easy.

Substitution is made easy for the mail order houses, also, by the fact that they do not sell much of what is known as "advertised" goods—that is, goods that have been thoroughly advertised by the manufacturers and have become nationally known through such advertising. A large part of the merchandise which the mail order houses sell purports to be manufactured by them—although in most cases little of it is made in their own plants. Much of this merchandise bears only the name of the mail order house and it is easy to substitute one article for another without the customer being any the wiser.

The methods of the home merchant naturally are different. With the great development of advertising in recent years much of the merchandise carried by the retail merchant is "advertised" goods. These goods are of familiar brand, the names of which have been made famous by the national advertising of the makers. This advertising is a distinct protection to the buyer for the latter knows when he goes into his local store and asks for an article of this kind that he will get just what he asks for if the merchant has it in stock and that he will be told if the article is not in stock. There is absolutely no opportunity for the merchant to "put one over" on him, even if the merchant had the inclination to do so.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side.—ANDREW BOTTELSON.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate.—THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil.—AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station. —K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service
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Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.—HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries. —ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.—HALL BROTHERS CO.

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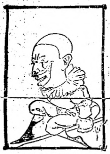

THAT FUNNY CLOWN with The Savages presenting a side splitting act on the mechanical revolving ladder.

MISS IRENE SAVAGE of The Atlas Trio, one of the most clever Triple Trapeze artists appearing before the public.

ART WILLIAMS, that Daredevil Birdman who walks on the wings in mid air, hangs by his knees on the supports and crawls all over that plane hundreds of feet in the air finishing his performances with a drop in a parachute from the aeroplane at an altitude of 5,000 feet, the greatest thriller in the amusement world of today. Appearing August 5th, only, afternoon and evening.

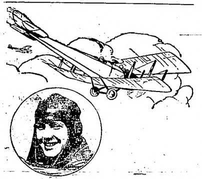

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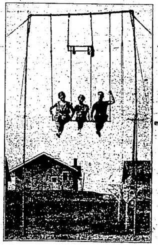

THE ATLAS TRIO.

In their death defying Triple Trapeze Casting Act, they defy every law of gravitation and turn the world upside down.

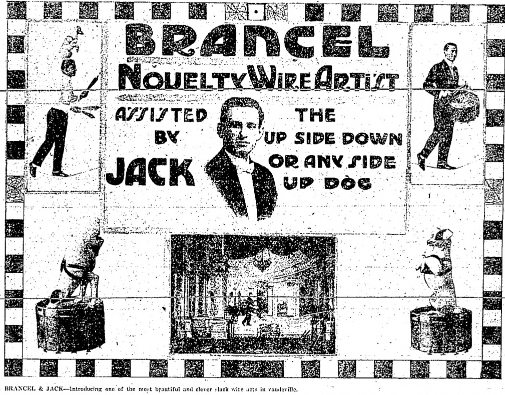

BRANCEL & JACK—Introducing one of the most beautiful and clever slack wire acts in vaudeville.

Presenting a wonderful line of juggling and balancing tricks on a thin thread of a wire, he also rides forth and back on a unicycle, a trick which must be seen to be appreciated.

He is assited by Jack, no Jack is not human, he is a clever little Fox Terrier and does everything but talk.

Baseball Tournament

The fastest baseball teams in Northwestern Minnesota will participate in an allmination tournament for the championship of Northwestern Minnesota during the Fair and will compete for purses offered by the Fair Association.

Schedule of Games:

Thief River Falls vs. St. Hilaire at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, Aug. 4.

Red Lake Falls vs. Grygla at 3:45 p. m. Thursday, Aug. 5.

The two winners will puay off for the championship Friday, August 6th, at 3:30 p. m. Don't miss this exhibition of our National Sport.

Industrial Exposition

Owing to the past growth of the Industrial Department of the Fair this division will be housed ni the Auditorium at Thief River Falls comprising the Woman's Department and Boys' and Girls' Educational Department and exhibits of local manufacturers and merchants and will be open to the public day and night. No admission is charged for this exposition.

The Minneapolis Daily News Flying Circus

The greatest aerial attraction obtainable will be featured on THURSDAY, AUGUST 5th ONLY, afternoon and evening, introducing Lieut. Larrabee, "The Flying Squirrel" in death defying aerial acrobatics including his "Falling Leaf" dropping out of control from an altitude of 5,000 feet and righting his plane 80 feet from the ground. Witness the 5-mile race between Lieut. Larrabee and the Giant Falcon, a naval hydroplane on wheels, one of the attractions of the Flying Circus.

MISS EVELYN SAVAGE, who furnishes the real thrillers with the Atlas Trio in their Triple Trapeze Aerial Casting Act.

The Little Giant Shows

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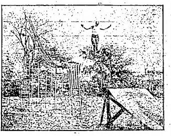

THE GREAT SIGFRIED

The Champion Ski Jumper of Sweden and holder of the Canadian Cross Country championship in an exhibition of that great Scandinavian National sport, the most novel and entertaining act appearing before the public. Sigfried is the only man in the world putting on such an exhibition in mid-summer.

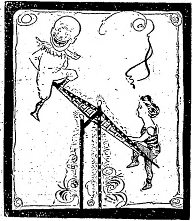

THE SAVAGES

The original Mechanical Revolving Ladder Act introducing the most comical Clown now appearing before the public. This act will be especially pleasing to the kiddies.

THE ATLAS TRIO—These artists 25 feet in the air perform the most daring and hazardous feats of strength and agility ever presented to the public.

Special Added Attraction

Harness Racing Classic added for second and third day of Fair.

The Fair Board has secured the stable of classy pacers owned by Mrs. H. M. Bryan and recently winners of large purses at the Grand Forks State Fair, and booked for the Iowa State Fair. A 2:15 pace will be put on the afternoons of Aug. 5th and 6th.

The horses making up this stable are as follows:

Horse	Time
Lottie Russell	2:15¼
Flying Pachen	2:17½
Snider Bill	Green
Midnight	2:24¼

Mrs. H. M. Bryan, the only lady driver now appearing on the track, will drive one of the entries at each race.

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AT CROPS GROW THIEF LAKE BED

s of Acres of Finest g Grain to Be Found in the Country.

tor of the Middle River Pio r a tour of inspection of the country, last week pub following article telling out conditions as he found riter in company with some made a trip out to the south he Thief Lake bed Tuesday looking over the lake bed John Henning, Milton For others. The growing crops tainly an eye opener. John and Milton Forder are the est farmers on the south e lake. Mr. Henning put in and Mr. Forder a little over Henning lost about 200 his farm from the overflow the big rain June 8. Mr. ly sustained a loss of about es. We passed through Mr. yields from one end to the he certainly has the finest or a big yield we ever saw. rye nearly ready to cut feet or more high and as can grow with well filled Wheat heads came clear above ll car box, and stands so e ground that one can see into it than he could into all. He also has a large x that is a wonder. Sown h of May, the flax is two feet high and well ad ard maturity. He has oats all indications should turn ushels per acre, being as can stand with tall straw eads. A large part of his odged by the storm a week Sunday but it partly raised he hopes to be able to cut ll the crop. The produc f the lake bed soil is fur nstrated by Mr. Forder's ich shows a growth far in nything we have seen else e sowed a small plot of an experiment on May 12th now 12 inches high and apidly. Timothy sown the is even taller and headed rich black sediment soil of bed will never wear out as feet or more in depth. It drouth or excessive rains well. The lake bed proper er with the Moose River bottom about 25,000 acres, will efficient drainage system ough development prove to itable "Valley of the Nile"— richest valleys in the state et, and in truth a garden world."

—Trade at Home—

US MONEY ORE JANUARY

eneral Hilton Rules re Must Authorize ng of Claims.

that payments of state ses cannot be complet Legislature next January make bonus bonds sala garded as a virtual certain Capitol late Wednesday af attorney general's department at proposed plans to permit men to cash their bonuses e unlawful and an American committee announced that that ation is not urging a special of the Legislature. eld that the intent of the law pay bonuses in cash and that posal to issue I O U's to ser would be illegal. nion, written by E. S. Oak ant attorney general, and a staff conference first, ength from the bonus law, in the payment plan adopt Legislature. reading of the entire act," continues, "it is clear be t that the Legislature in nus payments to be made auditor's warrants for a specified sum of money. The law does not contemplate the payment of bonuses by directly issuing (without sale) to a soldier a certificate of indebtedness for the amount of his allowed claim, nor does it permit of the issuance of a certificate, by whatever name called, evidencing the right of a soldier to a certificate of indebtedness in an amount equal to the amount of his allowed claim. Such a certificate, unauthorized by law, if issued under the plain terms of the act, would not be assignable.

"Our conclusion is that the proposed plan is without legislative authority and contrary to the scheme and policy of the law in question."

A final paragraph of the opinion refers to the existing situation as "most unfortunate," and suggests that relief can be supplied only by the Legislature.

—Trade at Home—

NORTH DAKOTA TO RAISE LARGE CROP

Grain Prospects in Flickertail State Better Than For Many Years Past.

North Dakota's crop propects this year are better than they have been for several years at this time. Except in scattered sections in which there was insufficient moisture the crop situation is splendid, according to agriculturists.

A survey undertaken by newspapers containing statements from qualified crop observers throughout the state, shows that in the western counties, where for the last three years crops have been below normal, the agricultural outlook is unusually bright. Although the wheat acreage in this section is below the average, the condition is good.

A banker of Mott, in Hettinger county, asserted that "not since 1908 have conditions looked as good." Farmers in Towner county are paying more attention to wheat, flax and hay this year and their condition is declared to be first class.

Stutsman county reports that crop prospects are excellent. The Grand Forks farming district was greatly benefited by recent rains. Morton county is feeling a pinch for rain, and grasshoppers are menacing small grains, but with a fair amount of moisture and favorable weather, will turn out better crops than last year.

Ideal prospects with bumper crops were generally sent by observers in the majority of the remaining counties.

—Trade at Home—

Notice to Property Owners.

Notice is hereby given to all owners of property abutting on all alleys and streets of the city, to cut and remove all obnoxious weeds upon their half of such streets and alleys.

If such weeds are not removed within reasonable time from the date of this notice, proceedings will be taken at law whereby such obnoxious weeds will be removed by the city authorities and the expense thereof charged against the abutting property.

O. L. BAKKEN,
Street Commissioner.

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OCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
1 Northern	$2.30
2 Northern	2.21
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	1.60
FLOUR AND FEED	
r cwt	7.80
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n, 100 lb. bags	3.65
Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.60
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NOTED ENGINEER OUT WITH FACTS

Says the Results He Got From Tanlac Were Nothing Less Than Wonderful.

Captain Andy Ospring, engineer on the Pennsylvania railroad, pulling the fast train known as Keystone Express between Terre Haute and St. Louis, declares that the results he has received from Tanlac are nothing less than wonderful.

Captain Ospring has been engineer on the Pennsylvania railroad for the past forty years and is one of the best known and most popular men in the service of this road. His home address is 629 North Tenth street, East St. Louis. Relating his experience with Tanlac to friends in Terre Haute, a few days ago, Captain Ospring said:

"Tanlac will always get a good recommendation from me for the results I have received from it are nothing less than wonderful. Before taking this medicine I had suffered from weak stomach, loss of appetite, sluggish liver and a run-down condition for several years. I could never enjoy anything to eat, suffered with severe pains in my back and chest, and was continually losing weight. The pains in my back were so severe that I could hardly bend over, couldn't sit sit comfortably in my cab, and invariably finished my run feeling all tired out. I had gotten to where I dreaded to make my runs and had lost several trips on account of feeling so bad.

"I had taken lots of different kinds of medicines, but all failed until I found Tanlac. A friend of mine in Terre Haute put me on to Tanlac and that was the turning point with me. Three bottles of this medicine have fixed me up in fine shape and my weight has been increased eleven pounds. I have a fine appetite, don't have a pain of any kind, and feel all of fifteen years young. I make my trips regularly, never losing any time, and come in from my runs without feeling all tired out like I used to. A medicine that will do such things is certainly worth while and I will always say a good word for Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—Adv.

—Trade at Home—

Coming, Rice Bros. Show and Animal Exhibition

Rice Bros. World-Toured shows and trained animal exhibition will exhibit afternoon and night at Thief River Falls, Monday, Aug. 9, under mammoth waterproof tents. This is the show that you have been waiting for, Rice Bros. famous show that has pleased millions of people for many years. This year the show is larger, brighter and grander than ever, presenting hundreds of wild and domestic animals trained to do all kinds of tricks. Among the arenic acts are astonishingly clever and accomplished acrobats, aerial artists, gymnasts, wire walkers, funny clowns and trapeze performers. Come to town early and witness the grand free exhibition which takes place at the show grounds before each performance. Show at 2 and 8 p. m. Rain or shine. j29-a5pd

—Trade at Home—

Kiddies Getting Ready to Entertain Health Clown

The health clown is coming back. This announcement will be welcome news to the kiddies who had such a good time with the clown when he visited the schools last winter. The clown has made arrangements to be here during the last two days of the fair next week, and he promises to have something really entertaining for the children who turn out to see him. Now don't forget this, will you? Tell all your friends about it and be there to watch the health clown perform.

Stephen Signs Up For Crookston Electric Juice

Stephen will be served with electricity from the Crookston power plants, it was announced on Monday. A contract has been closed between the Minnesota Electric Distributing company and Stephen for this service.

Farmers between Crookston and Argyle are showing much interest in the extension of the electric transmision lines as evidenced by the large number who are signing the service connection certificates. Electricity installed in farm homes means more comfort and convenience. By the contract with Stephen, farmers residing between that city and Argyle will have an opportunity to connect with the lines.

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When the train came in back in 1910

TEN years ago you might have seen one or two automobiles waiting outside the station, when the weather was pleasant.

Today the square is crowded with them. And most of the cars you generally see there are moderate-price cars.

II

Anybody who tells you that owners of moderate-price cars are not interested in the *quality of their tires* has never met very many of them.

We come in contact with the small car owner every day and we have found that he is *just as much interested* as the big car owner.

III

There is one tire, at least, that *makes no distinction* between small cars and large cars so far as quality is concerned—the U. S. Tire.

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Whatever the size of your car, the *service* you get out of U. S. Tires is *the same.* It isn't the car, but the *man who owns the car,* that sets the standard to which U. S. tires are made.

IV

We feel the same way about it. That's why we represent U. S. Tires in this community.

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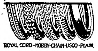
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BUSINESS BOOMING AT LOCAL CREAMERY

Month of June Shows Satisfactory Increase Over Similar Period Last Year.

Secretary Engelstad of the Thief River Falls Co-operative association has submitted his report showing the business of the local creamery for the month of June. The statement shows a total business of approximately $47,000, which is an increase of 10 per cent over the corresponding period last year. Judging from receipts during the first weeks of July, Mr. Engelstad predicts that the present month will surpass the same period last year by about 30 per cent. Prices continue at the top level and are at present 62 cents per pound for sour cream and 64 cents for sweet.

The list of those receiving checks of $50 and over for the month of June is given below:

P. Engelstad	383.00
Hans Anton	344.03
Jens Kirk	279.43
Henry Pope	223.44
Waldie Christianson	269.28
A. G. Finnesdahl	220.50
Fred Copp	219.79
Mrs. J. J. Berg	189.30
R. M. Johnson	181.20
Henry Koop	179.14
H. T. Waale	176.53
H. A. Matthees	175.61
Anfind Ness	170.68
Mrs. Mosbeck	160.00
A. C. Simonson	156.60
Paul Engelstad	155.83
John Johnson	152.32
Peter Voldness	158.93
C. Odegaard	145.76
S. Sorenson	145.62
P. Solem	144.99
Joe Oski	142.72
Olaf Brevik	140.24
S. Wiberg	137.96
Aug. Koglin	135.59
Mrs. P. Fagerstrom	135.59
John Stroberg	134.69
L. Hitterdahl	133.32
C. M. Hoverstad	132.58
Nick Meyer	129.10
Ludvig Larson	128.46
C. Liden	128.28
Ed. Edman	[illegible]
Christ Nelson	127.38
K. Finstad	126.97
O. L. Skonord	126.04
C. H. Swanson	125.93
Fuller & Gordon	125.55
John A. Sundt	125.48
Hans Sande	122.78
S. Torgerson	120.77
K. Solheim	119.97
C. Belswenger	118.79
Westlake Bros.	117.51
Carl Erickson	116.26
R. Oen	116.25
John Bloom	115.10
Mrs. Kate Meyer	113.90
Will Smith	113.66
A. Prestby	113.39
Ben Rosendahl	113.02
Gunder Olson	112.71
O. O. Hoffdahl	111.16
Henry Lindblom	110.91
C. Christensen	110.08
Fred Beerbauer	108.33
F. B. Conklin	107.65
Ole Ahlstrom	107.31
Mrs. J. R. Walters	106.57
John Sjolsvold	106.21
J. Klungness	104.18
P. Hornseth	103.98
Albert Hanson	101.88
O. S. Breiland	101.49
Ed. Hanson	101.35
T. K. Rynestad	101.12
Wm. Hohner	101.08
C. J. Eckwall	100.75
John Swanson	99.99
A. Feragen	99.83
Carrie Johnson	99.52
N. Rhodegaard	99.20
Mrs. Sigrid Saunder	98.89
A. H. Atwood	98.33
Ole Dahl	97.34
Mrs. Theo. L. Olson	96.90
C. Olen	96.00
J. M. Peterson	95.81
James Ramsey	95.23
F. M. Grundhous	94.37
Ole Barholz	93.74
Syvert Hanson	93.24
Mrs. A. Welo	92.76
S. E. Hunt	91.23
John Hellquist	90.40
H. Eliason	89.90
J. Bergquist	88.16
C. Slinger	87.03
Isaac Isaacson	84.94
W. J. McCrum	84.87
D. W. Ayers	84.61
S. Hasby	83.32
Aug. Carlson	83.32
Iver N. Strand	82.52
A. Huseby	82.46
F. Doles	82.28
John Kellberg	82.06
Julius Hanson	81.54
F. T. Satre	81.19
Sam Nabben	81.15
Paul Stock	80.91
L. R. Feragen	79.36
L. O. Stenseth	79.11
Peter Hadeen	79.00
Halvor H. Olson	78.08
E. Yonke	76.76
N. E. Muzzy	76.40
Oluf Omlid	76.13
Gust Wilken	75.85
Emil Krause	75.66
O. N. Anderson	75.39
O. Ordahl	75.38
Tom Holten	75.35
A. Jorde	74.77
Ole Gesselquist	74.58
N. A. Nelson	74.51
Louis Anseby	74.09
Nels Gunderson	73.37
Th. Bjorke	73.21
Nels Nora	72.25
H. C. Woolson	72.16
C. O. Asp	71.79
John Krebechek	71.30
Fred Hollander	71.24
Louis Hamre	71.11
Henry Sande	70.92
John Ristau	70.80
Thos. Sanders	70.79
C. Weiner	70.68
Hans Fjeld	70.55
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C. Steen	70.18
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Bert Thorstad	69.44
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K. Ytesund	69.25
Mrs. M. O. Saugen	68.98
Huber Buck	68.92
Ole Skaar	68.86
J. M. Theige	67.90
Paul Schenck	67.53
Gordon Olson	67.23
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Louis Dimen	63.86
S. W. Laubach	63.38
Haugen Bros.	62.69
A. W. Hanson	62.68
A. Bergland	62.13
John Martinson	61.95
J. Adsero	61.75
J. E. Solomson	61.53
Joel Shoberg	61.29
Carl P. Anderson	60.94
T. J. Wasley	60.92
Mrs. Gutterud	60.82
A. Swanjord	60.01
Hugh Best	59.78
Ben Kveste	59.52
Axel Krohn	59.28
John Batten	58.97
John N. Swanson	58.21
Mrs. G. Roos	57.35
J. S. Sorenson	57.33
Ellef Tollefson	57.10
Mrs. A. C. Hanson	57.02
N. B. Swanson	55.73
G. J. Nordhagen	55.56
Albert Olson	55.32
R. L. Muzzy	55.15
A. E. Anderson	54.91
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Martin Rust	54.47
G. Sneider	53.99
James Wilson	53.86
Erick Soderberg	53.70
O. Valsvik	53.68
P. M. Peterson	53.68
Ed. Vigen	53.40
And. Hoverstad	53.19
O. B. Gunderson	52.92
Erick Olson	52.92
Per Sorenson	52.41
Mrs. L. Osness	52.38
Anton Anderson	52.32
Taurup Saltvedt	51.21
James Crosby	51.13
M. J. Graetinger	50.90
Ole Droivold	50.34
J. L. Montague	50.34
Ole Helgeland	50.30
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Mrs. B. Martinson	50.15

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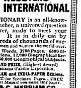

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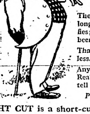

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—Trade at Home—

Cut the Weeds.

Warren Sheaf: It is the duty of all property owners, not only those who live in the country, but also those who reside in the towns, to cut and destroy all noxious weeds growing on their premises and along the sides of streets and roads adjoining their property. There is a state law requiring property owners to cut all noxious weeds, but apparently many are not aware of its existence as in many places weeds are allowed to grow unchecked, spreading their seed broadcast and multiplying rapidly. It should not be necessary to suggest the importance of complying with the state weed law, as civic pride should prompt each individual to keep his property clear of unsightly weeds. Not only do the weeds detract from the appearance of the community, but if left standing by the roadsides, cause snow to drift and blockade the roads during the winter months. Fight the weed now.

—Trade at Home—

Celebration Enjoyed.

Middle River Pioneer: In conversing with a prominent business man of Thief River Falls last week who was in attendance at Middle River's Fifth of July celebration we were told by him that he thoroughly enjoyed the day here and had never seen anything to equal either the program put on or the crowd in attendance at any small town celebration. Furthermore he told us of a Minneapolis man who came with him to Middle River that day who declared he had the best time he ever had in his life. This kind of advertising for our village is the best ever and will travel far and wide. It speaks well for the village and is only a starter of what can be done to put Middle River on the map if co-operation and team work is put into effect in everything.

Indians Make Big Money By Gathering Snake Root

The reservation Indians are here in force picking snake root, says the Middle River Pioneer. There are two separate bunches of them, twenty or more in each bunch including men, women and children. They are bringing some snake root too. Geo. Malmstrom informed us yesterday that he had bought $3,000 worth. The price paid is 40 cents per pound. Each individual Indian, including the boys and girls, bring in their own pickings and get the receipts from it, which as a rule they spend right in the stores before leaving town. They are a quiet, well behaved crowd, and in all their dealings here have never been caught in any stealing or other mischief, except that some of them if the opportunity offers will get boozy. But even then they do not make any trouble. Their trade is worth considerable and the business men are glad to see them come here.

STEINER

J. A. Russell and family attended church services in Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Steve Warring returned to Humbolt Sunday after helping his brother, Willis, with hay making.

Esther Meyers visited with Katherine Reidl Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slack visited with the S. Warring family Sunday evening.

George Lispcomb of Thief River Falls spent Sunday with the F. Copp family.

A. Morck of Viking called at the S. R. Rogers home Sunday.

August Koglin transacted business in Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Harvey Copp, Hobson Rogers, William Meyers and Hubert Malberg took in the dance at Holt Saturday evening.

Pauline and Ernest Swartz called at the A. Koglin home Sunday.

Mrs. John Meyers spent Sunday evening with Mrs. R. Werner.

Henry Wendt spent Saturday evening at the Slack home.

Mrs. John Meyers' niece, Miss Thelma Lamb of Thief River Falls, spent a few days of the past week with the J. Meyers family.

Miss Esther Meyers attended to shopping in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Henry and Hobson Rogers transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. John Swanson and daughters visited with the N. E. Muzzy family last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Whitman visited with her mother, Mrs. Simon Warring last Sunday afternoon.

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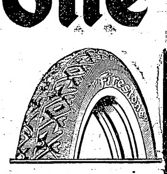

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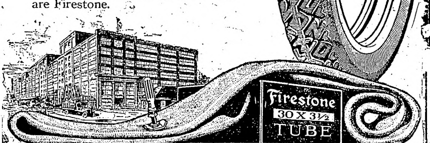

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...eorge Senum was a passenger on ...electric car enroute to Thief Riv... Falls Monday.

...rs. Trochman was a caller at the Groven home Monday forenoon.

Victor Swanson autoed to Thief ...iver Falls Monday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rude autoed to ...ief River Falls Monday afternoon.

Christ Nelson and Mrs. H. Jerstad autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wold left for ... home down by St. Hilaire last ...lay.

...rs. Trochman was a caller in ...ief River Falls Monday.

Halvor Listol was a caller in Thief ...ver Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ose autoed to Thief ...ver Falls Monday.

Mrs. M. Johnson and son, Ole, au...ed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Rude visited with Mrs. I. Isaacson Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Esplee and son, Henry, autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Oscar Peterson has been helping McCormick stacking hay this week.

Tom Senum was helping Mr. Evenson haying last week.

Arthur Nustvold visited at the Sam Groven home Friday forenoon.

Mrs. S. Groven was a caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Victor Trochman was a visitor in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rude and son, Herman, and Mrs. Isaacson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Carl Overum motored to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Evenson were callers in Thief River Falls Saturday.

George and Laura Senum visited at S. Groven's, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Solberg and children, Myrtle and Bernice, motored to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. Halsa was a caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Christ Nelson visited at the Isaacson and Overum homes Sunday forenoon.

A. Westfall was a caller at the Christ Nelson home Sunday.

Neil Nelson, George Senum, Henry Esplee and Myrtle and Gladys Wold visited at the Trochman home Sunday afternoon.

Clara and Ella Overum visited at the I. Wold home Sunday.

Mr. Trochman visited at the Groven home Sunday.

Mrs. Evenson visited with Mrs. Overum Sunday.

Mr. Esplee called on Mr. Overum Sunday.

Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

...R SALE—A few head of horses, one ...avy wagon and one 10-20 Mogul tractor. ... C. O. Eig, Erie, Minn. 84p

...OR SALE OR RENT—On very easy ...rms: the SE¼ Section 18 Town of ...einer, 4½ miles east of Goodridge. 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Vornchek. 81tf

FOR SALE—Furniture for 5-room flat. Phone 453. 81

...R SALE—Fresh strawberries and ...so the plants. Leave orders upstairs ...ver the Palace Clothing House. Alvina ...ontenbach. 83pd

...r Sale—Modern 8-room house. 710 ...ree Ave. N. 82p

...R SALE—Team of horses with har... Will sell cheap.—B. Hruoy, Erie. 81p

...R SALE—Or will consider trade ...odern residence in Thief ...iver Falls ...tion farm, all fenced, good build... drilled well; 12 miles from Thief ...Falls. Enquire at The Times of... 37tf

... SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull ...ner, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

...SALE—Three good residences, ...ne building lots, several small ...of land. Close to city. Houses ...t see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

... SALE—Some good modern ...at right price and terms. En... B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd. 61tf

...SALE—One player piano, one 4-...l auto trailer, one tractor plow, ...vy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

...SALE—40 acres land four miles ...st of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myh... ...hief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

...SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, ...passenger. In fine condition.— ...12, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

...SALE—160 acres land eight ...north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, ...River Falls, Minn. 61tf

... SALE—Lexington car, driven only ...iles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

...SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow. ...Bree Ave N. 73tf

...SALE—7 cows and 3 spring calves. ...onsider team of young horses or ...Tandrup Saltvedt, Highlanding. 81pd

... SALE—Threshing outfit complete ...rk. Reeves engine and Reeves ...r, 36-60, with Garden City Wing ... Engine is a 40-80 gas tractor ... gallon gas tank mounted on ... bottom stubble plow, also break... A good outfit for someone that ...ants to go threshing. For particulars ... or call on me.—B. J. Bakke, Thief ... Falls, Minn. 79tf

...OR SALE—Pigs five weeks old, de...livered to any part of the city.—Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 4362. 80tf

FARM FOR SALE—166 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief Riv... F...s, four miles north of Silverton ... Seventy-five acres summer fal... For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, ...ministrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 79tf

FOR ...LE—Six room house. Block 416 Cr... ...Ave. N. 83p

...E—5 horses, weight 1450 to ... in ages from 6 or 7 years. Will ...ll if taken at once.—Nick ...2, City. 83p

...E—Computing scale.—Carl ...n & Co. 80tf

...—160 acres or will trade for ... Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief ...Minn. 80tf

...LE—One bay gelding, 5 years ...1450. W. E. Smith, 5 miles ...of River Falls. 83p

...LE—E½NE¼ Sec. 24, Town... ...ange 41, under ditch about ...SW of Thief River Falls. Ad... ...Co. Times. 84p

...LE—5-room house and barn. O. ...ity. 82p

...ALE—13 miles north of Thief ..., 6 miles from Holt, 158 acres; ...cres under cultivation, the rest ...clear. House, barn and a first ...School house on the premises. ...to make a quick sale as I ...nd to farm it, and live in Chi... ...or further particulars call at T. ...n, R. R. 2, Box 45, or write ...swald Johnson, 2211 No. Spring... Chicago, Ill. 80

...LE—Beautiful farm, 160 acres, ...clough; 75 acres meadow; fine ...c. 7, Township 157, Range 41, ...ounty. Six miles from Middle ...ite Mrs. Irish, 1779 Dayton Av. ...Minn. 82p

...LE—Good six room house. ...I. S. Dahlen, First and Peo... ...Bank. 38tf

...LE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf.

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good five passenger car. Phone 182. 811 Knight Ave. N. 70tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CAR—Bates Steel Mule Tractor and three-bottom Grand DeTour tractor plow with stubble and breaking bottoms. Phone 454, Kenneth Lufkin, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82-p

WILL RENT, SELL OR TRADE this river stock farm; S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, 305 Arnold Ave. N. 64tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1500, with seven weeks old colt.—Severson Bros., Kratka Route. 70tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Several sections of land for sale or trade for city property or anything I can use. 604 Arnold Ave. N., city. Telephone 594. 81p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in modern house. Phone 590, 237 Kendall Ave. N. 81p

FOR RENT—Improved farm near town. M. C. Harlow. 81tf

FOR RENT—Farm three miles from town, good house, barn, granary and garage. J. H. Kuecks, 316 Knight Ave. N. 82p

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. Inquire 415 Bridge St. Phone 85. 81p

LOST

LOST—Maroon and gold sweater coat supposedly between Oen's store and the Red Lake Elevator. Finder kindly return to the Times office. 81

LOST—Crank for Overland car, either in town or on State road east. Return to Times. 81p

LOST—Black double-handle grip between here and Plummer. Return to Times office for reward. 81pd

LOST—Gold K. of C. watch charm. Finder kindly return to the Times office for reward. 81

LOST—27 ewes, 1 buck and 20 lambs have strayed from my place. Anyone finding these sheep, please notify by phone and receive reward.—W. G. Hammerick, Angus, Minn. 81tf

LOST—On road between Loken's store and Goodridge three bath towels and ladies' apron. Finder please leave at The Times office. 81p

LOST—Watch and chain between Great Northern depot and creamery. Return to The Times for reward. 81p

LOST—Platinum bar pin with white sapphire setting Monday evening between Princess Theatre and 519 Duluth Ave. N. Return to Dr. J. N. Nesse for reward. 81

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Full blood Guernsey bull calf, four months old or over, also several females. Send price and description in first letter. Jim McKeand, R. 4, Warren, Minn. 83p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A girl to assist in housework. 409 Knight Ave. N. 81

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. H. W. Protzeller. 81

WANTED AT ONCE—Competent girl for general housework. Small family. Apply at Palace Clothing House. 80tf

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—I buy and sell Harps and Violins, at bargains. Anyone interested write to N. W. Remlin, Red Wing, Minn. 82

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

WANTED—Clerical position in office or as saleslady in store. Have experience and qualified for either position. Write Mrs. 41, W. Robst, Shelling, Minn. 82p

WANTED TO RENT—Residence. Will lease for year.—Holtom's Hardware. 81

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

Farewell Party at Vorseth Home.

Despite threatening, rainy and electrical weather last Thursday evening about 75 neighbors and friends of the community gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth to tender them a farewell surprise party. Mr. Vorseth, who has for the last eight years served as manager for the Hanson & Barzen interests at this place, has left in his resignation and will by August 1 leave by car for a months vacation with his boyhood acquaintances in and near Waterville, Iowa, and will latter take up his residence at Thief River Falls, his former home, where his daughter, Elsie, will have the opportunity of securing better school facilities, and which is one of the main factors which causes Mr. Vorseth to leave Rosewood. The Vorseth family will be accompanied on their vacation trip by Mrs. Jens Severson of Thief River Falls, a sister of Mr. Vorseth, and her son, Selmar, and expects to be back again by the commencement of school this fall. Thursday evening was delightfully spent; musical entertainment forming the chief diversion. Instrumental and vocal selections were rendered by Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Anita. Violin music including old time Norwegian ballads by Steiner Johnson and piano music by the daughter of the house and Miss Gladys Swenson. A tasteful luncheon contributed by all the partaking ladies and arranged by Mrs. A. S. Holm, was served to all shortly before midnight. A valuable twenty piece silver table set was presented to the Vorseths in commemoration of the evening. The community regrets to bid Mr. and Mrs. Vorseth farewell. With them leaves strong community boosters, a people whose willing efforts to help elevate and strenghten society and co-operation has won for them a large number of warm friends, their congenial sociability and admirable straightforward business transactions has been appreciated by all, and the community as a whole joins in the best wishes for their welfare in the future.

Miss Elsie Vorseth gave a farewell party to sixteen of her girl friends last Tuesday afternoon in commemoration of her departure to Iowa next week. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent with in and outdoor games, music and singing, and Mrs. Vorseth gave a dainty four o'clock lunch. The visiting girls brought a very pretty white ivory brush and comb set which was given the hostess as remembrance from her school friends at Rosewood.

Miss Nettie Batten, who has been attending training school for teachers at Bemidji the past month, returned home on Saturday morning.

The Chas. Sagmoen, L. L. Furan and B. P. Sagmoen families motored to Middle River last Sunday to pick blueberries.

Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls conducted Sunday forenoon services at the Rindal church, north of town.

Dave Mosbeck and Henry Lappegaard are employed at carpenter work near Viking.

Miss Nina Westby, who has been employed near Thief River Falls this summer, came home for a visit with her parents this week.

Jno. Sjoldvold left on Saturday for St. Paul with a mixed carload of stock for the local Shipping association.

Miss Carrie Nelson of Anita, is employed at the Carl Bloom home during Mrs. Bloom's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sweet, who has purchased the old Hartman farm and intends to make their future home here, arrived on Saturday morning from their former home in South Dakota, and will commence immediately to erect the necessary buildings for occupation.

Mrs. Olson left last week for her home near Wannaska after staying with her sister, Mrs. A. Axelson, for a week.

The Kraus family and Selmer Severson from Thief River Falls were Thursday afternoon visitors at the A. C. Vorseth home.

Ole Hall was in Warren between trains last Saturday to seek medical attention.

Mildred and Goldie Remmem of Thief River Falls have been visitors this week at the Anton Gullseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen attended the state fair at Fargo last week.

Anton Gullseth autoed to Dalton last week with his mother, who will visit there with a daughter, Mrs. Halvorson, for some time. On his return Mr. Gullseth stopped for a day at Fargo to attend the fair.

Perry Hanson, who has been employed at Angus this summer, is home again and will stay during haying with the P. Sorenson folks.

Steiner Johnson left last Saturday for Grand Forks and other North Dakota points where he will visit and possibly work for some time.

—Trade at Home—

Legal Notices

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Swan Englund, a single man, mortgagor, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, Uithuizen, The Netherlands, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated the 10th day of March, 1905, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake (now Pennington County) and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book "22" of Mortgages, on page "610," which said mortgage was duly assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, aforesaid, to A. J. Prins, by instrument in writing bearing date July 14, 1920, and recorded in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in Book "63" of Mortgages, page "222", on the 15th day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., that the amount claimed to be due and is due at this date on the debt secured by said mortgage, is Twelve Hundred and Twenty-six and 00-100 ($1226.00) Dollars, that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are situate in the County of Pennington (formerly Red Lake) and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred and Fifty-four (154), North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said mortgaged premises aforesaid, to the highest bidder, for cash by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls in said Pennington County, on Monday, September 20th, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage together with the costs and disbursements of said sale allowed by law and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure.

Dated July 20th, 1920.

A. J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
503-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
J29-a-5-12-19-26-s2

—Trade at Home—

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

W. J. Torpey and W. J. Baxter, Plaintiffs, vs. Carl Ulsteen and Marie Ulsteen, James G. Jenkins as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Theodore H. Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Theodore H. Elliott, Deceased, Carolyn May Graves, formerly Carolyn May Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Carl Ulsteen, Deceased, and also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, interest or lien in the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

Summons.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiffs in the above entitled action, a copy of which is hereto attached, and herewith served upon you, and the original of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of this court on the 26th day of June, 1920, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Complaint on the subscriber at his office in the City of Thief River Falls, in said Pennington County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to serve your Answer to the said Complaint in the time aforesaid, the Plaintiffs in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their said Complaint, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

W. J. Torpey and W. J. Baxter, Plaintiffs, vs. Carl Ulsteen and Marie Ulsteen, James G. Jenkins as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Theodore H. Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Theodore H. Elliott, Deceased, Carolyn May Graves, formerly Carolyn May Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Carl Ulsteen, Deceased, and also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, interest or lien in the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiffs against the above named Defendants, the object of which is to obtain a judgment that said Plaintiffs are the owners in fee of the following described real property and that said Defendants and each and all of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon. The property and premises described in and affected by the action are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

The East One-half of the Southwest One-quarter (E½ SW¼), and Lots three (3), and four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North, of Range Forty-three (43), West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, according to the government survey thereof.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 26th day of June, 1920.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J 29 A 5-12

—Trade at Home—

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to N. W. Tarrant

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 6th day of November, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated July 6, 1920.

(Court Seal)
IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
J15-22-29

—Trade at Home—

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Hege Jore, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Saave Jore, Else Jore, Engebjorg Tveit, Torvald Jore, Asmund Wetleson Brekke, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of August, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of July, 1920.

(Seal)
IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.

NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J22-29-a5

DR. A. W. SWEDENBERG
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First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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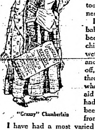

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THE publisher of a metropolitan newspaper asked recently, "Is it true that there is a common ownership and a common Board of Directors for all the Companies having Standard Oil as part of their name?"

Our answer to this gentleman was, "It is not true." The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is distinct from other corporations having a similar name.

It is owned by 4799 stockholders, of whom 2124 are women. No single stockholder owns as much as 10 percent of the total stock.

The affairs of this Company are administered by a Board of Directors consisting of 7 men, who devote their entire time to the Company's business and are connected in no way with any other Standard Oil Company.

Each man has won his position through demonstrated ability and is a specialist in handling the particular work for which he is responsible.

The personnel of the present Board of Directors of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is

Mr. Robert W. Stewart
Chairman of the Board
Mr. Wm. M. Burton
President
Mr. Henry S. Morton
Vice-President
Mr. Edward G. Seubert
Secretary-Treasurer
Mr. Seth C. Drake
General Manager—Sales
Mr. Wm. E. Warwick
General Manager—Manufacturing
Mr. Beaumont Parks
Assistant General Manager—Manufacturing

These men fix the policy and practices of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana). They are responsible only to the 4799 stockholders.

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DRAINAGE MATTER MAKING HEADWAY

Actual Surveys of New District to Begin August 1—A Tremendous Task.

A year ago on July 22 the initial step in providing sufficient outlets for Thief, Red Lake and Clearwater rivers was taken at a meeting held at Thief River Falls, resulting on January 29 in an order by Judges Grindeland and Stanton in the organization of the Red Lake Drainage district. By August 1 actual surveys will begin according to information given out by C. G. Selvig, Crookston, president of the board.

The fund necessary for the surveys that are about to be made and for all necessary expenses will be reimbursed from funds assessed against lands benefited the same as in any other drainage projects. Through the co-operation of State Drainage Commissioner E. V. Willard, the drainage board has secured for the use of its engineer, Geo. W. Walker, the war department survey of Red Lake river and an early survey of Clearwater river. This means a saving of thousands of dollars to the farmers of the district.

It can be authoritatively stated that the board will proceed with every precaution for economy and thoroughness. There are thousands of acres subject to overflow. Hundreds of farmers have joined in requesting these improvements. The board is *proceeding carefully but energetically* to get the survey and to ascertain the costs of work which will only be in small proportion to the benefits.

The Red Lake Indian reservation lands are included in the Red Lake and Clearwater projects. The war department is concerned with the dam to be built at the mouth of Red Lake river. Water powers and city water supply problems are involved. A tremendous task confronts the board and Judge Andrew Grindeland, in whose district the hearings will be conducted. Northwestern Minnesota will not be ready for all the settlers that can come until these improvements are made. Many farmers are now located where their land is not safe. It is not too much to say that next year when the drainage plans will be ready will be an important one in the development of this section of the state.

Hospital Notes.

The following patients were entered at the Physicians hospital since July 22:

Mrs. A. Tommeraasen, city; Mrs. A. Sommerfelt, Greenbush; Alice Welch, city; Walter Lonergan, Plummer; Duane Leslin, Erie; Alfred Gulseth, city; H. Bernardson, Strandquist; Adelia Maland, St. Hilaire; Mrs. Clyde Nason, City; Stanley Gabrielson, Golden Valley; Lillian Domstrand, Wylie; A. Larson, Highlanding; Anna Ollie, Plummer; Hilda Jorgenson, Goodridge; Clara Peterson, Hauge; John Kreiger, Gary; David Koop, city; L. Germanson, Plummer; Andrew Mortinson, St. Hilaire.

—Trade at Home—

BIG CROP PROVES BUSINESS PROBLEM

Representative Men of Four States to Hold Meeting at St. Paul Soon.

The Thief River Falls commercial club has received an invitation to participate in the forthcoming conference to be held by the state railroad and warehouse commission at the state capitol. At this time steps will be taken by various interests in Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana, looking toward the best methods of handling the seven hundred million bushel crop of grain, principally wheat, now about to be harvested.

A preliminary meeting was held last week at St. Paul, which was attended by C. T. Jaffray of Minneapolis, representing the financial interests; A. C. Loring of Minneapolis, representing the milling interests; Col. F. B. Wells and G. F. Ewe of Minneapolis, C. F. McDonald of Duluth, and others representing business interests; also Congressman Sidney Anderson and George M. Young, members of the agricultural committee of the house.

The date of the hearing has not yet been determined upon, but Secretary Scott Laird will be advised in sufficient time to have a representative of the commercial club present if deemed advisable.

—Trade at Home—

Dinner Party.

Miss Mary Prichard was hostess at a dinner party on Friday evening. Covers were placed for six.

STATE CONVENTION OF SOLDIER LEGION

Annual Meeting Will Be Held at Duluth August 16th, 17th and 18th.

In conformity with the decision of the first annual department convention, the second annual department convention of the American Legion is called to be held at Duluth, Aug. 16, 17 and 18.

The convention is called for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, amending the department constitution, selecting the time and place for the third annual department convention, selecting delegates and alternates to the second national convention, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it in conformity with the provisions of the national and department constitutions.

Representation will be by post. Each post is entitled to two delegates and two alternates, provided it has at least 15 paid-up members. Posts are entitled to one additional delegate and one additional alternate for each 100 members. The expenses of all delegates must be paid by the posts.

A special railroad fare of one and one-third fare for the round trip will be available to all delegates, alternates and their families attending the convention. The delegates from Thief River Falls post of the legion have not yet been chosen but it is likely will be named at a meeting to be held in the near future.

—Trade at Home—

Marshall and Clearwater Census Figures Given Out

Reports of the census this week give the population of Marshall and Clearwater counties, according to the recent enumeration. Both counties have made a considerable gain during the past decade, Marshall being credited with a population of 19,443, which is an increase of 3,105 or 19 per cent. Clearwater county is credited with 8,569 inhabitants, which is 1,699 more than it had ten years ago. The gain in this instance is 27.4 per cent.

These figures show a consistent growth in population, and while the increase is not as great as had been predicted in some quarters, it is highly satisfactory and proves this section of the state to be making satisfactory progress both in the matter of population and industrial development.

Mrs. Aleta Knutson.

Mrs. Aleta Knutson, beloved wife of Ole Knutson of Grygla died at the Northwestern hospital in Minneapolis on July 23, following an operation for cancer of the stomach from which she had suffered for the past 12 years.

Mrs. Knutson was born in Norway and came to this country when but a young girl. For a number of years Mr. and Mrs. Knutson have resided on a farm in the vicinity of Grygla. Their married life has been blessed with four sons and one daughter. Their names are Alfred, Albert, Oscar, Charley and Clara, all of whom survive besides the husband. Mrs. Knutson was a good Christian woman and was an active worker in the church of which she was a member. She was a loving and devoted wife and mother and her greatest pleasure was to be of service to her family and to all others who needed assistance. The remains of the deceased were shipped to this city for interment in Greenwood cemetery.

The funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran church with Reverend Sabo of Grygla, conducting, assisted by the local pastor. A large number of friends, neighbors and relatives of the deceased attended the services and the beautiful floral tributes showed the love and esteem of those who had known the departed in life.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. C. Swanson and daughter, Linnea, were guests of friends here Monday evening on their way to Minneapolis, where they will reside. Dr. Swanson preceded them some time ago. Dr. and Mrs. Swanson were prominent residents of St. Hilaire and resided there for a number of years.

Take Notice—

All business houses in Thief River Falls, members of the undersigned association, will be closed from 12 o'clock noon to 6 o'clock P. M. on

Thursday, Aug. 5

This is the second day of the Pennington County Fair and this ruling is made in order to give proprietors and clerks an opportunity to see the show.

The stores will open again at 6 o'clock to accommodate the public.

Thief River Falls Merchants Ass'n

Pennington County Fair August 4-5-6, 1920

PROGRAM

Wednesday Afternoon, August 4.

1:30 P. M.—Music by Thief River Falls Band.
1:45 P. M.—The Atlas Trio.
2:00 P. M.—Brancel & Dog.
2:15 P. M.—The Savages.
2:25 P. M.—The Great Sigfried.
2:45 P. M.—Baseball, St. Hilaire vs. T. R. Falls.

Wednesday Evening, August 4.

8:00 P. M.—Music by Thief River Falls Band.
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2:45 P. M.—The Great Sigfried.
3:00 P. M.—Second Heat 2:15 Pace.
3:15 P. M.—The Minneapolis Daily News Flying Circus.
3:45 P. M.—Third Heat 2:15 Pace.
4:00 P. M.—Art Williams.
4:15 P. M.—Baseball, Red Lake Falls vs. Grygla.

Thursday Evening, August 5.

7:30 P. M.—Music by Thief River Falls Band.
7:45 P. M.—The Minneapolis Daily News Flying Circus.
8:15 P. M.—Art Williams.
8:30 P. M.—The Savages.
8:45 P. M.—Brancel & Dog.
9:00 P. M.—The Atlas Trio.

Friday Afternoon, August 6.

1:30 P. M.—Music by Thief River Falls Band.
1:45 P. M.—The Atlas Trio.
2:00 P. M.—First Heat 2:15 Pace.
2:15 P. M.—Brancel & Dog.
2:30 P. M.—The Savages.
2:45 P. M.—Second Heat 2:15 Pace.
3:00 P. M.—The Great Sigfried.
3:15 P. M.—Third Heat 2:15 Pace.
3:30 P. M.—Baseball.

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Of Interest to All Farmers and Threshermen

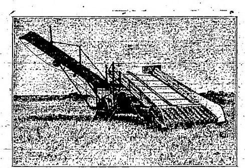

We have the greatest labor and grain saving device for the farmer which, of course, means a money-maker.

This machine may be a little too much for each of you to buy, but where some of you farmers have a co-operative threshing machine or where the Thresherman buys it himself, it will be a most wonderful money maker, as you must realize that this Shock Loader will pay for itself in less than a 20-day run.

You can use "The National" Shock Loader while threshing all sorts of small grain. You can use it while stacking and during haying; also for grinding feed and all belt-drive usages with the belt-drive attachment we furnish with each machine.

We could go on indefinitely telling you of the merits of "The National" Shock Loader, but as we will be at the Pennington County Fair, Aug. 4-6, we will endeavor to show you there what "The National" will do.

As it is a little early for threshing, if any of you are stacking or haying we would be pleased to assist you free of charge with "The National."

For further information inquire of

C. H. Hermecke and W. D. O'Brien
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BOND CONCERNS CAUSE HALT IN PAVING MATTER

Refuse to Fulfil Contracts Until State Supreme Court Passes on Legal Phase.

Real Reason, However, Is Said to Be Desire For Higher Rate of Interest.

Court Likely to Act in Time to Compel Concerns to Abide By Contracts.

The bond companies under contract to furnish funds for paving in Thief River Falls have made positive refusal to live up to their agreement. As a reason for this action is given the fact that pending litigation makes it inadvisable for them to advance the money. It is surmised, however, that the real reason is the low rate of interest provided for in the contract entered into with the city of Thief River Falls.

This settles the matter so far as the bond companies are concerned until a decision affecting the case can be secured from the supreme court. As the court does not resume sessions until next month it is obvious that even under the most favorable circumstances very little actual work can be accomplished by the paving contractors this year.

Work is to be begun at once, however, on curbs and such other parts of the program as do not touch on the major contract.

Contract Not Void.

The contract held with the bond companies does not expire until Dec. 31, and it is more than likely that favorable action can be secured from the courts in sufficient time to compel the financial men to live up to their contract in detail. If this can be done it will mean a considerable saving as new contracts no doubt will command a higher rate of interest. It is made plain by the bond companies that they do not desire to evade the terms of the contract, simply being anxious to have the legal phase of the matter cleared up before advancing the money.

Delay Unfortunate.

This tangle in the legal phase of the paving program is extremely unfortunate. Opinion is general that Thief River Falls has secured contracts both for the money and for the work at figures far below any which can be secured at the present time or for some years to come. There is an excellent chance, however, that things may be settled in sufficient time to make enforcement of the present contracts possible, and in that case the only disagreeable feature is the unnecessary and unwarranted delay in getting the work started.

—Trade at Home—

Officers Search Residence and Discover Much Booze

Armed with a search warrant, Sheriff W. J. LaBree and County Attorney Theo. Quale on Saturday afternoon took inventory of the rooms occupied by Fred Brendecke. A considerable quantity of liquor, including whiskey and alcohol, was discovered and confiscated by the officers. At present retail prices it is estimated the value of the confiscated booze is several thousand dollars.

Brendecke was arrested and given a hearing before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant the same day. He waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the grand jury under $1,000 bonds, which were furnished within a few minutes. Brendecke was not charged in the warrant with having sold liquor, but simply with having it in his possession contrary to law.

—Trade at Home—

County Board Meeting.

The board of county commissioners held a short session at the court house yesterday. Work of the equalization board was completed and a number of routine matters disposed of.

—Trade at Home—

Hallorans Conclude Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Halloran and children, who had been guests at the R. H. Ross home for a week, left Wednesday evening on their return to Minneapolis. This was Mr. Halloran's first visit to this section of Minnesota and he was very favorably impressed with the city and surrounding ountry.

—Trade at Home—

ST AUTO RACES LAST DAY OF FAIR

Motorcycles to Engage in Speed Contests Each Afternoon. Excitement Galore.

Just to make the last day of the Pennington county fair a hummer, and to leave nothing undone which might add to the enjoyment of visitors, the fair management has arranged for automobile races for Friday afternoon. This event is a free-for-all and the big purse offered no doubt will make the race sufficiently exciting to suit the most exacting lover of this sport.

Five racing cars are already entered for this event and it is likely several more will be on hand when the race is called. Two cars from Winnipeg, one from Grand Forks, one from Crookston and one from Bemidji already have signified their intention of taking part in the race, and as all of these cars are special racers with good records, Secretary Smith feels justified in promising the public some real thrillers.

In addition to the above unusual attraction, arrangements have been completed for a speedy motorcycle race during each afternoon of the fair. The track has been placed in good condition and it is anticipated that some good records will be hung up. Some of the wildest speed demons in the Northwest are entered for the motorcycle races and the public may rest assured there will be no dearth of thrills when the word is given for them to get a hump on themselves.

—Trade at Home—

Meets Instant Death in Rail Yards at Fordville

John T. Schack of Chicago met instant death in the railroad yards at Fordville on Saturday when he was run over by a freight car. When picked up by members of the switching crew his head was found to be completely severed from his body. The dead man was accompanied by a friend, who stepped out of the way and escaped the approaching car. Little is known of the unfortunate man and the only relative so far located is a sister residing in Chicago. He was not seen by the switching crew until after the accident had occurred and no blame is attached to any of the rail boys for the accident.

—Trade at Home—

Victim of Typhoid.

John Gustafson has recently been discharged from the local hospital, where he had been confined for several weeks with typhoid fever. John looks a little thin but says if he gets plenty to eat will soon be as strong as ever.

—Trade at Home—

FREIGHT RATES RAISED 35 PER CENT BY ORDER

Advance of 20 Per Cent in Passenger Rates Also Granted By Commission.

New Rates Likely to Go Into Effect Before September 1, General Opinion.

Railroads of Country Placed on Solid Financial Basis By Order's Provisions.

The railroads of the country were on Saturday granted substantial increases in freight and passenger rates by the interstate commerce commission in session at Washington. An advance of 40 per cent in freight rates in the East, 25 per cent in the South, 35 per cent in the West and 25 per cent in the mountain Pacific territory was granted by the commission. Passenger fares were increased 20 per cent, the amount asked by the railroads to help in absorbing the $600,000,000 wage increase granted by the railway labor board.

A surcharge of 50 per cent on rates for sleeping and parlor cars was granted, together with a 20 per cent increase in the rate on excess baggage and 20 per cent in the rate on milk.

In Force Soon.

The increase may become effective on five days' notice given by the carriers to the commission and the public, and they must be put into effect before January 1, 1921. Since the government guarantee to the roads expires Sept. 1 it is generally expected that the advances will be put into force before that date.

In arriving at the increase the commission placed the valuation of railway properties at $18,900,000,000 as against the $20,616,000,000 estimate of the railway executives.

The increases granted by the commission were estimated by it as sufficient to absorb the wage award of the railroad labor board, which the commission placed at $618,000,000, and will bring the net income of the carriers to 5½ per cent permitted under the transportation act. The commission authorized application of the general increases to the rates on commodities.

—Trade at Home—

This Pennington County Farmer Fared Quite Well

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zwer left yesterday for their former home at Mitchell, S. D., where they expect to reside in the future. For the past six years they have been engaged in farming a short distance west of Thief River Falls. Mr. Zwer and his wife have reached the age where they are entitled to take life a little easier and propose to enjoy a well-earned rest at their old home.

These people have a warm place in their hearts for Pennington county. Their son will continue to make his home here and is now farming by himself. Mr. Zwer states that when he arrived in Thief River Falls six years ago he had total resources amounting to $10,000. When he closed up his affairs here recently he was able to start his son out with a $5,000 nest egg and still had $20,000 left. When it is considered that Mr. Zwer has made his money in farming and not through speculation or other ventures, it is evident that farming in Pennington county is not altogether a losing game.

NEW PASTOR OF TRINITY CHURCH TO TAKE CHARGE

Rev. T. E. Sweger of Cooperstown, N. D., Accepts Call of Local Congregation.

Installation to Take Place on Sunday, Aug. 15—Impressive Exercises Planned.

Thief River Falls Chosen as Field Because of Greater Opportunities Offered.

Trinity Lutheran church, Thief River Falls, will be the scene of impressive services on Sunday, Aug. 15, when Rev. T. E. Sweger, formerly of Cooperstown, N. D., is to be installed as regular pastor of the congregation. The services will be in charge of Rev. I. T. Austad of Detroit, for many years pastor of the local church and now president of the Northern Minnesota district.

Rev. Sweger will deliver his opening sermon following the installation exercises, and the people of the congregation are anticipating a masterly effort. The large church no doubt will be packed to capacity at the services.

To Arrive Next Week.

Rev. Sweger and family are expected to arrive next week and will take up their home immediately in the parsonage at 214 Horace avenue north. For the past seven and one-half years Rev. and Mrs. Sweger have resided at Cooperstown, during all of which time Mr. Sweger has been pastor of the Cooperstown and Ringsaker Lutheran churches. Their work in the Dakota field has been eminently satisfactory and numerous friends inside and outside of church circles deeply regret their departure.

The Cooperstown Sentinel, in speaking of Rev. Sweger, uses the following highly complimentary language:

Real Community Workers.

"For seven and a half years he has faithfully served in this field, and both he and Mrs. Sweger have endeared themselves to the hearts of a multitude of our people. These are not by any means confined to Lutheran circles, for Pastor Sweger has never observed church lines in his doing of good work.

"In all worthy community undertakings—religious, educational, civic, patriotic—he has been identified as a helper. The going of the Swegers from Cooperstown will leave here a vacancy that will indeed be hard to fill."

Product of Northwest.

The new pastor was born at Westby, Wis., and received his education at St. Olaf college and at the United Church seminary, Minneapolis. He is a man endowed with exceptional ability as a speaker, and has proved himself an untiring worker in his chosen field.

The decision of Rev. and Mrs. Sweger to cast their lot with the people of Thief River Falls and Northwestern Minnesota will be welcome news to everyone connected with the Lutheran church. The local field is sufficiently large to give the new pastor an opportunity to do his best work, and The Times bespeaks for him pronounced success from the beginning.

—Trade at Home—

FARMERS HARVEST GREAT GRAIN CROP

Fields Rapidly Ripening Under Favorable Conditions With Record Yield in Prospect.

Harvest is on in full blast on the farms of Pennington county and with favorable weather most of the grain will be safe in shock within a week or ten days. Practically all rye has been cut, while in some instances early wheat has been harvested. Oats and barley are maturing in fine shape and promise exceptional yields.

Wheat, while in some instances considerably affected by rust, gives promise of yielding far above the average. The fact that the crop was well advanced before the rust condition became pronounced accounts for the small damage from this source. With no storms to injure the wheat crop for the next few days, Pennington county bids fair to produce a banner wheat yield this year.

The only bad feature about harvest coming just at this time is that it keeps many farmers from being in attendance at the county fair. Many who had planned exhibits of live stock and other products find themselves unable to put their specimens on exhibition through lack of time.

—Trade at Home—

Bird Man Giving Thrills To All Who Care to Ride

The Reincke Aircraft company of Fargo is furnishing one of the chief attractions during the county fair. These people have a passenger-carrying plane on the ground and are being kept busy giving rides to people who are anxious to view the scenery from above. The price charged for this pastime is $10 for a ten-minute ride and $15 for fifteen minutes. The plane is being conducted by an experienced and careful driver and many local people are taking advantage of the opportunity to enjoy a trip among the clouds.

WHERE ARE THE SOLDIERS?

Postmaster John Morgan has several pieces of soldiers' mail which he is making every effort to deliver but without success. There is one letter each for Julius A. Kramer, Albert M. Ekholm and Henry Olson, care of Frank Olson, while a package evidently containing citations for bravery in battle, is held for Oscar Haugen. Anyone knowing where these soldiers may be found will be conferring a favor both upon Mr. Morgan and the service men by imparting the information to the postmaster.

Automobile Tips Over But Passengers Escape Unhurt

George Christo, proprietor of the Minnesota Candy Kitchen, accompanied by three of his children and a young man, lost control of his car on Sunday while driving about two miles north of the city, and the machine stopped with all four wheels in the air. In crossing the tracks one front wheel caught between the rail and plank, throwing the car violently toward the deep ditch beside the road. While attempting to turn it back quickly into the road George lost control and the car turned over completely. The young man was pinned beneath the car and slightly hurt, while George and the children fortunately were thrown clear of the machine and escaped with only a slight shaking up. The car suffered only minor damages, among which was a broken wind shield.

CENSUS BUREAU GIVES FIGURES IN PENNINGTON

Population of County Shows Satisfactory Increase During Ten-Year Period.

Census Figures For Eastern Townships Reflect Rapid Development.

Only Three Divisions Indicate Decrease of Population For Past Ten Years.

A preliminary announcement of the population of Pennington county has been made by the census bureau, the count being unofficial and subject to correction. There is little chance for error, however, and the figures will undoubtedly stand as announced. The population of Thief River Falls was given some time ago as 4,685 and this figure has not been changed in the latest report.

County Shows Gain.

The total population of Pennington county, according to the announcement, is 12,091. This is a gain of 2,715 for the county during the past ten years. While not in any way sensational, Pennington's growth has been consistent and compares favorably with other counties in this section of the state. Only three subdivisions in the county show a decrease during the past decade, these being St. Hilaire village, Black River township and Numedal township.

Eastern Pennington county shows a marked growth in population, giving proof of the rapid development of that section. Goodridge village and Goodridge township show a combined population of 370 as compared to 63 for the same territory ten years ago. Star township has increased from 192 to 409 during the same period, while Hickory and Highlanding have nearly doubled in population.

Rocksbury Most Populous.

Rocksbury township no doubt is the most populous in the county, being credited with 600 people. North township shows up with 789, but if it is considered that seven additions to the city of Thief River Falls lie wholly within the civil division, it is obvious that Rocksbury is entitled to the banner.

The additions referred to are Fairgrounds, Fairfield, Fairfax, Smiley, Rustad, Bothun and Park. Due to the fact that these additions lie wholly outside the city limits of Thief River Falls their population is credited to North township.

Population By Divisions.

Division	1920	1910	1900
Pennington county	12091	9376	----
Black River Twp.	160	169	----
Bray Twp.	163	127	159
Cloverleaf Twp.	247	180	----
Deer Park Twp.	300	270	----
Goodridge Twp.	139	63	----
Goodridge Vil.	231	----	----
Hickory Twp.	360	197	----
Highlanding Twp.	437	383	----
Kratka Twp.	373	280	----
Mayfield Twp.	234	144	----
Norden Twp.	333	306	441
North Twp.	789	440	148
Numedal Twp.	143	154	150
Polk Centre Twp.	187	146	----
Reiner Twp.	300	207	----
River Falls Twp.	362	252	----
Rocksbury Twp.	600	548	599
St. Hilaire Vil.	346	468	840
Sanders Twp.	369	293	367
Silverton Twp.	280	219	----
Smiley Twp.	424	421	98
Star Twp.	409	192	----
T. R. Falls, city	4685	3714	1879
Wyandotte Twp.	230	203	----

—Trade at Home—

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK ANNOUNCES OPENING OF PALATIAL NEW QUARTERS SATURDAY, AUG. 7

Memorable Day in Business Life of Strong Thief River Falls Financial Institution—New Building Long Needed as Home For Bank.

Visitors to Be Entertained From Morning Until Evening. Everyone Invited By Officials to Inspect Banking House and Equipment.

Next Saturday is to be a memorable day in the annals of the First and Peoples State bank of Thief River Falls. On that day the officers and employes of the institution will formally dedicate the handsome new bank building on Third street, and extend a cordial invitation to the public to help properly observe the important event. The doors will be open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., and the entire personnel of the bank will be there all day to welcome visitors and show them through the palatial new home of the institution.

There will be music for the visitors all day long. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher has kindly consented to render several vocal solos during the afternoon and evening, which will add greatly to the pleasure of the occasion. A large number of appropriate souvenirs have been provided for the visitors. Another feature will be the penny guessing contest, in which everyone is invited to register a guess.

The new home of the First and Peoples is at last complete, though long delayed through inability to secure material for its construction. It is a home to which the officers and directors of this institution may point with pride, and a monument to their tireless energy and straightforward methods of dealing with the public. The bank has enjoyed a steady growth since 1892, when the old First State bank was organized with a capital of $10,000. Then in 1906 the Peoples State bank, which on Dec. 17, 1917, was consolidated with the First State, began its business career with a capital of $30,000. At the time of the consolidation the combined capital and surplus of the new bank was $90,000. The total resources now are over $800,000.

New Quarters Necessary.

It soon became apparent that the former quarters of the Peoples State bank, which were taken over after the consolidation, were too small to accommodate the new institution. After considering several ways of obtaining a new home, the Scandia building was purchased and the east half of this transferred into the present palatial quarters of the bank.

Strictly Modern Home.

A good idea of the front of the bank may be gained from the cut accompanying this article. The massive stone pillars give it a very imposing appearance and from an architectural viewpoint it is ideal for a building of this character.

The woodwork, interior finish and all furniture is of solid mahogany, presenting a very harmonious and pleasing appearance. The base boards are of Lavanda marble, while the wainscoting is of a beautiful veined Alabama marble. A strip on the floors near the wall are of Domestic marble, and the remainder of the floors are constructed from slabs of Tennessee marble. The walls are finished in Tiffany Roman gold, creating a rich and beautiful effect.

Ample light is furnished by a number of large inverted electric lamps, with the assistance of numerous desk and other smaller lights.

Conveniently Arranged.

The interior arrangement of the bank is such as to facilitate business, avoid unnecessary confusion and add to the comfort and convenience of patrons. The lobby runs the full length of the room along one side, and at the end is found a room specially arranged for the use of customers. In this room the safety deposit boxes are stored so as to afford easy and private access to them for patrons of the bank.

From one side of the lobby extends the ladies' rest room, which is fitted with modern equipment for the convenience of the women. Special attention has been paid to this departure and ladies both from country and city are invited to make free use of it at all times.

Offices and Work Rooms.

The arrangement of the interior is compact and very convenient. First to the left of the entrance is the office of H. S. Dahlen, vice president. Next in order are the offices of R. M. Sheldon, cashier, and Theo. M. Thronson, assistant cashier. Following these offices is the general business office, which contains a special room for the adding machines. This reduces noise and confusion to a minimum in other parts of the bank. All employes are provided with private lockers in which to place wraps and other belongings.

A Massive Vault.

The vault is one of the most modern to be found anywhere and is fitted with all appliances which make for safety. Some idea of its strength may be gained from the fact that the door alone weighs over four thousand pounds. With its steel walls and burglar alarm system it should prove the acme of security.

Contractor C. M. Carlson of Thief River Falls had charge of the construction work throughout the building, and the job bears testimony to his thoroughness and efficiency. The Larson Furniture company furnished the desks and other office furniture.

MEETS DEATH IN FALL FROM HORSE

Dan Christensen Sustains Fatal Injury Near City Saturday Evening.

Dan Christensen, 22 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carsten Christensen, Norden township, died Sunday afternoon at the Physicians hospital from internal injuries received when he fell from a horse Saturday evening.

The young man was riding to town and when near the Great Northern crossing west of the city the horse stumbled and fell in such a way as to pin the rider underneath. The injured man was taken to the hospital at once, where an examination disclosed serious internal injuries besides several bruises and cuts about the body. A severe internal hemorrhage made it obvious to the attending physicians that nothing could be done to save the boy's life.

The sudden death of Dan is a severe shock to his family and friends. He was a stalwart young man who enjoyed the esteem and friendship of everyone.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon and interment made in Greenwood cemetery. The remains were accompanied to their last resting place by a large number of friends, the funeral procession being one of the largest seen here for some time.

—Trade at Home—

Dr. G. A. Penney Resigns As Dental Examiner of District

Dr. G. A. Penney, who some time ago was appointed district dental examineer for Pennington county, has handed in his resignation. His successor has not yet been named.

The dental examiners are appointed through the United States Public Health Service, to provide free dental service for veterans of the world war. The service is entirely free to the soldiers, the government taking care of all expenses connected therewith. Dr. Penney found this extra work more than he could handle in connection with his regular practice and therefore thought it best to resign and allow the government to turn it over to someone who could handle it to better advantage.

—Trade at Home—

St. Hilaire Eliminated in First Game of Series

The St. Hilaire base ball team was eliminated yesterday from the championship series of games to be played during the fair. Thief River Falls came back in true form after the defeat suffered at the hands of Gonvick on Sunday and defeated the down stream sluggers by a score of 11 to 1.

It was an off day for the St. Hilaire boys and things went badly with them from the start. The locals gained a comfortable lead in the early part of the game and had the visitors mercilessly beaten all the way through.

This afternoon Grygla and Red Lake Falls meet in battle to decide which of the two teams is to meet Thief River Falls tomorrow afternoon for the final game of the series. Both teams are determined to win and an exciting contest may be looked for.

GREATEST FAIR BREAKS RECORD FOR FIRST DAY

Three Times Usual Attendance Present Thursday Gives Great Promise.

Exhibits in All Departments Surpass Previous Standards. All Buildings Filled.

Free Attractions Presage an Abundance of Amusement For Two Last Days.

Pennington county's nineteenth annual fair is on in full swing, with every indication that it will surpass all previous records in attendance, number and quality of exhibits, and general excellence of free attractions.

Attendance on the first day set a new record, it being estimated at about three times that of the opening day last year. The weather was ideal yesterday and everything connected with the big exhibition went off without a hitch.

St. Hilaire's Day.

Wednesday was St. Hilaire day at the fair. At noon a procession of more than 50 automobiles, carrying St. Hilaire banners reached the city, and after parading the business streets proceeded to the grounds. Here the delegation circled the race track several times before parking its cars in the place reserved for this purpose by the fair management.

The St. Hilaire ball team accompanied the visitors, who were a live bunch of rooters for their home team. Although the St. Hilaire lads didn't win the game they may find consolation in the loyal attitude of their home folks during the struggle.

Magnificent Exhibits.

Exhibits this year in all departments are a revelation to visitors. Every building and booth is occupied, and in addition the auditorium has been pressed into service to house the women's department, industrial exhibits, and boys' and girls' educational exhibits.

The poultry section this year far surpasses any of its predecessors. Order and arrangement of building, quality and number of birds entered, together with an unusual interest displayed by the visitors, make the poultry building one of the leading attractions at the grounds.

The management deserves much credit for the high grade of free attractions furnished fair patrons this year. Though the chief air performance was cancelled at the last moment due to an airplane accident, an excellent substitute is furnished in the wing walker secured from the International Flying Circus. An attempt is being made to have this number give a performance on Friday afternoon also.

Following is the official program of events for this afternoon and tomorrow:

Thursday Afternoon.

1:30 P. M.—The Atlas Trio
1:40 P. M.—1st heat 2:15 pace
1:40 P. M.—Aviator Roberts
1:55 P. M.—Brancel & Dog
2:05 P. M.—Sigfried
2:15 P. M.—2nd heat 2:15 pace
2:15 P. M.—Wing Walking Act
2:30 P. M.—The Savages
2:40 P. M.—Motor Cycle Race
2:50 P. M.—3rd heat 2:15 pace
3:00 P. M.—Pat Houlett & Company
3:30 P. M.—Baseball.

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1:40 P. M.—Aviator Roberts
1:55 P. M.—Brancel & Dog
2:05 P. M.—Sigfried
2:15 P. M.—2nd heat 2:15 pace
2:30 P. M.—The Savages
2:40 P. M.—Motor Cycle Race
2:50 P. M.—Pat Houlett & Company
3:15 P. M.—3rd heat 2:15 pace
3:30 P. M.—Automobile Race
3:45 P. M.—Baseball.

—Trade at Home—

VICTIM OF FLAMES RESUMES BUSINESS

Repairs Ordered and Work Will Be Started at First Possible Moment.

Plans are being made by the Northern Woodwork company to resume operations at the old stand as soon as necessary repairs can be made to building and equipment. The damage caused by the fire of last week has not yet been appraised, but the arrival of an adjustor representing the insurance companies carrying the risk is momentarily expected.

New belting has been ordered to replace that destroyed by the flames, and it is expected all of the machinery may be placed in good condition through minor repairs and a general overhauling. The east end of the building, which collapsed during the fire, will be rebuilt and an entire new set of window glass will have to be placed in position.

Coming as it did when the company was just getting nicely started the fire caused a very expensive setback to the business of the concern. The owners propose, however, to get to work again in earnest, feeling that the future holds great possibilities. Manager Revdahl informs The Times he expects to have the establishment running full blast in the course of a few weeks.

FLYING CIRCUS NOT TO APPEAR AT FAIR

Smashup of Planes Makes Cancellation of Dates Necessary. Other Attractions Secured.

The Minneapolis Daily News Flying Circus, billed as one of the leading attractions at the Pennington county fair, is not coming. The fair board is in receipt of a wire from the circus management, stating that on account of a smashup of planes they will be unable to appear here as advertised.

New attractions are being secured to take the place of the flying circus and fair patrons will find the added features just as strong as the original. The fair board deeply regrets that the flying circus could not be presented as advertised, but has promised to do its best in securing desirable substitutes.

A wing walker has been secured to take the place of Art Williams and although he does not make a parachute drop, his work on the wings is said to be of the highest order and furnishes many thrills.

Another number of more than ordinary interest is Pat Houlet and company, a wild west attraction, where the specialists are bucking, roping, and trick riding, running races, free for all bucking contests, etc. Bulldogging Pat Houlet, holder of western championships for bulldogging, will put on an exhibition of that daring western sport where man contests with a steer, throwing the animal by sheer strength and holding the brute helpless. This is the greatest feature of all big western roundups.

—Trade at Home—

TO RETURN BODIES OF SOLDIER DEAD

American Legion Active in Giving Information to Relatives of Departed Heroes.

The Minnesota department of The American Legion, through the efforts of State Commander Harrison Fuller, assisted by P. L. O'Toole, assistant adjutant, has obtained from the war department detailed advice regarding the transportation of soldier-dead from Europe or Asia to the place of interment. Financial assistance given by the government and the proper method to follow in obtaining it, also are touched upon.

Charles C. Pierce, major in the regular army and chief of the Cemeterial Division, in a letter to state headquarters, announced these fundamentals:

Expense of individuals "who desire to act as convoyers for remains of dead soldiers from Hoboken to destination" will be paid by the government.

"All expenses of the shipment of remains to the railroad station or home town designated by the legal next of kin will be borne by the war department. Expenses incident to the actual burial of the body will be reimbursed up to $100, by the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Washington, D. C., upon presentation of an itemized statement of expenses or receipted bills.

"Requests of individuals to return to the United States, the bodies of their soldier dead under their personal direction, cannot be granted.

"Requests from the legal next of kin, that bodies remain in established French cemeteries will be granted when possible, providing the next of kin relieves the government from further care of the grave.

"The graves registration service is a branch of the Cemeterial division of the quartermaster general's office. Exact location of a grave is communicated whenever possible to the person whom the soldier previously registered as the proper one to be addressed in case of emergency. Many changes in grave location have been made this work reducing the number of burial places of American dead from 2,400 to 600.

"Regardless of whether or not their return has been requested, no bodies will be permanently left in Germany, Luxembourg, or North Russia."

—Trade at Home—

Examine Red Lake Herds.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: "The six veterinarians of the Bureau of Animal Industry, United States Department of Agriculture found 98 reactors among the 1900 cattle tested for tuberculosis in Red Lake county the past three weeks. The veterinarians headed by Dr. J. N. Holzer, had tested more than 100 herds up to Saturday night. Dr. Holzer and two of his assistants returned to St. Paul Saturday, but three assistants remained to finish up the work. They will test about 17 herds comprising approximately 250 head of cattle.

—Trade at Home—

Still Collecting Tickets.

H. S. Bailey came up from Mahnomen yesterday morning to take his usual position as ticket collector at the fair grounds. Mr. Bailey is a well known former citizen of Thief River Falls and has for the past year or two made his home with a daughter at Mahnomen. He enjoys the unique record of having held the post of ticket collector at the county fair for sixteen consecutive seasons.

—Trade at Home—

Will Move to California.

Sauk Rapids Sentinel: Homer Mussey, who has been employed at the Sentinel office for the past year, has resigned his position and will leave shortly for Grygla, this state, for a week's visit with his parents, after which, together with his family, who are now the guests of relatives at Red Lake Falls, he will leave for California where he intends to make his future home.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following patients were entered at the Physicians hospital since last Thursday: Dan Christensen, city; Mrs. O. G. Winger, city; Amanda Ortloff, St. Hilaire; Jessie Leslie, Rollis; Adelia Muland, St. Hilaire; Alice Welsh, city; Henry Schuber, Grand Forks.

ANOTHER TOMATO RECORD

August Carlson, residing at 408 Duluth avenue south, thinks he should have a little consideration when it comes to picking out winners in the early tomato contest. Mr. Carlson claims and asserts his statement may be proved by asking his neighbors—that he picked several over-ripe tomatoes from his garden this year on July 15. This is, so far as known, positively the 1920 record in Thief River Falls.

ST. PAUL BOOSTERS WELCOMED TO CITY

Visit of Capitol City Business Men Proves Enjoyable For All Concerned.

Thief River Falls had a little celebration all its own last Saturday morning when the St. Paul trade tourists paid the city a visit. The special train carrying the St. Paul boosters arrived over the Wheatline at 7:45 and the visitors immediately were given full possession of the city.

First on the program was a parade through the principal streets, in which all the visitors and a large number of local people took part, headed by the Minnesota State band. At the conclusion of the parade the band was stationed at the bank corners, where a delightful concert was rendered. The concert attracted a considerable crowd and was much enjoyed by all. Community singing, with local children taking a prominent part, also proved a very delightful part of the program.

Several of the visiting party gave short addresses, explaining the reasons for the tour, and these talks were received with hearty cheers by those who had gathered to greet the tourists. The local reception committee, headed by F. H. Herrick, placed a number of automobiles at the disposal of the visitors, many of whom were given an opportunity of viewing the city and the country immediately surrounding.

Local business men received social calls from representatives of St. Paul firms, and the friendship and closer relationship thus established was, of course, the principal object of the tour. The St. Paul men proved themselves good entertainers and Thief River Falls eagerly awaits another opportunity of acting as hosts to them.

—Trade at Home—

ATTENDANCE GROWS AT AGGIE SCHOOL

Year Opening October 5 Promises to Be Greatest in History of Institution.

Although 26 additional dormitory rooms have been provided at the Northwest School by the new dining hall permitting vacating space formerly used for dining hall purposes, Superintendent Selvig is confronted with the situation of taking care of a highly over crowded enrollment when the school term opens on October 5. There are accommodations at the Northwest School now for 250 students. There will be 200 juniors and seniors returning which means that the total enrollment for the year including new students will go over 350. Those desiring dormitory rooms should put in application early as the rooms will be given out in order that reservation is made.

The Northwest School has enjoyed a very remarkable growth during the ten years of the present administration. The enrollment has increased in that period from 101 to 301. It will increase more rapidly in the future as there are larger numbers each year who are ambitious to secure a better education to prepare themselves for their life work.

—Trade at Home—

Entertainment.

The Trinity Lutheran League will meet in the church basement Thursday evening, Aug. 12th. Gilma Ostvolden, Stanton and Eleanor Dahlen, and Elfreda Knudsen will have charge of the entertainment.

DEMS TO BE READY FOR BIG CAMPAIGN

Nominee Hodgson Says State Campaign Will Not Be of Defensive Nature.

Tonnage tax and relief for the farmers will be the issues of the Democratic campaign in Minnesota this fall, it was decided at a meeting of the executive committee yesterday at the St. Paul hotel.

Mayor L. C. Hodgson of St. Paul, Democratic candidate for governor, declared that the fall campaign will not be a defensive fight.

"Let the Republicans conduct their own campaign," he said. "We shall carry on our own fight. Fight, win or lose, I hope that we will build up a cohesive party that will stand for Democratic principles in Minnesota 12 months of the year."

The meeting was presided over by Senator James Carley of Plainview, chairman of the executive committee. Candidates who attended in addition to Mayor Hodgson were: J. P. McConnell for lieutenant governor, James C. Mitchell for Congress from the Seventh district and Senator James Millet for Congress from the Third district.

Louis Betz of St. Paul, will head the finance committee of five members. Howard Everett, James A. Nowell and Oliver J. Quane were named to arrange for state headquarters. Other committees are to be appointed by Senator James Carley.

—Trade At Home—

HARVEST IN FULL SWING IN VALLEY

Rye, Barley and Oats Show Good Yields—Excellent Prospects For Wheat Crop.

Harvest is well under way in Polk county. Winter rye has practically all been cut and a start has been made in several localities upon barley and oats. A few cases are reported where wheat is being harvested but the work in the wheat fields will not be general until next week.

Although there are many reports of damage from black rust, and while there is no doubt there will be considerable loss to the later maturing grain from this source, it is not believed by those who have made a study of the situation that rust damage will be as serious as the first reports would indicate. The damage seems to be confined to spots and the rust spread is not as general as many people believe. Wheat that has matured to the point where it has begun to harden will be effected very little if any. In the more matured wheat there is considerable red rust but its effect upon the crop will be negligible.

From reports received from different parts of the valley the conclusion is reached that the crop as a whole will be above the average. Wheat is the only grain that seems to have suffered. Rye, barley and oats will produce above average crops while forage crops will be abundant. Corn is still an unsolved problem. It is just tasseling out in many fields and it will take several weeks of favorable weather to produce a matured crop.

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New Gasoline Pump.

The Auseby & Burstad garage was Tuesday evening granted permission by the council to install a gasoline pump on the boulevard in front of their place of business.

—Trade at Home—

Suffers Severe Burns.

Henry Schuber of Grand Forks, operating a wiener stand at the fair grounds, was severely burned about the hands and face Wednesday afternoon in attempting to put out a fire caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove. He was immediately taken to the hospital and is said to have a fair chance to recover, though suffering terribly from the burns.

—Trade at Home—

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters at the Post Office of Thief River Falls, Minnesota for the week ending July 31, 1920. If not called for in two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch at Chicago, Ill: Brooks, Miss Ruth; Colsett, Mr. Hans; Gigg, Vicktor; Jenson, Lee, Mr. Anton; Lory, Mr. Arthur; Lind, Miss Eunice; Miller, Miss Florence; Shoopman, Mrs. T. J.; Shian, Mr. L.; Tangbakken, Mrs. Ida.

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

—Trade at Home—

Notice.

The Board of Education for Consolidated Dist. No. 8 will receive bids up to Wednesday, Aug. 11th at 8 p. m., for the hauling of the children, to-wit:

Route 1.

Besancon, Kusmack, Stoeneess, Marcuson, Erickson, Iverson and Olson.

Route 2.

Lovely, Dahlen, Hanson, Vaughan.

Route 3

Duchamp, Thompson, Stein, Hagen, Urdahl.

Bidders are requested to put in two bids, one to furnish their own motor rig, and one, rig to be furnished by the district. Driver must be a person of age.

Board will also receive bids for the Janitor work at the same time.

NICK BUNDHUND,
a5 Clerk.

—Trade at Home—

City News

Carl Hanson of Genvick spent the first of the week here on business.

J. M. Schei of Mavie called on friends here the first of the week.

Garfield Erickson of Goodridge visited with friends here over Sunday.

S. L. Johnson of Hallock attended to business matters here on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. J. Sears of Badger shopped and visited with friends here on Tuesday.

M. W. Hanson arrived Tuesday from his home at Erie to attend to business matters.

Geo. Engebretsen of Boy River arrived on Monday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Isaac Helseth returned yesterday morning from a brief business trip to the twin cities.

Mrs. A. Carlson of Duluth arrived in this city on Monday for a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Estella Dahl arrived Tuesday evening from Trail and spent a few days visiting with friends.

O. J. Peterson of Wylie arrived on Tuesday and spent a short period visiting with friends and relatives.

James Nomland arrived the first of the week from his home in Grygla and spent a few days visiting friends.

Miss Burnadette Deary came down from Plummer on Tuesday evening to be the guest of friends for a few days.

M. Mortrud of Argyle arrived on Tuesday evening to attend to business matters and also to visit with friends.

Mrs. J. O. Herrick and children of Warren are spending the week as guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Robert McGinn.

Miss Hannah Berget arrived in this city on Tuesday morning from Grand Forks and passed a couple of days visiting with friends.

Reuben Sandberg, accompanied by his brother, G. A. Sandberg, of Grygla, attended to business affairs here the first of the week.

Art. Loken motored to this city yesterday to spend a few days as the guest of relatives. He was accompanied by his brother, Luther.

Miss Ruby Thompson of Aspelin, visited with friends here the first of the week. She also spent a part of her time visiting at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Mary Jevne returned to her home in Strathcona on Tuesday after passing a brief period here attending to shopping and also visiting with friends.

Miss Olive Booren, who spent ten days at Lake Shoreham, arrived on Tuesday evening to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. F. Booren, for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vorseth and family, accompanied by Mrs. J. Severson, left by car on Monday for various points in Iowa, where they will spend a month visiting with friends and relatives.

G. W. Werstlein and W. R. Patterson returned Tuesday from a week's outing on the Lake of the Woods. They had many interesting facts to reveal regarding their visits to various Indian villages along the lake shore on the Canadian border.

—Trade at Home—

Coming, Rice Bros. Show and Animal Exhibitron

Rice Bros. World-Toured shows and trained animal exhibition will exhibit afternoon and night at Thief River Falls, Monday, Aug. 9, under mammoth waterproof tents. This is the show that you have been waiting for, Rice Bros. famous show that has pleased millions of people for many years. This year the show is larger, brighter and grander than ever, presenting hundreds of wild and domestic animals trained to do all kinds of tricks. Among the arenic acts are astonishingly clever and accomplished acrobats, aerial artists, gymnasts, wire walkers, funny clowns and trapeze performers. Come to town early and witness the grand free exhibition which takes place at the show grounds before each performance. Show at 2 and 8 p. m. Rain or shine. j29-a6pd

—Trade at Home—

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to tune pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. j31f

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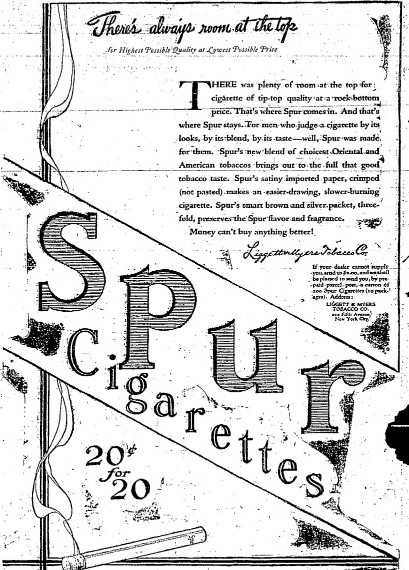

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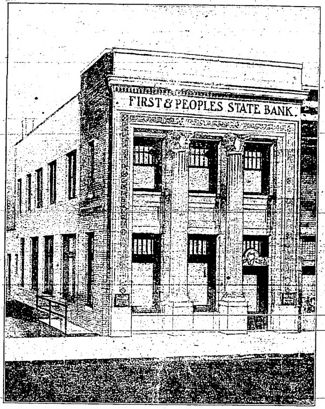

No business will be transacted after 12 o'clock noon.

From then till 9 o'clock in the evening, the whole attention of Officers and Employes will be devoted to personally conducting you and your friends through our home. This is your opportunity to inspect the very latest devices being used in banks today—the adding machines, statement machines, check protectors, filing systems, burglar proof safe, etc. Of particular interest is the mechanism of the huge door to our Safe Deposit Vault.

We are not going to describe our Safe Deposit Vaults, Ladies' Room, Directors' Room and enlarged lobby, because we want you to come and see them for yourself. Every part of the bank will be open to inspection. Everything is new and modern, light and airy.

Every Guest is Invited to Register at a desk in the lobby and Take Part in the Penny Guessing Contest

The pennies in a glass jar will be divided equally among the three persons guessing nearest the number in the jar, and placed to their credit in our savings department. If a winner has no account, one will be opened for him. THERE WILL ALSO BE SOUVENIRS AND MUSIC

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SPREADING THE INCREASE.

Freight and passenger rates are to be advanced within a short time by virtue of governmental edict through the interstate commerce commission. The raise is to be made in order to take care of the mounting expense of railroad operation, one item of which is 600 million dollars annually in wage increase for the employees. Practically simultaneously with the putting into effect of the new rates, Uncle Sam will withdraw his guarantee of returns to the companies. Hence it is now up to the companies to operate their lines with that strict adherence to good business principles which we have been told will restore to the people the kind of service they require.

Serious objection to the increase is not heard and is not likely to be heard until a fair trial has been given under it. The question as to whether or not the employees needed a wage increase already has been pretty thoroughly threshed out and decided in the affirmative. Also it was demonstrated, apparently to the satisfaction of the interstate commerce commission, that a greater revenue must flow into the company treasuries if the upkeep of the roads is to be maintained and the natural expansion taken care of. The people are disposed to be fair-minded about this thing. So then we enter upon the new era with everybody as happy as at a marriage feast.

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Increase in freight rates necessarily will be followed by readjustments in prices. That fact calls for one or two observations. The highest advance is 40 per cent in the East, the lowest 25 per cent in the South and far West. The advance in the West here is 35 per cent. Good business practice dictates that the manufacturer, the jobber and the retailer shall pass this new item of production cost on to the ultimate consumer. That is all right. No one can very well object to it. But the point is here: A 35 per cent increase in freight rates does not mean that a 35 per cent increase in the price of a given commodity is justified. Remember that shipments are made in big lots—train loads, carloads, case lots. The larger the lot, the cheaper the classification, as a general thing. These, of course, take the increase; but by the time the increase is worked out for the single article, it amounts to a sum in some cases almost imperceptible. The profiteer probably sees in the rate advance another golden opportunity. It is up to the man and the woman who buy to say whether or not he is to get away with it.

CAPPER ON HARDING.

Senator Capper of Kansas is a man who thoroughly understands the farmer's problems. He demonstrates that every week in the publications which he issues from his Topeka office. His has been almost the only voice raised in the farmer's behalf in the United States senate. So far in his public career nobody has been able to bluff or to work Mr. Capper. These few facts are set down here because of the attitude the Kansas senator has taken with respect to the candidacy of Mr. Harding. He recently has been in conference with the republican nominee at Marion and he declares that Harding has a very good knowledge of agricultural matters and that he very well appreciates what the farmer is up against. That is encouraging. Furthermore, Senator Capper promises that Mr. Harding soon will express his ideas of what should be done for the farmer in a speech to be delivered probably at the Minnesota state fair. The approval of the Harding candidacy by Senator Capper in the circumstances gives every reason to anticipate that Mr. Harding intends to come out squarely in behalf of legislation that will be of benefit to the farmer—real, forward-looking, do-something legislation that is. The time has passed when a candidate can take a feather duster position as regards the needs of the American farmer. The gentleman behind the plow has his eyes too widely opened for that sort of thing to go any longer. The Times sincerely hopes that Mr. Harding lives up to the promises made for that speech by Senator Capper, and that when he reaches the white house he will not hesitate to advise senators and congressmen of the necessity of carrying out the pledges he is expected to make in it. The well known ability of Senator Capper to tell a pure-bred from a scrub or even from a grade gives us courage to feel that he has made no mistake in his size-up of Senator Harding.

THE FIGHT WITH RUST.

Complaints about rust, happily, are not very common this year in this vicinity. However the farmer is occasionally encountered who has seen his hopes of a good crop of wheat go glimmering after only two or three days of ravage on the part of this dread plant disease. Usually he expresses himself with undisguised disgust, not to say great emphasis, to the effect that he will never plant another kernel of wheat. If it happens to be the second or third time in a brief period of years that he has sustained a loss from rust there is not much one can say to him to encourage another try. However, it so happens that right at this moment a very successful experiment is being concluded at the state farm at Grand Rapids in rust resistance. Mr. Otto Bergh, in charge of that farm, has been growing a wheat there that seems to be able to keep several good jumps ahead of the rust. The wheat is a good yielder and is possessed of the necessary milling and baking qualities. It should be mentioned, further, that the variety is a winter and not a spring wheat; this fact being one of the reasons why the wheat is too much for the rust. The Times is of the opinion that the success of this particular variety of wheat at Grand Rapids means a great deal to the farmers of Northern Minnesota who wish to raise the grain.

Candidate Cox has chosen Senator Hitchcock to speak for the league of nations in a debate soon to be held. Presumably Candidate Harding will counter by sending Senator Lodge or Senator Johnson to argue against the league. Seems to us the candidates are wholly without originality. The senators have debated the league now for something more than a year. It is inconceivable that a single new argument can originate in a senatorial brain. If the debate is to amount to anything why did they not choose the debators from some other class of citizens?

That pert paragrapher on the Minneapolis Journal who is forever referring to *alfalfa* as a *filler* for cheap cigars is in need of a more liberal education. If the gent knew that he was getting his alfalfa in the fine, yellow butter that he eats instead of in his two-fers, possibly he would treat the wonder plant with more respect.

A St. Paul woman attempted suicide because the temporary absence of her husband made life unbearable. There are women, you know, who are driven to suicide for quite the opposite reason. To them we commend the example of this wonderful St. Paul woman. She appreciates merit!

Progress Backward.

(Detroit Free Press.)

The bureau of statistics of the Department of Labor made the glad announcement a few days ago that retail food prices continue to "show a steady increase." There was an advance of 2 per cent between May 15 and June 15, and there has been a total increase of 9 per cent since the first of the year.

Two per cent a month, 24 per cent a year, is quite a percentage boost when the present general cost of things to eat is taken into account.

A consideration of all it implies revives interest in the mystery regarding what has been done with the money Congress gave Attorney General Palmer so that he could put the high cost of living out of business.

We find that an official statement by a department of the administration to which he belongs indicates that if the attorney-general has made any progress he has made it backward. The figures do not show any hurried flight of the wicked profiteers to gain cover.

When one considers in addition to the facts set forth in the department of labor reports the gaseous prices charged by some of the coal operators the plot becomes not only thick, but smoky.

—Trade at Home—

Northwest News Notes

Appointed to Board.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: Commissioner Ole O. Lee and Dr. N. M. Watson were elected to the Oakland Park Tuberculosis Sanitorium board as the Red Lake county members at a recent meeting of the board of county commissioners of this county. The four counties that are supporting this sanitarium at Thief River Falls are Red Lake, Marshall, Roseau and Pennington, and each county has two members on the board except Pennington county which has three. Dr. Watson's term is three years and Commissioner Lee's, two years.

—Trade at Home—

Death Results From Accident.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: Pierre Derosier, one of the pioneer farmers of Gervais town, died at his home at 10 o'clock Wednesday evening of peritonitis resulting from a wound received from a hayfork ten days previously. Mr. Derosier was manipulating the hayfork in his barn when the rope broke and the heavy fork fell striking him in the side. He was knocked off the wagon and onto a cement floor.

Medicial assistance was summoned but peritonitis set in and it was impossible to save his life. Mr. Derosier was born in Quebec, Canada seventy years ago and removed from there to Michigan, coming to Red Lake county in 1884 where he had since resided.

—Trade at Home—

Liquor Violators Sentenced.

Bemidji Sentinel: Frank Root, who was arrested near Nebish several weeks ago on charges of having mash in his possession, was brought to Bemidji Tuesday from Duluth, where he was sentenced last week to six months in the Beltrami county jail, also a fine of $500, by Judge Page Morris in federal court. Lee Sweet, who was arrested near Boy River some time ago by Indian Agent W. J. Johnson, was sentenced to 60 days in the Beltrami county jail and a fine of $100 for having liquor in his possession. A bench warrant was also issued by Judge Page Morris for his arrest when he completes his sentence, the charge being for having mash in his possession. Frank Woodward and Henry Parker were also brought back to Bemidji to serve sentences and 60 days and $100 fine each on charges of having liquor in their possession.

—Trade at Home—

Two Tipovers.

Middle River Pioneer: Two Middle River Ford cars tipped over Sunday enroute to St. Hilaire. One of them was Erick Peterson's car driven by Walton Hagen and occupied by Walton and seven other young boys. The boys attempted to negotiate a sharp corner south of Thief River Falls at a swift speed and the light Ford went over. Luckily none of the boys were hurt. The car lost a hind wheel and sustained a broken wind shield and a badly mashed top. The other ill fated car was Godfred Anderson's Ford driven by Geo. O. Malmstrom, which through a defective tire jacknifed on him and went over on a straight road a couple of miles north of Holt. The car was occupied by Mrs. Malmstrom and baby, Ruta Sjoberg and her cousin, a little daughter of Pete Sjoberg, no one was seriously hurt, only some slight bruises being received. The wind shield and top of this car too were broken up, though Mr. Malmstrom drove the car home.

—Trade at Home—

PUBLIC FORUM

More About Paving.

The following statement was handed to The Times on Tuesday afternoon by Olaf Ramstad and J. J. Aga, with the request that it be published:

Aroused by the misleading reports that have been circulated concerning them, the group of business men who *have been urging delay of the city's* paving project have made public their names to support their contention that the men opposed to expensive improvements at this time are by no means an insignificant minority of the city's population.

Failing last winter in their efforts to have the city council defer paving plans until a more auspicious time, the men who favored a delay decided to continue their efforts through other channels. Accordingly they organized a Property Owners' association. In the articles of association the purposes of the organization are set forth as follows:

"It shall be the purpose of this Association to assist and foster all conservative civic improvements, discouraging all extravagance in municipal expenditures, and to appoint a committee that shall represent the association in all matters affecting the interests of the property owners and the municipality."

The association is represented by an executive committee composed of W. W. Prichard, Sr., M. V. Evenson, Rasmus Oen, J. J. Aga and Olaf Ramstad.

The present members of the association are the following business men and property owners: W. W. Prichard, Sr., T. P. Hamre, C. M. Evenson, J. J. Aga, John O. Aos, Bernhard Knudsen, J. J. Vorachek, J. Borry, Olaf Ramstad, Fisher and Rocheleau, Jacob Aga, Jr., G. W. Eastman, P. J. Keating, H. K. Strand, Rasmus Oen, C. L. Hansen, M. V. Evenson, Edward H. Ness, Secretary Oen Merc. Co., A. B. Remmem, O. E. Jenson, John Christenson, Mrs. Ole Nyhus, Mrs. Inga Berg, G. Halvorson, Philip Amon, F. M. Mousley, George Leimers, A. O. Buringsrud, M. C. Burns, Oscar Swenson, Andrew Tanem, M. Arneson, H. M. Hicks, Chas. Gustafson, C. C. Gulrud, Gilbert Sandum, M. C. Harlow, Elmer Klungness, Hilmer Aga, O. N. Olson, E. O. Gullingsrud, H. Loken, Mat Brude, F. C. Nelai, Ed. Lee, Hanna Prestebak.

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8 More Days

Final Reductions on All Summer Goods for Eight Days, Ending Saturday, August 7th

Hats and Caps

Our entire stock of men's Hats and Caps to go at reduced prices "Patterson" Hats included.
Get your's now at a low price.

$5 Hats, now	$3.95
$6 Hats, now	$4.85
$7 Hats, now	$5.75
$8 Hats, now	$6.50
$2.00 Caps, now	$1.65
$2.50 Caps, now	$1.95
$3.00 Caps, now	$2.35
$3.50 Caps, now	$2.75
$4.00 Caps, now	$2.95
$4.50 Caps, now	$3.35
$5.00 Caps, now	$3.75
$6.00 Caps, now	$4.45

Palm Beach Suits

While they last as follows:

$18.00 Suits	$13.50
$20.00 Suits	$14.95
$22.50 Suits	$16.50
$25.00 Suits	$18.75
$27.50 Suits	$19.75
$30.00 Suits	$21.50
$32.50 Suits	$22.75

Men's Straw Hats

Your choice of any Straw Hat in the house at
25% off

Tennis Shoes at Reduced Prices

Underwear

All of our men's fine Spring Needle and Nainsook Underwear to go at reduced prices. "Otis" Spring Needle Union Suits in White and Ecru color. Regular $2.50 value.

Sale price	$1.85
All $2.50 Summer Union Suits to go at	$1.85
75c Summer Underwear	55c
$1.00 Sumr. Underwear	75c
$1.50 Sumr. U-wear	$1.15

Hosiery

Men's fine Hosiery in Silk, Silk Lisles and Cotton; Browns, Blues, Greys, Blacks, Whites, and Chapagne. Our entire stock at reduced prices.

35c Men's Sox	27c
50c Men's Sox	39c
60c Men's Sox	45c
75c Men's Sox	60c
85c Men's Sox	65c
$1.25 Silk Sox	95c
$1.50 Silk Sox	$1.15

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Of the original and only
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Sold exclusively at this store. 10% off from regular price.

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Our entire stock of men's fine Dress Shirts, a very large and beautiful selection to choose from. These are all well known and high grade brands, Arrow Brand, Cutter and Crossette, Earl and Wilson, and Beau Brummel Shirts are something every man needs and when you can buy them at the prices we are offering them at it will pay to stock up.

$2.00 Men's Shirts	$1.65
$2.25 Men's Shirts	$1.75
$2.50 Men's Shirts	$1.95
$3.00 Men's Shirts	$2.35
$3.50 Men's Shirts	$2.65
$4.00 Men's Shirts	$2.95
$4.50 Men's Shirts	$3.35
$5.00 Men's Shirts	$3.85
$6.00 Men's Shirts	$4.65
$7.00 Men's Shirts	$5.45
$7.50 Men's Shirts	$5.65

Work Shoes

All of our Work Shoes now on Sale. "Chippewa," "Hunkidori," and "Western" makes. Work shoes in all sizes and different styles. Tops 6 inch, 8 inch and 12 inch work shoes. Pick out any work shoe in our stock at
15% off
From regular prices.

Men's Work Shirts

$1.50 Red Seal Union Made Work Shirts, now	$1.29
$2.00 Work Shirts	$1.65
$2.50 Work Shirts	$1.95

Silk Shirts

All our fine Silk Shirts, $12 and $15 values, now only, each
$9.85
Plus war tax.

All our $9 and $10 Silk Shirts, your choice, only
$6.65

Work Gloves

$1.50 Work Gloves	$1.19
$2.00 Work Gloves	$1.65
$2.25 Work Gloves	$1.85
$2.50 Work Gloves	$1.95
$3.00 Work Gloves	$2.35
$4.00 Hand sewed	$2.75
$4.50 Hand sewed	$3.65

Auto Gloves

$3.50 Auto Gloves	$2.85

Men's Suits

All of our fine stock of men's Suits: Hirsh, Wickwire & Co., Kirshbaum, Kuppenheimer and Curlee Cloths. Nothing reserved. All to go at greatly reduced prices for 8 days.

$75 Suits, now	$59.50
$65 Suits, now	$52.50
$60 Suits, now	$47.50
$55 Suits, now	$43.50
$50 Suits, now	$39.50
$45 Suits, now	$34.75
$40 Suits, now	$31.50
$35 Suits, now	$27.50
$30 Suits, now	$23.75
$25 Suits, now	$19.50

A few young men's Suits in small sizes.

$18 Suits at	$13.75
$20 Suits at	$15.50
$22.50 Suits at	$16.75

Neckwear

All of our men's fine Silk Neckties now on sale.

75c Ties, now	59c
85c Ties, now	65c
$1.00 Ties, now	85c
$1.50 Ties, now	$1.19
$2.00 Ties, now	$1.65
$2.50 Ties, now	$1.95
$3.00 Ties, now	$2.35
$4.00 Ties, now	$2.95
$4.50 Ties, now	$3.35
$5.00 Ties, now	$3.85

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Buy Your Shoes Now!

$18.00 high grade Dress Shoes at	$14.40
$15.00 high grade Dress Shoes at	$12.00
$14.00 high grade Dress Shoes at	$11.20
$13.50 high grade Dress Shoes at	$10.80
$12.00 high grade Dress Shoes at	$9.60

Plus war tax on all shoes over $10.00

All Summer Oxfords at 20% off

BOY'S WASH SUITS
Boys' Wash Suits, your choice, at
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$1.50 Blouses, now	$1.19
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Your choice at
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Stockings, regular price 60c.
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These are good ones.

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City News

Paul Snyder of Warren visited with friends here Saturday evening.

Miss Margaret Jorgenson of Plummer visited with friends here over Sunday.

Miss Karen Knutson returned on Sunday from Fargo, where she had spent a week with friends.

Emil Olson returned here Saturday evening from New London where he had been visiting with relatives.

Andrew Smith returned Thursday evening from Nebich, where he spent two weeks with friends and relatives.

Phil Bryant of Superior arrived here yesterday to spend a couple of days attending the Pennington county fair.

Miss Florence Bredesen returned Saturday evening from Duluth, where she had spent two weeks visiting her sister.

Mrs. A. F. Worner arrived Tuesday morning from her home at Fargo to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Julien Provencher.

Miss Mable Arneson arrived Friday afternoon from her home at Pitt to spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. H. M. Evanstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen motored to this city Friday from their home at Anita and spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss Myrtle Williams, who had visited with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Doland at Grand Forks, returned to this city Monday morning.

Mrs. Tom Holten of Warren spent Saturday visiting friends in this city. She left in the afternoon for Crookston to be the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Inga Berg returned to her home in this city the latter part of last week after having spent a week visiting with friends at Grand Forks.

Miss Loretta O'Brien, who had spent a week visiting with her father on his farm home near Williams, returned to this city Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Bottelson and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hugh Bottelson, returned Monday evening from Bemidji and Blackduck where they had visited with friends.

Miss Irma Thompson, who has been a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Mattson, for a month, returned to her home at Crookston Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. L. L. Cohn returned to her home in this city the first of the week after having been confined in St. Lukes hospital in St. Paul for the past two months.

Mrs. Tom Holson of Warren made a brief visit with friends here Friday evening. She departed on Saturday afternoon for Crookston to be the guest of friends.

Miss Dorothy Loen arrived Monday evening from Bemidji, where she had been visiting, and was the guest of friends over night, enroute to her home at Radium.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey and family returned Wednesday evening from a three weeks' visit at Lake City. The entire trip was made in their Franklin sedan.

Edwin and Clayton Bakke visited with friends here Friday evening enroute from Bemidji to their home in Warren. They had passed a week with friends at Bemidji.

Misses Rosella and Grace Carney, who had spent a week visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. C. W. Barden, returned to their home at East Grand Forks on Saturday.

Miss Ruth Evenson arrived Tuesday morning from Crookston, where she is employed at Kruegers' millinery, for a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

Mrs. Wilhelm Michelet and children returned Saturday evening from Minneapolis and Black River Falls, Wis., where they had spent two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Weeks and daughter, Doris, arrived last week from Grove City, this state, to spend their vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Misses Rowena and Sophie Yotter returned to their home at Ft. Madison, Ia., on Thursday evening after having spent two weeks visiting at the J. O. Yotter home in this city.

Dr. C. E. Connely and A. H. Nelson of LeSuer, visited with friends here Sunday enroute to Badger in the interest of their realty holdings. The latter is one of the leading merchants of LeSuer.

Misses Stella and Lottie Anderson returned to their home here Tuesday evening from Plentywood, Mont., where they had been visiting with their sister, Mrs. Harry Koike for some time.

Elnor Overland arrived Wednesday morning from Northfield, where he visited after the close of St. Olaf college, and will pass the remainder of his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Overland.

Mrs. H. Tweeten and daughter left Thursday morning for Middle River to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Olberg at their farm home near that city. It is their intention to be absent for two weeks.

Miss Miriam Bishop returned to her home here Sunday morning from Minneapolis. Miss Bishop has been engaged in playground work in the above named city since the close of the university last spring.

Geo. Hendel, who motored here from Minneapolis on Thursday, returned Saturday. He was accompanied by Miss Ruby Halvorson, who spent two weeks as the guest of her father, C. Halvorson and friends.

Mrs. O. L. Spriggs and daughter, Miss Alma, of Minneapolis, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Risberg over the week-end. They left on Monday morning for Roseau to visit with relatives for a few days.

Norman Peterson, assistant secretary to Hon. Halvor Steenerson, motored to this city Saturday from Crookston and visited with friends. He left the same evening for Roseau where he will meet the latter who delivered an address in that city the [illegible] of the week.

Steve Warring of Steiner, attended to business matters here Saturday.

Miss Tilda Brandrud of Newfolden shopped and visited friends here on Tuesday.

Miss Ebba Scholin and mother of St. Hilaire visited with friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. A. Sollie left Friday morning for Baudette where she will pass two weeks visiting with friends.

Mrs. R. D. Meadows left Thursday morning for Middle River to be the guest of friends for a few days.

Mrs. J. O. Jevne returned to her home at Strathcona on Thursday after a brief visit with local friends.

Misses Irma Johnson and Marie Nelson visited over Sunday at the home of Miss Fern Doyle at Crookston.

Miss Minnie Shorva arrived Friday evening from Hazel and was the guest of Miss Inga Thune for a brief period.

Miss Het LeSage, who had been visiting friends at Viking for a few days, returned to her home here on Monday evening.

Miss Violet Brown of Grygla was a guest at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown, last week.

Miss Cora Christianson returned to her home at Greenbush Monday morning after attending to shopping and also visiting friends.

Mrs. O. W. Carlson and children returned Monday evening from Bemidji, where they spent a few days visiting with relatives.

Miss Bernice Paskewitz returned Friday to Fargo, where she is employed, after a two weeks' visit with her parents in this city.

Miss Alfreda Knutson, who is taking a course in nursing in one of the Minneapolis hospitals, is spending her vacation at her home in this city.

Mrs. R. B. Cook, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. P. Anderson, who is her guest, left Saturday morning for Roseau to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Ruth Evenson returned to her work at Crookston on Thursday after spending a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

"Conditions unsettled" is the cry everywhere. Make yourself secure by taking a course in the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for free catalog.

Miss Selma Johnson arrived Thursday evening from her home at Warren and will pass a few days in this city as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Swenson.

Knute Knutseth of Norden township last week killed a porcupine on his farm. This is, so far as known, the only animal of this kind ever seen in this part of the country.

Ben Bothun, formerly on the reportorial staff of The Times but now connected with the Herald at Chippewa Falls, Wis., arrived Wednesday morning to visit old friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, accompanied by Miss Belle Hermanson, left the latter part of the week for the cities by way of Alexandria, where they will spend a short time at the home of Mrs. Dalquist's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson, accompanied by their grandson, Jack Ward, have returned after a two months' vacation spent in visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Peterson, residing near Lafayette, this state.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson, accompanied by their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hugh Bottelson, left Saturday morning for Bemidji where they were met by the latter's husband. From that point the party motored to Blackduck to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Thompson and family, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hermanson in this city the latter part of last week, left for their new home at Badger on Saturday. Mr. Thompson has accepted a position as superintendent of schools in that city.

Miss Kathleen Ures of Grand Forks, accompanied by Miss Helen Warner and Miss Helen Langseth of this city, who have been guests of the former for two weeks, arrived Monday morning. Miss Ures will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Victoria McKinney, while in the city.

F. C. Koziol and Sydney Burton arrived Saturday evening from Itasca State Park, where they had spent six weeks attending the Forestry School. While in the city they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr. Mrs. Prichard and Mr. Burton are sister and brother.

Peter Johnson and family of Orleans were guests the latter part of last week at the home of Chief of Police and Mrs. E. O. Erickson. At the conclusion of their visit here they left for Henning to visit other relatives, accompanied by Mrs. Erickson. Mr. Johnson and Mrs. Erickson are brother and sister.

Carl Gulrud, teller at the Citizens State bank, accompanied by his sister, Miss Olga, leave this evening for Rochester to spend a week visiting with friends and relatives. From that city they will go to Chatfield to continue their visit. If time permits they also will visit at points in Iowa before their return.

Norbert Holzknecht left Saturday evening for Minneapolis to visit with friends.

Mrs. C. M. Trall left Thursday evening for Forest City to visit friends for two weeks.

Miss Ann Patterson of St. Hilaire arrived here this morning for a short visit with her friends.

H. O. Chommie left Friday evening for the twin cities, where he transacted business for several days.

Edwin Johnson returned Thursday evening from Pinewood after spending the day picking blueberries.

Ambrose Zeh, who is employed at Minot, N. D., is spending a week as the guest of his father, Phil Zeh.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Holden of Thompson, N. D., motored here Saturday to spend the day visiting with friends.

Mrs. D. Hagen and children returned to their home at Holt on Monday after a brief visit at the C. Hagen home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Styles of St. Cloud motored here Friday and made a brief visit with friends. They returned to their home on Saturday.

Mrs. W. P. Davis and children returned on Thursday to their home at Roosevelt after a brief visit with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman of St. Hilaire arrived Thursday morning to attend to some shopping. She returned to her home in the afternoon.

Miss Zella Zeh returned Wednesday morning from Minneapolis where she had taken a six weeks' course in economics at the university.

Miss Margaret Wilkinson returned to Red Lake Falls on Thursday after having visited for two weeks with her friend, Miss Agnes Tandberg.

Miss Esther Gjertson, cashier at the *Great Northern depot, left Friday afternoon* for the twin cities, where she visited with friends over Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Dale, who had visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse, for a few days, returned to her home at McIntosh the latter part of the week.

Mesdames T. L. Melgaard, Emil Zeh and Daniel Shaw spent Friday at Mahnomen attending a political lecture. They returned to this city in the evening.

Arnold Jackson of Fergus Falls arrived Tuesday morning to visit friends. While in the city he played with the local band during the three days of the fair.

J. S. Janson left Saturday evening for Sherburne, N. Y., where he will meet his wife, who had spent three months visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Pinchey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Fosse, who had been residents of this city for a number of years, left the latter part of last week for Shelley, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson and family enjoyed a few days outings last week in the extreme northern part of the state picking blueberries, which are very plentiful this year.

Mrs. L. M. Rayson and children returned Monday evening from Lengby, where they had spent a week at the C. A. Nason summer cottage. They were accompanied by Mr. Rayson, who had spent Sunday there.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Tolland arrived Monday evening from Overly, N. D., where they had spent their honeymoon visiting at the home of Mrs. Tolland's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Tolland will make this city their home.

Vance P. Hunter, recruiting officer, who has been stationed in this city for the past few months, left Sunday evening for Minneapolis. It is his intention to return to this city to be employed after securing his discharge.

Mrs. C. M. Rolland and son, Lawrence, left Saturday morning for Hibbing, where they will make their future home. Mr. Rolland preceded his family about a month ago. He states that he is very much pleased with his new location.

Miss Mae Hanson arrived Thursday evening from Detroit, where she is employed, and visited with friends over night. She departed the following morning for her home at Viking, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. O. L. Hanson, who attended to shopping here.

Miss Adeline Wige of Grand Forks is a guest at the home of Mrs. Inga Berg, this week.

Miss Marie Stensrud left Friday morning for Holt to spend a week visiting with friends.

H. A. Brumund spent the latter part of last week in the twin cities attending to business matters.

Olaf Neset and family motored to Erskine Saturday and spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Neset's parents.

Miss Ethel Sumpter and Wildevan Denhart arrived here Friday evening for a visit with numerous friends.

Mrs. L. B. Johnston and daughter, Lorraine, left Saturday evening for Hibbing where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus left Saturday morning for Holt to attend mission meetings which were held there on Sunday.

Tom Majeres made a brief visit at his home in this city the latter part of the week. He returned to Crookston on Friday.

Miss Luella Peterson returned to her home in this city on Monday after visiting with relatives in Beltrami for several weeks.

H. E. Gesell came up from Minneapolis yesterday morning to visit with friends and attend to business matters for a few days.

Leon Stanton left Friday evening for Green Bay and Omro, Wis., where he will spend a week or two visiting with relatives.

Mrs. E. Larson, accompanied by Mrs. E. Syverson, returned on Friday afternoon from Roseau where they visited friends for a few days.

Miss Carrie Ellingson, who spent three weeks visiting at the Engelstad home near this city, returned to her *home at Rugby, N. D., on Saturday.*

Roy Lambert, proprietor of the Lambert Drug store, returned Friday evening from Detroit, where he had spent a few days visiting his mother.

Miss Gertrude Holm, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nelson in this city, returned to her home at Roseau on Thursday.

Mrs. Oscar Vignes left Friday for her home at Shelly after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Efteland. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Bella Vignes.

Dr. and Mrs. F. N. Mead and son, Joseph, of Cedar Falls, Ia., spent a few days last week at the Ogahmah ranch, Norden township. Chas. Schnabel, who is managing the ranch this year, enjoyed their visit very much, he also being a former resident of Cedar Falls.

Sommerfelt to Leave Greenbush.

Major Chester H. Clark, the new doctor at Greenbush, has bought out Dr. A. Sommerfelt, who is going back to Norway to practice. Dr. and Mrs. Sommerfelt plan on leaving for Norway as soon as business affairs can be arranged. Dr. Sommerfelt is a pleasing man to associate with and his only reason for leaving is to get back to his old home in Norway and among his own folks. Dr. and Mrs. Sommerfelt have made many friends during their stay here who will wish them well wherever they may make their future home.—Greenbush Tribune.

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Of household goods and furniture at the residence of Leonard Peterson, 411 LaBree Ave. N., Wednesday, August 11th, one o'clock sharp.

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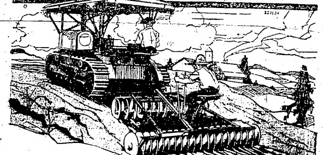

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LAST DAY OF THE FAIR

FRIDAY, AUG. 6

Five of the fastest drivers in the Northwest have already entered and some real speed exhibitions may be expected.

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NO SUGAR NEEDED TO CAN PRESERVES

United States Department of Agriculture Tells How it May Be Done.

A simple method of canning, especially good for such soft, juicy fruits as berries, is as follows: Pack the washed fruit into the jar and, without adding any liquid of any kind, process the fruit in the customary way for the usual period, or perhaps four or five minutes longer. The processing draws the juice from the fruit and the canned product often has an even better flavor than when sirup is added.

Another way of canning fruit without sugar is to cook the ripest fruits over moderate heat until the juice is drawn from them, adding no water unless necessary and in any case only a very little. Drain the juice from the fruit through a jelly bag, bring this juice to the boil, and use it like boiling sirup to fill the jars into which the firmer fruit has been packed. Then process the jars of fruit in the usual way.

Still another method is to cook the fruit to a sauce of the desired consistency in an open kettle, and, without adding any sugar, pour it into jars scalded in the following way: Cover the jars, tops, and rubber with boiling water, remove them from the water one at a time as needed, being careful not to touch or wipe the jars inside, pour in the fruit while boiling hot, and seal each jar at once. This method is not so uniformly successful as when the fruit is cooked in the jar, because it is difficult to prevent bacteria and molds from getting into the fruit and the jar while they are being filled and sealed. Many housekeepers, however, can acid fruits and tomatoes in this way successfully year after year.

Is it possible to can fruits successfully without sugar and, if so, what is the best method, are questions asked nowadays by many housewives in view of the scarcity and high price of sugar. Sometimes fruits needed to make the diet more palatable and varied during the winter have gone to waste because sugar was not available for canning when they were ripe. Such waste can be prevented; for, according to the experts of the United States Department of Agriculture, apples somewhat under-ripe, also gooseberries, raspberries, blueberries, and other berries, and sweet varieties of plums and cherries may all be canned in their own juices without the addition of sugar. In fact, many housewives think that the flavor of many fruits canned without sugar and sweetened just before using is better and more like that of fresh fruit than when canned with large quantities of sugar or in a heavy sirup. If the fruits is very sour or is canned in large pieces, heating for a few minutes when adding the sugar before serving will make it penetrate the fruit more thoroughly and evenly.

Fruits may be canned in their own juices without the addition of any sweetening in at least three ways.

—Trade at Home—

START SURVEY FOR CHECK OF FLOODS

Clearwater and Thief Rivers Now Being Investigated For Flood Control Purposes.

Work of conducting a survey of Clearwater and Thief rivers with a view to determining whether improvements should be made to prevent high water is now under way, according to C. G. Selvig of Crookston, who is president of the Red River Valley drainage board. According to Mr. Selvig, thousands of acres of Red River Valley land has been damaged by previous floods and it is the opinion of the board that widening and deepening the rivers would eliminate the flood stage.

George W. Walker, a Thief River Falls engineer, is in charge of the survey of Clearwater river which was started yesterday. His work is expected to be completed by fall. Engineer Joseph Baugh of Warren, who has been busy since early spring in the establishment and construction of judicial ditches in the Thief River vicinity, is conducting the survey of Thief river and is also expected to be able to make a report this fall.

Both engineers are expected by Mr. Selvig to recommend improvements in the two rivers. The recommendations will be presented to Judge Andrew Grindeland, who will order the improvements made if he believes conditions warrant them.

The drainage board, Mr. Selvig said, hopes for a favorable decision and a start on the deepening of the rivers in 1921. It is his opinion that with the completion of the work, thousands of acres of cheap land will be open in the valley for occupation.

—Trade at Home—

RAIN LACK DELAYS PEAT EXPERIMENTS

Crops at Golden Valley Show Effects of Dry Weather—Visiting Day Soon.

Owing to the late spring and lack of rain during June and the first half of July, the crops on the experimental tract at Golden Valley will be much lighter this season than they were in 1918. Very little rain fell at Golden Valley between June 1 and July 23. While this was favorable for the crops on mineral soil, which had a good supply of moisture in the spring, it was very unfavorable to the crops on the drained peat of the experimental tract. This season shows quite clearly that in order to secure the best crop yields, drainage systems on peat soil should be under control so that the water level can be prevented from getting too low.

Many of the crops at the experimental tract have improved greatly since the rain of July 23, and prospects are promising for fair yields on many of the fertilized plots. It is the intention of the management to arrange for a visiting day this summer and as soon as the crops reach the proper stage notices will be sent to the papers in the territory and visitors will be shown over the plots by a member of the Division of Soil, University of Minnesota.

Dr. Alway, chief of the soils division of the university, will be in Thief River Falls on August 10, and a visiting day will probably be arranged for at that time.

—Trade at Home—

New Member of Grain Board.

His term having expired, J. F. Ingersoll of Crookston has been replaced on the Duluth Board of Grain Appeals by Louis Hanson of Ada. The appointment was made by Governor Burnquist. Former Senator D. P. O'Neill of Thief River Falls was reappointed on the Minneapolis board for a like period.

—Trade at Home—

Potato Crop Threatened.

The continued drought throughout Minnesota, North Dakota and Montana was declared to be threatening the potato crop by R. H. Adams, Minneapolis market master, yesterday. The dry spell, according to Mr. Adams if extended over a much longer period, will ruin the potato crop. Early potatoes are now selling for $1.00 to $1.75 a bushel in carload lots.

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

Nicholaus Larson.

Nicholaus Larson, one of the pioneer settlers of the northern part of this town, died last Thursday at the home of Per Hagen, where he has made his residence since he sold his homestead some 15 years ago. Mr. Larson had reached his four score age, and had made this township his home for a great number of years. He was a single man with no kindred relations but has made a number of warm friends who will long remember the kind hearted man whose cheery smile and tender words made him an appreciated companion among his neighbors. During the last summer Mr. Larson had been gradually declining in health. Death came still and peaceful, well befitting the gentle nature of the gentleman. Funeral services were conducted from the Rindal church on Sunday afternoon, the local minister, Rev. Geo. Larson, officiating. The Larson auto hearse of Thief River Falls came out and escorted the remains to their resting place at the Rindal cemetery. A large number of friends and neighbors attended.

A surprise party was given at the Victor Mosbeck home last Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snyder who moved into this community last fall and expect to make their future home here. The evening passed very pleasantly with conversation, singing and dancing. A dainty contributed lunch was served at midnight. A beautiful plate glass casserole was given the Snyders as remembrance from their friends. The following families were present: Mr. and Mrs. Adolph and Selmar Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall, Mr. and Mrs. B. Ranum, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen, Mr. and Mrs. A. S Holm, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Baily, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snyder, A. C. Vorseth and John Sagmoen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter Elsie, accompanied by Mrs. Jens Severson and Selmer Severson of Thief River Falls, left on Monday morning by car for Waterville, Iowa, where they will spend four weeks visiting with relatives. They will make several stops on the way to make brief calls on friends and to take in different places of scenic interest.

Miss Nina Westby left last Saturday for Adams, N. D., where she will visit and possibly secure fall employment.

Howard Carlson, who has been employed at a steel foundry at Duluth this summer came home last Monday for a few days' visit with his mother.

Several carloads of people from this community motored to Roseau county last Sunday to pick blueberries.

The Abe Stroble family from Angus were Sunday visitors with the P. Sorenson folks, returning the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bally and Mr. Moen arrived in car from the southern part of the state last Saturday and will visit for a few days with the Geo. Snyder people west of town. The visitors were former neighbors, with the Snyders at the time they lived out south.

Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and four children of Thief River Falls spent the week-end at the John Hellquist home here. C. E. Hellquist, who has been employed this summer at railroading on the iron range near Superior, came home Sunday and came out to escort his family home.

The following were at Holt last Sunday evening to attend the mission meetings: Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Joel Shoberg, Mary Shoberg, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Dahl and family.

Miss Gretchen Bartlett of Browns Valley is spending this week as the guest with her sister, Mrs. A. S. Holm in town.

Services at the Congregational church in town next Sunday, Aug. 8, at 10:30 a. m., and at 8 p. m. Scandinavian language only, Rev. Werner Drotts at the pulpit. Swedish Young Peoples society with sale of coffee on Tuesday evening, Aug. 10. Rev. David Segerstrom of Viking will have charge.

Miss Carrie Nelson left on Monday morning for Viking where she will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Selmer, John, Ida and Selma Sorenson motored to Thompson last Sunday to visit with their sisters, Minnie and Emma, who are employed there.

The Severt Brandon and Inga Berg families from Thief River Falls were in town last Sunday to visit and attend the church services.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sjoberg and daughters, Hannah and Esther from Hazel, were Sunday visitors at the John Bloom home.

—Trade at Home—

Society

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance union will be held Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 10, at the home of Mrs. S. M. Poston. Everyone is welcome.

Annual U. C. T. Picnic.

On Sunday, Aug. 8, the United Commercial Travelers will hold their annual picnic at Squaw Point. Plans are being made for an old-fashioned picnic. Plenty of sports and eats. All traveling men and their families will be welcome.

Breakfast Party.

Miss Blanche Johnson entertained a few of her friends at a 9 o'clock breakfast at her home south of this city on Sunday morning. Charles and Mary Prichard, Miriam and Morlan Bishop, Laura Stopple and Alice Peterson were the guests.

For Miss Ruth Ella Mabey.

Complimentary to her niece, Miss Ruth Ella Mabey, who is her guest, Mrs. E. L. Stanton entertained a few girls at a matinee party and luncheon on Saturday afternoon. The guests included the Misses Harriet Morgan, Margaret Melgaard, Cammille Warner, Alice Gobler and Ruth Ella Mabey.

Elder-Bagne.

On Monday afternoon, Aug. 2, occurred the marriage of Robert Elder of Mahnomen and Miss Sarah Bagne of this city. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, tied the nuptial knot in the presence of Charlotte Larson. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the parsonage.

Anderson-Ostmoe.

Pearnel J. Anderson and Miss Tillie A. Ostmoe, both of this city, were united in marriage on Thursday evening, at the parsonage of the Zion Lutheran church. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the church was the officiating clergyman. The couple were attended by Arthur Ostmoe, a brother of the bride, and Miss Linda Anderson the groom's sister. Their many friends extend hearty congratulations.

Entertains.

Honoring her sister-in-law, Mrs. M. W. Halloran of Minneapolis, Mrs. R. H. Ross entertained a few guests at a one o'clock luncheon at her home on Monday. A large bowl of nasturtiums formed an attractive centerpiece. The hours following the luncheon were spent in playing bridge. Covers were placed for Mesdames T. L. Melgaard, E. O. Mogensen, G. W. Connell, Geo. Curtiss, Fred Niclai, H. W. Froehlich, M. W. Halloran and Jos. Kelly of Devils Lake, N. D.

Young Couple Surprised.

About 40 members of the Zion Lutheran Young Peoples society and congregation assembled in the basement of the church on Tuesday evening and tendered a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berg. The hours were devoted to conversation and at 10 o'clock a lunch, which had been contributed by the ladies, was served. Mr. and Mrs. Berg, who have long been members and faithful workers in this church, were presented with a handsome purse as a token of esteem.

Dancing Party.

A delightful affair of the season was a dancing party given by Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., at her home, Bridge street, Tuesday evening in compliment to Sydney Burton and F. C. Koziol, the latter of Little Falls, who were her guests. Those who had the pleasure of the evening were Misses Evangeline Burns, Mary Prichard, Ella and Marian Miller, Florence Alberg, Dorothy Bottelson, Anna Tanem, Myrtle Berg, Meta Kiland and Messrs. Roy Miller, Herbert Hanson, Kenneth Wattam, Ray Kiland, Charles Prichard, F. C. Koziol, Sydney Burton, Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams.

Hovland-Lautenbach.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock occurred the marriage of Capt. A. Hovland and Miss Alvina Lautenbach at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. G. Geske. Rev. Kreidt, pastor of the German Lutheran church, read the service. The couple was attended by Mrs. Anna Becker of Osage, Ia., a sister of the bride, and C. L. Hansen. The bride was handsomely attired in a gown of pale green georgette crepe over white taffeta. The bridesmaid wore a dressy blue taffeta. The rooms had been very prettily decorated for the occasion with flowers and ferns. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to the guests, which included only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Hovland will leave tomorrow morning for Winnipeg, where they will spend a brief honeymoon, after which they will return to this city to make their home. The out of town guests were Mrs. C. H. Wheeler and sons, Burton and Floyd of Easton, Can., Mrs. G. Becker and son, Oswald, and daughter, Margaret, of Osage, Ia.; Mrs. Dan Schreik and daughter, Irene, and son, Daniel, of Crookston.

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Churches

Presbyterian Church Notice—Sunday school will be held in the basement of the church next Sunday at 10 a. m.

The First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday: In Swedish at 10:30. In American at 7:45. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Christian Science Society—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Spirit." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. Services in Bethlehem church with communion at 2:30 p. m. Service in city at 8 p. m. Prayermeeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid entertained by Mrs. Ole Bakke Thursday at 2 p. m. Zion Young Peoples meeting with good program Thursday evening at 9 p. m. Miss Hanna Pederson and Miss Clara Anderson entertain. Rindal Ladies Aid at Mrs. Jursaw's, Tuesday, Aug. 10th at 2 p. m. Rindal Young Peoples society Thursday evening at 9 p. m. sharp.

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Obituary

Mrs. Ole Knutson.

Grygla Eagle: In the Northwestern hospital, Minneapolis, Minn., on Friday, July 23, 1920, Mrs. Aletto, wife of Ole Knutson, aged 61 years, 4 months and 16 days. Funeral services were held in the Lutheran Synod church, Thief River Falls, conducted by the Revs. Roll of that city and E. O. Sabo, of Grygla, interment in Greenwood cemetery. She leaves besides her husband to mourn the death, four sons, Alfred, Albert, Oscar and Charles, and one daughter, Mrs. Clara Utabjan. Death came in a fainting spell following an operation performed a few days before. At the moment of her death her daughter, Mrs. Utabjan, was the only member of the family present the rest having gone for a walk at the request of their mother. Albert and family arrived soon after the funeral.

The deceased was born in Lands Prestejeld, Norway and came to this country with her husband in January, 1880, and settled in Wisconsin. In the year 1900 they took a homestead in the town of Benville where they lived for a while when they moved into this village and have been in the hotel business for a number of years. She was known as a kind mother, a patient and helping wife and an excellent neighbor.

In Memory of Mrs. Ole Knutson.

A precious one from us has gone
A voice we loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in our home,
Which never can be filled.
But God in His wisdom has recalled,
The boon His love has given,
And though her body slumbers here
Her soul is safe in heaven.

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Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to her friends of Grygla for the beautiful floral offerings as a token of sympathy and respect shown us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Ole Knutson; also Rev. Roll of Thief River Falls and Rev. Sabo of Grygla, for their words of comfort in our sad bereavement, and also for the beautiful solo sung by Rev. Roll.—Ole Knutson, Alfred Knutson and Family, Albert Knutson and Family, Oscar, Charlie, and daughter, Mrs. Clara Utabjan and family. a5p

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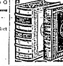

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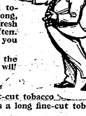

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William Rude and Isaac Isaacson motored to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Christ Nelson autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Halvor Listol and son, Ole, autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Chrsit Nelson and George Senum autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Esplee and son, Henry, autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evenson and Mr. and Mrs. H. Nabben and children and Annie Senum visited at the Geo. Senum home Sunday afternoon.

Edward, Caroline and Lawrence Senum visited with Laura Senum Sunday afternoon.

Laura and George Senum visited at the G. Senum home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Esplee and son, Henry, visited with relatives at Highlanding Sunday.

George Senum visited at the Rupprecht home Sunday.

Mrs. Groven and son, Lawrence, visited at the G. Senum home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and Edith and Annie Senum visited at the G. Senum home one day last week.

Wm. Rude and Isaacson spent a couple of days at Crookston last week.

Walter Evenson called at the E. Senum home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Swanson and baby visited at Berg's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knaddel and children were out picking blueberries Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Senum on Monday, a baby girl.

Annie Senum visited at G. Senum's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Evenson were out picking berries last week.

Carl Isaacson and Melvin Rude autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Senum and children visited at Carlson's Sunday of last week.

—Trade at Home—

STEINER

Mrs. S. R. Rogers and niece, Celia Emmons of Grand Rapids, Wis., called at the Meyer home Friday evening.

Willis Warring was in Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Mrs. M. Kisch returned to her home in Thief River Falls after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. N. E. Muzzy.

Misses Jessie and Mable Rogers and Hope Slack visited with the Koglin family Friday.

Ole Berg transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

F. Slack transacted business in this burg Friday.

Louis Meyer and Hobson Rogers called at the J. A. Russell home the latter part of the week.

Harvey Copp transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Henry J. Rogers left for Petersburg, N. D., Thursday where he expects to do repairing and threshing for the Tennyson brothers.

A number of the young people spent Sunday evening with the R. L. Muzzy family.

Harvey Copp has been helping his father to make hay the past week.

Miss Amy Whitman attended to business matters in Warren Friday.

August Koglin transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Peter Salem attended to business in Steiner the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner and son, Rennie, were in Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

Miss Amy Whitman called at the J. A. Russell home Sunday evening.

Egbert Malberg of Viking called at the J. A. Russell home Sunday evening.

Miss Grace Russell spent Sunday afternoon at the J. Whitman home.

Steve Warring attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thorstad visited with the Rogers family Sunday.

—Trade at Home—

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

The Silver Creek Young Peoples society will meet at the Nick Johnson home Sunday afternoon, Aug. 8. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wang and family of Grand Forks, Soren Bergland and family and Carl Christofferson of Thief River Falls were visitors at the Skomedal home Sunday.

Ben and Eddie Toldahl autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday morning.

Alfred Skald is working for John Easthouse these days.

Misses Carl Guttrud, Ivan Ose, Gunstein Skomedahl and Eddie Teldahl spent Thursday evening in Thief River Falls.

A. Klungnes called on J. Russell Tuesday evening.

Lars and Ivan Ose, Gunstein and Olaf Bergland and Gunsten and Olaf Skomedal called on John M. Johnson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole T. Ose and family, John, Lars and Ivan Ose, Ivan Griebrok, Knut and Otto Knutson, Ben and Eddie Teldahl and Tylor Wold were visitors at the John Skomedal home Sunday evening.

—Trade at Home—

City Council

Regular meeting of City Council called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., July 27, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Members absent: Brandon.

Minutes of the meeting of July 13, 1920, and adjourned regular meeting of July 15th and July 19th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Froseth, that the application of Mrs. Mary Christo for building permit be granted. Motion carried.

Alderman John Dahl, seconded by C. Froseth, introduced a resolution fixing the salary of the city employes for the balance of the year 1920. See Resolution.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ihle, that the reading of Ordinance No. 103 be laid over until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Dahl, that the City Attorney and President of the Council be authorized to go to St. Paul in connection with the sale of the paving improvement certificates. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ness, that the bill of the Physicians Hospital for care of Miss Dahising be dis-allowed. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the Council adjourn until Tuesday, Aug. 3rd at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held July 27, 1920, Alderman C. Froseth, seconded by Alderman O. L. Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$353.54
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Co., culverts	143.60
C. Froseth, services, board of review	9.00
H. A. Brumund, services, board of review	9.00
O. L. Ihle, services, board of review	9.00
Andrew Ness, services, board of review	9.00
S. Brandon, services, board of review	9.00
John Dahl, services, board of review	9.00
Manhattan Oil Co., kerosene oil	108.50
Geo. J. Mayer Co., dog tags	4.15
Wm. LaFave, labor	2.50
Wm. Dicken, labor	2.50
Ed. Lee, labor	4.44
Oscar Dicken, labor	7.50
John Dicken, labor	3.00
John H. Meyers, dog license	38.00
Bottem Hdw. Co., supplies	4.80
Auditorium Fund.	
H. B. Newell, floor wax	6.75
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	1.00
Poor Fund.	
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	21.01
Rolf B. Rasmusson, rent	12.00
Electric Light Fund.	
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	33.88
Duluth Elect. Supply Co., supplies	4.43
Mpls. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	38.01
Busch Sulzer Bros., supplies	237.50
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	201.94
McFarland Auto Co., supplies	1.50
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	31.99
Hall Bros. Hdwe. Co., supplies	1.05
General Electric Co., supplies	22.67
Burroughs Add. Mch. Co., repairs	18.00
Red Lake Ice Co., ice	4.00
Alfred Adolphs, labor	56.00
Lloyd L. Peterson, labor	38.50
Waterworks Fund.	
Neptune Meter Co., meters	113.40
Ed. Lee, watermains and labor	1275.00

Roll Call, Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved July 31, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held July 27, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Froseth introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the salaries for the following named employes of the city of Thief River Falls for the balance of the year 1920, and until changed by the Council, be, and the same are hereby fixed and established as follows:

	Per month
Superintendent of Water & Light Department	$184.60
First Electrician	132.25
Second Electrician	120.75
Third Electrician	120.75
First Engineer	113.75
Second Engineer	126.50
Third Engineer	120.50
Deputy City Clerk and Bookkeeper Water & Light Dept.	132.25
Collector, Water & Light Dept.	15.75
Fire Teamster, for self and team	175.00
Superintendent of Incinerator	95.00

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the above salaries be effective as of July 1, 1920, and that they be paid monthly, on the first day of each month, and the Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to issue and deliver to the above named employees, the city warrants in accordance with the above schedule of salaries.

Roll Call, Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved July 31, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Legal Notices

SUMMONS.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

W. J. Torrey and W. J. Baxter, Plaintiffs, vs. Carl Ulsteen and Marie Ulsteen, James G. Jenkins as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Theodore B. Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Theodore B. Elliott, Deceased, Carolyn May Graves, formerly Carolyn May Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Carl Ulsteen, Deceased, and also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, interest or lien in the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

Summons.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiffs in the above entitled action, a copy of which is hereto attached, and herewith served upon you, and the original of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of this court on the 26th day of June, 1920, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Complaint on the subscribed at his office in the City of Thief River Falls, in said Pennington County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to serve your Answer to the said Complaint in the time aforesaid, the Plaintiffs in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their said Complaint, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

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W. J. Torrey and W. J. Baxter, Plaintiffs, vs. Carl Ulsteen and Marie Ulsteen, James G. Jenkins as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Theodore B. Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Theodore B. Elliott, Deceased, Carolyn May Graves, formerly Carolyn May Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Carl Ulsteen, Deceased, and also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, interest or lien in the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiffs against the above named Defendants, the object of which is to obtain a judgment that said Plaintiffs are the owners in fee of the following described real property and that said Defendants and each and all of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon. The property and premises described in and affected by the action are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

The East One-half of the Southwest One-quarter (E½ SW¼), and Lots three (3), and four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North, of Range Forty-three (43), West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, according to the government survey thereof.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 26th day of June, 1920.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J 29 A 5-12

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Swan Englund, a single man, mortgagor, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, Uithuisen, The Netherlands, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated the 10th day of March, 1905, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake (now Pennington County) and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book "[illegible]" of Mortgages, on page "610," which said mortgage was duly assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, aforesaid, to A. J. Prins, by instrument in writing bearing date July 14, 1920, and recorded in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in Book "[illegible]" of Mortgages, page "[illegible]," on the 15th day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., that the amount claimed to be due and is due at this date on the debt secured by said mortgage, is Twelve Hundred and Twenty-six and 00-100 ($1226.00) Dollars, that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are situate in the County of Pennington (formerly Red Lake) and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred and Fifty-four (154), North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said mortgaged premises aforesaid, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls in said Pennington County, on Monday, September 20th, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage together with the costs and disbursements of said sale allowed by law and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure.

Dated July 20th, 1920.

A. J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
503-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
J29-A-5-12-19-26-S2

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Hege Jore, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Saave Jore, Else Jore, Engebjorg Tvelt, Torvald Jore, Asmund Wetleson Brekke, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of August, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of July, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J22-29-A5

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A few head of horses, one heavy wagon and one 10-20 Mogul tractor.—C. O. Elg, Erie, Minn. 84p

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms: the SE¼ Section 18 Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge. 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Vorachek. 81tf

FOR SALE—Fresh strawberries, and also the plants. Leave orders upstairs over the Palace Clothing House. Alvina Lautenbach. 83pd

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room house, 719 LaBree Ave. N. 82p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 67tf

FOR SALE—Three good residences, some fine building lots, several small tracts of land. Close to city. Houses for rent see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 221 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 2 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—Threshing outfit complete for work. Reeves engine and Reeves separator, 36-60, with Garden City Wing feeder. Engine is a 40-80 gas tractor with 400 gallon gas tank mounted on [illegible]; 8 bottom stubble plow, also breaking [illegible]. A good outfit for someone that wants to go threshing. For particulars write or call on me.—H. J. Bakke, Thief River Falls, Minn. 79tf

FOR SALE—Pigs five weeks old, delivered to any part of the city.—Mrs. H. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 4302. 80tf

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton station. Seventy-five acres summer fallowed. For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, Administrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 78tf

FOR SALE—Six room house, Block 410 Crocker Ave. N. 83p

FOR SALE—5 horses, weight 1400 to 1600 pounds, ages from 6 or 7 years. Will be sold cheap if taken at once.—Nick Baker, R. 2, City. 83p

FOR SALE—Computing scale.—Carl Christofferson & Co. 80tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—One bay gelding, 5 years old, weight 1450.—W. E. Smith, [illegible] SW of Thief River Falls. 83p

FOR SALE—E½NE¼ Sec. 24, Township 155, Range 41, under ditch about six miles NW of Thief River Falls. Address [illegible] c-o Times. 81p

FOR SALE—5-room house and barn. O. [illegible], city. 82p

FOR SALE—43 miles north of Thief River Falls, 6 miles from Holt, 158 acres; about 60 acres under cultivation, the rest practically clear. House, barn and a first class well. School house on the premises. Would like to make a quick sale as I don't intend to farm it, and live in Chicago. For further particulars call at T. Michaelson, R. R. 2, Box 45, or write owner, Sigwald Johnson, 2211 No. Springfield Ave. Chicago, Ill. 83

FOR SALE—Beautiful farm, 160 acres. Fine black loam; 75 acres meadow; fine grove. Sec. 7, Township 157, Range 41, Marshall County. Six miles from Middle River. Write Mrs. Irish, 1779 Dayton Av., St. Paul, Minn. 82p

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 83tf

FOR SALE—Ford, Model 1919, for 1919 or 1920 Dodge. Must be in good condition. Also have about 30 ton of upland hay for sale.—C. A. Rinderknecht, Hazel, Minn. 83

FOR SALE—Ford touring car practically new. A bargain at $375.00.—J. O. Ronning, Thief River Falls, R. 1. 83p

FOR SALE—Surrey, good as new.—Nels Ames, Kratka, Minn. 84p

FOR SALE—Large barn in good condition at 610 LaBree Ave. N.—Geo. W. Werstlein. 68tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 79tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71f

FOR SALE—By owner, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE: FOR CAR—Bates Steel Mule Tractor and three-bottom Grand DeTour tractor plow with stubble and breaking bottoms. Phone 451, Kenneth Lufkin, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82-p

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room house and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1500, with seven weeks' old colt.—Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 78tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Several sections of land for sale or trade for city property or anything I can use. 604 Arnold Ave. N., city. Telephone 5941. 84p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in modern house. Phone 590, 237 Kendall Ave. N. 84p

FOR RENT—Improved farm near town. M. C. Harlow. 81tf

FOR RENT—Farm three miles from town, good house, barn, granary and garage. J. H. Kuecks, 510 Knight Ave. N. 82p

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 70tf

LOST

LOST—Gold K. of C. watch charm. Finder kindly return to the Times office for reward. 83

LOST—27 ewes, 1 buck and 20 lambs have strayed from my place. Anyone finding these sheep, please notify by phone and receive reward.—W. G. Hammerick, Angus, Minn. 81tf

LOST—On road between Loken's store and Goodridge, three bath towels and ladies' apron. Finder please leave at The Times office. 83p

Lost—Plush handbag with tassel, containing $60, on State road near Flatum farm. Return to this office for reward.

LOST—Between Goodridge and Thief River Falls, on Monday evening a rose-colored knitted scarf. Finder please return to this office for reward. 82p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Full blood Guernsey bull calf, four months old or over, also several females. Send price and [illegible] in that letter. Jim McKeand, R. 4, Warren, Minn. 82p

WANTED TO BUY—Young team of horses, weighing about 2100. Call at 405 Duluth Ave. S. 82p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED AT ONCE—Competent girl for general housework. Small family. Apply at Palace Clothing House. 80tf

FOUR GIRLS WANTED at the City Bakery.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 209 St. Paul Ave. 82tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 409 Knight Ave. N.

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—I buy and sell Harps and Violins, at bargains. Anyone interested write to N. W. Remlin, Red Wing, Minn. 82

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 82-

WANTED—Clerical position in office or as saleslady in store. Have experience and qualified for either position. Write Mrs. G. W. Robat, Shelling, Minn. 82p

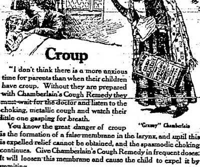

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side.—ANDREW BOTTELSON.

New One Born Every Minute

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It has been said that there is a sucker born every minute. If this be true, there are 1,440 potential customers of the mail-order houses ushered into the world every 24 hours and the number reaches a total of 525,600 every year.

Of course, as Mark Twain remarked regarding reports of his death, these figures may be exaggerated, but they serve to illustrate the fact that the mail-order houses of the big cities always have new fields to exploit and are not hampered in their dealings by the necessity of pleasing all their old customers. If the mail-order buyer discovers that he has been "stung" and registers a vigorous kick, it means nothing in the young life of the mail order man. Why should he worry as long as there are some 99,999,999 other persons in the United States to whom he may make his alluring appeals.

Ever Get Money Back?

Did anyone ever hear of a mail order house refunding a customer's money if the customer was not satisfied with his purchase? Don't all speak at once, please. The big mail order houses in the cities expect to receive a large number of complaints from their customers. They know that much of the goods which they sell will not come up to the expectations of the buyers, whose ideas as to what they will receive have been formulated from the pretty pictures and alluring descriptions given in the catalogue.

The mail order houses prepare for this contingency by maintaining large corps of clerks whose sole duty it is to answer the letters of irate customers. These clerks, or correspondents, as they are called, exercise all their powers of cajolery in an effort to appease the complaining customers, but if this is found to be impossible, after an exchange of letters, the mail order man has no cause for worry. His living is not dependent upon the customer to whom he has already sold goods. "There are as good fish in the sea as have ever been caught" and he turns his attention toward the landing of the new fish.

Local Merchant's Field Limited.

Compare the position of the mail order man with that of the retail merchant in the small city or town. The retail merchant has a certain limited territory from which he must draw his trade. All his business must be done day after day and year after year among the same people. The buyers to whom he can appeal for business number only a few thousand at the most and in some cases a few hundred. Unless he can make his customers his friends and bring them back to his store again, he cannot continue in business. The result is that he looks beyond the single sale which he may be making at the time. It is to his interest to please every one of his customers. It will profit him nothing to make a big profit off a customer on one sale if that customer is not satisfied with his purchase and refuses to come back to his store again.

From which man can the buyer expect to get the best values, the best service and the best prices in proportion to the quality of the goods sold? From the man who must please him and give him his money's worth in order to remain in business or from the man who figures that he may never hear from the buyer again and that it will make no great difference whether he pleases him or not?

Gets it While He Can.

The idea upon which the mail order man works is to get the money while the getting is good. If the customer is satisfied with the goods which he receives, all well and good. The mail order man knows that the customer is the kind of a man or woman who likes to take a chance or he wouldn't have sent in his order in the first place. Therefore he may figure that the customer is likely to take a second chance even if the first does not turn out to his liking. If the customer has enough spirit to make a kick, the trained correspondents in charge of the complaint department may be able to pacify him. If they are not, it doesn't matter much anyway, for there are millions of others who may be caught with the same bait—there is one born every minute, you know.

It is well for the consumer to remember these facts if he is ever tempted to take a chance on the offerings of the mail order house. The home merchant has something at stake in every sale that he makes. The mail order man has nothing at stake. The home merchant has everything at stake on the manner in which he treats his customers, for he cannot get others to take their places. The mail order man has nothing at stake for it is to his interest to get all that he can out of each sale, knowing that he may never have another chance at that particular customer.

Which is the safest man to do business with?

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate.—THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

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WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

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PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.—HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries.—ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

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PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here. — HALL BROTHERS CO.

WAS LUCKY DAY FOR HER, SHE SAYS

Mrs. Cummings Was Nervous, Depressed and Hardly Able to Eat When She Began Taking Tanlac.

"If any one had told me there was a medicine in the world that would do me the good Tanlac has I would not have believed them, and don't feel that I would be doing right not to tell others what it has done for me," said Mrs. William A. Cummings, 1033 Edmond avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

"For the past year I had suffered terribly from indigestion and was in a badly run-down condition when I started taking Tanlac. My appetite was very poor and I could not digest even the lightest kind of food. I suffered a great deal with nervous headaches and at times had terribly dizzy spells. I was nervous and weak, felt depressed all the time and could get but little sleep. I had lost considerable weight and felt tired and worn out all the time. After trying many different medicines and getting no benefit from any of them I was very much discouraged and had just about lost faith in all medicines.

"As I had seen so much praise of Tanlac, however, I decided to give it a trial, and it certainly was a lucky day for me, for my condition began to improve right away. So far I have only taken three bottles, but I now have a splendid appetite, eat just anything I want and everything agrees with me perfectly. My nerves are in good condition, I sleep well and have gained several pounds in wheight. In fact, the improvement in my health has been so great all my friends are telling me how well I look. I don't believe there is another medicine in the world that will begin to compare with Tanlac, and I would gladly pay five dollars a bottle for it if I couldn't get it any cheaper, for after what it has done for me I think it would be cheap at that price."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—Adv.

—Trade at Home—

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.19
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.16
Oats	.80
Flax	2.97
Barley	.80
Rye	1.50
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	7.50
Bran	2.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.65
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.60
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb	[illegible]
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring Chickens	.25
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.35
Dairy butter	.35
Creamery butter	.58
Cow Hides, per lb	.15
Horse hides	.04
Calf hides	.10
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.18
Veal, dressed, per lb	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.20
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.06
Steers, per lb.	.07
Calves, per lb.	.07
Cows	.06
Lamb, per lb.	.13

Farm Bureau to Have a Day at State Fair

Friday, Sept. 10, is to be "Farm Bureau Day" at the Minnesota State Fair. J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, and E. H. Cunningham of the Iowa Federation will be the principal speakers. The executive board of the *Minnesota federation* will hold a special meeting at the offices of F. L. French, secretary, at University farm, on Friday, Aug. 6, to make complete arrangements.

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SO LONG as the acute shortage of man-power in the United States continues, the demand for gasoline power will continue to increase.

Every increase in the demand for gasoline power will affect the price of gasoline, because, though petroleum production is continually increasing, it is not keeping pace with the demand for gasoline.

The latest figures available illustrating this point are for March, 1920.

Petroleum Production:	Petroleum Consumption:
Daily Average	*Daily Average*
1,177,129 bbls.	1,417,129 bbls.
Total for Month	*Total for Month*
36,491,000 bbls.	43,930,999 bbls.

If production continues for the rest of the year at the rate established in the first quarter, the total production of petroleum for 1920 will be in excess of 410,000,000 barrels.

If consumption continues for the rest of the year at the rate established in the first quarter, the total consumption of petroleum for the year 1920 will be in excess of 495,000,000 barrels.

Or, for the year 1920, consumption may be expected to exceed domestic production of petroleum by 85,000,000 barrels.

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GONVICK SLUGGERS TAKE HOME BACON

Victors in Snappy Game Here on Sunday By Score of Seven to Five.

Working under a handicap caused by the absence of several of their fastest players, together with an occasional streak of hard luck, the Thief River Falls base ball team last Sunday met defeat at the hands of the Gonvick team by a score of 7 to 5.

The Gonvick lads had determined beforehand to win this game at all costs and their lines were strengthened with a number of hired players, making by far the strongest team the local boys have been up against this season. It was the snappiest game played here for a long time and it is too bad the public does not patronize local games more freely.

Next Sunday the locals go to Gonvick to try conclusions once more with the victors in last Sunday's contest. They expect to have a full lineup of their best players and if they don't come home with Gonvick's scalp it won't be their fault. The team will be accompanied to Gonvick by a big bunch of rooters and indications are it will be a big day for that burg.

—Trade at Home—

SEES BIG BENEFIT IN WATERWAY PLAN

H. M. Owen, Minneapolis Publisher, Boosting For Waterway Project at Meeting.

The Detroit Evening Journal interviewed Harry M. Owen, publisher of Farm Stock and Home, the leading Minnesota Farm Paper, a delegate to the Great Lake-St. Lawrence Tidewater Congress at the Hotel Tuller. Mr. Owen said: "I think I am in a position to state the farmers of the three big spring wheat states, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, are fully awake to the advantages of having the head of the lakes a seaport.

"The car shortage of this year is nothing new; it is an ever-recurring condition every fall. It is a good deal worse than ever just now. I think that inadequate seaboard storage is to a great extent the cause of our chronic car shortage trouble. There is only about 15,000,000 bushel actual grain storage capacity from Maine to the tip-end of Florida. This means the use of freight cars for storage at the seaboard while awaiting ocean tonnage. Loading directly at Duluth for export would relieve not only the Northwestern roads but also the lines between Buffalo and the seaboard would be able to devote cars now used for grain to other purposes. Aside from this we would have the saving of handling grain at Buffalo and the seaports, coupled with the saving in freight between all water and the present system of land and rail. The farmers feel that this saving will be in a measure, though perhaps not fully, reflected in better prices, and therefore want to see the money spent on the deep waterways project, the work started promptly and vigourously pushed for rapid completion."

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BRIDGE COMPLETED ON RED LAKE ROAD

Good Road From Bemidji to Thief River Falls By Way of Grygla.

With the completion of the bridge at the outlet of the Red Lake river, on the west side of Red Lake, a new route from Bemidji to Thief River Falls, through the Grygla country, has been made, says the Bemidji Sentinel. The contract of constructing the bridge was completed this week by A. C. Goddard, of Red Lake.

Mr. Goddard was in the city Tuesday and reported that the road the entire distance from Bemidji to Thief River Falls, is in good condition and that automobiles are now being driven over the new route.

The new road extends north from Bemidji to Red Lake, and then extends along the south shore of the lake to the southwest corner, and thence northwest along the shore of the lake to the outlet. It then follows a high ridge running from the outlet to the Grygla district, and then on to Thief River Falls.

Mr. Goddard is of the opinion that the new road will open a new trading territory for Bemidji and as the residents who live north of the outlet have promised to build a good highway to the bridge, a first class road may soon be had between Bemidji and Thief River Falls, along the new route.

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Butterfat Prices

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

HOGS AND CATTLE SHOW BIG DECLINE

Market Continues Unfavorable and Low Points Are Reached at End of Week.

St. Paul Union Stockyards, South St. Paul,—The hog market is closing about 25c lower for the week. The top is 15c with bulk at $14.35 to $14.50. Stock pigs continue in good demand and are bringing from $8 to $14.00. Boars are bringing $5 to $7.50. Receipts at about 24,000 are the lightest in a long while.

Prices were sharply lower in the cattle market the first of the week, with a continued easier trend during the latter part of the week, with sales closing at the lowest point. There was a very limited showing of good beef material, practically all of the offerings being of the grassy type. Killers show a 50 to 75c loss for the week and some kinds even lower. The best fat steers brought $12.25 to $14.25 and the cow and heifer trade was largely in the $6 to $8 spread, these figures bringing a better class of cattle than last week. Canners and cutters ranged down to $3.50 to $4.00 and occasionally lower. Bull trade showed a little more strength this week with sales at $5.00 to $7. Veal calves were also up a little for the week, with top at $15.50 and other sales at $5.50 to $14.00. Receipts for the week were 18,000.

Lambs showed a loss of about 50c for the week with sheep grades remaining steady. Ewes are bringing $2.50 to $7; wethers $4 to $8 and yearlings $8 to $11. The quality of material was only fair in all classes. Run of 21,000 was considerably higher than has been received in some time.

—Trade at Home—

Want More Light.

A petition signed by numerous residents in the vicinity of Duluth avenue and Ninth street was presented to the council Tuesday evening, asking that a street light be placed at the intersection of the above named streets. The matter was favorably acted upon by the councilmen and the light will be placed in position at an early date.

NINE MEN SECURE CITIZENSHIP HERE

Hearing Conducted Friday Afternoon Before Judge Grindeland of District Court.

Seven civilians and two soldiers were granted full citizenship at the hearing held last Friday before Judge Andrew Grindeland at the Pennington county court house. The two soldiers who successfully passed the examinations are Halvor Olson Ryen and James Todroff.

Bjorguf Tarjerson Roysland, Hans Kristian Johansen, Neils Laurids Nielsen, Hans Hermanson, Severt Johnson, Peder Sabo and August Jacob Oden were the seven civilians granted full citizenship. Mr. Johansen was granted permission by the court to change his name to Hans Kristian Rustad, and in the future will be known by that name. The petition of one applicant, Chas. Langer, was left for future action owing to the fact that Langer is a resident of Austria and as long as this country is technically at war with Austria it is impossible for a citizen of that country to be naturalized in the United States.

Four applications were continued until the next hearing, which will take place Feb. 26, 1921. Hans Finkel Hanson and Axel Olson did not answer questions put to them to the satisfaction of the court, and their cases were continued until the next hearing to give them an opportunity of studying up. The applications of Nels Christofferson and Carl Christofferson were continued at the request of the petitioners.

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PRICES NO HIGHER BY RATE INCREASE

Railroad-Labor Economist Sees Little Cause For Greater Costs to Consumer.

Railroad rate increases authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission "should have no appreciable effect on prices of the majority of things the ordinary consumer purchases," according to an analysis made public today by W. Jett Lauck, economist for the railroad labor organizations.

"There is no occasion for alarm in the prospect of an addition of a billion and a half dollars to the annual transportation bill," the statement said, "provided this item is not multiplied four or five times before it is presented to the people for payment.

"For instance, by no possible computation can the increased freight rates be made to justify an increase of 1 cent per pound in the price of meat, or 5 cents per pair in the price of shoes, or 10 cents in the price of a suit of clothes or one-fourth of 1 cent in the price of a loaf of bread."

Coal, Mr. Lauck said, was one commodity the price of which would be "directly and appreciably increased" by the rate advance.

"The greatest industries of the country could amply afford to deduct the increased freight rate from the price of their products," he said, after presenting statistics on profits of producing corporations, "thus allowing the commodity to reach the retailer at the same price as formerly."

Completion of "the cycle of government management of the railroad industry" through increases in freight and passenger rates was said by Fairfax Harrison, president of the Southern Railway system, to leave the carriers the opportunity for a "constant and progressive reduction of rates, accompanied by an enlargement of service."

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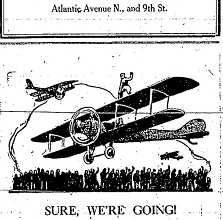

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Historical Society

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

RECORD BROKEN IN ATTENDANCE AT LOCAL FAIR

Eighteen Thousand People Present to View Exhibits During Three Big Days.

Ideal Weather Brings Visitors From All parts of Northwestern Minnesota.

High Class Free Attractions Furnish Thrills and Amusement For Visitors.

The Pennington county fair has come and gone. It was in every respect greater than any of its eighteen predecessors—and that is saying a great deal. It was an unqualified success in the matter of attendance, in exhibits and free attractions.

On the first and third days the attendance was estimated at three times that of last year, while the second day sent all previous records glimmering so far that no estimate can be made.

A Comparative Statement.

Secretary Smith submits the following figures to show the growth of the fair during the past four years: In 1917 the gate and grandstand receipts were $1,875. The following year only $1,387.45 was taken in, while last year the total receipts footed up $3,546.95. At the fair just closed the receipts from gates and grandstand were $5,271.95. The receipts from shows and concessions have grown during the same period from $678.50 to $1,470.65.

The amount paid in premiums also has been mounting steadily upward. In 1917 $945 was paid out in this manner, in 1918 $972.25, and last year $1,302.75. This year the premiums are estimated at $1,600.

Attendance has grown from 4,000 in 1917 to 18,000 this year. These figures are authentic and show that wonderful progress has been made.

Where Credit Belongs.

A large part of the credit for this showing belongs to the officers and directors of the fair association. These men have worked untiringly early and late and their efforts have borne fruit. Herbert Poller, president; Albert Johnson, first vice president; Fred Beerbower, second vice president; R. McGinn, treasurer, and G. Howard Smith, secretary, are each entitled to a large share of credit for the success of the fair. But they did not do it all. They were assisted in an able manner by the various department superintendents, who vied with each other as to who should make the best showing. Mrs. J. H. Hardesty had charge of the woman's department, L. H. Lawrence the poultry section and Fred Beerbower the live stock, while the farm products division was under the supervision of Albert Johnson.

Excellent Exhibits.

To make individual mention of the exhibits at the fair is an impossibility. Suffice it to say that they were the best ever. The improvement in the live stock section was especially noticeable and the animals on display received much praise from those who viewed them. There was an unusually large display of poultry, the exhibition of which was this year conducted under the rules of the American association.

L. V. Wilson, who judged the live stock, stated that last year's showing of cattle was equalled by only one county in the state—Pipestone. He said it was much better this year than last, with improvements in the Guernsey section especially being worthy of note.

Praises Farm Displays.

R. R. Smith of the university farm school officiated as judge of agricultural exhibits. Mr. Smith stated to a representative of The Times that it was the best exhibit of agricultural products he had seen in his 15 years of judging, considering that the local fair is held early in the season. He stated it was almost unbelievable that such a display could be gathered at this time of the year.

Officials are now busily at work compiling the premium lists from the judges' reports and checks will be mailed to winners within two weeks. A complete list will be published as soon as compiled and exhibitors are requested to check this list over. If any errors are found it will be considered a favor if the secretary's attention is called to them. The secretary also desires to have all bills against the association presented before Aug. 14 in order that they may be audited and allowed before the annual meeting of the directors.

LOCAL CONTRACTOR LANDS LARGE JOB

P. W. Roark Awarded Road Grading in Cass County Amounting to $200,000.

P. W. Roark, local road contractor, was last week awarded a grading contract in Cass county and is making preparations to load his horses, tractors and other equipment to that place at once to begin operations.

That the contract is one of considerable magnitude is evidenced by the fact that a total of 25.16 miles is to be graded, involving a total contract price of approximately $200,000. Mr. Roark was awarded the contract at 70 cents per yard and considers that he has an opportunity to make a little profit out of the job. He has been in the road contracting business for years in this section of the state and has handled several large jobs to the satisfaction of everyone concerned. This is the biggest undertaking he ever tackled, however, and he is more than determined not to fall down on it in any particular.

The Times feels safe in recommending Mr. Roark to the commissioners and highway engineer of Cass county and feels sure they will never regret having awarded this important contract to him.

—Trade at Home—

Thief River Ball Team to Close Season Next Sunday

Baseball fans may be interested in the announcement that the last game of the season insofar as the Thief River Falls team is concerned will be played at the fair grounds next Sunday. The final tussle will be staged with the St. Hilaire aggregation and it promises to be a snappy exhibition. It is expected the band will be out to give the visitors a rousing welcome and to help draw a crowd to the game.

The management of the local team has decided that it is useless to attempt to hold the boys together longer. They have been playing good ball all summer, but have received very little encouragement in the way of attendance at games played in Thief River Falls. The fact that no salaries have been paid to the players has made it possible to go through the season and come out with a small sum left in the treasury.

—Trade at Home—

First Rye From 1920 Crop Brought to Town This Week

The first grain from the 1920 harvest was sold this week at the elevator of the Hanson & Barzen Milling company. J. S. Brown, Carl Hillard and P. H. McAndress each brought in several loads of rye, which breaks all previous records in Pennington county by at least two weeks, according to those who have kept tab on such things.

The new crops is of excellent quality, with large plump kernels, and the yield is said to be exceptionally heavy. Threshing of rye will soon be general throughout the county and reports from all sections are most encouraging.

Business Changes.

The Walker-Gesell Land company moved this week into the building vacated by the First and Peoples State bank, which provides ideal quarters for their business. The Benson building vacated by the land company has been leased by Scott Laird, who is busy moving his specialty shop into it. Mr. Laird also is the gainer both in the matter of location and room.

—Trade at Home—

FALL MEETING OF LOCAL MERCHANTS

Banquet and Business Meeting Planned for Early Part of Next Month.

Officers of the Merchants association are busy making preparations for the first fall meeting of the organization, which will take place about Sept. 1. The meeting will be in the form of a banquet at a local hotel.

The association has issued invitations to H. G. Hart of Long Prairie and Frank P. Mann of Devils Lake, N. D., and it is quite certain that one or the other of these men will be present at the meeting. Both are leading figures in the merchandising field and no doubt will have something interesting to relate.

One of the important subjects to be taken up at the meeting is the obtaining of a complete mailing list for the territory adjacent to Thief River Falls. It is also expected that a new and up-to-date credit rating book will be ready for distribution to members of the association at this time.

—Trade at Home—

AIR MAIL SERVICE NOW ESTABLISHED

Letter to Times Arrives From Chicago Just 24 Hours After Being Mailed.

The Times on Wednesday morning received a letter via the first aerial mail to arrive at Minneapolis. The letter left Chicago at 7:30 a. m. on Tuesday and reached Thief River Falls just 24 hours later. Had this letter been dispatched by train and left Chicago at the same time, it would have arrived in Minneapolis at 10:30 yesterday forenoon too late to connect with a train leaving for this city, thus losing one business day.

The postal plane making the inaugural flight is an 800 h. p. Martin, propelled by two Liberty motors of 400 h. p. each. It carried on its first trip 30,000 letters and has capacity for 80,000, which will be its load when flying on regular schedule. Its average speed will be approximately 100 miles per hour. The arrival of the plane marks the beginning of daily air service between Minneapolis and Chicago.

The regular schedule on which ships will operate will be announced immediately following test flights. Postal authorities propose to prove to patrons of the Northwest that air mail is not to be an innovation of a spectacular or stunt nature, but a necessary and economical adjunct to the service.

CITY SUPPLY OF WATER SOON TO BE MADE PURE

Complete Filtering System Likely to Be Installed Here in Near Future.

State Board of Health Report Shows Local Supply Unfit For Human Use.

City Council Takes Steps to Insure Plentiful Supply of Pure Water.

A city water filtering system is one of the possibilities looming up in the near future for Thief River Falls. Action in this matter was prompted Tuesday evening at the council meeting when a report from the state board of health was read, covering a number of tests which have recently been made of the city's water supply. Samples of water from mains in various parts of the city were gathered some time ago by a representative of this department, and the report thereon has just been issued.

Water Unfit to Drink.

According to the report of the board of health, the water supply secured from the river and pumped through the mains is wholly unfit for human consumption. The report states that the water is a menace to public health and something should be done at once to remedy the condition.

Residents of Thief River Falls are quite well informed concerning the water supply and very few use it for drinking purposes, but the greatest danger lies with those who are not familiar with local conditions. Transients passing through the city are in grave danger of contamination unless something is done to warn them.

Filtration Only Solution.

A system of filtering the water supply is the only solution offered. An effort has been made to secure pure water through deep wells but this has long ago been abandoned as impractical. Last year a tour of inspection covering several cities was made by the council, who were firmly convinced that a filtering plant offered the only remedy within reach.

The council Tuesday evening decided to take up the matter once more in an effort to secure the installation of a filtration system at the earliest possible date. Engineers' plans and estimates of costs will be secured, and with this basis to start from it is hoped that work on actual construction can soon be begun.

—Trade at Home—

Repair Permit Granted.

The city council on Tuesday evening granted a permit to the Duluth Brewing company for the repair of its building on LaBree avenue. The original application was turned down at a previous meeting because it lacked the O. K. of the fire marshal.

—Trade at Home—

ROAD TO RED LAKE TO BE CONSIDERED

Mayor Taralseth Calls Meeting to be Held at Warren on August 17.

Mayor R. B. Taralseth of Warren has called a meeting to be held in that city on Tuesday, Aug. 17, the purpose of which is to devise ways and means for building a road to Red lake. Delegates from all sections of the valley are expected to be present at the meeting, and it is planned by those interested in the movement to form a permanent organization to back the road building program.

The idea of a good road to the Red lake region is not a new one. It is realized that such an improvement would open to the public one of the finest summer resorts in the state, which should prove a powerful attraction to tourists looking about for a place to spend their summer vacations. The greatest fresh water lake within the boundaries of the state can, with the securing of this road and a few other minor details, be transformed into a mecca for tourists from all parts of the country.

Concerted action is necessary to secure results, and therefore Mayor Tharalseth conceived the idea of calling the meeting as above stated. That the proposed road is a necessary improvement is apparent to everyone, and the meeting at Warren will provide an opportunity for the boosters of the valley to get together on the proposition.

—Trade at Home—

Three Pennington Boys Win Free Trip to Stock Show

Lester Coyle, Raymond Muzzy and Burton Aarnes were declared winners in the boys' and girls' stock judging contest conducted at the county fair. This will entitle them to a free trip to the South St. Paul Live Stock show this fall.

Competition was keen among the ten young folks entered in the contest, and the results showed a comprehension of good live stock among the contestants. In addition to the three winners the following took part in the contest: Howard Struble, Daniel Payne, Thomas Belland, Halbert Evenstad, Harry McDonald, Noble Urdahl and Rudolph Urdahl.

In the dairy calf contest Pearl and Ruby Conklin carried off the honors, while Frances Conklin and Myron Robinson were declared winners in the sheep contest. These contestants are entitled to a free trip to the state fair, providing they score sufficiently in writing their essays to maintain their lead. Otherwise some other participant will be awarded the trip.

—Trade at Home—

Local Guernseys May Be Exhibited at State Fair

L. V. Wilson of the University farm, who judged the cattle at the Pennington county fair, writes County Agent J. J. McCann, urging the breeders who had Guernseys on exhibition at the local fair to send their stock to the Minnesota state fair in September.

Mr. Wilson says the Pennington county animals have an excellent chance of carrying away some big prizes, stating that the animals are really in a class by themselves. Local Guernsey breeders have had the matter of exhibiting at the state fair under consideration for some time and it is likely that several will make the venture.

—Trade at Home—

CHILD MEETS DEATH IN TRAGIC MANNER

Little Russell Muzzy of Steiner Strangled When Pump Jack Falls on Him.

Russell, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy, residing on a farm near Steiner, met death in a tragic manner on Monday. The child was found near the pump, strangled to death by a pump jack which had fallen in such manner as to pin the child between it and the plank covering of the well. No marks were visible on the child's body, making it evident that he had slowly strangled to death.

The child had been playing about the yard as usual. Thinking he had wandered away the mother went to look for him and was shocked to find the lifeless body beside the well. Medical aid was immediately summoned but nothing could be done as an examination by the doctor showed death to have been instantaneous.

Russell is survived by his parents and a baby sister three weeks old and his sudden death comes as a severe shock. The funeral was held yesterday morning from the local Catholic church and the little body laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery.

—Trade at Home—

AMERICAN LEGION TO MEET TONIGHT

Election of Delegates to State Convention Principal Business to Come Up.

A rousing meeting of the American Legion will be held at the Evelyn hotel, Thief River Falls, on Thursday evening (tonight) at 8:30, at which all members of Elmer J. Eklund Post are urged to be present. All other ex-service men also are invited.

The most important business coming before the meeting will be the election of six delegates and six alternates to the state convention of the legion at Duluth Aug. 16, 17 and 18. Reduced fares have been provided for the delegates and all those desiring to go should see G. Howard Smith prior to their departure in order to get the proper credentials.

Service men are urged to apply to Mr. Smith for the new Victory medal recently issued by the government, bringing their discharge papers with them. It is planned to issue these medals to all service men between now and Nov. 11, at which time a great presentation ceremony will be carried out by the local post.

—Trade at Home—

Thief River Concern Makes Carload of Sash Weights

The Thief River Iron Works this week shipped to the Reymer Hardware company at St. Paul a full carload of sash weights, made in the foundry of the local concern. Some idea of the number of the weights may be gained from the fact that the shipment weighed over 24 tons.

This is the first time in the history of the local foundry that a complete carload of one class of goods has been shipped to one firm. The order was secured in the face of several competitive bids and was filled in record time. One great difficulty with this class of work at present, according to Manager Richter, is the scarcity of old iron. He states that it is impossible for him to keep a sufficient supply on hand to care for current needs although exhorbitant prices have been offered for it.

—Trade At Home—

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Owing to the fact that the 1920 High School Annuals are a little late in being finished, and the book being considerably larger than we expected, we will be obliged to raise the price to $2 each. All of the material submitted to the printers could not be placed on the number of pages contracted for, making it necessary to issue a larger book at a considerable added expense. The annuals may be obtained from Denis McGinn, Stanton Dahlen, Leland Schuster, or at the Lincoln high school. The books will be on sale the remainder of this week at the high school.—Prowler Staff.

ELKS TO FROLIC AT HUGE PICNIC SUNDAY, AUG. 29

Squaw Point Chosen as Scene of Big Doings By Local Lodge No. 1308.

Antlered Herd Preparing For Greatest Outdoor Celebration in History.

Eats Fit For Kings and Good Program of Sports Promised to Visitors.

Sunday, Aug. 29, will be a red letter day for Elks of Thief River Falls and vicinity. On that day will occur the great annual picnic at Squaw Point, and if all indications do not fail it will be some kind of a picnic. There will be something doing every minute, with pink lemonade and other *trimmings* aplenty.

Committees Busy.

Committees have been appointed to look after every detail of the big picnic, and every man is doing his best to see that nothing is left undone. The program is in charge of L. A. Lampert, G. W. Connell, O. C. Olson, C. W. Vorachek and R. E. Hunt. That combination should be able to arrange a program worth going miles to see. The kids also are promised their share of fun and many numbers are arranged especially for their benefit.

And Then the Eats.

Of course an Elks' picnic wouldn't be complete unless a competent committee had charge of the eats. This department has been put in charge of the following experts: Louis DeCremer, Julien Provencher, H. A. Brumund, L. C. Nielsen, E. M. Bennes and Jos. Elsenpeter. What these men don't know about feeding people isn't worth knowing. They have had the experience and now they have the disposition to break all previous records. Anybody who leaves the picnic hungry will have himself to blame. It won't be the fault of the committee in charge of the culinary department.

Free Rides Furnished.

In order to be sure that everybody gets a chance to attend the picnic, cars will be provided to furnish free rides to Squaw Point for all who care to go. These will leave the Evelyn hotel at regular intervals during the day and picnicers are urged to make generous use of them.

A regular meeting of the Elks will be held on Friday evening, Aug. 20, at which final arrangements for the picnic will be made. All committee chairmen are requested to make their reports at this meeting.

—Trade at Home—

GREAT AUTO RACES SUNDAY, AUGUST 29

Speed Demons to Appear at Fair Grounds in High Class Program.

Plans are now under way for a big automobile racing meet to be held at the fair grounds on Sunday, Aug. 29. The racing program will open at 4 o'clock and will continue in one uninterrupted speed show until 8 o'clock.

The racing meet has been placed in carge of M. T. McFarland and G. Howard Smith. These gentlemen are now busy booking cars and motorcycles for the races and have assurances that there will be no dearth of speed kings. It will be a racing event worth coming miles to see.

There are a large number of fast cars and nervy drivers scattered over the Northwest, many of whom hold enviable records in the racing world. Assurances is given that many of these will appear at the race meet in Thief River Falls on Aug. 29, assuring plenty of thrills for all who attend.

—Trade at Home—

New School Board Organizes at Monday Evening Meeting

Dr. H. W. Froehlich was elected president and Mrs. L. G. Larsen clerk at the meeting of the school board held Monday evening. This was the first meeting following the recent election and the two new members, Mrs. Larsen and E. O. Mogensen, were duly installed.

Routine business occupied the board's attention throughout the meeting, nothing of major importance coming up for consideration. M. A. Schmitt, manual training teacher, was named as purchasing agent and will enter upon his new duties at will enter upon his new duties at once. His long residence here and continued association with the schools fit him particularly for the position and the board could not have made a better choice.

—Trade at Home—

Bumps to Be Reduced.

Steps were taken by the council Tuesday evening to reduce some of the bumps on the streets throughout the business section of the city. The streets are in bad shape due to the numerous excavations made this summer but the council has put off work on them in the hope that paving could soon be taken up in earnest. With the prospect of immediate paving gone it was thought best to take measures to smooth down the thoroughfares somewhat.

REV. T. E. SWEGER

New Resident Pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls, Who Preaches Opening Sermon at Installation Services Next Sunday, August 15.

EXPLOSION VICTIM DIES FROM BURNS

Man Burned in Gasoline Fire at Fair Grounds Passes Away at Hospital.

Henry Schuver of Grand Forks died last Thursday at the local hospital from burns received the day previous when a gasoline stove exploded in his wiener stand at the fair grounds. The body was removed to the Larson undertaking rooms and the funeral held from there on Tuesday, with burial at Greenwood.

Deceased was a man about 40 years of age and leaves a wife, who was with him at the time of the accident. These people had made it a practice to operate a refreshment stand at various fairs in this section for several years, and this was their first venture this season. The dead man left very little property, which makes it all the more difficult for the widow. A collection was taken up at the fair grounds Friday afternoon under the auspices of the fair association and a nice sum realized to assist Mrs. Schuver in defraying hospital and funeral expenses.

—Trade at Home—

Bull Moose Pays Early Morning Visit to Fair

M. Bothun saw a full grown bull moose just west of the fair grounds on the V. C. Noper farm early last Wednesday morning. Mr. Bothun was in his car and claims the animal crossed the road just ahead of him and proceeded across country through the Noper corn field, disappearing in the distance. The animal was of extraordinary size and seemed to be in the pink of condition, but had evidently traveled a long distance as he appeared very tired and had difficulty in clearing the fence alongside the road.

This is the first bull moose seen in this section for many years and what brought him here at this time is somewhat of a mystery. It is presumed, however, that he had heard about the Pennington county fair and wanted to be here early for the opening day. The country about the fair grounds evidently was too thickly settled to suit him and he decided to postpone his visit until some other time.

—Trade at Home—

SEND MUCH WOOL TO CHICAGO POOL

Fifteen Tons Shipped by Pennington County Farmers Monday and Tuesday.

Two full carloads of wool were this week shipped by Pennington county farmers to Chicago, where it will be stored in the national wool pool until prices advance. Arrangements have been made for keeping the wool in storage for five months if necessary, and the pool includes most of the wool producing states of the northwest. The growers have adopted this method of forcing wool prices to a reasonable figure and indications are that the venture will prove successful.

Forty shippers in the vicinity of Thief River Falls loaded a car here on Monday, the shipment containing a total of 14,623 pounds. Yesterday a carload was shipped from Goodridge, comprising the season's product of 64 farmers. This car was billed out at 15,026 pounds. These shipments include practically all of the wool produced in Pennington county this year. A little has been sent directly to woolen mills to be transformed into blankets, etc., and a small amount still remains on the farms but the total is very slight.

—Trade at Home—

Rev. O. P. Stavaas Goes as Missionary to Madagascar

Rev. O. P. Stavaas, a former pastor of the United Norwegian Lutheran church, Thief River Falls, but for the past two years located at Hillsboro, N. D., has decided to take up missionary work in Madagascar. He sails from New York on Aug. 28, with his family, and expects to spend at least seven years in that far-off country spreading the gospel among the heathen.

Rev. Stavaas and family have many warm friends in Thief River Falls, all of whom wish them a safe journey and a successful career in their chosen field.

SHIPSTEAD OUT INDEPENDENTLY FOR SAME BERTH

Defeated Candidate Decides to Try For Governor Job in November Elections.

Other Nonpartisan League Candidates Preparing to Run by Petition Route.

Thormodson Getting Ready For Second Battle With Steenerson in Ninth District.

Dr. Henrik Shipstead of Glenwood, the candidate endorsed by the Nonpartisan League for the Republican nomination for governor in the primary election, announced Saturday that "after deliberation and upon the request of thousands of citizens who voted for him at the last election," he would become an independent candidate for governor.

Not to Supplant King.

Dr. Shipstead's announcement was sent out from headquarters of the Nonpartisan league, and is held to be evidence that A. C. Townley, president of the league, was unable to induce the Farmer-Labor candidates to withdraw. It was the original intention of the league to supplant the Farmer-Labor candidates, who had no contest in the primaries, with the defeated candidates of the Nonpartisan league who were unable to capture the Republican nominations.

Not only has Dr. Cyrus King, of Deer River, the Farmer-Labor candidate for governor, refused to withdraw in favor of Dr. Shipstead, but the other candidates on the ticket have also stood pat in their determination to resist domination by the league, Dr. Shipstead's announcement is held to indicate.

Thormodson to Run.

N. E. Thormodson, who was nosed out of the Republican nomination for congress in the Ninth district, will also be an independent candidate. Nominating petitions are now being circulated in his behalf.

League farmers and members of organized labor in the Sixth congressional district will meet Aug. 18 in Brainerd, to indorse an independent candidate for congress in that district.

Captain George H. Mallom, who was the League and Labor candidate for lieutenant governor, and Thomas V. Sullivan, candidate for attorney general in the Republican primary, are expected to announce themselves as independent candidates in a few days.

—Trade at Home—

METHODS OF QUACK BARED AT INQUEST

Coroner's Jury Recommends State Board of Health Investigate Case.

As the result of a coroner's inquest held last Thursday morning the methods of S. R. Kirby, a quack practitioner operating in Rocksbury township, will be looked into by the state board of health. Kirby, though not a regularly licensed physician, has been treating patients at his farm home, it being alleged by witnesses that he often had a dozen or more under his care at one time.

Mrs. Carl P. Holmstrom of Strathcona, who had been under Kirby's care for some time, died last week. Some things about the case did not look just right to the authorities and the inquest was ordered. It was found, however, that Mrs. Holmstrom's death was caused by tuberculosis and Dr. Kirby was not held liable, although his methods of effecting a cure were seriously questioned. The woman's body was badly blistered by compounds which the doctor admitted he had applied to cure the disease.

The coroner's jury recommended that Kirby's methods be investigated by the state board of health, it being evident that his system of treating diseases did not conform to standards accepted by accredited members of the medical profession. Just what steps will be taken by the state board has not yet been learned.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. J. M. Bishop Receives Important Political Post

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls was this week named one of three vice chairmen of the Women's Republican committee of Minnesota, her appointment being for the state at large. Of the other two chairmen appointed, one was for Minneapolis and the other St. Paul. Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, who is chairman of the state organization, is taking an active part in national work and therefore found it necessary to turn the state over to three vice chairmen. Mrs. Bishop also is a member of the state Republican central committee and chairman of the Ninth district organization.

Mrs. Bishop expects to leave for St. Paul on Aug. 19 to take up active work in her official capacity. Her duties will consist principally in arranging speaking tours throughout the state and in directing other political work from headquarters at St. Paul. She anticipates these tasks will occupy her entire time from now until next November.

OPENING OF BANK DRAWS BIG CROWD

[illegible] Two Thousand People Entertained on Saturday by First and Peoples.

About two thousand people attended the opening of the new First and Peoples State bank building on Saturday, according to records kept by officials of the bank. This does not include the large number of children who accompanied their parents or came by themselves to view the new building.

From morning until late in the evening officers and employes of the bank were kept busy entertaining the visitors, all of whom expressed admiration when shown through the institution. Souvenirs, cigars and flowers were given the visitors, while instrumental and vocal music added very much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Much interest was taken in the penny guessing contest and nearly everyone who visited the place registered a guess on the number of pennies in the glass jar. Mrs. G. A. Penney, Miss Anna Quale and Mrs. H. P. Miller each guessed 2999, which proved to be the right number. Mrs. Penney and Miss Quale each received a credit of $10 in their savings accounts, while Mrs. Miller was given $9.99, being penalized the odd penny because she lives at Crookston. Mr. Miller is a former cashier of the old First State bank of Thief River Falls, which probably aided Mrs. Miller in making a correct estimate of the pennies, while Mrs. Penney likely won because of her close association with Penneys for several years.

The guesses ranged all the way from 800 to 15,000. Six made a guess of 3,000, while three opined the jar contained 3,001 coins. Guesses between 2,900 and 3,100 were numerous.

It was a big day for the First and Peoples State bank and a more successful initiation of a new building would be difficult to imagine.

—Trade at Home—

SEE QUICK ACTION IN SECURING CARS

Congressman Halvor Steenerson Goes to Washington on Car Shortage Situation.

A telegram was received Friday morning by Congressman Steenerson from Chairman Ira B. Mills of the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission advising that a hearing was to take place before the interstate commerce commission at Washington Monday morning on the matter of a supply of cars for the movement of the northwest's grain. The telegram urged that a delegation be hurried to Washington, in support of the efforts to be made to secure an adequate supply of cars.

Mr. Steenerson conferred with officers of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, which organization has been actively interesting itself in the matter and with bankers and business men of Crookston. Information to the effect that the car situation in this section showed no signs of improvement as yet, and that threshing would become general within a very short time, inclined to the belief that the situation was actually critical. Congressman Steenerson volunteered to make the hurried trip necessary in order to reach Washington in time for the hearing. His offer was readily accepted and he left on the Northern Pacific train for Washington, barely an hour and a half after the receipt of the telegram.

Mr. Steenerson had just returned from a trip, taken purposely to gather information upon the car situation, so is well equipped to speak authoritively upon the needs of this particular section.

—Trade at Home—

PRODUCTS OF DAIRY SHOWN ECONOMICAL

Exhibit Gives Relative Values With Other Foods in Dollars and Cents.

One of the most interesting features of the exposition at the auditorium during the fair was the display showing comparative food values and relative costs of milk and milk products with other foods. The display was in charge of F. A. Tripp, agricultural teacher in the Thief River Falls high school, who also gathered the data and arranged the exhibit.

The first display showed the food value of a quart of milk valued at 11c as compared with other foods. This quantity of milk has been found the equal of 25 cents spent for bananas, 22 cents for eggs, 37 cents for apples, 22 cents for beef steak and 60 cents for chicken.

One pound of butter at 59c was shown to equal cabbage costing 74 cents, bananas 82 cents, oranges $1.35, chicken $1.80 and beef steak 78 cents. One pound of cream cheese valued at 45 cents equals, apples 84 cents, chicken $1.32, bananas 60 cents, eggs 55 cents and beef steak 60 cents.

A pound of cottage cheese at the modest value of 10 cents has more food value than the average person realizes, according to Mr. Tripp. It was asserted to be the equal of eggs costing 19 cents, bananas 25 cents, beef steak 19 cents, and chicken 52 cents. Buttermilk, the most lowly product of the cow, also [illegible] high in food value when price is considered. One quart at 5 cents is claimed to be the equal of cabbage worth 20 cents, ham worth 28 cents, chicken worth 86 cents, bananas 18 cents, eggs 14 cents and beef steak 18 cents.

The display was very tastefully and forcefully arranged and attracted a large share of attention from fair visitors. It brought home to many the relative values of dairy products as compared to other foods and should prove of much assistance to housewives generally in securing the most food value for the least money.

—Trade at Home—

BIG CROWDS VIEW AUDITORIUM SHOW

Women's Department, School Exhibits, Etc., Prove Attraction for Fair Visitors.

The exhibits housed in the auditorium this year proved no small part of the Pennington county fair. The large building was completely filled from one end to the other and was a mecca for visitors during all three days of the fair.

In this building were housed the women's department, city and rural school exhibits, boys' and girls' club exhibits, besides more than a dozen industrial exhibits and many other interesting things. The woman's department, under the direction of Mrs. J. H. Hardesty, made a splendid showing, the thrift, fancy work and art departments being worthy of special mention.

The boys and girls of the county were well represented in the manual training, educational and club exhibits. The boys' and girls' club of Goodridge also had a very creditable display of garden products raised by its members. It would be impossible to describe the various exhibits in detail. To say that they were wonderful is putting it mildly. An interesting feature was the booth of the Oakland Park sanatorium, showing a large amount of handiwork performed by inmates of that institution.

Fourteen local business houses were represented in the industrial exhibition, and some very creditable showings were made. Those represented were Loken Brothers, the Sapero company, Thief River Grocery company, Johnson's millinery, J. C. Penney & Co., Oen Mercantile company, Larson Furniture company, Botten Hardware company, Hermanson Hardware company, A. M. Langseth's shoe store, Hall Brothers company, Kiewel Product company, E. O. Mogensen and the Tessum-Coumbe company.

—Trade at Home—

LOCALS LOSE LAST BATTLE OF SERIES

Red Lake Falls Wins Friday's Game at Fair by Score of 8 to 5.

Red Lake Falls took home the baseball championship from the series played last week at the Pennington county fair. This was brought about through the defeat of the Thief River Falls team in the final game on Friday by a score of 8 to 5.

Thief River lost the game in the first two innings, when the pitcher went up in the air and the down river players managed to slip over four scores. This was too much to overcome, although things settled down to a good game after the illfated start and the visitors were held down to four tallies in the last seven innings, while the locals piled up five.

Red Lake Falls had several hired players, including Tom Skye, the famous Indian pitcher, who has played in some of the fastest teams of the northwest for years. Van Dusen of Plummer was in the box for the locals and with the exception of the blowup he experienced in the first two innings, played a good game.

Grygla suffered defeat at the hands of the Red Lake Falls bunch on Thursday by a score of 19 to 2, which shows the Red Lakers to be a fast bunch this year. Jens Erickson of this city and E. G. Buse of Red Lake Falls officiated as umpires in Friday's game.

—Trade at Home—

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to tune pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischof 142. 13tf

PASTOR OF TRINITY LEAVES OLD FIELD

Former Parishioners in Dakota Show Appreciation of Pastor in Many Ways.

The following article, taken from the columns of the Cooperstown, N. D., Courier-Sentinel, will be of interest to local members of the Trinity congregation and others:

"Cooperstown must, after this week, relinquish all claim to Rev. T. E. Sweger as a resident, for thereafter Thief River Falls, Minnesota, will be the home of himself and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sweger and family will leave Monday for their new location, the pastor to deliver his farewell sermon here Sunday morning.

"Cooperstown feels a genuine loss in the departure of this splendid family, but it is not alone, for throughout this section Rev. Sweger has gained an acquaintance that does not permit of easily broken ties. Rev. Sweger has come to be one of the best known and best liked of Griggs county men and the "you'll soon forget" verse is not going to apply in the event of his leaving at all. But the Sweger family is going to have the heartfelt good wishes of the entire community to take with them.

"Rev. Sweger, having accepted call of the Thief River Falls Lutheran church congregation, is to be installed in his new field on Sunday, August 15th. Rev. I. T. Anstad, president of the Northern Minnesota District and former pastor of the Thief River Falls congregation, is to conduct the installation service on that day. That Thief River Falls is going to enjoy and be proud of its new pastor and the Sweger family is the assurance of every man and woman of these parts who has come to know the family during their eight years of residence here.

"The Swegers have been royally entertained during their last days in Griggs county and many very agreeable surprises have been given in their honor."

—Trade at Home—

CANADIANS INSPECT PEAT EXPERIMENTS

Distinguished Party Views Results Secured at Golden Valley Peat Plots.

The peat experimental station at Golden Valley is attracting widespread attention. Visitors have been there recently from all parts of the Northwest and all have expressed surprise at the progress being made in the experiments carried on there.

On Tuesday a distinguished group came down from Winnipeg to visit the station, the party including three members of the Manitoba Drainage Commission, Douglas McLean, J. A. Thompson and H. Grills. These men were joined in Thief River Falls by Dr. Alway of the University of Minnesota, who has the experiments in charge, and together they drove to Golden Valley. T. F. Haynes piloted the party in his automobile.

Despite the unfavorable weather conditions the plots at Golden Valley have made good progress. Dry weather has been the principal trouble but recent showers have done much to improve prospects. Geo. H. Nesom, also of the university farm, has been in personal charge of the station during the summer.

—Trade at Home—

Public Health Clinic at Grygla, Tuesday, Aug. 17

A public health clinic will be held at Grygla on Tuesday, Aug. 17, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. This is the second clinic to be held at Grygla and one of a series of health educational clinics to be held in Marshall county. The last clinic was held at Argyle on Aug. 2, with an attendance of 52.

The public health nurse has charge of the clinic, and Dr. M. G. Milan of the Oakland Park sanatorium, chest and throat specialist, will be the examining physician. These clinics are an opportunity as well as a privilege, and anyone who needs such an examination and instruction should not miss this chance.

—Trade at Home—

Listed in "Who's Who."

Laird's Specialty Shop of Thief River Falls is listed in the latest number of "Who's Who" in the Stationery and Office Equipment World, a publication issued by the National Association of Stationers and Manufacturers. There are only seven such members in the state outside of the twin cities and Duluth, all of them located in cities larger than Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

Gonvick Downs Thief River in One-Sided Game of Ball

The Thief River Falls baseball team was last Sunday given the worst drubbing of its career. The boys journeyed to Gonvick to play a return game with that aggregation and came out with the small end of a 12 to 0 score. The local team was badly crippled, due to the fact that a number of players failed to report for duty, while the Gonvickers were loaded for bear. They had provided themselves with all the best ball players in that section of the country for what they had figured would be the hardest game of the season.

Thief River was outclassed from start to finish but even then the score should have read differently. A combination of hard luck and bonehead plays made it impossible for the locals to cross the plate, while the same reason is given for the unreasonably large score of their opponents.

HOLT WINS FIRST ROUND OF BATTLE

Governor Burnquist Issues Proclamation Relative to Division of Marshall County.

Governor Burnquist on Saturday issued a proclamation to submit to Marshall county voters at the general election November 2 the proposal to divide the county and from the eastern portion establish Liberty county with Holt as the county seat.

It is expected an action will be started in court by the rival faction in the county division project, which favors the establishment of Park county with Middle River as the county seat.

This fight no doubt will overshadow all other issues during the coming campaign in Marshall county, and the decision of the governor giving preference to the Holt petition was only the opening gun of the battle. It will be a fight to the finish.

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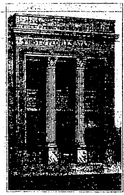

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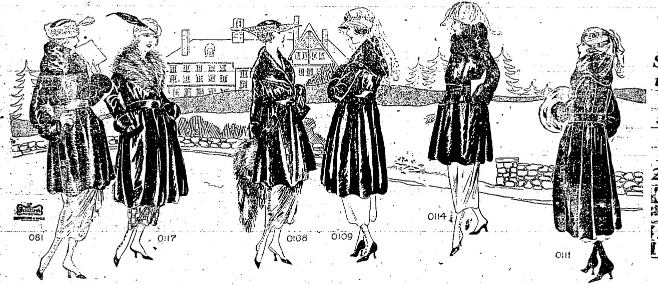

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100.00	COATS NOW GO AT	85.00	125.00	COATS NOW GO AT	110.00	150.00	COATS NOW GO AT	120.00
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LABOR AND GOOD ROADS.

Whatever question may have been ised in isolated instances of the attitude of labor toward Amendment No. 1—the Babcock good roads plan—has been disposed of by recent action of official labor bodies.

The first official action was taken at a meeting of the executive council of the Minnesota State Federation of labor at which unanimous approval was given the good roads amendment. Next the state convention of the Working People's Nonpartisan Political league at Rochester indorsed the amendment with the reservation that no bonds be issued by the state in the carrying out of the plan. And the convention of the State Federation of Labor at Rochester took similar action.

As to the matter of bond issue, it is exceedingly unlikely that any such issue ever will be needed or authorized. The bond issuing power is given the Legislature in the amendment largely because at the time it was written the authors had not forseen how much revenue could be raised by automobile license tax to pay for operations without a bond issue. Since then conditions have changed. The amendment requires that any bonds issued under the law shall not be sold below par and shall not bear interest over 5 per cent. Of course it would be impossible now or in the very near future to sell a penny's worth of bonds on these terms. It is estimated that with 300,000 motor vehicles in the state by next year $5,400,000 could be collected from license fees and $2,800,000 from Federal aid, making a total of $8,200,000. It was never intended to spend more than $10,000,000 on the plan in any single year, and the road materials may be so difficult to obtain next year that it will be impossible to spend the $8,200,000 cash available. On each succeeding year there would be more machines to be taxed. Moreover, the legislature is not limited to the average of $18 per machine on which the above calculation is made.

Labor is wise in indorsing this amendment, furthermore, because all but an insignificant percentage of the money to be spent will go to labor. Labor will manufacture the cement, quarry the rock and prepare it and manufacture the machinery to be used besides laying the road itself. Labor is a consumer of food the marketing of which will be cheapened and facilitated by good roads. And labor is an extensive owner and user of automobiles. Is there any possible reason why enlightened labor should be against this amendment?

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following patients were entered at the local hospital since last Thursday: Mrs. T. Reep, Plummer; Alice Welsh, city; Henry Schuber, Grand Forks; Zeck and Murk, St. Jo. Miss.; Floyd Johnson, Grygla; Lavora Sumpter, Hazel; Mrs. Carl Dahl, city; Toini Koms, Middle River; Berna Fabla, Benwood; Dorothy Bottelson, city; Mrs. M. W. Brink, city; Arnold Mickelson, city; Grand Mickelson, city.

—Trade at Home—

Sweger Resigns.

Cooperstown, N. D., Courier-Sentinel: At a meeting of the school board of the Cooperstown schools held Tuesday evening the resignation of T. E. Sweger was received. No selection has yet been made to the position made vacant by Mr. Sweger's removal from Cooperstown.

—Trade at Home—

Called to Navy.

John H. Brumund, who is on the navy reserve list, was on Monday called to Duluth to report for service. He succeeded in convincing the officials that his presence in Thief River Falls is quite necessary just now, however, and he was allowed to return home at once. Several branches of the navy are short-handed and many of the boys on the reserve list are being called to the colors.

—Trade at Home—

Fair Crowd at Circus.

A fair sized crowd greeted Rice Brothers circus, which exhibited here Monday evening. The show, while small, was clean and put on a pleasing program. An afternoon performance had been advertised, but owing to bad train service the circus did not arrive in Thief River Falls until four o'clock.

—Trade at Home—

On Buying Trip.

A. Sapero of the Sapero company, who is at present on a buying trip in the East, writes The Times stating that merchandising conditions are considerably improved in the large centers, with stocks larger than for some time past. This has made it possible for him to make many desirable purchases for the Sapero stores and he promises some interesting announcements concerning the new stock upon his return.

—Trade at Home—

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are invited to attend a Special Sale and Demonstration of Manchester products at our store commencing Aug. 14. During this sale we will give six 20c packages for $1.00 or with any $1.00 purchase of Manchester products we will allow you 20c worth of free goods. Come in and try the cookies. Coffee will be served. Peoples Co-Operative Store, Inc., Thief River Falls, Minn.

—Trade at Home—

Board of Health Notice.

The people of the city of Thief River Falls are hereby notified that water taken from the city supply is unsatisfactory, because river water is not suitable for drinking purposes unless filtered and treated. The city water must be boiled before it is safe to use for drinking.

DR. J. BIEDERMANN,
Health Officer.

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"There is no doubt in my mind that Tanlac is the grandest medicine in the world today. Why, I have gained fifteen pounds in weight since I started taking it and am enjoying better health than I have in years," said Robert Kruse, Lancaster, Minn, horse dealer and farmer, while telling of his experience with Tanlac in Boyson's drug store in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, recently.

"I want six bottles of Tanlac now and the address of this store so I can order some more when I get back home. They keep it on sale in Lancaster, but there is such a demand for it they had run out when I left home, and although it is 800 miles from here I am going to take these six bottles with me to make sure I have some when I get back. For seven years I had suffered from stomach trouble, and although I tried many different treatments and medicines nothing ever did me any good until I got hold of Tanlac. My appetite was so poor I just had to force down every mouthful I ate, and when I did manage to eat a little something I suffered with a terrible burning sensation as if there was a ball of fire in the pit of my stomach for hours afterwards. My nerves were also badly upset, so much so that I only slept a few minutes at a time during the night and could seldom stay in the bed later than 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning, as I would become so restless I just had to get up. I had lost a great deal of weight, too, and was in a badly run-down condition every way.

"I saw so much of the good Tanlac was doing others I decided to try it myself, and I had taken only a few doses when I began to feel lots better. I have only taken three bottles so far, but that has been enough to make me feel just like a different person. I now have a splendid appetite and can eat anything I want and all I want without having a particle of trouble with my stomach. My nerves are in splendid condition and I can sleep all night long without ever waking up, and always get up in the morning feeling simply fine. In fact, I feel as good in every way as I ever remember feeling in my life, and while I believe I am entirely rid of my troubles I am going to take a few more bottles of Tanlac to be absolutely sure they will not return. I never expect to be without it in my house, and I could stand here and talk to you all day without being able to tell you what a grand medicine I think it is."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—Adv.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

Indians Attend Fair.

More than fifty Indians from the Red Lake agency came to Thief River Falls last week to attend the county fair. They camped near the grounds and the Indian village attracted no little attention from fair visitors. As an added attraction on the program Thursday afternoon the redskins gave a pow-wow and dance.

—Trade at Home—

Moorhead Whiskey Seized.

Three hundred and ninety quarts of Canadian whiskey, valued at between $5,000 and $7,000, was seized at the home of Chas. Schumacher, Moorhead, Sunday morning by Federal agents. Schumacher is being held without bail awaiting the preliminary hearing.

—Trade at Home—

"Blimps" to Carry Mail.

Representative Halvor Steenerson, chairman of the house committee which has to do with appropriations for the post office department, has proposed an amendment to the current appropriation bill which would permit the carrying of mail in dirigible balloons, known as "blimps."

—Trade at Home—

City News

Miss Doris Halvorson was the week end guest of Mrs. Harold Page Miller at Crookston.

Stanton Dahlen is spending the week visiting with relatives at Lake Shoreham.

John Anderson of Badger spent two days here on business and also visited with friends.

Miss Olive Booren will leave this evening for her home at Stillwater after visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jenson and daughter, Ruby, of Goodridge, visited with friends here during the fair.

Miss Doris Halvorson has as her guests this week Misses Nina and Agnes Rushfelt of Hawley, Minn.

Charles Langevin and Delman Cote left Wednesday with two teams for the harvest fields of North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Halvorson and family motored to Maple Lake Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Axel Johnson of Gatzke, accompanied by his sister, Miss Hulda, motored here on Thursday to attend the fair.

Mrs. H. Tollefson returned to her home in Roseau Friday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dahl.

Misses Margaret and Anna Kotlan returned from Minneapolis last week where they spent the past few months.

Miss Ida Ryerson returned to her home at Holt yesterday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Ness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holen of Minneapolis were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard the first of the week.

Peter Eichammer, Howard Kelly and Roy Chalmers of Grand Forks, motored here on Thursday to attend the fair.

Miss Adeline Vige returned to her home in Grand Forks yesterday after visiting for a week at the home of Mrs. Inga Berg.

F. C. Koziol left on Thursday afternoon for Ayr, N. D., where he will be employed until the university opens in October.

Miss Florence Thorstad, who spent her vacation with relatives in this city left yesterday for Lockhart, this state, where she is employed.

Miss Hazel Sapero returned to her home in Chisholm this morning after a two weeks' visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. S. Sapero.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pratt, who motored to Minneapolis about a week ago to visit with friends, returned to this city last Thursday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink yesterday, Aug. 11, at the physicians hospital. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Miss Evelyn DeLage, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Vaudin, returned to her home at Red Lake Falls on Tuesday.

Rufus Barackman arrived yesterday morning from Minneapolis and will spend the remainder of his vacation with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Houfek and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nelson went to Middle River Friday on a berry trip and came back with a good supply.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero leaves this evening for Minneapolis where she will meet Mr. Sapero, who is returning from a buying trip in New York.

Miss Mary Vance, who has spent the summer visiting with relatives at Sault Ste. Marie, Can., returned to her home here Saturday morning.

Mrs. Dena Evenson left Saturday evening for Detroit to attend a family reunion. She will remain for an indefinite time visiting her relatives.

Misses Bertha and Geneva Hoyden arrived Friday evening from Fosston to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hoyden.

Mrs. L. Munson and children of Holt are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ness. While here Mrs. Munson is receiving dental treatment.

Miss Nellie Farmelo, who has been spending the summer months with her aunt, Mrs. H. C. Durrin here, returned to her home in Minneapolis Saturday evening.

Miss Kate Jonas is again at her duties in the Ready-to-Wear department at Loken's after a month's vacation spent in the cities and in the southern part of the state.

Sydney Burton, who spent a week visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., returned to Itasca Park to remain until the fall term of the university.

Robt. Flynn, accompanied by his niece, Miss Ruth Ella Mabey, returned to Minneapolis the first of the week after visiting at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. E. L. Stanton.

Mrs. Chas. Cobb of Sioux City, Ia., arrived Tuesday morning for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus. She will also be the guest of her sisters, Mrs. S. Brandon and Mrs. Inga Berg.

Mrs. W. J. Brown left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo to visit friends for a week. She will later join Mr. Brown and daughter, Ruth, who are spending a couple of weeks at their cottage at Union Lake.

Miss Margaret Rustad arrived here yesterday from Binford, N. D., where she is employed, to visit with her numerous friends. While here she will be a guest at the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson.

Lloyd Alness arrived here the latter part of last week from International Falls, where he was employed, to attend the funeral services of his brother, Arthur, which was held in this city on Sunday.

Miss M. Edith Cornforth left yesterday afternoon for Watertown, S. D., in response to a wire to the effect that her brother Frank had undergone a serious operation for appendicitis and was in a critical condition.

Miss Helen Weeks, who has been engaged in teaching school at Black Earth, Wis., has returned to her home here to spend the remainder of her vacation. Miss Weeks will enter St. Olaf College at Northfield as a senior.

Leslie Provencher has secured the agency for a new Ford steering device which is said to make a Ford steer like a Packard. Anyone interested may call at the Evelyn hotel, where the device will be demonstrated from Aug. 16 to 21.

Misses Gustie Soderling, Alma and Alice Bogren returned to Minneapolis last evening after a brief visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. R. Knutson. They were accompanied by Miss Ruth Knutson who will spend a week visiting relatives in the twin cities.

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Hamburger, Per lb.	22c
Pork Sausage, Per lb.	20c
Home Killed Beef, all roasts, Per lb.	20c
Home Killed Soup Meat, Per lb.	16c
Home Killed Round Steak, Per lb.	25c
Home Killed Sirloin Steak, Per lb.	28c
Fresh Killed Roasting Chicken, Per lb.	28c
Fresh Killed Spring Chickens, Per lb.	40c
Home Rendered Lard, Per lb.	25c

GROCERIES

Cane Sugar, special, Per 100 lbs.	$27.00
Fancy Large Cans Tomatoes, Each	22c
Canned Corn, special, 5 cans for	90c
Fancy Salt Herring, Per lb.	15c
Galvanic Soap, large bars, 10 bars for	75c
35c Coffee, special, 5 pounds for	$1.50
Corn Flakes, a real snap, Per pkg.	12c
Matches, special per pkg., Each	30c
Quart Jars Strained Honey, Each	$1.00

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$60 Suits, now $47.50
$55 Suits, now $43.50
$50 Suits, now $39.50
$45 Suits, now $34.75
$40 Suits, now $31.50
$35 Suits, now $27.50
$30 Suits, now $23.75
$25 Suits, now $19.50

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$18 Suits at $13.75
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$2.25 Men's Shirts $1.75
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$4.00 Men's Shirts $2.95
$4.50 Men's Shirts $3.35
$5.00 Men's Shirts $3.85
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$2.50 Work Shirts $1.95

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$2.00 Work Gloves $1.65
$2.25 Work Gloves $1.85
$2.50 Work Gloves $1.95
$3.00 Work Gloves $2.35
$4.00 Hand sewed $2.75
$4.50 Hand sewed $3.65
Auto Gloves
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$14.00 high grade Dress Shoes at $11.20
$13.50 high grade Dress Shoes at $10.80
$12.00 high grade Dress Shoes at $ 9.60

Plus war tax on all shoes over $10.00

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$1.00 Sumr. Underwear 75c
$1.50 Sumr. U-wear $1.15

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While they last as follows:

$18.00 Suits $13.50
$20.00 Suits $14.95
$22.50 Suits $16.50
$25.00 Suits $18.75
$27.50 Suits $19.75
$30.00 Suits $21.50
$32.50 Suits $22.75

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City News

Miss Julia Metvedt of Greenbush pent Thursday attending the fair.

Miss Clara Peterson of Holt visited friends here the latter part of last week.

Miss Ruth Vik of Strandquist was he week-end guest of Miss Mary Prichard.

Miss Olga Hanson of Badger visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. H. F. Hanson of St. Hilaire spent Thursday in the city receiving ental treatment.

Mrs. John Soden and Mrs. H. Tol- efson left on Friday morning for Ro- au to visit friends.

Miss Marie Nelson, teller at the rst National bank, spent Sunday at rookston visiting with friends.

Miss Senora Simonson returned to r home at Ada on Saturday after iting with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Erickson of Bau- te were guests at the home of Mr. l Mrs. Eli Rolland during the fair.

I. O. Loken and family, who had n visiting relatives in Minneapolis, urned via the motor route on Wed- day.

ordon LaBree and Rueben Hud- , who are employed at Baudette, e down last Thursday to attend fair.

Willie Meyer of Steiner visited with tives and friends in the city on ursday. He also attended the nty fair.

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rs. C. H. Norby and daughter re- ned to their home at Strathcona day morning after spending a ple of days attending the fair.

Oscar Johnson of Roseau arrived re Thursday afternoon to attend the ir. While here he was a guest at e home of his cousin, Mrs. C. Evju.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson of he Johnson Millinery, left Monday vening for the twin cities to spend week buying goods for their fall dis- ay.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery return- Monday morning from Crookston, here she was the guest at the home f her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy, over unday.

Among the many who made aero- ane flights during the fair were isses Ruth Brown, Mary Prichard d Nellie Jessup. The latter looped loop five times.

Jack Englebret and family of Bron- attended the fair in this city last ek. While here they were guests the home of Mrs. Englebret's other, Ferdie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Grindeland, . Strunk and children, and Miss adys Grindeland motored to this ty from Warren on Friday to visit latives and friends and attend the ir.

. Kl[illegible] returned Monday morn- ing via the Soo from Grand ; where he had been since Sat- y visiting his brother, John, of sboro, N. D., who is confined in Grand Forks hospital.

Misses Ruth Brown, Avis Akre and cille Burns, who had spent ten days Lake Shoreham, returned Thursday ing in the former's car. Enroute heir homes here they visited with nds at Fargo and Grand Forks.

rs. Carl Johnson, who had visited friends and relatives at Watson, katchewan, Can., for a month, re- ed to her home in this city Fri- . She was accompanied by her her, Mrs. O. Olson, who will be guest for an indefinite time.

M. Bothun, the local florist, accom- ied by his brother, Barney Bothun Halma, left last week in the form- car for Dalton to visit another brother, Louis, who is quite seriously ill. They found the roads in good shape and made the trip in record time.

E. C. Colby, J. Norby and L. Nor- comprised a party which motored r from Barnesville on Thursday to nd the fair. While here they also ted Paul McGrath of the same city, is a patient at Oakland Park rium. They returned to their on Friday evening.

es. Catherine and Barbara r of Fargo, Mrs. J. Hiller and Big Lake, Minn., and Mrs. W. tterson and daughter of Fargo, guests last week at the home of Richter. They traveled by auto rom here went to the twin cities he Itasca state park, Melrose and loud. The Misses Richter, Mes- Hiller and Patterson are sis- of Mr. Richter and the occasion s pretty much in the nature of a mily reunion.

Miss Marie Nelson visited with friends at Crookston over the week-end.

Miss Mary Hursch of Winnipeg is a guest of her friend, Miss Florence Alberg, this week.

Miss Huldah Kelland and mother of St. Hilaire shopped and visited between trains here on Saturday.

Peter Storholm of Grand Forks visited for a few days last week at the home of his brother, C. Storholm.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson and family motored to Warroad Saturday and visited over Sunday with friends.

Miss Evangeline Ness, residing near this city, is a guest of her friend, Miss Mildred Tessum, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown and family were guests at the home of their son and brother, Ferdie, during the fair.

L. Lamberson, H. Taralseth and R. Taralseth motored over from Warren on Friday to take in the Pennington county fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rustad of Ashby, this state, spent a week visiting at the home of the former's cousin, Mrs. O. Tessum.

Miss Hazel Hansel, who had been a guest at the Thill home in this city, returned to her home at Red Lake Falls on Saturday.

Miss Ida Ryerson returned to her home at Holt Friday morning after spending a week visiting friends and taking in the fair.

Mrs. A. Trovaton left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Whitney, for a few days.

Miss Anne Harder, who had been a guest at the home of Mrs. S. Michalsky for a few days, returned to her home at St. Hilaire Friday.

P. M. Carlson, manager of the Thief River Candy company, arrived here the latter part of last week from St. Cloud to remain permanently.

Miss Clara Ingvaldson, who had been visiting with relatives here for a few days, returned to her home at Climax the latter part of last week.

Chris. Porter, who has been absent from the city for the past two years, having been employed in cities on the range, is here renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. James Kolstad returned to her home at Climax Saturday afternoon after spending a few days as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Oftelie.

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Theo. Salveson of Ada returned to his home by car on Thursday, accompanied by his niece, Miss Amy Nelson of this city, who will visit at the Salveson home for a short while.

Ben Bothun returned Tuesday evening to Chippewa Falls, Wis., where he is employed on the reportorial staff of the Herald, after a week's visit with his numerous friends here.

Miss Myrtle Blair and Mrs. A. Stenberg left on Monday morning for Baudette and Rainy River where they spent a few days visiting friends and relatives. Miss Blair was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Foley at the latter named place.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Torgerson, W. W. O'Brien, A. Czylson, E. A. Compton and sister, Geneva Compton, and Merrideth Anderson, all of Greenbush, were among those who attended the fair here on Friday. They also took in the dance at the rink in the evening.

Irving Carlson arrived here the first of the week from Minot, N. D., to take up his duties as traveling salesman for the new Thief River Candy company, which is located in the Smith building opposite the Peoples Auto company. Goods are arriving every day and the new firm expects to open its place of business in another week.

Miss Violet McMillan of Lancaster is visiting at the C. T. Orm home in this city.

Miss Alice Nelson arrived Thursday morning from Minot, N. D., for a visit with friends.

Miss Francis Holzknecht left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to visit with friends for a few days.

Misses Linda and Olga Koglin of Steiner, spent Thursday and Friday in this city attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Austin and family of Highlanding, spent Wednesday in the city taking in the fair.

Miss Camilla Hendricks arrived yesterday morning for a visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. B. Bakke.

Miss Bernice Anderson of Fargo was the guest of her friend, Miss Ella Gran, in this city over the week-end.

Mrs. O. W. Wulberg left on Monday evening for Emmetsburg, Ia., for an indefinite visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney returned from Grand Forks Monday morning after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Lucy Ures.

Mrs. S. Stawning returned to her home at Beltrami Saturday afternoon after a brief visit with her friend, Mrs. T. P. Hustad.

Misses Alma, Selma and Emma Swanson left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo, where they will spend a brief period visiting friends.

E. Rask returned Saturday afternoon to Salt Lake City, Utah where he is employed, after spending a short time visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson went to Holt on Friday morning to spend a day picking blueberries. They returned the following afternoon.

Misses Christine and Millie Fosholm, who had been visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Munson for a few days, returned to Holt on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bakken and children left on Wednesday morning for Detroit, where they will spend a week visiting with the former's parents.

Mrs. J. Storholm arrived Thursday morning from Grand Forks to be the guest at the home of her son, C. Storholm, and family for an indefinite time.

Mrs. E. F. Dunn and niece, Miss Margaret Rheims, returned to their home in St. Hilaire on Saturday, having spent the day visiting with friends.

Misses Helga Loven, Nettie Lunsetter and Norman Lunsetter and John Loven motored to this city on Monday from their home in Gatzke to attend the Rice Bros. circus.

Miss Nellie Jessup returned to her home at Rochester Saturday evening after visiting with friends here and at Baudette. While here she was the guest of Miss Meta Kiland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mussey, who have been visiting with friends and relatives in this vicinity, departed on Monday evening for the twin cities, where they will continue their visit.

Mrs. J. Zenk, accompanied by her granddaughter, Dorothy Rogers, returned to their respective homes at Moorhead after visiting at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Robinson in this city.

Miss Lois Wold motored from Grand Forks on Thursday and made a brief visit with friends. She returned to her home Saturday morning, accompanied by Miss Kathleen Ures, who had been the guest of her aunt, Victoria McKinney, for a few days.

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Jake Greenagle, station agent at Strathcona, visited with friends here during the fair.

Miss Alice Peterson spent the week-end with relatives in Crookston, returning on Monday morning.

Miss Nellie Saustad of Holt arrived Thursday afternoon to attend the fair and also visit with friends.

Mrs. Tom Manum of Gully arrived here Monday evening to be the guest of her friend, Mrs. Simon Gulseth.

Willie Meyer of Steiner left Monday afternoon for Petersburg, where he will be employed during the harvest.

Miss Impi Komsso, who has been employed at the hospital, left on Tuesday for her home at Middle River.

Miss Emma Kassa, accompanied by her father, G. Kassa, left Monday afternoon for Crookston to visit with friends.

Miss Signe Peterson, who has been employed in this city left Monday for her home near Gatzke to spend her vacation.

Miss Lenora Isaacson of Middle River spent a few days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bakken.

Miss Leona Knox of Fisher is in the city visiting with friends. She is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. T. McFarland.

Mrs. R. B. Cook, who spent a few days visiting friends and relatives at Roseau, returned to her home here on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson returned to her home Monday morning after a three weeks' visit with relatives at Bismarck and Fargo, N. D.

Misses Ruby and Pearl Warring and Miss Amy Whitman, all of Steiner, were among the many out of town people who attended the fair Thursday.

Miss Anna Tanem, who enjoyed a two weeks' vacation at her home here, returned to her duties in one of the Minneapolis hospitals, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams and son, Maurice, Reuben Hadrath, Nellie and Florence Jessup, motored down from Baudette on Thursday to attend the fair.

Morlan Bishop motored down from Strathcona the latter part of last week to take in the fair and also to visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Mrs. J. O. Herrick and children, who were guests at the R. McGinn home during the fair, returned to their home at Warren on Saturday, accompanied by the former's niece, Miss Sybil McGinn, who will be her guest for a few days.

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Mrs. C. Storholm and children, who had spent a couple of weeks at Bemidji, returned to this city last Wednesday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hallen of Grand Forks, who visited at their home here for a few days. Mrs. Hallen and Mrs. Storholm are sisters.

Mrs. Tilda Wessos of Northville visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Miss Francis Holzknecht is spending the week at Crookston visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Palmer and children of Mavie were in this city on Thursday attending the fair.

Mrs. J. O. Ostrom returned to her home at Holt on Friday morning after visiting with local friends.

Miss Ann Patterson of St. Hilaire, was the guest of her friend, Miss Irma Johnson, during the fair.

Ambrose Zeh, who is employed in a bank at Minot, N. D., is spending the week with his father, Phil Zeh.

Mrs. N. K. Harris left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to be the guest of relatives for a brief period.

Misses Anna Strand and Olga Melby arrived Saturday evening from Oklee to visit with friends for a few days.

Mrs. J. Sallow returned to her home at Grand Forks Monday after a brief visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Stoughton.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Korstad, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Korstad, all of Highlanding, visited with friends here on Thursday and Friday.

Miss Mollie Hermanson returned the latter part of last week from Erskine, where she spent a week visiting with friends.

Herman Aakre and Allan Fossum left on Monday afternoon for Moorhead where they will be employed during harvest.

Mrs. M. V. Janda returned to her home at Scotland, S. D., after visiting in this city at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda.

Arnold Jackson returned to Fergus Falls Tuesday after a week's stay with friends. While here he also played with the local band during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reep and daughter, Barbarba, returned to their home at Plummer Saturday evening, the former having received medical treatment in this city.

Misses Effie Christianson, Goldie Stebbins and Mildred Owen and Geo. Loken, L. Fevig, and Art Loken motored to Maple Lake on Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Mrs. D. Lipsey of Kansas City, left yesterday morning for Steiner to visit at the Warring home. While in this city they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schuster. They will return on Saturday and remain over Sunday at the Schuster home.

Mrs. J. L. Stitt, who had been visiting with relatives near Kenmare, N. D., returned to her home here the first of the week. She states that the crops which looked so promising a couple of weeks ago are completely burned out. The hay in that section of the state is also very scarce.

Mrs. Blaine Dean and Miss Stella King, both of Plentywood, Mont., Miss Florence Barden of Washington, D. C., and Alice Cawley of Wausaw, Wis., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barden during the fair. The two former returned to their homes on Saturday while the latter remained for an indefinite visit.

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Upon Mr. Sapero's return to Thief River Falls in a few days further announcement will be made regarding the goods purchased on this trip. It will prove to the advantage of the ladies of Thief River Falls and vicinity to inspect this new stock before deciding upon wearing apparel for the fall season.

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Society

Ladies League Entertains.

The Ladies League of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet in the basement of the church this evening. The hostesses will be Misses Gilma Ostvolden, Elfreda Knudsen and Eleanor and Stanton Dahlen.

Birthday Party.

Miss Georgia Frissel was a delightful hostess yesterday afternoon when she entertained a few girls at her home, Knight avenue, in remembrance of her twelfth birthday anniversary. The afternoon was devoted to games and at five o'clock delicious refreshments were served.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Honoring Miss Blanche Johnson, whose marriage takes place in the near future, Miss Miriam Bishop will entertain a number of girls at her home this evening. The event will be in the nature of a miscellaneous shower. The hours will be devoted to hemming towels for the bride-to-be.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A special meeting of the Woman's club will be held next Monday, Aug. 16, at 3 p. m., at the commercial club rooms. The purpose of the meeting is the election of two delegates to the state federation meeting at Northfield on Sept. 1, 2 and 3, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the club.

Rosett-Limesand.

Ludvig Rosett and Miss Marie Limesand, both of Marshall county, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony on Thursday afternoon at the parsonage of the Zion Lutheran church by Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the church. The attendants were Harry Tharaldson and Miss Anna Rosett, a sister of the groom.

Surprise Party.

A successful surprise party took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rehm on Sunday, Aug. 8, when about sixty of their friends gathered there in commemoration of Mrs. Rehm's birthday anniversary. The hours were devoted to games and conversation. At five o'clock a bountiful lunch was served. The party dispersed at a late hour wishing the honored guest many happy returns of the day.

Entertains.

An informal afternoon was spent at the home of Miss Myrtle Berg when she pleasantly entertained fifteen girls on Saturday. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess at five o'clock. The guests included the Misses Doris Halvorson, Miriam Bishop, Mary Prichard, Ruth Brown, Lucille and Evangeline Burns, Dorothy Bottelson, Zella Zeh, Florence Alberg, Anna Tanem, Marian and Ella Miller, Meta Kiland and Nellie Jessup, the latter of Rochester.

Soderling-Chelin.

Oscar B. Soderling of Kewatin, Minn., and Miss Ebba C. Chelin of this city, were united in marriage on Saturday evening at the parsonage of the Swedish Mission church. Rev. O. J. Lundell, pastor of the church, was the officiating clergyman. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Anderson of this city. They left on the evening flyer for Duluth and other points. They will make Thief River Falls their home after Sept. 1. Their many friends extend hearty hearty congratulations.

In Honor of Petersons.

About sixty members of the Swedish Lutheran church congregated at the Leonard Peterson home on La-Bree avenue Tuesday evening to tender them a farewell. The Peterson family, who have long been residents of this city, leave in a short while for their new home at Crookston where Mr. Peterson is manager of the Light and Water department. The hours were spent in music and conversation. At midnight a sumptuous lunch was served. Before the guests dispersed Mr. and Mrs. Peterson were presented with a handsome gold plated chocolate set as a token of their esteem and respect. Rev. Albin A. Larson, pastor of the church, made the presentation speech. The best wishes of their many friends here go with them to their new home.

Parbst-Dahl.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the John Dahl home, 415 Arnold avenue on Tuesday evening at 7:30, when their daughter, Miss Katie, was united in marriage to Otto C. Parbst. Rev. Geo. Larson officiated in the presence of Archie Dahl, a brother of the bride and Laura Feragen, a sister of the groom. Only the nearest relatives were present at the ceremony. The bride is one of the popular and highly esteemed young ladies of the city having lived here with her parents for a number of years. During the past year she was employed as school librarian and previous to that time taught school in this vicinity. The groom is employed by the Soo line. After a brief honeymoon they will return to this city to make their future home. Their many friends extend hearty congratulations.

Froseth-Evenson.

On Thursday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Froseth, 421 Horace avenue, occurred the marriage of their son, Henry, to Miss Abbie Evenson of Albert Lea. Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, was the officiating clergyman. The couple was attended by Perry Froseth, the groom's brother and Miss Inez Johnson. Immediately following the ceremony a very fine dinner was served to immediate friends and relatives. Both young people are well and favorably known in this city, the groom having been born and reared here. The bride has been employed as stenographer for the Peterson-Biddick company for the past three years. At present Mr. and Mrs. Froseth are spending their honeymoon at Minneapolis and Albert Lea, after which they will return here to make their home. Their many friends extend best wishes for a happy wedded life.

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Churches

The First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Confirmation services at 10 a. m. Communion services at 8 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Aug. 15th. Sunday school at 10 a. m. At St. Hilaire closing exercises with the confirmation class at 10:30 a. m. and service in the evening at 8 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—No services on Sunday forenoon. Service at Rosewood, Rindal church, at 2:30. Evening service in Zion church, city, at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies aid Thursday, Aug. 12th, entertained by Mrs. Ole Bakke. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, Aug. 12th. Hanna Pederson and Clara Anderson entertain.

Trinity Lutheran Church—Sunday 11 a. m. Installation services. Rev. Sweger will be installed as pastor of Trinity Lutheran church by President I. T. Aastad. Dinner will be served by the ladies aid at Squaw Point. At 3:30 a children's service will be held at the same place. Thursday, 3 p. m. Ladies Aid. Mrs. Legvold, Sr., and Mrs. Legvold, Jr., will serve. Thursday evening, 8:30 p. m. Young Peoples society will meet. Gilma Ostvolden, Alfrieda Knudsen, Eleanor and Stanton Dahlen will serve. Everybody welcome.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, Emil H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services in the German language will be held Sunday at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. The Ladies Aid meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Brown in church basement. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the pastor will conduct services at Holt in the German language.

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Card of Thanks.

We desire to express sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kind assistance after the death of our beloved son, Russell. Also for the beautiful floral offerings at the funeral.—Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy.

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Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend heartfelt thanks for the many kindnesses shown me by the fair association, concessionists and others last week following the accident in which my husband lost his life.—Mrs. Ellen Schuver.

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Obituary

Alvin O. Tandberg.

Wednesday morning the community was grieved to learn of the death of one of the most respected and promising young men of Thief River Falls, Alvin Oscar Tandberg. The deceased was born at Red Lake Falls on August 27, 1900 and died Tuesday evening at his home on Horace avenue, lacking 17 days of being 20 years old. It is difficult to understand the ways of Divine Providence, so quickly closing the career of a young man whose future seemed so bright and so full of benefit for his fellow men, but those who were intimately acquainted with Alvin know what his friendship has meant to them and he will long live in their memories.

Alvin was baptized and confirmed by Rev. I. T. Aastad, who will also?? present to conduct the funeral services Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Two years ago Alvin finished the local high school and this spring he successfully completed his sophomore year at St. Olaf college, Northfield. His mother, two brothers and four sisters, together with a host of relatives and friends, mourn his departure. Blessed be his remembrance. —Contributed.

—Trade at Home—

Arthur S. Alnes.

Arthur Alnes, age 26, passed away last week in a Minneapolis hospital, where he had been confined for some time. When he left here several weeks ago he was in the advanced stages of tuberculosis and his friends realized that the end was near.

The Alnes family has been all but annihilated by that dread disease—consumption, Arthur being the fifth member of the family to fall a victim to its ravages within a few years. Preceding him in death are his parents, his sister, Gladys and brother, Erwin. One brother remains—Lloyd—to whom the sympathy of the community is extended.

Deceased graduated from the local high school with the class of 1914, with an exceptional standing. He was a member of Zion Lutheran church and in 1910 was confirmed in the faith. On April 26, 1918, he enlisted for service in the war and left for France on July 14 of the same year. He returned to the states the following April and made this city his home until a few months ago, when his condition became so critical as to make it necessary for him to go to the hospital for treatment.

The funeral was held here on Sunday, with interment in Greenwood cemetery. The services were in charge of the Masonic lodge, of which deceased was a member, and Rev. George Larson read the ritual. A number of war veterans accompanied the remains to their last resting place and fired a military salute over the grave.

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Daily News Makes Good.

The Minneapolis Daily News has written to all those who subscribed to the paper during the recent contest, informing them that if they do not desire to take the paper under the circumstances they may have their money returned. This offer is made because of the failure of the Daily News Flying Circus to appear at the local fair. The News also has agreed to reimburse the fair association for all commissions paid on subscriptions whether cancelled or not.

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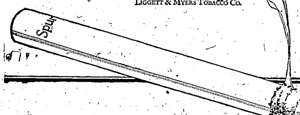

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ERIE

Haying is nearing its completion ere. This excellent weather has en- bled the farmers to put up a lot of ood hay this season.

L. B. Johnson returned last Wedesday from near Thief River Falls here he had been doing some sumerfallowing on his father's farm.

Mrs. T. Loyland returned last hursday from Grand Forks county, . D., where she visited relatives and ok in the Grand Forks fair.

Mrs. Ole Lien and Mrs. M. Iver- n consulted a physician at Thief iver Falls last Tuesday. They are th improving in health.

H. O. Tommerdahl was a business itor in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

The Ole Tharaldson family has inted in a Ford and can now enjoy pin without hitching up the bronces.

illian Loyland is keeping house Salve Omlid during the busy sea-

e Bammedrud and Nesland famiof Rhoda were visitors at the G. erson home Sunday of last week.

Jorde of Mekinock, N. D., visitith his daughter, Mrs. L. B. Johnover Sunday last week.

na Nerhus resigned her duties e Lundblad farm and is helping haying at home.

. Ole Tronvet entertained the s Aid last Wednesday.

. Joe Shied and children of a, Mrs. C. Christofferson and Will and daughter of Fergus were visitors at the L. B. Johnome last Friday.

baby girl was born to Mr. and rs. Rhuby last Thursday.

The L. B. Johnson family and Mrs. den visited friends near Grygla y.

G. A. Iverson and Theodore hl families visited friends and es near Rhoda last Sunday.

Martinson, who resides near ver, has been on the sick list me time.

. K. Danielson, Mrs. Ole Nerhus, laughter, Thora, and the Ekwall y were guests at the Hovet home inday.

gnus Thoreson of Goodridge was out looking after his farm interests the first part of the week.

The young men are rapidly leaving for the North Dakota harvest fields. Wages are reported to be high while men are scarce.

Quite a number of our people took in the circus in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mrs. C. Elg entertained the Erie ladies aid on Wednesday of last week.

—Trade at Home—

Scandinavians Best Sailors.

Chicago Herald-Examiner: Have you any friend boastfully pointing out American success in the yacht race, remarking on the superiority of the great and glorious native-born American? Tell him this:

The victorious crew of the American yacht Resolute was manned by the following: Twenty-two Norwegians, seven Swedes, and one Dane. That was the whole crew. Tell that also to the people who say we ought to stop immigration and keep out "undesirable foreigners."

—Trade at Home—

School Board

Regular meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., July 12, 1920.

Members present: Backe, Haynes, Froehlich, Myhrum and Mellby.

Members absent: Dahlen.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved as read.

Moved by Backe, seconded by Froehlich, that Holt & George be employed to install regulation water pipes to the Lincoln and Washington buildings at $2.00 per foot for galvanized 2-in. pipe, and make connections at water meters for $15.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Haynes, seconded by Froehlich, that the following bills be allowed. Motion carried:

City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	$ .75
Henry Roemhildt, work	49.50
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., publishing and supplies	20.75
H. B. Newell, supplies	2.20
Ida Legvold, salary	80.00
Thief River Music Co., supplies	.50

On motion the meeting adjourned.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved:
Dr. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

Special meeting of Board of Education was held in the Directors' Room at the Lincoln High School at 8 P. M., July 15, 1920.

Members present. Backe, Froehlich, Myhrum, Mellby.

Members absent: Haynes, Dahlen.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Myhrum, that the annual treasurer's report with the O. K. of the auditing committee be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried.

Moved by Froehlich, seconded by Backe, that the Board recommend to the electors at the annual meeting a tax levy of $70,000.00. Motion carried.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Clerk.

Approved.
Dr. O. F. MELLBY,
President.

lassified Want Ads

FOR SALE

R SALE—A few head of horses, one wagon and one 10-20 Mogul tractor. O. Elg, Erie, Minn. 81p

R SALE OR RENT—On very easy the SE¼ Section 18 Town of 4½ miles east of Goodridge. 80 under cultivation, fair house and C. W. Vorachek. 81tf

OR SALE—Fresh strawberries and the plants. Leave orders upstairs the Palace Clothing House. Alvina Steinbeck. 82pd

OR SALE—Or will consider trade modern residence in Thief River Falls ction farm, all fenced, good build- drilled well; 12 miles from Thief Falls. Enquire at The Times of- 37tf

SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull ner, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

SALE—Three good residences, fine building lots, several small of land. Close to city. Houses see W. A. Bishop. 62tf

SALE—Some good modern at right price and terms. En- B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd 61tf

SALE—One player piano, one 4- auto trailer, one tractor plow, wagon.—W. E. Baker. 69tf

SALE—40 acres land four miles of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhlef River Falls, Minn. 61tf

SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, passenger. In fine condition.— T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

SALE—160 acres land eight north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, River Falls, Minn. 61tf

SALE—Lexington car, driven only es. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, Ave N. 73tf

SALE—Threshing outfit complete k. Reeves engine and Reeves r, 36-60, with Garden City Wing Engine is a 40-80 gas tractor 60 gallon gas tank mounted on 8 bottom stubble plow, also break- good outfit for someone that to go threshing. For particulars or call on me.—B. J. Bakke, Thief Falls, Minn. 70tf

M FOR SALE—160 acres of land, ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton Seventy-five acres summer fal- For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, ministrator, Thief River Falls, Gerntown Route. 79tf

FOR SALE—Six room house, Block Crocker Ave. N 83p

R SALE—5 horses, weight 1100 to pounds, ages from 6 or 7 years. Will cheap if taken at once.—Nick R. 2, City. 83p

SALE—Computing scale.—Carl rson & Co. 50tf

LE—160 acres or will trade for rty. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief Minn. 80tf

LE—One bay gelding, 5 years 1150, W. E. Smith, 5 miles ief River Falls. 83p

LE—E½NE¼ Sec. 21. Town- Range 44, under ditch about NW of Thief River Falls. Ad- C-o. Times. 84p

ALE—13 miles north of Thief lls, 6 miles from Holt, 158 acres; acres under cultivation, the rest ly clear. House, barn and a first- School house on the premises. like to make a quick sale as I intend to farm it, and live in Chi- For further particulars call at T. elson, R. R. 2, Box 45, or write Sigwald Johnson, 2211 No. Spring- Ave. Chicago, Ill. 85

OR SALE—Good six room house, 3 on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peo. State Bank. 33tf

OR SALE—Ford, Model 1919, for 1919 1920 Dodge. Must be in good condi- Also have about 30 ton of upland for sale.—C. A. Hinderknecht, Hazel. 83

OR SALE—Ford touring car practi- ly new. A bargain at $575.00.—J. O. nning, Thief River Falls, R. 1 83p

FOR SALE—Surrey, good as new. Price 00.—Nels Aarnes, Kratka, Minn.

OR SALE—New, modern brick store ding, now occupied by Gesell Land W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's will be sold at bargain. Both im- For information see Carl J. on, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

SALE—Threshing machine. Ber- taken at once.—Kotlan Bros. 83tf

SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 71tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—One wide tire wagon, complete.—P. O. Sarlom, ½ mile east of Soo roundhouse. 81p

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 135, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—New Dowden Potato digger and light work harness.—P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 83tf

FOR SALE—Good used car, repainted and overhauled. Phone 492. 81p

FOR SALE CHEAP—Team of young horses weight about 2700.—Mrs. J. J. Amble, 833 Horace Ave. N. 81p

FOR SALE—112 feet of 4-in. well casing; also sandpoint for use on either 4 or 5½-in. pipe. Mrs. J. J. Amble, 833 Horace Ave. N. 81p

FOR SALE—7-room house, East Side, 300 feet frontage. Call at owner, 600 Kendall Ave. S. 81p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND —One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for livestock, black draft mare five years old, weight 1500, with seven weeks' old colt.—Syverson Bros., Kratka Route. 70tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Several sections of land for sale or trade for city property or anything I can use. 601 Arnold Ave. N., city. Telephone 5911. 81p

FOR SALE OR TRADE on reasonable terms—eight room house and lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block 8, Porter's Addition. North Star Real Estate Company, 325 E. Lake St., Minneapolis, Minn. 80

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in modern house. Phone 598, 237 Kendall Ave. N. 81p

FOR RENT—Improved farm near town. M. C. Harlow. 81tf

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

FOR RENT—Good five-room house not far from Lincoln High School. Inquire at Times office. 83tf

LOST

LOST—Gold K. of C. watch charm. Finder kindly return to the Times office for reward. 83

Lost—Plush handbag with tassel, containing $30, on State road near Flattum farm. Return to this office for reward.

FOUND

FOUND—Between Bottelson Drug Store and Soo tracks, purse with small sum of money. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this ad.—B. J. Bakke. 83

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 200 St. Paul Ave. 82tf

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle aged or elderly lady; on farm. Apply to Nelson & Nelson, Goodridge, Minn. 85p

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—COUNTRY SALESMAN to take orders for Men's Work Clothing. Must be a live wire with general store experience and know every family in the county. One who can stand on his feet with a commission income of better than $100.00 per week. Must have an auto. References required. P. O. Box No. 385, Minneapolis, Minn. 83

BOOKKEEPER with three years experience desires a position.—Box 282, Bagley, Minn. 81

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

$2,700 BUYS FROSS QUARTER 25 miles northeast of Grygla in Beltrami Co., Minn.; fine dairy proposition; terms. W. H. Hyland, Stanton, Nebraska. 87p

WANTED—Work with family while attending school. Write Times office. 82tf

WANTED—Furnished room in modern house Sept. 1, by a teacher. Write XA, C-o The Times. 83tf

WANTED—Board during school term by teacher. Write XA, C-o The Times. 83tf

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Lauck, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to August Lauck, John Lauck, Minnie Lenius whose full true name is Minnie Lauck Lenius, Rose Zealand whose full true name is Rose Lauck Zealand, Fred Lauck, Annie Smith whose full true name is Annie Lauck Smith and Albert Lauck and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of September, 1920 at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 5th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(SEAL.) Judge of Probate.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a12-19-26

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ella Holscher, Leo A. Holscher, Viola Holscher, Vivian A. Holscher, Russell M. Holscher, Aurel J. Holscher, Evelyn J. Holscher, William A. Holscher, Herbert Holscher, Gordon Holscher, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 10th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(SEAL.) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a12-19-26

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Swan Englund, a single man, mortgagor, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, Uithuizen, The Netherlands, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated the 18th day of March, 1905, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake (now Pennington County) and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book "22" of Mortgages, on page "610," which said mortgage was duly assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, aforesaid, to A. J. Prins, by instrument in writing bearing date July 11, 1920, and recorded in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in Book "85" of Mortgages, page "222", on the 15th day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., that the amount claimed to be due and is due at this date on the debt secured by said mortgage, is Twelve Hundred and Twenty-six and 00-100 ($1226.00) Dollars, that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are situate in the County of Pennington (formerly Red Lake) and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred and Fifty-four (154), North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said mortgaged premises aforesaid, to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in Thief River Falls, in said Pennington County, on Monday, September 20th, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage together with the costs and disbursements of said sale allowed by law and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure.

Dated July 20th, 1920.

A. J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
503-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
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SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

W. J. Torpey and W. J. Baxter, Plaintiffs, vs. Carl Ulsteen and Marie Ulsteen, James G. Jenkins as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Theodore B. Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Theodore B. Elliott, Deceased, Carolyn May Graves, formerly Carolyn May Elliott, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and creditors of Carl Ulsteen, Deceased, and also all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, interest or lien in the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

Summons.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiffs in the above entitled action, a copy of which is hereto attached, and herewith served upon you, and the original of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of this court on the 25th day of June, 1920, and to serve a copy of your Answer to the said Complaint on the subscribed at his office in the City of Thief River Falls, in said Pennington County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to serve your Answer to the said Complaint in the time aforesaid, the Plaintiffs in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their said Complaint, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
P. O. Address,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

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Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiffs against the above named Defendants, the object of which is to obtain a judgment that said Plaintiffs are the owners in fee of the following described real property and that said Defendants and each and all of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon. The property and premises described in and affected by the action are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

The East One-quarter [illegible] (3), and four (4), [illegible] (19), Township [illegible] (153), North [illegible] West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, according to the government survey thereof.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 26th day of June, 1920.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Plaintiffs,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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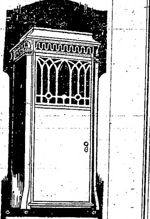

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Our Budget Plan will take care of the payments
Thief River Music Co.

What's done as much as anything else to fill up the movie houses

LOOK at the crowds that step out of their cars in front of the movies every summer evening.

The movie managers would be renting half of their theatres for store space, if it weren't for the automobile.

II

It is typical of Americans that they took to the automobile as a matter of course—just as they have to the movies and to every other great invention of the last half century.

And the same thing has happened every time. Taking things as they come is a fine way to foster waste and extravagance.

As regards tires, the comeback is about due. People are pretty near through paying for something that isn't there when they look for it.

III

What a man pays for in a tire is quality—not a limited number of miles or the privilege of getting a rebate in case the miles don't come up to the limit.

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And that holds just as good for the small car tire as for the biggest U. S. Tire we've got. There's only one standard of quality with U. S.—and the size of the car has nothing whatever to do with it.

IV

We represent U. S. Tires in this town. You'll find it worth while to talk to us before you buy any more tires.

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For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.
For front wheels—The U. S. Plain.
For best results—everywhere—U. S. Royal Cords.

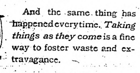
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BEMIDJI PEOPLE TO VISIT DITCH LAND IN NORTH

Thirty or More to Make Four-Day Trip Through Northern Beltrami County.

Two Big Farmers' Meetings Arranged, Where Excellent Speakers Will Talk.

To Remain at Baudette and Spooner Wednesday to Rest For Journey Home.

A trip that has as its object an inspection of the millions of acres of ditch lands north and west of Red Lake, in this county, is being arranged by Judge Stanton, co-operating with the county real estate board and the Bemidji association, says the Bemidji Sentinel. For years it has been impossible for citizens of Bemidji to reach this country without extreme discomfiture, but by the construction of the bridge over the Red Lake river outlet the trip can now be made, although the roads are not in the best of condition.

Thirty Men in Party.

According to the plans that have been made, the party, which will consist of about thirty men, will leave Bemidji at 6 o'clock the morning of August 23rd, going past the Red Lake agency, over the new bridge and stopping at the Four Towns creamery for a picnic dinner and a big meeting. From there the party will run into Grygla for the night. They will leave Grygla early in the morning, following Ditch No. 25, and hoping to reach Baudette late that night. All day Wednesday will be spent in Baudette and Spooner, leaving there on Thursday and returning on the direct road. A big farmers' meeting is being arranged at Waskish for that afternoon, with a picnic dinner late in the afternoon. The drive home will be made in the evening.

An Undeveloped Empire.

Judge Stanton, in discussing the trip at the meeting of the Bemidji Association Wednesday, said that he believed but few of the residents of Bemidji realized the importance of this territory, and he hoped that the trip would provide material for an educational campaign. More than a million acres of good farmable land has been transferred from government to private ownership since 1911, under the Volstead act. The drainage projects have developed this country so that now many valuable farms have been started.

As guests on the trip will be the directors of the Conservancy and Drainage District, established last year by Judge Stanton and Judge Grindeland, a board that is recognized by the government and has for its object the reclamation of the territory now flooded by Red Lake and Red River.

A committee has been appointed to provide for the accomodations enroute and owing to the nature of the roads only light cars will be taken.

Personnel of Party.

The party will consist of: The directors of the Conservancy and Drainage District, including C. G. Selvig, Crookston; Wm. Paskewitz, Grygla; Andrew Johnson, Gonvick; Axel Nelson, Holt; Ed. Aubol, St. Hilaire; Judge C. W. Stanton of the district court; the Beltrami County Commissioners, who are, Wm. Lennon, Kelliher; Ed. Paulson, Bemidji; Sam Ellis, Blackduck; J. F. Hayes, Liberty; H. B. Imsdahl, Pitt; Congressman Harold Knutson, Senator L. H. Nord, Representative A. E. Rako, County Auditor A. D. Johnson; Sheriff Andrew Johnson, County Attorney Torrance, ex-Representative J. J. Opsahl, ex-County Auditor J. L. George, County Agent D. C. Dvoracek, Engineers S. D. Snyder, W. M. Everts and J. T. Burke; H. Z. Mitchell of the Sentinel, E. H. Denu of the Pioneer, E. E. McDonald, E. H. Winter, E. B. Berman, Chas. Carter, J. W. Wilcox, A. L. Molander, R. H. Schumaker, W. L. Brooks, H. C. Baer, J. L. Elwell, W. N. Bowser, F. R. Duxbury, Abe Grossman, Geo. Baker, Frank Koors and others who will be designated by the Bemidji Association. It is expected that a number from this city will drive to Waskish on Thursday to attend the big meeting to be held there during the afternoon.

—Trade at Home—

Closed Season Results in Prairie Chicken Increase

Prairie chickens are again becoming numerous in Northwestern Minnesota. Closed season on this game bird went into effect in 1919 and the ban on hunting will remain clamped on until 1922.

Season after season of hunting cut down the number of birds until few remained. Poor hatching weather last year resulted in few birds being added, but with a dry hatching year this season large coveys are reported from all sections. The chickens, aside from being numerous, are said to be very tame.

Motorists report that scores of large coveys can be seen any day in nearly every direction out of Thief River Falls, which means that by the fall of 1922 the day limit of five will easily be obtained.

—Trade at Home—

Awning Catches Fire.

Fire, evidently caused by someone throwing a live cigarette butt on top of it, ruined the awning in front of the Hermanson hardware store on Friday. The flames were quickly extinguished with the help of a few buckets of water and a fire alarm was not turned in.

—Trade at Home—

Want Salary Increase.

Chief of Police E. O. Erickson and Night Patrolman Andy Smith presented a petition to the council Tuesday evening asking for a salary increase of 30 per cent, basing their request on the rising cost of living. The matter was referred to the mayor for recommendation as the police force is appointed by him.

—Trade at Home—

Farmers Buy Elevator.

The farmers of Plummer closed a deal with the Plummer Grain company for the purchase of its elevator for $6,125. The farmers have incorporated under the name of the Plummer Co-operative Grain company and have elected the following officers: F. J. Eukel, president; K. Thorvaldson, vice president; Marius Waldahl, secretary, and A. J. Hemstad, treasurer.

—Trade at Home—

In the Matter of the Liquidation of the Farmers State Bank of Holt, A Corporation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Pursuant to the order of the Court herein, the undersigned, F. E. Pearson, as Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, will receive bids at his office in the State Capitol at St. Paul, Minnesota, until noon on the 30th day of August, 1920, for the sale in bulk and for cash of the unsold and uncollected assets of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, consisting of notes, shares of creamery stock, and judgments, inventory of which is on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court, and all of which said assets are subject to the examination of any person interested at the said office of the undersigned.

The validity of said assets is not guaranteed either as to signatures, amounts, or otherwise.

All bids must be accompanied by ten per cent of the amount thereof and same forfeited if the bid is accepted and approved by the Court and bidder neglects or refuses forthwith to fulfil the same.

All bids made subject to the acceptance and approval of the Court herein in his discretion.

Any and all bids may be rejected.

Dated July 19th, 1920.

F. E. PEARSON,
As Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota.
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ROSEWOOD

Prospects For Filling Station.

Rosewood may at last have a Standard gasoline filling station, where gas will be retailed to autoists at the same price as at the larger city stations, at least so was the opinion of a Standard company representative from Fargo, who visited town last week and made a review of the existing conditions. On finding them satisfactory he took up the matter with Herbert Carlson to secure his services as local representative. Mr. Carlson found the proposal quite agreeable and a contract was drawn up and signed whereby he will have charge of the sale of their products on a commission basis if the plan materializes. The agent will submit his plans for the company's approval and if found satisfactory the pumps and a 300-gallon capacity underground tank will be shipped up and installed in the near future. A filling station is a local necessity, with autos, gas engines, lighting systems and tractors on almost every farm and in almost every house, and the citizens are finding the gasoline question almost as vital as the grocery deals, and with the opportunity of securing gas in the home town and at a price similar to the city, both farmer and town man will realize the advantages offered and will hail the project with enthusiasm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom, Arthur and Annie Bloom, motored to Hazel last Sunday to visit with the J. Sjoberg people.

Nina and Tena Westby and Esther Thoreson left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls to attend the circus and call on friends.

Complimentary to her sister, Miss Gretchen Bartlett, Mrs. A. S. Holm entertained formally four friends at her home in town last Friday afternoon. Miss Bartlett, who has spent some time here as a guest with the Holm family, leaves on Saturday morning for her home at Browns Valley. The afternoon was pleasantly spent various indoor games and amusements being the chief diversion, besides conversation and getting acquainted in general. The following were the guests: Misses Elwla Nelson, Hannah Hellquist, Synneva Sorenson, Gretchen Bartlett and Mrs. Emil Anderson.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Anita has accepted a position as teacher at Rosebank school for a seven months' term to commence next October.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard and Edwin Lappegaard left last week Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls where they spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson and attended the county fair.

Henry Sagmoen, who has been employed at Hibbing for some time, arrived home on Saturday morning for a brief visit with his parents.

Miss Isabella Sagmoen, who has spent the last four months as a guest with her sister, Mrs. M. L. Furan, returned home last Friday.

Miss Viola Axelson was at Thief River Falls between trains last Thursday to visit with friends and attend the fair.

Mrs. Benhard Ranum left last Thursday for Minneapolis where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Roy Skinner, for a week.

Mrs. T. Holten left last week for Crookston where she will visit with relatives for some time.

Misses Gladys and Geneva Swenson left on Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls where they will spend the remainder of the week visiting with the Severt Brandon people and attend the fair.

Olaf Hall and Martin Alby left on Monday for Argyle where they will be employed during threshing.

Mrs. J. Blomquist, accompanied by her son, Albert, and two daughters, from Middle River, were in town last Sunday visiting at the Mrs. Eva Carlson home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson and family from Thief River Falls were in town last Sunday to visit with Mrs. Benson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

Miss Ella Nelson left on Sunday for Norden, where she will stay at her sister's home, Mrs. Ole Skaar, for some time. Mrs. Skaar's small baby had a leg broken in a fall on Sunday and Miss Ella will assist with the housework during his illness.

Miss Nellie Saustad of Holt was the guest of Miss Laura Kron a few days this week.

People from nearly every household attended the Pennington county fair last week. Most people went by car on Thursday afternoon and evening, and several visited with friends and relatives during their stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and children from Crookston, were in town last Sunday visiting at the Haugen Brothers' home.

—Trade at Home—

HOG PRICE STEADY AND CATTLE LOWER

Extra Supply of Dakota Grassers Cause Drop in South St. Paul Market.

Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul. The hog market held fairly steady last week and bulk of porkers sold at the finish on about the same basis as the opening. Top was advanced 25c for choice, well finished hogs but only a few loads of this variety were on sale. Extreme top was $15.25 with bulk at $14.25 to $14.50 and low end $13.75. Receipts were on the decline, less than 20,000 arriving. Stock pigs continued in good demand at prices generally 50c higher, sales being made at $8 to $14.50. Boars cashed at $5 to $8.

With a liberal supply of Dakota grassers and the first arrival from Montana, the annual fall run is beginning to get under way. A run of more than 11,000 Monday had a tendency to lower values and prices were clipped 25c to 50c on the average, the early days. When runs let up the last of the week, the market steadied some and closed about steady at the week's decline stated above. The best grassers are landing at $11 to $12 with corn-fed stuff selling at $12.50 to $13.50 and higher occasionally. The ordinary steers cashed at $6 to $9 mainly. In the cow and heifer division supplies were scant and quality rather plain. Most of the sales were made at $5.50 to $8 at the close with only choice stuff higher. Canners and cutters are quoted at $3.50 to $5.50 with bulls at $5 to $7.50 for the majority. Veal calves closed $1 lower with top at $14.50. Stocker and feeder trade was dull with supplies scant. There was a fair inquiry for good milkers and springers at $65 to $125. Receipts were around 26,000.

Sheep receipts fell far short of last week but prices took a drop. Lambs were quoted at $5 to $13 with ewes at $2.50 to $7.25. Wethers were rated at $4 to $8 and yearlings at $8 to $10. There was a light call for breeding ewes. Receipts were 12,000.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.21
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.16
Oats	.57
Flax	2.91
Barley	.81
Rye	1.75
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	7.50
Bran	2.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.00
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.00
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb.	5-6
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.25
Spring Chickens	.25
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.30
Dairy Butter	.35
Creamery butter	.57
Cow hides, per lb.	.10
Horse hides	3-4
Calf hides	.12
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.06
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows	.05
Lamb, per lb.	.09

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An extraordinary drama of unusual power, taken in the great Northwest.

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JOHN BRATRUD
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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AVERAGE YIELD INDICATED FOR COUNTY CROPS

Early Threshing Reports Show Wheat to Be of Good Quality But Not Heavy.

Rye Does Better While Oats and Flax Promise to Be the Banner Winners.

Corn Will Equal Last Year Unless Frost Occurs Before Its Maturity.

Nineteen-twenty will not be a bumper crop year in Pennington county, at least not so far as wheat is concerned. Early threshing reports indicate that an average yield of good quality is the best that can now be expected. The season would probably not have been a record-breaker under any circumstances, but the inroads made in a number of fields by rust cut the output below what was indicated.

But little wheat threshing has as yet been done, but there is enough to show that the quality will be better than last year while the quantity will be somewhat less. On the Rasmus Oen farm west of the city an average of 15 bushels to the acre was maintained while a particularly fine field on the Martin Rockstad place went 20 bushels. It is admitted that these are exceptional instances, however, and that the average for the county will not go over 12 bushels. Several loads brought to the Hanson-Barzen mill here went 59 pounds to the measured bushel.

Rye Stands Up Well.

Rye is turning out about as expected, although several unusual yields are reported. A seven acre plot on the Peter Engelstad farm in Rocksbury township threshed out 40 bushels to the acre, the entire field averaging 25 bushels. From every section of the county come reports of good rye yields, particularly where the seeding was done early in the fall.

Oats and Flax Leaders.

The verdict of experts is that not for years has the county produced an oat crop equal to the present. This condition holds good all through the county and will in a great measure make up for any shortcoming that may be found in the wheat yield.

Flax promises to be a bumper. The season has been most favorable to this grain, to which a very large acreage has this year been devoted. In some sections the straw is short but the heads appear well filled. Indications are that flax will be the county's best crop this year.

The Corn Outlook.

Unless early frost upsets all calculations the corn crop will equal that of last year, which was one of the best in the county's history. Corn is not as far advanced as was the case at this time last year, but the right kind of weather will place it beyond danger in a very short time.

—Trade at Home—

BACK FROM WEEK'S SOJOURN IN NORTH

Thief River Falls Men Have Wonderful Trip on Lake of the Woods.

R. W. Patterson, G. W. Werstlein and T. J. Austad returned last week from a six-day cruise among the 14,000 islands in the Lake of the Woods. They were members of a party led by W. T. Noonan of the Baudette Region, and assert that they had the time of their lives. Others in the party were: Louis L. Collins, Minneapolis, Republican candidate for lieutenant governor; Maj. H. L. Brady, Minneapolis; J. H. Kaisersatt and M. J. Desmond of the state auditor's office; Robert E. Delury, head of the state land reclamation department, Walker; Otto H. Diercks, state superintendent of timber; Roscoe Johnson, Hibbing, in charge of the state's automobiles; C. H. Mickelson, superintendent of Virginia and Rainy Lake Lumber company, Virginia; Earl A. Simpson, assistant state fire marshal, St. Paul; Iver Lund and N. A. Sneed, representing Duluth commercial houses.

The steamer Clipper, owned, commanded and operated by the Budreaus, had been chartered and the party spent most of the time on board, the sleeping accommodations being ample. While perhaps the poorest season of the entire year for fishing, a sufficient supply of pike and muskelonge was secured to satisfy the rather fearful appetites of even such a bunch as this. The weather was ideal and the only objection to be found was that it was sometimes necessary to sleep a little.

A great deal has been said and written about the Lake of the Woods and its wondrous islands, but no description can even remotely picture the facts. Nor can an idea of the lake's extent and picturesqueness be gained in a week's visit. It would be necessary to put in one entire season at least right on the spot in order to get any kind of an adequate notion of its varied points of interest and its surpassing beauty.

Indian villages were visited and the papooses treated to oranges and other good things. A large number of photographs were taken and every member of the party is awaiting the outcome of these with a great deal of interest. A trip was made to the fine little Canadian city of Kenora where the gang was shaved up and otherwise made presentable.

Capt. Budreau stated that other parties from Thief River Falls had indicated an intention of coming to the lake for a cruise later in the season. At that time the fishing will be much better—for those who find time to enjoy this pastime. The probabilities are, however, that on their first visit up there everyone will do just what this party did—be content to sit around and enjoy the most wonderful water trip on the American continent.

—Trade at Home—

Food Inspectors Busy.

J. Leonard and L. S. Munro, inspectors for the state dairy and food department, have recently made the rounds of this section in search of violators of the state pure food law. Geo. Nereson of Strandquist was convicted of selling eggs unfit for human food and as a result paid a fine of $50. Henry Georgen of St. Hilaire paid $15 for shipping eggs without candling cards, and the Hazel Mercantile company was assessed a similar sum for shipping a consignment of eggs unfit for food.

—Trade at Home—

ALLEGED MURDERER TAKEN BY SHERIFF

Pennington County Officer Captures Accused Man on Farm Near Warren.

Sheriff LaBree last Thursday afternoon placed under arrest a man wanted for murder by the authorities at Duluth. The accused man, who travels under the name of Andrew Koski and a number of aliases, was apprehended on the Robertson farm near Warren.

Officers from Duluth arrived on Friday and left the same evening with their prisoner. He is now behind the bars awaiting the outcome of his trial, which will likely take place in the near future. It is alleged that Koski murdered Jacob Carlson at Colvin, near Duluth, in June, 1919, his pal having been arrested and convicted of complicity in the crime some time ago. The pal, Wm. Kumpulu, is said to have confessed his part of the deed, maintaining that Koski did the actual killing.

Koski has been employed on the Robertson farm for several months and his arrest resulted from a circular issued by Duluth officers, giving his description and offering a reward of $500 for his arrest. When arrested Koski stoutly maintained that he was not the man wanted, but after being in charge of the sheriff for a while he admitted his identity, denying however that he had fired the shot which killed Carlson.

—Trade at Home—

BASE BALL SEASON CLOSES IN VICTORY

St. Hilaire Outclassed at Every Turn By Locals in Last Sunday's Game.

The official base ball season for Thief River Falls closed last Sunday when the locals took the St. Hilaire team into camp by a score of 14 to 8. The game was a slugging match from start to finish as far as the Thief River lads were concerned and they simply pounded the ball all over the lot.

A fair sized crowd was out to witness the game and everybody had his money's worth. Considering the fact that Thief River Falls has not had a salaried team in any sense of the term during the past season, a splendid record has been established. Some of the strongest teams in this section of the state have been defeated by the locals, and about the only games lost were those in which a strong bunch of professionals was lined up on the opposing team.

Interest in base ball has not been at white heat during the past season, however, and attendance has been far below normal at games played on the local diamond. As a result the boys were lucky to close the season with a small balance in the treasury, even after every man of the team had donated his time and services.

—Trade at Home—

Thormodson to Run Again For Congress Next Fall

At a meeting of the officials of the Farmers' Nonpartisan League and the Working Peoples' Nonpartisan Political League held at Crookston, Sunday afternoon, N. E. Thormodson of Dalton, defeated candidate for the Republican nomination for congressman at the June primaries, was endorsed for the office. Thormodson will be put on the ballot as an independent by a petition, which was started circulating at once. About 500 signers will be necessary to place Thormodson's name on the ticket.

By the entry of Thormodson three men will be on the ballot at the fall elections. They are Congressman Halvor Steenerson, present incumbent, Frank Jeffers, democrat, Red Lake Falls and Thormodson.

Quite a delegation from Thief River Falls was present at the Crookston meeting, most of them making the trip by automobile.

—Trade at Home—

Taken to Alexandria.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree on Monday arrested Martin Swanson near Holt upon the request of Alexandria authorities. The man was wanted in Douglass county on a statutory charge and a deputy sheriff came up for him that same evening. Swanson has been released on bail.

RED LAKE ROAD PLANS STARTED BY VALLEY MEN

Permanent Business Organization Formed to Back Popular Highway Project.

Meeting Called By Mayor Taralseth of Warren Attended By Many Boosters.

Preliminary Work to Be Taken Up at Once—Officers and Directors Chosen.

One of the most widely attended and most enthusiastic gatherings held in the Red River valley for some time was the meeting called at Warren Tuesday evening by Mayor R. B. Taralseth for the purpose of considering the proposition of securing a road to Red Lake. The meeting was called with a view to forming an organization to push the matter of constructing the highway, and the movement was given a good impetus.

The matter of a good road to Red Lake is one of importance to the entire valley. Such a highway would open to the public Minnesota's great playground and make of it one of the most popular resorts in the state.

Valley Well Represented.

Delegates were present at the meeting from all sections of Northwestern Minnesota, and every man present was a genuine booster for the program.

A permanent organization, to be known as the Red Lake Highway association, was formed at the meeting and the following officers were elected: Daniel Shaw, Thief River Falls, president; Julius J. Olson, Warren, 1st vice president; C. R. Gillespie, Stephen, 2nd vice president; Dan Robertson, Argyle, 3rd vice president; Scott Laird, Thief River Falls, secretary; C. L. Hansen, Thief River Falls, treasurer. These officers, together with the following, constitutes the board of directors: J. P. Jensen, Goodridge; Geo. Johnson, Grygla; Carl Hanson, Newfolden; A. C. Kvennes, Middle River; J. N. Lodoen, Alvarado; J. C. Figenskau, Oslo and I. M. Myrbo, Viking.

Seek Steenerson's Aid.

A committee was appointed to interview Congressman Steenerson at Crookston at the earliest possible moment in connection with the proposed highway. This committee is composed of B. B. Brett, Stephen; Julius J. Olson, Warren; Dan Robertson, Argyle; L. Lamberson, Warren and Daniel Shaw, Thief River Falls.

It is understood that Mr. Steenerson has a feasible plan for financing the construction of the highway and much good is expected to result from the conference at Crookston. Immediately following this meeting the directors will be called to formulate further plans of action.

Plan Membership Drive.

It was decided that the larger the membership of the association the greater its influence and the greater its chance of accomplishing its aims. For the purpose of increasing the membership the vice presidents, secretary and treasurer were each appointed a committee of one to solicit memberships in their respective communities. In order to provide funds for incidental expenses a minimum membership fee of $1 was decided upon.

Large Attendance.

The following were present at the Warren meeting and took active part in the proceedings: G. W. Booren, F. H. Herrick, John Bratrud, Loren Johnston, W. S. Sylvester, E. M. Schutt, O. F. Mellby, W. W. Prichard, Jr., J. M. Bishop, C. M. Adkins, E. O. Mogensen, C. L. Hansen, E. M. Bennes, H. W. Protzeller, G. W. Connell, Math Barzen, A. H. Akre G. W. Werstlein, H. O. Loken, J. Provencher, R. H. Ross, F. J. Stebbins, Daniel Shaw, T. L. Melgaard, all of Thief River Falls; I. M. Myrbo, Viking; Carl Hanson, Newfolden; B. B. Brett, Stephen; C. R. Gillespie, Stephen; D. Robertson, Argyle; J. P. Jensen, N. Bundlund, A. B. Mandt, N. H. Dahl, Carl Christianson, M. G. Thorson, all of Goodridge; L. Lamberson, C. L. Stevens, Rasmus Hage, C. Wittensten, A. E. Mattson, A. B. Nelson, A. N. Ekstrom, Maynard L. Johnson, Carl O. Knutson, I. A. Grindeland, H. M. Swanson, C. E. Lundquist, Julius J. Olson, R. B. Taralseth, all of Warren.

—Trade at Home—

John L. Melgaard Named Naval School Candidate

John L. Melgaard, son of T. L. Melgaard, cashier of the Citizens' State bank, Thief River Falls, on Monday was notified by Congressman Halvor Steenerson that he had been nominated for examination to be held next spring for admission to the United States Naval Academy at Annapolis in June, 1921.

John is highly elated over his good fortune and expects to take advantage of the opportunity. He graduated from the local high school last year and plans to attend an institution of higher learning until the time for his Annapolis examination arrives. His friends congratulate him upon his good fortune and feel sure he will have no difficulty in passing the tests necessary to insure his admission to the naval academy.

Says Our Section Beats Anything in the North

State Forester W. T. Cox was in the city a short time on Sunday, enroute to Roseau county where forest fires are said to be gaining sufficient headway to require his attention. With him was a gentleman representing the Curtis publications—Saturday Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal and Country Gentleman. This agent had just come from a trip through northern Michigan, Wisconsin and northeastern Minnesota and is now covering the prairie towns for his papers. He stated that he could not for the life of him see why any sane man would settle down in a timber region while there remained so much unoccupied land in a part of the country actually awaiting the plow. "I know you have a good soil," he said, "because weeds seem to flourish where they are not kept down. It has been my experience that any section capable of producing weeds will produce food crops if given a chance."

—Trade at Home—

AMERICAN WOMEN GIVEN SUFFRAGE; TENNESSEE ACTS

Action Will Enable 17,000,000 Women to Vote in Presidential Election.

Tennessee yesterday became the thirty-sixth state to ratify the Susan B. Anthony Federal suffrage amendment.

The constitutional change thus will become effective in time for the 17,000,000 women of the country to vote in the presidential election in November, unless the lower house of the Tennessee assembly rescinds its action of yesterday in adopting the ratification resolution, 49 to 47.

Bells and whistles are to sound in all parts of Minnesota Saturday noon to proclaim the passage which gives all women in the United States the right to vote at the November election on the same terms with the men. The Minnesota legislature ratified in special session Sept. 8, 1919, the 15th to ratify.

—Trade at Home—

PARALYSIS RESULT OF SUDDEN PLUNGE

Glenn C. Anderson Stricken While Bathing at Grand Forks Last Sunday.

Glenn C. Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson of this city, is lying in a partially paralyzed condition at his home in Grand Forks, the result of a most unusual occurance. He was suddenly stricken while in bathing on Sunday, and while his condition is somewhat improved, it is still such as to cause the gravest concern.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, accompanied by their other children, went to Grand Forks on Sunday to visit Glenn's family. About 5 o'clock in the afternoon all went down to the public swimming pool and the younger members of the family went in bathing. Glenn plunged into the pool and Mr. Anderson noticed him come up with his face toward the surface and surmised from his look that something was wrong. The bather sank at once and his father rushed to the water's edge and called the attention of others to the situation. The young man was taken out at once and medical assistance summoned. It was found that no water had entered his lungs but that his body was almost entirely paralyzed. He has improved so far as to be able to move his arms to some extent but the greater part of his body is devoid of feeling. He is conscious and rational and the doctors hold out hope that he will eventually fully recover.

—Trade at Home—

GOODRIDGE MAKING GREAT FAIR PLANS

Second Annual Event to Surpass Last Year's Effort in Every Respect.

Now that the county fair is a thing of the past it is time to recall that another fair is to be held in the county at no distant date. This exhibition is the second annual Tri-County fair to be held at Goodridge Sept. 21 and 22. Last year the fair was an eye-opener to those who visited it and those in charge of arrangements promise even better things for the second exhibition.

The Tri-County fair is intended primarily for the country surrounding Goodridge, comprising parts of Pennington, Marshall and Beltrami counties. This section of country finds it inconvenient to make creditable showings at the regular county fairs owing to distance and poor transportation facilities, and to overcome this difficulty prominent men got together last year and perfected plans to conduct a fair at a more central point.

It is proposed to show at the forthcoming exhibition what this comparatively new section of country has done in the matter of producing live stock, grains and other farm products. The country is developing by leaps and bounds and for this reason many do not realize the progress which has been made.

In addition to the exhibits the management also is making arrangements for a program of high grade attractions as an inducement for people to visit the fair. Thief River Falls will be there en masse and it is not likely that other parts of the county will fail to do their share.

LOCAL SCHOOLS ALL READY FOR GREATEST YEAR

Fall Term Opens on Tuesday Morning, Sept. 5—To Organize Monday.

New Methods Introduced By School Board With Regard to Text Books.

Every Position on Staff Filled and Indications Point to Banner Year.

Vacation days are nearly over and on Tuesday, Sept. 7, teachers and pupils will be on hand to take up the duties of the new school year. Much preliminary organization work is planned for Monday, the 6th, among which is a meeting of teachers and the superintendent to map out work for the year.

On Tuesday morning teachers and pupils will be in their places ready to go to work in earnest. Present indications are that all former attendance records will be shattered and preparations are under way to care for a larger number than ever before.

Changes of Method.

Several radical changes have been made with regard to text books and other school matters. It has been decided by the board that free books will no longer be furnished in the high school, and therefore each pupil will be called upon to provide whatever books are necessary for his or her own use.

When it is considered that text books for the high school last year involved about $1,500 and that a large part of this was used in purchasing equipment for pupils residing outside of the district, the justice of the board's decision at once becomes apparent.

New Supply System.

Another new departure is the appointment of a purchasing agent for the district. M. A. Schmitt, industrial training teacher, has been chosen for this position and hereafter will be in charge of the purchase of all supplies. This undoubtedly will prove a vast improvement over methods employed in the past as it will remove all confusion and duplication in the purchase of material, books and equipment.

Corps of Teachers.

Supt. W. A. Ziegler announces that a full corps of teachers has been secured, and he believes it to be a very efficient force. It will be noted that a large number of the instructors have taught in the Thief River Falls schools during previous terms, and all others are teachers who have had successful careers in other places. Miss Ella Evans, principal last year, had agreed to return for another term, but ill health forced a change in her plans and she will be compelled to give up teaching for the present at least.

Complete Teaching Staff.

Following is the complete staff of instructors for the coming school year: W. A. Ziegler, superintendent; L. N. Pierce, principal of high school; Irene Patrick, assistant principal, English III and IV; Minnie Leavitt, English I; Margaret Dix, English II; Margaret Mealy and Amelia Hoorn, mathematics; Zella Zeh, commercial; Esther Johnson, domestic science; Lillian Poppitz, domestic art; Signe Svedal, Norse and botany; Maude Johnson, music; Albert Tommeraasen, mathematics and physical training; F. A. Tripp, agriculture; M. A. Schmitt and C. Pope, industrial training; Ruth Elliott, history; G. B. Melby, science; Dora Perry and Marguerite Ober, Normal.

Washington Building—Blandine Belanger, 6th grade; Edna Larson, 5th grade and principal; Gladys Smith, 3rd grade; Edna Byff and Alice Benson, 2nd grade; Minnie Schmit, 1st grade.

Northrup Building—Ella Pelto, 6th grade and principal; May Bark, 5th grade; Ada Whipps and Katherine Smith, 4th grade; Lovina Adams and Valborg Sandum, 3rd grade; Hildegard Kleber and Carrie Trogan, 2nd grade; Viola Nepper and Estella Hoyt, 1st grade.

Knox Building—Inez Howe, 6th grade and principal; Ella Miller, 5th grade; Mary Grizold and Florence Nylander, 4th grade; Florence Fjelstad, 3rd grade; Olga Lofgren and Jane Morley, 2nd grade; Olga Lindquist, 1st grade.

Central Building—Ida Tandberg, 8th grade and principal; Mrs. L. N. Pierce and Maude Frizzell, 8th grade; Lyda Batten, Gerda Mortenson, Margaret Jordan and Lorna Dodge, 7th grade; Ruth Friestedt, kindergarten.

—Trade at Home—

Octogenarian Surprised at North State Progress

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist returned Sunday evening from an auto trip of a month during which time they visited at a number of points in west-central and southern Minnesota. On their return they were accompanied by an uncle of Mrs. Dalquist, August Brokopf, an old settler in the Alexandria neighborhood, having taken up a homestead there 50 years ago. The old gentleman is now in his 84th year and this is the first time he has made a trip into the northern part of the state. He was greatly surprised at the agricultural progress evinced on every hand as he had expected to find more or less of a wilderness. Mr. Brokopf is spending part of the time visiting the Becker families near Goodridge, these being also kinsfolk.

Mr. Dalquist states that from Sauk Center northward the crops look fine but that farther south the situation is not so good. He says that every time he gets away from Thief River Falls for a short time the old town looks better to him upon his return.

—Trade at Home—

Record Not Complete.

G. Howard Smith, secretary of the local Legion Post, has been notified that the records in connection with the claim for additional compensation of David Jones, 102 1-2 First street, city, and Fritz Friskevold, Goodridge, are not complete in that there is no report of a physical examination. If these parties will apply to Mr. Smith they will learn the details with regard to this matter.

—Trade at Home—

Little Girl Breaks Arm.

The eight-year-old daughter of P. P. Swanson, residing west of Thief River Falls, fell from a box while at play on Saturday and fractured the bone in one of her arms. The fracture was reduced and the little girl is getting along as well as can be expected.

—Trade at Home—

NEW PASTOR TAKES CHARGE OF TRINITY

Rev. T. E. Sweger Formally Takes Over Pastorate of Lutheran Church.

Before an audience which filled all the available space in Trinity Lutheran church, Rev. T. E. Sweger, formerly of Cooperstown, N. D., on Sunday formally assumed charge as pastor for the congregation. The impressive ceremony of installation was conducted by Rev. I. T. Aastad, for more than 20 years pastor of the same church and now president of the Northern Minnesota district. His address to the members of the congregation was an elegant plea for cooperation and consideration on the part of all concerned. He dwelt impressively on the duty of the people toward the man who had been called to lead the work of the church in the city and neighborhood and maintained that without the hearty support of those under his charge much of his efforts must necessarily be wasted. A pastor's duty is not confined to preaching alone, said Rev. Aastad, a large share of his work being of a different nature entirely. For this reason too much is often expected. It is not sufficient nowdays that a minister confine himself to teaching the lessons of the Bible—he must also be a civic and social leader in his community. This has made the exactions of the calling doubly hard and the facts should be considered in case either side at times concluded that a cause for fault-finding had developed. It was an excellent sermon and full of sound common sense.

Rev. Sweger preached the regular sermon for the day, taking occasion during his remarks to present his position to his hearers. He bespoke for himself the kindly offices of every organization within the congregation and only hoped that he might prove worthy of the place and equal to the responsibility. Rev. Sweger is an eloquent, forceful speaker and his unassuming manner and deep earnestness made a most favorable impression.

Solos by Mrs. O. F. Mellby and Dr. J. N. Nesse, song by a quartet composed of Miss Edna Larson, Miss Josie Weeks, Reuben Teslow and Arthur Rholl, and a pipe organ selection by Elnor Overland, interspersed the proceedings.

—Trade at Home—

TO AFFILIATE WITH STATE FEDERATION

Five Thief River Falls Labor Unions Apply For Membership Charter.

The organized working men of Thief River Falls at a meeting last Thursday evening unanimously voted to affiliate with the State Federation of Labor and an organization of the local unit will be effected as soon as the charter arrives. E. G. Hall, president of the state body, was at the meeting for the purpose of assisting the members in getting the right start.

Unions applying for the charter are the following: International Typographical No. 850; Carmen's No. 747; Electrical Workers' No. 1088; Retail Clerks No. 513; Carpenters No. 2480. The action also makes these unions members of the American Federation of Labor.

The name under which the new organization will operate has not yet been chosen, this being a matter left to be decided at a later date, when officers will also be chosen. At the present time these five unions have a membership of about 175, which will be increased to at least 300 when the machinists, boilermakers and railway clerks, who have signified their intention of joining, are admitted.

One of the first matters coming up for consideration by the new labor unit will be a Labor Day parade and celebration. In this matter the Federation men expect to be joined by the railway brotherhoods.

—Trade at Home—

Bible Chautauqua.

"What is the most acceptable service to God?" will be the subject for Friday evening, Aug. 20, at the Chautauqua tent. On Sunday evening, Aug. 22: "Who is Elijah the Prophet that is to Come Before the Great and Terrible Day of the Lord?" A cordial invitation is extended to all Scandinavians.

LEGION STAGES FINE PROGRAM OF AUTO RACES

Speed Kings to Furnish Thrills Galore at Fair Grounds on Sunday, August 29.

Greatest Event of Its Kind Ever Staged By Soldier Post in the Northwest.

One Unusual Feature Will Be Race Between Plane, Automobile and Motorcycle.

Speed demons from all over the northwest will congregate at Thief River Falls on Sunday, Aug. 29, for the purpose of competing in the races staged by Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion. The card is the most varied and interesting of any that has been presented to the public this year in Minnesota and it is expected that people will come from long distances to witness the contests. These races fall on the date of the Elks' picnic and there will be many visitors from nearby points in the city for the purpose of attending this outing. In order not to conflict in any way with the doings of the Elks it has been decided to begin the race program at 4 o'clock and continuing until about 8.

Noted Riders Coming.

Among the famous drivers who will be present to compete in the races are John Lee, Fargo, who pilots an Elgin; Larry Finlayson, Breckenridge; Pepper of Ada; Gust Forseth, Grand Forks; J. M. Barlett, Winnipeg, all of whom will drive Ford Specials, and Joe Morris of Bemidji, whose intention it is to prove that a Jewett Special has it over them all.

The International Flying Circus will have an airplane on the ground in charge of one of the most intrepid airmen connected with that organization. Many stunts not heretofore seen in this section will be performed, the circus to wind up with a race between the airplane, an automobile and a motorcycle.

Committees in Charge.

The following committee has been appointed by the legion to be in charge of the race meet: G. Howard Smith, chairman; Hugh McDaniel, Fred D. Haug, Omer Anderson, L. C. Nielsen and Ed. Brevig. The local track will be put in the best shape possible and it may safely be assumed that a number of records will be hung up.

A committee has been chosen by the legion to look after the matter of concessions, the following being placed in charge of this part of the program: Hal Stanton, chairman; G. H. Husby, Oscar Smith, Harold Provencher, Walter Jonas, Alvin Holzknecht and Derby Anderson.

—Trade at Home—

SECTION PROMISED CARS WHEN NEEDED

Congressman Steenerson Says Northwest Grain Will Be Taken Care Of.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson returned last week from Washington where he represented the ninth congressional district and the Red River Valley Development association in the grain car hearing before the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Steenerson declared that although the car situation was unquestionably serious he did not believe a car famine would exist this fall which would prevent the northwest grain supply from being moved. He said the interstate commerce commission had promised the northwestern roads would have as many cars to ship grain as they owned and he believed this would enable the crop to be moved, although slowly.

Cars for the potato crop would also be forthcoming, according to Mr. Steenerson's belief, but he declared all potato growers should plan for storing their crop as frost might come before the cars were available.

—Trade at Home—

Music Conservatory Will Be Established Here Soon

A conservatory of music will be opened in Thief River Falls about Sept. 1, according to announcement of those who have the plan under consideration. The school is to be located in the McGinn building and will open with a full staff of teachers. Departments will be provided for piano, violin, viola, harmony and voice culture.

Those interested in music will be glad to learn that it has been possible to secure a first-class conservatory for Thief River Falls. Indications are that the school will be well patronized and it undoubtedly will prove a success from the beginning.

—Trade at Home—

Kicked By Horse.

John Smedberg, working on the Rowe farm west of the city, was the victim of an accident last week which gave him a broken knee cap. Smedberg was riding one horse and leading another, when the horses began to kick at one another with the result that the rider's knee got in the way of a particularly vicious kick. The wound was attended to by a physician and the injury, though very painful, is only temporary.

LOKEN BROTHERS
BLACKBOARD SALE

OFFERS a merchandise event without an equal in Northern Minnesota. This Big Sale comes to you by mail in the form of six full pages of advertising, besides these two pages in The Times. Months of careful planning and the purchase of thousands of dollars worth of merchandise was required in our preparedness program for this our second annual big Blackboard Sale, which lasts for one week only.

Sale Starts Sat., August 21, Ends Sat., August 28

Exceptional Values in Dry Goods, Cotton Goods and New Silks

18c	25c	35c	5c	15c	35c	$1.00	39c	48c
Per yard for American Best Prints and Calicos. Over 100 patterns to choose from in all shades: Dark, light and grey.	Per yard for Dress Ginghams; a big variety of new plaids, stripes, checks, etc. Over 2,000 yards on this sale.	Per yard for the best standard Dress Ginghams. Sold at 45c and 50c per yard everywhere. A wonderful range of over 100 beautiful patterns to choose from	Per yard for a big selection of all kinds of Lace Insertions—10c, 15c and 18c values. A wonderful value at, now only 5c per yard.	Per yard for a big selection of all kinds of Lace Edgings, values that cannot be duplicated today for less than 25c.	Per yard for standard 36-in. yard wide Percales; choice of over 4,000 yards in light grounds, navys, black, grey, checks, and stripes.	Per yard for wool-finished 36-in. plaid dress goods. Just the best kind of material for girls' school dresses.	per tube Pepsodent or Pebeco Tooth Paste. Sold everywhere at from 50c to 60c. Lay in a supply at 39c plus war tax of 2c.	Per yard for all our 65c value. Tissue Ginghams; a nice little assortment of dainty patterns, Special for this sale, at per yard, 48c.

Another Wonderful Purchase of Dependable Merchandise

$4.50 Skinner's Silks..........$3.50	36 inch Silk Tricolette..........$3.50	$5.00 Malisons Silks go at..........$3.50	$5.00, $4.00 and $3.50 Printed Georgettes.
Just received a full line of Skinner's famous No. 404 Satins, 36-in. Taffetas, and Skinner's famous yard-wide Satin linings. All $4.50 values this sale, at yard $3.50	The finest all pure Silk Tricolettes, in all leading new shades. Silks that sold this spring at $8.50 per yard. Now your choice, per yard $3.50	40 inch Malisons Foulards, 40 in. Satin Twills, 40 in. Broche Ground Prints, 40 in. Pussy Willow Taffetas, 40 in. Cheney Bros. shower-proof Foulards; all in one lot at yard $3.50	A wonderful selection of beautiful patterns in flowered Georgettes, and Satin striped Georgettes. All to go at this exceptional low price, per yard $2.69

Our Entire Stock of Printed 36 and 40 in. Cotton Voiles go on Sale

at 39c per yard	at 58c per yard	at 85c per yard	at 99c per yard
Come and take your choice of any of our 50c, 59c 60c and 65c Voiles, at yard 39c	Your choice of a very fine selection of 85c values. Entire lot at the price of 58c	Come take your choice out of any of our $1.25 values. This Sale only, at per yard 85c	Our entire assortment of $1.50 fancy French Voiles will go on this Sale at only, per yard 99c

25c	39c	69c	Ladies' Silk Hose Sale	99c	88c	39c
Per pair for ladies' black Hose; all sizes, included. Limit not over 3 pair to a customer.	Per pair for; your choice of our entire stock of 50c and 65c Cutie Children's Half Hose.	Per pair for ladies' Cape and Chameuse $1.35 value ladies' Gloves.	120 Pair of ladies' fine Silk Hose, black only. A special purchase of $2.00 values for this sale $1.25 144 Pair of our regular stock of $1.85 ladies' Silk Hose in all sizes, black, brown and white, at per pair $1.58 125 Pair of our regular stock of $2.25 ladies' Silk Hose; all sizes, black, brown and white, at per pair $1.89 48 Pair of ladies $2.50 values in Silk Hose; all sizes; colors, black, brown and white, at per pair $1.98 Ladies' very fine full fashioned $3.75 Silk Hose, all sizes; colors, white embroidered in black, black embroidered in white, white and black, at per pair $2.95	For $1.50 ladies' Union Suits. Only 30 suits in all sizes left. An unusual value.	For $1.25 ladies Union Suits; 36 well made garments to choose from.	Per yard for 50c and 60c wide fancy Ribbons; 100 bolts to choose from, at per yard, 39c.
↑	69c Choice of 36 ladies' $1 value Union Suits. $1.00 value, now 69c	$1.48 Buys our $2.50 Silk top ladies' Union Suits. This price good on this Sale only.		$1.48 For $2.00 ladies Union Suits. 24 splendid summer Suits offered in this lot.	19c For 25c size Solgate's Talcum; all odors, per can 19c.	↑

Make a Visit to Our Bargain Basement for Money Saving Values

Palm Olive Soap.	Kitchen Klenser	Medicated Cuticura Soap	17-in. Turkish Toweling	1,000 cards of Buttons	Safety Pins	5c per pkg.	Ladies' fine Gauze Vests
10c per bar, 3 for 25c	5c per can.	7c per bar, 4 for 25c	at only per yd. 29c	10c, 25c, and 35c values; all sizes and all kinds, at, per card 5c.	only 3c per dozen.	of 3 yards of Stickerie Edging sold everywhere at from 10 to 15c.	Special, at, each
10c	5c	7c	29c	5c	3c	5c	25c

Loken Brothers Department Store, Thief River Falls, Minnesota

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BLACKBOARD SALE

Commencing now, just at harvest time, brimfull of wonder values, just at the right time when you need lots of goods most, this sale will draw more and bigger crowds than any other sale ever put over in Thief River Falls. Be sure and be here and get your share while the assortments are full and complete. This sale lasts one week only, commencing Saturday, August 21 and ending Saturday, August 28.

Women's, Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear
On Sale That Will Clear Them Out at Once

69c

for all sizes in Women's Smocks and Waists. The values will surprise you.

$1.69

Your choice of a big rack of women's Aprons, all styles, all sizes. The values are our regular $3.00 and $2.50 aprons.

Girls' Gingham Dresses For School Days

The use of gingham as an all-the-year fabric is ever on the increase. It is the only wash fabric made with a range of Fall patterns as well as Spring designs. Its weight and weave make it a most satisfactory material for wear in homes and schoolhouses which are kept at summer heat all the year.

Lot One consists of 60 girls' Gingham Dresses, in sizes 4 to 16 years. The values are $2.50 to $5.95. Come take your choice at

25 per cent off

Lot Two consists of 200 of our best desirable girls' New Gingham Dresses, all sizes, all best styles. Special for this week only, your choice at

10 per cent off

50 New Women's Gingham Dresses.

Very good styles; all sizes. Mostly Mina Taylor make. Priced at $5.95 to $9.95. Special this sale

20 per cent off

Wonderful Market Purchase.

Ladies' Net and Voile high grade Waists.

$5.95 values in Net Waists, Now choice each.......... **$1.99**

$7.50 values in Voile Waists, Now choice each.......... **$3.95**

39c

for girls' Black Satin Bloomers; sizes 2 years to 12 years.

99c

Girls' White Lawn Dresses; sizes 4 to 14 years. Surprising values. Choice, each..........99c

Choice of 18 Wool Serge Ladies' & Misses' Dresses at Just Half Price

$1.68	Half Price				20% off	$1.25
for high grade black Satin Petticoats.	Half Price on a lot of Silk and Serge women's Skirts.	Choice of all remaining Voile Dresses, also Middy Dresses; sizes 14, 16 and 18. Half Price.	Four beautiful Net Dresses, $25.00, $29.75 and $35 values. Choice Half Price.	8 Jap Kimonas, $5.95 values. Now, each $3.98	on all children's Gingham Petticoats, now 80c on the Dollar.	each for children's blue, pink and striped Rompers.

HERE ARE SOME VERY GOOD SHOE VALUES

It will mean a Big Saving to you if you buy what you need in Shoes during this Sale. Be sure to fit the children out for school which will start before very long.

Ladies' Gray Kid Shoes, Kid and Cloth tops, Military heel. Sale price **$7.95**

Ladies' Patent Leather, Matt Top Louis covered heel. Sale price **$8.95**

Ladies' Brown Calf skin walking Shoes, Munson last, low heel. Sale price **$8.95**

Ladies' Kid Shoes, Louis Leather heel. Sale price **$7.50**

Growing girls' black calf skin low heel, Goodyear welt sole. Sale price **$9.00**

Growing girls' Kid, low heel, Goodyear welt sole. Sale price **$10.00**

Misses' brown Elk, Goodyear welt sole. The strongest shoe made Sale price **$5.65**

Misses Pollyanna Gun metal Goodyear welt. Sale price **$4.65**

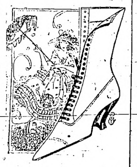

ON OUR BARGAIN TABLE

Ladies' and growing girls' Shoes in Kid, Brown calf, and Gun metal, leathers; sizes 2½ to 8.	Misses' and boys' smoked Elk skin; sizes 11½ to 2.	Misses' Shoes, black, Kid, Gun metal and brown calf skins; sizes 11½ to 2.	Children's Shoes in black, Kid, Gun metal and brown calf.
Very Special at $4.95	Very Special at $3.85	Very Special at $3.85	Very Special at $3.55

All Low Cut Shoes Selling at 20 per cent off

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SHOULD INTEREST OTHERS.

There is danger that the Guernsey cattle exhibit which made such a reputation for the county at five different county fairs will not be taken to the state fair in September. This is greatly to be regretted.

It seems as if a way should be found to make it possible for these exceptional cattle to be seen at the biggest fair in the United States. The owners, who themselves financed the former trip, do not feel that they can spare the time and money necessary to place the stock on exhibition at Hamline. It means a considerable outlay of money and absence from the farm at a time when the owner's presence there is most urgently needed. The Pennington County Guernsey Breeders association hardly feels justified in bearing the expense of an enterprise by which the entire community benefits.

The people of Thief River Falls—and the entire county for that matter—have invested so much money at different times for advertising and propoganda work, the value of which was problematical, that it would seem as if there should be a way in which undertakings of undoubted value could be financed. Our bankers and business men have at all times shown a commendable inclination to assist in any project that even promised to help the section's reputation as a farming and stock-raising community, and they would probably do so again if the matter were presented to them in the proper light. It would require no great sum and the undoubted results would without question more than justify the outlay. Competent judges have stated that the Pennington county Guernseys exhibited in Northwestern Minnesota and the two Dakota fairs this year would stand up in competition with the best there is in any locality. Such being the case, the more folks that are made acquainted with the fact the better for the entire region.

The county group contents promise to develop the hottest competition of the show. Under this classification, a group of 10 head of pure bred cattle, of either sex and any age, but one breed, may be entered by any county in Minnesota. The animals in any group must be owned by at least three exhibitors and must have been shown in open lots. Only one group of any breed may be entered by a county.

This fits the Pennington county situation exactly. Shall we get together and have our Guernseys bring back the bacon from the biggest show on Earth?

NO MORE THAN RIGHT.

The school board of District No. 18 has decided not to furnish free text books to students at the high school hereafter. The step may seem rather unusual but there is sound reasoning behind the board's action.

Few high schools in the state are situated as that at Thief River Falls with regard to attendance. It is the largest in the state outside the principal cities and draws pupils from a vast territory. This has had the effect of bringing the number in attendance up to a point that is out of proportion to our population and the cost naturally is beginning to bear down heavily on the taxpayers of the district.

There is no way in which these outside pupils can be forced to pay a tuition fee if the district is to receive anything in the way of high school aid from the state. One of the conditions attending the distribution of this aid is that pupils from any part of the state must be taken in free of charge. A law providing for a small fee was passed at the last session of the legislature but it does not begin to cover the actual cost of providing a high school education for these outsiders.

The cost of text books for the high school is a considerable item and it certainly is no more than right that the pupils themselves should pay for them. This is particularly so in the case of those not residents of the district, but as there is no way in which a ruling can be made unless it applies to all, the board decided that this would prove the best way out of the difficulty.

There is certainly nothing unreasonable about this decision. The students will be required to provide the books they themselves use and these will be their property when the course is completed. Those among us who went to school at a time when the pupil had to furnish everything from penwipers to histories will not be able to work up any great amount of sympathy over the situation—particularly when it is realized that if this action had not been taken we would be called upon to foot the book bill of a whole lot of young folks who do not belong here and have no very well defined claim upon us.

ONE CONTINUOUS WASTE.

We sometimes wonder if the citizens who are objecting to paving on the score of expense realize just how much it costs every year to maintain our streets in their present unsatisfactory condition. The money expended to keep the thoroughfares of the business district in even passable shape would pay the interest on a considerable sum.

Those who pay attention to such matters will have noticed that when the proceedings of the city council are published in The Times every two weeks, there is an item of about $500 each time for street work. The bills are all absolutely proper and no fault is to be found with the way the work has been done, nor can its necessity be questioned. In fact where criticism is heard at all it is to the effect that more work should be done and the dragging crew more often in evidence.

Approximately $1,000 is spent during the open months of the year in this manner. During the winter this particular item of upkeep does not appear but the expense is there in some other form just the same. It is safe to say that our streets are at the present time costing us $10,000 every year. A large part of this expense will be done away with when the streets are paved, the costly grading process being at least eliminated. And just think of the difference in convenience and satisfaction.

The more this paving matter is considered the more plain it becomes that the city is a loser by the delay. Instead of trying to find methods by which the work can still further be postponed it would be the part of wisdom to try and discover some means by which the undertaking may be rushed to a conclusion with the least possible delay.

LABOR FOR GOOD ROADS.

The action of the State Federation of Labor and the Working Peoples Nonpartisan League in indorsing Amendment No. 1 will prove a great boost for the proposed law. Laboring men realize that most of the money expended will go toward paying for labor, the material bill being small in comparison.

This decision on the part of the organized laborers of the state means more than appears on the surface. Placing themselves back of the candidates for office endorsed by the Nonpartisan League, it will be impossible for the latter to oppose the passage of a law endorsed by the workingmen without making their entire campaign ridiculous. Farmers generally have not opposed the Babcock amendment, but there is no denying the fact that the leaders of the Nonpartisan League have regarded the proposition with suspicion. If the farmers and workingmen are to work together in the campaign it will not be possible for the former to maintain their present attitude toward this important measure. They cannot very well combine on candidates and remain in opposition as to principles.

ON THE RIGHT TRACK.

The water supply of the city has again been condemned by the state health authorities and all persons are warned against using it for drinking purposes. The warning is timely as carelessness in this respect might be followed by serious consequences.

The city council is fully awake to the danger of the situation and has already considered plans for remedying it. A filtration plant seems to present the only solution and its immediate installation is the crying necessity of the hour. An unlimited supply of very good water flows past the city and it is almost a disgrace that our people must still depend on back-yard pumps for one of their foremost necessities. With the rapid growth of the city it is certain that even this source cannot long remain uncontaminated.

The fact that the city spent quite a lot of money a few years ago in an attempt to secure a supply of pure water through another channel and failed has nothing to do with the case. The council and citizens at that time took the steps that seemed to them best and the failure should not be charged against them. It should also be remembered that the money at that time expended is not a total loss. The reservoir will be needed for a filtration system and the mains laid will in the near future be necessary anyway. Thus the cost of actual drilling is the only item to be charged as a loss. But that is all past and gone anyway. What we want now is pure water and the only way to get it is by using the supply furnished by the Red Lake river and installing a filtration plant.

They Are Satisfied.

(Red Lake Falls Gazette.)

Dr. Kessler, superintendent of the Sunnyrest Sanitorium for Tuberculosis at Crookston in speaking of general health matters in this part of the state, stated that in his opinion better ends would have been attained had Red Lake county joined with Polk and Norman counties in the maintenance and use of a sanitarium rather than with Pennington, Marshall and Roseau counties, as was done recently, as this had the effect of barring Kittson county from joining with any other county or counties as four is the highest number that may unite according to the law under which joint sanitoria are maintained. The doctor may be correct, but he is somewhat late in his suggestion. No doubt if he had offered as good a proposition as Dr. Milan of the Thief River Falls sanitorium offered to the Red Lake county board, and had offered it first, the Red Lake board would have taken him up. But as far as Red Lake county is concerned we are satisfied with the present arrangement.

—Trade at Home—

Parapragh Opinions.

Bryan is an enemy of the departed spirits.—Salt Lake Citizen.

Prohibition has at least reduced the number of men who think they can sing.—Greenville Piedmont.

Ohio may be the new mother of presidents, but there is sure to be a lot of trouble in the family this summer.—Charleston Mail.

Once it was the might of a dollar, but now it's the mite of a dollar.—Louisville Post.

The name of Poland's Premier is Grabski. Unfortunately for Poland he is not Holdski.—Toronto Globe.

A Philadelphia preacher says that all profiteers go to hell. Perhaps that accounts for the high price of coal.—Seattle Angus.

Cotton is a wonderful plant. It provides cotton cloth, olive oil, silk stockings and all-wool clothing.—Associated Editors.

The weakness of a straw vote is that it merely shows what the people desire. It doesn't show what the politicians desire.—Associated Editors.

According to newspaper reports the railroads are speeding up coal shipments for the northwest—but when you read letters from the coal dealers who are in touch with the situation as it really is—conditions are far from promising. To be on the safe side, get a backyard hold on as many cords of wood you can.—Hubbard County Journal.

It's a difficult problem to suit everybody. Presidential candidates Harding, Cox, Watson and Mr. What's-his-name of the Third party are working over time to get in, and Candidate Debs is equally anxious to get out.—St. Cloud Journal Press.

—Trade at Home—

MINNESOTA.

A land of homes, a name in song,
Of stream from Big Stone to Mendota,
A queen in steel is Minnesota;
Where strength and splendor both belong.
A fertile field with tassel tresses,
Ten thousand lakes with snug recesses;
With smiling glen and laughing fall,
Our state is grandest of them all.

—O. S. HERVIN.

—Trade at Home—

Bill Noonan Says:

It is a good thing they don't lynch whiskey smugglers in Duluth.

Blueberries are a great fruit, especially when they can be procured.

The trouble about a vacation is that you need it worse after you get back.

A friend of ours remarks that a lad with a full cellar has lot of boozem friends.

There's one thing in favor of drinking wood alcohol. It never becomes a habit.

Experts are telling how to meet the high cost of living. You don't meet. It overtakes you.

If life looks dark and dismal, consider the editor and be happy. Ten years ago a farmer boy got a year's subscription with three bushels of potatoes. Now he gasolines up to the printing office with one bushel of potatoes and gets three year's subscription.

Barbers are raising their prices again. They evidently think that they can't scrape along on present prices.

Our idea of a comical joke is for the auto speeders to poke fun at the lad who went over Niagara in a barrel.

Talk about the way of a maid with a man—the way of a maid with a car is what keeps us all dodging.

An exchange calls attention to an ad in a store window: "Ladies Ready to Wear Clothes." Some of them are.

We can't see why politicians kick at campaign lies, as long as nobody tells the truth about the politicians.

Now the kill-joys are attacking the tobacco habit. Their chief objection, of course, is that a lot of folks enjoy it.

There's many an auto speeder in this burg who is paging a date with the undertaker, even if he doesn't know it.

You can get a lot of pleasure out of the presidential acceptance speeches these hot days if you don't read them.

The very ex-crown prince says that he would like to be just a simple American. He has half of his wish already.

Pictures in the dailies indicate that bathing beauties are discarding the one-piece suit in favor of the no-piece suit.

The wildest extravagance that the state can indulge in is poor roads. Vote for Amendment No. 1 and get good ones.

In olden days, when you invited a friend, he used to say, "Sure, I'll take a drink." Now he says, "Sure, I'll take a chance."

The best way to keep a boy on the farm is to make it easy for him to get away from it occasionally. Vote for Amendment No. 1.

A suffragette says that women will demonstrate that their long suit is politics. We didn't know that a woman had a long suit any more.

It won't be difficult to convince you farmers that this is the truth, and not a story. A farmer offered a hobo who stopped at his farm to beg a meal, $5 a day to dig potatoes. "No," yawned the tramp, "you'd better dig them. You planted them, and you know just where they are."

Advances in railway freight rates won't worry us when trucks get on the job. Vote for Amendment No. 1.

A lot of Baudetters who pay $10 a short quart for Canadian licker are kicking at the price of sugar.

"Where Is Joy Riding Leading To?" asks an exchange. Well, it depends on what kind of a life you have led.

The present increase in passenger rates is to be the last, it is said. After this the companies will merely move the mile posts closer together.

We met a girl wearing a long dress the other day. She was four months old.

"Why are modern women so foolish?" asks a clergyman. That's an easy one. In order to be suitable companions for men, of course.

If liquor goes up to $35 a quart, as reported in some places, the result will be that a lot of boobs will pay $35 a quart for it.

7 Positions

were offered to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., the past week, and only one, Caribello Maiors, was placed, because there are not graduates enough to go around. Why not prepare for a job above the crowd? For catalog write name, tear off, and mail

Name........................

Address........................

WOMAN IS MADE OFFICE MANAGER

The Rusk Radiator Co., Fargo, N. D. has a new office manager—a woman, Miss Almeda LaFleur.

"Why not?" asks F. L. Watkins, Pres., Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., of which school Miss LaFluer is a graduate. "We constantly get more calls for trained help than we can supply, both men and women. We expect to be called on for 1000 or more students during the coming school year."

Join the 1000 Club and "Follow the Succe$$ful." Fall term Sept. 1. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

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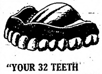

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City News

Alfred Bjorken left Monday evening for Mahnomen to visit friends.

Mrs. A. R. Royce left Monday afternoon for Moorhead to spend a week with friends.

Alvin Olson of Minneapolis arrived here Wednesday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. M. Shipstead departed yesterday afternoon for Fargo to visit friends for a week.

Rufus Barackman left Tuesday morning for Oslo where he will be employed in the harvest fields.

Mrs. P. W. Mabey spent the first of the week with friends in Bemidji. She returned to this city yesterday.

Miss Bernadette Deary returned to her home at Plummer Monday evening after a week's visit with friends here.

Mrs. C. M. Gillette and Mrs. A. H. Erickson left Monday for Grand Forks to spend a week visiting with friends.

Don't delay to make inquiry relative to the courses of instruction that are offered at North Star College, Warren, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sheldrew of Grygla spent Thursday and Friday in this city visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Adkins.

Wm. Korstad of Highlanding was in the city yesterday visiting with his numerous friends and also attending to matters of business.

Mrs. H. Kobolski, who has been the guest of Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht for two weeks, returned to her home at Minneapolis on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson and children returned yesterday from a two week's vacation spent in visiting with relatives and friends in Crookston.

Mrs. Tilda Wessos and Mrs. O. Tollefson, who have passed a month visiting with friends in this vicinity, left Monday evening for their respective homes at Northfield.

Miss Dora Amundson arrived here the first of the week from Ardock where she has been employed, to spend a short while in this city as the guest of her parents.

Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where she will meet a sister from Sioux City, Ia., who will return with her to visit at her home for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson motored to Grand Forks Sunday and were guests at the home of their son, G. C. Anderson and family. Mrs. Anderson remained in the Forks, while the remainder of the family returned in the evening.

A representative of the wage commission visited our city the latter part of last week. Her work deals chiefly with the hours and wages paid to working girls and to minors which includes boys under 18 years of age. She stated that many violations of the present law governing wages in this state, were found in this city. She left on Friday afternoon for Crookston where she will inspect situations.

Miss Marie Causin of Hazel visited with friends here yesterday.

F. E. Welland of Grand Rapids was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Rosetta Loberg of St. Hilaire visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Pearl, Esther and Carl Hagen left Friday morning for Holt to visit with relatives until Tuesday.

Mrs. A. A. Torrison and daughter, Miss Ruth, left Thursday evening for Minneapolis to visit friends.

Miss Maxine Johnson returned Friday evening from Angus, where she had spent the summer on a farm.

Miss Ruth Evenson left Wednesday evening for the twin cities where she will remain for an indefinite period.

Misses Inez and Lora Campbell of Minneapolis visited with friends here Thursday enroute to Viking to visit relatives.

Leonard Johnson returned Wednesday evening from points in the southern part of the state where he had been visiting.

Keep your head, you may need it; but fill it with useful knowledge. Attend Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.

Joseph Weirus left Friday evening for Minneapolis and points in Wisconsin where he will visit relatives for an indefinite period.

Miss Freda Lloyd of Grygla left this city Friday afternoon for Ada where she will visit relatives for an indefinite period.

Mrs. J. Aga and three children left Wednesday evening for St. Paul and Cresco, Ia., to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. O. Simonson returned to her home at Ada on Monday, after visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Broten, for a few days.

Mrs. P. O'Rourke returned to her home at St. Paul Thursday evening after visiting with friends and relatives in the vicinity of Hazel.

Mrs. T. T. Kiland left Saturday afternoon for Neilsville, this state, and Hillsboro, N. D., where she will spend a week visiting with relatives.

The W. H. Akre and G. Howard Smith families are spending the week at Twin Lakes. After their return here they will motor to Winnipeg.

Misses Alice and Belva Torgerson returned to their home at Neilsville the latter part of last week after visiting with friends here for a week.

Mrs. J. Ringdal and three children of Minneapolis returned to their home on Tuesday after spending a couple of weeks visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Judith Peterson of Middle River visited with friends here between trains on Monday, leaving the following morning for Pilot, N. D., to visit friends.

Miss Esther Brown left Monday morning for McGregor, this state, going from that point by auto to Cromwell and Moose Lake to visit relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. A. Wangenstein left Thursday morning for Greenbush to visit until Saturday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Sommerfelt, who leave in a short while for Norway.

Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht and two children accompanied by the former's sister, Miss Esther Warner, visited over Sunday at the home of their parents near Holt.

Carl Gulrud, accompanied by his sister, Miss Olga, returned the first of the week from a two weeks' vacation spent in visiting relatives at Rochester and Minneapolis.

Mrs. C. W. Nelson and daughter, Miss Una, returned to this city the latter part of last week after spending a month visiting relatives in the southern part of the state.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson returned to this city Monday morning from the twin cities where they had spent a week doing their fall buying for their millinery store.

Miss Viola Axelson motored to this city with her parents on Saturday taking the morning train for Roseau to attend the confirmation exercises of a cousin residing at that place.

Misses Durah and Loretta Kelley returned to their home at Mahnomen Thursday evening after a brief visit at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kelley, in this city.

Miss Ruth Sandstrom, who is employed as saleslady at Benson's dry goods store, left yesterday morning for Fairdale, N. D., to spend a few days as the guest of Miss Jeannette Lee.

Mrs. A. B. Kratka, who has been spending the summer at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Gobler, left on Thursday evening for Bakersville, Cal., to spend the winter with her son, Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson and grandson, Jack Ward, returned to their home here yesterday morning after spending the summer with their daughter, Mrs. G. E. Peterson, at LaFayette, this state.

Miss Ruth Quigley of Bismarck was the guest of Mrs. L. F. Fisher the first of the week. She left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit friends. Miss Quigley was formerly instructor of music at Wesley conservatory of music.

Chas. Anderson and family of Greenbush, formerly residents of this city, motored through here on Monday enroute to their home from Hendrum, where they had spent a week visiting relatives. Their son, Perl, remained to be the guest of Edward Kiland the remainder of the week.

Manager H. C. Johnson of the Nortz Lumber company, attended a meeting of northwestern coal dealers at Crookston on Friday. Congressman Steenerson was present and reported on the action taken at a recent session of the Interstate Commerce commission called for the purpose of discussing the coal situation in the Ninth district. Mr. Steenerson said he had been assured that sufficient coal would be forthcoming to protect the region, but urged that orders be given early by consumers in order that dealers might be given some leeway in case of delays in shipment.

O. Tessum left Tuesday evening for the twin cities on business matters.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tilfred Reierson on Monday, Aug. 16.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman of St. Hilaire shopped in this city between trains on Friday.

Mrs. H. F. Hanson and daughter of St. Hilaire visited between train here on Friday.

Thomas Majeres returned to Crookston on Saturday after a brief visit at his home here.

J. Sweden left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo where he will spend a few days on business.

Mrs. Harry Warner and children left Tuesday morning for Holt to visit with the former's parents.

Mrs. A. A. Torrison and daughter left the latter part of last week for Rochester to visit with her parents.

Misses Ila Iverson, Sadie Geror and Lydia Peterson of Badger spent Saturday and Sunday in this city visiting friends.

Miss Ellen Anderson, who is employed at the Evelyn hotel, visited at her home at Middle River Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Lillian Tyrer left Monday afternoon for Hannah, N. D., where she will spend the fall months cooking for harvesters.

Miss Belle Hermanson, who has been visiting at Minneapolis for three weeks, returned to her home here Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre and Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith returned Tuesday from Twin Lakes where they spent a few days.

Mrs. D. Torrens, who spent a few days in this city last week visiting friends, returned to her home at St. Paul on Thursday evening.

Mrs. J. Idset returned to her home in Halstad on Friday after visiting with her son near Grygla and at the H. Hermanson home in this city.

Mrs. D. J. Cordes and son left Tuesday evening for Kansas where the family will reside in the future. Mr. Cordes will follow in a month or so.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell of Shakopee, Minn., arrived last Thursday for a several weeks' visit with Mrs. O'Donnell's brother, P. J. Keating.

Big dance at the auditorium, Thursday, Aug. 26, under the auspices of the American Legion. Music and singing by the Metropolitan Novelty orchestra of Chicago.—a19-26

Rufus Barackman arrived here on Thursday morning from Minneapolis where he had spent the summer. He will remain here with his parents until Macalester college reopens in the fall.

Ed. Brevig and C. W. Vorachek took an auto trip to Mahnomen and Twin Lakes on Sunday. At the latter place they visited with W. H. Akre and G. Howard Smith, who with their families were spending a few days there.

Misses Ella Gran and Bernice Anderson, the latter of Fargo, N. D., who has been the guest of the former since the fair, left Monday evening for the twin cities where they will visit with friends for an indefinite period.

Mrs. C. Johnson of Minneapolis spent the latter part of last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson. They left on Monday morning for Crookston to be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steenerson before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss Onata Stopple, returned to this city by car the latter part of last week, after spending a month in the twin cities, where Mrs. Dalquist engaged in fall buying for the Dalquist millinery store and at Alexandria where they were guests at the home of the latter's parents.

A. Lonson of Calloway attended to business matters here the latter part of last week.

Miss Sybil McGinn, who had spent two weeks visiting with relatives at Warren, returned Monday evening.

Mrs. Arnold Dale returned here on Monday evening from Bemidji where she spent the week-end with her husband.

Miss Esther Gjertson, cashier at the Great Northern depot, left Tuesday on a two weeks' vacation at her home at Sandstone.

Mrs. A. Stenberg returned yesterday from Baudette where she has been for the past two weeks visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. P. Fjeld and children left Saturday morning for Cloquet to make their future home. Mr. Fjeld preceded his family several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Gobler left Monday morning for their home in Minneapolis after spending a week-end visit at the F. A. Gobler home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prichard and child are in the city from Storm Lake, Iowa, as guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Miss Agnes Peterson, who has spent the summer with her sister, Mrs. David Gustafson in this city, left Wednesday evening for her home at Manistique, Mich.

Miss Florence Thorstad, who had been visiting with her sisters and brother residing in this vicinity for two weeks, returned to Lockhart, where she is employed, on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Thyra Snyder of the clerical force at Sapero's, left Tuesday morning for Warroad from which point she will take a boat trip to the Lake of the Woods. She expects to be gone for a period of a week.

Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Weeks and little daughter Doris returned to their home in Grove City, on Friday after having spent their vacation at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Mrs. E. S. Ohm and son, Kenneth, left on Tuesday for Fairdale, N. D., where they will visit friends for five or six weeks. They were joined today by the former's sister, Miss May Docken, who also will remain there for several weeks.

Mrs. Alice R. Kratka left last Thursday evening for Bakersfield, Cal., where she will spend the winter with her son Frank. Enroute she will visit at North Branch, Sunrise, Harris and Minneapolis, Minn., and will arrive at her destination about Sept. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Newell motored to the twin cities last week. From that point the latter left for points in Iowa, where they will spend a week. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson are expected to return to their home here this week.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick, accompanied by her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Weatherhead of Ada, and the latter's son Harold, are sojourning at Chico Hot Springs, located at the entrance of Yellowstone Park. The party expects to be gone about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown and family, residing on a farm near this city, had as their guests over Sunday, a number of relatives who motored up from Grand Forks on Saturday evening. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Chalmers, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Clint and Mrs. H. Hagerstad and three children, the latter of Montana.

Mrs. J. J. Vorachek left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to visit for a short time.

Mrs. Fred Larson left on Monday afternoon for Crookston to visit with friends for a week.

Miss Doris Halvorson departed yesterday morning for Hawley to visit friends for a week.

Miss Elsie Burringrud left on Monday for Middle River to be the guest of Miss Marie Phillipson.

Leslie Provencher of Minneapolis is spending the week visiting his father, Julien Provencher.

Miss Laura Stopple left Tuesday evening for St. Paul to complete the fall buying for the Dalquist millinery.

Mrs. W. J. Brown returned here Monday morning from Fargo where she had spent a week visiting friends.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds has returned to this city after having spent six weeks in the cities of Minneapolis and Chicago.

Miss Eunice Broland returned on Monday afternoon to Fargo after a short visit with her friends, Miss Ilet LeSage.

Miss Leona Knox returned to her home in Fisher on Saturday after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. M. T. McFarland.

Dr. R. E. Spink of Middle River was in the city on business Monday. He expects to leave shortly on an extended business trip to Kenora.

Miss Belle Hermanson returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis and Alexandria where she spent three weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. M. E. Baldwin and three children left on Monday evening for Henning and Battle Lake, where they will spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Misses Edith and Evelyn Cornforth arrived here yesterday from Watertown, S. D., where they were called because of the death of their brother, Frank, following an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. A. Christianson and three children, accompanied by her two sisters, Misses Delia and Birdie Tweeten, returned to Moorhead after visiting at the home of their parents in this city.

Oh, boy, a real dance at the auditorium on Thursday, Aug. 26. Music and singing by the Metropolitan Novelty orchestra of Chicago. Dance given under auspices of the American Legion.—a19-26.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Hogensen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nelson of Stewartville, Minn., were here to attend the funeral of Alvin Tandberg. Amund Nelson of Hatton, N. D., also was in attendance at the rites.

Miss Alice Nelson of Minot, N. D., who had visited at the home of her aunt, Mrs. O. C. Bishop, for a week, left on Thursday morning for Bemidji where she will be the guest of friends before returning to her home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson motored to Fertile on Sunday to visit with friends. They returned in the evening.

Miss Ann Trovaten returned to her home here yesterday from Crookston where she visited with friends for a few days.

Miss Violet Krohn returned yesterday morning from Crookston where she had spent a couple of weeks visiting friends.

Mrs. O. Distad arrived here Friday afternoon from her home in Warroad to visit for a week at the O. C. Evenson home in this city.

Mrs. H. Poirer left Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls and Crookston to spend two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. A. F. Worner returned to her home at Fargo on Friday after a week's visit at the home of her sister Mrs. Julian Provencher.

Miss Ina Motz arrived here yesterday morning from Fargo to spend a couple of weeks visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Bertha Motz.

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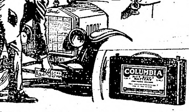

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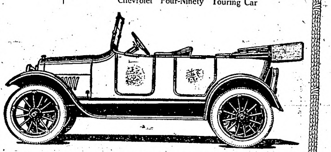

Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" Touring Car

ELMER EKLUND POST HOLDS BIG MEETING

Delegates and Alternates Selected to Convention—Lack of Funds Handicap.

A rousing meeting of the American Legion was held last Thursday evening at the Evelyn hotel. One of the important things coming up for consideration was the selection of delegates to the state convention of the legion held at Duluth this week. Daniel Dosey, Derby Anderson, Hugh McDaniel, Oscar Smith, G. H. Husby and Arthur Berg were chosen as delegates to the convention, while Bernard Burggraf, Guy Johnson, L. C. Nielsen, F. E. McGinn, Hal Stanton and W. E. Peterson were named alternates. Owing to the present strained condition of the post treasury it was found impossible to send more than one delegate to the convention, and Derby Anderson is now at Duluth acting in that capacity.

Word from Derby is to the effect that the convention is a huge success and that he is having the time of his life. It is too bad the local post is unable to have a full delegation in attendance, but conditions over which the boys have no control make this impossible. Bemidji is doing things up in grand style and sent a special train loaded with boosters, the principal reason for this being that Bemidji is making a strenuous effort to land the legion state convention for next year. The local post went on record as favoring this move.

Eklund Post finds itself badly hampered through lack of funds with which to carry on its work. There are many ways in which the post can make itself useful to former service men, but it takes money and often *considerable amounts. In many places* throughout the Northwest local chapters of the Red Cross, which in most instances have nice balances to their credit, have come to the assistance of the legion by supplying needed funds, but it is understood no such action has yet been taken in Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CLINICS ARE MADE

Red Cross to Co-Operate With Minnesota Public Health Association in Work.

Effective co-operation, particularly in the conducting of clinics, between the Minnesota Public Health association and the Northern Division of the Red Cross, was assured at a meeting of representatives of both organiza- office of the Northern Division at Minneapolis, attended by Dr. T. C. Clark, Miss Linda James, Dr. H. W. Cook, and Dr. C. L. Scofield, of Benson, on behalf of the Health Association, and by Dr. Mabel S. Ulrich, C. C. Hield, and Miss Mary Muckley for the Red Cross.

It was determined at this meeting that local public health associations shall continue to put on traveling clinics, such as tubercular, eye and ear, nutrition, and dental clinics, under the supervision of the Minnesota Public Health association, and that in all cases where a county nurse is not available the Red Cross shall pledge the assistance of one of its nurses, either from the field or from headquarters. Preparations for the clinic, it was agreed, will be made by the Red Cross, and the follow-up work afterwards will be done by the same organization. In order that sufficient time shall be assured to make the work successful in each case, it was determined that the local health association shall be required to notify the Minnesota Public Health association a month before the date set of its intention to hold the clinic, and that the information shall be passed on immediately to the Red Cross by the Minnesota Public Health association. This will make it possible for both organizations to make adequate preparations, to avoid the possibility of delay or the miscarrying of plans, and to insure the success of the work so far as their efforts can do so. Clinics held under this agreement are to be advertised as conducted under the auspices of the Minnesota Public Health association, with the assistance of a nurse supplied by the Red Cross.

Other matters concerning the coordination of the efforts of the two associations were discussed, and a general understanding of the particular lines of work carried on by each was reached.

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GOOD ROADS NEED TOLD BY TOURIST

Minnesota Cannot Afford to Neglect Highway Improvements Now.

That the state of Minnesota would quickly fall behind her sister states in the procession of progress if she were to fail to meet her responsibilities in providing good highways, is the concensus of opinion among the many summer tourists arriving daily from other states.

William Irving of Aberdeen, Washington, a former St. Paul man, who with Mrs. Irvine is visiting in St. Paul, manifested considerable interest in Minnesota's pretentious good roads program, and told of the progress being made in that direction by the Western states.

Mr. Irvine said the good roads movement has spread throughout the West, and there are miles of splendid highways already constructed.

The State of Washington is taking a lead in the good roads movement, he said. Seattle, Tacoma and the counties of King and Pearce, in which they are located, have spent millions on good roads.

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Hospital Notes.

Following is a list of the names of those who have entered the Physicians' hospital since last Thursday: Margaret Melgaard, city; Mrs. O. Lillegard, Greenbush; Mrs. C. Haug, city; Jane and Helen Protzeller, city; Jenora Jarenson, city; Hazel Arness, Kratka; Mrs. Silas Campbell, Shilling; John Nejpaer, Benwood; Mrs. Nejpaer, Benwood; Mrs. C. Christianson, Goodridge; Margaret Barzen, city; Reuben Hanson, Trail; Randall Noper, city; Eileen Herron, city; Clarence Isaacson, Middle River; Mrs. E. S. Rankin, Mahnomen; Agnes, Marie and Dorothea Grimsrud, St. Hilaire; Harold Stenvick, Erie.

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WORLD WAR TOOK NUMEROUS LIVES

Table Shows Colossal Losses in Manpower Suffered by European Countries.

Statistics compiled by an English society on the results of the world war place the loss of life at 40,000,000 people. Of these 10,000,000 or more were slain in battle or died of wounds and of disease there. The figures for the different European countries run as follows:

European Russia	13,000,000
Germany	6,300,000
Austria-Hungary	5,800,000
France	3,340,000
Italy	2,280,000
Great Britian	1,800,000
Serbia	1,650,000
Roumania	510,000
Belgium	375,000
Bulgaria	275,000

These figures, of course, include women and children as well as men engaged in combatant or noncombatant service whose deaths are immediately traceable to the war. And the books of death are not closed, since every day poverty, starvation and disease due to the war still takes a heavy toll of human life.

Also of the population of the war countries which escaped death the majority are probably impaired in health and working ability by reason of the war strain.

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Progress Being Made by Minnesota Peat Experts

About one-eighth of the surface of Minnesota, or 7,000,000 acres, is peat land, according to bulletin 188 of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment station prepared by F. J. Alway, chief of the division of soils and recently issued.

The title of the bulletin is "Agricultural Value and Reclamation of Minnesota Peat Soils." The future of the immense area of peat land in the state lies in its possibilities for industrial purposes, forestry and agriculture, says Dr. Alway. Among the industrial purposes suggested are the manufacturing of fuel, power, gas, charcoal, stable litter, and even paper and textiles. The utilization of these lands for crop production, however, Dr. Alway says, will hasten rather than retard their development for industrial purposes.

Dr. Alway's bulletin is a first step toward the reclamation of one of Minnesota's great resources, because it points out what needs to be done after telling what the present conditions actually are. Thus it gives a blue print or working plan by which the owners of such lands and the state may proceed. Copies of the bulletin may be had by addressing Office of Publications, University Farm.

—Trade at Home—

Giving Wounded Soldiers Chance of Independence

That the government is doing everything possible with the machnery at hand to aid soldiers wounded in the late war to become selfsustaining is evidenced by the number that have been admitted to vocational schools from Minnesota during the past few months. From July 1 to August 1 more than 150 applications were approved. None of these are from Pennington county but there are a few from nearby communities.

Freeman C. King of Gonvick, suffering from deafness, is taking a course in auto mechanics. Ole Larson, Grygla, whose only recorded ailment is a stiff thumb, is taking an agricultural course. Joseph Dostal of Badger, gun shot wound in left arm, is receiving instruction as a forester. Oscar Hilmo, Twin Valley, same kind of wound as Dostal, is taking a course in accounting.

The number of applications for admission to one of the institutions selected by the government for those who were partially disabled is steadily on the increase and assignments are being made as rapidly as possible.

—Trade at Home—

Met Mussey's Approval.

(Grygla Eagle.)

The Pennington County fair held in Thief River Falls last week was the most successful, both in attendance and financially, ever held there. Thursday the attendance was double that of any previous year. The stock exhibits, though not large in numbers, was of a very high grade and showed that the farmers are becoming to realize that it costs no more to keep good stock than it does poor and it pays much better. In the fruit and vegetable products it is hard to believe that such fine stuff could be raised in this climate. The free attractions were of a very high order and amusing. The aeroplane exhibits were simply startling. The final of the ball games was Red Lake Falls vs. Thief River Falls which resulted in favor of the former, 8 to 5. There was also plenty of fake shows and anyone who had more money than they wanted could find plenty chances to get rid of it. The management of the fair deserve a great deal of credit for its success.

Mayor of Rainy River Is Jailed For Selling Booze

A sensation was caused at Rainy River last week when the mayor, Dr. Murdoch, was sentenced to ten days in jail and a two thousand dollar fine for selling liquor unlawfully. The mayor was accused of selling six quarts of liquor to one man and entered a plea of guilty. The usual penalty of $200 fine was expected but Judge Chapman exploded a bombshell by imposing a jail sentence as well as an exceptionally heavy fine.

Dr. Murdoch will appeal to a higher court and a bitter fight is expected. If the conviction stands he would have to resign as mayor and in all likelihood will be barred from practicing as a physician.

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Sufferers in Forest Fire to Combine Damage Suits

More than 1,000 forest fire property damage suits, 300 alleged wrongful death actions and 300 personal injury damage suits involving between five and ten million dollars will be disposed of at one swoop in a composite trial to begin at Duluth before five judges of the 11th district September 13.

Residents of the regions between Moose Lake and McGregor, which was swept by the forest fires of October, 1918, are plaintiffs in each of the actions. The Soo Railway company and John Barton Payne, agent of the president under the transportation act of February 29, 1920, are named as joint defendants. The question of liability only will be the issue.

—Trade at Home—

Good Crops Around Grygla.

Grygla Eagle: Harvesting is well under way in this section and the indications are for a bumper crop with the yields running above the average. Many fields will show a big gain over previous years and there are but a very few in which the yield will not be a normal one. Given favorable weather for the next few weeks and the Grygla country will advance still further in the estimation of those who know and appreciate a good reliable agricultural community.

—Trade at Home—

Fortunes in Stock Deals

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There is one way to make money by dealing with the mail-order houses but it isn't by buying goods from them.

The man who thinks he is making money by buying his goods from mail-order houses has only to read of the amuzing profits made by some of these big corporations to realize that all the money is being made by the man on the other end of the deal.

The stockholder in a big mail-order concern toils not and neither does he spin, but he piles up his money so fast that it makes the ordinary man's head swim to read about it. Here is the experience of the stockholder in one of the large mail-order concerns, as told by a reliable financial journal. It gives a glimpse into the inside workings of the mail-order business that should be of interest to those who have made such things possible.

How the Game Works.

In 1908 this man bought 600 shares of stock in the mail-order corporation in question when the stock was selling around $40 a share, the 600 shares costing him a little less than $25,000. In 1911 the company declared a stock dividend of 33 1-3 per cent. In other words the company after paying cash dividends regularly, had accumulated a surplus profit of one-third of the amount of capital invested in the business; but instead of distributing this profit among the stockholders the company kept the money in the business and issued stock for that amount to the stockholders. By this action 200 more shares of stock were issued to the man who had originally bought 600, increasing his holdings to 800 shares, without his having put any more money into the business.

Another stock dividend of 50 per cent was declared in 1916 and this added 400 shares more to his holdings, giving him 1,200 shares in all. A third stock dividend of 25 per cent was paid on this man's stock holdings up to 1,500 shares, still without his having paid in any more money. On this 1,500 shares of stock, cash dividends of $8 a share are now being paid. This investor therefore is now receiving $12,000 a year from his original investment of about $25,000, and as the stock is now worth around $160 a share the present market value of his stock is $240,000, giving him a profit of $215,000, in addition to cash dividends which he received during nine years, amounting to many more thousands of dollars.

Only One of Hundreds.

This is the story of just one small stockholder in one mail-order concern. A profit of more than $215,000 made by one small stockholder in nine years on an investment of less than $25,000! It reads like fiction but it is financial history. There are hundreds of other stockholders in this and other mail-order corporations, some of whom have made millions while this man made thousands. Add the profits of all these stockholders together and the result is a sum that staggers the imagination.

Small wonder that the men who own the stock of the big mail-order houses can live in palaces, ride in the highest-priced automobiles, own palatial private yachts and buy $100,000 paintings. But who has furnished the money to pay for the palaces and the automobiles and the yachts [illegible] the $100,000 paintings? The people in the country and the small towns who have kept an endless stream of money flowing into the coffers of the mail-order house have made all this possible. Their millions of dollars have gone to the big cities to build up these great concerns. Their millions of dollars have provided the automobiles and yachts and other luxuries for the stockholders in these corporations.

Present From Mail-Order Buyers.

These men who have piled up such big fortunes in the mail-order business have not even had to pay for much of the stock from which they are now drawing princely dividends. The people in the country and the small towns, generous souls, have bought it for them. This is shown in the case of the stockholder just mentioned, who originally invested. The generous mail-order buyers have made him a present of $215,000 worth of stock and he has not had to turn his hand over to get it. He has never even had to as much as write a letter to get it. The generous mail-order buyers have handed it to him on a golden platter.

There's money in the mail-order business without a doubt, but its [illegible] the side of the man who does the se[illegible]ing and not the one who does the buying. If you must do business with the mail-order house, buy some of its stock and let the fellow in the next town buy you automobiles and private yachts while he struggles with the hard times that come from draining his town of the cash that goes to keep you in luxury.

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One lot of small sizes in men's Union Suits, Balbriggan mesh and Athletic styles. Regular $2.00 values.
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Florsheim and Ralston Shoes are always good shoes. They are the most economical because of their quality.

All $11.00 Florsheims $ 8.45
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Specials on Work Clothes

$3.50 Headlight, Carhartt and Finck Overalls, the strongest and best Overall made.
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$3.00 per garment heavy weight union made Overalls.
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Rockford Sox 19c

Strong work pants in dark stripes.
Special $3.15

$3.50 Khaki Pants, made to fit.
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$2.50 boys' long Khaki Pants.
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$6.00 work Shoes, solid leather.
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Boys' long pants School Suits.
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Men's wool Suits, hard finished materials that will hold its shape, in grays, browns; also heavy wt. blue serge. Every suit guaranteed a big value or money back. Values to $55.00.
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$11.00 Pants in men's and young men's styles.
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$6.00 Gordon Hats,
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Special reduced prices on all boys' Overalls and Jackets.

Special Savings in Boys' School Suits

It is time to buy those school Suits. Get them now and save.

Boys' all-wool blue serge Suits.
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Sizes 13 to 2 $3.69
Sizes 3 to 6 $3.98
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BOYS' WASH SUITS
to clean up at almost given-away prices.

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Society

Entertains.

Honoring her mother-in-law, Mrs. N. C. Crandall of California, who is [illegible] guest, Mrs. C. R. Crandall informally entertained a few ladies yesterday afternoon.

Birthday Party.

Little Janet Connell celebrated her fifth birthday anniversary by entertaining six of her girl friends at her home Friday afternoon. The young ladies enjoyed various games until lunch time when they were served most delicious refreshments. Janet received many pretty gifts from her friends as remembrances of the occasion. The guests were Rosine Dahlen, Jean Mellby, Alice Larson, Marjory Fuller, Jean Protzeller and Helen Johnson.

Slumber Party.

The home of Miss Ruth Brown was the scene of a slumber party Saturday evening. Eight girls had the pleasure of the occasion. Various forms of amusement occupied the time preceding the "slumbering." At ten o'clock a delicious morning breakfast was served. The guests included Misses Mary Prichard, Avis Akre, Ella and Marrian Miller, Evangeline and Lucille Burns, Myrtle Berg and Meta Kiland.

Mrs. Cronkhite Entertains.

In compliment to Mrs. N. J. Wilson of St. Paul, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite entertained a number of ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon. The hours were devoted to needlework. At the conclusion of the afternoon a delicious lunch was served. Those who had the pleasure of the afternoon were Mesdames N. J. Wilson, N. C. Crandall, R. C. Crandall, J. P. Curtis, A. Bottelson, M. Alberg, Geo. Nickleson and D. J. Dosey.

Roseland-Linstad.

Louis Roseland and Miss Minnie Linstad were united in marriage on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 11, at two o'clock at the parsonage of the Zion Lutheran church. The couple was attended by Arne and Myrtle Roseland, brother and sister of the groom. The bride has resided with her parents in this city for a number of years being engaged as teacher in the schools in this vicinity. She has also been employed as cashier at the Loken Bros. department store at different times. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Entertained.

Misses Florence Alberg and Zella Zeh were delightful hostesses on Saturday afternoon when they entertained a number of their girl friends at the home of the latter. The hours were devoted to needlework and conversation. At five o'clock supper was served on the lawn. Those present were the Misses Lucille and Evangeline Burns, Ruth Brown, Mary Prichard, Ella and Marrian Miller, Goldie Stebbins, Myrtle Berg, Blanche Johnson, Marie Nelson, Helen Weeks, Mildred Jacobson of Minneapolis, and Avis Akre, Doris Halvorson and Meta Kiland.

Stene-Troland.

Alfred Stene and Miss Minnie Troland, both of this city, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon at the bride's home near Gatzke. Rev. [illegible] of Grygla read the service in the presence of immediate relatives [illegible] friends. Miss Frances Nelson [illegible] bridesmaid while Sampson Troland, a brother of the bride, was the best man. Both young people are well and favorably known in this city as the bride has for many years been employed as head waitress at the Hotel Evelyn, while the groom has resided in this city practically all of his life and has for a number of years been employed as meat cutter at various meat markets here. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Miss Mirriam Bishop pleasantly entertained a number of young ladies on Thursday evening at her home, in honor of Miss Blanche Johnson, a bride of next month. The event was a miscellaneous shower. The evening was devoted to needlework. At eleven o'clock a delightful luncheon was served by the hostess' mother, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, assisted by Mrs. H. O. Loken. Yellow and white was the chosen color scheme. A large vase of golden glow formed an attractive centerpiece. The honored guest was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Those present were Misses Effie Hamry, Marie Nelson, Laura Stopple, Marrian and Ella Miller, Mary Prichard, Hazel Conklin, Alice Peterson, Grace Wilson, Gena Granum, Blanche Johnson and Meta Kiland. The matrons of the occasion were Mrs. Albert Johnson and her sister, Mrs. Holte of Aurora, Ill.

—Trade at Home—

Churches

Missionary Society to Meet.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. L. Barackman, 518 Main avenue north, at 3 o'clock.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell—Services next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8. Rev. Aug. Anderson of Alaska will speak at 8 p. m. Friday, (tomorrow). All cordially invited.

The First Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Services in the American language at 7:45. The Willing Workers society will be entertained by the Kellberg family at their home Aug. 27.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Aug. 22: Sunday school at ten o'clock a. m. The pastor expects to be present and to speak at the regular meetings for worship at ten o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening. All the families of the church are asked to note the opening day after the vacation season.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. Afternoon service at Norden, 2:30. Evening service in English at 8 p. m. *Prayer meeting Wednesday evening* at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies aid Thursday, Aug. 26th, entertained by Mrs. Grindeland and Mrs. Anderson. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday, Aug. 26th. Good program.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Rev. T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Services in the English language next Sunday at 11 a. m. No evening services until the first Sunday in September. Sunday school will meet on Aug. 29, at which time it is desired that all teachers and pupils be present. The confirmation class meets in the church basement Tuesdays and Saturdays at 10 a. m.

—Trade at Home—

ACTUAL WORK ON RIVER IMPROVEMENT NEXT YEAR

Work of conducting a survey of Clearwater and Thief rivers with a view to determining whether improvements should be made to prevent high water is now under way according to C. G. Selvig of Crookston, who is president of the Red River Valley Drainage board. According to Mr. Selvig, thousands of acres of Red River Valley land has been damaged by previous floods and it is the opinion of the board that widening and deepening the rivers would eliminate the flood stage.

George W. Walker, a Thief River Falls engineer, is in charge of the survey of Clearwater river which was started yesterday. His work is expected to be completed by fall. Engineer Joseph Baugh of Warren who has been busy since early spring in the establishment and construction of judicial ditches in the Thief River vicinity is conducting the survey of Thief river and is also expected to be able to make a report this fall.

Both engineers are expected by Mr. Selvig to recommend improvements in the two rivers. The recommendations will be presented to Judge Andrew Grindeland, who will order the improvements made if he believes conditions warrant them.

The drainage board, Mr. Selvig said, hopes for a favorable decision and a start on the deepening of the rivers in 1921. It is his opinion that with the completion of the work, thousands of acres of cheap land will be open in the valley for occupation.

—Trade at Home—

Dances and Concerts Are Not Making Legion Rich

To set aright any notion that the American Legion of Thief River Falls is growing rich as the result of dances and entertainments, the following report given at a recent Legion meeting is given. The dance committee reported that a net profit of $3.05 had been made from two dances given at the auditorium, while the New Year's dance showed $23 in the credit column. The committee which had in charge the recent Million Dollar band concert reported a net earning of $10.25 on the venture. The boys are not kicking, but the figures are given for the purpose of proving to the public that dances and entertainments given under Legion auspices are not get-rich-quick schemes in any sense of the term.

—Trade at Home—

PUBLIC FORUM

Trip to Washington.

Editor Times: Find enclosed a check for $2 for which please send The Times to our new address.

Three months ago today we loaded our Studebaker and started on our trip westward. The trip was most enjoyable—very little car trouble and good roads. It was, however, tiresome driving all day. We camped out nights. Visited the North Dakota state asylum at Jamestown and the penetentiary at Bismarck, where we crossed the Missouri river on a ferry and passed through the valley where Theodore Roosevelt once had a ranch. One whole day was spent in getting through the Bad Lands of North Dakota. The scenery there is wonderful, but to describe it is a hard task. To give a slight idea of what that country is like might say that there are miles and miles of masses of rock and ugly looking mountains. We visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Doyle, former residents of Thief River, at Sentinel Butte and saw the highest point in North Dakota, called the Big Butte.

After leaving Miles City, Mont., the flowers were in bloom and everything looked so much greener than in the East. In western Montana we saw fields of alfalfa and sugar beets, these being almost the sole crops raised by the farmers in the neighborhood. Billings has the second largest beet sugar factory in the United States.

Crossing the Rocky mountains we were surprised to find such a gradual raise to the top that we did not know we were on the divide. Drove for miles with snow-capped mountains on all sides but never dreamed we would get very close to them.

Were delayed at Hunter Hot Springs one afternoon because of the rain and stayed at the hotel there. This was the most beautiful place we had ever seen. At one end of the hotel they have a swimming pool of hot sulphur water where people go for all kinds of ailments as well as on mere vacations. There is hot sulphur water running into this pool all the time from the mountains. We were also delayed at Bozeman a week on account of the rain and while there went to the top of state university and looked over the Gallatin valley—the most beautiful in Montana.

At Missoula we visited with Mrs. Paul Holzknecht, who is a sister of Mrs. P. W. Roark of Thief River Falls. We also called on the Fred Zeh family. Mr. Zeh is a brother of Phil and Emil Zeh of Thief River Falls. At Missoula there is a mountain that looks just like an elephant lying on its side and we crossed another mountain after leaving Missoula that is called the Camel's Hump.

Crossing the divide between Montana and Idaho we were 4000 feet above sea level and we drove through snow. The outlook from the top was magnificent for we could see the roads winding down ahead of us and we were as high as the tops of the highest trees. Used no gas for seven miles after leaving the divide. Made *one turn called the "Hairpin Curve"* where no car but a Ford or a runabout can make the turn without first backing up, and that is what we had to do. We got stuck in the Fourth of July canyon as they were fixing the road and we had to be towed out of there.

Even though we went through some dangerous places and had some very narrow escapes we had a trip that we will never forget—nor regret—and we landed at Spokane on the 1st of June.

Spokane is a very beautiful city but we have not been here long enough to say whether we are going to like it or not.

Wishing that everyone in Thief River Falls could have been along on this trip with us, we remain

Yours truly,
VAL YAGER AND FAMILY.

Coming From Illinois.

Editor Times: Please send me The Times for six months. I think it a live-wire newspaper. Am interested in the crops and weather conditions in your section as I purchased a farm eight miles northeast of your city last year through the W. H. Frederick land agency.

The small grain is very good here, some of the wheat going 45 bushels per acre and oats 80 bushels. Corn looks good but needs rain.

I think there is a very good country around Thief River Falls and expect to make my home there in the near future. Your town is up-to-date so far as I can see for a Northwestern community. Yours respectfully,

Berwick, Ill., Aug. 7. J. R. PENCE.

—Trade at Home—

STEINER

G. L. Leisher made a trip to Thief River Falls the first part of the the week.

Rev. LaRoe conducted services in Steiner Sunday evening, Aug. 8.

John Whitman transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Miss Celia Emmons, niece of S. R. Rogers, returned to her home Monday evening after a ten day visit with the Rogers family. Miss Emmons is from Grand Rapids, Wis.

Arthur Bartelson passed through this burg Sunday.

Mrs. Dan Dowcher transacted business in Thief River Falls Monday.

A. Koglin attended to business matters in Thief River Falls the latter part of last week.

Fred Copp and family motored to Warren Sunday.

Arnie Solem transacted business in Thief River Falls the latter part of last week.

Little Russell Muzzy, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy, met with a serious accident Monday morning which resulted in death. All of the neighbors are shocked and the sympathy of the entire neighborhood is with the grief stricken parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Heider and Mr. and Mrs. Swartz spent Sunday with the Meyer family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers and family autoed to Stephen Sunday.

Miss Ruth Solem was in Newfolden Saturday.

Edgar Ufer transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Renie Werner autoed to Fertile Saturday.

Some of the neighbors have been having threshing done. The grain is fairly good but there is quite a lot lost by the rust.

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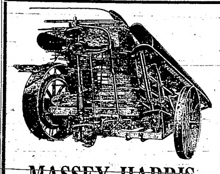

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ELMER EKLUND POST HOLDS BIG MEETING

Delegates and Alternates Selected to Convention—Lack of Funds Handicap.

A rousing meeting of the American Legion was held last Thursday evening at the Evelyn hotel. One of the important things coming up for consideration was the selection of delegates to the state convention of the legion held at Duluth this week. Daniel Dosey, Derby Anderson, Hugh McDaniel, Oscar Smith, G. H. Husby and Arthur Berg were chosen as delegates to the convention; while Bernard Burggraf, Guy Johnson, L. C. Nielsen, F. E. McGinn, Hal Stanton and W. E. Peterson were named alternates. Owing to the present strained condition of the post treasury it was found impossible to send more than one delegate to the convention, and Derby Andefson is now at Duluth acting in that capacity.

Word from Derby is to the effect that the convention is a huge success and that he is having the time of his life. It is too bad the local post is unable to have a full delegation in attendance, but conditions over which the boys have no control make this impossible. Bemidji is doing things up in grand style and sent a special train loaded with boosters, the principal reason for this being that Bemidji is making a strenuous effort to land the legion state convention for next year. The local post went on record as favoring this move.

Eklund Post finds itself badly hampered through lack of funds with which to carry on its work. There are many ways in which the post can make itself useful to former service men, but it takes money and often considerable amounts. In many places throughout the Northwest local chapters of the Red Cross, which in most instances have nice balances to their credit, have come to the assistance of the legion by supplying needed funds, but it is understood no such action has yet been taken in Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CLINICS ARE MADE

Red Cross to Co-Operate With Minnesota Public Health Association in Work.

Effective co-operation, particularly in the conducting of clinics, between the Minnesota Public Health association and the Northern Division of the Red Cross, was assured at a meeting of representatives of both organiza-office of the Northern Division at Minneapolis, attended by Dr. T. C. Clark, Miss Linda James, Dr. H. W. Cook, and Dr. C. L. Scofield, of Benson, on behalf of the Health Association, and by Dr. Mabel S. Ulrich, C. C. Hield, and Miss Mary Muckley for the Red Cross.

It was determined at this meeting that local public health associations shall continue to put on traveling clinics, such as tubercular, eye and ear, nutrition, and dental clinics, under the supervision of the Minnesota Public Health association, and that in all cases where a county nurse is not available the Red Cross shall pledge the assistance of one of its nurses, either from the field or from headquarters. Preparations for the clinic, it was agreed, will be made by the Red Cross, and the follow-up work afterwards will be done by the same organization. In order that sufficient time shall be assured to make the work successful in each case, it was determined that the local health association shall be required to notify the Minnesota Public Health association a month before the date set of its intention to hold the clinic, and that the information shall be passed on immediately to the Red Cross by the Minnesota Public Health association. This will make it possible for both organizations to make adequate preparations, to avoid the possibility of delay or the miscarrying of plans, and to insure the success of the work so far as their efforts can do so. Clinics held under this agreement are to be advertised as conducted under the auspices of the Minnesota Public Health association, with the assistance of a nurse supplied by the Red Cross.

Other matters concerning the coordination of the efforts of the two associations were discussed, and a general understanding of the particular lines of work carried on by each was reached.

—Trade at Home—

GOOD ROADS NEED TOLD BY TOURIST

Minnesota Cannot Afford to Neglect Highway Improvements Now.

That the state of Minnesota would quickly fall behind her sister states in the procession of progress if she were to fail to meet her responsibilities in providing good highways, is the concensus of opinion among the many summer tourists arriving daily from other states.

William Irving of Aberdeen, Washington, a former St. Paul man, who with Mrs. Irvine is visiting in St. Paul, manifested considerable interest in Minnesota's pretentious good roads program, and told of the progress being made in that direction by the Western states.

Mr. Irvine said the good roads movement has spread throughout the West, and there are miles of splendid highways already constructed.

The State of Washington is taking a lead in the good roads movement, he said, Seattle, Tacoma and the counties of King and Pearce, in which they are located, have spent millions on good roads.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

Following is a list of the names of those who have entered the Physicians' hospital since last Thursday: Margaret Melgaard, city; Mrs. O. Lillegard, Greenbush; Mrs. C. Haug, city; Jane and Helen Protzeller, city; Jenorn Jarenson, city; Hazel Arness, Kratka; Mrs. Silas Campbell, Shilling; John Nejpaer, Benwood; Mrs. Nejpaer, Benwood; Mrs. C. Christianson, Goodridge; Margaret Barzen, city; Reuben Hanson, Trail; Randall Noper, city; Eileen Herron, city; Clarence Isaacson, Middle River; Mrs. E. S. Rankin, Mahnomen; Agnes, Marie and Dorothea Grimsrud, St. Hilaire; Harold Stenvick, Erie.

—Trade at Home—

WORLD WAR TOOK NUMEROUS LIVES

Table Shows Colossal Losses in Manpower Suffered by European Countries.

Statistics compiled by an English society on the results of the world war place the loss of life at 40,000,000 people. Of these 10,000,000 or more were slain in battle or died of wounds and of disease there. The figures for the different European countries run as follows:

European Russia	13,000,000
Germany	6,300,000
Austria-Hungary	5,800,000
France	3,340,000
Italy	2,280,000
Great Britian	1,800,000
Serbia	1,650,000
Roumania	510,000
Belgium	375,000
Bulgaria	275,000

These figures, of course, include women and children as well as men engaged in combatant or noncombatant service whose deaths are immediately traceable to the war. And the books of death are not closed, since every day poverty, starvation and disease due to the war still takes a heavy toll of human life.

Also of the population of the war countries which escaped death the majority are probably impaired in health and working ability by reason of the war strain.

—Trade at Home—

Progress Being Made by Minnesota Peat Experts

About one-eighth of the surface of Minnesota, or 7,000,000 acres, is peat land, according to bulletin 188 of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment station prepared by F. J. Alway, chief of the division of soils and recently issued.

The title of the bulletin is "Agricultural Value and Reclamation of Minnesota Peat Soils." The future of the immense area of peat land in the state lies in its possibilities for industrial purposes, forestry and agriculture, says Dr. Alway. Among the industrial purposes suggested are the manufacturing of fuel, power, gas, charcoal, stable litter, and even paper and textiles. The utilization of these lands for crop production, however, Dr. Alway says, will hasten rather than retard their development for industrial purposes.

Dr. Alway's bulletin is a first step toward the reclamation of one of Minnesota's great resources, because it points out what needs to be done after telling what the present conditions actually are. Thus it gives a blue print or working plan by which the owners of such lands and the state may proceed. Copies of the bulletin may be had by addressing Office of Publications, University Farm.

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Giving Wounded Soldiers Chance of Independence

That the government is doing everything possible with the machinery at hand to aid soldiers wounded in the late war to become selfsustaining is evidenced by the number that have been admitted to vocational schools from Minnesota during the past few months. From July 1 to August 1 more than 150 applications were approved. None of these are from Pennington county but there are a few from nearby communities.

Freeman C. King of Gonvick, suffering from deafness, is taking a course in auto mechanics. Ole Larson, Grygla, whose only recorded ailment is a stiff thumb, is taking an agricultural course. Joseph Dostal of Badger, gun shot wound in left arm, is receiving instruction as a forester. Oscar Hilmo, Twin Valley, same kind of wound as Dostal, is taking a course in accounting.

The number of applications for admission to one of the institutions selected by the government for those who were partially disabled is steadily on the increase and assignments are being made as rapidly as possible.

—Trade at Home—

Met Mussey's Approval.

(Grygla Eagle.)

The Pennington County fair held in Thief River Falls last week was the most successful, both in attendance and financially, ever held there. Thursday the attendance was double that of any previous year. The stock exhibits, though not large in numbers, was of a very high grade and showed that the farmers are becoming to realize that it costs no more to keep good stock than it does poor and it pays much better. In the fruit and vegetable products it is hard to believe that such fine stuff could be raised in this climate. The free attractions were of a very high order and amusing. The aeroplane exhibits were simply startling. The final of the ball games was Red Lake Falls vs. Thief River Falls which resulted in favor of the former, 8 to 5. There was also plenty of fake shows and anyone who had more money than they wanted could find plenty chances to get rid of it. The management of the fair deserve a great deal of credit for its success.

Butterfat

Mayor of Rainy River Is Jailed For Selling Booze

A sensation was caused at Rainy River last week when the mayor, Dr. Murdoch, was sentenced to ten days in jail and a two thousand dollar fine for selling liquor unlawfully. The mayor was accused of selling six quarts of liquor to one man and entered a plea of guilty. The usual penalty of $200 fine was expected but Judge Chapman exploded a bombshell by imposing a jail sentence as well as an exceptionally heavy fine.

Dr. Murdoch will appeal to a higher court and a bitter fight is expected. If the conviction stands he would have to resign as mayor and in all likelihood will be barred from practicing as a physician.

—Trade at Home—

Sufferers in Forest Fire to Combine Damage Suits

More than 1,000 forest fire property damage suits, 300 alleged wrongful death actions and 300 personal injury damage suits involving between five and ten million dollars will be disposed of at one swoop in a composite trial to begin at Duluth before five judges of the 11th district September 13.

Residents of the regions between Moose Lake and McGregor, which was swept by the forest fires of October, 1918, are plaintiffs in each of the actions. The Soo Railway company and John Barton Payne, agent of the president under the transportation act of February 29, 1920, are named as joint defendants. The question of liability only will be the issue.

—Trade at Home—

Good Crops Around Grygla.

Grygla Eagle: Harvesting is well under way in this section and the indications are for a bumper crop with the yields running above the average. Many fields will show a big gain over previous years and there are but a very few in which the yield will not be a normal one. Given favorable weather for the next few weeks and the Grygla country will advance still further in the estimation of those who know and appreciate a good reliable agricultural community.

—Trade at Home—

Fortunes in Stock Deals

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There is one way to make money by dealing with the mail-order houses but it isn't by buying goods from them.

The man who thinks he is making money by buying his goods from mail-order houses has only to read of the amazing profits made by some of these big corporations to realize that all the money is being made by the man on the other end of the deal.

The stockholder in a big mail-order concern toils not and neither does he spin, but he piles up his money so fast that it makes the ordinary man's head swim to read about it. Here is the experience of the stockholder in one of the large mail-order concerns, as told by a reliable financial journal. It gives a glimpse into the inside workings of the mail-order business that should be of interest to those who have made such things possible.

How the Game Works.

In 1908 this man bought 600 shares of stock in the mail-order corporation in question when the stock was selling around $40 a share, the 600 shares costing him a little less than $25,000. In 1911 the company declared a stock dividend of 33 1-3 per cent. In other words the company after paying cash dividends regularly, had accumulated a surplus profit of one-third of the amount of capital invested in the business; but instead of distributing this profit among the stockholders the company kept the money in the business and issued stock for that amount to the stockholders. By this action 200 more shares of stock were issued to the man who had originally bought 600, increasing his holdings to 800 shares, without his having put any more money into the business.

Another stock dividend of 50 per cent was declared in 1915 and this added 400 shares more to his holdings, giving him 1,200 shares in all. A third stock dividend of 25 per cent was paid on this man's stock holdings up to 1,500 shares, still without his having paid in any more money. On this 1,500 shares of stock, cash dividends of $8 a share are now being paid. This investor therefore is now receiving $12,000 a year from his original investment of about $25,000, and as the stock is now worth around $160 a share the present market value of his stock is $240,000, giving him a profit of $215,000, in addition to cash dividends which he received during nine years, amounting to many more thousands of dollars.

Only One of Hundreds.

This is the story of just one small stockholder in one mail-order concern. A profit of more than $215,000 made by one small stockholder in nine years on an investment of less than $25,000! It reads like fiction but it is financial history. There are hundreds of other stockholders in this and other mail-order corporations, some of whom have made millions while this man made thousands. Add the profits of all these stockholders together and the result is a sum that staggers the imagination.

Small wonder that the men who own the stock of the big mail-order houses can live in palaces, ride in the highest-priced automobiles, own palatial private yachts and buy $100,000 paintings. But who has furnished the money to pay for the palaces and the automobiles and the yachts [illegible] the $100,000 paintings? The peo[illegible] in the country and the small tow[illegible] who have kept an endless stream of money flowing into the coffers of the mail-order house have made all this possible. Their millions of dollars have gone to the big cities to build up these great concerns. Their millions of dollars have provided the automobiles and yachts and other luxuries for the stockholders in these corporations.

Present From Mail-Order Buyers.

These men who have piled up such big fortunes in the mail-order business have not even had to pay for much of the stock from which they are now drawing princely dividends. The people in the country and the small towns, generous souls, have bought it for them. This is shown in the case of the stockholder just mentioned, who originally invested. The generous mail-order buyers have made him a present of $215,000 worth of stock and he has not had to turn his hand over to get it. He has never even had to as much as write a letter to get it. The generous mail-order buyers have handed it to him on a golden platter.

There's money in the mail-or[illegible] business without a doubt, but it[illegible] the side of the man who does the [illegible]ing and not the one who does the buying. If you must do business with the mail-order house, buy some of its stock and let the fellow in the next town buy you automobiles and private yachts while he struggles with the hard times that come from draining his town of the cash that goes to keep you in luxury.

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Society

Entertains.

Honoring her mother-in-law, Mrs. N. C. Crandall of California, who is her guest, Mrs. C. R. Crandall informally entertained a few ladies yesterday afternoon.

Birthday Party.

Little Janet Connell celebrated her fifth birthday anniversary by entertaining six of her girl friends at her home Friday afternoon. The young ladies enjoyed various games until lunch time when they were served most delicious refreshments. Janet received many pretty gifts from her friends as remembrances of the occasion. The guests were Rosine Dahlen, Jean Mellby, Alice Larson, Marjory Fuller, Jean Protzeller and Helen Johnson.

Slumber Party.

The home of Miss Ruth Brown was the scene of a slumber party Saturday evening. Eight girls had the pleasure of the occasion. Various forms of amusement occupied the time preceding the "slumbering." At ten o'clock a delicious morning breakfast was served. The guests included Misses Mary Prichard, Avis Akre, Ella and Marrian Miller, Evangeline and Lucille Burns, Myrtle Berg and Meta Kiland.

Mrs. Cronkhite Entertains.

In compliment to Mrs. N. J. Wilson of St. Paul, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite entertained a number of ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon. The hours were devoted to needlework. At the conclusion of the afternoon a delicious lunch was served. Those who had the pleasure of the afternoon were Mesdames N. J. Wilson, N. C. Crandall, R. C. Crandall, J. P. Curtis, A. Bottelson, M. Alberg, Geo. Nickleson and D. J. Dosey.

Roseland-Linstad.

Louis Roseland and Miss Minnie Linstad were united in marriage on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 11, at two o'clock at the parsonage of the Zion Lutheran church. The couple was attended by Arne and Myrtle Roseland, brother and sister of the groom. The bride has resided with her parents in this city for a number of years being engaged as teacher in the schools in this vicinity. She has also been employed as cashier at the Loken Bros. department store at different times. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Entertained.

Misses Florence Alberg and Zella Zeh were delightful hostesses on Saturday afternoon when they entertained a number of their girl friends at the home of the latter. The hours were devoted to needlework and conversation. At five o'clock supper was served on the lawn. Those present were the Misses Lucille and Evangeline Burns, Ruth Brown, Mary Prichard, Ella and Marrian Miller, Goldie Stebbins, Myrtle Berg, Blanche Johnson, Marie Nelson, Helen Weeks, Mildred Jacobson of Minneapolis, and Avis Akre, Doris Halvorson and Meta Kiland.

Stene-Troland.

Alfred Stene and Miss Minnie Troland, both of this city, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon at the bride's home near Gatzke. Rev. [illegible]bo of Grygla read the service in [illegible] presence of immediate relatives [illegible] friends. Miss Frances Nelson [illegible] as bridesmaid while Sampson Troland, a brother of the bride, was the best man. Both young people are well and favorably known in this city as the bride has for many years been employed as head waitress at the Hotel Evelyn, while the groom has resided in this city practically all of his life and has for a number of years been employed as meat cutter at various meat markets here. Their many friends extend congratulations.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Miss Mirriam Bishop pleasantly entertained a number of young ladies on Thursday evening at her home, in honor of Miss Blanche Johnson, a bride of next month. The event was a miscellaneous shower. The evening was devoted to needlework. At eleven o'clock a delightful luncheon was served by the hostess' mother, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, assisted by Mrs. H. O. Loken. Yellow and white was the chosen color scheme. A large vase of golden glow formed an attractive centerpiece. The honored guest was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Those present were Misses Effie Hamry, Marie Nelson, Laura Stopple, Marrian and Ella Miller, Mary Prichard, Hazel Conklin, Alice Peterson, Grace Wilson, Genn Granum, Blanche Johnson and Meta Kiland. The matrons of the occasion were Mrs. Albert Johnson and her sister, Mrs. Holte of Aurora, Ill.

—Trade at Home—

Churches

Missionary Society to Meet.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. L. Barackman, 518 Main avenue north, at 3 o'clock.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell—Services next Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8. Rev. Aug. Anderson of Alaska will speak at 8 p. m. Friday, (tomorrow). All cordially invited.

The First Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Services in the American language at 7:45. The Willing Workers society will be entertained by the Kellberg family at their home Aug. 27.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Aug. 22: Sunday school at ten o'clock a. m. The pastor expects to be present and to speak at the regular meetings for worship at ten o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening. All the families of the church are asked to note the opening day after the vacation season.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. Afternoon service at Norden, 2:30. Evening service in English at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies aid Thursday, Aug. 26th, entertained by Mrs. Grindeland and Mrs. Anderson. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday, Aug. 26th. Good program.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Rev. T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Services in the English language next Sunday at 11 a. m. No evening services until the first Sunday in September. Sunday school will meet on Aug. 29, at which time it is desired that all teachers and pupils be present. The confirmation class meets in the church basement Tuesdays and Saturdays at 10 a. m.

—Trade at Home—

ACTUAL WORK ON RIVER IMPROVEMENT NEXT YEAR

Work of conducting a survey of Clearwater and Thief rivers with a view to determining whether improvements should be made to prevent high water is now under way according to C. G. Selvig of Crookston, who is president of the Red River Valley Drainage board. According to Mr. Selvig, thousands of acres of Red River Valley land has been damaged by previous floods and it is the opinion of the board that widening and deepening the rivers would eliminate the flood stage.

George W. Walker, a Thief River Falls engineer, is in charge of the survey of Clearwater river which was started yesterday. His work is expected to be completed by fall. Engineer Joseph Baugh of Warren who has been busy since early spring in the establishment and construction of judicial ditches in the Thief River vicinity is conducting the survey of Thief river and is also expected to be able to make a report this fall.

Both engineers are expected by Mr. Selvig to recommend improvements in the two rivers. The recommendations will be presented to Judge Andrew Grindeland, who will order the improvements made if he believes conditions warrant them.

The drainage board, Mr. Selvig said, hopes for a favorable decision and a start on the deepening of the rivers in 1921. It is his opinion that with the completion of the work, thousands of acres of cheap land will be open in the valley for occupation.

—Trade at Home—

Dances and Concerts Are Not Making Legion Rich

To set aright any notion that the American Legion of Thief River Falls is growing rich as the result of dances and entertainments, the following report given at a recent Legion meeting is given. The dance committee reported that a net profit of $3.05 had been made from two dances given at the auditorium, while the New Year's dance showed $23 in the credit column. The committee which had in charge the recent Million Dollar band concert reported a net earning of $10.25 on the venture. The boys are not kicking, but the figures are given for the purpose of proving to the public that dances and entertainments given under Legion auspices are not get-rich-quick schemes in any sense of the term.

—Trade at Home—

PUBLIC FORUM

Trip to Washington.

Editor Times: Find enclosed a check for $2 for which please send The Times to our new address.

Three months ago today we loaded our Studebaker and started on our trip westward. The trip was most enjoyable—very little car trouble and good roads. It was, however, tiresome driving all day. We camped out nights. Visited the North Dakota state asylum at Jamestown and the penetentiary at Bismarck, where we crossed the Missouri river on a ferry and passed through the valley where Theodore Roosevelt once had a ranch. One whole day was spent in getting through the Bad Lands of North Dakota. The scenery there is wonderful, but to describe it is a hard task. To give a slight idea of what that country is like might say that there are miles and miles of masses of rock and ugly looking mountains. We visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Doyle, former residents of Thief River, at Sentinel Butte and saw the highest point in North Dakota, called the Big Butte.

After leaving Miles City, Mont., the flowers were in bloom and everything looked so much greener than in the East. In western Montana we saw fields of alfalfa and sugar beets, these being almost the sole crops raised by the farmers in the neighborhood. Billings has the second largest beet sugar factory in the United States.

Crossing the Rocky mountains we were surprised to find such a gradual raise to the top that we did not know we were on the divide. Drove for miles with snow-capped mountains on all sides but never dreamed we would get very close to them.

Were delayed at Hunter Hot Springs one afternoon because of the rain and stayed at the hotel there. This was the most beautiful place we had ever seen. At one end of the hotel they have a swimming pool of hot sulphur water where people go for all kinds of ailments as well as on mere vacations. There is hot sulphur water running into this pool all the time from the mountains. We were also delayed at Bozeman a week on account of the rain and while there went to the top of state university and looked over the Gallatin valley—the most beautiful in Montana.

At Missoula we visited with Mrs. Paul Holzknecht, who is a sister of Mrs. P. W. Roark of Thief River Falls. We also called on the Fred Zeh family. Mr. Zeh is a brother of Phil and Emil Zeh of Thief River Falls. At Missoula there is a mountain that looks just like an elephant lying on its side and we crossed another mountain after leaving Missoula that is called the Camel's Hump.

Crossing the divide between Montana and Idaho we were 4000 feet above sea level and we drove through snow. The outlook from the top was magnificent for we could see the roads winding down ahead of us and we were as high as the tops of the highest trees. Used no gas for seven miles after leaving the divide. Made one turn called the "Hairpin Curve" where no car but a Ford or a runabout can make the turn without first backing up, and that is what we had to do. We got stuck in the Fourth of July canyon as they were fixing the road and we had to be towed out of there.

Even though we went through some dangerous places and had some very narrow escapes we had a trip that we will never forget—nor regret—and we landed at Spokane on the 1st of June.

Spokane is a very beautiful city but we have not been here long enough to say whether we are going to like it or not.

Wishing that everyone in Thief River Falls could have been along on this trip with us, we remain

Yours truly,
VAL YAGER AND FAMILY.

Coming From Illinois.

Editor Times: Please send me The Times for six months. I think it a live-wire newspaper. Am interested in the crops and weather conditions in your section as I purchased a farm eight miles northeast of your city last year through the W. H. Frederick land agency.

The small grain is very good here, some of the wheat going 45 bushels per acre and oats 80 bushels. Corn looks good but needs rain.

I think there is a very good country around Thief River Falls and expect to make my home there in the near future. Your town is up-to-date so far as I can see for a Northwestern community. Yours respectfully,
Berwick, Ill., Aug. 7. J. R. PENCE.

—Trade at Home—

STEINER

G. L. Leisher made a trip to Thief River Falls the first part of the week.

Rev. LaRoe conducted services in Steiner Sunday evening, Aug. 8.

John Whitman transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Miss Celia Emmons, niece of S. R. Rogers, returned to her home Monday evening after a ten day visit with the Rogers family. Miss Emmons is from Grand Rapids, Wis.

Arthur Bartelson passed through this burg Sunday.

Mrs. Dan Dowcher transacted business in Thief River Falls Monday.

A. Koglin attended to business matters in Thief River Falls the latter part of last week.

Fred Copp and family motored to Warren Sunday.

Arnie Solem transacted business in Thief River Falls the latter part of last week.

Little Russell Muzzy, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy, met with a serious accident Monday morning which resulted in death. All of the neighbors are shocked and the sympathy of the entire neighborhood is with the grief stricken parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Heider and Mr. and Mrs. Swartz spent Sunday with the Meyer family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers and family autoed to Stephen Sunday.

Miss Ruth Solem was in Newfolden Saturday.

Edgar Ufer transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Renie Werner autoed to Fertile Saturday.

Some of the neighbors have been having threshing done. The grain is fairly good but there is quite a lot lost by the rust.

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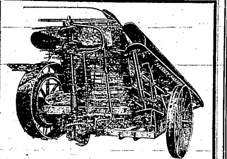

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FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—Some good modern houses at right price and terms. Enquire B. E. Dalquist, 211 East 3rd Street. 61tf

FOR SALE—One player piano, one 4-wheeled auto trailer, one tractor plow, one heavy wagon.—W. E. Baker. 60tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Winton Six cylinder 48, seven passenger. In fine condition.—Box 1072, T. R. Falls, Minn. 62tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FARM FOR SALE—128 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton station. Seventy-five acres summer fallowed. For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, Administrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 70tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. H. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—One bay gelding, 5 years old, weight 1450. W. E. Smith, 5 miles NW of Thief River Falls. 83p

FOR SALE—E½NE¼ Sec. 21, Township 155, Range 41, under ditch about six miles NW of Thief River Falls. Address BPI C-o. Times. 84p

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 38tf

FOR SALE—Surrey, good as new. Price $60.00.—Nels Aarnes, Kratka, Minn. 85p

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Gesell Land Co.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf.

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

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FOR SALE—One full-blood Shorthorn bull 2 years old, and one 7 weeks old bull calf, seven-eighths Shorthorn.—Carl Talley, Mavie.

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in good shape. Starter and Lights. Will sell on time if desired.—C. W. McDaniel. 84tf

FOR SALE—House at 717 Main Ave. N. 84tf

FOR SALE—Complete steam threshing outfit. Dirt cheap if taken at once.—W. J. LaBree. 85

FOR SALE—1 good work horse; 1 single harness; 1 two-seated buggy almost new. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Will take good milch cow in trade. Apply at 801 Main Ave. N. 84tf

FOR SALE—One 18 inch hard coal and one soft coal stove. Also a wood burner.—Roy Motz, 109 Kendall Ave. S. 85p

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Quarter of wild hay 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway.—W. E. Baker. 84tf

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FOR SALE—One wide tire wagon, complete.—P. O. Sorlom, ½ mile east of Soo roundhouse. 84p

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—New Dowden Potato digger and light work harness.—P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 83tf

FOR SALE—Good used car, repainted and overhauled. Phone 4924. 84p

FOR SALE CHEAP—Team of young horses weight about 2700. Mrs. J. J. Amble, 103 Horace Ave. N. 84p

FOR SALE—7-room house, East Side, 300 feet frontage. Call at owner, 600 Kendall Ave. S. 84p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Several sections of land for sale or trade for city property or anything I can use. 604 Arnold Ave. N., city. Telephone 5941. 84p

FOR SALE OR TRADE on reasonable terms—eight room house and lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block 8, Porter's Addition. North Star Real Estate Company, 325 E. Lake St., Minneapolis, Minn. 86

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in modern house. Phone 590, 237 Kendall Ave. N. 84p

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters *near Goodridge.—First and Peoples* State Bank. 70tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 201 Conley Ave. S. 81tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms, 301 Markley Ave. S. Prefer ladies. Also can secure board.—Mrs. F. A. Harold. 87p

LOST

Lost—Plush handbag with tassel, containing $60, on State road near Flattum farm. Return to this office for reward.

LOST—Saturday evening, Aug. 14th, brown traveling bag on road near St. Hilaire. Finder please return to Times office for reward. 81tf

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 200 St. Paul Ave. North. 82tf

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Middle aged or elderly lady, on farm. Apply to Nelson & Nelson, Goodridge, Minn. 85p

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 409 Knight Ave. 81

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Help Wanted—Male

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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To pasture cattle for the season. Good grass and plenty of water.—S. E. Hunt, Phone 7-F-21. 73tf

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WANTED—Board during school term by teacher. Write XA, C-o The Times. 83tf

STRAYED—Four winter steer calves from pasture in Numedal township. Dark red, two fair size and one smaller. Notify Mrs. G. A. Roos. 85p

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ROSEWOOD

A Farmers club meeting, the first this season, was held at Rosebank last Saturday evening, but owing to various social doings in the nearby towns the same evening the public was somewhat split and only about 25 persons attended. Most of those present were young people and a very enjoyable social evening was spent at indoor games and frolic. Lunch and lemonade was served before closing and everybody retired at midnight. No attempt was made at reorganizing, and no definite date was set for next meeting which, however, will be held some time next month.

Services in the Norwegian language was held at the Rindal church last Sunday afternoon, Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls officiating. The monthly meeting of the ladies aid of the same church was held at the home of Mrs. M. Jarsaw last Tuesday afternoon and was one of the largest attended in the history of the organization. The same evening the young peoples society had their meeting at the church but was not very successful on account of the rainy weather. Rev. George Larson returned home before evening and the Y. P. S. was conducted by the home officers. Not very many were present.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Vorseth, who left on Aug. 2 by car for a month's vacation in Iowa, that they arrived safely in Waterville where their main stay will be on Aug. 5. The journey was pleasant save for a few wheel troubles and loose sandy roads which delayed the travelers some, but in all was well worth taking. Many things of interest were encountered during the trip and many places of scenic interest were visited. The entire party are in the best of health, and are enjoying the stay with friends and relatives immensely. They expect to be back the first week in Sept.

J. E. Thompson of Gully has been appointed agent for the Hanson & Barzen interest in this village and came here to take charge last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm left last Saturday for a day's stay with Mr. Holm's parents at Twin Valley. They returned on Sunday evening and were accompanied by Miss Annie Holm, a sister of A. S., who will visit here for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family of Crookston, were in town last Sunday as guests with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Gladys, Verna and Glenn Sagmoen and Joel Shoberg spent Sunday on an auto tour to Crookston and Gentley.

Miss Nina Westby left on Monday evening for Goodridge where she will visit with her brother, Martin, and friends for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pederson returned home from North Dakota Monday where they have been employed and will spend some time with Mrs. Pedersen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hall, near Anita.

Olaf Hall, who is employed at Argyle, spent Sunday with his parents here.

A home party in honor of aged Mrs. S. Nordhagen was arranged at her home south of town by her children last Sunday afternoon. All her children residing near here were present as well as several intimate neighboring families, and the occasion brought much pleasure for the partakers.

Miss Olga Thoreson, who has been employed at Thief River Falls during the summer, arrived home last week for a visit with her parents.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl of Thief River Falls, spent Friday visiting at the John Hellquist home, returning home the same evening.

Henry Sagmoen and Dave Mosbeck will leave on Monday for the harvest fields of North Dakota, where they will seek employment for the next few weeks.

Victor Mosbeck left the first of this week with his horses for Wylie where he will plow and seed to winter rye about 20 acres on his farm located there.

Martin Jarsaw will thresh in this neighborhood this year, and the intention is to have the farmers join hands and do a shock threshing run. Olof Nordhagen will thresh south of town and has already commenced on some winter rye. The best yield reported so far is from one grain load of winter rye from the Mosbeck Bros. farm which netted 24½ bushels. Oats seem to run satisfactory. The Soderberg-Bottleson rig has commenced working in the Aug. Johnson vicinity.

Carl Bloom and Thom Holten has secured shares in the Viking telephone company and the building a line from their farms to connect with the main line through the town.

Swen Swenson has spent all last week on real estate affairs at Newfolden and various other places.

John Remmem left the first of the week for Thief River Falls where he will spend some time as a guest with his brother, A. B. Remmem. His store and filling station is in charge of Lloyd Alnes from the former place during his absence.

Howard Carlson returned to Duluth last week after visiting for a few days with his relatives here.

Olof Opseth left last Tuesday for Grafton, N. D., where he will be employed this fall.

Gust Opseth left the first of the week with his Oil Pull threshing outfit for Radium near which place he will do a threshing run this fall.

—Trade at Home—

ERIE

The rain shower which we had on Wednesday freshened everything and it has not been so hot since.

Bernt Johnson and son, Ole, of Thief River Falls came out on Friday and are helping Ludvig Johnson putting up hay.

Gena Nerhus left last week for Thief River Falls where she is employed in a restaurant doing dining room work.

Gladys Johnson is visiting her grandma in Thief River Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dahlen and son, Olaf, were Sunday evening guests at Eckwall's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Iverson entertained the L. B. Johnson and Theodore Sunsdahl families at Sunday dinner.

The Shulstads were Goodridge visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hovet entertained a number of their immediate friends at a party on Saturday. The time was spent in music, singing and general conversation. At midnight a delicious supper was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Komplien and baby spent Sunday with Mrs. Komplien's parents near Rhoda.

Otto Parnow was a caller at H. A. Dahlen's on Sunday forenoon.

Rev. G. A. Hanson of Goodridge was around on Monday of last week soliciting subscriptions from the various members and also nonmembers of the Erie church to help erect a parsonage in Goodridge. Rev. Hanson reports that he met with very liberal success and that with the subscriptions from the other congregations it will be made possible to build in the near future.

Rev. G. A. Hanson of Goodridge conducted services in the Erie church on Sunday. An inspiring sermon was delivered to a large audience.

Amanda Eckwall left last Monday for Edmore, N. D., where she will cook in a cook car during threshing.

Christian Skaaren has invested in a small separator which he will run with his Fordson tractor. He expects to do the threshing in the Erie district this fall.

Although late, we wish to announce the marriage of Hulda Eckwall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Eckwall, to Erick Dahlman of Edmore, N. D., on July 27. The newlyweds have left for North Dakota where they expect to make their home. The groom is interested in farming there.

Otto Parnow's barn is now nearing its completion and is one of the most modern in this community. Let us hope that a barn of this kind may soon be seen on every farm in Star township.

Oliver Tommerdahl has invested in a Fordson tractor and plows, and is now busy early and late plowing.

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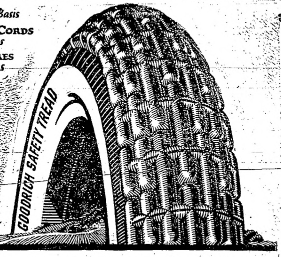
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Richard Cannon, Chief Petty Officer of the U. S. S. Neptune, whose dramatic capture at sea by a German U-Boat and subsequent experiences aboard the submarine and in a German prison hospital, thrilled the entire country, is still another world hero to test the remarkable reconstructive powers of Tanlac and give it his strong endorsement. Mr. Cannon's adventures were so harrowing that his constitution was completely shattered but after months of suffering he has now regained the wonderful health that enabled him to pull through his adventures alive and is today the same strapping two hundred pound fighter that embarked on the ill-fated collier. But let him tell his own story:

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—Trade at Home—

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minn., postoffice for the week ending August 14, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago, Ill.:

Arveson, Henry
Caesar, Mr. H. A.
Chaulsette, Mrs. Al.
Erkkila, Mrs. Saima
Grindeland, Miss Gladys
Louis, Mr. Leo
Marshall State Bank
Michulek, Mr. Tony
Michalek, Mr. Anthony
Tangstad, Mrs. R.
Wiken, Hannah

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

—Trade at Home—

Board of Health Notice.

The people of the city of Thief River Falls *are hereby notified that* water taken from the city supply is unsatisfactory, because river water is not suitable for drinking purposes unless filtered and treated. The city water must be boiled before it is safe to use for drinking.

DR. J. BIEDERMANN,
Health Officer.

a12-19-26

—Trade at Home—

Important Meeting.

The Woman's Nonpartisan club No. 35 of Erie will meet at the S. O. Prestegaard farm next Sunday afternoon, Aug. 22. Lunch will be served for 15 cents. Everybody welcome.

—Trade at Home—

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to thank our friends for their sympathy with us in the bereavement caused by the death of our son and brother, Daniel Christensen. We also express our thanks for the many beautiful floral offerings and for the decorations of the tabernacle.—Mr. and Mrs. C. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. J. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. Rustabakke, David and Edwin Christensen, Ruth, Edna and Judith Christensen. a19

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—Trade at Home—

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

At an adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Aug. 3, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: Froseth.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the application of Anseby & Hurstad for installing an underground gasoline tank on the boulevard in front of the garage be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the Council adjourn until Aug. 4, 1920, at 7:00 o'clock A. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at 7:00 o'clock A. M., Aug. 4, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Members absent: Froseth, Ihle.

There being no quorum present the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Aug. 10, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Members absent: None.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the application of the Duluth Brewing Co., be granted to the extent approved by the Fire Marshal. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that *the application of the Police* Department for increase in wages be referred to the Mayor. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that Ordinance No. 165 be laid on the table. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the City Attorney be authorized to employ counsel, if he deems it necessary, in connection with the street paving. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the certified check of the Bitulithic Contracting Co., and Carl Knudsen be returned. Motion carried.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Holt & George the sum of $171.01, 4th estimate on sewer and water connection contract. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Froseth, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Holt & George, the sum of $660.37, 1st estimate on sanitary sewer contract. (See Resolution.)

On motion duly seconded the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the city council held Aug. 10, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the Mayor and City Clerk be and hereby are authorized and directed to issue to Holt & George the warrants of the City drawn against the Local Improvement Fund and the Waterworks fund, against the first named fund in the sum of $142.50, and against the Waterworks fund, in the sum of $28.51, in payment of Estimate No. 4 as submitted by the City's Engineer for work done by said Holt & George under the Sewer and Waterworks contract.

Roll Call: Alderman voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Alderman voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Aug. 14, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Aug. 10, 1920, Alderman Froseth, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized and directed to execute and issue to Holt & George the warrant of the City drawn upon the Local Improvement Fund, in the sum of $660.37, in payment of Estimate No. 1 as submitted by the City's Engineer for work done by said Holt & George in relaying the sanitary sewer on Main Avenue, between Second and Third Street, as per contract.

Roll Call. Alderman voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Alderman voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Aug. 14, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Aug. 10, 1920, Alderman Froseth, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$500.75
Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co., sewer pipe	15.40
O. E. Jenson, special police	4.00
Crane & Noeges, supplies, Fire Department	84.00
Water & Light Dept., freight	1.50
N. S. Nelson, labor	30.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	16.40
P. W. Roark, labor	461.50
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., cement	3.60
League of Minnesota Municipalities dues	20.00
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	10.50
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	29.55
Ed. Brooten, special police	12.00
Leonard DuChamp, livery	18.00
Andy Craik, smithing	3.00
James King, brooms	2.50
Improvement Fund.	
Andy Craik, repairs	3.75
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., tolls	4.25
Water & Light Dept., power services	46.42
Frank McGinnity, special police	1.00
Auditorium Fund.	
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	3.50
Water & Light Dept., light service	27.20
Poor Fund.	
H. K. Strand, supplies	8.51
Carl Christofferson, supplies	106.98
Anna Bang, hay	2.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	1.27
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
F. J. Stebbins, supplies	4.35
Louis DeCremer, supplies	6.80
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	1.50
A. J. Sanden, labor	5.00
Library Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., light service	2.25
Electric Light Fund.	
Hermanson Hdwe Co., supplies	2.46
Standard Oil Co., oil	157.00
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	112.50
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	23.83
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	11.65
Power Equipment Co., vise	9.00
Crane & Ordway Co., supplies	9.57
N. S. Nelson, labor	7.20
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., tolls and rent	7.00
Lloyd Peterson, labor	25.00
Mike Welch, labor	15.75
Alfred Adolphs, labor	16.00
Mpls. Elect. Equip. Co., repairs	25.11
Alf. Berry, repairs	3.85
Loken Bros., mdse.	.90
C. M. Evenson & Son, repairs and storage, (allowed)	5.25
Waterworks Fund.	
Andrew Johnson, labor	24.50
Andrew Hedlund, labor	4.50
Neptune Meter Co., supplies	30.30
Water & Light Dept., freight, etc.	3.62
Mpls. Bridge Co., gravel	11.00
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., cement	6.00
Holt & George, labor	180.00

Roll Call. Alderman voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Alderman voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Aug. 14, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBERG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Bjerkhoel, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Agnes Lange, Gustav Haller, Barney Bjerkhoel, Halvdan Bjerkhoel, Arnold Bjerkhoel, Andrew Berkhall, Ruth Lange, Eva Lange and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a19-26-s2

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Swan Englund, a single man, mortgagor, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, Uithuizen, The Netherlands, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated the 10th day of March, 1905, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake (now Pennington County) and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book "22" of Mortgages, on page "610," which said mortgage was duly assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, aforesaid, to A. J. Prins, by instrument in writing bearing date July 14, 1920, and recorded in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in Book "62" of Mortgages, page "222", on the 15th day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., that the amount claimed to be due and is due at this date on the debt secured by said mortgage, is Twelve Hundred and Twenty-six and 00-100 ($1226.00) Dollars, that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are situate in the County of Pennington (formerly Red Lake) and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred and Fifty-four (154), North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said mortgaged premises aforesaid, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls in said Pennington County, on Monday, September 20th, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage together with the costs and disbursements of said sale allowed by law and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure.

Dated July 26th, 1920.

A. J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
303-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
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Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Lauck, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to August Lauck, John Lauck, Minnie Lenius whose full true name is Minnie Lauck Lenius, Rosa Zealand whose full true name is Rosa Lauck Zealand, Fred Lauck, Annie Smith whose full true name is Annie Lauck Smith and Albert Lauck and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of September, 1920 at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 5th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(SEAL) Judge of Probate.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a12-19-26

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ella Holscher, Leo A. Holscher, Viola Holscher, Vivian A. Holscher, Russell M. Holscher, Aurel J. Holscher, Evelyn J. Holscher, William A. Holscher, Herbert Holscher, Gordon Holscher, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 9th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(SEAL) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a12-19-26

In the Matter of the Liquidation of the Farmers State Bank of Holt, A Corporation.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Pursuant to the order of the Court herein, the undersigned, F. E. Pearson, as Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota, will receive bids at his office in the State Capitol at St. Paul, Minnesota, until noon on the 30th day of August, 1920, for the sale in bulk and for cash of the unsold and uncollected assets of the said Farmers State Bank of Holt, consisting of notes, shares of creamery stock, and judgments, inventory of which is on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court, and all of which said assets are subject to the examination of any person interested at the said office of the undersigned.

The validity of said assets is not guaranteed either as to signatures, amounts, or otherwise.

All bids must be accompanied by ten per cent of the amount thereof and same forfeited if the bid is accepted and approved by the Court and bidder neglects or refuses forthwith to fulfil the same.

All bids made subject to the acceptance and approval of the Court herein in his discretion.

Any and all bids may be rejected.

Dated July 19th, 1920.

F. E. PEARSON,
As Superintendent of Banks of the State of Minnesota.
a-12-19

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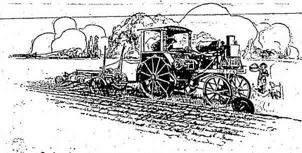
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- Brass trimmed brand new saddle and bridle
- Winchester 12 gauge gun.

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Association in Good Shape Financially and Can Stand the Expansion.

So successful have the annual fairs of the Pennington County Agricultural society proven in late years that the directors consider themselves justified in taking rather elaborate steps in providing for the future. This year's fair was the best ever held and proved conclusively that anything done for the purpose of adding either to the convenience or attractiveness of the grounds and equipment insures certain returns.

At the directors' meeting held last week plans for next year were discussed and the first steps taken toward making the fair grounds and buildings the best to be found in this section. The plan includes the erection of an administration building, octogonal in shape, on the most convenient site on the grounds. Separate structures for the housing of poultry and farm products are also among the things needed and which are receiving the attention of the board. The woman's building has long been inadequate to meet the needs of this important department and it is proposed to add two wings, one to be used as a rest room and the other for the boys' and girls' exhibits.

While the association is in very good shape financially and might in a pinch undertake this expansion on its own hook, it was considered a better plan to ask the organizations most directly interested in the success of the fair to assist in securing the funds for carrying out the program. The Woman's club, Community Girls, Merchants association and Commercial club will in all likelihood later be requested to assist in putting the proposition across.

The old board fence surrounding the grounds has long been an eye sore to everyone who has passed the place. It is now proposed to erect a wire fence around the enfor automobiles and taxis as well as entrance and exit gates for those on foot. Whether or not this idea is carried out will depend largely on the availability of the materials required.

Live Stock Parades.

A feature of much interest at future fairs will probably be a parade of all the livestock entered for exhibition. The directors considered this proposition with much favor, deciding that in case the plan was carried out all exhibits would be awarded ribbons. Another matter discussed was the advisability of devoting one night of the fair to a display of fireworks.

Secretary G. Howard Smith stated that all the bills against the association had not yet been presented but he was of the opinion that between $2500 and $3000 had been cleared on the recent fair. The amount just about equals the indebtedness of the association. This is an excellent showing and, with the property assets, easily makes the stock worth $1.50 for every dollar's worth held.

As soon as all bills are in there will be another meeting at which there matters will be more freely discussed.

—Trade at Home—

Frank Cornforth.

Frank Cornforth, former resident of Crookston, died at Watertown, S. D., Saturday night following an operation for appendicitis. His remains were shipped to Crookston and burial took place there. Deceased was well known in Thief River Falls, having been connected with the Western Union for a number of years. At the time of his death he held the position of manager of the Western Union office at Watertown. The deceased is survived by his father, who resides in Montana, two sisters, Evelyn of Sioux Falls, S. D., and Minnie of Thief River Falls.

—Trade at Home—

Home on Vacation.

Harry L. Bakken arrived the latter part of last week from Minneapolis and is spending a two-weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bakken. Harry is a student at Dunwoody Institute and is fitting himself as an automobile mechanic. He was quite severely wounded in the world war and the government is putting him through school with all expenses paid, in lieu of money compensation.

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FARM BUREAU TO MAKE PLANS FOR BETTER MARKET

Scheme Formulated to Eliminate Speculation in the Fixing of Grain Prices.

National Co-Operative Association to Handle Grain and Livestock For Farmers.

Movement Inaugurated at Meeting of Farm Organizations Last Week in Chicago.

Active steps toward the formation of a great pan-American co-operative marketing organization to handle grain and livestock for farmers in United States and Canada were taken at a conference held last week in Chicago, under the auspices of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Over 500 persons, most of them representing one or more of the various independent co-operative organizations now in the field, discussed for two days, ways and means of bringing about a fusion of their varied interests into a conglomerate whole. As a result, J. H. Howard, president of the Federation, was empowered to appoint a committee of seventeen, which will be instructed to bring a concrete plan of action before another meeting which is to be held in January.

To Eliminate Speculator.

The aim of the organization will be to eliminate speculators and needless middlemen, who take an annual toll of $50,000,000; permit the farmer and his representatives to regulate the flow of grain and livestock to market so as to avoid price depressions, and to give to consumers a better product at a lower price through avoidance of the present wasteful and inefficient marketing methods.

Mr. Howard announced that it would take him some time to determine on the personnel of the committee, as he desired to put only men who are in a "co-operative frame of mind" to work on the gigantic task before them. It is certain, however, that men who are now engaged in co-operative marketing will be asked to serve. It is probable that the Department of Agriculture and the Federal Trade Commission will send delegates.

Monster Undertaking.

This is the largest undertaking that the National Federation has ever tackled. The movement was born at a meeting of secretaries and presidents of Mid-West state federations, held at Ames, Iowa, July 22 and 23. Minnesota was represented at this meeting.

Prominent organizations which had representatives at the conference were the various state farm bureau federations, the Equity Co-Operative Exchange of St. Paul, state and national Equity unions, state and national Granges, Farmers' unions and the National Board of Farm Organizations. More than two million farmers were represented.

Not in Market Business.

Mr. Howard, who presided at the conference, made it plain that the American Federation of Farm Bureaus did not want to go into the marketing business, but it does earnestly desire to further and assist in every way possible a movement that will remedy present injustices to which the farmer is subjected.

Benjamin B. Drake, attorney for the Equity Co-Operative Exchange, on his return to St. Paul said there was every prospect of a worth-while organization to grow out of the conference. "It will take time," he said, "but the goal toward which we are aiming cannot be attained in a week or ten days."

L. E. Potter of Springfield, a member of the executive board, was the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation's representative.

—Trade at Home—

Elks Meeting Friday.

ELKS MEETING FRIDAY.

There will be a regular meeting of the Elks' lodge on Friday evening, Aug. 20, at which time it is desired that all those who have applications for membership in their possession will present the same. Final arrangements for the annual picnic will also be made and it is important that all members be present.

SOLVES PROBLEMS FOR NORTH FARMS

New Experiment Station at Grand Rapids Proves of Immense Value to Section.

The North Central Agricultural Experiment station at Grand Rapids, Minn., one of the six stations in the Minnesota system, is working out the answers to not a few problems of vital interest to the farmers of north central Minnesota. A report of progress has just appeared in the form of a bulletin covering the work of the station for the period from 1915-1919.

In this bulletin or report, Otto I. Berg, superintendent, describes numerous experiments. For example, he mentions a durum wheat, the Prelude, a very early short-strawed variety which surpasses the fife and the bluestem in hardiness and shows excellent qualities under milling tests. He also outlines results obtained to secure an early corn for the far north counties. The results have been encouraging as a certain strain of one corn is sufficiently early to produce seed in normal seasons, though as yet this corn cannot be recommended to be grown for ripe grain except on farms that are very favorably located. The author furthermore, describes a combination silage consisting of corn, sunflowers and soy beans which seems to give much promise. What can be done in increasing the productive efficiency of a dairy herd from common native stock is also outlined. The herd at Grand Rapids, which when started averaged 196 pounds of butterfat and less than 5,000 pounds of milk per cow annually now averages 358 pounds of butterfat and 7,184 pounds of milk.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.29
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.15
Oats	.53
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Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb	5-6
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.25
Spring Chickens	.25
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.35
Dairy butter	.50
Creamery butter	.58
Cow hides, per lb	.10
Horse hides	3-4
Calf hides	.12
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.18
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.07
Steers, per lb	.06
Calves, per lb	.08
Cows	.05
Lamb, per lb	.09

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CELEBRATION SOON FOR AGGIE SCHOOL

September 28 Chosen as Date For Notable Gathering at Crookston Institution.

Elaborate plans are being made for a Valley wide event of unusual interest and importance to be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture on September 28. The citizens of Crookston will be the sponsors and hosts to visitors from near and far who will attend the exercises planned for that day.

The occasion is the dedication of the Northwest School's Soldiers' Memorial, the formal opening of the school's new $100,000 dining hall and service building, and the acceptance by the state and county of the paved roadway leading from Crookston to the school's campus.

The memorial will be in place in time to be unveiled and dedicated to the eight boys who gave their lives and to the 153 others in the service. The alumni and former students of the school have subscribed funds for this monument.

Numerous organizations, state and valley wide in their scope, will participate in the celebration planned.

Former students and their friends will hold reunions at the school. When it is known that the former students now number nearly 1500 it will be seen that they reach into every county and community. Former service men will come from all the posts in the Valley. Other organizations will be present in the parade under consideration or be represented on the program. Many will wish to see the new dining hall building which is now nearly completed. The concrete roadway two miles long will be of interest to many.

As soon as committees get plans under way, further announcements will be made. Thus far only the date has been determined upon but it is in the minds of all that this noteworthy event shall be fittingly observed.

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Ole Lee, 55 years old, veteran engineer on the Soo line, lost his race with death Monday. Hurrying to his home at Glenwood from Michigan, where he had gone to regain his health, he dropped dead on a Soo passenger train between St. Paul and Minneapolis. Mr. Lee, his wife and child went to Michigan several days ago. Saturday his condition grew worse and he expressed a desire to return to Minnesota to die.

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PUBLIC WARNED AGAINST UNFAIR PRICE BOOSTING

Legitimate Rise in Prices on Account of Freight Increase is Small.

General Boosting by Profiteers Held Unwarranted by Authorities.

Example Furnished by Showing Increase in Cost of Pair of Shoes.

New York—Declaring that the authorized increase in freight rates will, for example, legitimately add but from five to sixteen cents to the cost of a pair of shoes, Charles D. Orth, President of the National Security League, issued a warning to the public today to beware of profiteering as a result of the new schedules. Mr. Orth stated that there are undoubtedly many unscrupulous retailers who will immediately use the new rates as an excuse for making large increases in the price of every day commodities.

Mr. Orth's statement reads:

"Used as Excuse."

" 'Nine-tenths of wisdom is being wise in time.' For which reason, the National Security League wishes to warn the people that the increased freight rates *recently authorized by* the Interstate Commerce Commission do not justify any rise in the prices of most of the things which the people use. There is a great danger, in the opinion of the League, that the freight rate increase will be used as an excuse or camouflage for still further advancing the High Cost of Living. To many people it will sound not only credible, but convincing, if shop keepers say they must advance the price on eggs or shoes, because the freight charges have been increased from 25 to 40 per cent. Taking the latter as an example, it will be seen that, as a matter of fact, the increase in freight rates might justify an advance of between five and sixteen cents on each pair of shoes. The explanation of this is as follows:

Shoes as Example.

"There are four freight movements of the leather in a pair of shoes.

(a) The hide from the stock farm to the slaughter house.

(b) The hide from the slaughter-house to the tanner.

(c) The leather from the tanner to the shoe-factory.

(d) The shoes from the shoe-factory to the store which sells them.

"As nearly as freight rates on an average haul can be approximated, each one of these movements costs, at the old rates, 75c per 100 lbs., or ¾c per pound. An increase of 25% in freight rates would therefore increase freights 18-¾c per 100 lbs., or 3-16c per pound.

"Assuming that five pounds of hide, equal to about four pounds of leather, go into a pair of shoes and that a completed pair of shoes weighs 4 lbs., the increased cost of same resulting from a 25% increase in freight-rates would be:

(a) 5 lbs. at 3-16c per lb., 15-16 of 1c
(b) 5 lbs. at 3-16c per lb., 15-16 of 1c
(c) 4 lbs. at 3-16c per lb., ¾ of 1c
(d) 4 lbs. at 3-16c per lb., ¾ of 1c
to which add, for freight on containers, say 1 lb. 3-16 of 1c
3 9-16 of 1c

or, to make it round figures, call it 4c, which would be the actual increased cost of the leather in a pair of shoes under a freight-rate advance of 25%. Allowing 1 cent (which is exhorbitant for the purpose) to cover the actual increased freight-rates on the other material in the shoe, the maximum increased cost would be 5 cents a pair, or 1% on a $5 pair of shoes.

"Assuming that the entire movement of hide, leather and shoes was in a district where the freights had been advanced 40% instead of 25% the increased cost still be only about 8c on a pair of shoes. If this sum is doubled to cover increased freight on coal, new machinery and other things which are used in a shoe factory, the maximum increase on a pair of shoes would be in the neighborhood of 16c a pair, or 2% on an $8 pair of shoes.

"The same principle applies to meat, eggs and butter, and practically everything else in which transportation by rail enters to any extent.

"The $1,500,000,000 advance in freight and passenger rates may seem a huge sum, but, when it is considered that this is not more than 2% on the annual production of the farms, factories and mines in the United States, a proper prospective can be obtained of how slightly the advance affects the cost and price of any particular commodity."

—Trade at Home—

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved son and brother, Alvin. We also desire to extend our sincere thanks to the contributors of the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Julia Tandberg and Family.

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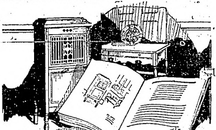

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WORK ON PAVING JOB TO START NEXT WEEK; CURBS AND GUTTERS TO BE COMPLETED IN 2 MONTHS

Contractors Decide to Undertake This Part of Contract Without Waiting For Supreme Court Decision in Matter—Take Pay in Warrants.

Work of Paving Streets to Be Deferred Until Money From Sale of Bonds Becomes Available—Good Start Anticipated This Fall.

Thief River Falls is going to pave, and work on gutters and curbs will be under way within a few days. A representative of the concern holding this part of the paving contract appeared before the council Tuesday evening and expressed his willingness to go ahead with the work under existing conditions. He is willing to accept as payment city warrants and agrees to hold them until such time *as the legal phase of the paving matter* can be cleared up and money derived through the sale of bonds.

Contractors Present.

A. D. Hanson, president, and R. B. Collard, superintendent, of the Bithulitic Contracting company of Winnipeg, which holds the paving contract, were present at the meeting Tuesday evening and explained fully the position of the company with regard to the job.

Mr. Hanson stated that inasmuch as it was necessary that curbs and gutters be constructed before paving could be undertaken, he had made arrangements with Mr. Anderson, the subcontractor, to begin this part of the work at once. Mr. Anderson spoke briefly, stating he knew the conditions, but he considered the chance of an adverse decision from the supreme court very remote. He said he was willing to take this chance in order to get his part of the contract completed this fall. The councilmen, equally anxious to see actual work started soon, were glad to accept Mr. Anderson's proposal.

The Main Contract.

Just how soon paving of the streets can be started is not known at this time. Mr. Hanson stated that it would be necessary to wait until the supreme court rendered its decision so that bonds may be sold with which to finance the contract. He said his company was positive it would be taking no chances in going ahead with the work under the same conditions as the subcontractor but the size of the contract makes it impossible for the company to carry the financial burden.

To Speed Up Work.

It is considered likely that with an even chance on weather conditions and an early decision by the supreme *court as to the legality of the procedure*, a good start may be made with paving before winter sets in. Mr. Anderson informed the council that with anything like favorable weather it would be possible to complete the gutters and curbs in about two months, making it extremely probable that this part of the work will be entirely completed before winter sets in.

Putting in the gutters and curbs this fall will be of great advantage when the big job finally is undertaken in earnest. It will place the entire paving program a month or six weeks ahead of where it would otherwise be, with the result that all paving will be out of the way early in the summer.

No Streets Torn Up.

Putting in curbs and gutters will not in any way interfere with traffic. Mr. Anderson explained that very little excavating is necessary and the streets will be left in first class condition for travel immediately after the gutters are completed.

It also was explained that this work will not interfere with placing the new white way cables in position as these are to be put under the paving about six inches outside the curb. Suitable conduits leading to the standards will be provided by the workmen laying the gutters and curbs so that connections may be made at any time.

SLEEP COSTS MORE AFTER NEXT WEEK

Big Increase in Railroad Sleeper Cost—No Change in Passenger Fares.

People traveling entirely within the state of Minnesota will not be required to pay additional fare on account of the recent increase in rates allowed by the interstate commerce commission. This does not hold good in the matter of sleeping car accommodations, however, and on Sept. 1 the rate will be boosted 50 per cent, still carrying the 8 per cent war tax on the entire amount. The present rate to the Twin Cities is $2.50 plus the tax, making $2.70, while the new rate calls for $3.75 and tax, or a total of $4.05.

Passengers destined to points outside the state should bear in mind, however, that when tickets are purchased for interstate travel the recently granted increase becomes effective for the entire distance. It is therefore obvious that anyone going to Chicago, for instance, can save money by purchasing a ticket to St. Paul and then securing additional transportation from that point to Chicago. This makes the increase operative on only that part of the trip lying outside the state of Minnesota.

It is not known how long this condition will prevail as the matter is now in the courts for settlement. It is considered likely by the best authorities that railroads will be granted the increased fares upon intrastate and interstate business alike, in spite of the state law now existing to the contrary.

—Trade at Home—

MODEL ICE CREAM PLANT COMPLETED

Puritas Factory of Kiewel Products Company Ready to Make Shipments.

As will be seen by the announcement in another column of The Times today, the new ice cream factory of the Kiewel Products company in this city will be opened for public inspection on Saturday evening. Practically all the machinery is now in place and the ammonia plant is being tested out. When everything is in running order this will be one of the finest and most modern factories of its kind in the state.

Housed in a new brick building, 25x70 feet with full basement, the plant is equipped to turn out ice cream in its two freezers at the rate of 100 gallons per hour. The mixer has a capacity of 500 gallons and will only have to be filled twice each day in order to keep the freezers going at full speed. Two ice chippers will supply the packing rooms while the latter will be kept at the proper temperature by the ammonia system. A York ammonia pump in the basement will attend to circulation of the required amount of chilled atmosphere throughout every department. All other machinery required in an up-to-date plant will be in keeping with the principal items of equipment.

E. L. Helgeland, local manager for the Kiewel company, expects to be shipping ice cream early next week and as the Puritas brand already enjoys an enviable reputation throughout the section he is confident that the plant will soon be taxed to its utmost to supply the demand.

The factory will consume a large amount of raw material in the shape of cream and milk and thus provide another outlet for the products of the dairyman and farmer.

—Trade at Home—

BANQUET AND TALK TO FEATURE MEET

Thief River Merchants Association Plans Big Time For First Fall Meeting.

The first fall meeting of the Thief River Falls Merchants association will be held at the Evelyn hotel Tuesday evening, Sept. 14. This is the first business meeting of the organization for several months and a number of matters have accumulated which require attention at this time.

The proceedings will start off with a banquet at 6:30, under the able supervision of Julien Provencher. Following the banquet the members of the association will be privileged to listen to a speech by F. P. Mann of Devils Lake, president of the North Dakota Retail Merchants association. Mr. Mann is a noted authority on all matters pertaining to the retail merchandising field and his speech will no doubt prove of much interest to members of the local organization.

It is also expected that new credit rating books for Thief River Falls will be ready for distribution at this meeting, and there are many other matters of interest to be brought up for consideration.

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Navy Recruiting Station.

Two members of the navy recruiting service arrived in the city Tuesday and have opened a station in the Commercial club rooms. Some very attractive inducements are offered by the navy at present and the recruiting officers will be glad to give any information desired concerning the service.

—Trade at Home—

Glenn Anderson Improving.

A telephone message from Fargo yesterday conveyed the information that Glenn C. Anderson, son of County Auditor and Mrs. T. P. Anderson, is gradually recovering the use of his limbs and prospects are that he will eventually regain his health completely. Glenn suffered complete paralysis a week ago Sunday while bathing and has been in a serious condition since. T. P. Anderson will go to Fargo tomorrow and intends to take Glenn back with him to recuperate.

Elks Take One More Step to Secure Suitable Home

The local lodge of Elks held a largely attended and very successful meeting Friday evening. Final arrangements for next Sunday's picnic were made at this meeting, every detail being gone over as an assurance that everything will be complete for the big doings when the opening hour arrives.

A feasible plan for financing the proposed Elks' home for Thief River Falls was presented at the meeting by the committee having this matter in charge. After having been given thorough consideration at the meeting, the plan was given a final O. K. and submitted to the Grand Lodge for approval.

—Trade at Home—

New Bagley Postmaster.

Among recent appointments of postmasters for Minnesota appears the name of Henry I. Gunderson, chosen as postmaster at Bagley. Other appointments made are Dwight C. Jarchow, Harris; John W. McDonald, Hawley, and Oscar D. Simons, Morton.

—Trade at Home—

WHISKEY SMUGGLER ALMOST IN LOCKUP

Escapes From Officer and Continues to Run Despite Bullet Fusillade.

Aroused from peaceful slumber at a local hotel and started for jail, a young Canadian last Saturday evening eluded the vigilance of the Soo detective who had him in charge and made his escape. The young man was picked up to answer to the charge of breaking the seal on a box car in the Soo yards a short time previous and removing therefrom what gave every indication of being two cases of Canadian whiskey.

While the detective was endeavoring to get in touch with Night Patrolman Smith to assist him in placing the suspect under lock and key the prisoner ducked and disappeared through an alley. The detective pulled his gun and fired at the fleeing man but evidently missed his mark as it did not cause the runner to hesitate.

The operation of breaking the seal on the car and removing the whiskey was witnessed by two yard men who at once notified the detective. Before chase could be given, however, the contraband had mysteriously disappeared and no trace of it could be found. Breaking a car seal is a serious offense and it was on this charge that the man was taken in tow. The young Canadian has been making frequent trips to this city during the summer and has been under suspicion of being instrumental in bringing considerable whiskey with him.

The smuggler got away by the skin of his teeth this time and it is not likely that he will put in an appearance again in the near future. Where the young man went is no more of a mystery than what became of the two cases of whiskey. It seemed to evaporate immediately after it was taken from the car and all trace of it vanished.

—Trade at Home—

Elected Legion Director.

Morlan H. Bishop was honored at the recent American Legion convention at Duluth, being elected to the board of managers for a term of two years. This board is composed of twenty members, two from each congressional district of the state. The other member for the Ninth district resides at Crookston.

—Trade at Home—

Want Slough Drained.

A petition was presented Tuesday evening to the council asking that the low ground in Block 43, Knox addition, be drained, declaring the accumulation of stagnant water a menace to the health of the neighborhood. The street commissioner was instructed to take steps necessary to provide relief for the petitioners.

—Trade at Home—

A. H. VERNON NAMED LEGION COMMANDER

State Convention Picks Winona For Next Meeting—Florence McNamara Honored.

Derby Anderson, delegate from Elmer Eklund post, Thief River Falls, to the American Legion state convention at Duluth, returned last week. The convention elected A. H. Vernon of Little Falls as state commander to succeed Harrison Fuller, and chose Winona as the place for the next convention.

Other officers named at the concluding sessions were: Joyce Lewis, wounded veteran of Long Prairie, first vice commander; Florence McNamara, Minneapolis, second vice commander; E. A. Walsh, Minneapolis, third vice commander; Rev. Wm. Harrington, St. Paul, chaplain; Dr. A. A. VanDyke, St. Paul, national committeeman; John Bowe, Canby; George Leach, Minneapolis; Ivan Bowen, Mankato; A. H. Vernon and Dr. VanDyke, delegates at large to the national convention. Miss McNamara's election came as the legion's recognition of women's war service.

Winona's selection as the scene of next year's convention was the result of a split between supporters of Virginia and Bemidji. The delegates witnessed a pageant celebrating the anniversary of Duluth's founding by Greysolon Sieur D'Lhut. Vice President Thomas R. Marshall was a guest of the Duluth legion post and, following the pageant, delivered an address to 3,000 persons.

Produce Association Holds Meeting Tomorrow Eve.

A meeting of the Pennington County Produce association will be held in the office of the Farm Bureau, Thief River Falls, on Friday evening, Aug. 27, at 7:30. All people interested in the growing and marketing of potatoes are urged to be present at this meeting as matters of much importance will be taken up for consideration.

The by-laws of the recently formed association will be read and acted upon at this meeting and other steps taken to perfect a permanent organization. The potato crop of the county will soon be ready for harvesting and the local association is anxious to have everything in readiness as soon as possible.

—Trade at Home—

Fixing Auditorium Roof.

A coat of tar has been placed on the auditorium roof during the past week. Several leaks had recently developed and it was thought best to make repairs at once in order to prevent a general deluge when the next heavy rain takes place.

—Trade at Home—

CLEAR AUTO DRIVER OF SERIOUS CHARGE

Jury Says John Ostlund Was Not Intoxicated as Charged in Warrant.

John Ostlund was arrested last week on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated, the warrant being sworn out by G. I. Fellman of St. Hilaire. The case was tried Saturday afternoon in municipal court before Judge N. W. Tarrant and a jury of 12 men. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, deeming the evidence insufficient to prove that Ostlund was drunk as charged in the warrant.

The incident which led up to the arrest occurred on Thursday evening, Aug. 5, at the entrance to the fair grounds in this city. Ostlund was driving from the grounds while Fellman was headed in the opposite direction. The two cars collided, causing considerable damage to both, but occupants of the machines escaped serious injury. Fellman maintained that Ostlund was intoxicated and swore out a warrant for his arrest.

The case consumed nearly all Saturday afternoon, 12 witnesses being summoned to tell what they knew concerning the matter. A jury composed of M. N. Benson, A. H. Akre, John Aas, W. W. Prichard, Jr., L. A. Lampert, A. S. Lieberman, Walter Jung, Carl B. Larson, Ed. Ness, Henry Froseth, Carl Evju and P. J. Bottem was called and returned a verdict as above stated. County Attorney Theo. Quale conducted the prosecution while Attorney H. O. Chommie appeared for Ostlund.

—Trade at Home—

FIVE CHUMS DROWN IN RED LAKE RIVER

Fisher Lads Meet Death Together in Brave Effort to Give Aid.

Five boys, ranging in age from 8 to 14 years, were drowned last Thursday in Red Lake river near Fisher. One of the boys, Thomas Anderson, 14 years old, stripped and plunged into the river to escape the blistering heat. He failed to reckon, however, with the treacherous current and soft bottom of Red Lake river and both dragged him down while he screamed for help.

His cries brought one of his companions, Theodore Olson, to his aid and the lad plunged in to save the life of his chum. The lad was powerless to aid as the current and quick sand treated him as they treated the Anderson boy. Then one by one the remaining three took off their clothes and jumped into the river to render aid. The third boy was Oscar Olson, 11 years old, who could not stand the sight of seeing his brother, Theodore, drowning. He, too, was dragged down by the sand and current, and the fourth boy, Ephraim Vattendahl, 11 years old, tried to come to the rescue by going into the water.

Even though only 8 years old, Maurice Vattendahl, who had stood on the bank and watched the struggles of his older companions, decided to reach out a hand for his older brother and three other boys. Unmindful of the danger he went in unflinchingly to save the four boys, who by this time were utterly exhausted from their struggles. He sank beneath the muddy waters into the clinging quick sand bottom.

The parents of the five boys all reside at Fisher and all efforts were being made by their neighbors to console them in their grief over the loss of their sons.

—Trade at Home—

Farmers Buying Outfits For Doing Own Threshing

Peter Lindebja, who farms about 400 acres in Kratka township just south of Mavie, has decided not to depend on custom threshers in the future and this week purchased a complete outfit of his own, including a Cletrac tractor, from J. J. Spieler of Mavie. He does not intend to come into competition with the regular threshermen but will be in a position to do his own work whenever he is ready.

R. M. Johnson and several neighbors, also residents of Kratka township, made the same kind of an investment and will be ready to begin operations as soon as the machines are set up.

FIRST TRIP TO RED LAKE MADE WITHOUT HITCH

Six Heavily Laden Automobiles Get Through in Record Time Last Sunday.

Three Miles of Corduroy Only Bad Spot Found in All Day's Travel.

Indians Anxious to Have Road Constructed to Give Outlet Westward.

A party of Thief River Falls citizens on Sunday demonstrated that it is quite possible to reach the Red lakes by auto and that the trip can be made in fair time and without discomfort. The members of the party also proved to their entire satisfaction that once the journey is over it is proven to have been decidedly worth while.

Six cars carrying capacity loads of passengers, grub and cooking utensils, started from town about seven o'clock, only one hour behind the time originally set—which was doing pretty well for the first attempt. A record run was made to Thorhult, when it became necessary to slow down somewhat. A short distance beyond this point a stretch of corduroy was encountered and for three miles navigation was very slow. Every car went through on its own power, however, and there was not an accident of any kind.

Interesting Ridge Run.

Leaving this stretch a fine hard ridge was encountered and followed clear to the shore of the lower lake, two miles above the outlet to Red Lake river. The actual running time to this point was about five hours. Here dinner was prepared, H. W. Protzeller acting as chef with Dr. H. W. Froehlich and E. O. Mogensen as chief assistants. During the preparation of the meal and particularly while such tasks as peeling spuds were in progress, the ladies sat around the shore talking politics while the kids went in swimming. Everyone did ample justice to a most appetizing dinner, the supply of grub having been supplemented by a string of fine pike purchased from an Indian living near the outlet.

Different Route Home.

There is no denying the fact that considerable road work will have to be done before the route taken by Sunday's party will become popular, but the cost of this need not be prohibitive. The three miles of corduroy could be put in passable shape in a short time and at an expense of not over $100 and there is already a movement on foot to raise this sum. Along the ridge the brush bordering the road would have to be cut away as it now rubs against the car and is hard on enamel. The opinion is very general that something should be done at once to make this route available until such time as the Red Lake Highway association can get its program of a road running straight east from Thief River Falls carried out. This will take a couple of years at least, no matter how smoothly things run, and in the meantime there is an enthusiastic demand for a line of communication.

In order to make the trip as complete as possible it was decided to return by another route. Crossing the new bridge at the outlet, where the remains of three good sized steamers are slowly rotting, an old logging road was followed to the Clearwater county line and thence to Berner, where supper was prepared—same cooks and general plan as at noon—Windsor, Trail and Oklee were passed to one side and a short stop made at Plummer, thence home.

It was a most enjoyable trip throughout and while the excursionists pleaded guilty to being tired all were well pleased with the day's outing. Speedometers showed that 165 miles had been covered and the only accidents recorded was the stripping of the muffler from the Bennes car when crossing a small culvert at Brener and a tire puncture on the Loken car when nearing home.

Much Interest Awakened.

The trip had the effect of stimulating interest in the proposed highway to the lakes and the matter will not be permitted to drop. The lake itself is a wonderful body of water, but few persons who have not actually seen it having any idea of its extent. The surface covers 440 square miles, the largest body of water wholly within one state in the country. The Indians are very friendly and willing to do everything in their power to get into closer touch with civilization.

Those making the trip were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller and children, Jane, Helen and Betty; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell and children, Janet and Geraldine; Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and children, Muriel, Ione and Ruth; Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and children, "Billy" and Clifford; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter, Jeanette; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes and children, Lloyd and Esther; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross and son, Richard, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lampert and sons, Blair and Leonard, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., and son, Jarvis; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stewart, Miss Mildred Owen, George Loken and T. J. Austad.

District School Census Shows Slight Increase

Miss Luella Peterson has just completed the school census for District No. 18 at the request of the board of education. Her figures show that there are at the present time 986 children between the ages of six and 16 in the district, an increase of 38 over last year.

This census is taken every year at the request of the state but is also of value in guiding the school board in making the necessary arrangements for taking care of those who will in all likelihood demand school facilities. The census is also an aid in checking up after enrollment as it enables the authorities to determine whether or not any are keeping their children out of school.

—Trade at Home—

Buys Moorhead Restaurant.

A. C. Lockrem returned last week from Moorhead, where he closed a deal for the purchase of a restaurant. Mr. Lockrem and family expect to remove to that city within a few days to take charge of the newly acquired property.

—Trade at Home—

BURGLARS FOILED AFTER MUCH WORK

Lock on Back Door at Loken Store Proves Easy But Bolt is Disappointing.

The first report of an attempted burglary in Thief River Falls for a long time was discovered by Loken Brothers on Monday afternoon. The burglars had attempted to gain an entrance to the place either on Saturday or Sunday night, but although the attempt was apparently determined, they were completely foiled.

An alley-way runs between the Loken place and the Lambert drug store, one door and a number of windows opening onto the space. The burglars had first tackled the door, removing the escutcheon and cutting a hole sufficiently large to permit of the lock being turned. Nothing was gained by this painstaking labor, however, there being a bolt on the inside to supplement the lock. The burglar could not very well be expected to know the location of this safety device, and he therefore gave up the door as a bad job.

Giving his attention next to the window he removed the strips holding the sash in place and was on a fair way to gain an entrance when something must have happened to scare him away. Marks of the tools used and the broken pieces of stripping prove that he was not going to give up without making another attempt.

No clue to the would-be thief has been found and the police as well as the store proprietors admit that there is but slight hope of the culprit being caught.

—Trade at Home—

ELKS PLANNING BIG TIME NEXT SUNDAY

Picnic at Squaw Point Promises to Break All Previous Records of Order.

Everything pertaining to the Elks' picnic to be held at Squaw Point next Sunday has been attended to by the committees in charge and prospects are that it will be a highly successful affair. The first consideration in doings of this kind is the eats—and if anyone leaves this picnic in a famished condition he will have himself only to blame. Julien Provencher is in charge of the culinary arrangements and he has a reputation to maintain which he does not propose to jeopardize.

A picnic without special attractions for the kiddies would be no picnic at all. Knowing this, the entertainment committee has arranged a program overflowing with events in which the children are expected to participate. Everything from foot races to pie eating contests will be staged and it will be one grand and glorious time for the youngsters who are fortunate enough to be there.

The celebration is scheduled to start promptly at ten o'clock in order that the day's festivities may be brought to a close at four in the afternoon. This will make it possible for those at the picnic to attend the race meet at the fair grounds from four until eight o'clock. Dinner will be served promptly at 12:30 and the sports program is scheduled to begin at two. Automobiles will transport picnic visitors to the grounds from 9:30 until one o'clock, making the start from the Evelyn hotel corner.

—Trade at Home—

Partridge May be Shot This Year; Chickens Nix

Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant says that he is asked 20 times a day whether or not the shooting of prairie chickens will be permitted this year and is surprised at the lack of knowledge on this subject shown in many ordinarily well informed quarters. Prairie chickens are protected at all seasons in Minnesota until Sept. 16, 1922—two years from now. Partridge, however, may be shot from Oct. 15 to Nov. 30 in every even-numbered year. This means that these birds may be taken this year but not in 1921. The limit for each hunter is five birds.

Reports from places where prairie chickens have in past years been plentiful are to the effect that they are rapidly multiplying under the protective laws of the state and that there will be a large supply available when the restriction is raised.

RACING DEMONS TO COMPETE IN GIGANTIC MEET

American Legion to Stage Spectacular Event at Fair Grounds Next Sunday.

Automobiles, Motor Cycles and Airplanes to Compete in Thrilling Exhibition.

Fastest Riders, Drivers and Pilots in Entire Northwest Booked to Take Part.

Speed is the word and next Sunday is the day. The Thief River Falls fair grounds is the place and this is the opportunity of a lifetime to see some real speed events pulled off.

The racing meet and aerial exhibition to be staged under the auspices of Elmer Eklund post, American Legion, will be *the greatest thing of its* kind ever attempted in Northwestern Minnesota. Speed demons galore have been secured to furnish thrills, and exhibition flyers will do their share to keep things humming.

Great Racing Numbers.

A glance at the full page advertisement in this issue of The Times should be sufficient to convince the most skeptical that a racing program of more than ordinary merit is to be presented. Some of the fastest automobile and motor cycle riders in the northwest, will be on hand and the rivalry among them is said to be very keen.

Many of the drivers took part in the race meet held at Crookston last Sunday and those who witnessed these races are unanimous in their statements that it was a real speed event. Over 3,000 people were present at the Crookston races and, aside from a few minor accidents and spills, everything passed off without a hitch.

Kiewel Among Speeders.

Dewey Kiewel of Crookston, well known to Thief River speed fans, will take a prominent part in next Sunday's program. He has been entered for both the auto and motorcycle races and something fast may be expected. Kiewel took first money in the auto races at Crookston and was second under the wire in the motor cycle events. Practically all of the other riders and drivers who took part in the Crookston races will be here next Sunday—and it is an aggregation hard to beat.

Another fast driver who has proved his right to a place in the racing world is J. Stolpe of Winnipeg, driving a Henderson special. He won the ten-mile race at Crookston and showed real class in other events. Speed Johnson of Fargo, an exceptionally daring motor cycle driver, will likely furnish some thrills. He had three bad spills at Crookston but escaped without serious injury.

An Unusual Event.

A novelty race has been arranged, in which the winner of the auto races and motor cycle events will contest with an airplane for honors. This race alone will be worth coming a long distance to see. Another number of much interest is the three-mile race for stock Ford cars. One of the requirements is that each car must come to a complete stop after each lap, after which the driver must dismount, crank his car and make a new start. This race will no doubt furnish heaps of excitement.

Program at Four O'Clock.

The racing program has been scheduled to start promptly at four o'clock and will continue until eight. Admission will be 75 cents plus war tax. Children under 15 will be admitted for 40 cents plus war tax, while autos and grandstand will be free.

A great deal of work has been done on the race track during the past week and those having the matter in charge give assurance that it will be in excellent shape for the races next Sunday.

—Trade at Home—

RED LAKE COUNTY FAIR DATES NAMED

Machinery Set in Motion For Biggest Event Ever Held in County.

Dates for the Red Lake county fair have been announced and the event will this year be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1 and 2. Special attractions are being booked and everything will be ready for the three big days when the management of the fair announces that the gates are open.

The premium books will be in the hands of exhibitors within a few days and people of Red Lake and surrounding counties are urged to look it over and decide on a big exhibit. It is realized that the success of county fairs is in large measure due to the co-operation of exhibitors and the fair management urges everyone to submit liberally to the exhibit department.

Red Lake county has raised a bumper crop this year and the forthcoming fair promises to be unusually successful. Thief River Falls has always been well represented at the county fairs of its neighbors to the south and this event will likely prove no exception.

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SURVEY PROVES NINTH DISTRICT IN FINE SHAPE

Bank Review of State Shows Valley Counties Are Very Strong Financially.

Wheat Crop Badly Damaged By Rust in Several Sections Throughout State.

General Conditions Much Improved Over Last Year and Optimism Prevails.

Despite a reduced wheat crop and unsatisfactory prices for wool and for cattle, the sunshine of prosperity has not neglected a single county of Minnesota this summer. Tremendous successes of diversified activities and aggressive campaigns for road and municipal improvements, are reflected in the weekly survey of conditions in every section of the state, which was prepared by the Merchants National Bank of St. Paul and the Merchants National Bank of Crookston.

The review, grouping counties into congressional districts, covers agricultural, commercial, industrial, civic, rural and municipal activities. Outstanding features of the reports are these:

Wheat Yield Affected.

Corn and oats, with scattering exceptions, were in splendid condition on Aug. 17, when the report was compiled. Wheat, which promised a generous yield in June, was sharply reduced by drought or by rust. Most of the counties indicated wheat would not yield more than 10 bushels to the acre.

Farmers thruout Minnesota are holding their cattle for higher prices. Wool raisers in many counties have pooled their holdings and will store the wool with the hope that the dead market may come to life.

Farm labor was adequate in 90 per cent of the counties but farmers operated with less help than they used when labor was cheap. Southern counties reported shortage of farm labor. Wages averaged from 50 to 70 cents an hour. Many farmers helped support baseball teams.

Bank deposits, with few exceptions, showed decrease, and loans were very heavy.

Babcock Plan Endorsed.

The Babcock good roads plan has won general endorsement. Automobile travel on the main highways broke all records and gasoline purchases in small towns were from 50 to 300 per cent greater than last summer. Shortage of cement affected road building.

Real estate and building activities have been generally light but a number of important farm transactions were closed recently. Land brought as high as $300 an acre.

Forest fires in the north caused some damage. Wolves have been destructive here and there. Tramps bothered Southern Minnesota farmers while I. W. W. itinerants were reported in Northern counties.

Summer resort business has been brisk. The state's Ten Thousand Lakes proved a prime attraction. Hotel keepers seem inclined to "go stronger" on advertising next year.

Following are reports by counties in the Ninth congressional district.

Marshall county—Crops fair over 80 per cent harvested. Some building at Warren. Roads excellent. Stock and grain improvement work.

Roseau County—(Banking conditions almost normal; loans not extra heavy). Considerable building. Farmers complaining of low prices for wool and cattle. Roads in fair shape but need better care.

Pennington County O. K.

Pennington County—Much wheat escaped rust; crops fine. Sugar beets splendid. Farm sales increasing with Iowa inquiries. Aggressive livestock development work. Fall plowing has started. Flood control survey being made.

Polk County—Wheat spotty. Deposits decreased. Barns and silos being built. Not a vacant house in Crookston. Rain saved the potato crop. J. E. Harris of Melstone, Mont. bought 1,600 acre tract near Crookston for $123,000. Will raise blooded stock.

Red Lake County—Rust affected wheat. Other crops good. Ideal harvest weather. Moderate movement in farm lands. Over supply of farm labor. Some went to North Dakota. Wool a drug on the market.

Otter Tail County—Work started on $120,000 good roads contract between Perham and Otter Tail. First wheat threshed eight bushels to the acre.

Norman County—About 50 per cent wheat crop. Other grains vary greatly throughout county with many fine yields. Drought reduced others.

—Trade at Home—

And Now They Are Taking Traffic Census Here Also

In order to determine the actual traffic passing over the several roads leading into Thief River Falls, checkers have been busy during the past week keeping track of the number of automobiles and other vehicles passing a given point. The information thus gained is to be used in determining the amount of improvement to which each road is entitled, the stretches of road showing the greatest amount of traffic coming in for the greatest share of attention in the matter of improvement. The work of checking in this vicinity will likely cover a period of a week or ten days.

— Trade at Home—

Successful Buying Trip.

A. Sapero returned last week from the large cities of the East, where he had been on a buying trip for the Sapero stores. He spent most of his time in the New York markets, and reports that conditions have improved considerably since his previous trip some months ago. He was fortunate in securing a large selection of ladies' ready-to-wear at very attractive prices and proposes to give his customers the benefit. Two large advertisements in this issue of The Times will give some idea of the offerings listed.

SEN. W. G. HARDING TO SPEAK AT FAIR

Republican Presidential Candidate Scheduled For Talk on Wednesday, Sept. 8.

Senator Warren G. Harding, Republican candidate for president, is to speak at the Minnesota State fair, Wednesday, Sept. 8. It is the only fair in America at which Harding will speak this year.

His address at the Minnesota State fair will be a key-note speech on the attitude of the Republican party towards the American farmer. It has been Mr. Harding's belief that a speech on agriculture in a techinal way should be given in an official manner early in the campaign and that this address should be delivered at some place in the west where agriculture is paramount. Both Mr. Harding and the Republican National committee are of the opinion that no better place could be chosen for this address than the Minnesota State fair.

The official record for daily attendance at the Minnesota State fair was established on Labor Day in 1919, when 187,000 persons passed the turnstiles. It is believed that fully that number of people will avail themselves of their only chance to see and hear the Republican candidate for president. Mr. Harding will leave Marion, O., for the Twin Cities, Tuesday, Sept. 7, arriving Wednesday morning. He will be the guest of the state fair the entire day, and deliver his important address on the fair grounds. He will leave the same evening for his home, arriving at Marion on Thursday.

—Trade at Home—

PEAT BRUSH FIRES SERIOUS SAYS COX

State Forester Tells of Losses Suffered By Settlers in Northern Minnesota.

The peat and brush fire situation in Northwestern Minnesota is serious but not necessarily alarming, W. T. Cox, state forester said late Friday on his return to St. Paul after an inspection tour through the fire districts. The forester declined to state whether he will ask the state board of relief for additional emergency funds for fire fighting.

"Many of the fires have been put out," said Mr. Cox, "but some new ones are springing up and close watch must be maintained. Members of the relief board have given assurances that necessary funds will be supplied and systematic efforts are being made to protect the settlers and property.

"The fires are continuing, however, and the vegetation is steadily becoming drier. A killing frost will add to the danger of serious fires. Settlers are fighting fires and saving much property, but in many instances to the detriment of their crops which they are unable to find time to harvest."

The forester told of reports of fire losses reaching him on his tour. One was to the effect that a settler living 10 miles south of Baudette on the Rapid river had lost his buildings, stock and crops, and in abandoning them hastily with his family had left behind $800 in currency which also was burned.

Many fields of grain have been swept, these ranging from 40 to 80 acres each, he said. He saw flames run over a field of oats which would have yielded 50 bushels an acre, he said.

Many of the fires are blamed to land owners who cause them to be started believing that the land will be benefited.

—Trade at Home—

Obituary.

A large funeral took place in the Town of Norden Friday afternoon at 2 p. m., from the home of Knut Iverson, when Mrs. Ingeborg Iverson, one of the old settlers of Norden, who died in Minneapolis at University hospital of cancer of the liver, was taken to Norden church and buried, Rev. George Larson officiating. Her children, Knut, Iver, Martha and Hadina were present and her two brothers, Knut Skibenes from Benson and Batholf Skibenes from Grand Forks.

—Trade at Home—

Miss Harriet Anderson returned Monday from Badger where she was the guest of Miss Thora Wang over Sunday. The latter returned for a brief visit at the Anderson home.

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You can now purchase "ONYX" Hose with the Pointex Heel here. The best silk hose on the market, all sizes and colors. Also extra sizes for the larger women. Come in and see them. Sold here exclusively.

The Sapero Co. Inc.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

This is Headquarters. Our entire fall and winter line has just been received. Put in your supply now while the stock is complete. Remember we carry complete stocks for boys and girls.

Have you yearned to dress distinctively without having to spend a king's ransom? It's an art, this knack of dressing well on a limited income. To avoid the bizarre and not become commonplace, is one of the most difficult things in the world. Yet it is being done every day. The next time you start out shopping for something to wear, come in. We can help you.

The New Fall Suits are Ready --at Modest Prices

Navy Tricotine, most of them revealing a tendency toward tailored lines with longer jackets, are especially smart for immediate and fall wear. We are also showing hundreds of smart models in scores of new styles of a more individual nature, from which every woman or miss may select a suit to her precise liking. Many wonderful fur trimmed models are shown and never before has there been such a variety of beautiful new materials. The values are better than you would expect under prevailing conditions, prices ranging from

$35.00 to 150.00

Wonderful New Frocks Are Arriving Daily

Although slim lines seem to predominate, never have styles been so varied and charming as those revealed in the new Autumn frocks. Long, tight sleeves will be especially popular, although many three-quarter and elbow lengths are again shown. Skirts are inclined to be shorter than ever. It would be extremely difficult to describe the host of models, materials and colors offered, ini this limited space, but we will gladly show you all of these new frocks whether you intend to purchase or not. Prices range from

$15 to 75.00

New Cloth and Fur Fabric Coats Priced Especially Low

We're prepared to show you a most attractive assemblage of cloth coats, both plain and nicely fur trimmed, in a number of wonderful new materials, shown this season for the first time. An outstanding feature of the new models is the tendency toward cape collars of large dimensions. Prices range from $29.75 to $210.

The August Sale of Fur Fabric and Plush Coats

Offers many beautiful styles that can scarcely be distinguished from real fur—at prices which present a decided advantage in choosing now. The finest known pile fabrics in plain and beautifully fur trimmed styles are now offered at prices ranging from $29.50 to $250.00.

Ask to See
The new plaid skirts in plain and pleated effect
The new Gossard Corsets
The new silk underwear
The new "Jack Tar" middies
The new furs and fur coats

Just Arrived
Georgette Blouses
Offering the most remarkable values we have ever shown. Styles include overblouses, Tie-on effects in elbow and 3-4 effects, in Georgettes; used in waists that sell at double and triple this price, at
$5.95

Just Arrived
Serge Dresses
In 20 different styles. Dresses that would ordinarily sell for $27.50 to $30.00. Now on sale at only
$19.75

Just Arrived
All Silk Jersey Pettibockers
A real $10.00 value; comes in all shades. One of the many bargains we found in New York to go on sale at only
$6.95

The Sapero Company

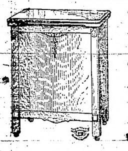

This Beautiful Sewing Machine Given Away FREE!

Some person residing within the trading territory of Thief River Falls is going to get this latest model FREE SEWING MACHINE absolutely free of all cost. The machine will be given away on

Saturday Afternoon, Aug. 28

There is no guessing or other contest connected with this offer. You simply secure a numbered card at the Larson Furniture Company's store. If your number is the lucky one you get the machine. There are no obligations or conditions. The only provision is that no person under 18 years of age can hold a number. THIS MACHINE IS AN ABSOLUTE GIFT FROM THE MANUFACTURERS AND MADE FOR THE PURPOSE OF STIMULATING INTEREST IN AMERICA'S FINEST SEWING MACHINE.

Get your ticket today—it may be the lucky one. No conditions, no outlay. Simply ask for the card.

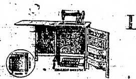

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ELMER J. EKLUND POST NO. 117

American Legion

Presents

AUTOMOBILE, MOTORCYCLE AND AIRPLANE RACE MEET

Fair Grounds Thief River Falls, Minn.

Sunday, August 29, 4:00 p. m. to 8:00 p. m.

Events *Events*

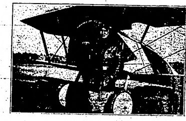

Automobile Entries. 3 mile--5 mile--7 mile

Joe Morris	Jowett Special	Bemidji, Minnesota
Gus Forseth	Ford Special	Grand Forks, North Dakota
Norman Bartlett	16 Valve Ford	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
Dewey Kiewel	Overland	Crookston, Minnesota
James Balfour	16 Valve Ford	Hallock, Minnesota
Erling Gerdts	Ford Special	Duluth, Minnesota

Motorcycle Entries. 3 mile--5 mile--7 mile

Allan A. McKinnon	Harley Davidson	Hibbing, Minnesota
Dewey Kiewel	Harley Davidson	Crookston, Minnesota
Speed Johnson	Excelsior	Fargo, North Dakota
Erling Gerdts	Harley Davidson	Duluth, Minnesota
J. Stolpe	Henderson Special	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
Norman Bartlett	Harley Davidson	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
S. Auckland	Indian	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

Special Events

Three mile Ford Stock Car Race, free for all, cars coming to full stop with power shut off at the end of each lap. Special purse.

Three mile race between Airplane, Automobile and Motorcycle making fastest time in the regular events.

Prices: Adults, 75c plus war tax. Children under fifteen, 40c plus war tax. Grand Stand and Automobiles Free

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A ROAD TO THE LAKE.

Every resident of Pennington, Marshall and Red Lake counties should become a member of the Red Lake Highway association, the organization launched at the Warren meeting last week. Particularly is Pennington county interested in this matter as most of the travel will of necessity be over the roads and thru the towns of that community. Our people must take the lead as they are by far the most interested in the success of the project.

The Red Lakes are destined within a very short time to become the outing point for the people of northwestern Minnesota. No other body of water is so easy of access and none in the neighborhood offers so many attractions. The area of the lakes—440 square miles—provides ample room for cruising while no more favored spot for campers could be found. There are probably no better fishing grounds in half a dozen states while the beach at certain points is ideal for bathing. The only reason why these lakes have not long before this been brought to the attention of the country as a summer resort with but few equals, is their inaccessibility and the fact that the surrounding country is Indian reservation. This last fact may easily prove an asset now that our Indians are becoming fewer and more scattered.

In order to reach the nearest point on the lake the construction of about 26 miles of highway will be necessary. This will not take the traveler to the most picturesque point on this interesting body of water, but it will place him in a position to get there without much trouble. The most direct road would terminate at the lake about two miles above the spit of land dividing the Upper and Lower lakes on the west, and auto travel is possible along the shore for some distance from there on. That is a detail of minor importance anyway.

In their enthusiasm over the recreation possibilities of the Red Lakes it may be that the commercial value of a road such as that proposed will be overlooked. The Indians have long wanted an outlet to the west, this being the natural way for them to reach market. They stand ready to foot the bill for putting the road through the reservation and have asked permission of the department to do so. Congressman Steenerson has been working on the proposition for some time and has been assured that there will be no objections raised. If their request is granted and the road built it will place them within an hour's run of the railroad terminal at Goodridge, a fact which alone warrants its immediate construction. Hay, timber products and fish are the items of greatest value now being shipped from the reservation and the Indians residing to the west of the village of Red Lake have no way of getting their products out except at very heavy expense. An outlet to the west would be a great convenience and act as a stimulous to the rapid agricultural development of that section.

Membership in this highway association costs one dollar and there should be a thousand members in Pennington county alone—five hundred in Thief River Falls. It is the most important proposition we have to deal with at this particular time.

HELP THE LEGION.

The racing and airplane program to be put on by Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion at the fair grounds in this city on Sunday afternoon is so unusual that it should bring out a record crowd. It is by far the most sensational and elaborate meet of its kind ever scheduled for the Northwest and it is doubtful if even the larger cities have seen anything better. The flyers and racers are all men of national reputation, all of them returned service men who distinguished themselves by their exploits while in the army.

It costs a lot of money to provide our people with an entertainment of this kind and as any surplus after the expenses are paid goes to the general Legion fund the patronage should be most liberal. The boys need the money and are employing about the only means at hand for raising it. They do not wish to ask for anything in the way of donations and have, therefore made arrangements to give the spectator a great deal more than he pays for.

Four hours of the most spectacular entertainment imaginable at a cost of twenty cents per hour for adults and less than that for children. You simply can't beat it.

—Trade at Home—

OBSERVATIONS

(Bill Noonan in Baudette Region.)

One bad feature about this year's Baudette fair is that it looks as if it isn't going to be held.

There is a Baudette lad who knows how to get 25 miles out of a gallon and 8,000 miles out of a set of tires. He doesn't own a car.

The best way to smuggle licker across the line from Canada is don't.

If Mexico wants to get rid of Villa, as reported, why don't they elect him president?

Even though the U. S. birth rate has dropped off 33 per cent, the lads who pay $25 a quart for liquor are proving that there is one born every minute.

Ontario man who smoked since he was 21 died the other day at the age of 109, once more demonstrating the evil effects of tobacco.

A man died of blood poisoning the other day after being pecked by a hen. Most hen-pecked men, however, continue to live and suffer.

Now they claim that near-beer will cure several ailments. Most people would prefer to be sick.

City bathing beauties carry handbags now. It would be in keeping with their costumes if they carried a piece of soap.

A politician advises women that only those physically strong should enter politics. Mentally it doesn't matter.

Man was made to rule. Then the women inherited the vote.

—Trade at Home—

The Importance of Grass.

(Exchange.)

Did you know that in 1916 the United States hay crop just about equalled the wheat crop in value?

Or the cotton crop?

Hay probably beats spuds two to one in annual value.

And then some people fall out with Nebuchadnezzar because he ate grass.

Aristocratic taste, that's all.

Yet grass is the most democratic of crops.

Grass grows anywhere.

Everywhere except in your lawn.

Chances are that every spring you sow carefully selected, washed, assorted and guaranteed lawn seed and what comes up?

Chick-weed, plaintain, dandelion, dock, sour-grass, butter-weed, mustard, milk-weed, feather-weed and a score, or a thousand nameless weeds.

They wrap their roots around the axis of the earth and defy you.

Yet the farmer grows hay successfully!

Marvelous man, the farmer.

He can grow grass!

—Trade at Home—

Cheaper Sugar Seen.

Sugar will be 10 or 11 cents a pound by Jan. 1, 1921, Russell J. Poole, secretary of the Chicago city council's high cost of living committee, announced this week, after a lengthy investigation.

—Trade at Home—

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

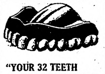

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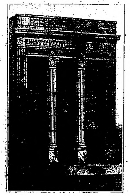

The farmer who comes to this bank when he has money is welcome to come here when he needs money.

First and Peoples State Bank

Thief River Falls, Minn.

No Profiteering In Oil

THE Federal Trade Commission in its report to Congress, emphasized the point that the recent advances in prices of crude and refined oils were a natural result of increased demand, coupled with the difficulty experienced by the oil companies in getting adequate supplies of crude.

Other factors contributing were increased costs of drilling, producing and operating generally; also the influence of the unfavorable developments in Mexico in the last few months.

The official statement of the commission is refreshing to those who are familiar with the conditions.

Not only does no profiteering exist at the present time, but facts demonstrate that there has been no disposition on the part of the oil industry to take advantage of any of the circumstances which might have justified price advances.

During the war, the entire petroleum industry united to hold down prices, even at the risk of actual loss.

During recent transportation difficulties, while strikes actually created a shortage of gasoline in some parts of the country, nevertheless price advances did not take place.

The value to the public of such a highly trained organization as that maintained by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is obvious. Anticipating and preparing for difficulties in refining and distribution of petroleum products, are some of the functions of this Company.

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910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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Loken's Blackboard Sale Closes Saturday Night

Two days only remain of this great bargain event. The store is still full of the most wonderful values, offered at a time when these are appreciated most. Below are a few bargains to which your attention is particularly called:

PRINTED COTTON VOILES

Come and take your choice of any of our 50c, 59c 60c and 65c Voiles, at yard 39c	Your choice of a very fine selection of 85c values. Entire lot at the price of 58c	Come take your choice out of any of our $1.25 values. This Sale only, at per yard 85c	Our entire assortment of $1.50 fancy French Voiles will go on this Sale at only, per yard 99c

Girls' Gingham School Dresses

Still a good assortment to choose from. One lot regularly valued at from $2.50 to $5.95 go during the two remaining days of this great sale at

25 per cent off

One lot of very desirable New Gingham Dresses—just the thing for house and school wear. Many were sold during the past week but a good assortment remains. Your choice at a reduction of

10 per cent

Some Astounding Shoe Values

Ladies' Gray Kid Shoes, cloth tops, military heel, for two days only	$7.95	Growing girls' Black Calfskin, low heel, Goodyear welt sole, for this sale	9.00
Ladies' Patent Leather Shoes, Matt Top, Louis covered heel, this sale	8.95	Growing girls' Kid Shoes, low heel Goodyear welt sole, for this sale only	10.00
Ladies' Brown Calfskin Walking Shoes, Munson last, low heel, this sale	6.95	Misses' Brown Elk, Goodyear welt sole. The strongest shoe made. Sale price	5.65
Ladies' Kid Shoes, Louis Leather heel, a bargain for the two remaining days	7.50	Misses' Pollyanna Gunmetal Shoe. Goodyear welt. For this sale only	4.65

All Low Cut Shoes at 20 Per Cent Discount.

Women's New Gingham Dresses

Very good styles; all sizes; mostly Mina Taylor make. Regularly priced at from $5.95 to $9.95. Special during these two days

20 per cent off

Net and Voile High Grade Waists

$5.95 values in Net Waists during these two days	$1.99
$7.50 values in Voile Waists during these two days	$3.95

Make a Visit to Our Bargain Basement for Money Saving Values

Palm Olive Soap. 10c per bar, 3 for 25c	Kitchen Klenser 5c per can.	Medicated Cuticura Soap 7c per bar, 4 for 25c	17-in. Turkish Toweling at only per yd. 29c	1,000 cards of Buttons 10c, 25c, and 35c values; all sizes and all kinds, at, per card 5c.	Safety Pins only 3c per dozen.	5c per pkg. of 3 yards of Stickerie Edging sold everywhere at from 10 to 15c.	Ladies' fine Gauze Vests, Special, at, each
10c	5c	7c	29c	5c	3c	5c	25c

Loken Brothers' Department Store, Thief River Falls, Minn.

MPROVEMENT IN LL STOCK MARKET

Continue Steady While eep Market Shows Slight Upward Trend.

on Stockyards, South St. Paul, t 23.—Top hogs ruled about all week, choice loads selling but bulk of sales closed about er generally. Most sales were t $14@14.25 at the finish, as $14.25@14.50 at the high Low end dropped to $13.50. pigs cashed at $14.50@14.75. s at 13,000 were the smallest year but this condition failed any beneficial effect on values. trade continued dull and unwer with sellers rating the 5c off for the week, though intained little difference in osts. Receipts showed a se but quality was plain The falling pastures as f the drought are sending e cattle to slaughter. Late ed little business above $10 r line, though choice stuff mand a much higher figure. teers sold at $6@9 with ows and heifers at $5.50@ ly and few at $8 or higher. and cutters are cashing at inly with bulls at $4.50@ top vealers at $12.75 or 75c a week ago. Stocker and de was slow and 25@50c ith choice kinds lacking. ws were nominally steady. totaled 29,000.

and lamb trade is failing to ch improvement though the strengthened some at the fint lambs are topping at $10.75 s down to $4. Yearlings are around $6.50@8 and wethers Fat ewe trade was regis- $2@6.75 with bucks at $4@5 and breeder trade is light so hould pick up soon. Receipts 000.

—Trade at Home—

ous Loafers Found State Poultry Flocks

hird to one-half of the fowls y Minnesota farm flocks are ing for their keep. This is t brought back to University y Miss Annabelle Campbell, specialist in the office of exwork with women. The agri- extension division of the niversity is aiding a state wide culling demonstration camlaunched by the Minnesota Bureau Federation. N. E. an, poultry extensionist from sity Farm and C. E. Brown of rthwest School of Agriculture okston, are also in the field. apman estimates that it is 50 to every flock of 100 which l, in the increased production s and the saving made in the ill. The culling demonstration continued through September ctober until the state is fairly combed." The extensionists imulating interest in poultry building and remodeling and t much work of this kind will before the times comes to flocks into winter quarters.

—Trade at Home—

Corn Selection Time ill Be Here Next Month

usands of Minnesota corn rs will soon be gathering seed xt year's crop and by Seed Time, September 10-20, the ent for seed selection should neral in corn producing dis- Farmers long ago found it ot advisable to depend on seeds or corn planting stock. In er Minnesota only corn that es there is suitable for seed. central zone has a somewhat season and can grow larger than the north and in a pinch et seed from outside states. ern Minnesota can grow corn as large as corn raised in and Nebraska. But it has been xperience of farmers in all zones of the state that homeand adapted varieties of seed ive far better results than can ained from imported seed. If l is cold and wet at planting eed of strong germination— st seed obtainable—is necessary if a good crop is to be had in the fall. Only by selecting seed at the right time and taking good care of it after it has been selected can the best results be obtained.

—Trade at Home—

Running Full Blast.

The Northern Woodwork company, which recently suffered a serious loss by fire, is again running full blast. Repairs have been made to building and machinery; new belting has been secured and broken windows and other damage fully reconstructed. Manager Revdahl states that the company has a large number of unfilled orders and that from now on work will be produced at record speed.

—Trade at Home—

Mrs. J. M. Bishop is Leader Among Women Politicians

That Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls is taking a leading part in the state Republican women's organization is evidenced by the fact that she has recently been named vice chairman of the state women's committee, and given charge of all work in the state outside of Hennepin and Ramsey counties. Mrs. Bishop also is chairman of the Ninth district organization. Mrs. Charles A. Reed of Minneapolis has been placed in charge of Hennepin county, while Miss Keith Clark has been chosen to have charge of the Ramsey county work as third vice chairman.

Mrs. Bishop's picture was published in Sunday's Minneapolis Journal, in a group with four other leaders in the work. The women's organization is planning a very active campaign and Mrs. Bishop will devote her entire time to the work from now until election.

—Trade at Home—

"Bringing Up Father" Coming in the Movies

Manager H. A. Brumund of the Thief River Theatre company, returned Saturday evening from St. Paul where he had been for the purpose of booking the latest pictures, being particularly anxious to secure something new and different in the line of comedies. He was successful in having his houses assigned as among those which are to show the latest scream-producer, "Bringing Up Father," made famous in cartoons by McManus. Everybody knows Mr. Jiggs and his wife, Maggie, and if the pictures are as funny as the cartoons their success is assured from the start. Mr. Brumund is unable to state just on what date the first of these pictures will appear.

The First National circuit, which includes both the Lyceum and Princess in this city, will produce 60 pictures during the coming year, each one a masterpiece, and these will be shown at the local houses. The Paramount-Artcraft people are planning on 100 pictures during the same period, most of which will be shown here. Two productions, said to be the greatest in all motion picture history, will soon be released by the Paramount-Artcraft, and Mr. Brumund was successful in securing both at an early date. One is called "Humoresque" and the other "Something to Think About." Both are staged by all-star casts.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

—Trade at Home—

BIG CREAM CHECKS CONTINUE THE RULE

Banner Month For Creamery Indicated in Report of Secretary Engelstad.

Business at the local creamery continues to boom. The report for July, just made public by Secretary Engelstad, shows that 237 patrons of the creamery drew checks amounting to $50 or more for the month, which is an unusual record.

P. Engelstad heads the list with $422.12, and there are 50 others who cashed in more than $100 for cream. The list in detail follows:

P. Engelstad, $422.12; Hans Anton, $301.12; Jens Klerk, $233.32; Peder Sabo, $224.11; Henry Pope, $220.12; A. J. Funnesdahl, $190.49; Waldie Christensen, $177.26; Fred Copp, $168.14; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $167.36; S. Wiberg, $159.80; R. M. Johnson, $145.22; Anfind Ness, $135.05; Joe Oski, $142.56; K. Finstad, $144.92; K. Solheim, $140.81; Hans Sande, $140.27; John Sunilt, $139.53; Aug. Koglin, $134.27; Peter Voldness, $133.89; Mrs. Mosbeck, $133.28; Paul Engelstad, $131.34; A. C. Simonson, $143.49; O. O. Hoffdahl, $131.12; John Sjolsvold, $129.05; H. T. Waale, $126.02; O. L. Skonood, $124.62; Mrs. T. L. Olson, $124.44; John Johnson, $120.74; C. Christensen, $119.08; C. Liden, $118.92; H. A. Matthees, $118.82; Nick Meyer, $115.22; Mrs. P. Fagerstrom, $114.49; E. Edman, $111.56; Erick Rensla, $111.09; P. Solem, $110.62; Fuller & Gordon, $110.47; O. S. Breiland, $107.66; S. Torgerson, $106.97; Victor Eedahl, $106.27; Christ Nelson, $105.80; Ludvig Larson, $105.21; Henry Koop, $105.02; Iver N. Strand, $104.98; John Swanson, $104.20; C. E. Olen, $103.84; A. Huseby, $103.50; F. M. Kline, $103.39; Ed Grundhous, $102.76; Peter Hadeen, $102.28; Katie Meyer, $100.51; Willadson Bros., $99.83; S. Hasby, $99.35; L. Hitterdahl, $98.57; Ole Trontvedt, $97.63; S. Sorenson, $97.53; R. Oen, $97.24; W. I. McCrum, $96.86; S. E. Hunt, $96.38; C. A. Nelson, $95.90; K. Ystesund, $95.72; Mrs. Sigrid Sanders, $94.97; Aug. Carlson, $94.41; Westlake Bros., $94.30; C. Odegaard, $94.30; J. M. Theige, $94.23; I. J. Wold, $93.78; Albert Hanson, $93.14; Ole Skaar, $92.73; Will Smith, $91.82; John Stroberg, $91.72; Mrs. J. R. Walters, $90.34; Henry Sande, $100.75; A. K. Haggy, $89.84; Hans Fjeld, $88.20; J. E. Wilcox, $88.13; C. H. Swanson, $87.67; P. Hornseth, $87.63; H. M. Simons, $87.44; James Ramsey, $87.35; Mrs. Welo, $86.62; Gunder Olson, $85.82; Albert Knutson, $85.36; Ole Dahl, $84.56; F. Layman, $84.45; Paul Schenke, $84.42; Henry Lindblom, $84.18; C. M. Hoverstad, $84.01; Carrie Johnson, $83.94; C. J. Ekwall, $83.63; Halvor H. Olson, $83.01; John Schneider, $82.86; Isaac Isaacson, $82.62; S. W. Laubach, $82.30; Ole Ahlstrom, $81.99; A. Feragen, $81.36; Emil Ristau, $80.76; Carl Erickson, $96.39; James Crosby, $80.31; Frank Pahnisch, $82.67; Olaf Brevik, $79.97; A. F. Norlund, $78.91; Alois Fah, $78.86; Theo. Tollefson, $78.01; Joseph Payment, $77.43; E. T. Edwin, $77.37; Hellquist Bros., $77.06; C. Boiswenger, $77.04; Thos. Sanders, $76.95; Tarjus Larson, $76.74; Fred Beerbauer, $76.49; Ben Rosendahl, $76.17; A. W. Hanson, $76.06; Emil Krause, $75.90; C. Weiner, $75.53; D. W. Ayers, $75.52; Andrew Evenson, $75.47; Ed Hanson, $74.58; Sam Nabben, $74.11; Lewis Anseby, $73.99; Ole Gesselquist, $73.74; F. T. Satre, $73.06; Y. C. Ralston, $73.02; O. Ordahl, $72.84; N. A. Nelson, $72.70; Mrs. Gutterud, $72.04; John Swanson, $71.94; H. J. Maland, $71.86; A. H. Atwood, $82.95; E. T. Helland, $71.56; Carl Bakken, $71.31; Wm. Korstad, $70.93; John Kellberg, $70.59; M. Hogland, $69.92; D. F. Stebleton, $69.69; A. Jorde, $69.25; Frank Sult, $68.63; Aug. Johnson, $68.57; Wm. Hohner, $68.56; Syvert Hanson, $68.23; Johnny Olson, $68.23; G. Hoove, $68.02; Gust Nakken, $68.01; A. Prestby, $67.88; Mrs. G. Roos, $67.66; C. Slinger, $67.61; H. E. Eliason, $67.28; H. W. Rinkel, $67.22; Joe Cook, $67.01; Martin Rust, $66.97; Gust Wilkin, $66.93; H. C. Woolson, $66.84; Ole Barhals, $66.77; S. O. Prestegaard, $65.88; N. B. Swanson, $65.33; John Bloom, $65.20; Erick Soderberg, $65.08; B. E. Vote, $65.08; F. B. Conklin, $65.00; Walter Pahmisch, $64.93; Huber Buck, $64.89; I. M. Peterson, $64.46; J. H. Sannes, $64.41; John Lee, $64.38; O. M. Anderson, $63.57; Olaf Kompelien, $62.53; John Lindblad, $62.40; John Ristau, $62.22; E. Yonke, $62.18; Nels Burtness, $62.05; Anton Braaten, $61.94; Louis Hamre, $61.91; W. H. Wilde, $61.91; Ole Finsand, $61.32; John Martinson, $61.18; N. Rhodegaard, $60.81; A. Morin, $67.35; J. Bergquist, $60.57; C. G. Pederson, $60.40; N. E. Muzzy, $60.37; Mrs. M. O. Saugen, $60.25; R. L. Muzzy, $60.24; Per Sorenson, $60.14; Albert Geske, $59.93; C. O. Asp, $59.41; Carl Talley, $58.64; S. R. Rogers, $58.89; C. P. Brorby, $58.19; Th. Mathison, $58.19; Albert Olson, $58.18; Henry Costello, $58.15; S. O. Lee, $58.13; S. C. Stone, $57.87; L. N. Smith, $57.82; J. E. Solomonson, $57.48; Harry Myrom, $56.91; Elling Ramsey, $56.82; Archie Sandford, $56.70; Oscar Thorson, $56.38; Jens Madson, $56.35; Tom Holten, $55.80; Louis Dimmen, $55.69; Walter Dobinzyoski, $55.66; Mrs. W. Johnston, $55.63; Mrs. A. C. Hanson, $55.57; G. A. Soiney, $55.16; T. K. Rynestad, $54.94; Gordon Olson, $61.71; Fred Turnquist, $54.29; P. P. Sund, $54.86; L. O. Stenseth, $54.71; Daniel Nordstrom, $53.97; Joel Shoberg, $53.87; A. Swanjord, $53.74; Carl Mellem, $53.56; Fred Doles, $53.56; Hugh Best, $53.55; Olaf Wahlberg, $53.43; Detlef Dau, $53.07; H. E. Sjoquist, $52.79; Anton Johnson, $52.64; Bert Thorstad, $52.01; A. S. Severson, $52.13; Aug. Ristau, $52.09; V. Trochman, $52.31; C. O. Elg, $51.94; Nels Nora, $51.27; Chas. Oas, $51.17; H. Bjorlokken, $51.10; T. J. Wasley, $51.04; John Thomas, $50.86; Langlett Bros., $50.84; Ed. Johnson, $50.72; Mrs. L. Onness, $50.60; Anton Anderson, $50.50; G. W. Buck, $50.20; S. C. Sorenson, $50.03.

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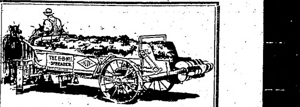

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Strong work pants in dark stripes.
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$ 5.50 Pants	$4.65

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We are prepared with a complete line of sturdy Shoes for boys of all ages. Black or tan Shoes:

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Sizes 10 to 2	$3.45
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Sizes 9 to 12	$3.19
Sizes 13 to 2	$3.69
Sizes 3 to 6	$3.98
$1.50 Boys' Blouses	$1.15
$1.25 Boys' Blouses	85c

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City News

Miss Helen Erickson of Red Lake Falls was a Saturday shopper in this city.

Miss Rose Hance returned Monday morning from a visit with friends at Crookston.

See the display of Fall Pattern Hats at the Johnson Millinery, 312 North LaBree. — a26

Misses Anna Bredesen and Beda Tongblad of Hallock, visited and shopped between trains here on Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Olson of Holt visited with friends here over Sunday. She returned to her home on Monday morning.

Dr. Johnson returned the latter part of last week from Donaldson where he had made a brief visit with friends.

Miss Ruby Jensen of Goodridge left on Tuesday for Warroad and Baudette where she will visit friends for a week.

Mrs. O. C. Sandberg and little daughter left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Agnes Warring arrived here Saturday afternoon from Steiner and visited over Sunday at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larson of Marietta, this state, arrived Sunday and are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Satre.

Miss Esther Murray returned to her home at Baudette on Monday after spending the week end visiting her friends, Miss Anna Aspelund.

Mrs. L. M. Warren and daughter, Gladys, returned to their home at Barnesville after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Erickson.

Mrs. Chas. Cobb returned Saturday to her home at Sioux Falls, after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, in this city.

Misses Beatrice and Ingaborg Dale of McIntosh arrived here the latter part of last week for a visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Misses Julia and Alice Easthouse left Tuesday for Devils Lake where the former will be employed and the latter will attend school during the winter.

Mrs. Peter Neth and children returned to their home in Grand Forks Saturday, after a visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein.

R. D. V. Carr, publisher of the Middle River Pioneer, was in the city Monday attending to business matters. The Times acknowledges a pleasant call.

Miss Grace Loken arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with friends. While here she will be a guest at the home of her brother, H. O. Loken and family.

Miss Esther Murray arrived here the first of the week from Lancaster and will spend a few days as the guest of Miss Anna Aspelund before returning to her home at Baudette.

Mrs. W. E. Baker and son, Earl, left Tuesday afternoon for Minneapolis where the former will visit and the latter will take examinations preparatory to entering Dunwoodie Institute.

Mrs. John Thill and son, Almo, and daughter, Pearl, left Sunday evening for their home at Milwaukee after visiting relatives in this vicinity. While here they were guests at the Thill home.

Mrs. Ben Erickson and baby, accompanied by the former's sister, Irene Hetzel of Minot, N. D., who has been her guest, left Saturday afternoon for Minot, N. D., where they will visit indefinitely.

Nothing is out of your reach if you determine to succeed. Nothing can keep you from succeeding if you back your determination by a complete, unexcelled course of training at North Star College, Warren, Minn.

Miss Florence Jessup arrived here Thursday from Baudette where she spent the summer with relatives and will spend a few days here as the guest of Miss Ruth Hadrath before returning to her home at Rochester.

Mrs. M. Dargon of Nashwauk, who had been a guest at the home of her daughters, Mrs. J. Thill and Mrs. S. J. Swanson, left Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to visit at the Hansel home before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson arrived last week from Chicago and expect to make Pennington county their future home. Mr. Wilson recently purchased a large tract of land near Goodridge and expects to engage in farming on an extensive scale next year.

Richard Larson, a prominent Iowa farmer, passed through the city the first of the week on his way to Mavie near which town he is looking over the farming prospects with a view to locating. While in the county he is a guest of the J. J. Spieler family at Mavie.

Miss Edith Cornforth, who has been engaged as chief operator at the local telephone exchange for a number of years, has resigned and left on Thursday afternoon, accompanied by her sister Miss Evelyn, who had been her guest for a few days, for Sioux Falls, S. D., where they will both be employed.

Rev. R. L. Barackman of the Presbyterian church returned last week from an extended trip through the East. He visited relatives at various points in Pennsylvania and in New York and saw many changes since he last visited these places twenty years ago. Mr. Barackman enjoyed the trip very much and says it was the most pleasant vacation he has taken in many years.

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FITS GLASSES
HE WILL BE AT
Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, 8 a. m. to 2 p. m., Aug. 31.

Mrs. L. Scholin of St. Hilaire shopped and visited with friends here yesterday.

Miss Jessie Langel left Saturday evening for Plummer to visit friends over Sunday.

First showing of fall Pattern Hats now on display at Johnsons' Millinery, 312 North LaBree. a26

Miss Ella Hanson of Madison, this state, is a guest of her friend, Miss Dorothy Bottelson, this week.

Mrs. Emil Zeh left Saturday morning for Bemidji where she was the guest of friends over Sunday.

Miss Anna Longren returned Monday afternoon from Roseau where she visited friends over Sunday.

R. J. Halvorsen of The Times mechanical department visited over Sunday with relatives at Fergus Falls.

Misses Martha Engen and Esther Loff left Saturday evening for Karlstad to visit friends for a few days.

Miss Lillian Boehm arrived last Wednesday for a week's visit at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McCrum.

The Mankato Commercial College catalog will cost you nothing. It may mean much to you. Will you send for it today?

Mrs. Gilbert Lonson entertains the Ladies Aid of St. Johns Lutheran church in the church basement Wednesday, Sept. 1.

Miss Harriet Anderson was an over Sunday guest of Miss Thora Wang at Badger. She returned to her home here Monday afternoon.

Knute Melby left on Saturday evening for Rochester to consult the Mayo doctors. He expects to be absent from the city for a week.

Miss Alice Berg, who is studying music in Minneapolis, is spending a two weeks' vacation as the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Leslie Provencher, who has been a guest of his father, J. Provencher, for a week, returned to his home in Minneapolis on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and family left Tuesday evening for the cities where they will spend a month visiting with friends and relatives.

Your life is what you make it. Nobody is foreordained to be a millionaire or a beggar. Prepare yourself at North Star College, Warren, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bean, Mrs. Oie, Miss Clara Dahl and Wm. Clay comprised an auto party which drove to St. Hilaire Friday evening to visit friends.

Mrs. C. W. Barden and daughter, Ardith, left Monday afternoon for East Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Zora Rafferty of Minneapolis is spending the week as the guest of her friend, Miss Ruth Brown. Previus to her visit here she was the guest of friends at Warren.

Michael Cosgrove and son, John, left Monday evening on their return to Ottumwa, Iowa, after having been guests for a week at the home of their son and brother, Jas. Cosgrove.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Ostby and daughter, Miss Maybelle, motored to Lakota the latter part of the week and visited with friends over Sunday. They returned to this city on Monday.

Mrs. R. C. Boyce, who spent a few days visiting her husband who is employed at Moorhead, accompanied by her sister, Miss Ella Linstad, returned here Friday morning. The latter who is employed at Fargo will spend a few days in this city visiting at the home of her parents.

Lectures on religious and prophetic subjects will be given in the Swedish language by Ephraim's Messengers—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlberg of Chicago at the Odd Fellows hall, Thief River Falls, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Scandinavians are cordially invited. Admission free. a26p

C. A. Priess, O. M. Henrichs, J. L. Magness, C. S. Putnam and Paul Bendixen of the Grand Forks force of C. A. Penney & Co., have been in the city during the past week for the purpose of assisting in getting the concern store ready for the opening. One or two of these gentlemen expect to remain here indefinitely providing living quarters for their families can be secured.

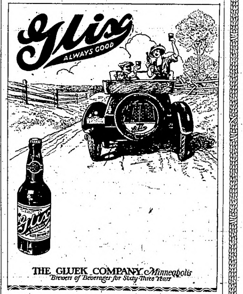

THE GLUEK COMPANY Minneapolis
Brewers of Beverages for Sixty-Three Years
Thief River Grocery Co. Wholesale Distributors.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roese, residing south of Hazel yesterday.

Fall Pattern Hats—first showing now on display at Johnson Millinery, 312 North LaBree. a26

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Peterson returned on Friday morning from the twin cities where they visited friends.

Miss Hilda Aalberg spent Sunday visiting with relatives at St. Hilaire. She returned to her home here on Monday.

Miss Mildred Gillette left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will spend a week visiting with friends.

D. P. O'Neill, member of the state board of grain appeals, spent a few days in Thief River Falls last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Fox returned Tuesday by car from St. Paul where they had spent the past month visiting relatives.

Miss Edith Skoglund, stenographer for Gustafson Bros. Implement firm, spent Sunday with her parents who reside at Roseau.

Miss Gertrude Larson of Warroad returned to her home on Thursday morning after visiting her friend, Miss Anna Longren for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. Philip Dale motored here the first of the week from Granite City, Ill., for a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Satre.

Mrs. Ole Eggerud returned yesterday morning from Minneapolis after a three days' visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Moore.

Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Seltz and family of St. Paul arrived here the first of the week for a visit at the home of Mrs. Seltz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jonas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Tollem, accompanied by their son Chester and daughter Hilda, left Friday afternoon for Washington where they will make their future home.

Mrs. C. G. Mattson and baby, accompanied by her neice, Miss Clarice Thompson, left Thursday afternoon for Crookston where the former will visit at the Thompson home.

Miss Florence Jessup returned to her home at Rochester last evening after a week's visit with friends here. While in the city she was a guest at the home of Miss Ruth Hadrath.

Mrs. G. Moran and children, former residents of this city, but now residing at Ft. Francis, left Saturday morning for their home after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Parenteau.

H. A. Brumund returned last Saturday morning from the twin cities where he had spent several days attending to business matters. He also visited briefly with his daughter, Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Melgaard and daughters, Misses Edele and Edna, motored over from Argyle on Sunday and were guests at the T. L. Melgaard home in this city. They returned to their home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Flattum and son, Roy, returned here Saturday after a two months' auto trip spent in touring the states of North Dakota, Montana and Wyoming, visiting the National Park and also witnessing the Bozeman roundup, which is an annual event.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lucking and two daughters, of Perham, Miss Celia Bourque, Miss Mabel Neste, Miss Gudrun Isaacson, Milton and Harry Waldon, all of Fordville, N. D., and Miss Verne Scott of Drayton, N. D., were over-Sunday guests at the W. B. Fuller home.

OPPORTUNITIES

Banks, wholesale houses and business concerns of all kinds want younger men and women with a business education. To qualify for a good position takes but a short time and cost but little. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out what this successful school can do for you.

Miss Inga Anderson of Baudette arrived here Tuesday for a visit at the home of Mrs. M. Owen.

Mrs. A. Oie arrived here the latter part of last week from Duluth to spend a few days visiting with her friend, Mrs. C. Bean.

Miss Freda Lloyd of Grygla visited friends here over Sunday enroute from Ada where she was the guest of relatives, to her home.

Mrs. Mary Kisch left Tuesday morning for Steiner to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy for a few days.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Cobb of Sioux Falls, who is her guest, spent Friday and Saturday with friends at Holt.

Miss Bertha Borgen, accompanied by her father, left Friday afternoon for Michigan, N. D., being called there because of the illness of the former's sister-in-law.

Roscoe Bakke left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit with relatives.

Miss Ina Motz returned to Fargo Saturday after spending a brief period visiting at her home here.

Mrs. H. Lovied of Middle River arrived here Friday afternoon for a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. G. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gustafson returned Friday afternoon from Middle River where they had been guests at the home of the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Froseth returned Thursday from a two week's honeymoon spent at the brides' home in Albert Lea and with friends in Minneapolis.

Earl and Walter Orr visited with friends here Friday enroute to their home in Baudette from Duluth where they had spent a week. They left the following morning by car for their home.

Harry Ives of Minneapolis, was a business caller in this city on Saturday.

Phil Bryant of Superior, was the guest of friends here the latter part of last week.

Misses Ann, Mable and Olive Patterson of St. Hilaire shopped between trains here on Saturday.

H. Lindberg of Detroit was a week end guest of friends in this city.

Jordan Penney and Ernest Zeh visited with friends in Grand Forks on Thursday and Friday.

Miss Alice Thompson returned to this city Friday evening from Park River, N. D., where she had visited with friends.

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Guaranteed Fast Colors

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Are you looking out for their future welfare? Are they going to enjoy the same opportunities as your neighbors' children in the way of educational advantages and pleasant home surroundings?

It is necessary to save to secure these blessings; and, while saving under present conditions is difficult, you will find that it is not impossible.

Open a savings account with us, and build for your children's future.

CITIZENS STATE BANK

This Sale For 1 Day Only Saturday, August 28

Sapero's Final Clean-up Sale of all Summer Merchandise

This Sale For 1 Day Only Saturday, August 28

A Real Sale---A Sapero Sale

You know the values we give when we advertise a sale

Over 100 garments to go at the one price of . . $10.00

This sale is for one day only--Saturday. We made the prices so low that this merchandise will move out Saturday. We must have the room for new fall goods. None of this sale goods will be shown in windows. No signs or picture puzzles, but real values

The following Garments go at the one price of

- 10 Spring Coats, values to $35.00
- 10 Summer Organdie and Voile Dresses, values to $35.00.
- 5 Georgette Crepe Dresses, values to $35.00
- 6 Taffeta Dresses, values to $25.00
- 5 Wool Serge Dresses, values to $27.50
- 5 Spring Suits, values to $45.00
- 5 Evening and Party Dresses, values to $35.00.
- 10 Beautiful Silk Fan-Ta-Si, Tricolette and Kum-Si-Rom-Sa Skirts, values to $25.00
- 10 Pretty Tricolette Blouses, values to $20.00

$10

First come first served. We could get more for these garments by running the sale about 10 days but we need the room, and need it badly. You'll buy 2 or 3 of these wonderful garments when you see them.

Just remember that the merchandise mentioned above is new Spring merchandise and is not goods that have been carried over 2 or 3 seasons, nor has it been bought for sale purposes.

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OF PREMIUMS AWARDED AT PENNINGTON COUNTY FAIR

Awarded By Judges in All Departments—Competition Close and Quality of Exhibits Show Agricultural and Other Resources of Section.

given a complete list of ners at the recent Penning- ty fair, according to the re- d by fair officials. Care has en to avoid errors but it is that mistakes are liable to cases of this kind. For this is urged that any errors d at once to G. Howard tary, in order that correc- made.

ers' Club Exhibits.
Special: First, Goodridge lub; 2nd, Silverton (Farm

HORSES
ared, Henry Braft.
Age: 1st, J. J. Aga; 2nd an.
arness: 1st, James Mulhall;
eneral Purpose.
ding 3 years old: 1st, Henry V. C. Noper.
lding 2 years old, 1st, Hen-
Rage and Roadster.
yer: 1st, Albert Johnson.
Mules and Jacks.
ales in Harness, 1,000 or over to wagon: 1st Iver E. Bug- Beerbauer.
age: 1st, Willis Warring.
ette: 2nd Willis Warring.
Shetland Ponies.
y age: 1st Fred Beerbauer; cFarland.
in Harness: 1st Fred Beer- Fred Beerbauer.
iver in Harness: 1st Wm. ; 2nd Fred Beerbauer.

CATTLE
Beef Type, Registered.
years or older: 1st, Ray- y.
nior yearling: 1st, Raymond
lf. 1st Raymond Muzzy; 2nd Muzzy.
e years or older: 1st Ed. Au-
tes, highest scoring cow shown aymond Muzzy.
Grade.
years or older: 2nd Ed. Au-
year or olded: 1st Ed. Aubol; bol.
thorn, Dairy Type, Grade.
oo years or older: 2nd Ray- zy.
years or older: 1st Raymond
Holstein, Registered.
ee years or older: 1st, Fred
o years or older: 1st, Alfred 2nd, Ben Rosendahl; third, Olaf
nior yearling: 1st, Fred Beer-
oo years or older. 1st, Fred ; 2nd, Fred Beerbauer; 3rd, bauer.
alf: 1st, Hans Anton; 2nd, V.
o years or older: 1st, 2nd and Beerbauer.
calf: 1st, 2nd and 3rd, Fred
Sweepstakes.
scoring bull shown in class: rbauer.
scoring cow shown in class: rbauer.
Guernseys, Registered.
ree years or over: 1st, H. C.
nior yearling: 1st F. B. Conk-
nior yearling: 1st, Stewart 2nd Albert Johnson,
ree years or older: 1st [illegible] 2nd, Albert Johnson; 3rd, H. C.
senior yearling: 1st, F. B. 2nd, Albert Johnson; 3rd, H. C.
junior yearling: 1st, H. C. 2nd, F. B. Conklin.
bull calf: 1st, Albert Johnson; Conklin.
heifer calf: 1st, F. B. Conk- H. C. Woolson.
calf, heifer: 1st, F. B. Conk-
calf, bull: 1st, H. C. Woolson.
Sweepstakes.
scoring bull shown in class: oolson.
scoring cow shown in class: klin.
Champion bull: F. B. Conklin.
Champion bull: H. C. Woolson.
Champion cow: F. B. Conklin.
Champion cow: F. B. Conklin.
ition for cup offered by Guernsey Association, for best Guernsey
F. B. Conklin; 2nd, Albert John- H. C. Woolson.
warded to F. B. Conklin.
ntry herd, Holstein: Fred Beer-

SHEEP
Pure Bred Shropshires.
any age: 1st, Morgan Vaughn; ert Johnson.
any age: 1st, Morgan Vaughn; B. Conklin.
lambs: 1st, F. B. Conklin; 2nd, onklin.
Grade.
any age: 1st, Ed. Aubol.
ewe: 1st, Ed. Aubol.
earling: 1st, Ed. Aubol.
amb: 1st, Ed. Aubol.

SWINE
Chester White, Registered.
1 year old or over: 1st, Barzen r; 2nd, Barzen & Kramer.
Berkshire, Registered.
shoats: 1st, Albert Johnson.
th pigs under six months: 1st, ohnson.
uroc Jersey, Registered.
year old or over: 1st, T. Dal-
n of shoats: 1st, Fred Beer- d, Gunstad Skonedahl.
th pigs, not less than six months Fred Beerbauer; 2nd, Gunstad al.
Miscellaneous Registered.
rood sow, Duroc: 1st, G. D

POULTRY
Barred Plymouth Rock.
ggerud, 3rd Ckl.
attenfield, 3rd pen.
Longair, 3rd hen; 2nd pen.
LaRree, 3rd ck.
Novak, 1st ck.; 1st pen.
Schuster, 3rd pullet.
Qualey, 1st pullet; 2nd pullet.
ant Poultry Yards, Crookston, 1st, nd hen; 2nd ck.
er Bros., 1st, ckl; 2nd ck.
S. C. Buff Rock.
Michelet, 3rd hen; 1st, 2nd and kl: 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullet.
White Plymouth Rock.
e McGroom, 1st, ckl.; 1st and 2nd
Buff Orpington.
M. Dunn, 1st, 2nd ckl.; 2nd, 3rd hen.
M. N. Benson, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet; 1st, ck; 1st, hen; 1st, pen.
White Wyandotte.
Ralph Longair: 1st, ckl.; 1st pullet.
Theo. Lovdahl, 1st, ck.; 1st, hen; 2nd, 3rd, pullet; 2nd ckl.
Partridge Cochin.
Ed. Haney, 1st, ckl.; 1st, 2nd, pullet. Mrs. Geo. Larson, 1st, ck.
Rhode Island Red.
Olaf Nesset, 1st, ck; 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen; pen; 1st, 2nd, pullet.
ice Wong, 2nd ck.
S. C. White Leghorn.
man Poultry Yards, 1st, and, 3rd 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet.
ter D. Coyle, 3rd hen; 2nd, pen.
Dennis McGinn, 1st cock; 1st, 2nd hen; 1st pen.
S. C. Black Leghorn.
Ralph Longair, 2nd ck.; 3rd pullet.
George Leimers: 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen.
Bernard Leimers, 1st ckl.; 1st, 2nd pullet.
James Newland, 3rd ckl.
R. C. White Leghorn.
Ralph Longair, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet; 1st, 2nd, 3rd ckl.
S. C. Black Minorca.
Jesse LaRree, 1st ck; 1st, 2nd hen.
S. C. Mottled Ancona.
Ed. Haney, 1st, ckl.; 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet.
Ben Kruse, 1st ck.; 2nd, 3rd hen; 1st pen.
S. J. Rice, 2nd ck.; 1st hen; 2nd pen. Clarence Rice, 2nd ckl.
Toulouse Geese.
F. B. Conklin, 1st, cock, 1st, hen. Fred Beerbauer, 2nd cock; 2nd hen; 1st pullet; 1st ckl.
White China Geese.
F. B. Conklin, 1st cock; 2nd hen; 1st, pullet; 1st ckl.
White Pekin Ducks.
Ed. Battenfield, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen. Geo. W. Wilson, 1st, 2nd ckl.
Result of Stock Judging Contest.
1. Lester Coyle; 2. Raymond Muzzy; 3. Burton Aarnes; 4. Howard Struble; 5. Daniel Payne; 6. Thomas Helland; 7. Halbert Evenstad; 8. Harry McDonald; 9. Noble Urdahl; 10. Rudolph Urdahl.

Dairy Calf Contest.
1. Pearl Conklin; 2. Ruby Conklin; 3. Gormatt Thompson; 4. Francis Conklin; 5. Noble Urdahl; 6. Natalie Woolson; 7. Melvin Englestad; 8. Louise Olson; 9. Daniel Payne; 10. Katie Anton; 11. Lorenz Anton; 12. Unknown (owner not present.)

Sheep Contest.
1. Francis Conklin; 2. Myron Robinson; 3. Ruby Conklin; 4. Ethel Vaughn; 5. Ruben Stenvick; 6. Pearl Conklin; 7. Delford Stephen; 8. Vivian Olson; 9. Marcus Olson.

Potatoes, (Early Ohio.)
1. May Hallengrud; 2. Jennie Kaushaugen.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' DEPARTMENT.
Barred Rock.
Nathalie Woolson, 2nd pen; 2nd pullet; 3rd pullet; 6th ckl.
White Leghorns, S. C.
Lester D. Coyle, 3rd pen; 3rd ckl.; 5th pullet; 6th, pullet.
White Leghorns, S. C.
Dennis McGinn, 4th pen; 2nd ckl.
White Leghorns S. C.
Robert McGinn, 6th ckl.
White Wyandotte.
Theo. Lovdahl, 1st pen; 1st ckl; 1st pullet; 4th pullet.
Black Leghorn S. C.
Bernard Leimers, 5th pen; 7th ckl.
Rhode Island Red S. C.
Clarence Smith, 4th ckl.; 7th pullet; 6th pen.

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.
Wheat, blue stem: 1st, Mrs. S. Singer; 2nd, W. W. Williams.
Wheat, macaroni: 1st, Joe Oski; 2nd, Mrs. S. Singer.
Oats, white: 2nd, R. L. Muzzy.
Oats, yellow: 1st, W. W. Williams.
Barley: 2nd, Albert Johnson.
Flax seed: 1st, Albert Johnson; 2nd, Joe Oski.
Millet seed: 1st, Albert Johnson; 2nd, Orton Olson.
Peas, field: 1st, Otto Bessler; 2nd, Wm. Furstnau.
Beans, field: 1st, Otto Bessler, 2nd; Wm. Furstnau.
N. W. Dent Corn: 1st, Wm. Furstnau.
Sweet corn, 1st, Ed. Aubol.
Beans, in pod: 1st, F. B. Conklin; 2nd Ole Eggerud.
Sheaf Macaroni: 1st, W. E. Smith, 2nd Willis Warring.
Sheaf rye: 1st, L. G. Netteland; 2nd, J. S. Brown.
Sheaf, winter rye: 1st, Geo. Johnson; 2nd, L. G. Netteland.
Sheaf, flax: 1st, Joe Oski; 2nd, Gilbert Hovle.
Sheaf, barley: 1st, C. L. Heinze; 2nd, Ed. Heirein.
Sheaf, fodder corn: 1st, Ed. Heirein; 2nd, Henry Hanson.
Sheaf, field corn: 1st, Wm. Furstnau; 2nd, H. Siems.
Popcorn, (no comp.): 1st, Chas. Schwartz.
Sugar cane, (no comp.); 1st, C. C. Gulrud.
Sheaf oats, white: 1st, C. L. Heinze; 2nd, Geo. Johnson.
Sheaf oats, yellow: 1st, W. W. Williams; 2nd, Ed. Heirein.
Sample Red Clover: 1st, C. L. Heinze; 2nd, Mrs. C. L. Heinze.
Mammoth Red Clover, (no comp.): 1st, T. J. Lillevold.
Red Clover and Timothy, (no comp): Geo. Johnson.
Sample Alsike clover: 1st, J. S. Brown; 2nd, G. M. Adkins.
Sample Alfalfa: 1st, W. E. Smith; 2nd Albert Johnson.
Sample, second growth alfalfa: 1st, Arthur Erickson; 2nd A. F. Cuno.
Sample Timothy: 1st, Geo. Johnson; 2nd, Ed. Heirein.
Sample Timothy: 1st, Geo. Johnson; 2nd, Ed. Heirein.
Sample red top: 1st, Joe Oski; 2nd, Guy Johnson.
Sample millet, (no comp.). 1st, Nels Ostvolden.
Buckwheat, sheaf: 1st, Harold Williams; 2nd Wm. [illegible]
Sweet clover: 1st, Albert Johnson; 2nd Guy Johnson.
Bromus grass: 1st, Ed. Heirein; 2nd, W. H. Wilde.
Turnips, short: 1st, Esther Holland; 2nd, Gertrude Grundhaus.
Rutabagas: 1st, Fred Holzknecht; 2nd, Ole Erickson.
Mangel Wurtzel: 1st, H. H. Jacobson; 2nd, Wm. Furstnau.
Sugar beets: 1st, Barzen & Kramer; 2nd, Earnest Barzen.
Potatoes, Early Rose, (no comp.): 1st, Ed. Aubol.
Potatoes, Early Ohio: 1st, Joe Oski; 2nd, John S. Brown.
Potatoes, Rural New Yorkers, 1st, Ed. Aubol.
Carrots, short: 1st, Mrs. H. M. Hicks; 2nd, Ed. Aubol.
Carrots, long: 1st, Ed. Aubol; 2nd, Jacob Hermanson.
Table beets, short: 1st, Ole Erickson; 2nd, P. Glefer.
Cabbage, early: 1st, John Langevin; 2nd, Otto Bessler.
Cabbage, late: 1st, Frank Sterns; 2nd, Ole Eggerud.
Cauliflower, (no comp.): 1st, H. L. Hanson.
Corn, sweet: 1st, Ed. Aubol; 2nd, Ralph Longair.
Cucumbers: 1st, Gordon Hunt; 2nd John Langevin.
Onions, red, seed: 1st, H. L. Hanson; 2nd, C. L. Heinze.
Onions, yellow seed: 1st, Mrs. C. L. Heinze; 2nd, Percy Lamb.
Onions, potato, 1st, Ed. Aubol; 2nd, Mrs. C. Gutterud.
Onions, pickling: 1st, Edward Zahler; 2nd, J. S. Brown.
Onions, Dutch: 1st, Esther Helland.
Peas in pod: 1st, Clara Williams; 2nd, H. M. Evenstad.
Beans in pod: 1st, Ed. Aubol; 2nd, John Langevin.
Radishes, summer: 1st, M. A. Schmitz.
Radishes, winter: 2nd, Dorothy Grundhaus.
Rhubarb: 1st, Guy Johnson; 2nd, Albert Johnson.
Tomatoes, red: 1st, W. Furstnau; 2nd, Otto Bessler.
Tomatoes, yellow, (no comp.): 1st, Mrs. M. Schmitz.
Tomatoes, green: 1st, Wm. Furstnau; 2nd, Ralph Longair.
Lettuce, 1st, Mrs. Emil Olson; 2nd, P. Glefer.
Parsley, (no comp.) 2nd, L. H. Heinze.
Parsnip: 1st, Ed. Aubol; 2nd, M. Schmitz.
Curly Kale: 1st, Mary Holty; 2nd, Albert Johnson.
Best collection of vegetables: 1st, L. H. Heinze; 2nd, Fred Paulson.
Best collection of child under 12 years: 1st, Pat Beerbauer; 2nd, Natalie Woolson.
Best collection by gardener: 1st, M. Schmitz.
Currants, white: 1st, Ed. Aubol; 2nd, Otto Bessler.
Currants, red: 1st, Wm. Parno; 2nd, Ed. Aubol.
Currants, black: 1st, Ruth Satre; 2nd, Helen Satre.
Raspberries, black, (no comp.): 1st, Mrs. Fred Beerbauer.
Raspberries, red, (no comp.) 1st, Mrs. C. C. Gulrud.
Gooseberries: 1st, Otto Bessler; 2nd, W. Furstnau.
Strawberries, (no comp): 1st, Mrs. S. Singer.
Duchess of Oldenburg, best plate: 1st, C. C. Gulrud.
Best collection of unnamed seedling or crab apples (no comp): 1st, Mrs. H. S. Rustad.
Best collection of named crab apples, (no comp.): 2nd, Ole Eggerud.
Wild Plums: 1st, Mrs. H. S. Rustad; 2nd, Ed Aubol.
Chas. Downing, tame: 1st, Ole Eggerud; 2nd, Wm. Parno.
Desota, tame: 1st, Mrs. H. J. Rustad; 2nd, Ed. Aubol.
Plums: 1st, Mrs. H. J. Rustad; 2nd, Arthur Erickson.
Compass cherries, 1st, Gilbert Hoyle; 2nd, Mrs. H. J. Rustad.
High Bush cranberries: 1st, Gilbert Hoyle; 2nd, Ed Aubol.
Peppers: 1st, Mrs. M. Schmitz; 2nd, H. M. Evenstad.
Kohlrabi (no comp.): 1st, Ole Erickson.
Dill, (no comp.): 2nd, Mrs. Emil Olson.

CULINARY.
Watermelon pickles: 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Ripe Cucumber pickles: 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Pickled carrots: 1st, Mrs. H. H. Jacobson; 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Canned tomatoes: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Watermelon pickles: 2nd, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.
Onion pickles: 2nd, Mrs. H. H. Jacobson.
Canned corn, 1st, Mrs. Geo. Sterns; 2nd, Mrs. L. Manthey.
Canned pumpkin: 2nd, Mrs. Geo. Sterns.
Pickled apples: 2nd, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Pickled beets: 1st, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht; 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
Canned beets: 1st, Mrs. Geo. Sterns; 2nd, Mrs. H. Hicks.
Cucumber pickles: 1st, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht; 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Mixed pickles: 1st, Mrs. H. H. Jacobson; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Dill pickles: 2nd, Florence Baker.
Picalilli: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Sliced cucumbers in oil: 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Corn Relish: 2nd, Mrs. L. Manthey.
Canned sourkraut, 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Green tomato mince meat: 1st, Theresa Glefer; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Chow Chow: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Tomato relish: 2nd, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.
Tomato catsup: 1st, Mrs. Hans Nelson; 2nd, Mrs. Woolson.
Beet pickles: 1st, Florence Baker, 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Canned sausage: 1st, Mrs. Geo. Bakken; 2nd, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Canned chicken: 1st, Mrs. Emil Zeh.
Canned peas: 1st, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht; 2nd, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Canned beans: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol; 2nd, Mrs. Hicks.
Canned asparagus: 1st, Mrs. Emil Zeh.
Canned carrots, 1st, Mrs. Geo. Sterns; 2nd, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Rye bread: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Nut bread: 2nd, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.
Boston brown bread: 2nd, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.
Raisin bread: 2nd, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.
Canned beef: 1st, Mrs. Geo. Bakken; 2nd, Mrs. Geo. Sterns.
Canned pork: 1st, Mrs. Geo. Sterns; 2nd, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Doughnuts: 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
Fried cakes: 1st, Mrs. P. J. Bottem; 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
White rolls: 1st, Mrs. M. Alberg; 2nd, Mrs. H. H. Jacobson.
Collection of bread: 1st, Mrs. Earl DeVilling; 2nd, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
White bread, 1st, Mrs. DeVilling; 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berk.
Graham bread: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol; 2nd, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.
Ginger cookies: 1st, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
White cake: 1st, Mrs. Bessler; 2nd, Louise Furstnau.
Devils food: 1st, Mrs. C. Frissell; 2nd, Mrs. Bottem.
Ginger cake: 2nd, Mrs. Bottem.
Jelly roll: 2nd, Mrs. Alfred Holmgren.
Sponge cake: 1st, Mrs. Bottem; 2nd, Mrs. A. Holmgren; 3rd, Mrs. A. Sapero.
White cookies: 1st, Mrs. Wangenstein; 2nd, Mrs. Martin Benson.
Rosettes: 2nd, Mrs. Erling Dahl.
Drop cakes, dark: 1st, Mrs. Bottem; 2nd, Mrs. Wangenstein.
Krum cakes, 1st, Mrs. Wangenstein; 2nd, Erling Dahl.
Oatmeal cookies: 1st, Mrs. Wangenstein; 2nd, Mrs. Frissell.
Gooseberry jelly: 2nd, Mrs. Hans Nelson.
Gooseberry marmalade: 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Gooseberry preserves: 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Chokecerry jam: 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
Wild plub jelly: 2nd, Mrs. H. F. Erickson.
Pincherry jelly: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Protz.
Grape jelly: 1st, Mrs. Hans Nelson; 2nd, Mrs. H. F. Erickson.
Rhubarb marmalade: 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Wild plum jelly: 2nd, Mrs. H. F. Erickson.
Raspberry preserves, 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Chokecherry jelly: 1st, Mrs. Scott Laird; 2nd, Mrs. H. F. Erickson.
Strawberry jelly: 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Apricot marmalade: 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Plum jelly: 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Blueberry jelly: 2nd, Mrs. I. L. Hall.
Peach jelly: 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Currant preserves: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Protz.
Tomato preserves: 1st, Mrs. Scott Laird; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Currant jelly: 1st, Miss Mary Noesen; 2nd, Mrs. Hans Nelson.
Cranberry jelly: 1st, Mrs. T. E. Berge; 2nd, Mrs. Hans Nelson.
Crabapple jelly, 1st, Theresa Glefer; 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
Apple jelly: 2nd, Mrs. M. A. Schmitt.
Raspberry jelly: 1st, Miss Mary Noesen; 2nd, Mrs. L. Manthey.
Juneberries, canned: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Canned currants: 2nd, Mrs. M. A. Schmitt.
Canned apricots: 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
Preserved ground cherries: 1st, Mrs. M. Schmitz; 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Wild strawberry preserves: 1st Mrs. L. Manthey; 2nd, Mrs. Ed Juransen.
Canned blueberries: 1st, Mrs. Hicks; 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
Canned red plums: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Canned yellow plums: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol; 2nd, Nellie Hardisty.
Canned apples, 1st, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht; 2nd, Mrs. Geo. Bakken.
Canned cherries: 1st, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht; 2nd, Mrs. Geo. Bakken.
Canned pineapples: 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Canned pears: 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Canned peaches: 2nd, Theresa Glefer.
Canned raspberries: 1st, Mrs. C. C. Gulrud; 2nd, Mrs. J. Hendry.
Canned rhubarb: 1st, Mrs. T. E. Berge; 2nd, Mrs. H. H. Jacobson.
Canned strawberries, 1st, Theresa Glefer; 2nd, Mrs. Severt Brandon.
Canned strawberries, tame: 2nd, Mrs. M. A. Schmitt.

FANCY WORK.
Wool patchwork quilt: 1st, Mrs. T. E. Berg; 2nd, Mrs. R. Klemmetsen.
Specimen of darning on knit wear: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol; 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berg.
Hardanger scarf, 2nd, Mrs. Knut Knutseth.
Colored silk emb. centerpiece: 1st, Mrs. T. G. Dals; 2nd, Mrs. Arthur Atwood.
Swedish darning towel: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Protz.
Plain sewing pillow case: 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berg.
Tatted dolly: 2nd, Annie Williams.
Colored cotton emb. nightgown: 2nd, Lottie Austad.
Colored cotton emb. child's dress: 1st, Mrs. John Baker; 2nd, Mrs. O. G. Storholm.
Colored emb. pillowcase: 2nd, Mrs. R. J. Lamphier.
Colored emb. dresser scarf: 1st, Florence Aalberg; 2nd, Mrs. M. Aalberg.
Colored cotton emb. table runner: 2nd, Louise Netteland.
Colored cotton emb. lunch set: 2nd, Lenore Heltz.
Tatting dresser scarf, 2nd, Mrs. Anna Gryting.
Tatting, towel: 1st, Mrs. Nellie Hardisty; 2nd, Mrs. Geo. Bakken.
Hardanger lunch cloth: 1st, Mrs. C. Storholm; 2nd, Mrs. P. L. Vistaunet.
Hardanger centerpiece: 1st, Florence Aalberg; 2nd, Florence Aalberg.
Hardanger pillow: 1st, Mrs. C. Storholm; 2nd, Mrs. S. Brandon.
Crossstitch pillow: 1st, Louise Netteland; 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berg.
White cotton emb. pillow cases: 1st, Myrtle Satre; 2nd, Mrs. F. G. Dals.
White cotton emb. dresser scarf: 2nd, Mrs. E. O. Erickson.
Colored cotton emb. lunch cloth: 2nd, Mrs. O. G. Storholm.
Colored cotton emb. towel: 1st, Florence Aalberg; 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berg.
Colored cotton emb. centerpiece: 1st, Mrs. F. F. Haynes.
Colored cotton emb. apron: 1st, Mrs. P. L. Vistaunet; 2nd, Mrs. C. Storholm.
White cotton emb. apron: 1st, Mrs. E. R. Bakke; 2nd, I. L. Hall.
White cotton emb. towel: 1st, Louise Netteland; 2nd, Florence Aalberg.
White cotton emb. corset cover: 2nd, Mrs. Anna Shaw.
White cotton combination suit: 2nd, Mrs. O. G. Storholm.
White cotton emb. nightgown: 2nd, Mrs. E. O. Erickson.
White cotton emb. centerpiece: 1st, Mrs. Geo. Sterns; 2nd, Mrs. Nellie Hardisty.
White cotton emb. dolly: 1st, Mrs. E. M. Evju; 2nd, Mrs. N. Hardisty.
White cotton emb. lunch cloth, scalloped: 1st, Mrs. P. J. Bottem; 2nd, Louise Netteland.
White cotton emb. lunch cloth, hemstitched: 2nd, Mrs. F. F. Haynes.
White cotton emb. set napkins, initial: 2nd, Mrs. E. R. Bakke.
White cotton emb. table runner: 2nd, Mrs. H. Hardisty.
Tatting, handkerchief: 2nd, Mrs. Lenore Heltz.
Tatting, lace: 1st, Annie Williams.
Tatting, collar: 1st, Mrs. F. F. Haynes; 2nd, Mrs. Anna Gryting.
Tatting, baby bonnet: 2nd, Mrs. A. M. Anderson.
Tatting, yoke: 2nd, Anna Zahler.
Tatted bag: 2nd, Annie Williams.
Tatted, combination suit: 2nd, Mrs. Lenore Heltz.
Colored cotton emb. lunch set: 2nd, Mrs. E. O. Erickson.
Log cabin quilt: 1st, Mrs. Nellie Hardisty; 2nd, Mrs. Hans Olson.
Cotton patchwork quilt: 2nd, Ed. Christy.
Silk patchwork quilt: 1st, Mrs. Angie Miller; 2nd, Cora Toffelmire.

PLANTS AND FLOWERS.
Carnations, (no comp.): 2nd, Mrs. A. Olson.
Collection of cut flowers: 1st, Mrs. F. Paulson; 2nd, Mrs. Wm. Furstnau.
Collection of foliage (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. A. Olson.
Begonia: 1st, G. Hovle; 2nd, Mrs. H. [illegible]
Fuchsia, (no comp): 2nd, Marry Noesen.
F. Erickson; [illegible]
Star of Bethlehem: 2nd, G. Hovle.
Golden glow: 1st, Mrs. F. Carlson.
Carnation: 1st, Mrs. C. Christofferson; 2nd, Mrs. Berge.
Foliage: 1st, Mrs. O. C. Gran; 2nd, Mrs. Carl Christofferson.
Cactus: 1st, Mrs. O. J. Sether; 2nd, Mrs. Carl Christofferson.
Ferns: 1st, Mrs. M. Benson; 2nd, Rose Bakke.
Bachelor buttons: 1st, Mrs. Otto Bessler; 2nd, Mrs. O. G. Storholm.
Verbena: 1st, Mrs. Nicial; 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Petunias: 1st, Mrs. C. Storholm; 2nd, Mrs. O. Erickson.
Sultana, (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Balsam, (no comp.): 2nd, Mrs. Holmgren.
Tiger lilies: 2nd, Mrs. A. Olson.
Geraniums: 1st, Mrs. Ed. Battenfield; 2nd, Mrs. A. Olson.
Foliage: 2nd, Mrs. T. E. Berge.
Shamrock: 2nd, Mrs. J. O. Sether.
Rubber plant: 2nd, Mrs. H. L. Anstad.
Roses: 2nd, Mrs. A. Olson.
Poppies: 1st, Mrs. Scott Laird; 2nd, Mrs. Holmgren.
Nasturtiums: 1st, Mrs. Wm. Herron; 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Dahlias, (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. O. T. One.
Marigold: 1st, Mrs. Scott Laird; 2nd, Mrs. Scott Laird.
Wild flowers: 1st, Mrs. Scott Laird; 2nd, Mrs. Ed. Battenfield.
Gladiolia: 1st, Mrs. F. F. Haynes; 2nd, Mrs. Otto Bessler.
Snapdragons: 1st, Mrs. Otto Bessler; 2nd, Mrs. F. Paulson.
Sweet peas: 1st, Mrs. F. F. Haynes; 2nd, Mrs. Ole Offerdahl.
Sweet peas, collection, (no comp): 1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson.
Asters: 1st, Mrs. F. C. Nicial; 2nd, H. C. Durrin.
Zinnias: 1st, Mrs. F. F. Haynes; 2nd, Mrs. Wm. Furstnau.
Daisies: 1st, Mrs. Wm. Furstnau; 2nd, Nellie Fanneloe.

ART.
Conventional china painting: 1st, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence; 2nd, Mrs. Reynolds.
Lustre, china painting, (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. Reynolds.
Desk set, (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. Reynolds.
Lemonade set: 2nd, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence.
Oil painting, vegetable: 2nd, Mrs. F. F. Haynes.
Oil painting, fruit: 2nd, Mrs. F. F. Haynes.
Oil painting, still life: 2nd, Mrs. F. F. Haynes.
Oil painting, figure: 2nd, Mrs. F. F. Haynes.
Crayon, marine: 2nd, Mrs. A. S. Gryting.
Crayon, figure: 2nd, Mrs. A. S. Gryting.
Crayon, flower: 2nd, Mrs. A. S. Gryting.
Water Colors, figure: 2nd, Mrs. Strup.
Collection, Crayon: 2nd, Mrs. A. S. Gryting.
Raffia basket: 1st, Mrs. L. Erickson.
Raffia, 2nd, Miss L. Erickson.
Reed basket: 1st, No. 6 Sanitorium; 2nd, No. 37 Sanatorium.
Set cups and saucers: 1st, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence; 2nd, Mrs. B. E. Dalquist.
Bon-Bon dish, (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. Ida Reynolds.
China plate, (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. Ida Reynolds.
Sugar and Creamer: 1st, Mrs. Ida Reynolds; 2nd, Mrs. B. E. Dalquist.
Flower place: 1st, Mrs. B. E. Dalquist; 2nd, Mrs. Ida Reyonlds.
Semi-conventional, (no comp): 2nd, Mrs. Ida Reynolds.
Reed basket, open: 1st, No. 41 Sanatorium.
Reed basket, open: 2nd, No. 5 Sanatorium.
China, salt and pepper: 1st, Mrs. Ida Reynolds; 2nd, Mrs. B. E. Dalquist.
China, set of plates, 1st, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence; 2nd, Mrs. Dalquist.

HONEY.
Comb honey: 1st, Mrs. [illegible] Berg; 2nd, Helen Berg.
Strained honey: 2nd, Mrs. A. J. Berg.

Dairy Products.
Dairy butter: 1st, Mrs. [illegible] Mondegbroten; 2nd, Mrs. Jas. Patten.
Homemade cheese: 1st, Miss Nancy Price; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Beerbauer.
Homemade butter prints: 2nd, Mrs. Woolson.
Cottage cheese: 1st, Fred Holzknecht; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Beerbaueg.

THRIFT WORK.
Best collection: 1st, Mrs. Emil Zeh.
Best dressed boy: 1st, Mrs. G. W. Booren.
Child's school dress: 1st, Mrs. Julian Provencher.
Best dressed baby: 1st, Mrs. Julian Provencher.

CROCHET AND KNITTING
Crochet bed spread: 1st, Mrs. Christ Gutterud; 2nd, Mrs. Knut Knutseth.
Luncheon set: 1st, Mrs. G. Bakken; 2nd, Mrs. C. M. Evju.
Curtains: 2nd, Mrs. F. G. Dals.
Napkins: 2nd, Myrtle Satre.
Pillow cases: 1st, Mrs. Severt Brandon; 2nd, Mrs. G. L. Netteland.
Apron: 2nd, Mrs. G. L. Netteland.
Lace, 1 yd. or more: 1st, Laura Lund.
Library scarf: 1st, Mrs. Ed Crown; 2nd, Anna Zahler.
Caps, cotton: 1st, Louise Netteland; 2nd, Blanche Lind.
Table mats: 1st, Mrs. C. Storholm; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Petticoats: 1st, Mable Olson; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Corset cover yoke: 1st, Mrs. H. H. Kinghorn; 2nd, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.
Nightgowns: 1st, Thea Gutterud; 2nd, Mrs. Nellie Hardisty.
Centerpiece: 1st, Anna Shaw; 2nd, Mrs. C. Gulrud.
Corset cover, 1st, Mrs. F. G. Dals; 2nd, Emma Netteland.
Towel: 1st, Mrs. Nellie Hardisty; 2nd, Mrs. E. Dahl.
Dresser scarf: 1st, Mrs. O. J. Dosey; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Protz.
Collar and cuff set: 1st, Mrs. Frank Sterns.
Nightgown yoke: 1st, K. Lund; 2nd, Gertie Williams.
Cap, (yarn) crochet: 2nd, Myrtle Satre.
Portieries: 2nd, Mrs. John Baker.
Buffet set: 2nd, Mrs. F. G. Dals.
Apron: 2nd, Mrs. John Baker.
Lunch cloth: 1st, Myrtle Satre; 2nd, Mrs. H. Holzknecht.
Dolly: 1st, Esther Motz; 2nd, Annie Williams.
Library scarf ends, 1st, Mrs. B. R. Lufkin; 2nd, Mrs. L. Crown.
Tied stand cover: 2nd, Mrs. Hoken Johnson.
Door panel: 2nd, Gertie Williams.
Baby jacket: 2nd, Mrs. Herbert Holzknecht.
Combing jacket: 2nd, Miss Beltz.
Baby pillow: 2nd, Mrs. Hans Olson.
Filet collar: 2nd, Mrs. Anna Shaw.
Novelty crochet: 2nd, Mrs. Anna Shaw.
Bedroom set: 2nd, Mrs. H. F. Erickson.
Child's knitted sweater: 1st, Mrs. L. M. Rayson.
Collection of laces: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Shawl: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Scarf: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol.
Knitted lace on pillow case: 1st, Mrs. Frank Sterns; 2nd, Mrs. R. J. Lamphier.
Knitted lace: 1st, Mrs. R. J. Lamphier; 2nd, Mrs. Severt Brandon.
Men's fancy sweater: 2nd, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.
Ladies' sweater: 2nd, Myrtle Satre.
Homemade rug: 2nd, Mrs. C. Frissell.
Homespun yarn: 2nd, Mrs. Helge Klemmetson.
Socks: 1st, Mrs. Helge Klemmetson; 2nd, Mrs. C. Frissell.
Stockings: 1st, Leo Aunstad; 2nd, Mrs. C. Frissell.
Mittens: 1st, Mrs. Ed Aubol; 2nd, Ruth Satre.
Piano scarf: 2nd, Blanche Lind.

EDUCATIONAL DEPT. R. SCHOOLS.
Book holder: 1st, Brezney.
Boat: 1st, Caleb Lockren.
Bird House: 1st, Evelyn Anderson; 2nd, Harry Conn.
Geog. booklet: 1st, Gladys Smidesang; 2nd, Pearl Anderson.
Hand bag: 1st, No. 12 Dist. No. 59, Betsy Field.
School apron: 1st, Olga Forthun, 2nd, Rose Kozojed.
Nightgown: 1st, Leona Bakke; 2nd, Edith Yonke.
Rag rug: 1st, Alice Bjorke; 2nd, Robert Bailey.
Doll set, scarf and cap: 1st, Alice Bjorke; 2nd, Robert Bailey.
Yoke: 1st, No. 10 Dist. No. 59, Tillie Kotrba.
Petticoat: 1st, No. 13 District No. 59, Evelyn Anderson; 2nd, No. 13, Dist. No. 59, Betsey Field.
Scarf: 2nd, No. 14, Dist. No. 59, Esther Conn.
Cap, 1st, Pauline Engell.
Doll dress: 1st, Hilda Nelson.
Reed basket: 1st, Annie Anderson; 2nd Alexander Larson.
Raffia basket: 1st, Entry No. 1883; 2nd, Emma Haudahl.
Physical map: 1st, Abel Svobodny; 2nd, Olga Forthun.
Minnesota map: 2nd, Angie Svobodny.
Skies, car: 1st, Victor Johnson; 2nd, Victor Johnson.
Steam boat, table: 1st, Caleb Lockren; 2nd, Caleb Lockren.
Library report: 1st, Esther E. Anderson; 2nd, Minnie Mosbeck.
Illustrated booklet of poems: 1st, Katie Anton; 2nd, Alice Anderson.
Booklet, silos. 1st, Clarence Burgstrum.
Certificates of perfect attendance: 1st, Vivian Olson.
Certificates: 2nd, Oscar Odegaard.
Certificates: 2nd, Alvin Dammann.
Certificates: 2nd, Gertrude Grundhaus.
Certificates: 2nd, Leona Bakke.
Relief map: 1st, Hattie Kaushagen; 2nd, Gladys Johnson.
Production map: 1st, Adelia Johnsrud; 2nd, Alice Farnow.
Political map: 2nd, Pearl Anderson.
Paper cutting, story: 1st, Earnest Krause; 2nd, Hans Anton.
Booklet, Minnesota birds: 1st, Alice Anderson; 2nd, Alvina Mathees.
Crayola drawing. 1st, 6th grade, Dist. No. 133: 2nd, Gladys Christianson.
Crayola drawing: 1st, Alice Hisner; 2nd, Bertha Odegaard.
Water colors: 1st, and 2nd, 8th grade Dist. No. 133.
Pastel painting: 1st, Mable Johnson.
History booklet: 1st, Viola Johnson; 2nd, Mable Johnson.
Map of farm: 1st, Helen Satre.
Plan of school: 1st, Helen Satre.
Booklet: 1st, Walter Lillebo; 2nd, Thelma Anderson.
Map, Pennington County: 1st, Gladys Smedesang; 2nd, Pearl Anderson.
Aeroplane: 1st, Victor Erickson; 2nd, Earnest Erickson.
Match scratchers: 1st, No. 8, Dist. No. 59, Helmer Anderson; 2nd, Cabel Lockren.
Match holder: 1st, Adolph Engelbrat; 2nd, Victor Johnson.

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT.
City School Cooking.
Bread rolls, white: 2nd, Hazel Aarnes.
White bread: 1st, Hazel Aarnes; 2nd, Myrtle Helgeland.
Sponge cake: 1st, Eleanor Werstlein; 2nd, Edith Patten.
Devils food: 1st, Gladys Rennmen; 2nd Goldie Rennmen.
Cookies: 1st, Mildred Peterson; 2nd, Viola Buringrud.
Cup cakes, frosted: 2nd, Edith Patten.
Doughnuts: 1st, Mildred Peterson; 2nd Edith Patten.
Rosettes: 2nd, Mildred Peterson.
Ginger bread: 1st, Aerial Kinghorn.
Coffee bread, 1st, Hazel Annes.
Pickles, watermelon: 2nd, Ruth Helland.
Pickles, beet: 1st, Edith Patten; 2nd, Freda Bundhund.
Pickles, bean: 1st, Evelyn Lund; 2nd, Ruth Helland.
Pickles, onions: 1st, Freda Bundhund; 2nd, LaVerene Tyson.
Pickles, pears: 2nd, Cooking Dept. High School.
Relish: 1st, Freda Bundhund; 2nd, Freda Bundhund.
Jellies, currant: 1st, Hazel Aarnes; 2nd, Eleanor Werstlein.
Jellies, blueberry: 2nd, Eleanor Werstlein.
Jellies, pinchberry: 1st, Clarice Aarnes; 2nd, Hazel Aarnes.
Rhubarb conserve, 2nd, Eleanor Werstlein.
Strawberry conserve: 2nd, Eleanor Werstlein.
Crabapple jelly: 2nd, Cooking Dept. High School.
Strawberry preserve: 2nd, Edith Patten.
Raspberries: 1st, Marie Cablow; 2nd, Evelyn Lund.
Strawberries: 1st, Florence Haney; 2nd, Louella Urdahl.
Blueberries: 1st, Esther Larson; 2nd, Freda Bundhund.
Juneberries: 2nd, Freda Bundhund.
Canned peas: 1st, Louella Urdahl; 2nd, Eleanor Werstlein.
Canned beans: 1st, Louella Urdahl; 2nd, Eleanor Werstlein.
Canned beats, 1st, Evelyn Lund; 2nd, Louella Urdahl.
Canned carrots: 1st, Louella Urdahl; 2nd, Freda Bundhund.
Green tomato mince meat: 2nd, Esther Larson.
Pieplant: 1st, Freda Bundhund; 2nd, Esther Larson.

City School Sewing.
Tatted yoke: 1st, Clara Oski; 2nd, Ruth Satre.
Crocheted yoke: 1st, Myrtle Helgeland; 2nd, Elsie Buringrud.
Nightgown: 2nd, Gladys Holden.
House apron: 1st, Alice Gobler; 2nd, Ruth Sernson.
Apron: 1st, Mable Sterns; 2nd, Ruth Satre.
Button holes: 2nd, Alice Gobler.
Smock, 1st, Clara Oski; 2nd Johanna Wedul.
Waist: 2nd, Bertha Ausebv.
Library scarf: 1st, Evelyn Lund; 2nd, Olga Johnson.
Buffet scarf: 1st, Olga Johnson; 2nd, Evelyn Lund.
Towels: 1st, Evelyn Lund; 2nd Viola Baker.
Bath wiper: 2nd, Viola Baker.
Dolly: 1st, Ruth Helland; 2nd, Marie Olson.
Crochet lace: 1st, Marie Olson; 2nd, Ruth Helland.
Pillow cases: 1st, Dorothy Shirley; 2nd, Myrtle Helgeland.
Bath towels: 1st and 2nd, Myrtle Helgeland.
Corset holder, 2nd, Myrtle Helgeland.
Pillow tops: 2nd, Myrtle Helgeland.
Apron: 2nd, Elsie Blair.
Belt Slits: 1st, Clara Berg; 2nd, Thea Gutterud.
Collar: 2nd, Mabel Sterns.
Sweater: 2nd, Goldie Rennmen.
Tatted lace: 2nd, Ruth Helland.
Cooking apron: 1st, Ethel Bickley.
Wash dress, 2nd, Hazel Sebnte.
Collection, baskets: 1st, Edna Haug; 2nd, Margaret Patten.

Water Coloring.
Dog: 1st, Irene Strupp.
Winter scene, 2nd, Bernice Strupp.
Peaches: 3rd, Dorothy Shirley.

Paper Cutting.
Days of the Week: 1st, Wm. Froehlich.
Teddy bear: 2nd, Mainard Auve.

Free Hand Drawing.
Drawing: 2nd, Isabel Richter.

Modeling.
Pitcher, 1st, Clifford Froehlich.
Candle holder: 2nd, Clifford Froehlich.

Language Booklets.
Dairy: 1st, Joseph Poppenhagen; 2nd, Eugene Besancon.
Poultry: 1st, Hattie Bundhund; 2nd, Blanche Besancon.
Corn: 1st, Josie Hagen; 2nd, Freda Bundhund.
Potatoes: 1st, Ida Nelson; 2nd, Lillian Stephenson.

History Booklets.
Roosevelt: 1st, Goodridge School; 2nd, Goodridge School.

History 7th.
Life of Lincoln: 1st, Goodridge School; 2nd, Goodridge School.

Language 5th and 6th Grades.
Outline and stories: 1st, Freda Bundhund; 2nd, Lillian Stephenson.

Drawing.
Townsite: 1st, Josie Hagen; 2nd, Joseph Poppenhagen.
Minnesota: 1st, Lillian Stephenson; 2nd, Joseph Poppenhagen.
South America: 1st, Selma Hanson; 2nd, Floyd Palmer.
Europe: 2nd, Alice Gobler.

Spelling Booklets.
Spelling booklets: 2nd, Miss Vaughn's grade.
Good Things to Eat, special mention: 3rd grade.
Test papers, special mention: 3rd and 4th grades.
Drawings, special mention, 1st and 2nd grades.

Crayola.
Drawing Crayola: 2nd, Edna Haug.

Mechanical Drawing.
Mechanical drawing: 1st, Rose Grzehowski; 2nd, Fred Paulson.

Kindergarten Exhibit.
Doll house furniture: 1st, Kindergarten, (care of Mrs. Froehlich.)
Farm house: 2nd, Kindergarten.
Paper cutting: 1st, and 2nd, Kindergarten.

First Grade Exhibit.
Paper cutting: 2nd, Mrs. Froehlich's room.

Second Grade Exhibit.
Paper cutting, booklet: 1st, Edna Larson's room.

Product Map.
Product map: 1st, Ethel Bickley; 2nd, Georgia Frissell.

Garden.
Best animal husbandry project — 1st, Clarence Smith; 2nd, Raymond Muzzy.
Collection of vegetables. 1st, Eunice Thorsen; 2nd, Ethel Bickley; 3rd, Keith Craik.
Red tomatoes, (no comp); 1st, Violet Anderson.
Beets: 1st, Freda Bundhund; 2nd, Harold Olson. Special mention, Luella Urdahl.
Carrots: 1st, Freda Bundhund; 2nd, Keith Craik.
Sweet corn: 1st, Mildred Jacobson.
Head lettuce: 1st, Freda Bundhund.
Turnips: 1st, Delford Stevens; 2nd, Keith Craik.
Beans: 1st, Mabel Sterns; 2nd, Luella Urdahl.
Rhubarb: 1st, Margaret Patten; 2nd, Mary DeVeling.
Peas: 2nd, Luella Peterson.
Potatoes, 1st, Freda Bundhund.

Flowers.
Sweet peas: 1st, Agnes Rupprecht; 2nd, Elsie Blair.
Nasturtiums: 1st Mary Dablow; 2nd, Hilda Olson.
Zenias: 2nd, Hilda Olson.
Marigold: 1st, Mary Dablow.
Collection of flowers: 1st, Hilda Olson; 2nd, Mary DeVeling.
Poppies: 2nd, Edna Hovle.
Pansies 2nd, Edna Hovle.
Tiger lilies: 2nd, Edna Hovle.
Petunia: 2nd, Alice Larson.
Rose Geranium: 2nd, Ruth Helland.
Collection of potted plants. 1st, Ruth Helland.
Bachelor Buttons: 2nd, Mary Dablow.

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Mr. McKinley's letter brings cheer to all who may be sufferers as he was. Read it:

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LINDBERGH TO TRY FOR CONGRESS JOB

Will Run as Independent Candidate in Sixth District, it is Announced.

Chas. A. Lindbergh, candidate of the Nonpartisans for governor two years ago, has been selected to make the race for congress in the Sixth district as an independent, it was announced last week, following the adjournment of a district convention of the farmer-labor groups at Brainerd.

His endorsement and announcement of acceptance means that the Nonpartisan and labor elements of Minnesota will have a candidate for congress in each of the ten districts of the state except the Second. No candidate has yet been endorsed in the Fifth, but it is expected that Lynn Thompson, nominee on the Farmer-Labor party ticket, will receive the endorsement of the Hennepin county branch of the Working Peoples Nonpartisan Political league, carrying with it the support of organized labor.

—Trade at Home—

SHORT DIRT TRACK AUTO RACES THRILL

Fair Events More Fascinating Than Long Distances—Disbrow Holds Record.

Although automobile speedway racing has not proved successful in this country, except in the case of the Indianapolis and Los Angeles speedways, dirt track racing continues to fascinate the public. The shorter races over mile and half-mile tracks seem to be far more interesting to the public than a long, tiresome grind of [illegible] or 500 miles. For this reason, two days of auto races are scheduled for the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 11.

It is now nearly two decades since automobile racing became a fair attraction, but new records have been hung up year after year, and interest has not waned.

While many persons attend automobile races out of morbid curiosity, hoping to be present when something "happens," a great majority of the visitors are auto racing fans, many of whom have never missed a local program.

Louis Disbrow is the holder of the one-mile circular dirt track record. He drove it in :46:20 in his Simplex Zip at St. Louis, August 8, 1914. Disbrow holds the two, four, five and ten-mile records, too. He drove two miles in [illegible] the same day he established his mile mark. The other three records were made at Cleveland, Sept. 14, 1912. The time for four miles was [illegible]; five miles, 4:06:58; and 10 miles, 8:17:02.

Sig. Haugdahl and his Fiat speeder hold the three-mile record, made on the Hamline track, Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4, 1918. The time was [illegible].

—Trade at Home—

Large Saving to Farmers Effected By Co-Operatives

Cooperative farmers' associations in the Northern and Western states, whose organization was promoted by county agents, last year effected a saving to the members of $5,434,000, according to reports made to the States Relations Service, United States Department of Agriculture. The governing principle in all activities on the part of county agents sharing in cooperative movements has been not to act as the direct business agent of the farmers or an organized group, but to assist farmers in determining what form of local organization is desirable and to secure expert assistance, when available, in organization methods. The county agent also helps guard the community against overorganization and wherever practicable advocates the use of existing agencies. The cooperative associations which the county agents have helped form have had to do both with production and distribution and handle cooperative grain elevators, creameries, and live-stock selling associations.

—Trade at Home—

DIVISION OF POLK COUNTY PROPOSED

McIntosh and Fosston Each Have Designs to Secure County Seat Honors.

Another effort to divide Polk county is to be expected, according to reports from the eastern end of the county. McIntosh and Fosston have both long had aspirations to become county seats and were it not for the fact that neither is willing that the other should be it, a division might have been probable some time ago.

Both places are again preparing to try to get a division effected at the coming session of the legislature and both view themselves as the only logical location for the county seat. The fact that both are equally good towns, well situated toward the center of the proposed new division, will still serve to make a decision either way unacceptable to the other.

Crookston does not propose to lie down and let the county be divided without entering a vigorous protest. Crookston is the *metropolis* of the county, has excellent railroad facilities and is easily accessible from all parts of the county as at present constituted.

Polk county is very large, however, when compared to surrounding counties, and many feel that a division would be advisable and desirable. A county seat fight is always an interesting scrap and the proposal to dissect Polk will not likely prove an exception to the rule.

—Trade at Home—

DROP DURING JULY IN COST OF LIVING

Labor Department Report Reveals Decline in Prices in United States.

Wholesale prices of commodities declined approximately 2½ per cent during July in the United States, according to a report by the Department of Labor.

The decrease in cloths and clothing materials was the most notable shown in the department's list of index numbers, amounting to 5½ per cent, while foodstuffs declined 4 per cent and farm products generally 2.9 per cent.

At this point, the department reported, prices were still above levels of July, 1919, food articles having increased during the year 24.1 per cent. Fuel and lighting materials were products which showed no decrease during July, 1920, according to the department's statistics, but on the contrary increased by 2½ per cent, making their current level the more disproportionate to other commodities.

—Trade at Home—

FIRE DESTROYS TWO AUTOS AND GRANARY

Blaze on Bourdon Farm Near Red Lake Falls Does Considerable Damage.

Fire was discovered about 3:30 Tuesday afternoon in the granary and garage on the R. H. Bourdon farm, probably better known as the A. L. Flage farm, four miles east of the city Tuesday afternoon, says the Red Lake Falls Gazette. The cause of the fire is unknown as no one had been near the building during the day and when discovered had made such headway that it was impossible to enter the building.

Two Chevrolet cars, the property of George and Will Marcotte, tenants of the farm, were in the building and were completely destroyed. It was only thru the untiring efforts of the neighbors, who had organized a bucket brigade that the flames were kept from spreading and destroying the barn.

The heaviest losers in the blaze were the Marcotte brothers who lost their cars, they being uninsured.

—Trade at Home—

Society

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson had as their guests at dinner Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard and family. Covers were laid for fourteen.

Entertains Informally.

Honoring Mrs. E. S. Ashley of Bemidji, who is a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., Mrs. W. H. Frederick informally entertained a few ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. H. O. Loken, 315 W. 2nd street, on Friday afternoon, Aug. 27. Lunch will be served at 4 o'clock.

Kramm-Holmes.

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Gertrude Holmes to G. W. Kramm at Hamilton, Mont., have been received by friends of the bride in this city. Miss Holmes was a teacher in the Northrup school here two years ago and has many friends who will extend congratulations and best wishes.

Mrs. Cook Entertains.

Mrs. R. G. Cook pleasantly entertained a number of her lady friends at her home Tuesday afternoon. Needlework formed the chief diversion. At five o'clock a delicious lunch was served. A large bowl of sweet peas added to the attractiveness of the table. The guests were: Mesdames Alberg, Cronkhite, Gobler, Nason, Rayson, Biddick, Wikel, Rolland, Alexander and Severson.

Towel Shower.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher is entertaining at a towel shower at her home this afternoon, in compliment to Miss Blanche Johnson. The hours will be spent in making holders for the bride-to-be. The guest list includes: Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mrs. Emil Zeh, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. F. C. Niclai, Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Mrs. Victoria McKinney, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. G. Halvorson and Mrs. Albert Johnson.

Linen Shower.

In compliment to Miss Blanche Johnson, whose marriage takes place next month, Misses Marie Nelson and Hazel Conklin entertained a number of her friends at the home of Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom on Saturday evening. The event was a linen shower. A delicious lunch concluded a most pleasant evening. The guest list included Mrs. V. C. Noper, Mrs. A. Johnson, Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom and Misses Irma Johnson, Grace Wilson, Meta Kiland, Una Nelson, Mary Prichard, Gena Granum, Blanche Johnson, Mirriam Bishop, Zella Zeh, Marrian and Ella Miller, Effie Hamry, Dora Holmes and Laura Stopple.

Dr. Milan Host.

Dr. M. G. Milan was a royal host on Friday evening when he entertained at a picnic supper on the banks of the Red Lake river just south of the city. After the sumptuous repast the party attended the American Legion dance given at the auditorium. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Bratrud, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher, W. A. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey and P. O. Myhrum.

Reception.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Duhl on Friday evening in honor of their daughter, Katie, whose marriage to Otto Parbst occurred recently. The rooms were prettily decorated in pink and white. Roses were used in profusion. A sumptuous supper was served to the guests at 8:00 o'clock. Those who had the pleasure of the event were: Mr. and Mrs. G. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lovein, of Middle River, Lars Backe, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fossum, Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Larson, Miss Huldah Fossum, Mrs. Parbst, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parbst, Mrs. Feragen, Selma Erickson, Mrs. Inga Berg, Miss Dora Holmes, Ole Snustad, Miss Florence Lian and Alfred Haugen.

—Trade at Home—

Churches

St. John's Lutheran, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services Sunday morning at 10 o'clock in the German language; Sunday school at 9 a. m. The Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement, Mrs. G. Lonson will serve lunch. At 3 p. m. on Sunday, the pastor will conduct English services in the Norwegian church at Holt.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson Pastor—Service at 11 a. m. Service at Bethlehem, 2:30 p. m. Service 8 p. m. Prayer meeting every Sunday evening from 7:30 to 8. Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained on Thursday, Aug. 26th, by Mrs. Grindeland and Mrs. Anderson. Young Peoples' meeting Thursday evening.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Rev. T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Services in Norwegian next Sunday, 11 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30. All teachers and pupils are requested to be on hand on the opening day of the season. Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, Sept. 2 in the church basement, entertained by Mrs. Carl Hillard, Mrs. J. T. Neseth, Mrs. A. P. Kolden, Mrs. Hans Olson. Young Peoples' society meets in the church basement on Thursday evening, Sept. 2.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Aug. 29: 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning worship. 8 p. m. evening worship. In the morning the pastor will speak upon the general theme: "Harvest Reflections." In the evening his subject will be: "The Prophet Who Discerned Less Than His Ass." These meetings are intended to be an expression of religious life. The people of the Presbyterian church are expected to be present and an invitation is extended to all not due elsewhere to share with us our Father's home and His blessed presence.

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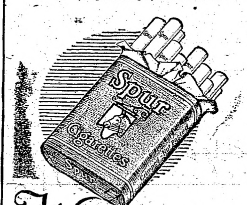

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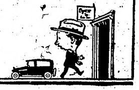

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We also have on hand 1 New 10x20 Titan Tractor, and 5 more on the road, which will be here in a day or two. Out of 4 12x25 Avery Tractors just received within the last week we have one left on hand that is not sold. We also have one 8-16 Avery Tractor on hand. The Titan and the Avery Tractors give satisfaction and continue to give satisfaction. On the above new tractors the old freight rates will apply. 35% increase in freight rates which takes effect the 26th of this month will mean some difference in the cost of a tractor, besides, some of the above tractors are to take an advance in factory price very soon. Act Now.

We also have two more 22x38" International Grain Separators on the road which will be here by Wednesday, which are the last two we shall be able to pick up for this year. If your threshing job is waiting and ready to be done, we can fit you out with the right kind of an outfit NOW. Ask the users.

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LEAGUE LEADERS TO APPEAL CONVICTION

A. C. Townley and Jos. Gilbert Take Jackson County Case to Supreme Court.

A. C. Townley and Joseph Gilbert, Nonpartisan league leaders, this week appealed to the state supreme court from their conviction in Jackson county on a disloyalty charge. The case may be heard in November. The men are under a sentence of 90 days in the Jackson county jail.

The appeal is from the order of Judge E. C. Dean of the Jackson county district court, denying the joint motion on behalf of Townley and Gilbert for a new trial. The motion is based upon contentions that the verdict is not justified by the evidence and is contrary to law and on 110 assignments of errors at the trial.

The appeal bond for $1,000 filed by Herman Mueller, clerk of the supreme court, has as sureties A. P. VanDam and Matt Gentry and is approved by Judge Dean.

—Trade at Home—

To Distill Turpentine.

Distillation of turpentine has begun at the new plant just being completed on the Douglas mill site, near Lake Irvine, by the Stellar company and within the next few days Bemidji will become the shipping point of a new product, or rather for several products, including creosote, pine oil, resin oil, boiled tar and charcoal. Work of construction on the plant was begun only a few months ago and is now nearly completed. The plant will be run continuously, night and day, seven days a week, provided a sufficient quantity of Norway pine stumps can be kept on hand. The process being used at this plant for the manufacture of turpentine and its byproducts is known as the restructive process.

—Trade at Home—

"WAS WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD"

This is What St. Paul Man Says Of Tanlac—Had Suffered Eleven Years.

"If everybody knew how much good Tanlac has done me there isn't any one who wouldn't think as I do—that it is worth its weight in gold and should be in every home," said Gust Kirchiff, 493 West Central avenue, St. Paul, Minn., an employee of the Foote-Schulz Shoe Company.

"When I started taking Tanlac I had been suffering from spells of nervous indigestion for the past eleven years. Whenever these spells came on me I would bloat up something awful for two or three days at a time and have intense sharp, shooting pains in the region of my heart. These attacks always left me in a very weakened condition and I was unable to work for several days following them. Many a night I would walk the floor in agony that was almost unbearable, and I could never get a good night's sleep; for when I wasn't lying awake with pain I would toss and roll from one side of the bed to the other on account of nervousness, and always got up feeling tired and worn out. I was also very constipated and frequently had severe nervous headaches, and was in a badly run-down condition generally.

"Since I began taking Tanlac, however, all my troubles are things of the past. It has built me up and strengthened me so that my work doesn't tire me any more. I never have a headache and my stomach is in splendid condition. I havn't had an attack of nervous indigestion since I started taking Tanlac, and my appetite is so good I can hardly get enough to eat. I have been telling everybody I could about Tanlac, but I know I can't speak to everybody personally, so I am glad of this opportunity to tell others what a grand medicine I think Tanlac is."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, and at Oklee by John H. Gassman.—adv.

—Trade at Home—

Will Build Parsonage.

Goodridge Banner: At a meeting of the Lutheran church people here Monday evening it was decided to build a parsonage this summer. The sum of $2000 has been subscribed already for that purpose, the Goodridge congregation and others giving $800, Erie $700, Bethania $350 and Torgerson $150. The building planned will be about 24x30 and is expected to cost in neighborhood of $3,000. The construction work will be carried along as far and as fast as funds available will permit. Those elected on the building committee were: T. Gilbertson, H. A. Halvorson and A. B. Mandt.

GOVERNMENT NEEDS MANY RATE CLERKS

Increase in Freight and Passenger Rates Makes Augmented Forces Necessary.

In a statement issued by the United States Civil Service commission it is said that the recently authorized general increase in freight and passenger rates, following the wage increase of railway employees, requires the Interstate Commerce commission to add scores of expert freight and passenger rate clerks to its present force.

The Civil Service commission states that to fill these positions, examinations will be held throughout the country on September 22 and October 20 for tariff-examiners under the Interstate Commerce commission. The usual entrance salary is $1,620 a year, besides which appointees whose services are satisfactory will be allowed the increase of $20 a month granted by congress. The higher administrative positions in connection with tariffs will be filled through promotion.

Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the Civil Service commission at Washington, or from the secretary of the U. S. Civil Service board at the post office or customhouse in any city.

—Trade at Home—

Wholesale Candy Concern Starts Out For Business

R. M. Carlson, manager of the Thief River Candy company's plant, has been busy during the past week unpacking the stock and arranging it in the Smith building on Main avenue. This concern will handle high grade candies of all kinds, having taken the exclusive agency for some of the most *famous brands in the country*. Edward Carlson, father, and Irving, a brother of the resident manager, are expected to arrive in a few days for the purpose of making Thief River Falls their home. The family has purchased the Herman Anderson property at 717 North Main and will at once proceed with the work of making it thoroughly modern.

The Carlsons are men of long experience in the candy business and selected Thief River Falls as their distributing point after carefully investigating the advantages claimed by many other places. They are business men of excellent standing and with the high quality of the goods they handle should make a success of the venture from the outset.

—Trade at Home—

Times Products Entitled to Display Union Label

The Times this week calls attention to the fact that the label of the International Typographical Union is carried at the head of its editorial column. The Times is the only publication in Pennington county which has fulfilled all requirements necessary in order to attach the union label to its publication and to all work produced in its job department. The typographical union is the strongest, sanest and best managed labor organization in the United States today and this paper considers it a privilege to be entitled to the use of its label.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following entries were made at the Physicians hospital since Aug. 19:

Ronald Walker, Minneapolis; C. Froseth, city; Kenneth Stucy, Highlanding; Einer Peterson, Minneapolis; Lida Anderson, city; Soren Sorenson, city; Mrs. Ed. Aga, city; Mr. Ferdinandson, Goodridge; Mrs. Nick Schultz, St. Hilaire; Lucy Phelps, city; Margaret Simms, city; Charlotte Evanstad, city; Wm. Keene, city; Sovre Lian, Erie; Bertha and Evelyn Gullingsrud, city; Roy Ohm, city; Robt. Gray, city; Antonette Vaudin, city; Ole Hoglund, city; Rena Grinde, Germantown; Chas. Dohrman, Holt; Allen Solem, city.

—Trade at Home—

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minn., postoffice for the week ending August 21, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago, Ill.:

Brown, Dr. H. C.
Chumley, Mr. B. B.
Hetheringon, Spud
Jensen, Mr. A. S. (2)
Olson, Miss Sophie
Opperud, Mr. O. A.
Runstrum, Miss Sophia
Wagner, Miss Mary
Weinzieil, Albert
Wells, Mrs. Wm.

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

—Trade at Home—

Learns His Faults.

A man never realizes how many faults he has until he gets married—then his wife tells him.

Big Time is in Store For Lads and Lassies at Fair

On the afternoon of September 3 a special car will leave Crookston over the N. P. taking to the state fair the seventy to eighty boys and girls of Northwestern Minnesota who have earned free trips because of achievements in club work. The girls in the group will be in the girls' camp located on the University Farm campus. The boys will have their camp on the state fair grounds. Each day of the fair somebody will demonstrate some phase of boys' and girls' club work such as bread baking, canning, garment making and poultry raising. They will have an opportunity to see the state fair exhibits under competent guidance. Special sight seeing trips in and around the Twin Cities have been provided for them.

OPENING

Thief River School of Music will be open for registration during the first week of Sept. with departments for Piano, Violin, Viola, Harmony and Voice.

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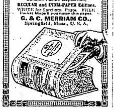

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The public is cordially invited to attend the formal opening of our new ice cream manufacturing plant on

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The factory has a capacity of 1000 gallons of ice cream per day.

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Panama and the Canal.

Passengers aboard ships navigating the Panama Canal cannot fail to be impressed with the magnificence of the giant undertaking. Through deep gorges into beautiful lakes, the trip is an ever changing panorama. Americans can feel justly proud of this great engineering feat, for while foreigners wrote books, submitted plans and talked about the possibilities of building the canal, it took Yankee grit and determination to put the plans in operation and successfully carry them out.

Many obstacles had to be overcome, perhaps the greatest being efficient sanitation. Streams were traced to their source and made sanitary. American sanitation methods have practically eradicated yellow fever and malaria. Today the Canal Zone is a clean and healthy place to live, the streets are clean and the sewerage system is excellent.

A few days ago the midshipmen from the Naval Academy passed thru the Canal on their return voyage from Honolulu and the West Coast. The photograph above, taken from an aeroplane shows one of the United States battleships approaching Culebra Cut, which often blocked the Canal by sliding into it. However, by continually dredging and digging it away this last obstacle has been finally overcome.

The Canal is a strip of territory about ten miles wide and fifty miles long, located in the center of the Republic of Panama. The general direction of the Canal is nor'northwest and so'southwest, the Panama entrance being 23 miles to the eastward of the Atlantic.

Dead Town Stays Dead

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There is nothing deader than a dead town. Try as hard as it may to conceal the facts, the truth is written all over it so that he who runs may read. No camouflage of bluff and bluster can conceal the true situation from anyone who comes within the limits of the community. A dead town is dead and that's all there is to it.

The worst of it is that once a town dies it stays dead. There have been exceptional cases in which dead towns have been revived, have taken on new life and prospered, but these are merely the exceptions that prove the rule.

The fact that a town can seldom "come back" is easily explained. The growing and prosperous town today is the one that can attract new residents and new capital. It is one that can offer attractive inducements for the location of new industries. The dead town offers no attraction to outside capital. A man looking for a place to launch a new business or a new location for an old industry, is not going to pick out a dead town. He is going to select a town in which money is plentiful, a town whose business men are progressive and whose residents, as a whole, are prosperous and contented. There are too many live and thriving towns in the world for a man to risk his future in one that is dead. This is the reason that a town, once dead, almost always remains dead.

Town Like Corporation.

There is just one thing, ordinarily, that kills a town in the first place and that is a lack of money. A town is just like a *corporation and the money* possessed by its inhabitants is its capital. If this capital is depleted the town will fail just as the corporation whose capital is depleted through poor management or other causes, fails. And just as the corporation which has once failed can seldom retrieve its lost fortune, the town which has failed cannot often "come back."

The capital of a community is depleted when its money is spent away from home in a way that brings no return benefit to the community. It takes no great amount of thought to be able to realize that the town, like the individual, cannot last long if it is paying out more money than it takes in. That does not mean that a prosperous town is one in which the people do not spend any money. On the contrary, a prosperous town is one in which the people do spend money but it is one in which they spend the money at home. As long as the money is spent at home, the town gains by having it kept in circulation, but when it is spent away from home, either by being sent to the mail order houses or by shopping trips to other cities, the town's capital is impaired to that extent and if enough money is spent away from home in that way, the town collapses and virtually goes into bankruptcy, just as does the corporation which dissipates its capital.

The people of a community are apt to overlook the fact that they are stockholders in their town and that their fortunes are bound up with those of the community as a whole. They do not realize that if their town fails they will fail with it. They—or many of them at least—send their money away to the mail order houses in the great cities, without realizing that they are impairing the capital of their own corporation and that if enough of them pursue that course they will force their corporation into certain bankruptcy.

Merchants Not Only Ones Hurt.

Many customers of mail order houses say that they are under no obligation to trade with their home merchants and this may be true. They overlook the fact that the business men of a town do much for their community and are entitled, in return for what they do, to the support of the people in the community, but leaving this out of consideration, they overlook the fact that they are bringing about their own downfall when they drain their town of its money—its capital.

The home merchant will not be the only one that will be hurt when the town "goes broke." The merchant can reduce his stock and cut down his expenses and get along some way or he can sell out and move to some other town which has not been so blind to its own welfare. It is the great body of the people of the community including all those who have sent their money away to other cities instead of spending it at home, that suffers most when the hard times come.

The time for all the people to pull together for a live town is while the town is still live and not after it is dead, for when a town dies it is a long time dead—if not forever.

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Harvest is nearly over and threshing is now next on the program. Some threshing is already done.

Otto Parnow, Magnus Anderson and Nels Lien motored to Neptune on Thursday evening on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Tommerdahl entertained a number of their neighbors on Saturday evening.

A number of ladies surprised Mrs. Ole Olson on Tuesday afternoon, the affair being a stork shower.

Otto Parnow motored to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to meet the Paul Parnow family of Duluth who will visit at Parnow's for a couple of weeks.

Miss Guro Grarie of Minneapolis is visiting with her father and brother. She expects to remain until the first of September when she leaves to resume her studies at a Minneapolis high school.

Edith Shosten helped out as saleslady at the Singer store on Saturday.

Religious services will be conducted by Rev. Hoyum of Esplee in the Dahlen schoolhouse on Sunday the 29th. All are invited to attend.

H. C. Iverson, who is at present employed in Sanders twp., accompanied by his employer, Mr. Sevre and son Oscar and Leo Stick, motored out to H. C. Iverson's homestead last Sunday and also called at the Clovernook farm, where they found no one at home, but being used to doing their own cooking they prepared dinner and washed the dishes. Call again boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Stolaas of Deer Park were Sunday guests at Mrs. M. Iverson's.

The Hans Solberg and H. A. Dahlen families and J. V. Hoffman were visitors on Sunday at Elling Ramsey's.

Tellef Loyland left last Friday for Thompson, N. D., where he will run his father's threshing rig this fall.

Ted Rustad was a business caller in S. E. Star on Saturday evening.

The M. Anderson family were callers at Loyland's on Sunday.

A fine specimen of deer was seen in Eastern Star Twp. a few days ago.

Steffen Halvorson is assisting at the Skauren farm with the harvest.

Mrs. Ole Nerhus called on Mrs. M. Iverson on Sunday.

The year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. Danielson is quite ill with summer complaint.

Some more Fordson tractor owners in Star twp. are M. J. Anderson, Carl Elg and Anderson Bros.

The Tharaldson's visited at Hovet's on Sunday afternoon.

Alois Srnsky and Karl Prucha have invested in real estate in western Saskatchewan and intend to move out there in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Syversrud and daughter, Thelma and Mrs. T. Swenson of Highlanding, Mr. and Mrs. H. Myrum and baby of Rhoda and the James Ramsey and Trontvet families were Sunday guests at Komplien's.

The Women's Non-partisan club met with Mrs. S. Prestegaard on Sunday afternoon.

Board of Health Notice.

The people of the city of Thief River Falls are hereby notified that water taken from the city supply is unsatisfactory, because river water is not suitable for drinking purposes unless filtered and treated. The city water must be boiled before it is safe to use for drinking.

DR. J. BIEDERMANN,
Health Officer.
a12-19-26

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Is Your Blood Starving For Want of Iron?

Without Plenty of Iron In Your Blood You Don't Get the Strength and Nourishment Out of the Food You Eat

When over-work, lack of sleep, improper food and impure air sap the iron from your blood and make you feel weak, nervous, irritable and out-of-sorts, it is important that you should at once put more iron into your blood. Without iron the blood loses the power to change food into living tissue and therefore nothing that you eat does you the proper amount of good because you don't get the full strength out of it. Your food merely passes through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. Because of this steady starvation of the blood and nerves people often become weakened, tired-out, nervous and rundown and frequently develop all sorts of symptoms. But the moment organic iron—Nuxated Iron—is supplied a multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear in most cases, the flesh becomes firmer, the muscles get back their strength and the roses of health bloom in cheeks that were pale and sickly looking.

No matter what other so-called remedies you may have tried, if you are not strong, vigorous, hearty and well, you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next, take two five-grain tablets of ordinary Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. You can obtain Nuxated Iron from your druggist on the distinct understanding that if you are not fully satisfied your money will be refunded.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!

TWO 200,000-pound locomotives will crash in a head-on collision at 60 miles an hour at the Minnesota State Fair, Saturday, Sept. 4.

You may have seen a tidal wave or felt an earthquake, but never in all your life again will you see a genuine railroad collision from the comfort and safety of a grandstand seat. This great $40,000 attraction will be given once only because of its prodigious expense.

The week's entertainment program is a wonderful one. The greatest galaxy of performers ever booked in vaudeville will feature the program. Headline acts from the New York Hippodrome and Winter Garden, and from the Ringling brothers, Barnum and Bailey circuses, make up the bill, the like of which has never been shown on any theater stage in any part of the world.

See Al Wilson change from plane to plane without a ladder.

See the world's greatest auto speed demons defy death on the dirt track.

See Single G and other famous horses compete for purses totalling $22,500.

See the greatest fireworks spectacle in history, "Siege of the Dardanelles."

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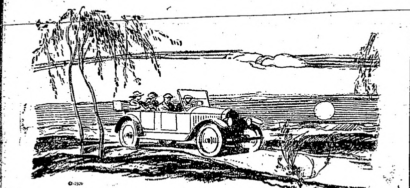

Now the whole family can go out on a Summer evening

THE women should certainly be thankful for the automobile. It has given them a chance to see a lot more of their husbands.

II

But it has done a great deal more than that.

It has brought people closer together, given them new interests, swept away old prejudices.

What affects one man now generally affects a good many of his neighbors in the same way. And they have a better chance to get together and talk things over.

III

It's had its effect on the tire business.

When automobiles were new people were willing to buy any kind of a tire. Now they're beginning to insist on *knowing what they are getting.*

And the more they insist, the better it will be for us.

IV

We *want* our customers to know what they are getting.

That's why we represent U. S. Tires—so there will be *no doubt* about it.

Whatever the size of your car, you know that the U. S. Tire you put on it is the *best kind of tire* its makers know how to make.

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Confiscated Firearms to Be Sold at Auction Soon

Harry J. LaDue, assistant state game and fish commissioner, has announced that an auction sale of all accumulated confiscated shotguns, rifles, revolvers, shell cases, belts, pack sacks, spears, fishing tackle, traps and other confiscated paraphernalia in the hands of the Minnesota State Game and Fish department will be held near the steps at the east end of the State Capitol, St. Paul, commencing at 10 a. m., on August 20th, 1920.

All contraband will be sold to the highest bidder without reserve. There are about 140 guns to be sold at this sale. This will be an excellent opportunity to get a gun at the buyer's own price.

—Trade at Home—

ROSEWOOD

One of the largest young peoples societies this season was held at the Congregational church in town last Tuesday evening, when Student David Segerstrom of North Park College, Chicago, was present and delivered a stirring lecture on vital Christian topics. The church was nearly filled with an attentive audience of all ages, and comprising several auto loads of youngsters from Viking, who were personally acquainted with Mr. Segerstrom, who has spent a few months there this summer to teach at a summer school. A number of English songs were sung by the audience with Miss Gladys Swenson at the organ. Coffee and lunch was served before retiring.

Mesdames Sena and Tena Eggen and several children from Kelliher, are here this week to visit with the Anton Gullseth folks in town, and at the G. J. Nordhagen folks south of town. Mr. Nordhagen is a brother to Mesdames Eggen.

The following left on Sunday morning for a day's outing to Maple Lake and Mentor: Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm, Miss Annie Holm, Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Miss Isabelle Sagmoen and Joel Shoberg.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls from where they will on Sunday in company with Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson, leave for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. Pearson at Lengby. The trip will be made in Mr. Benson's car.

The Adolph and Selmer Haugen families motored to Warren last Saturday evening to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson and family.

Mrs. Benhard Ranum returned last Friday from Minneapolis where she had spent a week as the guest with her sister, Mrs. Roy Skinner and other friends.

Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren was in town last Saturday evening on business connected with his real estate west of town.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard left the latter part of the week for Thief River Falls from where she will leave on Sunday in company with her sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson and family, and the Peter Stromberg family, for a brief stay at Maple Lake.

Miss Anna Holm, who has been staying in town the last week as a guest with her brother, A. S. Holm, returned to her home at Twin Valley last Sunday.

L. L. Furan and John Sorenson have purchased the John Remmem feed barn and ice house in town and will move the same onto their property further north where they will be remodeled and used in connection with the first named garage business.

Thom Holten and Carl Bloom have been extending the Viking telephone line west from town this week to secure connection with their farm homes.

Miss Olga Thoreson returned to her employment at Thief River Falls last Thursday evening after spending a few days visiting with her parents here.

Misses Tena and Nina Westby left last Monday evening for Goodridge where they will assist their brother, Martin with home work for some time.

Axel Anderson was at Thief River Falls last Friday to purchase a new corn binder.

Mrs. John Sorenson and daughters, Irene and Clara and two boys, arrived here by car last Monday and will visit with the Peder Pederson family north of town.

The following were pleasant Sunday callers at the Carl Mellem home: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haarstad and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nash and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hellquist and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. Pederson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mellem.

—Trade at Home—

GERMANTOWN

Miss Minnie Bentlin was a Sunday guest of Silva Bendickson.

Mrs. Chester Boyce and son Ray were business callers at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Albert Johnson visited at the Henry Roller home one day last week.

Benard Bendickson was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Miss Ruth Boyce visited with Bernice Struble one day last week.

Miss Olga Overby was a business caller at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Serphine Rolland and children, were Sunday guests at the Emil Hanson home.

Mrs. Hans Dahl was a guest at the Martinus Johnson home Sunday.

Misses Esther and Silva Bendickson, accompanied by Mesdames H. Dahl and E. Hanson, were callers at Mavie one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Tharaldson and children were guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday.

Rose Vakoch was a caller in Germantown one day last week.

Miss Linda Bentlin departed for International Falls one day of the past week, where she will be employed.

A number of friends were entertained at the Overby home Sunday. Those present were: Mrs. Cummings and children; Mr. and Mrs. Serphine and family; Mr. Kast Jr.; Messrs. Carl and John Hoberstroh and Misses Della, Bessie and Gladys Roller; Lester and Curtis Hanson.

Miss Hannah Jelle of Thief River Falls visited with Olga Overby over Sunday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Albert Rohrer home Sunday.

Misses Nettie, Esther and Silva Bendickson visited at the Overby home Sunday evening.

A number of friends were entertained at the Robert Rambec home Sunday.

—Trade at Home—

STEINER

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy spent Sunday afternoon at the A. Simonson home.

Misses Ruth, Judith and Edna Christianson attended Steiner Sunday school Aug. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers called at the Russell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy called at the Fred Steinihauer home Aug. 22.

Hubert Malberg and Irvin Russell autoed to Holt Sunday afternoon.

Andrew Kisch called at the Frank Slack home Friday evening.

Misses Ruth Solem and Mable Rogers spent Sunday afternoon with Georgia Muzzy.

Miss Ruth Solem transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Hobson Rogers transacted business in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Miss Florence Baker of Thief River Falls spent the week end with Miss Katherine Reidl.

Vernon Copp transacted business in Thief River Falls the middle of the week.

Mrs. Percy Lamb of Thief River Falls spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. John Meyer.

—Trade at Home—

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Bjerkhoel, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Agnes Lange, Gustav Haller, Barney Bjerkhoel, Halvdan Bjerkhoel, Arnold Bjerkhoel, Andrew Berkhall, Ruth Lange, Eva Lange and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a19-26-s2

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Swan England, a single man, mortgagor, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, Uithuizen, The Netherlands, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated the 10th day of March, 1905, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake (now Pennington County) and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book "22" of Mortgages, on page "610," which said mortgage was duly assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, aforesaid, to A. J. Prins, by instrument in writing bearing date July 14, 1920, and recorded in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in Book "E" of Mortgages, page "222", on the 15th day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., that the amount claimed to be due and is due at this date on the debt secured by said mortgage, is Twelve Hundred and Twenty-six and 60-100 ($1226.60) Dollars, that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are situate in the County of Pennington (formerly Red Lake) and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred and Fifty-four (154), North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said mortgaged premises aforesaid, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls in said Pennington County, on Monday, September 20th, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage together with the costs and disbursements of said sale allowed by law and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure.

Dated July 29th, 1920.

A. J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
503-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
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Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Lauck, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to August Lauck, John Lauck, Minnie Lenius whose full true name is Minnie Lauck Lenius, Rose Zealand whose full true name is Rose Lauck Zealand, Fred Lauck, Annie Smith whose full true name is Annie Lauck Smith and Albert Lauck and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of September, 1920 at 10:30 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 5th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(SEAL.) Judge of Probate.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a12-19-26

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Leo J. Holscher, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ella Holscher, Leo A. Holscher, Viola Holscher, Vivian A. Holscher, Russell M. Holscher, Aurel J. Holscher, Evelyn J. Holscher, William A. Holscher, Herbert Holscher, Gordon Holscher, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH of YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 10th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(SEAL) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a12-19-26

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms: the SE¼, Section 18 Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 80 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Votachek. 81tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—A few cockerels, cooks and hens. All Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, $1.00.—P. A. Kolden, 401 Tindolph Ave. S. Phone 329J. 85

FOR SALE Chickens and Bants Chickens. Telephone 3[illegible]. 85p

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FARM FOR SALE—106 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton station. Seventy-five acres summer fallowed. For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, Administrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 78tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—One bay gelding, 5 years old, weight 1450. W. E. Smith, 5 miles NW of Thief River Falls. 83p

FOR SALE—Good six room house. Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 33tf

FOR SALE—Surrey, good as new. Price $60.00.—Nels Aarnes, Kratka, Minn. 83p

FOR SALE—Half gallon Mason jars at less than wholesale price. Evelyn Hotel. 85

TRESHING RIG FOR SALE—Advance 26 horse Engine, straw, wood or coal burner, Nichols & Shepard Separator 32-56 complete with self feeder and blower. Separator run only four seasons and always been housed. This rig is running every day during the threshing season and is in first-class shape and may be seen in operation by anyone wishing to buy. Reason for selling owner leaving farm and going into other business. Now this rig will be sold at a bargain if taken soon. Call or write to P. C. Miller, Crookston, Minn. 86

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

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FOR SALE—One full blood Shorthorn bull 2 years old, and one 7 weeks old bull calf, seven-eighths Shorthorn.—Carl Talley, Mavie.

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in good shape. Starter and Lights. Will sell on time if desired.—C. W. McDaniel. 84tf

FOR SALE—House at 717 Main Ave. N. 81tf

FOR SALE—Complete steam threshing outfit. Dirt cheap if taken at once.—W. J. LaBree. 85

FOR SALE—1 good work horse; 1 single harness; 1 two-seated buggy almost new. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Will take good milch cow in trade. Apply at 801 Main Ave. N. 84tf

FOR SALE—One 18 inch hard coal and one soft coal stove. Also a wood burner. —Roy Motz, 109 Kendall Ave. S. 85p

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Quarter of wild hay 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway.—W. E. Higher. 84tf

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Five room house in excellent condition. Priced reasonable for quick sale. See G. C. Streeter at Peoples Auto Co. or phone 319. 14tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 82tf

FOR SALE—New Dowden Potato digger and light work harness.—P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 83tf

FOR SALE—7-room house, East Side, 300 feet frontage. Call at owner, 606 Kendall Ave. S. 84p

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FOR SALE CHEAP—Pair of geldings 4 and 6 years, weight about 2800 lbs. Our own raising. Mare 1400 lbs. guaranteed sound.—W. E. Smith, 5 miles N. W of Thief River Falls. 80p

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey spring boars. Will be sold reasonable to make room for fall litters. Papers furnished. Popular blood lines.—W. J. Bell, Smiley Twp. 88

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FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

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FOR SALE OR TRADE on reasonable terms—eight room house and lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block 8, Porter's Addition. North Star Real Estate Company, 325 E. Lake St., Minneapolis, Minn. 86

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

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LOST—Pocket book containing small amount of money between Jefferson Cafe and the Legvold residence on Fourth St. Finder notify Times office. 86

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Two good girls at Hotel Gillespie, Forest River, N. D. 85

TEACHER WANTED—For Dist. No. 91, six miles northeast of Germantown. —J. H. Clausen, Clerk. 85p

WANTED—School teacher for Dist. No. 118 Marshall county. Going wages paid. Apply John Ristau, Germantown Rt, city. 88p

WANTED—Girl for general house work in modern home. Good wages and steady employment assured. Apply at 120 Markley Ave. N. 85tf

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STRAYED—Four winter steer calves from pasture in Numedal township. Dark red, two fair size and one smaller. Notify Mrs. G. A. Roos. 85p

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City News

Mrs. C. T. Christianson and Miss lma Holmes are spending the week visiting with friends in the twin cities.

T. H. Liden left Monday evening for Minneapolis where he will spend a few days attending to business matters.

Miss Eleanor Holzknecht left yesterday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she will visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. M. Bothun left the latter part of last week for Gonvick to visit with her friend, Mrs. Geo. Humery, for a few days.

Mrs. T. T. Kiland, who visited at the J. T. Kiland home at Hillsboro, N. D., for a week, returned to her home here on Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bardson returned to their home at Washington on Thursday after a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. W. J. Brown and daughter, Ruth, accompanied by the latters guest, Miss Zora Rafferty, motored to Union Lake last Monday to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Liden, Miss Borget Iverson, Eddie Iverson and Levin Bean motored to Hallock on Sunday and were guests of Miss Anna Bredesen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Klungness and children left Friday evening for Garretson, S. D., to visit with friends. They were accompanied by Miss Edna [illegible] who will visit at Sioux Falls [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Claus Jonas and family of Goodhue are guests at the home of the former's uncle, J. Jonas and family. After the completion of their visit they will continue to Holt where they will be guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Crandall, who spent a month visiting at the home of their son, Dr. C. R. Crandall, left on Friday evening for Minong, Wis., where they will visit before returning to their home in California.

Mrs. Bertha Motz left yesterday afternoon for points in Washington where she will spend the winter. The first stop will be made at Seattle where she will visit at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Berg.

Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein has been confined to her room during the past week with an attack of appendicitis. At last reports she is much improved.

—Trade at Home—

Special Council Meeting.

A special meeting of the city council will be held this evening for the purpose of making final arrangements for the beginning of work on the curb and gutter portion of the paving contract.

—Trade at Home—

SPECIAL!

Fresh home grown ripe tomatoes, 8c per pound; home grown sweet corn, 15c per dozen; home grown cabbage, 5c per pound; home grown carrots, 4c per pound; home grown rutabagas, 2c per pound.—Simonson's Meat and Grocery. a26

—Trade at Home—

Polk County Population Increased Three Per Cent

A three per cent increase in the census bureau. This is the first announcement of the new populations statement made public by the Federal for a majority of the Polk county past ten years is shown in a tabulated population of Polk county during the villages and districts. The total population of the county for 1920 is given as 37,071. In 1900 the population was 35,429 and in 1910 it was 36,001. Following is the tabulated census:

—Trade at Home—

Holds Soldier Mail.

Postmaster John Morgan has considerable mail addressed to soldiers and sailors which he is unable to deliver. The mail includes about everything from bonus checks to citations for bravery in battle and Mr. Morgan is very anxious to make delivery. Mail has accumulated for Pyre Lee Gilliland, Frederick J. Sonba, Arthur T. Olson, Albert M. Ekholm, Henry Olson and Oscar Haugen. Anyone knowing the whereabouts of these men will be conferring a great favor by imparting the information to Mr. Morgan at the earliest possible date.

AUTOMOBILE TIRES HAVE NOT GONE UP

ABOUT ONLY ARTICLE THAT IS CHEAPER TODAY THAN FIVE YEARS AGO.

How many things can you name off-hand that cost less today than they did ten years ago?

Clothes cost more than they ever did before, food has jumped almost out of sight, building materials have advanced by leaps and bounds—in fact, just about everything has skyrocketed in cost beyond all reason, lowering the purchasing price of a dollar to just about one-half of what it used to be.

But there is one remarkable exception to the general H. C. L. rule, says the B. F. Goodrich Rubber company. That exception is the automobile tire. Not only is the tire no more expensive than it was ten years ago but it is actually cheaper, 20 per cent less in fact, and of a much superior quality.

The steady drop in tire prices from July 1, 1910, to February 1, 1915, was caused by the decrease in price of raw rubber and the more efficient methods of manufacture adopted. During this period the price of cotton fabric and labor remained almost uniform.

The moderate up turn in the price curve since 1915 was caused by the abnormal increase in these last two factors—cotton fabric and labor. Cotton fabric costs 250 per cent more now than it did during the first half of the decade and labor fully 200 per cent more. If tires had increased proportionately with these two factors, they would now be almost beyond the reach of the average user.

Fortunately, however, the increase in the cost of cotton fabric and labor were counterbalanced by the installation of more efficient manufacturing methods. Large scale production has brought about greater factory efficiency and lower overhead expense, effecting a reduction in cost which has been passed to the consumer.

Another remarkable thing about tires is that they are not only less expensive than they were ten years ago but are considerably better as well. The improved methods of manufacture now being used add many extra miles to their life.

A few years ago it was a common sight to see a car laid up on the side of the road with its owner repairing a flat casing. Today such a sight is comparatively rare, despite the fact that countless more automobiles are in use. Long tours are made without any tire trouble whatever.

Constant experiments on the part of the manufacturer have resulted in changes in construction and the materials used which make it possible for the tires to give almost perfect service.

It can be safely said that every dollar spent for tires today buys twice as many tire miles as ten years ago.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.14
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.09
Oats	.53
Flax	2.91
Barley	.79
Rye	1.69
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	7.50
Bran	2.60
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Corn and Oat feed, 80 lb. bags	3.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb.	5-6
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.25
Spring Chickens	.25
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.36
Dairy butter	.35
Creamery butter	.57
Cow hides, per lb.	.10
Horse hides	3-4
Calf hides	.12
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.08
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows	.05
Lamb, per lb.	.09

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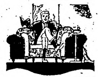

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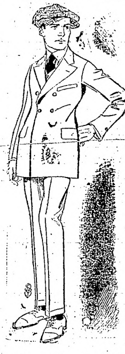

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BIG RACE MEET ON SUNDAY AND LABOR DAY TOO

Rain Stopped All Performances Last Sunday, Making Postponement Necessary.

Two Days of Real Thrillers Gives Everybody Chance to Be Present.

American Legion and Central Union Join Forces in Conducting Affair.

The weather man carried a club for the races scheduled to be held last Sunday at Thief River Falls and rain poured down in torrents all afternoon. This naturally put the program completely on the hummer and the whole show had to be called off.

Not being able to understand how the aforesaid weather man can be cruel enough to do the same thing a second time, the boys have decided to make one more try at putting the racing program across. This time they are going to do it up better than ever and are going to make it last for two days.

Celebrate Labor Day.

Next Monday being Labor day it was decided to conduct the racing program for two days, Sunday and Monday, so as to give everybody a chance to attend. The American Legion boys have joined forces with the Thief River Falls Central Labor union and the two organizations are going to sponsor the celebration in partnership.

Labor day is labor's holiday and union members in Thief River Falls had been planning a little celebration in any event, but when the proposition of joining with the Legion in putting on the races for two days was submitted, its acceptance was a matter of minutes.

Parade a Feature.

A labor day celebration without a parade would be no celebration at all and the boys have decided to get all union members in line for a march around the city at 1:30 Monday afternoon. The procession will go to the fair grounds in time to witness the races, which are scheduled to begin at 2:30 sharp.

There are at present more than 300 union workers in Thief River Falls and it is urged that every union member make it a point to take part in the parade. This is the first time in the history of the city that labor has been organized sufficiently to attempt a demonstration on labor day and those in charge of arrangements want to make the first one a hummer.

Excellent Racing Program.

Every racer entered for the races last Sunday will be there for the two-day event, together with two or three others who have joined the contest since that time. If this doesn't furnish thrills it simply can't be done, that's all. Some of the fastest speed maniacs in the Northwest will be there, both in the automobile and motorcycle events. Many of them performed at the race meet held by the Legion at Crookston two weeks ago and the boys will tell you there wasn't a slacker on the program.

The races will begin promptly at 2:30 each afternoon and there are enough numbers to last from that time until dark. It will be one grand speed-fest and no one can afford to miss it.

AVIATORS FLY HIGH ON CANADIAN BOOZE

Pilots Land in Municipal Court and Pay $5.00 Each For Joyful Experience.

Two of the aviators who had come here for the purpose of making flights at the race meet last Sunday appeared before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant Monday morning, charged with drunkenness. Each paid a fine of $5 and costs as a result of his familiarity with old John Barleycorn.

It seems the boys, who were unable to do aviation stunts on account of the heavy rainstorm Sunday, looked around for some other form of excitement and, either accidentally or intentionally, ran into a supply of Canadian product. This discovery proved their undoing for the law soon had them in its toils on the charge of carrying too much of the firewater in their systems to conform with rules and regulations of the community.

The boys are accustomed to flying high and this probably accounts for the hilarious proclivities exhibited by them when the booze got to working. Anyway they claim to have had a good time while it lasted.

Pennington Averages Up Well on Crop Conditions

The Merchants' National bank of St. Paul has put into operation a plan whereby a weekly review of agricultural, financial, industrial, commercial, civic and municipal conditions in each county will be prepared for state-wide publication. The first report sent out has the following to say concerning conditions in Pennington county:

"Early threshing reports show average crop yields with wheat below normal. Rye turning out well with several bumper reports. One seven acre plat in Rocksbury township gave 40 bushels per acre. Corn crop will be big. Flax ditto. Grain cars promised. Project endorsed for road to Red Lake. Success of county fair has caused supporters to plan important enlargements. Thief River Falls probably will have a water filtering system."

Big Contract Completed on Improvement Program

Holt & George have completed the contract of putting in new water and sewer connection in the paving district of Thief River Falls, and the council Monday evening accepted the final estimate of the job as submitted by the engineers. All of this work was necessary before paving could be started and everything is now ready for the paving contractors to put on the finishing touches throughout the business section of the city. Placing the sewer and water connections has made necessary a large amount of excavating and the city's streets have been badly torn up all summer.

NEW MEMBER NAMED FOR SCHOOL BOARD

L. M. Rayson Chosen to Fill Place Made Vacant By Resignation.

A regular meeting of the board of education was held last Thursday evening. L. M. Rayson was appointed to fill the vacancy on the board caused by the resignation of P. O. Myhrum, and has accepted the position. Mr. Rayson is well qualified as a member of the school board and will no doubt give his new duties the same careful and painstaking attention which has been characteristic of his work in other lines.

Mr. Myhrum has served the district long and well and his resignation is deeply regretted by his co-workers on the board and by school patrons in general. Owing to a multiplicity of other duties, however, he felt that he could not spare the time necessary to look after school work and accordingly decided to withdraw from his position.

The matter of providing quarters for pupils in the present school buildings is proving a very difficult matter for the board. With the increased enrollment over last year it is likely that a doubling up of grades in several instances will be necessary. This condition cannot be remidied until next year, when it is hoped the new Knox building on the East Side will be ready for occupancy. Whether the elimination of free text books will have an appreciable effect on outside attendance in the high school yet remains to be seen. It is not considered likely, however, that this change will alter the plans of the great majority of prospective students.

GOODRIDGE FAIR TO BREAK ALL RECORDS

Sept. 20 and 21 Chosen as Dates For Second Tri-County Exhibition.

Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 20 and 21, have been decided upon as the dates for the Tri-County fair to be held at Goodridge. The program committee has been busily at work on arrangements and indications are that an exceptional list of attractions will be provided as an inducement for people from a large radius to attend the fair.

The Tri-County fair is staged primarily for the purpose of providing the residents of eastern Pennington, eastern Marshall and western Beltrami counties with an opportunity to display their products. This stretch of country is so situated that it is a difficult matter to make a creditable showing at the regular county fair, due to distance and difficulty of transportation. The Tri-County fair at Goodridge being centrally located, gives these people a chance to put on the most creditable exhibits of which they are capable, and it is said by those in a position to know that the Goodridge fair will be an eye-opener to those who labor under the mistaken idea that this part of the country is behind its neighbors in the matter of agricultural and other development.

In addition to the fine array of exhibits, plenty of entertainment has been provided for visitors. While detailed programs are not yet available, assurance is given that there will be something doing every minute of the two days. Thief River Falls sent a large delegation to the Goodridge fair last year and this year it is expected the attendance from this part of the county will completely eclipse the former effort.

Local Elks Lodge to Hold Big Meeting Friday Night

The next regular meeting of the Elks will be held tomorrow, Friday evening at the lodge rooms. Much important business will come up for consideration at this time and all members of the order are urged to be present.

A big drive is being made for candidates to be initiated at the big meeting planned for Oct. 15. Indications are that this campaign will be very successful and that the largest class in the history of the local Elks' lodge will be secured.

BIG INCREASE IN TAXABLE VALUE FOR THIS YEAR

Property of All Kinds in County Declared Worth $1,242,147 More Than in 1919.

Nearly Half-Million Dollars More Given in Under Head of Moneys and Credits.

State Equalization Board Increases Real Estate Assessment Fifteen Percent.

The total taxable valuation of all property in Pennington county is $6,870,442, as compared with $5,638,295 last year, an increase of $1,242,147. These figures are furnished The Times in an abstract of the report prepared by Deputy County Auditor Axel Risberg.

The real estate was valued at $4,625,642 by the assessors but the state board of equalization increased this fifteen per cent, adding $69,346 to the assessors' estimate and making the total applying to this item $4,693,488. Last year it was $4,119,154, an increase of $574,334.

The personal property in the county is this year assessed at $1,164,692 as compared with $981,410 a year ago, showing an increase of $183,282.

Moneys and credits have taken a somewhat startling bound, going from $577,731 to $1,012,262 during the year.

The Personal Abstract.

Household furniture and utensils in use within the county are valued at $52,022 and the rugs and carpets at $3684. The books, pictures and works of art listed for taxation are placed at $1507. There are 1049 sewing machines of a total value of $3087, or $2.95 apiece. Watches and clocks number 1042 and are taxed at $1364, or $1.31 each. Jewelry, diamonds, gold and silver plate to the value of $4335 was found by the assessors and the 73 pianos were averaged at $46.44 each or a total of $17,321. Other musical instruments footed up $3938.

Livestock Schedule.

There were 5822 horses in the county at the time the reports were submitted. Of these 152 were under one year old and had a total valuation of $1364, or $8.98 apiece. Horses of other ages were found as follows, together with their average valuation: Between one and two years, 316, value $13.53; two to three years, 404, value $18.45; three to sixteen years, 4147, value $29.78; sixteen years and over, 803, value $12.68. There were seven stallions and fine-bred mares in the county with an average value of $74.72.

The total number of cattle of all kinds is given as 17,120. Of this number 3656 were under one year of age and had an average value of $3.06; 3103 head over one year and under two and their value was $5.43 per head; those two years of age and under three numbered 2203 and their taxable valuation was $10.41 each. The cows numbered 6993 and were put down at an average of $15.10. There were 371 bulls, their average value being $19.40.

Sheep of all ages numbered 5,229 with a total value of $11,086. There were 505 hogs less than three months of age, their value being $1.14, while the 1368 hogs above that age were put down as worth $6.09 each for taxation purposes. The poultry was valued at $6870 and the 737 dogs at $3688, or $5 each.

Nearly 1000 Automobiles.

Farm tools, implements and machinery are valued at $44,254 and the wagons, carriages and sleighs at $18,101. Harness and saddles are valued at $12,086. There are 962 automobiles in the county with a total valuation of $133,800, or $133.80 each. The threshing machines are assessed at a total of $9817, while the steam engines, gasoline engines and dynamos are listed at $24,695.

A Quarter Million Item.

The retail stores of the county contained goods assessed at $222,467, while the wholesale valuation was $38,665. Manufacturers' articles and products footed up $9266. Other considerable items in the list are: Store furniture and fixtures, $14,643; presses, typesetting machines, etc., $73.48; creamery machinery, $4,775; hotel equipment, $58.49.

TWO-CENT FARE HIT BY FEDERAL JUDGE

Railroads Get Temporary Order Preventing Return to Lower Passenger Rate.

Federal Judge J. D. Elliot at St. Paul on Monday afternoon granted to the railroads a temporary restraining order against the enforcement of 2-cent passenger fares in Minnesota by the State Railroad and Warehouse commission.

The order will obtain until a temporary injunction, having the same aim in view, is or is not granted at a new session of the federal court. Until that time, the railroads will be required to supply all passengers buying tickets with receipts for all sums in excess of the 2-cent fare, so that in case the decision is reversed, passengers may claim reimbursements.

Railroads, opposing the state law charged in federal court today that the old rates are unconstitutional and confiscatory.

Dennis Lyon, attorney for the railroads, asked for the issue of this order on the grounds that the state law violated the federal constitution, the interstate commerce act of 1887, and the recent transportation act of February, 1920. The old rates are confiscatory, he charged. They would force the railroads to receive an unfair and inadequate return upon property, which by that act in its nature would be confiscatory for it would be depriving the railroads of property without due process of law.

Stating that increased wages to employes, necessity of rehabilitating railroad lines, caused by deterioration of rail property during the war, he claimed that the intent of congress in passing the Esch-Cummins bill was to give railroads a chance to meet present conditions. To meet present conditions a 3-cent rate was granted in continuation of federal controlled railroads during the war. Furthermore, he claimed that the 20 per cent increase in wages granted to railroad employes by the Interstate Commerce commission was granted with the understanding that a 3-cent fare would prevail.

LARGE TRACT SOLD AT $100 PER ACRE

John Dore, Illinois Farmer, Secures Fine Tract Near Thief River Falls.

W. H. Frederick, the land man, this week closed a deal whereby he conveyed to John Dore, a prominent Illinois farmer, a tract of 240 acres on the Red Lake river a short distance south of Thief River Falls. While this land transfer is by no means the first in which the sum involved represented $100 per acre, the tract is one of the largest ever transferred in this section at that price.

Mr. Dore, who is heavily interested in farm lands in Illinois, will not farm the newly-acquired tract himself, but will send parties here at once to look after it for him. It is understood that he will go into blooded cattle and hog raising on a large scale and that he is particularly enthusiastic over the possibilities for sugar beets in this section.

FARM LOAN BANK REPORT IS ISSUED

Shows That $172,100 Has Been Loaned to Applicants in This District.

The report of the Valhall National Farm Loan association, submitted by Secretary L. A. Lampert, has been returned after approval by President E. G. Quamme at St. Paul. It shows that to date 59 loan applications have been approved, carrying a total of $173,100. Stock subscriptions in the district foot up $8655 and the dividends for the year on this sum amount to $429.82. The largest loan is for $10,000 and the smallest for $500.

The association can make no further loans at this time for the reason that a law suit has been brought before the supreme court of the United States attacking the constitutionality of the law establishing the National Farm Loan bank. This suit has been instituted, so officials of the association claim, by enemies of the farm loan system. The case comes up for hearing on Oct. 11

Ball Players Give Dance and Big Banquet Tonight

Invitations are out to a banquet and dance to be given this evening by the Thief River Falls baseball association at the Evelyn hotel. This event is intended as a fitting conclusion to a very successful season for the local ball team.

It was found that a little money remained in the treasury after all expenses for the season had been paid and a party seemed the most appropriate way of expending the surplus. Elaborate plans have been made for the banquet and dance, and it goes without saying that the affair will prove an unqualified success. The lads have played good ball and are entitled to all the enjoyment they can get out of the money left in the treasury at the close of the season.

Mrs. S. L. Aanstad, City, Winner of Sewing Machine

The sewing machine given away at the store of the Larson Furniture company by the Free Sewing Machine company on Saturday afternoon was awarded Mrs. Sigurd L. Aanstad, 927 LaBree avenue north, city, her ticket No. 2109 being the lucky number.

Interest in the event was keen there being a large crowd present when the hour came for announcing the winner. Two numbers were drawn before that held by Mrs. Aanstad was taken from the box by a blindfolded little girl, but as the holders were not present the machine could not be given to them under the rules.

The Larson company has taken the agency for the Free line in this city and will at all times carry a complete stock of both the foot and motor power kinds.

Ditch Viewers in Session.

A board of viewers is in session this week at the court house, having under consideration ditches Nos. 68 and 70. Much detail enters into a job of this kind and the work requires several days.

SUPREME COURT OPENS WAY FOR PAVING PROJECT

Decision Handed Down in Marshall Case Has Bearing on Local Situation.

Court Holds Much Questioned Chapter 65 Constitutional in Every Respect.

Council Decides to Go Ahead on Paving Program Without Further Delay.

Practically the last obstacle standing in the way of the paving program in Thief River Falls was removed on Saturday when the state supreme court handed down a favorable decision in an identical case. This case was brought at Marshall, a city in the southern part of the state operating under the same form of charter as Thief River Falls. There, as in Thief River Falls, certain parties sought to prevent the city council issuing certificates to pay for paving improvements without first submitting the matter to a vote of the people. The objectors were beaten in the lower courts, as they were here, and the supreme court affirmed the findings of the lower court in every particular.

New Law Vindicated.

The paving program in Thief River Falls, as in Marshall, has been proposed under chapter 65, laws of 1919, and a previous decision of the supreme court held this law constitutional with respect to cities operating under a home rule charter. No mention was made in the previous ruling of cities operating under the general law and it was therefore claimed by the objectors that the council of Thief River Falls had no right to sell paving bonds without first submitting the matter to a vote.

Judge Grindeland of the district court some time ago refused an injunction sought by the objectors and an appeal to the supreme court has been taken from this order.

The Marshall case, being identical in every respect, may safely be taken as a criterion of what will happen to the Thief River Falls case when it comes up for consideration before the higher tribunal. It is understood, however, that there is no intention to drop the pending appeal but even the most hopeful among the objectors realize that chances of the supreme court reversing itself are very slight.

Work to Start Soon.

As far as the city council and the contractors are concerned, the decision in the Marshall case has removed all obstacles to paving and from now on work will be rushed in order that a good start may be made this fall. The first thing on the program is the curbs and gutters and the plan is to get all of this work completed before snow flies. Mr. Anderson, the subcontractor who will erect the curbs and gutters, will be on the ground within a few days ready to go to work in earnest.

Main Avenue First.

It was decided at the council meeting Monday evening that Main avenue will be the first to be paved. With favorable weather it is thought possible that all of this thoroughfare and possibly several blocks on LaBree avenue and in other parts of the city may be paved before winter sets in.

Material has been ordered for improvements in the white way system of the city, and this work will be done simultaneously with the construction of the curbs and gutters. This part of the work is to be done by day labor under the supervision of Supt. Legvold of the light and water department.

MANY PEOPLE VIEW ICE CREAM FACTORY

Opening of Kiewel Products Company's New Plant Attended By Large Crowd.

The formal opening of the new plant of the Kiewel Products company last Saturday evening was a pronounced success. It is conservatively estimated that a thousand people visited the ice cream factory during the evening, and all evidenced keen interest in the establishment and its appointments. It was the first opportunity for many to visit an ice cream factory and they were naturally much interested in knowing just how this delicious food is produced.

Kiewel's new factory in Thief River Falls is one of the finest in this section of the state and is modern in every detail. The facilities for producing large quantities of ice cream will make it possible for Manager Helgeland to care for the rapidly increasing demand which "Puritas" ice cream is creating.

Mr. Helgeland and his assistants entertained the visitors Saturday evening in a very pleasing manner. Gentlemen were furnished free cigars and the ladies all were presented with flowers as a memento of the occasion. It had been the intention to hold the reception from 7 until 9 o'clock only but the throng of visitors made it necessary to extend the closing time more than an hour.

New Night Cop.

Ed. Brooten has been chosen as night patrolman in Thief River Falls and entered upon his new duties last night. Mr. Brooten served as a policeman for several years in Minneapolis before coming to this city and therefore is well qualified for the position. Andy Smith, who had held the night job during the summer, did not feel that he cared to continue the work longer.

Serious Loss Suffered By East Grand Forks Farmer

Over $6,000 damages was done by fire at the farm home of Charles Ryan, three miles out of East Grand Forks, about 3 o'clock Friday morning when the fire, which started in the barn, spread to the silo, cattle and dairy barn and ice house, destroying them all.

The fire was noticed about 3 o'clock a. m., and neighbors came to the assistance of Mr. Ryan in trying to control the blaze but it had gained too much headway to be stopped. A small insurance covered the buildings Mr. Ryan said. No stock was in the barn at the time of the fire.

MACHINERY SALES INDICATE PROGRESS

—Trade at Home—

More Threshers and Tractors Sold in County This Year Than Ever Before.

If the adoption of machinery by the farmers of a section is an indication of progress, those residing in the territory for which Thief River Falls forms the trading center are entitled to credit for moving forward. Implement dealers say that never before have so many tractors, threshers and other machines been sold in any one season. It has often been a question of supplying the demand, the factories being unable to supply the number of machines needed.

The Rambeck & Stone company has sold 11 complete or partial threshing rigs during the season, these going in some cases to individuals but more often to a number of farmers in the same community. Those with whom the deals were made are as follows: H. P. Nabben, Ole Skaar, Shannon & Wheelwright, A. P. Anderson, K. Skaaren, Toby Melve, William Jones, Robert Rambeck, A. B. Newton and Mr. Robertson of Malcolm.

C. Gustafson & Son have sold 13 outfits, the purchasers being the following: Peter Lindeblad, Kratka; Hans Anton, St. Hilaire; Ed. Timm, city; John Johnson, city; Alfred Helgeson, Hazel; R. M. Johnson, Kratka; Hanson Bros., Kratka; Peterson Bros., Holt; T. J. Lillevold, Grygla; W. E. Chapman, Esplee; H. A. Myrom, Rhoda; Sjur Stolaas, Highlanding. Two complete outfits were also sold at the firm's Grygla branch, but the names of the purchasers are not yet known at the office here.

Besides the above the McFarland Auto company has disposed of 75 Fordson tractors to farmers in the neighborhood during the present season.

STARS AND MASONS TO PICNIC MONDAY

Squaw Point Will Be Scene of Annual Outing Given Jointly By Lodges.

Agreeable to an ancient custom in all regular and well governed Masonic lodges, there will be a grand open air picnic for the members given by the local Masons and Eastern Star members next Monday—Labor Day. All those who can do so are expected to bring a basket containing something good to eat, but those who find this impossible or inconvenient are invited to come anyway as there will be plenty for all.

A good program of games and sports has been arranged, particularly for the young folks and there will be something of interest going on every minute.

These picnics have in the past been among the most enjoyable affairs of the year and it is the aim to make this one eclipse all its predecessors. Visiting Masons and Eastern Star members are cordially invited to come out and help celebrate.

Free transportation will be provided, volunteer autoists starting from the Methodist church and Central school from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Mother of Local Attorney Dies at 84 Years of Age

Mrs. Johanne H. Michelet, mother of Attorney Wilhelm Michelet of this city, died last Sunday at her home in Minneapolis. Deceased had reached the advanced age of 84 years and for 38 years had been a resident of Minneapolis. The funeral was held on Tuesday and interment made in Lakewood cemetery. Mrs. Michelet was the widow of Nils C. Michelet, attorney and former deputy collector of customs, who died one month ago. Surviving are three sons, Simon Michelet, secretary to Senator Knute Nelson, Washington, D. C.; Wilhelm Michelet, Thief River Falls; Ove Michelet, Oakland, Cal.; and one daughter, Maren Michelet, Minneapolis.

Former Resident Here.

O. A. Westin, for many years a resident of Thief River Falls and now residing at Forest Lake, spent several days here last week attending to business matters. Mr. Westin also stopped for a few days at Trail, where he owns a farm.

SCHOOL BEGINS NEXT WEEK AND KIDS ARE GLAD

Young Folks All Anxious to Return After Three Months of Vacation.

Monday Will Be Devoted to Organization Work For the Coming Year.

Efficient Corps of Teachers Secured and Signs Point to Successful Term.

Vacation days will soon be over and the rising generation once more engaged in the arduous task of acquiring an education. Next Tuesday morning school starts in earnest, when the pupils will be required to register and will each be assigned to his or her proper room and class. High school pupils will be given a list of books which they are required to purchase, free text books having been discontinued in this department of the schools.

Teachers to Meet.

Monday will be devoted to general organization work by the teaching staff, and a meeting of all teachers is planned for this purpose. It is a big undertaking to get everything running smoothly and efficiently and the proper start means a great deal. Supt. W. A. Ziegler has a big job on his hands but demonstrated last year that he is equal to the task.

At the meeting on Monday plans for the school year will be outlined by the superintendent and methods adopted so that all departments and grades may work in harmony.

Buildings All Ready.

Everything about the various school buildings has been put in tip-top shape for the first day of school. A number of minor improvements and changes have been made in some of the buildings during the summer months and nearly all of the rooms have been given a thorough cleaning and renovating.

The same efficient corps of janitors which was on the job last year has been retained for another season. These men promise that the kids won't freeze if the supply of fuel holds out.

Teachers Seek Rooms.

Supt. Ziegler would consider it a favor if all those having rooms to rent will let the fact be known. Teachers arriving in the city often find it difficult to secure quarters and any assistance from the general public will be greatly appreciated. Many students who plan to attend school here during the coming term are looking for a place where they may work for their board. Anyone who can accommodate young men or young women in this respect should notify the superintendent at once.

Bright Prospects.

Prospects for a successful school year were never brighter at the beginning of a term. A corps of efficient teachers has been secured, many of whom have demonstrated their ability during previous terms in which they have been on the local staff. Most of those who are beginning their first year in Thief River Falls have had several years of experience in other schools. Taken as a whole, the teaching force has never been a better one and Supt. Ziegler feels that much efficient work will be done.

PAY FOR TOO MUCH FARM—START SUIT

Anderson Brothers Claim Hazel Man Short Changed Them in Land Deal.

A case arising from the sale of a piece of land south of St. Hilaire some time ago was tried yesterday at a special term of court before Judge Andrew Grindeland. After hearing the evidence the judge took the matter under advisement and will render a verdict at a later date.

A. G. and F. I. Anderson, brothers, purchased the farm in question from J. W. Denhart of Hazel, paying therefor $26 an acre. The Andersons testified they bought the farm with the understanding that it contained 150 acres and had paid for it at that rate. Upon measuring the land, however, they claim to have found that it contains only 117 acres. They brought suit against the former owner to recover the difference between the land bargained for and the land actually purchased. A number of witnesses were examined for both sides and the trial occupied nearly all day.

Council Not Yet Ready to Invest in Land For Park

The matter of buying the point near the river in block 13 on the east side for park purposes was brought before the council at its meeting this week. This matter has been under consideration for some time and the purchase of this piece of ground is recommended by the park board.

The council decided a little more investigation was necessary before going ahead with the deal and accordingly voted to lay the matter on the table until the meeting next Tuesday evening.

COMPREHENSIVE EXPLANATION OF THE BABCOCK GOOD ROADS PLAN

Numerous Sound Arguments in Favor of the Idea Are Presented For Public Consideration By C. M. Babcock, Author of Proposed Law.

Every Voter in the State Should Familiarize Himself With Constitutional Amendment to Be Submitted Before Casting Ballot.

C. M. Babcock in presenting the various features covered in proposed Amendment No. 1 to be voted upon this fall makes the following explanations which should be read by every voter who is desirous of posting himself on the subject of good roads:

"At the present time we have approximately 98,000 miles of road in the state of Minnesota which are classified and known as Town roads, County roads and State roads. Town roads are those laid out, built and maintained by the town boards, with township funds. County roads are those that are built and maintained with county funds and state roads are those which have been designated as such by the county commissioners and are roads on which state funds may be expended. State roads are the only roads in the state over which which the Highway department has jurisdiction, therefore, it is quite natural for the public to assume that the Highway Department is only interested in those roads which come directly under its supervision and which have been designated as state roads. Such, however, is not the case, as in fact the State Highway Department is interested in every mile of road in the state and is also interested in extending its present road system. We have vast acres of undeveloped lands in Minnesota, and as the state develops we must necessarily extend our present state road mileage.

How to Enlarge System.

"The big question that confronted the Highway Department was how could we enlarge our road system. As it is impossible to improve our roads or extend our present mileage without funds, it naturally resolved itself down to a financial proposition. Our present road funds are all derived by direct tax levies, and county bond issues, county levies and the state one-mill tax, which was provided for by a constitutional amendment known as the Bob Dunn Amendment. The actual tax levy in the state of Minnesota for road and bridge purposes for the year 1918 was $13,374,832.15 and for the year 1919 was $16,682,778.03, a total of $30,507,610.18 or an average of over $15,000,000 for the two year period, which is equivalent to a levy of nine mills of the total assessment valuation of the state. For the year 1919 alone, it is approximately a levy of ten mills on the total assessed valuation of the state of Minnesota. Now gentlemen, there is a limit to everything, and there is a limit to the amount of taxes that can be placed upon the public, and I am of the opinion that a tax of ten mills is about the limit of taxation for road and bridge purposes in this state. This being the case, the question is, from what source can we derive funds for the enlarging of our road system? Now I firmly believe there should be no tax without benefits; with this thought in mind, I began to consider the benefits which would be derived from a system of paved roads in this state, and being convinced that the greatest benefits would accrue to the operators of motor vehicles who are the largest users of the roads, I conceived the idea of financing the construction and maintenance of a definite system of roads with the receipts to be derived from motor vehicle licenses and leaving the present moneys raised by tax levies for the construction and maintenance of the lateral roads.

To Create Trunk Highways.

"This system and plan as embraced in the pending constitutional amendment, provides for the creation and establishment of a trunk highway system of approximately 7,000 miles of roads reaching into all parts of the state, connecting every county seat and important city and village with every other county seat and important city and village in the state. It provides that this system shall be located, constructed, reconstructed, improved and forever maintained as public highways by the state of Minnesota.

"This 7,000 miles of roads which comprise the Trunk Highway System are the main through roads in the state and are the roads on which most of the money used for road construction is expended each year. Records in the office of the State Highway Department show that nearly eighty per cent of the founds expended by the counties on roads is spent on his identical system. This system of trunk highways or main through roads are roads which, in many cases, are of more importance as connecting links in a state system, than they are of local importance and therefore constitute a system of roads which are of great benefit to the state, and which consequently should be built, maintained and financed by the state with funds derived from the state source and not by local authorities with local taxes and assessments.

Motor Tax Imposed.

"The constitutional amendment which deals with nothing but the Trunk Highway System, in addition to creating the system of seventy routes, as the Trunk Highway Sinking Fund. This fund consists of the proceeds of any tax imposed on motor vehicles and can be used only for payment of principal and interest on any bonds issued unless there is an actual excess of money needed for such requirements, in which case such excess money may be transferred to a fund known as the Trunk Highway Fund, which is the operating fund.

"The constitutional amendment also authorized the Legislature to provide for the issue and sale of bonds of the state of Minnesota in such amounts as may be necessary to finance the construction of the Trunk Highway system. It is provided, however, that there shall never be more than ten million dollars par value issued in any one calendar year, and that the total amount of outstanding bonds shall never exceed seventy-five million.

Car License $18.00.

"In order to finance this bond issue within the limits of the amendment it will be necessary to receive from the motor vehicle owners of this state an average license fee of $18.00 per car. This legislation fixing the fee will have to be passed by the 1921 session of the Legislature, but it is pretty definitely determined that it will be based on horsepower, weight and valuation of the car. It is also proposed that there shall be different classes of licenses to take care of the depreciation in the value of the car commensurate with depreciation which the owner gets when he lists his car for personal property taxation under the present laws. It is very probable that rate per horsepower and weight will remain the same in all classes of licenses.

"There is another thing that is worthy of notice and that is: The sinking fund is created before any bonds are issued, and the sinking fund can be used for no other purpose except payment of interest and retirement charges. With a definitely determined sinking fund, it is just as easy for the Legislature to determine how many roads may be issued without requiring a tax levy, as it is for a man to determine how much merchandise he can purchase with the funds on hand.

"There is also a provision in the constitutional amendment which provides that in the event of the creation of a new county, or by reason of a change in the county seat of any existing county, and city or village not a county seat at the time of the adoption of this amendment is constituted the county seat, Legislature is authorized to add to the Trunk Highway System such additional routes as may be necessary to connect such newly constituted county seat with other county seats and other points in the state. This feature was written in the Amendment to take care of conditions in undeveloped sections of the state, where large counties are likely to be divided and where present conditions do not warrant the laying out of trunk lines.

New Routes Added.

"There is also a provision that when seventy-five percent of the Trunk Highway System has been constructed and permanently improved, the Legislature shall have authority to add new routes, provided there are sufficient funds for their construction and maintenance.

"Since the submission of the constitutional amendment there have been some who have been afraid that there might be a tax levy on all the property of the state to meet interest and retirement charges on the bond issue and in support of this fear they cite Section 4 of the amendment, which reads as follows:

"In case the Trunk Highway Sinking Fund should not be adequate to meet the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds authorized by the Legislature as hereinbefore provided, the Legislature may provide by law, for the taxation of all taxable property in the state in an amount sufficient to meet the deficiency, or it may in its discretion, appropriate to such sinking fund money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Bonds Safeguarded.

"Now, gentleman, every careful thinking man, and every man who has had any dealing whatever with bond issues knows that this provision is placed in the constitutional amendment for the sole purpose of making the bonds salable, in other words, it is absolutely necessary that the faith and credit of the state be sustained or it would not be possible to market them at par. Every member of the Legislature and everyone connected with the drafting of the amendment knows full well that it never was the intention that bonds should be issued in such amounts as to exceed that which can be financed by the receipts from motor vehicle licenses.

"In brief, these are the points that are covered in the pending Constitutional Amendment No. 1, which will be submitted to the voters of the state at the general election next November."

—Trade at Home—

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SEND DELEGATES TO STATE CLUB MEET

Women's Clubs of Ninth District Well Represented at Northfield Sessions.

The ninth district women's clubs are well represented at the state meeting of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs at Northfield this week. One of the features of the program is a report of the club in the various districts. According to Mrs. C. G. Selvig, Crookston, president of the district federation, there are now 29 women's clubs in the ninth Minnesota district. Four of the clubs are new, including Red Lake Falls Civic League, Warren Girls' Community club, Beltrami Woman's club and Strathcona Daughters of Ceres. Seven of these clubs hold membership in the general federation which held its biennial at Des Moines recently.

The twentieth annual ninth district convention was entertained by the Ladies' Reading club of Warren. The meeting was the largest in the history of the district and was marked by the finest hospitality and the finest spirit of co-operation of all at Warren. The next annual convention will be held at Breckenridge.

The St. Hilaire Women's club has conducted a successful lyceum course during the past year. The Reservation Club of Mahnomen presented silk flags to each class room in their public schools. The Women's Study club of Breckenridge has placed magazines in the library and given financial assistance to the public health association. The three clubs of Crookston cooperated in a series of lectures on citizenship for information to the women voters. The Ladies' Reading club of Warren has done excellent work in Americanization. The Fairfax-Andover Social Circle, composed of farm women near Crookston, will study citizenship, child welfare and textiles next year. All of the clubs are promoting better citizenship and community welfare. There are many communities that would benefit by having such an organization as the women's clubs of the state, which have a distinct place among the organizations that are doing good work.

—Trade at Home—

Money in Speltz.

The market price in Ada yesterday for speltz was $1.65 per hundred. Forty pounds make a bushel of speltz which would be 66 cents a bushel. On the Thorpe & Smithknecht farm speltz averaged 60 bushels per acre, which shows that this crop is a paying one. Grain men in Ada say it is surprising that more speltz is not planted here. It pays well, and makes stronger feed than either barley or oats. One grain man even says it makes better feed than corn for hogs. Our farmers should look into this.—Norman County Index.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

Coal!

We are now prepared to take care of our customers on White Ash Coal while our supply lasts. But owing to increased costs and small margin we are compelled this year to sell our coal for strictly cash. Our drivers will collect upon delivery if not convenient for you to pay when you place your order.

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- Wonderful Dresses
- Cleaver Skirts
- Dainty Blouses
- Practical Middies

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One Day Rummage Sale ON ALL REMAINING Summer Merchandise

We are determined to close out all summer goods. These prices should do the job. Be here early Saturday.

Timely Special
Girls' Gingham Dresses values to $3.00
Special
$1.95
Age 6 to 14 years

AT $1.95
Women's Silk Sweaters; only 10 in the lot. Values to $12.00
$1.95

SMOCKS
Values to $6.95
In all shades and all this Spring's styles; a nice garment to wear mornings and for street wear. All nicely hand embroidered. To go at the one price of
$1.95
This Special alone should bring you here early Saturday morning.

AT $5.00
All remaining wash dresses, Voiles, Organdies and Net, valules to $19.50. Your choice
$5.00

Women's Tub Silk and Crepe de Chene Waists
$4.95

All Silk Jersey Pettibockers Regular $10.50 values at
$6.95

ELMER J. EKLUND POST NO. 117

American Legion and Thief River Falls Central Labor Union

Present

Automobile and Motorcycle Race Meet!

FAIR GROUNDS, THIEF RIVER FALLS

Sunday and Monday, September 5 and 6

2:30 p. m. Each Day

GRAND LABOR DAY CELEBRATION AND PARADE MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

Parade of Organized Labor at 1:30 p. m.

Events — Events

Automobile Entries. 3 mile--5 mile--7 mile

Joe Morris	Jowett Special	Bemidji, Minnesota
Gus Forseth	Ford Special	Grand Forks, North Dakota
Norman Bartlett	16 Valve Ford	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
Dewey Kiewel	Overland	Crookston, Minnesota
James Balfour	16 Valve Ford	Hallock, Minnesota
Erling Gerdts	Ford Special	Duluth, Minnesota

Motorcycle Entries. 3 mile--5 mile--7 mile

Allan A. McKinnon	Harley Davidson	Hibbing, Minnesota
Dewey Kiewel	Harley Davidson	Crookston, Minnesota
Speed Johnson	Excelsior	Fargo, North Dakota
Erling Gerdts	Harley Davidson	Duluth, Minnesota
J. Stolpe	Henderson Special	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
Norman Bartlett	Harley Davidson	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
S. Auckland	Indian	Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

Special Event

Three mile Ford Stock Car Race, free for all, cars coming to full stop with power shut off at the end of each lap. Special purse.

Prices: Adults, 75c plus war tax. Children under fifteen, 40c plus war tax. Grand Stand and Automobiles Free

SPEED! SPEED! SPEED!

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PAVING OBSTACLES REMOVED.

The decision of the state supreme court declaring constitutional the law of 1919 which provides that cities and villages may undertake internal improvements such as paving, without submitting the matter to a vote of the people, removes practically the last obstruction to the program planned for Thief River Falls and a considerable number of other municipalities in the state. The court holds that certificates of indebtedness may be issued covering the cost of the work.

This ought to settle the matter. The constitutionality of this law was the principal point at issue although there are others raised by the appellants. So certain is the city council that the other objections will meet a like fate that arrangements for going ahead without any delay have been made. The contractors have signified their willingness to proceed with the work at once and it is probable that before another week has passed by the dirt will be flying.

This will be good news to the progressive citizens who have labored consistently to secure this modern necessity. The subject has been up for consideration almost continually for the past ten years but for one reason or another has always been postponed. The present council, heeding the general demand, went at the proposition in earnest and had it not been for the somewhat ambiguous phrasing of the law, the job would now be well under way.

Objecting citizens have still a case pending before the supreme court on appeal, asking that the city be estopped from going ahead wtih the work, but this is not regarded as serious by the council members or contractors. These same objectors have been defeated in the district court, their main reliance has been swept aside by the supreme tribunal of the state and they are left with very little on which to pin their hopes.

While both sides to this question have proved themselves determined, the controversy has been waged with but little bitterness and the outcome will leave no sore spots. It will only be a very short time until even those most violently opposed to the improvement will be made aware of its value. Soon it will be impossible to find any person in the city who will admit that at one time he opposed paving.

WILL TRY IT OVER.

It was rather a mean trick the weather man played on the American Legion boys last Sunday, but it may turn out for the best anyway. The local post had arranged for a wonderful program of automobile, airplane and motorcycle races at the fair grounds and people from all over northern Minnesota were in the city to witness the performances. Then came the rain.

The event would have been a great success, that much is certain. Some of the best racers in the northwest were on hand with their machines and were consequently more disappointed than was the public. The legion members did the only thing possible under the circumstances—offered to put on the show next Sunday. The racers, practically without exception, assured the management that they would be on hand.

Since that time even greater interest has been added to the program by the fact that the newly formed Thief River Falls Central Labor union has joined forces with the legion and there will be a two-day meeting instead of one. Monday is Labor Day—the first one in which the union workers of Thief River Falls are to take part as an organization. It is one of the big holidays of the year and the workingmen were anxious to celebrate it properly. The big legion program was just to their liking, forces were joined and the entertainment will be a joint affair taking place on the afternoons of two days.

This is going to be a real show. Nothing like it has ever been attempted in this section and those who do not make it a point to be here will miss something of a most unusual nature. All arrangements are made and the weather man would certainly not be mean enough to dish up two disappointments in succession.

Arrange to spend Sunday and Labor Day in Thief River Falls. At no other point will so much fun and excitement be provided.

UP TO DATE AS USUAL.

The advertisements in The Times today would indicate that merchants realize the summer season is over and that a new appeal must be made. The fall lines in all classes of goods are arriving, this being particularly true as concerns wearing apparel for both women and men. The actual buying season for men opens generally about two weeks later than does that for women, but the stores are preparing for the event.

Thief River Falls merchants have this season made greater preparations than ever before to meet the demands of our people. The past summer has been one of the most prosperous in our history, both for the man on the farm and those working in the city. The demand for new goods will therefore be greater than ever before and the merchants have anticipated it.

Gradually the fact that buyers can get the best service and prices right here at home seems to gain headway. There are of course those who will persist in sending away for their goods, no matter how often they get stung, but every year their number is decreasing. It would be pleasant to think that this has been brought about by an awakened civic consciousness and a determination to be loyal to home institutions, but it is greatly to be feared that such is not the case. More goods are being bought at home than ever before, but it is because the home merchants successfully compete with those on the outside. This applies to both quality and prices. No better goods can be bought in Minneapolis or Chicago than are being shown in Thief River Falls this fall, while the prices are often actually lower. The high cost of doing business in the large cities at the present time gives the country merchant an advantage he has not heretofore held and he is not slow in letting the world know of the changed conditions. The increased cost of railroad travel is another factor that works to his advantage. This charge must be added to any article purchased away from home and is an item that cuts deep.

Any way it is figured, buying away from home is a mistake, particularly when your own stores are as well quipped to supply your needs as are those of Thief River Falls. The person who persists in following this mistaken policy hurts himself, his credit and his town.

REROUTING THE JEFFERSON.

Unless the towns on the Jefferson Highway to the north of Thief River Falls wake up and get busy there is grave danger of their being left out in the cold. This is particularly true as regards the Marshall county communities through which the highway now runs.

There has not much been done in the way of road building for about five years, but things are again shaping themselves so that there will be a great revival. The Jefferson is certain to come in for its full share of improvement and it behooves every city along its course to get into the game with both feet.

Warren is making a strong bid to have the highway run westward from Thief River Falls to the Marshall county seat and the reasons put forth are such as to command respect. An excellent road now connects the two cities and in case the Babcock amendment is adopted this is one of the stretches certain to be paved or otherwise hard-surfaced. No such treatment can be expected northward on the Jefferson from this city as things now stand and the people of Warren evidently think that this is the proper time to put forth their claims. It is believed that the county commissioners there would look much more favorably on requests for improvements on such a road than they do on the Jefferson as now laid out.

The main objection to this proceeding is that it would cut out the interesting and historic Pembina Trail, but it is probable that even this would have to yield in favor of the more densely settled region.

It is not likely that there would be any serious objection to this program in Pennington county. The plan would make of the Jefferson the principal inter-county artery and would also provide an important link for the proposed road to the Red Lakes. There are in fact many features in connection with the change that should appeal to the people of Pennington county. While as a general proposition we would all dislike to see Karlstad and the other villages through which the Jefferson is now routed given the go-by, yet there is no denying that the interests of Thief River Falls and Pennington county will be fully as well served by the new plan.

DO WE WANT THIS MONEY?

Nearly three million dollars are being held at Washington awaiting action on the part of the state of Minnesota. This is the state's share of the Federal road apportionment and covers the past two years. Before the money can be turned over, however, the state must have provided a similar amount for the same purpose.

The greater part of this sum represents this year's apportionment but there is a considerable amount held over from last year. Unless something is done to secure it, all will be forfeited and divided among states meeting the requirements.

About $600,000 would have been coming to the state last year but was withheld because we did not come across with our share of the appropriation. This would automatically have secluded us had it not been for the action of Senator Kellogg and Congressman Steenerson. The latter managed to attach a provision to the postoffice appropriation bill extending the time in which states such as Minnesota—where an extensive road program comes up for decision at the election this fall—would be permitted to secure their share of the money later on in case the conditions were complied with. If this is not done this year this enormous sum will be lost as far as the state is concerned.

There is only one way in which Minnesota can meet the requirements of the Federal government in this matter and that is by the passage of Amendment No. 1 at the coming election. By no other plan can nearly three million dollars be raised for road purposes—and unless it is so raised this money will be lost.

Get behind the amendment and boost. It likely means more than you have heretofore had any idea of.

MORE HUNDRED DOLLAR LAND.

Another sale of Pennington county land was this week made at $100 per acre. Such occurrences are becoming almost too common to merit notice and are of interest chiefly for the effect the news is liable to have on acreage that does not yet command anywhere near this sum. There are many sections of the country where hundred dollar land can still be purchased but only a few in which land worth that much can now be secured for a great deal less.

It is not so very long ago that the farm which this week brought this amount could have been bought for perhaps fifty per cent less. At that price it found no buyers. There are thousands of acres in this county in the same position right at this time. The land can be purchased now for from $30 to $60 per acre. Over night it may bounce to $100. This fact should interest the homeseeker from sections where farm values have reached unheard-of figures or have at least arrived at a point which places them beyond the reach of the beginner. This section still holds out opportunities that are denied in the older settled regions. The hundred dollar farm is the exception today, but in a very short time will be the rule. The young man who looks to the future cannot do better than to cast his lot here while this condition obtains. He will be getting into a region with a certain future. His farm will make money for him if he does nothing but hold onto it and will furnish certain independence if he makes it his home and uses even a moderate amount of intelligence in its management.

The Grygla Eagle is 18 years old. The Eagle has seen many startling changes take place in its territory during the time it has watched over the progress of the citizens theraway, but these are as nothing compared to what is in store during the next year or two. Editor Mussey has boomed his section in season and out and surely has done his full share in making Grygla the "Biggest Little Town on the Map." The Eagle is well patronized and deserves it.

Bill Noonan Says:

It's easy to judge whiskey these days. If it doesn't kill you it's good.

Sax says that moonshine liquor is awful. It makes him dizzy after he drinks a few quarts of it.

Now the women reformers will take a hand in politics, which was bad enough as it was.

An Illinois farmer tore up $5,000 in currency when his best girl jilted him. That lad doesn't need a wife—he needs a guardian.

Prohibition agents in Vermont seized liquor that was hidden in the bustles of two girls. Mercy, how did they discover it?

Getting "prescriptions" filled is no easy matter, especially after you have been dead for years, but they manage to do it in St. Paul.

"New Reasons for Money Tightness," says a headline, but we refuse to read it. We know enough already.

With women suffrage on the menu it looks as if we are to have more silk stocking politicans than ever.

The old high cost of living won't worry Beltrami farmers as long as their land is thickly populated with $300 an acre clover crops.

Maybe women don't know how to vote, but our bet is that a girl that can eat dinner with one lad while flirting with another, and get away with it, can do anything.

The Mayor of Cork has discovered the only sure way to beat the high cost of living. He is starving himself to death.

Flour and sugar are coming down, but it won't help us much. The railway thugs are raising passenger and freight rates again.

The trouble with a lot of these reformers is that they are never satisfied to allow other people to be satisfied.

If there must be poor roads in the U. S. let some other state carry the burden. Vote for Amendment No. 1.

Everything is peaceful at Rainy River again. Mayor Murdoch and Magistrate Chapman are as friendly as a couple of bulldogs grabbing a meal off one soup bone.

Parapragh Opinions.

The danger is that we may monkey along talking about a separate peace until we get into a separate war.—Columbus Ohio State Journel.

No campaign would be complete without publishing the astonishing fact that every candidate's mother was fond of him when he was a boy.—New York Morning Telegraph.

Only one item was overlooked by the railroads in securing additional revenue-producing rates. They forgot to ask for a surcharge on the tips of Pullman porters and dining-car waiters.—Labor.

Mr. Wallace, who publishes Wallace's Farmer, says the agriculturists in the corn belt are much pleased with Harding. It is understood that the nominee has promised them good weather during the four years of his administration and comparative immunity from insect pests.—Chicago Tribune.

New railroad rates will relieve the country of the freight problem and the public of a little more cash.—The Shoe Retailer.

About everything has been done now to relieve the situation except to dig the coal.—Indianapolis Star.

America's crops would be bigger if she had more men who wanted a place in the sun.—Greenville Piedmont.

Silk shirts don't tell the amount of a man's pile, but they tell you how long it will last.—Associated Editors.

Still it is hard to blame Jack Johnson for preferring jail in the United States to being at large in Mexico.—Indianapolis Star.

The president of a pulp and paper company was attacked in his home by a masked burglar. Perhaps it was only a publisher bent on revenge.—Columbia Record.

One may safely assume that many of the people who are flocking to the battlefields of France couldn't have been dragged there when the war was on.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Piano Tuning.

Having completed a piano tuning course at school for blind am now prepared to tune pianos. Anyone desiring services call Herman Bischoff 142. 13tf

NUXATED IRON

Dr. Ferdinand King, New York Physician and Medical Author, says:

"It is my opinion that in practically nine times out of ten, unstrung nerves and failing strength and vitality are due to deficiency of iron in the blood. I am convinced that there are thousands who, simply by taking Nuxated Iron, might readily build up their red-blood corpuscles, increase their physical energy and get themselves back to vibrant and vigorous health."

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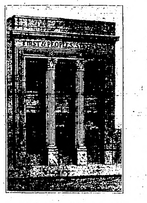

HOW DO YOU CHECK UP

on protection for yourself and family?

1st—Insurance on life of the bread-winner.
2nd—Fire insurance on home and furniture.
3rd—Automobile insurance.
4th—Insurance that you will have the money to pay your premiums as they fall due.

"Yep, there's the rub!"

No rub at all, if you accumulate the money in a Savings Account—a little every month. 5% interest helps too.

We will take care of your needs on all four.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Are the Best Tires too good for the Small Car Owner

EVERYBODY agrees that it is generally desirable for merchandise to be graded.

A good principle that often comes out at the wrong end for the car-owner—the man with the upkeep on his mind—the tire bills to pay.

He feels that tire economy should be a *personal contract with the tire-user.* Not a transaction with his car, whether it be big or small.

Reasoning tires in human terms instead of trade custom has written this policy for the United States Rubber Company—

Build *all* tires to *one standard* and let the tire user choose his own size.

When the oldest and largest rubber manufacturing concern in the world focuses all its resources upon *one* grade, *one* quality, it makes *one* client—and that is the *whole public.*

This single ideal is visible in any U. S. Tire factory, at any U. S. distributing branch, in any U. S. dealer's store.

Seeing that the tire-user gets his *economy mileage* along with an *unlimited guarantee.*

Policies are harder to make than tires.

Probably the deepest reason why U. S. demand keeps always ahead of the number of tires the U. S. makers can supply.

United States Tires

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Fifty-three factories — The oldest and largest Rubber Organization in the World — Two hundred and thirty-five Branches

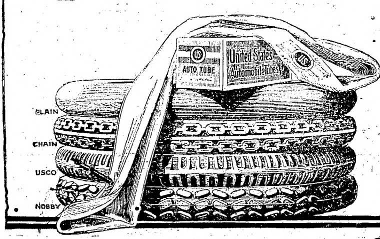

Monday being Labor Day this store will be closed all day.

Loken's Fall Fashion Opening

An event of Supreme Importance---The Presentation of The New Fashions in Complete Assortments

FRIDAY, SATURDAY and TUESDAY
September 3, 4 and 7

Your first opportunity to see in extensive assortments all the best of the new modes in Fall and Winter

Coats - Suits - Dresses - Skirts
Waists - Furs - Accessories

In an Opening Review of Utmost Interest

WOMEN everywhere will rejoice over the opportunity given them this season to select their new garments from such a wide variety of modes. One does not need to adhere strictly to any particular tendency this season—with certain broad, general restrictions, you may suit the mode to your own convenience—and how welcome that will be!

Realizing the above fact this store has made selections of stocks most carefully and is prepared to offer greater variety of styles than ever. Women desirng to express their individuality in dress will find here ample help in fulfilling this desire. During this Fall Fashion Fete you will find it easy to make selection.

Whether it be for Mother or Miss—for large or small figure—for short or tall—whether you desire the tailored or more dressy garment—this Fall Fashion Opening will guide you correctly in your selection of new garments for Fall and Winter.

The Following Specials Will Be Offered on Our Opening Days, Sept. 3, 4, 7

50 New Fall and Winter Coats consisting of all kinds and all sizes. Coats that were made to sell at $65.00 each. Special for this Fall Fashion Opening $49.95

38 New Fall Coats, everyone a $50.00 value. Just to give you something that can not be duplicated elsewhere, your choice, each $39.95

300 Yards of $3.50 and $4 Silks just arrived from New York, all 5 yd. exclusive Dress Patterns, consisting of Georgettes, Crepe de Chenes, Taffeta, Satins, Messalines and fancy Silks. The values and quality are here. Special for this opening at per yard $1.98

The New College Princess Dresses

For College and School Wear

Are here and ready. A wonderful selection of the latest youthful styles await you. All those clever garments are made up in Men's wear serge or all wool Tricotine. Priced at

$22.50 to $35

New Arrivals Direct From New York City

All Silk Jersey Pettibockers

Retailing in some stores as high as $10.00. In all shades. A wonderful value at less than half price, at $4.95

Jack Tar

All Wool Flannel Middies in bright red and navy blue. Special for this Opening only $7.50

All Silk Jersey Petticoats

A wonder New York value at twice our price. All colors, each $3.95

Loken Brothers

Thief River Falls' Finest Store

City News

Nick Bohe of Hazel visited with friends here on Monday.

Miss Ella Krohn left Tuesday for Holt to visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. Anton Carlson and daughter are visiting relatives at Fargo this week.

Miss Carrie Lillegan of Stephen arrived here Friday evening for a visit with friends.

Miss Clara Anderson of Jelle visited with friends here a few days the first of the week.

Miss Viola Lund was a visitor with friends and relatives at Warren the first of the week.

Miss Henrietta and Mabel Isaacson left Monday evening for a short visit to the twin cities.

Geo. Engebretson arrived here Monday evening from Boy River to attend to matters of business.

Viola Lund left yesterday morning for Kennedy where she will visit until the opening of school.

Mrs. Ole Sunsdahl of Eric, left this city on Tuesday for Grand Forks to visit at the home of her son.

M. Johnson arrived here Saturday afternoon from Roseau to spend Sunday visiting with friends here.

Mrs. Mary Kisch left Tuesday morning for Steiner to remain a few days with her daughter, Mrs. N. Muzzy.

Miss Irma Thompson of Crookston is in the city visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Mattson.

Miss Jessie Barnett left Monday evening for Minneapolis where she will spend a week or ten days visiting friends.

Louis Veven and daughters, Marie and Louise, visited friends in Minneapolis for a couple of days the first of the week.

Geo. Dedrick of Superior, special agent for the Great Northern, spent yesterday in the city attending to official business.

Misses Birdie Ecke and Edna Watson, the latter of Chicago, spent the latter part of the week at Winnipeg, visiting friends.

Joe Nelson, conductor on the Great Northern, and family and several friends, motored here Sunday and visited with friends.

Miss Gladys Olson of St. Hilaire arrived here Monday for a day's visit with friends. She returned to her home on Tuesday.

Henry C. Falk, salesman at the Charles Lieberman clothing store, left on Monday for a week's vacation at North Dakota points.

Mrs. J. J. Richter is in the local hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis on Saturday. She is getting along nicely.

Miss Phyllis Curtiss left yesterday for Crookston to visit friends for a few days before going to Northfield where she attends Carleton.

Mrs. M. Akerdalen returned to her home at Holt yesterday morning after spending a brief period visiting her friend, Mrs. Ed. Broten.

Ralph Shetler and sister Pearl, who have spent the summer with relatives in Montana, returned to their home here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Donnell of Shakopee, Minn., who have been visiting the P. J. Keating family for two weeks, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. E. M. Schutt and son, Sydney, left Tuesday evening for the Twin cities where they will visit with relatives and friends for an indefinite period.

Miss Dorothy Peterson left yesterday afternoon for St. Hilaire to spend a few days visiting at the home of an aunt.

Mrs. A. W. Rice of Max, N. D., visited with friends here Tuesday enroute to her home from Warroad where she had been the guest of her friends.

Miss Esther Gjertson, cashier at the Great Northern depot, is again at her duties after a two week's vacation spent in visiting with her parents at Sandstone.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Johnson and children autoed down from Newfolden on Sunday and spent the day visiting with Mrs. Johnson's sister, Miss Mina Nelson.

A world-wide famine will be the fate of the inhabitants of this world in the near future. Whether or not you believe it, come to the Scandinavian chautauqua tent Friday evening and hear what the Bible says about it. Sunday evening the subject will be "Spiritualism." Is it possible for the living to converse with the dead?

Rev. Paul Seltz of McIntosh drove up here Tuesday and spent a couple of days visiting at the J. Jonas home. He returned to the above named place Wednesday evening.

C. A. Manthe, superintendent of the Great Northern, and entire staff, came up from Crookston Friday and spent the day attending to matters of official business.

Miss Gladys Black arrived here from Grand Forks on Tuesday morning and will spend a few days as the guest of Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichhammer.

C. M. Wilson returned Monday evening from Fordville, N. D., where he spent a few days visiting at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson.

Milton Forder arrived here yesterday from his farm near Rollis, being called here because of the death of his grand-daughter, Miss Zella Zeh, which occurred yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Keating and sons Kenneth and Barth, of Fargo, N. D., motored over Saturday and spent Sunday with the P. J. Keating family, returning Monday morning.

John Ward, representing the National Biscuit company, left the first of the week for Minneapolis, taking in his territory enroute. While in the cities he will attend the state fair.

Send in your name and address to North Star College, Warren, Minn., and they will immediately make you an offer that will almost surprise you. Do it and you will find that it pays.

Mrs. M. Dargon, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hansel, at Red Lake Falls for some time, arrived here Tuesday and will visit with her daughters, Mrs. Swanson and Mrs. Thill.

Word has been received from Mrs. C. M. Rolland, by friends in this city that they are nicely settled in their new home at Hibbing and states that they are very much pleased with their recent change.

Master William Froehlich, who accompanied his mother to the cities the first of the week returned Wednesday morning. The little chap is only eight years of age so feels quite elated over his trip.

Earnest Barzen and Leland Schuster made an auto trip to Grand Forks Sunday. On their return Monday they were accompanied by Miss Kathleen Ures who will visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.

G. W. Melby who has spent the summer at his home in Minneapolis arrived last evening and is busy getting the laboratory at the high school in readiness for school work. Mr. Melby will be instructor of science this year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Weddum of Alexandria left last evening for their home at Alexandria after spending a few days visiting with old acquaintances. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson.

Lester Larson, accompanied by his mother and brother, are here from Kendall, Wis., on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Erling Dahl. They made the entire trip by auto and found the roads in most places in very good condition.

J. L. Magnus and family arrived this week from Devils Lake and will make this city their home, Mr. Magnus having associated himself with the Penney store. He has for several years been employed in the F. P. Mann establishment at Devils Lake, a store which has gained nation-wide fame in the merchandising field.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Neset and children left via auto on Wednesday for Bemidji, going by the way of the Red Lakes. After visiting in the neighboring city for a short time they will continue their trip and take in the state fair.

Mrs. Herbert Forder arrived here Tuesday evening from Buhl to attend the funeral services of her neice, Miss Zella Zeh. She left this morning for Rollis where she will spend a couple of weeks assisting during the threshing period, on the Forder farm.

Kenneth Streeter had the misfortune of falling from a tree while picking chokecherries the other day and suffered painful injuries. At the present writing he is able to be at work again at the Peoples Auto garage, of which his father is manager.

The patients at the Oakland Park Sanitorium enjoyed a moonlight picnic on the grounds Monday evening. The patients and nurses were seated around an inviting camp-fire, roasting marshmallows, popping corn and telling stories. The party broke up at 9:30.

Mrs. H. R. Prichard and daughter, Patricia, left Wednesday evening for Aitkin where she will spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents. From there she goes to Minneapolis to be the guest of Miss Helen Hoag before returning to her home at Storm Lake, Ia.

W. A. Ziegler, secretary of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Association, returned Monday evening from Warren where he attended a meeting of the association. The annual meetings of the association which have been usually held at this place or Crookston will be held at the above named place this year.

Scott Laird, proprietor of Laird's Specialty shop, has received an invitation to attend the Fifteenth Annual convention of the National Association of Stationers and Manufacturers of the United States held at St. Louis from Oct. 11 to 14, but has been obliged to decline because of his business interests here which occupy his entire time.

Misses Irene Patrick and Lillian Poppitz are expected to arrive here the latter part of this week from their respective homes at Hinckley and Heron Lake. Miss Patrick has been elected as assistant principal of the Lincoln high school this year, in addition to having charge of English III and IV. Miss Poppitz will continue her duties as instructor in domestic art.

D. J. Cordes left last evening for Pratt, Kan., where he will reside in the future. His family preceded him a few weeks ago. Mr. Cordes and family have resided in this city for the past two years and have made a host of friends who regret to learn of their departure. While here Mr. Cordes directed the local band and did much toward making the organization a success.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, state chairman of the thrift section of the federated clubs of Minnesota, left Tuesday evening for Northfield to attend the meeting of Woman's clubs held there from Sept. 1 to 3. From that place she will go to Minneapolis where the local thrift exhibit will be shown at the state fair. Mrs. Froehlich with the assistance of living models, to display the clothing, will have charge of the booth at the state fair. She was accompanied by Mrs. E. M. Stanton, former secretary of the local Woman's club, but now county chairman of thrift.

Rail Notes

MOVEMENT TO IMPROVE TRANSPORTATION SERVICE

The advisory committee of the association of Railway Executives, of which Daniel Willard is chairman, has set for its goal in the improvement of transportation service, the following definite ends:

An average daily minimum of freight cars of not less than 30 miles per day.

An average loading of 30 tons per car.

Reduction of bad order cars to a maximum of 4 per cent of total owned.

An early and substantial reduction in the number of locomotives now unfit for service.

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Division Jottings.

Bijou has been placed among the regular stations on the Soo line, the new order taking effect yesterday. B. C. Gire is the agent, relieving the custodian heretofore in charge.

H. C. Pfeiffer relieved Agent F. C. Paine at Erskine this week while C. W. Stewart performed the same office for D. L. Emery at Omemee. The latter goes to Whitman, N. D., as a regular agent.

G. W. Hawes, general agent for the Soo, was in the city on business Monday.

A. E. Swan has been assigned as operator to Alsen station, Gulden going to Henning to take the night shift.

P. M. McGilvary has taken the place of L. M. Halvorsen as third trick operator at Plummer.

R. L. VanDusen has taken the position of night operator at Karlstad.

D. O. Lyle has been assigned as conductor on the Fordville-Drake line taking trains Nos. 212 and 213. William Scott has relieved E. A. Lund as conductor on trains Nos. 61 and 62 between Overly and Kenmare.

Arthur Greenseth, roundhouse foreman, is finishing a couple of week's layoff with a trip to Minneapolis.

Master Mechanic J. W. Hendry and family returned recently from a visit to the West. They stopped at Spokane, Everett and Vancouver and came home through the Canadian Rockies. Mr. Hendry states that travel is very heavy in the Northwest, nearly all passenger trains carrying from 11 to 14 coaches.

George Mostue, assistant storekeeper at the Soo roundhouse, returned the first of the week from a few days' visit at Chicago. Victor Pollman looked after his job during his absence.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

Bemidji Man Shoots Self.

An unindentified man was found on Saturday at Bemidji with a bullet hole through his head. The body was discovered on a log boom in Lake Irvin. A revolver was found at the bottom of the lake and police believe that he committed suicide. The man apparently was about 20 years old.

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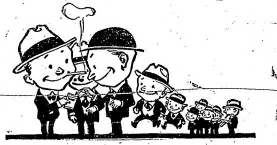

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City News

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney motored [illegible] Union Lake on Sunday.

[illegible]. W. Nelson left Sunday evening for St. Paul to attend to business affairs.

Derby Anderson, who spent a week at Duluth, returned to this city on Friday evening.

Fred Haug spent the first of the week in the twin cities attending to business matters.

Mrs. H. Hermanson left Thursday afternoon for Halstad for a visit with relatives and friends.

Ethel and Mable Boyce left Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to spend a few days visiting friends.

Miss Lucille Burns leaves Sunday evening for Cambridge, where she will teach this coming school term.

[illegible] Granum, who has spent the past year at Seattle, Wash., returned to his home here Friday to remain permanently.

Mrs. Dan Shaw and daughter, Peggy, left Saturday morning for Itasca State Park where they will spend an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Claus Jonas returned to their home at Goodhue, Sunday evening, after spending a week visiting with relatives in this city.

Miss Marie Nelson left Thursday afternoon for Crookston where she made a brief visit. She returned here on Friday morning via the Soo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rolland and family returned Friday evening from Bemidji where they had spent a few days visiting friends and relatives.

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Miss Jeanette Oftedahl, who has been visiting with relatives at points in the southern part of the state, returned to her home here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stene returned on Monday afternoon from Gatzke where they had spent their honeymoon visiting at the home of Mrs. Stene's parents.

Harry Prichard returned to his home at Storm Lake, Ia., on Saturday after spending two weeks visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] W. Prichard, Sr.

Mrs. C. D. Dunning of Spokane, Wash., who has spent the past month visiting with friends in this immediate vicinity, left Monday morning for Holt to be the guest of her sister for a few days.

W. A. Johnson and C. W. Sanderson of Fargo, were in the city over Sunday. They will return this week end to take part in the races which were postponed from last Sunday because of the inclement weather.

Mrs. Anna Langseth and daughter, Miss Palma, returned Sunday from Mahnomen, where they had spent a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Elling at their summer home at one of the lakes near that place.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and family left Monday morning on an auto trip to Minneapolis where they will visit for a week. The trip will be made via Fergus Falls and it is their intention to camp on the way.

Miss Grace Thomas returned to her home at Black River Falls, Wis., Thursday evening after visiting since Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard. Previous to her visit here she had spent considerable time at Yellowstone National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson motored to Grand Forks the latter part of the week and on their return to this city were accompanied by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. Anderson and daughter who will be in this city until Glenn regains his normal strength.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Crown, who have spent the past year in Portland, Ore., arrived here Friday to remain permanently. Mr. and Mrs. Crown state that their journey to this city was not the most pleasant as their baby had the misfortune of having her feet scalded by hot coffee, causing much pain and suffering for the little one. Mr. and Mrs. Crown will be remembered as former residents of this city and local people will be glad to hear of their return.

"Hi" Gaslin, of Fargo, was a business caller in the city on Friday.

Mrs. G. Forseth of Grand Forks, visited with friends here over Sunday.

Gunder Legvold left Thursday afternoon for Fisher to visit with friends.

Mrs. Carl Engebretson and three children spent Tuesday visiting with friends at Holt.

Miss Goldie Hill left Sunday evening for Minneapolis where she will visit for a few days.

Miss Violet Ekren of Pitt, is spending the week as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Anna Langseth.

Mrs. A. Tweeten and two daughters, Evelyn and Selina, left Saturday evening for Detroit to visit friends.

Miss Mayvert Hilson returned from Viking on Tuesday after a few days visit with her friend, Miss Grace Hanson.

Mrs. J. Molskness, accompanied by her two daughters, Misses Magda and Amanda, shopped and visited with friends here on Friday.

Miss Myrtle Berg will leave Sunday evening for Hutchinson, this state, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Bergren returned on Monday evening from Jessie Lake where they spent a few days visiting their daughter, Mrs. Vaultinson.

Miss Ida Stacey of Warroad visited with friends here between trains on Saturday enroute to Williston, N. D., where she will attend school the coming term.

Miss Katherine Cox, who had spent the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oftelie in this city, returned to her home at Minneapolis on Saturday.

Misses Alice and Hazel Fricker, Leona Allen, Bertha Biskee, Lulu Beebe and Tomina Hanson of St. Hilaire spent Tuesday in this city attending to shopping.

Mrs. C. W. Barden and daughter Ardith, returned Thursday morning from Grand Forks, where they visited at the home of the former's parents for a week.

Miss Gerda Mortenson of Fosston visited with friends here the first of the week. She will return the first of next week to take up her work in the public schools.

Mrs. N. Ostvaldson and Mrs. H. Hermanson, who visited with friends and relatives at Halstad the latter part of last week returned to their respective homes here on Monday.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick returned Monday morning from a month's sojourn at Yellowstone National Park in company with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Weatherhead of Ada.

Mrs. Paul Morck and two children of Bessmer, Mich., arrived here Monday afternoon from Baudette, where they had been visiting friends and will spend some time here as the guests of friends.

Mrs. Ole Peterson and daughter, Miss Joyce of Fosston, who spent a week visiting at the home of their son and brother, Pete Peterson, and at the N. J. Anderson home here, returned to Fosston on Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Erickson returned to this city the latter part of last week after an auto trip to Baudette where they spent a few days visiting friends. They made the return trip by train coming home by way of Winnipeg.

Scandinavians are cordially invited to attend a religious meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall, Thief River Falls, Sunday at 3 p. m. The speakers are Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlberg of Chicago, Ephraim's Messengers. They will speak in the Swedish language. Admission free.

Mrs. Chas. Cobb and son, Olaf, returned to their home at Sioux City, Ia., Saturday evening after a two weeks' visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus. Mr. Cobb left the previous night for Mankato where he spent a day, meeting his wife in Minneapolis on Sunday.

Orrin and Clifford Storholm, Bob McGinn, Willis Johnson, Allan Sorenson and Maynard Stardig, the latter of McIntosh, returned the latter part of last week from a week's camping trip at Red Lake. All with the exception of two of the boys, made the entire trip on their bicycles. All concerned report a spendid outing.

Miss Mable Hegland of Holt shopped in this city Monday.

Miss Mable Knutson left Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will be employed.

An eight pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole Granum on Monday morning, Aug. 30, 1920.

Eli Weston arrived here Wednesday from Sheldon, N. D., being called here because of the death of Miss Zella Zeh.

S. K. Sundahl and son Carl motored to Grand Forks on Thursday to attend a meeting of Overland distributors.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson and daughter, Eleanor, motored to Red Lake on Sunday where they enjoyed a picnic.

Miss Nuomi Heinricks left Monday afternoon for Crookston, the former home of the Heinricks, to spend a few days visiting with her numerous friends.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Anderson and son, Kermit, made an auto trip to Lake Park on Friday to visit with relatives. They returned to this city on Monday.

Miss Ruth Foster of Minneapolis arrived Tuesday evening to be the guest of her cousin, Miss Viola Lund, for a day. She left this morning for Rolla, N. D.

Miss Cleo Morrissey, who is employed here left Monday for her home at Gatzke, where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. J. C. Pahlen and daughter, Joyce, returned to their home at Plummer Saturday evening after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Halseth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Carlson and daughter, Eloise, left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where they will spend a week or ten days visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Avis Akre has accepted a position as teacher of Mathematics in the high school at Little Falls and will leave this city the first of next week to take up her work.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Erickson and daughter Joyce and son Donald, who have been guests at the home of the former's brother, H. F. Erickson and family, returned on Monday to their home at Sioux City.

Mrs. John Aos, accompanied by her grand-daughter, Miss Mildred Haroldson of Gatzke, who has been her guest, left Monday for the above mentioned place where the former will visit for two weeks.

Miss Jean Nelson arrived here on Wednesday evening from Bemidji where she had spenth the summer at the lakes near that place, and visited friends here between trains enroute to her home at Greenbush.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sjei motored to Cooperstown, N. D., last Saturday evening to visit at the home of Mrs. Peter Jacobson. Mrs. Sjei and Mrs. Jacobson are sisters. They left this morning for Ada to visit Mr. Sjei's sister.

Mrs. Carl Evju and son, Robert, left Friday afternoon for Hatton, N. D., the former home of the Evjus, where they will visit for a short time. From there they will go to Portland, N. D., to be guests at the home of Mrs. Evju's parents.

Mrs. Oscar Williams, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. H. Jacobs of Duluth, who has been her guest, left last Thursday morning for the above named place. From that point Mrs. Williams went to Grand Rapids to visit another daughter, Mrs. A. Cloutier. She returned to her home here Wednesday evening.

Chas. Vorachek spent Friday and Saturday threshing on his farms near this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simonson of Ada were guests at the C. S. Simonson home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Worner of Fargo, were guests with Mr. and Mrs. Julien Provencher over Sunday.

Rev. Father Noesen left Monday morning for Baudette to attend a conference of priests in this district.

Mrs. T. Larson returned to Bayfield, Wis., on Monday, after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Mjelde.

Miss Gladys Nelson will leave soon for Minneapolis where she will enter the McPhail school of music and dramatic art.

Miss Myrtle Berg left this morning for Bijou where she will spend a couple of days as the guest of Miss Ann Shasku.

Mrs. A. Peterson, accompanied by Miss Gladys Haugen, left this city Monday morning for Holt, where they will visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Richardson and baby of Bronson were over Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Richardson.

Miss Edna Watson returned to her home in Chicago Tuesday evening after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ecke, in this city.

Miss Annie Oftelie returned to Minneapolis where she is employed, on Saturday after visiting at the home of her parents for the past two weeks.

Misses Agnes and Dorothy Noesen of Crookston arrived here Tuesday for a brief visit at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mulry.

Miss Ella Hanson, who has been the guest of her friend, Miss Dorothy Bottelson for a week, returned to her home at Madison, this state, on Tuesday evening.

Miss Ruth and Myrtle Oftelie, who spent two weeks visiting at their home in this city, returned on Saturday evening to Minneapolis where they are employed.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson and Miss Ella Hanson, the latter of Madison, this state, left Tuesday morning for Winnipeg where they spent a day visiting in the Canadian city.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanson and family left Sunday evening for their new home at Watertown, S. D. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson have been residents of this city for the past two years.

Miss Zora Rafferty left Friday morning for Warren where she will continue her visit for a few days before returning to her home at Minneapolis. While here she was the guest of Miss Ruth Brown.

Mrs. G. Johnson and daughter, Dorothy, who have been visiting since June 1, at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson, residing on the Knox farm near this city, returned to their home at Devils Lake, N. D., on Friday.

Miss Laura Forde arrived Tuesday evening to take charge of the piano department of the Thief River School of Music which will soon be opened. Miss Forde was instructor of music here two years ago and since that time has been studying and teaching at the Red Wing Seminary.

A great number of ex-graduates of the local high school will be enrolled at St. Olaf college at Northfield this year. Among them will be Roy Flattum, Elvin Johnson, Carl Sandum, Stanton Dahlen, Elnor Overland, Reuben Teslow, Agnes Tandberg, Helen Weeks, Elmer Tandberg and Henry Anstad, the latter now residing at Detroit. Misses Phyllis Curtis and Maebelle Osthy will be enrolled at Carleton.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Becken spent the week-end visiting with friends at Erskine.

Miss Emma Hoff of Middle River shopped and visited with friends here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Hi" Gaslin of Fargo were among those who drove here Sunday to attend the races.

August and Earnest LaSalle of Frazee, passed last week visiting at the home of their brother, Morris LaSalle.

Mrs. C. G. Mattson and baby returned Monday morning from Crookston where they spent a week visiting relatives.

Miss Clara Brenna returned to her home at Middle River Friday after visiting her sister, Mrs. John Gustafson in this city.

Miss Byrd Ecke of Fon du Lac, Wis., is spending a few weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ecke.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Engen returned the first of the week from points in Iowa where they had spent a month visiting with relatives.

Among the shopper in this city from St. Hilaire on Friday were: Mrs. Gus Larson and two sisters, Misses Edith and Judith Erickson.

Mrs. Ada Osborne and daughter, Hazel, returned to their home at Jefferson, Ia., on Sunday evening after visiting with relatives in this city.

Clarence Ringham, who had made a brief visit in this city with his sister, Miss Ruth, left Tuesday evening for Duluth where he is employed by the D. M. & M. at Proctor.

Miss Effie Hamry returned the latter part of last week from a two weeks' vacation spent in visiting her friends and relatives at Minneapolis, *St. Paul and White Bear Lake.*

Miss Lulu Cook, who had been employed at Minot, N. D., since this spring, returned to her home here on Thursday. Miss Cook contemplates remaining at her home here during the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. McCabe of Alexandria motored here the latter part of last week and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rowan. They returned to their home Tuesday morning.

Misses Grace Wilson and Grace Thomas, the latter of Black River Falls, Wis., Norman Holen and Ed. Brevig, motored to Argyle last Wednesday evening and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Melgaard.

Master Geo. Fritz returned to his home at St. Paul Saturday evening after spending the summer at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Nels Gunderson, residing on a farm near this city. On Saturday he was the guest of his aunt, Miss Anna Brokke.

Among the shoppers from Middle River here on Saturday were Mrs. Spinks, Mrs. Olaf Olson and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes. Enroute to their homes they drove by way of St. Hilaire where Miss Eva Johnson joined them. The latter will be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kvennes for a few weeks.

7 Positions

were offered to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., the past week, and only one, Caribelle Maiers, was placed, because there are not graduates enough to go around. Why not prepare for a job above the crowd? For catalog write name, tear off, and mail

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White soap, 5 bars for	35c
Dark laundry soap, 5 bars for	25c
Corn, 3 cans for	54c
Grape juice, today only	40c
Macaroni, 3 pkgs. for	27c
Spaghetti, 3 pkgs. for	27c
MEAT SPECIALS	
Bacon squares, per lb.	30c
Home rendered lard, per lb.	24c
Bologna, per lb.	20c
Minced ham, per lb.	23c
Veal Stew, per lb.	16c
Veal chops, per lb.	22c
Veal leg roasts, per lb	25c
Beef roasts, all kinds, per lb.	20c

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LOCAL FACTORY RESUMES WORK; ORDERS PILE UP

Times Company Makes First Shipment of Lonson Coin Boxes Since January.

Fifty Thousand Containers Sent to All Parts of Country During Week.

Factory Rushed to Catch Up on Back Orders—Demand Steadily Growing.

The Times Printing and Manufacturing company of this city this week shipped out approximately 50,000 Lonson Coin Boxes, a utility owned and controlled exclusively by the company. This was the first shipment since fire destroyed the plant last January and represents about one-third of the orders accumulated in the interim. No attempt has been made to secure business since it become impossible to supply the boxes and the total of 150,000 demanded within a period of seven months in spite of the fact that this utility, manufactured only in Thief River Falls, is gaining wide popularity. From now on the boxes will leave the factory in a steady stream but even at that it is probable that the force and manufacturing facilities will have to be increased *in order to keep up with the demand.*

St. Paul Sales Office.

The retailing of the Lonson coin box, the Lonson utility box, and the Lonson currency container, all patented articles, has been placed in the hands of the Lonson Manufacturing company of St. Paul, of which O. T. Rishoff is president. This concern looks after all the details of marketing, leaving to the Thief River Falls plant the manufacturing end alone. Mr. Rishoff states that he is ready to send salesmen on the road to introduce the utilities as soon as he is convinced that the factory can keep up with the demand and has already begun a systematic campaign for calling the attention of the country to this new method of coin and currency handling. When the results of this step are felt the present capacity of the plant will be taxed to the utmost, even though the back orders have by that time all been filled.

In Use Everywhere.

Coin boxes have this week been shipped to practically every state in the Union. The devices are found to be so much of an improvement over all previous methods employed for handling, shipping and storing coin and currency that they sell on sight. Banks, large mercantile houses, theatres, street car companies, and all other concerns handling coin in considerable amounts find the Lonson box just what they have been looking for, while the currency container provides a convenient and safe method of shipment. The utility box is made for the accommodation of wrapped coins and is of particular value where storage is the end desired. The field is practically unlimited and it will not be long before the local product can be found in every city and village in the United States. Samples of the boxes have also been sent to foreign countries at the request of interested parties and agencies in Canada and Mexico are probabilities of the near future.

Considerable Crew Employed.

This branch of The Times company's business is destined to become an important factor in the industrial development of Thief River Falls. At this time the factory employs 12 hands and this number is being steadily increased.

The delay in getting under way has been due entirely to inability to secure machinery and materials. Now that these essentials are again available the manufacture of the boxes and containers will be carried forward without interruption.

—Trade at Home—

Farm Bureau Day.

Friday, September 10, has been designated by the State Fair board as Farm Bureau Day. Prominent speakers for the occasion will be President Howard of the American Farm Bureau Federation, Secretary Cunningham of the Iowa Federation, President Potter of the Minnesota Federation and President Murphy of the Minnesota State Fair.

—Trade at Home—

RESULT OF CHICAGO WOOL POOL EVIDENT

Prices Mounting Upwards and Farmers Stand Chance of Getting Fair Price.

A communication received at University Farm from George McKerrow, who is representing Minnesota wool growers who have stored their wool with the National Wool Warehouse & Storage company in Chicago, says that eastern men are bidding 42 and 43 cents a pound for the quarter blood staple and 45 to 46 cents for the three-eighths. Mr. McKerrow and the National Wool Warehouse people believe they will eventually get a higher price and refuse to sell at this time. It is estimated that the prices offered would have netted the wool growers 38 cents a pound or more as against the 14 to 25 cents they were offered before they co-operated in the plan to store their wool.

The co-operative movement among farmers saved members of co-operative organizations $5,434,000 last year, according to figures of the United States Department of Agriculture. Co-operation in pooling and storing wool, under the auspices of the Farm Bureau and the extension division of the college of agriculture, seems likely to make a pretty saving for wool growers of Minnesota.

Mayor Fined Twice For Violating Liquor Laws

Dr. Murdoch, mayor of Rainy River, Ont., who a few days ago was fined $2,000 and sentenced to ten days in jail for violation of the temperance act, has again been fined $2,000 on a similar charge. Dr. Murdoch was found guilty of aiding residents of the United States in procuring liquor in Manitoba for export. It is said the prosecution of the mayor comes largely through the political enmity of local officials and it is claimed by many that some of them are using this method of "getting even" with the mayor.

SUGAR PIRATES ARE FORCED TO UNLOAD STORES

Profiteers in This Staple First to Get Hit Hard By Fall of Market.

Refusal of Credit By Banks Causes Break—Public Gets Satisfaction.

Small Dealers Not to Blame For Soaring Prices—Big Combines Responsible.

The sugar hogs are the first to get hit and the public is taking much satisfaction as it gets all the sugar it wants at reduced prices, while the profiteers are now scrambling and trying to protect themselves.

The sensational drop in sugar prices is the talk of the country and while the profiteers have been making heroic efforts to corner the supply in order to bolster the market, so much sugar has been received from unexpected sources like Java and other countries, that the speculators have not been able to buy it up as fast as it came in. On top of this, the government reserve banks have issued orders not to loan a dollar to speculators. This has caught the pirates where they could not get credit. Thus with enormous stocks stored away to be doled out to the people in small quantities so as to keep the prices up, the banks calling their loans and immense shipments of sugar coming in from other countries, the profiteers have had to unload and the result is a drop of approximately ten cents per pound within three weeks and the market still dropping.

No Sugar Shortage.

There has always been plenty of sugar in the country, but speculators have gobbled it and cornered the market. The first break in their program came when the government banks refused to make loans for speculative purposes. This shut off their credit and compelled them to sell in order to raise money to pay their notes. The very greed of the profiteers is what proved their undoing. The high prices they forced the American people to pay were so attractive that hundreds of thousands of tons of sugar from distant Java sought an outlet here, while other thousands of tons, which had been bought in Cuba last year and shipped to England, were shipped back to America and sold here. These large shipments tended to supply the local markets and the speculators got scared. Then about the middle of November the American crop for 1920 is going to be available and the government reports indicated it would be larger than usual. The combination of all these things started the break, the speculators got scared and began dumping their stores on the market, which started things some more, and the result is that sugar is getting back again to normal.

Small Dealers Suffer.

In this speculative venture unfortunately the legitimate dealers have suffered. The speculators have not been the store keepers, as their stocks are always small, but the speculators have been large concerns, many of them not even remotely connected with the grocery business. Sugar has been a good thing to speculate with and so gamblers of all descriptions have taken a fling at it. An exchange tells of an instance of where a store keeper, unable to buy sugar at any price from his regular wholesale houses, was told that a firm could supply him with what he wanted if he could pay the price. Inquiry revealed the fact that the firm that had the sugar stored away was a machine company. The company had seen a chance to make money in sugar, went into the market early last year, bought several thousand tons and simply stored it. This sort of thing was done in many sections of the country. The result was a forced shortage, legitimate dealers were unable to buy and the price went up.

Gamblers Getting Hit.

But it seems that the break has now come and the gamblers are getting hit hard. There will be few tears for them. The experience, however, is not without its compensating benefits. The public is suspicious that what happened to sugar is the same thing that has happened to most everything else it has to buy and it knows now how to correct the evil. There is every reason to believe that there is no actual shortage of shoes, clothing, and other necessities. Present prices without doubt, are due largely to speculation. The Federal Reserve banks must therefore observe strictly the rule that not a dollar be loaned anywhere throughout the United States for speculative purposes. This will head off the man who is looking for capital with which to corner markets and will effectively prevent a recurrence of what has been happening in our country since the war.

16799 DIED

in New York City alone from kidney trouble last year. Don't allow yourself to become a victim by neglecting pains and aches. Guard against this trouble by taking

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles. Holland's national remedy since 1695. Three sizes. Guaranteed. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box.

Famous Giant, 9 Feet 3 Inches Tall, to Be at Fair

Jan Van Albert, the "biggest man in the world," is coming to the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 4 to 11.

Jan is only 9 feet and 5 inches high. As he is only 19 years old, he hopes to be at least 12 feet tall when he grows up. He wears a number 24 shoe, and it takes eleven yards of cloth to make him a suit. An ordinary man needs only a little more than three yards.

With Van Albert is coming Pani, his pal, who is only 32 inches tall.

—Trade at Home—

Citizen of St. Hilaire Dies of Heart Failure

Alfred J. Larson, who moved into St. Hilaire several months ago after selling his farm west of that village, died suddenly last Wednesday. Mr. Larson had not been ill nor was he afflicted with chronic ailment of any kind and the cause of death is attributed to heart failure. He had assisted with harvesting for a few days and it is thought he over-exerted during that time, which likely aggravated the heart trouble. He felt slightly ill in the evening and along toward morning grew worse, when a doctor was called. Mr. Larson seemed to improve slightly but a few hours later suffered a sudden attack which resulted in death. Deceased had been a resident of this section for many years and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. The funeral services were conducted at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon.

Big Combination Sale

Two and a half miles west of Highlanding, about 6 1-2 miles south of Goodridge

Wednesday, Sept. 8

Anyone wishing any articles to be sold kindly see me before date of sale.

W. H. Crampton
Highlanding, Minn.

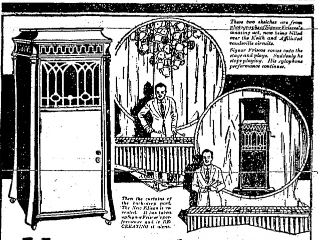

These two sketches are from photographs of Signor Friscoe's amazing act, now being billed over the Keith and Affiliated vaudeville circuits.

Signor Friscoe comes onto the stage and plays. Suddenly he stops playing. His xylophone performance continues.

Then the curtains of the back-drop part. The New Edison is revealed. It has taken up Signor Friscoe's performance and is RE-CREATING it alone.

You can hear it in our store

—the phonograph that is featured in Vaudeville's strangest act

Perhaps you've seen it—Signor Friscoe's "Magic" Xylophone Act.

It's the hit of vaudeville's "Big-Time."

Signor Friscoe's "magic" is an Official Laboratory Model of the New Edison. We have one exactly like it.

Signor Friscoe's instrument is an exact duplicate of the original Official Laboratory Model, which cost Mr. Edison three million dollars to perfect. Our instrument is also an exact duplicate of this famous three million dollar original. We guarantee it to be able to give the same marvelous RE-CREATIONS of music, which Signor Friscoe's Official Laboratory Model gives in vaudeville.

Come in and test the astonishing realism of this instrument for yourself—in Mr. Edison's Realism Test.

The NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph with a Soul"

You've read how the New Edison has proved its perfect realism. Four thousand tests have been given, in which more than 50 different artists compared their art with its RE-CREATION by the New Edison. Leading newspapers conceded that there was no difference between the two.

Has any one suggested to you that these comparison tests are "faked"—that the artist imitates the New Edison?

Signor Friscoe's performance makes such an assertion positively ridiculous. Every week, 20,000 people see his hammers ripple over the xylophone keys. Suddenly he holds them aloft—still.

The rippling music continues.

Slowly, the gorgeous curtains of the back-drop part. The audience gasps. The New Edison stands revealed. It has taken up Signor Friscoe's performance, and is now RE-CREATING it alone. The effect of this extraordinary magic can rest upon only one fact: No one can distinguish any difference between Signor Friscoe's performance and its RE-CREATION by the New Edison. Signor Friscoe could not possibly imitate the New Edison, because the xylophone can not be made to imitate any other instrument, so as to deceive its hearers.

Signor Friscoe's act is not an Edison enterprise. He has simply been clever enough to use the New Edison for what it is worth. Why don't you?

PRICES

The price of the New Edison has increased less than 15% since 1914. This includes the War Tax.

Mr. Edison has staved off price advances by personally absorbing more than half of the increased cost of manufacture.

Because of the exceptionally high quality of materials and workmanship demanded by the Edison Laboratories, and the continued scarcity of both, it may be necessary to advance prices. But rest assured that this will not occur, unless Mr. Edison is forced to it.

Our Budget Plan—the thrift way of spending—will help you buy now. Let us tell you about it.

Thief River Music Co.

Here's a Smart Fall Soft Hat

In several dimensions to suit different types of men and so shaped that it feels just right on the head.

It is impossible to tell you all about this Hat—the only way is for you to try one on. Then you will know why we sell so many.

Many colors to choose from.

$3.50, $4, $5 $6 and $7

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

Gasoline Prices Follow Crude

"What," asked a customer recently, "has caused the sharp advance in the price of gasoline?" And our answer was substantially as follows:

The advances in the selling price of gasoline which have occurred since January 1st, were due primarily to the increased cost of crude oil. The market on all grades of crude took an upward trend during the latter part of 1919, and has been climbing steadily since that time.

During 1919 gasoline prices remained stationary, the refiners absorbing the increased cost of crude as long as it was possible to do so. In January, 1920, gasoline prices generally were advanced to meet the increasing cost of raw material.

Another factor was the practical exhaustion of gasoline reserves brought about by the unprecedented demands for this fuel. During the first months of this year the consumption of gasoline greatly exceeded production.

But the primary reason was the constantly increasing price of crude oil.

Still other reasons for the mounting prices are the greatly increased cost of labor, of steel, and of other items used in manufacture; also the constantly advancing cost of marketing and distribution. Everything that goes into the refining of petroleum is very expensive today.

But the primary and controlling reason is found in the increasing cost of crude.

In keeping with its well-known policy, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has been able to maintain low prices for gasoline in the face of advancing prices for crude oil because of its large scale operation in refining, and its complete and economical system of distribution. And, also, because of its advanced facilities for obtaining a maximum quantity of gasoline from a given quantity of crude.

The Middle West depends largely upon gasoline power for producing food stuffs.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is straining every fibre of its highly specialized organization to meet this demand.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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SPECIAL ATTENTION TO MAIL ORDERS

We solicit your ordering by mail and give these our special attention.

Send your personal checks or money orders, including enough to pay parcels post charge, as we do not deliver. Should you send more than is required, we promptly return this difference.

WE SUCCESSFULLY COMPETE MAIL ORDER PRICES

For Women and Children

Ready-To-Wear Apparel Shoes, Hosiery, Underwear and Furnishings, Dry Goods and Notions

The Trail That Was Blazed From a Wyoming Town

Back in 1902 he started. Many said: "It cannot be done." But, he did it.

Inspired with the idea that a fair, square and above board service to the people would win, he established a little store in a town on the Wyoming frontier.

A few hundred dollars was his capital. With high ideals and steadfast purpose he started his store in a shambling building of twenty-five by forty-five floor space.

The Golden Rule was his policy. He was content with small profits. One cash price to everybody. All prices marked in plain figures. No fancy fixtures. No deliveries.

At that time, these were pioneer and revolutionary business methods.

This man was then twenty-six years of age. He was married; had two children. Even with the household cares, his good wife managed to do much to help that little store succeeded. The beginning was small. The outlook was big.

Already a trail of unbroken faith has been blazed to two hundred and ninety-seven thriving towns. That first store in Kemmerer, Wyoming, is the mother of its namesake in this town. From that humble beginning you today are continually benefitting by the service you receive from this Nation-Wide Institution.

For Men and Boys

Suits, Overcoats, Hats and Caps, Shirts, Collars, Ties, Underwear and Hosiery, Shoes, Furnishings and Work Clothing

WE NEVER HAVE "SALES"

With a J. C. Penney Company store near you—there is no need nor wisdom in waiting for "special sales" to buy at lowest prices.

We never hold "sales" or "cut price events." "Sales" are either a disposal of undesirable merchandise or else the prices have been marked too high at first so as to stand a "mark down" at the end of the season. Think it over! Who pays the big profits when "sales" methods are used?

You can buy from us at the beginning of the season, when the goods are newest, at prices generally as low as the so-called "after-season-clearance-sales."

Surely then you will welcome this store where you can buy what you want when you want it at a price you are very willing to pay.

ONE PRICE TO ALL

And that price bed-rock bottom always. We never discriminate in prices at which we sell merchandise.

One price to everybody—that's the real spirit of the J. C. Penney Company.

Every dollar you spend here has the same purchasing power as your neighbor's—isn't that your idea of correct business methods? We are sure that such a method has the approval of every man and woman because people always approve fair dealing, and that is the way we are conducting our business.

SATURDAY September 4

New Merchandise Always

Our low margin or profit assures rapid selling—that results in constant replenishment of our stock. You are thus assured that you have new goods to select from at all tmes in our store.

Goods do not remain here sufficiently long to become old.

Furthermore, we never buy bankrupt stocks or undesirable merchandise of any sort. The pick of the nation's best goods only and always.

Remember:---Saturday, September 4th, 1920 Shall Be a Marked day for the Economy Store

Meehan Block---202
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OPENING

Thief River Falls,
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Dry Goods---Ready-to-Wear

Ladies' stylish Cloth Coats in Wool Velour, Cheviots, Silvertone, Polo Cloth, Irish Frieze, Broad Cloth, Tweeds and Novelty Mixtures ....$24.75, $27.50, $32.50, $34.75, $37.50, $42.50.

Silk Plush Coats in Short and Long. Models with Fur Collars and large Self Collars Priced at ....$29.50, $34.75, $37.50, $39.50, $42.50, $44.75, $47.50, $54.75, $69.50.

Ladies' Suits. The finest new models of the season, at $37.50, $39.75, $42.50, $44.75

Dresses

$14.75, $19.75, $22.50, $24.75, $27.50, $29.50, $32.50

The price advantage we enjoy through our combined buying power of over 300 stores is but one of the many features. Buyers always in the market. Exclusive Styles and one of a Kind.

Staple Bargains

Many items we carry, which are real money savings. Hosiery, Underwear, Percales, Ginghams, Draperies, Dress Goods, Silks, Petticoats, Outing Gowns, Kimonas, Gloves, Etc.

SHOES

All of our Shoes are made to give the best possible wear. The styles are the very latest and our PRICES are much lower than you can find elsewhere.

Ladies' Shoes

Brown Kid, high heel	$9.90
Brown Kid, high heel, cloth top	$7.90
Black Kid, high heel, welt	$9.90
Black Kid, high heel, cloth top	$6.90
Black Kid, high heel, light sole	$5.90
Brown Calf, Military heel	$8.90 $9.90
Brown Lotus, Military heel	$6.90 $5.90
Brown Lotus, Military heel, cloth top	$5.90
Black Kid, Military heel, welt	$9.90
House Shoes in Black Kid at	$3.50, $4.50, $4.98, $5.50

Men's Shoes

Mahogany Kid, welt	$10.90
Mahogany Elk, welt, army last	$7.90
Mahogany side	$7.90
Mohagony, English welt	$6.90
Black Kid, English welt	$7.90
Black Kid, rounding toe welt	$7.90
Gun Metal rounding toe, at	$6.50, $5.50, $4.98
Hi Cuts, 8 in., 10 in., 16 in., at	$7.90, $8.90, $11.90
Good all solid leather work Shoes, at	$3.98, $4.98, $5.90

CLOTHING---Furnishings

Every factor in the cost of building a suit is brought to the lowest point by the J. C. Penney Co. method of buying clothing. Every useless expense is eliminated, every feature that makes for better styles, better quality or better value is retained.

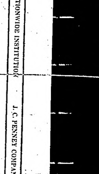

Men's Suits

$37.50, $39.75, $42.50, $44.75, $49.75 to $54.50

Boy's Suits

$8.90, $9.90, $10.90, $11.90, $12.50, $13.50, $14.75, $16.50

Boys' 2-pair Pants Suits, all wool, special tailored, fine new models $19.75

Work Shirts

WORK SHIRTS: Fine Blue Chambrey $1.19
Heavy Black Sateen $1.69

Overalls

OVERALLS: Heavy 220 Denim, full cut, union made $2.49
(Jackets same price)

We carry a complete line of BOYS', GIRLS', CHILDREN'S and BABY SHOES. These are made up to stand hard wear, and the prices are surprisingly low.

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A Nation-wide Institution
297 STORES
Thief River Falls - - - - - Minnesota

Owing to late deliveries of our merchandise and fixtaures we are not able to make as good a showing as we will later on.

J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, A NATIONWIDE INSTITUTION

BEMIDJI STATE NORMAL OPENS TUES., SEPT. 7

Regular Four Years of High School and Standard Normal Courses Maintained

Course of Junior College Rank Offered; New Dormitory Ready For Use.

Many Students From This Section of State Plan to Attend Next Term.

The new state normal school at Bemidji recently closed its first year with a total attendance beyond all expectations. Since the opening of the school in June, 1919, five hundred students attending one or more terms each, have been enrolled. Notwithstanding the fact that the school is only a year old several students who entered with advance standing were graduated in June from the two-year advance course.

Regular High School Department.

For those who live in communities without high school advantages, or for those who desire to do high school work in connection with normal school work, a full four year high school department is maintained, open to any student who has successfully completed the work of the eighth grade. Those who have partially completed a high school course will be admitted receiving proper credit for work already done.

Five Year Course.

Students who have completed the eighth grade may earn the normal school diploma in five years by taking the high school work in the normal school in connection with certain other courses required for teacher training. Last year twenty-five students were enrolled in this course.

For students who are graduates of standard four-year high schools an advance course is maintained, giving the pupil the diploma at the end of two years or when twenty-four credits beyond high school have been earned.

College Courses.

A number of courses of junior college rank are also offered, depending upon the demand and classes that can be formed.

The diploma from both the five-year and the two-year courses becomes a life certificate after two years of successful teaching and the holder is eligible, without examination to teach in rural, graded, consolidated or city schools. A graduate of the two-year course is also eligible to the principalship of a consolidated school after six weeks additional work in the state school of agriculture.

Persons desiring to teach before completing the normal school courses may receive a second grade certificate for one year, when two years of the five-year course have been completed or a first grade certificate, when one year of the advanced course, or three years of the five-year course have been completed.

Graduates from the two year course will be admitted without examination to the school of education in the state university with junior standing. A graduate from the five-year course will be admitted to the college of education with one year's standing.

Living Accommodations.

Maria Sandford hall, recently completed, will provide rooms for 50 girls and boarding accommodations for 125. This building is fire-proof, sanitary and modern in every respect and is an ideal home under the management of Mrs. Grace B. Thacker, who, during the past year was director of Willard Hall at Northwestern university.

Each student's bedroom will be furnished with a dresser, study table, three chairs, and two single (3 ft) beds, each having a good mattress, pillow 18x25, and a pair of heavy woolen blankets.

Each student will furnish her own towels, sheets, pillow cases, and dresser scarf.

In order to be sure of accommodations in the women's building, it is necessary to make reservations early by depositing $2.00. This will be refunded if notice is given one week in advance of the opening of school that the student finds it impossible to attend.

A list of approved rooming and boarding places in private families will be found at the school. Students should not engage room and board in homes not on the approved list.

—Trade at Home—

Hospital Notes.

The following patients were entered at the Physicians hospital since last Thursday: Miss Renn Grinde, Germantown; Allan Solylem, Thief River Falls; Donald Carlson, city; Baby Heierson, Holt; O. Morstad, city; Lloyd and Raymond Rassmussen, city; T. Strom, Oklee; Mrs. L. R. Johnston, city; Eugene Varty, Mahnomen; Mrs. J. J. Richter, city; Audrey Iverson, city; Esther Fricker, St. Hilaire; P. N. Peterson, Holt; A. G. Greuger, Jelle; Rose Rux, St. Hilaire; John Durbin, city; Mrs. Betty ePterson, city; Miss Minnie Schei, Marvie; Lawrence Fox, city; Armand Fox, city; Lois Seltz, city; Oliver Ronning, city; Arthur Anderson, Grygla; Henry Hanson, Greenbush; Carl Leslin, city; Zella Zeh, city; Mrs. B. F. Fuller, Orleans; Amanda Edlund, Hallock; Eunice and Hazel Thorsen, Goodridge; Mrs. C. Dohrman, Holt; Ole Neslund, Plummer; Nina Nelson, city; Julien Bendickson, Grygla.

Democracy of the Dead.

(John J. Ingalls' eulogy on Congressman Burns of Missouri.)

In the democracy of the dead all men at last are equal. There is neither range nor station nor prerogative in the republic of the grave. At this fatal threshold the philosopher ceases to be wise, and the song of the poet is silent. Dives relinquishes his millions and Lazarus his rags. The poor man is as rich as the richest, and the rich is as poor as the pauper. The creditor loses his usury, and the debtor is acquitted of his obligation. There the proud man surrenders his dignities, the politician his honors, the worldling his pleasures; the invalid needs no physician, and the laborer rests from unrequited toil.

Here at last is nature's final decree in equity. The wrongs of time are redressed. Injustice is expiated, the irony of fate is refuted; the unequal distribution of wealth, honor, capacity, pleasure and opportunity, which makes life such a cruel and inexplicable tragedy, ceases in the realm of death. The strongest there has no supremecy, and the weakest needs no defense. The mightiest captain succumbs to that invincible adversary who disarms alike the victor and the vanquished.

SMALL TOWN MAN GETS $120 JOB

Peter Schillo of Golva, N. D., saw no opportunity in that little village. He traveled 400 miles to attend Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. He graduated recently and was placed with the Milwaukee R. R. at Marmarth, beginning at $120 monthly.

Pupils come to this famous school from far and wide and are in great demand by business men. Positions will be open for 1000 D. B. C. pupils the coming year.

Join the 1000-New-Pupil Club, and "Follow the Succe$$ful." Start now. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

FARM BUREAU WILL TAKE UP NEW WORK

To Probe Activities of Stock Salesmen Operating Among Farmers of State.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation it was decided to establish a bureau of investigation as a part of the program of the County Farm Bureau and State Federation.

The purpose of this bureau will be to investigate and obtain information of all enterprises for which the sale of stock is being pushed among farmers of this state. It will also be the purpose to investigate and eliminate any and all purebred livestock selling schemes which are not operating on a basis to the best interest of both the farmer and purebred breeder. Promotion schemes not under the jurisdiction of the state security commission will be investigated, and reports furnished to anyone desiring them.

The need for this bureau has been shown by the inquiries continually coming into the office of the federation from farmers and county agents, relative to stock promoting schemes, also schemes for the sale of purebred livestock, which are going on thruout different counties.

The plan of operation of this bureau will be as follows: Questionnaires in blank form will be kept at all farm bureau offices. All farmers are to be informed of this investigation bureau and advised that before they subscribe for stock in any way to any new enterprise under promotion that they first make sure that the promoter has filled out in duplicate this questionnaire, a copy of which will be kept on file at the County Farm Bureau office, a second copy to be given to the promoter. This promotion proposition, after being carefully investigated will be approved or disapproved by the County Farm Bureau executive board, the action taken being indicated on the questionnaire. In case further information is desired than can be furnished by the promoter, investigation will be made by the State Federation.

The Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation aims to be absolutely fair to all enterprises which are being promoted. Those that are working for the welfare of the farmer and the development of agriculture will be helped along.

—Trade at Home—

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

LEGION MEETING TO BE BIG GATHERING

Red River Valley Well Represented at American Legion National Convention.

If all who are entitled to do so attend the national convention of the American Legion at Cleveland on Sept. 27, the Red River Valley will be well represented. The Ninth district has a larger membership enrollment proportionately than any other section of the state and is therefore entitled to more representatives. The Ninth district delegates to attend the convention are R. A. Rossburg, Crookston; J. Heible, Barnesville; Thos. Rodwell, Mahnomen, and R. B. Rathbun, Detroit. The alternates are Ed. McShea, Perham; J. B. Courneya, Detroit; O. B. Huskins, Hendrum, and Mose Lattendresse, Red Lake Falls. In addition to these, members of the state executive committee are expected to attend also. The Ninth district members are R. A. Rossburg of Crookston and Morlan H. Bishop of Strathcona.

The Cleveland convention is expected to be one of the largest gatherings ever held in the United States. The Minnesota delegation will have its own special train out of the Twin Cities if present plans mature.

—Trade at Home—

WANTED

500 young people to prepare for positions in Banks, Wholesale and R. R. offices, in law and real estate offices. Also as Auto and Tractor experts. Positions in Garages and Machine shops. Board and room $4.50 to $6 per week. Write Crookston College, J. C. Sathre, Pres., Crookston, Minn.

We are in the market for
SENECA ROOT
Ship promptly and get biggest market prices and prompt cash returns.
Write for Prices
McMILLAN FUR & WOOL CO.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

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is offered to High School graduates and teachers at Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. Dak. Prof. W. P. Ronglie will be in charge of the penmanship and shorthand departments. For catalog write name, tear off, and mail

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Address _______________

High Grade Dealer-Salesmen WANTED!

We want men to sell Willys Light. We offer a most profitable business opportunity in Pennington and Marshall Counties.

Men who desire a $5,000 to $10,000 a year business of their own, and who have some capital to invest, or sound credit, should not miss this opportunity.

The national reputation of Willys Products and the sales co-operation offered assure success to real workers.

Prospects almost without number are ready and willing to buy Willys Light, the super plant for furnishing Electric Light and Power to farms.

The factory is now in big production—prompt deliveries are assured.

Act quickly—telephone or
write for full particulars.

Grand Forks Overland Company
Grand Forks, N. D.

CONSIGN YOUR POTATOES
To this old reliable house

With our four associated houses---at Wadena, Crookston, Deer Creek and Thief River Falls---we have a marketing organization equalled by but few concerns in the northwest. The potato grower, who consigns his stock to us is all times assured of the highest price. The most equitable grading the promptest returns and the most liberal treatment.

References---Any of the thousands of farmers, who have dealt with us in years past.

Peterson--Biddick Co.
Wholesale Produce Thief River Falls

BUICK

POWER, sturdiness and dependability have been qualities of Buick Valve-in-Head Motor Cars from the time that the name Buick first became linked with the automobile industry. Today, in equal measure as in the past, the Buick Motor Company is dedicated to a continuance of the policy that has caused the Buick car to occupy the position it holds in the public mind.

To all that the name Buick has meant in twenty years of automobile history, the new Nineteen Twenty One Buick brings that grace of movement, that refinement of every line and feature, that sheer beauty of design which inspire a pride of ownership in a fine motor car.

The new Buick line comprises seven models, one for every possible demand. Each has the famed Buick Valve-in-Head Motor, as rugged and powerful as ever, yet refined into a mechanism of unusual quietness.

The improved radiator, hood and cowl lines give a finished touch of trimness to the body, yet without any sacrifice of Buick individuality.

A more resilient spring suspension gives these new Buick models a riding comfort as delightful as their exterior appearance is pleasing.

Each of the seven models has its own value particularly adapted to a distinct class of service. All possess those inherent Buick qualities that assure the owner the uninterrupted use of his investment.

ANNOUNCING

THE NEW NINETEEN TWENTY ONE BUICK SERIES

Three Passenger	Open	Model Twenty One	Forty Four
Five Passenger	Open	Model Twenty One	Forty Five
Four Passenger	Coupe	Model Twenty One	Forty Six
Five Passenger	Sedan	Model Twenty One	Forty Seven
Four Passenger	Coupe	Model Twenty One	Forty Eight
Seven Passenger	Open	Model Twenty One	Forty Nine
Seven Passenger	Sedan	Model Twenty One	Fifty

Ask us for Delivery Dates, Catalog and Prices, or write the Buick Motor Company, Flint, Mich.

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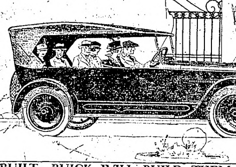

WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT, BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

HIGHER RATES FOR SHORT RAIL LINES

Permission is Granted the Smaller State Roads to Increase Freight Charges.

Freight increases of 35 per cent and an increase of 20 per cent in milk and cream rates were on Saturday authorized on the application of short line railroads operating in Minnesota by the railroad and warehouse commission. The rates are to be effective ten days following the filing of tariff. In granting the increase the commission states each of the companies making application presented figures showing an increased cost of operation and the necessity for additional revenue.

The Minnesota Northwestern Electric railway operated between Thief River Falls and Goodridge is included in the increase grant and the new rates will be established on this line at once. This makes rates on all railroads in the state, large and small, uniform in all respects.

It also stated the increased cost of operation shown by the exhibits by the Class One companies was clearly reflected in the increased cost to the short line roads and if anything the short line roads had the larger burdens in proportion to their ability to bear them and their necessity for increased revenue was clearly justified to the extent granted to other lines.

—Trade at Home—

Field Trials Near Warren to Be Held Next Month

Warren sportsmen are making preparations for the entertainment of a large number of visitors on Sept 9, 10 and 11, when the ninth annual field trial of the All-America Trial club will be held there. Some of the most prominent owners and breeders of bird dogs in the United States and Canada will bring their dogs to participate in the field contest. Reservations have already been made for practically all the available rooms at hotels and indications point to one of the best trials in the history of the club.

The excellent hunting grounds in the vicinity of Warren have for years been the favorite fields of many hunters and owing to the closed season of which this is the second summer, prairie chickens are now more numerous than ever, offering exceptional opportunities for working the dogs.

—Trade at Home—

RED CROSS TO GIVE FREE AID AT FAIR

Accident and Emergency Cases to Be Treated at Red Cross Hospital.

Accidents and emergency cases of illness at the Minnesota State Fair will receive free treatment at the Red Cross Hospital which will be maintained on the Fair Grounds during the week of September 4 to 11, under the direction of Dr. Mabel S. Ulrich, director of health service for Northern division.

An entire building will be occupied by the hospital. There will be two wards, containing twenty-five beds, and a porch which will be used as a sun-parlor. Dr. L. A. Calkins, of the University Hospital in Minneapolis, will be in charge, with Dr. S. B. Solhaug as his assistant. Captain G. R. G. Fisher, first aid expert for the Northern Division, will be on the ambulance which has been provided by the Red Cross. Other members of the staff are Miss Frances Grannis, a trained nurse from the Children's Preventorium of Ramsey county, two ambulance drivers, and any other volunteer helpers that may be found necessary.

Last year, the State Fair association had charge of the emergency work, with Dr. Calkins as superintendent. The large number of cases of heat exhaustion, faintness, and accidents of various kinds which came up during the week made it seem advisable to make more extensive preparations for the work this year. The Northern Division of the Red Cross volunteered its service, and through the efforts of C. S. Thompson of the health department all arrangements have been made to care for practically any case of an emergency nature which may arise.

—Trade at Home—

Suffers Serious Injury.

P. J. Keating, state grain inspector, suffered a serious injury last week in jumping from the door of a car of grain. He twisted his knee in such a manner that one of the large ligaments of the leg was completely torn loose from its moorings and it will be necessary for him to navigate by means of crutches for a considerable period. The injury is painful and it has been difficult for Pat to maintain his jovial attitude and smile since the accident.

—Trade at Home—

Injured in Fall.

Mrs. Olaf Ramstad is under the *care of doctors as a result of having* the fallen to the sidewalk on Sunday. The rain of the morning had made the sidewalk slippery and Mrs. Ramstad fell heavily just after leaving the house, badly spraining and bruising her right elbow. A second fall, caused likely by faintness from the pain of the first accident, resulted in an injury to her chest and a bruised wrist.

"CAN'T BE BEAT" DECLARES FARMER

Eight Years Trouble Ended By Tanlac and He Can Work as Well as Ever.

"Yes, sir, Tanlac has put me in the very pink of condition and I can do as big a day's work as ever," was the statement made a few days ago by William Hinkemeyer, a prosperous farmer living at Hopkins, Minn.

"My troubles all started from my stomach after it got out of order about eight years ago, and I have been going down hill ever since. Nearly everything I ate went against me and caused me to fill up with gas something awful. I had terrible pains around my heart and in my chest and sometimes these attacks laid me out so badly and I was unable to work for two or three days afterwards. Many a night I suffered so with my stomach I had to get out of bed and walk the floor trying to get easy. My nerves were all upset and as a result what sleep I managed to get was so restless it did me little or no good. I was also troubled with constipation and often had severe nervous headaches. I lost considerable weight and felt fagged out and good-for-nothing all the time.

"But now I am a different man and feel as fine as I ever did in my life and Tanlac is the cause of it all. My appetite is so good that my biggest trouble now is trying to satisfy it. And no matter what or how much I eat it all agrees with me. In fact my stomach was never in better order. I am no longer bothered with constipation or headaches, my nerves are steady and I sleep like a log every night. I am back to normal weight, one hundred and eighty pounds, feel as strong as an ox and never have to miss a day from work. Tanlac is something that can't be beat and I don't hesitate one minute to recommend it."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—Adv.

Burglars Getting Bolder.

Somebody in Thief River Falls is evidently bent on committing a successful burglary before giving up in disgust. Several attempts have during the past week or two been made to gain entrance to various business buildings and residences but the would-be thief invariably runs into some obstacle which keeps him from making a haul. The work seems to be that of an amateur burglar who is well acquainted with local conditions, but a little more experience and a streak of better luck may put him in the professional class—that is, if he isn't nabbed in the meantime and put behind the bars.

—Trade at Home—

POTATO MEN FORM NEW ORGANIZATION

Farmers Band Together For Purpose of Engaging in Co-Operative Marketing.

Bureau office on Friday, Aug. 27. A large number of interested potato growers were present, who hope to make the association one of the most successful of its kind. At least four more meetings will be held during the year for the purpose of outlining the work of the organization. By-laws were adopted at the last meeting and the association is now ready for business.

Any producer of farm products, including both the landlord and tenant in territory tributary to Thief River Falls or St. Hilaire, may become a member of the association by agreeing to comply with the requirements of the by-laws and by becoming the owner of a share of stock in the association.

Each grower upon becoming a member sociation held a meeting at the Farm

The Pennington County Produce asber of this association is required to enter into a contract with the association in the form required by the board of directors. The contract shall specify, among other things, that the grower appoints the association his agent for the purpose of handling, storing, grading, and marketing, all the potatoes and other products contracted for and delivered to it and that he binds himself to deliver to the association such products at such time and place as may be mutually agreed upon.

The period of the contract shall extend indefinitely, provided that a grower wishing to withdraw his membership may cancel his contract on the first of July of any calendar year upon giving thirty days notice to the association.

Any detailed information may be obtained at the Farm Bureau office or from Alfred Benson of St. Hilaire, who is president of the association, or the secretary-treasurer, R. J. McKercher, of St. Hilaire.

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WOOL THE BANNER CROP FOR SEASON

Two Hundred Per Cent Better Than Usual—Other Yields Above Average.

According to the crop report sent to the United States department of Agriculture by County Agent J. J. McCann under date of Sept. 1, the general situation in Pennington county is highly gratifying. Wool is the banner product of the year, both in volume and in comparison with previous seasons, being 150 per cent over that of 1919 and 200 per cent better than the usual production.

No figures are given as to the yield of grains but condition reports are very good. Wheat is put down as 75 per cent of normal, corn 90, oats 110 and barley 96 per cent. Flax promises to be the best crop in the county when compared with previous years, being given a rating of 99 per cent.

Tame hay is stated to have averaged two and one-half tons to the acre with a percentage mark of 98 on condition. Wild hay production is placed at one and a half tons and condition at 96 per cent.

The hogs on hand for fattening is placed at 80 per cent of last year's number and 85 per cent of the usual amount.

Clover seed is 30 per cent better than last year and 40 per cent better than the average, while in condition it is placed at 98. Timothy is given as yielding two tons per acre of a quality five per cent better than last year and 15 per cent better than usual. Alfalfa went three and one-half tons to the acre, which is ten per cent more than usual. *Millet and* pasture conditions are given as 98 per cent.

Other crop conditions are as follows: Millet 98, pasture 98; field peas 105, field beans 98, tomatoes 110, cabbages 97, onions 90. The sugar beet crop is placed at 100 per cent.

—Trade at Home—

Amputated Two Fingers.

P. N. Peterson, a farmer residing near Holt, was brought to the city for medical attention on Monday. He had managed in some manner to get his hand into the sickle blade of a binder while the machine was in motion with the result that the third and little fingers were cut completely off.

—Trade at Home—

THREE MILLION AID FOR GOPHER ROADS

Minnesota Must Use Its Share of Federal Apportionment or Other States Get It.

Nearly three million dollars of Federal money is available for road building in Minnesota as soon as that state provides an equal sum, the Department of Agriculture announced Monday. The total is $2,842,089 of which $2,131,567 is provided in the 1919 appropriation bill and the remainder in the 1916 act.

Unless Minnesota uses its share of the money other states will get it.

For North Dakota there is available nearly $1,500,000 and for South Dakota a little more than $1,600,000. All this money became available July 1.

For the entire country the amount of Federal aid for road building is $100,000,000. From this sum is deducted $3,000,000 for use by the government.

The department calls attention to the fact that new legislation must be passed by the next Congress if the program of Federal aid is to be continued.

Thomas H. Macdonald, chief of the bureau of public roads, who formerly was state engineer in Iowa, states that previous apportionments have been taken up, and it is not likely that the state will fail to absorb this last apportionment. To do so, however, will mean that the states must survey, plan and let contracts for at least $200,000,000 worth of Federal aid construction in the next two years.

If the states continue to pay more than 50 per cent of the cost, as they have in the past, the cost of the roads constructed with this last apportionment may reach $250,000,000.

In 1915 the expenditure for all the roads in the United States constructed under state supervision was only $80,000,000.

—Trade at Home—

Victory Medals Ready For Distribution; One Received

Fred T. Scanlon is the first Thief River Falls soldier to receive one of the new victory medals which is to be presented to all soldiers and sailors who took part in the great war. The medal is of bronze and carries on one side the names of all the allied countries in the following order: United States, France, Italy, Serbia, Japan, Montinegro, Russia, Greece, Great Britain, Belgium, Brazil, Portugal, Roumania, China. On the reverse side is a reproduction of the Victory statue surrounded by the words, "The Great War For Humanity." Two straps clasp the ribbon, one for each of the sectors in which Mr. Scanlon saw service, the Champagne-Marne and Defensive Sector. These straps will vary in number to comply with the principal engagements in which the recipient took part.

These medals will be distributed *free to all soldiers* who enter a request for them. Any soldier wishing one should apply to G. Howard Smith.

—Trade at Home—

Picture of Thief River Woman in Sunday Journal

The Sunday Minneapolis Journal published the photographs of a group of leading club women of the state. Among these is an excellent likeness of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich of Thief River Falls, who is thrift chairman of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs.

Mrs. Froehlich will take a leading part in the state convention of the federation held this week at Northfield and from there will go to the state fair in the interest of the thrift exhibit.

—Trade at Home—

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minnesota postoffice for the week ending August 28, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch at Chicago, Ill.:

Collins, Mr. Geo.
Ford, Mr. Miles
Lake, S. B.
Mace, T. H.
Malloy, Mr. Al.
Ruikka, Henry J.
Sullivan, T. W.
Troten, Mrs. Anna
Tully, Mr. Roy
Weber, Mrs. Ben
Woolen Mills

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PUBLIC FORUM

Secretary Submits Facts in Union Label Argument

An item in the Tribune of last Friday relative to the use of the label of the International Typographical Uniol seems to require a little explanation. To put the matter straight before the public the following facts are submitted:

Wage scales and agreements, signed by Thief River Falls employers and officers of the local typographical union, were on July 1 submitted to International officers of the union for approval. Such approval is necessary in order to secure the use of the union label and general benefits coming from membership in the organization. So far so good. The agreements were not approved, however, making it necessary to add two minor amendments to conform with International requirements. The official union labels were held by the International secretary pending the approval and signing of the amendments by the local parties concerned.

Local union officers submitted the amendments to Thief River Falls employing printers. The Times company signed the amendment without argument, thereby conforming with all requirements and becoming a union shop in every sense of the term. The manager of the Tribune, although repeatedly asked to sign, refused to do so. The amendment, carrying only the signature of the Times manager, was submitted to the International secretary and approved. The labels were immediately forwarded and The Times given the privilege of using the union insignia in its issue of last Thursday.

At that time the Tribune management *had not yet signed the amendment*, which was imperative in order that the shop be classed as a union establishment and entitled to the use of the label. The signature of the Tribune management was not affixed to the amended agreement until Friday morning, Aug. 27, which makes it obvious that the statement of The Times concerning the union label was, at that time, correct in every particular. As soon as the manager's signature was affixed to the amendments, the Tribune immediately became a strictly union shop and the union officers are pleased to recognize it as such. The Times last Thursday was the only strictly union newspaper in the city and said so. Friday morning the Tribune establishment also became a full-fledged union shop when its manager signed the amended agreement, and was immediately granted the use of the label.

This explanation is published to set the matter straight and to relate the facts as they really occurred.

R. J. HALVORSEN, Sec'y.,
Local Union No. 850, I. T. U.

—Trade at Home—

Up to Supreme Court.

The Marshall county division case came up for review before the supreme court on Tuesday. Petitions of residents of the east end of the county to create Liberty county and those of residents in remaining territory to establish Park county were submitted. The case was taken up for immediate review and a decision is looked for within a short time.

—Trade at Home—

Sells Dray Line.

Oliver Severson last week sold his dray and transfer line to Ira Nicholson, retaining only his motor truck. Mr. Nicholson took immediate charge of the business and expects to add to his equipment later on. Mr. Severson has made arrangements to engage in farming near Crookston and moved with his family to the new home the first of this week.

—Trade at Home—

The Times, the best value for $2.00

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and following the death of Mrs. Oscar Evenson.—Oscar Evenson and Children, Mrs. J. J. Baxter, Mrs. Ed. Straefer, Mrs. Vic. Cartier, Mrs. T. Johnson, Targe Froisness, Tallack Froisness. s2p

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September
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Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1920

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One rug, 10x12
Two lawn mowers
One 50 gal. gas tank
One kitchen table
One oil stove and oven
One Electric washing machine
Two electric flat irons
Two electric toasters
Some Mason jars
Dishes, cooking utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

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Those who were present at the opening of our new ice cream factory on Saturday evening were surprised at the extent and completeness of the institution. This is naturally a source of much pride to us, but we are more proud of the product that the factory is turning out. It is our aim to make the best ice cream in the state and our equipment has been selected with this end in view.

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You will at the same time be getting the best article that can be manufactured. If your regular dealer does not carry this famous brand he will do so if you demand it. You may as well have the best whether you only wish one dish or a gallon.

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The Fordson Tractor then asks you to buy it because of what it has done for your neighbors. It asks you to buy it, Mr. Farmer, because you have use for it every day in the year. All the uses for the Fordson Tractor have not yet been uncovered because new places where machine power can take the place of human power, where machine power can supplant horse and mule-power, are being found every week, and wherever such discovery occurs, the Fordson Tractor will fill the bill more satisfactorily than any other form of power.

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Now why not have a Fordson right away? Take up the subject with us. Come in and get the details, and all the particulars. It is only a matter of time until you buy a farm Tractor—that is sure. So don't put it off when it means money to you to act promptly.

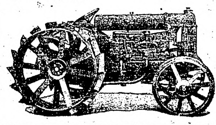

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Churches

Ev. Mission Church, O. J. ...stor—Services next Sun... school at 10 a. m. ...ornin[g] [ser]vices at 11 a. m., and eve... ...ce at 8 p. m.

St. ...s Lutheran Church, E. H. ...eidstor—Services with preach... the English language at 10 ... Sunday morning. Sunday ...at 9:30.

...Lutheran Church, T. E. ...Pastor—Confirmation services ...lish next Sunday at 11 a. m. ...union service in English Sun... ...ing at 8 p. m. Sunday ...hool 9:30. Ladies aid meets this ...in the church basement. ...Peoples society meets this ...in the church basement.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. ... Young Peoples meeting at Rosewood 9:30. Services in city at 8 ...m. Prayer meeting at 7:30. ... Ladies Aid at ...Mrs. ...tingen's on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Sept. 7. Bethlehem Ladies Aid at Chas. Evenson's Wednesday at 2 p. m., Sept. 8 Zion Ladies Aid in city entertained Thursday at 2 p. m., Sept. 9th by Mrs. Finberg. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday, Sept. 9th, entertained by Mrs. Ostmoe and Mrs. Hendrickson.

The First Swedish Ev. Luth Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services Sunday. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. The Luther League will be entertained by the Peterson family at their home near Rosewood on Friday evening, Sept. 10.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. The evening meeting will be in English. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Monday at 8 p. m. prayer meeting and Bible study meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sept. 5: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. The pastor of the church is arranging his themes for the season beginning Sept. 5, into a coordinated series covering the fundamental facts of the life of Christ and the foundation teachings of the original Christianity. These will be treated in a practical way with reference to present day needs and conditions and varied according to circumstances.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Man." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Entertains at Luncheon.

Mrs. G. C. Streeter informally entertained a few ladies at her home on Red Lake boulevard on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Miss Blanche Johnson whose marriage occurs on Sept. 8. A delicious lunch was served at 5 o'clock. The table appointments were carried out in pink and white. A large bowl of sweet peas formed a pleasing centerpiece. Streamers of pink and white suspended from the chandelier marked each guests place at the table.

Vinje-Wick.

Conrad Vinje and Miss Mable Wick, both of Pine Creek were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon at the parsonage of the Zion Lutheran church, Rev. Geo. Larson performing the ceremony. The witnesses were Bennie Vinje, a brother of the groom and Miss Wick, a sister of the bride. The newlywed couple will make their home at Viking.

Farewell Party.

The members of the Zion Lutheran congregation held a surprise party in the basement of the church on Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Inga Berg and son, Elric, and daughter, Miss Myrtle, who leave in a short time for Minneapolis to make their future home. Elric will attend Augsburg seminary this winter. Speeches were made by Rev. Geo. Larson and T. A. Fossum. The honored guests were presented with handsome gifts as remembrances of the occasion, Mrs. Berg receiving a genuine black leather traveling bag while Miss Myrtle was given a pretty brooch and Elric a pair of gold cuff links. At 10 o'clock a delicious lunch which had been contributed by the ladies, was served.

NOTICE

The Burroughs adding machine now in use at the office of the city clerk will be offered for sale to the highest bidder on Tuesday, Sept. 14, at 8 o'clock P. M. This machine is a regulation No. 7 has seven rows of figures and is in perfect condition. Must be sold to make room for larger machine.

All bids must be sealed and addressed to the undersigned. Right to reject any or all bids reserved.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
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Mrs. Oscar Evenson.

On August 26, occurred the death of Mrs. Oscar Evenson at the age of 24 years. Deceased had suffered since last February and in June her condition became such that she was taken to Oakland Park sanitorium where she remained until the time of her death. Gladys Froisness was born on Nov. 11, 1896 on a farm in Marshall county about eight miles from this city. She attended school in the country and in this city. Previous to her marriage to Oscar Evenson she was employed as operator at the local exchange. To this union two children were born who with the father survive. Their names are Eleanor aged two and Gweneth aged one year. Deceased is survived by two brothers and four sisters whose names follow respectively: Tarje and Tallack, and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. Straefer, all of Larimore, N. D., and Mrs. Cartier of Washington. All were present at the funeral with the exception of the latter.

Miss Annie Smith left Thursday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Clara Peterson left Thursday afternoon for Ada where she will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. Frank Burggraf returned Wednesday evening from Superior, Wis., where she spent two days visiting at the home of her daughter.

Miss Gerda Mortenson of Fosston spent a few days in the city the latter part of last week trying to secure a suitable room to rent for the coming term of school.

Miss Lauretta Kelly, accompanied by her cousin, Sarah Hennessey, arrived the first of last week from Conway, N. D., and visited friends here between trains. They left the same evening on the flyer for Minneapolis where they will visit for a period of two weeks and also attend the fair.

Leave For Moorhead.

A. C. Lockrem and family left this week for Moorhead, where Mr. Lockrem recently purchased a restaurant. He took charge of the business Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Lockrem have made Thief River Falls their home for a number of years and have numerous friends here who will wish them well in their new location.

—Trade at Home—

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.24
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.19
Oats	.50
Flax	2.50
Barley	.75
Rye	1.65
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	6.80
Bran	2.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Corn and Oat feed, 80-lb. bags	2.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb.	.50
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.25
Spring Chickens	.25
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.38
Dairy butter	.55
Creamery butter	.58
Cow hides, per lb.	.10
Horse hides	3-4
Calf hides	.12
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.18
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.08
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows	.05
Lamb, per lb.	.09

BETTER ROADS WILL SOON BE A REALITY

Opposition to Babcock Amendment Reported Rapidly Dissolving in State.

Senator Leonard H. Nord, executive secretary of the Minnesota Highway Improvement association this week said that reports from all sections indicate that opposition to the good roads amendment to the state constitution is disappearing as rapidly as the plan is explained and correctly understood.

Senator P. H. McGarry, president of the highway improvement association, this week is continuing a successful series of daily meetings for Amendment No. 1 in Minnesota counties.

The senator is explaining the purpose of this legislation to permit the state to take over, improve and maintain 7,000 miles of main traveled highway and to raise motor vehicle license fees to provide necessary funds. The plan, he adds, will enable the counties and towns to build and maintain good laterals or feeder roads with the funds raised by taxation as at present.

—Trade at Home—

CROOKSTON PEOPLE NOW MILLIONAIRES

Get One-Fourth of Four Million Dollar Estate, According to Word Received.

Mrs. Peter Fundel of Crookston is heir to one million dollars from an Ohio estate. Such was the word which has been received by her from Ohio authorities. Papers of identification were forwarded to the Ohio county, in which the estate was probated. Mrs. Fundel and her husband reside on the J. E. Watt farm near Crookston.

According to word received a four million dollar estate will be divided among four people, including Mrs. Fundel. A brother of Mrs. Fundel, who is a brother-in-law of Mr. Watt, one of the proprietors of the Bijou theatre in Crookston, will also receive one fourth of the large estate.

"We desire nothing said about the fortune left Mrs. Fundel until verification is made," said Mrs. J. E. Watt when seen. "It really seems too good to be true. The Fundels have announced no plans as to what they plan to do with the money left them.

—Trade at Home—

Even in the most isolated communities posts of the Legion are to be found. Art Taylor Post of Ajo, Ariz., located in western Pima county is 100 miles from the nearest town and with a membership of sixty-six has started a fund for a permanent home.

—Trade at Home—

HUSEBY SECRETARY OF CROP EXHIBITS

Red River Valley Development Association Holds Important Meeting at Crookston.

John Huseby, professor of animal husbandry at the Northwest School of Agriculture, was elected secretary of the Red River Valley Live Stock Association at a meeting of the board of directors held Tuesday. Mr. Huseby will fill the position made vacant by the removal of W. V. Gousoff to Illinois. The new secretary was formerly county agent of Marshall county and is well acquainted with the work his new duties as livestock secretary will require.

The board voted to appropriate $250 toward the Junior Live Stock Show, which is to be held by the members of the boys and girls clubs in the live stock pavilion during the second week of November.

It was agreed by the board that a limit should be placed on the number of animals that can be sold at the winter show and sales by any one person or firm, and that the custom being adopted at all large sales of requiring that any and all animals entered for sale must be for actual sale without any reserve bids on them. Other action by the board had to do with the rotation of the days upon which the various classes and breeds of animals would be sold. The plan contemplates an arrangement whereby a system of rotation would be followed each year so that the kinds sold the forepart of the week one year will come in on later days the next year, thus establishing an equality of days all around.

W. E. Morris, assistant state leader of the farm bureaus was in attendance at the meeting as were directors and officers from various sections of the valley. The 1921 winter show and sale dates are February 7 to 11.

—Trade at Home—

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends for the beautiful floral offerings, and sympathy after the death of our beloved mother.—Mrs. Oscar Lillemoe, Knut Iverson, Iver Iverson, Martha Iverson, Adina Iverson. s3p

HORSES

Auction Sale

One Carload of Horses and Mares will be sold at the old Ramstad Livery Barn on

Monday, Sept. 6th, 1920

starting at one o'clock sharp.

One pair Brown Geldings 6 yrs. old wt. 2500 lbs.
One pair of Greys 5 yrs. old wt. 2500 lbs.
One Grey Gelding 5 yrs. old wt. 1200 lbs.
One Grey 5 yrs. old wt. 1200
Two Bay Mares 5 yrs. old wt. 2300
One Sorrel pair Mares 5 yrs. old wt. 2250 lbs.
One Saddle Horse 8 yrs. old wt. 1100
One Sorrel Mare 7 yrs. old wt. 1050 lbs.
One Bay Mare 8 yrs. old wt. 1250 lbs.
One Black Gelding 5 yrs. old wt. 1200
One Mule 10 yrs. old wt. 1100 lbs.
One Mare and Colt 1000 lbs.
One Hamiltonian Mare 9 yrs. old wt. 1000 lbs.

USUAL TERMS

Mark McCarthy, Owner

Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Clerk. W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer

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Silvertown Cords 8000 Miles
Fabric Tires 6000 Miles

Goodrich Tires

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Where's the economy in wringing the last mile out of a worn-out tire when you can buy a new Goodrich Tire from 15% to 20% less than in 1910?

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The latest and best article of its kind manufactured. Can be had in the ordinary foot power models or with motor attachment.

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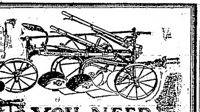

YOU NEED THIS FAMOUS CTX GANG

With its strong one-piece frame, ideal foot lift, high wheels, self-adjusting parallel rod, adjustable hitch, short bails and hangers, etc., you have a plow, in the Rock Island No. 8 Gang, that for strength, ease of operation and light draft cannot be surpassed.

The frame of the No. 8 is the stoutest ever put on a plow—a heavy one-piece frame, opening at the right hand corner of the front, where the least strain is. The two ends are bolted together—the strongest construction possible.

HIGH WHEELS—LONG WHEEL BASE

You will notice all of the wheels are higher, the big land wheel 36 inches, and the front and rear furrow wheels, 24 inches.

The No. 8 Gang is very light of draft, for it has a long wheel base, yet a short hitch. The long wheel base steadies the plow and holds it to its work, and at the same time makes it possible to seat the driver well back over the rear wheel. Seated in this position he can see the work being done while the ground is being turned over.

"CTX" BOTTOMS

Add to these features the famous "CTX" Bottom and you have the best plowing outfit on the market. "CTX" Bottoms go into any soil and turn the furrow slice clear over, saving the moisture for the hot, dry days—which means saving your crops from drought.

Rambeck & Stone
Thief River Falls, Minn.

SMALLER WHEAT ACREAGE BUT GREATER VOLUME IS REPORTED

Monthly Statement of Federal Reserve Bank Says Northwestern States Show Big Jump in Yield of Small Grains—Conditions Above Normal.

In 1919 the wheat acreage in North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and Montana, the grain growing states of the ninth federal reserve district, was 17,731,000 acres. In 1920 the acreage was 14,949,000. Despite the reduction, however, accordingly to the monthly report of crops and business conditions announced today by the Ninth Federal Reserve bank, the total production in 1919 was 132,227,000 bushels while in 1920 the production increased to 181,950,000 bushels. Similar increases are noted in oats, barley, rye, flax, corn and hay.

As compared with a year ago, says the report, these states are producing an excess of 198,000,000 bushels of small grains and 3,000,000 bushels of corn, or a total of 613,000,000 bushels, representing a traffic requirement of approximately 521,000 cars. In this connection, it is interesting to note that a large number of country elevators reporting in May showed that they had received an average of 2.12 cars for the month. In June there was some improvement, and the average of reporting elevators was 2.22 cars for the month. In July, the same list of elevators averaged only two cars per month, or a less favorable average than either of the two preceding months. The situation at terminals has improved, however, due to the energetic efforts of the Interstate commerce commission and the railroads. The latest figures still show 7,350,000 bushels of grain of the old crop in 4,900 elevators in Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota, and 8,500,000 bushels of the old crop still left on the farms.

Much of the new crop has already reached market. The samples give evidence of spotted conditions. While there is a large amount of very good wheat, there is also considerable grain that is shrunken and lacking in weight. Over the district as a whole, there is ample evidence that properly prepared and sufficiently cultivated lands have given good returns.

Money Conditions Tight.

The slowing up of business which was noted during the month of June has been offset to a considerable extent during the month of July by the rising tide of business confidence based very largely on the favorable prospects for the crop. Statistical indices for the month exhibit mixed tendencies. The volume of grain, flour and cattle transported has declined and only by rigorous measures was an increase in coal receipts secured. Debits to individual accounts and postal savings deposits exhibit declines. The buying power of the public appears to have reached a limit. Stringent money conditions prevail. Liquidation of merchandise has progressed very slowly. On the other hand, there has been an increase in the volume of traffic through the Soo Canal and in the valuation of new building permits. Collections generally are good. Some food prices have fallen. Flour milling and copper mining companies report decreases and lumber and iron mining companies report increases in the volume of production. There has been no shortage of labor to handle the crop; and labor conditions have improved among the industries. It appears that general business was better at the end of July than at the end of June, but this improvement was based upon the expectation that the crop would be promptly shipped and converted into cash as in past years. Transportation conditions during the next few months are the keystone to the business situation in the near future.

Farmers Hold Cattle.

Bankers report a tendency to withhold cattle from market in the hope of better prices by many farmers with five to twenty head each in the states of Minnesota, North Dakota and northern Wisconsin. In parts of Montana and South Dakota cattle are being withheld from market in order to convert the prevailing grass into weight. Montana shipments will be lighter than in former years as many herds were depleted last year. Thruout the district, wool is being stored by the growers in the hope of a better market. "No buyers" is the prevailing report. More wool has been consigned by Montana growers than elsewhere.

Prices Decline Substantially.

During the month of July, prices declined substantially for the primary products of this district, including all the grains, flour, beef, lambs, butter, potatoes and garden produce. There was a moderate increase in hogs, veal, eggs and hens at wholesale. Dun's review reports that the following products were quoted at lower prices on August 1st than a year ago: copper, hogs, hides and wool.

Collection conditions in the Ninth Federal Reserve District on the whole are good. Investigation has shown no increase in bad debts. Business men are optimistic as to the future. It is significant that business is dull in many lines, particularly in leather and automobiles and auto tires. There has been very little overstocking with consequent inability to settle obligations promptly. The majority of firms felt a tightness of money in the spring months, varying according to the trade from April to June. Collections fell off then but in most lines recovered in July. Some report July collections as normal or the best in years. Retailers who allow sales on open account report collections normal, but where longer credits are granted on contract, the slowing up of collections is marked. Wholesalers report collections good in dry goods, hardware and farm implements. The automobile trade, on the contrary, notes a great decline. Business men, though optimistic, admit frankly that their collections for the year depend on a good crop and transportation.

No Sign of Easy Money.

Interest rates continue very firm. There is no sign of easy money in the immediate future, and it is likely that the present level of money rates will continue throughout the fall and early winter. Some authorities look for changes in commodity prices before spring, which will probably affect the money market, and current reports give some support to the view that the shortage of production will be overcome in some measure during the next six months. Still goods seem to be scarce. During the month, the Federal Reserve Bank issued a notice to all borrowing member banks that it will expect liquidation with the movement of the crop, and that as farm products seek their markets, creating a flow of money in the country, it will depend upon its members to proportionately reduce their obligations, and put themselves in shape as against spring planting time, and the demands of the coming year.

Tight money, high wage rates and the level of prices for all building materials has created very bad housing conditions in practically all the centers of the district. There is no sign of any general resumption of normal building operations although the building program that has been deferred is larger than any this district has ever had in prospect. Much the same conditions are true as to other lines of activity that tend toward business and industrial expansion and the development of the resources of the district. Not much relief along these lines can be expected until there has been a more substantial break in prices than has yet occurred.

American Legion Notes

In order to prevent the mulcting of the next-of-kin of men who died in the war by unscrupulous swindlers the American Legion has started a campaign among its 9,600 posts to warn against such practices and to arrest and prosecute all offenders. A personal canvass of all gold star mothers and relatives of those who died in service will be made in every community where there is a Legion post and they will be fully informed of the means taken by the swindlers to obtain money. One such confidence man already has been arrested after he had sent a telegram to a mother in the name of her missing son, asking for funds. Offers to provide details of soldiers' deaths and information as to the location of their graves for payment are the usual lure held out by the swindlers.

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Le Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux of the American Legion has laid plans for attending the Cleveland convention in force and will make the trip in a novel vehicle. American box cars bearing the sign "40 Hommes, 8 Chevaux" will carry the Philadelphia members to the Ohio city and many other voitures of the society in the West and South are planning to follow the example of the parent body.

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Trips by water to the Legion convention at Cleveland, Sept. 27, 28, and 29, are rapidly springing into favor. The Charles S. Learned Post of Detroit will bring 1,000 Legionnaries to Cleveland on a specially-chartered boat and Chicago Post has arranged for two boats to accommodate between 2,000 and 3,000 Legionnaries. A movement is on foot to have every big city on the Great Lakes charter at least one or two boats, as in this way the problems of transportation, meals and housing will be solved for Legionnaries at a single stroke.

The Department of Minnesota leads all others in the number of units of the women's auxiliary according to reports received at National headquarters of the Legion. Approximately 5,000 women are members of its 93 units.

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Eighteen French orphans already have been adopted by Legion posts throughout the country in their drive to take care of the suffering children of France. The record in adoptions so far is held by Gertrude E. Craig of Springfield, Ill., a former naval reserve nurse who has taken two orphans and announces that she intends to care for them for more than a year—the usual period of adoption.

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It is now possible for members of the American Legion to obtain tents free from the government. Under House Joint Resolution 11, and an amendment approved July 26, 1919, the loan of tentage (no cots or blankets) is provided for. Applications should be addressed to Major Reese, chief of clothing and equipage, 1236 Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

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A reception and ball, theater parties for delegates and a sightseeing trip by special train to Tia Juana, across the Mexican line, were on the program of the second annual convention of the Department of California, held at San Diego.

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The Vincent B. Costello Post of Washington, D. C., following out the Legion's plan of caring for wounded service men gave an excursion and athletic carnival at Chesapeake Beach at which thirty-five patients from the Walter Reed Hospital, forty-five from the Navy Hospital and ten from Fort Myer Hospital, were present as guests.

HARDING GLAD AMERICANS ARE A FREE PEOPLE

In Speech to Indiana Delegation Republican Nominee Declares for Security at Home.

EUROPE HAS EVEN NOW QUIT WILSON'S LEAGUE

Yet Democratic Party Leaders Would Have Us Bound by Original Pact With No American Safeguards.

> **"STEADY AMERICA!"**
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> "Mindful of our splendid example and renewing every obligation of association in war, I want America to be the rock of security at home, resolute in righteousness and unalterable in security and supremacy of the law.
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> "Let us be done with wiggling and wobbling.
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> "Steady America! Let us assure good fortune to all."
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> Senator Warren G. Harding in address before the Indiana delegation at Marion.

Marion, O. (Special.)—Senator Warren G. Harding, Republican nominee for President, in a speech delivered to a delegation from Indiana which called on him here to *pledge the support of* Indiana Republicans, declared that twice President Wilson had an opportunity to obtain ratification of the League of Nations covenant and that he put ratification aside because he would not accept reservations designed solely to safeguard American rights. Senator Harding said:

"I greet you in a spirit of rejoicing; not a rejoicing in the narrow personal or partisan sense, not in the gratifying prospects of party triumph; not in the contemplation of abundance in the harvest fields and ripening corn fields and maturing orchards; not in the reassuring approach of stability after a period of wiggling and wobbling which magnified our uncertainty—though all of these are ample for our wide rejoicing—but I rejoice that America is still free and independent and in a position of self-reliance and holds to the right of self-determination, which are priceless possessions in the present turbulence of the world.

"Let us suppose the senate had ratified the peace treaty containing the league covenant as submitted to it by the president in July of last year, what would be the situation confronting our common country today? To my mind there is but one answer. Before this day we would have been called upon to fulfill the obligations which we had assumed under Article 10 of the league covenant, to preserve the territorial integrity of Poland 'as against external aggression.'

Sympathy for Poland.

"I shall not now attempt to measure the boundless sympathy for the just aspirations and restored independence of Poland. Our present concern is the international situation which Poland has brought to our attention.

"The council of the League of Nations would have reasoned, and reasoned correctly, that the United States could furnish the munitions and, if necessary, the men to withstand the hordes advancing from Russia far more easily than could the exhausted nations of Europe. Moreover, inasmuch as this would be the first test of the scheme of world government which was formulated and demanded by the President, speaking for the United States, the fact of a special responsibility, resting upon our shoulders, manifestly would have been undeniable. Undoubtedly the league council, in 'advising upon the means' by which the obligations to Poland should be fulfilled, as provided in the covenant, would have so held, and probably the conscience of America, certainly the opinion of the world, would have sustained that judgment.

"The conclusion that our country might now be confronted by such a situation, if the senate had ratified the league covenant, requires no stretch of the imagination. None can deny that it is possible. To many candid minds, as to my own, such a distressing situation will seem highly probable. Let us assume that the ratification had taken place. Let us assume, further, that the performance of the alloted task required the waging of war upon the Russian people, as, of course, it would, what would result; what would of necessity have to result? Nothing necessarily, we are glibly informed, since only the Congress can declare war, and the Congress might reject the appeal of the executive. But would the Congress do that? Could the Congress do that without staining indelibly the honor of the nation?

Answer Is "No."

"'I answer 'No,' and I say it not on my own authority alone. Back of my judgment stands the President of the United States. Upon that point there is first-hand information. In the course of the discussion which took place at the meeting of the President and the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations I raised the question by stating a hypothetical case precisely analogous to that which I have depicted, and then inquired whether we might not rightfully be regarded as a perfidious people if we should fail to contribute an armed force, if called upon to do so. The President first replied, as I thought somewhat evasively, that we 'would be our own judges as to whether we were obliged in those circumstances to act in that way or not. Pressed further, however, in response to a query incorporating the assumption that 'the case provided for and prescribed had arisen' and that 'the extraneous attack did exist precisely as it does exist today in Poland,' the President admitted specifically that 'we would be untrue if we did not keep our word.'

"Replying further to a question which perhaps I ought not to have considered necessary, the President pronounced a moral obligation 'of course, superior to a legal obligation' and of 'a greater binding force.'

"What, then, becomes of the argument that Congress, not the President, in this instance at any rate, might 'keep us out of war?' Technically, of course, it could do so. Morally, with equal certainty, it could not do so nor would it ever do so. The American people would never permit a repudiation of a debt of honor.

"Am I not right, my countrymen, in saying that we needed only the outbreak of war between Poland and Russia to make us realize at least one of the things which, in the words of Secretary Lansing, we would have been 'let in for,' but for the restraining hand of the senate, and to fetch home to us the danger of committing our country in advance to causes that we know not of?

Not Our Purpose.

"One can have no quarrel with those who have convinced themselves that our underlying purpose in entering the great conflict was to create a league of nations. The fact remains, however, that no such intent was officially acclaimed, no allusion, nor even a suggestion to that effect appeared in the *joint resolution of Congress which* declared the existence of a state of war between this country and Germany. For myself I left no room for doubt of the motives which led me to cast my vote in favor of that resolution. It so happened that I made the concluding speech upon the war resolution, from my place in the senate, on the night of April 4, 1917. These were my own words at that time:

"'I want it known to the people of my state and to the nation that I am voting for war tonight for the maintenance of just American rights, which is the first essential to the preservation of the soul of this republic.

"'I vote for this joint resolution to make war, not a war thrust upon us, if I could choose the language of the resolution, but a war declared in response to affronts; a war that will at least put a soul into our American life; a war not for the cause of the allies of Europe; a war not for France, beautiful as the sentiment may be in reviving at least our gratitude to the French people; not precisely a war for civilization, worthy and inspiring as that would be; but a war that speaks for the majesty of a people properly governed, who finally are brought to the crucial test where they are resolved to get together and wage a conflict for the maintenance of their rights and the preservation of the covenant inherited from their fathers.

"We have given to the world the spectacle of a great nation that could make war without selfish intent. We unsheathed the sword some eighteen years ago for the first time in the history of the world, in the name of humanity, and we gave proof to the world at that time of an unselfish nation. Now, whether it is the fate, or fortune, or travail of destiny, it has come to us to unsheathe the sword again, not alone for humanity's sake—though that splendid inspiration will be involved—but to unsheathe the sword against a great power in the maintenance of the rights of the republic, in the maintenance which will give to us a new guaranty of nationality. That's the great thing, and I want it known, Mr. President and senators, that this is the impelling thought with me for one, when I cast my vote.'

For Same Guaranty Today.

"It is for that same 'guaranty of nationality' that I stand today, and shall continue to stand inflexibly, so long as I shall be permitted to live. The independence of our great republic is to me a priceless and sacred inheritance. Time was when an American did not hesitate to proclaim himself a patriot. To do so now, I am well aware, is sometimes to invite the sneers of cynicism. But why should any true American not be free to say: 'I am a patriot, wholly devoted to my country, which I hold to be God's best inspiration to man for higher attainment and the promotion of the world's best civilization?'

"But I have a special reason for making this reference today. I challenge the statement that the patriotism which holds America first comprehends either narrowness or selfishness, or as implying tacit suspicion and jealousy of other peoples.

"To assert, as some have asserted heedlessly, that those of us who honestly believe that America can best serve all mankind as America, free and untrammeled, rather than as one in a pitiable minority among many states in merged world government, lack consciousness of the rightful demands of humanity, is to utter a gross and unpardonable libel. To attribute meanness to those of us who, in the performance of our public duty, refused to participate in what we sincerely regarded as a betrayal of our own country in the interest of others, is to discredit the intelligence and discrimination of the great mass of American people who directly, by their votes, put us in our positions of trust. For myself, I yield to no man in willingness, aye, in eagerness, to render the greatest conceivable assistance to the stricken peoples of Europe. I include all of them and speak with a genuinely sympathetic heart, whether it is to mention devastated France, or sorely-tried Italy, or nobly-struggling Poland, or distracted and misguided Russia, or gallant little Belgium, or pitiably deceived Austria, or the ruthless invader, Germany, which came to the supreme tragedy through a leadership which brought disaster to her misguided people.

"It was with that feeling of sympathy and desire to serve, that most reluctantly and with grave misgivings, as I announced at the time, I with reservations designed to preserve our essential liberty of action. The record is made, and under the same conditions, confronted by the same alternative, I should vote now as I voted then.

Conditions Have Changed.

"But the conditions have changed. Experience has brought enlightenment. We know now that the league constituted at Versailles is utterly impotent as a preventive of wars. It is so obviously impotent that it has not even been tried. The original league, mistakenly conceived and unreasonably insisted upon, has undoubtedly passed beyond the possibility of restoration. The maturer judgment of the world will be that it deserved to pass for the very simple reason that, contrary to all of the tendencies developed by the civilizing processes of the world, it rested upon the power of might, not of right.

"The assertion is made frequently that through the surrender of our nationality we might have saved the life of the covenant—that is to say, that, although twenty-eight nations could not make it function, one added to the twenty-eight would have achieved a glowing success, provided, always, that the one were America.

"This pays to America the tribute of exceptional influence, but I suggest that if the world is dependent upon our action to bring about the supreme realization, then we ought to have the say about our own freedom in participating therein. But let us consider what is meant by this reliance upon America. What can it signify if not that it is to the United States, and to the United States alone, that the other twenty-eight nations look for the bone and sinew, the money, the munitions and the men to sustain the entire organization, not as an agency of peace, but as an armed force?

A Telling Admission.

"A few days ago a delegation of an organization which calls itself a Society for the Prevention of War appealed to the premier of Great Britain to unite and use the powers of the world in defense of Poland, Armenia and the Dardanelles. The British premier replied, according to his remarks quoted by the newspapers, to the effect that, while the formation of 'an international army' would be 'an ideal solution,' it could not be accomplished because the European nations could not furnish the troops and the United States had 'withdrawn from co-operation'—a polite and diplomatic phrase and more exactly meaning, of course, that the senate of the United States had not completed the partial obligation assumed by the President to do that very thing—that is, to 'furnish the troops.' Could a clearer indication of what would have been expected of this country as a member of the league be desired? Hardly. Some, too, think, or say they think, that this extraordinary service should be rendered. I do not agree with them, but, assuming that they are right, I venture to note that nothing stands in the way of performance. The President has only to call upon Congress to declare war, and to confer upon him specific authority to raise armies for the protection of the powers which, though recently associated with, are still foreign to our own republic.

"It is reasonably safe to assume, however, that the President will not pursue this course. Fortunately, he is under no 'compelling moral obligation' under the league to do so. His recent unhappy experience, moreover, in asking Congress to send American boys to Police Armenia would hardly encourage repetition of a request already courteously but quite firmly declined by the Congress. What then, in like circumstances, would be the answer of the British premier himself? In his own words, addressing a meeting of the Coalition Liberals on August 12 last, according to the press reports, he said:

"'When the terrible question of peace or war has to be decided, our first duty as a government is to the people, who trust us not to commit their treasure to any unjustifiable adventure. Nothing but the most imperative call of national honor, national safety and national freedom can justify war. Before this country is committed to it, even in the most limited form, we must be satisfied that these are in peril.'

"I quote these telling words, my countrymen, with the utmost satisfaction, because with one amendment they express to a nicety my own position. I take for granted that the prime minister meant to include in 'treasure' the greatest treasure of all but, for myself, I should leave nothing to be inferred. Foremost and above all else to be safeguarded by those of us who hold the trust of the people, it goes without saying, but cannot be too often repeated, is the manhood of the nation.

Will Not Misuse Power.

"Now, it may appear to you that I have been speaking chiefly in the negative. I make the admission. What is more, I might continue to do so almost indefinitely without disadvantage to our cause. So many things have been done by the present expiring administration that no power on earth could induce me to do, that I cannot even attempt to recount them. I may remark, casually, however, that if I should be, as I fully expect to be, elected President of this just and honorable republic, I will not empower an assistant secretary of the navy to draft a constitution for helpless neighbors in the West Indies and jam it down their throats at the point of bayonets borne by United States marines. We have a higher service for our gallant marines than that. Nor will I misuse the power of the executive to cover with a veil of secrecy repeated acts of unwarranted interference in domestic affairs of the little republics of the western hemisphere, such as in the past few years have not only made enemies of those who should be our friends, but have rightfully discredited our country as their trusted neighbor.

Will Submit to No Wrong.

"On the other hand, I will not or shall not, as you prefer, submit to any wrong against any American citizen, with respect to either his life or his property, by any government. This statement is made in all solemnity, with enmity for none and friendship for all. If it particularly applies to Mexico, the application has been directed by the robbery and murder of hundreds of our own people in that unhappy country who were lawfully there and were entitled to protection. One must admit that these outrages upon Americans are largely the consequences of the wiggling and wobbling the supine waiting of our own government, though the admission neither helps the hurt, nor gives the hope of security for the future while the present administration remains in power, or when one in 'complete accord' succeeds it.

"This admonition is not directed exclusively toward our next door neighbor to whom we would gladly hold forth a helping hand, and whom primarily, certainly in preference to far off peoples in Europe, Asia and Africa, it is our manifest duty to serve with a whole heart and generous tolerance. It is intended for a plain notice to every government on the face of the earth that the entire resources of this nation are pledged to maintain the sacredness of American lives and the just protection of American properties.

Line of Demarcation Plain.

"The line of demarcation between our attitude and that of our political opponents is perfectly plain. The president has made his position clear by his acts no less than by his words. Twice there came to him an opportunity to obtain ratification at the hands of the senate and twice he put the opportunity aside, because he would not accept reservations designed solely to safeguard American rights. He still holds Article 10 to be the heart of the covenant. So does the Democratic platform. So does the Democratic nominee. To assume that the nominee would accept the reservations rejected by the President and denounced by the party platform is to impugn his integrity. To insinuate, as those who in proclaiming themselves for the Democratic candidate and 'the league with reservations' do insinuate that he would pursue such a course in seeking ratification is not to pay him a compliment, but rather to challenge his sincerity.

"For myself I do not question for a moment the truth of what the Democratic nominee says on this subject. He has flatly said he is 'in favor of going in' on the basis announced by the President. I am not. That is the whole difference between us, but it is a most vital one, because it involves the disparity between a world court of justice supplemented by a world association for conference, on the one hand, and the council of the league, on the other.

The Difference.

"The difference between a court of international justice and the council created by the league covenant is simple but profound.

"The one is a judicial tribunal to be governed by fixed and definite principles of law administered without passion or prejudice. The other is an association of diplomats and politicians whose determinations are sure to be influenced by considerations of expediency and national selfishness.

"I do not mean to say, nor do I mean to permit any such construction, that I would decline to co-operate with other nations in an honest endeavor to prevent wars. Nobody living would take that position. The only question is one of method or of practicability within the bounds prescribed by fundamental principles.

"There are distinctly two types of international relationship. One is an offensive and defensive alliance of great powers, like that created at Versailles, to impose their will upon the helpless peoples of the world. Frankly, I am opposed to such a scheme as that, and I speak knowingly when I say that the associated powers, with whom we fought the war, were reluctant to accept such a proposition.

"I am opposed to the very thought of our republic becoming a party to so great an outrage upon other peoples, who have as good a right to seek their political freedom as we had in 1776 and have the same right to developing eminence under the inspiration of nationality as we held for ourselves.

The Other Type.

"The other type is a society of free nations, or an association of free nations, or a league of free nations, animated by considerations of right and justice, instead of might and self-interest, and not merely proclaimed an agency in pursuit of peace, but so organized and so participated in as to make the actual attainment of peace a reasonable possibility. Such an association I favor with all my heart, and I

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ictor and Dave Mosbeck, who have the past three years been operat he Mrs. Styrlund farm north own, have released their re years to Ted Thompson e October 1st for Wylie own a farm which they next year. Mr. and Mrs. ho recently moved into ity, will commence to ok after the general fall the place.

Axelson family have as this week, Mrs. Axelson's r. and Mrs. H. Jacobson of l, Oregon and Mr. and Mrs. n and daughter Gladys of a this state. Mrs. Olson is o Mrs. Axelson. The Jacob have been farming in Ore several years, sold their re and are here looking af real estate and will proba until cold weather induces eturn to the coast.

ches, Sunday September 5: services at the Congrega h in town at 10:30 by Rev. tts of Viking; afternoon in connection the month of the Rindal Young Peo at the Rindal church n at 2:30. Lunch will be e close. Rev. Geo. Lar River Falls will conduct s and speak to the Y. P. S. vices at 8:00 at the town Rev. W. Drotts in the public is cordially invited. vian language will be

Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and le have returned from ip and were in town Sat nday attending to busi ing on friends.

small girls from the Rev. nd A. B. Remmem fami River Falls are guests Miss Myrtle Mellem.

sther Thoreson, accom r cousin, were between s at Thief River Falls on

Westby returned home e last Monday where eek visiting with her

Nelson, who has been her sister, Mrs. Ole en for two weeks, re esday.

agmoen and children rden of Norden, were oon visitors at the Emil e.

Johnson and Ingrid reported ill this week.

rs. S. Benson and sons urfield of Thief River town Friday afternoon he Sagmoen family.

, who has been doing on the Holm, Thore nd Sagmoen farms this Saturday with his rig where he will thresh a 2000 acres this fall.

rlson, John Sorenson, and Gena Aos spent uto tour to St. Hilaire. en has been at Anita ng harvest work.

—Trade at Home—

RMANTOWN

rt Rohrer and daughter at the M. Stokkie home st week.

Mrs. Henry Roller were Thief River Falls one day

roline and Carl Melby and e callers at the Rolland and n Thursday.

Overby was a caller at Roller home one day last

Esther, Nettie and Silva a and Mrs. Hans Dahl were hief River Falls on Thurs

Mrs. John Reitz and chil ere guests at the Carl Klock ome Sunday.

ian Ladies' Aid which ne Graffa home Sunday, attended despite the rainy

Miss Olga Overby was a caller at e Henry Roller home on Wednes y.

Silva Bendickson was a guest of melia Reitz at Thief River Falls on ursday.

Della Roller was a Germantown ller on Saturday.

Mrs. A. K. Haggy was the recipient a telegram stating her brother had ssed away in southern Minnesota. Saturday to attend the funer

Nettie, Esther and Silva ickson were callers at the Roller Wednesday evening.

sdames Chester Boyce and son P. Stock and daughter were cal at Thief River Falls Thursday.

—Trade at Home—

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—Trade at Home—

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, innesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was lled to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Aug. 24th, 20.

Roll Call: Members present: Dahl, umund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members sent; Froseth.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, the monthly reports of City Clerk, easurer, Municipal Court, Chief of [illegible] nager of Auditorium and Library [illegible] cepted and filed. Motion carried.

[illegible] ihle, seconded by Dahl, [illegible] Clerk be instructed to advertise [illegible] for the sale of the adding ma[illegible] now in use in the City Clerk's of[illegible]; bids to be opened at the next regu[illegible] meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that e Mayor and City Clerk be authorized enter into a contract with Mr. Olson pay him $50.00 on condition that he [illegible] care of Hans Olson and relieve the [illegible] of further responsibility. Motion [illegible]ried.

[illegible] by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, [illegible] Council adjourn until Thursday, [illegible] at eight o'clock P. M. Motion [illegible] Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

[illegible] Chambers, Thief River Falls, [illegible]sota.

An adjourned regular meeting of the te Council was called to order by H. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock M. Aug. 26th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Dahl, umund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members sent; Froseth.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the matter of buying the Point on the East Side of the river for park purposes, be laid on the table until the next regular meeting so as to give the Park Board committee time to investigate and report. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Brandon, that the Council adjourn until Monday, Aug. 30th, 1920 at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Aug. 30th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: Froseth.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Holt & George, the sum of $4,734.08 as a final estimate on sewer and water connection contract. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to the Bradley Engineering Service the sum of $205.07, balance due for service in connection with the sewer and water connection contract. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the City Clerk be instructed to order two carloads of slabs. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the Council adjourn until Tuesday, Sept. 7th at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council, held August 30, 1920, Alderman O. L. Ihle, seconded by Alderman Andrew Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the City Clerk and Mayor be and hereby are authorized to issue to Holt and George the Warrants of the City drawn upon the proper funds, in the sum of $4734.08, in payment of the final estimate submitted under date August 30, 1920, by the Bradley Engineering Service, in connection with the contract for sewer and water connection work in said city, the sum of $318.50 being deducted from said final estimate and withheld by the City for the time being.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Sept. 1, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held August 30, 1920, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the Clerk and Mayor be and hereby are authorized and directed to issue to The Bradley Engineering Service the Warrants of the City drawn upon the proper funds, in the sum of $205.07, in payment of the claim of said Bradley Engineering Service for balance due for services in connection with the sewer and water connection work heretofore performed by Holt and George.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Sept. 1, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Aug. 24th, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioners' payroll	$558.10
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Co., culverts	270.00
Minneapolis Bridge Co., culverts	37.00
John H. Meyers, labor	7.00
Water & Light Dept., express and drayage	3.02
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., printing	16.45
Improvement Fund.	
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., printing	14.20
Water & Light Dept., registration	[illegible]
H. O. Chommie, expense	34.00
H. A. Brumund, expense	37.05
Auditorium Fund.	
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., roof repairs	409.85
John H. Meyers, labor	1.00
Poor Fund.	
Mrs. Nels Burtness, rent	20.00
Rolf B. Rasmusson, rent	12.00
M. N. Benson, mdse.	1.88
A. E. Zellmar, provisions	29.40
Library Fund.	
Mousley & Gilnes, painting	243.00
Gaylord Bros., supplies	7.10
Wagenvoord & Co., rebinding	14.29
St. Paul Book & Sty. Co., books	58.03
Electric Light Fund.	
Andy Craik, smithing	7.05
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	248.18
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	127.02
General Electric Co., supplies	52.70
Westinghouse Elect. Co., supplies	5.33
Brandt Dent Co., supplies	67.35
Asheiman Bros., supplies	11.83
Standard Oil Co., supplies	10.00
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., printing	61.05
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., office supplies	109.40
Water & Light Dept., freight and express	10.08
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	10.00
Waterworks Fund.	
Plant Rubber Co., supplies	22.81
Water & Light Dept., express	.02
Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., supplies	50.00
John Dickon, labor	3.00
Andy Craik, wrench	3.75

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Aug. 28, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms: the SE¼, Section 18 Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 80 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Vorachek. 81tf

FOR SALE—280 acres of hay land in Numedal.—W. H. Frederick. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¾ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull C. Wiener, Rt. 3, City. 47tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 1752. 80tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 912 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton station. Seventy-five acres summer fallowed. For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, Administrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 79tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—Good six room house, 3 Call on H. S. Dahlen, First and Peoples State Bank. 35tf

THRESHING RIG FOR SALE—Advance 26 horse Engine, straw, wood or coal burner, Nichols & Shepard Separator 32-56 complete with self feeder and blower. Separator run only four seasons and always been housed. This rig is running every day during the threshing season and is in first-class shape and may be seen in operation by anyone wishing to buy. Reason for selling owner leaving farm and going into other business. Now this rig will be sold at a bargain if taken soon. Call or write to F. C. Miller, Crookston, Minn. 8c

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house. Two corner lots. First and Peoples State Bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—One full blood Shorthorn bull 2 years old, and one 7 weeks old bull calf, seven-eighths Shorthorn.—Carl Talley, Mavie. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Five passenger auto in good shape. Starter and Lights. Will sell on time if desired.—C. W. McDaniel. 84tf

FOR SALE—4 good work horses; 1 single harness; 1 two-seated buggy almost new. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Will take good milch cow in trade. Apply at 801 Main Ave. N. 81tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Lalrd's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tonk, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Quarter of wild hay 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway.—W. E. Baker. [illegible]

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Five room house in excellent condition. Priced reasonable for quick sale. See H. C. Stretter at Peoples Auto Co. or phone 510. 81tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 125, City. 84tf

FOR SALE—New Dowden Potato digger and light work harness.—P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 83tf

FOR SALE—The lumber shed located south of the Washington School. For particulars see M. A. Schmidt at the Manual Training building. Bids to be received before Saturday, Sept. 11th and with the understanding that all bids can be rejected by the board, if it so desires. Mail Bids to Frances L. Larsen, Clerk of the School Board, 610 Bridge St. City. 87

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bull. Awarded first prize at county fair.—Alfred Flatum, Krathe Star Route, City. 86p

FOR SALE CHEAP—Pair of geldings 4 and 6 years, weight about 2800 lbs. Our own raising. Mare 1100 lbs. guaranteed sound.—W. E. Smith, 5 miles N. W. of Thief River Falls. 85p

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey spring boars. Will be sold reasonable to make room for fall litters. Papers furnished. Popular blood lines.—W. J. Bell, Smiley Twp. 88

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven-room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE on reasonable terms—eight room house and lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block 8, Porter's Addition. North Star Real Estate Company, 325 E. Lake St., Minneapolis, Minn. 86

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR RENT

ROOM FOR RENT—923 Horner Ave. 85p

FOR RENT—Nice heated room for school girls. Enquire at Benson Barber Shop. 86p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern house, and can also furnish board. 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 393. 87p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in modern home. Phone 3322. 116 St. Paul Ave S. 85tf

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

FOR RENT—Modern rooms, 801 Main Ave. No.—E. J. Overland.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms, 301 Markley Ave. S. Prefer ladies. Also can secure board.—Mrs. F. A. Harold. 87p

LOST

LOST—Between A. C. Simonson and J. P. Swanson residences a new Racine 30x3½ auto tire. Plain face, not used. Finder please leave at Times office for reward. 86p

LOST—Red shawl with tan border, on State road near the turn to Goodridge. Finder kindly return to Times office. 86p

FOUND

FOUND—At Maple Lake, rosery and crucifix. Call at this office. 87p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Assistant laundress at Hospital at once. 86tf

WANTED—School teacher for Dist. No. 118 Marshall county. Going wages paid. Apply John Ristau, Germantown Rt. city. 88p

WANTED—Girl for general house work in modern home. Good wages and steady employment assured. Apply at 120 Markley Ave. N. 85tf

GIRL WANTED—For general housework in Minneapolis. Experience unnecessary. Address Mrs. A. R. Dunham, 5009 Dupont Ave., Minneapolis. 86p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY. One of the World's largest Grocers, (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today. State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 87p

CLERKS (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $125 month. Examinations September. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) 458 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 86p

MISCELLANEOUS

$3,500 BUYS FROSS QUARTER 25 miles northeast of Grygla in Beltrami Co., Minn.; fine dairy proposition; terms. W. H. Hyland, Stanton, Nebraska. 87p

WANTED—Furnished room in modern house Sept. 1, by a teacher. Write XX, C-o The Times. 85tf

WANTED—Board during school term by teacher. Write XA, C-o The Times. 85tf

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Julia E. Ellingson, Elida Johnson, Julia Nichols, Agot Robertson and Olga Ellingson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of September, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 30th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(SEAL) Judge of Probate.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
s2-9-16

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Swan England, a single man, mortgagor, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, Utrecht, The Netherlands, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated the 10th day of March, 1905, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Red Lake (now Pennington County) and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March, 1905, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book "22" of Mortgages, on page "610," which said mortgage was duly assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, aforesaid, to A. J. Prins, by instrument in writing bearing date July 14, 1920, and recorded in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in Book "65" of Mortgages, page "222", on the 15th day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., that the amount claimed to be due and is due at this date on the debt secured by said mortgage, is Twelve Hundred and Twenty-six and 00-100 ($1226.00) Dollars, that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are situate in the County of Pennington (formerly Red Lake) and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred and Fifty-four (154), North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, that no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of said mortgaged premises aforesaid, to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls in said Pennington County, on Monday, September 20th, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage together with the costs and disbursements of said sale allowed by law and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure.

Dated July 20th, 1920.

A. J. PRINS,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
502-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
j29-a-5-12-19-26-s2

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Bjerkhoel, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Agnes Lange, Gustav Haller, Barney Bjerkhoel, Halvdan Bjerkhoel, Arnold Bjerkhoel, Andrew Berkhall, Ruth Lange, Eva Lange and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

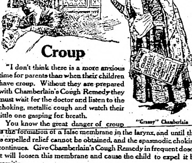

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"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health — "Granny" Chamberlain

"Granny" Chamberlain

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neghbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

Does Business On Other Men's Coin

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It is a mighty nice thing to be able to do business on the other fellow's money, but there are few people who can do it. Probably the only business men, who, as a class, are able to do this, are the mail order men in the big cities.

Did you ever stop to think—you who have ordered goods from a mail-order house and there are probably few who have not done that at some time or other—that you are supplying the cash upon which the mail order man is doing business? You are well aware of the fact that your cash must go with your order if you expect to receive the goods, but have you ever stopped to think what that means? Do you realize that you are supplying the capital for a business which is running in direct competition with your home merchants, upon whose prosperity you and your fellow townsmen are dependent for a livelihood?

The majority of mail order houses do not carry large stocks of goods. They do not have to. When the mail order man gets your order, accompanied by the cash, of course, he can take a part of your money and go to the manufacturer or the wholesaler and buy the article that is wanted. The rest of the money he can put down in his pocket after paying his operating costs, which are light when compared with those of the merchant who must carry a large stock of goods to meet the demands made upon him.

In Class by Themselves.

There is absolutely no other class of men who do business on the capital furnished by their customers. Even the retail store which sells for cash only cannot do this for he must carry a large stock and in most cases must pay cash for it in order to get prices that will enable him to make lower prices to his customers than can be made by the merchant who gives credit to his customers.

The mail order man doesn't need to have any of his own capital invested in his business—or any large amount of it, at least, in proportion to the volume of the business which he does. He does not have to pay interest to the banks on money borrowed to help him finance his business. The mail order man figures that about one-half of the amount he receives on any order goes to the wholesaler or manufacturer in payment for the goods ordered. Of the remainder a part goes for postage, printing, maintenance of office and plant, insurance, etc. What is left, which is by no means an insignificant part of every dollar received, goes into dividends to stockholders in the mail order corporation. All this has been done without any capital other than that which may be required to pay office expenses.

Suppose for a minute, that you did business with the local merchants on the same plan. Suppose that they did not carry any goods in stock, that when you wanted to buy something you should go to one of your home merchants, look in his catalogue and pick out an article that seemed to be similar to the one that you wanted, hand over the price as shown by the catalogue and tell him to order it for you. The merchant would take your money and you would wait for your goods until they arrived from a distant city.

Not So Anxious.

But the people who make up any community are not nearly as anxious to furnish capital to the home merchant—the man who helps "make" the town—as they are to the mail order man in the far distant city, who does nothing and cares nothing for the people who furnish him the money on which to do business. They insist that the home merchant shall carry a large stock of goods from which they can select what they wish, when they think it is to their interest to buy from him. They insist that he shall stand back of the goods he sells and make good any defect that may appear in them. They insist that he shall sell them what they wish and wait for the money until they get ready to pay it. They insist that he shall sell goods at the same price or lower price than the mail order houses charge for goods of poorer quality. And finally, they insist that the home merchant shall furnish the large amount of capital that is required to conduct a business on this plan.

The mail order buyer may say that he has the right to spend his money anywhere he pleases and he has, legally. But he probably has never stopped to reflect on the fact that he is supplying the capital for the operation of a concern which is in direct competition with enterprises in which he is directly interested, for every man, woman and child in town is directly interested in the success of the business enterprises in that town. If these business enterprises are not prosperous, the town cannot be prosperous. To supply capital to your competitor is not very good business.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy,-added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere. —LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products: Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market value. We invite you to come in and look our stock over. —CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side. —ANDREW BOTTELSON.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate. —THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.— NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station. —K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.— RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service
and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.— HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries. —ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO. Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.— HALL BROTHERS CO.

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THE Lyceum

COMING

Wednesday & Thursday

"Blind Husband"

The picture you'll never forget.

The most enthralling moving picture that Art ever produced.

Stroheim's Wonder-Play

Produced by Stroheim himself

Matinee Wednesday: 2:30

The Lyceum

LAST TIME TODAY

The most popular picture that we have run

"WHEN BEARCAT WENT DRY"

Come early and avoid the rush

Christie Special Comedy

"WILD WESTERNERS"

FRIDAY

A Blackton Production

"MY HUSBAND'S OTHER WIFE"

With Sylvia Breamer, Robert Gordon, and an all Star Cast.

Hank Man Comedy

SATURDAY

Eugene O'Brien, in

"A FOOL AND HIS MONEY"

Horrors! The Castle was Haunted and he married the Ghost!

Rainbow Special Comedy

Matinee: 2:30

The Lyceum

Two Big Special Days

SUNDAY and MONDAY

William Farnum, in

Zane Grey's Famous Novel

"Riders of the Purple Sage"

A great American story of the West showing the man who was not afraid.

By all means make arrangements to see this wonderful picture.

Hank Man Comedy

"The Bill Poster"

Matinee Sunday: 2:30

The Princess

SUNDAY and MONDAY

The American Favorite

Anita Stewart, in

"THE YELLOW TYPHON"

From Harold MacGrath's Famous Book

"Yellow" because of her hair; "Typhon" because of the human wreckage she left in her wake.

A Paramount Magazine

A First National Attraction.

EVANGELIST HOLDS STIRRING MEETINGS

Frank Lindblad of Portland, Ore. Delivering Strong Messages to People.

An interesting service was held at the auditorium Sunday evening by Evangelist Frank Lindblad of Portland, Ore., and staff of workers. Despite very little previous announcement and the rain, a fair crowd was present. Especially interesting was the spirited singing, led by Arthur F. Berg and wife, of Minneapolis.

The evangelist spoke on the need of a definite experience of salvation and how that many, honestly trying to know God, still lack this. He also mentioned that many are trying to reach God by other ways than through Jesus Christ. Special emphasis was laid upon the fact that Jesus is the Way, the Truth and the Life, and no man cometh to the Father but by Him.

The meetings at the auditorium will continue every evening this week at 7:45, including Sunday, and possibly the week following. The evangelist has a clear and powerful message and does not hesitate to speak the truth as he sees it. The meetings will bring forth messages on topics that are worth while hearing. Most of the churches of the city were represented Sunday evening, and the co-operation of all the Christian people of the city is invited.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED

The board of education of District No. 18 will receive applications for the position of stenographer and deputy clerk. All application must be addressed to Mrs. L. G. Larsen, clerk, Thief River Falls. s2

—Trade at Home—

LaBudde on Vacation.

Gonvick Banner: A. F. LaBudde, cashier of the Farmers State bank is back at his duties again after a vacation. A. F.'s vacation extended over a period of three weeks and was spent at Minneapolis, Chicago, Milwaukee and other points in Wisconsin. Mr. LaBudde made the trip in his new Oldsmobile "Six" purchased shortly before leaving on the journey.

—Trade at Home—

WELL-KNOWN YOUNG WOMAN IS CALLED

Miss Zella Zeh Dies at Physicians Hospital Wednesday Following Operation.

Miss Zella Zeh, 21 years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil E. Zeh, died at the Physicians hospital on Wednesday morning of peritonitis. She was suddenly taken ill about a week previous and her condition was not considered serious until a short time before her death. A consultation of the doctors on Tuesday afternoon resulted in an operation being hastily ordered. The patient failed to rally and died at two o'clock Wednesday morning.

The funeral which was private, was held from the family residence this morning, only the immediate relatives being present. Rev. R. L. Barackman of the Presbyterian church conducting. The pall bearers were Alvin Holzknecht, Haaven Lindberg of Detroit, Jordan Penney, Rufus Barackman, Elmer Tandberg and Carl Sundahl—all with the exception of Mr. Lundberg being classmates of the dead girl during the time she attended Lincoln high school.

Seldom has a death occuring in this city struck deeper sorrow into the hearts of the people. Born in this city on Oct. 12, 1899, Zella Zeonah Zeh spent all her life here with the exception of the time she was attending the university. Never was a young woman more highly regarded, her acquaintanceship extending to practically every person in the city of which her parents are pioneer residents. After completing her school course she attended the university of North Dakota, taking a commercial course. Returning to this city she was engaged as teacher of shorthand and typewriting at the Lincoln. She was junior class advisor last year and had entered upon a contract to continue her services for another term. She was vice president of the Girls' Community club and prominent in all social activities of the city, giving particular attention to music, of which she was an enthusiastic student and herself a vocalist of great promise.

The casket was literally buried in flowers when conveyed to the cemetery this morning, many tributes coming from friends at a distance.

There are left to mourn her loss besides the parents, one brother, Ernest, and her aged grandfather, Milton Forder. The entire community is deeply moved over the loss of one so generally loved and admired.

Eli Weston of Valley City, N. D., to whom the young woman was engaged, arrived in the city yesterday and was the only out-of-town person present at the funeral.

—Trade at Home—

THRIFT EXHIBIT TO GET WIDE SHOWING

Work of Local Woman's Club Attracts Attention in All Parts of State.

The espousal of thrift during the war by the various governmental departments, and more recently by the U. S. Treasury department, met with warm response in this city as is evidenced by the recent display of thrift work under the auspices of the local Woman's club at the Pennington county fair, and at the annual meeting of the woman's clubs of the Ninth congressional district at Warren, at which place the local club won the prize for the best exhibit.

Officers of the state federated club who saw the display at Warren were so enthusiastic over it that they asked that it be sent to Minneapolis. Here it attracted the attention of Miss Hester Pollock, chairman of the Woman's War department of the Ninth Federal district, who took it to the various meetings of woman's clubs in the southern part of the state during the month of July. The exhibit came in for much favorable comment everywhere it was shown. The treasury department heads feel that the exhibit is so good that it would be of much help if it also be shown at the state meeting of the federated clubs at Northfield Sept. 1 to 3, and accordingly it has been sent there.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, president of the local Woman's club the past two years, is state chairman of the thrift section of the federated clubs of Minnesota, and is in attendance at the meeting at Northfield. She has been succeeded by Mrs. Daniel Shaw as president of the home club while Mrs. E. M. Stanton, who served as secretary last year, is the present county chairman of thrift.

Treasury department officials in the Twin Cities have recently become much interested in the movement as undertaken by the various clubs throughout the state and are now requesting that after the exhibit is shown at Northfield it be sent to the state fair, where it will be on display in the Woman's building from Sept. 4 to 11 in a booth especially provided and where it will be in charge of members of the federated clubs who will be on hand to explain the features of the display. Among these will be Mrs. Froehlich of this city.

CATTLE PRICES GO SLIGHTLY UPWARD

Hogs Reach Lowest Mark of Summer—Sheep and Lambs Make Advance.

Best hogs made some recovery in prices the closing days of the week but at that the net loss was reckoned at 50c to 75c. Choice light lights continued to sell around $15 but bulk of the run cleared at $13.50 to $14 with low end at $12.75. Prices generally were the lowest of the summer. Stock pigs ranged from $8 to $13.50 with boars at $5 to $7.50. Receipts totaled 14,000.

The cattle market closed on a little stronger basis than a week ago despite the setback on Monday. Trade was given a little impetus Thursday when some dry-fed loads topped at $13.50 to $14.50, but on most days $10 to $10.25 were the stopping places for butcher steers. Plain to fair Canadian steers sold at $6.25 to $8.75. Bulk of she stock cashed at $5.50 to $8 with occasional sales at $9 to $10 on choice lots. Canners and cutters closed at $3.75 to $5.25 mainly while bulls brought $4.50 to $6. Veal calves advanced to $14. Stocker and feeder trade showed a little boom with prices rated fully steady and in some cases 25c to 50c higher. Most dairy cows are going steady and in some cases 25 to 50c higher. Most dairy cows are going at $70 to $100 with choice springers at a higher figure. Receipts were around 30,000 and about the same as the previous week.

Sheep and lamb trade advanced to a higher level when best lambs scored a gain of $1.75 for the week and sheep about 75c. Best natives were quoted up to $12.50 with ewes at $2 to $6.50; wethers $4 to $7 and yearlings $7 to $9.50. The call for feeders and breeders was rather light. Receipts showed a gain, totalling 22,000.

J. C. Penney Store Opens to Public Next Saturday

The J. C. Penney store in Thief River Falls will formally be opened to the public next Saturday morning, Sept. 4. Announcement of the event is made in a large advertisement in this issue of The Times. The store is located in the Dobner-Meehan block in the rooms on the southwest corner.

Many changes and improvements have been made in the building and the stock is nicely arranged and displayed. This store is one of more than 300 located in the leading cities of the country, and carries a general stock of dry goods, clothing, shoes and furnishings.

C. Heinrichs, formerly connected with the Penney store at Crookston, is local manager for the company, and has secured a corps of competent clerks and assistants.

—Trade at Home—

Warren Woman Meets Death Through Strange Accident

Mrs. Bernhard Engelstad died at the Warren hospital last Monday. A terrific wind blew all day Tuesday and about 10:30 in the forenoon of that day it wrenched the top of the windmill on the Engelstad farm southwest of town from its tower. Mrs. Engelstad chanced to be near by at the time and the heavy mill struck her and bore her to the ground, injuring her so badly that she could not rise and return to the house. Her husband was away threshing and did not return home until seven o'clock in the evening, so she lay upon the ground helpless all those long hours, exposed to the pitiless sun and wind. Mr. Engelstad at once brought her to the that she was paralyzed from the waist down. From the first her case was pronounced serious and last night the grim reaper came to end her sufferings.

HANSON TRACTOR AND AUTO SCHOOL

Fargo, N. D.

Is the most practical school. No books to study. Twenty-five new, latest type Tractors to train on. All auto equipments. Over thousand students attended last term. We secure position for graduates. Attend school in climate you are accustomed to. Write for large folder.

The Best Costs No More Than Poorer Supplies In Building Material

We cannot regulate prices but we can see to it that the purchaser gets the best there is to be had for his money.

Do your ordering from a concern that has been giving satisfaction right in this neighborhood for a quarter of a century.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

There Is Snap and Character in the New Fall Styles For Men

The double-breasted model for young men here shown is only one of a large number now arriving at this store. You will be greatly pleased with the clean, long lines the designers have decided on as the proper thing for the coming season's wear, as well as with the unusually attractive patterns in which the suits are made up. An early inspection will convince you that at no other store in this section will you be so well suited.

For young men and men who still feel young and wish to look that way.

Sweater Time Is Here

and as usual this store is prepared to meet the demand. Here you will find the utility kind as well as the garment of fetching and novel characteristics. Many styles and prices, but always the best at whatever price you pay.

The city's finest shoe stock awaits your inspection. Fall styles are arriving daily.

FURNISHINGS FOR FALL ARE HERE.

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

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BIG RACE MEET SHOWS GRIT OF MOTOR DRIVERS

Spills and Near Spills Add to Excitement in Great Two-Day Event.

Many Remarkable Records Made in Spite of Unfavorable Track Condition.

Receipts Sufficient to Pay Expenses and Also Leave Balance For Promoters.

The automobile and motorcycle races staged on Sunday and Monday by the American Legion and Central Labor Union came up to expectations in every particular. Sunday proved to be the banner day in point of attendance although a fair crowd was present on the second day. Gate receipts for the two days amounted to nearly $1,000 and this will leave a nice balance after all expenses are paid.

High Class Racing.

The racing program put on was of high order and furnished plenty of thrills for everyone. The soft dirt track was soon cut up to such an extent that clouds of dust were raised by the racers, making it very difficult for them to negotiate the turns without going through the fence. Dewey Kiewel of Crookston carried off the honors in the motorcycle races, winning every event on both days. Kiewel is a rider of more than ordinary ability and hung up some nice time records here considering the dangerous condition of the track. In one race, he took a bad header but still managed to right his machine and remount in time to win the race. Nearly all of the motorcycle riders flirted with the fence at one time or another but managed to escape without serious injury.

Fast Auto Races.

The two leaders in the auto races were Lee in an Elgin Six and Harkins in an Essex. Both men are good drivers and showed great skill in negotiating the dangerous turns. Two Ford-Specials, driven by Jones and Gerdts, drew much applause from the crowd for their plucky efforts to contend with the larger cars. Jones went through the fence and twisted his steering gear so badly in the second race Monday afternoon that he was unable to take part in the final event. Gerdts, however, entered in the seven-mile race and made a brilliant showing. He ate dust and followed closely upon the two big cars until the 12th lap, when he lost his bearings and went through the fence.

Injuries Not Serious.

After skidding through the fence and about a hundred feet beyond, Gerdts was thrown from the car, which then rolled over and over. The driver was picked up unconscious and taken to the hospital, but aside from a severe shaking up did not suffer sever injury. He was able to leave the hospital the following day.

The car was almost a complete wreck and a lot of tinkering will be necessary before it can be used in another race. Gerdts' motorcycle was badly damaged the day before, so that he will be unable to take part in another race until a lot of repairs are made.

Given Small Donation.

Considering the tough luck experienced by Gerdts and the nerve he exhibited in the races, members of the Legion and Central Labor Union got together Tuesday afternoon and voted to make him a present of $50 to show their appreciation of what he did to make the program a success. His accidents kept him from getting into but a very small amount of money at the races and the local boys felt he was entitled to a little help. This consideration was naturally much appreciated by the plucky racer.

Event Complete Success.

From every angle the races of Sunday and Monday were a complete success. The drivers in all events went in to win and some remarkable records were hung up considering that the track is only half a mile in length and covered with dust which enveloped the riders in veritable clouds. Spectators expressed themselves highly pleased with the performance in every particular.

Financially the local backers of the races will come out on top of the heap. It is estimated that nearly $200 will be left after all expenses are paid and this sum will be divided between the American Legion Post and Central Labor Union.

DUCK HUNTING WILL BE LEGAL SEPT. 16

Closed Season For Prairie Chickens—Partridges May Be Shot After Oct. 15.

The season when it is permissible to shoot ducks and other water fowls with no fear of violating game laws will open on September 16th to continue until December 31st. The ban on shooting partridges will be lifted a month later or October 15th and, for the following six weeks sportsmen may train their guns on these little game birds which are said to have multiplied at a surprising rate during the several years that they have been under protection. There is no open season for the shooting of prairie chickens this year.

The bag limit for ducks is fifteen per day and forty-five in possession, geese, five per day with five in possession, partridges, five per day with twenty in possession.

Lands Flooded Last Year Yield Better Than Ever

The floods which last year destroyed a considerable portion of the crops in the eastern end of Pennington and Marshall counties were not an unmixed evil, it would seem. The lands at that time overflowed have this season carried exceptionally fine crops and in many instances the weeds formerly infesting the fields have entirely disappeared. John Philip, residing north of Mavie, was one of those drowned out. This year he has threshed out 38 bushels of rye to the acre on the same land and his wheat crop, which turned out very well, would have been a bumper had not rust caused a certain amount of damage. C. G. Klockman, Frank Kainz and William Wayne, all residents of that neighborhood, have practically the same report to make. Oats is the banner crop there this year although everything turned out very well.

CLOSE CALL FROM HEAVY FIRE LOSS

Bad Blaze at City Bakery Sunday Night Quickly Brought Under Control.

The timely arrival of the fire department Sunday night prevented a serious fire in the City Bakery. A blaze, evidently resulting from defective wiring, had a good start under the stairway when discovered but was extinguished before making much headway. The only damage resulted from smoke and water and it is difficult to estimate just what this will amount to.

The bakery had been closed for the night but a few minutes when a passerby noticed the smoke and immediately turned in the alarm. The location of the fire and the fact that all basement lights were out made it difficult for the department to do effective work. After a few minutes, however, the flames were discovered and quickly brought under control.

Dense smoke filled the building and this naturally caused considerable damage to the stock. The basement was literally flooded with water but fortunately contained very little stock at the time and the damage is comparatively slight. It was a close call and a serious fire was narrowly averted.

METHODISTS MAKE BIG IMPROVEMENTS

Church and Parsonage Treated to General Overhauling and Substantial Repairs.

The Methodist church of this city is undergoing extensive repairs. A new roof has been put on, the walls and ceiling have been beautifully, yet simply decorated, a new furnace is being put in, and a coat of paint will be given the outside of the building. These improvements will add greatly to the value and beauty of the building and the board of trustees are to be congratulated on their enterprise in the matter.

In addition to this the parsonage has been beautified with paint and paper internally, and is shortly to have a coat of paint externally. When all these improvements are completed, the Methodists will have one of the most desirable pieces of church property in the city, and in condition excelled by none. The live-wire Ladies' Aid has enthusiastically seconded the board of trustees in their plans.

Base Ball Lads Are Royal Entertainers at Banquet

The members of the local baseball team royally entertained a number of their friends at the banquet and dance given last Thursday evening at the Evelyn hotel. About twenty couple were present and at the conclusion of the banquet the floors were cleared for action. Dancing was indulged in until after midnight and everyone present will testify that the baseball boys know a thing or two about entertaining.

The ball team recently disbanded for the season and found that it had a little balance left in the treasury. This money the lads decided to spend in entertaining their friends. The affair was a complete success and everyone present had a good time.

Congressman Steenerson Pays City Flying Visit

Congressman Halvor Steenerson was in the city for a short time last Saturday enroute to his home in Crookston after having visited his constituents in the northern part of the district for a few days. Mr. Steenerson was very much pleased with the action taken by those present at the Warren meeting in getting behind the movement for a road to the Red Lakes and promised to do everything in his power to help the good work along.

The congressman had no time to talk politics but as usual did not seem greatly concerned over the outcome—at least so far as this has any bearing upon his own future.

FIRST MEETING OF COMMERCIAL CLUB IS CALLED

Initial Gathering of Local Organization Set For Eight O'Clock Tonight.

Many Important Topics to Be Brought Up For Consideration By Members.

Regular Meetings to Be Held Twice Monthly Following Summer Vacation.

Now that the summer season is drawing to a close the officers of the Thief River Falls Commercial club have decided it is time for the organization to get busy on a constructive program. The first get together meeting will be held this evening at the club rooms at eight o'clock and it is expected a large majority of club members will be present to help get things started.

Much to Consider.

A number of things will be brought up for discussion at the meeting this evening. Much has been said about inaugurating noon-day luncheon meetings and this is one of the things which will be threshed out. Then there is the general run of business which has accumulated since the last meeting—and the secretary says there is a lot of it. Anyone with an idea is welcome at this meeting and will be given free opportunity to express it. Members of the club who have a kick coming will also be welcomed and given place in the deliberations.

Important Work Ahead.

One of the most important things which the club expects to get behind is the road to Red Lakes. This is a live topic and one which the club members can well afford to spend considerable time in bringing to a reality. A good start has already been made in the road matter and the commercial club most assuredly can add impetus to the movement.

Two regular meetings will hereafter be held monthly and it will be up to those present this evening to decide whether they wish these to be in the form of regular evening meetings or noon-day luncheons. It is time for the commercial club to take on a new lease of life and it looks as if this will come to pass without further delay.

Found Road to Red Lakes in Much Better Condition

Outing trips to the Red lakes are going to be common pretty soon if interest in this wonderful body of water continues to grow. Since the pioneering party of 35 returned and reported a couple of weeks ago one hears on every side of intentions on the part of others to make the same journey.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottleson were the pilgrims. They found the corduroy section from the mill to the ridge greatly improved and had no trouble in negotiating the three miles. Between the ridge and lake workmen had been grading the road and it was consequently soft, but could be traversed by careful driving.

The party spent the night at Redby and visited the points of interest about the agency the next morning. They also went out on the lake with the Indians to take in their nets, which contained between fifteen and sixteen hundred pounds of fish. There is at present being shipped out one carload of feed fish every day from the section about Redby.

The entire trip covered 178 miles but a considerable part of this distance would be cut off by a road straight east from Thief River Falls. This would bring one onto the lake at a point about two miles north of the narrows.

NORTHWEST ALUMNI PLAN BIG MEETING

Valhall Hall Chosen as Place For First Annual Gathering of Students.

A meeting which is occasioning considerable interest among the alumni, former and present students of the Northwest School of Agriculture in the vicinity of Thief River Falls, is scheduled to be held at Valhall hall near the Engelstad farm, four miles southeast of Thief River Falls and six miles north of St. Hilaire, on the afternoon of Sept. 19.

A member of the agricultural school faculty from Crookston will be the speaker for the occasion. Arrangements for this event are in charge of a committee of alumni and students of that school. The gathering is in the nature of a reunion of all former and present students, who with their parents and friends will enjoy the afternoon. The addresses will be along educational lines.

The general public is cordially invited to attend. As there are nearly 1,500 students of the school in this part of the state it is expected that annual gatherings of this kind will be held in the future.

Gasoline Stove Explodes; Serious Damage Averted

The explosion of a gasoline stove in the kitchen of the L. L. Cohn home, 410 Duluth avenue north, Saturday morning came near causing a serious fire. Mr. Cohn managed to smother the flames by means of a large rug and was quite severely scorched. No cause could be given for the explosion as no leak had been noticed. The stove blew up without warning, throwing the burning oil all over the interior of the kitchen in an instant. The fire department made a record run to the scene but all danger was past before its arrival.

Pastor Called to Serve Eastern End of County

Rev. E. O. Sabo, for some years a resident of Grygla, has accepted a call extended by four congregations in the eastern part of Pennington county and will soon enter upon his duties. Included in this call are the congregations at Mavie, Silverton, Germantown and Kratka. Rev. Sabo will make his headquarters at Mavie where the Hruby home has been purchased for his accommodation.

YOUNG LADY RIDES ON AIRPLANE WING

Miss Onata Stopple of This City, Performs Unusual Stunt on Wager.

Ruth Law and the other "queens of the air" had better look to their laurels. Thief River Falls has a young lady who not only is not afraid to ride in an airplane but is willing to show the world that going out on the wings of one of these contraptions while 700 feet above terra firma is not a performance that should cause anyone to hesitate.

Miss Onata Stopple had never been up in an airplane until a day or two ago, when she made a short trip with Lieut. E. A. Alton of Grand Forks, who was here with the air circus staged by the American Legion. Miss Stopple liked the journey out along that she would enjoy going out along the wings while the machine was in the air. Lieut. Alton told her that this had been attempted by only two or three women in the entire country and offered to lay a wager that she would not even make the attempt. He was taken up.

Yesterday morning, according to agreement, he called for the young lady. He found her dressed in riding knickers and otherwise fully equipped for the expedition. The start was made from the fair grounds and an altitude of 700 feet reached. At this height Miss Stopple calmly walked out onto one wing of the plane, traversed it to the very tip and returned without batting an eye.

Lieut. Alton says that he has been flying for seven years and would hesitate to make the trip undertaken by Miss Stopple. The latter, however, says that the only concern she had was that she might step between the stays and through the light fabric covering the machine.

THIEF RIVER HELPS FAIR AT GOODRIDGE

Local People Give Generous Financial Aid to Help in Footing Expenses.

A committee representing the management of the Tri-County fair at Goodridge last week called on business men and others in Thief River Falls for donations to help in putting the fair over. The Goodridge men met with a very generous response and secured about $200 in the city. This, with the money already available, insures the success of the fair. The people of Goodridge are making plans for a hummer fair this fall. Last year's fair was a good one but whatever shortcomings were in evidence will be done away with this year. A large number of high-class free attractions have been secured and there will be plenty of entertainment for everyone. There is promise of banner exhibits in all departments and the fair gives every assurance of being a success.

The country to the east of Thief River Falls is improving by leaps and bounds, much more rapidly than is generally realized. The fair last year was an eye-opener to visitors from other sections and gave a large amount of favorable publicity to Goodridge and vicinity.

Head-on Collision Wrecks Two Cars on West Road

A Buick car containing Richard Hornseth and a young woman companion ran head first into a Ford driven by Ibsen Flann on the state road west of town about 11:30 o'clock Saturday evening. Both cars were badly used up but none of the occupants were hurt. The accident occurred near a culvert on a narrow part of the road and it is maintained that the fault lay entirely with the Buick driver. Flann turned out as far as possible to permit the other to pass but the woman, who was driving, must have lost her head as she steered squarely into the path of the lighter machine. Lights on both cars were working in proper shape and no other reason can be given for her taking the wrong side of the road.

DRIVER OF FORD HITS TRAIN; IS BADLY INJURED

Jos. Althoff Drives Directly Into Great Northern Passenger Train on Crossing.

Suffers Severe Cuts and Bruises But is Now Making Very Satisfactory Recovery.

Car is Smashed to Bits By Force of Collision—An Unusual Accident.

Jos. Althoff, an employe on the V. C. Noper farm west of Thief River Falls, narrowly escaped death Tuesday afternoon when the car he was driving collided with the south bound Great Northern passenger train on the crossing near the fair grounds. The young man was immediately removed to the hospital and at last reports is said to be making a satisfactory recovery.

A Peculiar Accident.

Young Althoff was on his way to the city to secure some repairs for a tractor and was driving at high speed. He apparently did not notice the approach of the train as he struck the baggage car squarely without having reduced his speed a particle, according to eyewitnesses of the accident. The train, which was approaching the station and therefore traveling at a comparatively low rate of speed, was brought to a stop and the injured man taken on board. He was unconscious and bleeding profusely from cuts about the face and head.

A physician was summoned and the injured man removed to the hospital, where an examination showed no serious injury. Except for a bad cut over the left eye, some bruises about the head, face and back, he showed no marks of the accident. He soon regained consciousness and unless something unexpected happens will be able to leave the hospital within a few days.

Car Completely Wrecked.

The car figuring in the accident was a Ford which Mr. Noper had been using as a milk delivery wagon. The force of the collision smashed the car into a thousand pieces, some parts being found several hundred feet from the scene of the accident. It struck the trucks of the baggage car and obviously got the worst of the argument. The same Ford figured in an accident some time ago, after which it was found necessary to transform it from a sedan into a delivery wagon. The last escapade puts it on the scrap heap for keeps.

Checks Sent to Winners at Recent County Fair

Secretary G. Howard Smith last week completed the task of sending out premium checks to the winners at the recent county fair. Any errors in the awards must be reported to the secretary before Sept. 15 in order to be rectified. The annual meeting of the board of directors will be held soon and all affairs for the year brought to a close. At the annual meeting of the directors plans for next year's fair will be started. A number of new buildings and other improvements are under contemplation for next year and the directors intend to get busy at once to start the ball rolling.

BOOZE PEDDLERS IN JAIL AT CROOKSTON

Caught Enroute From Winnipeg to Minneapolis With Big Cargo of Canadian.

This is the open season for booze smugglers and Crookston is on the main line between the source of supply and the most clamorous demand. One day this week the peculiar actions of two men driving a large touring car aroused the suspicions of Crookston's chief of police and he escorted the twain to the city bastile. Here it was discovered that over one hundred quarts of booze were stored in the car, besides a good supply which the men already had under their belts.

The men admitted, it is said, that the booze was bought in Winnipeg and that a market for it had already been found in Minneapolis. They expected to realize something like $4,000 for the lot. Instead of making money on the deal, however, the men will lose the booze, forfeit their car, and if convicted will likely go to Fort Leavensworth for quite a spell.

The two men gave their names as Ed. Brunelle and David Beauregaard. They are being held in the Polk county jail pending word from the United States Attorney at St. Paul. Beauregaard, the authorities claim, is a brother of Sam Beauregaard, who was arrested recently on a similar charge.

Drainage Commissioners For North District Named

The Roseau Drainage and Conservancy district has been duly organized. The first board of directors as appointed by Judge Watts at Crookston are Martin Nelson, of Roseau, Halvor Johnson, of Greenbush, and H. P. Konzen of Halleck. A formal organization of the board was effected at Roseau last week. Martin Nelson is chairman, A. O. Hagen, secretary, Carl Von Rohr treasurer, James Deneen engineer and M. J. Hegberg, attorney. The board has charge of all drainage projects that may be started within the area outlined within the district.

Three Children Sent to Owatonna State School

At a hearing conducted Tuesday morning before Judge of Probate I. C. Richardson three minor children of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Amundson were ordered sent to the state school at Owatonna. The children are aged 4, 9 and 11 years and at the hearing it developed that they had been getting very little care from their parents, who reside on Duluth avenue north. Two older children have recently secured employment and will likely be able to care for themselves.

Conditions have been bad in the Amundson home for some time and several complaints have been registered by neighbors. The authorities decided at the hearing Tuesday that the parents are obviously incompetent of bringing up their children and the tots were remanded to the care of the state school, where they will at least have an opportunity of acquiring an education in moral and sanitary environment.

MERCHANTS TO OPEN SEASON ON TUESDAY

Well Known Speaker Present at First Fall Meeting of Local Association.

The first fall meeting of the Thief River Falls Merchants association is scheduled for next Tuesday evening, Sept. 14. It will be held at the Evelyn hotel and will be in the form of a banquet, with speeches and other things necessary to make it a big success.

F. P. Mann of Devils Lake, N. D., known all over the country as the most successful merchant in North Dakota, will be here Tuesday evening and will deliver the leading address at the banquet. Mr. Mann undoubtedly will have a message of much importance and local business men stand a chance of getting many valuable pointers. Local speakers also are scheduled to appear on Tuesday evening's program and it is planned to make the fall opening meeting a real hummer.

The association of local merchants has planned a very active season, realizing there is a large amount of work which needs to be done. With concerted effort on the part of this organization much good may be accomplished.

Tuesday evening's affair will open with the feed at 6:30 and this feautre being under the personal supervision of Julien Provencher it is safe to say that it will be some feed.

MISTAKE OFFICIALS FOR BOOTLEGGERS

City Representatives Halted Twice on Return Trip From Winnipeg on Sunday.

Uncle Sam's sleuths will simply have to be more careful. The number of mistakes already marked against them forms a long list but they have finally reached the limit.

Last Friday a delegation of city officials from Thief River Falls went to Winnipeg on business connected with the paving matter, although the trip was made at their own expense. In the party were Councilmen O. L. Ihle, Severn Brandon and John Dahl, together with Ole Legvold, superintendent of water and light; Alfred Adolph, electrician, and E. J. Fehr, looking after water main alterations for the Bradley Engineering company. A finer or more distinguished set of city representatives would be hard to find.

They found upon their arrival in the Canadian city that there is a strict watch for suspicious-looking characters along the border. Their cars were stopped and they were questioned narrowly as to where they came into possession of one of the machines. It developed that a warning had been sent out to watch for certain parties in a Reo and one car of the Thief River Falls men answered the description. No trouble was experienced in convincing the officers that they were on the wrong track.

The visitors had a fine time in Winnipeg and started back, glad they had made the visit. A short distance on this side of the border they were stopped by Uncle Sam's watchmen who searched the automobiles and occupants for contraband booze. They found none, of course, and the party was allowed to proceed. Twice more did the same thing happen. Government officials would take nothing for granted and conscientiously searched every pocket in which a bottle might be concealed. The proceeding got to be something of a joke but the tourists are of the opinion that anyone who tries to smuggle liquor into the country via the auto route, will find it no laughing matter.

New Pastor at Plummer.

Last Sunday Rev. O. C. Fedcke was installed as pastor of St. John's congregation at Plummer. Rev. O. C. Fedcke graduated from Concordia Theological Seminary, St. Louis, Mo., last June. He will reside in Plummer and will also serve the congregation at Oklee.

MAY NOT BEGIN ACTUAL PAVING BEFORE SPRING

Contractors Fear Cold Weather May Set in Before Safety Point is Reached.

Will Commence Work of Putting in Curbs and Gutters This Coming Week.

Stand Ready to Hold City Warrants Until Bonds Can Be Sold Advantageously.

There is very little likelihood of any street paving being done in Thief River Falls before next spring. Officers of the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, the concern having the job, say that there could in any event be such a small amount of work done this fall that it is hardly worth while taking the chance. The bitulithic surfacing has often been put down in the middle of winter without any damage resulting, but the crushed rock base cannot thus be handled with safety. While it is quite probable that no trouble would ensue even though freezing weather should overtake the contractors while engaged on this part of the job, yet they believe it best to await the coming of warm weather before making the start.

The work of putting in the curbs and gutters will be begun at once with a view to finishing this part of the contract this fall. Machinery and supplies have already been shipped, it is understood. Representatives of the company will be in the city the last of the present week and actual work will at once be begun. The bond of the company has been filed and all other preliminaries attended to.

Will Hold Warrants.

The Northwestern Trust company and Capital Trust company, under agreement to take the city's certificates of indebtedness in the sum of $300,000, the approximate amount needed for this paving job, have repudiated their contract and refuse to be bound by its provisions. There is not much that can be done about this without going through a long and tedious legal process, the outcome of which would at best be problematical. The Bitulithic Contracting company has therefore agreed to take the city's warrants and hold these until such time as a bond issue can be floated or other arrangement made for taking them up. It is understood that another twin city concern stands ready to relieve the Northwestern and the Capital of their contracts and to furnish the money needed at approximately the interest rate agreed upon with those concerns.

No Further Delay.

While it will not be possible to lay any paving in Thief River Falls this fall everything will be in readiness for an early start next spring. Every obstacle has now been removed. The work has been delayed somewhat but outside of this no damage is done. All parties concerned are now certain of their ground and will go ahead without any danger of being halted by any kind of an intervention.

THRIFT EXHIBIT IS DECIDEDLY POPULAR

Attracts Attention at Northfield and Also at State Fair This Week.

A letter to The Times from Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, who spent last week at the Northfield meeting of the state federation of women's clubs, conveys the information that the thrift exhibit from the local woman's club, of which Mrs. Froehlich has charge, was very popular.

Mrs. Froehlich says the exhibit was conducted in a room just off the convention hall. Thief River Falls was given three first prizes and two seconds in the awards. Friday morning was thrift morning and instead of her report as state chairman of thrift, Mrs. Froehlich put on a real made-over style show, which was very well received. Twelve living models were used in showing the styles, no dress costing more than $1. A feature of the exhibit was a kindergarten group composed of a little girl wheeling a doll, a boy on a kiddie car and mother all dressed in thrift garments.

The same thrift display is given this week at the state fair with Mrs. Froehlich in charge. Here, in addition to the thrift display, are shown many time and labor saving devices. Among these is a popular carpet sewing machine without needle, thread or shears. The crowds viewing the exhibit at the state fair are immense and much interest in the work is evidenced everywhere.

Says He Did Not Resign.

Andy Smith, former night patrolman, wants The Times to make a correction of the article appearing last week wherein it was stated that he had resigned from the position. Mr. Smith wants it understood that he did nothing of the kind but was discharged, as he claims, without cause, by the council. He maintains that certain members of that body as well as a number of business men in the city have been "bucking" him ever since his appointment.

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BANKERS URGED TO FAVOR THE FARMER

President Quamme of Federal Land Bank Says Agriculture is Discriminated Against.

Need of preferential credit for agricultural purposes was emphasized as one means of remedying enforced marketing of young cattle by breeders of the Northwest at a meeting of business men and bankers of St. Paul and South St. Paul. A large number of young breeding cattle is being received at markets and threatens the industry in the Northwest, it was said.

Livestock dealers told the bankers that many farmers are forced to liquidate loans made to them by banks and have to sell their immature herds to do so.

"The financial condition of the country today is simply one of supply and demand," said E. G. Quamme, president of the St. Paul branch of the Federal Farm Loan bank. "There's not enough credit to go around. Credits have been grouped according to the industries demanding them. These industrial groups are competing with each other and up to now it has been a case of credit to that group which offered the highest rate of interest to the bankers.

"But it is plain that our agricultural industry must be placed in the first rank, and the bankers of the country must give every preference to the farmer."

City News

Anton Ellefson of Fosston spent Sunday visiting with friends here.

F. E. Stevens of LaCrosse, Wis., spent Tuesday in this city transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Von Rohr of Greenbush, motored here on Sunday to attend the races.

E. Hedrich of Argyle called on friends here Saturday and also transacted business.

Mrs. N. J. Anderson left yesterday morning for Fosston to visit with friends until Saturday.

Jake Greenagle, station agent at Strathcona, arrived here on Friday for a brief visit with friends.

C. Krohn left on Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where he will take in a couple of days of the fair.

R. Greenagle of Crookston spent a few days here the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Miss Maud Bradley arrived here on Monday evening from Williams and made a brief visit with friends.

Miss Sylvia Caren of Graceton arrived Friday afternoon and was the guest of friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Dahlgren of Alvarado, arrived on Saturday evening and visited with friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Green of Rainy River, Ont., Canada, visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson of Hazel arrived on Friday evening and spent the week-end visiting with friends.

Mrs. A. Carlson returned Wednesday morning from Crookston where she had spent a few days visiting with friends.

On Saturday, Sept. 11 the Bluebirds of the Presbyterian church will have a sale of home made candy at Lokens' department store.

Mrs. Al Fossum and daughter, Miss Emily, left Wednesday morning for Baudette where they will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Roy Miller returned the first of the week from Grafton, N. D., near which place he had been employed in the harvest fields for two weeks.

Miss Cecelia Peterson arrived yesterday afternoon from Roseau and was the guest of her friend, Miss Edith Skogland, for a brief period.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Funnel of Glenwood arrived here on Friday evening for a visit at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn and daughter, Ariel, returned on Tuesday evening from Minneapolis where they spent a day taking in the state fair.

Miss Evangeline Burns will leave tomorrow afternoon for Lakota, N. D., where she has accepted a position as teacher of commercial subjects in the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams and son, Maurice, of Baudette, arrived on Monday and visited between trains, leaving in the evening for the twin cities to attend the fair.

Rev. Geo. O. Sether and Rev. Geo. Larson and family returned to their home at ClanWilliam, Can., Wednesday morning after a visit at the J. J. Weeks home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hanck arrived Wednesday morning from Minneapolis where they passed a few days at the state fair. They left this morning for their home at Grygla.

M. Abbott, formerly of Rollis, but now residing at Regina, Sask., Can., was in the city on Monday attending to business matters. He left on Tuesday afternoon for Crookston.

Miss Ella Pelto of Two Harbors arrived the latter part of last week to *engage in teaching in the local* schools. She has charge of the sixth grade at the Northrup school.

Kenneth Wattum, bookkeeper and stenographer in the Daniel Shaw insurance office, left Tuesday evening for the cities on a brief visit. While there he will attend the state fair.

Misses Helen Warner and Marie Kruse experienced the sensation of a ride in an airplane on Tuesday. Both young ladies claim that the ride of half an hour was much too short.

Miss Ruth Hadrath, who has been spending the summer with her parents, left this city on Tuesday evening for Red Wing where she will continue her studies at the Red Wing school of music.

Dr. E. O. Erickson of the Union Dentists, returned Tuesday evening from a visit to Wisconsin points, Minneapolis and the state fair. Mrs. Erickson will remain for a longer visit with relatives.

Miss Ruth Knutson, who had visited with relatives in the twin cities for two weeks, returned to this city Monday evening in time to take up her studies as sophomore in the local high school which started the following morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Stevenson of Belfast, Ireland, were guests at the Evelyn hotel on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson are touring America by car leaving this city yesterday morning for Winnipeg, Manitoba, going from that city to Montreal and to New Orleans.

Glenn Anderson, who has been laid up as the result of a stroke sustained while bathing at Grand Forks about a month ago, is again able to be about and is gradually gaining ground. He is very thin and shows the effects of the serious condition in which the unusual occurance left him.

Mrs. Anna Dock visited with Mrs. T. Torgerson at Greenbush on Monday and Tuesday. While there Mrs. Dock attended a surprise party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Torgerson, who leave soon for the West. The affair was given in the city hall and over three hundred guests were in attendance.

Miss Gladys Black, who spent a few days visiting with Misses Margaret Eichammer and Lottie Austin, returned to her home at Grand Forks Saturday evening. On her return to her home Saturday evening she, with a party of several young folks, attended the dance given at the pavilion at Maple Lake.

Miss Alice Greslie arrived Thursday evening from Calvin, N. D., where she had been visiting with friends, and spent the night in this city at the Collins home. She returned to her home at Middle River the following morning accompanied by Master Cecil Collins, who will visit at the Greslie home a few days.

Herman Aukre, who has been employed near Grafton, N. D., for the past few weeks, arrived here on Tuesday evening and visited with friends between trains leaving on the flyer that same evening for the Twin Cities to take in the state fair. It is his intention to remain in Minneapolis where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gifford, accompanied by their niece, Miss Phyllis Dock, who has been their guest, motored here on Sunday and spent the day as the guest of Mrs. Anna Dock. Mr. and Mrs. Gifford returned to their home that same evening while Phyllis remained for a brief visit with her mother. She will leave for Grand Forks next week where she will attend school this winter.

Miss Martha Birkeland, a former instructor of the Normal department in the local high school, made a brief visit with friends here the latter part of last week, leaving on Sunday evening for Lewiston, Idaho, where she has charge of the demonstration school in connection with the state normal. Miss Birkeland had spent the greater share of the summer months visiting at the home of her parents at Houston.

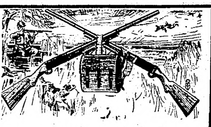

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Saturday, September 11th

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This surely ought to be welcome news to the Ladies of the City and Vicinity who have always depended on us for the Newest things in Art Needlework. But since the war started, when women turned their entire attention to knitting, needlework ceased to be of interest. But now in our new department you will find we again have a needlework department like the one or even better than before the WAR. We also have just received a new stock of the Famous D. M. C. absolutely Boil Proof Cotton Threads. This is the first shipment of D. M. C. since the war started, and it is the same old reliable thread direct from France. Other new features to be found in this New Department are Lamp Shade Making, Wire frames of all kinds, Silks to line them with, Cretones to cover them with and Bandings and fringes to finish them. Everything necessary to completely make several lamp shades has been provided. Free lessons will be given to all who are interested in the art of lamp shade making. Also a complete new line of the newest Patterns and designs in fine cretons, Draperies, Curtain goods, Silkelines and Quilting materials. A full line of Holiday novelties in the famous ROYAL SOCIETY Stamped Package goods. Also T. Buittners Newest Stamped Lunch Sets and Card Table Tops, and a full line of Pacific Stamped Baby Dresses, Corset covers, Night Gowns, Ladies Waists, etc. etc. Several other new items will be constantly added as the Holiday season approaches. And we hope this new department will be a delight and a pleasure to the Ladies of this Vicinity.

Other New Things That Are Attracting Attention Through This Store Are

New Tricolette Blouses, Assorted shades and sizes. Especially priced at each **$4.95**

Silks, Georgettes, Crepe De Chenes, Satins, Messalines and Taffetas, all 36 and 40 in. wide at, yd. **$1.98**

Just received $1000.00 worth of nothing but Handkerchiefs, special for school children, priced at **5c, 10c, 15c and 18c** each.

Pepsodent Tooth Paste—The large size. Here only, tube **39c**

Pebeco Tooth Paste—The large size. Here only, tube **39c**

Colgates Talcum—The large size. Here only at, can **19c**

Special Mavis $1.50 bottle Toilet Water Saturday only, each 99c
(Limit of just one bottle to each customer.)

36 in. wide Scout heavy Percales. Lights, Greys, Cadets, dark Blues. Hundreds of Patterns to choose from at yd. **35c**

American Best Calicos in a full range of Patterns, and all shades at, yd. **18c**

Just a few yards of 50c standard Gingham left at, yard 35c

A Big Line of Shoe Bargains Now on Sale

LOT 1 Consists of over 100 pairs Ladies' high grade Shoes, per pr **$3.98**

LOT 2 Consists of Women's brown and black Calf Skin Shoes, lace style at Special price **$4.95**

LOT 3 Consists of Ladies' black Kid lace Shoes, low heel, Special per pair **$7.50**

LOT 4 Consists of Ladies' grey Kid, also grey Cloth Top, military heel. Special here only at per pair **$7.95**

Children's School Shoes, Black, Brown and Smoked; sizes 8½ to 11 $3.55
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A full line of School Supplies, priced at less are to be gotten now on sale in our

Big Bargain Basement Salesroom

LOKEN BROTHERS

Thief River Falls' Finest Store

City News

Mrs. C. Smith visited with friends at Holt between trains on Thursday.

Oscar Smith, state oil inspector, left Wednesday evening for St. Paul on business.

Mrs. A. Munson left Friday morning for Badger to visit friends for a few days.

Hobson Rogers and Willie Meyers of Steiner visited with friends in this city Friday evening.

Miss Inga Haugen of Kramer, N. D., visited with friends here between trains on Thursday.

Misses Susie and Blanche Amble left Thursday afternoon for Fargo to visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Simonson and two sons of Steiner attended to shopping in the city last Friday.

Miss Lilabelle Schuster returned from Hallock on Thursday evening after a week's visit with friends.

Miss Sybil McGinn left Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she visited with friends over Sunday.

Miss Belle Blair left Friday evening for Alexandria where she accepted a position to teach school this year.

Knute Melby returned last Thursday evening from Rochester, where he had been receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard was in attendance at the state meeting of federated clubs at Northfield held Sept. 1, 2 and 3.

Alfred Dybvig, who has spent almost the entire summer working at Baudette, returned to this city on Saturday.

Mrs. O. Evenson, accompanied by her son and daughter, left Saturday afternoon for Barnesville to visit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Docken and children of Holt, motored here on Friday to visit with friends and also attend to shopping.

Miss Laura Larson of Hazel was the guest of friends here on Thursday. While here she also attended to shopping.

Miss Ruby Jensen who had visited with friends at Baudette for a week, returned to her home at Goodridge on Saturday.

Mr. Gardner, specialty man for the Pendergast Candy company spent a week in this city looking after business matters.

Miss Anna Brokke, one of the clerks at the local postoffice, spent Sunday visiting with friends and relatives at [illegible]

Miss Ruby Swan of Holt spent last Thursday in this city receiving dental treatment. She returned to her home Friday morning.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson is again in the city and will have charge of the violin department at the Thief River School of Music.

Al Vevea and two daughters, Marie and Louise, left Wednesday evening for the Twin cities to spend a week visiting with relatives.

Miss Sylvia Gendrum of Little Falls arrived here Friday evening from Little Falls to visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. I. Helseth.

Miss Eileen Herron returned Tuesday from Viking where she had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Krohn.

Miss Selma Knutson left Saturday afternoon for Fisher where she will remain with her grandmother this winter and attend school.

Miss Karen Knutson, superintendent at Oakland Park Sanitorium, left Wednesday evening for Duluth to attend to matters of business.

Carl Loen, salesman for the Tessum-Coumbe company, left Friday evening for Minneapolis to attend the state fair for a couple of days.

Misses Livi and Agnes Aske, who taught in the city schools last term, left on Friday afternoon for Fargo where they will teach this year.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson and two sons, accompanied by Edward Kiland, motored to Rosewood on Thursday and spent the day visiting friends.

Mrs. J. P. Curtis and two daughters, Lucille and Phyllis, returned to their home here Friday morning after a brief visit with friends at Crookston.

Miss Florence Lian of the clerical force at Loken Brothers' department store, left Thursday afternoon for Underwood to visit at the home of her parents.

Miss Ada Whipps arrived the latter part of last week from her home at Minneapolis. Miss Whipps will again teach in the public schools in this city.

The more you do the more you can do and the better qualifications the better position you will get. Attend the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. s9

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Mulberg, residing on a farm near this city, left Saturday morning for Wadena to attend the funeral services of an aunt of the former.

H. Froseth returned on Friday evening from the twin cities where he visited with relatives and friends over Sunday. While there he also attended the state fair.

Miss Emily Olson, who has been attending summer school at Fargo, N. D., was a guest at the A. Munson home last Thursday enroute to her home at Badger.

Herbert Hanson is acting as substitute salesman for the Tessum-Coumbe company during the absence of Mr. Peterson, who is taking a two week's vacation.

Miss Cora Hanson, who has been spending her vacation at the home of her parents in this city, left Friday evening for Glenrock, Wyo., where she will teach school.

Miss Lorna Dodge arrived here Friday evening from her home at Rock Lake, N. D. Miss Dodge is one of the new teachers engaged to teach in the local schools this year.

Miss Anne Tharaldson left Friday evening for Fosston where she will teach the coming school term. Her sister, Miss Alexandra, will teach at Sebeka again this year.

Misses Olga Lofgren and Inez Howe arrived here Saturday morning from their home at Tower, where they had spent their vacations to resume teaching in the public schools.

Mrs. Chas. Vigen and two children, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. A. Sjoldsvold and nephew, Arthur Dikken, left Saturday morning for Benwood to visit for a few days.

Misses Florence Nylander and Ruth Freistedt returned to this city Saturday evening from their homes in Duluth to re-engage upon their duties as teachers in the local schools.

Mrs. P. Rierson of Holt, who visited with relatives here the latter part of last week, returned to her home Friday morning accompanied by her granddaughter, Myrtle Lofgren.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hanck of Grygla visited at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. C. T. Christianson, on Friday, leaving that same evening for Minneapolis to attend the state fair.

Misses Lillian Erickson and Amanda Braaten of Fox, were in this city last Wednesday and Thursday receiving optical treatment. They returned to their homes on Thursday morning.

Miss Lyda Batten, who has taught in the city schools for a number of years, arrived here the latter part of last week from her home at Rosewood to resume her duties the coming year.

Miss Myrtle Berg returned Saturday [illegible] spent a couple of days visiting with friends. She left Sunday evening for Hutchinson where she will teach this year.

Mrs. A. Rolland and children of Hibbing, who have been visiting at the home of her parents near Alvarado, arrived here Thursday evening for a brief visit at the Eli and John Rolland homes.

Miss Josie Weeks left on Thursday evening for Watertown, S. D., where she will teach school this term. Miss Weeks had spent the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Miss Helen Strand left Friday for Bertram, this state, where she will teach the coming term. Miss Strand had spent practically all of the summer visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Strand.

Miss Clara Wiken arrived here Friday evening from Fordville, N. D., where she had been visiting friends and was the guest of her cousin, Miss Esther Anderson, over Sunday, leaving for her home at Grygla Sunday evening.

Mr. Kirkonnel, superintendent of the public school at Spooner, visited with friends here Saturday morning enroute to his home. Mr. Kirkonnel arrived here from the twin cities where he had spent a few days on business.

Made Happy

Aaker's Business College made the following graduates happy last week by placing them in fine positions and starting them on the road to greater opportunities: K. Larson, Mabel Wenzel, Therese Narum, Louise Hilde, and Elezabeth Werkus. Two of them get $1200 a year. School could have placed four more if it had had the graduates. Why not attend a school that can place you in a position? For free catalog write name, tear out and mail.

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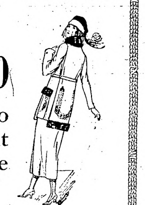

Beginning Friday, September 10

This entire lot goes on sale to you at the same big discount that we bought them at. Entire assortment in three big lots

LOT NO. 1 consists of 31 women's fine Coats. Sixteen of them are Plush Coats; 15 are Cloth Coats. Some of them are fancy silk lined, others plain silk lined, and some 5-year Sol Satin lined. Sizes 16, 18, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, and 46. The styles are this season's latest. 36 in. lengths, 38 in. lengths, 40 in. lengths and 48 in. or full lengths. The values, styles and materials will surprise you at the low price we are offering them to you at. **$49.95**

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LOT NO 3 consists of 18 misses and young women's full length Cloth Coats. These garments are all well made; excellent styles; wonderful materials at such a low price. The values are such that every garment ought to be easily sold during Friday and Saturday, Sept. 11th and 12th. You will not see better Coats this season offered at the low prices now offered you here. **$25.00**

Remember; such garments as these cannot be bought from any catalog house, nor from any other retail source at anywhere near the low prices that we are offering them to you at. This sale commences Friday, September 10th and continues for just one week. Buy your coat now.

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RUNNING TRUE TO FORM.

The Times feels constrained to offer an apology to the people of Warren and Marshall county for an article appearing in a Pennington county publication last week anent the proposed road to the Red Lakes. We wish to assure our neighbors that the people here are practically a unit in their desire to see this highway put through exactly in accordance with the program announced at the Warren meeting. The only discordant note in the chorus thus far heard is that above referred to and no attention whatever is paid to it here. The author is a discredited Iowa politician who has chosen northwestern Minnesota as a suitable point for seeking to rehabilitate himself, and his fulminations are simply to be regarded as the natural outgrowth of a soured disposition.

A FINE PROGRAM.

The women voters of Minnesota, without regard to party, have a few ideas of their own with reference to what laws should be passed by the next legislature as well as the program to be followed by the incoming administration generally. At a meeting in Minneapolis last week they went on record for the first time and it must be admitted that they showed a pretty clear knowledge of just what they want. A convention of men might have endorsed similar propositions but it is safe to say that they would not have made them the bases for a program of action. Those who feared that the women would begin by demanding all sorts of revolutionary and impossible things might read over this partial list of recommendations with a view to easing their minds:

Indorsement of the Babcock state highway project, now before the voters as Amendment No. 1.

Re-establishment of a state art society with adequate appropriations.

Indorsement of the State Public Health association's Christmas seal sale.

Pledging the influence of the federation to obtain increased appropriations for the state board of health, to increase the scope of health instruction in the grade and high schools.

Urging the incoming governor to appoint women on all state boards, and instructing the federation's department of social and industrial relations to work for such appointments.

Deploring the use of crime features in motion pictures.

Furthering the use of pictures as an educational medium.

ON THE WRONG TRACK.

The action of bankers in the financial centers of the country in denying credits for the purchase of automobiles does not look like a particularly wise move. It is perhaps only fair to say at the outset that country banks in general have had nothing to do with this proscription, their officials being in a position to realize more fully than do those residing in the large cities that the automobile and its allied utilities, the truck and tractor, have long since passed out of the luxury class and taken rank with the necessities, particularly as concerns the farmer.

The automotive industry is now the second largest in the country and anything done to injure its stability or progress is bound to be felt throughout the entire industrial fabric. Rather than inaugurate a policy which will inevitably have the effect of curtailing output it would seem to be the part of wisdom to do everything possible to at least maintain its present position.

It is undoubtedly true that many automobiles are purchased by persons who do not need them and whose only purpose in their acquirement is the pursuit of pleasure, but this holds good in hundreds of other cases as well. There is also no denying the fact that automobiles are too often bought by those who cannot afford them, but again the same situation applies in hundreds of other directions.

Denying a farmer, for instance, the credit which will enable him to secure an automobile, certainly is not assisting his progress. Anyone who believes that he wants the machine only for the enjoyment his family will get out of it has but to note the number of autos coming to town every day loaded down with milk cans, eggs and farm produce of every kind, to realize his mistake. These commodities must reach market and nothing furnishes such cheap and convenient transportation as the auto. The machine will naturally carry the farmer's family to town or church, but this does not in any manner detract from its commercial usefulness. The same rule applies to many people living in small towns and cities. Their time represents money and they find the auto a time-saver.

Deflation is undoubtedly necessary but it is hard to understand why the automobile should have been picked out as the place at which to begin. There are hundreds of things for which people spend money that can be gotten along without much more easily. Naturally if no money is spent on automobiles it will be available for something else, but will this something else be more essential? Crippling one industry in order that others may thrive is not very good policy, particularly when the one to suffer is among the most important in the country.

It is probable that the barbers would be pleased to see the manufacture of safety razors prohibited, but such proceeding would interfere with the comfort and convenience of millions, hence is not to be thought of. Placing obstacles in the way of prospective automobile purchasers is not much different.

HERE'S WHERE WE ALL AGREE.

No movement of a public nature inaugurated in this section for a long time has met with such enthusiastic and unqualified endorsement as that having for its object the providing of a highway to the Red Lakes. Not only are the people of Thief River Falls and Pennington county behind this move to a man but other communities are prepared to help the matter along in every way possible.

Nowhere else in the country would such unexcelled natural recreation point have remained thus long unknown. This is not so much the fault of our people, nor even of the Indians residing on the reservation, as of circumstances which neither have been able to control.

The matter is being gone about in the right way. It would be useless for the citizens of this district to attempt anything of this kind without the support of the Indians. The latter are in fact first and foremost to be considered if the project is ever to amount to anything. Their enthusiastic support has been enlisted and there is no danger of any objection from that quarter.

The trouble is that these attempts generally start out with a great flourish of trumpets and then gradually interest dies out. Right here in Thief River Ralls we have started projects enough of one kind and another to keep a half dozen good sized communities busy for a quarter century. A few have survived but the majority have fallen by the wayside. The same is true of all other growing towns.

The surest way to have this road matter die on our hands is to quit talking about it. It does not so much matter what we say so long as we say something. Indifference is more dangerous than active opposition. In the latter case public opinion may be depended on to set matters right while if no one cares what the outcome is the end is reached.

For this reason every person residing in this section of the state should become a booster for the road. Not for a day or two, but right along until the highway is an acknowledged fact. Congressman Steenerson says he will do everything in his power to see that congress and the Indian department views the matter in the right light and expects to experience no difficulty on this score. We all want this thing to go through. Let's act as if we were in earnest.

TO FIGHT THE SOW THISTLE.

The Northwest Experiment station issued a sow thistle bulletin a few years ago. In it the farmers were warned against the weed and told how it could be combated. An illustrated poster was distributed. Frequent meetings were held. Additional legislation was earnestly advocated in order to prevent the spread of the sow thistle to new sections that were not then infested.

This is the year 1920. The sow thistle has moved up in the Red River valley and has even reached the Minnesota valley. Legislators and others who scoffed at the control and eradication plan proposed in 1916 are now beginning to see that perhaps after all the laws similar to those in effect in Canada were necessary and helpful. It begins to look as if the time will be ripe in 1921 to secure the necessary legislation without which the fight against the sow thistle cannot be successfully made.

Will the farmers practice the necessary farm management plan and in addition demand legislation that will give them a chance to combat the sow thistle?

If the farmers demand that *something be done it will be done.* The sow thistle is unique in that its seeds are distributed broadcast by the wind. Its eradication lies in community as well as individual action. Community action under centralized leadership properly financed can come only through legislation. The case against the sow thistle demands a 100 per cent attack. Scattering fire is worse than useless in that it costs as much and accomplishes nothing.

If you believe that something ought to be done to secure a real sow thistle law, say so. Tell your neighbor. Tell your county agent. Have the county farm bureau take the matter up in earnest and agree on a plan that will work. Committees from the various counties can meet later to formulate a Valley plan. A legislative committee can then be appointed to draft suitable legislation and present it to the legislature. There is sentiment for a law even in southern Minnesota now.

The county weed inspection law is of no avail. County commissioners have not seen fit to appoint county weed inspectors. The law says they "may" and they haven't felt the call. More concerted action is necessary. It rests with the farmers themselves.

The Manitoba farmers approve the law they are working under. They are accomplishing results under their law. Greater and better results can be secured here. The Valley farms are smaller. The number of live stock is increasing steadily. It is only the determination to make a concerted attack that is lacking.

Shall we say, "This can't be done," or shall we unite and make really true the Valley slogan, "It MUST be done"?

"FOR EXCLUSIVE USE."

All newspaper men—little as well as big—have their patience tried by the space grafter. He is the fellow who is all the time trying to get notice of himself, his product or his ambitions printed without any outlay on his own part. These folks are common and publishers know just what to do with their gratuitous contributions.

It has remained for a New York concern, however, to go this gentry one better. The Times is this week in receipt of a communication from an outfit extending us the privilege of publishing a "prediction" made by a New York stock broker to the effect that Mr. Harding will be elected president of the United States—provided three dollars is paid for the use of the article. Upon payment of this sum The Times will be given the exclusive right of publication in Pennington county.

We have no particular fault to find with the gentleman's "prediction." In fact it is quite probable that a majority of the American people will agree that his predictor is in excellent working condition, Times readers among others. This is, however, quite a number who will doubt the infallibility of this stock broker's foresight and in deference to these we must decline the unusual offer.

The prediction differs in no way from other political propaganda and would not be worth noticing were it not for that three dollar demand. The Times may feel most kindly toward the Republican candidate and, when occasion arises, give its reasons for this feeling. Should this prove to be the case we would very much like to do so without paying some New York grafter $3 for the privilege.

Then again we are somewhat doubtful of the value of a wall street stock-broker's prediction when applied to Senator Harding's cause. Our people are a hard-headed lot and in no great danger of growing hysterical in their admiration of anything eminating from Wall street. In fact did The Times wish to injure the chances of Mr. Harding in this neighborhood a sure way of doing so would be to print this "copyrighter's" attempt at space grafting.

It is perhaps only fair to state that Senator Harding, being himself a newspaper man, would be the last to sanction any such proceeding in behalf of his candidacy.

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Getting More Gasoline

DEMAND FOR OIL GROWING FASTER THAN PRODUCED

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—*(From an article Chicago Tribune, June 30, 1920.)*

THIS epitomizes the situation accurately. It also indicates how great is the task of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

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The Company is striving to further increase the yield so that the use of the tractor, truck, the automobile, and the stationary gas engine may be used freely and without restriction.

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FALL OPENING

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Men's heavy wool mixed union suits.
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Positively pure wool, heavy ribbed union suits. Special---------**$6.85**

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We bought our underwear right and you benefit.

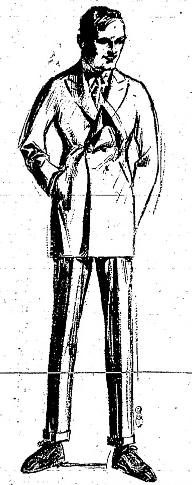

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City News

Myrom Abbott of Rollis attended to matters of business here on Monday.

Miss Gladys Swenson arrived here Saturday evening from Rosewood to attend school.

Miss Lucille Burns left Sunday evening for Cambridge, this state, where she will teach school.

Casper Lund returned to this city Saturday evening from Warren where he had been employed.

Miss Helen Weeks left Monday evening for Northfield to resume her studies at St. Olaf college.

Miss Mildred Hauglid arrived here the first of the week from Warren to attend the Lincoln high school.

Miss Eleanor Rambeck returned on Tuesday morning from Grand Forks where she had spent the week end.

Mrs. G. Forseth of Grand Forks and Mrs. Mitchell of Winnipeg, attended the races here on Sunday and Monday.

Olaf Samuelson left this city Saturday evening for Minneapolis to spend a couple of days attending the state fair.

Miss Gerda Mortenson arrived here Monday evening from her home in Fosston to resume her duties in the public schools.

Miss Jane Morely arrived here on Friday evening from Redwood Falls to enter upon her duties as teacher in the local schools.

Mrs. J. C. Berg left on Saturday morning for Duluth to spend an indefinite time as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Glanville.

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Mrs. C. Hanson, Jr., of Viking drove here on Saturday evening to meet her sister, Mrs. P. B. Rising of St. Paul, who will be her guest for a few days.

Miss Agnes Tandberg, who graduated from the local high school this spring, left Sunday evening for Northfield where she will attend St. Olaf college.

Miss Anna Hineck, who has been employed at Warren during the summer arrived here Saturday evening and will remain here this winter to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Chryst of Hudson, Wis., who had spent a month in this city attending to business matters, returned to their home on Saturday evening.

John Gullingsrud and family visited over Sunday with the former's parents, who reside near Gary. The trip was made in John's car and the distance made in record time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carlson and children returned on Monday evening from Hibbing and Coleraine where they spent a period of two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Mae Bark returned to this city to take up her duties as teacher in the public schools. Miss Bark has spent the summer visiting at the home of her parents who reside at Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm and family returned here the first of the week from an auto trip to Grand Forks, Fargo and Halstad, where they visited with relatives and friends.

Miss Louise Erickson, who had passed the summer visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson, left Monday afternoon for Moorhead to resume her studies at the Normal.

Mrs. Eli Rolland, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. O. Erickson, left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where they will spend a week visiting relatives and also attending the state fair.

Miss Eleanor Bauer arrived here on Monday evening from Minneapolis and was the guest of Miss Ella Pelto until the following morning when she left for Goodridge where she will teach this year.

Miss Irene Sorenson returned to Minneapolis where she is employed by the Great Northern, after a two weeks' vacation spent in visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Misses Ruth Wang and Lillian Nelson of Badger arrived here Saturday afternoon and were guests of Miss Harriet Anderson until flyer time, when they departed for Northfield where they attend St. Olaf college.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson left Sunday evening for Blue Earth where she will sing at the wedding of her cousin. From that point she will go to Minneapolis where she will enter upon her sophomore year at Hamline university.

Miss Grace Loken, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting friends and relatives here, returned to Minneapolis on Sunday evening. Miss Loken will take up her studies at the McPhail school of music and dramtic art again this year.

Elnor Overland, Elmer Tandberg, Stanton Dahlen and Roy Flattum left Sunday evening for Northfield where they will attend St. Olaf college. All were graduated from the Lincoln high school with the class of 1920, with the exception of the former who graduated the year previous.

W. J. Peterson, representing the Tessum-Coumbe company as city salesman, left the latter part of last week for Minneapolis where he will take in the state fair for a couple of days. From that point he will go to his home at Des Moines, Ia., where he will spend the remainder of his two weeks' vacations.

Elmer Smith came down from Lancaster on Sunday and was the guest of friends.

Miss Leona Burke of Fordville was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis to attend the state fair.

S. Brandon returned Saturday evening from Winnipeg where he had been attending to business.

Paul Scanlon departed the first of the week for Minneapolis where he will attend school this year.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson returned on Tuesday morning from Grand Forks where she had spent the week end.

Miss Dorothy Loen of Radium visited with friends here on Sunday. Miss Loen will teach at Trail this year.

Miss Anna Majeres returned on Tuesday morning from Crookston where she had visited with friends since Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Erickson left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where they will spend a few days taking in the state fair.

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Miss Ella Miller has entered upon her duties as teacher in the Knox school. Miss Miller also taught in the city schools year before last.

Wm. Bakke of Holt visited with friends between trains on Saturday enroute to Minneapolis where he spent a few days taking in the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Erickson returned on Tuesday morning from Minot where they spent two weeks as guests *at the home of the latter's* parents.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon, accompanied by Mrs. Johanna Nyhus and Mrs. Inga Berg, motored to the twin cities on Sunday. They returned here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero motored to Grand Forks on Monday to hear Gov. Cox of Ohio, Democratic candidate for president, who delivered an address the following day.

Miss Margaret Jordan returned on Saturday evening from her home at Duluth, where she had visited during the summer, to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools.

Miss Dorothy Krafthefer arrived here on Monday from her home in Beaulieu and will remain here this winter at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Chittick and attend high school.

Miss Florence Fjelstad returned to this city on Monday morning from Grand Forks where she had been visiting her sister. Miss Fjelstad had been re-engaged to teach in the city schools.

Miss Amelia Hoorn, instructor of mathematics in the local high school for the past two years returned to this city the latter part of last week from Fergus Falls where she had spent her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bakke of Denver, Colo., Mrs. J. A. Nordstag of Crosby, N. D., Mrs. H. Dingman of Minot, N. D., Mrs. Fred Bakke and Mrs. H. Bakke of Warren, visited at the S. A. Hanson home this week.

Mrs. H. L. Proper, who has been a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht for a week, returned to her home at Sioux City, Ia., Friday evening. On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Rupprecht and family, Miss Esther Warner and Mrs. Propper motored to Holt to visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner.

Miss Lucille Brooks left on Saturday for Crookston to visit with friends until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Husby spent a few days the first of the week attending the state fair.

F. S. Ebert returned Saturday evening from Clearbrook where he had spent the day on business.

Miss Agnes Lonson left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will attend business college.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire, shopped and visited between trains here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holmes left Sunday evening to take in a few days of the state fair at Minneapolis.

Mrs. C. W. Coe of Bowden, N. D., arrived here on Monday evening to spend some time visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Sybil McGinn who spent a few days visiting with friends at Red Lake Falls returned to her home in this city on Tuesday morning.

Attorney H. O. Chommie returned last Friday from Aberdeen, S. D., where he had spent a few days attending to legal business.

Miss Mable Weberg departed on Monday afternoon for Devils Lake, near which place she will engage in teaching school this year.

Miss Gaya Olson visited with friends here the latter part of last week. She left Monday morning for her home at Middle River.

Miss Ruth Severson arrived here Saturday evening from Clearbrook to visit at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm.

Misses Clara and Lillian Anderson departed on Friday afternoon for Breckenridge where they will engage *in teaching school the coming school* term.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson came down from Fordville on Saturday and were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson over Monday.

Miss Gladys Nelson who graduated with the class of 1920 left Sunday evening for Minneapolis at which place she will attend the MacPhail school of music and dramatic art.

Miss Alice Lee of Gonvick arrived from Gonvick on Saturday evening and visited with friends between trains on her way to Moorhead where she will attend the state normal.

Miss Violet Krohn arrived here Saturday evening from her home in Viking where she had passed the greater share of the summer, to enter her Junior year at the Lincoln high school.

Miss Helen Dahlquist arrived here Sunday evening from Lancaster and was the guest of Miss Louise Erickson. She left the following day for Moorhead where she will attend Moorhead Normal.

Henry Stengelson left Sunday evening for Northfield where he will enter Carleton college. Mr. Stengleson graduated with highest honors from the local high school, being valedictorian of the class of 1920.

Miss Birdie Ecke, who spent a few weeks visiting her parents in this city, left Tuesday morning via Duluth, for Fond du Lac, Wis., where she has charge of the waist department in one of the large department stores in that city.

Misses Olga and Nora Lindquist arrived here the latter part of last week from their home near St. Hilaire, where they had spent the summer. The former is engaged as teacher at the Knox school while the latter will enter her Junior year at the Lincoln high school.

Miss Caroline Melby left this city on Monday afternoon for Moorhead to complete her course at the Moorhead Normal.

Miss Marie Nelson spent Sunday and Monday visiting with friends at Drayton, N. D. She returned to this city on Tuesday.

Mrs. Inga Bjoland left on Tuesday afternoon for Climax and Fargo where she will spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Miss Alvina Jonas left Saturday evening on a two weeks' vacation which will be spent in visiting in the twin cities, Duluth and point in Canada.

Presbyterian aid society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. George Williams, 412 Main Ave. N. Friday afternoon, Sept. 11. Lunch will be served.

Miss Mildred Owen, who is employed as stenographer for the Prichard Co., left the latter part of last week for her home at West Union where she will spend an indefinite time.

Misses Mary Gavin and Ida Marvitz returned to their homes at Red Lake Falls on Tuesday afternoon, having spent a few days visiting their aunt, Mrs. N. P. Larson residing near Erie.

Eli Weston returned to Sheldon, N. D., on Tuesday, after a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh. Mr. Weston will continue his studies at the Grand Forks University this year.

Miss Lottie Austin departed on Monday afternoon for Crookston where she will meet a cousin and together they will leave for Minneapolis to spend a few days attending the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird, motored to Grygla on Monday and visited with friends. While in the above named city they enjoyed a picnic lunch on the Holbrook lawn.

Sister Peterson, missionary from Madagascar, accompanied by Mrs. Martin Olson and two children of Kenmare, N. D., arrived here on Monday evening and will spend a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Stageberg.

Mrs. A. P. Robinson left Saturday afternoon for Moorhead in response to a telegram that her sister was seriously ill at her home in that city. A short time previous Mrs. Robinson received the sad news that a cousin who was a young attorney in the twin cities was drowned when in swimming with a group of five other young men. He was the only one out of the party who drowned.

Miss Lila Sannes returned to her home at Grand Forks on Friday after a week's visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. L. F. Fisher. Miss Sannes is instructor of music in the Wesley conservatory at Grand Forks.

Miss Myrtle Berg returned Saturday evening from Bijou where she was the guest of friends a few days, leaving the following evening for Hutchinson where she has accepted a position as teacher in the public schools.

Miss Cora Grimsgaard arrived last Thursday from Greenbush where she had been visiting friends and spent a day here as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen. She left Thursday evening for her home at Detroit.

Miss Effie Christianson of the clerical force at Loken's, spent the week-end visiting at her home at Fertile. Enroute to her home she was accompanied by her sister who had been visiting here and at Holt for a short time.

Mrs. Peter Lewis and son left this city on Tuesday afternoon for their home at Sheldon, N. D., after a visit at the home of the former's brother, C. C. Thompson, residing near Goodridge. Mr. Thompson was a former resident of this city.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son, Stephen Raymond, Jr., who have spent the past month at the F. H. Herrick home, returned to their home at Oslo last Sunday. Mr. Robinson came down from the above named place by car to get his family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Erickson, residing on Duluth avenue north, had as their guests last week Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson and family of Mahnomen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Erickson and family and Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Olson and family of Sioux City, Ia.

Miss Ruby Anderson who has spent the summer at her parental home in this city, left on Monday evening for Indinnapolis where she will be one of the guests at a house party. From that point she will go to Oberlin, to continue her studies at the University.

R. E. Noper arrived here the latter part of last week from Good Hope, Ill., in his Oakland roadster and will spend a few days as the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson. Mr. Noper is a brother of V. J. Noper residing on a farm west of this city.

Mrs. Thyra Larson and son Kenneth arrived here Monday evening from Hazel and left on the evening flyer for Chicago where they will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives. They were accompanied by the former's cousin, Miss Hulda Alberg, also of Hazel.

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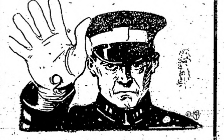

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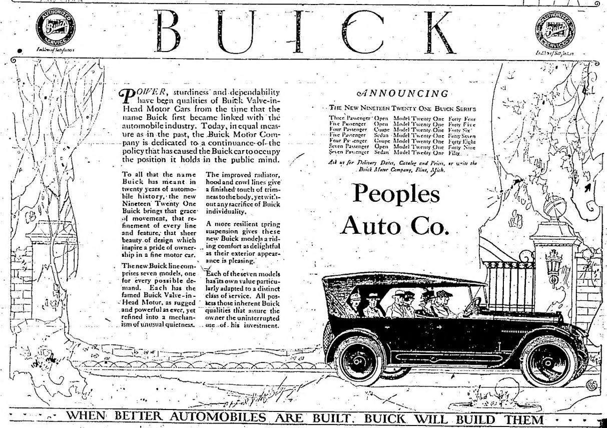

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American Legion Notes

When the convention of the American Legion meets in Cleveland on Sept. 27, to run for three days, the [illegible]tion of the entrance of the veter[illegible]s' orgnization into politics is certain to come up for discussion according to reports gathered from various states by the American Legion Weekly. California Legionnaries have advocated placing a legion ticket in the field and unofficial reports from Oklahoma and Tennessee have told of the activity of individual Legionnaries in the campaigns of candidates for state and national public offices. The attention of the Legionnaries in these campaigns has been focussed on the candidates war records.

Friendly rivalry between various cities for the 1921 convention of the Legion now is being manifested. Bids for next year's meeting will be advanced by at least four big cities through their delegates. San Francisco, Detroit, Kansas City and New Orleans already are in the competition and many other cities are expected to follow their lead.

The novel experiment of bringing an orchestra to town for a dance by airplane was tried out successfully by Spiers-Dennis Post of Olathe, Colo. The orchestra, which was composed of former service men, flew to the [illegible]llroom from Montrose, a neighbor town.

A number of secret orders have sprung up in the American Legion as a side issue to the work of the organization. Among these is the Amalgamated Order of Hard-Boiled Eggs. Post No. 1 of this society, located in El Paso, Tex., chose Friday the thirteenth of August as the date for one of its meetings.

Ex-service men of the Boston Fire department have banded together to form a Legion post composed exclusively of "smoke-eaters." It is known as Boston Fire Department Post and is now engaged in recruiting more members from among the firemen of the state.

Notice that the body of the war hero for whom it was named soon will arrive in this country has been received by Stephen B. Whalen Post of Cynthiana, Ky. The post will conduct the funeral with full military [illegible].

A statute recently passed by the West Virginia Legislature providing that on recommendation of twenty per cent of the voters of a county, the county court can make a levy of five per cent on taxable property for a memorial building has been taken advantage of by the Welch Post. A $10,000 house and lot has been bought by McDowell County court and turned over to the Legion for a home.

A definite downward trend in the price of sugar in many localities is being attributed in part to the campaign inaugurated by the Palm Beach, Fla., Post for 15-cent sugar and the establishment of 15-cent sugar clubs in all parts of the country.

The first issue of permanent charters to Legion posts whose applications have been approved by their respective department headquarters recently was made from National Headquarters. The charters bear the signatures of the National Commander, [illegible]tional Adjutant and of the Depart[illegible]ent Commander and Adjutant.

The American Legion Weekly has brought to the attention of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance and other Government officials several cases in which red tape and delay have inflicted serious hardships upon disabled ex-service men and their relatives. One man who had a large sum of money due from the Government died penniless and almost destitute before it could be paid, and before the Bureau could settle the case and make any payments to the widow, she also died.

The "fraternity of Peoples" was depicted as the goal toward which veterans of the world war in all countries are striving in an address by Arthur W. Kipling, adjutant of Paris Post, before the annual convention of the Union Nationale des Combatants. Mr. Kipling greeted the French veterans in the name of the veterans of America. Andre Lefevre, French Minister of War, presided at the gathering.

Churches

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Services for the week as follows: S. S. at 10 a. m. Sunday. E. L. at 7 p. m. Divine worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. All welcome to these services.

Trinity Church—Norwegian services with communion at 11 a. m. English services at 8 p. m. New confirmation class will be enrolled Saturday at 10 o'clock in the church basement. Ladies Aid meets Thursday, Sept. 16, entertained by Mrs. S. O. Lee, Mrs. O. B. Gunderson, Mrs. Halyal Halvorson, Mrs. Daniel Johnson. Young Peoples society Thursday evening, Sept. 16.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service at 11 and 8 p. m. *Prayer meeting Wednesday evening* at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Finberg entertains. Zion Young Peoples meeting, entertained by the society Thursday evening. Zion congregation will have its quarterly business meeting Tuesday evening, Sept. 15th at 8 p. m. sharp in the church parlors. A new confimation class will begin Saturday at 2 p. m. in the church parlors. Sunday school at 10 a. m. English and Norwegian.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sept. 12: Sunday school opens at 10 a. m. We extend an invitation to parents to place their young people in this Bible school. Morning worship at 11 a. m. The subject will be "Silences," or "Jesus Thirty Years of the Life of the Common People." Labor Day questions will be discussed incidentally. At 8 p. m. evening worship, subject "The Capture of Ai," or "The Damage That a Person Can Do by Wrong." Our friends and neighbors are involved in the consequences of the good or bad that we do. How it worked out at the capture of Ai. Christians become savers of men.

Swedish Baptist Church, C. E. Elgsten—Services will be conducted at the Swedish Baptist church as follows: Beginning Friday evening, Sept. 10 at 8:00. On Saturday at 2:30 and 8:00 p. m., and on Sunday at 11 o'clock p. m. Several speakers will be present. The public is cordially invited.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Substance." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meetings at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Sewdish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m. The Ladies Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Chas. Gustafson, 705 Knight Av. N., next Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 15. Services at St. Hilaire East Side school house at 10:30 a. m. Black River at 3 p. m., and at St. Hilaire at 8 p. m.

STEINER

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Mulberg and Mr. and Mrs. P. Solom drove to Viking Sunday.

R. S. Rogers, who is attending the university of Minnesota, arrived home Friday where he expects to spend a three weeks' vation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers.

Willie Warring transacted business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Elmer La Roe of Thief River Falls attended Steiner Sunday school Sept. 5.

Mrs. Martin Kisch spent the week-end with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy.

Nick Baker has been threshing in this vicinity for the past week.

R. L. Muzzy and family spent Sunday with the Roger's family.

J. Whitman drove to Warren Saturday afternoon.

Several of the young people of this community attended Luther League at the Kelberg home last Friday evening.

ROSEWOOD

Consolidation Plat is O. K.'d by State

According to information received from County Superintendents David Johnson of Warren and Gunderson of Thief River Falls, the plat drawn out by these men and submitted for the approval of the State Department of Education concerning the consolidation of the Willowdale, Rosebank, Busy Bee and Prichard school districts, has been returned with the department's O. K. and the districts may now proceed with the necessary details for the materialization of the plan. The first step necessary is the securing of at least twenty-five per cent of the signatures of the freeholders within each district, and upon presentation of which the county superintendent will call special elections within each district to vote upon the matter. At this election all persons eligible to vote at the regular school meetings may have the opportunity to cast their vote. Petitions to secure the bona fide signatures are at present being circulated by different men in the districts and without doubt the necessary number will be had in a few days, and the public will then be called upon to determine whether the one-room schoolhouses shall still exist for some time, or if the more modern and without gainsay for the coming generation more advantageous consolidation plan shall be inaugurated.

Semi-Annual Meeting of the Y. P. S.

The monthly social and the semi-annual business meeting of the Rindal Young Peoples' society was held at that church last Sunday afternoon and was well attended by young and old of the community. The introductory speech was made by Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls and afterward a short program rendered by the children. Personal mention may be accredited Misses Clara Thoreson and Myrtle Mellem who presented "Lord I'm Coming Home," and a few other songs very harmoniously with voice and organ. The election of officers for the coming six months resulted as follows: Chairman, Miss Ida Sorenson; secretary, Selmar Sorenson; treasurer, Miss Synneva Sorenson. As program committee the following were elected: Misses Selma Sorenson, Ella Nelson and Evelyn Saugen and the refreshment committee is composed of Mrs. John Rafteseth, Misses Esther Thoreson and Viola Axelson. A delightful luncheon arranged by Mesdames Gust Nakken and Albert Paulson was served before closing.

The Oscar Blomberg family of Crookston motored up last Sunday to visit with the Haugen and Blomberg families here and to bring home their son Herman, who spent a few months here.

Miss Gladys Swenson left the latter part of the week for Fargo where she will attend high school this winter.

Miss Lyda Batten, who will teach at the central school in Thief River Falls this season, left on Sunday to commence her work.

Miss Laura Kron, who will teach at a consolidated school near Fargo this winter, left for that place this week. She was accompanied by Miss Isabel Finhart of Thief River Falls who will also teach at Fargo.

A number of young folks went to Viking Saturday evening to attend a basket social at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking was in town over Sunday and conducted services twice at the Swedish church.

Miss Paulson of Gully spent a few days in town this week as a guest of the J. E. Thompson family.

Two grain cars have been shipped from the Hanson & Barzen elevator during the week.

John Rafteseth is erecting a new granary on his farm north of town. Anton Gullseth is building a new garage and Ben Peterson is building an addition to his residence.

Mrs. T. Mellem left the latter part of the week for Viking to assist with work at the S. S. Nordgaard home.

The Peter Stromberg family of Thief River Falls and the Carl Stromberg family from Dakota Junction, were in town last Sunday to visit with relatives and to attend the church services.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard has been employed at the A. Myrom home this week, relieving Minnie Myrom who is attending the fair.

Miller Kruta and Lloyd Alnes left the latter part of the week to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and children of Thief River Falls motored up last Sunday to visit with the B. P. Sagmoen folks, returning on Monday when they were accompanied by Isabelle Sagmoen who went to take in the races and to visit.

John Batten left on Saturday morning for Kenmare, N. D.; to visit and attend to business for a few days.

Miss Nina Westby, who is employed at the Stanton Cafe at Thief River Falls, was in town between trains to visit with her folks last Wednesday. Her sister Tena left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls and will also be employed at Stanton's.

Otto Axelson is ill and under the doctor's care for heart disease.

Miss Ella Nelson spent a few days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ole Skaar in town of Norden, the first of the week.

Miss Minnie Bergland, who is employed at Thief River Falls, came home on Tuesday morning for a visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Styrlund and children, Mrs. J. Styrlund, Miss Ethel Styrlund of Viking and two of the Peter Volss youngsters of Grand Forks, visited at the John Sor home one evening during the week.

Misses Irene and Clara Sorenson of Thief River Falls arrived here Tuesday morning for a few days visit at their home north of town.

Several auto loads of people from this vicinity motored to Thief River Falls last Sunday and Monday to attend the races.

J. S. Benson of Viking was in town last Friday looking for a sale of an Overland 4 to F. G. Dols and attending to other business.

Mrs. James Johnson and Earl returned to their home at Thief River Falls Saturday evening, after spending the week here assisting with the work at Hellquist brothers' home.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen was at Viking between trains last Monday as a guest of Mrs. Johanna Styrlund.

Misses Bertha Remmem and Goldie Remmem of Thief River Falls were in town a few days this week visiting with Mrs. Anton Gullseth.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth opened their confectionery store on the east side in town Sept. 1st and are supplying the public with soft drinks, candies, cigars, etc. A lunch counter will be installed at a later date.

Alfred Thoreson is employed near Radium during threshing.

Mark McCarty of North Dakota, who has been keeping a carload of bronchos at the Dick Hall farm during the week, drove them to Thief River Falls last Monday where he will sell them at auction.

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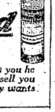

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SUGAR BEET LAND IS AT A PREMIUM

Pennington County Man Finds Beets the Principal Crop Colorado.

J. B. Conner and family arrived on Monday from Denver where they had been residing during the summer. Mr. Corner left for the southwest last April, making the trip by auto, Mrs. Conner and children following in June. He has associated himself with the Midland Cereal company, a million dollar concern organized for the purpose of manufacturing flour and allied products. Mr. Conner has been traveling in Colorado and adjacent states as a stock salesman and has been very successful. He returned on Wednesday to take up his duties while Mrs. Conner will remain in the city until their son has completed the school year.

The section in which the family has been spending the summer is a fine one, says Mr. Conner. Grain growing is carried on extensively but the main crop is sugar beets. Beet land is worth from $200 to $500 per acre he says, whereas the ordinary farm land can be bought for from $50 to $75 per acre. There are 86,000 acres in sugar beets in the immediate territory where he is located and this has stimulated stock raising to a marked degree, the stock feeders paying as high as $30 per acre for the beet tops which are used for fattening stock in conjunction with grain.

The past winter was very severe in Colorado, says Mr. Conner, the thermometer sometimes going down to 40 degrees below zero. This extreme cold was responsible for a considerable loss to the cattle owners, very little in the way of shelter being provided for the stock.

FIRE DESTROYS BIG HOTEL AT BEMIDJI

Hotel Dining Hall, Cottage and Smaller Buildings Go Up in Blaze.

The dining hall, pavilion and palatial hotel building of the Birchmont summer resort at Bemidji was entirely destroyed by a fire of unknown origin early Thursday morning. The guests were forced to flee in their night clothing, and the Bemidji fire department, after a run of five miles to the resort, was powerless to save the buildings.

Of the resort, one of the largest and most elaborate in the entire West, nothing but the cottages remain. George Cochran, proprietor, has made no announcement as to his plans for the future.

At about five o'clock Wednesday afternoon the smell of smoke was detected in the kitchen by the occupants and a hose was turned on the place where the fire had been in the morning and everything thoroughly drenched, it was thought. Again at eleven o'clock, before retiring, the night engineer turned the hose on the same spot in the wall to make sure there was nothing left burning. No indications of fire were noticed after that until about five o'clock when Mrs. Ellington, whose rooms were over the dining hall was awakened by the reflection of fire on the lake and immediately gave the alarm.

The hotel was built in 1915 and had been operating for six seasons. It had been practically closed for the season and almost all of the guests had left.

It is estimated the loss will amount to $100,000 with insurance on the entire property including the summer cottages of $40,000.

The main building was a three-story structure, the dining room, two stories and a kitchen a modern one-story building. The hotel had its individual light and power plant which was destroyed.

New Feeding Stuffs Law Gets Results in State

The Minnesota feeding stuffs law, which went into operation less than a year ago, is designed to protect the people from buying misbranded and adulterated livestock feeds. Under its provisions no concentrated commercial feeding stuff can be exposed for sale without having attached to the bag or sack a statement of the ingredients, the net weight and the name and address of the manufacturer. A tag bearing the signature of the state commissioner must be attached to each package of feed to show that it has been registered. According to the report of Chris Heen, state dairy and food commissioner, 2,049,500 pounds of feed found below par have been removed from sale and the inspectors have visited 550 towns, 928 feed stores and 137 flour mills. Thirty feed manufacturing plants have been inspected and numerous complaints investigated. Nearly a thousand samples of feed have been submitted to the department's labatory for examination. About one-half of these samples were classed as legal, the others being below the guarantee for protein or fat or above the guarantee for fiber.

Tragedies.

A man struck a match to see if the gasoline tank to his auto was empty. It wasn't.

A man patted a strange bull dog on the head to see if the critter was affectionate. It wasn't.

A man speeded up to see if he could beat *the train to the crossing.* He couldn't.

A man touched a trolley wire to see if it was charged. It was.

A man cut out his advertising to see if he could save money. He didn't.

ANOTHER NURSE PRAISES TANLAC

Sixteen Years of Stomach Trouble Overcome and She Gains 20 Pounds.

Mrs. Alice Minnick, who has been a professional nurse for thirty-six years and resides at 1815 Twenty-third Ave. Seattle, Wash., adds her voice to the hundreds of others in this profession who have already indorsed Tanlac.

"Since I began taking Tanlac I have not only gained twenty pounds in weight, but for the first time in sixteen years I am free of pain and enjoying good health," stated Mrs. Minnick. "I constantly had cramping, gnawing pains in my stomach all these years, my appetite was extremely poor every meal my food began to ferment and sour almost at once, I would bloat up with gas, and those terrible pains would get so bad I could hardly stand them. I became badly run down, lost weight and strength, and felt so tired and worn out all the time I could hardly get around. I had pains in every part of my body just about all the time, but they were especially bad in the small of my back. I also suffered with severe headaches and dizzy spells, and my nerves were so badly upset I could get but little sleep, often lying awake all night long.

"I had heard so much of the good Tanlac was doing others I decided to try it myself(and it proved to be the very thing I needed. I began to improve right away, it was only a few days before my appetite returned and I can now eat anything I want without having a particle of trouble afterwards. *Those terrible gnawing pains* that had troubled me so many years have entirely disappeared. I never have a headache or become dizzy, and the pains that were throughout my body have all gone. In fact, my whole system has been built up by Tanlac. I have regained my strength so I can do my work as a nurse, which keeps me on my feet for hours, day and night, without a particle of trouble. Several of my patients have taken Tanlac, and it has proven beneficial in every case. After what Tanlac has done for me I can never say enough for it."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—Adv.

Back From Montana.

Ed. Korstad, who had spent several months looking after his farming interests in Montana, returned to Thief River Falls this week. Mr. Korstad states that crops were almost a total failure in many sections of Montana this year, due to the drouth and prevalence of grasshoppers. People in his neighborhood considered themselves fortunate if they secured enough to pay for the seed. Ed. has come to the conclusion that Montana is no place for a farmer, this being the third consecutive year of almost total failure.

Enjoyable Picnic.

The weather last Monday was ideal for picnic purposes and the joint picnic staged at Squaw Point by the Masons and Eastern Star was a complete success. Counter attractions cut down the attendance somewhat but those who were there enjoyed themselves to the utmost. Plenty of good things to eat and numerous races and other sports made the day pass all too quickly. It was an enjoyable outing in every sense of the term.

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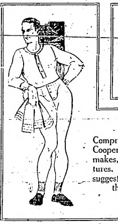

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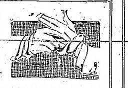

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Society

Johnson-Noper.

Simple but beautiful in all its appointments was the marriage of Miss Blanche Thodora Johnson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson of this city, to Ross Emerson Noper of Good Hope, Ill., last evening which took place at her parents' home, Burr Oaks Farm. About sixty guests were assembled in the spacious living room to witness the ceremony. At 8:30 o'clock the bridal pair descended the stairs, unattended, to the sweet strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mrs. Harold Page Miller of Crookston, a friend of the bride, and took their places at an improvised altar of ferns and pink and white asters. Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the local Presbyterian church, read the impressive service. Immediately afterward Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher sang, "Beloved, It is Morn" which was followed by "I Love You Truly" and "At Dawning," sung by Miss Ella Miller.

The bride was handsomely attired in a gown of white charmeuse and wore a veil caught in cap effect. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. The veil is owned by Mrs. G. W. Walker of this city, seven other brides having worn it previously. Her only adornment was a beautiful string of pearls, a gift from the groom.

During the reception violin and piano selections were offered by Misses Ausilga Sorenson, Laura Ferdig and Doris Halvorson respectively. The tray service was used in serving the sumptuous lunch.

The bride is a very popular young lady and a highly talented musician, having been engaged as instructor of piano in this city for a number of years. She was graduated from the West Aurora high school and later completed a course in music at Columbia conservatory. Since that time she has resided with her parents, who moved to this city seven years ago. Her many friends offer hearty congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Noper will leave the latter part of the week by car for Good Hope, Ill., where Mr. Noper is a prosperous farmers. They will be at home after November 1. The out-of-town guests present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Miller, of Crookston; C. H. Chamberlain, also of Crookston; Mrs. Lewis Noper of Good Hope, mother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. James and family, also of Good Hope, and Stuart McLeod of Goodridge.

Erickson-Fitzgerald.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Methodist Episcopal church parsonage on Friday evening at 5 o'clock uniting Miss Marie Erickson of this city and William Fitzgerald of Orleans, in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. J. B. Smith was the officiating clergyman. Miss Bertha Erickson acted as bridesmaid while Charles Ryan, also of Orleans was the best man. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the bride's home where a sumptuous wedding dinner had been prepared. The bride is a popular and highly esteemed young lady and is well known to local people, having grown to womanhood in this city. In 1911 she was graduated from the local high school. Since that time she has been engaged in teaching school in various towns near this city having at one time taught in Orleans. After a short honeymoon which will be spent in attending the state fair they will be at home to their many friends at Orleans where the groom is manager of the elevator.

CcCrum-Noyes.

Announcements have been received by relatives of the marriage of Miss Margaret McCrum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McCrum, residing on a farm near this city, to Elmer Marden Noyes of Chicago, on Aug. 24 at the above named city. Miss McCrum is well known locally having lived in this vicinity practically all of her life previous to the time when she was graduated from the local high school in 1911. Since that time she has been engaged in teaching school until a few years ago when she took a course in nursing. Since the close of the world war she has been connected with reconstruction aid.

Aasland-Olson.

Thales E. Aasland and Miss Lillian Olson, both of Thief River Falls, were united in marriage on Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock at the Aasland home, 416 LaBree avenue. Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Johnson acted as witnesses. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served to immediate relatives and friends. The newlyweds left the same evening on a wedding trip to the southern part of the state.

Banks-Stubs.

On Tuesday evening at the parsonage of the Trinity Lutheran church occurred the marriage of Arne O. Banks of Fordville, N. D., to Miss Barbara Stabs of Michigan, N. D. Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of the local church, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Banks will reside in Fordville where the groom is a popular young business man.

Entertain for Miss Johnson.

Thirty of the former pupils of Miss Blanche Johnson held a party at her home, Burr Oaks Farm, in her honor on Friday afternoon. The young folks enjoyed games of various kinds until the supper hour when a sumptuous spread which had been brought by the guests was served on the lawn. As a token of their appreciation and esteem Miss Johnson was presented with a beautiful gift of silverware consisting of six salad forks, six tea spoons, a tomato server and cream ladel in the patrician design. The party was chaperoned by Mesdames H. O. Loken, Geo. Nicholson, John Cronkhite and Mrs. Hermanson.

Bouillon Party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller were hosts to twenty of their friends at a bouillon dinner on Sunday noon at Tindolph park. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lampert, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. G. Howard Smith and E. M. Schutt.

Blue Birds.

The Blue Birds of the Presbyterian Sunday school met at the home of Mrs. F. F. Haynes on Wednesday, Sept. 1 and elected the following officers: Murial Loken, president; Ellen Crandall, secretary and treasurer; Maxine Johnson, reporter. Plans were discussed for the following year and mainly of means to replenish the treasury.

Reception.

The Methodist Episcopal church is planning a reception to the school teachers to be held in the church on Friday, Sept. 10. Preparations have been made to give these strangers within our gates a royal reception and a welcome that will surely make them feel at home in our midst for the remainder of their stay among us.

Sunday School Picnic.

The primary department of the Presbyterian Sunday school were entertained by their teachers, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, Mrs. C. M. Adkins and Miss Effie Haury, at a picnic on the Mogensen lawn on Thursday afternoon.

Masonic Picnic.

The Eastern Stars and Masons held a picnic at Squaw Point on Labor day. Dinner was served at twelve o'clock to which everyone did justice. The remainder of the day was devoted to games and races.

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To fill prospective positions a 1000-New-Pupil Club was formed. Join it and "Follow the Succe$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Resolutions of Sympathy and Condolence by Young Pine Lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F.

WHEREAS, in view of the loss that has been sustained by Brother Emil Zeh and his family by the decease of a beloved daughter and sister;

THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that it is but a just tribute to the memory of the departed to say that in regretting her removal from the midst of her family, we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard.

RESOLVED, that we sincerely condole with our brother and his family on this dispensation with which it has pleased Divine Providence to affect them, commend them for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best, and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

RESOLVED, that this heartfelt testimonial of our sympathy and sorrow be forwarded to our bereaved brother and his family.

RESOLVED, that these resolutions be published in the local newspapers and placed upon the minutes of the meeting.

ADOLF EKLUND.
BERNHARD KNUDSEN.
FRED C. DABLOW.
Committee.

Luther League Meets.

The Luther League of the Swedish Lutheran church of St. Hilaire will meet at the home of Karl J. Erickson on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 12. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Hospital Notes.

Following are patients registered at the Physicians hospital since last Thursday: Irene and Eleanor Statkiewizz, Holt; Mae Fonnes, Grygla; Mrs. C. Langen, Erie; Mrs. A. I. Huga, Columbus, N. D.; Avis and Ardith Brown, Grygla; O. J. Peterson, Hazel; Laura Dokken, Fordville, N. D.; Tewile Thompson, Aspelin; E. Gerdts, Duluth; Mathilda Mork, Viking; Joe Atloff, Thief River Falls; Earl Peterson, Hazel; Mrs. John Bergland, Plummer.

Salvation Army Notes—Cadet Inga Saugen, who leaves for the Salvation Army Training college, will bid farewell Sunday night at 8 p. m., from the Salvation Army Hall, 317 Main Ave. N. Everybody welcome.

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High School Progress

The people of the town have gen-rously opened up their homes or the teachers so that living condi-ions are much more satisfactory this ear than they were last year.

School has started out with a Rush nd a Roar and a Bang!. There is an tmosphere of sincerety very appar-nt in the students. They know why hey are going to school. In these ays of strenuous times with condi-ions ever changing about, students eem to realize why they are in chool. This is going to be a great ear.

A preliminary teachers meeting was alled Monday morning at ten o'clock. uperintendent Ziegler went over omewhat the plans for the year. The main feature of his talk was an ap-peal that the teachers should realize n earnest what schools are for. In heso times of constant change, chools are changing just as much as nything else. The whole purpose of chooling is being focused about the dea that school should be a place for reparation for life. Teachers will reak away from the old traditional, idebound type of teaching school nd will make the school rooms scenes f interesting activity rather than the monotonous hum-drum, doleful dron-ng out of recitations. The entire eaching force has been filled. A orps of most efficient instructors has een engaged.

The Library has been turned into a ecitation room. There wil be four ecitations there and the rest of the ay will be devoted to library work on he part of Miss Levitt, who will help oth teachers and students in the matter of reference reading.

A detailed report of the enrollment nd the number of non-residents will e given next week.

Miss Zella Zeh.

The students and teaching staff of he Lincoln high school were indes-ribably shocked at the death of Miss Zella Zeh. It is utterly impossible to ealize the startling truth that she is one. She was with us for one short ear, during which her superior wom-nly qualities made themselves mani-fest to everybody who even remotely ame in contact with her. She was he Junior Class Advisor last year and his year's Senior Class looked for-ward to a most pleasant renewal of elationship. Her wholesome charac-er made itself strongly felt in life. Although she is dead her influence is still with us. She built stronger than he knew.

We shall never forget you Miss Zeh. Your wonderful influence shall e potent in molding our lives al-hough you are gone from us.

The present school year promises o be most active and vital. It is rea-ized that fundamental school changes are occuring rapidly every year in the United States. It shall be the inten-ion of these columns to keep the pub-ic posted. There will be a number of uotations from school journals. We ask the public to watch this page in order that they may learn as far as possible what some of these funda-mental changes are. Schools are no onger today what they were and the public should concern itself about hese changes.

Attention, Young Men!

The Industrial Arts department of our local high school offers a course n building trades such as concrete work which includes laying of cement walks, window and door sills for brick veneer work, hitching posts and other various projects. In connection with this it teaches the strength and re-enforcement of concrete and water proofing of cement walls. Qualities and propositions of sand and cement.

Brick Laying.

Kinds of brick, lime, quality of sand, solid brick wall and brick veneer. Varieties of effects obtained by use of various bands in laying face brick, such as the English band, the Flemish, the Dutch and various other bands. Construction of chimneys and fire places, hollow tile construction, building of arches and fire-proof floors.

Time devoted to masonry construction will be 6 weeks, beginning with Sept. 7th.

Carpentry and Joinery.

Contents of subject: Description, kinds and strength of woods, qualities of timber, framing of buildings, laying out rafters, roof and truss construction. Pitch of roof, types of roofs and kinds of rafters, window and door construction, etc.

House Wiring.

Contents of this subject: Principles of electricity, magnetism, construction and action of batteries, battery construction, wire operation, electric light wire operation, electric light circuits, reading of meters.

Steam Engineering.

This course will cover construction of fire and water tube boilers, direct and return flue and internally and externally fired engines as well as the principles of the fire safety appliances. Steam engine operation, repair and construction will be dealt with in detail.

Gas Engineering.

This unit will include the general principle of operation, care and repair of the gas tractor with emphasis upon carburetion and ignition.

Soldering and Babbitting.

This unit will deal with actual soldering upon various projects, use of fluxes, melting points of metals, tinning and jointing. The work in babbitting includes alignment of shafts, fire clay, pouring a bearing grooving for lubrication, etc.

Auto Mechanics.

Among the numerous phases of this work will be included the study of the single cylinder, two, four, six and eight cylinder engines with emphasis upon the four cylinder, four cycle valve timing, ignition timing, valve grinding, clearance, lapping in pistons, fitting bearings, magnetos, storage batteries, generators, motors, etc., will be some of the subjects studied. Forge work including welding and tempering will be an interesting part of this subject. After an auto is thoroughly overhauled a short course in auto painting will be given to complete the job.

In connection with all the subjects named, drawing, making and reading of blue prints go hand in hand to suit that particular subject, so as to make the course not only practically but also theoretically a complete one.

Nothing will be left undone to make this course as interesting and brimful of good stuff that will make a man and a useful, self-reliant and independent citizens out of you, young man. Those who are working for high school credits will be given credit for the time spent in this course. Boys of the age of 15 or over will be admitted to this course. For particulars see Supt. Ziegler or Mr. Schmitt, Supervisor of Industrial Education.

Taxes are high and burdensome, but maintenance of the public schools and the proper compensation of those who teach in them must come ahead of any consideration of economy. If we must retrench, it must be done elsewhere than in the public schools. They must have more money, a great deal of it, and it must be provided.

So vitally important are they in the building of the Hawaii of the future that the needs and necessities of the public schools should have first place in the consieration of the Legislature—first place over harbors, docks, highways, public buildings, and everything else. They are the corner stone on which we must erect a 100 per cent American Hawaii.—Honolulu Star-Bulletin.

Saving For A College Education.

A "college education policy" is offered by one of the largest life insurance companies of the South. The policy may be purchased when a child is 1 year of age or begun any year thereafter; payments are made on the same plan as Christmas savings. The policy can be paid for like tuition during the time the state gives the boy and girl free education, and upon graduation from high school it will be possible to have a paid-in-advance college education. In a recent report of the Louisiana Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Browne, the State chairman, says: "The success of school savings assures us that this plan is absolutely feasible, with 80 per cent of the 50,000 children in public schools saving."

Schools Our Greatest Security.

The future of America today rests as never before upon America's great system of public schools. Our schools are our greatest security against the unseen perils of the future and we should make them worthy of our growing national life.—Henry J. Allen, Governor of Kansas.

Poor, Indeed, Without its Schools.

Money spent for education is sure to yield large dividends in the intellectual, moral, civic, physical, and vocational equipment of our citizens. The Nation would be poor, indeed, if it were not for its schools. They must be fostered and encouraged by all forward-looking men and women. —E. I. Edwards, Governor of New Jersey.

Proposes Campaign of Public Enlightment.

Assuming that the failure on the part of teachers to take their work seriously, our special problems in Alabama are typical for the country. I am convinced that our most hopeful avenue of relief is a Nation-wide intensive campaign of public enlightment of such scope and dignity as will win the interest and support of the public and develop a keener sense of professionalism on the part of teachers and be reenforced by such necessary legislative enactments as will insure adequate financial support wisely disbursed.—Thomas F. Kilby, Governor of Alabama.

Essentials in American Life Wait on Education.

There must come to our people a fuller realization that an educated public interest or sentiment is the supporting agency of a true democracy where an intelligent public opinion habitually rules. The essentials in our American life and Government wait on school education, and its efficiency and effectiveness rest almost solely on the type of instruction given in the schools.

We must not forget the maxim, "The teacher is the school." For their proper education and training the boys and girls of our land demand the best poised and most talented manhood and womanhood for the teaching profession. We know the price we must pay for this kind of service and it is wise economy to pay it.—Albert C. Ritchie, Governor of Maryland.

Home For Teachers.

Exhorbitant prices and uncomfortable living quarters do not exist to lessen the classroom efficiency of the teachers of McAllen, Tex. The city board of education has just finished the erection of a teachers' club that will house 32 teachers and furnish meals at cost to as many more.

The building is complete in every detail, and is so arranged that it can be easily enlarged by extending the wings down the side of the court. Every room is an outside room. There are bedrooms for 32 teachers, servant's room, hostess-manager's room, four bathrooms, kitchen, large dining room, reception room and lobby with tile floor, an elegant parlor, and five screened-in porches, four of them being on the court. Every bedroom has running water, a built-in dressing table, dresser, and a large clothes closet. The furnishings throughout are in keeping with the excellence of the building.

A rental will be charged to each roomer, which though reasonable will largely take care of the interest and sinking fund on the bonds, and in the course of 40 years will nearly pay for the building. The school district will not pay any considerable sum of money on the project. Although the dining room will not be conducted on the cooperative basis, the meals will be furnished approximately at cost.

Stenographers Needed.

The United States Civil Service Commission has just issued a notice that stenographers are still urgently needed in the government service at Washington, D. C. There are three hundred permanent positions to be filled at once at entrance salaries of $1200 a year with the bonus of $20 a month if services are satisfactory. Examinations are held every Tuesday at a large number of offices in this district, and concerning which full information and the required application blank (form 304) may be secured upon request from the secretary of the Eighth Civil Service District, Post Office, St. Paul, Minn., or Local Secretary, Thief River Falls, Minn.

The First Ev. Luth Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Service next Sunday at 10:30. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. Service in the American language at 7:45 p. m.

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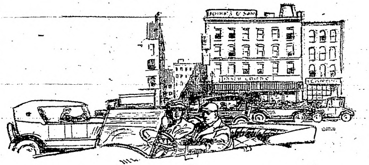

This section certainly owes a lot to the automobile

LOOK at it just from the business standpoint, compared with, say, ten years ago—or even five.

Everything speeded up—made easier. Nearly every business-man depending on the automobile to transport himself and his products.

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That is one reason, perhaps, why more attention is being paid to tires—why tire costs are being figured closer and people are beginning to look for *better tires*.

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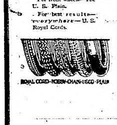

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STON AGGIE SCHOOL OPEN SOON

Term to Begin October 5. Heavy Enrollment of Students Indicated.

uesday, Oct. 5th, is the opening of the fall term of the North- School of Agriculture according information received from the ol authorities by The Times. The ple of Thief River Falls farming munity are interested in the ol. Many of its graduates live in midst. During its 14 years exist- over 1500 students have been en-d and about 400 are graduates. n accomodate 250 in the dormi-s provided altho by crowding and four in the rooms, 301 stu-s were enrolled last year. The minary enrollment this fall is re-d to be the heaviest in the his-of the school.

you are interested in learning about the school's courses, en-ce requirements and other infor-on, write Superintendent Selvig an early reply will be sent you. fail to attend the exercises to the school on October 5 new dining hall, the paved way and the Soldiers' and Sailors' orial are dedicated.

ED CORN TIME BEGINS ON FRIDAY

ection and Storage of Seed Corn at This Time is Urged.

ed corn time for Minnesota be- Friday, Sept. 10 and ends Mon- Sept. 20.

is is the time every year when farmers of Minnesota are urged elect and store their seed corn. he reason for choosing this period at it gives farmers a chance to their seed corn in before the time killing frosts, and a chance to eir seed corn well cured and dry before freezing weather comes, thus putting it out of danger of injury.

That it pays to select and store seed corn in Seed Corn Time is shown by the experience of certain corn counties in southern Minnesota last spring. The farmers in the counties referred to postponed the picking of seed corn in Seed Corn Time last fall. They finally made their selection of seed ears at husking time. Meanwhile there had been a hard freeze. The result was that when they came to test their seed corn last spring much of it would not germinate and they had to buy supplies at high prices. The postponement of seed corn selection, therefore, proved costly.

Big Dance Soon.

Pep, snap, ginger. Crouse Ragadours at the auditorium Tuesday, Sept. 14. See the bills.

Good Roads Needed.
(Minneapolis Tribune.)

Residents of Red Lake, Pennington and Marshall counties are organizing to construct a motor highway to Red Lake which shall open that beautiful body of water to more extended uses as a summer resort. As Red Lake's area is 440 square miles and its beaches, fishing grounds and cruising stretches are ample, Minnesota's "ten thousand lakes" will score a marked addition through the accessibility which this construction will provide. In these motoring days it is only their difficulty of access which has held back such large bodies of water as Red Lake and Mille Lacs lake. Indeed, the wonder is that they have not been made more accessible before now. Adoption of the Babcock good roads amendment by the voters of Minnesota will give the state such an impetus as to establish it as the great summer playground of the Central West.

Smith Undergoes Operation.

G. Howard Smith left Friday evening for Minneapolis, where he went for the purpose of having his tonsils removed. At the time Mr. Smith was in the army it was found that this operation was necessary and after much red tape and many delays he finally was given orders last week to appear before the army physician to be operated upon. The operation might just as well have been performed in Thief River Falls at a saving of considerable expense to the government but those in charge evidently seem to care little for economy.

AMERICAN LEGION GROWING IN STATE

Recent Report of State Historian Shows 60,000 Members and 470 Posts.

The annual report of S. G. Iverson, of St. Paul, state historian of The American Legion, shows that 328 posts were organized throughout Minnesota, from January 1 until the Duluth convention closed the fiscal year.

"We have 470 posts with 60,000 enrolled members," said Mr. Iverson. "Within the past eight months, 100 women's auxiliaries with a membership of upwards of 5,000 have been organized. Minnesota leads the country in organization of auxiliary units. There are still upwards of 60,000 service men to be enrolled in The Legion."

Mr. Iverson has not completed his list of Minnesota legionnaries who have died during the past year. Statistics obtained from Washington, showed that Minnesota's war casualties totaled 7158 enlisted men and 165 officers. Total deaths were 2138, including 50 officers.

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Bad Place in Jefferson Highway Now Improved

Traffic along the Jefferson highway will no longer be diverted because of a bad stretch of road between Clearbrook and Bagley, because the road is now in fairly good condition and will be properly marked, according to a report coming from Red Lake Falls, given out by a committee representing the Red Lake County Automobile club and consisting of L. E. Healy, chairman of the good roads committee; E. G. Buse, George F. Hennings and S. E. Hunt, accompanied by County Engineer H. E. Palmer. This party went over the route between Red Lake Falls and Bagley Monday and Tuesday and held meetings with business men at Gonvick, Clearbrook and Bagley. The old markings between Clearbrook and Bagley had not been changed to the new road, which has recently been constructed between these two towns and which is in fair condition. The new route was designated by General Manager J. D. Clarkson of the Jefferson Highway association last fall after considerable controversy with Clearwater county people, but it appears that the new road was never marked prior to this week.

Express Companies Parasites.
(Warren Register.)

Now it is the express companies that are demanding a big increase in rates. Absolutely, they are not entitled to it. Moreover, they have no moral right to exist, anyhow. The express business should be taken over by the railways, as they furnish the actual transportation. The express company is simply a barnacle that has fastened itself upon the public and added to the cost of doing business. If you don't believe this, read the history of the origin of the various express companies operating on the railroads of the northwest.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.28
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.23
Oats	.49
Flax	3.01
Barley	.70
Rye	1.71
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	6.80
Bran	2.60
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Corn and Oat feed, 80-lb. bags	2.60
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.14
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.22
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.47
Dairy butter	.55
Creamery butter	.65
Cow hides, per lb.	.10
Horse hides	2-4
Calf hides	.10
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.06
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows	.05
Lamb, per lb.	.09

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Bjerkhoel, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Agnes Lange, Gustav Haller, Barney Bjerkhoel, Halvdan Bjerkhoel, Arnold Bjerkhoel, Andrew Berkhall, Ruth Lange, Eva Lange and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed, in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of September, 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Julia E. Ellingson, Elida Johnson, Julia Nichols, Agot Robertson and Olga Ellingson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of September, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 30th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(SEAL)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Section 19 Township 154 consisting of 161 acres of good land with buildings on. This farm is about 6 miles from Viking and 9½ miles from Thief River Falls. Will take $60.00 per acre, $3300.00 cash and the balance on time. Go and see this land. Mr. J. Mossetad rented it for $400.00 this year. If interested write to Henry M. [illegible] 86p

FOR SALE—A 5-10 Avery tractor with two plows. Has plowed about 50 acres. Price $350.00.—C. W. McDaniel. 87tf

FOR SALE—1 bull 15 months old, 3-4 Shorthorn. If taken at once will sell for $40.00.—H. Strandvold, 3 miles west of city. 87p

FOR SALE—Three plow tractor. Inquire at Hall Bros. 90p

FOR SALE—5-room house at 230 Markley Ave. N. Call phone 454 or 308 Conley Ave. S. 90p

FOR SALE—Five room house in good condition. 608 Arnold Ave. N. 90p

FOR SALE—Studebaker 5-passenger roadster in good condition. Can be seen at Borry's Garage. 87tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms: the SE¼ Section 18 Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge. 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Vornchek. 81tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 4752. 80tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 512 LaBree Ave N. 79tf

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres of land, located ten miles northeast of Thief River Falls, four miles north of Silverton station. Seventy-five acres summer fallowed. For particulars see Wm. E. Rude, Administrator, Thief River Falls, Germantown Route. 79tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—One full blood Shorthorn bull 2 years old, and one 7 weeks old bull calf, seven-eighths Shorthorn.—Carl Talley, Mavie.

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Quarter of wild hay 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway.—W. E. Baker. 84tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, S½ Sec. 21, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—New Dowden Potato digger and light work harness.—P. P. Palmer, Mavie, Minn. 83tf

FOR SALE—The lumber shed located south of the Washington School. For particulars see M. A. Schmitt at the Manual Training building. Bids to be received before Saturday, Sept. 11th and with the understanding that all bids can be rejected by the board, if it so desires. Mail bids to Frances L. Larson, Clerk of the School Board, 310 Bridge St. City. 87

FOR SALE CHEAP—Pair of geldings 4 and 6 years, weight about 2800 lbs. Our own raising. Mare 1400 lbs. guaranteed sound.—W. E. Smith, 5 miles N. W. of Thief River Falls. 89p

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey spring boars. Will be sold reasonable to make room for fall litters. Papers furnished. Popular blood lines.—W. J. Bell, Smiley Twp. 88

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Seven room house for five room house close in. Phone [illegible] 88p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five room house, for horses and cows or hay. 908 Duluth Ave. S. 88

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND —One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in modern house, and can also furnish board. 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 303. 87p

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

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LOST—Goodrich tire, 34x4. Finder notify Evelyn Hotel for reward of $20.00.—F. J. Dudley. 87

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LOST—Sorority pin with name of owner on back. Lost on city streets Sunday. Finder return to owner for reward.—Esther Johnson, 608 LaBree Ave. N. 87p

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FOUND—Coat on State Road 2½ miles east last Sunday evening. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad. 87

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WANTED—School teacher for Dist. No. 118 Marshall county. Going wages paid. Apply John Hilstad, Germantown Rt. city. 88p

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WANTED TO BUY—Second hand runabout or roadster. What have you?—C. W. McDaniel. 87tf

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How Women Are Often Cheated Out Of Their Best Years
Physician Explains How Many Women Undermine Their Health and Wreck Their Happiness by Letting the Iron in Their Blood Run Low
Tells How Organic Iron, Like Nuxated Iron, Helps Strengthen The Nerves, Put Roses In The Cheeks and New Vigor and Health in The Veins Of Pale, Careworn Women.
Lack of iron robs the blood of its power to make firm and healthy tissue, brain, and muscle out of the food we eat and the oxygen we breathe, and turns a woman with rosy cheeks, sparkling health and boundless energy into one who is pale, run-down, tired and hopeless. Her thin, watery blood, lacking strength-giving iron, under-nourishes her body and brain and robs her of her natural energy and cheerfulness. She loses interest in life and cannot enter into the normal healthy pleasures of those about her. She is literally cheating herself out of the best years of her life, when she might, in most cases, quickly regain her strength and vitality by feeding her blood with organic iron —Nuxated Iron.
The alarming deficiency of iron in the blood of so many women of today has been explained by a number of doctors as being due to the abnormal worry and strain of modern life, as well as worry and overwork, and our refined, unnatural diet. These all tend to drain the natural iron from the blood faster than the body can replace it without assistance. Under these conditions we should feed the blood with organic iron, and Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and Westchester County Hospital, explains below why organic iron, like Nuxated Iron, is administered to nervous and run-down women to make them stronger, healthier, and happier.
"Every woman has the right to years of vigor and health. But many a woman cheats herself of her best years by allowing lack of iron in her blood to undermine her health.
"To me the saddest feature of modern life is the number of unhappy, careworn women who might so easily regain happiness and health. Doctors' offices are filled with women who are constantly tired, pale, sickly, uninterested in life. I am convinced that many such women, by simply putting iron in their blood, might readily build up rich red blood, increase physical energy, and get themselves into a condition to ward off the millions of disease germs that are almost continually around us. To put the necessary iron in the blood, I have prescribed Nuxated Iron many, many times, and I have seen frequent instances where it gave renewed strength and energy, increased power of endurance, steady nerves, and the rosy bloom of health in about ten days or two weeks' time. I consider Nuxated Iron one of the foremost blood and body builders—the best to which I have ever had recourse."
Manufacturers' Note: Nuxated Iron, which is recommended above is not a secret remedy but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated and does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach. Each tablet of genuine Nuxated Iron is stamped as follows: N I and the words Nuxated Iron are stamped into each bottle, so that the public may not be led into accepting inferior substitutes. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed by all good druggists.

"Where Are My Best Years Going?" asks many a woman who sits indoors, too tired to play, too listless to enjoy the good things of life. Dr. Sullivan in the accompanying article explains how women may quickly regain their health and happiness by the use of organic iron—like Nuxated Iron.
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Confirmation Vows to Class of Twenty-Three

Before an audience that taxed Trinity Lutheran church to capacity last Sunday a class of 23 young men and women were confirmed by Rev. T. E. Sweger, this being the first ceremony of the kind at which he has oficiated since taking over the pastorate. Special musical numbers by a quartet were a feature. Those composing the class were as follows:

Esther Larson, Viola Burringrud, Leve Vistaunet, Myrtle Helgeland, Gladys Williamson, Ruth Dybvik, Celine Jorde, Hilda Engen, Judith Quammen, Hattie Kaushagen, Palma Langseth, Ella Monsebrotten, Willie Anderson, Russell Olson, Alvin Olson, John Sether, Clifford Jorde, Arnold Gunderson, Alfred Steenerson, Millard Myrin, Robert Erickson.

Grand Forks Man Killed When Run Down By Auto

Ernest Walker of Grand Forks died Friday from injuries received the preceding day when he was struck and run over by an automobile driven by Henry Hendrickson of East Grand Forks. Eyewitness reports say Walker had just parked his car in front of his home and was alighting from it when Hendrickson's car run into him, knocked him down and ran over his body. Walker's machine was reported to be on the wrong side of the street.

Sold Plain Rainwater.

The story comes from Spooner about an Iowa man who had motored up that way and before returning to his native state decided to load his car with "good Canadian booze" in order to give the boys back home a taste of the "real stuff." He arranged to purchase two cases from an enterprising salesman along the international border and the liquor was cautiously smuggled across the river to a safe hiding place and paid for in good U. S. money at the going price of $20 per quart. Then the man thought he was entitled to a drink himself after going to all this trouble. One bottle was opened, consternation confronted, it was plain rain water. Another bottle was opened with the same result. All the others were opened and all of them contained water. The Iowa man is now touring the border looking for the water salesman.

Scotti at Grand Forks in Madam Butterfly Sept. 17

Some operatic artists are better singers than they are actors, some are the reverse, and some can neither sing nor act. It is just to say that not only can Antonio Scotti do both, but that he is one of the greatest singing actors on the stage at the present time. In this respect he bears comparison with Plancon and Maurel, the two great Frenchmen who once adorned the European operatic boards and who were prominent at the Metropolitan. Today Scotti has no equals and few who can be regarded as rivals as a singing actor. In certain roles he stands alone, notably Scarpia in Tosca and Chim Fang in "L'Oracolo," parts which he has made peculiarly his own, and in which he will be seen at the auditorium with the Scotti Grand Opera Company, which makes its first appearance on Sept. 17 at *Grand Forks in "Madam Butterfly"* a pleccinis beautiful opera.

A number of Thief River Falls music lovers have signified their intention of hearing the Scotti Grand Opera company at the Forks on above date. The mail order sale of seats is now open, the prices, inclusive of war tax being as follows: $5.50, $4.40, $3.30, $2.20 and $1.65. Check and self-addressed stamped envelope should be to the Poppler Piano company, Grand Forks, for reservations.

Backus Starts Farming.

Baudette Region: The work of making a modern 500-acre farm out of the former Engler mill property is progressing rapidly. Mr. Johnson, foreman for E. W. Backus, has about 175 acres cleared and under cultivation and this week he started on another sixty-acre plot, which will be plowed this fall. It is estimated that at least 235 acres will be under cultivation this fall, and the balance of the 500 acres will be cleared next year. A set of modern farm buildings, unsurpassed in Minnesota, will be built next year, and by September 1921, Baudette will have one of the greatest farms in the state right on the edge of the village.

HOGS SELL HIGHER AND SHEEP LOWER

Cattle Market Closes Steady. Stockers and Feeders Are in Good Demand.

Bulk of hogs were selling on a slightly higher basis at the close last week but top and range remained about the same and the general market was rated about steady for the week. Closing sales showed bulk at $14 to $14.25 with top at $15 for choice sorted lots and low end $13,-50. At the high time, top was $15.-25 with bulk at $14.25 to $14.50 but the market weakened later. Best pigs were in sharp demand up to $15 with most sales at $13.50 to $14.50. Receipts were still light, totalling around 13,500.

The cattle market closed about steady at the earlier decline of 25c to 50c on most grades. Late trading showed nothing choice in the pens but the best sales of the season were scored Tuesday when some 1200 lb. Dakota steers brought $13. Best sales at the finish ranged from $10.-50 to $12 with bulk at $6 to $10. Good steers showed little change but others were lower for the week. She stock reflected the week's decline with sales ranging from $6 to $9 largely. Canners and cutters were priced at $4 to $5 mainly with bulls at $4.50 to $6 and veal calves at $5 to $15. Stocker and feeder trade held about steady with a fair demand all week. Good feeders were quoted around $9.50 to $11 for 1000 to 1100 lb. stuff while cow and heifer trade was ticketed at $4 to $5.50. Dairy cows were slow and steady at $70 to $115 mostly. Receipts were around 31000.

Sheep and lamb trade suffered a setback, lamb prices dropping $1.25 for the week and sheep about 50c. Current quotations are: Lambs $7.-50 to $11.25; yearlings $7. to $9.50; wethers $4 to $6.50; ewes $2. to $6. Western feeding lambs are quoted at $10 to $11 with ewes at $3.50 to $4.-50 and yearlings at $8 to $8.50. Receipts totalled around 24,000.

Registered Shorthorns to Be Offered at Crookston

There will be a sale of registered Shorthorns held at the Red River Valley Livestock pavilion at Crookston at 1:30 p. m., on September 28 when C. O. Carlson of Erskine will dispose of 40 head of registered Shorthorns. 38 of the 40 head are females. 23 of the females are bred to his herd bull, Baron Butterfly. 16 of the cows have calves at foot. There will be only two bulls in the sale. The auctioneers will be Messrs. Burdick, Hitchcock and Hill. The sale will be held in Live Stock Pavilion Annex No. 1 which will be suitably arranged for the occasion.

Public Forum

Help the Mail Carrier.

There is no one thing that is of greater benefit to the farming community than the star and rural route postal system. All the extra expense the farmer is put to is the erection in a convenient place of the required mail box.

You receive and send your mail every day in the year from a point near your home. You can buy stamps, send money orders and transact any other business you may have with the postoffice department through the mail carrier as he goes by. He is obliged to deliver any package up to 70 pounds to you free of charge other than the regular postage.

How many half-day trips to town does this save you? If you are interested in the public issues of the day you can keep as well posted as the man living in the city. Nearly all carriers must travel from 20 to 40 miles every trip. It is a tiresome job at best. Good roads are necessary in order to make the round in safety.

Are you, patron, doing your share to help out for this favor? Do you scrape and repair the roads—which are as much for your benefit as for the carrier's? Do you cut the brush on either side of the road to stop the snow drifting and blocking the road in winter? Do you drive the carrier's road in the winter to help keep it open? How many times do you cuss the carrier because he don't get to your box over a road that you could not be hired to put teams over?

Think of the carrier as a friend and *not as a necessary evil.* Help him out. Cut the brush, repair the road, treat him as you would like to be treated and all will feel better and be happier.

s8 A MAIL CARRIER.

Big Dance Soon.

Pep, snap, ginger. Crouse Ragadours at the auditorium Tuesday, Sept. 14. See the bills.

Child Bitten By Rat.

Warroad Pioneer: Tuesday evening, while the little daughter of Otto Miller was sleeping on her bed, a rat entered the house, jumped on the bed, biting her on the wrist, cutting one of the arteries. The mother at the time was at a neighbor's near by and hearing the cries of the little one ran home and was horrified to find her baby in a pool of blood. Dr. Elliott was called at once and gave the necessary medical aid. The affair might have been a serious accident but as it is the little one is getting along nicely.

Card of Thanks.

We want to express our heartfelt thanks to all those who have so kindly helped us and by contributions given us the sum of $90.35, and we especially thank Mrs. Anna Bang, who for charity's sake alone, spent her time and effort in circulating the lists.
—Paul Hagen, Mrs. Paul Hagen.
s9p

Chautauqua.

The meetings continue in the Chautauqua tent. The subjects are as follows: Thursday evening, "The Thief on the Cross and Christ's Descending to Hell." Friday evening, "A Model Prayer." Sunday evening, "Hell-fire, Are the Wicked to be burned in Hell Throughout the Endless Ages of Eternity"? Scandinavians invited.

OPPORTUNITIES

Banks, wholesale houses and business concerns of all kinds want younger men and women with a business education. To qualify for a good position takes but a short time and cost but little. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out what this successful school can do for you.

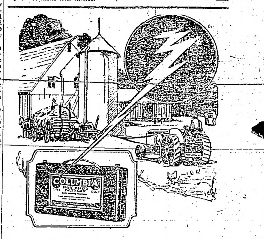

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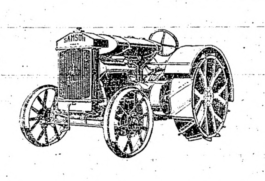

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DAILY PAPER IS POSSIBILITY FOR THIS CITY SOON

Times Will Be Published Daily if Public Sentiment Demands it.

Arrangements Made to Secure Complete Service of the Associated Press.

Investigation to be Made at Once and Decision Reached In Next Two Weeks.

Has Thief River Falls arrived at the stage in its progress where it can support a daily newspaper? This is the question that is confronting the management of The Times today and a thorough canvass of the field is to be made at once to determine whether or not a daily newspaper will receive sufficient support in the city and vicinity to warrant its establishment.

Discussion Started.

The idea has been up for discussion among the business men of the city and The Times has been asked to go over the situation at once and ascertain the possibilities. The matter will be thoroughly gone into from all angles and everything possible in the way of useful information obtained.

Subscriptions and Advertising.

The first important step will be that of ascertaining just how large a subscription list can be obtained for the daily. Return postal cards will be mailed to all Times subscribers within the next day or two with place provided thereon for a one year's subscription for the daily. The manner in which the proposal is received by the subscribers will be a strong determining factor in the course to be adopted. It will, therefore, be very important that all subscribers express themselves on the cards received at once and immediately return them to The Times office. The business men will then be interviewed on the matter of advertising. If this leads to satisfactory results The Daily Times will be assured to the people of Northwestern Minnesota.

A Model Daily.

If it is found that conditions are favorable for starting the daily it will be the aim of The Times management to make the paper a model in every respect and one that may be pointed to as the leading small city daily of the northwest; in fact it will stand in the same relative position as a newspaper as the weekly Times does today.

Associated Press Service.

Arrangements have already been made for securing the complete telegraph service of the Associated Press, which is acknowledged as the greatest news gathering agency in the world today. A thorough and complete world, state and local news service will be maintained at all times and Thief River Falls will have a real daily newspaper.

During the time that the necessary investigation is being conducted The Times will welcome a public discussion of the proposition in its columns and will be glad to receive expressions of opinions from all its subscribers.

Agricultural Picnic Next Sunday to Be Real Hummer

A gathering held under the auspices of the Northwest School of Agriculture graduates, former and present students is planned for 2 o'clock next Sunday afternoon at Valhalla Hall, near Engelstad's farm, Thief River Falls. Professor A. M. Foker of the agricultural school will give an address. An invitation to attend is extended to everyone, young and old, as the gathering is open to all and is not limited to the agricultural school alumni.

RESULT OF TRAFFIC CENSUS GIVEN OUT

Count Kept at Four Points Near City Furnishes Many Interesting Figures.

Some interesting facts are brought out through the traffic census which was completed here last week. The work was done for the purpose of determining the travel on the various highways checked, this information to be used by the highway department in future road construction and repair.

Four points in and near the city were used in compiling the census. Station No. 1 was located on the Jefferson highway at the fair grounds corner, station No. 2 on the same highway at the city limits on the south, station No. 3 at the Squaw Point bridge, and station No. 4 at the south end of Bridge street near the bridge.

The count was kept up for eight days and at station No. 1 the following figures were recorded: Automobiles, 3,642, carrying 11,230 passengers; of these 231 were foreign cars, carrying 705 passengers; 258 trucks, carrying 391 passengers; 219 heavy teams carrying 290 passengers, and 97 light rigs, carrying 210 passengers.

Station No. 2; 2,662 cars and 7,354 passengers. Of these 70 with 198 passengers bore foreign license tags. Trucks, 48, with 62 passengers; heavy teams 117, and 158 passengers, while the light rigs totaled 69 with 107 occupants.

Station No. 3, the Squaw Point bridge, showed the following results: Cars, 3,501, with 9,767 passengers, of which 43 cars carrying 128 passengers belonged outside the state; 172 trucks with 245 passengers; 162 heavy teams, 212 passengers, light rigs 129, with 246 passengers.

Bridge street showed by far the heaviest traffic. At this point 6,917 automobiles passed during the eight days, and the count showed 17,696 people occupied the machines. A very small part of these were foreign cars, only 67, or less than one per cent, bearing the license tags of other states. The foreign cars are credited with 185 passengers. Of trucks there were 646, with 1,091 passengers, while 442 heavy teams carrying 623 passengers passed this point. A total of 322 light rigs and 573, occupants was noted at this place.

The heaviest traffic enumerated at any one point in a single day was on Bridge street, where 1,220 automobiles were counted on Sunday. People traveling on the road near the fair grounds evidently believe in observing the Sabbath as not a single draft team or wagon was noted on that day.

NEW CENTRAL UNION PLANS BIG MEETING

Geo. W. Lawson, Secretary of State Federation, to Be Present at Gathering.

Organized labor in Thief River Falls is planning a big meeting for next Monday evening. The different unions got together some time ago and formed a temporary organization to be known as the Central Labor Union and made application for affiliation with the American Federation of Labor. This application has been granted by Federation officials and the meeting next Monday evening will be for the purpose of forming a permanent central union.

The meeting Monday evening will be held at 8 o'clock at the Commercial club rooms and Geo. W. Lawson, secretary of the State Federation of Labor, has promised to be present to assist with the work of getting properly started. A constitution and bylaws for the new organization will be adopted and a permanent set of officers elected.

Five local unions, including the electricians, carmen, retail clerks, carpenters and printers held the preliminary meeting and made application for the charter, but these forces likely will be augmented by the addition of two or three more unions at Monday evening's meeting. It is the intention to get every available union man to affiliate with the central body and all of them are therefore urged to be present.

All members of labor unions in the city are requested to attend the meeting at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening. There will be room enough for everybody and it is highly important that a good start be made with the new organization. Mr. Lawson has had a great deal of experience in such matters and will see to it that the local union gets the right kind of a start.

Hicks Granted Permit.

H. M. Hicks was granted a permit by the council Tuesday evenig to place an additional door in the rear of the building occupied by his furniture store.

Elks Meet Tomorrow.

There will be a regular meeting of the Elks lodge tomorrow evening. It is particularly desired that all those who have applications for membership, present them at this time in order that they may be acted on before the big initiation takes place in October.

BOTH CANDIDATES LOSE IN SEVENTH

Kvale and Volstead Disqualified in Race For Congress By Supreme Court.

Affirming the disqualification of Rev. O. J. Kvale as republican candidate for congress in the seventh district the Minnesota state supreme court on Saturday also eliminated A. J. Volstead as the nominee. Volstead had been declared the candidate by the district court.

Rev. Kvale, who served the Norwegian Lutheran church at Benson, defeated Congressman Volstead for the nomination in the June primary election. A group of voters in the district contested Kvale's nomination on the ground that he had violated the state corrupt practice act.

Judge Albert Johnson of Red Wing, who heard the contest, held the act had been violated when Rev. Kvale declared Mr. Volstead an atheist. He disqualified Kvale and declared Volstead, the runner-up in the election, the nominee. Rev. Kvale appealed to the state supreme court. The supreme court affirmed the decision after modifying it by eliminating the clause declaring Volstead the nominee and said the reason for this conclusion would be stated in an opinion to be filed at a later date.

This ruling, in the opinion of state officials, leaves the naming of the congressional nominee in the seventh district to the republican congressional committee there. If the district committee is unable to decide on the nominee the state republican committee could act, it was said.

STEPS THROUGH THRESHER TOP; BADLY INJURED

John Malafa of this City Meets With Serious Accident in North Dakota.

Left Leg Amputated and Doctors Fear Righ Limb Cannot Be Saved.

Injured Man Bears Up Well and Prospects are Bright for Speedy Recovery.

John Malafa, 314 Tindolph avenue south, is lying in the hospital at Park River, N. D., in a critical condition as the result of an accident which occurred on Monday while he was at work threshing near Pisek, a small village south of Park River. His left leg has been amputated above the knee and the right limb is so badly lacerated that the doctors have little hope of saving it.

Falls Into Separator.

Malafa was on top of the separator when in some manner one of the doors or lids covering the top of the machine gave way and he slipped into the moving machinery with both feet. As soon as the machine could be stopped he was helped out of his plight, with his limbs mangled and bleeding.

A doctor was summoned and the injured man taken at once to the hospital at Park River, where he has since been cared for. Examination disclosed the seriousness of his injuries and the doctors found immediate amputation of the left leg imperative. This operation was performed the same day and John bore up well under the shock. Although the right leg also is terribly mangled, hope is held out that it may be possible to save it unless complications set in.

Sympathy is General.

Mr. Malafa is well known in Thief River Falls and has numerous friends who will be sorry to learn of the accident. He is well liked by everyone and has always been an industrious, hard-working man. It had been his custom for a number of years to work in North Dakota during the threshing season and he had charge of a separator at the time the accident occurred. He is married and his family consists of his wife and three small children.

Mrs. Malafa left immediately for Park River upon being apprised of the accident and is now helping care for her husband. The injured man is a member in good standing of the W. O. W. and the local lodge is taking steps to be of whatever assistance it can.

CLUB PROPOSES RUN TO GOODRIDGE FAIR

Committee From Commercial Body Chosen to Arouse Interest in Event.

Believing that the Tri-County fair at Goodridge next Monday and Tuesday is of benefit to this city, it was deemed advisable by the Commercial club members present at the meeting last Thursday to have as many as possible from Thief River Falls attend the fair. To that end a committee consisting of Daniel Shaw, John Morgan and Abe Sapero was named by President E. M. Stanton to complete such arrangements as are necessary to have a good turn-out on Tuesday of next week, Sept. 21.

Much interest attaches to the fair on that day due to the fact that Senator Schmeckel of Renville county will be present to explain the benefits of the Babcock amendment.

The club will start holding noonday lunches next week, Thursday, Sept. 23, and Mrs. Strupp has been secured to oversee the serving of the meals. It was thought by the club members that once a week is sufficient to start with and that Thursday will be the most satisfactory day of the week. The first lunch will be served at 12 o'clock sharp and will be in the nature of an experiment, so that the directors may get an idea of how the lunches will take and what the people will be willing to stand in the way of cost. The charge for the first lunch will be 35 cents and it is proposed to have hot meat sandwiches with gravy, potatoes, a relish and coffee.

Two Cuttings of Alfalfa Yield 2½ Tons to Acre

Fred Cuno, residing near Grygla, has this season cut 4½ tons of alfalfa in two cuttings on a ten-acre plot. The first cutting went 2½ tons to the acre and the second 2 tons. The third crop is now about 20 inches in length and would furnish another cutting of excellent hay, but Mr. Cuno will allow this to return to the soil, believing that this process will prove the most profitable in the long run.

Alfalfa has been a remarkably good crop everywhere in this vicinity this year and will enter more heavily into the feed rations during the coming winter than ever before. Those who have tried raising this wonderful fodder are convinced that it will in time prove one of the mainstays of the section.

Henry S. Johnson Wanted.

Henry J. Johnson, whose address is given as 322 Conley avenue south, Thief River Falls, is requested to get in touch at once with G. Howard Smith, adjutant of the local post of the American Legion, in regard to compensation insurance.

Share in Cafe Sold to Brother By Hal Stanton

A deal was closed last Saturday whereby E. M. Stanton purchased the interest of his brother, H. S. Stanton, in the Thief River cafe. The Stanton boys have conducted this popular eating place for the past two years and have enjoyed a splendid patronage. Ed. does not contemplate any radical change in the business but will continue along the same lines as formerly.

Hal Stanton left this week for Minot, N. D., where he has been offered the management of a large restaurant. If things out there are to his liking he will make that city his home.

ASK TO DISMISS ACTION AGAINST PAVING PROJECT

Appellants Withdraw Case Brot on Appeal Before State Supreme Court.

Drop Matter on its Merits, Which Precludes Further Action Under Same Head.

Object of Appeal Achieved and All Hampering Will Cease, Says Attorney.

The action brought by a number of citizens of Thief River Falls asking that the city be enjoined from paving certain streets in the business section has been withdrawn on its merits by the appellants. This means that the subject cannot be reopened under the same cause of action. Theodore Quale of this city, attorney for appellants, says that so far as his clients are concerned no further effort will be made to hold up the proceedings.

Object Achieved.

This action was carried to the supreme court after Judge Grindeland of the district court had ruled adversely on the application for an injunction. Among the reasons presented why the city should be stopped from proceeding with the work the principal one was that the law of 1919, giving municipalities the power to undertake improvements such as paving without a vote of the people, was unconstitutional. A recent supreme court decision declared the law valid. Another contention was that the streets were not in shape for paving this year. Appellants say that this objection has been automatically removed inasmuch as it is now too late in the season to begin the work and that by next spring the streets will have settled sufficiently to make paving safe. They maintain that it has at no time been their intention to oppose the improvement, their aim being simply to force a postponement until such time as in their opinion the streets were in condition to permit of the work being properly done.

Last Barrier Removed.

The withdrawal of this action removes the last barrier to paving and it is expected that from now on the work will be carried forward without interruption. There is no possibility of any actual surfacing being undertaken this fall, but the gutters and curbs can be installed and the storm water sewers constructed. As soon as the weather permits in the spring the main job will be undertaken, according to representatives of the contractors, the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie, who has from the first maintained that the application for an injunction could not be made to hold, believes that no further attempts will be made to thwart the purpose of the council in this matter.

Reception to Teachers at Auditorium Friday

The usual reception at the opening of the school, at which time parents and others are invited to meet the teachers in the city schools, will be held at the auditorium on Friday evening, Sept. 24, according to the plans of the school board. In the past it has been found that this function has severely taxed the capacity of the high school auditorium and as the gathering is every year becoming more popular it was considered best to secure the larger hall.

At the board meeting on Monday evening the wooden building on the south side of the high school grounds was sold to the Oakland Park Sanitarium commission for $200. The structure will be moved out to the park and used as a chicken house.

It was decided to take out the partition in the office of the Knox building and convert the room into a kindergarten, there being no quarters available for this purpose on the East side.

NARROW ESCAPE AS BOY SHOOTS AT CAR DRIVER

Harry O. Warner of Thief River Falls Wounded by Bullet From Rifle.

Shot Without Warning on Sunday While Driving Car in Cloverleaf Township.

Frank Rohr, 14 Years Old, Admits Shooting and is Placed On Probation.

To be shot through the shoulder while driving an automobile on the public highway was the experience of Harry O. Warner of Thief River Falls last Sunday evening. The shooting occurred in Cloverleaf township and Frank Rohr, the boy who did the shooting, was apprehended the following day by Sheriff W. J. LaBree. The lad was given a hearing yesterday morning before Ira C. Richardson, judge of the juvenile court, and was placed on probation for one year. He is required to make a report each month to Sheriff LaBree and will be allowed his liberty pending good behavior.

Wound Not Serious.

The wound inflicted by the bullet is not serious, though Mr. Warner can consider himself mighty lucky to get out of it as easily as he did. The pellet struck in the fleshy part of the shoulder and penetrated to the shoulder blade, which deflected its course upward and out through the muscles. Had it not been for the fact that Mr. Warner was stooping forward at the instant to adjust something about his car, the bullet would likely have struck his body at a lower point and resulted in much more serious injury.

Mr. Warner felt the sting of the bullet just after passing two lads on the road. One of the boys carried a small rifle and the wounded man naturally placed the blame upon him.

Shot Just For Fun.

After being taken into custody the boy was questioned and at first denied all knowledge of the matter. He finally owned up, however, that he had fired the shot and said he did it just for fun. The lad does not appear to be very strong mentally and did not seem to realize the seriousness of the charge against him. His parents were at a loss to understand why the boy fired the shot, claiming that he never before had attempted to do anything out of the way.

Mr. Warner did not care to press his case against the boy and the court decided the interests of all would best be served by placing the lad on strict probation instead of sending him to the reformatory.

SCARCITY OF FISH TO BE LOOKED INTO

Claim Made That Finny Tribe is Prevented From Passing Up and Down River.

Local fishermen have long been of the opinion that there must be some reason for the scarcity of fish in Red Lake river. It has been claimed by some that the outlet at Red Lake is obstructed by nets and screens in such a way as to make it impossible for fish to travel down the river from the lake. Others maintain the scarcity of fish is not caused at the outlet but by obstructions at points farther down the stream. One Thief River Falls man, who has made several trips up and down the stream during the past few months, claims that at several points nets have been placed and are kept set in such a way as to effectually prevent fish from passing in either direction.

Investigation also has brought out the fact that power dams along the river are not provided with fish runways as required by law. This is said to be true of the dams at Thief River Falls, Red Lake Falls and Crookston. It is claimed most of the fish which should find its way into the stream in these parts would come from Canada by way of the Red River of the North if no obstructions stood in the way. As matters stand no fish can possibly pass by Crookston owing to the dam.

The matter was brought up last Thursday evening at the meeting of the commercial club and discussed at some length. It was decided that immediate action is necessary and the first step will be a letter of protest to Carlos Avery, game and fish commissioner of Minnesota. If this results in fish runways being placed in all dams and in other obstructions being removed between here and Red Lakes, it should make a vast difference in fishing along Red Lake river.

Will Open Gymnasium For the Season on October 1.

G. A. Fallness has decided to again open his gymnasium in the basement of the Citizens Bank building and has set the date for Oct. 1. There has been but little activity along this line during the summer months but with the coming of cooler weather, many will be glad to again take advantage of the facilities for healthful exercise afforded by Mr. Fallness' equipment.

The gymnasium has been rigged out with additional peraphernalia during the summer, more boxing gloves having been secured and another punching bag added. The remainder is the same as last season.

Just what program will be followed has not been decided upon, this being left for the members to determine after things are in running order. The main point now is that all old-timers should show up on the opening date as well as those who may wish to join. Boys' and ladies' classes with the proper instructors will be added later if the demand warrants such proceeding.

Injured Man Improving.

Joseph Althoff, the young man employed by V. C. Noper as a milk driver and who was last week injured when he ran his car into a moving Great Northern train, is rapidly recovering at the Physicians hospital. He received a number of bad bruises and was otherwise severely shaken up but is mending in a very satisfactory manner.

Auto Too Noisy.

Ed. Aga last Thursday paid a fine of $5 in municipal court after pleading guilty to the charge of running his automobile on the streets with the cut-out wide open. The complaint was sworn to by Chief of Police E. O. Erickson.

F. P. MANN SPEAKS AT MERCHANT BANQUET

Discusses Advertising; Declares Times Is a Wonderful Newspaper.

The business men of Thief River Falls spent a pleasant and highly profitable evening on Tuesday of this week when they listened to an address by F. P. Mann of Devils Lake, North Dakota, following a banquet served at the Evelyn hotel.

Mr. Mann is the head of a large mercantile establishment at Devils Lake, president of the North Dakota Retail Merchants' Association, and is regarded as one of the leading authorities in the entire country on modern merchandising methods. He has addressed hundreds of gatherings of business men in all parts of the country and is constantly in demand.

He has developed a wonderful retail business in the North Dakota city, his establishment at the present time doing a business of approximately $700,000 a year. He says that the basis of his whole success is advertising and lots of it, backed by quality merchandise and upright business methods. He talks advertising in a very forceful manner, being able to back his statements with illustrations of his own experience.

During his remarks Mr. Mann paid The Times a number of very fine compliments. He stated that in his travels throughout the various states of the country he came in contact with thousands of merchants and hundreds of newspapers as he always made it a point to visit and inspect the leading newspaper plant in every city that he was in. He referred to the plant and equipment of The Times as a remarkable printing establishment developed to a high state of efficiency and said that among all the country newspapers that he had seen the Thief River Falls Times stood out as a model of perfection. He complimented the merchants on the remarkably fine appearance of their advertising and said that it was distinctively high-class and showed the result of careful preparation.

The speaker enumerated the various kinds of advertising employed by his store and gave the local merchants some very valuable information. The evening proved to be a highly profitable one for those present and Mr. Mann will always find a warm welcome in Thief River Falls.

SEWER CONTRACTOR WANTS MORE MONEY

Council Decides to Let this Part of Paving Project for Second Time.

Higher prices all along the line, together with the recent increase in freight rates, make it impossible for Carl Knutson, who last spring was awarded the contract for installing the storm sewer system in conjunction with the paving project in Thief River Falls, to do the work at the price stipulated in the original contract.

Mr. Knutson was present at the council meeting Tuesday evening and explained his position in the matter. He stated that it would cost him approximately ten per cent more to do the work now than early in the summer and said that in order to make it possible for him to proceed with the contract at once it would be necessary for the council to grant him a bonus of $1,200. The amount of the original contract is $12,389.

After considering the matter at length the council decided the better way out of the difficulty would be to advertise the job once more and leave it to competitive bidders. Bids for the work will be opened at a special session of the council to be held on Thursday evening, Sept. 30.

The financing of this part of the work is expected to present no difficulty. It can likely be handled through local banks or temporarily drawn from other funds of the city, to be replaced when the bond issue for the major part of the paving job is made.

GOODRIDGE FAIR NEXT WEEK WILL BREAK RECORDS

Everything Ready for Grand Opening Next Monday Morning, September 20.

Speakers Have Been Secured to Discuss Babcock Amendment Pro and Con.

Ball Games and Other Sports on Program—Something Doing Every Minute.

Next Monday morning the gates of the Tri-County fair at Goodridge will be thrown open to the public. Preparations for the big event have been under way for several weeks and those in charge feel justified in saying that it will be a hummer.

Barns and sheds for the housing of stock have been built, while other exhibits will be placed in the school house. The school building is large enough for this purpose and everything will be arranged in fine shape so as to be easily accessible to view.

Fine Speaking Program.

An exceptionally good program has been prepared for the entertainment of visitors. Several well known speakers have been secured, among whom are Senator Schmeckel of Renville county, J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, and former Senator D. P. O'Neill. It is also likely that M. J. Dowling of Olivia will deliver an address on the second day of the fair.

The senator from Renville county, representing the highway improvement committee, will touch upon the same subject. The Babcock amendment is a live issue and these gentlemen are well qualified to explain its good and bad qualities.

J. H. Hay, who needs no introduction to the people of this section, will deliver the leading address on the second day of the fair. Mr. Hay's subject has not been announced but everyone may rest assured the speech will be well worth hearing.

Grain Grades Explained.

A representative of the Minnesota grain inspection department will be on hand with suitable equipment to demonstrate and explain the workings of the state and national grain grading laws. This is a subject of much interest to farmers and no doubt farmers and others will be on hand to learn more about this highly important subject. The same exhibit was given at the Pennington county fair and created a great deal of interest from all quarters.

Many Other Attractions.

A fine sports program is in course of preparation and there will be something doing every minute of the two days. Among other numbers are two base ball games, wrestling matches, dances in the bowery and many other attractions. In addition will be a variety of foot races, potato races and other contests of particular interest to the kids.

While the exhibits at last year's fair were a revelation to visitors, it is expected the showing this year will far surpass the previous attempt. A bumper crop of everything has been raised in the territory from which the fair draws its exhibits and the opportunity for securing high class samples could not be better.

TWO BREAK WRISTS WITHIN SAME HOUR

Peculiar Coincidence Brought to Light at Physicians Hospital Friday.

Two accidents, almost identical in their results, occurred within an hour at two different points in this immediate neighborhood on Friday afternoon. As a result Mrs. John Berglund of Plummer and Earl Peterson of Hazel, needed the attention of surgeons at the Physicians' hospital at practically the same time.

Earl Peterson was the first to be brought in. He is the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Peterson of Hazel, and he had broken both wrists by falling off a shed on his father's farm. This was at 6:30 o'clock in the afternoon. At 8 o'clock Mrs. Berglund was brought in. She also had both wrists broken, having fallen off a load of hay. Besides she had a bruise over the right eye and several loose teeth.

Allowing for the difference in the length of time it must have taken the parties to reach the hospital it is figured that the accidents took place at nearly the same time. The doctors say that the coincidence is rather unusual.

Streeter Buys Home.

G. S. Streeter, manager of the Peoples Auto company, this week closed a deal whereby he became the owner of the Mousley residence property located just south of the garage on Main Ave. This is a highly desirable piece of property and will make a good home for Mr. Streeter and his family, who expect to move into it within a few days. Mr. Mousley still owns the residence adjoining this property on the south, which for some time has been undergoing extensive repairs.

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City News

H. Halvorson of Erie visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Karl Korstad of Highlanding attended to business matters in this city Friday.

Miss Gilma Ostvolden left last night for Minneapolis to visit with friends.

Mrs. B. Ellestad of Mannomen visited with friends in this city Thursday and Friday.

P. N. Peterson of Holt spent a few days the first of the week attending to business matters.

Henry Halvorson came down from Warren on Monday evening for a brief visit with friends.

C. E. Hansen returned Sunday morning from Minneapolis where he had passed two weeks.

Roscoe Bakke left last night via the Soo for Grand Forks where he will attend school this year.

Mrs. Wm. Fosberg of Warren arrived here last evening for a week's visit with Mrs. A. D. Ralston.

Mrs. Martin Mickelson left last night for Boyd, Wis., where she will spend a week visiting relatives.

Mrs. F. J. Larson and daughter, Anna, of Badger, visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

P. H. Arpin of Grand Rapids, Wis., was in the city attending to business matters the latter part of last week.

Hans Sahl of the roundhouse crew, left Saturday for a four-day visit with relatives and friends at Perley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hallamack left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis where they spent a week visiting with friends.

Miss Rose Hance left on Saturday morning for Plummer where she will teach school in the vicinity of that village.

Mrs. A. Holmberg, who had spent a week at her farm home near Middle River, returned to this city Monday morning.

Miss Lilabelle Schuster left Thursday evening for Minneapolis where she will teach in one of the schools near that city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Juhl, who spent ten days in this city visiting with friends, left Friday for their home at Webster City, Ia.

Mrs. H. Paquin of Red Lake Falls shopped in this city on Friday. While here she was the guest of her cousin, Miss Rose Hance.

Norman Holen returned to his home in Minneapolis on Thursday evening after having spent the past three months in this city.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson and daughter, Helen, visited with friends and relatives at Warren on Friday, returning here in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left Saturday evening for Chisholm to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. Sapero's parents.

Mrs. C. H. Bartlett and baby returned the latter part of last week from Carlo where she had visited friends for a few days.

Mrs. A. Fossum and daughter, Miss Emily, returned on Monday from Bamlette where they spent a week visiting with friends.

Miss Olga Johnson, who is employed here, left Friday morning for her home at Middle River to spend a few days visiting her parents.

Miss Mary Matelske arrived here last evening from Oslo and will spend a few days here as the guest of her friend, Miss Alice Lindeman.

Miss Beulah Lipscomb, accompanied by her mother, returned to Minneapolis on Thursday evening after a visit with friends in this city.

Miss Alvina Jonas returned last evening from a two weeks' vacation spent in visiting friends and relatives in the twin cities and Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Erickson and family returned Thursday evening from Karlstad where they had spent a brief period visiting relatives.

Miss Mildred Mousley left Sunday evening for Minneapolis where she will spend two or three weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Bertha Erickson left the latter part of last week for St. Hilaire where she has accepted a position to teach in the school at that place.

Rev. T. E. Sweger of Trinity Lutheran church, left Monday for a visit to his former home, Cooperstown, N. D. He will return the last of the week.

Miss H. Johnson and A. Halvorson came down from Greenbush Friday to do some shopping. They returned to their homes the following morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, who had passed a few days visiting the former's parents at Chisholm, returned to their home here last night.

L. C. Neilsen returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis where he had spent some time visiting friends. He also spent a week visiting in Duluth.

Miss Flora Weisingger returned to her home at Des Moines, Ia., last night, after spending a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. S. Snyder.

S. Cummerfeld, a prominent business man of St. Paul, was in the city the first of the week on a visit to the family of his daughter, Mrs. L. L. Cohn.

Mrs. William Fitzeral, nee Miss Ericksen, arrived here on Friday evening from her home at Orleans to spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents.

Oscar Smith, state oil inspector in this district, returned Thursday morning from the twin cities where he had been on business and also attending the fair.

Miss Anna Majeres underwent a successful operation for acute appendicitis at the local hospital on Sunday. Miss Majeres will soon be able to be among her friends again.

W. R. Patterson, engineer on the Electric Line, is spending the week visiting with friends in the twin cities. He also attended the fair the latter part of last week.

Miss Beatrice Dale of McIntosh spent the latter part of last week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse. She returned to McIntosh on Sunday evening.

F. C. Koziol arrived here Tuesday morning from Fargo where he has been employed and spent a couple of days visiting with friends before leaving for his home at Little Falls.

Miss Kathleen Ures returned to her home at Grand Forks on Monday after a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives. Miss Ures will attend the university of North Dakota this year.

William Bakke returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis where he spent a few days at the fair. He left on Friday morning for Holt where he is employed in the bank.

Miss Laura Grenlen, who has been visiting with her parents who reside at Oslo, visited with friends here between trains last evening, leaving on the flyer for Cottonwood where she is employed.

Miss Sylvia Gendron returned to Little Falls Monday after a week's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. I. Helseth. Miss Gendron was formerly manager of the Western Union at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud, accompanied by Dr. Bratrud of Warren and Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney, motored to Union Lake on Saturday where they passed a few days at the Penney cottage.

Miss Olive Wing arrived Friday morning from Middle River and was the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley, until Saturday when she left for Mavie where she will engage in teaching school.

Mrs. Geo. Conlin and two children of Poplar, Mont., arrived here Monday morning and will spend an indefinite period visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Emma Ove. Mrs. Conlin was formerly Miss Ida Ove.

Geo. White, who is employed at the roundhouse, left last night for his home at Clinton, Ia., where he will visit for a short time. He will also spend a few days at Chicago and Minneapolis before returning to his duties here.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church—English services Sunday at 11 a. m. Norwegian, 8 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class, 9:30 a. m. Ladies' Aid Thursday afternoon. Young Peoples society Thursday evening. Confirmation class meets at the church basement Saturday at 2 p. m.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, Minn. Sept. 19—Services at Germantown. German at 10 a. m.; English at 3 p. m. Sept. 26—English and German services at Goodridge, 3 o'clock p. m. in the Public schoolhouse. Business meeting. Oct. 3—English service at Erie at 10:30 a. m. Oct. 10—English and German services at Esplee at 10 a. m. and at Grygla at 3 p. m. H. Lutz, Pastor.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Sunday, Sept. 19: Services in the Swedish language at 10:30. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m.

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Divine service 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Epworth League 7 p. m. Good singing at all services. Everybody cordially invited.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service at Bethlehem church by Mr. Stene, 11 a. m. Service in city by the pastor, 11 a. m. Zion Young Peoples society will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Olson on their farm three miles out Bridge street road, 2 p. m. Come and take your friends with you. Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. M. M. Johnson and Mrs. Thoreson, Thursday, Sept. 23. The collection will be used to buy instrumental music for the Mission at Madagaskar. Confirmants meet Saturday, 2 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sept. 19. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Remember Rally Day arrangements. Our Bible Class extends an invitation to all who can to attend. Morning worship at 11 a. m. and evening worship at 8 p. m. In the morning the sermon theme will be, "The Herald and His King." Read Luke 3 and 4 and John 1. This is the third of the course, "New Views of the Christ." The evening theme is "A Great Revival Conducted by a Famous General." The Presbyterian church extends an invitation to families or persons who live in or visit our city, or who live in the surrounding country to share equally with us in the use and privileges of our church. The Woman's Missionary society meets at 517 Main avenue north on Friday, Sept. 17, at 3 p. m. On the evening of Friday, Sept. 24th, all the people of our church and congregation are invited to bring their lunch and eat together in the basement of the church. Those who are not in a position to bring food are specially invited. There will be abundance for all. There will be no charge. It is the first of our fall get-together social suppers.

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2 oz. Knitting yarn	.70	.75

All from page 629

On page 539 genuine Pussy Willow Taffeta—No. 14D6109 at $5.45

Our price, yd. ____$5.00

All Silk Duvetyn

40 in. wide No. 14D6070 on page 539, Sears' price per yard $12.95.

Our price _____$12.50

DRUG DEPARTMENT COMPARISONS

	Their price	Our price
On page 778—Pepsodent tooth paste	$ .45	$ .39
On page 778—Pebeco tooth paste	.45	.39
On page 778—Listerine antiseptic mouth wash	.25	.25
On page 778 Cutex Compact set	.55	.50
On page 779—12 cakes Palm Olive Soap	1.10	1.00
On page 780—Colgates Talcum Powder	.22	.19
On page 782—Mavis Toilet water	1.19	.99
On page 783—Mary Garden Talcum	.33	.35
On page 784—Melba Face Powder and chamous	.48	.50
On page 785—Djer Kiss Vanishing Cream	.50	.50

On Bargain Page 553 we have them beat on every item.

On page 540 all Silk Satin Messaline, 35-36 in. wide, Sears' price $2.57. Our regular price $2.50, but now on Special Sale at yard as advertised last week at ________$1.98

On page 557 Standard Apron Gingham is offered 10 yd. bolts only at $3.22. Our price, yd. 25c; 10 yds. $2.50

On page 560 fine chambray 32 in. wide is 54c. Our price, yd. _____50c

On page 561 Esmond Robe Cloth is priced at 81c. We give you better patterns for ____85c

On page 560 Standard Outing Flannel sold in 10 yd. bolts only, at $4.32. Why should you buy 10 yds. if 7 is enough? Our price per yd. 35c; 10 yds. ___________$3.50

Ladies, Misses' and Children's Ready-to-wear is the hardest to compare prices on, because the majority of their coats, suits and dresses are not up-to-date as to style, mostly last year's styles and none right up to the minute. Styles that we now have, that are new within the past 30 and 60 days. And its style in women's garments that is the most important. However on a number of styles we have exact duplicates.

On page 14 Coat No. 17D8385, Black Silk Seal Plush Coat. We have exactly this same coat, except ours is Sols Satin lined while theirs is lined with black cotton sateen. The price is exactly the same $39.95

We have every size in stock from 16 to 48.

On page 11 No. 17D8305 all wool Velour Coat unlined is priced at $24.50. We have very similar coats half lined at our regular price of __________________$25.00

On page 11 No. 17D8310 Short Silk Seal Plush Coat is priced at $35.00. We have a coat very near like it. Believe you will like ours better at the same price __$35.00

For Quick Action
A
Jack Rabbit
Can Cut Circles
All Around
Jumbo
The Big Overgrown
Elephant.

On Page 67 all-wool French Serge Dress at $21.75. We have this exact dress bought to arrive next week in navy blue. Come in and see it and save a little money as our price will be $19.95 for the same dress offered by Sears at $21.75.

We have Silk Jersey Pettibockers priced at each __________$4.95

We have Silk Jersey Pettibockers priced at each __________$3.95

We have black Sateen Bloomers, sizes 2 to 12 at each __________.50

Please look these items up in any catalog and compare these prices.

Women's Fall and Winter styles in Shoes on page 299, No. 15D2604. We have shoes as illustrated in stock. Our price per pair ____________$7.95

Sears' price per pair, $8.00

On page 299, No. 15D1360 Gray Kid Ladies' Lace Boots. Their price $9.00; Our price ____________$8.50

On page 313, No. 15D742, 3 and 4 women's Felt Slippers. Our price and Sears' the same __________$2.00

On page 314, No. 15D916 misses' Felt Slippers. Sears' price $1.79; Our price ____________$1.35

Note These Prices on Domestics, Sheetings, Pillow Tubing, etc.

On page 592 9-4 Bleached Sheeting is offered at per yard $1.17. We will sell you the finest 9-4 Sheeting made at per yd. ____________$1.00

On this same page Sears offer you a 42 in. Pillow Sheeting for 65c. We will sell you our standard fine 42 in. Pillow Tubing, not sheeting, for per yard ____________65c

Why Not Get Loken's Prices First? Then Sears', Ward's, Savage's and All the Rest.

On page 593 Conestogo Ticking is priced at 83c; Our price ____________85c

We are unable to find these prices in any catalog, Martha Washington Bleached 36 in. Muslins. Our price per yd. 25c. Beachwood Unbleached good quality Sheeting. Our price 25c per yd. High lustre black Sateen lining at yd. 65c. Other specials to arrive in about ten days.

Ladies' artificial Silk Hose at per pair ________85c

Ladies' good black Cotton Hose at per pair ________29c

Ladies' high lustre mercerized Hose in black and dark brown at per pair ________39c

Children's heavy Rib Cotton Hose in all sizes, per pair 29c

Since the high freight rates have gone into effect, why not put that money into your own pocket. All our Fall and Winter stock came in before this great big raise took effect. Then why wait for your goods which you need now? Why buy unseen? Then, too, if you see or hear of anything sold cheap by any catalog house today or any large city department store, please let us know and we will most likely get it for you for less. The days of paying their help starved-to-death wages are over, and don't you forget it, the big fellows will never again be able to sell cheap as they used to. The smaller merchants with a good buying power who is not bothered with labor troubles has it put all over the Big City Chap, and then some.

On page 779 Resinol Soap is priced 3 cakes 79c. Our price 25c per bar; 3 for _____75c

On page 611 Silk Plaid Ribbon No. 25D3068; 5¼ in. wide is 75c per yd. Our price per yd. ____________50c

On page 611 Silk Moire Hair bow Ribbon No. 25D3017, 4¾ in. wide, Sears' price per yd. 65c. Our price per yd. ____________60c

On page 611 Beadette Semi-Made Bags, No. 25D8015, Sears' price and Ours the same, each ________$1.25

On page 615 Children's Cambric Handkerchiefs, 3 in box No. 25D4359, Sears' price and Ours, per box _____30c

On page 607 Terry Toweling widths about 17 to 17½ in. Sold by Sears in 5 yd. bolts only, at $2.00. Our price 40c per yd. one yd or five.

On page 633 No. 25D5111 Sears' price a line of buttons at 25c to 60c per dozen. We have exactly this same button any size, all you want at half their price.

On page 637—3 Coat hangers No. 25D5213 are offered 3 for 29c. Our price always has been 10c ea., 3 for 25c

On page 638 Oval Elastic No. 25D2904 is priced at 6c per yd. Our price is 5c per yd., and never was higher.

On page 638 Sure-on Hose Supporters No. 25 D 5016 priced by Sears' and us at 35c. Exactly the same price per pair.

On Page 1314 No. 99D2524, 6 14-qt. cream cans $5.40. We have exactly this same can at exactly this same price. Why pay freight? Why wait?

On page 1313 Tin Grater slicer and cutter No. 9D2570. Sears' price 19c. Our price for the exact article ____15c

On Page 1304 Ball Bearing Wringer No. 99D2031, their price, $6.45. Our price ____________$6.50

Can you pay the freight from Chicago for 5c.

On Page 1305, Stand-fast Ironing Board is $4.95. We have a new ironing board that is better and you'll say so when you see it at ____$4.50

On page 1305, Mrs. Potts sad irons No. 99D2004 are priced at per set $1.90. The freight is heavy on these. Buy exactly the same thing here at ____________$1.89

On page 1308, aluminum dish pan No. 99D2420 is priced at $3.95. We offer you our Mirror Aluminum, the quality first line; in their exact size at $3.75

On Page 1309 Aluminum Double Boiler, 2 qt. size No. 99D2418, their price $2.15, our regular price each _$2.00 We have sold over 100 of these on special sales at each ____________$1.48

On Page 1312 Puritan Food Chopper No. 99D2821, size 11 is quoted at $2.15. We have this exact chopper called the Enterprise at each ____________$2.00

On page 1313 No. 9D2591 flour sifters are priced at 28c. Our price ____24c Tin quart measure No. 9D2568 is priced at 48c. They must have made a mistake as ours are each ______15c

On page 1313 family coffee mill No. 99D2443 at $1.35. We have exactly this same mill carried over since before the war. Come and get one as here they are only ____________75c

We want you to know that we will gladly at any time fill any Mail Orders for you at any Catalog House Prices. Just bring in your orders together with your catalog so we can read their descriptions, and we will fill any complete order at their prices and their cost to you. And you can see the goods; and you alone will be the judge. We have put out this same offer every year for 18 years and never fell down on a single order.

LOKEN BROTHERS - Thief River Falls, Minn.

EDITORIAL

Why it is that people living within one hundred miles of Thief River Falls will send their money away to a mail order house two or three weeks before they get the goods, pay postage, money order costs, express or the high freight rates, is more than we could ever understand. It looks like poor business to us when we have right here better merchants, better stores and larger stocks of merchandise than can be found in any other town the size of Thief River Falls in the United States. Further, we have here very much lower selling costs per dollar than is the case with the large city stores.

This page advertisement is just crowded with comparisons and if we could afford it we would buy this entire edition of the paper and fill it with items just like these. But we have not the space at our disposal and have selected items here and there at random in order to prove without the shadow of a doubt that we do sell the same merchandise for less money than do the largest catalogue retail houses *in the country*. We do not claim that we can undersell catalogue houses and all other retail concerns under the sun on each and every item, but we do claim that the thousands of loyal customers who buy all goods in our line from us do, in the aggregate buying covering a year's time, get better merchandise for less money than they would receive from any mail order house with which we are acquainted.

Besides this, they see what they are buying, selecting from a big range of always new goods, new styles and new patterns, receiving service at the hands of our salespeople that is both helpful and valuable. And this good service, large stock and well-kept store is here for you to use as you see fit—and it doesn't cost you a cent.

Why, for instance, buy 10 yards of goods because the catalogue house will sell it only that way, when you know seven yards is all you need for the dress you wish to make? We are here to serve you and will gladly sell you our highest grade American Calico at 18 cents per yard while Sears, Roebuck & Co. want 25 cents per yard for the same goods—and you must buy ten yards of one pattern in order to get it at this price. They offer you nine patterns to choose from while we offer a hundred or more. If you want to make a crazy quilt and only need a quarter of a yard from 20 different pieces you are welcome to buy it that way, paying 18 cents per yard for it. We are here to serve you in the manner in which you wish to be served.

Then, again, we are right on the ground, doing all we can to make this a better place in which to live. We pay out hundreds of dollars in taxes every year and give employment to quite a number of persons. Our donations also run into the hundreds of dollars every year, all of which goes toward the betterment of different institutions and individuals.

This is only a small part of it, but compare even this much with what the community receives from catalogue houses to help in building up Thief River Falls and the country in its neighborhood.

Catalogue houses say: "Buy from us, save the retailer's BIG profit and put the difference in your own pocket." This might be good advice if there were any difference left to put in your pocket, but instead you are actually a looser by sending to them. It costs you more in dollars and cents to deal with them than with us. Then why be such a good friend to a total stranger whom you do not know and who cares nothing whatever about you? Why keep unsatisfactory merchandise and say nothing just because these people sent the goods to you, when, in case an occasional item from our store turns out wrong, you can TELL THE WHOLE WORLD? Why not be loyal to your friends, the merchants of Thief River Falls, who will do anything within reason for you under any and all circumstances? They are not the robbers, thieves, profiteers and other objectionable things that a certain class of newspaper propaganda would have you believe. Throw away your hammer and buy a horn and you will find that there is nothing wrong with Thief River Falls, its merchants, its stores or its people, but that it is a white man's town and a good one to live in.

That we are on the right track has been proven by our large gains in the volume of business transacted each and every year. Last year our gains in sales was over 50 per cent and this year so far it has reached 68 per cent. This goes to prove that a majority of the people are finding out the truth and that they have discovered the right place at which to do their trading.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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TWO IMPORTANT FAIRS.

It is very much to be regretted that notice of the Red Lake Indian fair was not received in this city in time to make arrangements for a delegation to be present from here. The display closed yesterday after three very successful days of exhibition. Our non-partisan was an oversight that should not be permitted to happen again.

Thief River Falls is the traditional trading post for the Indians on this reservation. Following the only watercourse leaving the lake, the Indians called the town their headquarters in the early days before railroads made other points more easily accessible. Now this city rarely sees an Indian and hardly a trace remains of the very important commercial intercourse once existing. When the direct road now contemplated is an actual fact much of this trade will be restored and it would have been the part of good business as well as neighborly consideration for the city to have its representatives present when the Indians' big show for the year was in progress. It is too late to do anything about this now. *By the time* another fair is held our people may have awakened to the fact that they are overlooking something worth while.

Next week the Goodridge fair will be held. The eastern end of the county has had a very good season and the products displayed will prove it. The exhibit last year—when the short time and insufficient funds handicapped the attempt—was the talk of the section for a long time. The exhibits showed what the region was capable of producing even under unfavorable circumstances and the show this year should be very much better.

Eastern Pennington county is rapidly settling up and the farmers there are as a general rule prosperous. They are steadily working toward a safe stock raising policy and some of the best cattle and sheep in the Northwest are to be found on the farms there. In general soil products there are also making rapid strides, both quality and variety showing the effects of intelligent selection and careful management.

It would be a good idea for the Commercial club to sponsor a regular excursion to Goodridge either on Monday or Tuesday—preferably the latter for the reason that all displays will then be in place. It should not be a difficult matter to get twenty or more automobile loads to make the trip and it is certain that the visitors would be made most welcome. These are our own people and it is no more than proper that we should show our interest in their progress.

BACKING THE AMENDMENT.

During the past two weeks the Babcock Good Roads Amendment has gained a lot of decidedly worth-while support. The State Federation of Women's clubs has gone on record as endorsing the project without one qualifying note. This means that a large percentage of those who will this year cast their first vote will not fail to file their approval of the good roads program.

This is not surprising. Being inclined to weigh every proposition coming up for consideration on its own merits and not having—as yet, anyway—learned to regulate her opinions by party dictum, a woman thinks in a straight line and is not likely to be swayed from a course that seems right and proper by superficial arguments or a fear that things may not turn out as well as expected. She realizes the need of good roads and sees in the Babcock Amendment a way of securing them.

Another acquisition to the good roads forces is found in the attitude of certain prominent socialists. One of the leaders of the party, a resident of Two Harbors, has come out flat-footed in his advocacy of the plan and others are rapidly falling in line. He argues that of all improvements that can be undertaken the building of good highways is the one that will benefit the laborer and farmer most. He rightly maintains that roads are the one thing necessary in order to enable the man making a home in a new section to look toward the future with some encouragement. Without roads such a man is helpless and almost hopeless.

Gradually the original opponents of the Babcock plan are coming to see their mistake. There still remains those who withhold their support because they fear that only a few of the main lines in the state will be benefitted, but even these are being won over. Others object to a plan of providing cement pavements on all these highways, believing that this matter has already been settled. Nothing has as yet been decided as to the surfacing to be employed, that being a matter for some future legislature to determine. The Babcock Amendment simply provides the machinery for hard surfacing our roads, leaving details to be taken care of as circumstances may dictate.

NOON DAY LUNCHES.

The Commercial club made a good move at its last meeting in deciding to inaugurate a series of midday luncheons during the fall and early winter. These luncheon meetings will take place every Thursday beginning on Sept. 23.

This plan has been followed with marked success by many municipalities in Minnesota and elsewhere. The idea is to bring the club members together under circumstances that will permit of an informal discussion of matters pertaining to the community's general welfare. It will provide a sort of hatching ground for propositions to be taken up later at regular meetings of the organization and will also have the effect of eliminating notions which on their face are impracticable, thus saving annoyance when the time for action comes.

The success of this innovation will depend entirely upon the interest shown by the members themselves. If they make it a point to attend and give voice to their plans and opinions it will be the best thing that the club has undertaken. On the other hand, if they decide that they can do nothing of value by being present and make up their mind to stay away the entire program will fall flat.

There never was a time in the history of Thief River Falls when so many matters of importance invited the best consideration of our people. The Commercial club is the proper medium through which to give expression regarding your own attitude toward these subjects, and these luncheons provide the opportunity.

It is to be hoped that every member of the club will be present at this first luncheon. Upon the interest shown at this time will to a large extent depend the success or failure of the plan.

BECOMING A NUISANCE.

While it is not likely that any more contrabrand liquor is coming into Thief River Falls than is the case with other cities and towns in this section, it is a known fact that too much is arriving. This would be so even if the amount were just a little more than none at all.

It is admittedly a hard matter to keep liquor out of the country while there are those willing to take a chance on shipping it in and disposing of it after it gets here. The profit must be something out of the ordinary in order to induce persons to take the risk of a prison sentence and heavy fine in order to break the law. Men who would not ordinarily stray far from the straight and narrow path evidently believe that running the whisky blokade is not in the same class with other crimes and even seem to consider the act rather a creditable performance. They apparently will not take a lesson from what has happened to others and intend to continue the criminal practice until the long arm of the law places them where they belong.

There is hardly a question as to the ultimate outcome. Luck may attend bootlegging attempts for a certain length of time, but sooner or later the man who plies the trade will be found out. He is a criminal and even those with whom he has trafficked have no sympathy with him after he is caught. He is despised by his partners in wrongdoing.

Officials—national, state and local—may be doing all in their power to stamp out the nuisance, but if so their efforts are not meeting with any signal degree of success. At some points, Thief River Falls among others, a little greater vigilance might not be misplaced.

Scotti at Grand Forks.

A considerable number of the Thief River Falls music lovers will go to Grand Forks tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of hearing Scotti and his company in Madam Butterfly. Scotti is admittedly one of the greatest artists on the American operatic stage and it is seldom that people in the smaller cities have the opportunity of hearing him. He will undoubtedly be greeted by a capacity house at Grand Forks and those who have not already done so, should telephone for seat reservations without delay.

SAVED HIS SON'S LIFE, HE STATES

Joseph Litch Praises Tanlac for Bringing Health to His Boy "Bobby."

According to the testimony of the multiplied thousands who have used it, there is nothing more invigorating than Tanlac to persons suffering from the after effects of influenza, typhoid, la grippe, pneumonia, operations, bronchial troubles, or who are in a run-down condition from any cause.

Another striking instance in connection with this fact is evidenced by the statement of Joseph Litch, 4043 Emerson street, Minneapolis, Minn., regarding the results of Tanlac in the case of his young son, Robert, who seemed unable to recover his strength following a severe attack of pneumonia, until he began taking the Master Medicine.

"On November fourth," said Mr. Litch, "Bobby was taken with measles, later pneumonia set in a special nurse was in constant attendance and I was told that my son had only a fighting chance of getting well. The whole family had given up hopes of his recovery, as his vitality seemed almost entirely gone and nothing did him any good.

"After lingering for some time with no sign of returning strength, my wife, who had been keeping up with the testimonials being published for Tanlac, suggested that we try that medicine. This idea was strongly opposed, but we began anyway giving Bobby Tanlac. At the time he started on it he could take no food and could drink nothing except water. The second day after the use of Tanlac was begun he asked for some beef broth. His appetite gradually increased and on Christmas day he was able to get out for a little walk. Well, after the holiday vacation he started to school again and is filling out and building up right along. I am glad to recommend Tanlac because I honestly believe it saved my son's life, and neither my wife nor myself will ever stop praising it."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert drug store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—adv

Railway Mail Clerk Examination.

An examination for railway mail clerks will be held at Thief River Falls, Minn., October 9, 1920. The entrance salary is $1000.00 per annum and in addition railway postal clerks are allowed travel expenses not to exceed $2.00 perdium while on duty away from their homes, such allowance to begin ten hours after they start on their runs. Applicants should at once apply for Form 304 to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or to the local Secretary at the Postoffice, Thief River Falls, Minn.

PROGRAM

TRI-COUNTY FAIR GOODRIDGE, MINN.

Sept. 20-21

Monday

The forenoon will be devoted to entry of exhibits and judging of sheep and hogs.

1:00 Music by Union Band.

Addresses by Hon. D. P. O'Neill, of Minneapolis and Senator Schmeckel, of Renville county. Both will speak on the Babcock Road Amendment. Senator Schmeckel is a member of the Non-Partisan League so that both sides of the question will be given.

Music by Band.

2:30 Big Calf Parade.

Demonstration in stock judging.

4:00 Basball.

7:30 Wrestling matches, followed by movie show and dancing at the bowery.

Tuesday

10:00 School Children Parade.

10:30 Flag Raising Exercises in the Park.

Music by Band.

Community Singing, Leader Mr. John Myskul.

Opening Remarks, A. C. Tvedt.

Musical Selection by the Noper Quartette of Thief River Falls.

Address, Mr. H. O. Chommie, Thief River Falls.

Music by Band.

1:00 Music by Band.

Address by Mr. J. H. Hay, Deputy Commissioner of Agri.

Musical selection by Noper Quartette.

3:00 Baseball.

7:30 Wrestling matches, followed by movie show and dancing at the bowery.

The exhibit rooms will be open until 9 p. m. the first evening so that all may view the display.

Greetings

We're waking up to the joy and happiness value of Greetings. They help to make life cheerier and brighter.

Do your part in spreading joy. Scatter Sunshine with Greeting Cards.

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Specialty Shop

The Pocket Pencil Printer
(Invented by A. O. Somondsen.)

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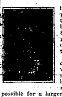

Owing to a higher factory price the price on the Printer has been increased to $1.50. 10 cents is granted on all orders for more than one.

The Pocket Pencil Printer is worth $2.00 and more as to value, but the price is made as low as possible for a larger sale and hence more business and service to the interest of the public.

Send no money. All will be notified.

Alfred Somondsen
Thief River Falls, Minn.

STOVES
and
RANGES

This is the season of the year when one begins thinking of providing heat for the winter. We have a full line of standard

Heating Stoves

These were bought at a right price and will *mean a big saving to the purchaser.* Ask to see them next time you are down town.

Ranges

We are the Thief River Falls representatives of the MONARCH RANGE. This is America's foremost cook stove and is without question the most popular with housewives everywhere.

We also carry a full line of OIL STOVES. JUST the thing to take the chill off a room when the frosty mornings arrive..

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221 First St. East
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First Class Repairing

Baron Butterfly 844299

Shorthorn Sale

at the Red River Valley Live Stock Pavilion, Crookston, Minn., Tuesday, Sept. 28th, 1920.

40—LOTS—40

Sixteen cows have calves at side

Twenty-three cows and heifers are bred to the good bull Baron Butterfly 844299.

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Erskine, Minn.

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We want you to have a copy, too. Just come in and ask for this fascinating book—"Edison and Music."

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Yes! And on the next page, something equally exquisite, equally new, equally old.

And on the next—and the next—and the next.

You turn from Sheraton to Chippendale; from Gothic to William and Mary; from French to Italian. In 17 beautiful designs, Mr. Edison's designers have expressed the best there is in period furniture. You're simply bound to find a cabinet that just exactly fits your home, your tastes, your ambitions, your pocketbook. "Edison and Music" is the book of

The NEW EDISON
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No matter which cabinet you select, you'll get a piece which has been endorsed as genuine period furniture by international authorities, such as Lady Randolph Churchill and Miss Elsie de Wolfe. Every New Edison Cabinet is a period cabinet.

Ask about our Budget Plan. It's a new way of figuring the money part—a common sense way. (Note—The New Edison has advanced in price less than 15% since 1914. This includes War Tax.)

Thief River Music Co.

Auction Sale

I will sell my household goods at Public Auction on

Tuesday, Sept. 21

at one o'clock sharp at 315 Main Ave. No., City:

- 2 Dressers
- 1 Bed, complete
- 1 Kitchen Cabinet
- 2 Oil Heaters
- 3 Rockers
- 1 9x12 Cong. Rug
- Lot of carpenter tools
- 1 pr. No. 9 Rubber Boots
- 1 Comode
- 1 Writing Desk
- 1 Heating Stove
- 1 Bicycle
- 3 Chairs
- 1 Tool Chest
- Dishes, Jars, Kettles, Tubs and other articles too numerous to mention.

J. L. Bean, Owner

W. J. LABREE, Auctioneer.

LIEBERMAN BROS.

THIS is the season that our stock will be the recognized authority on reasonable prices.

Never before in the history of our commercial career have we been so prepared with extra good merchandise at such low prices as we have for this fall and winter.

Every purchase we made, we may say, was a lucky one, as every article was purchased with the thought in mind of being sure it was the best that the market had to offer at the right prices. In no season did our class of merchandise need an introduction, but the kind we are prepared with for the coming season makes us boast even more on account of the prices we are able to give you.

Fall Clothes

Priced Right

Here are the new models in Fall Suits and Overcoats. Sim-[illegible]tyles, highest quality and priced right, featuring Hart, [illegible]ner & Marx. Fine goods at

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Clothcraft Suits and Overcoats, the latest in style, in Men's and Young Men's Suits, reasonably priced

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With the guarantee of satisfaction which means that you can have your money back if the goods don't satisfy.

Boys' Suits that are made to war at prices that you can afford to pay. A very grand assortment in the new styles. All sizes. Specially priced at

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The finest suit made of all wool material. A suit that we guarantee to wear and give satisfaction or a new one in its place. Specially priced at

$16.45

Small sizes from 2 years to 9 years. Specially priced from

$5.45 to $8.45

Fall Underwear

Men's extra heavy fleece lined union suits listed in the catalogs at $2.69.
Our price **$2.50**
And we refund your money if it don't wear.

Two-piece heavy weight fleece-lined underwear listed in the catalogs at $1.29. Our price with the same guarantee **$1.25**

Heavy weight ribbed union suits specially priced at **$1.95**

Boys' fleece lined union suits. The kind you are asked $1.49 for. Our price **$1.25**

Men's Collins all-wool shirts and drawers, the kind you are asked $4.50 for. Our price **$4.00**

Men's heavy ribbed shirts and drawers. Sold everywhere for $1.25. Our special price **$1.00**

Men's heavy wool mixed union suits. Special **$3.95**

Positively pure wool, heavy ribbed union suits.
Special **$6.85**

Extra heavy union suits guaranteed to give you fully your money's worth. Special **$7.45**

Boys' wool fleece union suits, the best money can buy; all sizes. Special **$1.95**

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City News

Peter Dryer, who is employed at Brooks, visited over Sunday at his home in this city.

Miss Viola Lund returned Saturday evening from Kennedy, where she had visited friends for a few days.

Mrs. P. G. Peterson left the first of the week for Bemidji, to visit at the home of her parents.

E. O. Mogensen returned Saturday morning from a few days business trip to the Twin Cities.

B. E. Dalquist spent the first of the week at Kenmare, N. D., attending to business matters.

Mrs. T. Torgerson of Greenbush was the guest of her friend, Mrs. Anna Dock, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson of Grygla motored to this city on Monday and attended to shopping.

A. Gunderson, who is managing an elevator at Maxie, passed the week-end in this city visiting his family.

W. J. Brown returned Monday after spending three weeks attending to business matters in the twin cities.

Dr. E. O. Erickson returned Monday evening from Bemidji, where he had spent a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. Mary Kisch left on Monday for Steiner by car to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy.

Mrs. P. Favrow accompanied her little son to Faribault on Monday. The latter will attend the school for the deaf.

Earl Erickson came down from Lancaster on Tuesday to spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Myrtle Krause, who visited with relatives in Minneapolis for two weeks, returned last Saturday evening.

James Dibble, who is employed at Bronson, arrived Saturday evening and visited over Sunday with his family.

O. A. Flann, who had been employed at Park River, N. D., for some time, returned to this city Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. L. Larson returned to her home at Holt yesterday after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Warner.

Mrs. I. Iverson and daughter, Jeanette, of Badger, are spending a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pope.

Miss Bernice Hobbs and Joe Johnson of Holt left Tuesday evening for Alexandria to attend to matters of business.

Mrs. E. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here yesterday, returning to her home on the afternoon train.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn of Viking spent the week-end visiting her daughters, Violet and Myrtle, who attend the local high school.

Mrs. Simon Brennan, who had spent a week visiting with friends at McIntosh, returned to her home Friday evening.

Keep your head, you may need it; but fill it with useful knowledge. Attend Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. s16

Miss Mary Posten departed Friday evening for Minneapolis where she will take up her junior year at Hamline University.

S. Holland, who had spent a few days here visiting friends, left yesterday afternoon for his home at Portland, N. D.

Miss Evangeline [illegible] left Friday afternoon for Lakota, N. D., where she will teach commercial subjects in the high school.

Mrs. D. Benson returned to her home at Roseau Saturday morning after a brief visit at the home of Mrs. A. Risberg.

Mrs. John Geroran and daughter, Miss Sadie, arrived the latter part of last week to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pope.

Miss Hazel Welo, a graduate of the local high school, left on Saturday morning for Badger, near which place she will teach school.

Mrs. R. B. McWilliams and daughter Helen, returned Saturday morning from Ada where they spent a few days visiting friends.

Miss Myrtle Roland arrived Friday evening from Oklee and will spend a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Helland.

Mrs. Carrie Kval arrived Friday evening from Williston, N. D., to visit at the home of her brother, G. M. Johnson, for a few days.

Miss Esther Tandberg, who is engaged in teaching school at Oklee, arrived Saturday evening and visited at her home over Sunday.

Miss Hilda Rathjen of Luverne arrived Tuesday morning and will be a guest for a week at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. H. Ross.

Miss Marie Causin of Hazel left this city Saturday evening for Paynesville to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. James Burrel arrived here Friday evening from Prior Lake where she had spent some time visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Peter Alby and children, who had spent the past month visiting in this vicinity, returned on Saturday to their home in Minneapolis.

Miss Lottie Austin returned to this city Saturday morning from the twin cities where she had passed a few days attending the state fair.

Miss Isldora Amundson arrived on Saturday from Ardoch, N. D., where she has been employed, and will spend the winter at her home here.

Otto Gullingsrud, formerly of this city, came over from Grand Forks on Friday on business and to make a friendly call on old acquaintances.

Miss Martha England arrived here Sunday evening from Karlstad to take up her studies at the Lincoln high school the following morning.

King Carlyle arrived Monday evening from Clearwater and spent a short time visiting friends before returning to his home at Kansas City.

P. W. Roark, who has a big road contract in Cass county, came over to look after matters on his farm for a few days this week. He says that the work of road building is progressing very satisfactorily and that the weather has been most favorable for his purpose.

Mrs. F. T. Sathre and daughter, Mrs. M. Benson, returned Monday evening from Willmar, where they had attended the funeral of a relative.

Miss Jessie Barnett returned Friday morning from Alexandria and Minneapolis, where she had visited with relatives and friends for a week or two.

W. Watts, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Venice, returned to their home at Clear Lake Sunday evening, after visiting with friends in this city.

J. Thill, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Madeline, returned on Saturday morning from Red Lake Falls where they spent a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. S. Simonson and two children returned Saturday from Ada where they had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. Simonson's parents.

Miss Martine Cloutier, stenographer for the Minneapolis Bridge company, left Saturday for the twin cities to spend her vacation with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. Engiman returned to her home at Mentor on Saturday having completed a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wikel in this city.

Mrs. A. B. Ramsey left on Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit with friends before leaving for the western coast where she will spend the winter months.

W. R. Patterson, who had spent a few days attending the state fair, returned the first of the week and resumed his duties as engineer on the electric line.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Booren and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird motored to Wylie on Sunday. On their return trip they enjoyed a picnic supper in Aubol's grove.

Mrs. A. Kiberz returned to her home at Kansas City, Kan., on Thursday afternoon, having made a brief visit at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite.

Mrs. A. Erickson arrived here on Friday evening from Williston, N. D., and will spend an indefinite time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and family returned the first of the week from Minneapolis where they had spent two weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Elmer Lindeman, accompanied by Master Henry Hanson of Drayton, N. D., left Monday evening for Faribault, where they will attend the school for the deaf.

W. J. Peterson returned the first of the week from Des Moines, Iowa, and Minneapolis, where he had spent two weeks visiting relatives and attending the state fair.

W. F. Urenn of Plymouth, Ia., was here the first of the week looking after his farm. Mr. Urenn is well satisfied with conditions and states that he has a good crop.

Milden Boreen, who has spent the past couple of months in this city with friends, left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis going from there to his home at Rhinelander, Wis.

Mrs. L. Lonson of Moline, Ill., spent a week visiting at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Tilden. She returned to her home on Saturday, via the Great Northern.

Miss Inga Saugen, who for the past year has acted as probation nurse at the local hospital, left Tuesday evening for Chicago, where she will enter the Salvation Army training school.

Luellen and Emmett Batem, who for the past six years have made their home with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Poirier, left Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where they will reside in the future.

Miss Florence Aulberg who has spent the summer visiting at her home in this city, left on Sunday evening for Erskine, where she has accepted a position as teacher of domestic science.

Miss Nathalie Chester, formerly superintendent of the Physicians' hospital in this city, was here Friday and Saturday, a guest of Miss Mina Nelson. Miss Chester is now a resident of Finley, Ohio.

Mrs. Louis Sundrud, accompanied by her son, Arthur and daughter, Gladys, returned to their home at Trail, after a brief visit at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. T. T. Kiland.

Miss Lorenza Urdahl resigned her position at Loken's on Saturday, the vacancy being filled by Miss Peterson of Roseau. Miss Urdahl was married on Friday to Ole Prestebak of this city.

Miss Sadie Carney, accompanied by Luverne White, both of East Grand Forks, returned to their respective homes on Saturday after spending a week visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. C. W. Barden.

Mrs. H. Sunsdahl and children returned to their home at Grand Forks on Tuesday after visiting at the home of her mother-in-law. She was accompanied by Mrs. O. Sunsdahl and children, who will visit at the Forks.

Local people will be interested to know of the birth of a son to Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Lund at St. Mary's hospital in Minneapolis. Dr. and Mrs. Lund formerly lived here but are now residing at the latter named city.

Miss Eleanor Miller, bookkeeper and stenographer in the bank at Fordville, passed the week end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Miller in this city. She returned to Fordville on Monday morning.

Miss Ruth Foster arrived Tuesday evening from Rolla, N. D., where she had visited relatives for a week, and was the guest of her cousin, Miss Viola Lund, between trains. She left the same evening for her home in Minneapolis.

Misses Maybelle Ostby and Phylis Curtis left Sunday evening for Northfield where they will take up their studies at Carleton college. The former was graduated from the local high school this spring while the latter has already had one year at Carleton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Noper left by car on Tuesday afternoon for their home at Good Hope, Ill. Their first stop was made at Grand Forks and other stops will be made at various places enroute. Mrs. Noper was Miss Blanche Johnson before her marriage a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. George and Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Waldorf returned on Saturday from the twin cities, where they had spent a week visiting with friends and attending the state fair. The trip was made by auto and stops were made at Hastings and Melrose, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilson and daughter, Mayverette, accompanied by Mr. Hilson's two sisters, Mrs. H. R. Asleckson and Mrs. C. S. Wood, of Seattle, Wash., who have been their guests, returned Monday evening from Edmore, N. D., where they had spent a week visiting relatives.

Milton Weeks, who was graduated from St. Olaf's college last spring, left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend a theological seminary. Mr. Weeks graduated with the highest honors in the class of 1916. He had spent the summer visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Miss Alma Thune, formerly employed as telephone operator at the local exchange, departed Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will take a business course at the Grand Forks business college. She was accompanied by Miss Ruth Ringham, who will also take the same course.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anda of Oklee, who spent a day here with friends, left Friday evening for Minneapolis to attend the fair. Mrs. Anda was formerly Miss Leah Paquin who for a number of years was employed at the home of Mrs. B. E. Dalquist.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Anderson of Roundup, Mont., motored here on Friday to visit at the home of Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr. They will also visit at the Oluf Tessum home. Mr. Anderson and Mrs. Tessum are brother and sister.

Miss Ida Sanfacon arrived here on Friday morning from the cities where she is employed and will spend a few days as the guest of Miss Martine Cloutier. Miss Sanfacon is well known locally as she was formerly employed in this city for a number of years with the Sharp Printing and Manufacturing company.

Mrs. Albert Johnson left Friday evening for the cities where she will spend a few days with friends and relatives and also attended the state fair. From that point she will motor with friends to Aurora, Ill., to spend a period of two months visiting with relatives. The Johnsons formerly lived at Aurora.

Mrs. J. H. Lyford of Fairdale, N. D., visited with friends here between trains on Monday evening, leaving on the flyer in the evening for Northfield, where she will visit a son who is attending Carleton. From that point she will go to Northwood, Ia., to spend some time visiting relatives. She was accompanied by her daughter, Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dikken and son Helmer, left Saturday morning for Ross, this state, to attend the funeral services of their son, Albert, which took place at Rollis. They will remain there for a while as the guests of Mrs. Dikken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Aas. They were accompanied by A. K. Dikken, the former's father.

The vacancy in the commercial department of the local high school caused by the death of Miss Zella Zeh has been filled by the appointment of Miss Marian Miller of this city. Miss Miller was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1917, later taking a commercial course at the North Dakota university. Last year she taught in the commercial department in the schools of New Rockford, N. D.

W. T. Noonan, J. E. Kulander, R. M. Skinner, George D. Arnold and F. W. Schmidt, all of Baudette, passed through the city Tuesday evening enroute to their homes. These gentlemen had been at Nopeming sanitorium to visit a fellow citizen who is under treatment there and came back over the Jefferson highway. They found the road in very good condition, making the trip from Bemidji to Thief River Falls in excellent time.

H. A. Brumund of the Thief River Falls Theatre company, is in the cities this week booking attractions for the early winter. It is his aim to secure something of a special order, being particularly desirous of booking a number of the late releases for early presentation here. There has lately been produced a number of exceptional photo plays and Mr. Brumund wants to get in his application for them early.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon and family, accompanied by Mrs. Inga Berg and Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, returned Sunday evening from Minneapolis where they attended the state fair. The trip to and from the cities was made in the Brandon car. While in Minneapolis Mrs. Berg secured suitable living quarters for herself and son, Elric, who will attend Augsburg seminary. They will leave for the above named city the first of next week.

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ROMINENT PEOPLE SEE NORTH COUNTRY

Visited During Past Week everal Parties From Other Sections.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Tawney and urr D. Blair, vice president of the Vinona Savings bank, were in the city st Saturday on a sight-seeing trip rough the northern part of the ate. They arrived over the Soo railay and after viewing various secons of the surrounding country by to took the Great Northern for reenbush and Roseau, where Mr. awney is interested in local banks. rom there they proceeded to Warad and International Falls and on Duluth before returning to their mes in Winona.

On Thursday E. E. Shepard, assistt cashier of the Winona Deposit nk, and Paul Baumgartner, Jr., asstant cashier of the Deposit Trust mpany, reached Thief River Falls auto, having toured from the uthern part of the state and for the st week since arriving here have vered a large part of eastern Marall and Roseau counties. They me up here as the Winona institutons place a large number of mortges among the people of that part the state, such securities on the this section being regarded lged.

though Mr. Tawney and Mr. umgartner had been in northwesn Minnesota before, this was the st time that either Mr. Shepard or . Blair had seen the country and ey were greatly impressed with the il fertility and the many other adntages which farmers up here poss over those of southeastern Minsota, where much of the ground is hilly that not all of it can be till-

The future for this section of Minota is beyond comprehension to n of richer and older sections and y all have great prophesies which y hold forth to their constituents en they return home.

Narrow Escape.

Warren Register: Dr. and Mrs. ward Bratrud had a narrow escape m serious injury Saturday aftern. They had driven up to the Soo d crossing near the Swedish urch and stopped there ight train was switching and was at the moment ing still with one of the cars y a few feet from the crossing. e of the brakemen was standing r by and signalled to Dr. Bratrud go ahead, which he did. The engineer either did not see the brakeman's signal or misinterpreted it, for he immediately put his train in motion and backed it up over the crossing, with the result that the rear car struck the auto before it had got safely over the track. The auto, which was a Dodge Sedan, had a wheel broken, the windows on one side smashed and was otherwise pretty badly used up, but both the occupants escaped with nothing more serious than a lively shaking up and a shock to their nerves.

REPUBLICAN CLUBS DISTRICT HEAD FOR

G. Howard Smith of This City Chairman for Northern Minnesota District.

Harding-Preus clubs will be formed in every county in the state and the work of organization is to be undertaken at once. G. Howard Smith of this city has been named organizer for the district comprising all the northern counties and is only awaiting final instructions before getting busy.

Mr. Smith will at once get in touch with the central committee chairmen in each county with a view to learning the sentiment of the different neighborhoods, and dates for meetings will be arranged as soon as possible. The work will in all probability take Mr. Smith away from the city a good deal between now and election.

All details of procedure have not yet been perfected but it is certain that there will be separate clubs for the men and women voters. At the St. Paul meeting it was suggested that one organization be made to answer for the men, women and young men, but this was so energetically objected to by the ladies that it was quickly dropped. The new voters want to carry on their own campaign in their own way and do not intend to stand for either dictation or interference. Mr. Smith states that it is perhaps needless to add that they will, as usual, be given their own way.

Due to Wrong Addresses Premium Checks Returned

A number of premium checks have been returned to G. Howard Smith, secretary of the fair association, due to deficiency in address. A list of these is given below and the owners are asked to notify Mr. Smith at once in order that they may receive their checks without delay:

Miss May Docken, Clearbrook; Miss Annie Anderson, Erie; Luella Peterson, Goodridge; Clara Berg, Ruth Sorenson, Emma Randall, Olga Johnson, Ruben Stenvick, Clarence Burgstrum, T. J. Tillevold, Mildred Peterson, Josie Hagen and Alice Anderson, all of Thief River Falls.

No name has been given in connection with 1st prize Raffia basket No. 1863. Check will be forthcoming when this number is presented.

Drives Racer to Duluth.

The racing car smashed up last week when Erling Gerdts went through the fence at the fair grounds, was repaired at a local garage. Clarence Hean, an employe of the garage, drove the car to Duluth, leaving here on Monday, and expects to find out whether or not the car has any real "pep."

Proven By Comparison.

An advertisement of unusual interest in The Times this week is that of Loken Brothers. They have taken a number of items found in the latest catalog of one of the greatest mail order houses in the country and set out to prove that the people of this vicinity can do better by trading right here at home. The figures quoted are in no manner specials, being in every case the price asked at all times. The advertisement makes decidedly interesting reading and proves that trading at home is not only the best policy but that it means an actual saving in the amount of money spent. Loken Brothers guarantee that in each and every instance the goods offered by them are fully up to those sent out by the mail order house and will refund the money paid to any person who finds that such is not the case.

Another Cut in Price.

C. S. Simonson has decided to make special inducements on Saturday in order to call general attention to his line of coffees. As will be seen by his advertisement in another column, he offers a number of leading brands at what amounts to a cut of ten per cent. In these days of high prices an item of this kind is worth while paying attention to.

PHOSPHATE PROVES FERTILITY OF PEAT

Remarkable Results Obtained This Year at Golden Valley Experiment Station.

Again it has been proven that peat lands will under proper treatment, produce crops in abundance. It is now thoroughly established that what this class of soil needs is phosphate and that where this is applied there is no question of the result.

At Golden Valley this year the state has experimented with crops on the worst kind of bogs, the peat being in some instances four feet deep where the work has been carried on. Oats were planted on plots having received four different kinds of treatment, with the result that whereas the soil without any treatment whatever made a very unsatisfactory showing, manured ground produced a fair yield and a mixture of manure and phosphate showed a good average, the plot treated with phosphate alone yielded 75 bushels of high grade grain to the acre. The same proportionate result was noted in all other kinds of grain except flax. The phosphate treatment seemed to have no effect on this particular crop.

A number of experiments were this year made on high lands near Goodridge and these proved that the value of phosphate treatment is not confined to peat lands. It was found that whereas rust had to a greater or less degree invaded almost every wheat field, none was found in the stretches where phosphate had been applied.

The cost of applying this kind of fertilizer was found to be about two cents a pound. Where placed the heaviest it was about $8 per acre. As one treatment is effective for at least three years the average cost per acre as compared with the increased yield can very easily be figured out.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson was at Golden Valley on Saturday for the purpose of acquainting himself with the work being done there. He was very much surprised at the fine crops found growing on lands considered by many to be worthless and will keep close watch for anything new that may develop, particularly at Washington, to give further aid in the reclamation of this class of soil.

"The Million Dollar Doll."

"The Million Dollar Doll in Paris," Harvey D. Orr's big, new third edition of the "Doll" series, will be the offering at the auditorium Thursday, Sept. 23. It has proved one of the greatest successes in the season's musical offerings. The book by Gregory Adams, the lyrics and music were written by Louis Weslyn of New York City, who is the successful writer for such well known artists as Rock & Fulton, Lulu Glazer Marion Bent, Eva Tanguay and many others.

The entire work is original and far above the general run of musical comedies. Mr. Weslyn considers this his best work.

Mr. Orr in presenting this new version of the "Doll" series has given this attraction one of the most elaborate productions ever sent on a tour. The costumes, stage settings and light effect are beautiful and enchanting. The company is one of the largest and best on the road this season and is well worth the large patronage accorded it since the opening date.

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FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Section 19 Township 154 consisting of 161 acres of good land with buildings on. This farm is about 9 miles from Viking and 8½ miles from Thief River Falls. Will take $65.00 per acre, $2500.00 cash and the balance on time. Go and see this land. Mr. J. Mogstad rented it for $400.00 this year. If interested write to Henry M. Mason, Chanhassen, Minn. 89p

FOR SALE—Six-room house. Enquire 615 Markley Ave. S. 88

FOR SALE—A second-hand Ford in first-class condition at a bargain.—J. S. Henson, Viking, Minn. 89

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Appleton Silo Filler.—Albert Johnson, R. 3, City. 89p

FOR SALE—A 5-10 Avery tractor with two plows. Has plowed about 50 acres. Price $350.00.—C. W. McDaniel. 87tf

FOR SALE—Three plow tractor. Inquire at Hull Bros. 90p

FOR SALE—5-room house at 230 Markley Ave. N. Call phone 454 or 308 Conley Ave. S. 90p

FOR SALE—Five room house in good condition. 906 Arnold Ave. N. 90p

FOR SALE—Studebaker 3-passenger roadster in good condition. Can be seen at Berry's Garage. 87tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms: the SE¼ Section 18 Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge. 80 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn.—C. W. Vorachek. 81tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief iver Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles norhtwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 1752. 80tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 912 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—One full blood Shorthorn bull 2 years old, and one 7 weeks old bull calf, seven-eighths Shorthorn.—Carl Talley, Maxie.

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. E. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Quarter of wild hay 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway.—W. E. Baker. 84tf

FOR SALE—The river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 155, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—Electric Washing machine practically new. Will sell cheap. Call phone 601. 88p

FOR SALE—My 8-room house and touring car, all in good condition. Priced for quick sale.—Henry Wilken, owner. Call 323. 88tf

FOR SALE—Fifty grade Shropshire ewes, one to four years old. [illegible]

FOR SALE CHEAP—Several carloads of cedar posts.—P. Sylte, Plit, Minn. 89p

FOR SALE—New steam boiler with about 1600 feet of radiation.—Clapp-McFarland Auto Co. 88

FOR SALE—Three good milch cows. Inquire at Thief River Cafe. 88tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Pair of geldings 4 and 6 years, weight about 2800 lbs. Our own raising. Mare 1100 lbs. guaranteed sound.—W. E. Smith, 5 miles N. W. of Thief River Falls. 89p

FOR SALE—Duroc-Jersey spring boars. Will be sold reasonable to make room for fall litters. Papers furnished. Popular blood lines.—W. J. Bell, Smiley Twp. 88

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Seven room house for five room house close in. Phone 6073. 88p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five room house, for horses and cows or hay. 408 Duluth Ave. S. 88

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New Maxwell car or will trade for city property. Inquire 100 Kendall Ave. S. 91p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

LOST

LOST—Ford casing on road between city and Kratka. Finder return to Dr. O. F. Mellby for reward.

LOST—Automobile casing and rim, size 30x4. Return to Times office and receive reward. 90

LOST—Radiator cap for Hudson Super Six automobile. Finder return to Times office for reward. 88

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—School teacher for Dist. No. 118 Marshall county. Going wages paid. Apply John Ristau, Germantown Rt, city. 88p

WANTED—Girl for general house work in modern home. Good wages and steady employment assured. Apply at 120 Markley Ave. N. 85tf

WANTED—Two girls at once. Gillespie hotel, Forest River, N. D. Good wages. 92p

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Family of three, all modern conveniences.—Mrs. W. A. McIntyre, Grand Forks, N. D. 90p

WANTED—Stenographer. Telephone 615 or 85 evenings.—G. Howard Smith, Farmers & Merchants Bank Bldg. 88p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—One of World's largest Grocers, (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today.—State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 88p

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PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING and interior decorating. First-class work. Charges reasonable. Baiken & Sherstad, Phone 5042 and 113. 91

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand runabout or roadster. What have you?—C. W. McDaniel. 87tf

WANTED—[illegible] furnished or unfurnished rooms by young couple without children. Address Times. 87p

WANTED—A steady job in town as janitor or inside work for the winter. Can start October 1. Call at The Times. 88

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction all my personal property on the farm, the Northwest quarter of section 17, township of Sanders, known as the Gordon Olson or S. Mork farm, on

Monday, September 20

Sale commencing at 11 o'clock sharp

1 Bay gelding, 8 years old, weight 1400
1 Black gelding, 9 years old, weight 1300
1 Bay mare with foal, 7 yrs. old wt. 1400
1 Bay mare with foal 10 yrs. old wt. 1200
1 Bay gelding, 10 years old, weight 1100
1 Bay gelding, 10 years old, weight 1100
1 Bay mare, 7 years old, weight 1200
1 Bay mare, 11 years old, weight 1100
1 Red cow, 6 years old, coming fresh in September
1 White cow, 6 years old, coming fresh in October
1 Red cow, 5 years old, coming fresh in October
1 Roan heifer, 3 years old, coming fresh in October
1 Red cow, 5 years old, coming fresh in November
1 Red and white cow, 8 years old, coming fresh in November
1 Red and white cow, 4 years old, coming fresh in December
1 Red cow, 5 years old, coming fresh in fresh in January
1 Red cow, 5 years old, coming fresh in fresh in January
1 Red and white cow, 5 years old, coming March
1 Red cow, 5 years old, coming fresh in April
1 Red bull coming 2 years
4 Red yearling heifers
2 Red yearling steers
3 Steer calves, 8 months old
1 Heifer, 3 months old
1 Heifer, 4 months old
1 Heifer, 6 months old
60 Fine chickens
18 Geese
4 Ducks
1 Peoria 18 single disc drill, good as new
1 Osborne 12 in disc, with truck, new
1 Emerson 13 in gang plow
1 Gale 16 in. sulky plow, new
1 16 in. walking plow
1 14 in. breaking plow
1 4-horse drag
1 Deering 6-ft. binder in good running order
1 Deering 5-ft. mower, good as new
1 10-ft. Milwaukee hay rake
1 Moline 2-horse cultivator, new
1 7-ft. cross-chain bob sleigh, new
1 Mandt wide tire wagon, complete with box and top box
1 Miller wide tire wagon, complete with box and top box
2 Hay rakes
2 Sets heavy work harness
1 Set light harness
6 Collars
1 Wood rack, 16 feet
1 Water tank
1 DeLaval No. 15 cream separator, new
1 10-gal. cream can
1 Barrel churn
3 Log chains

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Free Lunch at Noon

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O. B. LINSTAD, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

City News

Mrs. Ida Kinsela returned Monday morning from Crookston, where she spent the week-end visiting her daughter, Miss Grace, who is employed as linotype operator with the Crookston Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scanlan, accompanied by the latter's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bartlett, motored to Warren on Sunday and visited with friends, returning to this city the same evening.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, who has been in attendance at the state meeting of Women's clubs at Northfield and at the state fair putting on an extensive thrift display, returned to this city the first of the week.

Miss Bertha Anderson returned to her home in Saskatchewan, Can., last evening, having spent a year in this city. While here she remained at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Juul.

Miss Alice Wilson, who has spent the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson in this city, left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis where she will visit with friends for an indefinite time.

Miss Laura Wold left Monday morning for Westby, Mont., where she has accepted a position as teacher in a school near that place. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Dena, who will teach in that vicinity.

Society

Wilson-Peterson.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Alice Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson of this city, to *Arthur Peterson of New Ulm.* The ceremony was performed in Minneapolis on Friday, Sept. 10. The young couple is now visiting relatives at New Ulm, after which it is their intention to return to Minneapolis to reside. The marriage comes as a complete surprise to relatives and friends. Mrs. Peterson, since her graduation from the local high school, has been absent from the city the greater part of the time, being engaged in teaching in the vicinity of New Ulm. A year ago she deserted the teaching profession and started a course in nursing at the Abbott hospital, Minneapolis. The past summer was spent in this city with her parents and she left last Thursday evening for Minneapolis. Her numerous friends extend congratulations.

Double Wedding.

On Sunday morning last, a double wedding was solemnized in the Presbyterian church when Rev. R. L. Barackman, the pastor, united in one ceremony, John Lund and Lillian Wood and Samuel W. Hodne and Elizabeth A. Wood. The young people came by auto from Middle River and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wood and family. The double ceremony, including the plighted troth and the wedding ring, made an impressive occasion that those present will long remember. The young people proceeded south on an extended trip. Mr. and Mrs. Lund will reside in Marshall county and Mr. and Mrs. Hodne in Kittson county.

Prestebak-Urdahl.

Ole Prestebak and Lauranca Urdahl, both of this city, were united in marriage on Friday, Sept. 10th, at the Zion Lutheran parsonage. Rev. Geo. Larson officiated in the presence of Carrie Prestebak, a sister of the groom and Conrad Opland.

The newly married couple are highly respected residents of this city and their many friends extend hearty congratulations.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

The Zion Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet next Thursday afternoon, Sept. 23, in the basement of the church and will be entertained by Mesdames M. M. Johnson and T. Thoreson. The collection received on this day will be sent to the mission in Madagascar. An invitation is extended to everyone.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. Edwin Stanton, Jr., entertained a few guests at her home on Thursday afternoon. Among them were Misses Frances and Eleanor Culver and Mrs. Hal Stanton. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in card playing and music, after which a light luncheon was served.

Entertains at Dinner.

In compliment to her sister, Miss Sylvia Gendron of Little Falls, who was her guest, Mrs. I. Helseth entertained at a dinner party at her home on Sunday. The guests included Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, Miss Esther Gjertson and Miss Gendron.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Presbyterian church parlors next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, entertained by Mrs. O. A. Naplin and Mrs. G. Mathews. All members are urged to be present and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Brandt-Hanson.

Dr. Henry Brandt and Orpha Hanson of Roseau, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at the Zion *Lutheran parsonage.* Rev. *George* Larson officiated in the presence of A. L. Alby and Alma Lee.

Policemen Get Raise.

Upon recommendation of Mayor John Bratrud the city council Tuesday evening granted a raise of $5 per month to Chief of Police E. O. Erickson and Night Patrolman Ed. Brooten. The mayor also favored a bonus in addition to the September salary of the policemen to assist them in procuring new uniforms, but this was turned down by the aldermen.

To Reopen Bowling Alley.

A license was granted Tuesday evening by the city council to Jas. E. Cosgrove to operate a bowling alley, pool and billiard parlor in the basement of the Citizens bank building. The place has been closed during the summer months but Mr. Cosgrove plans to reopen it to the public within a short time.

Teachers' Institute.

Geo. M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools, is busy making preparations for the teachers' institute which will be held at the Lincoln high school building for five days beginning on Monday. A large number of teachers will be present and the superintendent looks forward to a very successful institute.

Band Asks Help.

A petition was presented to the council Tuesday evening asking that a half mill tax be levied in the city, the proceeds to be used for the support of the band. A similar request was granted by the council last year but through some error the additional tax was not levied. Action on Tuesday's petition was postponed until the next regular meeting of the council.

Gus Crown and George Baken Buy Barber Shop

Satisfied that Thief River Falls is as good a town as any in the country and a whole lot better than most of them, Gus Crown came back from Oregon after spending seven months in the West. Last week a deal was closed whereby he, in partnership with George Bakken, purchased the Carl Evju barber shop on LaBree avenue and possession was given Monday morning. Gus formerly owned this shop and sold it to Mr. Evju before going west.

Mr. Evju has been offered a good proposition in California and expects to take a trip out there in about a month to look things over. If he finds things to his liking he contemplates making it his permanent home.

X-Ray Work For Government.

Drs. Mellby, Paulson, Froehlich & Fisher, have been notified of their appointment by the government to do all X-ray work to be performed in this neighborhood for returned service men. This takes in all examinations, including those for dentistry. Dr. A. W. Swedenberg is the physician regularly appointed to look after the medical work for these men while Dr. C. R. Crandall has the dentistry in charge.

Hospital Notes.

The following were entered at the Physicians' hospital since last Thursday:

Carl Peterson, Hazel; Mrs. John Berglund, Plummer; Geo. Elich, Alvarado; Adelia Maland, St. Hilaire; Christine Geifer, city; Mrs. Blanche Atwood, city; Mrs. A. H. Huseth, Greenbush; Annie Majeres, city; R. Carlson, Rollis; Agnes Lindebeja, Kratka; Glenn Holcomb, Plummer; *Roger Holcomb, Plummer;* Mable Hall, city; Hannah Swanson, St. Hilaire.

Attends Convention.

Dr. L. F. Fisher left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to be in attendance for a few days at the annual convention of the American X-Ray Society. Delegates to the convention are present from all parts of the United States and much good is accomplished among the members thru getting together and learning new ideas and methods of using the wonderful x-ray.

FAMOUS STAGE STAR APPEARS HERE SOON

Edna Goodrich to Star in Play at Auditorium Wednesday Evening, Sept. 22.

Beautiful Edna Goodrich, herself, the only star of nation-wide reputation to go on a transcontinental tour this season, will appear at the Auditorium, Thief River Falls, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 22. Although the day of the traveling star seems to have passed there still remains the desire to see a beautiful woman whose photograph appeal has been felt through the movies and in the present instance theatre-goers will have the opportunity to see an actress whose co-starring tours with Nat. C. Goodwin won her international fame and whose engagement in pictures with the Mutual endeared her to thousands who follow the photoplay. The management guarantees that Miss Goodrich will personally appear here and that the original production of "Sleeping Partners," which was used during the run of seven months in New York, will be seen in the local presentation. There are no "number two" companies of "Sleeping Partners." Miss Goodrich has bought the exclusive right for the United States and Canada and will cover the most important cities this season. After that she may leave it to another star.

"Sleeping Partners" is now a substantial success in Paris, London and New York. The translation into English is by Seymour Hicks, who is still playing in the London production. It had a record of seven months of success at the Bijou theatre, New York, and has never been seen in this country outside of that city and Chicago. It is said to be very French, somewhat risque, full of daring lines, which the translater has dared to retain in the American text. Yet it is never offensive and in all teaches a wholesome lesson that a girl of seventeen or eighteen can safely expound to her grandmother.

Car Turns Over; Driver and Companion Escape Harm

J. H. Baugh of Warren, driving a big Buick roadster, started to flounder around in the loose gravel about seven miles west of Thief River Falls last Friday afternoon. The car got away from him and turned completely over, but fortunately the driver and a companion escaped with only a few minor bruises.

The car was somewhat smashed up, the fenders, windshield and top coming in for the most damage. It was brought to this city and tinkered up sufficiently at a local garage to make the trip to Warren under its own power the same evening.

Henrik Johanson.

Henrik Johanson died Sept. 11 in this city at the age of 64 years, 4 months and 8 days, death resulting from chronic asthma. He had suffered with this disease for the past three years. Deceased was born in Sweden and had resided in this country for 43 years. He had made this city his home for one month, coming here with his family from Alvarado. The remains were shipped to Alvarado for burial.

Sam Ordal.

On Sept. 13 occurred the death of Sam Ordal in this this city, death resulting from an abscess. An operation was performed last April in the hope of securing relief but since that time deceased had been steadily failing. Sam Ordal was born in Norden township Oct. 14, 1897. Interment took place in Oak Ridge cemetery on Sept. 15.

Albert Dikken.

Albert, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dikken of this city, died Sept. 10 from gastro enteritis after an illness of three days. The remains were shipped to Badger for burial.

STORM SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Bids Will Close Sept. 30th, 1920 at 8 p. m.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, until 8 o'clock p. m., on the 30th day of September, 1920, for the installation of storm sewer extensions in said city in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota. The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

581 lineal feet of 8 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
3345 lineal feet of 12 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
850 lineal feet of 15 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
380 lineal feet of 18 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
423 lineal feet of 20 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
5084 lineal feet of trench 5'-7" deep
21 manholes
21 feet extra depth of manholes
28 catch basins with castings and without
Tapping 10 present manholes and catch basins.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank in the sum of $1400.00, payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., and extra sets may be purchased from the Bradley Engineering Service, Weber Bldg., St. St. Cloud, Minn., at the rate of $5.00 per set.

The right is reserved by the City to reject any or all bids.

By order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
S-16-23

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.33
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.28
Oats	.48
Flax	2.93
Barley	.77
Rye	1.71
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	7.00
Bran	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Corn and Oat feed, 80-lb. bags	2.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.75
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.20
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.40
Dairy butter	.55
Creamery butter	.58
Cow hides, per lb.	.10
Horse hides	2-4
Calf hides	.10
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.17
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.08
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows	.05

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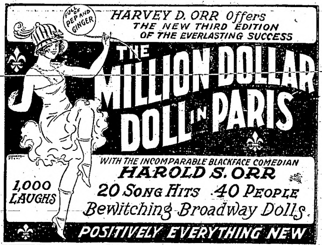

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Constance Talmadge "Perfect Woman"
Norma Talmadge, "Branded Woman"
Wm. S. Hart in "The Toll Gate"
And Many Others.

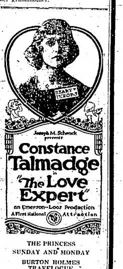

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

BROWN COUNTY BOY BEST CORN GROWER

Frank Parr of Argyle Takes First Premium For Corn in Northern Section.

Clarence Schultz of Sleepy Eye, Brown county, was awarded first honors in the club boys' corn-growing contest at the state fair. Coming from the southern section or zone, consisting of Lincoln, Lyon, Redwood, Brown, Nicollet, Le Seur, Rice, Goodhue and all counties south, he won first prize for white dent, the sweepstakes for best samples of white dent and the grand sweepstakes for the best ten ears. Of other exhibitors of white dent in the southern section, Bennie McCarger of Nicollet was second; Marvin Schultz of Sleepy Eye, a brother of Clarence, third; Clyde McCormick of Garden City, fourth; and Otto Peterson of St. Peter, fifth. Of exhibitors of yellow dent in the southern section, Thomas Hosken, Jr., of North Redwood was first and he also carried off the sweepstakes for the best samples of yellow dent. Raymond Guentsel of Eagle Lake was second; Waldemar Floe of Blue Earth, third; Melvin Osted of St. Peter, fourth, and Charles Turrittin of Kasota, fifth.

Exhibitors of the white dent from the south central section who won positions were: First, Iver Barnall of Sacred Heart; second, Arnold Beckman of Cokato; third, Raymond Heckel of Motordale; fourth, John Ederer of Morton; fifth, Conrad Sigfriedson of Cokato. Yellow dent prize winners were: First, Ellsworth Anderson, Cokato; second, Melvin Peterson, Cokato; third, Carl Lauken, Hutchinson; fourth, Joe Kerchell, Hutchinson; fifth, Louis Reinmuth, Howard Lake.

Elmer Davis and Harold Egedusen, both of Cormorant, Becker county, were awarded first and second prizes for yellow dent corn grown in the north central section. Honors for any other varieties of corn in this section were taken by Louis Shepard of Detroit, first; Harold Cox of Swanville, second; Ralph Phillips of Detroit, third; Clarence Meilke, of Richville, fourth; and Ernest Wagnes of Richville, fifth.

Awards in the northern section were made for any variety of corn, as follows: First, Frank Parr, Argyle, Marshall county, who also won the sweepstakes for any other variety; second, Oscar Nordine, Lancaster, Kittson county. Cash premiums offered by the fair for this contest totaled $304. Nearly 100 entries were made.

Clarence Schultz, who won the highest honors, has been growing corn for the club boys' acre yield contest for several years and has won prizes before. Through the interest taken in this and other club work by him and his brother, Marvin, their father declares that conditions on his farm have been greatly improved, and that a new and enlarged outlook has come to all members of the family. Not content with having the best corn, the boys are moving for the best livestock.

RAISING MONEY FOR LIVESTOCK PAVILION

Drive to Raise Balance For Crookston Building to Be Resumed Next Month.

The May-June Campaign for the Red River Valley Live Stock Pavilion netted $11,950.00. Frequent showers seriously interfered with the drive so that it was not quite completed by the time the busy season of harvest arrived. The county quotas that remain to be secured are as follows: Polk, $5,000; Marshall, $2,250; Kittson, $150; Roseau, $750; Pennington, $750; Red Lake, $1,250; Norman, $1,100; Becker, $750; Clearwater, $750.

At a meeting of the association directors held on August 30 it was decided to resume the drive October 1—15. It is probable that some counties will complete their campaign before that time as plans have been made to do so.

In the June drive Polk county raised two-thirds of its quota of $15,000, Norman county one-half of its quota of $2,250; Kittson county two-thirds of its remaining quota of $500 and Mahnomen county two-thirds of its quota of $750.

Annex 2 is completed. On account of the shotage of cement, the floors in the basement of the pavilion in Annex 1 have not yet been laid. It is hoped that a sufficient supply of cement will be secured to do this work.

Additional space amounting to 6400 square feet will be provided by covering the alley space between the pavilion building and annexes 1 and 2. This will give 55,000 square feet of floor space for the 1921 Winter Show and Sales.

The remarkable growth of this organization has been made possible by the loyal financial support and work of over 1500 men and women who are share owners in the Red River Valley Live Stock association. The 1921 Shows and Sales will be bigger and better than ever.

This association has a place in the live stock development of the Valley. It still needs an extra lick or two of work before the present buildings are paid for. Quotas totalling $14,000 remain to be raised. Here is another instance of the desirability and value of team work. Last year an early snow storm drove the live stock army indoors. This year the drive must not drag along. The amount needed is not large. It should be secured in every county by October first.

POULTRY RAISING BUSINESS GAINING

College of Agriculture Lends Material Aid to Encourage Industry in State.

Increasing development in Minnesota of the business of growing standard bred poultry is shown in the figures of state aid paid each year to county poultry associations as premiums on exhibits at county fairs and other contests.

N. E. Chapman, of University Farm poultryman with the extension division of the college of agriculture, says that in 1916 the sums so paid to the counties by the state amounted to $6,888; in 1917 more associations had been organized and the amount paid to them was $7,991.43; in 1918 it was $11,756.96, and in 1919 it was $18,549.90. This shows a constant and steady growth in the business of poultry raising on Minnesota farms.

The sum of $23,116.56 is available for 1920 out of the state's appropriation and the amount carried over. Poultry associations in 75 counties received state aid with which to pay premiums last year. The maximum amount allowed a county is $400.

Educators to Meet.

The Northwestern Educational association will hold its next annual meeting at Warren on Oct. 21, 22 and 23, instead of in September as originally announced through error. A number of the most prominent educators in the state and nation will take part in the convention.

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GIRL WINS STATE PIG CLUB CONTEST

Over One Hundred Boys and Girls Tried For Prizes at State Fair.

A girl is state champion pig raiser among Minnesota boys and girls pig club members. Her name is Anna Truog, and her home is at Swanville, Morrison county. The state wide contest, which is promoted as a feature of general junior club work by the agricultural extension division of the University of Minnesota, culminated at the state fair when 118 boys and girls entered their pigs in the competition. Anna Truog exhibited a Poland China pig and her score card was marked 94.5, the awards being made on a basis of conformation of type, cost of gain, daily rate of gain, and an original story of, "How I Helped Uncle Sam by Growing a Pig." Of premium money of $200 offered by the state fair board, the girl prize winner gets $20 in cash and in addition wins a gold medal and a free trip to the International Livestock show at Chicago.

Leo Eaton, of Bertha, Todd county, with a Duroc pig, and Haysen Bulfer of Garden City, Blue Earth county, with a Poland China pig, tied for second place with a score of 94 points each. Other awards were: Third, Stanley Peterson of Madelia, Duroc, 93.2; fourth, Willet Stoskopf of Preston, Poland China, 93.1; fifth, Jay Seymour, of Eyota, Olmstad county, Chester White, 92.9; sixth, Clayton Benson, Worthington, Duroc, 92.7.

Archer Nelson of Brownton, McLeod county, exhibited the highest scoring pig, a Duroc, over all breeds, and won the right to a free trip to the boys' and girls' short course at *University Farm, April next.* The Durocs predominated in the state contest. There were 87 Durocs, 21 Poland Chinas, 8 Chester Whites, one Hampshire and one Berkshire. Various breeding associations offered premiums aggregating $350. The state fair board, in addition to giving premium money of $200 made an allowance of $625 for transportation and for feeding and caring for the pigs of the young club members.

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Minneapolis.)

Grains without exception are displaying for the present an undercurrent of strength. Based on the theory of relative cheapness of corn and oats and on the fact of world's shortage of wheat and rye, sentiment for the most part has reversed its bearish attitude.

In plain words, there is a world's shortage of wheat approximating one hundred million bushels, based on reported current world import requirements and surpluses.

Europe this year has no choice in placing her purchases of wheat. She must come to North America. After reducing the spring wheat estimate twenty five million bushels, the government report this week gives the U. S. combined spring and winter wheat yield as seven hundred and seventy million. Our own requirements are estimated to be over six hundred million. We have already sold for export close to one hundred and fifty million. Our surplus this year is about forty million—less—than last year, and last year Europe imported six hundred and fifty million.

Car receipts to the primary markets are reported running about sixty per cent less than the corresponding time a year ago. In August, 1919, Minneapolis total receipts of wheat, corn, oats, barley, rye and flax were 20,469,960. In August, 1920, under very favorable harvesting conditions, the total receipts were 13, 632,324.

The significance of the lighter receipts is not in transportation failure. The fact is that the producer is not selling. His farms are now paid for, surplus earnings are invested, he can and is choosing his own time in marketing.

In the corn and oats situation there is no denying that the crops are bumper ones and must eventually reach the markets. With an oats crop of 1,442,000,000 and a Canadian yield 100,000,000 in excess of last year and a U. S. corn production well over 3,000,000,000 there is unquestionably a surplus in the country that must be an effectual bar to permanently higher prices.

There are many who believe, however, that corn and oats are cheap enough and relatively too cheap when terminal quotations reflect a figure to the producer less than $1.00 and 55c respectively for corn and oats. The quality of the new corn is undoubtedly adversely affected by the continued cold, wet weather. Grades under No. 3 and a large proportion of soft corn will likely result in the initial movement.

Present reported European import needs of small grains can and likely will be very much reduced under the pressure of ascending prices. There is an economic limit, and necessity may bring at least a partial reversion to the 1917 policy of rationing.

County Teachers to Hold Institute Here Sept. 20

To Pennington County Teachers:

After applying for a date for a teachers' institute, the week of September 20-24 has been selected by the state department of education, as Teachers' Institute Week for Pennington county.

This institute is held in compliance with the school laws, Sec. 1020 and for your information is quoted in full and reads as follows:

"The county superintendent may hold county institutes for teachers in different parts of the county not to exceed two days for each such institute in any one year; or he may hold one annual institute not to exceed five days, and require the attendence of all persons teaching in the county schools except those in high or graded schools at any of such institutes. Teachers who have been in regular attendance during the entire time of such institute designneds by the county superintendent shall receive from him a certificate of attendance which shall entitle such teacher to full pay for the time her school has been closed on account of attendance at such institute and the county commissioners shall allow bills for personal expenses for the county superintendent in holding institutes not to exceed the sum of fifty dollars in any one year."

By reference to this law you will notice that teachers will be allowed full pay for perfect attendance at this institute. As you all are aware, all teachers' applications for renewal of teachers' certificates has amongst its numerous questions, this question: "How many teachers' institutes have you attended? "By this question it is implied that your chances for renewal are better with the possession of several Institute Attendance Certificates then without them. This alone is one good reason why you should be present at this institute.

At the time of last year's institute, programs were sent out in advance of the institute. This year I have had no chance to confer with the instructors, Miss Coral Osborne and Miss Margaret Bierie. These instructors plan on having this attended to on Saturday, Sept. 18th, to be in readiness for the opening day, Monday morning, Sept. 20, at 9 a. m. We are in advance alloted one hour per day to take up the reports of the officers of last year's Teachers' Patriotic League, discussions of local problems confronting us as rural teachers and to ask any questions regarding our work as such.

The institute will be held at the Lincoln High School Gymnasium at Thief River Falls, Minn. The institute will open promptly at 9 a. m., Monday, Sept. 20th, continuing for five days and closing Friday at 4 p. m.

For your information and observance the following paragraph taken from the Departments' Announcement to me, is given below and reads as follows: "Plan to open the institute when all teachers are present and keep accurate record of attendance throughout. The teachers should feel a decided responsibility in the matter of attendance. Right habit and attitudes in the institute will go far toward getting right habits and attitudes in our schools."

With the hope of seeing every rural teacher in the county in attendance at the Pennington County Institute and that this institute of 1920 may do much for the progress of the rural school work in Pennington County, I am,

Very sincerely yours,
GEO. M. GUNDERSON,
County Superintendent of Schools.

ERIE

Very dry for a spell here. A little shower on Friday and one on Saturday, but only sufficient to settle the dust.

Mrs. Svare had the misfortune to fall into the cellar and break two ribs and suffered other injury, but is improving rapidly. A physician had to be called from Thief River Falls. The accident occurred one day last week.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. H. A. Dahlen on Friday afternoon. Altho the rain hindered some from attending, quite a large crowd was present.

A fine baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson on Wednesday, Sept. 8th.

Ole Josrud is another Star farmer who has invested in a Fordson.

Mission services were held in the *Erie church on Sunday by Rev. Hanson.* The forenoon service was conducted in the Norwegian language and the afternoon service in the English. A large audience was present. The Erie Ladies' Aid served dinner in the Erie hall to all.

John Mostrom of Neptune is in our community threshing. Mr. Mostrom is old on the job and is the fellow who can make things hum around a threshing rig.

Mrs. Ole Sunsdahl made a trip to Grand Forks last week to seek medical aid for her hand which has caused her much pain all summer due to blood poisoning. Mrs. Sunsdahl feels much better but is by no means well yet. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Olof Sunsdahl and children and Mrs. Herman Sundahl and children of Grand Forks, who are visiting at the Sunsdahl home and with other relatives and friends here.

Thelma Hovet assisted Mrs. Dahlen a few days with preparations for the Ladies' Aid last week.

Hazel Tharaldson of St. Paul was a recent visitor at her parental home.

Myrtle Lee, daughter of Ole Lee, left for Spokane, Wash., to remain indefinitely. While there she will attend school. She was accompanied by her aunt, of Spokane, who was a recent visitor at the Lee home and with whom she will make her home.

Mrs. Osmund Lunden and two children of Rhoda were visitors at Mrs. Lunden's parents' home from Friday until Saturday. She was accompanied home by her sister, Thelma Hovet, who will stay with Mrs. Lunden a week.

Ole Lien is running the Vake threshing rig during the season down in Hickory.

Quite a number of friends and neighbors very pleasantly surprised Mrs. L. B. Johnson on Sunday afternoon of last week.

School started in District No. 59 on [illegible] er.

The L. B. Johnson family motored to Thief River Falls on Sunday and spent the day visiting relatives.

Mrs. Tharaldson and daughters, Opal and Evelyn, motored to Thief River Falls Saturday of last week. Opal had some dental work done.

H. A. Dahlen had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow last Friday, due to disease caused by over-eating.

Mrs. M. Iverson is staying with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Gust A. Iverson during Gust's absence. He is out threshing.

Clara Bye is acting as housekeeper at the Ole Olson home during Mrs. Olson's confinement.

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Friday, September 24

At 10 o'clock A. M.
the following described personal property:

HORSES

- 1 Black mare, 8 years old, wt. 1250
- 1 Black gelding, 8 years old, wt. 1250
- 1 Black gelding, 6 years old, wt. 1400
- 1 Bay gelding, 3 years old, wt. 1100
- 1 Black mare, 3 years old, wt. 1100

CATTLE

- 1 Red cow, 6 years old, fresh in Jan.
- 1 Roan cow, 4 years old, fresh in Dec.
- 1 Red cow, 7 years old, fresh in Jan.
- 1 Red heifer, 2 years old
- 3 Red heifers, coming 2 years old

MACHINERY

- 1 Seven foot Minnesota binder, with truck
- 1 20-shoe Superior drill
- 1 disc, 14 discs
- 1 three-section wood harrow
- 1 16-in. Emerson sulky plow with breaking attachment
- 1 16-in. walking plow
- 1 John Deere mower, 5-ft. cut
- 1 Wide tire wagon
- 1 5-ft. McCormick mower
- 1 10-ft. Deering hay rake
- 1 New Century corn cultivator
- 1 Top buggy, 1 bugy pole
- 1 Two-seated buggy
- 1 Triple wagon box
- 1 Set of bob sleighs
- 1 Flax attachment
- 1 Cutter for buggy box
- 1 16-ft. hay rack

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- 1 Faultless Malleable steel range, No. 9
- 1 3-burner kerosene stove, with oven
- 1 Heating stove for wood or coal
- 1 Organ, 1 baby crib
- 1 Dresser, 1 writing desk
- 1 Steel couch with pad
- 1 Wooden bed with spring
- 1 Dining room table, 1 small table
- 1 Wash stand
- 1 Pan-American washing machine
- 1 Cupboard, 1 Reed baby carriage
- 4 Yards inlaid linoleum
- 1 Ironing board
- 4 Chairs, 1 high chair
- 1 Rocking chair, 2 lamps
- Dishes, wash tubs, wash boiler and other household articles.

MISCELLANEOUS

- 2 Pigs, 5 months old
- Grindstone, 30 grain sacks
- 1 60-lb. vise
- 1 Single harness
- 2 Sets work harness, complete
- Some poles, posts and wood
- 4 Acres of corn fodder, in shock
- 1 55-gal. steel barrel
- 2 Wooden barrels
- 1 No. 15 Blue Bell cream separator
- 1 15-gal. bbl. churn, (new)
- 1 10-gal. cream can
- 1 Single barrel shot gun
- About 40 ton of upland hay, and other articles too numerous to mention.

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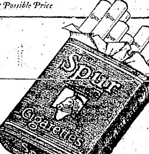

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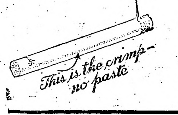
This is the crimp—no paste

Spur Cigarettes

Butterfat Flow Runs Into Many Millions of Dollars

The Minnesota dairy cow keeps on [illegible] the freight. Two hundred one [illegible]erative creameries in different [illegible]s of the state paid an average [illegible] of 63.3 cents a pound for butterfat brought in by dairymen during the month of June. The average pounds of butterfat received per creamery for the 30 days was 19,727, or a total of 3,965.127 pounds.

Only the 2001 of the 640 co-operative creameries in the state reported to A. J. McGuire, of the agricultural extension division, University Farm. Mr. McGuire is calling on buttermaking co-operators to work together "in a big way." They must make a more uniform grade of butter, he says, build up the weaker creameries, go out for more adequate laws promoting the manufacture of only good butter, and, last but not least they should develop the most efficient and profitable system of marketing.

Co-operative creamery men are reminded by Mr. McGuire that they can help to start this work by making monthly reports to him.

GERMANTOWN

Miss Olga Overby departed for Jelle where she will commence her school work.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aandahl and [illegible]dren visited at the D. Dau home [illegible] day last week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl was a Germantown caller one day last week.

Carl Nelson was a Sunday guest at the H. Longevan home.

Misses Amelia Reitz and Minnie Bentlin called at the Bendickson home Sunday of the past week.

Miss Alice Wayne of Rollis is visiting at the W. Wayne home.

Miss Esther Bendickson was a caller at Germantown on Monday.

Guests at the O. P. Nelson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Norlund and daughter Alice and Mr. and Mrs. Prehall and children.

Miss Elsie Bundhund of Goodridge who has been employed at Minneapolis for some time is visiting at the A. Ristau home.

Ellen Hanson was a caller at the Hans Dahl home one day last week.

Miss Stella Stokkie was a guest of Augustine Rolland one day last week.

Dinner guests at the Knutson home [illegible]atka were Misses Edith Shay, [illegible], Nettie and Silva Bendickson.

[illegible] O. P. Nelson visited at the Norlund home on Monday.

Miss Clara Johnson left for Bemidji Monday, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Paulson.

Misses Esther and Nettie Bendickson were Sunday guests at the Christ Nelson home.

Clifford Roller departed for Montana where he will seek employement.

The Ladies' Aid held at the Hans Jorstad home Sunday of last week, was well attended.

Silva Bendickson visited at the O. Tharaldson home on Sunday.

ROSEWOOD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson, on Friday, Sept. 10, a baby daughter.

Miss Ethel Kron, who has been employed at Forest River, N. D., this summer, came home on Monday evening and will spend the winter with her [illegible]rents.

[illegible]iss Clara Sorenson of Thief River [illegible]alls has accepted a position as teacher at the Busy Bee school north of town for the term of 1920-21.

John Batten returned on Monday evening from Kenmare where he has spent a few weeks visiting and attending business.

The ladies aid of the Rindal church was entertained at the home of Mrs. P. Hagen last Tuesday afternoon and with good attendance, Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls conducting the event. The next meeting will be entertained by Mesdames L. L. Furan and John Sagmoen at the latter's home in town on Tuesday, Oct. 5.

Miss Carrie Nelson of this place was one of the car occupants in the car colision west of Thief River Falls last Saturday evening but escaped unhurt with but a few minor bruises.

At this writing there lacks only one signature to the 25 per cent resident freeholder petition being circulated here in an attempt to consolidate school districts No. 2 Pennington county and 41, 34, and 187 in Marshall county. This freeholder will be secured from Dist. No. 34 and the petition will then authorize superintendent Johnson to call a special election and with vote decide the outcome of the undertaking.

The following were Sunday callers at the B. P. Sagmoen home in town: Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and children from Thief River Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Elling Dahl, Mrs. Anderson and son, Lester, and Miss Anderson from Kendall, Wis. The latter are related to the Bensons and are visiting at their place for a brief period.

Henry Sagmoen, who has been employed at threshing in North Dakota this fall, returned home on Saturday evening.

Miss Guretta Dahl returned home from Thief River Falls last Saturday where she had been visiting during the week.

The Carl Stromberg family, in company with Mr. Stromberg's brother, Peder and family from Thief River Falls, motored to Strandquist last Sunday to visit with relatives during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Skaar and family from Norden, were in town last Sunday to visit with Ingrid Nordhagen.

Miss Ella Nelson left on Monday for Norden where she will be employed at the Skaar home for a few days *during threshing.*

Thresher Martin Jarsaw had a wheel break-down last Friday and had to go to Thief River Falls for repairs causing a few hours delay at threshing at the Carl Mellem farm.

Henry Rogers stepped off the train here one evening last week enroute to his home at Steiner from North Dakota where he had been employed during threshing.

Alfred Thoreson is home from Radium where he had spent the last few weeks threshing.

The Ted Thompson family has moved their household furnishings to the have rented.

A temporary illness lasting from a day to two or three, and in which the victims feel very uncomfortable, are unable to eat or work and vomit frequently, is doing a round in the community and especially among the men folks. About a dozen cases have been reported during the last few days.

Miss Clara Sorenson of Thief River Falls was a guest of Miss Synneva Sorenson, north of town, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Isabella Sagmoen and Joel Shoberg left on Sunday morning by car for a brief outing trip to Warroad and Lake of the Woods.

L. L. Furan, John Sorenson and B. P. Sagmoen will go to Thief River Falls next Tuesday to commence taking down a house which they have purchased and will bring to this place.

Thom Holten is spending a couple of weeks at Dennison, this state, visiting with his relatives and to attend business.

Announcements have been received this week from Mrs. Kathryn Bressler announcing the marriage of her daughter, Miss Gretchen, to Mr. Jake Haberle of Barnesville. Mr. Haberlie taught a term of school at Willowdale a few years ago and has a number of friends in the vicinity.

The Radium section crew is assisting the local crew with the laying of railway ties here this week.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Sophie Severson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled, Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of October, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 15th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(SEAL)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
s16-23-30

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ingeborg Iverson, Samolina Lillemoe, Knut P. Iverson, Iver A. Iverson, Martha C. Iverson, Adina H. Iverson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of October, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 10th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
s16-23-30

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hattie Long, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to William O. Long, William Ward Long and Earl Edgar Long, and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled, Therefore, YOU and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of October, 1920 at Ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 14th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
s16-23-30

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Ole Ellingson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Julia E. Ellingson, Elida Johnson, Julia Nichols, Agot Robertson and Olga Ellingson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of September, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 30th day of August, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(SEAL)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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SOCIALIST LEADER URGES GOOD ROADS

St. Paul and Minneapolis Labor Men Told Highway Facts By Ernest Strand.

Vote "yes" on Good Roads Amendment No. 1 to make automobiles and trucks pay to build and maintain highways or let the roads go to ruin any day heavier property taxes to make them merely passable—that was the alternative put up to St. Paul and Minneapolis socialists and labor leaders yesterday by Representative Ernest G. Strand of Two Harbors, a candidate for re-election on the Socialist ticket in Lake county.

The State Federation of Labor has indorsed Good Roads Amendment No. 1 but a radical minority in the Socialist party and in labor circles is attempting to stir up dissension over it. Representative Strand is in the city to see the State Fair, but particularly to warn against opposition to Amendment No. 1.

"Automobile traffic in Lake county and all along the north shore of Lake Superior, and including a large percentage of St. Paul and Minneapolis cars, has been so heavy this summer that our roads are worn out," said Representative Strand.

"We must adopt the good roads amendment and let the car owners help carry the burden of building and maintaining the roads. Otherwise they will be badly run down even before we can increase taxes to get the necessary road funds. I studied the amendment when it was before the legislature and have heard it discussed since, and I know that it deserves the support of every voter."

"Automobile and truck owners generally are satisfied that the saving on car upkeep, tires, gasoline, and so forth, possible on good roads, will amount to more than the increase in the license fee and they will gain in other ways. They are helping to get the facts about the good roads amendment before the people that it may receive the majority of all votes cast on November 2."

SHOULD EXCHANGE TEMPORARY BONDS

Federal Reserve Bank Advises Holders How to Collect Interest When Due.

The Federal Reserve bank of Minneapolis has sent notice to local banks asking that holders of first, second and third liberty loan bonds held in Thief River Falls and vicinity be immediately presented and exchanged for permanent bonds. The letter from the Federal Reserve bank follows:

"We are advised by the Treasury department that there is a large number of temporary bonds of the First, Second and Third Liberty loans that have not yet been exchanged for permanent bonds, and which are still outstanding. The next semi-annual interest payment date on bonds of the First Liberty loan is December 15, 1920, the Second Liberty loan November 15, 1920, and the Third Liberty loan September 15, 1920. All coupons have now matured on temporary bonds of these issues and holders of such temporary bonds will not be able to collect the interest due on these dates, unless the temporary bonds have been exchanged for bonds in permanent form with coupons to maturity attached.

"The Treasury department has informed us that because of unavoidable delays in preparation of permanent bonds of the Fourth issue, sufficient stock will not be on hand by October 15, 1920, to enable them to commence deliveries on that date. As soon as the date for commencing such deliveries can be definitely determined, appropriate announcement will be made but it is improbable that this will be prior to January 1, 1921."

HOG PRICES GO UP AND CATTLE STEADY

Hogs Show General Upward Trend All Week, While Cattle Remain Unchanged.

Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul, Sept. 13.—With continued light receipts, hog prices scored an upturn last week rated at about a half dollar. Closing trade found top at $15.50 the highest in weeks, while bulk was selling around $14.75@ 15.25. Trade was steady to higher all week with no setbacks to reduce values. Pig trade continued strong with most sales at $14.50 @ 15 but supplies were limited. Receipts were 12,089.

Good cattle held about steady with only some of the plainer in-between grades showing a decline which was rated around 25c for the most part. Not many good loads arrived but odd sales on choice animals were registered up to $13.50 @ 14. Feeder buyers were rather active and competed for the kind that sold in the $9.50 @ 10.50 spread. Bulk of trade was at $8 @ 11 mainly. Choice she stuff landed at $9 @ 10 but most of the trade was scored at $6 @ 8 on the rank and file of cow stuff. Canners and cutters cashed at $4 @ 5 mainly with bulls at $5 @ 6.25. Veal calves closed steady with top at $15. Receipts were 26,239 cattle and 4,576 calves.

Lamb prices advanced but sheep ruled steady with native lambs topping at $11.75 and ewes at $6. A few breeding ewes sold up to $7 at times. Other prices remained unchanged. Receipts were 20,901.

"SHORTAGE" OF TRAINED HELP

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On Reception Committee.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls, vice chairman of the Republican women's organization in Minnesota, took a prominent part in the entertainment of Senator and Mrs. Harding during their visit to the state fair last week. She was a member of the special reception committee which met the distinguished visitors at the station and was in the party at the fair grounds during the afternoon in which the senator delivered his speech.

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American Legion Notes

A party of Sioux Indians, all members of the Legion, greeted National Commander Franklin D'Olier on his arrival at Watertown, S. D., last week on the homeward swing of his tour of the United States. Many of the young warriors brought their fathers, blanketed and feathered braves of another day, to Watertown to meet "the Chief," as Mr. D'Olier is called out in those parts. At Livingston, Mont., the National Commander was initiated into Park Post No. 23 of the Legion which contains about 50 members who are employes of Yellowstone Park.

America's "bravest of the brave" have been invited to attend the national convention of the Legion which opens at Cleveland on Sept. 27 as the joint guests of the Legion and the city of Cleveland. These are the fifty-four living men who won the Congressional Medal of Honor for valor, the rarest military distinction in the world. Of the seventy-eight men awarded the Medal of Honor, twenty-four gave their lives in performing their feats which under conditions governing the award of the medal must be "over and beyond the call of duty."

Published reports that a part of the American Legion in Bronx county, New York, intended to "picket" meetings held by certain socialist candidates have been investigated by New York department headquarters and pronounced unfounded. "The American Legion," said Hugh W. Robertson, assistant to the department commander, "does not intend to impair its greatest asset, namely, goodwill and public confidence, through any reckless or overt acts. Any feeling Legion members as individuals may have toward the socialist speakers will be settled in orderly fashion at the polls on election day."

President Wilson, who is a member of the Legion, has written a letter of greeting to the organization which will be published in the official program of the National convention, which convenes at Cleveland on Sept. 27.

The Louisiana Department at its state convention at New Iberia endorsed the four-fold optional compensation bill sponsored by the Legion and which passed the House of Representatives last spring. It will be brought up in the senate on the reopening of congress.

At their recent convention, Legionnaries of the Department of Panama voted to interrogate the Governor of the Panama Canal regarding the promotion policy with respect to Canal employees who were furloughed to the military or naval service during the World War. If the Governor makes a ruling unfavorable to ex-service men, the secretary of war will be appealed to for relief, according to the convention's decision.

A Legion post at Downer, Ill., scored a victory over anti-cigarette reformers recently by a referendum in which the "smokes," sale of which had been prohibited, were restored to the shelves of Downer Grove stores by a majority vote of nearly two to one, and more women are said to have voted for the restoration than against it.

A committee of the William T. Fitzsimons Post of Kansas City, Mo., has completed a fund for the erection of a memorial tablet in honor of the medical corps lieutenant for whom the post was named and who was first American officer killed in the war.

A cable from Honolulu to the American Legion Weekly announced the sailing of the Hawaiian delegates to the national convention at Cleveland. The island members carry instructions to vote for the exclusion of Japanese from the United States, but to defend the right to citizenship of American born Japanese.

The County Court of McDowell county, W. Va., has purchased a $40,000 residence and grounds and given it to the public as a home for the American Legion post at Welch, W. Va. The donation was made under a statute recently passed by the West Virginia legislature, which provides that if twenty per cent of the voters of a county recommend the procedure, the County Court can make a five per cent levy on the taxable property of the county for a memorial building. Many West Virginia Legion posts are working on the proposition.

The sun never sets on the American Legion. Ex-service men in the island republic of San Domingo have formed Edward C. Fuller Post No. 1.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

LARGE COLONY OF MENNONITES LIKELY TO SETTLE NEAR THIEF RIVER FALLS IN NEAR FUTURE

Group Comprises 20,000 People Who Plan to Emigrate From Canada Soon—Look With Favor Upon Lands in Northwestern Minnesota.

Mennonites Are Excellent Farmers and Have Lived in Manitoba Colony Since 1873—Canadian Authorities Interfere With Education.

A movement is under way by which it is hoped to induce 20,000 Mennonites now residing in colonies across the border in Manitoba to emigrate to this state. It is planned by Gov. Burnquist and the state immigration department to provide the Mennonites with a solid block of land some distance northeast of Thief River Falls upon which to establish the proposed new colony.

W. J. Brown of this city, personally representing the govenor and immigration department, has been at work upon the proposition for some time. He has visited the Mennonite colony in Canada and conferred with its heads, and also has interviewed the Canadian authorities on the subject.

Mennonites Favor Move.

While no definite decision has yet been made in the matter, it is understood the Mennonites are very favorably impressed with the offer made to them by the Minnesota authorities. A committee of three from the colony arrived in Thief River Falls the first of the week, attended the Goodridge fair, and from there proceeded north [illegible]nd east to make a thorough investi[illegible]tion of the district in which it is [illegible]oposed their people locate. Upon the report of this committee largely rests the decision of the colony as to whether or not it will adopt this section as its future home.

Means Rapid Development.

If this colony of 20,000 people can be persuaded to settle in the virgin region northeast of Thief River Falls it will mean a great deal in the development of this vast territory. Several townships will be required to accommodate the colony and these industrious workers will in a short time make a wonderful transformation of the section in which they settle.

It means the extension of the electric line in the near future as the Mennonite settlement would make it imperative that transportation facilities be provided without delay. It will prove the opening wedge in the complete settlement of an undeveloped empire.

A Peculiar People.

There are approximately 20,000 members in the Mennonite colony which has concluded to emigrate from Canada. The Mennonites are a religious denomination which arose in Switzerland in the 16th century. Their religious creed and beliefs are somewhat peculiar. They believe in nonresistance to violence and are religiously opposed to war or its support. They repudiate law-suits, oaths, civil office-holding, infants' baptism and bearing of arms.

After enduring much persecution and wandering about in various countries of Europe for many years, the Mennonites finally emigrated to Canada, where they settled in 1873 after having secured eight solid townships in southern Manitoba. They were granted certain immunities, among which were religious freedom and the right to educate their children according to their own ideas.

Canada Breaks Argeement.

The complaint these people have of their treatment in Canada is in respect to their schools, feeling that their religious freedom is interfered with. They claim that regardless of the agreement with the Canadian government, in which they were given the privilege of managing their own schools without molestation or restriction, teachers chosen by the civil authorities at Winnipeg are being placed in their schools. They fear this will lead to interference with their religious beliefs and have decided to seek a new home in which they may retain the religious freedom which they so highly prize.

The Canadian government takes the position that those who made the original agreement with the Mennonites did not have the authority to do so and therefore insists upon taking a hand in the education of Mennonite children.

Colonists Widely Sought.

Minnesota is not the only place which is offering inducements in the hope to secure the Mennonite colony. Quebec is offering great inducements to them but the Mennonites hesitate to accept the Quebec proposition for the reason that the same authority would pass on a violation of the Quebec agreement which passed upon the so-called violation of their Manitoba agreement. Mexico, Honduras, Paraguay and several other South American countries are offering inducements to the Mennonites. The Mennonites themselves, however, prefer to reside in the latitude and under conditions which are familiar to them, and are now chiefly interested in the movement into Minnesota.

Our Laws Satisfactory.

The school laws of Minnesota have been thoroughly explained to the Mennonites, and they have expressed themselves as willing to live up to these laws in every detail. The state immigration department has taken a great deal of interest in the matter and after a thorough investigation of the facts, the governor has extended an invitation to these people to settle in the state. The state officials consider it highly desirable that these people be brought to settle the vast expanse of vacant land in northern Minnesota.

Desirable Citizens.

The Mennonites are intelligent, well-read, and a peaceful, law-abiding class of people. Their outward appearance and demeanor does not differ from any other people. They are some of the finest farmers in the world, and farm the land thoroughly and well. The result is that today they are nearly all wealthy and well-to-do. Their religion forbids them to engage in other pursuits than that of farming. Their preachers and bishops and others high in their order are all farmers actually engaged in tilling the soil, and they serve their church without pay.

There are already large numbers of the Mennonites in Minnesota, and several colonies also are located in Iowa and South Dakota. Wherever known they are considered high class and desirable people. The total number in the United States at present is approximately 55,000.

WOMAN SPEAKER TO DISCUSS POLITICS

Mrs. C. A. Severance of St. Paul Will Expound Republican Doctrine Here.

An event of more than ordinary interest to Republicans in Thief River Falls and vicinity will take place at the Evelyn hotel tomorrow, Friday, when Mrs. C. A. Severance of St. Paul will be the speaker at a noon-day luncheon. Mrs. Severance is a speaker of national reputation and comes here to discuss national issues from the Republican viewpoint.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, vice chairman of the state Republican women's organization, is responsible for Mrs. Severance's appearance here at this time. The local Women's Republican committee is naturally pleased to have the opportunity of entertaining the noted speaker, and its members are very anxious that a large number of people turn out to the luncheon tomorrow. Mrs. Severance will arrive in the city over the Great Northern from the south at 11:15 and will leave on the afternoon train over the same road.

Mrs. Severance is Republican National speaker and has organized all the Northwestern states for the National Republican committee. She is a writer as well as a speaker, having written "Guide to Citizenship," and "Guide For Women Voters." She is president of the Ramsey county Republican club, and besides her political activities is a very prominent club woman in the state; is chairman of the Ramsey County Child Welfare board; has collected the Indian legends of Minnesota; was chairman of the Ninth District Liberty Loan and vice chairman of the National Defense for the state. Mrs. Severance was chairman of the Division of the Red Cross and was decorated by the king of Belgium for her war work. She has recently returned from the battle fields of Europe, where she spent several months investigating conditions among war victims.

Those who expect to be present at the meeting should notify their ward chairmen without delay. These are Miss Marie Nelson, first ward; Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, second ward; Mrs. Andrew Bottelson, third ward, and Mrs. T. P. Anderson, fourth ward.

AMERICAN LEGION MEETS TOMORROW

Much Important Business Requires Attention of Elmer J. Eklund Post Members.

The next regular meeting of Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion, will be held at the commercial club rooms on Friday evening, Sept. 24, at 8:30 p. m. Quartermaster Provencher announces that chow will be served at 10:30, and he promises a real feed for the service men.

The object of the meeting is the presentation of a number of important resolutions, together with a quantity of other business which has accumulated since the last meeting. Reports will be rendered by the dance committee of Aug. 20, and a complete report of the recent race meet will also be presented.

Notaries will be present at this meeting for the purpose of filling out applications for Victory medals. All those wishing to apply for medals will please bring their discharge papers. Monday, Sept. 27, has been named Medal Application Day. The local post has made arrangements with all four banks in the city and they have offered the services of notaries, who during that day will fill out applications for medals.

A number of local service men have already received their medals, and they are a very desirable memorial of the great war. All service men and next of kin of deceased service men are entitled to medals and may receive them upon application. Medals are issued in almost every instance within two or three weeks from the time application is made. An urgent invitation to secure medals is extended to all service men, whether they are members of the American Legion or not.

Small Blaze at Library.

The fire department was called to the library Tuesday morning to extinguish a blaze which resulted from embers rolling out of the fireplace and getting between the cement blocks in such a way as to ignite the joists below. A few blocks in the floor were torn up and the fire put out without serious damage.

FIFTY DOLLARS FOR FLASHING REVOLVER

Two Others Pay Ten Dollars and Costs For Being Drunk and Disorderly.

Too much Canadian hooch, Cologne water and other concoctions was the cause of three transients getting into the clutches of the law in Thief River Falls last Friday. As a result Chas. Thompson paid a $50 fine and left a perfectly good automatic revolver with the authorities, Andy White paid $10 and costs, while Ed. Slattery, the third member of the group, was up before the court twice and each time drew $10 and costs. All of the fines were paid and the prisoners released.

The three men, after they had imbibed sufficient hard liquor to make them reckless, proceeded to raise a rumpus in the southwestern part of the city. Thompson is said to have flashed the gun promiscously and threatened to shoot his companions and others who passed by. Chief of Police E. O. Erickson soon rounded them up and Saturday morning they were given a hearing before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant, with the results above stated.

Slattery evidently ran afoul of another consignment of hooch for he was discovered Saturday evening in a badly pifflicated condition and lodged in the calaboose for the night. Sunday morning he paid another ten for his fun.

The three men were on their way to the lumber camps after having spent the harvest and threshing season in North Dakota. They had plenty of money and started out to have a good time. Being unable to judge the strength of the brand of liquor acquired here they carelessly took on an overload and got in bad.

CONNECT UP WITH ROAD FROM OKLEE

Commissioners Let Contract For Mile and Half to Line of Red Lake County.

A short but important link in the highway system from Thief River Falls southward was provided for last week when the commissioners contracted with Peter Lund of this city for the building of a mile and a half of highway in the town of Mayfield to connect with the excellent road now running from Oklee northward to the county line. The contract price was $5,000 and work is to begin on Saturday.

There has long been a demand for this piece of road in Thief River Falls as well as by the farmers along the line. It will make it possible for the people residing in the vicinity of Oklee to reach this city by a direct route and over an excellent highway. The road to the line in Red Lake county has long been in fine shape but a long detour was necessary after leaving its terminus.

The contract for grading the road between Hazel and St. Hilaire was also let. The work is to cost $12,000 and was awarded to Peterson & Noro of Newfolden. They will begin work on Oct. 1. The distance is four and a half miles.

Pastor to Be Installed at Grygla Next Sunday

Rev. S. T. Anderson, formerly of Katherine, N. D., will on Sunday be installed as pastor of the Lutheran church at Grygla. Rev. I. T. Aastad, the district president, is unable to be present and has requested Rev. T. E. Swenger of this city to officiate in his place. As there will be no services at the Lutheran church here because of the absence of the pastor, it is likely that a number of the parishioners will go to the neighboring village to witness the installation ceremony.

County Agent on the Job.

County Agent J. J. McCann is back on the job after nearly two weeks spent at the state fair and in visiting relatives in southern Wisconsin. Mr. McCann spent an entire week in the live stock and agricultural divisions of the fair, besides attending several important meetings of the farm bureau federation. He enjoyed the short respite from routine work and is back on the old job with renewed vigor.

J. A. O. PREUS, Republican Candidate for Governor.

STATE LEADERS OF REPUBLICANS TO SPEAK HERE

J. A. O. Preus and Louis L. Collins to Deliver Talks October 2.

First Big Political Rally of Present Campaign For Thief River Falls.

Prominence of Speakers and Importance of Issues Insures Record Crowd.

The first big political meeting of the present campaign insofar as Thief River Falls is concerned will be held at the auditorium on Saturday evening, Oct. 2, at 8 o'clock. J. A. O. Preus, Republican candidate for governor, and Louis L. Collins, candidate of the same party for lieutenant governor, are scheduled for speeches. Interest in the state and national campaigns is growing rapidly and this fact, together with the prominence of the speakers at the meeting next week, no doubt will bring out a record crowd.

First of Campaign.

The Thief River Falls meeting is one of the first this fall at which Mr. Preus and Mr. Collins are the speakers. From now on, however, the battle will be carried on in earnest and the candidates expect to be kept extremely busy until election time.

The seating capacity of the auditorium is 1,200 and this should provide sufficient room for the large number who plan on attending the meeting. Both Mr. Preus and Mr. Collins have numerous personal friends in Thief River Falls who will see to it that a large number of voters, both men and women, will be on hand to greet them upon their appearance here.

At Red Lake Fair.

Before coming to Thief River Falls Mr. Preus and Mr. Collins will deliver speeches at the Red Lake county fair, Red Lake Falls, during the afternoon. The candidates also expect to appear at several other points in this section of the state while on the tour.

This being the first campaign in which the women take a part it is urged that as many of the ladies as possible turn out to hear the political issues of the day discussed by two leaders of the Republican party. In previous campaigns the men folks have carried the brunt of the burden but this should be a thing of the past. In order for the newly franchised voters to cast an intelligent ballot it is necessary that they acquaint themselves with the political situation from every viewpoint.

FEDERATION FORMED BY LOCAL WORKERS

New Central Labor Union Comprises Membership of Six Organizations.

The Central Labor Union of Thief River Falls was formally inaugurated at a meeting held Monday evening. A large number of members of the various labor organizations in the city were present at the meeting and it was a very successful affair from every point of view.

Geo. W. Lawson, secretary of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor was present at the meeting. Mr. Lawson gave a very interesting talk, explaining in detail the development, aims and objects of organized labor. The speech was full of good common sense and every union man present went away with a better understanding of the situation. Chas. W. Cullen of Danbury, Conn., a member of the United Hatters of North America, also was present and favored the meeting with a brief speech. Mr. Cullen has been identified with the labor movement for many years and his remarks were highly interesting and instructive.

The new central union is composed of six local labor organizations and has a membership of approximately 300. The organizations comprising the central union are the retail clerks, railway clerks, carmen, carpenters, electricians and printers. It is likely the union will soon be augmented by the addition of two or three other local labor organizations which are now making preparations to enter.

The following officers were elected at the meeting Monday evening: President, O. J. Erickson; vice president, John Collins; recording secretary, M. A. Mattison; financial secretary and treasurer, Morris LaSalle. These officers, together with Alfred Adolphs, Albert Larson and Peter Kolden, were chosen as the executive board. Regular meetings of the new central labor union will be held on the third Monday of each month in the I. O. O. F. hall.

IMPLEMENT FIRM IN NEW QUARTERS

Rambeck & Stone Company Purchases Part of Prichard Building on Horace Avenue.

In order to meet the demands of its rapidly growing business the Rambeck & Stone company has found it necessary to secure larger quarters. A deal was consequently closed up this week whereby a part of the former Prichard implement building becomes its property and the concern will be ready for business there on Sept. 25.

The property acquired has a frontage on Horace avenue of 63 feet and is 80 feet in depth. The place was formerly used as a machine sales room and equipped for that particular purpose. It will provide a most satisfactory location for the business and permit of greater display as well as the carrying of a much larger stock.

The Rambeck & Stone company started in business last spring and has been very successful. The company is the sole representatives here of the Emerson-Brantingham line of farm machinery and implements and handles everything from tractors and separators to the smallest parts.

M'GARRY-SHERMAN SPEAK HERE SOON

Will Explain Babcock Amendment at Two Meetings in Pennington County.

The people of this neighborhood will have an opportunity to learn all about the Babcock good roads amendment next month. Senator P. H. McGarry of Walker, one of the most able and consistent good roads boosters in the state, will be one of the speakers, while Fred Sherman, formerly state immigration commissioner, will be the other. A meeting will be held in the auditorium, Thief River Falls, on Tuesday evening, Oct. 12, and another at Goodridge the following evening. These gentlemen are accompanied by Col. Sam Badger, civil war veteran and champion snare drummer of Minnesota, and William Patton, a regular army fifer. These will furnish music of the kind that "stirs 'em up." There will also be a moving picture film showing road building in actual progress under different conditions.

This will be the first opportunity our people have had of hearing advocates of the Babcock amendment explain its provisions and those who are opposed to the measure will be as much interested in what these men have to say as those who favor it.

It is expected that later in the season Senator Herman Schmechel of Renville county, a member of the Nonpartisan league, will be in Thief River Falls to speak in favor of the amendment.

School Superintendents Select Uniform Text Books

Superintendents of the different schools within the county met last Friday evening at the office of County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson for the purpose of selecting the text books to be used in the institutions under their control. Besides Mr. Gunderson there were present W. A. Ziegled of the Thief River Falls schools, Supt. B. O. Norby of Goodridge, and Supt. S. L. Johnson of St. Hilaire. It was decided that the schools would be best served by the employment of uniform text books and these will be ordered all at one time. The books to be used were selected at another meeting held at the same place last evening.

LOCAL GUERNSEY AT BIG CHICAGO SHOW

Ciff, F. B. Conklin's Prize Winning Cow, Entered in National Dairy Event.

F. B. Conklin's prize winning Guernsey cow, Ciff, started out last week on an extended trip. The first destination is the Blue Earth county fair at Mankato, where the animal will be placed on exhibition against some of the best Guernseys in the Northwest. From there Ciff will be shipped to Chicago to appear at the National Dairy show from Oct. 7 to 16.

Ciff is the cow which captured every first prize on the tour made this summer of the county and state fairs in this section. The high quality of the animal came to the attention of Leslie Wilson and W. A. McKerrow of the University farm school and they prevailed upon Mr. Conklin to enter the Guernsey at the Mankato and Chicago shows. These gentlemen are fully convinced that Ciff will measure up with the best of them at Chicago and admit they will be sadly disappointed if she does not return with her share of blue ribbons.

If Mr. Conklin's cow makes a good showing at the Chicago show it is very likely that more Pennington county cattle will be entered at future events. The marks made wherever these animals have been shown during the past season encourage the owners in the belief that they have a good chance of being recognized in the state and national shows. There was some talk of entering several Pennington county Guernseys at the state fair this year but the owners, due to the busy season, found it impractical to place them on exhibition.

Return From Vacation.

Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Newell returned last week from a vacation trip of six weeks. They spent the time traveling in their automobile and visited relatives and friends at many points in southern Minnesota and northern Iowa. Fine roads and ideal weather were the rule and the tourists enjoyed the outing to the utmost. D. K. Bryant had charge of the drug store during their absence.

LABREE NAMED ON STATE COMMITTEE

Will Look After Interests of Republicans Here During Present Campaign.

W. J. LaBree of this city has been named as member of the Republican state central committee from Pennington county. This appointment, while highly satisfactory in every way, comes as something of a surprise even to Mr. LaBree's most intimate friends as it was not known that he was even being considered.

The choice has fallen upon a man in every way worthy of the honor and one who will do everything in his power to insure success for the ticket in the coming election. He is popular, a good mixer and a staunch adhereat of the principles annuciated in the party platforms.

The new committee member expects to get actively into the campaign from now on, getting into personal touch with the voters as far as possible and allowing nothing to interpose that may in any way dampen their enthusiasm.

General satisfaction is expressed by leading Republicans over the selection. Mr. LaBree has kept out of factional differences and starts with a clean slate. He has the good will of everyone and the value of his work will be recognized when the results are noted.

Northwest Aggie Grads To Picnic Next Sunday

The graduates of the Northwest School of Agriculture who are residents of this neighborhood will hold a picnic at Valhalla hall in Rocksbury township next Sunday. The date for this event was originally set for last Sunday but unfavorable weather made a postponement necessary. All former students of the school are particularly invited to be present and urged to bring a picnic basket. C. E. Brown, one of the instructors in the school will deliver an address.

GOODRIDGE FAIR AGAIN SURPRISES VISITING CROWD

Display of Products That Would Be a Credit to Any Section in State.

Grains, Grasses and Vegetables in Great Abundance and of Finest Quality.

Livestock Exhibit Failed to Correctly Represent Progress Lately Made.

The second annual exhibition of the Tri-County Fair association at Goodridge on Monday and Tuesday was an unqualified success from every point of view. The products were even finer than a year ago and the attendance much better. Not only did the people residing in the neighborhood of Goodridge turn out to the last person, but other sections were well represented. On Tuesday a special trip was run over the Minnesota Northwestern and the car was filled to capacity with people from Thief River Falls who were anxious to pay a visit to their hustling neighbors.

One feature failed to make as good a showing as last year. This was the livestock division and the neglect is greatly to be regretted as in no department has the region made more decided strides. The management is unable to account for the lack of interest in this important matter and will give special attention to it before another fair is held.

Good Speakers Present.

The speaking program was perhaps the best and most interesting of any at a fair in this section. On Monday Ex-Senator D. P. O'Neill of this district and Senator Gustav Schmeckel of Renville county were the speakers. Mr. O'Neill made an address at the dedication of a new flag pole on the village square that was an inspiration to those who heard it. He was at his best and the large audience responded to his mood in a highly gratifying manner. Senator Schmeckel spoke on the Babcock Good Roads amendment and succeeded in proving to the entire satisfaction of a large number of those present that it is the one thing that will solve the road problem of the farmer. There is no ques-

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ARE INTERESTED IN DAILY PAPER HERE

Times Readers Express Views on Subject—Majority So Far Favorable.

One of the principal topics of conversation during the past week, particularly in Thief River Falls, has been the article appearing in The Times last week announcing that a daily paper would be started if the public indicated a demand sufficient to make its success probable. The matter has hardly progressed far anough to warrant the forming of an opinion, as will be seen by the following account of what has been done to date.

On Tuesday 2500 reply postal cards were sent out from The Times office, these going to present subscribers of the paper in Thief River Falls and on the rural routes. It was the aim to secure the opinion of those residing in the immediate neighborhood first, as these would naturally be the most interested. Up to noon today 416 replies had been received, the vote standing as follows: For a daily paper, 266; against, 150.

This is a very small percentage of the answers expected and can hardly be taken as showing what the final result will be. By next week something more definite will have developed. One thing is certain: Unless the reading public and business men give unmistakable evidence of wanting a daily, none will be started.

It is interesting to note the different viewpoints expressed on this subject. Even in the city the demand for a daily paper is by no means unanimous. On some of the cards expression such as "Just what the town needs;" "Would prove an excellent thing," "Will give it all the support in my power," and similar indications of approval are found. On others the opinion voiced is just as decided the other way. One banker writes: "We have now the BEST weekly in the state; let's not have the poorest daily."

The Times publishers are simply interested in finding out the sentiment of the public. Starting a daily paper in times like the present is not to be thought of unless there is a well defined demand for it. For this reason it is hoped that all who received the postal cards will indicate their views on the return section of the card. It only takes a signature and the postage is already paid.

His Picture in the Paper.

In the new photogravuer section of the Minneapolis Tribune last Sunday appeared an illustration showing the Minnesota delegation at the home of Senator Harding at Marion. Standing next to Louis Collins, candidate for lieutenant governor and head of the delegation, is noted M. W. Halloran, brother-in-law of R. H. Ross of this city, who visited here for a week early in August.

NEW HARDING-PREUS CLUB IS ORGANIZED

Local Body Formed This Week to Spread Republican Campaign Gospel

A meeting attended by a considerable number of local Republicans was held at the Brumund hotel Monday evening. The meeting was called for the purpose of organizing a Harding-Preus club and such a club was duly launched. G. Howard Smith, recently chosen organizer for this section of the state, called the meeting to order and briefly explained its purpose.

A permanent organization was formed and the new Harding-Preus club manned with a full set of officers. These are L. H. Lawrence, president; Oscar Smith, first vice-president; H. F. Booren, second vice-president; W. H. Akre, treasurer; Geo. W. Werstlein, secretary. The following executive committee also was chosen: First ward, R. B. McWilliams; second ward, W. H. Akre; third ward, Harry Roberts; fourth ward, S. C. Coumbe; at large, Harold Provencher and H. W. Protzeller.

It is the intention of the new organization to open club rooms and R. M. Sheldon offered free use of the rooms below the First and Peoples' State bank. Committees were appointed to arrange for furniture and care of these rooms.

Regular meetings every Tuesday evening are planned until after election and a definite program will be mapped out to spread Republican gospel among the voters. Former Senator D. F. O'Neill was present at the meeting Monday evening and favored the assemblage with one of his characteristically entertaining talks. He has been a war horse in the Republican ranks for many years and is not yet through by any means.

ANNUAL MEETING OF FAIR STOCKHOLDERS

Most Successful Year in History of Agricultural Society to Be Reviewed.

The Pennington County Agricultural society will hold its annual meeting at the commercial club rooms on Saturday evening, Sept. 25. This is the most important meeting of the year and it is expected that a large number of stockholders and other interested people will be present.

Election of officers for the ensuing year will take place at this meeting, and the secretary's annual report will be rendered. The past year has been a very successful one from every standpoint and the secretary's report no doubt will contain some pleasing information for the stockholders of the association.

A general plan of operation for next year will come up for consideration at the meeting Saturday evening. New buildings and many other improvements at the fair grounds no doubt are badly needed and the question of providing these things will be thoroughly gone into at Saturday evening's meeting. The Pennington County Agricultural society has reason to feel proud of its accomplishment during the past year, and starts out with excellent prospects for another banner season. The recent county fair was the most successful ever held in this section of the state and plans are already under way for a bigger and better fair for 1921.

LOWER FORD PRICES EFFECTIVE AT ONCE

Henry Ford Makes Drastic Reduction in Prices of Cars and Trucks.

Establishment of pre-war prices on all products of the Ford Motor company effective immediately was announced on Tuesday by Henry Ford. The price reductions range from approximately 14 per cent on motor trucks to 31 per cent on small automobiles. In announcing the decision of the company Mr. Ford in a formal statement said:

"Now is the time to call a halt on war methods, war prices, war profiteering and war greeds. It may be necessary for everybody to stand a little sacrifice but it will be most profitable after all because the sooner we get the business of the country back to pre-war conditions progress, prosperity and contentment will occupy the attention of the people. For the best interests of all time a real practical effort must be made to bring the business of the country and the life of the country down to normal. Inflated prices always retard progress."

The announcement said the price reductions would be made despite unfilled orders for 146,066 vehicles. There will be no reduction in wages at any of the Ford plants, it was announced.

EDUCATORS TO MEET IN BIG CONVENTION

Teachers and School Men of Northwestern Minnesota to Meet at Warren.

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association will be held at Warren, Oct. 21, 22 and 23. Warren was selected as the meeting place at a recent meeting of the executive committee of the association.

Educational men and women from over the north western section of Minnesota will be present at the gathering. Several good speakers have been arranged for and a number of sectional and rural round table sessions are planned.

A hearty reception to the visitors is planned by Warren. During the meeting officers for the coming year will be elected. Present officers are: President, N. A. Thorson, Crookston; vice-president, H. L. Bleecher, Stephen; secretary-treasurer, W. A. Ziegler, Thief River Falls. These with G. Holmquist, Warren; M. C. Hayes, East Grand Forks and I. S. Hoy of McIntosh comprise the executive committee.

One of the more important matters up for consideration at this convention is the determination whether or not this association will affiliate with the Minnesota Educational association.

CROOKSTON LAD IN CLUTCHES OF LAW

Arrested at Espelin Postoffice By Sheriff LaBree on Charge of Abduction.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree, carrying a warrant issued by the authorities at Crookston, on Tuesday drove to Espelin postoffice, 13 miles northeast of Grygla, and brought back with him Oscar Evans, wanted at Crookston for abduction. The girl in the case, minor daughter of a prominent Crookston business man, was with Evans when the sheriff arrived and also accompanied the officer on the return trip. Upon their arrival here they were met by Sheriff Bolstad of Polk county, who took them in charge and left immediately for Crookston.

Evans and the girl are both minors but decided to get married in spite of parents' protests. They left Crookston last Thursday and proceeded to Middle River, where they were married by a clergyman after the young man had made a trip to Warren and secured the necessary license. From Middle River they went to Espelin, near which place the young man's father resides on a claim.

The young folks had decided to get married and didn't propose to let a little thing like parental objection stand in the way. In order to get the license it was necessary for Evans to perjure himself when giving their ages but even this didn't prove a serious obstacle. Evans will likely find before he is through, however, that he was a trifle indiscreet in his haste to marry the lady of his choice.

Malafa Improving.

John Malafa, who last week stepped through the top of a threshing machine near Park River, N. D., and suffered injuries which made it necessary to amputate one of his legs above the knee, is reported to be making a satisfactory recovery. Present indications are that he will be allowed to leave the hospital in about two weeks.

Thief River Falls Fire Chief Back From College

Paul Midderigh, chief of the Thief River Falls Fire department, returned the first of the week from St. Paul, where he had been in attendance for several days at the firemen's college conducted under the supervision of the state fire marshal.

These colleges are conducted annually for the purpose of acquainting fire fighters of the state with the latest methods of combating flames, and also to test out new apparatus and appliances. Mr. Midderigh says the attendance at the college was not as large as its importance warranted but that much good should result. The only criticism the fire chief from Thief River Falls has to offer is that nearly all of the time was taken up in showing how to fight fires in skyscrapers of large cities, and these wrinkles naturally do not apply in the smaller cities of the state.

Plummer Will Hold Fourth Annual Market Day Friday

The business men of Plummer are announcing that the fourth annual market day and auction sale will be held in their village on Friday, Sept. 24. The premium list contains a goodly number of valuable prizes that will be paid by the several business firms of that village. A free auction in connection with the day will be held from 10:30 a. m., to 12:30 p. m., and a program of sports and dance in the evening are also announced.

CHEAPER GROCERIES AWAY BACK IN 1910

Sales Slip Made Out Ten Years Ago Shows Surprising Prices Prevailing.

Strong evidence of the rapid rise in the cost of living was furnished this week when a business man at Clearbrook, in looking over some old papers, discovered a sales slip made out by a Clearbrook store in 1910. The slip was handed to Ferdie Brown, traveling salesman for the Thief River Grocery company, who in turn submitted the interesting relic to The Times.

Although the slip does not contain a larger number of items, enough are given to demonstrate that people at the present time are up against something entirely different when it comes to buying necessaries than were those who bought groceries ten years ago; every item on the bill has risen from one to three hundred per cent during the past decade, the price of sugar showing the greatest difference.

Here are the items as enumerated and charged on the slip above referred to: 100 lbs. granulated sugar, $5; 50 lb. keg 3-H Norway herring, $2.50; 50 lbs. [illegible], $6.13; 50 lbs. 70-80 prunes, $5.25; 80 lbs. silver leaf lard, $8.60; 1 bushel beans, $2.50, and one ordinary grain sack, 25 cents.

The same articles purchased at retail today would cost more than three times as much money anywhere in the state, according to Mr. Brown, who points out that the figures given above are not in any sense sale prices but regular retail prices which prevailed all over the country ten years ago.

ASK FEDERAL AID TO PAY TEACHERS

Shortage of Instructors Creating Serious Situation in Rural Districts.

The teacher shortage remains a menace to the public schools according to preliminary reports made public by the National Education association. Replies to questionnaries sent out by the association have come from all sections of the United States. These reports show that in places where teachers' salaries have been increased one hundred per cent or more the situation is nearly always satisfactory. But such places are comparatively few, and in localities where salaries have been increased fifty per cent or less the teacher shortage is commonly greater than a year ago. Rural communities are hardest hit. Signed reports from superintendents of many counties indicate that a third of their rural schools cannot open for want of teachers. Tens of thousands of schools will be in charge of teachers who have had no professional preparation and whose academic training barely exceeds that of the children they teach.

Relief from this serious situation, which imperils the stability of American rural life, will be sought from the next session of congress. Renewed efforts will be made to obtain the passage of the Smith-Towner bill, which creates a department of education with a secretary in the President's cabinet and provides federal aid of $100,000,000 for education.

NORTHWEST SCHOOL PLANS GREAT MEET

Dedication of Memorial and Opening of New Road Set For October 5.

The dedication of the Northwest School Soldiers and Sailors Memorial, opening and dedication of new $125,000 dining hall, and opening of the first piece of hard surfaced country road in northwestern Minnesota on Tuesday, Oct. 5 promises to make that day one of the most eventful in the history of the school, particularly if the weather man is kind and provides weather that will permit of automobiling.

The alumni of the school have raised the entire funds for the erection of the memorial among themselves as a token of appreciation to those of their fellow attendants at the school who answered the country's call in the great war, and particularly to those whose fortune it was to go to the great beyond in the performance of their service. Appropriate services will mark the unveiling and dedication.

The new dining hall will add the facilities to the institution that will enable it to enroll a material number more of students and thus serve the Red River valley to fuller extent. It has to the present been necessary to make use of the lower floor of one of the dormitories for dining room purposes. An increase in attendance from 31 the year of opening of the school to 299 in 1920 clearly indicates the measure in which the school is extending its service and the need of the additional facilities.

The opening of the new roadway, now named University Road and extending from the school to the city limits of Crookston will be made the occasion for commemorating the advancement of the good road movement in Minnesota. On this roadway each county of the territory the school normally serves will have a section assigned to it for the occasion and arrangements are already under way by committees in the majority of the counties for displays that will portray some of the outstanding claims of the respective counties. A monster motor parade is being arranged which will pass over this road on its way to the school. Positions on the roadway have been given the various counties by lot drawings; so that the parade will, in effect, pass through one county after another on its triumphant way to the Northwest School.

Elks Make Preparations For Big Meeting Oct. 15

The meeting held by the local lodge of Elks last Friday evening was largely attended. One candidate was initiated into the mysteries of the order. It was determined that in addition to the regular meeting of Oct. 15 a special meeting will be held on Friday evening, Oct. 8, for the purpose of permitting the introduction of applications for membership so as to accommodate the applicants in the big class which will be initiated on the evening of Oct. 15.

Elaborate plans are being made by the refreshment, entertainment and initiation committees to make the meeting of Oct. 15 a great success. It will be a hummer and all Elks should make plans to be there.

Local Agricultural School Qualifies For Federal Aid

B. M. Gile, state director of agricultural vocational education, visited the Thief River Falls schools last Friday. Mr. Gile came for the purpose of finding out whether the schools at this place are operating in conformity with the federal law, and to determine whether they can qualify for federal aid. He went into a thorough examination and expressed himself as being highly pleased with the work as carried on here. He stated there was no doubt but what federal aid would be forthcoming as every requirement is fulfilled here.

The federal apportionment for this city amounts to $1,588 for this year, which comes as a very timely aid to the school government. F. A. Tripp, agricultural instructor, was highly complimented by Mr. Gile for the efficient way in which this department is conducted, who stated that it was the equal of any in the state and superior to many.

Important Decision Given in Big Forest Fire Cases

The judges of district court sitting en blanc this week, handed down a decision in favor of the plaintiffs in the famous Cloquet fire cases against United States Railway Director General W. D. Hines, as war time manager of the Great Northern railway. The decision gives damages to 278 plaintiffs and involves in round numbers $3,000,000 resulting from the forest fires of October 12, 1918. The decision is looked upon as of still greater importance because it fixes the liability and origin of the fires in the Cloquet district and will have a direct bearing on other suits which involve about $10,000,000.

Hospital Notes.

The following people have entered the Physicians hospital since Thursday, Sept. 16: Hannah Swenson, St. Hilaire; Mrs. Williamson, Greenbush; Eric Beckland, city; John Durban, city; Melvin Saugen, city; Mrs. Geo. Larson, Golden Valley, N. D.; Gunstan Torgerson, Germantown; Alma Luftness, city; John Smedberg, city; John Lund, city.

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Every effort is being made to expediate the bringing about of service which will meet and satisfy all the requirements of our patrons, and we ask only for that spirit of fairness and forbearance which is characterized of the American people.

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City News

[illegible] F. Strauts of Chicago was the week-end guest of friends here.

Mrs. Roy Morgan leaves tonight for a visit with friends and relatives at Neenah, Milwaukee and Kenosha, Wis.

F. C. Sullivan left on Saturday evening for Houston, Texas. Mr. Sullivan will be gone for a period of two weeks.

Miss Dorothy Loen arrived here on Friday evening from Trail where she is teaching school to attend the teachers' institute.

Miss Esther Tandberg, who teaches near Oklee, is visiting at her home this week and also attending the Teachers' institute.

Leland Schuster, one of the students of the 1920 class, left on Monday [illegible] ing her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Glanvill for two weeks.

Roy Barzen left on Monday afternoon for Milwaukee to take up his studies at Marquette. This is Mr. Barzen's last year.

Mrs. A. Fjeld arrived from her home in Cloquet on Monday evening and will visit her sister, Mrs. E. Griebstein, for about two weeks.

Fred Anderson arrived from his home at Bronson on Thursday and spent Friday in this city visiting with friends and attending to business matters.

Miss Marie Collins returned to her home at Warroad on Saturday morning having spent a day as the guest of her cousin, Miss Marguerite Burns, and also attending to shopping.

Miss Sarah Lee, accompanied by Mrs. Ben Torfin of Wannaske shopped and visited in this city on Thursday and Friday. They returned to their respective homes on Friday morning.

Miss Mable Anderson who spent the past two weeks visiting at her home in Clearbrook, visited with her friends here between trains on Saturday night on her way to Minneapolis where she is employed.

Mrs. Glenn Anderson and baby left Sunday evening for Kansas City, Kan., where they will remain for an indefinite period. Mr. Anderson will follow his family later as his present condition of health will not permit the [illegible] at this time.

Miss Elinor Dahlen, who has been spending the summer months at the home of her parents in this city, left on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to resume her duties at the university. Miss Dahlen was a graduate of the 1919 class of the local high school.

Elmer Johnson of Ada visited with friends between trains on Saturday.

Roy Miller left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to resume his studies at the University.

Mrs. Leroy Tolland returned from her home at Overley, N. D., Monday, where she spent the week-end visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stover of Frazee were in the city on Monday visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Miss Mable Wood of Badger spent Saturday in this city shopping and renewing old acquaintances. She returned to her home on Monday.

Bernard Barzen and Alvin Johnson left on Monday via the flyer for Milwaukee where they will take up their studies at Marquette university.

Miss Evelyn Tessum left on Monday for Minneapolis where she will resume her duties at the university. This is Miss Tessum's second year.

Miss Cora Swanson arrived here on Friday evening from her home at Hazel to be in attendance at the teachers' institute which is in session here this week.

Misses Minnie Swanson and Tomina Hanson of St. Hilaire were visitors in this city on Saturday. They returned to their respective homes on the afternoon train.

Mrs. I. Nicholson and three children departed on Friday morning for Gatzke to spend a week visiting at the home of the former's parents, who reside on a farm near that place.

F. C. Koziol returned to his home at Little Falls on Thursday morning having spent a brief period in this city as the guest of friends. He will remain until the opening of the university on Sept. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud and children of Grand Forks visited with friends in this city on Saturday enroute on a hunting expedition. Mr. and Mrs. Gullingsrud were former residents of this city having recently moved to Grand Forks.

Miss Tena Lane of Minneapolis, who spent a month visiting with her friend, Mrs. M. H. Connelly, left the latter part of the week for Gatzke where she was called on a case of nursing. She will visit in this city again before she will return to Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jennings of Edmore, N. D., are in the city this week on a visit at the home of Mrs. Jenning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Falks. Mrs. Jennings has been here for a week while her husband came over by car on Saturday. He found the roads good but the driving rather disagreeable because of the dust.

T. P. Anderson and two sons motored to Holt on Saturday on matters of business.

Mrs. O. Skorheim of Henning arrived here Friday evening for a visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite.

A. Huseth motored down from Greenbush on Thursday evening to visit with his wife who is a patient at the local hospital.

J. Greenagle motored down from Strathcona where he is station agent, on Friday, to receive dental treatment and also visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson of Middle River, motored to this city on Friday evening to attend the movies.

G. R. Skoglund of Baudette, visited in this city on Friday enroute from the harvest fields in North Dakota where he had been employed for a month.

Miss Ruby Johnson, who was a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. O. J. Erickson for a week, returned to her home at Averoo, this state, on Friday afternoon.

Miss Alto Olson and mother, of St. Hilaire, were Saturday shoppers in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hagen of Fertile visited with friends and attended to business matters on Saturday.

Wm. Heinricks, manager of the J. C. Penney store in this city, returned on Friday from a brief business trip to Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stene left Thursday morning for Gatzke to spend a few days visiting at the home of the latter's parents.

Miss Alto Helland of Gonvick arrived here Thursday evening and spent a few days as the guest of her friend, Miss Gladys Anderson.

Miss Ellen Blomquist of Middle River shopped and visited with friends here on Thursday. She returned to her home on Friday morning.

Clarence Dybvig and Miss Ruth Brown were among those who motored to Grand Forks on Friday evening to attend the grand opera, "Madame Butterfly." They returned the same evening.

Ole Olson of Orleans was in the city on Thursday attending to business matters and visiting with friends.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney, accompanied by their son, Arthur, spent the week-end at the cottage at Union Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson and baby spent Saturday at Middle River visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Modin.

Mrs. A. Severson of St. Hilaire shopped in this city between trains on Friday. She returned to her home in the afternoon.

Lester Hudson arrived here Friday morning from New Rockford, N. D., and spent the week-end as the guest at the home of Roy Miller.

Miss Stella Hanson, who passed a week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ben Rosenthal, returned to her home at Wakanda, South Dakota, on Thursday evening.

Miss Gena Legvold left Friday afternoon for Baker, where she has accepted a position as teacher in the school which was formerly taught by her sister, Miss Betsey Legvold.

After Thorough Trial a Detroit, Mich., Man Endorses Pe-ru-na

The following letter written from Detroit, Michigan is no snap judgment expressed on the merits of Pe-ru-na, the well-known catarrh remedy, but rather a mature, sober opinion formed after a full year's trial.

This is the way Mr. Michael Fako of 906 East Palmer Avenue, in the Michigan Metropolis, writes: "After using PE-RU-NA for about one year will say I have found it a very good medicine for catarrh. It has helped me a great deal and I am very well satisfied. I have gained in weight, eat and sleep well, my bowels are regular and better color in my face.

"PE-RU-NA has done wonders and to me is worth its weight in gold. I shall continue to use PE-RU-NA as long as I live and recommend to my friends who are troubled with catarrh."

Nothing can be more convincing than an endorsement of this nature from an actual user. There are many people in every community whose experience, in using Pe-ru-na, has been identical with Mr. Fako's. It is the standby for coughs, colds, catarrh, stomach and bowel disorders and all catarrhal conditions.

Put up in both tablet and liquid form. SOLD EVERYWHERE.

Want Ads Are Business Getters. Let a Trial Convince You.

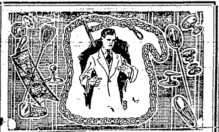

Jewelry for Men

Every man appreciates good Jewelry when he sees it. That is exactly what we are offering for your selection now. Watches and Chains of national renown, Collar and Cuff Buttons of exquisite design and make, Tie Clasps and Rings with or without Settings—all attractively priced. Come in, see them.

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Then use Calumet. It's the biggest thing you can do to improve the quality of your bakings—and lower baking costs.

Calumet is made in the largest, most sanitary Baking Powder Factories in the World. No Baking Powder is made under better conditions—none can be better in quality.

It contains only such ingredients as have been officially endorsed by the U. S. Pure Food Authorities. An absolute guarantee that it is pure.

RAISES THE QUALITY — LOWERS THE COST OF ALL BAKINGS
CALUMET BAKING POWDER
BEST BY TEST

It received highest Awards, World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago — Paris Exposition, Paris, France—positive proof of its superior merit.

It is used by more housewives, domestic scientists and chefs than any other brand. That would not be the case, if it were possible to secure a higher quality leavener.

It is sold at a moderate price. All you have to do is to compare costs to determine how much you can save by buying Calumet.

Pound can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. instead of 16 oz. cans. Be sure you get a pound when you want it.

Calumet Cream Cake Recipe —3 cups pastry flour, 3 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, ½ cup butter, 1½ cups granulated sugar, Yolks of 3 eggs, ¾ cup cold water, Whites of 3 eggs, 1 teaspoon orange extract. Then mix in the regular way.

Special Values Offered by the Loken Store

That are worthy of your attention because *they are values you cannot get elsewhere*

Pearl White Laundry Soap; the good, pure white washing Soap. Special, per bar ... 5c

Palm Olive Toilet Soap, 12 bars for ... $1.00

Cutura, the good Toilet Soap, 16 bars for ... $1.00

Resinol, Woodbury's Cuticura, Medicated Toilet Soap, bar ... 25c

Pepsodent and Pebeco Tooth Paste, large tubes, each ... 39c

Hind's Almond Cream, large bottle, each ... 50c

Colgates Talcum, large can, all odors, choice, per can ... 19c

Mary Garden new size Talcum ... 35c

5 yd. Bolts Lingerie Ribbons, all colors at per bolt ... 15c

Calico, American made; highest quality, at per yard ... 18c

36 in. heavy Percales; over 200 patterns to choose from, yd ... 35c

Plaid Dress Ginghams, 27 in. wide per yard ... 25c

Fancy Outing Flannel, both light and dark, at per yard ... 35c

For Saturday Only, September 25th

POSITIVELY THIS ONE DAY ONLY, AND LIMITS AS SPECIFIED.

Choice of all our 50c new Ginghams. This one day only at yard ... 40c Limit 10 yards.

81 in. full 9-4 Sheeting Our best quality. Saturday only, at yd ... 85c Limit of 5 yards.

Our highest grade 36 in. Bleached Muslin; 50c value. This one day only ... 40c Limit 10 yards.

Our high lustre, high grade Lustre Sateen Petticoats, black only, $1.95 values, Saturday ... $1.50

The New Fall Coats That Are Selling

Three Big Values that are the best Values you will see this Season anywhere.

Our advice, Buy that new Coat now while selections and sizes of the finest new Styles are here for you.

$25.00 A range of new, heavy winter Coats that are exceptional as to style, quality, workmanship and price.

$39.95 You'll be surprised as a great many women already have been to know that such fine garments are to be produced at this price.

$49.95 for fine full silk lined, full lengths, both plush and cloth Coats, garments that are selling elsewhere for from $15.00 to $25.00 more than our price.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Sample Sweaters now selling at 33 1-3 per cent less than value.

All Wool Plaid Skirts, both plain styles and the latest Pleated styles, each $9.95

New Georgette Waists; a big variety of fine Georgette Waists just arrived. All the very latest styles and shades ... $12.50, $15.00, $18.50 up to $25.00

Just purchased a complete sample line of fine Cotton and Woolen Blankets, bought at 33 1-3 per cent less than wholesale, only one of a kind. If you want a bargain in a good new blanket hurry to our Basement Store and save from two to five dollars on every Blanket.

36 and 38 in. wool finished Plaid Suiting, just the best kind of school dress goods for Fall and Winter wear, per yard ... $1.00

Special purchase of Silks now on sale consisting of 40 in. Crepe de Chenes, 40 in. Georgettes, 36 in. Messalines, 36 in. Taffetas, 36 in. fancy Silks, at per yard ... $1.98

New Beads, a very pretty new collection just arrived at special prices of 65c, 85c, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.50 per string.

New Velvet Bags just arrived from New York, easily five dollar values. On sale at Special, each ... $3.50

THE NEW QUEEN QUALITY Ladies' fine high top Shoes are now here and on Sale.

Several new College Princess Dresses in all wool serge and Tricotine; also in Satins just arrived. The styles and values will please you.

Loken Brothers
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Confidence

Have you ever stopped to think what a wonderfully large part confidence plays in our daily intercourse with one another? It is the thing for which the business man strives above everything else. It matters not how large his stock, how low his prices or how satisfactory the service at his store, if the public has not confidence in his word and in the goods he sells all his attempts to establish himself in their favor are doomed to failure.

Confidence is what we have tried for unremittingly every minute we have been in business in Thief River Falls. We want people to understand that when we make a statement it can be relied on absolutely. We want them to know that when we say they must be satisfied with our goods and prices or we will return their money without question we mean just what we say.

It has taken years of effort and a large sum of money to secure this confidence. Could we now do anything to lessen this feeling of good will? Could we afford, even though the transaction would mean a temporary profit to us, to do something that would in the slightest degree detract from the reputation we have so laboriously built up? It stands to reason that we could not.

The public is in a certain sense our business partner. Whenever in our trips to the large marketing centers we find an article that looks like a good bargain the thought that enters our mind is: Here is something that our people will want when they see the price at which it can be secured. The profit its sale will bring is a secondary consideration with us, as it must be with any merchant who values his standing.

Does any such consideration enter into your transactions with a mail order house? Their moto is: Get the money. They have nothing in common with you. Your disappointment is nothing to them. You never meet these men personally in the ordinary walks of life. You may howl your head off and they would not be in the least affected. With your home merchant it is different. The manner in which you receive the goods bought from his store is of vital importance to him. He cannot afford to have you dissatisfied. He must keep his prices down in competition with every other merchant or the fact that he is not so doing will soon be known all over his trading territory.

Does it not seem reasonable to you that he will do everything in his power to keep your good will and consequently your business?

When we say that in the ordinary year's business we will undersell the mail order houses it means that we must do it or forfeit a part of the confidence the public has in our statements. We dare not take the chance. The confidence of the public is what has made this store the principal trading point for goods in its line in this section of the country. The confidence of the public is our most valuable asset—more important than banking credit and more indispensible than anything else connected with our business.

Does anyone think we would jeopardize this confidence by making promises we will not or cannot carry out? It would be business suicide to do so.

You are justified in believing implicitly every statement we make. When we say that you are losing money by sending to mail order houses for your supplies we can prove it if you will allow us to do so. We cannot do more than this.

H. O. LOKEN.

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GOODRIDGE FAIR AGAIN SURPRISES VISITING CROWD

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tion but that he made a large number of converts in a section that has heretofore viewed this piece of proposed legislation with considerable hostility. On Tuesday Mr. O'Neill delivered an address on the same subject, touching upon certain matters in connection with the proposed bill that Senator Schmeckel had overlooked.

Best Region on Earth.

J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture of the state of Minnesota was the principal speaker on Tuesday. A recent trip through the cut-over regions to the east had convinced him, he said, that the Pennington county farmer was most fortunately situated. Neither rocks nor stumps barred his progress and the land was ready to produce abundantly almost at a touch of his hand. Drainage, he admitted, was something of a problem but the farmer in Eastern Pennington, western Beltrami or western Marshall counties who believes that he has all of the troubles there are would quickly be convinced that such is not the case if he were to follow the speaker around for a short time. Others have many disappointments to contend with and when these are all compared it was the belief of Mr. Hay that the people here will be found particularly well favored.

Stick to livestock, said Mr. Hay. Seek the aid of your county agent and the advice of those who have made a success of their farming. You have the best country on earth to begin with and it will repay intelligent treatment a thousand fold.

Mr. Hay devoted considerable time to explaining the work of the department with which he is connected. He told of the success of the cooperative potato marketing movement and stated that a similar agency will soon be in effect for the marketing of the farmers' grain. He did not believe in the state owning elevators and having control of distribution, but was very emphatically in favor of the farmer being given something to say as to the handling of the products he has raised after these leave his hands. This can be brought about by marketing associations organized under laws now in preparation and which will be introduced at the next session of the legislature, he said.

Dairyman a Speaker.

L. Jensen of Clearbrook, one of the best known dairymen in that section and a candidate for the legislature in this district, spoke briefly on the subject in which he is most interested. Dairying, he said, would prove the salvation of any region in this section of the country. It is the one certain winner where followed with intelligence and with a view to constant improvement. Mr. Jensen made a very favorable impression.

The Livestock Division.

The entries of livestock were few but of high quality. James Crosby of Goodridge showed a purebred Shorthorn bull and cow that brought forth admiring comment from all visitors. Fred Cuno of Grygla exhibited a Holstein bull for which he recently paid $1000 and which took fourth prize at the state fair. He also had two cows for which he paid $1200 each among the entries.

The Guernsey display of Stuart McLeod, consistinig of two cows, two two-year-olds, a yearling and a calf, was one of the best in the building. F. B. Robinson was also an important exhibitor in this class, showing a purebred bull and heifer. John Kusmack exhibited a fine grade bull and cow.

The boys' and girls' club exhibits were particularly good, Gorman Thompson took first prize with the calf which received third place at the county fair. Henry Lien, Ethel and Dan Vaughan, Anna Aakre, Henry Fairhagen and Henry McDonald were also exhibitors in the boys' and girls' division, showing calves, sheep and pigs.

Morgan Vaughan of Kratka township, was awarded first prize on sheep for his purebred ram and ewes.

Grain and Vegetable Division.

The corn exhibit was without question the finest ever seen in this section. Every variety grown with any degree of success in Minnesota was represented and the quality of the ears and size of stalks furnished another proof that corn can be successfully produced in Pennington county.

Of the fodder crops alfalfa and clover were in the lead, although there were bundles of timothy over three feet in length.

Grains were also good, the oats showing perhaps to best advantage. Different varieties of wheat were shown, as well as barley and rye of different varieties.

Much interest was indicated in the potato exhibit, which was without question the best ever seen in the county. There were a number of varieties, the Burbanks and Early Ohio being the leaders.

Fine School Exhibit.

The school exhibit would have been creditable for a town four times the size of Goodridge. The map work and drawing were exceptionally fine as were also the penmanship samples. The thrift exhibits consisted of garments made over from worn articles of clothing and proved a most interesting part of the display as did the work done by girls from 15 to 19 years of age attending the rural schools in the neighborhood.

The judging in this department was done by seven Thief River Falls ladies, as follows: Schools, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and Mrs. Daniel Shaw; fancy work, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mrs. H. O. Loken and Mrs. G. L. Biddick; cooking and canning, Mrs. E. M. Schutt and Mrs. G. A. Penney. County Superintendent Geo. M. Gunderson was the judge in the school department, and Prof. Smith of the Northwest agricultural college, judged the vegetables.

The officers of the fair association, to whose efforts the success of the venture is largely due are: Stuart McLeod, president; Morgan Vaughan, vice president; B. O. Norby, secretary; Nick Bundhund, treasurer.

City News

Miss Frances Culver left Saturday for Hazel where she will teach a term of school.

Miss Eleanor Culver left Saturday evening for Mahnomen where she will teach school this winter.

Lyman Winter arrived in this city on Saturday and spent the week-end visiting at the H. S. Sandum home.

Charles Lieberman left Saturday for the cities where he will spend a few days attending to business matters.

Mrs. A. Fellman left Saturday evening for Plummer where she will spend the week visiting with friends and relatives.

James Dibble of Bronson spent Sunday in this city visiting with friends. He returned to his home on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hermanson left Saturday avening for Mahnomen where they will visit at the home of the latter's parents.

O. R. Sande, who spent the week-end visiting at the home of his brother, Henry Sande, returned to his home in Dugdale Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Janson arrived from her home in Viking on Saturday and spent the week-end visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Herron.

Miss Jessie Langei, who spent the past week in this city receiving medical treatment and visiting with friends, returned to her home in Plummer on Saturday evening.

James Crosby returned Saturday evening from Crosby, where he spent a few days attending to business matters.

Rufus Barackman left Sunday for Minneapolis where he will take up his studies at the Macalaster college. This is Mr. Barackman's third year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown returned to this city Sunday evening from Bronson where they spent the week-end visiting at the Jack Engelbret home.

Miss Marguerite Burns, one of the students of the 1920 class, left on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she expects to enter the university.

Opportunity is a gold mine; it gives one a chance to dig. Your opportunity is to attend the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for catalog.

Miss Myrtle Krohn arrived in this city Monday morning from her home in Viking, where she has been visiting at the home of her parents for the past two weeks.

Oscar Carlson leaves today for Ortonville on business relative to closing a big land deal. He expects to be gone a week.

C. W. Henry of Clarion, Iowa, visited with friends in this city on Monday. While here he also attended to various business matters.

Mrs. J. C. Berg arrived from Duluth on Monday where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Glanvill, for two weeks.

Miss Lilly Hoard left on Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to attend the university. Miss Hoard graduated from the local high school with the 1917 class.

Leland Schuster, one of the students of the 1920 class, left on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks. Mr. Schuster expects to enter the university there.

Miss Gallagher who is teaching a term of school at Cass Lake, spent the week-end in this city as the guest of Miss Iverson, one of the local high school teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Anderson left on Friday for Middle River where they spent the week-end visiting at the E. P. Modin home. They returned to this city on Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Funnel, who has spent the past two weeks as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers, returned to her home at Glenwood on Saturday.

Erick Erickson of Tacoma, Wash., a fellow-townsman of Rev. T. E. Sweger, when both were residents of Cooperstown, N. D., was here this week on a visit. In company with Rev. Sweger, Mr. Erickson drove out to Thorhult on Tuesday for the purpose of looking after a piece of land he owns in that neighborhood.

T. P. Anderson made a short business trip to Holt on Saturday morning via auto.

Miss Lilly Boehn of St. Hilaire shopped and visited with friends between trains on Wednesday.

Joe Goulet of Baudette is spending a few days in the city as the guest of his cousin, Jim Paranteau.

Oliver Mattson of the headquarters office of the Minneapolis Bridge company, was in the city on business Tuesday.

Albert Lieberman returned Monday from a short trip to Grand Rapids, where he spent a day visiting with the family of his brother, Ben.

John Vorachek returned the first of the week from North Dakota where he had been looking after the threshing on his farm and other interests.

Miss Hilda Rathjen, who was a visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. H. Ross for a week, returned to her home in Luverne Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud of Grand Forks, passed through this city on Saturday and made a short visit with friends before leaving on an extended hunting trip.

Isak Helseth of the Minneapolis Bridge company and L. R. Johnston, representing the Lyle Culvert company, were at Warren on Tuesday in conference with the commissioners of Marshall county.

Miss Stella Nepsted, who has spent the greater part of the summer visiting with her parents at Poplar, Mont., returned to this city on Monday morning to take up her studies at the local high school. Miss Nepsted is to be a Junior this year.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will hold a food sale Saturday afternoon, Sept. 25th at the Bottem hardware store. s23

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Berg of Stephen were guests the first of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter. They were enroute from Minneapolis to their home and made the entire trip in their automobile.

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Contains less foreign matter than any other soft coal. Very little ash, burns clean and with practically no soot residue. A favorite with housewives wherever tried, being particularly adapted to use in ranges.

We are exclusive agents in this section.
Order a load today.
All coal cash on delivery.

NORTZ Lumber Co.

Butter and Eggs via Motor Express

IN addition to over a million farmer-owned automobiles, 18,000 farmer-owned trucks, and approximately 100,000 farm tractors, there are 519 motorized Express Companies doing business in the states served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) and this number is growing day by day.

Automotive Industries for 1920 declares "Trucks are operating on railroad schedules, and have proved more dependable, on a time basis, than the steam roads have ever been. Their use to replace the freight car for certain classes of freight has proved a marked success."

The Smithsonian Institute, United States National Museum Bulletin 102, says, "In respect to prompt delivery of farm produce, whether to railways or directly to towns, the motor truck has an exceptionally useful opportunity."

It is these motor trucks, tractors and farmer-owned automobiles that are largely increasing gasoline consumption, particularly in the Middle West.

During the first four months of 1920, the production of gasoline increased 13½%, while during the same period, domestic consumption of gasoline increased 38⅓%. This excess of consumption over production has been a potent factor in the advance of gasoline prices, but the dominant underlying reason has been the increase in the cost of crude oil.

The service rendered by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) lies in manufacturing and distributing to the tractor, the truck, and the automobile a dependable supply of gasoline and lubricating oils; and selling them at a fair price. The latest refinery methods are producing a continually increasing percentage of gasoline from each barrel of crude oil. While large-scale production and distribution assure maximum economy in this industry, the savings effected by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) are utilized to hold down gasoline prices despite the rising tide of demand for petroleum products.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2253

PEARS!

Carlod of Canning, Cooking and Eating Pears have arrived

These are known as the Garber Pears, grown in Illinois, and classed as one of the very best on the market today. The weight of these bushel baskets are over fifty pounds—cost you less than six cents per pound. Each basket contains over 225 pears—the same pears that is being sold at fruit stores at five cents each.

Pears will be disposed of in a few days, and we would advise you to hurry if you are planning on

$3.00 per Bushel Basket

Twenty-five cents additional is charged for baskets, which is refunded upon returning same.

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Office in Scandia Block - - - Phone 213

Removal Notice!

The Rambeck & Stone Co. will be found in the building formerly occupied by the Prichard Co. on Horace avenue, on or about

Saturday, Sept. 25

The new location will give us an opportunity to make a much larger display as well as carry a more complete line.

Our old customers, as well as new, are cordially invited to visit us in our new place of business

Rambeck & Stone Co.

CHISHOLM THIEF RIVER FALLS HIBBING

LADIES—
You can now buy
HART SCHAFFNER
& MARX
Man Tailored Coats
at this Store.

The Sapero Co. Inc.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN
"Style Without Extravagance"

Why buy inferior goods when you can get merchandise of National fame such as—
"Munsingwear"
"Onyx" Hosiery
"Ireland" Gloves
"Jack Tar" Middies
"Gossard" Corsets

The Most Wonderful Collection of Women's and Girls' Beautiful Apparel ever assembled in Northwestern Minnesota is to be found at Sapero's now

There is a vast difference between the styles shown by this **Fashion Store** and those shown by the ordinary store—yet no store in Thief River Falls gives so much quality for so little price as does Sapero's.

This is not a mere statement in an advertisement, but a fact demonstrated in the things we sell.

Fashionable Autumn Suits

The Fall season's choicest offerings of the accepted mode in the tailor-made, coupled with the extreme of price moderation.
The smartest fur-trimmed and plain-tailored models of Veldyn Silk Duvetyn, Yalama Cloth, Duvet de Laine and Tricotine
$35.00 to $150.00

An Exceptional Display of Tailored Tricotine Dresses

One-piece models well adapted for street, afternoon and informal wear, in long-line, tunic, pleated and basque effects. Persian and plain embroidered, beaded and ribbon trimmed. Moderately Priced
$15.95 to $59.50

Stunning Winter Coats

The varied styles this fall makes choosing very easy. You can either choose a full-length coat made of plush and cloth in plain or fur-trimmed or a Jaunty Chappy coat in plush with generous collars of self materials or fur.
$19.75 to $250.00

This is headquarters for the perfect fitting CHAPPY COAT. Trimmed with Wombat or Australian Opposum.
$49.50 to $75.00

Beautiful Plaid Skirts

in an array of exclusive patterns
$13.75 to $35.00

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

City News

Miss Mary Jevne returned to her home at Strathcona on Wednesday after spending the week in the city receiving medical treatment.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left on Wednesday afternoon for East Grand Forks to attend a meeting of the Adams Presbytery. He will return on Friday.

F. H. Sterns, who has been making his home with his son, George Sterns, during the summer months, left Sunday night for his home at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Pauline Torkelson of Hazel passed through this city on her way to Minneapolis where she is employed. Miss Torkelson has enjoyed a two weeks' vacation at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Scanlan left on Wednesday night for Quincey, Ill., where they were called by the death of the latters father. They expect to be gone a couple of weeks.

Hugh McEwen, right hand man of Mayor Victor Power of Hibbing, stopped in the city for a short time on Monday evening on his way to Warren on a business mission.

Miss Luella Pederson, one of the students of the 1920 class of the local high school, left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis where she will take a course in comtometer operating.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Larson are visiting at their former home, Barrett, in this state, and at Elbow Lake where Mr. Larson's people reside. They are expected back on Saturday.

F. H. Herrick and Nels Christianson of the Thief River Grocery company, autoed to Crookston on Tuesday returning the same evening, after spending the day looking after business matters.

Mrs. Arnold Dale returned to her home on Tuesday evening from Bemidji where she had spent the past week visiting with her husband who is employed there. Mrs. Dale and son, Robert, expect to move to that city in the near future.

W. S. Sylvester left the first of the week for Sioux Falls, S. D., which city will hereafter be his headquarters. Mr. Sylvester will have charge of the Lyle Culvert company's business in South Dakota.

Mrs. Alfred Stene left on Wednesday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will spend the rest of the week visiting with friends and relatives. She expects to return to this city the first part of next week.

The Marshall county board of commissioners, accompanied by Irving Quist, county engineer, spent Tuesday night in the city and yesterday morning started on a trip of inspection into the region about Grygla.

H. A. Hanson, accompanied by the Misses Minnie Swanson and Tomina Hanson, shopped and visited with friends in the city the latter part of the week. They returned to their homes in St. Hilaire on Saturday.

Miss Nettie Ove left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis where she will visit with friends and relatives for a few days. It is her intention to visit with friends at Duluth and Baldwin, Wis., before returning to this city.

Alf Krohn returned to this city on Tuesday afternoon from Grafton, N. D., where he has been working in the harvest fields. It was his intention to go to Grand Forks and work a few weeks but owing to trouble with his tonsils he was forced to return home.

Leonard Houske, of Halstad, secretary of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association, was a visitor in the city this week. He attended the fair at Goodridge in the interests of the association and was much pleased with the high quality of the cattle he found there.

Society

Attend Grand Opera.

A large representation of local people attended the grand opera at Grand Forks on Friday evening, going over by car and returning the same evening. Among them were: Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Miss Hilda Rathjen, of Luverne, Miss Theresa Giefer, George Werstlein, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mrs. W. H. BonDurant, Mrs. Victoria McKinney, Dr. Paulson, Miss Minn Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. Frazer, of Montreal who is a guest of Mrs. Christianson, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sheldon, Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson, Miss Doris Halvorson, Lynn and Craig Halvorson, Mrs. Nat Harris, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken, Miss Katie Jonas, Miss Iffie Christianson, Ed. Brevig, Guy Hinton, Miss Laura Forde, Miss Ausilga Sorenson, Mrs. H. A. Brumund and Mrs. G. G. Johnson.

Mrs. Fossum Entertains.

Mrs. T. A. Fossum entertained a few ladies at her home on LaBree avenue Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Inga Berg, who leaves Sunday night for Minneapolis where she will make her future home. The afternoon was spent in needlework and conversation and at five o'clock a delicious lunch was served. Those having the pleasure of the afternoon were Mrs. Nyhus, Mrs. Parbst, Mrs. Dahl and Mrs. Kiland.

New Teachers Entertained.

On Friday afternoon from 5 until 8 o'clock the teachers who taught in the local schools last year entertained the new teachers at a picnic supper at Squaw Point. Covers were laid for about sixty people. Everyone concerned report a very good time.

Get-Together Supper.

The people of the Presbyterian church will hold their first fall get-together supper in the basement of the church on Friday evening of this week. Every family, adherent and attendant is invited to be present. Teachers, office workers, clerks and students who are not in a position to bring food are asked to come as guests. Supper will be served at 6:30. Plan to be present at 6 o'clock. If you are detained until 7 o'clock, come anyway. Come with the spirit and feeling of fellowship.

Ludvig-Kiel.

Miss Grace Kiel of Minneapolis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kiel of Hazel, and Warren D. Ludvig of Reading, Pa., were united in marriage by Rev. H. W. Prange, on Sept. 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kiel, Minneapolis.

The bride was dressed in white satin draped with white crepe de chene and carried a bouquet of beautiful bridal roses and sweet peas. The bride's attendant, Miss Minnie Loven of Grygla, was dressed in pink crepe de chene and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Ervin Moe of Minneapolis acted as best man.

Dinner was served at 7:30 and the table was set for 20 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Ludvig will be at home in Minneapolis after October 1.

Erickson-Ryan.

Miss Bertha Erickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson, 313 Kendall avenue north, and John Ryan of Orleans, were married at Hallock on Monday. They were attended by Mrs. Robert Alexander of Orleans, sister of the groom, and Nels Erickson of this city, brother of the bride. After the ceremony the party autoed to Orleans where a wedding dinner was served at the home of Mrs. Alexander. The couple left the same evening for Winnipeg on a honeymoon and will visit at Thief River Falls later. They will make their home at Orleans.

Lappegaard-Hagen.

Olaf Lappegaard of Rosewood and Miss Mabel Hagen of Thief River Falls were married Thursday by Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant. They will leave this week for International Falls where they will make their future home.

Finger in Sling.

P. J. Bottem, the hardware dealer, tried to start a balky gasoline engine one day last week. The engine kicked back and Mr. Bottem came out of the argument with a broken little finger, which makes it just a trifle clumsy for him to attend to his duties at the store.

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UNDERSTAND IT BETTER.

Two excellent addresses on the Babcock good roads amendment have been delivered in Pennington county during the past week—one by Senator Gustave Schmeckel and the other by D. P. O'Neill. The latter is holding a responsible position under the present state administration while Senator Schmeckel is a member of the Nonpartisan league. These two have ordinarily widely divergent opinions as to what is best for the people of Minnesota, but on this topic they are agreed.

Senator Schmeckel is a farmer first and foremost and discussed the questions from a farmer's standpoint. His arguments were so sound and convincing that he made numerous converts to his way of thinking among those who were inclined to look askance at the good roads proposition. He delivered an avalanche of telling blows for the cause and those who heard him went away with a fuller knowledge of what Amendment No. 1 will mean if adopted.

Mr. O'Neill was among his neighbors and friends and spoke as one of them. He particularly impressed upon their minds that this talk of cement paving for the entire state at one time is foolish and the idea impracticable. He did say, however, that every road selected as a Babcock highway would be put in such shape that when the time came for paving everything would be in readiness.

It is hard to understand how any citizen of Minnesota—and particularly any farmer—can find it possible to oppose this amendment. It will forever solve his road problem, and this is one of the most vexing with which he has had to contend. The state needs nothing so much as good roads and this amendment provides the machinery for getting them.

And that is all it does. There is nothing stipulated as to what kind of pavement is to be used; nothing to indicate that cement was even thought of. Cement may be the material employed but this will be decided by some future legislature. Circumstances will have to guide the men who finally act on this particular part of the program.

All that Amendment No. 1 does is name the roads to be included in the system and provide the means for raising the money necessary to carry on the work. Details will come later and there will be much left to be said on this subject when the proper time arrives. But if you want to help lift Minnesota out of the mud, vote for the amendment.

THE GOODRIDGE FAIR.

The Tri-County Fair association's second annual exhibit at Goodridge was all that could have been expected. The only criticism to be found with the entire show was the small number of cattle entries. This department failed to give the correct impression of the importance to which cattle raising has attained in the section represented by the fair. For this failure the stock raisers are themselves solely to blame.

It is safe to say that no better display of grains and vegetables could be found in the state, while the industrial and school departments were remarkable for their general excellence and completeness.

One gratifying feature connected with this fair was the interest displayed in its success by the people outside *of the district immediately affected.* Thief River Falls sent a large delegation on the second day and there were visitors present from practically every other section of the county at some time during the exhibition. All were enthusiastic in their praise of the show in general and of the excellent manner in which the management handled things in particular. The speaking program was perhaps better and more varied than has been the case at more pretentious fairs, the subjects being in every case such as will prove of value in the future.

Taking it all through, the event was a success. The people of Goodridge are deeply grateful to their neighbors for the assistance extended in putting the fair across and promise to reciprocate whenever an opportunity offers.

The country around Goodridge and Grygla is fast settling up with a most desirable class of farmers and the products at the fair showed what they are capable of doing. With a little encouragement in the way of flood prevention—which is now an assured fact—this region will become one of the most prosperous in the entire Northwest.

LET'S HEAR THEM ALL.

J. A. O. Preus, who may be the next governor of Minnesota, and Louis Collins, whose chances for becoming lieutenant governor seem particularly good, are to speak at the auditorium in Thief River Falls on Saturday, Oct. 2. Not only will these be the first addresses to be delivered here by actual candidates in the present campaign, but these gentlemen practically open their speaking tour here.

They should be greeted by a full house. It does not so particularly matter whether you agree with everything they say or not. In fact if what they say does not agree with what you think, all the more reason for your being present. Only by hearing both sides can any person come to an intelligent conclusion and every voter owes it to himself to gain all the information he can.

Both these gentlemen are good speakers. They are among the foremost citizens of the state and have been selected by a majority of their peers as leaders. Their attitude on questions of the hour should be of interest to every man and woman in the state and nowhere can a knowledge of their views be gained so satisfactorily as by seeing and hearing the men themselves.

Other speakers will be here, no doubt—some of them opposed to the candidacy of these two men. Go and hear them also. After you have seen the different candidates and heard what both sides have to say you will be in better position to cast your ballot intelligently.

POSTPONEMENT IS COSTLY.

Advocating anything further in the way of public improvements just at this time may be a little unpopular, but there is nevertheless considerable agitation in favor of the purchase of a park site by the city. Everyone seems to realize that it will not be long before all the available sites will be taken up for other purposes or will have become so high in price that their acquisition by the city will be out of the question. Therefore, in the opinion of many, it is high time something were done.

As a matter of fact it is already too late to secure the land for a large park so located that it will be of benefit to the general public, but small plots are still to be had. The city council has from time to time taken the matter up but nothing definite has ever come out of these deliberations. This is not the council's fault so much as that of the citizens. If the latter would take the trouble to let their wishes in the matter be known there is no question but that results could be obtained. The council does not care to purchase a lot of property and make provisions for its improvement if by so doing the members are to be criticized and blamed. It is only natural that they should look for something in the way of backing by public opinion before committing themselves in an undertaking of such importance.

It really does not so much matter what plot is selected—Squaw Point, Tindolph Point, Lovers' Lane—any one will do to begin with. The main thing for the city to do is to fasten onto one or more of these properties while they may still be had at a comparatively low figure.

It may be that Henry Ford has started something again. Yesterday morning dealers everywhere were notified that there would at once be a return to pre-war figures in the price of Ford automobiles and a heavy cut in Fordson tractors. Whether or not this will prove the beginning of a general slump all along the line remains to be seen, but the action of this great concern is at least cheering. It is to be hoped that the drop will not be so sudden as to upset conditions, but the people have become so tired of paying exhorbitant prices for everything that they are almost ready be so sudden as to cause a rout, things if it will promise eventual relief.

The selection of W. J. LaBree as state-central committeeman by the Republican candidates, will prove most acceptable to the party members. Mr. LaBree is very popular personally and there has never been a doubt concerning his regularity as a party man. He enjoys to a remarkable extent the confidence of his fellow citizens and will prove a most valuable asset to the organization in this section.

It is to be hoped that the next senate will be of the same political complexion as the president. While it is doubtless true that a house divided against itself cannot stand, it has been most definitely demonstrated in this country during the past two years that a government divided against itself is unable to move.

Potatoes Coming Crop.

(Roseau Region.)

One of the crops, if not the crop, which will spell success for the Roseau county farmers, in the potato. The Red River Valley proper, which long ago became famous for its grain crops, has also added the potato to its list, so that Red River Valley grown potatoes have a reputation and command a better market in the south and the potato has added enormously to the wealth of those farming communities. We believe that if the Roseau county farmer but awoke to the fact that this section can better the valley proper when it comes to potato raising and go into raising of this crop on a systematic and scientific basis it will bring results which make the present farm returns look like a mere pittance in comparison. And to make make the combination complete, add a flock of sheep. That combination will also just about settle the sow thistle and other foul weeds problem.

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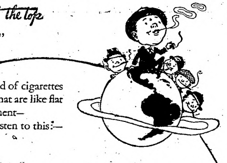

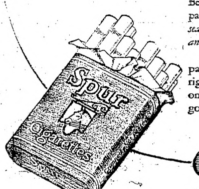

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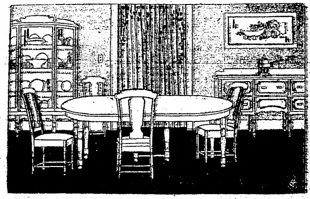

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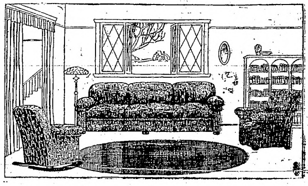

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A hunting party composed of Sheff Johnson, Roman Paulson, Herbert Johnson and Arthur Johnson came to grief Sunday evening near Hazel when their Ford skidded from the grade and went into the ditch. Aside from a few bruises and scratches none of the occupants was seriously injured, for which they may well think their lucky stars.

The car, which belongs to the City Bakery and has been used as a delivery wagon, was badly smashed up in the fracas, and had to be left where it landed until the following day. Two broken wheels, a shattered windshield, bent fenders and other damage was noted. The rain of Sunday had left the road very slippery and for this reason the driver proved unequal to the task of holding the Ford on the grade.

Accountants Needed.

The United States Civil Service Commission states that there are more than 100 vacancies in high-grade accounting positions under the Interstate Commerce Commission paying salaries ranging from $2,100 to $3,900 a year. The positions are principally in the field. When employees are absent from headquarters an allowance for subsistence is made. Until further notice the Civil Service Commission will receive applications for positions of examiner of accounts to fill these vacant positions. Applicants will be rated on their education, training and experience. Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or from its representative at the post office or customhouse in any city.

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW.

The recent slump in foreign exchange has again emphasized European purchasing limits. This fact, together with ideal corn-maturing weather and increasing evidence of over-sufficient domestic requirements in all grains precipitated a sharp decline in everything on the list.

Wheat figures, on a world basis, unquestionably show quite a material shortage and place this commodity in a technically strong position, but it might be considered that these figures are subject to change, for cheap European money and higher U. S. prices may materially change present statistics. The price is important. What Europe may estimate she will require and what she will buy depends mostly on the price.

Canada this year has a wheat crop reported as 262,338,000, against 193,260,000 a year ago. On private estimates the U. S. carry-over of old wheat is 150,000,000. The Canadian exportable surplus should run 100,000,000. Her visible wheat supply now is reported 6,404,000 against 2,855,000 last year. Argentine and Australia, however, are not seriously considered as having any surplus.

The corn crop is fast maturing under greatly improved weather conditions. A frost in all probability will overtake some of the crop, but the quantity will not be reduced and it is quantity that makes the price. Soft corn is the kind that is marketed the earliest, and No. 4 corn is deliverable on December contracts.

Country houses are free sellers of old corn, and new corn is offered at prices ranging from 90c to $1.00 basis shipping stations. At these prices the producer evidently considers that corn is, or will be, an unprofitable feed.

In view of wheat deficiency, Europe can be expected to substitute rye. The discounted price is further inducement. Most of Europe has only an average rye crop and to date foreign inquiries and purchases are said to be persistent and heavy. The U. S. rye crop this year is estimated close to 78,000,000 bushels, or about 10,000,000 under the final 1919 production and approximately 27,000,000 above the average 1913 to 1917.

Bumper crops of both corn and oats *is rather unusual.* A superabundance of feed makes it difficult to conceive high prices. Corn and oats, of course, have intrinsic feeding value that may uphold prices on a fair maintenance of hog and cattle prices to the past five year average. Sharp upturns, however, can be expected on slow receipts occasioned by producers holding tendency and decreased shipping facilities.

GERMANTOWN

Miss Hattie Klockman returned to her home from Thief River Falls on Friday where she has visited with relatives and friends for a few days.

Lois and Howard Strubel who are attending high school at Thief River Falls, visited at their parental home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller and daughters, Bessie and Gladys, were Thief River Falls callers one day last week.

Esther Bendickson called at the Hans Dahl home on Friday.

Miss Della Roller left for Goodridge last week to be employed.

Berthena Haggy was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Norlund on Friday.

Mrs. John Philipp and son Lawrence, are busy hauling grain to Mavie these days.

Marie Wayne was on the sick list the past week but is reported better.

Mrs. Emil Hanson called on Mrs. Hans Dahl Wednesday of last week.

Esther Bendickson spent a few days of the past week at the O. Tharaldson home.

Mrs. Henry Roller spent last Saturday with Mrs. Martinus Johnson.

Mrs. Hans Dahl called at the L. Bendickson home Friday.

Jennie Sparby of Grygla was a Sunday guest at the E. Hanson home.

Emma Ristau, who is attending high school at Thief River Falls spent the week-end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Roller and children were Goodridge callers Thursday evening.

Henrik Johnson Lindberg.

At three o'clock Saturday afternoon Sept. 11, Henrik Lindberg passed away at his home on 417 LaBree avenue north. Mr. Lindberg was born at Sodra Finnskoga, Vermland, Sweden, in May 1856, being 64 years of age at the time of his death. In 1879 he immigrated to America and after staying at Renville, Minn., for some time, he came to Marshall county and settled on a farm five miles southwest of Alvarado, where he resided until about a month before his death, when the family moved to Thief River Falls.

In November, 1886, deceased was united in marriage to Miss Ellen Lundell. To this union eleven children were born of whom seven passed away in infancy and four survive.

Mr. Lindberg was a true Christian and was highly regarded by all who knew him. He was a member of the Swedish Mission church at Higdem township near Alvarado. He also served for about twenty years, as assessor in the town of Higdem. He is survived by his wife, two sons, David and Hjalmar and two daughters, Miss Elin J. Lindberg, a missionary, stationed at Maracaibo, Venezuela and Miss Hilma, who is staying at home. There are also two brothers and two sisters beside a large number of other relatives and a host of friends.

The remains were shipped to Alvarado where the funeral services were held from the home at two o'clock, Thursday afternoon. Interment was made in the Swedish cemetery at Higdem.

Churches

First Swed. Ev. Luth. Church—No services next Sunday morning. English services in the evening at 7:45. The Willing Workers society will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Carlson Friday evening.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Preaching, 8 p. m., by Rev. Iver Sinatte. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid today, Sept. 23. Mrs. M. M. Johnson and Mrs. Thoreson entertain. The young girls' sewing circle meets at Anna and Myrtle Mellem's Tuesday evening, Sept. 28. Confirmants Friday at 4 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Sept. 26: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Service at Black River at 11 a. m. East of St. Hilaire at 3 p. m. and at St. Hilaire at 8 p. m. All welcome.

Change in Place of Service—German Lutheran church services at Goodridge on Sunday, Sept. 26, will be held in the school house and not in the Norwegian Lutheran church as previously *announced.*

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Reality." Sunday School immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services in the English language Sunday at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Berea Bible class meets Thursday at 8 p. m. Mrs. J. Jonas will entertain the Ladies Aid Wednesday afternoon in the basement of the church.

Trinity Lutheran Church—There will be no morning service as the pastor is to officiate at the installation of Rev. S. T. Anderson at Grygla. Divine services in English at 8 p. m. Ladies Aid meets Thursday, Sept. 30. The following ladies entertain: Mrs. Nels Larsen, Mrs. H. Hermanson, Mrs. A. Engen and Mrs. E. Dahl. The Young Peoples society meets Thursday evening, Sept. 30. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class every Sunday at 9:30.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sept. 26. Sunday school 10 a. m. We have a Bible Class for adults. New members of the class are desired. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning theme, "Flash Lights on His Path." Evening theme, "Murder! Murder!" Juniors at 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. The young people of the church will meet to reorganize their work. The choir will provide special music. The people of the church are invited to eat supper together at the church on Friday evening Sept. 24, at 6:30. Everyone in the congregation is invited.

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FOR SALE—Piano in good condition. Phone 4381.

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Having again taken out Auctioneer's License after being out of the business for some years, I am prepared to take care of any business in my line. Fourteen years experience as an auction crier.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Breaks up a cold in 24 hours — Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

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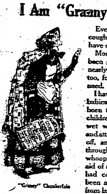

I Am "Granny" Chamberlain

"Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

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At the farm, one mile north of Mavie

Wednesday, Sept. 29th

BEGINNING AT 12:30 O'CLOCK

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Moulinet No. 105477 (108093). One of the best and biggest imported Percheron stallions, eight years old. A sure breeder and works in any harness.
One imported Belgian stallion 12 yrs. old.
One bay mare 7 years old
One bay horse 6 years old. An exceptionally good all-around team.
One bay horse, 3 years old
Three good work horses

Three good grade Durham cows (one fresh soon), 4 years old
One five year old cow
Two three year old heifers
Five good two year old heifers
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Two brood sows.
18 pigs
One DeLaval cream separator
One Deering binder
One McCormick mower (new)
One McCormick mower (new last fall)
Two hay rakes
One gang plow
Two disc pulverizers with trucks
Two breaking plows
One good 3 in. tire high wheel wagon complete
One good 3¼ in. wagon
One light wagon
One spring wagon
One single buggy
One road cart
Three sets of good bob sleighs
One single harness
Two sets 1¼ in. harness
One set heavy breeching harness
One set old harness
Two road scrapers
One Fresno scraper
One 5-passenger Chevrolet
80 White Wyandotte chickens
One cook stove
One kerosene stove
A few good potatoes
10 tons timothy hay
All the good wild hay you want including 25 tons on Sec. 19-155-42
Forks, shovels and other tools.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00, cash; over $10.00 bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921.

D. G. Brownlee & Son
OWNERS

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer FARMERS STATE BANK of Mavie, Clerk

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction the following property at the Carl Zwer farm, south half of Sec. 4, Township of Sanders, 5 miles west and 1 mile south of Thief River Falls, on

Monday, Sept. 27

COMMENCING AT 11:00 O'CLOCK

HORSES:
One bay mare 9 years old, wt. 1400
One bay mare 8 years old, wt. 1300
One roan mare 9 years old, wt. 1250
One roan horse 7 years old, wt. 1250
One grey mare 6 years old, wt. 1300
One bay horse 6 years old, wt. 1100
One bay colt 2 years old
One black colt 2 years old
One bay colt 1 year old
Two bay colts 8 months old
One bay colt 1 year old

STOCK
One red cow 6 years old
One red cow 5 years old
One spotted cow 7 years old
One heifer calf 1 year old
25 Shropshire ewes

MACHINERY
One Ford car
One Fordson tractor
One Oliver tractor plow
One Minnesota binder, 8-ft. cut
One Minnesota mower, 5-ft.
One Deering mower, 5-ft.
One Deering hay rake
One Hoosier drill, 18 disc
One Ideal drill, 18 disc
Three sets work harness
One Boss harrow
One tractor harrow
One Rock Island wagon
One Mandt wagon
One Mandt wagon and box
One light express wagon
One Clover Leaf manure spreader
Two hay racks
One buggy
One Emerson hay stacker, new
One cross chain sleigh
One Glide road grader, 4-horse
One DeLaval cream separator No. 15
One Butterfly cream separator

HAY AND GRAIN
2000 bushels oats
50 tons upland hay
30 ton timothy hay.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

J. C. Olson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE!

Being unable to carry on farming, we will therefore sell at public auction on

Friday, October 1, 1920

sale commencing at 10:30 o'clock a. m. sharp, all of our personal property, to-wit:

6 Good Horses 6
One bay mare 8 years old, wt. 1300
One bay mare 7 years old, wt. 1300
One bay mare 6 years old, wt. 1200
One bay mare 5 years old, wt. 1200
One bay mare 3 years old, wt. 1300
One bay horse 4 years old, wt. 1300

Live Stock
One red cow 8 years old
One red and white cow, 4 years old
One red and white cow, 3 years old
One red and white heifer 1 year old
One red and white heifer 2 years old
Two heifers 1 year old
Five heifer calves 7 months old
2 bull calves 7 months old
26 Shropshire sheep
35 Chickens
23 Turkeys

Farm Implements
One McCormick binder, new in 1918
One Deering mower, new in 1918
One mower, good condition and flax attachment
Two hay rakes
One 16 single disc drill
One 14 John Deere disc
One 4-horse drag, new
One iron drag
One John Deere sulky plow
One Moline gang plow
One 14 in brush breaker
One cultivator
One fanning mill
One hay rack
One DeLaval cream separator
One top buggy
Two bob sleighs
Two lumber wagons

1 Ford touring car
One 12-25 Heider tractor
One Emerson triple engine, plows new, not used.
One grindstone
Two sets of double work harness
One set light harness
All household goods and furniture.

600 bu. of Oats

Lots of other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS:—All sums $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount good bankable paper due October 1, 1921.

Mrs. Mathea Oveson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

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A continuation of the high school paper, published in connection with the "Times" last year, will be made this year. As before, the journalism class will have charge of the edition of this page, and it is our intention to make it snappy and peppy and just brim full of the right kind of high school spirit. We hope to solidify the school to such an extent through the columns of our sheet, so as to gain, and preserve, that feeling of unity and co-operation between the different classes of the high school that has heretofore been so difficult to maintain.

In short, we shall work for the best of the school, stand behind every good movement, and endeavor to make Lincoln High School of Thief River Falls the best one of its size in the state.

It's Uu to You.

The duty of every Freshman, Sophomore, Junior and Senior to the high school Progress is that of contributing articles toward the enlarging and bettering of our school paper. Each and every one must feel that he is a part of the paper and each take a share of the responsibility. Co-operation is the key to success—leaving it to "John" will never do. Pride yourself in seeing your article in print. Let "stictuitivness" be your aim—if your first article is not published, try, try again. Every article will not be published but the best will be. The success or failure of the High School Progress lies wholly in your hands—you decide its fate—none else. Your loyalties to the school will be judged through your activities.

Constitution Day.

On Friday morning chapel was held for the purpose of pausing a few moments in remembrance of the signing of the Constitution of the United States.

Just one hundred and thirty-three years ago today the constitution was finally completed and signed by all of the great men who were members of the constitutional convention which met for the purpose of drawing up a constitution which would form the thirteen colonies into a united country. This meeting opened in June, 1787, and came to a close on September 17, 1787.

The meeting this morning opened with the song "America," sung by the student body. This was followed by *an address by Supt. Ziegler on the* formation of our constitution and our relation to its upholding.

"We must realize," said Mr. Ziegler, " that we are in school for a definite purpose; to become factors in the nation's success and progress."

The passage of the 19th amendment was briefly reviewed.

Teachers' Reception at Commercial Club Monday

The reception to city teachers given by the school board will take place at the commercial club rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. It was at first intended that this function should be held at the auditorium on Friday evening but it seems that the larger hall will not be available and that things could not be gotten in readiness for that date.

This reception is always looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure by both teachers and parents. It will afford an opportunity for our people to meet the "bunch" and besides furnish an evening of good entertainment. Parents are particularly invited to be present at this time as it is for their benefit the affair is staged.

America's Greatest Need.

One great trouble with the average American is that his life is too easily satisfied. He is content if he can but grasp a few shallow superficialities, and he greets with a vacant stare anyone who mentions or suggests the personal acquisition of the sterling values of life. His look is bent downward, and he passes by the great avenues leading to true nobility, scarcely noticing them. He spends all his precious time and invaluable energy seeking temporary satisfaction in transitory things. I refer especially to money and non-recreation amusements. Due to America's unprecedented material expansion a large percentage of her people are permeated with an ultra-physical and grossly materialistic view of life, excluding the development of the highly intellectual, deeply spiritual, or broadly cultural.

America's greatest need is a renaissance of ideals; so that her people will cease their wild, yes mad, chase for ephemeral satisfaction, excitement and pleasure, and instead earnestly seek those higher values which will permanently ennoble their minds and souls and enrich their lives. —The Manitou Messenger.

Cleverness.

Morris: There's something the matter with my Adam's apple.

Harold S.: Probably the stem or the core got stuck.

"Did you say my train would be 'long in 'bout ten minutes?" queried Old Uncle Abe.

"Yes Uncle."

"I just axed youh, suh, 'cause I hain't got mah rabbit's foot with me, an' dat dere bulletin boahd say, all trains on time 'cept one an' I was jes' a figurin' dat one would be mine."

"All trains are on time, Uncle," was the pleasant rejoinder, "but if some one's been tamperin' with that bulletin board—" rushing out excitedly and anxiously viewing the board. Presently his features relaxed into a broad grin. The bulletin read: "All trains on time—Sept. 1"—The Fun Book.

Tommy Learned Something.

The reading lesson was droning on its most unhappy way and when Willie Smith's turn came to spell out his paragraph he stumbled over the word "heirloom."

The kindly teacher put him right as to the pronunciation of the word when up shot Tommy Johnson's hand.

"P-please teacher what is the meaning of 'heirloom?' " inquired that hopeful and somewhat inquisitive youth.

"Oh Tommy," was the reply, "I am glad to see you take such an interest in your lesson. 'Heirloom' means something that is handed down from father to son—in other words, a relic."

"Oh, replied Tommy, thoughtful, "that's the funniest name ever I heard for a pair of pants."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

Athletics.

The first football game of the season will be played at Grafton, N. D., on Saturday, Sept. 25.

This game will be a fast one because Grafton usually has a fast team and the report is that it is exceptionally so this year. Our men have been practicing every night and will be prepared to meet any kind of team. With the spirit in the boys and the spirit of the whole school, the first game of the season can be ours.

Where Classics Are Popular.

Minnesota is a corking big state. But maybe you didn't know it was so great as to have spots of culture, and others where there is some question about culture.

By culture in this connection we don't have any reference to the quality of knowing when to eat with a fork or when with a spoon. It's the study of so-called classics, the dead languages, we have in mind; reflection on such a subject coming up at this time, we suppose because school has just started again.

'Way down in the extreme southwestern part of the state in a town whose name is no matter; they're having a hard time rounding up two dozen high school students who want to study latin. That is the irreducible minimum determined upon by the superintendent.

'Way up in the extreme northeastern part of the state, in Hibbing, with its twenty-six nationalities, ninety per cent of the high school students take the latin course. It is doubtful if Boston itself could boast a better showing.

This will not be made the occasion for any discussion of the practical utility of studying the classics. But the opportunities cannot be passed to observe that culture, like other less stiff and formal things plays some queer pranks. — Minneapolis Daily News.

Had One Coming.

"You love long rambles in the country?" asked the vivacious girl.

"Yes, indeed," responded the young man in the green hat with the purple band and buckled shoes. "When I go out in the country all nature seems to smile."

"Gracious! I don't blame her. It's a wonder she doesn't laugh outright!" —Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Physical Training Classes.

As soon as the students have arranged their programs, the physical training classes will begin. These classes will meet twice a week for forty minutes. This subject has been made compulsory for every student. Mr. Tommeraasen will be in charge of these classes. It is expected that every student will arrange his program to include this work.

As She is Spoke.

The Pennsylvania Dutch have their own way of saying things, and generally they manage to make their meaning clear, although sometimes in unconventional language.

Over the bell on the front door of a house in a little town near Gettysburg, was affixed a card reading: "Button doesn't bell. Bump."—American Legion Weekly.

Personals.

We can't help but wonder just why Morris Mabey likes Room 101 so well. There's a reason for everything they say.

Ernest Zeh has been on the casualty list at school this last week. We wonder if the duck hunting season has anything to do with it.

Harold Smithers is one of Mr. Pierce's star performers in Public Speaking class. We predict that Harold will be a second "silver-tongued orator."

Marshall Race arrived here the early part of last week to resume his Senior studies at the high school.

Roscoe Bakke left Wednesday afternoon for Grand Forks where he will attend the University.

Marguerite Burns and Leland Schuster expect to leave Monday for Grand Forks where they will attend the University.

Lelant Schuster, Ernest Zeh, Ernest Barzen, left Thursday on an extended hunting trip.

Anna Majeres was taken to the hospital Sunday and underwent an operation for appendicitis. It is reported that she is recovering rapidly.

Myrtle Krohn, a senior, returned Saturday evening to resume her studies at school.

Pearl Shetler spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in the country.

Cora Swanson, an alumni, who teaches near Hazel, returned from there Friday and will remain here for a week to attend the teachers' institute.

No Personalities.

Two soldiers, one white and one black, were hopelessly lost out in No Man's Land. After darkness had fallen the white soldier cautiously stuck his head over the edge of the shell hole to take a look.

"Whatcher see, Boss?" inquired the other.

"You can't see your hand before your face, it's so dark."

"Look-a-here now, white man," expostulated the Negro, "Dis ain't no time for pussonalities, Ah ain't askin' yoo what Ah kain't see, Ah's askin' you what you can see."—American Legion Weekly.

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT.

Tells His Friends and Neighbors of His Experience.

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H. S. Enrollment.

The high school enrollment for the first week was about three hundred. This is more than in the corresponding week a year ago. A great many of the boys are at work threshing, picking up potatoes; etc. The extremely liberal salary paid by the farmers is very enticing. These folks will come back to school very shortly in large number.

Food Sale Postponed.

The food sale scheduled by the Eastern Star has been postponed indefinitely.

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PLACE OF RESIDENCE AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF TEACHERS IN THE SCHOOLS OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

For the convenience of parents and pupils The Times has secured a list of the teachers in Thief River Falls schools, together with their addresses and telephone numbers. Cut this out and keep it for future reference:

Name	Residence	Tel. No.
	High School	
Albert Tommeraasen	415 Horace Ave N.	466
Emelia Hoorn	623 Knight Ave N.	466
G. B. Melby	518 LaBree Ave. N.	399
Esther Johnson	606 LaBree Ave. N.	66
Ruth M. Elliott	307 Knight Ave. N.	
Lillian Poppitz	721 LaBree Ave. N.	470
Irene Patrick	721 LaBree Ave. N.	470
Margaret E. Mealey	116 Horace Ave. N.	344
Margaret E. Dix	116 Horace Ave. N.	344
M. A. Schmitt	103 Duluth Ave. S.	4492
C. W. Pope	102½ Main Ave. S.	514
Minnie S. Leavitt	103 Duluth Ave. S.	4492
Vivian Swift	823 Knight Ave. N.	280
Merrian E. Miller	509 Duluth Ave. S.	1923
Lucia R. Brown	322 Second St. W.	493
L. Nathan Pierce	705 Knight Ave. N.	124
F. A. Tripp	621 LaBree Ave. N.	297-2
Dora C. Perry	721 LaBree Ave. N.	410
Marguerite Ober	703 Main Ave. N.	218
W. A. Ziegler	518 LaBree Ave. N.	339
Grace Iverson	307 Knight Ave. N.	63
Signe Svedal	603 Horace Ave. N.	283
	Washington	
Edna Larson	215 E. 6th St.	472
Alice Benson	502 LaBree Ave. N.	275
Susan Schmit	103 Duluth Ave. S.	4492
Edna Ryff	322 2nd St. W.	493
Gladys Smith	118 Conely Ave. N.	534
Melanie Belanger	203 Duluth Ave. N.	613
Blandine Belanger	203 Duluth Ave. N.	613
	Knox	
Olga Lindquist	602 Main Ave. N.	441
Olga Lofgren	621 E. Bridge St.	459
Jane Morley	110 E. 5th St.	
Florence Fjelstad	720 LaBree Ave. N.	516
Mary Grizold	720 LaBree Ave. N.	516
Ella Miller	509 Duluth Ave. S.	1923
Florence Nylander	116 St. Paul Ave. S.	3322
Inez Howe	621 E. Bridge St.	459
	Northrup	
Estella Hoyt	823 Knight Ave. N.	280
Viola Nepper	704 Main Ave. N.	526-2
Carrie Trogen	704 Main Ave. N.	526-2
Hildegarde Kleber	524 Knight Ave. N.	5391
Lovina Adams	524 LaBree Ave. N.	2334
Ada Whipps	721 LaBree Ave. N.	470
Katherine Smith	702 Duluth Ave. N.	327
Valborg Sandum	609 Horace Ave. N.	219
E. Mary Bark	524 Knight Ave. N.	5391
Ella Pelto	515 LaBree Ave. N.	126
	Central	
Maud Frisell	510 Knight Ave. N.	211
Ruby Ann Pierce	705 Knight Ave. N.	124
Lorna D. Dodge	110 E. 5th St.	1894
Gerda Mortensen	719 Main Ave. N.	467
Margaret Jordan	718 Knight Ave. N.	5442
Lyda Batten	718 Knight Ave. N.	5442
Ruth Friestedt	116 St. Paul Ave. S.	
Ida Tandberg	523 Horace Ave. N.	509

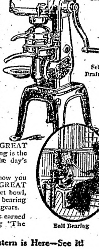

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

TITLE TO MUD LAKE FARMS QUESTIONED

Government Tries to Retain Title to Drained Land—Residents Also Claim It.

Papers were filed in the United States court at Fergus Falls last week in a case brought by the United States government against P. A. P. Sandstrom, the Holt State bank and 36 other property owners, whose lands border on what was formerly Mud Lake in Marshall county.

This lake was a shallow body of water, of considerable size, and was meandered. It has recently been drained by a judicial ditch and the area free from water amounts to approximately 3,000 acres. The ditch constructed to drain it is assessed up to property benefited in such cases and the people of the neighborhood, having paid for the ditch, are now claiming title to the land which has been reclaimed through the drainage process.

The government brings suit to quiet title in its name. The outcome of this suit will be watched with much interest as many similar conditions exist in various parts of this section.

HOG PRICES REACH YEAR'S HIGH POINT

Good Cattle Rule Steady and Sheep Market Shows Very Little Change.

Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul, Sept. 20.—Hog prices continued to advance last week and reached the highest point of the year, best porkers selling at $16.75 at the close. This was a straight $1 advance over the week previous. The range narrowed some and in-between grades looked even higher. Bulk closed at $16.25@16.50 with no sales below the $16 line. Stock pigs were quoted at $8@15.50 with boars at $5@8.50. Receipts were around 12,000.

Good cattle ruled about steady all week but some of the plainer grades cashed 15@25c lower with the market a little easier on this kind. Best steers sold up to $13 with bulk of sales at $7@11.75 on all grades. Occasional sales on the stock were made up at $9 but the majority cashed at $5.50@8. Canners and cutters were unchanged at $3.50@5 while bulls ruled steady at $4.50@6.25. Veal calves advanced 50c, closing at $15.50. Good stockers and feeders were in demand at steady prices but the plainer kind were a little slow and 25c@50c off. Dairy cows were quoted $5 lower for the period. Receipts were 39,000.

Sheep and lamb trade did not show many changes for the week and values ruled about steady. Prices were a little stronger if anything with top lambs at $12 and Westerns at $13.50. Fat ewes sold at $2@6 for natives with Westerns at $6.50. Western feeders were rated up to $11 and native feeders at $8@8.50. Receipts were 31,000.

Interesting Photographs For Our Returned Soldiers

The commercial club has turned over to the American Legion a number of photographs taken at the picnic dinner which was given at Squaw Point two years ago in honor of the men who were departing for army service at that time. These are very clear photographs and show plainly all of the service men seated at the tables.

Any service man who appears on the picture and who desires one of the photographs may have it free by calling on Adjutant G. Howard Smith of the local Legion Post or by appearing at the regular meeting of the Legion on Friday evening.

Bank at Lengby Looted By Robbers, Who Make Escape

Twelve thousand three hundred dollars, three hundred dollars of which are negotiable, was the loot of a robber or robbers when the safe of the Ferdinand Hardware & Implement company at Lengby was cracked early Saturday morning. No trace of the culprits has been found by Sheriff O. K. Bolstad and deputies.

Entry to the building was made through a rear door to a warehouse and thence through a window to the store proper. The front door of the safe had been unlocked by the inner door of the safe was blown open.

The robbers obtained $200 in coupons from liberty bonds; $5,000 in registered United States bonds; $7,000 in notes and $100 in thrift stamps.

One year ago the Farmers' State bank of Lengby was robbed. This is the first burglary in Polk county this fall.

Governor Cox Approves Development of Library

Governor James M. Cox, Democratic nominee for president, has expressed his hearty approval of the library development in America which is being promoted by the American Library association. In a letter to Carl P. Vitz of the Cleveland Public Library, who is Ohio State Director for the "Books for Everybody" movement, Governor Cox declared his eagerness to assist the furthering of popular education through libraries and the establishment of library service for sixty million Americans now without access to libraries.

Governor Cox wrote: "I recall quite well the report of the Committee on the matter of the Enlarged Program of the American Library association. At the time the report was made I gave my hearty and whole approval of the plan. I now want to reiterate that approval most emphatically and welcome this opportunity to lend every possible encouragement."

"The growth of the Library associations in the United States has been remarkable but I fear it has been altogether too localized to be of the utmost value. We do not need to increase the encouragement of reading good books so much as we need to find the means to furnish proper literature to those who desire to read. This point is one of the most potent factors considered by the American Library association in their work. I want to help in every way I may."

Do You Get Your Share of This Nine Million?

Uncle Sam is passing out almost $9,000,000 to his friends in the Ninth Federal Reserve district, including the states of Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana and parts of Wisconsin and Michigan. Did you get your share? You will if you bought—and held—Liberty Bonds of the third or fourth issues. The third issue interest date was September 16. The total amount of that issue for the Ninth district was $160,892,100 so that holders received on September 15 interest money totaling $3,843,957. On October 15 owners of the fourth issue will have distributed among them $5,143,483 as interest money the total sale of that issue in this district having been $242,046,050. The Government Savings Organization suggests that persons receiving Liberty Bond interest money reinvest in War Savings stamps or Treasury Savings certificates, these securities, tax exempt, are interest bearing and are redeemable, plus accrued interest, at any time.

Miss Gena Larson and mother, Mrs. F. G. Larson, were the guests of friends between trains on Thursday evening enroute from Fordville, N. D., where they had spent a week visiting friends, to their home at Badger.

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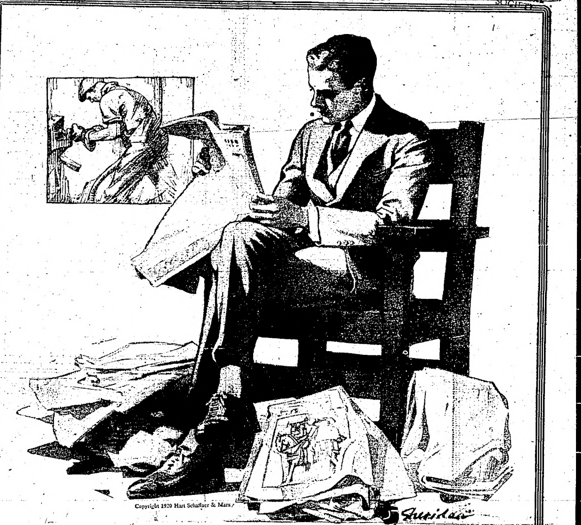

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Men's fleece lined Union Suits $2.50
Boys' Stockings 25c
Boys' Mackinaws wool mixed $2.50 Pure Wool $10.00
Boys' Ribbed Cotton Union Suits $1.50
Boys' Shoes black or tan $2.65 to $4.45
Boys' Fall Caps and Hats $1.00 to $2.00

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MANY ARE GRANTED LICENSES TO HUNT

Nearly Three Hundred Pennington County Men Join in Chase For Ducks.

Nearly three hundred residents of Pennington county were granted hunting licenses during the past two or three weeks by County Auditor T. P. Anderson. If all of these men got the limit allowed by law it means that a considerable slice was cut from the available supply of ducks during the first few days of the hunting season. But not all of the hunters got the limit—in fact many of them didn't get any ducks at all. Reports from all sections indicate that hunting was decidedly poor.

Following is a list of the nimrods who were granted licenses to shoot ducks and other game birds during the season of 1920:

G. W. Connell, H. E. Holt, D. M. McGinn, C. R. Crandall, Hans Rustad, Chas. Herron, G. A. Curtis, J. Provencher, Leonard DuChamp, G. C. Streeter, Kenneth Streeter, W. J. LaBree, Edward Singer, Theo. Rustad, B. M. Thelan, Frank Burggraf, W. A. Barnard, Roy Lambert, Geo. C. Loken, H. S. Dahlen, Chas. Safarx, Robert Elofson, Ed. Elofson, Emil Patnode, A. F. Hall, J. F. Sprafke, Julius Knutson, Emil Adolphs, John Houfek, Geo. Houfek, A. M. Langseth, Walter Bjerk, Orlando Bishop, G. W. Booren, E. L. Helgeland, Wm. Reintjes, Otto Gullingsrud, V. Rhoberg, P. H. Peterson, P. J. Bottem, J. L. Gasow, A. Anderson, Jos. Johnson, Sig Myrom, J. E. Kruger, Anton Yngve, Ben Rosendahl, Wilfred Sorenson, Art G. Johnson, Horace Prugh, Hilmer Hetland, Marcus Evenson, Herbert Fuller, Fred C. Brendecke, Geo. A. Rice, L. B. George, L. E. Whiting, Tollef Tollefson, Ole Ihle, E. C. Karwand, L. H. Lawrence, E. O. Mogensen, Orville Herron, E. Engelson, C. H. Fossum, Gerhard Hanson, Jas. Smith, C. B. Bradley, L. M. Lundgren, Alex Welch, Theo. Prestby, Erling Prestby, Carl E. Loen, Alf. O. Anderson, John A. Jacobson, H. M. Grindahl, E. J. Havel, Carl H. Norquist, A. J. Cloutier, Delman Knutson, Oscar Liden, C. L. Peterson, A. G. Adolphs, Jalmer Bundy, Walter Erickson, Leland Knight, H. W. Protzeller, P. G. Peterson, John Vraa, Nels Christianson, Louis Olson, Perry Froseth, H. T. Snyder, A. Rochelson, F. F. Haynes, Thure Blomberg, Ed. Blomberg, F. E. McGinn, W. W. Prichard, Jr., O. J. Teal, Frank Protz, F. C. Nielaj, A. S. Boos, Emil Norquist, A. G. Greenseth, O. C. Sandberg, C. H. Chidlaw, Bernard Burggraf, W. M. George, H. Hadrath, Habert Jacobson, Ole Johnson, J. C. Olson, Geo. Aspelund, E. O. Green, Phil J. Zeh, G. C. Shannon, O. A. Rambeck, Earl A. Rice, John Bolstad, Elmer Klungness, Clarence Rollag, Geo. Rollag, R. R. Bovery, G. Storhaug, Bernard Sundahl, Omer Lee, N. C. Nielsen, Fred Westphal, John Bratrud, Jordah A. Penney, G. A. Penney, Julius A. Messestad, G. W. LaBree, Henry Smith, Fred D. Haug, H. A. McDaniel, Nels G. Olson, Norman Mellem, Stephen Longair, Albert Nash, M. H. Connelly, E. W. Fossum, Henry W. Heard, E. A. Stoughton, Einar Soderberg, Henry J. Hanson, Geo. A. Hanson, J. N. Nesse, Aug. Althoff, Christ Kierk, Jens C. Kierk, Geo. Opsahl, J. E. Gustafson, John Dahl, N. B. Waldorf, Olof Myhre, Louis DeCremer, Halbert Halvorson, C. M. Dahlquist, C. M. Lee, Oscar Ellingson, H. E. Elling, A. Saterberg, Henry Froseth, Elmer Satre, Schuyler Satre, Henry Koop, Jr., Fred Koop, T. J. Rowan, August Langseth, Shefferd Johnson, Henry Ebbighausen, C. Pawling, G. Howard Smith, Leon Mousley, Herman Blomberg, E. F. Stebbins, Harold McAdams, F. E. Hunt, Omer P. Anderson, C. Bigelow, Hans Wilson, Joe Novak, Art Williams, Milford LaBree, L. W. Manther, Frank Heckne, Arnold Tram, J. P. Nelson, E. O. Burkee, Ed. Peterson, Leslie Robinson, J. E. Robinson, H. L. Schuster, L. C. Schuster, J. E. Jaranson, A. J. Hed, O. Gunstad, V. E. Peterson, John Goble, A. R. Johnsrud, Oscar Eggerud, A. R. Berg, Simon Anderson, Joseph Soderberg, Jas. Sale, W. S. Sale, Walter H. Jonas, F. H. Herrick, Denis Connely, A. D. Ralston, W. H. Frederick, R. M. Hadrath, Harry Just, Geo. S. Wilson, Paul Roy, Sever Skottem, Albert Kolp, W. J. Kitzrow, Thorwald Myrom, Thom Borgen, L. A. Johnston, Walter June, C. H. Jung, B. M. Harris, F. J. Stebbins, G. N. Gulrud, K. J. LaCoe, Dick Soderberg, Roy Sandry, L. A. Lampert, M. Bothun, Gust Gulseth, Frank Fisher, C. T. Christenson, J. J. Vorachek, B. G. Rounds, Emil Olson, Harry Roberts, H. A. Dunlap, W. R. Williamson, C. E. Conner, Ed. Iverson, Hazen Wallis, Herbert Johnson, Fred F. Protz, Wm. Knight, E. T. Dale, Roman Paulson, Ed. Johnson, J. T. Elsenpeter, Thos. Gargrave, W. H. Sponheim, M. T. McFarland, O. J. Erickson, Oscar Carlson, Fred A. Johnson, Roy M. Barzen, Bernard R. Barzen, Ernest F. Zeh, Ernest Barzen, Hans Loken, Albert S. Swanson, B. J. Bakke, Gordon Larson, H. A. Olson, Harvey Olson, Arthur Johnson, Barney Peterson, Wm. LaFave, Rolf B. Rasmuson, Henry Mellem, Henry F. Vorlicky.

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STEINER

Mrs. Mary Kisch visited with the Arthur Simonson family Sunday.

J. A. Russell transacted business in Thief River Falls the middle of the week.

Hobson Rogers has been helping Fred Copp fill his silo the past week.

Miss Celia Saugen visited with her mother and family Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. John Meyer visited at the Heider home Sunday.

Threshing has been going on in full blast the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Werner have moved to Thief River Falls. Their son Rende expects to manage the farm.

Miss Inga Saugen left the first of the week for Chicago where she will take up training in the Salvation Army.

Steve Warring spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. S. Warring.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Slack and family, Mrs. Simon Warring and granddaughters, Pearl and Ruby, autoed to Mud Lake Sunday.

School opened the twentieth of September in Steiner. Miss Mable Shelveland of Newfolden is the teacher.

O. Nelson of Viking has been threshing in this community for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers and family spent Monday evening with the P. B. Mhlberg family.

Marshall Slack autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

ROSEWOOD

Before Municipal Judge Tarrant at Thief River Falls, occurred the marriage of Miss Mabel Hagen of Thief River Falls to Olof Lappegaard of Rosewood, last Thursday. The young couple was attended by Miss Ida Hagen, a sister of the bride and a young man acquaintance of the bridegroom. The Lappegaards will make Thief River Falls their home for the present, where Mr. Lappegaard is employed. Olof is a young man who has grown into manhood in this community, having spent most of his time with his parents on their farm south of town; is well and favorably known and the community joins in extending Mr. and Mrs. Lappegaard all the joys of a happy married union.

Miss Eva Davis, who has been employed in North Dakota this fall, stopped off here last Saturday evening for a few days' visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Eva Carlson, before leaving for her home at Duluth.

Fred Dols has purchased a new Overland 4 from the Benson garage at Viking.

Mrs. Severt Brandon and children of Thief River Falls, spent a few days this week visiting with the Swen Swenson folks.

Miss Ella Nelson returned on Sunday from Norden where she has been employed during the week at the Ole Sloan home.

Victor Mosbeck and Adolph Haugen returned to Dorothy last Thursday to hunt at Goose Lake.

Miss Clara Johnson returned to her home at Thief River Falls on Tuesday evening after an over-Sunday visit at the P. Sorenson home.

A carload of rye was shipped from the Hanson and Barzen elevator the first of the week.

The monthly meeting of the Hinial Young Peoples' society will be held at that church Saturday evening, Oct. 2nd. Church services at Hinial on Sunday afternoon Sept. 26 at 2:30, by the local pastor, Rev. G. Larson.

Mrs. James Johnson and son Earl of Thief River Falls spent Saturday here with Mrs. Johnson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

The Albert Hellquist family of Newfolden visited at the J. Hellquist home here part of the week.

Miss Carrie Nelson, who has been employed at the Carl Hloom home for some time, left last Tuesday for her home at Antia. She was accompanied by Lloyd Anderson, who will spend a few days visiting with the Nelson folks.

Dave Mosbeck returned on Saturday evening from Nekoma where he has been employed during threshing.

Joel and Mary Sinberg spent Sunday at Thief River Falls visiting at the F. G. Johnson home.

Enoch Nelson and John Hellquist left on Tuesday evening by rail for Thief River Falls to attend to business matters for a few days.

More winter rye on the prairies is being seeded this year than any previous year.

ERIE

Mr. McEnelly was around buying stock to ship to the St. Paul markets this week.

Hunters are numerous these days out this way. Quite a lot of bombardment is heard and no doubt the ducks are getting it in the neck.

Some real estate men were out this way the first part of the week looking over some land in sections 25 and 35, Star township.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Fare and Mr. and Mrs. Torval Zrekke and children of Roland, were Sunday visitors at the Gust A. Iverson home.

Mrs. B. Johnson and granddaughter, Lorainie Johnson of Thief River Falls, are spending a few days at the L. B. Johnson place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dahlen and son, Olaf, were county seat visitors on Tuesday of last week.

Daniel Danielson and George Hovet are back from the North Dakota harvest fields.

Jens Dahle was visiting relatives in this vicinity the first part of the week. Jens has invested in a big car.

Quite a number of our folks attended the Gamund Lunden sale near Rhoda on Friday.

Mrs. E. Shulestad was in Goodridge on Monday.

Ole and Bernt Johnson and a few friends motored out Saturday evening from Thief River Falls and spent Sunday hunting ducks. While here they stayed at the L. E. Johnson place.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Tommerdahl and Mr. and Mrs. Tollef Hovet motored down to Rhoda on Saturday evening, and were present at a surprise party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gamund Lunden, who are about to leave that locality.

Mrs. H. A. Dahlen, Mrs. Arthur Baird, Miss Hegland, Mrs. Jerry Race, Miss Froiland and Miss Henke are all attending the teachers' institute held in Thief River Falls this week.

Opal Thoraldson helped Mrs. E. Ramsey to cook for the threshers.

Miss Selma Swanson of St. Hilaire is spending a few days at the Fred Aubol home. Miss Swanson is a sister of Mrs. Aubol.

County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson visited schools in the eastern part of the county last Tuesday. He also was a business caller at the H. A. Dahlen home.

Knute Dahle, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. S. Dahle and sister, Mrs. Ernest Peterson, were business callers in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Mostue and son, Eben, of Thief River Falls, visited friends in S. E. Star last Saturday.

L. B. Johnson, who is doing some rye seeding for John Banner near Thief River Falls motored out and spent Sunday with his family. He was accompanied by two friends.

Miss Froiland of Plummer, is the teacher in Dist. No. 56 this year; Mrs. Arthur Baird in Dist. No. 50, and Miss Hegland, a sister of Mrs. Baird, in the Lee district. Some schools have not as yet teachers in this vicinity.

The Svare boys were business visitors in Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

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By Dr. Ferdinand King, New York Physician and Medical Author

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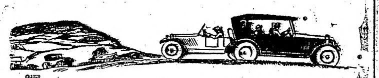

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For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.
For front wheels—The U. S. Plain.
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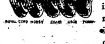

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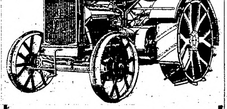

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City Council

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

A regular meeting of the city council was called to order by C. Froseth, vice president, at eight o'clock p. m., Sept. 14th.

Roll Call: Members present, Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon, Ihle; members absent, Brumund.

Minutes of the regular meeting of Aug. 24th and adjourned regular meetings of Aug. 28th and Aug. 30th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, Librarian and Manager of the Auditorium be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the repair permit of H. M. Hicks be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ness, that the application of James Cosgrove, for operating a pool hall and bowling alley in the basement of the Citizens' State Bank block, be granted. Roll Call: members voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members voting no, none. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the bids for the sale of the Burroughs Adding Machine be opened. Motion carried and the following bids submitted:

J. C. Penney Co., $165.00
E. O. Mogensen, $177.50.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Brandon, that the bids for the Burroughs Adding Machine be laid on the table until the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the Mayor's recommendation for an increase in salary of the police department, fixing the salary of the chief of police at $100.00 per month and patrolman at $95.00 per month and $5.00 per month for the patrolman for firing the boiler in the Auditorium, nights, during the wintermonths, dating from Sept. 1st be approved. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced a resolution instructing the City clerk to advertise for bids for the construction of a storm sewer within the paving district. (See resolution).

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution releasing Holt & George from their bonds in connection with the sewer and water connection contract. (See Resolution).

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Holt & George the sum of $281.20 for sewer pipes. (See resolution).

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution approving the bonds of the Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited. (See resolution.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

C. FROSETH,
Vice President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Sept. 14, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that Whereas, owing to advances in the cost of materials, and in freight charges, the contractor who was awarded the contract for the construction of storm sewers, in connection with the paving improvements of said city, and owing to the delay in the commencement of the work thereon, has abandoned, with the consent of the city council, such contract, and, Whereas, it is deemed expedient by the city council, to advertise for bids for the construction of such storm sewers, to the end that the same may be done this season. NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the city clerk be and hereby is directed and authorized forthwith to prepare, issue and publish notices to contractors calling for bids for the construction of storm sewers in the proposed paving district, preliminary to and as part of the paving improvements in said city now pending, such storm sewers to be constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications thereof, now on file with the city clerk, and, Be it Further Resolved, that such notices for bids be published in the official paper two weeks, and in the Improvement Bulletin at least one week, and that the bids for the doing of said work be opened and considered by the council at a meeting thereof to be held on the 30th day of September, 1920, at eight o'clock p. m.;

Roll Call. Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Sept. 18, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Sept. 14, 1920, Alderman Brandon seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that whereas final estimate has been submitted and, except for the sum of $318.00 held back, paid, to Holt and George on the sewer and water connection contract, and, whereas said final estimate has been approved by the council, with the exception of one item thereof, hereinafter described, and for which item said sum of $318.00 has been held back, and, whereas said Holt and George have agreed with the city council that said sum shall be held back until said item of work is corrected, in consideration of the releasing of the bond heretofore furnished by said Holt and George in connection with said contract NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that said bond, with the sureties thereon, be in all things released and discharged, and, be it further resolved that said sum of $318.00 be held back from said final payment, to insure the correction or straightening out of the storm sewer outlet at the end of First street, near Bridge street, in said city, and that on such correction in said work being made, that said sum be paid to Holt and George aforesaid.

Roll Call. Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Sept. 18, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Sept. 14, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that Whereas, part of the storm sewer work provided in the sewer and water and storm sewer contract between the city and Holt and George was heretofore embraced in the new storm sewer plans, and thereby said Holt and George were deprived of such portion of said work, and, in anticipation of the doing thereof have purchased and laid out along certain streets in the city, certain sewer pipes, and, whereas the city council has agreed with said Holt and George to take such pipes off their hands, in consideration of the release on their part of any and all claims against the city for or arising out of the curtailment of said work, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the city clerk and mayor be authorized and directed to issue to Holt and George, the warrant of the city, drawn upon the proper fund, in the sum of $281.20, in payment of and as the purchase price for 395½ feet of 12 inch sewer pipes now on Fourth street between Main and Horace avenues in said city, at the price of $.711 per foot.

Roll Call. Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Sept. 18, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Sept. 14, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the construction and maintenance bonds, with sureties thereon, furnished and filed by the Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited, the contract for the doing of the paving improvements in the city, now pending, be, and the same are hereby in all things approved.

Roll Call. Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Sept. 18, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Sept. 14, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$727.40
Water & Light Dep't., stamps	1.00
John H. Meyers, dog catcher's fees	24.00
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	10.50
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	20.00
The Tribune, printing	[illegible]
The Tribune, printing	6.00
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	10.05
Hermanson Hdw. Co., supplies	4.15
Andy Craik, smithing	1.40
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	1.25
Minneapolis Bridge Co., culverts	28.20
Local Improvement Fund	
Water & Light Dep't., power service	12.25
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lbr. and cement	25.75
The Prichard Co., lbr. and cement	31.15
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	3.15
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., toll service	1.75
Auditorium Fund	
Water & Light Dep't., frt., light, service, etc.	179.20
Erick Aspelund, labor	8.50
H. O. Hoff, labor	8.50
L. M. Johnson, labor	23.38
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	3.50
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., roofing	463.80
Ole Oftelie, labor	67.50
T. P. Hornseth, labor	24.00
Hall Bros., supplies	1.50
Thief River Grocery Co., supplies	23.60
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	3.07
Poor Fund	
Eli Rolland, supplies	23.66
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
The Prichard Co., fuel	14.00
Rolf B. Rasmusson, rent	12.00
Carl Christofferson, supplies	10.25
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	3.75
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	1.50
Electric Light Fund	
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lbr.	15.10
Julius Andre & Sons Co., supplies	7.05
Hermanson Hdw. Co., supplies	2.75
Peoples Auto Co., supplies	.45
Laird's Specialty Shop, supplies	1.35
C. M. Carlson, supplies	20.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	12.21
Duluth Elect. Supply Co., supplies	139.87
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	201.35
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	342.65
Peerless Electrical Co., supplies	8.91
Westinghouse Elect. Co., supplies	341.54
General Electric Co., supplies	49.50
Apple River Mllg Co., supplies	60.00
National Carbon Co., supplies	6.50
Standard Oil Co., supplies	118.50
McFarland Auto Co., supplies	1.50
Eoustad Elect. Mfg. Co., supplies	18.80
Andy Craik, smithing	3.00
Water & Light Dep't., electrical supplies	11.25
Louis DeCremer, tallow	.30
Alf Borry, supplies	5.05
Red Lake Ice Co., ice	4.00
Remington Typewriter Co., supplies	3.50
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	3.15
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	[illegible]
The Elliot Co., stencils	.52
The Tribune, light register	57.00
Water & Light Dep't., frt., express etc.	101.51
Frank Bourke, labor	49.50
Waterworks Fund	
Holt & George, repairing leaks	200.05
Library Fund	
Water & Light Dep't., light service	4.00

Roll Call. Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none. Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Sept. 18, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

STORM SEWER CONSTRUCTION

Bids Will Close Sept. 30th, 1920 at 8 p. m.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Sealed bids will be received by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, until 8 o'clock p. m., on the 30th day of September, 1920, for the installation of storm sewer extensions in said city in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota. The approximate amount of labor and material is as follows:

586 lineal feet of 8 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
3345 lineal feet of 12 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
950 lineal feet of 15 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
380 lineal feet of 18 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
423 lineal feet of 20 inch Vit. Sewer Pipe
5084 lineal feet of trench 5'-7" deep
21 manholes
21 feet extra depth of manholes
28 catch basins with castings and without

Tapping 10 present manholes and catch basins.

All bids must be on blank forms furnished by the Bradley Engineering Service of St. Cloud, Minn., and each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some reputable bank in the sum of $1400.00, payable to the City Clerk of Thief River Falls, Minn., such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Thief River Falls, Minn., and extra sets may be purchased from the Bradley Engineering Service, Weber Bldg., St. Cloud, Minn., at the rate of $5.00 per set.

The right is reserved by the City to reject any or all bids.

By order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

S-16-23

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Johnson, of Erie, Minn., who, on January 30th, 1919, made Homestead Application Serial No. 016478, for SE¼, Section 26, Township 153 N., Range 39 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of October, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Ole K. Lien, Henry Dahlen, Tollef Hovet and Gustav Iverson, all of Erie, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

OLE THOMPSON,
Register.

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Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Sophie Severson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of October, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 13th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.

(SEAL)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

s16-23-30

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ingeborg Iverson, Samolina Lillemoe, Knut P. Iverson, Iver A. Iverson, Martha C. Iverson, Adina H. Iverson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of October, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 10th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.

(Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.

s16-23-30

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hattie Long, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to William O. Long, William Ward Long, and Earl Edgar Long, and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of October, 1920 at Ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 14th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.

(Seal)
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.

s16-23-30

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—The NW¼ of Section 19 Township 154 consisting of 161 acres of good land with buildings on. This farm is about 6 miles from Viking and 9½ miles from Thief River Falls. Will take $65.00 per acre, $3500.00 cash and the balance on time. Go and see this land. Mr. J. Mossestad rented it for $100.00 this year. If interested write to Henry M. Mason, Chanhassen, Minn. 89p

FOR SALE—A second-hand Ford in first-class condition at a bargain. J. S. Benson, Viking, Minn. 89

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Appleton Silo Filler. Albert Johnson, R. 3, City. 89p

FOR SALE—A 5-10 Avery tractor with 2 plows. Has plowed about 50 acres. Price $350.00.—C. W. McDaniel. 87tf

FOR SALE—Three plow tractor. Inquire at Hall Bros. 90p

FOR SALE—5-room house at 230 Markley Ave. N. Call phone 454 or 508 Conley Ave. S. 90p

FOR SALE—Five room house in good condition, 606 Arnold Ave. N. 90p

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms: the SE¼ Section 18 Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge. 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Vorachek. 81tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 4752. 84tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only [illegible] miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. E. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Svenson, Hazel Star Route. 75tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Quarter of wild hay 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway.—W. E. Baker. 84tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, S½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1125, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—Electric Washing machine practically new. Will sell cheap. Call [illegible] 601. 89p

FOR SALE—My 8-room house and touring car, all in good condition. Priced for quick sale.—Henry Wilken, owner. Call 3434. 88tf

FOR SALE—Fifty grade Shropshire ewes. One to four years old. Phone 7-F-21 [illegible]

FOR SALE CHEAP—Several carloads of cedar posts.—P. Sylte, Pitt, Minn. 89p

FOR SALE—Barn, 12x18. Can be used as a garage. Will sell cheap. Make me an offer.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FIVE HOUSES FOR SALE—From four to seven rooms. Terms will be made to suit purchaser. This is an opportunity that will enable you to secure your own home at practically what you are now paying for rent. For particulars see Andrew Ness. Phone 5103. 90

FOR SALE—Two wheel trailer. Inquire of Chas. Schnabel, R. 1, City. 90p

FOR SALE—Six room house. Inquire 613 Markley Ave. S. 90p

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor and Avery plows. Call at Times office. 90p

FOR SALE—Three good milch cows. Inquire at Thief River Cafe. 88tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Pair of geldings 4 and 6 years, weight about 2800 lbs. Our own raising. Mare 1400 lbs. guaranteed sound.—W. E. Smith, 5 miles N. W. of Thief River Falls. 89p

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address box 1061, Thief River Falls, or call at the Times office. 89tf

FOR SALE—1919 Ford touring car. Also Minneapolis 15-30 tractor and Edmund Taylor separator with weigher and blower. Enquire at Times office. 90p

FOR SALE—Seven acres of land with 7 room house, barn, chicken house and other outbuildings, large crabapple orchard. This is on the Red Lake river in St. Hilaire village, close to the new school. Write P. O. box 35, St. Hilaire, Minn. 20p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Seven room house for five room house close in. Phone 6073. 88p

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New Maxwell car or will trade for city property. Inquire 109 Kendall Ave. S. 91p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

LOST

LOST—Ford casing on road between city and Kratka. Finder return to Dr. O. F. Mellby for reward.

LOST—Automobile casing and rim, size 30x4. Return to Times office and receive reward. 90

MR. R. K. CALLOWAY left his hat near the lake in Sec. 25, Smiley township. Will finder kindly leave same at Mr. Kvaline's home and notify Mr. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 90

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Two girls at once. Gillespie hotel. Forest River, N. D. Good wages. 92p

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Family of three, all modern conveniences.—Mrs. W. A. McIntyre, Grand Forks, N. D.

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—One of World's largest Grocers (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today. State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 89p

MISCELLANEOUS

PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING—and interior decorating. First-class work. Charges reasonable. Bakken & Sherstad. Phone 5942 and 413. 91

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand runabout or roadster. What have you?—C. W. McDaniel. 87tf

WANTED—3 or 4 furnished or unfurnished rooms by young couple without children. Address Times. 87p

CLERKS, (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $135 month. Examinations September-October. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) 450 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 89p

WANTED TO RENT—By Oct. 1 small house or two or three rooms. Call 255. 90p

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 89tf

Butterfat Prices

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Peoples Auto Company

EMPLOYES ASKED TO GIVE GOOD SERVICE

President Pennington of Soo Says Public is Entitled to Courteous Treatment.

Soo Line employees are called upon in a personal letter issued this week by Edmund Pennington, president, to "put into intensive operation the principles of the golden rule" and to give in return for the recent wage increases the best and most courteous service and loyal co-operation.

"At home and across the sea," said Mr. Pennington's letter, "you did loyal and effective service during the war; and I am confident that your service will be equally loyal and effective during the stress of the present economic condition, the period of readjustment and in the days to come, and that no element of discord or discont will prevail against your better judgment, conservatism and fidelity to duty.

"The new wage scale is now effective, giving to each employee a substantial amount over his former wage, the burden of which is borne by our patrons and the public by an increase in freight and passenger rates. I have no doubt but that they will willingly bear this additional burden if, in exchange therefor, they receive better service and courteous treatment. This it is their right to demand and our duty to make every possible effort to give. Such effort, to be successful, requires the loyalty and cooperation of us all.

"In our intercourse with patrons and the public, let us be accommodating, polite, courteous, living a life of service in their behalf. This costs little and yields much, and is the oil that lubricates and lessens the friction of everyday life."

CONTRACTOR GIVES FACTS TO PUBLIC

Says Tanlac Rid Him of Long-standing Trouble and He is Now a Well Man.

"Tanlac has put an end to troubles that had been pulling me down for ten years, and I am now a well man and feeling as spry as a boy," was the statement made a few days ago by Axel Elogren of St. Paul Park, St. Paul, Minn. Mr. Elogren is a painting contractor and has lived in St. Paul Park for the past twenty nine years.

"My troubles started in 1910 and ever since I have been gradually getting worse. My kidneys were all out of order and I had a continual pain across the small of my back, which sometimes felt like it would break in two. I had a bad case of indigestion, a poor appetite and suffered every time I ate anything. Gas would form on my stomach and fill me up so I had to fight to get my breath. At night I often suffered so with my stomach I would get up and pace the floor, trying to get easy. My nerves were all on edge all the time and I was subject to severe, dizzy headaches. I was weak and all run down and almost unable to work and just seemed to have played out altogether.

"But now I don't feel like the same person. In fact I am a different man because of the way Tanlac has fixed me up. My kidneys are in the finest kind of shape and my back never hurts me at all. My digestion was never better and I have a ravenous appetite and enjoy everything I eat. My nerves are as steady as a rock and I am entirely rid of those dizzy headaches. I go to sleep as soon as I hit the bed and get up of mornings feeling fine and ready for work. I am in tip-top shape and feel stronger than I have in many years."

Pastor Suffers Stroke.

Stricken with paralysis, Rev. J. N. Kildahl, vice-president of the Norwegian Lutheran church of America and registrar of Luther seminary, St. Anthony Park, is in Fairview hospital. His left side is affected and physicians today held out little hope for his recovery. Dr. Kildahl formerly was president of St. Olaf college, Northfield. His wife also is ill. His children, Rev. John L. Kildahl, Waterford, Wis.; Rev. Carl Kildahl, Page, N. D.; and Mrs. S. Bly, Phillips, S. D., have been summoned. His youngest son, Professor Lars Kildahl, North Branch, Minn., already has arrived.

Paper Prices.

A country paper not far from here explains the present high price of paper as follows: "Please do not call at this office and ask for a nickel's worth of typewriter paper. For a nickel we let you look at it. For a dime we let you feel of it, but you don't get any. For fifteen cents you get enough paper to write a letter or two on. For fifty cents or a dollar you have a little package to carry home."

Committees Named.

The following special committees have been named by the recently organized Harding-Preus club in Thief River Falls:

Publicity Committee—R. B. McWilliams, chairman; George Werstlein, Perl Mabey, S. C. Coumbe, John Bratrud.

Finance Committee—P. J. Keating, chairman; Thomas A. Way, F. H. Herrick, C. L. Hansen, Robert McGinn.

Membership Committee—H. W. Protzeller, chairman; G. H. Husby, W. J. Brown, E. O. Mogensen, Irving Dale.

Entertainment and House Committee—R. M. Sheldon, chairman; L. A. Lampert, W. W. Prichard, Jr., Harry Roberts, John Brumund.

Election Committee—W. J. LaBree, chairman; R. B. McWilliams, Harry Roberts, W. H. Akre, S. C. Coumbe.

Market Day at Grygla.

Grygla is advertising its first market day and auction sale. The date has been set for Saturday, Oct. 2. This hustling Marshall county burg, without a railroad but living on the promise of one before long, is setting an example to other communities similarly situated. The people there are a unit when it comes to anything that will benefit their town and it is certain that their market day will be a hummer. The probabilities are that a good delegation from this city will be on hand, making the trip by auto.

Now is the time to subscribe for The Times. $2 a year and worth it.

BIG PAY

Students of the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., earn big pay. You can do the same. There is no education that costs so little any pays so much as a business education. Write for free catalog and find out what this big, busy school can do for you.

VIOLIN LESSONS

After Sept 11, Mrs. Aug. Holmberg will be in the city for the winter and will take a few pupils for violin instruction.
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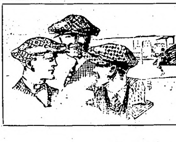

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LOCAL GUERNSEY WINS PRIZES AT BIG STATE SHOW

Animal From Herd of F. B. Conklin Declared Grand State Champion.

Wins First and Sweepstakes at Mankato Against Hard Competition.

Now at Waterloo, Iowa, and Will Also Be Shown at Chicago Within Few Days.

That Ciff, the prize Guernsey cow belonging to F. B. Conklin, is an animal of much more than ordinary quality is being demonstrated once more in the tour which the animal is now making among some of the leading stock and dairy shows in the country.

Ciff made a wonderful record during the past summer when shown at various fairs in this section in competition with the best animals of Northwestern Minnesota, North and South Dakota. On this trip she carried away all the first prizes in sight, thus giving evidence of her extraordinary qualities.

Wins at Mankato.

On the present trip the first stop was made at Mankato, where Ciff was placed in competition with some of the best Guernseys in the entire state. Word from there bears the pleasing news that the animal took first and sweepstakes in her class. This means that Ciff is the best cow in the state of Minnesota as she has been selected to show with the state herd, and winning at this show places her in a class by herself. The Guernsey state herd is composed of the first prize winners in each class shown at the Minnesota state fair in 1920, which leaves no question as to Ciff's standing among the Guernseys of Minnesota.

To Compete in Iowa.

The next stop for Ciff will be at Waterloo, Iowa, at the Dairy Cattle Congress. Here she will be placed in competition with the best Iowa has to offer as well as a large number of high grade animals from outside the state. Judging from her performances in the past, Ciff will have very little trouble in holding her own against most of her competitors at any rate.

On this tour Ciff is in charge of Leslie Wilson and W. A. McKerrow of the university farm school and it was these gentlemen who induced Mr. Conklin to place the animal on exhibition at the larger shows.

At National Show.

Before being returned to the Conklin farm Ciff will also be placed on exhibition at the National Dairy show in Chicago early next month. Here she will be forced to compete with a number of the very best animals in the entire country, including the following champions: Empire Princess Bergere 38,704, national champion 1916-17 and grand champion at Waterloo 1919; Imp. Prospect Rose Des Hourds, national grand champion 1919, and which was sold recently for $17,700, record price for the breed. Another important competitor at this show is McKerrow's state grand champion, Imp. Mildred II of Les Godaines, winner of second prize at the Chicago show last year.

Much local interest attaches to the record being made by Mr. Conklin's prize Guernsey cow and news from the Waterloo and Chicago shows will anxiously be awaited.

PURCHASE BONDS TO PAY SOLDIER BONUS

New Plan Inaugurated in State to Hurry Payments to Former Service Men.

A plan for speeding up the payment of the state bonus to soldiers who have not received the money because of shortage of funds provided for that purpose through the sale of bonds, has been set in motion in various parts of the state with considerable success. Bonds bearing interest at 5½ per cent are issued by the state and sold to provide funds for the soldier bonus. Not enough of these have been sold, however, to cover anywhere near the bonus payments and it is estimated that nearly two-thirds of the returned service men in the state have not yet received their money.

In many communities banks, business houses and private individuals are purchasing the bonds with the understanding that the money be used in paying bonuses to soldiers residing in that particular community. This works out to the satisfaction of everyone as the soldier gets his money and it remains in the neighborhood from which it came. In many counties of the state it is said enough of these bonds have been purchased to take care of every bonus claim in the county.

It has been proposed that an effort be made to sell bonds in Pennington county to help secure bonuses for the large number of service men who are still waiting for their share of the state allotment. Only about one-third of the soldiers in the county have so far received their money and the remainder are naturally anxious to get theirs. The buying of these bonds will be of great assistance to the soldiers, besides being a gilt-edged investment bearing a fair rate of interest.

J. A. O. PREUS

Republican Candidate for Governor.

LARGE REPUBLICAN MEETING SATURDAY

J. A. O. Preus and Louis Collins Slated to Deliver Principal Speeches.

Every indication points to a record crowd at the Republican political rally to be held at the auditorium in Thief River Falls next Saturday evening, Oct. 2. The principal speakers on this occasion will be J. A. O. Preus, present state auditor and Republican candidate for governor of Minnesota, and Louis L. Collins, Republican candidate for lieutenant governor.

The prominence of the speakers and the desire of everyone to hear state politics discussed from all angles assures a large attendance. This year the women also are entitled to cast their ballots at the fall election and a special invitation is extended to the new voters to be present at the meeting. It will give them an opportunity to hear important topics discussed by leaders of Republicanism in the state.

The meeting Saturday evening is one of the very first in the present campaign in which Mr. Preus and Mr. Collins appear as speakers. They deliver talks in the afternoon at the Red Lake county fair, Red Lake Falls, and following the meeting here have planned an extensive campaign throughout all parts of the state. Interest in the campaign is intense because of the three-cornered fight for the governorship and all factions will from now on be making strenuous bids for the support of the voters.

MUST STAND TRIAL FOR SHOOTING DOG

Transients Bound Over For Killing Valuable Dog Belonging to Farmer.

E. C. Frederickson and Paul Morrison, two young men canvassing among farmers for a portrait firm, were on Tuesday bound over to the district court by Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant. A cash bond of $100 was furnished and the young men are now at liberty.

Morrison and Frederickson were arrested on the charge of having shot and killed a valuable dog belonging to Theodore Tollefson of Highlanding township Monday evening. It is alleged the dog was found dead in the road just after the defendants left the place and four witness testified at the preliminary hearing Tuesday afternoon that wounds on the dog's body plainly indicated that it had been shot. The defendants, when placed on the witness stand, denied having fired shots at the dog and claimed they did not have firearms with them at the time. They admitted, however, that the dog had followed them out of the barnyard as they drove away and had run around the sides and in front of the car, barking and snapping at the front wheels. They also admitted that the car might have run over the dog but owing to the rough road they did not notice an extra jolt or jar to indicate that such had been the case.

After considering the evidence introduced Judge Tarrant concluded there was reasonable cause to believe the defendants guilty as charged in the complaint and bound them over to the district court under $100 bonds, as above stated.

A Gentle Reminder.

The weather man this week has given the people of Northwestern Minnesota a gentle hint of what may be expected from him with more or less regularity from now until next spring. Fires in furnaces and heaters have proved mighty comforting and none but the most reckless have appeared on the streets during the past three or four days without their overcoats. There is little likelihood, however, that the cool weather will remain for very long. Many weeks of pleasant weather may reasonably be expected before winter arrives in earnest.

Fair Association Meeting.

The postponed meeting of the stockholders of the Pennington County Fair association will be held at the commercial club rooms tomorrow, Friday, evening, at 8 o'clock. Much unfinished business remains for attention at this time and a large attendance is urgently requested.

CITY TAX LEVY FOR NEXT YEAR $7,000 HIGHER

Total of $52,000 Required For Various Funds According to Estimate.

Current Fund Reflects Rising Costs and Comes in For Raise of $7,000.

Local Improvement Enjoys Distinction of Being Only Estimate Reduced.

Although reflecting to a certain extent the rise in the cost of living the tax levy for next year in Thief River Falls as fixed by the council Tuesday evening shows a very modest upward trend. A total of $52,000 is considered necessary to meet the city's expenses for next year as compared with $45,000, which was the amount of the levy last year.

This does not mean that taxes will not be a great deal higher, however, as public school expenses are far in excess of previous years and the two increases will make an appreciable difference in the tax burden.

Current Fund Raised.

The current fund of the city seems to be hardest hit by the high cost of living. While $8,000 was considered a sufficient sum for this fund last year, the councilmen figured $15,000 would be required to keep it from becoming exhausted during 1921.

It is estimated that an additional $1,000 will be required to run the auditorium next year, the sum apportioned for this purpose being $3,000 as compared with $2,000 a year ago. The library fund also comes in for a raise of $500, being placed at $3,500 for next year.

Care of the poor is proving more expensive than formerly and $3,000 was allowed for this purpose as compared with $2,500 a year ago. It also was found necessary to make the interest fund $3,000 instead of $2,000 as last year in order to keep it from going "into the red."

One Fund Reduced.

Only one fund in the entire list comes in for a smaller sum this year than last. This is the local improvement fund, which was placed at $15,000 for next year. Last year this department of the city's activities required $18,000.

Funds which remain unchanged from last year are as follows: Sinking fund, $1,000; cemetery fund, $1,000; hydrant rent, $2,000, and street lighting, $5,500. The charges against these funds are quite well established and vary but little from year to year.

Half Mill For Music.

A tax of one-half mill was ordered levied for the purpose of providing for music in public buildings and on public grounds during the year 1921. The proceeds from this levy will be used to help support the band and is unquestionably the best means yet devised to give a boost to this popular local musical organization.

It has heretofore been the custom to make a direct donation to the band once a year but this will be unnecessary hereafter as the half-mill levy will insure a permanent fund for this particular purpose.

ROBBERS GET $130 AND COVER TRACKS

Break Into J. F. Farr's Soft Drink Parlor and Steal Considerable Cash.

J. F. Farr's soft drink establishment was entered by burglars some time Saturday night and cash to the amount of approximately $130 stolen. Entrance was gained through the man-hole in the sidewalk on the south side of the building, through the basement and cellar door. The burglar had no trouble getting out as the rear door is fastened with a spring lock and can be opened from the inside without a key.

The burglar left no clue which might be used in establishing his identity except a number of foot prints near the basement door, which indicate that he wore a number seven shoe. That the job was done by someone well acquainted with the building is evident, and the further fact that most of the money stolen was concealed in several places some distance from the cash register would indicate that the man who did the job had been hanging around the place and sizing up the situation pretty thoroughly before carrying out his purpose. The cash register also was carefully searched and everything removed with the exception of pennies, nickels and dimes. This small change, evidently because of its bulk, was left behind.

As a general thing Mr. Farr is not in the habit of leaving much money in the building over night, but on account of the illness of his wife he did not get around to his place of business Saturday evening to check up. All the circumstances indicate that the burglary was committed by someone thoroughly conversant with all the facts in the case and officials believe some local party is responsible for this as well as a number of other burglaries and attempted burglaries pulled off in Thief River Falls within the past few weeks.

City Not to Establish Park on Tindolph Point

The proposition of purchasing a tract of land on Tindolph point for park purposes was on Tuesday evening voted down by the city council. Alderman Andrew Ness cast the only vote in favor of purchasing the property and explained his vote by stating that the tract is worth much more than the price asked and that a park of some kind is an absolute necessity. Alderman Ole Ihle, speaking against purchasing the tract, stated that it was too small to be of any use as a park and also claimed that a number of the lots described as belonging to the plot must be located beneath the waters of Red Lake river as he had been unable to find a trace of them after a careful survey of the tract.

This action leaves the city just where it was before as far as the park question is concerned. Everybody wants a park but nobody seems to know how best to get one.

YOUNG WOMEN ON LONG HIKING TOUR

Arrive in City This Morning From New York Enroute to San Francisco

Miss Emy Clauss and Miss Edith Twilliger of New York City are not exactly afraid of the cars but they disdain using this modern mode of conveyance in getting across country. They are hiking from their home city to San Francisco and arrived in Thief River Falls this morning, having to date covered approximately 1800 miles of their journey.

The young ladies are childhood playmates of John Ward of this city and notified that gentleman of their arrival at Erskine. Mr. Ward boarded the Soo flyer last evening, met the girls at the junction town and brought them here on the northbound Soo train, arriving at 2:30. This was the first time a railroad had been called into service since the travelers started out on July 22. They admit to accepting an occasional lift in farmers' autos and wagons along the way, but these breaks have come but seldom, aggregating not more than 250 miles out of the total traversed.

The long-distance pedestrians are not making the trip on a wager or anything of the kind. They simply started out to see the country, and as time was no particular object they decided to go on foot. They will remain in Thief River Falls for about a week as guests of the Ward and C. M. Wilson families.

ANOTHER POLITICAL RALLY ON TUESDAY

N. E. Thormodson, Candidate For Congress, and Claude Townley to Speak.

Another political meeting of more than ordinary interest will be held in Thief River Falls next Tuesday evening, Oct. 5, when N. E. Thormodson, candidate for congress in the Ninth district, and Claude Townley, lecturer for the Nonpartisan league, are scheduled to appear at the auditorium at 8 o'clock.

Political issues in the state and congressional district will be discussed from the standpoint of supporters of the Nonpartisan league movement and it is to the interest of every voter, man and woman, to hear both sides discussed. Mr. Thormodson was defeated in the primaries by Halvor Steenerson, present congressman and regular republican candidate for reelection, but has been placed on the ballot as an independent by petition. He is making an aggressive campaign and his speech here next Tuesday evening will be well worth hearing.

Claude Townley, a brother of A. C. Townley, president of the Nonpartisan league, will deal largely with state issues from the standpoint of the farmer-labor side of the political fight in the state, and his speech no doubt will be highly interesting. In order for voters to form an unbiased opinion it is necessary that they hear both sides of the political argument and the meeting next Tuesday evening affords a splendid opportunity for everyone in this section to get first-hand information from two leaders in the Nonpartisan league.

Checks Undelivered.

Secretary G. Howard Smith of the Pennington County Fair association still has a number of premium checks which he is unable to deliver because the addresses of the owners are unknown. If any of the following will call on him or make known their addresses the checks will be forthcoming without delay: Annie Anderson, Esther Larson, Luella Peterson, Emma Rendell, Clara Berg.

Victory Medals.

The banks of Thief River Falls will continue until further notice to give free notarial service in the matter of securing victory medals for soldiers. They may also be had upon application to G. Howard Smith, adjutant of the local Legion post. This applies to all service men, whether members of the American Legion or not.

Attending Convention.

Dr. O. F. Mellby left Tuesday evening for St. Paul to attend the annual convention of the State Medical association. Dr. H. W. Froehlich expects to leave this evening with the intention of attending the remaining sessions of the convention.

ROAD QUESTION TO BE SUBJECT AT BIG MEETING

Senator McGarry and Fred D. Sherman Scheduled For Speeches October 12.

First Opportunity For Pennington County People to Hear Highway Authorities.

Proposed Babcock Amendment to Be Explained in Detail For Voters' Benefit.

Good roads boosters in Pennington county are making big preparations for the meeting to be held at the Thief River Falls auditorium on Tuesday evening, Oct. 12, when Senator P. H. McGarry of Walker and Fred D. Sherman, former state immigration commissioner, will be the leading speakers.

The question of good roads is one of the most important confronting the voters at the coming election and it is important that everyone be thoroughly informed regarding the proposed amendment to the state constitution, known as the Babcock amendment.

Authorities on Subject.

The speakers at the meeting to be held at Thief River Falls are authorities on the road problem and strong boosters for the Babcock amendment. Those who are opposed to the amendment are particularly invited to be present at the meeting in order that they may be thoroughly enlightened upon the subject.

Senator McGarry is widely known as a booster for better roads in the state and during his term of service in the legislature has taken a leading part in all movements looking toward highway improvement. He stood sponsor for the Babcock amendment when it was considered by the senate two years ago and there is probably not a man in the state who knows more about the provisions and workings of the proposed amendment than he.

Added Attraction.

The speakers will be accompanied to Thief River Falls by Col. Sam Badger, a veteran of the Civil war and champion snare drummer of Minnesota, and William Patton, a regular army fifer. These gentlemen will furnish music with pep in it and will add largely to the enjoyment of the proceedings.

Another thing which should throw much light on the road building question is the moving picture film to be shown in connection with the speaking program. This film shows road building in actual progress and is said to be highly interesting and instructive.

Meeting at Goodridge.

The people residing in the eastern part of the county will be given an opportunity the following evening to hear the speakers. A meeting has been arranged for Wednesday evening, Oct. 12, at Goodridge and friends of the amendment in that community are making arrangements to care for a large crowd.

CARGO OF WHISKEY SHIPPED FROM HERE

Canadian Goods Confiscated By Federal Revenue Men and Sent to St. Paul.

Thief River Falls people were given evidence on Saturday that occasionally revenue men capture a whiskey runner and occasionally they confiscate the wet goods found in his possession. A large consignment of Canadian whiskey, something like 150 quarts, was brought to this city that day by revenue men, boxed up and shipped to St. Paul. The booze had been captured the day previous at Lancaster when Harry Leslie, former deputy sheriff of Hennepin county, and Harry Anderson, also of Minneapolis, were intercepted in their effort to reach the twin cities with their valuable cargo.

Leslie and Anderson were placed in jail at Hallock and the contrabrand goods brought to this city. The car and whiskey were taken possession of by the revenue men. The prisoners have been arraigned and bound over to the federal court.

Leslie is under indittment for complicity in the Weisman-Martinson whiskey smuggling deal at Minneapolis some time ago and explained to officials that he was trying to make enough money on his present cargo of booze to pay the fine which he expected to draw for his connection with Weisman and Martinson.

It is alleged the attention of revenue men was attracted to the car when it stopped at a Lancaster filling station through the fact that a case of whiskey was tied to the running board of the machine. Another story is to the effect that the two men became intoxicated in the Kittson county village and this led to suspicion and search of their car.

New Adding Machine.

A new electrically driven adding machine of the very latest model was on Tuesday evening purchased by the city council for use in the city clerk's office. The old machine, while in good condition, proved inadequate for the work required of it in the clerk's office and the necessity of securing a larger machine has been obvious for some time. The J. C. Penney company purchased the old machine for use in its store.

LOUIS L. COLLINS

Republican Candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

COUNTY DEMOCRATS GOING INTO ACTION

Form Live Organization For the Purpose of Boosting Party's Candidates.

Pennington county Democrats evidently have no intention of allowing the election to get by without their making an effort for the candidates of the party. A well-attended meeting was held at the office of E. M. Stanton on Monday evening and plans for a vigorous campaign were talked over. The unanimous opinion of those present was that the party voters should stick to their own men in this campaign as, according to a number of those present, nothing had ever been gained by helping others out of their difficulties. E. M. Stanton, state central committeeman for the county, acted as chairman, A. S. Sapero secretary. Local chairmen will be appointed. A regular organization meeting will be held at a later date at which time local chairmen will be appointed in every precinct in the county and a regular campaign of education carried on.

It is the intention to hold at least one big rally before election and an attempt will be made to secure Lawrence H. Hodgson, candidate for governor, and Mrs. Peter Olsen of Cloquet, as speakers. The meeting will be widely advertised and it is the intention to make it the banner Democratic rally for this section of the state.

VALLEY'S DAIRYMEN MAY CONVENE HERE

Thief River Falls Has Excellent Chance of Being Named For Meeting.

Thief River Falls has a good chance of again entertaining the annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association this year. This is a highly important meeting as it is estimated that nearly five hundred delegates will be in attendance. The excellent treatment accorded the delegates attending the dairymen's convention here four years ago has not been forgotten and for this reason Thief River Falls stands an excellent chance of being named as the convention city.

The convention naturally should go to Detroit this year but the fact that the state convention is held at Fergus Falls precludes such a possibility. The commercial club is discussing the matter at its noon-day luncheon today, and Secretary Scott Laird of the club is now endeavoring to close arrangements for the convention with the officers of the association.

OPINION IS DIVIDED AS TO DAILY PAPER

Readers Favorable to Plan Still Lead But There Are Many More to Hear From.

Out of the 2,500 inquiries sent out to subscribers of The Times asking whether or not they would support a daily paper in Thief River Falls if The Times decided to put one in the field, about 1,800 have been returned. Those favoring the project have as yet the best of the count but are not so far in the lead but what those remaining outstanding can easily overcome them.

The Times has no other object in going to the expense of sending out these cards than sounding public sentiment on the subject. Launching a daily paper is a matter of decided importance and is not to be undertaken unless there is some prospect of the venture being successful. The Times has the equipment and could begin issuing a daily edition on very short notice, but whether or not it is done is entirely up to the readers and advertisers. If the demand is sufficiently emphatic there will be a Daily Times published in Thief River Falls before many weeks have gone by. For this reason it is hoped that all who have not returned the postal cards will do so at once. The postage is paid and the only requirement is the signature of the sender. There are spaces provided for those who are not in favor of the move as well as for those who are.

HERBERT FULLER IS AGAIN NAMED FAIR PRESIDENT

Albert Johnson and Fred Beerbower Also Stay on Board as Vice Presidents.

G. Howard Smith Declines Re-Election as Secretary—No Successor Chosen.

Association in Good Shape Financially After its Most Successful Season.

At the annual meeting of the Pennington County Agricultural society, at the commercial club rooms on Saturday evening Herbert Fuller was reelected president without opposition. This will be the fifth term Mr. Fuller serves in this capacity in spite of the fact that he declined the honor and A. J. Andersen was elected last year. The latter moved from the city shortly after taking over the office and Mr. Fuller was drafted. It is generally conceded that no better man for the place can be found and his willingness to again serve will be greeted with general satisfaction by everyone in any manner connected with the work of the fair association.

Albert Johnson and Fred Beerbower, present vice presidents, were reelected without opposition, their work in the past clearly entitling them to this honor.

Smith Declines Re-election.

When it came to the choosing of a secretary there was an unexpected hitch. The matter of salary proved the stumbling block, G. Howard Smith, present incumbent, maintaining that the present stipend of $300 per year is entirely inadequate and does not begin to pay for the actual work done. He made the suggestion that the pay of this official should not under any circumstances be placed at a lower figure than at present and that it should not be finally decided until the end of the year. The figure was fixed in 1914, at which time the total business of the fair association did not aggregate more than $4000 per annum and that had the pay kept pace with the increase in work the amount received by the official would now be at least $500. Even at this rate there would be a vast amount of work to be done for which no pay would be received.

The discussion was devoid of results and wound up with the nomination of Mr. Smith by L. H. Lawrence. The nomination was declined and the name of Mr. Lawrence was placed before the meeting by Albert Johnson. Mr. Lawrence also refused to accept. It was finally decided to lay the matter over until Saturday, Oct. 9, when another meeting will be held at which three delegates to the session of the state federation of county fairs will also be named.

The committee appointed to audit the books of the secretary and treasurer reported that the accounts and records were found correct and everything in a highly satisfactory condition. The committee was composed of L. H. Lawrence, L. A. Lampert and W. H. Akre.

Closes Successful Year.

The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand at the close of the year of $866.25, which is a gain of $851.25. The total receipts for 1920 were $9,492.31, as compared with $7,801.82 for the year previous. The disbursements footed up $8,626.06 for 1920 and $7,772.31 a year ago. The gate and grand stand receipts totaled $5,271.95, an increase over a year ago of $1,726. This excellent showing was made in spite of the higher prices paid for practically everything needed by the association. For instance the necessary labor at the grounds cost $1,537.73, nearly twice as much as a year ago. Music and attractions also ran into a great deal more money, costing $1400 in 1919 and $2,832.50 this year.

The associations assets exceeds its liabilities by more than $10,000 at this time, as will be seen by the following financial statement.

Notes Receivable	50.00
Assets	
Cash	$ 866.25
Lands	8,500.00
Buildings	9,500.00
Personal Property	200.00
Thrift Stamps	25.00
Certificates of Deposit	900.00
Due from State	1,406.50
	$21,447.75
Liabilities.	
Loan on Land	$ 3,500.00
Stock	7,525.00
	$11,025.00

Spuds Run About Thirty, Or Four Hills Per Bushel

E. C. Reamor, who lives in what is known as the Horseshoe just southeast of the city, is probably the champion potato grower of the county, so far as size of the fruit is concerned. He dug up ten specimens from four hills and found they weighed an aggregate of 20 pounds, the largest tipping the scales at 2½ pounds. While these specimens were undoubtely the largest found, yet Mr. Reamer's patch of one-quarter acre yielded 150 bushels, or at the rate of 600 bushels per acre. He found seven and eight of these big fellows in every hill he excavated.

PENNINGTON CATTLE CLEAR OF DISEASES

County at Present Holds National Record For Number of Accredited Herds.

Six Federal veterinarians, in charge of Dr. J. N. Holzer of Minneapolis, have been busy during the past two weeks in Pennington county testing cattle for tuberculosis. A total of 106 herds have been given the test during the period and a number still remain to be treated. It is not likely that all of the work can be finished at this time and the remaining herds will be looked after upon the return of the veterinarians at a later date.

Pennington county now has approximately 110 accredited herds, which is a greater number than any other county in the United States can boast of at the present time. More than 80 live stock breeders of the county have requested tests this year but due to the limited time and the scarcity of federal men all of these herds cannot possibly be taken care of at this time.

It will not be long until there is not a herd remaining in Pennington county which has not been subjected to the tuberculin test and the county will as a result have a clean bill of health as far as tuberculosis in cattle is concerned. Only six reactors have been found this year in herds which had previously been tested, which shows that it is possible to eradicate tuberculosis in live stock and that Pennington county is rapidly eliminating diseased animals from its herds.

PENNINGTON PLANS SHOWING IN PARADE

Celebration at Crookston Next Tuesday to Be Important Event in Valley.

Crookston is planning a big time for next Tuesday, Oct. 5, which has been set apart as dedication day. The new paved road from the city to the school of agriculture will that day be opened to traffic. This is the first paved road in the Red River valley and therefore of more than ordinary interest. It is planned to make the affair a big one in every respect.

Briefly, the plan involves a parade and decorating the roadway, and a very creditable parade is already assured. In it will be a division for county good roads boosters and it is hoped to secure a motion picture machine to photograph the padare. This film will be shown in hundreds of places in the state and therefore the advertising value to each county taking part will be considerable.

It is hoped that a committee from each county will do something to show that their county is alive. Without doubt this group of counties from Clay to Roseau have people with sufficient pep and enthusiasm to make an outstanding showing. The committee for Pennington county is composed of J. J. McCann, Olaf Ramstad and C. L. Hansen, who are making arrangements to see that this county is properly represented in the parade.

Signs depicting the excellence of the soil, the superiority of its crops or stock, its greetings on the occasion of the Northwest School celebration, good roads boosting, etc., will be appropriate. It is an ideal chance for the Red River valley to secure some highly desirable publicity and the opportunity should be taken advantage of to the greatest extent possible.

Opens Barber Shop.

William Poirier, who has worked at different shops in the city for some time, has opened a place of his own in the basement of the Dalquist building on Third street. The room has been neatly fixed up and Mr. Poirier has an attractive set of fixtures. His wide acquaintance in the city will prove an asset and he will no doubt get his share of the business.

Busy Forming Republican Clubs in Nearby Counties

G. Howard Smith of this city, in charge of forming Harding-Preus clubs in the counties of northwestern Minnesota, left Monday morning for Warren where an organization was perfected that same evening. Before returning Mr. Smith will organize clubs in Kittson, Roseau, Norman, Mahnomen, Red Lake and Clearwater counties similar to the one perfected in Pennington county last week.

BUSY TIME AHEAD FOR WOMAN'S CLUB

Meeting to Outline Program Will Be Held Next Monday Afternoon.

The first meeting of the present season for the Woman's club will be held next Monday afternoon in the commercial club rooms. This will be a social session and no set program has been provided, according to the president, Mrs. Daniel Shaw. The work for the year will be outlined and a plan of procedure discussed, however, and it is greatly desired that all ladies who take an interest in the aims of the organization be present at this time.

A regular program is in process of preparation and will be ready for distribution at the meeting in printed form. The selection of subjects for discussion as well as the general order of work proposed shows careful consideration on the part of those who have had this matter in charge and will provide ample scope for every kind of activity in which the organization sees fit to interest itself.

The Thief River Falls club is recognized as one of the most active and progressive in the entire state, having received many compliments on its excellent accomplishments from the highest sources. The new season starts out with the promise of greater interest in the organization than has ever before been shown. The new president and other officers are energetic and have acquired a vast amount of experience through their long connection with women's work. They will set a pace that other clubs will find it hard to follow.

City News

G. A. Severtson of Fargo, was in the city on business last Thursday.

C. L. Hansen and L. C. Nielson visited with friends at Grand Forks on Sunday.

Geo. Johnson of Grygla was in the city Thursday attending to business matters.

Dr. O. F. Mellby was a business caller in the twin cities the first of the week.

H. Ebbighausen left on Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks to attend to business matters.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson, instructor of violin, spent Tuesday at Warren visiting with friends.

F. Gustafson came down from Hallock on Thursday and spent a couple of days here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stover of Frazee, visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Miss Clara Johnson of Goodridge, visited with friends here on Friday. She also attended to shopping.

Ed. Abbott of Grygla, arriver here the latter part of the week and spent a couple of days on business.

Ralph Rice arrived here on Thursday evening from Plummer and spent a day visiting with friends and attend to business matters.

Joe Goulet of Baudette, is in the city this week visiting with friends and relatives.

Oscar Evenson left Saturday afternoon for a week-end visit with friends at Crookston.

T. Vollum arrived Wednesday evening from Plummer and spent a day transacting business.

Mrs. H. Ohm, accompanied by her son, Francis, left Friday evening for a week's visit in the twin cities.

Mrs. Tom Jacobson and son, Bernhard, are spending the week in Crookston visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Silvina Overum of Rolla, N. D., has been in the city the past week visiting with friends and relatives.

Christ Halverson, watchmaker at the Neset jewelry store, was an overnight visitor in Crookston on Friday.

Miss Nellie Saustad came down from Holt on Saturday afternoon to spend Sunday as the guest of friends here.

Mrs. T. J. Austad and two children left Saturday afternoon for a two weeks' visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

Miss Arlene Arden arrived on Saturday evening and was the week-end guest of her friend, Miss Lillian Svertson.

John Strom of Spooner spent the first of the week in this city attending to business affairs and also visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Anderson of Clearbrook, were in the city last Tuesday evening attending to business affairs.

Ludvig Hrube left this city Friday night for Minneapolis to spend an indefinite time visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Laura Knutson left on Saturday afternoon for Climax where she will be the guest of Mrs. B. O. Lund, for a few days.

Miss Huldah Johnson arrived here Saturday afternoon from Gatzke and will be employed in this city during the coming winter.

Misses Ann Solberg and Irene Monchamp of Mahnomen, shopped, between trains, at Thief River Falls on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barnett returned last Sunday morning from Oshkosh, Wis., where they spent a week visiting with relatives.

E. E. Blair arrived on Saturday from Baudette and spent Sunday visiting friends. He returned to his home the first of the week.

Rev. R. L. Barackman returned Friday morning from East Grand Forks where he had attended a session of the Adams Presbytery.

Miss Marie Anderson came over from Grand Forks the latter part of last week to visit over Sunday with her sister, Miss Clara Anderson.

Mrs. N. E. Muzzy of Steiner, returned to her home Friday morning after a brief visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Kisch. The latter accompanied her daughter to her home where she was a guest for a day.

Mrs. M. Harder of St. Hilaire was the guest of her daughter, Miss. Lillian, on Friday. While here she also attended to shopping.

Mrs. Nels Christianson and Mrs. Wm. Bon Durant are spending the week in the twin cities visiting with friends and relatives.

John Melgaard left last week for Marion, Ala., where he will attend a preparatory school before gaining entrance to the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Miss Esther Tandberg spent the week-end visiting at her home in this city. She returned to her duties as teacher in the Oklee schools Monday morning.

Mrs. Wm. Wood came down from Middle River the latter part of last week to receive dental treatment. She returned to her home on Saturday morning.

Remember "To sow a thought is to reap an action." Your first action should be to send for our catalog. Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. s30

Mrs. H. P. Backlund arrived Friday evening from Warren where she had visited friends, and left the following morning for her home at Strathcona.

Miss Signe Peterson, who had spent some time with her folks who reside near Gatzke, returned Saturday to take up her duties as waitress in one of the local hotels.

Mrs. Ole Brenna returned to her home at Middle River last Friday morning after spending a few days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Gustafson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patenck, who spent a couple of days as a guest at the Chas. Alexander home in this city, left last Friday morning for their home at Middle River.

Mrs. Elmer Logan returned to her home at Mt. Auborn, Ia., Friday night after spending some time visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gangness.

Miss Elfreda Gustafson arrived Thursday evening from Minneapolis and visited with friends for a brief period, leaving the following day for Strathcona to visit relatives.

Miss Ruth Kiland left Friday evening for Minneapolis where she will remain for a few months taking an advanced course in stenography at the Minneapolis School of Business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Doland and two sons, Bernham and Gordon, returned to their home at East Grand Forks after visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams, for a week.

Frances Alsen of Badger was the guest of friends here between trains on Saturday. He left the same evening for Minneapolis where he will enter upon his sophomore year at the university.

Miss Doris Halvorson, who had spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson in this city, has returned to Oberlin where she will enter upon her senior year at the Oberlin university.

Miss Gladys Swenson of Rosewood who spent a few days in this city as a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. Brandon, left on Saturday for Fargo where she will attend the Oak Grove seminary.

Mrs. E. Nornalder arrived here Friday evening from her home at Hallock and visited until the following morning with her friend, Miss Rose Severson when she left for Rainey River, Ont., Can., where she was called because of the precarious condition of a brother-in-law due to an accident.

Republican Meeting

J. A. O. Preus

Republican Candidate for Governor, and

Corp. Louis L. Collins

Republican Candidate for Lieut. Governor

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A. & H. Soda, per package	8c
Large package Post Toasties	20c
1 lb. package Corn Flakes	20c
Grape-Nuts, per package	18c
Large package Pillsbury's self-raising Pancake Flour	50c
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We mean exactly what we say. Just bring in any Mail Order "flyer" catalog, circular or pamphlet, and no matter what price they name we will meet their prices with the same cost to you, regardless at what we have our goods marked at and regardless of what they cost us. Why? Because we are today selling our merchandise on the Market Value of that day just the same as we always have. When goods continued to go up as they did the past four years our prices went up with the market. Now that goods are going down we are reducing our prices daily with the market. With the catalog houses these reductions just started. With us the reductions started with our Million Dollar Silk Sale which was held nearly five months ago, and one reduction right after another has taken place ever since.

Our sample line of Blankets offered at 33 1-3 off last week was a Sale that sold nearly every Sample Blanket by Saturday night, and in order to give all of you a chance to get a Blanket at a special price we have decided to place 100 large fluffy Blankets in beautiful plaid effects and in all leading Fall shades at each especially priced, at **$5.95**

36 inch yard wide heavy extra fancy patterns in fancy Outing Flannels. A wonder value at our price, per yard **35c**

Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, embroidered corners. A special value just received from New York, each **A SALE 35c each**

Ladies' Suits and Coats are now selling for a great deal less

A range of new, heavy winter Coats that are exceptional as to style, quality, workmanship and price **$25.00**

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For fine full silk lined, full lengths, both plush and cloth Coats, garments that are selling elsewhere for from $15.00 to $25.00 more than our price **$49.95**

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Ladies' new Fall and Winter Suits, choice of our entire line at a big reduction

You must never thinik of buying your new Coat, Suit Skirt or Dress without first seeing the wonderful garments we are now offering at the new low prices.

Special Sale now on Ladies' Silk Hose at Wonderful Values

$5.00 ladies' Silk Hose, now choice at pair. Our highest grade all pure Silk. **$2.95**

$3.75 ladies' fine pure Silk Hose. The entire stock now goes on Sale at per pair **$2.50**

$2.50 ladies fine Silk Hose; choice of the entire stock at per pair. Buy your Christmas Hose now. **$1.69**

Ladies' black 50c Cotton Hose, in all sizes, special for this week, at pair **29c**

Children's medium Ribbed black Stockings, in all sizes, now at pair **29c**

Special for Saturday only—36 in. Black Duchess Satin, very heavy. Extraordinary quality. Our $5.00 value at, yard **$2.95**

Special for Saturday only, 36 in. Black Taffeta, Pure Silk, very heavy, wonderful quality. Our $4.00 value, at per yd. **$2.65**

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100 Cords of Dry Wood

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We have been selling standard merchandise for more than a year at

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the manufacturing price, selling on the basis of purchase. We now sell you on the market value.

MR. FARMER: You may imagine that when you buy from a mail order house you are getting the same quality of goods at less money than you do from us. Stop to consider, Mr. Farmer, if you were no nearer a good market town than you are to the

MAIL ORDER HOUSES

WHAT WOULD BE THE VALUE OF YOUR FARMS?

You're getting back on the enhanced value of your farms vastly more than the small profits merchants charge you on purchases made from them.

Think This Over

MR. WORKINGMAN: You can buy your merchandise cheaper from your own merchcants than from the mail order houses. In addition you add to the growth of your own local retail stores. Prosperous retail stores mean a prosperous growing community, and a prosperous growing community offers continually wider fields for labor. For instance, in improvements alone we have spent thousands of dollars in the last few years which have gone directly to the workingman.

Service

Here at Lokens' we don't talk about "Our Store." We refer to it as "Your Store." We realize that we cannot exist without you—The Buying Public.

The first principle that we instill into our salespeople is that their "boss" is not our president or merchandise manager, or department head, but you, the customer.

Your interests come first, because we realize that we must truly serve you and give you a little more than you expect in the return for your expenditure if we are to grow and prosper.

The most important rule in this store is that you must be satisfied in every transaction. In order to insure your satisfaction and to serve your interests fully, there are two fundamental principles that are a part of our store policy.

First,—the merchandise must be right and it must live up to all claims we make for it. It must represent full dollar for dollar value. That is why we have the exclusive sales franchise for nationally known branded lines such as Printzess, Wooltex, Sterling, Hoveland and Palmer suits and coats; LaMerrit, Sterling and College Princess dresses, Jack Tar middies, Warner and Nemo corsets, Queen Quality ladies' fine shoes, Buster Brown children's shoes, the Budd Baby shoe, Elsie Dinsmore and Little Sister girls' wash dresses, Lampher-Skinner furs, Skinner's silks and satins, and dozens of other nationally known brands.

Second,—The sales person must be able to study your requirements and see that you secure the article best fittted to these. In our garment department, for instance, we send our girls to the large Eastern markets. Right through the factories they go, where they see and learn from first hands how the garments we sell are styled and manufactured. This is done so they may know the fundamentals of style, materials and colors, and be able to advise you intelligently on the gowns that will best express your individual personality.

These two factors—a good article plus intelligent service—are the basis of every transaction between this store and the customer.

Now compare this, if you please, with the service you receive from any mail order house. Of course there is no comparison, because they don't give you any service. You look only at a picture in their catalog, decide you want it, make out the order, buy a money order and a stamped envelope, which you pay for. You are furnishing the service, not them. Then when they receive your money and your order they grab a box off the shelf, put your address on it and express it to you. Suppose we sold goods that way to you. Suppose you came in here and said to us: "I wish that dress," (pointing to a dress pictured in our catalog). We pull out a box with this dress in it in the size you asked for and say, "$24.95, please." Would you be contented to take that box home with you without even looking what we gave you? YOU WOULD NOT. Why, you would be insulted at such service. Yet you are allowing a total stranger to do this very thing to you every now and then.

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MUCH INTEREST IN NEW CLUB DINNERS

First Noon-Day Gathering Presages Success of New Commercial Club Venture.

Considerable interest in the Thursday noon-day lunches of the commercial club was manifested last week when nearly thirty enjoyed the first "feed" put on by the club as part of the fall and winter activities. Indications today are that a still larger number will be on hand for the luncheon. It is in the nature of a cafeteria lunch and is served at 12 o'clock sharp. At the conclusion of the meal the business before the club is disposed of and adjournment taken at 1 o'clock.

Former Senator D. P. O'Neill was the speaker of the day last week, taking as his subject the matter of good roads. He explained in an able manner the many advantages of the highway system proposed under the Babcock amendment. R. A. Pretchett, a farmer of Ward county, North Dakota, also spoke to the club members, telling of the good results to be derived from a better community spirit.

Daniel Shaw concluded the program by urging the members of the club, all business and professional men and all owners of automobiles to contribute to the fund now being raised by the club for the carrying on of the Minnesota Highway Improvement association. This city is one of the last in the state to do its share in this matter and the following committee is very anxious to get the matter cleaned up without further delay: G. W. Connell, M. T. McFarland, W. B. Fuller, H. C. Johnson, Robt. McGinn and E. K. Ansen.

SIGNAL HONOR FOR THIEF RIVER MAN

Permitted to Give Tree Planted in Lincoln's Honor at Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The name Thief River Falls will be brought to the attention of citizens and visitors at Fort Wayne, Indiana, in a rather unusual manner and for a long time to come. A tree recently planted in honor of Abraham Lincoln at Foster park in that city bears the following inscription on a tablet of imperishable bronze:

"This Abe Lincoln Cedar commemorates the first memorial and prepetuates our homage to Lincoln's stirling virtues. It is given by E. M. Bennes, Thief River Falls, Minn., salesman for the Lincoln National Life Insurance company of Fort Wayne."

Mr. Bennes became sponsor for this memorial in a competition in which more than 2000 agents participated. The Lincoln insurance people had decided to honor the great man after whom it was named by planting a tree at Fort Wayne and offered to make the agent writing the largest amount of business during the month of April its donator. Mr. Bennis topped all his associates, leading the man next him by about $3000, and thus will have his name associated with that of the great emancipator upon a bronze tablet in a state far from his home.

In this connection it may be interesting to note that the first memorial to Lincoln was a cedar tree planted by one of his friends at Gentryville, Indiana, in 1830, just after the Lincoln family had moved to Illionis. It was called the Abe Lincoln Cedar and was a tribute to the abilities and honesty of the young man as he had impressed himself upon his early friends.

FOOTBALL CONTEST HERE NEXT SUNDAY

Red Lake Falls City Team to Be Taken on By Strong Squad of Local Players.

The first football game of the season to be played in Thief River Falls this season is scheduled for Athletic park next Sunday at 3 p. m. The first Thief River Falls city team will at that time take on the Red Lake Falls city team and an interesting contest is looked forward to.

The local team is composed of former college and high school stars and is starting out with a determination to win the championship of this section. The boys have been doing some preliminary work and practice and those who have witnessed the performances of the team claim that it is one of the fastest aggregations ever assembled here.

Just about the same thing is true of the Red Lake Falls team. It is composed of players who have starred on former college and high school teams and promises to be a formidable contender for the district championship. Those who desire to see a real football game should make arrangements to be on hand at Athletic park next Sunday afternoon. It will be a fight to a finish and there will be thrills enough for everybody. A series of games with other teams in this section is being arranged and from now until the end of the season there will be something doing in the football line.

Turn out next Sunday afternoon and give the home lads a boost. The Red Lake Falls boys are coming with the intention of taking the Thief Riverites into camp and the locals will need all the support they can get.

Merchant Buys Interest In Local Candy Concern

P. P. Palmer, proprietor of a general store at Mavie and a resident of this section for 22 years, has purchased a half interest in the Thief River Candy company, becoming associated with P. M. Carlson in the conduct of the business, and will go on the road as salesman. Mr. Palmer is an energetic business man with a wide acquaintance in the district covered by his company and will prove a hustler in getting its wares properly placed before the public.

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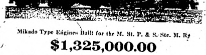

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The Cold Weather Clothing Without a Competitor

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"PATRICK" Overcoats are made in a great many styles and come in many colors. They are classy and extremely comfortable.

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"PATRICK" Ripper style Mackinaws, good length, made in a number of patterns, very warm and durable. Sizes 34 to 54.

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Men's fine lamb lined and leather sleeved Vests, worth $20. Only $15.00

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Our showing of men's and boys' Overcoats is, we believe, the largest in Northwestern Minnesota. We particularly want to tell you about our line of FUR COLLARD "MORATEX" lined Coats. These coats have Nearseal, Wombat, Possum, Coonskin and Muskrat collars; the shells are of Kersey, Suede cloth and Moleskin. They are without a doubt the greatest overcoat value known today.

Boys' Coats with Fur Collars at ______________ $9, $10, $18. Men's Fur Collared Coats at ____________ $25, $35 and $40.

These special "Moratex" Coats are now on the way. They were shipped by express Tuesday and will be on SALE SATURDAY, Sept. 2. **Get a "Moratex" lined Coat and be comfortable at pre-war prices.**

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

EXTRA SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY, SEPT. 2—Eighteen Young Men's Double Breasted All-Wool Suits; suits worth up to $60.00 each. Blues, Browns, and Stripes. Special while they last, your choice __________ $45.00

For winter suits and overcoats see us; we were never so well stocked to supply your wants as we are this season

"STEVENSON" lamb and sheep lined Overcoats for Men and Ladies with Coonskin, Possum, Nutria and Wombat collars

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The most complete line in this section of the state. We have the solid colors and heavy weaves made for the man who is outdoors most of his time, as well as the nobby designs and lighter makes for dress and sport __ $1.50 to $15

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Society

Republican Noonday Luncheon.

A social event of more than ordinary importance was the noonday luncheon given by the Republican women at the Evelyn hotel on Friday. Mrs. C. A. Severance of St. Paul, national committee woman for the Republican party and a speaker of national prominence, spoke about political issues affecting the welfare of women. In her address, Mrs. Severance laid emphasis on the fact that women were going to play an important and active part in political affairs. She showed how women have wonderful powers of organization—one thing that wins and will save our country. She also pointed out how cooperation between men and women would lead to a betterment in politics. She explained in detail the necessity of belonging to a political party. Explanation for the strong opposition to the League of Nations was also made. She spoke commendably about J. A. O. Preus and Senator Harding. She also complimented Mrs. J. M. Bishop on the splendid work she is doing at the Republican headquarters at St. Paul. Miss Effie Hurry, county chairman of Republican women deserves worthy praise for her manner of leadership, and Ward Chairmen Miss Marie Nelson, Mrs. T. P. Anderson, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence and Mrs. A. Bottelson ably assisted in making this event a success. Mrs. Severance's visit was greatly enjoyed and local women feel benefited by her impressive talk.

Jacobson-Teal.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride, 215 South Duluth avenue on Monday afternoon, Sept. 27, uniting Hubert L. Jacobson and Miss Pearl E. Teal in the holy bonds of matrimony. Only immediate relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony which was performed by Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the local Presbyterian church. After a brief wedding trip which will be spent in visiting friends in Grand Forks the newlyweds will return to this city to make their home. Mr. Jacobson is employed as train inspector on the Soo. Their many friends offer congratulations.

Teachers' Reception.

The reception for the teachers, which is an annual social function, was held in the commercial club rooms Monday evening and was well attended. This event afforded a pleasant opportunity for the teachers and parents to become acquainted. Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president of the school board and W. A. Ziegler, superintendent of the local schools, made speeches while Mrs. Guy Halvorson and Miss Dora Holmen delighted the guests with vocal numbers which were very well received. Light refreshments concluded a most enjoyable evening.

For Mrs. Berg.

An informal affair of the afternoon was held at the home of Mrs. Bredesen, Arnold avenue, on Friday, when she entertained a number of ladies in compliment to Mrs. Inga Berg, who left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis where she will spend the winter. The hours were devoted to knitting and conversation. At five o'clock a delicious lunch was served. Mrs. Nyhus, Mrs. John Dahl, Mrs. Geo. Larson, Mrs. J. Vold and Mrs. Inga Berg were the guests.

Trinity Luther League.

The Trinity Luther League will meet this evening in the basement of the Trinity Lutheran church and will be entertained by Mesdames C. M. Carlson, E. Klungness, J. O. Sether. The following program has been arranged:

Readings ____________ Orrin Storholm
Piano solo ________ Miss Laura Forde
Vocal solo ___________ Dr. J. N. Nesse

Entertains Informally.

Honoring Miss Elaine Ruth, of Little Falls, who was her guest the first of the week, Mrs. F. C. Nielai entertained informally a few of her most intimate friends at her home on Arnold avenue. The ladies having the pleasure of the afternoon were, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mrs. A. S. Sapero and Mrs. Scott Laird.

Entertained Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Iver Howick entertained about thirty of their friends at their home Saturday evening in honor of their nieces, Isabell and Glendora Weitrich, who will leave soon for their home at Blackduck. The evening was spent in dancing. At midnight a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Berg Guest of Honor.

Mrs. Inga Berg, who left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis to make her home this winter, was honor guest at a dinner given at the home of Rev. and Mrs. George Larson, on Friday evening and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson on Saturday evening.

Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson, 415 Main avenue north, on Friday afternoon, Oct. 1. Lunch will be served at [illegible] o'clock. All members are urged to come early.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

An important meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the home of Mrs. O. A. Naplin, 713 Knight avenue north, on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 5. All members are requested to be present.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. G. W. Booren is entertaining a few of her most intimate friends this afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. J. H. Hay of Grand Forks and Mrs. J. W. Colburne of Los Angeles, Cal., who are her guests this week.

Wedding Anniversary.

Last Thursday evening a small party of friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Booren in honor of their sixth wedding anniversary. Those participating were, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nielai. The honor guests were presented with a handsome gift as a remembrance of the occasion.

Wedding Dance.

In compliment to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ludvig whose marriage occurred recently, a wedding dance was given on Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kiel at Hazel. About one hundred guests were in attendance. The bride and groom were recipients of many useful and beautiful gifts.

Torstveit-Loken.

Arthur Torstveit and Marie Loken of Hazel, were united in marriage Saturday evening at the Zion Lutheran parsonage. Rev. George Larson officiated in the presence of Louis Loken, a brother of the bride, and Hulda M. Torstveit, a sister of the groom.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 3 at 9:45 a. m. Sunday school rally day exercises. Note the earlier hour. 11 a. m. morning worship. Holy communion. Every member of the church is expected to be present for this service. 3 p. m. Junior C. E. 7 p. m. Senior C. E. 8 p. m. evening worship. Theme: Hebrews 12:18-24: The Ladies Aid society meets with Mrs. C. T. Christenson, 415 Main Ave. N. on Friday afternoon.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class 10 a. m. Service, 11 a. m. Norden, 2 p. m. Evening service, (city) at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Mrs. John Sagmoen and Mrs. L. L. Furan of Rosewood will entertain the Rindal Ladies aid Tuesday, Oct. 5. Confirmants from 1 to 2 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday, Oct. 7. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, Oct. 7. Confirmants Saturdays, at 2 p. m.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, Minn., H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 3 English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. Business meeting after the services. Sunday, Oct. 10—English and German services at Esplee at 10 a. m., and at Grygla at 3 p. m. Business meeting at each place. Sunday, Oct. 17—German services at 10 a. m., and English services at 3 p. m., at Germantown. Business meeting after the forenoon service. During the week beginning Oct. 3, the pastor will be attending a conference at Warren.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swenger, Pastor—Services in the Norwegian language Sunday at 11 o'clock. English services in the evening at 8. The quarterly business meeting of the congregation will be held at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30. Ladies Aid society meeting on Thursday afternoon and Young Peoples society meeting the same evening.

Silverton Norwegian Luth. Church, E. O. Sabo, Pastor—Communion service next Sunday at 11 a. m. After services there will be a lunch served by the Young Peoples society. The Young Peoples meeting will be held in the afternoon. This is the annual meeting and all members are requested to be present.

The First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in Swedish at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. Services in American at 7:45 p. m. The Ladies' Missionary society of the church will be entertained by Miss Agnes Longren at her home Friday afternoon, Oct. 1.

Christian Science Society—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Unreality." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

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Yours very truly,
NASH SALES COMPANY,
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Kenosha, Wisconsin, Sept. 25, 1920.

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GO HEAR THEM ALL.

It is likely that the people of this neighborhood will have an opportunity of hearing the three leading candidates for governor of Minnesota before election day. Mr. Preus comes here in company with Mr. Collins, his running mate, on Saturday evening. Dr. Shipstead will certainly be here later in the campaign and local Democrats are in hopes of inducing Mayor Hodgson to include the city in his itinerary.

This will give our people quite a layout to choose from. While it is not likely that many voters will be changed by the appearance of these men, yet it will be good for us to hear what each one in turn has to say. One of them will be the chief executive officer of the state of Minnesota during the next two years and all of us should be interested in having a near view of them as well as first-hand knowledge of the things for which they stand.

An American who says that he takes no interest in politics and consequently does not care anything about what candidates have to offer nor for the principles upon which they are seeking his suffrage, is admitting that he is not a very good citizen. It is your business—everybody's business—to care about these things. Unless you find out what all candidates stand for and vote for the one you think will best fill the office sought, you have very little kick coming if the man elected does not come up to your expectations.

Come out and hear Preus and Collins on Saturday evening. Turn out for the Shipstead meeting also, and in case Hodgson speaks in Thief River Falls later in the campaign, take the opportunity offered of looking him over. In that way the community will get credit for taking an interest in what is offered in the way of candidates at any rate.

DONT OVERLOOK THE PINK BALLOT.

While Amendment No. 1 has received nearly all the notice up to date by reason of its outstanding importance, there are others coming up for decision that should not be overlooked. A good roads system for the state appeals to men and women in every walk of life and there is no great danger of anything pertaining to its establishment being passed up. For this reason it is probable that the Babcock law will receive the largest vote ever cast for a constitutional amendment in the state.

But there are three other amendments up for consideration by the voters, each worthy of careful attention. Number 2 provides for the choosing of judges of probate every four years as is the case with other county officials. There certainly can be no opposition to this proposition. Under the present law the judge of probate must be selected every two years, the entire election machinery of the state being put in motion in order to accomplish this minor result. No sensible person will object to this change.

Amendment No. 3 authorizes the legislature to change the system of taxation on personal property in certain cases, levying in its place an income tax. That this will provide a more equitable method of dealing with the matter cannot be denied. A demand for such change has long been felt and the last legislature placed the question before the people. If this law is fully understood there is hardly question of its passage.

The fourth amendment on the list permits the levying of assessments against railroad companies to meet the cost of local improvements. As matters now stand the gross earnings tax covers everything with the result that municipalities must foot the cost of all street pavement, sewers, waterworks and sidewalks for the railroads. Sometimes these are paid voluntarily by the companies but there is nothing in the law compelling the latter to do this if they do not se fit. The proposed amendment will make it possible for municipal authorities to levy on this class of property for such improvements the same as any other.

These amendments are all good ones and should be passed. There is no question but that the voters of the state will favor every one of them, but up to date the good roads amendment has so far overshadowed all others that those remaining may be lost by default. Every voter should acquaint himself with these matters and make it a point not to overlook the pink ballot.

STARTS OUT WELL.

The attendance last Thursday at the first noonday luncheon given by the commercial club augurs well for the success of the plan. A larger number of members showed up than is often the case at regular club meetings.

The subjects handled by the speakers were all timely and of importance. Nothing startlingly new was proposed but matters were touched upon that should be receiving a greater share of attention at this time. This applies particularly to the good roads agitation that is now going on all over the country and particularly in Minnesota. Nothing of more direct application could have been hit upon as a topic for discussion nor could anything have been more timely.

Noonday luncheons have proved great community building stimulants wherever tried and there is every reason for believing that such will be their history here. Much depends upon the club officials as it will largely devolve upon them to map out the programs. There is certainly no shortage of interesting subjects and ordinarily the men who can discuss them most intelligently can be secured. We have a number of first-class citizens of this kind right here at home and they will no doubt be given the opportunity of presenting their views.

The plan is a good one and starts out with every promise of being a great success.

A FOOLISH PERFORMANCE.

The ousting of the Socialist members of the New York assembly is being generally commented on by the newspapers of the country as a preposterous piece of business. Editors of every political complexion condemn the proceeding as a usurpation of power on the part of the legislature and the opinion is freely expressed that a result opposite from that sought will be the outcome.

These men had committeed no offense for which they could be brought before the bar of any unprejudiced tribunal. They simply exercised their rights as American citizens, a right that guarantees them the privilege of thinking and talking as they see fit so long as none of the laws of the land are transgressed. Actions like that of the New York legislature breeds opposition to regularly constituted government instead of quelling it.

Charles E. Hughes, former governor of New York and four years ago candidate on the Republican ticket for president of the United States, says:

"The ouster of the Socialist members of the assembly is an act of incredible folly and is in flagrant disregard of the fundamental principles of American institutions.

"I am opposed to Socialism and it is because I wish to see our institutions preserved that I think this action, which is of the essence of sovietism, should be denounced.

"It is the more flagrant because these members of the assembly had just been re-elected in accordance with our laws and at a fair election, and because, so far as provisions of the Constitution of the Socialist party gave any pretext for the previous ouster, these had been removed."

TEN SOUND REASONS.

As the general purpose of the Babcock good roads amendment becomes more generally understood objection to its adoption disappears. Almost any project involving such vast expenditure of money would require that people be given time to acquaint themselves with its provisions before giving it their unqualified endorsement. The campaign of education carried on under the direction of the State Highway department has had the desired affect and it looks now as if there would be but few votes cast against the proposition on election day.

In order to put the matter in as short a form as possible ten reasons have been given why this amendment should receive the vote of every man and woman who goes to the polls. These reasons are:

1. It will give to Minnesota a 7,000 mile trunk highway system.
2. It will remove from the counties the burden of building and maintaining these expensive highways.
3. It will release sufficient local funds, if concentrated, to enable the counties and townships to build 21,850 miles of gravelled roads in 10 years.
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5. The motor vehicle owners who pay increased license fees will get their money back three-fold through saving in the cost of operating their cars.
6. It will enable Minnesota, for the first time, to take up and solve its road building problem in a business-like way.
7. It will bring millions of dollars into Minnesota every year by making the beauty spots of the commonwealth accessible to tourists from other states.
8. It will add hundreds of millions of dollars to the wealth of the state by reducing marketing costs and developing our agricultural resources.
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A SERIOUS SITUATION.

According to press reports there is grave danger of people in the Northwest freezing to death for the lack of coal during the coming winter. It is claimed that the entire territory west of Duluth-Superior has received less than 25 per cent of its normal annual requirements and that the situation is decidedly serious.

This will, of course, have no effect on the man who delays ordering his coal until the last minute. Fuel has been a scarce article during the three past winters, and while there has perhaps been no actual sufferings, the condition has proved most annoying. If the coming season is to be worse in this respect than its predecessors it will be well for even those who habitually hold off everything as long as possible to give thought to the matter.

The situation will in no manner be helped by one's standing around and cussing the coal operators, miners, transportation companies or dock men. Any one or all of these may be to blame, but this fact will not prevent a man's family from freezing if there is no fuel in sight. The thing to do is to get the bin filled at the earliest opportunity. Coal dealers have urged that this be done all summer, anticipating exactly what has happened. Very few paid any attention to this warning, the general opinion seemingly being that there would be plenty of coal when the time came for firing up. It may prove that they were right—at least it is to be hoped that such is the case—but the outlook is far from cheering at this time.

It is probable that those who place their orders at once may be supplied. Local dealers are still able to secure coal, but none will promise anything for the future. One thing is certain—the man who has his bin full at this time is money ahead as well as relieved of considerable worry.

The action of a number of Minnesota banks in buying the bonds offered by the state in sufficient quantities to pay the service men in their communities the bonuses due them is a fine, patriotic move and one that should be generally followed. The bonds are purchased by the banks and the money is sent by the state direct to those who are to be benefited by the purchase. The boys are entitled to $15 for each month they served but the state has not the funds with which to pay the amount on hand at the present time. The next legislature will doubtless make provision for the payment of the entire sum, but in the meantime these banks are making it possible for the money to be secured without delay.

Women will not have to tell election judges how old they are in order to be allowed to cast a ballot—not in Minnesota at any rate. Attorney General Hilton has ruled that it will be sufficient for the officials in charge of the booth to know that the new elector is "more than 21" and that a more explicit statement is unnecessary. The real nice clerk of election will look surprised and a little doubtful when this information is given—if he knows his business.

Now that Mexico's new President has been sworn in, it's up to the family to go ahead with the funeral arrangements.—Topeka Capital.

Speaking of equal suffrage, an anti newspaper recently spoke of it as "useless fifth wheel in politics." In the case of an automobile we are reminded that the fifth wheel is the steering wheel.—Roseau Region.

There will be hurried councils in the political camps now. Some plan must be devised to keep mice away from the polls.—Pittsburgh Sun.

Peat land crop experiments this year tell the same story as in former years—that an application of phosphate or manure cause them to produce much heavier crops than in their natural state.—Warroad Pioneer.

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News

[illegible] of Hazel was in the [illegible] business matters.

[illegible] returned last evening [illegible] day business trip to [illegible] Baudette.

[illegible] Roy Morgan is spending the week visiting with her parents, who reside at Kenosha, Wis.

Ed. Abbott of Grygla was in this city Friday renewing acquaintances and also transacting business.

Mrs. Fred Brendecke left yesterday afternoon for Crookston where she visited with friends over night.

Mrs. W. A. Swanson of Rhoda, arrived here on Monday and spent a couple of days visiting with friends.

O. S. Hall, a prominent business man at Gatzke, arrived on Tuesday and spent the day transacting business.

A. Gunderson returned on Saturday evening from Plummer where he had spent a few days attending to business matters.

Dr. A. J. Paulson left Tuesday evening for Fergus Falls to spend a few days in attendance at a district medical convention.

Mr. McCann, who is employed at [illegible]jou, arrived here Saturday evening [illegible] spend Sunday with his family who make their home here.

Miss Lila Odegaard of Roseau was an over night guest of Miss Edith Skoglund on Monday, leaving the next morning for Warren where she will visit friends.

Miss Ella Causin left Saturday evening for Paynesville, where she will teach a term of school. Miss Causin had spent the summer with her parents who reside near Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoppe of St. Paul were guests the forepart of the week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, leaving Wednesday evening on their return. Mr. Hoppe and Dr. Froehlich are cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Robilard of Hill City, who had spent a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Teslow in this city, left on Monday afternoon for the coast where they will remain during the winter.

[illegible]udette Region: R. E. Simpson, [illegible]man for Ed Johnson & Co., has [illegible]ned his position and left Tuesday [illegible] Thief River Falls to take charge of drainage work for a large construction company operating near there.

H. A. Carlson of Chicago, accompanied by Donald Ross and Walter Ogren of Minneapolis, spent the week end visiting friends in this city. Previous to their visit here they were guests of relatives and friends at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. John Flynn of Roosevelt, was a between train guest of Mrs. J. Kelley on Tuesday evening enroute to Minneapolis, where she will get her baby, who has been confined in a hospital at that place for some time. She was accompanied by Miss Ida Jordan, also of Roosevelt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Bean who has been in business in this city for many years, recently purchased a grocery store in [illegible] above named city and will take possession immediately.

After an extended visit of two months spent in visiting with relatives and friends at Minneapolis and points in Wisconsin, Mrs. F. J. Marcoe returned to this city Monday evening. Prior to leaving for her home at Malcolm, Mrs. Marcoe was the guest of her daughter, Miss Irma, who is a student at the local high school.

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[illegible]	20c
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O. J. Peterson of Hazel spent Sunday visiting with friends in this city.

Victor Petterson came down from Grygla on Tuesday to visit with friends.

Herbert Conner is spending the week at Hibbing attending to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Elliott of Clear River, were guests of friends here over the week end.

After spending some time in this city, Miss Mildred Holbrok returned to her home at Grygla the latter part of last week.

Peter Dryer, who is employed at Erskine, spent the week-end with his family in this city.

James Nomland of Grygla was in the city the first of the week looking after business affairs.

Perry Johnson returned to this city Saturday evening from Ada where he had spent a brief period on business.

Miss Ruth Lonson, who is engaged in teaching school near Hazel, visited over Sunday with her parents in this city.

Miss Olivia Shilling, who is employed here made a brief visit with friends in Crookston the first of the week.

Arthur Lund returned Saturday evening from Warren where he had spent a few days receiving medical treatment.

The E. K. Ansen and L. H. Larson families autoed out to the Jorgen Eide farm on Sunday for a visit, returning in the evening.

Miss Delena Hance returned to Grand Forks on Monday afternoon having spent a brief period visiting at her home here.

Mrs. John Dahl, accompanied by her little grandson, Vance Newberry, left Tuesday morning for Duluth to spend some time visiting with relatives.

Mrs. James Meehan of Seattle, Wash., who is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shaw, left on Tuesday for a brief visit with friends at Red Lake Falls.

Two of the Sisters of St. Joseph at Crookston were in the city the first of the week as guests of Miss Noesen. They returned to Crookston on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Mattson and son, Russell, left Saturday evening for Erskine to be guests at the home of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hagen.

Miss Mamie Zavoral left Monday afternoon for Crookston where she will visit friends for a few days. From that point she will go to Melvin where she has accepted a position to teach school.

Wm. Fitzgerald came to Thief River Falls on Friday to join his wife who is a guest at the home of her parents in this city. They both returned to their home at Orleans on Monday morning.

Mrs. A. Anderson, who has spent the entire summer with relatives and friends in Chicago, arrived here Saturday evening and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Miss E. Block of Alexandria, who had visited with friends at Greenbush for a couple of weeks, arrived Tuesday afternoon and was the guest of friends between trains, leaving for her home on the flyer in the evening.

Miss Evelyn Tessum left Sunday evening for Minneapolis to resume her studies at the university. Miss Tessum had spent practically the entire summer visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oluf Tessum.

Mrs. B. E. Olson of Lincoln, Colo., spent Sunday in this city visiting with friends. She left on Monday morning for Roseau where she will spend two weeks as the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. Braaten.

Local friends will be interested to learn that Miss Evelyn Cornforth, who was formerly manager of the Western Union in this city, left Crookston the latter part of last week for Jamestown, N. D., where she has accepted a position as operator.

Roy Stoltz, accompanied by his two sisters, Misses Bernice and Florence, of Argyle, arrived here on Friday evening and were guests of Miss Lillian Provencher, between trains. They left left in the evening for Mercedes, Texas, where they will live in the future.

Mrs. Jos. Perdzock of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., is in the city as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein. Enroute she made stops at Duluth and Aurora, where she visited her brother, Joseph. Mrs. Perdzock was formerly Miss Alpha Werstlein.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Green and children of Starkweather, visited at the C. B. Bradley home in this city the latter part of last week. They left on Saturday evening for St. Louis, Missouri where they will visit for some time before leaving for their new home in the state of Nebraska.

John McLean, until recently engaged in farming in Cavelier county, N. D., was in the city for a few days on a visit at the home of his brother-in-law, J. F. Farr. Mr. McLean was on his way to Ontario to visit his childhood home for a short time, after which he will again go west and make his home in Vancouver.

Miss Amy Nelson, who spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson, in this city, left Saturday evening for Minneapolis near which city she will teach a term of school. Miss Nelson was accompanied by her little nephew, Robert Johnson, who had spent three months at the home of his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker returned Tuesday from an auto trip in western Canada. During their absence of eight weeks Mr. and Mrs. Walker covered a distance of 2000 miles and state that the best stretch of road during the entire trip was found on the Jefferson Highway between this city and Warren. Enroute to their home they made stops in Manitoba, Montana and North Dakota where they visited with relatives and friends.

Robert Carlson of Gatzke, visited with friends here on Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Swenson of St. Hilaire was the guest of friends here between trains, Tuesday.

Mrs. Bertha Giller returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis where she had spent a few days on business.

Mrs. E. A. Stoughton returned Monday evening from Detroit where she made a week-end visit with friends.

Miss Elaine Ruth of Little Falls, made a brief visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. Fred Nielal, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Provencher left the first of the week for the twin cities where they will visit with friends for a week.

Miss Gerda Mortenson, a member of the teaching corps in this city, spent the week-end as the guest of her parents at Fosston.

Mrs. Wm. Rancor arrived here Saturday evening from Mahnomen to spend a few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Dahl.

Geo. L. Sterns left on Thursday afternoon for Fargo to attend to business matters connected with the Northwestern Telephone company.

Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein left Tuesday morning for Greenbush where she spent a day visiting with friends. She returned to her home the following afternoon.

Mrs. A. Anderson came down from Malcolm the latter part of last week and visited with friends. From this city she went to Holt to be the guest of relatives and friends.

Mrs. Chas. Klingborg, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Alexander for a week, returned to her home at Fon du Lac, Wis., the first of the week.

Miss Effie Christianson of the ready-to-wear department at Lokens' store is spending the week at Warroad in the interests of the Loken store. She will return tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson and son, Ardell, arrived here on Thursday morning from St. Hilaire and were guests of friends until time for their departure on the afternoon train.

Phillip Larson, a graduate of the Thief River Falls high school class of 1920, left this week for Maddock, N. D., having accepted a position as bookkeeper with the First State bank of that city.

Mrs. Inga Berg and son, Elric, left Sunday evening for Minneapolis where they will reside during the winter. The latter will attend Augsburg seminary during their stay in the above named city.

Miss Alva Frederickson, who has been employed at Minot, N. D., for the past four years, arrived here on Tuesday morning and will spend her vacation visiting at the home of her parents who reside at Hazel.

Mrs. John Ward and baby daughter, Merton, who had spent a week visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson at Fordville, N. D., returned to their home here Saturday evening.

George Joyce and family, formerly of Thief River Falls, now of Randolph, Neb., drove up in their car and arrived at their old place two miles east of town on the state road, at 5 o'clock this morning. The weatherman had mixed up a rather cold reception for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Storholm returned on Sunday from Grand Forks where they spent a brief period as guests at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Arthur Hallen. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ida Tibbles who spent Monday and Tuesday as a guest at the Storholm home. The latter returned to her home in Grand Forks on Tuesday afternoon.

Norman Dybvik, who has been employed at Bessemer, Mich., for a number of months, arrived in this city Friday morning for a brief visit at the home of his parents. In addition to his regular work, Norman has held the position as drummer in an orchestra managed by Paul Mork, formerly of this city. Ben Lonson is also a member of this body of musicians.

Mrs. T. Torgerson of Greenbush was the guest of her friend, Mrs. Anna Dock, between trains Tuesday. She left on the flyer in the evening for Houston, this state, at which place she will be met by her husband who will journey to that city via the auto route the latter part of the week. Together they will continue to the twin cities for a brief visit with friends before leaving for Long Beach, Cal., where they will make their home in the future. The entire trip west will be made by car.

OPENING OF Citizens Bowling Alleys

The management wishes to announce that the Citizens Bowling Alleys will be opened for the season on

Saturday, Oct. 2

T. P. Anderson left the first of the week for St. Paul to attend to business matters.

Melvin Mortrud, who had spent a few days at Argyle, returned to this city on Monday evening.

Mrs. Anna Watson returned Monday evening from Oslo, where she had spent a week visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Robinson.

Miss Anna Rindal made her departure on Monday evening for Minneapolis where she will enter a Norwegian deaconess hospital.

Miss Selma Rogney of Red Lake Falls shopped in this city on Saturday. While there she was the guest of her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin.

Miss Mfriam Bishop, who has spent her vacation at her home in this city, left on Monday evening for Minneapolis to resume her studies at the university.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Jorgenson were guests of friends here on Monday evening enroute from their former home at Oslo to Gary where they will live in the future.

Mrs. Nellie Hodak left for Valley City, N. D., Monday evening to be in attendance at the funeral services of her sister. She will return the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bean left this city Monday evening for Minneapolis to make their future home. Previous to their departure Mr. Bean was employed as a mechanic in the Borry garage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ludvig returned the first of the week to Minneapolis where they will make their home after spending their honeymoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kiel, who reside near Hazel.

Andrew Olson arrived here Monday evening from Minneapolis to visit at the home of his brother, Haakon Olson. The former has spent the past three years in California and this is the first time in three years that the brothers have met.

John Kiland, who had spent the past three weeks visiting at the home of his sister, who resides near Leonard, spent Moynday visiting at the home of his brother, T. T. Kiland in this city. He left the same afternoon for his home at Hillsboro, N. D.

Miss Edna Flozdahl of Minneapolis is spending the week as the guest of her friend, Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist. Miss Flozdahl is well known to many local people as she attended the Lincoln high school for a number of years, graduating with the class of 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wagard, accompanied by the latter's daughter, Miss Amelia Moberg, who has been visiting with relatives at Adams, N. D., arrived Monday evening for a brief visit at the R. Oen home, before leaving for their home at Seattle, Wash.

Senator Nelson's Son-in-Law Draws Sentence of 99 Years

Gustaf Nelson, son-in-law of United States Senator Knute Nelson, was sentenced to 99 years at hard labor in the state penitentiary yesterday, following his conviction on a charge of first degree murder for the shooting of Joseph Middleton, a farm hand, at Alexandria, last March.

The case has attracted nation-wide interest, due to the defendant's relationship to Senator Nelson and the local fight which the case has caused among officials in Douglas county. It is expected the case will be appealed and a new trial asked for.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minnesota post office for the week ending September 25. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago, Ill.: Aanden, Mrs. Clara; Erickson, Mrs. G.; Erickson, Miss Inga; Dewey Produce Co.; Dokken, Andrew; Hanson, Josephine; Kvalheim, Miss Emma; McBain, Mr. N. L.; McMannus, Pat; Nelson, Nelius; Rosett, Selmert; Selig, Miss Lena; Smith, Mr. H. A.

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

Study at Home.

The age calls for mental activity. The citizen of a democracy should be able to use his mind intelligently. Education can no longer be thought of as limited to the immature years of life or, as with the great majority of people, stopping at a very early age; but it must be considered as a permanent necessity for personal and be general and lifelong. More and more men and women see this, and hence seek for opportunities to do systematic studying, especially during the cooler parts of the year. They are now giving thought to the work to be taken up during the coming winter. The Correspondence-Study Department of the State University is ready to help meet this widespread demand for more education that exists among the adult citizens of the state and is interested in helping every person who cannot attend classes, or who fails to find in them what he wants, to secure the instruction he desires. Its work extends into nearly every field of study and is of varyly every field of study and is of varying grades to suit the needs of those who have little, as well as those who have much, previous education. Full information about the courses offered can be obtained by sending a card to the Correspondence-Study Department University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

Population Increases.

Two girls and two boys arrived this week to augment the population of Pennington county. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crown and Mr. and Mrs. John McCrary are the parents of the little girls, while Mr. and Mrs. John Engelbert and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Laubach were blessed with sons.

Change in Running Time.

Effective October 15th, 1920 a new time table will be in operation on the Minnesota Northwestern Electric Railway. Changes made therein are necessary on account of the increased amount of freight business this year. The more important changes are as follows: Train No. 1 will leave Thief River Falls at 7:30 a. m., and arrive at Goodridge at 8:40 a. m. Train No. 2 will leave Goodridge at 9:10 a. m., and arrive at Thief River Falls at 10:30 a. m. Train No. 3 will leave Thief River Falls at 3:00 p. m. and arrive at Goodridge at 3:50 p. m. Train No. 4 will leave Goodridge at 4:40 p. m., and arrive Thief River Falls at 5:50 p. m. Stops Nos. 1, 2 and 3 have been eliminated. The first regular stop out of Thief River Falls will now be No. 4. A supply of printed time tables showing the schedule time at all stops are now on hand and will be mailed upon request. Also merchants and others interested can secure large display cards showing time at all stops from Agent at Goodridge or at General Offices at Thief River Falls.

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General Manager.

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You may never expect to be out of work—still there are many other times when a savings account may rescue you. An account at this friendly bank makes a good beginning—something to add to each month.

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Buy Your Coal NOW!

We have on hand a supply of both Pea Coal and Hocking Valley. Order at once as the supply will last but a short time and future delivery is uncertain.

All coal cash with order or driver will collect on delivery.

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A large assortment of pictures, some representing great masterpieces

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MADE HAPPY

Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, No. Dak., made the following students happy last week by placing them in fine positions: Vera Urdahl, Hazel Aspengren, and Ellen Landen. Merle Becker and Thea Züsman also have just gone into fine positions. Get a training. We can place you. Ex-service men desiring a business training and lack funds, write to the A. B. C. for information. For catalog write name and mail.

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7 Bars Lenox Laundry Soap	$ .25
Men's Leather Vest, all leather lined sleeves	$8.50
American Prints Calico	$ .15
36 in. heavy Percales, light or dark	$ .33
36 in. heavy twilled Outing Flannel	$ .45
Fleisher's 2 oz. Ball Knitting Yarn	$ .49
Ladies' Double Thread Silk Hose (all colors)	$ .98
Fleisher's large skein Knitting yarn	$ .98
P. & G. Laundry Soap, 5 bars 40c (Case 100 bars)	$7.75
36 in. heavy Satin Navy, Black, Brown	$2.49
72 in. heavy Mercerized Damask	$ .98
Palm Olive Soap, 3 bars	$ .25
Women Home Knit Hose	$ .98
Children's heavy Fleeced Union Suits	$1.25 and $1.49
Ladies' half sleeve and no sleeve Fleeced Union Suits	$1.49
Tricollet Blouses, assorted colors	$5.90
Middy Blouse, Red, Navy, Green	$6.50

New Shipment Ladies' Dresses, Serge, Tricolets, Tricotines, etc.
$9.90, $12.50, $14.75, $19.75, $22.50, $26.50

Plaid Skirts; just received a fine assortment
$6.90, $7.90, $8.90, $9.90, $12.90

Children's Coats, ages 6-16
$8.90, $9.90, $12.50, $14.75, $16.50
THESE ARE SURPRISING VALUES

Heavy Cotton Blankets and Comforters
$2.49, $2.98, $3.45, $4.50

Ladies' Slip-over Sweaters and Scarfs
$3.98, $4.98, $5.90, $6.90 to $12.50

Coats' Sewing Thread	[illegible]
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Men's and Young Men's Slip-over Sweaters, heavy all-wool
$8.90 and $9.90

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Obituary

Mrs. Martin Stai.

Stella Dinna Stai, 31 years years of age, wife of Martin Stai and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson of this city, died last Saturday at Oakland Park Sanitorium of tuberculosis after an illness of about a year. The funeral was held from Trinity Lutheran church at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating.

Deceased was born in LaCrosse, Wis., and moved with her parents to Garfield, Wis., where her girlhood was spent. In 1912 she was married to Martin Stai of Cooperstown, N. D., the couple removing later to Williston, at which place they were residing until the wife was brought to the sanitorium here for treatment.

Besides the husband and parents six sisters and six brothers survive. The latter are: Mrs. L. Warnicke, Breckenridge; Mrs. F. G. Robertson, Minneapolis; Mrs. Gust Johnson, Devils Lake; Mrs. John Regan, Hillyard, Wash.; Oscar Johnson, Barnesville and William, George, Henry, Arnold, Lloyd, Vanda and Dagnie, all living at home. All were present at the funeral with the exception of Mrs. Regan. Other out-of-town relatives present were Mrs. L. H. Stai and Miss Hannah Stai of Cooperstown, N. D.

Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and after the death of our daughter and sister, Mrs. Martin Stai.

(Signed) Martin Stai, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson, Mrs. L. Warnicke, Mrs. F. L. Robertson, Mrs. Gust Johnson, Mrs. John Regan, Oscar, William, George, Henry, Arnold, Lloyd, Vanda and Dagny Johnson.

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SUNDAY and MONDAY
Dorothy Gish
In
"REMODELING HER HUSBAND"
Directed by Lillian Gish
The funniest girl on the screen in a picture made of Solid Laughter.
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THE LYCEUM
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De Luxe Matinee Sunday: 2:30
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LAST TIME TODAY
—Priscilla Dean
In
"THE VIRGIN OF STAMBOUL"
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Anna Case
In
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A Select Special.
You have heard her. Now See Her.

SATURDAY
Harry Carey
In
"THE RIDER OF THE LAW"
Another Carey Triumph
and
Jack Dempsey
In
"DARE DEVIL JACK"
Matinee: 2:30
Notice—On Saturday nights the feature starts first.

COMING ATTRACTIONS
TUESDAY
Mary Mac Laren, in
"BONIE BONIE LASSIE"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Fatty Arbuckle, in
"THE GARAGE"
Mitchell Lewis, in
"KING SPRUCE"

Hospital Notes.

The following patients entered the Physicians hospital since last Thursday:

Lucille and Lorraine Rayson, city; Ida Gullseth, city; Emil Beckman, city, Mrs. V. McKinney, city; Elsie Hegstad, Haug; Earl Earnest, Kratka; Mrs. J. Knutson, Holt; Adelia Maland, St. Hilaire; T. Miller, Wylie; Mrs. Roy Lambert, city.

Stories of Luther Burbank.

Luther Burbank is the most interesting man in the world to us, and we think to most persons, and "The Stories of Luther Burbank and His Plant School" is one of the most wonderful books we have seen anywhere at any time. By the introduction of full-page colored pictures of the Shasta Daisy, the Crimson Escholtzia, Fire Poppy, Lemon Calla, Spineless Cactus Slab, Rutland Plumcot, Gold Ridge Apple, and four new peaches, and fifty-four other beautiful pictures the publishers have greatly magnified the value as well as the attractiveness of the book.

The Introduction, by Mr. Burbank himself, is too valuable not to be used in this connection.

"Educational methods have changed. Fifty years ago the education of children was on the theory that they were all naturally bad, while today it has dawned upon teachers and also the public that there are both good and bad tendencies in every child, and that education should not attempt to make children over according to rule. They should be led to love and cherish and cultivate the best tendencies, while the undesirable ones will fade from neglect and lack of encouragement. Mother Nature teaches many a lesson not to be learned in school. True education should promote a happy development along the natural tendencies rather than provide punishments for not bending to arbitrary rules to be obeyed. To be sure, discipline is needed, but it should be along natural lines of development; rather than by the too arbitrary "Thou shalt, and thou shalt not." A child should fully realize that greatly upon his own actions and character depend his own happiness or punishment, thus fewer laws and rules would be necessary. Modern educational methods rely more upon a fundamental love of nature and of our fellow-travels through life than upon force, punishment, and the ability to learn certain generally accepted forms of words and phrases.

"All teachers who are such from love of their work have felt the need of some pleasing yet practical reader which providing everyday work should be at the same time so constructed as to be in kindly sympathy and accord with the child's mind. The three prominent educators of long experience who have collaborated with the publishers of this work, while quite faithfully delineating the methods employed in producing newer and far more valuable plants, trees, fruits and flowers, have confined themselves strictly to the facts, and have described the methods in a most pleasing form for the child."

COMPLETE QUESTIONNAIRE FOR CLERKS IN OUR POSTOFFICES

A Washington, D. C. post office clerk, nettled at the many questionnaires he has been asked to fill out and return to Congress or to organization headquarters, has suggested to Thomas F. Flaherty, secretary of the National Federation of Post-Office clerks, the following draft of a questionnaire, which he says more nearly meets the needs of the government clerks than any other yet proposed:

1. Are you married or single?—— Why?——
2. Do you drink near-beer?—— Why?——
3. What is your favorite flower?——
4. If a box clerk, are you troubled with insomnia?——
5. Did you withdraw any money from the bank during the past year? —— Where did you get it to put in? ——
6. Does your wife play the piano? —— What effect does this have on your rent?——
7. Are you a light eater or heavy? —— If heavy, state how and why——
8. Has your yearly expenditure for rent increased since the shortage of houses prevents frequent moving?——
9. Are you on friendly terms with your relations?—— Why?——
10. If possible, give the name of someone less intelligent than yourself, yet making more salary——
11. State average monthly grocery bill and payments if any——
12. State briefly (no profanity allowed) what your wife thinks of being married to a post-office clerk——
13. Do you drink and where do you get it? (This information will be treated as confidential.)——
14. Exclusive of bartenders, how many people depend on you for support?——
15. Do you keep chickens? Does your wife know about it?——
16. Does your wife take in washing to help support the family?—— Have you suggested this to her?—— If so, state results and name of hospital——
17. What do you think is a fair salary for a good worker?—— For yourself?——

The Tax System.

When a man has built a barn—
They are rather chumps, you know!
If they were not they would go
And tax him!
Has a man some idle earth—
Don't tax him!
Though it's climbing up in worth—
Don't tax him!
Let him reap what others sow, adaptable for all kinds of work and
When a man has cleared a farm—
Tax him!
When he lays another roof,
When he grows another hoof,
Then tax him!
Hustle 'round and get the proof,
Tax him!
—Exchange.

FOR RENT—Good modern room suitable for two gentlemen. Call at 122 St. Paul avenue north.

"How to Succeed in Business" will be the subject for Sunday evening at the hall west of Bottelson's drug store, east of the river, where the Bible Chautauqua meetings, formerly conducted in the Chautauqua tent, are being continued three times a week as follows: Sunday and Thursday evenings at 7:45. Those who understand the Scandinavian language should regard this as a personal invitation to attend. Admission free.

To Meet Speakers.

It is planned by those in charge of arrangements to have a large delegation meet J. A. O. Preus and Louis L. Collins at Red Lake Falls Saturday afternoon for the purpose of accompanying them to Thief River Falls for the evening meeting. Those desiring to accompany the reception committee on the trip are requested to meet at the bank corners promptly at noon on Saturday.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished, 622 Arnold Ave. N. 90p

WANTED—Girl to work at the City Boarding House, 316 Knight Ave. N. 91p

LOST—Between Greenwood cemetery and Squaw Point, 2 geraniums, one pink and the other red. Finder kindly notify Mrs. H. J. Rustad, phone 1362. 90

FOR SALE—Fifty rolls of four point barb wire, $2.80 per roll.—Andrew Ness. 90tf

FOR SALE—Brass bed, spring and mattress, and leather couch, in good condition. Call phone 292. 91

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OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

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WOMEN CONTROL TOWN'S INDUSTRY

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It has been said that the hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rules the world and nowhere is this more literally true than in the world of trade. The woman is the purchasing agent of the household and man, as a rule, is very glad to have her handle the job.

It has been estimated by some students of the merchandising game that 80 per cent of all retail buying is done by women. This may be a high estimate but a visit to the retail stores of any town or city is enough to convince one that the figures are not too high. The preponderance of women among the buyers is sufficient at any rate to make not only the retailer but the manufacturer and the wholesaler realize that it is the women that they must please with their merchandise.

Because they do by far the greatest part of the buying in any community, the women have a responsibility that they do not always appreciate. The women of a town, through their buying power, can make or break the merchants of a town and as a natural consequence they can make or break the town. It is in their power to make it a prosperous town or a dead town. When the women of a town acquire the mail order habit, the town may just as well begin making arrangements for its own obsequies.

Hard to Understand.

Just why a woman, who is a shopper by instinct and a shrewd judge of values in merchandise, should succumb to the lures of the mail order house it is difficult to understand but, unfortunately, some of them do. No one knows better than the woman who has had some experience in the buying of merchandise how difficult it is to distinguish between the genuine and the imitation even after a close inspection. The good shopper, when on buying bent, does not always take the first article that is offered for inspection. In fact this is the exception rather than the rule. The merchants know it and expect it. They expect a woman, if she is a good shopper, to "look around a little."

If a woman should walk into a retail store and purchase the first suit that she tries on, for instance, the shock probably would prove fatal to the storekeeper or the saleswoman. The chances are that she will try on a dozen suits and look at as many more before she selects one that suits her taste or pocketbook, and the storekeeper not only expects but wishes her to do this. He wishes her to be satisfied as he knows that satisfied customer is the best advertisement that he can obtaini.

Taking a Chance.

This same woman, however, may order a suit from a mail order house on the strength of nothing more than a pretty picture and an alluring description. She has not even the opportunity to try it on, to say nothing of the chance of examining the fabric, noting the exact shade of the material and inspecting the workmanship. She is taking chances on the suit fitting her or the material being good and durable, the shade becoming to her and the workmanship of such a character that the suit will not fall to pieces. The woman who takes such chances cannot be called a shrewd shopper.

It might be more easily understood why mere man, unaccustomed and averse, as a rule, to shopping excursions, should fall a victim to the catalogue habit. He might find it easier to order from the picture in the catalogue than to go to a store and look for the article that he wanted or he might take the position that he wouldn't know what he was getting anyway if he went to the store and he might as well take a chance on the mail order gamble, but why the woman who knows what she wants and knows that she is getting what she wants when she gets it should buy on the "sight unseen" plan—well, that's another question altogether.

Woman's Greatest Opportunity.

Women are taking a more and more prominent part in public affairs all the time. They are aiding now in many parts of the country in running the affairs of state. Even where they do not have the ballot they are playing a big part, individually and thru their organizations in the conduct particularly of local governments, yet in the one field where they can do most to help build up their communities they may be overlooking their opportunity. With the buying power in their hands they can do more for their community by staunchly supporting their home business men than they can possibly do in any other way.

Man may think he is a very important element in the progress and development of his town but when he reflects that 80 per cent of the buying power of the community is in the hands of the women he is apt to realize that he is a very insignificant atom.

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CHAPEL EXERCISES

MISS COLEMAN, A RED CROSS NURSE, GIVES INTERESTING TALK.

Wednesday morning the students of the high school enjoyed hearing the first of the numerous chapel programs for the year. The program was opened by singing, followed by an address by Miss Coleman of the Northern Division of the American Red Cross.

Miss Coleman was here for the teachers' institute. She recently returned from Poland, where she has been with the Red Cross taking care of civilian victims of typhus.

The first hospital which Miss Coleman was located at was an old officers' training camp. She related many amusing incidents which happened while she was on night duty in Russia last June. Several members of the famous "Battalion of Death" were stationed at Vilna as guards at the time.

As the Russians approached Vilna the American relief workers were transferred to Warsaw, and from there on to Limburg. Here they secured quarters in an old palace, but as an aviator from the Kosciusco squadron (American) made a forced landing on the roof and crushed it in, they had to move into a house that had been owned and from the manner in which it had been arranged, had undoubtedly been built for an insane princess.

One of the great Polish prison camps is located at Vilna. Here a typical representation of modern Bolshevik Russia is to be seen. "The filth and raggedness of the Russian prisoners," said Miss Coleman, "was beyond the scope of human imagination."

At Limberg Miss Coleman was detailed to investigate requests for help from the American relief supplies. These investigations often revealed great suffering, especially among old infirm people and young children. One family consisting of an old man and four small children was found living in a windowless room about six by ten feet. An eight year old newsboy, earning seven marks, or less than one cent a day, supported the family. Food was regularly distributed to bread lines which would often extend for several blocks in length.

In August Miss Coleman was sent home by way of Rome.

Following Miss Coleman's talk an announcement was made by two members of the 1920 class, Reuben Hadrath and Dennis McGinn, who were here in the interests of the 1920 "Prowler."

Class Elections.

The selecting of officers of the Senior class resulted in the election of Dreng Bjornaran, president; Mary Vance, vice president; Ethel Conklin, secretary; and Clayton Steenerson, treasurer; while the position of sergeant-at-arms was filled by Dottie Krafthefer and MaeBelle Swanson. The class feels safe in believing that it has selected a group of officers who are efficient, reliable and responsible—and with the general co-operation which is so plainly evident the class of 1921 will be a credit to the high school.

The Junior class met Thursday at 3:30 p. m. for the purpose of electing a class advisor and class officers. The former vice president, Shirley Anderson, acted as chairman of the meeting.

The following officers were elected: Miss Elliott, class advisor; Gregory Werstlein, president; Milton Larson, vice president; Johanna Wedul, secretary; Nora Lindquist, treasurer; Milton Lund, sergeant-at-arms; Shirley Anderson, sergeant-at-arms.

With this efficient set of officers and the co-operation of the other members of the class, the Juniors look forward to a profitable and enjoyable year.

A Sophomore class meeting was held last Friday after school for the purpose of selecting officers for the ensuing year. Miss Lorrayne Crandall took charge of the meeting. The following officers were elected: Miss Dix, class advisor; Olive Lonson, president; Craig Halvorson, vice president; Ole Helle, secretary; Myrtle Senate, treasurer; Guy Oftelie and James Votava, sergeants-at-arms.

With the co-operation of this able set of officers and the rest of the class the Sophomores may look forward to a successful school year.

Teachers' Institute Sept. 20-24.

The rural teachers of Pennington county were last week assembled in the high school gymnasium for their annual institute, arranged by County Superintendent George M. Gunderson and conducted by Miss Osborne and Mrs. Payne, who were sent out by the state department of education. There were 46 teachers present, in addition to the high school normal training class.

The purpose of the institute is to help rural teachers in their work during the coming school year, and to acquaint them with changes and additions which have been made in their work. Particular emphasis was put on the teaching of arithmetic and English. Nature study was also given considerable attention. "The Teachers' Patriotic League" and the "Citizens' League" were discussed and explained, so that each teacher may know just what is required in that line. The "Teachers' Patriotic League" was changed to "Teachers' Progressive League," its aim being to better the conditions in the rural schools. Action games were played during recesses.

Physical examinations were given by Miss Coleman, a Red Cross nurse, largely for the purpose of enabling the teachers themselves to give examinations in their respective schools.

An executive board was elected with the following officials:

President, Ida Legvold; vice president, Anne Barstad; secretary, Mrs. Kline; treasurer, Sena Welo.

Supt. Ziegler gave an interesting talk on "The New Philosophy of Education," and Miss Johnson, the high school music instructor, on "Music in the Country Schools." County Agent J. J. McCann discussed "Boys' and Girls' Club Work."

Tuesday evening the teachers enjoyed a picnic arranged by the normal class, at Squaw Point. Lunch was served and wieners were roasted over the campfire; after which games were played until dark.

The following are the members of the T. R. F. H. S. Alumni present at the institute, their year of graduation and place of teaching:

Anne Barstad, 1919, Wylie, Minn.
Mamie M. Zavoral, 1919, Beltrami.
Corah Swanson, 1919, Hazel.
Clara Sorenson, 1919, Rosewood.
Ina Stageberg, 1919, Plummer.
Mavel Engen, 1917, East of Thief River Falls.
Myrtle Satre, 1917, Thief River Falls, Dist. 73.
Alice Thompson, 1917, Hazel.
Anna Froiland, 1917, Erie.
Ilet LeSage, 1916, Hazel.
Sena Welo, 1913, Near Thief River Falls.
Mary Johnson, 1916, Kratka.
Anna Knutson, 1918.
Anna Kilen, 1920, Highlanding.
Ruth Lonson, 1919, Thief River Falls.
Agnes Newton, 1920, Dist. 116, Marshall county.
Gerda Sorlom, 1920, Hazel.
Gena Sannes, 1920, Marshall county.
Gladys Wiener, 1920, Thief River Falls.
Hazel O. Welo, 1920, Thief River Falls.
Anna Kotlan, 1917, Germantown.
Gunda Engen, 1917, Thief River Falls.
Celia Saugen, 1918, Hazel.
Celia Bjorge, 1920, Plummer.
Ida Legvold, 1913, Hazel.

Athletic Board Meets.

The first meeting this season of the High School Athletic Board was held Tuesday after school in Mr. Tommeraasen's room. All the members of the board were not present, so only a small part of the intended business could be transacted.

Several members of the faculty were nominated as the other two members of the board and will be voted upon at the next meeting. Season tickets, including all football and basketball games of the season, were issued to the members to be sold to the students at two dollars apiece and to outsiders at three dollars.

Big Athletic Mass Meeting.

On Tuesday morning the student body of Lincoln High was called together to create some pep and enthusiasm for the coming football season and also to try to persuade more men to come out for football.

The meeting was opened by Mr. Pierce, who then turned the meeting over to Athletic Manager Smithers. Manager Smithers gave a short talk emphasizing the need of more men coming out for football practice in order that our 1920 football squad might be a success. Then Coache Tommeraasen was called upon and he also emphasized the need of more men coming out for the practice.

Following the coach's talk, the captain of the 1920 football squad, Ernest Barzen, and squad members Ernest Zeh, Jordan Penney, Howard Dolan, Charles Herron, Clifford Sorenson, Dreng Bjornaran, Russell Anderson, Robert McGinn and David Evenson were called on and they gave some exceedingly good reasons why all the boys should come out. They promised the newcomers that they would not treat 'em as rough as they did "Fat" Evenson.

The Grafton Game.

On Saturday, Sept. 25, our local football squad journeyed into the wilds of North Dakota and took on the "pig skin punters" of Grafton. The game opened with a rush and a touchdown was scored by Grafton in the first three minutes of the game. At the end of the game the score stood 61-0 in favor of the opposing team.

This outrageously high score was due almost wholly to lack of practice in scrimmage and to the inexperience of some of the Thief River Falls men. But, after a few more days of hard practice and scrimmage, we feel certain that we will come home from our next game with a different story.

The Report Card.

At regular intervals during the school year your child comes home with a report card.

This report is a more or less efficient barometer of your child's educational progress, and should be watched carefully.

But some parents, kindhearted ones at that, have the mistaken idea that they encourage progress by pointing out the weak places on the card, taking it for granted that the child should have the "good" marks the card shows.

A better method was adopted by a wise father. He saw only the best marks. That is to say, he talked about the good marks, ignoring those below "fair." He dwelt so enthusiastically on the "excellents" that his child came to understand that he was studying, not to keep from the bottom of the class, but to get nearer the top.

Try it on your child's report card next time.—Minneapolis Daily News.

One New School Each Day.

New high schools have been added to the American educational system at the rate of at least one a day during the last 28 years.

Statistics compiled by the Federal Bureau of Education show that there are now more than 17,000 such schools, an increase of 452 per cent over the number in 1890. Attendance figures from 14,000 of these schools give a total of 1,735,619 pupils, indicating in effect that one-tenth of the population is getting high school educations, the bureau states.

Only 632 of the schools reporting to the bureau enroll 500 students each and 278 enroll over 1,000, while one-half of the 13,951 schools tabulated have an enrollment of between 27 and 100 students. City high schools constitute less than 10 per cent of the total. They enroll 52 per cent of all the pupils. Almost 85 per cent of the high schools are rural, with 40 per cent of the students.

As 65 per cent of the schools offering a four-year course have terms of only 180 days during the year, a longer school term is "unmistakably foreshadowed," according to bureau officials. The schools cost thousands of dollars to erect and to utilize the property for only 180 days a year is "bad judgment," the statement said.

The number of high school graduates has increased from 21,820 in 1890 to 224,367 in 1918. Considering the increase in population during this period it is found that American youths are becoming over six times as well educated as they were.

The state of Texas leads in percentage of high school graduates who continue their studies in preparatory school or college. North Carolina and Kentucky are second and third, respectively.

The average high school principal, the statistics show, receives $1,272 a year, or about $100 a month for the entire year. Principals of the District of Columbia, California, Arizona, Massachusetts and New York receive the highest salaries in the order named, while Nebraska pays the lowest average salary.

Significant School Data.

More than 4,000 pupils have entered the St. Paul high schools this month, compared with 625 in 1890, an increase of 565 per cent, compared with an increase of 100 per cent in the city's population, as it would be shown by an accurate count if one were made. This gain in high school attendance at the rate of nearly six times the increase of population is remarkable evidence of the greater value now placed on education above the eighth grade as compared with 30 years ago.

Educators declare that the chief reason for the increased demand for high school education is in the attitude of employers in all commercial lines. They prefer and frequently demand a high school education in young men and women seeking work. Compulsory education laws and child labor restrictions have little to do with the case as a good share of the pupils are more than 16 years old and nearly all are more than 14.

A striking fact in this connection is that there is almost exactly the same proportion of boys to girls in the high schools in 1920 that there was in 1890. In June, 1890, there were 289 boys and 336 girls enrolled in two high schools. In June, 1920, there were 1,902 boys and 2,251 girls in four high schools. Practically 46 per cent of the pupils were boys and 54 per cent girls in each instance. The introduction of manual training and commercial branches has attracted more boys, while general prosperity has made it possible for more girls to acquire a degree of education that used to be considered nonessential in less enlightened times.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Sounds From the Woodshed.

During the period directly following the War of 1812, only a few scattered families were to be found along the lower Ohio river. As the region was infested with Indians, only the hardier pioneers had entered the country. This was not always true of their children, however, as you will realize when you have heard the story of Dick and Davy Grant. The brothers lived with their parents on the left bank of the Ohio. Their homestead consisted of a little log cabin, a log barn and hen-house, and an old rickety woodshed.

At the time when Dick was fourteen years old and Davy two years younger, there was a great Indian scare in the neighborhood. The redskins resented the intrusion of their pale-faced neighbors, and reports of attacks on settlers were becoming more and more frequent.

One day Dick was told by his mother to carry in some wood. As he approached the woodshed he thought he heard sounds of someone creeping around on the loft flooring. Could it be that Indians were ambushed there? Dick shivered at the thought of a report that had come in the previous day. He motioned Davy to come, and told him of the squeaking noises he had heard.

"What shall we do? I don't care to go in there."

"I'll go and tell Dad. He can chase them out with his rifle."

"But it might not be Indians. Then he would think we were cowards, to call him just because we had heard some strange sounds. It may be just the wind. We will go and feed the cattle, and say we forgot to bring the wood. Dad always goes to the woodshed with his hoe in the evening, so he can see then what it is."

Mr. Grant went unsuspiciously to the woodshed that evening, and was terrified when he was met with wild whoops, and a shower of tomahawks. Several of them grazed his body; he owed his life to the darkness rather than to poor aim on the part of the Indians, who really were in the woodshed. Although Grant managed to slip out and lock the door, the Indian prisoners made their escape by cutting a hole in the wall.

When Dick saw his father, cut and bleeding, he burst into tears and cried, "Oh, Dad! I wish I had told you!"

A Midnight Scare.

"Thump! Thump!"

"I just know there's a burglar downstairs!" cried Lillian, "And I simply won't stay in this room another minute!"

The frightened girls scampered across the hall floor and into the room at the farther end of the passage.

Lillian Parker and Grace McDonald were caring for the Hamilton children while their mother and father were visiting in Iowa. The first night everything went smoothly, but the mysterious noises that had seemed to come from below assured the girls that all was not well tonight.

The two children were sleeping peacefully, undisturbed by the mysterious sounds. The girls made a bed for themselves on the floor, but they could not sleep, for the "thump! thump!" continued. At last it stopped, and in the silence that followed, the birls could hear the stairway creak as though someone was climbing it cautiously.

The sound came nearer and nearer, and at last when the girls expected the door to open any minute and admit a dark object, Grace flew to the window and frantically called for help.

A neighbor heard her cry, and by the girls' request, searched the house. He found no burglar or any other kind of midnight prowler. Half-convinced, the girls once more went to bed.

When Ruth and Marie Hamilton awoke next morning, they were surprised to see Grace and Lillian sleeping on the floor near their bed. After much coaxing, for the girls did not want to frighten the children, they told them of the night's proceedings. When their tale was ended they were surprised to see the two children burst forth in a volley of giggles.

"Say, do you know," screamed little Ruth in delight, "that was the same automatic pump I 'splained to you yesterday!"

Personals.

Miss Maude Johnson, instructor of music in the public schools for the coming year, arrived Sunday morning from her home at Red Wing. Miss Johnson underwent a serious operation just before the opening of the schools and was unable on that account to come earlier.

Edward Fiterman was absent from school on Wednesday.

"Curly" McDaniel and Derby Anderson are new students in school.

During chapel on Wednesday morning the following incident was noted: "Gap" Hadrath, speaking to the student body, said: "This annual contains photographs of the faculty from Principal Ella A. Evans to General Flunky Gordon P. Melby."

John Melgaard, former student of the Lincoln high school, departed on Tuesday evening for Miriam, Alabama, where he will attend a naval training academy for an indefinite time.

Myrtle wants to know where the "swaybacks" are in the football team.

Ruth Kiland, a graduate with the class of 1920, left on Friday evening for Minneapolis, where she will attend business college.

During the recent football game at Grafton, there was a dispute in regard to a certain rule and one of the Graftonites exclaimed, "Well, we won't give them nothing." "They have that already," replied another.

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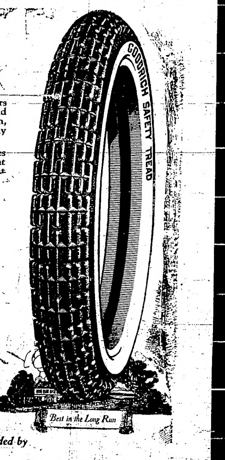

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Whereas, The service men of the World War have seen fit to perfect an organization for the purpose of insuring to participants in the World's War, and especially those who were wounded in battle and those who came out of the service physically unfit and their next of kin, full protection in securing their rights, and,

Whereas, The American Legion, comprising some 2,000,000 service men, has been organized for the same avowed purpose, and,

Whereas, There has been organized in Thief River Falls, Minnesota, the Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117, The American Legion, and,

Whereas, Many of the members of said Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117 are members of organized labor, and,

Whereas, Some members of various organizations of labor are of the opinion that the American Legion is opposed in some manner or degree to organized labor, and,

Whereas, The Constitution and By Laws of The American Legion provide for a strict neutrality on the part of The American Legion or its posts in all disputes between capital and labor, and,

Whereas, It has been brought to our notice that some posts of The American Legion have been in some manner engaged in disputes between capital and labor, which said participation is against the Constitution and By Laws of said American Legion;

Therefore, Be it resolved, that Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117, The American Legion at a regular called meeting, after regular written notice of its purpose, condemn the action of said American Legion Posts who have broken the laws of the national body and have participated in disputes between capital and labor, and,

Be It Further Resolved, That we most highly commend the attitude and action of the American Federation of Labor during the World War and that we go on record as being in sympathy with the rights of labor to organize and their right to collective bargaining and that we do not believe that it is within the jurisdiction of any post in the American Legion to consider a question of doing strike duty, and that if such a proposition were presented to Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117, The American Legion, that we would feel that it was a matter improperly brought before the post and that same would not receive consideration in any manner whatsoever.

Be It Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be published in all newspapers in Pennington county, Minnesota, and that a copy of same be forwarded to the heads of all labor organizations in said Pennington county, Minnesota.

Presented this 24th day of September, 1920, by G. Howard Smith, member resolutions committee.

We the undersigned president and secretary of Elmer J. Eklund Post of The American Legion, Thief River Falls, Minnesota hereby certify that the above resolution was presented at a called meeting, members being notified in writing of the purpose of the meeting and that said resolution was carried by a unanimous vote.

FRED SCANLON,
President.
G. HOWARD SMITH,
Secretary.

At the regular meeting of Elmer J. Eklund Post held last Friday evening the dance committee reported a loss of $9 on the dance given Aug. 20 and a profit of $25 on the one held Aug. 27.

The race meet committee reported that $115 was netted on the auto and motor cycle races, the sum being divided equally between the post and Central Labor union.

The post has decided to put a basketball team in the field during the coming season. The players will get together at an early date for the purpose of selecting a coach and manager. The business of the team will be entirely separate from the affairs of the legion proper.

A committee was appointed to arrange dates for a meeting of the mothers and sisters of deceased service men for the purpose of forming an auxiliary. L. H. Lawrence H. O. Chommie, L. H. Hermanson, E. P. Brevig and Frank McGinn are the committee members.

The dance committee was instructed to arrange for six dances, dates for which will be arranged later.

Indian service men who are living on various Minnesota reservations have been officially informed by state department headquarters of The American Legion that they are eligible for membership in The Legion. Organization of several posts is expected shortly, according to Horace G. Whitmore, department commander.

Harvey K. Meyer, superintendent of the Leach Lake Agency, at Onigum, in a letter to P. L. O'Toole, assistant adjutant, says: "The information that American Indians who served in the military or naval establishments of the United States during the world war are eligible for membership in The American Legion, is at hand. Such information is being conveyed to the young men interested, by notices that are being posted at our several offices."

Official announcement has been authorized by State Commander A. H. Vernon, that the National Americanism Commission of The Legion in New York City has completed arrangements for lectures and motion picture programs which will be provided without cost to Legion posts throughout Minnesota.

A letter which is being sent to every post commander in the state, says in part: "A great many posts, in planning their work for the fall and winter, have made requests for Americanism pictures dealing with the form of government, history and resources of the country. Owing to lack of funds, it has been impossible, heretofore, to comply with these requests. Arrangements have now been made, however, which will make it possible for every post to include lectures in its Americanzation program. The educational service committee of the national war work council, Y. M. C. A., has arranged to supply free of charge to American Legion posts throughout the country, The Hillis Better American Lectures, The America Picturebook Programs and the Educational Motion Picture films. In giving these lectures all that is necessary is for some member of the post to read the printed text and another member to operate the lantern slides. The motion picture films are known as industrial, health and safety, educational, scenic and American Cities films. They may be given separately or as part of the same program with the lectures." Broader details of the plan and pamphlets outlining the variety of subjects have been sent to every post commander.

Forty firing squads with bugler have been furnished from Fort Snelling during the past six months for funerals of service men in or near the Twin Cities, according to a letter received by Horace G. Whitmore, state adjutant from Colonel Charles Gerhardt, commanding officer at Fort Snelling. Col. Gerhardt stated that it would be necessary to furnish transportation for firing squads who might be asked to attend funerals outside of the Twin Cities. "It is not believed to be practicable to furnish firing squads where the travel involved is more than 50 miles from the post," said Col. Gerhardt.

CREAMERY BUSINESS CONTINUES TO GROW

Report For August Shows Increase of 15 Per Cent Over One Year Ago.

Secretary Peter Engelstad of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association, has submitted a report giving the names of the patrons of that institution receiving checks during the month of August in excess of $50. Business at the creamery has been excellent all through the summer season and the total for August is approximately 15 per cent over that of a year ago.

Below is given a list of patrons in the $50 and over class for the month of August:

P. Engelstad, $350.40; Hans Anton, $224.51; Henry Pope, $188.21; Jens Kirk, $172.86; A. J. Funnesdahl, $156.72; Anfind Ness, $151.02; August Koglin, $146.21; Peder Sabo, $143.94; Joe Oski, $135.06; Peter Voldness, $131.26; H. A. Mathees, $128.43; John A. Sundt, $128.30; Mrs. Mosbeck, $126.82; Waldie Christensen, $120.74; R. M. Johnson, $120.55; O. L. Skonord, $120.06; Fuller & Gordon, $116.76; O. O. Hafdal, $114.42; A. C. Simenson, $112.72; S. Wiberg, $111.72; Fred Copp, $107.94; K. Solheim, $106.58; Ed. Grundhouse, $106.40; John Sjolsvald, $106.00; C. Liden, $105.83; Hans Sande, $105.52; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $104.75; Ludvig Larson, $103.98; C. Christensen, $103.94; F. M. Kline, $103.32; P. Solein, $102.95; H. T. Waale, $99.60; O. S. Breiland, $99.21; Casper Iverson, $99.16; John Johnson, $97.80; K. Finstad, $96.54; Mrs. T. L. Olson, $96.22; Peter Hedeen, $94.86; Hans Fjeld, $92.76; C. J. Ekwall, $91.98; Mrs. J. R. Walters, $91.14; Henry Sande, $93.26; W. I. McCrum, $89.31; Ole Skaar, $88.61; Paul Engelstad, $86.85; Iver N. Strand, $86.52; C. M. Hoverstad, $86.45; L. Hitterdahl, $85.96 Halvor H. Olson, $85.61; A. Huseby, $85.05; C. A. Nelson, $84.25; S. E. Hunt, $83.31; E. Oen, $83.15; Silas Torgerson, $82.89; John Stroberg, $82.63; Mrs. A. Gutteral, $82.46; K. Ystraund, $82.43; Willardson Bros., $82.04; Katie Meyer, $81.90; C. E. Olen, $81.84; Henry Koop, $80.77; S. Hasby, $80.46; A. Prestby, $80.10; John Bloom, $79.48; A. K. Haggy, $78.36; S. Sorenson, $78.19; Nick Meyer, $76.98; Mrs. P. Fagerstrom, $76.08; J. N. Thiege, $75.90; O. J. Dahl, $75.46; Olaf Brevik, $75.25; Gust Nakken, $74.79; A. Swanjord, $74.34; Carl Erickson, $73.53; Mrs. G. Roos, $72.97; Ole Helgeland, $72.65; And. Feragen, $71.41; F. R. Conklin, $71.27; Will Smith, $71.11; P. Hornseth, $71.07; John Kellberg, $70.08; Fred Turnquist, $70.06; O. N. Anderson, $69.60; Aug. Johnson, $68.91; C. Odegaard, $68.76; S. O. Prestegaard, $68.52; Albert Hanson, $68.24; Mrs. Bertha Saugen, $67.95; C. Slinger, $67.92; N. A. Nelson, $67.21; Mrs. Carrie Johnson, $66.72; Sam Nabben, $66.30; Thos. Sanders, $66.18; S. O. Lee, $65.60; Adolph Wold, $65.53; I. M. Peterson, $65.11; John Hellquist, $64.72; John Swanson, $64.44; E. Edman, $63.18; James Crosby, $62.70; John Ristau, $62.48; John Krebeck, $61.44; Christ Nelson, $61.35; Alf. Morin, $61.38; Emil Krause, $01.38; Emil Krause, $61.29; A. Bergland, $61.00; S. W. Loubach, $60.69; Aug. Karlson, $60.39; Martin Rust, $60.15; A. W. Hanson, $60.12; D. W. Ayers, $60.07; Emil Ristau, $59.89; J. Klungness, $59.71; James Ramsey, $59.70; C. Weiner, $58.93; Wm. Hohner, $58.77; J. H. Sannes, $58.63; W. H. Wilde, $58.56; H. J. Maland, $57.30; H. C. Woolson, $57.24; Thom Holten, $56.49; Ellef Tollefson, $56.40; And. Anenson, $56.34; Gunder Olson, $55.90; N. E. Muzzy, $55.86; C. Beiswenger, $55.62; A. H. Atwood, $55.46; Anton Johnson, $55.38; Gust Wilkin, $55.36; F. T. Satre, $55.13; Olson & Boe, $54.72; Mrs. Welo, $54.62; John Hidder, $54.47; John Lindblom, $54.48; Alf. Olson, $54.39; C. H. Swenson, $54.08; Ole Borhals, $53.74; Isaac Isaacson, $53.31; John Soe, $53.31; Carl Mellem, $53.25; M. B. Swanson, $53.20; Alf. Geske, $53.18; L. R. Feragen, $53.14; A. C. Hanson, $52.91; T. K. Rynestad, $52.43; And. Hoverstad, $52.26; Ole Ahlstrom, $52.25; C. O. Asp, $52.04; Erick Soderberg, $51.14; Hugh Best, $51.10; Syvert Hanson, $51.02; S. L. Sorenson, $50.31; Per Sorenson, $50.08; A. Hammersten, $50.03; O. Valsvik, $50.00.

McAndress Laid Up.

Mike McAndress, the well-known farmer living south of town, sustained a fractured arm last week. The self-starting mechanism of his car failed to function properly and he attempted to get it going with the crank. The engine back-fired, the crank striking Mr. McAndress just above the wrist and snapping the arm.

Aggie Alumni Gathering on Sunday Successful Affair

The weather man worked overtime during the week preceding September 26 to make failures of the Northwest School picnics scheduled for that day, but he overlooked a bet at Thief River Falls. The people in this vicinity are not to be discouraged by the weather, and a crowd of seventy-five people gathered at Valhalla Hall that afternoon. Miss Lottie Ward of the domestic science department and E. R. Clark of the agronomy department of the Northwest school, addressed the crowd and explained the work now being carried on at the school, putting special emphasis on the program outlined for the dedication services to be held on October 5th and inviting the people of that vicinity to participate in the parade. Many present and former students of the school were present, among them being Misses Sophia Monson, Amanda Hanson, Myrtle Knutson, Johanna Nabben, Wanda Gans, Mrs. Paul Engelstad and Messrs. Gerald Stevens, Henry Nabben, Ole and Lars Engelstad. Mrs. Peter Engelstad and Mrs. Paul Engelstad, who have always been staunch friends of the Northwest School, furnished coffee and sandwiches for the crowd.

Auto Lights Must Throw Beam 200 Feet Beyond Car

Motorists touring at night must provide themselves with headlights bright enough so that the rays of light shall be visible 200 feet in the direction in which the motor is proceeding. Anything short of this requirement will not do, the Minnesota supreme court held last week in a decision which settles with finality all doubt upon headlight requirements.

The decision denies a motion for reargument in the St. Louis county case of Richard Thomas against Franklin P. Stevenson and Michael Mastrian, in which the supreme court last July laid down the rule that motorists must provide themselves at night with headlights bright enough to throw rays 200 feet.

Big Hill of Potatoes.

Paul Midderigh, not to be outdone by other potato growers in the city who claim various records, on Monday dug one hill of Irish Cobbler potatoes which was a whopper for size. Mr. Midderigh secured 28 good sized tubers from the hill and claims there were a number of small ones left. When placed on the scales the 28 potatoes weighed 19½ pounds, which is, so far as known, the record for one hill of potatoes in Thief River Falls and vicinity.

Fall Term Opens Oct. 6.

The Northwest School opens its fifteenth year on Wednesday, Oct. 6. The largest senior and junior classes in the history of the school will assemble at that time. An exceptionally large number of first year students have already registered which will make the school's enrollment unusually heavy, exceeding last year when 301 students were in attendance. The date of opening will follow the Northwest Agricultural School dedication program scheduled for Oct. 5.

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Keep the vital organs healthy by regularly taking the world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—

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Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Gasoline to Help Lower Food Prices

"Of all gasoline manufactured in the United States, 67.6% is used by automotive vehicles." (Oil News, 7-5-1920, P. 42.)

"Of all the motor vehicles in use in the Middle West, 65% of the total registration are farmer-owned" (Arthur Capper Address, 1920). Gasoline is taking the place of vanishing man-power on the farms; and not only does it reduce the man-hours required to produce a given amount of food, but it also reduces the actual cost of production, and this despite the advancing price of gasoline. (H. W. Quaintance "Influence of Farm Machinery on Production" Power Wagon Reference Book, 1920, page 561.)

Authorities agree that gasoline is a most important factor in the production and distribution of food products.

When gasoline is employed universally to increase the efficiency of man-power on the farm, we may look for vastly increased production and a consequent decrease in the cost of producing food.

In the eleven Middle West states served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) more than 100,000 tractors are in use, and the number is increasing rapidly.

In the states served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) the number of farmer-owned motor trucks is as follows:

Kansas	1,732
Iowa	2,773
Illinois	2,261
Indiana	1,548
North Dakota	501
South Dakota	1,708
Michigan	1,636
Minnesota	1,255
Missouri	2,065
Wisconsin	1,465
Oklahoma	723
Total	17,667

(U. S. Department of Agriculture states that only about 75% of total farmer ownership was reported.)

The distribution service of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) brings petroleum products quickly and cheaply to the farm when they are most needed.

It is the plan of this Company to make its distribution facilities the most perfect system of its kind in the world. To do this, largely increased equipment is being installed. To supply this vast network of stations, trucks, tank-wagons, etc., the Manufacturing Department is bending its energies to devise means for producing an ever increasing percentage of gasoline from the crude oil obtainable, and at the same time to keep users of other products of petroleum supplied with their needs.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago

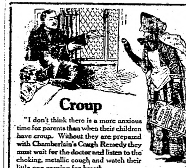

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

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is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health — Granny Chamberlain

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Young men and women with a knowledge of bookkeeping, banking, business methods, shorthand and typewriting are wanted. Wages are high and the chances for promotion are excellent. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out how little it costs to prepare.

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Having again taken out Auctioneer's License after being out of the business for some years, I am prepared to take care of any business in my line. Fourteen years experience as an auction crier.

C. M. Evenson
Thief River Falls, Minn.

NUXATED IRON

"Time and again I have prescribed organic iron—Nuxated Iron—and surprised patients at the rapidity with which their weakness and general debility was replaced by a renewed feeling of strength and vitality," says Dr. H. B. Vail, formerly Physician in the Baltimore Hospital and a Medical Examiner. "I took Nuxated Iron myself to build me up after a serious case of nervous exhaustion. The effects were apparent after a few days and within three weeks it had virtually revitalized my whole system and put me in superb physical condition."

At All Druggists

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction the following property on the southeast quarter of Section 6, Town of Agdar, 4 miles east and 4 miles north of Thief River Falls and 2½ miles north of Stop 5 on Electric line, on

Friday, October 8

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock sharp.

One grey gelding, 11 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.
One grey gelding 16 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.
One black gelding 11 years old, wt. 1400 lbs.
One bay gelding 4 years old, wt. 1150
One bay gelding 3 years old, wt. 1050
One red cow 7 years old
One roan cow 4 years old
One red and white cow 4 years old
One red cow 3 years old
One roan cow 2 years old
One red cow 2 years old
One red and white cow 2 years old
One red heifer 1½ years old
One red heifer 1 year old
One 5 passenger Hudson touring car
One Ford car, overhauled and in good running order
One 1½ H. P. Economy gas engine on trucks
One 9-16 E. B. tractor and 2 bottom E. B. plows, new this fall
One 8-ft. Deering binder with transports
One 22 disc Van Brunt drill with grass seeder attachment
One 5-ft. Minnesota mower
One Deering hay rake
One 16-in. John Deere sulky plow with breaker bottom attachment
One 25-ft. Boss harrow
One 10-ft. spring tooth harrow
One 3-in. tire, medium height wagon
One 2 3-4-in. medium height wagon
One steel wheel truck
Three hay racks
One triple box
One 1000-lb. platform scale, nearly new
Three sets bob sleighs
One 15-bbl. steel galvanized water tank
65 grain sacks, all in good repair
One double barrel shot gun
One 30-30 Winchester reapeting rifle
One vise
One pump jack
One power horse and sheep clipper
Three sets work harness
One single buggy harness
One saddle and bridle
Seven good collars, sizes 19-21
About 75 chickens
One buffet
One Davis sewing machine
One piano
One dining room table and chairs
One coal stove
One large wood heater
One range
Three leather rockers
One kitchen cabinet
Two iron beds with mattresses and springs
Two cribs
One dresser and washstand
One Lindsay power washing machine
One Diabolo separator
One barrel churn
One White Mountain ice cream freezer
Dishes, fruit jars, milk dishes and other articles.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

J. W. KELLER, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

At the Carl Talley Farm adjoining the village of Mavie on

Wednesday, October 6, '20

Commencing at 10:00 Ssharp

34 Head of Cattle.

One red cow 6 years old, due to freshen Dec. 7.
One roan cow 7 years old, due to freshen Jan. 21.
One spotted cow 5 years old, due to freshen Jan. 3.
One red cow 8 years old, due to freshen Feb. 20.
One red cow, 8 years old, full blood due to freshen March 21
One red cow 5 years old, due to freshen May 11
One red cow 4 years old, due to freshen May 29
One red bull 2 years old, full blood
One red and white Hereford cow 6 years old, to freshen in March
One red and white Hereford cow 5 years old, to freshen in Feb
One red and white Hereford cow 3 years old, to freshen in March
One red and white Hereford cow 3 years old, to freshen in March
One roan Shorthorn cow, 5 years old, to freshen in Feb.
One red and white Hereford cow 3 years old, to freshen in Mar.
Three red and white heifers, coming 2 years old
One black and white bull, coming 2 years old
One roan Shorthorn bull, coming 2 years old
Six spring calves
One red cow, 8 years old, milking
One pure bred Holstein 2 years old, milking
One roan Shorthorn bull, registered, 2 years old
One pure bred Shorthorn heifer, 2 years old
One pure bred yearling heifer
One yearling grade heifer
One spring heifer calf
One brindle cow 8 years old, milking
One white cow 5 years old, milking

Horses.

One black gelding 8 years old, wt. about 1400 lbs.
One black gelding 10 years old, weight about 1500 lbs.

Farm Machinery

One International hay stacker
One Success hay sweep
One McCormick mower
One McCormick hay rake
One 8-ft. McCormick binder
One 10-ft. Sterling disc
One 10-ft. double disc
One Moline grain drill, with grass seeder attachment
Two 16-in. walking plows
One 3-barrel steel water tank
One 3-section harrow
One 2-horse walking cultivator
One set of bob sleighs
One DeLaval cream separator
One Bradley disc
One high wheel wagon, with double box
One 16-in. sulky plow
One 80 bushel manure spreader
One 14-in. breaking plow
Two dozen pullets
Most of the above listed machinery is nearly new, complete and in good shape. The cattle are all well kept stock and are the entire herds of the owners.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Carl Talley, Sig. Lindberg and Geo. R. Gray, Owners

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FARMERS STATE BANK OF MAVIE, Clerk.

ROSEWOOD

[illegible] Johnson is spending the week visiting with relatives at Fosston and Grand Forks.

Swen Swenson returned on Tuesday morning from Newfolden where he has spent a few days attending to business.

The monthly meeting of the Swedish Young Peoples society will be held at the Congregational church in town on Thursday evening, Oct. 7. The monthly meeting of the Norwegian Y. P. S. will be held at the Rindal church on Saturday evening, Oct. 2. The monthly meeting of the Rindal Ladies Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. John Sagmoen in town on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 5. Services at the Swedish church in town with Rev. W. Drotts in the pulpit next Sunday, Oct. 3 at 10:30 a. m., and at 8:00 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend all these meetings.

School will open on Monday morning, Oct. 4 at the Rosebank district No. 41, which includes this village with Mrs. R. Sagmoen of Anita as teacher. It is expected about 40 pupils will be enrolled.

Miss Gladys Swenson left last Thursday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit until Sat[illegible]day with her sister, Mrs. Brandon, [illegible]ter which she leaves for Fargo where she will attend high school this winter.

Henry Sagmoen left last Sunday for Minneapolis where he will be attending the Minneapolis business college this winter.

Eva Davis returned last Monday to Ardock after spending a couple days visiting with relatives in town.

Thom Holten returned last week from Dennison, this state, where he had spent a month with his folks and attending to business matters.

Two carloads of stock and machinery were shipped in this week from Nekoma, N. D., for Henry Ellis, who has rented a farm near Holt which he will occupy in the future.

Mrs. Ted Thompson left on Saturday evening for a visit with friends farther south in the state.

A state veterinarian is expected in this community this week to go over the dairy herds for tuberculosis. The [illegible]tor comes under the auspices of [illegible] Rosewood Shipping association [illegible] will examine without individual [illegible]ny herd where he is requested.

[illegible]ss Olga Thoreson came home from Thief River Falls last Monday morning where she is employed to assist at her parental home during threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson and family of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Anita, were in town last Sunday visiting with the Sagmoen relatives.

The Rosewood Shipping association will ship stock from Rosewood on Saturday, Oct. 9.

The Carl Stromberg family of Dakota Junction, in company with Mrs. Stromberg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth, spent Sunday as guests at the Gust Nakken home.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Martinus Johnson was a Sunday guest at the Hans Dahl home.

Gladys Roller was a Germantown caller on Friday.

Mrs. Emil Hanson spent Saturday afternoon at the Hans Dahl home.

Guests at the Benttin home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Klockman and daughter, Hattie, and Silva Bendickson.

Miss Pertena Haggy left for Minneapolis this week where she will be employed.

Miss Kotlan, who is teaching in Dist. No. 120, attended the teachers' convention last week.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson visited at the Hans Dahl home Sunday.

Lars Lindvick, who has been employed at Alvarado, N. D., returned home recently.

Miss Emma Ristau visited over Sunday with Minnie Ristau.

Detlef Dau and Emil Benttin motored to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ristau motored to Goodridge Sunday.

Seraphine Rolland was a caller at the O. P. Nelson home Monday.

ERIE

The Tharaldson family are enjoying a visit by relatives from Starbuck.

Ben Kveste and wife of Highlanding were visitors at Hovet's on Sunday.

An auction sale was held on Tuesday by Oliver Tommerdahl.

Rev. Hoyum conducted religious services in the Dolemo school house last Sunday.

Two Soderberg boys of Thief River Falls are doing chores at the L. B. Johnson place during the absence of the Johnson family. The latter are spending a few days in the vicinity of Thief River Falls.

N. P. Larson was a business caller in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

H. Folkedahl made a trip to Goodridge on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Osmund Lunden and children, who have been visiting with Mrs. Lundeen's parents, Mr and Mrs. Hovet, left on Monday for McIntosh where they will make their future home. The Lundens formerly resided near Rhoda.

Mrs. Melvin Svare is employed at Kirklie's restaurant in Goodridge as waitress.

Some culprits or drunks, or whatever name we may give them, have entered two school houses in eastern Star township and done considerable damage. In district number 5 all the glass doors on the book case were broken, lamp chimneys smashed, the water crock and drinking fountain entirely broken, and things in general had been thrown around the room. In Unorganized school district number 1 the water crock was also smashed, it being the only damage so far discovered. We can not understand or see into their motive for doing this. We thought whiskey was a thing of the past but nevertheless whiskey bottles were found, of course empty ones, so that goes to prove the culprits had been drunk. We wonder if such fellows can go about with a clear conscience? If they are caught the law no doubt will deal with them, if not they will answer at some other time for their criminal offense.

Big Increase is Shown in Roseau County Population

The population of Roseau county under the 1920 census is 18,305. In 1910 is was 11,338. Increase in the ten-year period is 1967. Twenty years ago the population was 6,994. Increase in twenty-year period 6,311. Of the increase since the 1910 census 726 is in the villages and 1,241 in the country. Nearly all the increase in population is in the eastern part of the county, and in the territory southeast of Roseau. The biggest increase, 378, is Roseau village, and Warroad second with 288 increase. Warroad, however, is ahead of the county seat in total population.

To Build New Home.

D. T. Neset was on Tuesday evening granted a permit by the city council to build a new home on lots 18 and 19, block 14, Knox addition. The structure will be 18x24 foot foundation, two stories high, and it is expected that work upon its construction will be started at once.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A 5-10 Avery tractor with two plows. Has plowed about 50 acres. Price $350.00.—C. W. McDaniel. 87tf

FOR SALE—Three plow tractor. Inquire at Hall Bros. 90p

FOR SALE—5-room house at 230 Markley Ave. N. Call phone 454 or 388 Conley Ave. S. 90p

FOR SALE—Five room house in good condition, 606 Arnold Ave. N. 90p

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms: the SE¼—Section 18 Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge. 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Vorachek. 81tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¾ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 4752. 86tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Orygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow. 812 LaBree Ave N. 73tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

[illegible] SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's [illegible] will be sold at bargain. Both [illegible] For information see Carl J. [illegible]son, Hazel Star Route.

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Quarter of wild hay 12 miles west on Jefferson Highway.—W. E. Baker. 84tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—My 8-room house and touring car, all in good condition. Priced for quick sale.—Henry Wilken, owner. Call 3434. 88tf

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FOR SALE—Fordson tractor and Avery plows. Call at Times office. 90p

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FOR RENT—Nice modern furnished room. Gentleman preferred. Phone 462. 90p

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LOST—Ford casing on road between city and Kratka. Finder return to Dr. O. F. Melby for reward.

LOST—Automobile casing and rim, size 30x4. Return to Times office and receive reward. 90

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LOST—One grey overcoat with military collar. Finder leave at Times office for reward. 90p

LOST—South of city, a spare tire with rim, size 33x4. Reward offered for return to Times office. 91p

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WANTED TO RENT—By Oct. 1 small house or two or three rooms. Call 235. 90p

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WANT TO BUY A COLLIE or Shepherd pup.—Chas. Schnabel, R. R. 1, box

Legal Notices

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Johnson, of Erie, Minn., who, on January 30th, 1919, made Homestead Application Serial No. 016178, for SE¼, Section 26, Township 153 N. Range 39 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of October, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole K. Lien, Henry Dahlen, Tollef Hovet and Gustav Iverson, all of Erie, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

OLE THOMPSON,
Register.
s23-30-o-7-14-21

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joe Severson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Sophie Severson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of October, 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 13th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(SEAL)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
s16-23-30

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew N. Iverson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ingeborg Iverson, Sathollun Lilleeng, Knut P. Iverson, Iver A. Iverson, Martha C. Iverson, Adina H. Iverson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of October, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 10th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
s16-23-30

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hattie Long, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to William O. Long, William Ward Long and Earl Edgar Long, and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of October, 1920 at Ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 14th day of September, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Petitioner.
s16-23-30

NOTICE OF HEARING.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of Judicial Ditch No. 44, Pennington County.

Notice is hereby given that a petition in the foregoing matter has been duly made and filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of said County, praying for a construction of a public drainage ditch herein and that the preliminary hearing thereon as required by law has been had before the said Court, and that the said Court thereupon duly appointed a civil engineer to make a detailed survey and report of the route of the said ditch and an estimate of the cost thereof and to perform such other duties in relation thereto as is provided by law; and that the said engineer has completed his work and made due reports thereon and filed the same in the office of the Clerk of the District Court; and that the said Court has duly appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits in the matter of the said drainage ditch and to perform all other duties in relation thereto as provided by law; and that the said viewers have completed their work and have made and filed their report as such in the office of the said Clerk of Court and that as appears by the engineer's final report herein, the starting point, route and termini of the said ditch and the general course of the same and the governmental sections over which same is surveyed and will pass are as follows, to-wit:

Main Ditch.

Commencing immediately South of the section line at the center of the south side of section 16, Township 153, North, Range 42 West in said Pennington County; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line bounding the south side of sections 16, 17 and 18 to the southwest corner of said sections 16, 17 and 18 in said last mentioned township and range to the southwest quarter of said section 18; thence in a northerly direction immediately east of the section line which is the western boundary line of said section 18 to the quarter corner on the west side of said section 18; thence in a northwesterly direction across the northeast quarter of section 13, Township 153 North, Range 43 West in said county, following the course of County Ditch No. One of Red Lake County to the north boundary line of said section 13; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line constituting the southern boundary line of sections 12, 11, 10 and 9 in said last mentioned township and range to Red Lake River as an outlet.

Lateral Number One:

Commencing immediately north of the east and west quarter line through section 10, township 153, range 42 West in said county at the quarter corner on the east side of section 10; thence in a westerly direction immediately along the north side of said quarter line to lateral No. 2 as an outlet.

Lateral Number Two:

Commencing immediately east of the section line at the northwest corner of section 16, Township 153 North, Range 42 West in the said county; thence in a southerly direction immediately east of the section line constituting the west boundary line of said section 16 to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Three:

Commencing immediately east of the section line at the center of the west side of section 28, Township 153, Range 42 in said Pennington County; thence in a northerly direction immediately along the east side of the section line constituting the west boundary line of sections 28 and 21 in said last mentioned township and range to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Four:

Commencing at a point immediately south of the section line at the center of the north side of the northeast quarter of section 28, Township 153, Range 42 West in said county; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line constituting the northern boundary line of said section 28 to lateral ditch number 3 as an outlet.

Lateral Number Five:

Commencing at a point immediately south of the section line at the northeast corner of section 17, Township 153, North, Range 42 West in said county; thence in a westerly direction immediately on the south side of the section line constituting the northern boundary line of said section 17 to the northwest corner thereof; thence in a southerly direction immediately along the east side of the section line constituting the western boundary line of said section 17 to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Six.

Commencing at a point immediately east of the section line at the quarter corner of the west side of section 20, Township 153 North, Range 42 West; thence in a northerly direction immediately east of the said section line constituting the west boundary line of said section 20 to the main ditch as an outlet.

That the said governmental sections over which said proposed ditch is surveyed and will pass are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are described as follows: Section 28, Section 29, Section 20, Section 19, Section 16, Section 17, Section 18, Section 7, Section 8, Section 9, all in Township 153 North of Range 42 West, and Section 6, Section 10, Section 11, Section 12, Section 13, Section 14, Section 15 and Section 16, all in Township 153 North of Range 43 West as the same appears and is shown in the said report of the engineer.

And that the names of the owners of the land and that the names of the municipal corporations and the other corporations that will be affected by the said proposed ditch as the same appears in the report of the viewers hereinbefore mentioned are as follows:

P. W. Roark, Fred Beerbower, Christian Pederson, John Narum, John M. Thiege, J. L. Stitt, Warren E. Wood, J. A. Swanson, O. N. Lawson, Erick J. Lom, Wm. J. McCrum, Lewis A. Nelson, Fred Morin, T. J. Carr, J. A. Aga, Bernt J. Kvinlog, Theo. M. Bjorge, E. O. Gullingsrud, John Kvall, Tobias Stene, Emil Thune, J. F. Chase, F. J. Hostvet, John A. Dahl, Wm. D. Riegert, O. J. Valsvik, E. O. Vigen, H. J. Enderlie, Anfin Torkelson, Engel O. Vigen, A. C. Anderson, T. J. Austad, Jacob Jonas, Joseph Kasanda, J. W. McGinty, Frank McGinty, Lewis E. Johnson, Jacob Pfeffer, Mayme Knox, Ezra A. Eshelby, John L. Higgins, S. W. Laubach, N. E. Johnson, Peter Olson, O. K. Strumme, G. O. Gustafson, C. L. Dobner, H. O. Viken, Elmer E. Kolp, A. A. Cooper, D. P. O'Neill, Chas. E. Liden, Vinnie Hendrickson, O. R. Jones, M. J. Kirby, Mary McGinn, Andrew N. Nash, G. J. Bakke, Albert Coyle, Andrew Torgerson, C. Elgsten, Ida C. Langseth, Line Johnson, S. E. Hunt, Albert Johnson, Halvor Halvorson, S. O. Lee, Rasmus Oen, John Johnson, Sigur Myrom, Oen Mercantile Co., Knute Yatesund, Johanna Brunshelm, Nels Eck, C. J. Hannot, E. Grundelius, Joseph Votava, Henry Arneson, Hans Christofferson, Lars O. Lien, Gilbert R. Swenson, D. Patterson, Martha Ingram, Peter Engelstad, Fred Turnquist, Daniel Johnson, John L. Banford, Ole T. Sandness, Ole J. Noneland, Amelia Soderberg, C. E. Olen, Knute H. Finstad, Paul Engelstad, Lars J. Netteland, John P. Stroberg, Hilda Stroberg, O. B. Gunderson, Swen Viborg, Christ Moe, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, Northwestern Telephone Company, Town of Smiley, Town of Rocksbury.

And you are further notified that on the 5th day of November A. D. 1920, commencing at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day in the Court Room of the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, a final hearing on the said petition and the said viewers' report and the said engineer's report will be held by and before the said Court and the said Hon. Andrew Grindeland, Judge thereof, and that at the said time and place all persons interested in the construction of the said ditch are invited to appear and be heard for or against the construction and establishment thereof, or as affecting any of the assessments of damages or benefits therein.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(District Court Seal.)
s29-o7-14

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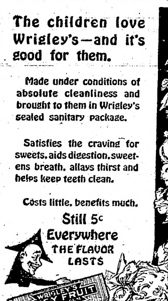

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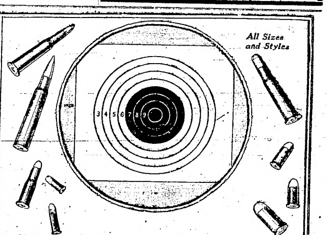

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CATTLE VALUES LOW AND HOGS CLIMBING

First of Week Shows Hogs at High Point of Year at South St. Paul.

Best hogs hit the high point of the year last Monday when they sold at $17 to $17.25 but a three-day decline of 50c to 75c cut values down to $16.40 for the upper limit. The market opened a little higher Friday but closed steady at the decline. Bulk of mixed hogs sold at $16.10 to $16.30 with packers and throwouts at $12 to $16. Choice stock pigs cashed at $15 to $15.25. Receipts were the largest in weeks, totaling around 20,000.

Cattle values took a slump and most grades dropped 50c to $1 with the exception of canners and bulls. Most kinds of killers and stockers and feeders are at the low point of the season. There was very little steer trade above $10 and bulk sold at $6 to $9. Butcher cows sold a little more readily than steers but at prices which reflected the decline. Few sales went above $7.50 to $8 and business was heavy at $5.50 to $6.50. Canners and cutters were selling at $3 to $5 with bulls at $4.25 to $6. Top vealers were quoted at $15. Stocker and feeder trade was dull with good cattle going begging. Steers were available at $6 to $11 with she stuff down around $5 to $6. Dairy cows closed at $5 to $10 lower with most sales under $100. Receipts were 40,000.

Sheep and lambs closed 50c to $1 lower but lambs advanced slightly at the close. Best natives were selling up to $11.50 with Westerns at $12.50. Native ewes cashed at $2 to $5. Good feeders are obtainable at $8 to $12. Receipts were 30,000.

Weekly Market Review

(By Quinn-Shephardson Co., Minneapolis.)

Last week's general decline may be attributed chiefly to the remarkably heavy run of old corn, which depressed oat prices and even sentimentally affected the strong positions of wheat and rye.

Selling of old corn was free at nominal premiums over the indicated new corn prices, apparently based on the assumption that old corn is too close to the new crop and if held much longer will be worth but little more than new corn, of which there is a record-breaking crop, frost or no frost.

Wet or frost-damaged corn should be conducive to lower values rather than higher. Unmerchantable and wet corn does not keep and, as demonstrated in previous years, would be immediately marketed from first hands. Corn sufficiently dry to keep on the farms and raised at an average cost near a dollar a bushel would not, in all probability, come to the market very fast at anything like present prices. Sellers of corn and oats at the present level should reckon with the growing independence of the producer and the necessity of delivering exactly what is sold, which despite the size of the coarse grain crops may not be quickly marketed.

Hogs are selling around $16.00. On the basis of 12 bushels of corn to 100 pounds of hog (which is a very liberal corn allowance) means that corn is worth about $1.35 a bushel as feed. The result may be plenty of 300 pound hogs. Pound for pound, oats are now almost as cheap as hay.

In the past two years the most potent factors governing prices of grains were a deficient rail service and the producers' selling and holding attitude. We see no reason that warrants at this time entirely throwing overboard these considerations.

World needs and surpluses are of necessity theoretical, but there has been nothing theoretical about the foreign purchases made to date, the volume of which raises a doubt as to the sufficiency of the available American surplus. Failing to get the cash wheat during the past week, millers as well as foreigners, were heavy buyers of the December future. A Berlin cable states that two million tons of breadstuffs must be imported this year by Germany and come chiefly from America. The German Imperial Grain department announces that their 1920 crops are seriously short of the country's requirements. Great Britain, Belgium and Italy are also reported as heavy purchasers recently.

Unmistakable signs pointing toward downward readjustment to a pre-war basis are now manifest in the industrial and manufacturing lines. An orderly recession in values unquestionably is dependent mostly upon a normal marketing of the country's crop. Immediate depression in grains to a level below production cost, however, is now a serious check upon free marketing and should create in the near future sharp reactions.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$2.11
Wheat No. 2 Northern	2.08
Oats	.43
Flax	2.78
Barley	.60
Rye	1.60
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	8.80
Bran	2.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.70
Corn and Oat feed, 80-lb. bags	2.60
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.65
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.20
Hens, light	.18
Geese, alive, per lb.	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.25
Spring Chickens	.20
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.40
Dairy butter	.55
Creamery butter	.58
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse hides	2.4
Calf hides	.10
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.18
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.09
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows	.05

Bootlegger's Car Ditched; Threshing Crew on Spree

Because his automobile containing 18 cases of Canadian liquor overturned in the vicinity of Eldred near Crookston, on the prairie near a spot where threshing crews were at work, who forthwith found the cups that cheer, H. P. Messenbrink, of Carrol, Iowa, was considered by Judge Wm. Watts in district court at Crookston to be guilty of increasing the farm labor shortage besides the charge of transporting liquor into dry territory. He was fined $350. Following the discovery of the liquor, no threshing was possible in that vicinity for several days.

Attempt Made to Dynamite Newspaper at Cass Lake

An attempt to blow up the Cass Lake Times was frustrated last Friday morning by failure of the defective cap to function. Three and a half sticks of dynamite tied together with a shoestring and with a fuse burned to the cap were discovered in the morning by Editor Ittner when he opened his office.

Examination showed the cap to be defective so that it could not explode. An investigation is being made and it is thought the would-be dynamiter will be located. Foot prints showed the culprit entered the window and placed the fuse under the door, lighting it from the inside.

That loud, resounding roar that you hear is everybody yelling at everybody else to go to work.—Topeka Capital.

With the aid of $1,500,000,000 rate increase, the railroads may be able to have car windows fixed so that passengers can open them.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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FOOTBALL LADS GET TERRIBLE TROUNCING

Meet Defeat at Grafton, N. D., on Saturday By Score of 61 to Goose Eggs.

The first football game of the season proved a disastrous venture for the Thief River Falls high school team. Last Saturday the boys went to Grafton, N. D., to try conclusions with the high school team of that village, and after the smoke of battle had cleared away it was found that Grafton's bunch had piled up 61 scores while the locals had to content themselves with a goose egg.

Various reasons are given for this result but the general opinion seems to be that it was due primarily to lack of practice and the inexperience of a number of the local players. Thief River Falls has a bunch of good material for a winning team but practically no preparation had been given the boys. For this reason they were badly handicapped in a conflict with more experienced players.

The local lads do not propose to have anything like that happen again, however, and from now on will get into the game in earnest. Diligent practice and a few needed lessons from the coach will make a wonderful difference in the team and there is no reason why the boys should not give a good account of themselves before the season is over.

Coach Tommerasen is now busy picking out the best men to be found for the various positions on the team and within a short time will have a squad to be proud of. The defeat of last Saturday was too bad to be sure, but any other result was hardly to be expected under the circumstances.

TEACHERS TO MEET AT WARREN OCT. 21

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association will be held at Warren, Oct. 21, 22 and 23. Warren was selected as the meeting place at a recent meeting of the executive committee of the association.

Educational men and women from over the northwestern section of the state will be present at the gathering. Several good speakers have been arranged for and a number of sectional and round table sessions are planned.

A hearty reception to the visitors is promised by Warren. During the meeting officers for the coming year will be elected. Present officers are: President, N. A. Thorson, Crookston; vice president, H. L. Bleecher, Stephen; secretary-treasurer, W. A. Ziegler, Thief River Falls. These with G. Holmquist, Warren, M. C. Hays, East Grand Forks and I. S. Hov, McIntosh comprise the executive committee.

Presidential Straw Votes.

A large number of straw votes are being taken throughout the country to ascertain, if possible, the sentiment of voters on the two leading presidential candidates and upon others matters of national interest. Some of the leading motion picture houses of the country are conducting a poll for president and also on the league of nations question. In this election Harding is leading by 32,000 to 17,000 votes and the league of nations is disapproved by a vote of more than four to one. Theatres in Ohio are in almost every instance showing a majority in favor of Harding.

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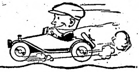

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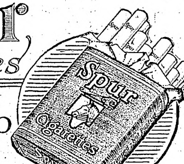

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WOMAN KILLED, 5 OTHERS HURT IN AUTO WRECK

Mrs. Arthur Boyce of This City Meets Instant Death When Car Leaves Road.

J. A. Ralston and Mrs. A. H. Erickson Regarded as in Serious Condition.

Other Passengers More or Less Seriously Injured Saturday on South Road.

Mrs. Arthur Boyce of this city, mother of three small children, was instantly killed and five others injured when an automobile driven by J. A. Ralston went off the road and upset a short distance north of Red Lake Falls last Friday night.

The injured are Mr. Ralston, who is at his home in this city in a serious condition with a badly wrenched back and internal injuries as well as from nervous shock; Mrs. A. H. Erickson of Lancaster, who has a broken jaw and is otherwise injured so severely that her life was for a time considered in danger. She is at the Physicians hospital here and reported as improving. Mrs. Mildred Gilette of this city, sister of Mrs. Erickson, was also badly bruised but able to continue home after receiving first aid here. Oscar R. Smith and Elmer Roll were in the wreck and were badly shaken up but none of their injuries are serious.

Ran Past Turn.

The cause of the accident was failure to make a turn at the right time. A sharp corner on the road a short distance out of Red Lake Falls has been eliminated by the construction of a more gradual curve, this route having been in use all season. Ralston ran past this, according to the others, and hit the sharper turn with such speed that the car was thrown into the six-foot ditch and overturned.

Mrs. Boyce was evidently struck by one of the rods holding up the top and this driven through her skull. She was dead when cars following a short distance behind the wrecked machine arrived on the scene. The body was taken to Red Lake Falls, where burial took place on Wednesday. The others were brought to this city, where the seriously injured, with the exception of Mr. Ralston, were taken to the hospital.

EVIDENCE STOLEN FROM CITY LOCKUP

Nearly a Hundred Quarts of Booze Disappears From Custody of Officials.

At a conservative estimate of $12 a quart, the stuff was worth between eleven and twelve hundred dollars on the market today. There were in the first place 60 quarts of sealed Canadian whiskey. Then there were 18 pint bottles of alcohol in one grip and 27 pints in another, besides about four gallons of the same stuff in an old paint can. Now nothing remains.

The stuff was kept in the city jail and represented the evidence gathered in sundry raids since the prohibition amendment went into effect. Many and divers things have happened to the original owners and it is not thought they had any further interest in the supply. Someone, however, knew where it was being held.

Sometime Monday night the jail was broken into and the stuff removed so effectively that not a trace of it has since been found. The thieves evidently used a crowbar to gain entrance as the outer door was securely locked and well protected. Not only was this obstacle easily overcome, but the cell in which the liquor was kept was broken into, bars and locks proving no effective barriers. The robbers managed to get away without leaving a trace.

County Attorney Theo. Quale says he has no definite clew to the perpetrators of this outrage, but he has certain suspicions and is going to leave no stone unturned to have them either verified or disproved.

$90 PER ACRE FOR SUGAR BEET CROP

Digging is Practically Finished and Weighing and Shipping Will Begin Soon.

The digging of sugar beets in Pennington county is now well under way. Although the crop has not been weighed and loaded as yet it is showing prospects of an excellent yield. Due to the fine weather it will be only a short time before all the beets are dug and ready for shipment to the Chaska Sugar Beet company. The agriculturist of this company was in Thief River Falls recently and was very much pleased with the prospects of growing beets in Pennington county, stating that this would be an excellent place for a beet sugar factory. He claimed the people in this vicinity are much interested in the growing of the crop, which fact was evidenced by the number who tried it the first year.

Labor will be furnished next year by the Chaska company for 250 acres, which costs this year $28 per acre. All hand labor will be furnished at that price, including the thinning, weeding, hoeing, rehoeing, piling and topping. This is handling the crop much cheaper than it could be cared for by unskilled labor. Where it has been handled in this way the crop is netting the grower $90 per acre.

Quite a number in the vicinity of Thief River Falls have already placed an application for next year. The crop is one of the surest that can be grown on any farm. The seed requires no treating and the plant no spraying, as neither insect nor disease trouble the sugar beet to any extent. Freezing in the spring or in the fall will not hurt the plant in the least. Water covering the plant even for five days will not injure it.

The seed, which is planted in the spring, is not paid for until the crop is harvested, and if the owner cannot finance the labor proposition the company is very willing to advance the money. All growers are advised not to contract for too large an acreage until they become experienced in caring for the crop.

STEENERSON HERE TO SPEAK OCT. 20

Congressman Coming to Address People of This Section at Auditorium.

Republicans of Pennington county are looking forward with interest to the meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 20, at which Congressman Halvor Steenerson will be the principal speaker. This will be Mr. Steenerson's first address in this city since early in the war and as he has always been greeted by a large audience here it is figured that the meeting will be a record-breaker. This is particularly to be expected as by that time there is likely to be a much greater interest in the outcome of the campaign.

The situation in the district is somewhat different from that of recent years. The entry of a Democratic candidate may have some effect on the fortunes of Mr. Steenerson, but opinion is rather divided as to just what this will be. Some profess to believe that it will help the Nonpartisan candidate by taking votes usually cast for Steenerson, while others maintain that whatever votes Jeffers, the Democratic candidate, receives will be that many less for Thormodson, the Nonpartisan candidate.

However that may be, Mr. Steenerson is sure to be greeted by a packed house on his appearance here.

Directory Publisher Here.

John H. Ley, publisher of city directories for half a dozen Minnesota cities, arrived on Monday and will begin the compilation of the directory of Thief River Falls to be issued some time before the holidays. Mr. Ley says that from appearances he is certain that the city will show a substantial increase in population over two years ago, at which time the last directory was issued.

Takes Boys' Class.

J. G. Nielson has agreed to act as instructor for the boys' class at the Fallness gymnasium and will begin the work on Friday evening. All boys who contemplate joining for the season are urged to be present at that time in order to begin with the rest.

COUNTY IS LEADER IN POPULATION GAIN

Makes Best Ten-Year Record of Seven in Northwestern Corner of Minnesota.

According to the census reports just given out at Washington, Pennington county has a population of 12,091, a gain of 2,715 in ten years. This is the best relative showing made by any northwestern Minnesota county, the percentage of increase being 29.0. The following table gives the population figures and rate of increase for these counties:

	1920	1910	Inc.	Pret.
Pennington	12,091	9,396	2,715	29.0
Marshall	19,443	16,338	3,105	19.0
Polk	37,071	36,001	1,070	3.0
Red Lake	7,263	6,564	699	10.0
Kittson	10,638	9,669	696	10.0
Roseau	13,305	11,338	1,697	17.3
Clearwater	8,569	6,870	1,699	24.7

The state of Minnesota now has a population of 2,379,883, an increase of 304,175 during the decade elapsing since the former census was taken, and ranks eighteenth in the Union in population. Nearly every county shows a satisfactory growth, the only ones having decreased being Goodhue, Houston, LeSueur, Washington and Wabasha. Mahnomen is the leader in the point of gain, jumping from 3,249 in 1910 to 6,179 at this time, the increase being 90.7 per cent.

The city of Thief River Falls fell slightly behind the county as a whole in the percentage of increase, the population at this time being given as 4,685 as compared with 3,714 in 1910, a gain of 26.1 per cent. This is exactly the same proportionate increase as was made by Duluth and only one tenth of one per cent behind that of Minneapolis. The leaders in the list of cities are Rochester and Hibbing, the former showing a gain of 74.9 per cent and the range town 70.8 per cent. Crookston, Lake City, Red Wing, Stillwater and Two Harbors are the cities showing a decrease in population during the ten years.

GOOD ROADS TO RECEIVE BOOST IN PENNINGTON

Big Meeting in Thief River Falls Next Tuesday Evening, October 12.

Senator McGarry and Former Immigration Commissioner to Discuss Subject.

Second Meeting to Be Held at Goodridge on Wednesday Evening, Oct. 13.

Next Tuesday, Oct. 12, will be a red letter day among the good roads enthusiasts of Pennington county. On the evening of that day the biggest meeting for this section of the state in the campaign for better roads is to be held at the auditorium in Thief River Falls, and everyone interested in the proposition is requested to be present. The Babcock amendment will be the subject discussed by the speakers at this meeting and a splendid opportunity is provided for voters to secure authoritative information concerning the workings of the proposed legislation.

Well-Known Speakers.

Senator P. H. McGarry of Walker is scheduled for the leading speech next Tuesday evening. Senator McGarry has been identified for many years with the movement for better roads in Minnesota and is recognized as an authority on the subject. Mr. McGarry is firmly convinced that the Babcock amendment is a good thing and stands ready to explain why he has come to this conclusion.

During his long term of service in the legislature, Senator McGarry has been recognized as a leader in every movement designed to help Minnesota out of the rut, and at the recent session stood sponsor for the measure known as the Babcock law.

Another Good Speaker.

Accompanying Mr. McGarry is F. D. Sherman, former state immigration commissioner. Mr. Sherman has for years been known as a booster for anything which benefits Minnesota and he is thoroughly convinced that the proposed Babcock law is a good thing for the entire state.

Everyone is invited to this meeting whether they are in favor of the amendment or not. The speakers are coming for the purpose of explaining every detail of the law and all questions will cheerfully be answered.

Extra Attractions.

The speakers will be accompanied by Col. Sam Badger, a veteran of the civil war and champion snare drummer of Minnesota, and William Patten, a regular army fifer. These musicians will add life to the proceedings and will make the evening more enjoyable for everyone.

A motion picture film will be presented during the meeting, showing road building in actual operation under varying conditions. This feature of the program cannot help but prove both entertaining and helpful.

At Goodridge Oct. 13.

On Wednesday evening a meeting has been arranged at Goodridge in order to give the people residing in the eastern part of the county an opportunity to acquaint themselves with the Babcock amendment. Friends of the amendment in that section of the county are making arrangements to care for a large crowd and indications are that they will not be disappointed.

Two Big New Harding-Preus Clubs Organized in County

G. Howard Smith, organizer for this district, last Thursday evening went to St. Hilaire and was instrumental in forming a Harding-Preus club for that village. There was a good attendance at the meeting, and about half of those present were women. The following officers were chosen for the new club: E. P. Patnode, president; Blanche Hoff, first vice president; Edith Nelson, second vice president; E. T. Efteland, secretary, and L. A. Wilson, treasurer.

Friday evening a similar club was organized at Goodridge. Here also the attendance was good and much interest was shown in political matters by the ladies. Officers for the Goodridge club were elected as follows: Miss May B. Wiles, president; O. H. Nystul, first vice president; N. Bundhund, second vice president; T. Tandberg, secretary, and Henry Rockne, treasurer. This is the only club so far organized which has named a woman as its president.

THIEF RIVER DOWNS RED LAKE WARRIORS

Sunday Football Game Results in Score of 6 to 0 in Favor of Local Team.

The Thief River Falls city football team won its first game of the season last Sunday when it defeated the Red Lake Falls city team at the fair grounds by a score of 6 to 0. It was a hard fought battle from start to finish and the spectators were furnished an abundance of thrills all the way through.

The Red Lake Falls team had been in two previous engagements this season while the locals had been in only a few practice scrimmages here at home. The Thief River lads, however, made an excellent showing and at no stage of the game was the outcome in doubt. The ball was never allowed to pass from Red Lake's side of the gridiron and had it not been for a few unfortunate fumbles by Thief River players the score would have been much more one-sided.

Following in the line-up of the locals: Denis McGinn, quarterback; R. Falk, fullback; Dudley, right half; D. Stanton, left half; Gordon LaBree, center; Lester Hendry, right guard; Fred Haug, left guard; Victor Norquist, left tackle; Harry Frye, right tackle; Rueben Hadrath, left end; A. Holzknecht, right end. Bennett substituted for Stanton in the second quarter.

A game has been arranged on the local grounds next Sunday between the Crookston city team and the team which trimmed Red Lake Falls last Sunday. The Crookston lads are said to be exceptionally strong and the game is sure to be a hummer. A return game with Red Lake Falls is scheduled in about two weeks. Arrangements are also under way for games with Bemidji and Moorhead during the present season.

MAYOR HODGSON, MRS. PATTERSON TO SPEAK HERE

Democratic Candidate For Governor Will Be Heard at Auditorium Monday Night.

Also First Woman Speaker For Either Side in Present Campaign.

Meeting Widely Advertised and Special Invitation Extended to Women Voters.

The Democrats of Thief River Falls and surrounding country will have their innings on Monday night when Mayor Lawrence W. Hodgson of St. Paul, their candidate for governor, and Mrs. H. A. Patterson of Mankato, who has made considerable of a reputation as a public speaker, will deliver addresses at the auditorium. Local democrats are arranging for the biggest meeting to be held by them during the campaign and are advertising extensively in all nearby towns.

Mayor Hodgson is admittedly one of the most eloquent speakers in the state. His position as the executive head of one of our largest cities and the record he has made as such official has also given him wide publicity and he is everywhere greeted by large audiences.

While the national ticket and platform ill no doubt receive a fair share of attention at his hands, it is expected that "Larry Ho" will devote most of his address to the state situation. He has pronounced views on the tonnage tax issue, the Babcock good roads bill and land reclamation, besides taking a keen interest in educational matters. He will be invited to address the school children on Monday forenoon as he will be in the city all day.

First Woman Speaker.

Mrs. Patterson will be the first woman to deliver a regular political address in this city since the passage of the nineteenth amendment and there is considerable interest shown in her handling of the subject. To her is expected to fall the duty of explaining the league of nations from the Democratic viewpoint and reports are to the effect that she is well qualified for the task.

Mayor Hodgson speaks at Warren on Tuesday evening and at Crookston on Wednesday.

CORN OATS SPUDS ARE CROP LEADERS

Monthly Report Gives Average Wheat Yield in County as Eleven Bushels.

Corn and sugar beets are proving the banner crops of Pennington county for the present season, according to the October report sent to the U. S. department of agriculture this week by County Agent J. J. McCann. The condition of corn is placed at 105 per cent and that of wheat at 99, with an average yield for the latter cereal in the county of 11 bushels to the acre. Mr. McCann estimates that 40 per cent of the wheat crop has been marketed at this time.

The average yield of oats is placed at 34 bushels and the quality at 100 per cent. Barley went 24 bushels to the acre and has a quality score of 102. The condition of buckwheat at this time is put at 91 per cent, white potatoes at 105 and flax seed at 96.

The total acreage of all field crops is six per cent greater than last year and eight per cent above the usual average. Cloverseed scores 15 per cent in quality. Alfalfa seed is reported as going four bushels to the acre, has a percentage of 90 and an average acreage increase of five per cent. Pastures stand at 83 per cent.

Sugar beets, tried here extensively for the first time this year, show a condition of 102 per cent.

COOPERATION AS PROPER REMEDY URGED BY PREUS

Republican Candidate For Governor Addresses Large Audience Here Saturday.

Says That Country Life Must Be Made More Attractive to Farming Population.

Attacks Program of Nonpartisan League and Strongly Supports Harding.

Co-operation among farmers and the forming of organizations for the handling of all produce raised by them was urged as a necessity of the near future by J. A. O. Preus, Republican candidate for governor, in an address here on Saturday evening. *He maintained that the solution of* many of the ills with which the tiller of the soil now finds himself confronted would be solved through better marketing conditions and a closer working agreement among the farmers themselves. This plan, Mr. Preus maintained, was greatly to be preferred to state ownership of elevators and other agencies for collection and final distribution.

Before an audience that filled the auditorium to overflowing, Mr. Preus and Louis L. Collins, candidate for lieutenant governor, spoke for more than two hours. Mr. Collins took up but little time but what he said was evidently greatly appreciated by his hearers. He is not a large man in physical stature but has a good voice and generally gives the impression of having something worth while to say. He was not the stellar attraction and had the good judgment to recognize the fact. His remarks were mostly in a light vein and put the audience in good humor at once.

County Chairman Wilhelm Michelet started the ball rolling by making a few announcements, after which he introduced Mayor John Bratrud. The latter acted as chairman of the meeting and carried off his part in a very satisfactory manner. He introduced Mr. Preus as the next governor of Minnesota and the principal speaker of the evening was greeted by a generous round of applause as he took the platform. Mr. Preus is a clear and forceful speaker, his voice reaching to every part of the building without seeming effort on his part. Demonstrations of approval were frequent, his announced program evidently meeting with general acceptance. The speaker devoted a part of his time to giving the national ticket a generous boost and unsparingly attacked the league of nations.

Tracy R. Bangs of Grand Forks, a former Democrat now supporting the Republican ticket, arraigned the Nonpartisan league program in a short speech at the close of the meeting and furnished considerable amusement by his witty sallies.

Mr. Preus' address was in part as follows:

"The platform adopted by the Republican National Convention of June 8, 1920, declared that 'The farmer is the backbone of the nation.'

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Collins Honor Guest at Reception Saturday Night

Louis L. Collins, candidate for lieutenant governor and formerly a corporal in the 151st field artillery, to which a number of Thief River Falls boys also belonged, was tendered a reception at the rooms of W. R. Patterson in the Meehan block after the Republican meeting Saturday. A large number of citizens took the opportunity to meet and become better acquainted with the Little Corporal on this occasion and he made a large number of friends. Mr. Collins is a man of most delightful personality and impressed most favorably all who met him.

Mrs. Bishop at Marion.

Five Minnesota women were at Marion, Ohio, last Friday to attend the special woman's day ceremonies with the social justice program. They were Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, chairman of the national Republican speakers' bureau; Mrs. C. A. Severance, national committeewoman; Mrs. J. M. Bishop, second vice chairman of the state women's Republican committee; Mrs. Marshall H. Coolidge and Mrs. Theodore Wetmore of the national speakers' bureau.

GOOD CROWD HEARS NONPARTISAN TALK

N. E. Thormodson and O. J. Nelson Address Voters Here Tuesday Evening.

Political speakers certainly should have no fault to find with the size of the audiences they are called upon to address in Thief River Falls. So far this season the people have turned out to hear them all, regardless of the message they tried to convey.

N. E. Thormodson, independent candidate for congress, was the principal speaker at a meeting held Tuesday evening at the auditorium. The hall was well filled and there was never a question but what Mr. Thormodson had to say was very much to his hearers' liking. He lambasted both old parties unmercifully for their alleged shortcomings and maintained that the farmers and workingmen of the country are being exploited by both. His arguments followed the line of other speakers for the same cause and he had nothing particularly new to present. Mr. Thormodson is not an orator but he is evidently deeply in earnest and talks with force and directness.

O. J. Nelson, an organizer for the league, recently returned from Montana and Washington, also gave a short talk and defended the program of the organization with considerable skill and quite an array of argument. A. J. Hemstad of Plummer, league candidate for the legislature, spoke for a few minutes and explained his views on various political issues.

Attended Father's Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Scanlan returned Monday morning from Quincy, Ill., where they had been to attend the funeral of Mr. Scanlan's father. Deceased was 85 years of age at the time of his death. The effect of an old wound, received while the senior Mr. Scanlan was a soldier in the civil war, was the primary cause of the old gentleman's demise.

RED LAKE COUNTY'S POPULATION 7,263

Gain in Ten Years is 699; City Increase 208 During the Same Period.

According to the census of 1920, Red Lake county has a population of 7,263. Ten years ago it was 6,564, an increase during the decade of 699. The city of Red Lake Falls is given credit for 1,549 out of the total, leaving 5,714 for the remainder of the county and showing a decrease for the city during the ten years of 208. The townships of Lambert, Terrebonne and Wylie show a slight falling off since the last census was taken, while the largest percentage of increase is in Emardville township which has grown from 193 inhabitants to 476. Plummer village has a population of 252 as compared with 139 ten years ago, while Oklee, the only other village in the county and where no count was made ten years ago, contains 364 persons.

KING WITHDRAWS; CHRISTENSEN FAILS

Former Says Radicals Are Too Badly Split—Christensen is Overlooked.

Withdrawal of Cyrus M. King of Deer River as farmer-labor candidate for governor, was accepted by Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, on Monday just before he sent sample state ballots out to county auditors.

The King withdrawal leaves four candidates for governor: J. A. O. Preus, republican; L. C. Hodgson, democrat; Dr. Henrik Shipstead, independent, and Peter J. Samson, socialist. The last two were filed by petition.

The farmer-labor state committee at the last minute also filed withdrawal of Roy C. Smelker of St. Paul as its candidate for secretary of state and substituted the name of Lily J. Anderson of Franklin.

Minnesota voters will not have an opportunity to cast ballots for Parley P. Christenson, farmer-labor party candidate for president. Failure to file the Christenson electors is charged by certain supporters to "carelessness and indifference" on the part of the committee officials.

Under the law, Saturday was the last day for filing nominations, but the committee made no attempt to file until Monday. Julius A. Schmahl, secretary of state, refused to accept the filing and it was reported that mandamus proceedings may be used in an effort to force him to receive the names.

CONTRACT LET FOR NEW SEWER SYSTEM

Storm Sewers to Be Installed Without Delay By Concern Awarded Job.

At a special meeting of the city council held last Thursday evening, the contract for the construction of the proposed storm sewer system was let to Coolsaet Brothers of Marshall, Minn., the bid of this firm being the lowest of the five submitted. The bid accepted amounts to $14,828 for the entire job. It is the intention of the successful bidders to begin work at once and they expect to have the entire contract completed before winter sets in.

As an indication of the upward trend in the prices of everything entering into work of this kind, it may be noted that the lowest bid received for this job last week was nearly $2,500 higher than the bid accepted for the same contract some six months ago, before the proceedings were tied up by injunctions and obstacles of like nature. At that time the contract was let for a little over $12,000.

Other bids considered last Thursday evening were as follows: McDonald & Hussey, Duluth, $18,231; Carl C. Knudson, Blue Earth, $15,131; Smith & Jackson, Minneapolis, $16,604; H. E. Helt, Thief River Falls, $17,721.

PRICE-CUTTING IN MANY LINES IS SENSATIONAL

Two of City's Largest Stores Are This Week Announcing Astounding Reductions.

Loken Brothers and E. O. Mogensen Slash Prices on Everything They Handle.

Sales Open Next Wednesday Morning and Will Continue For Ten Days.

The most astounding merchandising event in the history of northern Minnesota will be ushered in next Wednesday morning when two big Thief River Falls stores throw their entire stock on the market at price reductions that are decidedly sensational. *Loken Brothers*, dry goods and women's wear merchants, and E. O. Mogensen, clothier, have combined to make this event the greatest of its kind ever seen in this section.

These merchants, as is the case with men all over the country who have kept close watch of conditions, are convinced that the time has come for price reductions all along the line and propose to be the pioneers of the movement in this region. Instead of getting down to pre-war conditions by gradual descents they have decided to make the entire cut at once and all along the line. Everything in these two fine stores will be included in the general reduction, the prices in many instances going below the manufacturer's cost of the goods offered.

Is Simply Good Business.

Whether or not the present downward trend will be permanent is not known, but these merchants have wisely arrived at the conclusion that this is the time to give the people the reductions they have long awaited. While it is true that as yet no great decrease is noted in the wholesale price of the goods they handle—in fact some lines are being held at an advance—yet they figure with Henry Ford that "the way to reduce prices is to reduce them." Anyone reading the large advertisements appearing in The Times this week will be convinced that they have certainly gone about it with a will.

Sales Open Wednesday.

The sales will start on Wednesday morning, Oct. 13. Both stores will be closed Monday and Tuesday in order to give the sales managers an opportunity to arrange the goods for quick disposal. A large number of additional salespeople will be on hand to handle the crowds and everything will be so displayed and priced as to save time and confusion.

Experts in Charge.

Frank Stefan and Warren Reck, expert merchandise adjusters of Minneapolis, have been in the city since the first of the week getting things in readiness for what they believe will be one of the biggest sales campaigns in their careers. The stocks in these stores are different from most thrown on the bargain counters, being new and up-to-date in every particular. These gentlemen are under contract to dispose of at least $75,000 worth of goods in the two stores in ten days and they expect to exceed this amount. They have had wide experience in conducting sales of this kind and with the opportunity here offered they look forward to making a record.

FAIR BOARD MEETS ON FRIDAY EVENING

Secretary to Be Chosen and Other Matters of Importance Considered.

An adjourned meeting of the Pennington County Agricultural association will be held on Friday evening, Oct. 8, at the commercial club rooms. The matter of electing a secretary for the coming year will be taken up and other matters of considerable importance are due to come before the members for discussion. It is very much desired that there be a large attendance.

The published reports of the financial standing of the association at this time are misleading in some respects inasmuch as the impression given out that the total cash balance in the treasury of $866 represents all the cash assets. To this sum should be added $1,406 paid out in premiums and which will be returned later by the state. Two hundred dollars was also paid as interest on the outstanding indebtedness out of the receipts of this year. This will make a total balance for the season of $2,472, or nearly three times the amount first published.

Bought Farm Machinery Stock at Fergus Falls

O. A. Rambeck of the Rambeck & Stone company returned this week from Fergus Falls, where he attended to the invoicing and shipping of a stock of farm machinery purchased by his firm. The stock comprises all kinds of machines and implements and will total in the neighborhood of $8,000. All is of the Emerson-Brantingham make and will thus fit in with the line carried in this city.

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GET MUCH HELP FOR ALL ROADS FROM NEW PLAN

Pennington County Will Gain Road Funds By Adoption of Babcock Amendment.

Facts and Figures Produced to Prove Benefit of Proposed Highway Plan.

Money Now Used on Main Roads to Me Made Available For Laterals.

Pennington county roads, like those in many other counties, are growing gradually poorer in spite of recent increases in road taxes.

Good Roads Amendment No. 1 is designed to solve the problem of better maintaining and improving roads without further increasing taxes or issuing road bonds as is being done in many states. The plan will accomplish this, it is explained, mainly by relieving the counties of the upkeep of the main highways and placing that heavy expense on the motor traffic, which is rapidly increasing road requirements. Friends of the plan present 1920 and 1921 comparisons furnished by the state highway department in support of the claims.

Shows Local Gains.

There are 950 miles of public roads in this county. The road money this year includes $30,362 of county and $21,704 of town taxes; $20,000 of state and $25,000 of federal aid; also $55,000 of bond revenue.

The grand total is $152,065, and approximately $117,772 of it is being spent upon the trunk highways which are to be taken over by the state.

Thus only $34,293 now is being spent on the local roads.

Under Amendment No. 1, however, there will be available next year about $71,701 against the $34,293 figure this year, a gain of $37,411 without issuing any bonds.

Big Sum For Local Roads.

To the larger 1921 fund, county taxes will yield $[illegible], township taxes $22,666, and the state will [illegible] $20,000 as this year. The county-town roads will [illegible] miles when trunk highways are taken over by the state.

Pennington county will have raised nearly $[illegible] for use on the [illegible] road [illegible].

Altogether [illegible] will [illegible] and [illegible] proposed plan. [illegible] have [illegible] trunk roads and the counties and towns more than $[illegible] year for local roads [illegible].

The benefits to the counties and towns at once are apparent [illegible] big gain in funds [illegible] friends of the proposal maintain, and every road will be made a good road in short order.

Engineers report that the state

Engineers report that the state, by spending $10,000,000 a year during the next six years, can properly grade, drain and gravel the entire 7,000-mile state system and also hard surface more than 1,500 miles of the roads carrying the heavier traffic. It will be obliged first to put and keep every mile of the system in good condition, and then, as funds permit and according to traffic demands, to use the surplus each year for permanent betterments.

Pennington county is already receiving $45,000 of state and federal aid. Advocates of Good Roads Amendment No. 1 claim that the new plan will on the average double this gift from outside. They explain that the proposal "looks too good to be true" to some citizens, but recall that the same applied to the Bob Dunn 1-mill tax amendment. The fact is that all additional funds will come from a higher motor vehicle license fee and federal aid, and that the automobile and truck owners generally favor it. Questions about Amendment No. 1 will be answered in this paper if briefly and clearly stated.

DOG SHOOTING CASE NULLED BY COURT

New Evidence Proves Dog Died From Broken Neck Instead of Bullet.

New evidence produced by the defendants in the dog shooting case mentioned in these columns last week, resulted in the case being dismissed and the defendants, E. C. Frederickson and Paul Merrisen, released from their bonds and absolved of all criminal connection with the matter. The young men were bound over to the district court last week on the charge of having shot and killed a valuable dog belonging to Theodore Tollefson of Highlanding township.

Following the hearing last week the remains of the dog were brought to this city and given a thorough examination by a veterinary. This examination brought out the fact that the dog did not die from a bullet wound but that death was caused by a broken neck. The defense's [illegible] the criminal aspect of the case and proved beyond a doubt that the dog had accidentally been run over by the car in which the defendants were riding when they left the Tollefson farm at the time the animal was found dead, which defendants admitted at the preliminary hearing might have been possible.

The Wrong Critter.

It is a little early in the season [illegible] the fol- [illegible]

[illegible] the high spots for the tall timber."

ADMITTING ASSAULT IS HELD FOR MURDER

Red Lake County Man's Victim Dies While Assailant is Pleading Guilty.

While Frank Plante, a young farmer of Lambert township, Red Lake county, was pleading guilty to assault before a justice of the peace in Red Lake Falls, his victim, Ferdinand Marsonette, died as a result of the injuries inflicted and Plante was held for murder.

Both men were members of a threshing crew and became involved in a quarrel over some grain sacks. Plante, so the report goes, struck Marsonette over the head with the handle of a pitchfork during the altercation and proceeded to Red Lake Falls with the intention of paying a fine for assault. While thus engaged he is said to have stated that he would like to pay two fines as it was his intention to again give Marsonette a beating as soon as this could conveniently be accomplished.

In the meantime Sheriff Charles Fellman received word that Marsonette had died and that Plante should be held as the party responsible. He evidently made no attempt to get out of the way of the officials and was quickly found.

HOLDING POTATOES FOR HIGHER PRICES

Amount Paid Growers in State Cut in Two During Past Three Weeks.

Minnesota potatoes are selling at the growers' station for approximately one-half what they brought two weeks ago, an average state-wide price being from 50 to 60 cents a bushel, or 95 cents to $1 a hundred pounds, according to A. W. Aamodt, manager of the Minnesota Potato Growers' exchange. Under those market conditions, Mr. Aamodt said, an average wholesale price for potatoes delivered at Minneapolis, with freight and hauling charges paid, is $1.42 a hundredweight, and a fair retail price, allowing for retailers' profits, approximately $1.25 a bushel of 60 pounds.

Farmers in many localities are holding their potatoes for better prices and refusing to haul them for less than 50 cents a bushel, according to Mr. Aamodt, while in localities where no storage space is available all the stock is being thrown on the market as fast as it can be hauled, as the growers fear frost damage.

Many Study Farm Work.

Registration for another year's work at the Minnesota College of Agriculture and the Central School of Agriculture at University Farm, St. Paul, indicates that the attendance this year at these two units of the state university will be even greater than last year, when the increase in the student body was 40 per cent over previous registrations. The registration in the college last year was 733 and in Central school 1,027, or a total of 1,760. Dean R. W. Thatcher predicts a combined enrollment this year of 2,000. Federal board students are expected to number 400 as against 250 last year. The College of Agriculture began class work week before last and the School of Agriculture opened last week.

THORMODSON FILES IN CONGRESS RACE

Will Go on Ballot as an Independent—Twenty Women Signers in This City.

N. E. Thormodson of Dalton, who was defeated in the primaries by Halvor Steenerson as a candidate on the Republican ticket for congress, will go on the ballot in November as an independent. His petition, signed by 525 voters in the district who took no part in the primary election, was last week filed with County Auditor T. P. Anderson.

The petition contains the names of 44 Pennington county voters, but three precincts outside of Thief River Falls being represented. There are 38 signers giving the city as their homes, twenty of whom are women. Kratka township contributes six names, there is one from Rhoda and one from St. Hilaire.

Thormodson and Steenerson are both making a speaking tour of the district, the former appearing before a large audience here on Tuesday evening. Martin Widsten, campaign manager for Steenerson, was in the city last week and stated that the congressman would be here to deliver an address later in the campaign.

AUTO MAN GIVES FACTS TO PUBLIC

Says Nothing Agreed With Him and He Could Hardly Sleep Before He Got Tanlac.

"After being in bad shape for more than a year I am a well man again, thanks to Tanlac," declared Joseph Stanley, 3201 Findly Place, Minneapolis, Minn.

"My stomach had been in such awful condition that I could not eat a single thing without its hurting me. My food would ferment, bloating me up with gas, and I had constant pains in the pit of my stomach. My kidneys also worried me a great deal and I had such a severe pain in the small of my back it was an effort for me to bend over. I was badly constipated, and often had dizzy spells. I couldn't get a good night's sleep and would get up in the morning feeling dull and stupid. I lost at least 15 pounds in weight, grew weaker every day, felt tired and worn out all the time and finally just had to give up and stop work.

"I was in this condition when I began taking Tanlac, but I had taken only a few doses when I commenced getting better. While I have only taken four bottles so far my whole system has been built up and I can eat anything I want without suffering from it afterwards. My kidneys do not worry me any more and the pains in my back have entirely gone. I am never constipated, never become dizzy and can sleep all night long without waking till morning. I have regained all my lost weight and strength and feel as well as I ever did in my life."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—adv.

An Awful Price.

Baudette Region: Jack Jowet went to Warroad Wednesday to harvest his crop of 3,000 bushels of potatoes. Buyers have offered him 44 cents a bushel for the crop, and if the buyers go where Jack told them to go the fuel famine next winter won't worry them any.

UNION HAY CO.
CORN EXCHANGE BLDG.
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

DON'T BURN YOUR STRAW.
IT HAS A MONEY VALUE
SHIP TO US FOR TOP NOTCH PRICES
BUY OR HANDLE HAY OR STRAW ON COMMISSION
ALWAYS IN THE MARKET—WRITE FOR PARTICULARS
REFERENCES—ANY MERCANTILE AGENCY

"Here's Real Tobacco"
says the Good Judge

That gives a man more genuine chewing satisfaction than he ever got out of the ordinary kind.

Smaller chew, lasts longer —so it costs less to chew this class of tobacco.

And the good, rich tobacco taste gives a world of satisfaction.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

W-B CUT is a long fine cut tobacco
RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco

Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

Kill That Cold With

CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous

Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

GOODRICH SAFETY TREAD

A NAME *and* BRAND *to* TRUST

THE NAME of Goodrich, branded on automobile tires, is itself a certification of the very utmost in tire satisfaction.

Stamped upon millions of tires, it has stood and today stands responsible for their superior quality and service.

8000 Miles for Silvertown Cords, 6000 Miles for Fabric Tires, is an adjustment basis maintained only by virtue of persistent high quality reflected in the big mileage which Goodrich Tires deliver.

Goodrich Tires
"Best in the Long Run"

Adjustment Basis: Silvertown Cords, 8000 Miles
Fabric Tires, 6000 Miles

Peoples Auto Company

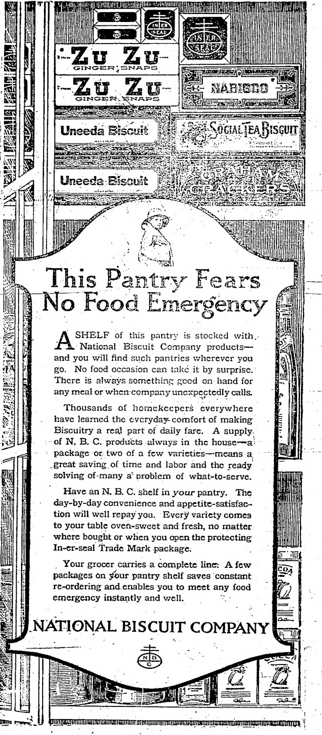

This Pantry Fears No Food Emergency

A SHELF of this pantry is stocked with National Biscuit Company products—and you will find such pantries wherever you go. No food occasion can take it by surprise. There is always something good on hand for any meal or when company unexpectedly calls.

Thousands of homekeepers everywhere have learned the everyday comfort of making Biscuitry a real part of daily fare. A supply of N. B. C. products always in the house—a package or two of a few varieties—means a great saving of time and labor and the ready solving of many a problem of what-to-serve.

Have an N. B. C. shelf in *your* pantry. The day-by-day convenience and appetite-satisfaction will well repay you. Every variety comes to your table oven-sweet and fresh, no matter where bought or when you open the protecting In-er-seal Trade Mark package.

Your grocer carries a complete line. A few packages on your pantry shelf saves constant re-ordering and enables you to meet any food emergency instantly and well.

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I'll Shake Old Thief River Falls and Northern Minnesota to I'ts Foundation--Frank Stefan

$150,000 Stock of Loken's Department Store and E. O. Mogensen Clothing Store offered the public in one big

A masterstroke of merchandising

undreamed of, never-the-less true

Consolidated Unloading SALE

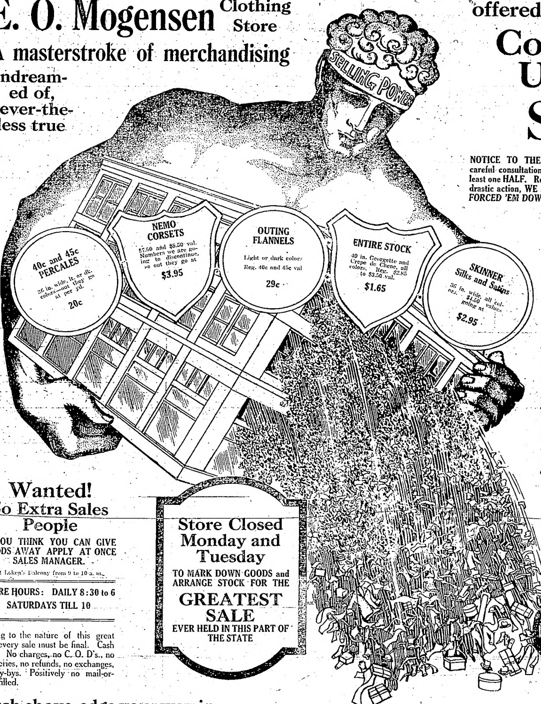
SELLING POWER
40c and 45c PERCALES
36 in. wide, lt. or dk. colors—out they go at per yd.
20c
NEMO CORSETS
$7.50 and $8.50 val. Numbers we are going to discontinue, so out they go at
$3.95
OUTING FLANNELS
Light or dark colors
Reg. 40c and 45c val
29c
ENTIRE STOCK
40 in. Georgette and Crepe de Chene, all colors. Reg. $2.85 to $3.50 val.
$1.65
SKINNER Silks and Satins
36 in. wide, all colors. $4.00 values going at
$2.95

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC! Mr. Loken and Mr. Mogensen, after careful consultation have decided to reduce their enormous stocks to at least one HALF. Realizing the fact that this can only be accomplished by drastic action, WE DIDN'T WAIT TILL PRICES CAME DOWN—WE FORCED 'EM DOWN.

EVERYTHING IN BOTH STORES will be offered at such ridiculous price Reductions that we urge our many customers and friends to take liberal advantage of our generous offerings. Loken's as Mogensen's store has built up a reputation of honest value-giving and the merchandise carried is the very finest the market affords. IN THESE TIMES of high prices and right in the midst of the season, we feel sure this tremendous Sale will have the heartiest support of all the good people of this community. This 6-page advertisement will give you an idea of the wonderful SAVINGS. Time was, when a white washed elephant could pass for permanent white in the mercantile business, but these firms never used, and never will use, such deceiving methods. EVERY PURCHASE, large or small, backed by our absolute guarantee.

Mr. Frank Stefan and Mr. Warren Reck, Merchandise Adjusters of Minneapolis, Minn., have full charge of this gigantic undertaking. These men are known from coast to coast as bargain WIZARDS and a visit to our stores will convince you of the mightiest assemblage of such great values which will make wholesalers and jobbers blush and will take away a tremendous slice of Mail-Order-House business, because our low prices outwit 'em all.

1 full case, 48 all told, 72x80 Nashua Plaid silk fleeced
BLANKETS
$4.95
Grab 'em at this low price. You'll have to pay everywhere twice the money we ask. Of course you must hurry. They'll move quick at $4.95
LOKEN'S BASEMENT

FOR THE EARLY BIRDS
Thousands of yards of the celebrated "AMOSKEAG", Staple Apron Check
GINGHAMS
Down they go to
19c
How can they do it? you'll ask. Well, just to convince you that we mean business
LOKEN'S BASEMENT

Wanted!
50 Extra Sales People
IF YOU THINK YOU CAN GIVE GOODS AWAY APPLY AT ONCE SALES MANAGER.
At Loken's Balcony from 9 to 10 a. m.

STORE HOURS: DAILY 8:30 to 6
SATURDAYS TILL 10

Owing to the nature of this great sale every sale must be final. Cash only. No charges, no C. O. D's., no deliveries, no refunds, no exchanges, no lay-bys. Positively no mail-orders filled.

Store Closed Monday and Tuesday
TO MARK DOWN GOODS and ARRANGE STOCK FOR THE
GREATEST SALE
EVER HELD IN THIS PART OF THE STATE

Push, shove, edge your way in

Sale Starts Wednesday, Oct. 13 9 a. m. Sharp

FINEST BLANKETS and BEDDING
Unmercifully Slashed.
Great big beautiful Wool nap plaid Blankets, Special
$6.95
Large Feather Pillows, heavy ticking covered. Just like giving them away now at
Loken's Basement 49c each

1000 yards 50c and 65c Ribbons, all colors, in 5½ to 6 in plain Messaline, Taffeta; rich plaids, Persians and Stripes. Choice of all at
37c Main Floor

1000 balls J. P. Coat's Mercerized Crochet Cotton, all numbers, both white and ecru, per ball
15c Loken's Balcony

1000 Water Glasses and Barrel Tumblers 9c
Loken's Basement.

Enamel Ware—Blue and gray, including Tea Kettles, Coffee Pots—6, 8 and 10 qt. Stew Pans and handled Kettles, worth to $2.00. Now Choice 79c
Loken's Basement.

Child's Rompers and Wash Suits, worth up to $1.50, now 79c
Loken's Basement.

Loken's Basement
Men's Split Leather Work Gloves, Per pair 29c
Double Fold Percales in neat shirting; Stripes and Checks, yd. 15c
Heavy Dairy Pails, 10 and 12 quart 59c
7 cup Aluminum Coffe Percolators, at $1.79
Over 50 Aluminum articles such as Cake Turners, Salt shakers, Cups, etc. Mostly 25c articles 10c

NOTE: First 4 pages concerning Loken's Sale; page 5 and 6 dedicated to Mogensen's Sale.

LOKEN'S Dept. Store Thief River Falls, Minn.

READ: All 6 pages; 4 pages Loken's Sale, 2 pages Mogensen's Sale. DON'T MISS IT!

YES, MA-AM

This Page Will Convince You That

"I CAN and I WILL"

Give You the Most Astounding Values in Women's Apparel

Dollars Stretch at **LOKEN'S** LIKE RUBBER BANDS

Ladies' Fall Suits Slashed Unmercifully

Finest Materials and tailoring. Made of Velours, Silvertones, Tweeds, Tricotines.

$50.00, $52.50, $58.50 Suits. Grab these quick at $29.95. Just think of it	$29.95
$65.00 and $68.50 Suits, just 7 of these. They are beauties. Now only	$39.95
$85.00 Tailored Wooltex Suits; these are wonders at ----------------	$49.85
$100.00 Suits, just 6 of these, splendid styles, finest tricotines, etc. You save just $35.00 on a single suit. Now------------	$65.00
$125.00 Suits, beautifully fur trimmed Now only ------------------	$87.50

MARK MY WORD—LADIES!

I HAVE SEEN and SOLD many a garment in my 28 years of conducting Sales. But when I entered Loken's Ready-to-Wear Department, I was amazed. YES, STUNNED BY THE simply overwhelming assemblage of the most beautiful garments I ever layed my eyes on. I VENTURE TO STATE, IT'S THE CREAM OF THE highest class of merchandise and these COATS, SUITS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, Etc., manufactured by the world's foremost designers, could be a GRACE to any first-class store in the large cities. The real feature and beauty is: YOU CAN BUY THESE ATTRACTIVE GARMENTS DURING THIS GREAT SALE AT THE PRICE you would have to pay for cost of material alone. Yes, in many instances we split the melon right in two! Time is past when you have to do without a Coat or Dress, because no matter how prices will tumble, this is your only chance where your dollar does its duty. COME, LET ME SHOW YOU THESE wonderful garments.

(Signed) FRANK STEFAN, Sales Mgr.

Honest Facts Govern at **LOKEN'S** Department Store

Fine $35.00 Coats for $19.50

Ladies' Printzess, Woltex, Hoveland makes principally. The world's best known coat makers. These are in the very best styles, and were marked close at $35.00 Now you get them at about ½ actual value ---------------- $19.50

$37.50 Ladies' Fine Automobile Ulster Coats, finest all-wool blanket wool coats, in brown and green heather mixtures ----------- $22.50

Ladies' Finest Bolivia, Silvertone and Velour Coats, fancy silk lined in the most fashionable colors. You'll find these priced at $100.00 and $125.00 in the large cities. We are going to give them to you Now at ---------------- $77.50

1 Lot Ladies' Kimonas, Jap Crepes, etc., values up to $5.00 now **$1.95**

Ladies' Navy Serge Suits, fancy silk lined, values $25.00 and $35.00 **$16.50**

Ladies' "Printzess," Absolutely All Wool Winter Coats, ½ Sols Satin lined and interlined. Size 38 to 44. A splendid value at $25.00. Now-- **$16.50**

Ladies' All Wool Navy Tricotine Suits, fancy silk lined, values up to $100.00 **$49.95**

Bear Coats, fancy Sateen lined, Sterling $25.00 values **$16.50**

Up to $88.50 Coats now $59.75

LADIES' ALL WOOL CHINCHILLA COATS

Beautiful Button trimmed, full silk lined, big shawl collars. You've seen these same coats at $88.50; they go in this great sale at ------------------------ $59.75

37 HIGH GRADE COATS

Mostly $55.00 to $65.00—some $85 values Including Salts Sealette Plush, Prinzess makes and others, full Sols Satin lined; fine Silvertones, Bolivias, full silk lined, etc., etc. Now choice of all at------------ $39.95

45 LADIES' $75.00 to $90.00 COATS

All this season's best styles, all sizes; offered now at less than wholesale cost at---$49.95

LITTLE GIRLS' WINTER COATS

Sizes 3 to 8 years. Chinchilla, Black Plush, Velours, Corduroys and Silvertones—the very finest and newest styles.

$6.95 Coats for **$5.00**
$8.50 Coats for **$7.25**
$7.95 Coats for **$6.10**
$10 Coats now **$7.65**

And 26, finest school girls' Coats were marked $12.50, Now going for **$9.85**

47 Ladies' Fine Coats

representing the season's most popular fashions, the higest class workmanship, the most beautiful materials, such as Baron and Yukon Seals; Hudson Seals, with large ring tail Australian Possum Collars and Cuffs, etc., worth from $150.00 to $225.00, now marked at

$179.50 $148.50 $112.50 and $90.00

CHILDREN'S FINEST WINTER COATS

Sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14, made of Silvertone, Velour and Chinchilla. These are all brand new Coats, just 38 of them.

$15.00 Coats, now **$11.95**
$18.50 Coats, now **$13.95**
$22.50 Coats, now **$16.95**
$25.00 Coats, now **$18.95**

Ladies' full length Tweed Coats, Value $15.00 ------------------ $9.95

Ladies' fine Tweed Coats. Values $18.50 ------------------ $13.75

Ladies' Prinzess Tweed Coats, long and ¾ lengths. Mostly $40.00 and $35.00 values. Now ------------------ $22.50

One Lot of 24 fine $40.00 to $60.00 Long Coats of Gabardine, Tricotines and Men's-Wear Serges, beautifully tailored. Now at ------------------ $27.50

Finest fancy Coats of Velour and Tricotine; values $65.00 and $58.50. Now---$32.50

JUST 7 COATS, VERY FINEST HEAVY ALL Wool Tricotine, full silk lined, worth up to $100.00. Less than half, now at---$49.95

CHILDREN'S COATS

Medium weights; sizes 5, 6, 12 and 14 years, regularly priced at $5.00 to $25.00; take your pick now at from----$12.50 to $2.50

CHILDREN'S RAIN COATS & CAPS

Sizes 3, 10, 12 and 14 years only. $12.00 coats **$6.95**; $3.50 values **$1.95** $2.50 coats for **$1.65**

JUST 16 LADIES' RAIN COATS

Sizes 18, 36, 38, 40 and 44; values $5.00, $10.00, $12.50, $15.00 and $18.50. Take your pick now at just--------HALF PRICE

ELSIE DINSMORE WASH DRESSES

of fine Ginghams and Chambrays, the most famous Child's dress made Sizes 8 to 14 years; values to $4.00. On sale now at -------------- **$2.85**

Breakfast Sets consisting of Skirt and Jacket, formerly sold to $5.95. Grab quick. Now at 99c. No mistake **99c**

About 25 Dress Skirts, just one of a kind. There are Taffetas, Serges, Wool plaids, Silk repps, ranging in price from $5.95 to $18.50. Choice of this lot at just ½ price. Pick out a nice Skirt and pay us just half.

Ladies' Smocks, all sizes; made of fine Middy Cloth, white and colors; values to $5.95. Choice now at **$1.39**

Nearly 200 Ladies' Fine Dresses

of Serge, Tricotine, Velour, Jersey, Etc.

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Children's Gun metal Shoes, size 8½ to 11. Reg. $3.95. Sale ------------$3.35

Children's Patent Leather white Kid top Shoes, sizes 8½ to 11. Reg. $7.00. Sale ------------$1.95

Children's Patent and Brown Kid Button Shoes, Budd Brand, sizes 5 to 8. Reg. $4.00 Sale ------------$3.95

Children's Kid and Gun metal Shoes, size 8 to 11. Reg. $4.25. Sale ------------$3.45

Children's Patent Leather Black and White Cloth tops, sizes 5 to 8. Reg. $2.50. Sale ------------$1.95

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36 in. heavy black Duchess Satin, $5.00 val. now at only------------	$2.95
36 in. extra fine quality black Chiffon Taffeta, $4.00 val. at------------	$2.65
40 in. Satin Crepe; Navy and Coral color, $5.00 val. at------------	$2.95

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25c Infant's white Mittens, at ---------- 19c

50c Infant's white Mittens, at ---------- 39c

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One Big Lot fine knitted Scarfs and Caps, $1.65 and $2.00 val. Now, per set ---------- 95c

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Beautifully made, all shades, attractive new styles—

$12.50 lines, choice now ---------- $9.95

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$2.85 Silk Teddy Bears, white and flesh ---------- $1.65

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New, now ---------- $3.95

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$8.50 Navy Wool Serge Middies, now ---------- $6.95

$10.00 Jack Tar Wool Flannel, best made, sold many places at $12.50. Buy them here now at ---------- $7.50

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Bungalow Aprons, lt. or dk. colors; $3.00 and $3.50 values ---------- $2.45

Gingham Dresses, sizes 16, 18 and 38 only; $6.50 to $10.00 val. Down they go to ---------- $4.95

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Child's Gingham Dresses, 2 to 8—$1.85 val. ---------- $1.39

Child's Gingham Rompers, 2 to 6—$1.25 val. ---------- 69c

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Ladies' Gauze Union Suits, $2.00 val. ---------- $1.59

85c Cretones, beautiful Colonial designs ---------- 69c

$1.25 Colonial Cretones, beautiful designs ---------- 95c

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Remember: This Sale Includes every pair of Shoes in our stock. Nothing reserved—Everything sacrificed.

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Men's extra fine black Calf skin English toe, blind eyelets. Fine dark brown; Cordo Calf, semi-English toe. Black Blucher, J. P. Smith fine kid, raised toe. Sterling $10.00 and $12.00 Shoes, Now ---------- $7.95

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Men's Mahogany Calf, English toe, blind eyelet dress shoes. Fine Russia Calf, Suede top, Eng. toe, blind eyelets. A snappy young men's dress shoe; $15.00 shoes, Now only ---------- $9.85

Little Gent's "Educator" Shoes

Extra fine Calf skin in Black, Mahogany and Smoked Elk. Sizes 6 to 2, values up to $7.50. Now at ---------- $5.65, $4.65 and $3.85

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Heavy Chrome Calf-tiped toe and vamp, Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, water proof "Hunkidori," and "Chippewa" makes. Choice now at ---------- $6.85, $8.85, $10.75

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Single sole, bellows tongue, "Original Chippewa" acid proof tanned, $7.50 value ---------- $4.35.

Men's Smoked and Chocolate Elk Viscolized

Water-proof soled, bellows tongue, light weight work Shoe, $7.50 value ---------- $4.35

solid brown Chrome tanned, bellows tongue, double tipped sole and vamp. A wonderful work Shoe, $10.00 value. Now marked, per pair ---------- $6.65

Original "Chippewa" Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, water-proof Chrome tan work Shoe. Value today $12.00. Now marked at, pair ---------- $7.85

$5.00, $6.00 and $7.00 Youth's Shoes, $2.95

These are fine Calf skin, double sole, solid leather heels, black button; sizes 2 to 5; less than half, now at, pair ---------- $2.95

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New dark brown, in Blucher and Bals. English and semi-English toes; fine calf skin. A wonderful buy, now at ---------- 5.35

Boys' $6.00 Army Shoes at $4.35

Brown, Chrome tan, Munson last, and boys' black semi-English dress Shoes. Now, per pair ---------- $4.35

Boys' $6.75 Shoes Now $4.85

In Goodyear welt, Army last, solid leather lace. Boys' black lace calf dress Shoe, $6.75 values. Now ---------- $4.85

Boys' "Educator" Shoes

in Blucher, Black Calf—also boys' extra fine Russian Brown, English toe, eyelet lace dress Shoe. Values to $8.00. Per pair ---------- $5.85

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Men's $1.00 Cashmere Socks, **59c**. Finest quality in blk and gray mix.

ONE LOT OF $50.00 Brand New latest models in Men's Suits, brown and navy mixtures and hair-line stripes. Made for discriminating trade. Actual $50.00 Suits; sizes 34 to 44. Out they go at ---------- **$34.45**

ONE SPECIAL LOT OF UP TO $50.00 MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS Men's and Young Men's Suits in light and dark mixtures, beautifully tailored; sizes 34 to 37. For this great sacrifice sale they go at---------- **$14.45**

MEN'S $65.00, $70.00, $72.50 SUITS Here you will find fine serges, worsteds in plain and hair-line stripes, the newest and finest styles and workmanship; without any exageration one of the most wonderful values ever offered ------- **$49.75**

$35.00 DRIVING COATS, $22.50. Wool blanket lined, leatherette inter-lined, Eng. Rep. shell, Wombat collar, leather trimmed pockets. Splendid Driving Coat, now only **$22.50**

MEN'S $75.00, $80.00 and $85.00 Suits, $59.50. The finest Cloths and representing the highest exemplification of the tailor's art as to fit and workmanship. You must see these wonderful Suits, going now at **$59.50**

Folks Alive! Listen!

IN JUSTICE to yourself and family could you and would you ignore such a wonderful opportunity to save big money on Clothing and Shoes? A chance to beat the "old HIGH COST OF LIVING to a frazzle. IT'S LIKE LETTING MONEY SLIP THROUGH YOUR FINGERS, if you fail to avail yourself to the fullest extent of the Savings.

I am Here--Determined

to carry out my contract to the last letter. I've got to sell at least ½ of Mogensen's stock in a few days' sale and Drastic Actions are essential. I will use no sentiment in cutting prices. You will find the most daring work of price smashing you ever witnessed. (Signed) WARREN RECK, Sales Manager.

$40.00 Men's 52 in. Ulster Driving Coats, $26.95, with half belt, large Australian Wombat collar, heavy All wool "Moratex" lined body and sleeve, best blk. Moleskin shell. Now ------- **$26.95**

YOUNG MEN'S SUEDE CLOTH COATS Trench style, belted, slash pocket, lamb lined, large notched Wombat collar. Lots of style for the young men. Yours now at ---------- **$24.95**

THE CELEBRATED "PATRICK" and "KUPPENHEIMER" OVERCOATS, in every description of the highest grades. Your unrestricted choice of any of these $75.00 Brand New Coats at ------------------ **$59.50**

MEN'S HEAVY OXFORD ALL WOOL KERSEY ULSTERS **$32.50**

$37.50 Young Men's Snappy Melton mixture Coats **$26.45**

BOYS' FUR COLLAR COATS. Trench style, belted Moratex wool lined. Going now at $11.50, $9.50 and **$7.95**

About 50 Young Men's Fur collared Overcoats. Snappy models; worth up to $100, at reductions now of from **$10.00 to $25.00 on each cost**

Up to $35.00 Fall Slip-on Top Coats, waterproof, in Balmacan and belt around trench style. Going now at------**$22.45**

Boys' Clothing

"Koveralls" in blue denim and Khaki and Stripes, fancy trimmed. Ages 1 to 8 years, $2.00 values **$1.39**

Boys' Khaki Officer's Suits, worth to $6.00, now------- **$2.85**

Little Gents Corduroy and cloth Suits, worth today $7.00. Now marked---------- **$3.95**

Boys' Juvenile wool Suits, sizes 4 to 7, values to $8.75. Now---------- **$5.95**

Boys' Suits, sizes 8 to 18, in fine cloth and Corduroy, $14.00 and $15.00 Suits. Your unrestricted choice, now at---------- **$11.85**

Boys' $10.00 and $12.00 Corduroy Suits in green, brown and drab; sizes 6 to 17. Choice Now ---------- **$8.75**

$1.50 Kaynee and Ideal Boys' Blouses, the finest made, now ---------- **98c**

$3.00 high grade Boys blue and tan flannel Shirts ---------- **$2.35**

Boys' heavy black ribbed Stockings, now **42c**

$1.50 Boys' heavy "Home Knit" worsted Stockings ------- **$1.19**

Men's $2.50 and $3.00 Muslin Night Shirts and Pajamas **$1.85**

$3.00 Men's Brighton Carlbad flannelette Night Shirts **$2.35**

$4.00 Men's Brighton Pajanions; fine flannelette **$2.95**

WARNING!

Owing to the Tremendous Advertising of the GREAT SALE, we warn you not to be mislead by fictitious Sales and Signs.

Look for: E. O. Mogensen's Big Sign

in front of Store—THAT'S THE PLACE, and you can't go wrong by talking our advice. So WATCH YOUR STEP.

LET OUR LOW PRICES BE YOUR GUIDE

$1.00 Heavy wool Sox ------- 59c

Men's extra large Bandana Hdkfs., blue and red. 19c

Men's Gauntlet double palm leather Gloves sacrificed at **$1.49**

$3.50 men's Black Auto Gloves, the famous "Grinnell" make **$2.69**. Our entire stock of Suede, Mocha, Kid, Buck and Cape Gloves—all sacrificed.

$3.00 Men's wool Flannel Shirts ---- $2.35

15c Men's fine wt. Handkerchiefs 9c

Entire Stock of Men's Finest Winter Underwear will be sacrificed. The famous Lewis, Dunham and Lambsdown, all included. Come in early.

$7.00 values Men's fine Hats, Velour finished, now -------------$4.39

Railroad Men's Genuine Scotch Caps, $2.50 values; choice --------$1.49

One Lot Men's $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 Caps. Your choice now at----$1.95

One Lot Men's "Lanpher" high grade Hats, made in America, Graceo style, beaver and black; should go like hot cakes at ----------------$2.95

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases

Greatly reduced; one lot 26 in. Black Fibre Suit Cases, now only **$1.95**

Up to $18.00 Men's Lamb-lined Leather Sleeve Vests, 26 in. Now marked **$12.85**

$3.50 Men's Sweaters, Heather wool mixtures, all sizes; also Jersey Sweaters **$2.65**

$12.00 Young Men's All Wool Sweaters, pull-over style, big variety color combinations. **$8.95**

Store Closed
Monday and Tuesday
In Preparation of This
GREAT SALE OF ALL SALES

Men's 85c gray and black Jersey Knit Gloves **49c**

Men's extra fine black Cape Dress Gloves, $4.00 values; all sizes **$2.95**

Men's Bro. Jersey work Gloves **29c**

$10.00 and $12.00 Silk Shirts; sizes 13, 13½, 14 and 14½, now **$5.95**

This Page Concerns Mogensen's Prices

Don't Follow the Crowds---Beat 'm to it Come Daily

E. O. MOGENSEN

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Leading Clothing & Men's Shoe Store

Men's $1 and $1.25 full leather Chopper mittens **59c**

Remember: Selling Starts Wednesday, Oct. 13 9 A. M. Sharp

STATE INDUSTRY SHOWS UP WELL REVIEW CLAIMS

Good Roads Play Very Important Part in Development of North Star State.

Foreign Travel on the Leading Roads Shows Conclusively That Advertising Pays.

Grain Situation Remains Unchanged, With Farmers Doing Fall Work.

The tremendous part which good roads are playing, and will play, in the development of Minnesota, proved a vital feature of reports received from bankers and newspaper publishers in nearly every county of Minnesota during the past week, for the weekly review of Minnesota enterprise, prepared by the Merchants National bank of St. Paul and the First and Peoples State bank of Thief River Falls.

Large Foreign Travel.

Inspection of available road census reports from more than 40 counties, obtained during the last half of September, indicated several reasons why residents in rural districts who have been classed as opponents of good roads amendment No. 1, have become friends and boosters of the $100,000,000 enterprise. Some counties reported as many as 250 foreign cars (machines from other states) traveling over a single highway in a week. These cars carried an average of three passengers.

Advertising Pays.

Unofficial reports, which may not be entirely accurate, estimated that travel on nationally known highways, such as the Yellowstone and Jefferson trails, was from 40 to 200 per cent heavier than traffic on the less extensively advertised roads. The consequence has been the merchants in many cities are boosting for broader advertising for the highways which bring tourists to their cities. No estimate is available to indicate approximately the money left in the state by motorists this year, but it will amount to several millions. Twenty-six counties have reported land sales as a consequence of summer automobile travel.

Grain Situation Unchanged.

Not much change was noted in the grain situation. Corn came through nicely, thanks to the fine weather during the last days of September. Marketing of grain has not commenced on a large scale and bankers pointed out that farmers have been taking advantage of weather conditions to do other work.

The hog movement increased and higher prices were reported from South St. Paul. More noticeable, however, was increased activities in the wool trade. Reports from the east that the market, long dead, was coming to life rapidly, brought optimism to hundreds of Minnesota sheep men. Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of Minnesota wool is in storage awaiting satisfactory prices.

Shipping By Truck.

Many farmers have been shipping potatoes, produce and grain to market by trucks and automobiles. Some have used automobiles to tow one or two wagons loaded with potatoes. Paved highways made such transportation very simple. The demand for freight cars has not been unseasonably heavy and information obtained in St. Paul by the Merchants National bank indicated that railroads have been successful in obtaining the return of cars long held by other lines.

Practically no change was noted in loans or deposits. A few banks reported slightly decreased loans. Merchants, generally, have been optimistic over fall and winter business possibilities.

SPECIAL ELKS' MEETING

Thief River Falls Elks will hold a special meeting at the lodge rooms Friday evening, Oct. 8, for the purpose of considering applications of candidates who desire to be initiated into the order with the big class of Oct. 15. Officers and members of the lodge are requested to be on hand promptly at 8 o'clock.

One Way to Encourage the Purebred Stock Movement

Dr. H. W. Froehlich, in common with most other people in this section, does not see any sense in breeding scrub cattle, but it was not generally known until lately that he has started a crusade against animals of inferior lineage. Such, however, appears to be the case. On a trip to Crookston the other day he found a herd of cows on the road ahead of him and, singling out the least likely specimen, headed his auto straight for her. He struck the unsuspecting bovine amidships just abaft the fourth principal meridian, ruining one fender and spraining his steering gear. The cow's injuries have not been ascertained.

New Association Formed By Northwestern Medics

The Red River Valley Medical society, the Park Region Medical society and the Clay-Becker Medical society at the joint convention held last week at Fergus Falls voted to amalgamate and form a new organization to be known as the Northwestern Minnesota Medical association. Dr. A. J. Paulson and Dr. H. W. Froehlich of Thief River Falls were in attendance at the meeting.

Dr. Edward Bratrud of Warren was elected president of the new organization, Dr. E. E. Verne of Moorhead, vice president, and Dr. W. L. Burhap of Fergus Falls, secretary and treasurer. The first regular convention will be held at Detroit next summer.

COOPERATION AS PROPER REMEDY URGED BY PREUS

(Continued from page 1.)

"That farming is the basic industry of this nation has always been recognized and asserted by the Republican party. That it is the basic industry of the state of Minnesota was recognized at the Republican convention held in St. Paul May 8, 1920.

"Until the time of the Civil War, the United States was recognized as being almost purely an agricultural country.

"Since that time the United States has moved with marvelous rapidity toward becoming an industrial nation and today we find that approximately 74 per cent of the population of the United States is in cities as against 26 per cent in the country.

"Here in the state of Minnesota, recognized as one of the leading agricultural states in the union and frequently spoken of as the 'Bread and Butter State,' we find that our city population is now 68 per cent and our country population is approximately 32 per cent of the total.

Back to Farm Cry Heard.

"For a number of years, we have heard in Minnesota, as well as throughout the United States the cry of 'back to the farm.'

The reason is that the United States has gradually approached the point, despite its tremendous agricultural areas and fertile soils, of becoming an industrial rather than an agricultural nation.

"This is demonstrated by the fact that today our importations of food stuffs practically equal our exportations thereof.

"While many causes have contributed to this great change in the activities of our people, the chief reason, it must be agreed, is that city life is more attractive than rural life.

Co-operation vs. Socialism.

"One plan advocated is that of having state-owned elevators, packing houses, factories, mills, terminals and so forth, operated by the state in competition with the privately owned elevators, warehouses, and so forth.

"The other plan proposes is that of having more co-operative elevators added to the 352 which we now have throughout the state and through which approximately 40 per cent of our grain is marketed, as well as having other warehouses to take care of all other products of the farms of the state of Minnesota, to be owned and controlled exclusively by the farmers and operated on a co-operative plan.

"Would it not be well for the farmers to consider which plan will be most to their interest?

"One proposes bonding the state and taxing all the people in the state for these purposes and then having state owned plants to be administered by all the people of the state, 68 per cent of whom live in the cities and villages and 32 per cent on the farms.

"If the state should engage in these various enterprises the state would have thousands of employes subject to political appointment or under a civil service law, which would get about the same results and efficiency out of the employes which the Federal government receives from its various departments.

"Would it not be better for the farmers to consider the co-operative plan?

Applicable to Minnesota.

"In Minnesota such an association could be organized under the Organization Act. Some slight changes would be necessary but if such an association were organized with its stock company for marketing and purchasing farm products and supplies, it could purchase a membership in the Chamber of Commerce of Minneapolis and Duluth on behalf of the farmers of Minnesota."

FAIR ASSOCIATION MEETS

The postponed meeting of the Pennington county fair association will be held Friday evening, Oct. 8, at the commercial club rooms, the meeting being called for 9 o'clock. Through an error in translating a telephone message The Times last week made an incorrect announcement concerning this meeting. Those interested will kindly take notice that tomorrow evening, Friday, Oct. 8, is the correct date.

MANY BANK JOBS NOT ENOUGH HELP

"Northern bankers are hiring our students before the ink's dry on their diplomas," said F. L. Watkins, Pres., Dakota Business College, Fargo, N.D. "Recently the First National Bank, Tuttle, N. D., needed help urgently. We sent Miss M. Ufer before her course was quite complete. The First National Bank of Wilton started our Mr. L. E. Massey with $110." About 700 banks in four states employ D. B. C. graduates.

1000 pupils needed to fill next year's openings. "Follow the Succesful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Canadian Plan to Fight Sow Thistle Advocated

The plan successfully used in Manitoba—that of having district agents—to fight the menace of the sow thistle, is advocated for the northwestern part of Minnesota by J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, who says that the thistle situation is becoming real serious in that district.

Mr. Hay urges that the plan of having county agents plan campaigns to eradicate the evil be worked out.

Red Lake Republican Club.

A Harding-Preus club was last week formed at Red Lake Falls by Falls, organizer for the district. The following were chosen officers of the new club: Frank E. Hunt, president; Mrs. M. Findeisen, first vice president; M. H. Latendresse, second vice president; Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson, treasurer; Chas. E. Boughton, Jr., secretary. The club expects to take an active part in politics from now until after election.

Miss Effie Christianson returned on Friday from a business mission to Warroad.

Harvest time for CORNS

Any time is harvest time for "Gets-It," the great corn and callus reaper. Takes them right off any toe or foot, easily, quickly, painlessly. Sold everywhere.

"Gets-It" The National Corn Remover

Oct. 1 Lasts For 10 Days

on our calendar. For all money deposited in our Savings Department during the first ten days of October draws interest from the first.

If you have no Savings Account, this ten day period is a fine time to open one.

If you have an account, prepare to increase it materially that your interest credit on January 1st may be a big one.

FIRST & PEOPLES STATE BANK
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Mackinaws, Sweaters and Overcoats

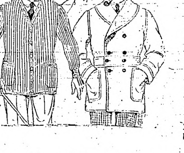

We are fully prepared to meet the demands of men and boys for cold-weather clothing. We have a complete line of Mackinaws and Sweaters of the very highest quality and at the right price. Here you will find the heavy mackinaw that is such a favorite with the outdoor man and the convenient sweater for sport or business. Ask us about these garments. There is something in our large stock that will exactly meet your needs at just the price you want to pay.

Overcoats

Our overcoat stock comprises everything in that line. We have the heavy reefers as well as the coats for dress and lighter wear. These garments are all made up in the latest style and by the foremost tailors in the country. Our large stock insures your securing a fit as well as entire satisfaction in pattern. Come in and try one on.

Again we wish to call attention to our line of stoves. We have them for every purpose—from the large heater to th little oil stove. A new stove will save money for you in the smaller amount of fuel needed to heat your home.

Oen Mercantile Company

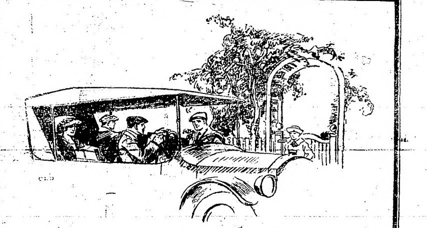

Nobody thinks anything now of going away on a trip

THE railroads were partly responsible. But it wasn't until the automobile reached its present state of development that the old barriers against travel were finally broken down.

II

More people own automobiles today than ever thought of owning a horse and buggy in the old days.

That's because the *cost of motoring* has been brought within reach of the average citizen's pocketbook.

We look upon it as part of our job to *keep it there*. If it weren't for the trade of the *man with the medium priced car* there wouldn't be much in this tire business for us.

III

The less a man has to spend on motoring, the more important it is that his tires should be of *first quality*.

Any tire is *not* good enough for the small car owner. He wants a tire that will give him *just as much for his money* in the small size as the big car man gets for his money in the large size.

IV

In thinking over what kind of tires we would represent in this community we tried to *put ourselves in the place of* the car owner. And we believe we hit it exactly when we selected U. S. Tires.

Select your tires according to the roads they have to travel:

In sandy or hilly country, wherever the going is apt to be heavy—The U. S. Nobby.

For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.

For front wheels—The U. S. Plain.

For best results—everywhere—U. S. Royal Cords.

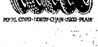

United States Tires

N. W. AUTO CO., Thief River Falls, Minn.
St. Hilaire Garage, St. Hilaire, Minnesota
OLE HAMERNESS, Holt, Minn. J. S. BENSON, Viking, Minn.

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

BIG DROP IN PRICES

Sale Starts Sat., Oct. 9 **SALE** **Sale Starts Sat., Oct. 9**

A FACT THAT WE HAVE BEEN anxiously waiting to tell you and one that you have been waiting for. We are able to announce to our many customers that prices are coming down. Prices are gradually beginning to come down. We as well as other big Eastern houses are beginning to receive notices of drops in prices. Therefore in celebration of this we will open our store on Saturday, Oct. 9th with one of the biggest sales we have ever held in the city to be continued for 10 days only. We are forgetting cost and profits and are going to supply you with the best class of merchandise at prices that will bring smiles on your faces. **LET NOTHING PREVENT YOU FROM GETTING HERE. WE ADVISE COMING *THE FIRST FEW DAYS AS THE STOCK WILL BE MORE COMPLETE.***

Unequaled Bargains in

Overcoats

$35.00 and $40.00 Coats

27.50

Men's and Young Men's Styles.

Overcoats

Hart, Schaffner & Marx

$60.00

Blue or Black Kersey, velvet collar Overcoats.

43.50

Extra Special Bargains

Your choice of our $40.00 line of Suits at $27.50. They are wonderful values and a big selection to choose from.

$40.00 Suits

27.50

A Radical Disposal of over 300

Suits

$50.00, $55.00, $60.00

39.50

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Stratford and Society brands of clothes are leaders and the "best" on the market.

Headlight, Carhart and Finck 3.50 union made overalls $2.75

CHIPPEWA Pure Wool guaranteed Two-Season Garments:

Pure wool Shirts	$5.45
Pure wool Pants	$8.95
Pure wool Stag Shirts	$8.95

Chippewa woolens are the only kind that are guaranteed for two seasons wear and have no equal.

$16.10 Oregon Pure Wool Mackinaws

Special

13.95

Boys' Pure Wool Mackinaws

$12.00 Mackinaws $9.45

$10.00 Mackinaws $8.45

$8.00 Mackinaws $6.45

$4.50 Overalls

$3.65

Union Made $6.00 OVERALLS **$4.95**

$3.00 Signal Shirts with 2 collars

2.35

Patrick

FOSSTON-DULUTH

Stag Shirts

Sizes to 50

7.45

SHOES

Here are bargains for you. You can't beat this for values:

$14.00 Hi-Cut Shoes	$9.95
$9.00 work Shoes, 12 in. top	$6.50
$8.50 welt soft work Shoes	$5.95
$5.00 work Shoes	$3.85
$5.50 boys' School Shoes	$3.95
$5.00 boys' Shoes	$3.45

DRESS SHOES

$12.00 men's dark tan Shoes	$7.45
$6.50 black Shoes	$4.85
$16.00 Florsheim's best	$13.45
$15.00 Florsheim's	$11.45
$10.00 Florsheim's	$7.45
$11.00 men's English tan	$8.45

WORLD BEATING VALUES IN BOYS' SUITS

$10.00 Children's All wool Suits (Sizes 2 to 9)	$7.45
$11.00 boys' Suits	$8.45
$12.00 boys' Suits	$9.45
$16.00 boys' Suits	$12.45
$18.00 boys' Suits	$14.45
$20.00 boys' Suits	$15.45

PANTS

$13.50 Pencil Stripe All wool Pants	$10.45
Men's grey woorsted Pants	$5.45
$15.00 all wool blue serge Pants	$10.45
$6.00 Corduroy Pants	$4.19
Heavy weight wool Pants	$6.45
Medium weight wool Pants	$4.79

SUIT BARGAINS

All $25.00 Suits	$16.50
All $30.00 Suits	$22.50

An exceptional opportunity for men and young men. Wonderful $45.00 Suits

$36.50

SWEATERS

Here are plenty of Sweaters to choose from in solid colors. Beautiful harmonized collars at big reductions:

$13.50 pure wool Sweaters	$9.45
$9.00 heavy men's Sweaters	$5.95
$3.50 Children's Sweaters	$2.65
$4.50 boys' Sweaters	$3.45
$6.50 boys' Sweaters	$5.35
$7.50 boys' Sweaters	$6.35

Underwear

at almost given-away prices.

$3.00 heavy weight fleeced line Union Suits	$2.29
Heavy fleeced Shirt and Drawers	$1.19
$4.50 Wool mixed Union Suits	$3.45
$5.50 Wool Shirt and Drawers	$2.19
$12.00 Extra heavy weight Munsing Underwear	$9.45
$10.00 Munsing Underwear	$7.95
$6.00 Munsing Underwear	$4.95
$7.50 All wool Union Suits	$5.95

BOYS' UNDERWEAR

Boys' Fleece lined Union Suits	$1.19
Boys' heavy weight fleece lined Union Suits	$1.95
Boys' Munsing Wool Union Suits, the best they market	$2.35

Lieberman Brothers, Thief River Falls

City News

H. O. Chommie made a business trip to the twin cities the latter part of last week.

Do not fail to attend the United Commercial Travelers annual dance at the auditorium on Oct. 22.

Miss Anne Tharaldson, a member of the teaching corps at Fosston, was the week-end guest of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Larson returned last Thursday evening from a ten-day visit at Barrett and Elbow Lake.

Norman Dybvik of Bessemer, Mich., Allan Fossum, Alfred Dybvik and Art Liden took in the fair at Red Lake Falls on Friday.

Buttermaker Harold Olson of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery is spending the week at Grand Forks on business.

The big party of the season will be the dance given by the United Commercial Travelers at the auditorium on Oct. 22. o7

J. T. Kiland, who had spent a week visiting at the home of his brother, T. T. Kiland, returned on Friday afternoon to his home at Hillsboro, N. D.

Miss Clara Sorenson, who teaches in the vicinity of Rosewood, arrived Friday evening for a week-end visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Dr. O. F. Mellby and Supt. W. A. Barnard of the Soo left the first of the week for a hunting trip to John lake, Canada, directly north of Kenmare, N. D. They expected to be gone for a week or ten days.

Mrs. Bertha Bugge, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Bertha, and son, Alfred, left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where the two former will spend a few days visiting with friends while the latter will remain to receive medical attention.

Francis Burns left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis where he visited until yesterday, when he returned to this city. While there he met his sister, Miss Lucille, who is teaching at Cambridge, having spent the week-end in the above named city.

Misses Mayvert Hilson and Bonnie Barnett left Friday evening for Minneapolis, where they will visit relatives for a few days. Both young ladies are less than twelve years of age and this their first trip to the cities unaccompnied by older folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller and children, Helen, Jane and Betty, left the first of the week for Allentown, Pa., where they will visit with relatives. Mr. Protzeller will return in two weeks, while Mrs. Protzeller and the children will continue their visit for about two months.

Roseau Times-Region: Philip Carlson of Thief River Falls, and Misses Blanche Hoff, Edith Nelson and Margarette Patterson of St. Hilaire came up by auto last Sunday for a visit with Miss Olive Patterson, who is a teacher in the local schools. Miss Hoff, who formerly taught in the Roseau schools, called on a number of friends.

Miss Nelida Austin of Crookston arrived the latter part of last week for a few days' visit with her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin.

Friday evening, Oct. 22 will be a red letter date in the social history of the city. It is the evening on which the United Commercial Travelers give their annual ball at the auditorium. o7

Miss Edith Nelson of St. Hilaire made a brief visit with her friend, Mrs. Clarence Erickson, the latter part of last week. Miss Nelson has recently returned from a trip abroad and visited relatives and friends in Norway, Sweden and Denmark. The young lady was accompanied by her father.

Paul McGrath, who is a patient at Oakland Park sanatorium, left Friday afternoon for his home at Barnesville, where he will spend a week as the guest of his parents. He will return to remain at the sanatorium for another two weeks, after which he expects to leave for Arizona to remain for a year or two.

Miss Lillian Severtson, who for the past few months has been employed as bookkeeper for the Northwestern Telephone company in this city, has resigned from her position and left Thursday afternoon for Fargo, where she will visit friends before leaving on an extended trip through the western states. Miss Severtson is a niece of Mrs. Chris Stroholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vickers arrived here Sunday forenoon from Missoula, Mont. and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rowen the first of the week. They left Tuesday evening for St. Paul, where they will locate. Mr. Vickers and Mr. Rowan were together during their soujourn in Siberia.

Misses Emy Claus and Edith Twilliger, who are hiking from their home in New York city to San Francisco and who are at present guests at the C. M. Wilson and John Ward homes, were visitors at the Red Lake Falls fair on Friday. The former gave an interesting talk on "roads." They were accompanied to Red Lake Falls by Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and son, Jack, and [illegible] Shaw, in whose car the trip was made.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter of Red Lake Falls, accompanied Mrs. James Meehan, who had been her guest for a few days, to this city on Monday. Mrs. Meehan, who had spent some time in this vicinity visiting numerous old friends and acquaintances, returned to her home at Seattle, Wash., on Tuesday. Mrs. Schreiter remained for a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Anna Kretzchmar.

One O'Clock Luncheon.

A small company of friends were the guests of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich when she entertained at a one o'clock luncheon at her home on Main avenue last Thursday. Bridge was played at three tables at the conclusion of the lunch hour.

Boreen Family in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Boreen and children, who left Thief River Falls last June with the intention of making Rhinelander, Wis., their home, have moved to Minneapolis, where Mr. Boreen is running on the Glenwood division of the Soo. Milden Boreen, a graduate of the high school in this city, has enrolled as a student in the school of mines, university of Minnesota. The address of the family is 3001 Polk street N. E.

Miss Roark Honor Guest.

A successful surprise party was given for Miss Lucille Roark on Saturday evening in honor of her 14th birthday anniversary. Those who took part were Misses Liv Vistaunet, Ella Monsbroten, Ariel Kinghorn, Nettie Shoberg, Ruth Hoppe, Margery Hoppe and Ersyle Anderson. Lunch brought by the guests was served at

Hospital Notes.

The following have entered the Physicians hospital for treatment since last Thursday: Mrs. K. Johnson, Kratka; Carl Steiner, Steiner; E. J. Eberhart, city; Geo. Johnson, city; Thos. Protz, city; Mrs. A. H. Erickson, Lancaster; S. M. Badger, St. Paul; Mrs. S. Panek, Germantown; Mrs. L. F. Fisher, city; Mrs. A. Viken, city; Jarvis and Phillip Prichard, city; H. Seland, St. Hilaire; Mrs. E. F. Rolland, Greenbush; Swan Carlson, Holt.

Minnesota Juniors Win.

Minnesota boy-girl club members made a creditable record in the competition with other mid-west state groups at the Interstate fair at Sioux City. The Minnesota lamb club, composed of Gertrude O'Connell, Gerald Sullivan and Walter Sohn, all from LeSueur county, took first, second and third places. The Winona team was given first rank in club canning exhibits and the Minnesota club exhibit in sewing was placed third in the competition. Nebraska had the champion crop project demonstration team with Minnesota a close second. Minnesota was represented by the Grand Rapids potato team, consisting of Harold Alton, Clarence Bunnell and Emil Erickson, and they won first prize on exhibits of late potatoes and first and second on exhibits of early potatoes. Juniors from 10 states took part in the contests.

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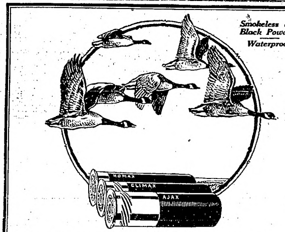

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ARE THEY UNDESIRABLE?

Northwestern Minnesota is in need of settlers and is in a position to offer unusual inducements to those who will come here with the intention of making the section their home and becoming a part of our citizenry. No other kind is wanted, no matter how well fixed they may be or how exemplary their character in other respects.

The news that some twenty thousand Mennonites were considering settling in the neighborhood of Thief River Falls was hailed with enthusiasm at first. A little closer investigation as to the characteristics and antecedents of these people has somewhat dampened this prospective welcome and our people are waiting to find out whether or not the stories told of the Mennonites are true before going any farther in their friendly demonstration.

The Toronto Saturday Night recently contained an article that is illuminating and rather suggests that we do not want these people to cast their lot here. The Toronto paper says that for half a century the Mennonites have enjoyed special privileges over other citizens in Western Canada and have grown wealthy. As Germanized colonies their religious liberties were never interfered with and even now are not threatened in any way, notwithstanding assertions made to the contrary. They were exempted from military duty in the European war and during that period were permitted to enjoy unmolested the enormous financial rewards attendant upon conditions at that time. The sole and only grievance they have, according to the Canadian writer, is an objection on the part of the church bishops to permit the Mennonite children to receive a proper education in the English language, as decreed by the law of the land. They have contested these decrees through all the Dominion courts and lost. Now they are seeking a new haven where they will be permitted to bring their children up in ignorance—at least so far as the official language of the state is concerned. That, according to the Saturday Night is the sole extent of their persecution in Canada.

If these are the facts—and it is greatly to be feared that such is the case—there is no place in Minnesota for the Mennonites. Unless they come fully intending to live up to such laws as the rest of us find safety and contentment in obeying, they had better keep right on going. It would not be advisable to back away from principles one iota in order to have them come.

There is a possibility that the men and women who are leaving Canada are doing so because they wish to break away from the domination of their bishops, realizing that there is no place for persons with their ideas in the world today. But even in that case there would be a serious question as to whether or not they would be wanted. They certainly would not easily be made to understand their duties as citizens, while their attitude toward the remainder of the population would probably preclude their ever being properly assimilated.

If these people want to come they should be made to understand that their customs will have to yield where they conflict with the law of the state. Otherwise we do not want them here under any circumstances.

Minnesota will probably get along somehow no matter who is elected governor. The old state will also muddle through if it is decided that the present makeshift road system is good enough, but this is a most unnecessary proceeding. Amendment No. 1 will set in motion the machinery for giving us the finest outfit of highways of any state in the Union—and the carrying out of the plan is not predicated upon the election to the executive office of any one person. This does not mean that no attention should be paid to the selection of the right officers. That is always an important matter but need in no way interfere with the question of good roads. Vote for Amendment No. 1, no matter who happens to be your choice for the positions to be filled.

THE MATTER MADE CLEAR.

The Times today publishes the text of a pamphlet sent out by the Minnesota Highway Commission dealing with the Babcock Good Roads Amendment to the constitution, which is to be voted on by the people at the coming election. The pamphlet is sent out with the purpose of acquainting the voters with every phase of the proposed law and in it is found an answer to every question that can be put with relation to the workings of the plan. Read it all and find out just exactly what the amendment means.

Next Tuesday evening there will be a good roads meeting in Thief River Falls at which Senator P. H. McGarry and Fred Sherman will be the speakers. They will further explain just what the Babcock law will do for Minnesota in general and for the farmer in particular. Senator McGarry introduced the bill in the legislature and is better qualified to speak on it than any other man in the state. There will be no politics mixed up in his address as the measure is in no way one of political import or significance. Candidates and voters of all parties are behind it almost to a man but it is not wise to allow interest in its success to die out because it will require a majority of all votes cast at the election in order to carry the amendment through.

You may have reasons for believing that this measure will not be a good thing for the state. In that case you owe it to yourself to hear what there is to be said in its favor. By attending this meeting you are sure to find out something pertaining to the plan that you did not know before and the matter is of too great importance for you not to wish to be thoroughly posted on its provisions and intention.

Read the article in The Times today and then come out and hear the speakers on Tuesday evening at the auditorium, or attend the Goodridge meeting on Wednesday evening if that is more convenient.

It may, of course, develop yet, but up to date there certainly is not much enthusiasm displayed over the forthcoming presidential election. It is doubtful if even the oldest voter can recall so quiet and uninteresting a campaign. Everybody seems willing to concede that the two gentlemen from Ohio who are at the head of the old party tickets all right and very nice men, but neither one has managed to inject much ginger into his following. Just think how different things would have been had Hi Johnson and Bill Bryan been the nominees!

The public should bear in mind that not buying the things needed at any price is just as foolish and dangerous a proceeding as paying a high price for things not needed. It is just as well to remember that there is a point on the downward slope beyond which prices cannot go without bringing about a most disastrous condition. Should a tightening up of buying, even to the point where necessities are included, now result it would prove much worse for the country than the high prices. A good plan is to buy what you need when you need it. We have kept the safety valve popping a long time and it has proved a costly process. Let's not make the mistake of trying to get along without steam entirely.

To Women Voters.

(St. Paul Pioneer Press.)

The women of Minnesota will hold the balance of power in determining the state's political complexion on all questions and candidates at the coming election. It is in their power, in all probability, to say whether Preus, Hodgson or Shipstead will be our next governor. It is for them to decide whether Minnesota will go for Harding or Cox. But, most of all is it in their power to determine whether Amendment No. 1 shall be passed and give Minnesota the greatest road system in the country, or whether it shall go by default and thus deprive the state of the benefits of the most progressive program ever undertaken in its behalf.

Their control over good roads is peculiarly vital in this respect. If a woman fails to vote for one of the candidates for any office she will, at least, not be casting a vote against that candidate. But if she fails to vote for the good roads amendment she will be voting against it! The reason for this, as informed persons already know, is that the amendment, to be approved, must receive a majority of all the votes cast in the election. If the woman voter, then, through ignorance or indifference, fails to vote for Amendment No. 1 her vote will simply add to the total of votes cast without increasing the number favorable to the good roads cause.

Women voters, if they realized the significance of the amendment, would be the first to vote for it. In most cases the man of the family owns the automobile and would pay the license tax. The woman has nothing to lose but everything to gain in riding over smooth, dry roads. It is for her, in most cases, that the family car was ever bought. Then why not the roads to go with it? If she lives in the country the right kind of a road reduces, by so many miles, her distance from town, from her neighbors and her church. It means education for her children, for it brings them within five to fifteen minutes of the school and makes it easy for them to attend the high school in town. What a pity if the woman voter should fail to realize her interest in this matter! What a mistake if any man who wants a good roads system at a minimum of cost and delay should fail to instruct the women voters of his family to cast their votes for, and not against, Amendment No. 1!

Let it not be forgotten that failure to vote for the amendment is a vote against!

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls postoffice for the week ending Oct. 2, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch at Chicago, Ill.

Berg, Gust.
Carney, J. L.
Johnson, Mrs. A. J.
Jones, Mrs. W. R.
McNutt, Mrs. J. G.
Phillips, Miss E.

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised. JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

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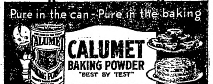

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Other telephone expenses have gone up tremendously too.

The following figures show the per cent increase in prices over pre-war costs of some of the principal telephone supplies used in the upkeep of our property.

Batteries	105 per cent
Brass	79 per cent
Cedar Poles	140 per cent
Copper	55 per cent
Cross Arms	162 per cent
Furniture	121 per cent
Glass Insulators	99 per cent
Iron Wire	79 per cent
Paper	110 per cent

In order to provide for the telephone requirements of the people of Minnesota, we must obtain from investors about $3,000,000 of new money each year.

To obtain this new money under present conditions we would have to pay approximately 9 per cent interest annually.

Adequate telephone earnings must be obtained from the operation of our business if we are to continue to maintain our properties and be able to attract the new money necessary to meet the growing requirements of the public for telephone service.

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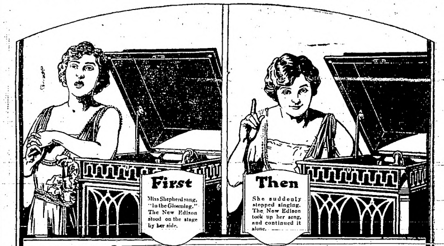
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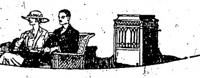

City News

Geo. Wold of Goodridge spent Sunday in this city visiting with friends.

Mrs. A. Anderson of Rollis was the guest of friends here the first of the week.

A. M. Lemon of Red Lake Falls spent Monday in this city on business.

John Oberg arrived Thursday afternoon from Baudette to attend to matters of business.

Miss Ellen Bloomquist of Middle River visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Ed. Klementson of Hazel was in the city on Friday visiting friends and transacting business.

Miss Anna Stockstad of St. Hilaire shopped and visited friends here between trains on Tuesday.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson spent Friday visiting her sister, who is confined at the Warren hospital.

Jordan Penney, Ernest Zeh, Ernest Barzen and Hugh McDaniel were local people who attended the fair at Red Lake Falls last Friday.

Mrs. S. Sodal is spending the week visiting with relatives and friends at Crookston.

M. T. McFarland was a business caller in Mahnomen the latter part of last week.

Miss Clara Brenna of Middle River visited with her sister, Mrs. John Gustafson, the first of the week.

G. A. Sandberg of Grygla motored over on Sunday and visited friends. He returned to his home Monday.

Miss Dora Hello of Rhoda left last Thursday for Grand Forks to spend three or four days visiting friends.

Miss Myrtle Bundy left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo, where she will enter a business college.

Mrs. Andrew Hagen of Columbus, N. D., is in the city receiving medical treatment for an infected elbow.

Miss Clara Berg left Friday afternoon for Crookston to visit at the home of her sister for a few days.

Miss Ida Kjelgren of Middle River spent a couple of days the first of the week here on a shopping expedition.

Judge Mike Holm of Roseau visited with local friends here between trains yesterday.

Glenn Farr left yesterday via the Great Northern for Vancouver, B. C., where he will seek employment.

Miss Tillie Durback returned to her home at Mandan, N. D., on Monday after a weeks' visit at the J. Sturre home.

Miss Brown arrived here the first of the week from Minneapolis to be employed in the office of Dr. G. W. Booren.

Mrs. S. J. Rice of Grafton, N. D., arrived Wednesday morning for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Savig.

Mrs. Mary Davidson of Crookston is spending the week visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Mattison.

Mrs. O. F. Larson of Glenwood arrived Friday evening and will spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. L. J. Clauson.

Mrs. J. Halvorson, who had been here for a week visiting friends, returned last Thursday to her home at Mahnomen.

Miss Frances Culver, who is teaching school at Rhoda, was home over Sunday, returning to her duties on Monday morning.

Miss Florence Aalberg, instructor of domestic science at Erskine, visited over Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg.

Gay Halvorson, manager of the Thief River Monumental company, attended to business matters at Greenbush last Thursday.

A. T. Martinson of Grand Forks spent a couple of days the latter part of last week as the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. Hadrath.

Miss Minnie Swenson of St. Hilaire spent yesterday in this city as the guest of her sister, Miss Anna, who attends the local schools.

Misses Alma and Thea Barstad returned from Warren Tuesday evening, the latter having gone there to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. C. M. Talley left Friday evening for Denton, Mont., where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. R. Whiting, accompanied by her friend, Mrs. A. P. Robinson, is spending the week in the twin cities on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. J. A. Kenney, Mrs. Ed. Peterson, Mrs. O. Fellman and Miss Eunice Peterson were among the St. Hilaire shoppers here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schroeder of Brooks were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Majeres. They returned to their home on Sunday evening.

Miss Marie Thill left Thursday afternoon via the Great Northern for Minneapolis, where she will visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Mrs. J. Wyman returned to her home at Baudette on Thursday after an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Stenberg, in this city.

Emil Olson returned on Tuesday evening from Warren, where he had spent the day visiting his wife, who is confined in the hospital at that place.

Mrs. Emil Olson and son, Roy, left Tuesday evening for St. Paul, where they will visit for a week at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. N. Kidwell.

Mrs. Roy Lambert, who recently was operated upon for appendicitis at the Physicians hospital, is getting along in fine shape and will soon be released.

Mrs. A. K. Anderson returned to her home at Kimball, Wis., Thursday evening after having spent some time visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Erling Dahl.

L. Fevig, representing the Standard Oil company, with headquarters in this city, passed the week-end visiting with his parents, who reside at Moorhead.

A nine and on-half pound son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pepe on Wednesday, Sept. 29. Mother and child are reported as doing nicely.

Miss Alice Fitzgerald was the guest of friends between trains Monday on her way from Fortiville, N. D., where she had been visiting for a month, to Sioux City, Ia.

Miss Esther Tandberg was an over Sunday guest at her home here. She returned to Oklee on Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Millhor of Moorhead, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting with friends at Germantown, returned to their home on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Stanig and children arrived Thursday evening from Lincoln, N. D., and left Friday morning for International Falls, where they will reside in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mussey and daughter, Mrs. Ed. Moran, motored down from Grygla the first of the week to attend to shopping and also to visit with friends.

Miss Thea Lindquist, who had been visiting with friends at Alvarado for a couple of weeks, spent a short time in this city with friends enroute to her home at Greenbush.

Miss Viola Sollem, who had been visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. A. Myrum, for two weeks, returned to her home in Minneapolis Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. H. Funnell and daughter, Joyce, returned last evening to their home at Glenwood after a two weeks' visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leimers.

Miss Alta Nylander returned to her home in Duluth on Monday after spending a few days here as the guest of her sister, Miss Florence, who teaches in the local schools.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson, who had spent the summer visiting at the home of their son, Severt Anderson, at Goodridge, returned Monday evening to their home at Morris, Ill.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer left last Thursday evening for her home at East Grand Forks, where she was called by the illness of her mother. She returned the first of this week.

Mrs. Geo. Hertel returned to her home at Fargo yesterday, having attended the funeral services of her sister, Mrs. A. R. Boyce, who met her death in an auto accident last week.

Mrs. H. B. Matheson of South Otselic, N. Y., is a guest at the home of her cousin, Geo. L. Sterns. Mrs. Matheson is also making visits with relatives and friends in neighboring towns.

Lars Olson and B. U. Aspelin of Fosston were the guests of friends here on Monday evening. Previous to their visit here they had spent a week with other friends at Middle River.

W. H. Robinson, formerly of this city but now state engineer with headquarters at Bismarck, N. D., left for Henning on Friday morning after a brief visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. G. Larson.

Mrs. J. Storholm, accompanied by her son, J. M. Storholm, arrived the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of her son, Chris Storholm. Mrs. Storholm will make her home here during the winter.

Mrs. W. J. Brown, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ruth, spent the week-end at their cottage at Union lake. They were met there by Mr. Brown, who was on his return from a business trip to St. Paul.

Red Lake Falls Gazette: G. Howard Smith, Willis Akre and Harry A. Booren of Thief River Falls motored down Tuesday evening to attend the meeting called for the purpose of organizing a Harding-Preus club here.

Miss Anna Leimers, who had spent the summer with her sister, Mrs. E. H. Keufer, at San Francisco, returned to this city Tuesday morning to enter her senior year at the local high school.

Mrs. O. Lindstrom and three children arrived Saturday evening from Strandquist and spent Sunday visiting with friends. They left Monday for Badger to visit other friends before returning.

Mrs. A. W. Swedenberg left Thursday evening for Sioux Falls, S. D., being called there because of the death of her sister, Mrs. R. G. Mellan. The body was shipped to Iowa City, her parental home, for burial.

J. J. Vorachek returned the first of the week from North Dakota, where he had been attending to the grain threshing on his farm. He leaves today for Mahnomen to look after similar interests in that vicinity.

Mrs. P. Engelstad left this morning for Lancaster to spend a few days with friends. She was accompanied by Mrs. E. Noland, who had been visiting at Baudette and returned to her home at Hallock this morning also.

Miss Alma Thompson arrived Friday evening from Loma, N. D., where she had been visiting friends, and will spend some time as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ackre before returning to her home in Canada.

Mrs B. H. Pierson and two daughters, Misses Sylvia and Birdie, of St. Hilaire were guests of friends here between trains on Thursday, leaving on the flyer in the evening for Grove City and Minneapolis for an indefinite visit.

Mrs. T. Redlucyk of Kramer, N. D., was in the city last Thursday evening and was the guest of friends between trains. She left on the flyer for St. Paul and Sioux City, Ia., to spend an indefinite time visiting with relatives and friends.

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It will pay the thrifty shopper to wait for these Bargains and to select from the center tables the items she needs. Each item will be priced much lower than the regular price and will prove to be exceptional values in each case.

FOR SATURDAY OF THIS WEEK

we are placing on Sale our full line of

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE

These will be on sale Saturday only and will be found on our center tables. They will be priced at $1.49 and $2.49. The colors come in Black, Brown and White. Our entire stock of:

LADIES' COTTON and MERCERIZED HOSE

will also be placed on sale on Saturday and will be sold at 29c to 79c per pair. The colors come in Black, Brown, Gray and White. These are extra good values.

Watch for our specials on Wednesday and Saturday of each week. It will pay you and pay you big.

M. N. BENSON,
Dry Goods.

Something About Furniture Prices:

We notice in the daily papers that the Associated Press through the newspapers of the country have given the great mail order houses a lot of free advertising concerning reductions in the price of merchandise which ten minutes' investigation by the person sending out the report would have proven absolutely untrue. One of these statements was that prices of furniture had fallen off twenty-five per cent in the last few months, an absolutely false statement.

Prices of furniture, rugs or housefurnishings generally have not been reduced by manufacturers twenty-five per cent, nor even five per cent, nor any per cent, except in a very few isolated cases on a very few articles and then for special reasons, and no manufacturer will today accept orders for immediate or future delivery at any reduction in prices and with very few exceptions still insists on stipulating that price will be made at time of shipment.

The Grand Rapids Furniture Record just received, admitted to be the best informed and authentic authority in the matter of housefurnishings, in announcing the opening of the New York Furniture Show, Oct. 11th, at which Eastern and Southern as well as many Western manufacturers book their orders for Spring delivery, says: "If present plans succeed all exhibitors will sell at guaranteed prices, eliminating the price prevailing clause, but the Association does not believe there will be any change in prices from those that prevailed at the midsummer shows."

Our goods are priced as low as they can be sold in the present markets and our prices will be reduced just as fast as reductions are made by manufacturers, both on goods bought at the new prices and also on those we have on hand when the reduction comes, be it five or fifty per cent, and we challenge a comparison of prices and quality of merchandise with the mail order or any other houses no matter what reductions they claim to be selling their goods at. It's the ultimate price you pay after the reductions and percentages have been deducted together with the quality of merchandise you get that counts. Don't lose sight of that fact.

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Larson Furniture Co.

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Our lines for Fall are now complete. Come in and look around and you will find that our merchandise on display is priced according to the present prices. A visit will convince you.

Saturday
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PUBLIC SALE

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Tessum's Addition to Thief River Falls

50---Fine Lots Will Be Sold at Auction---50

THIEF RIVER FALLS
Saturday, October 16th, 1920

Beginning at 1 o'clock P. M. rain or shine.

We have purchased the tract of land recently owned by O. Tessum, directly north of the fair grounds on the Jefferson Highway, which is the most desirable residence section of the city. We have platted and subdivided this beautiful tract into 50 choice residence lots. Each and every lot will be sold at Public Auction, absolutely without reserve or by biding, and regardless of price.

Thief River Falls Is One of the Most Progressive Towns of Its Size in Minnesota

Thief River Falls boasts of its business houses. Its stores are filled with complete stocks of up-to-the- minute merchandise. There is excellent telephone and telegraph service; four banks with resources of over $3,000,000, progressive newspapers, co-operative creamery doing a business of nearly half a million dollars per year, the finest city auditorium in that section of the state, two modern motion picture theatres, three well-stocked lumber yards, two strictly modern hotels and a number of smaller ones; two high-class bakeries, a number of confectionery and ice cream parlors, three restaurants, four barber shops, three furniture stores, five clothing stores, three pool halls, four hardware stores, two plumbing establishments, four drug stores, three dry goods stores, two harness shops, two tire-repair establishments, four blacksmith and machine shops, four farm implement concerns, five elevators, railroad round-house, cement tile factory, corrugating works, two wholesale produce houses, one wholesale grocery, one wholesale candy concern, municipal lighting and water plant, four garages, three millinery shops, three meat markets, three tailor shops, two feed stables, six groceries, and every other kind of business house usually found in a city of its size.

Thief River Falls is the trading center for the fastest developing section of the Northwest. An electric line connects the city with the people in the eastern part of the county, both freight and passengers being handled. Twelve passenger trains arrive at or depart from Thief River Falls every 24 hours.

Thief River Falls is surrounded by an exceptionally fine country, peopled by progressive farmers who have made their money through livestock and dairying; through the production of bumper crops of graini, corn, cattle and hogs. Dairying is the industry of prime importance, though the city's rapidly increasing commercial interests are factors to be reckoned with. If you are looking for a location for a business or a home, Thief River Falls offers the best. Get in on the ground floor and reap the harvest that all who invest wisely in real estate, and remember, when you buy real estate you buy an inheritance that is everlasting.

Thief River Falls lies in the heart of the best grain growing, stock raising and diversified farming section in Minnesota and is a thoroughly modern city of 6,000 inhabitants. It is located on the main line of the Soo railroad between Minneapolis and Winnipeg, and on the Crookston-Warroad branch of the Great Northern. It is the largest cit yon that line north of Detroit, and is truly a place in which anyone will do well to cast his lot. With one of the best high schools in the state—one ranking at the top in point of attendance, of both home and non-resident students—in which all branches are taught, its educational features are unsurpassed. There are also a number of fine church buildings. It is a town in which good morals is the keynote and for this reason contentment and happiness both reign. No more pleasant place to live can be found throughout the length and breadth of the Gopher State. It is a city of mixed population, of plain people, where all meet together for a bigger and better community.

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One Lot Free

ONE LOT WILL BES GIVEN AWAY FREE. Euche and every person on the ground, whether a purchaser or not, will be given a ticket entitling such person to an equal opportunity to get one lot free. Besides giving away one lot free we distribute in the same manner fifteen cash donations and also a rocking chair.

The distributions of the tickets on the lot given free and on the cash donations has no connection whatever with the lot sale. These tickets are given away to every person on the ground whether a purchaser or not. The holding of the ticket entitling a person to the lot does not bar him from participating in the cash donation.

Music By
CITY BAND
During Afternoon of Sale
AUCTIONEERS OF NATIONAL REPUTE
WILL SELL EVERY LOT.
DO NOT FAIL TO HEAR THEM

Special Offer!

With each lot sold will be given the privilege of the next one, two or three, at the same price each, thus allowing the purchaser to regulate the size of his purchase without competitive bidding against himself, a decided advantage to the purchaser. We are one of the few firms permitting this advantage.

15 Special Prizes!

Opportunities in Tessum's Addition to Thief River Falls

Every citizen's degree of success is more or less measured by his real estate possession—the basis of all wealth—the fundamental and basic principal of fortune. TO THE HOME-SEEKER OR INVESTORS:—Here is a grand opportunity in Tessum's Addition, being located in one of the best residence sections of the City, and but a short distance from the main part of town. The plat is high and dry. Abraham Lincoln once said: "Own a home somewhere." Go and look these lots over and be on hand at the sale and buy one. START YOUR HOME NOW.

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Society

ratifying Interest in Program of Woman's Club Shown at First Meeting

The initial meeting of the Woman's ab for the present year was held in e commercial club rooms on Mon- ay afternoon with a large attend- nce, signifying the fact that the old thusiasm exists among the mem- s. The session was opened with musical numbers, consisting of a o solo by Miss Laura Forde and ano selection by Miss Ausilga nson. Both numbers received rty applause. Mrs. Daniel Shaw, wly elected president, gave an in- esting talk to the club members in which she outlined the work for the coming year. Her address in full follows:

"Members of the Woman's club: We are today opening the door for a beginning of our seventh year of work. I want to congratulate club for its activities in the past years and trust that this year's ork will not suffer by comparison. Our club in the past two years has received many flattering compliments in the district and state due to the forts of our past president, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, and her board.

"We stand on a little different basis his year owing to the fact that we have been granted full citizenship, and I hope that each of us stands ready to study the situation.

"It makes little difference whether you and I have been for or against suffrage; it is here, and the question arises, will we prepare ourselves for these new duties and make ready to shoulder the responsibilities which are sure to force themselves upon us?

"We know the average man gets his politics in his daily business, talks it in his office or on the street, and some men eat and sleep politics, while we women must exert ourselves to learn about politics.

"Now, then, I feel the time is ripe and that we must acquaint ourselves with our government in its various forms—national, state, county and city. It seems to me that if we familiarize ourselves along these lines we will become better citizens.

"Current events is represented by a leader and four other club mem- ers, who will be appointed at the arious meetings to assist. Watch the magazines and daily papers for e best events.

'Now comes the course of study, ided into thirteen lessons, viz: ing, Form of Government, Dements of Government, Powers of ress, Party Organization, Elec- in Minnesota, City Government, River Falls, City Executives, Courts, Municipal Activities, and essons on Americanization. Am- ization is a big subject and we ly touch upon it this year.

expect we all feel that we have lind of our own. That is good, no one gets very far on the hts of someone else. They are at for texts but we must make our own, that is, transplant into our personal belief and he- efore we gain much benefit.

e board has placed in the public ry several of the best texts on ubjects we are to study; these several pamphlets will be of help. This literature will be on a table at the left as you the library. Please make use

u will notice that each topic has ler or, in other words, a teach- al we are the students. And way, I wish to thank all the s for the way in which each ded when asked to do this.

o much credit cannot be given iss Frissell, who acted as tem- ry chairman of the program com- e. She planned from the stand- of the teacher and each lesson een made as simple as possible. ill find this is true as you study by step. Let us by our own ef- s show the committee we appre- te what has been prescribed for

'Right here I want to make a little ur. Perhaps I hear someone say, work and no play makes Jack ull boy.' Well, friends, hear in l that we have nearly $925 to for the Lyceum course that was d for last spring, so the board this would be sufficient recrea- for the club year.

he fear that giving woman the ballot might unsex her will prove unfounded, or at least it has in the states having had suffrage for a number of years. There was, as you all know, a like fear expressed when women sought the right to practice law and medicine.

"But the mere fact of our having the right to vote will not make for better government unless we vote intelligently, and how can we do this? I believe the way is through study. The more knowledge we have and the more responsibility we take the greater our influence will be felt, though I do believe we will in a great measure find it uncongenial to take part in political conventions.

"Some of our states have had suffrage for years but the women seeking or holding office has been a small percentage of the whole.

"The musical numbers on our year's program have been arranged by Mrs. Gay Halvorson, chairman of the musical section, and I am sure each number will be enjoyed in turn, thanks to the ladies who have so kindly consented to help with this part of the program.

"There are five numbers in the course and we have placed the price of season tickets so reasonable that I hope every member will feel that she can take one. Two dollars for adults, one dollar for students; single admission at the door, fifty and twenty-five cents.

"Mrs. Nason, chairman of the committee, has promised that the selling of tickets will go with a swing and I know the other members must catch her enthusiasm—hence we look for results.

"Now, ladies, in conclusion I wish to say we will get out of these lessons just what we put into them, and I ask and urge in all sincerity that we do our best. Teacher and student, come prepared so far as possible for each lesson, but on the other hand I do not want a sigle member to absent herself for fear of not being able to recite. Far be it from us to embarrass any member. Just let us be a unit in doing this work.

"It will be most gratifying to the board if we succeed in making our study program the best in the Ninth district and one of the best in the state.

The secretary submitted a report of the standing committees for the year, as follows:

The executive committee includes Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. R. M. Sheldon and Mrs. M. Evenson.

Chairman of musical section, Mrs. Gay Halvorson; chairman of social welfare committee, Mrs. G. L. Biddick; committee on awarding the silver loving cup to the best looking street, Mrs. Schutt, Mrs. Yotter, Mrs. Holzknecht, Mrs. Bratrud; committee on thrift, Mrs. Stanton, Mrs. Biedermann, Mrs. G. W. Booren and Mrs. Craik; chairman of gymnasium division, Mrs. G. W. Connell; chairman on the study of French, Mrs. T. J. Rowan, chairman on practical nursing, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg; committee on program of Civics and Americanization, Mrs. Froehlich, Mrs. Melgaard, Mrs. Heggan, Miss Tandberg, Miss Frissell; committee on baby clinic, Mrs. Richter, Mrs. LaBree, Mrs. T. P. Anderson and Mrs. Way.

Committee on lyceum course, Mrs. Nason, Mrs. Laird, Mrs. BonDurant, Mrs. Streeter, Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Mrs. Jung, Mrs. G. Tessum, Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. Sapero, Mrs. Cronkhite, Mrs. Bratrud, Mrs. Pratt and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Delegates to state convention at Northfield in September, Mrs. LaBree, Mrs. Melgaard and Mrs. Stanton.

Chairman on home decorations and manual training, Mrs. Nason.

The secretary also read a letter of thanks sent to the club by Mrs. Emil Zeh for the floral offerings sent after the death of Zella Zeh. This was followed by a very interesting report of the bi-annual meeting of women's clubs held at Des Moines, Mrs. Stanton's account of the 26th annual convention of the State Federated Women's club's held at Northfield was also very interesting.

Announcement was made that the next meeting of the woman's club would be held at the Princess theatre, where stereopticon views of the interior and exterior of homes will be shown. Mrs. H. A. Brumund kindly offered the club the use of the theatre. The president also urged the members to attend the lecture on Oct. 12 at the auditorium, at which time Sen. P. H. McGarry and F. D. Sherman will speak on the Babcock amendment.

Misses Edith Twilliger and Emy Claus of New York city, who are walking from coast to coast, were guests at the meeting. The latter was asked to talk to the ladies on the experiences they encountered up to this point. In her talk Miss Claus urged the women to boost the Babcock amendment.

In conclusion the president extended a general invitation to the teachers to attend all of the club meetings throughout the year.

A delicious lunch was served at the close of the business meeting of the club.

Dancing Party.

A delightful affair was the dancing party given last Friday evening by Miss Adlyn LaBree at her home on Knight avenue north. A portion of the evening was devoted to cards. The guests included Misses Myrtle Krohn, Mary Vance, Beatrice Sandum, Lillian Beltz, Lucille McGinnity, Shirley Anderson, and Messrs. Harry Frye, James Parenteau, Lloyd Larson, Milton Larson, Kermit Anderson, Milton Lund, Lynn and Craig Halvorson and Chas. Herron. The guests enjoyed delicious refreshments at the conclusion of the party.

Clynch-Leimers.

Local pepole will be surprised and interested to learn of the marriage of Miss Bertha Leimers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers of this city, to A. J. Clynch of Grand Forks which occurred on July 19, at Seattle, Wash. The young folks were successful in keeping the event a secret up to this time, only immediate relatives and friends being apprised. The young couple is residing at Seattle, where Mr. Clynch is connected with a law firm.

Birthday Party.

Master James Barnett was host to twelve of his friends on Tuesday evening when he entertained in honor of his seventh birthday anniversary. The young folks enjoyed games until the lunch hour, when they were served delicious refreshments. His guests were Clifford Froehlich, George Biedermann, Ernest Shanahan, Ernest Hegland, Ruth Bessler, Verna Thompson, Richard Ross, Jr., Aidele Rupprecht, Harold Johnson, Stanley and Dayton Fahey and Jeanette Mogensen.

Miscellaneous Shower.

A surprise miscellaneous shower was given on Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. Henry Froseth, whose marriage occurred recently. The guest list included Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. W. H. Wjkel, Miss Lena Lonson, Miss Tillie Sundahl, Miss Amy Krohn, Mrs. Fred Scanlan, Mrs. C. Holte, Mrs. Harold Snyder, Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mrs. C. Erickson and Mrs. Biddick. The gentlemen were invited for the lunch hour.

Surprise Party.

Miss Twila Glines was tendered a complete surprise on Saturday evening when a number of her friends walked into her home unexpectedly. Games and music made up the evening's entertainment. A donated luncheon concluded a most delightful party. Misses Elsie Granum, Ethel Erickson, Alice and Annie Froseth, Lucille McGinnity, Dotty Kraftheffer, Shirley Anderson, and Stephen Longer, Horace Prugh, Ole Engelstad, Lynn Halvorson, Grebory Werstlein and Milton Lund were the guests.

Picnic Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward were hosts at a picnic supper held Sunday evening a short distance from Squaw Point. The guests were conveyed to their destination in Mr. Ward's motor launch. Those having the pleasure of the occasion were Misses Emy Claus, Edith Twilliger, Grace Wilson and Meta Kiland.

Matinee Party.

Miss Lucille Roark entertained a number of her girl friends at a matinee party on Sunday afternoon in commemoration of her 14th birthday anniversary. Immediately after witnessing the movies the party repaired to the home of Miss Roark, where a tasty lunch had been prepared for them.

Sterling-Sholsten.

Edward L. Sterling of Beltrami county and Miss Pearl Sholsten of Erie were united in marriage Oct. 6 at the Presbyterian parsonage, Rev. R. L. Barackman officiating. The newlyweds will make their home at Kelliher.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. R. H. Ross informally entertained a few of her friends at her home Tuesday afternoon. The guests were Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. F. C. Niclai, Mrs. A. S. Sapero and Mrs. G. W. Connell.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Develling, 923 State avenue north, on Friday afternoon, Oct. 15.

Clerks Hold Meeting.

The clerks' union held its regular meeting on Monday evening at the Masonic hall. At the conclusion of the business session the hours were devoted to dancing.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. K. A. Sundahl entertained a number of her friends on Monday evening at dinner. Covers were laid for twelve.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Zion Lutheran church will meet in the basement of the church this afternoon. Mrs. O. N. Olson will be the hostess.

Marshmallow Roast.

The seniors entertained the underclassmen and high school faculty at a marshmallow roast at Squaw Point last Friday evening.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained on Friday, Oct. 8, at the home of Mrs. Ben Peterson.

New Dental Assistant.

Miss Mabel Brown, formerly of Minot, N. D., has accepted a position in the dental office of Dr. G. W. Booren of this city. Miss Brown has had several years of experience in X-ray work and anasthesia administration and will have charge of these departments under the direction of Dr. Booren. The young lady comes very highly recommended as an adept at her work and will prove a valuable assistant.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT. Prepared and ordered inserted on behalf of the Democratic candidates for office in nation and state by the Pennington County Democratic Committee, A. S. Sapero, secretary, Thief River Falls, Minn. Amount to be paid, $12.00.

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(Larry Ho.) Mayor of St. Paul and Democratic Candidate for Governor,
and

Mrs. H. A. Patterson

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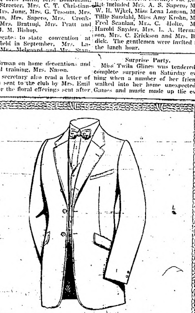

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-- at --
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You'll surely be pleased with these values.
About 25 coats in the two lots.

A Special Underwear Sale

Children's part wool Union Suits Values to $2.50 per suit, to close out at only **$1.69**

Children's heavy Cotton fleeced Union Suits. Special **$1.39**

Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits in white, all styles. Special **$1.39**

Ladies Standard Percale Aprons. Values to $3.00. Special **$2.39**

New Wool Plaid Skirts in Knife Pleated Effects. Special **$10.95 TO $15.75**

Just received another shipment of those Wonderful Girls' Coats Sizes 8 to 14.

Lovely New Georgette Blouses. Special at **$5.95 AND $6.95**

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When you read the sport columns which appear regularly in this publication, a number of you will think of high school athletics simply as an amusement or recreation. That is, however, not the case. High school athletics are valuable because of the physical benefit to the participants, but their greatest value lies in the development of school spirit.

What is the real motive that impels the football players to go out for practice night after night without thought of material compensation? Those who play for mere personal glory may easily be detected in a football or basketball game. But what about those who, when their team seems to be facing inevitable defeat, rush back into the fray with a set, determined expression, as if to say, "We are going over the top?" They want to win, for their school and for their team. That is true school spirit, which is simply another term for loyalty.

Then, too, there are those who play without considering a chance of making the first team. They want to do what they can that the team may be in the best of condition in meeting their foes.

"The Progess."

The education and enjoyment derived from our paper, "The Progress," should keep every pupil in high school in close touch with it. "The Progress" gives every pupil a chance to see his or her literary efforts in print.

The public as a whole is interested in the advancement of education, and in reading "The High School Progress" they find out what our high school is doing along the lines of high school activities and the regular school work. So let us all get behind the activity that wields the greatest influence of any in high school.

High School Spirit.

Are you a "pull down" to your school? Do you attend your class meetings and pay your class dues? Are you going to attend the coming football and basketball games? Are you going to buy a season ticket to help the support of the Athletic association?

If you, each individual, of the Lincoln high school, fulfill these questions, there will be no lack of high school spirit.

The high school, your school, will be alive. No one wants to pull down a school, so let's see you, who make up the school, alive and full of "pep."

Makers and Breakers.

To which class do you belong? Are you a maker or a breaker? In a broad way, people may be divided into two classes, with a lot of left overs who haven't enough pep to get into either class.

There are the makers. They are the people who put things across.

They are the path finders. They make a town grow, they make men. It's a great thing to be a maker, so let's all be.

Then there are the breakers. They are the class of people who pile things in the way. They depress and discourage and tear down. They are always discouraged. They have the critical instinct abnormally developed. Such people can ruin any enterprise. They are the breakers. If I cannot build up, then I hope I shall not tear down. If I cannot make the day brighter and the way easier for some fellow-traveler, I have missed my chance.

Alumni vs. High School.

Next Tuesday, Oct. 5, at 3:30, we will play our first home game of the season. The game that was to be played at Grand Forks this Saturday has been postponed until a later date. The game that comes off next Tuesday is going to be a snappy one. Both of these teams have a fine line-up and are in the best of shape for the game. Season tickets can be used at this game, and admission of 25 cents will be charged to outsiders. It's the first game of the season and every high school student should be full of pep and enthusiasm. So let's all come out with our colors and boost our high school team.

More than eleven hundred foreigners, representing nearly a score of nationalities, have signified their desire to become full fledged Americans and educated citizens by registering in the night classes opened in fourteen public schools in Minneapolis. Persons of Slovak descent or birth are in the majority in these classes.

Forum.

A Forum debating society will be organized this week open to all Juniors and Seniors. The prospects for the best debating team in the state are good and all indications point toward a banner year. The value and importance of debating is being recognized by the greatest educators and keen competition will exist. It is a learning of so great value that it cannot be measured in dollars and cents—an influence that will be a mile-stone in anyone's career. A large membership is expected and arrangements are being made to either have it during school hours or establish an eighth period class. The high school will compete in the Red River Declamatory contest.

Smith-Hughes Progess

Mr. McGarvey of the state department of education was in Thief River Falls last week in the interest of the Smith-Hughes work.

He feels confident that the great progress made by our local vocational school makes it superior to a great many schools of the same nature in Minnesota, due to the interest which the high school boys have taken in the work.

Two more very interesting subjects are to be introduced in the near future. More specific and complete announcements will be released concerning the vocational work in the next issue of the Progress.

Senior Class Meeting.

Thursday afternoon at 3:30, the Seniors held a class meeting at which the annual staff was announced. The staff this year has been appointed by a number of the high school faculty, in conjunction with the officers of the Senior class.

The following is the 1920 annual staff:

Editor-in-chief, Betsey Ness; assistant editor-in-chief, Dreng Bjornaraa; business manager, Ernest Zeh; assistant business manager, Bernard Sundahl; literary, Mary Vance; assistant literary, Ethel Conklin; athletics, Jordan Penney; assistant athletics, Eileen Herron; jokes, Marguerite DeCremer; assistant jokes, Clarence Knudsen; alumni, Mildren Botelson; assistant alumni, Rose Orzechowski; kodak, Ida Shields, Doris Richter, Mary Wing; art, Lynn Halvorson; assistant art, Vernon Copp; miscellaneous, Lester Coyle; assistant miscellaneous, Esther Soards; social, Myrtle Krohn, Beatrice Sandum.

Junior Class Meeting.

One of the traditions of the Lincoln high school is the Junior-Senior banquet, which is given by the Juniors at the close of every school year.

Since this banquet is a great expense to the Juniors a special class meeting was called Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. for the purpose of levying a certain amount, as a class due, to be paid by each of the Juniors.

Freshmen Elect Officers.

The Freshmen class had their first meeting last week for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. The following were elected:

President, Ivan Larson; vice president, Elsie Blair; secretary, Melvin Engelstad; treasurer, Herbert Keene; sergeants-at-arms, Robert McGinn and Clifton Conner.

With this set of officers and the co-operation of the rest of the class, it is certain to be a credit to the high school.

'D Ye Ever Meet 'im?

Duffy's seeing visions in the mansions of the skies,
And the world that sweeps around him has no value in his eyes.
They are fixed on far horizons, on a distant, certain goal,
On the haven of the strenuous and conquering of soul.
Duffy's brand new football uniform and leather headgear, too,
Have carried into nearer kew, the end he has in view,
When with cheering and with shouting, till the very heavens crack,
The populace acclaims him as the Greatest Living Back.

High School Spirit.

How dead at times our spirit seems to be!
We all neglect our high school home; forget
Its walls, its mem'ries and our lasting debt
To it; and keep its name in secrecy.
These things must cease; if e'er we are to see
Our school become renowned, each one must set
Its standards far above reproach, and let
Its praise be heard and sung continually.
A boost, a word, an act, a thought expressed,
Will herald on its grand ideals, the fame
'Twill bear. If then we have ourselves addressed
To keep its life beyond reproach and blame.
There'll come to both a blessing great to tell,
The consciousness of duties done, and well.

—R. R. Vance.

Sounds From the Woodshed

"C-o-m-e here mother. I'm hurt," sobbed little Jane.

Mrs. Patterson, who was entertaining the Methodist Ladies' Aid, excused herself and hastened to her little daughter.

While she was gone John rushed into the living room, and would as quickly have rushed out had not Miss Brown called to him, saying, "Johnnie, come here! Sit down by me. Wouldn't you like to live with me and be my little boy?"

"You might powder my nose if I lived with you, so I guess I wouldn't care to go. Ma says you powder your nose," answered John.

"The very idea of people daring to say such things. I'll not stay in this house another minute."

After she had gone, Mrs. Norton said, "Wasn't that strange? Why should she get mad and go away? Everybody knows she does powder."

"Say," said Johnnie, "I believe you are the woman ma said was always talking about people behind their backs."

"How dare you say such a thing! I don't blame Miss Brown for going, and I shall do so too, and never come here again," cried Mrs. Norton.

"Well, I declare," said Mrs. Lake when she had gone, "What you said was true, but everybody knows that the truth hurts sometimes."

"Yes," said John, "I suppose it does. Say, Pa said you had the worst temper of anybody he knew, and—"

"Enough," snapped Mrs. Lake, "I wish to hear no more," and taking her wraps, she went away.

Johnnie told every woman present something similar, so by the time his mother returned all had gone.

"Why, where are all the ladies, John?"

"Oh, I don't know. They just went. I told Miss Brown that you said she powdered her nose and Mrs. Norton that she always was saying things behind other people's backs, and—"

"Johnnie!" cried his mother, "you bad, bad boy. Come with me to the woodshed."

Didn't you hear some queer sounds? I did.

Personals.

Miss Patrick: "What is the day after Hallowe'en called?" (Meaning All Saints Day.)

Bright student: "Reconstruction Day!"

Ernest Zeh says: "When I was out hunting I got as many in two hours as some fellows get in two days—I almost hit one!"

Jordan Penney was confined to his home a few days last week because of an accident which occurred while he was playing football at Grafton last Saturday. He is getting along fine and has returned to school again.

We notice the Juniors are getting busy. Their colors are on the school flag pole, and Lincoln has been wearing a new necktie for the past few days.

Lynn Halvorson has been confined to his home for several days because of sickness. He is recovering rapidly and will soon be able to pursue his studies again.

Denis McGinn, "Tubby" LaBree and Reuben Hadrath, alumni of '20, have entered upon the auto thieving business. If you don't believe this, ask "Mat" Barzen.

The football boys entertained themselves at Ardock between trains playing "African golf."

Born, to Prof. and Mrs. Pope, on Sept. 29, a nine and a half pound baby boy, Wendell Wiedman. Before the year is over we look for Master Wendell to be efficient in the use of a saw, hammer and plane.

Thief River-Red Lake Game.

The Lincoln high school football squad went to Red Lake Falls on Saturday morning to play a game with the team of that city for the benefit of the Red Lake county fair spectators. The final outcome of the game was 7 to 0 in favor of the Lincoln high school squad.

The game clearly showed a lack of team work and tact which will only be overcome by more hard practice and scrimmage. The next game will be played at East Grand Forks on Oct. 9.

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Boys' Suits and Trousers.
Our Penney Junior and American Boy Double Knee, Double Seat, Double Elbow means double wear, and wherever wear comes in a Boys' Suit there are reinforcements.
$14.75 to $19.50
With two pair of trousers.

Heavy Corduroy Suits for Boys
$12.50 to $14.75

Juvenile Suits, sizes 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12
Fancy Mixtures and Tweeds
$7.90, $8.90, $9.90
$10.90, $12.50

School Waists in Chambray and Cheviots
98c

Boy Scout Hose
39c, 45c, 49c

Men's Leather Vests, Full Leather Sleeves
$8.50, $8.90, $9.90
$11.90, $12.50

Men's Flannel Shirts, All Wool and Mixtures, Khaki, Grey, Navy, Brown Maroon, etc.
$2.39, $2.49, $2.69, $2.98, $3.50, $4.50

MISSES' COATS
Specially selected by our New York buyers at the trend of the downward market price.
Beautiful Tinseltone, Ziberline with large two-in-one collar, double breasted, in Brown, Navy, Kelly, Burgandy, etc.
Ages 8, 10, 12, 14, 16
$10.90, $12.50, $14.75
$16.50, $18.50

Fleisher's 2 oz. Ball Knitting Yarn 49c
Windsor Ties, large sizes, asst. colors 25c
Dye Soap, Aladin, all colors 8c
Silk Hose, Brown, Navy, Black 98c
Aprons, light and dark heavy Percale $1.98
Comforters, 72x84, fluffy filling $3.98
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"Fatty" Arbuckle, in
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Mitchell Lewis, in
"KING SPRUCE"
A thrilling tale of the Maine Woods.

FRIDAY
Olive Thomas, in
"YOUTHFUL FOLLY"
A delightful story of the Sunny South and New York City.

SATURDAY
Mabel Normand, in
"SLIM PRINCESS"
See it. It's a picture that everybody—thin or fat—will revel in; and
Jack Dempsey, in
"DAREDEVIL JACK"
A Knock-out of a Program.
Matinee: 2:30

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Constance Talmadge
Throws a bomb into the blues—explosions of laughter.
"THE PERFECT WOMAN"
Connie goes a camping into new fields. It's a Bolshevik this time.
Mack Sennett Special Comedy
"SAVE ME SADY"
Matinee Sunday: 2:30
A First National Attraction.

COMING TUESDAY
Emmy Wehlen, in
"LIFTING SHADOWS"
WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Wm. S. Hart, in
"TOLL GATE"

The Princess

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Robert Warwick, in
"The City of Masks"
Where lives are veiled and lovers oft are strangers. That's New York.

Andy Gump and Oh, Min!
A Paramount-Artcraft Program.

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City News

H. Hadrath left Monday evening for a business trip to the twin cities.

C. Krohn returned on Saturday evening from Warren where he had spent the day on business.

Miss Ravella Leslie left Monday evening for St. Paul in responce to a wire that her brother was seriously ill.

Mrs. M. Keeler arriver Monday evening from Argyle to visit at the home of Mrs. F. J. Schantzen for a few days.

Miss Esther Hanson arrived Monday evening from Gonvick for a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Bakken.

Mrs. H. J. Hoyden returned to her home at Donaldson Monday evening after visiting friends in this city since Saturday.

Miss Mildred LaSalle, accompanied by her bother, Melvin, spent a few days this week visiting with relatives at Mahnomen.

Misses Ruth and Judith Christianson left for Minneapolis Monday evening to attend the Midway Bible school this winter.

Miss Gallager returned to her home at Cass Lake after a week-end visit with her friend, Miss G. Iverson, who teaches in the local high school.

Mrs. Victorie McKinney left on Monday morning for International Falls where she will spend a week visiting at the home of her sister.

Keep going and you will arrive rapidly. The Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn., should be your first stop. Send for our catalog. a7

Mrs. D. Cadieux arrived here Monday morning from her home at Red Lake Falls to be the guest of her friend, Mrs. Wm. Poirier, for a few days.

Miss Sena Johnson, who had spent a week vititing at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Johnson in this city, returned to Grand Forks on Monday afternoon.

Miss Ina Stageberg arrived here on Friday evening from Plummer, where she teaches school, to spend the week-end visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Esther Gustafson, of Grygla visited at the home of Mrs. O. H. Gustafson on Saturday, leaving in the evening for Minneapolis where she will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvenness and Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson motored down from Middle River on Saturday evening to listen to the Preus address at the auditorium.

Earl Erickson came down from his home at Lancaster on Saturday to see his mother who was seriously injured in an auto accident near Red Lake Falls the night previous.

A. R. Boyce, accompanied by his three children, Ray, Ethel and Mable, left on Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to attend the funeral services of their wife and mother.

Misses Margaret Koffman, Clara Kolstad, and Vivian Hoffman returned to their home at Plummer Saturday evening having spent the day here on a shopping expedition.

Miss Ida Legvold was among the home girls who are teaching school out of town, who spent Sunday at her home here. She returned to her duties at Hazel on Monday morning.

Miss Loretta O'Brien, who has been employed as dressmaker in this city for some time past, made her departure Saturday evening for Minneapolis where she will remain this winter.

Misses Islet LeSage and Celia Saugen, who are engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Hazel, arrived here Friday evening and were over Sunday guests at their homes.

Miss Sophie Krebechek of Erie spent a short period on Monday visiting friends. She left in the afternoon for Crookston where she will enter the Agricultural college at that place.

Carl Sundahl, Matt Barzen, L. A. Lampert and P. O. Myhrum comprised a party of hunters that went to Red Lake on Saturday. The game was scarce so they returned the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad, Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughter, Miss Margaret, motored here on Saturday on a shopping expedition. They returned to their homes at St. Hilaire in the evening.

Oscar Smith returned to this city on Monday morning from Red Lake Falls where he had been confined since the accident which occurred near that city on Friday evening. He is getting along very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wolff and daughter, who have been visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Meyers, who reside at Erie, returned to their home at Big Stone City Monday evening.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher undedwwent a successful operation for appendicitis Monday morning. Her numerous friends are anxious for a speedy recovery. Her mother, Mrs. Mallory of Grand Forks arrived here that same morning to care for her two grand sons during the illness of their mother.

Mrs. R. L. Barackman left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to attend a two days' session of a Synodical meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church. At the conclusion of the meeting she will remain in the twin cities and will be the guest of Mrs. Michaels, of St. Paul, formerly Miss Aroline Forbes, who taught in this city a few years ago. She will also visit at the home of Mrs. F. Sheppard and Mrs. J. C. Koch in Minneapolis, the latter being a niece of Mrs. Barackman, and with her son, Rufus, who is attending Macalester college.

Mrs. Mary Ann Bishop.

Mrs. Mary Ann Bishop, mother of W. A. Bishop of this city, died at the home of her son Sunday noon, at the ripe old age of 76 years. Death was due to congestion of the lungs. Mrs. Bishop was apparently in the best of health until Friday when she complained to the family of not feeling well. However, the family was not alarmed as Mrs. Bishop was subject to frequent colds. On Sunday her condition became serious and it was not until then that the relatives realized that the end was near.

Mrs. Mary Ann Bishop was born in the state of New York and in her girlhood went to West Union, Iowa, where she and her husband, H. A. Bishop resided until his death 42 years ago. Their married life had been blessed with two sons one of whom preceded her a number of years ago. Seven years ago she moved to this city to make her home with her son, W. A. Bishop.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. J. B. Smith conducting. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery.

WHY?

(From the Publisher's Auxiliary.)

More than seven thousand printers of this country are using the Franklin Printing Price List. They are charging for printing approximately the prices quoted in this list. A very large percentage of these 7,000 printers are both job printers and newspaper publishers and are selling advertising space in their newspapers as well as printing.

When the local merchant goes to any one of these publishers with an order for 500 or 1,000 handbills of a size of 6x9 inches, which means a type form of 4½x7 inches, the publisher looks at his price list and unhesitatingly names a price of $6.25 for 500 or $7.75 for 1,000 of these bills and the merchant pays it willingly.

When the merchant receives his handbills he employs a boy to distribute them about town, throwing them on the lawns or doorsteps, to be picked up by the householder or blown away by the wind as fate may decree, and whichever it may be the merchant is satisfied.

Get ten, one hunderd or one thousand publishers together and ask them which is the more valuable advertising medium, the handbill or space in their newspapers, equal space and equal circulation for either medium, and the unanimous verdict will be space in the newspaper.

But—the same merchant goes to the mercant with an advertisement of a special sale and wants a space of 4½x7 inches in his newspaper. How many of these same publishers, who have voted unanimously that newspaper advertising is more valuable than handbill advertising, will quote this merchant a price of 44 cents a column inch for 500 circulation, or 55 cents a column inch for 1,000 circulation?

In the case of the newspaper the publishers are going to do the distributing and are going to put these papers inside the home of the community, and put the advertising on the same pages with reading matter for which the people are paying, and which they want.

There is not one in a thousand publishers who would quote the same inch price for newspaper advertising they do quote for handbill advertising. Take any one thousand publishers of newspapers with circulations of 500 copies each and but very few of them would think of making an advertising rate of more than 20 cents an inch, while many of them would say 10 cents an inch or less. What is true of publishers of papers with 500 circulation is equally true of publishers of papers of 1,000 circulation. The rate for the 1,000 circulation might be as much as 25 cents an inch, but in the great majority of cases it would be less than that—considerably less.

The prices quoted for handbills is that given in the Franklin Printing Price List for bills printed on print paper and for the B class of composition, while the majority of the advertising in the newspapers would carry the more expensive C class of composition.

When the newspaper publishers of America realize that in selling advertising they are selling service, when they realize that the thing that makes their advertising space valuable is the reading matter the public is buying, and that the advertising must, and quite properly should, carry much of the cost of preparing, printing and distributing this reading matter, then, and then only, will they realize the value of their advertising space to the local merchant.

When the advertising space for the local stores sells for the price it should sell for, at the price it is worth to the merchants, then the community newspapers of America will be on a profitable basis, and the community publisher will command the respect of the community and the place to which he is entitled.

Six Months Course For Farm Boys Starts Soon

F. A. Tripp, agricultural instructor at Lincoln high school, announces that a six months course for farm boys will open on Monday, Oct. 18. The requirement of last year which made it necessary for all boys taking the course to have passed the eighth has been waived, but all who wish to enter must be over 14 years of age. The course will include work to especially fit the student for the business of farming.

Stand Well at Head in Dairy Cattle Contest

Lester Coyle was awarded seventh place in the state-wide contest in dairy cattle judging held at the university last week. Raymond Muzzy of this county was in tenth place in a contesting class of 50. Hennepin county was first.

Appreciate Assistance.

The teachers of the county are grateful for the assistance given them by the people of Thief River Falls and for the co-operation that has been extended in the formation of the organization. At a meeting recently held the following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, that the executive committee of the Teachers' Progressive League of Pennington county, Minnesota, feels deeply grateful to the professional men and others of Thief River Falls who very cheerfully donated their time and services in co-operation with our league during the last school year and wish hereby to express our sincerest thanks to each and every one who so ably and willingly assisted us.

"Signed: Ida Legvold, president; Anna Barstad, vice president; Sena Welo, treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Kline, secretary."

Change in Running Time.

Effective October 15th, 1920 a new time table will be in operation on the Minnesota Northwestern Electric Railway. Changes made therein are necessary on account of the increased amount of freight business this year. The more important changes are as follows: Train No. 1 will leave Thief River Falls at 7:30 a. m., and arrive at Goodridge at 8:40 a. m. Train No. 2 will leave Goodridge at 9:40 a. m., and arrive at Thief River Falls at 10:30 a. m. Train No. 3 will leave Thief River Falls at 3:00 p. m. and arrive at Goodridge at 3:50 p. m. Train No. 4 will leave Goodridge at 4:10 p. m., and arrive Thief River Falls at 5:50 p. m. Stops Nos. 1, 2 and 3 have been eliminated. The first regular stop out of Thief River Falls will now be No. 4. A supply of printed time tables showing the schedule time at all stops are now on hand and will be mailed upon request. Also merchants and others interested can secure large display cards showing time at all stops from Agent at Goodridge or at General Offices at Thief River Falls.

Very truly yours,
H. W. PROTZELLER,
General Manager.

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That Morning Lameness.

If you are lame every morning, and suffer urinary ills, there must be a cause. Often it's weak kidneys. To strengthen the weakened kidneys and avert more serious troubles use Doan's Kidney Pills. You can rely on Thief River Falls testimony.

H. C. Liden, 424 Davis St. N., Thief River Falls, says: "Not long ago I began to have trouble from my kidneys. My back pained most all the time, and mornings I was sore and lame. Often I had to have my shoes pulled on for me because I couldn't stoop to get them on myself. My kidneys didn't act regularly sometimes they acted too freely and then again the secretions were scanty. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Curtis' Drug Store and two boxes entirely ended the trouble."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Liden had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

Churches

First Swedish Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday morning in Swedish. Rev. John A. Anderson of Minneapolis will preach. Services in the evening conducted by Rev. C. W. Erickson. Ladies' Aid meets tomorrow at the Ben Peterson home near Rosewood.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 10, Sunday school at 10 a. m. No morning service. Rev. Anderson from Minneapolis will speak at 7:30 p. m. in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League. Mid-week service Thursday at 8 p. m. The Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. C. H. Kringsberg, St. Paul Ave. S., next Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 13. Services at St. Hilaire 11 a. m. Communion immediately after morning service. Service at town hall, Spruce Valley, at 4 p. m.

Christian Science Society—Services at the library auditorium, Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Are sin, disease and death real?" Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and Sunday school at 9:30. The German language will be used. Berea Bible class meets Thursday 8 p. m. The Ladies' Aid in the city meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. Mrs. Roemhildt will entertain. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the pastor will conduct services in the German language at Holt.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 10, 10 a. m., Sunday school. Bible class for adults. 11 a. m. morning worship. New views of the Christ No. 5, "Samaria and Nazareth." 8 p. m., evening worship, "Faith's Glow at Life's Sunset." Senior C. E. 7 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class 9:30 a. m. English services 11 a. m. Norwegian services 7:45, at which hour all evening services will begin hereafter. Ladies' Aid entertained on Oct. 14 by Mrs. Olaf Storholm, Mrs. E. P. Burstad, Mrs. Nels Ostvolden and Mrs. Edward Ness. Young Peoples' society meeting same evening.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Afternoon service at Bethlehem 2:30. Services in the city 8 p. m. Rev. Bagne will preach in the morning. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00. Mrs. O. N. Olson will entertain the Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, the 7th. Miss Borghild Wolden will entertain the Zion Young Peoples society on Thursday evening, the 7th. Confirmants meet in church parlor Saturday at 2 p. m. The girls' society meets with Mrs. Dina Evenson Tuesday evening, the 12th.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 10: English and German services at Espiee at 10 o'clock a. m. and at Grygla at 3 o'clock p. m. Business meeting at each place. Sunday, Oct. 17: German services at 10 a. m. and English services at 3 p. m. at Germantown. Business meeting after the forenoon services. Sunday, Oct. 24: English services with celebration of Holy communion at 10 o'clock a. m. at Erie. German services at 2:30 p. m. and English services at 8 p. m. at Goodridge. The place of the services at Goodridge will be announced later.

TOO LATE

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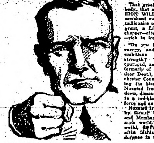

That great strength of mind and body, that exhaustless energy, that IRON WILL that make a famous merchant out of a humble clerk, a millionaire out of a penniless immigrant, a Lincoln out of a woodchopper—often come from red blood—rich in iron.

"Do you lack power of decision, energy, and stamina? Are your ambitions greater than your strength? You need not be discouraged, says Dr. James Sullivan, formerly of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and Westchester County Hospital. "By feeding the blood pure organic iron—Nuxated Iron—many a weak, rundown, discouraged man has changed to a red-blooded American, full of force and energy that win success." Nuxated Iron is used and endorsed by former United States Senators and Members of Congress, and by such world-known men as Paderewski, ex-Premier of Poland. It often increases strength and endurance in two weeks' time.

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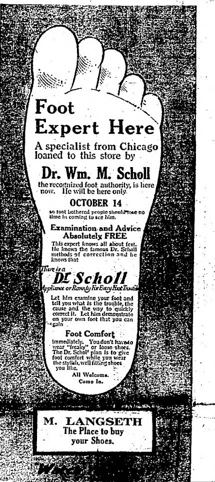

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Laborers and Cooks WANTED!

Apply at the Office

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Sale begins Fri., Oct. 8

Palace Clothing House

Sale begins Fri., Oct. 8

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Every store in town is following the market. We are no exception. Come!

The Town will be Ablaze with Bargains!

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GERMANTOWN

Henry Roller autoed to Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Ole Brevik and Ole Tharaldson of Starbuck, Minn., visited a few days this wee at the Olaf Tharaldson home.

Miss Alice Muldoon returned home on Tuesday to visit for some time.

Mrs. Henry Roller was a caller at Mavie on Tuesday.

Miss Bernice Struble visited with Selman Johnson on Sunday.

Hans Jorstad was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Miss Clara Overby, who has been employed at Alvarado, returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Merrie Muldoon returned to her home one day last week and will remain there for some time.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson visited at the Henry Roller home on Wednesday.

Miss Nettie Bendickson was a Germantown caller on Friday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl was a guest at the Martinus Johnson home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller were callers at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Miss Clara Overby was a caller at the Roller home one day last week.

Mrs. Will Wayne and son visited at the Henry Roller home on Wednesday.

ERIE

Hans Svare, Knute Roysland, Henry Dahlen, Mrs. Volden, Ed. Vatne and Ole Tharaldson were in Goodridge with cattle, which they had sold on Friday.

L. B. Johnson, accompanied by his father, Bernt Johnson, and Andrew Jorde of Thief River Falls, motored out on Sunday and spent a few hours at the L. B. Johnson place and also called at Dahlen's.

Mrs. S. Presteganard received the sad news that her sister, residing in Washington, had passed away and left immediately to be present at the funeral.

The six months old twin son, Robert, of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Bye died very suddenly last Wednesday evening. The child had been sick with summer complaint but not very seriously. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Hoyum of Esplee and interment made at the Mokland cemetery. The bereaved parents have the sincere sympathy of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elertson of Gonvick were recent visitors at the Carl Elereson home and also called on other friends.

Land hunters seem to be numerous these days. We hope they will really do some business, not only come out and look at the land and then fade away again.

Mrs. Henry Sunsdahl and son have gone to North Dakota, where they are visiting with her parents near Kloten. They also spent a week at Grand Forks with relatives.

The Erie Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Ole Sunsdahl on Wednesday and the meeting was well attended.

Among those who have gone to North Dakota to pick potatoes are Mrs. Loyland and five children, two of the M. Anderson children and Arnold and George Hovet.

ROSEWOOD

Oct. 11-18 has been designated as Salvation Army week and $25 has been allotted as the sum to be raised in this locality. A. S. Holm is local chairman and will be aided by Alex Hellquist, Sigurd Rafteseth and Joel E. Shoberg. E. N. Eckstrom of Warren is chairman of the county.

The Rindahl young peoples meeting at the church last Saturday evening was quite successful both in attendance and entertainment. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls gave a short address, after which a juvenile program of songs and recitations was given. Coffee and lunch were served.

Services were conducted twice at the Swedish church in town last Sunday, in the forenoon by Rev. Drotts of Viking and in the evening by Hans and Ole Sande, two speakers and singers from Numedal who gave a delightful program to a small audience. This service had not been sufficiently advertised to draw a full attendance.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish church will be entertained by Mrs. Carl Bloom at her home three miles west of town on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 21. This is the first meeting of the society this season and the public is cordially invited.

Miss Viola Axelson, who is employed at Thief River Falls, spent Monday visiting with her parents north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm motored to Twin Valley last Sunday, where Mrs. Holm will spend a week visiting with relatives. Mr. Holm returned the same day.

John Remmem, who is at present making Thief River Falls his home, has been in town for a few days this week harvesting his potato crop.

Ella Nelson is spending the week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ole Skaare, in Norden township.

The S. S. Nordgaard family from Viking were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom.

Percy Hanson returned last Sunday from Angus, where he had been employed this fall, and John Nakken returned the previous day from Warren, where he had been as a farm hand for two months. They will leave Tuesday for Crookston to resume their studies at the agricultural college.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crown and son Earl, from south of Thief River Falls were in town last Sunday visiting with Mrs. Crown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom.

Several herds of cattle in this locality have been given the tuberculin test this week and more will be attended to soon. The state does this work free of charge and all farmers, especially dairymen, should not neglect to have their herds tested.

Contractor R. Hanum has been moving the R. Johnson residence into the village this week. Mr. Johnson recently sold his farm east of town but retained the house which he will place on a village lot and reside here in the future.

The S. Benson family of Thief River Falls spent Sunday here visiting with the R. Sagmoen family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Westby left last Saturday for Goodridge following the receipt of a message stating that their son, Martin, was ill. Miss Nina Westby came home the same morning from Thief River Falls, where she is employed, and will remain at home while her parents are absent.

Misses Isabella Sagmoen and Violet Furan shopped and visited at Thief River Falls between trains last Tuesday.

Miss Olga Thoreson of Thief River Falls has spent a few days this week visiting with her parents who reside north of town.

Miss Esther Thoreson is spending the week-end visiting with friends at Thief River Falls.

Miss Ida Gulseth left last Wednesday for Clay county following a brief visit with the Anton Gulseth people in town, where she will be the guest of relatives for a few months.

Newell Anderson left last Friday for Viking, where he will visit with Melvin Nordgaard until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie, of Thief River Falls spent Sunday afternoon in town making brief calls on several of their friends and former neighbors.

Several of the Flodstrom young people of Viking were in town in their car last Sunday and visited at the J. E. Hellquist home.

B. P. Sagmoen spent Tuesday at Anita assisting with threshing at the farm of his son, Rudolph.

A number of local people motored to Thief River Falls last Saturday evening to attend the Preus-Collins meeting at the auditorium.

Swen Swenson came home on Tuesday morning after spending a few days on real estate business in various parts of Pennington county.

The Anton Remmem family from Thief River Falls was in town last Sunday visiting with the Nordhagen and Gulseth families.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at the Central school, Thief River Falls, arrived Saturday morning to spend Sunday with her father, John Batten.

A good roads enthusiast, working for amendment No. 1, was in town Monday giving us some music and doing his best to impress the people regarding the necessity for better roads in the state.

Miss Theresia Schenke arrived on Monday from St. Hilaire, where she had spent some time visiting relatives. She will attend school here this winter.

The Gust Nakken and Severt Rafteseth families motored to Dakota Junction last Sunday to visit at the Carl Stromberg home.

John Bergland came home Monday evening from North Dakota, where he has been employed this fall.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Some woven [illegible] and sheep wire. Will sell cheap.—Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—Library table, kitchen table, writing desk, three chairs, child's high chair. Phone 251. 91

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. [illegible]

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side [illegible]

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. [illegible]

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining lots. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 75tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Ladd's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 76tf

FOR SALE—Tal river stock farm, S½ Sec. 21, Twn. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 155, City. 85tf

FOR SALE—My 5-room house and touring car, all in good condition. Priced for quick sale.—Henry Wilkin, [illegible] Call 313. 88tf

FOR SALE—Fifty grade Shropshire ewes. One to four years old. Phone 7-F-21. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Barn, 12x18. Can be used as a garage. Will sell cheap. Make me an offer.—Andrew Ness. 89tf

FOR SALE—A ladies' Seal plush coat bought at the Sapero Co. last winter for $110.00. Come and inspect it and make me an offer.—M. V. Evenson. 90tf

FOR SALE—Eighty acre farm ten miles south of Thief River Falls. Price $75.00 per acre for quick sale.—G. J. Bakke, city. 92p

FOR SALE—Three good milch cows. Inquire at Thief River Cafe. 88tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address box 1064, Thief River Falls, or call at the Times office. 89tf

FOR SALE—Brass bed, spring and mattress, and leather couch, in good condition. Call phone 292. 91

FOR SALE—Fifty rolls of four point barb wire, $2.60 per roll.—Andrew Ness. 90tf

FOR SALE—7-room house with hall and summer kitchen; automobile garage, woodshed and ice house, barn, 4 acres of land. The house has basement and with sewer running to the river. Will also sell furniture, automobile and two cows. C. C. Bergan, east end of Bridge St. 93p

FOR SALE—Three 12-gauge shotguns for sale cheap. Evelyn Hotel. 91

FOR SALE—Full blooded Shorthorn cow; can furnish registration papers. Write or call J. H. Sonnes, R. 2, City. Phone 4-F-44. The T. Ansland farm. 91p

FOR SALE—Two bedsteads with mattresses and springs. Also two rugs 9x12 feet. Call phone 287. 91

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—One heater, [illegible] base, self feeder, stove pipes, and cot bed. Call 266. 92p

LAND BARGAINS—SE¼ 31-154-40. Two and one-half miles southwest of Goodridge. One half mile south of State Road. A fine piece of land well located. Look this over and make us an offer. Chase Brothers, Pine City, Minn. [illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 6-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 82tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots.—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and confectionery.—[illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New Maxwell car or will trade for city property. Inquire 303 Kendall Ave. S. 91p

WANTED TO TRADE—A 5-room house and new 1920 Ford car for 80 or 160 acres good improved land close to school and town. Will pay cash to boot. Aug. Carlson, Thief River Falls, Bx. 1121. 92p

FOR RENT

FARM FOR RENT
SW¼ Sec. 22, Township Smiley.
Good House, Barn and Granary.
Write: J. Pfeffer, 411 Torrey Building;
Duluth, Minnesota.

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several parties near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 78tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 296. 92

FOR RENT—Two modern unfurnished rooms in good location. Phone 251. 91

FOR RENT—Good modern room, suitable for two gentlemen. Call at 122 St. Paul avenue north. [illegible]

LOST

LOST—Large black veil on Bridge St. Saturday afternoon. Please leave at the East Side drug store. 91

LOST—Ford casing on road between city and Kratka. Finder return to Dr. O. F. Mellby for reward. [illegible]

LOST—South of city, a spare tire with rim, size 33x4. Reward offered for return to Times office. 91p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Chambermaid at Evelyn Hotel at once. 91

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must be experienced and must like children. Good wages. 711 Knight Ave. N. 91

WANTED—Girl to work at the City Boarding House, 316 Knight Ave. N. 91p

WANTED—Two girls at once. Gillespie hotel, Forest River, N. D. Good wages. 92p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES—SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—One of World's largest Grocers, (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today. State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 91

MISCELLANEOUS

PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING—and interior decorating. First-class work. Charges reasonable. Bakken & Sheratad, Phone 592 and 413. 91

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 89tf

WANTED TO RENT—Small house with barn, in outskirts of town. If any such place for rent please call or write Park Hotel. 92p

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Sept. 28th, 1920.

Roll Call. Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of Sept. 15th, were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the bid of the J. C. Penney Co., of $165.00, for the adding machine now in use in the office of the City Clerk, be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that the City Clerk be authorized to place an order with the Burroughs Adding Machine Co., for an electric drive adding machine. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ihle, that the City Council decline to purchase the point on the East Side for park purposes. Motion carried.

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced a resolution fixing the tax levy for the year 1921. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Holt & George the sum of $318.50, amount held back from the final estimate of Sept. 14th, 1920. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the Council adjourn until Sept. 30th, 1920, at eight o'clock p. m. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council, held Sept. 28, 1920, Alderman Andrew Ness, seconded by Alderman O. L. Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following tax levy be, and the same is hereby made and levied, and the following taxes for the various funds and purposes for the city, are hereby fixed and levied, for the year 1921, to-wit:

Current Fund	$18,000.00
Auditorium Fund	3,000.00
Local Improvement Fund	13,000.00
Sinking Fund	1,000.00
Poor Fund	3,000.00
Interest Fund	3,000.00
Library Fund	3,500.00
Cemetery Fund	1,000.00
Hydrant Rents	2,000.00
Street Lighting	5,500.00

And, Be It Resolved, that a half mill tax against the taxable property in said City, be, and the same is hereby levied for the year 1921, for the purpose of providing musical entertainments to the public in public buildings or upon public grounds in said city.

And, the City Clerk is hereby directed and authorized to report the said assessments and levies to the County Auditor of Pennington County, Minnesota, on or before October 10, 1920, with the request that said County Auditor spread the tax levy for the city of Thief River Falls for the year 1921, in accordance with the foregoing levy.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 2, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Sept. 28, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the City Clerk and Mayor be, and hereby are authorized and directed to issue to Holt & George the warrant of the city, drawn on the proper fund, in the sum of $318.50, in payment of the sum held back by the city pursuant to the resolution of the city council adopted Sept. 14, 1920, it appearing that the items referred to in said resolution, have been duly corrected.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 2, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Sept. 28, 1920, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$473.10
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	23.60
L. M. Lumber, labor	4.00
Water & Light Dept., box rent	1.00
Erick Noberg, culvert	4.50
T. R. Iron Works, sharpening grader	7.50
Frank Thoma, labor	2.00
Local Improvement Fund.	
Holt & George, labor and sewer tile	167.00
S. R. Iron Works, sewer castings	36.00
John Dicken, pumping sewage	48.30
Improvement Bulletin, advertising	9.20
Auditorium Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., repairs	1.25
Alfred Prestebak, wood	144.00
Poor Fund.	
Mrs. B. Giller, clothing	19.75
Zeh & Curran, provisions	21.46
A. E. Zellner, provisions	35.00
Electric Light Fund.	
Minneapolis Elect. Mfg. Co., repairs	221.05
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	29.05
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	212.53
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	10.00
West. Elect. & Mfg. Co., supplies	33.00
Western Electric Co., supplies	80.05
Duluth Elect. Supplies Co., supplies	12.47
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	704.13
Pure Oil Co., fuel oil	1060.48
Thief River Grocery Co., twine	.70
Waterworks Fund.	
The Prichard Co., lumber	9.90
Thief River Iron Works, manhole covers	30.00
Thief River Iron Works, repair pump	6.50
Gust Anderson, repair on mains	17.40

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 2, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council called to order by H. A. Brumund, President at eight P. M., Sept. 30th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that bids for the construction of storm sewers be opened. Motion carried. The following bids were submitted:

McDonald & Hussey, Duluth, Minn.	$18,231.00
Coolsaet Bros., Marshall, Minn.	14,828.00
Carl C. Knudson, Blue Earth, Minn.	15,131.00
Smith & Jackson, Minneapolis, Minn.	16,604.00
Henry Holt, city	17,731.00

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution accepting the bid of Coolsaet Bros. & Drees for the construction of Storm Sewers within the paving district. (See Resolution.)

On the application of John Aas for repair permit the following vote was recorded: Aldermen voting Yes: Ness. Aldermen voting No: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon, Ihle. Application declared rejected.

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council, held Sept. 30, 1920, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution, and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that, Whereas the city clerk has advertised for proposals for the construction of storm sewers in said city according to the plans and specifications thereof on file with the clerk, pursuant to the resolution of the city council, adopted September 14, 1920, and, Whereas, in response to such advertising for bids, various proposals have been received, opened and considered, and, Whereas, Coolsaet Bros. & Drees, Marshall, Minn., is the lowest responsible bidder for said work. NOW, THEREFORE, Be it Resolved, That the bid and proposal of said Coolsaet Bros. & Drees, be, and the same is hereby accepted, and, Be It Further Resolved, that the city clerk and mayor be, and hereby instructed and directed and authorized to enter into a contract on behalf of the city, with said Coolsaet Bros. & Drees for the construction of said storm sewers according to the plans and specifications thereof, and, Be It Further Resolved, that the form of contract heretofore prepared and filed by the city's engineer, be, and the same hereby is approved, for use in so entering into such contract with said Coolsaet Bros. & Drees, for the construction of said work.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 2, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912,

Of Thief River Falls Times, published weekly at Thief River Falls, Minn., for October 1, 1920.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared R. H. Ross, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Manager of the Thief River Falls Times and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, Times Printing and Manufacturing Co., Thief River Falls, Minn.

Editor, T. J. Austad, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Managing Editor, R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Business Manager, R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

2. That the owners are: R. H. Ross, T. J. Austad, George W. Werstlein, G. W. Connell, J. P. Curtis, H. J. Rustad, P. O. Myhrum, Dr. O. F. Mellby, all of Thief River Falls, Minn., J. R. Brown, Little Rapids, Wis., and P. W. Sharp Prtg. & Mfg. Co.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

4. That the two paragraphs next above giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

R. H. ROSS,
Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of September, 1920.
GEORGE W. WERSTLEIN,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires Oct. 22, 1928.

C. M. ADKINS
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Johnson, of Erie, Minn., who, on January 30th, 1919, made Homestead Application Serial No. 016478, for SE¼, Section 26, Township 153 N. Range 39 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of October, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole K. Lien, Henry Dahlen, Tollef Hovet and Gustav Iverson, all of Erie, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

OLE THOMPSON,
Register.

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NOTICE OF HEARING.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of Judicial Ditch No. 44, Pennington County:

Notice is hereby given that a petition in the foregoing matter has been duly made and filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of said County praying for a construction of a public drainage ditch herein and that the preliminary hearing thereon as required by law has been had before the said Court, and that the said Court thereupon duly appointed a civil engineer to make a detailed survey and report of the route of the said ditch and an estimate of the cost thereof and to perform such other duties in relation thereto as is provided by law; and that the said engineer has completed his work and made due reports thereon and filed the same in the office of the said Clerk of the District Court; and that the said Court has duly appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits in the matter of the said drainage ditch and to perform all other duties in relation thereto as provided by law; and that the said viewers have completed their work and have made and filed their report as such in the office of the said Clerk of Court and that as appears by the engineer's final report herein, the starting point, route and termini of the said ditch and the general course of the same and the governmental sections over which same is surveyed and will pass are as follows, to-wit:

Main Ditch.

Commencing immediately South of the section line at the center of the south side of section 10, Township 153, North, Range 42 West in said Pennington County; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line bounding the south side of sections 16, 17 and 18 to the southwest corner of said sections 16, 17 and 18 in said last mentioned township and range to the southwest quarter of said section 18; thence in a northerly direction immediately east of the section line which is the western boundary line of said section 18 to the quarter corner on the west side of said section 18; thence in a northwesterly direction across the northeast quarter of section 13, Township 153 North, Range 43 West in said county, following the course of County Ditch No. One of Red Lake County to the north boundary line of said section 13; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line constituting the southern boundary line of sections 12, 11, 10 and 9 in said last mentioned township and range to Red Lake River as an outlet.

Lateral Number One:

Commencing immediately north of the east and west quarter line through section 16, township 153, range 42 West in said county at the quarter corner on the east side of section 16; thence in a westerly direction immediately along the north side of said quarter line to lateral No. 2 as an outlet.

Lateral Number Two:

Commencing immediately east of the section line at the northwest corner of section 16, Township 153 North, Range 42 West in the said county; thence in a southerly direction immediately east of the section line constituting the west boundary line of said section 16 to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Three:

Commencing immediately east of the section line at the center of the west side of section 28, Township 153, Range 42 in said Pennington County; thence in a northerly direction immediately along the east side of the section line constituting the west boundary line of sections 28 and 21 in said last mentioned township and range to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Four:

Commencing at a point immediately south of the section line at the center of the north side of the northeast quarter of section 28, Township 153, Range 42 West in said county; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line constituting the northern boundary line of said section 28 to lateral ditch number 3 as an outlet.

Lateral Number Five:

Commencing at a point immediately south of the section line at the northeast corner of section 17, Township 153, North, Range 42 West in said county; thence in a westerly direction immediately on the south side of the section line constituting the northern boundary line of said section 17 to the northwest corner thereof; thence in a southerly direction immediately along the east side of the section line constituting the western boundary line of said section 17 to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Six.

Commencing at a point immediately east of the section line at the quarter corner of the west side of section 20, Township 153 North, Range 42 West; thence in a northerly direction immediately east of the said section line constituting the west boundary line of said section 20 to the main ditch as an outlet.

That the said governmental sections over which said proposed ditch is surveyed and will pass are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are described as follows:

Section 28, Section 29, Section 20, Section 19, Section 18, Section 17, Section 16, Section 7, Section 8, Section 9, all in Township 153 North of Range 42 West, and Section 9, Section 10, Section 11, Section 12, Section 13, Section 14, Section 15 and Section 16, all in Township 153 North of Range 43 West as the same appears and is shown in the said report of the engineer.

And that the names of the owners of the land and that the names of the municipal corporations and the other corporations that will be affected by the said proposed ditch as the same appears in the report of the viewers hereinbefore mentioned are as follows:

T. W. Roark, Fred Beerbower, Christian Peterson, John Narum, John M. Theige, J. L. Stitt, Warren E. Wood, J. A. Swanson, O. N. Lawson, Erick J. Lem, Wm. J. McCrum, Lewis A. Nelson, Fred Morin, T. J. Carr, J. A. Aga, Bernt J. Kvinlog, Theo. M. Bjorge, E. O. Gullingsrud, John Kvall, Tobias Stene, Emil Thune, J. F. Chase, F. J. Hostvat, John A. Dahl, Wm. D. Riegert, O. J. Valavik, E. O. Vigen, H. J. Enderslie, Anfin Torkelson, Engel O. Vigen, A. C. Anderson, T. J. Austad, Jacob Jonas, Joseph Kasanda, J. W. McGinty, Frank McGinty, Lewis E. Johnson, Jacob Pfeffer, Maynard Knox, Ezra A. Eshelby, John L. Higgins, S. W. Laubach, N. E. Johnson, Peter Olson, O. K. Stromme, O. O. Gustafson, C. L. Dobner, H. O. Aiken, Elmer E. Kolp, A. A. Cooper, D. P. O'Neill, Chas. F. Lidden, Vinnie Hendrickson, O. R. Jones, M. J. Kirby, Mary McGinn, Andrew N. Nash, G. J. Bakke, Albert Coyle, Andrew Torgerson, O. Eigstun, Ida C. Langseth, Lina Johnson, S. E. Hunt, Albert Johnson, Halvor Halvorson, S. O. Lee, Rasmus Oen, John Johnson, Sigurd Myrom, Oen Mercantile Co., Knute Ystesund, Johanna Brumsheim, Nels Eck, C. J. Hannot, E. Grindeland, Joseph Volava, Henry Arneson, Hans Christofferson, Lars O. Linn, Gilbert R. Swenson, D. Patterson, Martha Ingram, Peter Engelstad, Fred Turnquist, Daniel Johnson, John L. Bauford, Ole T. Sandness, Ole J. Nomeland, Amelia Soderberg, C. R. Olen, Knute H. Finstad, Paul Engelstad, Lars J. Netteland, John P. Stroberg, Hilda Stroberg, O. B. Gunderson, Swen Viborn, Christ Noe, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, Northwestern Telephone Company, Town of Smiley, Town of Rocksbury.

And you are further notified that on the 5th day of November A. D. 1920, commencing at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day in the Court Room of the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, a final hearing on the said petition and the said viewers' report and the said engineer's report will be held by and before the said Court and the said Hon. Andrew Grindeland, Judge thereof, and that at the said time and place all persons interested in the construction of the said ditch are invited to appear and be heard for or against the construction and establishment thereof, or as affecting any of the assessments of damages or benefits therein.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(District Court Seal.)

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PUBLIC SALE

Will be held on section 31, Town of Silverton, on the farm known as the Berg farm, 3 1-2 miles east of Thief River Falls on the Elwell road, on

Wednesday, October 13, 1920

HORSES
- One grey gelding 12 years old, wt. 1400
- One black gelding 6 years old, wt. 1400
- One sorrel gelding 6 years old, wt. 1200
- One sorrel gelding 13 years old, wt. 1000
- One black gelding 8 years old, wt. 1500
- One black mare 9 years old, wt. 1400
- One sorrel mare 6 years old, wt. 1500
- One sorrel mare 7 years old, wt. 1200
- One grey mare 6 years old, wt. 1100
- One grey mare 12 years old, wt. 1000

CATTLE
- One red and white cow 6 years old, fresh six weeks ago
- One red cow 6 years old, coming fresh in June
- One red cow 6 years old, fresh 8 weeks ago.
- One red milch cow 4 years old, coming fresh in Nov.
- One heifer 2 years old, coming fresh Apr. 1st
- Two heifers 1½ years old
- Two calves 8 months old
- 25 turkeys
- 8 geese

MACHINERY
- One Dowiagac 20 shoe drill
- One Moline binder 7-ft. cut, good as new
- One Milwaukee binder, 6-ft. cut
- One sulky plow 16-in., good as new
- One Emerson sulky plow 16-in.
- One Emerson gang plow 12-in.
- One Emerson gang plow 12-in.
- One single Van Brunt disc drill
- One mower, 5-ft.
- One disc with truck
- One set bob sleighs, 7-ft. runners
- One jumper
- One drag
- One wood rack
- One hay rack
- One double seated surrey
- One set breeching harness
- One set driving harness
- One 12-barrel water tank
- One separator
- Some timothy hay and good seed oats

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
- One kerosene stove
- One range
- One heater
- One dining room table
- One kitchen table
- One cupboard
- Chairs; 1 rocker
- One couch
- One dresser and wash stand
- One sewing machine
- One iron bed
- Two springs
- One wash machine, tubs, boiler, wringer
- Two big barrels
- One new mail box
- Dishes, cooking dishes, fruit jars and other things too numerous to mention.

Sale Commences at 10:00 o'clock p. m. Free Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00 is to be paid in cash; on all sums over that amount, time will be given on bankable paper due Nov. 1st, 1921.

ANDREW E. JOHNSON, OWNER

W. J. LaBREE, Auct. FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Public Sale

Having sold my land, I will sell at public auction the property named below on the northwest quarter of section 22, Town of North, 1 mile north of the Soo Round House, on

Tuesday, Oct. 12

COMMENCING AT 10:00 A. M.

- One grey mare 14 years old, wt. 1300
- One grey mare 13 years old, wt. 1300
- One grey mare 7 years old, wt. 1300
- One grey gelding 6 years old, wt. 1500
- One grey colt 1 year old
- One black cow, fresh Nov. 1st
- One red cow, fresh Nov. 1
- One red cow, fresh Dec. last
- One Guernsey cow, fresh Jan. 1
- Three red cows, fresh in May
- Two heifers, 1½ years old
- One Holstein sire, 2 years old
- One cow 5 years old, fresh in Dec.
- One cow 5 years old, fresh in Jan.
- One heifer 2 years old, will be fresh in Dec.
- One yearling heifer
- Two spring pigs
- About 200 chickens
- One McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut
- One McCormick mower, 5-ft.
- One McCormick mower
- One McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
- One John Deere corn binder, new
- One John Deere corn planter
- One 18 double shoe Van Brunt drill
- One 2-horse cultivator
- One 1-horse cultivator
- One 4-horse drag
- One 3-horse drag
- One fanning mill
- One 16-in stubble plow
- Two wide tire wagons
- One truck wagon
- Two pairs bob sleighs
- One single seated buggy
- Two 2-seated buggies
- One bucking pole
- Two hay racks
- Two grain tanks
- One 14-bbl. galvanized water tank
- One 7-bbl. galvanized water tank
- One tank heater
- One 60-egg incubator, new
- One DeLaval cream separator
- Five sets work harness
- One single buggy harness
- One 5-horse evener
- One 4-horse evener
- 36 grain sacks
- About 25 tons tame hay
- Four acres fodder corn
- Two beds with springs and mattres
- Two dressers
- One cupboard
- One dining table, 10-ft.
- One kitchen table
- One Majestic range
- One Favorite coal heater
- One 3-burner oil stove with oven
- One wood heater
- One barrel churn
- One ice cream freezer
- Some chairs
- One washing machine
- One ice box
- One gas lamp
- One gasoline flat iron
- One cream can
- One sewing machine
- One grindstone
- Two wooden barrels
- One galvanized barrel with cover
- Household goods too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Jorgen M. Adsero, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioner. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Being unable to carry on farming, we will therefore sell at public auction on the farm, the NE quarter, Section 2, Township of Excel, being five miles North, two miles East of Thief River Falls, on

Thursday, Oct. 14

Sale commencing at 11:00 o'clock a.m. sharp, all of our personal property, to-wit:

3—HORSES—3
- One black horse 8 years old, wt. 1600
- One bay mare 4 years old, wt. 1200
- One fine stud colt 2 years old

LIVESTOCK
- One Holstein cow (Devol Family) 3 years old
- One Holstein heifer (Ornsby Family) 2 years old
- One Holstein bull (Hinchman Family) 1 year old
- One Holstein bull (Hinchman Family) 1 year old
- One Holstein bull (Hinchman family) 3 years old
- One milking Shorthorn cow, 5 years old
- One Shorthorn cow, 3 years old
- Two Shorthorn cows 6 years old
- One Shorthorn cow 3 years old
- One Shorthorn cow 3 years old
- Three Shorthorn heifers 2 years old
- Four Shorthorn calves
- 20 head Poland China and Duroc Red pigs
- 100 chickens
- One breaking plow
- One 16-ft. drag
- One Acme binder
- One Acme mower
- One 10-ft. hay rack
- One feed mill
- One grindstone
- One drill press
- One Portable forge
- One Superior fanning mill
- One DeLaval cream separator, No. 12
- Two gas tanks 30 and 50 gal.
- Shovels, forks and tools

ABOUT 25 TONS OF MIDLAND HAY IN STACK

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
which includes 3 heating stoves, 2 beds, 2 dressers, 6 chairs, tables, pictures, rugs, 1 baby carriage, and lots of other farm and household goods too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS:—All sums $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount good bankable paper due October 1, 1921.

SWAN ENGLUND & B. GOTHAM
Owners

T. K. RYUESTAD, Auctioner. H. S. DAHLEN, Clerk.

Public Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on section 25, Township of Excell, three miles east of Steiner, the following property, on

Tuesday, October 26, 1920

Sale Commences at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

- One grey horse 8 years old, wt. 1350
- One bay Belgian mare 8 years old, wt. 1400
- One bay horse 6 years old, wt. 1500
- One grey horse 5 years old, wt. 1500
- One black colt 1 year old
- One red cow now milking
- One Jersey cow, now milking
- Two calves 5 months old
- 30 chickens
- One 6-ft. McCormick binder, in good shape
- One 17 shoe drill
- One 4-horse drag
- One John Deere 13 in. gang plow
- One John Deere 18 in. walking plow
- One John Deere 14 in. breaking plow
- One McCormick 5-ft. mower
- One Deering 5-ft. mower
- One flax attachment
- One 10-ft. Deering hay rake
- One Hollingwatt 10-ft. hay rake
- One double box Moline wagon, wide tire
- One wide tire wagon
- One hay rack
- One bob sleigh
- Three sets of work harness
- One fanning mill
- One Golden Harvest cream separator
- One Batty organ
- Household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00 is to be paid in cash; on all sums over that amount, time will be given on bankable paper Due November 1st, 1921.

JOHN EASTHOUSE, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION

Having decided to retire and having rented the farm, I will offer at public sale the property listed below at my farm, the Northwest Quarter of Section 35, Township of Rocksbury; 3 miles Northwest of Hazel, 3 miles Northeast of St. Hilaire, and 6 miles South of Thief River Falls, on

Saturday, Oct. 9

Sale to begin at 10:00 O'clock sharp Free Lunch at Noon

HORSES
- One bay mare 10 years old, wt. 1400
- One black horse 10 years old, wt. 1400
- One black mare 9 years old, wt. 1300
- One sorrel horse 3 years old, wt. 1100
- One sorrel mare 3 years old, wt. 1100
- One white horse 13 years old, wt. 1200

GRADE SHORTHORN CATTLE
- One brown cow 8 years old, fresh in Nov.
- One brown cow 6 years old, fresh in Dec.
- One brown cow 5 years old, fresh in Dec.
- One red and white cow 5 years old, fresh in Dec.
- One brown cow 4 years old, fresh now
- One roan cow 4 years old, fresh in Oct.
- Three brown cows 3 years old fresh during winter
- Two heifers 1 year old
- One roan bull, 2 years old
- One John Deere 7-ft. cut binder
- One Van Brunt 17-disc drill
- One Van Brunt 20-disc drill
- One attachment for grass seed
- One John Deere manure spreader, 75 bushel.
- One Minnesota mower, 5-ft. cut
- One Mandt wide tire wagon, full size
- One Mandt wide tire wagon, 3-4 size
- One 2-in. tire wagon, full size
- Two sets bob sleighs
- One McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
- One 3-section Boss harrow
- One 4-section Boss harrow
- One inclosed jumper
- One DeLaval cream separator No. 15, nearly new
- Three sets heavy harness
- One single harness
- One set light harness
- One John Deere gang plow, 13 in.
- One John Deere sulky plow
- One breaking atachment
- One walking plow, 16-in.
- One brush-breaking plow, 14-in.
- One Concord buggy with top
- Two single buggies
- One tank heater
- One triple wagon box
- One single wagon box
- One John Deere riding cultivator
- One 1-horse cultivator
- One hay rack
- One cutter
- One iron barrel
- One Oakhome wood and coal heater
- Two bedsteads
- One couch
- One churn
- One iron chair
- Several pounds of leather
- 65 tons clover and timothy hay and some fodder corn in shock.

Also numerous other articles

TERMS:—All sums of $10 or under, cash; over that amount time will be given until November 1, 1921, on approved bankable paper.

A. A. Odegaard, Owner

PAUL BORGIE, Auct. CITIZEENS STATE BANK of Hazel, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following goods at my farm on the northwest quarter of Section 10, Town of Excel, 3½ miles north of Soo Round House, on

Friday, Oct. 15

Commencing at 12:00

- One bay horse 10 years old wt. 1400
- One grey horse 10 years old, wt. 1400
- One Poland China sow, 14 mos. old
- One Poland China boar, 14 mos. old
- One McCormick binder, 7-ft. cut
- One 6-ft. Deering mower
- One 5-ft. Minnesota mower
- One 12-ft. Deering hay rake
- One 18 ft. tractor double disc
- One 18 in. Emerson sulky plow
- One 14 in. Moline gang plow
- One 16 in. walking plow.
- One set bob sleighs, 8-ft. runners
- One wide tire wagon
- One wide tire, medium height wagon
- One good wagon box
- One cook stove
- One dresser
- Other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Bernt Johnson
Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Public Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Max Gehrts farm, on the northeast quarter of section 17, Township of Kratka, on

Thursday, Oct. 14

Sale Commences at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

HORSES
- One mare 8 years old, wt. 1400
- One mare 5 years old, wt. 1100
- One gelding 7 yrs old, wt. 1000

CATTLE
- One Guernsey cow 8 years old, now milking, to freshen in early spring
- Two Guernsey cows, 3 years old
- One Holstein cow 5 years old
- One Holstein cow 4 years old
- One Holstein cow 3 years old
- Two Shorhorn cows 6 years old
- Five heifers coming 3 years, to freshen in early winter
- Six yearling heifers
- Four heifer calves
- Two yearling steers
- Two steer calves
- One sow with 5 eight-week old pigs

POULTRY
- 24 Purebred White Leghorns
- 35 Turkeys
- 5 Guineas
- 20 Buff Orpingtons

MACHINERY
- One 8-ft. Minnesota binder
- One 20 shoe Monitor double disc drill
- One 6-ft. Milwaukee mower
- One 10-ft. hay rake
- One Sattley gang plow
- One 18-in. breaking plow
- One 8-ft. disc harrow
- One 5-section Boss harrow
- One 2-section iron drag
- One 2-horse riding cultivator
- One 3 1-3 in. Stoughton wagon with box
- One iron truck
- Two sets heavy sleighs
- Two jumpers
- One cutter
- One hay rack
- Three sets heavy work harness
- One 15-bbl. stock tank
- 35 rods hog wire
- One tank heater
- One grindstone
- One large Caldron kettle

MISCELLANEOUS
- One large fur robe
- 30 grain sacks
- About 100 bu. barley
- 300 bushels oats
- 15 tons tame hay
- 30 tons wild hay

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
- One chiffonier
- One Singer sewing machine
- One kitchen cabinet
- One kitchen cupboard
- One new washinig machine
- One No. 9 Universal range, good as new
- One heater for wood or coal
- One leather rocker
- One wooden rocker
- Two beds, complete
- One mantel clock
- Two cream cans, 5 and 8 gal.
- One linoleum, 7½x9
- Kitchen chairs, table, dishes and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch Served at Noon.

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00 is to be paid in cash; on all sums over that amount, time will be given on bankable paper due November 1st, 1921.

Mrs. Alfred Morin, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

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BEEF ON TOBOGGAN-PORK HOLDING WELL

Cattle Sell at Lowest Figure of Year at South St. Paul Stock Yards.

Union Stock Yards, South St. Paul, Oct. 4—As a result of steady declines the past two weeks, cattle values are at the low point of the year. Last week's trade was very unsatisfactory from the shipper's standpoint and little change was forecast for this week, owing to the liberal runs that are flooding the market. The market declined 50c to $1 on most butcher cattle and stockers and feeders were quoted at $1@2 off with trade at a standstill. Most steer trade stopped at $8 late in the week, though good grades would have sold higher. Cow trade ranged from $5 to $7, but a lot of stuff sold around the $6 mark. Canners and cutters cashed at $3.50 @ $4.50 with bull trade at $4.50 to $5.50. Vealers were steady at bargain prices. Dairy cow trade was limited and lower. Receipts at 46,848 were the largest of the season.

Hogs declined sharply the greater part of the week, but rallied Friday and closed around $1.25 lower for the period. Top was $15.25 with bulk of mixed loads at $14.75@15 and packers and throwouts at $11 to $14.25. Good stock pigs sold up to $14 and $14.15. Receipts were 28,305.

Top lambs fluctuated during the week but closed steady with top at $11.50 for natives and $12.50 for westerns. Ewes ranged from $2@5.75 for westerns with other grades unchanged. Receipts were 31,577.

Murder Suspect Pleads Guilty; Caught by LaBree

Andrew Koski, the man arrested by Sheriff W. J. LaBree of Pennington county near Warren a short time ago as a murder suspect, has pleaded guilty to the charge in district court at Duluth. He was accused of killing Jacob Carlson on June 15, 1929, and there was a reward of $500 offered by the state for his capture. This sum is now coming to Sheriff LaBree.

DR. SPOFFORD, Optometrist

at Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Oct. 19 (P. M. only.)

BIBLE CHAUTAUQUA

Scandinavians are Invited to hear the subject: "Modern Idolatry" at the Bible Chautauqua Hall west of Bottleson's durg store on Sunday evening, Oct. 10th at 7:30.

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500 young people to prepare for positions in Banks, Wholesale and R. R. offices, in law and real estate offices. Also as Auto and Tractor experts. Positions in Garages and Machine shops. Board and room $4.50 to $6 per week. Write Crookston College, J. C. Sathre, Pres., Crookston, Minn.

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VIOLIN LESSONS

After Sept 11, Mrs. Aug. Holmberg will be in the city for the winter and will take a few pupils for violin instruction.
102 E. Main. Tel. 1891

A FORTUNE

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Stensrud-Just.

Henry Stensrud and Nora Just, both Pennington county young people, were joined in matrimony last Saturday evening by Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant. Omer Anderson and Miss Sophia Swanson acted as witnesses. Mr. and Mrs. Stensrud are popular among a large number of acquaintances and start out upon their married life with numerous congratulations and good wishes.

Ryan-Thoreson.

Olaf H. Ryan of Thief River Falls and Olga Thoreson of Rosewood were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran church. Rev. George Larson officiated in the presence of C. M. Ryan a brother of the groom, and Alice Bugge.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to the kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our mother and grandmother.

THE W. A. BISHOP FAMILY.

Tuberculosis Tested.

I take this method of informing those who are using our milk that we have just had our herd tested for tuberculosis and it is found to be in perfect health.

o7p NOPER'S DAIRY.

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW

Intrinsic feeding value of course grains and the rather uncomfortable strong statistical position of wheat and rye has, during most of the week, apparently cooled the enthusiasm of sellers for deferred delivery. Deflation sentiment for the time being appeared thoroughly discounted, but a wave of price-cutting in all lines, and *a general lack of confidence in the* stability of values have forced the market into a condition very sensitive to depressive news.

Sellers confidently base their attitude on the assumption that the producer having been the first to reap the benefit of inflated prices growing out of war conditions, he will be the first to take losses incident with readjustment and that the necessity of liquidation will require reasonably prompt marketing. No doubt the theory is sound when applied to an extended period of time, but reduction to pre-war values in the space of two weeks is considered generally too precipitate to hold.

Although the downward readjustment idea is now dominant, actual conditions should not be taken entirely from view. Despite a bumper crop this year and a short production last year, carlot receipts of grain to this market are reported thus far totaling more than 6,000 less than the corresponding time a year ago. Barring the run of old corn the same conditions hold true relatively with all other markets.

In wheat especially the deflation theory is in sharp conflict with actual conditions and in course grains the bumper crops now assured are discounted about 50 per cent on the basis of prices obtaining only a short time ago. Is this sufficient?

It may be also considered that to meet the present tremendous short selling for December delivery and maintain depressed values there is required first, free selling on the part of the producer and, secondly, ideal transportation conditions, neither, of which are promising.

Many hold the belief that the producer will be slow to take severe losses. There is little probability of panicky liquidation from first hands and it may be expected that this position will be strengthened by more or less deficient transportation.

Private estimates now place the corn crop at 3,213,000,000 or 82 million more than the previous government report. September weather undoubtedly increased the yield of the standard grades. Oats are estimated at 1,526,000,000, or 278 million more than last year and 85 million greater than last month's government report. In spring wheat we see no reason to change our August 13 prediction of 225 million, which at the time was 37 million less than the government figures and is now 13 million under the last month's government report.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

The second national convention of the American Legion ended its three-day session at Cleveland, with the unanimous election of F. W. Galbraith, Jr., of Cincinnati as National Commander.

Mr. Galbraith received the required the majority of votes on the second ballot, his closest opponents being Hanford MacNider of Iowa and J. F. J. Herbert of Massachusetts. On motion of Mr. MacNider, seconded by Mr. Herbert, the election of Mr. Galbraith then was declared unanimous.

The man selected to succeed Franklin D'Olier of Pennsylvania and safeguard Legion destinies through 1921 commanded the 147th infantry thruout the war and won the Distinguished Service Cross, the Croix de Guerre and the Croix de Guerre with palm for heroism in the Meuse-Argonne offensive, in which he was wounded. His record includes that of both soldier and sailor, as he served as cockswain, third and second mate, respectively, aboard American sailing vessels following his graduation from the Nautical Training School, Boston, in 1893. He is 46 years old and since 1908 has been treasurer of a paper goods company in Cincinnati.

At the first state convention of the American Legion in Ohio, Mr. Galbraith was unanimously elected department commander. He also served as a member of the Legion's National Executive Committee. The convention elected the following vice commanders: John G. Emory, Grand Rapids, Mich.; E. J. Winslett, Sabeville, Ala.; Thos. J. Goldingay, Newark, N. J.; C. G. Pendill, Kenosha, Wis., and J. G. Scrugham, Reno, Nev. John W. Inzer of Montgomery, Ala., was chosen National Chaplain.

Outstanding features of the closing session included an emphatic stand for exclusion of Japanese immigrants and a decision to continue the policy of "strict neutrality" regarding political questions. A motion to modify the present political restriction clause of the national constitution was overwhelmingly defeated.

Early in the second day's session, the delegates registered an emphatic demand on Congress for enactment of the Legion's four-fold optional compensation bill as passed by the House and now pending in the Senate. A committee report recommending that the Legion give its unqualified approval to the measure, known as the Forney bill, and authorizing the National Executive Committee to take whatever action it deems necessary to bring about favorable action in the Senate, was adopted almost unanimously, delegates from South Carolina and Florida being the only ones to oppose it.

By a happy coincidence, just as the poppy had been adopted as the memorial flower of the Legion, Gen. Marie Emile Fayolle, representative *of the French government, entered* the hall arm in arm with Admiral Sir W. S. Grant of the Royal Navy of Great Britain, and Gen. Leonard Wood. Five minutes of cheering interrupted the meeting and Commander D'Olier declared the regular order of business temporarily suspended. Later brief addresses were delivered by each of the distinguished trio.

"As long as France and America remain united who indeed would dare henceforth to disturb the peace of the world," Gen. Fayolle asked in the course of his remarks. Referring to the statements of Gen. Fayolle and Admiral Grant, Gen. Wood said:

"As both of our distinguished visitors have said, the peace of the world and the happiness of mankind very largely depend upon keeping up that friendly spirit. Don't let any insidious distinctions creep in among us as to who won the war. We won it all together."

The convention reiterated the Legion's position of strict neutrality in all disputes between capital and labor. The delegates also reaffirmed the stand in favor of universal military training.

A parade of 20,000 ex-service men, witnessed by approximately 300,000 people, including more than 50,000 out of town visitors, marked the first day's proceedings of the conclave.

Led by National Commander D'Olier and more than 30 of the nation's foremost hero-winners of the Congressional Medal of Honor, the veterans covered a route through the heart of the city in a procession declared by Cleveland city officials to have surpassed any previous function in the history of the municipality. Cheering thousands along the line of march showed an enthusiasm such as the Legion had never evoked before and contrived to make the spectacle one of the biggest demonstrations of the kind ever held in America.

A reverent silence greeted the delegation from Washington state. Its members carried the American Legion flag that was fired on by radical anarchists at Centralia, last Armistice day, when four Legionnaires were shot to death.

The day started at Convention hall with the reading of greetings from President Wilson, Senator Harding, Goveronr Cox, Marshal Foch and other distinguished men. Marshal Foch expressed his regret at being unable to attend the convention, and said his heart was with the "former combatants of the glorious American Army at the moment of the second anniversary of the fighting they went through by the side of the Allies for the common cause of right and liberty."

Reviewing the Legion's phenomenal growth and other achievements during the past year, Commander D'Olier told the convention the organization's greatest single service to the nation was the virile stand it had taken for the maintenance of law and order.

"This stand," he said, "is the greatest possible insurance policy our country could possibly have and the only return the ex-service man expects is fair play from that government with which he has played so fair."

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.83
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.74
Oats	.40
Flax	2.51
Barley	.60
Rye	1.44
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	8.80
Bran	2.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.40
Corn and oat feed, 80-lb. bags	2.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.50
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.15
Geese, alive, per lb.	.19
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	20-24
Spring chickens	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.52
Dairy Butter	.55
Creamery butter	.60
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse hides	4.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.18
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.06
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows, per lb.	.05

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Monday, Oct. 11

COMMENCING AT 1:00 O'CLOCK

HORSES
- One bay mare 7 years old, wt. 1500
- One bay mare 9 years old, wt. 1400
- One brown mare 7 years old, wt. 1250

CATTLE
- One high grade Holstein cow 3 years old, fresh in Nov.
- One high grade Holstein heifer 9 mo. old
- One Hereford cow 4 years old, fresh in Dec.
- One red cow 7 years old, fresh in Jan.

MACHINERY
- One wide tire wagon with double box
- One hay rack
- One 16-in. breaking plow
- One narrow tire wagon and wagon box
- One set of three horse eveners
- One gang plow

MISCELLANEOUS
- Two Duroc Jersey brood sows
- Nine pigs, 9 weeks old
- Some chickens
- One 5-passenger Maxwell touring automobile, first class condition.
- One set heavy harness
- One set of light harness
- One Empire cream separator
- 47 rods of woven wire
- Some wood
- 15 tons of hay, more or less

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- One extension table
- One cook stove
- One pair bed springs
- One mattress
- One center table
- Five kitchen chairs
- One rocking chair
- One rug, 9x12
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DEATH RESULTS WHEN BACK IS BROKEN IN FALL

Hans Jacobson, Carpenter, Sustains Fatal Injuries When Scaffold Gives Way.

Hurt While at Work on F. E. Mousley Residence, on Monday Afternoon.

Resident of Thief River Falls For 14 Years—Leaves Wife and Children.

Hans Jacobson, carpenter, died Tuesday afternoon at the local hospital as the result of injuries received the day previous when he fell from a scaffold on the Mousley building at 109 Main avenue south. The man's back was broken in the fall and it was apparent from the beginning that he had very slight chances of recovery.

Mr. Jacobson was engaged in shingling the Mousley residence and was standing on a scaffold about twelve feet high when the structure collapsed. He struck the ground on his head and shoulders, and when picked up seemed to be badly dazed. A physician was at once called and the injured man removed to the hospital, where it was found that his back was broken.

Funeral Services Friday.

The funeral will be conducted on Friday afternoon from Trinity Lutheran church, with Rev. T. E. Sweger conducting the services. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery. Deceased is survived by a wife and eight children—one boy and seven girls—ranging in age from 16 years to a babe in arms. The family is left in poor financial circumstances and the death of the husband and father comes as a very severe blow to them. The only other relative is a brother who resides in Montana.

An Old Settler.

Mr. Jacobson had been a resident of Thief River Falls for 14 years and was known as an honest, industrious and hard-working man. He was born in Norway nearly 60 years ago and had lived in America 33 years. Before coming to Thief River Falls the family resided at Christine, N. D.

Since coming to Thief River Falls deceased had been employed at the carpenter trade most of the time and at the time of his death was a member of the local carpenter's union. He carried no life insurance nor accident insurance and it is understood his employer was not protected by compensation insurance. Whether or not legal action will be taken against the owner of the house where the accident occurred to force payment of damages is not known at this time. The scaffold is one which had been in use for a day or more previous to the accident and just what caused it to collapse is difficult to explain as no unusual weight had been thrown upon it.

NEW SEWER SYSTEM STARTED THIS WEEK

Contractors Have Crew of Men on Ground and Work Will Be Rushed.

Coolbaet Bros. & Irees of Marshall, who recently were awarded the contract for installing the storm sewer system in Thief River Falls in connection with the paving program, arrived on the scene this week with a crew of men and are ready to go to work in earnest. It is expected the entire sewer job can be completed this fall providing the weather remains favorable.

When the storm sewers are completed throughout the paving district only the curbs and gutters remain to be installed before actual paving of the streets may be started. It appeared likely for a time that this work also could be done this fall but recent developments have forced the contractors having this part of the work in charge to abandon operations until next spring. This will not delay paving at that time, however, as the crew doing the paving can follow up the curb crews very closely.

R. E. Borrowman of the Bradley Engineering Service, St. Cloud, engineers for the paving project, arrived on Tuesday and is personally seeing to it that the storm sewer crew gets the right kind of a start. He stated to a representative of The Times yesterday that the contractors intend to put on all the men they can secure in order to rush the job to completion as rapidly as possible.

CONVICTED SLAYER ENDS LIFE IN CELL

Andrew Koski, Facing Life Sentence, Takes Own Life By Hanging.

Andrew Koski, murderer wanted at Duluth and captured some weeks ago near Warren by Sheriff W. J. LaBree of Pennington county, committed suicide in his cell Tuesday morning by hanging himself from a bar with a pair of suspenders. Koski had recently been found guilty and was under life sentence for the murder of Jacob Carlson, a farmer near Markham, Minn., on June 15, 1919.

Koski left a note explaining his act. In it he said he was not "crazy," knew what he was doing and was aware that it was wrong, but that he was better off dead than in prison for the rest of his life. The note follows: "Common belief is that if a human being ends his own life himself people believe that he is crazy, or a mad man, or is not himself, or not in clear mind. But I say I am myself when I do this. I know it is wrong but I can't help it. Better dead than life in prison. World does better without me. Best wishes to all."

Koski, with one William Kumpula, who is now serving a life term at Stillwater, walked into the Carlson store at Markham, and, after robbing the proprietor, shot and killed him. Kumpula was arrested a few months later and was tried and convicted. Koski made his escape and was captured a few weeks ago by Sheriff LaBree, as stated above. He was tried and convicted of complicity in the crime at the present term of court in Virginia. On Sept. 28 he was sentenced to life imprisonment. With the exception of a half-brother residing in Duluth the dead man's relatives all live in Finland.

SPECIAL COURSE IS OPEN TO FARM BOY

May Put in Six Months Studying Mechanics and Farming at High School.

Beginning next Monday morning a six months course in agriculture and mechanics will be inaugurated for farm boys at Lincoln high school. Half of the time will be given over to agricultural instruction along the lines laid down under the Smith-Hughes law and the other half to the study of general mechanics and English. M. A. Schmitt and A. W. Pope will have charge of the mechanical instruction while the agricultural work will be under the supervision of F. A. Tripp.

In the mechanical division the study of automobile and tractor engineering will be offered. The work in Field Crops and Soils will include a study of the diseases of plants and crops, potato selection, seed testing and other matters of special value to the farmer. Farm arithmetic and accounting and the keeping of accounts pertaining to all things produced on the farm will be another important feature.

The high school at Thief River Falls is the only one in Northwestern Minnesota receiving federal aid at the present time and work done here is credited to those who may wish to continue their studies at the Northwestern School of Agriculture. Any boy over 14 years of age may join these classes without his having passed through the eighth grade.

This furnishes an unusual opportunity for those who wish to apply a part of their time to the study of scientific farming or mechanical work. Those wishing to enter should apply to F. A. Tripp, room 2, Lincoln high school building.

Mrs. Bishop is Confident Of Republican Success

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, vice chairman of the Minnesota League of Republican Women, came up from the organization's headquarters at St. Paul yesterday morning for the purpose of spending a couple of days in the city. On Friday Mrs. Bishop goes to Crookston to attend a meeting of the Ninth district women. She says that in her opinion there is no doubt of the success of the Republican ticket either in state or nation, everything pointing to a landslide for the G. O. P. candidates.

FIRST NATIONAL TO SPONSOR CALF SHOW

Liberal Premiums Offered to Winners in Popular Contest November 5.

The First National bank dairy calf contest, promoted by C. L. Hansen in co-operation with the Pennington County Farm Bureau, will be held in Thief River Falls on Friday, Nov. 5. Some of the finest calves in the Northwest will be exhibited at this show and it will be to the interest of all dairymen as well as club members to be in attendance at that time.

Mr. Hansen will give a luncheon at the Evelyn hotel to all club members. He also will donate $50 to be used as premium money, the number and size of the premiums to be announced at a later date. Mr. Hansen is much interested in improving the dairy stock of this section, which he gives as the reason for his liberal offer to club members. He is also working along the line of better feeding and is encouraging all dairymen to erect silos. To make this possible Mr. Hansen's bank is loaning the money to defray the cost of the silo for one year free of charge.

All club members who exhibited at the county fair and others who have enrolled but did not exhibit should fit their animals in the best possible way for Nov. 5. The five best calves exhibited at this show will be sent to Crookston Nov. 12 and 13, with all expenses paid for the members as well as the expense of their calves. The two best from each county will then be sent to the state show at St. Paul on Nov. 17, 18 and 19. This is an opportunity for club members to work for a free trip to the state contest, where much valuable experience will be obtained.

FOUR-DAY FAIR IS DECIDED ON FOR NEXT YEAR

Greater Part of First Week in August Will Be Taken Up by Big Show.

Salaries Voted For All Officials, the Treasurer Alone Being Overlooked.

Postpone Action on Proposition to Have Directors Select the Secretary.

There will be four days of the Pennington county fair next year instead of three as has heretofore been the custom. At a meeting of stockholders held at the commercial club rooms on Friday evening this decision was reached after a short discussion.

The fair has grown in importance to such an extent of late years that the three days deemed ample when *the organization was formed no long*er provides sufficient time in which to put on the exhibit to the best advantage. There was practically no opposition to the change being made. Fair dates were set for the last four days of the first week in August.

Officer's Salaries Fixed.

The stockholders proved to be in a very liberal mood, doubtless made so by the highly satisfactory financial report submitted by the officers. When the question of fixing the salary of Secretary G. Howard Smith for the past year came up he announced that it had been agreed between the directors that the $300 heretofore paid was inadequate. A number of those present did not subscribe to this view and N. W. Tarrant, who himself served the association as secretary for one year, moved that Mr. Smith be paid the customary amount. This motion was lost. H. A. Brumund moved that the sum be increased to $500 and this was carried.

Johnson is Sarcastic.

It was then suggested that the president and vice presidents also were entitled to some consideration in the way of salary and a discussion followed. Two hundred dollars per year was mentioned as about the right amount and First Vice President Albert Johnson sarcastically suggested that it might be a good idea to hereafter divide among the officers any surplus in the treasury. President Herbert Fuller stated that so far as he was aware no president of the association had ever asked that he be paid and was absolutely certain that while he held the office no such demand would be made. Vice President Beerbower threatened to return any salary voted for his services. The motion was passed, however, and the salaries fixed.

L. A. Lampert was elected treasurer but in his case the salary attachment was left out—probably through an oversight.

Capital Stock Increase.

A motion by Mr. Lampert increasing the capital stock of the association from $10,000 to $20,000 and permitting an indebtedness liability of $10,000 instead of $5,000, was referred to a committee as was also the proposition that hereafter the selection of a secretary be left to the board of directors instead of stockholders. President Fuller named as such committe: P. W. Mabey, O. A. Naplin, John Bratrud, N. W. Tarrant, and W. J. LaBree.

An adjournment was taken to Friday, Oct. 22.

Local Banker Goes East To Investigate Conditions

President C. L. Hansen of the First National bank left last evening for Washington and New York city on business. Mr. Hansen stated before leaving that his principal reason for going was to make a first hand investigation of financial conditions. Interest rates at the present time are so high as to prove a severe burden on mercantile and farming enterprise, he said, and he was in hopes of discovering something that would promise relief in the near future.

STEENERSON SPEAKS HERE ON WEDNESCAY

Present Day Political Issues to Be Discussed By Ninth District Congressman.

One of the important political meetings scheduled for Thief River Falls in the interval from now until election is to be held at the auditorium next Wednesday evening. Congressman Halvor Steenerson will deliver the principal address at this meeting and his talk will make it worth while for all voters, both men and women, to be present.

This will be Mr. Steenerson's first address in the city since early in the war. The congressman has always been greeted by large audiences whenever he has appeared here and next Wednesday evening should be no exception. There is much interest in the outcome of the congressional campaign and voters will be eager to hear issues discussed from the standpoint of the present incumbent. In past years the fight in this district has been confined to two men but this year it is a three-cornered scrap through the entry of a Democrat into the race. Just what effect the candidacy of the Democrat will have upon the result is highly problematical, and whether it will injure the chances of the present congressman remains to be seen.

All who are interested in the political situation—and everybody should be—are urged to turn out next Wednesday evening and hear what Hon. Steenerson has to say.

LOCAL COW WINS THIRD

A message from those in charge of F. B. Conklin's Guernsey cow, Ciff, which for the past week has been on exhibition at the Dairy Cattle Congress, Waterloo, Ia., conveys the information that the Pennington county cow was awarded third place in competition which embraced entries from all parts of the nation. No further details are given in the message, but it is known for certain that Ciff had competition which makes even a third prize highly satisfactory. From Waterloo, Mr. Conklin's Guernsey will be taken to the National Dairy Show at Chicago.

IN POOR HEALTH, GOODRIDGE MAN TAKES OWN LIFE

J. P. Ferdinandson Leaves Note Saying He Dreaded Becoming Burden.

Found Hanging From Beam in Winton-Nichols Warehouse Last Friday Morning.

Was Father of Eleven, Nearly All of Whom Are Grown Up—Buried Here.

J. P. Ferdinandson, 57 years of age, manager of the Winton-Nichols company's lumber yard at Goodridge, committed suicide by hanging in the warehouse of his employers last Friday morning. The funeral was held yesterday forenoon, interment being in Greenwood cemetery in this city.

Ferdinandson left the house in the morning apparently in his usual condition, according to members of the family. He had been in poor health for more than a year and at times was inclined to be despondent over his inability to improve. Near the noon hour a son was sent to the warehouse for some purpose and came upon the body of his father hanging from a beam. He had thrown the rope over the support, climbed upon a pile of windows leaning against the wall and jumped off. When found one of his feet was barely touching the floor.

Leaves Large Family.

Ferdinandson was the father of 13 children, 11 of whom, together with the wife, survive him. The children are nearly all grown up and a number are residents of distant parts.

Ferdinandson had resided in Goodridge for about five years, being previously employed at the saw mill in this city. He was a man highly regarded by his employers and neighbors, all of whom sympthize deeply with the family in their sorrow.

PIONEER KILLED IN RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

Henry Norland, Well Known Here, Meets Death When Team Becomes Unmanageable.

One of the pioneers of Northwestern Minnesota passed away last week when Henry Norland was killed in a runaway accident near Rainy River. Mr. Nordlund had been at work clearing on his son's homestead and was on his way home when he met his death.

Deceased was one of the early settlers of this section of the state. He was general foreman for the Crookston Lumber company and was with the Shevlin companies for years, during which time he constructed three large mills for the latter company. He also constructed the large dam in Red Lake river near St. Hilaire and was one of the foremen on construction of the first paper mill at International Falls as well as on the Shevlin-Clarke mills at Fort Frances.

Mr. Norland served two terms as county commissioner of Polk county. When Red Lake county was set off from Polk Mr. Norland became the first sheriff of the county and served for two terms. He took a homestead in the Rainy River district in 1901 and lived there until he moved to Spooner in 1906. Since 1910 the family has lived on the Canadian side near Pinewood.

Senator Naplin to Speak On Issues of Campaign

Senator O. A. Naplin will speak on state issues at the school house in District 94, six miles west of St. Hilaire, Sunday, Oct. 17, at 2:30 p. m. The women voters are especially invited to be present as the meeting has been arranged by the Women's Nonpartisan club of Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Satre, who had spent a brief period visiting with friends at Minneapolis, returned to their home at Roseau Monday morning.

HODGSON TALKS TO GOOD CROWD ON LIVE ISSUES

Democratic Candidate For Governor Makes Decidedly Favorable Impression Here.

Is in Favor of Adopting a Sensible and Reasonable Tonnage Tax Measure.

Mrs. H. A. Patterson Appeals to Women to Equip Selves For Their New Duties.

Laurence C. Hodgson, mayor of St. Paul, may not be elected governor of Minnesota on the second of November, but he convinced a large audience in this city Monday evening that a far greater mistake could easily be made. He is a captivating speaker and held his hearers at the auditorium interested to the very end of his discourse. State issues formed the principal subject for his remarks, but he also touched upon the national situation and the questions to be decided by the voters in the larger field.

Mr. Hodgson's speech was more along broad humanitarian lines than the general run of campaign addresses. He was sufficiently specific when discussing the prominent issues confronting the people at this time, but every now and then he would take his hearers on an excursion into fields having little to do with politics and prove that for all his hard-headed reasoning along these lines there is in his composition considerable of the poet and dreamer.

Favors Tonnage Tax.

Mr. Hodgson favors a tax on iron ore, but it is a somewhat different tax from that ordinarily advocated. He stated that the bill vetoed by Gov. Johnson was a very unsatisfactory measure and that it would never have stood the test of courts. He believes, however, that the iron mine owners should be forced to pay their just share of taxes and advocated the passage of a law providing for a levy on profits. All costs in any way connected with the production of iron ore should first be deducted from its total value, he said, and a tax collected on the profits. In this manner the owners of these profits, residing for the most part in Pittsburgh, New York and Chicago, would be forced to return to the state their just share of what has been taken out.

Square Deal For All.

Farmers of Minnesota must be given an opportunity to find a greater return for their investment of time and labor, said Mr. Hodgson. Too much is lost between the producer and consumer and systems must be devised that will provide more adequate return for the one and a lower ultimate cost for the other.

The speaker made a strong plea for more advance child welfare laws and also more stringent regulations against child labor. He said the people themselves were the state and not a few men elected to interpret and enforce the laws. Consequently the most important task confronting civilization at this time is the enactment of laws that will make people better and happier. The widows' pension bill is one of the measures in which he has deeply interested himself and pledged his continued support to that measure.

A better system of inculcating Americanism in our foreign population is one of the greatest needs at this time, said the speaker, and we are more vitally interested in the carrying out of this particular mission than in the outcome of the experiment now being tried out in Russia.

Favors League of Nations.

A discussion of the League of Nations was not possible in the time allotted to him, said Mr. Hodgson, and he referred to it but briefly. The claim that American boys would be sent across the sea to fight to uphold the contention of some other nation is, however, so palpably erroneous that it is strange any credence has been given it among thinking people, said Mr. Hodgson. He explained away the assertion that the United States would have but one vote where England has six, showing that each of the major countries signing the pact would have the same representation.

Appeals to Women.

Mrs. H. A. Patterson of Mankato, who preceded Mayor Hodgson, spoke to the women in the audience, urging them to give serious thought to the new duties confronting the sex now that the ballot has been won. She asked them to consider every phase of the questions now before the people as well as the records of men asking for their suffrages. She paid a fine tribute to the record of Governor Cox and held him up as a splendid example of progressive statesman. The greater part of her remarks, however, were devoid of party suggestion and were aimed at arousing in the women who heard her a desire to participate in the affairs of the country intelligently and patriotically.

Dr. G. A. Penney, who acted as chairman of the meeting, in introducing Mayor Hodgson, said that the Democrats refused to be led astray as they were two years ago and would stick to their own candidates, be the result what it would.

About 20 men and women prominent in local Democratic circles occupied the stage.

World's Series Games.

The Times, as usual, furnished dope on the world's series baseball games by telegraph and the result of each game was flashed on a bulletin board by innings. This service was greatly appreciated by the baseball fans of Thief River Falls, of whom there are a considerable number.

Another Fine Rain.

Summer weather still prevails in Northwestern Minnesota and on Tuesday this section was favored with a gentle, warm rain. The extra moisture is of great assistance to farmers who are doing their fall plowing and also increased materially the visible supply of soft water in cisterns.

American Legion Dance.

Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion will be hosts this evening at a public dance to be given at the auditorium, Thief River Falls. Good music has been secured and everybody is invited to turn out and have a good time.

LOCAL BANKS PAY SOLDIER BONUSES

Will Advance Money at Once, Charging Nothing For the Accommodation.

Through the efforts of the local post of the American Legion, Pennington county returned service men will now be enabled to secure their bonus money from the state without any difficulty. Post officers have been informed by all bankers in the city that the latter stand willing to do anything in their power to help the men realize on their claims as early as possible. They therefore announce that they will pay the bonuses properly certified to, charging for the service $3.75 for each hundred dollars. This sum represents no profit to the bank as none of the bonds sold to raise the money is kept by them. These are again turned over to large buyers in the East who at the present time are not anxious to accumulate five per cent paper, even though it is backed by the state of Minnesota.

The proposition is open to all ex-service men in the county and the necessary blanks are obtainable from G. Howard Smith. Relatives and friends of soldiers or sailors who have left the county may secure blanks for the absentees by applying to Mr. Smith. They are requested to bring the applicant's bonus number when applying.

It is estimated that a total of $45,000 will be paid out in Pennington county for war bonuses. The state cannot take up all the claims at once and it may be some time before all are satisfied. In the meantime the interest received on the amount realized by taking advantage of the banks' offer will be greater than the discount asked by the banks for securing the money at once. There is no interest on delayed claims so the men will gain nothing by allowing the money coming to them to remain in the hands of the state.

This action is taken by the banks solely in the interest of the ex-service men. As a business proposition there is nothing about the proceeding that appeals very strongly to the financial man.

EDUCATORS TO HOLD MEETING NEXT WEEK

Busy Sessions to Be Held at Warren For Three Consecutive Days.

The teachers of Northwestern Minnesota will [illegible] at Warren on Oct. 21, 22 and [illegible] the annual sessions of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association. Teachers' conventions assume an unusual importance this year. Educational ideas are changing very rapidly, the gist of change being the desire to make schools more practical. The convention at Warren will therefore be of unusual importance. A big attendance is planned for.

Some of the principal speakers will be Attorney Albert B. Chalkfield of Duluth, who has an extensive experience in Americanization work and who will use as his subject, "Americanization as a Process of Reciprocal Adjustment and the Role That the American Educator Plays in This Process." Dr. Everett Lesher of Minneapolis will speak on "The Heritage of the Pilgrim Fathers." The Pilgrims landed in America three hundred years ago and this will be a very timely topic. President O. M. Dickerson of the Moorhead Normal school will speak on Thur[illegible] afternoon.

The program will be full of very interesting things and this year's convention of the N. W. M. E. A. promises to be a hummer. Supt. W. A. Ziegler of the Thief River Falls schools is secretary-treasurer of the association.

Farmer Sells For $11,[illegible]90; Started Out With Nothing

Henry Nygaard and family leave Thief River Falls today for Richville, where Mr. Nygaard will go into the garage business, and with them goes $11,000, the proceeds of a sale of the family homestead near Grygla. Mr. Nygaard moved into that section eighteen years ago, his sole possessions at the time being one horse and two cows. He worked intelligently and improved his holdings until they were worth the above amount to some other man. Henry has done

EXPLAINS FULLY STATE PROGRAM FOR GOOD ROADS

Senator P. H. McGarry and Fred D. Sherman Hold Two Meetings in County.

Amendment No. 1 Provides Most Equitable Plan For Permanent Relief.

City Auto Owners Favorable Though They Part Greater Part of Cost.

Wet weather and heavy roads kept many people living in the country away from the good roads meeting held at the auditorium on Tuesday evening. The audience greatly appreciated the explanation of the purposes of the Babcock law, known as Amendment No. 1, given by Senator P. H. McGarry of Walker, father of the law, and Fred D. Sherman, former emmigration commissioner of the state. Mayor John Bratrud, who presided, said in introducing the speakers, that the message they had for the people was of greater importance than any other matter coming before the voters of this state at the next election.

Senator McGarry stated that the evident intention of the first road laws enacted in this state was to make the farming population stand all the cost of their construction. Under the constitution at this time it is almost impossible to get any road measure through unless its purpose is camouflaged. We can raise in the neighborhood of eight million dollars per year for roads under our present laws, but as matters now stand almost the entire amount will fall on the farmer and home owner.

Purpose of Amendment.

Amendment No. 1 would remove this danger from the small property owner and distribute the cost of road building among the owners of motor vehicles by the application of a tax graduated according to the horsepower of the vehicle employed. The average of such tax has been placed at approximately $18.

There are at the present time 320,000 motor vehicles in Minnesota and this will be increased by about 60,000 during the present year. This will provide about $7,200,000 for roads. Besides there will be the federal aid due the state and this will bring the total amount up to $10,000,000. No greater sum than this can possibly be expended in any one year, said Senator McGarry.

Laterals Will be Benefited.

It will be possible, said the speaker, to hand back to the counties all the moneys raised under the Dunn one mill tax in a short time and this money can then be employed in the construction and maintenance of the lateral roads. As the matter now stands all taxes collected under the Dunn law are applied to state roads, leaving counties and townships to maintain all side lines.

Bring in Settlers.

Mr. Sherman spoke briefly, his remarks being designed to call attention to the value of good roads as an advertising feature in securing settlers. The first thing any person looking for a place to locate wants to know is the condition of the roads in the neighborhood. With the program outlined for Minnesota the state could offer inducements such as are held out by no other state. Adoption of the amendment will mean an advance in farm values all over the state and the rapid development of the present waste places.

At the close of the addresses a number of questions were asked by those in the audience, Senator McGary explaining the points that have been obscure or misunderstood.

Meeting at Goodridge.

On Wednesday evening a rousing meeting was held at Goodridge. The school children formed a procession and at the head of an improvised band marched to the hall. Farmers from the eastern section of the county were present in large numbers and gave every indication of being enthusiastically in favor of the proposed plan.

The visit of Senator McGarry and Mr. Sherman has given Amendment No. 1 a decided boost in this section and it is perdicted that there will be a good majority for its adoption on Nov. 2.

Fifty Fine Lots to Be Sold at Auction Monday.

An unusual sale will take place on Saturday when the United States Real Estate and Development company, will dispose of 50 choice building lots in this city at public auction. The property to be sold was until recently owned by Olaf Tessum and is located on the Jefferson highway just north of the fair grounds. The plot has been surveyed, platted and divided into choice residence lots. Every lot will be sold and nothing held in reserve. There will be music by the band during the afternoon and one lot will be given away free during the sale.

This will afford an excellent opportunity for any person who wishes to secure a building lot either as a home site or an investment to secure same at his own price. There is considerable interest in the matter and a good crowd will no doubt be on hand.

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City News

G. L. Leisner of Steiner, was in this city Saturday attending to business matters.

Mrs. F. W. Dammen of St. Hilaire spent Saturday in this city attending to shopping.

Miss Musetta Miller and mother of Red Lake Falls, were Thursday shoppers here.

Pat Roark spent the first of the week at Pine River attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Abbott of Grygla visited with friends in this city the first of the week.

H. Y. Cohn of Minneapolis was the guest of his brother, L. L. Cohn, the first of the week.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson returned on Tuesday evening from Warren, where she had spent the day.

Miss Isabelle Isaacson is spending the week in Minneapolis visiting with friends and relatives.

J. H. Johnson arrived here Monday evening from his home at Tenstrike for a visit with friends.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero left Tuesday for Minneapolis to spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. N. K. Harris left Thursday evening for Grand Forks to attend the funeral services of a relative.

Geo. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, was a business caller at Warren on Thursday.

Miss Mary Jevne returned to her home at Strathcona yesterday after receiving medical treatment here.

Miss Ruby Swan returned to her home at Holt yesterday morning after a brief visit with friends here.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left Tuesday evening to attend a conference of the pastors of the Presbyterian church.

A. R. Boyce and three children left Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls for a brief visit with relatives.

Mrs. T. Steigen, who spent a few days here with friends, returned to her home at Steiner Monday morning.

Miss Julia Metvedt, who is employed in this city, left Friday morning for Greenbush to visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Torgerson of Clearbrook were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thoreson in this city the first of this week.

Miss Alto Helland of Gonvick visited with her friend, Miss Gladys Anderson over Sunday.

Miss Alice Thompson, who teaches school at Hazel was an over Sunday guest at her home here.

Mrs. Ato Robinson of Minneapolis arrived here Monday evening to attend the funeral of a relative.

Eli Weston, who is a student at the University of Grand Forks, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh over Sunday.

Mrs. P. J. Keating returned Wednesday evening from a two weeks' visit with friends at Cass Lake and Chisholm.

Mrs. Anna Koelln of Dent, arrived here Saturday evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Burggraf.

Mrs. S. Warring and son, Willis, of Steiner, were in this city on Friday attending to shopping and visiting friends.

Miss Freda Lloyd motored here on Saturday from her home in Grygla, to engage in shopping and also visit with friends.

Capt. Florence Petra left Friday afternoon for Jamestown, N. D., where she will engage in Salvation Army work.

Mrs. E. B. Spjut and daughter, who have been visiting friends here, returned to their home at Strathcona last Saturday.

A. Ganderson, who is employed at Plummer, came down from that place on Saturday evening to spend Sunday with his family.

Olaf Ryan of Erskine spent the week-end as the guest of friends here. He returned to his home on Sunday evening.

Earnest and Al Fossum returned Sunday evening from Newfolden where they had spent the day visiting with relatives.

Be your own master, but as a starter you should take a course in the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. o14

Mrs. Aug. Soderberg left Thursday evening for Colorado Springs to visit her daughters, Misses Doris and Gertrude Soderberg.

Miss Myrtle Bundy, who is attending business college in Fargo, arrived home the first of the week for a brief visit.

Rev. Geo. Larson left Monday evening for Minneapolis where he will attend a conference of the Lutheran Free church.

Mrs. Roy Morgan returned Wednesday morning from a three week's visit at Neenah, Kenosha and Milwaukee, Wis.

Mrs. D. J. Aadland of Oslo arrived Tuesday evening to spend a few days as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sterling left Thursday evening for Bemidji on a brief wedding trip. They will reside at Kelliher.

A. F. LaBudde, accompanied by Miss Olga Nettum, both of Gonvick, motored here on Sunday for a visit with friends.

Miss Evelyn Thoreson, who had been visiting with relatives at Clearbrook, returned to her home here on Monday evening.

Misses Mable McGinnity and Ida Steenerson, who are teaching school at Brooks, were guests of their parents over Sunday.

Mrs. E. Tanem returned to her home at Swift Current, Sask., Thursday evening after visiting for some time in this vicinity.

Miss Grace Wilson, stenographer for the Hanson & Barzen Milling company, is spending the week in Minneapolis with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sudmeier returned to their home at Minneapolis Thursday evening after spending a couple of days here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Provencher, who spent a week visitinig friends in the twin cities, returned to their home here Friday morning.

Mrs. John Anderson of Fordville, N. D., arrived here Monday evening for a two weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melby.

Ed. Larson returned to his home in Grand Forks on Monday afternoon having spent a week as the guest of his sister, Mrs. O. C. Sandberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ptacek of Mavie left this city Thursday evening for Cleme, Ia., where they will spend three weeks visiting with relatives.

Miss Christine Newton left Sunday evening for Bemidji where she is engaged in teaching school. She had spent the week-end at her home here.

Rev. I. T. Austad of Detroit, formerly of this city, visited with friends here the latter part of last week. He returned to his home Saturday evening.

Chas. Fiterman, manager of the Thief River Falls Hide and Fur company, went to Minneapolis on Thursday evening to attend to business matters.

Mrs. P. Hanson arrived here Monday afternoon from Holt to receive medical attention. While here she will be a guest at the home of Mrs. A. Rieberg.

Leland Schacter, who is taking his Freshman year at the University of North Dakota, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schacter.

Mrs. D. Iverson and two children returned to their home at Badger on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks with the former's daughter, Mrs. C. Pope.

Mrs. Anna Blacki arrived here on Monday evening from Fordville, N. D., and will spend a few days as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek.

Miss Amy Krohn passed the first of the week as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ed. Krohn, who resides at Viking. She returned to her home here Tuesday evening.

Mrs. F. C. Hunt of Red Lake Falls arrived yesterday morning to spend a few days attending to shopping. While here she will be the guest of Miss Amy Krohn.

Mrs. Jos. Salley returned to her home at Red Lake Falls on Friday afternoon having spent a few days here as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gilmore of Devils Lake were guests of friends here the latter part of last week enroute to Minneapolis where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Morgan motored to this city on Tuesday from their home at Grand Forks. Mr. Morgan is in the real estate business in the above named place.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hinrichs of Waterloo, Iowa, arrived the first of the week and will spend a few days visiting at the home of the former's brother, E. L. Hinrichs.

Mrs. J. A. Hilden came down from Oslo on Tuesday evening to take advantage of the big sales. While in the city she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. G. Larson.

Miss Jessie Barnett, who underwent an operation for appendicitis Wednesday morning, is getting along very nicely, a fact which her many friends will be glad to learn.

Miss LaVida Hilson, who is employed at Seattle, Wash., arrived here the latter part of last week for a two weeks' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hilson.

Miss Morrie Monson of Randeen, who had been visiting with relatives at Holt, returned to that place Friday after spending a couple of days here receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. C. Bean left Monday evening for Gilbert, this state, where her husband preceded her a week ago, having accepted a position as foreman of a garage at that place.

Mrs. J. Jackson of Stephen was the guest of friends here between trains on Thursday evening. She left on the flyer for Plummer where she will spend a brief period with friends.

Mrs. A. Dikken and baby left last Thursday morning for Roseau where they will remain during the absence of her husband at St. Cloud, where he will be employed for a few months.

Miss Clara Sorenson passed the week-end as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson. She returned to Rosewood, on Monday morning to resume her school duties.

Miss Anna Brekke, who is employed as clerk at the local post office, returned Monday morning via the Great Northern from Minneapolis where she spent the week-end.

Miss Mabel Knutson, who had been visiting with friends at Gary, arrived Tuesday evening and was the guest of friends until the following morning, when she returned to her home at Holt.

Miss Gallager who is employed at Cass Lake was the week-end guest of her friend, Miss Grace Iverson, instructor in the local high school. She returned to Cass Lake on Monday morning.

Mrs. C. Storholm left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit with relatives for a few days. Mrs. Storholm will make her home with the family of her son, Chris Storholm, this winter.

Mrs. Ed. Gahloon arrived here Monday evening from Alexandria to spend a few days visiting with friends here and at St. Hilaire. While in the latter place she will be the guest of Mrs. Chas. Johnson.

Mrs. O. Olen of Bellingham is visiting with friends here this week. The Olen family moved to the above named place last spring, having resided here for a number of years previous to their removal.

Mrs. Ed. Severson of Greenbush arrived here the first of the week to see her father, E. F. Rownd, who is ill at the Physicians hospital. Her sister, Mrs. J. M. Heinzman from Montana, is also here.

Mrs. E. F. Ohm and sister, Mrs. J. Sheggerud left Saturday evening for Minneapolis on a shopping expedition. While in the twin cities they will be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Storholm.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son, Raymond, Jr., arrived Tuesday evening from Oslo to spend a few days shopping and also to visit the former's sister, Mrs. F. H. Herrick, and her mother, Mrs. Anna Watson.

Miss Elsie Koglin of Steiner was a guest of her sisters, Misses Olga and Linda, who attend high school here, on Thursday, between trains. She left for Anderson, Ind., in the evening to attend Bible school.

Mrs. Robert Jarvis who visited with relatives at Erie for a couple of weeks, spent Thursday in this city as the guest of Mrs. J. O. Sether. She left the following morning for her home in British Columbia.

Miss Freda Tyson, who is employed at Radium, spent Sunday visiting with her friend, Miss Gladys Eastman. She left on Monday morning for her home at Middle River where she will visit at her parental home for a week.

Mrs. A. J. Harder, who had spent some time visiting with relatives and friends at Esplee, spent Thursday as the guest of Mrs. Ben Kruse, in this city. She left on the flyer in the evening for her home at Rosville, Cal.

Mrs. L. C. Plymier of Greenbush returned to her home Monday morning after spending Sunday with her daughter, Miss Clarice, who had been confined at the local hospital. The latter returned home with her mother.

Mrs. J. A. Radschweit, who had spent some time visiting with relatives and friends in various places in South Dakota, returned here on Thursday evening and was the guest of friends between trains enroute to her home at Karlstad.

James Dreelan and H. O. Anderson of Wylie, Minn., took all first prizes and Grand Championship prizes on Poland China boars and sows. The pigs of this herd will be sold at the Purebred Hog Sale to be held at Red Lake Falls Oct. 22d. o14p

Mrs. Mallory and two grandsons, Gerald and Frederick Fisher, left Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks, where the two boys will remain with their grandmother until Mrs. Fisher has fully recovered from the effects of her recent operation for appendicitis.

D. B. Nunde of Fort Wayne, Ind., vice president of the Lincoln Life Insurance company and W. W. Scott, assistant secretary from the Northwestern office, were guests of E. M. Bennes last week and together with Mr. Bennes made a trip over his territory. They left for Minneapolis very favorably impressed with the country in general.

C. E. Williams and daughter, Mrs. N. K. Anderson of Rollis, motored here on Wednesday to meet the latter's husband, who came on the Wheatline. They spent a short time visiting friends. Mr. Williams continued to Grand Forks for a week-end visit with his wife who was formerly Miss Annie Shelland, who is prominent in state rural school work in this state.

Misses Emy Claus and Edith Twilliger, who spent a couple of weeks as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ward, resumed their hike Monday morning for the western coast. The young ladies started out on the morning of July 22 from their homes in New York City, and contemplate eating Christmas dinner in San Francisco. From here they journey to Crookston and will continue south until they reach Kansas City, where they will make a brief visit with a brother of Miss Twilliger.

Churches

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 17, German services at 10 a. m. and English services at 3 p. m. at Germantown. Business meeting after the forenoon services. Sunday, Oct. 24, English services with celebration of Holy Communion at Erie at 10 a. m. German services at 2:30 p. m. at Goodridge. Business meeting of the members of the entire parish after these services. English services at Goodridge at 8 p. m. Sunday, Oct. 31: Services as usual at Esplee and Grygla—Grygla at 10 a. m. and Esplee at 3 p. m. Holy Communion will be celebrated at both places.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services (city) 11 a. m. Service at Rosewood at 2:30. Services (city) at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Mrs. Vistven and Mrs. Stene will entertain the Zion Ladies Aid Thursday, Oct. 21st at 2 p. m. Mrs. Bert Berg and Mrs. Ole Bevdahl will entertain the Zion Young Peoples society Thursday evening at 8:30. Rindals Young Peoples meeting at Rindal church, Rosewood, Saturday evening. Confirmants on Saturday afternoon.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 17 10 a. m. Sunday school. Bible class for adults, 11 a. m. Morning worship, number six in New Views of the Christ. Theme: "Who Forgiveth All Thine Iniquities." Evening worship at 8 p. m. "Voices of the Night." Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. Senior C. E. at 7 p. m. The Ladies' Aid society is entertained this week on Friday afternoon by Mrs. Earl DeVelling, 923 State Ave. N.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swegen, Pastor—No services as pastor will be at St. Hilaire to deliver a sermon at the Mission festival. Sunday school and Bible class, 9:30 a. m.

Ladies' Aid and Young Peoples society Thursday. Choir rehearsal at 7:30 Thursday evening. Confirmation class meets in church basement Saturday at 10 o'clock.

Christian Science Society—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Doctrine of Atonement." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Communion immediately after morning service. Evening worship at 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m.

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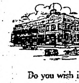

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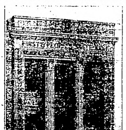

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Fancy Toilet soap, a bar	8c	Round steak, a pound	23c
XXXX Coffee, a pound	23c	Pork chops, a pound	35c
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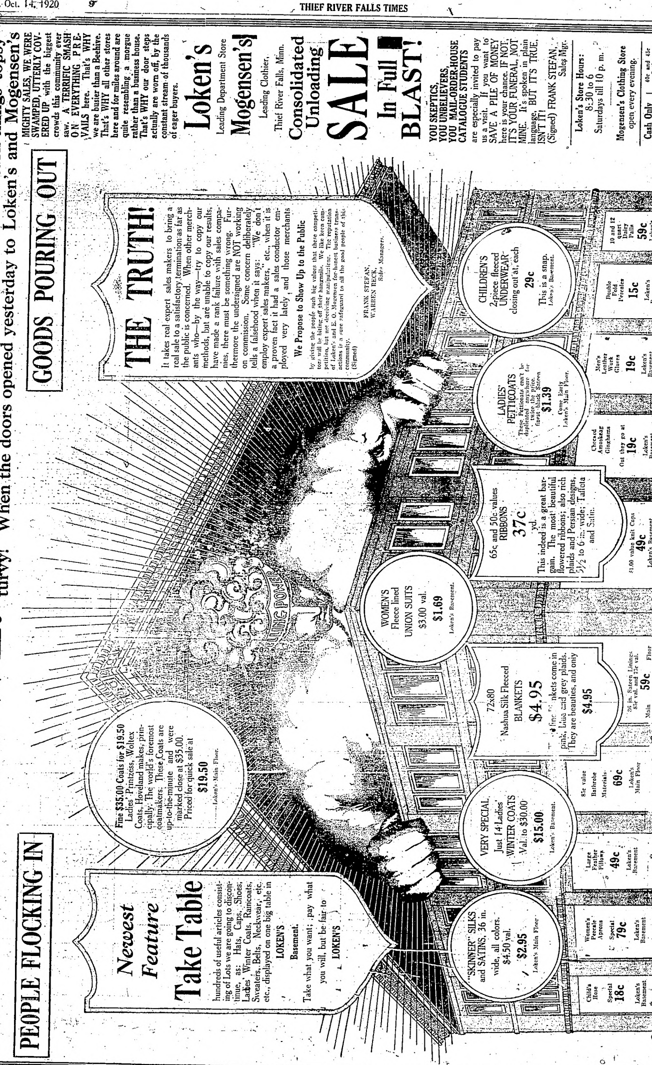

Newest Feature
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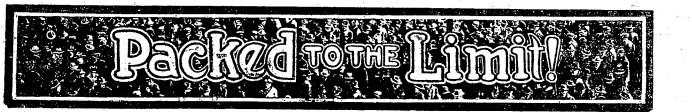
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Explains Fully Every Detail of Proposition by System of Questions and Answers—Plan of Financing Made Clear—Map of Proposed Routes.

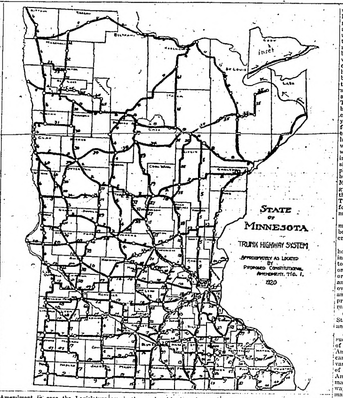
State of Minnesota
Trunk Highway System
Approximately as Located by Proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 1
1920

To The Citizens of Minnesota:

The Minnesota Highway Improvement Association, Inc., is an organization formed to do the publicity work, and to carry on a state-wide campaign in behalf of the pending Constitutional Amendment No. 1, known as the Babcock Road Plan.

The people of Minnesota have never been called upon to vote upon any question of greater importance and value to the entire state than that of Amendment No. 1.

We have now come to a time when the biggest question before the American people is that of "good roads." Every state in the Union is entering upon the construction of a far better class of roads than have heretofore been built. New inventions in travel and transportation have made it absolutely necessary that we change the character of road building for the highways of the states.

The Federal Government is appropriating $100,000,000 annually to be paid to the various states as Federal Aid in a national effort to encourage the states to enter immediately upon a nation-wide program for the substantial improvement of the road systems of the entire nation. Minnesota's share at this time in this annual appropriation is $2,600,000. But the Federal Government requires that the State of Minnesota expend a like amount in the building of good roads, otherwise the Federal Government refuses to turn over that vast sum of money to the State of Minnesota. If we do not meet the conditions of the Federal Aid law within two years, then Minnesota's share would revert to the Federal Government to be appropriated out to other states which do comply with and meet the conditions of the Federal law.

It is necessary that the people of Minnesota amend the Constitution so as to permit the state authorities to take advantage of and actually construct the roads duly selected to become the beneficiaries of Federal Aid. Under the Constitution of Minnesota at present, the highways are built and maintained by counties and local authorities. Amendment No. 1 authorizes the State of Minnesota to take over the main highways of the state and make of them a great State Trunk Highway System. The amendment also gives the Legislature authority to levy a special tax upon motor vehicles and thereby raise the money necessary to build and maintain such State Trunk Highway System.

The time has come when the State of Minnesota must do her part in building and maintaining roads. The burden has become too great for the counties and the townships. A new source of taxation simply had to be discovered in order to construct and maintain a road system which would meet the absolute demands of present-day travel and transportation. There are some roads in the State of Minnesota that are purely local or township roads and should be under the jurisdiction of the townships. There are other roads that may be properly described as county roads, and they should be under the jurisdiction of the county commissioners. Then there are other roads that may properly be designated as state roads, they are the main traveled highways of the state, they are the roads that bear the greatest burden of travel and transportation, and it is only proper that the entire state should construct and maintain those state roads.

Under our present Constitution, however, the State of Minnesota is not permitted to build roads, the State of Minnesota is not permitted to levy a special tax upon motor vehicles, or any other kind of property to pay for building and maintaining roads other than the one-mill tax. Any special tax levied by the state upon any kind of property other than the one-mill tax (which was secured by an amendment to the Constitution) would go into the general fund and not into a special road building fund.

Amendment No. 1, however, will give to the State of Minnesota full authority to build roads, to levy a special tax upon motor vehicles, and to pay for the building and maintaining of the duly selected state roads.

The following questions and answers cover the information desired by the average citizen to enable him to vote intelligently upon Amendment No. 1:

Q. When do we vote upon Amendment No. 1?

A. At the General Election, November, 2, 1920.

Q. Will the Amendment appear upon a separate ballot?

A. There are four amendments to be voted upon, entitled Amendment No. 1, Amendment No. 2, Amendment No. 3, and Amendment No. 4. These amendments are all printed on a separate pink ballot. Amendment No. 1 will read as follows:

"Amendment to Constitution by adding thereto a new article, to be known as Article 16, for creating a trunk highway system; authorizing the taxation of motor vehicles to create a fund for the construction and improvement of the same; authorizing the enactment of laws providing for the issuance of the bonds of the state, and the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds.

Yes .... No. ...."

Q. Does the Amendment to the Constitution designate the routes that are to be taken over by the State and made into durable, hard-surfaced roads?

A. The Amendment designates 70 different routes aggregating nearly 7,000 miles of roads.

Q. Are such roads a part of the general road system of Minnesota today?

A. The duly selected roads are the present main highway roads throughout the State of Minnesota.

Q. Will those roads connect up the main cities, towns, and villages of the State?

A. Those nearly 7,000 miles of selected roads intended for a State Trunk Highway System will connect up the principal cities, towns and villages of the State, thereby affording such centers of population and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the State. A map showing the designated roads has been prepared and a copy thereof is printed in this issue.

Q. Who introduced the law providing for this Amendment?

A. It was introduced in the Senate at the last regular session of the Legislature by Senator P. H. McGarry of Cass County, and in the House by Oscar Swenson of Nicollet County. It was approved February 21, 1919.

Q. What was the sentiment of the members of the Legislature in regard to this Amendment to the Constitution?

A. The McGarry Bill was passed in the Senate by practically a unanimous vote. In the House it was slightly amended and passed by a vote of 118 for to only 7 against. As amended it was repassed in the Senate by a vote of 58 for to only 3 against.

Q. Does Amendment No. 1 require the issuance of bonds? If so, in what amounts?

A. The Amendment permits the state to issue bonds to the amount of Ten Million Dollars annually. Any legislature, therefore, could provide for a bond issue not to exceed Twenty Million Dollars. Each succeeding legislature could likewise provide for a similar issue. Thus bonds might be issued by legislatures indefinitely, provided that at no time are there more than Seventy-five Million Dollars of outstanding, or unpaid bonds. In other words, the Amendment permits continuous road building and maintenance, through bond issues, requiring only that the liquidation of the bonds shall never be more than Seventy-five Million Dollars behind the total issue.

Q. Why would it be necessary or even advisable to issue bonds at all, if the present number of motor vehicles will produce a Road Fund above Five Million Dollars annually, with the seeming certainty that it will rapidly increase to Six Million, then Seven Million, and even up to Ten Million Dollars?

A. Those who have given most careful consideration to Amendment No. 1 agree that, in all probability, there need be no issue of bonds. They believe the motor vehicle tax would provide all the funds that would be needed or that could be judiciously expended in road building,—especially during these times when there is a scarcity of both labor and materials for road building purposes. It might be advisable to issue a small amount of bonds to repay those already issued by the counties, as provided in the Amendment. The entire matter of bonds, or no bonds, will be placed with the respective legislatures.

Q. Did the representatives of the people by such nearly unanimous vote express the wishes of their constituents?

A. So far as the opinions of the people of Minnesota can be learned there is practically no opposition to the passage of Amendment No. 1; on the contrary, public sentiment generally is in favor of the Amendment.

Q. Will the building of those 7,000 miles of hard-surfaced roads increase the taxes upon property in Minnesota?

A. The taxes will not be increased upon any property other than that of motor vehicles. Section 3 of the Amendment provides that the Legislature may provide for a special tax upon all motor vehicles, and that the money thus secured shall constitute a special road building fund, to be expended only in the construction and maintenance of the roads designated in the constitutional amendment, or upon such additional roads as may later become a part of the designated State Trunk Highway System.

Q. What will be the average annual tax upon motor vehicles necessary to provide the funds with which to construct those 7,000 miles of durable, hard-surfaced roads?

A. It has been carefully estimated that the average annual tax will be about $18.00 per car. That, however, is a matter for the Legislature to decide after they are given authority under the constitutional amendment to levy such tax at all.

Q. What is the number of motor vehicles in the State of Minnesota at the present time upon which such tax could be imposed?

A. The official records of the State of Minnesota show that there were 208,689 motor vehicles in the State on the first of April, 1919, and 268,094 on the first of April, 1920, an increase of 59,405 automobiles in one year.

Q. What will be a fair annual increase in the number of such motor vehicles?

A. It is fair to presume that the annual increase will be at least 50,000 cars.

Q. What average number of motor vehicles is taken into consideration in making calculations that an $18.00 average tax will be sufficient to liquidate the bonds and interest thereon as provided for under the Amendment in case the Legislature should decide it advisable to issue any bonds?

A. An average of 300,000 motor vehicles has been used as a basis for such computation. Such number of cars would bring in an annual income into the road building fund of $5,400,000, which would be a sufficient sum to retire within 30 years at the rate of $10,000,000 annually for a period of 10 years, and leave a surplus of more than $20,000,000.

Q. Will the Amendment permit the extension of the designated State Trunk Highway System?

A. The Amendment expressly makes provision for such extension to meet the reasonably expected demands of the State within a few years' time.

Q. What would be the result if there should be a greater increase in the number of motor vehicles?

A. No one at the present time can foretell just how rapidly the number of motor vehicles will increase in the State of Minnesota. There are those who believe that such vehicles will more than double the present number within the next few years. However, such increase would simply enable the state to liquidate the bonded indebtedness within a shorter period of time, to accumulate a proportionately larger surplus, or to increase materially the mileage of the State Trunk Highway System.

A new automobile is completed every few seconds of every working day in the year. A new auto truck is completed every few minutes of every working day of the year. The factories cannot meet the demand for automobiles and auto trucks. At present they are more than three million cars behind in filling orders. These cars and trucks are largely taking over the work heretofore performed by millions of horses, and there will be a demand for increased production until it is fully met. It is very reasonable that Minnesota should have not less than 750,000 licensed motor vehicles within the next ten years. A small average annual tax upon such number of cars will provide means for building in Minnesota just the sort of highways we shall need for travel and transportation purposes.

Q. Could the surplus moneys be used to build or construct roads other than those designated as part of the State Trunk Highway System?

A. No. The road building fund could be used only for the purpose of building durable, permanent roads, all of which would have to be first designated and made a part of the State Trunk Highway System.

Q. Would any of the moneys raised by Township and County levies and by State Aid, be used in the construction or maintenance of the State Trunk Highway System?

A. Not a dollar of the moneys as now raised by State Aid, County and Township levies could be used in the building, or in the upkeep of the designated State Trunk Highway System.

Q. What is the amount of money received annually from such State Aid, County and Township levies?

A. For the past two years it averaged nearly $15,000,000 for each year.

Q. What would this money be used for?

A. Exclusively in the building and upkeep of county and local roads. Such fund would be sufficient to construct an average of more than 2,000 miles of first-class graveled highway every year. The towns and villages which are not in the Trunk Highway System would speedily obtain first-class graveled highways leading therefrom to one or more of the Trunk Highway roads. Therefore, within a very short time every village and town in the State of Minnesota would either be located upon the State Highway System, or upon a good graveled road, thus affording them and also their adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Q. What part of the moneys obtained from Township and County levies and State Aid, has been used in the construction and upkeep of the main highway roads, which, under the Amendment, would be taken over by the State?

A. It has been estimated that from 65 per cent to as much as 80 per cent of all the moneys raised heretofore in the State of Minnesota by Township and County levies and from the State Aid Fund, has actually been expended upon the roads that would be taken over by the State of Minnesota under Amendment No. 1 and made into the State Trunk Highway System.

Q. Would not, therefore, Amendment No. 1 enable the counties and local authorities to very greatly and rapidly extend good roads in other parts of the State.

A. Most assuredly. The local and county authorities, after the passage of Amendment No. 1, would have all this vast amount of money to spend on local roads. It would enable the county road building authorities to lay out, construct, improve, and maintain, at least five times as much additional road mileage as they can do under the present system of road building.

Q. Are not a number of counties building, permanent, hard-surfaced roads at the present time under the direction of the State Highway Commissioner, to be paid for by the counties themselves and are not such county improvements a part of the designated State Trunk Highway System?

A. A number of the counties are building sections of the proposed State Trunk Highway System under the direction of the State Highway Commissioner and in strict conformity to what would be required in road building after the adoption of Amendment No. 1. Those counties have been bonded to raise the necessary funds. They have taken such step anticipating the passage of Amendment No. 1, which provides for the repayment to the counties of all the moneys raised and expended by them in building sections of the proposed State Trunk Highway System. Such action on the part of the counties enables the state in this indirect way to enter at once upon the construction of the proposed State Trunk Highway System and also to obtain Minnesota's share of the Federal Aid which is given to those states that expend a like amount of money in durable, permanent road building.

Q. Are automobile owners in favor of Amendment No. 1?

A. Judging from the activities of automobile owners as expressed through their automobile associations and automobile clubs, and by individuals who own a number of automobiles, also from those who own and operate automobile trucks, they are among the most enthusiastic supporters of Amendment No. 1.

Q. Why are automobile owners, anxious and willing to be taxed to pay for building nearly 7,000 miles of durable, hard-surfaced roads?

A. Experts in all lines of automobile activities have made careful estimates of the cost in wear and tear of automobiles, in the consumption of gas, oil, and tires, and in the time required in travel; (a) upon durable, hard-surfaced roads (b) upon graveled roads; (c) upon dirt roads (d) and upon poor roads. These experts find that durable, hard-surfaced roads will save the automobile owners at least three times as much as it will cost them to build and maintain such roads. Therefore, automobile owners only ask that we pass Amendment No. 1 in order that they may be permitted the privilege of paying for these designated 7,000 miles of main traveled highways. Motor vehicle owners realize that they have created the demand for durable, hard-surfaced roads and agree that the creator of a demand should bear the entire cost of the thing demanded.

Q. If therefore the automobile owners are willing to pay for 7,000 miles of hard-surfaced roads, and people who do not own automobiles will not be taxed at all for such construction and maintenance, who is, or who can be against the Amendment?

A. It is not expected that many persons will actually vote against Amendment No. 1. There is no organized opposition to the Amendment, But the history of all past attempts to amend the Constitution of Minnesota has shown that a majority of the voters do not vote at all upon amendments. It has always been necessary to wage a great publicity campaign to obtain the most necessary or desirable amendments to our Constitution. Every person who does not actually vote for the Amendment, and every person who does not vote at all upon the amendment, is counted as voting against it. To illustrate: Suppose there are 400,000 votes cast on November 2, 1920, in the State of Minnesota. To pass Amendment No. 1, at least 200,001 votes must actually be cast in favor of Amendment No. 1 to secure its adoption, even though not a single vote be cast against it. In other words, the Amendment can be adopted only by a majority of all the voters in Minnesota actually voting "Yes" upon the Amendment.

Q. What is the attitude of the farmers of Minnesota on Amendment No. 1?

A. Highly favorable. Good roads are more vitally essential and profitable to farmers than to any other class of people. Good roads passing through or near a farming community at once adds greatly to the value of the farm lands; it makes such community readily and cheaply accessible to markets, it brings it in touch with the interests and institutions of the villages, towns, or cities near by. The up-to-date, progressive farmers of Minnesota are therefore in favor of Amendment No. 1, and a very large majority of them are most active in securing its adoption.

Q. Will the farmers who live at some distance from this proposed State Trunk Highway be in favor of the Amendment?

A. Every farmer in the State of Minnesota should be in favor of Amendment No. 1. Whether he lives on one of the proposed highways or ten miles or more away should make no difference in the matter, because good highways in any state increase the total value of all lands in the state. The fact that Amendment No. 1 will permit all the moneys received by township and county levies and from the State Aid to be used exclusively in building local and county roads, should make every farmer in Minnesota an enthusiastic worker in behalf of the amendment, because it will enable the local and county authorities to get roads to the more distant farming communities in much less time than under the present plan of road building.

The state roads will add greatly to the value of nearby farm lands, and such increased fund, as well as a larger State Aid fund under the one-mill tax, all of which will be devoted to extending the county and township roads. In other words, the farmers who are so greatly benefited by nearness to the state roads, will pay taxes on increased values to help pay for improved roads for all other farming communities.

Q. What is the attitude of labor on Amendment No. 1?

A. We have reason to believe that labor will endorse Amendment No. 1 at its forthcoming state convention in an enthusiastic manner. In fact, the Executive Council of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor at a recent meeting unanimously passed a resolution in favor of Amendment No. 1. Every laboring man in the state should be in favor of Amendment No. 1. Practically all of the money that will be expended in building the proposed State Trunk Highway System will go to labor in one form or another. Labor must grade the highways, labor must make the concrete, labor must prepare the sand and gravel; make the brick, the blocks, and such other material as may be used in the road structure, labor must transport all the material after they manufacture it; labor must actually build the highways. Labor, therefore, will receive practically all of the money expended in the building of the highways. A very small amount will be required to pay those who plan the roads, who supervise their construction, and who work and earn in any capacity other than that of labor. The additional demand made for labor in the building of these highways, extending over a period of many years, will prevent severe competition for work in the shops, mills, and factories. Where there is a dearth of labor, good wages must be paid; where there is a surplus of labor, wages go down. Therefore, labor is interested in every legitimate proposition that will give continuous employment at fair wages. No other business enterprise in the State of Minnesota can be looked upon with greater favor by the laboring classes than that of building a great State Trunk Highway System to be paid for and maintained by those who own motor vehicles.

Q. Is it not a fact that laboring men also in largely increasing numbers are becoming automobile owners?

A. It is a fact; and it is to be hoped that their numbers will rapidly increase, and that every man who toils, whether in shop or factory; upon public road building enterprises, or elsewhere, may become not only an owner of his own home, but an owner of an automobile, so that he and his family may enjoy the many privileges and advantages which good roads confer upon any people.

Q. Are the business men of the State in favor of Amendment No. 1, and if so, why?

A. We do not believe there is a successful business man in the State of Minnesota who is not in favor of Amendment No. 1. Any person who cannot comprehend the multifold advantages which will come to the State of Minnesota through the passage of Amendment No. 1, is not a business man. The true business man is always in favor of all enterprises which make for the upbuilding of a state, a city, a town, a village, or a community. The business man of today realizes that if he would express himself to his fellowman, it must be by means of service, unselfishly and enthusiastically rendered. The man who today lives selfishly within himself, who conceives that his ideas are the only ideas, that his family is the only family, that his children are the only children, that his generation is the only generation, that his ambitions and his concerns are the only concerns, that should or need interest him, is a most despicable representative of the human race. Happily, Minnesota does not contain many such persons among any class of her citizens, and therefore no organized effort against the great public good of Amendment No. 1 is likely to appear in our state.

Q. Will not the building of the State Trunk Highway System greatly increase the use of auto trucks?

A. Most decidedly. Auto trucks will become the short-haul freight cars of the state. Steam freight cars cannot possibly compete with them. The auto trucks can go where the steel cars cannot. On good roads the auto cars can travel at much less expense and carry ton for ton on short hauls much cheaper than freight cars can possibly do so. The auto truck will help solve the serious and pressing transportation problem in the State of Minnesota. It will put the farming communities into immediate and continuous touch with urban centers of population. It will therefore prove a blessing to the agricultural communities by giving them a market, almost at their doors, and it will bring the products of the farm quickly and cheaply to the dwellers of the cities and towns. The auto truck is to play a mighty important part in solving the great questions of production, transportation, and distribution. The day of a greatly extended steam transportation system has passed. We are entering an age of rapid, cheap, efficient, serviceable auto truck transportation, especially for state and local commerce. Greater efficiency and time saving demand the passage of Amendment No. 1.

Q. What is the attitude of the County Commissioners towards Amendment No. 1?

A. At a state-wide conference of county commissioners and county auditors, held in St. Paul April 8th, and in Minneapolis April 9, 1920, a conference which was attended by nearly 500 of those officials, and in which every county in the state was represented—a resolution in favor of Amendment No. 1 was adopted by an almost unanimous vote. The County Commissioners and the County Auditors are active in support of Amendment No. 1. The County Commissioners have charge of road building in their respective counties. They have never been given a fair opportunity either to build or to properly maintain the highways under their control, for lack of sufficient funds. They have been, too often, the subjects of unjust attack by some of their disappointed constituents, who expected good roads without ample funds. Under Amendment No. 1, the most expensive roads to build and maintain will be taken over by the state, and the County Commissioners, for the first time, will be given all the funds derived from township and county levies, and from the one-mill State Aid tax, with which they can enter upon the construction and improvement of the real county and township roads.

Q. Are those who represent the professions—teachers, doctors, lawyers, ministers, and others, in favor of Amendment No. 1?

A. We have yet to learn the name of a single member of any of those professions who is actively opposing Amendment No. 1.

Q. Is any policial party organization opposing Amendment No. 1?

A. No. On the contrary, the leading men of all political parties are actively supporting the Amendment.

Q. In a word, what is the one great purpose of Amendment No. 1?

A. It gives the people of Minnesota the right to enter upon the building of the kind of roads which the motor vehicles have made absolutely necessary—which must be built or Minnesota will become a laggard, a slacker state in the Union. However, Minnesotans may safely be trusted to do their duty in this matter as they have always done their full duty in the past. When you vote for Amendment No. 1, you are voting for a greater Minnesota. You are voting (in the words of Daniel Webster), to develop our resources, build up our institutions, promote our own great interests,—you are doing something worthy to be remembered.

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See our line before buying elsewhere. We have just what you want at the price you wish to pay.

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City News

Harold Swanson of Warren was the guest of friends here the first of the week.

A. Riley of Baudette spent Saturday in this city attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson of St. Hilaire, were among the shoppers here yesterday.

Wm. Blake arrived Monday evening from his home at Mahnomen for a brief visit with friends.

Art Legeault, J. H. Glad and R. W. Tollefson, all of Warren, were business callers here on Tuesday.

R. Miller arrived here the latter part of last week from Erskine to visit over Sunday with friends.

James Nomland came down from Grygla on Monday and spent a couple of days visiting friends and transacting business.

Miss Florence Petra, who had spent the week at Jamestown in the interests of the Salvation Army, returned here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Duffy of Red Lake Falls, motored here yesterday to avail themselves of the sales held by the leading stores of the city.

Mrs. W. J. Olson of Lancaster who had been a guest of Mrs. S. Brandon, a few days, left yesterday afternoon for Crookston to visit friends.

Want twenty or thirty acres breaking done at once on place near Germantown. Cash as soon as job is completed. Box 334, Crookson, Minn. o14p

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughter, Mrs. O. Gunstad, were among the out-of-town shoppers here yesterday. They returned to their home in St. Hilaire in the afternoon.

Morris Fossum, who has been absent from the city for the past four years is back on a visit with his parents and friends. During his absence he has spent his time in the states of Colorado, Utah and Wyoming. At the completion of his visit here it is his intention to leave for Los Angeles, Cal., where he will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Flemming arrived this morning from Luverne, Minn., traveling by auto, and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross. Mr. and Mrs. Flemming were just united in marriage on Tuesday of this week and are on their "honeymoon." They will visit at Winnipeg and several places in this state before returning to Luverne where they will make their home, Mr. Flemming being the proprietor of the Ford garage at that place.

Women's Speaker Coming.

Mrs. Bertha Dahl Laws of Minneapolis, one of the prominent women speakers on the Republican side, will also appear at the Steenerson meeting next Wednesday, addressing her remarks particularly to the women voters.

Badly Scratched Up When Ford Car Makes Flip-Flop

Al. Severson, employed by the Model Steam laundry, turned over in the road near St. Hilaire Tuesday morning with a Ford delivery car. He sustained a few scratches and bruises but was fortunate in escaping serious injury. The car was somewhat smashed up, losing the windshield, a fender and a few other minor parts which go to make up a complete Tin Lizzy.

Severson was coming up behind a car driven by a young boy and was about to pass when the boy put out his hand to indicate that he intended to take a side road leading to a farm house. This forced Al. to make a sudden turn to the right to prevent a collision and the momentum of the car turned it completely over when this maneuver was attempted.

Holding Wheat For $3.00 a Bushel Asked of Growers

The Wheat Growers association of the United States with a membership of 70,000 in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Nebraska and South Dakota, has issued a proclamation to all members urging them to refrain from selling any wheat after 8 p. m., Oct. 25, until the price of good wheat is raised to $3 a bushel at growers' terminal markets.

Agricultural colleges, farm bureaus, state boards of agriculture and similar organizations are urged to co-operate with the association in its effort to raise the price of wheat.

The proclamation is signed by W. F. McMichael, national president, and W. H. McGreevy, national secretary. The latter said that he expects the members of the organization to refrain from selling their wheat until the price of $3 is re-established.

$200.00 in Prizes Will Be Given For Essays on Roads

Children of all Minnesota city and rural schools will have an opportunity to compete for $200, divided into 100 cash prizes, which the Minnesota Highway association will offer for essays on good roads. The contest is part of the educational campaign for the adoption of good roads amendment No. 1 which will be voted upon Nov. 2.

The price list will include five awards of $10 each, 10 of $5, 15 of $2 and 70 merit awards of $1 each. The contest is to be open to every boy and girl in the state, excepting only students in the high schools. Essays will be limited to 300 words and in each county the three best entries will be selected by the county superintendent. These will be forwarded to the association to be read by the state judges.

Lecture For Woman's Club Members Monday Afternoon

A stereopticon lecture entitled "Art in the Home" will be given at the Princess theatre next Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for members of the Woman's club. Views showing the interior and exterior decorations of beautiful homes will be presented and the lecture promises to be both interesting and instructive.

Sugar Beet Crop Now Being Harvested and Shipped Out

Farmers in the vicinity of Thief River Falls who raised sugar beets this year are now busy harvesting and shipping their crop. Wagon loads containing from two to three tons of beets each are coming to town thick and fast, weighed up and loaded into cars for shipment. Two carloads were sent out yesterday and it is estimated that the total crop for this vicinity will be about 15 carloads.

The success of this year's crop far exceeds all expectations and it is certain that next year a much larger acreage will be planted. An effort is being made by County Agent J. J. McCann to have 300 acres planted to beets in Pennington county next year.

To Help Salvationists.

At a meeting of Elmer J. Eklund post held last evening it was decided to assist the Salvation Army in its present drive for funds. A committee was appointed to solicit in each of the wards of the city, as follows: First, Ed. Brevig and Harold Provencher; Second, David Robinson and Oscar Smith; Third, Carl Gulrud and Alvin Holzknecht; Fourth, Oscar Paulson and Walter Jonas.

Pumpkin Pie Social.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church will give a pumpkin pie social at the Poston home north of town Friday evening, Oct. 15. Big time scheduled. Lots of pies. Everybody come and bring your chum. o14

Bible Chautauqua Meetings.

"The Coming World Power! Is it the Bolshevists?" will be the subject for Sunday evening, Oct. 17, at the Chautauqua Hall. Tuesday evening, the 19th, the subject will be, "How Shall We Interpret the Bible?" Meeting every Saturday at 2 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all Scandinavians.

STEINER

J. A. Russell made a business trip to Thief River Falls Friday afternoon.

J. Hobson Rogers has been working for R. L. Muzzy the past couple of weeks.

Arthur Bartelson threshed for Mrs. Meyer the first of last week.

Mable Rogers left for Stephen last Monday where she will teach school the coming school year.

Frank Slack bought a bunch of cows at the Keller auction sale the other day.

Harvey Copp made a business trip to the Power City Friday last.

George Nelson of Viking, threshed flax for Mr. Rogers last Saturday.

Nick Baker drove to Thief River Falls last Friday.

Nathan Muzzy attended the Keller auction sale Friday of last week.

Hugh Best transacted business in Thief River Falls Friday.

Arthur Simonson took potatoes to town the middle of the week.

Willis Warring transacted business in Thief River Falls last week.

Ed. Warner was out looking after his farm interests the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Berg went to North Dakota last Saturday to visit with friends.

Hugh Malberg and Hobson Rogers went to Newfolden Saturday night to attend a dance.

GERMANTOWN

Miss Anna Rossett visited at the Vakoch home on Monday.

Clara Overby was a visitor at the Roller home last Thursday.

Rose Vakoch was a Germantown caller one day last week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl was an electric car passenger enroute to Thief River Falls, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller were callers at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Bundlund and children were Sunday guests at the D. Dau home.

Miss Anna Kotland was a Germantown caller on Friday.

Bessie, Gladys and Clifford Roller were afternoon guests at the Emil Ristau home Sunday.

Anton Overby left for Alvarado, N. D., last week where he will be employed.

Nettie and Bernard Bendickson were callers at Mavie one day last week.

Bessie Roller was a caller in Germantown one day last week.

Misses Nettie and Silva Bendickson were Sunday guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home.

Martin Overby returned home one day last week from Alvarado, N. D., where he had been employed.

Jay Payne of Goodridge called at the Will Wayne home Friday evening.

Mrs. Will Wayne and son, were guests at the Henry Roller home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lendvick were Sunday guests at the Emil Hanson home.

Miss Lena Ristau visited at the C. Struble home on Friday evening.

Henry Dau called at the Will Wayne home on Saturday.

Clara Overby called at the Henry Roller home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seraphine and children, Augustine, Lucy, Louise and Marshall, were afternoon guests at the Stokke home on Sunday.

Clifford Roller returned home recently after being employed in North Dakota for some time.

Nettie Bendickson called at the Hans Dahl home on Monday.

Miss Della Roller, who is employed at Goodridge, visited at her parental home over Sunday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Martinus Johnson home Thursday.

ERIE

Gilmore Tharaldson is back from North Dakota where he has been for some time working. He is now putting in his time clerking in the Singer store.

Floyd Baird arrived on his motorcycle from South Dakota on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Johnson are the proud parents of a son, born Oct. 3.

Mrs. E. Ramsey has been on the sick list, but is much improved.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Trontveit became very ill on Tuesday of last week and was taken to Thief River Falls for medical treatment. He is now well again.

The Otto Parnow family left on Friday for Dilworth, this state, for a few days' visit and business trip, returning on Monday evening. They made the trip in their touring car.

Rev. Hanson conducted religious services in the Erie church Sunday forenoon and in the Torgerson church in the afternoon.

Will Christofferson and father, of Fergus Falls, were out this way on Sunday. The Christoffersons were former residents here and are still interested in land here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rammerud of Rhoda, visited their daughter, Mrs. G. A. Iverson from Friday until Saturday.

On October 6th Miss Pearl Shosten, daughter of Mrs. Carl Elg, became the bride of Edward L. Sterling of Beltrami county. The wedding took place at the Presbyterian parsonage in Thief River Falls, Rev. R. L. Barackman officiating. The newlyweds have the hearty congratulations of all friends here.

Friends and neighbors very pleasantly surprised Mrs. G. A. Iverson on Sunday afternoon the affair being a stork party.

The Henry Tommerdahl family left on Saturday for a few days' visit with relatives in other parts of the state, making the tour in their Ford. Geo. Hovet was chore boy during their absence.

Ye Scribe wishes to make a correction concerning the death of the twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bye, it being Raymond instead of Robert, who died, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bye instead of Ole Bye.

The school house in Unorganized Dist. No. 1 is being treated to a new coat of paint.

EDUCATIONAL NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST

Vocational Education.

The Bureau of Vocational Education reports that the Iowa State Board for Vocational Education, in addition to its part-time classes for painters and machinists, is now conducting part-time dull-season courses in agriculture in four counties at nineteen different centers. The classes are open to persons more than fourteen years of age, who are engaged in farming and who can-not take advantage of the regular vocational agricultural courses. They are in session five days a week for ten weeks. It is also noted in School that the packing companies of the Chicago stockyards are conducting educational work for the boys and girls of its office force. The school has the approval of the state educational authorities and is in part at least maintained by federal funds granted under the terms of the Federal Vocational act. The Chicago Board of Education, which is collaborating with the company in this educational work for its employees, provides two high school teachers to take charge of the instruction given. Rooms, equipment and supplies are given by the company. In New York State the State Federation of Labor is making efforts to bring trade apprenticeship within the scope of the recently enacted part-time school law of New York state, through definite apprenticeship agreements in each trade.

Part-time schools will be established in Minnesota by the next Legislature. Watch for further announcements of this new type of schools.

The Presidential Candidates on Education.

The Bureau of Education has made public statements made to the bureau, signed by Senator Harding, Governor Cox, Ex-Secretary Roosevelt, and Governor Coolidge. In his statement Senator Harding says:

"I think it is highly important that we contemplate the cause of education from the national viewpoint. I do not mean thereby that there shall be a national trespass upon the right of states in matters of education, but I do think it is exceedingly important to get the broader viewpoint of the nation. We have been making notable progress in coming to the realization of the importance of our public schools and are coming to a wholesome awakening about their need of more generous support. One can only feel amazement that we have been so tardy in coming to a realization of the scant consideration given to the teachers in the American public schools and we have been remiss in understanding the limitless possibilities of our public school work."

Governor Cox writes:

"We hear much these days about the work of reconstruction, and yet in the plans that are made for it we do not observe a vigilant attention to the very base of our whole civilization, the schools themselves. When we measure the service rendered by the schools we can not escape the belief that society is not making sufficient contribution for their support. In both city and country there is need of an entirely new plan of financial aid. Next to this it seems to me that your Congress ought to awaken such an interest as would set in motion a fixed purpose, nation-wide, of giving to every state a modern rural school code. If necessary, the federal government ought to interest itself in surveys where they are needed. We have evidence of an approaching crisis in the matter of food supply. We need more acreage under cultivation and more people in the country, and yet we must remember that the drift will continue toward the cities unless the children on the farm are given educational advantages similar to those in the cities. This is the solution. It has been demonstrated in Ohio, where more than 1,000 modern high schools have been built in the cornfields. From them the pupils go into our state university. As I understand it, you are dedicating your congress to the very necessary purpose of stirring the lay mind into an awakened appreciation of the help which must be given to our school system. It is one of the very vital needs of the hour."

Latest Educational Study.

(By Leonard P. Ayres.)

The state of Montana has the best all-round public school system in the United States, according to results of a comparative study of state school systems made public by the Russell Sage Foundation. The report assigns second place to the schools of California, third place to those of Arizona, fourth to New Jersey, and fifth to the state of Washington.

These findings are contained in a report by the Department of Education of the Foundation. The volume is entitled "An Index Number for State School Systems" and the author is Dr. Leonard P. Ayres, director of the Foundation's Department of Education.

Among the surprising results of the study is the fact that the school systems of our territorial possessions, such as Hawaii, the Canal Zone and Porto Rico, have higher ratings than those of many of the forty-eight states. That of Hawaii is better than those of the majority of American states. According to the tables of the report, the Hawaiian school system ranks just above that of Illinois and just below that of Nebraska. The schools of the Canal Zone are in twenty-eighth place, just below those of Kansas and above those of South Dakota. The schools of Porto Rico are in 42nd place, above those of Virginia and below those of West Virginia. Ten Southern states have records poorer than that of Porto Rico.

All the results are computed from

Great Play Coming.

Manager Brumund announces that he has arranged for the presentation of Robert Louis Stevenson's great story, "Treasure Island," in pictures at the Lyceum next Wednesday and Thursday. This is one of the really great pictures of the present season.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Some woven hog and sheep wire. Will sell cheap.—Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—Six room house with two lots at No. 323 Third St. West. Write Theodore Gunderson, Star Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 94p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 4752. 90tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 75tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, S½ Sec. 21, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 155, City. 85tf

FOR SALE—6-room house, 410 Crocker Ave. North. 95p

FOR SALE—Fifty grade Shropshire ewes. One to four years old. Phone 7-F-21

FOR SALE—One Model C25 Buick 4-passenger car in first-class condition. See H. C. Johnson at Nortz Lumber Co.

FOR SALE—A ladies' Seal plush coat bought at the Sapero Co. last winter for $110.00. Come and inspect it and make me an offer.—M. V. Evenson. 90tf

FOR SALE—Eighty acre farm 2 miles south of Thief River Falls. Price $75.00 per acre for quick sale.—G. J. Bakke, city. 92p

FOR SALE—Three good milch cows. Inquire at Thief River Cafe. 88tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address box 1001, Thief River Falls, or call at the Times office. 80tf

FOR SALE—About 50 cords poplar wood 3-4 mile from Plummer and 50 cords poplar wood ½ mile south of Riverside cemetery in this city. This is all dry wood. Call at Times office. 93p

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland China boars. Can furnish registration papers. Took first and third prizes on these at Red Lake County Fair. Write H. O. Anderson, Wylie, Minn. 96p

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FOR SALE—Fordson tractor in good running condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once.—Nick Baker, Rt. 2, Thief River Falls. 94p

FOR SALE—Team driving mares, eight and nine years old; weight 1080 lbs. and 1100 lbs. Chas. Klerk, Rt. 1, box 7, Thief River Falls. 94p

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ROOMS—Furnished and unfurnished for rent. Call 6073. 93p

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FOUND—Pocketbook containing money. Owner may have same by calling at 311 Horace Ave. N., proving property and paying for this notice. 94p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for dining room work at Oakland Park Sanatorium. 92

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Community Girls' Meeting.

The first regular meeting of the Community Girls' club for the season will be held on Monday evening, Oct. 18, and it will be known as "chum" night, when all members are asked to bring a chum. Invitations have been sent out and it is the desire of the board to reach all the girls. A short musical program will be offered and the remainder of the evening will be spent in becoming acquainted. This is the starting of a new club year and the president, Miss Marie Nelson, is very anxious that all members show their enthusiasm by attending the first meeting. The club, under the able leadership of Miss Nelson, last year became recognized as one of the best in the state, and it is certain to gain first place with the earnest co-operation of all its members.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. J. O. Sether was pleasantly surprised by the members of the W. C. T. U. when they met at her home on Thursday afternoon for a party in her honor, showing their appreciation of the splendid efforts Mrs. Sether has put forth the past two years as president of the organization. She was unanimously reelected president for the coming year. About thirty ladies had the pleasure of the event. Lunch brought by the ladies was served at the conclusion of the afternoon. The honor guest was presented with a lovely cut glass vase as a remembrance of the occasion.

Her First Party.

Baby Marie Suzanne Brink, eight weeks' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink had her first party on Thursday evening. Several ladies assembled at the Brink home on the evening previously mentioned and presented the young lady with a cunning "kozy wrap." Lunch was enjoyed before the guests departed.

Mrs. E. H. Herrick, Mrs. Olaf Ramstad, Mrs. Anna Watson, Mrs. Ila Reynolds, Mrs. Chas. Vance, Mrs. C. R. Wassgren, Mrs. L. R. Johnston, Mrs. C. W. Barden and Mrs. A. Stenberg were the guests.

In Honor of Mrs. Hanson.

A successful surprise party of this season was that given in honor of Mrs. F. A. Hanson at her home, Arnold avenue on Friday afternoon when about forty members of the Trinity Lutheran church were present. Rev. I. T. Aastad of Detroit, former pastor of the church and Rev. T. E. Sweger, local pastor, gave talks which were greatly enjoyed by the guests. Mrs. Hanson was presented with a handsome purse of money as a token of their friendship. A donated lunch was served at the conclusion of the afternoon.

Birthday Dinner.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson entertained a number of the present and former teachers of her daughter, Thelma, on Tuesday evening in remembrance of the latter's thirteenth birthday anniversary. The color scheme was carried out in yellow and white. Dainty place cards with a chrysanthemum adorning the corner of each marked the guests' places at the table. Those having the pleasure of the occasion were Misses Gerda Mortenson, Lida Batten, Margaret Jordan, Ida Tandberg, Maud Frissell, Ida Whipps and Mrs. Pierce.

Bread Club Entertains.

The old members of the Bread club of the Lincoln high school entertained the new members on Friday evening at the high school. Various means of entertainment were enjoyed until the lunch hour after which the guests dispersed.

U. C. T's. Have Party.

The members of the U. C. T. lodge and their wives and sweethearts enjoyed a very pleasant social evening at the Masonic hall on Saturday. Dancing formed the chief diversion. The usual "good eats" were enjoyed at midnight. At the business session which took place the earlier part of the evening three new members were initiated. This organization has been enlarged by seventeen new members this season.

Entertains Rosewood Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Vorseth, at their home on 703 Arnold Ave., entertained nine friends from Rosewood for last Sunday dinner. The parties arrived in a car shortly before noon and remained until six o'clock. The afternoon was pleasantly passed in conversation and music and driving about the city. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sagmoen and children, Gladys, Glenard and Vera; Mrs. M. Nordhagen, Steiner Johnson, Mrs. Mary Shoberg and Joel E. Shoberg.

M. E. Ladies' Aid Meet.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Episcopal church held a special meeting on Tuesday evening Oct. 12 at the parsonage. Lunch was served by Mrs. Smith and officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. S. M. Posten.
V. President—Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite.
Second Vice President—Mrs. B. J. Cook.
Secretary—Mrs. Fred Will.
Treasurer—Mrs. Geo. Biddick.

Surprise Party.

Among the numerous surprise parties held this week was that given yesterday afternoon by the ladies of the Zion Lutheran church for Mrs. Geo. Larson in commemoration of her birthday anniversary. The ladies went in a body to the home of Mrs. Larson and spent the afternoon in a social manner. Refreshments were enjoyed at five o'clock. Before the guests departed they presented the honor guest with a lovely gift as a remembrance of the event.

Volden-Bergland.

On Saturday evening at 6 o'clock occurred the marriage of Miss Margaret Bergland and Obert Theodore Volden at the Zion Lutheran parsonage. Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the church was the officiating minister. The young couple was attended by Tollef Volden, a brother of the groom, and Miss Thora Bergland, sister of the bride. The newlyweds will make this city their home.

Finberg-Miller.

On Thursday occurred the marriage of Miss Cora Finberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Finberg of this city, to Andrew Miller of Wylie. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Irving Quist, at Warren. The newlyweds left shortly afterwards for Denver, Colo., where they will reside. Their numerous friends extend congratulations.

Democrats Entertained.

Following the democratic rally held at the Auditorium Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained the speakers, Mrs. H. A. Patterson and L. C. Hodgson and a few of their friends at their home. A light lunch was served at midnight. In addition to the honor guests those present were Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Dr. Crandal, A. P. Fox and T. J. Austed.

Open House for Mrs. Patterson.

Many local women had the pleasure of personally meeting Mrs. H. A. Patterson of Mankato, who spoke at the Democratic rally on Monday evening, through the kindness of Mrs. E. M. Stanton who kept her home open to anyone who was interested in meeting and interviewing Mrs. Patterson on political issues of vital importance to women.

Willing Workers Society.

The Willing Workers society of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. O. A. Naplin, 713 Knight avenue north, on Monday evening, Oct. 18.

Luther League.

The Luther League of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet in the church basement on Oct. 20 and will be entertained by Mrs. F. Carlson.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services in the English language Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school at 9:30. Berea Bible class meets Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Senior Reception.

The seniors of the Lincoln high school held their annual reception for the high school faculty on Friday evening. A little playlet entitled "Lochinvar," presented by members of the class of 1921, was well received. The hours which followed were spent in a social manner. Delicious refreshments were served about midnight.

American Legion Dance.

The American Legion will give one of its pleasant dancing parties at the auditorium this evening, Oct. 14.

Lindegard-Jamieson.

On October 4, Arnold B. Lindegard and Miss Mae Jamieson, both of Kittson county, were quietly married at the Presbyterian manse in this city, Rev. E. L. Barackman officiating. The friends of these estimable young people will be interested to know of their marriage and will wish them bon voyage.

Imsdahl-Stokke.

Henry A. Imsdahl and Miss Agnes Stokke, both of Marshall county, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran parsonage with Rev. Geo. Larson officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by Arthur Stokke, brother of the groom and Miss Margaret Imsdahl, the bride's sister.

For Mrs. Peterson.

A company of intimate friends of Mrs. Melvin Peterson, numbering fourteen went to her home on Tuesday afternoon unannounced. The hours were spent in conversation and music which was followed by a delicious lunch which had been brought by the ladies.

Young Peoples Society.

The Young Peoples society of the Zion Lutheran church will hold its regular meeting in the church basement on the evening of Oct. 21 at 8:30. They will be entertained by Mrs. Bert Berg and Mrs. Ole Revdahl.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 19, at the home of Mrs. A. Craik, 622 Horace Ave. N.

Ladies Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Zion Lutheran church will meet in the basement of the church on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 21. Mrs. Wistven and Mrs. Stene will entertain.

Elk Ladies Entertained.

Mrs. L. A. Lampert will entertain the Elk ladies at cards at her home on Knight avenue tomorrow evening, while their husbands are attending the initiation at the Auditorium.

Entertains at Dinner.

Miss Florence Aalberg entertained a few of her friends at dinner on Sunday evening at her home on Main avenue. Covers were laid for six.

Rev. J. B. Smith Returned to Thief River Pastorate

Rev. J. B. Smith was again assigned to the pastorate of the Methodist church of Thief River Falls at the conference held at St. Cloud last week. Rev. Smith has served the congregation for the past year and his numberous friends both in and out of the church will be pleased to learn that he will continue his work here for a year longer.

Other pastors assigned to charges in this section of the state are as follows: Ada, G. O. Hunter; Barnesville, P. A. Palmer; Beltrami, H. C. Akely; Bemidji, G. H. Zentz; Crookston, F. W. Hill; Erskine, Thomas Old; Fergus Falls, T. W. Stout; Fosston and Duane, J. R. Higby; International Falls, C. E. Ireland; Moorhead, J. W. Powell; Warren, W. P. Mitchell.

Thief River Falls Given Army Recruiting Station

An army recruiting station is now stationed in Thief River Falls, a suitable location having been secured on the second floor of the Christo building on Third street. Lieut. C. C. Alexander and Sergt. J. N. Hickson are in charge of the office and announce that it will be kept open from now until next spring.

The recruiting officers will be glad to see anyone who is interested and will gladly explain the educational and other features of army life. They also will care for the application of ex-service men who desire Victory medals and these are urged to call at the recruiting office at any time they wish to have this matter attended to.

Invited to Bemidji.

Members of Elmer J. Eklund Post have been invited to attend the Armistice Day celebration given by Ralph Gracie Post of Bemidji on Nov. 11. While it is not likely that the post will be represented officially, a number of the boys are figuring on going to the neighboring city to take part in the festivities.

CATTLE GO HIGHER HOGS TAKE TUMBLE

Light Receipts Reflected in Generally Better Prices at South St. Paul.

Cattle receipts at 30,000 were about 10,000 short of the previous week, while calf supplies at 5,500 were about the same and as a result, there was some improvement in market values. Most grades were quoted 25@50c higher with stockers and feeders showing a general advance of 50c and in some cases $1. Most of the steer trade was ticketed at $7@8.25 with a few sales at $9.50@11. Much of the she stock sold under the $7 mark but a few sales were made on good stuff at $8 and higher. Canners and cutters sold largely at $3@4.75 with bulls at $4@6 largely. Vealers ruled about steady with top at $15. Choice Canadian feeders cashed at $9.50@10 but most of the stockery grades went at $4.50@7.25. There was a limited cow trade at $3.50@4.75. Dairy cow trade was slow but about steady with most sales at $50@85.

Hogs suffered a big setback the early part of the week but recovered slightly near the close. Top was $14.75 with bulk at $14.25@14.50 and mixed weights at $14.35@14.75. Packing sows sold at $13.25@14.25. Stock pigs were saleable at $10@14.75. Receipts were 32,000.

Sheep closed about steady but lambs sold up to $10.50 with Westerns quoted at $12.55. Culls sold down to $3. Fat ewes ranged from $1@5 with wethers at $4@7 and yearlings up to $7. Receipts were 33,000.

THIEF RIVER LADS ARE BADLY BEATEN

Crookston Football Squad Downs Locals in Exciting Game Here Sunday.

In an exciting battle staged at the fair grounds last Sunday, the local city football team was defeated by a like aggregation from Crookston. The score at the end of the game stood 26 to 0 in favor of the visiting team. There was a great deal of rag chewing throughout the game and one referee became disgusted and quit.

The Crookston lads are all former stars in high school and college athletics and proved too heavy and too fast for the locals. Perry Johnson of the Thief River Falls team played a brilliant game, and at one time made a long run which brought the ball to Crookston's 20-yard line, but a series of fumbles soon ruined Thief River's chance of scoring. Later in the game Johnson made another fine run but was stopped on the opposing team's 15-yard line.

LOAN MEN DECLARE THIEF RIVER O. K.

Officers of Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls Here on Visit.

Elmer E. Adams, president, and Robert Hannah, secretary, of the Northwestern Building association of Fergus Falls, paid Thief River Falls a visit last Saturday. The gentlemen were on their annual tour inspecting the loans of the association, which loans its funds in something like forty towns and villages in northern Minnesota. They make these annual tours not only to look over the loans, but to study conditions and ascertain the degree of prosperity in the various towns and villages.

Messrs. Adams and Hannah made a thorough survey of the city in company with H. S. Dahlen of the First and Peoples' State bank, who is their representative here and looks after their loans. They were very much pleased with the growth and prosperity of Thief River Falls, although they found it was very short of homes, and they believe if Thief River Falls is to continue to grow more homes must be built the coming year.

Mr. Adams stated that there had been a decided letting up in the building of homes in northern Minnesota during the past two years on account of the high cost of materials and the difficulty in getting the labor, but he says he thinks this situation is improving very rapidly. Materials have come down and he has been informed that cement, which has been so difficult to get this season, will be plentiful in the spring. While money in general has been scarce, the Northwestern Building association, on account of its monthly receipts, has ample supply and is in a position to take care of all who desire to borrow in Thief River Falls.

After making an inspection of the city, Mr. Adams and Mr. Hannah left for Mahnomen, Detroit and Fergus Falls.—adv.

New Soft Drink Parlor.

A new soft drink establishment will be opened within a few days on the corner of Second street and LaBree cupied by the Home cafe. O. W. Carlson is the man back of the venture and is having the interior of the building completely redecorated so as to have everything spick and span.

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For the 100th time, the Standard Oil Co., Fargo, N. D., has employed a graduate of Dakota Business College of that city. He is Mr. L. Torgerson. Students from this school are preferred largely because they're taught actual business methods as well as text books. They fit right in and advance quickly.

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FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	6.80
Bran	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	3.93
Corn and oat feed, 80-lb. bags	2.50
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	2.93
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.60
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.16
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring chickens	.19
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.50
Dairy Butter	.55
Creamery butter	.60
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse hides	4.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.18
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.18
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
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Secretary of State Schmahl Sends Complete Ballots to County Auditors.

New Farmer-Labor Party Fails to Have Electors Placed on State Ballot.

Two Women Candidates Are in Race to Compete With Men For Honors.

Minnesota's complete state ballot has been made up and samples are now in the hands of county auditors. It is no longer subject to change, either by withdrawal or addition of new names.

Voters in this state will have a choice among five presidential candidates at the November election. There are W. G. Harding, Republican; James M. Cox, Democrat; W. W. Cox, Industrial; Eugene V. Debs, Socialist, and Aaron S. Watkins, Prohibition.

Four For Governor.

Four candidates are in the field for governor of Minnesota. They are J. A. O. Preus, Republican; L. C. Hodgson, Democrat; [illegible] Olmpstead, Independent, and Peter J. Samson, Socialist.

Five candidates aspire for the position of lieutenant governor, as follows: Louis L. Collins, Republican; James P. McDonnell, Democrat; G. H. Hubbell, National; George H. Mallon, Independent, and Lillian Friedman, Socialist. The last named is one of the two women candidates on the state ticket; Lilly J. Anderson, Farmer-Labor candidate for secretary of state being the other.

Five For Secretary of State.

There are five candiates for secretary of state, although the Nonpartisan league has made no effort to get this office via the independent route. Those on the ballot are Mike Holm, Republican; Frank C. Burmaster, Democrat; Lily J. Anderson, Farmer-Labor; John M. Copeland, National, and J. H. Hirt, Socialist.

Four men are in the race for state treasurer, the following having signified their desire of being placed in charge of the state's strongbox: Henry Rines, Republican; John P. Wagner, Farmer-Labor; H. F. Leuders, Democrat; P. H. Phelps, Socialist.

The battle for the attorney generalship is a three-cornered fight, the principals being Clifford L. Hilton, Republican, the present incumbent; R. A. McGuat, Democrat, and Thomas V. Sullivan, Independent.

For Other Offices.

For railroad and warehouse commissioner O. P. B. Jacobson, Republican, is a candidate for re-election, in opposition to Ralph W. Robinson, Democrat, and Tom May, Socialist. Two men are to be voted upon for justice of the supreme court, these being placed on the ballot without party designation. They are Homer B. Dibell and George L. Siegel. The latter has the endorsement of the Nonpartisan league.

Minnesota voters desiring to support Parley P. Christensen, candidate of the Farmer-Labor party for president, will not have an opportunity to register their choice because of the fact that this list of electors was not filed with the secretary of state within the time limit prescribed by law.

STATE SEAL QUOTA IN QUARTER MILLION

Average of Ten Cents Expected From Every Inhabitant Before Next Christmas.

Minnesota's annual Christmas Seal Sale is on, organization of special committees to conduct the 1920 drive for funds with which to continue the fight against tuberculosis and other diseases being under way in every county in the state, it was announced recently by the Minnesota Public Health Association. The goal of the 1920 Christmas Seal Sale in this state is a $250,000 fund, each county concentrating its efforts upon selling at least 10 cents worth of the famous penny health seals or the equivalent in health bonds for every one of its residents.

Last year Minnesota invested approximately $160,000 in health through the purchase of Christmas Seals and Health Bonds, leading all states in the Mississippi Valley in per capita sales. This fund, spent chiefly through the county public health associations, is being used to educate the men, women and children of Minnesota in health needs and for actual preventive work.

"Disease never quits—Neither does Minnesota!" is the war-cry of the public health crusaders who are determined to surpass last year's record by obtaining the largest per capita sale of Christmas Seals of any state in the union. The intensive selling drive is from December 1 to 10.

More than half of the counties already have appointed seal sale directors and are completing their campaign organizations.

Federal Chief in Jail For Violation of Liquor Laws

R. B. Leady, recently appointed prohibition enforcement group chief for North Dakota, was arrested last Friday on a charge of violating the prohibition laws. He was placed in the Cass county jail by the United States marshal in default of $5,000 bail.

The charge preferred against Leady is "transporting intoxicating liquor in violation of the Federal prohibition laws and conspiracy to commit a crime against the Federal government."

Leady's arrest followed the arrest at Sioux Falls, S. D., of Theodore Musgjerd, who recently resigned from the North Dakota prohibition enforcement force, for alleged violation of the prohibition statute.

COUNTY ASKED TO HELP IN S. A. DRIVE

Quota For Pennington Placed at $2600 in Salvation Army Campaign.

County conventions of men and women who will assist in the raising of funds to enable the Salvation Army to continue its activities throughout Minnesota will be held during the next ten days. These gatherings are for the purpose of perfecting machinery to insure the raising of $268,050 from October 11th to 18th. The week will be known as Salvation Army Service Week.

Each county has been asked by the Advisory Boards to raise a certain sum. This money will be used for the various Salvation Army institutions, bureaus and departments; for statewide relief, for distress and for extending the service of the Army to all sections. Pennington county's apportionment has been set at $2,600.00.

The plan to raise a fund for the Salvation Army followed a convention of County Advisory Boards held in Minneapolis several weeks ago. The social and moral conditions of the state were discussed and the necessity of immediate action was pointed out. The delegates voted unanimously to use the facilities of the Salvation Army to bring about a change in conditions and to relieve distress.

What would your grandfather have though if you had [illegible] told him lispingly in 1876 that in 1920 women would vote because they could and men [illegible] up because they couldn't.—*Pittsburg Sun.*

Dairy Cattle Judging Team of Boys at Chicago

Two Hennepin county boys, Victor Anderson and Walter Nesbitt, both of Eden Prairie, and James Welch of Norwood are representing Minnesota among boy and girl club members from all over the country who are attending the big National Dairy show in Chicago. All their expenses are being paid by the Minnesota Livestock Breeders association which is cooperating with the agricultural extension division in carrying forward this work. These boys won their spurs in the annual dairy cattle judging contest for club members at University Farm. Roy Bodin of Cannon Falls, was fourth in the contest; Orvin Dale of Albert Lea, fifth; Clifton Smith of Cannon Falls, sixth; Elmore Morrison of Copas, seventh; Lester Coyle of Thief River Falls, eighth. The all around state livestock judging contest for boy and girl club workers will be Livestock Show at South St. Paul Nov. 17 to 19. Boys and girls from 22 counties—44 juniors in all—will take part in the judging of cattle, hogs, sheep and horses. The winning three will have their expenses paid to the International Livestock Exposition at Chicago November 27

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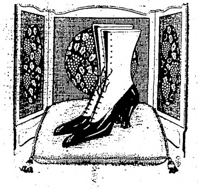

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Men's brown kid and calf lace shoes, English last, $12 value $9.95
Others in different leathers and styles $4.95 $5.95 $6.95 $7.95
SPECIAL—Boys' Shoes, lace and button, $4.50 values $3.60
SPECIAL—Youths' Shoes, $3.50 value $2.70
One lot of Misses' black and brown shoes, sizes 11½ to 2, value $4.50 $3.60
One lot of Children's black and brown Shoes, sizes 8½ to 11, value $3.50 $2.70

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Editorial.

Why is it necessary for so many, especially of the upper classmen, when not in the presence of the fairer ones, to indulge in the pastime of punctuating every statement with a flow of profanity? This is a question which has been revolving in our minds for a long time. Why this infamous, prehistoric practice among those who are known as the cream of human society, the college students? From experience and observations we know it is not an essential or even desirable trait of an athlete nor does it as far as our limited range of observation extends raise the individual or individuals in the eyes of their fellowmen.—Gustavian Weekly.

"Buy Season Tickets."

School Loyalty.

School loyalty is a student's love and respect of the school he attends. It is best shown by using his time as has been prescribed by conducting himself in a manner to please his teachers, and by being courteous to all. The effect on after life is very great. He will naturally be loyal to any man or firm for whom he works and others with whom he works and others with whom he comes in contact. His character will be strengthened to resist the temptations of life, and he will be honored and respected by all who know him.

"Buy Season Tickets."

Chapel.

Monday morning the students at the Lincoln high school had the privilege of hearing an address by Mayor Hodgson of St. Paul, who was in the city in the interests of his election to the governorship of the State of Minnesota.

Mr. Hodgson spoke interestingly on the great opportunities open to the younger generation during the reconstruction period which is following the great war. He scrupulously avoided politics, but said that it was not the government but each individual that will make this nation.

"Buy Season Tickets."

High School Glee Club

A Girls' Glee club was organized by the music instructor, Miss Johnson, Tuesday evening. About twenty-two girls were present, mostly Sophomores and Juniors. All the voices were tested and the regular work of the glee club will begin next week.

It is also Miss Johnson's intention to organize a Boys' Glee club and she hopes to have the work along this line begun as soon as possible. From the two clubs will be picked a mixed chorus.

"Buy Season Tickets."

Intelligence Tests.

Intelligence tests are being given to all students in the grades, from the first to the eighth inclusive.

The purpose of these intelligence tests is to grade the children according to their mentality. These same tests have been given to thousands of students previously and a certain standard has been set for each grade. A student is marked according to his class in school. An upper classman would be expected to answer the questions more intelligently than one below him. If a fourth grader can write as good a paper as the average fifth grader, he deserves, according to his mentality, to be put in that grade.

Superintendent Ziegler's plan is to divide each grade into two divisions, A and B. In this way a student will not be required to spend one whole year in one grade, if he is able to make it in less time. There will be two promotions during each year and if a student is not able to make one grade in a year, he might make it in one and a half years instead of spending two years in one grade. This method of grading students according to their mental development should prove to be a good plan.

Marshmallow Roasts.

One of the greatest all-school social events for the year took place Friday evening, Oct. 1, when the student body of the Lincoln high school, chaperoned by several members of the faculty, gathered at Squaw Point for a marshmallow roast.

Friday morning at chapel the Senior class president announced that the Seniors had planned a marshmallow roast in which the entire school was invited to take part. The class presidents all accepted the invitation on behalf of their respective classes and it was decided that all should meet at the high school at 7 o'clock.

At the appointed hour scattered groups of pleasure seekers began to arrive at the picnic grounds. Wood was gathered for five fires, and marshmallows were roasted until each one's appetite was satisfied. A number of upper classmen discovered a Freshman, and proceeded to "initiate" him. Freshman after Freshman was found and forced to "run the gauntlet," and few, if any, escaped. Games were played around the dying campfires until ten o'clock, when the happy, singing groups started for home.

The idea of a high school festival of this kind originated in 1917, but was dropped until the Senior class of 1921 took action. It is hoped that this annual festival will be held every year, as it will do a great deal towards developing school spirit, and school spirit is of far greater importance than class spirit.

"Buy Season Tickets."

A FORTUNE

More fortunes are made in the business world than in any other line. To get your first start you must have a business education. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out the wonderful progress students of this big school are making, and how you can succeed also.

Harold Leslin.

Harold Leslin, an eighteen year old member of the Sophomore class, died last week after about two months of sickness. He had first been taken to the local Physicians hospital but later sent to St. Paul, where he was at the time his death occurred. His home was near Goodridge, where he leaves parents, brothers and sisters to mourn his departure. The burial took place Tuesday afternoon from the Presbyterian church, Rev. Barackman officiating, and six of the local high school boys acting as pall bearers.

The Sophomore class extends its sympathy to parents, relatives and friends.

Bread Club.

Thursday evening at 7 o'clock the old members of the "Bread Club" entertained the new members at the Lincoln high school. Those present besides the members were, Miss Patrick, Miss Poppitz and Mr. Ziegler.

The evening was spent in singing and telling stories and a general good time was reported.

"Buy Season Tickets."

High School vs. Alumni.

Tuesday afternoon a football game was put on by the high school squad and the alumni.

The game itself was slow and tiresome but was extremely good practice and scrimmage for the high school squad. The alumni scored two touch-downs, which were all that were made, throughout the game. The final score was 12 to 0.

Football Schedule of 1920.

Oct. 16th.

During this month the following football games will be played: Crookston high versus Lincoln high at Thief River Falls. Crookston has a fast squad this year.

Oct. 23rd.

Bemidji high versus Lincoln high at Thief River Falls. Bemidji has the fastest team in the history of that city. They walloped East Grand Forks to the tune of [illegible] to 0.

Oct. 30th.

Fosston high versus Lincoln high at Thief River Falls. Fosston's team guarantees a peppy and fast game. What do you say if we go and see them.

"Buy Season Tickets."

Try it Once.

Sign in front of a florist's shop in Mt. Clemens, [illegible] Arthur Der-blumen, [illegible]: "Say it with Flowers."

First teacher: "What do you think of [illegible]?"

Second teacher: "I think he is a [illegible]."

First teacher: "I wonder who for?"

[illegible] in Physics: "What does [illegible] mean?"

[illegible]: "Pretty soon, I think."

[illegible]: "Hey, Jim! Don't come down the [illegible] on the [illegible] side, I took it [illegible]."

Miss Elliot in Civics: "Dwight, do you know Lincoln's Gettysburg Address?"

Dwight: "No, I thought he lived at the White House."

Mr. Patrick in English 1: "Pay attention. I'm going to skip around."

Miss Brown in Physiology: "Now I'm going to divide you into sections."

Here and There.

If you find that people cannot, or will not, keep their noses out of your business, start a skunk farm.

A habit a chemistry student had of tasting each different acid. Nitric acid hit him bad, now he's a bright little kid.

Lynn Halvorson has returned to school after a short illness.

We see that Russel Anderson is the Hero of the High School.

A class in English was required to write an essay of about 300 words. One boy wrote: "Once upon a time my uncle went auto driving in the mountains. When he was about 20 miles from the nearest town the car struck a large stone in the road breaking off the front wheel. This is about 25 words, the other 275 words is what my uncle said while he was walking to town. These 275 words are not fit to be published."

Miss Brown to Physiology Class: "Now, write a little on the nose."

If the price of paper keeps going up the manufacturers will have to use leather for shoe soles.

In reference to a newspaper story of how Shipstead was held up at a railroad station and relieved of $70 the paper continues "and he was forced to lie while the bandit made his escape." This is the first time we ever heard of a politician being forced to lie.

Mr. Schmitt in Mechanical Drawing class: "Now, close your eyes boys, and look at this."

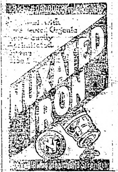

They Say—

Declaring that he did not believe there was immediate need for such a publication, E. E. Nicholson, dean of student affairs at the University of Minnesota, has denied the application of students to publish a magazine called "Minnesota Life."

We now have a news box in the upper hall of the high school and anyone having personals, editorials, essays, etc., please leave them there.

Some of the students seem to have the idea that only the Journalism class should contribute to the school newspaper, but they have the wrong idea entirely.

Any articles handed in will be appreciated by the staff.

We see that Carleton is progressing rapidly in their $1,000,000 campaign. This $1,000,000 is to be used for the building of laboratories and for the improvement of the old.

"Buy Season Tickets."

Personals.

Some of the students that attended the football game at Red Lake Falls on Saturday, Oct. 2 are the following: Ernest Barzen, Ernest Zeh, Hugh McDaniel, Norbert Holzknecht, Morris Mabey, Mathew Barzen, Stanley Sorenson, Clifford Sorenson, Norman Mellum, Herbey Johnson, Leslie Biglow and Clarence Rice; and Misses Austin, Mealy, Elliot, Krohn and Herron.

Anna Lieners, who has been visiting relatives in San Francisco for the past two months, returned Sunday morning to resume her studies at the high school.

The following were found on the general science examination papers in answer to the questions:

"The senses are breathing, talking, walking, running and standing."

"Our most common senses are sneezing, coughing, sobbing, choking and laughing, except some people have a sixth sense which is snoring."

class of '20, left last week for Minneapolis where he will attend the Minneapolis Business college.

Henry Sagmoen, a graduate of the

W. ROPER ON FOOTBALL A NATIONAL INSTITUTION

W. W. Roper, prominent Philadelphia lawyer and coach of Princeton, has written the following article on football as a national institution:

Gen. Leonard Wood told me last week that he hoped to see this year's Harvard-Princeton game. "I thoroughly believe in the spirit," said he, "because the men who played it made good in the war."

High praise, but anyone who had watched and played and known the game over a stretch of years would have known intuitively that any good football player would make about the best imaginable material for a good soldier. More, any man who had caught the essential spirit of the game from the stands or sidelines would have in him the quality out of which hard, clean, manly fighting not for self but for a cause is pretty apt to come.

I believe in football not merely as a good game to play and watch, but as a splendid preparation for life. The successful man is the one who can fight through adversity, who can take punishment and come up smiling, who is never beaten till the whistle blows. Football demands that sort of courage, and it develops and strengthens that quality in every man who plays it even reasonably long or well.

In its effect on the men who play it is seems to me that there is not any possible basis in fact for disapproval of the game. To be sure the football man probably comes in for more minor injuries than the baseball player. Bruises, all sorts of knocks, painful but not serious, are part of his regular routine. One of the fundamental features of the game is that the players must disregard these minor injuries and keep on playing as if they had not happened. It is essentially a game of personal contact, and where you have personal contact there is of course a possibility that someone will be hurt, but under the present rule the probability of serious injury has been practically eliminated.

The football player has to develop initiative and resource. Football is not cut and dried. The unexpected is about the only thing one ought to expect. No two plays are alike, and they vary so infinitely and so rapidly that no coach or trainer can foresee any great proportion of field emergencies. He can only train his men to think quickly and to act as quickly as they think. Every player under tremendous excitement and nervous tension, surrounded by fifty thousand screaming partisans, has to keep cool or be beaten as the price of failure. Football is condemned by people who know little or nothing about it, as a contest of beef. It is, in sober reality, the keenest sort of battle of wits, in which quick thinking and quick acting will beat out slow thinking and slow acting nine times out of ten. A stupid man is hopelessly out of his element on the football field.

The team which gets its men into every play is the team that wins. The team that puts its faith in individual stars, however, is pretty apt to lose. Cooperation, pulling together, ever sacrificing self for the common good, is mere routine in football. Every good player has to learn to subordinate himself and work for the good of the team, even if that means self effacement.—Gustavian Weekly.

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VIOLIN LESSONS

After Sept 11, Mrs. Aug. Holmberg will be in the city for the winter and will take a few pupils for violin instruction.
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The New Farm Hand—Gasoline Power

THE average ownership of automobiles for 1919 was one car to every 14 persons in the United States. But in making this average, the states outside the Middle West (including the states of the east, with their congested city traffic) showed but one car for every 19 persons.

The states served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) such as Kansas, showing one automobile for every 8.9 persons; Iowa with a car for every 7.8 persons; or South Dakota, with a machine for every 8.3 persons—raised the national average.

The people of the Middle West—preeminently the farming section of the nation—own about one-half the motor cars of the country. The major portion—almost 65% of these Middle Western cars are farmer-owned. Investigation has further proved that over 75% of the Middle Western farmers bought their cars, not for pleasure, but for business.

Gasoline-power is the new hired hand on the farm. To maintain the continuous operation of this power is one of the leading services rendered by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

To increase the nation's food-supply, the farmer must depend upon his gasoline supply. Someone must continually anticipate production difficulties, overcome transportation delays, so that his tractor and his truck and his car may operate whenever the plowing, cultivating, seeding, harvesting, housing or marketing of his crops must be done.

It was to insure dependability in supply of petroleum products to the consumer as well as to lower their prices, that the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) built up its "cycle of service", carrying its products from the refinery direct to the consumer. All savings effected through this efficiency in organization are passed on by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) to the consumers of its products.

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The NEW EDISON
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—the way we use in our store!—the Realism Test! Test the New Edison's Realism against the pleasure you know music can bring.

Tell us what kind of voice or instrument gives you truest musical enjoyment. Listen while we play your favorite on the New Edison. The Realism Test will enable you to gauge whether the New Edison's RE-CREATION gives you all of this enjoyment.

This is your test! It will help you determine what the New Edison's Realism means, in terms of your own musical enjoyment.

Ask for it! The "Personal Favorites" Realism Test.

Another thing to ask about is our Budget Plan. It disposes of the money question, in a way that will appeal to your common-sense and to your pocketbook.

Thief River Music Company

Here Is the Sale the People Have Been Waiting For

Finest Line of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes in This Section Offered at an Astounding discount

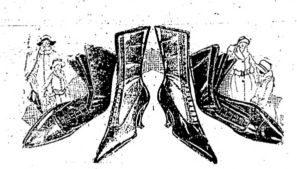

The present stock must be reduced to the lowest possible point in a very short time. Every pair of shoes included in this great mark-down sale. Nothing held back.

Sale Starts Saturday Morning, Oct. 16

Stock is new and up-to-date in every particular, having been purchased for this season's business. No left-overs. Nothing shelf-worn. A bona-fide reduction sale on merchandise of the highest class. The line includes such high-grade makes as the Selby, Roth, Peters and Gotzian shoes for women; O'Donnell, Conley, Edwards and Beacon fine shoes for men, as well as Chippewa, Lion Brand, Hunkidori and Thompson shoes for heavier wear.

Do Not Miss This Opportunity

Below are quoted only a few of the exceptional bargains to be found at this store during this great reduction sale:

Ladies' Shoes

Black or brown kid, 8½ inch lace, blind eyelets, imported tip, leather Louis heel. Regular price $12.50, sale price	$9.15
Patent leather 8½ inch lace with brown kid. top, covered Louis heel Regular $11—a wonderful value	7.85
Dark brown calf, 8 inch bal., imported tip, military heel. A shoe selling regularly for $11.50 now	8.35
Black or brown kid, 8 inch top, imported tip, Louis or Military heel. Regular $7.50 value. A bargain at	5.95
Growing Girl's black or brown calf-skin shoe with low heel. Regular $6.50 now	5.35

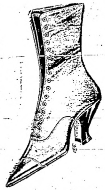

Men's Shoes

Burgundy Russian Calf Bal. Semi-English, rubber heel, regular $13.50 now	10.85
Mahogany Calf, English toe, blind eyelet. Regularly sold at $10.50 and $12 now	8.85
Black Kid, 8 inch top, leather lined; cushion sole, rubber heel. Regular price $12, now	9.15
Black or brown kid, Bal. or Blucher cut, rubber heel. A shoe regularly selling for $12.50, now	8.35
Chocolate Glove Bal. with full double sole, wingfoot heel. Just the shoe for fall and winter wear. Regular price $9.50, now	7.95

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DO NOT EXPECT TOO MUCH.

The general decline in prices will be hailed with delight by the buying public. Our people stood the pressure a long time but at last seem to have rebelled. There is no guesswork as to what caused the recent downward trend of prices. There are two reasons, one is that the public quit buying and the other that the banks refused to extend loans to wholesalers and manufacturers. It becomes necessary to move stock fast and this could only be brought about by a general slashing.

There is no indication of a wild break or general upsetting of conditions and there are well-posted authorities who assert that the present price level cannot be maintained for any length of time. They hold that basic costs—material and labor—have not been reduced and that until this is brought about no lasting relief from high prices can be expected.

The profiteer and speculator is being hit hard and there is general rejoicing over the fact. To the extent that final costs were represented by what went to this gentry the decline will in all likelihood be permanent, but this will not make any startling difference in the net result.

A return to pre-war conditions except by gradual stages would mean unemployment, panic and bankruptcy. This must be avoided at all costs as the public would suffer vastly more if such conditions prevailed than is the case at present. Men must be kept at work and the big problem is how to maintain the present wage level, at least approximately, and at the same time cut costs to the ultimate consumer. Manufacturers say that it can be done by the speeding up of individual production—that is, higher efficiency in the turning out and handling of goods. They realize that adjusting wages downward is going to be a difficult matter and dread the time when such course will be necessary. That labor would suffer in the event of a general breakdown of prices is certain and this is something the buying public should take into consideration.

Chances are that the present is a good time to buy everything that is needed. There is not much likelihood of prices falling farther at this time and consequently nothing is to be gained by waiting. By buying normally at the reductions now offered our people will be helping to stabilize conditions, keep the wheels turning and hold men at their jobs.

Right now the merchants of Thief River Falls are unloading their stocks at big discounts. Our advice would be for everyone to take advantage of the fact. By so doing we will be contributing our share toward keeping things on an even keel.

UNWARRANTED LIBERALITY.

The members of the Pennington County Agricultural association present at the meeting on Saturday evening knew just what they were doing, perhaps, but if such is the case they have the best of the rest of our population.

It is all very well to pay for such services to the association as are necessary in order to keep it functioning properly, but this does not mean that salaries must be provided for men who do not want them. The proceedings Saturday evening were a joke—at least a considerable part of them had better prove a joke for the good of the fair in the future.

During their spasm of liberality the members not only voted to raise the pay of the secretary to $500 for services performed during the year, increasing his stipend from $300, but they put the president and both vice presidents on the pay roll at $200 each, and did so after the three officers last mentioned had protested against any such action being taken.

The services of these officers are perhaps worth the money called for, but where is it coming from? Some source of revenue not now visible will have to be discovered or the fair board will find itself broke at the close of its exhibition one of these fine summers. One day of bad weather will do it; a refusal on the part of those who have heretofore supported the fair to come forward with their contributions will have the same effect. How are the fair managers, for instance, going to approach the county commissioners for the annual donation in the face of the action taken Saturday? How much will the city council of Thief River Falls contribute when it is known that there is a fixed charge against the association of $1100 for salaries? How will the business men who have in years past generously contributed toward the upkeep of the organization feel about it? Does anyone think for a minute that they will continue the practice in the face of such preposterous performance? Vice President Fred Beerbower stated at the meeting that the business men of Thief River Falls have made the fair what it is. They can probably also unmake it if such proceeding becomes necessary.

President Herbert Fuller said that no man holding that office had ever yet asked for a salary and he was absolutely certain that he was not going to start the practice. Both vice presidents said they would give back the amount provided for their services if it were forced on them, but how about future officials?

What was the object of this sudden attack of large-heartedness, anyway? No one seems to know. The result is not so hard to figure out.

TALKING TO HOME FOLKS.

That the people of Thief River Falls and surrounding country are taking an unusual interest in the issues of the political campaign now in progress is evidenced by their attendance at the meetings so far held here. Never have speakers been able to get out such good crowds—and all sides seem to be treated alike in this respect. Up to date not much has been done for the national ticket, state and local issues having been emphasized.

Next Wednesday there is a rally at which the speaker will in all probability choose a wider field. Congressman Halvor Steenerson comes here for the purpose of addressing the voters at that time and he will no doubt meet with a reception similar to that accorded others.

Mr. Steenerson was in congress all the time the late war was in progress and knows of the measures taken to put the United States in combat trim. He doubtless has well-defined ideas as to how best to get back to normal again, and these will be interesting to his constituents. Mr. Steenerson may also be expected to go quite extensively into matters of particular interest to the people of the district at this time, and of these there are quite a number.

The Ninth district congressman has served the district long and well. He is at the head of one of the most important committees of congress and will remain there in case the Republicans are successful in keeping control, which seems most likely. It cannot be gainsaid that he is in a position to be of even greater value to the district in the future than in the past by reason of the prominent position he now occupies.

At any rate come out and hear him. He has not delivered an address here since early in the war and he is no doubt in a position to explain many of the things that have happened since that time. Remember he is your congressman and that what he thinks and says is of direct interest to you.

HE'S THE WINNER AGAIN.

Marketing conditions are far from satisfactory to the ordinary farmer these days. Prices for his produce, particularly grain and potatoes, have taken a decided slump—in fact those who must sell at once are compelled to do so at an actual loss.

In an average year the wheat price would not appear so bad, but in this section many farmers were forced to buy seed at a very high figure, the labor cost has been far above the average all through the growing season and everything that he has bought has been far above normal. Had the price of his commodity held where it was a year ago he would not have much more than broke even. As it is he is decidedly up against a hard proposition. The potato grower is in the same fix. Seed cost all the way from $6 to $12 per bushel when he planted last spring and to this must be added the unusual expense attached to caring for the growing crop. Unless he has storage facilities the outlook is far from cheering.

Dairy product prices are still holding up well and with the winter season coming on there is not much likelihood of a drop. The man with the milk herd is fortunate in more respects than one, particularly in this section. He is not hit by the general decline and besides secured an excellent fodder crop for the winter. He faces no serious falling off in the size of his cream check and need not worry over the feed problem during the time that his cattle must be housed. While as a general thing his position is the most secure of all our husbandmen, this year he is decidedly the winner.

The situation again shows the need for more dairy cows on the farm. The man who depends on grain or other field crops is liable to disappointment even under the most favorable circumstances while there is very small likelihood of the stock owner ever getting caught. This fact is coming to be generally recognized and our farmers are turning to cattle more and more every year. Conditions such as those confronting our farm population at this time will have the effect of boosting this industry and will serve to correspondingly depress those who still cling to the old method.

The dairy cow is the salvation of this section. Year in and year out she will prove the dependable standby for the man who pins his faith to her.

The Babcock Amendment.

(Crookston Press.)

Vote "Yes" on the good roads amendment to the Minnesota constitution. That is the advice of this paper to its readers, its owners and supporters.

The amendment in itself commits the state to nothing but a good roads program and opens the way to inaugurate that program. If the plan as proposed by Babcock is feasible and if automobile and truck owners and those most directly concerned are willing or can be made to bear the greater part of the expense, then that would seem fair.

Whether cement roads are laid, or some other form of hard-surfaced highways are built, is left to the legislature upon the advice of the highway department and its engineers. If concrete is the material finally decided upon as likely to give the people of Minnesota the most enduring system of year-around roads, then that is the kind we should have if they can be paid for without imposing too heavy a burden of taxation.

The hundred million dollar bond issue provision, which to make it legal in reality constitutes a lien upon all the property of all the people, may be the feature you disapprove. Yet no bond issue will be necessary if the figures of the highway department are correct in estimating the amount that can be raised by a direct tax upon automobiles and other motor vehicles. That phase of the good roads proposition is also left for final decision to the legislature. And the right kind of legislature will not saddle the taxpayers of the state with a bond issue carrying staggering interest totals if by any means they can build good roads otherwise.

So there is nothing to the good roads proposition but to send men to the legislature who are honest and who will protect the best interests of the people in this and in all other matters. Elect men who are not tied up in any way to the old political machines, either of state or county, and who will not vote on any proposition according to any dictate other than that of their own conscience.

As Bill Sees It.

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

There is a big difference between being in a road and on a road. Vote for Amendment No. 1.

Now it is said that straw hats will be made of wood next year. They will feel at home on some heads.

A New York baby kicked his nurse so hard that she's suing the reckless rascal's mother for $10,000 damages.

"Do you suppose," asks an exchange, "that somebody dropped a raisin in the kid's bottle?"

If coal doesn't get more plentiful a lot of furnaces will join McSwinney in his hunger strike.

Indications point to good fur hunting next winter, which assures the ladies plenty to wear for next summer.

The price of shoes is coming down. They must have quit making them out of paper and gone back to leather.

This wonderful weather must be an awful jolt to the crape hangers who are always hollering what a poor country this is.

Burglars broke into the Thief River Falls jail and carried off $5000 worth of booze in an auto. It's a wonder they didn't steal a policeman for chaffeur.

Several of the papers of the state are using Region editorials without giving credit, but we don't care as long as we can persuade the banks to give us a little.

Most great inventions are accidental discoveries, and some home-brew artists may yet discover a substitute for gasoline.

Opinions of Others.

When France has made Germany deliver that coal, perhaps she will come over here and make our coal barons deliver a little to us.—New York World.

According to Washington advices, the high cost of living has reached the peak again. Old H. C. of L. must be leaping from peak to peak, as it were.—New York Globe.

The Germans say that the Allies are "drunk with victory," but some of the Allies are beginning to fear the victory is less than one-half of one per cent.—Greenville Piedmont.

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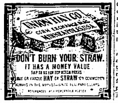
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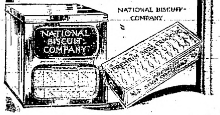

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The finest assortment of $35 and $40 Suits, plain or belted; all sizes	$27.45
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$8.50 heavy wool Pants	$6.45
Wool mixed Pants	$4.45
$13.50 dress Pants	$10.45
Work Pants	$2.65
$2.50 boys' Pants	$1.95
$4.00 boys' all wool Pants	$2.85
$15.00 men's blue serge Pants	$10.45

Shoes

$5.50 men's Work Shoes	$3.85
$6.00 men's Work Shoes	$4.45
$5.00 boys' Work Shoes	$3.65
$10.00 men's dress Shoes	$7.45
$6.00 men's dress Shoes	$4.85

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Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota

and a Proposed Law Relating to Taxation of Railroad Properties.

Submitted by the Legislature at its General Session, 1919, to the People of Minnesota at the General 1920 Election Together with Statements of

Purpose and Effect of each

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February 1, 1920.

HON. JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State,
Capitol, St. Paul, Minn.

SIR:

As required by Section 46, General Statutes of the state of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purposes and effects of all amendments proposed to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1919, and which are to be submitted to the electors of said state at the general election in 1920.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

(To be known as Article XVI).

Chapter 530, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes to amend the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by adding thereto a new article to be known as Article XVI, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. There is hereby created and established a trunk highway system, which shall be located, constructed, reconstructed, improved and forever maintained as public highways by the state of Minnesota. The said highways shall extend as nearly as may be along the following described routes, the more specific and definite location of which shall be fixed and determined by such boards, officers and tribunals, and in such manner as shall be prescribed by law, but in fixing such specific and definite routes there shall not be any deviation from the starting points or terminals set forth in this bill, nor shall there be any deviation in fixing such routes from the various villages and cities named herein; through which such routes are to pass.

Route No. 1.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southeasterly of Albert Lea and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point in Albert Lea and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point and on the southerly limits of the city of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of St. Paul and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the boundary line between the state of Minnesota and the province of Ontario, affording Albert Lea, Owatonna, Faribault, Northfield, Farmington, St. Paul, White Bear, Forest Lake, Wyoming, Rush City, Pine City, Hinckley, Sandstone, Moose Lake, Carlton, Duluth, Two Harbors, Grand Marais and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 2.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a southwesterly direction along said Route No. 1 to a point on said route at Carlton and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at Moorhead, affording Duluth, Carlton, McGregor, Aitkin, Brainerd, Motley, Staples, Wadena, Detroit, Moorhead, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 3.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Wisconsin, westerly of La Crosse, Wisconsin, and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the easterly limits of the City of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at Breckenridge, affording La Crescent, Winona, Kellogg, Wabasha, Lake City, Red Wing, Hastings, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Osseo, Champlin, Anoka, Elk River, Big Lake, St. Cloud, Albany, Sauk Center, Alexandria, Elbow Lake, Fergus Falls, Breckenridge and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 4.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southwesterly of Jackson and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 3, southeasterly of Sauk Center and thence extending in a northwesterly direction along said Route No. 3 to a point on said route at Sauk Center and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point at International Falls, affording Jackson, Windom, Sanborn, Redwood Falls, Morton, Olivia, Willmar, Paynesville, Sauk Center, Long Prairie, Wadena, Park Rapids, Itasca State Park, Bemidji, International Falls and intervening and adjacent communities, a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 5.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southerly of Blue Earth and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the southerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point in Swan River on Route No. 8 hereinafter described, affording Blue Earth, Winnebago, Mankato, St. Peter, Le Sueur, Jordan, Shakopee, Minneapolis, Cambridge, Mora, McGregor, Swan River and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 6.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southerly of Ash Creek, and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the state of Minnesota and the province of Manitoba, near St. Vincent, affording Luverne, Pipestone, Lake Benton, Ivanhoe, Canby, Madison, Bellingham, Odessa, Ortonville, Graceville, Dumont, Wheaton, Breckenridge, Moorhead, Kragnes, Georgetown, Perley, Hendrum, Ada, Crookston, Warren, Donaldson, Hallock and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 7.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Winona and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and South Dakota, westerly of Lake Benton, affording Winona, St. Charles, Rochester, Kasson, Dodge Center, Claremont, Owatonna, Waseca, Mankato, St. Peter, New Ulm, Springfield, Tracy, Lake Benton, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 8.

Beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Crookston and thence extending in a westerly and northerly direction along said Route No. 6 to a point on said route northerly of Crookston and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at East Grand Forks, affording Duluth, Floodwood, Swan River, Grand Rapids, Cass Lake, Bemidji, Bagley, Erskine, Crookston, East Grand Forks, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 9.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at La Crescent and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and South Dakota southwesterly of Beaver Creek, affording La Crescent, Hokah, Houston, Rushford, Lanesboro, Preston, Fountain, Spring Valley, Austin, Albert Lea, Blue Earth, Fairmont, Jackson, Worthington, Luverne and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 10.

Beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at or near Wheaton, affording Minneapolis, Montrose, Cokato, Litchfield, Willmar, Benson, Morris, Herman, Wheaton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 11.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northwesterly and northerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at International Falls and thence extending in a southwesterly direction along said Route No. 4 to a point on said route southwesterly of International Falls and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Donaldson, affording Duluth, Eveleth, Virginia, Cook, Orr, Cussons, International Falls, Baudette, Warroad, Roseau, Greenbush, Donaldson and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 12.

Beginning at a point on the west bank of the St. Croix River near Hudson, Wisconsin and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the easterly limits of the city of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the westerly limits of [illegible] extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Madison, affording St. Paul, Minneapolis, Hopkins, Norwood, Glencoe, Olivia, Granite Falls, Montevideo, Dawson, Madison and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 13.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 at Albert Lea and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 5 at Jordan, affording Albert Lea, Waseca, Waterville, Montgomery, New Prague, Jordan and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 14.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 6 at Ivanhoe and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at Redwood Falls and thence extending in an easterly direction along said Route No. 4 to a point on said route at Morton and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 22, hereinafter described, at Gaylord, affording Ivanhoe, Marshall, Redwood Falls, Morton Winthrop, Gaylord and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 15.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa southerly of Fairmont and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 14 at Winthrop, affording Fairmont, Madelia, New Ulm, Winthrop and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 16.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 southwesterly of Mankato and thence extending westerly to a point on Route No. 15 at Madelia and thence extending in a southerly direction along said Route No. 15 to a point on said route southerly of Madelia and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 northerly of Windom and thence extending in a southerly direction along said Route No. 4 to a point on said route at Windom and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point at Fulda and thence extending in a southerly direction to a point on Route No. 9 at Worthington, affording Mankato, Madelia, St. James, Windom, Fulda, Worthington and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 17.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 16 at Fulda and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 at Granite Falls, affording Fulda, Slayton, Garvin, Marshall, Granite Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 18.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Elk River and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 2 easterly of Brainerd, affording Elk River, Princeton, Milaca, Onamia and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 19.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Brainerd and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 8 at Cass Lake, affording Brainerd, Pine River, Walker, Cass Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 20.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa near Canton and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 9 at or near Preston and thence extending in a northwesterly direction along said Route No. 9 to a point on said route at Fountain and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 in the town of Douglas, Dakota county (T. 113 R. 17 W) affording Canton, Harmony, Preston, Fountain, Chatfield, Oronoco, Pine Island, Zumbrota, Cannon Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 21.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Zumbrota and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 5 at St. Peter, affording Zumbrota, Kenyon, Faribault, Le Sueur Center, Cleveland, St. Peter and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 22.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 at St. Peter and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at Paynesville, affording St. Peter, Gaylord, Glencoe, Hutchinson, Litchfield, Paynesville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 23.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 4 at Paynesville and thence extending in a northeasterly direction through the villages of Richmond, Coldspring, Rockville, and Waite Park to a point on Route No. 3 westerly of St. Cloud, and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 5 southerly of Mora, and thence extending in a northerly direction along said Route No. 5 to a point on said route at Mora, and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 1 southerly of Hinckley, affording Paynesville, St. Cloud, Foley, Milaca, Ogilvie, Mora and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 24.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 10 at Litchfield and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at St. Cloud, affording Litchfield, St. Cloud and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 25.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 at or near Belle Plaine and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Big Lake, affording Belle Plaine, Norwood, Watertown, Montrose, Buffalo, Monticello, Big Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 26.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 10 at Benson and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Ortonville, affording Benson, Ortonville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 27.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at St. Cloud and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 2 at Brainerd, affording St. Cloud, Sauk Rapids, Royalton, Little Falls, Brainerd and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 28.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 27 at Little Falls and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and South Dakota at Browns Valley, affording Little Falls, Sauk Center, Glenwood, Starbuck, Morris, Graceville, Browns Valley and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 29.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 28 at Glenwood and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 2 westerly of Wadena affording Glenwood, Alexandria, Parkers Prairie, Deer Creek and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 30.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Fergus Falls, and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 8 at Erskine, affording Fergus Falls, Pelican Rapids, Detroit, Mahnomen, Erskine and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 31.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 6 at Ada, and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 30 near Mahnomen, affording Ada, Mahnomen and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 32.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 easterly of Crookston and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 11 at Greenbush, affording Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls, Middle River, Greenbush, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 33.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 32 at Thief River Falls and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Warren, affording Thief River Falls, Warren and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 34.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 2 at Detroit and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 8 westerly of Grand Rapids, affording Detroit, Park Rapids, Walker, Remer, Grand Rapids and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 35.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 18 near Mille Lacs Lake and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point at Grand Rapids and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point at Ely, affording Aitkin, Grand Rapids, Hibbing, Chisholm, Buhl, Mountain Iron, Virginia, Gilbert, McKinley, Biwabik, Aurora, Tower and Ely and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 36.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Fergus Falls and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 29 easterly of Henning, affording Fergus Falls, Henning and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 37.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 27 at Little Falls and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 2 at Motley, affording Little Falls, Motley and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 38.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 at Montevideo thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 28 at Starbuck, affording Montevideo, Benson, Starbuck, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 39.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 at Mankato and thence extending in a southeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 9 westerly of Albert Lea, affording Mankato, Mapleton, Minnesota Lake, Wells and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 40.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa at Lyle and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 7 at Owatonna, affording Lyle, Austin, Blooming Prairie, Owatonna and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 41.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 40 at or near Blooming Prairie and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 59, hereinafter described, near Hayfield, affording Blooming Prairie, Hayfield and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 42.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 easterly of Rochester and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Kellogg, affording Rochester, Elgin, Plainview, Kellogg and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 43.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 at Rushford and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Winona, affording Rushford, Winona and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 44.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 at Hokah and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 20 near Canton, affording Hokah, Caledonia, Canton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 45.

Beginning at a point on the west bank of the St. Croix River at Stillwater and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the easterly limits of the city of St. Paul, affording Stillwater, Lake Elmo, St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 46.

Beginning at a point on the west bank of the St. Croix River at Taylors Falls and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 1 near Wyoming, affording Taylors Falls, Center City, Wyoming and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 47.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 17 at Slayton and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Pipestone, affording Slayton, Pipestone and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 48.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 17 westerly of Granite Falls and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Canby, affording Granite Falls, Clarkfield, Canby and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 49.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 easterly of Montevideo and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 4 southerly of Willmar, affording Montevideo, Clara City, Willmar and intervening and adjacent communities, a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 50.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Cannon Falls and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the southerly limits of the city of Minneapolis, affording Cannon Falls, Farmington, Minneapolis and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 51.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 at Shakopee and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 northerly of Shakopee, affording a connection between said Route No. 5 and said Route No. 12.

Route No. 52.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 south of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the westerly limits of the United States military reservation at Fort Snelling, affording St. Paul and adjacent communities a reasonable communication with said Route No. 5.

Route No. 53.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Hastings and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the southerly limits of the city of South St. Paul, affording Hastings, South St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 54.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Elbow Lake and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 10 at Herman, affording Elbow Lake, Herman and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 55.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 2 northwesterly of Carlton and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point in Cloquet, affording Carlton, Cloquet and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 56.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 easterly of Austin and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 21 at or near Kenyon affording Brownsdale, Hayfield, Dodge Center, West Concord, Kenyon and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 57.

Beginning at a point in Mantorville and extending in a southerly direction to a point on Route No. 7 southerly of Mantorville, affording Mantorville a reasonable means of communication with said Route No. 7.

Route No. 58.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Zumbrota and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Red Wing, affording Zumbrota, Red Wing and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 59.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa southerly of Spring Valley and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on No. 3 at Lake City, affording Spring Valley, Stewartville, Rochester, Zumbro Falls, Lake City and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 60.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 at Faribault and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 7 at or near Madison Lake, affording Faribault, Morristown, Waterville, Madison Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 61.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Deer River and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at or near Big Falls affording Deer River, Big Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 62.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Anoka and thence extending in a southeasterly direction to a point on the northerly limits of the city of St. Paul, affording Anoka, St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 63.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 southerly of Forest Lake and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the northerly and easterly limits of the city of Minneapolis, affording a reasonable means of communication between Route No. 1 and Minneapolis.

Route No. 64.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 30 northerly of Fergus Falls and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 southerly of Moorhead, affording Fergus Falls, Rothsay, Barnesville, Moorhead and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 65.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Bagley and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 32 southerly of Red Lake Falls, affording Bagley, Clearbrook, Gonvik, Gully, Brooks, Terrebonne and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 66.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 at Montevideo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 26 northerly of Appleton affording Montevideo, Appleton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 67.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 southerly of Echo and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 17 at or near Granite Falls, affording Echo, Granite Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 68.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 at Marshall and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Canby, affording Marshall, Minneota, Canby and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 69.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 25 at Buffalo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 22 southeasterly of Paynesville, affording Buffalo, Maple Lake, Annandale, Eden Valley, Paynesville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 70.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 westerly of New Ulm and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 at or near the village of Hector, affording Fort Ridgely, Fairfax, Hector and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Additional Routes.

Whenever, either by reason of the creation of a new county, or by reason of the change of the county seat of any existing county, any city or village not a county seat at the time of the adoption of this amendment is lawfully constituted the county seat of any county, the legislature is authorized to add to the trunk highway system such additional routes connecting such newly constituted county seats with other county seats and other points in the state.

When after at least seventy-five (75) per cent of the total number of the miles of the routes embraced in the trunk highway system hereinbefore specified shall have been constructed and permanently improved, the legislature shall have authority to add new routes to such trunk highway system; provided, however, that no such new routes shall be added until and unless the funds available for the construction, improvement and maintenance of such additional routes shall be sufficient therefor in addition to the construction, improvement and maintenance of the several routes hereinbefore specifically described.

Section 2. There is hereby created a fund which shall be known as the trunk highway sinking fund. Said fund shall consist of the proceeds of any tax imposed on motor vehicles as herein authorized. The moneys in said fund shall be used for the payment of the principal and interest of any bonds which may be issued under the authority of this article; and any moneys in excess of such requirements shall be transferred to a fund which is hereby created and which shall be known as the trunk highway fund. The trunk highway fund shall be used solely for the purposes specified in Section 1 of this article, and when duly authorized by legislative enactment to reimburse any county for the money expended by it subsequent to February 1st, 1919, in permanently improving any road hereinbefore specifically described, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor approved by the commissioner of highways.

Section 3. The legislature is hereby authorized to provide, by law, for the taxation of motor vehicles, using the public streets and highways of this state, on a more onerous basis than other personal property, provided, however, that any such tax on motor vehicles shall be in lieu of all other taxes thereon, except wheelage taxes, so-called, which may be imposed by any borough, city or village. Any such law may, in the discretion of the legislature, provide for the exemption from taxation of any motor vehicle owned by a non-resident of the state, and transiently or temporarily using the streets and highways of the state. The proceeds of such tax shall be paid into said trunk highway sinking fund.

Section 4. The legislature may provide by law for the issue and sale of the bonds of the state in such amount as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of section 1 of this article, provided, however, that the amount of bonds which may be issued in any one calendar year shall not exceed, in the aggregate, ten million dollars, par value, and provided, further, the total amount of such bonds issued and unpaid shall not at any time exceed seventy-five million dollars, par value. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be paid into the treasury of the state and credited to the trunk highway fund. Any bonds so issued and sold shall be for a term not exceeding twenty (20) years. They shall not be sold for less than par and accrued interest and shall not bear interest at a greater rate than five per cent per annum. In case of the trunk highway sinking fund shall not be adequate to meet the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds authorized by the legislature as hereinbefore provided, the legislature may provide by law for the taxation of all taxable property of the state in an amount sufficient to meet the deficiency, or it may in its discretion, appropriate to such sinking fund moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 5. Any and all provisions of the constitution of the state of Minnesota inconsistent with the provisions of this article, are hereby repealed, so far, but only so far, as the same prohibit or limit the power of the legislature to enact laws authorizing or permitting the doing of the things hereinbefore authorized."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT OF AMENDMENT.

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to establish and provide for the construction and maintenance of a system of roads and highways in the state of Minnesota to be known as "The Trunk Highway System." The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to establish and authorize the enactment of laws, providing for the construction, improvement and maintenance by the state of the highways described in a general way in the amendment, which highways are to be more specifically and definitely located in a manner to be prescribed by law, but any such law must provide that in fixing a definite location of the various routes there shall not be any deviation from the starting point or termini described in the routes set forth in the amendment, nor shall there be a deviation in the fixing of the routes from the various villages and cities named in the amendment, and through which the routes are to pass.

If the amendment is adopted, the legislature will be thereby authorized to provide by law for the issuance and sale of the bonds of the state to raise money for the creation of a "Trunk Highway Fund" to be expended for the construction of the roads embraced in the trunk highway system. The legislature cannot, however, issue bonds in any one year exceeding in amount of the par value thereof the sum of $10,000,000, nor can the aggregate of all outstanding unpaid bonds ever exceed $75,000,000. Bonds cannot be sold for less than par or bear interest at a greater rate than five per cent per annum.

The adoption of the amendment will also confer on the legislature authority to levy a tax on motor vehicles, using the public streets and highways, on a more onerous basis than other personal property is taxed. The proceeds of such tax will be credited to the Highway Sinking Fund, which is to be used to pay bonds issued as above; any surplus in the Highway Sinking Fund not needed for the retirement of bonds to be transferred to the Trunk Highway Fund. Motor vehicles taxed by any law passed by the legislature under the amendment, will not be subject to any other tax, except that a wheelage tax may be imposed on such vehicles by any borough, city or village, if they see fit to do so.

In case the tax on motor vehicles is not sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the bonds issued, the legislature, in case of the adoption of the amendment, will be empowered to provide by law for the taxation of all the taxable property of the state in an amount sufficient to meet the deficiency, or it may, in its discretion, appropriate to such Highway Sinking Fund any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

Chapter 531, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes an amendment to section 7 of article VI of the constitution of the state of Minnesota. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 7. There shall be established in each organized county in the state a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such times and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of two years. He shall be a resident of such county at the time of his election, and reside therein during his continuance in office, and his compensation shall be provided by law. He may appoint his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election, by the electors of any county, of one clerk or register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction, except as prescribed by this constitution."

The amendment simply proposes to substitute the word "four" for the word "two" so that the sentence prescribing the duration of the term of office of probate judges will, if the amendment is adopted, read as follows:

"It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of four years."

The purpose of said amendment and its effect, if adopted, will be to make the term of office of judge of probate four years instead of two.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

Chapter 532 Session Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes an amendment to Section 1 of Article IX of the constitution of said state. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 1. The power of taxation shall never be surrendered, suspended or contracted away. Taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, and shall be levied and collected for public purposes, but public burying grounds, public school houses, public hospitals, academies, colleges, universities and all seminaries of learning, all churches, church property, and houses of worship, institutions of purely public charity, and public property used exclusively for any public purpose, shall be exempt from taxation, and there may be exempted from taxation personal property not exceeding in value $200, for each household, individual or head of a family, as the legislature may determine: Provided, that the legislature may authorize municipal corporations to levy and collect assessments for local improvements upon property benefited thereby without regard to a cash valuation, and provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect, modify or repeal any existing law providing for the taxation of the gross earnings of railroads."

If amended said section will read as follows:

"Section 1. The power of taxation shall never be surrendered, suspended or contracted away. Taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, and shall be levied and collected for public purposes, but public burying grounds, public school houses, public hospitals, academies, colleges, universities, and all seminaries of learning, all churches, church property, and houses of worship, institutions of purely public charity, and public property used exclusively for any public purpose, shall be exempt from taxation, and there may be exempted from taxation household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer thereof, tools, implements and machinery and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs, to such an extent and in such manner as the legislature may determine. Taxes may be imposed on incomes, privileges and occupations which taxes may be graduated and progressive and the exemption of a reasonable amount of income from taxation may be provided, and such taxes may be in lieu of taxes on any class or classes of personal property as the legislature may determine: Provided that the legislature may authorize municipal corporations to levy and collect assessments for local improvements upon property benefited thereby without regard to a cash valuation, and, provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect, modify or repeal any existing law providing for the taxation of the gross earnings of railroads."

The purpose of said amendment is to empower the legislature to enact laws, to such an extent, and in such a manner, as it may determine, exempting from taxation household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools implements and machinery, and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs; and to authorize the imposition of graduated and progressive taxes on incomes, privileges and occupations.

The effect of the amendment, if adopted, will be to accomplish the purpose above indicated, to-wit: to authorize the enactment of laws by the legislature:

FIRST: Providing for the exemption from taxation, to such an extent and in such manner as the legislature may determine, of household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools, implements and machinery, and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs.

SECOND: Providing for the imposition of graduated and progressive taxes on incomes, privileges and occupations.

PROPOSED LAW RELATING TO THE TAXATION OF RAILROAD PROPERTIES.

Chapter 223, Session Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year of 1919, proposes an amendment to section 2226, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, and provides that said amendment shall be submitted to the people of this state for approval or rejection at the 1920 general election. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 2226. Every railroad company owning or operating any line of railroad situated within, or partly within this state, shall, during the year 1913, and annually thereafter, pay into the treasury of this state, in lieu of all taxes and assessments, upon all property within this state, owned or operated for railway purposes, by such company, including equipment, appurtenances, appendages and franchises thereof, a sum of money equal to five per cent of the gross earnings derived from the operation of such line of railway within this state.

On or before August 15, 1913, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending June 30th, next preceding, and the said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and be payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on September 1st, next thereafter.

On or before February 15, 1914, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending December 31st, next preceding, and said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on March 1st, next thereafter; and the payment of such sums at the times hereinbefore set forth shall be in full and in lieu of all other taxes and assessments upon the property and franchises so taxed; provided nothing in this act shall be construed as modifying any agreement entered into between any municipality within the state and any railroad company relating to the payment of local taxes or assessments.

The lands acquired by public grant shall be and remain exempt from taxation until sold or contracted to be sold or conveyed as provided in the respective acts whereby such grants were made or recognized."

If amended as proposed it will read as follows:

"Section 2226. Every railroad company owning or operating any line of railroad situated within or partly within this state, shall, during the year 1913 and annually thereafter, pay into the treasury of the state, in lieu of all taxes upon all property within this state owned or operated for railway purposes, by such company, including equipment, appurtenances, appendages and franchises thereof, a sum of money equal of five per cent of the gross earnings derived from the operation of such line of railway within this state.

On or before August 15, 1913, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending June 30th, next preceding, and the said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on September 1st next thereafter.

On or before February 15, 1914, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending December 31st next preceding, and said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on March 1st next thereafter; and the payments of such sums at the times hereinbefore set forth shall be in full and in lieu of all other taxes upon the property and franchises so taxed.

The lands acquired by public grant shall be made and remain exempt from taxation until sold or contracted to be sold or conveyed as provided in the respective acts whereby such grants were made or recognized."

Under the present law the gross earnings tax paid by railroad companies is in lieu of all other taxes and assessments upon property owned or operated for railroad purposes. Under the proposed amendment such tax will be in lieu of taxes only and railroad companies will become subject to assessments for local improvements in the same way that private persons and corporations, not paying a gross earnings tax, are subject to such assessments.

The purpose of said amendment is, and its effect, if adopted, will be to subject railroad companies, paying gross earnings taxes, to the payment of assessments for local improvements.

Yours respectfully,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shephardson Co., Minneapolis.)

From extreme inflation the pendulum of trade swings toward extreme decline. A stiffening of prices of late is noted which apparently was influenced to some extent by agitation from the producing sections in protest against such precipitous markets.

Buying confidence for the moment is lacking, based on the belief that there is a super-abundance of feed in the country and that, although statistically there appears to be a probably serious shortage of wheat on the present rate of export, the shortage, if one developes, should not become manifest until later in the season and that in the meantime unsatisfactory foreign exchange rates creating comparatively high prices overseas may force reduction of European buying and disprove what is now a theoretical shortage. For the immediate domestic trend of wheat prices, the importation of large Canadian supplies is also disturbing and has accelerated the reduction.

As always the market is super-sensitive to all news and largely under the influence of the present unsettled world conditions, so that foreign exchange, or in other words, the final price at the European ports, is a consideration of great importance in effecting an increase or decrease in the disposition of our surplus.

In view of the corn and oats production exceeding last year's surplus by what will probably be about 500 million bushels and the more or less headlong declines in woolens, rubber, steel, leather, cotton, coffee, sugar, lumber, automobiles and what not, the decline in course grains is not so astonishing. A readjustment was inevitable.

The sudden, sharp and drastic decline, is for the present demoralizing trade, making timid buyers and unwilling sellers. We continue of the belief that the producers holding ability and edtermination to market grains at a price more reasonably near the cost of production is a factor that should not be ignored and will continue to prevent further material decline and in fact influence values slowly upward, depending of course upon resumption of the normal demand. On technical grounds alone the markets should be entitled to a fair re-action.

A downward readjustment is considered by most authorities in the long run as highly desirable for everybody including the producer, but there is no denying that the need of normal marketing from first hands is right now of a paramount importance.

For those who are in need of a remedy for kidney troubles and backache, it is a good plan to try Doan's Kidney Pills. They are strongly recommended by Thief River Falls people. Ask your neighbor!

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ROSEWOOD

Boys Get Bonus Checks.

Cashier A. S. Holm of the Farmers State bank has this week distributed over $1,500 as state bonus money to returned soldiers. The local bank has purchased enough of the bonds to make these payments, a fact which is greatly appreciated by the soldiers.

Construction work on the new Sorenson-Furan garage is progressing rapidly and it is the intention of the owners to be ready for business before the ground freezes. The building is 28x60 and is very favorably located on the east side. A full line of tools generally carried by garages for repair work will be installed.

Before Rev. Geo. Larson at the Zion Lutheran church at Thief River Falls on Saturday evening, Oct. 2, occurred the marriage of Miss Olga S. Thoreson of this place to Olaf H. Ryan of Thief River Falls. The newlyweds will make Thief River Falls their home. The community joins in extending congratulations.

The following from this place were pleasantly entertained for Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth at Thief River Falls: Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Gladys, Verna and Glenn Sagmoen, Ingrid Nordhagen, Steiner Johnson, Mrs. Mary Shoberg and Joel Shoberg.

The following have called at the John Sor home during the past week: Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Carlson and son, Alton; Mrs. S. Solum and Miss Solum, Newfolden; Martin Strom, Holt; Hans and Ole Sande, Numedal; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth, Thief River Falls; Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson and Mrs. Even Anderson.

The Swedish Y. P. S. meeting at the church in town last Thursday evening was well attended and a success in every detail. Rev. Drotts of Viking was present and delivered a short speech and a number of appropriate songs were sung by Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen. A dainty luncheon was served and a neat sum of money gathered for church work.

Twins were born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mellem last Wednesday evening. Both, however, died the following day and were buried in the Rindal cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols and daughter, Delma, returned the latter part of the week from a short outing trip by car to southern Minnesota, where they visited relatives at Sumpter and other points.

Albert Hellquist and Emil Blomberg left last Saturday by car for a few days' stay with old acquaintances at Grand Forks and Thompson, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Nakken motored to Crookston last Tuesday to attend the dedication exercises at the agricultural school.

Flax threshing has been carried on extensively in this neighborhood this week. The average yield is from six to nine bushels per acre, with some exceptional pieces yielding more.

Mrs. A. S. Holm returned Wednesday evening from Twin Valley, where she had been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Holm for a few days.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at the Busy Bee school, spent Sunday at Thief River Falls with her parents.

Emil Mellem, who had spent the summer at Nekoma, came home Saturday to remain for some time at the home of his brother, Carl.

Mrs. C. H. Ryan of Thief River Falls spent a couple of days the latter part of the wek visiting here with her parents.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls arrived last Saturday morning for a few days' visit with the J. E. Hellquist people.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg and children of Dakota Junction spent Tuesday at this place visiting and attending the Ladies' Aid meeting at the Sagmoen home.

Mrs. H. Erickson and Mrs. Johanne Nyhus of Thief River Falls arrived Tuesday morning to visit friends and attend the Ladies' Aid meeting.

Several auto loads of local Leaguers attended the Nonpartisan political meeting at Thief River Falls on Tuesday evening.

L. L. Furan, while at work last Tuesday, got a cinder in one of his eyes and was forced to go to Thief River Falls to have it removed by a doctor.

M. Strom, who had spent a week on mission work in and near Grand Forks, arrived last Wednesday for a brief visit with friends and left fro his home near Holt in the afternoon.

The Henry Carlson and Peter Stromberg families of Thief River Falls motored up last Tuesday afternoon for a brief visit at John Sagmoen's and to attend the Ladies' Aid.

Mr. Mortenson, an aged bachelor residing about four miles east of here, met a tragic death this week. He was found by neighbors standing upright in about four feet of water at the bottom of his well—dead. How long the man had been dead is not known. That he had died from exposure and not drowning also was evident. It is thought the old man accidentally fell into the well and being unable to get out or secure help remained there until death overtook him.

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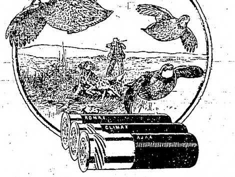

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John B. Engen, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Christ Engen, Alice Hammersten, Henrietta Refnes, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of November, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 8th day of October, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
o14-21-28

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Notice is hereby given that Ludvig Johnson, of Erie, Minn., who, on January 30th, 1919, made Homestead Application Serial No. [illegible], for [illegible], Section 26, Township 153 N., Range 39 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of October, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ole K. Lien, Henry Dahlen, Tollef Havet and Gustav Iverson, all of Erie, Minn.

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

OLE THOMPSON,
Register.
s23-30-o7-14-21

NOTICE OF HEARING.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of Judicial Ditch No. 41, Pennington County:

Notice is hereby given that a petition in the foregoing matter has been duly made and filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of said County praying for a construction of a public drainage ditch herein and that the preliminary hearing thereon as required by law has been had before the said Court, and that the said Court thereupon duly appointed a civil engineer to make a detailed survey and report of the route of the said ditch and an estimate of the cost thereof and to perform such other duties in relation thereto as is provided by law; and that the said engineer has completed his work and made due reports thereon and filed the same in the office of the said Clerk of the District Court; and that the said Court has duly appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits in the matter of the said drainage ditch and to perform all other duties in relation thereto as provided by law; and that the said viewers have completed their work and have made and filed their report as such in the office of the said Clerk of Court and that as appears by the engineer's final report herein, the starting point, route and termini of the said ditch and the general course of the same and the governmental sections over which same is surveyed and will pass are as follows, to-wit:

Main Ditch.

Commencing immediately South of the section line at the center of the south side of section 16, Township 153, North, Range 42 West in said Pennington County; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line bounding the south side of sections 16, 17 and 18 to the southwest corner of said sections 16, 17 and 18 in said last mentioned township and range to the southwest quarter of said section 18; thence in a northerly direction immediately east of the section line which is the western boundary line of said section 18 to the quarter corner on the west side of said section 18; thence in a northwesterly direction across the northeast quarter of section 13, Township 153 North, Range 43 West in said county, following the course of County Ditch No. One of Red Lake County to the north boundary line of said section 13; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line constituting the southern boundary line of sections 12, 11, 10 and 9 in said last mentioned township and range to Red Lake River as an outlet.

Lateral Number One:

Commencing immediately north of the east and west quarter line through section 16, township 153, range 42 West in said county at the quarter corner on the east side of section 16; thence in a westerly direction immediately along the north side of said quarter line to lateral No. 2 as an outlet.

Lateral Number Two:

Commencing immediately east of the section line at the northwest corner of section 16, Township 153 North, Range 42 West in the said county; thence in a southerly direction immediately east of the section line constituting the west boundary line of said section 16 to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Three:

Commencing immediately east of the section line at the center of the west side of section 28, Township 153, Range 42 in said Pennington County; thence in a northerly direction immediately along the east side of the section line constituting the west boundary line of sections 28 and 21 in said last mentioned township and range to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Four:

Commencing at a point immediately south of the section line at the center of the north side of the northeast quarter of section 28, Township 153, Range 42 West in said county; thence in a westerly direction immediately south of the section line constituting the northern boundary line of said section 28 to lateral ditch number 3 as an outlet.

Lateral Number Five:

Commencing at a point immediately south of the section line at the northeast corner of section 17, Township 153, North, Range 42 West in said county; thence in a westerly direction immediately on the south side of the section line constituting the northern boundary line of said section 17 to the northwest corner thereof; thence in a southerly direction immediately along the east side of the section line constituting the western boundary line of said section 17 to the main ditch as an outlet.

Lateral Number Six.

Commencing at a point immediately east of the section line at the quarter corner of the west side of section 20, Township 153 North, Range 42 West; thence in a northerly direction immediately east of the said section line constituting the west boundary line of said section 20 to the main ditch as an outlet.

That the said governmental sections over which said proposed ditch is surveyed and will pass are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are described as follows:

Section 28, Section 29, Section 20, Section 19, Section 16, Section 17, Section 18, Section 7, Section 8, Section 9, all in Township 153 North of Range 42 West, and Section 9, Section 10, Section 11, Section 12, Section 13, Section 14, Section 15 and Section 16, all in Township 153 North of Range 43 West as the same appears and is shown in the said report of the engineer.

And that the names of the owners of the land and that the names of the municipal corporations and the other corporations that will be affected by the said proposed ditch as the same appears in the report of the viewers hereinbefore mentioned are as follows:

P. W. Roark, Fred Beerbower, Christian Pederson, John Narum, John M. Thelge, J. L. Stitt, Warren E. Wood, J. A. Swanson, O. N. Lawson, Erick J. Lien, Wm. J. McCrum, Lewis A. Nelson, Fred Morlin, T. J. Carr, J. A. Aga, Bernt J. Kvinlog, Theo. M. Bjorge, E. O. Gutlingsrud, John Kvall, Tobias Stene, Emil Thune, J. F. Chase, F. J. Hostvet, John A. Dahl, Wm. D. Riegert, O. J. Valsvik, E. O. Vigen, H. J. Enderslie, Anun Torkelson, Engel O. Vigen, A. C. Anderson, T. J. Aastad, Jacob Jonas, Joseph Kasanda, J. W. McGinty, Frank McGinty, Lewis E. Johnson, Jacob Pfeffer, Maynie Knox, Ezra A. Eshelby, John L. Higgins, S. W. Laubach, N. E. Johnson, Peter Olson, G. K. Stromme, G. O. Gustafson, C. L. Dobner, H. O. Viken, Elmer E. Kolp, A. A. Cooper, D. P. O'Neill, Chas. E. Lidén, Vinnie Hendrickson, O. R. Jones, M. J. Kirby, Mary McGinn, Andrew N. Nash, G. J. Bakke, Albert Coyle, Andrew Torgerson, C. Elgsten, Ida C. Langseth, Lina Johnson, S. E. Hunt, Albert Johnson, Halvor Halvorson, S. O. Lee, Rasmus Oen, John Johnson, Sigur Myron, Oen Mercantile Co., Knute Yatesund, Johanna Brunsholm, Nels Eck, C. J. Hannot, E. Grundelius, Joseph Votava, Henry Arneson, Hans Christofferson, Lars O. Lien, Gilbert R. Swenson, D. Patterson, Martha Ingram, Peter Engelstad, Fred Turnquist, Daniel Johnson, John L. Banford, Ole T. Sandness, Ole J. Nomeland, Amelia Soderberg, C. E. Oen, Knute H. Finstad, Paul Engelstad, Lars J. Nettelund, John P. Stroberg, Hilda Stroberg, O. B. Gunderson, Swen Viborg, Christ Moe, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, Northwestern Telephone Company, Town of Smiley, Town of Rocksbury.

And you are further notified that on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1920, commencing at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day in the Court Room of the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, a final hearing on the said petition and the said viewers' report and the said engineer's report will be held by and before the said Court and the said Hon. Andrew Grindeland, Judge thereof, and that at the said time and place all persons interested in the construction of the said ditch are invited to appear and be heard for or against the construction and establishment thereof, or as affecting any of the assessments of damages or benefits therein.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(District Court Seal.)
s29-o7-14

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Yours for Health—"Granny" Chamberlain

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, we will sell at public auction on the Northwest Quarter of Section 24, Township numbered 154, Range 41, being one-half mile north and 3 miles west and one-fourth mile south of Goodridge, 1 and one-half miles south, 3 miles east and 1 and one-half miles north of Mavie, the following described property, on

Thursday, October 21, 20

Commencing at 10:00 o'clock.

HORSES
One bay mare 9 years old, wt. 1300
One gray mare 6 years old, wt. 1150
One yearling colt
One Percheron colt 4 months old

CATTLE
One cow 5 years old, fresh
One cow 7 years old, coming fresh in 3 weeks
One cow 5 years old, milking
One cow 5 years old, milking
One cow 8 years old, coming fresh Dec. 1
32 HEAD YOUNG STOCK
19 HEAD OF HOGS

MACHINERY
One buggy, good as new
One new Winona wagon, with double box and spring seat
One wagon 2 3-4 in.
Two hay racks
One Superior drill, 16 disc
One Deering hay rake
One bull rake
One 14-in. Emerson sulky plow with stubble and breaking bottom
One 3-section steel drag

MISCELLANEOUS
One set harness, good as new
One single harness
One saddle and riding bridle
One side harness leather

25 Shropshire sheep
24 ewes
One buck
One new International 1½ H. P. engine
One double gear new pump jack
Two steel log chains 16 ft. and 14 ft. long. Picks, shovels, pitch forks
One water tank, neck yokes, whipple trees, hardwood
700 bu. White Canadian seed oats
1600 lbs. potatoes
70 ton wild hay put up early, without any rain
One oat straw stack
21 chickens
One No. 12 DeLaval cream separator good as new
One 5-gal. cream can
One incubator
Five loads of wood

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
Two iron beds, 1 mattress
Two bed springs
One heating stove, 1 oil stove
One dining table, 1 telephone
Four chairs, 1 rocking chair
One sewing machine
One tub, 1 wash board, pails, crocks and dishes; and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 to be paid in cash; on all sums over that amount, time will be given on bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921.

McGill Brothers, Owners

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AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction at the Gravely farm in Sec. 35, Town of Norden, 6 miles west and 1 mile south of Thief River Falls, on

Wednesday, Oct. 20

Commencing at 10:00 o'clock

One cow, fresh in Dec.
One cow, fresh in Dec.
One cow, fresh in Jan.
One cow, fresh in Jan.
One cow, fresh in April
One cow, fresh
One cow, fresh with calf at side
One yearling heifer
One yearling heifer
One yearling heifer
One yearling heifer
One yearling bull
Three spring calves
Three young calves
One bay horse 5 years old
One bay mare 8 years old
One bay mare 8 years old
One black mare 4 years old

One black mare 14 years old
Two pigs
100 chickens
One Van Brunt drill, 20 shoe
One 4-horse drag
One walking plow with riding attachment
One Osborne disc
One McCormick hay rake
One Minnesota 6-ft. cut binder
One Minnesota 5-ft. mower
One hay rack
One wide tire wagon with box
One wide tire wagon with hay rack
One Emerson buggy
One Hero-fanning mill
One bob sleigh

Some blacksmith tools
One corn cultivator
One grindstone
One set good breeching harness
One set light harness
One buggy harness
Three stacks of hay
One Dairy Maid cream separator
One Royal range
One Round Oak heater
One Harmony phonograph
One dresser
One cupboard
One washstand
One center table
Dishes, Churn
Other household goods, etc.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

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CEMENT MAY BE MADE BY STATE IN OWN PLANTS

Hennepin County Highway Improvement Association Urges Plans as Road Aid.

State Constitution Permits Cement to Be Made For Use on Public Roads Only.

Abundance of Material Said to Be Available For Turning Out Product.

A state owned cement plant to utilize natural deposits of shale rock in Minnesota and to provide cement for the construction of trunk roads under the proposed Babcock plan, Amendment No. 1 is the first proposal of the Hennepin County Highway Improvement association, formed last week.

The suggestion went forward to the officers of the state association in a statement by R. H. Benham, elected president of the county organization.

Shortage of Cement.

"Because of the shortage of cement and the fact that some of the cement companies have pulled out of Minnesota, the officers and directors of the Hennepin County Highway Improvement association are considering the feasibility of a state owned cement plant and respectfully suggest this project to your organization," he said.

"It is said there are quantities of shale rock in Minnesota, suitable for cement manufacture and it is proposed to utilize this resource to offset the difficulty now experienced in getting cement for road work.

"In spite of the fact that more than 2,500,000 barrels of cement were shipped into the state this year even with the existing shortage, the state highways system was able to get only about 100,000 barrels, something like 4 per cent of the total.

Rail Facilities Blamed.

"It is understood that the shortage is caused more by the lack of railroad facilities than by any other one factor, but there is little hope that this condition will be remedied in time to give the highways the cement they require.

"Even though the cost of making the cement in a state owned plant may not cut under that of private enterprise, it will be worth while to have the product when and where it is needed for the [illegible] improvement of the state's trunk roads."

Fifty Organizations Represented.

Officers of the association were chosen at the first rally of the county campaign for the amendment, a dinner at which representatives of 50 civic, commercial and religious organizations united for four weeks of intensive vote gathering.

R. H. Benham, secretary of the Dan Patch line, is president of the association; O. E. Johnson, secretary of the Calhoun Commercial club, secretary, and Miss Maren Michelet, a Minneapolis teacher, vicepresident. Miss Michelet is a sister of Wilhelm Michelet of Thief River Falls. State Senator W. F. Brooks, who presided at the meeting until the election of the president, opened the discussion of campaign plans with a defense of the amendment as "the best law ever presented to the voters of Minnesota."

No Room for Politics.

"There are no politics in it," he said. "No one has an axe to grind."

Poor roads have been responsible for actual retardation of American civilization, Miss Michelet said.

"All good government," she said, "is based on the church and the school. There is no better means of perfecting them than by building good roads. In pioneer days, farmers' wives lived most of their days within the four walls of their cabins. Statistics show that more farmers' wives have gone insane than any other class, because they have been shut off from the rest of the world.

"Because we have no good roads, children have had to go to school through the slush and snow. Many a time teachers have been unable to get to the school buildings; many a time in inclement weather, mothers and children are kept away from church.

"How are we to have a united community and a united country if we cannot have social intercourse?

"And how are we to have social intercourse if we cannot have good roads?"

Mr. Benham outlined plans for teaching Minneapolis voters, and impressing them with the fact that upon good roads depend not only comforts and pleasures, but education, progress and the cost of living as well.

Alderman J. D. Williams, speaking for the amendment, said it would afford labor a place to turn to in case of "slack times," by making work available to thousands.

Other speakers were C. M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, who detailed the provisions of the proposed law; L. H. Nord, A. O. Devold, J. T. Elwell, Rev. J. M. Cleary and John Holman of Mankato.

Mrs. Minnie Schrapel.

Word was received by friends the latter part of last week of the death of Mrs. Minnie Schrapel at Raymond, Kan., where she had resided with her son since early last spring. The particulars of her death are not known at this time. Mrs. Schrapel had for many years resided in this city and had a host of friends who will be grieved to learn of her death.

Harold Leslin.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the Presbyterian church over the body of Harold Leslin, son of H. R. Leslin, residing on the Red Lake reservation. The young man's death occurred at a St. Paul hospital, the cause of death being an abscess of the liver.

Deceased was born in Illinois in 1903, being 17 years old at the time of his death. Harold was a member of the Freshman class of the local high school and the class attended the services in a body to show respect to a classmate who was dearly loved. *Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the* church, conducted the funeral service. Interment took place in Greenwood. The deceased is survived by his father and seven brothers and sisters.

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IT HELPED HER FROM THE START

"I Certainly Bless the Day I Began Taking Tanlac," Says Mrs. Carter.

"I spent nearly the whole of last fall in bed in a terribly rundown condition, following a bad attack of the influenza, and could find nothing that would relieve me until I took Tanlac," said Mrs. Irma Carter, of 2706 Iglehart Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

"I no more than got over one attack of severe cold and sore throat than I would come down with another. Bad weather aggravated my trouble and I was simply miserable. My appetite failed and my stomach was in such poor condition that everything I ate bloated me up with gas and I had terrible pains in my chest and kept getting worse all the time.

"I read so much about Tanlac that I finally got a bottle and it helped me from the very start. The pain was gone before I had even finished the first bottle. I have taken four bottles now and my appetite is so keen that I am eating like I'd been starved. I have been relieved entirely of bloating and all other signs of indigestion, and have already gained nine pounds in weight. I am enjoying good health again and certainly bless the day I started on Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's drug store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—adv.

Hospital Notes.

The following have been admitted to the Physicians hospital during the past week:—Ruth Turnwall, city; Edson Hilliard, city; Mrs. C. Bloomquist, Bronson; I. J. Bindy, city; Mrs. Oscar Haugen, city; Clarice Blymler, Greenbush; Mrs. P. Hovland, city; Mrs. A. Jacobson, city; Inga Nomland, city; Gaylord Arnes, Kratka; N. Gunderson, Goodridge; Leonard Gunderson, Goodridge; Jennie Swenson, Rosewood; Mrs. N. Sacksberg, Middle River; C. Mangas, Greenbush; Mrs. J. Johnson, Badger; Jessie Barnett, city; Elnore Norden, Plummer.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

¶The second half of the real estate taxes for the year 1919 must be paid on or before November 1, 1920 or a penalty of ten per cent will be attached.

John Gullinsgrud,
County Treasurer

Now that the winter season is rapidly approaching, you should not delay in making your selection of the

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Our stock is complete and we are showing the best stove bargains in Thief River Falls.

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HARDWARE—FARM MACHINERY
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Saturday October 16

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50---Fine Lots Will Be Sold at Auction---50

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Saturday, October 16th, 1920

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AUCTIONEERS OF NATIONAL REPUTE
WILL SELL EVERY LOT.
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With each lot sold will be given the privilege of the next one, two or three, at the same price each, thus allowing the purchaser to regulate the size of his purchase without competitive bidding against himself, a decided advantage to the purchaser. We are one of the few firms permitting this advantage.

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Every citizen's degree of success is more or less measured by his real estate possession—the basis of all wealth—the fundamental and basic principal of fortune. TO THE HOME-SEEKER OR INVESTORS:—Here is a grand opportunity in Tessum's Addition, being located in one of the best residence sections of the City, and but a short distance from the main part of town. The plat is high and dry. Abraham Lincoln once said: "Own a home somewhere." Go and look these lots over and be on hand at the sale and buy one. START YOUR HOME NOW.

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YOUNG MAN DIES WHEN CAR LEAPS TO RIVER BELOW

Arthur Nustvold Victim in Accident on Wednesday at Squaw Point Bridge.

Automobile Leaves Road and Pins Driver Beneath in Red Lake River.

No Contributing Cause Found for Peculiar Accident—Was Known as Good Driver.

Arthur Nustvold, 18 years old, met a tragic death yesterday afternoon in an automobile accident which occurred near the Squaw Point bridge over Red Lake river east of the city. The young man, who resided with his mother on a farm in Agder township, was returning to his home from Thief River Falls and apparently lost control of the car just after crossing the bridge. The car, a new Ford, left the road and went over the edge of the embankment into the river below. The driver was pinned beneath the automobile and drowned before help arrived on the scene.

Was Experienced Driver.

The dead man had driven an automobile for several years and was considered a very efficient and careful driver. No reason can be assigned for the car leaving the road at this point as the roadway is smooth and dry and there is no curve at this particular place. Tracks left by the car would indicate that the machine made a gentle turn off the road and there was nothing to indicate that an effort had been made to get it back onto the highway. The most plausible theory advanced is that the young man became absorbed in thought and allowed the car to leave the road before he realized what was taking place.

Dead When Found.

No one was near when the accident occurred and it is not known just how long a time elapsed before the overturned car was discovered by passersby, but as nearly as can be reckoned it must have been at least half an hour. The car was at once removed and the victim taken from the water and carried to the roadside. Coroner Froehlich was notified and arrived within a few minutes. Examination showed the man had met his death through drowning and that he had been dead for some little time when found.

The body was removed to the Larson undertaking rooms, where it is being prepared for burial. The funeral will likely be held on Saturday, with interment in the Excel township cemetery near the unfortunate young man's home.

Widowed Mother's Help.

Arthur Nustvold was the eldest son in a family of four children and with his mother, Mrs. Gena Nustvold, had operated the home farm in Agder township since the death of the father several years ago. He was a steady, industrious young man and his untimely and sudden death comes as a severe shock to his mother, sisters and brothers.

The young man owned a Chevrolet car which he had driven for two seasons, but yesterday he made the trip to town in a Ford belonging to his brother-in-law, John Klungnes. He had driven this car considerably, however, and Mr. Klungnes does not believe he lost control of it through being unfamiliar with the machine. The car figuring in the accident was not seriously damaged, a broken windshield, bent fenders and a twisted front axle apparently being the extent of the injuries.

CLUB LUNCHES ARE POPULAR FEATURES

New Departure Inaugurated Today and Noonday Meeting Converted to Forum.

An open forum is being held this noon following the regular club lunch at the commercial club rooms. This offers a diversion from the short talks at the preceding Thursday gatherings of club members, merchants, professional men and farmers.

Several matters are to come up for discussion today among which is the report of the committee recently named to solicit funds for the Highway Improvement association and a report by the secretary of the club on what has been learned from the state game and fish commission regarding game fish and fishing in the Red lakes and Red Lake river. Regarding the latter matter it is understood the state authorities have no jurisdiction over the waters which are wholly within the reservation. Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, may be a speaker at one of the future club lunches to give some valuable information on the subject.

The speaker a week ago was Fred D. Sherman, former state immigration commissioner. He gave a very good talk on the many advantages of the proposed Babcock amendment and advanced many new points regarding the workings of the law.

Baked beans, scalloped potatoes, beets, bread and butter, coffee and pumpkin pie is the menu at today's lunch and it is being greatly enjoyed by those present.

Elks Initiate Unusual Class Here Friday Night

One of the largest classes ever initiated into an Elks lodge in Minnesota was taken into Thief River Falls herd on Friday evening when about 50 fawns had the antlers attached. The occasion was of such unusual nature that the auditorium was rented for the purpose of putting on the work and for the entertainment afterwards.

As usual a most enjoyable time was had. The officers put on the secret work in a manner both pleasing and impressive, old and new members complimenting the degree team very highly.

After the ceremony proper a lunch was served which was greatly enjoyed by all, the hour being late because of the length of time necessarily consumed in the essentials.

Republican Headquarters.

The Republican women of Thief River Falls have established an information bureau in the Gilbert Sandum building on Main avenue. Chief among the objects of the venture is the dissemination of information among women voters and someone will be on hand every afternoon and evening to answer all questions and to furnish all desired information on political subjects. The bureau will be in charge of the Women's Republican club of Pennington county, of which Mrs. J. J. Richter is president Mrs. Andrew Bottelson secretary, and Miss Effie Hamry, chairman.

Sewer Work Progressing.

Coolsnet Bros. & Drees of Marshall, who were awarded the contract to construct the storm sewer system decided upon by the city council as part of the paving project, arrived last week with their machinery and crew. A good start has already been made with the work and barring delay the job will be completed in record time. The contractors were forced to remain idle Monday and Tuesday of this week because of delay in the arrival of a shipment of sewer pipe.

THE SEASON'S BIG FOOT BALL TUSSLE

Bemidji High School Comes Here For Contest Next Tuesday Afternoon.

The football classic in this section is always the game between the Thief River Falls and Bemidji high schools. As a general rule this contest comes off somewhat later in the season, it being deemed advisable to give both teams a period of drilling before the big day, but this season the matinee will be staged on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 26, at 3:30 o'clock.

Coach Tommerassen has been whipping his bunch into shape by hard work and steady practice and does not fear the outcome, although every member of the team knows that there is a hard tussle in sight. For some reason the Thief River Falls school would rather beat Bemidji than any other team in the district, it being recognized that the neighboring town always has a husky and clever bunch to go up against. The game will be a hummer from the word go and those who are followers of this fine sport will miss something worth while if they fail to be on hand.

STIRRING INTEREST IN STOCK PAVILION

Effort Being Made to Secure Remainder of Pennington County's Quota.

Nearly all the members of the Red Lake Flood Control and Conservancy commission were in the city last evening for the purpose of attending the Steenerson meeting and are staying over today for a session at the court house. The work of the commission is progressing very satisfactorily and Congressman Steenerson in his speech told of what has been done to further the matter in Washington.

Chairman C. G. Selvig of the commission will also take this opportunity to do a little missionary work for the Red River valley livestock pavilion at Crookston. He is very anxious that Pennington county shall fill its quota of $2,000, only $185 of which has so far been subscribed. He is meeting with livestock men from all sections of the county this afternoon and hopes to get a campaign under way that will clean the matter up.

Following are the sums raised to date by the different counties in the district: Norman, $2300; Marshall, $2250; Kittson, $2750; Red Lake county has also subscribed its full quota. Roseau and Clearwater are the only ones, besides Pennington, that are now in arrears. Mr. Selvig is confident that as soon as a campaign can be gotten under way the matter will be cleared up.

Elks' Initiation Dance.

The entertainment committee of the local Elks' lodge is already making plans for the big initiation dance to be given Dec. 17. The affair will be a combined dance, card party, reception and musicale. A special invitation will be extended to out-of-town members and their ladies.

McCrum Transferred.

John Wesley McCrum of this city, who has been stationed in New York as a member of the receiving ship crew, has been transferred to the U. S. S. Yakona, according to a notice received at The Times office from Commander C. C. Krakow.

STATE MAY OWN CEMENT-MAKING PLANT, OPINION

Decision Will Remove One Serious Objection to Adopting Amendment No. 1

Counties and Townships May Also be Supplied With the Product at Cost.

Would Remove Danger of Delay Through Shortage of Surfacing Material.

Good Roads Amendment No. 1 is sure of the 'yes' votes of all believers in state-ownership, as the result of the recent opinion by C. Louis Weeks, deputy attorney general, that its adoption will authorize the state to build and operate cement-making plants.

Although the proposal to hard-surface 200 miles of the trunk highway system each year will require less than 650,000 barrels of cement annually, the ruling is such that the capacity of state-owned plants need not be limited to that small output.

Public Supplies at Cost.

The state may supply counties, cities and townships with cement at cost for local road building and other needs, according to the opinion which now has the force of law, provided the amendment is passed. Mr. Weeks adds that it may be found that the state-made cement can be sold to private parties, but reserves his definite conclusion on that feature pending further consideration. While the use of public funds for private purposes is prohibited, he explains, it may be that sales of any "surplus" from a state cement plant to private parties may be justified on the ground that they are only "incidental" to the economical and proper production of cement by the state itself.

The opinion is viewed by many as an important step—an "entering wedge"—in the direction of state-ownership development in general. It is regarded as of special importance by officials.

Called Good News.

"Mr. Weeks' ruling is good news for this department," said Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner. "Several weeks ago we began with the assistance of instructors in the university school of mines, a broad survey to locate on state lands if possible, the shale needed for cement making. That was before it was made plain that Good Roads Amendment No. 1 carries with it the required authority for the establishment of state-owned and operated cement plants.

"Now there is far less possibility that road building will have to be curtailed as it is this year to release cement for farm building.

"We are confident that the merits of the good roads plan and the good judgment of the people of the state will result in the adoption of Amendment No. 1 by a big majority and that will bring also the authority for the state cement plants.

Now Pushing Investigation.

"State demands alone are comparatively small but the addition of county, town and city needs will take the output of at least one good-sized plant. The investigations are being speeded up to avoid delays in reporting to the legislature on this phase of the plan."

Senator Iver J. Lee of Glenwood, one of only ten of the 187 members of the 1919 legislature who voted against the Amendment No. 1 bill, after obtaining the opinion, announced that "the talked-of plant has a strong bearing on people's attitude towards the Amendment No. 1."

The subject first claimed official attention last June when Governor Burnquist referred to Commissioner Babcock a proposition from a London firm relating to state-owned cement plants and the investigation was started immediately.

HOLT LOSES OUT IN FIRST BATTLE

Judge Grindeland Grants Restraining Order Asked for by Middle River Residents.

Through an oversight on the part of someone the village of Holt was not represented at Warren last Monday when the time came for hearing on the application for an injunction prohibiting the county auditor from placing the county division matter on the ballot. The people of Middle River had applied for an injunction intended to prevent the Holt citizens from getting the matter before the voters at this time, and they seem to have been successful in the first skirmish.

According to the Holt partisans, the hearing should come off today before Judge Grindeland. Instead it was held on Monday and no one was present to defend the position of Holt. Judge Grindeland therefore granted the application for an injunction and ordered the county auditor not to include the subject as one of those to be ballotted upon.

There seems to have been a mixup somewhere and the people of Holt are convinced that the matter will be straightened out as soon as they can get a hearing before the court. In the meantime there is quite a lot of excitement in the neighboring village.

HON. HALVOR STEENERSON

County Treasurer Busy.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud has been extremely busy during the past week making out receipts for the last half of the real estate taxes for 1919. These taxes must be paid before Nov. 1 in order to avoid a ten per cent penalty and most people throughout the county seem determined to save the ten *per cent.*

Holstein Breeder Coming.

J. A. Kilpatrick of Milwaukee was in the city last Saturday enroute to Middle River, where he has extensive land holdings. Mr. Kilpatrick is a large breeder of Holstein cattle and is making plans to come to this section next spring to engage in the stock raising business. He is making an effort to dispose of his Marshall county land and if successful in doing this he will secure a Pennington county farm.

CONTEST BEGUN FOR PROBATE JUDGE JOB

Peter C. Wold Will Try Conclusions With Lars Backe, the Regular Candidate.

There is going to be a contest for county office in the coming election after all. Peter C. Wold of Highlanding township, prominent farmer and former county commissioner, has started out to capture the office of judge of probate via the sticker route and from now until election time a spirited campaign will be carried on throughout the county to boost his candidacy. Mr. Wold was induced to make the run by members of the Nonpartisan league and he has the endorsement of that organization.

Lars Backe of Thief River Falls is the only candidate who filed for the office in the regular way and his is the only name which will appear on the ballot. No opposition having developed earlier in the campaign, it was generally supposed that he would be elected without opposition. This program, however, did not appeal to everyone and Mr. Wold was induced to enter the campaign. Mr. Wold's backers will attempt to secure his election through the use of stickers to be placed on the ballots by the voters.

ELKS WILL FROLIC ON ELECTION NIGHT

Prepare to Enjoy Themselves While Waiting to Hear Result of Balloting.

Thief River Falls lodge of Elks is going to have a little jollification for its members on the evening of Nov. 2—and the session may possibly extend a short distance into the morning of Nov. 3. It all depends on how long it takes for the result of the election to become known.

A comedy will be put on at the Lyceum theatre at 11 o'clock. The name of the production is "The Political Hash House and Midnight Frolic." The play was written by Bro. Snowball Jack Owens of Cincinnati, is one of the most famous comedy successes of the year and will be presented by an all-star cast and Broadway Beauty Chorus. As rapidly as news of the election is received it will be given to the audience. The returns will be relayed by tireless messengers from the office of The Times, the Elks having arranged to use this paper's exclusive Western Union service.

After things have progressed sufficiently far to prove without a doubt who has been elected president of the United States—along about two o'clock in the morning—the Elks will repair to their lodge room for a Dutch lunch and smoker.

Farm Boy Classes Start With Bright Prospects

A good sized class of farm boys enrolled Monday morning in the agriculture and mechanics course, to be conducted at the Thief River Falls high school for six months. Much interest is shown in this department and it is likely that a large number of farm boys will be enrolled in the classes within the next few weeks. Most of the boys are still very busy on the farm, which accounts for them not being able to take up their studies at this time.

Mechanics are taught in the forenoon under the supervision of M. A. Schmitt. During the afternoon the time of the new classes is devoted to agricultural subjects, with F. A. Tripp as instructor. Present indications are that this branch of the high school will do a very valuable work during the coming term.

CROWDS LISTEN TO STEENERSON DISCUSS ISSUES

Congressman Talks to Large Audience at Final Rally in Thief River Falls.

Strikes From Shoulder and Leaves no Doubt as to Stand On Questions.

Mrs. J. E. Brandrup Makes Eloquent Plea for National and State Tickets.

A large audience greeted Congressman Halvor Steenerson and Mrs. J. E. Brandrup, speakers at the Republican rally held last evening at the auditorium in this city. The audience was largely composed of women, nearly half of those present being recently enfranchised voters of the feminine sex. Farmers and their wives were present in considerable numbers, proving that all classes take a deep interest in political questions at this time.

Talented Woman Speaker.

Mrs. Andrew Bottelson acted as chairman of the meeting and introduced the speakers. In a few well chosen words she introduced the first speaker of the evening, Mrs. J. E. Brandrup of Mankato, who spoke for nearly an hour on national and state issues.

Mrs. Brandrup began her speech by paying high tribute to the ability of Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls, who is prominently identified with the women's Republican organization in Minnesota. The speaker gave a brief history of the Republican party from its formation up to the present time, showing how the party has always been a leader in progress and a pioneer in every movement of unquestioned benefit to the country.

Discusses League of Nations.

The speaker then gave a characteristically Republican discourse on the league of nations, criticizing the Wilsonian brand in no uncertain terms and lauding in an emphatic manner the substitute or revised league proposed by Senator Harding and other prominant statesmen of the Republican faith.

State matters also were touched upon briefly by Mrs. Brandrup and she covered her subject very thoroughly considering the short time at her disposal. The speaker denied that the tonnage tax is an issue in this state, asserting that all three candidates for governor are strongly in favor of such legislation.

Denounces Nonpartisan League.

Mrs. Brandrup made a strong attack on the Nonpartisan league, following the usual anti-league style of accusing its leaders of being Socialists, I. W. W.'s and other terrible things. She made an urgent plea to the Democrats to join with the Republicans in saving the state from the clutches of these monsters, insisting that Mayor Hodgson, Democratic candidate for governor, has no chance whatever of being elected.

The speaker made a very favorable impression and held the close attention of her audience all the way through.

Steenerson Next Speaker.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson was the next speaker on the program. He started out by giving a very comprehensive and interesting review of the principal work done in congress during the past four years, showing how the Republican minority had been helpless during the first two years and how a great deal of beneficial legislation had been enacted since the Republicans gained control of the house and senate two years ago.

Mr. Steenerson dwelt at length on problems confronting the nation during the war and on the immense task of the reconstruction period. He criticized the Democrats for their extravagant appropriations and showed how the Republicans had been successful in reducing these vast expenditures upon their return to power.

The Railroad Question.

The speaker explained in detail the railroad question. He told how and why the roads had been taken over by the government and went into a lengthy explanation of railroad legislation since the return of the roads to private ownership.

Mr. Steenerson explained fully the anti-strike feature of the famous Esch-Cummins bill, claiming that in reality no attempt had been made to take away the right of the men to strike. He insisted, however, that the labor board created for the purpose of arbitrating disputes between employers and employes is a highly practical solution of the labor problem and reduces the probability of strikes to a minimum. The speaker also denied that the government guarantees the railroads any given return on their investment, but stated that in revising rates upward the intention had been to allow the roads a fair profit.

Makes Co-Operation Plea.

The congressman then proceeded to discuss co-operation among farmers. He gave it as his opinion that through co-operation the farmer will eventually be enabled to remedy the many marketing difficulties which now confront him. A law will soon be passed, the speaker stated, which will make it possible for farmers' organizations to obtain seats in the chambers of commerce of the Twin Cities, Duluth and Chicago, thus giving them an opportunity to have a voice in the final disposition of their grain.

Mr. Steenerson also mentioned briefly the federal aid for roads and incidentally put in a good word for the proposed Babcock good roads amendment. He asserted that good roads, telephones and rural mail routes give the farmer all the advantages of the man residing in the city and should go a long way in making country life more desirable.

Advocates Protective Tariff.

One reason for the present unsatisfactory condition of the grain market, according to Mr. Steenerson, is the fact that wheat may be shipped into this country from Canada duty free. With the unfavorable exchange rate between the two countries this results in large quantities of wheat being shipped here from Canada, inevitably glutting the American market. He asserted the first step of the Republicans, if returned to power, will be a protective tariff to remedy this evil.

The speaker also insisted that the same condition is responsible for the unreasonably low wool market. Large quantities are being shipped in from other countries in competition with the product of American wool growers, said Mr. Steenerson, and this has forced prices downward.

Touches on Flood Control.

A subject of vital importance to people in the Red River Valley is flood control and the work so far done along these lines was thoroughly explained by Mr. Steenerson. He stated that a comprehensive plan is now under way through which this matter may successfully be inaugurated, the bill providing for the work being ready for consideration at the next session of congress.

Mr. Steenerson closed his speech by saying that as soon as the government resumes the construction of federal buildings, Thief River Falls will be in line for such a structure. Since the beginning of the war, the speaker said, no federal buildings have been erected anywhere.

C. G. Selvig, president of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, spoke for a few minutes at the close of the meeting, and urged the re-election of Congressman Steenerson for another term.

MOONSHINE WHISKEY OUTPUT IS REDUCED

Sheriff LaBree Finds Remains of Complete Still in Highlanding Township.

Acting on information supplied by people living in that vicinity, Sheriff LaBree on Tuesday paid a visit to a point near the river in Highlanding township, where it had been suspicioned "homespun" liquor was being distilled. The sheriff found the place all right but the bird he wanted had flown for other parts, evidently having a premonition that something was about to happen to him. A quantity of mash and other evidence left behind gave ample proof of what had been going on there, but all other paraphernalia, including the tent in which the work had been carried on, was gone.

Little is known concerning the man who is suspected of having used the distilling equipment but there is no dearth of evidence to prove that a plentiful supply of his product has been consumed in the vicinity. It is also claimed that an occasional sample of the beverage has found its way into Thief River Falls. However that may be, something must have given the moonshiner a hunch and he made his getaway before the arrival of the sheriff.

LOTS GO LIKE HOT CAKES AT AUCTION

Public Sale Conducted in Tessum's Addition Proves Big Success.

The auction sale of lots conducted by the United States Real Estate and Development company in Tessum's addition to Thief River Falls last Saturday proved to be an unqualified success. A large crowd was on hand when the sale opened and remained until the last lot was placed under the auctioneer's hammer.

A total of 225 lots, or approximately 20 acres, were sold during the afternoon and as a result this addition to the city of Thief River Falls will soon be materially improved. While not all of the purchasers expect to erect homes on the lots purchased, a large number of them will do so in the near future. Several tracts were purchased by people who wish to secure desirable garden plots and next year will see a large part of the 20-acre tract under intensive cultivation.

Mrs. C. J. Olson, 313 State avenue south, held the lucky number and won the free lot in the drawing conducted during the afternoon. The highest price paid for a lot at the sale was $102.50 and from this the purchase price ranged downward to a few dollars.

Successful Labor Meeting.

The newly organized Central Labor union held a successful meeting Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. Regular meetings of the organization will be held hereafter on the third Monday of each month at the above place and all members of organized labor in Thief River Falls are urged to bear this in mind. At the next meeting, which will be held Nov. 15, a social gathering will be held at the conclusion of the business session, to which the women folks will be invited. Eats will be furnished by the members and a good time is anticipated.

TIMES AGAIN TO FURNISH SERVICE ELECTION NIGHT

People of Neighborhood Will be Kept Posted on Outcome at Paper's Expense.

Princess Theatre Chartered and the Public Will be Admitted Free.

Special Arrangements Made for Returns From Nation, State and County.

The people of this section are invited to The Times' party on the night of election day. Returns from every section of the country will be received over the wires of the Western Union at the paper's expense and arrangements have been made to secure the county returns by long distance telephone.

The Princess theatre has been rented for the occasion and everyone will be admitted free as soon as the dispatches begin coming in. All the details have not yet been worked out, but it is probable that the regular movie program will first be run after which those who wish to do so may remain for the returns.

Four years ago The Times followed the same plan, the only difference being that the auditorium was rented for the purpose at that time. The voting for the entire city will this year be done at the auditorium and the building is therefore not available. The only alternative was the theatre and this was secured by special arrangement with Manager Brumund.

The returns will begin coming in about 10:30 o'clock at night and open house will be kept until everything that can be learned by morning has been received. It will be remembered that four years ago everyone went home fully convinced that Hughes had been elected and that it took three or four days for the result to become definitely known, the complete returns from Minnesota and California being necessary before the matter could be decided.

Make your plans in accordance with this program and be among those who get the returns first. There will be no charge of any kind.

POULTRY FANCIERS PLAN ANNUAL SHOW

Exhibition to be Staged at Thief River Falls November 22, 23 and 24.

The Pennington County Poultry association is making great preparations for the poultry show to be held in Thief River Falls on November 22, 23 and 24. The show will be held at the auditorium and prospects are that the large building will be taxed to capacity to house the exhibits. Pennington county is rapidly coming to the front as a producer of high grade poultry, a fact which has amply been demonstrated by the high quality of exhibits at all shows held during recent years. The show this year will be larger and better than any of its predecessors.

An effort is being made by the officers of the association to secure from the state game and fish commission its exhibit of game and fish which are natives of the state. This is an excellent educational feature and will add greatly to the interest of the poultry show.

The present officers of the Pennington County Poultry association are L. H. Lawrence, president; J. J. McCann, secretary, and Mrs. H. C. Woolson, treasurer.

NEW STATE ROAD IS PLANNED IN COUNTY

Project Backers Propose to Establish Highway Between Oklee and Roseau.

People residing in the eastern part of the county are active in a movement for a new state road for that territory. The plan is to connect with the Jefferson highway at Oklee and to proceed northward to the trunk line at Roseau, passing through Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall and Roseau counties. The proposed road will pass through Goodridge and the people of that village are naturally much in favor of the move. A. C. Tvedt, a pioneer Goodridge business man, is prominently identified with the well organized effort to secure the road.

It is asserted by those in favor of the plan that the new road would shorten the distance between Oklee and Roseau by at least 50 miles. The road would connect with east and west roads to Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls and the Indian reservation, Holt and Grygla, Middle River and Gatzke and would provide a main outlet for all four counties. Besides the terminal points the only market place with railroad connections is Goodridge. All other points are inland towns, 15 to 25 miles from a railroad. Motor truck traffic between Grygla and Goodridge is very heavy and the road improvement is badly-needed there. A state road is already established from Grygla westward.

FOSSTON FOOT BALL STARS HERE SUNDAY

Thief River Falls City Team Scheduled for Hardest Battle of Season.

Next Sunday the football fans of Thief River Falls and vicinity will be given another chance to receive a few thrills. On the afternoon of that day the local city team will take on the notoriously strong Fosston city team at the fair grounds and those who are in a position to know state that it will be a battle royal.

The Thief River Falls team has been materially strengthened since the game with Crookston a couple of weeks ago and this, together with some hard practice, makes the boys feel they have a chance to put it all over the visitors next Sunday. It is asserted by the local management that this will be the fastest game of football ever played in the Northwest—and that's going some. Among the stars in the Thief River lineup may be mentioned Perry Johnson, Guy Johnson, Dudley and Holzknecht, who will play the back field. This bunch should be able to hold down the enemy if anybody can.

The game next Sunday afternoon will be called at three o'clock sharp and it is hoped that a good crowd will be on hand to boost for the home lads. Fosston always sends a loyal gang of rooters with its team when it plays away from home and they will be here in all their glory next Sunday.

New Rules Promulgated For Legion Annual Dues

At the second national convention of the American Legion in Cleveland, Sept. 27-29, the committee on finance and dues returned a report, which was passed by the convention as follows:

That the National dues of the American Legion for bonafide new members joining the Legion on or after October 1, 1920, and prior to December 31, 1920, be $1.25, which will pay the National dues of such members until December 31, 1921. State dues are $1 and dues for local post have not yet been determined.

This means that each new member who joins the local post between Oct. 1 and Dec. 31 of this year will pay only twenty five cents for National dues for the remainder of 1920 and one dollar for National dues for 1921, the total of $1.25 to be paid on joining. This covers subscription to the American Legion Weekly until Dec. 31, 1921. This proposition should prove attractive to the ex-service men who are being sought as prospective members.

SALVATION ARMY TO INCREASE ACTIVITY

Plans For Work in State Nearing Completion—Drive For Funds Successful.

Contingent upon the success of the Salvation Army financial program in Minnesota, which calls for the raising of $268,050, plans that have already been completed at divisional headquarters in Minneapolis, in pursuance with the policies outlined in the 1920 home service program, will be inaugurated throughout the state at the earliest date possible.

"With the successful functioning of the program, the Salvation Army's activities will be wide-spread in their scope, and will extend to every township in the various counties of Minnesota on a larger scale than ever before attempted," said Colonel William S. Barker, divisional commander.

Returns received to date indicate that Minnesota will reach its apportionment. County chairmen are bending every effort to secure reports from their workers in the rural districts, and when these are turned in the present total will be increased considerably.

"Everywhere county workers have expressed a determination to continue the drive until their quota is reached. Despite the handicap of an insufficient number of workers, we have every assurance that the loyal co-operation and support of the citizens will enable Minnesota to reach its goal," said Henry C. Hanko, chairman of the state advisory board.

"While but few counties have reached their quotas, quite a number are nearing the goal and expect to go over the top before the close of the week," he added.

Political Advertisement

Ordered inserted on behalf of the Democratic candidates by Pennington County Democratic Committee, A. S. Sapero, Secretary, Thief River Falls. Price to be paid $3.

DEMOCRATIC VOTERS ATTENTION!

Ours is the peoples' fight and there are no large vested interests to pay our campaign expenses. We must therefor appeal to the common people for the funds with which to carry on the fight for

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Do your bit by sending anything in the way of a contribution to the undersigned. No large sums expected, but every little bit helps.

A. S. SAPERO, Sec'y.
Pennington County
Democratic Committee.

LOCAL SCHOOL TEAM DEFEATS CROOKSTON

Football Warriors Take Old Enemy to Camp in Snappy Game on Saturday.

Just to prove that they have been doing some practicing and are rapidly getting into real form, the Thief River Falls high school football team last Saturday afternoon defeated the Crookston high school team by the decisive score of 32 to 13. The game was played at the fair grounds in this city.

The contest was full of excitement from beginning to end and furnished plenty of thrills for the spectators. The Thief River boys had the heavier aggregation and took the offensive from the start, holding their opponents to two touchdowns. It was a clean-cut game and the locals showed up to much better advantage than in previous contests this season. Diligent practice has been the rule among the Thief River lads for some time and it is getting results.

With the spirit and the ability displayed by the Thief River lads on Saturday continued throughout the season, they have an excellent chance of winning the district championship. The local schools never have had a better team than the one now representing the institution. The boys have some strong teams to go up against before winning the championship, however, and cannot afford to rest on their oars.

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT.

Tells His Friends and Neighbors of His Experience.

Every Thief River Falls resident should read what Mr. Schuster says, and follow his example. He has used Doan's Kidney Pills and speaks from experience. Is there any need to experiment with imitations or untried kidney medicines?

Chas. Schuster, 622 St. Paul Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can say they are just as advertised. My back has been bothering me for a long time and I couldn't bend over without pain across my loins. Some mornings I couldn't get out of bed my back was so sore and stiff and I was obliged to get up nights on account of kidney weakness. As soon as I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had relief and I have felt better ever since."

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Drive to Complete Quota For Pavilion Determined

The campaign for the Red River Valley live stock pavilion is going on apace. On Tuesday C. G. Selvig, C. C. Strander, J. D. McPhee and W. E. McKenzie met in Ada to interview the people of central Norman county, where the association has many ardent boosters but where no concerted drive has yet been launched. Prominent farmers from both the eastern and western parts of Norman county met with the local men.

Marshall, Red Lake, Pennington, Clearwater and Roseau counties have unpaid quotas that will be secured the next ten days. Kittson county is nearly over the top. There is considerable work yet to be done both in Crookston and in Polk county but the determination to see the project through is present, which assures success.

Attention, Painters and Decorators.

Get the spirit, "I can succeed." Our school can raise your wages whether you are a dollar-a-day man or a dollar-an-hour man. Devote a little of your time to studies, which is equal to adding to your stock in dollars and cents. Anyone who looks for an increase in salary must devote some time to learning, and only the one who "knows" is the one who gets the good jobs. This is true and you cannot get by.

Now in order to help you to get started to increase your present knowledge and your wage earning capacity, apply to Mr. Schmitt at the industrial building near the high school. He has the experience of a good number of years in that trade and has worked out a course that will fit your needs.

Respond promptly; you cannot afford to waste your time. An evening class will be organized soon, and if we get a reasonable number of applicants or beginners who may come right from the city or country or nearby towns, an all-day trade school will be arranged for. o21

Speaks to Railroaders.

J. H. Lensted of Minneapolis, connected with the railroad men's legislative organization, spoke to a small audience at the Princess theatre last Friday evening. The speaker reviewed the political situation from the standpoint of organized labor and strongly urged his fellow workers to support Dr. Shipstead and the other independent candidates for state office.

Society

Dancing Party.

The U. C. T.'s will give one of its enjoyable dancing parties tomorrow evening. A large crowd is expected to be present.

Swedish Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. T. P. Maberg, at her farm home, Thursday, Oct. 28. Everybody welcome.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. L. G. Lane, north end of State street, on Friday afternoon, Oct. 29. Everybody welcome.

Young Peoples' Society—The Young Peoples' Society of the Silverton Lutheran church will be held next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the church. They will be entertained by Henry Fosholm, Herbert Grinde, Carl Westby and Ole Fenstad.

Entertains Informally.

Misses Marian and Ella Miller informally entertained a company of their friends on Saturday evening at their home. The guests included the Misses Florence Fjelstad, Mary Grizold, Edna Larson, Miss Swift, Miss Lindberg, Ruth Brown, Meta Kiland.

Halloween Party.

The Young Peoples' Luther League of the Trinity Lutheran church will give a party on Wednesday evening, Oct. 27, in the basement of the church. This will be in the nature of a "good time" "get acquainted" party. Each member is requested to bring a friend.

Intends Locating Here.

C. W. Hallen, formerly with the Reitell store at Grand Forks, has accepted a position as assistant manager of the Penney store in this city. He is in charge of the clothing section at the present time and will probably take over the management of the establishment at a later date. Miss Lena Robertson, connected with stores in this city for some time, has been put in charge of the ladies' ready-to-wear department of the same store.

Reception

On Friday evening last at the residence of S. M. Poston, the Epworth League of the M. E. church tendered a reception to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Poston and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Seltau, these young couples having been recently united in the bonds of holy matrimony. After a fine lunch had been served and merry games indulged in, the newlyweds were presented with a piece of cut glass as a token of appreciation on the part of the League.

Parcel Shower.

Miss Amy Krohn entertained at a parcel shower at her home on Friday evening in compliment to Mrs. Henry Froseth, whose marriage recently occurred. The hours were devoted to music and conversation. A delightful lunch was served at midnight. Those sharing the pleasure of the event were Mrs. Thyra Snyder, Mrs. Fred Scanlon, Miss Lena Lonson, Miss Tillie Sundahl, Mrs. Lawrence Hermanson, Mrs. Clarence Erickson, Mrs. J. C. Holte and Miss Myrtle Krohn.

Linde-Lockrey.

J. O. Linde returned the first of the week from Chicago, where he had been in attendance at the wedding of his son, Colman J. Linde, to Gracia Loraine Lockrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lockrey of that city, which took place on Tuesday, Oct. 12, at 8 p. m. The groom has for some time been in the employ of a large construction firm at LaSalle, Ill., as a structural engineer and the newlyweds will make that city their home. The wedding is the culmination of a romance which begun when Mr. Linde was a member of the navy and stationed at Great Lakes during the war.

Austinson-Dahle

August Austinson of Steiner and Belle Dahle of Thief River Falls were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. George Larson officiating in the presence of Palmer Dahle, a brother of the bride and Minnie Ahlstrom. The newly married couple will make their home near Steiner on a farm.

Entertains at Dinner.

W. A. Barnard was host to a company of his friends on Monday evening and entertained them at a dinner party at the Evelyn hotel. Following the repast the guests repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson, where the hours were spent at cards. Mrs. Christianson won highest honors for the women and F. C. Niclai took first place on the men's side. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Niclai, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. BonDurant, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Miss Laura Forde and Miss Johnson were the guests.

Loken-Owen.

A marriage of particular interest to local people is that of George Loken of this city to Miss Mildred Owen of Alexandria which occurred at the latter place on October 12. Both are prominent members of the younger set, the bride having been employed here for the past two years as stenographer for the Prichard Co., while the groom is one of the enterprising young business men, having for the past eight years been connected with the Loken Bros. Department Store. After a brief wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Loken will return to this city and will be at home after Nov. 1, at their residence, 708 Knight Ave. N. The Times joins their host of friends in extending congratulations.

Community Girls' Meeting.

An unusually large attendance marked the opening of the club season for the Community Girls on Monday evening. Not only was the attendance large but a congenial spirit and enthusiasm existed which plainly showed that the members would have many good times this winter as well as accomplish a great deal of work in connection with the club. The evening was opened with a short program which consisted of a reading by Miss Una Nelson, a vocal solo by Miss [illegible] and a violin selection by [illegible] Holmberg. This was followed by a business session. Mrs. E. M. Stanton's interesting report of the convention of Women's clubs at Northfield was read. The remainder of the evening was spent in getting acquainted and in dancing. Delicious refreshments served by the executive board concluded a most pleasant evening.

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At $24.75 is our banner group, all wool coats full silk lined **$24.75**

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Beautiful Georgette Blouses go, special at **$4.76**

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New Tie-Back Sweaters, Special purchase enables us to sell them at **$4.95**

Children's Armour plate Hose. Special **45c**

DRESSES

One rack of all wool serge and Silk Dresses, many of which came in this week. Sale price **$14.75**

Another group at **$19.75**

Many more added to this lot that are worth up to **$29.50**

Women's Fleeced Union Suits. Reg. $1.50 value. Special **$1.19**

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Choice of a fine Georgette Crepe Silk Waist worth $5.95 with every Ladies' Suit—$50.00 to $68.50 values at
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Ladies "Printzess" absolutely all wool Winter Coats, ½ Sols Satin lined and interlined. Sizes 38 to 44. A splendid value at $25. **$16.50**

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BOND — FREE
Choice of attractive Georgette Crepe Silk Waists, worth $10.00 with every fine Tricotine Ladies' Suit, formerly sold at $100.00, now at
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Ladies' Navy Serge Suits, fancy silk lined, values $25.00 and $35.00 **$16.50**

Ladies' full length Tweed Coats, Value $15.00 **$9.95**

BOND — FREE
Choice of beautiful Georgette Crepe Silk Waists, worth $7.50 with every tailored Ladies' Wooltex Suit—$85.00 values at
$49.85
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About 25 Dress Skirts, just one of a kind. There are Taffetas, Serges, Wool plaids, Silk repps., ranging in price from $5.95 to $18.50. Choice of this lot at just ½ price. Pick out a nice Skirt and pay us just half.

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Choice of highest class Georgette Crepe Silk Waist worth $12.50 with our very best Ladies Suits, reg. $125.00 sellers, going now at
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$2.00 Handbags, Now at $1.48
$2.50 Handbags, Now at $1.95
$3.00 Handbags, Now at $2.29
$3.50 Handbags, Now at $2.69
$5.00 Handbags, Now at $3.85

Boudoir Caps Splendid new assortment, priced 75c to $3.00 each. Exclusive patterns as the whole assortment comprises only one of a style.

BOND — FREE
A pair of heavy silk Gloves worth $2.50—own choice—with every Ladies' Winter COAT Salt's, Sealette, Plush, Silvertones, Bolivias; silk lined, reg. $55.00 to $65.00 val. Now at
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Ladies' Finest Black Sateen Petticoats $1.39—the Sateen in these is worth $1.50 a yard. We are going to sell one hundred of these fine Petticoats for just **$1.39**

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TO AVOID CONFUSION, WE WISH TO SAY A WORD OF EXPLANATION ABOUT THIS 1c SALE. For the first Article you pay Regular price, the next article of the same description costs you 1c. For instance: You buy 1 yard of SILK, reg. price $2.50 ________ $2.50
2nd yd. of Silk, reg. price $2.50 for ________ 1c
For 2 yards you pay us ________ $2.51

You can buy any amount you wish as long as the goods last. Every 2nd, 4th, 6th, 8th yard, etc. etc., costs you: ONE CENT. Same rules applied to all other goods mentioned in this 1c Sale.

1c sale opens Saturday 8:30 Sharp

About 700 yds. Radium Taffeta, Messaline

SILKS

per yard

1c

An exquisite fabric for Evening Gowns, all the wanted colors. Reg. price $3.50
1st yd. for ____ $3.50
2nd yd. for ____ $0.01
2 yards for ____ $3.51

Loken's main floor.

Saturday OCTOBER 23rd

1c Sale

Read Below!

Hundreds of useful articles worth up to $2.00 at

1c

Ladies' New Style Neckwear, $2.00 val.
Novelty Trimming Buttons, big assortment. Reg., per doz ________ 25c
Coat Buttons, blue, brown, black. Reg. per dozen ________ 30c
Real Human Hairnets, without elastic; all shades, reg val. ________ 15c
Dress Snap Fasteners, reg. val ____ 10c
Military Trimming Braid, reg per yard ________ 25c
Loken's main floor.

Any of these articles you pay us for 1st selection regular price; 2nd article or yard for

1c

HURRY

Child's Black Sateen Bloomers, (1st quality); all sizes. Reg. 75c values.
1st for ____ 75c
2nd for ____ 1c
2 Bloomers for ____ 76c
Loken's main floor.

1c

Ladies' House Dresses made of very best Nurses Gingham Reg. $4.50 val.
1st for ____ $4.50
2nd for ____ 1c
2 for ____ $4.51

1c

Loken's main floor.

Royal Medicated Soap, reg. 10c value.
1st bar ____ 10c
2nd bar ____ 1c
2 bars for ____ 11c

1c

Loken's basement

Rattail Trimming Braid, all colors, Reg. per yd 15c.
1st yd. ____ 15c
2nd yd. ____ 1c
2 yds. for ____ 16c

1c

Loken's main floor.

Copyrighted Story Books. Reg. $1.00 value
1st for ____ $1.00
2nd for ____ 1c
2 books for ____ $1.01

1c

Loken's main floor.

Child's Rompers, Wash Dresses, Ladies' large Aprons. Regular $1.50 val.
1st for ____ $1.50
2nd for ____ 1c
2 for ____ $1.51
Loken's basement.

1c

JUST ARRIVED!

Plain Silk Jersey Petticoats, all colors; $6.50 val. ______ **$3.95**

New Diamond Design Silk Jersey Petticoats. They are beauties; $8.50 val ______ **$4.95**

Mennen's Shaving Cream, extra large tube—Special ________ **50c**
Loken's main floor.

Don't Mistreat Opportunity, Come When She Beckons!

25 only, large Chamoiskins, for automobile washing; reg. $1.50 and $2.00 val.	"Springtime" brand beautiful finished 36 in. bleached Muslin. 45c val. per yard	"Berkshire" L L unbleached Muslin, 38c val, per yard	Large Plush Stoles, Silk Lined $12.50 values	Child's rib. stockings, black; size 5 to 10; exceptional value, only per pair	30 dozen Ladies' black, brown, white cotton hose full fashioned, pr pair only	Window Shades, $1.00 val. at only	Pond's Vanishing Cream, 35c jar for
85c	**30c**	**25c**	**$7.95**	**19c**	**22c**	**69c**	**25c**
Loken's basement	Loken's main floor.	Loken's main floor.	Loken's main floor.	Loken's basement	Loken's basement	Loken's basement	Loken's main floor.

"Salt Sealette" Plush Muffs, silk lined, wrist flounced; $8.50 val ______ **$5.95**

Jack Tar Togs, newest all wool flannel MIDDIES, red, Kelly-green, navy; $10.00 val. ______ **$7.50**

Mennen's Talcum Powder for men! A new powder just put on the market by "Mennen's". Men, Try it—extra large can. for ________ **25c**
Loken's main floor.

Read Page 3

Loken's Dept. Store

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Read Page 5

Folks! I'm Done Talking; Now It's Up to You

If I didn't tell you the truth, brand me as a faker.

E. O. MOGENSEN

Thief River Falls' Leading Clothing and Shoe House

Consolidated Unloading SALE a Record-Breaker

Stirring News from Mogensen's Busy Store

WITH ALL THE POWER AT MY COMMAND, I'LL DEMONSTRATE TO ALL MY CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS, there is no such a thing as "Hi-Prices" here. I've sold more Clothing and Shoes since this mighty sale opened than any of my competitors; a fitting tribute to the reputation of Mogensen's name and Sale. To show my appreciation and to make the few remaining days of this stupendous sale go down in the history of merchandising as the most sensational Bargain-Giving-Days, Ive cut prices to the limit! This will enable YOU MEN to buy a from-head-to-foot outfit at the price you have to pay at the "Wise Owl" 20 per cent clothing stores for a suit alone.

SHOES

Men's Hi-Cuts—Less than Wholesale, 8, 10 and 12 inch. Heavy Chrome Calf-tiped toe and vamp, Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, water-proof "Hunkidori," and "Chippewa" makes. Choice now at ________ ***6.85, 8.85, 10.75***

Men's Barnyard Shoes.

Single sole, bellows tongue, "Original Chippewa, acid proof tanned, $7.50 value ______ ***$4.35***

Six splendid styles in Shoes worth up to $18.00. Now ________ ***$11.45***

Mahogany Calf, Pep last; Russia Calf; English last. Men's Coco, Blucher style, fine stock. Men's Russia Calf, Bal tip, rubber heel. Men's extra fine black Kid Blucher walking last. Men's extra heavy sole black Kangaroo. Chiropodist last. Choice of these six lines of elegant Shoes, now at ________ ***$11.45***

Hundreds of Straight from the Shoulder Bargains at Unheard of Price Reductions.

Friday, Oct. 22nd
Saturday, Oct. 23rd
Monday, Oct. 25th

$1 *For Your Old Hat*

NO MATTER how bad your old Hat looks, bring it in to Mogensen's Store and

BUY A NEW HAT—

You'll SAVE at least 30%. In addition to our low prices we will allow you for your old Hat One Dollar. This means a double saving to you Men!

The Whole Store Ablaze with the Most Wonderful Values.

Original "Chippewa" Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, water-proof Chrome tan work Shoe. Value today $12.00. Now marked at, pair ______ ***$7.85***

Men's Smoked and Chocolate Elk Visolized

Water-proof soled, bellows tongue, light weight work Shoe, $7.50 value ________ ***$4.35***

$5.00, $6.00 and $7.00 Youth's Shoes, $2.95

These are fine Calf skin, double sole, solid leather heels, black button; sizes 2 to 5; less than half, now at, pair ________ ***$2.95***

Youth's $7.50 Dress Shoes, $5.35

New dark brown, in Blucher and Bals, English and semi-English toes; fine calf skin. A wonderful buy, now at ________ ***$5.35***

Fine Suede Dress Gloves, lisle lined. $3.50 values, now at, only

$2.65

Mechanic's Shirts with 2 collars to match in blue, polka dot and plain blue, Union Made, McDonald brand. Reg. $3.00 val. Sale price

$2.45

Headlight Overalls; also Penn and Bear brand, at

$2.45

Men's extra heavy Jersey Motled color, knit-wrist, fleece lined Mittens, only, per pair

23c

$3.50 men's Black Auto Gloves, the famous "Grinnell" make

$2.69

MEN

single-track-minded and with dispeptic outlook, will, of course, leave this greatest of all Suit and Overcoat Sales alone thereby proving the harsh Epithet applied to them. But, thank goodness, these men are few and far asunder here at Thief River Falls, realizing this is their greatest savings opportunity. Farmers, Lawyers, Businessmen, Mechanics, Laborers, Professional and Railroad Men are streaming into Mogensen's Clothing Store by throngs. It does 'm all good to be protected by their old Standby—Mogensen—where values are supreme and even bigger than advertised.

$55.00 young Men's Coats at $38.50

Young Men's wool, belt all around, patch pocket

OVERCOATS

with extra fine brown, heavy Cooney fur collar, in brown and green heather mixtures. They are beauties at only

$38.50

ONE LOT OF

$50.00 Brand New latest models in Men's Suits, brown and navy mixtures and hairline stripes. Made for discriminating trade. Actual $50.00 Suits; sizes 34 to 44. Out they go at

$34.45

Men's $65.00, $70.00, $72.50 SUITS

Here you will find fine serges, worsteds in plain and hairline stripes, the newest and finest styles and workmanship; without any exageration one of the most wonderful values ever offered

$49.75

$69.50 Young Men's Sealskin lined

OVERCOATS for $49.75

We are the only authorized Store in this part of the state to carry this fine line of Overcoats exclusively. These Overcoats are natural Alaska Hairseal lined with large Alaska Sealskin collar, Moleskin shell, trench style, slash pockets, double breasted, belt all around; just the coat for the young fellows who are out for lots of swank and just think, these splendid coats at only

$49.75

$68.50 Young Men's Coats at $49.75

Young Men's Overcoats, double breasted, leather sleeved, slash pockets, trench style, belt all around, South America beaver collar, brown wool Kersey shell, very snappy and exclusive. These fine coats now, at only ***$49.75***

$3.00 Men's wool Flannel Shirts

$2.35

15c Men's fine weight Handkerchiefs

9c

Up to $18.00 Men's Lamb-lined Leather Sleeve Vests, 26 in. Now marked

$12.85

$7.00 values Men's fine Hats, Velour finished, now

$4.39

Railroad Men's Genuine Scotch Caps, $2.50 values; choice

$1.49

Winter Caps

One lot big assortment in newest colors and styles, $2.00 to $3.00 values at

$1.35

All other Caps at wonderful Savings.

Don't blame anybody but yourself if "Jack Frost" surprises you,

unprepared. We give you a FAIR WARNING to buy your WINTER needs NOW at these tremendous SAVINGS. Here they are:

UNDERWEAR

All kinds of extra fine Underwear; Union and 2-piece Suits. The very best of Merino wool and Silk and wool; also pure all wool worsteds, $2.00 to $8.00 values priced for quick riddance at

$1.49, $1.95, $2.35, $2.95, $3.65, $5.95, $6.45

SWEATERS

A wonderful line of pure wool, also wool mixture Sweaters, values from $6.00 to $12.50, now on sale at

$3.75, $4.95, $5.85, $6.45, $7.85, $9.65

Sizes 34 to 46.

The Celebrated "PATRICK" and "Kuppenheimer"

Overcoats in every description of the highest grades. Your unrestricted choice of any of these $75.00 Brand New Coats at

$59.50

"Koveralls" in blue denim and Khaki and Stripes, fancy trimmed. Ages 1 to 8 years, $2.00 values **$1.39**	Boys' Khaki Officer's Suits, worth to $6.00, now **$2.85**	Little Gents Corduroy and cloth Suits, worth today $7.00. Now marked **$3.95**	Boys' Juvenile wool Suits, sizes 4 to 7, val. to $8.75. Now **$5.95**
Boys' Suits, sizes 8 to 18, in fine cloth and Corduroy, $14.00 and $15.00 Suits. Your unrestricted choice, now at **$11.85**	Boys' $10.00 and $12.00 Corduroy Suits in green, brown and drab; sizes 6 to 17. Choice now **$8.75**	Boys' heavy black ribbed Stockings, now **42c**	$1.50 Boys' heavy "Home Knit" worsted Stockings **$1.19**

Boys' $6.00 Army Shoes at $4.35

Brown, Chrome tan, Munson last, and boys' black semi-English dress Shoes. Now per pair

$4.35

$1.50 Kaynee and Ideal Boys' Blouses, the finest made, now **98c**	$3.00 high grade boys' blue and tan flannel Shirts **$2.35**	Men's $2.50 and $3.00 Muslin Night Shirts and Pajamas **$1.85**	$3.00 Men's Brighton Carlsbad flannelette Night Shirts **$2.35**
$4.00 Men's Brighton Pajamas, fine flannelette **$2.95**	$1.00 heavy wool SOX **59c**	Men's extra large Bandana Handkerchiefs, blue and red **19c**	Men's Gauntlet double palm leather Gloves sacrificed at **$1.49**

Traveling Bags.

We handle a complete line of finest Traveling Bags. All to go at substantial savings.

E. O. MOGENSEN

The House of Quality
and unmatchable Clothing Prices
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Men's $1.00 Cashmere Socks

59c

Finest quality in black and grey mixtures.

City News

Oct. 29—B. of L. F. & E.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Chommie on Tuesday, Oct. 19.

P. J. Bottem is spending the week in Roseau attending to matters of business.

Miss Amy Krohn returned yesterday from a brief visit with friends at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. John Gustafson returned yesterday from a week's visit with her parents at Middle River.

Mrs. C. W. Royes returned to her home at Ogema on Saturday evening, having spent the day shopping.

Miss Florence Moran left yesterday for Red Lake Falls where she will visit with friends for a couple of days.

Mrs. L. J. Lindeman, who had spent a week visiting with relatives at Oslo, returned to her home here Monday evening.

Miss Anna Bredeson who is employed at Hallock arrived here Saturday for a visit at the home of her parents.

R. A. Boyce returned Saturday morning from Red Lake Falls where he had spent a brief period visiting with relatives.

Miss Rose Hance left Sunday evening for Sheridan, Wyo., where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives.

Eugene Hance made his departure on Sunday evening for Sheridan, Wyo., where he will remain on his claim this winter.

Misses Louise and Mable Shefveland left Monday morning for Warren where they will attend Teachers' Institute for a week.

Mrs. Herman Ohm visited with her friends at Holt on Wednesday, going there in the morning and returning on the afternoon train.

Mrs. John Norby and three children were guests of friends here on Saturday. They returned to their home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sheedy are the proud parents of an 8 pound boy born on Monday morning, Oct. 18. Mother and child are doing nicely.

A. Brunvell, C. Thurrin, Miss Della Walton and Miss Brown, of Crookston, were among those who attended the football game on Saturday.

Miss Lottie Austin returned from Fosston Saturday evening, accompanied by her mother and brother Lloyd, who will visit here a few days.

Miss Edna Thovar of Edinburg, N. D., was a guest of friends here Monday evening enroute to St. Paul where she will remain for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Anett who was in the city on business, left yesterday for St. Hilaire for the same purpose. While here she was a guest of Mrs. James Farr, Sr.

Mrs. T. J. Olson arrived here Saturday from her home at Devils Lake and will spend a few days in this city as the guest of her mother, Mrs. P. L. Gulseth.

P. L. Gulseth, who is employed at Grand Forks, arrived Sunday morning for a visit with his family here and also receive chiropractic treatment for rheumatism.

A. Aulberg, civil engineer and surveyor of Henning, attended to matters of business here on Saturday. While in the city he was a guest at the J. Q. Cronkhite home.

Mrs. M. Evenson returned yesterday from Crookston where she spent a few days as the guest of her daughter, Miss Ruth, who is employed at Krueger's Millinery store.

Misses Selma and Milda Shefveland who are teaching school in the vicinity of Newfolden, arrived here Saturday evening. They left on Monday morning for Warren where they will attend the Teachers' Institute.

Mrs. J. J. Votava, who has been visiting at the Votava and Hance homes in this city returned to her home at Sheridan, Wyo., Sunday evening. Her son Ward will remain in the city with his grandmother this winter.

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Special sale of tires and tubes. See ad. of Hall Brothers Co. o21

Mrs. H. Carlson of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Saturday.

Dr. O. F. Mellby returned Friday evening from Warren where he had spent the day.

Mrs. O. Fellman of St. Hilaire, was among the many out-of-town shoppers here on Saturday.

Mrs. F. J. Schantzen returned Friday morning from Argyle where she spent a brief period as the guest of her mother.

Misses Hilda Westerlund, Ida and Mable Bore, all of Plummer, were among the out-of-town shoppers here on Saturday.

Dr. Billings of Bemidji was an over Sunday guest of friends here. He returned to the above named place on Monday morning.

Mrs. G. A. Fallness and daughter, Kathleen, returned Thursday evening from a three week's visit with relatives at Audobon.

Atty. W. J. Brown returned Saturday evening from Union Lake where he had spent a few days harvesting his garden products.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bjerken of Holt were guests of friends here between trains on Saturday, enroute to Mahnomen to visit friends.

Mrs. R. L. Barackman returned on Friday evening from the twin cities where she had spent a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Clara Sorenson who teaches in the vicinity of Rosewood, was a week-end guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Mrs. E. E. Thrall and sons Robert and Donald, who visited with friends here, returned to their home at Middle River on Saturday morning.

Miss Dagny Leverson of Grygla spent a few days the latter part of last week as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen.

Miss Lucille Brooks, who is employed in the office of the Kiewel Co., spent the week-end visiting with her parents who reside at Plummer.

Miss Cecelia Billie, accompanied by Miss Edna Peepo, made their departure on Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where they will be employed.

Mrs. R. F. Porteous, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralston, returned to her home at Middle River on Thursday.

Miss Mildred Fellman returned to her home in St. Hilaire on Friday after spending a day attending to shopping and also visiting with her friends.

Miss Clara Ferdinandson and sister Mrs. E. W. Stole, returned to Minneapolis Thursday evening, having attended the funeral services of their father in Goodridge.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick returned the latter part of last week from Ada, where she had spent a short time as a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Weatherhead.

Mrs. Della Deerborn, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thoreson in this city, returned to her home at Scranton, N. D., on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Julia Lunke and Mrs. Wm. Steinhaur passed Wednesday and Thursday attending to shopping in this city. They returned to their homes at Holt on Thursday.

Among those from Crookston who attended the football game on Saturday were: Herman Simpson, Ethel Loune, Dorothy Schuber, Mr. and Mrs. Chesterman, Supt. Sandberg, Mr. and Mrs. Smiley, Leonard and George Rosenberg, Ray Sather, Helmer Alseth, Pierman Nesbrod, Frank Birdseye, Willis Carlyle and Elmer Syverson.

Oct. 29—B. of L. F. & E.

Lt. Campbell of Winnipeg visited with friends here on Sunday.

A. F. LaBudde of Gonvick was in town over Sunday visiting with his numerous friends.

Misses Carrie Vik and Hedvick Thorien of Bronson, were guests of friends and relatives here last week.

Misses Mable Rogers and Ruth Sollem of Steiner attended to shopping and visited with friends here on Saturday.

Miss Grace Wilson returned Monday morning from Minneapolis where she spent a week visiting with friends.

F. E. Weiland of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., was in the city on Friday and attended the Elks' initiation in the evening.

Another carload of apples will be received shortly. All winter varieties. Watch for announcement. Chas. Fiterman. O-21

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Posten departed on Friday morning for Middle River where they will visit friends for a week.

Miss Gladys Ellefson arrived Saturday evening from Newfolden for a visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. O. Cronstrom.

Mrs. John Dahl and grandson, Vance Newberry, returned on Saturday evening from Duluth after a two week's visit with friends.

D. Sandberg of Aberdeen, S. D., arrived here on Friday and will spend an indefinite time visiting at the home of his brother, O. C. Sandberg.

Mrs. R. A. Preston and Mrs. Tom Norby returned to their homes at Plummer on Saturday evening after spending the day attending to shopping.

Mrs. P. H. Holm of Roseau, Mrs. Joe Baugh and Mrs. John Bordvick of Warren were guests of Mrs. Clarence Erickson the latter part of last week.

Mr. Lytel and "Boob" Miller of Crookston, were here on Saturday witnessing the football game. The latter refereed the game for a short period.

Miss Esther Tandberg came down from Oklee to spend Sunday at her home here. She left Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the public school.

Elmer Smith came down from Lancaster with a company of friends on Saturday to witness the football game between the local high school and the Crookston squad.

Miss Myrtle Krohn, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Ella Krohn, returned Saturday evening from Viking where they spent the day visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Ida Johnson arrived Saturday evening from her home at Karlstad and spent Sunday visiting friends. She left on Monday morning for Silverton where she will teach a term of school.

Bart A. Wangenstein arrived home this morning from Bradley Polytechnic Institute in Peoria, Ill., where he has been taking up a nine month's course in watch-making, engraving and optical work.

Mrs. Theo. Lemieux and sister-in-law, Miss Alice Lemieux of Plummer, were guests of their husband and brother, who is confined at the Oakland Park Sanatorium, on Saturday. They returned to their homes on the flier.

Mrs. Olive Stump, who spent a few weeks visiting with her mother, Mrs. Mathea Olson, at Kratka, was the guest of friends between trains on Friday. She departed on the flier in the evening for Minneapolis where she will visit at the home of her brother, A. H. Lee, before returning to her home at Thermopolis, Wyo.

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M. Bakken left Saturday morning for Fargo where he will spend a few days visiting with his sister.

Doris Provencher came up from Minneapolis the first of the week and is spending a few days visiting with relatives and friends.

Another carload of apples will be received shortly. All winter varieties. Watch for announcement. Chas. Fiterman. O-21

Mrs. Peter Neth and children of Grand Forks arrived Saturday morning for a visit at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein.

Miss Agnes Erickson arrived here Friday morning from Crookston where she had visited with friends and remained here until flier time in the morning when she returned to her home at Bronson.

Mrs. I. Olen returned to her home at Ferndale, Wash., after a two week's visit with friends here. The Olens only recently removed to the state of Washington and are very much pleased with their new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson of Fordville were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson last week. The latter left this city Saturday evening for Tracy, this state, to visit at the home of her parents.

An Oyster Supper will be given by the Zion Ladies' Aid in the church basement on Friday, Oct. 22, (tomorrow evening). Menu: Oyster Stew, Beef Roast and Brown Gravy, Potatoes, Cranberry Sauce, Pickles, Cake and Coffee. O21

Mrs. C. G. Harland of Glenwood, accompanied by her brother Gerard Ringstad of Clearbrook, passed thru this city on Friday evening enroute to the former city where Mr. Ringstad will spent a few days as the guest of his sister.

Mrs. E. Rownd, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. E. Severson, arrived here the first of last week for a brief visit with her husband and father, E. Rownd, who is confined at the Physician's hospital. They returned to their homes at Greenbush on Thursday.

Mrs. Elmer Ohm and Mrs. John Sheggrud returned Monday morning from Minneapolis. They were met at Erskine by their sister, Miss Mae Docken, who will spend a week as the guest of Mrs. Chris. Storholm, after which she will return to Minneapolis where she is employed.

Mrs. S. D. Rouze, who had attended the funeral services of her father, J. Ferdinandson, at Goodridge, visited with friends here between trains on Thursday evening enroute to her home at Austin. Mrs. Rouze, formerly Miss Myrtle Ferdinandson, attended the local high school and was graduated with the class of 1914.

Misses Genevieve Mead, cellist, of Dayton, Ohio, Virginia Rice, harpist of Chicago and Mary Gorham, violinist of Owatonna, who are with the University of Minnesota Extension bureau, were in the city on Monday as guests of Miss Ausliga Sorenson, instructor of violin in this city. Miss Sorenson and Miss Mead traveled together on a lecture course tour last winter. The three former gave a concert at Goodridge on Monday evening.

WANTED

500 young people to prepare for positions in Banks, Wholesale and R. R. offices, in law and real estate offices. Also as Auto and Tractor experts. Positions in Garages and Machine shops. Board and room $4.50 to $6 per week. Write Crookston College, J. C. Sathre, Pres., Crookston, Minn.

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Tailoring, Cleaner, Dying and Hatter
Ladies and Men, send your faded Suit or Overcoat to us and we will pay postage one way. Quick service.
Thief River Falls
113 LaBree South Phone 412

Warning!

The public is cautioned to drive slowly where sewer work is beinig carried on and to heed red light warnings placed near such work at night. Attention to these matters will prevent accidents and possible injury.

Coolsaet Bros. & Drees, Contractors.

KNEW WHERE TO GET GOOD STENO

"Send another good steno," phoned Manager Bristol, of Bristol & Sweet Co., Harness Mfrs., to Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. Mr. Bristol's 3 sons and 7 former employes were D. B. C. graduates. He knows their pupils make good. Miss E. Anderson was sent.

Better-class positions are always open to D. B. C. students. Remley & Olsen, Wholesalers, Moorhead, Minn., have engaged W. A. Husen, as bookkeeper, at $125 to start.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for plan and purpose of 1000-New-Pupil Club.

BETTER DEAD

Life is a burden when the body is racked with pain. Everything worries and the victim becomes despondent and downhearted. To bring back the sunshine take

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The national remedy of Holland for over 200 years; it is an enemy of all pains resulting from kidney, liver and uric acid troubles. All druggists, three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation

DEPOSIT WITH A STRONG BANK

YOU'LL BE GLAD, YOU SAVED

—when vacation time comes.

YOU can afford to join your friends in just the sort of a vacation you want—if you've made a habit of saving your money.

JUST so—whatever your wants may be, you can satisfy them with the money you have saved.

IT'S better to have money than to wish you had. Provide now, for the plans you'll make later on, by opening a savings account today with this friendly bank.

CITIZENS STATE BANK

An Invitation to All

Did you ever have dental work done by us that was not satisfactory? If so now is the time to come up and adjust the matter with us.

We always prove our guarantee by doing the work over again absolutely free of charge.

NO LONG DELAYS

All Work Guaranteed for 10 years.

(Write us about your teeth troubles.)
Extractions 50c

Dr. E. O. Erickson Dr. R. C. Norcross Dr. F. Dyson
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Remember the location
Thief River Falls.
Over First and Peoples Bank.
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Special Reductions for 10 days AT OEN'S

10 per cent off

on all silks, worsteds, cretonne goods, sheeting, tubing, outing flannel, hose, yarn, flannel night gowns.

20 per cent off

on underwear, coverall-aprons, children's dresses, underwear, georgette waists, blankets, auto robes.

OEN'S

Political Advertisement

Ordered inserted on behalf of the Democratic candidates by Pennington County Democratic Committee, A. S. Sapero, Secretary, Thief River Falls. Price to be paid $3.

Attention Republicans!

IF YOUR CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR IS WEAK, VOTE FOR HODGSON AND PLAY SAFE.

Pennington County Democratic Committee.

Let's settle this right now!

No man ever smoked a better cigarette than Camel!

You'll find Camels unequalled by any cigarette in the world at any price because Camels *combine every feature that can make a cigarette supreme!*

Camels expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos puts Camels in a class by themselves. Their smoothness will appeal to you, and permit you to smoke liberally without tiring your taste!

Camels leave no unpleasant cigaretty aftertaste nor unpleasant cigaretty odor!

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Winston-Salem, N. C.

BANK NO. 1409.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

F THIEF RIVER FALLS, INCORPORATED, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS OCTOBER 6th, 1920.

RESOURCES

and Discounts			$332,632.60
rafts			371.74
Bonds and other U. S. obligations			422.00
ing House, Furniture and Fixtures			7,169.65
s and Drafts in Transit			2,150.51
from other Banks		$ 30,611.86	
on hand		5,451.51	
ncy	$3,821.00		
	260.00		
	1,185.40		
	182.11		
Cash Assets		$ 36,063.37	36,063.37
s and Cash Items			8,540.05
out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			2,663.01
			$389,960.83

LIABILITIES

al Stock		$ 25,000.00
us Fund		5,000.00
Rediscounted and Bills Payable		40,000.00
sits Subject to Check	$143,983.96	
ier's Checks	7,575.14	
Immediate Liabilities	$151,559.10	
ngs Deposits	11,163.05	
Certificates	157,238.69	
Deposits	$319,960.83	319,960.83
		$389,960.83

unt of Reserve on hand $ 40,760.83
unt of Reserve Required by Law 20,007.17

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, R. McGinn, President and L. A. Lampert, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
M. T. McFARLAND.
HERBERT FULLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of October, 1920.
EFFIE HAMRY.
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires April 2, 1925.

BANK NO. 448.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCT. 6, 1920.

RESOURCES

ns and Discounts			$755,134.09
rdrafts			14.51
Bonds and other U. S. obligations			62,850.00
nking House, Furniture and Fixtures			25,100.00
er Real Estate			26,000.00
from other Banks		$ 64,433.68	
rency	$6,121.00		
d	1,021.00		
er	2,871.10		
er	290.45		
al Cash Assets		10,309.55	74,743.23
cks and Cash Items			3,910.57
d out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			11,807.25
Total			$960,159.68

LIABILITIES

ital Stock		$ 50,000.00
plus Fund		10,000.00
erved for Depreciation on Bonds		2,633.68
es Rediscounted and Bills Payable		87,500.00
osits Subject to Check	$200,316.78	
and Certificates	8,061.27	
Certified Checks	53.00	
Cashier's Checks	10,449.00	
Due to Banks	21,285.35	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$249,165.40	
vings Deposits	33,637.07	
me Certificates	527,192.57	
Total Deposits	$810,026.00	$810,026.00
		$960,159.68

Amount of Reserve on hand $ 78,035.60
Amount of Reserve Required by Law 57,914.98

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, A. M. Langseth, Vice President and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A. M. LANGSETH, Vice President.
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
RASMUS OEN.
C. W. VORACHEK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of October, 1920.
(SEAL)
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 29, 1927.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.84
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.79
Oats	.38
Flax	2.40
Barley	.68
Rye	1.51
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	6.50
Bran	2.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.90
Corn and oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.60
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.95
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Geese, alive, per lb.	.09
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.52
Dairy Butter	.55
Creamery butter	.57
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse hides	4.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.18
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.13
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.09
Calves, per lb.	.08
Cows, per lb.	.05

SAYS IT WAS HIS MAIN BUSINESS

Minnesota Farmer Makes Trip of Many Miles to Renew His Supply of Tanlac.

"I've come to town today on business, and the main part of it is to get more Tanlac," was the statement made by Alfred Bauer, a prosperous farmer living at Buhl, Minnesota, while in St. Paul recently.

"I had always been a strong and healthy man until two years ago, when my stomach and kidneys got all out of order and I have been gradually getting worse ever since. My appetite went back on me and I fell off in weight until it scared me. The little I ate turned against me and caused gas to form on my stomach so bad I could hardly stand it. My kidneys worried me continually and my back hurt terribly and I was subject to awful weak spells. Every few days I had to take something for constipation and I often had severe dizzy spells.

"About five weeks ago I started taking Tanlac and actually it has built me up so fast I don't feel like the same man. Why, my troubles have all been completely stopped and I can't tell there was ever anything the matter with me. I never had a better apetite than I have now and I enjoy three big hearty meals every day without a sign of stomach trouble. My kidneys are in fine shape and I never have any more pains in my back. I am not constipated any more and don't know what it is to have a dizzy spell. I have picked up several pounds in weight and feel as strong as a mule. My health is as good as anybody's and Tanlac is what gave it to me."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's drug store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—adv.

Partridge Season Opens.

The season for hunting partridges in Minnesota opened last Friday. A number of local hunters were on hand bright and early in an effort to secure a few of the birds and most of them had fairly good success.

BANK NO. 1231.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

AT HAZEL, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCT. 6, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$ 97,185.74
Overdrafts			238.76
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			127.58
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,250.00
Other Real Estate			1,560.84
Checks and Drafts in Transit			43.52
Due from other Banks		$ 12,441.54	
Cash on hand		1,756.34	
Currency	$1,324.00		
Gold	32.50		
Silver	333.75		
Other	66.09		
Total Cash Assets			$ 14,197.88
Checks and Cash Items			318.82
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			2,480.00
Total			$120,812.14

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 17,970.20	
Cashier's Checks	1,177.35	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 19,147.55	
Savings Deposits	3,467.47	
Time Certificates	76,197.12	
Total Deposits	$ 98,812.14	98,812.14
Total		$120,812.14

Amount of Reserve on hand $ 14,197.88
Amount of Reserve Required by Law 4,587.63

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Paul Borgie, Vice President and E. C. Karwand, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President.
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
OLE ODEGAARD.
C. W. VORACHEK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of Oct. 1920.
(SEAL)
E. P. BREVIG.
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 29, 1927.

Peter C. Wold

Candidate for Judge of Probate

Endorsed by the Nonpartisan League. Write his name in the blank space made for that purpose, if you do not have a sticker.

Peter Hedeen
Chairman Pennington County Nonpartisan League, Hazel, Minn.

The Gasoline Situation in 1910 and Now

IN 1910 there were approximately 400 thousand cars in the United States.

To operate these cars there was available a gasoline production of 750 million gallons, or, approximately, 1875 gallons per car.

In 1919 there were more than 7 million cars and trucks operating in the United States.

To supply these engines there was available, according to Bureau of Mines Report, 3 billion, 957 million gallons of gasoline, or, approximately, 565 gallons per car.

In neither case has consideration been given to the demand of tractors, stationary gas engines, or the gasoline required by the arts and industries. Nor have we considered the large volume of this product shipped abroad annually.

The above figures are presented so that you may visualize one of the problems the petroleum industry has been called upon to solve in the past decade.

In 1910 the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) marketed about 20 percent of the gasoline output of the United States, or approximately 150 million gallons. In 1919 this Company sold about 640 million gallons of gasoline, or about 17 percent of the total for that year.

It has been the task of the 7 men who manage the affairs of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) for the 5124 stockholders, not one of whom owns as much as 10 percent of the total, to expand the organization not only to keep pace with, but to keep ahead of the extraordinary and persistent demand for gasoline.

How well they have succeeded is illustrated clearly by the fact that in the 10-year period above mentioned, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has taken a leading part in increasing gasoline production 440 percent, while crude oil production increased only 94 percent.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2202

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Saturday, October 23
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Restaurant Outfit, consisting of chairs, counters, tables, cases, stoves, dishes, kitchen utensils and other articles too numerous to mention.

T. P. HAMRE, Owner
TERMS: Cash or bankable paper.
C. M. EVENSON, Auctioneer.

A Good Time To Repair

Now that harvest is over, the farmer has time to look around and see to getting things snug for winter. He will find that many things need looking after and will need something in the way of building material.

That's where our service will stand him in hand. No order too small to receive our most careful consideration and none too large that we cannot fill it from the stock on hand.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

WARREN G. HARDING
Your Kind of Man and—

The Next President of the United States

The Next President.

As certain as anything can be, in this world, is the election of Senator Harding.

To readers of this newspaper, the many family groups to which it comes a regular welcome visitor, Senator Harding's face shines as that of a friend.

Senator Harding, your next President, is **your kind of man.** You see him, hear a few words, and you know it.

He was born in a small town, has lived there all his life, lives there now, and will live there again when he leaves the White House with his work for the country done.

How He Lives.

He lives as you live, simply, in the old fashioned American way.

The main residence street in any little American town, boasts half a dozen homes more elaborate than Senator Harding's, and many as good.

Millions of men, believing in this country, devoted to its government, SATISFIED with the UNITED STATES, believe that the United States is able to deal with its own problems, and settle its own questions free from outside assistance or interference.

Those millions of men are men of the same sort as Senator Harding.

What Kind of Man.

Harding is a big American in physical size, thanks to vigorous farming ancestors. He is a big American also in heart, in understanding, in sympathy and in simplicity.

You read his speeches and know that he does not imagine himself created to tell all the world what to do. He believes in, and he understands the American people, his friends, the citizens of his own little town, Marion, Ohio, and the dwellers in thousands of other towns like it.

Your Servant, No Autocrat.

After you have elected him, you will find in Senator Harding an earnest, conscientious, straight thinking servant of the people, not an autocrat, but a man respecting the traditions of American government, and the Constitution of the United States.

Senator Harding understands that the people will elect him to be President of the United States, not President of the whole world. He will know that he is employed by the PEOPLE of this country to look after the interests of THIS country.

Born on a farm, living all his life close to farmers, he knows and sympathizes with the problems of the farm. Living in the average American way, in the average American small town, he knows the problems of the average American. He understands the printers he employs, and he knows their trade and sets type as they do.

His Ambition.

Senator Harding has no ambition to be called a political superman, or RULER of America. It is his ambition to be known as a good American, a faithful servant of those that trust him.

National politics are discussed this year less than at any election since the republic was founded. Why? Because men do not discuss, to any great extent, that which is DEFINITELY SETTLED.

And this national election is definitely settled as you read this. YOU know it.

But it is important that demonstration of the popular will should be of the most overwhelming kind. Therefore the good citizen will do what he can to increase the vote for Harding, should there be any doubtful votes within reach of his voice.

It is almost ludicrously difficult to find a man or woman that intends to vote the Democratic ticket this year.

But if you do find one, show him or her this picture of the next President. And express in your own way the reasons that inspire you to approve and vote for him.

What is Senator Harding's outlook upon life? It is YOUR OWN.

Read these extracts from one of his recent speeches:

> "This government is your government, not that of somebody who is placed in office."
>
> "You clothe us with authority. We are pleased to execute your will. And one reason I want the Republican party in power once more is because we are responsive to the will of the people of the United States and do not try to tell you that what one man thinks is necessary."

No hallucination there, no idea that Harding was made to rule, and YOU, who read this newspaper, made to be ruled, or preached at from above by your own elected servant.

The duty of the American, whether he be President or simple citizen, is not complicated in Mr. Harding's mind. He says:

> "As I said at the outset, government is a very simple thing, government is only the regulation of our relationships to one another. The government's first task is the protection of the minority against autocracy, or the domination of the majority that sometimes forgets the rights of the minority."
>
> "I am preaching the gospel of popular representative government in the United States, a government that does not know any class anywhere in all this Republic."

In his speeches and in his daily life, running for the Presidency or running his country newspaper, Senator Harding is just an everyday American neighbor. This is what he says, as he bids farewell to a crowd of friends:

> "I am very happy to see you all this morning. As I have said, I want you to know me, and I am delighted to know you. We are going to work together for the good of the United States, and we are going to hold America first in all our thoughts and in all our actions."

Women Voting.

Women especially have reason to congratulate themselves on the fact that Senator Harding will be the next President.

Their sons are taken in war. Their husbands and fathers are taxed to pay for war. They spend the lonely hours of dreadful anxiety, while the son is away.

They, above all, are interested in having for President such a man as Senator Harding.

He does not believe that foreign powers should be allowed to conscript American boys for war beyond the seas.

He does not believe that a Foreign Council should send to America for men and money to settle wars not of our making.

Senator Harding does not believe that this country should be taxed to finance the ambitions or the land greed of foreign nations, and as he believes, so the earnest men and women of this country believe.

When you cast your vote for Senator Harding, you will vote for YOUR KIND OF MAN, the intelligent, straighforward, unpretentious American citizen. President Harding will be an American President, not an international President.

You will have in the White House a man of constructive mind, a plain American with no dreams of world dominion, but with a settled determination to restore normal conditions and normal prosperity to this country.

After the War.

After a war that has destroyed old conditions, cost many lives, squandered many billions in reckless extravagance and dishonesty, and weakened respect for the Constitution, you need for President a straightforward, constructive American.

And you will have such a man in the White House after the 4th of next March, for after that the President of the United States will be Warren G. Harding, your kind of man, one that you would gladly trust with your own affairs, and the affairs of your country.

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEF

Attend the

Closing Out Sale

of the

Gilbert Sandum Stock

at Mavie.

Entire Stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware and Furnishings must be sold. Price is no object.

Sale starts Friday, Oct. 22

Tire Sale

Commencing Oct. 5th

The reception committee is composed of Firestone dealers. They are making a special offering to owners of cars, large and small. They are going to give you motorists the privilege of securing the well known, well thought of, Firestone Fabric Casing, with non-skid tread and 6000 mile adjustment basis at a price inducement you can't resist.

AND HERE IS THE REASON

The Firestone Factory has announced the discontinuance of the present non-skid tread and the adoption of the driving and the cross and square treads. That means a readjustment of every dealer's stock to have it conform with the company's latest move. You autoists are to receive the benefit. The tires included in this offering are not seconds, but first grade casings taken direct from stock. This offer holds good for a limited time only, so act tomorrow.

	Regular price	Smooth Tread Tire and Tube	Non-Skid Tire and Tube
30x3	$21.74	$16.50	$18.00
30x3½	25.90	19.50	21.50
32x3½	31.31	23.00	25.50
31x4	35.91	27.00	30.00
32x4	35.05	31.00	33.50
33x4	43.87	32.00	35.00
34x4	44.11	34.00	36.00

And all the other makes of tires we handle at the same discount according to the price of different makes.

C. M. Evenson & Sons
Thief River Falls, Minn.

To the Voters of the 65th Legislative District:

Having at the request of my friends, filed as a candidate for reelection as Representative of this District, I hereby announce my candidacy, and respectfully solicit your support and vote. In doing so, I refer you to my past record which I believe to be fully consistent with my platform of two years ago.

As Agriculture is the basic industry of our country, and the Farmer the mainstay of the nation, I favor and shall, if re-elected, give my hearty support to all measures tending to benefit the Farmer and to promote the farming industry—as anything that will contribute to the welfare of the Farmer, will in a like degree benefit all the people of the District.

I am a firm believer in co-operation, and favor such co-operative laws as will enable the farmer to co-operate to best advantage both in the line of production as well as marketing—to the end that the middle-men's profit may as far as possible be eliminated or minimized, so the farmer may receive the fullest rewards for his labor that he merits.

I favor Farmers' State Hail Insurance at the lowest rate consistant with sound business policy.

I favor a reduction in the freight charges of common carriers, believing the present high freight rates as exorbitant, and discriminating to the farmer; and I also favor the compulsion of the Railway companies to live up to the State law of 2 cents per mile for carrying passengers.

In order that true prosperity may be had, it is necessary that the operation of the manufacturing industries in the Cities should go hand in hand with the production on the farm, and that the laborer who operates the wheels of industry should also be contented and prosperous. Such honest legislation should therefore be had as will tend to promote the welfare of the working class—laws that will give the laborer just redress for just grievances.

I am in favor of a just State Workmen's Compensation insurance. I believe in the right to collective bargaining.

"Ignorance breeds crime," while education edifies and uplifts, and is the foundation upon which our Government rests. I therefore favor such laws as will tend to foster and promote education, and favor such liberal appropriations for school aid as may be necessary for the proper education of our youth. I favor such reasonable salaries to teachers as will tend to induce more students to prepare themselves for teachers, and to the end that the teaching profession may be kept in a high degree of proficiency.

In the event that Amendment No. 1 should carry, I favor the enactment of most stringent laws governing the work to be performed thereunder, as well as the disposition of the funds thereby created—laws that will most effectually eliminate all possible graft, to the end that a dollar's worth of good roads will be received for every dollar expended.

I favor a State Budget System, and that the State government be run in an economic business way, to the end that the tax burden of the people may be lightened.

I favor a just and equitable tonage tax—such as will make the mining corporations pay their just share of the taxes.

I was born on a farm in Goodhue county, this state, more than fifty years ago, and, with the exception of seven years spent at St. Olaf's College, Northfield and eight years as Deputy Clerk of Court of Polk county, (when Red Lake and Pennington counties were a part thereof) I have always been engaged in farming, and have been a resident of this District for more than 20 years, so am thoroughly acquainted with, and in sympathy with the needs of the District, and if re-elected it shall be my endeavor to serve the District faithfully, and to give every measure due and careful consideration, so as to be able to vote intelligently to the best interest of the District and the State.

Respectfully submitted,
MARTIN O. SORTEDAHL.

The Times is biggest and best. Two dollars only

$30,000,000—COX

GOVERNOR JAMES M. COX.

From a photograph taken at Seattle, Wash., during the Democratic Candidate's recent visit to the Pacific Coast.

JIMMY'S COAT.

Take a slant at Jimmy's coat,
Tiger-striped, as you will note;
Murpheyesque in lines and hue,
Taggart-like in motif too.

How can he proclaim he's dry
With this garb to shock the eye?
Tailors wouldn't dare to put
Such a thing on "Pussyfoot."

Jimmy's raiment harks us back
To the festive racing track.
Can't you hear the "bookies" shout
And the whispers of the tout?

Needn't tell us where he's at—
Wet or dry—his coat tells that.
Bryan took one slant at it,
Then his heart curled up and quit.

—CARLTON FITCHETT.

Cox Wiggles and Wobbles.

BY SCOTT C. BONE.

Candidate Cox, recklessly charging that the Republican party had set out to corrupt the electorate by raising a fund of $15,000,000 with which to "buy the presidency," has been utterly confuted by the facts.

Instead, it has been completely established that the goal fixed by Chairman Hays was only one-fifth that amount, or $3,000,000, with contributions rigidly limited to $1,000, and that never before has a campaign fund been so free from the taint of corporate, sinister or sordid influences.

That an overtaxed, overburdened and weary country, paying the cost of incompetence, incapacity and extravagance in governmental affairs and maladministration at Washington, would welcome relief at any price legitimately expended may be taken for granted.

But only in the wild dreams of Candidate Cox—who stands committed to Wilsonism and the wastefulness of Wilsonism, with everything that Wilsonism typifies and implies—has any such expenditure as Candidate Cox charged ever been remotely conceived or for a moment contemplated.

Even his foremost newspaper champions—organs of the international banking crowd which favor his candidacy because, with equal rashness, he promises that if elected he will go into the Wilson League of Nations—editorially admit that his slush fund charges have proven groundless.

Candidate Cox's credibility as a witness has similarly been damaged by the wet and dry issue confronting him.

To the indisputable proof that the New Jersey Liquor Dealers' Association is appealing for funds to elect him as a "pronounced wet" he replies that the liquor interests of Ohio never contributed to any of his campaigns.

Yet a sworn statement, signed by the secretary of the Ohio Liquor Dealers' Association and on file in the secretary of state's office, shows that that organization contributed a substantial sum out of its treasury to the Cox campaign of 1916.

And in the face of it all, having withstood for months, in silence, William Jennings Bryan's denunciation of him as a "wet" and unfit to run for president, Candidate Cox, with characteristic audacity, now assures a North Dakota crowd that "I have always voted dry!"

Imagine Boss Murphy, Boss Taggart, Boss Brennan and that Youngstown Apostle of Light and Uplift, Ed Moore, contriving the nomination at San Francisco of a candidate who had "always voted dry!" Imagine it, if you can!

Shade of John Barleycorn! What a spectacle is presented in American politics!

OLD AND NEW COX SLOGANS.

Washington. — The following interesting interview with Governor James M. Cox of Ohio was published in the hotel column of the Washington Post four years ago—viz, on July 29, 1916:

"Ohio is not the only state where the people are shouting the praises of the President for having preserved peace in the United States. Our honor has remained unsullied. The slogan 'He Kept Us Out of War' will be the most effective argument the Democrats can use in the campaign. Americanism has been pre-empted by the President, and every other problem of national import has been met squarely and satisfactorily."

This tends to show the caliber of Governor Cox. With him it is anything to win, any sort of a catch phrase, slogan or anything to deceive or fool the people.

HARDING TO THE FARMERS.

Senator Harding's speech to the farmers of the country, delivered at the Minnesota State Fair, is commendable not only for the subject matter and the constructive statesmanship which it contains, but for the calm and dignified tone which prevails throughout the entire address. Nothing could more thoroughly impress intelligent people with the difference in the senator and his opponent and their qualifications for the presidency than Senator Harding's comprehensive discussion of the agricultural problems of the nation and the solution which must be applied to them and the political harangue delivered at the same place by Governor Cox.—Sioux City (Ia.) Journal.

"PARTY FACES DISASTER"—GORE

Senator Thomas Gore, Democrat, of Oklahoma, who was defeated for renomination through the influence of the White House because of his opposition to the League of Nations, plainly indicates that he proposes to continue his fight upon the league. The blind senator says:

"The paramount issue is to avert disaster; nobody favors the league that understands it.

"The women of Maine have read it. It is no wonder about the women. It is no marvel about the mothers. They are not willing to mortgage the pound of flesh nearest their hearts.

"They are not willing to sign this bloody bond which is a first lien upon the life of every boy beneath the stars and stripes.

"He was blind indeed who had not already seen the black shadow of the Maine elections visioned upon the horizon."

BACK PORCH CAMPAIGN TO BE BEGUN SOON BY WILSON.

Washington. — Gradually being pushed to the rear by the progress of the canvass it is now announced that President Wilson is to wage a "Back-Porch" campaign. The local evening papers announce this fact and say that the plan is being discussed by the Administration leaders. It may even come within a week, some of these leaders believe. Edmund H. Moore, who managed Governor Cox's pre-convention campaign, is given credit for this rear attack on the Harding method of using the front porch.

Auction Bills

of the Best at The Times
Let Us Print Your Order

KEPT OUT OF WAR, NOW SERVES COX

Publisher's Son Escaped Military Service Through Democratic Nominee's Influence.

Young, able-bodied, rich, a strapping big fellow, who ~~possessed all the physical~~ equipment of an American soldier, save, evidently, heart, Robert P. Scripps was kept out of the war through Administration influences.

He was exempted.

The local draft board of Butler County, O., rejected his plea and held that there was no valid claim for his exemption and that he should surely don a uniform and shoulder arms, but Secretary of War Baker's law partner, Tom Sidle, was employed to save the youthful slacker. Governor Cox took a hand in the case, and finally, by White House decree, he went scot free.

His multi-millionaire father, E. W. Scripps, controlling owner of the Scripps League of Newspapers and the Newspaper Enterprise Association, a powerful combination, threatened to overthrow the Administration rather than permit either of his sons to answer the call of Uncle Sam.

Administration Exempts Slacker.

Having helped to re-elect Woodrow Wilson President on the issue, "He kept us out of war," the elder Scripps demanded that his sons be kept out of war. And the Administration kept them out.

Young Robert Scripps, who had never done any real newspaper work, was given the title of Assistant to the Publisher of the Scripps League of Newspapers to create an excuse for his exemption. Finally he was ordered home from Camp Sherman by Governor Cox, after he had been in uniform for ten days.

All these facts and more of an equally astounding and discreditable character were brought out by the Kenyon Senatorial Committee, which subpoenaed young Scripps to Washington to explain his activities in the present campaign.

Now Supporting Cox.

He is today editor in chief of the Scripps League of Newspapers and the Newspaper Enterprise Association and is putting out daily pink propaganda sheets of a lurid and sensational character in support of the candidacy of Governor Cox.

Samples of these sheets were submitted to the committee, and Senator Reed, Democrat, frankly denounced the propaganda as "rot" and manifested extreme impatience and disgust with the young man's loose talk about a "Senate oligarchy" and criticism of the Supreme Court.

Young Scripps, although he did not fight for his country in 1917-18, insisted that he was doing it all through love of country and in the "public interest," without any pay from the Democratic committee or thought of obligation for keeping him out of war.

The draft-dodging aspects of the case, as brought out at Washington, are not unlike those of young Bergdoll of Philadelphia, which resulted in a Federal prosecution for conspiracy to evade the draft.

Fifth Cousin Roosevelt devoted his speech at Providence, R. I., to a defense of eight years of Democratic administration. Six weeks is a very short time for doing much along that line.

The Cox slogan seems to be "Misrepresentation Without Relaxation."

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John Gullinsgrud,
County Treasurer

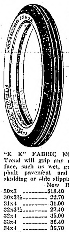

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CATTLE MARKET AND HOGS STILL LOWER

General Tendency Downward With Receipts Normal, Sheep Receipts Reduced.

South St. Paul, Oct. 18—The local supply of cattle last week was practically the same as the previous week totaling around 30,000 cattle and 6,000 calves. A slumpy dressed meat trade at Eastern consuming centers, light demand from the country for stockers and feeders and lower outside markets especially at Chicago resulted in a lower market locally. The general market closed 25 to 75c with spots at $1.00 lower. Beef steers sold from $6.00 to $12.25, with bulk of common and medium grades which predominated in the supply, from $6 to $8.50. Cows and heifers sold largely from $4.50 to $6.50, with a few sales on up to $8.00 or more. Canners sold from $3.00 to $3.75, very few above $3.50 at the close. Cutters brought $3.75 to $4.50. Bulls went mostly at $4.00 to $6.00 for bologna, with a few beef bulls on up to $7.00 or better. Veal calves declined 50c per day, beginning Tuesday, closing top being $13.00, with best heavy calves at $7.00 to $7.50. Feeders sold largely from $5.50 to $9.50, with choice kinds higher. Stockers brought mostly $4.50 to $6.50, with a few up to $8.00 or better.

Declines were noted in the hog market on early days of last week, and some of the mixed and in-between classes showed a loss of 25c or more *for the week. Tops held right at the* $14.75 mark, with general bulk of all sales in a range of $14.00 to $14.50, and straight packing sows mostly from $13.50 to $14.00. Country demand for pigs was healthy and prices held practically parallel with hogs, one extra fancy load topping the week's trade at $15.00, with bulk of good feeders at the close from $14.00 to $14.50.

Sharply lighter supplies of sheep and lambs were received at leading centers last week and the trade naturally anticipated some advance in values. Warm weather cut into the consumption of lamb and mutton, however, and live prices closed steady to 25c lower. Good and choice native lambs sold largely at $10.25 to $10.75 with Dakota topping at $11.00. Cull lambs went at $6.00 to $6.50, mostly. Feeders sold from $11.00 to $11.50 for good kinds. A few choice ewes topped at $5.25 with bulk of good kinds at $5.00 and culls $2.00 to $3.50, canners $1.00 to $1.50.

Weekly Market Review.

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co. Minneapolis)

Except for a fair upward re-action in wheat the markets during the week have reflected nothing new of consequence.

Wheat holds the center of the stage and its trend should influence the action of coarse grains, the large yields of which are admittedly well discounted in price, at least for the present. It is considered probable that coarse grain prices will continue hesitant awaiting developments of a change in attitude of both the country seller and the cash buyers who are now deadlocked in refusals of one to sell and the other to buy.

Broomhall, a recognized world's statistical expert, cables that European crops of wheat and rye this year total 1,294,000,000 showing a decrease of 30 million bushels from the previous year, which probably accounts for our unusually heavy exports thus far.

Technically wheat is in a stronger position than ever. The government's report reducing the spring wheat crop from 262 million in July to 218 million for October was a tremendous drop and approaches our prediction of August 6 that final returns should not be over 225 million.

European wheat requirements are estimated at 620 million and non-European import needs 40 million, a total of 560 million. About 600 million was exported to Europe last year but it is stated that port stocks in the United Kingdom are now 29 million, whereas only 12 million was accumulated there during the corresponding time a year ago. Against these requirements of 540 million it is estimated that North America, including the carry-over from last year, can supply about 400 million. The key to the situation therefore may be said to be in the condition of the growing crops in Argentine and Australia. It is the concensus of opinion that India's exportable surplus will be of no material proportions. Favorable yields in the Southern hemisphere should insure a sufficiency of world's needs and bring about a quicker return to lower living costs, while an unfavorable turn in the news may be expected to create higher levels that can be held down only by Europe's inability to pay the price.

From all appearances, the entire nation is in concert to enforce lower prices and it must be plain even to the casual observer that the present year is an unfavorable one for purchases based on the expectation of higher values later. The fact remains, however, that *all grains* have had long and severe declines with a large volume of short sales outstanding that must be met with actual shipments of grain from the country where the holding tendency of the producer is determined and very much of a factor in preventing a normal movement. Moreover American prices, especially coarse grains, are now such as to compete with or undersell the usually cheaper Argentine offerings, and a resumption of corn and oats export sales, therefore, can be expected momentarily.

Rural Carrier Examination.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the County of Pennington, to be held at Thief River Falls on Nov. 13, 1920, to fill the position of rural carrier at Thief River Falls and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from other postoffices in the above mentioned county. The examination will be open only to citizens who are actually domiciled in the territory of a postoffice in the county and who meet the other requirements set forth in Form No. 1977. Both men and women, if qualified, may enter this examination, but appointing officers have the legal right to specify the sex desired in requesting certification of eligibles. Women will not be considered for rural carrier appointment unless they are the widows of U. S. soldiers, sailors, or marines, or the wives of U. S. soldiers, sailors or marines who are physically disqualified for examination by reason of injuries received in the line of military duty. Form No. 1977 and application blanks may be obtained from the offices mentioned above or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington.

There is a vacancy at present on Route 2 and the salary for this route is $2,010 per annum.

EVERYBODY HAPPY AND NOBODY HURT

Being a Short and Punchy Version of a Long, Long Story —It's Different.

Women voters, as well as men, may read with interest this brief explanation of a vitally important subject that is taking much space in newspapers:

"Road funds of $16,682,000 were spent last year by Minnesota counties and towns. From 65 to 80 cents of every dollar—probably more than $10,000,000 of the total—was used to maintain and improve main highways. Not more than $7,000,000 and possibly nearer $5,000,000 was spent on the local or farmers' roads.

Minnesota proposes to get more than $26,000,000 of road money next year and more each succeeding year, all without increasing taxes or issuing bonds. Here are the approximate figures:

Tax receipts	$17,000,000
Automobile license fees	6,300,000
Federal aid	2,840,000
Total	$26,140,000

The state proposes next year to take over the main highways and with license funds and federal aid money to maintain and improve them as traffic, availability of materials and other conditions demand. The fund provided will be ample, officials state, in view of the scarcity of labor and materials and because liberal appropriations made by local authorities, sometimes at the expense of the other roads, have put many main roads in good condition.

Counties and towns will be left $17,000,000 of tax funds for upkeep and improvement of local roads, without main highway demands to take three-fourths of it as before. They will concentrate all efforts and have far greater funds for the building of the best lateral roads.

Every road will be a good road—everybody happy and nobody hurt, for automobile and truck owners who must pay the extra cost favor the plan because of the big savings on car upkeep, tires and gasoline that good roads make possible.

But more than half the men and women voters must vote 'yes', on Amendment No. 1 on the pink ballot at the November 2 election to put the new plan into effect. Otherwise Minnesota probably will stay stuck in the mud, and also, may be forced to raise road taxes and sell bonds to keep from becoming completely interred.

NEW FICTION WORKS PLACED IN LIBRARY

The following new fiction has recently been received at the Thief River Falls public library:

"Happy House," Mrs. L. J. Abbott; "Wanted: a Husband," S. H. Adams; "A Man for the Ages," I. A. Bacheller; "Best Ghost Stories;" "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," V. Blasco Ibanez; "Servant of Reality," Phyllis Bottome; "Swatty," E. P. Butler; "From Place to Place," I. S. Cobb; "Sky Pilot in No Man's Land" Ralph Conner; "River's End," J. Oliver Curwood; "Some of Us Are Married," Mrs. M. S. Cutting; "Rider of the King Log," H. F. Day; "Six Feet Four," J. Gregory; "Man of the Forest," Zane Grey; "Love Laughs Last" E. B. Hall; "Happily Married," Mrs. C. M. Harris; "Melwood Mystery," J. Hay; "The Raincoat Girl," Mrs. J. P. Lee; "The Portygee," J. C. Lincoln; "Little Lady of the Big House" Jack London; "Voice of the Pack," E. Marshall; "Further Chronicles of Avonlea," L. M. Montgomery; "In the Sweet Dry and Dry," C. D. Morley; "Red and Black," Mrs. G. L. Richmond; "Isn't That Just Like a Man?" Mrs. M. R. Rinehart; "Ramsey Milholland," Booth Tarkington; "Happy Hawkins," R. A. Wason; "In the Heart of a Fool," W. E. White; "Ladies-in-Waiting," K. D. Wiggins; "Second Latchkey," C. N. Williamson.

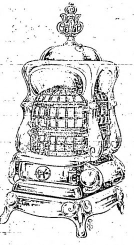

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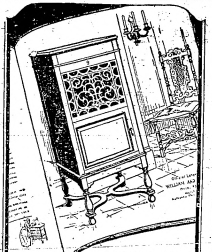

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Black Kid, Military heel — $10.90, $9.90 and $8.90
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Misses' Gun Metal English Lace — $3.98 and $3.49
Misses' Black Calf Button — $3.98 and $3.49
Misses' Black Kid Button — $3.50 and $2.49

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Brown Kid, Banker last, Rubber heels — $11.90
Brown Calf, English last, Rubber heels — $8.90
Brown Calf, English and round Toes — $7.90 and $6.90
Gun Metal, round or broad Toes — $6.90 and $5.90
Gun Metal, English last — $5.90
Black Kid, broad toe — $5.90

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Editorial.

There are many students who attend school just for the sake of having somewhere to go; and as day after day passes, nothing is accomplished. With only a few exceptions, everyone has some ambition in life, so why waste your time? The few exceptions are the ones we do not care for in our high school, because they are there as "draw-backs" to the rest of the students. Why does the city provide for schools and teachers? Just because it is a custom? No, because an education is what everyone strives for and every parent does everything within his means to give his children the best education possible. Why should we not all appreciate an opportunity and stop and realize what we would be without an education?

What's the matter, Seniors?

Do you remember how much that word "Seniors" meant to you when you were a Freshman? It was your one aim to become, thru hard and persistent effort, a "Senior." You were even willing to take the scoffs and slams, to which Freshmen are subject, that you might some day be a member of this class.

But now that you have reached that goal how different it seems. Some of us have perhaps acquired what might be considered a fairly good education along lines of history, mathematics, languages, etc.

Has our education been so narrow and limited as to exclude responsibility? Of what value is a knowledge gained from books if we have not learned to face our duties, instead of shirk them?

In this respect our class is lacking; that is, there is a tendency toward throwing all the responsibility on a few conscientious workers, while the rest either criticize or show a lack of interest.

Not only is there a lack of responsibility but also of class interest. Class spirit instead of increasing has been sadly diminishing. If the Senior class shows no such spirit what can be expected of the Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors? If you're a poor booster for your class, you're naturally a poor booster for your High School. Don't let your enthusiasm drop because somebody's else does. Even if things don't turn out just as you wished, keep your spirit up and you'll be of real value to your class.

We don't want our High School to be dead and "Pepless," so let's see the Seniors arouse some enthusiasm.

Our school paper was brought into being with two aims in view; to strengthen the relationship between the school and the public and to develop a greater school spirit. How is this paper to affect us personally unless we are directly associated with it to some degree? Only a few can be members of the publishing staff, so the rest of the school must furnish material for the paper. Voluntary contributions do not bring about the desired result. Only a few will write and the paper is thus apt to become "all the work of the best students, rather than the best work of all the students."

"By our deeds shall they know us." If we, the students, put out a good school paper, the public will think that we are really accomplishing something here. If the Journalism class is to furnish all the material as well as print the paper, its name must be changed from "High School Progress" to "Journalism Progress," as it will not represent the whole school but one small class.

The only way to make our school paper a success is to make writing for it a part of the English work. In most classes newspaper writing so closely resembles the ordinary English work that it may be introduced without unbalancing the English course. If each student is expected to hand in some material within a specified time, he or she will at least try to write something, and as the paper requires quite a variety of articles, it should not be impossible.

Newspaper writing also has an appreciable educational value. It is safe to say that every student in high school will in later life be either a newspaper writer or a newspaper reader. Those who enter the journalistic field will find their experience here of great advantage to them and the average newspaper reader will better appreciate a good article if he during his by-gone school days attempted to produce something similar.

Mass Meeting.

Friday afternoon at 2:30 a mass meeting was held for the football game on Saturday and also to elect a yell leader. Manager Smithers was in charge of the meeting.

Edward Fiterman was elected yell-master and Nora Lindquist assistant. The new leader then led the high school in some yells. Later different football men were called upon to speak and those responding were "Tiny" Evenson, "Curly" McDaniels and Russell Anderson. Their talks were of much interest and stirred lots of enthusiasm among the students.

Next Mr. Tommerassen talked. He brought out the point that to win a team must be backed strongly by the students. Unless it is no team can win and is not expected to.

The purpose of these mass meetings is to create pep and spirit among the students. After all what's the use of them if we don't benefit by them? We all know that our High School has the spirit, pep and loyalty and we have a real football team to boost. But how can we expect them to win? How? By seeing every face in this High School on the side lines.

Debate in Farm Management.

Last Friday four members of the Farm Management class gave a debate before the Public Speaking class. The topic for discussion was "Resolved That in Pennington County Dairy Farming is More Profitable Than Grain Farming." The participants in the debate were: Louis Kassa and Burton Aarnes, representing the affirmative; Chester Doles and Lester Coyle, the negative. The Public Speaking class acted as judges, giving the decision to the negative.

On Friday afternoon at 3:30, the members of the Bread Club, accompanied by the Misses Poppitz, Patrick and Johnson, went out to the Sanitorium to visit one of the former members, Hazel Senate. They carried a picnic supper and camped about half a mile from the Sanitorium. The members went up to the Sanitorium in groups of three or four at a time. Only the old members were allowed to go in.

Jokes.

To prove that a piece of writing *paper equals a lazy dog.*

Proof: A piece of writing paper, an ink-lined plane, an ink lined-plane, a slope up, a slow pup, a lazy dog.—Science and Invention.

"Willie, you must stop using such dreadful language," said his mother. "Where in the world did you learn it?"

"Why mother," replied the boy, "Shakespeare uses it."

"Well then," said the mother, "stop playing with him."—The Student.

Oh Tests

I enter joyously.
I nod and smile at everyone.
I sharpen my pencil.
I take one look at
The impending disaster on the board.
Cold shivers assail me.
Ye Gods! It is too much.
I write feverishly.
I chew my pencil
And scratch my head.
I shiver and fall
In a dead faint.
I guess I — — —
Flunked.

—The Student.

Consider This.

(Manitou Messenger)

There was once a freshman whose ambition was more towering than his physique. He donned some padded clothing and betook himself to the football field to win honors and glory. but before the day was done they gathered him together tenderly and carried him to a haven of mercy where he might regain his former appearance. He never became a football player. HE BECAME A BOOSTER FOR LIFE!

"Support the team," is the challenge heard on every hand. Permit us to suggest a few other planks for the student body that wants a winning football team: Study the team; watch the team practice; sympathize with the team; know the team. These things done, the support will come spontaneously and whole-heartedly.

How many students pause to consider the time and energy spent by each member of the squad in order to fit himself for the team? How many pause to consider the physical agonies often endured—the black eyes, the broken noses, the inexpertly extracted teeth, the "charley horses" and all the other things? Every scrimmage brings its bumps and bruises and the glory comes but seldom.

Let the student consider these things and then ask himself if he is taking sufficient interest in the team. For those who are still apathetic there ought to be special classes in physical training, that they might go through the experience of the aforementioned freshman.

Y. M. C. A. Address Is Given By Helen Weeks

(Manitou Messenger)

"Our college women must be the torchbearers of the civilization of the ages," stated Helen Weeks in addressing the Y. W. C. A. last Thursday evening on the subject, "What the World Can Expect of the College Woman." The speaker stated that thruout the ages we see the profound influence of women and in proof of the assertion cited examples from Biblical times down to the present age.

"The world is full of opportunities," stated the speaker further. "In the various fields of activity now open to women, it is of paramount importance that she remain true to her trust, that she fulfills her duties to the best of her abilities. It is woman who must instill those high ideals of citizenship for which America has always stood; it is for the women of the nation to set that standard by which she shall be judged. The world calls the college woman to leadership. Let us be leaders for that which is good and true."

Miss Weeks is an alumnus of the Lincoln High School. She graduated with the class of 1917 and is now a senior at St. Olaf's.

Normal Department.

Miss Perry, the Normal principal, was confined to her home last Friday on account of being ill. The Normal girls showed their sympathy by sending her flowers and fruit.

Florence Burns in teaching Geography, "I wonder who can tell me in what direction the sun sits down."

The Normal girls began their practice in the teaching profession at the Knox and Washington schools.

A Normal Girl's Creed.

Finish every day and be done with it. ~~You have done what you could.~~ Some blunders and absurdities no doubt creep in; forget them as soon as you can. Tomorrow is a new day, begin it well and serenely and with not too high a spirit to be cumbered with your old nonsense. This day is all that is good and fair. It is too dear, with its hopes and invitations to waste a moment on our yesterday.

An Honor Fitly Bestowed.

(Minneapolis Daily News.)

The Minneapolis Board of Education has done a graceful and fit thing in deciding to name the school for crippled children, "the Dowling school" to do honor to Michael J. Dowling of Oilvia, Minn.

Mr. Dowling is himself physically handicapped as few men ever are who live to tell the story and to overcome the fact by sheer courage, optimism and force of will. Caught in a biting snowstorm when he was a boy, he lost both legs, the better part of one arm and part of the hand on the other arm. Despite this fearful maiming he won for himself a good education and became unusually successful in business.

It would be vain to try to point to another man anywhere who should be a greater inspiration to crippled children to make the most of themselves in the battles of life. Mr. Dowling performed incalculably good service in *bearing* words of cheer during and since the war period to men who were maimed on the field of action. He is a living, aggressive example of what a boy or a man can do when bereft of some of the best tools nature gave to him.

Knowing Mr. Dowling as we do, we can think of no honor he would appreciate and value more than that of having his name attached to an educational institution, and especially to a school for the training of children who, like himself, must go through life lacking some of the physical advantages that are possessed by the average American boy and girl. The greater good from this honor, however, will be to the pupils in the schools and to all men and women who admire the grit that overcomes and conquers.

School Principals Meet.

Last Wednesday afternoon the principals of the various grade schools met at the Lincoln high school with Supt. Ziegler for the purpose of forming policies to be followed the coming year.

The uniformity of work in the schools was the first thing taken up. It was decided that the teachers of each grade from all of the schools of the city should meet together and unify their work so that a child might go from one school to another without losing any time. The first grade teachers met on Monday, Oct. 11; the second grade teachers on Tuesday the 12th; the third grade teachers on Wednesday the 13th; the fourth grade teachers on Thursday the 14th; the fifth grade teachers on Friday the 15th and the sixth grade teachers met on Monday the 18th.

At this meeting it was also decided that the last Monday of October be set aside as Mothers' day. On this day all of the Mothers might visit the schools and see samples of their children's work which will be on display in the different rooms. This will naturally give each student a desire to make his work the best so that it might be on display. In this way a contest would be created in as much as each child would strive to have his work the best and would also make the child do better work.

A large attendance of parents and friends is expected on this day.

Sophomore Wiener Roast.

In accordance with tradition, the Sophomore class of the Lincoln High School held its annual wiener roast at Squaw Point, Monday evening, Oct. 1.

The Sophomores, chaperoned by several members of the faculty, gathered at the Central school at 7:15 o'clock, and marched in a body to the picnic grounds on Squaw Point. A roaring campfire was built, over which the wieners were roasted. Games were played until ten o'clock, when, after taking due precautions that the fire was extinguished, the happy "Soph's" departed for their various homes.

Journalism student, "Are we going to have an article about the report cards?"

—Jordan Penney, in great alarm, "Don't say anything about mine!"

Gladys—"So your husband took you to a football match?"

Mac—"Yes, I wish I could make him talk to the cook like he talked to the referee."—Judge.

Customer—"I say, do you ever play anything by request?"

Delighted Musician — "Certainly sir."

Customer—"Then I wonder if you'd be so good as to play dominoes until I've finished my lunch?"—Punch (London).

Northrup News.

The presence of a football among the boys and a volley ball among the girls, has stirred up a great deal of excitement on the Northrup play grounds. Our football stars of tomorrow are already in the field.

Oct. 29 will be Mother's Visiting Day. Mother's of the grade children will be invited to attend school if they desire.

Each of the grades has taken up a small collection amounting to about 45 cents in order to subscribe for the Red Cross Magazine. If the collection amounts to more than 45 cents, the proceeds will be donated to the Junior Red Cross fund.

The attendance at the Northrup school is about 325 pupils.

A change was made last week in the Freshman class directory. The following are now the officers of the class:

Class Advisor—Mr. Tripp.
President—Robert McGinn.
Vice President—Elsie Blair.
Secretary—Melvin Engelstad.
Treasurer—Herbert Keene.
Sergeant-at-Arms — Harriet Morgan, May Roberts.

Bread Club Reception.

Last Thursday evening the Bread club gave a reception at the Lincoln High School for the twelve new members and new advisor.

Upon entering the building the guests were all decorated with some advertisement. After a song of welcome had been sung by the old members, five minutes were allowed to all for the guessing contest. Harriet Morgan won the first prize for having the largest number correct and Mr. Ziegler captured the booby prize. Miss Poppitz played a piano solo and our president stated the purpose of the club and gave a brief account of the week that she spent at the State Fair where she baked in the final contest. Ruth Hoppa gave a reading and after a speech had been given by Mr. Ziegler, a dainty luncheon was served.

The following are our new members:

Miss Johnson, Club Advisor; Evelyn Lund, Eleanor Werstlein, Margaret Williams, Esther Lunsetler, May Roberts, Margaret Melgaard, Hazel Krause, Harriet Morgan, Virginia Clemens, Edith Novak, Gladys Koldcn, Odlenn Bakke.

We are proud to know that we have one of the best clubs in the State of Minnesota.

A Piece of Blue Paper.

While sitting in the den on the day after Christmas I was aroused from my reading by the shrill note of the mailman's whistle. Springing from my chair I rushed to the door, because Christmas presents often come late. The postman handed me a large envelope with my name typewritten on the face. I tore it open and out fell a piece of blue paper. It was a blue-print of a hidden lake of oil in southeastern California. I opened the letter that came with it and read:

"Dear Mr. Langdon: You have never heard of me or seen me. Your father never talked of me when he was at home. In our school days and trials through life we were the best of friends. This letter will introduce me and I sincerely hope that you and I will become the greatest of friends. At your dear father's death bed he gave this blue-print to me to give to you when you were twenty-one. He is the only one who knew of this lake of oil and now it is yours, and it is worth millions. Come at once and come prepared to make your home out here.

Sincerely yours,
S. H. SIMS.

I sat in a chair dumfounded. I wasted no time in preparing myself to leave and in two days I was on my way to my future home. The fourth day of my trip found me in San Diego shaking hands with my new friend, Mr. Sims.

The next day we made preparations for the journey out to the lake of oil. The third day, by following the instructions of the blue print, found us making our way through a narrow passage that led 'way down to the bottom and inside of a mountain. When we finally reached the bottom, we had only to walk two or three feet and there before my dazzled eyes was the lake of oil worth millions to me.

I sat down on a rock and thought and thought. I was satisfied with my hidden treasure and so rose and we climbed up and out of the mountain.

Having absolute confidence in my friend, I left it for him to have the oil taken out of the mountain, and I returned to my home in the East.

Some months later Mr. Sims wrote and said the oil had been taken out and that more was coming up thru the ground. He also said I had nothing to worry about any more. I put the letter back in the envelope and retired to my room for a good night's sleep.

Shorthand Contest.

The two divisions of the first year Shorthand class engaged in a contest last Friday to see which of the two divisions would obtain the better average in a quiz on the chapter just completed.

The results were very creditable: the "A" division obtaining an average of 94.3, and the "B" division an average of 92.6. Only three students received marks lower than 90. The highest individual marks in the "A" division were those of Gladys Maland and Augusta Beiswinger, while in the "B" division Lillian Eide and Mildred Hauglid headed the list.

First Conference Game Won By Thief River Falls

On Saturday October 16th, the Lincoln High School football squad won the first conference game of the season over Crookston High by a score of 32 to 13.

First Quarter.

The game opened by Crookston kicking off. Penney received ball on 25 yard line and carried it to the 40 yard line. The ball was then taken through by McDaniel for big gains. Then Barzen carried ball for big gains. Thief River Falls penalized for off side. Made 23 yard gain with line plunge. Crookston penalized 5 yards off side. McDaniels carried ball for touch down but failed to kick goal. Crookston receives. Penney gets first tackle. Holmgren makes 2nd tackle. Crookston forward passes intercepted by McDaniels, T. R. Fall's ball. 1st down T. R. Falls off side 5 yds. penalty. 2nd down 12 to go Penney makes big gain through line. T. R. Falls fumbles. Crookston's ball. Crookston fumbles but retains ball. Crookston passes. Holmgren gets tackle. Crookston fumbles. T. R. Falls recovers ball. T. R. Falls forward passes. Incomplete. Barzen [illegible] gain. Barzen gains again. McDaniels makes big gain. Penney makes big gain. McDaniels gains 8 yds. Barzen gains 5 yds. McDaniels gains 3 yds. Barzen gains 15 yds. T. R. Falls off side penalized 5 yds. T. R. Falls fumbles. Crookston recovers ball. Crookston makes forward pass. Incomplete. Anderson makes fine tackle. Crookston makes 8 yds. on fake pass. Crookston gains 2 yds. Crookston gains 10 yds. Bjornaran makes tackle after Crookston gains 5 yds. McDaniels gets fine tackle. Crookston passes. Incomplete. LaBree gets fine tackle. Crookston punts. Quarter called.

Second Quarter.

T. R. Falls has ball. Gain 5 yds. on fake play. T. R. Falls gains 3 yds. and fumbles. Crookston recovers ball. McDaniels gets tackle. Crookston gains 5 yds. Hendry substitutes for Sundahl. Crookston gains 5 yds. Crookston forward passes gains 16 yds. Bjornaran makes fine tackle. Crookston gains 3 yds. Herron substitutes for LaBree. Crookston gains a yard. Crookston fumbles ball, loses 3 yds. Anderson makes fine tackle. Crookston fumbles. T. R. Falls recovers ball. McDaniels punts. T. R. Falls gains 30 yds. Crookston's ball. Crookston gains 1 yd. Crookston forward passes. Doland interferes with man. T. R. Falls penalized 15 yds. Barzen makes fine tackle. Herron makes fine tackle. McDonald gets fine tackle. Hendricks of Crookston makes touch down but fails to kick goal. Score is 6 to 6. T. R. Falls receives. McDaniels fumbles. Penney gains 40 yds. McDaniel gains 20 yds. Makes another 7 yd. gain. Barzen gains 10 yds. McDaniels makes touch down, kicks goal. Makes score 13 to 6. Crookston receives. McDaniels kicks off and gets the tackle. Crookston gains 3 yds. Crookston gains 5 yds. by fake play. Crookston fumbles. McDaniels makes tackle. Crookston fumbles again. 1st down 25 yds. to go. Crookston forward passes. Crookston forward passes again. Incomplete. Time called, first half over.

Third Quarter.

Crookston receives. Dybvik gets first tackle. Halvorson substitutes for Hendry. Crookston fumbles. Holmgren of T. R. Falls gets ball. Penney gains 5 yds. McDaniels gains 10 yds. Penney gains 10 yds. Time called. Sandberg of Crookston injured. McDaniel makes 3 yds. Time out again. Sandberg of Crookston again injured, taken out of game. Penney gains 5 yds. T. R. Fall's forward passes. Incomplete. Barzen gains 5 yds. McDaniels makes another touch down. Kicks goal, score is then 20-6. Crookston receives. Herron gets tackle. Anderson tackles. Halvorson tackles but misses. McDaniels gets man. Crookston gains 6 yds. Penney makes tackle. Crookston gains 8 yds. on fake play. Bjornaran tackles and misses. Anderson gets man. Crookston gains 10 yds. Crookston gains 20 yds. on forward pass. Penney gets the tackle. Crookston gains 5 yds. on fake play. Crookston gains 1 yd. on triple play. Crookston gains 5 yds. Penney makes fine tackle. Crookston gains 4 yds. Crookston gains 3 yds. Smithers substitutes for Holmgren. Smithers gets tackle. Crookston makes touch down. Daniels carries the ball over. Makes goal. Score is then 13-20. T. R. Falls receives. Penney gains 20 yds. McDaniel gains 10 yds. McDaniel gains 3 yds. Doland gains 3 yds. Crookston's ball. Crookston gains 10 yds. Time out. Barzen hurt but stays in game. Crookston gains 10 yds. Crookston gains 3 yds. Sundahl takes Halvorson's position.

Fourth Quarter.

Lind substitutes in Evenson's place. Bjornaran makes tackle. Holmgren takes Lind's position. Crookston gains 3 yds. Time out. Anderson hurt but stays in game. Crookston gains 3 yds. Toby gets tackle. Herron makes good tackle. Time out. Herron injured, taken off field. LaBree substitutes. LaBree gets tackle. 4th down. Crookston forfeits ball. McDaniels punts. T. R. Falls loses ball. Time out. Crookston man hurt. Game called. McGinn takes Dybvik's place. Penney gets tackle. Crookston off side, penalized 5 yds. Crookston forward passes incomplete. Time out. Conference of referee and umpire about a questionable forward pass. Crookston forfeits ball. Doland forward passes. McDaniels catches pass and makes touch down after sensational field running of 87 yds. with McGinn as interference. McDaniels kicks but fails to make goal. The score is then 26-13. Crookston receives ball. McGinn gets tackle. LaBree gets second tackle. Crookston gains 5 yds. Crookston gains 2 yds. Time out. Penney hurt but stays in game. Crookston forward passes, Curly intercepts. T. R. Falls ball. T. R. Falls gains 3 yds. T. R. Falls gains 5 yds. Penney gains 10 yds. Doland forward passes. Penney gets ball and makes sensational run of 50 yds. with McGinn as interference. Makes touch down. Game over with score of 32-13 in favor of T. R. Falls.

The line-up was as follows:

T. R. Falls		Crookston
Doland	Q. B.	Bruton
Barzen (C)	F. B.	Daniels
Penney	L. H.	Sandberg
McDaniels	R. H.	Heggan
Bjornaran	C.	Thorn
Evenson	L. G.	Lymlie
LaBree	L. G.	Lonetot
Anderson	L. F.	McCrae
Holmgren	R. T.	Alderman
Dybvik	L. E.	Sunley
Sundahl	R. E.	(C) Gunvald

Referee—Perry Johnson.
Umpire—Haven Lindbergh
Head Linesman—Hinckson.

The next game to be played is with Bemidji at Thief River Falls on Tuesday, Oct. 26. This game has an iron-clad guarantee to be the fastest of the season. The admission, 25c to all school children; 50c for adults.

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I Am "Granny" Chamberlain

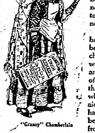

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Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

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I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

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"But when such men and women supply the right kind of iron to their blood, a most surprising change often takes place," says Dr. John J. Van Horne, formerly Medical Inspector and Clinical Physician on the Board of Health of New York City. "The weak, colorless blood which had been moving sluggishly in the veins becomes rich and red and courses through the body, building healthy tissue, giving renewed force and increased strength. Without this rich, red blood with plenty of iron in it, there can be no physical perfection or force to carry on one's work. Yet to take the wrong kind of iron may prove worse than useless just as the wrong sort of food will often fail to give the proper nourishment. Organic iron—Nuxated Iron—by enriching the blood and creating new blood cells, strengthens the nerves, rebuilds the muscles and helps instill the whole system with fresh vigor and endurance whether the person be young or old. I strongly advise every man or woman who is fagged out by worry, work and other strains to build up strength, and health by taking organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for I consider it one of the foremost blood and body-builders, the best to which I have ever had recourse."

Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.) New York and the Westchester County Hospital says: "I have strongly emphasized the great necessity of physicians making blood examinations of their weak, anaemic, run-down patients. Thousands of persons go on year after year suffering from physical weakness and a highly nervous condition due to lack of sufficient iron in their red blood corpuscles. To supply this iron deficiency and to help build stronger, healthier men and women, better able physically to meet the problems of everyday life, I believe physicians should at every opportunity prescribe organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for in my experience it is one of the best tonic and red blood builders known to medical science."

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THE AMENDMENTS.

There is hardly a chance that Amendment No. 1—which is the Babcock good roads law—will fail of passage at the coming election. The intention of this amendment is so well understood that an overwhelming majority in its favor is practically assured. Its passage will mean the finest highway system in the country for Minnesota within the next ten years.

The second amendment on the ballot is not of such great general importance but should be adopted nevertheless. It proposes to make the term of the probate judge in all counties four years instead of two as at present. This is the only office in the county to which the two year law now applies and it would long ago have been changed were it not for the fact that the constitution provides the length of time such official shall serve. For this reason it is necessary for the people to approve the proposition.

Number three on the ballot is the income tax amendment and provides that household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools, implements and machinery may be exempt from taxation. In place of such taxation it is proposed that taxes may be imposed on incomes, privileges and occupations, such taxes to be graduated and progressive with a reasonable amount exempted, as is the case with the federal income tax.

The fourth amendment deals with the taxation of railroad property for local improvements. At present the only tax paid by railroads is collected on their gross earnings and they are exempt from all other levies. This amendment provides that in addition to the gross earnings tax the companies shall bear their proportionate share of the expenses of local improvements such as sewers, paving and street upkeep.

There is no question but what all of these amendments will carry if the voters give the matter the proper amount of consideration. For some reason but little has been said about the last three propositions but they are worthy of the most careful study. In another section of The Times today the texts of all amendments are given in full. The voters should read them over carefully and thus acquaint him and herself with their intention.

THE SUGAR BEET EXPERIMENT.

A carload of sugar beets is every day being shipped from Thief River Falls to the refinery at Chaska. The beets are of the finest quality and bringing the top price.

When early last spring it was suggested that a number of our farmers put in small plots of beets as an experiment there were those who scoffed at the idea, referring to it as another fad which would amount to nothing in the end and in the meantime take attention away from really important matters. As often happens, the scoffers have been proven wrong.

There are farmers who do not hesitate to say that they are making more actual money on their beet crop than on anything else produced on the farm this year. Beets to the value of $95 were taken from one acre near Thief River Falls and this will leave a very tidy balance after all expenses are paid. Not in a single instance has the experiment proved a disappointment and every man who tried the crop this year is ready to contract for a larger acreage next season.

The sugar refining company offers to furnish labor and seed for 300 acres in 1921, thus multiplying by three the acreage contracted for this year, and contracts covering half this amount have already been applied for. Trained laborers can be had who will care for the crop at a total cost of $28 per acre and seed will be furnished at fifty cents per pound. This insures a low production cost as compared with other crops, with the further advantage that it is not collected until after the beets are harvested. No spraying or treating for insects is necessary and the beet stands either drought or wet weather better than any other crop that can be planted.

There is a great future for the sugar beet in this section and those who go about its cultivation intelligently and with the intention of following it up will be amply repaid.

NEED THE ENCOURAGEMENT.

In every department the Thief River Falls high school stands high among the institutions of the state. Not only is this true so far as it pertains to general school work, but extends to athletics as well. Consequently it is somewhat difficult to understand the slight interest taken by our citizens in the doings of the students in the field of sport. We seem to be mildly pleased when our team wins and that is about all there is to it. Very few seem to think it at all necessary to show up at these contests and give the boys the encouragement their presence is bound to lend.

It is time we took a different view of the matter. We have athletic teams that invariably give a good account of themselves but no one outside of the school seems to realize the fact. This is not very encouraging either to the contestants or instructors. Also it gives outsiders the impression that the town is rather dead.

Let's change all this. Get out and root for your school team the same as the people of other cities. The boys are worth encouraging to that extent at least. Begin by attending the big game with Bemidji high next Tuesday afternoon. You will see something worth while in the way of playing and will besides be showing your good intentions.

RESPONSE SATISFACTORY.

That the buying public was in need of merchandise of different kinds but was holding off in the hope that prices would come down is proven by the success attending the different mark-down sales now being carried on all over the country. The better newspapers everywhere are announcing price-cutting sales and reports generally are to the effect that the response is most satisfactory.

In Thief River Falls the merchants early saw the need of making reductions and in some instances cut prices to the bone with one slash. Results have more than justified their action. Never in the city's history have so many goods been moved in so short a time. This applies particularly to wearing apparel of all kinds, these being the lines in which the heaviest cuts were made.

There is no likelihood of things going lower at this time. In fact the tendency is all the other way. Winter is coming on and there will soon be an increased demand for seasonable goods. The warm weather has caused many to hold off in making their purchases but they are facing the probability of paying higher prices later on. This looks like a good time to buy. At least this is the advice handed out by those who are in a position to observe the signs.

One noticeable feature of the present downward trend is the fact that the drop has not been progressive. The cut in most instances was made all at one time and there has been no change since. If this indicates anything it is that the bottom for the present time has been reached and that those who are holding off on their buying in the hope that prices will fall still lower are making a mistake.

Buy what you need at the low prices now prevailing in many of the Thief River Falls stores. A glance over the advertising columns of The Times tells you where the best bargains are to be obtained.

Railroads and Special Taxes

(Minneapolis Journal)

The Constitution of Minnesota provides that there shall be levied upon the railroads of this state a gross earnings tax in lieu of all other taxes and assessments.

An amendment will be voted on in the coming election, by the adoption of which the assessment of railroads for their share of special taxes will be made possible.

Courts have interpreted the law against assessments as covering special assessments, so that it is necessary to adopt this amendment in order to effect this just reform.

Every property owner pays what is known as a regular tax. In addition he pays special taxes for such things as sidewalks, sewers or pavements, when the improvement has been made in front of his property.

The railroad has been exempt from this tax.

We believe any fair analysis of the tax law would make the railroads liable for special taxes. It is perfectly clear that under the gross earnings system the railroad is free from the regular tax, but it is equally clear that the railroads should not be free from special taxes.

There are some surprising situations in the State due to the inability of towns to complete needed special work because the railroad cannot be taxed for its share. In Duluth, there are about twenty miles of streets where the railroads own the frontage on one side and which cannot be paved because the railroad cannot be compelled to pay and the other taxpayers cannot pay the share of the railroad. There are a long list of country towns where improvements are delayed because of this anomalous situation.

The railroads profit by increased valuation of their property just as other property participates in growth value, therefore the railroads should pay special taxes regardless of the law substituting a gross earnings tax for regular taxes. The railroad only has to pay a special tax once, just as the property owner has to pay once. While one citizen is paying a paving tax, another citizen may not be paying any. It would be the same with railroads.

The Constitutional Amendment should be voted for very generally and as it requires a majority of all the votes cast to adopt an amendment it will be necessary for voters to take an interest in the matter and not hurry away from the polls without voting for this amendment.

The Good Roads Amendment and the Railroad Amendment for Special Taxes should be adopted beyond any question.

WILSON ASKS FOR WHEAT PRICE FACTS

Asks Trade Commission and Department of Agriculture to Investigate Matter.

President Wilson has requested Governor Allen of Kansas to forward to the federal trade commission any information he has tending to indicate that the recent decline in wheat prices was due to unfair practices or competition or to other artificial causes.

A letter to this effect, sent by Secretary Tumulty, was in answer to many appeals for government action looking to an embargo on Canadian wheat. These were referred some time ago to the commission and the department of agriculture. Secretary Tumulty's letter to Governor Allen said:

"The president has received your telegram of October 6 which refers to the wheat situation and he has received others of a similar tenor. He recognizes the importance of the questions you raise and has instructed the federal trade commission and the department of agriculture to look into the matter at the earliest possible moment with a view to determining what if anything can be properly done. In the meantime he will appreciate it if you will be good enough to forward to the federal trade commission any information in your possession which in your opinion tends to indicate the recent decline in wheat prices is due to unfair practices or competition or to other artificial causes."

Wheat made a big advance in price after the news became public that President Wilson had asked Governor Allen of Kansas for information that might indicate the fall in the value of wheat was due to any artificial causes. December delivery ran up 13 cents to $2.21 and closed unsettled at $2.17½ @$2.18½.

Union Carpenters, Notice.

The regular meetings of the local carpenters' union are held on the 4th Saturday of each month. The next meeting is highly important as it is the quarterly meeting and amendments are to be voted on. All members are urged to be present. O21

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

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These good tobaccos are rolled in satiny, imported paper—and crimped, not pasted. That's something to know, too. In smoker's talk, crimping means "easier drawing, slower burning, better taste." Examine a Spur and see how it's made.

And as the finishing touch, Spur's fragrance and freshness are sealed and delivered in a three-fold package—rich brown and silver.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Correspondence

ROSEWOOD

Oscar Blomberg and Eskil Wiberg of Crookston, were in town last Sunday to visit at the Haugen brothers' home and to indulge in partridge hunting.

Miss Amy Whitman, who teaches each of Warren this term, arrived home on Friday evening to spend Sunday with her parents.

Victor Mosbeck left last Tuesday evening for Hibbing to look about with the intention of securing winter employment.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at Busy Bee school, left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls, where she spent Sunday with her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and children of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday afternoon in town as guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sogmoen.

Jim Thompson left last Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where he will visit with friends over Sunday.

Herbert Carlson has this week installed a new pipeless furnace in his merchandise store. Mr. Carlson also shipped in a carload of soft coal from North Dakota on Friday.

Services were conducted at the Rindahl church last Sunday afternoon by Martin Evenson of Newfolden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Mary Shoberg and Joel Shoberg attended a service at the Busy Bee school house last Friday evening, conducted by Rev. Martin Strom of Holt and Rev. E. Myhrer of Newfolden.

A general vote of the four school districts, Nos. 141, 137 and 34 in Marshall county, and No. 2 in Pennington county to ascertain if a consolidated district shall be formed will be held at the school house in Dist. No. 141 next Friday afternoon, Oct. 22, between 2 and 4 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stromberg and family of Dakota Junction, spent Sunday afternoon in town as guests of Mrs. Stromberg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth, and also attended church services here.

Mesdames B. P. Sagmoen, L. L. Furan and Miss Isabella Sagmoen, left on Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls to visit for a day with Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson and to attend the sales at that place.

Benhard Ranum is employed at Viking this week on carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg, Mary Shoberg attended the Larry Hodgson speech at the auditorium at Thief River Falls last Monday evening.

Swan Swenson, accompanied by his youngest daughter, Geneva, left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls where Geneva will have her tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Grindeland of Warren were in town last Wednesday on business connected with real estate they own west of Rosewood.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen returned on Tuesday morning from Thief River Falls where she had spent a couple days visiting with Mrs. J. Nyhus.

ERIE

All the women in the neighborhood are busy preparing themselves on political questions; how to vote, etc.

H. O. Tommerdahl motored to Thief River Falls on Monday on business.

The Eastern Star Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. E. Ramsey on Friday and was well attended.

Mrs. Nick Meyer had the misfortune of being kicked by a horse recently and suffered quite an injury.

W. E. Baker motored out on Tuesday from Thief River Falls and called at Pete Larson's.

Mrs. L. B. Johnson and children returned on Sunday from Thief River Falls after a three week's visit with relatives.

The threshing proposition looked dark for some of the farmers in the eastern part of Star for some time as no rig pulled in to do the work, but now we understand there are two rigs, one being the B. Stolaas and H. Myrum Co., of Rhoda and the other Bennie Rindahl's, and Carl Klementson's outfit. No doubt all threshing will soon be done if weather permits.

Mrs. Otto Parnow and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Grams were business visitors in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Mrs. Syvert Prestegaard has returned from Washington where she was summoned by her sister's death.

The Ole and Henry Sunsdahl families were visitors at Dahlen's on Sunday afternoon.

Henry Fideman is back from North Dakota where he remained during the harvest and threshing season.

Supt. of Schools Gunderson visited schools in this vicinity on Friday.

Felix LaJoie of Mandan, N. D., was out last week looking after his farm interests here.

H. A. Dahlen and son Olaf left on Friday for Kindred, N. D., to be gone a week. On their return they will bring with them little Alice Dahlen, who has visited with her grandparents there since the 12th of July. During their absence Mrs. Dahlen is taking a course in doing chores.

Elling Ramsey left on Friday with a carload of stock for the St. Paul markets.

ESPLEE

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turnbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Svendpladsen and family, were the guests at the L. J. Tenold's home Sunday.

Max Konig was a caller in Esplee on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Henrickson and family of Thief River Falls visited with Paul Sund and family on Sunday.

Oscar H. Olson of Thief River Falls came up to visit his boys on Sunday.

Alex Jordan and family called on Allyn Turnbull on Sunday.

Threshing of flax is going on at the Allyn Turnbull farm this week.

L. O. Opsata called on Sever Severson last Friday.

Mrs. John Nelson called on friends in Esplee Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin and Martin Seeger visited at Oscar N. Olson's home Sunday.

Chas. Johnson will have an auction sale the 20th.

Louina Poirier and Mildred Jahr, teachers of the Esplee schools, left on Friday afternoon for Warren, Minn., where they will attend the Institute for teachers of Marshall Co., the school being closed here during that period.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hanson visited at the home of P. P. Sund on Sunday.

Last Sunday Hanna J. Sund was called to Goodridge to assist in taking Dorothy Sund, the 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sund to Thief River Falls for medical attention, she being unfortunate in breaking her leg. She is at home at the present writing and resting as well as can be expected.

Mr. Martinson was a caller in Esplee on Sunday.

Russell Turnbull made a trip to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening.

Allyn Turnbull transacted business in Goodridge Monday.

Mrs. Strand visited with Mrs. Carlson on Monday.

STEINER

John Whitman went to Thief River Falls for a load of building material last Friday.

Arthur Simonson bought a Case tractor last week and is now plowing with a gang and the tractor.

The neighbors got together Thursday evening and surprised Mr. Slack's family. The evening was spent in visiting and playing games. Mr. Slack has two sons visiting him from Iowa.

Ole Berg and wife visited friends in North Dakota last week.

J. Hobson Rogers and Will Meyers left for Washington last Tuesday where they intend to spend the winter.

Nick Baker transacted business in Thief River Falls last Friday.

Henry Rogers drove to Thief River Falls Friday.

Harvey Copp rented his farm to an Iowa man this past week and expects to go to the coast this winter for his health.

Mable Rogers came down Friday evening from Strandquist near which place she is teaching and will visit her parents over Sunday and go to Warren to the Teachers' Institute to be held there next week.

S. R. Rogers is building a fine new chicken house for Mr. Whitman.

Mrs. Rogers is visiting at the Meyer's home.

The farmers are not bringing in much grain to the elevator these days and are apparently waiting for the raise.

Mrs. M. O. Sogin transacted business in the county seat Friday.

Arthur Muzzy is plowing with his Fordson these days.

Ruth Solem visited her parents over Sunday. She is teaching near Newfolden this year.

American Legion Notes

Ex-Service Men, 'Ten-Shun!

Do you realize that every ex-service man who went into the service in good health and with teeth in good condition and who upon discharge or since discharge finds health or teeth impaired while in service—that the Government offers you the best possible medical and dental attention that money will buy?

Do you realize that if you entered the service in an impaired physical condition and with poor teeth, and during your time in service your condition was aggravated or made worse, that you are entitled to the same service free of any cost to you?

Do you realize that the Elmer J. Eklund Post of The American Legion has made an investigation of the standing of the doctors and dentists employed by the government and the reputation of the hospitals used and have found them to be the best that money will buy?

Do you realize that the government gives you transportation to St. Paul and Minneapolis for your medical attention and operations and buys your berth and furnishes you with your meals and sends you free of cost to the best hospitals and furnishes you with hotel accommodations during examination and convalescence?

Do you realize that the Government pays you your wages when you lose time in travelling for the purpose of being examined and that it pays your wages during the time that you are in the hospital?

Do you realize that the Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion has blanks on hand and will assist you free of charge in making out your papers and advising you through all of the red tape required to perfect your claim?

Do you realize that the state headquarters and national headquarters have men hired to put these claims through and who are on the ground to fight for your rights whether or not you belong to the American Legion?

Do you realize that the American Legion furnished you with blanks and arranged with local attorneys to fill them out free of charge, arranged for Victory Button blanks and filled them out free of charge, and secured Victory Medal blanks and arranged with the local banks to have them fill them out free of charge?

Do you realize that the local post of the American Legion made the arrangements with the local banks to secure for you immediate payment of your bonus claims?

Do you realize that the American Legion will fight any of your legitimate battles to secure any of your rights?

Do your realize that the service men of this county have taken advantage of their organizations efforts by the hundreds whether or not they belonged to the local post?

Do you not think that it is about time that you become a part of this great organization and joined the Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117 of The American Legion? If so, see the secretary in the McGinn block, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Public Retraction.

Notice is hereby given that certain remarks made by me with reference to Mrs. Frank Kratochvil were untrue and that complete retraction of same is hereby publicly made.
O21-27-N4-p MRS. JOSEPH HRUBY.

Mrs. Art Cannon arrived Thursday evening from Kennison, Sask., for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Berndt Wold.

"Love and Sympathy"
Truly Expressed by Flowers or Emblems from Duluth Floral Co., Duluth, Minn.

7 Positions

were offered to Anker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., the past week, and only one, Caribelle Maiers, was placed, because there are not graduates enough to go around. Why not prepare for a job above the crowd? For catalog write name, tear off, and mail

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Prices for poultry are steady. Bring all stock in now.

For further information, inquire of Karl Korstad, Highlanding.

Peterson-Biddick Company

Public Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on section 25, Township of Excell, three miles east of Steiner, the following property, on

Tuesday, October 26, 1920

Sale Commences at 10:00 o'clock A. M.

One grey horse 8 years old, wt. 1350
One bay Belgian mare 8 years old, wt. 1400
One bay horse 6 years old, wt. 1500
One grey horse 5 years old, wt. 1600
One black colt 1 year old
One red cow now milking
One Jersey cow, now milking
Two calves 5 months old
30 chickens

One 6-ft. McCormick binder, in good shape
One 17 shoe drill
One 4-horse drag
One John Deere 13 in. gang plow
One John Deere 18 in. walking plow
One John Deere 14 in. breaking plow
One McCormick 5-ft. mower
One Deering 5-ft. mower
One flax attachment
One 10-ft. Deering hay rake

One Hollingwatt 10-ft. hay rake
One double box Moline wagon, wide tire
One wide tire wagon
One hay rack
One bob sleigh
Three sets of work harness
One fanning mill
One Golden Harvest cream separator
One Batty organ
Household furniture and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00 is to be paid in cash; on all sums over that amount, time will be given on bankable paper Due November 1st, 1921.

JOHN EASTHOUSE, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming on account of ill health, I will sell at public auction the following property on the Northeast quarter of Sec. 13, Town of Silverton, 1½ miles north and 2½ miles west of Mavie, or 1½ miles north and one-half mile east of Stop 8 on Electric Line, on

Friday, October 29th

Commencing at 10:00 A. M.

6—GOOD HORSES—6
One mare 8 years old
One mare 7 years old
One mare 6 years old
One mare 3 years old
One mare 12 years old
One horse 11 years old

CATTLE AND SHEEP
One cow 4 years old
Three calves 6 months old
55 breeding ewes
One grade buck

FARM MACHINERY
One 12-25 Avery gas tractor in good shape
One Russel grader complete with 14 H. P. Russel engine
One 2½ H. P. Big Chief gas engine
One McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
One 10-ft. Deering hay rake
One 14 disc Kentucky drill
One 16 shoe Superior drill
One 14 in. Emerson gang plow

One 16 in. John Deere sulky plow
One 14 in. John Deere 3 bottom engine plow
One 6 shovel riding cultivator
One 18 disc John Deere disc harrow
One 12 disc Osborne harrow
One Fosston fanning mill
One feed grinder
One wide tire wagon, complete with box
One 3-4 in. wide tire wagon
One wheel scraper
Two hay racks
One good sleigh, 7-ft runners
One sleigh 6-ft. runners
One set blacksmith tools
One auto trailer
Five work harness
One 4 bbl. galvanized stock tank
One circle saw and frame
One No. 9 cook stove
One 85-Egg incubator and brooder

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Oscar Evenson, Owner

W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction the following property at my farm on the northwest quarter of Section 28, Township of Norden, 6 miles west and 1 mile north of Thief River Falls, on

Wednesday, October 27

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock.

HORSES
One bay horse 15 years old
One dark bay horse 5 years old
One dark bay mare 5 years old
One black horse 3 years old

CATTLE
One red cow 6 years old, fresh Nov. 1.
Two red cows 5 years old, fresh in Dec.
One red cow 5 years old, fresh in Jan.
One gray cow 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
One red cow 8 years old, fresh in Jan.
Four heifers 1½ years old
One gray bull 2 years old
Five calves

FARM MACHINERY
One McCormick binder, with truck
One McCormick mower 5-ft. cut
One 13-in. Rock Island gang plow, new
One 16-in. John Deere sulky plow

One 14-in. brush breaker
One 16-in. stubble plow
One 3-horse drag
One 15 shoe drill
Two lumber wagons
One hay rack
One bob sleigh
One cutter.
Two sets double work harness
One gas engine, 2 3-4 horse power, new
One feed mill
One wood saw
Two belts
One cultivator
One John Deere disc harrow, 14 discs
One grindstone
One DeLaval cream separator No. 13

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
One range No. 9
One heating stove
One extension table, new
Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch at Noon

NILS O. NORA Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at Public Auction, on the southwest quarter of Section 6, township of Kratka, 8 miles east and two miles south of Thief River Falls, the following described personal property, on

Monday, November 1, '20

Beginning at 10 o'clock A. M.

HORSES
One gray mare 5 years old, wt. 1450
One gray mare 12 years old, wt. 1400
One black mare 8 years old, wt. 1350
One bay gelding 3 yrs., coming 4, wt. 1400
One bay mare 2 yrs., coming 3, wt. 1400

CATTLE
One red cow, 11 years old, to freshen first of Jan.
One red cow 8 years old, to freshen first of Feb.
One red cow 6 years old, to freshen in Dec.
One red and white cow, 7 years old to freshen in Feb.
One grade Guernsey cow, 4 yrs. old, to freshen last of Dec.
One grade Guernsey cow 4 yrs. old, to freshen in April

One grade Guernsey 3 years old to freshen first of Feb.
One registered pure bred Guernsey bull No. 54740, Pride's Governor, 2 years, coming 3 in Jan.
One grade Guernsey bull 8 mo. old
Six grade Guernsey calves

MACHINERY
One 7 ft. McCormick binder, used 3 seasons.
One 6 ft. McCormick binder, good running order
One 14 in. John Deere gang plow, good as new
One 13 in. John Deere gang plow, with breaking attachment.
One 18 shoe Van Brunt drill
One 3¼ in. tire Webber wagon
One 2-seated buggy
One road cart

One John Deere disc with truck
One 5-section drag
One Corn King 75 bu. manure spreader
One 16 in. walking plow
One 16 in. prairie breaker
One 14 in. prairie breaker
One cultivator
One flax attachment
One 2 H. P. Witte engine
One feed mill
One saw
One grindstone
One power and hand barrel churn
One double barrel shot gun
One barrel grease oil
Three sets work harness
One steel 5-horse evener
One steel 4-horse evener
One tank heater

Beds, cupboard, kitchen table, and other furniture, small tools and other articles.

Free Lunch Served at Noon

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Mrs. Theo. L. Olson, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota

and a Proposed Law Relating to Taxation of Railroad Properties.

Submitted by the Legislature at its General Session, 1919, to the People of Minnesota at the General 1920 Election Together with Statements of

Purpose and Effect of each

Prepared by
CLIFFORD L. HILTON
Attorney-General of Minnesota.

Addressed to
JULIUS A. SCHMAHL
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL,
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA.
February 1, 1920.

HON. JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State,
Capitol, St. Paul, Minn.

SIR:

As required by Section 46, General Statutes of the state of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purposes and effects of all amendments proposed to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1919, and which are to be submitted to the electors of said state at the general election in 1920.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

(To be known as Article XVI).

Chapter 530, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes to amend the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by adding thereto a new article to be known as Article XVI, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. There is hereby created and established a trunk highway system, which shall be located, constructed, reconstructed, improved and forever maintained as public highways by the state of Minnesota. The said highways shall extend as nearly as may be along the following described routes, the more specific and definite location of which shall be fixed and determined by such boards, officers and tribunals, and in such manner, as shall be prescribed by law, but in fixing such specific and definite routes there shall not be any deviation from the starting points or termini set forth in this bill, nor shall there be any deviation in fixing such routes from the various villages and cities named herein, through which such routes are to pass.

Route No. 1.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southeasterly at Albert Lea and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point in Albert Lea and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point and on the southerly limits of the city of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of St. Paul and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the boundary line between the state of Minnesota and the province of Ontario, affording Albert Lea, Owatonna, Faribault, Northfield, Farmington, St. Paul, White Bear, Forest Lake, Wyoming, Rush City, Pine City, Hinckley, Sandstone, Moose Lake, Carlton, Duluth, Two Harbors, Grand Marais and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 2.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a southwesterly direction along said Route No. 1 to a point on said route at Carlton and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at Moorhead, affording Duluth, Carlton, McGregor, Aitkin, Brainerd, Motley, Staples, Wadena, Detroit, Moorhead and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 3.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Wisconsin, westerly of La Crosse, Wisconsin, and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the easterly limits of the City of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at Breckenridge, affording La Crescent, Winona, Kellogg, Wabasha, Lake City, Red Wing, Hastings, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Osseo, Champlin, Anoka, Elk River, Big Lake, St. Cloud, Albany, Sauk Centre, Alexandria, Elbow Lake, Fergus Falls, Breckenridge and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 4.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southwesterly of Jackson and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 3, southeasterly of Sauk Center and thence extending in a northwesterly direction along said Route No. 3 to a point on said route at Sauk Center and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point at International Falls, affording Jackson, Windom, Sandborn, Redwood Falls, Morton, Olivia, Willmar, Paynesville, Sauk Center, Long Prairie, Wadena, Park Rapids, Itasca State Park, Bemidji, International Falls and intervening and adjacent communities, a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 5.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southerly of Blue Earth and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the southerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point in Swan River on Route No. 8 hereinafter described, affording Blue Earth, Winnebago, Mankato, St. Peter, Le Sueur, Jordan, Shakopee, Minneapolis, Cambridge, Mora, McGregor, Swan River and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 6.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southerly of Ash Creek, and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the state of Minnesota and the province of Manitoba, near St. Vincent, affording Luverne, Pipestone, Lake Benton, Ivanhoe, Canby, Madison, Bellingham, Odessa, Ortonville, Graceville, Dumont, Wheaton, Breckenridge, Moorhead, Kragnes, Georgetown, Perley, Hendrum, Ada, Crookston, Warren, Donaldson, Hallock and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 7.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Winona and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and South Dakota, westerly of Lake Benton, affording Winona, St. Charles, Rochester, Kasson, Dodge Center, Claremont, Owatonna, Waseca, Mankato, St. Peter, New Ulm, Springfield, Tracy, Lake Benton, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 8.

Beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Crookston and thence extending in a westerly and northerly direction along said Route No. 6 to a point on said route northerly of Crookston *and thence extending in a northwesterly* direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at East Grand Forks, affording Duluth, Floodwood, Swan River, Grand Rapids, Cass Lake, Bemidji, Bagley, Erskine, Crookston, East Grand Forks, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 9.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at La Crescent and thence extend-

Route No. 17.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 16 at Fulda and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 at Granite Falls, affording Fulda, Slayton, Garvin, Marshall, Granite Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 18.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Elk River and thence extending

extending in a northerly direction to a point at Grand Rapids and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point at Ely, affording Aitkin, Grand Rapids, Hibbing, Chisholm, Buhl, Mountain Iron, Virginia, Gilbert, McKinley, Biwabik, Aurora, Tower and Ely and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 34.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Fergus Falls and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 29 easterly of Henning, affording Fergus Falls, Henning and

Route No. 56.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 easterly of Austin and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 21 at or near Kenyon affording Brownsdale, Hayfield, Dodge Center, West Concord, Kenyon and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 57.

Beginning at a point in Mantorville and extending in a southerly direction to a point on Route No. 7 southerly of Mantorville, affording Mantorville a reasonable means of communication with said Route No. 7.

Route No. 58.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Zumbrota and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Red Wing, affording Zumbrota, Red Wing and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 59.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa southerly of Spring Valley and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on No. 3 at Lake City, affording Spring Valley, Stewartville, Rochester, Zumbro Falls, Lake City and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 60.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 at Faribault and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 7 at or near Madison Lake, affording Faribault, Morristown, Waterville, Madison Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 61.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Deer River and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at or near Big Falls affording Deer River, Big Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 62.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Anoka and thence extending in a southeasterly direction to a point on the northerly limits of the city of St. Paul, affording Anoka, St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 63.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 southerly of Forest Lake and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the northerly and easterly limits of the city of Minneapolis, affording a reasonable means of communication between Route No. 1 and Minneapolis.

Route No. 64.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 30 northerly of Fergus Falls and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 southerly of Moorhead, affording Fergus Falls, Rothsay, Barnesville, Moorhead and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 65.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Bagley and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 32 southerly of Red Lake Falls, affording Bagley, Clearbrook, Gonvick, Gully, Brooks, Terrebonne and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 66.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 at Montevideo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 26 northerly of Appleton affording Montevideo, Appleton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 67.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 southerly of Echo and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 17 at or near Granite Falls, affording Echo, Granite Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 68.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 at Marshall and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Canby, affording Marshall, Minneota, Canby and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 69.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 25 at Buffalo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 22 southeasterly of Paynesville, affording Buffalo, Maple Lake, Annandale, Eden Valley, Paynesville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 70.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 westerly of New Ulm and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 at or near the village of Hector, affording Fort Ridgely, Fairfax, Hector and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Additional Routes.

Whenever, either by reason of the creation of a new county, or by reason of the change of the county seat of any existing county, any city or village not a county seat at the time of the adoption of this amendment is lawfully constituted the county seat of any county, the legislature is authorized to add to the trunk highway system such additional routes connecting such newly constituted county seats with other county seats and other points in the state.

When after at least seventy-five (75) per cent of the total number of the miles of the routes embraced in the trunk highway system hereinbefore specified shall have been constructed and permanently improved, the legislature shall have authority to add new routes to such trunk highway system; provided, however, that no such new routes shall be added until and unless the funds available for the construction, improvement and maintenance of such additional routes shall be sufficient therefor in addition to the construction, improvement and maintenance of the several routes hereinbefore specifically described.

Section 2. There is hereby created a fund which shall be known as the trunk highway sinking fund. Said fund shall consist of the proceeds of any tax imposed on motor vehicles as herein authorized. The moneys in said fund shall be used for the payment of the principal and interest of any bonds which may be issued under the authority of this article; and any moneys in excess of such requirements shall be transferred to a fund which is hereby created and which shall be known as the trunk highway fund. The trunk highway fund shall be used solely for the purposes specified in Section 1 of this article, and when duly authorized by legislative enactment to reimburse any county for the money expended by it subsequent to February 1st, 1919, in permanently improving any road hereinbefore specifically described, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor approved by the commissioner of highways.

Section 3. The legislature is hereby authorized to provide, by law, for the taxation of motor vehicles, using the public streets and highways of this state, on a more onerous basis than other personal property, provided, however, that any such tax on motor vehicles shall be in lieu of all other taxes thereon, except wheelage taxes, so-called, which may be imposed by any borough, city or village. Any such law may, in the discretion of the legislature, provide for the exemption from taxation of any motor vehicle owned by a non-resident of the state, and transiently or temporarily using the streets and highways of the state. The proceeds of such tax shall be paid into said trunk highway sinking fund.

Section 4. The legislature may provide by law for the issue and sale of the bonds of the state in such amount as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of section 1 of this article, provided, however, that the amount of bonds which may be issued in any one calendar year shall not exceed, in the aggregate, ten million dollars, par value, and provided, further, the total amount of such bonds issued and unpaid shall not at any time exceed seventy-five million dollars, par value. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be paid into the treasury of the state and credited to the trunk highway fund. Any bonds so issued and sold shall be for a term not exceeding twenty (20) years. They shall not be sold for less than par and accrued interest and shall not bear interest at a greater rate than five per cent per annum. In case of the trunk highway sinking fund shall not be adequate to meet the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds authorized by the legislature as hereinbefore provided, the legislature may provide by law for the taxation of all taxable property of the state in an amount sufficient to meet the deficiency, or it may in its discretion, appropriate to such sinking fund moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 5. Any and all provisions of the constitution of the state of Minnesota inconsistent with the provisions of this article, are hereby repealed, so far, but only so far, as the same prohibit or limit the power of the legislature to enact laws authorizing or permitting the doing of the things hereinbefore authorized."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT OF AMENDMENT.

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to establish and provide for the construction and maintenance of a system of roads and highways in the state of Minnesota to be known as "The Trunk Highway System." The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to establish and authorize the enactment of laws, providing for the construction, improvement and maintenance by the state of the highways described in a general way in the amendment, which highways are to be more specifically and definitely located in a manner to be prescribed by law, but any such law must provide that in fixing a definite location of the various routes there shall not be any deviation from the starting point or termini described in the routes set forth in the amendment, nor shall there be a deviation in the fixing of the routes from the various villages and cities named in the amendment, and through which the routes are to pass.

If the amendment is adopted, the legislature will be thereby authorized to provide by law for the issuance and sale of the bonds of the state to raise money for the creation of a "Trunk Highway Fund" to be expended for the construction of the roads embraced in the trunk highway system. The legislature cannot, however, issue bonds in any one year exceeding in amount of the par value thereof the sum of $10,000,000, nor can the aggregate of all outstanding unpaid bonds ever exceed $75,000,000. Bonds cannot be sold for less than par or bear interest at a greater rate than five per cent per annum.

The adoption of the amendment will also confer on the legislature authority to levy a tax on motor vehicles, using the public streets and highways, on a more onerous basis than other personal property is taxed. The proceeds of such tax will be credited to the Highway Sinking Fund, which is to be used to pay bonds issued as above; any surplus in the Highway Sinking Fund not needed for the retirement of bonds to be transferred to the Trunk Highway Fund. Motor vehicles taxed by any law passed by the legislature under the amendment, will not be subject to any other tax, except that a wheelage tax may be imposed on such vehicles by any borough, city or village, if they see fit to do so.

In case the tax on motor vehicles is not sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the bonds issued, the legislature, in case of the adoption of the amendment, will be empowered to provide by law for the taxation of all the taxable property of the state in an amount sufficient to meet the deficiency, or it may, in its discretion, appropriate to such Highway Sinking Fund any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

Chapter 531, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes an amendment to section 7 of article VI of the constitution of the state of Minnesota. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 7. There shall be established in each organized county in the state a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such times and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of two years. He shall be a resident of such county at the time of his election, and reside therein during his continuance in office, and his compensation shall be provided by law. He may appoint his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election, by the electors of any county, of one clerk or register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction, except as prescribed by this constitution."

The amendment simply proposes to substitute the word "four" for the word "two" so that the sentence prescribing the duration of the term of office of probate judges will, if the amendment is adopted, read as follows:

"It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of four years."

The purpose of said amendment and its effect, if adopted, will be to make the term of office of judge of probate four years instead of two.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

Chapter 532 Session Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes an amendment to Section 1 of Article IX of the constitution of said state. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 1. The power of taxation shall never be surrendered, suspended or contracted away. Taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, and shall be levied and collected for public purposes, but public burying grounds, public school houses, public hospitals, academies, colleges, universities and all seminaries of learning, all churches, church property, and houses of worship, institutions of purely public charity, and public property used exclusively for any public purpose, shall be exempt from taxation, and there may be exempted from taxation personal property not exceeding in value $200, for each household, individual or head of a family, as the legislature may determine: Provided, that the legislature may authorize municipal corporations to levy and collect assessments for local improvements upon property benefited thereby without regard to a cash valuation, and provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect, modify or repeal any existing law providing for the taxation of the gross earnings of railroads."

If amended said section will read as follows:

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The purpose of said amendment is to empower the legislature to enact laws, to such an extent, and in such a manner, as it may determine, exempting from taxation household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools implements and machinery, and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs; and to authorize the imposition of graduated and progressive taxes on incomes, privileges and occupations.

The effect of the amendment, if adopted, will be to accomplish the purpose above indicated, to-wit: to authorize the enactment of laws by the legislature:

FIRST: Providing for the exemption from taxation, to such an extent and in such manner as the legislature may determine, of household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools, implements and machinery, and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs.

SECOND: Providing for the imposition of graduated and progressive taxes on incomes, privileges and occupations.

PROPOSED LAW RELATING TO THE TAXATION OF RAILROAD PROPERTIES.

Chapter 533, Session Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year of 1919, proposes an amendment to section 2226, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, and provides that said amendment shall be submitted to the people of this state for approval or rejection at the 1920 general election. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 2226. Every railroad company owning or operating any line of railroad situated within, or partly within this state, shall, during the year 1913, and annually thereafter, pay into the treasury of this state, in lieu of all taxes and assessments, upon all property within this state, owned or operated for railway purposes, by such company, including equipment, appurtenances, appendages and franchises thereof, a sum of money equal to five per cent of the gross earnings derived from the operation of such line of railway within this state.

On or before August 15, 1913, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending June 30th, next preceding, and the said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and be payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on September 1st, next thereafter.

On or before February 15, 1914, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending December 31st, next preceding, and said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on March 1st, next thereafter; and the payment of such sums at the times hereinbefore set forth shall be in full and in lieu of all other taxes and assessments upon the property and franchises so taxed; provided nothing in this act shall be construed as modifying any agreement entered into between any municipality within the state and any railroad company relating to the payment of local taxes or assessments.

The lands acquired by public grant shall be and remain exempt from taxation until sold or contracted to be sold or conveyed as provided in the respective acts whereby such grants were made or recognized."

If amended as proposed it will read as follows:

"Section 2226. Every railroad company owning or operating any line of railroad situated within or partly within this state, shall, during the year 1913 and annually thereafter, pay into the treasury of the state, in lieu of all taxes upon all property within this state owned or operated for railway purposes, by such company, including equipment, appurtenances, appendages and franchises thereof, a sum of money equal to five per cent of the gross earnings derived from the operation of such line of railway within this state.

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The lands acquired by public grant shall be made and remain exempt from taxation until sold or contracted to be sold or conveyed as provided in the respective acts whereby such grants were made or recognized."

Under the present law the gross earnings tax paid by railroad companies is in lieu of all other taxes and assessments upon property owned or operated for railroad purposes. Under the proposed amendment such tax will be in lieu of taxes only and railroad companies will become subject to assessments for local improvements in the same way that private persons and corporations, not paying a gross earnings tax, are subject to such assessments.

The purpose of said amendment is, and its effect, if adopted, will be to subject railroad companies, paying gross earnings taxes, to the payment of assessments for local improvements.

Yours respectfully,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

Weekly Market Review.

The sharp slump in prices for grain and stock may have an important effect upon the development of Minnesota farm lands, judging from various reports received during the past week from bankers throughout Minnesota for the weekly review prepared by The Merchants' National Bank of St. Paul and The First and Peoples' State Bank of Thief River Falls.

Farmers from Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Kansas, Nebraska and other states have made one or more visits to Minnesota since September first. Several have been quoted as declaring that they are considering purchase of Minnesota farms for several reasons. They hoped to dispose of their highly developed farms at top prices and buy land in this state at considerably lower figures. Development of Minnesota's road system, convenience of satisfactory markets, fertility of lands and other favorable reasons were touched upon.

Illinois, Wisconsin and Iowa farmers have been observing the progress which is being made along purebred cattle and hog lines. While it is a fact that tight money conditions throughout the state have caused breeders to be conservative in their purchases they have improved their herds since the county fairs started. Auction sales have started. Sales have been numerous at what buyers termed "reasonable prices."

Many interesting notes regarding Minnesota activities were contained in the bankers' reports. Serious forest fires in Northern counties were extinguished by two heavy rains. A silver fox farm, said to represent an investment of $50,000, has been started in Goodhue county. Many farmers had bumper apple yields and they disposed of the windfalls for about 25 cents a bushel, on the average, to automobile "bargain seekers." A Blue Earth farmer who purchased a tract of land last year sold it for $230 an acre, which meant a profit of $7,700. Some banks in Southern Minnesota have increased the interest rate on time deposits to five per cent. Money continues to be extremely tight, with farmers holding their grain. A number of stock breeders have shipped cattle and hogs. Pooling of wool has been resumed. A recent offer for the Minnesota wool in storage was declined. Several counties have organized poultry associations and a score of county shows are planned for mid-winter. Several cities have included appropriations for parks in their 1921 budgets. Community market sales proved a popular innovation in smaller cities. Merchants have had bargain days at the same time. The car situation seemed to be generally satisfactory. Duluth reported improvement on the coal situation and transportation facilities. Farmers who had bumper potato crops are storing them or selling them at the roadside. A number of cities which spent considerable money for paving this summer, have collected part of their investment from reckless drivers.

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Big Celebration to be Staged on Anniversary of World War's End.

Armistice Day, November 11th, is to be celebrated at Bemidji by one of the greatest celebrations ever planned for this section of the state, according to advance notes being received by local ex-service men.

The program as it now stands provides for a big parade at 10:30 on the morning of November 11th. Whistles will announce the event and it is expected that the wild scenes of two years ago will be re-enacted. Following the parade all ex-service men, whether members of the Legion or not, are asked to register and be arranged so that they may be recognized at the various attractions. At 1 o'clock an address will be delivered, but the speaker has not yet been secured. At 1:30 a football game will be played to which all ex-service men will be admitted free.

At 3:30 comes the big event of the day when twenty-six fast rounds of boxing will be staged at the Armory. The main event, as has been previously announced, will be between Dick Franklin of Bemidji and Farmer Lodge of Minneapolis. There will be ten fast rounds in this event. Tommy Tibbits of Bemidji and Gene Dwyer of Hibbing, will put on the semi-windup, there will be a first preliminary of six rounds the contestants to be Chub Frost and Young *Peterson who entertained* the crowd at a previous exhibition.

After the fight card there will be free supper and smoker at the Association rooms for all ex-service men. In the evening a big dance is to be given at the Armory. This is under the supervision of the Auxiliary and a big time is being arranged for. Carnival features are to be introduced.

Good bills are being provided for at the Bemidji theatres for both afternoon and evening to provide entertainment for those who do not care to take in the athletic events.

[illegible] Anderson and Miss Forbes, in[illegible] the High School in St. [illegible] were guests of Misses Lillian and Irene Patrick on Satur[illegible] [illegible] young ladies were class[illegible] at the University of Minnesota.

Legal Notices

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn.

Notice is hereby given that Ludvig [illegible], of Erie, Minn., who, on January 30th, 1919, made Homestead Application Serial, No. 018178, for SE¼, Section 20, Township 153 N., Range 39 W., 5th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Wilhelm Michelet, U. S. Commissioner for District of Minnesota, at Thief River Falls, Minn., on the 27th day of October, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ole K. Lien, Henry Dahlen, Tollef [illegible] and Gustav Iverson, all of Erie, [illegible]

Proof made according to law under which entry was made.

OLE THOMPSON,
Register.

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Order for Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John H. [illegible], Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Christ [illegible], Alice Hammarsten, Henrietta [illegible], and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of November, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 8th day of October, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal) Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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City Council

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A regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock p. m., Oct. 12, 1920.

Roll call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent; none.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the Council adjourn until Wednesday, Oct. 13th, at eight o'clock p. m. Motion carried and council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minn.

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock p. m., Oct. 13th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon. Members absent: Ihle.

Minutes of the meeting of Sept. 28th and adjourned regular meeting of Sept. 30th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, Chief of Police, Librarian and Manager of the Auditorium be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the back salary of the Librarian from June 1st and bill of Assistant Librarian, be allowed and placed on the resolution at the next regular meeting. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the application of L. W. Fossum for Plumber's license, be granted. Motion carried.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution approving the action of the Cemetery Commission fixing the prices of cemetery lots and for opening of graves. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Dahl, that the Superintendent of the Water & Light Dept. be instructed to make the necessary changes in the waterworks without delay. Motion carried.

Motion duly carried that the Council *adjourn.*

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the City Council held October 12, 1920, Alderman Froseth, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the action of City Cemetery Commission, amending Article 8 of the By-laws of said Commission, so as to increase the price of lots, to the following prices to-wit: 16x16, $40.00; 8x16, $20.00; single graves, $10.00, and, further, amending Article 10 of said By-laws, increasing price of opening graves as follows, of children under ten years of age, $6.00; of persons ten or more years of age, $8.00; the said amendments being embraced in a resolution of said commission duly adopted by said commission on October 4, 1920, be, and the same together with said resolution, and the whole thereof, is hereby ratified and approved.

Roll call: Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Aldermen voting no; none.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 16th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the Cemetery Commission held Oct. 4th, 1920, Commissioner C. B. Larson, seconded by Commissioner A. K. Olson, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Board of Cemetery Commission.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that it is deemed necessary and expedient that lines Nine (9), Ten (10) and Eleven (11) of Article Eight (8) of By Laws be amended to read as follows: Price of Lots 16x16, $40.00. Price of Lots 8x16, $20.00. Price of Single Graves, $10.00.

And Be It Further Resolved, That the part of Article Ten (10) pertaining to opening of graves to read as follows: For Children under ten years of age Six ($6.00). Graves for persons ten or more years of age Eight ($8.00).

Provided, however, that if the interment is made between the 15th day of November, and the 15th day of May, an additional charge of $2.00 shall be made.

Said resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after date of approval of the City Council.

Roll Call: Commissioners Voting Yes: Prichard, Larson, Olson and Arke. Commissioners Voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

W. W. PRICHARD, Jr.,
President of the Commission.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
Secretary.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Oct. 12th, 1920, Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Fire Dept. payroll	$325.00
Street Commissioner's payroll	539.85
Gen Mercantile Co., supplies	3.84
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	1.62
Walter S Booth & Son, supplies	14.00
Andy Craik, smithing	2.20
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., printing	6.35
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	10.50
Water & Light Dept., express and Elect supplies	53.67
Paul Midderigh, expense to Fire College	43.96
Holt & George, sewer tile	12.80
Algot Johnson, labor	1.50
Nortz Lbr. Co., coal	71.30
Local Improvement Fund.	
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., tools	1.02
Holt & George, repair sewer lift	36.25
Thief River Iron Works, catch basins	12.00
Water & Light Dept., power service	12.25
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., printing	17.25
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	66.85
Nortz Lbr. Co., coal	16.75
Auditorium Fund.	
Bottem Hdwe. Co., galvanized iron	12.40
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	3.50
Water & Light Dept., light and water service	151.27
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., supplies	6.41
Nortz Lbr. Co., coal	414.65
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	20.15
T. P. Hornseth, repairs	6.00
City Dray and Fuel Co., drayage	1.50
Poor Fund.	
Nortz Lbr. Co., coal	36.40
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent	1.50
Hannah Prestebak, board, Strassburg	16.00
Carl Christofferson, provisions	30.63
C. S. Simonson, provisions	33.51
Loken Bros., mdse	10.43
Oen Mercantile Co., mdse	5.40
City Dray & Fuel Co., fuel	16.50
Library Fund.	
The Prichard Co., fuel	9.72
Herman Goldberger, books	83.40
Democrat Printing Co., supplies	15.55
Underwood & Underwood, books	18.98
Water & Light Dept., light and water service	12.00
Nortz Lbr. Co., coal	158.65
Electric Light Fund.	
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	32.61
Andy Craik, smithing	1.55
Burroughs Adding Mch. Co., maintenance contract	5.85
The Prichard Co., coal	14.10
N. W. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	580.15
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	178.09
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	152.30
Scott Laird, office supplies	4.50
N. W. Tel. Exchange Co., phone rent and tolls	6.45
Andy Smith, labor	5.00
Nortz Lbr. Co., coal	27.00
John Dicken, labor	2.50
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	24.31
Times Printing and Mfg. Co., printing	4.50
Red Lake Ice Co., ice	4.00
Regal Polishing Cloth Co., wipers	43.50
Standard Oil Co., lubricating oil	42.52
Ashelmand Bros., supplies	62.02
General Electric Co., supplies	1.25
Duluth Electric Co., supplies	81.60
Mpls. Elect. Equip. Co., supplies	12.75
Hermanson Hdwe. Co., supplies	1.75

Roll call: Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Brandon. Aldermen voting no: none.

Resolution declared passed.

Approved Oct. 16th, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford car in first-class condition. Cheap if taken at once. Can be seen at 615 Dewey Ave. N. 91p

FOR SALE—Some woven hog and sheep wire. Will sell cheap.—Andrew Ness. 94tf

FOR SALE—Six-room house with two lots at No. 323 Third St. West. Write Theodore Onundson, Star Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 94p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 1752. 50tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—This river stock farm, 8½ Sec. 24, Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 82tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 185, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—8-room house, 410 Crocker Ave. North. 95p

FOR SALE—Fifty grade Shropshire ewes. One to four years old. Phone 7-F-21

FOR SALE—One Model C-25 Buick 4-passenger car in first-class condition. See H. C. Johnson at Nortz Lumber Co.

FOR SALE—A ladies' Seal plush coat bought at the Sapero Co. last winter for $140.00. Come and inspect it and make me an offer.—M. V. Evenson. 90tf

FOR SALE—Bargain for quick sale, seven room house. Fine location. Call 609 Horace Ave. 92

FOR SALE—Three good milch cows. Inquire at Thief River Cafe. 88tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address box 1061, Thief River Falls, or call at the Times office. 89tf

FOR SALE—About 50 cords poplar wood 3-4 mile from Plummer and 50 cords poplar wood ½ mile south of Riverside cemetery in this city. This is all split wood. Call at Times office. 93p

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland China boars. Can furnish registration papers. Took first and third prizes on these at Red Lake County Fair. Write H. O. Anderson, Wylie, Minn. 90p

FOR SALE—7-room house with hall and summer kitchen; automobile garage, woodshed and ice house, barn, 4 acres of land. The house has basement and with sewer running to the river. Will also sell furniture, automobile and two cows. C. C. Berggan, east end of Bridge St. 93p

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor in good running condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once.—Nick Baker, Rt. 2, Thief River Falls. 94p

FOR SALE—Team driving mares, eight and nine years old, weight 1000 lbs and 1100 lbs. Chas. Klerk, Rt. 1, box 7, Thief River Falls. 94p

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 94tf

FOR SALE—Three good showcases and one roll top desk. Inquire P. P. Palmer, or Thief River Candy Co. 93tf

LAND BARGAIN—SE 31-151-40. Two and one-half miles Southwest of Goodridge. One half mile south of State Road. A fine piece of land well located. Look this over and make us an offer. Chase Brothers, Pine City, Minn. 94

FOR SALE—Millwork, consisting of windows, doors, etc. Complete for six room house. Can be seen at Fisher's Livery Barn. Inquire of Frank Fisher. 90-pd.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots.—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—In good piece of land or other real estate of about equal value or equity, a percheron stallion, 3½ years old, weight about 1800, Best pedigree. Write P. B. Peterson, Fordville, N. D. 95

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 93tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

FOR RENT—Room in new modern house. Gentleman preferred. Inquire E. Dan Bjorkman. 93tf

ROOMS—Furnished and unfurnished for rent. Call 6073. 93p

LOST

LOST—Piece of watch chain with Elk's tooth. Finder return to Langseth's Shoe Store for reward. 93

LOST—Tire and rim 33x4 Goodyear Diamond thread, on public road somewhere east of Thief River Falls. Finder return to First and Peoples' State Bank for reward. 90

LOST—Ford casing on road between city and Kratka. Finder return to Dr. O. F. Mellby for reward.

FOUND

FOUND—One yearling heifer and one steer, came to our place. Owner may have same by paying for the advertisement. Elling and Carl Prestby, Hazel Star Route, Hazel, Minn. 95p

FOUND—Pocketbook containing money. Owner may have same by calling at 311 Horace Ave. N., proving property and paying for this notice. 91p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework for about three weeks, $10 per week. Apply at Times. 92

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 607 Bridge Street. 86tf

GIRL WANTED—At Black's Sweet Shop. 93

WANTED—A good cook on Spaulding Farm, 15 minutes walk from business center. State wages wanted in first letter. Inquire of Mrs. G. F. Peterson, care Spaulding Farm, Warren, Minn. 91

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must be experienced and must like children. Good wages. 714 Knight Ave. N.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, good wages. Address Mrs. P. L. Aarhus, 810 3d St., S. Fargo. 86

Help Wanted—Male

MAN WANTED—To work on farm during winter, commencing November 1st. N. A. Nelson, 1 mile west of town on Jefferson Highway. 93pd.

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—One of World's largest Grocers, (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today. State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 95p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Roomers, either by day, week or for all winter. Furnished and modern rooms. Also have some barn room. Phone 553 W. Chas. R. Penaluna. 93p

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once as he can do the fall-plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

Jennie M. Eastman
Pioneer Chiropractor
Office in Scandia Block Phone 213

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HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE
FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe
Neglected Colds are Dangerous
Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.
Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache
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We have a large stock of boiler tubes, all sizes
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IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neghbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

LOCAL DEALERS DO BUSINESS IN OPEN

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One of the stock excuses of the man who orders goods from a mail order house is that there are many things that he wants that the local merchants do not carry in stock, and that it is necessary for him to send away from town to get them.

This explanation may be all right on the theory that a poor excuse is better than none, but it fails to pass muster when it is subjected to a little scrutiny.

Ask the man who offers this as an excuse for his dealings with the mail order man why he does not go to the local merchant and ask him to order the articles desired if they are not to be found in the merchant's stock. The merchant will very gladly do this, and the merchant and customer will both profit. The merchant can sell you whatever you desire at as low a price as the mail order house can make you on goods the same quality and he can make a small profit.

The customer will profit from the transaction, because he will be dealing with a merchant who stands back of the goods that he sells, and who is easily accessible in case the articles purchased do not prove to be all that the customer had expected.

Give Home Merchant Preference.

Why not try this plan the next time you need something which you cannot find in any of your home stores? The merchant in the average sized town cannot carry in stock everything that all of the people in his town may want at all times. It would require a capital many times larger than the average merchant can command to do this, but he does the best he can. He ordinarily does carry in stock at all times many things for which there is no general demand, in order that he may meet the needs of his customers to the greatest possible degree, but there is a limit to his purchasing ability. He is always ready and willing, however, to make every effort to meet the demands of the community. Why not, then, give him the preference over the far-distant mail order man if you must have something which is not to be found in the local stores? He will do the business in a satisfactory manner, give you as quick if not quicker service and more satisfactory treatment, and the chances are that he will give you better values for the money. Finally, whatever profit is to be made off the transaction will stay at home and do its bit toward meeting the merchant and his town and, incidentally, yourself, more prosperous.

No business can be transacted as satisfactorily at long range as it can when the two parties to the transaction meet face to face. The only exception to this rule is in the case of the mail order man himself, who can transact his business with greater success to himself at long distance than he could if he had to meet his customers face to face. That is the reason that he does business by mail instead of selling to the people in his own city. If the goods which the mail order man advertised in his alluring catalogues were the bargains that he represents them to be, he would not have to go outside of the confines of his own city to sell all the goods he could possibly obtain. But the average mail order house not only does not make any effort to sell goods in its own city, but will not sell to anyone residing within the city limits. The mail order man does not want to meet his customers face to face. He can do business better so far as he is concerned if his customer is some hundreds of miles away from his office.

Does Business in Open.

The man who sells goods over the counter, on the other hand, does business in the open. He cannot hide behind a corporate name or talk to a displeased customer from behind the locked doors of a private office. He knows that he must face the music in case he is a party to any transaction that won't stand the light of day. He knows that he must satisfy every customer with whom he may be dealing or he will lose not only that customer but probably others who will soon know all the facts if he does not do the square thing by any one of his patrons.

There is no reason in the world for any person to send his money to a mail order house because he cannot find the article he wants in his local store. The local merchant is in business for the very purpose of getting you what you want. He has the information that will enable him to get what you want and to get it as quickly as you could get it from a mail order house. It is only fair to him to give him the chance to make such profit as any dealer would make off the transaction and it is only fair to yourself to keep that profit at home rather than to send it away to some far distant city from which it will never return.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side.—ANDREW BOTTELSON.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate.—THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richelieu Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil.—AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station.—K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service
and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.—HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries.—ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here. — HALL BROTHERS CO.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church—Rev. T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Norwegian services at 11 a. m. English service 7:45 p. m. Catechetical class Saturday 10 a. m. The Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday, Oct. 27th. The following ladies entertain: Mrs. E. K. Aasen, Mrs. O. C. Evenson, Mrs. Buringrud, Mrs. Ward. The Young Peoples' League meets Wednesday evening Oct. 27th.

Bazaar

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold a bazaar in the church basement Friday afternoon, Oct. 29. A great variety of fancy and useful articles will be on sale. An elaborate lunch will be served for 25c.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 24, English services with celebration of Holy Communion at Erie at 10 a. m. German services at 2:30 p. m. in Norwegian church, Goodridge. Business meeting of the members of the entire parish after these services. English services at Goodridge at 8 p. m. Sunday Oct. 31: Services as usual at Esplee and Grygla; Grygla at 10 a. m. and Esplee at 3 p. m. Holy Communion will be celebrated at both places.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 24. 10 a. m., Sunday school. Announcement of the Thanksgiving program. 11 a. m., morning worship. Read John 5. 8 p. m., evening worship. "A Good News," sermon. 3 p. m., Juniors. 7 p. m., Senior C. E. The Woman's Missionary society meets on Friday of this week, at 2:30 p. m., for a study class meeting. The meeting will be held at 518 Main Ave. N.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Zion 11 a. m. Bethlehem, 2:30 p. m. Zion, 8 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Stene and Mrs. Wistven entertain. Zion Young Peoples' meeting Thursday evening, Mrs. B. Berg and Mrs. Revdahl entertain. Rindahl Young Peoples' Meeting in Rindal church, Rosewood, Saturday evening at 8:30. Confirmants meet every Saturday in church basement at 2 p. m.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday: In Swedish at 10:30 a. m.; in American at 7:45 p. m. Bible Class and Sunday School at 11:45 a. m. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. P. B. Malberg at her home near Steiner, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 28.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 24. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Service at Black River 10:45 a. m. East of St. Hilaire at the Erickson Schoolhouse at 3 p. m. At St. Hilaire 7:30 p. m.

M. E. Church—Sunday School at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Divine service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All welcome.

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Bryant Washburn, in
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Girls, Beware! Every man who is a smoker is a Wife Beater.
Andy Gump and Oh, Min!
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The Lyceum

Pick O' The Pictures.
FRIDAY
"RULING PASSIONS"
A Select Special with
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SATURDAY
Tom Moore, in
"THE GAY LORD QUEX"
Another remarkable Tom Moore picture and is the gayest thing you have seen in many a moon.
—and—
Jack Dempsey, in
"DAREDEVIL JACK"
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Matinee: 2:30

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In the greatest success of her career.

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This is the story of a girl who is forced to the very brink of the abyss from which no woman ever escapes and of what happens when her husband learns the truth—and a

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SUNDAY AND MONDAY
Matinee Sunday: 2:30

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This is the picture that opened The New Capital, St. Paul's new Million and a half Dollar Theatre and considered one of the finest in the United States.
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Obituary

Anton Mortenson.

On Saturday, Oct. 9, through an accident, occurred the death of Anton Mortenson, an aged bachelor residing in New Solum township, Marshall county. Mr. Mortenson was found dead in a well, having stepped thru the cover and landing on his feet at the bottom. Death evidently was caused from the shock or exposure as the water in the well was not sufficiently deep to reach to the waist of the dead man.

A message was sent to Martin Johnson, a nephew and nearest relative, who arrived Wednesday from Grantsburg, Wis. Mr. Mortenson was born near Trondhjem, Norway, in 1839 and was 81 years of age at the time of his death. All surviving relatives, with the exception of Mr. Johnson and a niece, Mrs. Gust Johnson, of Rush City, reside in Norway.

Funeral services were held from the Larson undertaking parlors at Thief River Falls last Thursday afternoon, Rev. O. J. Lundell officiating, with interment at Greenwood cemetery.

John Wennberg.

John Wennberg of Clearbrook died in this city on Oct. 19, from cerebral hemorrhage at the age of 66 years, 6 months, 13 days. Deceased was born in Sweden and immigrated to the United States 30 years ago, having been engaged in farming in the vicinity of Clearbrook for a number of years. Funeral services were held at the latter named place on Oct. 22.

Peter Bernhard Larson.

On Oct. 19 occurred the death of Peter Bernhard Larson of Holt from bronchial asthma from which he had suffered for ten years. Deceased was born in the state of Minnesota on Aug. 27, 1881 and at the time of his death resided on a farm near Holt. His body was shipped to his former home at Kensington, this state, where funeral services will be held Oct. 23.

Card of Thanks.

I wish hereby to express my heartfelt thanks for the kindly assistance and kindness shown at the sad death of my uncle, Anton Mortenson. I also wish to thank for the floral offerings.

MARTIN JOHNSON,
O-24-pd Grantsburg, Wis.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our heartfelt thanks to those who so kindly came to our assistance following the death of Hans Jacobson. Mrs. Hans Jacobson and family.

SEAL SALE TO HAVE DOUBLE IMPORTANCE

Fight Against Tuberculosis Will Be Carried on With Renewed Energy.

As preparations for the 1920 Christmas Seal sale are being made in every county in the state, attention of Minnesotans is centered upon the Double Barred Cross, the emblem of the world-wide fight against tuberculosis, which is eighteen years old today.

To mark this notable "birthday" in the public health movement, the most comprehensive health educational campaign in the history of Minnesota will be conducted during the coming year, officials of the Minnesota Public Health association announced.

A state-wide demand for improved public health legislation will be made by the citizens in every community through their county public health associations, whose work is financed by the sale of Christmas seals and Health Bonds.

The Scarlet Double Barred Cross was originated in October, 1902, by Dr. G. Sersiron of Paris, at the conference of the International Anti-Tuberculosis association. Four years later the cross became the emblem of the National Tuberculosis association in the fight against "white plague" in the United States. Since that year the annual death rate from tuberculosis in this country has steadily decreased.

Minnesota is to raise $250,000 of the national 1920 Christmas Seal fund. County quotas are on the basis of 10 cents per capita. The sale will be conducted in every community in the state between Thanksgiving day and Christmas day.

Drainage Report Completed.

Herbert A. Hard, drainage engineer and flood control commissioner of North Dakota, has submitted to the interior department at Washington his report on the flood situation as it pertains to the Traverse reservoir project. This report has been published by the governmen [illegible] available for perusal in a short time by those interested. In a communication to Daniel Shaw of this city Mr. Hard says that the report is the most complete and comprehensive document dealing with the question ever submitted to the federal authorities.

Recommendations of the New York Federation of Labor Concerning the Education of Apprentices.

The New York State Federation of Labor at its Birminghamton meeting adopted the following report on apprentice training:

It is no longer practical or possible to train the apprentice of today like the all-around mechanic of the past, so the schools, in cooperation with the unions and the employes, must provide the training and information which can not be secured on the job.

As the number of apprentices allowed in any trade or industry is based upon the natural growth and development of the trade, the committee advises local unions to reject any proposals which should be made for shortening the term of the apprentice training on account of attendance in continuation school classes. The purpose and intent of the law is to secure all-around mechanics and to avoid the half-baked variety now being developed in some industries as the result of the intensive competitive production and highly specialized industry.

The organized trades can strengthen their position economically and mechanically by insisting upon this education and trade training in the schools as one of the essential requirements for membership to the end that the work of the unions in cooperating with their employers and the educational authorities may be guided along uniform lines.

The following form of agreement is recommended with whatever changes or modifications will meet with the requirements of the trade and industry:

1. The parties to this agreement hereby pledge themselves to cooperate with the public school authorities to foster the education and vocational training of the apprentices in the ---- trade to the end that each apprentice shall become a thorough mechanic, with the requisite knowledge of the science and physics of the trade; instruction in mechanical drawing, the mathematics and mechanical processes of the trade, and the manipulation of the tools of the trade. Attention

civics, history of the industry, Americanization, and such other subjects as seem proper to develop the technical, moral and patriotic standards that make for good citizenship and sturdy manhood.

2. Apprentices must have reached the age of sixteen years and passed the eighth grade in school before entering the trade. Preference shall be given to boys who have attended---- trade classes in a public vocational school. Apprenticeship shall cover a period of ----years.

3. The----------Employers' Association agrees to allow apprentices four hours off each week with pay to attend a continuation school during the school term.

4. ----------Union will withhold membership in the union from any apprentice failing to attend such continuation school.

5. Attendance shall be for the full term of----years (subject to the approval of the school authorities for shall also be given to the study of

[illegible] tenth and twentieth [illegible]

6. The parties to this agreement shall each nominate two of their [illegible] board to cooperate with the Board of Education on matters affecting the welfare of the apprentice group.

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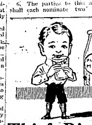

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$5.85

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The famous Utz & Dunn fine Shoes for ladies included in this Sale. These are in the latest style and the very finest workmanship.

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STIRRING CLOSE IS CERTAIN FOR CAMPAIGN HERE

All Parties Will Make Last Appeal to Voters During the Next Few Days.

Workingmen's Nonpartisan League Speaker to Deliver Address on Sunday.

Frank Jeffers Comes Friday and Mrs. Bishop Will Speak Monday Evening.

A last appeal is to be made to the voters of Thief River Falls and vicinity by speakers representing different shades of political opinion during the remaining days of the campaign. Three meetings are scheduled to take place before the voter is finally permitted to use his own judgment and indications are that there will be a rousing response at each session.

The first on the program is Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls, Democratic candidate for congressman. He will be at the Princess theatre on Friday evening for the purpose of discussing the issue from the viewpoint of his platform associates. Mr. Jeffers enjoys a wide acquaintance in this neighborhood, being one of the pioneers of Red Lake county and his old friends as well as many others will be anxious to hear what he has to offer.

Will Address Workingmen.

O. J. Nelson, a speaker for the Workingmen's Nonpartisan organization, will speak at the Princess theatre at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. He appears under the auspices of the Central Labor Union of Thief River Falls, and has been speaking for the candidates endorsed by labor generally all over the state. He is said to be a fine talker and will no doubt be greeted by a capacity house.

While this meeting is in charge of the union men of the city, an invitation is extended to every voter to be present, it being particularly desired that the women turn out. As Mr. Nelson is expected to speak on behalf of the candidates supported by the Farmers Nonpartisan league a large number of that organization in the neighborhood are expected to be on hand.

Mrs. Bishop Closes Here.

The campaign will be closed for the Republicans at the auditorium on Monday night. Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city, and Mrs. Ida Sparks Clark of Cokato, will be the speakers. While Mrs. Bishop has been making addresses for the Republican ticket in other parts of the state for some time, this will be the first opportunity her own townspeople have had of hearing her. Reports from the cities in which she has appeared show that she is regarded as one of the ablest women orators heard in the state this year.

It is expected that D. P. O'Neill, former state senator from this district and now a member of the state board of grain appeals, will also be at the meeting for the purpose of addressing his old neighbors.

NO SALARIES FOR BOARD MEMBERS

Former Action Rescinded at Meeting of Stockholders Held Friday Evening.

The adjourned stockholders meeting of the Pennington County Fair association was held Friday evening in the Commercial club rooms. Owing to action taken at this meeting the association will hereafter be governed by a board of directors empowered to conduct its affairs in accordance with their best judgment, which plan should go to produce a smoothness of action heretofore lacking. It was determined that the board should consist of but seven men, who were elected as follows: President, Herbert Fuller; first vice president, Albert Johnson; second vice president, Fred Beerbauer; treasurer, L. A. Lampert; directors, V. C. Noper, Emil Griebstein and Daniel Shaw.

The stockholders rescinded the action taken at a former meeting whereby additional salaries were voted to officers.

The board of directors will hold its first meeting at the Commercial club rooms this evening at 8:30, at which time action will be taken which should put plans for the coming year well under way.

Frank Jeffers to Speak At Princess Friday Night

Although it is hardly necessary for Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls to come to Thief River Falls in order to acquaint the voters with the fact that he is a candidate on the Democratic ticket for congress, yet he is going to deliver an address at the Princess on Friday evening. Mr. Jeffers is almost as well acquainted here as in his home city and will no doubt be given a pleasant reception. While his chances of election are not of the best, yet Mr. Jeffers has an interesting way of setting forth his views and there is no danger of his hearers finding the meeting dull.

Elks Will Know Election Results Before They Quit

"The Political Hash House and Midnight Elks' Frolic," will be presented for the entertainment of Thief River lodge of Elks as they await the election returns at the Lyceum theatre on Tuesday evening, Nov. 2. The election returns will be furnished through the courtesy of The Times. As is typical of all "Midnight Revues" the doors at the Lyceum will not be opened for the Jolly Elks' official gathering until 11 p. m., but once they are opened—nuff said! Along in the wee hours of the morning of the 3rd, or directly the approximate results of the election are known, a dutch luncheon and stag smoker at the Masonic hall will serve to send both Republican and Democratic Elks to their beds in a pleasant frame of mind.

Local Odd Fellows Join Cantonment at Detroit

A number of the members of Riverside Encampment, I. O. O. F., will go to Detroit next week for the purpose of joining the Cantonment, the highest degree in the order. It is the intention later on to apply for a charter for the uniform rank for Thief River Falls and previous acquaintance with the work will then be very desirable. Those who intend making the trip are: F. C. Dablow, John Gasow, B. F. Umland, V. F. Robarge, Joseph Holmes, Albert Carlson, Ole Hedalen, N. J. Anderson, R. F. Spencer, Arthur R. Berg, Percy Favrow and Albert Stenberg.

SPECIAL TRAIN TO BEMIDJI ON NOV. 11

Elmer J. Eklund Post Will Join Neighbors in Celebrating Armistice Day.

The Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion will hold a meeting at the Thief River Commercial club rooms at 8:30 Friday evening to arrange for a special train to carry them to the Armistice Day celebration at Bemidji. It will require 125 passengers to make up the special train and a round-trip fare of $5.79 will of necessity be charged. Owing to the shortage of railway equipment an advance of eight per cent over the usual rate is required by the railroad, the total cost of chartering a special being $723.81.

Any and all service men, whether members of the legion or not, are cordially invited to make the trip. It is suggested that mothers, wives and sweethearts be urged to accompany members, for Bemidji promises a real time to all who attend the celebration. As the special train can only accomodate 140 passengers, it will be a question of "first come, first served" and it will be well to make reservations early. The train will leave Thief River Falls at 7:30 a. m., Nov. 11th and on its return will leave Bemidji at 12:00 p. m. The Legion post of Bemidji, having taken over charge of all arrangements for the day's mammoth celebration, will send three members to the meeting held here on Friday evening whose purpose will be to invite and induce every former service man to take part in the armistice day festivities.

Up to the present time the Elmer J. Eklund Post of this city, has received very little support or encouragement from the citizens of Thief River Falls and surrounding territory, is the claim made by post officials and they do not expect to make any plans for a local demonstration or celebration on Armistice Day of this year.

Coal Prices Cannot be Definitely Fixed as Yet

It would seem that the price of coal has reached its apex but indications are that it will continue to climb. On Tuesday evening the city council voted to purchase one carload of screened and washed coal from the Minneapolis Bridge company but no definite price could be set. Mr. Helseth, representing the company, states that the grade of coal in question is at present being delivered for $15 per ton and that future cars will undoubtedly be higher in price. The dock companies at Great Lakes ports offer no specific price and seem loath to move any coal now on hand. The dealer or consumer can only put in an order which is filled in its proper turn at the price prevailing at time of loading.

Sectional Educational Meeting at Hazel Hall

There will be a sectional educational meeting held at Hazel hall on Saturday evening, Nov. 30, at 8 o'clock under the auspices of the Teachers' Progressive league in Districts No. 148, 6, 221, 12, 133, 125 and 154. Talks on child welfare, health of the child, school improvement and boys' and girls' work will be given. Lunch will be served and music furnished by the St. Hilaire orchestra. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend this meeting.

Progress at Mavie.

Mavie is fast becoming a thriving village. Rev. E. O. Sabo, formerly of Grygla and now pastor of Lutheran congregations in the towns of Kratka, Highlanding, Silverton and Germantown has settled in the new Lutheran parsonage at Mavie. James Hruby's new bungalow is nearing completion and a short time will see Mr. Hruby and family comfortably installed therein.

LOCAL BANKERS CHOOSE M'GINN FOR PRESIDENT

Thief River Falls Man Will Head Organization During Coming Year.

Many Important Matters Discussed at Annual Meeting Tuesday Evening.

Decide to Finance Sending of Livestock Exhibit to Next State Fair.

The annual convention of the Pennington County Bankers Association was held at the First and Peoples' State bank in this city on Tuesday evening. Twenty-five members, representing the ten banks of the county attended in spite of the fact that the recent rains have left the roads in poor shape for automobile driving. Money conditions, rates of exchange, and many other subjects pertinent to the banking industry were fully discussed and with equal benefit to all who attended. Of the many bankers organizations the county association is undoubtedly the best means to an end in securing the utmost co-operation between the local banks and the banking public.

Farm Topics Chief Interest.

While many subjects were discussed, members of the association were chiefly interested in those pertaining to the development of the dairy resources of the county. They are confident that Pennington will ultimately figure prominently in the history of the dairy industry with the foremost counties of the state.

Great pride was expressed in the strides being made by the county Guernsey Breeders' association and in the fine showing made at numerous state and county fairs during the past season by the animals shown by individual members of that organization. Many ribbons were won for Pennington county both at state and nearby county fairs.

Election of Officers.

Robert McGinn, president of the Farmers' and Merchants' State Bank of Thief River Falls and former vice-president of the organization, was elected president for the ensuing year to succeed H. S. Dahlen. Nick Bundlund, cashier of the Farmers' State bank of Goodridge, was elected to succeed Mr. McGinn as vice-president. Thomas H. Smith, cashier of the Farmers' State bank of Mavie, was re-elected to the office of secretary-treasurer.

Resolution Adopted.

Before adjournment the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, The Pennington County Guernsey Breeders' association and its members individually have met with such success in their efforts to develop pure bred Guernsey herds in Pennington county, and

"Whereas, The Guernsey breeders of Pennington county went to considerable expense and trouble in exhibiting their herds at this year's fairs, and,

"Whereas, The Guernsey cattle exhibited by Pennington county breeders secured first prizes at the following fairs: Norman county fair at Ada, Minn.; Polk county fairs at Crookston and Fertile, Minn.; Pennington county fair at Thief River Falls, Minn.; Grand Forks county fair at Grand Forks, N. D.; and the North Dakota state fair at Fargo, N. D.,

"It is hereby resolved: That the Pennington County Bankers' association express its interest in the efforts of the Pennington County Guernsey breeders and

"That it is the wish of the bankers of the county that the Pennington County Guernsey herds be exhibited at the Minnesota State Fair in 1921 and

"That in order to assist the Guernsey breeders in their efforts to promote interest in better live stock, The Pennington County Bankers' association pledge to defray all the expense in connection with such an exhibit at the Minnesota State Fair."

Holm Not Worried Over His Election Prospects

Judge Mike Holm of Roseau, candidate on the Republican ticket for secretary of state, was in the city for a few hours on Tuesday enroute to the southern counties where he will wind up his campaign. Mr. Holm has been somewhat under the weather during the past few weeks and has not paid much attention to politics. He says the matter is all up to the voters now and that he will have to take his chances. The Judge believes, however, that if the northern section does as well by him as in the primaries, he will be the next secretary of state.

Goodridge to be Scene of Republican Rally Friday

The issues of the campaign from a Republican standpoint will be discussed at Goodridge on Friday evening at a general rally. Miss Effie Hamry and Theo. Quale of this city, will be the speakers. This will probably be the last political meeting to be held in the eastern part of the county before election and it is expected to bring out a good crowd.

THE TIMES INVITES YOU TO BE ITS GUEST AT THE PRINCESS TUESDAY NIGHT

The Times will receive the election returns first on Tuesday night, having made arrangements for the complete Western Union service by special wire. Telegrams from all sections of the country will be flashed on the screen at the Princess theatre after 10:00 o'clock and will also be shown previous to that time at the regular performance at the Lyceum. This service will be maintained all night if necessary.

Besides the returns there will be free moving pictures, The Times publishers having made arrangements with Manager H. A. Brumund to run a special merit program whenever the returns do not come sufficiently fast to keep the crowd interested. There will be something doing every minute.

Results of the national and state election will be received by telegraph while the county returns will be received by telephone from the various precincts as soon as the results are known.

Come to The Times party on election night. The returns received there will be complete and authentic. It's free, moving pictures and all. Come about 10 o'clock as nothing of importance will be obtainable before that time.

WOMAN'S CLUB SPONSORS FINE LYCEUM COURSE

Arrangements Made For Appearance Here of Redpath-Vawter Entertainers.

Five Numbers Will Be Presented, the Date Range Being Nov. 18 to Feb. 22.

Proposal Certain to Meet With Hearty Approval on Part of All Citizens.

A strong campaign will soon be staged by the Woman's club for the sale of season tickets to the lyceum course of five numbers which is assured for Thief River Falls this winter through the efforts of that organization. Mrs. C. A. Nason, secretary of the local club, is completing arrangements for the necessary talent with the Redpath-Vawter management.

The lyceum movement, whose purpose is to bring clean entertainment, high class musical attractions and inspirational speakers from the outside world, has become firmly ingrained as a part of American life and there is hardly a city or town, no matter how small, in any part of the United States which does not boast of at least one well organized lyceum course during the year.

Exceptional Talent.

The Woman's club is to be congratulated upon the talent which has been secured.

The first number, the Redpath Concert orchestra, with Mr. Edward Barrow, tenor, represents one of the feature attractions booked by the Redpath people this winter. The orchestra is composed of artists on the violin, cello, flute, piano and clarinet. Mr. Barrow is associated with the best artists of two continents.

The Elsie Baker company, starring Miss Baker, the celebrated American contralto, will be one of the distinct musical treats brought to this city which could not be obtained in any other way than through a lyceum course. Many people have heard of Miss Baker through her concert records for Victor. With her will appear William Dureaux, well known cellist, together with a pianist of ability.

Dr. J. Q. Robinson will give his noted lecture, "The Face at the Window," for the third number. This lecture receives its title from one of "Ding's" cartoons picturing Bolshevism as a tramp peering into the window of a working man's home, where the mother and children cower in fear of him. Dr. Robinson has crammed the results of a full life-time into this message and he speaks from first-hand information.

Noted Humorist Coming.

The New York Lyrics appear fourth on the program. These lyric singers form one of the distinguished eastern mixed quartets which has made the East the mecca for good things in music. The coming of the

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The Times Adds Another Man to Reportorial Staff

Dan R. Maue, formerly of Monticello, Minn., a young man with considerable experience in every line of the newspaper business, this week joined The Times staff in a reportorial capacity. He is an American Legion man, having been a member of the 151st Artillery during the war. Patrons of the paper will find Mr. Maue a most pleasant and likeable chap and one who will do his best to give any matter entrusted to him the proper amount of attention. The publishers will be thankful for any courtesies extended to him as their representative and otherwise.

STATE OUTCOME IS SUBJECT OF DECIDED DOUBT

Indications Favor Harding's Chances But Governorship is Liable to Be Close.

Cox May Carry Pennington County While Shipstead's Lead Here is Certain.

Remainder of Republican State Ticket Believed Safe, Hilton Excepted.

The political campaign of 1920 will soon be history. On Tuesday the voters will render their verdict and predictions as to what this will be are rife. Most of the prognostications are so palpably biased to conform with the preferences of the prophets that an impartial view is hard to secure. The Times, being an independent non-political newspaper, will briefly state the situation as it appears at this time from an absolutely impartial standpoint.

It is admitted that during the past two weeks there has been a decided swing toward Cox for president, but the Republicans got away to such a fine start and have kept the ball rolling to such admittedly good effect that it is hardly believed possible their opponents can now overcome the lead gained. While nothing in politics is absolutely certain, it looks like a victory for the Republican national ticket at this time.

Harding is by no means certain of carrying Pennington county. The Democrats have put up more of a campaign here than was expected and besides the regular party vote Cox will receive strong support among among those who favor the Nonpartisan state ticket. It is asserted by them that the farmers prefer Cox to Harding and with the heavy labor vote that the former will get in Thief River Falls, the chances of carrying the county are at least as good as those of his opponent.

State Not So Certain.

Minnesota will roll up about the usual majority for the Republican presidential candidate, but the party leaders are not so sure of the outcome as concerns the state ticket. One thing that makes the outlook uncertain is the action of the Democrats. Those who vote that party's ticket will elect the next governor, although he will in all likelihood not be their own candidate. J. A. O. Preus is being hard pressed, it is asserted, and may not make the grade. In this section Henrik Shipstead, the Nonpartisan nominee, is undoubtedly in the lead, while Hodgson, Democratic, will get a good vote. Many are of the opinion that in Pennington county at least Preus will be the third man on the ticket, Shipstead leading by a considerable plurality.

The remainder of the Republican state ticket will undoubtedly be elected with the possible exception of Hilton for attorney general. T. V. Sullivan, running under Nonpartisan auspices, is putting up a telling campaign and much of the effort made by the organization he represents is being expended in his behalf. The Democrats have a candidate of their own this year in the person of R. A. McOuat of Itasca county, and if he polls the entire party vote the result may spell disaster for Hilton. The other candidates on the ticket are in no danger and will undoubtedly all be elected, with L. L. Collins for lieutenant governor, leading in the count.

Steenerson's Fight.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson, as usual, has a fight on his hands. Mr. Steenerson is opposed by N. E. Thormodson, a Nonpartisan adherent running as an independent, who has been making a thorough campaign. Thormodson will carry Pennington and nearly all the other northwestern counties but the southern part of the district is expected to go for the present congressman.

The Nonpartisans expect to increase their strength in the lower house of the legislature. The senate is the same as two years ago and only contains a sprinkling of men elected on that ticket.

The present representatives—M. O. Sortedahl and Walter E. Day—are candidates for re-election in the Sixty-fifth district, composed of Pennington, Red Lake and Clearwater counties. Sortedahl is a regular and Day a Nonpartisan. As a running mate for the former, L. Jensen of Clearwater county, has been making a quiet campaign and will receive a good vote, particularly in his home county. A. J. Hemstad of Red Lake county, will receive the Nonpartisan vote and the indications point to his replacing Sortedahl, while Day will in all likelihood retain his seat.

In the county there are but two officials to be elected—clerk of the district court and judge of probate. For the former position Adolf Eklund has no opposition. The same condition applied to the judge of probate until this week, Lars Backe being the primary nominee without opposition. The situation is now somewhat changed, Peter G. Wold, former county commissioner, having entered the race at the last minute. He will be voted for by stickers or the writing of his name on the ballot and this has always proven a rather cumbersome way to get elected to anything. He is endorsed by the Nonpartisan league in the county, however, and may make the grade.

Switchman's Hand Caught; Four Fingers Amputated

While making up a freight in the Soo yards last night, Switchman Ivo L. Hall, 308 Conley avenue south, suffered a badly crushed right hand. From reports Hall was apparently making an effort to disengage an obstinate coupling preparatory to connecting the car with the remainder of the train when the engine backed slightly, catching and crushing his right hand. The injured man's lantern was extinguished and it was some few moments before his cries for assistance attracted the attention of members of the train crew. He was immediately rushed to the Physicians hospital, where he was attended by the railway surgeons. Amputation of four fingers was necessary, the operation being performed this morning.

Four Provinces Vote Dry; Is Hard on Bootleggers

Four Canadian provinces—Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Nova Scotia, on Monday voted to prohibit the importation of liquor from other provinces. As a result they will be practically "bone dry," the liquor supply having previously been secured through importation. The city of Winnipeg voted wet by a majority of more than 5,800 but the strong rural vote more than overcame this. The vote was taken in accordance with an act of the Canadian parliament which, refusing to interfere with the rights of the provinces to manage their own affairs, provided for provincial plebiscites on the question.

FOSSTON NEXT ON HIGH SCHOOL LIST

Home Team Now Seasoned and Expected to Show Up to Better Advantage.

When the rival teams of Thief River Falls and Fosston clash on the gridiron next Saturday afternoon a hair-curling exhibition may be expected. The local boys fell down terribly when pitted against the Bemidji bunch on Tuesday and are determined that nothing of the kind shall happen again. The game will be called at 3 o'clock.

While it will be impossible for Thief River Falls to gain the head of the class this season there is ample opportunity for finishing near the top. This game with Fosston is one of the hurdles that must be jumped if any kind of a showing at all is to be made and it is certain that every man will go into it to win.

There is considerable interest shown in football this year, the attendance being very good at all the games so far. The team has been playing in hard luck from the start but the jinx should be getting tired of following the outfit around. The lineup looks all to the good and hereafter will no doubt deliver the merchandise.

SEAL SALE STARTS HERE DECEMBER 10

Minimum Quota For Pennington County Has Been Placed at $1200.

"Save your pennies to make the dollars to buy Christmas Seals and Health Bonds and help save the lives of your fellow citizens by stamping out tuberculosis and other deadly diseases."

This is the appeal made by officials of the Pennington County Public Health association and heads of the 1920 Christmas Seal Sale committees. Preparations for the seal sale are underway and the goal of the health fund drive in this county is the largest per capita sale of any county in the state.

The minimum quota for Pennington county is $1200. Efforts of the Christmas Seal Sale committee are centered upon providing such a thorough sales organization and so attracting the enthusiastic attention and support of the public—who receive the benefit from the health work made possible by their contributions—that this county and our city will far exceed their quotas. The determination of officials of the Pennington County Public Health association is to have sufficient funds to so curb disease and reduce the number of deaths that this will be the healthiest county in the state.

The sale of Christmas Seals and Health Bonds will begin here December 1. The intensive selling drive will end December 10. This will be followed by the sale by school children.

Paving Machinery Arrives Ready to Start in Spring

Machinery for the spring paving program is beginning to arrive from the scene of recent activities at St. Paul. Other machinery will soon arrive from points in Canada. The main station of the bitulithic plant will undoubtedly be located adjacent to the siding just west of the Soo freight depot.

Sending Out Ballots.

The number of absentee ballots to be sent out by the county auditor for this election is unusually small, as the total will not exceed 30 or 35. The railroad men are the chief voters via the absentee ballot and it is not known as yet just how many will be requested.

LOCAL GUERNSEY WINS PRIZE AT NATIONAL SHOW

"Ciff," Owned By F. B. Conklin, Takes Fifth Against Best in Country.

Also Winner of Third Award at Big Exposition Held in Waterloo, Iowa.

Grand Champion at Six Different Shows in Minnesota and North Dakota.

Pennington county at the present time occupies a well-defined spot on the livestock map of the United States by reason of the record made by a Guernsey cow owned by F. B. Conklin of this city. "Ciff", the name by which this cow is registered, has been awarded a standing among the best wherever she has been exhibited. Starting out with the grand championship awards at Ada, Crookston, Fargo, Grand Forks, Mankato and Owatonna fairs, she was sent into the most exclusive company to be found in the United States.

Third at Waterloo.

The Waterloo livestock exhibition is one of the most important in the world and nothing but the best has even a chance at position. "Ciff," however, captured third prize in this event and became the most talked-of bovine in four states. At every appearance she was declared by the judges to be the best aged female entry in the Guernsey class and cattle judges of the highest standing, such as Prof. W. A. McKerrow and A. D. Wilson of the university of Minnesota, have no hesitancy in pronouncing her one of the very finest specimens that has come under their notice.

Iowa Cow at the Head.

At the Chicago show Iowa was given first place in state herds, Wisconsin second, Minnesota third and Illinois fourth. There were in the neighborhood of 30 cows entered, many of them raised by millionaires in different parts of the United States merely for show purposes. To be rated near the top of the list in such company is an achievement of which any cow and any district may well be proud.

So much impressed with the excellent qualities of "Ciff" were cattle experts from other sections that she is to remain in Iowa for the present. W. W. Marsh, the millionaire cattle fancier of Waterloo, will breed her free of charge to the champion bull, Cherub Prince. "Ciff" is now in charge of Prof. McKerrow, who will handle her on behalf of the state agricultural department.

Bankers Are Interested.

The Pennington County Bankers association, at the meeting last evening, decided to send a county Guernsey exhibit to the state fair next year. Such action on their part was suggested by The Times when it became apparent that stock of particularly high quality was to be found among Pennington county herds, but the advice was disregarded at that time. The herds of Mr. Conklin, Albert Johnson, H. C. Woolson and Stuart McLeod were particularly mentioned at the bankers' meeting and there are doubtless others in the same class. The herd bull owned by Mr. McLeod, for instance, is without question one of the very best to be found on a farm in the Northwest.

STRIKE OF FARMERS BRINGS WHEAT UP

Advance of Ten Cents in One Day Due to Stoppage of Shipments.

Chicago wheat prices made a sudden advance on Tuesday and trade authorities ascribed as one of the reasons a falling off in offerings from the Southwest apparently due to the farmers' strike. An extreme advance of 10 3-4 cents a bushel took place, December delivery touching $2.10¾ as against $1.99½ to $1.90 3-4 at the previous day's finish.

The strike or stoppage of selling by farmers was announced some time ago by officials of the United States Wheat Growers association as against continued cutting down of prices until it was contended the financial returns to the growers were below the cost of production. Monday was the day set for the strike to begin but no market effects were noticeable until Tuesday.

The exceptional strength which developed in the market Tuesday was encouraged to a considerable extent also by the fact that export buying on a large scale was noticed.

It is estimated that exporters had purchased on that day more than 1,250,000 bushels of American wheat and that Great Britain and France were buying in India, where of late famines have been reported.

Lot Owner Must Pay.

The city council, at the regular meeting on Tuesday evening adopted a resolution whereby the cost of putting in the sanitary sewer connections from laterals to lots will be assessed against the lots in question, such assessments to be incorporated by the county auditor with the regular real estate tax.

LOKEN'S CUT READY-TO-WEAR PRICES TO A FRAZZLE!

Manufacturers, Jobbers and Last But Not Least, Competitors, Yes, Even The Public Is Awed By This Collosal Underselling.

A SALE INCOMPARABLE

OF HIGHEST GRADE OF LADIES', MISSES, and CHILDREN'S WINTER COATS, SUITS, SILK and WOOL DRESSES, FOR EVENING and STREETWEAR; BLOUSES, FURS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS, SILK LINGERIE, ETC. ETC. THE SOUND LOGICAL APPEAL OF THIS GREAT READY-TO-WEAR SALE, will go straight to the hearts of all the WOMEN with sane and economic minds. WE URGE EARLY ATTENDANCE, FOR THIS WONDERFUL and UNUSUAL SAVINGS OPPORTUNITY WILL NEVER OCCUR FOR A LONG TIME TO COME, NO MATTER HOW MARKET CONDITIONS WILL BE IN THE FUTURE. GLANCE AT THE LOW PRICE-QUOTATIONS BELOW. DON'T THEY REMIND YOU OF THE GOLDEN OLD TIMES? MARK OUR WORD! IN MANY INSTANCES PRICES ARE REALLY LOWER THAN IN 1914, Considering the splendid Materials used in these wonderful garments. TRAVELING SALESMEN, who have seen the prices we are quoting for the rapid selling of this stock and who are familiar with how the markets are going, insist that our program is nothing short of a criminal slaughter of merchandise. All we ask you is to PAY US A VISIT EARLY—ACT TODAY!

LADIES' Finest Bolivia, Silvertone and Velour COATS

COATS SHOWN ONLY IN THE BETTER CLASS OF STORES, PRICED FOR QUICK SALE AT

Hudson Seal Plush Coats of highest grades.

All wool Bolivia, Silvertone and Velour, in a wide array of colors as: Navy Blue, Brown, Tan, Burgundy, Heather mixtures. Coats that are well tailored by America's foremost designers. These Coats embracing fashion's latest creations, range in a class by itself.—ALL SIZES.

$55.00

All of these Coats are full fancy silk lined, fur trimmed, convertable collars are a great feature adding great attractiveness. These Coats were formerly priced $75.00 to $85.00 Down they go to ______ $55.00

LOKEN'S MAIN FLOOR

MOSTLY NEW COATS THAT JUST ARRIVED FROM NEW YORK CITY IN THIS HANDSOME COLLECTION.

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$60.00 and $65.00 LADIES' COATS NOW AT ______ $39.95

Here is a great Coat valule, which will meet the big demand for medium priced coats. You'll find: Salts Sealette Plush, Printzess makes, full sols satin lined, also Silvertones and Bolivias, full silk lined. These wonderful coats now at, only ______ **$39.95**

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$70.00 and $72.50 LADIES' COATS NOW AT ______ $49.95

Indeed these Coats are worth your inspection. There's nothinig "cheap" about it but the price! The very best Ladies' tailors showed their skill to its full extent. Handsomely trimmed with large buttons; a big feature is also the large collar fitting snugly around the neck. Priced at, only ______ **$49.95**

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BLOUSES

We Carry by Far the finest Line of Silk Blouses. Prices here mean substantial saving

$12.50 to $25.00 BLOUSES	$18.50 val. BLOUSES	$25.00 val. BLOUSES
Splendidly made; all wanted colors, now at, only	Georgette Crepes Hand embroidered. Yours at only	heavily beaded, Hand embroidered; extremely beautiful. Now at only
$9.95	$13.95	$19.95

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Ladies' Stylish New All-wool Fine Serge Dresses

Direct from New York City. A wonder value at only ______ $18.50

LITTLE DID WE THINK A MONTH AGO WE WOULD BE ABLE TO OFFER SUCH A REMARKABLE VALUE. ONE OF OUR MANUFACTURERS, INFORMED ABOUT OUR TREMENDOUS SALE, Sent us and wrote us to CUT LOOSE with THE BIGGEST DRESS OFFER OF THE SEASON. These fine dresses comprise a selection of a few of the niftiest and finest All Wool Navy Blue Serge Dresses shown this season. Please hurry if you want one at ______ **$18.50**

SILK PETTICOATS

Silk Jersey PETTICOATS Worth double	Silk Jersey PETTICOATS Diamond Soptted $8.50 val.
$3.95	$4.95

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THE MOST SKEPTICAL and DISCRIMINATING WOMEN will be pleased to find here Wool and Silk Dresses to satisfy their taste, and the prices are lower than you have to pay for cost of material alone.

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One Lot of SILK DRESSES—Taffeta, Georgette, Crepe, Crepe de Chene, up to $35.00 val. sacrificed now to ______ **$15.00**

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Excellent Children's Coat Values

CHILDREN'S FINEST WINTER COATS

Sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14, made of Silvertone, Velour and Chinchilla. These are all brand new Coats:

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Sizes 3 to 8 years. Chinchilla, Black Plush, Velours, Corduroys and Silvertones—the very finest and newest styles:

$6.95 Coats for	$5.00
$8.50 Coats for	$7.25
$7.95 Coats for	$6.10
$10.00 Coats now	$7.65

And one big lot finest school girls' Coats, were marked $12.50, now going for **$9.85**

(Loken's Main Floor.)

Children's Dresses

Children's Gingham DRESSES—New and neat Plaids. Sizes 2 to 6. Val. $1.85 to $2.00. Now at ______ **$1.39**

Little Sister Wash DRESSES—Fine Ginghams, Chambrays. Sizes 2 to 6. $2.50 val. Now at ______ **$1.69**

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Little Girls' MIDDIES of best white Sea Island Cotton. Values $2.00 to $2.50. Sizes 2 to 10. Now ______ **$1.69**

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SILKS TAKE ANOTHER TUMBLE

40 in. Pussy Willow **TAFFETA** All colors; also white Crepe de Chene Silk. $5.00 val. Down they go to, per yard **$2.69**

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Mechanic's Shirts with 2 collars to match in blue polka dot and plain blue, Union Made, McDonald brand. Reg. $3.00 val. Sale price **$2.45**

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Boys' Suits, sizes 8 to 18, in fine cloth and Corduroy, $14.00 and $15.00 Suits. Your unrestricted choice, now at ______ **$11.85**

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Many dozens of Men's Caps to choose from, all at great reductions

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All kinds of extra fine Underwear; Union and 2-piece Suits. The very best of Merino wool and silk and wool; also pure all wool worsteds, $2.00 to $8.00 values priced for quick riddance at

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A wonderful line of pure wool, also wool mixture Sweaters, values from $6.00 to $12.50, now on sale at

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Men's fine brown Cordo Calf Dress Shoes, $10 and $12 values **$7.95**

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FLOCKING TO THE CITIES.

Of the 105,683,108 persons enumerated in the fourteenth census, preliminary tabulations show that 54,816,209 or 51.9 per cent are living in incorporated places of 2500 inhabitants or more, and 50,866,899, or 48.1 percent, are living in rural territory. In other words, during the ten year period covered there has been an increase in the urban population of 12,192,826 as compared with an increase of only 1,519,016 for rural territory. But the showing for the farming districts is even worse than this. If the comparison is extended to cover the two classes of rural territory it appears that the portion living in incorporated places of less than 2500 inhabitants shown an increase of 1,745,271 or 21.5 per cent, whereas that portion living in purely country districts shows an actual decrease of 227,255, or six-tenths of one per cent.

It is time the American people stopped and gave a thought to what this tendency will eventually mean. Ten years ago the rural or what is termed the farming population was about 7,000,000 million more than the urban or city population. During the decade the cities have grown about seven times as fast as the country districts. In plain English this simply means that the force of producers has been greatly reduced while the army of consumers has been more than correspondingly augmented.

A more serious situation could hardly exist and there is but one way to change it. The farmer's lot will have to be made more attractive. He will have to be assured a better profit for his produce or he will quit raising the food for the maintenance of our population. Even now it is predicted that the United States will have to import food, a condition not thought possible a few years ago. If the movement from the farm contiues the situation is bound to grow worse, and the movement will continue unless something is done to make the farmer's lot more agreeable and his toil more remunerative. He cannot be expected to feed the nation and receive therefor only enough to provide a bare livelihood. He wants some of the comforts and luxuries of life. He sees the city man drawing what to him looks like enormous wages for working at a pleasant task for eight hours a day and he compares the returns he receives—barely enough for his needs while he works twice as long and three times as hard. He grows dissatisfied and takes his chances in the city, figuring that personally he can be no worse off while the lot of his wife and children will be greatly improved. Very often—generally, in fact—he is mistaken in his views but he holds them nevertheless, and nearly everything he sees and hears confirms him in his attitude.

Instead new blood filling up the waste places and making them bring forth the food supplies necessary to feed the nation, the experienced farmer is moving off the improved farm and going to town. There can be but one outcome—the swelling of the consuming army and the crippling of the supplying agency.

The great question confronting the United States at this time is how to get more people onto the farms. Good roads, improved social advantages, better schools—these things will help but none will solve the problem. The only thing that will again make farming attractive is to so arrange matters that there will be a profit for the farmer in following the business.

HOW WILL THE FARMER VOTE?

There is no denying the fact that the Nonpartisan League vote is going to cut a big figure in the election on Tuesday, particularly in the Dakotas and Minnesota. This applies to state offices only, the league not having officially endorsed a candidate for the presidency.

Such being the case there is naturally considerable speculation as to how the members will vote when it comes to the national ticket. That any considerable number will return to the party with which they were affiliated before the Nonpartisan league was in the field is not likely, the indication being rather that past party lines will be ignored almost entirely. In this connection it is interesting to note what one of the leading Nonpartisan papers of the state, the Polk County Leader, has to say on the subject. It will be noted that care is taken to avoid any direct expression of preference:

"How will the Nonpartisan League farmers vote for president?

"Many observers profess to believe that the League vote will be cast for Harding because of dislike for Wilson. But Wilson is not a candidate. Personally, this editor does not see how any man progressive enough to belong to the Nonpartisan League can vote for Harding.

"A protest vote, such as we all would like to cast, is practically barred because the name of Christensen, farmer-labor candidate for president, is not on the Minnesota ballot. Few of us will vote for Debs, no matter how much we sympathize with the man. The Prohibition candidate will not get many votes because prohibition is a dead issue.

"It is an interesting problem. Should the Nonpartisan League vote go to Cox in any great numbers, and the Democrats poll a normal vote, Minnesota would swing into the Democratic column. And there are worse possibilities in store with Republican control of the federal government.

"The caliber of the Republican leaders in Polk county and in Minnesota are not such as to command the confidence of independent voters. We do not for the life of us see how Nonpartisan Leaguers can support the Republican ticket when that means bolstering up the power of the very men and interests which are making such an unscrupulous fight against their organization in this state.

"Taking no part in national politics, the Nonpartisan League and its publications have remained silent. One thing that may have influenced them is the fact that Hodgson is so much stronger a candidate than Preus that advocacy of Cox might hurt Shipstead. But Minnesota farmers are intelligent enough to vote a mixed ticket. There is no good reason why Leaguers cannot support Cox for president and Shipstead for governor.

"It is up to the membership to vote their own convictions. It will be interesting to note just what departures the electorate of Minnesota has made from partisan politics when election results are known."

THE PEACETIME SLACKER.

Any American citizens who fails to cast his or her vote on Tuesday next will have no complainit to make if things are not run in accordance with what they consider the best interests of the country and state in the trying time that is liable to be ahead of us. Failure to take sufficient interest in the persons and policies by which we will be guided for some time shows a lack of the qualities absolutely necessary in the best class of citizenry. Voting is not only a privilege, but also a duty one owes to himself and the nation.

Governor Lowden of Illinois, in a recent speech said that the person who fails to vote is a peace-time slacker, and he was right. The man or woman who is too busy or too indolent to attend to this important matter is not placing a very high value upon citizenship. In but rare instances is an excuse for failure presented that is sufficiently good to be acceptable.

The party or person for whom you cast your vote is not so important. The Times has sufficient faith in the stability of American institutions to feel that things will not go to the dogs no matter who is elected. The issues have been discussed in one form or another for months. The candidates and their attitude towards the big questions now confronting the people are well known. Every person will vote for the things considered best for the present and future welfare of the country. Opinions will differ as to the policies to be pursued, but this is inevitable and even desirable.

Go to the polls on Tuesday and express your preference by means of the ballot. The only time the ballot is not officatious in the United States is when it is not used.

ONE THING TO REMEMBER.

According to all reports, two of the present Minnesota congressmen are going to have the fight of their lives on their hands next Tuesday. One is Halvor Steenerson of the Ninth and the other Harold Knutson of the Sixth. Both are hard pressed by their Nonpartisan League opponents.

The situation in these two districts is somewhat different because of the legislation pending of particular interest to the people residing there. In the Ninth as well as in the northwestern part of the Sixth district the subject of drainage holds a large share of the people's attention and these two congressmen have been very active in promoting this work. To their efforts is due the fact that a survey has been made of the Red Lake river with a view to improving that stream so as to prevent floods and conserve power. It is certain that the re-election of Steenerson and Knutson will help this matter along much faster than is possible in case others are chosen in their stead.

It does not look like a particularly good time to change congressmen for either the Sixth or Ninth district. Steenerson and Knutson stand high with their party and even though the next house should be Democratic they will still carry a great deal more weight than would new men. These are things that the voter should take into consideration. No matter how strongly he may support the program of another political organization as a general proposition he has his own interests to consider and it certainly looks as if these would be best served by the re-election of the present representatives.

THIS MEANS ALL OF US.

Committees in all of the northwestern Minnesota counties are busily engaged in securing their respective county quotas for the Red River Valley live stock pavilion owned by 1500 members in eleven counties. When they come to see you, give them a lift, as a boost for live stock is of benefit to all farmers and townspeople as well. Twenty thousand dollars will be raised which will place the association out of debt, giving its members a substantial group of buildings that cost $70,000.

GOOD ROADS

- —save time
- —lower rents
- —improve schools
- —shorten distances
- —spread prosperity
- —build up churches
- —add travel comforts
- —make good citizenship
- —afford all-year going
- —raise property values
- —prove good investments
- —attract summer tourists
- —cut the cost of living
- —speed general development
- —save automobile expenses
- —upbuild better communities
- —reduce transportation costs
- —hasten rural express service
- —mean good wages and good times
- —bring many benefits to everyone
- —cost less than poor, rough roads

VOTE "YES" FOR AMENDMENT NO. 1

GOOD THING ALL AROUND.

If someone came along and offered to give the state of Minnesota ten million dollars worth of the best highways in the country every year for a period of ten years without increasing the taxes of the general run of citizens one cent, would anyone oppose such gift? Of course someone would have to pay for these roads, but suppose again that the people upon whom the burden would fall were willing to assume it and figured that they would be money ahead by so doing—then and in that case, who would be found in opposition?

That is exactly what Amendment No. 1 proposes to do. The state will have ten million dollars to expend for main thoroughfares, leaving the money collected through the one-mill tax and received from other sources to be applied to local highways. The money needed will be raised by a tax on automobiles, nothing in the way of direct taxation being necessary in order to carry out this great enterprise.

The farmer will be the principal gainer. His automobile, if he owns one at all, is generally of lower horsepower than the large pleasure cars found in the cities and as the tax is levied according to horsepower the latter will bear the heavier burden. In fact, under the Babcock law the cities will pay by far the greater share of roads which will benefit the farmer most. On the other hand the saving in gasoline, tires and general upkeep made possible by reason of the improved thoroughfares will more than cover the extra tax for the city man and he is consequently ahead of the game also.

No better plan for securing hard-surfaced roads has ever been presented. It is so arranged that those best able to pay will carry the heaviest part of the burden.

Vote for all the amendments on the pink ballot, but whatever you do, make a cross mark after No. 1. Do your share to help lift Minnesota out of the mud.

THE LITTLE LIFE-SAVER.

Within a few days a young lady of your acquaintance is going to call on you with the request that you purchase a sheaf of pretty little pictures about the size of a postage stamp. She gets nothing for selling these stamps and in doing the work simply to help a good cause. That also is the reason why you will buy them. The intention is that these little emblems shall be stuck onto the back of letters, parcels, Christmas presents, etc., but whether or not they are put to any such use is immaterial. The main consideration is the one cent they represent.

Pennington county this year is asked to buy $1200 worth of Christmas Seals to help in the fight against tuberculosis. This is ten cents per head for every man, woman and child in the county. The sum is not large, but as there will be a considerable number overlooked when the sale is being made it will be necessary for a lot of good fellows to come across to an extent considerable greater than the established quota. You are one of these.

A winning fight is being waged against man's most relentless enemy—tuberculosis—by the use of these little seals. Wonderful progress toward the irradication of the disease has been made during the past few years and the pennies represented by the little stamp have made the fight possible. In no other way can the sum necessary for carrying on the crusade be secured with so little effort, nor can the cost be more equitably distributed. We are all interested in the campaign and all are given a chance to help.

No matter how tired we may be of "drives" or solicitations for funds, here is one campaign we should be glad to stand for.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

If you don't vote don't holler if the wrong man wins.

Eatables are sliding down, and life would gallop along like a song if wearables and burnables would do the same.

One nice thing about lady suffrage is that if the wrong man wins you can blame it on your wife.

Scotland is going to vote on prohibition. Imagine a lad who pronounces it "whuskey" voting an ice water ticket.

Some lads kick because the farmers want $3 for wheat, but the same lads will pay $20 to a bootlegger for rye without a murmur.

The law says that doors on voting booths must be far enough from the floor to expose the legs of the voters to the knees. Horrors, with lady suffrage here too!

Some of the city hunters, who come up here for the big game season will be safe as long as the moose are not provided with ladders.

If paper suits come into fashion we know a couple of lads that we are going to give suits of underwear made of fly paper for Christmas presents.

If Amendment No. 1 fails Minnesota will be staked to two kinds of roads—bad roads, and worse roads. If it passes we will get good roads and better roads.

A Canadian paper in denying that they dislike Americans puts it this way. "Canadians dislike the kind of Americans that Americans dislike."

An architect says that no house should contain fewer than six rooms. He's right. Any family requires that much room to quarrel in.

The opposition says that Amendment No. 1 will benefit only certain classes. Sure. The only classes to be benefited are men, women and children.

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MR. FARMER—

Harding, the re-actionary candidate of the Republicans voted against fixing the price of wheat at $2.26, which was insisted on by President Wilson. Harding maintained that the farmer who made such demand was unpatriotic and next thing to a profiteer.

MR. BUSINESSMAN—

Gov. Cox stands for a square deal in business. He is owned by no interest except that representing all the people of the United States. He is himself a successful businessman and understands the movements of this important class. A glance at his record proves this.

MR. WORKINGMAN—

Gov. Cox is endorsed by the American Federation of Labor; by the workingmen of Ohio and practically every labor organization in the country. His record as governor is full of instances proving his sympathy with the man who works. He has been responsible for more laws in favor of the worker than any other governor in the United States.

MADAM VOTER—

Senator Harding voted and spoke against the prohibition amendment 30 times and only twice for it. He opposed Woman's Suffrage until it became evident that it would pass without his vote. He boasts of being a believer in compulsory military training. He is opposed to the United States joining a League of Nations to prevent war.

Harding has consistently upheld and defended every reactionary policy proposed during the past twenty years. Cox has espoused and defended every progressive movement in state and nation during the same time. A vote for Cox is a vote for peace and continued prosperity.

City News

Miss Dorothy Loen, who teaches at Trail, arrived here Friday evening to attend the U. C. T. dance.

Mrs. Clarence Pope and little son, left Friday morning for a visit with Mrs. I. Iverson at Badger.

Mrs. N. J. Silk, Mrs. J. O. Yotter and Mrs. Gilhausen left Wednesday night for a few days visit with their friends in the cities.

Mrs. Leroy Tolland departed Wednesday evening for Minneapolis where she was called because of the serious illness of a relative.

Saturday Specials

eaberry Coffee, 40c val. per lb.	32c
io Coffee, 28c value, per lb.	21c
ancy Cookies, per lb.	30c
iffy Jell, 4 pkgs. for	55c
ancy Black Cod Salt Fish, per lb.	17c
Corn Flakes, per pkg.	12c

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Veal Stew per lb.	13c
Veal Shoulder per lb.	18c
Veal Chops per lb.	20c
Veal Leg per lb.	25c
Beef Ribs per lb.	12c
Beef Chuck per lb.	16c
Beef Rib roast per lb.	18c
Sirloin Steak per lb.	23c
Round Steak per lb.	21c
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Miss Laura Hanson of Grafton is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hanson this week.

Art Sorum came down from Holt on Friday to visit friends and also attend to business matters.

Major Firth of Minneapolis was the guests of Sergeant J. Hickson between trains on Friday evening.

Miss Carrie Schneider of Wales, N. D., arrived here on Thursday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Big dance at the Mavie hall, Election night, Tuesday Nov. 2nd. Good music. Good time assured all. o28

Mrs. H. Grondahl of Holt spent Friday in the city receiving medical treatment and also visiting with her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Davidson returned to their home at Holt on Tuesday after visiting with friends in this city for a few days.

Mrs. Sophie Severson returned Friday evening from Kerrobert, Sask., where she spent eight months visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Thos. Rowan and son Thos. Jr., were guests of friends at Warren on Thursday, going over in the morning and returning in the evening.

Miss Ellen Blomquist visited with friends here over Sunday enroute to Middle River from Warren where she attended the Teachers' Convention.

O. Johnson returned to his home at Mahnomen on Friday evening, after spending a brief time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Erickson.

Mrs. Fred Peterson who visited with friends at Warren for a few days, was an over night guest of friends here enroute to her home at Holt.

Miss Anna Erickson of Holt returned to her home the latter part of last week after visiting at the home of her uncle Gust Erickson since Monday.

Mrs. T. Severson who had spent a few days visiting at the home of her friend, Mrs. A. Johnson here, returned on Tuesday morning to her home at Holt.

Miss Inga Thune who spent a few days visiting her sister Miss Alma, who is attending Aaker's Business college at Grand Forks, returned to here on Monday.

If the boy who found a pair of brown fleece-lined gloves on the race-track at the Fair Grounds will return them to the Times office he will receive a reward. 94p

Mrs. Hans Furr, who had spent a few days here as the guest of her daughters, Mesdames Leonard and Arthur Johnson, returned to her home at Holt on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Johnson, who is employed at Duluth and who is at present spending her vacation with her parents who reside at Holt, spent Thursday attending to shopping.

Oscar Lavin, forest ranger, of Warroad, came down from the latter place on Thursday and was met at this point by Dick Williams of Shilling, and together transacted business.

Misses Charlotte and Ida Sovde arrived here Friday evening from Warren where they had attended the teachers' convention for three days. They left Saturday morning for their respective schools at Greenbush and Holt.

Mrs. John Storholm left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit relatives for a short time.

Cor. J. Freisen and family of Mead, Kan., were guests of friends in this city the latter part of last week.

H. A. Nordahl of Fergus Falls was in the city Friday attending to matters of business and also visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Meyers of Great Falls, Mont., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermonson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Baugh and family motored down from Warren on Sunday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Erickson.

E. L. Hill of McIntosh, arrived Friday evening for a brief visit with his friends and also attended the U. C. T. dance given in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermanson returned on Tuesday morning from Halstad where they visited with relatives and friends over Sunday.

Mrs. J. Stone of Warren passed through this city on Thursday on her way to Baudette where she will spenit a couple of weeks visiting friends.

Mrs. Wm. Funnel and baby daughter Joyce, returned to their home at Glenwood after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers.

J. A. Grindeland, state oil inspector residing at Warren, accompanied by his wife, motored here yesterday and spent a short time as guests of O. R. Smith.

Mrs. A. Williamson left Wednesday evening for Ellsworth, Wis., where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney returned on Thursday morning from a two week's vacation spent in visiting with relatives at International Falls and Grand Forks.

Wm. Erickson and Mr. Teirow of Red Lake Falls were among those from out of town who attended the U. C. T. dance at the Auditorium on Friday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Perdzock who has been visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein, returned to her home at Wisconsin Rapids the latter part of last week.

James Walker, civil engineer, returned Saturday evening from a business trip to Hallock. On the previous morning he returned from Pine River where he spent a few days on business.

Having secured the agency for the World's Star hosiery and underwear, (Mrs. C. Shay's line) I will be pleased to call and display samples upon request. Mrs. Gray, 313 Bridge street. o28

Mrs. Ole Kiisl of Cambridge, Sask., visited with friends here the first of the week enroute to Greenbush and Badger where she will spend an indefinite period with relatives and friends.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire, visited with friends here on Friday evening, enroute from Warren, where she attended the teachers' institute, to Middle River where she teaches school.

Mrs. R. L. Olson of Holt passed the first of the week here receiving dental treatment. While in the city she was the guest of Mrs. Ole Knutson. She returned to her home yesterday morning.

E. F. Ohm left Sunday night for St. Paul to attend a meeting of the legislative board of the Brotherhood Railway Trainmen, being the delegate from the local organization. He will return Friday morning.

Miss Florence Aalberg passed the week-end visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg. She returned to Erskine on Sunday evening where she is employed as instructor of domestic science in the high school.

W. C. Hartje, prosperous farmer residing southwest of this city, left Saturday evening for Austin where he will spend a short time visiting his parents before leaving for California where he will remain during the winter months.

Mesdames A. S. Sapero, T. A. Rowan and Geo. Biddick motored to Warren on Tuesday in the former's car and spent the day visiting with Mrs. Scott Laird, who is a patient at the hospital there. Mrs. Rowan continued to Argyle where she visited with her friends before returning to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist left the latter part of last week for Alexandria where the latter remained for a visit with her parents, while Mr. Dalquist continued to Forest City, Ia., to visit with relatives. At the conclusion of their visits they will meet in St. Paul and return to their home in this city.

Mrs. P. B. Larson arrived here on Monday evening from Kensington, and was the guest of friends overnight, leaving the following morning for Holt where she will attend to the packing of her household goods preparatory to moving to Kensington. Mrs. Larson's husband, whose death occurred recently, was buried at that place.

Misses Nettie and Stella Lansetter arrived here Friday morning from Hannah, N. D., where they have been employed during the summer and were guests of their sister, Miss Esther, who attends the local high school, and also of their cousin, Mrs. O. A. Naplin, until the following morning when they returned to their home at Gatzke to remain this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Bergren have as their visitors this week, Mr. and Mrs. I. Mounson of White River, Ont., Canada. Mr. Mounson and Mrs. Bergren are sister and brother and have not seen each other since their departure from Sweden twenty-nine years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Mounson also visited with their nieces, Mrs. E. DeVelling and Mrs. M. LaSalle. They will return to their home on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Mounson state that they are very favorably impressed with Minnesota and express intentions of returning to this state to make their home in the near future.

Mrs. Fred Soderberg of St. Hilaire attended to shopping in this city on Monday.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton spent the first of the week in Minneapolis on business connected with the Red Cross.

Miss Marie Lindberg of Adams, accompanied by her sister Valida, of Oklee, spent Friday and Saturday in this city on a shopping expedition.

Miss Victoria Johnson of Holt left this city Tuesday evening for the Twin Cities where she will spend a week or two visiting with friends.

Milton Fowler came down from his farm near Rollis on Monday afternoon to spend a few days visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Mrs. John Sear of Blackduck arrived here Tuesday morning to attend the funeral services of her mother, Mrs. Swanson, held on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Sarah Johnson returned to her home at Strandquist on Tuesday evening after spending a short time in this city and vicinity as the guest of friends.

Miss Ruvella Leslin of Goodridge visited with friends here Tuesday. She left on the flier in the evening for St. Paul where her parents will reside in the future.

I. Gjerstad returned to his home at Beltrami Monday afternoon, having come here to attend the funeral services of Mrs. A. Miller, formerly Miss Cora Finberg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Loveid of Middle River arrived here Monday afternoon for a brief visit at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. G. Ward and with her father, Lars Backe.

Miss Jennie Rud was the guest of friends her on Monday enroute from Viking where she had spent a few days visiting her parents, to Crookston where she is engaged in nursing.

Mrs. A. Steen and Mrs. Marie Walmafer, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haider at Rosewood, left this city on Monday afternoon for their home at Fisher.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned the latter part of last week from New York City where she had spent a week visiting with friends and relatives. She also spent a couple of days in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds, head of the art department at Loken's spent the first of the week in the twin cities accumulating suggestions and ideas for her work. While in the cities she visited with numerous friends.

Roscoe Bakke, who is a student at the University of North Dakota, spent the week-end visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bakke. He returned to Grand Forks to resume his studies on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Roen and family left Monday evening for Lake Park to attend the funeral services of the former's brother. They will also spend a brief time visiting with relatives before returning to their home here.

Judge Mike Holm of Roseau, republican candidate for Secretary of State, stopped off at this point on Monday to visit between trains with his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Erickson. He left on the flier for St. Paul that evening.

Mrs. John Meyer and daughter Esther, arrived here Monday afternoon from their farm home near Steiner to visit at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Percy Lamb. Mrs. Meyer returned to her home the following morning while Esther remained.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dybvik motored down from Alexandria Friday with the former's father, B. G. Walker, who visited his daughter a few days. They returned to their home on Monday morning. Mrs. Dybvik wil stop off at Badger to visit with friends for a day or so.

Miss Leona Knox of Fisher was the guest of her sister, Mrs. McFarland, over the week-end. Previous to her visit here she had attended the convention at Warren. Miss Knox returned to the above mentioned place Sunday evening via the Soo, to be on hand Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Booren, accompanied by Scott Laird and H. B. Whittier of Stillwater, motored to Warren on Sunday to visit with Mrs. Laird, who is in the hospital at that place. They found her recovering very nicely from her recent operation. Mr. Whittier left for St. Paul from the latter place that evening while the rest of the party returned to this city.

Misses Minnie Swenson and Millie Setesdahl left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to seek employment.

Mrs. Mary Jevne of Strathcona was in the city the first of the week receiving chiropractic treatments. She returned to her home yesterday.

Miss Anna Johnson arrived here Tuesday afternoon from Roseau to attend to some shopping. While in the city she was the guest of Mrs. A. Risberg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Urness returned to their home at Grand Forks on Tuesday afternoon after attending the funeral services of their neice, Mrs. A. Miller.

Mrs. John Dablow returned Monday evening from Blackduck where she and her aged mother, "Grandma" Swanson went a week previous to visit relatives. While there Mrs. Swanson had a stroke of paralysis which proved fatal. Funeral services were held in this city yesterday.

Mrs. D. P. O'Neill arrived Monday evening from St. Paul for a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Connelly. She will return to her home the first of next month when her daughter, Miss Phonsie, who is engaged in teaching school at Jackson will be a guest of her mother while attending the N. E. A. held in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Albert Johnson, who has been absent from the city for a month or more, returned on Monday evening. During her absence she visited relatives at various places in the state of Illinois. She was also a guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Noper, at Good Hope, Ill. Mrs. Noper will be better remembered by local people as Miss Blanche Johnson, whose marriage occurred in September.

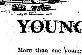

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Our first car of the famous Fulton County Coal will be in Thief River Falls within ten days. This is the first time that this famous coal has been offered north or west of Minneapolis.

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Minneapolis Bridge Co.
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

¶The second half of the real estate taxes for the year 1919 must be paid on or before November 1, 1920 or a penalty of ten per cent will be attached.

John Gullinsgrud,
County Treasurer

Special Reductions for 10 days AT OEN'S

10 per cent off

on all silks, worsteds, cretonne goods, sheeting, tubing, outing flannel, hose, yarn, flannel night gowns.

20 per cent off

on underwear, coverall aprons, children's dresses, underwear, georgette waists, blankets and auto robes.

OEN'S

APPLES! APPLES!

People of Thief River Falls have opportunity to get Eastern Apples at very Reasonable Prices

We will have a special supply of these fine apples at Ramstad's Barn where the farmers may secure them. Take advantage of this opportunity to lay in your supply of winter apples.

FOSSTON DEFEATED IN GOOD CONTEST

City Team Gives Excellent Account of Itself in First Contest of Season.

The Thief River Falls city team proved too much for the Fosston aggregation on the gridiron last Sunday afternoon and as a result the down state team went home with the short end of a 13 to 0 score.

Weather conditions were ideal for football and the fans enjoyed a fast, snappy game. Both teams were about evenly matched as to weight but Thief River Falls showed much better team work and their shifty backfield was too much for the Fosston line to stand against.

The game started with the locals defending the east goal. Fosston kicked off to Thief River Falls on the 30 yard line. A series of line smashes, end runs and forward passes carried the ball down the field and well into Fosston territory in a few minutes of play, Holzknecht, Hermanson and Guy Johnson carrying the ball. Fosston then held for downs and secured the ball. A forward pass and two line plunges failed to net the visitors any gain and they were forced to punt. The ball went out of bounds and was put in play by the locals on the 30 yard line. Holzknecht, Hermanson and Perry Johnson each circled left end for five yard gains and then Thief River Falls was penalized 15 yards for holding.

Hadrath Blocks Kick.

On the next play the locals fumbled the ball but recovered it. A forward pass failed and on the next play Thief River punted, Fosston catching the ball on their 40 yard line with no return. Fosston then attempted to punt but the kick was blocked and Hadrath fell on the ball for Thief River Falls on Fosston's 15 yard line. The first quarter ended here.

Locals Score Touchdown.

With the opening of the second Thief River kicked off to Fosston's for 5 yards. A line plunge failed to gain and a forward pass was incomplete. Fosston then held for downs. On the first play they punted to the 30 yard line. Guy Johnson then proceeded to rip Fosston's line to pieces by one smash after another with Hermanson, Perry Johnson and Holzknecht each adding a few yards. From the 5 yard line, Guy Johnson went over for a touchdown. Hermanson failed at goal. Score: Thief River Falls 6, Fosston 0.

Kick Returned Five Yards.

Thief River kiced off to Fosston's 10 yard line and the visitors returned the ball 5 yards. Two line plays and a forward pass failed and Fosston was forced to kick. The locals returned the kick to the 35 yard line. A fumble was recovered by the locals but two attempted forward passes failed and the first half ended with the score 6 to 0.

Locals Score Again.

Fosston started the second half strong. The locals fumbled the ball on the kickoff and Fosston recovered the ball. A forward pass gained 15 yards. Two attempts at the line failed and an attempted forward pass was incomplete. On the next play Fosston was thrown for a loss of 10 yards and Thief River secured the ball on downs. In a series of line plunges and end runs Thief River took the ball straight down the field for their second touchdown, Guy Johnson going over the line. This quarter was featured by a 25 yard end run by Holzknecht. Perry Johnson kicked goal. Score: Thief River Falls 13, Fosston 0.

No scoring was done in the last quarter and the game ended 13 to 0 in favor of Thief River Falls.

The locals lined up as follows:

LaBree, center; Haug, right guard; Erickson, left guard; Adolph, right tackle; Hadrath, right end; Bennett, left end; Holzknecht, quarter; Hermanson, right half; Guy Johnson, left half; Perry Johnson, fullback; McGinn replaced Hermanson at right half in the last half.

WOMAN'S CLUB SPONSORS FINE LYCEUM COURSE

(Continued from page 1.)

four vocalists and a pianist will be one of the high water marks in music in this city.

Strickland W. Gillilan, as the American platform's greatest humorist, will furnish the last number of the course. Mr. Gillilan writes most of his poems on smoking cars and in hotel lobbies—real poems, too— as often full of pathos and tender sentiment as they are of the smile-inducing sort. He is a "just plain folks" sort of person. Most so-called humorists would readily pass for undertakers or professors of archeology, but Strickland Gillilan not only looks like a comedian—he is one.

Dates Sheduled For City.

The above named entertainers will appear in Thief River Falls in the order mentioned on the following dates: November 18, December 1, December 15, January 26 and February 22. Residents of the city and surrounding territory, who are conscious of the need of some of the good things in the way of uplift and entertainments, will do well to keen these dates oped for numbers of the course. The price of season tickets will be well within the reach of all. Adult season tickets will be sold for $2 for the five numbers and children's season tickets for children 11 years old and under for $1.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers State Bank of Mavie

OF MAVIE AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 6th, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$65,758.00
Overdrafts		123.07
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		1,550.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		4,856.62
Other Real Estate		5,277.21
Due from other Banks	$ 4,572.70	
Cash on hand:		
Currency	$1,505.00	
Silver	68.60	
Other	59.71	
Total Cash Assets		6,236.01
Checks and Cash Items		10.28
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		1,405.85
Paid Taxes on other real estate		101.70
Total		$ 88,393.81

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		435.28
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		8,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 28,335.86	
Cashier's Checks	1,341.31	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 29,677.17	
Time Certificates	38,281.39	
Total Deposits	$ 67,958.56	67,958.56
Total		$ 88,393.81
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 6,236.01
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		5,875.33

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, O. A. Naplin, President and Thos. H. Smith, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

O. A. NAPLIN, President.
THOS. H. SMITH, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—

J. P. CURTIS,
WALTER E. SMITH.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of October, 1920.
(SEAL.)
WALTER E. SMITH,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires December 18, 1926.

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for all purposes in your household you may not be wealthy but you will be healthy and wise. But our milk is an economy also. It saves many a dose for a colic stricken baby. It saves many a stomach trouble in older folks. So why not have the best milk as well as the most economical.

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Churches

M. E. Church—Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at eight o'clock. Sunday school at 10 a. m. E. L. at 7 p. m. W. F. M. S. meets with Mrs. J. B. Smith, 118 Conley Ave. N., Friday, Oct. 29th. All are welcome.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 31. 10 a. m. Sunday school. Parents are invited to accompany their young people and enter our Bible Class. 11 a. m., morning worship. Read Matthew 5, 6 and 7. 8 p. m., evening worship. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. The Ladies' Aid society meets on Friday Oct. 29 with Mrs. Lane, 1001 State avenue N.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service 11 a. m. Afternoon service Norden, 2 p. m. Evening service city, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday Nov. 4. Mrs. Geo. Larson and Mrs. Bugge entertain. Zion Young Peoples' meeting Thursday evening, Nov. 4. Mrs. John Dahl and Mrs. Pafbst entertain. Samtale mote at Rosewood, Rindal's church, beginning Friday, Oct. 29th and lasting over Sunday the 31st. Rev. Raaum of Holt will open with a sermon Friday at 11 a. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—The beginning of the Reformation, Oct. 31, 1517, will be remembered in the Sunday services. German, 10:30 a. m.; English 8 p. m. Sermon topic, "Luther's Battle for Right and Freedom." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. In the evening service Holy Communion will be celebrated. Preparatory service begins at 7:30. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets Nov. 2 with Mrs. Wm. Rondorf. Berea Bible Class meets Thursday at 8 p. m. Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock the pastor will preach an English sermon in the Norwegian church at Holt. Also celebration of the Lord's Supper.

Christian Science—Services at the library auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Everlasting Punishment." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Rev. T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Regular sermon in the English language, 11 a. m. Norwegian services in the evening at 7:45. Confirmation class meets in the church basement Saturday at 10 a. m. Ladies' bazaar and sale of fancy goods Friday afternoon, Oct. 29. A 25c lunch will be served.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 31. Reformation day. English and German services at Grygla at 10 a. m. Sermon topic, "Why Am I a Lutheran, not Roman Catholic." Holy Communion will be celebrated in English. On the same day there will be English and German services at Esplee. Holy Communion will be celebrated in German. Sunday, Nov. 1. Services at Germantown. German at 10 a. m., with Holy Communion. English at 3 p. m. Reformation sermons will be preached.

Chautauqua Subject—"The Sick Man in the East, Will He Soon Die?" will be the subject at the Chautauqua hall west of Bottelson's drug store on Sunday evening, Oct. 31, at 7:45. Saturday at 2 p. m. Bible class; preaching service at 3. No service on Tuesday evenings as before. Scandinavians! Regard this as a personal invitation.

Obituary

Erick J. Johnson.

Erick J. Johnson, who had resided at 941 Duluth avenue for six months, died Oct. 27 at the ripe old age of 79 years. Before coming to this city he had been engaged in farming at Mahnomen, where the body was shipped for burial.

Mrs. Sarah Williams.

On Monday, Oct. 25, occurred the death of Mrs. Sarah Williams at her home in the town of North at the age of 45 years, 5 months and 7 days, death being caused by heart trouble. Deceased was born in Norway and had lived in the United States for 19 years, 14 of which have been passed in this vicinity. Burial takes place at Hegland cemetery today. Rev. O. O. Sande will have charge of the services.

Olaf Olson Torve.

Olaf Olson Torve of Numedal township died in this city Oct. 27 from peritonitis which followed an operation for appendicitis a few days before. Deceased had farmed in this section of the state for the past nine years. He was born in Norway and came to the United States 33 years ago, and at the time of death had reached the age of 45 years, 3 months and 25 days. Interment will take place at Oak Ridge cemetery on October 30.

Mrs. Sarah Tilton.

Mrs. Sarah Tilton died on Oct. 26 at 2 a. m. at her home, 408 Riverside avenue, from apoplexy at the age of 69 years, 5 months and 14 days. Deceased was the widow of Frank Tilton, whose death occurred a number of years ago. Since the death of her husband she had resided alone. Mrs. Tilton was born in Norway on May 12, 1851, and while a young girl immigrated to America. She was a resident of Thief River Falls for 26 years. Funeral services will be conducted Friday afternoon by Rev. T. E. Sweger at the Trinity Lutheran church. Deceased is survived by her daughters, Mrs. W. J. McChesney of Fargo and Mrs. E. Whipple of Jamestown, N. D., and two sons, Lawrence Lonson of Sylvia, Ill., and Robert Lonson, who resides in Canada. A sister, Mrs. Thos. Lonson, of this city also survive. All, with the exception of Thomas Lonson, will be present at the funeral.

Mrs. Sophia Swanson.

Mrs. Sophia Charlotta Johnson Swanson was born in Aland, Sweden, March 11, 1840, and died Oct. 23, 1920 at 12 o'clock at Blackduck, Minn. At her death she was 80 years and 7 months of age. She was married to Elias Swanson in 1865. Unto this union was born four children, Ernest Swanson of Santie, California; Mrs. Judith Dablow of Thief River Falls; Mrs. John Cyr of Blackduck and Knute Swanson of Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson came to this country in 1882 and settled near St. Hilaire. They moved to Crookston in 1895, where they resided until Mr. Swanson's death in 1898. Since that time Mrs. Swanson has lived with her daughter, Mrs. Dablow. She recently visited at Blackduck where she suffered a paralytic stroke which brought about her death.

Funeral services were held from Trinity Lutheran church at Thief River Falls, Tuesday afternoon. Rev. A. O. Odegaard of Blackduck, accompanied the body here and conducted the services.

Mrs. Cora Miller.

Mrs. Cora Miller, bride of Andrew Miller, of Wylie, died Oct. 21 at Denver, Colo., where they had gone on their honeymoon, from heart failure. Mrs. Miller had been ill for over a year with pulmonary tuberculosis and it was thought the change would prove beneficial, but instead hastened her untimely death which came as a severe shock to relatives and friends. The deceased, formerly Miss Cora Finberg, was born in this vicinity and was 29 years and 7 months old at the time of her death. During the past two years she has resided with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg, because of poor health, but up to that time had been engaged in teaching school, the last term of which was taught at Wylie. On October 7th she was married to Andrew Miller to whom the deepest sympathy is extended. She is also survived by her parents and three sisters and three brothers whose names are, Clarice and Rhoda of this city, Mrs. I. E. Quist of Warren, Andrew of Vancouver, Selmer of Hibbing and Olaf residing on a farm near this city. The funeral services were conducted from the home of her parents on Monday afternoon, Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, preaching the impressive sermon. Those from out of town who were present at the funeral were the parents and four brothers and one sister of Mr. Miller, Mrs. Rev. Gjerstad of Gary, Mr. and Mrs. J. Urness of Grand Forks, Mrs. Ben Christianson of Minneapolis and Ingvald Gjerstad of Beltrami.

Public Sales

Farm auction sales advertised to be held in the near future are as follows:

Friday, Oct. 29—On the Oscar Evenson place on the northeast quarter of Section 13, town of Silverton, the following property will be sold:

Six good horses from 3 to 11 years old; one cow and three calves; 55 breeding ewes, one grade buck. Also a considerable amount of machinery, including a 12-25 Avery gas tractor, one Russel grader with 14 horsepower Russel engine; McCormick mower, Deering hay rake, Kentucky disc harrow, Superior drill, Deere sulky plow, Emerson gang plow, three-bottom Deere engine plow, six-shovel riding cultivator, John Deere harrow, Osborne harrow, Fosston fanning mill, feed grinder, wagons, sleighs and a large number of other utensils and machines. A free lunch will be served at noon. Usual terms. W. J. LaBree is auctioneer and the Citizens State bank clerk.

Monday, Nov. 1—Mrs. Theo. L. Olson will sell at her place on section 6, town of Kratka, two miles south of Thief River Falls, the following: Five head of horses, nine head of cows, six grade Guernsey calves. The machinery includes two McCormick binders, two Deere gang plows, Van Brunt drill, wagons, a buggy, road cart, drag, manure spreader, walking plow, prairie breakers, cultivator, flax attachment, 2 h. p. gas engine, feed mill and a lot of smaller implements as well as household goods. Free lunch. W. J. LaBree auctioneer; First National bank, clerk.

Wednesday, Nov. 3—L. R. Feragen, section 24, Norden township, will sell three horses, 11 Guernsey cows, six heifers, one Hereford bull, three calves, seven pigs and 60 chickens. The machinery and tools include Deering binder, Deering mower, ten-foot hay rake, disc harrow, stubble plow, wooden lever drag harrow, 3½ h. p. gas engine, wood saw, pump jack, feed grinder, water tank, International manure spreader, Ford touring car, wide tire wagon, truck, gravel box, scraper. Nine acres of corn in shock, some hay, four barrels and other articles will also be sold. Free lunch. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer; First National bank, Clerk.

Monday, Nov. 8—T. T. Ose and Halvor O. Listol will hold a combination sale on the Listol farm, section 8, Agder township, two miles north of Silverton. Sale includes ten head of horses among which are three Belgian mares and two Hamiltonians; 12 cows, and a large lot of machinery among which is found two Deering binders, two Deering mowers, two hay rakes, Moline gang plow, new; 11 foot hay rake, one Victor and one Van Brunt drill, Emerson sulky plow, 4-horse drag, Soughton wagon with box, single buggy, bob sleighs, Deere gang plow, Deere brush breaker, wagons, hay basket, four-horse drag, spring tooth drag, adjustable 3-horse drag, disc harrow. Besides there will be offered a Chevrolet car, 10 tons of hay, 300 bushels oats, 25 bushels, Stover feed mill, load heavy tamarack poles, 2 sets work harness, single harness, 2 h. p. engine, grindstones, one set heavy and one light harness, besides a lot of household goods. Usual terms. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer; First National bank, clerk.

Tuesday, Oct. 9—Erick Ruud will sell at auction on the Andrew Erickson farm on the southeast quarter of section 9, town of Sanders, 2 miles south and six miles west of Thief River Falls, the following property: Six head of horses, three cows and three heifers, a McCormick and a Moline binder, a Standard and a Minnesota mower, three hay rakes, one almost new; 14-foot disc harrow, 3-horse Boss harrow, Van Brunt drill, Emerson sulky plow, walking plow, wagons, wood and hay racks, flax attachment, 4 h. p. gas engine and saw outfit, feed mill, bob sleigh, cutter, double buggy, single buggy, new hay sweep, harness, cream separator, grindstone and some oats, lumber and hay together with all household goods. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer; Citizens State bank, clerk.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.86
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.81
Oats	.39
Flax	2.42
Barley	.62
Rye	1.52
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	6.50
Bran	2.20
Shorts	2.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.50
Corn and oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.40
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.60
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.13
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.30
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.50
Dairy Butter	.40
Creamery Butter	.58
Cow hides, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.16-.18
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.16
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05-.06
Steers, per lb.	.05-.06
Calves, per lb.	.05-.06
Cows, per lb.	.04-.05

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I find myself, at seventy-one, frequently drifting back a quarter of a century, when I see myself in the little drug store I owned at Bolivar, Mo., making and selling a vegetable compound to my friends and customers—what was then known only as Dr. Lewis' Medicine for Stomach, Liver and Bowel Complaints.

For many years while I was perfecting my formula I studied and investigated the laxatives and cathartics on the market and became convinced that their main fault was not that they did not act on the bowels, but that their action was too violent and drastic, and upset the system of the user; which was due to the fact that they were not thorough enough in their action, some simply acting on the upper or small intestines, while others would act only on the lower or large intestines, and that they almost invariably produced a habit requiring augmented doses.

I believed that a preparation to produce the best effect must first tone the liver, then act on the stomach and entire alimentary system. If this was accomplished, the medicine would produce a mild, but thorough elimination of the waste without the usual sickening sensations, and make the user feel better at once.

After experimenting with hundreds of different compounds, I at last perfected the formula that is now known as Nature's Remedy, which I truly believe goes further and does more than any laxative on the market today. The thousands of letters from users have convinced me I was right, and that the user of Nature's Remedy as a family medicine, even though he may have used it for twenty-five years, never has to increase the dose.

My knowledge of medicine and the results of its use in my own family and among my friends, before I ever offered it for sale, caused me to have great faith in Nature's Remedy from the very first.

And now as I find myself nearing the age when I must bow to the inevitable and go to another life, my greatest pleasure is to sit each day and read the letters that each mail brings from people as old or older than I, who tell of having used Nature's Remedy for ten, fifteen and twenty years, and how they and their children and grandchildren have been benefited by it.

It is a consoling thought, my friends, for a man at my age to feel that aside from his own success, one has done something for his fellow man. My greatest satisfaction, my greatest happiness today, is the knowledge that tonight more than one million people will take a Nature's Remedy (NR Tablet) and will be better, healthier, happier people for it. I hope you will be one of them.

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Society

Miss Evenson Honored.

following taken from the ston Times, will be of interest Miss Evenson's many friends in city:

iss Ruth Evenson who is to be a e of November, was honor guest evening at one of the prettiest most attractive affairs of the sea given by the Misses Hermine and Mable Sparby at the Duval e, Lincoln avenue.

nk pompons and ferns were used n attractive manner in the adornt of the home and kewpies and and white ribbon streamers ded the dining room, while the col pink and white were carried all appointments and table fa

teen guests, friends of the honst, were invited, and included I. Evenson of Thief River Falls, of Miss Evenson.

ery delicious two course lunchs served at a large table which shaded with rose and white s and centered with bride and kewpies, with the pink and color scheme carried out in the

owing the dinner, little Gladys was accorded the honor of pre the honor guest with the beautiful gifts which were give invited guests and her of the original presentation was very pleasing.

Bridge Party.

attractive party of Saturday ernoon was that given by Mrs. H. Booren and Mrs. F. C. Niclai at latter's home, Arnold avenue th, when they entertained at five tables of bridge. Appropriate decorations of orange and black throughout the rooms carried out the spirit of Hallowe'en. Shaded lights added to the attractiveness of the occasion. Baskets of yellow daisies graced the tables at which the guests were seated. Mrs. P. W. Mabey carried high honors for the afternoon while Mrs. H. O. Loken held the lowest points. The following ladies were present: Mrs. G. H. Smith, Mrs. Roy Lambert, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Mrs. T. Rowan, Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. P. W. Mabey, rs. W. J. Brown, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, rs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., Mrs. T. A. Way, Mrs. G. W. Connell, Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. R. M. Sheldon, Mrs. W. H. Frederick, Mrs. Geo. Curtiss, Mrs. W. H. Akre, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. Scott Laird, and Mrs. R. E. Sartell of Minneapolis.

Hunt-Krohn.

Very pretty and simple was the wedding of Miss Amy Krohn, daughter of Mr. C. Krohn of this city and F. E. Hunt, at the home of the groom's parents at Red Lake Falls on Saturday at high noon. The impressive ring service was read by Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the local Presbyterian church, in the presence of immediate relatives. The bride was given away by her father.

The home was attractively decorated with flowers and greenery. Mr. Healy, a friend of the groom played the wedding march. Miss Krohn, who was attended by her sister, Miss Ella Krohn, wore a dark blue traveling suit, with hat to match. The bridegroom had for his attendant, a brother, S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls. Mr. Hunt has taken his bride on a brief wedding trip after which they will return to this city to make their home. Mr. Hunt is at present employed as traveling salesman for the Thief River Grocery Co. The newlyweds have a host of friends who will wish them bon voyage.

Series of Parties.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery entertained a number of her friends at the first of a series of parties. On this occasion the following ladies were the guests: Misses Carrie Trogan, Lavina Adams, Viola Nepper, Maude Johnson, Ella Pelto, Esther Gjertson and Mrs. Froehlich.

On Monday evening several of the girls were assembled at her apartment in the Dobner-Meehan block for conversation and music. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess at midnight. Misses Marie Nelson, Meta Kiland, Irma Johnson, Grace Wilson, Ida Tandberg, Esther Gjertson, Unn Nelson, Effie Hamry and Mrs. M. W. Brink were the guests.

The concluding party was given last evening when she entertained Misses Dora Holmes, Mollie Hoorn, Gerda Mortenson, Genn Granum, Alice Benson, Anne Brokke, Christine Gelfer, son, Laura Stopple and Louise Majeres.

Schave-Sumpter.

A pretty home wedding took place on Tuesday, Oct. 26, at the residence of T. J. Sumpter near Hazel, when his daughter, Ruth, was married to Harry F. Schave, a prosperous young business man of Grand Forks. The ceremony, which was conducted by Rev. J. B. Smith of this city, took place in the large home parlor which was beautifully decorated for the occasion in pink and white. The groom was accompanied to the altar by T. K. Wells and the bride by her sister, Miss Neva Sumpter. An elegant repast was served at the close of the ceremony to a large company of relatives and friends. The happy couple left on the Soo train for a trip to Superior, Wis., after which they will be at home at Grand Forks.

Community Girls' Meeting.

The next regular meeting of the Community Girls will be held on Monday evening, Nov. 1, at the Commercial Club rooms. A very interesting and instructive playlet on suffrage, entitled "A Dramatic Demonstration of Voting" in which the first Community baby, Marie Suzanne Brink, will be starred, is to be featured on this evening. The A's will entertain. At future meetings of the club the committee on serving will also have full charge of the entertainment for the evening. It is the earnest desire of the president that all members who possibly can, will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing this amusing farce.

Birthday Party.

Glen Hoppa very pleasantly entertained a number of boys at a party on Monday afternoon at his home on Main avenue, the event being in honor of his ninth birthday. He was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Games and amusements furnished the afternoon's entertainment. At 5:30 a delicious lunch was served to the boys by the host's mother, after which they departed. Those having the pleasure of the afternoon are Raymond Amundson, Thomas Haney, Gordon Storholm, Reuben Johnson, Harry Robinson, William Froehlich, Richard Mabey, Ned Biedermann, Clarence Rasmussen, David Strom and Chester Strom.

Dinner Party.

A delightful affair of the evening was a dinner party given by Miss Lulu Cook at her home on Saturday. The dining room was attractive in various Hallowe'en decorations and the table appointments were carried out in orange and black. Following the dinner, dancing and cards were enjoyed. A feature of the evening's entertainment was the telling of ghost stories. The guests were Misses Violet Krohn, Marie Kruse, Sybil McGinn and Messrs. Kenneth Wattem, Fred Will, Norman Dybvik, Allan Fossum and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nason.

Hallowe'en Dance by Macabees.

One of the most successful social functions of the season was the dancing party given by the Lady Macabees in the I. O. O. F. hall on Tuesday evening. Pumpkins, stalks of corn, black cats and witches combined with festooning and shaded lights, produced the mystic spirit of Hallowe'en. The dancers, who numbered fifty couples, glided to excellent music furnished by Mrs. Rowan and Clarence Dybvik until a late hour. A sumptuous lunch concluded a very enjoyable affair.

Woman's Club to Hold Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Club, Monday, Nov. 1, under the leadership of Mrs. Melgaard, the seventh lesson on the study leaflet will be discussed. A playlet entitled, "A Dramatic Demonstration of Voting" prepared by the League of Women Voters will be staged by the Community Girls. This play is educational as well as amusing. A piano solo will be rendered by Miss Backe. A full attendance of the club members is urgently requested.

Mrs. Aalberg Entertains.

Mrs. M. Aalberg was a delightful hostess on Friday afternoon when she entertained a company of her friends at her home on Main avenue. The hours were spent in needlework and conversation. A delicious lunch was served before the guests departed. The guest list included Mesdames C. R. Crandall, C. T. Christianson, Ed. Korstad, E. M. Schutt, A. Bottelson, L. M. Rayson, L. E. Gesell; O. C. Hanson and J. Q. Cronkhite.

Entertains for Mrs. Standy.

In compliment to Mrs. Standy of Mahnomen, who visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Hermanson, last week, Mrs. H. Hermanson entertained a number of ladies at her home on Tuesday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. C. M. Carlson, Mrs. N. Ostvalden, Mrs. G. Granum, Mrs. Anna Langseth, Mrs. O. Tessum, Mrs. O. Storholm, Mrs. Ed. Evenson, Mrs. C. Hanson, Mrs. Brooten and Mrs. L. H. Hermanson.

Johnson-Christenson.

Carl Johnson and Miss Mabel Christenson were united in marriage by the Rev. J. B. Smith at the Methodist parsonage, on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson witnessed the ceremony. The young couple hail from Marshall county where they will make their future home. They are followed in their future career by the good wishes and congratulations of their many friends.

Neighbors and Woodmen Party.

The Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen of America will have a party at I. O. O. F. hall Thursday evening, Nov. 4. Cards and dancing will be the entertainment. Members of both organizations are requested to participate.

Prospective Bride Entertained.

Miss Ruth Evenson, who returned on Tuesday from Crookston after completing her season of millinery work, has been honor guest at numerous parties and showers in that city during the week previous to her departure. She will return to Crookston on Friday to be present at other parties which have been arranged in her honor. On Monday she will return to Thief River Falls to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson, for two weeks, at which time her marriage to a Crookston young man will take place.

Notice of Appreciation.

The members of Minnesota Council No. 521 U. C. T. wish to extend their thanks to the public of Thief River Falls, Minn., and vicinity for their splendid patronage and attendance at our annual U. C. T. ball last Friday evening. The music was fine. Snyder's home talent orchestra made a hit. Come again next year.—The U. C. T. Entertainment Committee. o28p

Birthday Party.

Master Ardell Rupprecht entertained a number of friends at his home Wednesday afternoon in honor if his eighth birthday. Those present were James Barnett, Earl Hoppa, Mervin and Wallace Benson, Billie Frederick, Myles Warner, Earl Bessler and Gordon Storholm. The lunch was served by Maverett Hilson and Melvina Rupprecht.

Birthday Party.

Miss Irene Haugen celebrated her 12th birthday anniversary by entertaining a number of her friends on Tuesday. Games of various kinds were enjoyed until the lunch hour. The guests were Eleanor Carlson, Gladys and Goldie Remmem, Ethel Moline, Ruth Thoreson, Ruth Larson and Rungvild Kloppe.

Mr. Niclai Host.

On Saturday evening F. C. Niclai *entertained at a stag party* at his home. About twenty gentlemen had the pleasure of the event. Cards formed the chief diversion. At midnight a sumptuous lunch was served by Mrs. Niclai, assisted by Mrs. H. A. Booren.

Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams gave a very delightful dinner party for a few friends on Tuesday, Oct. 26, the occasion being their seventh wedding anniversary. Decorations were in keeping with the season. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tessum and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Coumbe.

Thompson-Knutson.

It will be of interest to many in this city to learn of the marriage of Olaf Thompson, representing the Bridgeman-Russell Co., formerly of this city but now located at Crookston, to Miss Valla Knutson of the latter place on Oct. 14. The newlyweds will make their home at Crookston.

Trainmen's Annual Dance.

Lodge No. 103 of Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen will give their annual benefit dance on Friday evening, Oct. 29, at the auditorium. Excellent home talent music has been secured for the occasion and everyone is assured a good time.

City News

Miss Adele Haugen returned to her home at Middle River on Thursday morning after spending a couple of days here as the guest of friends.

Miss Mildred Jahr, who attended the teachers' convention at Warren, visited with friends here Friday evening enroute to her home at Holt.

Mrs. C. H. Holten of Greenbush spent Thursday and Friday in this city on a shopping expedition. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. N. Olson.

Miss Jessie Leslie returned to her home at Rollis on Saturday afternoon, having attended the Teachers' Convention at Warren the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Gerggren, accompanied by their guests, Mr. and Mrs. I. Mounson, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bugge near Viking on Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Allen, who had been the guest of relatives and friends at Tolley, N. D., visited friends between trains on Thursday evening enroute to her home at Ogemah.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Thomas and daughter accompanied by the Misses Ruth and Mamie O'Brien, all of Greenbush, were among the out-of-town shoppers here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sartell and son Reed, who had spent a short time as guests at the home of the latter's brother, R. H. Ross, returned to their home in Minneapolis on Sunday evening.

Having secured the agency for the World's Star hosiery and underwear, (Mrs. C. Shay's line) I will be pleased to call and display samples upon request. Mrs. Gray, 313 Bridge street. o28

Mr. and Mrs. J. Phelps and sons Lloyd and James, departed on Friday evening for Stevens Point where they reside, after visiting for two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phelps.

Mrs. A. A. Peterson of Middle River spent the first of the week in this city visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Peterson, who is a patient at the Sanitorium. She returned to her home yesterday.

Alfred Dybvik, Allan Fossum and Miss Marie Kruse, all of this city, were guests at a house party over the week-end at the J. P. Jenson home at Goodridge. Miss Ruby Jenson was the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson of Wylie motored up from that place the latter part of last week and spent a couple of days as the guest at the home of their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Miller of Crookston were guests at the Rolland homes in this city on Sunday. Mrs. Miller is a sister of the Rolland brothers. They returned to their home by car in the evening.

Miss Jessie Leslie of Rollis arrived Friday evening from Warren, after attending a week's session of the teachers' institute. She left Saturday morning for Gatzke where she is engaged in teaching.

Misses Anna Sortveidt and Agnes Rolandson, who spent the week-end visiting with their parents who reside at Oklee, returned the first of the week to resume their studies at the Lincoln high school.

Miss Mildred Jahr, who attended the Teachers' Convention at Warren last week, arrived here Saturday evening and was the guest of friends enroute to her home at Holt near which place she teaches school.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Vattinson and son Alton, visited here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Berggren and sister, Mrs. E. DeVelling and Mrs. M. LaSalle. She returned to her home at Jessie Lake on Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nordling, accompanied by a relative, Miss Elaine Pearlafore, who is attending the local high school, left Sunday morning for Rosewood, where they were guests at the home of Joel and Mary Shoberg for the day.

Miss Ella Gran, who is employed in Minneapolis, came up from the latter place on Saturday evening for a brief visit with her parents here. She left on Tuesday afternoon for Fargo where she will visit before returning to Minneapolis.

Misses Evelyn and Emma Karlstrom of Gatzke, who attended the teachers' convention at Warren last week, returned to their home on Saturday morning. Both the young ladies are engaged in teaching in the vicinity of their home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hanson and family, who have been making their home at Greenbush for a few years, were guests of friends here between trains, leaving on the flier for Albert Lea, their former home, where they will again take up their residence.

Mrs. S. Brandon went to Crookston on Tuesday evening via the Soo to attend the funeral services of her friend, Mrs. A. Peterson. She will return the latter part of the week. During her absence her mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus is caring for her children.

S. C. Coumbe left on Thursday evening for a rapid trip over the iron range to Duluth, returning Saturday morning. He reports work closing down in the iron mines for the winter and notes that things are being made snug in the harbor at Duluth in preparation for freezing weather.

Rev. A. O. Odegaard of Blackduck, son of A. A. Odegaard of St. Hilaire, accompanied the body of Mrs. Swanson from Blackduck to Thief River Falls, where he conducted the obsequies. Rev. Odegaard has been at Blackduck during the past year, that being his first church after his college course in theology. He states that he has been conducting services for ten different congregations.

Mrs. W. F. Hine of Big River, Sask., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Rasmussen of Menomonie, Wis., where the former visited, arrived here on Monday morning and spent a couple of days as the guests of Mrs. Ed. Karwand. They left for the first mentioned place yesterday morning. Mrs. Hine was formerly Miss Nellie Rasmussen, who was employed as saleslady for the Oen Mercantile Co., a number of years ago. Mr. Hine was also a resident of this city at that time and is well known here.

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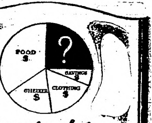

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

BIG INCREASE IN TEACHERS' WAGE FOR PAST YEAR

Average Advance in Salary Roll For All Classes is Thirty-Eight Per Cent.

Superintendent Gunderson's Report Shows County is Following General Trend.

Total Cost of Operation and Maintenance For Year Not Far From $200,000.

A close examination of the annual report submitted to the state commissioner of education by County Superintendent George M. Gunderson shows a remarkable increase in salaries paid the Pennington county teachers. The average wage paid the teachers of the county during the year ending July 31, 1919 was $69.58, while for the year ending July 31, 1920, the average wage was $95.53. In other words teachers salaries were increased slightly over 38 per cent for the year. This fact undoubtedly is responsible for the filling of all vacancies in the schools of the county, many of which were closed during the preceding year due to an apparent lack of teachers.

Nearly 300 Employed.

The annual report shows an enrollment of 213 teachers in the high school and graded school districts and an enrollment of 75 in the rural and semi-graded districts. The total enrollment of pupils in all of the schools of the county was 3293, showing an increase of approximately two per cent over the enrollment for the year ending July 31, 1919.

Pennington county, comprising 80 school districts, now possesses 81 school buildings with a total valuation of $381,649.70. The sum of $32,396.49 was voted in by the county for maintenance of these schools during the year ending July 31, 1921.

Financial Statement.

The receipts and disbursements for the past year as shown by Superintendent Gunderson's report were as follows:

Receipts	
Cash on hand	$ 97,175.38
Apportionment	28,195.91
Annual aids	11,877.09
Special taxes	87,362.58
Local mill tax	5,321.62
Sale of books and supplies	409.45
Levy for interest and sinking fund	2,499.55
Sale of bonds and building fund	1,511.11
All other sources	2,961.80
	$237,314.49

Disbursements	
General control	$ 4,272.57
Instruction — Teachers' wages	88,252.66
Text books and supplies	3,281.52
Library	803.76
Operation	15,781.89
Maintenance	5,932.18
Transportation of pupils	4,573.38
Other expense payments	3,575.63
Land, new buildings and equipment	51,914.42
Bonds and interest	13,359.15
Cash on hand	45,567.33
	$237,314.49

News of Rail and Shop

STRANGE BOX CARS GIVEN GOOD CARE

Grain Carrying Roads Under Heavy Expense For Upkeep of These Tramps.

When a box car is in condition to haul grain it is fit to carry most any commodity. The Great Northern railway, being essentially a grain-carrying road, aims to keep its cars in shape for grain. During last winter and all of the summer the Great Northern shops kept an unusual number of workmen at work overhauling cars, with the result that all available cars were "kept up."

The Great Northern in fact is compelled to fill the role of philanthropist in the car repairing line. For instance the large portion of cars repaired and put in shape as grain carriers this year were cars from eastern lines and several million dollars were spent in fixing up these box cars. Many of the eastern cars made only one trip and then were called back to their own lines, these foreign roads of course benefiting by the repair work that was done by others. On the other hand several thousand cars of the Great Northern line now are on other lines. These lines, not being grain carrying roads, see no necessity in "keeping up" cars of other roads. Consequently the owner has to overhaul its own cars when they come back on the line from their tramping trips. Some of these cars are gone off the line as long as five years.

The average box car costs from $3,000 to $3,500 to build. It costs about $300 to $500 a year to keep each car in good repair. Last year it cost the Great Northern $8,000,000 for box car repairs.

Fred Scanlon is in Minneapolis on business matters.

Mrs. J. L. Stitt and son are visiting in Crosby, N. D.

George Erickson visited friends in Alexandria over Friday last.

F. C. Paine, agent at Erskine, was here between trains last night.

Selmer Berg has returned from Noyes, where he visited friends.

Emil Adolphs returned to work after a ninety-day leave of absence.

C. W. Stewart is relieving C. A. Aittama of Ogema on account of sickness.

Carl Ryan, coach cleaner, has resigned his position to journey westward.

Mrs. John Dahl visited relatives at Mahnomen during the past two weeks.

E. B. Dodd, general foreman of the telegraph department, was here on business Tuesday.

Carman Earl Elofson has been absent from ranks for the past week on account of sickness.

G. W. Hawes, general agent for this territory, was in Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Mrs. Anton Carlson left on October 20th for an extended visit with her sister at Bemidji.

Miss Henrietta Isaacson left on the 22nd for several months visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

Peter Husted, George Larson, Ole Linstad, Elling Larson, Abraham Hetland, Sigaard Anderson and Albert Larson, house carpenters, have secured employment during the recent past week as repair men in the car department.

Operator B. Bergsten is relieving Operator M. H. Maroney at Alexandria on account of sickness.

Selmer Gangeness, Ole Englestad and Amos Mostue have recently been added to the staff of mechanics' helpers.

F. G. Smith, agent at Vergas, has been granted a leave of absence on account of sickness, being relieved by M. L. Parsons.

L. E. Whiting has been appointed second trick operator at Mahnomen vice E. J. Langevin, transferred to Plummer as third trick operator.

Mr. and Mrs. Niels Nielson will visit relatives at St. Paul, Yankton, S. D., and Omaha, Neb. They expect to return sometime during December.

F. C. Chandler and Miss Fitzgerald of Grand Forks were married at the bride's home at Grand Forks on Wednesday. Mr. Chandler is the agent at Forest River.

Out-of-town visitors during the past week were: Mrs. Edward L. Elofson at Ardoch, N. D.; John Eliason at Alexandria and Mrs. H. F. Erickson and daughter at Mahnomen.

The traveling public will be pleased to note that the Soo line has established twenty-four hour service at the ticket office in the Thief River Falls station. Formerly two clerks working eight hour shifts handled the ticket sales, which necessitated closing at hours which inconvenienced those wishing to purchase tickets during odd hours of the day or night. On Wednesday of this week one more clerk was put on duty, thus securing the utmost accommodation in this respect.

HELP WANTED

Young men and women with a knowledge of bookkeeping, banking, business methods, shorthand and typewriting are wanted. Wages are high and the chances for promotion are excellent. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out how little it costs to prepare.

American Legion Notes

To date forty-one French orphans have been adopted by American Legion posts at a cost of $75 each. Six were adopted within the last week, five of them by Eastern ex-service men. The preference was for boys and each of the six posts expressed its intention of contributing $75 each year to see their proteges through the expensive period of adolescence. Contributions for orphans are being received by National Headquarters of the Legion, in Indianapolis.

Former "Shell-Hole Quartet" men of the A. E. F. and before-taps warblers of the home forces will come into their own with the birth of the Argonne Post Glee Club, recently established at Des Moines, Ia. The modest Argonians, under the leadership of a woman director, expect to start on a nation-wide tour when the complete organization is effected.

When Legionnaries in Georgia rounded up 8 new posts in the week ending October 8, they obtained more than half of the posts chartered in the whole country for the week. Fifteen new posts raised the American Legion total to 9,783. Iowa followed Georgia with three posts while Indiana, Louisuna, Pennsylvania and Texas each annexed one post. During the same week twenty-four units of the Women's Auxiliary were added, raising the total to 1,362. Iowa led with four new units and California, Illinois and Ohio followed with three each. New York leads the Legion column with 934 posts and Massachusetts the Women's Auxiliary total by virtue of its 120 units.

White men of the conservative South marched behind a hearse containing the body of a negro soldier at a recent funeral conducted under the auspices of the American Legion of Austin, Texas. Travis post, No. 76 was the organization that came out a unit to pay respects to Will Hollen, a colored fighter who fell in France. As the post commander pointed out, creed, race and politics do not count in the Legion.

An amusement censor bureau has been established at Minnesota Department headquarters of the American Legion in St. Paul. The purpose of the department, according to Commander A. H. Vernon, is to assist Legion posts in obtaining high class entertainments and to condemn shows of poor quality. "Posts are requested to tell us whether professional shows, carnivals, etc., which play for them are good, bad or indifferent," says a recent announcement from headquarters, sent to all post commanders in the department. "This will serve to keep you posted on entertainments which are good and those which are not desirable.

Elaborate plans are being made by American Legion Posts all over the country for Armistice Day ceremonials at which Victory medals will be formally presented to post members. In a number of the posts an effort to co-operate with local civil authorities in the observance has been made.

Three important changes in government life insurance were recommended by the recent American Legion convention in Cleveland. If adopted they will go far toward removing existing dissatisfaction of ex-service men with the administration of the Bureau of War Risk insurance. The Legion has asked the government to reduce premiums, to bear the cost of the disability feature of the insurance and to pay the mortality loss occasioned by injury and disease resulting from military service. The decision now rests with the War Risk bureau and congress.

Banks Helping Ex-Service Men Secure Bonus Money

To date the banks of Thief River Falls hold between nine and ten thousand dollars worth of Minnesota state bonus claims for ex-service men of Pennington county. Every effort will be made to purchase sufficient bonds to cover these claims in order that the men may secure their bonus money at an early date rather than being obliged to wait until the next session of the legislature for payment of the same.

Hospital Notes.

The following have entered the Physicians' hospital since last Thursday:

Roy Randorf, St. Hilaire; Wm. Boyce, Germantown; C. E. Gorden, Thief River Falls; E. Hillyer, city; Christina Clementson, city; Mrs. O. L. Ihle, city; Chas. Frissel, city; Mrs. A. Erickson, Haug; Mrs. C. Bronson, Bronson; Rosella Dondaneau, Oklee; Anton Hendrickson, Fordville; Gladys Kjos, Highlanding; Sibulon Peterson, Orleans; Ole Austed, city; Tony Tanem, Esplee.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to those who sympathized with and assisted us during our late bereavement.—Mrs. G. Nustvold, Mrs. John Klungnes. o28-p

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

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NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere. —LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

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BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

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TAXES RAISED BY HARD TIMES

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Taxes are always heavy—to the man who has to pay them—but taxes in some communities are much higher than in others. If you have ever stopped to investigate the matter you have discovered that the lowest taxes are found in the most prosperous communities. And there's a reason.

The prosperous community has the lowest taxes because there is a large amount of wealth in the community against which the taxes may be assessed. There are prosperous merchants with large stocks of goods upon which taxes are levied. Property values are high and there are thriving industries which pay a large proportion of the taxes.

The higher the property values and the greater the wealth of the community the lower are the tax levies, for a lower tax on each hundred dollars of valuation is required to produce the necessary revenue for the administration of the city and county governments.

Other Taxes are Raised.

On the other hand, take a dead town. Property values are low. Merchants' stocks are small and they have little money in the bank. Industries which ordinarily pay a large part of the taxes of a community have closed down. There are vacant store buildings which were formerly filled with stocks of merchandise upon which the owners paid heavy taxes. Who pays the taxes that were once paid by the merchants, the manufacturers, the bankers and the men who had large holdings of high-priced property? The taxes to conduct the city and county governments, to maintain the schools, to build and repair the roads must be collected from someone. Who pays them? The man who owns his little home or the vacant lot or two upon which he has been planning to build his home, must pay double or triple the amount which he paid in the times when the town was prosperous, to make up for the taxes which are not paid now by the merchants, the bankers, the manufacturers, and the big property owners who bore the heaviest burdens of taxation when times were good.

The farmers in the country surrounding the town are also among the heaviest sufferers from the ebbing of the town's prosperity. A certain amount of money must be raised by taxation to provide for the expenses of the county. Roads must be built and kept in repair. Bridges must be built and maintained. Salaries of county officers must be paid. County institutions for the care of the sick and the poor must be maintained. In counties which contain one or more thriving towns, a large proportion of the taxes for the county are paid by the towns. The greater the wealth of the towns and the higher the property valuations, the lower the tax levy for the entire county. When the tax levy is low the burden placed upon the farmer is light.

Burden Falls on Farmer.

When the county contains no prosperous and wealthy towns, the greater part of the burden of taxation for the county falls upon the farmer. The value of the farmer's property does not fall in proportion to the value of the property in the town and the higher tax levy that results from the lower property values in the towns makes his taxes higher.

The farmer forgets at times that he is vitally interested in the prosperity of "his town." He thinks that it is up to the town to take care of itself and that it is up to him to take care of himself and he overlooks that fact that the prosperity of the town means as much to him as it does to those who live in it. The farmer who is inclined to overlook this fact has only to think of the matter of taxes and he is likely to change his point of view for taxes are one thing that neither he nor anyone else can escape, and they are one thing in which the farmer ordinarily takes a very lively interest.

How Farmer Can Help.

There is just one way in which the farmer can best promote prosperity in the town near which he lives and that is by spending his money in that town instead of sending it away to the far-distant city. Every time the farmer sends an order to a mail order house he helps to destroy the prosperity of his own community and to boost his own taxes. When he sends a dollar away from home he gets none of it back. When he spend a dollar at home, a part of that dollar comes back to him in some way. It helps the town where it is spent to provide a profitable market for his products and it helps the town pay a large part of his taxes.

The farmer is the one man in the community, above all others, who should have no love for the mail order houses for they are doing more to add to his troubles than any other one agency.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate. —THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station. —K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.— RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service
and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vivo Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.— HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries. —ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.—HALL BROTHERS CO.

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Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

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is the most practical school. No books to study. Twenty-five new, latest type Tractors to train on. All auto equipments. Over thousand students attended last term. We secure positions for graduates. Attend school in climate you are accustomed to. Write for large folder.

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John D. Engen, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Christ Engen, Allen Hammarsten, Henrietta Refnes, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of November, 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 8th day of October, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
o14-21-28

Modern Organization

The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

First National Bank

Thief River Falls, Minn.
MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
Resources Over One Million Dollars

ON-RESIDENT EACHERS MUST VOTE BY MAIL

ecision is That Place of Employment Does Not Establish Legal Residence.

y Send Their Ballots to Home Precinct By Mail if They So Desire.

ere Question is Obviously Unnecessary New Voter Need not Tell Age.

lany questions have come in to the to headquarters of the League of men Voters as to whether women chers may vote at the coming tions and if so whether they uld vote in their home district in the district where they stay ng the school year.

o satisfy these questions the atey general was appealed to and rendered the following opinion: woman voter teaching in a dis other than the district of her nt residence may register by ursuant to the provisions of section 425, G. S. 1913 and may vote by mail pursuant to the provisions of chapter 68, Laws of Minnesota 1917."

Need Not Give Age.

The Attorney General further advises that if a teacher intends to make her permanent residence where she is now teaching she may vote in that district but she must satisfy the election judges as to the sincerity of her intention to make her new residence permanent.

Even more inquiries have come to the League of Women Voters as to whether women could be required to give their exact age at the polls and alarm was expressed in some quarters that if this requirement was insisted upon a considerable reduction in the women's vote would result. Once more the Attorney General came to the rescue with an opinion which should satisfy any uneasiness on this score. The opinion reads: "Where it is obvious that a prospective voter is over twenty-one years of age there should be no inquiry on the subject by the election board."

Exceptions to Rule.

What entry should be made by the election judges in the columns of the register headed: "Length of residence in the United States," "Length of residence in the state," in cases where the applicant is obviously over twenty-one years of age? In the Attorney General's opinion the proper entries to be made in such cases are: In the case of a citizen born in the United States, "over twenty-one years" "over six months" and "over thirty days." In the case of a naturalized citizen or of voters who were not born in the United States more exact information may be required. It then becomes pertinent to know definitely what length of time the person seeking to vote has resided in the United States, the state of Minnesota and the election district wherein he or she is a resident. But in normal cases of a voter born in this country, the data given above is sufficient to enable the judges to determine the qualifications of the persons offering to vote.

GOOD SHOWING IN CREAMERY REPORT

Receipts Hold Up Well With Slight Decrease in Total Paid For Cream.

Ninety-one patrons of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery received more than $50 for their milk and cream for the month of September, according to the report submitted by Secretary Peter Engelstad. In the list Mr. Engelstad has added the names of three others who came very near making that figure.

Receipts have been very good but fell slightly behind the corresponding period last year. Following are the names of the big-check dairymen for the month:

P. Engelstad, $298.83; Hans Anton, $205.59; Henry Koop, $146.94; Henry Pope, $145.30; Jens Kierk, $117.50; A. J. Funnesdahl, $117.23; Mrs. Mosbeck, $112.86; Joe Oski, $109.26; John A. Sundt, $108.06; A. K. Haggy, $102.60; Peder Sabo, $101.70; Ed. Grundhous, $100.69; R. M. Johnson, $97.03; C. J. Elwall, $94.62; O. N. Anderson, $94.14; Anfind Ness, $93.06; F. M. Kline, $89.40; P. Hornseth, $89.03; S. Wiberg, $87.23; Henry Sande, $85.87; Aug. Koglin, $85.11; Peter Voldness, $84; Knut Solheim, $83.82; Halvor H. Olson, $83.69; Fuller & Gordon, $82.98; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $81.40; Iver N. Strand, $81.42; H. T. Waale, $81.30; Nick Meyer, $79.26; O. O. Hofdahl, $78.60; John Sjolsvold, $77.96; Mrs. Gutterud, $76.65; O. S. Brelland, $76.48; Hans Sande, $75.45; C. M. Hoverstad, $74.79; C. Liden, $74.38; Mrs. J. R. Walters, $73.50; C. C. Christenson, $72.42; Gordon Olson, $71.54; John Johnson, $71.32; Aug. Johnson, $71.25; Silas Torgerson, $69.19; Willardson Bros., $68.26; A. Hoverstad, $68.00; John Kellberg, $67.89; Mrs. B. Overum, $67.02; R. Oen, $66.86; Gunder Olson, $66.24; And. Feragen, $65.84; W. I. McCrum, $63.74; A. W. Hanson, $63.66; C. H. Swanson, $63.17; Ole Helgeland, $64.14; K. Finstad, $62.75; Enud Krause, $62.66; Mrs. Carrie Johnson, $62.49; H. A. Matthees, $62.01; John Krebecheck, $61.02; Mrs. Katie Meyer, $60.12; Peter Hedeen, $59.96; J. M. Theige, $59.95; Gunstein Knutson, $59.58; A. C. Simenson, $59.22; N. A. Nelson, $58.77; Ed. Timm, $58.44; K. Ystesund, $58.26; P. B. Mulberg, $58.18; C. Olen, $57.91; Isaac Isaacson, $57.18; S. W. Tauback, $57.10; Mrs. T. L. Olson, $56.96; Ellef Tollefson, $56.88; Waldie Christenson, $56.44; S. Hagby, $56.23; A. Huseby, $55.81; Will Smith, $55.67; Aug. Karlson, $55.52; Ludvig Larson, $53.50; Fred Copp, $54.70; Albert Hanson, $54.42; Mrs. P. Fagerstrand, $54.29; Olaf Brevik, $53.65; J. Klungness, $53.25; Casper Iverson, $53.22; P. Solem, $52.68; Alf. Morin, $52.08; Hugh Best, $51.99; Nels Burtness, $51.84; C. Overum, $51.61; J. H. Sannes, $51.48; Paul Engelstad, $50.00; James Crosby, $49.98; S. O. Lee, $49.97; S. E. Hunt, $49.87.

No Rush to Pay Taxes is Yet Evident Says Treasurer

County Treasurer Gullingsrud predicts a busy week for himself and assistants as the last of the month and the last day for the payment of real estate taxes draws near. He states that there has been no great rush to make payments up to the present time owing to the fact that the exceptionally fine weather has kept the farmers working and consequently at home. That the farmers are holding their produce for higher prices undoubtedly has some bearing on the situation as well.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

Classified Want Ads

—94—

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A registered Red Poll bull. Ole Ahlstrom, R. 2, City. 95p

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow. 812 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—One used Marlin 12-gauge pump shot-gun. Also one 30-30 Savage high power rifle.—Hotel Evelyn. 94

FOR SALE—Man's buffalo coat, otter trimmed. In very good condition. Inquire at Times office. 98

FOR SALE—Ford car in first-class condition. Cheap if taken at once. Can be seen at 615 Dewey Ave. N. 94p

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell these for $10 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. G. Conklin, R. 3, city. 91tf

FOR SALE—Holstein bull calf eight months old. Also some bee boxes.—S. A. Rustebakke, residence brown stucco house on Seventh street east, south of ice house. 94p

OR SALE—Full blood Poland China ogs one spring sow, one boar either ring or coming two year old.—L. W. adle, Germantown Route. One mile rth of Silverton elevator. 95p

FOR SALE—Some woven hog and sheep ro. Will sell cheap.—Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—Six room house with two at No. 323 Third St. West. Write sodore Omundson, Star Route, Thief er Falls, Minn. 94p

OR SALE—Or will consider trade modern residence in Thief River Falls section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

SALE—40 acres land four miles ast of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, hief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

SALE—Good five room house, [illegible] and 5 lots on East Side by Sandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson Implement firm or phone 86tf

SALE—160 acres land eight orth of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, iver Falls, Minn. 61tf

SALE—Lexington car, driven only es. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

SALE—160 acres or will trade for perty. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief alls, Minn. 80tf

ALE—By owners, adjoining 160's ill be sold at bargain. Both im- For information see Carl J. Hazel Star Route. 75tf

SALE—New, modern brick store now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls. 70tf

SALE—This river stock farm, 85 Twp. of Smiley.—R. K. Calloway, iver Falls, Minn. 52tf

SALE—Large nine-room house, nd four good lots. Reasonable —P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

SALE—6-room house, 410 Crocker North. 95p

SALE—One Model C-25 Buick 4-ger car in first-class condition. C. Johnson at Nortz Lumber Co.

SALE—A ladies' Seal plush coat at the Sapero Co. last winter 40.00. Come and inspect it and me an offer.—M. V. Evenson. 90tf

R SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 in good condition. New tires. Address box 1061, Thief River Falls, or call Times office. 83tf

SALE—Full blooded Poland China Can furnish registration papers. irst and third prizes on these at Lake County Fair. Write H. O. Anderson, Wylie, Minn. 90p

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor in good running condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once.—Nick Baker, Rt. 2, Thief River Falls. 94p

FOR SALE—Team driving mares, eight and nine years old, weight 1000 lbs and 1100 lbs. Chas. Kierk, Rt. 1, box 7, Thief River Falls. 94p

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 91tf

LAND BARGAIN—SE 31-154-40. Two one-half miles southwest of Goodridge. One half mile south of State Road. Fine piece of land well located. Look this over and make an offer. Chase Brothers, Pine City, Minn. 94

FOR SALE—Pure bred Poland China yearling boar and one Guernsey bull whose dam is the grand daughter of Dairymaid of Pinehurst.—Jas. K. Knight, Big Fork, Minn. 94p

FOR SALE—Millwork, consisting of windows, doors, etc. Complete for six room house. Can be seen at Fisher's Livery Barn. Inquire of Frank Fisher. 96pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good piece of land or other real estate of about equal value or equity, a percheron stallion, 5½ years old, weight about 1800. [illegible]—D. E. Peterson, Fordville, N. D. 95

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 93tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 79tf

FOR RENT—Room in new modern house. Gentleman preferred. Inquire E. Dan Bjorkman. 93tf

LOST

LOST—Tire and rim 33x4 Goodyear Diamond thread, on public road somewhere east of Thief River Falls. Finder return to First and Peoples' State Bank for reward. 94

LOST—Handbag containing small sum of money, a pair of gloves and a small package, on road between Rosewood and Viking. Finder please return to Mrs. J. S. Rafteseth, R. 1, box 52A, Newfolden, Minn. 94p

FOUND

LOST—Ford casing on road between city and Kratka. Finder return to Dr. O. F. Mellby for reward. 94

LOST—Black or white spring pig, about 100 lbs. Finder notify Swan Englund, R. 2, Thief River Falls. 94p

FOUND—One yearling heifer and one steer, came to our place. Owner may have same by paying for the advertisement. Elling and Carl Prestby, Hazel Star Route, Hazel, Minn. 95p

FOUND—Pocketbook containing money. Owner may have same by calling at 311 Horace Ave. N., proving property and paying for this notice. 94p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 607 Bridge Street. 93tf

WANTED—A good cook on Spaulding Farm. 15 minutes walk from business center. State wages wanted in first letter. Inquire of Mrs. G. F. Peterson, care Spaulding Farm, Warren, Minn. 94

WANTED—Girl for general housework, good wages. Address Mrs. P. L. Aarhus, 610-5th St., S. Fargo. 98

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Porter at [illegible] Hotel. 94

WANTED—Yard man at once at Hotel Evelyn. 94

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 94tf

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES—SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—One of World's largest Grocers (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today. State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 94p

SALESMEN WANTED—To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address LINCOLN OIL CO., Cleveland, O. 94p

MISCELLANEOUS

WOULD LIKE a good trapper to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 94tf

FIRST PUBLIC SALE

—OF—

PUREBRED Hogs and Cattle

by the members of the

Marshall County Livestock Breeders Association

to be held at

Warren, Minn.

in the new Live Stock Pavilion at the Fair Grounds.

45 Hogs, Fri., Nov. 5

36 DUROCS 7 CHESTER WHITES
2 POLAND CHINAS

40 Cattle, Sat., Nov. 6

12 SHORTHORNS 2 HEREFORDS
25 POLLED SHORTHORNS
1 HOLSTEIN
(10 cows with calves at foot)

SEND FOR CATALOG
H. O. TELLIER,
Auctioneer.
O. H. TARALSETH, Clerk.
TOBY SCHEIE, Asst. Auctioneer

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction the property named below at the Andrew Erickson farm on Southeast Quarter of Section 9, Town of Sanders, 2 miles south and 6 miles west of Thief River Falls, on

Tuesday, November 9

Commencing at 11:00 A. M.

- One daple gray mare 6 years old, wt. 1500
- One gray mare 11 years old, wt. 1300
- One gray mare 11 years old, wt 1300
- One gray mare 10 years old, wt 1050
- One Mouse color gelding 12 years old, wt. 1000
- One gray mare 8 years old, wt. 800
- One black cow 8 years old
- One red and white cow 5 years old
- One red and white cow 5 years old
- One red heifer 16 months old
- Two heifer calves
- One McCormick binder, 6-ft. cut
- One Moline binder with truck, 7-ft. cut
- One Standard mower, new, 5-ft. cut
- One Minnesota mower, 5-ft. cut
- One Moline mower, 5-ft. nearly new
- One Minnesota hay rake, 10-ft. nearly new
- One McCormick rake, 10-ft.
- One hay rake, 14-ft.
- One Champion rake, 10-ft
- One 14 disc harrow
- One 13 shoe Van Brunt drill
- One 3-horse Boss harrow, good as new
- One Emerson sulky plow with new breaker attachment.
- One wide tire wagon, complete
- One truck wagon
- One wood rack
- One hay rack
- One flax attachment
- One 4-horse power gasoline engine and sawing outfit
- One Martin feed mill, 8-in. burr
- One 6-ft. bob sleigh
- Two bob sleighs, 7-ft. runners
- One cutter
- One double buggy
- One single buggy
- One new hay sweep
- Two sets work harness
- One set light harness.
- 26 grain sacks
- One pump jack
- One grindstone
- One 4-horse equalizer
- One DeLaval cream separator
- Some oats
- Some lumber
- 25 tons upland hay
- 50 chickens
- All household goods and other things too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch at Noon

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921.

Eric Ruud, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to quit farming I will sell at public auction on the south half of southwest quarter, Section 24, Township of Norden, three miles west and one mile north from Thief River Falls, the following described personal property, on

Wednesday, Nov. 3, 1920

HORSES

- One roan mare 5 years old, wt. 1350
- One grey colt, coming 3 years old
- One black horse, 9 years old, wt. 1350

CATTLE

- One Guernsey cow 3 years old, milking now
- One Guernsey cow 3 years old, fresh in Feb.
- One Guernsey cow 4 years old, fresh in Feb.
- One Guernsey cow 9 years old, fresh in Nov.
- One Guernsey cow 8 years old, fresh in Nov.
- One Guernsey cow 8 years old fresh in Feb.
- One Guernsey cow 4 years old, fresh in March.
- One Guernsey cow 3 years old, fresh in May
- One Guernsey cow 7 years old, fresh in Feb.
- One Guernsey cow 7 years old, fresh in Feb.
- One Guernsey cow, 6 years old, milking now
- Two heifers, coming 3 years
- Four heifers, coming 4 years
- One seven-eights Hereford bull, coming 3 years
- Three Calves
- Seven pigs
- 60 Chickens

MACHINERY AND TOOLS

- One six-foot Deering binder
- One five-foot Deering mower
- One ten-foot hay rake
- One 14-16 disc harrow
- One 16-in. stubble plow
- One wooden lever drag harrow
- One 3½ H. P. gas engine
- One wood saw
- One pump jack
- One Litz 6-in. feed grinder
- One 5-bbl. water tank
- One International manure spreader
- One Ford touring car
- One wide tire wagon complete
- One truck
- One gravel box
- One scraper

Nine acres of corn in shock. Some hay, 4 barrels and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS OF SALE: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; on sales of over $10.00 bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921, will be accepted.

L. R. Feragen, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

Combination Sale

Having decided to quit farming, we will sell at public auction on the farm of H. O. Listol, the northeast quarter of section 8 in Adger township, 2 miles north of Silverton on

Monday, Nov. 8th

at 10 o'clock

the following property:

HORSES

- One Belgian mare 15 years old, wt. 1500
- One Belgian mare 14 years old, wt. 1500
- One Belgian mare 8 years old, wt. 1200
- One Hamiltonian mare 14 years old, wt. 1100
- One Hamiltonian horse 4 years old, wt. 1100
- One bay horse 10 years old, wt 1100
- One bay mare 7 years old, wt. 1600
- One bay mare 11 years old, wt. 1400
- One bay horse 12 years old, wt. 1500
- One black horse 11 years old, wt. 1400

CATTLE

- One cow 6 years old, fresh in March
- One cow 9 years old, fresh in April
- One cow 4 years old, fresh in April
- One cow 3 years old, fresh in April
- One brown and white cow, fresh in March
- One brown cow, fresh in March
- One brown cow, fresh in March
- One white cow, fresh in May
- One brown and white cow, fresh in Jan.
- One heifer 2 years old, fresh in May
- One cow 11 years, coming fresh in Jan.
- One cow 3 years, coming fresh in Jan.
- Two Deering binders, 7-ft. cut, good as new
- Two Deering mowers 5-ft. cut
- One hay rake, 11-ft.
- One Moline gang plow, 13-in. good as new
- One Victor drill, 16-shoe, good as new
- One Emerson sulky plow, 16 in.
- One 4-horse drag, new last spring
- One Stoughton wagon with box
- One Emerson single buggy
- Two sets of bob sleighs
- One John Deere gang, 13 in.
- One John Deere brush breaker, 14 in.
- One wagon, complete with box
- One steel rim truck wagon
- One hay basket
- One McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
- One Van Brunt drill, 19 shoe
- One 4-horse drag
- One spring tooth drag
- One adjustable 3-horse drag
- One disc harrow, 12 disc

MISCELLANEOUS

- One 1918 Chevrolet car
- Ten ton good upland hay
- 300 bushel oats
- 25 bushel potatoes
- One Stover feed mill, nearly new
- One load heavy tamarack poles
- Two sets work harness
- One single harness
- One 2 H. P., R. V. Engine, good as new
- Two grindstones
- One set heavy Eastern harness
- One set light harness

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- One Majestic steel range
- One Nut Coal heater
- One DeLaval cream separator
- And other household goods too numerous to mention.

TERMS: Under $10.00 cash; over $10.00 bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921.

T. T. Ose & Halvor O. Listol

Owners

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer First National Bank, Clerk.

AUTO-OWNER OR FARMER MUST PAY FOR ROADS

Former is Willing to Stand the Cost Imposed on Him By Amendment No. 1.

Will Mean the Addition of $10,000,000 Each Year to State Road Fund.

Opposition Disappears as Facts are Explained to Men and Women Voters.

Asserting that scattered opposition is fast disappearing as the proposition is correctly understood, Senator L. H. Nord, secretary of the voluntary campaign organization, is predicting the adoption of Good Roads Amendment No. 1.

"Minnesota taxpayers realize that the roads must be kept passable, whichever plan is adopted and that the big question first on the pink ballot Nov. 2, is simply whether Amendment No. 1 will be passed to allow automobiles and trucks to pay part of the expense," says Senator Nord.

From Where Money Comes.

"Good Roads Amendment No. 1 will furnish $10,000,000 a year of additional road money without increases *in road taxes or big issues of bonds,* which otherwise will be necessary. Motor vehicle licenses will yield more than $6,300,000 and the full allotment of federal aid will be obtainable. That money will be used to maintain and improve the 7,000 mile trunk highway system. It will permit, engineers state, the proper maintenance first of every mile, and also each year the graveling of 400 miles and the hard-surfacing of 200 miles on which traffic is so heavy that gravel surfacing is too expensive.

Counties-Towns Gain More.

"County and town roads will benefit to the same or a greater extent under the proposed plan," says Senator Nord. "They have less than $17,000,000 this year, exclusive of bond receipts, and the biggest part is being spent on main roads. Under Amendment No. 1 the counties and towns will be supplied with more than $15,000,000 of current funds—all state aid and tax revenue—to use on local roads alone. Because of the lighter traffic on the local roads, that big sum will make possible the rapid permanent improvement of all roads left to the counties and towns.

"Under the new plan more than $25,000,000 will be provided every year for work on Minnesota roads on the basis of present road taxes, and the full federal and state aid apportionments. It is generally appreciated that greater sums must be spent on the roads and it is just as plain that if Amendment No. 1 is defeated, road taxes must be raised and bonds issued and charged against the land—to the regular taxpayers.

Auto Owners Offer Help.

"While the average taxpayer is opposed to higher taxation for roads, the automobile and truck owners are willing to pay higher license fees if the proceeds are spent on the roads. They are satisfied that their savings on car depreciation and upkeep, especially on gasoline and tires, will return them cash gains every year besides assuring comfortable, all-year going. The man who votes 'no' on Amendment No. 1, says in effect to the motor vehicle owner: "Keep your money and we will pay more road taxes and struggle along."

Citizens taking that stand are few, the senator adds, and do not understand the proposed plan, having listened to misrepresentations. They are under false impressions that Amendment No. 1 will mean wholesale paving of state roads, big bond issues to be paid off by taxes on land, and so forth, while the contrary is true, as made plain in the foregoing.

Facts Easy to Get.

"As for the bond feature," continued Senator Nord, "Amendment No. 1 limits the amount of road bonds to $10,000,000 a year and to total of $75,000,000 outstanding at any one time. But a law authorizing county commissioners to issue a total of more than $20,000,000 of road bonds without a vote of the people will be of no effect after the day Amendment No. 1 takes force, if it is adopted. So it cannot be said that the proposed plan is backed by a scheme to float a big bond issue.

"All these features were carefully considered by the legislature of 1919 with the result that the members became convinced that no better plan could be framed and voted almost unanimously to present Amendment No. 1 to the voters. The legislative endorsement in itself should influence the average citizen to support the proposed plan if he is unable to obtain detailed information. Every community now has residents well-informed on the plan, however, and they are explaining away every objection offered."

A Snap in Coffee

We are still selling a strictly high grade of coffee at a reduction of NINE CENTS or more on every pound. Our regular 48c brand is now being sold at, per pound

39c

10 pounds $3.70
25 pounds 9.00

You can't beat this. Why pay more?

ZEH & CURRAN
Consumers Wholesale Grocers

The Lyceum

Friday
FLORENCE REED
in
"THE ETERNAL SIN"
and
A Rainbow Comedy

Saturday
HARRY CAREY
in
"THE ACE IN THE SADDLE"
and
JACK DEMPSEY
in
"DARE DEVIL JACK"

Sunday-Monday
NAZIMOVA
in
Her Greatest Play
"THE BRAT"
also
MONTY BANKS
in
"NAUGHTY, NAUGHTY NIGHT"

The Princess

Sunday-Monday
ROBERT WARWICK
in
"THE 14th MAN"
also
ANDY and MIN
and
A Burton Holms Travelogue

TEACHERS HAVE GOOD MEETINGS; OUR TURN NEXT

Fine Attendance and Much Interest in Topics Presented For Discussion.

Thief River Falls and Pennington County Educators in Prominent Parts.

Next Session Expected to Be Held in This City During October, 1921.

The Northwestern Minnesota Educational association held its annual convention at Warren October 20-22 with an attendance of 467 members. The four days were devoted to general sessions, sectional meetings and round table talks, much being accomplished at each gathering. The Northwestern association voted to affiliate with the Minnesota Educational association, which organization recently revised its constitution with the hope that a state-wide organization of teachers would result. The affiliation of the two associations completes the state organization and places Minnesota well to the fore along educational lines.

The constitution of the M. E. A. provides for three standing committees: a committee on resolutions, a committee on appropriations and a committee on legislation, one member from each division to be elected annually to each committee. W. A. Ziegler, superintendent of schools at Thief River Falls, was elected to the appropriations committee; G. H. Sanberg, superintendent of the Crookston schools, to the legislative committee and David Johnson, county superintendent of Marshall county, to the committee on resolutions.

Pioneer in Movement.

"Scientific Tests" (with demonstrations), a paper read by Superintendent W. A. Ziegler, proved to be one of the most interesting features of the general sessions. It is now possible to determine the exact status of a pupil's ability along various lines by scientific tests, and because of the fact that Superintendent Ziegler has been one of the first to apply these tests along educational lines in the state his demonstration of the test for musical ability met with great interest and approval. Among other Pennington county teachers' papers were: "A County Teachers' Patriotic League" by George M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools; "Practical Applications of the Montessorri Method," Susan M. Schmitt; "The Chief Points in the Failure of Pupils to Grasp Latin Grammar," Grace Iverson; "How Can a Foreign Language Best be Taught to Pupils Who are Deficient in a Knowledge of English Grammar?" Signe B. Svedal; "What Plans Can be Devised to Make Students More Interested in Science Work?" Gordin B. Melby, and a treatise on economics by Ruth M. Elliott.

Reception to Visitors.

A reception was tendered the visiting teachers by the city of Warren on Thursday evening, a musical program and a delightful lunch being the features of the evening. The Warren Juvenile band appeared several times on the program during the four days and well deserved the praise accorded them by all. Other entertainment features were the schoolmasters' banquet on Friday evening and the clash of the Warren and Crookston high school elevens on Friday afternoon. The latter was a well fought game and looked like a 0-0 tie until the last quarter when Crookston drop-kicked, resulting in a 3-0 score in their favor.

The 467 visiting members of the association voted the city of Warren to be royal hosts and hostesses, because of the agreeable and pleasant spirit of the reception accorded them. The entire expenses of the convention were borne by the city, acting in conjunction with the commercial club and other local organizations. The entertainment of the four days bore evidence to complete co-operation on the part of the citizens of Warren.

Through the courtesy of Superintendent Ziegler the convention was held at Warren this year instead of at Thief River Falls. At the business meeting Saturday afternoon, Superintendent G. H. Sanberg of the Crookston schools, was elected to the presidential chair of the association for the coming year; Miss Sedate Brown of Alvarado was elected vice-president and Superintendent Gunderson to the office of secretary and treasurer. As it is the custom for the association to elect a secretary-treasurer from the place for its next convention, Thief River Falls will be honored in 1921.

A Statement to the Voters.
(Political Advertisement.)

I have been informed that Mr. Sortedahl, who is a candidate for Representative from this District, has on several occasions stated that I supported Senate File No. 262 for a consideration. I brand this as a falsehood of the rankest kind and refer the voters to page 1079 of the House Journal for 1919, where the vote on this bill is recorded, and which shows that I did not vote for the bill at all, while Mr. Sortedahl did. There was no opposition to the measure in the House and it seems absolutely ridiculous that anyone should be accused of receiving a consideration for supporting a measure that was not opposed, even had I voted for it. I cannot but question Mr. Sortedahl's motive in circulating this absurd report, and hereby take the liberty to ask Mr. Sortedahl to explain, 1, why he voted to kill the primary election law; 2, why did he vote for the so called "Public Be Damned" law? 3, why he voted against state insurance under the Workmen's Compensation act and now claims to favor state insurance?

Signed,
WALTER E. DAY,
Bagley, Minn.

SALVATIONISTS TO OFFER TAGS NOV. 2

Sum Raised in This Way Will Be Credited to County's Regular Quota.

Minnesota is to have another candidate to vote for at the polls on election day, Nov. 2.

Announcement was made Saturday that all citizens of age will be given an opportunity to vote for the Salvation Army and the activities it represents at the voting precincts in every county in the state.

In other words, the Salvation Army will put on a unique Tag Day in Minnesota on election day, in which solicitors will be stationed at every voting precinct and those who subscribe to the Salvation Army's financial appeal for $268,050 will be given a tag bearing the inscription "I voted for the Salvation Army."

County financial chairmen and workers in many of the counties have already taken hold of the plan with much enthusiasm, and are formulating plans to have every precinct and voting booth in their respective counties taken care of.

"Aside from the fact that the tags or buttons will signify who has donated to the Salvation Army, they will also serve to show who has fulfilled his or her solemn duty of voting for the candidates for national, state and local offices," said Henry C. Hanke, chairman of the state advisory board. "It is bound to stimulate the voting in all districts by reminding those who haven't done so to get out early and cast their ballots."

All funds collected by the Tag Day workers will be added to the county quotas in the counties where they were received. It is hoped in this way to put most of the county apportionments over the top.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minn., postoffice for the week ending Oct. 23, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch, Chicago Ill.:

- Bennet, Mrs. Alice E.
- Bolstad, Mr. Nils N.
- Bostrom, Rev. Oscar F.
- Dalton, George
- Hasler, A. E.
- Offerdahl, Miss Ida
- Olson, Mr. Lewis
- Peterson, Chas.
- Peterson, Esther
- Royston, Mr.
- Rice, Fred
- Ronning, A. V.
- Samuelson, Miss Lydia
- Thief River Fall Co.
- Thompson, W. A.
- Wheelwright, R. R.

When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

Resolutions of Appreciation and Condolance.

WHEREAS, Mrs. Sarah Tilton has answered the last summons of the Almighty and gone to her reward and,

WHEREAS, the deceased has during the last twenty years rendered valuable service to our lodge in the capacity of janitor of the hall;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the undersigned committee in behalf of Young Pine Lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F., that we herewith express our appreciation for the long and faithful service rendered our lodge by the deceased, and that we wish to extend our heartfelt sympathy and condolence to the relatives and friends of the deceased who now mourn her death.

CARL ANGELL,
E. E. GAGE,
ADOLF EKLUND,
Committee.

6-28

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT—Ordered inserted by Lars Backe, Thief River Falls, candidate for Judge of Probate, in his own behalf. Amount to be paid, $1.00.

LARS BACKE For Judge of Probate X

Eleventh hour opposition has developed—A missing cross mark is a vote for my opponent. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

WANTED

500 young people to prepare for positions in Banks, Wholesale and R. R. offices, in law and real estate offices. Also as Auto and Tractor experts. Positions in Garages and Machine shops. Board and room $4.50 to $6 per week. Write Crookston College, J. C. Sathre, Pres., Crookston, Minn.

"Gets-It" Wonder Corn Peeler

Just as Good for Calluses. Money Back if it Fails

Don't be bossed through life by a pesky corn or callus. Don't let a corn tell you when to sit down. Don't wear shoes too large for you because a corn says you must. Get rid of the darned thing.

"Peel the Whole Corn Right Off and be Rid of It"

It's a revelation to corn sufferers, the wonderful way that "Gets-It" banishes corns. Spend two minutes—that's all—to apply 2 or 3 drops to any corn or callus. The pain will stop instantly. In a few seconds the corn dries right up. Soon it has loosened so you can peel it off in one complete piece, root and all. "Gets-It" is sold by all druggists; money back on request, costs but a trifle. Mfd. by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Lambert's drug store, Andrew Bottelson and J. P. Curtis.

A Farmer's Investment

What is?
A Certificate of Deposit.
How so?

Because he can earn 5 per cent interest on his money without tying it up for longer than six months.

Got money you won't need until May? "C. D" it in the

First and Peoples State Bank

The Older We Grow
The Better Our Service.

Thief River Falls - - Minnesota

Kill That Cold With

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous

Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY BACKS CO-OPERATION TO SOLVE FARM PROBLEMS

SUPPORT the party which CAN DO THINGS FOR THE FARMER and which recognizes farming as America's basic industry.

STATE and National Republican candidates are PLEDGED TO AGRICULTURAL REFORMS THROUGH CO-OPERATIVE ENTERPRISES OWNED BY FARMERS.

TO insure this program elect state officers who will WORK WITH AND NOT IN OPPOSITION to the National Administration, Harding and Preus—Harmony and Prosperity.

THE Republican party, the party of sanity and co-operation, makes good its pledges.

ITS candidates are men of the highest type. They are fitted to serve by ability and experience.

YOU nominated them in June. LET'S FINISH THE JOB Tuesday, Nov. 2.

(To vote for Harding and Coolidge, put X opposite group of Republican Presidential Electors as below:)

For Presidential Electors: Mrs. Eugene Dieudonne, Richard F. Wakefield, George E. Wicker, Dr. George Weiser, W. W. Sivright, Mrs. Stella A. Whitman, W. T. Francis, O. W. Miller, A. W. Wells, A. D. Coates, John P. Lukoin, J. A. Grahek — Republican—HARDING ☒

FOR GOVERNOR
J. A. O. PREUS ☒

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
LOUIS L. COLLINS ☒

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE
MIKE HOLM ☒

FOR STATE TREASURER
HENRY RINES ☒

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL
CLIFFORD L. HILTON ☒

FOR RAILROAD AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSIONER
O. P. B. JACOBSON ☒

FOR JUSTICE SUPREME COURT
HOMER B. DIBELL ☒

DON'T TAKE CHANCES; VOTE IT STRAIGHT

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Editorial.

The Thief River Falls high school will be represented in the Interscholastic Debating contest by the debating forum which has been recently organized, instead of by the public speaking class, as last year.

The advantage of the new system is that it will be more representative of the school than it would be if the debating team should be selected entirely from the public speaking class. The debating forum will confine its activities solely to the question to be debated on, and the team will thus be better able to represent the school than if it should do its debating work as a side issue in the public speaking class.

Senior Class Meeting.

At a class meeting last week the Seniors were favored with a short talk by Supt. Ziegler, who is intensely interested in the welfare of the Senior class. Every Senior would do well in considering the words of advice which he gave to the class as a whole, because co-operation, which was the theme of his speech, is absolutely essential for the success of the class in any of its activities. He mentioned in particular the publishing of the Annual which he anticipated would be the best that has ever been put out by any class in this high school providing the whole class works in a unit, everyone assisting the staff in its work.

Annual Staff Meets.

Friday evening the members of the Annual Staff of 1921 had their first meeting at the high school, for the purpose of working out plans by which the whole school may be aroused to assist in the production of the Annual. The work to be pursued by the members of the various departments was somewhat outlined. It was also decided that the staff should meet every Wednesday evening.

The members of the staff are determined and there is absolutely no doubt but that they will produce the best annual that has ever been published in the high school.

Debate Forum.

The Debate Forum met at 7 o'clock last Tuesday evening under the direction of Mr. Pierce.

The members were given a brief survey as to what would be expected of them in this work and what their question for debate would be.

The local Forum will become a member of the Minnesota State High School Debating League, which gives our club equal showing with other associations of the leagues in competing for the state championship.

First will be debated the preliminaries followed by the inter-district debates and then the finals.

After the preliminaries the team winning will take part in what is known as the inter-district debate, staged between various districts.

Following the inter-district debate the winners of which will meet in St. Paul April 26, in a final grapple for the cup.

The members adjourned with a bright forsight into the club's future success, their last debate in St. Paul and winners of the cup.

Boys' Glee Club Meets On Tuesday Evening

Our efficient music instructor, Miss Johnson, is making good progress with her Glee clubs. There seems to be some trouble in getting the boys out evenings to practice, but she expects to overcome that within a short time. Miss Johnson is building the music interest up to a higher standard than it has ever been in the past and that is saying a good deal for the music classes, although she cannot do this alone, she must have everyone's co-operation and support. All that are interested in the music classes or Glee club, please turn out.

Junior Activities.

Last Thursday evening the Juniors tore down all the Senior decorations and banners, putting their own up in place of them. The Junior class is the liveliest class in high school. Two weeks ago the Juniors and Freshmen put up their banners on the flag pole east of the high school and they are still up. Now what's the matter with the Senior-Sophomore bunch? Are they dead? The Sophomores haven't even tried to put one up, while the Seniors only put theirs up temporarily. We ask you—how long did the Senior banner stay up? Just one day, and it wouldn't have stayed up that long if it had not been for the Juniors and Freshmen observing and obeying the school rule; that a flag stays up during school hours. Did the Seniors and Sophomores adhere to this rule? No! They took our colors down during school hours.

The Smith-Hughes students have tried to take our colors down but they only have succeeded in putting them up higher. The pole-rope was broken and they pulled on the end, so instead of pulling it down they only pulled it up further, for which the Juniors and Freshmen show their appreciation.

We also ask you—how long did the Smith-Hughes banner stay up? Just half a day. And who took it down? The Juniors and the Freshmen. The Smith-Hughes broke the school rule by putting the flag up at noon. They thought that it would be impossible for us to take it down, as they had put cement sacks over the trap door in the roof. But that's not the only way of getting on the top of the building. We mean the trap-door route.

We challenge the Seniors-Sophomores and the Smith-Hughes bunch to take down our banner and put up theirs. Ours has been up so long that it is almost worn out and if the other classes don't take it down, we'll be forced to ourselves. But listen, we will also put up a better one in place of it. Why don't you take it down? Where's your school spirit?

Remember this is a challenge from the two liveliest classes in high school.

Signed,
A JUNIOR.

Students Practice Yells.

Four bells and to the assembly. Our cheer leader, Edward Fiterman, was in charge. He took his place on the stage and ordered everyone to stand. It took some time for Edward to make all the students see and put forth all their pep, but toward the end of the period he had them all in a yelling trance. We are all anxious to see how he conducts them at the game Tuesday. The team undoubtedly will need their support.

Central News.

Prizes Offered to Grade Schools.

One hundred and ten boys and girls of the grade and rural schools of Minnesota, are partaking in an Essay Contest on "Good Roads Amendment No. 1." The Highway Improvement Association of St. Paul will give two hundred dollars in cash prizes for the one hundred best essays on the subject "Good Roads." The essay should state the benefits of good roads and the good it will bring to the pupils community and also give reasons to vote "Yes" for Good Roads Amendment No. 1. Leaflets were given to the pupils explaining the amendment plan. The contest offer is to encourage the boys and girls to write about a subject of wide current interest and at the same time educate them on the Good Roads Amendment No. 1. The following are two essays out of six which have been sent in:

Good Roads.

One day as a farmer was coming into town in his new automobile right after a rainy day, he slid from one side of the road to the other. When he was not very far from town his tire blew out, so he had to jump out and try to fix it, but he saw that it was too muddy, so he had to go on to town. When he was not more than half a mile from town he bounced down into a large hole in the road and broke the axle of his car. This he could not fix so he went to the nearest neighbor and hired a team of horses to bring his broken car to town.

When the farmer got to the garage he saw posters all along the wall: "Vote 'yes' for Good Roads Amendment No. 1."

As soon as he saw the manager he said, "What are you putting those posters up for?"

The manager said, "If we had what those posters mean passed, you would not have so much damage done to your car."

The farmer began to wonder and thought that perhaps it may be a good plan so he asked the manager, "What is this for and what is it?"

"Well," began the manager, "this Babcock Amendment No. 1 for good roads is to better roads to every man's door."

"I don't see how they can do that," said the farmer.

"Yes, they can," said the manager. "The state betters the largest highways and this leaves the money to improve the others to every man's door."

"I suppose we will have to pay for it then," said the farmer.

"No," said the manager. "The car owners pay an average of $18.00 annually."

"Oh, well," said the farmer, "that won't amount to so much because we can save more than that on just repairs."

So that night the farmer went home with a happy thought on his mind and soon gave it to many others.

MABEL STOKKE.

Good Roads.

The purpose of Amendment No. 1 is to establish a main trunk highway. The people who vote must know all about the "Babcock Plan" and vote intelligently. A majority of "yes" votes on Amendment No. 1 will enable the legislature to establish a seven thousand mile system of main trunk highways extending over the entire state of Minnesota.

"Good Roads" will be a benefit to auto owners because it will save on tires and gasoline and will increase the comfort and conveniences of driving. The state will be responsible for the care of the main roads and the counties responsible for the care of the less important roads.

When you vote for Minnesota's plan you are voting for a greater Minnesota.

"Good Roads" will help link farms and towns together. It will establish closer communication between town and country people. It will help them to grow larger. The farmers are highly favorable of Amendment No. 1 because good roads passing through or near a farming community at once adds greatly to the value of the farm lands. It brings it in touch with the interests and institutions of the villages, towns, or cities near by. It will help to develop our resources; build up our institutions and promote our own great interests. The building of this 7,000 mile trunk highway system will not increase taxes except upon motor vehicles. It will enable people to use trucks instead of horses on all roads. Women are counted on to vote "yes" for the amendment because of its direct bearing on the cost of living and other problems in the home—because of the close relation between good roads and good schools, good churches, good citizens and good communities.

OLIVE AALAND

7th-8th Volley Ball.

The boys of the seventh and eighth grades of the Central school have organized an associate volley-ball team. The girls plan on organizing a team later. The captains and managers of the teams are:

Richard Zeh—Captain.
John Stewart—Manager.
Lawrence Mulry—Captain, eighth.
William Stageberg — Manager eighth.
George Lonson—Captain, seventh.
Ardell Robinson—Manager seventh.

Northrup News.

Nine teachers from the Northrup school went to Warren Friday where they attended the Teachers' Convention.

Mothers' Day is being observed Thursday, Oct. 28, instead of Friday, the 29th, which had formerly been planned. The school rooms are being decorated in Hallowe'en decorations, made by the children, and invitations have been sent out to all the mothers.

One-half hour a week in each class is being devoted to play-ground work, each teacher taking charge of her own class.

Junior Red Cross activities have been resumed by the children and subscriptions to the Junior Red Cross Magazine are being taken.

Championship Chances For Football Gone

On Tuesday afternoon the local high school football squad took on the Bemidji squad. This game decided the district championship but luck was against the locals and they met with disastrous defeat.

The Bemidji team worked like a clock. They tried very few line plunges but resorted to forward passes, which they generally got away with. The outcome of the game could easily be seen at the end of the first quarter.

In the last half the locals held them down to two touchdowns, both of which were made by forward passing. The final score was 49 to 0 in favor of the Bemidji "Jack Pine Savages." The Bemidji squad is the same squad which played in 1917, with the exception of one man, every player but one graduating this coming spring.

Normal Department.

Miss Ober: "Give some reasons for having the Marble & Granite Works in Thief River Falls."

Gladys E. (aside in whispers) "Because there are so many bad people here and when they die they have to be kept down with something heavy."

Miss Ober: "Name some animals that do not live in the forest."

Miss Burns: "Weasels grown on the prairie."

The Girls in Group 1 of the Normal Department are making booklets on Farm and Farm Home Improvements, while Group 2 is making Hallowe'en decorations.

While visiting the Broom Factory the Normal girls were presented with a broom for the department. Now there is trouble over it; neither of the teachers want to claim it. We suppose it is because they do not want to use it.

Illustration given by Miss Perry:

In school the primary pupils were learning all about cows. One night one little boy came home and said to his Mother: "Mother, I want a glass of milk." "I'm very sorry but there isn't any milk left," said Mother.

"Why there is lots of grass in the yard," quoted the boy.

The Mother did not understand what he meant so asked what that had to do with the milk.

"Well can't we grind up the grass and get milk, that is what the cow does, isn't it?" said the boy.

Helen: "Yes, the Indians scalloped the white people around here in early days."

In Geography the Normal girls are learning something about our own town. I wonder how many of us know why this place was named Thief River?

Let no one point their finger of scorn at Thief River. It is an ancient name, hoary with the traditions of centuries and was without doubt, the proper title of this stream before Columbus discovered the New World. The first white man who set foot in this region found the lake and river so called and learned the Indian traditions of the origin of the name, learned how a grim Sioux murderer, long before his tribe had been driven out by the Chippewas, had concealed himself in the vicinity of the river and for years lived an outlaw's life of pillage and robbery, escaping capture though surrounded by the enemies.

About the year 1750, the Chippewas drove the Sioux (Dakotas) out of Northern Minnesota, although for years thereafter bands of Sioux warriors continued to roam this country as far east as Red Lake and to give battle to their hereditary enemies. The Chippewas translated the name but retained the meaning.

During this time the agents of the Hudson Bay Company penetrated into this region and in 1800 Alexander Henry, a fur trader, writes of "Lac Aux Valur's and "River Aux Valur's" that is in French, "Lake and River of Thieves."

Major S. H. Long of the United States army of 1823 headed an expedition which explored the Red River as far north as Winnipeg. On the map accompanying his report of this journey he notes, "Thief River," probably the first time the name was set down in the English language.

"Quiz."

No doubt every one is somewhat interested as to the origination of the queer word: "Quiz."

The word Quiz had its strange birth within twenty hours of time by a Mr. Brady of Dublin and of Irish birth.

Mr. Brady while talking to some person in Dublin made the wager that he could introduce a new word into the English language within twenty-four hours. His wager was taken up.

As a result Mr. Brady united the four letters q-u-i-z in the word quiz and had it written throughout Dublin on sidewalks, buildings, etc., and because of the questioning of the people as to the meaning of this word, it was given the meaning of questioning.

Personals

Mildred Dibble visited school Tuesday afternoon.

Howard Strubble appeared in English II this morning with a new pair of glasses on. He ought to be able to get his lessons now.

Mr. Mellby left for Warren Thursday morning to attend the Teachers' Convention.

Adelyne LaBree looked lost the other morning when she came to school without her hair ribbon.

Miss Patrick was unable to teach her classes last Tuesday on account of illness.

Bernard Bishcoff, who has been harvesting in Sask., Can., for the past two months, arrived home last Thursday night to continue his school work.

"Fat" has a new Ford now. How about it "Fat?"

We are glad to hear that Charles Herron is rapidly recovering from his accident in the football game last Saturday. He will be able to be up and around soon.

During the past week the gymnasium has been cleaned out and the baskets have been placed in their places. The physical training classes helped with the work.

Supt. Ziegler attended the Teachers' Convention at Warren last Thursday and Friday.

Clara Oien spent the week-end with her folks.

Ina Stageberg, an alumnus, who has been teaching at Plummer, visited school on Monday.

Lois Struble and brother Howard spent the week-end at the home of their parents.

Marie Kruse and Violet Krohn visited with Ruby Jensen at Goodridge Saturday and Sunday.

Grace Craig, Ruth Dybvik, Myrtle Helgeland and Clara Oien motored out to Finstad's to attend the Y. P. S. They returned the same evening.

Esther Hadrath, a member of the Senior class, is confined to the Physicians' hospital, following an operation for appendicitis.

Elida Paulson returned to her home this week from the Warren hospital after a period of illness.

Anna Majeres has returned to school after an illness of six weeks.

Viola Lund was confined to her home a few days last week, after having her tonsils removed.

No classes were held on Friday because the majority of the teachers attended the convention at Warren.

Allen Fossum is in school again after a short vacation.

Among the high school teachers who spent Friday at the teachers' convention at Warren were: Supt. Ziegler, Pierce, Tommeraasen, Melby, Johnson, Hoorn, Brown, Cottitt, Miller, Svedahl, Iverson, Swift, Elliott and Tripp.

Hulda Gustafson of the Normal department, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Viking.

Roscoe Bakke, former student of this school, who is now attending the University of North Dakota, visited in this city over Sunday with friends.

Albert Stengelson spent the week-end at his home near Rosewood.

More Light on New Railroad Rates

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Aside from the activities of so-called profiteers, the rate advance should result in more normal prices. We cannot govern the profiteer, but we can make his job harder by keeping the markets open and the supply of food stuffs plentiful.

That is what we will do now with the improved facilities made possible by our increased income. It cannot happen over night—the task is too great. There is much to be done. The Great Northern Railway will do its part: we ask the co-operation of all so that our work may be accomplished more quickly and your community benefited the sooner.

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Candidate for Representative 65th Legislative District. Nominated by the Nonpartisan League. Setqtled near Plummer in 1893. Has taken a leading part in every Co-operative venture in his community, and held office in all of them. He is an honest and fearless champion for the rights of the farmer. A vote for him is a vote in the interest of the common people.

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Candidate for re-election as Representative 65th Legislative District. A graduate from Pillsbury Academy and State School of Agriculture. Works his own farm near Bagley and knows actual farm conditions. Is a strong booster for co-operative enterprises. Made a perfect record in the last session of the Legislature. Vote for Walter E. Day and be sure that the farmers will be remembered.

THOS. H. BJERKE,
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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Sorenson-Meyer.

William Sorenson of this place and Ella Meyer of Steiner were married at Thief River Falls last Wednesday and left the same day for Red Wing where they will spend a brief period visiting with relatives of the bride and will also visit the twin cities on their way home. The newlyweds will take up their abode on the groom's farm two miles north of town. Mr. Sorenson is a capable and intelligent young man who has been engaged at farming in this community all his life and all his friends join in extending their wishes for a very happy union. The bride is also well known throughout the community and is a woman with a sterling character, and the possessor of superior integral qualities which will make her a very desirable life companion.

H. A. Holmen and family, who has been farming a quarter section of land belonging to Martin Williams, east of this place, for the last two years, left last Saturday with their personal belongings and stock for St. Hilaire where they will in the future operate a farm which they have purchased.

Helmer Carlson arrived here by car from Devils Lake, N. D., last Sunday, for a brief visit with his folks and later left for Minneapolis by rail to attend to business matters for a few days.

The general election will be held next Tuesday, Nov. 2, at the Busy Bee school building, Dist. No. 137, four miles north of town. This is the only election place for this township. All U. S. citizens past the age of 21, both male and female, have the right this year to cast their vote on all political matters.

Jos. J. Shreder of Sauk Center has been in this community the past week securing new members for the Minnesota Farmers' Federation, and has so far been quite successful in his work among the farmers.

Jim Thompson left last Sunday for Crookston where he spent the day visiting with friends and returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Streble and family of Angus motored up last Sunday for a brief visit with the Sorenson and Haugen families.

Percy Hanson of Crookston is spending a couple of days over Sunday with his grandfather, P. Sorenson.

At the election held last Friday for the consolidation of school districts No. 2 and 41, Pennington county and 137 and 34 Marshall county, 51 votes were cast for consolidation and 72 against, thus retaining the present school facilities for another year or more. Distance and increased rates of taxation seemed to be the main objective factors for consolidation. Both the school buildings in Dist. No. 2 and one of those in Dist. No. 34 have been condemned by the school authorities and will have to undergo extensive reparation before school can open next fall.

John Rafteseth has this week commenced the erection of a new residence on his farm north of town. The Rafteseth Bros. will occupy the house in possession of John at this time and which is located on the former's estate.

John Ranum is building a new barn on the Thorson farm south of town, which he is operating.

Ole Barhals left last Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls where he will spend a few days attending to business matters.

A number of the village ladies motored out to the P. G. Dale farm last Tuesday to attend the spinning circle.

The Swedish Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Carl Bloom west of town last Thursday and was well attended, among others being a number of Viking people.

Miss Ida Hanson of Alexandria arrived here last Thursday for a two days' visit with the John Sagmoen people, and will also visit with relatives at Thief River Falls before returning home.

The following people of Thief River Falls have paid visits to the John Sor family during the past week: Amund Myrom, Mrs. A. C. Vorseth, Miss Myrtle Senate, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Nordlund.

Howard Carlson arrived home from Moorhead last Thursday where he has been employed for some time.

A number of teachers of Holt and Steiner, including the local teachers, Mesdames Zilda Snider and Ebba Sagmoen and Miss Clara Sorenson, left on the Friday morning local for Warren to attend the teachers' convention.

Olof Opseth arrived home from Moose Jaw, Canada, last Wednesday. Mr. Opseth has spent the past two months working and looking about the country both in North Dakota and Canada.

The Rindal Y. P. S. held their monthly meeting at that church last Saturday evening but was not attended as well as usual, due to the disagreeable weather. The meeting was in charge of the Chairman, Miss Ida Sorenson and a short program was rendered and coffee and lunch served.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. A. Ristau visited at the Bentin home on Monday.

Mrs. H. Weber and daughter Violet were callers at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Ruth Boyce visited at the Prehall home on Sunday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl called at the Martinus Johnson home one day last week.

Mrs. Henry Goethe and daughter Ruth, who have been visiting for a week at the Carl Hochhausen home, returned to their home at Thief River Falls.

Miss Freda Ristau visited at her home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lindsich departed for Strandquist where they will visit for some time.

Miss Hettie Bendickson visited at the Bentin home Thursday.

Miss Clara Overby returned home Thursday from Jelle where she has been visiting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Strubble and children were dinner guests at the Henry Roller home Sunday.

Bernice Strubble visited with Marie Hanson Sunday.

Miss Lena Ristau visited with Minnie Bentin on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Hanson called at the M. Johnson home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan and sons Detlef and Henry, were Sunday guests at the former's home.

Mrs. Henry Hayeth and children, Alice and Glenn and Mrs. C. Benttin, visited at the Roller home Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Stokke and children Olive and Martha, called at the Overby home one day last week.

John Nelson returned home from Superior, Wis., Tuesday, where he has been employed.

Mrs. Stokke and children Stella, Olive and Martha were Sunday guests at the Haggy home.

Laurence Nelson returned home from Fairdale, N. D., Thursday where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne and son were callers at Goodridge one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ristau and family were guests at the A. Ristau home on Sunday.

Rose Vakoch visited at the C. Boyce home Sunday.

Miss Annie Kotlan called at the O. P. Nelson home one evening last week.

WYANDOTTE

Miss Mabel Nelson is visiting at her father's home.

Will Wilson of Canada is visiting relatives and friends here for a few weeks.

Miss Esther Hanson visited at her parental home over Sunday.

James Evenson visited at the Oscar Wilson home Sunday.

Joseph Oftedahl of Bemidji is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Sam Hanson.

Edwin Evenson went to Plummer Monday.

Mrs. John Berglund, who broke her arm a few weeks ago, is improving nicely.

Sam Hanson and Joseph Oftedahl went to Thief River Falls Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Wilson visited at the Charles Carlson home Sunday evening.

The Clearwater Ladies' Aid society will meet at Mrs. Olae Olson's on Wednesday, Nov. 3.

STEINER

Emil Blomberg and Peter Mellem of Rosewood were business visitors at the C. A. Swanson home Tuesday afternoon.

The Taggart folks, residing about six miles north of Rosewood, drove through this vicinity Thursday on their trip to Thief River Falls where they spent the day attending to various business matters.

Arnie Solem of this place is employed at the Carsten Christiansen farm in the town of Norden, assisting with the fall work.

Several of the boys of this vicinity spent Sunday hunting partridges, rabbits, etc.

Gust Opseth of Rosewood has been threshing south of Steiner recently with his Oil Pull threshing outfit.

C. A. Swanson and Martin Johnson of Grantsburg, Wis., spent last Friday at Warren attending to the real estate affairs of Anton Mortenson.

Miss Ruth Solem, who teaches school near Newfolden, spent the week-end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem of this place. She returned to Thief River Falls Sunday evening from where she proceeded to Newfolden.

O. Thompson of Rosewood has purchased the cattle which belonged to Anton Mortenson, who met death in an accident.

Rev. O. J. Lundell and Nels Kringeberg, both of Thief River Falls, spent one afternoon recently in this community.

Arnie Solem employed at the C. Christianson farm in Norden, spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem.

Martin Johnson returned to his home near Grantsburg, Wis., Sunday evening, being called here by the sad death of his uncle, Anton Mortenson.

The farmers of this community are busy with their fall plowing and other fall work.

Last week proved to be a very rainy and cold week, although the rain did stop the fall work it was welcome to the farmers.

One of the Stageberg boys of Thief River Falls spent Sunday here hunting.

People of this vicinity motored to Thief River Falls Sunday where they attended services.

The Mattson folks, residing northeast of Rosewood, drove through this vicinity Thursday for Thief River Falls where they spent the day attending to business matters.

Harvey Copp left Steiner Saturday for St. Paul with a carload of cattle.

Several school children attending the county line school have been absent recently on account of illness.

Hjalmer Lindberg of Alvarado, accompanied by Nels Kringeberg of Thief River Falls, motored here Tuesday afternoon and called at the home of Mr. Lindberg's aunt, Mrs. P. Listo.

ERIE

The weather has been very unsteady these last days and hence threshing is not yet finished in the eastern part of the county.

Pete Holstrand trapped a wolf last week and reports that he was glad to get rid of at least one sheep thief in his neighborhood.

Evelyn Thoraldson has been on the sick list and could not attend school.

Mamie King, who was badly injured some time ago by accidentally getting her leg between the spokes in the buggy wheel, is now quite well and able to use her foot.

John Howe, who enlisted in the U. S. Army last spring and who is stationed at Camp Grant, Ill., is home on a ten-day furlough.

Henry Thorsendahl is spending a few days visiting relatives in Bagley.

A special school meeting was held in the Little Oaks school near Neptune last Wednesday evening. Supt. Gunderson was present and all turned out well.

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Minneapolis, Minn.)

Overshadowing other news the Great Britain labor crisis which, according to English dispatches, threatens their present system of government and is evidently occasioned by something more serious than a money difference, has noticeably weakened a growing optimism that the comparatively low prices were at the turning point, thoroughly liquidated and more than discounting our surplus crop.

But the reaction that was presumably due was forced to yield to the probability of restricted European buying of our surplus supplies and cancellation of purchases made resulting from foreign trade paralysis. The situation abroad, therefore, is generally considered of first importance, since we are a country with a surplus the value of which determines our domestic values.

Wheat and rye continue statistically strong or stronger, but the effect of the figures is offset by the general downward business trend, further depreciation of European money, timidity of buyers and more or less pessimism over foreign affairs. Australian wheat crop is reported the largest in years—144 million as against 47 million a year ago. Crop reports from Europe are very limited. Except for Germany, however, fairly satisfactory yields are shown but with advices that farm work progresses slowly on account of unsettled conditions.

In coarse grains also the question now is, "Who wants our 500 million surplus and at what price?" Just as sellers were difficult to find a year ago when prices soared to phenomenally high levels, it is now a difficult proposition to locate a buyer as prices daily sag lower. The weight of surplus is already in the show windows of terminal stocks.

Apparently the only probable prospects in favor of holders of grain are the low prices, (at some points having high freight rates corn makes a cheaper fuel than coal); the hope of prompt settlement of the British crisis, resumption of domestic and export buying which, on account of the present slow demand, should be later unusually heavy, continued light receipts from the country resulting in oversold markets necessitating new buying to meet December delivery contracts.

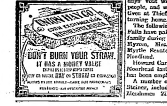

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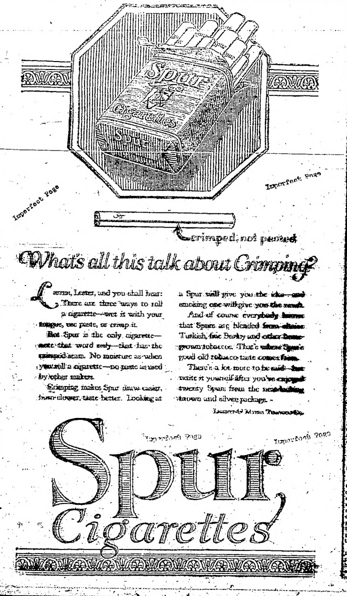

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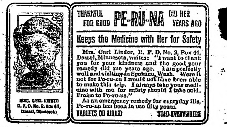

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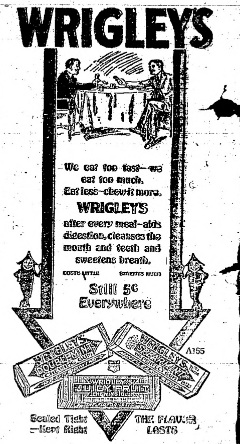

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and a Proposed Law Relating to Taxation of Railroad Properties.

Submitted by the Legislature at its General Session, 1919, to the People of Minnesota at the General 1920 Election Together with Statements of

Purpose and Effect of each

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JULIUS A. SCHMAHL

Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL,
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA.
February 1, 1920.

HON. JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State,
Capitol, St. Paul, Minn.

SIR:

As required by Section 45, General Statutes of the state of Minnesota for the year 1913, I have the honor to furnish you herewith a statement of the purposes and effects of all amendments proposed to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by the Legislature of 1919, and which are to be submitted to the electors of said state at the general election in 1920.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

(To be known as Article XVI).

Chapter 530, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes to amend the Constitution of the State of Minnesota by adding thereto a new article to be known as Article XVI, which reads as follows:

"Section 1. There is hereby created and established a trunk highway system, which shall be located, constructed, reconstructed, improved and forever maintained as public highways by the state of Minnesota. The said highways shall extend as nearly as may be along the following described routes, the more specific and definite location of which shall be fixed and determined by such boards, officers and tribunals, and in such manner, as shall be prescribed by law, but in fixing such specific and definite routes there shall not be any deviation from the starting points or terminals set forth in this bill, nor shall there be any deviation in fixing such routes from the various villages and cities named herein, through which such routes are to pass.

Route No. 1.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southeasterly at Albert Lea and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point in Albert Lea and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point and on the southerly limits of the city of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of St. Paul and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the boundary line between the state of Minnesota and the province of Ontario, affording Albert Lea, Owatonna, Faribault, Northfield, Farmington, St. Paul, White Bear, Forest Lake, Wyoming, Rush City, Pine City, Hinckley, Sandstone, Moose Lake, Carlton, Duluth, Two Harbors, Grand Marais and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 2.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a southwesterly direction along said Route No. 1 to a point on said route at Carlton and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at Moorhead, affording Duluth, Carlton, McGregor, Aitkin, Brainerd, Motley, Staples, Wadena, Detroit, Moorhead and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 3.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Wisconsin, westerly of La Crosse, Wisconsin, and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the easterly limits of the City of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at Breckenridge, affording La Crescent, Winona, Kellogg, Wabasha, Lake City, Red Wing, Hastings, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Osseo, Champlin, Anoka, Elk River, Big Lake, St. Cloud, Albany, Sauk Center, Alexandria, Elbow Lake, Fergus Falls, Breckenridge and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 4.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southwesterly of Jackson and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 3, southeasterly of Sauk Center and thence extending in a northwesterly direction along said Route No. 3 to a point on said route at Sauk Center and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point at International Falls, affording Jackson, Windom, Sanborn, Redwood Falls, Morton, Olivia, Willmar, Paynesville, Sauk Center, Long Prairie, Wadena, Park Rapids, Itasca State Park, Bemidji, International Falls and intervening and adjacent communities, a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 5.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southerly of Blue Earth and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the southerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and then beginning at a point on the northerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point in Swan River on Route No. 8 hereinafter described, affording Blue Earth, Winnebago, Mankato, St. Peter, Le Sueur, Jordan, Shakopee, Minneapolis, Cambridge, Mora, McGregor, Swan River and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 6.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa, southerly of Ash Creek, and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the state of Minnesota and the province of Manitoba, near St. Vincent, affording Luverne, Pipestone, Lake Benton, Ivanhoe, Canby, Madison, Bellingham, Odessa, Ortonville, Graceville, Dumont, Wheaton, Breckenridge, Moorhead, Kragnes, Georgetown, Perley, Hendrum, Ada, Crookston, Warren, Donaldson, Hallock and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 7.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Winona and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and South Dakota, westerly of Lake Benton, affording Winona, St. Charles, Rochester, Kasson, Dodge Center, Claremont, Owatonna, Waseca, Mankato, St. Peter, New Ulm, Springfield, Tracy, Lake Benton, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 8.

Beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Crookston and thence extending in a westerly and northerly direction along said Route No. 6 to a point on said route northerly of Crookston and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the east bank of the Red River of the North at East Grand Forks, affording Duluth, Floodwood, Swan River, Grand Rapids, Cass Lake, Bemidji, Bagley, Erskine, Crookston, East Grand Forks, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 9.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at La Crescent and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and South Dakota southwesterly of Beaver Creek, affording La Crescent, Hokah, Houston, Rushford, Lanesboro, Preston, Fountain, Spring Valley, Austin, Albert Lea, Blue Earth, Fairmont, Jackson, Worthington, Luverne and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 10.

Beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at or near Wheaton, affording Minneapolis, Montrose, Cokato, Litchfield, Willmar, Benson, Morris, Herman, Wheaton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 11.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at the westerly limits of the city of Duluth and thence extending in a northwesterly and northerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at International Falls and thence extending in a southwesterly direction along said Route No. 4 to a point on said route southwesterly of International Falls and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Donaldson, affording Duluth, Eveleth, Virginia, Cook, Orr, Cusson, International Falls, Baudette, Warroad, Roseau, Greenbush, Donaldson and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 12.

Beginning at a point on the west bank of the St. Croix River near Hudson, Wisconsin and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on the easterly limits of the city of St. Paul and then beginning at a point on the westerly limits of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Madison, affording St. Paul, Minneapolis, Hopkins, Norwood, Glencoe, Olivia, Granite Falls, Montevideo, Dawson, Madison and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 13.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 at Albert Lea and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 5 at Jordan, affording Albert Lea, Waseca, Waterville, Montgomery, New Prague, Jordan and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 14.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 6 at Ivanhoe and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at Redwood Falls and thence extending in an easterly direction along said Route No. 4 to a point on said route at Morton and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 22, hereinafter described, at Gaylord, affording Ivanhoe, Marshall, Redwood Falls, Morton Winthrop, Gaylord and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 15.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa southerly of Fairmont and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 14 at Winthrop, affording Fairmont, Madelia, New Ulm, Winthrop and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 16.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 southwesterly of Mankato and thence extending westerly to a point on Route No. 15 at Madelia and thence extending in a southerly direction along said Route No. 15 to a point on said route southerly of Madelia and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 northerly of Windom and thence extending in a southerly direction along said Route No. 4 to a point on said route at Windom and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point at Fulda and thence extending in a southerly direction to a point on Route No. 9 at Worthington, affording Mankato, Madelia, St. James, Windom, Fulda, Worthington and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 17.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 16 at Fulda and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 at Granite Falls, affording Fulda, Slayton, Garvin, Marshall, Granite Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 18.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Elk River and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 2 easterly of Brainerd, affording Elk River, Princeton, Milaca, Onamia and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 19.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 2 at Brainerd and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 8 at Cass Lake, affording Brainerd, Pine River, Walker, Cass Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 20.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa near Canton and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 9 at or near Preston and thence extending in a northwesterly direction along said Route No. 9 to a point on said route at Fountain and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 in the town of Douglas, Dakota county (T. 112 R. 17 W) affording Canton, Harmony, Preston, Fountain, Chatfield, Oronoco, Pine Island, Zumbrota, Cannon Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 21.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Zumbrota and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 5 at St. Peter, affording Zumbrota, Kenyon, Faribault, Le Sueur Center, Cleveland, St. Peter and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 22.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 at St. Peter and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at Paynesville, affording St. Peter, Gaylord, Glencoe, Hutchinson, Litchfield, Paynesville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 23.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 4 at Paynesville and thence extending in a northeasterly direction through *the villages of Richmond, Coldspring,* Rockville, and Waite Park to a point on Route No. 3 westerly of St. Cloud, and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 5 southerly of Mora, and thence extending in a northerly direction along said Route No. 5 to a point on said route at Mora, and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 1 southerly of Hinckley, affording Paynesville, St. Cloud, Foley, Milaca, Ogilvie, Mora and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 24.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 10 at Litchfield and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at St. Cloud, affording Litchfield, St. Cloud and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 25.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 at or near Belle Plaine and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Big Lake, affording Belle Plaine, Norwood, Watertown, Montrose, Buffalo, Monticello, Big Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 26.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 10 at Benson and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Ortonville, affording Benson, Ortonville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 27.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at St. Cloud and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 2 at Brainerd, affording St. Cloud, Sauk Rapids, Royalton, Little Falls, Brainerd and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 28.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 27 at Little Falls and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and South Dakota at Browns Valley, affording Little Falls, Sauk Center, Glenwood, Starbuck, Morris, Graceville, Browns Valley and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 29.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 28 at Glenwood and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 2 westerly of Wadena, affording Glenwood, Alexandria, Parkers Prairie, Deer Creek and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 30.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Fergus Falls, and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 8 at Erskine, affording Fergus Falls, Pelican Rapids, Detroit, Mahnomen, Erskine and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 31.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 6 at Ada, and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 30 near Mahnomen, affording Ada, Mahnomen and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 32.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 easterly of Crookston and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 11 at Greenbush, affording Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls, Middle River, Greenbush, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 33.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 32 at Thief River Falls and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Warren, affording Thief River Falls, Warren and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 34.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 2 at Detroit and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 8 westerly of Grand Rapids, affording Detroit, Park Rapids, Walker, Remer, Grand Rapids and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 35.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 18 near Mille Lacs Lake and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point at Grand Rapids and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point at Ely, affording Aitkin, Grand Rapids, Hibbing, Chisholm, Buhl, Mountain Iron, Virginia, Gilbert, McKinley, Biwabik, Aurora, Tower and Ely and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 36.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Fergus Falls and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 29 easterly of Henning, affording Fergus Falls, Henning and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 37.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 27 at Little Falls and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 2 at Motley, affording Little Falls, Motley and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 38.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 at Montevideo thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 28 at Starbuck, affording Montevideo, Benson, Starbuck, and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 39.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 at Mankato and thence extending in a southeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 9 westerly of Albert Lea, affording Mankato, Mapleton, Minnesota Lake, Wells and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 40.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa at Lyle and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 7 at Owatonna, affording Lyle, Austin, Blooming Prairie, Owatonna and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 41.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 40 at or near Blooming Prairie and thence extending in an easterly direction to a point on Route No. 56, hereinafter described, near Hayfield, affording Blooming Prairie, Hayfield and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 42.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 easterly of Rochester and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Kellogg, affording Rochester, Elgin, Plainview, Kellogg and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 43.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 at Rushford and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Winona, affording Rushford, Winona and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 44.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 at Hokah and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 20 near Canton, affording Hokah, Caledonia, Canton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 45.

Beginning at a point on the west bank of the St. Croix River at Stillwater and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the easterly limits of the city of St. Paul, affording Stillwater, Lake Elmo, St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 46.

Beginning at a point on the west bank of the St. Croix River at Taylors Falls and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 1 near Wyoming, affording Taylors Falls, Center City, Wyoming and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 47.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 17 at Slayton and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Pipestone, affording Slayton, Pipestone and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 48.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 17 westerly of Granite Falls and thence extending in a westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 at Canby, affording Granite Falls, Clarkfield, Canby and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 49.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 easterly of Montevideo and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 4 southerly of Willmar, affording Montevideo, Clara City, Willmar and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 50.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Cannon Falls and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the southerly limits of the city of Minneapolis, affording Cannon Falls, Farmington, Minneapolis and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 51.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 at Shakopee and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 northerly of Shakopee, affording a connection between said Route No. 5 and said Route No. 12.

Route No. 52.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 5 south of the city of Minneapolis and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on the westerly limits of the United States military reservation at Fort Snelling, affording St. Paul and adjacent communities a reasonable communication with said Route No. 5.

Route No. 53.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Hastings and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on the southerly limits of the city of South St. Paul, affording Hastings, South St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 54.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Elbow Lake and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 10 at Herman, affording Elbow Lake, Herman and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 55.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 2 northwesterly of Carlton and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point in Cloquet, affording Carlton, Cloquet and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 56.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 9 easterly of Austin and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 21 at or near Kenyon affording Brownsdale, Hayfield, Dodge Center, West Concord, Kenyon and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 57.

Beginning at a point in Mantorville and extending in a southerly direction to a point on Route No. 7 southerly or Mantorville, affording Mantorville a reasonable means of communication with said Route No. 7.

Route No. 58.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 20 at Zumbrota and thence extending in a northeasterly direction to a point on Route No. 3 at Red Wing, affording Zumbrota, Red Wing and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 59.

Beginning at a point on the boundary line between the states of Minnesota and Iowa southerly of Spring Valley and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on No. 3 at Lake City, affording Spring Valley, Stewartville, Rochester, Zumbro Falls, Lake City and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 60.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 at Faribault and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 7 at or near Madison Lake, affording Faribault, Morristown, Waterville, Madison Lake and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 61.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Deer River and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 4 at or near Big Falls affording Deer River, Big Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 62.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 3 at Anoka and thence extending in a southeasterly direction to a point on the northerly limits of the city of St. Paul, affording Anoka, St. Paul and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 63.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 1 southerly of Forest Lake and thence extending in a southwesterly direction to a point on the northerly and easterly limits of the city of Minneapolis, affording a reasonable means of communication between Route No. 1 and Minneapolis.

Route No. 64.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 30 northerly of Fergus Falls and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 6 southerly of Moorhead, affording Fergus Falls, Rothsay, Barnesville, Moorhead and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 65.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 8 at Bagley and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 32 southerly of Red Lake Falls, affording Bagley, Clearbrook, Gonvick, Gully, Brooks, Terrebonne and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 66.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 12 at Montevideo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 26 northerly of Appleton affording Montevideo, Appleton and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 67.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 southerly of Echo and thence extending in a northerly and westerly direction to a point on Route No. 17 at or near Granite Falls, affording Echo, Granite Falls and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 68.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 14 at Marshall and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 6 near Canby, affording Marshall, Minneota, Canby and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 69.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 25 at Buffalo and thence extending in a northwesterly direction to a point on Route No. 22 southeasterly of Paynesville, affording Buffalo, Maple Lake, Annandale, Eden Valley, Paynesville and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Route No. 70.

Beginning at a point on Route No. 7 westerly of New Ulm and thence extending in a northerly direction to a point on Route No. 12 at or near the village of Hector, affording Fort Ridgely, Fairfax, Hector and intervening and adjacent communities a reasonable means of communication, each with the other and other places within the state.

Additional Routes.

Whenever, either by reason of the creation of a new county, or by reason of the change of the county seat of any existing county, any city or village not a county seat at the time of the adoption of this amendment is lawfully constituted the county seat of any county, the legislature is authorized to add to the trunk highway system such additional routes connecting such newly constituted county seats with other county seats and other points in the state.

When after at least seventy-five (75) per cent of the total number of the miles of the routes embraced in the trunk highway system hereinbefore specified shall have been constructed and permanently improved, the legislature shall have authority to add new routes to such trunk highway system; provided, however, that no such new routes shall be added until and unless the funds available for the construction, improvement and maintenance of such additional routes shall be sufficient therefor in addition to the construction, improvement and maintenance of the several routes hereinbefore specifically described.

Section 2. There is hereby created a fund which shall be known as the trunk highway sinking fund. Said fund shall consist of the proceeds of any tax imposed on motor vehicles as herein authorized. The moneys in said fund shall be used for the payment of the principal and interest of any bonds which may be issued under the authority of this article; and any moneys in excess of such requirements shall be transferred to a fund which is hereby created and which shall be known as the trunk highway fund. The trunk highway fund shall be used solely for the purposes specified in Section 1 of this article, and when duly authorized by legislative enactment to reimburse any county for the money expended by it subsequent to February 1st, 1919, in permanently improving any road hereinbefore specifically described, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor approved by the commissioner of highways.

Section 3. The legislature is hereby authorized to provide, by law, for the taxation of motor vehicles, using the public streets and highways of this state, on a more onerous basis than other personal property, provided, however, that any such tax on motor vehicles shall be in lieu of all other taxes thereon, except wheelage taxes, so-called, which may be imposed by any borough, city or village. Any such law may, in the discretion of the legislature, provide for the exemption from taxation of any motor vehicle owned by a non-resident of the state, and transiently or temporarily using the streets and highways of the state. The proceeds of such tax shall be paid into said trunk highway sinking fund.

Section 4. The legislature may provide by law for the issue and sale of the bonds of the state in such amount as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of section 1 of this article, provided, however, that the amount of bonds which may be issued in any one calendar year shall not exceed, in the aggregate, ten million dollars, par value, and provided, further, the total amount of such bonds issued and unpaid shall not at any time exceed seventy-five million dollars, par value. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be paid into the treasury of the state and credited to the trunk highway fund. Any bonds so issued and sold shall be for a term not exceeding twenty (20) years. They shall not be sold for less than par and accrued interest and shall not bear interest at a greater rate than five per cent per annum. In case of the trunk highway sinking fund shall not be adequate to meet the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds authorized by the legislature as hereinbefore provided, the legislature may provide by law for the taxation of all taxable property of the state in an amount sufficient to meet the deficiency, or it may in its discretion, appropriate to such sinking fund moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 5. Any and all provisions of the constitution of the state of Minnesota, inconsistent with the provisions of this article, are hereby repealed, so far, but only so far, as the same prohibit or limit the power of the legislature to enact laws authorizing or permitting the doing of the things hereinbefore authorized."

PURPOSE AND EFFECT OF AMENDMENT.

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to establish and provide for the construction and maintenance of a system of roads and highways in the state of Minnesota to be known as "The Trunk Highway System." The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to establish and authorize the enactment of laws, providing for the construction, improvement and maintenance by the state of the highways described in a general way in the amendment, which highways are to be more specifically and definitely located in a manner to be prescribed by law, but any such law must provide that *in fixing a definite location of the various routes* there shall not be any deviation from the starting point or termini described in the routes set forth in the amendment, nor shall there be a deviation in the fixing of the routes from the various villages and cities named in the amendment, and through which the routes are to pass.

If the amendment is adopted, the legislature will be thereby authorized to provide by law for the issuance and sale of the bonds of the state to raise money for the creation of a "Trunk Highway Fund" to be expended for the construction of the roads embraced in the trunk highway system. The legislature cannot, however, issue bonds in any one year exceeding in amount of the par value thereof the sum of $10,000,000, nor can the aggregate of all outstanding unpaid bonds ever exceed $75,000,000. Bonds cannot be sold for less than par or bear interest at a greater rate than five per cent per annum.

The adoption of the amendment will also confer on the legislature authority to levy a tax on motor vehicles, using the public streets and highways, on a more onerous basis than other personal property is taxed. The proceeds of such tax will be credited to the Highway Sinking Fund, which is to be used to pay bonds issued as above; any surplus in the Highway Sinking Fund not needed for the retirement of bonds to be transferred to the Trunk Highway Fund. Motor vehicles taxed by any law passed by the legislature under the amendment, will not be subject to any other tax, except that a wheelage tax may be imposed on such vehicles by any borough, city or village, if they see fit to do so.

In case the tax on motor vehicles is not sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the bonds issued, the legislature, in case of the adoption of the amendment, will be empowered to provide by law, for the taxation of all the taxable property of the state in an amount sufficient to meet the deficiency, or it may, in its discretion, appropriate to such Highway Sinking Fund any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

Chapter 531, Session Laws of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes an amendment to section 7 of article VI of the constitution of the state of Minnesota. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 7. There shall be established in each organized county in the state a probate court, which shall be a court of record, and be held at such times and places as may be prescribed by law. It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of two years. He shall be a resident of such county at the time of his election, and reside therein during his continuance in office, and his compensation shall be provided by law. He may appoint his own clerk where none has been elected; but the legislature may authorize the election, by the electors of any county, of one clerk or register of probate for such county, whose powers, duties, term of office and compensation shall be prescribed by law. A probate court shall have jurisdiction over the estates of deceased persons and persons under guardianship, but no other jurisdiction, except as prescribed by this constitution."

The amendment simply proposes to substitute the word "four" for the word "two" so that the sentence prescribing the duration of the term of office of probate judges will, if the amendment is adopted, read as follows:

"It shall be held by one judge, who shall be elected by the voters of the county for the term of four years."

The purpose of said amendment and its effect, if adopted, will be to make the term of office of judge of probate four years instead of two.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

Chapter 532 Session Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year 1919, proposes an amendment to Section 1 of Article IX of the constitution of said state. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 1. The power of taxation shall never be surrendered, suspended or contracted away. Taxes shall be uniform upon the same class of subjects, and shall be levied and collected for public purposes, but public burying grounds, public school houses, public hospitals, academies, colleges, universities, and all seminaries of learning, all churches, church property, and houses of worship, institutions of purely public charity, and public property used exclusively for any public purpose, shall be exempt from taxation, and there may be exempted from taxation personal property not exceeding in value $200, for each household, individual or head of a family, as the legislature may determine: Provided, that the legislature may authorize municipal corporations to levy and collect assessments for local improvements upon property benefited thereby without regard to a cash valuation, and provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect, modify or repeal any existing law providing for the taxation of the gross earnings of railroads."

If amended said section will read as follows:

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The purpose of said amendment is to empower the legislature to enact laws, to such an extent, and in such a manner, as it may determine, exempting from taxation household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools implements and machinery, and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs; and to authorize the imposition of graduated and progressive taxes on incomes, privileges and occupations.

The effect of the amendment, if adopted, will be to accomplish the purposes above indicated, *to-wit: to authorize the enactment of laws by the legislatures*,

FIRST: Providing for the exemption from taxation, to such an extent and in such manner as the legislature may determine, of household goods, wearing apparel, agricultural products in the possession of the producer, tools, implements and machinery, and all real and personal property owned by county agricultural societies and used for holding agricultural fairs.

SECOND: Providing for the imposition of graduated and progressive taxes on incomes, privileges and occupations.

PROPOSED LAW RELATING TO THE TAXATION OF RAILROAD PROPERTIES.

Chapter 533, Session Laws of the state of Minnesota for the year of 1919, proposes an amendment to section 2226, General Statutes Minnesota 1913, and provides that said amendment shall be submitted to the people of this state for approval or rejection at the 1920 general election. Said section now reads as follows:

"Section 2226. Every railroad company owning or operating any line of railroad situated within, or partly within this state, shall, during the year 1913, and annually thereafter, pay into the treasury of this state, in lieu of all taxes and assessments, upon all property within this state, owned or operated for railway purposes, by such company, including equipment, appurtenances, appendages and franchises thereof, a sum of money equal to five per cent of the gross earnings derived from the operation of such line of railway within this state.

On or before August 15, 1913, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending June 30th, next preceding, and the said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and be payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on September 1st, next thereafter.

On or before February 15, 1914, and annually thereafter, each such railroad company shall make, according to law, a true and just return of all such gross earnings for the six months ending December 31st, next preceding, and said tax of five per centum thereon shall become due and payable to the state of Minnesota in manner provided by law, on March 1st, next thereafter; and the payment of such sums at the times hereinbefore set forth shall be in full and in lieu of all other taxes and assessments upon the property and franchises so taxed; provided nothing in this act shall be construed as modifying any agreement entered into between any municipality within the state and any railroad company relating to the payment of local taxes or assessments.

The lands acquired by public grant shall be and remain exempt from taxation until sold or contracted to be sold or conveyed as provided in the respective acts whereby such grants were made or recognized."

If amended as proposed it will read as follows:

"Section 2226. Every railroad company owning or operating any line of railroad situated within or partly within this state, shall, during the year 1913 and annually thereafter, pay into the treasury of the state, in lieu of all taxes upon all property within this state owned or operated for railway purposes, by such company, including equipment, appurtenances, appendages and franchises thereof, a sum of money equal of five per cent of the gross earnings derived from the operation of such line of railway within this state.

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Under the present law the gross earnings tax paid by railroad companies is in lieu of all other taxes and assessments upon property owned or operated for railroad purposes. Under the proposed amendment such tax will be in lieu of taxes only and railroad companies will become subject to assessments for local improvements in the same way that private persons and corporations, not paying a gross earnings tax, are subject to such assessments.

The purpose of said amendment and its effect, if adopted, will be to subject railroad companies, paying gross earnings taxes, to the payment of assessments for local improvements.

Yours respectfully,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.

LIFT MINNESOTA OUT OF THE MUD

Do Your Share by Voting for Amendment No. 1

FARMERS HOLD PRODUCTS FOR HIGHER PRICES

This Fact Conclusively Proven By Bank Condition Statements Everywhere.

Very Little Liquidation of Obligations Indicated in This Neighborhood.

Deposits Show Slight Falling Off With No Appreciable Reduction in Loans.

The outstanding fact conveyed by the bank statements published last week in Minnesota is that the farmers are holding their crops and consequently the liquidation usual at this time of year is not in evidence. A large percentage of the obligations held by banks fall due between Sept. 1 and Nov. 1 and the statements published at this time of year under ordinary circumstances show that there are an abundance of funds available. The opposite is true this year. Very few banks have been able to get by without borrowing money in order to maintain their reserve fund, but this fact must not be taken as in any manner reflecting on the general soundness of the institutions nor as an indication that conditions are in a bad way. The farmer has simply decided to hold his products for higher prices and as soon as he lets go the pendulum will swing the other way. His refusal to market grain has already had the effect of stiffening prices and the probabilities are that before long he will be filling the elevators.

Gain Over Year Ago.

The reports show that on Oct. 6—the date of the bank examiner's call—Thief River Falls banks held a total of $2,465,324.86 on deposit as compared with $2,225,430.50 a year ago, an increase of over a quarter million dollars. As compared with the last previous statement, issued on June 30 however, there is a falling off of $147,310.78. While this is unusual it is easily explainable and is directly due to the cause given above.

General liquidation is always reflected by a reduction in the loans and discounts column. A year ago the banks carried $1,848,740.76 in loans and discounts at the corresponding period while according to the statement this account stands at $2,304,354.69 at this time—a difference of $455,613.93. There has, however, been a reduction since the first of July of $57,372.51, the smallest amount recorded for the same period in a long time.

Situation is General.

Even the larger city banks reflect the seasonable change of position, the only effect of which is a noticeable tightening of loans. While this state of affairs has tendency to retard development in certain lines it comes at a time when there would naturally be a letup in any event, particularly in construction work. The winter season is at hand and there will be no general demand for funds for new enterprises before spring. By that time things will have adjusted themselves because of the enforced crop movement.

There has been an average yield of almost everything in all sections of the country but it is doubtful if it is sufficient to meet the demand. Under such circumstances holding off on the part of the seller is certain to raise the price and this is all that is necessary in order to get products moving away from the farms.

FIRST MEETING OF TEACHERS' LEAGUE

Public Invited to Attend Interesting Session at Hazel on Saturday Night.

Section 4 of the Teachers' Progressive league of Pennington county will hold its first public meeting at Hazel on Saturday evening, Oct. 30. Miss Ilet LaSage, league chairman for Section 4, which includes districts 148, 6, 12, 154, 133 and 221, has arranged an exceptional program for the benefit of those who will attend. Dr. Fred Bjerken of St. Hilaire will speak on the subject "Health;" Theodore Quale, county attorney, will conduct a discussion on "Citizenship" and F. A. Tripp of the Thief River Falls high school agricultural department will explain the Smith-Hughes Industrial School plan, which is now being put into operation at Thief River Falls.

The Teachers' Progressive league was formed at the time the teachers' institute was re-organized on Sept. 20-24. The league is composed of fourteen sections, each section being sub-divided into districts. Each section will hold two distinct kinds of meetings—sectional public meetings, held once during a school term, and sectional teachers' meeting, held once a month. At either meeting the sectional chairman may call upon the league committee chairmen for discussion of any or all of the four subjects: Health, Patriotism, Citizenship and Educational Improvement, the lines along which the league will direct its endeavors.

An executive committee and chairmen were elected as follows:

Executive committee—Ida Legvold, president, Hazel, Minn.; Anna Barstad, vice president, Wylie, Minn.; Mrs. Wm. Kline, secretary, Thief River Falls, Minn.; Sena Welo, treasurer, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Committee chairmen—Jas. A. Dahl, Health, St. Hilaire, Minn.; Myrtle Satre, Patriotic, St. Hilaire, Minn.; Nettie Johnson, Citizenship, St. Hilaire, Minn.; Dora C. Perry, Educational Improvement, Thief River Falls Minn.

Sections and Sectional Chairmen—

Sec. I, Sanders, Tilda Brandrud, St. Hilaire. Districts, 147, 64, 127, 7, 149.

Sec. II, Wylie, Anna Barstad, Wylie Minn. Districts, 94, 69, 106, 99, 43J, 17J, 124J, 1J.

Sec. III, St. Hilaire, Eric Anderson, St. Hilaire. Districts, 194, 54, 166, 108J, 227J, 178J.

Sec. IV, Hazel, Miss Ilet LeSage, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls. Districts 148J, 6, 12, 154, 133, 221.

Sec. V, Thief River Falls, Christine Lundberg, Thief River Falls. Districts, 73, 165, 26, 136, 29.

Sec. VI, Rosewood, Mrs. J. Kirk, Thief River Falls. Districts, 25, 2, 219J.

Sec. VII, Silverton, Miss Stella Olson, Kratka route, Thief River Falls. Districts, 42, 55, 28, 53, 30, 31.

Sec. VIII, Wyandotte, Miss Alice Thompson, Plummer. Districts, 51, 4, 125.

Sec. IX, Kratka, Miss Mary Johnson, Hazel. Districts, 11, 41, 60, 35, 2 Unorg., 3 Unorg., 68.

Sec. X, Mavie, Miss Lena Gullingsrud, Mavie. Districts, 46, 66, 44.

Sec. XI, Goodridge, Tellef Tollefson, Goodridge. Districts, 57, 48, 70J, 37, 38.

Sec. XII, Erie, Miss Emma Henke, Erie. Districts, 50, 59, 5, 65, 56, 47 and Unorg. 1.

Sec. XIII, Rudell, Mrs. S. B. Swanson, Rudell. Districts, 10, 67, 52, 3, 9.

Sec. XIV, Rhoda, Frances Culver, Rhoda. Districts, 34, 58J, 33J, 39.

Feed Grinding.

We will be grinding feed every day from now on. Machine on farm one mile west of Mavie. Hruby Bros.
—O28-N4-11-p

TANLAC DISPLAY MAKES GREAT HIT

Unique and Attractive Display of Celebrated Medicine Attracts Much Attention.

An advertising display which has attracted unusual interest has been placed in the show window of the Lambert Drug company on Third street in this city, the local agency for the well-known and highly successful proprietary medicine, Tanlac.

The display is not only interesting from an advertising standpoint, but is educational, combining in an attractive and artistic manner beautiful scenes from many foreign countries where the ingredients of this preparation are obtained.

It has occasioned such favorable comment in the city that the proprietors of the store state that it will remain in their window sereval days longer.

Work of Great Artist.

The display is the work of one of America's greatest lithographic artists and the manufacturers of Tanlac state that the total cost will exceed sixty thousand dollars, which is said to be a record price for window displays. It is in ten distinct and natural colors and presents scenes from the Rocky mountains as well as from Europe, Asia, Peru, Egypt and other foreign countries.

The natives are seen in their natural habitat and environment, gathering the roots, herbs and barks that from the medicinal ingredients of Tanlac, packing them upon the backs of camels, elephants, llamas and other beasts of burden for transportation by land and sea to the immense laboratories at Dayton, Ohio, and Walkerville, Canada.

One of the most striking features of the display is the reproduction of the magnificent laboratory at Dayton. Here the artist has very effectively and impressively portrayed the popularity of Tanlac by introducing a group of people in all walks of life, who are looking at the Tanlac laboratory with expressions of confidence, plainly indicating their belief and faith in the medicine.

Another distinctive feature is the bulletins accompanying the display. They tell briefly and concisely of the marvelous growth and development of Tanlac, until today it has the largest sale of any medicine of its kind in the world. These bulletins also quote various standard medical authorities as to the therapeutic value and physiological effect of the medicine.

60,000 Bottles a Day.

From these bulletins one also learns that the new Tanlac laboratories at Dayton and Walkerville have a combined daily capacity of 60,000 bottles and that the medicine is now selling at the rate of approximately 10,000,000 bottles per year.

That Tanlac is a preparation of exceptional merit has never been disputed, which accounts for its tremendous popularity and large sales thruout the country. It is a powerful reconstructive tonic and body-builder and has a far-reaching and most beneficial effect upon the entire system. Many strong local endorsements from those who testify as to the benefits they received, have appeared in the columns of this paper.

The manufacturers of Tanlac are firm believers in newspaper advertising and have forcibly presented to the public the merits of their products in this way. Their total annual appropriation for newspaper space exceeds one million dollars. Their copy appears in practically all of the leading daily and weekly newspapers throughout the United States and Canada.—adv.

Warm Up With the Right Stoves

EQUIP your home for warmth, dryness and cheer, in spite of the fall chill and drizzly days.

Our Stoves and Heaters are up to date in every way—made for cleanliness, good appearance, proper combustion, and for giving most heat with least fuel.

See our special display this week of these modern Stoves and Heaters.

Bottem Hdw. Co.
Telephone 23

THE WINCHESTER STORE

Carrying On

THE refining of petroleum has been revolutionized during the past ten years. Otherwise the present use of automotive machinery would be impossible.

In 1910 the average yield of gasoline from crude was 11 percent, while in 1919 this average had risen to about 26 percent, without in any way, impairing the quality of the product.

This tremendous advance was the direct result of applying the findings of scientific workers to the problems of industry, and in this work the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has taken a leading part.

The chemists and technical experts who have charge of the manufacturing activities of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana have been pioneers in the scientific refining of crude oil.

Their success is attested by the fact that the Company has been able to produce an ever-increasing volume of gasoline from the petroleum available.

The gasoline problem is important, but it can and will be solved by individual initiative, stimulated by fair and reasonable competition.

In the solving of this problem, the interests of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), the manufacturer of automotive machinery, and the public are one—greatly increased production is essential.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is straining every fibre of its highly specialized organization to increase the quantity of gasoline which may be taken from the crude—to maintain the high standard of quality it has always insisted on, and to do this without disturbing the output of other useful and necessary refined products of petroleum which it must supply.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2205

Warming relief for rheumatic aches.

HE'S just used Sloan's Liniment and the quick comfort has brought a smile of pleasure to his face. Good for aches resulting from weather exposure, sprains, strains, lame back, overworked muscles. Penetrates without rubbing. All druggists have it.

35¢ 70¢ $1.40

Sloan's Liniment
Pain's enemy

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

"Granny" Chamberlain

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Jennie M. Eastman
Pioneer Chiropractor
Office in Scandia Block - - - - Phone 213

Will Trade Farm for City Property

We have a client who desires to trade a 120 acre farm, located six miles from Wylie and eleven miles from St. Hilaire.

Has good house, barn with two additions, granary, machine shed and blacksmith shop, and hog house.

Twenty acres natural meadow, 20 acres brush and pasture, 60 acres cultivated, 40 acres fencel, 32 acres in winter rye.

Will trade equity for 40 acre tract or city property.

Northern Land and Insurance Agency
McGinn Block - - - - - - - - Thief River Falls, Minn.

TITAN 10-20: World standard, most popular of all tractors. Equipped with economical slow-speed engine; operates on kerosene. Built for three plows; equally satisfactory at belt and drawbar work.

The President of France Pays Tribute.
President Deschanel is near the center of the picture, raising his hat; the gentleman with the cane is Monsieur J. H. Ricard, Minister of Agriculture. International tractors rendered invaluable service to France in wartime.

Europe Honors the Titan

THE Italian government some time ago purchased many American tractors to be sold to farmers in an effort to stimulate food production. Of these thousands were made by the International Harvester Company. We are now informed that not one International Harvester tractor remains unsold, but that the government still has on hand 500 of one kind, 250 of another, 475 of another, and 200 of still another make.

Furthermore, Italy could have sold a thousand more International tractors had they been available. Dispatches state that the Italian government, being very desirous of disposing of the less popular remaining tractors, is offering them at reduced prices.

There are factors of quality, reliability, and economy in International Harvester tractors which give them leadership the world over.

The 10-20 Titan tractors are cheaper today than before the war. A written guarantee is given with each tractor sold now to the effect, that providing a decline in price should take effect before next season, a refund of such decline in price will be made each one buying a 10-20 Titan tractor, so no one could wish for a better and more fair and square deal—because of the fact that the 10-20 Titan tractors are cheaper today than before the war an advance in price is quite possible before next year. Therefore buy today the best tractor at the best price and best proposition. Your Dealer,

C. GUSTAFSON & SON
Farm Machine Headquarters,
Thief River Falls, Minn. Branch at Grygla

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Overwhelming Republican Victory in State and Nation

HARDING LEAD IN MINNESOTA EXCEEDS 275,000

Preus' Plurality For Governor Will Exceed 100,000—Entire Ticket Safe.

Republican Presidential Candidate Carries Pennington County Three to One.

Amendments All Adopted By Good Majorities—Steenerson is Re-elected.

Senator Warren G. Harding of Ohio, and his running mate, Governor *Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts* have been swept into office in the presidential election by the greatest landslide in the nation's history. Late returns only increased the tremendous and unparalleled republican pluralities.

Not only did the republican party win the two highest offices in the nation, but it also obtained a large working majority in the senate and house.

Incomplete returns gave President-elect Harding 349 of the 531 votes in the electoral college, which gives him a majority of 257 over Governor J. M. Cox, his democratic opponent.

The unofficial results presaged a larger majority in the electoral college for Senator Harding than any since 1888, except alone the vote of 435 for President Wilson in 1912, during the "republican split."

The 67th congress will be almost overwhelmingly republican on the basis of the Harding landslide election returns. The senate will be republican by a majority of at least 12 and possibly 14, an increase of 10 or 12 over the majority in the present senate of two. Incomplete returns indicated also that republicans would control the house of representatives by a majority of 84.

Preus Elected Governor.

J. A. O. Preus, the Republican candidate, had a majority of 104,000 over Henrik Shipstead, Nonpartisan, at noon today and it is not likely that this will be cut down although there are still a considerable number of precincts to hear from. The results indicates that the women voted very generally for the Republican candidates and that many Democrats made a last-minute switch to Preus.

The entire Republican state ticket is elected by substantial majorities. Attorney General Hilton, who was reported to be closely crowded by Thomas Sullivan, the Nonpartisan

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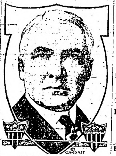

WARREN G. HARDING

SUGAR BEET CROP AVERAGES 14 TONS

Shipments For Year Almost Completed and Larger Tract Already Contracted.

The hauling of this year's crop of sugar beets is just about completed. With the shipping of approximately 75 tons from the commercial club tract, 12 carloads (260 tons) will have been shipped from this vicinity to the sugar mill at Chaska. In comparison with other sections of the state, the average yield in Pennington county has been exceptionally high. The Barzen tract averaged 22 tons per acre. The average yield for the entire acreage was 14 tons. While $10 per ton was the guaranteed price, growers will undoubtedly receive from $11 to $12 for all beets shipped. Contracts for 200 of the 350 acres for which the Minnesota Sugar Beet company will contract in Pennington county for the coming season, have already been taken up.

Wife of Veteran Soldier First to Vote in This City

Mrs. S. T. Johnson, 716 Arnold avenue north, not only was the first person in Thief River Falls to cast a ballot in the presidential election of 1920, but was the first woman to make use of her privilege of equal suffrage with the men of the city. Thinking to avoid the rush at the polling places, she accompanied Mr. Johnson to the Auditorium previous to 6:00 a. m. Promptly at that hour she called for her ballot and in three minutes time handed it to her husband who was acting as judge for the Second ward. Let us hope that she voted "right"—whatever that may be.

S. T. Johnson served with honor during the four years of the Civil war and was wounded in action during the seven days battle before Richmond. Born in the state of Maine he came to Minnesota 37 years ago and for the past 33 years has been a resident of Thief River Falls. Mr. Johnson has been judge at election time for the last 20 or 25 years, missing but one time when he was serving as clerk in the village. He has undoubtedly cast more ballots, red, white or blue, into a ballot box than the combined total of any other three people in the city—and, though he is getting along in years, he expects to cast quite a few more as the years pass.

HUNTERS RUN INTO BAD PRAIRIE FIRE

Report Having Interesting Experience on Red Lake Indian Reservation.

Thief River Falls sportsmen while enroute for hunting grounds near Red Lake last Saturday afternoon, encountered a prairie fire of considerable magnitude on the Indian reservation. The party was in advance of the line of fire which stretched for miles across the prairies. Flames, propelled by a high wind, made short work of the abundant crop of prairie grasses and the party finally backfired a considerable tract to avoid any possible danger before proceeding on their way. The timber, which lies dense to the eastern part of the reservation, acted as an effective barrier once the fire had progressed to that point. Little damage resulted outside of hay cut and stacked by the Indian residents. Members of the hunting party which was made up by L. A. Lampert, W. W. Prichard, Jr., Tony Anderson, E. M. Schutt, G. W. Connell, H. W. Protzeller and H. O. Floven, interstate commerce commissioner, speak of the fire as a wonderful sight and particularly during the night when they were surrounded by a brilliant line of sweeping flames.

FIRST MEETING OF TEACHERS' LEAGUE

Interesting Discussion of Live Subjects at Hazel Saturday Evening.

The sectional public meeting of the Teachers' Progressive League of Pennington county held at Hazel last Saturday evening was a decided success from all view points. Fortunately the Farmers club rooms had been engaged so that the large crowd was well accommodated.

Miss Ilet LeSage, chairman for Section 4, called the meeting to order at 8:30, after which Superintendent Gunderson explained the purpose of the teachers' league. F. A. Tripp being absent from the county, Proffessor W. A. Ziegler elaborated upon the Smith-Hughes industrial school plan which is being operated at the Thief River Falls high school. Dr. Bjorken of St. Hilaire, took for his subject: "The Health of the School Child," and Theodore Quale, county attorney, spoke of the work of the child welfare board. County Agent J. J. McCann gave an unscheduled talk on the formation of boys' and girls' clubs and results accomplished by the same. Following these more weighty topics, a hallowe'en program was given by the school girls. Lunch was then served, after which the younger people in attendance remained to dance.

This was the first of the public meetings arranged for by the Teachers' Progressive league and because of the enthusiasm shown by those in attendance the plan will undoubtedly meet with the greatest of success. One of the main objects of the league is a greater co-operation between the rural and city teachers and parents of school children.

New Orchestra Receives Much Favorable Mention

Thief River Falls has a very creditable musical organization in Snyder's orchestra, which has been making a favorable impression upon local patrons of the terpsichorean art since its formation about three weeks ago. Heretofore the city has been obliged to go to outside sources for its orchestras for dancing or entertainment purposes—a rather lamentable situation in view of the fact that many other communities far smaller in size maintain not only one but several orchestras which render music suitable for all occasions throughout the adjacent territory. The new orchestra under the direction of H. S. Snyder, is made up of five pieces: Perry Froseth, trombone; P. G. Peterson, cornet; Clarence Dybvik, trap drums; Mr. Snyder, violin and Mrs. T. A. Rowan at the piano; all of whom show talent upon their respective instruments.

PRIMARY VOTE DOPE IS UPSET IN THE FINALS

Result of Election Conclusively Proves That Women Have Taken a Hand.

Preus and Steenerson Carried City Tuesday; Both Were Downed in June.

Harding Has Clear Majority, Proving Greatest Surprise of Contest.

City Vote on President.

	Harding	Cox	Debs
First ward	381	95	64
Second ward	294	73	65
Third ward	174	63	28
Fourth ward	208	90	53
Total	1057	321	210

Vote on Governor

	Preus	Shipstead	Hodgson
First ward	258	167	65
Second ward	215	165	47
Third ward	150	93	48
Fourth ward	187	215	54
Total	810	640	214

Vote on Congressman

	Steen.	Thor.	Jeff.
First ward	262	143	62
Second ward	241	130	46
Third ward	153	76	56
Fourth ward	224	154	62
Total	880	503	226

The above tells the story so far as Thief River Falls is concerned. Now how do you explain it? According to the primary returns neither Preus nor Steenerson would be expected to make any such showing here and there is nothing to lead one to think that the sentiment at primary time was particularly friendly to Harding. The latter comes out of the city with a vote practically twice as great as that of his two principal opponents combined, something for which his most optimistic supporters were not prepared. The vote for the entire county is not yet available, but it is evident that this ratio will be very nearly maintained.

Women Voted Republican.

There is no getting away from the fact that the excellent organization work of the Republican women had a good deal to do with the outcome. They canvassed the city thoroughly, as did also their sisters of a different political persuation, but the arguments of the former must have been the most attractive. The result would indicate that a voting policy different from that pursued by the head of the house was often resorted to by the women. In no other manner can the complete reversal from the primary result be explained.

Primary No Guide.

Preus was given a plurality of 170 votes in the city on Tuesday. In the primaries he received 243 to Shipstead's 365. Had all the votes received by the Republican candidates in that contest been given to Preus, he would still be quite a ways short of reaching Shipstead's total. The latter at that time carried every ward but the Third and lost that by only eight votes, while now he fails to carry three of them.

Steenerson's case is practically identical. In the primaries he received 285 votes to 317 for Thormodson, losing the Second and Fourth wards, carrying the Third and breaking even in the First. Now he is the leader in every instance, has a clear majority of 171 votes and distances his principal opponent by 377.

Over 1700 votes were cast in the city. As the usual number is somewhere around the 1200 mark it is evident that the women turned out exceptionally well on this, their first opportunity to cast a ballot for state and national officials.

South is Cold and Wet; Returns to Thief River

Minnesota isn't such a bad place to live in after all. Ed. Osmondson, who has been in the employ of the Great Northern Drainage company at Plainview, Arkansas, has returned to Thief River Falls with the intention of locating here. Mr. Osmundson relates that the weather in Arkansas has been disagreeable, rainy and practically as cold as it is in this northern part of Minnesota at the present time.

Returns From Nine-Month Sojourn in Far Northwest

Peter Eberhardt returned last week from The Pass, Manitoba, where he has been for nine months building boats for the Wintons. He will visit with his family and old friends here for a short time and then intends returning for the purpose of constructing more ships. Mr. Eberhardt says that the country around The Pass is still very wild and is to a large extent bog, but that farther west there is excellent agricultural land. There is water communication with the outside world and the Canadian Pacific now runs three trains weekly to the town. Lumbering, boating and mining are the principal industries of the region, which is developing rapidly and prospering. The boats built by Mr. Eberhardt are of the stern wheel type and will be used for river traffic.

HALVOR STEENERSON

COURT SETS ASIDE HEDLAND JUDGMENT

Supreme Tribunal Finds Contributary Negligence on Part of Accident Victim.

The state supreme court handed down a decision on October 29 reversing the verdict found one year ago by the district court in the case of the Great Northern railway vs. the Carl Hedland estate. Carl Hedland was killed by a Great Northern train while attempting to cross the track at a point two miles north of Greenbush on June 25, 1919, and his heirs sued for $7,500. The district court in October, 1919, rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff but the Great Northern appealed to a higher court. The supreme court found the deceased guilty of "contributary negligence."

From evidence submitted, the deceased, Carl Hedland, was careless in making the crossing, as an approaching train could be seen from a distance of 58 feet. If he tried to make the crossing without looking for an approaching train he was guilty of negligence under existing state law, says the court. If he looked he could have seen the train. If he looked, saw the train and still attempted to cross, he was clearly negligent. If he approached the crossing at a high rate of speed without considering the approaching of a train, he was again negligent.

The courts go so far as to make a distinction as regards the crossing of railway tracks by horse-drawn or motor-propelled vehicles. Often a team of horses will become frightened at an approaching train, while in the case of an automobile the driver is expected to have his car under control at all times and particularly at crossings where trains may as a matter of course be expected.

DISCUSS PEAT AT WEEKLY LUNCHEON

Progress Made in Briquetting For Fuel Principal Subject Before Business Men.

The noonday lunches at the commercial club are gaining in public approval every week, judged by the continued good attendance, and with the advent of colder weather still larger crowds are expected. Last week oyster stew and crackers was the principal dish set before the hungry men during the noon hour, delicious pie rounding out the meal.

An expenditure before long of $250,000 by the federal government in developing peat possibilities was brought to the attention of the club by H. W. Protzeller, who has been perhaps more interested in this matter than any other citizen of this city and vicinity. Some time ago Mr. Protzeller, it will be recalled, had some peat briquetted for fuel and it is claimed that with the proper kind of a binder the peat would become a good seller at a price which would make it attractive.

In a copy of the Club Bulletin, just issued by the International Falls Commercial club, there is an article dealing with the briquetting of peat taken from Koochiching county land. The Peat Products Corporation of Detroit has sent representatives to International Falls to investigate the possibilities which are said to exist there and it may be that they will establish a plant in the neighborhood of Birchdale if the quantity of peat is such as to make it a commercial possibility.

With the idea of getting action which would make use of the peat in this vicinity, Mr. Protzeller was named as a committee of one to get in touch with the federal agents having the matter in charge.

The report of the committee who solicited the funds for the Minnesota Highway Improvement association will be found elsewhere in this issue of the Times.

Election returns, it was announced by the secretary, would be received by the club on election night, and the public was invited to attend.

Another noonday lunch was scheduled for today.

BOYS AND GIRLS LIVESTOCK SHOW HERE ON FRIDAY

Local Banks and Farm Bureau Co-operate in Putting on Annual Exhibition.

One Hundred Dollars in Prizes Will be Awarded For Best Lambs and Calves.

Free Trip to South St. Paul Stock Show For Three Highest Winners.

A combination junior live-stock show, which should be a big attraction for all livestock raisers of Pennington county, will be held in Thief River Falls tomorrow. The Citizens State bank and the First National bank, working in co-operation with the county farm bureau, have sponsored the two exhibitions which will be held as the culmination of the summer's work of boys' and girls' clubs throughout the county. The double event will take place in the Ramstad barn where a fine, clean, ventilated section has been reserved for the occasion.

Prizes for Best Lambs.

The Citizens' State Bank of Thief River Falls is awarding $50 in premium money to be given to members of the Pennington County Sheep club on their showing of spring lambs. The prizes will be awarded as follows: First prize, $8.00; 2nd prize, $6.00; third prize, $4.00; fourth prize, $3.00 and the next fourteen prizes at $2.00 each. The three highest exhibits will be given a free trip to the state show at South St. Paul on November 17, 18 and 19. Each contestant is required to send in a story to the farm bureau office on how they raised their lamb. From here the records will be sent to the state department where they will be held in competition with other contestants of the state.

A similar contest was held last year by the Citizens' State bank and officials were so well pleased with the results that they planned a bigger and better show for this year.

Prizes for Dairy Calves.

The premiums awarded by the First National bank for the best dairy calves in the county are given as follows: First prize, $10.00; second, $7.00; 3rd, $5.00 and the next fourteen prizes at $2.00 each. The best animal selected will go to the livestock show at Crookston on Nov. 12 and 13. From the show at Crookston two of the best animals will be sent to South St. Paul on Nov. 17, 18 and 19, there to compete with others of a prize winning class.

Judging Tomorrow P. M.

The two local banks which make the awards have acted in conjunction with the farm bureau in making these contests a success. The bureau organized the sheep and calf clubs, directed the selection of the lambs or calves and from time to time during the summer issued literature upon the proper care of the animals. Some excellent contestants for the prize money result.

The general public, and particularly all livestock raisers of this or nearby counties, are invited to observe the judging which will take place immediately after luncheon tomorrow afternoon at the Ramstad barn. Mr. Husby of Crookston will do the judging. All lambs and calves should be in the barn by 10 a. m.

Power Sewer Excavator Does Job in Record Time

The contract for 12 blocks of storm sewer throughout the paving district is nearing completion, only a few blocks remaining to be laid. Manholes and catch basins are in the course of construction and it is expected to complete all work before colder weather causes a delay in operations. The very efficient trench digging machine, capable of digging from 400 to 1800 feet of trench per day when no obstacles are encountered, has been the object of much interest during the past two weeks. Aside from the severing of an underground telephone cable by the powerful bucket chain, a break which left residents of the south side without telephone service until cable splicers from Fargo could make the necessary repairs, and the uprooting of a few old concrete culverts and walks which long ago ended their life service, the giant machine has had comparatively easy going.

Last Rally of Campaign Brings Out Good Crowd

Many voters, a goodly per cent of them being women, turned out for the Republican rally at the Auditorium on Monday evening. Mrs. Ida Sparks Clark, a conscientious citizen of the state of North Dakota, had an interesting message for the voters of Minnesota. Mrs. J. M. Bishop gave her first political discussion before the residents of her home city and was entitled to the storm of applause which followed. D. P. O'Neill gave a fiery talk on Amendment No. 1 and the other subjects which stood forth for consideration at the election just past. In accordance with a recent ruling of the state legislature, the Senator returned to Thief River Falls to cast his vote.

J. A. O. PREUS

NOTED PASTORS AT MISSION MEETINGS

Zion Free Church to Be Scene of Important Gathering on Nov. 26, 27, 28.

A home and foreign mission meeting will be held at Zion church in Thief River Falls on Nov. 26, 27 and 28, conducted by the Organization committee of the Lutheran Free church. It is expected that pastors and men will be present from many sections of the Northwest as the gathering will be one of much importance.

The theme for general discussion will be Ef. 5, 11-21, introduced by Prof. L. Lillehei of Augsburg seminary, Minneapolis. There will be a lecture on Baptism on Sunday afternoon by one of the professors at the same college.

Rev. O. H. Sletten, president of the Lutheran Free church; Prof. Carl Nordberg, Rev. J. Mortenson, Prof. Lillehei and Rev. John Matson, the latter pastor of the Minneapolis church of the denomination, will be among those taking part in the proceedings. All ministers holding calls in this neighborhood are expected to be present, the aim being to make the meeting one of the most notable in the history of the church.

Sale of Purebred Stock at Warren Nov. 5 and 6

The first public sale of pure bred cattle and hogs to be held in the new live stock pavilion erected at the fair grounds by the Marshall County Live Stock Breeders Association at Warren will be held on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 5th and 6th. Swine will be sold on Friday when 45 head will be offered, consisting of Durocs, Chester Whites and Poland Chinas of royal blood lines. On Saturday 40 head of cattle will be sold, consisting of Shorthorns, Polled Shorthorns, Herefords and Holsteins of high grade breeding. Catalogs showing pedigrees of both hogs and cattle have been printed and are ready for distribution to those interested.

WOOL CROP BRINGS EXCEPTIONAL PRICE

By Pooling County Growers Have Shipped 30,000 Pounds Thru Farm Bureau.

Wool growers of Pennington county have shipped 30,000 pounds of wool to Chicago where it is being held in the national wool warehouse. Cars were loaded at Goodridge and Thief River Falls and shipments made through the farm bureau. Offers of 42 to 46 cents per pound have already been received whereas shippers through the equity have received but 18 cents. While there is no well defined organization of the wool growers, meetings have been held from time to time through the efforts of J. J. McCann, county agent.

Wool growers of Marshall county, which does not as yet have a county agent, having decided to follow this plan in marketing their wool, have requested Mr. McCann to take charge of the work. A meeting for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements was held in Warren on Friday night.

Watch and Money Stolen; No Clue to Guilty Party

While Ben Peterson and family of Rosewood were calling at P. M. Peterson's place nearby on last Sunday evening, someone entered their home and stole a gold watch belonging to Mr. Peterson and a pocketbook containing a small sum of money. No traces of the thief have been found.

Going Into Business.

O. W. Carlson is preparing to open a soft drink and lunch parlor in the building formerly occupied by the Home Cafe at the corner of LaBree avenue and Second street. Fixtures have arrived from Crookston and are being installed. "Curly" expects to be open for business by the last of the week.

SPECIAL TRAIN TO BEMIDJI ON ARMISTICE DAY

Elmer J. Eklund Post Members Decide to Help Neighbors Celebrate Anniversary.

Gracie Post and Bemidji Citizens Making Elaborate Preparations For Event.

Argeement Reached to Make Thief River Falls Scene of Celebration Next Year.

A committee of five members of the Bemidji American Legion post *addressed members of the Elmer Eklund* Post in an assembly at the Commercial club rooms on Friday evening. The visiting legionnaires extended to members of the local post and the citizens of Thief River Falls the most cordial of invitations to attend the Armistice Day celebration which will be staged in their home city on Nov. 11 and dwelt at some length upon the festivities arranged for the day.

To Charter Special Train.

After discussion as to ways and means the local boys voted to complete the arrangements for the special train to Bemidji on Armistice Day, committees were appointed, and the sale of round trip tickets put under way with a full head of steam. The special will leave Thief River Falls at 7:30 a. m. and return from Bemidji at 12 p. m. It is planned to take the local band along and make the presence of the Thief Riverites well known to the citizenship and other visitors at the neighboring city.

Big Day for Bemidji.

The Bemidji legionnaires began arrangements for their celebration of celebrations months ago, acting entirely upon their own resources. The Bemidji Merchants' association has decided that all business activities will cease for the day and there is every evidence that the time will be one of the biggest that this part of the state has ever seen. Registration for visiting service men will take place at the Elks' club between 9:00 and 9:30, following which will be the parade. The parade and ceremonies until 11:11 a. m. will be more of a solemnnature in keeping with the significance of the day and in memory of the buddies who rest in the soil of France. At 11:11 factory whistles will be blown and pandemonium break loose for the remainder of the program. A football game between the fast and heavy high school team of Bemidji, to which the Thief River Falls high school team went down in defeat some ten days ago, and some other team of their caliber will be called at 1:30. Immediately following the game 29 rounds of real boxing will take place at the armory. Guaranteed bouts are offered and some fast work will be seen. A supper and smoker with several good speakers will be tendered free of charge to all ex-service men at 6:30, following which the day will wind up with a dance at the auditorium. The dance will not be of the common, ordinary variety, for the Ladies' auxiliary of the American Legion has taken the matter in hand and plan for the gayest of carnival balls.

Celebrate Here Next Year.

While there was some discussion as to the advisability of trying to celebrate at home this year, members of the post finally decided to participate in the festivities at Bemidji, owing to the lateness of the hour and because of the co-operation expressed by the committee from that place. Governor Burnquist has proclaimed the 11th of November a holiday and it is generally supposed that by this time next year legislation will have made it a national and legal holiday.

Bemidji guarantees that, with the hearty co-operation of neighboring communities in their celebration for this year, they will "lay off" next year and unite in making the day at Thief River Falls one long to be remembered. The plan of a co-operative celebration rather than a number of smaller and half-hearted celebrations is a good one and members of the Elmer Eklund post will begin plans for a demonstration next year in ample time to put across something big.

The moral support of the American Legion by communities, state and country is forthcoming.

Tickets Already on Sale.

Round trip railway tickets can be purchased of any member of the local post. Owing to the slight additional cost of running a special train to Bemidji, a round trip rate of $5.79 is necessary. The boys are desirous of having Thief River Falls make a big showing at Bemidji, as this would induce a large number to return the compliment on November 11, 1921.

Proposition to Divide Marshall County Defeated

Reports from Warren are to the effect that county division has been defeated in Marshall county. No figures were presented but it is understood that the plan was decisively rejected by the voters.

Mogensen's Consolidated Unloading SALE

Overcoats, Suits Mackinaws Underwear and Shoes

The very best lines are handled here. The prices are as low as CAN BE.

For miles around they come for the unmatchable bargains at MOGENSEN'S. Men and boys are being outfitted from head to foot at reduced prices that make competitors wonder how it is done. We are determined to unload this entire stock of fall and winter goods and *profits are forgotten* during this *mighty sale.* "If it comes from Mogensen's, it must be good" still hold good. In *selling out* this stock of clothing and shoes we have not forgotten the usual policy of this store. *Money back if not satisfied.*

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$50.00 MEN'S SUITS FOR—$34.45

Latest Models in Men's Suits; navy or brown mixtures and hairline stripes. Noteworthy values, worth your inspection. Full size, range 34 to 44. Now at, only $34.45

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Young men's fine double breasted, belt all around, brown and green heather mixture Coats, very nicely made. Brown, Redwood. "Coney" collars. Regular at $75.00, now only

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We are the only authorized Store in this part of the state to carry this fine line of Overcoats exclusively. These Overcoats are natural Alaska Hair cel lined with large Alaska Sealskin collar, Moleskin shell, trench style, slash pockets, double breasted, belt around; just the coat for the young fellows who are out for lots of swank, and just think, these splendid coats at only

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These Suits comprise the fashion's very latest creation. Slash pockets, belted and half belted, also the more conservative styles for men of matured age. Materials: Fine Cashmere, flannels, tweeds, heather mixtures in brown, drab, grey, blue. They really are wonders at

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Men's and Young Men's Suits, in light or dark mixtures, well tailored; sizes 34 to 37 only. This special lot priced for Quick riddance at

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BOYS' OVERCOATS

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Boys' Suits, sizes 8 to 18, in fine cloth and Corduroy, $14.00 and $16.00 Suits. Your unrestricted choice, now at $11.85

Boys' $10.00 and $12.00 Corduroy Suits in green, brown and drab; sizes 6 to 17. Choice now $8.75

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Many dozens of Men's Caps to choose from, all at great reductions

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All kinds of extra fine Underwear; Union and 2-piece Suits. The very best of Merino wool and silk and wool; also pure all wool worsteds; $2.00 to $8.00 values priced for quick riddance at

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A wonderful line of pure wool, also wool mixtures Sweaters, values from $6.00 to $12.50, now on sale at

$3.75, $4.95, $5.85, $6.45, $7.85, $9.65

Sizes 34 to 46.

SHOES—Lowest Prices in Force

Men's fine brown Cordo Calf Dress Shoes, $10 and $12 values $7.95

One lot Men's Dress Shoes, values to $15; pick out your size and help yourself at, pair $3.85

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Boys' Hi-Cut SHOES 10 inch Hi-Cut Shoes, $8.00 value $5.95

SHOES

Men's Hi-Cuts, less than wholesale, 8, 10 and 12 inch. Heavy Chrome calf-tipped toe and vamp, Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, waterproof "Hunkidori," and "Chippewa" makes. Choice now, at $6.85, $8.85 $10.75

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Six splendid styles in Shoes worth up to $18.00, Now $11.45

Mahogany Calf, Pep last; Russia Calf; English last. Men's Coco, Blucher style, Calf, Bal tip, rubber heel. Men's extra fine black Kid Blucher walking last. Men's extra heavy sole black Kangaroo, Chropodist last. Choice of these six lines of elegant shoes, now at $11.45

$5, $6, $7 Youth's Shoes $2.95

These are fine Calf skin, double sole, solid leather heels, black button; sizes 2 to 5; less than half, now at, pair $2.95

Youths' $7.50 Dress Shoes, $5.35 New dark brown, in Blucher and Bals, English and semi-English toes; fine calf skin. A wonderful buy now at $5.35

Men's Barnyard Shoes. Single sole, bellows tongue, "Original Chippewa," acid proof tanned, $7.50 value $4.35

Original "Chippewa," Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, water-proof Chrome tan work shoe, value today $12. Now marked at, pair $7.85

Bull Brand heavy vulcanized rubber soles, leather top lace shoes $3.35

Men's Smoked and Chocolate Elk Viscolized water-proof soled, bellows tongue, light wt., work shoe, $7.50 val. $4.35

Boys' Army Shoes $6.00 values $4.35

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Our entire stock of Gloves and Mittens going at tremendous reductions: Buckskin, Cape, Horsehide, Sarnac leathers in machine and hand sewed makes

49c, 59c, 95c, $1.15, $1.45, $2.35 and up

$3 Men's Brighton Carlsbad Flannelette Night Shirts $2.35

Men's $2.50 and $3 Muslin Night Shirts and Pajamas $1.85

$4 Men's Brighton Pajamas, fine Flannelette $2.95

GENUINE LEE "UNIONALLS"—$4.95

The best garment on the market made of finest twil khaki cloth, union made, fast color, sulphur dye. Sold regularly at $7.00. While they last

Boys' "Unionalls" $4.50 grade $3.65

$4.95 Sizes 34 to 50

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Sheep lined and Lamb lined Overcoats of all kinds, now going at great reductions.

$1.50 Kaynee Blouses finest make 98c

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$2.00 KOVERALLS $1.39

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Men's Cashmere SOCKS 59c $1.00 value.

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3 Tubes Pepsodent Tooth Paste for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

Royal Medicated Soap, 18 bars for $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

Ladies' white, ribb. top, fine Lisle Hose reg. $1.00; this sale 2 pair for $1.00 Loken's Main Floor.

$1.50 and $1.65 Ladies' Silk Gloves, Suede lined. The pair for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

Plain white Cups and Saucers; 5 cups and Saucers for $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

$1.50 "Warner's" Brassieres, linen lace top, for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

2 Pairs "Deerfoot" Girls' fine Stockings for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

$1.00 val. Copyrighted Story Books, This Sale, 2 books for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

Ladies' pure linen Handkerchiefs, 35c val. This Sale 4 for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

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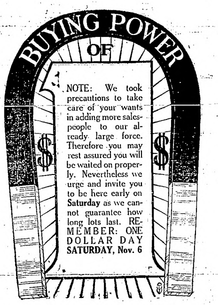

NOTE: We took precautions to take care of your wants in adding more salespeople to our already large force. Therefore you may rest assured you will be waited on properly. Nevertheless we urge and invite you to be here early on **Saturday** as we cannot guarantee how long lots last. REMEMBER: ONE DOLLAR DAY SATURDAY, Nov. 6

$1.50 Men's Work Shirts; blue chambray, Sizes 14½ to 16 $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

Children's Ribbed Hose; black only; small sizes, 6 pairs for $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

$1.50 Water Set—Pitcher and 6 Tumblers $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

36 in. Shirtings, reg. 50c val. 3 yards for $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

Men's Lisle Hose, white and black, 35c values; 5 pairs for $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

Large Spools, Coats, Sewing Thread, all numbers your choice per doz. spools $1.00 Loken's Main Floor.

Heavy Canvas Gloves, 25c val. 6 pairs for $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

Women's Cotton Hose, white, black, brown, 35c val. 5 pairs for $1.00 (Loken's Basement.)

Ladies' Rubbers, first quality, all sizes, per pair for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

15 cards of Snap Fasteners, any size or color, Your choice, 15 cards for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

2 yards of our reg. 75c yd. fine Sateen Lining; all colors, for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

$1.50 val. Ladies' fine Gauze Union-suits; all sizes, at each $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

Children's white Outing Flannel Sleepers; all sizes, at each $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

$1.85 Ladies' Silk Hose, per pair for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

Ladies' light fleeced Vests and Pants, at each $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

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Fancy Hair Ribbons, reg. 50c and 60c per yard. Big assortment of colors and patterns. This sale 3 yds. for $1.00 (Loken's Main Floor.)

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THE ELECTION RESULT.

The big fight is over and it is to be hoped that the best men have won. It is hardly to be expected that everyone will be satisfied with the result, but the verdict of the ballots indicates that a very considerable majority of our people wanted things to go just the way they did.

There was at no time during the campaign any great doubt as to what the outcome would be. The Republicans organized early for a sweeping victory and let nothing stand in the way of its achievement. For that matter, the losers overlooked no bets themselves.

There were no clearly defined issues in the campaign. The league of nations failed to produce the expected result and the personalities of the candidates themselves are not such as to compel a very enthusiastic following. Governor Cox was forced to become to a certain extent the sponsor for the Wilson administration, and whether right or wrong, the people proved that at the present moment confidence in the President and in his party is at a low ebb.

Harding is an unknown quantity as an executive. His habits of thought and procedure are the opposite of those which have characterized Wilson. He has a serious job ahead of him and as he is a serious man he may fit in better than would someone of greater renown but different temperament.

It will be difficult to convince those who voted and worked for Cox's election that things are not going to the bad, but those who feel that way have not a very deep faith in the stability of our institutions. There are in all likelihood some trying times ahead, but this would be true no matter who happened to be elected president. Just continue doing your full share toward keeping things running smoothly and the administration will in all probability keep its end up.

As for the league of nations, that also will be taken care of. Harding at times said he was in favor of scrapping the entire layout but it is not likely that any such result will follow. The United States will join the league finally in any event, be it with or without reservations. The idea and intention are all right and the exact phraseology of a clause makes no great difference.

THE WOMEN VOTED.

Those who were so certain that the women of the country would not take advantage of the opportunity to vote even though the privilege were extended to them did not know what they were talking about. The women did vote and, to judge by results, must have voted pretty much one way.

However that may be, it is greatly to their credit that they evinced such unmistakable interest in the government of the country in which they live. Whether or not their choice of candidates was in every instance the right one is a matter of no importance whatever. It is probable that an occasional man might be found who is not so certain of his ground in this respect. The one big outstanding fact is that the women voted as soon as permitted to do so and did a very workmanlike job of it.

Election officials in Thief River Falls pay a high compliment to the new voters. They say that in rare instances were their services required to set one of them right and as proof that the women knew what they were doing it is pointed out that there was hardly a spoiled ballot to account for in the 1700 cast in the city.

It is altogether likely that the majority of women were guided in their choice of candidates by their menfolks, but even this is hardly sufficient cause to demand their disqualification. Most of us depend on what we hear and read for our opinions of issues and candidates and it is hardly to be expected that the women will so soon prove their superiority in this particular respect.

The new voters did wonderfully well and successfully refuted all arguments ever advanced against their enfranchisement. Particularly have residents of Thief River Falls a right to feel proud of the way in which the novices acquitted themselves at their first trial.

A WASTEFUL PROCESS.

How different does the conservation of fuel proceed in European countries as compared with the wanton waste in the United States. Any member of the late American Expeditionary forces can testify as to the former. France and Germany have been re-foresting their lands for upwards of 200 years. Any underbrush that may accumulate in any large or small tracts of timber is periodically cut, tied into bundles with willow withes, carefully piled and conserved as fuel. Trimmings of trees felled for lumber or other purposes are treated in the same manner. Large ricks of this fuel could be noticed in any section and many a tired and weather worn soldier can tell of an invigorating cup of hot coffee made over a fire hastily kindled from these twigs and mere brush.

The shortage of fuel in this country is going to produce a desperate situation before the winter is over; coal can barely be purchased at any price at the present time and yet railroads are daily destroying hundreds and possibly thousands of cords of first class fuel in a wholesale manner. Travelers up and down the state—no one railroad is alone guilty in this respect—can see at any time of day or night great piles of worn out ties being fired merely to get them out of the way. There may be some excuse for this but it would seem that it can be but an excuse—and no more. The transportation problem possibly figures in the case, but, tho the unserviceable ties could not be marketed in the towns or cities, farms and farmers exist along the right-of-ways who could undoubtedly make use of this excellent fuel. In the face of the dire fuel distress, the burning of these ties seems wanton destruction of a necessity of life and might be compared to the feeding of great quantities of fruit to the hogs in fruit producing countries or the dumping of other foods into the sea, which crimes have been perpetrated in some cases merely to hold up the prices.

The railroads are hardly to blame for this waste of a valuable product. The matter has been called to their attention and the answer is that if persons were permitted to carry off these worn out ties it would result in their taking the sound ones as well. The expense of seeing that the privilege was not abused would be greater than the benefit derived, according to the railroad men. This is in all probability true but it looks a deplorable waste nevertheless.

TOO MUCH JOHNSON

(The Business Printer.)

Ever hear of old man Johnson who rose in the great printing industry from devil to boss of a one-man shop and all within thirty years?

When he was a young man he did just what he was told to do—nothing more. If he was not told to do anything he sat down and did nothing. When asked to lend a hand in any undertaking he said: "Where do I come in on this? He always wanted to get before he would give. He was always afraid somebody would do too much work for the money they were getting out of their jobs. "You bet I won't do a darn stroke more than I have to."

"Too much Johnson," said the foreman and the old man got fired. Then a supply house set him up with a small plant—a dollar down and a dollar a week—and for twenty years Johnson has been struggling to hold the plant, and he nearly always scrapes up the dollar. Johnson gets nowhere—never will.

Johnson never knew that crop failures in the fields of service are unknown. He never learned that the first law of nature is for one to give before one gets. Harvests only follow seed sowings and cultivation. If we want more we must give more. Heaping measures of service bring heaping rewards. No boss determines a real man's salary; it is all up to the man.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

"Womanhood is our greatest asset," says a statesman. And it is a resource that must be husbanded.

Well, what have you done with all that money you saved since prices started to come down?

Wheat has been coming down, but the glad tidings haven't reached the ears of bread as yet.

If hunters follow the advice "Look before you shoot," they will prevent a lot of coroners' matinees this fall.

The charge that women will vote for only handsome men is a base libel. Look at the kind that most of them marry.

The league of nations is a lot like the bible. Everybody talks about it and hardly anybody reads it.

Baudette boasts a very peculiar cuss. Last week he bought a house and lot instead of buying an auto.

The cost of living may be coming down, but local bootleggers are still charging fifty cents for a drink of embalming fluid.

We are overwhelmed at our popularity this week. Every mail brings expressions of undying love from candidates we don't even know.

A Canadian undertaker recently killed a friend while hunting. Hustling for business is legitimate, but there ought to be a limit to it.

Whisky runners sent to Leavenworth this fall will escape the cold weather, but we would rather have our windows decorated with icicles than with bars.

Why Do People Advertise? Big Manufacturer's View

The Joseph Dixon Crucible company, manufacturers of lead pencils and allied articles, is one of the biggest concerns in the world. If there is a business anywhere that might be expected to get along without advertising it would seem to be one like that of the Dixon company. The managers do not find it so, however. Here is what they have to say on the subject:

"Why do people advertise? This seems to be a very natural question. The answer involves the discussion of a vital policy of this business—a policy that is fundamental.

If we were building a business for today our policy would vary from day to day with the temporary changes with which every business has to contend.

But we are building for the time to come and we hope that this business will become many times greater than it is today. Without the proper foundation it would undergo violent changes dependent upon temporary national, local or even imaginary conditions.

If we should permit ourselves to become inflated with self-confidence when business conditions are favorable, restricting our selling and advertising activities, and go down in the dumps when conditions are not so favorable, this business would not amount to any more than the existing conditions would make of it.

We say right now, without reservations, that we hope, regardless of how aggressive and efficient our manufacturing department may be, that it will never be able to catch up with our selling organization.

If our efforts should be halted in the middle of the road in times of liberal buying to wait on the manufacturing department; there might come a time when the manufacturing department would have to suspend operations while waiting on the sales organization.

With such a policy we would be running around in a circle, disorganizing one day and reorganizing the next.

The greater the demand for our product, the quicker the turnover for merchants; and the more frequent the turnovers, the larger is the volume of profit.

In this business advertising is a sales policy—the same as our policy maintaining a sales organization—and we might as well consider the elimination of one as the other. Neither will be eliminated, as this business needs both if we are building for the future.

We constantly have in mind that the American people are much more concerned in their own affairs than in ours, and if we should restrict our selling and advertising activities they will begin to forget us—and this would be our fault.

We are going ahead with the idea of increasing the present momentum in favor of our goods; and if conditions should turn face about, our dealers and ourselves will be in a better position to hurdle obstacles than if we originated a policy for each condition as it arose.

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Minneapolis, Minn.)

The sudden fluctuations in the markets the past week reflect present disturbed business conditions and conflicting elements. Producer and consumer ideas are in sharp contrast, business in general unstabilized and sentiment for the moment may be said to be on the fence uncertain of the trend of future conditions.

One of the outstanding features of the week is the growers "strike" for $3.00 wheat. In view of the present production costs the determined effort to force up prices is astonishing to no one. That the producer should operate profitably for the welfare of the entire country seems manifest to everybody. In the not far distant days of continually rising prices there was agitation which proved futile to lower the costs of foodstuffs by forcing storage grains and commodities to the open markets. Domestic values of the surplus commodities were then governed by the value of our export sales; it is so determined now and will continue so long as we are a nation producing more than we can consume.

Our home consumption and needs, however, are unquestionably too large to justify the position of some of the trade in ignoring as quite unimportant the producers holding attitude. Home needs of wheat alone exceed 600 million bushels and it is reliably reported that already practically all of our exportable wheat surplus is shipped and sold. At the least European requirements from North America should this year normally equal 400 million (our total available North American surplus) plus any deficiency in the crops of the Southern Hemisphere.

We have continually regarded wheat as in a strongly entrenched position, contingent, of course, first upon the ability of Europe to settle down to business, accept, receive and properly distribute what she has already contracted and, secondly, upon the outcome of the wheat crops can be made within the next few weeks.

Coarse grains and rye will in all probability remain under the influence of the action of wheat. Statisticians estimate that the European rye crop this year falls short of last year by about 48 million bushels. On the basis of Europe's rye consumption last year it is estimated that a demand of 95 million rye from America is quite possible, against which we will have at the most 66 million available for export. In corn and oats however, it would seem that the large supplies now at primary markets will preclude materially higher prices for the immediate future at least.

Effective next Monday, November 1, trading hours for both cash and future grain in the Minneapolis exchange will be changed. On week days, with the exception of the Saturday closing hour, the hours thereafter will be from 9:30 a. m. to 1:15 p. m., on Saturdays the exchange to close at 12 o'clock noon.

Thief River Falls Marine Gets French War Decoration

Oscar Haugen of Thief River Falls, a former member of the U. S. Marine corps and who was twice cited by the French Government, has been awarded the fourrageres in red and green, the colors of the croix de guerre. Fourrageres to former marines of Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota who served with the 5th and 6th regiments overseas are now being distributed by the officer in charge, recruiting district of Minnesota, 209-10 Baltimore building, St. Paul, upon presentation of discharge certificate at the office, in person or by mail. Upon receipt of the discharges they will be stamped and the fourrageres with authorization cards will be presented and the discharges returned to the senders.

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Does Your Husband Come Home Tired, Nervous, Irritable?

Physician Says Thousands Of Men Are Breaking Down Simply Because Their Blood Lacks Iron—Tells How To Convince A Husband That He Needs NUXATED IRON To Help Make Red Blood, Strength and Endurance

"John, please take Nuxated Iron and be strong and well again."

"Simply because his blood lacks iron, many an American husband who ought to be feeling young, full of health, vigor and energy and in a position to shower his family with every comfort and luxury is actually struggling to make ends meet—a disappointed and discouraged 'old' man who will probably end up in a nervous breakdown or be carried off by his first illness," says Dr. H. B. Vail, formerly physician in the Baltimore Hospital and a Medical Examiner.

"Because man, in the rush and tear of modern life has so little time to think about his blood's condition and is often so slow to admit any weakness, the signs that his blood may be low in iron are often first detected by the watchful, loving eyes of his wife. Does your husband come home pale and fagged out and too tired to do anything or go anywhere? Does he complain about being overworked—the lack of opportunity today—some other fellow's luck? Does he find fault with the food, the home or the youngsters' behavior? Does he seem unable for one reason or another to get ahead and make big money as you and he once confidently expected?"

"Then it may well be true that his blood lacks iron, for the men with plenty of iron in their blood are the healthy, strong ones with the keen minds and the physical energy and stamina to overcome all obstacles—make their own opportunities—and force their way to big positions, power and wealth. My advice to the wife who believes her husband capable of big things in this world is to see that he builds up the iron in his blood and for this purpose I have found nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron. By enriching the blood, creating new blood-cells, it strengthens the nerves, rebuilds weakened tissues, and helps instill new energy and endurance in the whole system. Nuxated Iron is used by over 4,000,000 people annually—used and endorsed by former United States Senators and Members of Congress—and in many cases to my knowledge, increases the strength and energy and endurance of run-down, nervous people in two weeks' time."

If your husband asks for proof that lack of iron is making him nervous, weak and holding him back in life, you can probably convince him with the following test: Have him see how long he can work or how far he can walk without becoming tired. Next have him take two tablets of Nuxated Iron three times daily after meals for two weeks. Then let him test his strength and see how much he has gained.

MANUFACTURERS' NOTE: Nuxated Iron, which is recommended above is not a secret remedy but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated and does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach. [illegible] and the words Nuxated Iron are stamped into each bottle, so that the public may not be led into accepting inferior substitutes. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed by all good druggists in tablet form only.

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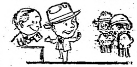

ONCE in a while we run across a man who says, "Aw, they don't make cigarettes like they used to—one's as good as another now-a-days."

All right, we'll give that smoker any kind of odds he wants on Spur and win hands down.

Perhaps you are looking for that good old-time tobacco taste. Spurs are chock full of it. Couldn't help but be, with that jim-dandy blend of choice Turkish, fine Burley and other home-grown tobaccos.

Light up a Spur—take a long puff—and quicker than you can say "Jack Robinson" you will jump for a seat on the Spur band wagon.

Spurs have another surprise for you—they're crimped, not pasted. No other cigarette is rolled with the crimped seam, and you benefit by easier drawing, longer burning, better taste.

And here's extra measure—three-fold package of rich brown and silver to keep Spurs fresh and fragrant.

No use dodging—Spurs meet you at every turn.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

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City News

Rev. Aug. Bredeson went to Roseau Monday on a clerical call.

Artists that please—the Bel Canto Quintette at the Auditorium on Nov. 12th. N-4

Supt. Geo. Gunderson left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to attend the M. E. A.

Geo. Johnson of Grygla was in the city on Tuesday evening attending the Elks' doings.

A musical and dramatic program of exceptional merit at the Auditorium on Nov. 12th. N4

C. Israelson came down from Bronson on Tuesday to spend the day as a guest at the Holt home here.

Miss Lucille Brooks returned Saturday evening from Plummer where she had visited since Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Ewing of St. Hilaire was among the many out-of-town shoppers who were in this city on Saturday.

Miss Madeline Thill left Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she visited with relatives over Sunday.

Roscoe Bakke who is a student at the University of North Dakota, visited at his home here the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Evenson returned the [illegible] of the week from Crookston where she visited with friends over week end.

[illegible] of Miss Lucille Brooks, who spent a few days with her parents who reside at Plummer, returned to this city on Saturday evening.

The Bel Canto Quintette—Five beautiful and talented young lady musicians—at the Auditorium on Friday evening, Nov. 12th. N-4

Mrs. Mary Bannerman of Bismarck, N. D., arrived Tuesday evening for a visit with her friend, Mrs. C. H. Joslin, for a short while.

Miss Phyllis Dock spent the week-end as a guest of friends at Crookston. She returned on Monday morning to resume her school duties.

Capt. A. Hovland, who is employed at Mahnomen, spent the week-end visiting his wife. He returned to the above named city on Monday morning.

Mrs. H. Killand came down from St. Hilaire on a shopping expedition the latter part of last week. She returned to her home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams motored to Warren on Sunday and visited with Mrs. Scott Laird at the hospital there.

Under the auspices of the American Legion. The Bel Canto Quintette. Remember the date, the place and the talent—the price is within reach of all. N-4

Gus Monsbroten arrived here Monday evening from his home at Grafton, N. D., for a visit with his wife who is a guest at the N. Monsbroten home in this city.

K. T. Wang, banker at Badger, passed through this city the latter part of last week enroute to his home after spending a few days in Minneapolis on business.

Mrs. N. M. Johnson of Roseau visited with friends between trains Monday evening on her way to St. Paul where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Lena Zurcher of Russell, N. D., spent a few hours in the city between trains on Friday evening. She left on the flier for Monroe, Wis., where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with friends.

Ole Lunde, who came to the United States from Norway only a few weeks ago, visited at the home of his sister Mrs. Mellem a few days last week. He left Friday afternoon for Seattle, Wash., where he will remain indefinitely.

The Presbyterian Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. Albert Johnson at the Bishop home, 121 Duluth avenue north, Friday afternoon, Nov. 12th. Come early. Lunch at four o'clock. Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Jenson and family, who have been making their home at Tolley, N. D., and who lived in this city a few years before, visited with friends here for a few days enroute to Sand Point where they will reside.

Miss Anna Strand returned Tuesday morning from Grand Forks where she was the guest of Mrs. A. E. Knutson for a few days. The latter accompanied Miss Strand to this city leaving that same day for Erie where she will visit with her parents.

Miss Lenore Beltz, chief operator at the Western Union exchange in this city, left Monday evening on an indefinite visit with her parents at Alexandria. During her absence the vacancy will be filled by relief manager, Miss M. Berg of Crookston.

There will be included in the Marshall County Breeders' Association sale of cattle, Saturday, Nov. 6th, at Warren, 13 head of cattle from the long established herd of Polled Shorthorns owned by L. Lamberson, 2 cows, 8 heifers, 3 yearling bulls. All of these cattle were bred and raised on the farm by their owner. N-4

Mrs. Geo. Johnson, Mrs. E. G. Wright and Miss Theresa Wendt came down from Goodridge yesterday and visited with friends. Miss Wendt who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnson, departed in the morning via the Great Northern for her home at Holt while the two former returned to their homes at Goodridge.

Mike Holm, next secretary of state through the voting of Tuesday, was in the city on Monday on his way from the twin cities to Roseau. Mr. Holm, who spent several strenuous days in Minneapolis, speaking at [illegible] different meetings on Friday evening and 7 on Saturday evening, [illegible] that he feels "like a few days

Mrs. Emmet Israelson and daughter of Bronson are guests at the Holt home this week.

The rush for reserved seats at the Auditorium on the night of Nov. 12 is on. Get your seats early. N4

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niclai motored to Warren on Thursday to visit Mrs. Laird who is in the hospital.

C. Gustafson who spent a few days at Crookston, returned to his home in this city on Monday morning.

Miss Amelia Hoorn left Friday evening for Alexandria where she was the week end guest of friends.

Don't miss the opportunity of hearing the inspirational musical numbers featured by the Bel Canto Co. N-4

Mrs. A. Stenberg departed on Monday evening for the cities where she will spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. T. A. Rowan returned yesterday morning from Argyle where she visited with her mother for a few days.

Mrs. Morten Johnson and baby of Minneapolis are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster was among the many out-of-town Elks who attended the party on Tuesday evening.

Miss Anna Stockstad, accompanied by Mrs. H. Wilson, both of St. Hilaire, were shoppers in this city on Monday.

Miss Frances Holzknecht returned to Angus where she is teaching school, after spending the week end with her parents.

Miss Vera Trackman returned on Tuesday evening from Trail where she had been the past two months visiting with friends.

Miss Jordan and Miss Bark, teachers in the local schools were among those who left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to attend the M. E. A.

Miss Elsie Utabjna came down from Goodridge on Friday to take the morning train for Roseau where she will spend a week visiting with her

Miss Cora Williams of this city left Monday afternoon for Harlem, Mont., where she will spend an indefinite time visiting at the home of her uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lonson of Calloway, came down from the latter named place on Saturday evening to visit with relatives of the former over Sunday.

Walter Berg, who had been visiting his parents at St. Hilaire, for a short time, left this city on Monday evening for Minneapolis where he is employed.

Miss Martha Tanem, who has been a guest of her parents for a couple of weeks, returned to International Falls where she is employed, on Monday morning.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson who has a class of twelve pupils in violin at Warren, spent Tuesday in the above named place. She returned to this city in the evening.

Mrs. Mike Fricker of St. Hilaire, spent Saturday in this city attending to shopping and also visiting at the A. Adolphs home. She returned to her home Saturday afternoon.

Steve Warring, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ruby of Steiner, were in the city on a shopping expedition on Saturday. While here they also visited with their daughter and sister Pearl.

H. O. Loken, manager of the Loken Brothers Dept. store, left Monday evening for Chicago on an extensive buying trip. He promises to return with astonishing bargains to wind up his gigantic sale.

Miss Ruth Ringham, who is a student at Aaker's Business college at Grand Forks, visited at her home here the latter part of last week. She returned to take up her studies on Monday morning.

Miss Mina Davis of Vergas was the guest of friends here for a brief period the latter part of last week. At the conclusion of her visit here she went to Warroad to be the guest of friends for a few days.

W. R. Cook of Norma, N. D., arrived here Saturday evening for a brief visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ed. Hilson. He left the first of the week for California, where he will spend an indefinite period.

Scott Laird returned Monday from Warren where he spent the day visiting with his wife who is in the hospital there. While he was absent his store was in charge of Mrs. H. A. Booren and Mrs. Geo. Biddick.

Miss Lydia Drager, accompanied by Miss Adelheid Kuehne, both of Red Lake Falls, arrived here Thursday afternoon to attend the party at the Nurses' home that evening. They returned to their homes the following afternoon.

Miss Margaret Eichammer left the latter part of last week for East Grand Forks to attend the funeral services of her brother who died in France. His body reached the latter named place on Sunday and services were held the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith and children arrived here Thursday evening from Vergas where they have been residing and remained here until the following morning when they left via the Great Northern for Roosevelt where they contemplate making their future home.

Mrs. Tom Rowan left Saturday morning for Warren where she visited with Mrs. Scott Laird at the hospital. She continued to Argyle for a brief visit with her mother. On her return to this city she was accompanied by her son Tom who has been a guest of his grandmother for a short time.

Farm to be sold at Auction. A Roseau farmer seeks to raise money; must sell his splendid 240 acre farm at public auction Nov. 11. 3½ miles southeast of Roseau. Illness compels immediate disposal. Every acre tillable; produced 41 1-3 bu. wheat per acre. You will never have another chance like this. Information gladly given.—Wm. Brosemer, Roseau, Minn. n-1

Big dance at Mavie Saturday, Nov. 6. Good time assured everyone who attends. n4p

Seats for the Bel Canto Quintette on sale at Lambert's drug store. Prices 50c, 75c and $1. N-4

Miss Ella Miller, instructor in the local schools is spending the week in Minneapolis attending the M. E. A.

Music and readings that can move to tears or laughter are the specialties of the Bel Canto Quintette. N4

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lonson of Calloway were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brumund the first of the week.

Ralph Swenson, who had been visiting friends at Warren returned to his home in this city on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lonson returned to Mahnomen on Sunday evening after a brief visit with relatives of the former.

Morris and Ernest Fossum returned Tuesday evening from a hunting trip in the vicinity of Trail and Leonard.

F. J. Dudley returned the latter part of the week from Minneapolis where he had been attending to matters of business.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and sons returned Monday morning from Grand Forks where they had been guests of Mrs. Fisher's parents.

Miss Lena Bothman of St. Hilaire shopped and visited with friends here on Monday. She returned home on the afternoon train.

Henry Fjeld residing near Erie left this city Monday afternoon for Crookston where he will attend the Agricultural school.

Mrs. T. D. Scanlan and son, Tom, spent a few days the latter part of the week visiting with friends and relatives at Minneapolis.

Miss Olga Nettum of Gonvick was the guest of Miss Marie Nelson on Tuesday evening. She returned to Gonvick on Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Wickum left Friday evening for Minneapolis where they were called because of the serious illness of the former's mother.

Otto B. Cooper returned to his home at Minneapolis on Saturday evening after visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. H. Gentz, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt, who have been on a two week's honeymoon, returned the first of the week and have taken up their residence on Duluth avenue.

Mrs. Clyde Baker of Red Lake Falls arrived here Monday morning and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Clarence Pope.

Miss Alvina Jonas spent the week end visiting her sister, Mrs. Seltz, who is confined in St. John's hospital in St. Paul, following an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Jonetta Lee arrived here Friday evening from her home at Fairdale, N. D., where she had spent the summer and will again take up her duties as saleslady at the Bazaar.

Miss Clara Sorenson returned to Rosewood on Monday morning after visiting over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sorenson. Miss Sorenson is engaged in teaching at Rosewood.

Geo. L. Whitcomb, owner of a large ranch near Rollis, where he has been looking after his interests for the past month, passed through this city on Monday and renewed old acquaintances.

Miss Veda Tyson of Rollis arrived here Saturday afternoon and visited with her sister Alice who is employed here, until Monday afternoon when she left for Climax where she has secured employment.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Hanson of Spooner, who have been visiting with friends and relatives in the vicinity of Goodridge, left this city on Monday afternoon via the Great Northern for Barnesville where they intend to visit.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich, accompanied by his young son, Frederick, were passengers to the twin cities yesterday. Dr. Froehlich as a member of the school board will attend the M. E. A., while Frederick will visit with friends.

Mike Holm, republican candidate for secretary of state, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Erickson between trains on Monday, coming up from the cities on the early morning train and leaving via the Great Northern for his home at Roseau.

Mrs. Anna Youngberg who spent two months visiting in the vicinity of Fertile, Middle River and this city, returned to her home at Bergland, Sask. Can., on Monday afternoon. During that time she was a patient at the local hospital for three weeks. Mrs. Youngberg was formerly Miss Anna Treflin who resided with her parents on a farm near this city.

The Bel Canto Quintette features Ida Hagen Pitman, a dramatic soprano of wonderful ability. N4

Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar left yesterday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to spend a day visiting with relatives.

Art LaBudde came down from Gonvick on Tuesday evening to attend the Elks' party. He returned the following morning.

Mrs. N. Sacksberg, who had been confined at the local hospital for three weeks, returned to her home in Holt Monday morning.

An exceptional contract has been secured by the American Legion with the Bel Canto Quintette. Reserved seat prices 50c, 75c and $1. N-4

G. B. Mellby, instructor of science at the local high school, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to be in attendance at the Minnesota Educational association.

Misses Irene Patrick and Lillian Poppitz, instructors in the local high school, left the first of the week for the twin cities to attend the Minnesota Educational Association.

Misses Lulu Allen and Alice Carlson who spent the week end as guests at the Allen home near St. Hilaire, returned to Lancaster on Monday via the Soo to resume their duties as instructors in the school at that place.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Kamsphmidt returned to their home at Roseau on Monday morning, the former having remained in this city for three weeks receiving medical treatment. While here he was a guest at the J. Jonas home. Mrs. Kamsphmidt came down the latter part of last week to accompany her husband home.

GOOD BOOST GIVEN AMENDMENT HERE

Senator Nord Expresses Thanks of Association For Liberal Response.

That the citizens of Thief River Falls mean to back the future development of the state is evidenced by the report of the committee appointed by the Commercial club to solicit funds to be used by the Minnesota State Highway association in furtherance of the boosting of the Babcock amendment which was voted upon at the general election on Tuesday. Nine hundred dollars was pledged in short order by the business men and institutions, all pledges were promptly paid and a draft for the total amount mailed to the association headquarters at St. Paul on Oct. 22.

A letter from Leonard H. Nord, Secretary of the M. H. I. A., reads in part as follows:

"We are in receipt of your favor of the 22nd enclosing draft for $900, which was certainly a pleasant surprise and we want to thank you and the members of the Thief River Falls Commercial club for their generous donation."

H. A. Brumund and G. W. Connell were appointed as a committee to solicit funds for the benefit of the association. Mr. Connell submits the following list of contributors and the amounts paid:

Brumund hotel, $25.00; Hansen-Barzen, $25.00; Winton - Nichols, $25.00; Loken Bros., $25.00; Olaf Neset, $20.00; Citizens' State Bank, $25.00; Physicians' Clinic, $25.00; Farmers' & Merchants' State Bank, $25.00; First & Peoples' State Bank, $25.00; First National Bank, $25.00; Evelyn Hotel, $25.00; Hall Bros., $10.00; G. Howard Smith, $5.00; E. M. Bennes, $5.00; Times Printing & Mfg. Co., $25.00; Roy Lambert, $15.00 E. O. Mogensen, $15.00; Hermanson Hdw. Co., $10.00; C. B. Bradley, $5.00; Prichard Co., $25.00; Nortz Lumber Co., $25.00; Larson Furniture Co., $25.00; F. J. Stebbins, $10.00; John Bratrud, $15.00; Thief River Grocery Co., $15.00; Daniel Shaw, $20.00; V. C. Noper, $5.00; Tessum-Coumbe Co., $10.00; Lars Backe, $5.00; Dr. C. R. Crandall, $10.00; W. A. Barnard, $5.00; Dr. G. W. Booren, $10.00; The Tribune, $5.00; A. M. Langseth, $10.00; Dalquist Millinery, $10.00; Thief River Music Co., $10.00; Zeh & Curran, $10.00; E. Rolland, $10.00; C. M. Evenson, $5.00; McFarland Auto Co., $10.00; Dr. C. M. Adkins, $10.00; Dr. Swedenberg, $10.00; Mulry's Bazaar, $5.00; Rambeck & Stone Co., $5.00; James Cosgrove, $10.00; C. Gustafson & Son, $5.00; Chas. Lieberman, $5.00; Carl Christofferson Co., $10.00; Oen Mercantile Co., $25.00; Simonson's Meat & Grocery, $10.00; Anseby & Burstad, $10.00; Kiewel Products Co., $25.00; City Bakery, $10.00; Shanahan & Sheedy, $10.00; L. Cohen, $5.00; Mrs. B. Giller, $5.00; Erling Dahl, $5.00; C. Froseth, $5.00; Louis DeCremer, $10.00; A. J. Berry, $15.00; Empire Farms Co., $10.00; N. W. Automobile Co., $15.00; Thief River Cafe, $10.00; Abe Sapero, $15.00; J. F. Farr, $5.00; B. Dan Bjorkman, $5.00; Thief River Candy Co., $5.00; Peoples' Auto Co., $15.00; F. C. Niclai, $5.00; Jung Bros., $10.00.

In addition to the above, several individual contributions had previously been made direct to the M. H. I. A. There amounts were also credited to Thief River Falls.

AT THE HOTELS

Registered at city hotels during the past week:

P. A. Bjorum, Lancaster; A. James, Forest River; Norma Nissen, Mahnomen; E. A. Halseth and wife, Clearbrook; August Shogean and wife, Middle River; A. H. Bakke, Holt; Sylvia E. Mattson, Greenbush; Myrtle Rundquist, Lancaster; A. L. LaBudde, Gonvick; J. A. Armstrong, Leonard; E. L. Hicks, Lancaster; Eileen Parker, Roseau; Mrs. R. J. Hagen, Roseau; M. J. Folland, Halma; Anton Gulickson, Gatzke; Frank Jeffers, Red Lake Falls; L. Jensen, Clearbrook; Ole Vinje, Pine Creek; Olive Helgeson, Erskine; Celin Olson, Holt; Andrew Olson, Holt; A. E. Anderson, Erskine; Oscar Peterson, Erskine; G. E. Peterson, Gully; P. J. Bauer, Radium; W. D. Braggans, Warren; A. Grindeland, Warren; Olaf Norby, Newfolden; A. J. Hemstad, Plummer; Nels Engstrom, Roseau; M. R. Aasen, Roseau; Olaf Wick, Gully; Hilma Olson, Middle River; Vera Larson, Strandquist; Oscar Ogre, Greenbush; Lena Olson, Middle River; Mrs. C. W. Grosnon and daughter, Rollis; A. P. Sowig, Winger; G. W. Sheldrew, Grygla; Mrs. N. M. Johnson, Roseau; Nina Westby, Rosewood; Geo. P. Sanders, Grygla; Peter Pederson, Schilling; Logan Wayne, Sam Wayne and Leon Wayne of Rollis; A. C. Erickson, Grygla; Mel Converse, Goodridge; Lena Toyland, Oklee; Theo. Thompson, Plummer; Ben Davidson, Pine Creek.

Hospital Notes.

The following have entered the Physicians' hospital since last Thursday: Ivan Hall, Herbert Johnson, Wm. Austin, Mrs. E. A. Yonke, Mrs. Lottie Kinsela and Mrs. A. T. Cunningham, all of this city; Myrtle Erickson, Wylie; Rev. Wm. Kamsphmidt, Roseau; Reuben Lewis, Esplee; Otto Saugen, Steiner; Elsie Wagner, Holt; Mrs. Ed. Johnson, Clearbrook; Anna Froiland, Plummer.

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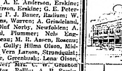

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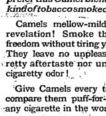

Society and Club

WOMANS CLUB TO STUDY CITIZENSHIP

Members Will Continue Posting Themselves on Questions Pertaining to Government.

The Woman's club of Thief River Falls held its regular meeting in the commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon with the exceptionally large attendance of 100 members. At this meeting the first lesson of the study program for the winter was taken up.

Election is past but owing to a slight misunderstanding of the work and purpose of the womans organization, the questions answered during the course of the study hour will appear herewith. The Woman's club is not a political organization. There may be a Woman's Republican club in Thief River Falls and there may be a Woman's Democratic club, but they are in no way a part or a branch of the Woman's club proper. The officers of the latter organization feel that better attendance at their study clubs will be obtained when once the nature of their discussions is understood. With a view to enlightening the general public the text of lesson number one follows:

Election in Minnesota.

1. How often are general elections held?
2. What are the qualifications of a voter in Minnesota?
3. What registration is necessary?
4. How does one join a political party?
5. What is the party primary?
6. What is its purpose and advantages?
7. What state officers are nominated at primaries?
8. If not nominated at a primary, how are they nominated?
9. What is the method of casting a vote?
10. For what officers may women vote in Minnesota?
11. What is the advantage of voting with your party at a state election?

Question number 10 was answered in an easily understood manner by a little play presented for the Woman's club by members of the Girls' Community club, many of whose members were in attendance at the meeting.

Lesson number two of the regular study program will be taken up at a meeting in the Commercial club rooms on the afternoon of November 15. It is hoped that a large attendance will benefit by the answering of the following questions:

Form of Government.

1. What great document outlines the government of the Union?
2. Give the history of its adoption.
3. Give the history of the Amendments.
4. What is the procedure for adopting an amendment to the constitution?
5. What is the nineteenth amendment?
6. Give an account of the one hundred seventy-three year struggle for its adoption.

It goes without saying that many of the men who have been voting and taking part in politics for years would be unable to answer a large percent of these questions which are very pertinent to the government of the state and Union.

A dramatization on voting was successfully given by the members of the Community Girls' club, which explained very clearly the manner of voting and how the polls are conducted. The cast consisted of the following characters:

Jane Jenson—Miss Florence Fjelstad.
Mrs. Percival Archibald Vandersluis—Miss Ella Pelto.
Mrs. Sylvester Reginald Smith—Miss Anna Quale.
Tina Olson—Miss Laura Stopple.
Little Girl—Miss Ruth Brown.
Exited Lady—Miss Meta Kiland.
Miss Coppet—Miss Louise Majeres.
First Judge—Miss Esther Gjertson.
Second Judge—Miss Inez Howe.
Ballot Clerk—Miss Whipp.
Two Challengers — Mrs. Montgomery and Miss Ida Tandberg.
Policeman—Miss Una Nelson.
Woman—Miss Hattie Anderson.
Woman with baby—Mrs. M. W. Brink.
Baby—Marie Suzanne Brink.
Mrs. Sappio—Miss Marie Nelson.
Christine Halmers—Miss Olga Lofgren.
Mrs. Peter O'Roark and Mrs. Mollie O'Flannagen—Miss Mary Griswold.

The playlet was given under the able direction of Miss Una Nelson. Miss Laura Stopple, impersonating the Norwegian maid and Miss Florence Fjelstad, representing an alien wife recently having emigrated from Sweden, deserve special mention. Miss Majeres was very good as a French woman.

Miss Mae Bark also favored the club with a well-rendered piano solo. At the business meeting which preceded, Mrs. Shaw made the announcement that St. Paul avenue had the distinction of having kept their street in the best condition and made the most improvements during the year, thereby winning the Silver Loving Cup. The next meeting will be held on Oct. 15, at which time the lesson on Form of Government will be taken up.

Faculty Entertained.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. L. G. Larson, Mrs. O. F. Mellby and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich shared honors in a cleverly appointed progressive Hallowe'en party given at the homes of Mrs. Mogensen and Mrs. Froehlich on Saturday evening. Invitations had been issued to all of the members of the faculty numbering sixty, who came dressed in mysterious costumes representative of Hallowe'en.

Ghosts were stationed on the spacious lawn at the Froehlich home and as the guests arrived they were met at the front entrance by one of these who directed them to the rear where they were met by another ghost who ushered them to the home of Mrs. Mogensen which was attractively decorated in Hallowe'en colors. The lights were shaded with orange crepe paper. Here mirth and merriment prevailed, various forms of Hallowe'en entertainment having been prepared for them, until the luncheon hour when they were taken to the Froehlich home where refreshments, characteristic of Hallowe'en were served. During this time the rooms were very dimly lighted. Streamers of orange and black were suspended from the chandeliers. Black cats and witches were in evidence. In one corner of the living room a grewsome looking witch reciting a ghostly tale. Two goblins danced in and out among the diners, which increased the already ghostly atmosphere. The hours following the repast found the guests eagerly consulting fortune tellers who very graciously revealed their future. The guests dispersed at a late hour voting their hostesses exceptional entertainers.

Newlyweds Entertained.

Hallowe'en predominated in the decorative scheme of the six o'clock dinner given by Mrs. H. O. Loken at her home on Friday evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loken, whose marriage recently occurred. A ghost was stationed at the entrance to receive the guests who spent the evening following the dinner in hemming towels and dusters for the honored couple. During intervals music was furnished by various members of the party. During the course of the evening Mr. and Mrs. Loken were presented with a handsome gold-banded dinner set consisting of fifty pieces by the guests. The favors of the evening were cunning little nut shells containing fortunes. The guest list included Misses Kate Jonas, Effie Christianson, Florence Fjelstad, Rose Severson, Edna Evenson, Elvira Carlson, Esther Warner, Cecelia Peterson, Blanche Hoium, Grace and Olive Skramstad, Marie Nelson, Frank Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Aure, Mrs. Vance and Mrs. Lampert.

W. C. T. U. to Meet.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna Langseth, LaBree avenue. The district president, Mrs. Chapin of Euclid will give a report of the state convention and members and friends are urged to come. In the evening the public is invited to the Presbyterian church where the district vice president, Mrs. Alma Levins of Crookston, who has recently returned from Europe, where she attended the world's convention of the W. C. T. U. in London and after which she spent much time traveling through the war stricken country, will give an interesting account of her travels abroad. Musical and vocal selections by the best talent in the city will also be given. In addition the playette, "The Sick Baby," which was given at the district convention this summer by the local Temperance Legion, will be given. Everyone is invited to attend these two splendid meetings. A collection will be taken.

Entertain For A. B. C's.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson gave a Hallowe'en party for the A. B. C's, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Kline on Monday evening. Orange and black crepe streamers were draped about the rooms. Black cats and witches adorned the curtains and walls. The hours were devoted to music, games and dancing. At 12 o'clock a delicious lunch was served in hallowe'en fashion. The guests came dressed in costumes and wore masks. The names of those who shared the pleasure of the event were: Alyce Froseth, Adlyn LaBree, Daghy Tharaldson, Pearl Rowe, Mary Vance, Marian Corks, Ruby Ness, Pearl Shetler, Stella Nepstad, Martha Fallness, Gladys Maland and Harold Smithers, Melford LaBree, John Hendry, Clarence Vevea, Lloyd Larson, Matt Barzen, Milton Lund, John Sether, Howard Dolaß, Craig Halvorson, James Parenteau and Charles Herron.

Hallowe'en Party.

A number of the young friends of Miss Ersyl Anderson were entertained at her home on Saturday evening at a Hallowe'en party. Games, music and story telling were in keeping with All Saints Day. Orange and black combined with black cats, witches and bats were appropriate decorations throughout the rooms. A delicious lunch was served before their departure. Those sharing the evening's jollities were, Georgia Klemens, Maxine Johnson, Margaret Klungness, Clara Klungness, Margaret Melgaard, Esther Bennes, Isabelle Richter, Murial Loken, Harriet Morgan, Georgia Coyle, Clifford Storholm, Lawrence Mulry, Melvin Engelstad, George Johnson, Willis Johnson, Lloyd Bennes, Allen Sorenson, John Stewart, Arthur Penney and Robert McGinn.

Delightful Party.

Among the many delightful Hallowe'en affairs was the party given by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley C. Coumbe at their home on Bridge street, Saturday evening. Varied Hallowe'en decorations were used in making the home especially attractive. Three tables of whist were in order during the evening. At the conclusion of the game Mrs. Prichard was found to have the highest points and was awarded a big box of candy while Mrs. Heggan who held the lowest points carried home the "fool's cap." A light lunch was served before the guests departed. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Heggan, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Provencher, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Chas. Vorachek, W. C. Peterson and Dan R. Maue.

Nurses Have Party.

The Nurses' home on Knight avenue was the scene of a clever Hallowe'en party Friday night. No efforts had been spared to make the rooms attractive in Hallowe'en colors and symbols. Ghosts, goblins, witches, fortune-tellers and games in keeping with the season added to jollities of the evening. The guests numbering twenty were Misses Alice Solum, Eunice Lind, Adelia Keuhne, Paula Amand, Lillian Provencher, Leone Wilde, Grace McCrum, Helen Nordquist, Mollie Hermanson, Anna Evenson, Eleanor Harns, Lillian Roemhild, Lydia Drager, Adelhyde Kuehne, Edna Christianson, Edla Norquist, Miss Maude Frissel and mother and Miss Anna Skeim. A sumptuous lunch was served before the departure of the guests.

Endeavor Societies Entertain.

At the Presbyterian church parlors on Thursday evening the members of the Senior Endeavor society held a Hallowe'en party. Story telling, visiting and games formed the entertainment. During the course of the evening pumpkin pie and apples were enjoyed. About twenty-four guests shared the pleasure of the event. The evening following the Juniors had their party. All games, decorations and the varied entertainment were representative of Hallowe'en. A feature of the evening was "ducking for apples." A light lunch consisting of cake and ice cream concluded a most successful party. About twenty-four members participated.

Six O'Clock Dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich were charming hosts at a six o'clock dinner Sunday evening complimentary to Miss Alice Solem, who left Monday on a two weeks' vacation to be spent visiting with her parents who reside near Steiner, at the conclusion of which she will leave for Minneapolis, where she will enter the city hospital, which is affiliated with the local hospital, to complete her three year course in nursing. Covers were laid for the following: Misses Alice Solem, Eunice Lind, Adelia Khune, Paula A'Mand, Lillian Provencher, Leone Wilde, Grace McCrum, Helen Nordquist, Mollie Hermanson, Anna Evenson and Eleanor Harns.

Girls Community Club Meets.

The Girls' Community club met on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. The playlet on voting presented at the Woman's club in the afternoon was also given for the girls in the evening. Immediately after the play had been given Miss Nelson, the president, announced that any who desired could attend the Republican rally at the auditorium at which time Mrs. J. M. Bishop delivered her first political talk before a local audience, and at the conclusion of which they were invited to return to the club rooms for refreshments. A Hallowe'en lunch consisting of sweet cider and doughnuts had been prepared by the A's.

Gillette-Wilson.

A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage on Monday evening last when Joseph Wilson and Miss Mildred Gillette were united in marriage by the Rev. J. B. Smith. In the absence of any accompanying friends, Mrs. J. B. Smith and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., served as witnesses. As a singular co-incidence, the bride's sister and also one of the witnesses to the present ceremony had previously been united in matrimony by the same minister. The newly married couple will make their future home at Winnipeg where Mr. Wilson has been occupying a good position for some time.

Birthday Anniversary Celebrated.

The following clipping taken from the Crookston Times will be of interest to many local people. Miss Cornforth was formerly operator at the Western Union telegraph office in this city:

"In honor of the birthday anniversary of Miss Evelyn Cornforth, a very enjoyable Hallowe'en dancing party was given by Mrs. Hetler at her home last evening. The invited guests included boarders of Mrs. Hetler and a few intimate friends. The hours were from 8 to 12 and visiting, music and dancing were the diversions of the evening. A dainty repast was served at 11 o'clock."

Maxine Johnson Hostess.

A most successful Hallowe'en party was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Johnson when her daughter, Miss Maxine, entertained a number of her girl friends. Decorations and favors in keeping with the Hallowe'en season added much to the festivity of the occasion. Games and music furnished entertainment and a delicious lunch was served at midnight. The young ladies present were the Misses Ruth and Catherine Mellby, Margaret and Clara Klungness, Margaret Melgaard, Lucy Nason, Peggy Shaw, Ansof Dahlen and Ella Monsbroten.

Eberhart-Tack.

The many friends of Severin Eberhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Eberhart of this city, will be surprised to learn of his marriage to Miss Hazel May Tack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tack, of Montevideo, on Monday, Oct. 11. The groom was reared to manhood in this city, completing his high school course in the year of 1918. The bride is a very accomplished and highly esteemed young lady of Montevideo. The newlyweds will be at home at the latter named city after Nov. 1, where Mr. Eberhart is employed by the Moyer Mfg. Co.

Surprise Party.

Among the numerous functions given during the season of Hallowe'en was a very successful surprise party given by a number of young ladies in honor of Miss Laura Stopple. Various amusements including dancing were indulged in until a late hour when a donated lunch was served. The guests were Misses Marie Nelson, Irma Johnson, Grace Wilson, Anna Quale, Effie Hamry, Meta Kiland, Ruth Brown, Harriet Anderson, Esther Gjertson, Una Nelson, Ida Tandberg, Mrs. Montgomery and Mrs. Brink.

Entertain at Cards.

Mrs. L. E. Gesell and Mrs. Herbert Keene were hostesses at a delightful Hallowe'en party Thursday afternoon, at the former's home. Progressive whist was played at five tables. Mrs. E. O. Mogensen received first prize while Mrs. T. A. Way carried home the "booby" prize. The rooms had been attractively decorated with colors and motives in keeping with Hallowe'en and a large disposal of yellow chrysanthemums completed the decorations. At five o'clock a delicious luncheon was served.

Hallowe'en Party.

Miss Benson's Sunday school class of the local M. E. church gave a Hallowe'en party last Saturday evening at the home of Frances Cruzan. The house was becomingly decorated. Various games, music and fortune telling, the latter by Miss Benson, formed the evening's pleasures. At ten-thirty a dainty lunch was served. The guests were Miss Benson, Lucille Curtiss, Myrtle Krause, Frances Cruzan, Ruby and Pearl Conklin, Gladys Sandstrom, Amelia Reitz and Florence Johnson.

Wedding Anniversary Celebrated.

The gay spirit of Hallowe'en was particularly emphasized this year by various parties, dances, etc. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence contributed by entertaining a company of their friends on Thursday evening at their home, in commemoration of their sixth wedding anniversary. Cards made up the evening's entertainment. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. R. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Curtiss, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Entertains at Dinner.

Hallowe'en colors were used by Mrs. H. C. Johnson in decorating the rooms of her home when she and her husband entertained a few of their friends at a six o'clock dinner on Thursday evening. Places were set for Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter and Misses Anna Quale and Effie Hamry. The hours following the dinner were spent in a social manner.

Co-eds Organize Club.

About fifteen young ladies attending the local high school meet on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Dagney Tharaldson for the purpose of organizing a social club. They decided to call themselves the A. B. C's. The officers elected for the year are: Pres., Dagney Tharaldson; V. Pres., Pearl Shetler; secretary, Adlyn LaBree, treasurer, Gladys Maland. At the conclusion of the meeting a light lunch was served.

Parcel Shower.

Among the pre-nuptial affairs given in compliment to Miss Ruth Evenson, whose marriage takes place this month, is a miscellaneous shower which Miss Irma Johnson will give at her home this evening. The invited guests are Misses Ruth Evenson, Grace Wilson, Una Nelson, Gena Granum, Edna Evenson, Lena Evenson, Gilma Ostvaldson, Marie Nelson and Meta Kiland.

Entertains Informally.

Among the numerous informal parties held on election night was that given by Mrs. L. H. Hermanson at her home. The hours were spent in a social manner and light refreshments were served at midnight. The guests were Misses Mable Brown, Belle Hermanson, Ruth Evenson, Mrs. H. Froseth, Mrs. F. E. Hunt, Mrs. H. S. Snyder, Mrs. Anna Dock and Mrs. C. Erickson.

Dahl-Clay.

Miss Clara Dahl and William Clay, both of this city, were united in marriage on Oct. 18, at Fargo, N. D. Both young people are well known here, the groom having operated a vulcanizing shop in this city the past summer. The bride was formerly employed at Black's Sweet Shop until a couple of months ago, since which time she has lived with her parents who reside near this city.

Lonson-Hazelton.

A marriage of interest to Thief River Falls people is that of Tom Lonson, formerly of this city, now of Mahnomen, to Miss Marian Hazelton of Richwood, last Thursday, at the home of the groom's brother, Albert Lonson, at Calloway. Only immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony. The newlyweds will make their home at Mahnomen where Mr. Lonson is employed in a bank.

Aasen-Tenoe.

Ole O. Aasen of Highlanding and Miss Ella Louise Tenoe of Hatton, N. D., were united in marriage on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 28, at the Zion Lutheran parsonage with Rev. Geo. Larson officiating. The witnesses to the ceremony were Barney Peterson and Charlotte Larson. The newly married couple will make their home on the groom's farm near Highlanding.

Election Parties.

Election night found a number of groups of women partaking in the entertainment on hand going to the movies, later adjourning to some luncheon room for refreshments and eagerly awaiting election returns. Among them were, Misses Una Nelson, Laura Stopple, Irma Johnson, Meta Kiland, Grace Wilson, Olga Nettum, Ruth Brown and Harriet Anderson.

Elks to Dance.

The Thief River Falls Elks and their ladies will dance at the city auditorium tomorrow night. The local orcestra will furnish good music and an exceptionally pleasant evening should result. Prospective members of the lodge are requested to bring their ladies along and join in the evening's festivities. This dance will be the first of the series for the season of 1920-21. Plans under way will make each of the succeeding dances a feature in the social life of the community.

Musical Section Meets.

The music section of the Woman's club will meet at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, November 9th at the home of Mrs. G. Halvorson, LaBree avenue N. A good musical program is being prepared. All who desire to become members of the musical club are requested to attend this meeting. Each is requested to come with a current event in mind.

Miss Seims Entertains.

Miss Margaret Seims was hostess at a prettily arranged Hallowe'en party at her home on Monday evening. Sixteen of her friends were present. Story-telling, games and music provided the evening's pleasures. The rooms were tastefully decorated in orange and black. A delicious lunch was served at midnight.

Parcel Shower.

In compliment to Mrs. F. E. Hunt, formerly Miss Amy Krohn, a parcel shower was given by Mrs. R. Knutson, Mrs. A. J. Berg and Miss Myrtle Krohn at the home of the former on Monday evening. Conversation and music formed the chief diversion. Mrs. Hunt was presented with many pretty and useful gifts.

Bread Club Gives Party.

The members of the Bread club gave a Hallowe'en party at the high school on Thursday evening. Hallowe'en decorations were used to accentuate the spirit of the night. An enjoyable hour of timely stunts and games was indulged in. At the close of the social hour delicious refreshments were served.

Fruit Shower.

A unique affair of the Hallowe'en season, was a fruit shower tendered Mrs. L. N. Pierce by the girls of her eighth grade class on Friday evening at the Gustafson home on Knight avenue. Games and stunts characteristic of the season were enjoyed until a late hour when the guests dispersed.

Mrs. Sapero Entertains.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero informally entertained a party of six ladies on election night. After taking advantage of all the entertainment in the city before midnight, the guests repaired to the Sapero home where they remained until their husbands returned from the Elks' party.

Entertains.

Master George Curtiss entertained a few of his little friends at a hallowe'en party on Saturday afternoon. The little folks enjoyed the hours by playing games and indulging in various stunts characteristic of the season. At five o'clock delicious refreshments were served.

Ladies Have Party.

A number of ladies assembled at the home of Mrs. Crandall on Friday evening for a social time. Whist was played at four tables. At a late hour refreshments which the ladies had brought with them, were served.

Informal Afternoon.

Mrs. A. N. Heggan entertained nine of her lady friends at her home, 803 Duluth avenue N., on Saturday afternoon. Sewing was the diversion of the afternoon. A delicious lunch closed a very enjoyable hour.

In Honor of Miss Solem.

The nurses at the local hospital entertained on Saturday evening at the Nurses' home in honor of Miss Alice Solem who left the hospital on Monday for Minneapolis to complete her course in nursing.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud were hosts to fifteen of their friends at a 'game' dinner at the Bramund hotel on Monday evening. Hallowe'en appointments were used throughout the dinner.

Chafing Dish Party.

A company of the intimate friends of Mrs. M. W. Brink were delightfully entertained last night at her home. During the course of the evening a chafing dish lunch was served.

Coal! Coal!! Coal!!!

Our first car of the famous Fulton County Coal will be in Thief River Falls within ten days. This is the first time that this famous coal has been offered north or west of Minneapolis.

We will dispose of this first car not more than one ton to a customer at actual cost of coal at the mines plus freight to Thief River Falls.

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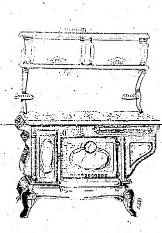

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candidate, comes through with the rest although with a somewhat reduced plurality.

Steenerson is Safe.

Congressman Steenerson has been re-elected, increasing his primary lead in nearly every county. On a recent visit to this city Mr. Steenerson stated that in making his estimates he had given Pennington county to his opponent by 1000 votes. Thormodson's lead here is exactly half that figure. The big vote given the congressman in Thief River Falls helped hold down the lead of his opponent in the farming districts. At noon Mr. Steenerson's lead was reported to be 10,000 with one-third of the district to hear from.

Nonpartisans Carry County.

Shipstead wins in the county by almost two to one over Preus, the Nonpartisan candidates receiving substantial pluralities in nearly every precinct outside of Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire and Goodridge. Rines for state treasurer made the best showing, followed by Mike Holm for secretary of state and Louis Collins for lieutenant governor. The latter ran [illegible] votes ahead of Preus.

Walter A. Day of Clearwater county, present incumbent, and A. J. Hemstad of Red Lake county, have been elected representatives, defeating M. A. Sortedahl, who sought re-election and L. Jensen.

Amendments All Carry.

All the amendments have carried, there being an overwhelming majority in favor of Number 1—the good roads proposition. Pennington county gave substantial majorities for each of the propositions, the largest being for Number 4 which provides for the taxing of railroad property for internal improvements in cities and villages.

Only Two Contests.

On the county ticket there were but two contests. Lars Backe was opposed for Judge of Probate by Peter C. Wold, who made the run over the sticker route, while County Commissioner A. W. Hanson is returned from the First district, defeating A. A. [illegible]gaard, who also entered the race late to get his name onto the [illegible] ticket. Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund had no opposition as was the case with Robert McGinn and J. S. Roy, county commissioners.

Standing of the Candidates.

The total vote cast in the county was 3878 for president and 4116 for governor. Two years ago the combined vote of the Republican and Democratic presidential candidates was 1871 while this year it is 3173. Harding's gain over the vote cast for Hughes four years ago is 1275 while Cox falls 1512 behind that cast for Wilson at the same time.

Allowing a liberal number for natural increase, the size of the vote proves that the women of the county turned out in much greater numbers than was expected. The Socialist vote increased about 100 per cent in the four years.

Following is a record of the result in Pennington county:

President—	
Harding	2379
Cox, J. M.	794
Debs	588
Cox, W. W.	38
Watkins	79
overnor—	
Preus	1267
Shipstead	2507
Hodgson	336
Samson	6
Lieutenant Governor—	
Collins	1455
McDonnell	282
Hubbell	46
Mallon	2179
Friedman	40
Secretary of State—	
Holm	1543
Anderson	2119
Burmaster	221
Copland	2[illegible]
Hirt	54
State Treasurer—	
Rines	1614
Wagner	1752
Luders	238
Phelps	137
orney General—	
Hilton	1505
McOnat	201
ullivan	2220
W. Commissioner—	
acobson	1626
MacKenzie	1710
Robinson	243
May	151
Supreme Court Justice—	
Dibell	1357
Siegel	2299
Congressman—	
Steenerson	1557
Thormodson	2056
Jeffers	395
Legislature—	
Hemstad	1990
Day	2037
Sortedahl	1108
Jensen	947
Clerk of Court—	
Eklund	3007
Judge of Probate—	
Backe	2296
Wold	1247
Commissioner 1st Dist—	
Hanson	305
degaard	294
ndment No. 1—	
Yes	1979
No	1274
Amendment No. 2—	
Yes	2061
No	1474
Amendment No. 3—	
Yes	1934
No	1065
Amendment No. 4—	
Yes	2672
No	462

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American Legion Notes

Plans for Future Payment.

The bonus board will have all claims audited and ready for payment before the convening of the next session of the legislature, except those involving doubtful questions of interpretation of the bonus law as to persons entitled to the bonus. When these questions are more definitely sifted out, the American Legion will take steps to secure the most liberal interpretation possible for the benefit of ex-service men and women, either by fostering legislation interpreting the law, or by bringing test cases, or by both.

Soldiers Preference Law.

Legion posts are requested to report to Department Headquarters any violations of the Soldier's preference law. This law is the expression of the will of the people of Minnesota, and the department will take all necessary steps for its enforcement.

Position for Disabled Soldier.

A position for a disabled soldier as telephone operator, $60 to $70 per month, is open with the Wright Telephone Company, Waverly, Minn.

Victory Medals.

A big eleventh-hour rally will place a Victory Medal on every eligible person in Pennington county. Repeated instructions for obtaining medals for army men have been issued. Army, Navy and Marine corps members can secure their medals by presenting their discharges at the nearest recruiting station of their former department.

Vocational Training.

Every community has ex-service men who applied for vocational training or medical treatment, and who later failed to answer letters concerning their claims, sent them by the Vocational Bureau or U. S. Public Health Service, Plaza hotel, Minneapolis. Every man who has put in such a claim should write the department their desires in that respect, so that service may be rendered or their cases crossed off the Government's books. This will assist in proper attention being paid to those men who are in more dire need of training or medical treatment.

Telegram of Congratulations.

A telegram of congratulations was sent to Lieutenant Governor Collins by Thief River Falls "buddies" of the old 151st Field Artillery days.

Veteran Loses to Leaguer.

Dave Lofgren, returned soldier, was defeated in the contest for representative in Roseau county by Louis Enstrom, the Nonpartisan League candidate.

News of Rail and Shop

TOTAL KILLED ON ROADS LOWEST SINCE 1898

Washington, Nov. 2—Fewer persons wer killed on railroads in 1919 than in any year since 1898, and fewer were injured than in any year since 1910, said a statement issued today by the interestate commerce commission.

In 1919 there were 6,978 persons killed and 149,059 injured, compared with 6,859 killed in 1898 and 119,507 injured in 1910; 277 of the killed were passengers and 7,456 of the injured were passengers. Employees killed in 1919 numbered 2,138 and 131,018 were injured.

Fewer trespassers on railroads were killed in 1919 than in any year of the commission's records, which go back to 1890. Last year 2,553 trespassers were killed and 2,658 injured. Railroad officials said there were fewer persons out of employment and fewer tramps than formerly because of the war.

Division Jottings.

Ames Pederson has been hired as coach cleaner.

Victor Norquist spent the week-end at Glenwood.

Mrs. C. J. Bugge and one daughter were in Warren on Friday last.

Mrs. G. S. Husby visited in Warren a few days during the past week.

Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn left on Monday for an extended visit in Minneapolis.

J. F. Seaberg has been appointed custodian at Westbury vice E. G. Gleege, resigned.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Goethe left for Duluth on Tuesday enroute for Ishpeming, Mich., where they will spend a few weeks with relatives.

P. H. Nyhus has been appointed station agent at Waubun vice A. S. Barnett, resigned.

C. W. Stewart of Forest River was a member of the jolly Elks' party on the night of November 2-3.

Albert Belland and Peter Parenteau have been added to the car department as apprentice carmen.

C. T. Franson, agent at Karlstad, was in Thief River Falls for the Elks' "doings" on Tuesday night.

F. G. Smith has resumed work as agent at Vergas vice M. L. Parsons transferred to Detroit as third trick operator.

Car Foreman G. J. Conklin left on Thursday for Kansas City, Missouri to attend the funeral of a niece. He will be gone a week or ten days.

When No. 109 pulled into the station at Thief River Falls on Tuesday morning it was necessary to remove snow and ice from the vestibules, a sleet and snow storm having been encountered just this side of the twin cities.

C. A. Aittama of Ogema has resumed work vice C. W. Stewart transferred to Forest River, relieving F. C. Chandler who goes to Fonda as regular agent. Mr. Chandler relieves A. E. Swan, who has been granted a leave of absence.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.82
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.77
Oats	.40
Flax	2.30
Barley	.60
Rye	1.16
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	6.50
Bran	2.20
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Whole Corn, 100 lb. Bags	2.30
Corn and oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.40
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.30
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.52
Dairy Butter	.55
Creamery Butter	.57
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse hides	4.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10-15
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.05-06
Steers, per lb	.05-06
Calves, per lb.	.05-06
Cows, per lb	.04-05

AMBITIOUS CLERK ENTERS NEW FIELD

Mr. Harry Peterson, lately a dry goods clerk, rightly figured that the chances for advancement are better at a desk than behind a counter. He took a thorough course of secretarial training at Dakota Business College, and recently was sent to the U. S. Employment Bureau at $150 a month to start.

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School Staff Leaves to Attend State Convention

Superintendent W. A. Ziegler and the entire staff of high school teachers left on Wednesday for St. Paul to attend the annual convention of the Minnesota Educational association, high school being discontinued for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. County Superintendent George M. Gunderson also left on Tuesday evening.

An exceptional program of speaking and reading has been arranged for the convention. Superintendent Ziegler appears on the program on Friday with the subject "A Vocational Guidance in Small Towns and Rural Communities." Miss Maude Johnson, supervisor of music in the Thief River Falls schools, also appears on the program in her capacity of vice president of the music section of the M. E. A.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends, neighbors and relatives who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Sarah Tilden, and also for the many beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. W. W. McChesney, Mrs. N. E. Whipple, Lawrence Lonson. n4-p

Livestock Valuation is Raised by Tax Commission

County Auditor T. P. Anderson has been notified that the State Tax Commission has raised the valuation of all livestock in Pennington county from 10 to 20 per cent above the county board of equalization's estimate. The real estate valuation of the county was also raised 15 per cent but on presentations made to the board by County Commissioner McGinn and Peterson this was reduced to five per cent.

Carrots Recommended By Expert as Winter Food

Nutrition authorities in the office of extension work with women, University Farm, strongly urge the storage of abundance of carrots for winter use. Research workers have found that carrots are rich in "fat soluble A," one of the classes of vitamines essential to health and growth. Carrots also increase the lime content of the dietary. In localities where lettuce cannot be obtained in winter, the regular use two or three times a week of carrots is advised by Miss Lucy Cordiner of the home economics staff of the university. The yellow rutabaga is also recommended.

Unclaimed Letters.

Celson, Mrs.
Fergerson, Miss Annie
Grandquist, Mr. Gerard
Harris, Harry
Hanestad, Miss Annie
Lally, Mr. R. W.
Lollefron, Edwin
Ludvig, Mrs. W. D.
Olson, Andrew
Olson, Miss Marie
Paulson, Mrs. Henkel
Sarbach, S. H.
Schrupp, Arthur
Wilson, W.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist,
will be at Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Wednesday, Nov. 17, (P. M. only.)

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than pure milk from choice high-grade cows fed on the best in the land. Such a grade of milk you obtain from us—rich, creamy, valuable for its butterfat and protein to say nothing of the other nutritious elements. For adults as well as growing children.

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For colds and coughs
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Sallow Skin Not Pretty

Constipation destroys the complexion, making it yellow and ugly. Keep the bowels at work cleaning out the system daily by using Dr. King's Pills. They do the work thoroughly and gently. Buy a bottle today, 25 cents.

Prompt! Won't Gripe
Dr. King's Pills

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neghbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

MERCHANTS MUST BUILD "BACKFIRE"

The forest ranger and the prairie farmer have learned that they must fight fire with fire. They know when the all-consuming forest or prairie fires are sweeping toward them their only hope of safety lies in the "back-fire." By kindling and carefully controlling a fire of their own they force the biggest fire to burn itself out, finding no further fuel on which to feed.

The merchants of the small cities and towns are learning that in waging their fight for existence they must adopt the tactics of the men of the West. The great mail order houses of the cities are the consuming flames which threaten to wipe out the retail merchants of the small towns unless the latter, realizing their danger, take steps to remove the menace. The retail merchants, as a whole, are beginning to realize that they must fight fire with fire and that to save themselves they must build a "back-fire."

Advertising is the weapon with which the mail order houses conduct their warfare on the retail merchants of the small cities and towns. The mail order houses do their advertising through their own catalogues and through certain publications which are known as mail order advertising mediums. A big mail order house spends hundreds of thousands of dollars merely on the preparation and publication of its bulky catalogues.

Business Built Upon Advertising.

The catalogue houses also spend thousands upon thousands of dollars in advertising in the mail order publications which look for their circulation to the people of the small towns and the rural districts. Advertising in some of these mediums costs as much as from $40 to $85 for a single inch, yet the mail order houses find it profitable to pay these high rates. Their business is built upon advertising and if they were denied the use of the mails for their advertising for a single month their business would be destroyed.

In advertising, the local merchants find the only weapon with which they can beat the mail order houses at their own game. This does not mean necessarily, only newspaper advertising, although that is the big gun in the battery employed by the successful merchant in his battle for trade. Advertising is a big word and it covers a big field. There is no longer to be found the man who does not believe in advertising. Every merchant believes in advertising of some sort. The placing of a display in a show window is advertising. The only difference between that kind of advertising and advertising in a newspaper is that where the one reaches dozens the other reaches hundreds. Attractive window displays are, of course, an important adjunct of any retail store. They serve their purpose but this purpose is only to attract the attention of those who may be passing by the store. There are other forms of advertising, such as personal solicitation; but printed matter must always continue to be the chief reliance of merchants in attracting customers to their stores.

Advertising Begets Confidence.

The buying public has learned that the store which takes the people into its confidence through its advertising is the one in which it may expect to get the best bargains and the most satisfactory treatment. It knows that the store which advertises consistently and regularly has the best and most up-to-date stocks because this store sells its goods more rapidly than the one which does not advertise and, therefore, is not forced to carry over old stock from one season to another. The public knows that the store which advertises can place lower prices on its goods because it turns over the stock oftener than the store which does not advertise and therefore does not have its capital tied up in slow-moving merchandise.

The mail order house does not get its business by merely letting the public know that it has dry goods or hardware or groceries or some other commodity to sell. It creates a demand for its goods by placing in its catalogue attractive pictures and detailed descriptions of the articles which it has to sell. The lure of the mail order catalogues lies in the fact that the merits, or alleged merits, of the merchandise offered are placed before the prospective purchaser in the most graphic manner. The local retail merchant has the same opportunity to do this that the mail order house has and can do it much more effectively than the mail order house can. The retail merchant can talk to the people of his community through his home newspaper and that is something which the mail order house as a rule cannot do, for the local newspapers through a sense of loyalty to their communities and their home merchants will not accept the advertising with which the mail order houses would flood them if they had the opportunity.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side.—ANDREW BOTTELSON.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

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OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

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BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil.—AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advice you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

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WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

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WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries.—ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

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Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.—HALL BROTHERS CO.

PREPARING FOR BIRD FANCIERS' FOURTH EXHIBIT

Annual Poultry Show Will Be Held in Auditorium on November 22, 23, 24.

Cash Prizes and Loving Cup Awarded By Banks For the Best Exhibits.

Will Be Made the Best Show of Its Kind Held in the Neighborhood.

Over $700 in premiums will be awarded on exhibits at the fourth annual show of the Pennington County Poultry association which will be held in the auditorium at Thief River Falls on November 22, 23 and 24. Premium lists featuring cash prizes, loving cups and special awards have recently been compiled and distributed. A large number of birds were exhibited at the very successful show of last year and a greater number is expected for the coming exhibition.

Exhibits From Great Distance.

The Pennington County Poultry association, now a member of the American Poultry association, the largest organization of its kind in the world, is attracting the attention of many poultry breeders throughout the northwest. Inquiries for premium lists are being received in great numbers. This show is open to breeders of the state and the entire United States and exhibitions of different breeds of birds from North Dakota, Minnesota and adjoining states are assured.

Loving Cup Sweepstakes.

The First and Peoples' State bank of Thief River Falls will present a silver loving cup valued at $50 to the owner of the highest scoring female bird shown. The Farmers' and Merchants' State bank will present a silver cup of like value to the owner of the highest scoring male bird. In addition to these handsome cups the poultry association will award five silver loving cups as follows: On the highest scoring cockerel, on the highest scoring cock, on the highest scoring pullet, on the highest scoring hen and on the highest scoring pen. Merchants of Thief River Falls will present specials in the way of premiums for the best display of each breed. Cash prizes totalling upwards of $700 will be awarded by the association.

There will be cash specials for long distance exhibitions; there will be a boys' and girls' department, and cash prizes will be paid for the largest and most uniform eggs. Premiums on rabbits and bantams will also be awarded. C. E. Brown of Crookston, will act as judge.

The complete premium list is a long one. Any poultry breeders, or those interested in poultry breeding, who have been overlooked in the distribution of premium lists can secure one by writing or calling at the farm bureau office in the basement of the city auditorium.

Fine Local Exhibits.

H. F. Erickson of Thief River Falls will display a prize winning line of Buff Orphingtons, birds that took ribbons at the Minnesota state fair last year and a cup at the Red Lake Poultry association show held at Plummer.

Dennis McGinn has been showing White Leghorns at the Winnipeg fairs and at the Minnesota state fair. He already has over 50 ribbons won by his exhibits at various shows throughout the northwest, as well as a silver loving cup won at the Plummer show.

C. M. Bueen, Thief River Falls, is one of the newer exhibitors but his Buff Orphingtons are rapidly coming to the top. Edward Battenfeld has some valuable Barred Plymouth Rocks. Many high priced birds of all breeds have been purchased by local breeders for the purpose of bringing their stock up to the higher-show level. Individual birds valued at $25, $35 and $45 are becoming numerous.

Improvement of Stock Aim.

The aim of the Pennington County Poultry association is to get rid of the mongrels and scrubs existing in any flock of poultry and to secure those birds which are producers only. There is a great deal of distinction even as to egg breeders and meat breeds. Better poultry has been talked for many years but it is the poultry shows which most effectively demonstrate the value of proper breeding and which will bring about a more profitable poultry industry in the shortest possible time.

Officers of the association are: President, L. H. Lawrence; vice-president, H. F. Erickson; secretary, J. J. McCann; treasurer, Mrs. H. C. Woolson; directors, K. T. Dalager, F. B. Conklin, Casper Weiner, Edward Battenfeld and O. B. Mandt.

Near-Whisky is Dangerous Even if Poured in Sewer

Over at Minot the other day the authorities confiscated some eleven-hundred quarts of the so-called "Majestic," a near Canadian rye, which, when being dumped into the sewer via traps in the basement of the county court house, yielded such fumes of ether that several persons employed were quietly put to sleep. The county sheriff is still in the hospital recovering from his case of anaesthesia.

Under Alterations.

The Lyceum theatre has been closed since Monday, alterations being imperative. The operator's booth and stairway leading to the balcony have been too small and inconvenient. Both are being enlarged and the booth being made positively fireproof. The theater will be opened for the Sunday matinee at 2:30.

UNUSUAL MUSICAL FEATURE PROMISED

Bel Canto Quintette Will Appear Here Under Auspices of American Legion.

The Bel Canto quintette, featuring Ida Hagen Pitman, dramatic soprano, will appear at the Auditorium on the evening of Nov. 12th, under the auspices of the American Legion. With each of the five beautiful young ladies a true artist and an unusual combination of beautiful instruments, the quintette offers a musical program par excellence.

Ida Hagen Pitman, pupil of Oscar Seigel, is a dramatic soprano destined to take her place among the truly great singers. She has her own accompanist and is ably assisted on the program by Vera Andrus, who plays her flute with consummate ease and skill; Edna Lee, whose violincello has aroused the emotions of many audiences and Fern Van Bramer, a harpist of splendid technique and ability. The tension of a purely musical program is relieved by Hazel Bryngelson, whose strong dramatic readings are long remembered by those who hear her.

The American Legion has been fortunate in securing a contract with the management of the quintette because of an unforseen open date and a train schedule which necessitates a change at Thief River Falls. The sisters, wives and mothers of the legionnaires have been requested to put on an advance sale of seats for the attraction, though tickets will also be on sale at Lambert's drug store.

EXPECT TO EXCEED SEAL SALE QUOTA

Chairman McCann Confident That Record For County Will Be Broken This Year.

Adequate provision for 21,000 active cases of tuberculosis and for 4,500 exposed children in Minnesota must be provided if the deadly "White Plague" is to be controlled in this state, Chairman J. J. McCann of the Pennington county Christmas Seal Sale committee, declared on receipt of reports from the Minnesota Public Health Association.

The quota alloted to this community to raise before Christmas Day to finance a continued vigorous fight against this scourge and other diseases is $1200, which is on the basis of 10 cents per capita. Confident that the public appreciates the vital necessity of providing more adequate facilities to fight tuberculosis, Chairman McCann predicts that this quota will be greatly exceeded.

Research by the Nation's leading health experts shows that at least one per cent of the normal population of every community in the United States has tuberculosis. Besides the 1,000,000 active cases in the United States, at least 300,000 children are constantly exposed to tuberculosis, health experts state.

Three definite policies advocated to control the disease are: first, the prevention of infection, especially from adults to children; second, the building of bodily resistance and third, the cure and restoration of the curable to working efficiency.

LIVESTOCK MARKET HAS BETTER TONE

Heavy Receipts on Monday Cause Cattle Drop, But This is Regained.

South St. Paul—Markets in all departments of the trade firmed up last week under the influence of materially lighter receipts and a broader shipping demand.

Good sheep and lambs came in for sharpest advances, the gain on better grades amounting to $1.00 to $1.25 for the week, placing best native limbs at $12.00, and choice ewes at $6.25. Among the strengthening elements were a decrease in aggregate receipts of sheep and lambs at western markets, improved prices and demand for the dressed product in the east, and a realization that this season's run of fat stock from the west is drawing to a close.

With heavy receipts of cattle last Monday, the market opened generally 25 to 50c lower, excepting on good and choice stockers and feeders. With lighter receipts subsequently, however, and a good shipping outlet and better dressed beef trade in Twin Cities, the market rallied and all of Monday's loss on beef steers and better grades of butcher cattle was regained, and practically all cattle were ready sale. Dakota rangers at $12.25 topped the week's market. Compared with a week ago, common and medium beef steers, with bulk at $6.50 to $9.00 are around 25c higher, as are butcher cows and heifers, bulk of which sold at $1.50 to $7.50, with a few choice kinds up to $9.00 or better. Canners at $3.00 to $3.50 and cutters at $3.50 to $4.25 are about 25c lower than a week ago, with common grades of stockers and feeders and bologna bulls showing a like loss. The latter class sold mostly at $1.25 to $5.75. Veal calves declined 50c for the week, closing top being $11.50, choice, good and medium stockers and feeders selling mostly at $6.00 to $9.50, closed steady to strong for the week. Receipts at the seven principal markets showed a decrease of around 50,000 head of cattle and calves compared with the previous week.

The hog market felt the reviving influence of a few outside orders last week and closed firm, with a more stable undertone. Tops at the close were around $12.25, with bulk of sales at $12.00 to $12.20. Best pigs closed at $12.00 to $12.25.

Boys Behave Better Than Their Dads on Hallowe'en

Dad is not to tell of the most terrible capers that he used to cut when Hallowe'en came around but all the same Johnny or Jimmie or Billie know that any capers cut by them will lead to considerable of a reprimand—maybe worse than that—from that same Dad. Times aren't what they used to be, possibly. Dad used to move hayracks to the neighbors ridgepole; ran off with a section of Grandma Jones' fence, or tied the milkman's cow way out in the other end of town in the grove. The boy of today confines his attention to plate glass windows, white crayon and other deviltries, guaranteed to provoke as much anger as those his daddie pulled but involving far less labor. Thief River Falls suffered lightly this year. A good many windows were well soaped and a wash tub or two found their way to a flag staff, (That last one listen like the doings of some of the old school) but Hallowe'en coming as it did on Sunday, may have had some effect on the night's work.

Annual Chicken Pie Supper.

The Methodist Ladies Aid will give their annual chicken pie supper in the basement of the Methodist church on Wednesday, Oct. 10. Serving will begin at 5:30 p. m.

Menu:

Chicken pie with gravy

Mashed potatoes Mashed rutabagas

Cranberry Jell Pickles

Biscuits

Pumpkin pie Coffee

Price 50c per plate

URGES OBSERVANCE OF ARMISTICE DAY

Proclamation Calls on Citizens to Celebrate Anniversary of Great War's Close.

Thursday, Nov. 11, has been proclaimed as Armistice day in Minnesota by Governor J. A. A. Burnquist, who urges all citizens to properly observe the day. The governor's proclamation follows:

"On Nov. 11, 1920, two years will have expired since the signing of the Armistice which meant the end of the World war.

"The event of which the eleventh day of November of each year will forever hereafter be remembered as the anniversary in the history of America and all the world. 'The armistice' says Foch, 'was tantamount to capitulation, and absolute capitulation.' After years of struggle, agony and sacrifice it ended the saddest of all human experiences in the greatest victory of all times.

"Now therefore, I, Joseph A. A. Burnquist, governor of Minnesota, in appreciation of the splendid valor and heroic devotion of the sons and daughters of our state who assisted in making the great triumph of human rights possible, do hereby proclaim Nov. 11, 1920, as Armistice day."

Northern Ducks Will Have To Hurry; Lakes Freezing

Many local nimrods have been spending chilly hours lying in wait for the expected flight of southbound water fowl and have returned with stories of excellent hunting but with small bags of game. The northern part of the state has produced poor duck hunting this fall but northern ducks and geese have been expected daily with the coming of the colder weather. Small lakes and marshes are freezing nightly and it is just possible that the expected migration may fail to materialize. Several hunting parties spent the week-end east of here in the Red Lake district, returning with the limit in the way of partridge or grouse. Partridge has been numerous in all localities this fall, owing to the two years closed season; in fact they have been so tame in some instances as to almost destroy the sporting element in bringing them down.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

October 15 to 31, inclusive.

Joseph Scheid and wife to G. C. Olmstad, ne¼ sec. 35, Star twp. Consideration $2,000.

Targe Brokke and wife to Clifford Gilseth, lots 11 and 12, blk. 13, Porter's add. Consideration $328.72.

Otto Rupprecht and wife to Richard Rupprecht, lots 7 and 8, blk. 8, orig. townsite of Thief River Falls.

Oliver Resan to Henry Tollefson, lots 1, 2 and 3, blk. 1. Goodridge. Consideration $3,000.

St. Hilaire Townsite Co. to Arminta Hooper, lot 8, blk. 52, orig. townsite of St. Hilaire. Consideration $2500.

St. Hilaire Townsite Co. to Lyman Peck, lot 12, blk. 52, orig. townsite of St. Hilaire.

Lyman Peck and wife to G. W. Hooper, lot 12, blk. 52, orig. townsite of St. Hilaire.

Arminta Hooper and husband to Ginther Tessum, lot 8, blk. 52, orig. townsite of St. Hilaire.

G. W. Hooper and wife to Ginther Tessum, lots 10, 11 and 12, blk. 52, orig. townsite of St. Hilaire.

Myrtle Thorstad and husband to E. A. Yonker, lots 22, 23 and 24, blk. 7, Hemmingsen's add. city. Consideration $500.

Arthur R. Boyce to Martin V. Evenson, lots 3 and 4, blk. 7, Knox addition to city. Consideration $1000.

Fred V. Windmueller to Frederick A. Gebler, lots 39 and 40, blk. 8, Knox add. Consideration $1500.

Fred A. Gebler and wife to Halvor Haldue, lots 39 and 40, blk. 8, Knox add. Consideration $2000.

Hamilton Mathew and wife to O. J. Bickley, lot 3, blk. 3, Highland add. Consideration $2500.

James Rauch and wife to F. H. Gambell, lots 13 and 14, blk. 9, Porter's add. Consideration $600.

F. H. Gambell and wife to Jennie Jacobson, lots 13 and 14, blk. 9, Porter's add.

Josephine Linquist to Martin Erickson, se¼ se¼ sec. 5, Polk Centre twp. Consideration $1320.

Rasmus H. Foss and wife to Karl H. Kringsberg and Nels Henrickson, lots 3 and 4, blk. 2, Zeh add.

Jens Severson and wife to John Anderson, lot 8, blk. 3, Zeh add. Consideration $1000.

H. L. Aanstad and wife to Clara J. Arhart, lot 1, blk. 4, Oakland add. Consideration $4575.

Andrew T. Myrum to Ole A. Myrum, nw¼, sec. 12, Mayfield twp. Consideration $600.

Jorgen M. Adsero to Jorgen Eide, lots 4 and 5, sec. 21, and lots 3 and 4, ne¼ nw¼ sec. 22, North twp. Consideration $17,078.25.

Jerusha Atherton to W. D. Ewing, ne¼, sec. 10, Thief River Falls twp. Consideration $5600.

Mary Tollum and husband to Gustave Wollen, lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, blk. 8, Red Lake Rapids. Consideration $1100.

Ole G. Hanson and wife to Fred Steecy, n½ se¼ sec. 18, Deer Park twp. Consideration $2000.

H. L. Bond, admin. to H. O. Hoff, lots 15, 16, 47 and 48, blk. 32, Red Lake Rapids. Consideration $650.

Carsten Christenson to Vivian E. Copp, s½ se¼ sec. 7, North twp. Consideration $9500.

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Churches

Christian Science—Services at the City Auditorium, the south-east room on second floor, Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

The First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A Larson, Pastor—Service next Sunday: In Swedish at 10:30 a. m. In American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. The Rev. Aug. Westlund will be in charge of these services. Welcome.

Presbyterian Church Family Supper.

The people of the Presbyterian church will take supper together in the church at 6:30 on Friday evening of this week. Everyone is invited. If a formal invitation does not reach everyone, come upon this invitation. Those who cannot bring food are invited as guests. Ladies' Aid society in charge.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Midweek services Thursday at 8 p. m. Services next Sunday at St. Hilaire. In the East Side school house at 10:45 a. m. At Black River at 3 and at St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. O. J. Lundell at 930 Kendall Ave. N. next Wednesday, Nov. 10th at 2:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swoger, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class, 9:30 a. m. Norwegian services at 11 a. m. English, 7:45 p. m. Confirmation class Saturday, 10 a. m. Choir rehearsal Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Ladies aid Thursday evening Nov. 11th. Y. P. League evening. A joint bazaar will be given by the Ladies' aid and Willing Workers societies, Friday afternoon and evening, Nov. 12, in the church basement.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Nov. 7. German services and Holy Communion at 10 a. m. and English services at 3 p. m. at Germantown. Sermon topic, "Why Am I a Lutheran, not a Roman Catholic?" Nov. 14. English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. German services in the Norwegian church at Goodridge at 2 p. m. Nov. 21. Thanksgiving services at Esplee at 10 a. m. and at Grygla at 3 p. m. Special collection.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service at 11 a. m. Choir practice Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, Nov. 4th. Mrs. George Larson and Mrs. Bugge entertain. Zion Young Peoples' meeting Thursday evening, entertained by Mrs. Parbst and Mrs. Dahl. Rindahl Ladies' Aid will have their sale Saturday evening, Nov. 13, in church. Rosewood, Bethlehem Ladies' Aid will have a mission fest in church Saturday, Nov. 20, at 11 a. m. Dinner will be served.

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Obituary

Mrs. John Peterson.

Mrs. Peterson, wife of John Peterson, died at their home in St. Hilaire last Thursday after a lingering illness of about a year. The funeral was conducted last Monday from the Swedish Evangelical Mission church, Rev. O. J. Lundell officiating.

Ole Lillegaard

On Monday, Nov. 1, occurred the death of Ole Lillegaard of Norden township, at the age of 84 years, 6 months, 21 days, from heart failure. The deceased came to the United States from Norway 36 years ago, 35 of which have been spent in this vicinity where he was engaged in farming. Burial will take place in Norden cemetery.

Eugene Safford.

Eugene Safford, one of the pioneer residents of Thief River Falls, passed away October 27, at the home of his son, Herbert, residing at Euclid. Death was attributed to a complication of diseases. Mr. Safford was born may 14, 1857 at Sauk Center where he spent the greater share of his boyhood. He settled near this city in the early days and it is stated that he was the first man to lay a shingle on any house in the village. Funeral services were held on Monday from the Methodist church in this city with Rev. J. B. Smith conducting. He is survived by his wife and five sons, Wesley, Herbert, John, Alfred, Clair, and two daughters, Lulu and Ella. Only two, Herbert and John, were able to be present at the funeral, Mrs. Safford and the remainder of the children were in Pennsylvania at the time of his death.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

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Weekly Bank Review of Conditions in Minnesota

"Better roads and more adequate schools." This phrase seems paramount in nearly every county in Minnesota, judging from many reports received from bankers and publishers for the weekly review of Minnesota enterprise prepared by The Merchants' National Bank of St. Paul and the First & Peoples' State Bank of Thief River Falls.

County reports received during the past ten days have not indicated any marked change in financial or agricultural conditions. Marketing of hogs has been brisk in some sections, possibly influenced by stories of hog cholera in other sections of the Northwest. There have been numerous cattle and hog auctions but bidding has been very conservative. Tight money conditions have been responsible for the lack of competitive bidding.

Marketing of cabbage crops has been well under way. The crop was rather small and prices are not so high as last fall. Two pound potatoes have been on exhibition in many cities and village market centers. The potato crop was a bumper size but the sharp drop in prices proved a keen disappointment to growers.

Cement manufacturers in Iowa and other states have sent representatives throughout Minnesota to assure city officials, county commissioners and business men, that the 1920 shortage will be remedied and that sufficient cement will be available for needs of every description. The coal situation is somewhat improved, at least at the head of the lakes, according to the Duluth bank report. Two Harbors, which has a municipal dock, not only has an adequate supply but is publicizing the fact that its residents will receive their quotas at bargain prices.

Reindeer meat has made its appearance in city meat markets. The meat was obtained from Alaska. Yellow Medicine county experimented successfully with a peanut crop and the acreage probably will be increased in 1921. Husking machines were used by quite a number of corn growers this fall. Lyon county has become a leading fruit center and shipments have been made to dealers in several states.

Forest fires are practically all extinguished. Heavy rains in the Northern counties did the work. Damage included the destruction of a few hay crops. The north woods are attracting large numbers of hunters.

Minnesota's constantly increasing opportunities for home seekers and investors were again reflected by the bankers report. A homesteader who came to Pennington county 18 years ago with sufficient funds to buy one horse and two cows sold a farm for $11,000 recently and has other holdings of considerable value. In LeSueur county a farmer estimated that his land which he originally obtained for $1,100, was worth at least $40,000. Another farmer in LeSueur county who started on a small scale paid $10,000 in Iowa for a prize boar.

Mild October weather caused many fruit trees to blossom and some reports stated that "lilac bushes were threatening to bloom." Indians living in the rice lake district north of Duluth have declared that many signs of nature forecast a mild, open winter.

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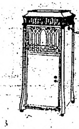

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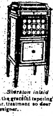

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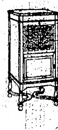

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Neighborhood Notes

GOODRIDGE

School Notes.

Appropriate decorations and signs of Hallowe'en were in evidence in the class rooms last week and on Friday afternoon the little folks held a party with jack-o-lanterns in their midst.

On Wednesday morning the members of the boys and girls club were awarded their respective premiums for project work during the past summer. A. C. Tvedt presented a fine coaster to the winner in the Garden club, Eunice Thoreson; Freda Bundhund received second, Luella Urdahl, third and Esther Ronken fourth, with the following cash prizes respectively, $2.50, $2.00, $1.00. Freda Bundhund, who captured second prize in the final, has taken in a total of $14.25 in cash prizes from her little garden one square rod in size.

The following won prizes as indicated below: Best collection of canned goods, Luella Urdahl, $3.00; second best collection, Freda Bundhund, $2.00; best collection of canned goods, not a club member, Vivian Thoreson, $3.00; second best collection, not a club member, Clenora Urdahl, $2.00.

Best collection of vegetables, Freda Bundhund, $3.00; second best collection, Esther Ronken, $2.00; third best collection, Eunice Thoreson. Sheep Club members, first prize, Ethel Vaughan, $2.50; second prize, Dan Vaughn, $2.00.

Dairy Club members, first prize, Gorman Thompson, $5.00; second prize, Noble Urdahl, $3.00; third prize, Rudolph Urdahl, $1.00.

Pig Club members, first prize, Harry McDonald, $2.50; second prize, Edwin Olson, $1.50.

Potato Club members, first prize, Glenn Erickson, $4.00; second prize, Norton Gunderson, $3.00; third prize, Albert Poppenhagen, $1.00.

Members of the Dairy Calf club and the members of the Sheep club, will bring their animals to Thief River Falls on Nov. 5, where substantial prizes will be awarded them by the First National and Citizens' State banks respectively.

Mr. Norby and Miss Bowers left early Saturday morning for Oklee. From there they caught the Soo train to Bemidji returning in the evening. Miss Wiles accompanied them as far as Oklee where she visited with her friends. They all returned home Sunday evening.

Miss S. Vaughn spent the week end with relatives in Thief River Falls.

Miss Theresa Giefer was an over Sunday visitor at her home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. M. G. Thorson spent Friday in Thief River Falls, having dental work done.

Mrs. Carl Lindstrom and baby daughter were in Thief River Falls Friday, receiving medical advice.

Peter Hanson who has resided near Grygla for a number of years is loading an emigrant car for Bield, Manitoba, where he will make his future home.

O. L. Cronstrom, the salesman for the Thief River Falls Monument Co., was an over night visitor in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Lytle and two sons of Gatzke, were in town Wednesday night enroute to their new home at Pelican Rapids.

The Misses Carrie Urdahl and Gretta Gulrud spent a couple days visiting at the Ole Prestebak home at Thorhult.

Carl Josephson purchased a Ford run-about from J. K. Enebee.

Mrs. N. Bundhund was in Thief River Falls last Monday.

Torjus Hammerstvedt of Kratka shipped a carload of cattle to So. St. Paul, Minn., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dahl left Friday evening for Nome, N. D., to visit at the home of Mrs. Dahl's parents.

Mrs. O. S. Kirkly was in Thief River Falls Saturday, having dental work done.

Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and her sister, Jennie Rustad, were shoppers in Thief River Falls Monday.

J. D. Maloney of Parkers Prairie, left Monday for home after spending a few days visiting at the John Gunderson home.

O. L. Cronstrom of Thief River Falls was in town Monday.

Misses Marie Nelson, Ida Tanberg and Mrs. Thomas Way, accompanied Miss E. H. Hamre of Thief River Falls Friday evening. Miss Hamre gave a very clear explanation to the ladies of how to vote. Mr. Quale gave a brief speech on the merits of the Republican party. It was enjoyed by all. Pep was added to the meeting by several rousing yells given by the Girls' Glee club.

Mr. and Mrs. Cottrel of Grygla were passengers on the Electric to Thief River Falls, Friday evening.

Rosaire Moran is putting on a closing out sale and will leave in the near future for Hibbing, Minn. He has accepted a position there with the Halcolm Jewelry Co. His family will move to Thief River Falls until they get settled.

A. B. Mandt received a carload of apples from Yakoma, Wash., Friday morning.

Gilbert Sandum, the Mavie merchant, was in town Friday on business.

Mrs. Carl Vakke is moving into her new home she recently purchased from Leslin.

N. H. Dahl received word Monday that he is the father of an eleven pound daughter born at Minneota, Minn.

Miss Guita Gilbertson is having a forced vacation on account of blood poisoning caused by a slight scratch on her hand. It is improving at the present time.

George Josephson and family has moved into the Stephenson building, having to vacate the Smedberg house.

Messrs. Tollefson and Olson, the new garage men, are moving into the Smedberg house.

Wm. Korstad of Highlanding was a business caller in town Friday.

E. L. Kaddy was a business caller at Thief River Falls Saturday.

County Supt. McGhee of Beltrami Co. and Miss Anderson, school nurse, spent four days visiting the rural schools around Grygla.

Melvin Royer, representing the Griffin Land Co., of Fonda, Ia., was in town several days last week.

Theo. Skretvedt of Grygla was in town Saturday on business.

Andy Anderson of Thief River Falls, the salesman for Janney Semple Hill was in town calling on his customers.

C. F. Skogrun, shoe salesman for Foot Schultz Co., was in town Monday.

T. J. Galpin of Yates City, Ill., transacted business in town Tuesday.

Following is a list of the patrons receiving $25.00 and over for the month of September:

O. N. Urdahl, $114.76; C. A. Johnson, $112.06; Stuart McLeod, $108.10; J. H. Glausen, $70.56; John S. [illegible], $69.50; E. K. Rime, $59.16; Ole Gisselquist, $57.84; S. H. Hermanson, $56.10; John Lamporter, [illegible]; Emil Sigdrug, $55.22; Willard Hagstrom, $55.30; Morgan Vaughan, $52.20; Sever Severson, $49.86; Turgus Halverson, $49.22; John Knemack, $46.98; Herman Klosow, $44.70; John Ellingson, $43.02; R. L. Peterson, $41.54; Nick Urdahl, $39.72; E. H. Brekken, $39.12; [illegible] Torgrimson, $38.52; A. P. Nelson, $38.28; H. Simonson, $35.68; Alex Magee, $35.28; Eljev Aakre, [illegible]; Christ Hjelle, $32.42; Carl O. Wohlin, $32.16; T. J. Helle, $31.02; P. M. Olson, $30.84; S. J. Gangness, $30.24; Peter Lorly, $29.94; John Kast, $29.90; Christ Urdahl, [illegible]; Mrs. M. Kotbra, $29.22; O. K. Olson, $29.16; John M. Johnson, [illegible]; Lars Stomlin, $27.84; M. Mistinsky, $26.70; O. N. Olson, $25.02.

ROSEWOOD

Auto Accident Saturday Evening.

A Ford touring car, run by John Nakken and containing besides himself, Messrs. Tom Thoreson, Otto Ranum, Selmer Sorenson, Alfred Raftseth and John Hanson, on their way to Thief River Falls last Saturday evening, capsized a short distance south of town, badly bruising several of the occupants and doing considerable damage to the car. Those receiving the worst injuries appear to be Mr. Ranum, who was badly bruised about the chest and had to be taken to Thief River Falls for medical attention the same evening and Mr. Thoreson who was severely bruised about the face and Mr. Sorenson being injured partly about the head. Concerning the cause of the accident, it appears that Mr. Nakken, who was at the wheel, had been going at a lively speed south of town where the roads are very nice and smooth and coming further down where the road makes a turn he had attempted to slow down, but found that the foot accelerator had stuck and reaching down to release it with his right hand holding the steering wheel with his left hand. While doing this, however, the turn of the road had been reached at a great speed and striking some partly frozen ruts the front wheels turned and with the speed of the car, threw it completely to one side where it made a somersault. The car which belonged to Mr. Nakken, was taken home with horses on Sunday and can be repaired with the purchase of a few new parts and the straightening out of others.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Hellerud of Twin Valley were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm in town.

L. Gunheim of Holt was in town last Monday doing some advertising work for the county division.

E. Gaerfe of Holt, who has been employed at Devils Lake this summer arrived here last Saturday evening enroute to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Axelson, accompanied by two sons, Emil and Herman, is spending the week end bidding farewell to a number of relatives at Wannaska, who will leave shortly to make their home in Oregon.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus of Thief River Falls spent Saturday at this place, visiting with Ingrid Nordhagen and attending the Rindal meetings.

Rev. Martin Strom of Holt and Rev. E. Mylire of Newfolden, conducted religious services at the Swedish church in town last Wednesday evening. A fairly good-sized crowd attended. The Sande Bros. from Numedal, who were to furnish the music at this meeting were hindered from being present owing to the death of their sister, Mrs. Williams, a few days previous.

A three days' series of meetings commenced at the Rindal church north of town last Friday. The local minister, Rev. G. Larson, has charge and is assisted by several ministers, both travelers and from nearby congregations.

Percy Hanson and John Nakken, students at the Northwest school of agriculture, arrived home last Saturday for a visit until Wednesday.

Jim Thomson left on Saturday evening for Crookston where he will spend Sunday visiting.

Swen Swenson returned on Wednesday morning from a few days' business stay at Newfolden and Thief River Falls.

The annual meeting of the Wildwood Cemetery association will be held at the home of Mrs. Carl Bloom next Monday evening, Nov. 8, at 8 p. m.

Services take next Sunday, Nov. 7, at the Swedish church in town at 10:30 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Rev. W. Drotts of Viking will occupy the pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Swenson arrived home on Tuesday morning from Red Wing where they have spent a week visiting with relatives.

The town board had a meeting at the office of the Clerk John Hillerson, in the western part of the town last Monday, concerning matters of election.

J. Johnson, a National bank man of Minneapolis, was in town last Saturday on business with several of the business men.

Rev. Aug. Bredberg, for 28 years pastor at the Rindal church here, arrived last Friday morning for a few days' renewal of old acquaintances and to attend the Rindal meetings. His home is at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. S. E. Nordgaard and son [illegible] of Viking spent Thursday visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] south of town.

Chas. Sigmond [illegible] a few days this week. Olof [illegible] is taking his place on the [illegible] contract near Viking.

The Peter Stromberg family of Thief River Falls Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. John Bergeson in town.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg and baby were between train guests with Mrs. Gust Nakken last Monday returning to Dakota Junction in the evening.

A carload of rye was shipped from the H. & R. elevator last Friday.

The sewing circle met at the home of Mrs. T. Hellem last Thursday, about twenty ladies being present.

Miss Mabel Ulsad of Radium arrived here last Sunday and will make a prolonged stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom.

John Bloom left last Friday evening for Crookston where he will spend Sunday attending a conference of the Mission church organization.

The Oscar Blomberg family of Crookston motored up last Saturday for an over Sunday visit with the Haugen and Blomberg families here.

Martin Jarsaw and Rudolph Nyhus of Holt was in town Saturday evening to meet some Warren parties who arrived on the train and to do some trading.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at the Busy Bee, left last Friday evening for her home at Thief River Falls where she spent Sunday.

Albert Stengelson and Mr. Olson left last Monday evening for Thief River Falls where the former is attending the high school.

Misses Tena and Nina Westby left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls where they will visit and look for employment. Tena who has been in the employ of Stanton Bros., spent the past week visiting with her parents.

Miss Viola Axelson left last Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls to re-enter the hospital where she has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck and Dave Mosbeck have rented the Hanson & Barzen residence in town and moved in this week for the winter.

Miss Geneva Swenson, who has been at the Thief River Falls hospital having her tonsils removed, returned home this week much improved.

WYANDOTTE

A number of young people around here took in the Bodin sale near Hazel last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson were guests at the A. Stenson home last Sunday.

C. Keller left last Saturday for St. Paul with a carload of cattle.

Mrs. John Albin visited with friends in Thief River Falls for a few days last week.

The Hallowe'en program given last Friday evening by the Little Citizens League of Dist. 6, was well attended and a good time was reported by all.

A large number of people attended the program and dance given at Hazel last Saturday evening.

Miss Ethel Keller who teaches at Wylie, visited with her parents over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson and family and Miss Cora Swenson visited at K. Torvelson's Sunday.

The Will Peterson family visited with relatives at Terrebonne on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Wilson and family visited at the Stenson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hanson, Ruth Hanson and Joseph Oftedahl visited at the James Evenson home Friday evening.

Thorvil Iverson called on Sam Hanson Sunday.

Mrs. Gust Wilson visited with Mrs. Knute Thorvilson Sunday.

Misses Mabel, Emma and Robert [illegible] are visiting at the home of their father.

Oscar Hanson came home Wednesday evening from Bemidji where he has been working in the mill.

Joseph Oftedahl left for Bemidji Sunday morning.

Sam Hanson and Joseph Oftedahl visited at the Pete Amundson home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carlson and son Alton, visited at the Sam Hanson home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Thorvilson, Will Wilson, Alice Thompson and Mrs. James Evenson, went to Hazel Saturday evening.

Miss Celia Bjerge visited at her parental home over Sunday.

Sam Hanson and Joseph Oftedahl went to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

STEINER

Charles Swanson spent Saturday at the county seat attending to various business matters.

Hjalmar Lindberg of Alvarado, this state, accompanied by Carl Kringeberg of Thief River Falls, motored here in the former's car Tuesday forenoon and attended the auction sale east of Steiner.

Peter Liden and daughter Mathilda motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday forenoon where Mr. Liden attended to business duties and Miss Liden visited at the home of her cousin, Mrs. D. Knutson.

The crops in this community didn't turn out as well as expected. In some places the farmers did not get back the seed from certain kinds of grain. The garden crops also turned out real poor on some vegetables while others did fairly well.

Several of the Steiner people motored to Thief River Falls Saturday attending to business matters.

G. L. Leimer, our local merchant, has rented his store and buildings to parties from Thief River Falls, who will continue the business.

A number of boys from this neighborhood spent Sunday hunting and trapping.

Emil Blomberg, who resides a few miles northeast of Rosewood, was a business caller at the C. A. Swanson home here last Friday.

Peter Solem drove to Thief River Falls one day last week to transact business.

Arnie and Alfred Solem called at the home of Chas. Swanson last Sunday afternoon.

ERIE

On Sunday afternoon a large crowd of friends and neighbors of Mrs. H. Svaro gathered at her home to bid her farewell and wish her luck in her new home at Pelican Rapids, this state. Mrs. Svaro, who has been a resident of Star township for the last eight years, is about to leave for the above named place. Mr. Svaro will follow her in the spring. She was presented with an aluminum teakettle and a purse of money as a token of remembrance. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies and everyone greatly enjoyed themselves.

L. B. Johnson made final proof on his second homestead in Section 26, Star twp., on Wednesday Oct. 27. He bought the relinquishment of Hubert Jacobson some time ago. Tollef Hovet and Henry Dahlen acted as witnesses.

Ole Nerhus is home after a few week's absence. He has been working in International Falls.

Hans Aasstad and workmen of Thief River Falls, were out last week and did some plastering in the new Oslid residence and the Unorganized school.

A women's political meeting was held in the Erie hall on Saturday afternoon. Politics was discussed and lunch was served at the conclusion.

E. C. Iverson is back on his homestead after an absence of three months.

Sakarias Hole very pleasantly entertained his two bachelor friends and neighbors one evening.

Clara Bye is employed as housekeeper at the Oiverseck farm while Mrs. D. is teaching school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Hyland and children and Miss Madison and Arthur Hyland of Hickory were callers in our neighborhood on Sunday.

John Hovet left on Wednesday for Camp Grant, after a few days' visit with the home folks.

Martin and John Larson are the proud owners of a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aubol are the happy parents of a fine boy, born on Oct. 22.

[illegible] is home after a two month's visit with relatives and friends [illegible].

GERMANTOWN

Miss Ruth Royce was a Sunday guest of Bernice Strobble.

Henry Langevan and daughter Helen called at the Bendickson home on Friday.

Mesdames Martinus Johnson and Hans Dahl were guests at the Lindquist home on Wednesday.

Carl Nelson departed for Duluth where he will be employed.

A. K. Haggy was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. Will Wayne and son visited at the Henry Roller home Tuesday.

Misses Minnie and Linda Benttin shopped and visited at Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson visited at the Hans Dahl home on Tuesday.

Miss Hannah Weber visited with Stella Phillips one day last week.

Miss Bessie Roller spent a few days of the past week with Mrs. Will Wayne.

Rose Vakoch was a Sunday guest at the C. Boyne home.

Mrs. Klockman visited with Mrs. Goethe on Tuesday.

Benard and Hettie Bendickson and Mrs. Hans Dahl were shoppers at the county seat on Tuesday.

Miss Lois Strobble visited at the Emil Ristau home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children Gehart and Silva, were guests at the L. Bendickson home on Sunday.

Messrs. Oscar Pomeranke and Emil Benttin spent Sunday afternoon with Detlef Dau.

Miss Clara Overby called at the Henry Roller home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Bundhund and family of Goodridge, spent last Sunday at the John Ristau home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lindvick returned home last week from Strandquist, where they have been visiting for a few days.

Mrs. Hans Dahl called at the L. Bendickson home on Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Hoyeth and children called at the D. Dau home Saturday.

Mrs. John Aandahl is at Thief River Falls where her son is receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne and son and Bessie Roller were callers at Goodridge one day last week.

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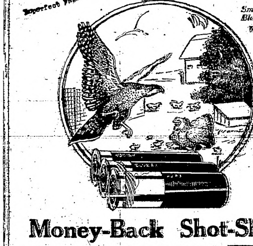

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Hermanson Hdw. Co., Thief River Falls
Hall Bros. Co., Thief River Falls
Bottem Hdw. Co., Thief River Falls

RED CROSS NEEDED TO CARRY ON WORK

Official of Organization Points Out Necessity For Extending Further Relief.

Mrs. G. B. Keenan, district representative of the American Red Cross, was in Thief River Falls on Thursday of last week in connection with preparations for the enrollment drive which will cover the period from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day. In an interview Mrs. Keenan stated:

"Few of the people in this or any other territory realize just what the scope of Red Cross activities is at present but we mean to keep hammering away on the subject in an educational way, and especially during the coming drive for enrollment of old and new members. We have listened to some inspirational speakers lately, workers who have just returned from the scenes of activities abroad. Utter poverty and want are extreme in many countries in Europe but the greater need is felt in the tiny countries, and it is to them that our attention will be devoted, for the powerful nations can and will find some method of relieving the suffering brought on by the war. It is estimated that there are in Europe today ten million war orphans, a figure which should give the world something to think about.

"But the greater activities are taking place right here at home, in our good old United States. Even from a selfish point of view the Red Cross could be considered a great asset. Out of the one dollar memberships 50 cents goes to the county organization and 50 cents to the national organization. In either case the money is spent just as the need arises. During the past two years $215,000 approximately, has been paid out in the State of Minnesota and, while I do not know just what Minnesota's quota was during the recent drives, I feel confident that it did not exceed this amount. Large sums have been paid for the relief of fire devastated districts and those invaded by epidemics. This fall many thousands of dollars have been paid into districts in North Dakota which were directly affected by the drought and grasshoppers. One county alone received $5,000 from the county chapter and $10,000 from divisional headquarters.

"It is the desire of the Red Cross to have a public health nurse in each county. The recent draft yielded figures relative to the fitness of our young men that are unbelievable. Healthy babies grow into strong and able young men and strong and able young men make good citizens. We also wish to place one social worker in each community, especially communities composed largely of a foreign element; someone who can acquaint these people with the English language; marketing conditions and school affairs—oh, there is much to be done right here at home.

"Our work did not cease with hostilities in the late war; in fact the war gave us an insight into true conditions existing in many parts of the country which would prove that our work has but started.

"We wish our members to feel that all are bound together as they would be in a church or any religious institution and yet the Red Cross knows no creed or sect. People sooner or later must realize that it stands for one great brotherhood of all humanity."

America Has Two-Thirds Of the World's Telephones

France has not as many telephones as Chicago. Greece has not as many telephones as some of the largest American office buildings. All Europe has only one-third the telephones that the United States has. In twenty years the number of Bell-manned and connected telephones in the Bell system has increased fourteen fold. In 1880 there was one telephone to one thousand persons—today there is a telephone to every nine persons. During the past year and a half more new telephones were installed in American homes and offices than are in use throughout Great Britain. America has only one sixteenth of the world's population but nearly two thirds of the world's telephoning is over the 24,000,000 miles of wire in the Bell system. The Bell system—that is the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and Associated companies—which in the extent of its public service has no counterpart anywhere, has been built out of the savings of hundreds of thousands of thrifty men and women."

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by C. Froseth, Vice President, at eight o'clock P. M. Oct. 26th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present; Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent; Brumund.

Minutes of the meeting of Oct. 17th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Dahl, that the Mayor and City Clerk be instructed to enter into a contract with the Christian Scientist Society for rental of the Red Cross rooms at $15.00 per month for a period of one year. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the Minneapolis Bridge Co., be instructed to order a car of screened egg coal for the city. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ihle, that the bond of Coolsact Bros. & Drees in the sum of $14,828.00 be approved. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the proposals of D. J. Dosey for the purchase of the electrical supplies of the City be rejected without any consideration. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced a resolution assessing the benefits for snow shoveling and cutting weeds. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution assessing the benefits of Sewer and Water connections. (See Resolutions.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

C. FROSETH,
Vice President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Oct. 26, 1920, Alderman O. L. Ihle, seconded by Alderman Andrew Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, By the City Council of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that WHEREAS, the Street Commissioner of the City of Thief River Falls has heretofore filed his report containing an itemized account and list of the expenses of shoveling snow from sidewalks, removing rubbish from property, and cutting weeds from real estate within the City for and during the fiscal years of 1919 and 1920, and, Whereas, such report contains items of various amounts to be charged to the various pieces or parcels of real estate upon which such work has been performed;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, That such report be and hereby is approved and adopted and the City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to report the various items chargeable to the various lots or parcels of land within the city, to the County Auditor of Pennington County, Minnesota, with the instructions and request that a special assessment be levied for said amounts, and the same charged against the property benefited, to be collected with the real estate taxes, according to law.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

C. FROSETH,
Vice President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 30, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Oct. 26, 1920, Alderman John Dahl, seconded by Alderman S. Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that

WHEREAS, the City Council did by resolution duly adopted and approved on the 20th day of June, 1919, duly determine to order and require the construction of certain sewer and water connections within the paving district described and defined in such resolution, under the authority conferred upon the Council by the provisions of Chapter 65, Session Laws of Minnesota, for the year 1919, and,

WHEREAS, by notice duly served upon the owners of property within said paving district, such owners were required by the Council to make such sewer and water connections by laying branch sewers and water pipes from the mains to the curb or lot line of each lot, within sixty (60) days after service of such notice, and,

WHEREAS, such property owners failed and neglected to lay such sewer or water pipes within the time aforesaid, and,

WHEREAS, the City Council did cause such sewer and water connections to be made, and the work of constructing same has been fully completed and the cost thereof ascertained, and,

WHEREAS, the City's engineer has filed his report relative to such work, such report showing sewer and water pipes laid and constructed in front of each lot within paving district and the cost thereof chargeable against the various lots or parcels of land within such paving district.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, That said report of such engineer be, and the same is hereby, approved and adopted, and the cost of constructing and laying said branch sewers and water pipes is hereby assessed against the appropriate lots or parcels of land as is set forth in the report of the engineer, and,

Be It Further Resolved, that the City Engineer be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to report the various items chargeable to the various lots or parcels of land within the said paving district in the city, in accordance with the said report of said engineer, to the County Auditor of the County of Pennington, Minnesota, with the instructions and request that such amounts be spread as a special assessment against the property affected and benefited in the proportions and in the amounts as set forth in the report of said engineer, such assessments to be collected with the real estate taxes, as provided by law.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

C. FROSETH,
Vice President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 30, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Oct. 26th, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$353.02
Olaf Nesset, repairs	2.00
J. H. Meyers, drayage	6.00
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	2.68
Paul Midderigh, service Fire Marshal	21.50
Auditorium Fund.	
Jacob Aga, repairs	5.00
J. H. Meyers, drayage	1.00
Missouri Kansas Chemical Co., supplies	93.25
Poor Fund.	
Louis De Cremer, provisions	11.50
A. E. Zellmer, provisions	29.00
Albert Angell, repairs	6.30
City Auditorium, wood	10.63
A. B. Rasmuson, rent	12.00
Mrs. Nels Burtness, rent	15.00
Library Fund.	
Gina Granum, salary	40.00
Elsie Sundahl, salary	45.00
City Auditorium, wood	8.50
Electric Light Fund.	
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	2.95
Jacob Aga, repairs	.80
W. E. Baker, meter	6.50
Mike Welch, labor	67.50
The Tribune, printing	1.50
E. M. Stanton, insurance	51.78
The Elliott Co., Stencils	.50
N. W. Elect. Equipment Co., supplies	79.68
N. W. Elect. Equipment Co., supplies	525.48
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	25.77
Crane & Ordway Co., supplies	12.18
Hjalmar Nilsson, inspecting oil	8.00
Duluth Electrical Supplies Co., supplies	20.60
Waterworks Fund.	
Neptune Meter Co., meters	223.15
Jacob Aga, repairs	1.00
Jonas Erickson, labor	8.50
John Carlson, labor	8.50

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

C. FROSETH,
Vice President of the Council.

Approved Oct. 30, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth Thorstad, Eddie Olaf Thorstad, Gertie Adella Yonke, Bert N. Thorstad, James M. Thorstad, Gladys Florence Thorstad, and Hadella Maria Thorstad, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of November, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of November, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Seal.) Judge of Probate.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
n4-11-18

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the farm known as the Reed farm, the Northwest quarter of Section 23, Township of North, being one mile East and two miles North of Thief River Falls, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9th

Sale commencing at 10:30 o'clock sharp, all of the following personal property to-wit:

One black mare 9 years old, wt. 1400
One black horse 9 years old, wt. 1300
One black horse 8 years old, wt. 1300
One bay mare 15 years old, wt. 1200
One black yearling mare
One red cow, fresh in November
One red cow, was fresh in August
One cow, fresh in April
One black cow, just fresh
One Van Brunt single disc drill
One 4-horse drag
One Osborne disc
One John Deere gang plow
One John Deere sulky plow with breaking attachment
One brush breaker
One Deering mower
One McCormick rake
One Deering binder, 6-ft. cut
One full size wagon with box
One medium size wagon, nearly new
One wagon box nearly new
One single buggy
One double buggy
One cutter
Two hay racks
One heavy bob sleigh
One light bob sleigh
One 1-horse cultivator
One Keystone potato planter, new
One John Deere 2-horse cultivator, new
One "Iron Age" four row sprayer, nearly new
One Champion potato digger, nearly new
One Champion potato cutter, nearly new
One grindstone
Two sets of work harness
One work harness
One single harness
One DeLaval cream separator No. 12
One barrel churn No. 1
One Hero fanning mill, new
Seven ton oats hay
Other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount time until Nov. 1st, 1921, on approved bankable paper.

CARL HAUG, Owner

T. K. RYNESTAD, Auctioneer. FIRST and PEOPLES STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction on the Northwest quarter of Section 15, in Highlanding Township, being 4½ miles south and one mile east of Goodridge and 1½ miles north and one mile east of Highlanding, the following described personal property.

Wednesday, Nov. 10

Sale commences at 10 o'clock

HORSES
One sorrel gelding 11 years old, wt. 1400
One black mare 9 years old, wt. 1350
One bay mare 14 years old, wt. 1300

CATTLE
One red and white cow 6 years old, fresh in Nov.
One roan cow 3 years old, fresh in Dec.
One red and white cow 5 years old, fresh in Jan.
Two red and white steers 1½ years old
Two spring heifer calves
One spring steer calf
One red bull 2 years old, grade Shorthorn

MACHINERY
One 6-ft. Deering binder
One 16 single disc Tiger drill
One 5-ft. Minnesota mower
One 5-ft. Champion mower
One 16-in. Emerson sulky plow, with breaking attachment
One 2-horse corn cultivator, with extra surface blades
One spring tooth harrow
One wooden harrow, 3-section
One wide tire Deere & Webber wagon with double box
One narrow tire wagon
One 9-ft. hay rake
One Osborne disc, 14 discs
One surrey
One platform scale
One hay rack
Two sets of work harness
One grindstone
Also household goods and small hand farm tools.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00 are to be paid in cash; on all sums of $10.00 and over, time will be given until November 1st, 1921, on good bankable paper.

A. T. OLSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. GOODRIDGE STATE BANK, Clerk

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the property named below on the Northeast quarter of Section 14, Town of Excel, 9 miles north and 2 miles east of Thief River Falls; 5 miles northeast of Steiner; 5 miles southeast of Holt, on

Thursday, November 11

Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M.

One grey mare 7 years old, wt. 1350
One grey horse 6 years old, wt. 1300
One sorrel mare 8 years old, wt. 1400
One grey gelding 4 years old, wt. 1300
One bay mare 9 years old
One bay mare 7 years old
One grey horse 3 years old
One red cow 6 years old, fresh in Nov.
One black cow 3 years old, fresh in Feb.
One red cow 4 years old, fresh in Feb.
One red cow 6 years old, fresh in Dec.
One red and white cow 3 years old, fresh in Dec.
One red and white heifer 3 years old, fresh in March
One red heifer 3 years old, fresh in Feb.
One red heifer 2 years old, fresh in March
One roan heifer 3 years old, fresh in Jan.
Two black steers 1½ years old
Five heifers 1½ years old
Ten breeding ewes
One grade buck
12 Turkeys
One 5 passenger Kissel touring car
One Minnesota Giant 25 H. P. steam engine
One 36-in. Avery separator and belting
One water tank
One Acme binder with truck, 6-ft. cut
One McCormick mower, 5-ft.
One Deering mower, 5-ft.
One Deering hay rake
One 12-in. Bradley gang plow
One 18-in. Oliver sulky plow
One 16-in. brush breaker
One 4-horse drag
One 17 shoe Dowjinc drill
One 14 disc Osborne harrow
One riding disc cultivator, new
One wide tire wagon with box
One truck wagon with steel wheels
One double seated buggy
One single seated buggy
One sleigh 7-ft. runners
One 3-horse Fairbanks-Morse gas engine
One Litts feed mill, new
One wood sawing outfit and belting
One corn sheller
One potato digger
One tank heater
One Chatham fanning mill with elevator
One Jumbo grain separator
One platform 1000-lb. scale
Three sets work harness
One set driving harness
Five bushels seed corn
25 grain sacks
20 tons timothy hay
30 tons good upland hay
One DeLaval cream separator, new
One heating stove
One cook stove
One cupboard
Two beds
Blacksmith tools and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921.

Charles Schwartz, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A registered Red Poll bull. Ole Ahlstrom, R. 2, City. 95p

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow. 612 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—One Kalamazoo self feeder coal stove. Almost as good as new. Will sell cheap.—M. C. Burns, Phone 4273. 95tf

FOR SALE—Man's buffalo coat, otter trimmed. In very good condition. Enquire at Times office. 98

FOR SALE—S½SW¼, Sec. 30, N½NW¼ and NW¼NE¼ Sec. 31, Twp. 158 Rge. 42. Make me your best offer.—H. O. Dalen, Minot, N. D. 6p

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell these for $10 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. R. Conklin, R. 3, city. 91tf

FOR SALE—Full blood Poland China hogs one spring sow, one boar either spring or coming two year old.—L. W. Knadle, Germantown Route. One mile north of Silverton elevator. 95p

FOR SALE—Some woven hog and sheep wire. Will sell cheap.—Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, wood shed and 5 lots on East Side by Fred Brandvold. Inquire at C. Gustafson & Son Implement firm or phone 4732. 80tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1155, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—6-room house, 410 Crocker Ave. North. 95p

FOR SALE—One Model C-25 Buick 4-passenger car in first-class condition. See H. C. Johnson at Norta Lumber Co.

FOR SALE—A ladies' Seal plush coat bought at the Sapero Co., last winter for $110.00. Come and inspect it and make me an offer.—M. V. Evenson. 90tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address box 1064, Thief River Falls, or call at the Times office. 80tf

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland China boars. Can furnish registration papers. Took first and third prizes on these at Red Lake County Fair. Write H. O. Anderson, Wylie, Minn. 96p

HAY FOR SALE—Three stacks of upland hay and two stacks of clover hay. C. O. Granum, Phone 295. 97p

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—Millwork, consisting of windows, doors, etc. Complete for six room house. Can be seen at Fisher's Livery Barn. Inquire of Frank Fisher. 99-1st.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—In good piece of land or other real estate of about equal value or equity, a percheron stallion, 6½ years old, weight about 1800. Best pedigree. Write P. E. Peterson, Fordville, N. D. 95

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 93tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 70tf

FOR RENT—Large furnished modern room for two gentlemen. 122 St. Paul Av. N. 95tf

FOR RENT—Room in new modern house. Gentleman preferred. Inquire E. Dan Bjorkman. 58tf

FOR RENT—5-room house at No. 914 Duluth Ave. N. $25.00 per month which includes use of stove. Call at the Times office. 95tf

LOST

LOST—Tire and rim 33x4 Goodyear Diamond thread, on public road somewhere east of Thief River Falls. Finder return to First and Peoples' State Bank for reward. 96

FOUND

FOUND—One yearling heifer and one steer, came to our place. Owner may have same by paying for the advertisement. Elling and Carl Prestby, Hazel Star Route, Hazel, Minn. 95p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 607 Bridge Street. 93tf

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Good wages.—Mrs. Harold Miller, Crookston, Minn. 95tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, good wages. Address Mrs. P. L. Aarhus, 616-3d St., S. Fargo. 96

Help Wanted—Male

CLERKS, (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examination, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 99p

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 94tf

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—One of World's largest Grocers, (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today. State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 95p

MISCELLANEOUS

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

Combination Sale

Having decided to quit farming, we will sell at public auction on the farm of H. O. Listol, the northeast quarter of section 8 in Adger township, 2 miles north of Silverton on

Monday, Nov. 8th

at 10 o'clock

the following property:

HORSES
One Belgian mare 15 years old, wt. 1600
One Belgian mare 14 years old, wt. 1600
One Belgian mare 3 years old, wt. 1200
One Hamiltonian mare 14 years old, wt. 1100
One Hamiltonian horse 4 years old, wt. 1100
One bay horse 10 years old, wt 1100
One bay mare 7 years old, wt 1600
One bay mare 14 years old, wt. 1400
One bay horse 12 years old, wt. 1600
One black horse 11 years old, wt. 1400

CATTLE
One cow 6 years old, fresh in March
One cow 9 years old, fresh in April
One cow 4 years old, fresh in April
One cow 3 years old, fresh in April
One brown and white cow, fresh in March
One brown cow, fresh in March
One brown cow, fresh in March
One white cow, fresh in May
One brown and white cow, fresh in Jan.
One heifer 2 years old, fresh in May
One cow 11 years, coming fresh in Jan.
One cow 3 years, coming fresh in Jan.
Two Deering binders, 7-ft. cut, good as new
Two Deering mowers 5-ft. cut
One hay rake, 11-ft.
One Moline gang plow, 13-in. good as new
One Victor drill, 16-shoe, good as new
One Emerson sulky plow, 16 in.
One 4-horse drag, new last spring
One Stoughton wagon with box
One Emerson single buggy
Two sets of bob sleighs
One John Deere gang, 13 in.
One John Deere brush breaker, 14 in.
One wagon, complete with box
One steel rim truck wagon
One hay basket
One McCormick hay rake, 10-ft.
One Van Brunt drill, 19 shoe
One 4-horse drag
One spring tooth drag
One adjustable 3-horse drag
One disc harrow, 12 disc

MISCELLANEOUS
One 1918 Chevrolet car
Ten ton good upland hay
300 bushel oats
25 bushel potatoes
One Stover feed mill, nearly new
One load heavy tamarack poles
Two sets work harness
One single harness
One 2 H. P., R. V. Engine, good as new
Two grindstones
One set heavy Eastern harness
One set light harness

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
One Majestic steel range
One Nut Coal heater
One DeLaval cream separator
And other household goods too numerous to mention.

TERMS: Under $10.00 cash; over $10.00 bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

T. T. Ose & Halvor O. Listol

Owners

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. First National Bank, Clerk.

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESS

Volume No. 2 Thursday, Nov. 4, 1920 Number 7

School Spirit.

On Tuesday, Oct. 26, our gridiron warriors suffered a disastrous defeat at the hands of our rival school, Bemidji. It was disappointing and discouraging but though we lost, it is very evident that we gained one of the most gratifying and uplifting results—Real High School Spirit.

Our faculty and some of the upper class-men have endeavored to the utmost of their ability to establish a feeling of school spirit and loyalty. They without a doubt have succeeded in their efforts to instill patriotism, and allegiance into the hearts of nearly the entire student body, judging from the way they responded to the call for Boosters on Tuesday.

The High School can be well proud of our present loyalty and spirit. You as an individual must feel proud and take pride in saying: "I did my bit. I am back of the school and will fight for her—to uphold her traditions and her activities." Now that we have gained this success, don't let it fall again—maintain the school "pep and unity." Put push and pull in every turn of your school affairs.

The turnout last Tuesday was one of the best the school has ever had. You as individuals made it such—keep it up.

We as members of the high school are proud to feel that citizens other than the alumni have such a keen desire to support our school activities. It is pleasing for us to know that our elders, whom we have grown to respect, have a feeling of loyalty and patriotism although they have never attended the Lincoln H. S., and that they desire to help us in school and future life. Be a booster, don't kill our present Pep.

The 1921 Prowler.

It is a usual thing for the graduating class of each year to work up and leave behind them a history which attempts to include all of the social and high school activities of the year. This history or book is generally known as the "Prowler."

The graduating class of this year is by no means an exception to the preceding classes. Already the Seniors are busily engaged in organizing and building up this history. Although the book will be slightly smaller than those of preceeding years, the quality will still be there. What the book lacks in quantity will be two-fold over enlarged in quality.

The class is endeavoring to get the material collected so that the book may be out and distributed around the school and city before the summer vacation, so that the class will have a chance to get all books sold and bills settled. The only way this can be done is by raising the cry which has been heard in years gone by, "We need the support and co-operation from every student in the high school. We want the book to be so good that we can look back upon it in years to come and say, 'I had something to do with the editing of that book and am proud of it.'" If the co-operation of the other classes is secured, the school and public can be assured of a slightly smaller but much better annual than has ever been put out by a class of Lincoln High.

Patriotism in High School.

Last Tuesday when the local high school played Bemidji we were sadly defeated. But we were not defeated in spirit. One of the largest high school crowds for a long time was at the game last Tuesday. There were nearly three hundred pupils and most all the teachers were present. The spirit of the students was splendid throughout the game. In spite of the fact that our team was being beaten the students stayed by them till the last whistle was blown. Never before has the high school shown such spirit and patriotism. Just because we lost we are not all going to stay away next time. We're all good losers as well as good winners.

The question which is to be debated by the debating league of Minnesota: "Open vs. Closed Shop," brings to mind a question about which little has been said, but which concerns us, as a school perhaps more than any other. What if the teachers should unionize and demand a closed shop? This would mean that no teachers could be hired unless they were members of the teachers' union. This union would have a complete monopoly of the educational facilities of the nation, and would wield a greater power than any organization in the world. That the teachers would misuse this power is not probable but a monopoly is always dangerous, as the officers at the head of the union might not always be of the best type.

On the other hand, complete control by the teachers would in a great many instances mean better schools. If the public was backward in providing for the schools, the union could dictate the policy of the district. It could fix the salaries of the teachers, make any changes in the educational system if desired, and could also demand improvements in accordance with its fancies, as it could simply order a teachers' strike and our state laws say we must have school.

A great part of this power would undoubtedly be exercised for the common good, but does not the public prefer to support their own schools, rather than be forced to do it by a teachers' union?

Athletics.

This year we are out for victory in the various athletic activities. So many times of late years we have ended the season with a splendid team that ranked at the top but were not awarded the championship on account of losing a late season game. This year we must go through with a clean slate.

To win championship takes character. It means self sacrifice. Everybody for the team; nobody for himself; and everybody giving everything he has. Every man will get a square deal, if he tries. Everyone will make his place on the result of his work. Experience counts heavily, but the final test comes in being able to deliver the goods.

To look down the list and think of winning from all seems a big job. It is a big job, but we can do it. Remember, it is only one game at a time.

The Forum.

The Debate Forum is progressing quite rapidly and the members are a busy bunch of students trying to reach the top where they are ready to challenge any other debating team in the state.

The question for debate will be on the Open vs. Closed Shop in the industrial system as stated by the Minnesota State High School Debating League. It is a question of nation-wide concern and of public interest, but which has not as yet aroused a great deal of sentiment.

The Forum is at present meeting on Monday and Thursday of each week, and will welcome any new members that wish to join the club, because they realize that the more members there are in the organization the more will they be able to get at all the material on the subject.

Turnout at Tuesday's Game.

The result of the mass meeting held Tuesday morning was the largest turnout the team has had for its games this year. We were anxious to see how Mr. Fiterman conducted his rooting squad and we were satisfied; he had lived up to our expectations. The crowd itself was a "hummer" and as for their yells—they will be remembered for some time.

School was dismissed early Tuesday afternoon and the students formed in a line and marched down town where they were joined by a large crowd of grade students. Yells were given on the corner and then the long line of enthusiastic football fans were marched to the grounds. They were there ready to meet the team when they arrived, with their peppy yells.

Between halves they formed a line and gave a snake dance, partly in order to keep warm.

Shorthand Contest.

The second contest between the two divisions of the first year shorthand class resulted in the "A" division getting the higher average (92), and thus retaining its lead over the "B" division. In the "A" section, Bertha Aaseby, Augusta Belswinger and Bessie Elofson ranked the highest, while among the "B's" Inez Sorlom obtained the best mark.

Personals.

Mabel Lonson returned to school last week after a month of illness.

Dottie Krafthefer left Saturday for Mahnomen, where she will spend a week visiting at her home.

Maebelle Swanson spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near St. Hilaire.

Lucy Phelps has been confined to her home for several days on account of illness.

Chester Dols and Arthur Stenglesen spent the week end at their homes at Rosewood.

Agnes and Ella Johnson visited over Saturday and Sunday at their home at Noble.

Miss Elliott: "Forrest, do you know anything about the character of George Washington?"

Forrest Ralston: "Yes, he was a surveyor."

An example of unstable equilibrium—Clarence Knudson in Modern History last Wednesday fell off his chair.

The annual staff held their second meeting Wednesday.

Esther Hadruth was taken home Wednesday from the hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Found on the assembly blackboard, "Are you a class baby, Clifford?"

Why does Melby always meet the 9:37 train evenings?

Chester Dols leaves for Minneapolis Saturday.

"Lynn in class: "Sit down Knute, children should be heard, not seen."

"Pinky" Penney was a visitor in Journalism class Tuesday.

Mildred Hauglid was visiting at Angus over Saturday and Sunday.

Irma Marcoe was home over Saturday and Sunday, at Malcolm.

Rusty Anderson's war cry; "I'm ruined" is heard wherever "Rusty" may happen to be in the high school.

According to "Kip" Sorenson, Chas. Herron is a "Class Baby."

The chosen design of the Senior class rings and pins is now awaiting the orders of the individual classmen.

Ernest Zeh, "Gap" passed his eighteenth birthday Wednesday the 27th without much excitement.

Miss Patrick in English III: "What is the day after Hallowe'en called?" Clever boy: "The age of reconstruction."

Clarence Rice spent the week end at his home in Plummer.

"Curly" McDaniel, who had the serious experience of having a Bemidji "sapling" fall on his leg which resulted in a bruised and sprained ankle was confined to his home for a few days but is back at school again.

"Tipy" Evenson came out, or rather was carried out of the Bemidji game with five dislocated vertebrae and two strained muscles. "Some heavy bird," one of the carriers remarked.

Clara Oien spent the week-end at her home south of town.

Melvin Engelstad visited with his folks south of town over Sunday.

The nurses of Northern Minnesota will hold a conference at Crookston the first of November.

Miss Ruth Holton, assistant State Supervisor of nurses, visited here a few days last week with Miss Johnson, the nurse. Miss Holton has just returned from a three years' stay in Italy where she has been doing Red Cross work. Due to lack of appropriation from the state legislature, the state has had a state supervisor only. The Red Cross is paying the salary of an assistant, thus working in co-operation with the state to improve health conditions.

Miss Elaine Swanson visited Saturday and Sunday with Miss Johnson, the school nurse. Miss Swanson is a member of the northern division of the Red Cross. She will return to this city in about two weeks and will give a talk on Junior Red Cross work, its aim and purpose.

The following teachers will leave Tuesday evening to attend the Minnesota Educational association which is held annually for the purpose of explaining new methods of teaching and also to try to bring all schools to about the same standard. This convention will be held this year in St. Paul on the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th of November: Lorna Dodge, Signe Svedahl, Jane Morley, Ella Miller, Esther Johnson, Margaret Mealy, Ruth Friestedt, Florence Nylander, Margaret Jordan, May Bark, Ruby Ann Pierce, Vivian Swift, Grace Iverson, Irene Patrick, Ruth Elliott, Lillian Poppitz, L. Nathan Pierce, Miss Ober, Miss Perry, Mr. Melby, Miss Ryff, Supt. W. A. Ziegler.

Normal Department.

The normal teachers, Miss Perry and Miss Ober, will attend the M. E. A. convention in St. Paul, November 5-7.

Lucille Blascoe and Rose Oski are going to begin teaching in the rural districts on Monday of next week.

From all reports the Normal girls greatly enjoyed themselves at the Hallowe'en party given last Thursday. The room was gayly decorated with pumpkins, cats, witches and other weird emblems of Hallowe'en. The girls were entertained by games and stunts, and toward the close of the evening supper was served.

Northrup News.

Miss Johnson, the school nurse, has been giving the children physical examinations. She has examined all the pupils up to the fifth grade.

Clement Cloutier, a pupil of the fourth grade, broke his arm while playing on the school grounds. The arm had been broken a short time ago and was in the process of healing when the accident occurred.

Nine of the Northrup teachers attended the Warren convention.

All of the children have joined the Junior Red Cross and they received their Red Cross buttons last Friday.

Hallowe'en parties were held in each of the grade rooms last Friday after the afternoon recess. The rooms were cleverly decorated with witches, brownies, pumpkins and other suitable Hallowe'en decorations which had been made by the children. The regular school work was carried out in most of the rooms followed by such Hallowe'en amusements as peanut races and bobbing for apples.

Miss Bark will leave Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to attend the M. E. A.

Mothers' Day was observed last Thursday, Oct. 29. A great many mothers responded to the invitation which had been sent them.

Pep Meeting.

Friday at 3:30 a "pep" meeting was held for the last football game of the season. The local team played Fosston. Several yells were given by the high school and a great amount of enthusiasm was aroused among the students. Several of the football men gave speeches, these being: Penney, Zeh, Anderson and Captain Barzen.

Mr. Tommeraasen gave a short talk and explained the game to the students.

The meeting closed with a rousing yell from the students.

Thief River Falls Defeats Fosston in Final Game of the Season.

The Thief River Falls high school football team last Saturday made up for its disastrous defeat at the hands of Bemidji by overturning the dope and defeating our ancient rival, the Fosston high school team, by a score of 43 to 13.

The Thief River team entered the game with a determination to erase from its record the stain of their showing against Bemidji and displayed the effect of an undaunted spirit throughout the entire game. From the time the whistle blew, the outcome of the game was never in doubt. The Fosston boys put up a plucky fight, but were unable to withstand the ferocious onslaughts of the locals.

The game started with Fosston kicking off. With a series of line plunges, end runs, and forward passes Thief River Falls carried the ball continuously down the field toward the Fosston goal line. Anderson carried the ball over for a touch down within a few minutes after play started—Doland kicked goal. Thief River kicked off, and it was Fosston's turn to march, seemingly almost unmolested, towards our goal for a touchdown. A considerable change had been made in the Thief River line-up and their defense did not get to working perfectly before the second half. But did the warriors from the Lincoln high lose heart? Ah no! They caught Fosston's kick-off and started toward the Fosston goal line and did not cease their relentless hammering until Quarterback Doland had carried the pigskin over for another touchdown. Doland failed to make the goal. The quarter ended with a score of 13 to 7 in favor of Thief River Falls. Anderson and Penney each made a touchdown during the second quarter and Fosston one. Score, 25 to 14.

The Thief River Falls team came back strong in the second half and held the enemy for downs almost every time they got the ball in their possession, but were unable to score. Score 25 to 14.

In the last quarter the local warriors again got their offensive working and plowed through the Fosston *defense for three more touchdowns*, but failed to kick goals. Fosston was held during this quarter and did not score. The game ended with the score 43 to 14, in favor of Thief River Falls.

The feature of the game was that none of the local players were seriously hurt. Three Fosston players went home nursing more or less injured legs.

This ends the football season and we have a record that we may be proud of. We defeated our two strongest rivals, Crookston and Fosston and if it is decided that Bemidji is not in this district, we will have the district championship.

Hallowe'en Fun.

"Hey Fellas," shouted Jack, the leader of the gang; "Com'ere, got sumthin to tell ya."

So with whoops and yells the boys came running.

"Say Fella's, let's go over to our barn and then I'll tell ya."

They started and reached the barn in a short time. Jack climbed the ladder first, and when in the loft perched himself on a soap box and began.

"Com mon, let's be really political."

And, with these words the boys contented themselves with sitting on the bare-wood floor.

"The meetin'll come to order. I'm president."

The newly-self-appointed president presided over the meeting and so the Congress of the "Daredevil Gang" began.

"What do'ya want?" sang in Fatty Gibson, "I got ta git home early if I wanna go tomorrow."

"Boys do ya relize it's most Hallowe'en?"

"Ya," was the hearty response.

"Well, ya all know old man Jenkin what lives on Punkin Hill on the East Side?"

"Ya."

"Let's meet by the crick tomorrar night about 8 and den we'll talk. But don't forget yer soap and tick-tacks."

"No, we're not goin' without 'em."

"The meetin's adjerned."

So they parted.

The next night at eight the "Daredevil Gang" had a merry fire burning and the voice of Jack was heard above all.

"Aw shut up, yer always talkin."

The noise stopped and all around the fire were attentive boys waiting to be ministered unto by Jack.

"Well, fellos' if ya don't keep still the old man'll hear us."

And with another moment of silence Jack saw his chance and said, "Show yer tick-tacks en soap ya know 'seein is believin.'"

The boys anxiously brot forth from their pockets the ticks.

"Alright boys, I thought ya' nite fergit 'em."

"Don't ya tink we got heds a tall?" asked Skinny Bruce.

"Jim, ya tack the old straw hat he keeps in the barn on the front door and wait there fer us. Skinny ya harness the horse to the old serry in the back yard and tie him by the kitchen door. Fat, ya soap the window with me and meet us all by the front door. Now line up."

So they did and with Jack at the head the procession moved up the hill to Jenkins.

The appointed boys did their deviltry and within an hour they were together at the front door.

They tick-tacked the windows and ran. When Mr. Jenkins got up the next morning the yard was topsy-turvy and Mrs. Jenkins had to wash windows all morning.

"Ya gotta expect it," said Jenkins half-angered.

"But boys will be boys," said Mrs. Jenkins, laughing heartily.

Jokes.

No Need to Ask.

Little Elsie came home from the neighbors house, munching a cookie.

"Now, Elsie,' her mother reproved her, "how many times have I told you not to ask Mrs. Brown for cookies?"

"I did not ask her," answered Elsie calmly, "I do not have to; I know where she keeps them."

—Mound School Bulletin.

New method parent: "So you still believe in the rod for developing children?"

Old fashioned tutor: "I believe it is the natural way to make them smart."

—Mound School Bulletin.

Class Directory.

Senior Class

Advisor—Miss Patrick.
President—Dreng Bjornaraa.
Vice President—Mary Vance.
Secretary—Ethel Conklin.
Treasurer—Clayton Steenerson.
Sargeant at Arms—Dottie Krafthefer and Maybelle Swanson.

Junior Class

President—Gregory Werstlein.
Vice President—Milton Larson.
Advisor—Miss Elliott.
Treasurer—Nora Lindquist.
Secretary—Johanna Wedal.
Sargeant at Arms—Shirley Anderson.

Sophomore Class

President—Olive Lonson.
Vice President—Craig Halvorson.
Advisor—Miss Dix.
Secretary—Ole Hele.
Treasurer—Myrtle Senate.
Sargeant at Arms—James Votava and Guy Oftelie.

Freshman Class

President—Robert McGinn.
Vice President—Elsie Blair.
Advisor—Mr. Tripp.
Secretary—Melvin Engelstad.
Treasurer—Herbert Keene.
Sargeant at Arms—Harriet Morgan and May Roberts.

"Your name please, Miss?"
"Iona Carr."
"Oh, do you? What make?"

They Say

Mr. Melby—"How much time have we left of this period?"

Clarence Knudson (looking at his watch)—"Well if we don't have church this morning there is fifteen minutes left."

Student—"If Mr. Ziegler doesn't take back what he said this morning, I am going to leave school."

Fellow Student—"What did he say?"

Student—"He told me to leave school."

Mr. Pierce to Cleon Bottleson, who has been trying to sharpen his pencil for the last ten minutes:

"Cleon, what do you think that is—a sausage grinder? It is only a pencil sharpener you know."

Teacher—"Johnny, what is the difference between cowardice and caution?"

Johnny—"Caution is when you are afraid; cowardice when the other fellow is afraid."

Merrill—"Your father is a shoemaker and still your kid brother wears torn shoes!"

Daniel—"That's nothin', your father's a dentist and your kid brother's only got one tooth!"

Miss Patrick—"What did you say?"

John H.—"Nothing."

Miss Patrick—"Of course, but how did you express it this time?"

What would high school be like without Benny Lind's "blushing countenance" and Toby Holmgren's "smiles."

The Senior ring and pin committee is having as hard a time selecting a class ring and pin as a young man buying a ring for his best girl.

According to Miss Johnson, the music instructor, the girls of the high school would prove good advertisements for a bake-shop; they have so many "rolls" and "puffs."

Today is the tomorrow you worried about yesterday.

Ernest B in Industrial History—"When I was upon the range I saw an engine with two cabs."

Howard O—"That's nothin'! When I was there I saw an engine so large that the engineer saw the fireman only on Sunday when they went to church."

To our football players: Remember the bigger they are the harder they fall.

Miss Elliot to John H.—"What was the matter with the quiz?"

John H.—"Oh! You didn't ask me any of the questions I know."

Ask Toby Holmgren what he was trying to do in Ancient History class October 21.

Found on an Ancient History quiz paper: "Ostracism and Salamus were sons of Solomon. Delos was a tyrant.

Miss Patrick in English IV class trying to explain various points in drama—"Haven't you noticed audiences laugh at a less humorous part of a drama much harder than they do at a very humorous part, especially after a very humorous part?"

Clarence Knudsen—"That's because of inertia."

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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FIRST EFFECTS OF AMENDMENT ALREADY NOTED

County Asked to Bill State For Cost of Constructing St. Hilaire Road.

One-Half of Estimated Outlay Paid By State, Balance By Goernment.

Cost of Maintenance Will Also Be Escaped By County Under New Order.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson on Friday received a communication from the Minnesota State Highway commission requesting the amount expended by the county during the past summer in the construction of State Road No. 1, which extends from a point just north of the village of St. Hilaire, thru the village to a point four miles south. The completed contract is for $21,000, of which amount $14,000 was spent during the past season, the road being incomplete as yet. It is the purpose of the highway commission to reinburse the county of Pennington for its portion of the expense on the road in question as soon as funds are derived thru the workings of Constitutional Amendment No. 1.

County Greatly Benefited.

Residents of the entire state might well "hurrah" and throw up their hats out of sheer joy at this small but vital bit of information. It means just this: It is an advance notice that the Babcock Plan is beginning to work out, that the highway commission is right on the job, and that good roads will certainly result because of the combination of the two facts.

Graveling of a considerable stretch of road No. 1, which is part of the Jefferson Highway, is necessary to its completion but the county is virtually relieved of further expense in this respect in addition to being reimbursed for money expended. The road was being constructed by the county with the aid of the Federal Government, the county paying one-half its cost and the government one-half. With Amendment No. 1 already beginning to take effect it becomes a national and state matter under the supervision of the county. Funds received thru reimbursement for expenditures already made may now be directed into improving other roads connecting with the main trunk highways which are to be built up and maintained thru funds derived by the state from a direct tax upon automobiles owned throuot the state.

Early Construction Possible.

In many instances the hard-surfacing of roads has been proceeding during the past summer with the view of reimbursement when the amendment would be passed. The Babcock Plan does not provide for the immediate construction of any one arterial highway, as it popularly supposed. Rather does it mean that allotments will be made to counties and districts at an early date and it is expected that construction will be under way as early as next spring in many cases. Nor does it mean that all arterial highways will be hard surfaced at once. Many will be properly graded, heavily graveled and maintained as graveled roads for an indefinite length of time. But—good roads there will be.

FLOUR AT LOWEST PRICE IN 4 YEARS

Sells at Less Than Ten Dollars Per Barrel at Minneapolis Milling Plants.

For the first time in almost four years flour sold under the ten dollar a barrel mark at the mills at Minneapolis on Tuesday. Quotations on family patents broke 35 to [illegible] cents, making the range of prices $[illegible] to $10 a barrel. Tuesday's decline in wheat was given as the cause.

Rallies in foreign exchange led to higher prices for wheat at Chicago on Monday. Opening quotations, which varied from a quarter off to one and a half cent advance, were followed by gains all around though interrupted transiently by a severe setback.

Subsequently deliveries fell to new low figures, the lowest in four years. The close was heavy, 6¼ to 7¾ cents lower with December $1.77 to [illegible]78, and March $1.75 to $1.75¼.

FAMOUS ORCHESTRA THE FIRST NUMBER

Lyceum Course to Be Opened By One of Country's [illegible] Organizations.

Next Thursday evening marks the opening date of the Redpath Winter lyceum course which is being brought to Thief River Falls for the winter through the efforts of the Woman's club. The woman's organization has exceptionally fortunate in booking attractions which will bring to the city all that is best in music and oratory, as this first number will go to prove.

The Redpath Concert orchestra presents one of the features of a program devoted principally to music. The orchestra is composed of artists on the violin, cello, flute, piano and clarinet, and will, with their varied numbers, bring pleasure to all who may attend.

Edward Barrow, tenor, who appears with the orchestra on Thursday night has been associated with many of the best vocalists on the American operatic stage, having alternated in concert with such artists as Schumann-Heinck, Evan Williams and Lillian Nordica. His appearance at Thief River Falls will bring a talent never before represented in this section of the state.

The Woman's club has spared no expense in securing the best in the way of lyceum attractions and it is hoped that the community will respond to the advance sale of season tickets in a manner which will guarantee a good attendance throughout the entire course. Season tickets and tickets for the first lyceum number will be placed on sale at Lambert's drug store the first of the coming week at prices reasonable and within the reach of all. An advantage lies in the purchase of season tickets in that reservations of seats may be made for the entire season at the present time.

NEW MAN IN CHARGE AT HOTEL BRUMUND

Louis Garvey, Formerly of Morris, Purchases Lease and Equipment.

The Brumund hotel changed hands this week, the new proprieor, Louis Garvey of Morris, Minn., taking possession on Tuesday. Mr. Garvey, who has purchased the hotel equipment only, will continue the business much along the same lines as previously, with but a slight change in the cafe service and hours of serving.

H. A. Brumund steps out of the hotel business to take a more active part in the management of the Princess and Lyceum theatres. Mr. and Mrs. Brumund have served the public at the Brumund faithfully and diligently for the past eight years. Previous to that time they conducted the Ogahmah hotel just across the avenue from the present Brumund hotel. They have retained their apartments at the corner of LaBree avenue and Second street, where they will make their home for the present.

Mr. Garvey is an experienced hotel man, having served with several of the leading hostelries in the twin cities previous to his becoming the proprietor of the Home cafe at Morris. Mrs. Garvey accompanied her husband to Thief River Falls, returning on Wednesday to Morris, where she will remain until their property there is disposed of, assisting her son in the management of the cafe.

Fair Board Secretary to Be Chosen Friday Night

The directors of the Pennington County Fair association will meet at the Commercial club rooms Friday evening at 8 for the purpose of electing a secretary and appointing several committees. It is also expeced that budgets will be made up for the various departments for the fair of 1921.

Many Teachers Attended State Meeting at St. Paul

Thirty teachers from the Thief River Falls schools attended the 57th meeting of the Minnesota Educational association which was held at St. Paul Nov. 3-6. Those teachers who were not able to attend the St. Paul meeting attended the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association convention held at Warren Oct. 20-23. Of the 57 city teachers many attended both educational meetings. This was a remarkable attendance in view of the fact that but four of the teachers from the city schools at Crookston were present at the first named meeting.

The four days of the convention held many good things for all who attended, including instructive meetings, exhibits, excursions, demonstrations and musical features. Ten thousand teachers from the state of Minnesota were in attendance.

W. A. Ziegler, superintendent of the city schools, was elected president for division 6, department of industrial and household arts, for the coming year and will prepare the next program for that section, which has to do with "Vocational Guidance."

First Recruit Secured Here Starts For Camp

Erwin Johnston of Nekoma, N. D., a nephew of Loren Johnston of this city, enlisted for a term of one year with the Fifth Engineers stationed at Camp Funston, Kansas. After a preliminary examination by Sergeant Hinkson, who is in charge of the local recruiting station, he left for Minneapolis on Monday to undergo a final physical examination, after which he will proceed direct to Camp Funston. Private Johnston is the first recruit to pass through the newly established recruiting station here.

Local Bakery Announces Cut in Price of Bread

Everything goes to show that the high cost of living is gradually coming down. In practically every line merchants are announcing cuts in price, the latest notable addition being Jung's Quality Bakery in this city. As will be seen by their advertisement in another part of the paper their bread will hereafter be sold at 10 cents for the small loaf and 15 cents for the large. This is a cut from 12 and 18 cents for the different sizes respectively.

JUNIORS HAVE FINE SHOWING OF LIVESTOCK

Boys' and Girls' Club Members Display Prize Animals at Annual Exhibit.

Entries Not Numerous But All Animals Show Breeding and Much Care.

Winning Specimens Will Compete at Crookston and South Saint Paul Shows.

Thief River Falls and all Pennington county may well feel proud of the excellent showing of spring lambs and dairy calves made by members of the Boys' and Girls' clubs at the combination livestock show held at the Ramstad barn on Friday. Some remarkable animals, deserving of the attention of livestock breeders thruout the state, were shown and ribbons and cash awards presented by the Citizens' State and First National banks of this city. Three of the spring lambs shown will be sent with their exhibitors to the show at South St. Paul on November 17, 18 and 19. The first five ribbon and prize winning dairy calves will compete for first place at the livestock show at Crookston on November 12 and 13 and will undoubtedly be sent from there to the South St. Paul show.

Fat Lambs Shown.

The spring lambs were judged from a fat lamb standpoint by Mr. Husby of Crookston. Had the judging been from the breeding or other standpoints, the prizes would probably have been awarded in different order. Cash prizes were hung up by the Citizens' State bank as follows: First prize, $8, Alfred Kilen, Kratka; second prize, $6, Frances Conklin, Thief River Falls; third prize, $4, Ruby Conklin, Thief River Falls; fourth prize, $3, Marcus Olson, Thief River Falls; fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth prizes of $2 each respectively to Pearl Conklin and Vivian Olson of Thief River Falls and Daniel Vaughan and Ethel Vaughan of Goodridge. The blue, red and white ribbons were awarded to the first three prize winners in the order named, the ribbon winners receiving the free trip to South St. Paul. The number of lambs entered was smaller than expected but all were of particularly fine quality.

Calf Showing Extraordinary.

The fact that several of the dairy calves shown were in a strictly show condition, while several were not, made judging extremely difficult, because show condition had to be taken into consideration with the animals' good points. In one or two cases calves would have undoubtedly have taken higher place had they been in condition.

The calves shown were Guernseys and Holsteins—breeds best fitted for dairy purposes. The cash awards were as follows: First prize, $10, Ruby Conklin, Thief River Falls; second prize, $7, Pearl Conklin, Thief River Falls; third prize, $5, Gorman Thompson, Goodridge. Prizes of $2 each went to Orton Olson, Marian Hunt, Marcus Olson and Gordon Hunt of Thief River Falls and Noble Urdahl of Goodridge. Only one calf in the second year class was exhibited, Frances Conklin of Thief River Falls making the showing and receiving the blue ribbon.

Several of the calves were very much out of the ordinary as to dairy type, particular mention going to the winner of the blue ribbon in the yearling class, shown by Ruby Conklin. This yearling will be shown at Crookston on November 12 and 13 and will undoubtedly go from there to the livestock show at South St. Paul later in the month. Expert judges have expressed their opinion that the calf shown by Miss Conklin will one day be entered in the national shows and take the highest of ribbons.

Results of Co-operation.

The Citizens State bank, the First National bank, J. J. McCann of the county farm bureau and the members of the Pennington county Boys' and Girls' clubs are to be congratulated upon the successful results of their co-operation in staging this livestock event; the two banks for their great interest in the development of the resources of the county and the offering of the premiums; Mr. McCann for his efforts in organizing the clubs and constant instruction as to the proper care of the animals; and the boys and girls upon the industry shown. In many cases lambs and calves gave evidence of many days preparation in fitting them properly for the event.

C. L. Hansen and A. J. Anderson offered further proof of their appreciation of the work of the county boys and girls by arranging dinners for them at the Evelyn and Brumund hotels.

Local Postoffice Holds Mail For Former Soldiers

Ex-service men leaving the city should notify the postoffice of their change of address in order that their mail may be forwarded. Very often matters of importance to these men come up and they are appraised of the facts either by the government or the officers of their legion post. Unless their addresses are known the postal department has no choice but to return the mail to the sender or dead letter office. Postmaster John Morgan has now in his charge mail for the following persons formerly in the service: Helmer Sorvick, Iver Sedig, John Henry Spencer, Ingvald Hesby, Aslak Evenson Norgard (2), Mina Hagen. Anyone knowing the whereabouts of these parties will be conferring a favor on them by informing Mr. Morgan where they may be reached.

FIRST LYCEUM COURSE NUMBER HERE NOV. 18; CARDS STAMPED WRONG

An error in stamping the date on which the Redpath Concert Orchestra — first attraction in the lyceum course—is to appear in this city may lead to confusion. The cards are stamped "Nov. 19," whereas the date is Thursday, Nov. 18. The ladies in charge regret that this mixup in the advertising matter occurred and hope that none will be misled by it.

MISSING YOUTH IS FOUND DEAD; STILL MYSTERY

Middle River Boy Buried Without Circumstances of Death Being Known.

Out Hunting Near Home With Younger Brother and Failed to Return.

Boy Suspected of Knowing More Than Has Thus Far Been Elicited.

Burial of the body of Arthur Schenkey, 15 year old son of Theodore Schenkey, who lives three miles east of Middle River, took place on Tuesday with the manner of his death two weeks ago still a mystery to the residents of Middle River.

The youth, accompanied by his nine year old brother, had gone hunting with a 30-30 rifle two weeks ago. Only the story of the younger brother is available for details of their expedition, and according to this tale Arthur gave him a quarter and told him to return home. The younger boy, according to his story, did so, and as he reached the house he heard a shot. The older boy failed to return home that night and the next day as his absence continued, the father of the boy became worried. He communicated with county officials and a posse was organized. Ninety residents of the little town of Middle River scoured the surrounding country for nine days searching for the Schenkey boy, and when they were about ready to give up their labors one of the members stumbled over his body in a thicket only 30 rods from the Schenkey home.

Shell Taken From Gun.

Suicide was the first theory but examination of the body and gun upset the belief that he had killed himself. The bullet which had killed the boy entered the top of his head and passed straight down through the brain and body, lodging in the abdomen.

Further examination showed the shell had been extracted from the gun, which was 19 feet away from the body. Death must have been instantaneous and it would have been impossible for the lad to have extracted the shell from the gun and cast it 19 feet away after the shooting even if it had been possible for him to have held the gun in such position as to cause the bullet to enter the top of his head.

Brother Questioned.

Suspicion, it is alleged, fell on the little nine year old brother who was the last person known to have seen the Schenkey boy alive. Close questioning before the coroner's jury following the inquest, however, failed to change his story about leaving his brother in the woods and returning home, and the jury was forced to return a verdict that the youth was killed by a rifle fired by a person unknown.

Heavy Poultry Shipments From This Section Daily

An average of 48 coops of poultry per day have been shipped from Thief River Falls during the past 30 days. These are figures given by local officials of the American Railway Express company which handles all poultry shipped out of the territory adjacent to this city. Practically all of these shipments have been products of Pennington county farms. On Friday last the electric line brought in from Goodridge alone, one entire carload; or 40 coops, of chickens, ducks, geese and turkeys, each coop representing a net weight of 150 pounds. All shipments are made to commission houses in the twin cities to supply the holiday demand.

Balmy Weather Deceives Pansies and Gooseberries

Wet, cold weather in Nebraska, Missouri and Kansas during the past few weeks; blizzards to the south of us in many cases; but spring still—or again—holding sway in Northwestern Minnesota. A. K. Dickson, resident of Thief River Falls, reports that on Sunday his half dozen gooseberry bushes were covered with buds and that pansy beds were breaking forth into bloom, both having been severely frozen earlier in the spring—or rather fall.

BETTER PRICES MADE POSSIBLE FOR SPUD CROP

State Marketing Director Shows How Potato Exchange Was of Help to Farmer.

Gives Instances Where Difference in Price Was 30 and 40 Cents Per Bushel.

Scope of Exchange May Be Extended to Include Many Other Products.

"With approximately one-fourth of the Minnesota potato crop handled through co-operative associations and the Minnesota Potato Exchange, the saving to the farmers of Minnesota who shared in the co-operation totaled approximately $274,000 this year.

"If all potatoes had been shipped through the association, saving to the farmers would have been $1,096,000. The co-operative associations obtained an average of 9.3 cents a hundredweight more for potatoes than the non-co-perative associations, and increased the price for all farmers in Minnesota by providing competition for other buyers."

Hughes Makes Report.

H. J. Hughes, marketing director of the Minnesota Department of Agriculture, made the foregoing statement after tabulating reports from thirty-five county agents representing all potato producing areas of Minnesota. Twenty-two co-operative exchanges reported an average price of $1.01 1-3 a hundred pounds, while thirty-five non-co-operative sales agents reported an average of 91 4-5 cents a hundred pounds.

The margin between the co-operative and non-co-operative prices ranged widely, or up to 30 cents a hundred pounds in certain localities. The spread was smaller in vicinities where the co-operative provided keenest co-operation. Mr. Hughes estimates the merchantable crop of the state at 12,000,000 hundredweight. This means the potato crop which moved by rail. Almost two-thirds of the total crop is used within the state. The foregoing comparisons are based on the price level of November 1. Specific instances of the price spreads as quoted by Mr. Hughes follow:

30 Cents Difference.

"The co-operative price in Kittson county—$1.05 a hundred for potatoes sacked. 75 cents for potatoes in bulk by non-co-operatives. The spread in this case was 30 cents.

"The price for Early Ohios offered by the co-operatives at Lancaster was $1.40 and the price offered by the non-co-operatives at Bronson, which is nearby, was 95 cents and at Karlstad $1, which is a spread of about 40 cents."

Mr. Hughes said that other farmers get the benefit of the price raising caused by competition. A potato exchange in Polk county advised the headquarters of the exchange that the price offered by non-co-operatives dropped 25 cents in one day after the co-opertives stopped buying. W. C. Minke, manager of the local at Long Prairie advised the exchange that "We received as much in the 80 per cent advance paid by the co-operatives as the local non-co-operatives paid in full."

The Co-operative Exchange further provides for the grading of potatoes on a basis similar to the grading of grain. There are four grades: the Minnesota select, all large and of baking size; and grades one, two and three and field run. This makes it possible for the consumer to demand a certain grade of potatoes and the small potatoes and bruised potatoes are sorted out for potato flour factories and starch factories.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, recently stated that the Twin Cities pay the highest prices and get the poorest potatoes in Minnesota. The reason for this is that the consumer has not forced the retailer to handle graded potatoes in the Twin Cities. Most of the supply sold in St. Paul and Minneapolis comes from nearby farms.

The Minnesota Potato Exchange has handled some apples, buying in carload lots and selling through the local exchanges.

It is planned to handle cabbages, onions and other products of like nature to the exchange and eventually to have the farmer dispose of all grains through a grain exchange and of livestock through livestock shipping associations. The livestock exchange has been even more fully developed than the potato exchange.

Woman's Auxiliary Convention.

Plans are being formulated by A. H. Vernon, commander of the Minnesota Department of the American Legion, for a state convention of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Legion, in accordance with the recent ruling of the Legion national convention granting authority to state executive committees to establish state organizations of the woman's branch. In Blue Earth County, Minn., Auxiliary units were organized for all seven Legion posts in one week. Minnesota is second in the number of units of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Recruiting Officer Here; Expects Many Enlistments

Lieutenant O. G. Hoans, recruiting inspector for Missouri, Kansas Nebraska and Minnesota, was in Thief River Falls on Friday. No recruits have as yet been received through the local recruiting station in charge of Sergeant Jack M. Hickson, though many are expected with the coming of winter weather. The past month saw more recruits taken into the army from the state of Minnesota than any previous month during the entire history of the state. Lieutenant Hoans is a former Crookston boy and a graduate of Crookston high school. The two recruiting officers enjoyed a very successful hunting trip on Friday afternoon, enabling the lieutenant to depart for Minneapolis with several brace of partridge.

Armistice Day.

There was no official observance of Armistice Day in Thief River Falls except by members of the American Legion. The intention was to go to Bemidji and help the post there celebrate but it was found that a sufficient number of our citizens would not be able to make the trip to make the chartering of a special train possible and the plan was abandoned.

LOCAL RED CROSS TO ELECT OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Will Be Held at President's Office Friday Afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the board of directors of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross at the office of T. P. Anderson, county chairman, Friday, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year and formulating further plans for the fourth annual roll call which starts immediately, to continue until Thanksgiving day.

The enrollment campaign will be staged with all the enthusiasm of the pre-war drives and those which took place during the memorable years of '18 and '19. No one in Pennington county needs an explanation of what the Red Cross is, either in times of war or peace, administering aid in case of fire or flood, or during epidemics of disease. Red Cross work during the time since the war ceased has been largely confined to extending aid in civil life both in the United States and abroad, acting in matters of voluntary relief and devising measures for sanitary regulations to prevent the spread of disease.

Buttons will be sold as during the past few years. These buttons, denoting membership for the year 1921, are sold at $1 each, thus enabling everyone to subscribe and putting all on an equal footing.

DECISION IN DITCH MATTER POSTPONED

Revised Report Requested By Court in Case of Judicial Ditch Number 44.

Hearing of objections to the proposed judicial ditch number 44, held before Judge Grindeland at the Pennington county court house on Friday was adjourned to December 6, pending a revised report by Engineer Joseph Baugh and the board of three viewers. The petitioners for the ditch, property holders of Smiley township, were represented by W. J. Brown. E. M. Stanton and Senator F. L. Cliff of Ortonville, represented the objectors, property holders of the town of Rocksbury.

Objections to the proposed ditch were raised on the grounds that Rocksbury township would not benefit materially by the great amount of excavating necessary to passing through the sand ridge which lies along the Soo line tracks in sections 10, 15 and 23. The new route proposed will carry the ditch northward on the township line to the Red Lake river above Thief River Falls, where the former ditch passed westward beneath the Soo tracks, emptying into the river below the city. Judicial ditch number 44, representing an outlay of 20 or 25 thousand dollars, when completed will secure drainage for the [illegible] lands in the town of Smiley. A portion of the route lies along the old Red Lake county ditch number 1.

Is Champion Wager-Winner of Campaign Just Closed

As a political prognosticator P. J. Keating of this city ranks high. To judge from the number of bets won by him he had the situation doped out about right. He made 12 bets and won every one of them. He took four different chances on Jake Preus' winning out by more than 50,000 majority and landed three more on the position that Harding would have more than 100,000 to the good in the [illegible]. Other bets made by him were that Harding would carry Ohio; that Hodgson would not be elected governor; that the Democratic candidate for governor would not carry five counties in the state, and that Shipstead would not carry Cass county. [illegible] range of bets included several [illegible] of cigars, new hats, new shoes [illegible] a new suit of clothes.

A Beautiful Play.

"Humoresque," the picture play which shows at the Lyceum for the last time this evening, is one of the finest productions put on the screen here for a long time. The story is natural and particularly well acted. Vera Gordon, who stars in the part of the mother, gives a most convincing portrayal and the remainder of the cast is of very high order. Not for a long time has a moving picture been so well received in the large cities.

PREPARING FOR FINEST OF ALL POULTRY SHOWS

Previous Exhibitions to Be Outdone By Display Here on November 22-24.

Cash Prizes, Special Awards and Loving Cups to Owners of Winning Birds.

Increase in Number of Entries and Varieties Already Assured, Say Officials.

The past week has furnished evidence that the coming show of the Pennington County Poultry association at Thief River Falls on November 22-24, is attracting the attention of the entire Northwest. Many requests for premium lists are being received daily from points in Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota and southern Minnesota. A large number of exhibits are consequently expected from these points and thousands of people will observe the different breeds of birds on exhibition at this show, which will rival any held in the Northwest. City hotels are already making preparations to handle the large number of out of town guests. Ribbons and premiums are being offered daily, it being impossible to include these in the premium lists which are already being sent out.

Premium Lists Increase.

The fourth annual show has reached the attention of the National Black Leghorn association with headquarters at Hempstead, Long Island, New York, their offer of a handsome special ribbon for the best male and one for the best female bird of that breed, having just been received. The Minnesota State Poultry association offers handsome sweepstakes ribbons suitably lettered for the best pullet in the American, Asiatic, Mediterranean, English, Dutch and Bantam classes. The Minnesota State Poultry Breeder's association will also offer a silver medal awarded for the highest scoring pen. The American White Plymouth Rock club offers special ribbons at this exhibition, one each for best cock, best hen, best cockeral, best pullet and best pen. All of these and many others are especially attractive and valuable prizes.

Local business men realize the significance of the poultry show being staged at Thief River Falls and practically all of them will present specials in the way of premiums, these specials ranging from articles of merchandise to silver loving cups valued at $50.

Rabbits to be Feature.

An interesting feature of the poultry show will be the rabbit exhibits. At recent state poultry shows and state fairs almost as many pens of rabbits were shown as of poultry. The rabbit industry has taken rapid strides in the past few years owing to the fact that the rabbit or hare can be raised for the dual purpose of fur and food. Rabbit fur commands a good price and is dyed and used for many purposes. The Belgian hare takes first place in the industry owing to the quality of his fur and his size. Prizes are offered for the best pens and individuals of the rabbit exhibits.

Bantams, the little more than ornaments, and game birds will also be features of the show.

Birds of all Classes.

The American, Asiatic, Mediterranean, English, Polish, Dutch, French and Oriental classes of poultry will all be represented; classes of which the average person knows but little and which include among others: Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Javas, Dominiques, Buckeyes, Brahmas, Langshans, Minorcas, Anconas, Dorkins, Sussex, Hamburgs, Houdans, Faverises, Malays, Sherwoods and Lakenvelders.

Bronze, Narragansett, Buff and Slate turkeys will be shown. Pekin Call, Noscovy, Aylesbury, Cayuga, East India, Crested White and India Runner ducks are listed, as well as Toulouse, African, Canadian, Emblen, Chinese and Egyptian geese.

Child Unconscious Five Days as Result of Fall

Blair Lampert, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lampert, fell backward from a fence on election day, receiving a severe blow on the head. He did not seem badly injured at the time but on Thursday became unconscious and remained in that condition until Monday morning. The child was taking no nourishment, seemingly being in a state of coma. On Monday morning he regained consciousness, recognized his parents and asked for food. Physicians in consultation had decided that the boy's spine had been injured in the fall but it is now thought that a blood clot formed on the brain, consciousness being regained when the clot was in some manner carried away. He is steadily improving and there is every hope of his complete recovery.

Had Leg Amputated.

Oklee Herald: Clarence Knutson, who has been suffering for years from tuberculosis of the bone, finally had to have his leg amputated. The operation was performed at Warren last week. He is now reported out of danger and is rapidly recovering from the effects of the operation. As soon as his condition permits, he will go to Thief River Falls to spend two or three months at the Sanatorium there.

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OUR CONSOLIDATED UNLOADING, THE GREATEST SUCCESSFUL SALE WE EVER HELD, CLOSES SATURDAY, NOV. 20. BUY NOW BEFORE THE LAST DAY

H. O. Loken Has Just Returned From The Great Eastern Markets *With Over $10,000.00 Worth of New Merchandise* purchased for spot cash at 35 to 60 cents on the dollar. Without a doubt the

Most Sensational Masterstroke of Merchandising

ever put over by any firm anywhere. This entire new stock, together with our regular stock, will all go as here advertised at the lowest prices you have heard of for years

On This the Greatest Merchandising Drive In Our Career

Commencing Saturday morning at 9 a. m., Nov. 13, and continuing daily for just one week, bringing to a close our Consolidated Unloading Sale, Saturday night, Nov. 20. This will positively be the last big sale of the year. Remember Sat., Nov. 20 is the last day

Hosiery Prices Smash!

Oh, what Savings! We're smashing down the high-price walls. We're battering at the very foundations of high prices! It's a sale of splendid savings! Hosiery going below the cost of making—in the manufacturer's effort to set the nation's financial house in order.

Women's Black Cotton Hosiery, good weight, full range of all sizes, 8½, 9, 9½ and 10. You'll say when you see them, "Wonderful Bargains." Come, take your choice at, per pr
15c
(Basement)

Women's heavy weight black fleeced lined Hose; all sizes. A fine value at per pair
19c
(Basement)

Men's high grade Black Stockings. A value we have never seen the equal of; all sizes at, per pair
15c
(Basement)

THE LATEST CRAZE
Ladies' and Misses' Wool Heather mixture coarse rib Woolen Hose. They are nice, soft and warm, and all the go. Saturday we place them on sale in all sizes at per pair
$1.00
(Main floor)

Ladies' Silk Hose Remarkably Underpriced

Our $2.50 and $2.25 fur silk Ladies' fine full fashioned Silk Hose; all shades and all sizes, Per pair **$1.58**

Our entire stock of $1.85 Ladies' Silk Hose in all shades and all sizes. This Stocking we have sold on this sale at $1.39, but as we have over 300 pairs on hand we will let them go for the balance of this Sale at per pair **99c**

There'll Be An Awful Scramble When We Sell 2460 Yards of High-Class

ALL SILK GEORGETTE CREPE
and
ALL SILK CREPE DE CHENE

Reg. $2.85 to $3.50 values. Every imaginable color in this lot. **$1.65** Per yard. Ladies! Stop and Think—This means a 50% saving.

Every thrifty woman, who values economy, will take liberal advantage of this tremendous offer. These silks are all 40 in. wide and of excellent fabrics which can't be duplicated anywhere at twice the price we ask.

Radium Changeable
TAFFETA SILK
Yard wide. A most brilliant fabric in the newest colors, $3.50 values, only
$1.85

36 in. Wash Satin, white and flesh colors; Reg. $3.00 val., now at **$1.85**
40 in. Pussy Willow Taffeta; also white Crepe de Luxe, $5.00 val. at only **$2.95**
36 in. heavy black Duchess Satin, $5.00 val. now at only **$2.95**
36 in. extra fine quality black Chiffon Taffeta, $4.00 val. at **$2.65**
40 in. Satin Crepe; Navy and Coral color, $5.00 val. at **$2.95**

Outing Flannel
500 yards light, reg. width Outings in a good range of patterns for this one week only at yard
19c
(Basement)

Just Think of it! 30 days ago these goods sold for 40c per yard. New goods and new patterns just arrived. 2500 yards of splendid grade PERCALE
36 inches Bookfold Percales and 36 in. Longfold Percales. **15c** Light or dark colors. per yard A wonderful val.
(Basement)

Ladies full Size Outing Flannel NIGHT GOWNS in a big assortment of fine styles and patterns.
$1.39
(Basement)

9-4 Pepperall Sheeting 81 inches wide

Sold as high as $1.10 per yard. This is the best high-grade standard sheeting on the market offered by us for this sale only at, per yard, bleached and unbleached
59c
(Main floor)

READY MADE PILLOW CASES
42x36 in. full standard. Special, each
29c
(Basement)

72x90 fine bleached full size Sheets, each
$1.98

Hope 36 in. Bleached Muslin, (was 45c per yard 30 days ago) Now per yard 19c
Fruit of the Loom 36 in. Bleached Muslin, (was 50c 30 days ago) Now per yard 22c
Lonsdale fine underwear Muslin 36 in. Bleached, (was 50c per yd.) Now per yard 22c
(All Muslin on sale Main floor Domestic Dept.)

36 in. Challie; beautiful Quilting patterns; good standard quality at, yard **22c**

Ladies' black Jersey Gloves, fleeced lined, 85c values; all sizes. Special at per pair **59c**

Fancy 36 in. Sateen linings; a beautiful range of new patterns to select from. Our special this sale only, yd. **$1.10**

A new selection of fancy Hairbow Ribbons. The kind others get 35c and 40 for. Here at per yard **25c**

36 in. good quality Sateen linings; all new shades and every shade here in stock. Special per yard **59c**

A New Stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Underwear to be Sold at the Most Remarkable Prices Ever Heard Of

The Highest Quality Brands included, Universally Known, by reputation for Their Worth and Superiority.

Ladies' and Misses light wt. fleeced lined Union Suits. Values? We'll Say So! 49c per suit
49c
(Basement)

Women's Velastic and Seal Lion Union Suits
The best high grade heavy fleeced lined garments that are sold at $3.50 and $3.00 per suit everywhere, on this sale, per suit
$1.95
(Main floor Hosiery and Underwear Dept.)

Women's Heavy "Wool" VESTS and PANTS
The three dollar kind and worth it. A value you have not seen for five years at per garment
$1.95
(Main floor)

Women's and Misses High Grade Medium Weight Union Suits, $2.50 Values—Now go at $1.45
(Main floor)

Girls' Winter Vests and Pants at a price that has been unknown to the American language, at per garment 25c
(Basement)

Girls' Union Suits in a full range of sizes, for this Sale only, per suit 50c
(Basement)

We will have on this sale about 10 other great Underwear Values that we cannot quote here on account of limited space. But they will all be out on our counters and bins with price tickets showing their values.

Basement Values That Are Worth Going a Long Ways to Get, on Sale in Our Basement Only.

Bleached Turkish Towels. About 18x36 in. A wonder value at, ea. **25c**

50 pairs asst. grey, brown and white BLANKETS full single bed size, at per pair **$1.39**

120 only Men's white Cotton 25c Handkerchiefs, each **10c**

Large heavy full size Plaid Blankets. A wonderful asst. of patterns. Was a $7.50 value, at **$4.95**

Heavy re-tinned 12 and 10 quart Dairy Pails. Special here only, at ea. **59c**

Child's Rompers and Wash Suits, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 values, to close this line out take your choice at **79c**

36 in. Pure Silk
TRICOLLETES
BLACK, BROWN, PINK, WHITE
Per yard, only
$2.95

Sheer Modesty forbids to mention the former selling price. But in all fairness, Ladies! Did you ever hear of such an amazing offer of first-class Silk Tricolettes? Beautiful lustre and exquisite colors, yet they are of extreme durability. Come, take advantage.

A Mighty Carnage of Mark-Downs in Wool Dress Goods and Cotton Goods.

40 in. Wool-French Serge, many colors, $1.50 and $1.65 values at **98c**
40 and 44 in. All-Wool Storm Serge; also French Wool Ottomans; all colors, $2.00 and $2.50 values, now at **$1.65**
40, 48 and 50 in. All-Wool Storm Serge, French Serges, Repp, Ottomans; a great array of colors, $3.00 and $3.50 values, at **$2.39**
48 and 50 in. Men's-Wear Serge and Tricotines, a splendid material for Suits, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00 values, at **$3.35**
52 and 56 in. All-Wool Serges and All-Wool Tricotines, $6.50 and $7.50 values, at **$4.95**
56 in. All-Wool, Navy Blue Tricotine, heavy weight best obtainable $10.00 value at **$7.95**
$4.00, $5.00 values, All-Wool, fancy Suitings, plaids and stripes **$3.35**
50c value fruit of the loom Muslin, per yard **35c**
3 pieces of 40 in. fancy striped Wool Serge, $2.50 values, now at **$1.65**
54 and 56 in. All-Wool black and white Hair-line striped Suiting, Reg. $5.00 and $5.50 val. at **$3.98**
60c and 65c values Galateas and Kindergarden Cloth, now at **45c**
Imported English 36 in. Percales, the very best Percales on the market; our regular 50c seller, now at **35c**
Silk and Cotton Crepes, pastell colors, reg. 85c values, yours at only **69c**
36 in. Voiles, plain, and figured, $1.25, $1.50 values, now at **89c**
85c values Bathrobe materials, now at **69c**
36 in. Cotton and Wool finish Plaids for school dresses, $1.00 values **89c**
36 in. Sateen linings, 75c and 85c values, all colors **59c**

Having just returned from one of the most successful buying trips that it has ever been my privilege to make—and I have been at it for eighteen years—I am enabled to announce the greatest merchandising event we have ever offered. In this advertisement you will find quoted the greatest values we have ever been able to make. We hope that you will compare these prices with those quoted by others—mail order houses, local competitors or anyone else. It is certain that in at least nine cases out of ten you will find our prices lower.

We were right on the ground when the big eastern jobbers started their BIG RE-ADJUSTMENT DRIVES and we secured the best there was offered by such concerns as Marshall Field & Co., and Carson-Pirie-Scott & Co. of Chicago, and Wyman, Partridge & Co., of Minneapolis. The prices we are quoting in this big advertisement would never have been possible were it not that these big concerns let down the bars on high prices to an extent never heard of before. The fact that we do the larger share of the dry goods and ready-to-wear business in Thief River Falls and surrounding country placed us in a position to buy in quantities such as only the stores in the larger cities are capable of handling.

The continued loyal patronage that the good people of this section are giving us, instead of scattering their business with every Tom, Dick and Harry, means that we can continue to give these wonderful values in the future as in the past.

Remember that this store has always brought you the new things first. We have also brought you lower prices a long time before the other fellow was forced to come to it. There are stores that sit tight and hold their wares for the long price. Pass them up. Do your trading with a store that you know is RIGHT and that gives you all there is in it at all times.

Every price quoted in this big advertisement is a special value, but we have a few that are so extraordinary that I wish to mention them here. There are ladies' silk georgette waists, crepe de chene waists, a few jersettes and tricolettes, beaded, embroidered, plain and tailored—valued regularly at from $6 to $10. These were bought specially for this sale and have just arrived. Come and take your choice of one or a dozen at $2.95 each. Then be sure to see those large, fluffy, warm, aristocratic-looking new full-length fancy silk-lined coats with big fur collars that have been selling remarkably well all season at $85 and $100. Now take your choice for only $55.

Then we have the Sals Peco full length plush coats, fully lined. These are wonder-values at $25 each. The $35 mens-wear serge dresses are dreams at only $18.50 each, while those velvet dresses at $29.95 are such exceptional values that you will hardly believe your own eyes.

All this goes to prove that a store with the buying power of Loken's, and buying for spot cash, can get values such as business houses of a different class cannot touch.

Then there is that big shipment consisting of underwear bargains. I have never seen the like of it before—and you will agree with me. I'll tell you there are some surprises in store for you here commencing next Saturday and continuing through the following week.

Are you interested in Community or Rogers Bros. silverware for Christmas? If you are, we have values to offer that will almost make your heart stop if you have been in the jewelry stores and priced these articles first.

Now, I hope you will read every word of this big advertisement. It is the last one we will have to offer this year. Right after this sale we are going to get ready for the greatest and most beautiful Holiday Goods opening ever presented to the people of this section. Wait and watch for our announcements telling you all about it. These will appear in plenty of time to permit your attending the opening.

Hoping to see you all here during the last week of this greatest of all sales, I am

Cordially yours,
H. O. Loken

LOKEN BROTHERS Department Store

Beautiful New Stock of Ladies' Coats, Dresses and Waists

100 New Winter Coats, 85 Clever New Dresses, 200 New Silk Waists, go on this Sale. At the values here offered they will not last long, so hurry here if interested.

A New Lot of Women's Winter Coats

$35.00 to $[illegible]5.00 FORMER VALUES
Now $25.00

Full length and ex[illegible] full Women's Peco Black Plush Coats; full lined, [illegible] collars, pockets, all around belts; all sizes: [illegible]8, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46. Also a few new models in Women's full length Cloth Coats, excellent styles [illegible] sizes. Mostly in Browns, Navy and Black. [illegible] take your choice out of this excellent lot of new Coats at only **$25.00**

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY OF COATS THIS WEEK

We Have Just Received—
22 NEW MEN'SWEAR SERGE DRESSES
direct from one of New York City's largest manufacturers. We say they are great values at $35.00 each. The styles are fine, the workmanship perfect. Saturday they go at, ea. **$18.50**

There are just six high grade new all wool Men's-wear fine Serge Dresses arriving today. Splendid $50.00 values. Now your choice **$35.00**

$100.00 and $85.00 Women's Winter Coats $55.00

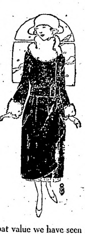

Just 42 handsome new Coats in this assortment and they have just arrived. Every garment equal to coats sold early in this season at $85.00 to $100.00. They are the most handsome coats you ever laid your eyes on. They are the last word in the newest styles. They are all full length and extra full. They are full lined with the finest of fancy silks. They are all wonderful fur trimmed, with large fur collars of Ringtail Oppossum, Nutria, French Seal, Skunk Oppossum and Raccoon. The materials are the highest grade materials on the market such as Silvertones, Bolivias, Suedines, Pompoms Velour Cloths with just a few Youkon Seal Plush Coats. They are large wrappy coats, so extremely stylish and so rarely to be found. So very much underpriced, flare back coats, belted coats, and the ever popular belted all around coats. Shades are mostly dark brown, navy and black. The most wonderful coat value we have seen for years, every garment new and just received from three of the foremost makers in America within the past week. You will be more than surprised to see what $55.00 will now get you in a new all fancy silk lined coat, handsomely fur trimmed.

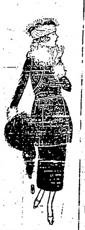

Here Is a Value That's Got the World Beat

STOP! LOOK and READ!!

Just received 100 handsome Silk Ladies' high grade Waists. They are an entire house sample line, consisting of Georgette Waists, hand embroidered and beaded. Crepe de Chene Waists in strictly tailored styles, and fancy plaid and Roman striped all pure silk Waists, with a few sport blouses. These Waists sell regularly all over at $6.50, $7.50, $8.50 up to $10.00 each. Saturday they go on sale, this entire lot at your choice, each **$2.95**

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY OF WAISTS THIS WEEK

New Shipment of After-dinner Velvet Gowns

bought from one of Chicagos best makers. His best and newest styles are all included at most remarkable Velvet Dress prices we ever saw. Garments that would ordinarily be cheap at $50.00 to $65.00. Saturday, Nov. 13th is your lucky day your choice each **$29.95**

Be sure and see our Silk Dresses, values to $35.00. Now $15.00
Be sure and See our Silk Dresses, values to $38.00. Now $19.95

At **$29.95** We will show you a special selected selection of fine all wool Men's-wear Serge Dresses, and all wool Tricotine Dresses; Dresses that were $45.00 to $50.00 values. They come in all sizes, and some of the cleverest new styles.

100 Coats at $29.95, $39.95, $49.95

Values that are worth almost double our selling price.

A Rousing Sale of Children's New Coats

A splendid assortment of new styles just arrived this week in warm Winter weight materials. Every Coat is of high grade dependable make. Sizes 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16. The values are 33 1-3 to 50% less than sold for during the early Fall Season.

$5.00 For Child's Cloth Coats Ages 3 to 8 yrs.

$7.50 For Girls' Coats in sizes 3 to 8 years.

$9.85 A selection of New Coats worth $15.00 ea.

$15.00 For girls' Cloth Coats with fur collars and Sateen lined.

$25.00 Buys the finest new costume we have seen this season, up to $40 values.

WOMEN'S RAINCOATS
A good assortment of styles, materials and sizes at just half price.

THE MINA TAYLOR APRON
$3.50 the world over. For this Sale take your choice, each
$2.45

SILK PETTICOAT SPECIAL
All our $8.50 values, your choice for this week only
$6.95

LADIES' BLACK SATEEN PETTICOATS
Just a few of these left, selling at half their value, each
$1.39

LADIES' NEW BUNGALOW APRONS
Several styles and patterns
$1.39

GIRLS' BLACK BLOOMERS
All sizes, just arrived each
39c

Now is the Time to Buy Furs at a Price That You Cannot Get After Nov. 20th

Our stock consists of a high grade, well selected line of Lampher Skinner & Co's. guaranteed furs, and this will be your last opportunity to purchase your furs at a discount this year. We advice early selections while the stock is complete in every detail.

Choice of our entire stock of $18.50 Furs This Sale at **$14.80**

Choice of our entire stock of $20.00 Fur Scarfs **$15.95**

Choice of our entire stock of fine $25.00 Scarfs and Muffs **$19.95**

Choice of our entire stock of $35.00 Fur Scarfs **$27.95**

Choice of our entire stock of $50.00 high grade Scarfs and Muffs **$39.95**

Choice of our entire stock of $65.00 Fur Sets. A selection worth while **$49.95**

This Is the Home of the Famous Queen Quality High Grade Women's Fine Shoes

Misses' Buster Brown Shoes in Choc. and black Elk skin, reg. $[illegible], size 11½ to 2. Sale $4.95
Misses' Buster Brown Elk. Kid Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2. Reg. $6.95. Sale $5.95
Children's Buster Brown Choc. and Black Elk Shoes sizes 8½ to 11. Reg. $4.95. Sale $4.35
Misses' Patent Leather white Kid top Shoes, size 11½ to 2. Reg. $9.00. Sale $6.85

Children's Patent leather and Brown Kid Button Shoes, Budd Brand, size 8½ to 11. Reg. $5.00 Sale $4.35
Misses' Kid and Gun metal Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2. Reg. $4.50. Sale $3.85
Children's Patent Black and Brown Kid Button Shoes, size 5 to 8. Reg. $3.00 and $3.25. Sale $2.65
First Step Shoes in Kid and Patent Leather, size 2½ to 5. Reg. $2.25. Sale $1.65

Shoes at Prices That Spell B-U-Y N-O-W

Ladies' Black Kid Military Heel, Reg. $14.00. Sale $12.45
Ladies' Black Kid Shoes, Military Heel, Reg. $13.50 Queen Quality $11.95
Ladies' Brown Kid Shoes, Louis and Military Heels, Reg. $13.00. Sale $11.85

Ladies' Black Kid and patent leather Shoes, Louis Heel. Reg. $10. Sale $8.85
Ladies' Black Kid finished, Louis Heel, Reg. $7.50. Sale $5.95
Ladies' Black Kid and Gun Metal Shoes. Reg. $5.95. Sale $3.95

Ladies' Black and Brown Kid Shoes, Louis Heel, Queen Quality. Reg. $15 and $16 $13.50
Growing Girls' Black Kid Shoes, School heel, Reg. $8.00; Boston favorite. Sale $6.95
Ladies' Black and Brown Kid and Calf skin Shoes. Military Heel, Reg. $11.00 Sale $9.85

Growing Girls' Black Kid Shoes, Reg. $10. Sale $8.45
Ladies' Brown side leather Shoes, Reg. $6.50. Sale $5.25
Ladies' Black and Brown Kid Pumps and Oxfords, Queen Quality. Reg. $10. Sale $8.85

Ladies' Black and Brown Kid and Calf leathers, Louis and Military Heels. Reg. $9.00 and $9.50. Sale $7.45
Growing Girls' Black Calf skin Oxfords, School heel. Reg. $8. Sale $6.35
Growing Girls' Buster Brown Elk skin Shoes, Heel. Reg. $6.50 $4.75

Boys' Choc. Elk Shoes, sizes 11½ to 2. Reg. $5. Sale $4.35
Little Girls' Choc. Elk Shoes, size 8½ to 11. Reg. $4.50. Sale $3.95
Children's Buster Brown Gun metal Shoes, size 8½ to 11. Reg. $5.50. Sale $4.85
Children's Gun metal Shoes, size 8½ to 11. Reg. $3.95. Sale $3.35
Children's Patent Leather white Kid top Shoes, sizes 8½ to 11. Reg. $7.00. Sale $4.95

Children's Patent and Brown Kid Button Shoes, Budd Brand, sizes 5 to 8. Reg. $4.00. Sale $3.35
Children's Kid and Gun metal Shoes, size 8 to 11. Reg. $4.25. Sale $3.45
Children's Patent Leather Black and white cloth tops sizes 5 to 8. Reg. $2.50 Sale $1.65
Infant's soft sole Shoes, black and colors. Reg. $1.00. Sale 85c
Infant's soft sole Shoes, Reg. 65c. Sale 53c

LOKEN BROTHERS

The Store That Makes It Worth Your While to Come a Hundred Miles to Trade With

Slashing! Smashing! Crashing!

Return to Before the War Low-Price Levels

Entire Stock Now Being Offered at

MOGENSEN'S
Consolidated Unloading SALE

Only 7 Days More---Saturday, Nov. 13th, to Saturday, Nov. 20th

A masterful selling drive that has set the entire community talking of the superb savings on the finest nationally known Men's Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Furnishings. The buying chance of 1920. Values await you that will shatter EVERY SELLING RECORD. Never again such prices. This will give you an idea of the IMMENSITY OF THIS GREAT SALE.

FLEECED LINED UNION SUITS
Men's "Velastic fleece lined Union Suits. $3.00 value, only, each
$1.95

CASHMERE SOCKS
Men's fine "Strutwear" brand Cashmere Socks, black and grey, $1 value, only, pair
59c

HEAVY SOCKS
Men's Heavy Woolen Socks in white and grey, $1.00 value, pair
59c

Men! The Time to Buy the New Suit Is Right Now!

MEN'S NOBBY SUITS
$50 Suits For $34.45
Latest Models in Men's Suits, Navy, Brown and Mixtures. Noteworthy values, now only
$34.45

$75 and $80 MEN'S SUITS FOR $57.50
These suits comprise the fashion's very latest creation. Slash pockets, belted and half belted, also the more conservative styles for men of matured age. Materials: Fine Cashmere, flannels, tweeds, heather mixtures in brown, drab, grey, blue. They really are wonders at
$57.50

Men's Fine Blue Serges
All of our fine Serge Suits now going at tremendous reductions, $50, $65, $75 and $80 suits, now only
$34.45 $47.50
$57.50

Many Other Suits Now Offered at Rock-bottom Reductions. BUY NOW!

ONE BIG GROUP OF MEN'S SUITS
$13.75
Men's and Young Men's Suits, in light or dark mixtures, well tailored; sizes 34 to 37 only. This special lot priced for quick riddance at
$13.75
Worth up to $50.00

$65, $70, $72.50 SUITS FOR $47.50
Without exaggeration, this is one of the greatest Suit values ever offered here. These suits are made from the choicest materials and of extra fine tailoring. Just think! only
$47.50

DRESS SHIRTS
Men's fine Dress Shirts $2.50 and $3 values, at
$1.69

JERSEY GLOVES and MITTENS
In Grey and Tan, 35c values, pair
23c

HANDKERCHIEFS
Red and Blue, large size. Bandana Handkerchiefs, each
19c

Nov. 13 to Nov. 20 OVERCOAT WEEK 7 Days Only

BOYS' CLOTHING
BOYS' OVERCOATS
$6.85, $7.50, $11.50

BOYS' SUITS
Boys' Suits, sizes 8 to 18, in fine cloth and Corduroy, $14.00 and $15.00 Suits. Your unrestricted choice, now at
$11.85
Boys' $10.00 and $12.00 Corduroy Suits in green, brown and drab; sizes 6 to 17, choice
$8.75

SWEATERS
Fancy Pullover Sweaters in all colors, $12.00 values
$8.65

JERSEY COATS
Men's brown Jersey Sweater Coats, button style, each
$2.35

NIGHT SHIRTS
Brighton Carlsbad Night Shirts, $3 value
$2.35

PAJAMAS
Extra fine Flannel Pajamas, $4 values at only
$2.95

OVERALLS
"Headlight", "Penn" and "Bear Brand" Overalls, each
$2.45

Overcoats That Will Protect You From Wintry Blasts!

$55.00 Coney Collared Double Breasted OVERCOATS—$36.50
Young men's fine double breasted, belt all around, brown and green heather mixture Coats, very nicely made. Brown, Redwood, "Coney" collars. Regular at $55.00, now only
$36.50
Sizes 34 to 42.

$69.50 Young Men's SEALSKIN lined
OVERCOATS FOR $47.75
We are the only authorized Store in this part of the state to carry this fine line of Overcoats exclusively. These Overcoats are natural Alaska Hairseal lined with large Alaska Sealskin collar, Moleskin shell, trench style, slash pockets, double breasted, belt around; just the coat for the young fellows.
$47.75

From the House of "KUPPENHEIMER" and "F. A. PATRICK"

"STEVENSON"
Lamb and Sheep lined snappy fur collared Overcoats, Coonskin, Opossum, Wombat and Nutria collars, $65 to $70 val. only
$49.75

"KUPPENHEIMER" and "F. A. PATRICK" Famous All Wool Overcoats that sell regularly at $75 and $80; a large variety to choose from, all sizes. None better made. Now only
$59.50

"PATRICK"
Ulster Overcoats unlined, full 48 in. long; $50 values, only
$38.50

Young Men's Lamb lined Reefer style
OVERCOATS
Wombat Collar
$24.75

Shoe Prices Come Down With a Bang!
Reductions you can't afford to miss

MEN'S BARN-YARD SHOES
Single sole, bellows tongue, Original Chippewa," acid proof tanned, $7.50 value
$4.35

"EDUCATOR"
Shoes for boys' in chocolate, Elk and Gun Metal. The best made
$3.65, $3.85, $4.85

Ball Band heavy vulcanized rubber soles, leather top lace shoes
$3.35

Men's Smoked and Chocolate Elk Visolized water-proof soled, bellows tongue, light wt., work shoe, $7.50 val.
$4.35

Boys' Army Shoes
$6.00 values
$4.35

SHOES
Men's Hi-Cuts, less than wholesale, 8, 10 and 12 inch. Heavy Chrome calf-tipped toe and vamp, Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, waterproof "Hunkidori," and "Chippewa" makes. Choice now, at
$6.85, $8.85
$10.75

DRESS SHOES
Six splendid styles, in Shoes worth up to $18, now
$10.95

One lot Men's Dress Shoes, values to $15; pick out your size and help yourself at, pair
$3.85

Men's fine brown Cordo Calf Dress Shoes, $10 and $12 values
$7.95

Original "Chippewa", Goodyear welt, bellows tongue, water-proof Chrome tan work shoe. Value today $12. Now marked, at pair
$7.85

Mahogany Calf, Pep last; Russia Calf; English last. Men's Coco, Blucher style, Calf, Bal tip, rubber heel. Men's extra fine black Kid Blucher walking last. Men's extra heavy sole black Kangaroo, Chropodist last. Choice of these six lines of elegant shoes, now at
$10.95

Youths' $7.50 Dress Shoes, $5.35
New dark brown, in Blucher and Bals, English and semi-English toes; fine calf skin.
A wonderful buy now at $5.35

$5, $6, $7
YOUTH'S SHOES
$2.95
These are fine Calf skin, double sole, solid leather heels, black button; sizes 2 to 6; less than half, now at, pair
$2.95

BOYS' HI-CUT SHOES
10 inch Hi-Cut Shoes, $8.00 value
$5.95

SCOTCH CAPS
Best grade Scotch Caps with or without ear laps
$1.49

FLANNEL SHIRTS
Men's wool Flannel Shirts, McDonald Union Made Shirts, $3.00 values
$2.35

DRESS GLOVES
Fine Suede Dress Gloves, Lisle, $3.50 values, now at, only
$2.65

Mechanics' Shirts with 2 collars to match in blue polka dot and plain blue, Union Made, McDonald brand, Reg. $3.00 val. Sale price
$2.25

UNDERWEAR
Entire Stock of Underwear now on SALE

A SALE WITHOUT A PARALLEL!

A Store Full of Real Value Bargains

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

Everything on Sale. Come!

City News

Miss Cornelia Brevik of St. Hilaire [illegible] in the city on Saturday on a [illegible]ping expedition.

Misses Rose Philion and Lucille [illegible] of Red Lake Falls were shoppers in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich went to Mahnomen on Monday morning to spend a brief period visiting with friends.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer returned Tuesday from Grand Forks, where she had spent a week visiting at the home of her parents.

G. [illegible] B. Melby, instructor in science returned Monday after attending a three days' session of the Minnesota Educational association.

Supt. W. A. Ziegler returned Monday morning from Minneapolis, where he had attended the sessions of the M. E. A. held last week.

Miss Marian Miller returned the latter part of last week from New Rockford, N. D., where she had spent a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Alice Hall returned to her home at Middle River, yesterday morning, after attending to some shopping.

Miss Alice Modal, who spent a week visiting with her friends, Misses Linda and Allda Anderson, returned to her home Saturday morning.

Dr. Froehlich and son Frederick, returned Saturday from Minneapolis where the former had attended the M. E. A. for a couple of days.

Hildegard Kleber was a visitor at her home at Paynesville until Monday morning, when she returned to resume her duties in the local schools.

Miss Signe Elton returned to her home at Pine Creek on Monday after spending a few days in this city as the guest of Mrs. E. A. Saltau.

Mrs. J. Scholin of St. Hilaire visited with friends here the first of the week. Mrs. Scholin formerly conducted a boarding house in this city.

Miss Florence Maxwell, who is employed in Minneapolis, returned to that place Monday evening after visiting at the home of her mother for a few days.

Miss Genese Merrideth, who has been making her home with her uncle and aunt, Judge and Mrs. N. W. Tarrant, for the past eight years, left Monday evening for Red Cloud, Neb., where she will visit with her parents until after Christmas, when she will return to this city to remain.

Don't forget the "Old Maids' Convention" to be given in the basement of the Catholic church Friday, Nov. 19 at 8 p. m. Admission 50c, including lunch. n11

Robt. Carlson of Rollis was in the city the first of the week on business. He left yesterday afternoon for Grand Forks, where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

Miss Esther Welo left Saturday morning for Roseau where she spent a few days as the guest of her sister, Miss Alma, who is engaged in teaching school at that place.

Mrs. Scott Laird who had spent two weeks at the hospital at Warren, returned to her home here Thursday evening. Mrs. Laird is rapidly recovering from her operation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to attend a meeting of the Eastern Star held that evening. Mr. Johnson is worthy patron of the local chapter.

Mrs. Munther, Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Mrs. Kinghorn and Mrs. John Robinson were among those who attended the school of instruction by the Eastern Star at Crookston on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. A. Erickson returned to her home at Greenbush Saturday morning. Mrs. Erickson had been confined in the local hospital for several weeks following a serious operation from which she is rapidly recovering.

Mrs. M. Leiren, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Leiren here, returned to her home at Gatzke on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. John Moberg, who was also a guest at the Leiren home.

Miss Christine Clausen, who has been visiting with relatives and friends in Denmark since early last spring, returned to this city on Wednesday morning. Miss Clausen operates a dry-cleaning establishment here.

Misses Ida Tandberg and Effie Christianson were among the members of the local chapter of the Eastern Star who attended the school of instruction at Crookston Tuesday evening. They returned Wednesday via Erskine.

Martin Troland came down from Fairdale, N. D., Saturday evening, and visited overnight at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. Stene, leaving the following morning by car, for his home at Gatzke, where he will remain this winter.

Mrs. F. B. Brooks, accompanied by Mrs. W. Morrissette and baby daughter, all of Plummer, were in the city on Saturday attending to shopping and also receiving dental treatment. They returned to their respective homes on the flier in the evening.

Misses Mabel, Bertha and Clara Froiland were guests of their sister, Miss Anna, who is a patient at the local hospital following an operation for appendicitis. They returned on Monday evening to their home at Plummer.

Mrs. Chas. Olson of Big River, Sask., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Karwand and with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Olson formerly resided in this city but five years ago removed to Canada where they have made their home.

G. C. Streeter and F. J. Stebbins left Monday morning on a hunting expedition. Upon arriving at Holt they encountered car trouble, but this was quickly adjusted. They found it necessary to return, however, on account of the rain and snow.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brandon returned to their home at Middle River the latter part of last week, having attended the funeral services of O. Brandon at Winger. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon.

Glenn Anderson left Friday evening for DesMoines, Ia., where he will spend a few days before leaving for Chapman, Kan., where he will join his wife and baby. It is his intention to remain in Kansas a couple of months when he will return to this city with his family.

Mrs. H. L. Sande, accompanied by her brother-in-law, O. R. Sande and son Robert, arrived here Tuesday evening from Gully where they were guests of relatives for a short time. While here they were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sether.

Several members of the Rebecca lodge went to St. Hilaire on Tuesday evening to attend an initiation. They included Mrs. Whiting, Mrs. J. L. Gasow, Mrs. J. Dablow, Mrs. R. Spencer, Florence Lian, Jessie Burnett, Myrtle Blair, Inga Thune, Rose Severson, Clara Gullingsrud, Ruth Sundstrom. They returned the same evening.

Miss Lorena Merault who had visited her sister who is a patient at Oakland Park Sanitorium, returned to her home at Crookston Saturday afternoon.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Bernard's Catholic church will present in the church basement the play, "Old Maids' Convention" on Friday evening, Nov. 19. n11

"The Old Maids' Convention." In basement of the Catholic church, Friday, Nov. 19, 8 p. m. 50c, including lunch. n11

A large delegation of members of Winslow Chapter 182, Eastern Star, left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to attend the school of instruction. Among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes, the latter holding the office of district chairman and who conducted the school.

Mrs. Chapin of Euclid, district president of the W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Alma Levins, district vice president, of Crookston, arrived Tuesday evening from Warren, where they had attended a meeting of that organization, to participate in the local meeting of the W. C. T. U. held in the Presbyterian church that evening. Mrs. Levins gave a very interesting account of her travels throughout the war devastated country and summarized the proceedings of the world convention which she attended in London.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Lindstrom, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. Simonson, all of Hoffman, this state, were guests at the Rolland homes in this city the latter part of last week. They left Saturday morning for Holt and Randeen where they will extend their visit. The former family once held a claim in the vicinity of Randeen. They state that just before leaving their home at Hoffman, that city and neighboring country encountered a severe snowstorm with six and seven inches of snow on the level. In some places the drifts were so deep that drivers found the roads almost impassable.

As Christmas is only a few weeks ahead, Borry's Studio is now open on Sundays. — N 11-16-23

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service, city, 11 a. m. Service at Bethlehem, 2:30 p. m. Service in city at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid entertained by Mrs. Dahl and Mrs. Parbst on Thursday, Nov. 18th. Zion Young Peoples' meeting Thursday evening, Nov. 18th. Mission fest at Bethlehem church Saturday Nov. 20, 11 a. m. Dinner served at 12 m. Auction after dinner. Zion congregation will have a three days' mission fest beginning Friday, Nov. 26th, 11 a. m., and lasting over Sunday. Professors and ministers from Minneapolis will be present.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 14: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services conducted by Rev. J. Fjellstedt at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mid-week service Thursday at St. Hilaire. Evangelical services will be conducted Nov. 15 to 21. Rev. O. B. Olson of Crookston and Mr. E. B. Swanson of Minneapolis will assist the pastor in these meetings. The meetings will be at 7:30 every evening. On Wednesday, the 17th, there will also be services at Thyren's at 2 p. m. At J. Norman's Thursday, the 18th, the Ladies' Aid will meet. All cordially invited to the gospel meetings.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. English services 11 a. m.; Norwegian services 7:45 p. m. Ladies' Aid this afternoon in the church basement. Young People's Society this evening. Rev. C. M. Grimerud of St. Hilaire will speak on "Inspiration of the Bible." Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m. in the church basement.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Nov. 14. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Everybody expected to be on time. Families with young people or new comers with children are invited to place them in our school. 11 a. m., morning worship. New views of the Christ. "Priority." 8 p. m. evening worship. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained on Friday Nov. 12 in the afternoon by Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. Albert Johnson at 121 Duluth avenue N.

Christian Science—Services at the city Auditorium on second floor, Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Mortals and Immortals." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Nov. 14. English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. German services in the Norwegian church at Goodridge at 3 p. m. Nov. 21. Thanksgiving services at Esplee at 10 a. m. and at Grygla at 3 p. m. Special collection.

Scandinavians Take Notice.

Come and hear the subject: "The Prophet Jonah's Three-Day Journey to Nineveh by Submarine," at the Chautauqua hall west of Botteison's drug store on Sunday evening, Nov. 14, at 7:45. Come early to secure a seat. Stereopticon pictures.

IDA HAGEN PITMAN A NORTHWEST GIRL

Famous Soprano With Bel Canto Quintette Almost a Home Product.

Although her work has kept her in the East for the past few years, Ida Hagen Pitman, who is being featured in the Bel Canto Quintette, which will play tomorrow night at the auditorium, is really a product of the Northwest.

She was born in a small town in North Dakota and received her early training in Minnesota and Dakota institutions, but at a very early age her voice was discovered and, after overcoming many obstacles in her path, it finally became the recognition she so well deserved. Her instruction and training have been from the best artists and this last summer was spent in the Adirondack mountains with a small class of Oscar Seagle's most promising pupils.

Miss Pitman is an artist in the true sense of the word. Her singing is as natural as the cooing of a babe, and unlike most musicians her work does not tire her. In fact, after a strenuous week of filling as many as ten engagements, her last song is even more spontaneous and impulsive than her first.

She is singing to unusually large audiences this season and it is anticipated that the auditorium will be filled to capacity tomorrow night.

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IDA HAGEN PITMAN
Soprano with Bel Canto Troupe appearing under American Legion auspices at the Auditorium, Friday evening, Nov. 12.

Hospital Notes.

The following have entered the local hospital for treatment since Thursday of last week: Neil Paulson, city; Mildred Bidler, city; Reita Fiterman, city; Stella Larmo, Middle River; Mrs. O. G. Tharaldson, Germantown; Margaret Biedermann, city; Frances Sefkow, Greenbush; Alice Halvorson, Plummer; Mrs. Mary Mychailynka, Radisson, Can.; Mrs. Ed. Klinaschesky, city; Russell and William Lincoln, Plummer; Oscar Odie, Golden Valley; Perry Froseth, city; Emil Blomberg, Rosewood.

Courtesy of the Road.
(St. Paul Dispatch.)

Moonshine drinkers are requested to throw their empty bottles off the road, so as not to make trouble for the next party of the same kind.

"HAVE GOOD JOBS" WRITE SISTERS

A diploma from Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., is a pass-key to a good job anywhere. A recent letter from Misses Amy and Frances Osterman, McMinnville, Oreg., tells of their fine places there, the former with the First National Bank, the latter in the County Clerk's office. Both are graduates of Dakota Business College.

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This fact also explains why sufferers from indigestion, also suffer more or less from headaches, biliousness and constipation.

If you are one of the many unfortunate persons who cannot eat without suffering afterward, if you are constipated, have bilious spells, headaches, coated tongue, bad breath, variable appetite, are nervous, losing energy and feel your health slipping away, take this advice and get a box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) right today and start taking it.

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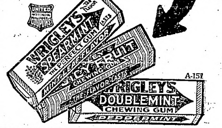
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SOMETHING GAINED.

In one way the result of the recent election was a repudiation of the principles and candidates of the Nonpartisan league in Minnesota, but looked at from a different viewpoint something may have been achieved by the organization even in defeat.

There can be no question but that the program for improved marketing conditions and the advocating of some plan by which the farmer will be better enabled to keep track of the trading situation helped in rolling up the unusual majority for Mr. Preus, the Republican candidate. He spoke all over the state and promised that if elected he would use his utmost endeavors to see that the conditions which now make farming a gamble, with the farmer holding the losing hand all the time, would be remedied, so far as it lay within his power to bring such remedies about. He promised a more or less definite program of action in the event of his success at the polls and was evidently taken at his word.

In this manner one of the main issues raised by the Nonpartisans was adopted as a plank in the platform of the Republican nominee. To this extent his election may be said to have been a victory for Nonpartisan principle. It embraces the one big problem now confronting the farmer and, with a promise that this would be taken care of, he drifted more or less generally back to the party with which he was affiliated before the Nonpartisan movement appeared as a factor in the politics of the state.

It is very much to be doubted that the farmers have gone back entirely on their league. Even though failing to elect their candidates for office, they see certain of the principles for which they have contended made use of by the successful parties and are thus justified in believing that they have not battled in vain. As is the case with almost any movement of a political nature in this country, the good points of the Nonpartisan league will in time be adopted and put into practice by the people most vigorously opposing the new party at the outset. It was so with the Populists and will be repeated in the case of any organization securing a sufficient foothold with the electorate to make itself felt.

Certain newspapers espousing the Nonpartisan cause are demanding a change at the head of the organization. The editors claim that the cry of "Socialism" directed against the leaders had the effect of turning away many farmers who would otherwise have been among its supporters. This assertion is well substantiated and is causing a demand that the organization be purged of this extreme element.

The marked drift toward co-operation in marketing on the part of the farmers, together with the support of such policy by state officials and others, will probably have the effect of further removing the cause for complaint now voiced by producers everywhere. Should such prove to be the case, the credit must in a large measure be given to the league. Had it not been that the organization made a political issue of the questions it is more than likely that no satisfactory solution would have been suggested by anyone.

Whether the league continues as a political factor in Minnesota or not, it can hardly be said that its advent has been devoid of results.

WE OWE THEM MUCH.

"Ten Thousand Minnesota School Teachers Attend the Annual Convention of the M. E. A."

An inspiring headline, that; one that should leave the citizens of our state with much food for thought—or putting it in the vernacular, one that should make them sit up and take notice.

Ten thousand teachers who are so devoted to their life of service that they very willingly underwent the discomforts of traveling to St. Paul and paid the expense out of their own flat purses in order that they might benefit by the experiences of others as told at the convention and thus be enabled to return to their respective schools better fitted to continue their service to your children and mine.

The way of the school teacher, be it in rural or city schools, has not been an easy one. The profession has appealed to a great many young men and women who have searched for a respectable life of service to humanity; but until recently their remuneration has been chiefly that respect to which they are so entitled. Their salaries are being raised at present to that which allows them to live and dress in the manner in which we all expect to see them live and dress. Many a young lady has stepped from a home of luxury and refinement with the desire to make her own way in life and has been forced to live in a cramped little room and to take her meals at boarding houses not of the best, simply that she might during the day conduct a room full of unruly boys and girls—yours and mine, again—to a better understanding of life and what it can mean. Her patience has been sorely tried during the day but she has emerged from her schoolroom with a smile on her face.

Hers has been a life of denial—denial of the things that women hold most dear—social activities. She has left her schoolroom on Friday night determined to seek such pleasures as might be offered and to subordinate her chosen profession to the more frivolous things, only to return to the same schoolroom on Monday morning with a smile on her face and *in her heart a greater determination* to hold her discipline and dignity as her duties as an instructor present themselves. She has at all times conducted herself in a manner which should be the best of examples for those in her charge.

And now she, with nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine others, has attended the fifty-seventh annual convention of the state educational body to the end that her service to the community by which she is employed may become greater. The nation is alive, as never before, to the fact that the salvation of the union and the cause of humanity rests upon an "educational citizenship," and the school teacher is keenly alive to the situation and willing to do her share—and more.

THE LYCEUM COURSE.

It was left to the Woman's club, and as usual that organization did a good job of it. Previous experiences with lyceum courses have not been such as to furnish a great deal of encouragement for those who believe that our people should have an opportunity of enjoying these excellent attractions, but the club went ahead and arranged for the appearance here of the best to be found, trusting to luck and hard work to carry the program through without incurring actual loss. A good guess was made this time, the sale of season tickets indicating that there will be no trouble from a financial standpoint.

The first number of the lyceum course will be presented at the auditorium next Thursday evening. The opening attraction is the Redpath orchestra, one of the most famous organizations of its kind in the country. The reception given these artists will be an indication of what the other features of the course may expect.

The entertainment will be worth more than the cost of an entire season ticket and there should not be an empty seat in the house. Not only are these artists entitled to such patronage on their own merits, but a large attendance would be an indication of approval of the course taken by the Woman's club in thus providing for our people something just a little different and a little better than the general run of entertainments.

You will feel kind of mean about it the next day if you fail to be among those present.

A SENSIBLE PROCEEDING.

Minnesota is going to try a new stunt in an effort to secure newcomers to settle on the vacant acres of the state. The plan proposed seems so simple that the wonder is it has not been thought of before.

The time to interest the immigrant is when he first lands and the immigration department proposes to have a representative on the ground to see that Minnesota's advantages are properly set forth. The idea is to station an agent at Ellis Island, the principal port of entry, to meet new *arrivals and seek to direct the more* desirable to this state.

Unless something is done to raise a ban against immigration there is certain to be a great influx during the coming year. It is predicted that prewar records will be broken, considerable apprehension is felt as to the best means of taking up this

Unless some policy is followed that will turn the flood away from the cities and toward the farms conditions will be made worse than they are at present instead of better.

It is probable that the more desirable of these arrivals would gladly take to the land if proper inducements were held out to them or someone in authority were on hand to explain the advantages of keeping out of the large cities.

While many who arrive here from the countries of northern Europe know just where they intend finally settling, there must be some with whom the bare fact that they will land in the United States has been a sufficient inducement to warrant their embarking. These will take the first chance of employment offered and thus help to further congest our overpopulated cities unless it can be proven to them that such course is against their own interests. This will be the task of the state's resident agent.

No matter how the experiment turns out, it is the most sensible yet proposed. The proper kind of a campaign along this line should bring results.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

The election is over. Now let us all FORGET IT.

If President-elect Harding wants a real secretary of war we would suggest that he appoint Jigg's wife, Maggie.

Christmas toys are coming down this year. The break generally comes when the neighbor's kids get a crack at them.

Everybody likes a game fighter and even Republicans will admit that Cox put up a real scrap.

The Dulth Herald shows the true American spirit when it says: "Harding was not our candidate, but he is our President."

The paper shortage could be relieved if the candy companies would put only a quarter of a pound in a box instead of a pound as at present.

Judging by the length of time it took the average citizen to vote Tuesday, straight ballots were almost as scarce as straight whiskey.

All men are said to be liars, but we take off our hats to the lads who said that the women wouldn't take any interest in politics.

A lot of candidates who went into office without much opposition two years ago went out of office Tuesday with practically none.

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1 24-in. second-hand Hero Fanning Mill with 20 sives, in good condition at	$25.00
1 Hall steel tub 6 bu. Litter Carrier complete with 100 ft. solid steel track, turn buckels and anchor rods, regular price $50.00 at	$35.00
1 Boyd Hay Carrier, complete with track and ftgs. A give away at	$6.00
1 Used Louden Hay Carrier	$5.00
1 New Louden Jr. Hay Carrier	$4.00
6 Used Cream Separators, all in running order. Standard makes and three of them rebuilt and good as new at from	$5.00 to $45.00
26 in. Old Hickory Wagon Boxes	$32.00
36 in. Old Hickory Wagon Boxes	$42.50
Wagon Spring Seats	$6.75
1 second-hand Bob Sleigh, good as new	$35.00
Saw Arbors, or Mandrel Sets, complete with balance wheel at	$17.50
Circle Saws, 22 in. to 30 in.	$5.75 to $12.00
1 New Age Tractor, in good running order, complete with new magneto. A 10-20 horse power and will make a splendid engine for belt power if nothing more to grind feed, saw wood, etc. And in order to turn it at this time we offer same at	$75.00
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1 used 78 tooth three section Boss Harrow at	$14.00
5 $15.00 double-geared Pump Jacks at each	$9.90
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Cookies
½ cup shortening
2 cups sugar
½ cup milk
2 eggs
¼ teaspoon grated nutmeg
1 teaspoon vanilla extract or grated rind of 1 lemon
4 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

Cream shortening and sugar together; add milk to beaten eggs and beat again; add slowly to creamed shortening and sugar; add nutmeg and flavoring; add 2 cups flour sifted with baking powder; add enough more flour to make stiff dough. Roll out very thin on floured board; cut with cookie cutter, sprinkle with sugar, or put a raisin or a piece of English walnut in the center of each. Bake about 12 minutes in hot oven.

Cocoa Drop Cakes
4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
1 egg
¾ cup milk
1¾ cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
¼ cup cocoa
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream shortening; add sugar and well-beaten egg; beat well and add milk slowly; sift flour, baking powder, salt and cocoa into mixture; stir until smooth, add vanilla. Put one tablespoon of batter into each greased muffin tin and bake in moderate oven about 20 minutes. Cover with boiled icing.

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Society

Surprise Party.

Mrs. Ralph Longnir, 416 Riverside [illegible]ue, was pleasantly surprised last [illegible]day evening by a company of her [illegible]ds dropping in to spend the evening, the occasion being her birthday [illegible]ersary. The hours were spent [illegible] social manner and at midnight [illegible]licious lunch was served. The [illegible]ed guest was presented with [illegible] pretty and useful gifts. The [illegible] were Mrs. F. L. Comstock, [illegible] John Jaranson, Mrs. L. DuCamp, [illegible] Chas. Carpenter, Mrs. G. T. [illegible]der, Mrs. J. Burrell, Mrs. Emil [illegible] Miss Eva Rockstad and Mrs. G. [illegible] Brown, the latter of Chisholm.

Musical Section Meets.

[illegible] musical section of the Woman's [illegible] met at the home of Mrs. Gay [illegible]rson on Tuesday evening. The [illegible]ance was good and an excellent [illegible]am was given. Refreshments [illegible] served by Mrs. Halvorson. The [illegible]ing numbers made up the program for the evening:

[illegible]n selection, Mrs. A. Holmberg; "Gipsy Song" Mrs. M. W. Brink, [illegible] Holmes and Miss Hoorn, Miss [illegible] Mortenson, accompanist; piano (a) "To a Spring," (b) "The [illegible]fly," Greig, Mrs. O. F. Mellby; [illegible] solo, (a) "That Sweet Little [illegible]an of M'ne," (b) "A Little Bit [illegible]ney," Miss Grace Iverson.

Union Labor Social.

The regular meeting next Monday evening of the Thief River Falls Central Labor Union will be turned into a social gathering, in which all members of organized labor and their wives, sisters and sweethearts are expected to take part. The gathering will take place in I. O. O. F. hall, the regular meeting place of the central union. A lap lunch will be served providing the women folks don't forget to bring sandwiches and other suitable provisions. The committee in charge of arrangements promises a line of entertainment that will interest both old and young.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. held an interesting program at the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening when Mrs. Alma Levins of Crookston, district [illegible]ice president, gave a very entertaining talk concerning her trip to London to attend the world convention of [illegible] C. T. U. She also told many [illegible]resting things regarding the war devastated country, through which she traveled while abroad. Those who did [illegible]t avail themselves of the opportun[illegible]y of hearing her missed something [illegible]lly worth while. A violin selection by Mrs. A. Holmberg, accompanied by Miss Ruth Mathews, was also [illegible]ch enjoyed.

[illegible] meeting of the local union [illegible]eld at the home of Mrs. J. O. [illegible] Tuesday afternoon, Nov. [illegible]rybody is welcome to attend these meetings.

Parcel Shower.

Honoring Miss Ruth Evenson, a bride of this week, Mrs. L. A. Bermanson and Mrs. F. E. Hunt entertained at a parcel shower at the home [illegible] the former on Saturday evening. [illegible]venson was the recipient of [illegible]autiful gifts. The guest list [illegible] Mesdames H. Froveth, H. S. [illegible] M. V. Evenson, Thyra Sy[illegible]ana Dock and the Misses Mable [illegible] Belle Hermanson, Lena Even[illegible] Edna Evenson and Tillie Sun-

Honor of Miss Clausen.

Miss Selma Rustebakke entertained a few of her friends at her home on [illegible]ted Lake boulevard on Sunday evening at a five o'clock dinner. The affair was in honor of Miss Christine Clausen, who recently returned from an extended visit abroad. Those having the pleasure of the event were: Misses Lena Evenson, Ruth Sandstrom, Pearl Olson, Jonetta Leo, Thora Hanson, Clara Gullingsrud, Lena Gullingsrud, Mable Husted, Laura Feragen and Christine Clausen.

Delightful Party.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery entertained a number of girls at her apartments in the Dobner-Meehan block on Monday evening. This was the fourth of a series of parties given this fall. The guests were Misses Lenore Beltz, Marie Nelson, Anna Brekke, Christine Giefer, Ida Radke, [illegible]sther Gjertson, Effie Christianson, [illegible] Jonas, Florence Lane, Alvina [illegible] and Mrs. Helseth.

Christmas cards at Laird's. n11

Party invitations, neat and dainty, at Laird's. n11

Sampson-Evenson.

An attractive wedding occurred yesterday afternoon at five o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson, when their daughter, Ruth Susanna was united in marriage to Benjamin O. Sampson of Crookston.

The marriage service was read by Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church, in the presence of only immediate relatives.

The bridal couple who were unattended, took their places under a pleasing archway of chrysanthemums and ferns. The bride's gown was a lovely model of brocaded crepe de meteor. A tulle veil, caught about the coiffure in cap effect with orange blossoms, completed her costume. The bridal bouquet was a shower arrangement of pink and white roses.

Immediately after the service a four-course wedding dinner was served.

Throughout the house large baskets and tall vases of roses were used.

The only out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. H. Sampson, of Elbow Lake, mother and father of the groom.

After a short honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Sampson will be at home at Crookston where the groom is owner and proprietor of a bakery. The bride is a popular young lady, having received her education in the local schools, later taking up millinery. For the past year she has been employed at Krueger's millinery store at Crookston and during her stay in that city has made a wide circle of friends. The best wishes of a host of friends here accompany Mr. and Mrs. Sampson to their new home.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will hold its next regular meeting on Monday, Oct. 15, at the Commercial club rooms. A short musical program has been arranged and a feature of the evening will be an interesting talk by some local man prominent in civic affairs. The B's will entertain and have made preparation for a good time for all who attend.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Dokken entertained a number of their friends at a one o'clock dinner at their home on Sunday. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Nels Ostvolden and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Buoen and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Gullingsrud and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Isaacson and family.

For Mrs. Kretzschmar.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter pleasantly entertained some sixteen ladies at her home Wednesday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Padden of Crookston and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar of Thief River Falls. The afternoon was spent sewing. Refreshments were served at five o'clock.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Horse Shoe Social.

At District No. 54, the Ed. Aubol school, Friday evening, Nov. 19th. The ladies are requested to bring baskets with lunch for two and a horseshoe, which will be auctioned. All are invited. Good time. N11-p

Theatre Party.

Mrs. E. M. Stenton will be hostess to a company of her friends at a theatre party this evening. After witnessing the splendid production, "Humoresque," they will be taken to the Brumund hotel where a delicious luncheon will be served.

Lee-Johnson.

Theodore Lee and Miss Laura Johnson, both of this city, were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson, St. Paul avenue, last evening. Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church, performed the ceremony. There were no attendants. The newlyweds will make this city their home.

Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained next Wednesday, Nov. 17, in the basement of the church by Mrs. L. Munther, Mrs. Geo. Riddick and Mrs. S. M. Poston.

In Honor of Miss Evenson.

A few of the most intimate friends of Miss Ruth Evenson were entertained by Mrs. J. E. Blomquist and Mrs. Harold Provencher at the former's home Monday evening. Games, music and sewing made up the evening's entertainment. A delightful lunch was served before the guests departed.

Mrs. Herrick Entertains.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick pleasantly entertained a number of ladies at her home yesterday afternoon. The hours were devoted to needlework. At five o'clock a delicious luncheon was served. The ladies present were Mrs. A. S. Supero, Mrs. H. A. Bouren, Mrs. T. A. Rowan, Mrs. Wm. BonDurant, Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. Chas. Vance, Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. Fred Niclai and Mrs. L. F. Fisher.

Morris Burton Aandal.

Morris Burton Aandal, seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Aandal residing in Grand Plain Township, Marshall county, died Nov. 3rd in this city from an abscess on the brain. The child was ill only 18 days when death ensued. Interment will take place in the German Lutheran cemetery at Germantown on Nov. 5th.

School of Dressmaking

Now started by Mrs. Capt. Hovland. Students can begin any time and are to bring their own sewing. Tuition $15.00 per month. Can also furnish any of these students rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 3132. N11p

Eastern Star Members Hold District Meet'ng

Winslow Chapter No. 182 of the Eastern Star was well represented at the district meeting at Crookston on Tuesday evening. This meeting of the four chapters of District No. 2 was a very pleasing success. The Crookston chapter turned out in a body, Ada chapter sent 16 representatives, East Grand Forks 18 and Thief River Falls 17. Dinner was served to the visiting members at the Hotel Crookston, after which the evening was spent in a school of instruction. Mrs. F. F. Haynes, deputy grand matron of the district, appeared on the program, as did Mrs. L. F. Fisher.

The visitors from Thief River Falls were: Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mrs. T. A. Way, Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mrs. W. J. Brown, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Miss Ida Tandberg, Miss Effie Hamry, Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Mrs. L. Munther, Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn and Miss Anna Quale.

WOMEN WILL HEAR HISTORY OF FIGHT

Long Struggle For Suffrage to Be Recounted at Club Meeting Next Monday.

The Woman's club will hold its regular meeting at the Commercial club rooms next Monday at 3:30 p. m. Mrs. A. N. Heggan will be leader of the current event section and Mrs. Briggs will conduct the study period at which time Lesson No. 2 under the head "Voting" will be taken up.

Lesson II.

"Loyalty in the family begets loyalty to the community, which in turn imparts loyalty to the state. The nation bestows citizenship and demands loyalty of its citizens."

1. Form of Government.

a. What great document outlines the government of the union?

b. Give the history of its adoption.

c. Give the history of the amendments.

d. What is the procedure for adopting an amendment to the Constitution?

e. What is the Nineteenth amendment?

f. Give an account of the one hundred seventy-three year struggle for its adoption.

In connection with questions e and f, some remarkable facts regarding the struggle for woman's suffrage will be brought out.

"My Life in a Mormon Harem" Lecture Subject

Mrs. Marion Williams of Utah, lecturing under the auspices of the National Reform association of Pittsburg, Pa., will speak at the city auditorium Nov. 16 and 17 at 8 p. m. Subject for Tuesday evening, "My Life in a Mormon Harem," the most thrilling story of life in Mormonism ever told on the American platform.

MRS. MARTHA WILLIAMS

Her subject for Wednesday evening will be, "A National Grievance," something every man and woman should know.

The association is calling upon the Christian people of the churches to help put through congress an amendment to the constitution of the United States which will forever prohibit polygamy or polygamous living in the United States. Both of Mrs. Williams' meetings are to help this cause.

Birthday cards, friendship cards, convalescent cards, at Laird's. n11

Obituary

Peter Jorde.

Peter Jorde, who had been engaged in farming in the township of North died in this city on Nov. 7, from carditis, contributary to acute rheumatism, from which he had suffered for some time. His body was shipped to his former home at Middle Grove, N. D., where funeral services will be held on Nov. 11.

Mrs. Alma Peterson.

On November 4th occurred the death of Mrs. Alma Peterson, wife of Edwin B. Peterson, at the Oakland Park Sanatorium from pulmonary tuberculosis from which she had been a victim for six months. Two months ago she came down from her home at Middle River to enter the Sanatarium. The deceased was twenty-four years of age at the time of her death. Her husband and others who survive have the sympathy of the entire community. Burial will take place at Middle River.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to extend our sincere thanks to relatives and friends who assisted and sympathized with us during our recent sorrow. Especially do we wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Rambeck.—Mr. and Mrs. John Raandahl. n11p

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all those who assisted me with their vote and support at the general election.—Peter C. Wold. n11

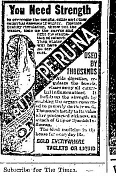

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JUNIOR CLUBS PRIZE WINNERS AT STOCK SHOW

Boys' and Girls' Clubs of Pennington County Enter Lists Against Neighbors.

Carload of Lambs, Dairy Calves and Poultry Makes Up This First Shipment.

Eleven Counties Represented in First Event of Its Kind in State's History.

A carload of livestock was shipped from Thief River Falls to Crookston this morning to be placed upon exhibition at the first junior live-stock show which is to be held in the new pavilion on Friday and Saturday. Exhibits by boys and girls, members of the various juvenile clubs of Kittson, Marshall, Red Lake, Pennington, Polk, Clay, Norman, Mahnomen, Wadena, Becker, Hubbard and Clearwater counties, will be shown. No senior exhibitors are allowed. Juniors—boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 18 years—must make the showings.

Pennington Well Represented.

The carload of livestock shipped from Thief River Falls this morning was made up of spring lambs, dairy calves and five pens of poultry. Grygla has entered three calves and three lambs for Marshall county and these are being shipped to Crookston with the Pennington county exhibits. Goodridge and Thief River Falls unite in making the showing for Pennington county, which is sending five dairy calves, three spring lambs and five pens of poultry, the two former named groups being the ribbon and prize winners of the junior lamb and calf shows which were held in this city last Saturday. Pennington county is expected to make an exceptionally good showing among the prize winning class.

Each county represented at the show is allowed to make the same number of entries in any one class, the expenses of exhibitors and transportation of exhibits to be paid by Red River Valley Livestock association. The animals which take high honors at the Crookston show will be sent to compete in the state show held at South St. Paul on November 17-19.

First Show of Kind.

This is the first live stock show of its kind ever held in Minnesota with a goodly portion of the state represented, with the exception of the state junior livestock show. If the plan meets with success this year it is planned to make it an annual event.

The show will be held under the auspices of the Red River Valley Livestock association, in co-operation with county agents, the Red River Valley Dairymen's association, the Northwest School of Agriculture and the boys' and girls' club department extension division.

THE AMERICAN SYSTEM VINDICATED.

(Minneapolis Journal.)

Despite the fact that this was one of the most momentous campaigns in American history, the voting went on as quietly as a church supper. The new elements and uncertain factors in the situation, such as the women's vote and the labor vote, marshalled into line with a quiet purpose but no uncertain decision.

There has been less of the spectacular in this campaign than in many former ones. There has been little band playing or shouting or waving of flags. But the result is just as sure and the intent just as clear.

It is surely an impressive sight to see the citizens of a nation of one *hundred million people and more* going quietly to the polls and delivering their judgment on profound issues in all good faith and with clear purpose. It augurs well for the future of representative government when such great issues can thus be settled. It is clearly demonstrated that there is no excuse in this Country for appeals to violence to attain political ends.

Now that the mighty referendum has been taken, the Country will as quietly adjust itself to the will of the majority. While this election in a sense marks the end of an era and the beginning of a new one, mighty issues still pend for decision. Questions of taxation, railroads, housing, new alignments of representation and problems of reconstruction, comprise a group of issues such as few administrations on coming into office have faced.

They will tax the wisdom of the most astute lawmakers and administrators and they demand the full co-operation of the people in their settlement. As Americans have proved that they value the ballot and appreciate its profound significance as a means of progress, so now they will prove patient and sincere as they face together the problems ahead.

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Being Treated Here.

Roseau Times: Rev. and Mrs. Wm. H. Kampschmidt returned home last Saturday from Thief River Falls where Rev. Kampschmidt had been taking treatments for a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. The reverend is far from being a well man yet, but with rest is slowly improving. His many Roseau friends sincerely hope to see him soon fully recovered in health. He expects to go down to Thief River Falls in a few days to complete the treatment.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.53
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.53
Oats	.35
Flax	1.99
Barley	.64
Rye	1.32
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	6.00
Bran	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Corn and oat feed, 50 lb. bags	2.25
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Oil Meal, per cwt.	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.10
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring Chickens	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.50
Dairy Butter	.35
Creamery Butter	.50
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse Hides	4.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.14-.15
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.16
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05-.06
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Chance and Mischance.

It was in the latter part of October when Martin Borden and George Moreley were left alone to guard their father's lumber camp from invaders and to prevent fire. The proprietors had been called away for a few days and as the logging season had not yet begun, they had left their sons in charge of the buildings.

As the eventful eve of Hallowe'en drew near, the two boys lamented the fact that they could not this year indulge in any of their annual pranks. Their responsibility of caring for the camp made it impossible for them to leave their posts for even a short time. They decided however, not to permit this disappointment to dampen their enjoyment of the day.

Hallowe'en evening found George and Martin, after having made their last tour of inspection about the camp, comfortably placed by the kitchen stove with reading table and apples and nuts near at hand. There they lived over some of their former Hallowe'en gaieties, telling of their experiences and greatly enjoying the novelty and solitude of their situation.

In the midst of these pleasant memories, Martin raised a warning hand. Yes, a door had been slammed ever so slightly, and certainly must have been done by some visitor.

"It is probably only a tramp, looking for a place to spend the night, but I suppose we should investigate," said Martin.

"Maybe; but you have forgotten, Martin, that it is Hallowe'en. Perhaps that is some of our friends come to remind us of that. Anyway, we had better first make sure who is there."

So, determined to discover whether their visitors were friends or idle wanderers, they quietly made their way toward the building from which the sound had come. They found the door closed but heard low voices from within which they immediately recognized as belonging to a group of boy friends from the village four miles away.

"Keep quiet there," one of them was saying. "We'll just stay here until those fellows turn in. When the light goes out in the house there will be time enough to let those boys know we are here. Do you remember that time when Mart—?"

Here Martin was inclined to chuckle but George restrained him by pulling him aside.

"Say Mart, you can depend upon it that those fellows are up to something this time. I have an idea of upsetting their plans and turning the tables."

Here followed a short whispered conversation after which the two boys with beaming faces and happy hearts returned to the door of the shed. George deftly but quietly fitted the padlock on the latch and turned the key. They sprinted cautiously over the soft earth and were soon in the house. After collecting a few mysterious appearing articles they returned to the shed taking care that they kept outside of the range of the little square window in the shed. They arranged these articles to their satisfaction and Martin ran to the house and blew out the light.

When he returned he found George stationed near the door of the shed, convulsed with laughter. Martin joined him and listened appreciatively to the astounded words of the inmates of the shed.

"See here, what's the matter with this door? I can't get it open. Here Tom, you try it."

There was considerable scrambling and joking as they continued in their vain efforts to open the door.

"It's strange," said one, "the door was open when we came and there is no lock here so it could not have automatically locked itself."

"Oh well, it's plain to me that the Hallowe'en ghosts have been at work. How else can you account for it? Besides we are doomed to meet our fate here and remain until morning, as the light has been gone from the house for a long time and Mart and George have long been past hearing our weird screams," put in another humorously.

When the boys ceased their efforts to open the door, George crept up and unlocked the latch. Quiet reigned for some time when the boys began to tire of their tedious waiting and one of them exclaimed, "Here's for a last try at the door! All hands on deck, please!"

Immediately all jumped up, glad of a change no matter how hopeless the attempt appeared to be. When three had been counted, they all rushed simultaneously at the door and much to their amazement and chagrin, found themselves a considerable distance outside the door, huddled together on the ground.

As they looked about them, their astonishment increased for on all sides there was nothing but white, white, white!

"Indeed the Hallowe'en spirits have been busy here," cried one of them gaily, although somewhat taken back by the sudden changes in their situations.

At this point Martin and George could restrain themselves no longer, but burst unexpectedly through the white sheets which they had so cleverly and rapidly arranged around the trees and poles at the threshold of the door.

"Hello, boys," cried George blithely, "Mart and I will teach you how to molest the peace of two lonesome wayfarers in this manner! We did not expect you to come through the door with such force, though!"

"Come, boys, now that this suspense is over, let's tackle some of our Hallowe'en dainties in the house" called out Martin, leading the way to the darkened house.

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"DAREDEVIL JACK"
The picture with a million dollar punch.
Matinee: 2:30
SUNDAY and MONDAY
An Allan Dwan Production
"IN THE HEART OF A FOOL"
A Mighty Picture
Of Men and Women
THRILLS! LOVE!! We All Know SUSPENSE!!!
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William S. Hart
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"His Pinto Pony"
In
"SANDS"
A red-blooded romance of honor and love in the land of the Rio Grande.

City News

C. A. Swanson of Steiner attended to matters of business here on Friday.

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer was a shopper between trains on Saturday evening.

Misses Olga Gulrud and Gilma Ortvaldson were guests of friends in the cities over Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop made a brief visit with her son Morlan at Strathcona the first of the week.

Miss Clarice Finberg went to Middle River the first of the week to visit with relatives for a few days.

Miss Edna Anderson, who attends the local high school, passed the week end with her parents at St. Hilaire.

Miss Emma Moe of Grand Forks arrived here Friday evening for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sjoberg.

Miss Florence Lian returned Monday evening from Warren where she spent the week end visiting with her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes of Middle River were in the city the latter part of last week on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Reuben Sandberg of Grygla, spent the week end visiting at the home of her brother, Ferdie Brown in this city.

C. W. Hallen of the clerical force at the J. C. Penney store, was an over Sunday guest of relatives at Grand Forks.

Mrs. W. J. Brown was in attendance at the school of instruction by the Eastern Star in Crookston on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson of Grygla motored to this city on Tuesday to attend to shopping and also visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Froseth and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt visited with relatives of the latter at Red Lake Falls on Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Olson of Holt was in the city the latter part of last week attending to business matters and also visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes and Mrs. Thos. Way, attended the meeting of the Eastern Star at Crookston on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sauter, former residents of this city, left Monday for Saskatchewan, Can., where they will reside on a farm.

Mrs. E. Rausch and niece, Mae Rausch were passengers to Crookston on Friday. They will spend a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Theodore Bundy arrived the latter part of last week and will spend some time visiting at the John Bundy home in this city.

Miss Anna Quale was among the local members of the Eastern Star who attended the school of instruction at Crookston on Tuesday.

Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud and children of Grand Forks, formerly residing in this city, were guests of friends here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. A. Shogren returned to her home at Middle River yesterday morning, having come down the day previous to attend to shopping.

Miss Esther Meyer returned to her home at Steiner on Saturday after visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Percy Lamb, a few days.

Miss Petra Hoglund left this city on Saturday afternoon for Michigan City where she will spend an indefinite time visiting with relatives.

Julius Liden, accompanied by his sister, Miss Mathilda, of Steiner, motored here Friday attending to shopping and to visit with relatives.

Miss Theresa Havelson arrived here yesterday morning from Crookston to spend a few days visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. K. Strand.

Miss Myrtle Lee returned to her home at Fairdale, N. D., Wednesday morning, having spent a few days visiting her sister, Miss Jonetta Lee.

Mrs. L. G. Laren, worthy matron of the local chapter of the Eastern Star, attended the school of instruction at Crookston on Tuesday evening. She returned home on Wednesday morning.

Miss Mary Jevne returned to Strathcona yesterday after receiving medical treatment here.

Ben Swanson returned Saturday evening from Warren where he has been a patient at the hospital. Mr. Swanson is much improved in health.

Miss Amanda Hanson returned to her home at Middle River yesterday after spending a few days visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Risberg.

Mrs. D. Harms of Brainerd arrived here Friday morning leaving on the Great Northern the same day for Wannaska where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. O. J. Bottem of Roseau, was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bottem in this city. She returned to her home Monday morning.

Mrs. J. A. Thorstad arrived here Wednesday from her home at Lockhart and will spend an indefinite time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Yonke.

Mrs. H. L. Sande, accompanied by her nephew, Robert Stewart Sande, left for the former's home at Steiner where Robert will remain for an indefinite time.

Mrs. H. Hyatt and children, accompanied by Miss Hilda Benttin, were passengers to Crookston on Tuesday. They will spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

O. Erickson went to Randeen on Friday morning to look after his farming interests. His place is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leimers formerly of this city.

Miss Blanche Lind arrived here on Monday morning from St. Hilaire to spend a few days as the guest of her sister, Miss Eunice, who is probation nurse at the local hospital.

Misses Florence Petra, Emily Campbell, Olga and Linda Koglin, were guests at the Koglin home at Steiner over Sunday. The two latter attend high school in this city.

Miss Pauline Lian, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Gilma Lian, came down from Gatzke on Monday to receive medical treatment. They returned home yesterday morning.

Miss Lenora Beltz, operator at the local Wester Union exchange, returned the latter part of the week from a two week's vacation spent in visiting relatives at Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Majeres, accompanied by their daughter Miss Louise, attended the wedding of their niece and cousin, Miss Agnes Crompe at Crookston the first of the week.

Miss Anna Longren arrived here Friday evening from Adams, N. D., where she is engaged in teaching and spent the week as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Longren.

Miss Inga Johnson, who has been employed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Hovland in this city, left Monday morning for her home at Holt where she will remain for an indefinite time.

Mrs. O. Stenmoen and children of Rollette, N. D., arrived here Tuesday evening and was met at this point by relatives from Grygla where she will spend an indefinite period visiting.

Carl Swanson arrived here Friday morning from Motzart, Can., where he had been visiting a sister. He spent a couple of days in this city after which he returned to his home at Roseau.

Miss Harriet Anderson has resigned her position with the Tribune and left Friday afternoon for Breman, N. D., where she accepted a position as teacher in one of the rural schools near that place.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. L. F. Fisher and Mrs. Nels Christianson left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to attend the district meeting of the Eastern Star that evening. They returned the following morning.

John Borgen, Sr., and Mrs. Christina Frederickson, his daughter, left Thursday to visit Mr. Borgen's son, Albert Borgen and his daughter, Mrs. Oscar Erickson, who live eight miles from Badger. They expect to be gone two weeks.

No-Vary Delicious Steel-Cut Coffee

is now put up in the new "Damptite" container. One-pound and three-pound sizes.

The Medium-Priced "Quality" Coffee

Ask your grocer for "No-Vary Delicious" and refuse to accept something "just as good." We guarantee the quality of No-Vary Delicious.

Thief River Grocery Company
DISTRIBUTORS

This is the Munsingwear Store—you don't pay any more for Munsingwear than you do for ordinary underwear. Munsingwear washes better, fits better and feels better. You don't pay any more.

Stores at Hibbing, Chisholm and Thief River Falls, Minn.

"Where Style and Price Agree"

The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

Why buy inferior goods when you can shop at Sapero's and buy dependable merchandise at lower prices. Get the habit and shop here. Experienced sales force to assist you always.

Announce
The Fourth Week of Their
GREAT REDUCTION SALE

Bigger Bargains than ever now being offered

Mr. A. Sapero just returned from a trip east, and as a result of this trip many lots of Merchandise were bought at very much below market prices. Below you will find listed numerous Bargains that are awaiting—all first-class merchandise and not job lots or inferior quality.

Pretty Lace Collars 59c
Dainty Lace Collars and Vests SPECIAL 98c

Lovely Georgette CREPE WAISTS $4.76 and $5.95

Children's Munsing UNION SUITS Special $1.29

UNION SUITS Women's Fleeced Special $1.19

One lot of KNIT TOQUES Values to $1.60 Special 98c

Girls' Sateen BLOOMERS Good quality 59c 4 years to 10 years.

"IRELAND" GLOVES for skating $1.75 quality $1.48

Jack Tar and Bonnie Brig Middies $7.55

Pure wool knit Tams, Regular $3.00 value $1.95

Vanlopik-Flannel Middies $5.45

"Best Knit" Silk Lisle 69c Black, brown, taupe

"Best Knit" Silk Plated Hose $1.00

A Dress Sale

BEGINS SATURDAY that you cannot afford to miss.
Divided into 3 groups for quick selling.
GROUP 1— $10.00
10 Dresses in this lot to close out at $10.00 Taffetas and Serges
GROUP 2— $14.95
25 All-wool Serge Dresses all this season's styles. Values to $29.50.
GROUP 3— $19.75
In this group are Taffetas only and comprises every dress in the store. Values to $65.00. Now only $19.75

A Coat Sale

of UNUSUAL IMPORTANCE
Divided into 2 groups.
One lot of 25 Coats that we are going to sacrifice. Values to $30.00. Choice at only
$10.00
GROUP 2—At $19.75
Values to $50.00
Must be closed out at
$19.75
Come—Other Coats at
$24.15, $29.50
$33.75, $39.50,
$47.50
and up.

A Real Suit Sale

EVERY FUR-TRIMMED SUIT
will go at one-third of regular price. What is more dressy than a pretty suit, especially so if you are planning a trip.
Other suits of Serge, Tricotine and Velour go at
20 Per Cent Discount

Beautiful Albrecht Furs
in every wanted Fur and style now going at
Special Prices

Brushed Wool SCARFS in all colors $7.50 values Special $5.95

New Shipment of GIRLS' COATS going at Special Prices $13.75, $15.95 $19.75 8 to 14 years.

P. N. CORSETS $3.00 value $1.95

Children's Flannel SLEEPERS Reg. $1.75 value $1.39

Women's Heavy Flannel NIGHTGOWNS $3.00 value $1.95

All wool fancy knit Heather Hose, reg. $3.00 values $1.95

Pure wool Slipover and Tie-back Sweaters, all shades $4.95, $5.95

A sample line of Heatherbloom and Sateen PETTICOATS, values to $4.50. Special $2.95 $2.39

Pure Silk Thread Hose $1.95
Silk and Fibre Hose $1.39
"Onyx" Hosiery in all $3.00 values $2.48

Lovely wool plaid SKIRTS in knife and box pleated effects. Special $9.75 and $11.95

Standard Percale APRONS The regular $3.00 kind. Special Purchase enables us to sell them at $1.48

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Official Returns, Pennington County. General Election, November 2.

PRECINCT	HARDING	COX, J. M.	DEBS	COX, W. W.	WATKINS	PREUS	HODGSON	SHIPSTEAD	SAMSON	COLLINS	McDONNELL	HUBBELL	SULLIVAN	JACOBSON	MACKENZIE	MALLON	FREIDMAN	HOLM	ANDERSON	BURMEISTER	COPLAND	HIRT	RINES	WAGNER
Bray	39	18	2	1	1	15	4	60	—	16	4	1	42	—	18	40	3	1	3	23	28	3	4	20
Cloverleaf	50	14	4	1	—	25	2	61	—	31	3	—	52	—	28	49	4	1	—	32	41	6	2	31
Deer Park	35	15	20	2	1	1	5	82	—	1	7	1	73	2	6	68	5	1	6	4	65	6	5	6
Black River	42	9	3	—	4	16	3	47	—	18	1	—	47	1	19	42	1	—	—	21	38	3	1	10
Goodridge	25	9	—	1	—	14	2	20	—	12	4	—	18	1	16	27	2	—	—	16	14	3	1	13
Highlanding	39	42	44	—	3	6	8	143	—	12	7	1	133	1	21	119	6	3	4	21	107	6	15	16
Hickory	65	3	4	—	3	6	—	77	—	7	1	2	78	—	10	74	—	—	—	10	75	—	1	8
Kratka	59	17	27	1	3	19	3	97	—	21	3	1	93	—	23	89	4	2	—	29	80	4	5	22
Mayfield	36	3	23	3	1	9	—	60	—	8	1	2	67	—	8	70	—	—	—	9	68	—	—	8
North	142	58	43	—	1	74	13	174	—	84	14	3	147	3	85	148	12	5	2	83	129	12	12	78
Norden	46	13	21	—	6	17	—	92	—	24	—	4	71	4	23	71	1	—	5	28	58	1	6	28
Numedal	38	10	5	2	2	6	—	56	1	8	1	—	52	—	9	49	1	—	—	10	46	—	—	9
Polk Center	22	12	6	2	4	8	1	42	—	11	2	—	38	—	11	38	2	—	—	10	38	—	—	9
Rocksbury	74	52	23	5	7	53	33	92	2	63	26	—	77	4	65	74	24	1	—	70	70	20	7	71
River Falls	72	7	11	1	2	19	3	85	—	23	7	—	72	1	26	71	5	1	—	25	63	4	3	22
Reiner	37	14	24	7	6	9	—	79	—	10	2	—	75	—	9	73	3	7	7	11	71	—	4	8
Sanders	66	30	9	5	4	21	3	111	—	23	2	1	91	3	28	105	1	1	1	92	86	3	4	20
Silverton	44	13	4	—	2	8	4	78	—	11	2	—	76	—	9	77	—	—	1	15	60	2	3	15
Smiley	83	21	29	1	6	25	6	132	1	22	4	3	128	2	23	131	3	1	—	31	111	4	1	24
Star	56	22	31	2	2	12	1	107	—	13	3	1	90	3	15	98	2	1	1	16	91	3	2	35
Wyandotte	68	15	10	—	2	17	1	83	—	25	2	1	72	—	28	67	2	1	2	34	63	1	1	26
St. Hilaire, village	83	27	18	3	2	74	13	60	—	70	13	4	40	3	64	32	5	5	4	82	33	10	6	81
Goodridge, village	67	20	3	2	—	52	6	41	—	68	5	1	120	2	61	122	11	1	2	67	17	2	4	61
First ward	382	95	64	3	11	250	65	107	—	275	46	6	184	2	190	335	37	1	2	285	108	45	14	277
Second ward	210	73	65	6	13	215	47	165	2	233	40	5	126	6	262	128	26	—	8	234	94	34	20	238
Third ward	174	63	28	2	2	150	48	93	1	153	45	1	77	1	131	83	30	3	5	153	58	39	12	151
Fourth ward	208	90	63	8	7	187	54	215	—	200	32	7	159	6	225	182	36	3	8	218	130	41	14	222
Total	2320	763	581	58	95	1310	325	2518	7	1446	298	45	2175	44	1050	2112	225	80	70	1569	1841	255	147	1507

PRECINCT	LUEDERS	PHELPS	HILTON	McCOAT	ROBINSON	MAY	SIEGEL	DIBELL	STEENERSON	JEFFERS	THORMODSON	HEMSTAD	SORTEDAHL	DAY	JENSEN	EKLUND	BAUKE	WOLD	HANSON	ODEGAARD
Bray	2	44	26	20	1	1	30	19	23	4	36	35	16	34	10	62	27	18	—	—
Cloverleaf	6	51	29	42	4	4	64	18	30	6	49	50	31	54	11	71	39	40	36	11
Deer Park	6	75	13	63	9	4	69	20	8	8	75	63	4	40	12	76	44	18	—	—
Black River	1	47	21	38	2	2	47	25	22	2	43	40	12	47	16	51	18	40	—	—
Goodridge	4	18	17	13	3	1	35	32	37	1	15	15	6	16	12	24	14	14	10	[illegible]
Highlanding	8	130	22	104	10	6	116	28	34	0	100	116	15	110	14	103	44	91	72	[illegible]
Hickory	—	76	20	60	1	2	63	12	15	2	68	60	4	57	14	73	66	18	—	—
Kratka	2	94	27	72	4	—	90	20	31	4	80	84	14	84	13	92	15	102	—	—
Mayfield	—	69	13	60	—	—	42	21	13	2	63	68	9	56	10	67	80	68	—	—
North	15	158	90	115	15	11	155	81	75	21	157	141	62	159	50	210	142	74	—	—
Norden	2	75	31	53	—	3	69	16	31	4	64	60	24	51	12	84	53	29	—	—
Numedal	1	51	10	43	1	—	45	9	8	2	53	37	8	44	6	47	23	23	—	—
Polk Center	2	40	9	30	2	—	41	7	10	3	55	34	7	59	4	34	19	23	—	—
Rocksbury	16	83	78	66	16	7	79	69	64	41	65	75	41	78	50	148	72	77	—	—
River Falls	2	74	28	61	8	5	64	21	20	6	70	57	10	62	14	84	52	28	—	—
Reiner	1	78	14	65	2	2	78	6	16	3	68	54	14	57	10	92	23	63	49	71
Sanders	2	90	40	71	8	8	88	26	35	6	84	63	27	77	13	119	54	84	—	—
Silverton	1	71	43	64	2	2	71	13	16	2	68	61	13	57	10	67	36	80	42	12
Smiley	4	130	20	106	5	6	122	25	32	3	120	118	17	123	12	81	25	129	—	—
Star	3	100	17	84	2	5	94	16	15	7	97	63	10	84	18	86	57	43	59	48
Wyandotte	2	70	34	60	3	3	71	20	24	3	74	85	7	73	13	79	23	62	—	—
St. Hilaire, village	10	47	84	23	9	9	58	61	68	38	58	41	51	63	45	125	86	17	—	—
Goodridge, village	2	25	65	12	5	3	33	45	88	3	24	18	51	20	52	69	145	42	23	[illegible]
First ward	28	122	285	92	49	21	175	234	262	62	143	150	105	172	174	376	377	61	—	—
Second ward	22	144	247	81	27	24	185	103	291	46	190	131	177	147	159	320	320	49	—	—
Third ward	37	90	154	52	38	13	95	123	153	56	76	74	90	88	85	206	233	25	—	—
Fourth ward	30	185	210	133	37	35	184	394	224	62	154	143	170	169	155	367	333	50	—	—
Total	209	2248	1635	1701	257	356	2257	3306	2561	403	2057	1953	1068	2033	991	3188	2262	1247	292	[illegible]

PROGRESS MADE IN CONVERTING PEAT TO FUEL

Figures Show Percentage Received By League Candidates Greatly Reduced.

Women Generally Believed to Have Been Principal Factor in Heavy Slump.

Preus Gets Almost as Many Votes in City Now as in County Last June.

Whether or not the women voters were responsible is perhaps a little hard to figure out, but the fact is evident that the Nonpartisan vote in the county at the recent election failed to hold the percentage shown in the primaries. The same is true of practically every county in the state and the circumstance is causing considerable speculation. Pennington county was carried by Dr. Shipstead and those on the ticket with him by substantial majorities, but these did not come up to the primary showing by a considerable distance.

At the primaries 1782 votes were cast for the Republican candidates. Of this number Dr. Shipstead received 1316, or 73 per cent. At the general election last week 3931 votes were cast for governor and of these the Nonpartisan candidate received 2518 or 64 per cent.

City Reversed Itself.

In the City of Thief River Falls the slump was most noticeable, Dr. Shipstead's total dropping from 834 in June to 640 in November, and this in spite of the fact that the vote was greatly increased by reason of the women entering the contest.

On the other hand the Preus vote in the county on Nov. 2 was 1413 as compared with 466 for all opponents of Dr. Shipstead at the primaries, better than a three-fold gain. In Thief River Falls his vote jumped from 279 in the primaries to 415 at the general election. There were nearly as many ballots cast for the successful candidate in Thief River Falls on Nov. 2 as were received by the combined opposition to Dr. Shipstead in the entire county in June.

The number of counties carried by the Nonpartisans also fell off from 63 to 19 during the summer. Kittson, Polk and Norman in the northwestern corner gave majorities for Preus. Carlton, Lake, and Isanti were the only ones carried by the league in the eastern division while in the south central and western sections, Douglas, Swift, Chippewa, Kandiyohi, Renville, Yellow Medicine, McLeod, Scott, Sibley and Brown stayed by the Shipstead banner.

Comparison for County.

Following is a comparison of the vote at the primaries and general election for the different precincts in Pennington county. The primary vote shows the number of ballots cast for all the Republican candidates in June and not alone those received by Mr. Preus:

	June 21 Others	June 21 Ship.	Nov. 2 Preus	Nov. 2 Ship.
Bray	2	32	15	50
Black River	9	29	16	47
Cloverleaf	8	31	15	61
Deer Park	2	42	1	82
Goodridge	7	12	14	20
Highlanding	4	66	6	143
Hickory	2	31	6	67
Kratka	6	55	19	97
Mayfield	7	39	9	69
North	29	91	44	174
Norden	5	61	17	92
Numedal	3	24	6	56
Polk Center	0	26	8	42
Rocksbury	0	71	53	92
River Falls	8	50	18	85
Reiner	2	42	9	79
Sanders	8	68	21	111
Silverton	7	45	8	78
Smiley	7	58	25	132
Star	5	57	12	107
Wyandotte	3	5	17	83
St. Hilaire	21	41	33	59
Goodridge	22	52	22	49
T. R. Falls				
1st ward	85	282	106	167
2nd ward	57	215	105	165
3rd ward	60	150	93	93
4th ward	77	187	111	215
Total	466	1316	1413	2518

Oscar Hanson of St. Hilaire was in the city on business yesterday.

Vote on Amendments

	No. 1 Yes	No. 1 No	No. 2 Yes	No. 2 No	No. 3 Yes	No. 3 No	No. 4 Yes	No. 4 No
Bray	21	36	14	33	31	16	34	6
Cloverleaf	36	49	47	29	62	22	68	10
Deer Park	35	62	18	45	20	36	50	14
Black River	23	38	36	17	40	10	48	8
Goodridge	24	9	15	8	13	6	17	4
Highlanding	33	96	70	56	82	34	103	21
Hickory	11	35	17	64	20	46	30	31
Kratka	28	83	60	48	61	40	62	35
Mayfield	8	67	9	41	19	44	48	21
North	150	81	129	74	135	81	191	21
Norden	24	62	81	38	42	20	60	13
Numedal	9	41	14	24	30	12	29	12
Polk Center	4	41	18	15	28	13	36	5
Rocksbury	87	77	73	64	78	42	116	18
River Falls	31	60	39	30	40	17	67	13
Reiner	13	68	14	50	21	38	43	24
Sanders	65	39	40	73	57	36	88	19
Silverton	10	68	37	27	19	—	55	6
Smiley	62	85	27	115	102	30	112	25
Star	15	88	25	62	52	50	40	42
Wyandotte	15	78	44	33	32	37	70	10
St. Hilaire village	113	27	100	24	76	31	98	18
Goodridge village	85	8	62	12	58	13	72	4
T. R. Falls 1st ward	346	63	283	72	250	79	273	30
2nd ward	303	65	264	61	227	61	314	17
3rd ward	236	37	182	40	151	47	253	19
4th ward	312	83	275	85	229	84	319	39
Total	2975	1579	1982	1250	1989	927	2657	601

"IT'S WONDERFUL" SAYS MRS. BAKER

St. Paul Woman and Grand-Daughter Restored to Health After Attack of "Flu."

"I have never seen anything more wonderful than what Tanlac has done for my little grand-daughter and myself," said Mrs. P. F. Baker of 1221 Randolph avenue, St. Paul, Minn., in a statement recently.

"I had such a severe attack of the influenza that I was confined to my bed for three weeks, and after I got up I was so weak that when I walked around the house a little I became so exhausted I would almost fall over. I had lost nineteen pounds and was a mere shadow of my former self. My nerves were so badly shattered the least unusual noise would nearly run me distracted, and my stomach was in such wretched condition that after eating I always felt stuffy and nauseated. I had awful cramps in my stomach and frightful pains around my heart and across my chest.

"So many of my friends had told me of the wonderful results they had gotten from Tanlac that I began taking it myself and I started to improve and gain in weight right away. I have taken six bottles now and have gotten back eighteen of the nineteen pounds I lost and I am in absolutely perfect health. Everything I eat agrees with me and I am never troubled afterwards in any way whatever. My nerves are just as steady as can be and I am sleeping soundly and can attend to my housework now.

"Shortly after I contracted the influenza my little seven-year-old grand daughter was taken down with it, and as she had always been frail it went so hard with her that at one time we gave up hope for her recovery. This attack of influenza left her in a very weakened condition; she wouldn't eat anything and I felt uneasy about her all the time. As I had been taking Tanlac and getting such fine results I knew it would do no harm to let her try it and to the surprise of us all it has proved even more remarkable in her case than in my own. Today after taking three bottles she is the very picture of perfect health and is as strong and happy as any child I ever saw in my life. We are deeply grateful to Tanlac and will never be without it in our home."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's drug store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—adv.

H. O. Berve Defeated For Re-Election in Marshall

Among those who fell by the wayside in last Tuesday's election was H. O. Berve of Germantown, representative from Marshall county in the last legislature. With one small precinct missing, Mr. Berve has 2838 votes while his opponent, Frank A. Green, has 3496. The vote on other candidates, except the one precinct referred to, was as follows:

President—Harding 4696; Cox 885; W. W. Cox, 68; Debs, 437, Watkins, 133.

Governor—Preus, 3090; Hodgson, 502; Shipstead, 3136.

Secretary of State—Holm, 3744, Anderson, 2317.

Congressman — Steenerson, 3789; Jeffers, 457; Thormodson, 2380.

County Division—Yes, 2048; No, 3471.

To the Voters of the Ninth Congressional District.

Permit me to extend to you my heartfelt thanks for the generous support given me at the election. Special credit for this overwhelming victory for the cause of good government is due to the women voters and the ex-service men, who both contributed greatly to the result.

Assuring you all of my high appreciation of the honor conferred and the privilege of again serving you in Congress, I remain

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CHANGE IN VOTE SINCE PRIMARY IN THIS COUNTY

Has Within Ten Per Cent as Much Heating Value as Powdered Soft Coal.

Crusher Recently Established at Minneapolis in Successful Operation.

Experiments Show Pulverized Product Will Insure Great Saving in Cost.

Anything pertaining to peat development or utilization is of great importance to people residing in northern Minnesota and particularly in Pennington and other Northwestern counties. Experiments now going on give promise of resulting in the development of practical machinery for the pulverizing of the material and thus converting it into a valuable fuel product.

Experts in St. Paul, including several associated with state institutions, believe Minnesota's worries over the fuel problem will be greatly lessened in the near future through the conversion of peat into fuel.

Peat, these engineers say, commonly is known as an accumulation of vegetable matter, which has been preserved from decay by constant immersion in water, but which is a substance represented by a stage between wood and lignite, a low grade of coal. The oxygen content of wood is 40 per cent; of peat, 30 per cent; of lignite, 20 per cent; bituminous or soft coal, 10 per cent, and anthracite or hard coal, 3 per cent.

Still more significant, the engineers point out, is the cost of this fuel. It probably will be available for industrial concerns burning bituminous coal for less than half the price of soft coal.

Minnesota Converts Peat.

Peat is now being mined and converted into fuel for the first time in Minnesota, and possibly for the first time in the United States. Vast areas of the state, which the geological survey estimates at 7,000,000 acres are blanketed with peat bogs, and contain a potential supply of more than 6,000,000 tons of dry peat, sufficient to last 1,000 years.

The development of the peat industry was prevented by two causes, both of which have been overcome. They were the inability to remove peat from the ground by capable machinery and the need of suitable equipment to prepare it economically in condensed form for fuel.

The first obstacle was done away with by the invention of a machine that digs the peat, macerates it and spreads it out on the ground in strips to dry. The second impediment was removed by construction by a local company of a crusher plant here to pulverize the peat into powdered form.

Tests Show Heating Power.

Tests have been made with powdered peat by engineers at the University of Minnesota, and results have shown that but 10 per cent more pulverized peat is required to give the same heat as powdered coal. But the cheapness of the peat offsets this.

Pulverizing plants are to be constructed by the fuel company, which built the crusher building in Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth and other advantageous points throughout the state as soon as construction bids and plans can be consummated, it is announced. The Minneapolis plant has a capacity for turning out 500 tons of dry peat a day, and this amount will be increased when added facilities are installed.

"We cannot take out enough peat this fall to help the fuel situation materially," said F. E. Bryan, president of the company, which operates the Minneapolis crusher plant, "but all the machines that can be made will be put into the bogs next year."

Will Ease Coal Shortage.

Enough peat will be ready for burning as fuel before next winter, however, to materially ease any coal shortage, should one exist at that time, Mr. Bryan believes. In 1925, he explained, if no hindrances arise to prevent contemplated construction of other crusher establishments in the state, Minnesota will be independent of outside sources for fuel for industrial establishments and will have an exportable surplus.

The cost of the pulverized peat, Mr. Bryan estimated, would be under $5 a ton at the crusher plants.

Misses Olida and Olga Brenna of Middle River passed through the city yesterday and were guests of their sister, Mrs. John Gustafson. They continued to Fargo, where they will be employed.

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ALL SLEIGHS TO BE OF UNIFORM WIDTH

Law Requiring 54 Inches Between Runners Will Go Into Effect on That Date.

Local teamsters are turning their attention to their sleighs. The law requires that all sleighs be of a standard width—54 inches from centre to centre—after January 1. The sleighs will then travel in the tracks and ruts of the wagons and autos, which fact it is believed will improve road service during the winter for all vehicles.

Drivers fear that it is going to be difficult to pass loads with the wider sleighs on account of ruts and that the latter will be cut to the dirt surface of the roads by the autos, thus making it hard lugging for their horses. Another objection seems to lie in the fact that wide bunker ends are left protruding when an ordinary wagon box is used. Local implement dealers last year purchased the wider sleighs but had them rebuilt at considerable cost before sales could be made. The text of the law is here with quoted in full:

"On and after the first day of January, 1921, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation in this state to sell any new or first hand draft sleigh to any person or persons residing in this state for use therein unless the runners of such sleigh shall measure from center to center not less than four feet six inches. And on and after such date it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to use upon any of the public highways of this state any such sleigh, after such date, unless the runners shall measure from center to center, four feet six inches."

Mild Winter Predicted But Get Your Fuel Early

Northern News, Spooner—This is the time of the year when the weather prophets get busy and already various predictions have been given that the coming winter is to be a mild one. Among some of the reasons given are that the muskrats and beaver are building their houses close to shore. That the robins and blackbirds are still with us. But do not take too much stock in these predictions. The best way to have a mild winter is to arrange to have your chimney well cleaned and a well-stocked wood pile.

Legal Notices

Hearing on Ditch Petition

Judicial Ditch No. 30, Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota. Clerk of Court's Notice of Hearing on Petition, Engineer's and Viewers' Reports, in Ditch Proceedings.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, ss. District Court, 14th Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of Alme K. Sandum and others for a public drainage ditch in the Counties of Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as Judicial Ditch No. 30.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, praying for the construction of a public drainage ditch designated and numbered by the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, as Judicial Ditch No. 30, and that the preliminary hearing provided by law before the Judge of the District Court has been had thereon, and the said Judge has appointed a civil engineer to make a survey of the route of the said ditch and to perform such other duties in relation thereto as provided by law, and that the said engineer has completed his work and made due report thereon and filed the same in the office of the Clerk of the District Court and that the said Judge of the District Court has duly appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits in the matter of said ditch and to perform all other duties in relation thereto as provided by law, and that the said viewers have completed their work and have filed their report in the office of said Clerk and that, as appears by the report of the engineer hereinbefore mentioned, the starting point, route and terminal of the main ditch and branches of Judicial Ditch No. 30, including a description of land over which the same passes, is as follows:

Main Ditch:

Beginning at a point (40) feet west of the section line between sections seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in township numbered one hundred fifty-four north (154N) of range forty-one west (41W) of the fifth principal meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, and in the channel of the main ditch of Judicial Ditch Numbered eighteen (18) of Marshall and Pennington Counties; thence west along said main ditch of Judicial Ditch numbered eighteen (18) along the north boundaries of said section eighteen (18) and section thirteen (13) of said township and range forty-two west (42W) to the point where Judicial Ditch No. eighteen turns north; thence continuing in a westerly direction parallel with and fifty (50) feet south of the north boundary of sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of said last mentioned township and range to the quarter section line in said section sixteen (16); thence in a westerly direction thru the common corner of sections eight, nine, sixteen, and seventeen of said last named township and range to a point fifty (50) feet north of the quarter section corner between sections eight (8) and seventeen (17); thence west parallel with and fifty (50) feet north of the south boundary of sections eight (8) and seven (7), said township and range, and sections twelve (12), eleven (11) and ten (10) of said last mentioned township, and range forty-three west (43W); thence south seventy-seven (77) degrees west, parallel with and fifty (50) feet north of the south boundary of section nine (9) of said last mentioned township and range, a distance of thirteen hundred fifty (1350) feet to the coulee, thence along the coulee north sixty degrees west (N60 DW) a distance of two hundred fifty (250) feet; thence north seventy seven and one-half degrees west a distance of two hundred (200) feet; thence south forty six and one-half degrees west a distance of two hundred (200) feet; thence south fourteen degrees west a distance of seven hundred (700) feet; thence south fifteen degrees east a distance of three hundred twenty five (325) feet to the Thief River, as a terminus.

Branch One (1).

Beginning at a point forty (40) feet south and thirty (30) feet west of the common corner of sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15), twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), township one hundred fifty-four north (154N) of range forty west (40W); thence west along and parallel with the north boundary and forty (40) feet south thereof, of sections twenty-one (21), twenty (20) and nineteen (19) of said last mentioned township and range, and sections twenty-four (24), twenty-three (23), twenty-two (22), twenty-one (21) and twenty (20), of township aforesaid, and range forty-one (41) to the point where branch B of Judicial Ditch numbered eighteen (18) turns north; thence north along said Branch B one mile along the west boundary of section seventeen (17) to a terminus in the main ditch as its source, providing fifteen (15) degree curves at the southwest corner of section seventeen (17), and the northeast corner of section eighteen (18) of said last mentioned township and range.

Branch Two (2).

Beginning thirty (30) feet south of the quarter section corner between sections twenty-two (22) and twenty seven (27), township one hundred fifty-four north (T154N) range thirty-nine west (R39W), thence west parallel with the north boundary of sections twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29) and thirty (30), all in said last mentioned township and range; thence west parallel with the north boundary of sections twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26) and twenty-seven (27), township one hundred fifty-four (T154N), of Range forty west (R40W) to a point thirty (30) feet south and thirty (30) feet east of the common corner of sections twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28), of said last mentioned township and range; thence north one mile along the west boundary of section twenty-two (22) said last mentioned township and range, to a terminus in Branch One (1) near the common corner of sections fifteen (15), sixteen (16), twenty-one (21) and twenty-two (22), said last mentioned township and range, providing a forty-five degree curves at all changes of directions.

Branch Numbered Three (3).

Beginning thirty (30) feet south of the quarter section corner between sections twenty-five (25) and thirty-six (36) in township one hundred fifty-four (154N), range thirty-nine west (39W); thence west one-half mile and parallel with the north boundary of said last mentioned section thirty-six (36) to a point thirty (30) feet and thirty (30) feet east of the common corner of sections twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), thirty-five (35) and thirty-six (36), said last mentioned township and range; thence north one-half mile along the west boundary of said last mentioned section twenty-five (25) to a point thirty (30) feet east and thirty (30) feet south of the quarter section corner between said last mentioned sections twenty-five (25) and twenty-six (26); thence west one mile parallel with the quarter section line thru said last mentioned section twenty-six (26) to a point thirty (30) feet south and thirty (30) feet east of the quarter section corner between sections twenty-six (26) and twenty-seven (27) said last mentioned township and range; thence north parallel with the west boundary of said last mentioned section twenty-six (26) to a point thirty (30) feet south and thirty (30) feet east of the common corner of sections twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-six (26) and twenty-seven (27), said last mentioned township and range; thence west parallel with the north boundary of said last mentioned section twenty-seven (27) a distance of one-half mile to a terminus in Branch B of said Judicial Ditch Numbered thirty (30), providing forty-five degree curves at all changes of directions.

Branch Numbered Four (4).

Beginning in the Main ditch of Judicial Ditch Numbered eighteen (18) Marshall County, Minnesota, near the southwest corner of section nineteen (19), township one hundred fifty-four north (154N), range forty (40) west, thence running north along said main ditch one mile to a terminus in Branch Numbered one (1) of Judicial Ditch Numbered thirty (30).

Branch Numbered Five (5).

Beginning at the north edge of the railway right of way of the Minnesota Northwestern Electric Railway Company in section twenty-one (21), township one hundred fifty-four (154) north, of range forty-one (41) west, on an extended line with the east boundary of the original plated townsite of Mavie, Pennington County, Minnesota, thence running north along the quarter section line thru the northwest quarter of said last mentioned section twenty-one (21) one-half mile to a terminus in Branch One of Judicial Ditch Numbered thirty (30).

Branch Numbered Six (6).

Beginning thirty (30) feet south and thirty (30) feet east of the common corner of sections four (4), five (5), eight (8) and nine (9), township one hundred fifty-four (154) north, range forty-two (42) west, thence south parallel with the west boundary of section nine (9) last aforesaid to a terminus in the Main Ditch of Judicial Ditch Numbered thirty (30), providing an automatic gate at the terminus to protect branch numbered six (6) of Judicial Ditch Numbered thirty (30) from back water from the Main ditch of Judicial Ditch Numbered thirty (30).

A further description of the lands over which the said Main Ditch and Branches of said Judicial Ditch Numbered 30 is surveyed and will pass is as follows, viz: Section 18, Township 154, Range 41; Sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 9, 8, and 7, Township 154, Range 42, Sections 12, 11, 10, 9, 16, Township 154, Range 43, Sections 22, 21, 20 and 19, Township 154, Range 40, Sections 24, 23, 22, 21, 20, 18, and 17, Township 154, Range 41, Sections 27, 28, 29, and 30, Township 154, Range 39, Sections 22, 25, 26, 27, Township 154, Range 40, Sections 25, 26 and 27, Township 154, Range 39, Section 19, Township 154, Range 40, Section 21, Township 154, Range 41, Section 9, Township 154, Range 42, all in Marshall and Pennington Counties, Minnesota.

And the said engineer's report shows the dimensions of the said ditch and the particular and exact location thereof, and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of municipal corporations and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as the same appears in the report of the viewers hereinbefore mentioned, are as follows, to-wit: Oliver Rehan, Northwestern Townsite Co., A. O. Sam, Gilbert Gunderson, Pat Brick, Babet Carlton, H. C. Johnson, Emma Bundlund, Emma Ryan, Carl Lindstrom, J. Payne, Siver Anderson, K. L. & M. F. T. Co., Aujin Miller, H. Christenson, J. C. Gulrud, Goodridge State Bank, Andrew Myrow, First State Bank, Goodridge Mercantile Co., C. O. Stephenson, B. C. Walker, O. S. Kirklin, Albert Halvorson, M. D. Seavey, K. S. Dahl, J. Stephen, M. Olson, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., Carl Elseth, Village of Goodridge, Prichard-Tvedt Co., Chas. Upitterman, E. C. McDonald, C. C. Gulrud, M. J. Thoreson, H. R. Ledin, M. Makela, J. 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[illegible], Edward J. Mahoney, Milton C. Nelson, Paul G. Stack, Carl Habedank, [illegible] Christa, F. J. Gates, Redwood County Land Co., A. S. Chase, Henry Martz, Knut O. Shirley, Jessie E. Smith, Emil Ludike, Jr., O. O. Eyklum, L. E. [illegible], Wm. F. Prehan, B. W. Ulrich, D. G. Brownley, Ole P. Nelson, August Olson, Chas. Canfield, C. A. Holvick, Abraham Edva Boline, Thos. H. Smith, Peter C. Rude, Peter Jortland, Oliver Rehan, Marthinus Johnson, Ingeborg Overby, Emil Hanson, Irvin S. Jenkins, C. Hovelson, Henry J. Roller, James D. Gilfoy, Hans Dahl et al., John Phillipp, Frank Kainz, Endina Klockman, Christina M. Clausen, Frank G. Wasgatt, Henrick Sletta, Hans Clausen, L. Y. & J. O. Smith, Kate L. Ellison, John Phillipp, Hans J. Venlick, Louis H. Hamre, Amund Johnson, E. Peterson, Tond Sotvedt, Emil Ristau, Ole E. Tvedt, Aug. Ristau, Paul G. Stock, Carl Bitten, Carrie Strubel, Andrew K. Hoggy, Louis Hendrickson, Detlof Dau, Charley W. Boyer, Irvin S. Jenkins, Josephine Rolland, Oscar A. Trytten, Oscar Hovelsen, Sina Larson, Martin Arfonson, Edward Habedank, Martin Olson, Albert Rohner, Henry Langevan, Farmers State Bank, Stella O. Olson, Andrew Gangness, Ole Olson Hall, Christ Lee, United States, B. P. Poppenhagen, Martin Westby, Ed. Ahas, Sivert J. Anderson, John H. Olson, Olmo Brevik (Brostad), G. E. Nelson, A. Schotz, Blanche C. Seger, Isaac I. Isaacson, Martin Tagerlund, John Graff, Carl Aug. Seidberg, Arvid Otis, W. St. Frederick, Edward M. Korstad, Nels Thorstenson, Robert H. Rambeck, Torger K. Hogtvedt, W. H. Frederick, Leif T. Jordahlsbakken, Tora Anderson, Ole H. Gjerstad, Kittel T. Jonieshaugen, Knut A. Korstad, Rogna Vallera Norway, Betsy Gedestad, G. E. Nelson, Ole E. Welseth, John Julius Anderson, Wm. W. Sorlder, Iver L. Rockne, Ole Olson Hall, Oscar S. Anderson, William Girovlot, Oliver A. Austin, Ernestine Morgan, Carl A. Holman, et al., Ole C. Granum, Victor Belly, Jerdis Lamporter, First National Bank, Albert Anderson, James Broten, A. S. Wood, Bertuler M. Steene, J. A. Lilley, Peter Belanger, Joseph H. Bishop, John Lien, Helmur Lien, J. Stinesand, Lena M. Johnson, C. L. Brown, John Montague, S. R. & E. A. Johnson, Abraham Erick Bolin, Arne O. Bakkestad, Peter Jonlund, John Ellingson, Rasmus C. Dispen, Per A. Johnson, Pennington Land & Loan Co., Nels Thorstenson, P. A. Johnson, William Jones, John Graff, H. S. Dahlen & J. P. Jensen, Joseph Starychek, Stephen Singer, Chas. M. Start, A. Schutz, J. A. Tilley, Severt J. Anderson, Frank Stearns, John H. Olson, Atbol State Bank, A. O. Rabe, Geo. M. Wilson, John Antonson, Carl G. Folman, et al., Ed. F. Kulla, Jacob H. Maren, Jennie Baker, G. L. Jacquot, Wm. H. Young, Marit Lien, Edwin Olson, Ole M. Olson, Herman Swenpladsen, John H. Plum, Andrew H. Saxon, Charles W. Pinnes, Richard I. Hoeg, L. O. Opsata, Erle Bilbye, Paul P. Sund, Citizens State Bank, Dina Schultz, Oscar Andtson, Adam Prueder, Citizens Security Co., Arndt H. Johnsrud, John Carlson, Severin Gangeness, Alfred J. Branvick, Eddy L. Kvile, Ole M. Olson, John Schultz, Ole Johnson Eide, John M. McEnelly, J. G. Turnbough, Emil Bergren, Anton Knutson, Oscar A. Trytten, Louisa Carlson, Bertha Gullenbeck, Fritz A. Wattenberg, Oscar Ostmoe, Knute Hagen, May Louise R. Prout, Siver Siverson, James W. Morris, L. O. Opsata, Ross Lewis, Thomas E. Lewis, O. H. Lewis, David M. E. Smith, Ellwood Land Co., Andrew C. Hanson, Olaus K. Hendrickson, John John Anderson, J. B. Olson, L. M. Hoag, Jacob J. Kellar, B. Leroy Olson, Gustav M. Olson, Lars J. Tofsrud, Oscar M. Olson, Hoag Security Co., Basil Ballow, Oscar Hove, G. O. Dahl, Chas. A. Johnson, Ole Kristianson Bakke, L. E. Carvell, H. M. Hicks, Martin D. Heyer, Anna Olson, Nels T. Jorgenson, Nels Nelson, Albert Olson, Township of Silverton, Township of Cloverleaf, Township of Goodridge, Township of Reiner, Township of Ander, Village of Goodridge.

And notice is hereby further given, that within three days after the said filing of the said report of the said viewers, the undersigned transmitted to the Honorable Andrew Grindeland, Judge of said District Court, written notice of the filing of such report, and upon the receipt of such notice the said Judge made his order in writing fixing the time and place of hearing said petition, engineer's and viewers' reports, and that, pursuant to said order said hearing will be held by and before said Court and the Honorable Andrew Grindeland, Judge thereof, at the court room in the court house in the City of Warren, Marshall County, Minnesota, on Thursday, the 9th day of December, A. D. 1920, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and that all persons interested in the construction of the said ditch are invited to appear and be heard at that time, for or against the construction and establishment of the said proposed ditch or in any manner relative to said ditch or laterals or assessments of damages or benefits therein.

Dated November 3rd, 1920.

A. C. SWANDBY,
Clerk of the District Court,
Marshall County, Minnesota.
(District Court Seal.)
n11-18-25.

Resolution.

That Article Four be amended to read as follows, to-wit:

That the amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Twenty Thousand ($20,000.00) Dollars, to be divided into eight hundred shares of the par value of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars each, to be paid for in cash or other consideration of same value.

That Article Five be amended to read as follows, to-wit:

That the highest amount of indebtedness or liability other than stock, to which this corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Ten Thousand ($10,000.00) Dollars.

That Article Seven be amend as follows, to-wit:

That the government of this Society and the entire management of its affairs shall be vested in a Board of Directors composed of not more than nine (9) and not less than five (5) to be selected as follows, to-wit:

That the President, First Vice President, Second Vice President and Treasurer shall be ex-officio members of said Board of Directors and that the balance of the board shall be elected from among the stockholders at the annual stockholders' meeting.

That in the event of a vacancy occurring on the Board of Directors that the remaining members shall elect the successor who will hold office until the next annual meeting of the stockholders.

That the annual meeting of the stockholders shall be held before the 3rd Tuesday in November at a date to be selected by the Board of Directors, which said meeting shall be held in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota; and that a written notice giving the time and place of said meeting shall be mailed to the last known address of each stockholder.

That the President shall appoint from the membership of the Board of Directors superintendents of each department who will have charge of their respective departments.

That the Board of Directors shall hire the services of a person to act as Secretary immediately after the annual meeting with full power to fix the salary of said Secretary for the ensuing year.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington.

Herbert Fuller and G. Howard Smith being first duly sworn, on oath, depose and say each for himself and not for the other, that they are the President and Secretary of the Pennington County Agricultural Society of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, respectively, and that the above resolution was presented at the adjourned Annual Meeting of the stockholders of said society on the 8th day of October, 1920, and that the amendments to Article Four and Five were unanimously adopted at that meeting and that on the 22nd day of October 1920 at a further adjourned annual meeting the amendment to article seven was unanimously adopted.

HERBERT FULLER,
President.
G. HOWARD SMITH,
Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of October, 1920, before me a Notary Public by Herbert Fuller and G. Howard Smith to me known to be the President and Secretary of the Pennington County Agricultural Society.

THEO. QUALE,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires Feb. 27, 1926.
(Corporate Seal.)

State of Minnesota
Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 1st day of Nov. A. D. 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book J-4 of Incorporations on page 180.

JULIUS A. SCHMAHL,
Secretary of State.
n11-18

TRACTOR OR TRUCK TO BE GIVEN AWAY
NOT ONE—BUT FOUR. Get this straight. These four tractors are FREE. I give them away. Don't buy. Don't do without. If you need a TRACTOR or TRUCK, [illegible]
DISTRICT NO. 1 embraces Wisconsin, Iowa and the Southern portion of Minnesota.
DISTRICT NO. 2 embraces all remaining portion of Minnesota.
DISTRICT NO. 3 embraces North and South Dakota and Montana.
Tractor Free in Each District.
No Money Needed. It's All Free.
Send Me Your Name
$1,861 G. M. C. Truck
Free Tractor-Truck Coupon
The St. Paul Daily News.
Without obligation, send full particulars regarding the TRACTORS and TRUCK you are going to give away.
Name ....
Postoffice ....
State .... Rural R. No. ....

Imperfect Page

"You Save Money" says the Good Judge

And get more genuine chewing satisfaction, when you use this class of tobacco.

This is because the full, rich, real tobacco taste lasts so long, you don't need a fresh chew nearly as often.

And a small chew gives more real satisfaction than a big chew of the ordinary kind ever did.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco.
RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco.
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IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads. are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

A Dead Town Is Always Shunned

"Stay away from that town. It's a dead one."

Do you want that to be said of your town? Of course you don't, for you wish, as a matter of local pride, if for no other reason, to have your town stand high in the estimation of the world. But are you sure that you are doing everything in your power to place your town in the position which you wish to occupy? That is the question that every person should ask himself or herself at frequent intervals.

When things are running smoothly, when times are good, and when it is fairly easy to make a good living for the wife and kiddies, it is so easy for a man to forget that those things do not come to a town as a matter of course, but are the result of the right kind of effort on the part of the citizens of the community. It is so easy for a man to grow careless and think that because this condition existed it will continue to exist without any effort on his part or that of the other residents of the community. That is why it is important for every one to stop and think seriously once in a while about what it would mean to him if the prosperity that makes life worth living for him should take wings and fly away.

Nobody Loves a Dead Town.

Nobody likes to live in a dead town. No one even likes to visit a dead town. That is why you sometimes hear that warning, "Stay away from that town. It's a dead one." The town which has the reputation of being a dead one suffers as if from a pestilence. Business men seeking new locations will have none of it. The live traveling salesman, even, will give it a wide berth. Those who live in it will get away if they can.

When a town is live and prosperous, local business is good, real estate values are high and stable, labor is in demand and wages are good, the streets are well lighted, the residents are protected from robbery and fire and good schools are maintained for the education of the children. When a town is dead, there is little money in circulation, store buildings stand empty with a "For Sale" sign hanging on the front door, there is little employment for the laboring men, the streets are dark, the schools are crippled.

What sort of town do you want to live in? There is only one answer to that question. You want to live in the live town and enjoy all the good things that come to the residents of such a community.

Answer Easily Found.

The only question then is as to how these prosperous conditions can be created or maintained and it is the easiest thing in the world to find the answer to this question.

If the people of a community will keep their money at home and keep it in circulation among themselves, they need have no fear of ever being compelled to live in a dead town. If the people will patronize their own business men instead of sending their dollars to the mail order houses, the prosperity of the community will take care of itself.

The local stores, to a very large extent, make every town. The taxes paid by the business men of the community are the principal support of the schools and public institutions. It is the taxes paid by the storekeepers, to a large extent, that make possible the public improvements, the fire protection, the street lighting and the many other things which make a town worth living in. The mail order house does not pay any taxes in the town from which it gets its money. It does not help to support the schools or the churches. It does not help light the streets or maintain the fire department. It is the aim of the mail order houses to drive small town merchants out of business, so that the people will be compelled to send to the cities for their merchandise and they are spending thousands of dollars every month to accomplish this purpose. If they should succeed, who would pay the taxes that are now paid by the local merchants? It's a certainty that the mail order house would not pay them.

Issue is Clear Cut.

Every dollar spent at home helps to make the town a live one.

Every dollar sent away from home to the mail order house helps to make the town a dead one.

The issue is a clear-cut one and is squarely up to every resident of the community, whether a resident of the town itself or of the country surrounding it. The man who does not care whether he lives in a live or a dead town, if there is such a man, need waste no thought on the subject, but the man who wants to live in a live town cannot get away from it. It is up to him to make his town a live one or a dead one.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side.—ANDREW BOTTELSON.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate.—THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince.— CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil.—AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station.—K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR, from your local dealer ask for Vive Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in every value flour made anywhere.—HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries.—ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minneapolis Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE, FARM MACHINERY, PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS. Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here. — HALL BROTHERS CO.

RESULT IS MIXED IN NORTH DAKOTA

Frazier Re-elected and Nonpartisans Retain Legislature. Referendum Adverse.

Lynn J. Frazier, Nonpartisan league candidate, has been re-elected governor of North Dakota by a majority of about 4,000 over J. F. T. O'Connor, independent. The Nonpartisans also were successful in electing the following officials: Howard Wood, lieutenant governor; D. C. Poindexter, state auditor; William Lemke, attorney general; S. A. Olsness, insurance commissioner; J. N. Hagan, commissioner of agriculture; Frand Mulholland and C. W. McDonnell, railway commissioners.

On the ticket headed by Mr. O'Connor and supported by a coalition of anti-league Republicans and Democrats the following were successful at the polls: John Steen, state treasurer; Thomas Hall, secretary of state; A. M. Christianson, justice of the supreme court; W. H. Stutzman, railway commissioner; Miss Minnie Nielson, state superintendent of public instruction.

The league has a majority of one in the senate and indications are that they have a majority of five votes in the lower house.

Congressman Baer, Nonpartisan, was defeated for congress in the First district by O. B. Burtness of Grand Forks. Congressman George M. Young, opposed by the Nonpartisans, has apparently been re-elected in the Second district.

Combinations against league candidates were successful in Idaho, South Dakota, Montana and Colorado.

In the referendum asked to ratify a number of laws passed at the last session there was an adverse majority in nearly every case.

COST OF BOOSTING PAID BY CITIZENS

Babcock Amendment Put Across Because People Wanted the Roads Improved.

While but little concerted opposition to the Babcock amendment developed, there is much speculation abroad as to just who paid for the great advertising campaign which put the amendment across. Undoubtedly large sums were spent in keeping the matter of good roads before the people of the state. A trip into the twin cities over one of the few hard surfaced roads would have disclosed some novelties in the way of advertising. Huge painted signs carried the legend, "Do you like this road? If you do vote for Amendment No. 1 on November 2." After being bounced around over some of the muddy and badly cut-up country roads, the average motorist greeted these signs with a grin and knew that he was going to vote "yes" on November 2.

Souls of a pessimistic nature are positive that the advertising bills were paid by some party or parties who now expect to get a big slice out of the project, presumably contracting companies or manufacturers. Undoubtedly they did help, but a glance over the report of contributions submitted by the Thief River Falls Commercial club committee which took in hand the matter of raising funds for the State Highway association, will tell just where the bulk of the money came from. It is the citizens of the state who want the good roads and it is the citizens of the state who are paying the bills. Minnesota certainly has hundreds and hundreds of miles of poor and impassable roads at the present time, but once the Babcock plan gets to working, we can laugh at some of our eastern and western sisters who boast of their good roads and invite them up to Minnesota to play in a paradise traversed by a net work of real roads.

The passing of the good roads amendment was a question of advertising. It could not fail to pass except through negligence on the part of the voters or indifference on the part of those who have the privilege of voting, but who would not make use of that privilege through utter lack of interest in the welfare of the state and nation.

LARGE SUM WASTED ON FAKE REMEDIES

Only One Method For Curing Dreaded White Plague Is Known to Experts.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars were wasted by victims of consumption in Minnesota on fake "cures" during the last twelve months, according to a statement from the Minnesota Public Health association received her yesterday by heads of the 1920 Christmas Seal Sale committee.

From $16,000,000 to $25,000,000 is thus wasted every year by tuberculosis victims in the United States, according to an estimate made by the National Tuberculosis association after a careful investigation.

More than 1,000 of the fake "cures" have been exploited for gain throughout the nation in the last ten years, official records show.

Health experts state emphatically that there is only one known method of curing tuberculosis and that is by the application of fresh air, good food, rest and proper medical supervision. The best place to get this is in a sanatorium, although good results also are secured through proper medical care at home.

Funds obtained through the sale of Christmas seals are used to search out tuberculosis victims and see that they get proper care. The 1920 Christmas seal sale will start Dec. 1. Minnesota's allotment of the national fund is $250,000. County and local quotas are on the basis of 10 cents per capita, which makes that of Pennington county about $1200.

NUXATED IRON
FOR RED BLOOD STRENGTH AND ENDURANCE
EACH GENUINE NUXATED IRON TABLET IS STAMPED AS ABOVE
DO NOT ACCEPT SUBSTITUTES

WAS ONE OF CENTRAL FIGURES IN SERIOUS AIRPLANE ACCIDENT

James Curran, Formerly of This City, Pilot of Machine Which McLaughlin Left in Making His Disastrous Trip.

George Curran of this city has just received the newspaper accounts of the accident in which "Tex" McLaughlin, the aviator, was seriously injured while making a flight at Syracuse this fall. James Curran, a brother of the Thief River Falls man, acted as pilot of one of the machines with which McLaughlin was performing his stunts, being in fact in charge of the one from which the dare-devil aviator was to leave in his climb to another, the latter in charge of Shirley Short. The account says in part:

"For 20 minutes the machines maneuvered over the field. McLaughlin climbed all over Curran's machine. He stood on his head, hung by one hand, and did all the other stunts with which he makes the crowd hold its breath. Finally he was ready for the 'changing planes' stunt, in which he climbs up the rope ladder from one machine to the other while both are making from 70 to 80 miles an hour, over 1000 feet in the air.

"Three times Curran and Short tried to maneuver so that the rope ladder hanging from Short's plane—the upper one—would swing within reach of McLaughlin, standing on the upper wing of the lower machine. Three times they failed. The wind, almost a gale at that height, blew the ladder out of reach.

"The fourth effort was successful—in one particular. McLaughlin jumped and grabbed the ladder. But before Curran could drop or Short could rise, the ladder dragged him straight through the arc of the propeller on the machine he had left."

McLaughlin was badly injured but held on. The story continues:

"With the propeller splintered, Curran had to land quickly. He shut off his engine and dropped like a shot bird to a field on the E. A. Powell farm." Curran himself came out of the accident unhurt, as did the other pilot, Short. McLaughlin, however, was taken to the hospital. The large muscles on the right side of his neck were severed and two or three vertebrae were broken and forced out of place. Neither of the pilots was able to explain the accident. Owing to the strong wind blowing the planes did not separate as quickly as they should although the same tactics were used as in other flights with complete success.

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW

52c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

News of Rail and Shop

TRAIN 115 MILES LONG IS MONTH'S CAR SAVING

In the month of September, 1920, the statistics of operation of the Great Northern railway company show a trainload of 865 tons, a carload of 30.3 tons, and an average car movement of all cars on the line (including cars out of service for repairs) of 31.4 miles per day.

That this is a splendid record is revealed by a comparison with the results for the calendar year 1919 when the average trainload was 765 tons, the average carload 28.1 tons and the average car movement 23.7 miles per day.

Just what this improved performance means to the shippers and patrons of this road is shown by considering the fact that owing to the improved traffic performance the same business was handled with 55,000 cars on the line.

Ordinarily it would have taken 70,000 cars to handle this business had the operations been conducted as for the average of the year 1919.

The magnitude of this saving is apparent when it is realized that these 15,000 cars saved would make a solid train 115 miles long.

Rail Commissioners Meet.

The 32nd annual convention of the National Association of Railway and Utilities commissioners began last Tuesday in Washington at the interstate commerce commission. The association embraces all the regulatory commissions of the country.

Division Jottings.

Miss Anna Quale, stenographer in the chief clerk's office, attended the district meeting of the Eastern Star at Crookston on Tuesday.

Edwin Knutson has been appointed custodian at Hazel vice O. Odegaard, resigned.

Brakeman R. H. Lively has been transferred to the Minnesota division; Brakeman L. H. Cordes and O. C. Parbst being transferred from the Duluth-Superior division to the Winnipeg division.

A. E. Swan has relieved Walter Palm, agent at Russell, who goes to Lankin, N. D., as regular agent, relieving A. L. Chapman, who has been granted a leave of absence.

J. J. Hoglin, agent at Alvarado, was in Thief River Falls over Sunday.

C. W. Stewart, agent at Forest River, spent Sunday in Thief River Falls with his family.

Earl Elofson, carman, has been absent for several weeks on account of sickness.

Daniel Parenteau has been employed as an apprentice carman.

George Kussa started work in the capacity of coach cleaner on Monday.

All northern and western divisions of the Soo have been fully prepared to cope with the first heavy fall of snow, which may be expected at any time. Hot car service for perishables has been established for the winter and daily or weekly schedules are arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dahl have been spending the past week at Mahnomen.

Ernest Johnson is visiting in Minneapolis with friends.

Walter Jonas, Arthur R. Berg, John Ellason and George Mostue spent the week-end in the twin cities, the object of the trip being the Minnesota-Wisconsin football game.

John Linde spent the week-end at Glenwood.

Mrs. Albert Engen left for Minneapolis on Wednesday with the expectations of remaining for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

HOGS MADE GOOD GAIN LAST WEEK

Prices Advanced $1 Per Hundred—Cattle, Sheep Start Higher But Drop.

(Report by United States Bureau of Markets and Minnesota Department of Agriculture.)

South St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 8.—Election week found farmers and live stock shippers in many quarters too busy tending to their voting duties to market much live stock, and receipts dropped off both here and around the western circuit. The result was that prices were boosted in all departments but before the close of the week dropped back on cattle and sheep, the hog market alone holding its gain. Improvement of consumptive demand with higher prices in the fresh pork trade, lighter receipts and a good demand locally from shippers brought about an advance of $1.00 in hogs last week, bulk of sales at the close being $13.10 to $13.25. Best pigs closed at $12.50 to $12.75.

After a running start last Monday and Tuesday with prices generally 25 to 50c higher, due to light receipts and broad demand on the part of the shippers and speculators, the cattle market weakened Wednesday under the influence of more liberal marketings, and declined both Thursday and Friday until practically all of the opening gain was wiped out. Saturday's market, in anticipation of a liberal Monday run was weak to lower. The week's top for load lots was made on some Dakota Rangers at $11.25, with odd head on up to $12.00. Bulk of common and medium beef steers at $6.50 to $9.00, butcher cows and heifers at $4.50 to $7.50 closed weak to a quarter lower for the week. Canners and cutters at $3.00 to $1.25 were steady to weak, as were bologna bulls at $1.25 to $5.75. Best veal calves at $12.50 finished $1.00 higher. Stockers and feeders selling mostly from $5.00 to $9.50 were weak to a quarter lower. Receipts of cattle and calves at the seven principal markets, last week showed a loss of around 39,000 head compared with the previous week.

The sheep market after a higher opening, closed about 50c lower than a week ago, with best lambs around $11.25 to $11.50 and choice ewes at $5.50 at the close of the week.

STORE VEGETABLES FOR WINTER FOOD

With Care in Storing Supply Should Keep Until Spring Without Spoilage.

Urban and rural dwellers are confronted every fall with the problem of storing to the best advantage vegetables grown on vacant lots and in gardens. Shrinkage and decay take heavy toll every fall and winter.

R. S. Mackintosh, horticultural extensionist of University Farm, says that all vegetables should not be stored the same way in the same cellar. The storage best adapted to potatoes, beets, carrots, parsnips, vegetable oysters and other varieties of roots is the ordinary cool and reasonably moist cellar. Winter squash and pumpkins, on the other hand, should be thoroughly ripened and then put on shelves in a warm dry section of the cellar and near the heating plant. If stored in the ordinary cool, moist cellar they are likely to decay in a few months. Squash and pumpkins should not be piled up high. A well ripened Hubbard squash, says Mr. Mackintosh, stored in the manner here outlined, should keep until May.

In order to limit shrinkage as much as possible the root crops mentioned should be covered with dry sand or soil, dry leaves or straw or chaff as soon as they are placed in the cellar. Cabbage should be kept reasonably moist and on shelves so that the air can circulate around them. If sufficient shelving is not available they may be wrapped in paper and suspended from the ceiling. Most of the outer leaves should be removed.

The moisture supply in cellars can be kept fairly constant by having some sand or soil that can be moistened occasionally. A tub of water will aid in keeping vegetables from drying too much.

Onions placed in storage should always be kept cool and dry to prevent loss.

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

The Cost of a Hole in the Ground

COMMENTING upon the rise in the price of gasoline, a man who is unfamiliar with petroleum production writes:

"The Lord, who put the oil in the earth, charges no more for it than he ever did. It comes for nothing out of the ground when you dig a hole."

This is true, if it comes out of the ground without help. The greatly increased cost lies in digging the hole, casing it, caring for the oil when it comes out, and transporting and handling it on its way to the refinery.

Petroleum Age in its September issue says: "The cost of drilling and equipping a well at the present scale of prices for material and labor runs from Five Thousand Dollars for a shallow sand pumper to Seventy-five Thousand Dollars for the deep wells. A general average covering the entire country would run about Twenty Thousand Dollars per well."

One item which is often overlooked is the cost of drilling wells which fail to produce oil. It is estimated that from 20 to 30 percent of all wells put down are dry holes.

Yet, in spite of all discouragements, which included shortage of casing, difficulties of transportation, and the increasing expense of labor, on July 31st, 1920, there were eleven thousand wells drilling or under way east of the Rocky Mountains, with completions averaging about three thousand wells a month. Probably thirty-six thousand wells will be completed during 1920.

The total expense including investment in drilling tools, lease equipment and labor, is roughly estimated at one billion dollars.

Deducting two hundred fifty million dollars (25 percent) for salvage on equipment susceptible of further use, the net investment in new production for the year will be seven hundred fifty million dollars.

It is apparent that oil does not come "for nothing out of the ground."

Oil is usually discovered in spots remote from rail centers. The cost of pumping and transporting it to the refinery is a heavy charge. At the refinery charges begin to pile up, for refining oil is a true manufacturing process involving application of chemistry, the use of specialized machinery, and human labor.

All of these factors add to the cost of a product which Nature has given us.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has been steadfastly applying the trained power of its organization to increasing the yield of gasoline from crude, and in achieving economies by large scale operations in refining and distributing its products.

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910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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Nothing like a pair of "Ball-Band" Arctics for keeping your feet dry and warm in the very worst weather. You can laugh at freezing cold, deep snow, slush and mud if you wear "Ball-Band."

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The Times is the Recognized Pennington County Paper

BREAD IS YOUR BEST FOOD, EAT MORE OF IT.

Greetings, Folks

Beginning Monday, the fifteenth of November, the price of

"VICTORY BREAD"

will be

15c a Loaf
for the large and

10c a Loaf
for the small

Your grocer sells it. Call for it and be sure you get it. Take no substitute.

There Is None Just as Good

"Victory Bread" is made in Northern Minnesota's most modern Bakery under the most sanitary conditions.

Jung's Quality Bakery
Thief River Falls, Minn.

In Quality We Trust

Lieberman Brothers
Announce a Sale of Huge Importance to the Buying Public!

Record-breaking Price-slashing Shoe Sale at lower prices than you ever dreamed they could be sold.

SHOES

One lot of boys' work and dress Shoes, values to $4.50. Closing out sale price $2.65
One lot of men's dress and work Shoes, values to $7.00. Closing out Price $3.65
One lot of men's dress Shoes in black or tan, values to $10. Closing out Sale price $5.65
One lot of men's dress Shoes as Florsheim and Ralston makes; values to $12.00 $6.85

Closing out entire line of Florsheim $15 and $16 Shoes at big reductions.

We have decided to close out every dollar's worth of merchandise.
You know and we know
that prices will be lower for next winter. We have an enormous stock, and with the trend towards lower prices in view we are compelled to dispose of our merchandise. Consequently, no matter how great a loss we have to take we are determined to close out.

Closing out entire line of Boys' Suits at sacrificed prices. Buy here and save.

Boys' Suits

Stylish double breasted boys' Suits sold for $20.00; exceptional big values Closing out at $12.45
We have a big lot of all wool boys' Suits that sold for $15, $16 and up to $18. Closing out lot at $11.45
One lot of small sizes all wool Suits, values to $12.00 to close out at $7.45
Boys' all wool blue serge Suits; sizes 6 to 18 to close out at $11.75

All Children's Wash Suits to close out at one-half of the regular price.

Positively Closing Out Entire Stock---Sale Starts Saturday, Nov. 13

We can save you real money on your overcoat. It will pay you to buy here now. One lot of $35 OVERCOATS
22.45

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Overcoats, the kind that we always sold for $55.00; blue, Kersey, Velvet collar; to close out at a sacrificed price OVERCOATS
39.45

One lot of flannel Shirts, values to $4.50
2.95

Patrick all wool Stag Shirts, closing out at $7.45
7.45

Wonderful Suit Values in Worsteds, Serges Scotches and Tweeds at Sacrifice Prices!

$25 and $30 men's and young men's Suits
Sacrificed, beginning Saturday at 18.45
Newest styles for young men, double breasted or single with or without belts all around, sacrificed closing out price, $18.45.

$55 men's and young men's styles Suits
Sacrificed beginning Saturday at 37.45
The biggest value yet offered in blue serge Suits at $37.45, all sizes in regular, stouts, slim, every one guaranteed a value

$40 and $50 men's and young men's styles Suits
Sacrificed beginning Saturday, at 29.45
Gray and brown mixed Suits that will hold its shape and wear a long time. See these before buying.

$75 men's and young men's styles Suits
Sacrificed, beginning Saturday, at 54.45
Beautiful silk lined Suits; the finest money can buy and every one a $75 value. You can't resist them at $54.45.

Men's and young men's Overcoats, single or double breasted, close fitting or loose, with or without belts; values up to $45, sacrificed beginning Saturday at
27.45

The finest assortment of brown, blue or mixed colors, single or double breasted, this year's styles in OVERCOATS, values to $60, to be sacrificed at
39.45

Men's Sheep lined Coats, 34 and 36 inches long, full sheep lined, worth $20 to close out at
14.95

Extra Special clearance of one lot of Hart, Schaffner & Marx $65 Suits to be closed out at
$46.45

OVERCOAT AND SUIT BARGAINS
We want you to expect more of this store than you do of other stores and we assure you, you wont be disappointed.

Young men's Sheep lined belted Coats, Wombat, Oppossum or Coon Collars. The very latest in style and can save you from $10.00 to $15.00 on a garment 37.45 to 52.45

GOOD MERCHANDISE AT SALE PRICES
Boys' Leather Mittens, $1.25 horsehide Mittens 95c
Boys' Mackinaws, now $7.45
Boys' pure wool Mackinaws, now $9.45
Boys' Sheep lined Coats $10,95
Boys' Overalls at Clearance Sale Prices.
Boys' fleeced lined Union Suits $1.39
Boys' heavy weight all wool Munsing wear Suits $2.35
Boys' all wool Sweaters, each $4.45

One lot Men's DRESS SHIRTS $2.50 and $3.00 values, to close out at $1.39
Men's pure wool UNION SUITS to close out at $5.95
UNDERWEAR heavy weight fleece lined SHIRT and DRAWERS 95c
2-piece wool UNDERWEAR heavy ribbed wool shirts and drawers to close out at $1.95

All Rubbers at Reduced Prices
Men's wool UNION SUITS heavy weight, to close out at $4.45
$3.50 heavy weight fleeced lined UNION SUITS $1.95
Lambsdown best grade fleeced UNION SUITS to close out at $2.45

YOU SAVE ON EVERYTHING
Men's 65c wool Mittens, now 45c
Men's $2.00 leather Mittens, lined or unlined $1.45
$3.50 men's dress gloves $2.35
$4.50 men's dress gloves $3.45
$5.50 men's dress gloves $4.45
$2.50 Soo Line Conductor official Caps, to close out at $1.15
Heavy weight Canvas Gloves 25c
$1.00 President Suspenders, now at 65c
Boys' winter Caps each 95c
Signal Shirts with two collars $2.35

A special selling of $15 Jerkins Leather Vests to close out at $10.85
Pure wool men's MACKINAWS value $17, to close out at $13.75
$5.50 men's DUCK COATS heavy weight $3.85
One lot of men's winter CAPS with fur ear laps, to close out at 65c
Headlight, Carhartt and Finck OVERALLS $2.45

Union Made OVERALLS to close out at $1.95
Men's heavy wool SWEATERS regular $8.50, to close out at $4.95
PANTS
All dress pants to be closed out.
$15 Pants $10.45
$11 Pants $ 7.45
$ 8 Pants $ 5.45
$ 5 Corduroy $ 3.95
Heavy WOOL PANTS $6.45

CLOSING OUT BARGAINS
Men's $3.00 Outing Flannel Gowns, heavy quality $2.29
Men's 35c Sox in black and tan, Sale price 23c
Men's 75c good Cashmere Hose, Sale price 55c
Men's 25c good work Sox, Sale price 17c
Boys' 35c Stockings, Sale price 23c
Boys' 75c heavy weight Stockings, Sale price 47c
Boys' 50c good quality Stockings. Sale price 27c
Children's flannel Jajamas, $1.50 quality. Sale price 95c

This is not a Sale of a few chosen articles, nor is it a Sale of odds and ends, but it is a tremendous price-smashing Sale on our entire stock. Everything must be sold out and everything will be sold out. We never do anything half way. It is your real opportunity to save real money on real merchandise

Don't Forget the Date and Place---Sale Starts
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13
LIEBERMAN BROTHERS
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Please don't confuse our Sale with the ordinary sales. Our sale goods are our regular stock; not merchandise picked up here and there for sale purposes. Our sale is on the best quality standard lines like Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits, Florsheim Shoes, Stetson Hats, Munsing Underwear and Chippewa woolens. It is unquestionably the biggest closing out sale in many seasons at very near pre-war prices.

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Neighborhood Notes

GOODRIDGE

A number of the members of Rev. Hanson's congregation, the majority of whom were from Erie, gave a surprise party on him Saturday afternoon and presented him with a purse of over $70.00.

Rose Adsero left Saturday for Moorhead, being called away on account of her mother's ill health.

H. D. Kady of Thief River Falls was in town Monday enroute home.

George Holbrook of Grygla was a passenger on the Electric Monday evening enroute to Warren to visit his brother, Walter, who is employed in a bank there.

Arthur Krueger and family of Grygla were in town Monday enroute to Almond, Wis., where they will make their home.

O. S. Kirklie returned Monday evening from International Falls, where he has been employed for some time.

Miss Ella Urdahl visited over Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ole Prestebak, of Thorholt.

Miss Gretta Gulrud is clerking in the Mercantile Store for a couple of weeks.

Stuart McLeod spent the week end at home.

Ernest Paulick of Borup, formerly of Grygla, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Karl Korstad of Highlanding, was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. George Johnson and Mrs. E. Wright returned from Thief River Falls Thursday morning.

The Misses Carrie Trogan and Ella Pelto, teachers of Thief River Falls, were guests Saturday of Misses Elenor Bowers and Gladys Wilson.

Mrs. J. P. Jenson and son Raymond and Harry McDonald, visited in Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon.

Matt Barzen of Thief River Falls was a business caller in town Friday.

Mrs. Oscar Knutson visited her mother, Mrs. Katherine Lange Wednesday.

Wm. Paskewitz of Grygla was in town Friday with a truck of chickens.

F. J. Robinson and son Myron of Highlanding were business callers in town Friday.

Julius Stephenson returned home Friday from Canada where he has been employed for some time.

Misses Virginia Wiles and Elenor Bowers were guests at the Morgan Vaughan farm Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Anderson of Fordville, was in town Wednesday, enroute to her home from a visit with relatives at Grygla.

Mrs. Christina Ohm of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday looking over the situation in regard to organizing a Royal Neighbor Lodge.

Mrs. M. G. Thoreson was in Thief River Falls Friday and Saturday having dental work done. She returned home Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Mrs. Ole Ostby and the Misses Ruby and Esther Bennes. Mrs. Thoreson is a sister of Mesdames Ostby and Bennes.

Prof. Norby spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Thief River Falls.

Ted Tunberg was an over Sunday visitor at home this week.

Miss Ruby Jenson is visiting with friends in Thief River Falls.

Miss Gladys Wilson spent Sunday with her parents at Grygla.

Mrs. P. O. Tvedt was in Thief River Falls Monday, having dental work done.

Rev. Soho of Mavie was in town on Monday.

George Sanders of Grygla was a business caller in town Monday.

Miss Louise Besancon, who is attending high school at Thief River Falls, spent the week end at her home east of town.

J. M. Thompson and Bjelmer Carlson of Aspelin were in town Monday afternoon.

There were three carloads of stock shipped to St. Paul Saturday. Mike Tunick had two cars—one of hogs and one of cattle. E. Askre had one of sheep.

The Peterson-Biddick Co., of Thief River Falls, had a poultry day here Friday. They had a whole box car for the purpose and shipped 5219 lbs. in all, which included geese, turkeys and chickens.

Miss Christine Bandhurd is suffering with a very sore arm caused by catching cold in a bad burn.

Torjus Hemmestvedt of Kratka is working in the Farmers' Elevator during the busy season.

Ole Newton of Grygla was a business visitor in town Monday.

A. C. Tvedt is confined to his bed on account of an accident that happened on Friday afternoon when some wall board fell on him and injured one of his limbs. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Father Noesen of Thief River Falls held services here Tuesday.

Miss Goita Gilbertson was in Thief River Falls Tuesday, to have her hand lanced again.

Ed. Halvorson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

John and Stuart Ferdinandson were Thief River Falls business callers on Tuesday.

School Notes.

On Thursday morning Ted Tunberg presented an Essay contest to be given by the Goodridge State bank. The essay is to be written on the "General Peace Conference." There will be awarded to the three best essays—1st prize, $15; 2nd, $10; 3rd, $5. The contest is open to all grade pupils in Eastern Pennington county, and other tributaries to Goodridge.

At the opening exercises Thursday morning, Ethel and Dan Vaughan, Noble Urdahl, Gorman Thompson, Harry McDonald and Edwin Olson, gave a talk or read a paper on their different club projects, which was very interesting.

The following club members went to Thief River Falls Friday to the final Boys 'and Girls' Calf and Sheep contest: Gorman Thompson, who won 3rd prize on his calf; Noble Urdahl, 6th prize for his calf; Ethel Vaughan, 4th prize for her sheep and Dan Vaughan, 5th prize for his sheep. Gorman Thompson and Ethel Vaughan receive a free trip to Crookston to enter a contest there Nov. 12 and 13. At that contest animals from all over the Red River Valley will compete and the two best from each county will go to St. Paul, Nov. 17 and 18.

The Goodridge high school gave a party Friday, Nov. 5th in honor of Rose Adsero, who was summoned to her home in Moorhead on account of her mother's illness. The evening was spent in games and music, after which a delicious lunch was served. The boys and girls presented Rose with a few gifts. Goodridge high will miss her as one of its best leaders.

ST. HILAIRE

Suffers Loss By Fire.

P. W. Peterson of Wyandotte sustained a heavy loss when his barn burned to the ground last Thursday evening. The horses and cattle in the barn at the time of the fire were rescued with the exception of six calves and 21 sheep. The barn was but partially covered by insurance and at this time of the year the loss is being felt very keenly. It is believed the fire originated from a lantern being knocked from a beam by the cows while the evening chores were under way.

The Dorcas society of the Norwegian Lutheran church conducted a very successful sale of fancy articles Friday evening in the Hage building, after which a lunch was served. A large crowd was in attendance and $133 was realized.

Mrs. Ina Johnson left Saturday for Crookston to visit with relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. B. E. Burkee returned the latter part of the week from Litchfield, where she visited for some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Martz.

Rev. T. E. Sweger and family motored down from Thief River Falls Friday evening for a short visit at the Rev. Grimsrud home.

Mrs. J. L. Sieff and children of Red Lake Falls are spending the week at the home of Mrs. Sieff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown of Thief River Falls and Mr. Brown's sister, Mrs. R. Sandberg of Grygla, and Elmer Blaine of Goodridge, spent Sunday afternoon visiting relatives here.

Stanley Olson arrived Saturday from Kelly Lake, where he has been employed.

Harm Bolin left on Friday for Rockford, Iowa, where he will spend the winter.

Principal S. L. Johnson and Miss Eleanore Anderson returned Monday morning from St. Paul, where they attended the meeting of the Minnesota Educational association.

Mrs. O. P. Nelson left Tuesday for Red Lake Falls to visit at the Art Steele home.

Carl Nelson left Monday on a business trip to the twin cities.

Miss Cornelia Bravik shopped and visited at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Miss Gladys Olson, who is teaching school at Stephen, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olson. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Field.

Miss Edith Nelson was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Edwin Sorvig of Winger passed through St. Hilaire last Friday on his way to Polk Centre, where his wife and young son have been visiting for the past two weeks at the home of Mrs. Sorvig's mother, Mrs. Lena Hallstrom. Mr. and Mrs. Sorvig returned to their home on Sunday.

The many relatives and friends of George Wilson and Alta Olson received announcements of their marriage last week at Minneapolis. The young people are well known, having lived here since childhood. They will make their home in Minneapolis, the groom being employed there by a railway company.

Dr. Bjerken is moving his office fixtures into the former Gigstad real estate office, which he will occupy in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fricker had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson of Grygla and Esther Fricker, who is teaching school at Grygla. The party motored here in the morning, returning the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter leave today for southern Minnesota and Iowa, where they intend to spend the winter with their daughters.

Misses Manda and Helga Kalland leave today for Baudette, where they will be employed, after spending some time here visiting relatives.

Louis Catelineau, Jr., is home from Litchfield, where he has been employed during the past season as assistant surveyor by Glenn Martz.

The R. L. Hauge and Otto Johnson families entertained their cousins, the Helgeo young people of Halstad, over the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge of Bemidji are spending a few weeks at the Hauge and Peter Johnson homes.

Mrs. W. J. Janda and baby spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalland.

Mrs. H. Haugen and Mrs. J. S. Roy left for Hillsboro, N. D., on Saturday, having been called there by the death of their father.

The G. I. Fellman family motored to Grand Forks last Thursday on a combined pleasure and business trip.

Misses Lydia and Esther Johnson and brother, Ernest, arrived Tuesday from Grand Forks for a visit at their parental home in Bray township.

A party of young people autoed out to the Oscar Gigstad farm Sunday and spent the afternoon and evening.

ROSEWOOD

Shall We Have a Traveling Library?

Shall Rosewood benefit by the recent inauguration of traveling libraries for small villages, towns and communities in Minnesota? This question has arisen the past week and several of the community bookworms have answered it with "yes." The Minnesota traveling library is under the supervision of the department of education. Books are loaned at the rate of 25 or 50 volumes to the case and may be retained by the community for six months. Six books in any foreign language may be secured.

Mrs. A. S. Holm is heading this movement in Rosewood and it is to hoped that the entire community will give her its backing. A meeting will be called at Rosewood within a short time and all lovers of good reading matter should not fail to be present and give the undertaking their support. The appointed librarian has charge of all books and the place where the books are kept must be open for certain hours every week for the convenience of the borrowers.

Palmer and P. A. Woldness left on Monday for Warren, where they attended to business matters.

C. L. Skonevd of Radium was in town last Tuesday on insurance business.

Mrs. Carl Mellem spent Monday at Viking visiting with her sister, Miss Lily Holson, who is teaching school near that place.

A special meeting of the Rosewood Farmers' club has been called at the Dist. No. 1 school building for Monday evening, Nov. 15, to discuss the advisability of co-operatively purchasing a large quantity of flour and feed.

About thirty friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sorenson last Wednesday evening in the form of a surprise to congratulate the newlyweds. The evening was very pleasantly passed in social diversions and a sumptuous lunch brought along by the ladies was served at midnight. A varied assortment of useful articles was presented to the bride in remembrance of the occasion. The Streble family from Angus and the Geo. Anderson family from Warren, besides a number of young folks from Viking, Anita and Warren were among the outsiders present.

Mrs. Jas. Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, were visitors at the J. E. Hellquist home on Saturday.

The Rindal ladies' aid sewing auction will take place in the church next Saturday evening, Nov. 13. Useful home made and purchased articles and lunch will be for sale.

Miss Clara Sorenson, accompanied by two of the Pederson girls from near Holt, boarded the Friday train here to spend Sunday with John Sorenson's at Thief River Falls.

Victor Mosbeck and Howard Carlson have been employed on the section here since last week.

John Raftseth was at Warren between trains last Tuesday to receive medical attention.

Misses Nina and Tina Westby returned last Wednesday from Thief River Falls, where they had spent a few days visiting and shopping.

Miss Esther Thoreson, who had spent two weeks with her sister at Thief River Falls, arrived home last Thursday.

Town of New Solum's election on Tuesday resulted as follows: Harding, 87; Cox, 16; Dehs, 37; Preus, 31; Shipstead, 128; Hodgson, 5; Steenerson, 46; Jeffers, 5; Thornodson, 111; Berve, 115; Green, 44. For a new county, yes, 57; no, 70. Amendment No. 1 about three to two against. A total of 162 votes were cast.

Ingrid Nordhagen attended the Foragen auction sale west of Thief River Falls on Monday and purchased a splendid cow.

L. Olson of Warren was here on Tuesday negotiating with local business men concerning the installation of electric lights in the business section.

Miss Synneva Sorenson left last Monday for Viking, where she will be employed at the Park hotel for some time.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at Thief River Falls, arrived Saturday to remain over Sunday with her folks.

Chester Dols came home from high school at Thief River Falls last Wednesday and spent a few days with his parents and expects to leave on Saturday for Minneapolis.

The L. L. Furan family Sundayed with the S. Benson folks at Thief River Falls.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindson spent Sunday afternoon at the Hans Dahl home.

Mrs. M. Stokkie and children visited at the Robert Rambec home one day last week.

Mrs. C. Boyce and daughter Ruth were callers at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Salve Tharaldson, who is teaching school at Oklee, visited with his brother over Sunday.

Henry Klockman departed for Hibbing where he will be employed.

Miss Lillian Prehall was a guest of Mildred Nelson Sunday.

Miss Bessie Roller called at the Benttin home one day last week.

Mrs. Emil Hanson was a guest of Mrs. Stokkie Monday.

Mrs. M. Stokkie visited at the Albert Rohrer home last Wednesday.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson visited at the Hans Dahl home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children were callers at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Misses Nettie and Silva Bendickson were Sunday guests at the C. Klockman home.

Mrs. M. Stokkie visited at the A. K. Haggy home one day last week.

Miss Della Roller returned home Saturday from Goodridge where she has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wayne and family visited at the Will Wayne home the latter part of the week. They left on Sunday for Wyoming, where they will make their future home.

STEINER

Harvey Copp had an auction sale at Holt last Saturday and sold all his farm machinery. He has rented the farm and intends spending some time traveling through Canada and the west.

Steve Warring returned home last week from Humbolt, where he has been threshing and running a tractor plow. After spending a few days here he intends to go to the Iron Range for the winter.

Ole Berg autoed to Holt last Tuesday.

J. A. Russell attended Copp's auction at Holt last Saturday and bought a drill.

The women turned out and voted like men last Tuesday.

A basket social at the Russell school house last Saturday evening was well attended and a very pleasant time reported.

Fred Copp and son transacted business in Holt Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Bailey has been holding meetings at this school house the past week and has been greeted by a full house.

The Swenson boys attended the sale at Holt Saturday.

S. R. Rogers has been discing a piece of new land and says he never saw land in finer condition than now to disc and drag.

Emil Johnson is working for Arthur Simonson.

Mrs. Katie Meyer called at the Rogers home one day last week.

Paul Schanke and son autoed to Holt Saturday afternoon on business.

Martin Kersh drove to Holt Saturday.

Henry Rogers visited in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Nick Baker has been on the sick list for a few days.

John Whitman has been doing his plowing.

Harold Berg autoed to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

And no one could tell the difference!

This test of direct comparison was made by Anna Case, world-famous soprano, before 2500 people, at Carnegie Hall, New York City, on March 10, 1920. See the three diagram sketches below:

First—Miss Case stood beside the New Edison and sang.

Suddenly—the lights went out, but Miss Case's voice went smoothly on.

Then—the lights went on again. Miss Case was gone. The audience gasped with surprise to find that her voice had been coming from the New Edison.

Mr. Santa Claus! Come in and hear the phonograph that did it

We want you to see it, listen to it, test it for yourself. This marvelous phonograph can give the family more pleasure than any other instrument you can buy them for Christmas.

Here is why:

This phonograph has actually proved that it can match the performance of the living artist,—and match it so perfectly that no one can tell its Re-Creation from the living performance.

It did this on March 10, 1920 before 2500 people at Carnegie Hall, New York City,—with Anna Case, the world-famed soprano. It did this on September 30th, 1919, before 2500 people at Carnegie Hall, Pittsburgh—with Marie Rappold, prima donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company. It did this on November 5th, 1919, before 6500 teachers at the State Armory, Albany—with Mario Laurenti of the Metropolitan Opera Company. It did this over 4000 other times, with more than fifty great vocalists and instrumentalists.

You can read the facts of these amazing achievements in the leading newspapers of the United States and Canada. They are the talk of the music and scientific world.

And the phonograph? It's the Official Laboratory Model of the New Edison, "the phonograph with a soul". Every Official Laboratory Model in our store is an exact duplicate of the famous original Official Laboratory Model which cost Mr. Edison three million dollars to perfect. It is capable of sustaining the test of direct comparison; we guarantee this.

Get an Official Laboratory Model for Christmas. You will have the one phonograph which brings you the living performances of great artists exactly as those artists have given them. You know this is so! The proof has been given! The absolute, scientific proof!

Say the word,—and we'll save an Official Laboratory Model for you, and deliver it in time for Christmas.

The NEW EDISON
"The Phonograph with a Soul"

Test It Yourself

You'll be able to recognize its superiority with your own ears—in every kind of vocal and instrumental music. Come in and see whether this isn't so. We'll gladly give you Mr. Edison's famous Realism Test.

Money Help

Ask about our Budget Plan. It shows you how to make best use of your Christmas money. It brings your New Edison for Christmas, and makes 1921 help pay. Careful, systematic spending always makes money go further.

Prices

There is no inflation in Edison Prices! "Edison stood the Gaff" to keep his favorite invention within the reach of everyone.

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American Legion Notes

The Legion Flower.

Scarlet poppies should be worn on Memorial day and not on Armistice day, as was done last year. The official flower of the American Legion is intended as a symbol of mourning for our dead comrades and should not be worn at times of jollification such as Armistice day. An error in submitting a resolution to the National convention made it read "Armistice Day" where it should have read "Memorial Day."

Minnesota Leads Again.

Captain Packard, Minnesota Medal representative, writes that Minnesota leads in the distribution of Victory medals and credits the Legion post with this achievement for the state.

Woman's Auxiliary to Legion.

Committees have been appointed for the purpose of forming a Woman's Auxiliary to the Legion Post at Thief River Falls and it is hoped that the organization will be completed in time to enable them to be represented at the Woman's Auxiliary convention which will be held at the Curtis hotel, Minneapolis, on November 18 and 19. It is hoped that the foundation of the first state organization ever perfected by a department of the Woman's Auxiliary to the American Legion will be accomplished at this convention.

Profiteering in Bonus Claims.

Some investment companies are, in the opinion of various citizens of the state, attempting to hold up the ex-service men upon their bonus claims and making an unreasonable profit. There is no indication of any such action on the part of banks or investment companies in or near Thief River Falls. At the present price of the state bonus bonds, a charge of approximately $3.75 per hundred dollars is a fair discount and any larger discount is unfair and exhorbitant. The next session of the Minnesota legislature will undoubtedly provide for the payment of all bonus claims in full.

Legion Basket Ball.

Members of the local post gathered at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening for the purpose of discussing plans for the coming basket ball season. It was voted to operate the team under a committee of five of the local business men, because of a decided lack of management shown during the past basket ball season.

A delegation of business men appeared with representatives of the Legion at the regular meeting of the city council on Tuesday evening, at which time the council voted to grant the Legion the use of the auditorium for the basket ball season free of charge. This will enable the post to operate through the winter season without possibility of a financial loss and possibly enable them to establish a fund for future operations.

Games are already being booked, though no actual dates have been set. There is much good material to choose from among the Legion men and it is expected that a good fast team will be able to win recognition in the northern part of the state. The first work-out will take place at the high school on Wednesday night.

Make Application Now.

O. J. Welum, army field clerk, is here from the Minneapolis recruiting office and will maintain an office at the Commercial club rooms during the next ten days for the purpose of taking applications for Victory medals. Bring in your service record and assist the government in the distribution of the medals.

Expresses His Thanks.

Chairman Wilhelm Michelet of the Pennington County Republican committee has received a letter from Clifford L. Hilton, attorney general of the state, expressing the thanks of the latter for the support given him during the recent campaign. Mr. Hilton asks that the women voters be particularly thanked as he attributed his success at the polls in a large measure due to the splendid vote given him by these newly enfranchised citizens.

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Minneapolis.)

Fundamental conditions compared with the previous week, as we see it, are unchanged. The continued lack of European stability and the lack of new buying stimulous, remain the chief obstacles to a firmer tone.

The British strike seems to be only technically settled. Generally European finance is in critical shape. Future uncertainty is the keynote, the ruling sentiment.

An advance in course grain values continues to be under the handicap of increasing terminal stocks, and a sluggish, hand-to-mouth demand, values however, being considerably influenced by the action of wheat. The total U. S. feed crops are estimated to be 26 per cent greater than a five year average animal consumption. Huge crops of corn and oats of unequalled quality will sooner or later be seeking an outlet. For the moment there appears to be nothing tangible to encourage speculative buying or holding.

Canadian wheat crop figures have been officially revised to 293,881,000. The previous report was 289 million. Her oats crop is finally computed at 543 million as against 394 million last year. Definite figures for the new Argentine wheat crop are not yet available, but estimates are now being made of her exportable surplus which vary from 110 million to 180 million. Her total crop probably will reach 180 million, which, though smaller than last year, would exceed a five year average by about 20 million and which, together with an average Australian yield already presaged by recent beneficial rains, would insure an adequate supply for Europe.

Broomhall reports the United Kingdom as having sufficient breadstuffs at her ports to last until March, when deliveries from the continents of the Southern Hemisphere will be due. With North American exportable surplus of 400 million the Southern continents should supply Europe with her additional needs.

Assuming reasonably approximate correctness of the present estimated Argentine-Australian surplus, therefore, the hope of higher American wheat prices on the basis of export demand should be abandoned. Should the growers holding attitude prove fairly unanimous and effective, it is possible that a shortage of home requirements may develop. In fact the market seems to be now getting to a domestic basis. Receipts if maintained, while smaller than last year, will be more than adequate for home demands, but in view of the approaching demand for cash wheat to fill large export contracts, it is conceivable that stocks of wheat (156,832,000 bushels to November 1st as against 233,668,000 a year ago) may be reduced to a point that will bring about at least a temporarily higher level.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $17.13, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Olava Lyngholm and L. H. Lyngholm, her husband, mortgagors, to Wheeler-Misner Loan Company, a corporation of the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated May 15th, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Pennington, state of Minnesota, in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 281, having been filed for such record May 21st, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., which said mortgage provides that if Mortgagors therein fail to pay interest on a prior mortgage therein mentioned, for the principal sum of $500.00, on the premises hereinafter described, at the time the same shall become due under the conditions of said prior mortgage, then and in that event, said mortgagee may pay such interest and have an additional claim and lien upon said premises therefor, with interest on the amount so paid at the rate of ten per cent per annum, under the first above mentioned mortgage; that said Mortgagors have failed to pay interest on said prior mortgage in the amount of $90.00, $30.00 of which became due May 19th, 1918, $30.00 May 19th, 1919, and $30.00 May 19th, 1920, and said mortgagee has paid the sum of $90.00 interest on said prior mortgage; and

Said first above mentioned mortgage further provides that in event of the default on the part of the mortgagors therein in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the whole sum secured by said mortgage shall become due and payable at once, that the whole sum secured by said mortgage is the sum of $27.13, exclusive of said interest on said prior mortgage, and said mortgagee has elected to and does hereby declare the whole of said sum to be due, and in addition thereto, said sum of $90.00, interest on said prior mortgage, and interest thereon amounting to $7.83, in all amounting to the sum of $124.23, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

That the premises described in and conveyed by said first above mentioned mortgage are situate in the county of Pennington, state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter (W½ of SW¼) of section nine (9), in township one hundred fifty-four (154) north, range thirty-nine (39) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian;

Now therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said first above mentioned mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed thereby, subject to said prior mortgage, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 18th day of December, 1920, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $[illegible], and interest on $100.00 thereof at ten per cent per annum from the date of this notice to the date of sale and [illegible] attorney's fee, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law in case of foreclosure of said mortgage, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, 1920.

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minnesota.
N-11-18-25-D-2-9-16

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Mary Gonen:

(1). You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Seven, (7) Eight (8) and Nine, (9) Block Fifteen, (15) in Porter's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington the above described pieces or parcels of land were sold for the sum of Nineteen dollars and forty cents.

(3) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Nineteen dollars and forty cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $19.40 thereof from said 8th day of May, 1916, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $20.74 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum, from the 12th day of May, 1917, to the day thereof redemption is made.

(4) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(5) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 25th day of October, 1920.

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minnesota
(Official Seal)
By Axel Risberg, Deputy.
N11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS Default has been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage made, executed and delivered by EDWIN OLSON and MABEL OLSON, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as Mortgagors, to CITIZENS STATE BANK of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as Mortgagee, upon and covering the following real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit.

The South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼), Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township one Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

which said Mortgage bears date the 25th day of June, 1915, and was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of June, 1915, at 4 o'clock P. M., and was thereafter duly recorded in said office in Book 12 of Mortgages, on Page 211, and

WHEREAS, Thereafter and on the 16th day of August, 1915, said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, by a written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Edwin White, and which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of August, 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 8 of Mortgages, on Page 624, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 13th day of October, 1915, the said Edwin White, by written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle, Joseph H. Clark and Edmund S. Durment, Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, Deceased, which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of October, 1915, at 8 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 11 of Mortgages, on Page 488, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 17th day of February, 1917, Albert R. Moore of Ramsey County, Minnesota, was appointed by the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, the Court in which the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, is being administered, Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, in place and stead of Edmund S. Durment, deceased Executor, and the said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, are now the owners of said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, and

WHEREAS, Such default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the principal of said mortgage indebtedness, to-wit the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500.00), which became due on the 1st day of July, 1920, and to pay interest upon said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, since the 1st day of July, 1919, and

WHEREAS, by reason of the default as aforesaid, said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, Assignees, as authorized by the said Mortgage and the note thereby secured, have declared, and do hereby declare, the whole of the principal sum secured by the said mortgage and note to be due and payable, and the same is now due and payable, and

WHEREAS there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage and the note thereby secured at the date of this notice the sum of Sixteen Hundred and Twenty-one and 60-100 Dollars ($1621.60) (being $1500.00 for principal and $121.60 for interest thereon), and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the same, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and pursuant to the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and the Statute in such case made and provided, said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the real property therein described will be sold by the Sheriff of the said County of Pennington in the State of Minnesota, or by his Deputy, at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash, at the Main Front Entrance of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County of Pennington, on Monday, the 27th day of December, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which will then be due upon said mortgage, including taxes and insurance premiums, if any, paid by said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and including an attorney's fee of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, and the costs and expenses of this foreclosure.

Dated October 20, 1920.

FRED W. SHARPE,
WHEELOCK V. TOWLE,
JOSEPH H. CLARK,
as Executors of the Estate,
of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased,
ALBERT R. MOORE,
as Administrator de bonis non
with the will annexed of the
Estate of Ralph E. Cobb,
deceased,
Assignees of Mortgage.
MOORE, OPPENHEIMER & PETERSON
Attorneys for Assignees of Mortgagee,
Suite 1015 Merchants National
Bank Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.
N11-18-25-D2-9-16

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of James O. Thorstad, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth Thorstad, Eddie Olaf Thorstad, Gertie Adella Yoale, Bert N. Thorstad, Jesse M. Thorstad, Gladys Florence Thorstad, and Rudella Malla Thorstad, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, You, and Each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of November, 1920 at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of November, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
n4-11-18

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten acres of dry pole wood and about 20 loads of grub wood, five miles northwest of town. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls Minn. R 1 Bx A9 99p

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room bungalow, 112 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—Bargain for quick sale, 7-room house. Fine location. Call 669 Horace Ave. N. 96p

FOR SALE—One Kalamazoo self feeder stove. Almost as good as new. Will [illegible]—M. C. Burns, Phone 4273. 93tf

FOR SALE—Man's buffalo coat, otter trimmed. In very good condition. Enquire at Times office. 09

FOR SALE—S½SW¼, Sec. 30, N½NW¼ and NW¼NE¼ Sec. 31, Twp. 158 Rge. 42. Make me your best offer.—H. O. Dalen, Minot, N. D. 6p

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell these for $10 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. B. Conklin, R. 3, city. 94tf

FOR SALE—120 acres of prairie land, 5 miles southeast of town. Inquire of O. C. Paulson, 121 Tindolph Ave. S. 2p

FOR SALE—Seven room house on Kendall Ave. S. Reasonable terms. Inquire of O. C. Paulson, 121 Tindolph Avenue South. 2p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Good five room house, [illegible] and 5 lots on East Side by [illegible]. Inquire at C. Gustafson Implement firm or phone [illegible]. 56tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's either will be sold at bargain, both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 76tf

FOR SALE—New, modern brick store building, now occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 70tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1136, City. 82tf

NOTICE—Good quarter section of land for sale in Pennington county, Minn., at [illegible].00. New house 22x30 in very good [illegible] stucco finish, and a fine new garage. Owner must sell. $2800.00 cash, [illegible] per year for two years and purchaser to assume mortgage for $1500.00 to run about eight years. Interest at 6 per cent. This farm is well located and has considerable fencing. Purchaser can make a good profit on this. Healy Land Company, Red Lake Falls, Minn. 97

FOR SALE—One Model C-25 Buick 4-passenger car in first-class condition. See H. C. Johnson at Nortz Lumber Co.

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 96tf

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—Full blooded Poland China boars. Can furnish registration papers. Took first and third prizes on these at Red Lake County Fair. Write H. O. Anderson, Wylie, Minn. 96p

HAY FOR SALE—Three stacks of upland hay and two stacks of clover hay. O. Granum, Phone 295. 97p

FOR SALE—Millwork, consisting of windows, doors, etc. Complete for six room house. Can be seen at Fisher's Livery Barn. Inquire of Frank Fisher. 94-pd.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address box 1061, Thief River Falls, or call at the Times office. 89tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N

FOR SALE or Exchange for a residence an improved farm close to Mavie, complete with horses, cows, machinery, hay and grain. D. G. Brownlee, Mavie, Minn. 97p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 93tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 78tf

FOR RENT—Large furnished modern room for two gentlemen, 122 St. Paul Av. N. 65tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 801 Main Ave. N. 95tf

FOR RENT—5-room house at No. 914 Duluth Ave. N. $25.00 per month which includes use of stove. Call at the Times office. 95tf

LOST

LOST—Pocketbook containing sum of money. Lost somewhere in city. Finder return to Thief River Cafe for liberal reward. 96p

LOST—Tire and rim 33x4 Goodyear Diamond thread, on public road somewhere east of Thief River Falls. Finder return to First and Peoples State Bank for reward. 96

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A girl to assist at local Western Union office. Apply at office in Evelyn Hotel. 96

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 607 Bridge Street. 96tf

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Good wages.—Mrs. Harold Miller, Crookston, Minn. 96tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework, good wages. Address Mrs. P. L. Aarhus, 610-3d St., F. Fargo. 96

Help Wanted—Male

CLERKS, (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examination, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) 456 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 96p

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 94tf

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—One of World's largest Grocers, (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Write today. State age and occupation. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 96p

MISCELLANEOUS

BAKKEN & SHURSTAD—Painting, Paperhanging and Decorating. Furniture repaired and refinished; made to look as good as new. Located under new First and Peoples State Bank building. Phones 3772 or 3318, Thief River Falls. 96tf

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 86tf

SITUATION WANTED—Young lady wishes a good place at once to do housework. Prefers a place where there are no children. State wages. Inquire at The Times. 96p

Does Your Husband Come Home Tired, Nervous, Irritable?

Physician Says Thousands Of Men Are Breaking Down Simply Because Their Blood Lacks Iron—Tells How To Convince A Husband That He Needs NUXATED IRON To Help Make Red Blood, Strength and Endurance

"John, please take Nuxated Iron and be strong and well again."

"Simply because his blood lacks iron, many an American husband who ought to be feeling young, full of health, vigor and energy and in a position to shower his family with every comfort and luxury is actually struggling to make ends meet—a disappointed and discouraged 'old' man who will probably end up in a nervous breakdown or be carried off by his first illness," says Dr. H. B. Vail, formerly physician in the Baltimore Hospital and a Medical Examiner.

"Because man in the rush and tear of modern life has so little time to think about his blood's condition and is often so slow to admit any weakness, the signs that his blood may be low in iron are often first detected by the watchful, loving eyes of his wife. Does your husband come home pale and fagged out and too tired to do anything or go anywhere? Does he complain about being overworked—the lack of opportunity today—[illegible] Does he find fault with the food, the home or the young ones? [illegible]

"When it may well be true that his blood lacks iron, for the men with plenty of iron in their blood are the healthy, strong ones with the keen minds and the physical energy and stamina to overcome all obstacles—make their own opportunities—and force their way to big positions, power and wealth. My advice to the wife who believes her husband capable of big things in this world is to see that he builds up the iron in his blood and for this purpose I have found nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron. By enriching the blood, creating new blood cells, it strengthens the nerves, rebuilds weakened tissues, and helps instill new energy and endurance in the whole system. Nuxated Iron is used by over 4,000,000 people annually—used and endorsed by former United States Senators and Members of Congress—and in many cases to my knowledge, increases the strength and energy and endurance of weak, run-down, nervous people in two weeks' time."

If your husband asks for proof that lack of iron is making him nervous, weak and [illegible] him back in life, you can probably convince him with the following test: Have him see how long he can work or how far he can walk without becoming tired. Next have him take two five-grain tablets of Nuxated Iron three times daily after meals for two weeks. Then let him test his strength and see how much he has gained.

Manufacturers' Note: Nuxated Iron which is recommended above is not a secret remedy but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated and does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach. [illegible] and the words Nuxated Iron are stamped into each bottle, so that the public may not be led into accepting inferior substitutes. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed by all good druggists in tablet form only.

NUXATED IRON
For Red Blood Strength and Endurance

Kill That Cold With HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous

Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on Sec. 19, Township of Kratka, 3½ miles west of Kratka Postoffice, on

Wednesday, November 17

Sale commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, all of the following described personal property, to-wit:

HORSES

One team mares 8 years old
One horse 10 years old
One mare 11 years old

CATTLE

One cow 5 years old, due in Jan.
Two heifers 18 months old
One bull 18 months old
One registered Shorthorn bull 1½ years old
One cow 10 years old
Some chickens
Two stubble plows
One spring quack grass harrow
One 16 in. brush breaker
One hay rake
Two harrows
One 1-horse cultivator
One road scraper
One forge and other blacksmith tools
One post auger
One sewing machine
One wood heater
One 30-30 Savage rifle
Quantity of beans and peas
Quantity mixed feed
About 120 bu. good oats
One steel watering tank
Five sets window sash with frames
Some storm sash
One plaster's trowel
One pair horse blankets
Lot of harness repair stuff
Some steel traps
Two sets of harness
Two other harness
One wagon and hay rack
One mower
One 14 in. grain drill
One sleigh
One 12 disc harrow
One grindstone
One fence stretcher
One cream separator
One cook stove
One 50-egg incubator
Some barley
About 40 tons hay
Some millet seed
One 16 gal. bbl churn
One stone hammer
One heater drum
Some carpenter tools
Job lot of lumber
Pair horsehide pants

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount time until Nov. 1, 1921, on approved bankable paper.

Carl J. Swenson, Owner

L. O. KONGELF, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming I will sell at public auction on farm known as Ward or O'Brien farm, the SE¼, Sec. 24, Town of Cloverleaf, 3 miles west of Goodridge, and 14 miles east and 1½ miles north of Thief River Falls at Stop 13 on the Electric Line, on

Wednesday, November 24th

commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following personal property:

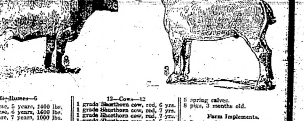

6—Horses—6

1 black horse, 5 years, 1400 lbs.
1 black horse, 6 years, 1600 lbs.
1 black mare, 7 years, 1000 lbs.
1 black mare, 9 years, 1600 lbs.
1 bay horse, 6 years, 1000 lbs.
1 sucking colt, 3 months old.

Livestock

3—Purebred Shorthorns—3

Bull—Tobias 2nd No. 437160, tracing to Scotch Hero 287393 and Imp. Sally.
Cow—Roan Ella No. 465056, out of Count 370904 and Lakewood Ella 3rd.
Heifer—Roan Flossie, (Reg. Cert. applied for), out of Roan Ella and Blizzard.

12—Cows—12

1 grade Shorthorn cow, red, 6 yrs.
1 grade Shorthorn cow, red, 7 yrs.
1 grade Shorthorn cow, red, 7 yrs.
1 grade Shorthorn cow, red, 5 yrs.
1 grade Shorthorn cow, red, 4 yrs.
1 grade Shorthorn cow, red and white, 6 yrs.
1 grade Jersey cow, 4 yrs.
1 grade Guernsey cow, 7 yrs.
1 grade Guernsey cow, 7 yrs.
1 grade Guernsey cow, 5 yrs.
1 grade Shorthorn heifer, 3 yrs.
1 white and red cow, 4 yrs., fresh soon.
1 grade Shorthorn yearling bull.
1 grade Shorthorn heifer, 1 yr.
1 grade Guernsey heifer, 1 yr.
1 grade Shorthorn steer, 1 yr.
1 black and white yearling bull.

5 spring calves.
8 pigs, 3 months old.

Farm Implements.

2 Deering Mowers.
1 Minnesota 8 ft. binder.
2 Deering Rakes.
1 narrow tire wagon with box.
1 breaking plow.
1 3-horse drag.
1 Van Brunt 16 shoe drill.
1 3-horse disc.
1 ¾ horse pump engine and jack.
1 Ford, 5 pass. 1919 auto.
1 bob sleigh.
1 cream separator, new.
1 Round Oak Heater.
3 set of work harness, one set new.
And other articles too numerous to mention.

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Editorial.

Now is the time, students, and the chance to begin some real work and show some real school spirit. We have all had almost a week's vacation and everybody has had a good rest without any worry about lessons.

If you haven't been making good the first part of the term, make the rest of the term worth while. Make your daily lessons easy by getting them every day and don't make yourself a slave to your lessons. Come out for basketball and work. This is the only way to make your school work and school activities full of pep.

Are you thinking about the annual?

The football season is no longer with us—the pig-skin has been safely stowed away—and basketball looms up healthily on the scene. Our boys have had a successful season with but one loss to Bemidji, a loss which was inevitable. The team has been an honest, clean bunch and have upheld the dignity of our school. Inexperience on the part of the members of the team was partly a setback, but with only three members graduating, the prospects for the ensuing year are better than ever before. We feel safe in believing that next year will find us champions in the state and our belief is fully justified. We are proud of our boys and stand loyally behind them.

Are you thinking about the annual?

The basketball season commences today. Basketball is a clean indoor sport and very easy to understand. Therefore, more men ought to be out for basketball than there were for football. There is mighty good stuff in this high school for a fine team and with the enthusiasm and pep of all the students, we can look forward to a peppy, clean basketball season.

Are you thinking about the annual?

During the unsettled period following the great war there seems to be a divided opinion as to its effect on the value of a high school education. The more broad-minded citizens of this country realize that the value of education is more manifest now than ever before, but there is also a tendency among a number of people to believe that the increase in the wages paid for unskilled labor makes a high school course simply a waste of time and money.

During the present time a miner or a woodsman can earn a greater monthly wage than a great many high school graduates are earning in a number of the professions. But is this a permanent change from prewar conditions, or is it merely a result of the war? The war caused a great shortage of unskilled laborers. The labor unions were enabled to force wages up to previously unheard of figures. Skilled labor also increased in value, but not in proportion to the unskilled. The question is, will this ratio continue to exist after our industrial world has returned to a normal basis and wages are again determined by the law of supply and demand?

The return to private life of the soldiers, as well as the great number of civilian war workers, has eased up the labor situation so that now the few shortages reported are caused more by the dictation of labor unions than by an actual dearth of men. Many employment agencies are already reporting a surplus of laborers in their various districts.

But there is also another element that must be reckoned with. What effect is the great immigration from southern Europe which is now well under way, going to have on our industrial life? The majority of these foreigners are uneducated laborers, who will grasp the first chance of employment that will provide a living. They will be hired in preference to our unionized labor, as they are not accustomed to the improved living conditions which our laborers have enjoyed during recent years and can subsist on a much smaller wage. It has always been the policy of employers to engage the cheapest labor they can secure. To meet this new competition the labor unions will have to modify the wages which they now receive from their employers. Even if the unions absorb a great number of the immigrants the time worked by each laborer will have to be reduced in order to maintain the present wage scale, so that the average earnings will be much less than they are at the present time.

The influx of foreign labor will have an entirely different effect on the demand for educated men and women. Instead of being a dangerous competitive force it will greatly increase the demand for trained men. The new laborers will require trained overseers; they will permit an unlimited expansion of our industrial system, as the ambitious young man will not be hampered by dangers of a labor shortage which might otherwise endanger a business venture. And last, but perhaps of the greatest importance, educated men and women will be needed to counteract and subdue the agitators who will surely accompany the Europeans to this country to promote the cause of Bolshevism.

So that instead of being worth less than it formerly was, every indication points to the fact that a high school course will be of far greater value in the near future. There will be a greater number of positions waiting for trained men, and high school graduates will be required to fill them. The opportunities open to educated men and women will be limited only by their individual ambitions and exertions, while the career of the untrained man will be determined entirely by the supply of labor available in the particular occupation in which he casts his lot.

Are you thinking about the annual?

A Senior's Revelation to a Freshman.

Senior: "Have you heard anything about the annual or "Prowler" that the Senors are going to put out?"

Freshman: "No not much. I 'spose it won't be much of a book anyway; only Seniors making it up."

Senior: "You weren't at the Booster meeting that was held a short time ago, were you?"

Freshman: "No, what was it for?"

Senior: "It was for the purpose of arousing enthusiasm and to create a spirit of co-operation among all the students in putting out the 1921 "Prowler."

Freshman: "Who were the speakers?"

Senior: "If you'll listen I'll tell you all about it."

Freshman: "All right, "shoot."

Senior: "Well first, the Editor-in-chief, Dreng Bjornaraa, made a speech dealing with the fact that the work on the annual had begun by the Staff but it could not be a success worthy of representing this high school, unless it is backed by the support and co-operation of every student in school, who is able to contribute anything to its make-up. He pointed out that the urgent need is material. This speech was followed by a skit, made up by some members of the staff, which showed the results to the "Prowler" if there was a lack of co-operation and also if each individual contributed something. Edward Fiterman represented the "Prowler" who was 'passed up' by everyone and consequently was on the verge of passing away, but finally a little Freshman took pity on him and helped him with what he could and this started the rest of the classes to do their share and the 'Prowler' rose up in full vigor, leading the school in a yell for the 1921 "Prowler." In conclusion the business manager, Harold Smithers, gave a 'peppy' and enthusiastic talk, also urging for united co-operation and effort in getting in the material and finally when the book is published, to subscribe, get others to subscribe, and give any other financial aid that is possible. He also pointed out that one ought to be proud of assisting in the production of the book. Now, do you understand how it is to be done and what responsibility each one of us have in relation to it?"

Freshman: "Yes, I guess so, and I'll try to do my best too! I am sure that if every student understands it as I do after you have put it over to me, there can be no doubt but what it will be one of the best annuals produced by this high school!"

Are you thinking about the annual?

Getting Mother Interested.

"Well, I made the team," were the first words uttered by Joe Harris as he came in the house after being at school.

"The team?" exclaimed his mother, "what kind of a team have you made?"

"Why, the basketball team, that's the only game that's being played now," answered Joe.

"Well, I wish you would quit playing those foolish games and come home and study; you know it never hurts a person to study."

"Now, I don't really agree with you there," replied Joe. "If a person studies all the time, with no exercise at all, his marks will begin to fall down."

"I don't care," said his mother. "It's nothing but a rough game and you will get hurt sooner or later, and then perhaps you will know enough to quit; and as for exercise, I guess you get all that you want right out here in the back yard splitting wood."

"If you think it is such a rough game, I wish you would come and see our first game next Saturday."

After much talking, Mrs. Harris consented to go.

Joe was sure she would enjoy it, so Saturday night she went to see him play.

Several times the next day Mrs. Harris asked questions about the game and Joe thought she was getting interested, and sure enough she was ready to go to the next game they played.

Are you thinking about the annual?

Election at High School.

A diviation from the regular curriculum occurred last Tuesday, election day, when Mr. Pierce announced that a straw vote was to be cast by the students and faculty for president and governor. Supt. Ziegler also pointed out the importance of the day and the students' relation to future elections of similar importance. The result of the election was as follows:

For president—Harding, 183; Cox, 63; Debs, 7; Christensen, 4; W. W. Cox, 3.

For governor—Preus, 146; Shipstead, 66; Hodgson, 61.

The majority of the students have considered present politics quite seriously and this straw vote shows that they feel a change is necessary.

Are you thinking about the annual?

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MINNEAPOLIS, U.S.A.
DON'T BURN YOUR STRAW.
IT HAS A MONEY VALUE
HAY — STRAW

Be Game.

When you feel tired and blue,
And don't know what to do,
Just get to work and move about
Be Game.

When all the world goes wrong,
And your heart can't sing a song,
Just make it laugh and sing and shout
Be Game.

When things don't come your way,
And you can't have your say,
Then smile about till you can shout,
Be Game.

When you make a big mistake,
And you feel you are a fake,
Just try again, for sure you'll win,
Be Game.

Are you thinking about the annual?

General Visiting Day at Central School.

Thursday, Oct. 28th, was general visiting day at the Central school. The parents of the pupils attending the school were requested to visit and look over the best work done by the pupils. The best maps, best stories, best arithmetic and grammar papers were on exhibition and it was proven that the day was enjoyed by the parents.

Are you thinking about the annual?

Chapel Period Friday Morning.

Mr. Ziegler opened chapel period Friday morning by making the announcement that there would be no vacation the next week which had been decided on at the teachers' meeting the evening before. The rest of the period was turned over for the "Prowler" boosting and singing.

Dreng Bjornaraa and Harold Smithers made speeches, both of them emphasizing the need of co-operation of the high school to make the Prowler a success. A skit was put on the stage for the purpose of emphasizing the same and it is expected that every student can see his own responsibility in making this the best and the biggest annual ever put out by this high school.

Are you thinking about the annual?

Jokes.

Miss Elliott (in civics)—"The state shall decide which criminals are bailable (baleable)."

Man is the only animal that can be skinned more than once.

John H.: "Say, would you go with me hunting next Tuesday?"

Chuck H.: "Yes. Have you got a dog?"

John H.: "Yes."

Chuck H.: "Does it get the chickens."

John H.: "No."

Alumni: (in discussing a school she had applied for): "There isn't even a decent furnace, only a wood-stove."

Palma J. (Freshie): "Well, but won't that burn up?"

Miss Patrick (in English III asking Elmer J. about four of Shakespeare's comedies, and who does not exactly know.) "Have you heard of Shylock?"

Nora L.: "We haven't read that yet."

Miss Patrick: "Where did Shakespeare go first when he fled to London?"

William McGinnity: "To the Gayety."

Are you thinking about the annual?

Personals.

Clarence Rice, who has been visiting with his parents at Plummer returned Monday morning to resume his studies at the Lincoln high.

Misses Florence Burns and Stella Thompson were Saturday visitors at Mavie.

All the teachers that attended the convention at St. Paul last week report a fine time.

Edward Fiterman made a business trip to Red Lake Falls, Crookston and Fargo during our high school vacation last week.

Marshall Race spent Wednesday with his brother who is principal of the school at Oklee.

Dreng Bjornaraa visited at his home near Gully during vacation.

Adolp Sundrud left Wednesday morning for Gonvick where he spent the vacation.

Albert Stengelson and Chester Doles left Wednesday for their respective homes near Rosewood to enjoy the short vacation.

The boys have begun to practice basketball. We're sure going to have some team this year.

Angela Schmitt, a member of the class of '19, who is now attending the State Normal at Bemidji, visited with friends and relatives here during last week.

Dottie Krofthefer spent her vacation with her folks at Mahnomen.

The vacation was enjoyed very much by most of the students, especially those who live out of town and have the opportunity to visit at their homes.

Ernest Zeh left for Minneapolis last Wednesday evening where he visited with friends over the vacation.

Evelyn Peterson visited at her home in Hazel over the week end.

Miss Iverson, who left last Tuesday evening to attend the M. E. A., was unable to return with the other teachers on account of illness.

Elizabeth Johnson visited last week at her home near Goodridge.

Howard and Lois Struble spent their vacation at their home near Mavie.

Clara Oien visited over vacation at her home near Hazel.

Thora Moe and Constance Klungnes visited during vacation at their homes near Holt.

Lillian Knight visited in Red Lake Falls last week.

Are you thinking about the annual?

Typewriting Speed Test.

On Oct. 29th the typewriting 2 class were given a speed test. The highest rate was obtained by Amy Sorlom who wrote 419 words in ten minutes making only two errors, averaging about 40.9 words a minute.

The second highest was obtained by Velerie Paranteau, who wrote 318 words, 7 errors, averaging about 28.3 words a minute.

Are you thinking about the annual?

"Kub Kapers."

Would you like to know
Who's Who and Why?
School Scandal?
Ghastly Gossip?
If you do, the "Kub" Reporters will tell you.

Watch for "Kub Kapers" in the next issue.

Are you thinking about the annual?

Want Ads.

By Mildred Bottleson — Someone who will supply her with money for which to buy movie magazines.

By Ernest Zeh—A little more excitement during the sixth period. Also someone who will help him keep his desk in order.

By Harold Smithers—A more elevated platform from which to render his speeches and solos, as it is impossible for him to give his audience the full value of his entertaining ability if he knows that he is not within the sight of everyone present.

By Senior Class—Better co-operation, boosters for the Prowler of 1921 and a system by which order might be instilled at class meetings.

By Russell Anderson—Some remedy or device which will keep the hair on the right side of his head from separating from that on the left side.

By Eileen Herron—A little advice on "How to Devote Your Spare Time in a Useful Way."

By Betsey Ness—Less appreciation of the work she did for the members of the Senior class when they were Freshmen.

By Miss Johnson, music teacher—A girl's glee club, consisting of a group of girls who can sing and read music, who do not dress their hair in a fashion that will hinder them from hearing correctly. It is impossible to teach music to deaf persons.

By a Freshman—A kind and considerate upper classman, preferably a Senior, who would be willing to teach him the art of studying during vacant periods.

By Mr. Molby—A little knowledge as to what the last year's chemistry class did with such app. as test tubes, (both hard and soft), glass tubing, burners and bottles.

By students in the southeast corner of the assembly—A little more time to get to classes, especially when going to the lowest story. If no more time can be allowed an elevator will be appreciated.

By Violet Krohn—Several undated class permits.

Are you thinking about the annual?

Attend Convention.

High school was closed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week to permit the high school faculty to attend the state convention of teachers held in St. Paul. Some of the grade teachers also attended but it was possible to secure substitutes so their schools were uninterrupted.

An unusually large number of teachers attended the convention. This easily indicates the progressivism and alertness of the teachers of our schools this year, because teachers who are willing to go to Minneapolis, pay every penny of their own expenses to attend a teachers' convention are of the progressive type. Another factor indicating the progressiveness this year is the atmosphere of the students in school. Students are becoming more and more desirous of making the most of their school work, for they are continually being urged and directed by well qualified instructors. The response on the part of the students is a very hopeful sign, indicating that Thief River Falls is making splendid progress. Not a single school in Northwestern Minnesota sent anywhere near so large a delegation of teachers to the convention as did Thief River Falls. We have a corps of progressive teachers who are rapidly pushing our schools into the front ranks.

Teachers who were unable to attend the state convention in St. Paul attended the convention at Warren recently so that every single teacher in the entire staff has indicated his or her progressiveness by attending a teachers' convention.

A Wild Dream.

While sitting in the den on the day after Christmas, I was roused from my reading by the mailman's footsteps on the porch. I rushed to the door and he handed me a large envelope with my name typewritten on it. I tore it open and out fell a piece of blue paper. On it was scrawled in scarlet ink the words, "Meet me at the grave yard at midnight or you'll be sorry," and no more. A great fear came over me. What could it mean? For hours I mused over that slip of paper. Suddenly I started and glancing at the clock saw that the large hand pointed to 10 and the small hand—was it possible—to 12!

"Should I go?" I asked myself.

I did not stop to answer my question, but slipped nervously into my coat and cap, and the next moment found me hastily making my way toward the graveyard. I had a curious feeling that I was flying—I stepped so lightly and rapidly. The next thing I knew I was sitting on a tombstone waiting for someone—I knew not whom.

Suddenly out of the darkness a tall black object loomed. In the faint light of the ghostly moon I saw its face was so deathly pale that I knew not whether this was man or corpse. With one bony finger he beckoned for me to follow.

Again I felt the peculiar sensation of flying through the cold night air. We passed many houses from whose windows reflected the Christmas spirit and revelry which was within. Why was it that others were so calmly sitting by their hearthfires, while I was following this hideous creature thru the blackness of the night?

Finally we came to an old tumble-down shack behind which tall pines rose, and the moaning of the wind through these made me shudder. Into this haunted house, for such it was, we groped our way. We climbed the creaking stairs and I followed the dark object as it went from one room to another, for what reason I dared not ask, for not a word had passed between us.

At the end of a long corridor I suddenly missed my companion, who, though fearful to look upon, was better than none in this haunted house. In vain I called, but the echo of my voice frightened me badly.

I was petrified with fear. The stair creaked. Then all was silent. My hair fairly rose when the sound of clanking chains came to my ears. The moments passed slowly after that, and a vague loneliness crept over me. Then with ghostly tread a figure draped in mystic white from the farther end of the long passage advanced slowly toward me. This was enough. With one shrill whoop I ran—then stumbled.

Suddenly it became light about me. I heard a cheery laugh.

"What are you sprawling all over my Christmas present for? Get up, lazy bones, and come out for a sleigh ride!"

Uncle George was right. I was indeed sprawling over his new tapestry easy chair. I had run a long distance—all the way from the other side of the room where my Christmas book lay with half the pages torn out.

Are you thinking about the annual?

Practical Christmas Gifts

National
ALUMINUM STEAM PRESSURE
COOKER and CANNER

With the approach of Christmas, women everywhere are looking forward either to giving or receiving NATIONAL PRESSURE ALUMINUM COOKERS as holiday Presents.

Can for Profit
Cook for Health

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FOURTH ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW OPENS MONDAY

Rules of American Association Will Govern Every Detail of Competition.

Far-Reaching Importance of Event Hardly Realized By General Public.

Section's Fame as Poultry Region Has Spread and There Will Be Many Entries.

The Pennington County Poultry association is a life member of the American Poultry association and will hold its fourth annual show in the auditorium at Thief River Falls next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, under the rules of the National organization and in accordance with the 1915 edition of the Standard of Perfections. Handsome special medals will be offered at this show by the American Poultry association for the best cockerel in a group to consist of the American, Asiatic, Mediterranean, English, Polish, Hamburg, French, Game and Continental classes. A handsome medal for the best bird in the Bantam classes will also be offered. A beautiful three-year diploma is offered for the best male under one year in all standard breeds of land and water fowl.

Increased Exhibits Guaranteed.

The average citizen of Thief River Falls or Pennington county may not fully understand the significance and scope of this fourth annual poultry show. It is expected to outrival many of the shows held in cities much larger than Thief River Falls and will attract exhibitors from the entire Northwest.

About 500 of the new premium lists have been mailed to points in southern Minnesota, the Dakotas, Illinois, Wisconsin and Iowa. Many of these have been sent upon request and many to poultry breeders who exhibited at the show of last year. The association directors state that premium lists will be forwarded upon request from the farm bureau office, Thief River Falls.

Over 200 entry blanks had been sent out before the first of the week, many being mailed each day. The number of exhibits will show a great increase over last year.

Merchants Donate Specials.

The poultry show is put on at a great expense to the association. Premium lists are a big item of the expense. Last year the association purchased 300 steel display coops at a cost of $400 in order to do away with the cumbersome wooden coops and to show the birds to the best of advantage.

For the second best display of each of the following named breeds the merchants of the city herewith named are awarding special premiums: Barred Plymouth Rocks, Carl Froseth; White Plymouth Rocks, Louis Cohn; White Wyandottes, Chas. Lieberman; Single Comb Rhode Island Reds, Shanahan & Sheedy; Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, H. K. Strand; Brown Leghorns, Bakken & Crown; White Leghorns, E. L. Rolland; Black Leghorns, Hanson & Barzen; White Orphingtons, Lambert's drug store; Brahmas, Thief River Cafe; Cochins, Laird's Specialty Shop; Langshans, Jung Bros.

In addition to the above merchandise specials, the Farmers' and Merchants' State bank is offering a $50.00 silver loving cup for the highest scoring male bird at the show and the First and Peoples' State bank is offering a $50.00 loving cup for the highest scoring female bird. These cups must be won three times before becoming the permanent property of the winners.

Promise of Added Feature.

The directors of the poultry association have been making a great effort to secure a fish and game exhibit from the state of Minnesota to be placed with this poultry exhibit. Carlos Avery, state fish and game commissioner, went on record as being very strongly in favor of this added feature in view of the fact that northern Minnesota has never held such an exhibit. J. J. McCann, county agent, is in Minneapolis for the purpose of taking the matter up with the superintendent of fisheries, whose absence from the state has delayed the necessary arrangements.

This feature, if secured, will include exhibits of live fish common to the northwestern states, mounted large game and small live animals. If not secured for the show of next week, plans will immediately be made to guarantee such an attraction for the fifth annual poultry show to be held in 1921.

NO SECRETARY FOR FAIR BOARD NAMED

President Fuller Will Look After Clerical Work During the Winter Months.

The directors of the Pennington County Fair association discussed minor plans for the 1921 fair in an assembly at the Commercial club rooms on Saturday evening. It was generally supposed that a secretary would be elected for the coming year at this meeting but, there being little to require the services of a secretary at this period of the year, the election was indefinitely postponed. Herbert Fuller, president of the association, will temporarily assume the light secretarial duties.

The high board fence on the west side of the fair grounds and along the Jefferson Highway on the north will be torn down to be replaced in the spring by a modern woven wire fence. The present fence has long been an eye-sore, a nuisance and a builder of huge drifts of snow along a highway which carries a great deal of traffic winter and summer. The horse stalls in connection with the west fence will also be torn down and the lumber, which is of excellent quality, be used in the construction of a new stock barn.

A building program will be put in operation at a future date, depending a great deal upon conditions and cost of construction. The need of a new women's building is realized, but no action has been taken. The officials state that the matter will be allowed to rest until spring or such a time when a lowered cost of material and construction will make advisable the erection of a suitable and substantial building.

NOTED MISSIONARY TO HOLD MEETINGS

Native of Madagascar Will Be at Trinity Lutheran Church on November 28.

Rev. Eugene A. Rateaver, a native missionary of Madagascar, will speak at two meetings at Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday, Nov. 28. Morning services, at 11:00 a. m., will be in Norwegian and the afternoon service at 3:00 will be in English. A noon-day luncheon will be served and an offering taken morning and afternoon, the proceeds to go for foreign missions.

Rev. Rateaver was born a heathen, his father being of French descent and his mother a Malagasy. He was educated in the mission schools of Madagascar, later adopted by a missionary and sent to the United States to complete his education. He holds a B. A. degree from St. Olaf's at Northfield; an M. A. degree from the University of Minnesota and a C. T. degree from the Luther Seminary at St. Paul, where he is at present studying. After completing his education at St. Olaf's and the University of Minnesota, he returned to Madagascar and devoted himself to missionary work. At present he is on a two-year vacation, which he is devoting to studying in Minnesota.

Rev. Rateaver married a daughter of Rev. Schafnitz, city missionary of Minneapolis. He speaks many languages fluently and conducts services in French, Norwegian, Malagasy and English. During his eight years' service in the missions of Madagascar he worked into the interior from Fort Dauphin. Among many achievements of note is his formation of a native Malagasy band and orchestra.

MINOR DEFECT IN PUPILS EXAMINED

School Clinics Show Need of Greater Care on the Part of Parents.

In summarizing the work of the school health clinics held in various sections of the county during the school term of 1919-20, James A. Dahl, chairman of the health committee of the Teachers' Progressive league, reports that of 186 pupils examined all had minor physical defects. The report can not be considered a complete one—rather is it but representative, owing to the fact that many of the duplicate cards made out by county teachers were not forwarded to County Superintendent Gunderson's office. The physical defects were classified as follows: Eyes, ears, nose and throat, 89 cases; teeth, skin and pulse, 72 cases; defective or swollen neck glands, 25 cases.

It is hoped that the health clinic service may be extended to all sections of Pennington county during the present school term. In addition it is planned to re-examine those listed above in order to ascertain just what percentage of parents are desirous of remedying the defects of their children during the most critical part of life—the growing period—the same to be manifest by surgical or medical attention secured upon the suggestions of the examining physicians at the clinic of the past term.

Potato Shippers Dispose of 21 Carloads; Many Left

There will be meetings of the Pennington County Producers association at St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls early in the coming month. At present the association is chiefly a potato producers organization but in the future will undoubtedly broaden its scope.

To date 21 carloads of potatoes have been marketed this season thru the farm bureau and the producers association. Many carloads are still being held by growers and may not be marketed until spring owing to the low prices prevailing and to the inconvenience in shipping during cold weather.

All stores in Thief River Falls will remain closed on Thanksgiving Day. Open on Wednesday evening.

The public is urged to make purchases early in order to avoid last minute disappointment.

NEW OFFICERS FOR RED CROSS BODY CHOSEN

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich Elected President of County Organization For Coming Year.

Contiued Effort Will Be Made to Secure County Nurse For Permanent Post.

Plans For Carrying on Fourth Annual Roll Call Also Discussed at Meeting.

The board of directors of Pennington county chapter, American Red Cross, held a special session at the court house on Friday afternoon. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich was elected chairman for the coming year to succeed T. P. Anderson, Mr. Anderson being elected vice-chairman to succeed Mrs. A. W. Swedenberg. Mrs. E. M. Stanton and T. L. Melgaard were re-elected to their respective offices of secretary and treasurer.

Daniel Shaw, Rev. M. J. Noesen and Rev. R. L. Barackman were reelected as directors for the coming three years and T. J. Austad and Dr. H. W. Froehlich elected to succeed Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, promoted, and Rev. I. T. Austad, resigned, for a like period. Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Mrs. J. J. Richter, W. W. Prichard, Jr., John Bratrud and Dr. C. R. Crandall will continue as directors for the two coming years, and W. A. Ziegler, Miss Maggie Hill, Mrs. Andrew Craik, John Morgan and Mrs. E. K. Aasen will continue as directors for the present year.

The directors are strongly in favor of a county nurse for Pennington and every effort is being made to secure the proper person. Application for a nurse was made on the first of August but up to the present time it has been impossible to secure a responsible person, as there is an apparent shortage of young women in that profession. A great many counties thruout the state have been employing county nurses for several years and are positive that she is a wonderful factor in the physical up-building of the boys and girls. Her field of endeavor thruout a county is practically unlimited. Our sister county of Marshall has been greatly benefited by the efforts of the county nurse and heartily recommended the plan to Pennington county.

Automobile Necessary.

It was also proposed to purchase a small automobile for the use of the county nurse as her transportation must be paid and the automobile has proven the most economical method. The duties of the nurse would carry her into every nook and corner of the county. Her assistance in cases of need can not be over-estimated.

In many instances where Red Cross nurses have been secured by counties her calls have been misunderstood by the families to whom she would render assistance. They have at first resented her prying into their affairs, but once the results of her work have become known this feeling has disappeared and her services repeatedly requested. When Pennington county once becomes accustomed to her ministrations she will be looked upon as a permanent institution.

In preparation for the coming of a county nurse, Miss Swanson of the state chapter of the Red Cross is in Thief River Falls this week for the purpose of organizing classes in nursing in the four chapter branches. She will remain here indefinitely, and her work will be of great assistance in acquainting the residents with the policy of a community nurse. Miss Swanson also recommends a social welfare worker or a community recreation director for the county—one who would cooperate with all civic organizations in providing wholesome recreation for the young people.

Discuss Fourth Enrollment.

The report of the treasurer, T. L. Melgaard, shows the county chapter and branches to be in sound financial condition. Plans for the fourth annual roll call were discussed and it is possible that the method of conducting a house to house campaign will be abandoned for this fall. An effort will be made to re-enlist the support of every member, the future of the Red Cross activities depending upon a liberal response to this call.

The Red Cross chapter will be grateful for any calls from persons in need of assistance. An explanation of the situation would be necessary but this confidence would be sacredly respected and every possible effort made to render the desired aid.

MEMBER OF STATE, NATIONAL BUREAUS

Pennington County Farm Bureau Votes to Affiliate With Larger Organizations.

The directors of the Pennington County Farm Bureau voted to affiliate with the State and National Farm Bureau federation at a meeting held at the farm bureau office in the auditorium on Saturday evening. In consequence of this action the county organization is entitled to representation at the annual convention of the State Farm Bureau federation which is being held at the St. Paul hotel, St. Paul, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Ben Rosendahl, J. J. McCann, county agent, J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture for the state and former superintendent of the Thief River Falls schools, were unanimously chosen to represent the county at this convention.

Each county is entitled to one state federation director, Mr. Rosendahl having been elected. He will represent the county at all future meetings of the Farm Bureau federation, state or national.

The state federation in convention will discuss the membership drive which has been waged since the first of September with exceptional results and will listen to a report on the same. Work will be outlined for the coming year. It has been reported that some county farm bureaus have secured a membership of 90 per cent of the farmer residents of their county and that some townships have secured a membership of 100 per cent. Marshall county reports a total membership of 1500.

The Pennington County Farm bureau will start a membership drive early in the coming year, the exact date depending a great deal upon the condition of the weather and the availability of managers and assistants from the state organizations.

3 AMENDMENTS CARRY; 1 LOST IS FINAL COUNT

Total Vote Cast in State is 797,945, of Which Babcock Plan Gets 526,936.

Income Tax Proposition Defeated Overwhelmingly—Preus Plurality 134,000.

Steenerson's Lead in Ninth is 10,679; Volstead Returned By 1450 Votes.

Three of the proposed constitutional amendments presented for endorsement to the voters of Minnesota on Nov. 2 carried by large majorities, but the third was repudiated in a most emphatic manner. The total vote cast was 797,945.

Harding carried every county in the state and Preus had a plurality of 134,403. The largest vote for any one candidate was cast for O. B. P. Jacobson for railroad and warehouse commissioner, with L. E. Collins for lieutenant governor second.

Halvor Steenerson was re-elected to congress from the Ninth district by a plurality of 10,679 over Thormodson. Andrew J. Volstead was returned from the Seventh, receiving 36,822 votes to 35,370 for his opponent, Rev. O. J. Kvale.

Vote on Amendments.

On the proposed constitutional amendments submitted the vote in the state was as follows: No. 1 (Babcock law)—Yes 526,936; no, 199,609. No. 2 (probate judge)—Yes, 446,959; no, 171,414. No. 3 (income tax)—Yes, 331,105; no, 117,558. No. 4 (railroad assessment)—Yes, 488,497; no 98,015.

The vote on Amendment No. 1 in the Ninth district according to counties was as follows:

	Yes	No
Becker	3,360	2,880
Clay	3,842	2,782
Clearwater	1,434	1,015
Kittson	1,853	1,379
Mahnomen	972	562
Marshall	3,115	2,971
Norman	2,181	2,056
Ottertail	6,694	7,024
Pennington	2,075	1,579
Polk	6,504	4,782
Red Lake	1,311	839
Roseau	1,812	1,894
Wilkin	1,909	767
Total	37,062	30,530

Ninth District Result.

Congressman Steenerson won out by one of the largest pluralities in his history. He has a clear majority over both his opponents of 3,938 and a plurality of 10,679. The vote by counties for the two leading contestants was as follows:

	Steenerson.	Thormodson.
Becker	3,623	2,740
Clay	4,028	2,470
Clearwater	1,323	1,306
Kittson	2,106	1,166
Mahnomen	633	811
Marshall	3,818	2,421
Norman	2,924	2,107
Ottertail	8,501	5,231
Pennington	1,561	2,057
Polk	6,237	4,860
Red Lake	645	803
Roseau	1,970	1,866
Wilkin	1,852	616
Totals	39,122	28,443

Three Hundred-Foot Well Supplies Water at School

Fresh drinking water is now being supplied at fountains in the Lincoln high school from the 300 foot well drilled during the construction of the Smith-Hughes industrial school building. A pressure tank and pump have been installed and placed in operation during the past week. It is planned to supply water for all purposes thruout the group of school buildings as soon as the success of the present system is assured. The school board at one time had practically purchased an elaborate pressure system at a figure around $1500 but thru the efforts of Superintendent Ziegler the present efficient pump and pressure tank were installed at about one-tenth that cost.

STEENERSON IN CABINET PLACE IS POSSIBILITY

Report From Washington States That Ninth District Congressman is Considered.

Long Experience as Chairman of Postoffice Committee in House in His Favor.

Appointment By New Administration Would Be Popular Throughout Service.

News of special interest to people of the Ninth district in particular and to the country in general comes from Washington, according to the Crookston Times, published in the home town of Congressman Halvor Steenerson. It is to the effect that Mr. Steenerson is being considered for the postmaster general's portfolio in the cabinet of President-elect Harding. *The Crookston paper goes on to say:*

"Mr. Steenerson, among the ranking members of the House, has been chairman of the committee on postoffices and post roads for the past six years, and as a member of that committee has been in touch with the department to an extent that well qualifies him for the place.

"Eighteen years continuously in congress has given him a familiarity with the practical side of governmental operation in its general aspects that is the lot of few congressmen, and as Postmaster General he would be able to bring into use a broad knowledge that would guard against the introduction of drastic and untried innovations, yet be capable of bringing the postal department of the nation to a high point of efficient service.

"That the appointment of Mr. Steenerson would meet with the strong approval of the department employes is assured, as he has long taken a recognized and effective interest in affairs pertaining to their welfare. This was well evidenced by the part taken by Mr. Steenerson on the program of the state convention of mail carriers held in this city last summer, as a result of which the loyalty to the postal department of that branch of its service was unquestionably further cemented.

"Confirmation of the report will be eagerly awaited not only by those who helped by their vote in again returning the veteran legislator to Washington, but as well by those who while not voting for Congressman Steenerson still readily concede him to be an able representative and a valuable upholder of the northwest's interests at the seat of government."

Winners at Livestock Show Leave For St. Paul

The group of Red River Valley young people who became entitled to go with their stock to the state junior stock show at St. Paul left Crookston Tuesday headed by A. J. Kittleson, assistant state club leader. The following, all of whom of course, were exhibitors and winners at the junior stock show of the valley counties, held here last week, comprised the party:

Elmer Schjeldrup, Plummer; Alfred Kilen, Kratka; Francis Welsch, Gryglа; Herbert Munson, Climax; William Whalen, Stephen; Teddy Carlson, Hallock; Earl Nicholson, Orleans; Clifford Marshall, Crookston; Amos Kasberg, Eldred; Evelyn Sheldrew, Grygla; Wesley Sheldrew, Grygla; Stephen S. Easter, Humbolt; Edith Alexander, Humbolt; Berdie Olberg, Clearbrook; Alvin Hanisch, Stephen; Orton Olson, Thief River Falls; Carl Ash, St. Vincent; Martin Anderson, St. Vincent.

GREAT TENOR WILL BE HEARD TONIGHT

Edward Barrow Special Attraction With Famous Redpath Concert Orchestra.

The Redpath Concert orchestra and Edward Barrow, tenor, appear at the city auditorium tonight in the first number of the Lyceum course which is being brought to Thief River Falls through the efforts of the Woman's club. This is a company of artists presented to lyceum and musical courses with every feeling of assurance for an unbounded success.

REDPATH ORCHESTRA

Strictly speaking this is scarcely an orchestra, but it forms a very beautiful musical ensemble. The instrumentation, selected with a view of adapting to a program the more melodious and beautiful of good music, is as follows: Violin, cello, flute, clarinet and piano. The artists are men and women of long and careful training and varied experience as concert artists, soloists, as members of big orchestras and light operas, and in musical comedy.

This is Mr. Barrow's first western concert tour, although he filled a season in light operas in the west. With an artist of his standing, comments and press notices are almost superfluous. In preparation he studied with some of the best masters of America and Europe, although he is an American and a resident of the city of Boston. He has been associated with some of the best artists and musical organizations of the two continents. His experience comprises the singing of ballads, oratorios, church music, with symphony orchestras and in opera. He has had much experience in both light and grand opera.

Tickets are on sale this afternoon at Lambert's drug store and the ticket office at the auditorium will be open after 7:00 this evening. Tickets for single lyceum numbers will be 50 cents. Season tickets covering the five numbers are two dollars.

WHIRLWIND DRIVE IS RED CROSS IDEA

Attempt Will Be Made to Close Campaign Up in Two Days This Week.

The local chapter of the American Red Cross will conduct a whirlwind drive for new members tomorrow and Saturday instead of prolonging the same over several weeks time as is being done in many localities. Mrs. Andrew Craik has been appointed chairman and will maintain headquarters at the Evelyn hotel. She will be assisted by Mrs. E. M. Stanton and Miss Elaine Swansan, field representatives for this district.

Booths will be placed in the Ogahmah, the Brumund and the Evelyn hotels. Booths will be in charge of Mrs. L. H. Lawrence and Miss Una Nelson. The Girls' Community club will have patrols throughout the business section.

A house to house campaign will be conducted on these two days. Districts have been alloted to the following ladies: Mrs. A. Holmberg, Mrs. G. C. Streeter, Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, Mrs. C. M. Atkins, Mrs. J. O. Sether, Mrs. E. O. Erickson, Mrs. Cady, Mrs. R. G. Cook, Mrs. Chas. Alexander, Mrs. T. P. Anderson, Mrs. A. G. Gabrielson, Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Mrs. S. E. Hunt, Mrs. L. Hermanson, Mrs. A. Sapero, Mrs. J. W. Hendry, Mrs. Andrew Craik, Mrs. C. B. Bradley, Mrs. John Cronkhite and Mrs. C. R. Crandall.

Any persons not solicited may secure a membership from Mrs. Craik at any time or the membership fee may be forwarded to her by mail.

It is hoped that Pennington county may go over the top in grand style in this year's enrollment drive and Thief River Falls must furnish the greater majority of the new members.

URGES FARMERS TO HOLD THEIR WHEAT

Says 20-Day Tie-up Would Force Price to Near Three Dollars Per Bushel.

If every farmer in the wheat belt would hold his wheat for 20 days the price would go to nearly $3 a bushel and remain high, Abe Slaughter, national organizer for the Wheat Growers' association of America said at Fargo this week. Mr. Slaughter is at the head of a delegation of seven Oklahoma farmers to organize the wheat growers of North Dakota.

After a conference these men will visit the various county seats thruout the state to form organizations for co-operative action on the part of all farmers in North Dakota.

Bankers in states already organized by the wheat growers are giving the farmers full cooperation in the plan to hold wheat, the representatives of the association say.

MARSHALL COUNTY AGAINST DIVISION

Proposition Loses Out By Two to One Vote on Election Day.

While it was early evident that county division had been defeated in Marshall county, the exact figures have only now been made public. The vote stood 1543 in favor of the proposition to 3659 against. Majorities for division were given as follows, the first figures being the number in the affirmative: East Valley, 78-6; Excell, 86-45; Holt township, 89-20; Middle River township, 41-26; Mud Lake, 50-8; Rollis, 79-25; Oslo, 45-39; Argyle village, 151-15; Grygla village, 1-57; Holt village, 4-121; Middle River village, 13-104; Stephen, 29-126; city of Warren, 37-434.

The vote on the amendments was as follows: No. 1, 3115 yes, 2971 no; No. 2, 3581 yes, 1698 no; No. 3, 2990 yes, 1755 no; No. 4, 4165 yes, 974 no. There were a total of 6940 votes cast in the county, Amendment No. 1 thus failing to pass there by 356.

Secure More Shorthorns.

Halvor Tofstad and Jens Letnes of Silverton township were among those who purchased Shorthorn cattle at the Marshall county sale held at Warren last week.

The affair was a great success from every point of view, a large number of cattle, hogs and sheep changing hands.

CALVES RAISED IN PENNINGTON WIN TOP PRIZE

Ruby and Pearl Conklin Head Winners at Junior Stock Show at Crookston.

Competing This Week Against State in Exhibition at South St. Paul.

Possibility That One May Be Entered at National Show in Chicago.

Dairy calves shown at the first junior livestock show at Crookston on Friday and Saturday of last week by Ruby and Pearl Conklin of Thief River Falls, were awarded first and second places and shipped to South St. Paul on Monday to compete for honors at the third annual junior livestock show of the state, held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. There is every possibility that one or both of these calves will take high honors for the state of Minnesota and travel on to the international show at Chicago in December. These two prize winning calves were first shown at the junior livestock show at Thief River Falls on November 5.

Crookston Show Great Success.

The first junior livestock show held at Crookston was a great success and it is believed that it will be staged as an annual event. Twenty-one calves were shown by boys and girls of 11 counties. Twenty-four fat lambs were entered, three of them being from Pennington county. The lamb shown by Frances Conklin at the Thief River Falls fair, where it took second place, was awarded fifth place at Crookston and will be shown at South St. Paul. Lambs shown by Alfred Kilen of Kratka and Orton Olson, which took high honors at the local exhibition, were awarded ninth and tenth places.

The expenses of the exhibitors and the cost of transportation to South St. Paul will be paid by state organizations fostering the livestock event. About $10,000 will be paid for prize and expense money for the entire show. A premium of $10 will be paid to all junior exhibitors whether or not their exhibits secure a ribbon or cup. This is in part compensation for their efforts. Honors and ribbons secure greater cash premiums respectively.

Two Thousand Exhibitors.

The third annual junior livestock show which is being conducted at South St. Paul, promises to be the largest one ever held in the middle west, according to W. A. McKerrow, livestock specialist with the University farm extension division. More than 2,000 boys and girls, from all over the state, have been preparing their animals for this exhibit of young beef and dairy cattle, sheep and pigs.

Three years ago only about 600 juniors were represented in the work of feeding stock. This year the number has increased to about 2,000 representing practically 65 counties of the state, Mr. McKerrow adds.

Pennington county is well represented at South St. Paul by boys and girls who have some of the finest animals that can be raised and when the results of the judging are known, it is expected that the county will continue to be in the International competition at Chicago. To say that the boys and girls deserve great credit is putting it far too mildly.

North Woods Filling Up With Big Game Hunters

Eighty-nine big game licenses have been issued to date for this season by County Auditor T. P. Anderson and many local business men and residents are absent to the north or east in quest of bear, moose or deer. And those who have gone and those who will go all have great expectations of bringing down the biggest specimen of deer or moose ever seen. Yes, and most of them will come back and present friends with venison or moose steaks at that, for a "silver" bullet often avails where the ordinary steel-jacketed or soft-nosed variety fails to do more than clip a few boughs off the pines or balsams.

Carlos Avery, state fish and game commissioner, has stated that 50,000 hunters will take part in the annual deer hunt of Minnesota this year. This sounds somewhat impossible, yet state records—each hunter must record his kill—show that over 10,000 deer were taken from Minnesota woods during the season of 1919.

Tax Receipts in October Averaged $3000 Per Day

Receipts at the office of County Treasurer John Gullingsrud for the month of October amounted to $103,352.50. This sum is in excess of previous months owing to the fact that the farmers did not market their produce and consequently did not pay their tax assessments until the last day of the quarter. The source of the above named amount was as follows:

Current Taxes	$ 98,416.32
Current Tax— Interest and Redemp.	732.39
Delinquent Taxes	857.62
Private Redemptions	588.58
State Lands and Funds	79.18
Mortgage Registry Taxes	171.30
Miscellaneous Collections— County Revenues	284.59
Road and Bridge	2,223.52

THANKSGIVING SPECIALS

In Which to Wind up The Greatest Sale in Our History

LOKEN'S Consolidated Unloading SALE

Saturday, Nov. 20 is the Last Day

SPECIAL
Just arrived, several pieces of 56 in. Silvertone Cloakings. Goods that have retailed at from $10.00 to $12.50 per yard.
Now $3.95 per yard

SPECIAL
Just arrived, several Skirt lengths in all wool plaid goods, 48 to 56 in. wide goods that have sold by us all season at $7.50 and $8.50 per yard. A wonderful fine selection now at, choice per yard $3.95 and $4.95

A wonderful new showing of imported real Belfast Linens, Table Damask and Napkins for your Thanksgiving table.

All the goods here advertised are here aplenty now for your selection. We certainly were very disappointed when the railroads failed to deliver the goods we advertised in our last week's sale to start Saturday, and these goods arrived Monday and are here ready for you now, and we hope you will let us take care of your wants.

Hosiery Prices Smash!

Oh, what Savings! We're smashing down the high-price walls. We're battering at the very foundations of high prices! It's a sale of splendid savings! Hosiery going below the cost of making—in the manufacturer's effort to set the nation's financial house in order.

Women's Black Cotton Hosiery, good weight, full range of all sizes, 8½, 9, 9½ and 10. You'll say when you see them, "Wonderful Bargains. Come, take your choice at, per pr
15c
(Basement)

Men's high grade Black Stockings. A value we have never seen the equal of; all sizes at, per pair
15c
(Basement)

Women's heavy weight black fleeced lined Hose; all sizes. A 35c value at per pair
19c
(Main floor)

THE LATEST CRAZE
Ladies' and Misses' Wool Heather mixture course rib Woolen Hose. They are nice, soft and warm, and all the go. Saturday we place them on sale in all sizes at per pair
$1.00
(Main floor)

Outing Flannel
500 yards light, reg. width Outings in a good range of patterns for this one week only at yard
19c
(Basement)

Just Think of it! 30 days ago these goods sold for 40c per yard. New goods and new patterns just arrived. 2500 yards of splendid grade PERCALE
36 inches Bookfold Percales and 36 in. Longfold Percales. **15c** Light or dark colors, per yard. A wonderful val.
(Basement)

Ladies' full Size Outing Flannel
NIGHT GOWNS
in a big assortment of fine styles and patterns.
$1.39
(Basement)

Hope 36 in. Bleached Muslin, (was 45c per yard 30 days ago) Now per yard ---------- 19c
Fruit of the Loom 36 in. Bleached Muslin, (was 50c 30 days ago) Now per yard ---------- 22c
Lonsdale fine underwear Muslin 36 in. Bleached, (was 50c per yd.) Now per yard ---------- 22c
(All Muslin on sale Main floor Domestic Dept.)

9-4 Pepperall Sheeting 81 inches wide

Sold as high as $1.10 per yard. This is the best high grade standard sheeting on the market offered by us for this sale only at, per yard, bleached and unbleached
59c
(Main floor)

READY MADE PILLOW CASES
42x36 in. full standard. Special, each
29c
(Basement)

72x90 fine bleached full size Sheets, each
$1.98

36 in. Challies beautiful Quilting patterns; good standard quality at, yard ---------- **22c**

Ladies' black Jersey Gloves, fleeced lined, 85c values; all sizes. Special at per pair ---------- **59c**

Fancy 36 in. Sateen linings; a beautiful range of new patterns to select from. Our special this sale only, yd ---------- **$1.10**

A new selection of fancy Hairbow Ribbons. The kind others get 35c and 40 for. Here at per yard ---------- **25c**

36 in. good quality Sateen linings; all new shades and every shade here in stock. Special per yard ---------- **59c**

This is your last chance to buy a fine Silk Georgette Waist, at each
$2.95

ALL SILK GEORGETTE CREPE and ALL SILK CREPE DE CHENE
Reg. $2.85 to $3.50 values. Every imaginable color in this lot. **$1.65** Per yard. Ladies! Stop and Think—This means a 50% saving.
Every thrifty woman, who values economy, will take liberal advantage of this tremendous offer. These silks are all 40 in. wide and of excellent fabrics which can't be duplicated anywhere at twice the price we ask.

Ladies' Silk Hose Remarkably Underpriced

Our $2.50 and $2.25 fur silk Ladies' fine full fashioned Silk Hose; all shades and all sizes, Per pair ---------- **$1.58**

Our entire stock of $1.85 Ladies' Silk Hose in all shades and all sizes. This Stocking we have sold on this sale at $1.39, but as we have over 300 pairs on hand we will let them go for the balance of this Sale at per pair ---------- **99c**

Before buying your new Silverware be sure and see our new line and have us quote our prices.

Women's Velastic and Seal Lion Union Suits
The best high grade heavy fleeced lined garments that are sold at $3.50 and $3.00 per suit everywhere, on this sale, per suit
$1.95
(Main floor Hosiery and Underwear Dept.)

Girls' Winter Vests and Pants at a price that has been unknown to the American language, at per garment ---------- 25c
(Basement)

Girls' Union Suits in a full range of sizes, for this Sale only, per suit ---------- 50c
(Basement)

Loken Brothers Dept. Store

Thief River Falls, Minnesota

DEFECTIVE PAGE

LAST DAY PRICES AT MOGENSEN'S Consolidated Unloading SALE SATURDAY, November 20

Positively the LAST DAY of the Great Sale

SATURDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 20th, WILL BRING TO A CLOSE THE GREATEST SELLING EVENT EVER HELD IN OUR CITY. More Merchandise has been SOLD AT THIS CONSOLIDATED SALE than at any other Sale held in Thief River Falls. We have kept our word and made real honest reductions. A great many new goods just arrived, belated shipments, on which we have received reduced prices, will be included at Sale Prices. Every sale price in our store is a genuine mark-down from the original selling price. To make Saturday, the 20th the crowning day of our great Sale WE WILL MAKE STILL ONE MORE CUT IN PRICE to hold good just for one day only—SATURDAY.

Don't delay! Be here Saturday! Come early! Get your needs now!

SOCKS
Two styles of men's extra good grade black working stockings, Engineer's and Firemen's Socks included, regular 35c values. For Saturday, per pair
23c

LEATHER COATS
Real Glove leather Coats for men made in new stylish Norfolk cut, regular coat length. These coats are actually worth up to $40.00 each. For Saturday, each
$19.50

SHIRTS
Railroad style, 2-collar, blue and blue polka dot Shirts "McDonald" union made; $3.00 value. For Saturday.
$2.25

Prices Cannot go lower this year. Buy Now What You Need!

OVERALLS
Men's best grade denim full cut "Union Jack" union made Overalls. For Saturday, per pair
$1.95

UNION SUITS
All of our fine men's Union Suits to go at further reduced prices. Special for Saturday. Men's "Velastic" fleece lined Union Suits, regular $3 values for Saturday, per suit
$1.85

GLOVES
60 pairs men's fine Dress Gloves lined and unlined, all sizes. These gloves are worth $4 to $6 per pair. Your choice for Saturday, pair Greys, browns and tans
$2.45

All Sale Prices are Strictly For Cash

OVERCOATS

That keep you warm and look stylish

"F. A. PATRICK" famous all wool Overcoats, $75 values, for Saturday ---------- **$57.50**

"F. A. PATRICK" railroad Mackinaws $27 values, for Saturday ---------- **$19.75**

ULSTERS—Men's driving ulster, Moratex lined, Woombat collar, black Moleskin shell, $40 value ---------- **$26.50**

$8 and $9 Men's Kersey Pants, all wool in dark patterns, full cut and very warm and durable ---------- **$6.45**

$55 double breasted fur-collared Overcoats at $34.75; Young men's fine double breasted belt around brown and green heather mixture coats, very nicely made, dark coney collars, $55 values For Saturday
$34.75

'PATRICK' Ulster Overcoats, unlined, full 48 in. long. A real coat for winter wear; oxford and colors. Reg. $50 value For Saturday
$36.50

$65 and $70 fur collared Overcoats at $47.50. "Stevenson" lamb lined Overcoats, Opposum Nutria and Wombat collars, reg. $65 and $70 values. For Saturday
$47.50

WE ARE MAKING THESE CUTS IN PRICES TO UNLOAD AND GET THE MONEY.

"KUPPENHEIMER" High grade Men's Overcoats, regular price $75, for Saturday ---------- **$56.00**

Boys' Fur Collared Overcoats, sheep-lined, brown suede shell, trench style, $40 value ---------- **$27.50**

Young Men's Wombat collar lamb lined trench style snappy Overcoats, for Saturday ---------- **$22.75**

Boys' Cloth Overcoats to go at $5.95, $6.95, and $9.85

Don't Let This Opportunity Slip! Buy Your Suit Now! Come to This Sale!

Suits
$50 MEN'S NOBBY SUITS, $33.75
Latest models in men's Suits, navy, brown and mixtures. Your choice for Saturday
$33.75

Suits
UP to $50 SUITS For ONLY $13.75
One lot of men's Suits in light and dark colors, small sizes, 32 to 38 only. Your choice for Saturday
$13.75

Suits
$65 and $72.50 Suits FOR $45.50
Without exaggeration, this is one of the greatest Suit values ever offered here. These suits are made from the choicest materials and of extra fine tailoring. Just think! For Saturday only
$44.50

Suits
$75 and $80 Men's Suits for $57.50
These suits comprise the fashion's very latest creation. Slash pockets, belted and half belted, also the more conservative styles for men of matured age. Materials: Fine Cashmere, flannels, tweeds, heather mixtures in brown, drab, grey, blue. They really are wonders at
$57.50

Suits
$14 and $15 BOYS' SUITS, $9.95
Your choice of any Boys' $14 and $15 Suit For Saturday
$9.95

SWEATERS
Fancy Pullover Sweaters in all colors, $12.00 values
$7.95

DRESS GLOVES
Fine Suede Dress Gloves, Lisle, $3.50 values, now at, only
$2.45

CASHMERE SOCKS
Extra fine quality $1.00 values
59c

HEAVY WOOL SOCKS
in grey and white
59c

DRESS SHIRTS
Men's fine Dress Shirts $2.50 and $3.00 values
$1.69

"KOVERALLS"
For Boys and Girls $2.00 values
$1.39

BOYS' UNION SUITS
Velastic Fleece $2.00 value
$1.15

WOOLEN MITTS
Light weight Woolen Mitts 75c value
39c

CAPS, CAPS, CAPS, CAPS!
Just arrived, and account of late delivery have received concessions in price from factory. This finest bunch of Caps ever received, 20 dozen all told. Get your cap here now!
$2.00 Caps, $1.65; $2.50 Caps, $1.95; $3.00 Caps, $2.35, $3.50 Caps, $2.85

SHOES!

MEN'S BARN-YARD
Single sole, bellows tongue, Original Chippewa," acid proof tanned, $7.50 value
$4.25

MEN'S FINE DRESS SHOES
Men's fine brown Cordo Calf Dress Shoes, $10 and $12 value
$6.95

BOYS' SHOES
$5.50, $6.00 and $7.50 values
"EDUCATOR"
Shoes for boys in chocolate, Elk and Gun Metal. The best made
$3.65, $3.85, $4.85

SCOTCH CAPS
Best grade Scotch Caps with or without ear laps
$1.49

SHOES!

YOUTHS DRESS SHOES
New dark brown, in Blucher and Bals, English and semi-English toes; fine calf skin. A wonderful buy now at
$5.35

ODDS and ENDS
One lot men's Dress Shoes, values to $16; pick out your size and help yourself at, pair
$3.85

Don't Forget Saturday Night This Sale Positively closes. Store Open Evenings.

SHOES!

Fine Men's
DRESS SHOES
Six fine styles to choose from $15 and $16 values
$10.45

Men's Smoked and Chocolate Elk Visalized water-proof soled, bellows tongue, light wt., work Shoe, $7.50 value
$4.35

All kinds of Boys' Moccasions and shoe Pacs at reduced prices.

BOY'S HI-CUT SHOES
10 inch Hi-Cut Shoes, $8.00 value
$5.45

OVERALLS
"Headlight," "Penn" and "Bear Brand" Overalls, each
$2.45

MITTENS
Men's Chopper Mitts $1.50 value
49c

WORK SHIRTS
"Red Seal" McDonald union made Work Shirts
$1.19

"LEE UNIONALLS"
The regular $7.00 kind
$4.85

BOYS' STOCKINGS
Heavy black ribbed, only
19c

PANTS
Men's fine Moleskin Pants $6.50 value
$4.85

BAGS
14 very fine and best made Gladstone and Oxford Bags to close out at reduced prices.

NIGHT SHIRTS
Brighton Carlsbad Night Shirts, $3 value
$2.35

SILK SHIRTS
Any $15 Silk Shirt in the store
$8.95

SILK SHIRTS
Any $10 or $12 Silk Shirt in the store
$5.85

HANDKERCHIEFS
Red and Blue, large size
19c

JERSEY COATS
Men's brown Jersey Sweater Coats, button style, each
$2.35

TRUNKS
We have 3 wardrobe Trunks carried over stock very high grade $35.00 value, to close out
$19.75

FLANNEL SHIRTS
Men's wool Flannel Shirts, McDonald Union Made Shirts, $3.00 values
$2.35

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THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY PRESIDENT WILSON

President Wilson has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation, saying that "in plenty, security and peace, our virtuous and self-reliant people face the future," and setting aside Thursday, Nov. 25, for the usual observance. The text follows:

"The season approaches when it behooves us to turn from the distractions and preconceptions of our daily life, that we may contemplate the mercies which have been vouchsafed to us, and render heartfelt and unfeigned thanks unto God for His manifold goodness.

"This is an old observance of the American people, deeply imbedded in our thoughts and habit. The burdens and the stresses of life have their own insistence.

"We have abundant cause for thanksgiving. The lessons of the war are rapidly healing. The great army of free men, which America sent to the defense of liberty, returning to the grateful embrace of the nation, has resumed the useful pursuits of peace, as simply and as promptly as it rushed to arms in obedience to the country's call. The equal justice of our laws has received steady vindication in the support of a law-abiding people against various and sinister attacks of war, now happily passing.

"In plenty, security and peace, our virtuous and self-reliant people face the future, its duties and its opportunities. May we have vision to discern our duties, the strength, both of hands and resolve, to discharge them and the soundness of heart to realize that the truest opportunities are those of service.

"In a spirit, then, of devotion and stewardship, we should give thanks in our hearts and dedicate ourselves to the service of God's merciful and loving purposes to His children.

"Wherefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States of America, do hereby designate Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of November, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, and I call upon my countrymen to cease from the ordinary tasks and avocations upon that day, giving it up to the remembrance of God and His blessings, and their dutiful, grateful acknowledgment."

AFTER PRACTICAL RESULTS.

Will it soon be the aim of our high schools to turn out something besides doctors, lawyers, druggists and dentists? Of course every boy who has heretofore attended high school has not finally entered one of the professions mentioned, but the plan of education has been such as to predispose him toward one of these careers. His own inclinations in the matter have seldom been taken into account and he has had but little choice.

The Smith-Hughes system will change all of this if allowed to work out as its originators intended. Instead of forcing a boy to become a fourth rate lawyer he will be given an opportunity to make of himself a first class farmer. Instead of studying medicine when his natural bent is toward mechanics, he will be encouraged in learning all about machinery. And the facilities for following out such inclination will in each case be provided.

Thoughtful educators have long considered our high school system wrong. Boys—and girls, too, for that matter—have been turned out all of one pattern. All have gone through one process in the making, have been thrown out of the hopper in a mass and left to shift for themselves as best they might. The result has been that offices in cities have been overcrowded while important outdoor positions could not be filled with the right kind of men. A boy whose forebears have been tillers of the soil, perhaps for centuries, and who himself expects to follow in their footsteps, has been compelled to wade through four years of studies which can prove of no earthly use to him later in life. He has graduated from high school, it is true, but has finished his schooling but poorly equipped for the pursuit he would choose if his own inclinations were followed.

Another system is to be tried. A student will be given the opportunity of seeing that farming is as noble an occupation as is dentistry, for instance. The fact that he will not lose cast by following mechanics, if such is his wish, will be emphasized. It will be demonstrated to him that the world needs first-class engineers as badly as it does legal luminaries—and needs more of them.

It will be the aim under the new order of things to train boys for a life of usefulness and to teach them that there is no disgrace in being a worker. The plan will be to find the position in life for which the student is best fitted and then permit him to equip himself for that place. This will prevent the filling of lawyer's offices with young men who would be vastly happier and of more value to themselves and the world at the throttle of a locomotive.

GOOD SUGGESTION ANYWAY.

The Crookston Times is authority for the statement that Congressman Steenerson is being seriously considered for the position of postmaster general in the cabinet of President-elect Harding. The fitness of such appointment is so obvious that it is doubtful if it will be made. Cabinet members are not as a rule selected for their knowledge of the matters with which they will have to deal, but it may be that the incoming president will inaugurate a new system in this respect. If he does the American people will forgive a great many oversights and errors in other directions.

Mr. Steenerson has been in congress for twenty years. During practically all of this time he has been a member of the House committee on postoffices and postroads. When the Democrats have been in ascendency he has been the ranking opposition member and for two years has served as chairman. No one will attempt to gainsay that he is the best posted man on matters pertaining to our postal service that can be found in the entire country. He has the esteem of the rank and file in the service as well as the confidence of the authorities at the capital. If long years of conscientious application to duty and a continued study of the best methods of conducting the post-office department can be advanced as recommendations for the post, Congressman Steenerson has all other aspirants backed out into the cold.

His constituents in the Ninth district as well as the people of Minnesota generally would very much like to see this honor fall to Mr. Steenerson and will vouch for his good behavior and ability. But, as before remarked, these things do not generally weigh very heavily in cabinet appointments.

Another Minnesota man is mentioned for a high post. He is Senator Kellogg, whose name is connected with the appointment as minister to England. Here again President-elect Harding could go farther and fare much worse. The senator has the dignity, the ability—and the money—necessary to hold down properly a job of that kind.

Furthermore, Clarence B. Miller, former congressman from the Eighth district, is mentioned for governor of the Phillipines. Mr. Miller has made two trips to the islands and studied Phillipine problems first hand. He would make a first-class man for the place and Mr. Harding has our full consent to go ahead and make the appointment.

The above is a highly pleasing outlook so far as Minnesota is concerned. The state did pretty well by the Republican ticket but it is hardly to be expected that so many really good things will come our way.

THE FOURTH POULTRY SHOW.

For three years last past Pennington county has staged the best poultry show in the state. During that time the exhibition has grown in interest until now it is regarded as one of the really important affairs of the year. From a very modest beginning—there being only about 50 entries when the first attempt was made—it has developed until now more than 1000 birds are to be shown.

The show which opens on Monday should be the best held thus far. More birds will be shown, the prizes are numerous and valuable and the importance of poultry more generally recognized. The competition will be more keen and the quality of the entries very high.

The ordinary citizen can only indicate his interest in this event by his attendance. He may not be directly interested in poultry raising, but he should show a sufficient realization of the value of the industry to come and see what is being accomplished. In this manner he will lend his endorsement to the efforts of those who are trying to bring this branch of husbandry onto a higher plane.

Those who have not seen the previous shows will be surprised at the magnitude to which the business has grown. The auditorium will be filled with chickens, turkeys, geese and ducks of every imaginable kind, and there will be peacocks, guinea hens and rabbits to vary the effect.

Do not fail to take in the fourth annual Pennington county poultry show. To do so will be to miss something decidedly worth while.

FORCING UP THE PRICE.

There is no question but that the farmers of the country can force the price of wheat to a higher point if they refuse to sell until such point is reached. It will also be pretty generally conceded that such action on their part is justified by precedent.

No one has ever seriously considered the possibility of the farmers forming a union and holding their products until such time as they can sell at a profit. Such action on their part, however, would be no more impossible than are combinations on the part of those in other lines of business. The citrus growers of the southwest and the apple men of Idaho and Washington have shown just how successful such attempts can be, to say nothing of the many industrial combinations.

Thus another segment will be added to what President Wilson calls the "vicious circle." Farmers demand more for their wheat with the result that the laboring man who buys flour must have more pay for his work. In turn the man who hires the workingman is compelled to charge more for the product of his mill or factory. In the end it is doubtful if anyone is greatly benefitted while a ficticious standard of values has been built up. Under such conditions it is only a matter of time until the whole structure must collapse.

But the farmer is not to blame. His is the basic industry and it might with absolute fairness be maintained that upon his receiving a fair return on his labor and investment depends the stability of other industries. He cannot be expected to continue taking the worst of it indefinitely—not if he finds a way of preventing it. Whether or not the new idea will serve his purpose remains to be seen.

THE LYCEUM COURSE.

One would naturally suppose that when something particularly good in the way of entertainment is offered our people they would jump at the chance to attend. Such, however, has not heretofore been the case. Attractions of a really superior order have been brought here only to meet with a reception of which a backwoods village would be ashamed. We have none too many entertainments of this kind and it should be a treat when one does appear.

The Woman's club has contracted for a series of lyceum productions to be presented during the coming winter. The first will be seen at the auditorium this evening and it is to be hoped that there is a good turnout. The number is one of the best on the program, the musical troupe secured being one of the very finest in the country. The price of admission has been placed so low that there is no excuse for keeping away on that score. One would pay just about as much to go to a picture show.

Let's all turn out and start the course right. The sponsors are entitled to this much consideration on our part and we will besides have the pleasure of listening to one of the best musical programs ever presented here.

HE'S A GOOD MAN.

Northern Minnesota would probably favor the appointment of Otto R. Diercks as state auditor when Mr. Preus leaves that office to become governor. Mr. Diercks is almost a northern Minnesota product, having spent a good share of his time in Beltrami county. He is conversant with the problems of the man who is trying to dig a farm out of our vast cut-over regions and knows from first-hand observation just what is needed to help him along. His duties as head of the state timber department has brought him into contact with a large number of people and these speak of him in the highest terms. He is easily the peer of any thus far named for the post in point of capability, while in experience he has a decided edge. Mr. Preus has himself been state auditor for a long time and knows personally just what kind of a man will best fill the bill. The selection may safely be left to his judgment.

BUSINESS METHODS OF THIEF RIVER CONCERN ARE HIGHLY PRAISED

Writer in Leslie's Weekly Points to Case as Fine Example of What Can be Accomplished in Small Town.

The merchandising methods of at least one Thief River Falls concern has attracted national attention by reason of an article appearing in Leslie's Weekly of Nov. 13. It is written by Chesla C. Sherlock and is entitled, "Big Business in Small Towns." Mr. Sherlock's aim is evidently to prove that a merchant or professional man need not be located in a big city in order to become known outside his own immediate neighborhood and cites a number of examples. There are three such in Minnesota—the Thief River Falls concern, the Mayo hospital and the Hart store at Long Prairie. The former is not mentioned by name but there is no doubt but that Loken Brothers' store is the one referred to. These merchants may be somewhat surprised to find that their business last year exceeded one million dollars in volume and that a printing press has been installed but otherwise will probably not object to the advertising given their town. Mr. Sherlock has also taken the population figures for ten years ago and used them in his story. Outside of these few corrections it is certain that no one will object to the article which is as follows:

"In Thief River Falls, Minnesota, there is a country merchant who saved his business by using the mail-order idea. His town has a population of 3714 people. His business was drawn almost entirely from the surrounding country.

"During the winter months trade always fell off, due to the heavy snow and rigorous weather which made it impossible for country customers and those living in the outlying districts to come to his store. He felt certain that during that season of the year money was getting through his fingers and going to the mail-order concerns.

"So he bought a printing press and commenced to send out circulars carrying announcements from his mail-order department. Later he issued a catalog. He offered to take orders by mail and deliver by parcels post. Last year he did a business from his town of thirty-seven hundred people in excess of one million dollars.

"It wasn't merely a matter of printing a circular or catalog and mailing them—of course not! But the point is, the opportunity was there for a business that any city would be proud to claim as its own."

RANKS THIRD AMONG STATE HIGH SCHOOLS IN NUMBER ENROLLED

Only Rochester and Fergus Falls, Outside of Three Largest Cities, Have More Pupils Than Thief River Falls.

A report sent out by the state board of education this week for the purpose of calling attention to needed changes in the system of state aid distribution for high schools, shows that the Thief River Falls institution stands well up toward the top in the number of pupils enrolled. Only two other cities in the state, outside of Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth, report a larger number in attendance. Following is the order in which the cities appear, together with the enrollment in each case: Rochester, 426; Fergus Falls, 412; Thief River Falls, 369; Brainerd, 314; Crookston, 277; Owatonna, 266; Grand Rapids, 218.

There are 96 schools in which more than one-third but less than one-half of the pupils attending are non-residents of the district, and Thief River Falls is among these. Nineteen schools report that more than one-half the pupils attending reside outside the district, Middle River being thus situated.

District No. 12 of Pennington county (Goodridge) paid out $1886 for transportation last year, representing 19,700 child-mile days, which represents one child in attendance one day and hauled one mile. Of the amount paid out the state repays the district on a basis of 8 cents for each pupil, the total repayment being $1576, leaving the district an outlay under this head of $210.

The transportation account in District 18 (Thief River Falls) totalled $285 of which the district paid $133.

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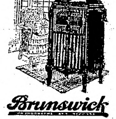

Make This Comparison Before You Buy Your Phonograph

DON'T buy a phonograph, any more than an automobile, without a demonstration. Name isn't all nowadays, as it used to be, when phonographs were a novelty.

Music-lovers know real way to test—and that is by tone. The ear picks out superiority quickly. Naturalness is easily appreciated.

We encourage comparisons. We invite you to hear The Brunswick, then to hear others. We leave final judgment to you. And we rarely lose a sale, when a comparison is made.

This accounts for the great popularity of The Brunswick here and the nation over. It goes into the homes of the most critical because of its overwhelming merit.

It has numerous features unobtainable elsewhere. Such as The Ultona, the all-record reproducer. And The Brunswick Tone Amplifier, built entirely of wood, so as to end metallic sounds forever.

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35c Books for boys. Boys' Indian series, Auto Boys' series, by Braden, and Stars and Stripes series, by Cobb. Adventure series, 45c.

For Smaller Boys. Boy Scouts 15c and "Billy Whiskers" at 40c and $1.20. Complete Mother's Goose rhymes, 85c.

For Girls. "The Camp Fire Girls" at 15c, 35c, and 60c. "Elsie Dinsmore" 50c. "Girls Blue Ribbon" series 35c. "The Boyhood of Jesus" and "The Good Samaritan" 35c.

Say, girls, we have kid body dolls 14¼ inches, hair, china head, sleeping eyes, real eyelashes and slippers and stockings for $1.85; also metal head dolls 12½ inches, hair stuffed body and slippers for 59c.

This firm does not own any get-rich-quick stock. We believe in getting rich slowly on a small margin of profit.

MULRY'S BAZAAR

City News

Have your eyes examined at Neset's Jewelry store. N18

Miss Alice Thompson, who teaches at Hazel visited with her parents in this city over Sunday.

Miss Anna Stockstad of St. Hilaire was in the city on Friday attending to shopping between trains.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughter, Miss Inez, of St. Hilaire, were here on Saturday attending to shopping.

Miss Mable McGinnity, engaged in teaching school at Brooks was a week-end visitor at the home of her parents.

Mrs. T. J. Wilson of Red Lake Falls shopped in this city on Friday. She returned home on the afternoon train.

Mrs. Albert Preibe and Miss Mae Theibert came down from Plummer on Saturday evening to shop between ains.

Attend the sale at Johnson's Milli- ry. Begins on Friday and continues one week. Big reductions all ng the line. N18

Mrs. Wm. Clay arrived here Friday ening from Hazel where she had n visiting at the home of her par s for a few days.

Mrs. A. Hannes of Strathcona, arrived here Saturday afternoon and ited until Monday morning at the e of Mrs. M. Brude.

Misses Lida and Linda Anderson t Sunday morning for Newfolden visit over Sunday at the home of r brother, P. J. Anderson.

Mrs. Hal Stanton, Mrs. E. F. Culver d Miss Alice Welsh left the first of week for Chicago where they will in for an indefinite period.

Miss Alice Hall of Middle River ed a brief period in this city the ter part of last week as the guest her cousin, Miss Elsie Granum.

Miss C. Phillipson returned to her me in Middle River Saturday, hav completed a brief visit at the me of her sister, Mrs. A. Burring- d.

Mrs. Henry Olson of St. Hilaire ed at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Peterson the first of the week e returned to her home Tuesday fternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Olson of Winger was a uest of her friend, Mrs. S. Brandon week. She left Friday afternoon Crookston to continue her visit th friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Engen left for Minneapolis on Wednesday evening to attend the funeral services of a nephew. They returned to their home here Friday morning.

Paul Engelstad left Wednesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls on business in connection with the Farm Bureau. He left on Saturday for St. Paul where he will remain this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Latendresse of North Yakima, Wash., were visitors in this city the latter part of last week. They returned to their home Friday afternoon via the Great Northern.

Mrs. J. Shordahl, accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Carrie Banken, both of Holt were guests of friends the latter part of last week. They returned to their home at Strathcona on Friday morning.

Mrs. A. K. Austin, who spent a day in this city as the guest of her daughter, Miss Nelida Austin, who is visiting with her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, returned to her home at Crookston Thursday afternoon.

Miss Selma Swenson, accompanied her sister Miss Ella Swenson, to this city Monday. The former returned to her home at St. Hilaire in the afternoon while Miss Ella left the same day for Erie where she will be employed.

Miss Gerda Mortenson returned on Monday morning via the Great Northern from Minneapolis where she went as delegate to a church convention. While there she was a guest of Mrs. Inga Berg who until recently was a resident of this city.

Miss Ethel Vaughan arrived here Saturday morning from Crookston where she had spent a few days visiting friends and was a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Daniel Shaw, for a brief period before leaving for her home at Goodridge.

Have your eyes examined at Neset's Jewelry store. N18

Mr. Mitchell, proprietor of a restaurant at St. Hilaire, was a business caller in this city on Saturday.

Prices on all millinery slashed for one week at Johnson's Millinery. Read advertisement. N18

Mrs. J. Pahlen and little daughter of Plummer were guests of friends and relatives here on Saturday evening.

Joe Strubeck, proprietor of the Soo cafe was a passenger to Grand Forks Friday, attending to matters of business.

Miss Esther Tandberg returned to Oklee on Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the public school.

Miss Het LeSage arrived here Friday evening from Hazel and spent the week end visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Adele Haugen left this city on Friday morning for Middle River where she spent the week end with relatives.

Ray Kiland returned Tuesday morning from Minneapolis and will remain at his home here for an indefinite period.

Ted McGinn and Ray Johnson returned Tuesday morning from the Twin Cities where they visited with friends since Friday.

Carl Sundahl motored to Warren on Thursday to visit friends and also to attend to business matters. He returned the same day.

Selma Nappegaard departed Friday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will spend a week visiting with her friends and relatives.

E. L. Johnston of Pittsburg, Pa., was among the numerous hunters who left this city on Saturday for the Lake of the Woods country.

Mrs. W. A. Baum of Red Lake Falls shopped between trains here on Tuesday. She was accompanied by Mrs. O. Zaiser of the same place.

Derby Anderson left the first part of the week for Minneapolis where he will enter St. Boniface hospital to have his tonsils and adenoids removed.

—L. O. Dock, who is employed at the City Meat Market, left Friday on a business mission to Greenbush and Roseau. He returned to this city on Monday.

Mrs. M. LaVoy of Plummer was in the city between trains on Saturday to receive dental treatment and also attend to some shopping. She returned home on the flier.

Mrs. T. H. Smith and three children of Mavie were guests of Mrs. H. Ray Pope Friday, enroute to Grand Forks where they will spend a few days visiting with relatives and friends.

Ed. Peterson returned Thursday afternoon from Middle River where he had been attending the funeral services of his wife, who passed away at the Oakland Park Sanatorium recently.

Mrs. S. Gjorvek arrived here Saturday afternoon from her home at Strathcona and visited until flier time with her friend, Mrs. M. Brude when she departed for Minneapolis for a visit with relatives.

Henry Halvorson of Warren was a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Mellby the first of the week. He left Tuesday morning for Thief Lake where he will spend a few days on a hunting expedition.

Miss Florence Aalberg was the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg over Sunday. She returned to Erskine on Sunday to resume her duties as teacher of domestic science in the high school at that place.

Miss Clara Sorenson of Rosewood arrived here Friday evening and visited until Monday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson. Miss Sorenson is engaged in teaching at Rosewood.

Robt. Carlson and daughter Alice, arrived here Friday afternoon from their home at Rollis to accompany their wife and mother to her home. Mrs. Carlson had been confined to the local hospital for nine weeks and is now much improved in health.

Jose K. Encbo, who has been residing on a farm near Erie for a number of years, has leased his farm and left the first part of the week for Minneapolis where he will reside this winter. It is the intention of Mr. Encbo to make a trip to Norway sometime during the year.

For that Thanksgiving dinner, don't forget

No-Vary Delicious Steel-Cut Coffee

That dinner will not be complete without good coffee

At all grocers

Thief River Grocery Co., Wholesale Distributors.

Have you seen the pretty "Patsy Rompers" for that little Boy or Girl? They are made in Los Angeles, California and are sold by us exclusively. They are made up in chambrays, linens, gaberdines, corduroys, and priced from

$2.39 $5.50

Sizes 1 to 5 years

STORES AT HIBBING—CHISHOLM—THIEF RIVER FALLS

"Style without extravagance."

The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

The Fashion Shop of Thief River Falls.

Just Unpacked For Christmas Gifts

Beautiful Gowns and Chemise direct from the Phillipine Islands, prices $3.95 to $6.50. Wonderful Gloves, Silk Hose, also Lace Hose at $4 and $5. New Navy and Brown embroidered Camisoles at

$2.50 $3.95

Greater Assortments in Beautiful Winter Coats Now Than Earlier in the Season

ONLY---prices are from 33 1-3 to 50 per cent lower

WE HAVE RECEIVED FOR SATURDAY SELLING

over 100 brand new Winter Coats in both short and long plush with beautiful collars of Australian Opposum, Racoon and Black Martin. Also the plain coats of Peco, Sealskin Fur and Hudson Seal Fabrics, as well as numerous styles in beautiful cloth coats, either fur-trimmed and those of self-trimming. These garments were bought from makers who wanted to keep their factories going and were willing to co-operate with us so we could offer our customers garments of style and beauty at greatly reduced prices for our

Great Reduction Sale

We are doing everything in our power to bring prices

Back to Normalcy

A trip to our store will convince you that these beautiful garments are made up to our usual standard of style and quality and are not job lots or merchandise that manufacturers were stuck with and wanted to unload.

Beautiful Plush Coats, plain and Fur-trimmed, priced at
$29.75, $39.50, $44.00
$49.50, $53.50, $59.50
$67.50, $79.50, $89.50
and up

Lovely new Cloth Coats made up in heavy suedine Fur-trimmed and Embroidery trimmed
$24.75, $29.50, $32.50
$34.75, $39.50, $44.00
$49.50, $59.50
and up

Good looking new girls' heavy Polo Coats
$9.75 $12.75
$14.95
Ages 7 to 16 years

New Jack Tar and Bonnie Brig all wool flannel Middies Red, Green and Navy just received, going at, special
$7.95
All sizes to 42
A pure wool serge Middy at $5.95

Just received a heavy quality Sateen Bloomer for women, made full. A real $2.50 Bloomer, special
$1.69

Those popular Tie-Back Sweaters can be had here in all colors at
$5.95
Lace Vests and Collars to go with them at only
98c

A special purchase enables us to sell Chappy Coats trimmed with Wombat and Chamios skin lined, at only
$39.50
Others at $49.50, $55.00 and $59.50

GET YOUR XMAS "ALBRECHT" FURS NOW DURING THIS SALE
Reduced from 25 to 40%
Furs of Wolf in brown and black
Furs of Fox in brown and black
$15.95, $19.75 and $29.50 each
All other furs bear new sale price tags; come and pick out your furs now and save.

"SAPERO'S FOR GOOD HOSIERY" SPECIALS
A silk and fiber Hose, black and navy, at $1.39
A pure silk Hose in the "Best Knit" at $1.95
A real silk mercerized Hose in the "Best Knit, black, brown and taupe, at 69c
A pure wool fancy ribbed heather Hose, "seconds", real $3.50 values—special $1.95

Lovely Serge, Tricotine and Silk Dresses For Thanksgiving
One can buy a dress now ready made for less than you can have them made.
Good quality all wool serge Dresses in all sizes to 44
$14.95
Extra quality serge and Tricotine Dresses. Values to $35.00—Special
$19.75
Every Dress in this store reduced including the new ones that are coming in daily!
$24.75, $29.75, $33.75, $39.50 and up

You can get a standard count Percale Apron, the best make aprons that sold upwards to $2.95 for
$1.48
Flannel Night Gowns made of real heavy outing at
$1.95

2 CORSET SPECIALS
that you do not want to miss
C-B CORSETS at $2.39
C-B CORSETS at $1.48
All sizes: white and flesh.

Lovely new Tricolette Tie-back Blouses at
$5.95
Heavy all wool gauntlet Gloves, Ireland make—Special
$1.48

A few numbers in women's Munsingwear that we are discontiuing goes—special
$1.95, $2.39 and $2.95

Newplaid Skirts in plaid and knife pleat effects
$9.75 and $11.95

Children's heavy flannel Sleepers, Special
$1.39
Sizes to 10 years

Look at This

Men's and Young men's Overcoats, single or double breasted close fitting or loose, values to $45, to close out at

27.45

TREMENDOUS PRICE REDUCTIONS

Look at This

Young men's lamb lined and leather lined fur collared Overcoats. The very latest in style and can save you from $10 to $15 on a garment—Special

29.45

Men's heavy weight fleeced lined Union Suits **$1.95**

This mammoth stock MUST BE SOLD, no matter how much the sacrifice---no matter how much the loss --- it MUST BE SOLD. We are going to clean it out, with prices that are almost unbelievably low. Now is your big opportunity. COME TO

Men's 2-piece best grad fleeced lined Shirts an Drawers **95c**

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

where you get real value. We will save money for you on your winter outfit, whatever it may be.

Men's one buckle Overshoes $2.29

Extra Special clearance of $15 Jerkins Leather Vests $10. 85

Men's heavy Duck Coats $3.45 A given away price

Men's heavy weight wool Shirts and Drawers $1.95

Union made Overalls $1.95

Men's heavy wool Sweaters $4.95

Men's heavy wool Socks 55c

Men's 2 for 35c Handkerchiefs packed 2 in a package, per package 19c

One lot of men's Overcoats, values to $35. To sell out at **$22.45**

The nicest assortments of Overcoats in the latest styles, values to $55. Sale price **$39.45**

Men's $3.00 Outing Flannel Night Shirts $2.29

Men's Cashmere Hose 55c

Sweaters We have put together a lot of boys' and girls' Sweaters worth up to $4.00. Closing out at **$1.95**

Boys' pure Wool Mackinaws $9.45

Men's pure Wool Mackinaws $13.75

Men's solid leather Dress Shoes $4.85

Work Shoes $3.65

Men's heavy weight Wool Pants $6.45

Pure Wool, regular $12 Pants $8.95

One lot of men's Winter Caps with fur inside ear bands, at 65c

Lambsdown best wool fleece Union Suits, closing out at 2.45

Men's Wool Shirts in all colors to close out at $2.85

Men's Sheep lined Coats to close out at $14.45

Boys' heavy weight wool Union Suits $2.35

Boys' fleece lined Union Suits $1.39

Men's extra heavy all Wool $1.35 Socks 95c

BATH ROBES

Men's bath Robes, a very beautiful assortment to close out at $7.45

Children's Bath Robes values to $5, to close out at $2.95

Men's extra heavy all wool Stag Shirts, to close out at $7.45

The Biggest, Broadest and Most Stupendous Lowering of Prices on Suits You Ever Saw

The biggest value yet offered, $55 blue serge Suits, all sizes in men's and young men's styles, closing out at a sacrificed price **37.45**

We have grouped together one lot of young men's and men's Suits at $30 and $35, best suits in the Store, and will sacrifice them. Every one is guaranteed to be a value or money back **22.45**

One lot of all wool Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits; every one a wonderful value at $50, to close out. A wonderful opportunity to save real money **36.45**

You can now get a good men's suit of hard finished materials in brown or mixed colors; suits that sold for $45. To close out at **29.45**

Closing out entire line of Boys' Suits at sacrificed prices. Buy here and save.

Boys' Suits

Stylish double breasted boys' Suits sold for $20.00; exceptional big values Closing out at $12.45

One lot of small sizes all wool Suits, values to $12.00 to close out at $7.45

We have a big lot of all wool boys' Suits that sold for $15, $16 and up to $18. Closing out lot at $11.45

Boys' all wool blue serge Suits; sizes 6 to 18 to close out at $11.75

Munsing Underwear

Boys' Munsing ribbed Union Suits, to close out at $1.19

Men's fine grade Munsing Union Suits, regular $7.50 values, to close out at $4.95

Boys' best grade Munsing heavy weight fleeced Union Suits, to close out at $1.95

Men's heavy made Munsing Union Suits, sold regular for $10. To close out at $7.45

One lot of men's Dress Shirts to close out at $1.39

One lot of men's Dress Shirts, values to $3.00 to close out at 1.95

Men's two piece heavy weight ribbed Shirts and Drawers to close out at 65c

Boys' heavy weight and durable Corduroy Pants to close out at $1.95

Boys' heavy German Sox $1.19

Men's light weight Wool Shirt and Drawers $2.19

Closing out entire line of Florsheim Shoes at sacrifice prices.

Men's Dress Gloves:
$3.50 Gloves $2.35
$4.50 Gloves $3.45
$5.50 Gloves $4.45

Headlight, Carhartt & Finck Overalls $2.45

Men's big driving Mittens $3.45

Men's pure wool heavy Sweaters, sold for $12 Sale price $8.45

Men's wool Union Suit to close out at $4.45

City News

it with flowers for Thanksgiv- N18

Mrs. C. Nelson of St. Hilaire was in the city yesterday attending to shopping.

Dan Patterson and daughter, nez, of St. Hilaire, shopped in y on Saturday.

rs. John Drier of Red Lake Falls among the numerous out-of-town opers here on Saturday.

L. Rewertz came up from Red lls Tuesday to visit her broth- is employed in this city.

derman was called to Star Wis., last week to see his sis- suffered a paralytic stroke.

our orders now for flowers sgiving with the Flower ne 102. N-18

STENOGRAPHER. Call n11tf

l Maids' Convention." In of the Catholic church, Fri- 19, 8 p. m. 50c including N18

ra Olen, who is a student l high school, visited over her parental home at St.

ne Wold returned to her reenbush Tuesday morn- visiting friends here for a

arietta Rolf, who has been ends here, left for her Red Lake Falls yesterday

Mrs. M. Swedin left Mon- ng for Madison, Wis., where visit with relatives for an period.

as. Belcher arrived here on evening from Bronson to ew days visiting her son R. nd family.

Sterns, manager of the lo- one exchange, left on Wed- fternoon for Greenbush and n business.

Gena Gunderson returned to at Detroit on Monday even- completing a brief visit with at Goodridge.

lto Helland arrived here Fri- ning from Gonvick and was Sunday guest of her friend, Gladys Anderson.

Christmas is only a few weeks ahead, Barry's Studio is now open on Sundays. N 11-16-25

Earling, little son of Doctor and Mellby, was operated upon for a strangled hernia at the Physicians' hospital yesterday morning.

Misses Lizzie and Alice Peterson arrived here Saturday afternoon from ir home at Greenbush and visited Monday with friends.

O. Evenson residing near this ft Friday evening for Barnes- where she will spend a short iting with relatives.

Wm. Kampschmidt, who had n receiving medical treatment in ity, returned to his home at n on Tuesday morning.

Albin Larson, pastor of the sh Lutheran church, left Tues- for Badger on a clerical call. He returned yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Pahlen came down from mmer on Saturday and spent a w hours as a guest of her father, J. Halseth and brother Roy.

isses Olida Brenna and Evelyn Sanderson of Middle River are guests at the home of the former's sister, John Gustafson this week.

els Lee of Fairdale, N. D., passed week end here as the guest of daughter, Miss Jonetta. He re- ed to his home on Monday.

iss Mable Anderson arrived here urday morning from Blackduck and will spend a few days visiting with her cousin, Miss Clara Owen.

Anyone wanting home baking done phone Mrs. O. L. Crons'rom, Phone 267. N18

Rev. and Mrs. F. J. Larson who spent a few days visiting friends Warren, were guests of friends here on Tuesday morning, enroute to their home at Roseau.

Miss Alvina Tharaldson left this city Monday evening for Starbuck, after spending a couple of weeks in this vicinity with relatives and friends.

Ed. Ashley of Bemidji, formerly a lent of this city, was a business r in this city the first of the week. He left Tuesday morning for Warroad.

Mrs. John Simonson of Holt spent a brief period the latter part of last week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. Erickson. She returned home on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. T. Sanders, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary, left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where the latter will receive medical attention.

Mrs. F. Soderberg arrived here Tuesday morning via car from St. Hilaire and spent the day shopping. She was accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Ed. Hauske.

L. A. Lampert, cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants' State bank, left Monday evening to attend a director's meeting of the Federal Land nk of St. Paul.

s. E. W. Sefkow, accompanied by little daughter, Frances, who had been a patient at the local hospital, returned to their home at Greenbush on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Quam returned to their home at Underwood the first of the week after spending a few days as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Dan Bjorkman.

Mrs. Oliver Molstad and baby daughter arrived here Monday afternoon from their home near Steiner are guests at the home of her er, John Baker and family.

he Young Ladies' Sodality of St. nard's Catholic church will present the church basement, the play, Old Maids' Convention" on Friday. Nov. 19th. N18

Big convention secured for this city. Friday evening, Nov. 19, 8 p. m. "Old Maids' Convention" in basement of Catholic church. It's good. 50c including lunch. N18

Miss Dora Helle of Rhoda left yesterday for Crookston where she will seek employment.

Nothing will promote more happiness then to say it with flowers. Phone 102, Flower Shop. N-18

Miss Jennie Estlund returned to Crookston yesterday after a brief visit at the home of Mrs. A. W. Crown.

Mrs. A. Annett left yesterday afternoon for Bemidji after spending a few days in this city as the guest of her friend, Mrs. James Farr, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dolan and baby returned Tuesday morning from Fergus Falls where they have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Dolan's parents for a few days.

Mrs. A. Hallen arrived here Tuesday morning from Grand Forks for a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm. Mrs. Storholm and Mrs. Hallen are sisters.

Watch for the sale of fancy articles and supper at the Presbyterian church basement, Dec. 3rd. N18

Mrs. Lars Erickson left yesterday afternoon for Moorhead to visit with her sisters, Misses Betsy and Gena Legvold, who are teaching in that vicinity.

Miss Emily Ostby, who had been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. C. Evenson, returned to her home at Bozemen, Mont., on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Hardisty left Monday evening for St. Paul to attend a meeting of the Legion mothers, sisters and daughters. She will return the latter part of this week.

Mrs. M. Haop of Red Lake Falls was in the city on Tuesday as the guest of her husband who is engaged in contractor work on the storm sewers which are being installed in this city.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left Monday evening to attend the state association of Legion mothers, sisters and daughters held there on Wednesday. She will also attend several political meetings.

Miss Ruth Brown is confined to her home this week following an operation for the removal of her tonsils. She is recovering very nicely, a fact her many friends will be glad to learn.

Mrs. J. J. Richter left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis as a delegate to the state meeting of the Public Health association. She was accompanied by her daughter Isabelle, who will visit relatives for a few days.

John Peterson of Wadena was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week in the interests of the Peterson-Biddick Co. Mr. Peterson is general manager of the concern.

Mrs. Chas. Fiterman and baby daughter left Monday evening for Minneapolis where she will attend the wedding of Mr. Fiterman's niece. She will return the latter part of the week.

Mrs. M. W. Brink and baby daughter, Marie Suzanne, left yesterday afternoon for Rainey River, Ont. Can., where she will spend a week as the guest of Mrs. W. J. Foley, nee Miss Elsie Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Conlin of Poplar who have been guests at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Ove, left Tuesday evening for the cities where they will visit for a short time before returning to their home.

Mrs. A. J. Weibe and daughter Emma left this city Tuesday evening for Mountain Lake, where the former was called because of the death of her aged father. They will remain for an indefinite time.

Miss Dorothy Holm, accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Jacelin, both of Roseau, are visitors in the city this week. The former is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. C. Erickson, while the latter is a guest of her son, Fred Jacelin.

Arnold Jackson arrived here the first of the week from Fergus Falls and will be employed at the Crown Barber shop this winter. Mr. Jackson at one time attended high school here and was also employed at the Anton Langseth Shoe store.

Miss Lawerence, Miss Erickson, Miss Jackman and Mr. Prushek, all instructors in the school at Holt, accompanied the Girl Scouts from that city to give a demonstration at the local high school. The former is captain of the organization.

C. J. Bower of Melville, N. D., was a guest at the C. C. Schuster home the latter part of last week. Mr. Bower and Mrs. Schuster are brother and sister. He was also a guest of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Bower, who is making her home with her daughter.

Mrs. H. J. Enderlie, accompanied by Miss Kaufman and Miss Vore, teachers in the public school at Plummer, shopped between trains here Tuesday evening. They returned to Plummer on the flier. Mrs. Enderlie was formerly Miss Laura Lanager, who graduated from the local high school with the class of 1914.

L. A. Lampert attended the meeting of Secretary-treasurers of the Ninth Federal Farm Loan District held at Minneapolis yesterday. Five hundred and twenty-seven officers from points throughout northern Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and North Dakota were in attendance.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. A. Phelps, returned Monday morning from Grand Forks and Crookston where they had spent a few days visiting with relatives and friends. While at the latter named place they were guests of the former's daughter, Miss Grace Kinsela.

NOTICE

To My Former Patrons

Have returned from Europe and have again assumed my duties as Dry Cleaning, Repairing and Fur Remodeling.

Will locate upstairs in McGINN BLOCK

CHRISTINA CLAUSEN

Phone 205 d2

Fine stock of Cycleman and Primrose plants for Thanksgiving at the Flower Shop. N-18

Miss Anna Froiland, who had been confined at the local hospital for two weeks, following an operation for appendicitis, returned to her home in Plummer on Monday evening to remain until she regains her normal strength, when she will resume her duties as teacher in a rural school in the vicinity of St. Hilaire.

Mrs. J. J. Richter, Mrs. J. M. Bishop and J. J. McCann, represented the Pennington County Public Health association at the assembly of the Minnesota Public Health association in St. Paul yesterday. The meeting was held at the Athletic club with representative citizens from every county in the state in attendance, to mobilize for the most vigorous fight against tuberculosis and all other preventable diseases in the history of Minnesota. Mrs. J. M. Bishop is vice president of the state organization.

AT THE HOTELS

Registered at city hotels during the past week;

John Erickson, Fairdale, N. D.; W. R. Plummer, Sarles, N. D.; L. M. Mitchell, St. Hilaire; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Staples, Osceola, Wis.; H. D. Lalurdasse and wife, Yakima, Wash.; Helmer and Arthur Anderson, East Grand Forks; Martin Insdahl, K. O. Klakeg and Mrs. O. P. Celow, Oslo; J. A. Armstrong, Bemidji; Mrs. A. A. Lindstrom, Gully; R. O. Lund, Holt; H. T. Gilbertson, Erskine; Dr. L. L. Elliott and Ray Merrill, Warroad; C. J. Nelson, St. Hilaire; R. S. Sjabegg, Middle River; H. A. Anderson, Gonvick; C. H. Clark, Greenbush; M. S. Gray, Overley, N. D.; Mrs. R. J. Hagen, Roseau; Clara Rolstad, Gonvick; Rev. F. L. Larson and wife, Roseau; Norma Nissen, Malmomen; Ted Slaby, Forest River; R. A. Francisco, Williams; Aaron Davidson, Warroad; John Kjelgren, Middle River; Dick Nyberg, Holt; John H. Gassman, Oklee; E. A. Abbott and G. N. Potter, Grygla; A. J. Rivard and wife, Argyle; Clarence Shultz, Almer Bergquist and S. W. Swenson, Warren; F. C. Paine, Erskine; E. M. Hanson, Warren; Richard Larson, Holt; Albert Swanson, Warren; A. E. Hall, Plummer; Leonard Houske, Halstad; Stuart McLeod, Goodridge; J. E. Thoen, Oklee; Mary Young and Ella Peterson, Middle River; Carl T. Olson, Chas. Olson and Chas. Nyren, Bronson; Gus Land, Warroad; L. S. Koldin, Neilsville; Chas. Falk, Bronson; Geo. A. Gusa, Middle River; J. Kramer, Schilling; L. Fink, Holt; August Thune, Hazel; G. H. Palm, Grygla; Gerda Stenlund, Leonard; J. M. Jaros, Warroad; Fred Cummings, Pine River; Lena Toyland, Oklee; Hans Boardson, Warren; Edwin Nelson, Highlanding; H. F. Erickson, Warren; Emma Gunstenson, Mrs. T. Gunstenson and Mrs. O. Skroland, Oklee; Laura Rasmussen, Fosston; Jelmer Svenby, Malnomen; J. M. Swan, Holt; O. O. Hofdal, Ed. Nordlund and Nels Christianson, Thorholt; J. A. Grindeland and J. L. Olson, Warren; Mrs. C. Holder and Mrs. A. Bollei, Greenbush; Olive and Bertha Wold, Middle River; S. Kennedy, Plummer; Arne Arneson, Grygla; John and Edward Ristau, Mavie; J. C. Halliday, Highlanding; C. H. Cook, Strandquist.

RAIL AND SHOP

Mrs. Anton Erickson left for Minot on Monday.

Carl Ryan has been employed as coach cleaner.

Julius Knutson, carman, is absent on account of sickness.

Coach cleaner Leonard Johnson has been transferred from night to day duty.

Mrs. Carl Carlson and son Charles are spending the week in St. Paul with friends.

Misses Mabel and Henrietta Isaacson went to Minot on Monday for an extended visit.

Fred Scanlon paid the twin cities a business visit on Saturday, returning Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Swanson spent a few days in Minneapolis during the forepart of the week.

Conductor J. H. McClelland underwent an operation at the Warren hospital on Tuesday.

G. W. Hawes, general agent for this territory, was in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Carman Carl Elofson, who has been absent sick for about three weeks, returned to duty this week.

A. Field, agent at Baker, N. D., was called to Minneapolis on Tuesday by the death of a sister.

G. S. Walker has been appointed warehouseman at Oslo, vice F. G. Greenagle, resigned on account of sickness.

Fred Holden and Andy Williamson have been transferred from the rip track to give their attention to perishable shipments passing this station.

A. L. Chapman relieved C. W. Stewart, agent at Forest River; C. W. Stewart goes to Loma, relieving M. A. Olson, who is transferred to Dahlen as regular agent. G. E. Holman will go to Forest River, relieving A. L. Chapman who is assigned to the Thief River Falls telegraph office.

THE COUNTY RECORDS

November 1 to 15 inclusive.

Pinkerton, Grace M. to Imig, E. C., et al; se¼ sec. 22, Goodridge twp.

Bardley, Leo and wife to Charbonneau, Josephine; e 50 ft. lot 1, blk. 9, Riverside add.

Cloutier, Alex J. to Charbonneau, Josephine; e 50 ft. blk. 9, Riverside add.

Kluck, Louis and wife to Geldermann; lot 5, blk. 4, Knox add.

Monsebraaten, Kristine N., to Siemos, Hannah; w½ ne¼ sec. 33, Norden twp., consideration $4000.

Brandon, Severn and wife to Adsero, Jorgen; lots 21 and 22, blk. 25, Red Lake Rapids, consideration $4000.

Bratrud, John and wife to Erickson, Lars B., et al; s½ ne¼ se¼ nw¼ ne¼ sw¼ sec. 15, Norden twp. Consideration $5120.

Eugen, Christ et al to Swartz, Chas. lot 17, s 50 ft. lot 16, blk. 21, orig. townsite, Thief River Falls. Consideration $1000.

Anderson, V. F. and Carl to Olson, Caroline; se¼ sec. 33 and s½ se¼ sec. 34, Bray twp.

Higgenbotham, V. M., to Larson, Emil; sw¼ ne¼ sec. 15, Bray twp., consideration $800.

Paige, Howe to Gudvangen, Hans; lot 3, blk. 14, Oakland add. Consideration $300.

Femanson, Feman K., et al to Johnson, Hokm; lots 7, 8 and 9, blk. 5, Knox add. Consideration $125.

Elg, Carl O. and wife to Kruby, Bohuemil; one acre in nw¼ sw¼ sec. 18, Star twp. Consideration $150.

Frondal, Sven to Frondal, John; n½ nw¼ sw¼ nw¼, sec. 8, Star twp. Consideration $3000.

Aas, John O. and wife to Paulson, Alfred M.; lots 21 and 22, blk. 29, Red Lake Rapids. Consideration $100.

Marriage Licenses.

Joseph Edgar Wilson; Mildred Elaine Gillette.

Martin Mathson; Alma Otina Moe.

Alexander Gustaf Roos; Anna Maria Bloom.

Edward Johnson; Edith E. Scholin.

Gustav A. Ogaard; Esther Ortloff.

Dan Alfred Johnson; Lena Dorothy Bothman.

Theodore Lee; Laura Johnson.

Mrs. Minnie Sandberg.

Mrs. Minnie Sandberg, wife of A. E. Sandberg of Grygla, died on Tuesday, Nov. 16, at her home. The deceased was born in Sweden Nov. 25, 1856, and immigrated to this country about 35 years ago. The past four years were spent at Grygla. Her body was shipped to her former home at Ellsworth, Wis., where the funeral will take place on Nov. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter motored to Grand Forks yesterday, where they spent a few hours visiting with numerous friends.

Big Game Licenses.

Maurice Festrum, Andrew Jetlund R. F. Spencer, F. F. Haynes, L. H. Lawrence, W. H. Frederick, Fred Stensrud, Henry Halverson, Curtis Tuncher, Adolph Avelson, Julius Kramer, T. A. Rolstad, Halvor Hanson, John Stromberg, James Tordoff, O. A. Rambeck, Henry Dau, T. Skomedal, Dennis Connelly, Henry E. Holt, L. W. Manther, G. Howard Smith, Peder Pederson, Grandvold Storhaug, Hogen Hanson, Martin Johnson, Aelan Gradin, Paul Emington, Walter Jung, Hans Rustad, S. H. Hermanson, M. J. Anderson, J. M. Hinkson, Julian Provencher, Leonard Du Champ, W. J. LaBree, John Brutrud, Harold Olson, Fred Westphal, Ole L. Ihle, Sig Myrom, Chas. Philps, Thomas Moe, Oscar J. Hanske, Erick Engstrom, E. O. Mogensen, Theo. B. Jensen, Swen Skottem, Andrew Norman, Adolph Nyhagen, Gust Opseth, J. G. Turnbaugh, Fred Will, Carl Brating, John Brating, A. E. Zellmar, Evert Moemhildt, H. B. Roemhildt, M. T. McFarland, Elmer Sathre, V. T. Robarge, Albert Kolp, Ernest Patnode, H. W. Peterson, P. W. Roark, L. D. McAdams, Chas. R. Horton, Louis Steen, James Smith, Geo. E. Swanson, B. G. Round, C. T. Christenson, W. G. Ferris, Martin Sandstrom, Fred A. Johnson, Elmer E. Kolp, Edgar Norman, Casper Iverson, L. Peterson, Frank Biegert, E. A. Soltan, J. F. Spratka, Ed. Erickson, Elmer Adolfson, Walter Adolfson, A. R. Johnsrud, L. A. Westphall, H. W. Protzeller, Oscar Gutterud.

Hospital Notes.

Mrs. Carl Dahl, Golden Valley; Mrs. Adolph Haugen, Rosewood; Clara Sabroski, Greenbush; Mrs. Chas. Londen, Clearbrook; John Klinkhammer, Malnomen; Erling Mellby, city; Agnes Johnson, St. Hilaire; Alfred Nabben, city; Josephine Nabben, city; Mathias Nabben, city, are patients admitted during the past week.

Protecting Muskrats.

The farmer lads and others who have been in the habit of picking up a few extra dollars by trapping muskrats during the winter will have to find another source of revenue in order to provide Christmas money this year. An order issued by Gov. Burnquist prohibits the trapping of these animals and no muskrats may be trapped within the state until the close of the legislative session unless

THANKSGIVING

IT was three hundred years ago that the Pilgrims landed upon the rock-bound coast of New England.

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Society and Club

Sheldon-Stoddard.

The marriage of A. M. Sheldon, president of the First and Peoples State bank in this city to Mrs. Fay W. Stoddard, will prove of interest to many local people. The following account of the wedding was taken from the Minneapolis Tribune:

"The marriage of Mrs. Fay W. Stoddard and Mr. A. M. Sheldon, 1808 Knox avenue south, was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the Plymouth Congregational church. The Rev. Harry S. Dewey, rector of the church, read the service in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and bridegroom. Hamlin H. Hunt, church organist, played a program of nuptial music. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hunt on Clifton avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon left on a wedding trip. They will be at home after December 10 at 1808 Knox avenue south. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin S. Wenk of Detroit, Mich., parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Millard Sheldon of Thief River Falls, Minn."

Series of Parties.

Misses Gladys Anderson and Lena Evenson were hostesses at a series of three parties this week. The first of the series was given at the home of Miss Evenson, 503 Knight avenue on Tuesday evening. Needlework formed the chief diversion. Delicious refreshments were served before the guests departed. Those present were Misses Pearl Olson, Jonetta Lee, Ruth Sandstrom, Thora Hanson, Christine Clausen, Selma Rustebakke, Effie Christianson, Belle Hermanson, Anna Aspelund, Florence Lien, Esther Warner, Rhoda Finberg, Clara Gullingsrud, Edna Evenson, Esther Gjertson and Anna Brokke.

On Wednesday evening the following girls were entertained at the home of Miss Anderson, 804 Horace avenue N.: Misses Olga Gulrud, Anna Brokke, Jeanette Oftedahl, Gilma Ostvaldson, Louise Majeres, Alvina Jonas, Mrs. C. Barden, Mrs. G. H. Husby, Mrs. O. E. Erickson, Mable McGinnity, Christine Giefer, Margaret Eichammer, Mrs. Chittick, Mrs. P. Peterson, Mrs. I. Peterson of Fosston and Miss Alta Helland of Gonvick.

The concluding party will be given at the home of the latter and the following ladies will be the guests: Misses Nettie Ove, Anna Quale, Lena Lonson, Effie Hamry, Alice Benson, Lydia Batten, Lovina Adams, Lottie Austin, Edna Larson, Gena Granum, Dora Holmes, Esther Gjertson, Anna Brokke and Florence Lien.

Community Girls' Meeting.

A very large gathering of girls was present at the last meeting of the Community Girls held in the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening. Much enthusiasm was displayed in the Community singing which was led by Miss Maude Johnson, instructor of public school music. The main feature of the evening was an interesting talk by Dr. Milan of Oakland Park sanatorium, who told about the nature and care of tuberculosis. Dr. Milan stated that the main object of his talk was to show the girls how they as a club and as individuals could be of great assistance in the war on the great white plague. He also thanked the club for the various ways in which they had shown their interest in the work.

Miss Grace Iverson offered two vocal selections which met with great applause. This was followed by a trio which was composed of the Misses Margaret Mealy, Margaret Dix and Mrs. M. W. Brink, representing three old maids. Their number was greatly appreciated. A novel lunch consisting of pumpkin pie and fruit salad was served by the B's at 10:30. The hours following were spent in dancing.

Birth announcements and birth congratulatory cards at Laird's.

Musical Section Meets.

The musical section of the Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. N. K. Harris on Tuesday evening, with a very good attendance. The hours were taken up with election of officers for the coming year and with discussing important matters in connection with the work for the ensuing season. Mrs. Gay Halvorson was re-appointed chairman by Mrs. Daniel Shaw, president of the Woman's club. Miss Grace Iverson was elected vice-chairman and Miss Hoorn treasurer and secretary. It was decided to hold the next meeting Nov. 30th at the home of Mrs. L. F. Fisher. One program a month will be given and if a cantata is undertaken, rehearsals will be held between the regular meeting dates. A delicious lunch was served by Miss Maud Johnson and Mrs. Harris, which concluded the session.

Richey-Gaylord.

The following taken from the La Grange Citizen will be of interest to many local people. About three years ago Miss Gaylord spent a short time in this city as instructor in the Ruth Chamberlain-Miller school of music:

"One of the prettiest weddings of the season, occurred on Saturday evening, October 23, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Everett F. Gaylord, 339 South Madison avenue, when their daughter, Miss Ethelyn Gaylord, was united in marriage to Friedel Chapin Richey of Downers Grove. The bride was charming in a dress of white net over satin with the long veil held in place by orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and white sweet peas. The bridal party took their stand under a canopy of smilax, the six bridesmaids forming a semi-circle."

Birthday Party.

In commemoration of her birthday anniversary, Miss Henrietta Isaacson entertained a few of her friends at her home on Monday afternoon. The hours were spent in conversation, music and games. At 5 o'clock a delightful lunch was served.

Surprise Party.

A successful surprise party was given on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. J. Weeks at her home, the occasion being her 55th birthday anniversary and incidentally her 35th wedding anniversary. About 75 ladies participated. Needlework and conversation formed the chief diversion. Delicious refreshments which had been brought by the guests were served at the close of the afternoon. Before the guests departed the honor guest was presented with a beautiful parlor lamp as a remembrance of the event.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A regular meeting of the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms. Following the usual business session the hours were devoted to the second study lesson which was "Form of Government," led by Mrs. Briggs. The prominent leaders during the 173 years of suffrage were discussed by several members who had been assigned particular topics. A vocal selection, "A Gypsy Song," by Misses Dora Holmes, Amelia Hoorn and Mrs. M. W. Brink was very much enjoyed by the club.

Wedding Anniversary.

A few ladies were entertained by Mrs. F. C. Nichi at her home on Arnold avenue, Saturday afternoon, the event being her first wedding anniversary. The ladies busied themselves with needlework. American beauty roses tastefully arranged, formed an attractive centerpiece for the table at which the guests were seated during the luncheon which was served at five o'clock.

Theatre Party.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton and Mrs. H. C. Johnson shared honors in one of the largest and most successful parties of the season on Thursday evening when they entertained about 75 ladies at a theatre party. *After the guests had* witnessed the stupendous production "Humoresque," they were taken to the Brumund hotel where a delicious three course luncheon was served.

School Entertainment.

There will be an entertainment given at the schoolhouse in District 84, Excel township, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 24. A fine program has been arranged and there will be a fishing pond and lunch. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of a Christmas entertainment. The school is located two miles east of Steiner.

Birthday cards at Laird's.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

On Tuesday afternoon the local W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. J. O. Sether, 716 Knight avenue north. The usual devotional and singing was followed by a vocal solo by Mrs. Gay Halvorson. Mrs. O. J. Lundell also favored the Union with a piano selection. Light refreshments concluded the session.

Dancing and Cards.

The Central Labor Union enjoyed a sociable time at the I. O. O. F. hall on Monday evening. About two hundred members including their wives and sweethearts were present to share the fun. Cards and dancing were indulged in until a late hour, after which a sumptuous lunch was served.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. John Collins was a delightful hostess on Saturday afternoon when she entertained a few ladies at cards. The guests were Mesdames L. Manther, J. Wasgren, J. Mallatta, J. Davidson, J. Robinson, C. Barden, W. E. Baker and L. Champlan. A delicious lunch concluded a most pleasant affair.

Miss Mortenson Entertains.

Miss Gerda Mortenson informally entertained a few of her friends last evening at the home of Mrs. M. Aalberg. The evening was spent in needlework and conversation. A delicious lunch was served before the guests departed.

Trainmen's Dance.

The Trainmen will give their annual benefit dance on Thanksgiving eve at the Auditorium. Good local music has been secured and the usual good time will be assured everyone who attends.

Redpath Concert.

The leading attraction this evening is the concert by the Redpath Orchestra which is the first number of this season's Lyceum course given under the auspices of the Woman's club.

Wedding anniversary cards at Laird's.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds entertained a few friends at her home on LaBree avenue Tuesday evening. The hours were devoted to needlework. A light lunch was served at 11 o'clock.

Churches

Christian Science Society—Services at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Soul and Body." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. Services at Rindal at 2:30 p. m. Services in city at 8 p. m. Sewing circle Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid entertained by Mrs. John Dahl and Mrs. Otto Parbst, Thursday, Nov. 18. Zion Young Peoples' meeting Friday evening. Choir practice Friday evening in church basement. Bethlehem Ladies' Aid will have auction sale Saturday at 11 a. m. Services at Norden church on Thanksgiving Day at 11 a. m. Rindal Young Peoples' meeting Thanksgiving evening at Rindal church. A big mission meeting in Zion church, city, Friday Nov. 26th, 11 a. m., and lasting over Sunday.

Bible Chautauqua Meetings—"What is Balaam's doctrine? Why does Christ accuse the Christians of Having the Doctrine of Balaam?" This will be the theme for Sunday evening at the Chautauqua hall west of Bottelson's drug store. Service commences at 7:45. Stereopticon pictures.

Swedish Mission Church—Mr. Brekke, a layman, from Fergus Falls, will continue his services Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Everybody welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Norwegian service at 11 a. m. English service at 7:45 p. m. Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. English services Thanksgiving day at 11 a. m. Ladies' Aid and Young Peoples' League Thursday Nov. 25th, afternoon and evening respectively.

Methodist Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—The first quarterly conference of the church will be held at the close of the evening service on Sunday next. Rev. J. C. Craig, district superintendent, will occupy the pulpit at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Midweek service Thursday at 8 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday morning at 10:30, worship in the English language. Sunday school at 9:30. The bible class will not meet next week. On Thursday, Thanksgiving day, there will be divine services in the morning at 10:30. The German language will be used.

Swedish Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning *services at 11. Rev. O. B. Olson of* Crookston will occupy the pulpit. No service in the evening. Next week, Nov. 23-28, there will be services every evening at 7:45. Rev. C. W. Olson of Warren, E. B. Swanson, "Happy" Johnson of Minneapolis and others will take part. Mr. Swanson is a good singer. At St. Hilaire there are meetings every evening this week at 7:30 and next Sunday at 10:30 and 7:30. Come and bring your friends. All welcome.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Nov. 21, 10 a. m. Sunday school. Parents are invited to place their young people in our school of Bible instruction. 11 a. m. morning worship, "Where is Your Faith?" 3 p. m. Juniors. 7 p. m. C. E. The evening eight o'clock hour will be occupied by the Thanksgiving day program of the Sunday school. Among the numbers on the program are "Thanksgiven An," "A Pilgrim Pageant", a "Playet," and "Conditions in the Near East." Parents of Sunday school young people are specially invited as guests. The program is public and every one is welcome. Offering goes to the Sunday school Home Mission Gift. Thanksgiving day service in the Methodist Episcopal church Nov. 25, at 10:30 a. m. Offering for charitable purposes. Woman's Missionary society study class meeting on Friday, Nov. 19, at 3 p. m., at 518 Main Ave. N.

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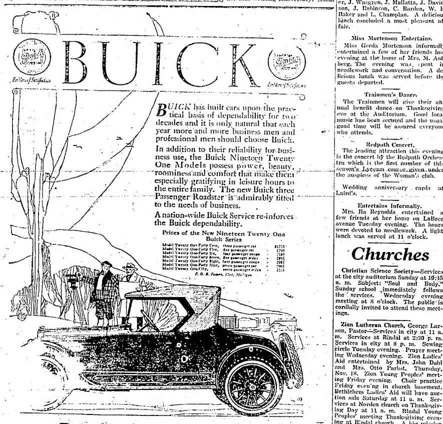

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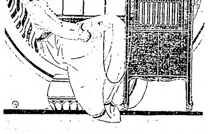

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American Legion Notes.

WILL DISCONTINUE DANCES BY LEGION

Failure to Make Expenses Given as Reason For Action Taken at This Time.

The carnival ball given by the American Legion post on the night of November 11 proved a success in many ways. The legionnaires had the city auditorium fittingly decorated in a novel and pleasing fashion, the elaborate setting for the orchestra being commented upon by all who were in attendance. Shaded lights, tri-colored festoons, flags, orange trees and stacked arms were used with unusual effect. Promptly at 11:11 p. m. pandemonium broke loose in memory of the significant event which took place at the eleventh minute of the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month just two years ago. Noise makers and streamers had been distributed just previous to the hour and the result of the demonstration was a general jollity and goodfellowship which extended thru the remainder of the time until the orchestra struck up "Home Sweet Home." The ball breaking up at an [illegible] hour, no refreshments were served other than a delightful punch, which was dispensed from a nook decorated in keeping with the rest of the building.

From the point of attendance the ball was somewhat of a failure, the tickets sold not warranting the outlay in staging the dance. A statement of receipts and disbursements will be found in this issue of the Times under "The American Legion Notes."

Officials of the Elmer Eklund Post state that owing to the repeated failure of the dances given by the post, dances will be discontinued for the winter. Of the many dances given by the post since its formation, just one dance paid expenses with a slight margin. Efforts have been repeatedly made to make the dances features in every way; good music has been secured, the auditorium decorated, and the dance properly advertised. But the public, the officials contend, have [illegible] responded. It has not been the [illegible] of the Legion to make great [illegible] of money on their entertainments, but in bringing them to Thief River Falls, it has hoped that expenses would at least be realized; instead of which the boys have repeatedly gone into their own pockets to help out on the financial end.

Consequently, for the time being, dances will be discontinued.

Fine Entertainment.

The Bel-Canto Quintette appeared at the city auditorium last Friday evening under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion and were enthusiastically greeted and encored by the audience. While the attendance was not as large as might have been expected because of the class of talent represented by the quintette, officers of the post are of the opinion, all funds from the advance sale of tickets not having been handed in as yet, that all expenses were paid with a slight margin remaining for the legion treasury.

The five young ladies of the quintette are all gifted with pleasing personalities. Ida Hagen Pitman, dramatic soprano, was enthusiastically greeted at each group of songs, probably appearing to best advantage in her finale. A different selection of songs might possibly have displayed the power and range of her voice to better advantage. Vera Andrews proved herself master of the flute, her "By the Brook" displaying the versality of the instrument. Edna Lee might well be commended for her mastery of the violoncello and for the ease and polish of her performance. Hazel Bryngelson's tragic reading was possibly ill chosen for the audience in attendance, but her selections from the "Norse Nightingale" were exceptionally pleasing and clearly proclaimed her nationality. Fern Van Bramer with her selections on the harp proved the favorite of the evening judging from the hearty encores.

Correspondence Course Offered Ex-Service Men

R. C. Coffin, *assistant chief secretary* of the Y. M. C. A., was in the city the first of the week in the interests of the correspondence course now offered to ex-service men. The service is free to such of the former soldiers as apply for it and covers a wide range of subjects. Scholarships are by allotment, a certain number being awarded to each county. Pennington county's quota has not yet been taken up and there is an excellent opportunity for those who wish to be included. The matter was left in the hands of C. David Gustafson, to whom those residing in the county may apply for full particulars. Among the courses are found engineering, agriculture, architecture, steam engineering and power plant requirements, science and mechanical courses, mathematics, electricity and inspirational and cultural instruction.

Proposed Auxiliary Represented.

Mrs. J. H. Hardisty and Mrs. J. M. Bishop are attending the first state convention of the American Legion Women's Auxiliary of Minnesota which is being held in Minneapolis today and tomorrow. They are representing this community in anticipation of the formation of a women's auxiliary to Elmer Eklund Post Number 117. The convention was called for the purpose of effecting a permanent state organization, adopting a department constitution, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before it.

State Commander Vernon of the American Legion has written to the local Post in respect to the meeting:

"The Minnesota Legion Auxiliary is in the limelight. The eyes of auxiliary members thruout the country are upon it. Like the pioneers of old, it is blazing a new trail for the auxiliaries of other states to follow.

"What breadth of vision, what strength of character, what nobility and what wisdom, will the delegates of your auxiliary unit bring to the convention which will lay the first cornerstone of the national organization of the American Legion Women's Auxiliary."

Financial Statement for Ball.

Following is a statement of receipts and disbursements, submitted by Harold Provencher, chairman of the dance committee, for the Armistice ball given by Elmer Eklund Post of the American Legion on last Thursday evening:

Disbursements	
Ticket seller	$ 2.00
Ticket taker	2.00
Helper	.25
Ribbon	.50
Pins	.10
Stickers	.15
Black's Sweet Shop (frappe)	15.00
Laird's Specialty Shop (novelties)	27.26
Rent, auditorium	12.00
Music	42.00
F. J. Stebbins (floor wax)	2.40
War tax	10.50
Total	$117.16
Receipts	
70 tickets at $1.50	105.00
Loss total	$ 12.16

Discontinue Bonus Service.

"As per resolution of the Minnesota Soldiers' Bonus board on November 12, 1920, the plan whereby banks or individuals could purchase bonds and designate the service men's claims to be paid from the funds derived from such sale, will terminate on and after November 25, 1920, so that after such date no claims from banks or individuals will be received for payment by this Board."

Roasters, large and small, at the Bazaar. n18

Auto Tips With Hunting Party; No One Badly Hurt

On Sunday morning the members of a hunting party eastward bound narrowly missed serious, and possibly fatal injury when the eight-cylinder Cole touring car owned and driven by George Loken tipped over at the sharp turn of the state road leading into Goodridge. The accident left the heavy car on the verge of the ditch along the road and but for the low rate of speed at which it had been traveling would probably have been of more serious consequence.

The party, made up by L. A. Lambert, H. W. Protzeller, H. O. Floren, E. O. Mogensen, G. W. Connell and George Loken, made an early start from Thief River Falls and had reached the turn to the left a short distance this side of Goodridge. It is a sharp turn and the driver had shut off the gas and put on the brakes but the road as it approached the turn was icy and the wheels slid along without materially reducing the speed. The road at the turn was free from snow and the car, having attained a slowing motion by the time it reached this gravel, was thrown over on its side in the middle of the highway. Mr. Lampert suffered a very slight injury of one hand.

Long poles were secured by the men and after half an hour's effort the 4,300 pound car was righted and, the engine being undamaged, the hunters proceeded on their way. Windshield top, fenders, runningboard and hood were badly crumpled up, but the car was well able to tow Ole Ihle's Ford minus one wheel, into Grygla, as the hunting party was returning with a fine bag of game later in the day.

Practical Upholsterer is Added at Evenson Garage

F. I. Johnson, an upholsterer of many years experience, has been secured by C. M. Evenson & Son and will be added to the force at the garage. Mr. Johnson, besides upholstering and repairing furniture of all kinds, will also repair and manufacture auto tops and side curtains.

There should be considerable work of this nature to be done in this neighborhood and Mr. Johnson will no doubt be kept busy. He was formerly connected with large furniture manufacturing concerns at Chicago and Peoria, Ill.

Fire Siren Will Sound At 6; Don't Be Alarmed

Residents of the city may expect to hear the siren fire alarm at six o'clock each evening during cold weather, as it will be given a tryout once a day to assure that it is in perfect working order. This plan results from the fact that the siren refused to work with much effect during the cold weather of last winter, its infrequent use allowing the mechanism to become clogged with ice and snow.

100-piece set Haviland China $169. This offer holds good 'till Dec. 5th. —Mulry's Bazaar. n18

UNION HAY CO.
CORN EXCHANGE BLDG.
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.
DON'T BURN YOUR STRAW.
IT HAS A MONEY VALUE
SHIP TO US FOR TOP NOTCH PRICES
OUR OPEN ONLY HAY & STRAW
ALWAYS IN THE MARKET

ADVANTAGES OF CITY AS WHOLESALE POINT ATTRACTS ATTENTION

Discussion at Commercial Club Luncheon Results in Stimulating Interest in This Important Matter.

The Commercial club proposes to sell meal or season tickets to the weekly club luncheons held every Thursday in order to stimulate attendance. The coming of winter weather has had some effect on the attendance of the last two noonday sessions but it is hoped that a greater popularity will result as the purpose and progress of the gatherings become known.

Many of the business men are already acquiring the habit of being present and participating in the to-the-point discussions which take place. The viands served are of the home-cooked varity and the serving takes place a la cafeteria with sufficient dispatch to keep no one waiting and to allow sufficient time for the discussion of any subjects brought up, without interfering with the business man's turn to his duties. Questions pertinent to the business and social welfare of the city are brought up at each luncheon and it is the desire of the Commercial club that each and every business man take an active part in the meetings.

The fact that this city is well situated as a distributing center is to be made known in a general way during the coming winter, according to plans now under way by the club. The matter came up at the club luncheon last week and H. W. Protzeller was named as a committee of one to secure such information as would be of advantage and *to get in touch with the railway* officials of the various lines so that these advantages might be given publicity thru their usual channels.

The decision of the Standard Oil company to establish one of their district warehouses in Thief River Falls is undoubtedly the first step of the large producers of the country to so re-arrange their business affairs as to secure the greatest efficiency obtainable in distributing their products. With the proper dissemination of the advantages to be derived by similar action, the Commercial club is taking on work which naturally falls to its lot and will result in much good to the city as a whole.

Another subject considered at the club luncheon last week was the matter of properly marking the various dangerous places along the roads of the county. Several accidents have occurred this past season which, it has been stated, might have been avoided if proper danger signs had been installed, thereby lessening the dangers. A committee composed of L. R. Johnston, G. S. Streeter and George L. Sterns was named to wait on the city council and the county commissioners in this matter.

Leather and ivory goods, shaving stands and military brushes at the Bazaar. n18

Clothes Pin Social.

A good Thanksgiving program and clothespin social will be held at the Hazel hall on Tuesday evening, Nov. 23. Everybody welcome.

J. H. Hay, former superintendent of the Thief River Falls schools, at present deputy commissioner of agriculture for the state, was the principal speaker at the unveiling of the sailors and soldiers monument at Ortonville on Armistice Day. Mr. Hay represented Governor Burnquist at the celebration.

Big Shipment of Poultry For Twin City Markets

The Peterson-Biddick company shipped a poultry car containing 18,000 pounds of live chickens, ducks, geese and turkeys to the twin cities yesterday for the holiday markets. This car contained upwards of 4,000 chickens alone. It was partially loaded at Bronson, the shipment being completed here. Reports from all sections of this northern part of the state indicate that poultry shipments are heavier than ever before, the year having been very favorable to the hatching and raising of young birds.

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW
55c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

MOTORMAN TELLS ABOUT TROUBLE

Had Rheumatism So Bad Every Move Caused Pain—Tanlac Put Him on Feet.

"Tanlac deserves everything good that has been said about it," said Anton Fieber, 446 Bay street, St. Paul, Minn., motorman on the short railway.

"For three years I had suffered from rheumatism all over my body. I could hardly raise my hands to my head, and turning on and off the current and handling the brakes on my car caused me to suffer agony. I had very little appetite and I had awful cramps in my stomach after every meal. I often had sharp, shooting pains across the small of my back and my nerves were badly upset. I was troubled a great deal with constipation and every few days I would have a dull, mean headache.

"Several of my friends advised me to take Tanlac and it proved to be the very thing I needed. Although I have taken only three bottles the rheumatism has left me entirely and I never have a pain of any kind. I am hungry all the time and no matter what or how much I eat I never suffer from it afterward. I am not troubled with constipation any more, never have a headache and my nerves are in splendid shape. I don't think there is another medicine in the world that will begin to compare with Tanlac and I recommend it to others every time I have an opportunity."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—Adv.

Quit Laxatives, Purges; Try NR

NR Tonight—Tomorrow Feel Right

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LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

Nature's Remedy
NR—TABLETS—NR
Better than Pills GET A 25c Box

"THEY SAID I HAD T. B. AND WOULD NOT LIVE THREE MONTHS"

Mr. Harold W. Schmidt, Box 96, Breese, Clinton Co., Ill., believes he has reason to praise Dr. Hartman's Remedy for Catarrhal conditions.

"I used Pe-ru-na eight months for Chronic Bronchial Catarrh. I do not get tired, feel like a giant, am six pounds over normal weight and able to work every day. In March, 1917, I contracted a severe cold with swelling and took to my bed. They said I had T. B. and would not live three months. After taking a couple bottles of Pe-ru-na and a box of Man-a-lin Tablets, could walk around and in seven months went back to work. My trouble was due to Chronic Catarrh of the nose and throat, which I had ten years, extending down into the bronchial tubes. "Pe-ru-na was my life saver."

"FEEL LIKE A GIANT SINCE USING PE-RU-NA"

TABLETS OR LIQUID A HALF CENTURY IN USE SOLD EVERYWHERE

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction the following property, on my farm, the SE quarter of Sec. 35, Town of Smiley, 4 miles due east of Hazel, on

Saturday, Nov. 27

Sale to commence at 10:00 A. M.

HORSES
One brown mare 5 years old, wt. 1350
One bay gelding 4 years old, wt. 1350
One gray Percheron gelding 5 years old, wt. 1450
One brown mule 13 years old, wt 1200
One bay gelding 6 years old, wt 1150
One gray Percheron gelding 4 years old, wt. 1350
One gray Percheron mare 5 years old, wt. 1450

CATTLE
One red cow 5 years old, fresh Dec.
One red and white cow 5 years old, fresh Jan.
Two grade Holstein cows 7 years old, fresh
Two grade Holstein cows 3 years old, fresh
One roan cow 4 years old, fresh Feb.
Two red and white heifers, 3 years old
One Holstein bull calf 6 months old
Three six months old pigs

MACHINERY
One John Deere binder, 6-ft.
One Acme binder, 6-ft.
One 16 in. John Deere Sulky plow
One 16 in. brush breaker
One 3-horse wooden harrow
One 2-horse wooden drag
One good disc, 12
One 16-disc Van Brunt drill
One 1½ H. P. Hercules gas engine and pump jack
One 55 Gal. gas tank and faucet
One feed mill
One wheelbarrow
One platform scale, 600 lbs
Blacksmith tools and carpenter tools
One Milan rifle, 38-55
Two 8-gal. milk cans
One DeLaval cream separator No. 15
One U. S. cream separator, No. 15
One scraper
One kitchen cupboard
One set bob sleighs 7-ft
One set bob sleighs, 6-ft.
Three wide tire wagons
Two wagon boxes
One grain tank
Two hay racks
One platform buggy
One potato planter
One 2-horse cultivator
One 5-tooth cultivator
One 2-shoe cultivator
One brush mower
One 10-ft. hay rake
Three watering tubs
Three barrels
One grindstone (ballbearings)
One snow plow
Two wire stretchers
Two 5-gal. cans
One incubator and brooder
150 ft. 2½ in. well casing, sand point, pump heads, etc.
Some buckwheat seed and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS:—All sums of $10 or under cash; over that amount time until Nov. 1st, 1921, on approved bankable paper.

Wm. Sherwood, Owner

PAUL BORGIE, Auctioneer. E. C. KARWAND, Clerk.

Public Auction

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell the following property at the George Sterns farm on the Northwest quarter of Section 25, Town of North, 2 miles east on the State road and one-half mile north, on

Tuesday, November 23

11:00 o'clock A. M.

HORSES
One bay mare 7 years old, wt. about 1550 lbs.
One bay gelding 6 years old, wt. about 1550 lbs.
One bay gelding 10 years old, wt. about 1350 lbs.
One black gelding 7 years old, wt. about 1350 lbs.

CATTLE
One red cow 10 years old, due to freshen in Jan.
One red cow 5 years old, due to freshen in Jan.
One grade Guernsey cow 5 yrs. old
One grade Guernsey cow with calf dropped Nov. 6
One black cow 3 years old
One grade Guernsey cow 3 yrs. old
One grade Guernsey cow, 3 yrs. old
One grade Guernsey heifer 2 years old
One grade Guernsey heifer 2 years old
Five grade Guernsey spring heifer calves
One registered Guernsey sire 4 years old

FARM MACHINERY
One Studebaker automobile
One LaCrosse Happy Farmer tractor
One LaCrosse combination 2 or 3 bottom tractor plow
One Deering binder 6-ft. cut
One Deering mower 5-ft. cut
One McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut
One 10-ft. hay rake
One bull rake
One 14 shoe Van Brunt drill
One 4-horse Boss wood harrow
One 13-in. John Deere gang plow
One 2-horse riding cultivator
One 1-horse cultivator
One wide tire wagon with double box and seat
One set cross chain sleighs, 2½ in. by 7 ft. runners
One set sleighs 2 in. by 7 ft. runners
One hay rack
One lawn mower
One hand garden cultivator
Three steel barrels
Five wooden barrels
One Viking cream separator
Three cream cans
One green bone cutter
Two sets double harness
Two sets single harness
Two cross cut saws
About 15 gal. tractor oil
About 15 lbs. crank pin grease
One tank heater
Grain sacks; Wire stretcher
About 15 tons clover hay
About 35 bu. buckwheat
About 400 bu. oats
About 5 bu. sweet clover seed

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
One 8-ft. extension table
Six oak dining room chairs
One Vernis-Martin bed with spring and mattress
One wooden bed with spring and mattress
Sanitary steel davenport with mattress
One wood heater
One coal heater
One black walnut dresser
One oak dresser
One set oak book shelves
One 3-burner oil stove and oven
One oil heater
One ironing board
One clothes rack
Two wash tubs
One flour can with sifter
One mirror
One ice cream freezer
One glass churn
One electric table lamp
One 15-gal. meat jar with cover
One drum heater
Milk pails, tools and other articles too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch at Noon

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Frank Sterns, Owner

W. J. LaBREE Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten acres of dry pole wood and about 20 loads of grub wood, five miles northwest of town. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls Minn. R 1 Bx A9 99p

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, [illegible] LaBree Ave. N. 94tf

FOR SALE—Good poplar wood. Will deliver. Write C. C. Snyder, R. R. No. [illegible] Thief River Falls. 100

FOR SALE—One 30-30 Winchester rifle, One 12 ga. double barreled shotgun and one 16 ga. Winchester pump gun.—O. M. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N. 98p

FOR SALE—Man's buffalo coat, otter trimmed. In very good condition. Enquire at Times office. 98

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell these for $10 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. H. Conklin, R. 3, city. 01tf

FOR SALE—120 acres of prairie land, 4 miles southeast of town. Inquire of O. C. Paulson, 121 Tindolph Ave. S. 2p

FOR SALE—Seven room house on Kendall Ave. S. Reasonable terms. Inquire of O. C. Paulson, 121 Tindolph Avenue South. 2p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 97tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles [illegible]thwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 80tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 113, City. 83tf

NOTICE—Good quarter section of land for sale in Pennington county, Minn., at $4,000.00. New house 22x30 in very good shape, stucco finish, and a fine new garage. Owner must sell. $1400.00 cash, $550.00 per year for two years and purchaser to assume mortgage for $1500.00 to run about eight years. Interest at 6 per cent. This farm is well located and has considerable fencing. Purchaser can make a good profit on this. Healy Land Agency, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

FOR SALE—One Model C-25 Buick 4-cylinder car in first-class condition.—H. C. Johnson at Nortz Lumber Co.

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 90tf

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness.

HAY FOR SALE—Three stacks of upland hay and two stacks of clover hay. C. O. Granum, Phone 295. 97p

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address box 1001, Thief River Falls, or at the Times office. 80tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND —One seven room house and two lots one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67t

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop 110 LaBree Ave. N

FOR SALE or Exchange for a residence an improved farm close to Mavie, complete with horses, cows, machinery, hay and grain. D. G. Brownlee, Mavie, Minn. 97p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 93tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay stumpage. Several quarters near Goodridge.—First and Peoples State Bank. 78tf

FOR RENT—Four room house.—Andrew Ness. 97

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 601 Main Ave. N. 90tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two modern houses also several small tracts of land near town.—W. A. Bishop. 97tf

FOR RENT—Large furnished modern room for either two gentlemen or married couple. Call Larson Furniture Co. 97

FOR RENT—Three rooms, heated, for light housekeeping. 513 State avenue N. —97-pd.

LOST

LOST—Set of false teeth. Return to Times office for reward. 97p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 607 Bridge Street. 93tf

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Good wages.—Mrs. Harold Miller, Crookston, Minn. 93tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Three or four men or women to sell article every merchant must have. Experience unnecessary. Send one dollar for trial order, if not worth $2.00 money will be returned. Several here making $12.50 a day. Federal Sales and Service Co., 519 Metropolitan Life Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 97

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 91tf

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries, selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 97pd.

MISCELLANEOUS

BAKKEN & SHURSTAD—Painting, Paperhanging and Decorating. Furniture repaired and refinished; made to look as good as new. Located under new First and Peoples State Bank building. Phones: 3772 or 53R, Thief River Falls. 80tf

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 90tf

SITUATION WANTED—Young lady wishes a good place at once to do housework. Prefers a place where there are no children. State wages. Inquire at The Times. 96p

WANTED TO BUY FOR CASH—light runabout, Ford preferred. Must be cheap. Inquire Times office. 97

The H. D. Cady sawmill south of the Greenwood cemetery is now in operation. Anyone wishing logs, etc., sawed, see the Baker Land Co., city, for particulars. —95-4-pd.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.53
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.47
Oats	.34
Flax	1.99
Barley	.62
Rye	1.31

FLOUR AND FEED

Flour, per cwt.	5.80
Bran	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Corn and oat feed, 80 lb. bags	2.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00

POULTRY

Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Geese, alive, per lb.	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20-.25
Spring Chickens	.14

PRODUCE

Eggs	.57
Dairy Butter	.50
Creamery Butter	.50
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse hides	4.00

STOCK MARKET

Pork, dressed, per lb.	.15-.16
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10-.12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.12-.16

LIVE STOCK

Sheep, per lb.	.04-.06
Steers, per lb.	.05-.06½
Calves, per lb.	.06-.08
Cows, per lb.	.04-.05

BIG CATTLE RUNS SMASH RECORDS

Prices Showed Moderate Decline. Grades Steady—Veals Up. Hogs and Sheep Off.

South St. Paul—Record smashing receipts of cattle featured last week's trade at South St. Paul. The former banner day, Nov. 24, 1919, when 25,333 cattle were received, was eclipsed on Monday last week when 25,657 head arrived, and the week's marketings at 55,767 head shattered the former yard record for one week by more than 4,000 head. With this great influx of cattle locally, and liberal receipts at other points, marketing channels were temporarily clogged, causing uneven declines in cattle prices up to mid-week, ranging from 25c to 75c. By Thursday the congestion was cleared by the demand for cattle on shipping account, which continued on Friday and enabled salesmen to retrieve a good share of the early week losses.

The bulk of the common and medium grades of beef steers sold at the finish from $6.50 to $9.00 with best steers in the week's trade, some North Dakota rangers of good grade here Friday at $11.25. Butcher cows and heifers closed mostly from $4.50 to $7.00, with best butcher heifers, some Montana handyweights, at $9.35. Price range for canners at the close was $2.75 to $3.25, with average above the even money mark. Cutter cows are going largely from $3.50 to $4.25, with bologna bulls at $4.00 to $5.75 being unchanged for the week. Best veals advanced 25c, closing top being $12.75. Best stockers and feeders recovered the 25c loss sustained early and closed about steady with a week ago, while medium and common grades showed a loss of around 25c to 50c for the week's session.

Hog receipts increased and bulk at $12.00 to $12.15 Saturday stood $1.00 to $1.25 lower than a week ago. Best lambs around $10.75 closed fully 50c lower and ewes at $5.00 to $5.25, 25c to 50c lower for the week.

Dinner and Sale.

The Silver Creek Ladies aid will hold its annual Thanksgiving dinner and sale at the home of Gunston Knutson, 3 miles East and 4 miles north of Thief River Falls, on Thursday, Nov. 25. Services will be held on the same day at 11 o'clock by Rev. Ordahl.

NO FINER FOOD IN ALL THE WORLD

than pure milk from choice high-grade cows fed on the best in the land. Such a grade of milk you obtain from us—rich, creamy, valuable for its butterfat and protein to say nothing of the other nutritious elements. For adults as well as growing children.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

"Quality or Price---Which?"

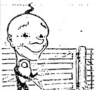

In buying hardware there is an important thing to consider beyond price.

Suppose you had two crops of apple—one the gnarly, flavorless, windfall sort; the other the big, sound flavory red fellows that make you apple hungry to see.

Suppose someone offered to take both crops at the market price of the windfalls. Your answer would be "No."

Apply this principle to hardware. You wouldn't buy windfall hardware at any price. But you can't buy hardware from appearance. Unscrupulous manufacturers hide inferior material and workmanship with gloss, glitter, and varnish.

We sell honest goods at fair prices. From mouse traps to ribstone silos, we guarantee our goods to be of high quality and to give you the limit of wear and service.

We have such faith in our stock that we allow you to test it at our risk. You can take any article of merchandise from this store and if at any time it isn't satisfactory bring it back. The money you paid is yours.

HALL BROTHERS COMPANY
"A Good Place to Trade"
HARDWARE - - - FARM MACHINERY
315 Horace Ave. N. Phone 15

Divide Your Crop Money

between a checking account and a certificate of deposit

—a checking account for the money you will pay out for running expenses

—a certificate of deposit for money not needed until spring work opens up. It will earn 4% interest if left on deposit six months, 5% interest if left one year.

First and Peoples State Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.

OLD SLEIGHS NEED NOT BE REMODELLED TO COMPLY WITH LAW

Error on Part of Engrossing Clerk of Senate Responsible For Much Confusion—Applies to New Sleighs.

Senator O. A. Naplin has called the attention of The Times to errors in an article published two weeks ago in this paper in which it was stated that all sleighs used on the highways of the state after the first day of January, 1921, must be four feet six inches from center to center of runners. This would require the remodelling of practically every sleigh in the state and there has been much inquiry as to whether or not this would be necessary. In order to set its readers right on this matter The Times secured from Senator Naplin a copy of the law as passed. It is known as Senate File No. 31 and reads as follows:

"Section 1. On and after the first day of January, 1921, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, in this state to sell any new or first-hand draft sleighs to any person or persons residing in the state for use therein, unless the runners of such sleigh shall measure from center to center not less than four feet six inches. And on and after such date it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to use upon any of the public highways of this state any such sleigh, purchased at first hand, after said first day of January, 1921, unless the runners shall measure from center to center four feet six inches."

This was the bill as passed, according to Senator Naplin. In engrossing the measure the clerk omitted the words "purchased at first hand," thus making it appear that the law applies to all sleighs, old as well as new, when no such provision was intended. The attorney general has held that where the legislature's intent is clearly shown no error on the part of those into whose hands the bill may subsequently fall can have the effect of changing its purpose. This simply means that old sleighs need not be remodelled to meet the requirements of the law but that any new sleigh purchased after the first of January must be four feet six inches from center to center of runners. The law makes it a misdemeanor for a person or concern to sell any sleigh not meeting these specifications after that date but does not prevent anyone owning such sleigh from continuing to use it without going to the expense and trouble of having it remodelled.

CREAMERY REPORTS SLUMP IN RECEIPTS

Less Than Half as Many Fifty Dollar Patrons as in Month of September.

The report of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery for the month of October, submitted by Secretary Peter Engelstad, shows a marked decrease in the size of monthly checks paid to dairymen. Only 36 checks for $50 or more were issued for the month, against 91 for the month of September. This decrease is natural at this time of year with the coming of cold weather and the lack of green fodder. Following are the checks:

P. Engelstad, $237.05; Hans Anton, $235.55; Henry Koop, $157.41; Jens Kierk, $142.42; Henry Pope, $140.13; R. M. Johnson, $82.63; Fred Copp, $77.57; John A. Sundt, $77.01; C. Christensen, $76.61; Henry Sande, $75.75; Mrs. Gutterud, $74.93; Joseph Oski, $71.98; Ed. Grundhous, $69.17; P. Hornseth, $67.43; A. J. Funnesdal, $67.22; Ole Skaar, $64.72; E. Edman, $64.69; Mrs. B. Overum, $62.64; S. Wiberg, $61.30; C. M. Hoverstad, $60.73; F. M. Kline, $59.56; Mrs. J. R. Walters, $59.52; P. Solem, $57.91; Iver N. Strand, $57.67; O. N. Anderson, $57.13; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $57.08; A. K. Haggy, $56.05; O. O. Hofdahl, $56.00; Ellef Tollefson, $54.59; N. A. Nelson, $53.34; Carl Mellem, $52.96; H. H. Olson, $52.65; Anfind Ness, $51.30; Nick Meyer, $50.81; John Krebechek, $50.27; S. Hasby, $50.02.

Three Leave For Hawaii To Join Field Artillery

Victor Norquist, Arthur Charbonneau and Shelferd Johnson have passed thru the local recruiting station during the past week enroute for the Hawaiian Islands and a three year enlistment with the 13th field artillery which is at present stationed there. All three young men passed the preliminary examinations with a good physical showing and left for Minneapolis on Monday night to undergo the final examination. The recruits are well known young men of the city, Norquist having been employed in the Soo repair shops, Charbonneau by the Holt & George plumbing establishment, and Johnson at the City bakery. The latter named is an ex-service man, having seen overseas service with the 387th Infantry.

Melvine Gould of Steiner, enlisted for a one-year term with the Tank corps, stationed at Camp Funston, Kansas, and will travel as far as Minneapolis with the other boys.

Sergeant Hinkson, in charge of the local recruiting station, accompanied Captain Ball and Lieutenant Hoans of Minneapolis on a deer hunting trip east of here, leaving on Monday. On the eve of his departure he stated that the station would be discontinued shortly after his return from the trip and expressed the hope that other premeditated enlistments would be made previous to the closing of this office.

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Storm Sewer Completed; Ready to Pave in Spring

With the completion of the storm sewer this week the streets of Thief River Falls are in readiness for the paving program, work to start immediately the weather opens favorably and the ground permits. It is the intent of both city officials and paving contractors to push the paving work ahead as rapidly as possible when once under way. Visitors in the city at this time next year will see some remarkable changes and residents will be surprised at the prepossessing aspect of the business section.

Coolsaet Bros. & Drees of Marshall, Minnesota, to whom the contract for 11 blocks of storm sewer was let, appeared here about the middle of last month with their powerful machines expecting to have the work completed before this time or before cold weather should set in. Their expectations would have been fulfilled but for the fact that operations had to be suspended about the first of the month until the necessary tiling could be secured. Operations were also hampered by the lowering temperature which was coincidental with the first light fall of snow in this section. The 11 blocks of storm sewer were laid at an expense of $14,828.00, that being the contract price.

Sugar Beets All Shipped; Checks Soon Forthcoming

The sugar beet crop of Pennington county has all been marketed and checks will be forwarded from Chaska this week. The policy of the Minnesota Sugar Beet company is to make payments on the 15th of each month for beets shipped during the previous month and all shipments from this county were made during October.

Local producers are enthused over the sugar beet proposition and are going in for larger acreages for the coming season. A pleasing feature of the proposition lies in the fact that a plot of three acres or more allows the grower the privilege of purchasing a limited amount of sugar at prevailing wholesale prices.

Ditch Hearing Postponed To Await Viewers' Report

The ditch hearing at the Pennington county court house on last Saturday was adjourned to December 10, at which time the county engineer and the board of reviewers will submit their reports concerning the extension of county ditches number 1 and 10. It was deemed advisable to provide an outlet for ditch number 1 by dredging eastward to the Thief River instead of re-dredging southward to ditch number 10. Plans to clean out ditch number 10 at its eastern extremity are also being considered.

A Dish for Every Meal

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COMBINE AGAINST WHISKEY SMUGGLING

United States and Canadian Governments Determined to Stamp Out Traffic.

By a reciprocal arrangement between the United States prohibition enforcement department and the Manitoba police, the boundary line between the United States and Canada is to be disregarded in the fight against whiskey running. Rules which for years have interfered with complete co-operation between the police of the two countries have been eliminated and the crossing of the line is permitted by both sides. This, according to United States prohibition agents, is the only method by which to effectually cope with the liquor runners who are operating along the Minnesota and North Dakota borderline.

Contraband liquor to the value of $600,000 a day is coming over the Canadian border according to M. A. Hildreth, United States district attorney at Fargo, who advocates placing the boundary zone under military control.

All roads running north through Roseau are said to be traveled by whiskey runners. One of them, who is reported to have retired after making $100,000, is reported to have used three automobiles, one a fast machine in which he carried the liquor, while the others traveled empty, one ahead and the other behind. The liquor car ran without lights, while a blue light flashed from the rear of the first car was a danger signal.

New Red Cross Room.

The room on the second floor of the city auditorium which was formerly used as a work room by the Woman's club and the Red Cross chapter has been leased to the Christian Science church. This for a time left the two organizations without suitable quarters in which to conduct their weekly sewing and mending sessions, but through the courtesy of the firemen the large room in the basement of the building will now be utilized for this purpose. The firemen, who used the room for assembly purposes only, will hold their monthly meetings in the fire department building.

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Editorial.

In order to stir up greater interest in debating, the English II classes were assigned as their English lesson Friday an oral argumentation on either side of the question to be debated by the Debating League of Minnesota: "Resolved that the open shop is preferable to the closed shop in our industrial system."

We are to have a debating team this year and in order to be a success it must have the backing of the school as a whole. An eminent authority has said that debating would prove to be more beneficial in later life than athletics. A football team in which the school takes no interest cannot be expected to make a notable record, and the same applies to a debating team.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

The Prowler.

Are you, Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, working to make the Prowler of 1920 the best ever put out? Are you taking enough pride in your annual to sacrifice a few moments for the good of your annual?

Snapshots and jokes would be very much appreciated and we would like to have them handed in right away.

With the co-operation of all the classes, the Prowler will undoubtedly be the best annual ever put out by the students of the Lincoln high school.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Don't Forget The Prowler

Students, are you doing anything for the 1921 Prowler? It is your Prowler, your publication, your representation of school and of school life, and you are therefore responsible in its production. Every student of Lincoln high ought to feel that he or she should do something to make it a book worthy of publication in this school. Now, if you are feeling this responsibility, I am asking you again, what are you contributing or how are you letting the Prowler get hold of your undoubtedly wonderful and brilliant ideas? I'll tell you what you can do. As you know there is a staff composed of various departments consisting of peppy and active people who act as collectors for material pertaining to their respective departments. If you have a good joke or anything that's funny, even a picture of yourself, see to it that it finds its way to the joke department. Here's a chance to get even with some of your fellow students by writing something humorous or pathetic (just so it's funny) about him or her. Surely most of you'll like to see your picture in the annual and especially in the 1921 Prowler but the only way you can obtain this very high honor, is by giving it to the Kodak department which will give it due space. There is probably nothing more appreciable in annuals than the snapshots contained of oneself and ones school friends. It is a most interesting collection but remember it must first be collected and put together and this you can very easily co-operate in accomplishing. Possibly some of you are favored with an inspiration now and then during which you feel that you could compete even with a Bill Shakespeare or Allan Poe. Make use of those precious moments and delight the Literary editors by a contribution.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Dear Fellow Students:

I am in search of suggestions and come to your aid. I want you to feel that you are a part of the high school annual—that I belong to you. My health, my life, my hopes, my ambitions and my fate lie in your hands. Each year a group selected from the Senior class have taken me in charge have nourished ~~and cared~~ for me, and have made a success of me.

This year I look not only to them, but to you. I am your yearly publication, and I shall bear in your heart a higher rate of interest than any investment. I am a servant of your will, my success lies with you. I come to you now for suggestions. I want you to throw light on what I have overlooked, to awaken interest in any department, to advise, suggest and emphasize what your hopes and ambitions wish me to be. Heed my call, sit down, write a few suggestions and drop it in the suggestion box. Your suggestions will be given serious attention, many faults shall be corrected and may the coming year prove the most successful, that I may be the best and brightest annual ever produced.

Signed,
"PROWLER."

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Annual Boosters' Meeting.

A booster meeting was held in the high school assembly Monday morning to stimulate interest in the 1921 Prowler. The members of the staff who spoke emphasized the importance of their particular departments, and called on every student in high school to do everything in his or her power to make the 1921 Prowler outstrip the annuals of former years.

Mr. Pierce opened the program by introducing the senior class, after which he turned the meeting over to the Prowler editor-in-chief, Dreng Bjornaraa. The chief executive announced that the purpose of the meeting was to keep the annual in its proper sphere of importance. Miss Patrick, (senior class advisor), emphasized the fact that this is our annual, and that each one of us should realize that we are an important part of the machine that is to turn out the 1921 Prowler.

Of course we all agree with Marguerite DeCremer that humor is the spice of life and that the success of the annual depends to a great extent on the quantity and quality of the jokes that may be found between its covers. Doris Richter wants snapshots for the kodak department.

These speakers were followed by Miss Elliott, Junior class advisor. She brought the matter of discussion forcibly home by asking how many had really already contributed *something* for the annual. A great amount of material is wanted, so that the staff will have something from which to choose. Jordan Penney wants photos for the athletic department. He said that he felt sure that we can beat any annual put out if everyone tries.

Beatrice Sandum stated that it has always been hard to make the literary department interesting, and in this part of the annual is co-operation particularly needed. She expects the Sophomore class to furnish the majority of the articles for her department and promised that the Seniors would furnish the perspiration if the Sophomores would furnish the inspiration.

Realizing that a good joke is always effective, Mr. Bjornaraa told the following: "Three Freshmen were dressing in a cloakroom. Number 1 asked Number 2 if Number 3 were his brother. Number 2 said "No." "Oh," said Number 1, "I thought you looked so much together." The 1921 Prowler is not going to 'look together' with any other annual. It is going to be "different."

Miss Dix, Sophomore advisor, said that co-operation was the keynote to the success of the annual and expressed the hope that the Sophomore class would live up to the high expectations expressed by Miss Sandum.

According to Vernon Copp of the art department, everybody can draw something, and that something should be handed in to a member of one of the various staffs.

Miss Soards defined the miscellaneous department. It takes care of any material that does not properly come within the juridiction of any of the other departments.

Rose Oski spoke of the interest of the alumni department and said that all graduates were greatly interested in our annual.

Last, but not least, came Mr. Tripp, Freshman class advisor. He said that the Freshmen were usually given the last place, but they are not going to be the last to support the 1921 Prowler. In order to be a complete success, the annual will have to be put out earlier than in former years, and that means that work must be started at once. Mr. Tripp wound up the most interesting and helpful program by defying the other three classes to push the Freshmen out of the annual, as a former speaker said the upper classes pushed the Freshmen football teams off the field in the colleges.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Personals.

Elodie Paulson, who has gone thru two operations lately, will not be able to attend school until after Christmas.

William Herrick was absent from school last Wednesday on account of sickness.

Clarence Knutson in Physical Geography class: "Say, Miss Brown, is there good swimming in Crater Lake?"

Wanted: More boys for the Boys' Glee Club.

Vernon Copp seems very much interested in room 102. What about it, Vernon?

When it comes to railroading, Billy is right there.

Chester Dols spent Saturday in Rosewood.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Normal Department.

Rose Oski and Lucille Bliscoe returned from practice teaching in a rural school on Friday. Bertha Gunderson and Gladys Ellested will take their place for the next two weeks.

The Normal geography classes spent an interesting part of Friday afternoon in viewing moving pictures of New England and Yellowstone National Park.

Helen Quirk remarked the other day in geography class that we have hunting seasons now for deer and other fowls.

Florence Burns is going to try to convince the Normal girls this week that Canada is the only place to live. That's right Florence, stick up for your country!

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Northrup News.

A new scale with a measuring attachment has been installed in the school so that the pupils can be weighed and measured each month.

Football and volley ball teams have been organized, but very little could be accomplished on account of the snow. The fourth and sixth grade football teams played the Washington fourth and sixth grades, but they were defeated in both games.

Miss Whipps was confined to her home several days last week on account of illness.

A new piano was installed in the school last week.

Misses Bark and Kleber returned from Minneapolis Monday morning after having attended the M. E. A.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Washington News.

The Washington pupils congregated in the lower halls of the school in a little celebration held in honor of Armistice Day. Two flag salutes were given by the upper and lower grades.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Kapers of the Kubs.

To the readers of the "Progress":

We have published this bit of humor and nonsense for the purpose of adding a little spice to the weekly routine of the "Progress."

Hoping that it will be received in the spirit in which it was written, we are,

DIOGENES
CHAUCER
POE

In Chemistry class—Mr. Melby: "Miss Bennes, who was Antoine Lavoisier, and what did he do?"

Miss Bennes: "Oh, if I'm not mistaken, he's the man who put the mystery in chemistry."

Myrtle to Anna: "Beatrice thinks we ought to be proud of our Alumni. She says her brother has the greatest chest expansion among the boys of the Freshman class at St. Olaf's."

Anna: "Yes, we have a noteworthy Alumni. I've heard that Leland Schuster has made a name for himself too. He has the greatest head expansion among the Freshmen at the University of North Dakota."

Hospital Notes

Patient—Ida Shields.
Afflicted with Romantic Fever.
How Contracted—Sitting near Morris Mabey in the assembly.
Remedy—Thirty days in the opposite corner of the assembly.
Notes—Time will cure.

Patient—Ernest Zeh.
Afflicted with Ache-Corns.
How raised—Trying to crowd his feet into Barzen's racer.
Remedy — Wearing ventilated Brogues, size 16.
Notes—Recovery possible if he doesn't go stepping.

Patient—Violet Krohn.
Afflicted with Broken Heart.
How broken—Being dropped by Elmer J.
Remedy—"Curly-Cure."
Notes—Hasty recovery.

Patient—Russell Anderson.
Afflicted with Inflammation of the Hair.
How contracted—Playing with fire.
Remedy—Close shave.
Notes—He's ruined.

Curly: "Jordan's got a Roman nose—it's roamin' all over his face."

Extract from Kermit's Autobiography: "I passed every year and I did not get a red mark until I was in the eighth grade and there I received two and also received two in the seventh grade and they were both in history and this made me work but I made it."

Yes, Kermit, you sure did make it. (An extract from Kermit's notebook will appear every week.)

Miss Elliott, in American History: "What is the President's message to Congress called?"

Vernon: "Habeas Corpus."

Viola, demonstrating in Public Speaking class: "I'm going to illustrate to you this morning how to make a one-minute cake. First you take the sugar and butter and cream it for ten minutes."

Miss Mealy: "Write all you know on those questions."

Harold S.: "Oh, is that sufficient?"

Probably not in your case, Harold.

A slip of the tongue by Esther Soards in Public Speaking class, illustrating how a pair of over-alls is made: "The button holes are made very easily, by just putting one of their foots on the machine."

Myrtle Krohn: "Did you interview the man who drowned this afternoon?"

Did you ever have a lucky accident? Well Mary did in the Chemistry Lab. She burned off some of her hair on one side and as a result she was forced to dress her hair in a different fashion. To our surprise, the new style was really becoming.

By the way, Jordan Penney never stated his "various reasons" for not venturing to the front of the assembly when called on to talk. "Oh we know, Jordan, but we won't tell."

Mr. Melby: "I have here an empty bottle with water in it."

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Senior Class Meeting.

Last Friday after school the Senior class had a meeting at which various things of importance to the class were considered. Mr. Pierce announced that he was willing to take charge of and direct the plays that will be given by the Seniors this year. He stated that he was confident that the class has a great number of members with dramatic ability so there is no doubt about the success of the plays that will be presented, if they are attended and supported as they should be. We are very fortunate indeed in having a dramatic coach so able and experienced as Mr. Pierce. He coached in the Hamline University class play, which received high honor in its presentation, last year.

It was decided that the individual Senior pictures should be taken before Christmas.

A committee was selected to plan a suitable entertainment for the Senior class to contribute as part of the elaborate program which will be given at the All-High-School and All-Faculty Masquerade party to be held in the near future. The Seniors are going to show that they can do their share.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Central Notes.

Central school observed the minute of prayer on Armistice Day.

The snow fall has stopped the playing of Volley ball and Association Football. It is intended to start basketball practice in a short time. Work of organizing the teams has begun.

There will be an unusually large graduating class this year as there are 118 pupils enrolled in the Eighth grade.

Much interest is being taken in the school and its work.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Sophomore Class Meeting.

The Sophomores had a class meeting Friday at 3:30 for the purpose of electing an annual sub-staff. The following staff was elected:

Editor-in-chief—Ole Helle.
Ass't. Editor-in-chief — Florentine Hance.
Kodak Dep't.—Nella Knudson and Lloyd Lonson.
Art Dep't.—Twila Glines, Craig Halvorson.
Literary Dep't.—Frances Cruzan, Olive Lonson.
Joke Dep't.—Kermit Anderson, Anthony Teske.
Miscellaneous Dep't.—Herb. Johnson, Lucille McGinnity.

The duty of this staff is to collect the vast amount of material the Sophomores are expected to contribute towards the success of the 1921 Prowler, and to deliver the most suitable of this material to the Senior staff.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Junior Class Meeting.

A Junior class meeting was called Friday afternoon for the purpose of electing an annual sub-staff.

The Freshmen, Sophomore and Junior classes each elect a sub-staff, these sub-staffs and the Senior staff put out the annual. By this plan it is hoped that the annual will be a school annual, not merely a Senior annual. The members of the Junior sub-staff are:

William Herrick—Editor-in-chief.
Lloyd Lonson—Ass't. Editor.
Joke Dept.—Pearl Shetler, editor; David Evenson, Ass't. Editor.
Art Dep't.—Violet Krohn, Editor; William McGinnity, Ass't. Editor.
Kodak Dep't.—Ruby Bennes, Editor; William McGinnity, Ass't. Editor.
Literary Dep't.—Shirley Anderson, Editor.
Miscellaneous Dep't. — Gregory Werstlein, Editor; Helen Langseth, Ass't. Editor.

The high school masquerade was discussed and a committee of three was elected to meet with the class president Monday afternoon and plan the entertainment to be given by the Juniors.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Armistice Day.

On Thursday morning, Nov. 11th, the student body was called together for the purpose of celebrating the second anniversary of the signing of the Armistice.

The meeting was opened with appropriate songs followed by a short talk by Mr. Pierce, after which ex-service men, Jordan Penney and Hugh McDaniel, gave talks on how they felt on Armistice Day. Jordan Penney, formerly a member of the A. E. F. gave us some idea as to the manner in which Armistice Day was spent by the service men in France. Hugh McDaniel gave a short talk on the way the soldiers were treated in New York City on Armistice Day.

Mr. Ziegler then gave a talk followed by a few appropriate songs which closed the chapel exercises.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Look Forward.

Leave the musty past, and see the new,
For the old is worthless to us now.
Lay the sadness off thy weary brow,
And turn to gaze at the road ahead,
This is the path which is thine to walk
These are the lands which thou passeth thru,
Listening e'er to the world's great talk,
And the sound of her voices all too few,
As you travel the road which you aye must tread.
Half of the way will be lily laid,
And the other half will be lined with thorns.
On one you walk joyfully, unafraid,
The other, sadly, as one who mourns.
Yet up above, in the vaulted blue
Where the wild birds swing in the dance of the sky,
They say there is one who watches you,
And loves with a love which will never die.
I know not whether this tale be true,
Or a fevered mind's wierd recreation,
But I know that the sky's deep blue
Is a work of triumph and exultation;
And the beauty and mystery of it all
Shows the hand of a master of creation.

Look Forward.
WILLIAM MERRIT, 1920
Hinckly High School.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Basketball Season Here.

The basketball season has again continued its existence after a long absence since last April and was hailed with great enthusiasm last Monday afternoon when work was begun.

The dawning of the basketball season this year seems to have made an impression upon all the boys who play, and as a result there has been a large group attending the practice evenings thus far held.

In the present group of players there is enough basketball ability to build up a team that any high school can be proud of or any state be proud to hail as a State High School champion team.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Boys' Glee Club.

A Boys' Glee club has been started in high school. There can be no Boys' Glee club without the boys and there are certainly boys in the high school that can sing. At the last two or three meetings of the Glee club only a few boys were present. There can be no Glee club with only six boys in it and those six representing the rest of the boys that can sing.

A high school of this size should have a Boys' Glee club by all means. Other high schools in the state smaller than ours have fine Glee clubs and there is no reason why this high school can't have one too, and have a good one.

One fourth credit is given to all those who join the Glee club and live up to it, but just because a little credit is given don't come to fool away the time, but come with the idea of doing conscientious work, and this high school will have a Boys' Glee club they can be proud of.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Lyceum Season Tickets.

Season tickets for the five numbers of the lecture course, which is to be brought to Thief River Falls this winter, under the auspices of the Women's club, are now on sale at the reduced rate of one dollar ($1) per ticket for high school students. The course is especially good and will benefit *anyone* who *hears it.* Those wishing to invest in season tickets, see Mr. Pierce at once.

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

Keep Trying.

"My son," said an old gentleman to a boy who was trying to put a load of coal into the cellar with a tablespoon, "Surely you don't expect to put all that coal away with that little spoon."

"O yes I do," said the boy. "All I have to do is to keep trying."

—Mound School Bulletin.

No wonder roosters have indigestion—they eat a peck at a time.

Student—"Is Jones a deep thinker?"

Teacher—"He must be—none of his ideas ever get to the surface!"

First Student: "Have you telegraphed for money?"

Second Student: "Yes, I telegraphed yesterday."

First Student: "Got any answer yet?"

Second Student: "Yes, I telegraphed the governor; 'Where is that money I wrote for?' And his answer reads: 'In my pocket.'"

Mr. Schmitt in mechanical drawing: "Now George, what is an ellipse?"

George M.: "An ellipse is a long circle."

Knute says: "What's the joke?"

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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Emil Blomberg Injured.

As a result of becoming entangled in the balance wheel of a small odd job gasoline engine he was about to start, Emil Blomberg is at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls minus the greater part of his right hand thumb, a dislocated wrist and a broken radius bone in his forearm. It appears that Mr. Blomberg, who is a young farmer residing about one mile north of town, had on Wednesday afternoon attempted to start a small gas engine used to pump water, turn the wash machine and other small jobs, and in turning the balance wheel over with hand to start it, his glove had caught somehow and as the engine started with a jerk, it threw Mr. Blomberg against the opposite wall with the sad result named. Dr. C. M. Adkins of Thief River Falls was immediately summoned by telephone and responded directly, but on arriving discovered that the injury was of such a nature that home treatment was inadequate and took the patient along to the hospital where he now remains. It is later learned that the thumb and part of the hand will be amputated but that hope is retained for the successful healing of the arm and wrist.

Bloom-Rose.

At the home of the bride, occurred on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 7 the marriage of Miss Annie Bloom to Mr. Alexander Rose of Numedal township. Mr. Helmer Bloom, brother of the bride, acted in the capacity of best man, and attending the bride was Miss Mabel Uland of Radium. Annie is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom, pioneer residents of this place, and is a charming young lady of the highest esteem, occupying a confident place in the hearts of numerous friends of the community who join in extending all the best wishes for a happy matrimonial journey. Mr. Rose is an intelligent and prosperous farmer residing south of Viking. The newlyweds left the same day for an extended honeymoon to Duluth where they will visit with a sister of the bride, Mrs. J. M. Phil and family. Rev. W. Drotts of Viking "tied the nuptial knot.

The annual sewing auction sale of the Rindal church took place last Saturday evening with the church filled to capacity. Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls cried the sale and J. Sorenson acted as clerk. Lunches and articles of the sale to the amount of over $50 were disposed of.

The Swedish Y. P. S. which meet at the Congregational church in town last Thursday evening was fairly well attended. Rev. Drotts of Viking, who was to have charge, was prevented from attending owing to sickness in his family. Music was furnished by Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen and Miss Isabelle Sagmoen.

The seventh annual meeting of the Wildwood Cemetery association was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom last Monday evening. Carl Bloom was elected as treasurer for the coming two years taking the place of T. Mellem who resigned. A. Hellquist remains as president and Joel Shoberg as secretary-sexton for another year. T. Mellem and Carl Bloom will have charge of the cemetery grounds during the coming year.

Mrs. Adolph Haugen is at the Thief River Falls hospital this week suffering from an acute disease of the kidneys.

The special meeting of the local Farmers club last Monday evening was attended by about a dozen members. The secretary was instructed to secure prices from several milling companies on flour in five ton quantities, and will report the results at another meeting to be held next Monday evening, Nov. 22, also at Rosebank. All present were in favor of purchasing flour at the prevailing condition of the market.

J. Dolezal of Minneapolis is spending this week visiting with his brother, Frank, north of town.

Miss Viola Axelson returned to resume her work at the Thief River Falls hospital last Monday evening following a brief visit with her parents here.

Olaf Opseth was at Warren between trains last Thursday attending to business matters.

Miss Clara Sorenson left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls where she will spend Sunday visiting with her parents.

Helmer Bloom left last Wednesday morning for Warren where he spent the day on business.

Axel Bloom of Rocksbury township spent Sunday visiting with his folks south of this place.

Several of the local young folks attended the traveling shows at Viking this week.

Miss Esther Thoreson returned home last Saturday from Thief River Falls where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Olaf Ryan.

GOODRIDGE

Stuart Ferdinandson was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday, having dental work done.

Miss Eleanor Bowers visited over Sunday at the P. Giefer home in Thief River Falls.

Monday, Nov. 29th, is the date of the second Lyceum number. Montaville Flowers will give a very interesting and live lecture.

Miss Elvina Tharaldson of Starbuck returned home Monday evening after a few days visit with relatives.

P. O. Robinson and wife of Four Towns were in town Thursday evening enroute to Thief River Falls, to visit at the Charles Johnson home.

Miss Sarah Vaughan spent the week end in Thief River Falls.

Miss Wiles was an over Sunday visitor at the Daniel Shaw home in Thief River Falls.

Miss Christine Bundhund was in Thief River Falls Saturday consulting a doctor in regard to her infected arm.

John Money of Grygla was in town Friday afternoon with Louis J. Bremer of St. Paul, who is interested in farm lands and mortgages. Mr. Bremer was a passenger to Thief River Falls in the evening.

Mike Tunick returned Friday morning from a business trip to the cities.

W. J. LaBree, was in town Wednesday morning on his way to an auction sale in the country.

Otto Lee of Grygla was in town on Thursday enroute to Thief River Falls on business.

W. W. Winters, traveling auditor for the American Railway Express company, was in town Thursday.

H. C. Hanson of Thorhult was in town Wednesday enroute to Duluth.

Miss Theresa Giefer spent the week end at her home in Thief River Falls.

Professor B. O. Norby entertained Thursday evening at a six o'clock dinner, given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dahl. After dinner the guests played cards. Those who had the pleasure of the occasion were the Misses Virginia Wiles, Sarah Vaughan, Theresa Giefer, Elenor Bauer, Gladys Wilson, Messers. John Nystal, Ted Tandberg and B. O. Norby.

Don't forget the second number of the Lyceum course Monday the 29th.

Joseph Hummel of Delhi, Ohio, was in town Monday enroute to Grygla. He will be the guest of Clifford McBraire.

Otto Johnson, a Grygla resident was in town on business Monday morning.

Miss Overum, who is attending school at Thief River Falls, spent the week end at her home in Highlanding.

Louis Peterson of Grygla passed through Goodridge on his way to the lumber camps.

E. D. Travers, salesman for the Kelly-Howe-Thompson Hardware Co., was in town Monday.

G. H. Hoyt, representing the Wyman Partridge Co., was in town Monday, enroute to Grygla.

The directors of the farm bureau association met Saturday evening at the farm bureau office in Thief River Falls. They decided to put on a membership campaign next month all over the county and also to join the state federation of farm bureaus.

Miss Lena Kesow of Esplee, who has been employed at the O. K. restaurant, went home for a few days' visit. Mrs. Wm. Gurrult is taking her place.

A postoffice inspector was in town Monday checking up the local office.

E. K. Enebo of Reiner left Monday for an extended visit with relatives in Norway.

Miss Elaine Swanson of the Red Cross was in town Tuesday.

The Goodridge band will give a concert Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, at the school auditorium. The band numbers thirteen pieces with the following personnel: Mr. Moen, Joseph Christenson, R. H. McDonald, Roy Olson, P. O. Tvedt, E. S. Dahl, N. H. Dahl, G. C. Gulrud, Harry McDonald, Noble Urdahl, H. B. Roehne and Everett Seavey. Among the numbers to be played are "Mignonette" and the "Magneta Overtures," by Huff. Besides these band selections, there will be songs by the high school girls' glee club and a male octette. Miss Gladys Wilson will render a piano solo.

Miss Ruby Jenson is visiting with friends in Thief River Falls for a few days.

Mr. Huston of the Dwinnell-Wright Co., gave a demonstration of the White House coffee Thursday afternoon at the Goodridge Merc. Co. store.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Onstad of Humbolt, who have been visiting at the M. G. Thorson home, left Friday for Houston county to visit. Mr. Thorsen is an uncle of Mr. Onstad.

Mrs. Karl Korstad and son Bobby of Highlanding, was in town Tuesday evening enroute to Thief River Falls to visit with friends and relatives.

School Notes.

Miss Swanson of the Red Cross, gave a talk to the school children on Tuesday morning. She voiced an urgent appeal for membership in the Junior Red Cross. The fee this year is only forty-five cents for each room. She also suggested the organization of classes in nursing as a local project. This was for the purpose of interesting the younger set. Miss Swanson's suggestions were very practical and we hope that they will materialize.

Thanksgiving vacation will start next Wednesday night and there will be no school before the following Monday. The teachers will visit at the different places as follows: Miss Giefer will be at her home in Thief River Falls; Miss Vaughan at Thief River Falls; Miss Bauer at the home of her sister at Bemidji; Miss Wiles with friends in Okles; Mr. Nystad with friends at Fargo and Mr. Norby at his home in Fosston.

Gorman Thompson was fortunate enough to win fifth place at the meeting at Crookston Friday. There were nineteen choice calves entered. Ethel Vaughan won eleventh place with her sheep and there were fifteen competing in that department. Ethel could have gone to the final contest at St. Paul the 17th, but she gave her place up.

Thursday morning the school children assembled to participate in Armistice Day program:

Patriotic songs—School, leader, Mr. Nystal.

Flag drill—Pupils in primary room.

Flag salute—Pupils in primary room.

Speech, "Significance of Armistice Day"—E. L. Dahl.

Yells—Leader, Christine Bundhund.

Mr. Dahl opened the talk he gave, with an appropriate story. Then he spoke at length upon the immediate effect of the signing of the Armistice, upon the American soldiers in France. Mr. Dahl was attached to a railroad regiment in France. He said the most natural thing for them to do was to tie down the whistles of a dozen locomotives. The general merry-making was kept up for a long time and the final jubilee to the men came when they were given the opportunity to set sail for the U. S. A.

Miss Grace Day entertained the Goodridge high school at her home at Mavie last Saturday evening. In spite of the cold weather almost all were present.

The evening was spent in playing games and singing. Later on refreshments were served. The party was homeward bound long before the wee hours of the morning. What's the hurry in such a hurry for? "Ask Johnny," we say.

A fine time was enjoyed by all and we all hope for more of the same kind.

Lutheran Church, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 21: English and German services at Esplee at 10 a. m., and at Grygla at 3 p. m. Special collections. English services in the hall at Grygla at 8 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 24: English Thanksgiving services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. Special collection. Thursday, Nov. 25th: Thanksgiving services at Germantown: German 10 a. m.; English 3 p. m. Special collections. Sunday Nov. 28: No services.

WYANDOTTE

Will Peterson is busy erecting a new barn.

Esther Hanson went to St. Hilaire on Friday to have some dental work done.

Mrs. Martha Aanenson of Bagley is visiting relatives and friends her for a few weeks.

A new Ladies' Aid society was organized Nov. 11.

Will Wilson, who has been visiting relatives and friends here for a few weeks, left last Monday.

The basket social and fancy work sale at the Germundson home Friday evening, was well attended and proved an enjoyable event.

Alfred Rolstad called on Edwin Nelson Sunday afternoon.

The Booster Farmer club met at the Poplar Glen schoolhouse Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hanson visited at the Henry Hanson and Pete Omundson homes Monday.

Mrs. Sam Hanson visited with Mrs. Knute Thorvilson Monday afternoon.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Overby was a caller at Mavie last Monday.

Albert Johnson left for Goodridge Tuesday where he will be employed.

Miss Anna Kotlan called at the Stokkie home on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Boyce visited with Bernice Strubble Friday.

Messrs. Martin Overby and Clifford Roller departed for Duluth where they will be employed.

Miss Rose Vakoch is visiting at the C. Boyce home.

Mrs. Henry Roller spent Friday afternoon at the Will Wayne home.

Miss Nettie Bendickson was a Germantown caller on Saturday.

Mrs. C. Strubble visited at the A. Ristau home on Monday.

Misses Anna Kotlan, Mildred and Fern Nelson, Alice Nurlund, Silva Bendickson and Floyd Nelson were callers at the Henry Roller home on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ristau were Sunday guests at the Frank Kintze home.

Nettie and Silva Bendickson spent Sunday afternoon at the S. Rolland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norlund and daughter Alice were entertained at the A. K. Haggy home Sunday.

Clara Overby left for Minneapolis Monday, where she will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ristau visited at the John Ristau home on Sunday.

ERIE

The eastern end of Pennington county has now a consolidated school.

The S. O. Presteguard sale was well attended and things sold at a fair price. The Presteguards, who have been prominent farmers in Star township for a number of years, are leaving for the state of Washington to make their future home. The best wishes of the community goes with them.

L. B. Johnson, Ole Nerhus and H. A. Dahlen have gone into the house moving business.

A fine baby girl arrived at the G. G. Olson home on election day, Nov. 2nd.

The Teachers' Progressive League met in the schoolhouse in District 59 on Friday evening. The next meeting will be held in District 56 on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Eckwall were guests at Dahlen's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Tharaldson received the sad news that their daughter, Mrs. M. H. Lee, residing in Idaho, is quite ill.

Rev. Hoyum of Esplee conducted religious services in the Dahlen school house on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. G. A. Iverson and children spent a few days visiting at the J. Bammerud home near Rhoda.

Mrs. H. O. Tommerdahl sprung a surprise on her husband on Sunday, Nov. 7th, it being his birthday, by inviting a number of his friends. A fine time was had by all present.

Mrs. Bergit Danielson, who moved away from here only a year ago to reside near McIntosh, has decided that this is not such a bad place after all and has moved back on her 40 acre farm. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Frank Woods and two children of Montana, who will make an indefinite visit here.

GOLDEN VALLEY

Andrew Spokely had a sale at his place today and over 40 head of cattle were sold.

A Pentecostal meeting will be held at Jim Johnson's near the Otto Heck schoolhouse, next Sunday. The meeting was held at Herbert Van Wald's last Sunday.

Joseph J. Tyson returned to Fargo last week. He has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Stanley Grashon, this fall.

Mrs. Gunda Larson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Larson, this week.

Well drillers are drilling a well at the schoolhouse in Dist. 145.

Mr. Bargool of Rollis commenced an eight month's term of school in Dist. 155 this morning.

ST. HILAIRE

Johnson-Scholin.

On Thursday at 3 o'clock at the home of Swan Scholin in Bray, occurred the marriage of his daughter Edith, to Edward Johnson of Polk Center. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. F. Nelson in the presence of about forty relatives and friends.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white satin and her tulle veil was arranged in striking cap effect. She carried a bouquet of brides' roses and was attended by her cousin, Miss Beda Olson of Beltrami. Hjalmar Johnson, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

After a dainty wedding supper the young couple left for Thief River Falls from where they departed over the Soo for several weeks visit in Minneapolis and Worthington, Minn. They will be at home after Dec. 15th on the groom's farm in Polk Center. The out-of-town guests were Rev. H. P. Johnson of Minneapolis, brother of the groom and the Olson and Staunng families of Beltrami.

Mrs. A. Bilden and Miss Ruth Roy were Thief River Falls shoppers Saturday.

Rev. H. G. Thorgrimson of Grand Forks, N. D., conducted services in the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday morning. Rev. Thorgrimson is traveling in the interests of a pension fund for aged pastors.

Sister Clara Norman visited at the N. A. Nelson home the latter part of the week, arriving here from Plummer, the home of her mother. She returned to Grand Forks Saturday, where she is a nurse at the Deaconess hospital.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughter Mabel shopped at Thief River Falls Saturday.

The Misses Edith Nelson and Blanche Hoff, accompanied by Mrs. N. A. Nelson, went to Grand Forks Friday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Miss Selma Hoff substituted in the primary grades Monday morning due to the absence of Miss Blanche, who returned from Grand Forks on the morning train.

Mrs. Richard Wallin was a week-end visitor at the Henry Ebbinghausen home at Thief River Falls.

L. M. Mitchell, former proprietor of the Mitchell cafe, left Saturday for Churches Ferry, N. D., where Mrs. Mitchell is visiting. They plan to spend the winter in Virginia, returning here in the spring.

Gerald Stephens spent the week-end with his parents. He is attending the A. C. at Crookston.

Mrs. F. J. Sprafka is home after spending some time visiting relatives at Hibbing, Minn.

Hjalmer Johnson, accompanied by his brother, Rev. H. P. Johnson, motored to Crookston Saturday. The former returned the same evening and the latter left Crookston for his home in Minneapolis. Rev. Johnson was here for the Scholin-Johnson wedding. He is a brother of the groom.

Dr. Dann arrived Friday from Thief River Falls to be the guest of his son, Frank Dann. Mrs. Dann left for Sioux City, Iowa, for an indefinite visit with relatives.

Mrs. Lars Loberg and daughter Ragna shopped and visited at Thief River Falls between trains Saturday.

Art Koidahl arrived the latter part of the week from Baudette and will spend some time with his mother, Mrs. H. Koidahl.

The Misses Beda and Tracy Peterson visited with friends and relatives at Crookston and Grand Forks over Sunday.

Mrs. D. McAllister and daughter Muriel visited the forepart of the week at the Hans Wilson home, leaving for Crookston Saturday for a week-end visit at the Joseph Laplante home before returning to their home at Grand Forks.

The Misses Lois Forbes and Elenor Anderson were Thief River Falls shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. H. C. Cooley, who has spent several months at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Dobson, left Thursday for Brodhead, Wis., where she will visit before returning to her home at Walla Walla, Wash.

Mrs. C. Calsness returned to her home at Bemidji Friday after visiting several weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. O. Sherva.

Mrs. O. W. Brink returned Thursday from Montana, where she has spent several months with her sons, Elmer and Tudy, on their ranches near Eight Point.

S. J. Amble, proprietor of the Park Ridge nursery, returned Thursday from points in North Dakota where he has traveled in the interests of his nursery.

A. Bilden, who is employed at Coleraine, Minn., visited the forepart of the week with his family here, returning to Coleraine Friday.

Miss Nannie Erickson returned home Thursday after spending some time with relatives at Red Lake Falls.

John Ostrofka, who lately moved with his family to Gatzke, attended to business matters here Thursday.

Alton Jackson of Crookston visited at the H. O. Jackson home between trains Thursday.

The high school basketball team met and defeated the city team in a hard fought struggle at the Gym., Friday evening. The score was 10 to 12.

Mrs. Gunnard Lindquist and Mrs. V. G. Brink, returned Saturday from Virginia and points on the Iron Range where they spent the past week visiting relatives.

The Black River congregation of the Swedish Lutheran church tendered their pastor, Rev. A. F. Nelson, a pleasant surprise at the parsonage Sunday evening. Many members from the country drove in for the evening. A delightful time was spent and after refreshments were served and a neat sum of money presented to their pastor, the self-invited guests departed for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rolland are the proud parents of a baby girl born Saturday morning, Nov. 13th.

Mrs. K. T. Dalager and children are visiting relatives and friends at Battle Lake and Fergus Falls, Minn.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson is the guest of Miss Hazel Wallin at Grand Forks this week.

Soldiers' Bonus

Announcing a Plan for the Early Payment of Approved Soldiers' Bonus Claims.

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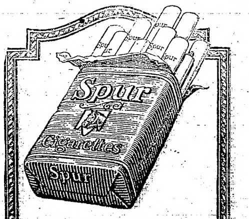

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Spur Cigarettes

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Legal Notices

Hearing on Ditch Petition.

Judicial Ditch No. 30, Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota. Clerk of Court's Notice of Hearing on Petition, Engineer's and Viewers' Reports, in Ditch Proceedings.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, ss. District Court, 14th Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of Alma K. Bandum and others for a public drainage ditch in the Counties of Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as Judicial Ditch No. 30.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, praying for the construction of a public drainage ditch designated and numbered by the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, as Judicial Ditch No. 30, and that the preliminary hearing provided by law before the Judge of the District Court has been had thereon, and the said Judge has appointed a civil engineer to make a survey of the route of the said ditch and to perform such other duties in relation thereto as provided by law, and that the said engineer has completed his work and made due report thereon and filed the same in the office of the Clerk of the District Court and that the said Judge of the District Court has duly appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits in the matter of said ditch and to perform all other duties in relation thereto as provided by law, and that the said viewers have completed their work and have filed their report in the office of said Clerk and that, as appears by the report of the engineer hereinbefore mentioned, the starting point, route and terminus of the main ditch and branches of Judicial Ditch No. 30, including a description of land over which the same passes, is as follows:

Main Ditch.

Beginning at a point (40) feet west of the section line between sections seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in township numbered one hundred fifty-four north (154N) of range forty-one west (41W) of the fifth principal meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, and in the channel of the main ditch of Judicial Ditch Numbered eighteen (18) of Marshall and Pennington Counties thence west along said main ditch of Judicial Ditch numbered eighteen (18) along the north boundaries of said section eighteen (18) and section thirteen (13) of said township and range forty-two west (42W) to the point where Judicial Ditch No. eighteen turns north; thence continuing in a westerly direction parallel with and fifty (50) feet south of the north boundary of sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of said last mentioned township and range to the quarter section line in said section sixteen (16); thence in a westerly direction thru the common corner of sections eight, nine, sixteen, and seventeen of said last named township and range to a point fifty (50) feet north of the quarter section corner between sections eight (8) and seventeen (17); thence west parallel with and fifty (50) feet north of the south boundary of sections eight (8) and seven (7), said township and range, and sections twelve (12), eleven (11) and ten (10) of said last mentioned township, and range forty-three west (43W); thence south seventy-seven (77) degrees west, parallel with and fifty (50) feet north of the south boundary of section nine (9) of said last mentioned township and range, a distance of thirteen hundred fifty (1350) feet to the coulee, thence along the coulee north sixty degrees west (N60 DW) a distance of two hundred fifty (250) feet; thence north seventy seven and one-half degrees west a distance of two hundred (200) feet; thence south forty six and one-half degrees west a distance of two hundred (200) feet; thence south fourteen degrees west a distance of seven hundred (700) feet; thence south fifteen degrees east a distance of three hundred twenty five (325) feet to the Thief River, as a terminus.

Branch One (1).

Beginning at a point forty (40) feet south and thirty (30) feet west of the common corner of sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15), twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), township one hundred fifty-four north (154N) of range forty west (40W); thence west along and parallel with the north boundary and forty (40) feet south thereof, of sections twenty-one (21), twenty (20) and nineteen (19), of said last mentioned township and range, and sections twenty-four (24), twenty-three (23), twenty-two (22), twenty-one (21) and twenty (20), of township aforesaid, and range forty-one (41) to the point where branch B of Judicial Ditch numbered eighteen (18) turns north; thence north along said Branch B one-mile along the west boundary of section seventeen (17) to a terminus in the main ditch as its source, providing fifteen (15) degree curves at the southwest corner of section seventeen (17), and the northeast corner of section eighteen (18) of said last mentioned township and range.

Branch Two (2).

Beginning thirty (30) feet south of the quarter section corner between sections twenty-two (22) and twenty seven (27),

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… Range 42, Sections 12, 11, 10, 9, 16, Township 154, Range 43, [illegible] Range 40, Sections 21, 22, 23, 21, 29, 16, and 17, Township 154, Range 41, Sections 21, 25, 29, and 30, Township 154, Range 38, Sections 22, 23, 26, 27, Township 154, Range 40, Sections 25, 26 and 27, Township 154, Range 39, Section 19, Township 151, Range 40, Section 21, Township 151, Range 41, Section 9, Township 151, Range 42, all in Marshall and Pennington Counties, Minnesota.

And the said engineer's report shows the dimensions of the said ditch and the particular and exact location thereof, and that the names of the owners of the lands and the names of municipal corporations and other corporations that will be affected by the construction of said ditch, as the same appears in the report of the viewers hereinbefore mentioned, are as follows, to-wit: Oliver Regan, Northwestern Townsite Co., A. O. Sam, Gilbert Gunderson, Pat Brick, Babel Carlton, H. C. Johnson, Emma Bundlund, Emma Ryan, Carl Lindstrom, J. Payne, Siver Anderson, R. L. E. M. F. T. Co., Anjie Miller, H. Christenson, J. C. Gulrud, Goodridge State Bank, Andrew Myrow, First State Bank, Goodridge Mercantile Co., C. O. Stephenson, E. C. Walker, O. S. Kirkile, Albert Halvorson, M. D. Seavey, K. S. Dahl, J. Stephen, M. Olson, Winton-Nichols Lumber Co., Carl Elseth, Village of Goodridge, Prichard-Tvedt Co., Chas. Potterman, E. C. McDonald, C. C. Gulrud, M. J. Thoreson, H. R. Laslin, M. Makela, J. Oldford, M. M. Anderson, M. Mokas, I. E. Quist, H. A. Langlobe, D. C. Browille, Nick Bundlund, J. P. Jensen, Fitton & Quale, H. A. Halvorson, A. S. Gundland, L. Larson, A. B. Mandt, T. Gulbertson, Carlton Babbet, Frank Rice, Elizabeth Rinklin, Carl Edseth, C. O. Stephen, Halvor Christenson, P. O. Tvedt, N. O. Leary, M. Olson, J. T. Lindstrom, J. J. Specler, First State Bank of Mavie, F. Domereck, Mavie Hardware Co., J. Duchamp, T. M. Shie, James Henby, Elenora Lonson, Reserve, C. E. Stein, G. E. Stein, Paul A. Dahl, Jorgen A. Eide, H. J. Maland, Edward Thorpe, Peter Jacobson, H. Dablow, Fred Dablow, T. K. Ryneatad, J. N. Olson, et al., Henry Kaushagen, K. T. Bjerke, C. A. Runstad, Alfred Olson, T. T. Ose, Oscar Ballog, Elmer Klungness, Geo. E. Sinum, Carl Sorum, Thomas McCormick, S. T. Hoffman, Olof Nusseth, C. H. Brown, Ole Fortham, Iver T. Anstad, Thore Gunderson, Oscar Evenson, Halvor Loken, J. L. Fodstad, Anton F. Danda, Johanna Bregvold, Olof Ramstad, Ole C. Hanson, Emily Ramstad, Andrew Carlson, Albert Hanson, Victor J. Swanson, Clarine Roller, Lars Hanson, Paul Peterson, et al., T. K. Ryneatad, Emil Lundke, Chas. Rodke, Val Yager, Ernest Schmidt, Aug. Fern, Marion A. Day, Lewis Thorstvedt, John O. Doncasel, C. W. Grisman, T. E. Lunn, Elmer Peterson, Jacob Vad, H. Halvorson, L. A. McCleal, Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minn., Geo. A. Stene, C. T. Thompson, Thos. D. [illegible] E. F. Dalen, Fred DuChamp, F. K. Maanghen, J. P. Dunning, [illegible] field, F. K. Meagher, Sugvld Sanders, Arthur F. Anderson, Selma Rickson, Chas. Rodke, K. Svensgaard, J. Orzechowski, Emanuel Schultz, John Penter, F. Humpal, Joseph Placek, Marion Day, Farmers State Bank of Mavie, Minn., Ulric Rok, Geo. C. Stein, Hoag Security Co., Daniel Shaw, Fred Hanse, Thos. H. Smith, Anton Kotlan, John Casperson, Edward J. Kattan, Geo. A. Jaeling, C. M. Evenson, Emma M. Schuet, John Bratrud, Geo. A. Wagner, Gust M. Melum, Perl P. Palmer, E. F. Franklin, Elenor Fredricks, Chas. Newberry, Peter Sabo, Chas. S. Swanson, John Conklite, Mary McLaughlin, Olof Wahlberg, I. J. Hefstad, Elof Halvorson, Martha Wagsted, Martha Waschetz, Ben Sanderson, Angus McLeod, Nicoly Urdahl, R. McGinn, et al., A. P. Vigenstad, V. Massy, Lawrence Lorang, Henry Lien, M. G. Thorson, Lucello E. Johnson, Daniel Dan, James Crosby, John M. Stephenson, Theo. Bjerke, Montana & Dakota Grain Co., Ida F. Whitten, O. W. A. Law, Janet C. Wane, K. N. Knudson, J. H. Hay, Ole A. San, Aylino Ingle, Martha H. Nelson, Mavis S. Beaver, Severt Benson, Lars L. Furan, Oscar Thompson, Ole H. Groven, C. N. Urdahl, Osmund Urdahl, Peter A. Urdahl, Fred Dunenson, Edward A. Groven, Patrick F. Brick, Gilbert Gunderson, Joseph McCabe, John Gutman, Susan Weinert, Casper Iversen, Elizabeth C. Rise, G. W. Pinkerton, Lars Stromlien, P. J. Flynn, Geo. S. Rise, Mathew A. Muttenaid, Michel Kasca, Ole E. Neltnand, Elizabeth Perry, et al., John Kusnek, Gen Mercantile Co., Blanche Seger, John L. Baunfeld, Eugene H. Beaneon, Henry H. Jensen, John Markuson, S. Bonlighammer, John Schartz, Gunder Erickson, Frances Hock, John Morgan, Elof A. Lovstrand, C. J. Carlson, K. A. Dahley, Hattie Lange, E. P. Holst, Robert McGinn, T. W. Logen, Henry P. Goertz, J. R. James, Herman Molin, A. Froehlke, F. Mertz, Christ Keltzer, Sarah E. Vaughn, Mary C. Vaughn, J. P. Ulvesling, Hans H. Hansen, Joseph Linder, Augusta Smith, Peter Lovely, Marie Linder, Susanna Spear, Ole Lesvold, Halvor G. Knudson, Emil J. Olson, Hans Flesand, A. B. Johnson, Hellem Hong, Olava Lyngholm, J. T. Elsenpeter, J. G. Turnbaugh, Anton Knutson, First & Peoples State Bank, John Hoppe, Herman Simonson, Hans Tollefson, C. J. Arg, Frank A. Partlow, G. J. Tollefson, Henry T. Rye, Erick Swanson, W. P. Wright, Citizens State Bank, Edward Olson, Olaf Gustafson,

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… proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

That the premises described in and conveyed by said first above mentioned mortgage are situate in the county of Pennington, state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter (W½ of SW¼) of section nine (9), in township one hundred fifty-four (154) north, range thirty-nine (39) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian;

Now Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said first above mentioned mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed thereby, subject to said prior mortgage, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 28th day of December, 1920, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $124.66, and interest on $105.00 thereof at ten per cent per annum from the date of this notice to the date of sale and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law in case of foreclosure of said mortgage, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 6th, 1920.

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY, Mortgagee.
Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minnesota.
N-11-18-25-D-2-7-14

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M. Nov. 9th, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Ihle. Members absent: Brandon.

Minutes of the meeting of Oct. 26 were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Ness, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, Chief of Police, Librarian, and Manager of the Auditorium be accepted and ordered filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the Woman's Club be granted the use of the auditorium at a rental of $15.00 per evening for five entertainments of the Lyceum Course. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Dahl, that the American Legion be granted the use of the auditorium for dances at the rate of $12.00 per night and no charges to be made for basket ball games; the Legion to pay the expense of moving chairs. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Ness, that the Pennington County Poultry Association be granted the use of the auditorium free of charge for the poultry show to be held Nov. 21, 22 and 23, 1920. Motion carried.

Alderman John Dahl, seconded by Alderman C. Froseth, introduced a resolution creating a special assessment fund. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Andrew Ness, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Coolsaet Bros. & Drees the sum of $5,810.28 as the first estimate on storm sewer contract. (See Resolution.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council, held November 9, 1920, Alderman C. Froseth, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that there be and hereby is created in the treasury of said city, a fund to be known and designated as "Special Assessment Fund for Paving Improvement No. 1," and, be it further resolved, that all proceeds from the sale of all certificates, issued in connection with the current paving improvements, designated as Paving Improvement Proceedings No. 1, be placed in said fund hereby created, and that all moneys received by the city from the payment of all liens and assessments created and levied in connection with such paving improvements, be likewise placed in said fund as collected; and, Be It Further Resolved, that out of said fund shall be paid all costs and expenses of construction of such paving improvements and all fees and incidental expenses in connection therewith, and likewise the costs and expenses in connection with the construction of storm sewers and other improvements incidental to and part of such paving improvements; and, Be It Further Resolved, that the city clerk and treasurer, be, and hereby are instructed and authorized to provide for, and maintain such fund on the books and records of the city; in the manner provided by law.

Roll call: Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Nov. 13, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the city council held November 9, 1920, Alderman John Dahl, seconded by Alderman Ness, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the city council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the city clerk and mayor be, and they hereby are authorized and directed to issue to Coolsaet Bros. & Drees, the warrant of the city, drawn upon the Special Assessment Fund for Paving Improvement No. 1, in the sum of five thousand eight hundred ten and 28-100 dollars ($5810.28) in payment of Estimate No. 1, as submitted by the Bradby Engineering Service, for work done and materials supplied by said Coolsaet Bros. & Drees on their contract with the city for storm sewer work in connection with the current paving improvement proceedings of the city.

Roll call: Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Nov. 13, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the city council held Nov. 9th, 1920, Alderman Andrew Ness, seconded by Alderman O. L. Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the city council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed.

Current Fund.

Street Commissioner's payroll	$350.75
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., cement etc.	14.25
The Prichard Co., lumber	1.08
M. V. Evenson, gravel	20.00
Dicken Bros., gravel	40.00
Andy Craik, repairs	2.80
Gen. Mercantile Co., supplies	2.70
Manhattan Oil Co., oil	51.03
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	170.55
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	10.60
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	8.10
Water & Light Dep't., express etc.	1.87
Clifford Sorenson, special police	2.00
Stanley Sorenson, special police	2.00
Milfred LaBree, special police	2.00
Dennis McGinn, special police	2.00
M. N. Benson, election expense	7.57
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., election expense	10.00
Hermanson Hdw. Co., election expense	2.10
Ed. H. Ness, election expense	13.05
Rogan Hanson, election expense	10.05
Bernhard Knudson, election expense	13.05
Derby Anderson, election expense	10.05
C. E. Gillies, election expense	10.05
Alfred Rasmussen, election expense	3.00
M. N. Benson, election expense	8.55
E. J. Overland, election expense	8.55
S. T. Johnson, election expense	17.55
B. E. Dalquist, election expense	8.55
Jerry Kelley, election expense	4.50
Alfred Bredeson, election expense	11.55
P. J. Cernousek, election expense	16.55
L. J. Cerney, election expense	16.55
Elmer Klungness, election expense	16.55
Carl Angell, election expense	10.05
Morris LaSalle, election expense	10.05
T. J. Carr, election expense	12.00
Frank Pratz, election expense	8.85
Henry Wilkin, election expense	8.55
August Carlson, election expense	8.55
Andy Solberg, election expense	3.55

Improvement Fund.

Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	3.60
Water & Light Dep't., power service	17.40

Auditorium Fund.

Water & Light Dep't., freight	4.69
Alfred Borry, repairs	4.75
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	2.50
Gen Mercantile Co., supplies	.65
Water & Light Dep't., light service	61.03
Northern Woodwork Co., table leg	.80

Poor Fund.

M. N. Benson, mdse.	.63
The Prichard Co., fuel	28.55
Gen Mercantile Co., mdse.	2.85
Bredeson & Co., groceries	20.49
Carl Christofferson, groceries	20.10
F. J. Stebbins, supplies	14.94
Loken Bros., mdse.	7.90
Physicians' Hospital, hospital services	23.25
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
Rolf E. Rasmusson, rent	12.00
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	1.50

Library Fund.

Grand Forks Herald, subscription	7.00
Lars Backe, repairs	9.21
Water & Light Dept., light service	8.07

Electric Light Fund.

Mike Thiele, labor	31.50
N. P. Bowsher Co., corn	127.72
N. W. Electric Equipment Co., supplies	277.43
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	144.45
Hall Bros. Hdw. Co., supplies	6.22
Hermanson Hdw. Co., supplies	4.90
J. J. Age, labor	11.00
Andy Craik, smithing	5.70
Water & Light Dep't., freight, express, etc.	15.04
Water & Light Dep't., freight, express, etc.	8.10
Manhattan Oil Co., oil	75.88
Standard Oil Co., lubricating oil	48.08
Duluth Elect. Supply Co., supplies	87.19
Power Equipment Co., supplies	114.08
Electric Supply Co., supplies	36.92
Gen Mercantile Co., supplies	1.05
N. W. Tel. Exchg. Co., phone rent	7.60
M. M. Johnson, filing saw	.50
Water & Light Dept., elect. supplies	29.18
Times Prtg. & Mfg. Co., printing	19.05
Alfred Borry, repairs and storage	78.15
J. J. Age, repairs	16.00

Waterworks Fund.

The Prichard Co., cement	8.48
Crane & Ordway, hydrant	110.00
J. J. Age, repairs	10.50
Water & Light Dept., freight	5.92

Roll call: Aldermen voting yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness and Ihle. Aldermen voting no, none.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Nov. 13, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

WHEN RHEUMATISM HITS YOU HARD!

Sloan's Liniment should be kept handy for aches and pains

WHY wait for a severe pain, an ache, a rheumatic twinge following exposure, a sore muscle, a strain, or lameness to make you quit work, when you should have Sloan's Liniment handy to help curb it and keep you active, and fit, and on the job?

Without rubbing, for it penetrates, apply a bit today to the afflicted part. Note the gratifying, clean, prompt relief that follows. Sloan's Liniment couldn't keep its many thousands of friends the world over if it didn't make good. That's worth remembering. All druggists—three sizes—the largest is the most economical. 35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment

I Am "Granny" Chamberlain

"Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Increased Efficiency Imperative

MR. H. H. HILL, Chemical Engineer of the Bureau of Mines, in discussing the future of gasoline, says: "It is up to the refiners to extract more of petroleum's useful factors from the crude."

This he says can be effected through efficient management and by improved methods of cracking and blending.

Mr. Hill thus expresses the opinion which has dominated the policy of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) for many years and has enabled this Company to raise its efficiency peak year after year.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has been a leader in developing processes to increase the yield of gasoline from crude oil.

The best known and most successful of its improvements is the Burton process, originated in the laboratories of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

Speaking of the Burton Process, Mr. Hill says that

> "since it was first installed on a commercial scale it has produced approximately 40 million barrels of gasoline from heavy distillates, and has thus saved approximately 150 million barrels of crude that would have been necessary to produce an equivalent amount of gasoline."

This vast saving has been accomplished without sacrificing quality.

Red Crown, the motor gasoline, made and sold by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), is acknowledged by petroleum chemists and other authorities to be the standard fuel for motor cars. It more than meets Government specifications, which require an initial of not more than 140 degrees F; 20 percent off at 221 degrees; 50 percent off at 284 degrees; 90 percent off at 374 degrees; and a dry point (complete vaporization) at not more than 437 degrees F.

During the semi-annual test conducted in July 1920, the average for Red Crown Gasoline showed an initial of 102 degrees F; 20 percent off at 210; 50 percent off at 281; 90 percent off at 387, and a dry point of 427 degrees F.

This shows an initial 38 degrees better than Government specifications, which means easy starting; 20 percent off at 11 degrees better than Government specifications; 50 percent off at 3 degrees better than Government specifications; and 90 per cent off 13 degrees higher than Government specifications, which is more than made up by the 10 degrees difference in dry point.

This proves that, notwithstanding the greatly increased quantity of gasoline which this Company is able to take from the crude, it has in no way sacrificed quality, and is another indication that the large scale operations of this Company have worked to the distinct advantage of every user of gasoline.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2827

NEW INDUSTRIAL PLAN IN SCHOOL GAINING FAVOR

Automotive and Agriculture Departments First to Be Opened to Students.

Probabilities Are That Railroad Course Will Be Added Within Short Time.

Practical Instruction By Competent Instructors Keeps Interest Keyed Up.

The Smith-Hughes industrial school being conducted at Thief River Falls in connection with the high school is rapidly gaining favor with the students and will undoubtedly become one of the most popular educational features for Pennington county and vicinity. Automotive and agricultural departments are now being featured, with the expectations of adding other departments as soon as opportunity permits. It is even possible that at some future date a railway school can be inaugurated, this being a division point and the logical place for such an educational institution.

Ground for the Smith-Hughes school building was broken in October, 1919, the structure being completed this fall. Much of the work was done by students, working under efficient management. Elevators and other minor fixtures are yet to be installed but the school is being operated with efficiency at the present time.

Auto and Tractor School.

The portion of the building devoted to the automotive department has the appearance of an orderly garage rather than a class room. A blacksmith shop is being constructed in the basement of the building. Tools used are not mere playthings but the most up to date that could be purchased. The shop or class room—in fact the entire building—conveys the impression of a well regulated place of industry. Automobiles with engines torn out and dismantled stand about or are being rebuilt in a thorough manner. The place can well be likened to a miniature Dunwoody Institute.

This course includes a detailed study of automobiles and tractors, starting with the Ford and later taking up the more complicated mechanism of larger cars and tractors. Local car owners are at present lending their cars to the department, which overhauls and rebuilds them as the course proceeds. Each boy—there are 12 at this time in the department—is required to devote 12½ hours out of each week to shop work in addition to his other studies. The entire course as given at present requires one year of application. The student must don overalls and get right into the dirt, the grease and the heart of the mechanism.

The purpose of the automotive course is two fold: It offers the pupil an opportunity of discovering whether or not he will go into mechanics as a life work, and it offers an opportunity of development along a line which can not but be of great service in this day and age when automobiles are so universally used and when power driven farm implements and general machinery are so rapidly coming to the fore.

Clarence Pope, graduate of the university of Minnesota, is in charge of the department. Mr. Pope attended school this past year in preparation for this branch of work.

Agriculture by Project Method.

A feature of all Smith-Hughes departments is the project method of teaching. It is necessary for every student in the automotive departments to bring about, study and complete some project. The latter named course includes projects in animal husbandry and supervised farm practice. During the past season pupils raised pure bred chickens, calves and pigs, carried on herd testing, kept milk and butterfat records and supervised general farm practices.

The agricultural department is supervised by F. A. Tripp, a graduate of the University of Minnesota, where he took special work fitting him for his present position.

Schools Revolutionized.

The schools of the United States have been entirely revolutionized during the past few years. Old methods have had to go. Where public schools were formerly operated for the benefit of five per cent of the students—those who would eventually take up college work—they are now being operated with more thought to the other 95 per cent. The old type of school required that the student follow a prescribed course of training regardless of where his particular ability or tendencies might lean. Today the various courses offered cater to the individual, allowing him to follow to a large extent his desires and abilities.

The Smith-Hughes bill, named after the senator and representative who compiled it, was passed by the legislature early in 1917. Under this bill the Federal government initiates industrial schools and furnishes aid in the payment of instructor's salaries. The Federal government, the state and the community contribute equal amounts toward the support of the schools.

The new plan will practically revolutionize teaching in industrial departments. Formerly the student was compelled to digest the contents of some book written by an authority on the subject in hand and after leaving school was forced to apply these "book teachings" to the best of his ability. Under the Smith-Hughes plan the process is practically reversed. He must undertake some project, studying as he advances, thus acquiring a training which will lead to useful and gainful employment.

SCARLET CROSS IS FIGHTERS' EMBLEM

Adopted By Associations Working to Prevent Ravages of Tuberculosis.

The scarlet double barred cross, for eighteen years the international emblem of the fight against tuberculosis, has been copyrighted and hereafter may be used in Minnesota only by the Minnesota Public Health association and affiliated health organizations in every county which are combatting the deadly white plague.

This cross, known the world over as "The Cross of Victory" in the fight against tuberculosis, is the official emblem of the National Tuberculosis association and 1,100 affiliated health agencies. Authorization for its use has been granted the Minnesota public health organizations.

"The double barred cross stands for the control and elimination of tuberculosis," says a statement from Dr. C. J. Hatfield, managing director of the National Tuberculosis association. "In this sign, with organized community effort, tuberculosis will become practically unknown, instead of one of the most dreadful disease scourges of the ages as it is today."

The fight against the white plague and other preventable diseases in Minnesota is financed by the sale of Christmas Seals and Health bonds, which this year will be offered to the public in every community on December 1.

MORE WIFE BEATINGS FOLLOW BOOZE BAN IN CITIES, SAYS REPORT

Claimed That Former Heavy Drinkers Have Turned Surly and Are Taking Spite Out on Other Members of Family.

Statistics showing complaints of cruelty to wife and children have increased 298 per cent since prohibition arrived and more rapidly in the last six months than during the first half of the year were made public in the annual report of Albert E. Webster, superintendent of the Juvenile Protective association, of Chicago.

"Men who formerly drank heavily," the report reads, "have undergone a reaction which is expressed in surliness or abuse of the family." Other classes of complaints were also shown to have increased. Juvenile delinquency has increased 40 per cent; complaints against disorderly houses 80 per cent or about 70 per cent over the war period and complaints against runaway or immoral girls 100 per cent or 80 per cent over the war period.

On the other hand complaint against adults contributing to child delinquency on account of liquor has decreased 74 per cent since the 18th amendment went into effect. Prosecution for non-support has decreased 24 per cent. Disorderly conduct charges were cut in half and insanity charges were reduced 60 per cent.

Wheat Growers Joining Better Price Movement

Oklahomans, representing the National Wheat Growers' association, were in St. Paul on Monday enroute to Fargo which is to be their headquarters while organizing the wheat growers of North Dakota under their "fair return" banner.

The party is organizing the wheat growers of Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota to cooperate with those already organized in Texas, Oklahoma, Nebraska and Kansas. Missouri also is to be organized before the first of next year.

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Minneapolis, Minn.)

Any halt in the downward procession seems to be due only to a temporary, technical condition. The general public idea is still psychologically creating deflation in commodities of every description and grains, being directly affected by the strained financial status of Europe, are particularly sensitive to the main current of public opinion.

The problem of finding a buyer with real hard cash for our surplus grains remains the paramount factor. Pessimism thereby is not necessarily implied, but the fact should not be dodged. The trade looks forward optimistically to a more satisfactory outlet later, for, while it may be necessary for importing countries to enforce the strictest economy in buying, there is no indication of material reduction in world consumption and the normal domestic and export demand should eventually assert itself.

In coarse grains individuality is lacking. The weight of supplies is a handicap to advancing prices that for the time being cannot be overcome, and weakness in wheat, which is statistically in a tight position, therefore, only accelerates the declines in corn and oats.

Corn, however, is on a domestic basis with the novelty of some export business now being worked and this commodity appears to be thoroughly liquidated. With the possibility of a holding tendency more or less on the part of producers and the resumption of our normal domestic demands that cannot indefinitely permit continued postponement of feed and milling requirements, higher prices are conceivable.

Recent reports from Argentine estimate the wheat crop there as 160 million, which compares unfavorably with the production of last year, 214 million. Australia promises a larger yield than her previous crop, 130 million as against 48 million. On this basis, the total surplus of North America, Argentine, Australia and taking a possible 40 million from India, there is a visible exportable surplus available for European and non-European countries that aggregates 613 million. The total wheat requirements of the importing countries is authoritively estimated at 700 million. These figures however, have apparently little consideration since it is generally conceded that importers have already purchased in North America sufficient supplies to carry to the first of the new year when cheaper wheat from other sources will be available, and that a possible actual shortage will not be felt until spring and that moreover, the present weakness of foreign exchange and the unprecedented economic conditions abroad are dominant and may continue so.

Fundamental conditions, as we view it, are still opposed to any advancing values.

VOICE INSTRUCTION

Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher wishes to announce that she is now able to receive pupils for vocal instruction. Arrangements may be made by calling Phone 450.

MONTANA BANK HAS NEW CASHIER

News of the appointment of R. H. Poff as cashier of the First State Bank, Brockway, Mont., was received with interest at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. About 200 D. B. C. graduates are now bank cashiers outside of Fargo. Eight local bank executives were also "Dakota"-trained.

Recently, the First State Bank of Hamar, employed Mr. C. Bostrom as asst. cashier the day he graduated from Dakota Business College.

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Crullers
4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
3 cups flour
1 teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
⅔ cup milk

Cream shortening; add sugar gradually and beaten eggs; sift together flour, cinnamon, salt and baking powder; add one-half and mix well; add milk and remainder of dry ingredients to make soft dough. Roll out on floured board to about ¼ inch thick and cut into strips about 4 inches long and ½-inch wide; roll in hands and twist each strip and bring ends together. Fry in deep hot fat. Drain and roll in powdered sugar.

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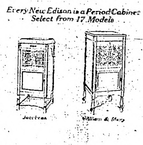

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LOCAL POULTRY EXHIBIT SCORES GREAT SUCCESS

Event Draws Six Hundred and Fifty Entries From Three Northwestern States.

Thousands View Rabbits, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys and Chickens at Auditorium.

Local Exhibitors Make Great Showing—Prize Winners Not Yet Recorded.

The fourth annual show of the Pennington County Poultry Association which closed yesterday, drew over 650 entries, exceeding the number of last year by approximately 200. North Dakota, Southern Minnesota and Wisconsin were represented, several exhibits coming from as far as 340 miles distant. Practically every class of birds in the meat, ornamental and egg divisions were represented: American, Asiatic, Mediterranean, English, Polish, Dutch and ornamental bantams. Turkeys, ducks, geese and rabbits were also exhibited in numbers.

Thousands of Spectators.

The interest displayed by residents of the city, Pennington county and many neighboring counties, brought about an exceptional attendance. It is estimated that 5000 persons viewed the birds and rabbits on exhibition, many driving long distances across country and others coming in for a short stay between trains in the day time and evening. Interest in the poultry exhibits has been far more keen than in the live stock exhibits held here recently and bids fair to rival that of many county fairs.

Local Exhibits Show Improvement.

Many exhibits were entered by local poultry breeders and with an exceptional showing. The quality of these exhibits has greatly increased over last year and shows exceptional promise for the year to come. The officials of the poultry association express the opinion that the show of 1921 will show a progress as marked as that of this year. They will make every effort to have a fish and game exhibit in connection with the fifth annual poultry show, a feature that was almost secured for this year. It is also possible that the 1921 show will present an open class as well as a class for professionals.

One of the features of the show was the great number of sales and exchanges made among poultry breeders present. This is one of the great drawing cards of any poultry show in that it is a fine advertisement medium. The advertising value is looked upon as only second in value to the educational element present.

Winners Not Known.

Alvin Hoberg of the Poultry Department, University Farm, St. Paul, conducted the judging in a thorough, conscientious manner. The complete list of prize winners will not be available for several days as the show committee must complete the checking up of records. Some of the birds will be disqualified. Others are so closely tied for high honors that it will be necessary to proceed in strict accordance with regulations laid down by the American Poultry Association. Sweepstakes honors will be announced within a week's time.

Case of "Wolf, Wolf."

Someone, no one knows whom, claims to have heard cries for help originating from somewhere in the vicinity of the Soo trestle on Tuesday evening and many stories as to the drowning of several boys and girls have gone the rounds. At the time of going to press the Times has been unable to learn of any person or persons who are reported as missing and the story is apparently without foundation.

FIFTY VOICES FOR PHILHARMONIC CLUB

Organization of Vocal Talent of City to Fill Long Felt Need.

Through the interest of several prominent men and women of Thief River Falls a meeting of the musically inclined was held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening and a choral or philharmonic society formed. Officers were elected and rehearsals will start in the very near future. The formation of this musical organization fills a long-felt need and comes as the climax of several attempts of the past few years. Few cities of this size are without a philharmonic society.

Dr. O. F. Mellby was elected president of the society; W. A. Barnard, vice president; Miss Dora Holmes, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Nate Harris, librarian. The community is fortunate in having an able director in Miss Maude Johnson, music instructor in the city schools. She was unanimously elected as director of the new organization. E. M. Bennes, V. C. Noper, W. A. Barnard, Mrs. L. F. Fisher and Mrs. C. A. Nason were appointed to a committee of five, for the purpose of securing all musical talent within the city or immediate vicinity.

The membership fee was set at $1 per year, members to purchase their own music. Rehearsals will take place every Friday evening in the Commercial club rooms, which are admirable for that purpose. A committee of five was appointed to secure suitable sheet music, the first rehearsal to be on the evening of December 3rd. Directly after the holidays work on a cantata, an oratorio or possibly a light opera, will begin, it being the purpose of the society to stage at least one concert this season. Directly after the business session on Monday evening those present were given a short "try out" by Miss Johnson and it is her opinion that exceptional talent was present.

Thirty four persons attended the meeting upon request and became charter members of the choral union. Church choirs were represented and many who have done chorus work in other cities were present. The committee appointed on membership will make every effort to secure all vocal talent possible, and it is hoped that no one will be overlooked.

While much enjoyment will come from the formation of this society, it is not in any sense a social organization. Thief River Falls is richer by its formation. When the organization is complete 40 or 50 voices will make up the chorus.

PROMINENT CITIZEN DIES ON THURSDAY

John L. Durbin, Figure in River Industry, Passes Away After Long Illness.

John L. Durbin, for many years a familiar figure in the life of the city, died quietly at his room in one of the leading hotels here at noon last Thursday, following an illness of long standing. Services were held in the Larson chapel on Saturday evening under the Masonic Ritual and the body escorted to the Soo station for shipment to Minneapolis. In accordance with the last wishes of the deceased, the remains will be cremated.

Mr. Durbin was born at Spring Mountain, Ohio, February 27, 1857, coming to Thief River Falls in 1898, where he died at the age of 64 years from a complication of diseases. By trade a stationary engineer, he was employed by the Meehan Lumber company and later by the Winton Brothers Lumber company in the earlier days of the milling industry of this city. He was a familiar figure of the river life and in later years was engineer of the city fire department, retiring from active work about ten years ago. He resided at Thief River Falls continuously with the exception of about one year which was spent with relatives in Michigan. The nearest relatives of the deceased are two grandsons, Russell and Dale Durbin, who live with their widowed mother at Crystal, Michigan.

Mr. Durbin lived an exemplary life; was a staunch member of Masonic Lodge Number 236, in which he at one time held a minor office. He was looked up to as an authority on Masonic questions. He was also a member of Winslow Chapter Number 182 of the Eastern Star.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY MEETING ON NOV. 17

Mothers, Wives, Daughters and Sisters to Meet to Complete Organization.

Sisters, wives, daughters and mothers of ex-service men and members of the American Legion are urged by the local post to attend a meeting which will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Saturday at 2:30 p. m. for the purpose of completing the organization of a Woman's Auxiliary to the Elmer Eklund Post No. 117 of the American Legion. The only requisite to becoming a member of this auxiliary is a near relative, deceased or living, who served with the U. S. forces during the world war.

The purpose of such an organization will be to co-operate with the legion in the program for world-wide benefit which is being, and will continue to be, staged. Such an organization will be non-political and non-sectarian. Auxiliary posts are rapidly being formed in every state in the union. The Legion posts are doing their utmost to perfect the auxiliary organizations upon the belief that the American Legion will be successful in proportion to the success enjoyed by the Woman's Auxiliary.

Legionnaires are of the opinion that the formation of an auxiliary in Thief River Falls can best be secured by a large attendance of those eligible to membership at the meeting of Saturday afternoon; and that every sister, wife, daughter or mother of a former service man, deceased or living, [illegible] feel under obligation to attend.

Two Moose and One Deer Record Kill of Big Game

Of the big game hunters who have returned, Leonard DuCamp, W. J. LaBree and Julien Provencher have the biggest story to tell. The three brought down one fine deer and two bull moose, one of the latter being of exceptional size. The kills were made on the north branch of the Rapid river some eighty miles northeast of here. Owing to the fact that the swamps, where it is necessary to penetrate for moose, are not frozen and to the inaccessibility of the country along the branch of the Rapid river, the game can not be hauled out until colder weather sets in and the country becomes passable for a team.

STATE HONORS FOR "DIAMOND," GUERNSEY CALF

Conklin Sisters Win Second and Fourth Places in State Live Stock Exhibit.

Fat Lambs Shown By Brother and Sister of Grygla Win Recognition.

Northwestern Section Well Represented—Kittson County Boy Best Judge.

The northwestern part of Minnesota was well represented at the Junior Livestock show at South St. Paul last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and many honors went to boys and girls from this community. Ruby Conklin won second place and a cash award of $25 with her exceptional Guernsey calf "Diamond." Pearl Conklin secured fourth place in the same class and won $20 with the calf "Beauty." Grygla took honors in the fat lambs exhibit and a Kittson county boy proved to be the best stock judge. The boy and girl prize winners were all members of Boys' and Girls' clubs which are proving such a factor in the development of the resources of the state.

Competition Keen.

The calf, "Diamond," is from the prize Guernsey herd of F. B. Conklin of this city and was shown by Ruby Conklin at the local livestock show and Crookston, taking highest honors at both places. Eighteen dairy calves were shown in the Guernsey class at South St. Paul and competition was very keen. In view of the fact that the grand champion and the only competitor for the Conklin calf, won first place at the Minnesota State fair, first place in the state herd at Mankato, first place at the National Dairy Congress at Waterloo, Iowa, and second place at the International exposition at Chicago, points to "Diamond" as a future prize winner in any competition. The grand champion was several months older, or the outcome would have been in favor of the northern Minnesota calf. The judge of the dairy calf exhibits, Kildee, of Ames, Iowa, stated that but for the age and size of the grand champion, the Conklin calf would have taken the higher honor.

Pearl Conklin took fourth place with the Guernsey calf "Beauty," an exceptional showing in view of the calves on exhibition.

"Diamond" will be shown as a second year project at many livestock exhibitions next year and is sure of an exceptional record.

Grygla Makes Showing.

Six fat lambs were shown by boys and girls from Goodridge, Grygla and Thief River Falls, Grygla taking the highest honors in this instance. Forty-five fat lambs were entered in the state competition, six of these being from the above mentioned places. The lamb shown by Leslie Sheldrew of Grygla took third place and the lamb shown by his sister, Evelyn Sheldrew, secured fourth place. These lambs also took high honors at the local and Crookston shows.

Dairy calves will not be sent to the International show at Chicago this week, though the boys' and girls' clubs of Minnesota will be represented by the winner of the stock judging contest. Junior exhibitors were tendered a banquet at the Athletic club, St. Paul, on Friday night, a short program and presentation of loving cups following.

Best Live Stock Judge.

Record prices resulted from the beef type calves and fat lamb shows. The prize winning beef steer sold for 86c per pound at the sale which took place immediately after and in connection with the junior exposition. Fat lambs sold at prices from 11c to 34c per pound, the latter figure being paid for the winner of first place.

Carl G. A[illegible], of St. Vincent, Kittson county, won first place in the livestock judging contest at the University Farm in connection with the third annual junior livestock show. In addition to winning medals the boy will be one of a trio to represent Minnesota at the International livestock show at Chicago next week, competing with teams from other states. They will get a free trip.

ARTISTS IN FIRST NUMBER OF COURSE

Talented Musicians in Concert Augur Well For Future Numbers of Lyceum Course.

The city will be visited by exceptional talent during the course of the winter and the Lyceum Course booked by the Woman's club, if the musical given on [illegible]day evening by the Redpath Concert Orchestra is a criterion of what is to follow. The attendance more than reached the expectations of the sponsors and most of the admissions were on season tickets. Every number on the program from ensemble to finale was received with a spontaneous applause that assisted the artists in giving their best performance.

No words of praise are too high for the work of the concert orchestra and of Edward Barrow, tenor. Each member proved himself or herself an artist both in orchestrations and trios, and in solo work. Mr. Barrow's numbers were too limited to fully satisfy the audience. His rendition of "Gloria Te" (Peccia) was of a character to place him high among the greatest vocal artists of the country. Miss Roseland's piano solo, "Tremello" (Gottschalk), was greeted with enthusiasm as great as any other number of the program and her accompanist work betokened an artistry never before displayed in this city.

Miss Enoflicekova, violinist, is without a doubt the greatest artist on that instrument who has ever appeared in Thief River Falls. Her difficult and most beautiful selections were executed with an apparent care and technique that made them seem as nothing but "child's play" for her. Her solos were followed by that short, breathless silence on the part of the audience, which is the greatest compliment that any artist in any performance can receive. Thief River Falls is indeed fortunate.

The next number of the Lyceum Course will be presented on December 1. The Baker Trio, starring Miss Elsie Baker, the celebrated American contralto, will be another of the distinct musical treats to be brought to the community during this season.

HIGHWAY ENTRANCE TO CITY APPROVED

Blue and White Trail Entrance to City Follows Most Beautiful Avenue.

Members of the Commercial club in assembly at the weekly noonday luncheon last Thursday voted their approval of the present routing of the Jefferson Highway through Thief River Falls. This action was taken in order that the Board of Directors of Pennington county could incorporate the route traversed by the highway, in State Road Number 1 which is the Jefferson Highway. When action is taken by the county board, the roadways in question will be maintained by the state through the workings of the Babcock Amendment, with the possibility of their being paved at an early date.

The Jefferson Highway, then, enters the city from the south along the grade of County Ditch Number 10; proceeds along Riverside avenue thru the business section on Main avenue to Sixth street, and west on Sixth to the city limits. The beauty of this entrance into the city rivals that of any of the summer-resort neighbors to the south. The well kempt appearance of lawns and boulevards along Riverside avenue was commended by speakers at the noonday feast.

Today being Thanksgiving, the weekly luncheon was adjourned until next week Thursday.

LOCAL POST ADOPTS CONSERVATIVE PLAN

Officers Elected For Coming Half Year—Membership to Be Given Boost.

The following officers were elected for a term of six months at the semi-annual meeting of the Elmer Eklund Post Number 117, held at the Evelyn hotel on Tuesday evening: President, Oscar Smith, vice Fred T. Scanlan; first vice-president, George Loken, vice Carl Nelson of St. Hilaire; second vice-president, Gilmore Husby, vice George Werstlein; secretary, G. Howard Smith, re-elected; treasurer, Edward Brevig, re-elected. H. S. Snyder, Henry Froseth, Kenneth Wattem, W. C. Peterson and Dan R. Maue, chairman, were appointed to the dance committee to serve for a period of three months. John Brumund, chairman, Ray Johnson and W. A. Hall were appointed to a newly-formed show committee and L. H. Lawrence, chairman, Dan R. Maue and H. O. Chommie to a committee on basketball.

Entertainment Program Conservative.

Plans for the coming half year were discussed. Owing to poor financial results of dances given during the past year, dances and carnival balls will not figure as prominently among Legion activities during the months to come as they have formerly. A big New Year's ball will be staged and possibly one before and after Lent. The semi-monthly dances will be discontinued. The newly-formed show committee will arrange for such attractions as are deemed advisable in consistence with the conservative policy suggested for the season's activities. Tentative plans in this respect include a home talent play or a mammoth production along the lines of "The Days of Forty-nine."

An early completion of the Woman's Auxiliary organization was urged, that the Post and Auxiliary may co-operate for the advancement of ex-service men's interests in the locality and for the betterment of the community at large.

It was voted to raise the local membership dues to $2.50 for the year 1921. This will bring the total annual dues to approximately $5 as it is expected that state dues will be raised to $1.50 and national dues to $1.

Old members are strongly requested to renew their membership for 1921 and every effort will be made to secure new members in view of the fact that Legion support will be necessary to the four-fold Bonus bill which comes before the Senate at the coming congressional session.

After the adjournment of the business session a buffet luncheon was served and general conversation prevailed, the evening ending with a large group at the diversion common to ex-service men.

SCHOOLS OF CITY TAKE PART IN ADVANCED PLAN

Scientific Tests Being Conducted Under Supervision of University of Minnesota.

Average Record of Sixty Thousand Pupils Forms Basis For Present Standard.

Promotions in Grades to Be Made Semi-annually as Result of New System.

Scientific tests, about which much has appeared in periodicals during recent months, are being conducted in the schools of Thief River Falls. Of the fifteen hundred pupils at present attending public grade or high schools, approximately a thousand have completed these tests, making it possible to analyze the entire system and to locate any weak spots in the same.

Many of the larger cities have secured specialists to conduct such tests, and many others are making the necessary arrangements for them, but in comparison with the percentage completed, Thief River Falls stands high. The twin city schools are working rapidly but with a great deal of ground to cover.

Not An Experiment.

The present system of tests is being conducted by the superintendent of city schools, not as a hobby or an experiment, but under the direction of the University of Minnesota, as post graduate work. It is practically an outgrowth of the psychological tests as applied to the U. S. armies during the recent war. Sixty thousand school children from Maine to California and from Minnesota to Texas were recently given these tests for the purpose of securing a random standard of intelligence in all grades upon which to judge.

In accordance with this scale of measurement the incompleted tests in the schools here already show some grades above and some grades below.

Simple But Efficient.

The tests, which have been standardized by the Administrative Section of High School Conference, University of Minnesota, are remarkably simple, though far reaching in value. Various sets of questions, problems or figures constitute the entire system. The pupil of the third grade and the university graduate would be tested by the same set. A stop watch is used to accurately gauge the time. The third grade student answers as many of the questions as possible in a given length of time and the university graduate does the same, of course, going farther down the list and possibly reaching the last question. The number of correct answers constitutes the score for that test. The average of scores for the various tests when compared to the average adopted as the standard for the normal pupil or person, produces the desired information.

Semi-Annual Promotions.

As a result of the work the practice of promoting pupils at the end of each year will be discontinued, to be replaced by a semi-annual promotion. Each grade will consist of two divisions, an A division and a B division. Pupils will pass from the A division of any grade to the B division of the next higher grade at the end of the first or second semester's work, or from the B division of a grade to the A division of the same grade at the end of either semester. Pupils are not promoted over any gap. Each successive half will continue exactly from the point where the previous half left off.

The adoption of this plan of promotion will permit a child to start school at the beginning of the first semester in September or at the beginning of the second semester on January 17. This also applies to children who were not old enough to start in September but who would become old enough by the 17th of January. There are about 30 kindergarten children who will thus be old enough to enter the first grade at that time. Through this practise the child would not be forced to wait an entire school year.

FARMER URGED TO CUT PRODUCTION

American Bureau Federation Officials Declare For Price Level Restoration.

Advice to farmers to curtail production activities and wait for price adjustments was given in statements today by J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation and C. W. Hunt, president of the Iowa Farm Bureau federation. They declared the market price of many farm products was below the cost of production and, while not contemplating a farmers' strike, urged producers to "slow down" until prices adjust themselves.

"The farmer ought not take a 72 per cent reduction and be compelled to buy clothing and farm machinery at a 15 per cent reduction," said Howard.

"We believe there is no great surplus of foodstuffs. Wheat this year is under production, oats are normal, there is an over production of rice and corn, but all meats are short."

Hunt gave figures showing that the cost of production was higher than the market price in several cases. Wheat, which he said cost $1.88 a bushel to produce, was selling at about $1.50 and corn, costing the farmer $1, was selling at 50c to 60c.

"The market is showing some response already," he said, "and in 60 days there ought to be a readjustment in market prices."

Farmers Union Call for Strike.

A national producers strike at Kansas City, Mo., to combat the falling prices of farm products was urged in a call sent out recently by the National Farmers union to its local unions throughout the country. The union is said to have 800,000 members.

It was asserted American farmers have been robbed of $1,000,000,000 in reduced value of products now on hand.

Stag Party.

E. M. Bennes and O. D. Ostby entertained at a "stag" card party, 35 of their U. C. T. brethren at the former's home, 103 Markley Ave. S., last Saturday evening. A delicious lunch was served at 12 o'clock.

NOTED CONTRALTO TO APPEAR HERE

Elsie Baker and Company in Concert, Second Number of Lyceum Course.

The Elsie Baker company appears at the city auditorium next Wednesday as the second number of the Lyceum Course. The executive committee of the Woman's club wishes to point out that this one number is alone worth the price of admission for the entire course. Grand opera prices have been paid to hear Miss Baker and grand opera prices are paid to secure phonograph records made by her.

Miss Baker's work is well known to everyone, because of her large number of phonograph records made for Victor and for her transcontinental tour under the Redpath Bureau. Her contralto voice is big but very flexible and she sings without affectation. Her style is straight-forward, natural, and her songs are given with a musical insight and rich vocal quality that make them very effective. Her program will be varied enough to suit every taste.

With Miss Baker will appear William Durieux, well known cellist, who has appeared with the Lamoureaux orchestra of Paris, at the Rotterdam Conservatory and with Walter Damrosch, Victor Herbert and others in the states. A pianist of ability will accompany Miss Baker and Durieux.

In view of the fact that the Redpath orchestra met with such a hearty reception last Thursday evening, a full house is expected on December 1 and those who expect to attend are advised to secure seat reservations at an early date.

INITIATORY BALL ON DECEMBER 17

Elks' Ladies Make Use of Last Opportunity to Give Leap Year Festival.

At the regular meeting of the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks on Friday evening plans for the Leap Year and initiatory ball on December 17 were completed. The following program has been arranged:

At 8:00 p. m. on that evening the Elks' ladies will hold a reception and musical at the city auditorium followed at 9:00 o'clock by a card party. Dancing will start promptly at 10:00. A banquet supper will be served in the auditorium at a later hour. The ladies will assume complete charge of the reception, musical and card party. A committee composed of Mrs. G. W. Connell, Mrs. A. Sapero, Mrs. H. A. Brumund and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, chairman, was appointed to carry out the plans for the above.

At 8:00 p. m. the Elks will conduct initiatory work at the Masonic hall, with the expectations of completing the same in time to participate in the dancing at 10:00 o'clock. A class of 30 or 35 will receive their tender young antlers. An attendance of approximately 400 persons is expected, many of whom will come from out-of town points. Superintendent Barnard has arranged to have a passenger coach on way freight 56 on December 17, to accommodate members of the lodge who reside along the north Soo line.

Two Elected to Auxiliary Committee From 9th Dist.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls and Miss Emma Holm of Barnesville were elected to the executive committee of the state organization of the Woman's Auxiliary to the American Legion at the first annual convention at St. Paul on November 18 and 19. Miss Holm was elected from the southern part of the 9th District and Mrs. Bishop from the northern part. Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. J. H. Hardisty represented the Woman's Auxiliary to Elmer Eklund Post at the St. Paul convention. The organization of the auxiliary here is at present in the progress of completion.

Second only to the success of the American Legion is the success of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion. Minnesota has been the first state to form a state organization but others are following suit and the formation of the national organization is not now far distant.

INDIANS' FUNDS MAY FINANCE RED LAKE TRAIL

Proposed Highway to Form Outlet For Red Lake Indian Reservation.

Possibility of Incorporating the Trail in Trunk Highways in Near Future.

Steenerson or Knutson to Submit Bill in Case Legislation Is Required.

An enthusiastic meeting of Marshall and Pennington county men interested in the proposed highway east from Thief River Falls to the Red Lakes was held at Warren Tuesday forenoon at which time Congressman Halvor Steenerson was at liberty to attend and confer as to the best methods to pursue to bring about the project.

The meeting was arranged by the committee appointed last August and of which B. B. Brett of Stephen is chairman. The matter of federal aid had been suggested at the summer gathering and the knowledge of Mr. Steenerson regarding the funds available under the Federal Good Roads act was thought to be of great importance for it was clearly realized that neither Marshall, Pennington nor Beltrami counties would be financially able to build the road at this time.

Two Plans Plausible.

At the meeting Tuesday it became apparent that two plans might be utilized in carrying through the project. One of these was to have the Indians living north of the lakes petition the Commissioner of Indian affairs for a road which would be an outlet for their products and which road would be the one desired by the residents of Marshall and Pennington counties. The Department of the Interior might then appropriate Indian funds for the road through the reservation and secure federal aid in the completion of the road. Again it was thought that the state might build the road under the proposed Babcock system of highways, using state and federal money therefor.

Legislation if Necessary.

It may be necessary to have special legislation passed by congress to secure the building of the road and if such a plan is determined upon by the committee having the matter in charge either Mr. Steenerson or Mr. Knutson, the congressman of the district in which the proposed road would be located, will introduce the bill. Although the measure might be brought before the special session of congress which meets next month, it is doubtful if it could be passed at that time and would probably have to lay over to the spring session.

Error in Tabulation.

The tabulated election returns as printed in the Times on November 11, show several errors as the metal was rather badly juggled in making up of that section. In view of the fact that many readers file these tabulated returns, they will be reprinted in an early issue.

Pastors of Note Here in Three Day Meeting

The Zion church of Thief River Falls will witness one of the most notable events of its history this week when the three day home and foreign mission meetings will be held over the three days, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. It is expected that pastors and men will be present from all sections of the Northwest. The gathering will be of great importance.

Prof. L. Lillehei of the Augsburg Seminary, Minneapolis, will introduce the general theme of the meetings which is Ef. 5: 11-2[illegible]. On Sunday there will be a lecture on "Baptism" by one of the professors of the above mentioned college. Rev. John Matson, pastor of the Zion Free church of Minneapolis; Prof. Carl Nordberg, Rev. J. Mortenson and Rev. O. H. Sletten, president of the Lutheran Free church, will also take part in the mission meetings. The program is in the hands of the organization committee of the Lutheran Free church.

RED LAKE BASIN PLAN WINS FAVOR

Bill to Provide For Regulation of River Due to Pass Congress.

Residents of the eastern part of Pennington county probably will be glad to learn that the proposed Red Lake river improvement bill, which would straighten, deepen and widen the Red Lake river from the outlet at the lake to a point near this city and also establish a controlling dam at the lakes, is due to be passed by the special session of congress in December, according to Congressman Halvor Steenerson.

The bill has been reported out favorably by the committee to which it was referred and all that remains is final action thereon. If the bill becomes a law it will greatly assist the Red Lake basin conservation project and will permit the continuation of the proposed surveys recently ordered in connection therewith.

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Thanksgiving Day.

The country and nation is in a great unrest: The political situation has gone wrong for many a voter; high prices prevail in some quarters and too low prices in others; the labor question is still unsettled; production seems to be at a standstill; poverty and want peer in at many a door; the thought "humanity must have somehow gone wrong" has flashed through many minds. Yet after all, greater bounty and security exist than ever before and the same faith which brought our Pilgrim forefathers over the endless ocean wastes, in search of relief from the oppression of old world teachings, to the shores of this great continent three centuries ago, must eventually prevail over the present situation—will prevail. There can be no other way.

Thanksgiving Day.

At an expense of a few million dollars, engineers and topographers claim that the Gulf Stream can be so diverted from its present course as to warm the entire United States—a diversion to relieve us from the pastime of *shoveling the snow from* our walks.

"Co-operation for farmers in Minnesota is in the hands of its enemies. So much for the campaign promises of Candidate Preus and his colleagues."—Polk County Leader.

There is a possibility that the farmers will accomplish just a little bit more for their own interests by sticking just a little bit more to their non-political organizations, and directing a little bit more—oh, just a trifle more—energy toward their marketing problems, for after all they are the important issues as far as the farmer is concerned. The State and National Farm Bureau Federation has been accomplishing things in a quiet kind of a way, if reports on produce marketed through Farm Bureau branches are to be given any consideration. The Farm Bureau plan is rapidly gathering headway. The plan is built on the same order as the associated fruit growers organization of the West, which put the raising of fruit on a business basis and stopped gambling and waste.

Is money tight or not? Examination of a very partial list of good causes asking financial aid shows that the total sum they ask is $102,000,000. When we see if they get it, we'll be able to answer the question.—Collier's Weekly.

A good politician is one who can call his opponent a damphool in a manner that will leave him flattered.

Money must be tight—our most intimate friends are presenting outlawed I. O. U's. for payment.

Mrs. S. O. Kirgle of Goodridge was in the city on Saturday on a shopping expedition.

Society and Club

Thanksgiving Dinner Parties.

Numerous holiday dinners will be given at the homes of local people on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson, 515 LaBree Ave., will entertain Misses Grace Iverson, Elliott; Margaret Dix, Margaret Mealy and Gallager, the latter of Cass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre will have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dolan and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Akre; also their daughter, Miss Avis Akre, who arrived last evening from Little Falls, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson have invited Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson and family for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre of Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter, 312 Riverside Ave. S., will entertain the teachers of the Central school at holiday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell will have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross and son Richard and Misses Inez Howe and Olga Lofgren.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biddick will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher will be hosts to the following: Misses Ellah Sannes and Myrtle Eilenson of Grand Forks, and W. A. Barnard, Dr. Milan and Mr. and Mrs. Bon Durant.

One O'clock Luncheon.

An attractive luncheon of Saturday was that at which Mrs. L. L. Cohn entertained for twelve friends at her home, 321½ Atlantic Ave. N. Three courses were served and Thanksgiving favors were used. The guest list included Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. G. H. Smith, Mrs. Roy Lambert, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. Fred Niclai, Mrs. Geo. Loken, Mrs. Hans Chommie, Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mrs. W. H. Akre and Mrs. Geo. Biddick.

In Honor of Mrs. Snyder.

A happy afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. H. A. Froseth on Thursday when she with the assistance of Mrs. C. O. Erickson and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson entertained at a parcel shower in honor of Mrs. H. S. Snyder. A delightful luncheon was served at [illegible] o'clock. The guests included Mesdames A. S. Sapero, T. J. Rowan, C. J. Brown, G. E. Smith, W. H. Wold, G. L. Biddick, Geo. Loken and E. E. Hunt.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A violin duet by Mrs. Aug. Holmberg and Miss [illegible] Sorenson will head the program to be given by the Woman's club at their next meeting on Monday afternoon, Nov. 29, at the Commercial club rooms. Current events will be led by Mrs. H. C. Johnson. Lesson No. 3, "Departments of Government," will be taken up under the leadership of Mrs. E. M. Stanton.

Birthday Party.

Master Basil Earle Farr celebrated his second birthday anniversary on Nov. 22, by entertaining ten children at his home, 120 LaBree Ave. S. The little tots enjoyed games until the lunch hour when they were served delicious refreshments. A feature of the party was a delightful birthday cake which had been elaborately decorated in pink and yellow.

Railway Clerks Give Dance.

An "old-time barn dance" was featured by the railway clerks last Thursday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. The ladies came dressed in calico gowns while the men wore overalls. The hall was dimly lighted by lanterns, making the affair very realistic. Following the hours of dancing refreshments were served.

Community Girls' Club.

The Girls' Community club will meet on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. The entertainment committee has arranged for a good program and the first study lesson will be taken up and will be led by Miss Ida Tandberg. Lunch will be served by the Es and Fs.

Entertains at Cards.

A company of her friends were entertained by Mrs. C. A. Phelps at her home Saturday afternoon. The hours were devoted to cards. Delicious refreshments were served before the ladies departed.

Young Peoples' Society.

The Young Peoples' society of the Silverton church will be entertained by the Misses Annie and Gertrude Barstad, Selma and Gerda Hegness on Sunday, Nov. 28, in the basement of the church.

Rev. and Mrs. Barackman Hosts.

Invitations have been issued by Rev. and Mrs. Barackman to the various young people of the Presbyterian church, for a social evening at their home 518 Main Ave. N., on Friday.

Entertains.

An attractive affair of the evening was a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Perl Mabey at their home, 411 Main Ave. N., in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre of Grand Forks.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet on Friday, Nov. 26 at the home of Mrs. Aug. Holmberg, 102 E. Fifth St. Mrs. Holmberg and Mrs. Cronstrom will be the hostesses.

M. E. Ladies' Aid.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid will be entertained by the members of the East Side in the basement of the church on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 1.

Eastern Star Thimble Bee.

The Eastern Star Thimble Bee met at the home of Mrs. F. F. Haynes on Saturday afternoon. A delicious lunch concluded the afternoon.

Entertains Informally.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Protz informally entertained a few of their friends at their home, 201 Conley Ave. S., on Sunday evening.

The W. C. T. U. will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mesdames Chas. and David Gustafson at the home of the latter, 712 Duluth Ave. N.

Churches

Christian Science—Services at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism Denounced." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at eight o'clock. Thanksgiving service Thursday morning at 10:45. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Swedish Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Great interest is shown in the Evangelistic meetings. Services every evening this week at 7:45, next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 3 and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Good song is a great feature in this meeting. At St. Hilaire there will be service at 10:30 a. m. next Sunday and Communion after the service.

Bible Chautauqua Meetings—"Why did not Adam die the same day he ate of the Forbidden Fruit?" This will be the subject for Sunday evening Nov. 28th, at the Chautauqua hall, west of the East-side Drug store. Did you ever wonder why Adam lived 930 years after eating of the forbidden tree? The Bible gives the reason. Come and hear and bring your friend. Stereoptican pictures illustrating the subject will be shown.

Swedish Lutheran Church—Services on Thanksgiving day at 10:30 a. m. Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. English services in the evening at 7:45.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Nov. 28: 10 a. m. Sunday school. Parents are invited to place their young people in our Bible school. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. At the morning hour the pastor will deliver the annual Thank Offering address for the Woman's Missionary society. The ladies are expected to see that the attendance is large and prompt. At the evening hour the subject will be another theme relating to the training of the disciples, "It is the Sick That Need a Physician." 3 p. m. Juniors; 7 p. m. C. E. The Ladies Aid society will be entertained on Friday, Nov. 26, at 102 5th St. E by Mrs. Holmberg and Mrs. Cronstrom.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services Thanksgiving day evening, 8 p. m. Rev. John Hjelmeland and Rev. J. Mortenson will preach. Rev. George Larson will preach in Norden church 11 a. m. and at Rosewood at 2 p. m., Thanksgiving Day. The big Mission meetings begin Friday at 11 a. m. and will continue over Sunday. Professors, ministers and laymen will be present. Prof. Lillehei of Minneapolis will give a lecture on "Baptism" Sunday afternoon. Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained Thursday, Dec. 2nd, by Mrs. E. O. Erickson. Zion Young Peoples' meeting, Thursday evening, Dec. 2nd.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mission Festival. Norwegian sermon by Rev. Eugene Rateaver of Madagascar, 11 a. m. Offering will be taken up at this service for foreign missions. Lunch will be served by the Ladies' Aid at the close of service, the proceeds to go to the missions. In the afternoon at three, Rev. Rateaver will give an English sermon. English services Thanksgiving Day at 11 a. m. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained Thursday the 25th by the following gentlemen: Lars Backe, Henry Eide, Tom Austad, Ole Nesja, Dr. Paulson, Christ Rynlad, Peter Hornseth and Mr. Linde. A social gathering of the Young Peoples' society with several special features in the evening. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services next Sunday in the German language at 10:30 in the morning. Sunday school 9:30. Bible class meets Thursday at 8 p. m. Mrs. Stewart will entertain the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon in the church basement.

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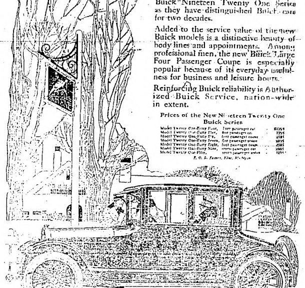

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Heavy Weight
OVERALLS
1.65
Men's light weight
OVERALLS
95c

has been sold for in many seasons. Be here and do justice to yourself by taking advantage of a sale that is not likely to be duplicated for some time.

Better Plan to Be Down Early Saturday and Secure Your Share of These Wonderful Values.

Young Men's sheep lined Coats, with belt all around, worth $40, to close out **$29.45**

$2.50 and $3.00
DRESS SHIRTS
stiff Cuffs.
Selling out at
99c
We guarantee that there is not one shirt in the lot that is not worth $2.50.

MACKINAWS Pure Wool $16.50 Mackinaws, to close out at **12.45**

Your choice of any $6.00 Gordon Hat at **$3.45**

Men's winter Caps, to close out at **65c**

Men's Flannel Shirts of good quality **$2.35**

Signal Shirts to close out at **$2.19**

Regular Army Shirts; best grade of flannel **$4.95**

2 for 35c Handkerchiefs 2 in a package per package **19c**

65c men's heavy Wool Sox **39c**

Interwoven 75c Sox **55c**

UNDERWEAR

At Almost Give Away Prices

$3.00 heavy weight fleece lined Unoin Suits	$1.95
Heavy weight Shirt and Drawers	$ .95
$5.00 wool mixed Union Suits	$3.15
$5.50 wool Shirt and Drawers	$3.90
$12.00 extra heavy weight Munsing Union Suits	$9.45
$10.00 Munsing Union Suits	$7.95
$6.50 Munsing Union Suits	$5.20
$7.50 all wool ribbed Union Suits	$5.95
$4.00 Union Suits	$2.95

SUITS! SUITS! Extra Special

The finest kind of hand tailored Suits in men's and young men's, to $65.00, to close out at
$37.45

One big lot of good Suits that sold for $30.00 and $35.00. To close out at
$22.45

An exceptional opportunity to save real money on Suits we have grouped a lot of the best makes of suits including $55.00 blue serges, at **33.45**

Extra special offer on all $40.00 and $45.00 Suits, to close out at
29.45

Pants

$13.50 men's pencil stripe Pants	$10.45
$15.00 all wool blue serge Pants	$10.45
Men's gray worsted Pants	$5.45
$10.00 Pants	$7.45
Men's corduroy Pants	$4.49
Wool mixed Pants	$4.79
Heavy wool mixed Pants	$6.45
$3.00 boys' Pants	$1.95
$4.00 boys' Pants	$2.85
$5.00 boys' Pants	$2.95

Extra heavy pure wool Chippewa Pants **$8.95**

Boys' wool Underwear **$2.35**

Boys' Kaynee $1.50 quality Blouses, to close out at **79c**

Solid leather bags at greatly reduced prices

Boys' Winter Caps **95c**

Tim's boys' pure worsted Patent Caps Regular $2.00 seller **$1.65**

USEFUL XMAS GIFTS ON SALE

Now is Your Opportune Time to Make Your Xmas Money Go the Farthest.

Men's Neckwear

All $1.50 Ties	95.
All $2.00 Ties	$1.39
All $2.50 Ties	$1.65
All $3.00 Ties	$2.35
All $3.50 Ties	$2.45
All $4.00 Ties	$2.95

COMFORT SLIPPERS

for men, ladies and children. A very nice and useful gift and a large assortment of styles and shades to choose from on sale at very low prices	95c TO $2.95
Men's brown vici selected stock elastic side good Slippers. Sizes 6 to 11	$2.89
Men's cavalier style Slippers, regular $3.50 quality, to close out at	$2.65
Boys' Moccasins	$2.45

BATH ROBES

Children's Bath Robes, sizes 1 to 5 yrs. A very nice assortment of baby blanket robes in pink, blue, grey and tan, sold regularly for $4.50, to close out at **$2.95**

Men's Bath Robes. A very good Xmas gift. Good quality and very attractive Patterns. To close out at
$6.45 $7.45 $8.45

Pure wool men's Bath Robes, just a few left. Regular $25 Robes to close out at **$18.45**

You Can't beat This for Value

$12 men's dark tan shoes, kid or calf	$ 7.45
$6 and $7 Shoes, black only	$ 4.85
$16 Florsheim Shoes	$13.45
$15 Florsheim Shoes	$11.45
$10 Florsheim Shoes	$ 7.45
$11 men's tan, English last	$ 8.45

Here Are bargains for You

$14 Hi-Cut Shoes	$9.75
$9 Work Shoes, 12 in. top	$6.50
$8.50 Welt soft Work Shoes	$5.95
$5.00 Work Shoes	$6.65
$5.50 boys' welt Shoes	$3.95
$4.50 boys' Shoes	$3.15

BROTHERS

Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes

City News

W. J. Brown was a business caller at Warren Saturday.

Miss Emma Hoven of Plummer visited with friends in this city on Tuesday.

Leather and ivory goods, shaving stands and military brushes at the Bazaar. N25

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer shopped in this city Saturday evening between trains.

Mrs. K. Eastman of Minneapolis was in the city last week as the guest of Dr. Jennie Eastman.

Miss Myrtle Roseland of Holt, visited in this city for a brief period the latter part of last week.

Miss Emma Ptachek, who is employed at Black's spent Sunday at her parental home at Mavie.

Mrs. John Carlston left Friday afternoon for Fargo, having spent five weeks at the home of Mrs. Jennie Eastman.

Miss Bernice Lock, who is employed at the local hospital, spent Tuesday visiting at the home of her parents at St. Hilaire.

Miss M. Jenson left Tuesday afternoon for Moorhead where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives.

Miss Grace Iverson, instructor in the local high school, was a guest of her friend, Miss Gallager at Cass Lake on Saturday.

Mrs. K. Eastman left Monday evening for her home at Minneapolis, after a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Jennie Eastman.

Miss Clara Burdick arrived here the latter part of the week from her home at Mavie and will be employed at Black's Sweet shop.

Miss Florence Aalberg arrived on Wednesday evening from Erskine to spend Thanksgiving at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg.

Mrs. A. Jorgenson returned to her home at Crookston Monday after a few days visit in the city with her brother, Geo. Larson and family.

Mrs. Louis Rosland, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Myrtle Rosland, both of Holt, visited with friends here the latter part of the week.

Miss Clara Sorenson is spending the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson. She teaches at Rosewood.

M. W. Brink, Soo train dispatcher, was a passenger to St. Hilaire on Thursday where he transacted business and also visited at the home of his parents.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick and daughter Marian returned home Tuesday evening from Oslo where they spent a week as guests of her sister, Mrs. S. R. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn and daughter, left yesterday for Crookston where they will be Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rosenberg.

Mrs. Dan Patterson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, were shoppers in this city on Monday. They returned to their home at St. Hilaire in the afternoon.

Rev. E. B. Swanson and Rev. S. Johnson of Minneapolis are in the city this week holding meetings in the Swedish Mission church. The services are held in both languages.

Walter Seims, who is employed at Baudette, visited at the home of his parents in this city the latter part of last week. He returned to the above named place on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson, accompanied by their son Lloyd and daughter Wanda, left this city Tuesday afternoon for Devils Lake, N. D., where they will visit relatives for a short time.

Mrs. Morrion Williams who lectured in this city on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings on Mormonism, left Thursday afternoon for Barnesville where she will lecture on the same subject.

Miss Mary Lindberg arrived Tuesday evening from Clearbrook where she had been visiting relatives and remained with friends here until the following morning when she left for her home at Karlstad.

Lloyd Nicholson arrived here Tuesday morning from Philadelphia, Penn., and will spend a couple of days as the guest of his sister, Mrs. James Farr, Jr., after which he will continue to his parental home at Randeen to remain indefinitely.

Frances Burns left this city Saturday afternoon for Lakota where he will be a guest of his sister, Miss Evangeline Burns over Thanksgiving. Miss Burns is engaged as teacher of commercial subjects at Lakota.

Miss Grace Thoreson, who has been making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thoreson of this city, left Tuesday afternoon for Seattle, Wash., where she will spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives.

Miss Thora Skomedal, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Bemidji, arrived here Tuesday evening and visited relatives until the following morning when she left for her home at Steiner to be the guest of her parents over the Thanksgiving holidays.

O. C. Sandberg, accompanied by his brothers, Gust and Reuben Sandberg of Grygla and his father, A. E. Sandberg, left this city on Friday evening for Minneapolis where they will be joined by two more brothers, Elof and John, continuing to Elsworth, Wis., where the funeral services of their mother and wife, who passed away at Grygla last week, will take place.

Misses Laura and Onata Stopple left Sunday evening for Alexandria to spend Thanksgiving with their parents. Miss Mable Brown left Wednesday for the same city to be a guest at the Stopple home today. Miss Laura Stopple and Miss Brown visited at the home of the former's fiance's parents on Saturday and Sunday. They returned to this city on Monday morning. Miss Onata Stopple will remain at her home for a month or more.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren on November 22, a boy.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson came down from her home at Goodridge on Thursday to attend to shopping.

Cyril Sapero of Hibbing was a guest of his brother, A. S. Sapero the latter part of last week.

100 piece set of Haviland china $169.00. This offer holds good until Dec. 5th. Mulry's Bazaar. N25

Guy Johnson returned Tuesday evening from Warren where he spent the day transacting business.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Thursday. She returned home on the afternoon train.

Norman Charbonneau, who is employed at Bisbee, N. D., visited with his sister, Mrs. Harold Provencher, over Sunday.

Scott Laird, secretary of the Commercial club went to Warren Tuesday on business in connection with the Red Lake Highway.

Miss Alice Lee of Plummer left this city Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will spend a week or two visiting with friends.

Miss Esther Tandberg arrived here last evening from Oklee where she is teaching school, to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother.

Mrs. Clara Hjertos came down from her home at Middle River Wednesday to attend to shopping. She returned home on Thursday morning.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick and daughter, Marian, spent the week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. S. R. Robinson at Oslo. They returned the first of the week.

Mrs. C. E. Hazelton and two children, who spent a couple of days here as the guests of relatives, returned to their home at Beltrami on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. T. Cargo and children who reside near Goodridge, left this city Thursday afternoon for points in South Dakota where they will remain until spring.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Lucy Ures and daughter Kathleen, over Thanksgiving.

Miss Effie Christianson is spending the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of her sister, Mrs. Russell at Superior. The Russells were former residents of this city.

We have about one hundred empty lard barrels which we will sell at $1.50 each. Just the thing for putting up pork. All new barrels. Jung's Quality Bakery. D2

Mrs. A. Anderson and aged mother of Crookston, who spent a few days here as the guests of their brother and son, L. Westlund, returned to their home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Avis Akre, instructor of mathematics at Little Falls, arrived here last evening for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre, over Thanksgiving.

Miss Esther Sundahl arrived here last evening from Bronson where she teaches, to be a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Sundahl, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter Jeanette, left Thursday afternoon for Devils Lake, where they will remain with relatives until after Thanksgiving. Mr. Mogensen joined them yesterday.

Miss Bet LeSage, who is employed as teacher in one of the rural schools in the vicinity of Hazel, arrived here Wednesday evening for a visit at the home of her parents over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Rev. I. T. Austad, President of the Northern Minnesota District of the Norwegian church, of Detroit, was a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Swegar Friday. He left Saturday morning for Baudette on a tour of inspection.

E. H. Aakhus, accompanied by his two daughters, Misses Anna and Carrie, and sister, Mrs. Bridge, arrived here Saturday evening from Bemidji, where they have been residing, and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Neset until their home at 112 St. Paul avenue south is ready for occupancy. Mrs. Neset is a daughter of Mr. Aakhus.

Misses Edna O'Brien and Alpha Bishop were over Sunday guests of friends at St. Hilaire.

B. O. Norby, superintendent of the public school at Goodridge, was a week-end visitor with friends here.

Mrs. Mary Werstlein returned on Tuesday morning from Grand Forks where she has been for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Paul Ortloff of St. Hilaire arrived her Monday morning to engage in shopping. She returned home in the afternoon.

Miss Esther Tandberg, who is engaged in teaching at Oklee, arrived here Friday evening for a week-end visit at her home.

Miss Virginia Will, who is a student at Moorhead Normal, arrived Wednesday morning for a week end visit at the home of her parents.

Miss Dora Holmes, teller at the First and Peoples' State bank, visited at the home of her parents who reside near St. Hilaire, over Sunday.

E. O. Mogensen left yesterday afternoon for Devils Lake where he will spend Thanksgiving with his wife and daughter, who are visiting relatives.

Little Mary Warner, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Victoria McKinney, left for Grand Forks on Saturday to visit with relatives over Thanksgiving.

Miss Louise Erickson, who is attending the Moorhead Normal, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. J. Kilan and baby of Hazel, visited with friends here Tuesday enroute to Crookston where she will be the guest of relatives over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. K. LaCoe left Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to visit with friends over Sunday. They returned to their home here on Monday morning.

Miss Kate Geison of Bisbee, N. D., arrived here Friday evening for a week-end visit with her friend, Mrs. Harold Provencher. She returned on Monday morning.

P. P. Palmer, representing the Thief River Candy company, was in Baudette the latter part of last week attending to business matters in connection with the firm.

Misses Lilah Sannes and Myrtle Ellenson, arrived Wednesday morning from Grand Forks and are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher. They will return home tomorrow.

Miss Belle Blair, who is teaching school near Alexandria, accompanied by her friend, Miss Lillian Erickson, arrived here last evening to be holiday guests at the home of the former's parents.

Mrs. Clark, M. D., accompanied by her two children arrived here Saturday afternoon from their home at Greenbush to attend to some shopping. They returned home on Monday morning.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hoover of Chicago on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover will be remembered as former residents of Thief River Falls, Mr. Hoover being a brother of Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Misses Martha Norby and Elise Troyaten returned to their home at Fosston Saturday evening after spending a few days visiting at the home of the former's brother, B. Norby, who resides just out of the city.

Mrs. Mike Holm and children arrived here Monday afternoon from Roseau where they have been residing and were guests of her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Erickson until their time, when they departed for St. Paul to reside. Mr. Holm is Secretary of State-elect.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich left Thursday afternoon for Crookston where she was met by Mrs. Solvig and together they attended a meeting on Thrift held at Beltrami. Mrs. Froehlich is state chairman of Thrift, while Mrs. Selvig is district president. The former returned to her home here Saturday morning and states the meeting was very successful with a very large attendance. The school, where the meeting was held was packed to its fullest capacity.

Daniel Shaw was a business caller at Warren on Tuesday. He returned home in the evening.

Misses Cora Adsero, Amy and Inez Sorlem, attended the pond social and dance at Hazel on Friday evening.

Reuben Sandberg of Grygla was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Oliver Molstad and baby returned to their home at Steiner on Thursday after a brief visit at the home of the former's brother, John Baker.

Alf Krohn leaves the city the latter part of this week for Devils Lake where he will be employed as salesman in on of the clothing stores at that place.

Mrs. M. Jacelin, accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Dorothy Holm, were in the city last week as guests of relatives. They returned to Roseau on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Korstad of Highlanding, shopped in this city on Saturday.

Miss Clara Sorenson returned to Rosewood on Monday morning after visiting over Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. K. Knutson arrived here on Saturday from Spokane, Wash., for an indefinite visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ben Kruse.

Miss Mable Johnson returned to Holt on Thursday morning after spending a few days here as the guest of her sister, Miss Olga Johnson.

Miss Eleanor Werstlien, who spent a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Peter Neth, at Grand Forks, returned to her home here on Monday morning.

Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar returned on Monday morning from Red Lake Falls where she had been a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Schreiter, over the week-end.

Miss M. Helen Montgomery visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy, over Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Lieberman returned Saturday evening from Duluth where she spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents.

Rev. I. T. Austad of Detroit, visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Dale Ziegler, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, underwent an operation on his nose at the Physicians hospital on Friday.

COAL!

We can now furnish for immediate delivery and future orders, hard coal, briquettes—hard and soft, Hocking Valley, Peacock and Fulton County Coal. Will appreciate your orders.

Minneapolis Bridge Co.
Phone 482

A HOME BANK UNDER STATE SUPERVISION

A GOOD REASON FOR SAVING

What do you want most? A home? An education? A Business of your own? A vacation next summer or a winter of travel?

Whatever it is you want most—that is a good reason for saving. Make it your goal and save for its attainment.

Begin now. If you haven't an account we will be pleased to have you open one at this bank. Call it your "home account", "education account", "travel account" or "vacation account", but remember the main thing to keep in mind is to deposit regularly and consistently. Stick to it and win.

CITIZENS
STATE BANK

Books for Boys and Girls

35c Books for Boys: Boys' Indian series, Auto Boys' series, by Braden, and Stars and Stripes series, by Cobb. Adventure series, 45c.

For Smaller Boys: Boy Scouts 15c and "Billy Whiskers" at 40c and $1.20. Complete Mother's Goose rhymes, 85c.

For Girls: "The Camp Fire Girls" at 15c, 35c, and 60c. "Elsie Dinsmore" 50c. "Girls Blue Ribbon" series 35c. "The Boyhood of Jesus" and "The Good Samaritan" 35c.

Say, girls, we have kid body dolls 14½ inches, hair, china head, sleeping eyes, real eyelashes and slippers and stockings for $1.85; also metal head dolls 12½ inches, hair stuffed body and slippers, for 59c.

This firm does not own any get-rich-quick stock. We believe in getting rich slowly on a small margin of profit.

MULRY'S BAZAAR

Attend This Dollar Sale and benefit by the many bargains

The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

Our great Reduction Sale goes merrily on. Greater saving in Coats' Suits, Dresses and Furs.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

Will Be

$1 DOLLAR DAY $1

When the buying power of the money you spend will be increased two and in many instances three times. Owing to the extreme reductions featured, we cannot guarantee the various lots to last the entire day; therefore it's good advice to be here early. No. C. O. D.s, no approvals, no mail orders accepted.

Women's Coverall and Bungalow Aprons $1
Made of best standard Count Percale in stripes, figures, dots, checks and solid colors, full length, roomy and neatly trimmed.
Were values to $2.95, for $1.00

Women's Black and Navy Silk Hose $1
Semi-fashioned with lisle tops, absolutely first quality, regularly sold at $1.95, now $1.00

Girls' Wash Dresses $1
About 35 wash dresses, ages 4 to 12. Made of Ginghams and Chambrays, in many clever styles. Dresses that sold up to $2.95, for

Wash Waists $1
Pretty models of Voile in Welworth and Worthmore qualities, $1.50 to $2.50 values. Friday and Saturday

Women's Gossard Brassiers $1
In 5 different styles, 75c to 85c values. Friday and Saturday—2 Brassiers for

Sunlight Yarn $1
1 ounce balls in all shades, regular 55c value. Friday and Saturday—3 balls for

Beautiful Ribbons $1
Regular 50c quality—3 yards for

About 50 Smocks $1
Here is an item you do not want to miss
In all shades and materials including Soisette, values to $7.50. Friday and Saturday only

Women's Fleeced Unions $1
In low neck and no sleeve styles. A regular $1.75 value. Friday and Saturday

Infant's Silk and Wool Reuben's $1
Values to $1.75, in all sizes. Friday and Saturday

Armour Plate Hose $1
For women, in black only, 69c quality—2 pair for

Armour Plate Lisle Hose $1
45c quality—3 pair for

Chamios Wash Gloves $1
Regular $1.50 quality. Friday and Saturday

Beautiful Ribbons $1
Regular 80c and $1.00 quality—2 yards for

One Rack of ODD DRESSES and COATS
About 10 garments in all
Your choice
$1

KNIT TAMS and TOQUES
Values to $2.50—In all shades—Friday and Saturday only
$1

BANK NO. 148
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE BUSINESS ON NOV. 15, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$767,113.08
Overdrafts			491.53
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			62,500.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			25,100.00
Other Real Estate			24,100.00
Checks and Drafts in Transit			48.00
Due from other Banks		$ 41,348.97	
Cash on Hand.			
Currency	$8,500.00		
Gold	1,002.50		
Silver	3,117.06		
Other	103.05	12,723.11	
Total Cash Assets			54,071.08
Checks and Cash Items			5,602.00
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			9,631.81
TOTAL			$949,576.30

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund		10,000.00
Reserved for Depreciation on Bonds		2,680.48
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		77,500.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$195,582.55	
Demand Certificates	8,062.51	
Certified Checks	103.22	
Cashier's Checks	9,130.34	
Due to Banks	23,003.32	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$235,997.74	
Savings Deposits	33,156.02	
Time Certificates	540,242.06	
Total Deposits	$809,395.82	809,395.82
TOTAL		$949,576.30
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ 59,077.98
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		50,080.03

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss: We, Olaf Ramstad, President and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

OLAF RAMSTAD, President.
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
A. M. LANGSETH,
RASMUS OEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Nov., 1920.
(SEAL) E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 20, 1927.

BANK NO. 1409
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, INCORPORATED,
AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOV. 15, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$348,509.61
Overdrafts			1,597.28
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			4,165.18
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			7,257.85
Due from other Banks		$ 12,291.47	
Cash on hand		11,868.33	
Currency	$6,810.00		
Gold	265.00		
Silver	932.35		
Other	3,830.98		
Total Cash Assets			24,159.80
Checks and Cash Items			10,011.85
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			1,184.15
TOTAL			$397,685.75

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		5,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		50,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$130,116.62	
Cashier's Checks	22,056.22	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$152,172.84	
Savings Deposits	15,181.48	
Time Certificates	150,231.41	
Total Deposits	$317,585.75	317,585.75
TOTAL		$397,585.75
Amount of Reserve on hand		$ [illegible]
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		[illegible]

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, E. McGinn, President and L. A. Lampert, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two Directors)—
HERBERT FULLER,
WALDOF CHRISTENSEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of November, 1920.
(SEAL) EFFIE [illegible],
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires April 2, 1925.

CHARTER NO. 5891 RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 9
REPORT OF CONDITION OF

First National Bank

AT THIEF RIVER FALLS, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOV. 15, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	$684,011.95	
Deduct:		
Notes and bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank	11,024.21	$672,987.74
Overdrafts, unsecured		425.26
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	50,000.00	
Pledged as collateral for State or other deposits, or bills payable	107,000.00	
Total U. S. Government securities		157,000.00
Other bonds, securities, etc.:		
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	1,000.00	
Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged	40,618.37	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		41,618.37
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		2,400.00
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered	59,500.00	
Equity in banking house		59,500.00
Furniture and fixtures		10,035.37
Real estate owned other than banking house		9,662.07
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		27,901.29
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		9,185.17
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States		159.43
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,830.25
Total of Items 13, 14, 15	$ 9,162.85	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due		5,000.00
TOTAL		$1,002,513.66

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund		50,000.00
Undivided profits	$ 35,561.47	
Less current expense, interest, and taxes paid	20,161.51	15,402.96
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned—(Approximate)		5,000.00
Circulating notes outstanding		50,000.00
Net amounts due to national banks		11,502.88
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries		27,855.84
Certified checks outstanding		210.00
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		15,760.12
Total of Items 29, 30, 31, and 32	56,230.84	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		157,817.58
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		63,889.09
Other demand deposits		237.08
Total of demand deposits, subject to Reserve	$221,944.05	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		444,152.16
Other time deposits		37,983.40
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve	$482,135.56	
United States deposits (other than postal savings):		
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	11,500.00	11,500.00
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank		80,000.00
Total Deposits	$772,111.03	
TOTAL		$1,002,513.66
Liabilities for rediscounts with Federal Reserve Bank		11,024.21
Total contingent liabilities (not including items in Schedule 23)		11,024.21

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss: I, W. H. Akre, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. H. AKRE, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
RASMUS OEN,
J. P. CURTIS,
C. L. HANSEN,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of Nov. 1920.
MARIE D. NELSON,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires April 11, 1925.

AGAIN it is our privilege to give thanks for the splendid prosperity and success that has attended us on every hand.

As Individuals and as a Nation, it is meet that we should join in making this a day of wholehearted and sincere thankfulness for the many blessings we enjoy.

The Prichard Co.

City News

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER. Call 83. n11tf

Mrs. J. Ferdinandson came down from Goodridge on Friday to attend to shopping.

Mrs. H. J. Enderlie of Plummer shopped between trains here on Tuesday evening.

L. Fevig departed yesterday afternoon for Moorhead to spend Thanksgiving with his folks.

Mrs. C. Lindstrom returned to her home at Northwood yesterday, after receiving medical treatment here.

Mrs. W. H. Wikel and children are spending Thanksgiving at the home of the former's sister at Middle River.

As Christmas is only a few weeks ahead, Berry's Studio is now open on Sundays. N 11-16-25

Mrs. S. Isaacson left yesterday afternoon for Halstad where she will visit over Thanksgiving with her folks.

Jerome Ruzicka of Lankin, N. D., visited at the J. J. Vorachek home on Monday while enroute to the Twin Cities.

Miss Elsie Rambeck went to Crookston yesterday afternoon to meet her sister. She returned this morning.

Miss Anna Johnson returned to her home at Holt yesterday after a brief visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. S. Leiren.

Miss Alice Tyson departed yesterday morning for Rollis to spend the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ebbighausen and two children are spending the *Thanksgiving holidays with relatives* at Crookston.

Mrs. J. J. Richter and daughter Isabelle returned to their home here yesterday, after a visit with friends and relatives in the Twin Cities.

Mrs. J. M. Vorachek of Fordville, N. D., who had been visiting at the J. J. Vorachek home in this city returned to her home on Monday morning.

Mrs. M. W. Brink and baby daughter, returned yesterday from Rainey River, Ont., where she spent a week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foley.

Mrs. C. A. Barden and daughter Ard'th, were passengers to East Grand Forks yesterday to visit at the home of Mrs. Barden's parents over Thanksgiving.

Miss Elizabeth Harder who is a student of the local high school left yesterday for her home at St. Hilaire to spend Thanksgiving.

Mary and Joel Shoberg of Rosewood were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Vorseth last Thursday evening. They attended the Lyceum course at the Auditorium.

Arnold Jackson, who is employed at the Crown barber shop left yesterday afternoon for Ada where he will spend the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of his parents.

Mrs. S. W. Hodne arrived here on Tuesday evening from Karlstad and spent a brief period visiting friends enroute to Middle River to be a guest of her parents over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. John Rustad, who had been visiting her son, H. J. Rustad and family, who reside at Squaw Point, was called to Fargo yesterday because of the serious illness of her daughter.

Mrs. H. S. Findelson of Red Lake Falls shopped in this city yesterday. On her return home she was accompanied by her cousin, Lucille Roark, who will be her guest over Thanksgiving.

Miss Edith Skoglund, stenographer for Gustafson & Son, accompanied by Miss Cecelia Peterson, saleslady at Loken's departed yesterday morning for their home at Roseau to spend Thanksgiving.

Fred Gunstad, formerly employed at the Times in this city, but now at Grand Forks, called on numerous friends here yesterday. He left the same afternoon for St. Hilaire where he is spending Thanksgiving with his folks.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fosse arrived here Tuesday morning from their home in Shelley and were guests of their niece, Mrs. G. Tessum. Mr. Fosse left Tuesday evening for Clearbrook while Mrs. Fosse remained here for a longer visit.

Misses Irene Patrick and Lillian Poppitz, teachers in the local high school are spending the week end at a house party at the home of Miss Alice Peterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson, formerly of this city, now residing at Crookston. There will be eight guests.

I have bought the Sandum store building and will open up about Dec. 10th, with a full stock of new and second-hand furniture and rugs. I will also handle the Princess phonographs which I will sell with a small margin over wholesale prices. Don't buy until you have seen the Princess. J. L. Bean. N25

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN

Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.59
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.56
Oats	.39
Flax	1.62
Barley	.52
Rye	1.17

FLOUR AND FEED

Flour, per cwt.	$4.70
Bran	1.90
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Corn and oat feed, 80 lbs	2.25
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00

POULTRY

Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.11
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	20-23
Spring Chickens	.14

PRODUCE

Eggs, per doz.	.60
Dairy Butter	[illegible]
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.60
Cow hides, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	4.00

STOCK MARKET

Pork, dressed, per lb.	.15-16
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10-12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.12-16

LIVE STOCK

Sheep, per lb	[illegible]
Steers, per lb	[illegible]
Calves, per lb	[illegible]
Cows, per lb	[illegible]

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten acres of dry pole wood and about 20 loads of grub wood, five miles northwest of town. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls Minn. R. 1 Bx A9. 16p

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 512 LaBree Ave. N. 94tf

FOR SALE—Good poplar wood. Will deliver. Write C. C. Snyder, R. R. No. 1, Thief River Falls. 10p

FOR SALE—One 30-30 Winchester rifle, One 12 ga. double barreled shotgun and one 16 ga. Winchester pump gun.—O. M. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N. 5p

FOR SALE—Man's buffalo coat, otter trimmed. In very good condition. Enquire at Times office. 98

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell these for $10 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. E. Conklin, R. 3, city. 94tf

GOOD BIG LOADS of pole wood delivered for $7.00 per load. Inquire at Elliott Hotel. 16p

FOR SALE—New 1920 Ford car with self-starter, for sale cheap. Good 4-room house and out-shed for sale cheap or trade for horses and stock. Want to buy a good team, weight about 2400. Call 408 Duluth Ave. S. 16p

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. B. Newell, Thief River Falls, Minn. 80tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—North Star big type Poland China spring boars and gilts, by Star of the North and Red River Valley Wonder. Priced to sell. Booking orders for tried sows and bred gilts for winter delivery. All animals guaranteed. James Oreslan, Wylie, Minn. 16p

FOR SALE—One Model C-25 Buick 4-passenger car in first-class condition. See H. C. Johnson at Nortz Lumber Co.

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 96tf

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1917 model, in good condition. New tires. Address Box 1061, Thief River Falls, or call at the Times office. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 83tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Dirken, 110 LaBree Ave. N. 5tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For stock, S-10 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 93tf

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, S-10 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 93tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, 801 Main Ave. N. 96tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two modern houses also several small tracts of land near town.—W. A. Bishop. 97tf

LOST

LOST—Girl's brown shoe last Saturday between Langseth's shoe store and Dewey Ave. Finder kindly leave at Oen's store. 16p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply H. W. Protzeller, 120 Markley Ave. N., or phone 151. 99

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Good wages.—Mrs. Harold Miller, Crookston, Minn. 95tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 91tf

BLOCKMAN WANTED—For this section of the state. Man with experience and acquaintance among dealers preferred. Big job for a big man. Can handle limited amount of good paper until times change. Address A. L. Noel Co., 824 1st St. No., Minneapolis, Minn. 98

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries, selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 98p

MISCELLANEOUS

IS YOUR BUSINESS MAKING YOU FROM $400 TO $1200 A MONTH NET? HERE'S ONE THAT WILL: Open a Bake-Rite Bakery in your city or elsewhere. Sell bread, rolls, pies and pastries—made with the exclusive Bake-Rite Formulas—at retail. Become independent in a business of your own. Your profits start the first day. No charges nor deliveries. We furnish all equipment and install you in a growing, going business with big possibilities. WRITE OR WIRE immediately for full information and proof. You can duplicate the success of others owning Bake-Rite Stores. Approximately $1,600 necessary to start. BAKE-RITE CORPORATION, City Hall Square Bldg., Chicago, Ill. 98p

ELLIOTT HOTEL (Old Telemarken). Steam heated rooms by the week, $2.50 and $3.00. Rooms without heat, $2.00. Board and room, $8.00 and $9.00. 16p

BAKKEN & SHURSTAD—Painting, Paperhanging and Decorating. Furniture repaired and refinished; made to look as good as new. Located under new First and Peoples State Bank building. Phones 3772 or 5318, Thief River Falls. 96tf

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 85tf

The H. D. Cady sawmill south of the Greenwood cemetery is now in operation. Anyone wishing logs, etc., sawed, see the Hagen Land Co., city, for particulars. 16p

SHE IS DELIGHTED WITH THE RESULTS

Never Has Headache or Dyspepsia Now—Nerves Steady Since Taking Tanlac.

"I am so thankful for the benefits I have received from Tanlac that it is real pleasure to recommend it," said Mrs. Freda Nestle, Apartment 11 Kenesaw Apartments, St. Paul, Minn.

"About a year ago I had a general break-down brought on by nervous indigestion. My appetite was very poor and the little I did manage to eat always disagreed with me. I was so nervous that the clinking of typewriters, ringing of telephone bells and other noise around the office where I was employed almost drove me distracted and it was utterly impossible for me to get a good night's sleep. I had terrible spells of headache and often became so dizzy that I would fall. I kept getting worse until I had to give up my position and could not even do my housework.

"A friend who had taken Tanlac advised me to try it. I commenced improving right from the start and in a short while I was feeling like a different person. I now feel as well and strong as I ever did in my life and can do my housework with perfect ease. I have a splendid appetite and can eat three hearty meals every day and never suffer a particle afterward. I have gained several pounds in weight, my nerves are as steady as can be, and I can sleep like a child all night long. I never have a headache or become dizzy any more, and in fact am a well woman once more."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—Adv.

Card of Thanks.

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to the Z. C. B. J. lodge, the city council for the donation of the auditorium, the musicians who donated their services and all those who purchased tickets for the benefit dance given for us. Words cannot express our appreciation.

MR. and MRS. JOHN MALAFA.

Modern Organization

The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

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JUST TRY IT AND SEE how much better you feel in the morning. That "logy," headachy, tired, don't-know-what's-the-matter feeling will be gone—you'll feel fine.

TROUBLE IS, your system is clogged with a lot of impurities that your over-worked digestive and eliminative organs can't get rid of. Pills, oil, salts, calomel and ordinary laxatives, cathartics and purges only force the bowels and prod the liver.

Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) acts on the stomach, liver, bowels and even kidneys, not forcing, but toning and strengthening these organs. The result is prompt relief and real, lasting benefit. Make the test. Nature's Remedy will act promptly, thoroughly, yet so mildly, so gently, that you will think nature herself has come to the rescue and is doing the work.

And oh, what a relief! You'll be surprised to find how much better you feel—brighter, better every way.

If habitually or stubbornly constipated, take one NR Tablet each night for a week. Then you'll not have to take medicine every day. Just an occasional NR Tablet after that will be sufficient to keep your system in good condition—keep you feeling your best.

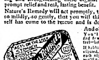

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Method of Reproduction

The Ultona, an exclusive all-record reproducer, built as a part of the instrument, not an attachment, not a makeshift. But an invention which has upset all old ideas. Thanks to the Ultona, music lovers are freed from one-record phonographs, and may now hear all records, whatever make, played at their best.

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There is no record made that a Brunswick owner cannot play—and play better.

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Judge Wilson to Speak Before Merchants Dec. 2

The Merchants' association will hold their first banquet of the winter season at the Evelyn hotel at 6:00 p. m., Thursday, Dec. 2nd. Judge Frank T. Wilson, community organizer for the state of Minnesota, will be the principal speaker. His subject will be, "The Store as a Community Builder."

The St. Paul Dispatch comments as follows: "Judge Wilson is a dynamo of energy and a clearing house for ideas. He is a practical idealist with a plan and purpose based on years of successful experience in community service."

Other speakers for future banquets and their subjects are: Arthur Frank Payne, "Industry and Business"; J. Franklin Ebersole, M. A., "How Prices Control Business" and "Prices and the Cost of Living"; Albert C. James, M. B. A., "The Retail Merchant's Opportunity" and "The Customers Obligation to the Retail Trade"; William Anderson, Ph. D., "The City as a Social and Political Problem."

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315 Horace Ave. N. Phone 15

Over the Top With the A. R. C. Enrollment Drive

A complete report of the Red Cross enrollment drive was not available at a late hour yesterday, owing to the fact that county returns were not all in. Mrs. Andrew Craik, chairman of the drive, states that receipts will by far exceed those of last year, in spite of the disagreeable weather which prevailed on Saturday, the banner day of the short membership campaign. The outlying districts of the county are showing up very strong in comparison with last year.

Three hundred and twenty-five memberships were reported in the city. Goodridge has reported $60 which is a great deal more then Thief River Falls has done in proportion to the sizes of the two places. This gives a total turned in of $385, practically doubling the amount received in the drive of last year when the city yielded practically all of the memberships.

The solicitors from city or county are requested to turn in their money and names to Mrs. Andrew Craik, county chairman, not later than Saturday of this week.

Educational Films to Be Shown in County Schools

The Teachers' Progressive League of Pennington county has entered into a contract with Professor L. A. Leonard, authority on "Visual Education," whereby his series of entertainments will be brought to the school children and general public throughout the county. This entertainment consists of the showing of two moving picture films entitled "The Priceless Gift" (a health film) and "Little Jimmy" (a film with a moral.) The operator also carries illustrated songs, a stereopticon projector and shows illustrated songs accompanied by phonograph record music. The admission charged is 25c for adults and 15c for children. The films are of great educational value and the county is very fortunate in securing the services of Professor Leonard.

The following places are scheduled for an entertainment, on the dates designated: Tuesday, December 7, 8:00 p. m., St. Hilaire; Wednesday, December 8, Wylie at 2:00 p. m. and District Number 149 at 8:00 p. m.; Thursday, December 9, Erie at 2:00 p. m., and Highlanding at 8:00 p. m.; Friday, December 10, Goodridge at 2:00 p. m., and 8:00 p. m.; Saturday, December 11, Mavie at 2:00 p. m. and Silverton hall at 8:00 p. m.; Sunday, December 12, Thief River Falls court house at 2:00 p. m., and Monday, December 13, 8:00 p. m., at Hazel.

What Mrs. Brenninger, of New York, Says About Rat Poison.

"Tried preparations that kill rats, but RAT-SNAP is the only one that prevents disagreeable odors after killing. Also like RAT-SNAP because it comes in handy cakes, no mixing with other food. You don't have to dirty your hands. It's the best for household use." Try RAT-SNAP. Three sizes, 35, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by
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Why Go to California?

California has nothing on the northern part of Minnesota.

On the 22nd of November, last Monday, the Times office received a lilac twig all budded out and fairly ready to blossom, from the grounds of residence property on Horace avenue. Fruit trees are budding out as well and to such an extent that the first real freeze will possibly ruin the crop for the coming season.

Hospital Notes.

The following entered the Physicians' hospital since last Thursday: Dale Ziegler, Mrs. H. F. Snyder, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Lily Aga, Norman Aga, Theresa Althoff, Edna Haug, Agnes Liden and Bernice Halseth, all of this city; Bernhard Nelson and Mrs. G. Grindeland of Newfolden; Mrs. A. I. Haga, Columbus; Stella Anderson, Viking; Mrs. G. A. Egge, Halma; Mrs. M. Morken and Mrs. J. Lecorem of Grygla and Henry Arnesonz of Hazel.

Enlistment Quota Reached.

Chas. Tveit of Trail enlisted for duty with the 5th U. S. Engineers stationed at Camp Funston and left Thief River Falls for final physical examination in Minneapolis on Monday. This completes the quota for the local recruiting station for the month of November. The local recruiting officers state that enlistments from the state for the month have exceeded by far those of any preceding month in the history of Minnesota during times of peace, 472 men having taken up service with Uncle Sam.

RAIL AND SHOP

M. H. Maroney resumed work on Monday as operator at Alexandria, vice V. Bergsten, who goes to Henning to relieve Operator E. H. Gulden, granted a leave of absence.

Walter Palm, agent at Lankin, is spending Thanksgiving with his parents at Adams.

O. O. Tharaldson, helper at Erskine is spending Thanksgiving in Minneapolis.

C. A. Blomquist, warehouseman at Warren, who was recently married at Crookston, resumed work on Thursday last.

Julius Knutson, carman, returned to work the first of the week after several days' absence on account of sickness.

Carmen O. J. Erickson and Arthur Berg spent Saturday and Sunday in Minneapolis on business.

Emil Adolph, carman helper, returned to work after an absence of several days spent at Crookston on business matters.

Out-of-town Thanksgiving visitors are: Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Husby at Orleans; Mrs. E. E. Pechie and Ethel at Warren; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gillespie at Alvarado; Mr. and Mrs. John Jordahl at Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Erickson at Orleans; Marie and Chas. Dablow at Adams, N. D.; Ole Isaacson at Minot; Albert Hendrickson and daughter at Dahlen; Maverette Hilson at Adams; Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht, son and daughter at Fordville, N. D.; Mrs. Albert Engen and daughter at Clearbrook.

Edith Haugen went to St. Paul on Sunday.

Bernard Burggraff spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his parents at Dent.

Theodore Hagen went to Bemidji on Tuesday for an extended visit.

Teachers Progressive of Pennington County Meets

The Teachers Progressive League of Pennington county held a meeting at the county court house Saturday, November 19. Following are the minutes of the meeting:

Officers present were: president, Ida Legvold; secretary, Mrs. W. H. Kline; George M. Gunderson, ex-officio member.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Motion made and carried that 25 per cent of the proceeds of the public sectional meetings be appropriated towards the maintainance of the Teachers' Progressive league.

Motion made and carried, that Health Committee continue the health work by holding health clinics as in the past.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton, secretary of the Senior Red Cross met with the executive board and through instructions received from her, the above motion was made.

Motion made and carried, that the Community Picture service be allowed the privilege of holding entertainments throughout the schools of Pennington county.

Motion made and carried, that the sectional chairmen be notified that they retain 25 per cent of all proceeds taken in through the serving of lunches at the sectional public meetings.

Motion made and carried, that the secretary be instructed to notify each sectional chairman of all the proceedings of this meeting.

MRS. W. M. KLINE,
Secretary.

"The Farmer's Worst Enemy—Rats. The Farmer's Best Friend—Rat-Snap."

These are the words of James Baxter, N. J.: "Ever since I tried RAT-SNAP I have always kept it in the house. Never fails. Used about $3.00 worth of RAT-SNAP a year and figure it saves me $300 in chicks, eggs and feed. RAT-SNAP is convenient; just break up cake, no mixing with other food.' Three sizes, 35c, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by
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Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank all those who assisted in making the first number of the Lyceum course a success. The fine spirit of co-operation displayed by the many members of the club who helped with the work was largely responsible for the excellent attendance.

MRS. DANIEL SHAW,
President of Woman's Club.
MRS. C. A. NASON,
N25 Chairman Lyceum Course Com.

Expression of Thanks.

The sum raised at the benefit dance given for Mr. John Malafa, was $304.50, the expenses being borne by the lodge of which he is a member. Our heartfelt thanks is hereby expressed to all those who purchased tickets or donated and many thanks to the ladies who so liberally donated the things for the lunch. We especially thank the musicians for their liberal services in furnishing the music for the occasion. We also thank the alderman who gave us the free use of the auditorium on account of the Masonic hall being too small for the crowd.

WESTERN BOHEMIAN
FRATERNAL ASS'N.

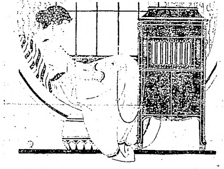

In That Vacant Space

If, in your home, there is a vacant space where you plan to place a phonograph "some day," why not now?

Fill it with an Aeolian-Vocalion.

After supper tonight you would have all the pleasure that "something new" brings.

It is fun to operate a phonograph. It is twice as much fun if the phonograph is an Aeolian-Vocalion, because then you really do something besides making mechanical adjustments.

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An Invitation

A cordial invitation is extended to you to call at our store and hear the Aeolian-Vocalion and play it for yourself. It does not require any learning. The moment the Graduola is taken in hand, its use is instinctively understood.

Vocalion Prices

Conventional Models from $60. With Graduola from $165. Period Styles from $280. Convenient monthly terms arranged

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Thief River Falls

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Charles RAY

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A Nation-wide-stage Success Now a Charles Ray Triumph.

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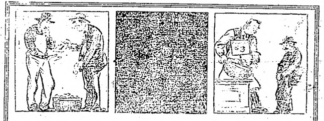

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Editorial.

Three hundred years ago on a cold bleak wintry day a small vessel sailed into a tiny harbor, on what is now the coast of Massachusetts and deposited its travel-weary passengers. These few passengers had buffeted the heavy seas of the Atlantic for the sole purpose of having a freedom in which they might worship in their own religion. The country at that time was a trackless wilderness with absolutely no white inhabitants. Here our travel-worn ancestors established their homes.

During the exceptionally cold and long winter a great many perished but as spring dawned all again seemed bright. The crops were put in but however midsummer found them facing a drouth which lasted for many weeks and threatened to destroy their crops. For weeks rain failed and the corn began to wither and die. It was then as before, in time of stress, they turned to the aid of God and after a day of fervent prayer rain began to fall, and again it seemed that their life in their new home would be a success.

So it happened that after the gathering of their crops, which were saved by the timely rain, set aside a day for thanksgiving to God who had saved them from starvation. Hunters were sent out and a great deal of meat, both venison and wild turkey, was brought in for the thanksgiving feast. Some of their Indian friends were invited. These Indians brought with them a large quantity of corn which is now known as pop-corn and also wild turkeys with cranberries which had been picked in the nearby bogs and marshes. Thus America celebrated her first Thanksgiving.

However, it was a great many years before it was observed as a national holiday. It was due to the untiring efforts of Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, who after writing a great deal was successful in having it observed in 25 states and three territories. Later when the battle of Gettysburg was fought President Lincoln proclaimed that the last Thursday in November be set aside as Thanksgiving day.

Minnesota celebrated her first Thanksgiving in 1860. She celebrated it with turkeys that were really fat, cranberries from her own marshes, pumpkin pies from home-grown pumpkins and flour which had come up the Mississippi, and now as another Thanksgiving is approaching, let us celebrate it with the same deep feeling as it was celebrated years ago after their first harvest in the new and free country.

In order to get more practice in actual debating, the debate forum of the Lincoln high school met four times during the last week, instead of two times per week, as before.

The forum consists of a number of upper classmen, and from these the team consisting of three regulars and two alternates, must be chosen. After each of the members of the forum has given a thorough demonstration of his or her debating ability, the team will be chosen from those who will be best able to defend the side that we are to represent in the first debate.

After the team is chosen, it must work together in order to build up a thorough and impregnable argument. This requires a great deal of work and consequently as much time as possible. Therefore it is necessary that the team be chosen as soon as feasible, and in order to facilitate the selection of the team, the meetings have been more frequent of late.

The first debate comes on Dec. 17, when we meet Roseau. The debate will be held in Thief River Falls, as Roseau does not expect to get a large enough audience there to pay expenses. What side we are to take has not yet been decided.

We were all interested in the speech given by Supt. Ziegler in chapel Wednesday morning, in which he talked of the educational value of school activities and the importance of the support of the student body. Dec. 17th we meet Roseau in debate; contests in oration and declamation will soon take place. The question is, do we, as a school, take any interest in these various activities? Supt. Ziegler said that we are all interested in our school, or we would not be here; but do we take any pride in our school? If we did we would not be defeated by schools whose total enrollment equals less than half of our freshman class alone, as happened last year. The Red Lake Falls high school was determined to beat us. Every student was intensely interested in their team and a victory by their team. And the disgraceful fact is that they did beat us. Why? No other explanation can be offered than that our opponents had a stronger support from their student body.

A person's success in debating or oration depends a great deal on his enthusiasm. Can it be denied that the contestant will reflect largely the enthusiasm of the school as a whole? If a debator knows that the school he represents is deeply interested in the outcome of the contest, his possibility of succeeding will be much greater than if he feels that no one cares particularly whether he wins or loses. Of course we all want our team to win, but is this spirit actuated by a sincere pride in our school, or is it just a feeling toward the individuals who take part in the contest?

Another thing which should receive a greater support from the student body is the Lyceum course which has been secured for this city by the Woman's club. These Lyceum course circuits were originated for the purpose of giving the residents of the smaller towns an opportunity to enjoy a higher class of talent than the community can otherwise provide. The educational value of this kind of platform work is an important factor in their success, so why not take advantage of the rare opportunity offered by this Lyceum course to enjoy hearing some of the highest talent in the country, that will be both entertaining and educational?

The students of the Thief River Falls schools will enjoy a vacation today and tomorrow to observe Thanksgiving. The President has set Nov. 25 aside as a day for national thanksgiving. What is Thanksgiving, anyway, that schools are suspended and the President declares it a national holiday? What does the day mean to us, the students of the Lincoln high? Is it simply a day of vacation, on which we feast and enjoy ourselves? Thanksgiving day originated as we know, with the Pilgrims, who were thankful to the Creator for the manifold blessings that had been heaped upon them. That is, as a rule, still the object of its observance, and the President has called upon the people of America to use the day to look backward and bring to mind the many things we have to be thankful for.

What have the students of the Lincoln high school to be thankful for? First of all, we have the privilege of attending one of the most progressive high schools in this great and glorious country of ours, America. That alone is one of the greatest blessings in the world today. The world thruout the ages has striven for enlightenment, for education and here we have at our command the result of the struggles of mankind since the dawn of civilization. We are enjoying the greatest rights, privileges and opportunities of a democratic nation, which cannot even be compared with some of the other nations.

Fates like those that have fallen on many of the other countries of the world as starvation, plagues, war and the like, are, so to speak, nearly shut out from our doors and we, the Americans have the opportunity to progress in prosperity and happiness with little hampering by these menaces which are so detrimental to a nation's or a people's general welfare and content. So let us therefore be thankful on this Thanksgiving Day of 1920 for those things that make this country, this community and city what it is and that we have the privilege of living in this what we hope may be a new era. Let us not forget Him who should have all our thanksgivings and gratefulness to its fullest extent.

Thanksgiving.

Three hundred years ago, Thanksgiving day, is the anniversary of the first Thanksgiving set aside by the Pilgrims, one year after their landing, to thank God for their crops and so much of their safety as fell on them.

Today we give thanks again. We owe to the farmer and to nature the expression of national thanks. Thanksgiving today means pretty much the same as the first Thanksgiving three hundred years ago. The Pilgrims did not know what a coal shortage meant, but they did know what a food shortage was and we can be very thankful today that we have no food shortage. They did not dream of a great war, but they did know what a few arrows could mean. Birth struggle, love and death are not changed in heart by modern life.

If you could imagine Miss 1920 and Miss 1620 sitting down to a Thanksgiving dinner you would see that time has not greatly changed human instincts. The Pilgrims of 1920 prayed, while we of 1920 are more likely to forget the prayer and sit down to a Thanksgiving dinner and never even let a prayer enter our minds.

The Pilgrims that came to America, "the largest and strongest nation," no longer have a single formula, but now represent many people, many creeds and many habits of life. On this Thanksgiving day let us all set aside a few moments for thankfulness and gratefulness.

Personals.

Forrest Ralston was taken ill during the fourth period Tuesday and had to go home, but he is recovering nicely.

The Boys' Glee club practiced Tuesday afternoon. Some of the boys are taking a great deal of interest in the club, but there are not enough to make a good glee club. It is hoped that more of the boys will join, since arrangements have been made so that there will be no basketball practice on afternoons when the club meets.

August Langseth reports that Macbeth has had another interview with the witches.

On Tuesday evening at the Athletic Board meeting, Pearl Shetler was elected manager of the girls' basketball team and Hugh McDaniel was elected manager of the boys' team.

On Friday evening Irma Marcoe and Mildred Hauglid left for Angus where they will visit at the latter's home. They will return Sunday evening.

Ole Helle (in debate): "They take the men's dues for the union out of their pay envelope otherwise they would not be able to collect more than 25 per cent of them."

Edward F.: "That's just like our class dues."

Marshall R.: "Have you any personals for me today?"

Matt B.: "No; I've handed them all in."

Marshall: "What person did you hand them to?"

Matt: "I had to flop nickels to see where they would go; in the "Progress," in the "Prowler" or in the waste basket."

Miss Hoorn leaves Wednesday evening for her home at Fergus Falls where she will spend the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. Melby says General Rangle was defeated in his classes this week.

Clarence Knutson is spending considerable time hanging around the "Lab." Guess he intends to beat Melby to his job. (Within a few years.)

Miss Patrick and Miss Poppitz will leave for Crookston Wednesday afternoon where they will spend the coming holidays.

Robbie: "Money or your life!"

Curly: "Make it life. I'm rather hard up at present."

Marshall Race visited at the home of Clarence Rice of Plummer over the week end.

On Friday, Nov. 19, the English four classes accompanied by Misses Levit and Patrick, went to the public library where Miss Levit gave instructions on how to locate books and find material on school work.

They say that after a little more practice we will have one of the best boys' basketball teams in the state.

We have noticed that a few of the high school girls have come back to a pre-war status and have nobly cut out the puffs.

Signed, A Few H. S. Boys.

What was the cause for all of the upheaval in room 102 on Friday morning? Ask Morris M.

Reuben Aasland in Eng. 2: "He had broad shoulders in which his sturdy legs were fastened."

Junior Class Meeting.

The Junior class met Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of selecting a committee which will meet regularly and plan the Junior-Senior banquet. No definite plans have been decided upon as yet.

Jokes.

Mr. Melby requested that his chemistry class hand in their note books Wednesday.

Ruby Bennes, a chemistry shark, didn't have any notes and to tell the truth she didn't have any note book. However she got a note book and went to class. This note book was blank. Did she succeed in her bluff?

Teacher: "What was the plot of "The Merchant of Venice."

Modern Student: "He was arrested for profiteering."

Teacher: "Johnny, who discovered America?"

Johnny: "Ohio."

Teacher: "Now you know better than that. Columbus discovered America."

Johnny: "Well, Columbus was his first name."

Mr. Melby has a new book of "formulas" that he is connecting.

Howard Dolan forgot his "spats" this morning. We hope he doesn't catch cold.

Miss Johnson, music teacher, is testing all the high school voices so there will be some harmony in the music.

Geometry teacher: "What is a polygon, (poly-gone)?"

Howard D.: "A dead parrot."

Miss Leavitt is conducting the Eng. IV class in library work. "Under L you will find a large number of books on the different lives of Lincoln."

Father, (to the son that had just started school): "What is the shape of the earth, Johnny?"

Son: "I don't know."

Father: "What is the shape of my cuff buttons?"

Son: "Square!"

Father: "That's my everyday ones, but what is the shape of my Sunday ones?"

Son: "Round."

Father: "Well what is the shape of the earth then?"

Son: "Square on everydays and round on Sundays."

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED

Last Tuesday the girls were out for their first basketball practice. It is the intention of the girls to make this year the best ever.

Mr. Tommeraasen is the coach this year. The girls are very fortunate in getting him. Miss Dix will be assistant.

Pearl Shetler has been elected manager of the team for the coming season. It is expected that many more girls will turn out for the next practice because this is going to be the best season for the girls in basketball.

Red Cross Nurse Speaks.

On Friday morning during chapel, Miss Swanson of the Junior Red Cross appeared before the high school students speaking in behalf of the Junior Red Cross organization and the work it has and is going to accomplish in the devastated and plague stricken countries of Europe and in bettering the conditions in parts of our own country. She cited various instances where a great number of poor and starving people, mostly children, of Europe, have been relieved and helped as a result of the work done by the Junior Red Cross. A great deal of domestic work has also been done such as furnishing hospitals for children, Christmas festivals among the poorer classes, equipments for play grounds and in some cases bought automobiles for the traveling nurses.

She emphasized the fact that it is our duty to the community to join this organization which is doing much in promoting the general welfare. Therefore we should all enroll within its ranks because the larger the membership and the funds, the more work can be accomplished.

Bread Club Organization.

The Bread club was started in 1914 in our high school, Miss Hoag being the first advisor. Each year this club sends one member down to the state fair, this member being the one who can bake bread the best. Before baking in the contest, nine yeast breads, three quick breads and a story on "What I learned as a member of the Bread Making club" are required. At the state fair they again compete in the final contest. While they are in St. Paul they stay at the University Farm and are taken to many different places both in Minneapolis and St. Paul. Miss Johnson is now advisor of the Bread club and there are thirty members. At the beginning of the year the old members have a reception for the new ones and then they have two or three other parties during the whole year. At the end of the school term the club leaves something to the high school. Anyone taking Domestic Science may belong to this club and may compete in the contest for the trip to St. Paul.

Freshmen's Meeting.

The Freshman class has responded splendidly to the Senior's call for support and co-operation in putting out the "Prowler" at a recent class meeting. A sub-staff was elected to collect material and to take care of all contributions coming in from the members of the class. The staff is as follows:

Editor-in-chief—Elsie Blair.
Ass't. Editor—Robert McGinn.
Literary Dept.—Melvin Engelstad.
Joke Dep't.—Herbert Keene.
Kodak Dep't.—Hazel Kraus, Harriet Morgan.
Miscellaneous Dep't.—Gladys Kolden, Clifton Connor.
Athletic Dep't.—Palma Langseth, Matt Barzen.
Art Dep't.—Clifford Storholm.

If the other classes follow the example of the Freshmen, there can be no doubt as to the success of the 1921 annual.

Athletic Board Meets.

A special meeting of the athletic board was held on Tuesday. The purpose of this meeting was to elect a basketball manager for the boys' and girls' team; also to have a standard number of conference games a player must compete in before he is eligible to wear a high school letter, either in basketball or football.

The members of the board decided that if a player competes in one conference game of football, or two conference games of basketball and is a help to the team during the season, he is eligible for a letter.

The basketball managers elected were Hugh McDaniels for the boys and Pearl Shetler for the girls.

The players eligible for football letters under the new ruling are: Ernest Barzen, Hugh McDaniels, Russell Anderson, Jordan Penney, Dreng Bjornaraa, Milford LaBree, Charles Herron, David Evenson, Craig Halvorson, Bernard Sundahl, Allan Fossum, Harold Smithers, Ernest Zeh, Roy Holmgren, Howard Dolan.

Central Notes.

On Friday afternoon, Nov. 19, Dr. Froehlich and Miss Swanson gave interesting talks to the students of the Central high school. Dr. Froehlich spoke on health conditions and the efforts that are being made to help the pupils establish correct habits and personal hygiene. Literature has been secured from the Minnesota Public Health association and distributed among the pupils. This consists of individual cards for checking the duties done and an honor roll for each room showing the total numbers of scores for each pupil. In addition to this the pupils were weighed and their weights will be taken each month.

Miss Swanson, the Junior Red Cross organizer, spoke of the Junior Red Cross and the work they have accomplished in different cities and counties.

A number of pupils of the Central school have season tickets for the Lyceum course.

Prowler Staff Increased.

Several additions have been made to the "Prowler" staff at these last meetings. It was found and deemed necessary to have what is called the compilation board consisting of three members and the advisor, who are to compile the annual, that is, prepare the "dummy." Those selected to work on this board were: Associate editor, Mary Vance, Betsy Ness, Hugh McDaniels and the advisor, Miss Patrick. In this way the task of putting together the annual becomes more organized and less difficult to contend with, because those on the board act as typesetters—they put the material together; while the rest of the staff and substaffs act as reporters, bringing in the ingredients which will go to make it up.

It was decided that, as there were indications of a large number of activities in the various musical organizations, it would demand a department by itself. Ruth Hudrath and Anna Hincik were put in charge of this branch—the music department.

The staff of 1921 is hoping and looking for considerable support from the alumni of this high school. Most of those who have graduated from this institution at some time or other, undoubtedly have a warm spot in their hearts and have a spirit of loyalty towards it and therefore it ought to be but a consequence that they show this by assisting in producing this memorial to the school or in other words, contribute to the Alumni department of the "Prowler." In order that this may be made more successful, Marion Miller and Carl Sundahl, both of '17 were selected to assist the other members of the Alumni department in their efforts to get pictures, jokes, etc., from the Alumni.

At the last staff meeting it was decided to have a candy sale, the proceeds to go to defray some of the expenses for furnishing certain necessary things for a few of the departments, to be held the day before Thanksgiving, when the students feel for eating candy, especially when it's made by some of the Senior girls.

Northrup News.

A number of cases of whooping cough and chicken-pox have detained some of the children of the lower classes from school. Miss Trogan's class has been especially small the past two weeks with about sixteen absences. Miss Hoyt and Miss Nepper have also had a number of absences. The children should be cautioned and should be given good care particularly during this slushy weather.

The children of Miss Nepper's first grade have made a very attractive Thanksgiving table. All the dishes and provisions for the dinner have been made of plasticene. Some of the plasticene has been colored, so it makes the dinner even more attractive. In some of the grades they have been making Thanksgiving booklets into which they have put the story of the Pilgrims. The grades have also begun practicing their Xmas carols for their programs.

The grades of the Northrup school have been having a marching contest. Miss Bark's class won in the first contest, which was carried on last week.

Mr. Tommeraasen visits all the grades at the Northrup every Friday to give instruction in physical culture and to see that the children are securing correct training.

Girl Scout Demonstration.

Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 16, the girl scouts of Holt, under the supervision of Miss Lawrence, gave an interesting display of what girl scouts learn to do. First the girls went through a few drills and recited the scout pledge and laws. Miss Lawrence then gave a short speech on the origin, growth and development of the girl scouts' organization. She also explained how to organize and what is the tenderfoot test, the second class test and what one must do before one gets a golden eaglet, the highest medal or badge any girl scout can get.

A display of all the badges was given, followed by several girl scout games. The program ended with the singing of about a dozen songs by the entertaining visitors.

The purpose of this demonstration was to arouse an interest among the high school girls in the girl scout organization. We hope that Thief River Falls may after a while, have at least one troop of girl scouts.

Kapers of the Kubs.

The High School Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving Day has come round once more,
And the students in high school are thankful for:
Evelyn Saugen gives thanks for her brains;
Matt and Mirt, that the roads are still good for the Haynes,
Alfred Dybvik, the young Beau Brummel of the town,
Is thankful that fancy neckties have come down,
While Mil D. gives thanks for the neat little pile
Of combings which help to do her hair up in style.
What Kermit, is thankful for seems quite a riddle,
But it's just that his hair doesn't part in the middle.
Allan Fossum is glad that Marie is quite tall,
And Viola, that all actresses are not small.
To have a nice teacher to smile with and chat
Is splendid, so Vernon is thankful for that.
Edward is thankful to hear that as yet
Mrs. Castle no suitable partner has met.
Marguerite is so grateful, her job seems to suit,
As queen of the Joke Box, she reigns with King Knute.
David Evenson thanks for the feast that draws nigh,
With visions of turkey and hot pumpkin pie.
But the student that's thankful far more than the rest,
Is the student that passed in his Civic's test.
Violet gives thanks for the Vamp power she wields,
One glance from her eyes and a new victim yields.
And Betsy, our prim little Puritan Maid,
Gives thanks twice a week for the Ladies' Aid.
Sortlundt and Holzknecht, our janitors meek,
Are thankful for just five school days in a week.
Now, you might think it simply a huge mystery,
What makes them so thankful, the kind Faculty.
But, you know, that they're just tickled green all around
For their job teaching school in this good, lively town.
While to subdue Senior-Corner with glance bold and fierce
Is the cause for Thanksgiving with L. Nathan Pierce.

—Poe.

Junior: "Dreng can take pictures."
Friend: Is that so?"
Junior: "Yes, he can take everything he lays hands on."

Little Kermit's Note-book.

"If I couldn't get help with my examples at school I would take them home and get my sister to help me, but if I came for help with an easy problem with a little catch in it and she would have a hard time to get it she would get a little sore about it, so my sister never helps me any more."

Jordan: "I made a date to take her to the show and then to the dance afterward."

Harold S.: "Gee, did you inherit a fortune?"

Miss Elliott (in American history): "What is a panic?"

Beatrice: "It's a shortage of money."

John Hendry: "Then I'm in a panic right now."

Cleon B.: "I put a drop of ammonia in my ink and it didn't spoil the value of the ink either, because ammonia costs money."

Ernest Zeh and Jordan Penney were having a conversation about the war, in which the principal topic was cooties.

"Jordan: "You know Zeh, that Noah could have been the best friend the soldiers ever had."

Zeh: "How's that?"

Jordan: "If he would have struck the two cooties over the head as they marched up the gang-plank."

Mr. Ziegler, in class: "Now when I call on you, don't sit there and not say a word. It doesn't sound good."
—Diogenes.

Note: Chaucer is getting lazy, so he was unable to be represented in this issue.

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2 cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons shortening
¾ cup milk or half milk and half water

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt, add shortening and rub in very lightly; add liquid slowly; roll or pat on floured board to about one inch in thickness (handle as little as possible); cut with biscuit cutter. Bake in hot oven 15 to 20 minutes.

Royal Cinnamon Buns
2½ cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons shortening
1 egg
¾ cup water
½ cup sugar
2 teaspoons cinnamon
4 tablespoons seeded raisins

Sift 2 tablespoons of measured sugar with flour, salt and baking powder; rub shortening in lightly; add beaten egg to water and add slowly. Roll out ½-inch thick on floured board; brush with melted butter, sprinkle with sugar, cinnamon and raisins. Roll as for jelly roll; cut into 1½-inch pieces, place with cut edges up on well-greased pan; sprinkle with a little sugar and cinnamon. Bake in moderate oven 20 to 25 minutes; remove from pan at once.

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Crude Oil and the Automobile

In 1913 (when there were 1,000,000 automobiles in the United States) oil producers drilled about 25,000 wells. The average paid for crude was 95c per barrel.

In 1914 producers had a little discouragement. The price for crude oil fell off to 81c average, and they drilled only 23,000 wells. These wells, however, proved exceptionally prolific and crude prices dropped to an average of 64c a barrel (40c in the Mid-Continent field). As a consequence of the over-production, the bottom dropped out of the gasoline market and low prices prevailed.

The low prices of crude made exploration of new fields unprofitable, and in 1915 only 14,000 wells were drilled. This halt in production enabled demand to creep up on supply, and caused crude to advance until it reached $1.10 per barrel.

Encouraged by the better prices offered, producers put down 24,000 wells in 1916. The unprecedented demand aroused by the war caused petroleum prices to soar, and, notwithstanding the activities in the producing field, prices have continued to advance because demand exceeded supply.

In August, 1920, the number of new oil wells brought in for that month alone was 3,513—the highest oil production mark in the history of the United States. Yet so great was demand that Mid-Continent crude stood firm at $3.50, and Pennsylvania crude at $6.10 per barrel, the prevailing prices.

The market price for crude is not apt to go off appreciably while demand continues to increase as during 1920.

Since 1913 the number of motor vehicles in the United States has increased approximately 7,450,607, and the forecast for 1921 is 10 million motor vehicles in the United States.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is straining every fibre and sinew of its highly specialized organization to increase the yield of gasoline from crude petroleum.

How well it is succeeding is indicated by the fact that an eminent authority states that the Burton process, originating in the laboratories of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has produced 40 million barrels of gasoline from heavy distillates, and has thus saved approximately 150 million barrels of crude oil that would otherwise have been necessary to produce an equivalent amount of gasoline.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2339

Neighborhood Notes

ST. HILAIRE

Od Skie arrived Tuesday from Baudette where he formerly resided. After spending a short time here with friends and visiting at Grand Forks, N. D., with his sister, Mrs. James Amble, he left over the Soo Sunday evening for Minneapolis where he will be employed.

Mrs. Alma Annette was a business caller here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. C. E. Naplin of Black River returned the latter part of the week from Warren, where she has been the last three weeks having undergone an operation at the Warren hospital.

Henry Kolstad arrived Tuesday from Crookston, where he has been employed, for an indefinite visit with his mother, Mrs. John Forseen.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Rod and Mrs. Trina Hendrickson spent Thursday and Friday visiting friends at Thief River Falls.

George Biskey, rural carrier on Route One, left Friday evening over the Soo for Buffalo, Minn., where he was called by the serious illness of his father. Herman Fellman is substituting on the route during the absence of Mr. Biskey.

H. C. Nelson, piano tuner from Bemidji, was a business caller in town the latter part of the week.

The St. Hilaire Athletic association gave a dance at the Imperial Hall last Saturday evening. A good crowd was in attendance.

Miss Esther Brink of Grand Forks, N. D., is spending the week as the guest of her sisters, Mrs. B. T. Johnson and Mrs. Jens Almquist.

Charley Johnson came from Duluth Friday to spend a short time at the N. A. Nelson home.

Mrs. J. L. Sieff returned Wednesday to Red Lake Falls after spending the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson.

Walter Corbett left the forepart of the week for his former home at Ladysmith, Wis., to spend Thanksgiving with relatives. His brother, Wendell Corbett, arrived to look after their farming interests during his absence.

F. Freund of Red Lake Falls was a business caller here Monday morning.

Mrs. R. L. Hauge left Wednesday for a visit at the Henry Vigen home at Bemidji.

Mrs. H. A. Wiebe left Saturday for Mountain Lake, Minn., where she was called by the death of her father.

Hans I. Rod of Bemidji, is spending Thanksgiving with his parents.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and son, Don, and daughter, Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, were Thief River Falls shoppers Monday.

Mrs. Louis Giese and children came from their home at Euclid Monday to spend Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Giese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jackson.

Mrs. H. C. Hanson came from Crookston Saturday for a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. Jepson.

A bunch of young folks attended the Horse Shoe social at the River Side school Friday evening. A good time is reported.

A lively game of basket ball took place at the gym Friday evening when the married and single men clashed in a hard fought struggle. After playing ten minutes over time the score was still 13 to 13, with neither side ready to give up. The teams were evenly matched and their next game promises to be a hard tussle.

Many Red Lake Falls shoppers attended the Nelson sale on Friday and Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. N. Bjerken held a clinic in the Hazel school house last Friday. About 90 school children were examined. With so much interest shown in the first clinic it should be possible to hold many more in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Paul Ortloff arrived from Pine River Monday for a short stay at the Albert Severson home.

Miss Ida Kruse left Tuesday for Crookston after spending a short time at the home of her parents.

A series of Evangelistic meetings are being held at the Swedish Mission church this week, beginning Tuesday and continuing over Sunday. There is special singing and music by "Happy" Johnson and E. B. Swanson of Minneapolis. Rev. O. B. Olson of Crookston is one of the speakers.

R. D. Forman, traveling superintendent with the Duluth Liability and Casualty association, was a business caller here Tuesday.

A Red Cross business meeting was held in the city hall last Thursday afternoon. Solicitors are now out enrolling members in hopes of putting new life into the organization. It is expected that a Red Cross nurse can be secured for the county within the next sixty days.

Rev. Eugene Rateaver, a native missionary of Madagascar, will speak in the Norwegian Lutheran church Monday, Nov. 29 at 1:30 p.m. An offering will be taken the proceeds to go to Foreign Missions.

After spending a few days here with relatives, Art Koidahl left Saturday for Baudette, where he is employed.

Miss Lilly Johnson delightfully entertained a number of friends at her home Friday evening. Games and music furnished entertainment and a delicious lunch was served at midnight. Those present were Mrs. Kate Gunstad, Mrs. Margaret Bjerken, Mrs. Echo Burkee, Mrs. Duddy Hall and the Misses Eleanor Anderson, Lois Forbes, Mabel Patterson, Blanche and Selma Hoff.

Miss Emma Brink, who lives at Gordan, Mont., arrived here yesterday for a visit at the Brink and Thyren homes.

Roy Sumpter returned the forepart of the week from Beaver Creek where he has been employed.

There will be a Thanksgiving ball at the Imperial hall, Thursday evening, Nov. 25. After the show music by the St. Hilaire Orchestra. They say: "There will be heaps of chance to enjoy yourself." Everybody welcome.

ROSEWOOD

Library Association Formed.

As mentioned in last week's issue, a meeting was called at the business rooms of the Farmers State bank last Friday evening and a Library association formed. The Association is directly connected with the State Traveling Library system, and will secure all their books from this source. Books will include generally fiction and reference for adults, juvenile books and books in the Scandinavian language, besides other topics such as history, general science and domestic problems which may be secured by application. The library board consists of ten members, viz.: A. S. Holm, Herbert Carlson, Anton Gullseth, Joel E. Shoberg, L. L. Furan, Benhard Ranum, Mrs. B. Ranum, Mrs. Eva Carlson, J. S. Sorenson and Alex Hellquist. Mrs. A. S. Holm is librarian and J. E. Shoberg, secretary. The first set of books is expected about December 1, and will include 30 adult books, 20 juvenile and 6 Scandinavian books. All books will be kept at the Farmers State bank and may be borrowed without cost by application to the librarian between 9:00 a. m., and 4 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays of the week.

May Install Electric Lights.

At a meeting of the business men in town last Friday it was urged very strongly that something be done immediately to secure electric light for the business section in town. The present lighting apparatus is very unsatisfactory and it has long been the intention to follow the example of nearly all nearby towns and villages and install an electric plant to furnish light for at least the business houses. A committee consisting of A. S. Holm, Anton Gullseth, John Sorenson and L. L. Furan, were instructed to spend a day along Crookston power line through Argyle and Stevens to study conditions, and with the view of purchasing some suitable plant if favorable.

Mrs. Ted Thompson was an east bound passenger last Saturday evening spending Sunday visiting with friends in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ed. O'Hara and daughter left Tuesday for Warren where they will attend to business matters.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen returned on Monday from Thief River Falls where she had spent three days visiting with the Severt Benson family.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at Busy Bee school is Sundaying with her parents at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. O. M. Holson arrived last Tuesday evening from Warren and is visiting this week with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Mellem.

Thor Sevaldson, who has been employed at Warren for some time past, arrived home on Friday evening.

Miss Loretta Drier returned to her home at Thief River Falls the latter part of the week after a few days' visit with Miss Ethel Kron.

Miss Ethel Kron left on Thursday evening for Thief River Falls where she will have dental work done.

Teacher Mrs. Elda Sagmoen of Rosebank, attended the Redpath Orchestra play at the Thief River Falls auditorium last Thursday evening.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard is visiting for a few days the latter part of the week with her sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Lewis Roseland and daughter, left last Thursday evening for Thief River Falls where they visited at the Einstad home over Sunday.

Fred and Otto Ranum motored to Viking on Friday evening to attend a dance.

John Remmem left last Friday for the Nels Nora farm in town of Norden where he will be employed this winter.

Mrs. Bella Sorenson became suddenly ill last Sunday necessitating the summoning of medical aid from Thief River Falls, but it did not appear to be of a serious nature.

Simon Gullseth was in Thief River Falls one day last week seeking medical aid in the removing of his tonsils.

Services in Norse were conducted at the Rindal church last Sunday afternoon by Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls. The Rindal Y. P. S. will have their next meeting at that church on Thanksgiving day at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Katie Meyers arrived from Steiner on Monday morning and will spend a few days here visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Sorenson.

Bennie Ranum left on Monday morning for Warren where he is employed.

Jim Thompson spent Sunday at Crookston visiting with friends.

Axel Larson has arranged a power attachment for his Ford and is using it to saw his wood.

WYANDOTTE

The Poplar Glen school gave a basket social Monday evening.

Misses Cora Swenson and Alice Thompson visited at their parental homes over Sunday.

Mrs. Evenson and children, Myrtle and Edwin, Miss Rose Hoffman and Mrs. Knute Thorvilson attended the Round Social given at the Peterson school house Friday evening.

Anker Hanson called on Palmer Hanson last Saturday.

Mrs. Thorvil Iverson and little daughter are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Axel Berg.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Thorvilson went to Plummer on Friday.

Arthur Larson and Edwin Evenson called on Anker Hanson last Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Berg of North Dakota, is visiting at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Hilden.

Miss Rose Hoffman visited with Miss Myrtle Evenson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Thorvilson visited at the Sam Hanson home Sunday evening.

Edwin Evenson went to Plummer on Monday.

Alfred Helgeson smashed his hand a few days ago.

Laura Larson and John Hanson visited at the John Nelson home last Thursday evening.

Mr. Arneson is on the sick list.

Edwin Nelson and Alfred Helgeson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Miss Rose Hoffman, who has been working for Mrs. Gust Wilson for a few days, left Monday evening for her home.

GERMANTOWN

There will be a Xmas tree and program in School Dist. 76, Friday evening, Dec. 24th, program commencing at eight o'clock. Everybody welcome.

County Nurse Miss Hanson of Warren spent Wednesday forenoon in School Dist. 120.

Bessie Roller visited with her sister Gladys Monday afternoon.

Olaf Tharaldson called at the Hovelson home Monday evening.

Melvin Hamre and Oleander Johnson departed for Hibbing Tuesday to seek employment.

John Ristau was a Thief River Falls caller on Monday of last week.

Detlef Dau spent Monday evening at the Paul Stock home.

Mrs. Betsy Stokke and children visited at the A. Haggy home Wednesday.

Mesdames Hans Dahl and Martinus Johnson were callers at the L. Bendickson home Friday afternoon.

Benard Bendickson made a trip to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mrs. Emil Hanson was a shopper at Mavie on Tuesday.

Milton and Burton Nelson arrived home from North Dakota Saturday, having been employed there fore some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strubbel and family were Sunday guests at the Carl Habedank home.

Mesdames Jones and Limand visited at the Martinus Johnson home on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau spent Wednesday evening at the Henry Clauson home.

Della Roller was a guest at the W. Wayne home Wednesday afternoon.

Anton Overby spent Wednesday evening at the Hovelsas home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klntze visited at the D. Dau home Sunday evening.

Lois and Howard Strubel spent Sunday evening at the Emil Ristau home.

Detlef Dau called at the L. Bendickson home Sunday afternoon.

STEINER

Harold Berg was a business visitor at Thief River Falls Friday.

Peter Mellem, who resides near Rosewood, was a business visitor in this vicinity last Friday.

Miss Mathilda and Julius Liden motored to Thief River Falls last Friday where they attended to various business matters.

Miss Alice Solem, who has been taking up a two year course in nursing at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls, has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem, of this place. Miss Solem is enjoying a two weeks' vacation after which she will leave for Minneapolis where she will enter one of the city hospitals to take up her third year.

Mrs. P. Liden and daughter, Mathilda and Signe, and two sons, motored to Rocksbury, south of Thief River Falls Sunday where they spent the day visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Liden.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Malberg motored to Thief River Falls last Friday for a business visit.

The Malberg boys were busy hauling sand last week from the sandpit on the ridge.

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Company, Minneapolis.)

Despite holders desperate efforts to check the downward movement, world-wide critical economic conditions and industrial depression outweigh what under more normal conditions would prove effective in enhancing prices.

It's the buyer's market at his own price. Imminence of a break in the morale of holders adds another load to the markets since receipts now are proving more than adequate. Stagnation in other lines of business creates a public sentiment making extremely difficult the task of lifting values.

On accumulating evidence of curtailed European consumption of breadstuffs due to substitution of coarse-grain flour and extension of milling extractions wheat loses more friends.

Pre-war European importations of wheat and rye are shown as 650,000,000 to 700,000,000 bushels. Broomhall reports a remarkable decrease from this basis, occasioned mostly by substitution. France, as an example, is cited. Her present wheat crop is estimated at 237 million, consumption 344 million with wheat milled at 70% extraction. Increasing the extraction to 80% reduces the consumption figure to 312 million, and substituting 10 to 20% of rye or coarse-grain flour the consumption needs are further reduced to 272 million, leaving only 40 million for import.

As repeatedly pointed out in the previous reviews, the import requirements are necessarily estimates subject to changing conditions and even the present lowered calculations of European imports may be further reduced through absolute necessity.

For the crop year ending next year Broomhall estimates European wheat imports as 520 million and of other importing countries 40 million, a total of 560 million, while in an exhaustive compilation of statistics the U. S. Bureau of Markets intimates 440 million will be ample. Late Argentine and Australian advices indicate wheat surpluses of 112 million and 110 million respectively which with the North American and India's estimates would aggregate from 650 to a possible 670 million exportable surplus.

Recognition of the Russian Soviet government by Great Britain is regarded as a matter of trade expediency and particularly to obtain supplies of grain. There is still nothing in the situation as we see it to warrant belief in permanently higher prices for any commodity.

Kill That Cold With
HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE
FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe
Neglected Colds are Dangerous
Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.
Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache
Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.
ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

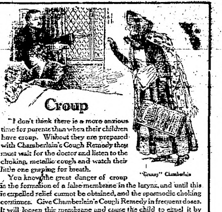

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—"Granny" Chamberlain

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Distinctively Pleasing

In Cream of Barley—no other cereal is quite like it. Appetizing, satisfying, tissue building. As a health-giving food, barley is unsurpassed. You can get it in scientifically prepared form. As its name signifies, it's the cream of the barley. Equally good for cereal or puddings.

Order a package today.

Ask for

CREAM OF BARLEY

"NOW-A-DAYS"
says the Good Judge

A man can get a heap more satisfaction from a small chew of this class of tobacco, than he ever could get from a big chew of the old kind.

He finds it costs less, too. The good tobacco taste lasts so much longer he doesn't need to have a fresh chew nearly as often.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

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QUICK, warming, soothing, comforting relief follows an application of Sloan's Liniment. Just slap it on the strained, overworked muscle. Good for rheumatism, too. Penetrates without rubbing.

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"Well, I'll Be Switched"—

exclaimed the chap who had just heard the why and wherefore of Spur Cigarettes. It didn't take him long to say, "Switch me to Spurs."

Notice that good old-time tobacco taste in Spurs. Trace it down and you will find it comes from the blend of choice Turkish, fine Burley, and other home-grown tobaccos. Rich—refreshing—right.

Finger Spur. It's fat and full-rolled. Note the crimped seam—no paste there. It's a new wrinkle in cigarette making—and Spur owns it all. You'll discover that crimping means easier drawing, slower burning, better taste.

Spur is a well-dressed cigarette—the rich-looking, brown and silver package of twenty, with its threefold wrapping, suggests good taste as plain as day.

Ring out the old, ring in the new. Start fresh with Spur.

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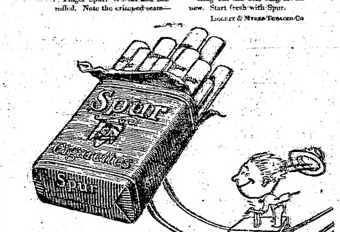

Spur Cigarettes

Pick a Spur from the neat package. Note the "feel" of it, get a whiff of its wondrous fragrance.

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Legal Notices

Hearing on Ditch Petition.

Judicial Ditch No. 30, Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami Counties, Minnesota. Clerk of Court's Notice of Hearing on Petition, Engineer's and Viewers' Reports, in Ditch Proceedings.

State of Minnesota, County of Marshall, ss. District Court, 14th Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of Alma K. Sandum and others for a public drainage ditch in the Counties of Marshall, Pennington and Beltrami, State of Minnesota, designated and numbered as Judicial Ditch No. 30.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, praying for the construction of a public drainage ditch designated and numbered by the Clerk of the District Court of Marshall County, Minnesota, as Judicial Ditch No. 30, and that the preliminary hearing provided by law before the Judge of the District Court has been had thereon, and the said Judge has appointed a civil engineer to make a survey of the route of the said ditch and to perform such other duties in relation thereto as provided by law, and that the said engineer has completed his work and made due report thereon and filed the same in the office of the Clerk of the District Court, and that the said Judge of the District Court has duly appointed viewers to assess damages and benefits in the matter of said ditch and to perform all other duties in relation thereto as provided by law, and that the said viewers have completed their work and have filed their report in the office of said Clerk and that, as appears by the report of the engineer hereinbefore mentioned, the starting point, route and terminus of the main ditch and branches of Judicial Ditch No. 30, including a description of land over which the same passes, is as follows:

Main Ditch:

Beginning at a point (40) feet west of the section line between sections seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in township numbered one hundred fifty-four north (154N) of range forty-one west (41W) of the fifth principal meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, and in the channel of the main ditch of Judicial Ditch Numbered eighteen (18) of Marshall and Pennington Counties thence west along said main ditch of Judicial Ditch numbered eighteen (18) along the north boundaries of said section eighteen (18) and section thirteen (13) of said township and range forty-two west (42W) to the point where Judicial Ditch No. eighteen turns north; thence continuing in a westerly direction parallel with and fifty (50) feet south of the north boundary of sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) of said last mentioned township and range to the quarter section line in said section sixteen (16); thence in a westerly direction thru the common corner of sections eight, nine, sixteen, and seventeen of said last named township and range to a point fifty (50) feet north of the quarter section corner between sections eight (8) and seventeen (17); thence west parallel with and fifty (50) feet north of the south boundary of sections eight (8) and seven (7), said township and range, and sections twelve (12), eleven (11) and ten (10) of said last mentioned township, and range forty-three west (43W); thence south seventy-seven (77) degrees west, parallel with and fifty (50) feet north of the south boundary of section nine (9) of said last mentioned township and range, a distance of thirteen hundred fifty (1350) feet to the coulee, thence along the coulee north sixty degrees west (N60 DW) a distance of two hundred fifty (250) feet; thence north seventy seven and one-half degrees west a distance of two hundred (200) feet; thence south forty six and one-half degrees west a distance of two hundred (200) feet; thence south fourteen degrees west a distance of seven hundred (700) feet; thence south fifteen degrees west a distance of three hundred twenty five (325) feet to the Thief River, as a terminus.

Branch One (1).

Beginning at a point forty (40) feet south and thirty (30) feet west of the common corner of sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15), twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), township one hundred fifty-four north (154N) of range forty west (40W); thence west along and parallel with the north boundary and forty (40) feet south thereof, of sections twenty-one (21), twenty (20) and nineteen (19) of said last mentioned township and range, and sections twenty-four (24), twenty-three (23), twenty-two (22), twenty-one (21) and twenty (20), of township aforesaid, and range forty-one (41) to the point where branch B of Judicial Ditch numbered eighteen (18) turns north; thence north along said Branch B one mile along the west boundary of section seventeen (17) to a terminus in the main ditch as its source, providing fifteen (15) degree curves at the southwest corner of section seventeen (17), and the northeast

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Prompt! Won't Gripe
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aforesaid, said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert E. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, assignees, as authorized by the said Mortgage and the note thereby secured, have declared, and do hereby declare, the whole of the principal sum secured by the said mortgage and note to be due and payable, and the same is now due and payable, and

WHEREAS there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage and the note thereby

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Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To Mary Gonen:

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Seven (7) Eight (8) and Nine (9) Block Fifteen (15) in Porter's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916,

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of Pennington, state of Minnesota, in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 281, having been filed for such record May 21st, 1917, at 6:30 o'clock A. M., which said mortgage provides that if Mortgagors therein fail to pay interest on a prior mortgage therein mentioned, for the principal sum of $800.00, on the premises hereinafter described, at the time the same shall become due under the conditions of said prior mortgage, then and in that event, said mortgagee may pay such interest and have an additional claim and lien upon said premises therefor, with interest on the amount so paid at the rate of ten per cent per annum,

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said debt of $124.96, and interest on $100.00 thereof at ten per cent per annum from the date of this notice to the date of sale and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law in case of foreclosure of said mortgage, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 6th, 1920.

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY, Mortgagee.
Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minnesota.
N-11-18-25-D-2-7-14

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

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NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER! When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere.—LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSON'S.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over.—CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side.—ANDREW BOTTELSON.

Buyer Protected By Advertising

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Time was when advertising did not occupy the place in the world of trade that it does today. It has not been so very many years ago that the people were suspicious of advertising. They were inclined to believe that the merchant was trying to "fool" them with his advertising, that he exaggerated the value of the merchandise he advertised and took that method of trying to get them to buy goods that he could not sell by the old established methods of merchandising.

Those days are gone. The public now realizes that it is the greatest beneficiary of advertising.

Advertising has done more in a decade to establish certain standards to merchandise than could have been accomplished in a hundred years by any other agency. The manufacturer who a few years ago merely made and sold clothes now makes and sells the Black brand of clothes. The man who formerly just made hats now makes Black's hats. And so it is with everything that one buys today. The manufacturer, by his advertising, has built up his business around a trade name and if he is to continue in business, he must protect that trade name by maintaining such a high standard of quality that people, when they buy his products will know just what they are getting. The consumer, when he goes into a store today, does not buy merchandise blindly, with HOPE that it will prove to be worth the money. He buys standard goods that bear the trade-mark of the manufacturer and that are backed by the reputation not only of the merchant who sell them but the manufacturer who makes them. This has been brought about by advertising.

No Reputation to Protect.

All this applies to the retail merchants as a class but it does not apply to the mail order business. The man or woman who buys goods from a catalogue house is not protected by the manufacturer of the goods for the reason that most manufacturers who sell goods to the mail order houses do not place their names upon the goods and therefore have no reputation to protect.

The great majority of articles listed and illustrated in the mail order catalogues are included in what is known among manufacturers as "stencil" stuff. These articles bear the name of the mail order house which sells them instead of that of the manufacturer who makes them. It can readily be understood that any manufacturing concern which turns out goods that do not bear the name or trade-mark is likely to be a very unreliable institution. It is not building up any reputation on the quality of its goods for its products have nothing to distinguish them from the products of any other concern. With no reputation to sustain and no chance of creating a general demand for its goods the only concern of a manufacturing institution of this kind is to make stuff as cheaply as possible in order to obtain the largest possible profit on its products.

Same Price World Over.

These facts are chiefly responsible for the generally prevailing idea that the home merchants do not sell goods as cheaply as the mail order house. They do sell the same quality of goods that the mail order house sell as cheaply as the mail order house sells it but they cannot sell the standard guaranteed products of responsible manufacturers at the same price at which the mail order house sells its nameless, unbranded merchandise. Standard goods bearing a registered trade-mark sell for the same price the world over and the manufacturer's guarantee stands back of them when they are sold in the smallest village in the country just the same as when they are sold in the stores of the largest cities.

This is what the national advertising of the manufacturers has done for the consumers of the country. It has enabled them to go into their home stores and buy merchandise which they know from past experience or from the reputation and guarantee of the manufacturer will give them satisfaction. They are not buying blindly and hopefully when they buy from the merchants in their home towns. They are buying with the knowledge that they are getting their money's worth. When they buy advertised brands they are getting double protection, that which is afforded by the responsibility of the retail merchant and that which is given by the reputation and guarantee of the manufacturer. When they buy the unknown brands of goods that are offered by the mail order houses they are getting neither kind of protection.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate.—THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richlieu Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—TESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE.—Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil.—AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station.—K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
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Oxyacetylene Welding
HORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—RIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Vive Flour, which is a product manufactured in your home town and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.—HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries.—ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minnesota Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries, is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement. — PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.—HALL [illegible] CO.

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OPTIMISTIC STAND TAKEN BY COUNTIES

Farmers of Northwestern Minn. Place Faith in Next Session of Congress.

Conservative optimism that argicultural conditions will be satisfactorily adjusted in 1921 and that the next congress will enact laws favorable to the farmer, was reflected by bankers in every section of Minnesota, who replied during the past week to a special questionnaire sent to them by The Merchants National bank of St. Paul.

The questionnaire, sent out with a view to obtaining authorative expressions from every trade center, sought the views of the grain grower and the cattle man as well as their bankers. There was a difference in opinion in a few counties, but as a rule all reports were of an optimistic nature.

"Farmers have put their faith in the belief that the Republican party will make them feel better and give them better prices. Farmers say price conditions cannot be worse; they have put all their faith for a better 1921," said a Lincoln county financier.

"Stevens county farmers are skeptical regarding immediate congressional assistance," said a banker and added that "Congress must show them."

A Yellow Medicine county banker replied to all questions optimistically. So did a banker in Marshall county. The latter took occasion to charge that "speculators" were responsible for breaks in grain prices. The Douglas county attitude, as expressed by an Alexandria banker, was similar. A banker in Cottonwood county said the next congress "has a wonderful opportunity to aid the farmer and to quiet unrest." He hesitated to forecast reduction in production costs unless the labor situation is adjusted.

"A number of farmers have sold their personal property but others believe that 1921 will bring prosperity," said a Traverse county man. He expects decreased production costs and aid from congress.

"Farmers hope congress will come to their assistance," said a Grant county banker. Farmers in this locality fear that high production costs will continue.

"Optimistis reports were received from St. Louis county—one from Duluth and another from the Iron Range. The Duluth banker said: "Our ideas are that the cost of productions will be lower next year and undoubtedly prices to the farmer will be lower. We believe that congress, meeting after March 4, will undoubtedly enact some legislation that will furnish protection to the American farmer."

"Our farmers have every hope of favorable action by congress," said a Red Lake banker. A Marshall county farmer was optimistic regarding 1921 prices, so far as economic regulation is concerned. But, in commenting upon the attitude of farmers toward possible assistance from the next congress, he said:

"This is their dream."

Clearwater county farmers are optimistic despite their 1920 setbacks. So are farmers in Polk and a number of others of the northwestern counties.

It was noticeable from the reports that grain growers throughout Minnesota have been complaining vigorously regarding imports of Canadian wheat. Many of these farmers will also agitate for government action to reduce grain speculation, if possible. Business conditions seem to be improving in cities and rural trade centers. Buying has increased slightly but is considerably below the volume recorded last November.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

Red Lake County Reaches Limit in Road Bond Issues

Red Lake county will be bonded to the limit of $25,000 for road work on the Jefferson Highway according to a resolution that passed the board of county commissioners by unanimous vote at their regular meeting when $177,000 more bonds were authorized.

To date $73,000 worth of road bonds have been sold to pay the cost of building the ten mile stretch of the Jefferson Highway now under construction. The additional $177,000 bonds will enable the county to finish the job of grading and graveling the road to the Polk county line on the east side of Section 25, Town of Lambert.

By this method the board of county commissioners wisely decided to build the main part of Red Lake county's portion of the Babcock highway system now and let the state pay for it later, rather than let the state take is own course in constructing the roads.

LIVE STOCK AT YEAR'S LOW POINT

Prices Break Sharply as Avalanche of Stock Pours in. Hogs Under $11.00.

Cattle: A run of 19,000 cattle and calves locally proved in excess of the demand. The market was very slow in opening and generally weak to 25c lower on all classes of killing cattle, with the exception of canners and cutters. Veal calves opened steady, best selling at $12.00.

Hogs: Receipts 15,000. Market 50 to 60c lower. Range $10.00-10.60. Bulk $10.50-10.60. Best pigs $10.00-10.25.

Sheep: Receipts 18,000. Market slow, mostly 25c lower. Top lambs $10.00. Fat ewes mostly $1.25.

South St. Paul, Nov. 24—A deluge of more than 1,000,000 cattle, hogs and sheep, poured into market hoppers at the seven principal central slaughtering points last week, proved too much for the trade to digest, and markets in all branches of the trade sagged unevenly under the pressure of such excessive receipts, with prices receding to new low levels for the year. The heavy marketings were responsible for hanging up new one-week receipts records of cattle both locally and at Chicago.

The cattle market at times approached a condition of near-demoralization with trading highly uneven and in virtually unquotable state. Most classes dropped anywhere from $1.00 to $2.00 per cwt., with inbetween grades of killers and lower grades of stockers and feeders declining most. A few sales of beef steers on the shortfed order were recorded from $10.00 to $12.00, with a single baby beef animal going at $16.00, but the bulk of the common and medium steers are being disposed of at $6.00 to $8.00. Most of the butcher cows and heifers are selling from $4.60 to $6.50 with canners and cutters at $2.00 to $3.75. Best light veal calves sold at $12.00 at the week's closing.

Hog values were discounted a dollar last week in line with conditions at other points and prices reached the lowest level since early in 1917. Bulk at the close sold down near the $11.00 mark.

Sheep and lambs declined in sympathy with the general trend of live stock prices and showed losses last week of 50 to 75c, with best native lambs closing at $10.00 to $10.25, and fat ewes at $4.50 to $4.75.

INFLUENCE AND AID TO RETAIL GROCER

Elimination of Wholesaler Must Raise Prices Says Stuart of N. K. Fairbanks Company.

The following appeared in the Bemidji Sentinel of November 19:

"The wholesale grocer is a necessary and valuable link in the distribution of grocery products," says C. B. Stuart, vice president of the N. K. Fairbanks company, in commenting on the stand taken recently by a large soap manufacturer in eliminating the jobber and selling direct to the retail grocer. The wholesaler brings about a greater distribution of merchandise, thus increasing the volume and lowering the prices to the consumer. To eliminate him from the schemes of things would raise prices instead of lowering them," continued Mr. Stuart. "With the jobber eliminated, the retail grocer would have to buy more heavily and carry larger stocks. This would tie up his capital or restrict his assortments to a very few brands. He would be compelled to pay increased freight charges on goods delivered to him in the individual shipments instead of one consignment from the jobber. In addition, the grocer would be put to the added expense of establishing credit relations with many different firms from whom he must purchase merchandise instead of with one jobber. He would lose valuable time in interviewing many strange salesmen instead of placing his order with the jobbing salesmen as he does now. He would lose touch with the wholesale markets and the new merchandise offered because all manufacturers who previously sold him through the jobber, could not hope to call on all the retailers seen each day by the jobber's salesmen. We have never viewed the work of the wholesaler as simply a mechanical function in the distribution of merchandise. We know him as the discoverer and traveler of new territories, as the friend and banker of infant business. He is a strong, stabilizing influence helping to keep business on an even keel. We have found him very necessary in our business. We believe that the wholesale grocery business as a business is fundamentally right and economically sound. The tremendous growth of the jobbing business proves these facts beyond dispute. By loyal co-operation and support, it has aided our company in the development of its business and is justly entitled to our continued support. We have announced to the wholesale grocery trade that we will in the future, as in the past, distribute our products to the retailers through the jobbers."

Don't Give It Away.

Bakken and Sherdal, painting and paper-hanging. Furniture repaired and refinished. Prices reasonable and first-class workmanship guaranteed. We are not beginners, but well established in our trade. Don't give away your old furniture but have it fixed up right. Located under First and Peoples State Bank. Phone 3772 or 3018. D-2

Local Position Open.

An open competitive examination under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service commission for the position of clerk (male and female) and carrier in the post office at Thief River Falls will be held at the post office on Saturday, December 11, 1920, commencing at 9 a. m. Applications for this examination must be made on the prescribed form, which, with necessary instructions, may be obtained from T. S. Brokke, Secretary Civil Service board, at the Thief River Falls post office. All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and file their applications with Mr. Brokke at once. Each applicant will be required to submit to the examiner on the day of examination a photograph of himself or herself taken within two years. The entrance salaries for the positions are $1400 per year.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the unclaimed letters held at the Thief River Falls, Minn., post office for the week ending November 20, 1920. If not called for within two weeks from the above date they will be sent to the Dead Letter Branch at Chicago, Ill.: Beauson, E. H.; Carlson, J.; England, Miss Martha; W. H. Finck & Co.; Gravlin, A.; Mondue, Miss Irene; Monsebroten, Mrs. Annie; Olson, Miss Rose; Thief River Milk Co.; Turnquist, Carl. When calling for the above letters please state that they were advertised.

JOHN MORGAN, P. M.

HIS "OFFICE MAN" IS A WOMAN

Atty. C. B. Cravens, Carrington, N. D., knows now that a woman, properly trained, can do a man's work. He phoned Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., for "a capable office man." Miss Markwood was sent.

Dakota-trained young women get good places with splendid chances for advancement everywhere. University of Washington employs Miss E. Burnett as secretary. Miss E. Nelson is office woman for the Monarch Store of Tower City.

"Follow the Succe$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for terms.

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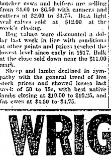

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TRAIN — AUTO CRASH PROVES FATAL TO FOUR

Carl Gjesdahl, Brought to Hospital Here, Dies Without Regaining Consciousness.

Father, Son, Brother-in-law and Nephew Killed Through Crash at Crossing.

Ford Car Driven Blindly Into Moving Train Despite Warnings of Trainmen.

Carl I. Gjesdahl, aged 20 years, died at the Physicians' hospital here early Monday morning, never having regained consciousness since shortly after injury received in the auto-train crash near Delorme station, south of Red Lake Falls, at 9:30 Friday morning. The cause of death was given as a fracture at the base of the skull. Fred Gjesdahl arrived from Crookston on Monday morning and returned with the body to that place the same afternoon.

The tragic death of four men resulted from a collision between the automobile in which they were riding and Great Northern train No. 135, bound from Crookston to Warroad. W. Riel, Oklee and Peter Bolstad of Cooperstown, North Dakota, were instantly killed and Andrew Gjesdahl, father of Carl Gjesdahl, who died here, succumbed to fatal injuries while the train, which was rushing the injured to the hospital, stopped at Red Lake Falls.

W. Riel was a son-in-law of the elder Gjesdahl. His remains were taken to Oklee, where interment took place. He is survived by a wife and infant child. The remains of Andrew Gjesdahl, his son Carl, and of Peter Bolstad, a nephew, were interred at Crookston. The two Gjesdahls are survived by Mrs. Andrew Gjesdahl and her son Fred.

Passengers See Car.

From the statements of passengers, Train No. 135 was proceeding on schedule time toward Red Lake Falls and traveling at a moderate speed. Practically everyone on board the train heard the regular whistle for the crossing, the three short blasts by way of repeated warning and the final and long shriek known among travelers as the "death shriek." Several passengers also claim to have seen the Ford car approaching from the west and apparently racing for the crossing. Others claim that the car was proceeding at a leisurely pace more in keeping with the slippery roads.

Engineer Milligan of Crookston stated that he gave the regular whistle for the Delorme crossing and repeated the warning upon being told by the fireman, the car approaching the track from the left side, that an approaching car had not slowed up. When collision seemed inevitable the long blast was given, to be directly followed by the crash.

Auto Thrown 25 Feet.

The automobile was being driven at a rate of from 15 to 25 miles per hour, according to Fireman Beede, and it was impossible to determine whether or not effort was being made to stop the car or to cross the track ahead of the train. The train was traveling due north and the automobile was coming straight from the west on a road that afforded a clear view of the track for a distance of over a mile. The top was up and the side curtains were on.

The fireman continues, "It is impossible to state whether the signals had been heard or whether the train was noticed. The front wheels of the car and the left hand side of the pilot came together and the car was thrown some twenty-five feet to the side of the track. The train came to a standstill within a very short distance."

Injured, Walks Without Assistance.

Passengers found W. Riel and Peter Bolstad dead, the elder Gjesdahl unconscious and Carl Gjesdahl sitting up in a dazed condition. The younger man was able to walk to the train with assistance. The Ford was an indistinguishable mass of wreckage. After a very slight delay the train proceeded to Red Lake Falls, Andrew Gjesdahl dying shortly after reaching there. The three bodies were left at Red Lake Falls and [illegible] time made into Thief River Falls where the fourth man was rushed to the Physicians' hospital in an unconscious condition.

Fred Gjesdahl, brother of the youth who died here, stated that the party of four left Crookston Friday morning bound for Oklee, the home of Riel; that the side curtains were on; and that as far as he knew, his father was at the wheel.

RED RIVER VALLEY GRAIN SHOW IN FEB.

Award Allotment For Farm Crop Exhibits at Crookston Show Doubled.

Interest in the farm crops exhibits at the Red River Valley winter shows to be held in Crookston in February will be given considerable emphasis this coming year through the direct connection being affected between the valley shows and the state shows held by the Minnesota Crop Improvement association.

The latter association last year donated $250 to the valley show to be used for premium awards. The secretary of the Red River Valley association has been advised that $500 will be alloted to the valley show this year for grain and potato awards. In consideration of this, the Development association plans to try and send all first, second and third prize winning exhibits at the valley show to the Minnesota Crop Improvement association's show, there to be entered in the competition.

As the requirements for exhibition at the Red River valley shows call for only two quart samples whereas the state show exhibits must consist of peck samples, it will be necessary for the owners of prize winning exhibits to have six additional quarts of the same kind of grain that can be added to the two winning quarts at the Winter Shows.

As grain and potato exhibits from the Red River valley have before carried off a number of the high honors at the Crop Improvement association exhibits, it is urged that growers give particular attention to their exhibit now so that enough grain of the same kind as is exhibited at the Winter Shows here will be saved to make up an exhibit for the state show.

WHEAT GROWERS TO MEET HERE DEC. 4

Farmers of County to Perfect Organization For Regulating Markets and Prices.

C. L. Hughes of Oklahoma, representing the United Wheat Growers association, conducted a meeting in the gymnasium at the city auditorium on Friday, about 15 or 20 prominent farmers of the community being present. T. K. Rynestad, a prominent farmer of this community, was elected secretary of the proposed county organization and a mass meeting of all wheat growers in Pennington county has been called for Friday, December 4.

The meeting will be in the gymnasium in the basement of the auditorium and will be called to order promptly at 1:00 p. m. for the purpose of perfecting a county organization which will be affiliated with the national organization of wheat growers. Officers will be elected and such business transacted as is necessary to perfecting the local association.

The primary object of the Wheat Growers association is to regulate the marketing and price of wheat. It is the plan of the officials of the national organization to handle the marketing of the farmers' wheat direct from the farmers' owned and controlled storage and to establish a national sales agency, which will have men selected by the local in every shipping point, to receive the grain for storage or for sale. Growers will pool their wheat whether stored on the farm or in the local elevators. The association will charge all growers who pool their wheat a small commission for handling and selling. A. C. Bailey, state organizer of Kansas writes: "This system will give the wheat producer the full value of his wheat, less the actual expense of shipping and handling and will give the profits that the grain dealers now are making to the farmer."

Native Missionary Speaks Here to Large Audience

Approximately 650 people listened to inspirational lectures by Rev. Eugene A. Rateaver, native missionary of Madagascar, at morning and afternoon meetings at Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday. Offerings and proceeds of the noonday lunch served by the ladies of the church amounted to $240, which amount will go to foreign missions. Rev. Rateaver was born a heathen and grew up under heathen influences, to be later adopted by an American missionary and sent to Minnesota to complete his education. It is apparent that a profound impression was created by his discussion of the missionary question from this different point of view.

NORWEGIAN TENOR HERE DECEMBER 9

Carsten Woll, Famous Tenor, Well Known Here; On Tour of Northwest.

Carsten Woll, famous Norwegian tenor and Esther Erhart Woll, pianist, will appear here in concert at Trinity Lutheran church on Thursday evening, Dec. 9th, under the auspices of the Young Peoples' League of that church. Mr. Woll's work is familiar throut Minnesota because of his great number of records made for the Columbia, Victor and the Edison. Many residents of Thief River Falls and vicinity are proud possessors of these records. Press comments on his work are very favorable. His vocal instruction was at the hands of many of the greater artists of Europe and America. He has appeared as soloist at numerous festivals and concerts all over the Northwest as well as in Chicago and New York. Mr. Woll, recognized as the greatest singer of Norwegian songs in America, attended the Millennial Celebration of Normandy, France, in 1911 as soloist. His program here will include both English and Norwegian numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Woll appear here in a concert tour of the Northwest while on a sabbatical vacation of one year from St. Olaf's college, where Mr. Woll is professor of voice and Mrs. Woll teacher of piano.

ONE THIRD OF 1920 TAX LEVY PAID BY CITY

Interesting Facts Result From Comparison of Assessed Valuations For County.

Real Estate Valuations Take Remarkable Jump; Moneys and Credits Double.

State and County Tax Rates Show Decrease; City Pays 89.2 Mills.

Based upon the assessed valuations for 1920 the city of Thief River Falls pays one-third of the state and county taxes of Pennington county. The wealth of the county as assessed for 1920, which is a very conservative valuation, totals $7,173,087; while the wealth of the city totals $2,397,696, lacking a few thousand dollars of being one third of the former total.

The total assessed wealth of the county in 1919 was $5,638,295 and that of the city, $1,764,951. Thus a gain of approximately one and one-half million dollars valuation in the entire county and a gain of approximately half a million valuation for Thief River Falls.

Gain of Fifty Per Cent.

Real estate valuations for county and city have taken a remarkable jump. The present assessed valuation of Thief River Falls real estate is $1,276,194 as against the $1,080,566 of 1919. The present valuation of county real estate is $5,103,119 as against a 1919 valuation of $4,119,154. City personal property at a valuation of $461,163 shows an increase of $111,205 over the valuation of last year. County personal property at $1,057,706 shows an increase of $116,306.

The most remarkable feature brought out in a comparison of assessed valuations for 1920 is the abnormal increase in the "Moneys and Credits" wealth of Pennington county and Thief River Falls. A gain of approximately 50 per cent is shown in both instances. Moneys and credits as assessed for 1920 give the city a total of $660,316; the valuation for 1919 was $334,427. County moneys and credits jumped from $577,731 in 1919 to $1,012,262 this year.

Rates are Lower.

All of the above figures are taken from the tax records of T. P. Anderson, Pennington county auditor. The 1920 tax levy, payable in 1921, has been completed and the tax rates compiled. The state tax rate for taxes payable in 1921 is 5.42 mills, as against the 8.1 mill tax payable in 1920. The county rate at 11.58 mills also shows a decrease of 1.92 mills. With a city tax of 31.6 mills and a school tax of 40.6 mills, Thief River

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1920 XMAS SEAL SALE UNDER WAY

Sale Chairmen Have Expectations of Reaching $1200 Quota For This County.

The Christmas Seal sale in Thief River Falls and Pennington county opened yesterday and those in charge have every expectation of reaching the $1200 quota before the first of the year. J. J. McCann, county chairman, will supervise the sale throughout the county, with Mrs. J. J. Richter in charge of this city. Seven hundred and twenty dollars was raised in the drive of last year through the hearty co-operation of citizens throughout the county and hundreds of school children.

A fund of $250,000, which has been determined as the least amount that will successfully finance Minnesota's fight against tuberculosis and other disease scourages next year, is the goal of the Christmas Seal sale which started the first of this month. To raise this amount will require the concerted effort of everyone. Quotas for every section of the state have been raised over those of last year.

The sale plan for the city includes an eight day campaign among the merchants and professional men, in which Mrs. Richter will be assisted by a large staff of workers. The sale is scheduled to close on December 8, after which seals will be placed in the hands of school children who will make every effort to place a goodly number in every home.

Mr. McCann has arranged to have an active worker in each town or village in the county take charge of the sale for that locality. Mrs. E. H. Dahl has been requested to take charge at Goodridge; Mrs. Wm. Korstad at Highlanding; Rev. A. K. Lockren in Sanders township and Miss Mabel Patterson at St. Hilaire. These chairmen will also place the seals in the hands of school children after December 8. Five hundred seals have been sent to each rural school teacher of the county and there is every possibility that all will be sold and more requested.

The greater amount of the proceeds of the seal sale remains in the county treasury for the purpose of financing clinics and other health work; the balance going to maintain the state organization and finance the sanitoriums of the state. The amount retained for county use is directly proportional to the amount resulting from the sales. The greater the amount received the larger the percentage for local use.

The activities of the county public health organization for the past year have included numerous baby and dental clinics of an educational nature. It is planned to add nutritional clinics in the near future. The extent of the work was made possible by the exceptional response to the Xmas seal sale of a year ago.

Alumni Reunion.

Plans are now being made by the officers of the Alumni association for a big annual reunion of the Thief River Falls Alumni to be given at the Auditorium some time during the Xmas holidays.

COUNTY ASSURED SERVICES OF NURSE

Upwards of $500 Assured For Red Cross Enrollment Drive; Complete Returns Not In.

Reports on the American Red Cross enrollment drive are still coming in from out-lying districts of the county but present indications are that the total paid up membership will carry the amount to upwards of $500. $425 has been received by the county chairman to date. St. Hilaire will conduct a campaign during the coming week and good results are expected.

Pennington county is assured of the services of a county nurse for the coming year. Application for a nurse has been in at Division headquarters for months but nurses cannot be secured to fill the many vacancies on short notice. Dr. Milan, house physician at the county sanitorium and W. A. Barnard, general superintendent of the Soo Winnipeg division, have been appointed to a committee of four who will supervise Red Cross health activities thruout the county during the coming year. Two other members are yet to be appointed.

Reports received from Northern Division Headquarters of the American Red Cross indicate that the membership enrollment will be as large in Minnesota, Montana, North and South Dakota during the fourth annual roll call as in previous years. Kittson county was the first in Minnesota to go over the top.

PROPOSE SIGNS FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL

City Council Conducts Survey of Streets Prepatatory to Providing Markers.

When the paving of the streets of Thief River Falls is completed next summer, the city will have a complete set of street markers, and traffic regulating signs, if present plans of the council mature. The street committee of the council has been directed to make a complete survey of the city for the purpose of determining just what signs are needed. "Keep to the Right" markers, either of stationary or movable type, have been recommended for street intersections in the down-town district. Streets and avenues are to be distinctly marked where such markings do not now exist and there is a possibility that those markers now used may be replaced by others of a more modern type. Low speed zones about the schools and other public buildings will undoubtedly be established and prominent metal signs used to caution the speeding motorist to "Drive Slowly." Warning signs at dangerous curves or roadways within the city limits are also under consideration.

In bringing the matter of suitable markings for thoroughfares up before the city council, attention was called to a fatal accident which recently occurred in Crookston. A car driven at great speed by a Red Lake Falls woman ran down and hurled to the curb a 12-year-old child who was on her way to school. The girl was instantly killed. Such an accident would possibly have been avoided had suitable signs warned the motorist that a public school was being approached.

CLAIM DAMAGES OF $1300 FOR INJURY

Trips Over Debris Left on Sidewalk by Contractors, Injuring Knee.

A claim for $1,300 damages against Coolsaet Brothers & Drees of Marshall, has been drawn up by Charles Alexander in behalf of his 14-year-old daughter, Edna, and submitted to the city council. It is claimed that Edna Alexander in passing along First street between LaBree and Horace avenues on October 16, sustained a serious injury to one knee when she tripped over debris left upon the sidewalk by the excavating machinery of the above named contractors, then operating in that vicinity on the construction of storm sewers.

It is not known whether or not the claim will be filed in accordance with the law and suit brought against Coolsaet Bros. & Drees. Though suffering a cut below the right knee which necessitated medical attention, the young lady has been about for weeks and is regularly attending school. Mr. Coolsaet, representing the firm of which he is a member, settled all doctor bills and offered to make other settlement in keeping with the injury several weeks ago, at which time the claimant had not considered the same necessary.

COUNTY FARM BUREAU WILL START DRIVE

Assured Assistance of State Men; J. H. Hay to Speak at Many Points in County.

Bureau Now Made Up of 225 Members; 1150 Residents Receiving Assistance.

Summary of Activities For Past Year Shows Exceptional Progress of County.

J. J. McCann, Pennington county agent, has been notified by J. S. Jones of the University Farm, who is in charge of the Farm Bureau movement throughout the state, that in all probability the Pennington County Fam bureau will be able to secure the assistance of state organizers for the coming week. M. L. Werner of Warren will act as captain of the membership squad, members of which will interview every farmer in the county. Six men will be sent here by the state department; the force will be augmented by the services of Stewart McLeod and Paul Engelstad.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture for Minnesota, will arrive in Thief River Falls on Saturday and will speak before meetings in many communities throughout the county. His first talk will be at Goodridge on Monday evening.

Working Plan of County Bureau.

The Farm Bureau movement is sponsored partly by the Federal government and partly by the state, working with county organizations.

A representative membership of two hundred and twenty-five citizens, three executive officers, eight directors and fifteen committee men make up the present Farm bureau organization of Pennington county. The officers and directors formulate the program that they wish to carry out in the county for the year and the committee men give assistance and advise to the Farm bureau director in the activities that they have to deal with in their respective communities.

The above number of members does not indicate only those who make use of the bureau, as eleven hundred and forty different residents of the county

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Elsie Baker and Company Delight Large Audience

The Elsie Baker Trio appeared at the city auditorium last evening in a concert of exceptional merit. Attendance was large and great enthusiasm displayed at every number and repeated encores.

Miss Carley, who accompanied all numbers on the program in addition to playing several piano scolos, displayed a pleasing ease and grace that delighted everyone. Her rendition of the Sextette from Lucia with one hand rivals that of the most accomplished artists of the country.

Mr. Alfred Fasaus, cellist, masters his instrument with great technique and possesses the ability to cause it to sing or talk at will.

Miss Baker's pleasing personality coupled with her marvelous contralto voice drew many prolonged encores. Her annunciation is perfect. Her rich tones, especially those in the lower register, suggest the exquisite strains drawn from the finest of stringed instruments by a master hand.

The trio appeared here under the auspices of the Women's club as a number in the winter's Lyceum course. That organization is again to be congratulated.

MUNICIPAL COURT CASE CONTINUED

Parents Brought to Court Thru Non-attendance of School By Children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Westphal and Mike Herron of Wylie, were summoned to appear before Municipal Judge Tarrant at the county court rooms Friday on a warrant signed by County Superintendent of Schools George M. Gunderson, to give cause for the non-attendance at the Wylie school, District Number 1, of their children.

The defendants pleaded many excuses, among which were: the existence of contagious disease [illegible] the Wylie school, an over-crowded school room, and that the children had physical defects which necessitated their irregular attendance. The first item was disproved by the fact that the school, being a joint institution of Red Lake Falls and Pennington counties, is under the supervision of the Red Lake county nurse, who made an inspection trip less than one month ago. The school room has been over-crowded but not to degree to warrant non-attendance. It is known that defects which would keep the eight children away from school do not exist and when a health clinic was suggested for them, the excuse was in a measure withdrawn.

Judge Tarrant continued the case over a period of 20 school days, pending compliance with the school attendance laws of the state by the defendants.

This is a case of non-attendance which has existed over two school terms. The families live within the two mile compulsory education limit otherwise the warrant could not have been served by Sheriff LaBree. Out of the 180 school days of last year, the Westphal and Herron children attended a very small percentage. Violet Westphal, 12 years of age, attended 106 days out of the 180, while Clarence Herron, aged 13, attended but 45 days. Notices have repeatedly been mailed to these families by Superintendent Gunderson, upon receipt of which the children would be sent to school for two days, this, in the opinion of the parents, sufficing to comply with the law. The children would then remain absent for a week or so until the school teacher could notify the county superintendent and he in turn issue another notice.

It is the opinion of Superintendent Gunderson that the matter of non-attendance of children within the school age has been coming to a head for some time, and that parents must realize that they not only are not complying with the laws in this respect but are doing their children a great injustice which can not be remedied as the years go by. Mr. Gunderson also states that the practice of allowing children to engage in some remunerative occupation rather than seeing that they go to school, is more prevalent in the city of Thief River Falls and the villages of the county than in the outlying rural districts.

WILL DEBATE FOR STATE LEADERSHIP

City High School Squad in Debate With Roseau on Topic of National Interest.

The debating squad of the Thief River Falls high school will meet the squad of the Roseau high school in this city on December 17 in the first debate of a series which will determine the state championship. Subject: "Resolved—That the Open Shop Is Preferable to the Closed Shop in our Industries." As a result of a try-out or preliminary debate between members of the local high school on November 23, Vernon Copp, Esther Soards, Edward Fiterman, Herbert Johnson and Lester Coyle will represent the schools of Thief River Falls in the state wide controversies. Three of this squad will enter into debate with the Roseau team on the aforementioned question.

Debating squads have been organized in all the leading towns and cities of the state. Competition will be conducted between the squads of congressional districts; the victorious squad to compete with the victorious of other congressional districts until the state championship is determined. Mahnomen, Ada, Crookston, Fertile, Roseau, Hallock, East Grand Forks, Breckenridge, Moorhead, Pelican Rapids, Fergus Falls and Red Lake Falls are the twelve cities representing the Ninth Congressional District, with whom the debating squad from the Thief River Falls high school will compete for honors.

L. N. Pierce, principal of the high school, will have charge of the local squad. Debating has been placed on a par with athletics and the enthusiasm shown is as great as that displayed over the football, basketball or baseball work. Each appointment to the debating squad on November 23 met with a storm of applause and class yells. As in the case of athletics, the high school monogram will be awarded to each member of the student body who shall qualify for the debating teams.

NARROWLY ESCAPES INJURY OR DEATH

Derby Anderson Gazes Into Muzzle of Gun Held By Deranged Canadian Soldier.

Derby Anderson, son of N. J. Anderson, escaped possible severe injury or death at the St. Barnabas hospital in Minneapolis on Monday, when he slammed the door shut in the face of Blaikie, a former Canadian soldier who is being treated there for a nervous disorder. Anderson, whose suspicions had been aroused by the queer actions of Blaikie, stepped to the door of his room to find himself looking down the muzzle of a 32 caliber automatic revolver.

Anderson, well known young man of this city, is undergoing treatment at the hands of the federal health service in Minneapolis for disorders resulting from military service during the period of the war. Blaikie is believed to be temporarily deranged from shell shock. Anderson was sitting up in bed when the Canadian soldier entered the room with leveled gun. Anderson thought that he was joking. Blaikie then left the room without saying a word and when Anderson stepped to the closed door he found Blaikie before him. Blaikie then went into his own room and Anderson called for assistance. Melvin Passolt, city detective, was shot when police were called to check the reign of terror started at the hospital by Blaikie.

When Passolt reached the hospital ward, Blaikie was lying in his bed, the gun in his hand. The detective walked over to him and reached for the gun. Blaikie suddenly lifted the weapon and fired, the bullet grazing the detective's cheek. Another inch in the wrong direction and Passolt would have been killed.

Venison Dinner.

The home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson was the scene of a delightful venison dinner on Saturday evening when she entertained the J. Q. Cronkhite and M. Aalberg families.

AUXILIARY TO LOCAL POST OF LEGION FORMED

Officers Elected and Charter Applied For; One Hundred Per Cent Americanism Aim.

Sisters, Daughters, Wives and Mothers of Deceased Ex-Service Men Eligible.

Women's Organization Plans Extensive Campaign to Further Interest of Local Post.

Organization of a Woman's Auxiliary to the Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117 of the American Legion, was completed at a meeting held at the Commercial club rooms on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 27. Officers were elected; committees were appointed; and a charter applied for. Everything has been done which will put the woman's organization on a co-operative and working basis within a very short time.

Officers Are Elected.

L. H. Lawrence, representing the local post of the Legion, called the meeting to order as temporary chairman. The required number of persons eligible to auxiliary membership being present, officers were immediately elected. Mrs. Albert Johnson was unanimously elected president; Mrs. T. P. Anderson, vice president; Mrs. James Sether, secretary and Mrs. S. M. Poston, treasurer. Mrs. C. E. Crown, Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. D. W. Robertson were elected to the executive committee.

A constitution and by-laws as submitted for the use of auxiliary units by the state executive committee of the state department of the American Legion were read and adopted. Annual dues were set at $1, 25c of which goes to the state auxiliary. The first and third Wednesdays of each month were designated as temporary meeting dates. A second meeting was held yesterday afternoon in accordance with this designation, but a very small attendance resulted because of insufficient time having elapsed between meetings to acquaint the public with the plan and purpose of a woman's auxiliary.

A committee will be appointed on membership and every sister, daughter, wife or mother of American Legion members will be called upon in the near future with the object of securing a large membership. It is hoped that the attendance at the next regular meeting on December 15, which will be held in the Commercial club rooms at 2:30 p. m., will be well attended, as extensive plans call for immediate and concerted action.

An extract from the constitution as adopted for the Woman's Auxiliary by the state department of the American Legion and by auxiliary units throut the state, makes clear just who are eligible to membership in the organization:

"The mothers, wives, daughters and sisters of the members of the American Legion, and the mothers, wives, daughters and sisters of all men and women who were in the military or naval service of the United States at some time between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918 and died in line of duty, or after honorable discharge and prior to November 11, 1920, shall be eligible to membership in this Auxiliary."

It is not necessary that an ex-service man be a member of the local post of the legion in order that a mother, wife, daughter or sister may be eligible.

Is Non-Political Organization.

Woman's Auxiliaries to legion posts are rapidly being formed in every town and city of the state and the United States. Their purpose is to further the interests of the American Legion and all ex-service men; to promote one hundred per cent Americanism and to promote universal peace and good will; to commemorate the deeds of those who took part in the world war; to make easier the lot of those wounded in action or otherwise; and to erect memorials to those who gave their lives for the cause of humanity. The Woman's Auxiliary will be strictly non-political and non-sectarian. An auxiliary can properly be termed a branch of a unit of the American Legion.

Proposed plans of the local Auxiliary just formed, call for most hearty co-operation with the local post of the Legion. A committee has been appointed to work with a committee from the Post for the purpose of furthering social activities. The Auxiliary will lend co-operation in anything the Post may undertake; and it is the opinion of many concerned that great good will come thru the formation of this new organization. One of the first objects towards which the Auxiliary will direct its attention will be club rooms suitable to the purposes and activities of both the Legion and Auxiliary.

Hunting Party Gets Ten Deer.

E. E. Kolp returned from a week's deer hunt on Friday with a fine six-spiked specimen of the antlered tribe. Mr. Kolp was a member of a hunting party of ten who spent an entire week in the vicinity of Island Lake, Beltrami county, each member being fortunate enough to secure a deer. Others in the party were: Olaf Rice, Jack and Theodore Palden of Plummer, Albert Kolp, Siver Scottum, Jim and Frank Ford of St. Hilaire and Charles and Albert Aldrich of Bemidji.

City News

Special sale, see ad on back page, Hall Brothers Company.

Rev. Wm. Kampschmidt of Roseau called on friends here on Saturday.

Miss Ruby Jenson of Goodridge visited with friends in this city over Thanksgiving.

Miss Myrtle Satre visited with her friends at Drayton, N. D., the latter part of last week.

Morlan Bishop of Strathcona, spent Thanskgiving at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

O. R. Sande went to Steiner Thursday morning to eat his Thanksgiving dinner at the home of his brother.

Prof. B. O. Norby returned to Goodridge on Monday morning after spending the week end with friends.

Miss Hilma Rosan of Goodridge arrived here Wednesday evening to visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn returned the latter part of last week from Crookston where they spent a few days visiting with relatives.

Miss Ellen Bloomquist, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of this city, passed Thanksgiving at her home in Middle River.

Misses Irene Patrick and Lillian Poppitz returned Monday morning from Crookston where they were guests at the Leonard Peterson home.

Misses Myrtle Ellenson and Lilah Sannes of Grand Forks were guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher over Thanksgiving. They returned to their homes on Saturday.

Anthony Fiske, a student of the Lincoln high school, went to his home at Greenbush on Thursday to spend *Thanksgiving with his parents.* He returned to this city on Saturday.

Miss Anne Tharaldson returned to Fosston on Sunday evening, having visited with her mother over Thanksgiving. Miss Tharaldson is engaged in teaching at the above named place.

Miss Eleanor Bauer, who spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting friends at Bemidji, arrived here Saturday and visited over Sunday with her friend, Miss Ella Pelto. Miss Bauer left on Monday morning for Goodridge where she teaches school.

DONT LET ANYTHING KEEP YOU AWAY FROM CHAS. LIEBERMAN'S CLOTHING STORE WHILE THE BIG SALE IS ON. COMMENCING AT NINE O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING COST PRICES WILL BE FORGOTTEN HERE. d2

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Special sale, see ad on back page, Hall Brothers Company.

Mrs. Chas. Vance returned to this city on Wednesday evening after a week's visit with friends at Fargo.

Miss Caroline Mellby, who is a student at Moorhead Normal, visited at her home here over Thanksgiving.

Charles and Marie Dablow returned Saturday evening from Detroit where they had spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer was a visitor in this city on Saturday between trains. She also attended to shopping.

Miss Gladys Sagmoen arrived here Thursday evening from Rosewood and was an over Sunday guest of Miss Elsie Vorseth.

Francis Burns, who spent a week visiting his sister, Miss Evangeline, at Lakota, returned to his home here the first of the week.

Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht and children who spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Fordville, returned to their home here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ebbighausen and two children returned Monday morning from Crookston where they had visited with relatives since Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. E. Sampson returned to their home at Crookston on Friday after spending Thanksgiving with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

Miss Avis Akre returned to Little Falls on Saturday evening after spending a couple of days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre.

Miss Frances O'Keefe who spent Thanksgiving at her home in Manville, N. D., returned to Holt on Saturday. She teaches in the public school at that place.

Miss Theresa Giefer returned to Goodridge on Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the public school after spending the Thanksgiving vacation at her home here.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son, returned to their home at Oslo on Tuesday morning after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. H. Herrick and with her mother, Mrs. Anna Watson.

Miss Mable Brown, employed in the office of Dr. Booren, returned Tuesday morning from Minneapolis where she visited with friends over Sunday. She was a guest at the Stopple home at Alexandria on Thursday.

AT NINE O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING MERCHANDISE WILL START POURING OUT OF CHAS. LIEBERMAN'S CLOTHING STORE. BE THERE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE BIG SLASH IN PRICES. d2

Miss Mary Wing, who attends the local high school, accompanied by her sister, Miss Olive, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Mavie, spent Thanksgiving at the home of their parents who reside at Middle River.

Special sale, see ad on back page, Hall Brothers Company.

Order your silk hose now for Xmas gifts. The kind that wear. Mrs. Gray, phone 235. d9p

Misses Hilda Peterson and Esther Movik visited with friends at St. Hilaire over Sunday.

Miss Emma Rud of Holt visited with numerous friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Sandberg who spent Thanksgiving at Grand Forks, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fosse who are visiting with friends in this vicinity, left Tuesday morning for Steiner.

Miss Esther Tandberg, who visited at her home here since Thursday returned to Oklee on Sunday evening.

E. P. Modin of Middle River visited in this city between trains on Monday enroute to the twin cities on business.

Miss Gladys Ellestad, who attends school in this city, left for her home at Holt on Thursday to spend Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barbat passed Thanksgiving with relatives who reside at Viking. They returned on Friday.

J. Skomedal and daughter returned to their home at Steiner on Tuesday morning, after a brief visit with relatives here.

Miss Carrie Hanson of Eglund, N. D., arrived here Monday evening for a visit with her friend, Miss Laura Rasmussen.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zavoral returned Monday evening from Fordville, N. D., where they visited with friends over the week end.

Mrs. N. K. Harris visited with relatives at Grand Forks over Thanksgiving. She returned to her home here Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Geo. Nicholson and children returned Monday evening from Cogswell, N. D., where they spent a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. Harda Hedland, accompanied by Miss Olga Kjos returned Tuesday morning from Crookston where they were visitors since Friday.

Miss Ella Anderson who is employed in this city, returned Monday evening from Viking where she spent Thanksgiving with her folks.

Miss Laura Stopple returned Tuesday morning from Alexandria and Minneapolis where she spent a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Beryl Bark returned to Duluth on Sunday evening having spent a few days as the guest of her sister, Miss Mae Bark, who teaches in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston and family who visited with relatives at Bisbee and Nekoma over Thanksgiving returned to their home on Monday evening.

Miss Esther Movik of Holt spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Peterson. She returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn Smith returned Monday morning from Minneapolis where she had spent Thanksgiving with relatives. Miss Smith teaches in the local schools.

Misses Edith Skoglund and Cecelia Peterson returned Saturday afternoon from Roseau where they had spent a couple of days visiting at the respective homes.

THE BIGGEST CUT OF THE SEASON IN PRICES OF MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS AND SHOES IS AT CHAS. LIEBERMAN'S. d2

J. Greenagle, agent at Strathcona, was in the city on Wednesday and attended the dancing party at the auditorium in the evening. He returned Thursday morning.

Miss Laura Culver arrived here on Wednesday evening from Bijou where she teaches, to spend Thanksgiving with relatives. She returned to Bijou on Monday morning.

Mike Holm, secretary of state-elect, passed through this city on Saturday enroute from Roseau to his future home at St. Paul. While here he was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. O. Erickson.

Miss Belle Blair left for Alexandria on Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays visiting at her home in this city. Miss Blair teaches one of the rural schools in the vicinity of the above named city.

Miss Florence Aalberg, who was a guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg over the Thanksgiving holidays, returned to Erskine on Sunday evening to resume her duties as instructor of domestic art in the public school.

Mrs. Lars Thompson, Mrs. I. Nordhaugen, Mrs. K. Runum, all of Rosewood, attended the meetings at the Zion Lutheran church held the latter part of last week. The concluding meeting was held on Sunday evening.

Miss Winnifred King of Waco, Texas, who has been summering at points in Canada, passed through this city on Wednesday evening enroute to her home and was the guest of her friend, Miss Ruth Brown, between trains.

Miss Inez Johnson, who has been at Chicago for a couple of months, has returned to this city to resume her work at the First and Peoples' State bank. Miss Johnson had been doctoring for rheumatism and is much improved.

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Special sale, see ad on back page, Hall Brothers Company.

Marshall Race was a guest of his brother at Plummer over the week end.

There are twelve welcome and inexpensive gifts in a dozen photographs from Berry's Studio. d2-16p

A. Jackson returned Friday from Ada where he spent Thanksgiving at the home of his parents.

Mrs. Dan Patterson shopped in this city on Saturday, returning to her home the same afternoon.

THE SALE AT CHARLES LIEBERMAN'S CLOTHING STORE IS THE TALK OF THE COUNTY. d2

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Husby returned the latter part of last week from Orleans where they spent Thanksgiving with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Wikel and children who visited with relatives over Thanksgiving, returned to their home here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink returned Friday morning from St. Hilaire, where they had spent Thanksgiving with the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink were guests at the home of the former's parents, at St. Hilaire, over Thanksgiving. They returned Friday.

L. Fevig, representing the Standard Oil Co., returned to this city on Friday from Moorhead, where he visited with his parents on Thanksgiving.

Miss Esther Sundahl returned to Bronson to resume her duties as teacher, after a short vacation spent in visiting at the home of her parents here.

Earl Baker, who attends Dunwoodie Institute at Minneapolis, arrived on Thursday morning to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker.

Miss Celia Saugen arrived here Saturday afternoon from Steiner where she had spent a few days with her mother. Miss Saugen teaches school in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bottelson of Blackduck, were in the city the latter part of last week as guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson.

Mrs. C. M. Wilson returned this week from Fordville, N. D., where she visited over Thanksgiving at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson.

Miss M. Hoorn, instructor of mathematics in the local high school, returned Monday morning from Fergus Falls, where she visited her parents during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Agnes Warring, accompanied by her niece, Miss Ruby Warring, who visited with relatives here over Sunday, returned to their respective homes at Steiner on Monday morning.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney, accompanied by her niece, Miss Mary Warner, returned from Grand Forks the first of the week where they had been guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Lucy Ures.

A few Christmas suggestions: For men, Neckwear 59c up; tourist tablets 50c to $2.25; military brushes, $1.00 up; Shaving stands $1.15 up; also purses and ash trays.
D9 Mulry's Bazaar.

I have bought the Sandum store building and will open up about Dec. 10th with a full stock of new and second-hand furniture and rugs. I will also handle the Princess phonographs which I will sell with a small margin over wholesale prices. Don't buy until you have seen the Princess. J. L. Bean. d2

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murphy of Middle River, accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. C. E. Boyden, who had been their guest for two weeks, visited with friends here between trains on Monday. Mrs. Boyden left on the flier for Minneapolis, while Mr. and Mrs. Murphy returned to their home the following morning.

Miss Claire O'Hara left this city on Thursday morning for her home at Holt, where she spent the day.

Mrs. Nora Swanson went to Red Lake Falls on Thursday to spend a few days as the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen of Rosewood on Friday.

Miss Maverette Hilson returned Saturday evening from Fordville, N. D., where she spent the week-end with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin E. Sampson of Crookston were Thanksgiving day guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hellquist over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Erickson, who spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Orleans, returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Margaret Lofthus who attends school at Middle River, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Naplin, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. McMellan returned to her home at Gatzke on Saturday, having spent a few days here as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. A. Naplin.

Mrs. Carl Carlson left Thursday afternoon for St. Thomas, N. D., to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Peirce.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Miller and daughter Irene, motored up from their home at Crookston on Thanksgiving and were guests at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Rolland.

Miss Louise Erickson returned to Moorhead the first of the week after spending a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson. She will complete her course at the Normal this coming spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean who left this city a few months ago to live in Minneapolis, have decided that this city is the best place after all to live in and returned here the latter part of last week. Mr. Bean will again open up a second-hand store.

A few Christmas suggestions for Ladies: Box Handkerchiefs, 50c to 98c; Ivory Sets, all prices; toilet sets, $1.98 up; dishes, all kinds; manicure sets, all prices; silk hose, 98c up; jewelry boxes, 25c to $2.25.
D9 Mulry's Bazaar.

H. O. Loken of Loken Bros. store, left Saturday evening for Chicago where he will pick up tremendous bargains to put on sale immediately. He was accompanied as far as Minneapolis by his wife and daughter Ruth, who will remain there until his return.

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City News

Board and room at 933 Horace Ave. [illegible]orth. D-2-9-16

Mrs. Karl Korstad of Highlanding motored to this city Tuesday and attended to shopping.

Miss Ethel Pillstrom of Warren visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Mrs. C. L. Dye of Warroad returned home yesterday after spending a day here on a shopping expedition.

James Walker of this city spent a few days last week as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Harry Dybvik at Baudette.

Mrs. W. F. Tripp of Baudette arrived here Wednesday afternoon for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lundberg of Red Lake Falls returned to their home on Tuesday afternoon having spent the day shopping.

Miss Olga Stromberg returned Monday evening from Minneapolis where she spent a brief period as the guest of friends.

Louis Kassa returned Monday evening from Goodridge where he spent Thanksgiving. Louis attends the local high school.

Mrs. K. Brown and daughter Gladys returned to their home at Holt yesterday morning having spent a few days receiving dental treatment.

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn who attend the local high school were visitors at their home at Viking during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Emma Hoff, who is engaged in teaching school at Baudette, arrived here on Thursday to be the guest of her friend, Mrs. V[illegible] Frederick, over Sunday.

Dr. Jennie Eastma[illegible] and children returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis where they attended a family reunion during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. G. W. Connell left last evening for Luverne, Minn., in response to a telegram bearing the news that her father, Dr. A. E. Spalding, was very ill with pn[illegible]

Anthony Teske arrived here Monday morning from his home at Greenbush where he visited over Thanksgiving to continue his studies at the Lincoln high school.

Mrs. Chas. Pitt[illegible] who teaches dramatics in the public schools at Eveleth, visited with friends here during Thanksgiving. While here she was a guest of Miss [illegible] Nelson.

Mrs. C. Surmo of Holt is in the city this week receiving medical treatment. She was accompanied to this city by Mrs. H. Knutson, who visited for a couple of days returning to her home yesterday morning.

Miss Winnifred King of Waco, Texas, who has been summering at points in Northwestern Canada, was a guest of her friend Miss Ruth Brown between trains on Wednesday evening, enroute to her home.

Miss Loretta Caus[illegible] a student of the local high school and employed at Black's Sweet Shop was a guest at the home of her parents at Hazel on Thanksgiving day. She returned to this city on Thursday evening.

Adolph Torkelson arrived Monday morning from Clearbrook and will spend a few days as a guest at the A. A. Thoresen home here. On his return he will be accompanied by Mrs. Torkelson, who has been confined in the local hospital following an operation.

Miss Mable Johnson, who is employed at Ada, returned to that city on Saturday after spending a few days visiting at her home here. She was accompanied by her sister Hannah and two brothers, Leonard and Fred, who will visit with her and other relatives for an indefinite period.

C. Krohn left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit friends for a few days.

Miss Eva Desotell came down from Red Lake Falls Tuesday morning and shopped between trains.

Miss Pauline Warner and Ed. Loven of Rollis were guests of friends in this city the first of the week.

Mrs. A. Dahlstrom returned to her home at Roseau yesterday after spending a day in this city attending to shopping.

W. W. Prichard, Jr. and E. O. Mogensen, left Saturday evening on a hunting expedition in the territory adjacent to Bemidji.

Miss Anna Andal, who had been employed here for the past few months, returned to her home at Badger yesterday morning.

Miss Helen Loen, who teaches at Halma, spent Saturday in this city enroute from her home at Radium to the above named place to resume her duties.

Miss Elizabeth Kleppe arrived here Friday evening from Newfolden and spent a brief period visiting friends. She was graduated from the local high school a few years ago.

Mrs. T. Thompson of Storm City, Ia., arrived here Tuesday evening from North Branch, where she had stopped off for a visit with friends, and will spend a few days here as a guest of Mrs. N. A. Nelson.

Wm. Kezer, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. H. R. Kirby, both of Middle River, were visitors in this city yesterday enroute to their home, after attending the funeral services of a five year old nephew at Bemidji.

Miss Alta Helland of Gonvick arrived here Tuesday evening and will be employed in the office of Register of Deeds during the absence of Derby Anderson, who is receiving medical treatment in a hospital in Minneapolis.

Morlan Bishop came down from Strathcona on Saturday and was a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop between trains enroute to Minneapolis where he attended a meeting of the executive board of the American Legion.

Miss Thorbjorn Aslakson who spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting her friend Miss Julia Greibrok of this city, returned to her home at Fisher Tuesday afternoon. She was accompanied by Miss Selma Knutson who had visited with her parents in this city since last Thursday.

In a letter to friends in this city, Mrs. Emma Motz, who went to Seattle early this fall, states that she is now on her way to California, where she will spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Berg, with whom she was visiting are removing to that state. They are well known locally as they were pioneer residents of this city. Mrs. Berg and Mrs. Motz are sisters.

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GUARD THE PRIMARY SYSTEM.

A great deal is being said just now relative to changing the primary law. Some are in fact advocating a return to the old convention system of nominations. The primary is a great power in the hands of the people and the members of the legislature will do well to weigh carefully any legislation that proposes to transfer this power from the voters into the hands of a chosen few. The Duluth Herald has the following to say regarding the primary:

Judge Hughes' remark in a speech the other day that it would be folly to take away the primary election system and restore the old convention system is a reminder that Minnesota must be on its guard once more against the scheme to do that very thing in this state.

It may seem incredible in view of the vivid demonstration America had this last summer of the way politicians in convention impudently ignore the public will, but plans to kill Minnesota's primary and restore the debased and discredited convention are well under way, and will be in evidence as soon as the legislature convenes.

The ostensible reason this time, as it was two years ago, is to protect the Republican party against the Nonpartisan league.

As to that, the Republicans seem able, with Democratic help when they need it, to prevent the Townley people from capturing their ticket under the present primary system.

And since the only thing that makes Townleyism dangerous is its popularity, which didn't turn out to be as great as most people had thought, it is impossible to guard election processes by artificial means against such influences without at the same time putting election processes in such "close corporation" control that ANY popular movement, however needed, could be balked.

And as to preventing the victory of undesirable candidates and causes, there are only two alternatives: First, to depend upon public enlightment and common sense, which has worked very well in this state so far; or, second, to shape the election laws so a committee of "our best citizens"—meaning, of course, those with the largest property interests—will act as a board of censors to exclude all candidates and causes that are not pleasing to them.

Minnesota's primary law needs a few changes, but they should be made by the friends of the primary system, not by its enemies. The legislative error that omitted the old law forbidding candidates beaten at the primaries to run independent should be corrected. The nine o'clock closing of the polls is too late, and the old hour of seven should be restored for both primary and general elections.

Otherwise, not much change is needed. Perhaps the Republican wish to keep voters in their own party primaries might be met; and yet in two successive elections the fact that Democrats could vote Republican primary ballots was all that saved the Republican party from falling into Townley's control. And too rigid party requirements would deny a voice in nominations to that increasing horde of voters who don't care enough about either party to tie themselves up in one or the other.

But whatever is done, the principle of the direct popular primary election should be protected and preserved. The rank and file should no more be denied a voice in making nominations than they should be denied a voice in electing public officials.

CONTRIBUTORY NEGLIGENCE.

Leading dailies which chronicled the death of the three men and fatal injury of a fourth at a crossing on the Great Northern tracks near Delorme station last Friday, also contained accounts of two other automobile-train crashes. The total casualty list for the three accidents was six killed and five seriously injured.

Appalling.

Deaths due to just such causes have been numerous during the past summer and fall, a newspaper rarely going to press without adding new names to the death toll taken at railway crossings. Nine out of ten of the fatal accidents resulted from a swiftly moving train striking an automobile loaded with passengers. Estates of the deceased in many cases have taken up the issue with the railroads in an effort to secure damages and many injured persons have attempted the same. In many cases the deceased or injured have been found guilty of contributory negligence which resulted in the death or injury. Too often the roadway parallels the railway tracks and the desire to race a swiftly moving train moving in the same direction proves strong enough to lead the driver of a car into taking chances. The average of grade or railway crossings which are really perilous when properly approached, is small.

But can the death toll go on? Highway officials realize that measures to insure life at these crossings must be taken; as do ro l.lrollimo of the country. Curves and grades in road or right of way construction cannot always be avoided and curves and grades make for dangerous crossings when no discretion is used by motorists in approaching them. Sooner or later electric warnings, with red moving lights for use after darkness, or closed and substantial gates must acquaint the driver of a car with the fact that a train is approaching. European countries long ago adopted this protection for their railway and highway traffic. The next few years must see a radical change in this respect until the ideal method, that of passing traffic under railroad tracks or above them by means of viaducts, is reached.

There's the South Hibbing postmaster who "talks the Chippewa language like a native." Most of us think of the profane language in connection with the postal service.

The child who asked for "accordian" shoe polish at one of the city stores wasn't so far off after all—they are made of the same stuff these days.

The house of Hohenzollerns is being punished—they are obliged to live on an annual income of $425,000 each.

"Slight Change in Fashions Revealed at Show by Live Models"—also a generous display of nether limb.

Headline: "Big Milk Drop Seen." Saw one the other day but it wasn't a very big one—only a quart.

It is claimed that prohibition puts an end to treating friends—an easy death.

A PLEA IN FAVOR OF RURAL CHILD

Many Children in Outlying Districts of County Have Never Seen Moving Pictures.

The following statement issued by G. M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools, with respect to the showing of the educational moving picture films in the rural schools by Professor D. A. Leonard, manager of the Community Picture Service, is self-explanatory:

"Reports have come in from some rural school communities that several of the parents are opposed to the showing of moving pictures in the rural schools.

"Now the main opposition seems to be based on the fact that the churches of Thief River Falls carried on a campaign against the showing of films in the city. This, I believe is misunderstood, as by conferring with some of the pastors of the Thief River Falls churches, I am informed that the campaign was carried on against the showing of films on Sunday only, as this reduced the church attendance.

"Prof. D. A. Leonard, the manager of the Community Picture Service, has been a missionary, or carried on mission work. He has also, on several occasions filled pulpits in different churches. Therefore, this is sufficient proof that the pictures shown are not of an immoral character.

"Some time ago he held one of his entertainments in the Swedish Lutheran church in this city. After conferring with Rev. Larson, pastor of said church, and finding he has only words of praise for Prof. Leonard and his pictures, I feel that Mr. Leonard and The Community Picture Service can be recommended to schools, teachers, pupils and parents of this county.

"Mr. Leonard showed films to the teachers attending the Northwestern Educational Association at Warren. He gave a lecture on Visual Education at the Minnesota Educational associations' convention at St. Paul. As near as I can ascertain he gave entire satisfaction.

"The films he will show thruout Pennington county are in the interest of health and child welfare movements of the county. The teachers and parents are concerned about the health and welfare of the school child and in no other way can this be better brot home than thru these pictures.

"Prof. Leonard is doing this work, not so much for profit as the good it may do our schools, as will be noted by the price of admission charged that of 25c for adults and 15c for children. He is giving these entertainments with the approval of several of this state's most noted and able instructors. Several schools are placing the projectors or moving picture machines in their schools, to better their system of instruction. The Thief River Falls schools have already one of these machines and are contemplating the purchase of a second one.

"The teachers of the rural schools and myself are arranging for these entertainments. We have the best of terms: 50 per cent of the proceeds to cover the expenses of Prof. Leonard, 25 per cent for the Teachers' League, and 25 per cent to the local place where the entertainment is held, to cover rental of building, etc. If our series of entertainments prove a success Prof. Leonard is willing to apply all of the proceeds towards the purchase price of the machine for the future use of our rural schools. His expenses, of course, must be paid out of the proceeds.

"In visiting the several schools thruout the county and thru questioning, several of the pupils of our rural schools tell me they have never had an opportunity of witnessing a moving picture program. What a delight these pictures will be to these pupils. They will leave an impression upon their minds that they will never forget. Why do we not give these boys and girls a part of the pleasure that city boys and girls are enjoying continually? These rural boys and girls are just as bright, just as studious, and in most cases make as great a success in this world as our city boys and girls. Let teachers and parents and the rural population in general join hands in giving them this one pleasure by taking them to these entertainments and by attending themselves. Then another mission will have been performed by Prof. Leonard; a mission for health and happiness of our rural school boys and girls."

Schedule of Entertainments.

St. Hilaire, Dec. 7, 8 p. m.; Wylie school building No. 94, Dec. 8, 2 p. m.; Sanders Dist. No. 149, Dec. 8, 8 p. m.; Erie, Singer hall, Dec. 9, 2 p. m.; Highlanding, schoolhouse, Dec. 9, 8 p. m.; Goodridge, consolidated school, Dec. 10, 8 p. m.; Mavie, schoolbuilding, Dec. 11, 2 p. m.; Silverton, Dec. 11, 8 p. m.; Thief River Falls, court rooms, Dec. 12, 2 p. m.; Hazel, Farmers' Club hall, Dec. 13, 8 p. m.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Bertha Gravil.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha Gravil, known also as Bertha Gravil and as Berta Gravil, decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Ellef V. Gravil, Anna K. Craft, Olga Anseby, Bertha Anseby, Ruble Anseby, Vivian Anseby, Iver T. Anseby, Ragnhild Burlingrud, Andrew Burlingrud, Elele Burlingrud, Bertha Viola Burlingrud, Evelyn Burlingrud, the heirs at law of Edward Bernhardt Gravil, and the heirs at law of Valborg Gravil, and the heirs at law of Clara Gravil, all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of M. C. Burns having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that the will of decedent has been proved and administration of his estate granted in this State, but that said property was omitted from such administration and the final decree therein and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

THEREFORE YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, 1920, at ten o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 1st day of December, 1920.

(Court Seal) IRA C. RICHARDSON, Probate Judge.

H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Petitioner. (D2-9-16)

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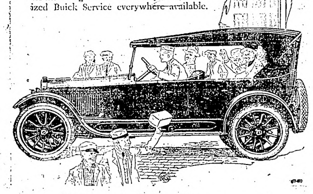

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Society and Club

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club met on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms with a very good attendance. Community singing of Christmas carols was led by Miss. Maud Johnson. This was followed by a reading by Miss L. Brown. Foreign events were given by Miss Anna Quale. "The New Voter" is the book which will be read during the study period at each meeting, until completed. The first lesson was read by Miss Ida Tandberg. The joint meeting of the Woman's club and Girls' Community club to be held on Dec. 13 was announced by the president. An exceptionally nice lunch was served by the E's and F's. The hours following were spent in a social manner. Several of the girls on the serving committee told fortunes by coffee grounds which afforded much amusement.

Seims-Kafka.

The marriage of Walter Seims, a former local young man who was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1916 will be of particular interest to many people of this city. The following item was taken from the Baudette Region:

"Walter Seims, who left Baudette early in the week, telling his friends that he was going to Duluth, treated them to a surprise Wednesday when the announcement of his marriage to Miss Stella Kafka was made. The happy event occurred at Roseau, Rev. C. W. Annestad performing the ceremony. The young couple went to Grand Forks on the afternoon train. They are both well known in Baudette. Mr. Seims has been employed by Wm. Rulien for the past two years, and the bride and her twin sister were also residents of Baudette for some time."

Vevea-Erickson.

On Monday occurred the marriage of Clarence Vevea of this city to Miss Agnes Erickson of Fort Ranson, at Detroit. The marriage service was read by Rev. O. P. Bunsved of Minneapolis. The newlyweds visited for a day in this city and left Tuesday evening for Fargo where they will spend a few days after which they will go to Minneapolis where they contemplate residing. The groom is well known to the city's younger set, having completed his high school course here graduating with the class of 1920. Mr. Vevea took an active part in social and athletic activities of school during his senior year. His many friends extend congratulations.

Entertain.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman were delightful hosts on Friday evening when they entertained the young people of the Presbyterian church at their home 518 Main Ave. N. During the course of the evening an impromptu program was offered. Miss Ella Miller, Mrs. M. W. Brink and Harold Smithers gave vocal selections while Miss Ruth Mathews rendered a piano solo and Miss Margaret Mealy gave two readings. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing competitive games. Light refreshments were served at 11 o'clock.

Neuschuander-Windsness.

Wm. J. Neuschuander and Palma Windsness, both of Grygla, were quietly married at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage on Saturday, Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of the church officiating. The witnesses were Haakon Storhaug and Olga Windsness, also of Grygla. The young people will make their home at Grygla.

Trinity Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon, Dec. 9, in the basement of the church and will be entertained by the following ladies: Mrs. Martin Evenson, Mrs. John Nesson, Mrs. O. C. Hanson and Mrs. C. Sjoberg.

Surprise Party.

Miss Jordan's 7th grade class gave a successful surprise party in her honor on Tuesday afternoon. Games afforded the amusement for the afternoon and the party was concluded by a delightful lunch which had been brought by the guests.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A very fine program was offered at the Woman's club at their last meeting on Monday afternoon. The first number was a violin duet by Mrs. Holmberg and Miss Sorenson with Miss Forde as accompanist. The current events under the leadership of Mrs. H. C. Johnson were specially interesting. "Better Films at the Movies" was given by Mrs. Cerny, "Japanese Immigration on the Western Coast," by Mrs. Johnson. Mrs. Daniel Shaw read a very interesting article by Judge Perrin of Superior on "Delinquent Children," and "The Manner of Dress in Schools." Mrs. G. W. Connell gave a talk on "Why Italians Coming to America Become Republicans and Greeks Democrats." Mrs. R. H. Ross spoke on "The World's Greatest Market." Departments of Government under the leadership of Mrs. E. M. Stanton, was an interesting lesson. Excellent papers were given on the lives of Benjamin Franklin by Mrs. Geo. Johnson; Samuel Adams by Mrs. G. C. Streeter, and Thos. Jefferson by Mrs. F. J. Stebbins.

A joint meeting of the Woman's club and the Girls' Community club will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 13.

Musical Section Meets.

The Musical section of the Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. L. F. Fisher on Tuesday evening. An exceptionally fine Russian program had been prepared.

Paper—Miss Una Nelson.

Solo, "Mine, But the Lonely Heart" (Tschaikowsky—Mrs. Fisher.

Piano Solo, "Prelude, G Minor," (Rachmaninoss)—Miss Forde.

Violin Solo, "Legende," (Weiniawski)—Misa Sorenson.

A deicious lunch and social hour followed the program. Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. McKinney and Mrs. Fisher were hostesses.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

Mrs. Ed. Hilson entertained a number of young folks at dinner at her home on Thanksgiving day. The guests included Misses Hildegaard Klebor, Estella Hoyt, Mae Bark and sister Beryl of Duluth and Ralph Falk.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite entertained at dinner at their home on Sunday. The guests included Mrs. M. Aalberg and daughter Florence and ron Leonard and H. Lindberg of Detroit.

Necktie Social.

A Necktie social will be given in School Dist. 94 about two and a half miles north of Wylie, six and a half miles west of St. Hilaire, on Friday, Dec. 10. You are welcome.

Swedish Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. Emil Johnson and Mrs. E. Crown in the church basement Thursday afternoon, Dec. 9.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes entertained Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ostby and Orin and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Larson and daughter Alice at Thanksgiving dinner at their home.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop will leave tomorrow evening for the twin cities where she will attend a meeting of state and district Republican workers to be held Saturday. On Tuesday she will also attend a meeting of representatives from various parts of the state of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Will Expedite Claims.

G. Howard Smith, secretary of the Elmer Eklund Post, will appear before the State Bonus Board on December 18 in connection with bonus claims of legionnaires and ex-service men of Thief River Falls and vicinity. All men who have made claims or who have claims to make are urged to get in touch with Mr. Smith before the 18th so that he can expedite the payment of same where possible. He has also expressed himself as willing to take up with department heads any claims for dental or medical treatment which may have been delayed.

Attends Executive Session.

Morlan H. Bishop of Strathcona attended a session of the executive committee of the state department at St. Paul on Sunday, returning to Strathcona on Tuesday morning. The executive committee, of which Mr. Bishop is a member, representing the northern section of the Ninth Congressional District, call their meetings on Sunday in order to permit a greater attendance of members who reside in outlying districts.

Attended Sale of Wholesale House.

H. O. Loken returned this morning from Chicago where he had been for several days attending the biggest sale ever put on by a wholesale house. Buyers from all over the country were on hand to take advantage of the exceptional offerings and Mr. Loken states that the entire eight floors of the big house of Carson, Pirie, Scott & company were literally packed. Mr. Loken purchased a large quantity of merchandise which will be placed on sale at the popular department store as soon as it arrives.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

FOR RENT—Large front room in modern house. 719 Main Ave. N. 10

LOST—Holstein cow with rope around horns. Disappeared from yard on Sunday. Notify John Baker, 230 Main Ave. S. 9p

LOST—Between Prichard Co., Evelyn hotel and Soo depot, a lady's small leather coin purse, containing bills and silver. Liberal reward for return to Prichard Co. 10

WANTED TO RENT—Five or six room modern house or flat. Call 592 or Mr. Olson at 101. 9p

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 9tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—If taken at once. Model 490 Chevrolet. Paul Nybaggen, 210 Atlantic Ave. 10

FOR SALE—Two outstanding registered Bibby breeding yearling Shropshire rams, weigh 225 lbs. each. Price $35.00 each. Two others, $25.00 each. Northwest Experiment Farm, Crookston, Minn. 9

Don't Give It Away.

Bakken and Sherstad, painting and paper-hanging. Furniture repaired and refinished. Prices reasonable and first-class workmanship guaranteed. We are not beginners, but well established in our trade. Don't give away your old furniture but have it fixed up right. Located under First and Peoples State Bank. Phone 3772 or 2318. D-2

We have about one hundred empty lard barrels which we will sell at $1.50 each. Just the thing for putting up pork. All new barrels. Jung's Quality Bakery. d2

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.29
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.27
Oats	.32
Flax	1.71
Barley	.48
Rye	1.17
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	4.50
Bran	1.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.25
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring Chickens	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.68
Dairy butter	.53
Creamery butter, per lb.	.58
Cow hides, per lb.	.08
Horse hides	4.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	15-16
Veal, dressed, per lb.	10-12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	12-16
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04-.06
Steers, per lb	.05-.06½
Calves, per lb	.06-.08
Cows, per lb	.04-.05

WANTED

To borrow $5000 from private party. Best of security and good rate of interest. Address T. W. A. care of Times.

Divide Your Crop Money

between a checking account and a certificate of deposit.

—a checking account for the money you will pay out for running expenses

—a certificate of deposit for money not needed until spring work opens up. It will earn 4% interest if left on deposit six months, 5% interest if left one year.

First and Peoples State Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Christmas Offerings

At Lambert's

There are ever so many articles you can get here that will make excellent gifts. This list will help you with your Xmas shopping:

- Vocalion Talking Machines
- Kodaks
- Cut Glass
- Silver Ware
- Roll Manicure Sets
- Smoking Stands and Sets
- Thermos Bottles and Leather Cases
- Fountain Pens
- Gold and Silver Pencils
- White Ivory, complete line
- Leather Sets for men
- Military Brushes
- Stationery
- Flash Lights
- Leather Purses
- Bill Folds
- Leather Book Files
- Toilet Sets
- Perfumes and Atomizers
- Christmas Cards
- Vollard Books for Children
- Pipes
- Books Ends
- Kodak Albums
- Kodak Carrying Cases
- Shaving Stands

ROY LAMBERT
Thief River Falls

HURRY!

Three hundred baskets of fresh New York Baldwins and Greenings received—the last shipment to be disposed of this season

$2.25

per bushel basket
Barrel $6.50

Any quantity sold. Try a peck. "Mighti-Good Brand." A Grade Michigan barreled apples in stock.

Fine Holland Cabbage 2½c per lb.
Good quality onions 3c per lb.
Why pay more?

Chas. Fiterman
Building South of Brumund Hotel.

The Times is the Recognized Pennington County Paper

EXTRA SPECIAL!

For Saturday Only

We will sacrifice the items below at drastic reductions, together with our entire stock at a saving of 20 to 50 per cent on every article from handkerchiefs up to fur lined coats. This is positively the biggest closing out price smashing sale ever heard of on the highest grade quality merchandise that money can buy. If for immediate or future use, now is the time to supply your needs at the biggest closing out sale in the history of Thief River Falls.

Astonishing Suit Values

Hart Schaffner & Marx $65.00 to $70.00 Suits. They are beautiful suits of very fine worsteds, the best styles for men and young men. We have been selling them for $65.00, $68.00 and $70.00. Saturday Special

$40.00

One lot of the finest assortment of men's and young men's Suits; all styles; all colors. Priced on the basis of less than next year's figures. Values up to $45.00. Saturday Special

$25.00

One lot of men's Suits, values to $30.00. Saturday Special **15.00**

One lot of men's and young men's Overcoats, Ulsters, Raglans Motor Coats, Dress Coats, many silk lined. Values to $60.00. The greatest money saving opportunity that ever came your way. Saturday Special **35.00**

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS
The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes.

The Christmas Store Grand Opening

COMMENCING Monday, December 6, and continuing daily until Christmas, Loken Brothers' entire store, the great basement toy shop, the entire main floor, and our beautiful gift shop on the balcony, will all be completely ready for the finest, most elaborate showing of gifts Thief River Falls ever saw.

Extra Special News to the Ladies of Thief River Falls and Vicinity:

Commencing Monday, Dec. 6th we will have with us a special Demonstrator direct from the factories of Mme. Isebells Toilet Manufacturing Co. One of the finest lines of toilet preparations on the market. We invite you to come in and see her and receive your share of the free samples that she will distribute.

VISIT
TOYLAND

Monday, Dec. 6th until Christmas, and you will see the finest and largest selection of new American and Foreign Toys that it has ever been our pleasure to spread out in one grand panorama before your eyes. Our Christmas catalog is now in the mails. If you do not receive yours inside of 2 or 3 days let us know and we will gladly supply you with one.

COME TO OUR CHRISTMAS DISPLAY.

Monday, December 6th, will be our opening day on Christmas merchandise of every kind. This opening means that we are ready for the Holiday business; that our stocks are complete and at their very best. On this day you will have the opportunity of seeing displayed under one roof the finest and most complete line of new creations in worthwhile merchandise appropriate for Christmas gifts.

When you see this wonderful display as we have prepared it for you we feel certain that you will agree with us in our assertion that we have eclipsed all previous efforts.

Our basement store is completely filled with toys, dolls, tree trimmings, etc., arranged in the most attractive display that the people of this vicinity have ever seen. Our entire main floor is stocked with high grade lines of merchandise appropriate for gifts of the better sort. Our balcony, with its gift shop, is showing the cleverest new things brought out this season.

We want you to be here with us on Monday, December 6th, and see the abundance of new things that we are showing. We are not urging you to buy; just come and enjoy the display with us. The new and low prices that we have been working hard to bring about mean that your dollar will this year buy more than has been the case for several years, so it seems like good old times.

AS PRICES SLIP BACK TO NORMAL.

There is a changed look on the faces of our store friends, these days—brighter, happier, more enthusiastic, when they see the goods we show and when they learn the new prices.

It seems like years that we had to face the startled look and then the patient expression of tired endurance as prices were quoted on all kinds of goods. We had the same experience every time we went to market. Every price seemed forbidding, and often impossible; but we had to pay the big prices, or fail to supply you with wanted goods. Those have been hard years on all of us.

But now those hard days are past!

We're fighting the way back to Normal in prices, and shopping, this month, is A GENUINE DELIGHT!

We are delighted to have such splendid goods to show you, and such low prices to quote you.

Back in the past is the painful time of "doing without things"; now the enjoyable time is here to POSSESS THE THINGS WANTED SO LONG, and secure them at PRICES IT IS SO GRATIFYING TO PAY.

In every section of our store THE NEW LOWER PRICES RULE. Many goods have been newly bought on the lower basis—others we have reduced in price at once, because we want to GET BACK TO NORMAL PRICES AT ONCE, and are willing to take the big loss that we knew had to come, and be ready to do profitable business again when these goods are gone.

Also, we realize that every dollar we lose becomes A BIG SAVING FOR OUR FRIENDS, and by taking the loss now, our customers may enjoy a full-season's use of the goods, instead of the half season, if we waited until January.

Only a few of the "Back to Normal" offerings are told about on this page. Our entire store is full of splendid economies on just the things you want.

H. O. Loken

New Table Linens for Christmas

The way straight to the heart of wife or mother is through a Gift of Table Linen. Here are some good suggestions.

Imported pure Irish Linen Damask, 72 in. wide at special per yard

$5.95

Gifts of Knit Goods

Especially pretty creations in Knit Goods for the Children. Stop and see them.

Knit Caps in plain and fancy colors and weaves. Warm and practical.

Special Heavy Knit Hockey Caps, each

95c

Children's Outing Flannel Nightgowns, sizes 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, at each

99c

H'dkerchiefs

Handkerchiefs in plain or embroidered designs or initials. Some of silk, others of pure linen. Especially priced at **5c, 10c, 15c, 18c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c and $1.00** and up to Belgian entirely hand made Handkerchiefs, at each

$1.85

AN OCCASION IN WOMEN'S BLOUSES THAT WILL TAKE THE TOWN BY STORM!

We searched the market for weeks, to discover the Blouses that we wanted for this event. We found many excellent groups that came earlier in the month—

But we remained on the watch—

We had this bigger occasion in mind—

And then came the BIG OPPORTUNITY!

Prices broke on several of the groups of Blouses that we had been eagerly watching.

They are among the season's finest models—made of the most fashionable fabrics—in just the wanted colorings, in perfectly delightful assortment!

And then, to think of buying them at such low prices as these:

$12.50 Beautiful Hand Embr. Blouses	$ 9.95
$15.00 Beautiful Hand Embr. Blouses	$12.10
$18.50 Beautiful Hand Embr. Blouses	$13.65
$25.00 Beautiful Hand Embr. Blouses	$16.95

WHAT ARE YOUR HANDS GOING TO MAKE FOR CHRISTMAS?

Perhaps they'll know much better when you clap your eyes on the new things we're showing in our Art Needlework section.

The Stamped Patterns are fascinating—they offer such wonderful possibilities, and the work of creating the finished gift-things is easy for clever fingers, if started in time.

Come and look through the collection tomorrow.

Then too, there is a big range of fancy made-up Ribbon novelties. They are all new and priced especially low.

NOW THE YEAR'S BEST OFFERING OF FINE DRESS SILKS

Splendid news for women who want another handsome gown, or a new sport skirt, or Blouse.

The collection is mostly newly purchased Silks, of every fashionable variety, with especially interesting groups of Black Silks and Satins, and—best news of all—prices are a THIRD TO A HALF LESS THAN THEY HAVE BEEN!

Of course, some of the lots are small, and you'll be best advised to come early, to get widest choice of this remarkable assemblage. These chief groups:

36 in.
Silk Messalines
in all shades. Our $3.50 value, now at yard
$1.65

40 in.
Silk Charmeuse
in all leading new shades. Our $5.00 grade, now at, yard
$2.95

36 in.
Silk Tricolette
in all leading new shades, now at, yard
$1.95

KNIT UNDERWEAR, TOO—PRICES WAY DOWN.

Just in time!

Just the wanted kinds for women and children.

Now three suits for the expected price of two.

No wonder money seems worth so much more than it did a couple of months ago; for every dollar spent in this December Drive is worth twenty-five to fifty cents more than dollars have been worth for a long time.

Ladies' Velastic and Seal Lion $3.00 Union Suits, now on this sale at suit	$1.95
Ladies' gray wool Union Suits, regular $3.50 values, now	$1.95
Ladies' 2-pc. heavy all wool garments, each	$1.95
Misses heavy fleeced Union Suits; all sizes	$1.45

IS THE CHINA CLOSET FULLY READY FOR THE FEAST?

Perhaps a few essential pieces are missing—Plates, Cups and Saucers, or what not?

Every desired sort of tableware is here, from the sumptuous Dinner Set to the simplest tumbler, or tea cup—as few or as many as you need. The new styles, shapes and patterns are shown in a larger array of pleasing designs, much better looking than ever shown during any other Christmas season. We will be very pleased to show you the new ware now.

CHARMING NEW COLLECTION OF SILK UNDER-THINGS.

Daintier and more shapely than ever—and yet, these Silk Undergarments, once counted a luxury, are today quite as necessary to the well-dressed woman's comfort and sense of correctness, as silk stockings or blouses.

The new lines of the garments, the clever lace adornments and the exquisite tints of the tissues, are most fascinating. Yet most women already know that they are the most economical garments in the long run.

Especially worthy of mention are the new hand made Madero and Philliphing Undergarments, beautifully clever new Patterns. Gowns are priced at the new low Prices, **$3.65, $5.95 and $7.50** each Combination Suits and Teddies in the daintiest new designs and especially well worked at the new Prices of, each

$3.95 and $5.00

Hosiery

Brown Heather mixture wool Hose — Ladies' and Misses' izes. A great special at per pair

$1.00

Hosiery is the Gift that solves the problem. One pair or a special Gift box of three or six pairs. Specially priced at pair. $3.75 value at

$2.50

$2.50 values at

$1.58

$1.85 values at

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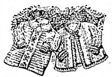

Little Sweater Coats that will keep the cold out and protect the Children's health.

An especial worthy new number, at each

$2.50

LOKEN BROTHERS

THE CHRISTMAS STORE
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Whereabouts of Jones Requested.

Members of the local post and all ex-service men are urged to assist in locating David Jones whose address is given as 102½ First street, Thief River Falls. Anyone having any information as to his whereabouts is re[illegible]ed to get in touch with G. How[illegible] Smith, secretary of the Elmer J. [illegible]und Post, as Mr. Smith has information regarding his bonus claim.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and relatives for the assistance and floral offerings during the illness and after the death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Christine Anton. Particularly do we wish to thank the German Lutheran Ladies Aid and the one in the country.—Mr. and Mrs. Hans Anton and Family.

County Farm Bureau Will Start Drive

(Continued from page 1.)

have requested and are receiving assistance in one form or another during the year. In order to introduce the value of the work to as large a number as possible, the policy of the bureau has been to assist non-members as well as members.

The following summary of the activities of the past year is taken from Secretary McCann's annual report which has just been submitted to the state and national organizations:

Summary.

The Farm Bureau has co-operated with the following organizations:

Holstein Breeders Association.
Bankers Association.
Creameries.
Guernsey Breeders Association.
Livestock Breeders Association.
Fair Association.
Livestock Shipping Association.
Poultry Association.
Educational.
Flood Relief Board.
Public Health Association.
Farmers' and Community Clubs.

The activities of the Farm Bureau in Pennington county may be classified under the following heads: Soils, Crop Production, Livestock, Boys' and Girls' Club Work and General.

Soils.

The Soils Department of the university granted Pennington county twenty-seven experimental plots in the application of phosphate on peat lands as well as on mineral soils. Seventy-two tons of acid phosphate was distributed to the farmers of the county. Demonstrations in the comparison of phosphate, check and manured plots were given.

Crop Production.

Fifteen thousand two hundred bushels of grain were exchanged or secured by farmers through the assistance of the exchange list and Farm Bureau office. Eighteen farmers were assisted in conducting pure seed plots. The grasshopper menace on sixteen farms was successfully checked by poisoning. One hundred acres of sugar beets were planted in the county. The acreage was secured through the Farm Bureau office from the Minnesota Sugar Beet company.

Livestock.

Twenty-six purebred Guernsey and Holstein animals were brought into the county through the assistance of the bureau. Two hundred and ten grades were sold through the exchange list. Two thousand three hundred and forty-nine head of cattle were tested for tuberculosis which makes one hundred and twenty federal accredited herds in the county, the largest number of any county in the United States. Cow testing association was organized. Pennington county stages one of the largest poultry shows in northern Minnesota.

Boys' and Girls' Club Work.

Four hundred boys and girls of the county made a start in club work. Second place was won at the state show by Ruby Conklin in the dairy calf contest.

General.

Assistance given in holding Annual Community picnic. Assisted two hundred farmers with income tax. Two hundred and seventy-five farmers assisted with four hundred and forty-two laborers. Twenty-four thousand dollars worth of business done through the Farm Bureau exchange list. One hundred and five farmers assisted in keeping account books. One thousand five hundred and ninety farm visits made. Four thousand forty-eight office calls relating to county agent work. Seventy-seven meetings held under the auspices of the Farm Bureau. Total attendance at such meetings consists of 9,921. Five boys' and girls' clubs organized with a total membership of 80. One thousand six hundred and fifty letters mailed. One thousand four hundred and seventy-seven telephone calls.

BANK NO. 1305
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

First & Peoples State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOV. 15, 1920.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$514,011.00
Overdrafts			1,592.30
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			400.00
Bonds and Securities other than those of U. S.			39,550.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			50,180.00
Other Real Estate			35,111.88
Checks and Drafts in Transit			3,360.01
Due from other Banks		$ 37,804.71	
Cash on hand		15,456.05	
Currency	$10,384.00		
Gold	1,060.00		
Silver	4,012.05		
Total Cash Assets			53,260.79
Checks and Cash Items			7,457.12
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			12,570.02
[illegible]rance Account			700.02
TOTAL			$718,235.05
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock			$ 75,000.00
Surplus Fund			15,000.00
Reserved for Depreciation on Bonds			13.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable			98,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$200,606.50		
Certified Checks	896.13		
Cashier's Checks	3,050.88		
Due to Banks	11,223.30		
Total Immediate Liabilities	$215,606.61		
Savings Deposits	47,673.16		
Time Certificates	266,882.29		
Total Deposits	$530,222.05		530,222.05
TOTAL			$718,235.05
Amount of Reserve on hand			$ 53,260.79
Amount of Reserve Required by Law			41,607.76

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, H. S. Dahlen, Vice President and R. M. Sheldon, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

H. S. DAHLEN, Vice President.
R. M. SHELDON, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
HALVOR LOKEN.
A. M. SHELDON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of November, 1920.
(SEAL)
DORA HOLMES,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires June 23, 192[illegible]

BANK NO. 1232
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers State Bank

OF MAVIE, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOV. 15, 1920.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$ 68,[illegible].78
Overdrafts			201.45
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			4,550.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			6,056.62
Other Real Estate			4,722.01
Checks and Drafts in Transit			[illegible]
Due from other Banks		$ 4,[illegible]	
Cash on hand:			
Currency	$550.00		
Silver	129.26		
Other	79.27		
Total Cash Assets			5,20[illegible]
Checks and Cash Items			78.18
Total			$ 87,188.55
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock			$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund			2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net			575.44
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable			15,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$22,[illegible].27		
Cashier's Checks	673.13		
Total Immediate Liabilities	$23,[illegible].40		
Time Certificates	36,382.71		
Total Deposits	$ 59,614.11		59,614.11
Total			$ 87,188.55
Amount of Reserve on hand			$ 5,208.86
Amount of Reserve Required by Law			6,272.60

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, O. A. Naplin, President and Thos. H. Smith, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

O. A. NAPLIN, President.
THOS. H. SMITH, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
WALTER E. SMITH.
J. P. CURTIS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of November, 1920.
(SEAL)
WALTER E. SMITH,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Dec. 18, 1926.

BANK NO. 1231
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF HAZEL, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOVEMBER 15, 1920.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$ 98,506.32
Overdrafts			690.82
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			24.67
Bonds and Securities other than those of U. S.			604.13
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,250.00
Other Real Estate			2,015.63
Checks and Drafts in Transit			177.32
Due from other Banks		$ 3,651.95	
Cash on hand:			
Currency	$1,690.00		
Gold	32.50		
Silver	369.16		
Other	76.18		
Total Cash Assets			5,762.73
Checks and Cash Items			81.85
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			1,883.01
TOTAL			$114,103.19
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock			$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund			2,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable			10,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 13,761.20		
Cashier's Checks	532.46		
[illegible] Immediate Liabilities	$ 14,253.66		
[illegible] Deposits	3,570.31		
[illegible] Certificates	74,279.22		
Total Deposits	$ 92,103.19		92,103.19
TOTAL			$114,103.19
Amount of Reserve on hand			$ 5,762.73
Amount of Reserve Required by Law			4,015.19

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Paul Borgie, Vice President and E. O. Karwand, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President.
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
C. W. VORACHEK.
OLE ODEGAARD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Nov. 1920.
(SEAL)
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 29, 1927.

RAIL AND SHOP

Stork Gets Busy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Oden were blessed with the arrival of a baby girl on Thanksgiving morning. Mr. Oden is chief train dispatcher for the Winnipeg division.

A baby girl was born to Operator D. C. Payne and Mrs. Payne on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Richardson spent the week-end at Thief River Falls with relatives. Mr. Richardson is regular agent at Bronson.

Train baggageman, M. A. Gotham, has been transferred to the Minnesota division out of Hankinson. He will work on trains No. 103 and 104 between Hankinson and Glenwood.

Walter Palm, agent at Lankin, N. D., spent Thanksgiving with his parents at Adams.

F. M. Chaffee, agent at Detroit, spent Monday at Wadena.

F. J. Gorman, cashier at Fordville, spent Thanksgiving with his parents at Buffalo, Minn.

Olaf Hull has been employed as carman apprentice.

Paul Nybakken took up his duties as coach-cleaner on Tuesday.

Carman Arthur Berg spent the first of the week in the twin cities on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hugby spent the week end in the twin cities.

Week end travelers were: Mrs. Ed. Hilson to Warren; Walter Jonas to Noyes; Mr. and Mrs. John M. Skog to Bronson; John Ellason to Detroit and O. J. Erickson to Orleans.

G. W. Lewis, general chairman of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, was in Thief River Falls on Monday.

B. Bergstrom has been appointed first trick operator and ticket cashier at Detroit, vice G. B. Evenvold, transferred to Russell, N. D., as regular agent. Mr. Russell relieves A. E. Swan who has been transferred to Loma, N. D., relieving C. W. Stewart who goes to Thief River Falls, there relieving telegraph operator A. L. Chapman. Mr. Chapman will relieve C. W. Ernest, regular agent at Egeland, N. D., who has been granted a leave of absence to be spent in California.

Frank C. Winn has been appointed as helper at Callaway in the place of Mrs. E. J. Yackel, who was temporarily filling the vacancy.

Churches

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services in the English language 10:30 a. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Bible Class meets Thursday 8 p. m. The children in the country who wish to take part in the Christmas program are asked to meet in the schoolhouse Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Christian Science—Services at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at eigh o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Rev. T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. English service, 11 a. m. Norwegian service, 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting at the home of Gilbert Sandum, Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st. Ladies Aid Thursday, Dec. 9th. Confirmation class Saturday, 10 a. m. Choir rehearsal Thursday, 7:30.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class, 10 a. m. Services by Rev. Hjelweland, 11 a. m. Services by Rev. Hjelweland, 8 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday entertained by Mrs. Erickson and Mrs. A. Bredesen. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, 9 p. m., entertained by Mellums. Choir practice Thursday evening, 8 p. m. Rindal congregation and Ladies Aid at Rosewood have business meeting Tuesday, Dec. 7th at 2 p. m. Rindal confirmants read from 1 p. m. to 2 p. m., in church same day.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 5. English services at Grygla at 10 a. m.; German and English services at Esplee at 3 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 12. German services at 10 a. m. English services at 3 p. m. at Germantown. Sunday, Dec. 19. English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. and at Goodridge at 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Dec. 5. 10 a. m., Sunday school. Every teacher and scholar will be needed for the Christmas work. 11 a. m., morning worship. 8 p. m., evening worship. 3 p. m., Junior C. E. 7 p. m., Senior C. E. On Dec. 12 Dr. James Wallace, head of the bible department of Macalester college, St. Paul, will deliver two addresses at the usual hours for public worship. The occasion will be the twentieth anniversary of the organization.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 5th. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at Black River 11 a. m. and St. Hilaire 7:30 p. m. The choir will sing at both places. Prayer meeting Thursdays at 8 p. m. All welcome.

Swedish Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday, at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45 a. m. English services at 7:45 p. m. The Ladies' Aid will be entertained in the church basement Thursday, Dec. 9th, by Mrs. Emil Johnson and Mrs. E. Crown.

One Third of 1920 Tax Levy is Paid By City

(Continued from page 1.)

Falls property owners will pay 89.2 mills on each dollar of assessed valuation, just two tenths of a mill less than last year.

The tax rates for the entire county by school districts follow in tabulated form:

School District Rate.

No. Dist.	Rate.	No. Dist.	Rate.
1	9.	55	19.
2	15.2	56	23.4
3	16.	57	18.4
4	16.	58	12.
5	18.4	59	2.7
6	15.4	60	16.
7	5.5	64	9.5
8	60.7	65	21.6
9	21.7	66	7.3
10	29.2	67	23.7
11	19.5	68	8.4
12	18.5	69	6.7
15	16.	70	25.5
17	5.1	73	16.9
18	40.6	94	10.4
25	13.6	99	4.7
26	19.9	102	54.7
28	10.1	106	8.9
29	4.6	108	16.
30	17.8	124	4.1
31	12.4	125	9.6
33	10.4	127	11.
34	6.8	133	4.2
35	20.3	135	8.2
37	16.	147	11.2
38	11.4	148	9.9
39	16.3	149	8.3
41	12.4	154	7.3
42	12.6	165	8.9
43	8.	166	8.
44	1.4	178	16.
46	20.2	180	5.5
47	8.6	194	13.6
48	18.6	219	10.5
50	14.4	221	19.8
51	16.	227	8.4
52	13.1	228	22.2
53	18.	Ung.	19.1
54	8.6		

Township Rate.

Bray	5.1
Black River	8.1
Cloverleaf	9.5
Deer Park	15.4
Goodridge	9.
Highlanding	13.5
Hickory	14.4
Kratka	12.3
Mayfield	12.3
Norden	8.6
Numedal	7.1
North	8.7
Polk Centre	6.8
Reiner	23.1
River Falls	7.6
Rocksbury	9.
Silverton	13.5
Sanders	8.7
Smiley	6.1
Star	9.1
Wyandotte	11.9
Goodridge Village	27.8
St. Hilaire Village	25.3
Thief River Falls	31.6
Total State Rate	5.42 mills
Total County Rate	11.58 mills

Explanation:—Take the total rate of the county, state and town levy, add it to the school district levy in which the property is located, and multiply the result with the valuation which will give you the consolidated tax. Add to it the special tax if any.

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MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR HONORED DEAD

Thief River Falls Elks Will Conduct Public Memorial Ceremonies Sunday, Dec. 9.

The public is cordially invited to attend the memorial services for the honored dead of the Thief River Falls Lodge of Elks which will be held at the Masonic hall on Sunday afternoon December 5. Services will start promptly at 3:30 p. m. J. H. Hay, former superintendent of the city schools and himself an Elk, will deliver the address of the occasion.

The annual memorial services held by the many lodges of Elks have taken on an added significance since the close of the war. H. L. Anderson, better known as "Heine" died while in the military service at Jefferson Barracks. The roll of honored dead of Thief River Falls lodge No. 1308 B. P. O. E. is as follows: K. O. Dock, George G. Johnson, J. H. McKinney, M. C. Cutter, A. J. Gorman, C. A. Pitkin, H. G. Hieber, H. L. Anderson, W. W. Pierce and Glen Blawd.

The following program has been arranged for the service:

Introductory March—Elks' orchestra.
Opening Ceremonies—Elks' Lodge.
Prayer—E. M. Bennes, Chaplain.
Piano solo, Selected—Miss Laura Forde.
Services by Lodge.
Song, "Vacant Chair"—Elks' Quartette.
Exercises by Officers of Lodge.
"Largo", Handel—Elks' orchestra.
Memorial Address—J. H. Hay.
Vocal Solo, "Fear Not, O Israel"—Mrs. *Irma Mallory Fisher.*
Intermezzo, Cavalleria Rusticana—Elks' orchestra.
Song, "Auld Lang Syne"—Elks' Lodge.
Closing Ceremonies—Elks' Lodge.

Locals and Stars Meet in Clash Over Maples

Bowling is proving one of the popular forms of exercise with the coming of cooler weather and several teams have been formed, while others are going thru preliminary work-outs.

On Thanksgiving day the Thief River Locals rolled a game with the Thief River Stars with the following results:

Locals			
Carlson	175	177	143—495
C. Olson	143	148	125—426
Holt	168	156	169—493
Provencher	149	147	166—462
Manther	146	146	117—409
Total			2285
Stars			
L. Olson	169	174	155—498
Ryer	198	148	130—476
Finsand	128	143	200—471
Perkins	162	165	123—450
Fry	121	103	113—337
Total			2232

Another unfinished game was rolled by the Locals with the Stantons. This resulted in a score for the two heats of 1234 to 1884 in favor of the Locals. In this game Provencher of the Locals knocked down 167 and 240 maples.

The Locals are willing to take on the fastest team of the city and there is a possibility that teams from neighboring cities will meet here.

Theressa Althoff.

Theressa Althoff, second youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Althoff, who reside three miles west of this city, died Nov. 21, from an operation for gallstones and abscess. At the time of her death Theressa was 17 years old. She was born at Waubay, S. D., and came here with her parents eight years ago. Funeral services were held Nov. 27 at St. Bernard's Catholic church. She leaves to mourn her loss her parents and six brothers and two sisters, whose names are August, Henry, Joseph, Edward, Susan at home and F. W. Althoff, Winona; Mrs. Joe Tuholsky, Pequot and F. J. Althoff, Coldsprings, all of whom were in attendance at the funeral.

Hardware Hits Toboggan.

A large ad on the last page of this issue of The Times calls attention to a great price-slashing sale of hardware at Hall Brothers store. These merchants are close students of market conditions and are the first hardware men in this vicinity to reduce their prices in accordance with the new order of things—prices in particular.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved daughter and sister.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Althoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Althoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Tuholsky, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Althoff, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Althoff and family. D-2-p

Bible Chautauqua Meetings.

For about six thousand years Satan has been actively engaged in a soul destroying work. On Sunday evening Dec. 5th at 7:45, the subject at the Chautauqua hall will be: "The Devil's Vacation, When Will it Commence?" We invite the Scandinavian public to attend. Stereoptican pictures.

AT THE HOTELS

Mrs. E. G. Gustafson and daughter Elfreda, Strathcona; W. R. Holbrook, Warren; M. C. Hanson, Middle River; J. A. Witasik, Lankin; I. A. Larson, Crookston; J. Johnson, Lancaster; Elmer Sandberg, Lancaster; A. Carlson, Middle River; Elsie Skarp, Karlstad; May Wildes, Goodridge; Ethel Turnwall, Karlstad; E. Kloppe, Newfolden; J. H. Gjelhaug, Baudette; Louise Larson, Oklee; C. E. Fjeld, Oslo; Helen Loen, Halma; J. Gossman, Oklee; Ethel Pillstrom, Warren; Alfred Benson, Trail; Lillie Rierson, Strandquist; John Severson, Strandquist; Art Erickson, Grygla; J. W. Nelson, Crookston; O. E. Gulden, Henning; Mrs. S. Myrum, Oklee; M. Aasrud, Grygla; J. C. Burke, Bemidji; S. Omlid, Erie; E. M. Johnson, Halma; Harry Halvorson, Goodridge; W. R. Nelson, Bemidji; H. Bolstad, Kratka; Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy, Middle River; H. Hovet, Gully; A. E. Hall, Plummer; Emil Olson, Strandquist; D. Robinson, Argyle; P. A. Thompson, Strandquist; Wm. Forsberg, Warren; Berger Sjoquist, Strandquist; P. Gillishammer, Halma; O. M. Hanson, Mahnomen; A. T. Anderson, Strandquist; Ed. Ristau, Mavie; F. L. Stromberg, Strandquist; John Ristau, Mavie; Ed. Ramstad, Strandquist; Marie Lundberg, Adams; LeRoy Anderson, Strandquist; Louis Nystrum, Roseau; A. B. Pierson, Karlstad; M. Sneby, Newfolden; Bibli Christenson, Goodridge.

Masonic all, First of Season, on December 10

Masonic Lodge No. 236 will give their first dance of the season on Friday evening, Dec. 10, at the Masonic hall. The St. Hilaire orchestra, consisting of piano, violin, saxaphone and drums, will furnish the music. A buffet luncheon will be served.

A large crowd is expected and because of limited floor space it has been necessary to confine attendance to Masons, their wives, mothers, sisters, daughters and Eastern Star ladies and their husbands.

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Waffles

2 cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
1½ cups milk
2 eggs
1 tablespoon melted shortening

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together; add milk to yolks of eggs; mix thoroughly and add to dry ingredients; add melted shortening and mix in beaten whites of eggs. Bake in well-greased hot waffle iron until brown. Serve hot with maple syrup. It should take about 1½ minutes to bake each waffle.

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Alumni—Mildred Bottleson, Rose Odd.
Miscellaneous—Lester Coyle, Esther Soards.

Editorial.

What encourages the publishers of the "Progress" more than anything else is the favorable criticism of those who have graduated from this school in former years,—people who can look back to the time when they were students here and compare it to the high *school life portrayed in this publication.* Letters like the following make us feel that we have really accomplished something. We realize that the "Progress" has its shortcomings, but the fact that an alumnus way out in the western rim of the continent is keeping in touch with her Alma Mater school thru the medium of our paper, makes us feel that we have at least partly succeeded.

Nampa, Idaho
Route 2
Nov. 14, '20.

The Staff of the "Progress", Thief River Falls High School, etc.
Friends:—

Aren't you proud to be responsible for the first Lincoln Weekly? I'm sure you are, for the "Progress" is quite an achievement and certainly a progression. It must be great to have a course in journalism—it makes the school more citified, I think, and it gives the literary aspirants-to-fame a chance to receive the best criticisms—that of friends.

I write to say that I enjoy reading your page in the Times for I know most of you, in spite of the fact that I was a senior when you present seniors were "frosh" and I'm still sufficiently interested in old Lincoln High to want to hear all about you all.

May the "Progress" grow and prosper.

Take a word of advice from one who knows, ye who are members of the "Prowler" staff—don't leave everything until the last minute or even the last month! It does not pay. Blessed be the name of "Prowler!"

Perhaps you will and perhaps you won't, be interested in glancing thru the paper of a real wild and woolly western college. I think some of the editorials are especially fine. If any of you are curious as to what this often-mentioned "Oregon Spirit" is, come to our U. of O. and see. It's indefinable, but it is wonderful and powerful.

With very best wishes for a successful year in all activities, I am

Sincerely,
FLORENCE FASEL, '18.

Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Jeanette VanRich stood before her mirror. She had just returned from her drive out to the club house. She wore a broad brimmed blue hat to match her dress. Dark brown curly hair peeped out from under the hat. Her eyes were brown and large and her cheeks were rosy. Her dress was blue satin, heavily embroidered. She carried a fur jacket in her right arm. To complete her costume, she wore silk stockings and beautiful sport oxfords.

She had had a busy day. Her maid had awakened her early so that she might attend Thanksgiving services at her church. After services she drove over to Maybelle's for lunch. Then came the drive to the club and now she must get dressed for the dinner at Mrs. VanSwell's.

While Miss Jeanette was enjoying herself in one way, Mary and John Major were spending theirs in another way. Mrs. Major had awakened Mary and John at eight o'clock, a little later than usual. After breakfast the children did their chores—Mary helping with the housework and John doing the outdoor chores. Then their mother told them to run along while she prepared the Thanksgiving dinner. When they returned their dinner was already on the table. The children took their places and grace was said. There was roast chicken with dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, rolls, cranberry jelly and pumpkin pie. This dinner had cost Mrs. Major almost all her hard-earned money. It was a feast for the children and they were so delighted that she soon forgot the cost. After dinner the children went coasting. It was getting dark but Mary wanted one more slide. She jumped on her sled and over the hill it began to glide. She was half-way down when suddenly she hit a rock and the sled turned over. Mary cried out and then lay still. Everybody ran towards her. John managed to get her on the sled and pulled her home. Mrs. Major ran out to meet them wondering what the excitement was. She lifted Mary and taking her in the house, laid her on her bed. A doctor was needed but Mrs. Major had no money.

"Mother," said John, "let me go down town, I'll begin selling papers now. Sometimes the men give me extra money. Perhaps I can earn enough for a doctor. Be patient mother and I shall succeed." With this John left his mother and sister.

"Dr. Black," announced Marie, Jeanette's maid.

"Tell him I'll be down in a moment. He may wait in the library," and with this Miss Jeanette went on with her toilet.

Fifteen minutes later Miss Jeanette entered the library and Dr. Black arose to greet her. He had never seen her look so lovely. Soon they started for Mrs. VanSwell's.

"Just a moment, Miss VanRich. I see John a poor little boy and I'd like to give him a little money. I wish I could do something more for the child. He looks so down-hearted," and he stopped his car.

"What's the matter, John? Here's a dollar. Get something you want," said Dr. Black.

"Oh, Dr. Black! I'll take the money this time. Do you suppose a doctor would charge more to fix my sister's broken leg?" asked John.

"Why son, has your sister a broken leg?" asked the doctor. "I'll come and fix it. Miss VanRich, I'll drive you over to Mrs. VanSwell's and then come back. I hope you won't mind."

"Oh, don't make me go to the party! I'd much rather go with you, please," pleaded Miss Jeanette.

"If you insist you may go. Jump in, John, and show us the way," commanded Dr. Black.

Within five minutes they reached the house. Upon entering John led Dr. Black into the bedroom. There Mary lay on her little bed, a quilt thrown over her. The bedroom was very plain. The wall paper was a light blue and worn. Pictures cut from magazines adorned the walls. A small table with a kerosene lamp stood in the farthest corner. In another corner was an old chair. A rag rug was spread on the painted floor in front of the bed. Dr. Black asked Miss Jeanette to wait in the parlor for him. He then closed the door. On the back of it were nails where Mary hung her dresses.

When Dr. Black left the room John hurried past him to his mother. Miss Jeanette motioned Dr. Black to follow her. They left the house quickly and quietly and the auto sped thru town to Miss Jeanette's home. Here she explained that she had given the child a check for one thousand dollars. "You are a wonder Jeanette," praised Dr. Black.

That evening when Dr. Black left the house his step was lighter and he was in a happy mood. Jeanette had accepted his proposal. It seemed that everybody was happy. Even Mrs. Major fearing the money to be charity, was thankful that her son had in his possession one thousand dollars.

Letter Shows Interest.

"Tuff River Falls, Minn.,
Lincoln High School

Dear Brother Jim:

You know Jim, this high school is some place. This is my first year and I'm called a Freshman, because I'm so hard-boiled, I guess. I always wondered why this school was called the Lincoln high school, so I asked a Sophomore the other day. He said it was called the Lincoln high school because Lincoln used to go to school here and it's called a high school because it is higher than any of the other schools. Then he laughed and that is all he said.

I went to a football game the other day and it's scandalous. I'll tell you how they play it. A whole bunch of fellers gets on both sides and stands on their hands and feet and then some guy starts yelling algebra, or arithmetic or somethin' and one fella throws the ball to some other fella and then everybody tries to kill the guy that's got the ball. Ya' know one guy got his stomach hurt and another got a headache and had to stop fighting. The whole mob would land on top of the poor feller with the ball and some guy would blow a little whistle and run out and pull them off from the guy with the ball. I didn't stay for the whole fight because I couldn't stand it any longer.

We had chapel one day last week and I thought we'd have to pray or somethin' so I skipped, but a Junior told me to be contrary was a superfulous coincidence, whatever that was and it made me scared so I went to chapel today. The basketball manager got up and raved for awhile and then called on the students to speak. They called me to speak and I got up and told 'em what a good class we had and how many cows we had on the farm and you should have heard them clap. I'll say it was some speech. Everybody looked at me while the rest were speaking. Oh, they know a good speaker when they see one.

I got a girl now too, her name is Tillie. She's got red hair and she's cross-eyed but gosh, she's pretty; she likes me too, don't see how she can help it. I'm pretty good-looking ya' know, 'cause a Senior told me so. All the girls like me but I just don't pay any attention to them.

The music teacher tested my voice today; I bet you she's figuring on having me sing. She says I'm a ten or eleven, I forget which. Well she knows a good singer too. Well I gotta quit now and study latin, you otta hear me talk latin; I can talk it better'n anyone in school I bet. It sounds a lot like swearin'. Most of the presidents spoke latin, so I'll bet Im going to be a president some day. Well, so-long Jim.

Yours respectfully,
OLAF JOHNSON.

Masquerade Party.

Yoo-Hoo Skinny, C'mon over and get all dressed up for the big all high school and faculty masquerade that is going to be given at the city auditorium Friday, Dec. 3rd, from 7:30 to 11:00 o'clock.

Everything from funny-faced Yama Yamas to Gentlemen of Colonial Days are anticipated. This, the greatest social event of the season, outside of the Junior-Senior banquet, has been an anticipation for the past few weeks and is at last a realization.

Each and everyone is expected to come masked and after a few numbers of entertainment which will be given by the teachers of the various schools of the city and also by the four classes in high school, all will form into a grand march and be judged as to the funniest and best boy and girl costume, for which worth while prizes will be awarded. Immediately after the grand march everyone will unmask and after a few numbers of dancing, will indulge in a delicious lunch and retire to their respective homes.

Debate Tryout.

The team which is to represent the Thief River Falls high school in the Minnesota Debating League was chosen from the debate forum Tuesday night, Nov. 23rd.

The tryout was held in the high school assembly. Each member gave a five-minute speech on one side of the state question, "Resolved, that the open shop is preferable to the closed shop in our own industrial system." The speeches were judged by Supt. Ziegler, Rev. Barackman and County Attorney Quale. The contestants who were given places on the team are: Vernon Copp, Herbert Johnson, Lester Coyle, Edward Fiterman and Esther Soards. Each school is allowed three regulars and two alternates.

The Thief River Falls high school is a member of the Minnesota Debating League. The state is divided into ten districts, equal to the congressional district. In the Ninth district in which Thief River Falls is located, there are ten debating teams. These teams will meet in elimination contests until one team remains undefeated. This team will then be district champion and will debate the champions of the other nine districts for the state championship.

It was for the purpose of selecting the debaters who are to represent the team in these contests that the tryout was held. We have fine material for a debating team and with proper preparation and support of the student body, the team should continue a long way on the journey of elimination.

Football Banquet.

The local high school pigskin warriors held their annual get-to-gether banquet on Tuesday at six o'clock in the Commercial club rooms.

No one who attended can complain of anything but perhaps a severe attack of over-eating which goes to make us believe that it is the cause for the numerous absences noticed in the auditorium on Wednesday morning.

The tables were nicely arranged and much to our disgust Mr. Bourbon centered the table with a very predominating sign hanging from his neck which read as follows: "Do not handle."

Toastmaster Smithers opened the delicious and elaborate dinner with a few interesting remarks concerning the past season; a toast, a wish of good luck and victory for the next year's team.

Throughout the dinner the District Champs discussed the possibilities of next year and adopted the slogan, "Get Big Bemidji."

After the last course was served, Supt. Ziegler was called on and gave a very interesting and exceptionally good talk on the future possibilities of the young man of today. Mr. Pierce entertained us in his usual good form with a review of the season and mentioned a few of the individual characteristics of our team on the gridiron.

Ex-Captain Barzen was next to be called to the floor and lived up to his already well-established standard as an orator.

Coach Tommeraasen gave out the official list of letter men for the past year as follows: Anderson, Capt. Barzen, Bjornaraa, Doland, Evenson, Fossum, Herron, Halverson, Holmgren, LaDree, McDaniel, Penney, Smithers, Sundahl and Zeh.

A meeting of the letter men was then called for the purpose of selecting a captain for the next year and without any hesitation Charles Herron, our star line-man was crowned king of the pigskin warriors for '21. As customary, Captain-elect Herron was called on for a speech and carried out this act with much care and gave a brief but interesting talk on his desire to make Thief River Falls the next year's state champions.

The well-spent evening was then closed by singing "The End of a Perfect Feed" and three rousing cheers for the success and good luck of our coming '21 team.

Senior Candy Sale.

The Seniors were in distress up to last Wednesday, financially, when it was decided to hold a home-made candy sale. All Seniors were given a choice of buying the candy or the sugar and a large quantity of sugar was brought. A number of girls of the Senior class "went to it" and some fine candy was turned out. Everything was held in readiness when the dismissal bell was sounded. The candy was soon disposed of and a net profit of something over fifteen dollars was realized. The money is to be used in buying photo supplies for the 1921 Prowler.

Supper Served.

On Friday Nov. 23rd, at the Lincoln high school, the Freshmen girls in the two cooking classes, assisted by Miss Johnson, entertained themselves with a supper. It was served in three courses, the first consisting of mashed potatoes, pork roast and brown gravy, Parker House rolls, pickles and jelly. The second course, consisted of apple la salade and crackers; the third of steamed pudding la sauce and cocoa. The cooking girls commenced to prepare their supper immediately after school and it was reported that the supper was well worth the time spent in preparation.

The dining room was artistically decorated in yellow and black and three tables were set for the supper. After supper was served the remainder of the evening was spent in conversation and story-telling in which the guests, Misses Poppitz and Brown, contributed their share in the entertainment.

Personals.

Jordan Penney, Ernest Zeh and "Curly" McDaniel visited school at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon.

The various students who have been at their respective homes for Thanksgiving are all back to their studies.

August Langseth reports that Macbeth has had another interview with the witches.

The moon was full last night—lucky moon.

Did Harold S. get notes on the concert Thursday night? We'll say so—he got every note they played.

Miss Maebelle Swanson visited at her home in St. Hilaire over the week end.

Miss Lillian Poppitz and Miss Irene Patrick were week-end guests at a house party given by Miss Alice Peterson at her home in Crookston.

Anthony Fisher returned Saturday from his home at Greenbush where he spent his vacation with relatives.

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn left Thursday morning for Viking to spend their vacation at their home. they returned Monday evening.

Miss Avis Akre, former instructor in high school, spent her Thanksgiving vacation with her parents here. She has returned to Little Falls to resume her work as teacher in high school.

We are all wondering why the changes in the hair dressing that has taken place in school the last week or two.

Mr. Melby in industrial history discussing the trip of Leif Erickson when he discovered America: "The boat in which he made the trip was small and propelled by sets of oars. But considering this he made good progress across the Atlantic."

Curly: "He must have worked the crews in eight hour shifts."

All Guilty.

Mr. Ziegler, speaking to assembly: "Immediately after I am through talking I want to see two boys who have been cutting up and giving poor attention. I will not mention their names but I expect them to see me."

"Immediately after," quite a crowd was assembled.

Little Kermit's Notebook.

One night about eight o'clock, on a Saturday night, Clifford and I went on top of Oen's store and one of the clerks followed us up there and locked the door and went out and called the cop, who was Kelly. When we found out the door was locked we went all over the building looking for a place to go down on and in the alley way, in one little corner of the building, there were about twenty insulated wires which we went down on, but it sure made me shiver but we got down all the same because we did not want Kelly to catch us for he had it in for Clifford and me.

Kapers of the Kubs.

Violet: "Didn't Shakespeare write "Ibsen's Doll House?"

Miss Patrick: "There are many magazines of a lower tone, for instance the "Argosy," "Thrill Book," and "The Black Cat."

Edward: "And the Red Nose."

Miss Patrick: "What? I'll admit that's a new one on me! Where did you hear of it?"

Edward: "Oh, that's one I made up myself."

Mr. Pierce: "This debating team will represent Thief River High Falls."

Found on Public Speaking paper: "First in preparing a speech is the choicing of subject."

Jordan to Mildred: "Pardung Mademoiselle."

Brilliant Bob: "Oh, how do you do?"

What They Remind Us Of.

Adlynn L.—Mavis Face Powder.
John Hendry—Rexall Hair Tonic.
Sybil McGinn—A Harper's Bazaar Model.
William McGinnity—Chesterfields.
Stella Williams—Bonnie B Hair Nets.
Harold Smithers—A Boiled Dinner.
Anna Leimers—Pepsodent Tooth Paste.
Allison Stitt—Krumbles.
Mary Vance—A Book Worm.
Anna Majeres—Jap Rose Soap.
Robert McGinn and Herbert Keene—Hans and Fritz.
Myrtle Helgeland—Firecrackers.
Lorraine Crandall—Tennis Champion.
Betty Vance—A Middy Blouse.

Anna L. (at the poultry show looking at a goose): "Who is that?"

Mr. Pierce in Public Speaking class: "There is quite a bit of that cowboy spirit this morning. What is the matter?"

Harold S.: "What cowboy is that?"

Appeal For King Knute.

"King Knute" and his "Queen Marguerite" have made remarks to the effect that they will be forced to abdicate from their "Joke Kingdom" because of lack of support. They have come to the sad conclusion that it is more of a "yoke" than a "joke."

Therefore, students of Lincoln high school, give them your "joke" so that their "yoke" may be lessened and the kingdom prosper.

(If you don't know who "King Knute" is, I refer you to one of Poe's works in the preceding issue of the program.)

Contestants for the Red River Declamatory and Oratorial contest are taking keen interest in their work and predictions point toward a banner year in that department. This is the fifth annual contest and keener competition will exist than at any other period. The tryout will take place the latter part of the week and those intending to compete should see Mr. Pierce. It is an acknowledged truth that the experience gained thru *public speaking* will be of more value and will produce bigger dividends to the individual than any subject in high school and it is hoped that a great number will take advantage of this opportunity. Try out for Declamatory or Oratory and—do it now!

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The NEW EDISON *"The Phonograph with a Soul"*

Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Farmers Discuss Market Situation.

A farmers' meeting was held at the Rosebank school building last Saturday evening to discuss the present market conditions of grain and livestock which are at present in a very unsatisfactory condition and with but slight prospects for being remedied until the present crop has been disposed of. Swen Swenson, who has been investigating the conditions in this state, in a short talk compared grain conditions here to that in Oklahoma, Texas, Kansas and Nebraska, where the Federal Wheat Growers association has control. Practically the only hope held out for a remedy was a organization of this state similar to those above, when the farmers like other industrial branches can control the sale and price of their products and eliminate the wholesale gambling now carried on along these lines.

Young Peoples Society Meets.

The Rindal Young Peoples society held their monthly meeting at that church on Thanksgiving afternoon with a fair sized assemblage. A high grade program including a number of juvenile selections and considerable music and singing was presented and a dainty luncheon was served at the close. The next meeting will be held at the same place on the afternoon of January first. The December meeting of the Ladies' Aid will meet at the church in connection with the annual *meeting of the congregation on Tuesday*, Dec. 7, in the afternoon when lunch will as usual be for sale.

To Elect Officers.

The first regular meeting of the Rosewood Farmers club will be held at the Rosebank school house on Friday evening, Dec. 10. The club activities will be re-organized at this meeting, a new form of membership will be inaugurated and election of president, vice president, secretary and treasurer will take place. No program will be given, but lunch will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson entertained about thirty of their friends and neighbors at a Thanksgiving party at their home northwest of town last Thursday evening. The evening was delightfully spent, the chief diversions being music, conversation and dancing. A dainty luncheon was served at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson at their home in town entertained six guests on Thanksgiving evening, the time being happily spent at conversation and the partaking of a delicate ten o'clock luncheon. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck, Lyle and Harold Mosbeck, Mary and Joel Shoberg.

Services will be held next Sunday Dec. 5, at the Congregational church in town at 10:30 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Rev. W. Drotts of Viking will preach.

Jim Rafteseth, who has been employed as dredging engineer near Pipestone this summer, arrived home on Monday morning for a month's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth.

Misses Bertha and Goldie Remmem of Thief River Falls arrived here on Friday morning for a between train visit with the A. Gullseth folks.

Fifty-six books arrived on Monday morning from the state department of education for the traveling library branch at this place and have been placed for public service at the Farmers State bank. Mrs. A. S. Holm, the librarian, will gladly lend any of these books without cost to anybody within the community applying for same between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week. Six books are in the Scandinavian language, 30 of fiction for adults and 20 for more youthful readers.

The following were Thanksgiving callers at the J. E. Hellquist home: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son Erle from Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hellquist and family of Newfolden, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter, Irma of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jensen, natives of Montana, who have been spending a month visiting with the Ted Thompson folks of this place, returned on Thanksgiving morning from a visit to Pennington county. Mrs. Jensen is a sister of Mr. Thompson.

Mrs. Severt Benson and two sons of Thief River Falls, spent Friday at this place as guests with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

Albert Stengelson, a Thief River Falls student, arrived here on Thursday morning to spend the remainder of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem spent Thanksgiving visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard and family at Viking.

Miss Gladys Sagmoen left on Thursday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit with Elsie Vorseth over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crown of Thief River Falls passed Thanksgiving with the Axel Kron family, south of town, returning home on Thursday evening.

Misses Mina and Tena Westby returned home from Thief River Falls Tuesday morning where they have been visiting with relatives for a few days.

Miss Amy Whitman, who teaches school east of Warren, arrived here on Wednesday evening to spend the holidays with her parents east of town.

Enoch Nelson of Anita was in town last Monday looking over several city lots with the intention of purchasing if suited.

The local young people have been busy evenings the last week attending dancing parties at Viking, and social doings at the Columbia and Sunshine school districts.

The local Farmers club last week closed a deal with the Hanson & Barzen Milling company for about 125 sacks of flour for their members. The flour arrived on Monday morning and has been distributed through the local plant at Rosewood.

Martin Evenson accompanied Rev. Geo. Larson to Thief River Falls last Thursday where he will remain over Sunday to attend the mission meetings at the Zion church.

Mesdames Lars Thompson and K. Ranum and Ingrid Nordhagen spent the week-end at Thief River Falls to visit with friends and attend the meetings.

Peder Sorenson left on Thursday morning for Angus, where he will visit until Saturday with his daughter, Mrs. Abe Stroble and family.

Axel Axelson left on Monday morning for Warren where he is a member of the grand jury for the fall term of the district court.

Axel Bloom of town of Rocksbury, spent Thursday and Friday at this place to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom.

Thor Sevaldson left on Thursday morning for Warren where he expects to be employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Flann and son, Marshall, former residents of this place but now of Thief River Falls, attended Thursday's Y. P. S. at the Rindal church and to visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and family motored up last Thursday to enjoy Thanksgiving with Mr. Carlson's mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson in town.

A brother and sister of Mrs. Simon Gullseth arrived here on Monday from Oklee and will spend a few days visiting with the latter.

Miss Mable Rogers, who teaches school near Stephen, left on Monday morning for that place to resume her duties, after spending the holidays with her folks out east.

Geneva and Oliva Swenson left on Saturday for Thief River Falls where they will spend several days visiting with their aunt, Mrs. Severt Brandon.

Iver Westby, Jr., of Goodridge, was in town last Monday calling on his parents before leaving for Baudette where he will spend the winter cutting poles and ties on his land.

ST. HILAIRE

George Biskey, rural carrier on Route One returned Wednesday from Buffalo, Minn., where he was called by the illness of his father. Though somewhat improved his father is still in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jackson and little son of Crookston, were Thanksgiving guests at the H. O. Jackson home.

Mrs. Dickenson, a former resident of St. Hilaire, now residing at Minneapolis, arrived last week for a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Mortenson.

L. A. Westphal was a business caller at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph La Plante and daughter and Mrs. Thomas La Plante, returned Friday to their home at Crookston after a short visit at the Hans Wilson home.

Art Hendrickson was in Thief River Falls Friday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Announcements were received by friends and relatives of the marriage of Miss Mabel C. Erickson and Eddie J. Eide at Duluth on Thursday, Nov. 25. The young couple are well known here, the bride being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson and the groom an adopted son of the late Peter Peterson, both of River Falls township. The newlyweds will reside at Superior where the groom is employed.

Miss Ella Olsen returned Wednesday to her home at Grand Forks, N. D., where she has been employed the past few months as stenographer at the Merchants State bank.

Dr. J. F. Sprafka and Ed. Erickson returned last week from a hunting trip in the northern part of the state. Each secured a deer.

Fred Gunstad, formerly employed with the Times at Thief River Falls, spent Thanksgiving with his mother, returning to Grand Forks Thursday evening, where he is now employed by the American.

Miss Effie Fredrickson returned on Sunday to Bronson, where she is employed in teaching, after spending Thanksgiving at the O. W. Brink home.

Martin Loberg was a Thief River Falls caller Saturday.

Ole Skotton arrived last week from Wolf Point, Mont., for an indefinite visit with his father, H. O. Skotom.

The Misses Rose and Lilly Gunstad and Effie Fredrickson were Thief River Falls shoppers Saturday.

Miss Ellen Nelson returned Monday to Thief River Falls where she attends school after spending the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Olaf Nelson and Mrs. Oscar Carlson, accompanied by their sister, Mrs. Stenrude of Thief River Falls, returned Friday from Red Lake Falls where they spent Thanksgiving with their sister, Mrs. Art Steele.

Mauritz Brink of Thief River Falls spent Thanksgiving at the home of his parents, returning Friday morning.

The Misses Lilly and Rose Gunstad returned Monday to their duties as teachers, the former to Mulung, the latter to Leonard, after spending Thanksgiving with their mother, Mrs. A. Gunstad.

Miss Olga Lindquist who teaches in the public schools of Thief River Falls, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist of Bray township.

Mrs. Stenrude, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. O. Nelson, returned to her home at Thief River Falls Saturday after visiting relatives here and at Red Lake Falls. Mrs. Nelson returned here Saturday evening.

Miss Selma Maland, who teaches at Hendrum, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Maland.

The Misses Eleanor Anderson and Lois Forbes, teachers in the public schools spent Thanksgiving at Brainerd, the home of the former, returning here Monday.

Miss Lilly Boehm returned to Crookston Saturday to take up her duties as teacher, after spending the week-end with her sister, Mrs. R. J. McKercher.

Joseph Hauge left Monday via the Great Northern for Spokane, Wash., for an indefinite stay at the home of his brother-in-law, August Bergh. If satisfied with the West Mr. Hauge intends locating there. In the meantime Mrs. Hauge and child will remain here as the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson.

A. F. Hall returned Monday via the Soo from Minneapolis, where he spent the latter part of the week.

Miss Elsie Randorf left Saturday for Red Lake Falls where she is engaged in teaching school, after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Randorf.

Miss Selma Hoff, the local postmistress, accompanied by Miss Edla Hallstrom of Black River, returned Saturday evening over the Soo from Cass Lake, where they visited friends and relatives over Thanksgiving.

Miss Esther Hovet returned Monday to Moorhead, where she attends the normal school, after spending the week-end at the parental home.

J. A. Heldon of Oslo is managing the sale at Nelson Bros. store this week, J. N. Schnitz having left for Listown, N. D., his home.

Rev. Eugene Rateaver, a native of Madagascar, gave a very interesting talk on life in the heathen country at the Norwegian Lutheran church Monday afternoon. He spoke both in the Norwegian and English languages. Many turned out to hear him.

Mrs. K. T. Dalager returned Saturday from Battle Lake, where she visited with friends and relatives.

Emil Enerude arrived the fore part *of the week from Cadillac, Sask.*, Canada, and is visiting friends and relatives.

GOODRIDGE

Following is the list of patrons receiving $25 and over for Month of October: Stuart McLeod, $108.61; O. N. Urdahl, $83.52; C. A. Jornson, $65.01; Emil Sigdrug, $56.11; S. A. Hermanson, $50.72; John S. Johnson, $49.68; John S. Miller, $46.38; M. Nutnansky, $42.74; E. L. Peterson, $38.12; Morgan Vaughan, $37.97; J. H. Clausen, $37.87; Nick Urdahl, $35.85; A. R. Nelson, $35.73; John Lamporter, $31.31; H. Hegstrom, $34.23; Sever Severson, $31.86; Ole Nelson, $28.17; Alex Magee, $27.37; Herman Kiesow, $26.30; O. K. Olson, $25.75; O. N. Olson, $25.72; F. A. Zavoral, $25.00.

The second lyceum number that was to be given Monday evening was postponed until Thursday evening.

A meeting of the Community club will be called in a few days. A good speaker will be secured.

Jog. Rivet, who lives in Eckvol township, was in town Wednesday enroute to Duluth for a visit.

Jack Davis of Four Towns, was in town Wednesday on business.

Mrs. R. P. Turnbull returned Friday from a visit in the twin cities.

E. Jensen of Highlanding, returned Friday from Thief River Falls.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and son, Raymond, were in Thief River Falls Saturday shopping.

A. B. Mandt was a business caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

W. J. LaBree was in town Monday enroute to Grygla.

Wm. Gaylord was in Thief River Falls Saturday on business.

Miss Ruby Jensen went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening to visit friends over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Clemetson was in town Monday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Morgan Christianson was a Thief River Falls caller Monday.

K. A. Sundahl, the Overland agent from Thief River Falls, was in town Monday between trains.

Fred Solley returned Monday from a visit to Hallock.

~~Miss Christine Vakke went to Thief River Falls Monday.~~

Miss Harriet Millard returned to Lancaster Saturday evening after spending the Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her cousin, Mrs. R. H. McDonald.

Marshall Race arrived home Wednesday evening to spend his Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Louise Besancon returned to her school duties Monday after spending her vacation at home.

Prof. B. O. Norby returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls where he spent the week-end.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson returned to Thief River Falls Monday where she attends high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peterson were passengers to Thief River Falls Friday.

John Nystol returned Saturday from a short visit at Fargo.

J. P. Byrne of Duluth was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McDonald from Thursday morning until Friday morning.

Misses Teresa Giefer and Sarah Vaughan returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls where they spent the Thanksgiving vacation.

Ted Tandberg returned from Thief River Falls Monday morning where he was an over Sunday visitor.

Miss Virginia Wiles returned Saturday morning from Oklee where she visited Thursday and Friday.

The Misses Overum and Nelson returned to Thief River Falls Monday evening where they attend school.

E. D. Travers of Thief River Falls was in town Monday enroute to Grygla.

J. A. McNally went to Thief River Falls Friday on business.

School Notes.

The following program was given by the school children Wednesday morning:

Several songs by the school.

"The First Thanksgiving Day," by Esther Ronkin and Ida Bundlund.

Recitation, by Westley Ferdinandson.

"Thanksgiving Song," by Fifth Grade Children.

Dramatization of "Mrs. Sugar Bowl's Party," by First Grade Children.

"The Story of the Pilgrims," told by Marie Wayne.

There were two new scholars enrolled Monday morning, John Markuson and Phinnie Poppenhagen.

The high school pupils have organized an orchestra with the following officers: Grace Day, president; Roy Olson, secretary; Evered Seavey, treasurer. The members are as follows: Grace Day, piano; Donald Stien, violin; Joseph Christianson, cornet; Roy Olson, snare drum; Evered Seavey, clarinet.

The school has shown its appreciation of the new song books by the added enthusiasm over singing. Most of the assembly period Wednesday of last week was spent in trying out the new songs.

During the last few weeks a number of standard periodicals, suitable for the different grades have been placed on the reading tables of the various rooms. More than twenty newspapers and magazines are now coming to the school every week.

Plans are under way for a Christmas program to be given under the auspices of the school. At a faculty meeting this week it was decided that the teachers were to provide a part of the program from among the pupils of each room.

With the advent of cold weather the teachers have made a plan to provide exercise for the pupils during the recess period. Those who wish to remain in the building are given a vigorous setting up exercise. During the noon hour, one of the rooms on the first floor is used as play room for pupils who stay in.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Limesand spent Monday afternoon at the Martinus Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller accompanied by Mrs. Emil Hanson, were callers at Mavie on Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Weber and daughter, Violet, left for Thief River Falls last week where they will be guests of relatives and friends for some time.

Miss Esther Bendickson returned Wednesday from Bemidji where she has been attending the State Normal.

Misses Anna Kotlan and Silva Bendickson were callers at the D. Dau home Monday.

Miss Hattie Klockman returned recently from Thief River Falls where she has been employed.

Anton Overby visited at the Henry Roller home Monday evening.

Miss Bessie Roller spent Monday afternoon with Anna Kotlan.

Lars Rosett called at the Louis Bendickson home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl were dinner guests at the Martin Johnson home Thursday.

Benard and Nettie Bendickson visited at Thief River Falls Wednesday afternoon.

Marie Wayne returned to Goodridge Monday after having visited a few days at her parental home.

Misses Anna Kotlan and Silva Bendickson were callers at the Bentlin home on Monday evening.

Misses Freda, Tillie and Emma Ristau of Thief River Falls are spending the week-end at the home of their parents.

A horse-shoe social was given at Hans Clausen's Saturday evening for the benefit of school Dist. No. 76. All report a good time.

Miss Anna Kotlan called at the W. Wayne home on Wednesday evening.

Guests at the Hans Dahl home on Sunday evening were Benard, Nettie, Esther and Silva Bendickson and Helen Longevan.

MAYFIELD

The public auction sale at William Sherwood's place last Saturday was attended by all the farmers from the surrounding country and everyone was eager to buy. Mr. Sherwood reports fine results.

A surprise party was given for Miss Minnie Johnson last Wednesday evening. Miss Johnson was presented with a box of stationery as a birthday present. A delicious lunch was served by the girls at 11:30. Misses Amy Stennes, Johanna and Anna Wedul and Julia Langnas; Jacob, Orvil, Manford and Julian Stennes and Arnt, Oscar and Melvin Wedul were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm C. Cooper spent Wednesday afternoon at the L. Rewertz home in Red Lake Falls.

Misses Amy Stennes, Sadie and Ruth Omdahl; Messrs. Orvil, Manford and Julian Stennes and John and David Omdahl gathered at the O. Wedul home last Friday evening for a good time. Lunch was served at 11 o'clock. All who were present report that they had a splendid evening.

The school in District No. 60, has now begun its six months' term with Mrs. Notteland teaching. Only five pupils were present on Monday but many more are expected to start.

Misses Johanna and Anna Wedul, Julia Langnas and Arnt Wedul called at the Omdahl home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stennes and children, Arnold and Viola, visited at the L. Klovo home Sunday afternoon.

The Stennes young folks spent Sunday afternoon at the O. Wedul home.

Misses Johanna Wedul and Julia Langnas left for Thief River Falls last Saturday having spent Thanksgiving at the Wedul home.

OUCH! ANOTHER RHEUMATIC TWINGE

Get busy and relieve those pains with that handy bottle of Sloan's Liniment

WHAT Sloan's does, it does thoroughly—*penetrates without rubbing* to the afflicted part and promptly relieves most kinds of external pains and aches. You'll find it clean and non-skin-staining. *Keep it handy* for sciatica, lumbago, neuralgia, over-exerted muscles, stiff joints, backache, pains, bruises, strains, sprains, bad weather after-effects.

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GOLDEN VALLEY

A large crowd of the neighbors and friends assembled at D. C. Tyson's and ate Thanksgiving dinner. Over 50 were in attendance.

Alice Tyson is home from Thief River Falls to visit for a few days.

The stock of Jam Johnson, who lives in the Hick school district, east of Golden Valley, has been attacked by a queer disease that very few people have ever heard of. It is as contagious as glanders and is fatal. It seems to be a bowel trouble. Two horses, two hogs and several cows died last summer. The hogs took it from eating around the dead cattle. A month ago it started again and now all his large flock of cattle are sick or dead but one cow.

Chester Slager fell from the upstairs window of D. C. Tyson's barn Sunday. When picked up he was bleeding at the mouth, but recovered so he was taken home the next day.

STEINER

A rain fell here commencing late Saturday night, which continued all night and over part of Sunday. This fall is the most rainy one for many years and owing to that fact the roads are almost impassable for cars.

Mrs. P. Liden and son Julius and daughter Mathilda, motored to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon where they visited at the home of Mrs. Liden's sister, Mrs. Elin Lindberg. The party also attended the services in the Swedish Evan. Mission church.

Hjalmar and David Lindberg of Thief River Falls were in this vicinity last Friday on business.

C. A. Swanson was a business visitor at Rosewood one day last week.

The Jorden family from the reservation were busy last week chopping wood from acreage purchased at the Jackson farm.

P. Liden visited with relatives at the county seat Thanksgiving day.

Charles Swanson was a business visitor at the P. B. Malberg and P. Solem homes last Wednesday.

Peter Solem drove to Thief River Falls last Tuesday where he attended to various business matters.

AUCTION

There will be a public sale at 322 Crocker Ave. North, five blocks East of Soo tracks on Bridge Street and two blocks north

Tuesday, Dec. 7

Commencing at 12:30 o'clock P. M.

One team geldings 4 years old
One auto trailer
One walking plow
One gang plow
One Emerson mower, new this year
One McCormick mower
Two breaking plows
Two hay rakes
One wagon
One cutter
One cream separator
Two sets harness
Some Government blankets
Some tank hose
Some radiator and water hose of different sizes
190 lbs. of rope
200 lbs. grease
300 lbs. hard oil
20 gal. red barn paint
20 gal. varnish
Some stock and calf food
One leather office chair
25 dining room chairs
15 rocking chairs, some leather rockers and some reed rockers
25 kitchen chairs
10 oil stoves
Some plumbing fixtures
Some kitchen ware, kettles, dish pans, pails and other articles too numerous to mention.

At the same time and place I will also offer for sale one small house with good drilled well and four lots, and one barn 12x18 to be moved.

TERMS of Sale:—All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921

A. N. Ness, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auct. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk

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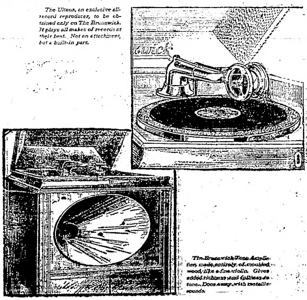

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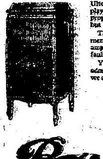

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City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Nov. 23rd, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of Nov. 9th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that $1340.00 be held back from the final estimate of Coolsaet Bros. & Drees, on account of the claims of B. E. Dalquist and Chas. Alexander. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to Coolsaet Bros. & Drees the sum of $6773.64 to apply on the final estimate of the storm sewer contract. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution authorizing the payment to the Bradley Engineering Service the sum of $273.81 in payment of the balance due for engineering services in connection with the storm sewer contract. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Street Committee be instructed to check up the number of "Drive Slow" and "Keep to the Right" signs needed. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the resignation of O. L. Hakken, Street Commissioner, be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Froseth, that the Council adjourn until Tuesday, Nov. 30th at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried and Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held November 23, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Brandon, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, that the City Clerk and Mayor be and hereby are authorized and directed to issue to Coolsaet Bros. & Drees the warrant of the City, drawn upon the Special Assessment Fund for Paving Improvement No. 1, in the sum of $6773.64, in payment of the final estimate of the work of constructing storm sewers in connection with said paving improvement performed by said Coolsaet Bros. & Drees in accordance with their contract with the City, said sum being in full payment of such final estimate less $1300.00 retained by the city pending disposition of the claim of Edna Alexander, and $70.00 retained to replace sidewalks, and the further sum of $40.00 retained pending the ascertainment of liability for injuries to the water connection in front of the Dalquist building.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Nov. 27, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held November 23, 1920, Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, that the City Clerk and Mayor be and hereby are authorized and directed to issue to the Bradley Engineering Service the warrant of the city, drawn upon the Local Improvement Fund, in the sum of $273.81, in payment of the balance due said Bradley Engineering Service for engineering services in connection with Storm Sewer contract and for furnishing Storm Sewer Extension plans.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Nov. 27, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held November 23, 1920, Alderman Froseth, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that,

WHEREAS, the work of relaying the sanitary sewer on Main Avenue, between Second and Third Streets has been duly completed, pursuant to proceedings heretofore duly had, and,

WHEREAS, the City's Engineer has filed with the City Clerk a statement showing the cost of said work, and the amounts thereof chargeable against each lot or parcel of land within the sewer district served by said sanitary sewer as the main or district sewer thereof, and,

WHEREAS, such work is, and has heretofore been determined by the City Council to be necessary for the proper repair and maintenance of said district sewer, and it is deemed proper and expedient by the city council that the property within said district be assessed therefor in accordance with said report and statement of said engineer;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved, that the said report and statement of the Engineer aforesaid, be, and the same is hereby in all things approved and adopted, and the cost of construction of said work be and hereby is assessed against the appropriate lots or parcels of land in the manner, and the amounts, as set forth in said report and statement of said engineer, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk be and hereby is authorized and directed to report the various items and amounts chargeable to the various lots or parcels of land in accordance with the said report and statement of the said engineer, to the County Auditor of the County of Pennington, Minnesota, with the instructions and request that such amounts be spread as a special assessment against the property affected and benefited in the proportions and in the amounts as set forth in the report and statement of the engineer above referred to, such assessments to be collected with the real estate taxes for the year 1920, in the manner provided by law.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Nov. 27, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Nov. 23, 1920, Alderman Brandon seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$170.50
Water & Light Dept., express, etc.	1.33
J. J. Aas, repairs	27.7[illegible]
Crane & Noggers, supplies	25.00
Mpls. Bridge Co., coal	105.44
James Mulhall, hauling coal	8.00
Manhattan Oil Co., kerosene	29.87
Andrew Ness, expense	17.00
Improvement Fund.	
Chas. Loring, legal services	52.55
Auditorium Fund.	
Mpls. Bridge Co., coal	217.65
Jas. Mulhall, hauling coal	18.02
Poor Fund.	
Anna Lang, cash advanced for merchandise	5.56
Lokee Bros., mdse.	[illegible]
Mpls. Bridge Co., coal	85.87
James Mulhall, hauling coal	7.70
City Dray & Fuel Co., wood	11.50
Perry Froseth, mdse.	7.00
A. F. Selimer, groceries	22.00
Library Fund.	
City of Thief River Falls, wood	8.50
Mpls. Bridge Co., coal	103.04
Jas. Mulhall, hauling coal	7.[illegible]
St. Paul Book & Sty. Co., books	68.07
A. R. Marquis & Co., literature	6.75
City Dray & Fuel Co., wood hauling	1.60
Electric Light Fund.	
Batten Hardware Co., supplies	7.60
Mike Welch, labor	[illegible]
N. W. Electric Equip. Co., supplies	243.50
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	50.60
Granite City Electric Co., supplies	89.63
Panama Electric Lamp Co., supplies	11.25
Western Electric Co., supplies	40.50
Duluth Electric Supplies Co., supplies	7.08
Mpls. Electric Equip. Co., supplies	24.65
Beach Sulzer Bros., supplies	50.77
John Dahl, labor	14.50
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	24.91
Standard Oil Co., oil	25.70
Apple River Milling Co., [illegible]	66.00
Manhattan Oil Co., oil	5.62
Red Lake Ice Co., cooler ice	4.00
[illegible]	[illegible]
Mpls. Bridge Co., coal	86.31
City Dray & Fuel Co., coal	10.50
Waterworks Fund.	
Superintendent's payroll	21.00
Water & Light Dept., freight, etc.	11.67
Neptune Meter Co., supplies	61.80

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Nov. 27, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS Default has been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage made, executed and delivered, by EDWIN OLSON and MABEL OLSON, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as Mortgagors, to CITIZENS STATE BANK of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as Mortgagee, upon and covering the following real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼), Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township one Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

which said Mortgage bears date the 29th day of June, 1910, and was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of June, 1915, at 4 o'clock P. M., and was thereafter duly recorded in said office in Book 12 of Mortgages, on Page 211, and

WHEREAS, Thereafter and on the 16th day of August, 1915, said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, by a written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Edwin White, and which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of August, 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 8 of Mortgages, on Page 624, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 13th day of October, 1915, the said Edwin White, by written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle, Joseph H. Clark and Edmund R. Durment, Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, Deceased, which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of October, 1915, at 8 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 11 of Mortgages, on Page 488, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 17th day of February, 1917, Albert R. Moore of Ramsey County, Minnesota, was appointed by the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, the Court in which the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, is being administered, Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, in place and stead of Edmund R. Durment, deceased Executor, and the said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, are now the owners of said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, and

WHEREAS, Such default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the principal of said mortgage indebtedness, to-wit the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500.00), which became due on the 1st day of July, 1920, and to pay interest upon said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, since the 1st day of July, 1919, and

WHEREAS, by reason of the default as aforesaid, said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, assignees, as authorized by the said Mortgage and the note thereby secured, have declared, and do hereby declare, the whole of the principal sum secured by the said mortgage and note to be due and payable, and the same is now due and payable, and

WHEREAS there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage and the note thereby secured at the date of this notice the sum of Sixteen Hundred and Twenty-one and 80-100 Dollars ($1621.80) (being $1500.00 for principal and $121.80 for interest thereon), and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the same, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and pursuant to the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and the Statute in such case made and provided, said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the real property therein described will be sold by the Sheriff of the said County of Pennington in the State of Minnesota, or by his Deputy, at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash, at the Main Front Entrance of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County of Pennington, on Monday, the 27th day of December, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which will then be due upon said mortgage, including taxes and insurance premiums, if any, paid by said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and including an attorney's fee of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, and the costs and expenses of this foreclosure.

Dated October 26, 1920.

FRED W. SHARPE,
WHEELOCK V. TOWLE,
JOSEPH H. CLARK,
as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased,
ALBERT R. MOORE,
as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased,
Assignees of Mortgage.

MOORE, OPPENHEIMER & PETERSON
Attorneys for Assignees of Mortgagee,
Suite 1015 Merchants National Bank Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.
N11-18-25-D2-9-16

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $17.13, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Olava Lyngholm and J. H. Lyngholm, her husband, mortgagors, to Wheeler-Misner Loan Company, a corporation of the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated May 19th, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Pennington, state of Minnesota, in Book 68 of Mortgages on page 281, having been filed for such record May 21st, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., which said mortgage provides that if Mortgagors therein fail to pay interest on a prior mortgage therein mentioned, for the principal sum of $500.00 on the premises hereinafter described, at the time the same shall become due under the conditions of said prior mortgage, then and in that event said mortgagee may pay such interest and have an additional claim and lien upon said premises therefor, with interest on the amount so paid at the rate of ten per cent per annum, under the first above mentioned mortgage; that said Mortgagors have failed to pay interest on said prior mortgage in the amount of $90.00, $30.00 of which become due May 19th, 1918, $30.00 May 19th, 1919, and $30.00 May 19th, 1920, and said mortgagee has paid the sum of $90.00 interest on said prior mortgage; and

Said first above mentioned mortgage further provides that in event of the default on the part of the mortgagors therein in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the whole sum secured by said mortgage shall become due and payable at once, that the whole sum secured by said mortgage is the sum of $27.13, exclusive of said interest on said prior mortgage, and said mortgagee has elected to and does hereby declare the whole of said sum to be due, and in addition thereto, said sum of $90.00, interest on said prior mortgage, and interest thereon amounting to $7.83, in all amounting to the sum of $124.96, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

That the premises described in and conveyed by said first above mentioned mortgage are situate in the county of Pennington, state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter (W½ of SW¼) of section nine (9), in township one hundred fifty-four (154) north, range thirty-nine (39) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said first above mentioned mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed thereby, subject to said prior mortgage, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 28th day of December, 1920, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $124.96, and interest on $106.00 thereof at ten per cent per annum from the date of this notice to the date of sale and $25.00 attorney's fee, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law in case of foreclosure of said mortgage, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 6th, 1920.

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minnesota.
N-11-18-25-D-2-7-14

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten acres of dry pole wood and about 20 loads of grub wood, two miles northwest of town. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls Minn. R 1 Bx A9 99p

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 602 LaBree Ave. N. 94tf

FOR SALE—Good poplar wood. Will deliver. Write C. O. Snyder, R. R. No. 2, Thief River Falls. 100

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2600 lbs.; one 600 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Guernsey bull. Geo. L. Sterns. 99tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $5.00 per sale. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Weiner, 9 miles N. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 99tf

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire rams lambs. Will sell these for $40 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—R. B. Conklin, R. 3, city. 94tf

GOOD BIG LOADS of pole wood delivered for $7.00 per load. Inquire at Elliott Hotel. 99p

FOR SALE—New 1920 Ford car with self-starter, for sale cheap. Good 4-room house and out-shed for sale cheap or trade for horses and stock. Want to buy a good team, weight about 2400. Call 606 Duluth Ave. N. 99p

COCKERELS FOR SALE—$2.00 each, Rhode Island Reds and White Wyandottes.—T. H. Bjerke, City. 1pd

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 18 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 73tf

FOR SALE—160 acres or will trade for city property. Dr. H. D. Hewelt, Thief River Falls, Minn. 50tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1755, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—North Star big type Poland China spring boars and gilts, by Star of the North and Red River Valley Wonder, priced to sell. Booking orders for tried sows and bred gilts for winter delivery. All animals guaranteed. James Erecluu, Wylie, Minn. 99p

FOR SALE—One Model C-25 Buick 4-passenger car in first-class condition. See H. O. Johnson at North Lumber Co.

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 99tf

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 91tf

FOR SALE—One Newcome automatic fly shuttle loom, suitable for rug and cloth weaving. Inquire Mrs. O. Froseth, 516 Knight Ave. N. Ford.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 82tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room, and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 98tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, 601 Main Ave. N. 96tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two modern houses also several small tracts of land near town.—W. A. Bishop. 97tf

LOST

LOST—Girl's brown shoe last Saturday between Langseth's shoe store and Dewey Ave. Finder kindly leave at Oen's store. 1pd

FOUND

FOUND—Between Junction and city, a quantity of brass. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this ad. 99

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply H. W. Protzeller, 120 Markley Ave. N., or phone 134. 99

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 94tf

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries, selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants reliable men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofing, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 16p

MISCELLANEOUS

ELLIOTT HOTEL (Old Telemtrassen), Steam heated rooms by the week, $2.50 and $3.00. Rooms without heat, $2.00. Board and room, $8.00 and $9.00. 56p

HAKKEN & RHUSTAD—Painting, Paperhanging and Decorating. Furniture repaired and refinished; made to look as good as new. Located under new First and Peoples State Bank building. Phones 3772 or 3318, Thief River Falls. 96tf

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Inquire at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 85tf

The H. D. City sawmill south of the Greenwood cemetery is now in operation. Anyone wishing logs, etc., sawed see the Hager Land Co., city, for particulars. 90-1-2.

FREE TRIP TO FARGO and RETURN—to everyone enrolling in my course in Automobile and Tractor repairing. For further particulars, write, Oscar Dahl, Grand Hotel, City.

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Minneapolis, Minnesota.
December 1, 1920.

A STATEMENT TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS REGARDING
THE NECESSITY FOR INCREASED TELEPHONE REVENUE

Because telephone service is a necessity in the life of a community, it is important to you as a telephone user, as well as to our employees and investors, that this Company's revenues shall be sufficient to meet its requirements.

Our revenues must be such as will enable us to pay all operating expenses, including fair wages to our employees and a reasonable return on the value of our property, if we are to meet the demands of the public for service.

A fair and reasonable return upon the value of our property is a fixed charge which must be earned, just as we have to pay wages to employees and buy materials. Otherwise we could not attract money from investors to make necessary extensions and improvements as required by the public.

On our capital stock, which is substantially less than the value of our property as sworn to before the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission, we have not paid a dividend of more than 5 per cent for fifteen years. During this year we have been forced to stop the payment of dividends, and we are not earning the interest charges on money borrowed.

This situation makes it necessary for us to ask the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission to approve an increase in our rates.

In order to understand why telephone rates must be increased at this time when many other prices are dropping, one must realize that the same conditions have not existed in the telephone industry as in private business. The prices of most things were advanced sufficiently to meet higher costs, but telephone rates have not been as our increased expenses have exceeded our increased revenues.

The telephone is subject to state regulation and when we require additional revenue we must apply to the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission for higher rates. The gathering, assembling and presenting of information demanded by the Commission requires considerable time. Because of this, necessary increases in rates are slow in being obtained and the Company must operate at a loss until relief is granted.

This statement is made in accordance with our policy of giving the public as well as our employees and investors full information about our affairs, and we feel sure that it will be accepted in the same spirit of fairness and cooperation that has always characterized your attitude toward this Company.

NORTHWESTERN TELEPHONE EXCHANGE COMPANY.

President.

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CUPS FOR LOCAL POULTRY FANCIERS

Grand Champion Sweepstakes of Pennington County Show Go to Gustafson and Hance.

The highest scoring bird at the Pennington County Poultry Association show held here November 22-24, was the Ancona pullet exhibited by Edward Hance, Thief River Falls. The two $50 loving cups for Grand Champion Sweepstakes were won by C. D. Gustafson on a Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerel and by Edward Hance on the Ancona pullet. Smaller silver loving cups were also won by C. D. Gustafson on Barred Plymouth Rocks; by Norman Tobias, Madison, Minn., on Partridge Wyandottes; by Olaf Neset on Rhode Island Reds; by Ed Hance on Mottled Anconas, and by C. O. Kankel of Terrebonne, on Barred Rocks.

The allotment of premium money awarded through the state association has not been completed. Following is a complete list of prize, ribbon and cup winners for the very successful show of 1920:

Barred Plymouth Rock.

C. O. Kankel, Terrebonne: 1st cock, 1st hen, 2nd cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 1st, 2nd young pen.

C. D. Gustafson, Thief River Falls: 1st cockerel, 3rd young pen.

Ed. Battenfeld, Thief River Falls: 2nd cock, 2nd hen, 1st old pen.

F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls: 3rd cock, 3rd hen, 3rd cockerel.

White Plymouth Rock.

H. C. Durrin, Thief River Falls: 1st cock, 2nd hen, 1st, 3rd cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 1st young pen, 2nd old pen.

G. A. Krueger, Plummer: 2nd cock, 1st, 3rd hen, 2nd cockerel, 1st old pen.

Buff Rock.

S. J. Rice, Plummer: 1st cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen.

White Wyandotte.

B. N. Thorstad, St. Hilaire: 3rd cock, 3rd pullet.

L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire: 2nd cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen, 2nd, 3rd cockerel, 1st pullet, 1st young pen, 1st old pen.

Arthur Steenerson, Clearbrook: 1st cockerel, 2nd pullet.

Partridge Wyandotte.

Norman Tobias, Madison: 1st cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen, 1st, cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 1st young pen, 1st old pen.

Columbian Wyandotte.

John G. Mersey, Oklee: 1st, 2nd hen, 1st cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet.

Rhode Island Reds, Single Comb.

Nels Neuman, St. Hilaire: 1st cock, 1st cockerel, 1st pullet, 1st young pen.

Olaf Neset, Thief River Falls: 2nd cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen, 2nd cockerel, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 2nd young pen, 1st old pen.

Bot Nyberg, Thief River Falls: 3rd cockerel.

Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds.

John Waag, Thief River Falls: 2nd cock.

Light Brahmas.

B. N. Thorstad, St. Hilaire: 1st cockerel, 1st pullet.

Partridge Cochin.

Ed. Hance, Thief River Falls: 2nd cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 2nd pen.

Single Comb White Leghorns.

Dennis McGinn, Thief River Falls: 3rd cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen, 1st, 2nd, 3rd cockerel, 1st, 2nd young pen, 1st old pen.

Sunny Side Poultry Yards, Thief River Falls: 2nd cock, 2nd, 3rd pullet.

Norman Poultry Yards, Crookston: 3rd cockerel.

Walter Robertson, Kimball: 1st pullet.

Single Comb Black Leghorns.

Geo. Leimers, Thief River Falls: 1st 2nd, 3rd hen, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 2nd cockerel, 2nd young pen.

D. E. Dobratz, Hutchinson: 1st cockerel.

Minorca Single Comb, Black.

Phil Amon, Thief River Falls: 1st, 2nd pullet.

White Face Black Spanish.

Joe Oski, Mavie: 1st cockerel, 1st pullet.

Single Comb Mottled Ancona.

Ben Kruse, Thief River Falls: 1st cock, 3rd hen, 2nd cockerel, 2nd, 3rd pullet, 1st young pen, 1st old pen.

S. J. Rice, Plummer: 2nd cock, 1st, 2nd hen, 1st, 2nd cockerel, 2nd old pen.

Single Comb Buff Orpington.

C. B. Buoen, Thief River Falls: 1st, 2nd, 3rd cockerel, 1st, 3rd pullet, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen, 1st, 2nd young pen.

Arthur Steenerson, Thief River Falls: 2nd pullet.

White Crested Polish.

Ben Kruse, Thief River Falls: 1st cock, 1st hen.

Silver Spangled Hamberg.

Clayton K. Rust, Marion, N. D.: 1st, 2nd cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet.

Toulouse Geese.

F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls: 3rd cock, 2nd hen, 1st pullet.

Casper Weiner, Thief River Falls: 1st cock, 1st hen, 1st, 2nd cockerel, 2nd pullet.

L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire: 2nd cock, 3rd hen.

Chinese White Geese.

F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls: 1st cock, 1st hen, 1st pullet.

African Geese.

Chas. Schnabel: 1st hen, 1st cockerel, 1st pullet.

Bronze Turkeys.

Casper Weiner, Thief River Falls: 1st, 3rd cock, 2nd hen, 2nd cockerel, 1st, 2nd pullet.

F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls: 2nd cock, 1st hen, 1st cockerel.

Bourbon Red Turkey.

F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls: 1st cock, 1st hen, 1st, 2nd, 3rd cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet.

White Holland Turkey.

L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire: 1st cockerel.

Pekin Ducks.

Ed. Battenfeld: 1st cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd hen, 1st cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd pullet.

Rouen Ducks.

L. A. Westphal: 1st, 2nd ducks, 1st hen, 1st, 2nd cockerel, 1st pullet.

Belgian Hares.

Arthur Louze: 1st buck, 1st doe.

George Johnson: 1st young buck, 1st young doe.

Casper Weiner: 2nd young buck, 1st young doe, 2nd young doe.

White Pink Eyes.

Lawrence Langevin: 2nd young buck, 2nd young doe.

Alphie Hance: 1st young buck.

The Association Display Specials.

Best display of Plymouth Rocks: C. O. Kankel, Terrebone.

Best display of Wyandottes: L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire.

Best display of Rhode Island Reds: Olaf Neset, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Leghorns: Dennis McGinn, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Orpington: C. M. Buoen, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Asiatics: Ed. Hance, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Anconas: Ben Kruse, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Ducks: Ed. Battenfeld, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Geese: Casper Weiner, Thief River Falls.

Best display in the Show: C. O. Kankel, on Barred Plymouth Rocks.

Second best display in the Show: Dennis McGinn.

Largest display in the Show: F. B. Conklin.

Loving Cup Specials.

Loving cup for the highest scoring cockerel: C. D. Gustafson, on Barred Plymouth Rocks.

Silver loving cup for the highest scoring cock: Norman Tobias, on Partridge Wyandotte.

Cup for the highest scoring hen: Olaf Neset, on Rhode Island Red.

Cup for the highest scoring pullet: Ed Hance, on Mottled Ancona.

Cup for the highest scoring pen: C. O. Kankel, on Barred Rock.

Grand Champion Sweepstakes.

$50 loving cup offered by Farmers and Merchants State bank for the highest scoring male in the show, won by C. D. Gustafson on Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel.

$50 loving cup by First and Peoples State bank for highest scoring female in the show, won by Ed. Hance on Ancona pullet.

Ten highest scoring birds in the show, all of one variety: C. O. Kankel on Barred Plymouth Rocks.

Highest scoring bird in the show, won by Ed. Hance on Ancona pullet.

Donated Merchants' Specials.

Prize offered by Carl Froseth, won by C. D. Gustafson.

Prize offered by Louis Cohn, won by G. A. Krueger.

Prize offered by Chas. Lieberman, won by Art. Steenerson.

Prize won by Shanahan and Sheedy, won by Nels Neuman.

Prize offered by H. K. Strand, won by John A. Waag.

Prize offered by E. L. Rolland, won by Sunnyside Poultry Yard.

Prize offered by Hanson and Barzen, won by Geo. Leimers.

Prize offered by Thief River Cafe, won by B. M. Thorstad.

Prize offered by Laird's Specialty Shop, won by Ed. Hance.

Prize offered by E. O. Mogensen, won by Phil Amon.

Prize offered by Geo. Leimers, won by D. E. Dobratz.

Prize offered by Hall Bros., won by Ed. Hance.

Prize offered by Lawrence Mortgage Co., won by Ben Kruse.

Prize offered by Olaf Neset, won by C. M. Buoen.

Prize offered by Simonson's Grocery, won by Ed. Battenfeld.

Prize offered by Swanson's Bakery, won by Mrs. F. B. Conklin.

Prize offered by Hermanson's Hdw. Co., won by Arthur Louze.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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Historical Society

BANK ROBBERS PLEAD GUILTY TO GATZKE JOB

Young Men Who Held Up Cashier on Saturday Captured That Same Evening.

Secured Total of $880 at Point of Gun, Most of Which Was Recovered.

Suspected of Being Whiskey Runners and Also Guilty of Stealing Auto.

Friday afternoon, in broad daylight, two masked men held up the Farmers State Bank of Gatzke, an inland town 40 miles northeast of Thief River Falls, and escaped with $800. After a chase of eight hours, in which several shots were fired, the two men were taken near Hallock by Sheriff Anderson of Kittson county and escorted to the Marshall county jail at Warren, where they are being held pending sentence.

Overlook $5,000 in Bonds.

Shortly after 3 p. m. Friday, two men garbed in brown unionalls and with handkerchiefs tied over their faces, entered the Gatzke bank and commanded Christ Amundson, bookkeeper, S. O. Ostgard, cashier, and John Dahl, who was there transacting business, to throw up their hands. Ostgard laughed, thinking someone was playing a practical joke. A string of oaths followed from the two robbers, one of whom carried a rifle and the other a revolver, and the trio were again commanded to put up their hands. While the bandit with the pistol covered the other two men, he with the rifle ordered Cashier Ostgard to conduct him to the vault and show him where the cash was kept. A small amount of cash, $30 in quarters contained in a Lonson coin box, was taken from the vault, Ostgard not pointing out $5,000 worth of Liberty bonds. The cashier was then marched to the cash drawer, where the robber secured $850 in currency, overlooking about $175 in silver, which was standing in a coin tray on the counter. The two masked men then backed to the door and turning, jumped into the dilapidated Ford they were driving and started away.

Shots Fired at Donaldson.

Cashier Ostgard immediately called Middle River on the phone and gave the alarm. It was thought that the car was heading for Thief River Falls. The sheriff's office here was notified to be on the lookout. Hans Hanson, Marshall county sheriff, was immediately notified and set out from Warren to trail the car. The tracks were easily discernible in the light snow which covered the roads. The tracks led north towards Thief lake, but the way becoming impassable the car had been backed for a long distance to a road running straight west to the state line. Near the town of Elerth it was evident that the robbers had had tire trouble and were losing more time. Near Argyle the car had turned to the north. Surrounding towns had all been warned to be on the lookout for the robbers, who were thought to be three in number. About 9 p. m. armed citizens of Donaldson recognized the car passing through the village streets and shots were fired in an effort to cause a halt. Residents claim that the fleeing men fired shots in return, but this was later denied by the two men when captured.

Run Into Farm Gate.

Shortly after 11 o'clock the thieves turned their car into a side road which fortunately led into a farm yard. They struck a gate and while trying to extricate the car, Sheriff Anderson of Kittson county, who was close on their trail, drove in behind them and blinding them with the bright lights of his car, succeeded in capturing them without difficulty. The two men were turned over to Sheriff Hanson and conveyed to Warren.

Driving Stolen Car.

The two young men pleaded guilty and all of the stolen money was recovered with the exception of about $17. They gave their names as Earl Cook and Sam Thompson. Both are former service men. Sheriff Hanson states that he is confident that the two prisoners had been engaged in running whiskey across the Canadian border. Cook and Thompson claim that Federal and Canadian officers had "cleaned them up" of all their possesions, including an automobile, and they were endeavoring to recoup their losses in the quickest way possible. From information obtained since the capture by Sheriff Hanson, it is known that the old Ford driven by the two men was stolen at St. Vincent on Thursday and that officers had pursued them into Roseau county, where the trail was lost. The car has been identified as that stolen at St. Vincent.

The two young highwaymen will no doubt serve a long prison sentence. A special grand jury has been called for Friday by Judge Grindeland. Owing to the fact that the crime calls for a sentence of more than ten years the two men must be indicted by a grand jury before they can be sentenced, in spite of the fact that they pleaded guilty.

Bear This In Mind.

Do not wait till the last moment to do your Christmas shopping. Stores in Thief River Falls will close at 6 o'clock on Christmas Eve.

Prowling at Night Unsafe, Even in Your Own Office

L. E. Gesell, arriving from the twin cities on the Winnipeg train about 3 a. m. Saturday, left the station and stopped at his office to hurriedly glance over some papers before continuing homeward. Ed. Brooten of the night police force, on a reconnoitering tour, noticed a light in the rear of the Walker-Gesell Land company's office and a man moving in and out of the opened vault. That was enough for the valiant gendarme. Night stick in one hand and "gat" in the other, he entered the office, and when the land man looked up he found himself gazing into the muzzle of a gun that appeared to him as large as a 155 M. howitzer.

Both principals in the little scene were more than startled, but recognition took place before any shots were fired. Fortunately the two men were well acquainted or Gesell might have passed the remainder of the night in the city dungeon.

CHURCH CLOSES 20 YEARS OF SERVICE

Presbyterians of This City Will Fittingly Observe Occasion Sunday, Dec. 12.

A week from today The Twentieth Century Presbyterian church will celebrate the twentieth anniversary of its organization. Services commemorating the event will be held at the church Sunday, Dec. 12, at 11 a. m. Dr. James Wallace, head professor of the bible training department of Macalester college, St. Paul, will deliver the address. Dr. Wallace is considered one of the most gifted speakers of the Northwest and the public is earnestly invited to hear him.

On Thursday evening, Dec. 16, which is the anniversary proper of the founding of the church, a banquet and program will be given in the church basement by the ladies. Rev. R. L. Barackman will act as toastmaster; George L. Sterns will give a resume of the organization's history, and Mrs. J. M. Bishop will give "Memories" in connection with church work. Rev. Barackman will also give a short talk of a stimulating nature.

The Twentieth Century Presbyterian church, so called from the date of its foundation, was organized on Dec. 16, 1900. Of the charter members Mrs. J. F. Farr, Mrs. H. M. Hicks and Mrs. B. G. Walker are still residents of Thife River Falls and staunch supporters of the church. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mussey of Grygla were also charter members. The present edifice was erected in 1902, by Contractor C. M. Carlson of this city, at a cost of $2980. Nine pastorates cover the life of the church. Rev. F. D. Stone was the first pastor at the time worship was being conducted in halls and school rooms about the city. Rev. Nichol, one of the earlier pastors, is at present doing relief work in Syria, where he has been since the early days of the war. Rev. F. J. Barackman, brother of the present pastor, officiated for several years. Rev. F. J. Barackman, Rev. Gilchrist and Rev. Clair E. Boyden, immediate predecessors of the present pastor are deceased since leaving this pastorate.

Rev. R. L. Barackman, the present pastor, gives a brief comparison of church activities during the past few years. He came to his present call in 1915, at which time the church had enrolled 64 members. Not less than 180 members will be on the report to be given out at the anniversary meeting, more having joined the church during the last five years of its existence than during the first 15 years. The church was made self supporting at the time of Rev. Barackman's coming to Thief River Falls. Contributions for support of the church have increased from $1400 in 1915 to over $3200 for the present year and benevolence donations have increased from $65 in 1915 to upwards of $800 for 1920.

New Plumbing Concern Now Ready For Business

L. W. and M. H. Fossum have opened a plumbing and heating establishment at 113 Second street east, which will be known as the Union Plumbing and Heating Company. They will engage in contract work of all kinds in their line, making heating their specialty. Both are Thief River Falls men. L. W. Fossum has in recent years been employed by the Holt & George Company, which a short time ago removed headquarters to St. Cloud. M. H. Fossum recently returned from the West, having been in the employ of The Heating and Engineering Company of Denver, Col., one of the largest firms west of the Mississippi.

New Years Eve Ball to Be Given By Eklund Post

Plans for the big New Year's Eve ball which will be given by the Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion are nearing completion and it is apparent that the occasion is to be made one of the largest social events of the winter season. The city auditorium will accommodate with ease the large crowd that is expected and a special orchestra will further enthuse those who shall take part. It is possible that the newly formed Woman's Auxiliary to the Legion post will co-operate in making this one of the initial successes staged thru their combined efforts.

BILLS TO HELP WHEAT PRICES ARE PRESENTED

Congressman Steenerson Introduces Two Measures For Immediate Relief.

One Would Impose Duty of Thirty Cents Per Bushel on All Foreign Wheat.

Claims That "Dumping" is Responsible For Recent Slump in Prices Here.

Two bills designed to help wheat farmers of the Northwest were introduced in the House when congress opened on Monday by Representative Halvor Steenerson of Minnesota.

One of these measures is to regulate grain markets, making all exchanges public markets subject to Federal control, and requiring that farmers' organizations shall be entitled to a seat on the exchanges on equal footing with other members. The attorney general is given authority to enforce compliance with the laws.

The second bill is similar to one introduced by Representative George M. Young of North Dakota last session, to restore a tariff on Canadian wheat, wheat flour and other wheat products. The tariff fixed for wheat is 30 cents a bushel, flour $1.35 a barrel and 30 per cent ad valorem on semolina and other products.

"Dumping Caused Slump."

Discussing the restoration of a tariff on wheat, Mr. Steenerson said: "One of the causes for the recent slump in the price of wheat in the United States was the dumping upon our markets of millions of bushels of Canadian wheat and several millions of barrels of Canadian flour free of duty. On account of the difference in exchange, this gave the Canadian a bonus of 15 cents, or 30 cents on $2 wheat.

"During the war and until recently, the British government did not permit Canadian wheat to enter the United States, but on July 29 it ceased entirely to purchase wheat either in Canada or the United States and has not yet resumed buying. The well thought out plan evidently was by shutting off the demand at the time that the wheat crop was being harvested and beginning to move the prices in the United States would fall, and the Canadian crop would all be diverted to our markets because there was no other place to sell.

"It is a clear case of manipulating the market by artificial means and the Underwood law which allows wheat and flour to come in free has been used as an instrument in this manipulation."

Differs From Capper Bill.

Mr. Steenerson's bill to control exchanges is entirely different from that of Senator Capper of Kansas, which proposes to eliminate all speculating by imposing a tax of 10 per cent on all future dealings in which grain is not actually delivered. After declaring grain exchanges to be public markets and subject to federal regulation the Steenerson bill provides:

"Section 2—Every such market whether heretofore or hereafter organized, shall be open to membership, with equal rights and privileges with all other members, to any person, firm, company or corporation desiring to trade in such commodities on such market, who shall make application for membership and whose methods of business operation or plan of organization shall not conflict with or contravene any reasonable rule, regulation or by-law of such market."

Stores Will Remain Open During Three Evenings

Members of the Thief River Falls Merchants' association have agreed to keep their places of business open until 10 p. m. Dec. 20 to 23 inclusive. All stores will close at 6 p. m. Christmas Eve.

Bakken Resigns; Huff is New Street Commissioner

H. O. Huff has been appointed street commissioner by the city council to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of O. L. Bakken. Mr. Bakken served as a member of the city council for several years and as its president for one term. He did not seek re-election three years ago and was appointed street commissioner by the new council, and re-appointed for the present term from which he resigned. Mr. Huff has been employed at street work here for the past several years.

ANNUAL HOLIDAY RUSH IS ON AT POSTOFFICE; MAIL CHRISTMAS PARCELS NOW

With Christmas only 16 days away, Postmaster Morgan issues a few instructions that will assist in avoiding congestion of the mails at the eleventh hour and insure delivery of all parcels and letters by Christmas Eve.

Wrap securely,
Address clearly.
Provide sufficient postage.
Mail early.

Packages may be marked "Not to be opened until Xmas" and thus secure the desired opening on Christmas day as would be the case if mailed at the last moment.

GREENBUSH BANK STOPS BUSINESS FOR THIRTY DAYS

Failure on Part of Farmers to Liquidate is Cause—First in This Section.

Reports this morning from Greenbush are to the effect that the State bank of that place has suspended business for 30 days. Failure on he part of farmers to liquidate their loans is given as the reason for the suspension.

There seems to be no question as to the soundness of the State Bank of Greenbush and there is hardly a possibility that the depositors will lose anything. Olaf Holdahl is president of the bank and C. J. Anderson, formerly of Thief River Falls, cashier. Bank directories show that the institution had deposits of $215,000 the first of the year and a capital of $10,000.

The stock is owned principally by local parties. The bank is the first in this section, if not in the state, forced to take such steps at this time.

FAMILY DESERTER PUT ON PROBATION

William Gregorie Ordered to Support Family and Appear Before Court Later.

Wm. Gregoire, who has been held at the Pennington county jail for the past ten days on a charge of desertion, was arraigned before Judge Grindeland at Warren yesterday and given an indeterminate sentence. He pleaded guilty of abandonment of his wife and three small children, was sentenced and placed on probation until the next term of court providing he returns to work and supports the family. Sheriff W. J. LaBree was appointed probation officer, to whom Gregoire will report once every two weeks until the court again sets. He has been released and will return to Ore, Minn., where he was at one time employed at the barber trade.

Gregoire was brought to Thief River Falls from Ore by Sheriff LaBree about ten days ago, following a claim of desertion made by Mrs. Gregoire. Formerly a barber here, he was arraigned at Red Lake Falls several months ago on a charge of bootlegging and subjected to a fine of $500. His wife and three children have been living in poor circumstances at Crookston.

Elks Out For Members; Big Time Here Dec. 17

The Thief River Falls Lodge of Elks Number 1308 have decided upon an extensive membership campaign to cover the period from now until January 31. To secure the best results the entire membership has been divided into teams, whose object will be to interview those residents of the vicinity who would become good, loyal Elks and an asset to the lodge. On February 1 initiation fees will be raised to $50.

The first initiation will take place on the evening of December 17. On that evening the Elk's ladies will hold a reception and musical at the city auditorium, followed by a card party, while the initiatory ceremonies are being conducted by the Elks at the Masonic hall. Elks and ladies will participate in a Leap Year ball at the auditorium following the card party and initiation. A banquet supper will be served after midnight.

PARENT BODY IS PRESCRIBED BY SPECIALIST

Weekly Luncheon of Commercial Club Ends in Spirited Discussion of Vital Issues.

Judge Wilson, Community Organizer, Recommends Closer Organization of Units.

Would Remedy Lack of Emergency Hospital; Christmas Tree Discontinued.

The noon-day session of the Commercial club last Thursday proved a rousing one in spite of the fact that the attendance at the weekly luncheon was below normal. Several subjects vital to the future of Thief River Falls were brought up and discussed in a spirited manner.

Officials of the club as well as many of its members have long felt that the organization has not been making the desired progress as a civic organization and that some remedy must be forthcoming. Judge Frank T. Wilson, community organizer of the University of Minnesota Extension Division, was in the city last Wednesday and expressed the desire to spend a week's time here in the immediate future for the purpose of uniting the various civic units into one parent organization which would at once become a powerful factor in community life. It was unanimously voted to extend an invitation to Judge Wilson and, he having tendered his services, it is possible that an early day may see this movement under way.

Parent Organization Prescribed.

The plan as outlined by this expert in community service calls for a closer organization of civic units; a common secretary to take over many of the duties now in the hands of secretaries of the individual organizations, such as the Red Cross, the Woman's club, the Woman's auxiliary, the American legion, the Merchants association, the Fair association and the Commercial club. This secretary to be paid a salary and devote himself entirely to that work, with headquarters at the Commercial club rooms. This plan would incidentally provide suitable superintendence of the club rooms by placing a person with authority in charge. Judge Wilson would proceed by first meeting with the executive committees of each organization.

Judge Wilson states that many cities of this size in the state; Red Wing, Estherville, Winona, St. Cloud and others, have lately adopted this prescribed plan and find it to be meeting with exceptional results.

Would Bring Pressure to Bear.

Another matter discussed was the problem of providing an emergency hospital, for use in case of epidemics and contagious diseases. At present the city has no facilities whatsoever along this line. This lack was greatly emphasized by several cases of various natures during last winter, when patients were housed in the waiting rooms of the Soo station and later very poorly accommodated in ramshackle quarters. It is claimed that the city council has been lax in this respect. Dr. O. F. Melby, George L. Sterns and Scott Laird were appointed a committee to meet with the city council for the purpose of bringing pressure to bear with respect to this lack of accommodations for emergency cases.

Through action taken at the meeting of Thursday, the practice of having a community Christmas tree here will be discontinued for this season. While the tree placed at the intersection of down-town streets was a beautiful ornament, a great deal of money was expended for the purpose, and it was the consensus of opinion among those present at the luncheon that this money could be used in a manner which would better secure peace and happiness in every home of Thief River Falls during the holiday season. Effort will be made to secure the co-operation of every civic and fraternal organization of the city in making this Christmas one of comfort for every child or grown-up in the community. The work of the Woman's club was highly praised for their efficient organization during the course of this latter discussion. Mayor Bratrud, Math Barzen and E. M. Stanton were appointed a committee to select a large committee from the civic and fraternal organizations which would foster this co-operation.

Choral Society of Fifty Voices Now in Training

The Choral society, organized on Nov. 22, met at the Commercial club rooms last Friday evening and a real "sing" resulted. About 40 members were present, and it is expected that the next regular rehearsal tomorrow evening will open with 50 voices present. Members are requested to be in their places and ready to sing promptly at 8 o'clock.

Miss Maude Johnson, director of the musical organization, in speaking of the first rehearsal Friday evening, stated that it was very apparent that Thief River Falls held some exceptional talent and that there was no reason why the organization should not become one of the foremost philharmonic societies in the Northwest. The 40 members who appeared last Friday evening started to work with a diligence that augurs well for the future. It is planned to give a miscellaneous musical program some time during the winter.

WHEAT GROWERS TO LOOK INTO MATTER

Farmers in This Vicinity Not Yet Ready to Join With New National Association.

Many farmers from this section attended the mass meeting of all wheat growers held at the auditorium on Saturday afternoon. After much beneficial discussion it was unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting and postpone the formation of a wheat growers association which should be affiliated with the United Wheat Growers organization, until such a time as further information and plans of the latter body could be secured. The meeting of Saturday was called following a talk given by C. L. Hughes of Oklahoma, on November 26, at which T. K. Rynestad was elected chairman of a temporary organization.

In view of the fact that the Farm Bureau federation is working along practically the same lines as the United Wheat Growers association and already has practically a complete national organization, the majority of those present at Saturday's meeting seemed in favor of affiliating themselves with the county farm bureau rather than forming an organization which would deal only with the storing and price of wheat. Favorable comment was made by several speakers on the work of the local farm bureau during the past season and a cross examination of J. J. McCann, county agent, revealed further methods and accomplishments of that body. At several points during the meeting the discussion neared the political.

It was the general expression that a closer co-operation was necessary between the business man and the farmer and it was unanimously agreed that the all important question now before the farmer was the marketing of his produce in such a manner as would at least cover the cost of production.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS WEDNESDAY

Effort Being Made to Include Every Eligible Woman in the Organization.

The newly organized Women's auxiliary to Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion will hold its regular meeting at the Commercial club rooms on Wednesday, Dec. 15, at 3 p. m. Every effort is being made to secure a large attendance in order that the organization may be brought to an efficient basis and constructive work carried on. Sisters, daughters, wives and mothers of Legionnaires or ex-service men who were killed in action or who have died since the signing of the armistice, are urged to be present on Wednesday.

At the last regular meeting on Nov. 24, Mrs. T. J. Rowan, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence and Mrs. L. F. Fisher were appointed a committee on membership. Within the next few days members of this committee will endeavor to call upon every person eligible to to join the Legion auxiliary, but great assistance can be rendered by those who will become members if they will take part in the meeting next Wednesday.

CITY'S PIONEER STORE ADVERTISES ITS FIRST BIG REDUCTION SALE

Oen Mercantile Company, in Order to Reduce Stocks, Finds it Advisable to Offer Special Inducements.

On pages 12 and 13 of The Times today will be found the announcement of the Oen Mercantile company, one of the oldest as well as largest business institutions in this section. The Oen company has never been strong for holding sales of this kind, the present being in fact the first occasion in its history when such plan has been resorted to. This makes the event all the more interesting and goes to prove that merchants in all lines of business find it advisable to lower [illegible] in order to meet changed [illegible] conditions.

It will be noted by the advertisement that big reductions are made on everything in the dry goods, clothing shoe and furniture lines and this will prove welcome news just before the holidays. The sale starts next Saturday morning.

FARMERS VOICE THEIR PROTEST AGAINST DITCH

Claim That Carrying Out Project No. 30 Would Practically Mean Confiscation.

Cost Would Total $400,000, Individuals in Some Cases Being Assessed $2,800.

Hearing on Today Before Judge Grindeland at Warren—Many Are Attending.

Several hundred farmers residing in the eastern townships of Pennington and Marshall counties are at Warren today for the purpose of protesting against the establishment of proposed Judicial Ditch No. 30. The hearing on the viewers report is being held before Judge Grindeland at the Marshall county court house. A great deal of opposition to the construction of such a ditch has developed and the meeting today promises to be a live one. The opposition, apparently, is to the large tax which will be necessary to finance construction, rather than to the ditch itself.

$11,500 Per Mile Cost.

Judicial Ditch No. 30, was primarily intended to secure a better outlet for and to improve Ditch No. 18. It extends from the Thief river just north of the Pennington county line directly east to within one mile of the eastern boundary of Marshall county. Six laterals which have been added as necessary adjuncts to the original ditch as proposed, make a total of 34 miles of excavation, the estimated cost of which is $396,000, or approximately $11,500 per mile. The report of the viewers estimates the cost to individual farmers on lands benefitted by the proposed construction at amounts as high as $2,800.

The construction of Ditch 30 would tax townships and villages as follows: Goodridge village, $2,577; Mavie village, $706; North township, $5,719; Silverton township, $24,246; Cloverleaf township, $43,898; Goodridge township, $63,707; Reiner township, $72,416; Star township, $3,151; and in Marshall county, Adger township, $36,298; Grand Plain township, $45,761; Moylan township, $43,688; Espelee township, $40,930. In addition $13,000 would be necessary to re-construct roads along the ditch right of way.

Farmers Organize to Protest.

A ditch covering practically the same territory was proposed about two years ago, but did not favorably pass a hearing. The present ditch was petitioned for by residents of Marshall county. Judge Grindeland early last spring appointed Wm. Forsberg, K. O. Gigstad and Henry Fund as viewers, who have prepared a very extensive report.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson makes the statement that hundreds of farmers have appeared at the Pennington county court house to go over the figures and assessments as prepared by the board of viewers. Meetings to protest and organize against the proposed ditch have been held in many localities thruout the sections of Pennington county affected by the proposed construction. A great mass meeting was held at Goodridge on Nov. 29, at which time a strong organization was perfected to protest against the proposed outlay. The meeting went on record as being in favor of cutting out all proposed laterals to Ditch No. 30 and in favor of an extension to present Ditch No. 18. Otherwise the judicial ditch was not favored. Tax payers of the northeast portion of Pennington county—that section directly affected by such a ditch—claim all that is desired at present is an outlet for water now thrown upon their lands by ditches already constructed.

ELK MEMORIAL IS LARGELY ATTENDED

J. H. Hay Delivers Address at Meeting Held Here on Sunday Afternoon.

The memorial services for departed Elks held by Thief River Falls lodge No. 1308 last Sunday afternoon was largely attended and the exercises most impressive. The address for the occasion was delivered by J. H. Hay, assistant state commissioner of agriculture, who is himself a member of 1308.

Mr. Hay spoke in touching terms of the brothers in whose honor the memorial meeting was being held and of the work they had done in the world. His remarks throughout were a plea for a better understanding among men and a greater desire to work for the general good of all. Associations such as the Elks, he said, were doing much to promote a closer bond of fellowship and advance the idea of mutual assistance.

There were musical numbers by the Elks orchestra, a piano solo by Miss Laura Forde and a vocal selection by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher.

Ten members of Thief River Falls lodge have died since its organization, as follows: K. O. Dock, W. W. Pierce, M. C. Cutter, J. H. McKinney, H. L. Anderson, W. J. Gorman, H. G. Hieber, Geo. G. Johnson, C. A. Pitkin and Glen Blawd.

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Society and Club

Golden Wedding Anniversary.

On Sunday, Dec. 5, at their home on Duluth Ave. N., Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rolland celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, the affair being attended by a number of their children and their families. Those of the children present were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Miller and Irene of Crookston; Mr. and Mrs. J. Rolland, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Rolland and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hanson and family, and Miss Marie Rolland. Those unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rolland, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. L. Rolland and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Rolland, all of Hibbing and Marius Rolland of Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland are pioneer residents of this vicinity, coming here in 1883, having spent the greater part of the time farming. Since retiring, ten years ago, they have resided in this city. The old couple are hale and hearty and can tell many interesting stories of their early experiences in this country. The home had been attractively decorated with streamers of gold crepe paper and vases of yellow chrysanthemums. At noon a sumptuous four course dinner was served. A large wedding cake formed the centerpiece. Individual candlesticks with gold shades supporting burning tapers were used at each place. The hours following the dinner were spent informally. The honored couple was presented with ten gold pieces, one from each of their ten children.

Joint Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club on Dec. 13 has been postponed from the afternoon to 8 o'clock in the evening, when the ladies will hold a joint meeting with the Girls' Community club at the Commercial club rooms. A committee composed of Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mrs. Geo. Johnson, Miss Maude Johnson, Miss Irma Johnson, Miss Grace Wilson, Miss Meta Kiland were chosen to make arrangements for the meeting. The earlier part of the evening will be taken up with the following Christmas program: Community singing of Christmas carols, under the leadership of Miss Maude Johnson. "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," "The First Noel." Reading, "The Three Wise Men," Miss Una Nelson. "O, Come All Ye Faithful," "O, Little Town of Bethlehem." Violin solo, selected, Miss Ausling Sorenson, Miss Forde, accompanist. "We Three Kings of the Orient Are," solo parts by three small boys. "Silent Night, Holy Night." Solo, "The Birthday of a King," Neidlinger, Mrs. O. F. Mellby. Reading, "Uncle Abner on Christmas," Mrs. Sterns. "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear." "Joy to the World."

Light refreshments will follow the program. The remainder of the evening will be spent in a social manner.

Delightful Hostesses.

The home of Mrs. J. F. Kieltz is the scene of a delightful party this afternoon, where she and Mrs. Ferdie Brown are entertaining a number of their friends. The hours will be devoted to needlework and cards. During the luncheon, which will be served at 5 o'clock, the hostesses will be assisted by the Misses Alice Berg and Ida Cady. The guest list includes Mesdames John Ward, B. G. Rounds, L. G. Larsen, L. R. Johnston, C. M. Adkins, D. Robinson, K. Melby, W. J. Janda, C. T. Christenson, Fred Johnson, J. Q. Cronkhite, Fred Protz, Frank Protz, Geo. Nicholson, J. H. McClellan, Ed. Jaranson, E. M. Schutt, P. Cady, O. C. Sandberg, W. Gray, O. Olson, Leo Fahey, and Mrs. J. A. Englebert of Bronson.

Entertains For Guests.

Miss Maebelle Swanson entertained a number of friends in honor of Messrs. E. Lundquist, Robert Wood and Lloyd Huntington of St. Paul who visited at the Carlson home over Saturday. The evening was spent in playing cards and dancing and at midnight a delicious lunch was served. Those present were Misses Helen Langseth, Violette Krohn, Mae Olson and Ella Krohn and Messrs. Herman Simpson and Rodney Campbell of Crookston.

Entertain at Cards.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cerney entertained a few of their friends at cards at their home Saturday evening. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. Protz, Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Becker, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Deschane, the latter from Argyle. During the course of the evening a dainty lunch was served.

Bridge Club Meets.

The Tuesday Night Bridge club was entertained by Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher at their home this week. Supper was served at 6:15. Three tables were in play during the evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, Miss Grace Iverson and W. A. Barnard.

Entertain at Dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich entertained at dinner at their home, 716 Main avenue north, on Saturday evening. Covers were laid for twelve. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nielai, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Dr. Milan and W. A. Barnard.

Supper at Church.

The Young Peoples Society of the Zion Lutheran church will serve supper in the church basement on Friday evening, Dec. 17, beginning at 5 o'clock. The service will be cafeteria style and following is the menu: Meat *sandwiches, pickles, cake, pie, salad,* coffee. A cordial invitation extended to all. d 9-16

Girls' First Game.

The high school girls' basket ball team will play the Holt school girls' team at the Thief River Falls high school gym tomorrow afternoon. Coach Tommeraasen states that the local team should prove one of the best in the Northwest and a fast game may therefore be expected.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our heartfelt thanks to those who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our cousin, J. M. Johnson.—Adolf Anderson, Mrs. O. W. Brink, Mrs. C. W. Johnson, Felix Anderson, Albert Anderson, Wylie, Minn. d9

Masons to Elect.

Northern Masonic lodge will hold its annual election of officers at the regular meeting next Monday evening. On Friday evening of this week there is a dancing party for members of the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges, at the lodge rooms.

Will Address Doctors.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich will address the members of the Red River Valley Medical association at the annual meeting to be held at Hotel Crookston this evening. His subject will be: "Use of Adhesive in Treatment of Wounds and Burns."

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends for help and sympathy during the illness and after the death of our beloved Head, also for the rich floral offering.—Aug. Nordlund and Family. d9

Bible Chautauqua Meetings.

"Will There Be a Second Chance?" This is a subject that you want to hear, and we therefore invite you to come to the meeting on Sunday evening, Dec. 12, at 7:45.

Basket Social.

There will be a basket social at Silverton church on Saturday evening, Dec. 18, to which everyone is invited. A good time is assured all who attend. d 9-16

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 14, at the home of Mrs. C. M. Carlson. Everybody welcome.

Entertains.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained a few of her most intimate friends at her home Saturday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. F. H. Herrick, Mrs. R. B. McWilliams, Mrs. Geo. Biddick, Mrs. L. L. Cohn, Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mrs. F. C. Nielai and Mrs. R. H. Ross.

Mrs. Streeter Hostess.

Mrs. G. C. Streeter entertained a few ladies at her home Tuesday at a thimble bee. Delicious refreshments were served before the guests departed.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney informally entertained a few ladies at her home Monday evening. Light refreshments were served following a few hours of sewing.

News of Rail and Shop

G. P. Zachritz of Minneapolis, general car inspector for the Soo line, conducted a meeting at Car Foreman F. B. Conklin's office at Thief River Falls on Wednesday for the purpose of giving instruction as to the modifications to the rules of the American Railway association as regards construction. The foremen from the following places under the supervision of the Winnipeg division of the Soo attended the meeting: O. M. Olson, Mahnomen; Carl Peterson, Fordville; M. Gilbertson, Adams; P. Lofquist, Emerson; T. D. Scanlan, night foreman at Thief River Falls, and F. B. Conklin.

The Brotherhood of Railway Carmen held their regular meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall on Saturday evening. At the close of the business session the carmen's ladies congregated and the evening was spent in dancing, after which a lunch was served.

Carman George Parenteau is absent from work on account of sickness.

J. O. Herrick, agent at Warren, has been granted a leave of absence to attend a meeting of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, which is being held at Minneapolis, starting on Monday. He was relieved by H. B. Pfeifer.

F. C. Paine, agent at Erskine, resumed work on Monday, vice H. B. Pfeifer, transferred to Warren.

O. F. Ehlers, agent at Alexandria, has been granted a leave of absence for an extended period. Accompanied by Mrs. Ehlers he will visit relatives at Charlestown, West Virginia, and at Cincinnati, Ohio.

D. W. McNabb of the I. C. C. Bureau of Explosives, was in Thief River Falls over Tuesday, enroute to Vancouver, B. C.

Brakemen Adolph Larson and G. W. Bennett have been granted 90 days leave of absence.

Peter M. Benson relieved Edward Battenfeld as warehouseman at Thief River Falls, Battenfeld having undergone a surgical operation.

Arthur C. Anderson has been appointed warehouseman at Devils Lake vice K. L. Gecslin, who has been granted an extended leave of absence, which he will spend at points in California.

A. L. Chapman has been put on as agent at Egeland, relieving C. W. Ernest, granted a 90 day leave of absence on account of sickness. Mr. Ernest will spend the winter in Florida and California.

Mrs. E. L. Elofson left for St. Paul on Thursday last. From St. Paul she will journey to Windom, Minn., for an extended visit with relatives.

Divisional visitors during the past week were: Mr. and Mrs. John M. Skog at Bronson; John Dahl at Mahnomen; Mrs. John Webskowski at Alexandria; Mrs. Reinard Knutson at Minneapolis; Mrs. Nelden Urdahl and one daughter at Forest River; Mrs. A. W. Thorson and Mrs. A. Haugen at Clearbrook, and Mrs. W. H. Funnel at Glenwood.

The cigars are on Grandpa and Father Scanlan this week, a nine pound daughter having been born to Mrs. and Mrs. Fred T. Scanlan on Sunday.

BEET SUGAR FACTORY IS A POSSIBILITY FOR NORTHWESTERN MINN.

Favorable Results of Experiment of Past Season Considered Sufficient Warrant For Erection of Plant.

Developments within the next few days may determine whether or not northwestern Minnesota will have a beet sugar industry in the near future, according to the following statement which appeared in the Crookston Times of December 3:

Following the noon-day dinner at the Crookston Association, at which Mr. Fred Ross discussed the sugar beet raising matter, a meeting was held to consider Mr. Ross' report and taken the necessary steps, if conclusions favoring such are reached, to effect the erection of a beet sugar factory here.

The result of the experiment upon the part of a number of farmers in this district during the past summer in raising sugar beets seem to offer sufficient warrant for the industry being entered into to a materially larger extent, large enough to effect the erection of the factory here as proposed. Mr. Ross has given a great deal of attention to the practical results to be attained, and has found that in addition to making a profitable crop in themselves, the beets have furnished excellent forage, and his representations to the assembled farmers and others will no doubt carry material weight in arriving at a conclusion as to the advisability of investment in the industry.

J. E. O'Brien, S. W. Wheeler and C. P. Booth have been named by President Egeland of the Crookston Association, to represent that organization in the conference with the farmers in their consideration of the project, and to lend what assistance may be desired in furthering the negotiations.

HOLIDAY SHOPPERS

For your benefit Thief River Falls stores will be open until 10:00 P. M. from

DECEMBER 20 to 23 INCLUSIVE

They will close Promptly at 6:00 P. M. Christmas Eve.

The Merchants Association

The Most Competitive Business in the World

—said Judge Fred W. Freeman recently. Continuing, he added: "The oil business today in all its phases from production to refining, to marketing, is the most competitive business in the world."

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is but one of 16,000 organizations interested in the petroleum industry in the United States. Each of these is performing a useful service or it would not be in business. Competition eliminates the unfit in the oil business, as it eliminates the unfit in every other line of endeavor.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is here today because it has made good.

The energy of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is concentrated on making good in a big, constructive way.

The territory served is probably the most important farming territory in the world. The Company's opportunity for service is great, and the need for its service is ever present.

Every year the farmers of the Middle West need petroleum products in greater volume. They demand products of standard quality, delivered at regular intervals and at reasonable prices. Only through a complete organization of men, trained by years of experience, can so complicated and important a service be rendered.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is such an organization, and by concentrated, co-ordinated effort, from refiner to tank wagon delivery, it is able to render a service to the farmers and others who depend on the Company for material which enables them to perform tasks essential to the public welfare.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is directed by a group of seven business men, trained in every phase of the oil industry, and is operated by 23,000 loyal men and women, who are devoting their lives to the business.

Its owners, the stockholders, are 5526 in number, no one of whom owns as much as 10 percent of the total stock.

Any one may become a part owner in this Company, by buying its stock in the open market.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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IS NOW TELLING ALL HER FRIENDS

Mrs. Lee Feels Like She has a New Lease on Life Since Taking Tanlac.

"Since taking Tanlac I feel like I have taken a new lease on life," said Mrs. H. Less, 1087 Payne Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

"I had been in a badly rundown condition for the past two years," she continued. "I had no appetite and whenever I managed to force down a few bites my food would not agree with me. Gas would form on my stomach and severe pains developed in my chest. I frequently had violent headaches that nearly drove me distracted and I was so nervous I could not get a good night's sleep. I felt weak and wasted all the time and I lost so much weight my strength was rapidly dwindling away.

"I heard so many good things about Tanlac I decided to give it a trial. After taking the first doses I began to feel an improvement and realized that I had at last found the right medicine. I have taken three bottles now and the change that has come over me is really wonderful. I have a splendid appetite and can eat anything without the least bad after effects. I am no longer troubled with gas on my stomach and the pains have all disappeared. I never have a headache and my nerves are in perfect condition. I sleep like a child every night and I feel splendid all thru the day. I am telling all my friends about this wonderful medicine."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—adv.

No Christmas Parcels to Norway; Post Suspended

Postmaster John Morgan has been instructed by R. E. White, acting second assistant postmaster general, that the parcel post service to Norway is temporarily suspended, upon advice from the Christiana office of the postal administration of Norway that the Norwegian government has suspended parcel post service. Parcels addressed to points in Norway will not be accepted at the Thief River Falls postoffice until further notice.

BANKS WELCOME WOMEN EMPLOYES

Speaking of the many fields open to trained women, F. L. Watkins, Pres., Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., says: "An astonishing number of our women graduates go to banks. Within a few days, Edith Krause was sent as assistant to the cashier of the Dakota National Bank of Dickinson, Hazel Broderick went to the State Bank of Alice, Etta Hannaford to the Farmers State Bank of Hazelton."

Dakota Business College courses are thorough. Graduates succeed everywhere. "Follow the Succe$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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What Shall I Get Him For Christmas?

That question is easily answered here.

We are showing a very complete line of Silk Shirts, Ties and Hosiery at very reasonable prices. Our lines are the best to be had.

Come in and see what we have to offer while our stock is large.

A small deposit holds goods until you are ready for them.

The Palace Clothing House

Visible Reflection of A Declining Market

As We Said Before

Nowhere are declining market conditions reflected more promptly than in a J. C. Penney Co. Store.

Because with our large buying organization, constantly in touch with primary markets every change is at once felt; then because of our rapid turn-overs we are in a position to meet these declines most gracefully.

A FEW EVERYDAY NEEDS

Men's Department

Item	Price
Men's Silk Shirts	$8.90, $6.90
Men's Silk Striped Shirts	$3.50, $3.25
Men's Madras Shirts	$1.49
Men's Percale Shirts	98c
Men's Ties	49c, 75c, 98c, $1.49
Men's Silk Sox, all colors	75c
Men's Lisle Sox	25c, 35c, 49c
Men's Mufflers	$1.98, $2.25
Silk Handkerchiefs, plain or fancy	75c
Linen Handkerchiefs	35c, 45c, 49c
Mercerized Handkerchiefs	15c, 19c, 25c
Men's Felt Slippers	$2.25, $2.75
Men's Leather Slippers	$3.98
Suit Cases, Traveling Bags	$2.98, $3.50, $3.98, $4.98, $5.90, $6.90, $7.90, $8.90, $9.90, $10.90

Ladies' Department

Item	Price
Tricolettes, navy, black, brown, taupe, at per yard	$1.85
32-34 Wash Satin, navy, black, brown	$1.75
Ladies' heavy flannel Outing Gowns	$1.49
Ladies' heavy flannel Outing Gowns	.98
Hair Ornaments for Xmas Gifts	25c, 35c, 49c, 98c, $1.49, $1.98
New Ladies' Purses	98c, $1.49, $2.98, $3.98, $4.98, $5.90, $6.90, $7.50
Ladies' Silk Hose, navy, brown, black, white	.98
Boudoir Caps	98c, $1.49, $1.98
Camisoles, silk with gold trimming	98c, $1.49, $1.98
Camisole Ribbon, 12 in. wide	.85
Large Plaid Wool and Wool Nap Blankets	$1.98, $2.49, $2.98, $3.98, 4.98, $5.90 to $7.50.
Large size Fancy Turkish Towels	.45
Ladies' Tuxedo Sweaters	$8.90
Ladies' Slip-over Sweaters	$4.98, $5.90
Ladies' Waists, Georgettes and Heavy Silks	$2.85, $3.98, $4.98, $5.90
Stationary	10c, 15c, 25c, 49c, 98c, $1.49, $1.98, $2.25, $2.49, $2.98
Palm Olive Soap	.08
P. & G. Laundry, 100 bars	$5.90
Lenox Laundry, 100 bars	$2.98

J. C. Penney Co.
A Nation-wide Institution
297 STORES

We close Christmas Eve at 5:30 for the benefit of our employes.

City News

B. Helgland left Saturday for Neilsville to attend to business matters.

Buy a Princess phonograph of J. L. Bean and save $40. It plays all records. d9

Al Brink, state boiler inspector, of St. Hilaire, was in the city on business Monday.

Mrs. M. O. Saugen of Steiner was in the city on Saturday attending to business affairs.

Fresh Eggs at Sunnyside Poultry Yards, 622 St. Paul Ave. S., or call Phone No. 3354. d9

Perry Froseth left Sunday evening for Glenwood, where she spent a few days with friends.

P. Engelstad residing on a farm near Hazel was a business caller at Radium on Saturday.

Mrs. Robt. Olson of Holt was in the city on Tuesday and Wednesday attending to shopping.

Miss Hannah Swenson of St. Hilaire was a shopper in this city between trains yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Nelson of this city left yesterday afternoon for a short visit at Crookston.

J. M. Nordgaard arrived Tuesday evening from Fordville to visit for a short time with local friends.

Miss Edna Batten left the first of the week for Minneapolis to spend an indefinite time visiting a sister.

C. Svensgaard motored to this city on Saturday from his home near Mavie, to attend to business matters.

Just now corn is the cheapest and best feed to be had. We have it on hand. Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. 9

Miss Lizzie Kisch departed Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will remain for an indefinite period.

G. Halverson returned Saturday Saturday evening from Grafton, N. D., where he had been on a business trip.

H. L. Schuster returned Wednesday evening from Plummer where he attended the Red Lake county poultry show.

Miss Mary Gotham who has been visiting with relatives at Minneapolis, returned to her home here Monday evening.

Thordis Svensgaard, who attends the local high school went to her home at Mavie on Saturday to visit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen came over from Rosewood last evening for a brief visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney has moved her hemstitching parlors from the Scandia block to the Evenson Apts., 416 Main Ave. N. D23

A beautiful Kimona or Bathrobe makes a lasting gift. You'll find here a big assortment in all colors and prices. Sapero's. D9

Clarence Olson of Trail was the guest of his sister, Miss Pearl, between trains Thursday evening enroute to the cities.

J. M. Vorachek of Fordville, N. D., spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting at the home of his brother, J. J. Vorachek.

Now would be a good time to buy that coat as they are selling from 25 to 50 per cent lower than earlier the season. Sapero's. D9

Louis Knasa returned Monday from Mavie, where he had spent the week-end with his parents. He is a student at the local high school.

Miss Alice Hall returned to her home at Middle River Saturday having spent a few days as the guest of her cousin, Miss Elsie Granum.

F. R. Simonson of Ardoch, N. D., visited friends here for a couple of days the latter part of last week, returning to his home on Saturday.

Mrs. G. H. Smith left the latter part of last week for Minneapolis where she will be the guest of relatives and friends over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Erickson returned to their home in Minneapolis Sunday evening after visiting for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Erickson.

Lloyd Alnes returned Saturday after making a trip through the southern part of the state. He resumed his studies at the local high school on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Way left on Monday afternoon for Portland, Ore., where they will spend a month and from which point they will tour the west by car.

Mrs. Frank Carlson and daughter Edith visited with Mr. Carlson, who is employed at Plummer on Tuesday. They went there in the morning, returning in the evening.

Clarence Ringham is expected to arrive the latter part of the week from Duluth, where he is employed, to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives and friends here.

J. E. Curtis returned to his home at Baudette on Tuesday morning after spending a few days visiting his mother in this city. The former Mr. Curtis is proprietor of a drug store at Baudette.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left Friday evening for St. Paul to attend a meeting of the Republican Woman's organization at the St. Paul hotel and also to attend a meeting of the state women's auxiliary at the athletic club on Tuesday.

O. R. Smith will leave the first of next week for St. Paul to attend a meeting of state oil inspectors to be held there Dec. 14 and 15. There are 60 oil inspectors in the state and during their stay in St. Paul a banquet will be served in their honor at one of the leading hotels in St. Paul.

J. M. Vorachek of Fordville, N. D., returned to his home on Saturday after a few days' stay in this vicinity. In company with his brother, J. J. Vorachek of this city, the Dakota man went to Mahnomen for a short visit. He intended purchasing a number of [illegible] for shipment to his farm but [illegible] nothing in the neighborhood exactly meeting his requirements.

Supt. C. O. Norby of Goodridge was a week-end guest of friends here.

C. Christenson of Thorhult was a business caller in this city on Saturday.

Last but not least, this is the handkerchief store. Dainty and pretty. Sapero's. D9

Geo. Peterson came down from Hazel on Saturday to attend to matters of business.

Mrs. Hans Wilson of St. Hilaire was in the city on Monday on a shopping expedition.

Fresh Eggs at Sunnyside Poultry Yards, 622 St. Paul Ave. S., or call Phone No. 3354. d9

S. J. Anderson of Hazel arrived on Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting with friends.

Mrs. T. Thompson of Rosewood arrived Thursday evening to visit with friends for a few days.

Alex Gulseth left Friday morning for Rosewood to visit for a few days with his brother, Anton.

Mrs. J. Storholm left yesterday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit for a few days with relatives.

Mrs. V. Campeau, who was a guest of friends here, returned on Saturday to her home at St. Vincent.

Have you seen the Princess phonographs at J. L. Bean's store? He sells them at factory prices. d9

Miss Mary Jevne arrived here on Tuesday afternoon from Strathcona to receive chiropractic treatment.

Miss Mildred Gillette left this city Monday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting friends.

Rev. O. J. Lundell returned Tuesday evening from Warren, where he had spent the day on a clerical call.

Just now corn is the cheapest and best feed to be had. We have it on hand. Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. 9

Miss Emma Ptacek who is employed at Black's Sweet Shop, was an over Sunday guest of her parents at Mavie.

Miss Anna Swenson, accompanied by Miss Dufwa of Greenbush, were visitors and shoppers in this city Saturday.

Give the little one a "Patsy Romper" for Christmas; made in Los Angeles and sold here exclusively. Sapero's. D9

Mrs. I. Ingvaldson and three children left Monday morning for Holt, where they will spend a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs Islet LeSage arrived here Friday evening from Hazel where she is teaching and was an over Sunday visitor at her home.

Alfred Hermanson, who is employed at Duluth, arrived on Tuesday and will visit at the home of his parents over the holidays.

Mrs. Reynard Knutson and daughter, Edith, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where they will spend a week visiting with relatives.

Ed. Warner left Saturday morning for Steiner to visit for a short time with his son, Rene, who is engaged in farming near that place.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant left the latter part of last week for the twin cities where she will spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Meyer, who was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Percy Lamb over Sunday, returned to her home at Steiner on Monday morning.

Miss Ella Lindstad, who had spent a couple of months visiting at her home here, left yesterday afternoon for Fargo, where she will be employed.

Miss Lizzie Johnson left Friday afternoon for her home at Goodridge to spend Sunday with her parents. Miss Johnson attends high school in this city.

Walter Evenson, accompanied by his sister Gladys, came down from their home at Mavie, on Wednesday evening and visited with numerous friends here.

Mrs. T. J. Thompson who had spent a couple of weeks as the guest of her brother, N. A. Nelson and family, returned to her home at Story City, Ia., Monday evening.

Miss Eleanor Bauer, teacher in the Goodridge schools, attended to shopping in this city on Saturday. While here she was the guest of her friend Miss Ella Pelto.

Miss Grace Iverson, instructor in the high school, returned from Cass Lake Saturday evening where she spent a brief period as the guest of her friend, Miss Gallager.

We wish to inform that we just received a small shipment of advance spring styles in Tricotine and silk Dresses for the social season just commencing. Reasonable are the new prices. Sapero's. D9

J. H. Hay, former Supt. of schools in this city, but now state commissioner of agriculture, greeted numerous friends here the first of the week. On Sunday he delivered an address at the Elks' Memorial services.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Corbett of Saskatoon, Canada, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. Kaushagen, left yesterday afternoon for Fargo, where they will visit other relatives before returning home.

Mrs. E. Benson arrived here the first of last week from the coast via Winnipeg and spent a few days as the guest of her friend, Mrs. Ila Reynolds. She returned to her home at Minneapolis on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bush of Detroit, Minn., returned to their home Saturday evening after a visit at the homes of their daughters, Mrs. Geo. Curtiss and Mrs. Roy Lambert. Mr. and Mrs. Bush had spent some time touring Montana and Wyoming.

Word was received in the city Sunday from Mrs. G. W. Connell that her father, Dr. A. E. Spalding, passed away at his home in Luverne, Minn., Saturday evening, death resulting from pneumonia. Mrs. Connell left here last Wednesday and was with her father when the end came. Mr. Connell left for Luverne last Saturday, arriving there the next day. It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Connell will return to their home in this city some time next week.

John Whitman of Steiner was a business visitor in the city on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Warner of Rollis arrived here Tuesday for a brief visit with friends.

W. J. Brown, who had attended court at Warren returned home Saturday evening.

Theo. Quale spent the first of the week at Middle River attending to official business.

Fresh Eggs at Sunnyside Poultry Yards, 622 St. Paul Ave. S., or call Phone No. 3354. d9

Clarence Rice, a student at the local high school, spent Sunday at Goodridge with his parents.

You want to see the pretty silk underwear as well as the dainty Philippino garments. Sapero's. D9

Bernhard Bendickson of Germantown was in the city on Friday attending to business matters.

Nina Westby arrived Monday evening from Rosewood and will spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus returned on Tuesday from Rosewood, where she had visited briefly with friends.

Mrs. J. Batten returned Saturday from Blackduck, where she had spent some time visiting with friends.

Alfred Hermanson returned to this city Tuesday morning from Crookston where he had spent a few days.

Now is the time to buy your phonograph. You can get the Princess at wholesale price from J. L. Bean. d9

Miss Olga Lindquist who teaches at the Knox school, spent the week-end visiting with her parents at St. Hilaire.

Alfred Dybvik went to Goodridge last Friday evening and visited at the J. P. Jensen home until the following evening.

Miss Margaret Eichammer left on Tuesday afternoon for her home at East Grand Forks where she will visit until Saturday.

Miss Mabel McGinnity who is engaged in teaching school at Brooks, returned to continue her duties on Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. Pahlen and daughter of Plummer were guests of relatives here on Saturday, returning to their home on the flyer.

Miss Anna Anderson returned to her home at Holt on Monday after spending the week-end visiting with friends and relatives here.

John Hellquist returned to Rosewood the first of the week after having been here for a week receiving treatment for rheumatism.

Miss Hilda Christenson returned to her home at Goodridge on Thursday after spending a few days in this city receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. R. Sagmoen, accompanied by Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, arrived Wednesday evening from Rosewood to attend the Elsie Baker concert.

Ole and August Thune of Hazel were in the city on Saturday visiting with their sister, Miss Alma, who is employed at Simonson's store.

Mrs. W. J. Lee and daughter, Phyllis of Steiner, left Saturday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to be the guests of Mrs. Enright for a few days.

John Blom returned to his home at Rosewood on Tuesday, having spent a few days here attending the meetings at the Swedish Lutheran church.

Mrs. J. O. Sether will leave tomorrow morning for Bemidji, where she will spend a few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arnold Dale.

Mrs. O. Brink of St. Hilaire, accompanied by her son Albert visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink between trains on Tuesday.

Misses Geneva and Olivia Swenson returned to their home at Rosewood Tuesday morning after a visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. S. Brandon.

Miss Clara Sorenson, who spent the week end visiting her parents returned to Rosewood to continue her duties as teacher of the school at that place.

E. Lundquist, Robt. Wood and L. Huntington, all of St. Paul, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carlson the latter part of last week.

Misses Zella Huddleson and Olga Olson of St. Hilaire were guests of Miss Agnes Schafer between trains on Monday. While here they also attended to shopping.

Just received more of the popular "Jack Tar" and "Bonnie Brig" Middies in flannel, navy, red and green. An ideal gift as well as practical for your own use. Sapero's. D9

Mrs. John Gustafson returned to her home here Tuesday afternoon having spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Brenna at Middle River.

Lois Struble left Friday afternoon for her home at Mavie, where she visited over the week-end with her parents. She returned Monday morning to resume her duties at the local high school.

Herman Aakre, who had spent a few months at Minneapolis, arrived here Tuesday morning on the flier and left on the Electric for his home at Goodridge, where he will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. H. L. Sande returned to her home at Steiner Saturday after a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether. She was accompanied by Miss Jennie Ordal, also of Steiner.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich left Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend a meeting of the league of Women Voters and also attend to matters in connection with the Red Cross of which she is county chairman.

Mrs. Peter Oleson of Cloquet who is lecturing under the auspices of the University Extension Bureau, is the guest of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich today enroute from Hallock to Middle River at which places she delivered lectures.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Deschane of Argyle motored to this city on Saturday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cerney. On their return trip Monday they were accompanied by Mrs. Cerney, who returned on the Wheatline Monday evening.

Gunder Senum of Mavie motored to this city on Saturday evening to visit with friends.

Olaf Olson of Middle River was in the city on Saturday attending to matters of business.

Mrs. T. Ness of Holt was the guest of friends here over Sunday. She returned to her home Monday morning.

This store is noted for its good silk Hosiery. She will delight in receiving a pair from this good stock. Sapero's. D9

Miss Alice Thompson returned to Hazel on Monday morning after having spent the week end as the guest of her parents.

E. M. Schutt returned yesterday morning from Beloit, Wis., where he had been to attend the funeral services of a sister-in-law.

The most beautiful collection of Blouses we have ever shown is now ready for your choosing. Sapero's. D9

Mrs. J. P. Ferdinandson and son, Stewart, of Goodridge, came over on the electric line Saturday morning and spent the day shopping.

Misses Elodie and Alice Paulson went to Warren on Saturday morning were the former is receiving medical treatment. They returned in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Scanlan are the happy parents of a baby daughter, born to them on Sunday, Dec. 5. Mother and child are reported as doing nicely.

Mrs. J. Sjordahl and two daughters, who spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with numerous friends here, returned to their home at Holt Monday.

H. Ferdinandson of Goodridge was in the city between trains Friday, leaving on the flyer in the evening for Minneapolis, where he will spend a few days as the guest of a sister.

Mrs. M. G. Thoreson of Goodridge was in the city Saturday attending to Christmas shopping and also visiting at the homes of her sisters, Mrs. E. M. Bennes and Mrs. O. D. Ostby.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Iverson of Grygla, came to this city Saturday to meet their daughter, Mrs. H. Lindgaard and baby of Rugby, N. D., who will spend an indefinite period visiting her parents.

Miss Anna Froiland came down from her home at Plummer on Saturday to do some shopping. She left in the afternoon for St. Hilaire, near which place she is engaged in teaching school.

H. W. Protzeller left the latter part of last week for Chicago in response to a message that his daughter was taken ill when Mrs. Protzeller and children were returning from an extended visit with relatives in Pennsylvania. A letter to friends states that the child is quite ill with pneumonia and that it is uncertain when they will be able to return home.

Sign on Highway.

Red Lake Falls—The city council has agreed to pay for the big sign erected south of town on the Jefferson highway by the Red Lake Falls Commercial club and bearing this inscription, "You are welcome to Red Lake Falls. New modern hotel. Women's rest rooms. Park for camping. Men's club rooms. Fishing. Swimming. Get acquainted." On the reverse is the invitation, "Come again." It is planned to erect a similar sign on the Jefferson highway north of the city next spring.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

Obituary

John M. Johnson.

John M. Johnson, residing alone on a farm in Excel township, died on Dec. 2 from pleurisy at the age of 71 years. Deceased was born in Sweden and immigrated to this country when a young man. He was unmarried and had been engaged in farming in this vicinity for a number of years. He leaves to mourn his death two brothers and a sister, who live in Sweden. Interment took place on Saturday in Greenwood cemetery.

Clara Josephine Chilson.

Clara Josephine, ten months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chilson of Mylo, N. D., died in this city on Dec. 4, from an infection in the elbow joint from which she had been suffering for over a month. Funeral services were conducted Dec. 7 and interment was made in Freenwood.

Hazel Senate.

Miss Hazel Senate passed away at the Oakland Park sanatorium on Dec. 2 at the age of 19 years. Since the death of her father, mother and brother, Hazel had made her home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nordlund. Deceased had a kind and pleasant disposition and had a large circle of friends. As long as her health permitted she was a faithful worker in the Swedish Mission Sunday school. She leaves to mourn her loss her grandparents, her sister, Myrtle, and an uncle, Walfred Nordlund. The funeral was held on Saturday, Rev. O. J. Lundell conducting the services. A trio from the Swedish Mission church sang two impressive songs. Interment was made at Greenwood cemetery.

AT THE HOTELS

Registered at the city hotels during the past week were: Dr. C. N. Clark, Greenbush; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Louen, Middle River; H. F. Wadsworth and F. V. King, Warren; Alf Sollem and Ole Moen, Middle River; G. Jasperson, Plummer; Ed. Abbott, Grygla; J. J. Holgin, Alvarado; J. A. Geroldmas, Strandquist; H. B. Irusdahl, Pitt; P. J. Bauer, Radium; J. E. Quist, Warren; Wm. Forsberg, Warren; W. C. Searle, Middle River; K. O. Gigstad, St. Hilaire; Ben and Victor Johnson, Badger; S. Duwa, Greenbush; Roscoe Hanson, Karlstad; Hans Anton, St. Hilaire; Stuart McLeod, Goodridge; A. O. Erickson, Grygla; T. H. Tweten, Germantown; A. G. Egge, Halma; John Waber, Angus; Alfred Johnson, T. Nybo and Perry Grytdal, Holt; Mrs. S. W. Watson, Grygla; Mrs. W. H. Wilde, Hazel; C. A. Engelstad, Gatzke; O. J. Olson, R. E. Spink and Andrew Morna, Middle River; Marion Chloupek, Mahnomen; Stena Anderson, Karlstad; W. N. Erickson, Grygla; E. G. Gustavson, Strathcona; H. H. Kallock, Oslo; Adeline Christinnson, Greenbush; Claude Knudson, Gully; Mrs. R. E. Locke, Hazel; Annie Flathaug, Warren, Agnes Espeland, Gonvick.

SHOP EARLY

--gifts in Gloves

Dressy looking Gloves in any of the popular leathers or in Silk always please. See our offerings before buying.

Cape, Suede, Mocha, Ivory, Mahogany, Colt and fancy Horsehide Dress Gloves; also silk and fabric Gloves

$1.50, $2, $2.50, $3
$3.50 and up to $7.50

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA

Store open evening until 9 P. M.

THE MOST DIFFICULT THING ABOUT SAVING MONEY

THE most difficult thing about saving money is to start. After that the fascination of seeing your account increase from week to week, and month to month, should insure regular and persistent saving.

MAKE the starting easy by starting now. Stop putting it off. Begin. Quit postponing. Waiting means wasting. One dollar is enough. Your bank book is here. Come get it.

CITIZENS STATE BANK

CANDY PRICES REDUCED

Here is good news for those who must provide Candies for the Holidays. All our high grade candies have been reduced in price.

CHOCOLATES Reduced........20%
ALL OTHERS Reduced........30%

Box Candies, many of the best-known brands in the country **35c to $1.00 per box**
Our goods are guaranteed strictly pure and fresh. Come in and have us supply your Christmas wants.

Minnesota Candy Kitchen
Third Street

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING HINTS

You Will Find it an Easy Matter to Make Your Selections if You Come to This Store.

Our line of Christmas Goods is this year more complete than ever before and comprises just the kind of articles you wish to give.

JEWELRY OF ALL KINDS

Watches and Fobs
Lavallieres
Wrist Watches
Bracelets
Waist Sets
Parisian Ivory Articles
Waist Sets
Toilet Sets
Manicure Sets
Sewing Sets

Rings and Pins for men, Women and children in hundreds of designs and at all prices

Cigars, Tobaccos and Smokers' Articles such as Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Holders, Match Boxes.

A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF STATIONERY OF HIGHEST QUALITY AND MODERATE PRICES

Diamonds and Other Precious and Semi-Precious Stones.

It will be a pleasure to show you this exceptional stock. Come in before making your decision. Something in our large and varied line is sure to be just what you want.

F. J. STEBBINS
DRUGGIST and JEWELER.

Art Gift Dept.

Balcony

Special just received by express. Twenty-five New

PATTERNS OF CRETONES FOR FUDGE APRONS

Also plenty of Rick-Racks in all colors.

Loken Brothers

Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

42 inch French Serge in a big and beautiful line of the Season's best shades, at a price that you haven't heard of for forty years. Basement, at yard	85c
36 in. Wooltouch school plaid Dress goods. The most wonderful Dollar value produced in the last 2 years. Now 1000 yards go on sale at per yard only Basement	35c
36 in. fancy Sateen linings, also all shades in plain Linings, a value we have never seen equalled at our price of per yard Basement	38c

Offering a Remarkable Assortment of New Christmas Merchandise

That has just arrived. Positively the finest and newest patterns. The prices are down to rock bottom, and the variety of merchandise that we are now offering is big enough to take care of your every requirement.

Darning Cotton, 5c Spools, black, brown, tan, white, navy, 2 Spools for	5c
Richardson's Spool Silk, in every wanted shade. A real stock to to choose from, 4 Spools for	25c
Coat's Spool Cotton Thread, all numbers and all colors, 4 Spools for	25c
46 to 48 in. Meritos, the best Oil Cloth made in America, Here at, per yard	40c
Barbour Linen Thread, plenty of all sizes: Black or White, Per Spool	25c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste, the big tubes, sold everywhere at 60c and 50c. Here always, each	39c
Colgates Talcum Powder, the big 25c cans everywhere. Here always, each	19c

There is no store anywhere that can sell you cheaper than we can. And there is none that commences to give you the good service that we do. Then compare this store and its beautiful equipment and its magnificent stock with anything else this side of the cities.

Dry Good and Silks at the New Low Prices

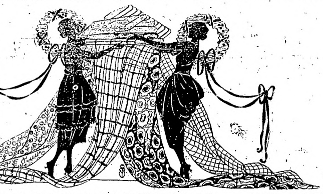

40 in. highest quality pure Silk Charmuese; 60 days ago a $5.50 value, now choice of 12 leading shades at, yard	$2.95
Our highest quality pure Silk Tricollette, 36 in wide. Shades: Burnt Orange, Celia, Copen, Gold, Black, Brown, Navy, at yard	$1.95
40 in. Silk Crepe de Chene in 38 shades to choose from. A selection worth while. 60 days ago a $3.50 value. Now your choice at per yard	$1.50
40 in. Silk Georgettes, 40 leading shades to choose from. A wonderful Christmas gift, at yard	$1.15
36 in. pure silk Messaline; 28 of the best shades to choose from at, per yard	$1.65
36 in. black Taffeta Silks. Special good value at twice the price, at per yard	$1.65
36 in. Manchester English Percales; were 50c per yard less than 60 days ago. Now 2000 yards to choose from in light and dark and grey patterns, at, per yard, Half Price, or	25c
Amoskeag Apron Ginghams in a big variety of new checks, at yard	15c
40 in. heavy wool Tricotine in Navy Blue only yard	$1.35
America's Highest Grade Fancy Plaid Standard Ginghams 50 pieces to choose from. A 50c value. Here only at, yard	29c
Highest quality 27 in. pure Bleached white Outing Flannels. A wonder value at, yard	25c
36 in. the best heavy high grade white Outing Flannel, at yd	29c
36 in. fancy Outing Flannels, a full range of light and dark partterns, at per yard	29c

Ladies' and Misses'

Heather brown ribbed wool Hose	$1.00
Infant's Cashmere Hose, silk heel and toe, at per pair	50c
Ladies' heavy Velastic or Seal Lion 'leeced Union Suits, a $3.00 value, at	$1.95
Children's heavy fleeced Union Suits, at	$1.45
Ladies' heavy all wool separate garments, each	$1.95
New wool Ladies' and Misses' Sweater Coats; a wonder value, at, each	$3.95
Good Ladies' and Misses' two dollar heavy knit Hockey Caps, at each	$1.00
Children's black ribbed Hose, at, per pair	29c
Jersey Gloves at, per pair	59c
$3.00 and $3.50 values in a lot of dropped numbers in Warner's Corsets, each	$2.39
Ladies' Fine Silk Hose at Sensational Reductions For Christmas. Our entire $3.75 Values in all leading shades and all sizes. We are simply overstocked, our loss your gain. Now at per pair	$2.50
A big line of Ladies' Silk Hose; all our $2.50 values. Now your choice, pair	$1.58
A silk Hose that we sold hundreds of at $1.85 a pair; to close this number out at once, your choice at, pair	99c

You never knew a Woman to have too many Gloves, so why not choose at least one pair from this attractive selection?

Commencing Friday, Dec. 10th

We place on Special Sale our entire fine Stock of

KID GLOVES

Everyone of them a splendid value at our regular price of $4.25. Now buy them at, pair **$3.50**

Bargain Basement Dry Goods Specials

Fancy 27 inch Sateen Linings—green, pink, black, at per yard	25c
36 in. fancy Sateen Linings, per yard	38c
Black 36 in. heavy Mercerized Sateen Linings; was our 85c quality 60 days ago, now, yard	40c
36 in. Ideal Percales our highest grade standard quality. A new shipment just received, at, yd.	18c
30 in. heavy Cheviot Skirtings. A good pattern, at at per yard	25c
Heavy Knitted wool Hockey Caps, A Basement Special, each	95c
Knitted Scarf and Cap Sets; were a $2.50 value. Now to close out, your choice, at	$1.39

MEN'S Canvas Gloves 2 pair for	LADIES' Fine Cotton HOSE Black, Brown, White, pair	MEN'S Cotton Half HOSE Special, pair
35c	15c	15c

36 in. brown Sheetings, at, yard	18c
42x36 in. good quality Pillow Cases at each	30c
81x90 good quality seamless Sheets, A basement value at	$1.65
42 in. Aurora high grade Pillow Tubing, basement, yd.	40c
Standard Dress Ginghams; a new shipment, now at, yd.	19c
Men's $2.20 Denim, Overalls, full size, best made garments; jackets the same, at per garment	$1.50
9-4 Bleached 81 in. wide Sheetings, at per yard	50c
Little girls' gingham Aprons, rick-rack trimmed, all made ready-for-use; ages 2 to 9. They just arrived, at, each	38c
Ladies' Coverall Blue Indigo Aprons, Basement special	95c
Children's ribbed black Stockings, at, pair	19c

Towels at New Low Prices

17x32 Turkish Towels in plain white, each	19c
18x36 extra fine Turkish Towels, plain white, each	29c
17x34 fancy Turkish Christmas Towels, each	45c
18x36 heavy Huck Towels, Special, each	20c
18 in. cotton Huck Toweling, per yard	25c
27 in. Amoskeag fancy Outing Flannels. Plenty of lights or darks. A wonderful value. Basement, at, yard	19c
Surgeon's Gauze Cheese Cloth, 36 in. bleached, at yard	10c
Pure white 26 in. Outing Flannel, Basement, yard	15c
BABY CRIB BLANKETS Compare this one. Only 60 of them in Pink and Blue, at each	58c
Bleached Canton Flannel. A value, yard	15c
Baby Sacques knitted and braided, pink and blue, with sleeves, each only	50c

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CHILDREN'S JOY-LAND NOW READY

In our

Great Basement Toy Department

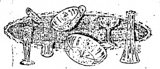

Also a wonderful line of new glassware: Sun burst and Cut glass. New crockery, new dishes, Pyrex ware, trunks, bags, aluminum ware tree trimmings, games, books, toys, dolls, candles, and everything else imaginable.

Loken Brothers

Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

MISS F. L. WELCH, OF CHICAGO

Special Demonstrator For

Mme Isabell's Toilet Requisites

is with us this week and will remain here all of next week. We hope every woman in this vicinity will avail themselves of this unusual opportunity. It's a real treat, and her knowledge and help costs you nothing.

Scores of Gift Suggestions to Be Found In The Merry Christmas Store

Opening Sale in Our New Silverware Dept.

COMMUNITY AND 1847 ROGERS BROS.

Our Section is Filled With Gifts for Most Particular Friends. Silverware

For the little lady for whom nothing can be too good: for the wife who is still the sweetheart; for that fellow who is going to just overwhelm you with the gift sends—SILVERWARE.

You may choose something that is glowing elegance, or handsome utility—and then you can feel such comforting assurance that the gift selected will impress and delight the recipient.

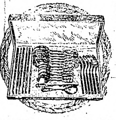

Our prices on Bridal Wreaths design, and the Primrose pattern of Community Silverware

26-PIECE FLAT GRAIN LEATHERETTE CHEST
—CONTENTS—
6 Teaspoons
6 Tablespoons
6 Medium Knives
6 Medium Flat Forks
1 Butter Knife
1 Sugar Spoon
Chest and Contents (with Embossed Handle Knives **15.00**

Six Soup Spoons in lined box	$2.95
Sugar Shells, each	65c
Cold Meat Forks, each	95c
Salad Forks in lined box, price, set	$3.50
Butter Knives, each	65c
Berry Spoons, each	$1.85
Six Knives and Six Forks inn box or roll, at per set of 12	$5.95
Gravy Ladels, each	$1.25
Teaspoons, set of 6	$1.50
Dessert Spoons, set of 6	$2.85

NEW LOKEN PRICES ON THE BEST COMMUNITY AND 1847 ROGERS BROS. SILVERWARE, including the following Patterns: Sheraton, Patrician, Adams, Cromwell, Old Colony, Heraldic and Louvain.

26-PIECE SEAL GRAIN LEATHERETTE CHEST
—CONTENTS—
6 Teaspoons
6 Tablespoons
6 Medium Knives
6 Medium Flat Forks
1 Butter Knife
1 Sugar Spoon
Chest and Contents (with Hollow Handle Knives **39.95**

45-PIECE SOLID MAHOGANY CHEST
—CONTENTS—
12 Teaspoons
3 Tablespoons
6 Medium Knives
6 Medium Flat Forks
6 Soup Spoons
6 Butter Spreaders
1 Butter Knife
1 Sugar Spoon
1 Cold Meat Fork
1 Berry Spoon
1 Gravy Ladle
1 Pickle Fork
Chest and Contents (with Hollow Handle Knives) **58.50**

6 hollow handle Knives and 6 flat Forks in a roll and boxed, at set	$16.95
6 Modeled handle Knives and 6 modeled Forks, 1847, at, set	$8.95
Salad Forks, set of 6 in box	$6.50
Fruit Knives, set of 6	$3.50
Teaspoons, set of 6	$3.50
Dessert Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Table Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Coffee Spoons, set of 6	$3.50
Butter Knives, each	$1.50
Gravy Ladle	$2.50
Berry Spoons	$3.00
Cold Meat Forks	$2.00
Sugar Shells	$1.25
Carving Sets	$15.95

FOR THE WOMAN FRIEND, A PRETTY BIT OF NECKWEAR

Every woman loves to have plenty of these beautiful things. You know just what would be becoming to her, and there is so much daintiness and effectiveness to a Neckwear gift that costs only a few dollars.

The newest things are now here.

Pretty collars from	65c to $5.00
Beautiful Vests at	$5.00 to $7.50

Also new Scarfs and the latest in Veils.

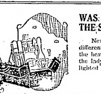

WAS IT SANTA CLAUS WHO CHANGED THE STYLES OF WOMEN'S HAND BAGS?

New and beautiful styles have just come out—so different from those that women now have—making the best possible holiday gifts, for you are sure that the lady has nothing like them and will be most delighted to get a new Bag in the latest mode.

Prices $1.00 to $25.00 each

WHAT COULD BE MORE PLEASING THAN A PAIR OF SLIPPERS?

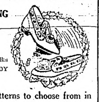

For Daughter, for Mother, for Wife.

Comfort for every evening of the year.

The cost is so small—yet think how many folks are doing without them—just because SOMEBODY DOESN'T THINK.

We have a handsome big variety of patterns to choose from in all dainty colorings, at the new low prices recently named.

The Christmas Handkerchief Bazar

OFFERS DAINTY AND PRACTICAL GIFTS THAT EVERY FRIEND WILL BE HAPPY TO RECEIVE

We have been amazed ourselves to see what a remarkable assemblage of Handkerchiefs we have gatherd for Christmas—now that they are displayed where they can be so conveniently seen.

The past few years brought a famine in Handkerchiefs. Many people have never caught up in their supplies of these necessaries, and few women today have the courage to buy the elegant handkerchiefs that they used to possess in such liberal numbers.

So what could be a better Christmas suggestion than Handkerchiefs?

Here are all the sensible kinds, for practical service; but here are also the daintiest, most elegant kinds that tasteful women love.

See the exhibition at the new Handkerchief Bazaar.

Ladies' fine Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, each	5c
Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, at each	10c AND 15c
Ladies' Regular 25c Handkerchiefs, Special each	18c
A big line of the finest Imported Handkerchiefs, at 35c, 40c, 50c and up to	$1.85

Boxed Handkerchiefs make lovely gifts; priced at box **40c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00**

THIS WILL BE A GLORIUS CHRISTMAS FOR THE WIFE WHO RECEIVES NEW FURS!

Perhaps the wife has been putting off the long-for purchase for several years, because prices were so high.

Then this is the time to make the waiting worth while—to give the careful wife the joy of possessing the beautiful Furs that she has been wanting, and to buy them for a much lower price than heretofore.

It will be a gift for many Christmases—a possession that will give pride and service for many years.

Now Our Entire Stock of Fine FURS on Sale at 25 percent off

$25.00 Fur Sets, Now	$18.75
$50.00 Fur Sets, Now	$37.50
$75.00 Fur Sets, Now	$60.00
$100.00 Fur Sets, Now	$75.00

THE SEASON'S CLIMAX IN SELLING WOMEN'S SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES

Today's achievement is one that could not have been dreamed of six weeks ago. Or someone may have anticipated that some such event might happen in January, or later next year.

But to be presented to the women of this community TOMORROW MORNING, with a whole season ahead, makes it the most extraordinary news that we could bring—the best individual offering that we could make, to women who appreciate fine apparel and enjoy buying it at such exceptional small cost.

Every woman in the community who could use another Coat or Suit this season, will want to see this remarkable collection.

Only 10 Fine New Suits Left Now

Take your choice

At Just HALF PRICE

Our entire stock of Coats, Dresses, Waists, and Skirts all going daily at a tremendous big discount, below former sale prices. Come in and select your garments. We will quote you prices that you wouldn't believe was possible. So come, let us convince you.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING

Happiest words of the whole year—to the littlest child that can understand them—to the dearest old grandmother who can hear them, and to every other whole-hearted human being between.

Never was a brighter Christmas in prospect than this one. The war has gone further into the past and the evils it left behind are passing away.

What a happy thought it is going to be, when we are puzzling over gifts for Friends, to realize that Christmas money will buy so much more than it would a short time ago—more quality or quantity—MORE HAPPINESS FOR FRIENDS—may now be bought with every dollar that is spent.

OUR CHRISTMAS STORE INVITES YOU!

It never was more interesting for its array of Gift-Things, or for the attractiveness of the prices.

They tell us that this is going to be a year of sensible, practical gifts. That has been the wholesome tendency for years, and we have provided abundantly for those who wish to buy sensible, practical gift-things. Every section of our store is filled with them, and forehanded folks, who do their Christmas shopping early will be delighted with what we have to show them now.

But there will always be friends for whom the less practical things are desired—the things that one may count it extravagant to buy for oneself, but which one is so delighted to receive on Christmas morning. These, too, are here, in gratifying variety.

"Christmas is coming!"

To enjoy it most fully and avoid all its unpleasant worries, DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING NOW—Get the best pick of the gift-things and avoid the rush and worry of those vexations days just before Christmas.

H. O. Loken.

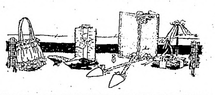

STILL TIME TO MAKE THAT GIFT OF NEEDLEWORK

So many new things have come in during the past few days—just the things that you can make up so easily, and thus give a present made with your own hands, to add the touch of personal sentiment. Come and see them. These delayed stamped Japanese Luncheon sets. Then new stamped towels, fuggo aprons, and several very pretty novelties in our Gift Shop.

With Zero Weather Here and Christmas Coming We Announce For Tomorrow a Selling of

Fine Woolnap Blankets

at the Lowest Prices in Years!

White Blankets—Plaid Blankets—Gray Blankets—in varying weights and sizes; but each sort selected for its excellence in its grade, and now secured from manufacturers who had to readjust their stocks to the new basis of cost; so you may choose from this splendid collection, while these lots last, at A THIRD OR MORE BELOW PREVIOUS PRICES.

Splendid gift suggestions for wife, or mother, or other housekeeping friends—fine time to fill in your own supplies against the cold weather now here, and the Christmas visitors that may be coming.

These descriptions of some of the extraordinary offerings:

Full size Mohair wool mop Blankets, our regular $5.95 blankets, now	$3.95
A big line of fine Plaid Blankets, our $6.95 values now	$4.95
Single bed size blankets, Pair	$1.39

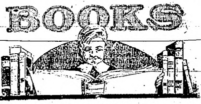

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CARRYING OUT PROMISES.

Something of value should come out of all this effort on behalf of the farmer. The fact that he has been rather neglected seems to have dawned on lawmakers, particularly in Minnesota, and there is an indication that a different attitude is to be assumed towards him in the future.

The farmer's chief complaint has been that too much of the money paid for a product of his raising has gone to people who have had nothing to do with its production and expended but little effort in its distribution. His contention is that he should receive a larger share of the amount paid by the ultimate consumer.

It is all a matter of marketing and this particular subject is now receiving the attention of many men who sympathize with the farmer's view and believe that he is entitled to a greater return on his investment and effort. Minnesota is well in the lead among the states giving consideration to the subject and is probably nearer a solution than any of its neighbors.

The incoming administration is pledged to exert every influence to bring about the desired change. Mr. Preus received a tremendous vote in the country districts on the strength of his announced program and there is no doubt but that he will do his utmost to carry it out. In this he will be most heartily seconded by the State Agricultural Commission, of which J. H. Hay, formerly of this city, is a member. The plan suggests many new ideas, chief among which is that of allowing grain growing associations representation on the boards of trade and chambers of commerce in the large grain centers. In this manner it is proposed that farmers shall have a voice in all matters pertaining to the handling and price of the grain they produce.

To a certain extent at least the Nonpartisan movement in the state must be given credit for this proposed innovation. The powerful following secured by this organization in a short time no doubt had the effect of waking others up to the necessity for doing something. If nothing else, the league provided the farmers with an agency for making their wants known and they are as a consequence in a fair way to realize the most important thing for which they contended. The complaint of the Minnesota farmer has been that he has been discriminated against in marketing and permitted to have nothing to say concerning the final disposition of his own product. The new plan will do away with this contention and will provide the agency which he has sought. For this reason he will perhaps maintain that the Nonpartisan movement has been of immense value to him, no matter what ultimately becomes of the league as an organization.

A better day is dawning for the farmer even though the outlook at this particular moment is not bright. Intelligent efforts are being made to find out just what is wrong, and this alone is a long step in the right direction. He is the most important factor of our national life and it is not particularly to the credit of our lawmakers that he is compelled to work against discouragement and difficulties such as no other class is compelled to encounter. It is to Minnesota's credit that it is among the first to seek a remedy for these conditions.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

President Wilson's message to congress at the opening of the regular session on Monday is more in the nature of a valedictory than a recommendation. The paper is in the usual fine Wilsonian style but contains nothing startling.

Not a word is said concerning the League of Nations, except possibly by implication. This is rather surprising as it was expected the President would lay stress upon what he evidently considers the most important matters now confronting the nation and the world.

Concrete recommendations in the message were confined to the following subjects: Revision of the tax laws with simplification of the income and profits tax; independence for the Philippine islands; a loan for the Armenians; economy in government appropriations and expenditures, and the creation of a "workable budget system;" cold storage and other laws affecting the cost of living and the federal licensing of corporations as recommended in previous messages; rehabilitation and training of disabled soldiers and sailors. The president did not endorse a bonus.

There is not likely to be any great opposition voiced to this program. Outside of the Armenian proposition none of the recommendations are new, while most of them have already been given more or less attention.

In order to curb profiteering and help bring down the cost of living the President suggests that laws governing the disposal of goods in cold storage be enacted. On this point he says:

"It would be most serviceable if it were provided that all goods released from cold storage for interstate shipment should have plainly marked upon each package the selling or market price at which they went into storage in order that the purchaser might be able to learn what profits stood between him and the producer or the wholesale dealer. Indeed, it would be very serviceable to the public if all goods destined for interstate commerce were made to carry upon every packing case whose form made it possible a plain statement of the price at which they left the hands of the producer. I respectfully call your attention, also, to the recommendations of the message referred to with regard to a federal license for all corporations engaged in interstate commerce."

The message is not a great state paper, but covers in a general way the subjects uppermost in the minds of our people at this time. There are fine passages referring to the duty of the nation in these trying times but only in these is the Wilson of four or six years ago recognized.

SITUATION IMPROVING.

The price of wheat has advanced to such an extent during the past week that the farmers now have hopes of being able to realize a return on their crop at least approximating the cost of production. The figure has not yet reached two dollars per bushel and this seems to be the goal for which the producers are striving.

There is certainly nothing unreasonable in this demand. Fair-minded men in all walks of life realize this and are not blaming the farmers for their refusal to sell at a ruinous loss. It is also pretty generally conceded that there is nothing in the grain situation which warrants any such slump as that which overtook the market about two weeks ago. There is a well founded suspicion that the drop was due largely to manipulation on the part of those who gamble in grain and that the law of supply and demand had comparatively little to do with it.

Numerous remedies are suggested, among them being the extension of loans to farmers by the government, the granting of credits to foreign nations that these may be enabled to buy our surplus, and the enactment of a tariff law which would protect our farmers from coming into competition with cheaper wheat from the outside in domestic consumption. Of these propositions the one suggesting some plan for helping foreign governments and thus stimulating export demand seems to be the most popular. It is evident that nothing in the way of direct aid from the federal the federal government can be expected, and this should in any event be invoked only as a last resort. Such action would establish a precedent that would in time prove most annoying, as the farmer is not the only one who finds himself in difficulties during this period of readjustment. A protective tariff measure would perhaps temporarily help the farmer but would meet with opposition on the part of the consumer.

Meantime the farmer is holding his wheat and if he can hang on long enough the price will be forced up before any extraordinary measure can be enacted for his relief. He cannot be blamed for his attitude. When the country needed wheat he planted it to the exclusion of other and more profitable crops. Because of high labor and seed costs he stood to lose money even at the guaranteed price prevailing at the time of seeding, and if forced to sell at the figures now quoted it would in many cases mean ruination for him. He is taking the only means at hand to force up prices and is, to some extent at least, succeeding.

One thing is certain. Every person and agency in the farming districts of the country will do everything possible to see that the farmer gets somewhere near a square deal. This is simply a matter of self preservation, as the stability of all business is dependent upon the prosperity of the farmer in these sections. It is also recognized that during the war the farmer was prevented from securing the benefits of advancing markets by reason of the government's establishing a maximum price for his product and it hardly seems fair now that he should be the first to suffer in the inevitable readjustment.

THE FARM BUREAU.

There will shortly be inaugurated a campaign for farm bureau members in Pennington county. When the result is noted it should be found that not a single farmer and but few persons engaged in other lines of business are missing from the rolls.

The farm bureau is the one activity we cannot afford to do without. In the one or two instances in this state where the organization has been abandoned after getting a start there has followed a movement for its reestablishment almost immediately.

The bureau acts as a sort of clearing house for the farmer. It is also to a large extent his club room. It is the place he brings his troubles and the one assembly in which he can talk over his prospects with persons who understand his aspirations and position. The farm bureau office is his chamber of commerce and information bureau at the same time.

There is no way of computing the value of a live organization of this kind to the farmers in the district which it serves. Its activities extend in so many different directions and its benefits are so widespread and varied that any sort of estimate is out of the question. Its work is seldom spectacular but always beneficial and often essential.

The best way to get a line on what the farm bureau is doing is to ask the farmers who have been members since its organization in Pennington county. They can recount instances in which the bureau has saved them hundreds of dollars by its prompt action in time of danger and can point to times innumerable when inability to quickly get into touch with the agent would have meant a considerable loss. They will unhesitatingly state that it has been worth a hundred times its cost to the farmers of Pennington county.

No one wants to get along without the farm bureau but we should all care enough about its maintenance to become members. The impending drive will provide an excellent opportunity for getting your name on the roll and there is certainly no excuse for your holding back. The bureau, under the leadership of County Agent J. J. McCann, has become one of the most active and progressive in the state and it should be a matter of pride with every citizen of the county to keep it in that position.

IN HOLIDAY ATTIRE.

The stores of Thief River Falls have assumed their holiday togs and are thrown open for inspection by their owners and managers. They present a beautiful spectacle and contain the wares appropriate to the season in surpassing array. The merchants extend most cordial invitations to the public to visit their places of business *and assure everyone they will be welcomed* in the accepted Christmas spirit.

The offering in seasonable goods this year is larger than for a number of seasons past. American manufacturers have to a large extent resumed business along their usual lines after the interruption due to the war and are in a position to supply everything needed or desired. Prices also are much lower than for some time past, all of which should make for an active and satisfactory holiday trade.

Merchants have done their share toward bringing things back to normal at this holiday season and it is now up to the public. One thing is certain—there is no excuse for any-one going out of the city for what is needed. If your wants cannot be supplied right here in Thief River Falls the articles desired simply cannot be had. It will also be found that the prices are in most instances below those charged in other town, while goods superior in quality cannot be found anywhere.

Make your Christmas purchases early. By doing so you will not only have a wider variety to choose from but will also confer a boon upon the salespeople. Buy during the daytime whenever possible as the Merchants association members have decided to keep their places open evenings only for a few days just before Christmas Eve.

WHY BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS?

"Seal your mail with the Stamp of Health" urges the 1920 Christmas Seal Sale appeal to citizens of Minnesota. The suggestion to thus "stamp out tuberculosis" is excellent. That the funds raised through the sale of the famous penny Christmas Seals in previous years have been spent to the advantage of the public is evidenced by official reports of the State Board of Health. Deaths from the "Great White Plague" decreased to 2,244 last year. The death rate from tuberculosis was 94 per 100,000 of population last year. Since it was 116 in 1911, and 108 in 1918, it is apparent that the battle against this deadly disease is the "Winning Fight" of the Christmas Seal.

MONEY TUCKED IN JEANS.

How much cash is there in your pockets?

It may be more than $28 or it may be less, but inquiries have shown that most persons in the business world, wage earners and farmers carry sums which will average about $28.

This means a lot of money that isn't working. Further statistics show that if one half of the people in the United States lived up to the figure which is said to be the average, the total would reach the staggering sum of $1,500,000,000. Carrying this money about in one's wallet amounts to an economic crime. It tends to increase the cost of living and it retards the nation's enterprise. It reduces the bank's ability to furnish credit to the industrial and business world as well as to the farmers. It causes interest rates to rise.

Eighteen banks have just failed in North Dakota. Authorities on the banking question state that the greatest harm is not done to these banks, or to those people who deposited their money with them. As a rule the banks are not "on the rocks." They have merely asked to be closed until such a time as relief of the present money situation shall allow them to open their doors with a possibility of breaking even. They are in a solvent condition. The great harm is done to the morale of the banking public—and the wallet in the pocket grows fatter still, or the sock tucked away in the mattress takes on added weight.

Possibly the banks are themselves in part responsible for this hording of spare dollars. The farmer or the business man in times of money stress is forced to pay interest at a greatly increased rate on money that he may be called upon to borrow—if he is fortunate enough to be able—but interest on money deposited remains the same. The rise of interest rates becomes far out of proportion to the rate paid on deposits.

Is the banking policy in times of stress a consistent one?

EFFERVESCENCE.

Public bath employes of the twin cities are going to have their salaries raised. "Bathe at Home" may become the slogan.

Oolai says, "if you want a thing half done, send a boy; if you don't want it done at all, send two boys; and if you want it well done, go yourself."

Warning is issued to all who are accustomed to taking their weekly ablutions on Sunday morn—better get in line with the Saturday-nighters. Sunday blue laws are going to be very exacting.

That bird from Boston who refused to accept a $1,000,000 legacy from his father's estate may have been inspired by noble motives but he's all wrong. If prices keep on coming down he could soon have bought a decent suit of clothes for himself.

A late movie success captions, "Mary was one of those metropolitan young ladies who possessed the ability to appear well dressed on next to nothing." After seeing the picture it is very apparent that the caption should have read "in next to nothing."

POOL AGAINST POOL

(St. Paul Dispatch.)

Representative Halvor Steenerson has exposed a new and altogether different violation of the Sherman anti-trust law in the pooling by foreign governments of their purchase of wheat, and manipulations of the markets to force prices downward. All previous combinations in transgression of that law have been for the purpose of raising prices.

Mr. Steenerson cites highly respectable authority for his statements in Julius H. Barnes, who was president of the United States Grain corporation.

Having discovered this combination, the next step is to combat it. It would be difficult to indict, convict, fine or imprison the British government or any other foreign government. Possibly the American agents of such foreign governments might be reached in some manner, but the suggestion of Mr. Barnes is that the government establish an agency to play the other end of the game. The foreigners having combined to prevent competition among bidders, the federal government could organize a combination of the sellers.

Mr. Barnes' idea is a variation of the proposal to revive the War Finance corporation, which operated during the war to hold grain prices fairly steady by guaranteeing a minimum price to the producer. Secretary David F. Houston of the Treasury Department and Eugene Meyer, Jr., who was managing director of the War Finance corporation, have opposed renewing that method of keeping up wheat prices. Their chief reason is that sellers of all kinds of merchandise would demand favors of the same sort. It should not be forgotten that the purpose of the wheat price guaranty was not primarily to insure a profit to the farmers but to insure the production of as much grain as possible while the war was still in the balance, so that our allies could continue the struggle with greater power. That emergency has passed.

The pooling of the wheat crop, for the purpose of meeting the pooling of the foreign demand, would resemble greatly the coffee valorization scheme of Brazil. But there are dangers in any such methods of meeting an unfavorable situation. If the price of wheat were raised by such means, the growing of wheat would be stimulated everywhere else, which is much more easily done in the case of that grain, capable of production in the temperate zone anywhere, than is possible with coffee. It would be better not to adopt any new and untried expedients without careful consideration.

An investigation of the situation may throw some valuable light on it.

Mother: "Timmie, don't forget to kiss the nurse good night."
Timmie: "I'm scared to."
Mother: "Why?"
Timmie: "Pop tried to kiss her this morning and she slapped his face.
—Minneapolis Tribune.

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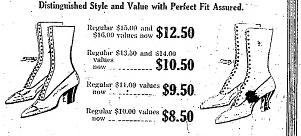

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Mulry's Bazaar

Imperfect Page

[illegible] TOWN FARMERS OBJECT TO PROPOSED PROGRAM OF DITCHES

[illegible]at Cost of Construction of [illegible]nal Artery Would Mean [illegible]lly Confiscation of Farms—[illegible] to Enter Strong Protest.

[illegible] delegation of farmers re[illegible] the eastern townships of [illegible] county are at Warren to[illegible] purpose of protesting [illegible] establishment of proposed [illegible]0. The Goodridge Banner, [illegible] the action taken at a re[illegible]g in that village has the [illegible] say concerning the atti[illegible] people in that vicinity to[illegible]oject:

[illegible]able opposition has devel[illegible] proposed ditch number 30, [illegible]e fought hard. This ditch [illegible]ily intended to give a bet[illegible]e and to improve and en[illegible] No. 18.

[illegible]als have been added to the [illegible]position, making 34 miles [illegible]ith an estimated cost of [illegible] $14,042 per mile.

[illegible]ge town is assessed $63,-[illegible]dge village $25,570, Mavie [illegible]rth $57,190, Silverton $24,-[illegible]rleaf $43,890, Reiner $72-[illegible]$3,151, Agder $36 208, Grand [illegible]761, Moylan $43,686, Esplee [illegible]d an expense of $13,000 for [illegible]oads.

[illegible]atter has been the principal [illegible]scussion throughout the ter[illegible]cted for some days, and [illegible] protest against the ditch [illegible]and are being held in all [illegible]t towns. A meeting was [illegible]Vednesday evening. Christ [illegible] made chairman and Nick [illegible] secretary. The threatening [illegible] the situation makes action [illegible] cost being almost confisca[illegible]ny farms in addition to the [illegible]ges now being paid. It was [illegible] of the meeting and a motion [illegible]ied to that effect, that all the [illegible] be cut out and only the extension of 18 be established; otherwise the meeting was opposed to the ditch in its entirety. What is wanted now is an outlet to carry off the waters brought upon us by ditches already constructed—and that will cost enough—and not to add any more burdens to men who are carrying now almost more than they can stand up under."

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South Bound		
	Daily	9:50 P. M.
	Ex. Sun.	6:00 A. M.
North Bound		
	Daily	2:45 A. M.
	Ex. Sun.	8:30 P. M.
To Duluth—East		
	Ex. Sun.	7:00 A. M.
	Ex. Sun.	7:30 A. M.
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	Ex. Sun.	5:00 P. M.
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	Ex. Sun.	5:30 P. M.
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North Bound		
	Ex. Sun.	11:15 A. M.
	Ex. Sun.	11:50 A. M.
South Bound		
	Ex. Sun.	3:50 P. M.
	Ex. Sun.	2:45 P. M.
[illegible] SHORT LINE		
East Bound		
	Ex. Sun.	7:35 A. M.
	Ex. Sun.	3:00 P. M.
West Bound		
	Ex. Sun.	10:30 A. M.
	Ex. Sun.	5:55 P. M.

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[illegible] Ragna Nestegard and Alice [illegible]ard were made happy last week [illegible] being placed in positions by [illegible]ker's Business College, Grand [illegible]rks, adding two more to the many [illegible]rted on the road to greater op[illegible]tunities. Your turn will come too [illegible] you enroll at the A. B. C.—position [illegible]alary—opportunities—what more [illegible] you need? Enroll Monday. For [illegible]e catalog write name and address, [illegible]ar out and mail.

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ADDITIONAL FUNDS THRU LEGISLATION

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mrs. J. J. Richter and J. J. McCann represented Pennington county at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Public Health Association held at the Athletic club at St. Paul last Wednesday. Mrs. Bishop, former second vice-president was succeeded by Dr. A. J. Chesley, Mrs. Bishop being elected to the state executive committee.

The program outlined by the convention for the coming year, far exceeds that of previous years. A bill was drawn up and approved and will be presented at a future session of the legislature. It calls for appropriations to reimburse counties for expenditures for mothers' pensions and for additional appropriations for county sanitariums.

Further plans were announced relative to the Christmas Seal sale which will take place on December 1-10. County organizations will hold booster meetings for chairmen and sale managers previous to the first of the month. A date has not been set for the Pennington county meeting as yet. A chairman will be appointed for each township, seals and instructions to be furnished by the county chairman. Mrs. J. J. Richter and J. J. McCann will co-operate in managing the sale throughout the county.

Churches

Christian Science—Services at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "God the Preserver of Man." Sunday school immediately follows the service. Wednesday evening meeting at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service at Bethlehem at 11 a. m. Service in city at 3 p. m. Business meeting Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. Business meeting at Norden church Tuesday, Dec. 14, 2 p. m.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church, [illegible] Nyberg, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Communion at 3 p. m. The evening service will be in English. You are cordially invited.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Seeger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid, Thursday Dec. 9th. Cantata Woll concert Thursday evening, Dec. 9th. Confirmation class Saturday 10 a. m. Norwegian service with Lord's Supper Sunday 11 a. m. English service at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Meeting of Board of Trustees Monday evening, Dec. 13th, 7:30 p. m., at First and Peoples' State bank.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Burackman, Pastor—On December 12th, the Sunday school primary will meet at 10 o'clock. The remainder of the Sunday school will meet with the church people at eleven o'clock. The group of members that have been received at this time will be given the public welcome. Dr. James Wallace, head professor of the bible department in Macalester college, St. Paul, will deliver the first of the anniversary addresses. Dr. Wallace will speak a second time at eight o'clock in the evening. The people of the Methodist Episcopal church have been invited to join with us in the evening service. Everyone welcome. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. On December 16th the Presbyterian congregation will banquet together at the church at 6:30 in the evening. It is expected that all will remain to enjoy the program and spend the evening.

First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services Sunday morning. Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Services in the American language at 7:45. Luther League will meet in the church basement Friday evening, Dec. 10, at 8 o'clock. Willing Workers will meet at the Knutson home, Duluth Ave. N., Friday evening, Dec. 17.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 12: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Service at St. Hilaire on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All welcome.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services in the German language 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. All children taking part in the Christmas program will meet for practice Sunday at 2 p. m. Bible class meets Thursday at 8 p. m. Several members will entertain the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon in the church basement.

POLITICAL PROSE
By
"The County Chairman"

Election Date Becomes History—Legislation to Put Incorporation Amendment Number 1—Townleyism. Defeated. May Not Have Been in Vain.

Election data and figures of the past became real history this week when the state canvassing board met and gave its official endorsement to the state election count as compiled by Julius Schmahl, secretary of state. From now on the election of November 5th last will be the basis of all future computations and analysis. A total of 797,945 ballots were cast and counted. Of the four constitutional amendments, three prevailed. Good roads topped the list with 526,936 for to 199,693 against. In the case of the other three amendments the vote was No. 2, yes, 446,959; no, 171,414. No. 3, yes, 331,105; no. 217,558. No. 4, yes, 488,497; no, 95,015. The necessary ratification vote based on the ballots cast and counted was 398,793. The vote on state officers follows: Governor: J. A. O. Preus, Rep. 415,805; L. C. Hodgson, Dem., 91,293; Henrik Shipstead, Ind., 281,402; P. I. Sampson, Soc., 5,124. Lieutenant Governor: L. J. Collins, Rep. 432,225; J. P. McConnell, Dem., 79 414; C. H. Hubbel, Nat., 6,696; G. H. Mallon, Ind, 224,601; Lillian Friedman, Soc., 10,029. Secretary of State: Mike Holm, Rep., 434,130; Lillian J. Anderson, F-L., 193,658; F. C. Burmaster, Dem., 79,941; J. M. Copeland, Nat., 7,608; J. H. Hart, Soc., 18,965. Treasurer: Henry Rines, Rep., 448,313; J. P. Wagner, F-L., 191,429; F. H. Lueden, Dem., 68,621; P. H. Phelps, Soc., 22,454. Attorney General: C. F. Hilton, Rep., 446,730; R. A. McOuat, Dem., 53,738; T. V. Sullivan, Ind., 251,488. Railroad Commissioner: O. P. B. Jacobson, Rep., 445,557; C. C. McKenzie, F-L., 177,256; R. W. Robinson, Dem., 72,964; Tom May, Soc., 23,900. Supreme Court: H. B. Dibell, 375,188; Geo. L. Siegel, 279,860. President: Harding, Rep., 519,421; Cox, Dem., 142,994; W. W. Cox, Ind., 3,828; Debs, Soc., 50,105; Walker, Prob., 11,489.

The passage of Amendment No. 1 can truly be called one of the progressive acts of the campaign. Naturally those behind its adoption are jubilant. With due consideration for the hundreds who gave their time and money in aid of the Amendment one is compelled to single out Senator P. H. McGarry of Cass county as easily the biggest booster of the lot and to whom the state owes a debt of gratitude that will grow with the years. No. 1 was his hobby and he overlooked nothing in impressing its importance upon the voters of the state. With the Good Roads amendment a reality, legislation necessary to put it in operation now has the call and Senator McGarry with characteristic energy is directing every effort at the drafting of a bill that will bring about the desired results. A state highway commission of high grade men is his idea and "No politics" his slogan. If possible he would place the appointment of the commission in the hands of the supreme court. It is the biggest thing the state has tackled in years, Senator McGarry says, and he wants the whole thing above suspicion.

One of the features of the scramble for legislative positions is the large number of former and defeated house members who are demanding recognition. They come from all sections of the state. What the average man can see in a $5 a day legislative position with board and room costing pretty near that figure is beyond one, still the supply of candidates willing to take a chance exceeds the number of jobs. Any chance of their getting by, however, is slim as there is a general feeling against their recognition.

While everything bearing the Republican brand prevailed overwhelmingly, in the recent elections such must not be taken as meaning that the disgruntled element which has menaced the state government for the past four years is down and out. Far from it. Between the Nonpartisan League, Farmer-Labor and Socialists candidates more than 300,00 votes were cornered and it is a saf bet that a majority of these wi again be on the job two years henc Debs, the Socialist candidate for pre ident found favor to the extent o over 50,000 votes. That the business interests which were a heavy factor in thwarting the designs of Townley and his crowd are not unaware of what may happen is shown in a frantic effort to take over some of the Nonpartisan League thunder and give the relief demanded. The State Farm bureau in session in the twin cities the last week and the favorable reception given many of its demands is an evidence of this fact. Even the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce is now willing to grant trading favors to Farmer selling organizations. Much good came out of the Populistic wave of a decade ago. Perhaps Townleyism may not have been in vain.

"Love and Sympathy"
Truly Expressed by Flowers or Emblems from Duluth Floral Co., Duluth, Minn.

He's Worth It—

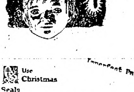

Little Tim—counterpart of thousands of helpless little children, rich and poor alike—struggling to live against the savage attacks which tuberculosis makes upon his frail little body. If we fail him—but we must not fail. He's worth saving.

Buy Use
Tuberculosis Christmas
Seals

[illegible] Christmas Seal you buy provides added [illegible] tuberculosis [illegible]

IF YOU TRADE OUT OF TOWN AND I TRADE OUT OF TOWN, WHAT WILL BECOME OF OUR TOWN?
The Dollar You Spend in Thief River Falls Will "Come Home To Boost."

The Times "TRADE-AT-HOME" Campaign

Read these articles with care. They may present something you hadn't thought of before. Patronize the people who's ads are here. They are your neighbors and will treat you right. The money you spend with them stays in circulation in Thief River Falls.

NYAL QUALITY STORES are criterions for purity and wholesomeness in ready-made formulas. As well you secure the benefit of an international service when dealing here. Bring us your prescriptions for accurate and speedy dispensing.—LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE.

IF YOU REQUIRE HARDWARE we have it. If we haven't got it we will get it for you. If we can't get it, it isn't made. This is our business policy, added to which should be the fact that a low working margin of profit saves you real money here.—BOTTEM HARDWARE CO.

OUR STOCK OF SHOES is the product of the best American manufacturers. You can always secure here a large assortment to choose from. We aim to satisfy every member of the family. Repair shop in connection.—A. M. LANGSETH.

WHEN BUYING JEWELRY it is at all times necessary to consider the standing of the firm from whom you buy. We guarantee service and satisfaction on all purchases made here and we strongly advise an inspection of our large stock before buying elsewhere. OLAF NESET.

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE in a dead town, patronize mail order houses. At this store you can secure a complete assortment of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Boots and Shoes, etc. Consider our quality and our prices and your money will remain in Thief River Falls.—LIEBERMAN BROS.

REMEMBER: When you buy Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, etc., at this store you see the genuine article and not a picture before purchasing. As well you secure personal service with every purchase, and at prices, quality considered, not obtainable elsewhere. —LARSON FURNITURE CO.

WE HAVE CONSCIENTIOUSLY ENDEAVORED, at all times, to anticipate your requirements here in Thief River Falls. Our purchasing power assures you of dollar for dollar values in all our departments. Our establishment discloses many attractive values at this time.—LOKEN BROTHERS.

WHEN PURCHASING YOUR MEATS AND GROCERIES at this store you are securing the highest quality at rock bottom prices. We guarantee you service, quality, fair prices and a square deal, and on this basis only we ask an opportunity to supply your requirements.—SIMONSONS.

WE SPECIALIZE in Ladies' and Children's Ready-to-Wear. We are constantly in touch with the large centres and our many lines are the output of the best and most widely recognized manufacturers. We urge your inspection.—THE SAPERO CO. (Incorporated.)

WE ARE IMPORTERS and Dealers in Shelf and Heavy Hardware, Tin and Graniteware, etc. Our personal guarantee is given on all goods sold by us. Our quality of merchandise is of the highest. We meet all competitive prices. — HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

YOU ARE POSSIBLY CONTEMPLATING the purchase of a Ford Car. If so, we urge placing your order early as supplies for this year are limited and transportation difficulties make deliveries prolonged. Agents for Fordson Tractors.—McFARLAND AUTO CO.

BECOME ACQUAINTED with the No-Vary Pure Food Products. Quality of the highest at all times. Ask your grocery for these dependable and well-known lines.—THIEF RIVER GROCERY COMPANY.

OUR LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING, Boots and Shoes, etc. has been bought well under present day prices. Consequently we are able to offer good clothes at prices well under the present market values. We invite you to come in and look our stock over. —CHAS. LIEBERMAN.

THE EASTSIDE DRUG STORE carries a large assortment of Drug Sundries, Stationery, School Supplies, Cameras and Photo Supplies, Cigars and Tobaccos. Ice Cream Parlor in connection. Build up the East Side. —ANDREW BOTTELSON.

Loyalty Basis of All Civilization

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Loyalty is the foundation upon which the whole structure of civilization rests. Loyalty to one's country, loyalty to one's state, loyalty to one's city, loyalty to one's business associates, loyalty to one's friends! Loyalty is essential to the ordinary progress of the world. Without it the world must be chaos.

There would be no stable government in the world were it not for the loyalty of the people to their government. There would be no successful business enterprise on the face of the globe were it not for the loyalty of the men and women who are connected with it. No church could exist for a month were it not for the loyalty of its members. The sacredness of the home would be a myth were it not for the loyalty of the members of the family group.

The loyalty of a people to its government is based partly upon sentiment and partly upon the recognition of an obligation that a people owes to its government. A people that has the benefit of good government owes a duty to that government. Those who do not recognize this duty and perform it voluntarily are compelled by law to do so. The man or woman who is protected by the government in the pursuit of life and happiness, must contribute in money and service toward the support of the government. The man or woman who, under the protection of his government which preserves law and order, is able to accumulate property, must pay taxes on that property to help maintain the government which has protected him or her. In time of war the government has the right to call upon its citizens to take up arms in its defense.

Loyalty Moral Obligation.

In governmental affairs these things are regulated by law, and the man who receives the benefit of orderly government in requested to fulfill the obligation which that entails, but in the ordinary affairs of life, loyalty is a moral rather than a legal obligation. There are laws which prevent a man from stealing from his employer or his business associates, but there is no law that requires him to be loyal to them, however, depends more upon the loyalty of its employees than upon the laws which prevent them from stealing its money. Likewise the stability of a government depends more upon the loyalty of its people than upon the laws which compel them to fulfill their obligation to the government.

It is equally true that the prosperity and growth of every individual community is dependent upon the loyalty of the people who live in it. Every citizen owes an obligation to his community, and the obligation is a moral as well as a legal one. The good citizen pays his taxes cheerfully and willingly. He serves upon the juries which administer the laws of the community. He fulfills every legal obligation that is imposed upon him by his government, but there is a moral obligation which is of still greater importance to the community. This moral obligation consists in doing everything that is in his power to promote the prosperity and happiness of his community. The man who is enabled to make his living in any community is under a moral obligation to spend his money in such a way as to help his community.

Prosperity Worth Protecting.

Anything worth having is worth protecting, and if the prosperity of a community is worth anything to the people living in it it is worth protecting. If the chance for a man to earn a good living, to live well, to give his children a good education, is worth anything, it is worth protecting.

There is just one way to protect the prosperity of a community, and that is to keep the community from being drained of its cash—working capital. The only way to do that is for the people of the community to keep their money at home. Every time the citizen of a community sends money away from home to a mail order house instead of spending it in his home stores he is disloyal to his community. It is disloyalty to the merchants only indirectly. It is disloyalty to the community of which the merchants are only a small but a very important part.

This is the moral obligation that every citizen owes to his community, just as the payment of taxes and the loyal support of his government are his legal obligations. Disloyalty of a large body of the citizens spells disaster to any government and disloyalty of any large part of the people to their community is followed inevitably by the downfall of the community. Self-interest, if nothing else, should convince every citizen of the advisability of fulfilling his moral obligation to his community.

LET US ADVISE you concerning your next car purchase. We would like to tell the good points of the Chevrolet, Buick, Franklin and Oakland, and to demonstrate them for you. Repairs on all cars.—PEOPLES AUTO CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the manufacture of Bank, Store and Office Fixtures. We would be glad to have you consult with us regarding contemplated needs. All work is done right here in town and is personally guaranteed by us. Get our prices.—NORTHERN WOODWORK CO.

QUALITY OF TONE, Workmanship of Design and Durability are essentials which must be considered when buying a musical instrument. These factors are embodied in all makes of Pianos, Victrolas and Phonographs, etc. Let us demonstrate. —THIEF RIVER MUSIC CO.

WE SUPPLY EVERYTHING in building material and would appreciate an opportunity to confer with you regarding your building requirements. Our prices are compatible only with quality. You owe it to yourself to secure our estimates. — WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER CO.

OUR STORE CARRIES exclusively in Thief River Falls the famous Richleau Brand of Groceries. Give these goods a trial and be convinced of their superior quality.—A. E. ZELLMER, EAST SIDE GROCERY.

TO BUSINESS MEN: We can supply your wants in Fruits, Flour, Grain, Feed, Seeds and Potatoes. The sentiment of this campaign meets with our approval as we are sincere believers in our own community.—FESSUM SEED, GRAIN AND SUPPLY CO.

NEW CLOTHES ARE EXPENSIVE. Our modern processes of dry cleaning and steam pressing will give new life to your partially worn-out clothes and will make them appear like new. Phone 522 and we will call.—THE KLEANALL COMPANY.

BEFORE SENDING OUT OF TOWN get our prices on Staple and Fancy Groceries. We ask an opportunity to save you money on your daily grocery needs. A phone call will place your wants in our hands. We will do the rest. One trial will convince. — CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & CO.

WE SPECIALIZE in the repairs of all makes of cars. All work done by us is guaranteed. We stock the Vesta Battery and are local service station therefor. Full range of tires always in stock. Accessories and oil. —AASEBY & BURSTAD.

WE WILL CHEERFULLY FURNISH you with estimates on your lumber requirements and will gladly advise you regarding your needs. Let us explain our methods to you.—NORTZ LUMBER CO. (Inc.)

SEE US FOR TIRES. We have an unusually large stock of well known tires which we are offering at less than list price. We carry the Firestone, Fisk, Kelly Springfield, Dayton Airless, etc. Specialists in Vulcanizing and Retreading of all makes.—C. M. EVENSON & SONS.

TO THE LADIES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS: You will find the benefit of our advice regarding your personal millinery requirements very satisfying. At present we are offering attractive values in this season's latest models.—JOHNSON'S MILLINERY.

THE NORTHWESTERN AUTO CO. will be pleased to demonstrate the Overland Car for you at any time. We make general repairs on and completely overhaul all makes of cars. Our work is guaranteed. Willard Storage Battery Service Station. —K. A. SONDAHL, Prop.

WE CONTROL THE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for the Famous Garden City Feeder and Fairbanks & Morse Engines. Our repair department is fully equipped to repair all makes of machinery and farm implements.—RAMBECK & STONE COMPANY.

HONESTY EFFICIENCY
Automobile Service and Repairs
Oxyacetylene Welding
BORRY'S GARAGE

PURE MILK contains all the essential elements of food required by the body. Therefore, drink more milk, but safeguard yourself by securing our milk, which is pure and wholesome.—THIEF RIVER CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASSN.

PURITAS ICE CREAM, pure, wholesome and refreshing, is the acme of health-giving delicacies. Ask for Puritas the next time. Its name implies its quality.—KIEWEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

WHEN BUYING FLOUR from your local dealer ask for Viro Flour, which is a product manufactured in your hometown and equals in nourishing value flour made anywhere.—HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

PROGRESSIVENESS is the policy of this centrally located Meat and Grocery Store. We carry a complete line of Choice Meats and Fancy and Staple Groceries. Our large turnover guarantees freshness and wholesomeness of merchandise.—CITY MEAT AND GROCERY.

WE ARE SAVING our many customers real dollars on all purchases of Groceries, Flour, Feed, etc., made here. We carry at all times an unusually large stock of Groceries, Pure Food Products, etc., to choose from. We solicit an opportunity to supply your home with first class Groceries. —ZEH & CURRAN.

WE ARE LOCAL DEALERS in Moline, International and Minneapolis Machinery, Tractors and Automobiles. We would be glad to advise you on any machinery matter or to demonstrate any of our line.—C. GUSTAFSON & SON.

A LARGE STOCK of General Merchandise, Dry Goods, Shoes and Fancy Groceries is here for your selection. We desire your patronage and in turn offer you Quality Merchandise, Service and Price, backed by our personal guarantee.—GILBERT SANDUM.

THE MAIL ORDER SYSTEMS do not affect our business. This campaign has, however, our hearty endorsement.—PETERSON-BIDDICK CO., Wholesale Produce and Seeds.

SHELF AND HEAVY HARDWARE
FARM MACHINERY
PAINTS, OIL AND GLASS
Highest quality and reasonable prices prevail here.—HALL BROTHERS CO.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Hard coal heater, base burner; 1 new bolstered with mattress, 1 new rocker. Olaf [illegible], St. Hilaire. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave. N. 19tf

FOR SALE—Good poplar wood. Will deliver. Write C. C. Snyder, R. R. No. 1, Thief River Falls. 100

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2900 lbs.; one 650 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Guernsey bull. Geo. L. Sterne. 16tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $5.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Weiner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 2. 16tf

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell these for $30 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. L. Conklin, R. 3, city. 9tf

FOR SALE—New 1920 Ford car with self-starter, for sale cheap. Good 4-room house and out-shed for sale cheap or trade for horses and stock. Want to buy a good team, weight about 2100. Call 408 Duluth Ave. S. 16tp

FOR SALE—Good fresh Guernsey cows at [illegible] Bros. farm, St. Hilaire, Minn. [illegible]

COCKERELS FOR SALE—$2.00 each. Rhode Island Reds and White Wyandottes.—T. H. Bjerke, City. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 27tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 6tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 6tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 7tf

FOR SALE—Radiant Home hard coal heater. 212 Atlantic Ave. N. [illegible]

FOR SALE—By owners, [illegible] will be sold at bargain. [illegible] For information [illegible] Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 7tf

FOR SALE—Large [illegible]-room house, and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 185, City. [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] African [illegible] Chas. Schnabel, R. D. 1, City. 10tp

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. [illegible]

FOR SALE—One new cream separator. Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. [illegible]

FOR SALE—One Newcomer automatic four-burner [illegible] Farrell, 510 Knight Ave. N. [illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY—Team of 4-year old work horses, wagon, mower, rake and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 8tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For good milk cow; 4 lots, for $125.00 and 4 ton of timothy hay, close to town. 408 Duluth Ave. S. 16tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For city property; one ½ section land. Will sell with or without stock and complete farming equipment. Write M. [illegible], [illegible], Minn. 10tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 6tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, S-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 18tf

FOR RENT

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 16tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 17tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, 801 Main Ave. N. 16tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two modern houses also several small tracts of land near town.—W. A. Bishop. 47tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house. Close to business section. Phone No. 646 or 85. 16tf

FOUND

FOUND—Between Junction and city, a quantity of beans. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this ad. [illegible]

FOUND—Wallet containing cashier's check, personal check and currency. Owner can have same by calling at First and Peoples State Bank, identifying property and paying advertising costs. [illegible]

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. W. [illegible], [illegible] Markley Ave. N., or phone 131. [illegible]

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Good man to fix up horse and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 16tf

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES SELLING EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY—one of the World's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofing, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. [illegible] W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. [illegible]

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MISCELLANEOUS

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once if he can do the fall plowing.—E. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. [illegible]

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GETTING READY FOR FARM BUREAU DRIVE

Organizers Still Busy in Counties to the South But Will Soon Be on Hand.

No definite dates can as yet be given for the Farm Bureau membership drive, but the officials of that organization are confident the campaign will be brought to a conclusion before the holiday season. Membership campaigns are at present being conducted in Clay and Renville counties, the dates for the drive here depending upon the closing dates there. The state men who are assisting in Clay county will come to Pennington as soon as they are through with the work now in hand. Organizing movements have been somewhat retarded because of the fact that several assistant organizers resigned with the coming of cooler weather.

Stewart McLeod, who is assisting with the movement in Clay county will assist here and effort is being made to secure the services of Paul Engelstad who is at the head of one of the squad which is working in Renville county. Word has been received by J. J. McCann, county agent, that Mr. Engelstad now holds the state record for the most farm bureau memberships secured in one day and is considered one of the state federation's most valuable men. His record of 31 memberships in one day also proclaims him the champion farm bureau solicitor for the entire Northwest.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture for the state, made an address before a packed house at Goodridge on Monday evening. Over 300 men and women from that vicinity were present. Mr. Hay's address on the marketing question and his explanation of just how the farm bureau federation is approaching the marketing situation of today were received with great enthusiasm. In conclusion of his address Mr. Hay said, "I believe sincerely that thru the farm bureau only can the farmers do their best co-operative marketing."

When the exact dates of the membership drive are known, or when the state organizers arrive in Pennington county, it is planned to secure the services of Mr. Hay and hoped that every farmer in the community will have the opportunity of hearing him.

Withdraws Damage Claim; Contractors Ordered Paid

Coolsaet Brothers & Drees, contractors, of Marshall, Minnesota, who lately completed the installation of a storm sewer throughout the business section of the city, have not as yet secured a formal release from the claim for $1300 damages, which was submitted to the city council at a recent meeting. This claim was submitted by Charles Alexander in behalf of his 11-year old daughter, who suffered a slight injury in a fall on the sidewalk caused by debris left upon the walk through operations of the above named contracting firm. Mr. Coolsaet previous to his departure stated that the matter had been satisfactorily settled between his firm and Mr. Alexander. When a formal release is secured Coolsaet Brothers & Drees will receive the balance due them of $1300, which amount was withheld from payment of the sewer contract by the city council at its last regular meeting when Mr. Alexander's claim as read.

GYM EQUIPMENT IS ORDERED INSTALLED

School Board Prepares to Give Students Every Facility For Physical Training.

The directors of School District No. 18 have authorized the purchase of equipment for the high school gymnasium and it will be installed without delay. Indian clubs, wrestling mats, parallel bars, horizontal bars and rings figure prominently in the proposed equipment. The gymnasium has heretofore been without such equipment.

Physical culture in the Thief River Falls graded and high schools is under the supervision of A. N. Tommeraasen, a graduate of St. Olaf's college, where he was very prominent in all atheletic work. Mr. Tommeraasen has formed a complete course of physical exercises through which the pupils must go daily during school hours, under the leadership of the *teachers, himself taking charge of* each room on an average of once a week. Great benefit is being derived from these exercises and enthusiasm over atheletics is at a high pitch. The high school foot ball team, while light in weight, through a stiff course of training emerged from the season as champions for this district. It is planned to form a basket ball team for this season equally as fast. The coaching of athletics also comes under the supervision of the physical culture instructor.

The state and nation is fast recognizing athletics and, especially, physical culture as important factors in the up-building of the school child. A bill will be introduced at the next session of the state legislature which would make the former compulsory in all public schools, and with a state aid of $500 for all high schools maintaining this department.

SEAL SALE OPENS IN CITY TOMORROW

High School Girls Sell Seals From Booths in Business District.

There are in Minnesota just about twenty-four thousand people suffering from tuberculosis. The Minnesota Public Health association has for a number of years been devoting a large part of its energies toward the alleviation of this affliction. This organization, and its county units through which it operates, employ no other way of deriving funds to carry on this and the other work it is doing in the interests of the general public health, than the sale of the Christmas penny seals.

The annual seal sale began in Pennington county just a week ago. While members of the soliciting committee report many fine sales, the enthusiasm shown is not as great as that of last year and it is feared that last year's total may not be reached. Pennington county has been given a quota of $1200. In order to reach this the former plan of conducting an eight day sale throughout the business section of the city has been modified somewhat. Booths will be placed in stores, hotels and public buildings tomorrow and Saturday, where young ladies from the high school will conduct sales. School children will carry the seals to every home in the city during the period between now and Christmas. Everyone will be given an opportunity to assist in the noble work of the Public Health association.

"FACE AT WINDOW" LECTURE SUBJECT

Dr. Robinson to Speak on Vital Topic of Day as Third Lyceum Number.

On the evening of December 15, next Wednesday, Dr. J. Q. Robinson will deliver his noted lecture, "The Face at the Window," at the city auditorium as the third number of the Lyceum course which is being brought here by the Woman's club. This lecture deals with the present unrest of the country, Dr. Robinson having spent long tours from coast to coast in search of first hand information.

Dr. J. Q. Robinson is a lecturer with a purpose. Formerly a pastor, he is ministering to the country at large only because of insistent calls from lyceum and chautauqua interests. Not only is Mr. Robinson a forceful and eloquent speaker, but he has the knowledge, and training to make his lectures entertaining and interesting.

"The Face at the Window" is the newest lecture of this gifted speaker, and the most timely for the present. A portion of the lecture will treat bolshevism in an interesting way. The title of the lecture was in part inspired by "Dings" famous cartoon, seen in many periodicals of a few months ago, which pictured bolshevism as a tramp with an ugly club, peering into the window of a working man's home, where mother and children cower in fear of him. Dr. Robinson's purpose is to convey a clearer understanding of the things that at present confront the country.

The first two numbers of the Lyceum course proved, in the opinion of all who attended, very much out of the ordinary and by far the best attractions that have ever been brought to this city. The Redpath Vawter management promises that Dr. Robinson's lecture will meet with an enthusiasm equally as great, if not greater, than the two preceding musical numbers.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.14
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.10
Oats	.35
Flax	1.87
Barley	.18
Rye	1.20
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.10
Bran	1.80
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
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PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.70
Dairy butter	.45
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STOCK MARKET	
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Public Forum

Trading at Home.

Editor Times: We see and hear a lot about trading at home and boosting home institutions. The advice is patricularly directed at farmers and I admit that it is sometimes needed. But do the merchants of Thief River Falls always practice what they preach?

During the past week there have been a couple of coffee demonstrations held in the city and at these oleomargarine was served with the crackers, bread or whatever happened to be used. Now everybody knows that oleomargarine is a substitute for butter. They also know that the farmers of Pennington county sell cream to the local creamery, from which butter is made.

What I would like to ask is this: Would it not have been boosting the section a great deal more if butter from the local creamery had been served instead of oleomargarine at these demonstrations? We are not trying to educate the people to the use of oleo. Rather we are trying to create a broader market for our butter. If the people at home eat a substitute, how can we expect others to eat the creamery product?

Trading at home and boosting the home business institutions are all right and the farmers of the neighborhood should do their business here. The merchants should remember, however, that butter is produced right here at home and that oleomargarine is not.

A DAIRYMAN.

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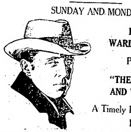

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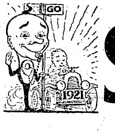

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ALL THERE—FROM QUEENS TO PIRATES

High School Pupils and Faculty Romp in Big Masquerade Ball at City Auditorium.

The first all-high-school and faculty masquerade in the Thief River Falls high school was given at the city auditorium on Friday evening Dec. 3rd and was a success in every sense of the word.

The doors were opened at eight o'clock and the crowd immediately began to assemble in costumes consisting of prim aristocrats in full evening dress, Turks, Hawaiian Hula Maids, Harem dancers, negroes, clowns, fat men, Happy, Healthy Dutchmen, Hirams the Rubes, Spanish dancers, Jews, Soldiers, Sailors, Blind men, girls dressed as men and boys dressed as women, tramps shy demure country lasses, Knights of the Sherwood Forrests, Indians, Cowboys, Bold Bad Bandits and even the frivolous Queen Elizabeth with her pages and the chivalrous chavalier king, King Charles the 1st; altogether about three hundred being present.

The first few minutes of the evening were spent in mingling together and trying to detect who various persons were. After a few minutes of the opening of the party were spent, the evening's program was opened with a lynching stunt. The auditorium was partially darkened and a few sheet clad figures glided out into the hall and caught the first negro who came into their path and proceeded with a mock lynching.

Following the lynching came a suitcase race. Two people entered as contestants and were given a suitcase in which were a number of old clothes which each contestant was to don and run the length of the auditorium, take them off and pack them into the suitcase again.

Immediately after this the Freshmen put on a minstrel show which was heartily enjoyed by everyone.

The next number on the program was the grand march in which everyone should have participated. Mr. and Mrs. Tommeraasen led the march while Mrs. L. G. Larson, Hugh McDaniels, Mrs. Rayson and Mr. Holzknecht were chosen as judges, to judge and pick out of the Grand March six boys and six girls who in their opinion had the funniest and cleverest costumes at the party. The twelve people chosen were to walk across the stage and by popular applause were to be awarded the prizes which consisted of two one-pound boxes of chocolates. The people winning first prize were Lynn Halvorson, who imitated a bold bad pirate and Johanna Wedul and Julia Brudvick, who were dressed as husband and wife with their small child.

Following the Grand March was a skit given by the Sophomore class and also one by the Junior class, both of which were exceptionally good and received due applause.

Next on the evening's program was a novelty orchestra concert given by the teachers of the Central school. The orchestra consisted of wash tub, wash board, can-o-phones, toaster violin, baby piano, curtain rod trombone, cornet and piano. The orchestra rendered some very delightful and talented music, considering the instruments and talent displayed in the rendering of the numbers.

After this delightful program the rest of the evening was spent in dancing and eating of a delicious lunch, ending with a community sing of "Good-night Ladies" and a scampering to the various homes of the students.

FAST BASKET BALL TEAM BEING FORMED

City High Team Rapirly Whipping Into Form; Will Fight For Dist. Championship.

Basketball fans, who have in previous years followed the local high school teams thruout their struggles for court supremacy will be pleased to know that our this year's team will be one of the best.

The high school participants of the indoor sport have been hard at work under Coach Tommeraasen's most stringent guidance for some time and seem to be in the pinkest of condition.

The squad and team still have a few rough places to be polished down, which in turn will come with more practice and as the season goes on. The necessary cogs to build a clock-like machine are in good working order and will improve as the oil of experience is poured on.

Those who will represent the high school and were fortunate enough to make the squad are as follows: Penney, Ralston, Parenteau, Herron, LaBree, Olson, Sundahl, McDaniels, Anderson, Henry and Norman Mellem, Doland Shetler, Langseth and F. Holmgren.

The official schedule for the year has not been given out but the essentials for the following games have been arranged:

Dec. 16—Fosston at T. R. Falls.
Jan. 21—Warroad at T. R. Falls.
Jan. 21—Argyle at Argyle.
Jan. 22—Warren at Warren.
Jan. 28—Crookston at Crookston.
Feb. 4—Hallock at T. R. Falls.
Feb. 11—Argyle at T. R. Falls.
Feb. 18—Warren at T. R. Falls.
Feb. 25—Warroad at Warroad.
March 4—Crookston at T. R. Falls.

By all probability the semi-tournament to decide who represents this northern district at Carleton will be held at Crookston in March.

Limerick Contest.

A Limerick contest was held by the Prowler staff last week in which the entire student body participated. The limerick given was as follows:

"A Freshman scholar with pride,
Took his lady fair out for a ride,
He had four punctured tires,
And a "short" in the wires,

Students submitted the last line best fit for the limerick. The line considered the best by the judges was "So the next time a Junior she tried."

It was decided to give but one prize, making this prize a worth-while one. This created some keen competition among the students, the prize being a 1921 Prowler. The winner of the contest who succeeded in walking away with the honors was Lyall Coyle. There was some difficulty in picking the winning line, considering the vast number of contestants.

Albert Stengelson took second place with the line, "How I wish I'd a Packard, he sighed," while Math Barzen carried third place with "Hurry, said she, nine o'clock has arrived."

The purpose of the contest was to stimulate some interest among the students regarding the annual. The limerick will be published in the "Prowler."

Contests of various nature will be held thruout the year, in order to bring the staff closer together with the student body, that co-operation which is necessary to make the 1921 Prowler the success of the school year. We, the staff, ask your most sincere and conscientious support toward the Prowler of 1921.

SQUAD WILL MEET OLD RIVAL DEC. 16

High School Ball Tossers Take on Big Proposition in Playing Fosston High.

The first basketball game of the season will be played with our old rival, Fosston, on the auditorium floor, Dec. 16th.

It has been customary for the past years to hold this game for the grand wind-up. Under the present arrangement of the tournament which is to be held in the spring at Crookston and because of the very rapid way in which the fellows are developing, it was decided to start out big by taking Fosston into court for one big and glorious defeat. Will you be there to see the boys do it?

Agriculture in High School.

Last Friday morning in Agriculture class, Mr. Ziegler gave a short discussion on the importance of agriculture throughout the entire country. "We must consider," said Mr. Ziegler, "that everybody cannot live in the city. If it were such a thing, how could the people live and get food and especially food for the countries across the ocean that depend upon America to supply them with it. Agriculture is a very important thing to know. It will not be long, however, before it will rank first among the different industries. The study of agriculture is becoming more and more a course in high schools and also in larger institutions. The individual who chooses this course in high school or university is as highly honored as his fellow student who takes some other course. There are, of course, exceptions to all rules, but the parents may send their son to an agricultural school. He may waste his time by loafing on the streets and in many other different ways and not accomplish anything. But the student who goes with the intention of getting something out of it, may return home when he has finished and sit down, take his knife from his pocket and whittle on a stick. Look out for these when they do start, they go and make a success."

Sub-Staff Meeting.

The Sophomore annual sub-staff had its first meeting Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 1st. The meeting was called for the purpose of making out a definite course to pursue and to aid the various departments in getting work started as soon as possible.

Vernon Copp, of the Senior staff, gave a short talk on the need of material for the art department and the general tendency to put off work on the annual as far as possible. This year the material must be in before Christmas, and it means immediate action on the part of every Sophomore in the class and not merely by their staff.

Editor-in-chief of the "Prowler", Dreng Bjornarna, also gave the Sophomores some appreciated advice on how to secure contributions. The staff must personally solicit material from every member of the class, as many may have valuable pictures, jokes, stories, poetry, etc., but hesitate to volunteer it. While everything handed in cannot be used in the annual, a large amount must be contributed, so that the very best representation of the Sophomore class may be used. Mr. Bjornarna expressed the opinion that the Sophomores are able to produce a great deal of material, and it is up to every member of the class of 1923 to see that he is not disappointed.

Kapers of the Kubs.

A few of the high school girls wish to express their appreciation of the recognition made by a few of the high school boys of "puffless days." Now may we make a few remarks to a few of the high school boys of returning to pre-war status. Since there is no longer a great scarcity of materials there is no need of Hooverizing:

Morris—Get larger specks.

Jordan—Get a larger pair of trousers next time to save the expense of patching.

Curly—There is no necessity for wearing silk hose—wool is plentiful.

And since the luxury tax has been removed we advise that:

Milton L.—Try some Tanlac.

Adolph S.—Indulge in some freckle cream.

Russell A.—Purchase some hair dye.

Harold S.—Thinning salts.

Marshall R.—Lov'me perfume.

Ernest Z.—Mellin's Baby Food.

(Taken from the Urbandale Federator.)

Where can a man buy a cap for his knee
Or a key for a lock of his hair?
Can your eyes be called an academy
Because there are pupils there?
In the crown of your head what jewels are found?
What travels the bridge of your nose?
Could you use in shingling
The roof of your mouth?
The nails on the end of your toes?
Could the crook on your elbow be sent to jail?
If so, what did he do?
How can you sharpen your shoulder blade?
I'll be jiggered if I know.
Could you sit in the shade of the palm of your hand
Or beat on the drum of your ear
Does the calf of your leg eat the corn on your toe?
Then why not grow corn on the ear?

Miss Patrick, reading: "Potatoes should be planted in the full of the moon."

Edward F.: "No, potatoes should be planted in the ground."

Found on a grade language paper: "For sale—A nine year old cow and a Ford car with good tires. New in 1918. Will get cheap if taken at once."

Miss Elliott, in civics class: "When I went to school, I knew a boy who actually ate his text books."

Allen: "He must be a smart man today."

Miss E.: "Well, Allen, I'll tell you the truth, he's in an insane asylum today."

John Hendry: "Gee, that must have been Civics he ate."

Fat E. (speaking to Miss Elliott): "Say I won't be able to disguise for the masquerade."

Miss Elliott: "Yes, David, I sympathize with you. I never was able to disguise for anything either."

The girls' basketball squad has been chosen for the coming year. Mr. Tommeraasen foresees the girls' team to be one of the best in the northwest. Following are the names of the members: Eileen Herron, Viola Lund, Nora Lindquist, Pearl Shetler, Esther Hadrath, Myrtle Krohn, May Roberts, Helen Warner, Francis Cruzan, Anna Froseth, Ruby Bennes, Violet Krohn, Lucille McGinnity, Maybelle Swanson.

Chapel Exercises.

Thursday morning in chapel the students at the Lincoln high school had the privilege of hearing a short talk by Dr. Mellby on health in the school.

Supt. Ziegler, in introducing Dr. Mellby, defined a successful man or woman as being one who thoroughly enjoys life and is of the greatest service to humanity. This depends entirely upon the health of the individual and a person's health depends a great deal on the care he or she takes of it in youth.

Dr. Mellby spoke on the food proposition during the growing period. He described intensified farming and compared the rations fed to livestock to the human ration. The progressive farmer feeds his stock a carefully balanced ration in order to produce the best result and the same should be the case with the growing boy or girl. It is during this period that the food question is of the greatest importance. In making his rounds as a physician, Dr. Mellby said he sees a great many methods of preparing and combining foods. Very few are exactly proper, while the rest may vary from fairly good to absolutely improper for a growing child. "People eat too much meat," he said, "and not enough vegetables." He compared vegetables to the hay in a cow's ration as the very necessary bulk-forming element. Vegetables, eggs and milk, if used in the proper proportions, make a complete ration for a person of school age. It is very necessary that the digestion be kept in good order, as the digestion predetermines the condition of the blood and as everyone knows, the general health depends on the condition of the blood.

Christmas shopping has started in earnest and we have already disposed of some of our best gift things. Late buyers will find it does not pay to wait. Sapero's have a most wonderful assortment just now. Don't wait. Sapero's. D9

Essays on Columbus.

The following comes from a school in the midlands: The master told the boys of the third class to write a short essay on Columbus. The following was sent up by an ambitious essayest:

"Columbus was a man who could make an egg stand on end without breaking it. The king of Spain said to Columbus: 'Can you discover America?' 'Yes,' said Columbus, 'if you will give me a ship.' So he had a ship and sailed over in the direction where the thought America ought to be. The sailors quarreled and said they believed there was no such place. But after many days the pilot came to him and said, 'Columbus, I see land.' 'Then that is America,' said Columbus. When the ship came near land it was full of black men. Columbus said, 'Is this America?' 'Yes, it is,' said they. Then he said, 'I suppose you are the niggers?' 'Yes,' they said, 'we are.' The chief said, 'I suppose you are Columbus.' 'You are right,' said he. Then the chief turned to his men and said, 'There is no help for it; we're discovered at last.'"

Lyceum Course.

The second number of the Lyceum course was given in the auditorium Wednesday night, Dec. 1, consisting of vocal and musical selections rendered by the noted Elsie Baker Trio.

Miss Elsie Baker, the contralto and main entertainer of the evening, received due recognition and applause. She is known as being one of the best contralto singers in the United States and it should be regarded as a rare treat for the people of Thief River Falls to have had the opportunity to hear such a beautiful voice. Her pleasing personality and appearance also added greatly to her success.

The Trio also contained Mr. Durieux, who has a wide reputation as a cellist; both as a soloist and as an ensemble player.

The accompanist, a very able pianist, also rendered solos, which were well received by the audience.

The Woman's club is fortunate in securing such talent as has been appearing before us the last two numbers and should receive due credit.

Many of the high school students have secured season tickets and are attending the Lyceum numbers regularly.

New prices on hosiery make quite a difference to us both. You gain and we lose but we're cheerful losers. Sapero's. D9

The Senior Corner.

That noisy, noisy corner
What makes it noisy there?
Well those naughty seniors, Miss Patrick says don't play fair,
For Ernest makes an awful fuss
When Beatrice won't write notes,
And Mildred says she never does
Sew buttons on her coats.
And Myrtle with all her gracious pride
Can't afford to let her lessons slide
And Anna so tiny and neat
Can't wear any nines on her feet.
But if Eileen so young and fair,
Could only make dear Jordan really care
And Mary with her cunning look
Could almost make poor "Curly" read a book.
But Viola so busy with basketball
Could never be as busy as Harold at a dinner ball.

Jokes.

Mr. Melby (in history): "What is the definition of Romance?"

Florence H.: "Oh! It's something about love."

Frances Holmgren has made it known that he would leave for Salt Lake City, Utah, in a short time.

The Lincoln high school is very proud of its new possession in the "Clinging Oak" and the "Sturdy Vine" or more commonly known as the "Big Little Family." As a result the high school is congratulating Ruby Bennes and Kermit Anderson on their success in this, "Closed Shop Union."

Have you heard the latest about Myrtle Helgeland and Al. Severson?

Miss Elliott (in Am. Hist): "Where is Tripoli?"

Elsie Granum: "In Australia."

Russell in penmanship: "I always get kicked out of class for doing nothing."

Clayton: "You're right."

Olga in Am. Hist.: "Kit Karson is not a woman, is he?"

Mrs. Squib: "Oh, I don't need to drive with you, if you're so afraid for the car. I can ride with Tom. He takes me out for a ride whenever I want him to."

Mr. Squib: "Yes, but I notice he always has the side-curtains up when he is driving with you."

Albert S. (telling the story of "Peaceful Valley"): "and she decided to kill herself before going home."

Lynn H. (making a very elaborate recitation in English 4): "Two guys met but they didn't know who each other was."

Gladys K. (describing a rhombus): "The sides of the rhombus are parallel but they are slant."

Who said that ice isn't hard? Ask Miss Patrick about that.

Ida S. (in chemistry laboratory): "What experiment are you on?"

Burton A.: "Oh, I'm off on all of them."

The Public Speaking class has been rather noisy lately before Mr. Pierce could get down to the room, but a little surprise was played on them today when Mr. Ziegler walked in. And oh, how quiet everything was. As Mr. Pierce came down the steps he had heard no noise from his group and wondered if they had forgotten to come to class. When he opened the door he found the class very quiet and discovered Mr. Ziegler standing near the window.

English class discussing Mr. Burchell in Vicar of Wakefield: Edward Fiterman: "Who did Clarence Vevea marry?" Ida Shields, thinking he was talking about Burchell: "Sophia."

"What is it that vibrates like one's ear drum?"

"Eileen Herron's throat when she tries to quiver her voice in Glee club."

Miss Elliott: "I will expect you to be able to draw this from memory on Tuesday."

Fredolph G.: "Do we have to do it without our books?"

Light Occupation—Making Toby H. sit on all four legs of his chair.

Bill H.: "Mr. Pierce, how are we going to take Public Speaking this winter when we have a cold?"

Mr. Pierce: "Explain how you got it."

Personals.

Marion Cork returned to school on Monday morning after an illness.

Clarence Rice visited at his home in Plummer over Sunday.

Lois Strubble spent the week-end visiting at her home in Mavie.

Lucille Blaska, a member of the Normal department, will leave tonight for her home in St. Hilaire.

Lydia Evenson was on the sick list this week.

Dreng Bjornarna was confined to his home the first part of the week on account of illness.

Lloyd Alnes returned to this city Saturday morning after an automobile tour of southern Minnesota for the past week.

Selma Newton spent Sunday with her parents a few miles from Thief River Falls.

The Sophomores are having their class pictures taken at Borry's studio.

While taking physical training Bert U. and another boy had a scrap over the possession of the basketball. Bert got a long scratch on his cheek and the other fellow got the ball.

The English III class received instruction on library and research work from Miss Leavitt several days the past week.

Central Notes.

The girls who won prizes in the state contest on "Good Roads Amendment No. 1" are: Olive Aalund, 8th grade, third prize, two dollars; Ella Mjilde, 7th grade, third prize, two dollars; Francis Shanahan, 7th grade awards of merit, one dollar.

Hot lunches are now enjoyed very much by the grade students.

A few eighth graders surprised Miss Tanberg last Tuesday evening at her home and the party was enjoyed by everyone.

A surprise party was given for Miss Jorden by the seventh grade students at the Central school. The eighth grade teachers were invited and a good time was reported.

Very much interest is shown in regard to the health cards. All grade schools are competing to see which school can have the best record. So far the Central school has a very good showing.

Red Cross Seals have been delivered by Miss Johnson, the school nurse, and will be on sale the 8th and 9th of this month. Each room is to have a certain number to sell.

A barrel will be placed in the halls of every school for clothes which will be given to those who are in need. This will be continued thruout the year, but clothing now, before Xmas, will be appreciated.

Paper handkerchiefs are furnished by the health board for the grade schools and are used by students who forget their own.

Friday of this week Mr. Tommeraasen will be at the Central school and give instructions in physical training and will try to give them once a week.

Northrup News.

As a result of the marching contests which have been carried on thruout the grades, Miss Pelto's room holds the banner this week for the lower floor and Miss Sandum's room for the upper floor. Miss Bark's room won the contest on the upper floor for the two previous weeks and Miss Trogan's room on the lower floor. These contests have had a marked effect upon the discipline in the halls.

The normal grades have been doing practice teaching in the second and fifth grades during the past week.

Miss Johnson, the school nurse, is conducting a health crusade thruout the school. Health cards have been issued to the pupils, upon which are printed rules which the children try to live up to.

Miss Smith spent her Thanksgiving vacation at her home in Minneapolis.

The teachers of the Northrup have begun practicing basketball. They will practice every Thursday evening.

There are still a few cases of chickenpox and whooping cough in the lower grades.

Hazel Senate.

Hazel Senate, a former member of the Junior class, d'ed last Friday morning at the Oakland Park Sanatorium of tuberculosis. Miss Senate was taken to the Sanatorium last August and her condition up to a short while ago, seemed to be improving. Her death was an unpleasant shock to her many friends.

The funeral services were held at the Larson Undertaking Chapel by Rev. Lundell.

The sympathy of the school is extended to the bereaved relatives and friends.

Normal Happenings.

Last Monday Miss Ober was unable to meet her classes on account of being ill.

Gladys Smith and Clara Eugene are out in the rural schools this week for practice teaching.

The Normal girls are creating a little excitement by making toys such as dolls, teddy bears, etc.

Ode to the Normal Department.
O. K. from beginning to end.
A sound and dependable friend,
So forceful and prudent,
I'm sure every student,
Will welcome the knowledge you lend.

It isn't raining rain to me,
But cold exams in chunks;
In every dimpled drop I see,
A dozen bitter flunks.

The test today may turn me gray,
And cook my hash too brown—
It isn't raining rain to me,
It's raining zeroes down!

It isn't raining rain to me,
But goose eggs big and blue,
A dozen Profs are watching me
So I can't pony through!

A health unto the sharper
A fig for him who crams,
It isn't raining rain to me,
It's raining cold exams.

—Grand Forks Herald.

Honor Roll.

A plan has been devised and is in effect by which a student attaining certain marks may become an honor student. Each mark above D is valued at a certain number of points: A three, B two and C one. If a student's marks during the month are equivalent to ten points, his or her name will be on the honor list and will be published in the "Progress." Twenty-two points in one subject during the year will exempt a student from the final examination and eleven points in one semester subjects.

This plan is being carried out in various other schools and is found to be very effective in bringing to the front and making known those who strive for a high scholarship and make the best of the time which is spent here in school. Students, why not do your best and get your name on the honor list?

Those who attained marks making them eligible to be put on the honor roll for November were:

Freshmen—Albert Stengelsen, Margaret Melgaard, Gladys Russell, Thordis Svensgaard, Esther Lundsether, Alice Gobler.

Sophomores—Nella Knutson, Lucille Curtis, Ole Helle, Pearl Weeks, Lorrayne Crandall.

Juniors—Johanna Wedul, Bertha Aaseby, Pearl Shetler, Sybil McGinn, Thora Moe, Bertha Husted, Alyce Bredesen.

Seniors—Clare Lund, Adolph Sundrud, Esther Soards, Dreng Bjornarna, Harold Smithers, Betsy Ness, Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Hadrath.

C. M. ADKINS
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Heavy Cold? Chest All Clogged Up?

Don't Give it a Chance to "Set In"—Use Dr. King's New Discovery

DON'T let it get a start. Dr. King's New Discovery will get right down to work, relieving the tight feeling in the chest, quieting the racking cough, gently stimulating the bowels, thus eliminating the cold poisons. Always reliable.

For fifty years a standard remedy. All the family can take it with helpful results. Eases the children's croup. No harmful drugs. Convincing, healing taste that the kiddies like. All druggists, 60 cents, $1.20 a bottle.

For colds and coughs Dr. King's New Discovery

Feel Badly? Bowels Sluggish? Haven't any "pep" in work or play? You're constipated! The stimulating action of Dr. King's Pills brings back old time energy, makes the bowels and liver respond to your strong healthy body. All druggists, 25c.

Prompt! Won't Gripe Dr. King's Pills

"Gets-It" Wonder Corn Peeler

Just as Good for Calluses. Money Back if it Fails.

Don't be bossed through life by a pesky corn or callus. Don't let a corn tell you when to sit down. Don't wear shoes too large for you because a corn says you must. Get rid of the darned thing.

"Peel the Whole Corn Right Off and be Rid of it"

It's a revelation to corn sufferers, the wonderful way that "Gets-It" banishes corns. Spend two minutes—that's all—to apply 2 or 3 drops to any corn or callus. The pain will stop instantly. In a few seconds the corn dries right up. Soon it has loosened so you can peel it off in one complete piece, root and all.

"Gets-It" is sold by all druggists; money back on request, costs but a trifle. Mfd. by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Thief River Falls and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Lambert's drug store, Andrew Bottelson and J. P. Curtis.

Modern Organization

The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

First National Bank
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MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
Resources Over One Million Dollars

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

"Granny" Chamberlain

Whooping Cough

"The disease I most dread in Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect it, and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You cannot mistake the symptoms:—protracted coughing, worse at night; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; apparent suffocation after coughing.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health—"Granny" Chamberlain

MORE INTEREST IN LIVESTOCK SALES

Valley Association's Display Attracting More Attention Than Ever Before.

Sale of pure bred live stock are picking up again. At Livington, Wis., there were sold recently 27 head of pure bred Shorthorn cattle at an average of $148.14 per head. Recent sales of other breeds have been equally successful in spite of the tightness of the money market and the present values of farm products.

Inquiries received by the officers of the Red River Valley Live Stock association indicate that the winter live stock show and sales to be held in the association's pavilion at Crookston from Feb. 7 to 11, 1921, are attracting even more attention and will be more largely attended than ever before. With the new building recently completed there are 55,000 square feet of space available for live stock, farm crops and industrial exhibits, making this Red River Valley affair one of the big events of the year.

Farmers from every county in the valley look forward with much interest to this event. Without question all the counties will be well represented by having exhibits in all classes. About $5000 is hung up in premium money through the co-operation of valley, state and national associations. The premium list will be issued in the near future.

Weekly Market Review.

A better market tone, a more optimistic feeling among the trade was quite evident during the week.

Legislative action of a definite, well organized kind looking toward the organization of a Federal Corporation to finance our export business to foreign countries unable to pay for needed supplies and a plan to extend credit to our producers enabling them to recoup present losses on the possibility of stronger markets later, has finally developed and has very noticeably affected the public mind. As usual, the markets quickly responded to such reports.

Higher prices cannot practically be brought about by legislation, but it is generally realized that the present serious loss to the agricultural industry, and its resultant loss to every other industry, cannot be permitted when at least a partial remedy is available through the restoration of more buying confidence and the extension of reasonable credits to foreigners without cash.

The sentiment has become pronounced and wide spread that the longer purchasing is deferred, the heavier and the more certain its future development becomes, and confidence naturally is returning.

Continued wheat exports again resurrects the possibility of a depletion of our surplus before the expiration of the present crop year, but evidently the consensus of opinion at present holds to a belief in moderately higher wheat prices based on our domestic situation where the normal demand has been so long dormant and which will of necessity soon assert itself. There is an unprecedented disparity in the values of wheat and coarse grains but because of the strong export demand for wheat and the comparatively short wheat yields and heavy productions of corn and oats, it should be acknowledged that wheat is entitled to a good premium.

The movement of new corn thus far has been rather light. Failure to grade of much of the first arrivals is causing some anxiety among the cash trade in the filling of December sales. Producers have plenty of corn, but naturally are not frantic to sell at 40c with general costs about unchanged and the general purchasing complexion of the dollar very little changed from a year ago.

Oats are regarded in much the same position as corn—thoroughly liquidated and at a point where further material declines would be a reflection of disastrous business conditions which do not prevail.

Admitting the unlikely development of a swift return to materially higher levels we cannot now view the grain situation as unstable or subject to new low levels, but, in the face of the shift of public sentiment which now realizes the seriousness of further depression, we would rather regard the purchase of all grains as an investment.

WOOD—Dry cut tamarack cord wood. Carload lots at $10.50 per cord f. o. b. cars, Thief River Falls. We sell direct to consumer. Two or more families can club together and thereby secure their winter's wood supply at wholesale prices. Terms: cash. Write John A. Jacobs & Son, Middle River, Minnesota. d9

What Mrs. Brenninger, of New York, Says About Rat Poison.

"Tried preparations that kill rats, but RAT-SNAP is the only one that prevents disagreeable odors after killing. Also like RAT-SNAP because it comes in handy cakes, no mixing with other food. You don't have to dirty your hands. It's the best for household use." Try RAT-SNAP. Three sizes, 35, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by

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"In Every Respect"

says the Good Judge

You get more genuine chewing satisfaction from the Real Tobacco Chew than you ever got from the ordinary kind.

The good tobacco taste lasts so long—a small chew of this class of tobacco lasts much longer than a big chew of the old kind. That's why it costs less to use.

Any man who has used both kinds will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco

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Overcoats Radically Reduced

Your choice of the most beautiful line of men's and young men's Overcoats, values to $45.00

$27.45

FORGETTING cost, forgetting profits, forgetting everything except that we have to dispose of our enormous surplus stocks in a hurry and in order to do so we have marked every garment at a below cost figure.

Read every quotation in our ad and in our store; besides the savings it means to you in cash, it assures you of double wear and satisfaction of ordinary merchandise. Be here Saturday prepared to buy the most wonderful bargains at a saving of from 30 to 50 per cent.

Extra Special Bargains In Suits

Your choice of the finest assortment of men's and young men's Suits, values to $50.00

$33.45

Xmas Gifts That Men Appreciate

Men's linen Handkerchiefs, 29c to	55c
Combination sets Arm Bands and garters, 39c to	69c
Men's initial Handkerchiefs	19c
Stetson Hats, $10 quality	$7.45
Men's fur detachable Collars, $13.50 to	$25.00
Men's interwoven Silk Sox, $2.00 quality	$1.45
$1.25 quality	95c
Young men's initial belts, $1.25 to	$1.75
Men's fancy silk Mufflers in solid colors	$1.45
Men's Silk Knit Mufflers, very beautiful	$4.45
Men's genuine Crepe Gloves, $3.15 to	$4.45
Men's Munsing Silk and wool union Suits	$7.50
Genuine pure wool Navajo Auto Robes	$13.50
Men's and boys, tub silk Shirts in beautiful patterns $4.45 to	$9.45
Men's interwoven Lisle Sox 75c quality	55c

Men's Underwear

Men's Underwear, all wool Union Suits	$4.45
Extra heavy fleece Union Suits	$1.95
Munsing wool Union Suits	$5.20
Munsing heavy men's Union Suits	$7.45

Buy Now And Save---Suit Bargains

ALL $30.00 SUITS $19.45 ALL $35.00 SUITS $22.45

An exceptional opportunity for men and young men. Wonderful $60.00 Suits, single and double breasted

$39.45

$45.00 Sheep lined Ulsters $29.45

$15.00 Sheep lined Coats $9.45

Hart, Schaffner & Marx $60.00 Overcoats at less than cost.

$37.45

Men's heavy weight fleece lined Union Suits $1.65

Men's best grade 4-Buckle Artics $3.45

Men's 2-piece wool Shirts and Drawers $1.79

Men's 1-Buckle Artics $2.25

Xmas Gifts That Men Appreciate

Genuine leather Bags, sold regular for $30. Sale	$19.45
18 inch leather Bags, sold for $22.00. Sale price	$14.45
A Christmas gift that men appreciate. Men's Cavalier style Comfort Slippers	$3.25
Pure wool men's Navajo Bath Robes. $25.00 values. Sale price	$18.45
A good assortment of men's Bath Robes in all sizes	$8.45
A very useful gift, men's leather Slippers, made of the very finest soft leather	$3.85
Men's felt Slippers, leather Sole at $1.65, $1.95	$2.45
A full assortment of Children's Comfort Slippers in the Moccasion and Cavalier style 98c and up	98c
A beautiful assortment of Children's Bath Robes, $4 values	$2.95
Genuine Persian Neckwear. Very popular present for young men $2.45 to	$3.45

Mackinaws

Pure wool Mackinaws, Regular $16.50 value	$12.45
Boys' Sheep lined Coats	$9.45
Extra heavy wool Sweaters	$4.45
Heavy wool Pants	$5.45
Stag Shirts	$7.45

Union made Overalls	Boys' Overalls	Men's Work Shoes	Men's Dress Shoes	Men's Duck Coats	Boys' Underwear	Special Reductions on all Sox and Mittens.	Boys' Suits at less than cost.
$1.65	95c, $1.19 $1.45	$3.45 and up	$4.45 and up	$3.45	$1.19 TO $2.35		$7.45 to $11.45

American Legion Notes

TO THE LEGIONNAIRES FROM THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY, GREETINGS

The Minnesota Auxiliary of the American Legion is now an established fact.

We are organized for better citizenship, good fellowship and the square deal for the American Legion.

We are the bone of your bone and the flesh of your flesh.

We are the women who crept to the door of your empty rooms, and looked thru a mist of tears on the pillow that a dear dark or fair head used to press.

We are the women who sat at the table with its broken circle through the dark days of '17 and '18.

We are the women who went down with you to the railway depots of our land and returned home alone—many of us to be alone always.

We are the women who would have crossed the Atlantic to be at your side if it would have made your burden lighter and now all we ask is to stand behind you while you reconstruct the plan of your life that was broken by the call to arms.

We do not forget that this country owes you for two years taken from the most constructive period of your life and we stand solidly behind you in every measure designed to overcome this handicap.

It will be our duty and our pleasure to support to our utmost the Legion "four fold bonus," to enforce the strict observance of the Soldiers' Preference Act, the nation wide observance of Armistice Day as a National holiday and all practical plans for the benefit of sick and disabled soldiers, as outlined by the American Legion.

We ask that you let your mothers, your sisters, your daughters, and your wives know that you welcome them and that you appreciate their efforts.

HELEN HUGHES HIELSCHER
Department President.

PAID-UP MEMBERSHIPS WILL BE INDORSEMENT OF NAT'L. BONUS BILL

Elmer J. Eklund Post Starts Big Membership Drive, Expecting All Service Men to Fall in Line; Button Members Don't Count.

The 474 posts of the Minnesota department of the American Legion are putting on a big 1921 membership drive, which began the first of December and will continue until the first of January. The post which makes the best showing during that period will be declared the winner.

Service men of Pennington county and members of the Elmer J. Eklund Post will be urged to remember that the support given the Legion Fourfold National Bonus bill in the senate will depend on the enrolled and paid-up strength of the American Legion. Minnesota and other U. S. senators will construe a large paid-up membership to mean an indorsement of the Legion bill—and vice versa—so every department post will solicit service men to join the Legion or to continue membership. Button members, and those who are behind with their dues or those who take advantage of the good things that the Legion puts across without becoming bona fide members, will not count. Read instructions from the department. The service rendered the service men by the Legion has not and never will be limited to its paid up members, for the reason that there are many men who cannot afford to join and may need the services of the Legion in fighting for their claims; but too many service men have refrained from joining a post and yet have accepted all of its advantages. These men should fall in line.

Notices have been mailed to all members of Elmer J. Eklund Post Number 117 and a prompt response is expected. For the convenience of those not now affiliated with the Legion, who may desire to join, the following application blank is published through courtesy of The Times:

Dad Whitmore, Known to Many Here, Resigns Post

Thief River Falls friends and former comrades of Horace G. Whitmore, will regret to learn of his resignation as adjutant of the Minnesota Department of the American Legion. His resignation was accepted at the meeting of the Department Executive Committee on Nov. 28th, with expressions of regard and deepest appreciation of Dad's service for the American Legion.

While the Legion loses Mr. Whitmore as adjutant it still retains his services as chairman of the Soldier's Service and Hospitalization Committee, where he will have supervision of the hospitalization program of the Minnesota Department and will continue his activities for the disabled men as in the past. Assistant Adjutant P. L. O'Toole has been named as acting department adjutant.

HEADSTONES FOR GRAVES OF ALL EX-SERVICE MEN

A letter to Legion National Headquarters from the Cemeterial Division of the office of the Quartermaster General of the Army authorizes local posts or individual members of the American Legion, with the knowledge and consent of the next kin of the deceased, to make application for headstones for all unmarked graves of ex-service persons in their locality. The headstones, of a design suggested by the Fine Arts Commission are to be furnished free by the Government and shipped freight prepaid to the railroad station nearest the grave. The stones will be provided for the graves of all who served in the army, navy or marine corps, whether they died in the service or following their discharge therefrom. As soon as the specifications have been decided upon, Legionnaries will be asked to canvass their communities and submit applications for stones for unmarked graves in accordance with detailed instructions to be given in a National headquarters bulletin which will be published in the American Legion Weekly.

Report on Legion Concert.

The following financial statement covering the Bel Canto concert on November 12, is submitted by Secretary G. Howard Smith of the Elmer Eklund Post of the American Legion:

Receipts	
Advance sale of tickets	$ 65.25
Ticket sales (box office)	94.66
Total receipts	$159.91
Disbursements	
To Bel Canto Quintette	$ 98.80
Express, Tel. and Tel.	1.91
H. C. Nelson, piano tuning	4.00
Distribution of dodgers	6.00
The Times, tickets and dodgers	17.60
The Tribune, Adv. and window cards	13.25
Janitor	4.00
Auditorium rent	12.00
Dist. signs and cards	2.50
Programs, gratis by Sapero Co.	
Total dis.	$160.06
Net Loss	.15

Insurance Reinstatement.

The Legion urges service men to reinstate a reasonable amount of their war risk insurance before the time limit, Dec. 31, 1920, thereby safeguarding their right to later convert it into government insurance policies in the event Congress authorizes the improvements to the war risk insurance law suggested by the National Convention. If not reinstated this month it cannot be converted later on.

Gloves are always acceptable, especially "Ireland" gloves in all shades and sizes. Sapero's. D9

"I Got Real Mad When I Lost My Setting Hen." Mrs. Hannan.

"I went into the hen house one morning and found my favorite setter dead. I got real mad. Went to the store, bought some RAT-SNAP and in a week I got six dead rats. Everybody who raises poultry should keep RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Elmer J. Eklund Post of the American Legion, Thief River Falls, Minn.

______________________, 1920.

To G. HOWARD SMITH, Secretary,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I entered the service______________________

and was discharged at______________________

on______________________while a member of______________________

I hereby certify that I was honorably discharged or released.

You will find enclosed check for $5 to cover 1921 dues as follows:

Local Post Dues	$2.50
National Dues, including subscription to Legion Weekly	1.00
State Dues and convention assessment	1.50

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Signature of Applicant.

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Address of Applicant.

Kill That Cold With

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous

Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

FARM BUREAUS DRAFT GREATER STATE PROGRAM

To Request Legislative Action to Assist Farm Women in Improving Conditions.

Farm Bureau Federation Makes Firm Decision to Keep Out of Politics.

A program drawn up at the annual convention of the state federation of farm bureaus at St. Paul on Nov. 19 was designed to create all the legislative machinery necessary for the extensive development enterprises. Carrying out this state wide program will call for new laws as follows:

Requiring all exchanges and chambers of commerce to grant membership to farmers' co-operative selling organizations on equal terms, permitting the rebating of all profits of the co-operative agency to its members on a co-operative basis.

Strengthening the state department of agriculture, by providing it with funds to organize new co-operative enterprises throughout the state, at the call of any group of citizens, without "organization" expense to the prospective members.

Authorizing the department of agriculture to conduct investigations and render binding decisions on matters affecting the distribution of the necessities of life.

Requiring the department of agriculture to issue prompt reports of current market conditions, including both prices and supplies of industrial as well as agricultural products.

Amending the cold storage law so that all goods, constituting necessities of life, whenever stored, shall be recorded and announced. This law would include all commodities "which supply food, clothing, heat and shelter."

Requiring classification of all lands open to settlement, to encourage further farm development in the state.

Establishing a system of rural credits.

Farm Women Not Forgotten.

It is designed, if the national federation fails to arrive at a definite program before its convention at Indianapolis in December, to play a large part in the adoption of a national plan, and give Minnesota the leadership in organizing the farmers of the United States to gain, by strictly economic means, a fairer share in the selling price of their produce.

Another step that was contemplated by the state convention to give Minnesota leadership in the affairs of the farm bureaus in the country, was the adoption of a definite stand, placing upon farm women a responsibility as great as that of the men in carrying out the federation policies. It was also planned to request the legislature for a law making it obligatory upon county commissioners to appropriate funds for county agents and home demonstrators, the experts who work with the farm bureaus in every county to improve conditions in the farm home as well as in the field, the local market and the terminal market.

Keep Out of Politics.

Firm decision of the Minnesota Federation to keep itself from any part in politics was demonstrated at the closing session on Saturday, when a second attempt was made to obtain the delegates' indorsement of Frank Murphy, president of the State Faird board, as secretary of agriculture. The convention earlier in the day had decided against such an indorsement on the ground that it smacked of political activity. Mr. Murphy asked withdrawal of the proposal. Several delegates expressed the opinion that the federation should at least enter politics to the extent of recommending a man for a position as important as that of secretary of agriculture, but their suggestions failed to meet with the approval of the majority present.

We want all friends of our store to have a Merry Xmas this year and we are urging that you come now and pick out your gifts so that you can have just what you want. We will hold them until you're ready. Sapero's. D9

NO MORE Rats

or mice, after you use RAT-SNAP. It's a sure rodent killer. Try a Pkg. and prove it. Rats killed with RAT-SNAP leave no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Guaranteed.

35c size (1 cake) enough for Pantry, Kitchen or Cellar.

65c size (2 cakes) for Chicken House, coops, or small buildings.

$1.25 size (5 cakes) enough for all farm and out-buildings, storage buildings, or factory buildings.

Sold and Guaranteed by ROY LAMBERT, HALL BROS. CO.

Relieve Your Rheumatism For 25c.

NR does it by improving digestion, assimilation and elimination—the logical way.

NR Today—Relief or No Pay

There are three vital processes of human existence,—the digestion of food, the extraction of nourishment from it and the elimination of the waste.

Let anything interfere with these processes,—let them be interrupted or improperly carried on, and sickness of some kind follows.

Poor digestion and assimilation mean failure to derive full nourishment from food and that in turn often means impoverished blood, weakness, anemia, etc. Poor elimination means an accumulation of waste matter which poisons the body, lowers vitality, decreases the power of resistance to disease and leads to the development of many serious ills.

Rheumatism,—due to some interference with the process of elimination, failure to get rid of certain body poisons,—cannot be expected to yield to any medicine that fails to correct the condition responsible for it. Could any reasonable person expect to rid himself of rheumatic pain as long as rheumatic poison is allowed to remain in the body.

Think of this. It explains the success of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) in so many cases where other medicines have failed. Thousands are using NR Tablets every day and getting relief. Why pay five or ten times as much for uncertain things? A 25c box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets), containing enough to last twenty-five days,—must help you, must give you prompt relief and satisfactory benefit or cost you nothing.

And Nature's Remedy is not only for the relief of rheumatism. It improves digestion, tones the liver, regulates kidney and bowel action, improves the blood and cleanses the whole system. You'll feel like a new person when you've taken NR Tablets a week. You've tried the expensive medicines and doctors, now make the real test. You'll get results this time. Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

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Nature's Remedy NR-TABLETS-NR Better Than Pills For Liver Ills. Get a 25c Box

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There Are Good Times Ahead

IN the many, many years this organization has lived and grown we have passed through several just such periods as this one. We have seen the country in a stage of unrest and uncertainty over and over again. We have seen it recover and come through stronger and better every time. This is an hour for optimism and courage. The future holds only good for our country.

Is there not too much croaking, too much pessimism? Are not too many people "seeing things at night?" At the bottom there is no lasting reason for doubt and fear and uncertainty. The resources of this country are far too great for that. The certainties of this country make it stand alone among all the nations of the world. If we in America lose our courage, what will become of the world?

We hope there will be a speedy adjustment of value for the farmer. Particularly do we cherish this hope because here in the Northwest the wealth of the farms is the lifeblood of commerce. In fact, the prosperity of the whole nation rests on the welfare of the farmer. At this time the statement made by Adam Smith years ago has peculiar importance: "All wealth comes from the soil." The farmer has done his duty. He increased his grain acreage as he was asked to do; he paid high prices for labor to make his crops—and now, through no fault of his, he suffers. During the war he responded nobly and promptly to every call made on him. He went beyond his means in buying government securities and contributing to humanitarian causes. In the movement to put things on a better basis, he should have first consideration.

Observation and experience during the past twenty-three years have taught us that this nation will weather this period as it has weathered the others. We have no fears for the future. The great thing for us all to do is to cultivate and exhibit the true confidence that is in our hearts.

We believe in the future—so strongly that we are preparing for a larger business during the coming year than ever before in our history. We believe this should be the attitude of all patriotic and progressive business men. So far as it lies within our power we are going to help keep things on an even keel. We shall keep steadily on, just as is to be expected of all houses of reliability and progress. Conditions are certain to change for the better within a short time and we do not propose to retard the movement by any expressions of pessimism or distrust. We sincerely hope that every person residing in Northwestern Minnesota will view things in the same light and look toward the future with full confidence in the stability of our government and faith in the people's ability to withstand this temporary slump in their prosperity.

We print this message because we believe it is our duty to do so. This nation, the strongest and richest in the world, cannot be affected adversely by a temporary uncertainty caused by a readjustment which should have been more gradual.

Optimism is the word today. There are good times ahead.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

Thief River Falls

PRICE-ADJUSTMENT

SALE of the

Oen Mercantile Company

Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Most Astounding Price-Cutting Event in the History of Northwestern Merchandising

Sale Starts Saturday, Dec. 11, at 9 O'clock

For the first time in a business career extending over a quarter of a century in Thief River Falls this concern finds it advisable to slaughter prices on its enormous stock. This is a period of readjustment and PRICES MUST COME DOWN. In this great sale first costs have been lost sight of, the aim being to turn everything in the Clothing, Dry Goods and Furniture Departments into cash as quickly as possible. Stocks are the most complete in this section and everything in these three departments will be thrown on the bargain counter.

All Sales Final and for Cash Only. No Approvals or Exchanges Allowed

Suits and Overcoats

Here is the opportunity for which the menfolks of the section have been waiting. Productions extend to all grades in this department and we are only quoting a few samples: Kuppenheimer and Styleplus garments, latest fabrics and styles:

Suits formerly sold at $45.00, for this Sale	30.00
High grade Suits selling at $60.00 for this Sale	39.00
Our best offering, a regular $75.00 value, Now	49.50

OVERCOATS

Regular $30.00 Overcoats, for this Sale	22.50
Regular $35.00 Overcoats for this Sale	27.50
Regular $40.00 Overcoats, for this Sale	30.00

Other Suits and Overcoats at proportionate discounts.

Men's Shoes

All Copeland and Ryder Dress Shoes, sold regularly at $12.00
$15.00 Shoes, now

$8.68

One lot of high grade English last Shoes	$7.65
One lot of high grade English last Shoes	$7.15
Men's 4-buckle all rubber Overshoes	$2.85
Men's 4-buckle Gold Seal Overshoes	$3.90
Ladies Dress Shoes	$7.25 to $9.65
Children's Shoes, sizes 8½ to 2	$2.75 to $3.85

Boys' Clothing

Big Sacrifices on every item in the store. All sizes:

One lot worth $15.00, at	$11.90
One lot worth $13.50, at	10.00
One lot worth $12.00, at	9.50
One lot worth $10.25, at	8.50
One lot worth $ 9.50, at	7.85
One lot worth $ 8.25, at	6.75
One lot worth $ 7.00, at	4.95

Boys' Mackinaws
$4.50 $5.50 $5.75 $6.75

Note these Big Reductions on Standard Goods

Sweet-Orr Overalls or Jackets, extra heavy, each $2.45

220 Denim Jackets and Overalls each **$1.75**

BOYS' OVERALLS Ages 3 to 5 **$1.00** Ages 6 to 16 **$1.49**

220 Men's Denim Coveralls, all sizes **$2.50**

Heavy weight Storm King fleece lined Union Suits **$2.25**

Boys' fleeced lined Union Suits, all sizes **$1.35**

Collins' genuine all wool Shirts and Drawers, each **$3.90**

Wool mixed Shirts and Drawers, Each **$2.00**

Heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers **$1.00**

Heavy wool Mittens **85c**

Oregon all wool Shirts **$4.85**

Signal Shirts, Union Made **$2.00**

Light wool Mittens **45c** | Canvas Gloves **15c**

Heavy weight Flannel Shirts **$3.00 AND $3.75**

Lion Dress Shirts **$1.75 TO $2.95**

Kaynee Boys' Blouses **79c**

Boys' Mittens **75c TO $1.00**

Leather Vests **$9.50 TO $12.50**

Men's Mittens **$1.25 TO $2.45**

Men's Dress Socks Silk, Cotton and Cashmere **22c TO 75c**

Extra heavy Wool Socks **85c**

Medium weight **45c**

Sweet-Orr heavy weight wool Pants, Union Made **$6.90 and $7.90**

Oregon all wool Mackinaws **$12.45**

Heavy weight all wool Mackinaws **$13.25**

Sweet-Orr Dress Pants, union made **$5.85 to $8.85**

Reduced prices on all Trunks, Suit Cases and Bags. Big reduction on Neckties and Mufflers

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BE ON HAND EARLY SATURDAY

Those securing first choice will naturally have the largest selection to choose from, but there is a vast amount of goods to be disposed of and there will be *bargains for all!*

Oen's Price-Adjustment Sale

WILL be the talk of the neighborhood as soon as it is known that this big store has decided to reduce stock at sacrifice prices. Oen's does not proclaim a sale every other day, and the people know that something unusual may be looked for when one is announced. They will not be disappointed. Below will be found a few of the big specials offered in the dry goods and ready-to-wear departments. Select your Xmas presents from this list and save money

Piece Goods

at prices that cannot be duplicated anywhere at this time. Just the thing for Christmas presents:

Skinner's Dress Silks, the world's standard of quality, per yard	$2.85
Belding's Messaline Silk, a wonderful value, yard	$2.85
Skinner's Satin—you know there is none better	$2.95

Ladies' Underwear

Regular $3.50 heavy fleece lined Union Suits	$2.65
Medium weight Union Suits, regular $2.75 values	$1.95
Ladies' heavy weight Vests and Pants, $2.00 values	$1.45

All other underwear for women, misses and children at proportionate reductions.

Corsets

The famous Kabo and La Camille Corsets
$2.50, $3.45, $4.00, $4.50, $5.75

Outing Flannel Nightgowns

$1.25, $2.25, $2.65, $2.95 children's night gowns
75c to $1.49

Dress Goods

48 inch all wool French Serge	$4.25
48 inch Tricotine, exceptional values	$4.00
40 inch Sheffield Checks, for this sale	$3.25
40 inch Silk Poplins, grab 'em quick	$2.25
27 inch wool Flannel, a bargain	$1.20
36 inch Silvertone, Now	$3.50

Table Linens

A most welcome Christmas present for any family:

72 inch linen Table Cloth	$4.60
58 inch mercerized Table Cloth, per yard	85c
60 inch red and blue checked Table Cloth, yard	$1.15

Georgette Waists

$10 and $15 values
your choice
now at

$7.65

Domestics

Toile du Nord Dress Ginghams, yard	35c
Amoskeag checked Ginghams, yard	19c
36 inch French fine Percales	25c
Silkolines, yard	25c
Hamilton Twills, yard	25c
Crocheted Bed Spreads, assorted patterns	$3.25, $3.50, $5.25, $6.95
36 inch good quality Brown Sheeting, yard	29c
36 inch bleached Cotton Sheeting, yard	30c
42 inch Pillow Tubing, yard	40c
42x36 Pillow Cases	59c

Furs

Closing out all furs at cost and below cost. Some wonderful bargains

Coats

One lot of ladies' and growing girls' Coats. Left-overs from previous seasons. Many worth four times the price we ask for them. Your choice of these $20 and $30 garments.

$4.85

Children's Toques

49c TO 95c

Crib Blankets

30x40 inch	$1.15
36x50 inch	$1.37

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters

$1.50 to $9.95

Blankets and Comforts

$3.75 Cotton Blankets, Now	$2.35
$8.00 heavy down nap, pink and blue	$5.65
$15.00 Navajo Artcraft all wool Blankets	$10.45
$10 wool Blankets, 66x80, Special	$6.95

Notions

Comforters at	$2.59 TO $6.30
Best grade fancy and white Oil Cloth, yd.	50c
Kabo Garters for children	25c
Fisher's Knitting yarn, per skein	98c
Coat's Spool Cotton Belding's Silk	8c
Barbour Linen Thread	28c

Ladies' Hose

Fine mercerized Hose, $1.00 value	69c
Seamless wool Hose	45c
Red Top fleeced Hose	39c
Misses' worsted black Hose	75c and 60c
Boy Scout Hose, all sizes, special at	58c

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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Swedish Ladies' Aid.

The Swedish Ladies' Aid will have their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Carl Mellem on Wednesday Dec. 15, at 2 p. m. As there will be no Y. P. S. this month the community's young people are cordially invited to come to this Ladies' Aid meeting. Lunch will be served.

Hazel Senate.

Miss Hazel Senate, until a few years ago a resident of the southern part of this community, died last week at the Oakland Park Sanatorium from pulmonary tuberculosis, and the remains were on Saturday interred in the Greenwood cemetery at Thief River Falls.

Shipping Association to Meet.

The fourth annual meeting of the Rosewood Shipping association will be held at the schoolhouse Dist. No. 41, on Saturday Dec. 11, at 2 p. m. There will be election of directors for the coming year and reports from the managers, of work done during the past year, will be considered.

A number of the local young folks motored to Edgewood last Saturday evening to attend a basket social.

Services were conducted in the Swedish language twice last Sunday at the Congregational church in town, Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking speaking. The next service by Rev. Drotts will be on Christmas evening at 7:30 at the same place.

Steiner Johnson returned home last Wednesday from Fosston where he spent a week with relatives.

Considerable repair work to the library, hall and blackboards has been done at the Rosebank school the past week.

Art Blom left a week ago for Hibbing where he will be employed for a few weeks and will later proceed to Austin where he will attend a tractor school this winter.

A number of new library books have been received for the public school library at Dist. No. 41. These books, mostly of juvenile fiction, are for free use of the school as well as the public within the district.

L. L. Furan has purchased a new Victor piano for his home in town.

John Hellquist spent the past week at Thief River Falls taking chiropractic treatment for his back and arms.

Miss Nina Westby left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls and may later proceed further south to seek employment.

Messrs. Krogstad and Thompson left last Monday for Bemidji where they will be employed in the lumber camps this winter.

Thor Sevaldson came home from Warren the latter part of the week where he has been employed at carpentry work this fall.

Teachers Clara Sorenson and Ebba Sagmoen Sundayed at their respective homes at Thief River Falls and Anita.

School opened at the Willowdale school south of town last Monday with Mrs. Sam Lorentson from Wylie as teacher. There is a six month's term which is considerably belated owing to the shortage of teachers this year.

John Blom returned on Tuesday from Thief River Falls where he had spent Sunday attending the union meetings at the Swedish Mission church.

Mrs. Johanna Nylus of Thief River Falls was in town between trains last Tuesday as guest of Ingrid Nordhagen.

Geneva and Olivia Swenson returned Tuesday from Thief River Falls where they had been guests at the S. Brandon home since Saturday.

Miss Guretta Dahl left last Tuesday for North Dakota where she will be employed this winter. Miss Dahl has been employed during the fall and early winter at the Geo. Snyder home west of town.

Alec Gullseth was in town between trains last Friday to visit his brother Anton and family and left in the evening for his home at Benwood. Mr. Gullseth was on a through trip from Thief River Falls where he had left his wife and daughter Ella, the latter suffering from an attack of infantile paralysis and is receiving treatment there.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Dahl, north of town, had the misfortune of breaking her arm while playing, the first of this week.

Joe Weiss, who has been employed in the city of Warren this fall, came home on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Rudolph and Isabelle Sagmoen attended the second Lyceum course number at Thief River Falls last Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. Thompson left on Thursday evening for a visit at Thief River Falls.

ERIE

Social a Big Success.

A basket social was given in the Grams schoolhouse on Saturday following Thanksgiving. The social was well attended and the proceeds amounted to some over $30 which will be used for kitchen utensils with which to prepare hot lunches.

Hunting—But No Game.

Gust Iverson, Elvin Bommerud, Ennar Soderberg and Ludvig Johnson went out on a hunting expedition some miles east. Their haul was only two small partridges which they had consumed and which made up the meat ration of their diet while gone. Ludvig, who was suffering with a boil on his neck, had the worst time of it. The pedestrians returned late Saturday night and were glad to be back to sleep in their cozy beds instead of a brush pile which had served them out in the open.

Mr. and Mrs. Osmund Lunden and children of McIntosh, were week-end visitors at Hovet's.

Rev. Hoyum of Esplee conducted religious services in the Dahlen school house on Sunday afternoon. He will be here again on Tuesday, Dec. 28th, services to begin at 11 o'clock.

The immediate friends of Mrs. Shulestad very pleasantly surprised her on Thursday afternoon. The party was a stork shower.

Dr. Paulson of Thief River Falls was out to the Soren Hermanson home on Sunday to see a sick child.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Arveson and children returned last week from Lankin, N. D., where they have been employed during the summer months. They report that it paid better to make use of the high wages last season than to endeavor to farm out here on the low peat lands.

Iver Iverson, who was a recent caller on relatives here, left for the lumber camps last Tuesday after getting things in shape for his mother who resides on Iver's farm here.

Mrs. Tellef Loyland will entertain the Eastern Star Ladies' Aid on Sunday afternoon in the Dahlen schoolhouse. All are welcome.

Mrs. L. B. Johnson, Mrs. Tommerdahl and Alexander Larson called on Mrs. Dahlen who is ill, on Sunday afternoon.

The Roysland family were guests at the Edward Hanson home in Reiner on Sunday.

Miss Anna Froiland, teacher in Dist. 56, is back to resume her duties after an illness of over a month. Miss Froiland underwent an operation for appendicitis.

The Stolaas family of Highlanding called on the Hovet family on Sunday.

Magnus Anderson, who went on a hunting expedition in Roseau county, came back with a fine deer.

Mrs. H. A. Dahlen has been confined to her bed for a few days with a siege of sickness. Others who have been ill are Verna Tommerdahl, Mrs. B. Danielson, Louise Johnson and others.

VIKING

Social at Blomberg School.

A ribbon social will be held in the Blomberg schoolhouse, Dist. 64, on Friday, Dec. 10th. Girls, bring lunch for two. Boys, don't forget your pocketbooks.

Mrs. M. Anderson called at the A. Larsen home Sunday afternoon.

Be sure and get one of Karl Korstad's Sale Posters. d9

H. O. Grinde spent Sunday at Thief River Falls.

The school children of District No. 117 enjoyed a marshmallow roast at the Spring school Friday evening.

Carl Brink, who has been baling hay, is suffering from a nervous break down.

Clara Brink spent the week-end with her parents here, returning to school Sunday evening.

Miss McMillan has returned to her home, after having spent several days caring for Mrs. Peterson, who is recovering from a severe case of pneumonia.

The parcel social at Miss Blomquist's school last Saturday evening proved a very enjoyable occasion.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Mrs. A. Garden and daughter, Beatrice spent Sunday afternoon at the H. B. Halvorson home.

Miss Emelia Johnson, who is employed by Mr. Jacob Gabrielson of Golden Valley, called on home folks Sunday.

Ingvald Pederson was a business caller at Thief River Falls Friday.

J. A. Russell is busy hauling wood from the Peder Solom farm.

Tylor Wold spent Friday evening at the G. J. Skomedal home.

Torbjon Skomedal called on Mr. Trockman and Ole T. Ose Tuesday of last week.

Ivend Ose made a business trip to Oklee last week.

Halvor Listol and Gunner Ose were passengers from Thief River Falls to Steiner Wednesday.

Olaf Bergland visited at the Jacob Klungness home for two days last week.

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John M. Johnson passed away at the Physicians hospital in Thief River Falls Thursday night. He was born in Sweden 71 years ago, came to this country 33 years ago and bought a farm on which he has since made his home. He left two brothers and one sister in Sweden to mourn his death.

STEINER

John Whitman was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday of last week.

Willis Warring had a fine pile of wood sawed last Wednesday, Steigen Bros. sawing rig doing the work.

Henry Rogers made a business call at Rosewood one day last week.

Ernest Slack went to Hibbing the first of the week where he expects to work during the winter months.

The Baker brothers were hauling wood last week.

S. R. Rogers autoed to Thief River Falls Friday forenoon. He says the roads are pretty rough for a "Henry."

Ed. Warner, now a resident of Thief River Falls, visited his son, Rene, on the farm last Saturday.

J. A. Russell was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday. Mr. Russell, as one of the members of the town board, helped in the arrangement of affairs of John Johnson, his near neighbor, who died at the Physicians hospital in Thief River Falls last Thursday night.

Arthur Simonson helped Willis Warring saw wood last Wednesday.

Otto Sogrin was a business caller at Thief River Falls the latter part of last week.

August Korliy transacted business here the first of the week.

Ole Berg is clearing land these days. He intends to break up a lot of land in the spring.

Mrs. Hattie Lanska visited the school here last Friday.

ESPLEE

The ditch meeting held at the L. J. Tenold home Saturday was well attended. Everyone present signified intentions of going to Warren to fight the taxation, not the ditch.

Geo. Wilson called at the home of P. P. Sund Sunday.

L. J. Tenold was unfortunate in losing one of his horses last week. Dr. Haney of Thief River Falls was called and stated that death was due to the dreadful disease, swamp fever. Mr. Tenold says he thinks two more of his horses have it.

H. N. Nubson of Greenbush was a caller in this neighborhood the past week.

Olive Chapman returned from Hazel where she has been employed.

Herman Sally was a business caller in Esplee on Saturday.

Reuben Lewis, who has just returned from the hospital at Thief River Falls where he was taken for treatment some time ago when he was hurt by a tractor, has resumed his duties.

A number of men attended the ditch meeting at Goodridge on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Turnbull and Mr. Wilson were guests at the home of Russell P. Turnbull on Sunday.

Rev. J. O. Hoyum called at the L. J. Tenold home Friday.

Cora I. Sund visited with Alice Tenold on Saturday afternoon.

C. Christianson of Thorhult, was a caller in Esplee on Saturday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Daniel Hanson was a caller in Esplee on Monday.

P. P. Sund and son, Arthur, left on Tuesday for a business trip to Grand Forks.

GERMANTOWN

Necktie Social.

A Xmas entertainment and Necktie social will be given in schoolhouse Dist. 120, Thursday evening, Dec. 23. Program commences at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

Be sure and get one of Karl Korstad's Sale Posters. d9

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne and son were Sunday guests at the J. Payne home at Goodridge.

A. K. Haggy called on Will Wayne Wednesday afternoon.

Nettie, Esther and Benard Bendickson were guests at the H. Longevan home last week.

Miss Hannah Nabben arrived home Tuesday from Crookston, where she has been attending school.

Salve Tharaldson visited with his brother Olaf over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Habedank and children, Emil and Luella, visited at the Henry Roller home Saturday evening.

Olaf and Salve Tharaldson were business callers at Goodridge Friday.

Mrs. Henry Roller and daughter, were guests at the Lindvick home on Saturday.

Miss Esther Bendickson left for Gonvick Saturday where she will teach school.

Howard and Lois Strubble and Miss Wayne were guests at the A. Ristau home Friday evening.

John Ristau transacted business at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Anton Overby was a caller at the Stokkie home Wednesday.

Mrs. John Philip called at the Will Wayne home Friday.

Mildred and Lawrence Nelson were dinner guests at the L. Bendickson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Magee and daughter visited at the H. Longevan home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children were Sunday guests at the H. Clausen home.

Bessie Roller called at the Stokkie home Monday afternoon.

Gustaf Ristau was a Mavie caller Friday.

Guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Lindvick and daughter and Messrs. Edward Haberstroh and Oscar Overby.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson visited with Mrs. Hans Dahl Thursday.

Messrs. Emil Benttin and Emil Habedank spent Friday evening with Oscar Pommeranke.

Guests at the Stokkie home Sunday were: Mrs. Henry Roller and children, Milton, Lawrence and Mildred Nelson.

Benard Bendickson called at Thief River Falls Friday.

Annie and Edwin Rosett visited at the Henry Clausen home Sunday afternoon.

A number of the young people in this community gathered at the C. Boyce home Saturday evening and had a very enjoyable time.

We earnestly hope that our regular customers will come in right away and pick out what they want for Xmas. We'll pack them nicely and hold them for you until you want them. Sapero's. D9

MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jesperson and children and Sadie and Beatrice Omdahl visited at the D. D. Roisland home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stennes and family spent Sunday evening at the Wedul home.

A surprise farewell party was given at the Wm. Sherwood home last Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. Sherwood and son, Frank, who are leaving for Minneapolis soon. A lunch was served at 12 o'clock and the evening was spent in dancing and conversation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Larson and sons, Elmer and Carl, visited at the H. C. Cooper home Sunday afternoon and evening.

Otto Rehm had the misfortune to have his car turned bottom side up in the ditch one day last week on his way home from Thief River Falls. The car when turning a corner slid partly from the road. Mr. Rehm made an effort to get the car back onto the road but it gradually worked itself backward toward the ditch. Mr. Rehm, seeing the danger, jumped out of the car and was fortunate enough to escape uninjured. The result was a broken windshield and top.

Misses Amy Stennes and Anna Wedul called at the H. C. Cooper home Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid held at the A. J. Stennes home last Thursday was well attended. They are invited to meet again at the L. Klove home on Jan. 6. Everybody is welcome to attend.

NUMEDAL

Numedal is coming to life again after a long lapse into silence.

John Bugge and Halvor Olson attended to business matters at Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mrs. J. A. Blomberg visited at the Joseph Joringdal home on Wednesday.

The wool growers of this locality last week shipped their wool to Chicago, where it will be stored to await the opening of the wool market.

George Bugge was a Viking shopper one day last week.

Miss Effie Joringdal assisted her sister-in-law, Mrs. Joseph Joringdal, with sewing last week.

Edward Blomberg left on Thursday for Thief River Falls, where he will be employed as carpenter on the Soo line.

A ribbon social will be given at the Blomberg school house on Friday evening, Dec. 10. The ladies are requested to bring ribbons and lunch for two, and the boys are asked not to forget their pocketbooks. Everybody is cordially invited to come and help the good thing along.

Quite a large crowd attended the meeting held at the Osness home on Sunday.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls on Friday.

The Nelson brothers of Viking baled several carloads of hay for Soren Knutson last week.

Mrs. Arthur Atwood called at the Blomberg home on Saturday.

Mrs. P. Bugge and son, George, autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Elias Joringdal transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson were Thief River Falls shoppers Saturday.

Oscar Forslund made a brief call at Blomberg's Sunday.

Thure Blomberg and George Bugge autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Thure Blomberg is busy grinding feed for S. Knutson these days.

Quite a few motored to Thief River Falls Sunday to spend the evening.

Soren Knutson was in Thief River Falls and took down some of the fair grounds fence, which he purchased some time ago.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Viking Monday evening.

ST. HILAIRE

Birthday Surprise.

Miss Laura Vigen was tendered a pleasant surprise at her home Tuesday evening. The occasion was her birthday. About 30 young people were present. Music and dancing formed the evening's entertainment, and at midnight a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Louise Giese and children, of Euclid, returned Tuesday to their home after spending a week at the home of Mrs. Giese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

August Lundberg was a Thief River Falls caller the fore part of the week.

Ed. Carlson, who has been employed at Eveleth, arrived last week for an indefinite visit at the home of his parents.

Miss Selma Hoff shopped at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Roy Wallen returned on Thursday to Grand Forks after spending a few days here on business matters.

The local high school basket ball team met and defeated the Argyle team in a lively game at the gym Saturday evening. The score was 10 to 4. This is the second game the St. Hilaire boys have won from Argyle, the former game being played at Argyle, ending in a score of 9 to 5.

E. P. Curtis of Colgate, N. D., arrived the latter part of last week and is assisting J. N. Schmitz in the closing out sale at the Nelson Mercantile Co. store.

Mrs. Olaf Nelson was a caller at Thief River Falls between trains on Wednesday.

Paul Ortloff and family have moved here and will reside over the winter, having leased the upstairs rooms in the Gust Anderson house.

Mrs. A. F. Hall and the Misses Eleanore Anderson and Lois Forbes shopped between trains at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Ole Odegaard of Hazel shopped and visited here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, a newly wedded couple, returned the fore part of the week after spending their honeymoon at Minneapolis and points in the southern part of the state. They will be at home to their many friends on the groom's farm in Black River.

Mrs. Reeves of Plummer visited on Monday with local friends.

Ole Hagglund, who has been employed at Twin Valley, arrived Monday for a visit with his family.

Mrs. W. Howie arrived the fore part of the week from Crookston for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kruse. Mrs. Howie was formerly Miss Ida Kruse.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Eide of Superior, Wis., are visiting with Mrs. Eide's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson.

Miss Hulda Person arrived the fore part of the week for Fort Francis, where she has been employed, for an indefinite visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Person.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies' Aid will serve lunch on Friday, Dec. 10, in the rooms over Nelson's store. All are welcome.

B. D. Landa of Great Falls, Mont., and niece, Miss Nora Landa, of Landa, N. D., spent the week visiting at the R. L. Hauge home. They left on Tuesday evening for Halstad, where they will visit before returning to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik were Red Lake Falls shoppers on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinhouer of Steiner motored to St. Hilaire and spent Thursday and Friday at the Albert Severson home.

Mrs. Dickenson, a former resident of St. Hilaire, now residing at Minneapolis, left the latter part of the week for Winnipeg for an indefinite stay at the home of her daughter, after spending a week here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Mortenson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda motored down from Thief River Falls Saturday evening for a short visit at the H. Kalland home, returning the same evening. They were accompanied by Mr. Kalland, who spent Sunday at the Janda home.

Andrew Hauge, who has visited the past week at the Otto Johnson and R. L. Hauge homes, returned Tuesday to his home at Halstad.

S. Husby of Crookston attended to business matters here the fore part of the week.

Tom Vigen returned on Monday to Bemidji after visiting over Sunday at the R. L. Hauge home.

Halvor Haugen was a business caller at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Sieff and children returned to their home at Red Lake Falls Saturday after spending the week at the A. S. Wilson home.

Miss Lucille Blaska, a student at the Thief River Falls high school, visited over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blaska.

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GOODRIDGE

[illegible] Boosts Farm Bureau; Community Spirit Lauded

[illegible]e Community club meeting held [illegible]y evening was a success in ev[illegible] [illegible]ect. The band played a number of [illegible]ieces followed by community [illegible]

[illegible] Hay gave a very fine talk. [illegible] complimented the band upon [illegible] wonderful improvement in the [illegible] weeks and he then told of his [illegible] the state agricultural department [illegible] and what work was planned [illegible] after which he spoke briefly [illegible] the farm bureau drive now on, [illegible] in Minnesota, but all over the [illegible]

[illegible]yone present enjoyed hearing [illegible]ay and expressed the hope that [illegible]ay come again soon.

[illegible] band played three more selec[illegible] and Stuart McLeod, president of [illegible]ommunity club, gave a short talk [illegible] work and experiences he has [illegible] the past two months in the farm [illegible] drive. Stuart said one thing [illegible] pleased the people of the com[illegible]ty and that was that in no other [illegible] in which he had been did he find [illegible] fine community spirit there is [illegible] here at home and that he was [illegible] to be back again.

[illegible] Commercial club held a short [illegible]ness meeting at the close.

[illegible]ceum Number Proves Popular.

[illegible] Henry Clark proved a very in[illegible]esting lecturer Thursday evening. [illegible]ay Ball," was his subject. Dr. Clark brought out very forcibly three leading points: team work, individuality and fair play; these being necessary both to make life successful as well as the ball game. Dr. Clark has been on the Chautauqua Circuit for twenty years and has given his "Play Ball" lecture fifteen hundred times. The third number of our Lyceum course will be here January 7, 1921.

Lutheran Church, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 12. German services at 10 a. m. English services at 3 p. m. at Germantown. Sunday, Dec. 19, English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. No services in Goodridge. Thursday, Dec. 23. English Christmas program at the John Franzmann home near Grygla at 7:30 p. m. Friday, Dec. 24, English Christmas program at Esplee 7:30 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 25, [illegible] service at Esplee at 10 a. m. [illegible] Christmas program at Germantown at 7:30 p. m.

Farewell Surprise Party.

Mesdames Josephson and Sgrey gave a surprise party Friday for Mrs. Rosaire Morin, who leaves this week for Hibbing where Mr. Morin is employed. Each lady gave Mrs. Morin a handkerchief as a gift and games and cards were played. At ten o'clock a delicious lap lunch was served. The best of wishes of Mrs. Morin's many friends go with her to her new home. The community regrets her departure.

Red Cross Short Course Soon.

A Red Cross short course in nursing will be given some time shortly [illegible] Christmas. As soon as a nurse [illegible] secured the dates will be given [illegible]. There will be two classes a day [illegible] for the school girls in the afternoon and one for the ladies of the community in the evening.

SCHOOL NOTES

Placed on Graded List.

[illegible]O. Norby received word last [illegible] that the local school has been [illegible] upon the state graded list. [illegible]owing is the letter received:

"Goodridge, Minn.

Mr. B. O. Norby,

Dear Sir: This is a reply to your letter of the 22nd inst. Your school was officially listed as a state graded school at the annual meeting on Aug. 3rd, 1920. The following aids were allowed:

Graded Aid.	
Flat	$ 600
Additional grade teacher	100
Additional high school teacher	250
Supplemental	539
Tuition	60
Consolidated	
Flat	$ 300
Transportation	2175
	$4,024

With best wishes, your truly.

R. B. McCLEAN,
Inspector of Elementary Schools.

[illegible] Hay and County Agent Mc[illegible] visited school Monday after[illegible]noon. Mr. Hay gave a very interesting talk which was enjoyed by both pupils and teachers.

The Christmas entertainment will be given Thursday afternoon, Dec. 23. There will be a full program in next week's paper.

Prof. L. A. Leonard will give his moving picture show next Friday evening, Dec. 10th. The entertainment consists of two moving picture films, illustrated songs and phonograph music.

Four new pupils were enrolled on Monday morning as follows: Agnes, [illegible] and Casper Johnson and Mable [illegible]e. Mr. Johnson and family moved into this district last week.

Miss Elenor Bauer was in Thief [illegible] Falls shopping Saturday.

[illegible]O. Norby was a passenger to [illegible] River Falls Saturday evening.

[illegible] Nestal went to Mavie Saturday to make arrangements for the [illegible] to give a concert there next Saturday evening.

John Rolland of Thief River Falls was in town Saturday between trains.

Mrs. J. P. Ferdinandsen and son Stewart, were in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

[illegible] Daniel Vaughan went to Thief River Falls to have dental work done.

[illegible] Ferdinandson left Friday [illegible] for Minneapolis where he will [illegible] sister for a few days.

[illegible] M. G. Thorsen was in Thief [illegible] Falls Thursday, shopping.

[illegible] Tanem was in Thief River [illegible] Saturday on business.

[illegible] Limesand was a Thief River Falls visitor Thursday.

Albert Johnson of Germantown was [illegible] River Falls.

Karl Korstad of Highlanding was in town Friday morning on business.

Mrs. Bundhund was in Thief River Falls Thursday, shopping.

Ellurd Iverson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Will Korstad of Highlanding was a business caller in town Friday morning.

Miss Hilda Christianson returned from Thief River Falls Thursday morning where she had dental work done.

Arthur Halverson left Tuesday for Winger where he will visit relatives for a while.

Chris and Osmond Urdahl were called to Grand Forks Monday on account of the serious illness of a brother.

The local band will give a concert at Mavie Saturday evening, Dec. 11th. The boys are surely doing fine and are deserving of much credit.

R. H. McDonald returned Monday morning from Grygla where he went Saturday evening, hunting. He was on Moose River but was not lucky enough to bring home any game.

Stuart McLeod was a week-end visitor at home. He left again for Moorhead where he will do Farm Bureau work.

Alfred Dybvik of Thief River Falls was a guest at the J. P. Jensen home from Friday evening until Saturday evening.

G. C. Gulrud and Rev. Hanson were appointed by the Commercial club to attend the ditch hearing at Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. Edward Benson was a guest of her sister, Mrs. N. H. Dahl last Wednesday. She was enroute from Vancouver to her home in Minneapolis.

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Legal Notices

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA SIXTH DIVISION.—IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of B. Theodore Johnson, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of B. Theodore Johnson of St. Hilaire, in the County of Pennington, in said district, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the [illegible] day of November, A. D. 1920, the above named B. Theodore Johnson was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned [illegible] in the city of Crookston, in [illegible] on the [illegible] day of December, A. D. 1920, [illegible] [illegible]

Dated November [illegible], 1920.

[illegible]
Referee in Bankruptcy.

RAILROAD AND WAREHOUSE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA.

Application of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Company for an increase of exchange and toll rates, and other charges in the State of Minnesota.

The application of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Company, filed with this Commission, this 1st day of December, 1920, sets forth that it [illegible] is engaged in the business of furnishing telephone service within the State of Minnesota; that due to increases in operating expenses that said company is failing to earn sufficient income to pay its operating expenses and fixed charges; that said company needs an additional income of $[illegible] annually in order to pay said expenses, fixed charges, and to earn a fair return upon the value of its property as shown by the books of the company; that all the figures showing values, expense and income upon which the claims of the company are based have been presented to this Commission during the recent hearings held by the Commission in the proceedings entitled, "In the matter of the investigation of all rates, tolls, charges, rules and regulations of the Northwestern Telephone Exchange Company."

THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED, That the above entitled matter be set down for hearing at the offices of the Commission, State Capitol, St. Paul, Minnesota, at 10 o'clock a. m., the 15th day of December, 1920, and that all persons interested in said proceedings shall appear and be heard at said time.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That notice of said hearing shall be given by publication of this notice by at least one publication not less than seven (7) days prior to said date of hearing in The Journal, Tribune and The Daily News, daily newspapers published in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and the News-Tribune and The Herald, daily newspapers published in each city [illegible] [illegible]

(SEAL) By the Commission,
A. C. CLAUSEN,
Secretary.

Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 2nd day of December, A. D. 1920. D9

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Bertha Gravll.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha Gravll, known also as Bertha Gravll and as Berta Gravll, decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Thief V. Gravll, Anna K. Craik, Olga Aaseby, Bertha Aaseby, Ruble Aaseby, Vivian Aaseby, Iver T. Aaseby, Ragnhild Burlingrud, Andrew Burlingrud, Elsie Burlingrud, Bertha Viola Burlingrud, Evelyn Burlingrud, the heirs at law of Edward Bernhardt Gravll, and the heirs at law of Valborg Gravll, and the heirs at law of Clara Gravll, all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of M. C. Burns having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that the will of decedent has been proved and administration of his estate granted in this State, but that said property was omitted from such administration and the final decree therein and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

THEREFORE YOU AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, 1920, at ten o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court and the seal thereof, this 1st day of December, 1920.

(Court Seal) IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
(D-2-9-16)

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS Default has been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage made, executed, and delivered by EDWIN OLSON and MABEL OLSON, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as Mortgagors, to CITIZENS STATE BANK of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as Mortgagee, upon and covering the following real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼), Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

which said Mortgage bears date the 27th day of June, 1915, and was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of June, 1915, at 4 o'clock P. M., and was thereafter duly recorded in said office in Book 42 of Mortgages on Page 211, and

WHEREAS, Thereafter and on the 4th day of August, 1915, said Citizens State Bank, of Thief River Falls, by a written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Edwin White, and which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 28th day of August, 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 8 of Mortgages on Page 621, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 13th day of October, 1915, the said Edwin White, by written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle, Joseph H. Clark and [illegible], Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, Deceased, which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of October, 1915, at 8 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 41 of Mortgages, on Page 488, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 17th day of February, 1917, Albert R. Moore of Ramsey County, Minnesota, was appointed by the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, the Court in which the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, is being administered, Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, in place and stead of [illegible], deceased Executor, and the said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, are now the owners of said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, and

WHEREAS, Such default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the principal of said mortgage indebtedness, to-wit the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500.00), which became due on the 1st day of July, 1920, and to pay interest upon said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, since the 1st day of July, 1919, and

WHEREAS, by reason of the default as aforesaid, said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, assignees, as authorized by the said Mortgage and the note thereby secured, have declared, and do hereby declare, the whole of the principal sum secured by the said mortgage, and note to be due and payable, and the same is now due and payable, and

WHEREAS there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage and the note thereby [illegible] of Sixteen Hundred and Twenty-one and 80-100 Dollars ($1621.80) (being $1500.00 for principal and $121.80 for interest thereon), and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the same, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and pursuant to the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and the Statute in such case made and provided, said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the real property therein described will be sold by the Sheriff of the said County of Pennington in the State of Minnesota, or by his Deputy, at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash, at the Main Front Entrance of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County of Pennington, on Monday, the 27th day of December, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which will then be due upon said mortgage, including taxes and insurance premiums, if any, paid by said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and including an attorney's fee of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, and the costs and expenses of this foreclosure.

Dated October 30, 1920.

FRED W. SHARPE,
WHEELOCK V. TOWLE,
JOSEPH H. CLARK,
as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased,
ALBERT R. MOORE,
as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased,
Assignees of Mortgagee.
MOORE, OPPENHEIMER & PETERSON
Attorneys for Assignees of Mortgagee,
Suite 1015 Merchants National Bank Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.
n11-18-25-d2-9-16

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of $17.13, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Olava Lyngholm and L. H. Lyngholm, her husband, mortgagors, to Wheeler-Misner Loan Company, a corporation of the county of Polk and state of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated May 19th, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Pennington, state of Minnesota, in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 291, having been filed for such record May 21st, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., which said mortgage provides that if Mortgagors therein fail to pay interest on a prior mortgage therein mentioned, for the principal sum of $[illegible], on the premises hereinafter described, at the time the same shall become due under the conditions of said prior mortgage, then and in that event, said mortgagee may pay such interest and have an additional claim and lien upon said premises therefor, with interest on the amount so paid at the rate of ten per cent per annum, under the first above mentioned mortgage; that said Mortgagors have failed to pay interest on said prior mortgage in the amount of $[illegible], [illegible] of which became due May 19th, 1918, $[illegible] May 19th, 1919, and $[illegible] May 19th, 1920, and said mortgagee have paid the sum of $[illegible] interest on said prior mortgage; and

Said first above mentioned mortgage further provides that in event of the default on the part of the mortgagors therein in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the whole sum secured by said mortgage shall become due and payable at once, that the whole sum secured by said mortgage is the sum of $27.13, exclusive of said interest on said prior mortgage, and said mortgagee has elected to and does hereby declare the whole of said sum to be due, and in addition thereto, said sum of $[illegible], interest on said prior mortgage, and interest thereon amounting to $[illegible], in all amounting to the sum of $[illegible], and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

That the premises described in and conveyed by said first above mentioned mortgage are situate in the county of Pennington, state of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit: The west half of the southwest quarter (W½ of SW¼) of section nine (9), in township one hundred fifty-four (154) north, range thirty-nine (39) west of the Fifth Principal Meridian;

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said first above mentioned mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed thereby, subject to said prior mortgage, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 28th day of December, 1920, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $121.56, and interest on $105.00 thereof at ten per cent per annum from the date of this notice to the date of sale and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law in case of foreclosure of said mortgage, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 6th, 1920.

WHEELER-MISNER LOAN COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
Martin O'Brien,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Crookston, Minnesota.
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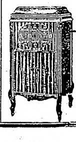

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Tax Apportionment, Regular and Special Aids Total $35,875 For County.

St. Hilaire District Has Largest Increase Because of New Construction.

Twenty-Seven Districts Fail to Qualify and Are Left Out of Aid Column.

County warrants for sums totalling $35,875.93 are being sent out from County Auditor T. P. Anderson's office to treasurers of Pennington county school districts. The above named amount covering the November school apportionment, state aid to schools of the county and special aids, was certified back to the county from the state treasurer's office and received by County Treasurer John Gullingsrud on Monday. It is Pennington county's share of the school taxes for the last half of the year 1919, payable during the latter part of 1920.

District 18 Gets Large Sum.

The sums received by individual school districts are, as a rule, smaller than those of last year. District No. 8, St. Hilaire, receives $1,600.60 as compared with $1,822.87 of a year ago, because of extensive constructive work in the form of a new school building. The city of Thief River Falls, District No. 18, receives $17,603.93 as compared with $20,528.00 for last year. An apportionment of $5,934.60 for 1,413 pupils at the rate of $4.20 per pupil, state aid of $10,536.00 and special aid of $1,133.33 make up the total received at this time. The $1,133.33 is aid received for the Smith Hughes industrial school. A tuition of $2,871, a regular aid of $2,500, an industrial aid of $2,502 and an aid of $2,200 for the training department, comprise the larger amount received.

Apportionment of $4.20.

The state apportionment is based on a rate of $4.20 per pupil throughout the school districts. The amounts received are as follows:

No. Dist.	App.	No. Dist.	App.
1	$ 50.40	53	$ 75.60
2	63.00	54	71.40
4	63.00	55	67.20
5	88.20	56	75.60
6	46.20	57	109.20
7	33.60	58	42.00
8	579.60	59	151.20
9	67.20	61	21.00
10	67.20	65	75.60
11	130.20	66	54.00
12	84.00	67	100.80
15	117.60	68	92.40
17	25.20	69	33.60
18	5934.60	70	16.80
25	67.20	73	176.40
26	134.40	94	75.60
28	92.40	99	100.80
29	180.60	102	533.40
30	96.60	106	79.80
31	75.60	108	16.80
33	12.60	125	75.60
34	96.60	127	63.00
35	92.40	133	42.00
37	79.80	135	92.40
38	75.60	147	71.40
39	113.40	148	21.00
41	121.80	149	71.40
42	100.80	154	71.40
43	12.60	165	21.00
44	37.80	166	54.60
46	67.20	178	67.20
47	100.80	180	54.60
48	113.40	194	37.80
50	67.20	219	33.60
51	58.80	221	88.20
52	84.00	227	4.20
Unorg.	138.60	228	37.80
Total			$12,276.60

Only 47 of the 74 school districts receive state aid, the remaining 27 not qualifying for the same.

No. Dist.	Aid	No. Dist.	Aid
1	$ 150	47	$ 150
4	150	51	100
5	100	53	150
7	100	55	150
8	1024	56	150
9	100	57	150
10	150	59	150
11	150	65	150
12	150	68	100
18	10536	69	73
25	150	73	300
26	150	102	2070
28	100	125	150
29	18	133	123
30	150	135	150
31	100	149	150
33	100	154	22
34	100	165	150
35	150	166	150
37	150	178	150
38	150	180	150
41	100	194	150
42	100	228	150
46	150		
Total			$22,466

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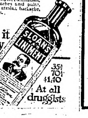

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The following new books have arrived at the Carnegie library and are ready for readers: "Daisy Ashford—Her Book," by Daisy Ashford; "Wanpost" by Dane Coolidge; "All Wool Morrison," by Holmen Day; "Flappers and Philosophers," by F. Scott Fitzgerald; "The Fur Bringers," by Hulbert Footner; "Girl on the Hilltop," by Kenyon Gambier; "Steel Preferred," by H. S. Hall; "Don Strong, American," by Wm. Heyliger; "Pie, the Weapon Maker," by George Langford; "Mammy's White Folks," by E. S. Sampson; "Prairie Mother," by Arthur Stringer.

Holds Record For Achievement.

The telephone was invented in America over 30 years ago, and ever since, the United States has led the world in the telephone achievement and has continuously given to the public the highest known standard of the telephone service. In no other country has the telephone been so universally used and for this reason in no other country have there been such tremendous problems of engineering, construction and operation to be solved. The Bell system, that is, the American Telephone and Telegraph company and Associated companies, has earned an unparalled record for scientific development, sound financing and efficient public service.

PHONE COMPANIES ASK RATE ADVANCE

Granting Request Will Mean Increase of 30 to 40 Per Cent Over Present Tolls.

Patrons of the Northwestern Telephone company may expect a raise in rates and toll charges of from thirty to forty per cent, according to Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the local office. The telephone company has appealed to the Railway and Warehouse commission for an increase in rates and a public hearing has been arranged for December 10 at St. Paul.

"The telephone rate question," continues Mr. Sterns, "was a see-saw proposition while the lines were under government control. Over two years ago an increase in rates was requested in order to increase salaries of employees to a living wage. Postmaster General Burleson, who was in charge of all telephone lines, referred the case to the supreme court and hearings have extended over a period of 14 months. Salaries were increased somewhat by the companies, though the rates proved insufficient to meet all expenses. Reports of the Northwestern not only do not show a dividend declared or a surplus retained, but they also show that sufficient funds were not available to pay interest on borrowed money. It was also necessary to use funds which had been set aside to cover depreciation."

The Brotherhood Bank Makes its Bow to Public

(Literary Digest.)

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers' Cooperative National Bank opened its temporary headquarters at St. Clair avenue and Ontario street, Cleveland, Ohio, on November 1. The institution has a capital of $1,000,000 and Grand Chief Warren S. Stone, of the Brotherhood, is its first president.

The bank will not confine itself to the brotherhood. It will do a commercial savings and trust company business. It will do banking by mail. The Brotherhood has 85,000 members not to speak of the several million workers who belong to other labor organizations. The bank, of course, is open to everybody and is not an exclusive labor bank.

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW

45c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Shipping Point for Big Game.

The three year old buck killed by E. O. Mogensen and Wm. Prichard Jr., on their three day hunting trip near Mizpah during the first of the week, made the 48th deer shipped from that place since the opening of the big game season. Several moose were also taken in the swamps of that vicinity.

Government Takes Steps To Prevent Home Brewing

The bureau of international revenue hopes to stop home brewing, but it finds it difficult to determine just how to do it, except through a reminder to the public that home brewing is illegal.

As a part of its plan to put an end to the fireside manufacture of beer, the bureau announced it will put a stop to the sale of ingredients going into home brew which are advertised and made for sale as home brew materials.

The bureau denied a report that it would put a stop to the sale of malt and hops, for it has no authority to do so under the law, but it will go as far as it can to reduce home brewing and the home consumption of beer and other intoxicants made in the family kitchen or cellar.

Former Resident Writes.

"New London, Wis.
Nov. 25, 1920.

The Times,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Gentlemen:

I missed the paper of Nov. 18, so please forward same.

Well, we had a good crop considering the dry spell but we had late rains so got our plowing all done. On Sunday, Nov. 21, we had sleet.

Mrs. Moeller underwent a serious operation at Oshkosh, Nov. 10 and has been in the hospital since Nov. 9. However she is getting along very nicely and we expect her home Saturday.

Prices seem to be dropping fast. Milk is below butter at present so we are making butter at our cheese factory. Calves, 100 lbs. or more are .11; cows, .25 and up; butter, .65.

We have had no snow as yet so cars are still being used. It is cold today but we had nice weather yesterday.

Busines is starting to pick up a little.

We like Wisconsin very well. There are a lot of fine neighbors. The cities are somewhat old-fashioned. Concrete and gravel roads are very much in evidence. Land is still on the boom here—good land of course.

It looks like snow today. Will close.

Yours truly,
WM. MOELLER
Rt. 1, Box 11.

Mr. Moeller and family formerly resided near this city.

MARKETING OF GRAIN MAY DETERMINE EXTENT OF HOLIDAY BUYING

Cold Weather, Judicious Advertising, and Merchandise Values Prove Important Factors in Bolstering Up Retail Business.

Cold weather, judicious advertising, and "exceptional merchandise values," have assisted in increasing retail business in the leading cities of Minnesota during the past few weeks, but trade is very light as a whole; Christmas buying has not commenced and the November volume of business is considerably below 1919.

These facts were obtained during the past week by The Merchants National Bank of Saint Paul, with the cooperation of banks throughout the state. Bankers in every section sought the opinion of their leading retail merchants and made replies to these questions which were mailed to them by the Merchants National Bank:

How is retail trade in your territory?

Has recent cold affected buying?

Has Christmas buying been begun to any extent?

Do merchants believe there will be heavier Christmas buying this year, than there was in 1919?

Several leading St. Paul merchants were interviewed and their viewpoints are reflected in the following announcement:

"Indications here are that retail trade generally is a little better at the present time than it has been for the past few months."

"One firm interviewed stated that the recent cold wave has increased buying but little, but others state that it has caused quite a spurt in buying by the public and still colder weather they believe will have further influence in that respect. One firm stated that Christmas goods were moving fairly well.

"Firms generally believe that Christmas buying may be somewhat lighter this year than last but nevertheless, they are preparing for a heavy trade. One St. Paul firm states that the reason for its belief that there will be heavier buying this Christmas, is that it has been making an effort for the past month to increase business by means of exceptional merchandise values."

It was noticeable in a number of reports from out in the state that merchants who advertised effectively were getting more business than merchants who depended upon a "regular trade." Conservative reports, without comment, were received from a number of counties including Kandiyohi, Marshall, Rice, Grant, Goodhue, Douglas, Pope, Freeborn, Brown, Anoka, Becker, Kanabec, Clay, Polk, Traverse, Winona, Murray and Dakota. A number of these bankers pointed out that farmers expect to dispose of crops shortly and then may make Christmas purchases. Others forecast that farmers would hold their grain until January or February and that they probably would buy lightly.

A Thief River Falls banker said merchants declared buyers were "holding off." Recent cold increased buying in Mahnomen county. In Lincoln county farmers are expecting further price reductions. Credit sales have been heavy in Fillmore county. Light Christmas business is forecast. Business in St. Louis county was referred to as "fair to slow." Christmas buying has started on a small scale. Lower county merchants declared that all but a few customers are confining their purchases to necessities. Bargain sales are fair-trade getters in Martin county but business has been light. Cottonwood county merchants have increased their advertising. Christmas business in Marshall county will depend upon the ability of farmers to market their grain. In practically every county heard from, farmers are demanding generous credit terms from retail merchants and general store keepers.

Despite the tightness of money, Minnesota farmers, merchants and civic officials are making preparations for a busy 1921. While a few factories in small cities have shut down temporarily, and others have reduced their working forces, it has been noticed quite generally that these interruptions are regarded as temporary.

You Guard Against Burglars, But What About Rats?

Rats steal millions of dollars' worth of grain, chickens, eggs, etc. Destroy property and are a menace to health. If you are troubled with rats, try RAT-SNAP. It will surely kill them—prevent odors. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Comes in cakes. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, $1.25. Sold and guaranteed by
ROY LAMBERT, HALL BROS. CO.

WHEN TIRED AND WEARY a glass of our rich pure milk is a wonderful restorer of energy and vigor. It is Nature's own tonic and far excels any man made decoction. Superior as it is, it is far the cheapest. And what is more you'll enjoy taking it. Our milk is rich in body and fine in flavor. It is splendid for invalids and babies and for everybody else as well.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

VOLLAND FRAMED MOTTOES

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Volland Framed Mottoes
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THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA.
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

Headquarters For Men's Wear

Where You Will Find The Best Gifts For Men

While on your shopping tour, be sure to stop in at the Men's Gift headquarters and see the remarkable display which we, through weeks of diligent searching and buying, have gathered for your early viewing. Everything in the haberdashery line is on display.

First of all, any one of the hundreds of Men's Shirts in various fabrics is sure to make "him" delighted. To see is to appreciate them
$2.50, $3.00, $3.50 and up
Silk Shirts at Reduced Prices.

No matter how many ties he now has, you will agree after seeing our Neckwear suggestions, that he can use one or two more. "Cheney" Ties and Mufflers are best. We have them. Ties
75c TO $4.50
Mufflers
$1.00 TO $6.00

Be sure to include Gloves in your Gift list. Without a doubt our line of men's Dress Gloves is the finest in the city. Mochas, Suedes, Capes, Ivory and Silk Gloves
$1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $7.50
A number of Automobile Gloves to select from
$3.50 TO pair. $18

Give him something he always wants but seldom buys for himself—A House Coat or a Dressing Gown. We have some splendid styles
$7.50 TO $18.00

Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs make desirable Gifts for him. We have box after box from which to select.
15c TO $1.00
Many box assortment to choose from.

A SWEATER COAT is a dandy Gift—especially if you choose from our big stock. Many color combinations in all-wool.
$3.50 TO $15.00

If he is in need of a Belt, this is the place to get it. We can provide it in the most durable leather and with a plain or fancy buckle. Many makes including the Wilkinson "Braxton" Belts
75c TO $3.00
Buckles at
50c TO $3.00

FUR CAPS—For the motorist or general outdoor wear are about the most comfortable head covering and protection against wintry elements that a man can get. Get him one from our lot and see how well it will be appreciated. We have them in Alaska Seal, Hudson Seal and Near Seal; also Coney. Large selection to choose from.
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Smart Silk or Cotton Hose—An ideal and sensible Gift for men, in many colors and sizes, at
50c TO $2.00

Shop early! Best selections now! Open Evenings!

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JUDGE IMPOSES LIFE SENTENCE ON HOLDUP MEN

Earl Cook and Sam Thompson Get Limit For Robbing Bank at Gatzke.

Plead Guilty Before Judge Grindeland at Warren and Are Taken to Stillwater.

Young Men Begin Serving Sentence Ten Days After Commission of Crime.

Life imprisonment in the state penitentiary at Stillwater was the sentence imposed by Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren upon Earl Cook and Sam Thompson, the two young men who held up the Farmers' State bank at Gatzke and made off with over $880 cash on Dec. 3. Both are former service men and under 25 years of age. Hans Hanson, Marshall county sheriff, escorted them from the county jail at Warren to Stillwater on Sunday evening and turned them over to the prison authorities.

Exciting Chase Ends in Capture.

On Dec. 3 the two young men, who later gave their names as Earl Cook and Sam Thompson, entered the Farmers' State bank at Gatzke and holding the cashier, bookkeeper, and a bank customer at the point of shotgun and pistol, secured $880 in cash and escaped in a ramshackle Ford car, which, it was later discovered, they had stolen at St. Vincent a few days previous. Sheriffs of neighboring counties and people in cities and villages in every direction were notified to be on the lookout. After a long and exciting chase in which the citizens of Donaldson fired on the fugitives as they passed thru the streets of that village but without avail, the robbers drove their stolen car off on a side road, ran into a farm yard gate and while trying to extricate themselves were captured by Sheriff Anderson of Kittson county, who was close on their trail.

Left Trail of Crime.

The robbers were turned over to Sheriff Hanson of Marshall county, who was also hot on the trail and they were conveyed to the county jail at Warren, where they pleaded guilty. Practically all of the stolen money was recovered. Investigation went to prove that the two young men had been engaged in running whiskey across the Canadian border, had been relieved of all of their possessions by government officers, had stolen the Ford car at St. Vincent, and had been pursued by officers into Roseau county, where their trail was lost.

Special Grand Jury Called.

Owing to the fact that the crime called for a sentence of more than ten years' imprisonment, Judge Grindeland called a special grand jury for last Saturday. The two highwaymen pleaded guilty to the bank robbery when arraigned and were sentenced to life imprisonment on Saturday afternoon. Escorted by Sheriff Hanson, they left Warren on Sunday evening and began their sentence at 10 a. m. Monday. Bank or train robbery at the point of a gun was made punishable by a life term of imprisonment at a recent session of the state legislature.

Co-Operative Marketing Helping Potato Growers

Pennington county potato growers are receiving their share of free advertising these days. A recent report in the city papers contains the following:

"Potato growers in Pennington county are receiving at least 80 cents a hundred pounds more for their product than is being received elsewhere because of the fact that they are marketing their wares through the newly organized Minnesota Potato Exchange, according to a report made to the University Farm headquarters by J. J. McCann, county agent for Pennington county.

"Reports from other counties, including Stearns county, Swift county and Kittson county show good prospects for potato production, according to the report. W. V. Longley, county agent for Kittson county, reported that 92 growers of Early Ohios in his county have certified seed stock amounting to 17,825 bushels."

CENTRAL HEALTH BODY IS FORMED

All Organizations in County Will Coordinate and Work Together Hereafter.

A coordinate body to be known as the Central Health Committee of Pennington county, was formed at a meeting of representatives of the various health and welfare associations of the county, held at the Farm Bureau office in the city auditorium on Friday afternoon. Dr. M. G. Milan, medical director of the Oakland Park Sanitorium, was elected president of the new organization and J. J. McCann, secretary. Other officers will be elected as occasion demands.

Six health and welfare organizations were represented at the meeting. W. A. Ziegler represented the Junior Red Cross; Mrs. Andrew Craik the Senior Red Cross; Mrs. J. M. Bishop the Child's Welfare Board; Mrs. J. J. Richter and J. J. McCann the Minnesota Public Health association; Mrs. E. M. Stanton the Woman's club; Dr. M. G. Milan the Oakland Park Sanitorium. Dr. H. W. Froehlich represented the physicians and surgeons of Thief River Falls. Representatives submitted reports of organization activities during the past year. Another meeting has been called for the middle of January, no definite date having as yet been designated.

The above named organizations, with the assistance of the physicians of the community, have of late years been working along very similar lines in an endeavor to raise the physical standard of the county, in ignorance of each other's plans and progress. Through the activities of this newly formed central committee it is expected that work will be planned and carried out in greater harmony. The primary object of the committee is to keep each organization in touch with what the other organizations are doing, thus securing a correlation of work and saving a duplication of effort.

FARM AND BANK MEN ARE AT CROOKSTON

Seek More Friendly Relations Between Farmers and Bankers of Northwest.

W. W. Prichard, Sr., of the Prichard Lumber company, C. L. Hansen of the First National bank, O. Ramstad of the Citizens State bank, Robert McGinn of the Farmers and Merchants State bank, and R. M. Sheldon of the First and Peoples State bank, are among those who are attending the farmer-banker conference at Crookston today. D. McKetrich, county agent from Grygla, and members of the soliciting team of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, who will assist in the farm bureau membership drive in this county during the coming ten days, are also in attendance.

The object of this conference of farmers and bankers of northwestern Minnesota is to seek more friendly relations and better understanding between financial institutions and farmers. Meetings were called for Marshall, Owatonna, Crookston and St. Cloud for December 13, 14, 16 and 17, respectively by L. E. Potter, president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation from Indianapolis where he is attending the American Farm Bureau convention, the plan having been approved by W. P. G. Harding, governor of the Federal Reserve board. The meetings at Marshall and Owatonna drew hundreds of farmers and bankers from points in the southern part of the state.

BIG TIME PLANNED BY ELK COMMITEE

Initiation Ceremonies Tomorrow Evening to Be Followed By Leap Year Dance.

Elks and their ladies, numbering between four and five hundred, are expected to join in the initiatory festivities and leap year ball which will be presented by the Elks' ladies at the city auditorium tomorrow evening. B. P. O. E. No. 1308 is engaging in a large membership drive which closes Jan. 31. At this first initiation tomorrow evening between 35 and 40 men of northwestern Minnesota will become true and loyal Elks and depart with their new antlers. Initiation will take place at the Masonic hall, beginning at 8 p. m., after which the Elks will adjourn to the auditorium to participate in the dancing.

The evening's entertainment at the auditorium is to be given by the Elks' ladies. Mrs. L. H. Lawrence is acting as chairman of the committee having in charge the last leap year ball of the season. A musicale will be given for the ladies while the initiatory work is going on in the Masonic hall. Card tables will be provided for those who desire to play cards until the hour set for dancing arrives. Snyder's orchestra will furnish the music. A buffet luncheon, served by caterers from the Brunund hotel, will be the feature of the midnight hour.

Superintendent W. A. Barnard of the Soo line has arranged for a passenger coach to be attached to way freight No. 66, coming from the north, to accommodate visiting members from along that line.

High School Debaters to Clash Tomorrow Evening

Thief River Falls high school will meet Roseau high school in the first debate in the elimination contest for the state debating championship tomorrow evening at 7:30. The subject is: "Resolved—That the Open Shop is Preferable to the Closed Shop in Our Industrial System." Thief River high taking the affirmative stand and Roseau the negative. The local debating team for this first contest is made up of Esther Soards, Vernon Copp and Edward Fiterman. The Girls Glee club of the high school will give two selections preliminary to the opening of the debate.

In a preliminary debate on the same question in chapel on Tuesday afternoon, the affirmative won out over the negative side; the negative in this instance being taken by other members of the debating forum.

Do your shopping early. Stores close at 6 Christmas Eve.

WILL GO AHEAD WITH DITCH 68; NO. 70 CHANGED

Amount Already Spent Does Not Permit Abandonment of Project, Says Board.

If Cost Proves Excessive Matter May Be Dropped When Bids Are Opened.

Compromise Reached in Case of No. 70, Proposed Laterals Being Dropped.

The hearing of objections to county ditches No. 68 and No. 70 before the county commissioners at the Pennington county court house on Friday and Saturday resulted in the establishment of No. 68 and a compromise between petitioners for, and objectors to, No. 70. Many angles of the drainage situation and individual needs had to be taken into consideration and it was necessary to adjourn the hearing set for Friday to Saturday morning.

The county commissioners voted to establish Ditch No. 68 and advertise for bids for its construction, reserving the right to reject any and all bids in case the costs proved excessive. The ditch was petitioned for earlier in the season by farmers who now claim that the cost of its construction and the burden this assessment would entail, were not realized at the time. Many of the original petitioners objected to the establishment of the ditch on the above mentioned grounds and were in favor of laying aside the project for the time being. Considerable expense having been accumulated through the necessary engineering viewers reports, the county board voted to establish the ditch with the expectations that its construction can be delayed for a time.

Compromise on No. 70.

Ditch No. 68 as established calls for the construction of a main artery and two parallel ditches extending from points two, three and four miles west of Thief River Falls, southward along section lines of Norden and Sanders townships west of St. Hilaire, from where the route follows as a single ditch that of Judicial Ditch No. 40, emptying into Red Lake river just below St. Hilaire.

The objectors and petitioners compromised as regards the construction of County Ditch No. 70 agreeing that Ditch No. 10 already constructed may be cleaned out and deepened for its entire course, with the exception of the extreme lower end where it empties into Red Lake river, and that the approximate mile and one-half of ditch extending from the northwest corner of section 20 along the north line of sections 20 and 21, township of North, to the Thief river, be established. The two proposed laterals, extending along the west line of sections five and eight and thence to the river at the quarter line of section 17, Rocksbury township, will not be established.

Cost is Too High.

The objections to No. 70 in its entirety were based upon the estimated cost of constructing the short lateral north of Thief River Falls, the viewers' report calling for an expenditure of upwards of $15,000 for one and one-half miles of ditch and the construction of one bridge. Objections was also raised because of waters brought down from Marshall county through ditches recently constructed, and doubt as to the efficiency of ditch No. 10 in carrying off the same. Owing to the depth and inaccessibility of Ditch No. 10, the cost of further excavation and cleaning out will be great.

DITCH 30 PROJECT GREATLY MODIFIED

Plan Now is to Expend About $75,000 Instead of the $400,000 Recommended.

Approximately 150 farmers from Marshall and Pennington counties, many of whom were represented by Thief River Falls attorneys, assembled at Warren last Thursday for the purpose of protesting against the establishment of Judicial Ditch No. 30 as proposed by the engineer's report. The hearing was conducted before Judge Grindeland. After the hearing of testimony over a period of two days—Thursday and Friday—the opposing factions compromised on the establishment of nine miles of ditch called for in the original project.

The nine miles of ditch which will be established virtually constitute an extension of Judicial Ditch No. 18, or a connection leading from Ditch 18 where it turns north, westward along the county line to the Thief river. It is thought that this direct outlet will carry off waters brought upon the northeast and southeast sections of Pennington and Marshall counties by ditches already constructed. The original project as petitioned for called for the construction of this nine miles of ditch, but laterals and extensions were added until the engineers report called for a total of 34 miles. The viewers report estimated the cost of the 34 miles of construction, the building of suitable bridges and the regrading of roads, at approximately $400,000. Farmers along the proposed routing objected to this extensive excavation on the grounds that the tremendous expense could not be borne at this time. It is estimated that the cost of the nine miles of ditch established will not exceed $75,000, and that benefits equally great may be derived from its construction.

MRS. C. M. ADKINS CALLED BY DEATH

Wife of Prominent Physician Dies at City Hospital Following Brief Illness.

Mrs. C. M. Adkins, wife of Dr. Adkins, prominent physician and surgeon of Thief River Falls, died at the Physicians hospital here at 6:30 this morning. Mrs. Adkins was taken ill about a week ago. Her condition becoming serious she was removed from her home to the hospital the first of the week, undergoing a surgical operation as the last means of saving her life. The crisis of her illness was reached Tuesday, when it was not expected that she would live. Last evening her condition was reported as being slightly improved. The news of her death early today leaves the city in mourning.

JOINS DIRECTORATE OF FIRST NATIONAL

E. M. Bennes Acquires Interest in Bank and Is Added to Governing Board.

E. M. Bennes, resident of Thief River Falls for five years and one of the most widely known insurance men in this section, this week purchased an interest in the First National bank and was added to the board of directors.

Mr. Bennes was previous to his coming to this city connected with the State Bank of Wales, N. D., and his experience will be of great value to him in his new capacity. He has a wide acquaintance throughout the section and is regarded by everyone as a high-class, substantial citizen who will add measurably to the already strong organization at the head of affairs in the First National.

E. M. BENNES

Council Enters Protest Against Increased Rates

The following protest against an increase in telephone rates and toll charges was forwarded yesterday by wire to the Railroad and Warehouse commission at St. Paul by City Attorney H. O. Chommie, following a discussion by the city council in session on Tuesday evening at which George L. Sterns, area manager for the Northwestern Telephone company, entered a plea in behalf of the telephone company and its employees:

"City council and mayor of Thief River Falls protest against increase in telephone rates—rates are now as high as the public can stand. Prices on all commodities are falling and we believe the request for an increase should be denied on the merits or at least postponed until values have become more certain."

NEW UTILITY IN LONSON FAMILY WELL RECEIVED

Local Manufacturers Place Patented Improved Currency Container on Market.

Fills Want Never Before Satisfactorily Met in Way of Shipping Device.

Bankers Enthusiastic Over Convenience Offered and Demand Rapidly Growing.

Bankers and others in all sections of the country having occasion to ship currency by mail or express will soon have brought to their notice a device for which they have long been seeking. It is a currency container combining the advantages of absolute safety with convenience and low price. The utility is one of the Lonson family of boxes, some of which have for years been in use throughout the United States and all of which enjoy a degree of popularity never attained by any other articles intending to meet a like purpose.

This product is also being turned out by the Times Printing and Manufacturing company of this city, it having been invented by R. H. Ross, president of that concern, and patent having been applied for by him. It is furnished to the trade by the Lonson Manufacturing company of St. Paul.

All Requirements Met.

The difficulty heretofore has been to find a container that would meet the requirements of the postoffice department and express companies as to safety. As will be noted by the accompanying illustration, all previous objections have been met, the result being a one-piece box embodying strength, safety, convenience and lightness. It is manufactured from stock known as heavy red rope, the toughest and most durable paper product on the market. Corners are tripple re-enforced while walls and ends are double tickness. Both flaps are heavily gummed with the most reliable adhesive produced and capable of withstanding moisture and hard wear. Nothing can be extracted from the box without such attempt being easily noticed by the ricipient and tampering with the contents in any manner is impossible without first demolishing the container.

Made in Several Sizes.

These boxes are made up in sizes to meet the demands of banks of different classes, there being four in the group at present with the probability that more will be added as the demand develops. There is no limit to the range, and factory facilities have been installed with a view to wide expansion.

The Other Members.

More than ten thousand banks scattered throughout every state in the Union now employ Lonson utilities, testifying to the great saving in time, work and space made possible by their installation. By far the largest number are of the De Luxe variety, made especially for the nesting of unwrapped coins, while the Utility box for wrapped coins is fast gaining in popularity. Besides these there is the Lonson Fibre Envelope, made with great care of tough, heavy material and especially designed for the mailing of cancelled vouchers, remittences, bonds, abstracts, legal documents and securities. This is an envelope of extra width and capacity and helps emphasize the general utility of the Lonson line.

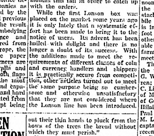

Growing in Favor.

The demand for the products already on the market has taxed the capacity of the factory, a double crew being worked continually for two months this fall in order to catch up with the orders.

While the first Lonson box was placed on the market some years ago it is only lately that a systematic effort has been made to bring it to the notice of users. Its advent has been hailed with delight and there is no longer a doubt of its success. With the additions made to meet the requirements of different classes of coin and currency handlers and shippers it is practically secure from competition, other articles turned out to meet the same purpose being so cumbersome and otherwise unsatisfactory that they are not considered where the Lonson line has been introduced.

TO SAVE CHILDREN FROM STARVATION

Situation in Central Europe Appalling and Aid Must Be Sent Without Delay.

Three and a half million children are facing starvation in Central Europe and an appeal has been sent to every city, town and hamlet in the United States for contributions to help in keeping them alive until next harvest. The work of collecting funds has been placed in the hands of a committee of which Herbert Hoover is president and Franklin Lane, former secretary of the interior, treasurer.

The stricken districts in which these children reside face a situation more serious than any in the world's history. They are absolutely helpless and the neighboring countries are unable to come to their rescue, being themselves in but little better condition. The entire civilized world is concerned over the probable outcome and nothing but the most liberal response on the part of the United States can avert a death roll that would be a disgrace to humanity.

It is figured that ten dollars will sustain the life of a child until such time as these nations are in a position to help themselves and President Wilson has started the subscription list by providing for 20 of the sufferers. In announcing his donation the president said:

"At Christmas time, peculiarly the child's time, we should think of this sad European problem in terms of children rather than money. Ten dollars will represent a child's life in Central Europe. I shall adopt 20 of these children as my own temporary wards and I can think of no better use to which I can put $200. I suggest to my fellow countrymen that the circles around their Christmas trees will be incomplete unless mingled with their own expectant children they shall visualize some of the waifs of Central Europe stretching out their thin hands to pluck from the bows of the trees the bread without which they must perish."

Every charitable organization in the country is assisting in this campaign, the following being prominently connected with the work: American Friends Service committee, Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, Y. M. C. A., American Red Cross, Jewish Joint Distribution committee, Y. W. C. A., American Relief Administration, Knights of Columbus and European Relief association.

A. S. Sapero of this city has volunteered to act as chairman of the drive for Pennington county and contributions should be sent to him. Committees will be organized and the work of solicitation rushed. The churches will be asked to aid, pastors being expected to call the attention of their congregations to the matter next Sunday.

Larger Quarters Demanded To Accommodate Postoffice

The Thief River Falls postoffice may be removed to other quarters late in 1921, unless the present building can be remodelled to suit growing needs. A notice that bids will be received has been posted. The lease on the present property occupied expires Nov. 21, 1921; bids will be received up to and including April 1, 1921. The notice as posted calls for 2400 square feet of floor space, the present 1549 square feet rendering the quarters all too cramped. Unless the building occupied at present can be altered to suit government requirements, removal to another location will be necessary. The lowest bid will be the one accepted. Postmaster Morgan states that further particulars will be furnished upon request.

First Basket Ball Game of Year, Auditorium Tonight

The basket ball teams of the Fosston and Thief River Falls high schools meet at the city auditorium tonight in the first game of the season. The game will be called at 7:45. This is the first in a series of nine battles, not including the tournament which will take place at Crookston toward the end of the season. Coach Tommeraasen states that the team is in exceptional trim and that they have shown great spirit in work-outs with the second and legion teams. He predicts a good lively entertainment in this evening's clash.

Special Meeting of Elks Called For This Evening

A special assembly of the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks has been called for this evening for the purpose of introducing applications and balloting on proposed members. The meeting will be held at the Masonic hall as usual, but owing to the fact that tonight is the regular meeting of the Masonic Chapter, the Elks' assembly will be called at 7:30 sharp.

FARMERS ASKED TO TIE UP WITH COUNTY BUREAU

Intense Campaign Begins in Pennington County to Increase Membership.

Every Farm Home Will Be Visited and Advantages of Organization Shown.

Meetings Scheduled to Be Held All Over County During Coming Week.

The farm bureau membership drive started this morning with four state solicitors in the field. This number will be increased to eight tomorrow morning and on Monday the movement will be in full swing with 12 *solicitors making a farm-to-farm tour* of the county. Many meetings are scheduled for different places during the campaign. Each solicitor will be accompanied by a local farm bureau member. The names of every land owner and farmer in the county have been secured and each one will be interviewed, either during the main drive of a week or ten days, or during the follow-up work. Townships have been allotted to members of the soliciting crew for the purpose of convenience. The drive will continue until the county has been thoroughly gone over.

Solicitors Brook No Obstacles.

These plans were formulated and announced at a booster meeting held in the auditorium yesterday afternoon, after the change in weather and the fall of snow had been given consideration. Members of the soliciting crew who arrived here in the forenoon expressed great enthusiasm over the drive and would brook no obstacles. Travel will be by automobile where possible, by team where it is impossible to drive a car, and on foot to points it is impossible to reach otherwise. In spite of the disagreeable weather a good attendance of farm bureau members marked the meeting yesterday.

The soliciting crew is made up of the following men: A. F. Carlson, G. W. Head and Fred Clark of Warren; Ned Price, J. W. Taylor and S. C. Lind of Aitken county; C. F. Hood of Mason City, Iowa; Stuart McLeod of Goodridge; R. J. McKercher of St. Hilaire; A. F. Aino of Grygla, and Paul Englestad of Thief River Falls. M. L. Warner of Warren will act as captain of the team. This crew has recently completed farm bureau drives in Becker, Morrison and Clay counties, arriving here from Clay county.

Will Offer Explanation.

Meetings are scheduled for the following places on the dates designated: Friday evening, December 17, at 7:30 Sather school, Rocksbury township; Saturday evening, December 18, at 7:30, Weiner school, Smiley township; Sunday, December 19, at 2:00, Vallhalla hall, Rocksbury township; Monday, December 20, at 1:00, St. Hilaire; Monday evening, December 20, at 7:30 Hazel; Tuesday, December 21, at 2:00 Goodridge, and Tuesday evening, December 21, at 7:30, Erie. Captain Warner will speak at each meeting. An explanation will be offered of the American Farm Bureau federation, of the State Federation of Farm Bureaus and also of the organization of townships into units for local farm bureaus. Letters announcing the meetings have been sent out to farmers and landowners of the county where that has been possible, though but a limited number could be reached. No special invitation is to be considered necessary, according to those who have the drive in charge. Everyone is requested to attend one or more meetings whether or not they believe in the farm bureau movement in order that they may at least hear an explanation of the plan.

Typical American Organizations.

Eighty-five to ninety per cent of farmers visited in recent drives have joined the farm bureau, M. L. Warner, captain of the soliciting crew, stated in an interview. He continues: "Farmers have been wanting just such an organization as this for years and this drive affords many the only opportunity they have ever had of joining. The work throughout the United States will proceed until every agricultural county and township in 37 states of the Union have been visited in a house to house tour. The organization is partially completed at this time. In 80 counties where drives have been completed, an average of 1000 members per county have been enrolled as members.

"The Farm Bureau Federation and the county bureaus are emphatically non-political. They side with none and co-operate with every organization that is in sympathy with agriculture. It is the most sane, typically American association in existence. The bureau does, however, maintain a legislative committee at St. Paul and one at Washington for the purpose of keeping tab on all legislative work and movements."

Ask Embargo on Wheat.

An embargo for one year against the importation of wheat, wheat flour, barley, rye, oats, flax, wool, hogs, cattle and sheep is proposed in a bill introduced Saturday by Representative Young, republican, North Dakota. He also introduced a bill establishing a permanent schedule of important duties on these items after the one year embargo.

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On January 1st all subscriptions not paid in advance will be discontinued. The label shows to what date your subscription is paid. Attend to this at once and avoid missing any copies of the paper.

City News

Strictly fresh eggs. Phone 3354. —D16p

O. Torrison of Minneapolis was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Eversharp Pencils and Fountain Pens at Laird's. d23

W. W. Prichard left yesterday afternoon for Crookston on a business trip.

H. Williams came to this city from Steiner on Saturday to transact business.

Al Brink arrived here yesterday from St. Hilaire to attend to business matters.

Miss Hattie Klockman of Mavie, was a guest of friends here the latter part of last week.

S. Brennan departed Monday morning for Little Falls where he will attend to business matters.

O. Knutson who is employed by the Soo at Brooks, visited over Sunday with his family in this city.

F. H. Herrick spent the latter part of last week attending to business matters at points in North Dakota.

Mrs. J. B. Karlstad of Germantown was in the city on Saturday visiting friends and attending to shopping.

Borry's garage is equipped to do the most satisfactory work while your car is laid up for the winter. D16

Miss Loretta Causin, who is employed at Black's Sweet Shop was a visitor at her home in Hazel on Sunday.

Mrs. Byron Riddel returned to her home at Glenwood on Thursday evening after a brief visit with friends here.

Fred Ferdinandson returned to his home at Pine River on Saturday, having passed a few days in this city visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rambeck returned to their home at Minneapolis Saturday evening after a brief visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Peter Engelstad and nephew Perry Borge, are spending the week as guests of her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Anderson and family.

Emil Blomberg returned to his home at Rosewood the first of the week after being confined in the local hospital for a few weeks.

O. R. Smith, state oil inspector, left Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend a convention of oil inspectors to be held there this week.

Have your car overhauled at Borry's garage this winter. D16

Joel Sjoberg of Rosewood was among the out-of-town people who attended the Elsie Baker concert at the Auditorium on Wednesday evening.

Miss Salma Newton spent the week end visiting her parents at Hazel. She returned Monday evening to continue her studies at the high school.

Chester Dols returned Monday evening from Rosewood where he visited his parents over Sunday. Chester is a student in the local high school.

Brigadier Hunter arrived here yesterday morning from Minneapolis to conduct meetings in the Salvation Army hall the latter part of this week.

Mrs. A. M. Shaw arrived Monday evening from her home at Warren to spend a few days as the guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Johnson.

I. Tinkeeth, accompanied by his son Paul, returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis where they spent a few days visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. B. Oates and daughter, Margaret, left Friday morning for their home at Des Moines, Ia., after spending some time in this vicinity visiting friends.

Mrs. T. Jacobson, accompanied by her daughter Clara and Mrs. A. Joude all of Steiner, were in the city the latter part of last week on a shopping expedition.

Christmas Tree Trimmings at Laird's. d23

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jensen who spent a few days last week as guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herron, returned to their home at Viking Saturday morning.

Misses Christine Giefer and Rose Votava returned to this city on Monday morning from Minneapolis and Barnesville where they had spent a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Wm. Causin of Mavie was in the city the first of the week on business. While here he also visited with his sisters, Misses Elsie and Loretta Causin, who attend the local high school.

Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the Presbyterian church has been invited by the Lutheran church at Hallock, to preach their Christmas services at the latter named place on Monday evening.

Miss Viola Axelson who is employed at the Physicians' hospital, visited at the home of her parents in Rosewood the latter part of last week. She returned to resume her duties the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell returned the first of the week from Laverne where they were called because of the illness and death of the latter's father, Dr. A. E. Spalding, a prominent physician of southern Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vevea returned to this city yesterday from a brief honeymoon spent in visiting friends in the Twin Cities and Fargo. Mr. Vevea has not as yet expressed his intentions as to where he will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller and family have returned to their home here after a two month's absence spent in visiting relatives at points in Pennsylvania. Their daughter June, who was taken ill with pneumonia while enroute to their home, delayed their return, but the child is rapidly gaining normal strength, a fact that the numerous friends of the family will be pleased to learn.

Strictly fresh eggs. Phone 3354. —D16p

Mrs. M. Saugen and son Otto of Steiner, shopped in this city Saturday.

Your neighbor will tell you to see Wangenstein about Christmas gifts. —D16

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Anderson visited with friends and relatives near this city on Sunday.

Joe and Chas. Ptacek of Mavie visited with friends and relatives here Thursday evening.

Miss Anna Anderson of St. Hilaire was a shopper in this city the latter part of last week.

Seamless grain bags, used once, excellent condition, only 33c each at the Tessum Elevator. d16

Halvor Loken returned Thursday evening from Warren where he attended a ditch hearing.

H. O. Chommie returned Thursday evening from Warren where he had attended the ditch hearing.

Morlan Bishop of Strathcona was a week end guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bishop.

Borry's garage is equipped to do the most satisfactory work while your car is laid up for the winter. D16

J. Rogers of Steiner was in the city on Monday attending to business matters and also receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter returned to St. Hilaire on Saturday after attending to shopping, between trains.

Miss Ethel Pischi left Saturday morning for Roseau where she will spend a week visiting with numerous friends.

Mrs. Fred Steinhauer, who visited with relatives here for a few days, returned to her home near Holt on Saturday.

Christmas Tree Trimmings at Laird's. d23

Mrs. Richard Olson, who visited with friends here for a short time on Thursday, returned to her home at Holt Friday.

Leslie Halvorson returned to his home at Duluth on Thursday after spending a few days visiting with friends here.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer returned to this city on Friday morning after a brief visit with her parents at East Grand Forks.

Misses Stella Anderson and Thora Ness left Tuesday evening for Chicago where they will remain for an indefinite period.

Miss Lizzie Kirch returned Saturday afternoon from Steiner where she visited between trains with her sister, Mrs. N. Muzzy.

Have your car overhauled at Borry's garage this winter. D16

Miss Lizzie Kirch returned Friday morning from Grand Forks where she had visited with friends since the first of the week.

C. Dufwa returned to his home at Greenbush on Thursday morning after receiving medical treatment at the local hospital.

Miss Amanda Fosholm returned to her home at Holt Saturday morning after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. O. L. Monson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Leiran and little daughter left Saturday morning for Holt where they visited between trains with relatives.

A. Tommeraasen, instructor in high school, was a caller at Red Lake Falls on Friday. He returned to this city Saturday morning.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Clark returned to Greenbush on Friday morning having spent a day in this city attending to business matters.

Miss Olga Johnson, who is employed in this city, left Tuesday morning for her home at Holt where she visited for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink, who formerly resided in the Evenson flat on LaBree Ave., have removed to the [illegible] residence on Main Ave.

Miss Minnie Knutson of Holt spent the latter part of the week visiting at the home of her uncle, A. Ness. She returned to her home Saturday morning.

Eversharp Pencils and Fountain Pens at Laird's. d23

Miss Marie Bray returned to her home at Red Lake Falls Tuesday afternoon after spending a brief period in the city attending to matters of shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bakken and son of Mentor, visited with friends here Thursday evening enroute to the twin cities where they will spend an indefinite period visiting friends.

Mrs. C. Sillerud, accompanied her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Harloff to their home at Badger on Monday, after a week end visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. A. M. Oveson.

Mrs. A. A. Austin of Crookston, accompanied by Mrs. E. A. Austin of Fosston, arrived here Tuesday morning and spent a day as the guest of their niece and daughter, Miss Lottie Austin.

Jos. and Chas. Ptacek of Mavie, returned Thursday evening from Warren, where they had been in attendance at a ditch hearing. They left the following morning for their home at Mavie.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, a teacher in the local schools, left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to be the week end guest of relatives. She returned here on Monday morning to resume her duties.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich returned the latter part of last week from St. Paul, where she attended the convention of the League of Women voters. Mrs. Froehlich returned with the distinction of having been appointed chairman of the Ninth district.

Mrs. C. M. Rolland arrived here Thursday morning from Whitefish, Mont., where she had spent two months caring for her daughter, Mrs. M. R. Lund, who had been ill with typhoid fever. Mrs. Lund had fully recovered at the time of the departure of her mother. After a day's visit with numerous friends in this city, Mrs. Rolland left Saturday morning for her home at Hibbing.

Swedish and Norwegian Postcards at Laird's. d23

Miss Jennie Ordal of Steiner attended to some Xmas shopping in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. O. F. Nelson of St. Hilaire was in the city Tuesday on a shopping expedition.

Wm. Singer of Rhoda was in the city on Saturday calling on friends and transacting business.

Peter Nyland representing the Warren Auto Co., was a business caller in the city on Friday.

L. S. Evenson of Germantown was in the city the first of the week attending to business matters.

Borry's garage is equipped to do the most satisfactory work while your car is laid up for the winter. D16

Miss Cecile Bray returned to her home at Red Lake Falls Tuesday afternoon having shopped between trains.

Oscar Evenson departed on Monday morning for Clearbrook where he spent the day attending to matters of business.

Wangenstein has bought his jewelry stock at a cut price and will give his customers the benefit. Don't fail to see him. D16

C. Hanson returned to his home in Sask. Can., on Thursday, having spent some time visiting with friends in this vicinity.

Theo. Tandberg came down from Goodridge to spend Sunday visiting with his folks. He returned on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lonson arrived here Saturday evening from their home at Mahnomen and visited with relatives over Sunday.

Miss Lottie Austin who suffered an attack of tonsilitis the first of the week, is again able to resume her duties at Black's Sweet Shop.

Albert Stengelson, who is a student at the local high school, spent the week end with his parents who reside on a farm near Rosewood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miller left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where they will visit with friends and relatives over the holidays.

Mrs. R. L. Olson arrived here Monday afternoon from Holt and visited with friends until the following morning when she returned home.

Scarified (White Blossom) sweet clover, excellent seed, Northern Minn. grown. While it lasts 16c per lb. Act quick. Tessum Elevator. d16

Oscar Oftinoe returned on Saturday evening from Erskine where he had spent a few days visiting with friends and also transacting business.

Wangenstein has just received a fine line of watches at a reduced price. —D16

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson, who had spent a couple of months visiting the latter's mother at Kansas City, returned to this city the first of the week.

James Helle, who formerly attended the local high school, was a guest of his brother, Ole, the latter part of last week, returning to his home near Goodridge on Saturday.

Miss Amanda Wrag, who had spent a month visiting with friends at Fargo, returned to her home here Tuesday morning and will remain until after the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. A. Haugen, who has been confined in the local hospital for several weeks returned to her home at Rosewood on Saturday morning. Mrs. Haugen is much improved in health.

Have your car overhauled at Borry's garage this winter. D16

Miss Hattie Klockman, who was formerly employed in this city, was the guest of friends here the latter part of last week. She returned to her home at Mavie the first of the week.

Miss Adeline Swensgaard passed the week end visiting at the home of her parents who reside at Mavie. Miss Swensgaard returned Monday morning to resume her work at Jung's bakery.

Oscar Wiberg and Lars Engelstad returned the latter part of last week from Bemidji in which vicinity they have been employed for several months. They will remain here until after Christmas.

Miss LaVon Batten arrived here Friday evening from Rosewood to visit over Sunday with her sister, Miss Lydia, teacher in the public schools. The former returned to her home on Monday morning.

Miss Lucille Burns is expected to arrive here tomorrow evening from Cambridge where she is teaching school and will spend the Xmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burns.

Miss Anna Kilen, who is engaged in teaching school near Hazel visited with numerous friends here the latter part of last week. Miss Kilen was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1920.

Miss Nyle Austin, who has spent the past three months visiting her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, returned to her home at Crookston yesterday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. A. A. Austin, who visited here for a day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown and daughter Ruth, left Tuesday evening for a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives in the twin cities. Mr. Brown will spend the greater share of his time in St. Paul where he will attend to important business matters.

Strictly fresh eggs. Phone 3354. —D16p

Board and room at 302 Horace Ave. North. D-2-9-16

Swedish and Norwegian Postcards at Laird's. d23

Walter Evenson, who resides near Hazel, was in the city on Saturday.

J. S. Roy of St. Hilaire was a business caller here the first of the week.

R. V. Anderson arrived here Saturday from Argyle, on a business mission.

Baker Olson, residing at Grygla, visited friends here the latter part of last week.

Jessie Sorum of Holt arrived here Saturday afternoon for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Eileen Baker of Roseau, was the guest of friends here the latter part of last week.

Whole and cracked corn, ground corn and oats feed always on hand at Tessum Elevator. d16

Gust Naplin of Wylie was in the city the first of the week attending to business matters.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Carl Lindquist came down from Wylie on Saturday to spend Sunday visiting with numerous friends in this city.

Chas. Johnson came down from Baudette the latter part of last week and spent a few days here on business.

Misses Selma and Hannah Swenson returned to their home at St. Hilaire Tuesday, after receiving dental treatment here.

Miss Anna Bedell, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Berger, both of Red Lake Falls, were visitors and shoppers here the first of the week.

Chas. and Albert Ptacek were in the city on Saturday attending to business matters and also visiting their sisters, Misses Emma and Mamie Ptacek.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney has moved her hemstitching parlors from the Scandia block to the Evenson Apts., 416 Main Ave. N. D23

Mrs. Nels Benoit arrived here Tuesday morning from her home at St. Hilaire to attend to shopping. She returned home on the afternoon train.

Ira Peterson, Harry Mjelde, Bernhard Burgraff and Sam Cloutier spent the latter part of the week on a hunting expedition in the vicinity west of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Engleibert and family of Bronson were guests at the home of the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown over Sunday.

A. C. Mathison of Roseau arrived here the first of the week to attend the funeral services of his mother, Mrs. Mina Hoard, who died recently from pneumonia.

Miss Florence Aalberg, who is instructor of domestic science at Erskine, is expected to arrive tomorrow evening to be an over Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER. Call 83. n11tf

Miss Dorothy Bottleson will arrive the latter part of the week from Hamline University to spend two weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottleson.

Arne Anderson arrived here Monday evening from Detroit and will remain in this city until after the Xmas holidays as the guest at the home of his son Carl Anderson and family.

Derby Anderson returned the first of the week from Minneapolis where he had spent a couple of weeks receiving medical treatment at government expense. While in the cities he states that he visited with a number of former Thief Riverites.

Mrs. Peter Thoe of Fordville, who spent a few days here as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Martinson, departed on Monday afternoon, accompanied by the latter, for Hanley Falls where they will be the guests of their sister and daughter, Mrs. G. C. Gustafson. Mrs. Gustafson is better known to friends here as Miss Doris Martinson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Olson of Hallock were guests of friends here over Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brekke visited with friends here on Saturday. They returned to their home the first of the week.

David Johnson, county superintendent of schools of Marshall county, called on friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Evans of Middle River were in this city the first of the week visiting friends and also attending to business matters.

Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren arrived this morning from her home in Minneapolis to spend the holidays as the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Brumund. Mrs. Wallgren was formerly Miss Doris Brumund.

Choral Society Working On Songs For Christmas

The regular rehearsal of the Choral society at the Commercial club rooms on Friday evening drew an exceptional attendance of members. The total enrollment at present is 52 members, the tenor section showing the greatest increase in strength. The rehearsal period extended over a period of an hour and a half, some excellent work being done on "The Hallelujah Chorus" from "The Messiah" and "Lovely Appear" from the oratorio, "Redemption." The remainder of the period was spent in the singing of Christmas carols and other selections.

In order that the philharmonic unit may be able to proceed with greater efficiency, two rules which are to be rigidly enforced, have been adopted. All members of the society are expected to be in their respective places and ready for rehearsal at 8:00 p. m., sharp on Friday evenings. Roll call will take place at each rehearsal and any member absent for two successive evenings without sufficient reason will be promptly dropped from the rolls of the organization. A concert program will be given by the society sometime during February, it was announced at the meeting on Friday evening.

Fine Barn Completed.

A large new barn has just been completed on the farm of Dr. F. N. Mead in Norden township known as the Ogahmah ranch. The cement work was done by Lars Backe of Thief River Falls and the general construction by C. H. Schnabel and Norman Valdness of Norden township.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.35
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.32
Oats	.31
Flax	1.70
Barley	.45
Rye	1.22
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.80
Bran	1.65
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.05
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.06
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.09
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.20
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.65
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery Butter	.48
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04-.05
Horse Hides	2.50
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.12
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10-.12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05
Steers, per lb.	.06
Calves, per lb.	.06
Cows, per lb.	.03

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Candles
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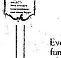

There's a Difference

Ever notice the difference when a man fumbles for money in his pockets, and when he draws forth a check book in paying a bill?

Isn't there something about a checkbook that commands one's respect? It shows that the owner is a man of good business sense and up-to-date methods.

You too can use this modern way of handling your money and paying your bills. Deposit with us the checks and drafts that come to you in business transactions—then pay by check.

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We now have on hand:

West Virginia Splint Coal
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Can deliver on short notice. Terms: Cash.

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Winchester Store

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Because some of our customers of Swedish descent wanted to invest their money in bonds that were backed by the government of Sweden, the same as our Liberty Bonds are backed by the U. S. Government, we have bought a few $1000 Swedish Government Bonds.

First Come, First Served.

As you know, the Swedish Government is in very excellent condition financially. Sweden is a strong and thrifty nation. Sweden's credit is good all over the world, even in these unsettled times.

If we didn't consider them good investments, we wouldn't sell them to you. They are good, and just at this time we can let you have a $1000 bond for $990. 6% interest will be paid you the 15th of December and June of each year. They are due in 1939, but the Swedish Government reserves the right to pay them any time after June 15th, 1929, at a premium of 2%, which means at $1020.

Keep Away From Speculation.

We don't want people in this community to lose their money in high sounding schemes offered by strangers. We want everyone to know that this bank will get good investments for people, or look up the security behind any investment they may be interested in. We make no charge. We do it because we want to keep our community prosperous.

Do you want one of these bonds?

FIRST & PEOPLES STATE BANK
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Merry Christmas

Every Day Brings Christmas Nearer

Only seven shopping days left, so do your Christmas shopping now—Early mornings is best. Commencing Monday, Dec. 20th this store will be open every night until 10 P. M. except Friday night, Dec. 24th. We close at sharp 6 P. M.

Gift Handkerchiefs

The line supreme is to be seen here only. Never was our assortment so large, such great varieties for Women, Misses,, Children, Men and a special size for Boys
5c, 10c, 15c, 18c, 25c, 35c, 65c and $1

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What gift could be more personal or better appreciated?

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Each in a dainty Christmas Box.

Could any remembrances be better appreciated? Your choice of a great variety of styles, all colors, all sizes, a big line of Velvet Blouses, crisp new Georgettes, Hand-made Cotton Blouses, serviceable Crepe de Chenes—Special prices at each
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others at
$7.50, $10.00, $15.00, $18.50, $25.00

There is nothing like Silverware for a real Substantial Christmas Gift. And remember, Loken's have it, priced to you at a Big Saving over any other store offerings. So see us first, compare values, and then look around and see the rest.

I always come to visit you at Christmas-time each year,
But every time I come along I miss a face that's dear;
Some girlie is a woman grown, some boy is now a man,
But while the crop of kiddies lasts I'll do the best I can
To make you shout instead of cry,
And make you laugh instead of sigh!

Store Hours

Opens daily at 8:30 A. M. Saturday, Dec. 18 closes at 10 P. M. Open evenings for 4 nights only. Commencing Monday, Dec. 20, 21, 22, 23 open until 10 P. M. On Friday, Dec. 24 we close at sharp 6 P. M.

Our Gift Shop

Is featuring a charming array of new novelties from New England that just arrived. All handmade or hand decorated. They are ready to give. See them in our Balcony.

Gift Gloves

will interest many Christmas shoppers, probably because gloves are gifts that carry the assurance of a welcome. Now all our $4.25 gloves your choice at only
$3.50
per pair

Philippine Undergarments

Exquisitely Dainty

The embroidery is most beautifully done and the stitches are of the finest. A Christmas gift that will be highly appreciated without being costly. Pretty designs in: Gowns, Drawers, Envelope Chemises, Corset Covers. All are moderately priced.

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Real Irish linen Table Cloths, Silk Dress or Waist lengths, Woolen Plaids for Skirts, Fancy Bath Towels, Bed Spreads, Neckwear, Laces, Perfumes, Ribbons, White Ivory, Silk Hosiery, Sweaters, Silk Kimonas, Bath Robes, Furs, New Coats, Fancy Silk Bloomers and Petticoats, Etc.

Be Sure and Visit Loken's Toy Store Basement

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Why Not!

A Pretty Plaid Blanket for a Real Christmas Gift.

We just received a few very pretty and heavy single top Blankets. The most beautiful Plaids you ever saw, in all colors and combinations; would make a wonderful gift,
Priced at each
$3.95, $5.95 and $7.50

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SAVE THE CHILDREN.

Money is not plentiful and there are a large number of uses for what little there is, particularly just at this time. Besides, our people are rather tired of being asked to donate toward one thing and another, such action on their part having been a feature of the program of living for some years past.

But we cannot stop yet, no matter how weary we may be. Unless we at once do something to prevent it, more than three million children will starve to death before next harvest in the Balkans. These are the innocent victims of conditions brought about by the crimes and errors of others. They had nothing to do with bringing on the disaster that has overtaken them, yet they are the principal sufferers.

Thirty-three million dollars must be raised in the United States if these children are to be saved. Herbert Hoover is at the head of a committee attempting to raise the money, all of which must come from America, neighboring European countries being totally unable to extend a helping hand, no matter how willing they might be.

America saved 6,000,000 European children winter before last by its prompt relief action. The number of dependants is at this time smaller but the need is fully as great and our duty as unmistakably pointed out. The cry reaching us from these stricken regions is the most poignant yet heard, coming as it does from starving children. The great heart of America has never failed to respond to such appeal and must not fail now.

Ten dollars will keep some child in Poland, Hungary, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, Germany or nearby land alive until next harvest. It is not a large sum to stake against a human life but is vitally, indispensably necessary. President Wilson has stated that he will take twenty of these as personal charges and has sent $200 to the committee. Thousands of others, each according to his ability, will do likewise. There will be an army of such lifesavers scattered all over this country but there is no danger of it becoming too great.

This appeal reaches us at Christmas time when children seem to be uppermost in our thoughts. While looking out for those in which we are immediately interested, let's not forget the millions over in Europe for whom the holiday brings no promise except that of suffering and death.

Not one dollar goes for overhead or collection expense in this campaign. Every penny collected will be distributed under the direction of Mr. Hoover, which is a guarantee that it will be judiciously spent. As Americans we are all proud of having helped this man make such a wonderful record in Belgium. Let us stay with him throughout this closing chapter of the most intensely pathetic drama the world has ever seen.

THE BANKER'S POSITION.

The farmer is not the only man with troubles of his own these days. The banker also has a few vexing problems on his hands, although it would perhaps be a hard matter to convince the man who tills the soil of this fact. Not a few of those who now find themselves pressed financially—and their number is by no means confined to farmers—blame the banker when accommodations are curtailed, evidently believing that he is acting arbitrarily. Nothing is further from the truth. A banker does not do things of that kind merely for the fun of it or just because he has the opportunity. If he did he would soon cease to be a banker.

Fault is most often found with the smaller country banks—the kind with which the farmer usually does business. Very few of these institutions can carry any large amount of paper in their own vaults and it is generally rediscounted by some larger bank in the cities. Just now the amount thus held represents an enormous sum. At maturity these large banks naturally look to their country associate to make good on the loan, particularly when a money stringency for any reason hits the section. The country bank in turn must ask the borrower to liquidate. Upon refusal or inability on the part of the latter to comply there is dickens to pay all along the line. The banker has the recourse of bringing suit and being awarded judgment, but all this takes time and is a process that he very much dislikes to employ. In most cases he secures the money from some other source and carries the borrower along. This contracts his available cash reserve as well as credit and he has less money to loan to others. There is nothing arbitrary or even mysterious about it. Demanding that a loan be paid when due is strictly business under all conditions. The borrower should so regard it and not cuss the banker who, in all probability, is doing everything he possibly can to make things come out to everybody's satisfaction.

Another mistake the farmer often makes is in believing that men in other lines of business are favored while he is often left out in the cold when in need of money. The fact is that banks, particularly in the Ninth Reserve district, would rather grant loans secured by good farm paper than any other kind. At a meeting of bankers and farmers held this week in Mankato for the purpose of discussing the farm credit situation, Harry Yeager, field agent for the Federal Reserve bank, stated that agricultural and allied interests have enjoyed the benefits of nearly two-thirds of the total sum loaned out in the Ninth district. This is only natural, as agriculture is the principal industry in the region covered by the bank, but it disproves the contention advanced in some quarters that the farmer is being discriminated against.

The outlook is improving and all these things will soon straighten themselves out. Nothing is to be gained by getting mad and refusing to act rational. Such attitude can only postpone the restoration of normal times. Just remember, when particularly vexed, that we are facing a situation for which no one class is particularly to blame and which all must do their best to help remedy. Bankers, merchants and manufacturers enjoy the present situation no more than does the farmer and often find themselves as sorely pressed. By working sensibly together to bring about better conditions for all, each class will be helping itself. Prosperity in this country cannot be spotted. When prosperous conditions prevail we all come in for a share. On the other hand, when there is depression, even though temporary, we are all to some degree involved.

JOURNALISTIC WORK OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTRACTING ATTENTION

Here is more high grade advertising for Thief River Falls. The Publishers' Auxiliary, a trade paper for newspaper men, published in New York and circulated all over the country, has the following to say about the High School Progress page appearing weekly in The Times:

"The class in journalism of the Thief River Falls high school furnishes material each week for one page in the Thief River Falls Times. In addition to an editorial staff they have what is designated as the "prowler staff" and a perusal of the page indicates that some clever newspaper people will come out of this progressive school."

CURBING IMMIGRATION.

The house of representatives at Washington this week passed the Johnson immigration bill by a vote of 293 to 41. The measure prohibits all immigration for a period of one year, there being no exceptions and no so-called "favored nations."

This is the most stringent law of its kind ever passed by congress and is variously commented on by the country at large. The feeling is general that the senate will refuse to concur and that no bill so sweeping in its intentions can at this time be placed on the statute books.

That something should be done to check the flow of immigrants which threatens to deluge the United States by reason of the unsatisfactory economic conditions in Europe is admitted, but just how this can best be done is a matter not so easily decided. The outlook is none too bright for the laboring classes here now and would become decidedly worse if the workers were compelled to come into competition with hordes of aliens who would naturally be forced to take any kind of employment offered and at almost any wage the employer chose to pay. There was a time during the war when places might have been found for an unlimited number of arrivals, but no such condition exists now. While actual unemployment has not as yet reached alarming proportions in this country, the situation is vastly different from what it was only a short time ago and there are men and women without jobs. A condition that would make the outlook serious is easily imaginable—even though no such contingency is probable—in which case the addition to our population of a few millions of outsiders would not greatly help matters.

The United States certainly has the right to protect its own citizens first, and if congress finds that stopping immigration for a period is necessary in order to accomplish this result no fault is to be found with the decision. It may seem unnecessary to exclude certain classes—those from the British Isles and Scandinavia, for instance—but no provision can be made in their favor. More strict qualifications for admission would in all probability prove of little avail in stemming the tide and it may be that total exclusion is the only remedy. It looks like a drastic measure but we have a right to look after our own, even though the country should temporarily cease to be known as a "haven for the oppressed."

THE TELEPHONE DEMAND.

Whether or not the telephone companies should be permitted to charge a higher rate than at present for their service ought to be a simple question to answer. If the service is worth more than is now being paid and if the companies are not getting a reasonable return on their money, they should be permitted to charge more. It is a plain business problem.

Telephone service in the United States is low in cost besides being the very best in the world. The companies wish to maintain the standard and to improve it where this is possible. They say that the present rates not only precludes anything in the way of expansion and development but makes it impossible even to hold the systems at their present efficiency. If such is the case the rate raise should be permitted.

Those who have looked into the matter say that the request of the companies is just and reasonable. It is also evident that unless a larger revenue is forthcoming, costs will have to be cut in some direction and the only path such reduction can take at this time is toward employe's wages. This is the most unsatisfactory direction of all and one that the public at large is interested in seeing avoided.

The companies have not declared a dividend in five years, according to official records, and the stock has never yielded more than five per cent. It has been impossible lately to meet the interest charge on the outstanding indebtedness of the companies, to say nothing of creating a surplus as profits for the stockholders. A sufficient increase to enable the companies to meet the interest charges and actual running expenses is now asked, nothing being even yet demanded in the way of profit. In case these things are found as represented—and officers of the Railroad and Warehouse commission admit their correctness—it would look like simple justice to grant the advance requested.

The people of Thief River Falls as a rule do not want to see wages cut and will certainly object to anything that will impair the service, which is at present the best in the state. They do not want to pay more for their telephones either, but that seems to be the only alternative. At any rate, before condemning the companies it might be well to look at the subject from all sides.

BRIGHTER TIMES AHEAD.

A review of the financial and general business outlook recently sent to correspondent banks in other sections of the country by the Mechanics and Metals National bank of New York, contains a calm and dispassionate review of the industrial situation at the present time. It is pointed out that while the drop in prices of commodities of all kinds has disturbed conditions everywhere, there is healthy rebound discernible which augurs for greater stability and continued prosperity. As an indication of what the immediate future promises, the following quotation from the circular is assuring:

"In contrast with the extreme optimism prevailing less than a year ago, the severity of the present reaction has thrown a spirit of depression over the entire community. This has added to the momentum of the decline in prices and intensified the curtailment of business in a fashion that manifests afresh how strongly *people are governed at times by their* emotions rather than by their judgment. As a lack of buying helped to cause a fall in prices, the fall in prices has now caused a lack of buying. The depression seems at first glance to work in a downward cycle, lack of buying causing lower prices and shutting of factories, and these in turn causing unemployment and reduced purchasing power."

"Yet such a cycle cannot continue, and more than the so-called cycle which raised prices and wages to their recent extravagant heights. Conditions, discouraging as they may seem, contain within themselves the seeds of their own change for the better. The orgy of extravagance has passed. Dubious enterprises are being abandoned. Much of the labor absorbed by luxuries will now return to the manufacture of essentials. A stop is coming to the extravagant and wasteful business methods that grew up in the last few years. Insecurity of tenor and less overtime have already greatly raised the efficiency of labor. The efficiency of management will now increase; to overcome the handicaps of high costs of production and lower prices, improved methods of construction will be introduced. The freight congestion problem, which for a time seemed insoluble, is solving itself. To the gradually increasing efficiency of the railroads under private management and the return of self-dependence upon earnings, plus higher standards in loading and unloading and in car movement, has been added the factor of a declining volume of goods seeking to be moved."

EFFERVESCENCE

About time for some public spirited person to call a meeting to perfect a state organization of the Home Brewers.

Oolai says the boys about town are right pert and on the lookout since they saw the ad that advertised "New Ladies' Gloves."

A man gambled his wife away at a game of poker in Kalamazoo a few days back—but the other fellow said he was only fooling.

The article headed "It Will Surely Relieve Congestion" turned out to be—not a solution of the traffic problem, but just another one of those Brownminus ads.

In our town some of the enormous campaign posters are still on the boards. Not so bad at that. Never was the "Steady America" more pertinent than right now.

The case of Knut Hamsun, winner of the Noble prize, does not necessarily prove that the man who is a failure at everything else will succeed in the field of literature.

Griffith is in Minneapolis and claims to be looking for a "good looking man with brains." It's about time for some of the women folks to take a try at reversing an old quip.

Everyone nowadays is wondering just what effect the grafting of monkey glands onto a human will have. Probably about the same as that produced by a good stiff kick of other-cal Canadian whiskey.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

It looks as if the Christmas plum pudding will consist of only plums and pudding this year.

The speculators can force wheat down, but they can't force the farmer to raise it next summer.

"Bandits Wanted in Minneapolis" says a newspaper heading. The bandits sure accepted the invitation.

You'll have to hurry if you are to avoid doing your early Christmas shopping late.

A local man claims that he bought a pig for $5, spent $10 in feed and sold it this winter for $15. What's he kicking about? Didn't he have the use of the pig all summer?

Unless the government stops the gamblers from chasing down the price of wheat the average farm will consist chiefly of a mortgage before long.

The lads used to sing "We Won't Go Home Until Morning," but they have switched to "Home Sweet Home" since prohibition made home brew so popular.

Unless he is guaranteed a decent price for his products you can hardly blame the lad down on the farm for getting down on the farm.

Exchange says that a law abiding citizen should consider it an insult to be offered a drink. But then, the Bible tells us to swallow our insults.

In an essay competition held recently a little girl described a friend as "one who comes in after the rest of the world goes out." That kiddie preached a great sermon in thirteen words.

Remember you'll have to do your Christmas shopping early unless you do it early.

Take the rubber off the old bankroll and buy a membership in the Red Cross.

The Right Start on Road Program Most Important

(Minneapolis Journal.)

The action of Speaker-elect Nolan in summoning an informal committee of the Minnesota House to early conference on good roads legislation, is entirely commendable.

It will be approved, no doubt, by all that portion of the membership that is intent on seeing that the popular mandate implied by the recent vote on the Good Road Amendment is faithfully carried out.

As the conference is to be open to all members, and as Lieutenant Governor-elect Collins promises due Senate participation, there can be no criticism that anyone has been left out.

It is already plain that good roads legislation is to be the "big thing" of the session. The leaders of the Legislature should make sure that it does not become the "good thing" of any private interests.

The State is preparing to collect large funds and to lay them out over a period of years in building up a complete system of State roads. The Legislature is called upon to provide the machinery for the purpose—the organization by which plans are to be perfected, contracts let, work supervised, economy and efficiency enforced.

Not merely honesty, but wisdom and judgment are required in getting this great public work under way. That all manner of graft must be securely guarded against, goes without saying. But graft implies dishonesty, and it is entirely possible for the organization to go wrong honestly.

Waste is an even greater peril than graft. Waste lies in wait in all public organization, because the personal incentive for economy that makes for good management in private enterprise, is lacking. Public spirit is the substitute, and public spirit is often balked by intricacy of organization and distribution of responsibility.

The Legislature will do well to set a concentrated responsibility over the good roads machinery it is about to set up. If responsibility is diffused among too many, the door is opened to abuses that mean great waste of money and loss of efficiency.

Whether one man or three should be put in control, may be a question. But in any event he or they should be clothed with full power and held answerable for results. And the pay should be put at such a figure as to make it possible to secure the best ability for this monumental work. Then it will be up to the appointing power to name the right man or men.

The Sensible Christmas Gift

Give presents that are both useful and appropriate. Slippers are always welcome.

Felt Slippers---Comfys
in all colors and shades
specially priced:
For Ladies $1.50, $1.60, $1.80, $2.00, $2.25
For Men $1.75 to $2.50
For Children $1.25 to $1.60

A SNAP IN SHOES
37 pairs ladies' grey all leather and 8½ inch cloth top, Spanish and Cuban heel, for a quick cleanup JUST HALF PRICE—
Former $ 9.50 Shoes, now $4.75
Former $10 Shoes, now $5.00
Former $11 Shoes, now $5.50

50 pairs of Men's 4 buckle Overshoes, Goodwear make, guaranteed to wear
$3.79

Our entire stock has been cut to meet the demand for lower prices. We challenge comparison with any offerings on footwear made in this section.

A. M. Langseth
The Place to Buy Your Shoes.

"Here's Real Tobacco"
says the Good Judge

That gives a man more genuine chewing satisfaction than he ever got out of the ordinary kind.

Smaller chew, lasts longer—so it costs less to chew this class of tobacco.

And the good, rich tobacco taste gives a world of satisfaction.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

W-B CUT is a long fine cut tobacco
RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco

Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City.

Suitable Christmas Gifts

are here in a great variety. If you are having difficulty in choosing your gifts, come and let us give you suggestions. It is your duty to give your friends and relatives appropriate gifts and you can fill your needs here without much loss of time. We have helped others and know that we can help you.
Ivory and Pearl manicuring sets of rare designs, as well as pearls, diamonds, silverware, cut glass can all be had here at prices to fit your purse.

OLAF NESET
Optometrist and Jeweler.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING HINTS

You Will Find it an Easy Matter to Make Your Selections if You Come to This Store.

Our line of Christmas Goods is this year more complete than ever before and comprises just the kind of articles you wish to give.

JEWELRY OF ALL KINDS
Watches and Fobs — Parisian Ivory Articles
Lavallieres — Waist Sets
Wrist Watches — Toilet Sets
Bracelets — Manicure Sets
Waist Sets — Sewing Sets

Rings and Pins for men, Women and children in hundreds of designs and at all prices

Cigars, Tobaccos and Smokers' Articles such as Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Holders, Match Boxes.

A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF STATIONERY OF HIGHEST QUALITY AND MODERATE PRICES

Diamonds and Other Precious and Semi-Precious Stones.

It will be a pleasure to show you this exceptional stock. Come in before making your decision. Something in our large and varied line is sure to be just what you want.

F. J. STEBBINS
DRUGGIST and JEWELER.

Masons and Stars to Hold Joint Installation Soon

Joint installation of Eastern Star and Masonic officers will be held at [illegible] Masonic hall on Monday evening, Jan. 3, this date having been set at the regular annual meeting of Masons on Monday evening and upon the request submitted by officers of the Eastern Star. The combination event will be followed by an evening of music and dancing.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Winslow Chapter No. 182 of the Eastern Star on Wednesday evening, Dec. 8: Worthy matron, Miss Effie Hamry; worthy patron, H. C. Durin; associate matron, Mrs. H. C. Johnson; conductress, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen; associate conductress, Miss Anna Quale; secretary, Mrs. Andrew Bottleson and treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Crandall. Appointive offices have not as yet been announced.

Northern Lodge No. 236 of the A. F. & A. M. held their annual election on Monday evening. Officers elected were: Worshipful master, O. E. Berge; senior warden, Ray L. Johnson; junior warden, R. F. Spen- [illegible] treasurer, C. L. Hansen and [illegible] etary, H. C. Durin. Appointments [illegible] other offices will be made at an [illegible] date. From the large number [illegible] titions submitted it is evident the lodge will enjoy an exceptionally busy season directly following the holidays. It was announced [illegible] meeting that third degree work [illegible] take place on Monday evening, [illegible] 20.

Re-Enlists as Soldier After One Experience

Omer Anderson, well known young man of this community, has enlisted for a one year period with the Fifth Engineers, which regiment is at present stationed at Camp Funston, Kansas. Orders removing the regiment to Camp Meade, Maryland, have been received and movement of troops will take place at once. Mr. Anderson is a former service man, having served 20 months in France with the 20th Engineers, Spruce division. Since his discharge from the military service, he has been employed as a clerk at Hermanson's hardware store. He left for Minneapolis last Tuesday evening.

The Thief River Falls recruiting station was discontinued yesterday. Sergeant Hinkson, who has been in charge for the past several months, has been ordered to Baltimore, Maryland.

End of Alexander Suit.

A communication from Charles Alexander, releasing Coolseat Bros. & Drees of Marshall, Minn., from any further claim for damages, was read before the city council in session on Tuesday evening. The council voted to make payment of the $1300 which was withheld from the contract price for installation of the storm sewer recently completed here by that firm, pending the filing of suit by Charles Alexander. The claim for $1300 damages was submitted to the city council several months ago, following injury incurred by Edna Alexander in falling over debris left upon the sidewalk by the contracting firm in excavating for sewer installation.

Legion and Auxiliary

[illegible] OF COMRADES TO [illegible] COME LARGE PART OF LEGION PROGRAM

[illegible] J. Eklund Post Honored by [illegible] Selected as One of Minne- [illegible] Units to Give Special Attention to This Important Work.

[illegible] J. Eklund Post No. 117 is [illegible] of the 24 in the Minnesota Department upon whom will fall the [illegible] of redeeming the debt of comradeship to disabled legionnaires and ex-service men. Upon less than three [illegible] posts rests the duty of Minne- [illegible] in this great national campaign of the American Legion for its disabled comrades.

Not every Minnesota post has been privileged to have the honor and satisfaction of carrying out this great work—of seeing that each disabled soldier receives the compensation due him from the government and that he be put in touch with his comrades in the legion, by sending him the American Legion Weekly and by furnishing his name to some of his former buddies so that they can write him, in addition to seeing that once a week or oftener a committee from the post visits each sick and disabled soldier—whether or not he is a legionnaire—and sees that he is provided with books, magazines, smokes—the things that make the hospital life of [illegible] sick man somewhat easier. In [illegible] hospitals and sanitoriums of the state [illegible] are 457 ex-service men, many [illegible] whom are in a very critical condi- [illegible]. And the number is increasing too fast.

[illegible] R. Lawrence, Oscar Smith and Howard Smith of the Thief River Falls post made the first official call at Oakland Park sanitorium on Friday evening. Patients there are Carl [illegible] Staven of Ulan, Minn., formerly [illegible] member of Company I, 352nd Infantry, 88th Division; Wm. R. Aus- [illegible] Mahnomen, Minn., formerly a member of Company H 129th Infantry, [illegible] Division and Alfred J. Anderson [illegible] t. Hilaire; formerly a member of [illegible] pany 8, 163rd Infantry, 41 Division. The three men all saw extended service with the late American Expeditionary Forces in France.

Flowers have been sent to these patients and Legion and Auxiliary are arranging to send Christmas boxes and greetings to each. Any residents [illegible] Thief River Falls who wish to cooperate in dispensing holiday cheer to [illegible] three veterans, for whom the war [illegible] not yet over, may do so by getting in touch with Edward Brevig at the Citizens' State bank. The Legion [illegible] not consider such an act as being [illegible] of charity; rather should it signify a great esteem for services rendered the state and nation.

[illegible] illiam Austin, while a regular patient at the sanitorium, is at present [illegible] the Physicians' hospital where he [illegible] undergone an operation. Officers of the post extend a general request to all former service men to [illegible] upon him, aside from the regular [illegible] s made by Legion members.

December 15 is Date For Payment of All Post Dues

It has been the purpose of the local post and the state department of the Legion to have all membership dues paid up by the 15th of this month—yesterday. A state-wide competition has been on between posts as regards the prompt payment of the same. The department specifies that the American Legion Weekly subscriptions will be stopped where members did not pay dues previous to Dec. 15. Secretary Smith states that this has not been the practice locally and that members heretofore remitted dues promptly, if not within the time limit set. Last year all but two members sent remittances within a short time after the time limit had expired. The membership has been cut down from 212 to less than 178 thru demits or transfers granted to members who logically belonged to the Goodridge and St. Hilaire posts, which were formed after the establishment of the Elmer J. Eklund Post.

Officers of the post again request that members make their remittances promptly, as a large paid up membership will mean the heartiest of indorsements of the four-fold bonus bill. Ex-service men not at present members of the Legion are respectfully invited to join the ranks.

Preparing For Big Legion Dance Last Night of Year

The Legion dance committee has formulated plans for the New Years Eve ball, which should make the occasion one of the most enjoyable of the season. Announcements will be mailed to legion members and the dancing public early in the coming week. Though the announcements may take the form of an invitation, this does not mean that anyone will be excluded. Everyone receiving a card will be asked to notify his neighbor and to bring friends or relatives. The announcements are to serve as a method of advertising. Snyder's five-piece orchestra consisting of piano, violin, cornet, saxaphone and drums, will furnish the music. Charles Vorachek will act as floor manager. The dance committee requests all members of the legion and everyone interested in the welfare of the former service men to assist in advertising the dance and to make the occasion one to be long remembered. A committee appointed by the Women's auxiliary will stage an advance ticket sale commencing early in the coming week.

Bad Weather Holds Down Attendance at Auxiliary

Due to the weather, which took the form of a blizzard yesterday, the attendance of the regular meeting of the Woman's auxiliary to the Elmer J. Eklund Post in the Commercial club rooms was very small. Several new members were added to the rolls, however, and charter members expressed themselves as feeling greatly encouraged. The membership drive scheduled for the first of this month has been postponed until immediately after the holiday season.

Members present unanimously voted to co-operate with the Legion in securing Christmas cheer to the three former service men who are at present confined to the Oakland Park sanitorium. Christmas boxes are to be sent to these three men and are to contain those homey trifles which are so expressive of appreciation. It was also voted to assist in making the Legion dance on New Years Eve a success in every way. A committee of four was appointed for the purpose of making an advance sale of tickets to this first festivity of the new year. This advance sale will take place during the coming week. Plans were also discussed for a general meeting and banquet of legionnaries, members of the auxiliary, and their families, which event will probably take place before the close of the winter season.

Society and Club

Joint Club Meeting.

The pre-holiday season was ushered in by one of the first delightful Xmas events of the season when the members of the Girls' Community club [illegible] the Woman's club held a joint meeting in the Commercial club rooms. The hall was replete with attractive decorations in keeping with the season. Large baskets of poinsettias were used and elaborate bell-shaped arrangement of red and green decorated the chandeliers. A large candelabrum supporting red tapers adorned the refreshment table from which the guests were served. Sprays of evergreen completed the decorative scheme.

An interesting program which was interspersed with community singing of Xmas carols led by Miss Maude Johnson, was a feature of the evening. Miss Una Nelson's rendition of "The Three Wise Men" was excellent. Miss Ausilga Sorenson, who has proven herself an artist on several occasions, offered two beautiful violin selections. Her solos were accompanied by Miss Laura Forde, pianist. Mrs. O. F. Mellby, whose vocal numbers are always appreciated, sang "The Birthday of a King," accompanied by Miss Maude Johnson. In addition to these numbers Mrs. Sterng delighted the audience with a reading "Uncle Moses on Christmas." Three little boys sang "We Three Kings of the Orient Are." At the conclusion of the program a delicious lunch was served. The guests numbered approximately 125.

Season's Merriest Affair.

All who attended the dancing and card party given by the Masonic lodge at their club rooms on Friday evening are more than enthusiastic over the occasion for the evening was spent in the merriest of fashions. Fifty couples, Masons and their wives, Eastern Stars and their husbands, or Masons escorting Eastern Stars, attended.

The receiving took place in the library and billiard rooms, where many played preliminary card games. Directly the orchestra assembled, the majority of the gathering deserted the card tables for the dance floor. Circle one-step enlivened the dancers and enthused the orchestra. Square dances were even attempted and proved one of the features of the evening, for many found that the less they knew about the intricate figures, the greater the pleasure and merriment. Shortly after midnight a buffet supper was served and dancing resumed, to continue until 2:00 a. m.

Members of the Masonic dance committee state that dancing parties will be given as a monthly event thruout the winter season and feel assured that a good attendance is guaranteed by the success of this first combination event.

Christmas Services.

A splendid musical program, under the able leadership of Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, will be a feature of the joint Christmas service of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday evening, Dec. 12, at the M. E. church. The choir of both churches will offer the following program:

"Arise, Shine, for Thy Light is Come," Maker—Choir.
"The Infant King," Neidlinger—Mrs. C. A. Nason.
"Seek Ye the Lord," Roberts—Choir
Duet, "He Shall Feed His Flock," Messiah—Mrs. M. W. Brink and Miss Ella Miller.
"The King of Love My Shepherd Is," Shelly—Choir.
Offertory, selected—Miss Laura Forde.
"The Birthday of a King," Neidlinger—Miss Grace Iverson.
"Hark, Hark, My Soul," Shelly—Choir.
"The Virgin's Lullaby," Buck—Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher.
"The Festival Te Deum," Buck—Choir.

Studio Recital.

A studio recital was given on Saturday, Dec. 4, by pupils of Miss Laura Forde, piano, and Miss Ausilga Sorenson, violin. On Saturday, Dec. 11 a piano recital was held at the studio. The following program was given:

"Sparkles" (Pennington), by Maxine Johnson.
"A Summer Reverie" (Torjussen) Op. 7, by Ansof Dahlen.
"Sunshine and Flowers" (Courtney) by Francis Shanahan.
"To a Wild Rose" (Macdowell) by Theresa Fuller.
"To Spring" (Greig) by Muriel Loken.
"Butterfly Dance" (Miles), by Olive Lonon.
"By the Brook" (Boisdefre) by Mable McGinnity.
"Chansonette" (Werner) by Thelma Christianson.
"Butterfly" (Greig) "Barcarole" (Godard) by Pearl Weeks.
"Jolly Butterflies" by Jules Devaux and Ruth Mellby.

Surprise Party.

Misses Stella Anderson and Thora Ness were pleasantly surprised by 33 of their friends at the home of the latter on Saturday evening. The hours were spent in dancing and games and at midnight refreshments were served. Both of the honored guests were presented with a handsome leather handbag as a remembrance of the occasion. The young ladies left Tuesday evening for Chicago where they will remain indefinitely.

Silver Wedding Anniversary.

About twenty of the friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. J. Adsero, gathered at their home on Dec. 4 for the purpose of helping them celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage. A pleasant social hour was spent at the conclusion of which the honored couple was presented with a purse of silver dollars as a memento of the happy event. Mr. and Mrs. Adsero have been residents of this vicinity for the past fifteen years.

Card Party.

A pleasant evening was spent at the I. O. O. F. hall Saturday when the members of the U. C. T. lodge and their wives and friends were entertained at progressive whist. Eight tables were in play. At midnight a sumptuous lunch was served by the ladies. Mrs. Nels Christenson and A. Anderson won the high honors.

Yeoman Lodge No. 2008.

On Dec. 9 the Yeoman had a class of thirty new candidates for adoption and also held election of new officers for the coming year, the following being chosen: Foreman, Lillian M. Typer; master of ceremonies, Ole Johnson; correspondent, John Wengeler; master of account, Henry Eliashunsen; chaplain, Clara Lundberg; overseer, Geo. Larson; Lady Rowena, Barbara Wengeler; Lady Rebekah, Olga Rolland; watchman, Tellef Volden; sentinel, Philip Lundberg; guard, Clarence Volden.

Citation For Hearing On Petition For Administration.

Estate of Minnie Hoard, also known as Mina Hoard.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie Hoard, also known as Mina Hoard, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to A. C. Matheson, Rosaer Matheson, Minnie Matheson, John Matheson, Alice Matheson, Thora Shetler, John F. Matheson, Henry W. Hoard, Minton Hoard, Lilly Hoard, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Henry W. Hoard having been filed in this Court, representing that Mina Hoard, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of December, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Henry W. Hoard and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, 1921, at [illegible] o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of December, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
[illegible]

Birthday Anniversary.

Robert McGinn, Jr., celebrated his birthday anniversary on December 10 by entertaining 18 of his young friends at his home, 511 Main avenue north. Games were enjoyed until the lunch hour when delicious refreshments were served by the host's mother. Curtis Herrick of Warren was the only out of town guest.

Entertains.

A number of the teachers were guests of Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht at her home on Sunday afternoon. At five o'clock a delightful lunch was served. Those present were Misses Lyda and LaVon Batten, Margaret Jordan, Hildegaard Klebor, Gerda Mortenson, Belle Hermanson and Esther Warner.

Delightful Hostess.

A company of her friends were entertained by Mrs. O. F. Mellby at a 6:30 supper at her home 607 Bridge St., on Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for twelve guests. The hours following were devoted to cards and music.

Entertains.

Mrs. L. A. Lampert entertained a number of ladies at her home, 723 *Knight Ave. Saturday afternoon.* Needlework formed the chief diversion. At five o'clock a delicious lunch was served.

Willing Workers.

The Willing Workers of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Reynold Knutson on Duluth avenue north on Friday evening, Dec. 17.

Churches

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Services Sunday 10:30 a. m. English language. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Dec. 24 at 6:45 p. m., children's Christmas program, both German and English. Christmas day, Dec. 25th, 10:30 a. m., German services. Sunday, Dec. 26, English Christmas services at 10:30 a. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. English services, 11 a. m. Norwegian 7:45 p. m. Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10. Sunday school rehearsal Sunday at 2:30 and Tuesday at 6:30.

Christian Science—Services at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Is the Universe Including Man Evolved by Atomic Force?" Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 19. 10 a. m., full meeting of the Sunday school. It is important that every teacher and pupil be in place on time. 11 a. m., morning worship. Christmas theme and special music, also a group of Christmas carols. Juniors 3 p. m. Senior C. E. 7 p. m. At 8 p. m. we are to be the guests of the Methodist Episcopal church at their Christmas musical service. Woman's Missionary society Dec. 17, 3 p. m., at 518 Main Ave. N. Christmas tree and program Dec. 23.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m. Zion Young Peoples' society will give a Bazaar in the church basement Friday evening, Dec. 17, beginning at 5 p. m. Supper served. All are invited to come. Services on Christmas day at 11 a. m. Afternoon service at Bethlehem at 2:30 p. m. same day. Christmas tree fest on Christmas day evening at 7:45 p. m. Services second Christmas day, Dec. 26th, at Rindal church, Rosewood at 11 a. m. Afternoon services same day at Norden at 2 p. m. Christmas tree program at Rindal church, Rosewood, second Christmas day evening at 7:45 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 19: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Thursday evening (today) Rev. Drotts of Viking and Rev. Lindholm of Drayton, N. D., will preach. Services at St. Hilaire, East Side school house at 11 a. m. St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. Ladies' Aid will meet at Burenmies' place at 2:30 Saturday.

Obituary

Mrs. Mina Hoard.

On Dec. 11 at 11:30 p. m. Mrs. Mina Hoard of 521 Riverside Ave. passed away, after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Hoard was born in Tromso, Norway, Jan. 26, 1854, where she was married to O. A. Matheson in 1862. They came to this country in 1881. After living in Minneapolis for a year they settled on a homestead in the town of Sanders, where the husband died in 1887. To this union was born seven children of which three are still living.

In 1890 she was married to Erick Hoard. To them were born three children. On account of the ill health of Mr. Hoard, the family moved to this city, where he died in 1915.

Mrs. Hoard was a member of the Baptist church, a loving mother and a devoted Christian.

Four sons and two daughters are left to mourn her loss: Supt. A. C. Matheson, Browns Valley, Minn.; Mrs. R. B. Shetler, city; John F. Matheson, Big Sandy, Mont.; Henry W. Hoard, city; Minton Hoard, Fargo; Lilly B. Hoard, a student at the University of North Dakota at Grand Forks.

Funeral services were held from the Baptist church, Dec. 13, at two o'clock. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

(Contributed)

Mrs. Erick Hoard has left our *midst. She is gone but not forgot-* ten. Forever will we cherish her memory.

Mrs. Hoard was of a kind and sunny disposition which won her friends everywhere. She herself being a true friend had a vast treasure in friendship. She was a most unselfish character, ever ready to lend a helping hand. It seemed as if she was never happier than when she could do some act of kindness to a needy neighbor.

Mrs. Hoard was a devoted mother, not alone to her own children, but a mother to everybody. Exceedingly brave in trouble and her faith in Jesus Christ her Savior, was profound. To Him she clung in joy and in adversity, holding fast to the end, hence there is laid up for her a crown of life.

Many are the hearts that she gladdened and many are they who reaped of her hospitality. We who knew her best realize the loss we have suffered and stand torn and bleeding at her grave. Nevertheless there is real joy in our hearts when we think of her gain.

Dear, sainted mother, you have gone to your eternal home—to the God you loved so well. Far from us to begrudge your sweet peace and rest, but Oh, for the joy, when in heaven we greet you.

A FRIEND.

Bertha O. Swanson.

Mrs. Bertha Swanson, wife of W. A. Swanson residing near Rhoda, died in this city on December 8 from pernicious anemia, with which she had been afflicted for the past four years. The deceased was 44 years, 1 month and 10 days old. Interment took place on December 11 in Oak Park cemetery.

Leland W. Swanson.

On Dec. 11 occurred the death of Leland Swanson, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Swanson of St. Hilaire. Death followed an operation for appendicitis. The child was in a critical condition when brought to this city about ten days before. Funeral services will be held at St. Hilaire.

Margaret Egge.

Mrs. Margaret Egge of Halma died in this city on Dec. 10, from bronchial pneumonia, at the age of 79 years. The deceased was ill eighteen days. Burial will take place at Butterfield, Minn., on Dec. 14.

Christmas Gifts

Now is the time to select your Christmas Gifts from our stock, which is practically all new and up-to-date.

Gifts of Jewelry are timely, enduring and lasting in pleasure and sentiment

See us before buying elsewhere. Articles laid away until Christmas.

Don't miss the opportunity to buy a Diamond here as the prices are exceedingly low.

A. A. WANGENSTEIN,
City Jeweler

Shop Early

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A pair of comfy leather or felt Slippers are bound to please. A well defined line of this footwear can be found here.

Buy them early and get the right size; early selections are always best.

We have them at
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E. O. Mogensen
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THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA

Store open evenings until 9 P. M.

MAYFIELD

S. Grotte called at the Stennes and Wedul home last Thursday.

Arthur Omdahl and Arndt Wedul went to Gaines on an important business trip last Friday.

Several of the Mayfield young folks are now busy practicing for a program which will be given in the church Sunday afternoon, Dec. 26. There will also be a Christmas tree there at the same time.

Misses Gena and Carrie Haugen called at the Grotte home last Sunday.

J. P. Johnson, M. O'Leary and [illegible] Klove visited A. Rewertz Friday evening.

Miss Amy Stennes left for Barnum, Minn., last Thursday where she will visit relatives and friends for a short period. She will then go to Duluth to work.

Roy Kiel and his sister, Verna, autoed to Thief River Falls last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Asp and daughter Evelyn, Mrs. N. O. Johnson, Arndt Wedul and Mr. Causin autoed to Thief River Falls last Monday.

NUMEDAL

Social a Big Success.

The ribbon social held in the Blomberg schoolhouse Friday evening was well attended and the proceeds amounted to $30 which will be used to buy a Christmas tree for the school children.

Newly Wedded Couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osness, returned Friday evening after spending their honeymoon at Minneapolis and *points in the southern part of the* state. Their many friends join in wishing them a long, happy married life. They will be at home to their many friends on the groom's farm in Numedal.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening to meet his brothers who came out to attend the ribbon social.

Andrew Ordal returned to his home Saturday after being employed at the Soren Knutson home for some time.

David Samuelson and Thure Blomberg were among those who took in the masquerade dance at Viking Saturday evening. They reported having had a good time.

George Bugge and John and Oliver Ronning autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

John Bugge transacted business at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Casper and Ferdia Osness were at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son Winton and David Samuelson were guests at the Blomberg home on Sunday.

Mrs. Olaf Larson visited at the C. Petterson home in Viking Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Ole Sande were guests at the Osness home Sunday evening.

Hjalmer Blomberg spent Sunday with his home folks.

George Bugge is busy sawing wood these days.

Mrs. Olaf Larson visited with her friends at Viking Sunday.

David Samuelson and Thure Blomberg motored to Thief River Falls on Sunday evening to take in the movies.

Forrest Hedrick was a Thief River Falls business caller Monday.

Arthur Somnor was a Viking caller Monday.

John Bugge and Halvor Olson were Viking shoppers Saturday evening.

VIKING

Many of the Viking people autoed to Newfolden Sunday evening to attend the show.

The Edward brothers, Pontius Larson and Otto Sustad, motored to Thief River Falls last Sunday.

Mrs. Nelson has completed the hay baling and moved back to Angus with the crew.

Edith Edwards visited with her folks over Sunday.

The dance at Viking was well attended last Saturday evening.

A bunch of Thief River Falls youngsters took in the ribbon social given in Blomberg school house last Friday.

Pontius Larson called on Knute Sustad Monday evening.

Herbert Grinde and Carl Brink were out contracting for hay baling in the vicinity of Dorothy and Crookston one day last week.

Ed. Krohn loaded a car of hay last Friday.

Mrs. O. Larson called at the Chris. Peterson home on Wednesday.

H. Grinde autoed to Wylie last Saturday.

William Erikson was a Thief River Falls caller last Monday.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Hard coal heater, [illegible] Olaf Neson, St. Hilaire. 101pd

FOR SALE—Limited quantity Sweet Clover, Medium Red Clover, Red Top, Alfalfa, etc., at [illegible] price. These seeds must be moved at once regardless of cost. Get your supply now. Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co. 101

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels Early Ohio potatoes and 500 bushels of Burbank, $1.00 per bushel. Lots of 10 bushels or more will be delivered to any point in the city. T. K. Rynestad, Germantown route. 101

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2500 lbs.; one 650 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Guernsey bull. Geo. L. Strom. 99tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable notes. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have [illegible] purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Wehner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 99tf

FOR SALE—Three [illegible] Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell them for $10 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. R. [illegible], R. 3, City. 99tf

FOR SALE—New 1920 Ford car with self-starter, for sale cheap. [illegible] for sale cheap or trade for horses and stock. Want to buy a good team, weight about 2100. Call 408 Duluth Ave. S. 101pd

FOR SALE—Good fresh Guernsey cows at Lind Bros. farm, St. Hilaire, Minn. 101p

COCKERELS FOR SALE—$2.00 each. Rhode Island Reds and White Wyandottes.—T. H. Bjerke, City. 101pd

FOR SALE—Several platform scales, box holders, fanning mills, etc., which we are closing out away below actual cost. Come in and look this over if in need of any of these items. They are the biggest bargains you have been offered this winter. Tessum Seed, Grain & Supply Co. 101

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 27tf

FOR SALE—80 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Mylrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Mylrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

SACRIFICE—White Blossom sweet clover, excellent seed, Northern Minn. grown. [illegible] Act quick. Tessum Elevator. 101

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only [illegible] miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Radiant Home hard coal heater, 212 [illegible] Ave. N. 101p

FOR SALE—By owner, adjoining lots. [illegible] will be sold at bargain. [illegible] For information see Carl J. Swenson, [illegible] Route. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms. P. O. Mylrum, Box 155, City. 85tf

HAY FOR SALE—Will deliver or sell in stack. Enquire at [illegible] house north of Park Hotel. 102p

FOR SALE—One Chester White boar, weight about 200 lbs. W. A. Nelson, one mile west of city on Jefferson Highway. 102p

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 99tf

FOR SALE—One [illegible] Buyer can have this very cheap. Andrew Ness. 99tf

FOR SALE—One Newcomb automatic four-harness fly shuttle loom, suitable for rug and cloth weaving. Inquire Mrs. C. Frisvold, 510 [illegible] Ave. N. 100pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For city property, [illegible] and other machinery.—Andrew Ness. 98tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For good milk cow, 1 lot for $125.00 and 1 ton of timothy hay, close to town. 408 Duluth Ave. S. 101pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE—[illegible] property, one ½ section land. Will sell with or without stock and complete farming equipment. Write M. [illegible], Rollis, Minn. 101p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 97tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Restaurant and Confectionery.—W. A. Bishop, 110 LaBree Ave. N.

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, [illegible] Tractor and [illegible] bottom plow and 2 binders, at a bargain. Call at [illegible] Hardware Store. 99tf

FOR RENT

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 417 [illegible] St. 99tf

FOR RENT—Room at 213 Knight Ave. S. 102p

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, 501 Main Ave. N. 96tf

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two modern houses and several small tracts of land near town. W. A. Bishop. 97tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home. Close to business section. Phone No. 615 or 85. 100tf

FOR RENT—Furnished house for rent for a term of four months. Apply O. A. Nordin. 101

LOST

LOST—Elks' tooth chain. Finder return to Times office. 102pd

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Good wages; small family. 410 Duluth Ave. N. 101

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 94tf

WANTED—Men owning rig or auto to sell well-known line lubricating oils, house paint, barn paint and roofing materials direct to farmers. Commissions paid weekly. Special monthly bonus paid on sales. Old reliable concern selling farm trade for years. Financially responsible and standing back of every material sold. Write us today for our complete sales proposition. Central Petroleum Co., Cleveland, O. 102p

WANTED—Salesman for Thief River Falls and vicinity. Commission contract only, for spare or full time. We will teach you to sell income protection thru our free school of instruction and help you build a business of your own. Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., Accident and Health Dept., Saginaw, Mich. Capital $1,500,000. 102p

WANTED—[illegible] wanted at Evelyn Hotel at once. 101

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Dressmaking at a very reasonable price. Call on Mrs. Carl Knutson, 325 Duluth Ave. N. 101p

STRAYED—to my farm Wednesday, Dec. 8th, one lamb. Owner can have same by identifying and paying costs. W. J. [illegible], City. 102

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Modern and heated preferred. J. T. [illegible] Times. 101p

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. [illegible] R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 99tf

WORK WANTED—The Thief River Repair Shop is open for business. We do any work, [illegible] 24 kinds of metal, clean and adjust sewing machines, typewriters, adding machines, motors, generators, phonographs, electric washers, vacuum cleaners, oil stoves, ranges, gas engines of all makes and kinds. All work guaranteed satisfactory and prices low. Located at 221 First street, across from Winton-Nichols. Give us a call. Borrell & Peterson. 101p

WANTED TO BUY—A good improved farm with four buildings on it, close to [illegible] Will trade a [illegible] Ford car [illegible] Will pay cash to balance. Give me your lowest price [illegible] C. Carlson, Box 171, Thief River Falls, Minn. 102p

NEIGHBOR ACCUSED OF STEALING FLAX

Earl Reeves Bound Over to Grand Jury After Hearing Before Judge Tarrant.

Earl Reeves of Cloverleaf township, charged with having appropriated and sold 13 bushels of flax seed from a granary owned by Wm. H. Kline and B. G. Rounds, railroad employees residing at Thief River Falls, was arraigned before Judge N. W. Tarrant on Tuesday and was held to answer to the grand jury at the February term of court. He was released on $300 bail.

Kline and Rounds, who are employed by the Soo line out of this city, farmed a quarter section in Cloverleaf town this past year and have their grain stored in an isolated granary on the land. Mr. Kline testified that he found a window of the granary broken in on Dec. 11 and approximately 13 bushels of flax gone. He also stated that wagon tracks leading to the building were visible. It is claimed that on that date Earl Reeves, giving his name as Joe Smith, sold 13 bushels of flax at the Red Lake Milling company's elevator, cashing a check made out to Joe Smith at the Oen Mercantile store.

Clerks at Oen's, when put on the stand, recalled the check but could not identify Reeves as the man who cashed it. They stated that the check was cashed before the dinner hour on December 11. H. Matthew, manager of the Red Lake Milling company's elevator, positively identified Reeves as the man who sold the flax and who received the check made out to Joe Smith, but that the check was not issued until early in the afternoon of the 11th. Gilbert Durnheim stated on the stand that he saw sacks covered with straw in a wagon owned by Mr. Reeves. Mr. Mathum, who formerly resided on the farm now run by Mr. Reeves, stated that following the latter's trip to Thief River Falls he shook flax seeds from sacks which were lying in the latter's wagon.

Reeves, who lately moved onto a farm within a mile of the granary from which it is alleged he stole grain, testified that he was in the city on December 11 and that he went to the Farmers elevator for the purpose of buying coal, which he eventually purchased of the Prichard Lumber company. He stated that his wagon contained a sack of potatoes and hay for his horses. A neighbor took the witness stand and testified as to defendant's good character and standing in the section of Dakota from which both have recently moved to Pennington county.

The evidence submitted was considered as being sufficient to bind Reeves over to the grand jury.

MOVIE FILMS FOR SCHOOL AUDIENCES

Large Audiences in All Sections of County Enjoy Educational Subjects.

The showing of "The Priceless Gift of Health" and "Little Jimmy's Prayer," two educational films shown thruout Pennington county during the past two weeks by Professor D. A. Leonard of the Community Moving Picture Service, created a profound impression among the general public and particularly those who are, as a rule, adverse to the showing of moving pictures. The two films were shown in the remotest sections of the county as well as in the city of Thief River Falls and adjacent villages. Many children as well as grown-ups who have never until now had an opportunity of viewing moving pictures, were present.

Farmers Much Interested.

The showing at Singer's hall, Erie, proved an exceptional one, drawing many farmers and their families from points in Marshall county, more than twenty miles distant. The hall proved too small to accommodate the large assembly and many were turned away. The showing of the films at the Wylie school house also packed the large room to the doors and standing space was at a premium. The two features, with two supplementary films showing the production and manufacture of tea and coffee, were also shown at St. Hilaire, Sanders school, Highlanding school, Goodridge consolidated school, Mavie school, Silverton, Hazel Farmers' club hall and at the Pennington county court rooms at Thief River Falls. At each exhibition a vote of parents of school children was taken and in every instance approval of the pictures shown and of the plan to purchase one of the picture machines for county use was unanimous. Representatives of the Junior Red Cross, the Senior Red Cross, the Public Health association of Pennington county and practically all of the physicians of Thief River Falls attended a demonstration showing at the court rooms on Sunday afternoon. These also expressed their heartiest approval unanimously.

"The Priceless Gift of Health," in which school physicians and nurses are shown examining the school children and which, in a very entertaining and interesting fashion, illustrates the essential rules of health, has been shown in every city and rural school of the state of Massachusetts thru the interest of the state government. "Little Jimmy's Prayer" proved an inspiration to all and especially those children who had the privilege of seeing the film.

May Purchase Machine.

The series of entertainments was given under the auspices of the Teachers' Progressive League of Pennington county. Very small admission charges were made, but a substantial sum remained for the league treasury after all expenses were defrayed. In case it is decided to purchase one of the picture machines the entire proceeds of the ten exhibitions, minus Professor Leonard's traveling expenses, will apply on the purchase price. The machine is a very compact one, using films of a non-inflamable composition which are slightly narrower than those ordinarily used for professional purposes. The purchase price is $240. Films are rented from the United Film Corporation at a cost depending a great deal upon the nature of the picture. Other film companies are planning to offer their best attractions on this smaller film. The machines have been placed in many city and high schools and a campaign is now under way to have them available for every rural school.

Professor Leonard is the head of the Sociology department of Concordia college at Moorhead, Minn., and is also connected with the Minnesota University Extension Division. He has just completed an outline of a three month's program of educational pictures to be shown afternoons and evenings at the Auditorium, St. Paul, Minn., under the auspices of the St. Paul Institute.

REDUCTION IN WAGES OF 'PHONE EMPLOYES REGARDED PROBABLE

George L. Sterns, Local Manager, Explains Necessity For Granting Higher Rates at Commercial Club Luncheon Last Thursday.

Many interesting facts regarding the proposed increase in telephone rates were brought to light through an address given by George L. Sterns, area manager for the Northwestern Telephone company, before members of the Commercial club and business men of the city in assembly at the weekly club luncheon on Thursday. Mr. Sterns' remarks were pertinent to the public hearing granted the Northwestern Telephone company by the Railway and Warehouse commission, which was scheduled for yesterday.

Chief switchboard and assistant chief operators are receiving at the present time a monthly wage of $85 and $65 respectively. Operators wages are lower down on the scale and operators receiving instructive training are started in at a wage of but $10 per month, according to Mr. Sterns. Other employers of skilled and unskilled labor who were present at the luncheon, testified to the effect that these wages enumerated by Mr. Sterns are far smaller than the "going wages" which prevail today in most business organizations, large or small. Higher officials of the Northwestern have stated that it may become necessary to reduce wages paid employees unless the hearing of yesterday were to result in a favorable increase in telephone rates and toll charges, *a procedure which would impair the service rendered patrons of* the company. Local employees of the telephone company have expressed their willingness to accept a reduction in wages at such a time as it shall become consistent with wages paid in other lines of endeavor and with the cost of living. Mr. Sterns placed the financial condition of the telephone company before those assembled in such a way as to show clearly the cause for the public hearing called for yesterday. His explanation was entirely along a line which demonstrated the need of greater revenues by the company in order to at least retain the present scale of wages and to avoid any impairment of the service rendered. At the close of his talk comment was made by those present upon the excellent telephone service in this city and the secretary of the club tendered the club's thanks to Mr. Sterns.

An unusually good attendance marked the week's club luncheon. With the approach of the holiday season, their Thursday noon affairs have been discontinued until after January 1, 1921.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who so liberally came to our assistance during the illness and after the death of our granddaughter, Hazel Senate, and particularly for the financial help extended.—Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Norlund. D16p

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Mina Hoard.—Amer C. Matheson, Mrs. R. B. Shetler, John F. Matheson, Henry W. Hoard, Minton Hoard, Lilly B. Hoard. D16-p

Woll Concert Thursday Pleased Large Audience

Carsten Woll, tenor, and Esther Erhart Woll, pianist, appeared in concert at Trinity Lutheran church on Thursday evening, before an assemblage of music lovers that overflowed into aisles and entry-way. Mr. Woll is a vocalist of ability. His voice is one of those rich, mellow tenors of high range and wonderful volume. He sang in English, French, Norwegian and Swedish. His best work was done in the Norwegian language, his native tongue.

Mrs. Woll, who accompanied the tenor in his singing and who gave several piano solos, delighted everyone. She is gifted with a pleasing magnetism and charm of personality. Her selections were well chosen and executed with a clearness and fluency which won for her the frank approval of her audience. She shared equally in the honors with her husband.

Following the concert, as an unscheduled part of the entertainment, Mr. Woll sang in a comparison with his Edison records, many of which are in Norwegian. He is considered one of the greatest singers of Norwegian songs of two continents.

RED CROSS PROGRAM FOR COMING SEASON APPROVED BY BOARD

Includes Hiring of Nurse, More Extensive Activities on Part of Child Welfare Committee and Investment of Funds.

At a meeting of the executive committee of Pennington County Chapter, American Red Cross, held at the commercial club rooms last Saturday afternoon, the action of the committee having in charge the hiring of a county nurse was approved. Dr. G. M. Milan, chairman, stated that he had been assured that a competent person for the post would soon be available. It was decided to purchase an automobile for her use, this matter being also left to the committee.

The St. Hilaire branch of the association was voted a refund of about $400 of the funds of the chapter. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, chairman, explained that this sum, which should have been sent to Red Cross headquarters, had by mistake gone to the war relief board in New York. This happened quite a while ago and there was no way of straightening the matter out. In order that the trouble might be adjusted in the most satisfactory manner it was thought best to take the sum from the general treasury and credit it to the St. Hilaire branch.

Considerable money belonging to the chapter is held in different banks in the county and an investment committee composed of W. A. Barnard, John Bratrud and Dr. Milan was appointed to look after its investment. Certain parcels of real estate, also the property of the chapter, were placed in the hands of the same committee with the aim of disposing of them to the best advantage.

It was agreed that at present regular meetings of the committee need only be held quarterly, unless otherwise decided upon by the president.

Secure Bonus Money From State For Ex-Service Men

The First National bank of this city has this week received $5,000 worth of soldier bonus certificates from the state. This represents the amount advanced by the bank for the benefit of those who needed their money before the state was in position to secure it through the regular channels. Most of the boys who applied have already called for their share, the allotments ranging from $100 to $400. For a large number this amount comes in very handy just before the holidays.

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

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Essential if you intend to get a basket of our fresh New York Baldwins and Greenings.

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Any quantity sold. Try a peck.

"Mighty-Good Brand", A Grade Michigan barreled apples in stock. Fine Holland Cabbage 2½c per lb. Good quality Onions 3c per lb.

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In
"SICK ABED"

FRIDAY
Will Rogers
In
"HONEST HUTCH"
Don't miss this most wonderful of all Will Rogers' pictures.

SATURDAY
Edith Roberts
In
"THE TRIFLERS"
and
Jack Dempsey
In
"DAREDEVIL JACK"
Matinee: 2:30

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Thrilling with new and novel mystery
Katherine MacDonald
In
"THE NOTORIOUS MISS LISLE"
In the Season's most sensational scandal story. Romance after marriage. An exciting honeymoon in gay Paris.
Joe Martin
In
"A PROHIBITION MONKEY"
The Scream of the Screen.
Matinee Sunday: 2:30

The Princess

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Bryant Washburn
In
"THE SINS OF ST. ANTHONY"
Every Scene a Roar!
Every Girl a Beauty!
Every Gown a Dream!
The GUMPS
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Dressy looking Gloves in any of the popular leathers or in Silk always please. See our offerings before buying.

Cape, Suede, Mocha, Ivory, Mahogany, Colt and fancy Horsehide Dress Gloves; also silk and fabric Gloves

$1.50, $2, $2.50, $3, $3.50 and up to $7.50

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Our St. Louis office which is constantly in touch with the shoe market conditions has given us the following spring prices which are offered you by this BUSY J. C. PENNEY CO. STORE

Ladies' Shoes
With prices that have been long wanted together with the quality that we have always retained and that the Best Star Brand Shoe:
Black Kid Military heel, (high class Shoe) $7.90, $8.90
Gunmetal Sport heel and toe $4.98
Brown Kid or Gunmetal Military heel and toe $5.90, $6.90
Black Kid and Gun Metal in Lewis heel, Military heel and low heel priced at $3.98, $4.50, $4.98

Infant's Shoes
Black or Brown Kid; Soft, turn Sole, $1.25, $1.39, $1.49, $1.69, $1.85, $1.98
White Kid top patented button $2.69

Spats, Gaiters and Leggins
$2.69, $2.25, 98c

Misses' and Children Shoes
Fine Kid and light Gun Metal in black and brown. Size 8½ to 11½ and size 12 to 2 at $1.98, $2.25, $2.49, $2.69, $2.98, $3.50, $3.98
Children's Warm lined Shoes at $2.85, $2.98

Comfy Shoes or House Slippers, Rose, Blue, Red Brown, Oxford $2.25, $2.49, $2.69, $2.75
Men's Leather House Slippers at $2.75, $2.98, $3.49, $3.98
Children's House Slippers, red only $1.49, $1.69

Boys' Shoes
Boys' Shoes that give boys satisfactory wear at a price you can save $1.00 or more. Boys' high top at $4.50, $4.98
Boys' English Walking Shoe, black or brown $3.98, $4.50, $4.98
Boys' Blucher Calf $2.98, $3.50

Men's Shoes
Fine Kid, Bankers last black or brown $9.90, $7.90, $6.90
Brown English Valour Calf, rubber heel $5.90, $6.90, $7.90, $9.90

Men's Black Blucher Kid or Gun Metal $6.90, $5.90, $4.98, $3.98
Men's High Cut Work Shoes, double sole, oak tanned $7.90, $8.90, $10.90
Men's Felt Shoes, 8 in. top, all felt $2.49
Men's Leather Sole and facing 6, 8, 10 in. top $4.50, $4.98

Rubber Footwear Department
Children's fleece lined 69c, 75c
Misses' lined and unlined 75c, 85c
Boys' heavy and Dress Rubbers 98c, $1.25, $1.45
Ladies' unlined rubbers 75c
Ladies fleece lined Rubbers 98c
Men's dress Rubbers $1.25
Men's fleeced Rubbers $1.45
Men's lowcut Overshoes $1.75
Ladies' one-buckle Overshoes $1.98
Ladies' two-buckle Overshoes $2.25
Ladies three-buckle Overshoes $2.98
Ladies 10-button White wool lining military heel Overshoes $4.25
Men's one-buckle Overshoes $2.49
Men's four-buckle Overshoes $3.49
Men's all rubber four-buckle $3.75
Men's fine Jersey four-buckle $3.98
Lumber men's heavy rubbers $1.65
Wool felt insoles 25c

Ladies' Department
Ladies' Silk Plush Coats $19.75, $24.75, $27.50, $29.75, $32.50, $34.75, $39.75
Ladies' Cloth Coats with Fur Collars $22.50, $27.50, $32.50, $34.75
Children's and Misses Coats $8.90, $9.90, $10.90, $12.50, $14.75
9-4 Pepperell Sheeting, bleached or unbleached, per yard 65c
Palm Olive Soap 8c
Fancy Turkish Towels 39c
Tricolettes, best quality, yd. $1.85
Navy, Black, Brown, Taupe. Silk Petticoats, Jersey, Taffeta and Messalines $3.98, $4.98
Bath Robes and Kimonas $4.98 to $9.90
Fleishers 4 oz. Skein Yarn 89c

Dress Goods and Silks
Wash Satin, navy, brown, black $1.75
Crepe de Chenes, all colors, first grade, per yard $1.69
40 in. heavy Charmeuse Satin, navy, black, brown $2.49
48 in. bright red Middy Serge $2.49
40 in. Georgette Crepes $1.25
Velvets and Velveteens $1.35 to $2.25
Bed Spreads $2.25, $3.98, $4.98, $5.90, $6.90, $7.50
Dakota 36 in. dark Percales 19c
Japanese Blue Prints Cloths $1.98, $2.50, $2.98, $3.50, $4.50
Outing Flannel Gowns $1.49
Ladies' fleeced Union Suits $2.49, $2.98
Ladies' Silk Hose, navy, brown, white and black 98c, $1.69, $2.49, $2.98

Men's Department
Men's heavy wool mixed Sox 39c
Men's heavy wool gray Sox 49c
Men's heavy model fleeced Union Suits $2.75
Men's White wool Union Suits $4.98
Men's flannel Shirts, fine quality $2.49
Men's fine Cashmere Sox 75c
Pay-Day Overalls, 220 Denim $1.75
Men's fine Chambray Work Shirts 98c
Men's Scotch Caps, (pull-down) $1.49
Men's Lamb lined Leather Vests $9.90
Men's all wool Soo Mackinaws $11.90
Men's 58 in. Moleskin, Lamb lined Sleeve and body Overcoats $27.50
Men's Black Moleskin, Lamb lined Sleeves and body Overcoats $24.75
Men's Dress Overcoats $19.75, $22.50, $24.75, $27.50, $32.50, $34.75 to $49.50
Men's Suits of style and quality on today's market price. Young men's models or High School models. Prices $24.75, $27.50, $29.75, $32.50, $34.75, $37.50 and $39.75
Boys' Suits double knee, double seats, 2 pair pants, fine models, quality and prices unmatched: $7.90, $8.90, $9.90, $10.90, $12.50, $13.50, $14.75, $16.50

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A Word From Mr. Oen, Pioneer Merchant: "It is almost 32 years since I began doing business among you folks; that's quite awhile. In that length of time I have seen this country develop from a wild prairie region to the country homes we have now. During 32 years in business I have never had a sale. I did not take much stock in them, after observing most of the so-called sales. I have made up my mind to give the folks here a real sale. You can take it from me, it means just that. I have been holding off from doing it. I thought it would not be necessary. But the backward season and the general condition of things makes this sale a demand almost. I want you all to come here with the firm conviction that you are going to buy goods far below what they are actually worth. My business career of 32 years is back of every dollar you spend here. The goods must make good or we will. REMEMBER, the sale is on ALL goods in our big Shoe, Clothing and Dry Goods Departments—its all got to sell.

It's not an Auction---Just Factory Prices. G. A. Darnell, acting for Lindeke-Warner Sons, St. Paul, will be in charge of this store until Friday, Dec. 24. Read every word---and come.

I HAVE JUST GOT TO SAY IT

When I arrived here and saw the store I was to work in I could hardly believe my eyes; the size and class of goods carried almost is unbelievable, and when I say folks, you should all be proud of this store, I mean it. In this line of work I see all kinds of towns and all kinds of stores but this one is the best it has ever been my pleasure to connect up with, and I know we are going to have a sale here that will be a world beater. Let's all get together!
G. A. DARNELL,
Manager.

Note These Astounding Bargains

Outing Flannel, all colors, good weight; don't pay 45c come here and get yours for 18c

One big lot of Old Ladies' Comfort Shoes, all kinds and sizes, values to $7.00, to close out quickly at $4.48

One big lot of Men's Dress Shirts, values to $2.50, now 88c

One big lot of cotton Blankets, size 64x76, good weight a good value at $4.00, buy now at $1.98

One big lot Ladies' Dress Shoes, all sizes and kinds, your choice now $1.98

Toil du Nords in all the wanted colors, values to 50c, to close out quickly at 24c

One big lot of Men's Dress Shoes, all kinds and sizes, your choice now for $6.90

Our entire stock of Copeland & Ryder Shoes, to be closed out at $8.68

A PLAIN STATEMENT OF FACTS

There might be advanced as a reason for this sale a thousand excuses, but we have always found it advisable to deal in facts, and they are this: We, like others, anticipated a shortage of goods and bought freely, much of it on credit. The bills must be paid. There is only one way that we know of, and that is cut the very life out of the goods and let them go. If I can get somewhere near what the goods are worth I will be satisfied. Will you not help us and yourself by attending this sale?

Silks
One lot forty pieces assorted plains and fancies, values to $6, per yard $2.85

One big lot of wool serge dress goods in blue, black, red and green, to close out at $1.29

27 in. pure white bleached Outing Flannel, extra heavy weight, special value at per yard 23c

33 in. pure bleached white Outing Flannel heavy quality, at per yard 24c

One lot ladies' high grade Shoes, $7.00 values at $2.65

One big lot of boys' Dress Shoes all sizes and kinds, values to $5.50, your choice now $2.98

One big lot of men's heavy Sweater Coats, with shawl collar, good weight, to close out at $4.95

36 in. French Percales, best quality, assorted lights, grays and darks, all go at 17c

Men's Storm King Shirts and Drawers, heavy weight, $1.50 value, each 97c

SALE CLOSES Friday, Dec. 24

Tell Your Neighbors — Phone Your Friends

Help Wanted at Once
We can use fifteen extra clerks during this sale. About all you will have to do is to wrap up goods, as all goods are piled out and tagged so folks can wait on themselves. No ladder climbing or heavy lifting. Apply at once; good wages to those accepted.

Free Gasoline FREE
If you live 25 miles away, do not hesitate to come. Come here and buy $25.00 or more at factory prices and we will pay your gas bill. Nothing can stop us now.

We Wired For Help
Our sale has far exceeded our fondest hopes, in fact, it is so big we wired for a man to come and take charge of it, one who is well experienced in holding sales. We are going to give this mammoth stock another big cut. Jump into your trading clothes and be here, it's your sale. The sale will run up to the night of December 24th. Our big Christmas department is now opened up in full blast. Be sure and make your selections early.

One big lot of Men's Dress Hose, in black, white and brown, now 19c

Christmas Special
A discount of 20 per cent on all Silk Ties and Mufflers.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT
open evenings. All sales cash and final.

Oregon City all wool Mackinaws $16.50 values, now $12.45

Every ladies' Fur piece to be closed out at Below Cost

Special
Men's Felt Shoes, $4.75 and $5.00 values, now $2.98

One big lot of men's heavy wool socks, to close out quickly at 79c

Fiber Rugs, absolutely fast colors, 6x9, to close out at $4.95

One lot men's Dress Pants, all sizes, $6.50 values, now $3.85

One big lot ladies' fleece lined Hose, to close out quick at 19c

Men's Famous Kuppenheimer and Styleplus $60.00 Suits, Now $39.00 Some Buy

Special for Other Merchants
At this sale you are welcome to come and buy as much as you want in all lines. We place no limit. If you are short in any department, you can well afford to come here and select your wants. I can save you good money. I am in the wholesale business and glad to talk to you or assist you with your selections in any way I can. The bulk of the stock was purchased before the big advance in prices. All goods sold by you will be crated or packed F. O. B. Thief River Falls, Minn.
TERMS—STRICTLY CASH.

Enjoy This Life
Why not buy that extra easy chair now. It will help brighten up the old home. Our furniture stock is most complete with all the wanted goods that go to make up this big department.
RUGS MATTRESSES
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TABLES CARPETS
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Neighborhood Notes

ST. HILAIRE

Leland Swanson.

On Saturday evening at the Physicians' hospital at Thief River Falls, occurred the death of Leland Swanson, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Swanson, who reside just southwest of St. Hilaire. Leland was operated upon for appendicitis about a week and a half previous to his death. Although he did not rally very rapidly after the operation, his death came as a sad blow to his parents. The funeral was held at the Swedish Lutheran church in St. Hilaire at 1:30 on Tuesday afternoon, after a short service at the home of the boy's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Swanson. The sympathy of all their friends in St. Hilaire and Black River is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and family in their deep sorrow.

St. Hilaire High Defeated.

The St. Hilaire high school basketball team journeyed to Erskine on Friday where they were defeated by the Erskine high in a snappy game. The score was 20 to 22. A return game is looked for in the near future.

Andrew and Thorvold Miller and Victor Lorentson, arrived Friday from Eveleth, Minn., where they have been employed, for a visit at their homes in Black River.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooten of Manvel, N. D., are spending the week at the home of Mrs. Brooten's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olson and son Harvey, accompanied by George Fricker, motored to Thief River Falls Saturday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Oscar Hanson and Christ Bothman transacted business at Thief River Falls between trains on Friday.

Miss Elsa Hendrickson, who is teaching school at Ada, Minn., arrived Friday to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Nels Johnson.

Miss Elanore Anderson and Lois Forbes spent Saturday at Thief River Falls shopping.

E. P. Curtis and J. M. Schmitz left Friday, the former for Colgate, N. D., and the latter for Minneapolis, after having conducted [illegible] sale the past week at the Nelson Mercantile Co.'s store.

Miss Dorothy Mattz and brother Gordon [illegible] and visited at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. W. [illegible] who has [illegible] the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris [illegible] in Black River, returned to her home at Crookston on Saturday.

Miss [illegible] of [illegible], N. D., arrived [illegible] for a visit at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible].

R. L. [illegible] was a business caller at Thief River Falls Monday.

K. O. [illegible] transacted business at Warren, Minn., the [illegible], returning on Saturday.

Pete Wickum who formerly resided here, and now located at Minneapolis, was a business caller here the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Lars Leiseng went to Thief River Falls on Monday to be present at the funeral services of Mrs. Heard who died at her home at Thief River Falls Saturday, from pneumonia. Mrs. Heard formerly resided in Rocksbury township and will be remembered by many of the pioneer settlers.

William Engh, Sam Nelson, Sigurd and Edward Vik, left Friday via Grygla for points in the northern part of the state where they will be employed by Albert Kolp in cutting pulp wood.

Walter Berg arrived Monday from Sioux City, Ia., where he has his headquarters, being employed by Wyman Partridge & Co., of Minneapolis. Mr. Berg will visit until after the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ole Sherva.

Mrs. Olaf Nelson spent the forepart of the week at Grand Forks, N. D., undergoing medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patnode have as their guest this week, Mrs. Patnode's mother, Mrs. Longtin of Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kolp left Saturday for points in the northern part of the state where Mr. Kolp has a contract to cut cedar during the winter months.

The Misses Blanche Hoff, Edith Nelson, Mabel and Margaret Patterson, Lee Beebe and Fred Hanson motored to Goodridge Sunday.

C. O. Swanson had the misfortune to bruise his arm very badly Saturday evening in a runaway accident which occurred when he was returning from Thief River Falls where his son Leland had died.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. J. F. Sprafka returned Tuesday from Hibbing, Minn., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Sprafka's father, whose death occurred on Thursday. The funeral took place last Sunday.

ERIE

Films Favorably Impress.

The moving picture show given in the Erie hall on Thursday afternoon was quite a success and those who had the opportunity to witness it declare it well worth seeing. Prof. Leonard working under the auspices of the State Board of Health, had charge of the films. The Teachers' Progressive [illegible] of the county in the different sections [illegible] for several communities [illegible] these pictures which are for the benefit of the school children and [illegible].

[illegible] at Thief River.

H. O. Tommeraasen and Ole [illegible] [illegible] to Thief River Falls with two [illegible] of [illegible] the first of the week. H. O. Tommeraasen [illegible] which he [illegible] The Tommeraasen family [illegible] completed.

Organize Sunday School.

A Sunday school class was organized by a few ladies of the Erie Ladies' Aid society and regular classes will be given instruction in religion in the Anderson schoolhouse every Sunday with Mrs. George Solberg as superintendent and teacher. Other ladies have also volunteered to help teach.

Mrs. C. J. Ekvall called on Mrs. H. A. Dahlen on Saturday afternoon.

Sakarias Hole called on H. C. Iverson one day last week on business matters.

Dr. Adkins was called out to Dahlen's on Thursday as Mrs. Dahlen was quite ill. She is now well on the road to recovery and expects to take charge of her school work in a few days.

Mrs. Ole Tharaldson and daughter Opal called on Mrs. Frank Woods and Mrs. B. Danielson on Thursday afternoon.

Gilmore Tharaldson and Cornelius Jonsrud have been engaged in cutting cord wood for Ernest Peterson for some time.

Several people took in the Indian dance or "Pow-Wow" given in the hall near Neptune Friday evening.

Sverre Lien and G. A. Kompen were callers at G. G. Olson's on Sunday.

Opal Tharaldson visited with Mrs. H. Sundahl one day last week.

Mrs. Ole Lien and son Glenn spent last Tuesday as guests of Mrs. Elling Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sundahl are now settled in the recently vacated Prestegaard home.

Clara Bye, who has been working for Mrs. H. A. Dahlen, was taken ill and was obliged to go home for a few days. She is now greatly improved and will soon resume her duties.

L. B. Johnson was a business caller in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid meeting held in the Dahlen schoolhouse on Sunday afternoon was well attended and a neat sum collected. Mrs. T. Loyland entertained.

Emmar Soderberg who has been visiting at the L. B. Johnson home, left on Saturday for his home north of Thief River Falls.

STEINER

John M. Johnson

Thursday night, Dec. 2nd, at the Physicians' hospital in Thief River Falls, occurred the death of John M. Johnson, one of the pioneer residents of this community. The cause of his death was pleurisy. Mr. Johnson was born at Dalarne, Sweden, sixty-eight years ago. He immigrated to this country while a young man and was one of the first settlers of this vicinity, taking up a farm about one and one-half miles east of Steiner where he resided until his death. Mr. Johnson was a man who won the friendship of his neighbors and those with whom he became acquainted. Early last spring he was taken ill and spent some time as a patient, first at the Physicians' hospital at Thief River Falls and then at the hospital at Warren. He came home after a while but has never been well since. Mr. Johnson was unmarried and is survived by brothers and sisters in Sweden and relatives in this country, some of them residing near Wylie, this state, besides a host of friends and acquaintances who mourn his loss. The funeral services were held at Thief River Falls Saturday after which interment was made at Greenwood cemetery.

Harold Berg was a business visitor at Thief River Falls Monday.

Miss Ruth Solem, who teaches near Newfolden, spent Thanksgiving visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem of this place. She returned to her school duties on Saturday.

Several parties who reside east of the river, north of Thief River Falls, have been hauling wood from the Jackson farm here.

Miss Alice Solem, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem of this community, completed a two year course in nursing at the Physicians' hospital at Thief River Falls recently. After a few weeks stay at her parental home here she left for Minneapolis where she will take up another year at one of the hospitals. She has written home that she likes everything there well.

Mr. Sannes, who has purchased the Aasland farm southeast of Steiner, was a business visitor at the C. A. Swanson home recently.

Miss Mathilda and Julius Liden motored to Thief River Falls last Thursday where they attended to business.

R. L. Muzzy, who resides several miles south of Steiner, drove around in this vicinity Thursday forenoon for the purpose of purchasing one or more head of yearlings.

C. A. Swanson spent Saturday at Thief River Falls, attending the funeral of John M. Johnson and also visiting with relatives residing at that place.

Several parties purchased wood lots from C. A. Swanson on his farm here.

Messrs. David and Hjalmar Lindberg from Thief River Falls were callers in this vicinity last Friday, hauling some wood from here.

C. A. Swanson sold a couple of stacks of hay a few days ago to a party residing on the reservation.

G. L. Leisner, former Steiner merchant, motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday. On his way home when several miles from Thief River Falls, the car stopped dead. The result was he had to have it tied to a wagon of a man who happened to come by and then hauled to Steiner.

Harold Williams and his folks motored to Thief River Falls Thursday where they shopped and attended to business transactions.

Several parties from this community motored to Thief River Falls last

Peter Solem who owns some hay at the A. Mortenson farm, had some of it hauled to his farm last week.

Mrs. Thom Jacobson and daughters Miss Clara and Mrs. Adolph Jorde, were among the shoppers at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Thursday where they shopped and attended to business matters.

P. B. Malberg drove to Thief River Falls Thursday forenoon on a business matters.

WYANDOTTE

Louis Evenson who has been working in North Dakota this summer, returned to his home Thursday.

Miss Dagny Bergen is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. E. Wilson for a few days.

Teachers Cora Swenson and Alice Thompson visited at their parental homes in Thief River Falls over Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid held at the I. E. Wilson home Thursday, was well attended.

Nels Hanson was a caller in Plummer Saturday.

Miss Lora Larson and John Hanson visited at the John Nelson home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Knute Thorvildson, Mrs. Martha Amneson, Esther Hanson, Dagny Eu Jean and Otto Bergan visited at the I. E. Wilson home Sunday afternoon.

Knute Thorvildson and Louis Evenson went to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Wilson and family visited at the Ed. Evenson home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Carlson and Esther Hanson visited with Mrs. Isaac Wilson Wednesday.

Misses Dorothy and Sarah Evenson who have been working in Adams, N. D., this summer, returned home Saturday evening.

The Boosters' Farmer club met last Sunday afternoon at the Poplar Glen school house.

Edwin Nelson, Alfred Helgeson and Alfred Rakstad spent Monday evening at Hazel.

Miss Dorothy Evenson visited with Mrs. James Evenson Tuesday.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

Sensible Things For Christmas

In this store you will find just what you have been looking for—something just a little different and in the very best taste.

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In our assortment you may choose most any color or style preferred—

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Carl Froseth

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New Railway Rates and the Cost of Living

In its issue of October 11, the New York Times, commenting Editorially, has the following to say—

"WHEN the railways were allowed to increase rates to offset their compulsory increase of wages, it was predicted that the consumers of goods would pay both bills.

"The test of these theories is now at hand. The increase of rates is in full force, and prices of goods are falling as fast as is desirable. The higher cost of moving freight has not reduced the volume of traffic.

"The cars are moving faster and carrying more tons, with the result that fewer cars are necessary, as well as fewer men.

"That is 'making' money by saving it. The railways could not have done it alone. The shippers who used the cars for warehouses, and who loaded as little as was necessary to get carload rates, instead of as much as the cars could carry, are now co-operating with the railways.

"Here there is another hint why the increase of rates will not be a burden to consumers of goods. The costs of production will be reduced with the improvement of railway service."

That the above remarks apply with force to the Great Northern Railway is indicated by the following comparative figures:

	Sept. 1919	Sept. 1920
Average Trainload	765 tons	865 tons
Average Carload	29.2 tons	30.3 tons
Average Car Movement	23.7 miles per day	31.5 miles per day

The Great Northern Railway

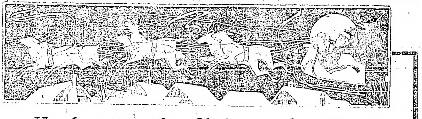

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Poultry: Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Chickens

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Greens: Lettuce—Head, Leaf, Parsley, Radishes, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Celery, New Onions

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A COMPLETE LINE OF NUTS, CANDIES AND CHRISTMAS SUNDRIES SUCH AS CANDLES, WREATHS, HOLLY, ETC.

THE FINEST ASSORTMENT OF COOKIES AND CRACKERS IN THE CITY.

LARGE REDUCTION ON ALL FRESH MEATS.

Cut Prices in Groceries

Tomatoes, No. 2 can, 13c 2 for	25c
Fancy Blue Rose Rice, 10 lbs for	$1.00
1 lb. milk, per can	15c
Pink Salmon, No. 2 can, tall	20c
Macaroni, per package	8c
Spaghetti, per package	8c
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City Meat Market

E. L. Rolland Telephone No. 10

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THE time you have been waiting for in order that you might buy the clothing, men's furnishings, and shoes you need for the winter at prices far below those which have prevailed for long. Are you open to conviction? If so, we are ready to prove that we can save you money on men's and boys' wear by buying at this store. A comparison of goods and prices is all we ask. *We have the stock and it must be sold!* The price we should get for it has been lost sight of entirely and even original costs are matters of small consequence.

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Overcoats 1 lot . . . $14.45

The Famous Bostonian Shoes

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Wilson Bros. Dress Shirts, Guaranteed Fast Colors, at Great Reductions.

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Men's Extra Heavy Scotch Wool Union Suits $7.55

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Men's Lambsdown Heavy Fleeced Lined Union Suits $2.45

Boys' Lambsdown Union Suits $1.39 to $1.79

Extra Heavy Thick Mittens 23c

Men's Good Suspenders 45c

Special Lot Boys' Suits Worth up to $12 $8.45

Boys' Suits with two pair of pants $11.95

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Men's Heavy Wool Pants $6.45

Boys' Extra Heavy Wool Stockings $1.29

Best Knit Pure Thread Silk Sox 98c

Heavy Wool Socks 90c

Wool and Cotton Mixed Dress Socks 39c

"Black Cat" Cashmere Hose 59c

CHARLES LIEBERMAN, Thief River Falls

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Editorial.

One of the important things that are learned or rather unconsciously acquired at high school is a sense of responsibility. Each student is held responsible for a certain amount of work and for his own conduct at school. In later life a person can reach no greater heights than he can be responsible for. The high school education of today is a preparation for the years when a person must shift for himself and it is therefore proper and necessary that the student become practiced in responsibility along with the rest of his education.

The majority of the students at the Lincoln high feel a due responsibility toward themselves, their teacher and their dear Alma Mater. They realize that as the twig is bent, so is the tree inclined, and that as their conduct is in school, so will it be in the years to come. But we must admit that there are a few who do not realize their responsibility. There are a few who are in their junior and senior years, who are almost thru high school and have not yet learned that they are responsible for their conduct at school; at classes, in the halls and especially at chapel. The majority of the students take this trial [illegible] really educational and [illegible] and when one is in a part of the program they thoroughly enjoy it without any disturbance.

Let us all take advantage of the opportunity to learn responsibility as a part of our high school education. If a person is to be a success he must learn it sometime, and as in everything else, experience is a dear teacher.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Debate.

The first debate of the year will be held in the high school assembly on Friday evening, Dec. 17th, when Roseau comes here for the first of a series of elimination contests among the members of the Minnesota Debating League.

The state is divided up into ten districts, in accordance with the congressional districts. In the ninth district, in which Thief River Falls and Roseau are located, there are eleven debating teams. These will be paired off, and the four winning teams will again be paired off, until only one team remains undefeated. This team will then meet the champion of another district, and these inter-district contests will continue until only two remain undefeated. These two teams will go to St. Paul to debate for the state championship.

We have a team that is capable of winning the state championship. The members have been working diligently under the expert guidance of Principal L. N. Pierce, who has had considerable experience in debate coaching. The debaters who will represent Thief River Falls high school tomorrow night are Esther Soards, Edward Fitterman and Vernon Copp. With the proper support this team should put up an argument that will make Roseau gasp for breath and wish for a new English vocabulary. It must be remembered, however, that no matter how great a debator's ability may be, he may fall down at the last moment if he sees that very few are interested enough in the debate to be present. Let us show our visitors from Roseau that both school and city stand solidly behind their debating team.

Remember the time, Friday evening at eight o'clock.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Girls' Basketball Game.

The first basketball game of the season was played Friday evening when the girls' team of Holt came down and played the Thief River Falls team at the gymnasium. The game was interesting and exciting from beginning to end even if our girls made the game very one-sided by carrying the score up to 31 while Holt made but 2. Unfortunately Holt by mistake made a basket for Thief River Falls which raised our score from 22 to 31.

We are very fortunate in having such a bunch of peppy girls on the basketball team this year and we are looking forward to some real fast and hard-fought games after they get started playing some of the better teams.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Basket Ball December 16; Locals to Tackle Fosston

The local high school basket tossers will open the twenty and twenty-one season on Thursday evening at the city auditorium with a bang and a victory. This prediction does not mean that the locals are over-confident, but it does mean that the boys will win because each and everyone of 'em are full of real pep and fight. There will be an abundance of thrills, speed and fight for the spectators from the start until the final whistle is blown. Fosston, as the many fans of the indoor sport know from past encounters, are well capable of supplying their share of battle and from reports received are exceedingly well fixed to make it a fast and interesting game.

It is anticipated that one of the largest crowds in the history of Thief River Falls high school basketball, will see this battle for district supremacy.

Get your tickets early from any of the fellows and avoid the rush at the box office.

Students—with Unity plus Pep plus Support plus Determination equals a victory. A school that won't be defeated can't be defeated.

That's us—check the 16th in your date book; 'cause it's going to be a big night.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Girl Scouts Organize.

A meeting was held by the high school girls to organize the local Girls' Scout patrols.

Miss Johnson, the school nurse, had charge of the meeting. She explained fully the purpose of the Girl Scouts. The eighth grade girls are also allowed to be in patrols with the high school girls.

The girls in the different patrols are put on a campaign for funds. These funds will be used to finance the organization.

Miss Dix has been appointed by the girls as the leader of all the patrols. She appoints the lieutenants. A patrol consists of eight girls; from the eight girls a captain is elected.

Some of the work that the girls will take up is camping, hikes, first aid work and home work.

In order to become a girl scout, a girl must pass an examination. There are three classes to which they may belong. First class, second class and Tenderfoot. It would be the aim of every girl to belong to the first class, which they may if they pass the examination.

Every girl in high school should be interested in the work. The Girls' Scout does very much in helping better a community and the high school girls should consider it [illegible] importance.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Physical Examinations.

Physical education should be combined with physical training from a standpoint of hygiene correction of defects, recreation and education.

The purpose of the training is to develop the [illegible] of [illegible] tion. The physical training given in the high school is compulsory to all students. Students who are on the basketball teams being the only ones exempt.

Coach Tommerasen supervises the work and is making great progress. The periods of Mondays and Wednesdays are given to the girls and Tuesdays and Thursdays being given to the boys. 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th periods are given to the training.

The students are taught the proper care of the body, the teeth, eyes, diet and the needed amount of rest. Coach Tommerasen is somewhat handicapped as he is short of time and apparatus, but as soon as the apparatus arrives he will put the work ahead as fast as possible.

The physical training work is also carried out on a smaller scale in the grades, each principal being the instructor. Coach Tommerasen visits each grade on Fridays, looking over the work of the past week, which as a rule is very satisfactory.

This work has been carried on in all colleges and universities for some time and is just being introduced into high schools. This is the first year our school has offered the valuable training for its students.

The students themselves are very much pleased with the work and all are lending their sincere support towards it!

We are all anxious for the training apparatus to arrive. The work will then be pushed ahead with assured success.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Alumni Opinion Wanted.

Keen interest is being taken by the members of the alumni and letters are being received expressing appreciation of the columns of the "Progress." Various suggestions are being received which are under the serious consideration of the staff in hopes of bettering our columns. Roy Bergen, in writing from Milwaukee, where he is attending Marquette University, suggests among other things, the forming of a "forum" for the purpose of allowing the members of the alumni to express their views of interest to the school and public. The Progress is interested in receiving any letters from former alumni—let's hear from you and start the "forum" moving—sit down and write us now.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Nurse Notes.

The school board is furnishing material for the school nurses' office and rest room. The nurses' office will be at the Central school. Her office hours are:

Central school from 8:15 to 10:00; 1:15 to 2:15.

Monday, Washington, 10:15, 11:00.
Tuesday, Northrop, 10:15, 11:00.
Wednesday, High school, 10:15, 11.
Thursday, Central, 10:15, 11:00.
Friday, Knox, 10:15, 11:00.

The sale of Red Cross Christmas seals is advancing splendidly. Pupils are striving eagerly to see who has the largest amount to their credit. The money for these sales will go to the Red Cross to help pay for the care of the many needy tubercular patients.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Staff Meeting.

Tuesday evening of last week the "Prowler" staff had a meeting at which the members had the opportunity of meeting with representatives of the Dakota Photo Engraving Co. They presented samples and annuals for which they had done the engraving. The propositions they gave were received favorably by the staff. No definite action was taken however, as to making a deal with them for the engraving, but they will eventually be the first to be considered when a decision is made. Valuable information pertaining to the making up and the publishing of an annual was procured by the staff through these men who were well experienced in that type of work.

All pictures such as those of the faculty, organizations, seniors and the class groups should be taken at the earliest opportunity and as many as possible now, because it will enable the staff to get the engraving done at an early date and consequently be able to publish the annual at the proper time.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

To My Dentist.

The hours I spent with thee, Cruel Heart,
Have saved my precious pearls for me,
I count each patched up one of them apart
But oh, your fee—Your awful fee!

Each hour a pearl, each pearl a prayer,
To ease a jaw with anguish wrung,
I tell each one unto the end,
And there a bill is hung!

O memories that stab and burn!
O deadly drill and nerve that's lost,
I view each tooth and strive at last to turn
And ease the cost, the top, and cuss the cost.

Senior Class Meeting.

The seniors of '21 are actively engaged in planning and making arrangements for their last term here.

Tuesday of last week they had a meeting for the purpose of discussing matters of importance pertaining especially to means of getting sufficient money to defray the various expenses of the class during the coming year.

The president urged all the seniors' graduation pictures taken now, in order that the cuts may be sent to the engravers for the annual before Christmas. The individual pictures are being taken at Salveson's Studio, the price of which is $5.00 per dozen with an additional cost of 40c if mounts are desired. It was also urged that class dues be paid now, including any back dues and this year's dues of 40c per month up to date. If all the members of the class respond to this it will be an easy matter to defray expenses which the class incurs.

Mr. Ziegler spoke to the class and advised that action be taken in providing for the Annual or the Class Memorial and other incidentals. He stated that he had no doubt but what the class would succeed in this if everyone responds, cooperates and pushes the various affairs which means success to the class. Attention was called to the fact that there is a deficit from last year's publication and that it is a poor policy to go into anything before clearing previous obligations.

A proposition of backing up a troupe of college dramatists was put before the class. It was determined that it would be decidedly advantageous both financially and otherwise. A committee was selected to make the necessary arrangements. More will be said in regard to this in a later issue.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Do You Remember When—?

Allen wore a brown suit?
Ernest Zeh's first love affair?
Betsy Ness wore glasses?
Valkerrice wore curls?
Bonnie was a bashful freshman?
Myrtle came back from Minot?
Anna went with Margaret Sims?
Stella and Viola looked like "twins"?
Beatrice was Milden B.'s best friend?
Eileen wore a hair ribbon?

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Chapel Exercises.

On Wednesday, Dec. 8th, during the regular chapel period, the high school students were favored with an address on physical education by Dr. Milan, tuberculosis specialist at the Oak Park Sanatorium.

From his speech it is found that there are three stages of tuberculosis and the far advanced cases are seldom curable. Tuberculosis often comes unexpectedly and is sometimes indicated by loss of appetite, small fever, uneven pulse and indigestion.

There is as yet no scientific treatment used to combat tuberculosis germs, but the general method used by the doctors today usually follows this outline: Plenty of rest, good food, sufficient fresh air and the amount of exercise that is demanded by the body to keep in condition. A change of climate is not essential for the patient, if he is properly cared for and given a proper amount of fresh air and food that has sufficient nutritive value. The patient must be kept in the best of spirits in order to restore the original health he has at one time possessed.

The Oak Park Sanatorium in its efforts to eliminate tuberculosis carries two important duties, namely, the treatment of patients and the removal of infectious persons of the city and the surrounding territory. It teaches the people how to care for themselves and protect the patients. It is known that the lower the resistance is, the more liable the body is of being affected by the germs and therefore the sanatorium, in a further effort to cull the disease, adds to its duties the building up of the good physique of their patients.

The local sanatorium belongs to the four counties in Northern Minnesota; Marshall, Roseau, Red Lake and Pennington counties, and is the pride of the country, and does a great deal to relieve the people of infectious persons of tuberculosis germs and also teaches them the importance of physical education to the people.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Jokes.

Miss Brown: "Cleon, this is no place for laughing."

Cleon: "I was sneezing; can't a fellow sneeze in here without asking you?"

"Clarence is so bright his mother calls him son," says Cleon.

Poor Abused Youngsters, These:

Lynn H.: "If there isn't any snow at Christmas Santa won't come with his sleigh." Poor Lynn! When Milton studies his head off, Miss Brown never asks him a question. Poor Milton! Cleon: "I may as well do all the cutting up in this class. I get blamed for it all anyhow." Poor Cleon!

Miss Brown (in Physiography): "Forrest, give the importance of the wind to life."

Forrest: "It makes wind mills go and air planes fly."

Miss Dix: "Friedolph, criticize Evelyn's speech."

Friedolph: "She said Lincoln was shot. He wasn't shot, he was murdered."

"Say, I believe spring is here."
"Why?"
"I see the trees are leaving."

Smith: "I'm looking for a good bookkeeper."

Jones: "I know a good bookkeeper. He kept every book that I ever knew him to get from the Library."

A saying of a Senior: "Today is Monday, tomorrow Tuesday, next day Wednesday, half the week gone and nothing done."

Fat (explaining football to an interested Freshman): "The clumsier you are the better you can play football."

Freshman: "Oh! No wonder you are the star player."

It is being said that Jordan had to write shorthand in order to record the scores of last Friday's game. Are you sure you got them all, Jordan?"

Found on examination paper: "The introduction is when somebody tells who you are and you don't know who the other person is."

"The climax is the highest rate of interest."

"The catastrophe is when examination comes."

"The conclusion is when they get married."

The Eng. III teacher demanded that these lines from Shakespeare's Macbeth be quoted, beginning: "I have no spur" and "Methought I heard a voice cry, 'Sleep no more!' This is what was found on one of the papers: "I have no spur—to write any more." "Methought I heard a voice cry, 'Sleep no more'—but, oh, I slept till 8:30 this morning so there wasn't sufficient time to learn the rest."

Nora Lindquist (making a speech at a basketball pep meeting): "The Holt girls looked as though they were corn fed."

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Personals.

The order for the senior class rings has been sent in so that it is expected that the rings may be obtained before the Christmas vacation.

The Freshmen had their class pictures taken last week and they all feel confident that it is the finest looking class in high school. Well, green is a pretty color.

Money is rather tight these days; at least that is what Clayton Steenerson says after he has tried to extract Senior class dues.

Last week the Sophomores received instruction in library work. All the high school classes have or will receive this important instruction.

Alfred Dybvik was a visitor at school on Monday and Tuesday after an extended vacation.

Kenneth Russell visited his home in the country over Sunday.

William Herrick has a bright, new green suit on.

Allen Fossum is bookkeeper for the Union Plumbing Co.

Miss Poppitz is holding a Christmas display in her room ending Friday afternoon, with the idea of suggesting suitable gifts to the students in her sewing class.

We all wonder why some of the teachers are not going skating until after Christmas.

Several seniors have paid the penalty of taking a "Rest cure" by having to take a "double-dose" of make-up work.

A number of people from Holt accompanied the team of that place to this city last Friday. They made the trip in cars.

James Helle, a former student of this high school, spent the week end visiting with his brother Ole, and friends and also witnessed the basketball game with the Holt girls. He returned to his home near Goodridge Saturday.

Albert Stengelson spent the week-end visiting with his parents near Rosewood.

The Holt girls weren't able to get "a-holt" of the ball very many times last Friday evening.

Herman Aakre, formerly a student of Lincoln high, visited in this city last week on his way to his home near Goodridge from Minneapolis, where he has been employed for the past few months.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

An Application.

Thief River Falls, Minn.
Dec. 10, '20.

Sears, Roebuck & Co.,
Chicago, Ill.,

Dear Sirs: I seen your advertisement in the paper that you wanted to hire a man for sales manniger in your store so I here-by fill my application for sales manniger.

I will be 13 years the fifth of January and have entered my first year at the Lincoln high school. Like the school fine. I take the hardest subjects in school and am good to fight you ought to have been here yesterday when I cleaned up on a feller twice my size who got smart because I was a freshman. Would prefer to get my salary in advance.

In regard to recommendations I will refer you to my friend Harold Bain, who is in the same class as I am and who has known each other since we were small. Also to Supt. Ziegler, who is head push in this school. Answer next Sunday when you get time.

Yours sincerely,
ARCHIE LONG.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Something Lacking.

Phys'ology and g'ography the Movin' Pitchers show,
Any many other sci'nces they help a feller know,
But I wish they'd get busy now and do it quick,
And run some helpin' movies that would solve our 'rithmetic.
If they would answer one like this, it sure would make a hit,
And then I'd have some time to play with bat and ball a bit:
"If seven bunnies all at once four lettuce-heads could eat,
How many little bunnies then would twenty-eight heads treat?"
And when the sum was written down at once the reel would fly,
And then you'd see the bunnies run along the screen, oh my,
Just eatin' up them lettuce-heads and while you chawed your gum,
You could count them all so easy, and do that awful sum.'
Phys'ology and g'ography the Movin' Pitchers teach,
And if they'd do the 'rithmetic, why, school would be a peach.

—Exchange.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Kapers of the Kubs.

Viola: "Gee, that scared me! I saw a shadow and it looked for all the world like the shadow of a skunk!"

Doris: "I think that must have been my shadow."

An elaborate banquet was given last Saturday evening in the store room of the Lincoln high school for the purpose of raising funds with which the Kubs, Diogenes, Chaucer and Poe will purchase a better quality of wit. Having used a cheap grade of wit formerly, the "Kapers" have met with much criticism. The evening was spent as follows:

Menu

Roast "Skinny" "Wildcat" with
"Brown" "Gravy"
"Musty" "Beans"
"Fat" "Herring" with "Eddy's" mustard
"Mealy" "Pattys"
"Hershie" and "Knuts"

The table was decorated with sprigs of "Myrtle" with "Lilies", "Violets" and "Rosies," artistically arranged with greens furnished by the Freshman class.

The "Bill" per plate was "Enny" "Rusty" "Penny".

Programme

(Music furnished by the Dybvik Jazz Orchestra)

Music—"Swift" and "E. Z." and "The Wobbly" "Squirt," "Rags".
Toast—By Chaucer.
Music—The "Mary" "Bob" and "The Dovey" Waltz.
Piano Solo—"Curly" Blues by Poe.
Reading—The "Art" of being "Ernest," by Diogenes.
A few remarks by the "Copp" broke up the party.

Anna: "What are some of the cities in Vermont?"

Myrtle (our "A" student): "Green Mountain is one."

Mr. Pierce to Violette: "Miss Krohn, I want you to write a five-hundred-word paper on make-up."

Now, just what did he mean?

Miss Elliott (in American history): "What states on the border did not secede during the Civil War?"

Vernon: "Maryland, Delaware and Washington, D. C."

Miss Hoorn (in algebra): "My base is ten feet and my altitude is fifteen feet. Find my area."

Julia: "What is the difference between shipment and navigation?"

Fat: "Well, you can ship on land, but you couldn't navigate."

Matt: "I went hunting once."
Bert U.: "Did you get anything?"
Matt: "Yes, I got a wolf."
Bert: "Gee, I pity that poor farmer's dog."

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Correction.

In the honor roll list which appeared in the last issue, Gladys Malland's name had been omitted.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Smith-Hughes Notes.

Leslie Robinson, a student of the Smith-Hughes course fell from the first floor of the Smith-Hughes building to the basement and as a result is suffering with a broken wrist.

Leon Charboneau, a former student of the Smith-Hughes Auto-Mechanic department has again resumed his studies in that department.

The English classes in the Smith-Hughes course, beginning Dec. 13th, will be taught by Miss Iverson. This class was formerly taught by Mr. Pope.

A short course of Auto-lighting will be taught in the Auto-Mechanics course for the next week.

A class has been started by Mr. Schmitt in the construction of farm building. This class will take special study in the steel square.

Later in the year a short course will be given to the boys of the Mechanics class and also to the boys in the agricultural work, in elementary mechanical drawing, blue-printing and blue print reading. The course will be given by Mr. Schmitt.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Normal Department.

Gladys Smith and Clara Engen of the Normal department are teaching in rural districts at present.

"Who says that we can't design?" You should see some of the artistic animals made during industrial period.

In trying to define a vacuum the other day, Rose finally convinced us that it was an empty space with something in it.

In arithmetic class Thursday morning with the aid of Mr. Ziegler, we discussed the current problem of "Money Shortage."

An interesting geography lesson is assured by the Normal girls in the near future. Florence who naturally boosts for her country, is going to give us a lecture on Canada. Helen who believes in sticking up for her old home, will talk to us about Indiana. Lucille, who seems to be quite interested in Washington, will give to us valuable information about that state. Items of interest will be given us about England by Ethel.

Elsie Causin and Esther Hoff are going out for rural school practice next week.

Reserve Jan. 3. Why?

Central Notes.

The children are showing very much interest in regard to the Christmas seals, and a very good beginning is reported.

The eighth grade boys have started basketball practice but as yet the team and captain have not been picked.

Reserve Jan. 2. Why?

Get it!

Our Budget Plan will help you

COME in! Let us explain how the Budget Plan goes ahead with that New Edison for Xmas.

It breaks up the payments,—scatters them through 1921,—fits them to *your* pocketbook.

Besides, you're using an after-the-war dollar to buy a before-the-war value. The New Edison has gone up in price less than 15% since 1914. Mr. Edison has kept prices down by absorbing increased costs himself. You get the benefit.

Thief River Music Co.

The NEW EDISON "The Phonograph with a Soul"

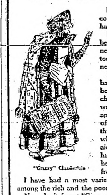

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I Am "Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience: I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Weekly Market Review.

The markets appear to be still in a convalescent stage, which is quite natural after the long period of sickness. Swift upturns create fainting spells but considerable rallying power has been displayed after declines.

In view of the large clearances of our wheat for European ports it would seem about time now for importers to turn to the countries of the Southern Hemisphere for further supplies on the steady demand for our North American surplus. It is good evidence that the Argentine and Australian supplies cannot be very dependable and the recent advance in Argentine prices further to tribes to the damage by pre-harvest rains. At any rate we see nothing that indicates a plentiful world supply anywhere.

Under such conditions it may seem at first glance rather strange that North American wheat prices should be subject to further depression, but undoubtedly the reactions are attributable to a great extent to simply a lack of domestic buying. No one is laying in the customary stocks, and the effort of retailers to dispose of high-priced flour with a profit has flattened the normal domestic demand to a strictly hand-to-mouth basis. In this predicament the "Buy-a-barrel-of-flour" movement is put forth to sustain wheat prices if possible.

Representative bankers and business men of the country are now in session at Chicago to complete plans under the Edge law for the organization of a hundred million dollar foreign finance corporation. There is an unquestionable demand abroad for all of our products, as witnessed recently by the extremity of the Austrian government buying American wheat from Holland on currency secured through the sale of the former imperial jewels. It is a question entirely of finance and the extension of properly safeguarded credits. It is undoubtedly a matter of vital importance to the entire country and certainly so to the agricultural industry.

[illegible] that corn prices are still on a [illegible] level according to some extent [illegible] phenomenally open [illegible]. The feed demand is dull and cereal supplies being more than ample [illegible] little or no stimulus for higher values.

In wheat on sharp advances there seems to be much uncertainty and a lack of faith in further advances. Reactions have been severe and no doubt it will take considerable time to restore public confidence. Measures that will be practical and a remedy to the present inability to finance distribution of supplies where needed, is the pressing problem the solution of which will stabilize all business, and we have confidence that it will be worked out satisfactorily.

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW

46c

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USE SLOAN'S TO WARD OFF PAIN

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Sloan's Liniment (Pain's enemy)

RETIRED FARMER NOW FEELS FINE

"For the First Time in Ten Long Years I Am a Well Man" Says Tennyson.

"For the first time in ten years I am a well man and I owe my present good health to Tanlac," declares A. M. Tennyson, well-known retired farmer, living at 4107 East Lake St., St. Paul, Minn.

"I can't find words to describe all I suffered on account of indigestion. I couldn't eat a thing without suffering intense pain in the pit of my stomach afterwards, and gas would bloat me up till I could hardly breathe. I was always having splitting headaches and my nerves got so bad I couldn't sleep at night.

"I read several statements in the papers telling how it had helped others, so I bought a bottle and started taking it. Now my stomach trouble of ten years standing is a thing of the past. I have a ravenous appetite, am never troubled with indigestion or gas and have gained at least ten pounds in weight. I no longer suffer with headaches and my nerves are as steady as they ever were. I sleep so well at night now that I get up in the morning feeling just fine. I certainly am thankful for what Tanlac has done for me and am glad of this chance to recommend it to others."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—Adv.

[illegible]

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this [illegible] day of [illegible], 1920.

(Court Seal) IRA C. RICHARDSON, Probate Judge.

H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by EDWIN OLSON and MABEL OLSON, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to Mortgagors, to CITIZENS STATE BANK of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as Mortgagee, [illegible]

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

[illegible]

Dated December 13th, A. D. 1920.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK, Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

[illegible]

IRA C. RICHARDSON, Judge of Probate.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land.

[illegible]

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

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Dated November 6th, 1920.

WHEELER-HIENRICH LOAN COMPANY, Mortgagee.

[illegible] Attorneys for Mortgagee, [illegible], Minnesota.

11-11-18-25-D-2-7-14

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Aggressive Women

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NATIONAL SELLING ASSOCIATION

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The North Dakota [illegible] School, [illegible] Dakota Business College, [illegible], N. D., [illegible] with $1700 a [illegible] Mr. A. C. Scott [illegible].

Positions [illegible] always open to students of this unusual school. They rise rapidly. W. C. Rowenfink, newly-appointed cashier of the German State Bank at Strasburg is a D. B. C. graduate—so are hundreds of other bank and business executives.

"Follow the Succe$$ful." Write for information to F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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For your benefit Thief River Falls stores will be open until 10:00 P. M. from

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They will close Promptly at 6:00 P. M. Christmas Eve.

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Why wait till your family Physician leads you to the Dental Chair?

You need not suffer painful extractions on badly decayed or abscessed teeth. We have at your command the latest equipped gas machine mixing automatically pure oxygen. No sickly after-effects.

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MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Farmers Club Reorganized.

An attempt was made to reorganize the Rosewood Farmers' club which has not been meeting the past year and a meeting for this purpose was called at the Rosebank building on Friday evening. About thirty people interested in the effort were present and elected Alex Hellquist, president; Selmer Haugen, vice-president; William Sorenson, secretary; Adolph Haugen, treasurer. As the club's chief work will be business transactions and social affairs within the neighborhood, a territorial area was outlined comprising three square miles in each direction from the meeting place and the secretary was instructed to secure members only within these bounds. A committee consisting of Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, Joel E. Shoberg and Benhard Ranum was appointed to frame a constitution and draw up the necessary by-laws for the organization. The next meeting will be held at the same place on Wednesday evening, Dec. 29. Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen was appointed as program committee and Emil Anderson and Alfred Thorson as caterers. A delicious pie-luncheon was served before closing.

Shipping Association Elects Officers.

The fourth annual meeting of the Rosewood Livestock Shipping association was held at the Rosebank building on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 11. Business during the past year had been somewhat below former years, evidently caused by the condition of the markets this fall and early winter. 71 head of stock had been shipped to South St. Paul and had sold at a gross total of $2,146.83. Five new members had been admitted during the year: P. M. Pederson, Geo. Snyder, Ole Skaar, Knute Iverson, and Swen Swenson. As directors for the coming year F. G. Dols, Emil Anderson, Selmer Haugen, Benhard Ranum and Swen Swenson were elected. Joel E. Shoberg was reelected secretary-treasurer. The directors will have their first meeting at Rosewood on Friday evening, Dec. 17, for the purpose of electing a president and vice-president and appoint managers for the coming season.

Annual Church Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Norwegian Rindal congregation was held last Tuesday afternoon at their church north of town. Simultaneously was held the monthly meeting of the Rindal Ladies' Aid which helped to fill the building to its capacity. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls will serve another year. Deacons for the coming year are A. T. Thoreson and Martin Evenson. Trustees: Severt Rufteseth, Even Anderson and Gust Nakken. Peder Sorenson is secretary and B. P. Sagmoen, treasurer. The past church work was reviewed, found satisfactory and it was decided to carry it on practically the same for the coming year. A sumptuous luncheon was served by the Ladies' Aid at four o'clock.

Entertain at Cards.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm were hosts at a delightful card party at their home in town last Saturday evening. Sixteen guests were present. Norwegian whist and flinch were played thruout the evening and a delicious lunch was served by the hosts shortly before midnight. Following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson and children; Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. B. Ranum; Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem and Olof Opseth.

To Visit Coast.

Enoch Nelson will leave by Wednesday for an extended pleasure trip to the Pacific coast. His first stop will be at Big Timber, Mont., where his eldest son, Nicholi, is located and after a brief visit there he will proceed across the Rockies and enjoy the season's holidays on the sunny coast.

A Xmas seal sale has been conducted thruout the school district the past week. The teacher, Mrs. Sagmoen, had charge of the sale and has been assisted by several of the upper grade pupils.

Miss LaVon Batten returned home Monday morning from Thief River Falls where she spent Sunday as a guest of her sister, Miss Lydia.

Albert Stengelson, a high school pupil at Thief River Falls, arrived here Saturday to spend the week-end with his parents west of town.

Mrs. Adolph Haugen, who has been confined at the Thief River Falls hospital for several weeks, returned home last Saturday and is improving nicely.

A Delco Light Plant agent from Grand Forks visited town last Wednesday, trying to interest the light committee here in his plants. No plant has been purchased for the town as yet, but it is generally understood that one may be installed any day.

Herbert Carlson, Joe Weiss and Albert Alby left on Friday evening on a brief business trip to Thief River Falls.

A number of the Steiner young folks were in town Friday evening to attend the Farm club meeting.

A carload of flax was shipped from the Hanson & Barzen elevator this week.

O. S. Ostgaard, cashier of the Gatzke State bank, which was robbed by yeggmen last Friday, motored up last Sunday for a day's visit with relatives north of town. While well satisfied with the speedy termination of the affair, Mr. Ostgaard expressed the hope that similar visits to his bank in the future would be few, as they are rather trying on his nerves.

Miss Viola Axelson, employed at the Physicians' hospital at Thief River Falls, spent a few days the latter part of the week visiting with her parents east of town.

Emil Blomberg, who has been at the Thief River Falls hospital for the past month with a splintered arm and hand, is improving nicely and has left the hospital and is visiting at the home of a friend. He will probably return home this week.

Joel E. Shoberg attended the Carsten Woll concert at Thief River Falls last Thursday evening.

O. J. Dahl shipped up a thoroughbred Shropshire ram from St. Paul last week which will be added to his fine herd.

Several of the young folks motored to Viking on Saturday evening to attend the Masquerade dance.

Misses Synneva and Clara Soren on last Saturday morning for Viking where the former is employed and the latter will visit for a day.

Olof Opseth motored to Viking Saturday afternoon attending to business matters.

The following were Sunday callers at the John Sor home: Mrs. Eva Carlson, Mrs. John Sagmoen, Gladys, Verna and Glenn Sagmoen and Victor Mosbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Sagmoen and sons Byron, Borden and Bartlett of the town of Norden, visited at the L. L. Furan home in town last Sunday evening.

ESPLEE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Solly and daughter, Selma, Mrs. Nelson and sons, John and Arne, were the guests at the Carl T. Hanson home on Sunday.

Rev. J. O. Hoyum and family were pleasantly surprised on Tuesday evening by the Torgerson congregation. A good time was had by all present.

Arthur Sund being unfortunate in getting a piece of an emery wheel in his eye, had to go to Thief River Falls last Sunday for medical attention. He returned home Monday and resumed his duties.

A number of farmers in the neighborhood went to Warren last week to attend the ditch hearing, returning on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Turnbull were callers in Esplee one day last week.

Ed. Kvile called on L. J. Tenold last Sunday.

Mrs. Siver Siverson and children visited with Mrs. W. E. Chapman on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman were business callers in Grygla one day last week.

L. O. Opsata was an over night visitor at the home of S. Siverson last Saturday.

Oscar Ostmoe of Thief River Falls has been visiting friends in Esplee the past week as well as attending to business matters. He returned to his home last Saturday.

Mrs. Paul Sund and sons, Victor, Axel and Arthur, were over night visitors at the home of John Sund in Goodridge on Sunday, returning to Esplee on Monday.

Mrs. J. G. Nelson was a visitor at the home of P. P. Sund on Monday.

Erwin Chapman went to Esplee on Sunday.

Warren Lewis left on Monday to seek work in North Dakota.

To the many friends of two of the prominent young men of Esplee it will be of interest to know that on November 22nd Miss Tracy Anderson of Little Falls, Minn., was married to Melvin Fundaunet. They are now happily settled in Duluth. And on November 26th Miss Beatrice Chlany of Eagle Bend, Minn., was united in marriage to Conrad J. Sund. They are settled at Dumont where Mr. Sund is principal of that school. We wish the two couples a life of great happiness.

Preston Lewis spent a few days with Pete Nelson last week.

Paul Sund called on Frank Pittman last Monday.

L. O. Opsata and P. C. Sund transacted business in Goodridge last week.

C. M. ADKINS
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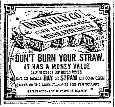
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Get a 25c box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) and try it. It is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

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At seeding time he hauls his seed to the field, thus economizing hand labor; at harvest time he hauls his grain, potatoes, and other produce, to market, and distance being a less prohibitive factor, is able to secure better prices; and all through the year he hauls his live-stock and chickens to market, and is able to deliver them in better condition, and with a minimum of shrinkage.

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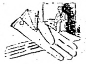

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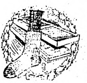

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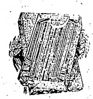

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GOODRIDGE

Dinner Party.

The Misses Sarah Vaughan and Virginia Wiles entertained at a dinner party at the Morgan Vaughan home Thursday evening. After dinner the guests played whist. Those who had the pleasure of the occasion were Misses Elenor Bauer, Theresa Giefer, Gladys Wilson, Mildred Argall, Sarah Vaughan, Virginia Wiles and Messrs. B. O. Norby, T. Tandberg and John Nystol.

J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls was a caller in town Saturday.

Miss Della Urdahl visited friends in Thief River Falls over Sunday.

P. Hoyum left Saturday evening for Crookston.

S. H. Wilkes of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday buying poultry for the Peterson-Biddick Co.

H. Nystol visited his brother John Nystol Tuesday. He was enroute to his home from North Dakota where he has been employed.

John Bratrud, mayor of Thief River Falls, was in town Monday evening between trains.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald and Miss Mildred Argall were in Thief River Falls Thursday.

The Misses Eleanor Bauer and Gladys Wilson returned home from Grygla Sunday evening where they visited at the home of Miss Wilson's parents.

A. B. Mandt was in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Mesdames P. O. Tvedt and E. L. Dahl were in Thief River Falls Monday shopping.

Marshall Race returned to Thief River Falls Monday morning after spending the week end at his home here.

Anton Lee went to Thief River Falls Monday.

Miss Virginia Wiles returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls where she was the guest of friends since Friday.

Miss Ruby Jensen returned Monday from Thief River Falls where she visited friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Wright were Thief River Falls callers Saturday.

Lloyd Ferdinandson went to Thief River Falls Saturday to have some emery dust removed from his eye.

Mrs. Rosaire Morin returned from Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Eleanor Simonson was in town Saturday enroute to Minneapolis.

Osmond Urdahl returned to Grand Forks Saturday evening where his mother is seriously ill.

Wm. Bondurant of Thief River Falls was a business caller in town Saturday.

Mr. Calhoun was in town Saturday enroute to his home at Grygla.

Stuart Ferdinandson was in Thief River Falls Saturday.

John Graff was a business caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

T. Hegstadt returned from Thief River Falls Tuesday morning.

G. Gunderson returned from Thief River Falls Tuesday morning.

Sheriff LaBree was in town Wednesday evening, returning to Thief River Falls Thursday morning.

Ole Osthy was in town Thursday morning between trains calling on his customers.

Arthur Sheldren of Grygla was in town Thursday morning enroute to Thief River Falls.

Carl Loen of Thief River Falls was a business caller in town Wednesday morning.

Mr. Tharaldson, who has been visiting his friend, H. A. Halverson, since Friday, returned to his home at Pinewood.

The Farm Bureau drive starts Wednesday in Pennington county. There will be a Boosters' meeting Wednesday or Thursday evening in the school house at Goodridge.

Mr. Wilson of the U. P. T. ranch returned Saturday morning.

Father Noesen of Thief River Falls held services here Tuesday morning.

Ed. Mattson of Grygla returned on Tuesday from Cumberland, Wis.

Lawrence Seavey who was thrown from a horse two weeks ago, consulted a physician at Thief River Falls and had an x-ray taken of his limb. The doctor found both bones fractured.

School Notes

Red Cross seals will be sold by the school children Thursday and Friday at the school house. Mrs. E. L. Dahl, who has charge of the selling of the seals in Goodridge, sold eleven dollars and seventy-five cents worth in two hours.

Xmas Program Dec. 23.

Remember the date of the Christmas entertainment, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 23rd, at the schoolhouse. The following program is being prepared:

Primary Children
Songs, "Luther Cradle Hymn," "Christmas Lullaby" and "Christmas Mother Goose Land."
Christmas Dialog—Neola Danielson and Judith Anderson.
Dance of Greeting—Ten children.
Recitation "Scaring Santa"—Joseph Hanson.
Recitation "Bright Idea"—Aldwin Nelson.
Intermediate Grade Children
News Boys—Sixteen children.
Flag drill—Twelve children.
Grammar Grade Children
"The Snow Fairies"—Eleven children.
Song, "Tuneful Bells Are Ringing"—7th grade pupils.
"A Tale of Christmas Eve"—Esther Ronken.
"The Night Before Christmas"—Daniel Vaughan.
High School and Eighth Grade Pupils
Musical Cantata—"The Greatest Gift."
High school orchestra accompaniment.

GERMANTOWN

John Ristau called on Gustaf Ristau Wednesday afternoon.

Ole Fevold arrived from Mylo, N. D., Wednesday to visit at the Hans Dahl home for an indefinite time.

Mrs. O. P. Nelson and son Lawrence visited at the Martinus Johnson home one day last week.

Misses Della, Bessie and Gladys Roller were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Miss Anna Kotlan called at Mavie one day last week.

Mrs. Henry Roller visited at the W. Wayne home on Wednesday.

Don't forget the Christmas program, Necktie social and dance at Germantown schoolhouse Dec. 23rd. A good time is assured all who attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Nordlund and daughter Alice were Sunday guests at the Emil Hanson home.

Anton Overby arrived from Jelle Monday where he has been visiting with his sister Olea who is engaged in teaching school in that vicinity.

Agnes Kotlan, Mildred, Milton and Lawrence Nelson were guests at the Henry Longevan home Monday evening.

Lena and Gustaf Ristau were guests at the A. Ristau home Wednesday evening.

Gustaf Ristau was a visitor at Mavie on Saturday.

Alfred Larson and August Wold visited at the Stokkie home Monday. They returned on Tuesday to their homes at Highlanding.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Norland and daughter Alice visited at the O. P. Nelson home one day last week.

Will Wayne and son were guests at the Henry Roller home Thursday evening.

John Ristau was a caller at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Daniel Payne arrived here from Goodridge Friday evening for a brief visit at the W. Wayne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stock returned home Wednesday after an extended visit with relatives and friends in the central part of the state.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited with the Stokkie family Saturday.

John Haberstroh was a guest at the Henry Longevan home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dan entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening. The occasion was the latter's birthday anniversary. Those present report spending an enjoyable evening.

Misses Nettie and Silva Bendickson were guests at the Stokkie home on Sunday evening.

Miss Anna Kotlan was a Sunday guest at the L. Bendickson home.

Miss Anna Kotlan visited at her brother's place Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rolland and children, Augustine, Lucy, Louise and Marshall were Sunday guests at the Hans Dahl home.

R. Luttrell assistant county superintendent, visited school Dist. No. 120 Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Silvia and Gehart, visited at the L. Bendickson home Monday afternoon.

Milton Nelson left for Warren where he will visit with his brother Burtin, who is a patient in the hospital there.

Miss Anna Kotlan and Lawrence Nelson visited at the Henry Roller home Thursday evening.

Miss Bessie Roller visited at the W. Wayne home Tuesday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Martinus Johnson home Monday.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

HAPPY HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS for the HOME

GIVE something useful; something the entire family can enjoy the year round. Nothing answers the purpose so well as furniture; Nothing is so thankfully received and nothing is more sensible. Give Furniture and know you are right.

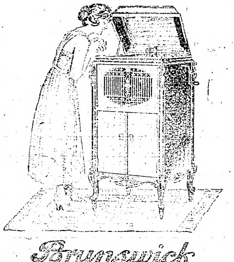

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PHONOGRAPHS AND RECORDS

There is something in this fine store that exactly meets your requirements. We will hold any article until Christmas Eve if so desired.

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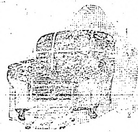

Our stock of upholstered chairs is the largest in this section. We have them in many styles and at nearly all prices. A sensible, practical gift.

Rocking Chairs

Here is another suggestion for those who wish to give something that the entire family can enjoy. All the popular woods, upholstering and shapes.

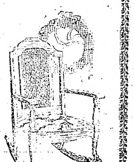

Writing Desks

These are made up for men, women or children and are particularly acceptable. We have the new styles in ladies' desks and the more complete and utilitarian for menfolks. Little desks for boys and girls.

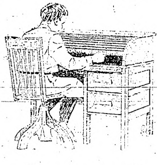

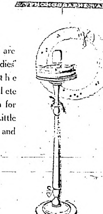

Smoking Sets

Where something of medium cost and more individuality is desired a smoking set meets the demand most admirably. We have a number of designs and there is a wide range of prices.

Cedar Chests

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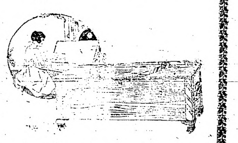

Carpets and Rugs

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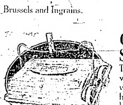

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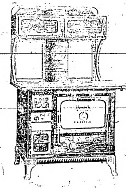

Monarch Ranges

Nothing better could be suggested. Just the thing for all members of the family to provide for the home. Large number of models to choose from.

Lamps

You cannot go wrong if a Lamp is your selection, and will be particularly well satisfied if you buy it here. We have the low lamp for the table and the high ones for the floor, piano lamps, parlor lamps—lamps for every room and all uses. Here is a moderately priced article that has few equals as an acceptable gift

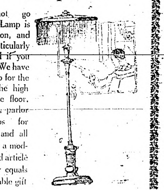

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GREAT PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR HOME-MAKERS

Week of January 3 to 8 Will Be Given to Their Problems at University.

All Subjects of Interest to Farm Men and Women to Be Discussed.

No Charge Except For Board and Transportation Is Made to Visitors.

Farm management, farm crops, soils, livestock, production, dairy cattle, veterinary medicine, horticulture, bees, poultry, threshing machinery and tractors, for the farmers; and child training, home management, problems, foods, textiles and clothing construction, dress designs and house furnishings and home care of the sick, for the farmers' wives, are topics which will be discussed for the benefit of all who attend the Farmers' and Home-makers' Week short course which will be given at the University farm, St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 3 to 8, 1921. The doors at the University farm swing wide open for a hearty welcome to the men and women interested in mutual co-operation for still further prosperity and happiness in rural Minnesota on these dates. No fees are charged for any of the class work, entertainments or demonstrations. There is no expense except for traveling and board.

Farmers' and Home-Makers' Week has for many years been a "Red Letter Week," not only for the hundreds of men and women of Minnesota who are actively interested in the farms and farm homes of the state, but also for the agricultural teachers, investigators and college students at the University Farm.

The farmer, each for himself or herself, selects from a large and varied program those topics that are of particular value to him in his work, obtains information about it from experts, talks it over with persons from other parts of the state or with his neighbors who are also at Farmers' and Home-Makers' Week, listens to lectures, observes demonstrations, attends meetings of various associations, enjoys evening entertainments and banquets and fills the week full of edifying and inspiring experiences.

The University of Minnesota in presenting this short course furnishes the opportunity for women from far town and city to unite for the discussion and solution of home of their problems. Every woman interested in better things for her home and family as well as for her country, may expect to find there suggestions of great value.

Farmers' and Home-Makers' Week has become the general meeting place for many of the farmers' organizations of the state. This plan makes it possible to attend the meetings of several of the organizations on one trip. Those in charge of the course urge every farmer to attend and take part in the following meetings:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Minnesota Federation of Farmers' Clubs
Minnesota Livestock Breeders' Association
The various associations of breeders of Holsteins, Guernseys, Jerseys, Ayreshires, Brown Swiss, Aberdeen Angus, Herefords, Shorthorns and Red Polled cattle; horses; sheep and swine.
The Creamery Managers of the State
Poultry Raisers
Minnesota Potato Growers
Minnesota Fruit Growers
Minnesota Vegetable Growers
Minnesota Bee Keepers
Garden Flower Conference.

A bulletin giving further information may be obtained from the Secretary, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.

COUNTY WILL HAVE RED CROSS NURSE

Dr. Milan Reports That Competent Person For Post is Now Available.

Unless the unforeseen happens, Pennington county is assured of the services of a county nurse who will arrive here early in January, according to Dr. M. George Milan, medical director of Oakland Park sanitorium, who was appointed chairman of the nursing committee of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross at a meeting of the executive committee of that body on Friday. Slight relief from the apparent shortage of graduate and experienced nurses which has existed in the state for the past year is being felt, and the committee has been able to open negotiations with responsible and qualified persons.

The county chapter of the Red Cross has been endeavoring to secure the services of a nurse for the county for practically an entire year. Last January the directors voted to spend chapter funds for the purpose and application for an experienced person was immediately made. It was expected that a nurse would be secured and ready to take up her duties by the first of April, but the entire year passed without results having been accomplished owing to a shortage of women holding the necessary qualifications.

The nursing committee will consist of five members: Dr. Milan, chairman, and W. A. Barnard from Thief River Falls, and three other members from the outlying districts of the county. The latter have not as yet expressed their acceptance of the appointment. The work of the county nurse will be under the direct supervision of this committee, who will outline a definite program as to her duties. This program will include health work in all parts of the county for the coming year. The work of the nurse and her remuneration will be financed from Red Cross chapter funds. The executive committee in session on Saturday afternoon voted to purchase a Ford car for her use.

Dr. Milan in an interview stated that he considered Marshall county one of the best organized counties in the state in respect to health work, and that much credit for the organization was due the county nurse. He also stated that he did not believe that health work could proceed far without the assistance of a county nurse and that, working under the supervision of experienced persons, she could accomplish exceptional results.

POTATO MEN AIM AT UNIFORM SEED

Association of Valley Growers Formed at Crookston Meeting Last Week.

Red River Valley potato growers to the number of sixty met at Crookston last Wednesday and organized the Red River Valley Certified Seed Potato Growers association. The prime object in the formation of the association is the raising of the standard of seed potatoes to gain the consequent benefits through recognition of the Red River valley standard.

The organization of the association was effected by the adoption of articles and by-laws, but officers will not be named until a minimum of five counties have named their representatives on the board of directors. Clay, Norman and Polk counties have named their representatives, and another meeting was scheduled to complete the work of organization. S. W. Brekko was named as temporary president and L. M. Bond as temporary secretary to serve until the permanent officers are chosen.

A campaign for members among the certified seed potato growers of the valley will be conducted and the organization put on a solid foundation. Plans contemplate the employment of a full time manager for the association although the actual selling will continue to be handled through the state agency.

Bible Chautauqua Meetings—"God's Last Effort to Gather Israel." This most interesting subject will be presented on Sunday evening, Dec. 19, 7:45 o'clock at the Chautauqua hall west of the Eastside drug store. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS for MEN

AT PRICES YOU CAN AFFORD

Many useful things for men and boys at greatly reduced prices.

Shirts

Men's extra quality Silk Shirts. Regular price of these shirts were $15.

Your choice now

$7.95

Come early for these

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The Famous "Strutwear" Men's Hose at reduced pices—

75c Lisle Hose.....55c
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$1.50 Silk Hose.....$1.00

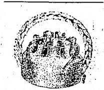

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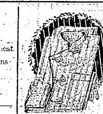

Cuff Links and Tie Pins

"Kum-a-Part" Buttons, put up in fancy individual boxes—

50c to $1.50

Belt Buckles 50c to $3.

Pajamas

"Brighton" Jajamas—Made of the famous "Carlsbad" flannel beautifully trimmed and tailored. These make fine presents; all sizes

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Handkerchiefs

A large variety to choose from. Many initial Handkerchief in boxes of three to twelve, in Silk, Cotton and Linen

15c to 75c each

Neckwear

"Cheney Bros." famous all silk Neckties in a large variety of patterns; also many other makes at greatly reduced prices for Christmas Week—

75c ties 55c
$1.00 ties 69c
$1.50 ties 95c
$2.00 ties $1.45
$2.50 ties $1.85

All other Ties at equal reductions.

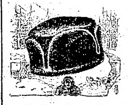

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Alaska Seal Skin, Hudson Seal Skin, Near Seal Skin, Coney and Muskrat—50 of these fine high grade Caps to go at reduced prices.

$25.00 Alaska Seal Caps	$16.95
$22.50 Hudson Seal Caps	$14.75
$17.50 Alaska Seal Caps	$11.95
$10.00 Near Seal Caps	$ 7.95
$10.00 Coney Caps	$ 6.75

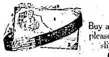

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Others at 50c to $2.50

Fancy Cloth Caps

in many colors. The very best made

$1.50 to $6.00

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in many colors, made in all wool, at greatly reduced prices.

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Many beautiful designs and colors—

$10 to $18

Slippers

in many kinds—

$2, $2.50, $3 up to $6.00

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Get them at great savings.

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Our entire line of men's Suits and Overcoats now selling at prices that represent a loss to us. You can

Save from $10 to $30

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FARMERS ASKED TO DISPOSE OF PART CROP NOW

Suggested at Crookston Meeting That They Liquidate 15 Per Cent of Obligations.

Belief Generally Expressed That Worst Period of Depression Has Been Weathered.

Assurance Given That Federal Reserve Bank Will Aid in Every Way Possible.

More than 500 farmers, land owners, business men and bankers, attended the farmer-banker convention called by the state farm bureau at Crookston last Thursday to discuss the financial situation as it relates to the farmer and land owner. Meetings were also called for Owatonna, Marshall and St. Cloud during the week, each drawing an unusual assembly. It is the concensus of opinion that a better understanding of conditions between bankers and farmers resulted, and particularly that city bankers and federal reserve men were enabled to secure a better idea of just what conditions at present exist.

The Crookston Daily Times summarizes the main features brought out and favored at the conference as follows:

"Provide some method of finding ready market for surplus farm products in big crop years.

"Favor organization of foreign Trades Finance corporation to advance the interests of American foreign trade.

"Extend functions of federal loan banks to provide for federal loans to farmers.

"Effort to be made by farmers to liquidate their obligations to the extent of 15 per cent of the value of their this year's crop.

"Study the situation on broad scale and invent plan of adequate credit needs for agriculture that will provide conditions for orderly marketing which will make a permanent and profitable agriculture.

Strikes Popular Note.

The Pennington county farm bureau was represented at the conference by M. L. Warner, Stewart McLeod, J. W. Taylor, A. E. Carlson, C. S. Lind and G. W. Head, all of whom are members of the soliciting team conducting the farm bureau membership drive in the county at this time. C. L. Hansen, O. Ramstad, R. J. McGinn and R. M. Sheldon represented the banks of Thief River Falls.

Mr. Hansen expressed the opinion of many of those present when he stated in behalf of the country bankers that they were now, and always had been, ready to do everything in their power to promote and foster the agricultural interests. He favored the establishment of a minimum price on wheat by the government but was informed that the state and national farm bureau federations were unalterably opposed to such action.

Rural Credit Organization Favored.

The question of credit extension to farmers was discussed from all angles and by many speakers. Gilbert Hage of the Crookston Trust Co. made a plea for an extension of the service of the Federal Loan bank to provide for short time farm loans at a low rate of interest, to be used in just such emergencies as this country is now experiencing. J. C. Norby, a Fergus Falls banker, said that his experience was that the farmers were just about as anxious to liquidate their indebtedness as the bankers were to have them do so. He favored some kind of a rural credit organization that would come to the rescue of farmers in such times of stress.

Dairying Offered as Solution.

L. Jensen of Clearbrook stated that the financial situation had no terrors for his section as farmers were engaged in stock raising and dairying rather than wheat raising. His solution for the low price of wheat was more dairying and less wheat raising.

Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Northwestern School of Agriculture at Crookston stated as his belief that hope lies in the National Farm Bureau federation which could study the credit needs of the farmer and recommend a plan that would provide conditions conductive to the orderly marketing of farm products.

Secretary Mosler of the State Bankers' association said that under the present marketing system there was no danger of further crisis. That the danger, if it ever existed, was passed last October and that conditions were now on the up-grade. Other bankers spoke in an optimistic tone.

Claims Reserve Bank Liberal.

C. L. Mosher, deputy governor of the Federal Reserve bank was one of the last speakers of the day. He said: "Farmers already are treated twice as liberally by the reserve bank as any other class of men. The Reserve bank can accept farmer paper for six months; other paper can be taken for only three months," he said.

"If farmers would sell but 15 per cent of all the produce now held on farms in the ninth district, northwest agriculture could meet its obligations.

"The best recent liquidation we have had came from districts that have not had good crops for three to five years. Montana has paid $1,500,000 recently and western Oklahoma $500,000."

Third Lyceum Course Number Well Received

Dr. J. Q. Robinson's lecture, "The Paralysis of Power" delivered at the auditorium last Wednesday evening was good beyond expectations. To young and old who attended it was entertaining and instructive, with not a dull sentence in the entire lecture. Dr. Robinson was scheduled to deliver his lecture "The Face at the Window" but he changed this at the last moment giving instead what he himself styles, his favorite.

"The Paralysis of Power" is a character sketch built about a few chapters from Charles Dickens' famous novel, "Bleak House." It teaches the paralyzing influence of idleness and the absence of the necessity to work. Dickens in his story, shows the ruin that came to a young man because of his dreams of a great inheritance, and the wasting of his youth in idleness. Dr. Robinson makes it teach an inspirational message.

The attendance at this third number of the season's Lyceum course, which is being brought to Thief River Falls through the efforts of the Women's club was small, the inclement weather of last week being in part responsible. The fourth number of the course does not appear here until January 26, when the New York Lyric Singers, a mixed quintette of talented metropolitan singers, present the last musical number on the Lyceum schedule.

SANTA CLAUS FUND MAKES GOOD START

Voluntary Contributions Will Insure Some Degree of Christmas Cheer For All.

There will be no municipal Christmas tree in Thief River Falls this year but those among our citizens who might through adverse circumstances be compelled to forego all holiday cheer because of this fact will be looked after. President E. M. Stanton of the commercial club, has been made the custodian of voluntary contributions to be used in providing food and fuel for poor families in the neighborhood and he reports the following sums as having already been received: Merchants' association, $50; Commercial club, $25; Woman's club, $25; Community Girls, $25; Odd Fellows lodge, $25; Farmers' and Merchants' State bank, $25; Sons of Norway, $10.

This is a very satisfactory showing, particularly when it is remembered that not one cent was asked for. It is known that other organizations, concerns and individuals will contribute before the time comes for making purchases and the expectations are that a considerable sum will be raised. The money will go principally for necessities but in families where there are children something having a more Christmassy touch will be included.

POPULATION OF CITY NOW 5652 ACCORDING TO DIRECTORY COUNT

Compiler Finds 2261 Persons Over 18 Years of Age—Johnsons Lead by Good Margin, With Olsons and Andersons Next in Line.

The Johnsons of Thief River Falls have it—the majority—according to Ley's 1921 City Directory, which is just out. Listed in the new and complete volume are two Jones, 10 Smiths, 25 Larsens or Larsons, 27 Pedersons or Petersons, 35 Andersons, 46 Olsons and 70 Johnsons, out of a total of 2261 names of persons above the age of 18 years. Using the multiple 2½ as in computing the total city census for former issues of the directory, gives Thief River Falls a population of 5652, a gain of 352 persons for the past two years.

The new directory, compiled and published by John H. Ley of St. Cloud, who has spent the greater part of two months here securing the necessary information, is a marvel of completeness in every department and should prove a great time saver to those who will accustom themselves to using it properly. Unlike the census, all information for the directory was taken by the double check system which reduces errors and omissions to a minimum. Election of officers has taken place in many civic and fraternal organizations since the volume was compiled, hence corrections could be made in such instances; but otherwise the veracity of statements can be relied upon to a great extent.

Among other features, the directory embodies a department of miscellaneous information in which may be found the names of city and county administrators and administrative bodies, of bank directorates, of fraternal and civic organization heads, and a complete church directory. A brief but thorough street directory, showing the location of all streets, is given. The bulk of the 158 page book is composed of an alphabetical list of all residents of the city who are over 18 years of age, showing their occupation and place of residence. In addition to the above mentioned features, a complete street guide, listing the names and residence numbers of homes and business places according to street and avenue, and a classified business directory, are to be found in the back of the book.

Only Few Hours Left.

The Merchants association urge Christmas shoppers to wind up their shopping as early Friday as possible. The stores will close promptly at 6 o'clock to allow employers and employees to spend the evening with their families.

BONDS MUST BE VOTED TO MEET SCHOOL DEFICIT

People of District 18 Will Soon Be Asked to Authorize Issue of $75,000.

Banks Are Unable to Handle Warrants Under Present Money Conditions.

Now Overdrawn $45,000 and $30,000 More Will Be Needed This Term.

School district No. 18 will vote on a bond issue of approximately $75,000 at a special election called for the first week in January. The board of education has recommended this sale of bonds as being necessary in order to keep the Thief River Falls schools in operation during the coming months or until the first tax money for the year 1920 is received in March.

Local banks are at present carrying about $45,000 in school warrants and are unable to handle more under present circumstances. As it will require upwards of $30,000 to keep the city schools in operation during the months of January and February a bond issue is imperative to allow warrants to be put on a cash basis and to pay the running expenses for those months.

Floating Indebtedness of $45,000.

The payroll alone of the city schools approximates $10,000 per month. Owing to the increase in salaries granted last year and to other increased operating expenses, for which no tax was levied for the year 1919, an indebtedness of $33,000 was incurred during the school term of 1919-1920. An additional indebtedness of $12,000 has accumulated during the first semester of the present term, leaving a total floating indebtedness of approximately $45,000.

The proposed bond issue will finance the schools until the first installment of the taxes for 1920, payable in 1921, is received in March. The July and September settlements will leave them in good financial condition for the start of the school term in 1921, thru the increased levy for the year 1920.

Board Recommends Issue.

It is planned to float the $75,000 bond issue at six per cent interest. The special election is necessitated because of the fact that the board of education is vested with the power of authorizing bonds for refunding purposes but not for funding purposes. The board has recommended the sale and the voters must authorize it at the election to be held the first week in January, after which the sale will be advertised in accordance to law, and bids received.

Members of the board of education state that it will undoubtedly become necessary to close the schools here unless the sale of the bonds is authorized by the voters.

Glee Club Entertains Patients at Sanatorium

The young ladies of the high school glee club accompanied by their director, Maude Johnson, entertained at Oakland Park Sanitarium last evening for the patients of that institution. Each member of the club had prepared a Christmas package which was delivered to a patient in an informal manner. Christmas carols were sung in the hallways of the building and the holiday spirit dispensed in every way possible.

Investigate Operations By Foreign Governments

Congressman Steenerson appeared before the judiciary committee last Thursday in support of his resolution to investigate the operations of foreign governments in our grain markets, which operations, he claims, have excluded all competition for the purchase of export wheat and have depressed the price more than a dollar a bushel. He cited the statement of Julius Barnes, president of the United States Grain corporation, and a letter from Edwin M. Flesh, vice president of the same organization, in support of his allegations.

The resolution requests the commission to investigate the operations of said governments in our grain markets, especially in the buying, selling and exporting of wheat, and whether any of these operations constitute a violation of the anti-trust laws of the United States.

Sunday School Exercises in Churches of City During Christmas Holidays

Teachers and pupils of Thief River Falls Sunday schools have been busy for the past month rehearsing the programs to be presented during Christmas week. In every case preparations have been made for the entertainment of the pupils as well as their elders, the proceedings differing but little from those ordinarily followed. Below will be found the detailed program for the different festivals.

Trinity Lutheran Church.

Christmas tree exercises for the children of Trinity Lutheran church will be held at the Auditorium on the evening of Christmas day, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Following is the program:

Invocation.....Rev. T. E. Sweger
Address of Welcome.....Hildred Haugen
Exercise "Welcome"
Martha Fallness, Instructor.
Song, "The Happy Christmas Comes Once More".....Class
Sunday School
Exercise, "The Light of the World".....Class
Betsey Ness, Instructor
Recitations.....Class
Beatrice Sandum, Instructor
Exercise, "Lighting a Star".....Class
Elsie Harringrud, Instructor
Song, "Jesus Loves Me".....Primary Class
Anna Brokke and Effie Christianson Instructors
Exercise, "Our Gift to Jesus"
Pearl Weeks, Instructor
Exercise, "The Wondrous Gift".....Class
Song, "Little Children, Can You Tell".....Class
Myrtle Williams, Instructor
Exercise, "Fred Paa Jord".....Class
Bertha Aaseby, Instructor
Song, "Joy to the World".....Sunday School
Recitation, "A Merry Christmas".....Margaret Granum
Recitation, "Oh, to Have Dwelt in Bethlehem".....Alma Olson
Recitation, "To Us is Born a Blessed Child".....Herman Hagen
Christmas Dialogue, "What the Children Owe to Luther"
Gynther Tessum, Instructor
Christmas Story, "Julo Hilsen".....Class
Mrs. Sweger, Instructor
Song, "Now Sing We, Now Rejoice".....Sunday School
Exercise, "The World a Christmas Tree".....Class
Song, Luther's Cradle Song".....Class
Mrs. Nesseth, Instructor
Recitation and Song, "Ring Out, Ring Out, O Christmas Bells"
Esther Larson, Instructor
Recitation, "At Christmas Time".....Sanula Erickson
Exercise, "A Good Shepherd".....Class
Exercise, "A Child, a Song, a Star".....Lloyd and Esther Bennes
"The Birthday of a King".....Ruth Mellby
Miss Rambeck, Instructor
Dialogue, "Our Motto".....Part of Class
Recitation, "It Was a Christmas Carol".....Iver Sponheim
Mrs. Tollund Instructor
Song, "On a Manger Laid".....Class
Olive Larson, Instructor
Recitation.....Class
Song, "Little Town of Bethlehem".....Class
Lillian Eide, Instructor
Cantata—
"Silent Night,"
"Christmas Message"
"Glory to God in the Highest"
"Bessie's Christmas Dream"
"Angels' Love Song"
"We Three Kings of the Orient Are"
J. O. Sether, Instructor
Exercise, "To All People".....Part Class
Ruby Ness and Mrs. Tollund, Instructors
Recitation, "Bare En Cent"
Song, "Barnet I Bethlehem"
Song, "Cometh the Child Devine"
Gladys Kolden and Cora Adsero, Inst.
Dialogue, "This Beautiful Christmas Evening".....Class
Beatrice Erickson, Instructor
Offertory
Song, "Bethlehem, Welcome Thy Royal Guest".....Sunday School
Distribution of gifts.
Doxology
Benediction.

Methodist Church.

The first Christmas tree celebration will be that given by the Methodist Sunday school this evening at the church. The pastor, Rev. J. B. Smith, says that the eagerness with which the young folks have been looking forward to the event and the readiness to take part in the program promises a feast of good things. All persons not regular attendants at any other church will be welcomed warmly to these exercises.

On Sunday the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. J. C. Craig, both morning and evening. At the close of the evening service the first quarterly conference of the current year will be held. All are invited to these services.

The collection this year at the Methodist Christmas tree festival will go toward the relief fund for the children of the Near East.

Presbyterian Church.

The celebration by the pupils of the Presbyterian Sunday school will be held on Thursday evening, Dec. 23, beginning at 7:30. The program follows:

Hymn No. 22
Prayer
Christmas Story.....Miss Leavitt's Class
Quartette
Thelma Christensen, Murial Loken, Dale Ziegler, Buell Will
Recitation.....Mary Develling
Hymn No. 27
Primary Exercises
Song.....Miss Hamry's Class
"A Talk About Christmas".....Mr. Tripp's Class
Duet.....Gladys Christenson, Ariel Kinghorn
Action Song.....Miss Dix's Class
Song.....Mr. Green's Class
Hymn No. 29
Violin Solo.....Lorraine Will
Play, "Santa Claus, Jr., Substitute"
Distribution of gifts.

St. Johns Lutheran Church.

There will be a double program at St. Johns Lutheran church on Friday evening, Dec. 24, the first part being designated as "Prophesy" and the second as "Fulfilment." Hymn No. 23 will be followed by altar service, after which there will be a collection of children's gifts for St. Paul Lutheran orphanage. The "Prophesy" section of the program will be in the German language, the program being as follows:

Leid, "Her bei O ihr Glaubigen"
Gruss.....Louise Anton
Weihnachts gespraech.....Ernest Krause, Ferdinand Wilken, Alvina Geske, Morris Koehner, Hans Anton, Lorenz Krause, Mathilda Koop, Augusta Geske, Ida Geske, Alvina Matthees.
Lied, "Gott ist die Liebe"
Psalm 25: 7-10.....Anna and Esther Zinter
"Ein Kind ist uns Geboren".....Roy Geske
"Die Engelein".....Gustav Timm
Lied, "Ihr Kinderlein Kommet"
"Maria's Lobgesang".....Edna Koop
"O Weihnachtszeit".....Elmer Geske
Weihnachts gespraech.....Freda Anton, Elsie Timm
"Die Engelsgeschichte," John Geske, Herman Timm, Algert Matthees, Bernard Matthees, Willie Zinter.
"Stille Nacht".....Alvina Matthees and Edna Koop
"Mein Heiland ich grusse dich".....Linda Koop
"Weihnachts glocken".....Carl Geske
"Gebet".....Margaret Geske
Lied, "Hosiana"

Part 2.

Pastor's address
Greeting.....Esther Meyer
"The Savior's Birth".....Armand Fox, Donald Fuller, Bobby Booren, Blenda Herold, Ruth Bessler, Florence Fox, Marven Bergen
Recitation.....Morris Lonson and Merten Rosenhildt
Song, "Oh, Thou Bethlehem".....Dorothy Fuller
"The Shepherds".....Charles Booren, Harry Lonson, Earl Bessler, Edward Gibson,
"The Tidings Tell".....Donald Harold
Song, "Silent Night"
"What is the Story?".....Elmira Langseth and Stella Borgen
"In a Manger".....Florence Fox
"A Little Baby".....Mildred Geske
"The Angelic Chorus".....Eleanor Lonson
Song, "O, Little Town of Bethlehem"
"The Christ".....Irene Romhildt
"Let Us Follow the Shepherds".....Pauline Englehart and Esther Geske
Song, "Hark, the Herald Angles Sing"
"As With Gladness Men of Old".....Glendon Larsen
"The Shepherd's Return".....Douglass Booren, Howard Gibson, Waldemar Roemhildt, Howard Zelmer
"Christmas Everywhere".....George Lonson and John Stewart
"Savior" (Ocrostical recitation).....Allen Lonson, Agness Rupprecht, Lillian Rupprecht, Eleanor Kuechs, Lucinda Kuechs, Loraine Zelmer, Karen Langseth
Song, "Let Us All With Gladness Voice"
"Goodnight Wish".....Phyllis Zelmer
Blessing and doxology, announcements, distributions of gifts, Lord's Prayer in unision.

Swedish Lutheran Church.

At the First Swedish Lutheran church the Christmas celebration will be held on Monday evening, Dec. 27, beginning at 7 o'clock. The program is as follows:

"Valkommen".....Ellen Johnson
"Christmas Night".....Bernice Johnson
"Vad skulle vi gora?".....Philip Sundahl
Song.....Vera Peterson
"En gammel Julesang".....Carl Fellman
Song.....Sunday School
"Julen's Anglar".....Walter Peterson
"Christmastide".....Esther Crown
Julhymn.....Edith Peterson
Song.....Harriet Hellquist
"Peace on Earth".....Bernice Swenson
"I Julekvall".....Harriet Anderson
Letter Drill.....Chart Class, 12 children
"Oss ar fodd Fralsaren".....Fillmore Malberg
Song.....Girls' Chorus
My Christmas.....Herman Peterson
"Ring Out the Tidings".....Harry Moline
"Ny lyser Julens Stjarna Klar".....Nina Malberg
A Christmas Story.....Verna Johnson
Song.....Sunday School
"Kom till Stallet".....Harriet Hellquist
"O Earth, Rejoice".....Ardith Swenson
Jul.....Clarence Anderson
Recitation.....Edith Knutson
"I den Heliga Natten".....Gladys Bergren
Dialogue, Christmas Text.....ten children
Song.....Ethel Moline
"The Orient Star".....Theo. Berghen
"Uti den skona Julekvall".....Leslie Sundahl
Song.....Girls' Chorus
"That Night in Bethlehem".....Gladys Johnson
Recitation.....Harold Fellman
"Stars of the Holy Night".....Ruth Moline
"Ara".....Wallace Stromberg
Song.....Sunday School
"Over Ringa Stallet".....Helga Bergren
"The Christ-Child".....Vera Peterson
"December".....Ethel Moline
Christmas Hymn.....Hazel Swenson
Bon.....Willie Anderson
"En Liten Barnabon".....Ethel Moline
Christmas Song.....Ida Fellman
"Festens Slut".....Carl Johnson

Zion Lutheran Church.

The children of the Zion Lutheran Sunday school will hold their annual Yuletide entertainment on Christmas eve, when the following program will be presented:

Hymn No. 23
Scripture Reading and Prayer.....Rev. George Larson
Address of Welcome.....Walter Mellum
Recitation, "I Wish You a Merry Christmas".....Clara Vigness
Recitations by John Wallen, Theodore Wallen, Arnold Lovdahl.
"The Angels' Theme.....Helen Griebstein, Irene Kassa, Sylvia Peterson.
Recitation.....Edward Froseth
"No Room For Him".....Mabel Johnson
"Gamle Dage".....Pearl Hagen
Recitation, "Glad Content".....Vincent Stageberg, Melvin Carlson, Byron Tharaldson, Tillman Tharaldson
Christmas Song.....Esther Hagen, Mabel Malfald
Recitation.....Ruth Froseth
Recitation.....Verna Liden
Recitation.....Harriet Liden
Dialogue.....Mildred Jacobson, Emma Bugge
Recitation.....James Murphy, Bernhardt Linstad
Recitation.....Alma and Agnes Bjorge, Hazel Davidson
Song.....Ruth Anderson and Evelyn Grindeland
Recitation.....Helen Langer, Benla Langer
Dialogue, "De Vise Paa Osten".....Ruth Larson, Ragna Klapp
Recitation.....Agnes Quindlog, Ida Bergland, Betsy Flann
Hymn No. 63.....Sunday School
Christmas Carol.....Gladys and Goldie Remmem and Hilda Grindeland
"The Prophesies".....Five Girls
Hymn No. 60.....Sunday School

GREAT SUCCESS ATTENDS DRIVE BUT WORK ENDS

Farm Bureau Membership Solicitors Decide to Hold Off For the Present.

Cold Weather and Drifted Roads Make Traveling a Hardship at This Time.

One Worker Secures 99 Per Cent of All Farmers Called on in Black River.

The Pennington county farm bureau membership drive which was opened a week ago, was discontinued last night in spite of the exceptional results which were being accomplished. Bad roads and the increasing cold weather are given as the reasons for discontinuance. A house to house tour of the county on the part of the membership team is necessary to the best results, say state officials, and this is not possible under the present conditions. Roads are badly drifted, making it impossible to travel with a car except on the main highways. Driving with a team has its difficulties and work can not proceed in an efficient manner.

County Tour Incomplete.

The drive was opened on December 16 and has continued under increasing handicaps. M. L. Warner, captain states that the drive was continued until last night only with the expectations that a favorable break in the weather would facilitate matters. About one-third of the farmers in the county have been visited. The work will continue as soon as the weather and conditions of the roads permit.

Members of the soliciting team and officials of the farm bureau express extreme gratification with the results shown by the first week of the drive. The membership of the county organization has grown to approximately 200. Rocksbury, River Falls, Smiley and Black River townships have been pretty thoroughly covered by the membership team in a house to house visit. Work is partially completed in Goodridge, Highlanding, Reiner, Star and Deer Park townships, while it has just been started in Sanders township. The western section of the county is as yet practically unvisited.

Captain Warner states that fully 90 per cent of the farmers visited have enlisted with the organization. R. J. McKercher, who has been operating in Black River township, in which he makes his home, takes the honors for the first week of the drive by having secured a membership enrollment of 99 per cent of the farmers called upon.

Meetings have been held during the past week at the Sather school in Rocksbury township, at the Weiner school in Smiley, at the Valhal hall in Rocksbury, at St. Hilaire, Hazel, Goodridge and Erie. The meetings drew large turnouts and much enthusiasm was shown when the purpose and results of the organization were made known. The meetings at Erie and Hazel drew an exceptional attendance and every farmer present signed up as a member of the farm bureau.

The final meeting until weather permits the drive to continue will be held tonight in Polk Center township, at the school, 2 miles north of Wiley.

Mr. Warner who has been directing the drive thruout the county, in speaking of the success of the farm bureau movement, stated that it was becoming stronger thruout the United States and gave as an example of the success the membership drives are attaining the fact that 95 per cent of the farmers in the states of Iowa, Illinois and Missouri, are now members of the farm bureau county or state organization.

ALUMNI TO ELECT OFFICERS TUESDAY

Former Graduates of Thief River High School Will Also Give Short Program.

The alumni of the Thief River Falls high school will hold their regular annual meeting at the city auditorium on Tuesday evening, December 28, at 8 o'clock. The business session and election of officers will be followed by a short program. Dancing will be one of the features of the evening as will a buffet luncheon which will be served by caterers from the city hotels.

Present officers of the organization are: S. Carl Sundahl, president; George W. Werstlein, vice president; Carl Gultud, treasurer and Gynther Tessum, secretary.

Invitations will be sent to the alumni and members of the senior class of 1921 the last of this week. It is the intention of the committee to reach every alumnus and high school senior but in case anyone is missed, officers of the alumni extend to them a cordial invitation thru these columns.

ROSEAU DEFEATED IN FIRST DEBATE

Thief River Falls Team Carries Off Honors in Contest Here Friday Night.

The debate between the teams of the Thief River Falls and Roseau high schools at the Lincoln auditorium here on Friday evening, resulted in a unanimous decision on the part of the judges in favor of the affirmative, which stand was taken by the local squad. The subject, which will be debated throughout the state in an elimination contest to determine the championship, was: "Resolved, That the Open Shop is Preferable to the Closed Shop in Our Industrial System." The debating forum of the city high school was represented in this instance by Esther Soards, Vernon Copp and Edward Fiterman. The negative stand was taken by Magnaheld Heyerdahl, Hilda Ulven and Vernon Caine of the Roseau school. The judges were Supt. S. L. Johnson of the St. Hilaire school; M. W. Holtsapple of the Middle River school and Superintendent E. O. Norby of the Goodridge school. Each speaker was allowed a rebuttal of five minutes.

Some exceptional work was shown on the part of the six debaters, though the decision of the judges would indicate that the presentation of the local team far out-classed that of the Roseau visitors. The next meet will be determined by the results of the first set of elimination debates which were held throughout the Ninth congressional district during the past week.

L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the city school and the coach for the local debating team, has requested that the stand taken in this first debate of the series be made clear, owing to the fact that many people in Thief River Falls are under the impression that the high school favors the open shop in our industrial system. This question of the day has been designated by the state as the subject for debate. If debating teams can agree upon which stand is to be taken, allotment is made in that manner. If they do not agree a coin is flipped to determine which school will take the negative and which the affirmative side of the question. Any team going far towards winning the state high-school debating championship will undoubtedly have to debate on both sides. Schools are working on the subject primarily from a debating standpoint. The instructions handed the judges read: "You will neglect personal prejudice and decide on the merits of the debate, not on the merits of the question."

FINAL DECISION OF COUNCIL ON PAVING MATTER

Promises Definitely to Determine on Tuesday What Course Will Be Followed.

Tendency of Material Prices Will Be Closely Investigated in the Meantime.

Disposition is to Go Ahead Unless There Are Weighty Reasons For Postponements.

The next regular session of the city council on Tuesday evening, Dec. 28, is expected to see the city praving program settled once and for all, according to expression on the part of members of that body at a special session this week. The meeting of *Tuesday was called to act upon a proposal* submitted by the Capitol Trust company of St. Paul, but little was accomplished owing to different opinions on the financial situation expressed by members present. Council members and Mayor Bratrud are certain that a definite decision will be reached Tuesday.

The Capitol Trust company, in the proposal submitted to the council, agree to take complete charge of the preliminary work necessary to opening for bids on the two or three hundred thousand dollar bond issue contemplated by the city to finance the paving program scheduled for 1921, at a commission of one-half of one per cent of the entire issue. This would include the printing and preparation of certificates, and all legal work by a competent bonding attorney, which would allow the bonds to be offered for sale unconditionally. The submitting of such a proposal undoubtedly means that the Capitol Trust company would enter into the bidding on the bond issue. No particular rate of interest has been guaranteed. Members of the council will undoubtedly agree to hold out for a rate of not more than six per cent on the first issue.

Is Good Time to Sell.

The council was divided as to the advisability of proceeding with the sale of the bond issue at this time, as well as the paving contract itself. Confidence in the hope that the price of material and labor would decrease further before the contracting company starts work this coming spring was expressed, as was the belief that a better contract could be secured. Bonding companies have said that the best time of the year to advertise for bids on the sale of municipal bonds is early in January, according to H. A. Brumund, president of the council. Other members were of the opinion that a lower rate of interest could possibly be secured if the advertising of the sale were to be postponed until spring, owing to the unsettled financial condition that exists at present. It was also suggested that the present contract calling for the paving of 24 blocks thruout the business section of the city, could possibly be curtailed to include the paving of a much smaller number until such a time as the cost of construction should be suitably reduced.

It is expected that a decision will be reached on Tuesday evening, as to whether or not the municipal bond issue is to be made and advertised during January. There is also the possibility that effort will be made to evade the entire paving program for the coming year, although there is no disposition on the part of the council to take such course unless the outlook is such as to make it appear clearly against the public interest to proceed with the program as heretofore contemplated.

Finest Elk Party of Year Brings Out Unusual Crowd

After properly initiating between 30 and 40 candidates at their lodge room on Friday night the Elks foregathered at the auditorium for the purpose of winding up the evening as well as the social festivities of the present year with a dancing party. The ladies were already there when the herd members arrived, together with the orchestra. The room was beautifully decorated and tables were arranged along the walls for those who would rather play cards than dance. There were not many of these.

At midnight an excellent lunch was served under the supervision of Louis Garvey, the new manager of the Hotel Brumund.

The affair was one of the most enjoyable of the many sponsored by the Elks during the past season and they have come in for considerable praise for the excellent manner in which everything was looked after.

Special Christmas Movie For Children on Saturday

Manager Brumund of the Princess and Lyceum theatres will give a matinee especially for children on Saturday morning beginning at 10 o'clock. A picture appealing particularly to the youngsters at this time will be presented and everything will be arranged so as to give them a good time. H. A. and J. H. Brumund will both be on hand to look after the welfare of the audience and every precaution will be taken to insure their comfort. Candy will be distributed free of charge and all appointments will be in keeping with the spirit of the season.

LEGION MEMBERS ARE URGED TO ASSIST IN CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE

Commander Calls Attention to Large Number of Former Service Men Who Are Tuberculosis Victims.

Minnesota men and women who served in the World war are vitally interested in the success of the 1920 Christmas Seal Sale, it is emphasized in a letter from F. W. Galbraith, Jr., national commander of the American Legion, mailed to every Legion post in the state by officers of the Minnesota department.

Commander Galbraith calls attention to the menace of tuberculosis as disclosed by the World war. The "White Plague" killed 160,000 persons in the United States while deaths in service totaled but 67,882. Draft and camp examinations found 1,500 Minnesota young men victims of tuberculosis. Total draft rejections on account of tuberculosis were 70,000 and 41 percent of all men under the care of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance are "White Plauge" victims.

"The seriousness of this problem has been brought home to the American Legion which now is bending every effort to alleviate the condition of our disabled, thousands of whom are afflicted with tuberculosis and are without proper hospital treatment," states Commander Galbraith in his letter to the National Tuberculosis association.

"Members of the Legion are vitally interested in your community education and organization preventive plan, which in my opinion combats the evil at its source. I have been a hearty supporter of your Christmas Seal campaign for many years. There is all the more reason why Legion men and women should support it this year."

Elks Planning Christmas Cheer For Unfortunates

Members of Thief River Falls Lodge No. 1308, B. P. O.E., are arranging for their usual Christmas benefactions. A committee, headed by H. W. Protzeller, has been appointed by Exalted Ruler G. Howard Smith and is collecting the names of parties who without some assistance from outside would fare but scantily during the holidays. Inmates of Oakland Park sanatorium, Physicians hospital and city poor house will all be remembered and some plan for their entertainment will be worked out. If any families in hard circumstances are found, fuel and food will be provided as well as something in the way of presents for the children. The program will extend to the smaller towns of the neighborhood in which members of No. 1308 may be residing and these have been urged to send in the names of needy parties in their neighborhood.

Tax Collections For Last Half of Year Distributed

Following is an abstract of the November, 1920 tax settlement, being the state, county, township, city, village and school taxes paid at County Treasurer John Gullingsrud's office from June 1, 1920 to October 30, 1920, inclusive. The real estate tax for the last half of the year is included in these amounts:

State tax (6.52 mills) from tax list of 1919	$ 10,066.55
Teachers' insurance and retirement fund	73.80
State school tax (1.23 mills) from tax list of 1914 to 1919 inc.	1,815.52
Total	$ 11,956.87
County Taxes—	
Revenue	$ 7,280.00
Road and Bridge	9,274.12
Bonds and Interest; other than state loans	874.15
Other special taxes (ditch)	21,585.19
Total	$ 39,022.76
City and Village taxes—	
Revenue	$ 5,530.33
Poor	637.38
Other special taxes	6,353.64
Total	$ 12,521.35
Township taxes—	
Revenue	$ 2,041.73
Road and Bridge	6,680.27
Poor	299.50
Other special taxes	2,605.17
Total	$ 11,587.37
School Tax—	
Local one mill	$ 1,457.38
Special school taxes	21,488.82
Penalty, Interest and cost collected on delinquent taxes	880.61
Interest and principal, on state loans from tax list of 1919 and former years	5,127.33
Total	$ 31,954.09
Grand Total	$ 95,464.07

Citizens League Sponsors Social Events in Kratka

The Progressive Citizens League of School District No. 11, Kratka township, will give a basket social at the school house one mile southwest of the Kratka bridge on the evening of December 29. The officers of the organization extend an invitation to all.

The league was organized on November 12 at which time the following officers were elected: President, Allen Rehm; vice president, Sophie Brieland; secretary, Elsie Rehm and treasurer, Myrtle Hofdahl. Since that time the league has sponsored several enjoyable social affairs, which met with great success. They have also arranged for a Christmas tree and program at the school tomorrow evening.

Church Choirs Present Joint Musical Program

The musical program given by the Methodist and Presbyterian choirs at the Methodist church on Sunday evening drew an attendance that filled the church auditorium and lecture room to capacity. Many were turned from the doors because of lack of room. The two choirs in unison, directed by Mrs. L. F. Fisher, rendered some of the most beautiful sacred music ever heard in this city. The "Festival Te Deum" by Dudley Buck, one of the most difficult of anthems, and "Hark, My Soul" by Shelly, sung by the joint choir of twenty voices, were two of the most noteworthy triumphs of the evening. Several vocal solos worthy of great mention were also given.

This is the first time that the two capable choirs have presented a joint program and the results were far beyond the expectations of the many who were able to gain admittance. Approval of their efforts is unanimous and lovers of music express the hope that other similar programs will be given during the present season.

THE COUNTY RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers.

(December 1 to 15 inclusive.)

Karel Prucha and wife to Carl B. Froiland, SE¼ sec. 4, Star twp. Considerateoin $5,000.

Augusta K. Nelson and husband to Victor R. Newman, NW¼ sec. 20, Highlanding twp.

Nels K. Anderson and wife to Sigurd Myrom, SW¼SE¼ SE¼SW@, lot 4, Sec. 18, Sanders twp. Consideration $3,000.

August F. Kruse and wife to Max Kruse, SW¼ sec. 12, Sanders twp. Consideration $8,000.

Jay Payne to Jeanette Olson, lot 20, blk. 2, Goodridge. Consideration $300.

Ole O. Aasen to Olof B. Aasen, SE¼NE¼, SE¼E¼, sec. 24, NE¼NE¼, sec 25, Star twp. Consideration $5,000.

Oscar Hogquist to Johannes Hogquist, W½NW¼, sec. 14, Rocksbury twp. Consideration $2,000.

Francis M. Klein to George Hanson, W½SE¼, SW¼SE¼, sec. 36, Norden twp.

Ole N. Olson to Jacob N. Olson, one-sixth interest lot 25, blk. 1, part out lot C, Mechans Add.

Gena Jacobson to Jacob N. Olson, one-sixth int. lot 25, blk. 1, part out lot C, Mechans Add. Consideration $500.

Gynther Tessum to Dan Johnson, lots 25 and 26, blk. 3, Northside add.

John Arntson to Lauritz Christianson, SW¼ sec. 26 and NW¼ sec. 35, Star twp. Consideration $12,900.

Peter O. Sletten to Ferdinand Wolff, SW¼ sec. 12, Silverton twp. Consideration $6,000.

O. H. Melaas to Peder A. Brandvold, lot 1, blk. 6, Hemmingson's Add.

Peder A. Brandvold to Clare E. Saunders, lot 1, blk. 6, Hemmingson's Add.

Trail State Bank to Joseph A. Dahl, NW¼, sec. 23, Star twp.

Arthur T. Hall and wife to Alice G. Hall, lots 8 and 9, blk. 39, St. Hilaire Co. Second Add.

Wm. O. Long to C. A. Joslen and Dorothy, lots 6 and 7, blk. 1, Mechan's Add.

Helge Klemmetsen to Olof O. Larson, NE¼, sec. 32, Kratka twp. Consideration $4,600.

George Rice et al. to Ernest C. Imig and C. M. Harlan, NW¼ sec. 22, Goodridge twp.

Augusta Tessum to Alma Thoreson lots 1 and 2, blk. 6, Tessums Add. Consideration $110.

L. M. Way and Thomas A. Way her husband to A. R. Armstrong, NW¼ sec. 32, Reiner twp.

Victor R. Newman to N. P. Nelson, NW¼ sec. 20, Highlanding twp.

A. P. Toupin and wife to E. J. Toupin, SW¼ sec. 20, Star twp. Consideration $2,500.

George Fehr to Leo Fehr, SW¼, sec. 22, Smiley twp.

Olof O. Larson to Citizens State Bank, NE¼, sec 32, Kratka twp.

Sigvert Engh to Ole Fauske, lot 2, sec. 18, Rocksbury twp. Consideration $900.

Charlie R. Leslin to Herman R. Leslin, NE¼ sec. 21 and SE¼, sec. 13, Reiner twp.

Herman R. Leslin to Sophia B. Heinze, NE¼, sec. 21 and SE¼ sec. 13, Reiner twp. Consideration $700.

Chicago Rock Island & Pacific Railway to Halvor Odelin, SW¼SE¼ sec. 7, Sanders twp. Consideration $140.

Marriage License.

Rasmus O. Naas and Mali Slind.

Lester Myles and Esther Isabelle Anderson.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

FOR SALE—Livery, Feed and Sales Stable at Holt, Minn.—D. T. Loshan, Prop. 105p

SITUATION WANTED—Country Girl wants a place to do housework. Must be in a small family. Inquire at the Times. 102p

City News

Bert Tunem of Goodridge was in this city transacting business on Friday.

A. Froseth made a business trip to the Twin Cities the latter part of last week.

Mrs. H. A. Olson of St. Hilaire shopped in this city yesterday between trains.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop spent Saturday at Goodridge attending to matters of business.

Mrs. Bjorken, M. D., of St. Hilaire called on friends in this city Saturday between trains.

Raymond Jensen came down from his home at Goodridge on Saturday to spend the day visiting with friends.

C. L. Hansen returned to this city on Monday morning from Minneapolis where he spent a few days on business.

Stanley Haynes of Fargo, N. D., is a guest at the home of his brother, F. F. Haynes, over the Christmas holidays.

Miss Igna Hamry of Leroy, Mont., is spending the holidays in this city as the guest of her sister, Miss Effie Hamry.

Chester Dols, who attends the local high school, spent the week end at the home of his parents residing at Rosewood.

Misses Eleanor Anderson and Louise Lorbe arrived here Saturday morning from St. Hilaire to shop between trains.

Miss Mable Tweten of Goodridge was in the city on Saturday visiting friends and also attending to Christmas shopping.

Misses Eunice and Irene Peterson and Hulda Pearson, all of St. Hilaire, were in the city Saturday on a shopping expedition.

Miss Ragna Loberg and Gladys Gigstad of St. Hilaire visited with friends here Thursday and also attended to shopping.

Miss Emma Tandberg, a member of the teaching corps at Detroit, is a guest at her home in this city over the Xmas holidays.

Miss Marie Grothe returned to her home at Grand Forks yesterday after spending a brief period as the guest of her friend, Miss Anna Skeim.

Stanton Dahlen, who is attending St. Olaf's college at Northfield, arrived here the first of the week for a visit at the home of his parents.

G. H. Smith left Friday evening for Minneapolis to spend the Christmas holidays with his wife and daughter who are guests of relatives there.

Lylabelle Schuster arrived here on Sunday morning from Loretta where she teaches, to be a guest at the home of her parents over the New Year.

Miss Josie Weeks returned Sunday morning from Watertown, S. D., to spent the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Miss Selma Hoff of St. Hilaire arrived here Wednesday morning to attend to Xmas shopping. She returned to her home in the afternoon.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen arrived home the first of the week from Grand Forks where she is attending the University, for a visit during the holidays.

Miss Goldie Hill arrived here the first of the week from Minneapolis where she is engaged in teaching school, to spend the holidays with relatives.

Roscoe Bakke is spending the Xmas holidays visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bakke. Roscoe is attending the University at Grand Forks this year.

Milton Weeks, a student at Luther Seminary at St. Anthony Park, Minneapolis, returned home Sunday evening to spend Christmas at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss Hildegaard Effinger, arrived here Friday evening from Lancaster to attend the Elk's party held at the Auditorium that evening.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and two sons Frederick and Gerald, left yesterday afternoon for Grand Forks to be guests at the home of Mrs. Fisher's parents over the holidays. Dr. Fisher will join them later.

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT:

Tells His Friends and Neighbors of His Experience.

Every Thief River Falls resident should read what Mr. Schuster says, and follow his example. He has used Doan's Kidney Pills and speaks from experience. Is there any need to experiment with imitations or untried kidney medicines?

Chas. Schuster, 622 St. Paul Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can say they are just as advertised. My back has been bothering me for a long time and I couldn't bend over without pain across my loins. Some mornings I couldn't get out of bed my back was so sore and stiff and I was obliged to get up nights on account of kidney weakness. As soon as I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had relief and I have felt better ever since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Schuster had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

The Season's Compliments

In wishing our friends and neighbors a Merry Christmas it is with a feeling of gratitude toward them for the patronage bestowed and confidence reposed in this institution during the past twelve months.

Assuring everyone of our continued desire to be of genuine service in any undertaking in which a sound, conservative banking policy will be of assistance, we place our resources at their command.

First National Bank
C. L. HANSEN, President.

Xmas Greetings

To you whose business has helped us prosper, we send sincere appreciation and our warmest wishes for your happiness and prosperity.

KIEWEL PRODUCTS CO.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

A Word of Appreciation

WE WISH at this time to extend to our patrons our sincere thanks for the liberal patronage of the past twelve months.

THEIR attitude toward this store proves that our efforts to secure something just a "little better" are appreciated. The fact is most encouraging and confirms us in the opinion that our idea is the correct one.

CONDITIONS in the clothing trade are somewhat uncertain and unsatisfactory, but we wish to assure our customers that they will receive the benefit of every downward trend and be protected as long as possible against any move in the other direction.

OUR plan of doing business embraces the closest co-operation with the public. This begets confidence on the part of both and proves an invaluable asset when conditions sway out of their regular orbit. It is our boast that never during the trying period which now is happily passing has any purchaser been led astray through our advice.

IT is our aim and constant endeavor to build a business here that will prove dependable under all circumstances. In this we believe the public will uphold us.

THANKING one and all and wishing for you a joyous Christmas season and a Happy and Prosperous New Year, we remain,

Very respectfully,

THE HOLIDAY SEASON PROMPTS US TO EXPRESS TO YOU OUR APPRECIATION AND THANKS FOR THE BUSINESS YOU HAVE INTRUSTED TO US FOR THE PAST YEAR, AND ALSO TO EXTEND OUR BEST WISHES FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

THE PRICHARD CO.

"You'll Always Find"

says the Good Judge

That you get more genuine satisfaction at less cost when you use this class of tobacco.

A small chew lasts so much longer than a big chew of the ordinary kind. And the full, rich real tobacco taste gives a long lasting chewing satisfaction.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco
RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco

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Christmas

is the one holiday of real unselfishness—the day when we find happiness in making others happy.

The mission of the First & Peoples Bank throughout the year is similar to this, for we find prosperity in helping others to success.

Our broad facilities are at your disposal.

First & Peoples State Bank
"The Older we Grow, the Better our Bank"
Thief River Falls Minn.

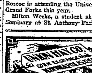

City News

N. Baker of Steiner was a business caller in this city Saturday.

Eversharp Pencils and Fountain Pens at Laird's. d23

E. G. Swenson of Minneapolis visited with friends in this city over the week-end.

Curtiss Post of St. Hilaire was in this city Tuesday attending to matters of business.

Chas. and Jack Englebert of Bronson, were in the city Friday attending the Elks initiation.

Elnor Overland, who attends St. Olaf collage, arrived here Monday morning for a two weeks vacation.

Theo. Tandberg came down from Goodridge Saturday and visited over Sunday with relatives and friends.

Miss Myrtle Rosland left Saturday for her home at Holt, where she will spend the holidays visiting her parents.

Miss Gerda Mortenson, who teaches in the local schools, will spend the holidays at the home of her parents at Fosston.

Don't forget to take home that Brick of Puritas Ice Cream for your Christmas dinner dessert. For sale by all confectioners. d23

Miss Irene Mulberg returned to her home at Steiner Tuesday morning after having spent a few days here as the guest of friends.

Miss Loretta Causin, who attends the local high school left for her home at Hazel on Friday to remain over the Christmas holidays.

Miss Gaya Olson of Middle River, visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week. She returned to her home on Saturday.

W. W. Prichard, Sr., who attended a meeting of bankers and farmers at Crookston on Thursday, returned to his home here Friday morning.

Mrs. O. R. Sande returned to her home at Steiner Tuesday morning after a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Misses Linda and Olga Koglin, who attend the local high school, left this morning for their home at Steiner where they will spend the holidays.

Mrs. Chas. Crombis, accompanied by her son and daughter, returned to their home at Red Lake Falls Tuesday after spending the day shopping.

Mrs. Anna Alderman returned to her home at Crookston Monday afternoon having passed a week as a guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Mattson.

Miss Avis Akre will arrive this evening from Little Falls and will spend a two week's vacation as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre.

Miss Lyda Batten will leave tomorrow morning for her home at Rosewood where she will spend the Christmas holidays as the guest of her father.

Miss Agnes Tandberg arrived Monday morning from Grand Forks where she is a student at the University, to pass the holidays visiting at her home.

Mrs. Harry Dybvik arrived here Saturday afternoon from Baudette and will spend the holiday season as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker.

Miss Clara Sorenson will arrive tomorrow evening from Rosewood to spend the Christmas holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Arnold Jackson, who spent a few days visiting at the home of his parents at Ada, returned Tuesday morning to continue his duties at the Crown barber shop.

Miss Winnie Booren of Stillwater arrived here Tuesday evening and will spend an indefinite period as the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren.

Misses Florence Nylander and Ruth Freistedt, instructors in the local schools, will leave this evening for their homes at Duluth, where they will remain over the holidays.

James and Chas. Prichard, both students at the Minnesota University, arrived yesterday to spend their vacations at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Miss Ruth Koepp, a former student of the local high school, visited with friends here the latter part of last week. She returned to her home at Middle River on Saturday morning.

Swedish and Norwegian Postcards at Laird's. d23

Miss Caroline Mellby, who is attending the Moorhead Normal, is expected to arrive tomorrow morning for a two weeks' vacation to be spent at the home of her mother in this city.

Mrs. H. A. VanRohr, accompanied by Mrs. F. H. Thomas and daughter, Lucille, shopped in this city on Friday and Saturday. They returned to their respective homes at Greenbush Saturday morning.

Miss Olga Lindquist, accompanied by her sister, Miss Nora, who is a student in the local high school, left this afternoon for their home at St. Hilaire, where they will remain over the Christmas holidays.

Rufus Barackman, a student at Macalester arrived here Friday evening from Minneapolis to spend the holidays as the guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman, and sister, Mrs. M. W. Brink.

Miss Maybelle Ostby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ostby of this city, arrived here Monday morning for a two weeks' vacation. Miss Ostby entered upon her freshman year at Carleton college this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson, accompanied by Misses Edith and Olive Nelson and Walter Berg, were shoppers in this city on Thursday. They returned to their respective homes at St. Hilaire on the afternoon train.

Miss Phyllis Dock left Friday afternoon for Crookston where she remained with friends until the following morning when she continued to Fergus Falls to visit during the Christmas holidays with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Dock.

Fresh eggs 65c. Phone 3354. d23p

J. A. Russel of Steiner was a business caller in this city Saturday.

Miss Selma Swenson of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Monday between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Odegaard of St. Hilaire were in the city Tuesday on a shopping expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rowan will spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Rowan's parents at Argyle.

Ray Johnson, city salesman for the Thief River Grocery company, was a visitor at Crookston over Sunday.

Kenneth Wattam returned Monday morning from the twin cities where he visited with friends since Friday.

Mrs. Louis Rosland of Holt, returned to her home Saturday morning after a brief visit with friends and relatives here.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, one of the local teachers, will spend the Xmas holidays as the guest of relatives at Grand Forks.

Mrs. John Storholm returned Friday morning from Grand Forks, where she had spent a couple of weeks visiting with relatives.

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Miss Margaret Mealy will leave this evening for Minneapolis where she will spend her vacation at the home of her parents.

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Mrs. A. Soderberg left Friday afternoon for Buxton, N. D., where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Dr. Forest of Clearbrook brought a patient to the Physicians hospital here on Sunday morning, a surgical operation being imperative.

David Johnson, county superintendent of schools in Marshall county visited with friends here Tuesday enroute to Middle River on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown and daughter, Miss Ruth, are expected to arrive tomorrow morning from the cities where they had spent a week.

Miss Ada Whipps will leave this evening for her home at Minneapolis where she will spend her two weeks' vacation as the guest of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence left the first of the week for Watertown where they will remain over the holidays as guests of the former's parents.

Miss Louise Erickson will arrive tomorrow morning from Moorhead to spend the Xmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson.

Mrs. Fred Hendrickson returned to her home at Minot, N. D., Saturday afternoon after a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Isaacson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross and son Richard, left last evening for Laverne where they will remain over Christmas as the guests of the latter's parents.

Miss Nellie Everett of Argyle visited with friends here the first of the week. She left yesterday morning for Holt where she will spend a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. P. Modin, accompanied by her two children, returned to their home at Middle River Saturday after spending a short period in this city receiving dental treatment.

Henry Stengleson, validictorian of 1920, of the local high school, visited with friends here Saturday enroute to his home near Holt. Mr. Stengleson is a student at St. Olaf college.

Miss Irene Patrick leaves this evening for her home at Hinkley where she will remain over the holidays. Miss Patrick is one of the members of the teaching corps in this city.

Christmas Tree Trimmings at Laird's. d23

Miss Amelia Hoorn, who teaches mathematics in the high school here, left this afternoon for her home at Fergus Falls, where she will spend her Xmas vacation visiting her parents.

Miss Florence Aalberg arrived Friday evening from Erskine where she is engaged as instructor in the high school, to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg.

Miss Helen Weeks returned to her home here Monday morning from Northfield, where she attends St. Olaf college and will spend the Christmas holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Misses Palma and Nora Holmes of Sioux Falls, S. D., are spending their Christmas vacation as guests of relatives and friends in this vicinity. The former teaches in the vicinity of Sioux Falls, while Miss Nora is employed as bookkeeper at the latter named place.

P. L. Anderson, manager of the creamery at Holt, visited with friends here Friday.

J. Grebnagle, agent at Strathcona, arrived here Tuesday for a brief visit with friends.

C. A. Nason returned Friday morning from Crookston where he had been attending to business affairs.

F. A. Tripp, agricultural instructor will spend his Christmas vacation visiting at the home of his parents in Minneapolis.

Miss Grace Iverson, instructor in the local school had as her guest the first of the week her friend, Miss Gallager of Cass Lake.

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Miss Blandine Belanger, instructor in the local schools will leave for her home at Duluth this evening to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. John Skomedahl of Steiner attended to shopping in this city the latter part of last week. While here she also visited with relatives.

Miss Evangeline Burns will arrive tomorrow morning from Lakota and will remain in this city over the New Year as the guest of her parents.

G. B. Mellby, instructor of science, leaves this evening for his home at Minneapolis where he will be the guest of his parents for two weeks.

Roy and Bernard Barzen, both students at Marquette University, Milwaukee, are expected to arrive home this week to pass the holiday vacation.

Miss Dorothy Bottleson arrived Friday morning from Hamline University and will spend two weeks as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottleson.

Miss Lillian Poppitz, instructor of home economics at the local high school, will leave this evening for her home at Heron Lake to spend the holidays.

Christmas Tree Trimmings at Laird's. d23

Roy Flattum, a student at St. Olaf college, Northfield, arrived here Monday morning to pass the Christmas holidays. Mr. Flattum was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1920.

Milton Weeks arrived home the first of the week to spend the holidays as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks. Mr. Weeks is a student of a theological seminary at Minneapolis this year.

Leland Schuster, who is a student at the University of North Dakota, arrived here the latter part of last week to spend the Christmas holidays as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schuster.

Miss Mary Prichard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., returned to her home here yesterday to spend the holidays at the home of her parents. Miss Prichard is attending the University of Minnesota.

Miss Marrian Bishop arrived home yesterday morning from Minneapolis, where she is a student at the university, and will spend the holiday vacation as a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Miss Elaine Swanson, field representative of the American Red Cross who has been working throughout Pennington county for the past several weeks, left for Mahnomen Monday morning, from where she will continue to Minneapolis for the holiday season.

Miss Lucille Burns, who is engaged in teaching school at Cambridge, arrived here Monday from Minneapolis, wrere she was the guest of Miss Ardith Arpin over Sunday. Miss Burns will remain here over the Christmas holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Miss Louise Wilson returned Monday from Yakima, Wash., where she spent several weeks visiting with relatives and friends. She is well pleased with the trip both ways, but found nothing particularly fascinating about the West as a place of abode.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Miss Emma Hoff who is engaged in teaching school at Baudette, arrived here Monday afternoon and will spend a brief period as the guest of her friend, Mrs. Wm. Frederick, enroute to Oslo where she will spend the remainder of her vacation as the guest of her sister.

Fresh eggs 65c. Phone 3354. d23p

Att'y. E. M. Stanton was a business caller at Goodridge on Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire, visited with friends here on Thursday.

Cyrus, Fillmore and Vernon Malberg were in this city Saturday attending to business matters.

Misses Tina Wasness and Lulu Allen of St. Hilaire, attended to shopping in this city on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Anderson arrived here on Tuesday from Crookston to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Mill Lilly Hoard, who is a student at the University of North Dakota, is spending her vacation at her home in this city.

Miss Theresa Giefer returned to Goodridge on Monday morning after spending the week end as a guest at her home here.

Mrs. Wm. Wendt returned to her home at Holt Wednesday after spending some time in this city receiving medical treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Ferdinandson came down from their home at Goodridge on Friday and spent the day attending to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sagmoen of Rosewood were visitors in this city Tuesday evening. They returned to their home yesterday morning.

Roy Miller, who attends the North Dakota university, is spending the Christmas holidays as the guest of his mother, Mrs. Betsey Miller.

Mrs. Harry Weber returned to her home at Germantown the latter part of last week, having spent a few days here as the guest of friends.

Miss Esther Anderson, who attends the local high school, left Saturday morning for her home at Rollis to remain until after the New Year.

C. L. Hansen, who was in attendance at the meeting of bankers and farmers at Crookston on Thursday, returned to this city on Friday morning.

Miss Mildred Jahr, who teaches school near this city, left on Saturday morning for her home at Holt where she will spend her two week's vacation.

Roy Brown, assistant cashier at the Great Northern depot, spent Sunday at Bronson as the guest of his brother-in-law and Sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Englebert.

Miss Phyllis Curtis returned to this city the first of the week from Northfield where she is a student at Carleton college, to visit at her home during the Christmas vacation.

Miss Esther Sundahl who is engaged in teaching school at Bronson is expected to arrive the latter part of this week to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents.

Swedish and Norwegian Postcards at Laird's. d23

R. B. McWilliams departed Friday evening for Hampton, Ia., where Mrs. McWilliams and daughter Helen are visiting at the home of her parents and where they will remain until after the holidays.

Mrs. R. Sagmoen, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Isabelle Sagmoen arrived here Thursday evening from Rosewood to spend the evening visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Ray Sumpter, who is ill at the local hospital.

Miss Clara Sorenson, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Synnova Sorenson were week end guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sorenson. They returned to Rosewood Monday morning.

Ida McDonald arrived here Tuesday evening from Bemidji where she has been employed and was the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Nicholson enroute to her home at Gatzke where she will spend the holidays.

Halvor, George and Oscar Olson, residing in Numedal township, were in this city Saturday evening visiting with friends.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, operator at the Great Northern, depot, left Monday afternoon for Crookston where she will be the guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy. Mrs. Montgomery will be absent for a period of a month and will be relieved by Mr. Lade of Minneapolis.

Arthur Simonson, accompanied by his son, Melvin, were in the city on Saturday attending to shopping.

Misses Kathleen Ures and Marguerite Burns, who attend the North Dakota university, arrived here the first of the week to spend the holidays. The former will be a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Victoria McKinney, while the latter will visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

ACCOUNTANT WINS RAPID PROMOTION

Mr. Eckmann is now cashier of the Union Light, Heat & Power Co., Fargo, N. D. He began there as bookkeeper about 7 months ago, after completing his studies at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. This firm's new accountant, W. F. Mensing, is also a D. B. C. graduate. They prefer students of this school, finding them alert, capable, progressive.

All wholesale houses in Fargo but one employ D. B. C. graduates. So do big firms throughout the North. ● "Follow the SucceSSful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for terms.

When the Bells Ring Out for Christmas

WE FOLKS hope that this will be the best ever Christmas for you and your folks; that it will bring to you the same old thrill which has come down through the centuries, the same renewing of youth, the same magic appeal of good fellowship.

Greetings!

CITIZENS STATE BANK

In your record of happy Christmases may the present one be the most prominent and the coming year take first place in the list of your successes.

We thank the public for the courtesies extended during the past season and hope to merit a continuance of its favors.

Northern Woodwork Co.

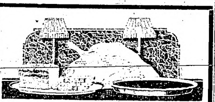

We have a variety of Ice Cream Bricks made up for the Holidays, such as the Neapolitan, Orange Blossom, Palmerhouse, Tutti-Frutti, Pineapple Fruit, Strawberry, Chocolate and our Christmas Special, a plain Vanilla Brick with a Red Christmas Bell Center Mould. For your Christmas Dinner, can you think of a more wholesome or appropriate dessert?

For sale by all confectioners.

Kiewel Products Co.
Thief River Falls Minnesota
The Home of Puritas Ice Cream.

Happy Days

THE days are here when gloom, and fear, and trouble must depart; when everyone must think of fun, and joy be in each heart; when greed and hate every trait that's selfish or that's mean should take a tip, and pack its grip, and leave the happy scene. Friend unto friend does now extend a wish for luck and cheer. For Christmas Day and New Year, gay, we make this wish sincere; May these days bring you everything that makes for gladness, true—and may they bless you with success that lasts a whole life thru.

Chas. Lieberman
Clothier
Thief River Falls

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MERRY CHRISTMAS.

The Times wishes all its readers a Merry Christmas. The period that has passed since this wish was last expressed has, on the whole, been kind to our people. If at times it has seemed as if things were turning out badly, with the outlook far from reassuring, we have found that our worst fears have failed to marterialize and that nothing turned out quite as serious upon actual contact as it promised to be when we first caught sight of it coming towards us.

As is usually the case, the people of the United States have more to be thankful for than those of any other nation. Our problems are grave, but not nearly so grave as are those of other countries. The outlook at least holds a promise of brightness, whereas with a large number of peoples in other parts of the world there can be found but little grounds for a similar feeling.

This should make us glad of the fact that we are living in America and anxious to assist those who are not so fortunately situated. We would all enjoy this Christmas season more were it not that there is so much misery in the world. In sections of Europe thousands are facing starvation, a condition not even approached by the few in this country. There will be only misery in store for these in any event, while death through hunger will be the inevitable result for many unless we come to their relief. This opens an opportunity for giving a Christmas present really worth while. The best plan for doing this will soon be presented and we should be ready and willing to respond. We will all be happier if conscious of having done what we can to alleviate this great suffering, which will fall with particular severity upon the children. It is the one Christmas present demanded by civilization at this time.

A DIFFICULT UNDERTAKING.

The people of Grand Rapids in this state—or some of them—are trying to have the name of their town changed. They have come to the conclusion that the designation is confusing, there being two or three places in other states with the same name. Their case is somewhat aggrevated by the fact that a sizeable city in Michigan is called Grand Rapids and that in abreviating the state's name, as is the almost invariable custom, errors are easily made, greatly to the detriment of the smaller town. Their demand for a change is very natural.

But it is not an easy matter. About five years ago, upon his arrival in Thief River Falls, the first thing the present editor of The Times started out to do—after finding a place where he did not have to pay board in advance—was to suggest that in the interest of economy and convenience it would be a good thing if a word or two were lopped off the name of the city. The attempt was not a success. Nice ladies wrote sarcastic notes pointing out several apparent defects in the editor's general makeup while a number of large, rude men threatened to alter the contour of his classic mug if he did not desist.

The Grand Rapids folks will find it a hard problem. Any name that has stuck to a commudity for half a century or so is liable to stay stuck. And it does not particularly matter whether it is a very common one like Grand Rapids or a most unusual one like Thief River Falls.

THEY KNOW ITS VALUE.

Everyone realizes that this is not a particularly favorable time for asking a man to join anything that costs money. For this reason the responce met with by the solicitors for farm bureau members proves that our farmers realize the importance of keeping that organization at its top efficiency by becoming members and thus lending their support. Field workers report that in many townships the membership will represent 75 and 80 per cent of resident farmers.

This is an excellent showing and proves that the bureau has been found of value. When the movement was first launched three years ago the farmers for the most part looked at it askance, many of them finding in the proposition a subject for considerable ridicule. The idea that any man coming out of a college would be able to teach anything about practical farming struck them as being too absurd for consideration. He might be a good fellow, of course, and perhaps needed the job, but so far as any practical results were to be expected from his work, that was out of the question.

They have changed their minds. Those who have come into direct contact with the work of the bureau—and this includes the large majority—would not be without it for four times its cost. They know that the advance made in general farming, stock raising and special departures, would have been impossible without the aid of the farm bureau and its executive agent. The organization has given them a special department toward which they could look with every confidence of having intelligent attention paid to their presentations. Others might be willing to help them but nothing else was organized for that particular purpose. It is the one place where they are always sure of a hearing and of getting direct action on any matter of essential concern to their class. It is their complaint department for one thing and information bureau for another.

In some counties more than 90 per cent of the farmers have joined the bureau. Pennington may not do quite as well just now but even this record will be improved on before very long.

A DANGEROUS PRACTICE.

The national board of fire underwriters has called attention to the danger lurking in the Christmas candle movement. The idea is very pretty and there is no objections to be advanced on the score of its intention, but the results of following it out are full of danger and should be brought to the attention of everyone.

The plan of placing a lighted candle in the window on Christmas Eve is a very old one and the tradition is that it will light the Christchild on His way and bring happiness to the home.

Now a solemn warning is sounded against such display of sentimentality. It is claimed that the placing of candles near curtains with the intention of leaving them until burned down—or even if removed before that time—is so great as to endanger both life and property.

Three years ago a similar suggestion was made by the Red Cross when it was urged that service flags be placed in windows with a candle behind them. When the dangerous nature of such performance was called to the officers' attention a hurry call was sent out urging that great care be exercised and that elecric lights be substituted for candles.

While the idea itself is beautiful it hardly seems worth the risk. In many homes the inmates would go to bed leaving the candle burning and the result might be most serious. With inflammable material of many kinds scattered about rooms it is certainly the part of common sense to keep flames as far removed as possible.

STARTING OFF WRONG.

A kick that would make a mule's look wan and weak should be the answer of the people to the proposed plan to have the Babcock road system handled by a commission of five unpaid men. As a rule men who work for nothing are worth almost that much. A better plan would be to engage an executive at $25,000 or more a year, and see to it that he is big enough to earn his salary.—Baudette Region.

The only way in which a more unsatisfactory plan than that proposed could be employed would be by making the committee larger. There would no doubt be a grand rush for the places. Most men would be tickled to death to have an oppdrtunity of becoming personally responsible for the proper expenditure of ten millions of dollars without in any manner being compensated for their time and trouble.

If The Times is correctly informed as to the tentative program, no time should be lost in knocking it in the head. Of the five men to be appointed on this committee it is the intention to have one from each of the three large cities, leaving two to look after the interests of the rest of the state. This might suit Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth—and again it might not. These cities are as a matter of fact more interested in having good roads in the country districts at a distance from their municipal limits than in improving the already excellent roads in their immediate vicinity. The farther from the centers of population the new highways extend the better for the centers. In making up this program it hardly seems probable that wishes of the people living in these cities were consulted.

If the plan is carried out this supervising board will contain one man representing everything north and west of Duluth and another performing the same duty for all the rest of the state outside the twin cities. As soon as this is generally understood there will be howl go up that will start the Babcock enterprise off under a cloud of disappointment and suspicion.

If there must be a supervisory committee—and it is by no means certain that such is the case—it should be composed of men representing every section. One from each congressional district would be a much better plan than the one proposed. This committee might act as an advisory body, each member acquainting himself particularly with the conditions in the district represented by him. Where important questions arose this committee could act as a board of appeal to which such controversies as arose over the best plan to be followed in any given locality might be referred. The members should be paid for their work. No very satisfactory results could otherwise be expected.

This Babcock road proposition has moved along in a highly pleasing manner to date. Let's not at this late hour do something that will jeopardize its success. Any plan that even remotely appears as if it might benefit the larger cities to the detriment of the rest of the state would surely have this effect.

Development and Value of Full Page Advertisements

(Rock County Herald.)

The first retail store in America—or anywhere—to use one entire page of a daily newspaper for its announcement was "The Fair," a Chicago department store. This was a little more than thirty-five years ago.

When "The Fair" used its first page of newspaper space, the other merchants of Chicago concluded that the store would kill itself by such methods. The store, however, prospered amazingly, and is today one of the greatest retail establishments in America.

In this first full page advertisement the fashion was set of presenting store news in a store's advertisment—not merely claims and statements and generalities, but prices of things, details about articles of merchandise. The advertisement become a source of information for any prospective buyer. It possessed news value, for it described opportunities to save money—chances to secure unusual things at attractive prices.

As a matter of course, the example thus set by the Chicago store was quickly followed by stores in every big city in America—although many merchants felt that the example was an evil one, and simply set a ruinous pace, which only stores with great financial resources could afford to follow—even for a little while. That everywhere in America, the full page store advertisement was to become as common as had been the three-inch one, did not seem a reasonable supposition.

Up to the time mentioned the merchants of America had looked upon advertising wholly as an expense—not as a means of income, of profit and of public service. Cost alone was considered, not benefits to be derived. There had been an idea prevalent that a good store need not advertise. And so long as that idea prevailed in America, there were no really great stores. The advent of the full page advertisement was also the advent of the full-sized store—of the store devoted to public service, rather than to "private bargaining," as theretofore.

For the day of full publicity for stores marked the final passing of the store that had no fixed prices. The fashion of advertising prices made necessary an undeviating policy as to them, and placed all patrons upon an equal footing. In the days when advertising was unfashionable, few stores adhered to marked prices; and few patrons expected to really pay the prices demanded. The buying and selling of merchandise was, therefore, founded upon the business methods of the itinerant Assyrian frailties, and vanities for their immodest profits. With the coming of the new method of advertising prices, no store would be able, any more, to give to one buyer an advantage over another one.

Within the 35 years that had passed since the "full page" advertisement came into use, store management has undergone a complete and admirable change. Now, a store must make service its watch-word. It is a public institution. It purveys merchandise to the people in the light, and explains in its advertising why and how it happens to be able to offer goods of a particular kind at unusual prices.

And the people have come to view the functions of the stores in a better light. There still remain stores that do not advertise—but there is not, today, a single one of the slightest importance of which this may be said. So that the store that does not advertise is at once under suspicion—suspected of not being able to prosper under the *"Advertising Test"*—of not having goods to sell that would sell more readily because people were told all about them. So, where in the old days, unprogressive merchants argued that it was undignified for a good store to advertise, the managements of even hte most exclusive stores now-a-days realize that nothing at all can be accomplished without publicity.

It is quite indisputable, therefore, that adequate store-advertising has changed the conditions of merchandising, and re-made the buying and selling habits of the people completely. And that the change has been vastly for the better seems too evident to require comment.

DOES NOT DISAPPOINT

Ten years ago there was much poverty in the north country, much actual shortage of food and clothing.

That condition has changed, year after year, until now the average family are fairly comfortable and fairly prosperous.

Ten years ago a large proportion of the families on the homesteads did not own a cow. Now there are almost as many cows in the townships as there are people.

The capable and industrous have prospered until many of them are worth thousands of dollars. Those less capable have greatly improved their condition.

This is not a get-rich-quick country, but it is a mighty good country for those who prefer to court prosperity by steady effort over a period of years.

It does not disappoint.

OBSERVATIONS.

(W. T. Noonon in Baudette Region.)

You can't do your Christmas shopping early now, but do it anyway.

A friend has promised us a quart for Christmas. It isn't the value but the spirit connected with a gift that counts.

Mink furs have dropped 400 per cent. They are so cheap that the working girl won't want them any more.

If they pass that law to put the electric chair in use in Minnesota, convicted murderers are going to be terribly shocked.

In another week a lot of husbands will wish that when the government deported the Reds it had included red neckties.

"Find No Whisky Buried in Cemetery" was a headline in Tuesday's Duluth Herald. Unfortunately the same can't be said of whiskey victims.

The big difference between Texas lands and Northern Minnesota lands is that the former sells for $300 an acre and the latter produces $300 an acre.

Now they claim that women won't be good jurors because they change their minds too often. They would be better than the average mule jury, which has nothing to change.

There is one nice thing about the Canadian liquor that comes to Baudette. It won't be so difficult to swear off it at New Year's.

That woman who is suing for divorce because her husband pasted her with a pie has the wrong idea. She should make up with him and go into the movies.

Cannot Escape Paying For Paper Taken From Office

Recently the supreme court of Minnesota handed down a decision in which every publisher in the state is interested, says the Houston Chief. There is not a publisher in the state but has had the experience with persons telling him they did not order the paper and although they had enjoyed it for months refused payment for the same. It is impossible for publishers to keep every name got on the subscription list. Now the supreme court in a recent decision says: "One may accept delivery and make use of a newspaper delivered to him, just as he may other things, under such circumstances as to make a contract implied in fact between him and the publisher." Every man who receives a newspaper knows that the publisher expects him to pay for the same and if he keeps on taking it from the postoffice under the supreme court's ruling, be compelled to pay for it.

EFFERVESCENCE

We'll bet that pullman car porter who couldn't pay a fine of $25 wasn't operating on any of the lines running into Canada.

This is the season of the year when mother wages her campaign against dad's smelly pipe by buying him a new one for which he doesn't give a continental.

An eminent artist calls jazz music 'depraved harmony.' Where does he get that harmony stuff?

Oolai thinks that some of the feminine movie stars who grace our bill boards this winter are rather insufficiently clad for this rigorous climate.

And then there is the newspaper account of the 'game loser who gave up when the stork brought the 34th'—but it developed that it was only a congressman friend of the family who gave up buying a suit of clothes for the father.

"If a member of congress talks sense, wears common ordinary clothes, respectable hair and a clean collar, he is not news," editorializes the American Legion Weekly. It should all be easy, but some of them seem to find the first utterly impossible.

If, as in the Pleistocene age, animals still reached a heighth of eighteen feet, what would beef steak be per pound? Tough, probably.

The Pioneer Press, because of the heading of this column, wants to know whether we bathe in champagne or soda water up here. Part of the answer is easy—during the cold weather many simply don't.

Ghosts are said to hold forth in a house on Tindolph avenue—possibly shades of John Barleycorn or some of his offspring.

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BUY!—go *ahead!*—this country is starting on a sound and unexampled period of development and prosperity.

Forward, *march!*—to a period of clear-headed, firm-knit, sinewy progress that knows what it wants, *and gets it*—in action, not words.

Speed up production through buying by faith.

You'll find when you come to this store for *Kuppenheimer good clothes* that we are doing our part—that price revisions here are six months ahead of what is expected of us.

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E. O. Mogensen
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MINNESOTA
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good"

Good Will

Christmas inspires an expression of appreciation for the friendly co-operation accorded our efforts in 1920. Fairness tempered the disappointments and encouraged progress.

In this holiday season it is our wish that all may be caught in the net of its happy spirit and enjoy a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

Nortz Lumber Co.

Society and Club

M. E. Ladies' Aid.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. James Hardisty on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 29, by Mrs. Hendry, Mrs. Hardisty and Mrs. Cruzan.

Burrel-Horejsh.

On Tuesday evening at 5:30 o'clock occurred the marriage of Robt. Howard Burrel to Miss Marie Horejsh. Judge Tarrant performed the ceremony. The couple was attended by Miss Anna Horejsh, sister of the bride and Chas. L. Schultz. The bride lives with her parents on Arnold Ave. S., while the groom is a fireman on the Soo, with headquarters in this city.

Skamfer-Odegaard.

Lester E. Skamfer of Abercrombie and Miss Gertrude Odegaard of Oslo, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage. Rev. Sweger, pastor of the church officiated. The couple was attended by Emil Flaa of Abercrombie, friend of the groom and Iren Odegaard, sister of the bride. Mr. Skamfer is superintendent of the Oslo school while the bride, previous to her marriage, taught in the same school. She is a graduate of the local high school. The newlyweds spent Sunday in this city visiting numerous friends and after a brief wedding trip will be at home at Oslo.

Lovell-Linde.

The many friends of Miss Agnes Linde, daughter of John O. Linde of this city, will be interested to learn of her marriage on Dec. 18 to Chas. C. Lovell at Vancouver, Wash. They will make their home at Portland, Ore., where the groom is employed by the Bridal Veil Lumber Co. The bride is well known in this city and attended the local schools, graduating from the high school with the class of 1913. Since that time she had been engaged in teaching school until the recent war when she was in the employ of the government. Since then she has been engaged in stenographic work. Miss Thrine Dosland, formerly of this city, now residing at Perley, acted as bridesmaid. The Times joins her host of friends in extending congratulations.

Birthday Party.

A delightful holiday event was the birthday party which Miss Gladys Christianson held at her home on Dec. 12th in commemoration of her 11th birthday anniversary. Sixteen of her young friends had the pleasure of the occasion and the hours between four and seven were pleasantly spent in playing various games. The decorations were in keeping with the season. Before leaving each guest was presented with a gift. The honored guest was also the recipient of many beautiful gifts. The guests included Lillian Johnson, Marian Reynolds, Dorothy Swedenburg, Bernice Hoppa, Irene Hanson, Eloise Carlson, Gertrude Bartlett, Lulu Rice, Ione Loken, Mildred Engen and Randall Noper, Earl Benson, Gordon Johnson, Carl Swedenburg, Harold Rustad, Richard Mabey.

Legion and Auxiliary

Yearly Rental of A Dollar.

A dollar a year is all the rent Henry Bushway, Jr., Post of the American Legion of Hamtramck, Mich., pays for its home. The city alderman recently gave the post a five-year lease on the old city hall.

"How does the Woman's Auxiliary help the Legion?"

That is the question which is being asked by many people of this community. Officers of the local post know of no better way of answering that question than by pointing out that the advance sale of tickets to the New Years' Eve ball given by the Elmer Eklund Post, is being put on by the newly formed Auxiliary.

By way of answering the question, the following paragraph as taken from the weekly bulletin submitted to Legion posts by the Minnesota department is printed.

"A joint Christmas party of the American Legion Post and the Woman's Auxiliary unit is being held at Two Harbors and a large increase in the membership of both organizations is expected to result from this display of community spirit. Other posts are holding joint meetings too, because they find it stimulates interest and attendance. St. Paul Post No. 8 Auxiliary gives the boys a little supper every meeting night—next night the boys will be called upon to judge the best of some score or more of juicy apple pies baked by the auxiliary members. The post used to have a hard time securing a quorum—now they come in droves! This cooperation between the Legion and its Auxiliary means a great gain in strength in carrying forward American Legion policies and arousing interest in post activities."

The weekly bulletin submitted by the Minnesota department of the American Legion, contains the following statement:

"A number of irresponsible ex-service publications have recently been collecting subscriptions in various parts of the country, including Minnesota. The Zero House is one of them, and the Veteran Motor Review is another. Unless you know positively that strangers represent publications of nation or statewide reputation, correspond with Department Headquarters before subscribing. Warn the people of your community to this effect. A paper known as The Bugle Call, published on the Mesaba Iron Range, has no authority to represent itself as indorsed by The American Legion."

The Legion will put a strong basket ball team into the field again this winter, the first game to be played at the city auditorium on the 5th or 7th of January, when the fast Fosston team or a team traveling out of the twin cities will be met. Holzknecht, Kiland and Hermanson of last year's team; McGinn, Hadrath and LaBree, stars of last year's high school team; Carlson, a new man connected with the Thief River Falls Candy company, and Brown, a former high school star and many others, have been showing up in first class fighting shape on the floor. There will be a keen competition for position. G. W. Connell who coached the Legion last year is acting in the same capacity this season.

News of Rail and Shop

Elling Larson and John Dahl, carmen, are absent from duty, attending to business affairs.

Roy Elofson and C. F. Erickson have been transferred from the roundhouse to the repair track where they will serve as carmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Obert Volden are spending the week with relatives at Gully.

Twin city visitors during the past week were: Carl Dahl, John Eliason, J. O. Peterson, Harry Mjelde, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Husby and Herbert Haugen.

Herman Clausen is spending the week with relatives at Detroit, Minn.

George E. White left for Minneapolis last night enroute for Chicago where he will spend the holidays with his parents.

Bernice Erickson left for Carlos, Minn., for an extended visit, on Tuesday.

D. L. Emery, agent at Whitman, has resumed work, relieving H. B. Pfiefer, who will spend Christmas at Vergas with friends.

J. S. Jenson, agent at Viking, was in Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday.

H. F. Thomas has been put on as warehouseman at Overly, relieving N. W. Axelson, who has been granted a leave of absence for the purpose of spending the holidays with his parents at Winnipeg.

C. H. Knutson relieved C. M. Holmes as agent at Busby, the latter having resigned.

R. L. Vandeusen, operator at Karlstad, has been relieved and granted a leave of absence of 90 days on account of reduced forces.

D. C. Payne, operator at Thief River Falls, visited with his parents at Erskine between trains Tuesday night.

Churches

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Christmas Day: Services in the German language at 10:30 a. m. Sunday: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., and English Christmas service at 10:30 a. m.

Christian Science Society—Services at city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Christian Science." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Presbyterian Church—R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Dec. 26: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Offering will be for Foreign Missions. 11 a. m. New Year service, special patriotic music. 8 p. m. evening worship. Appropriate subject and special music. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. Senior C. E. at 7 p. m.

Swedish Evangelical Mission Church O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Every pupil should make an attempt to be present, as this is the last Sunday of the year. Sunday school program Monday evening at 7:30 p. m. at St. Hilaire. Early services (Jul-otta) on Christmas morning at 6 a. m. On Sunday at Black River 11 a. m. and St. Hilaire 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended.

First Evan. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Christmas day: Early services at 6 a. m.: processional at 6 o'clock and preaching service at 6:30. Sunday, Dec. 26: Communion services at 10:30 a. m. and song service at 7:30 p. m. Monday evening: Children's program at 7 p. m. New Years' Eve: Annual meeting of the congregation. Lunch by the Ladies' Aid served free to all members and friends of the congregation. Program by the Luther League at 11 p.m.

Scandinavian Evan. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—The special meetings will begin Christmas day at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. and will continue for six days. On Sunday the 26th three meetings will be held; at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. and on each following day, two meetings at 3:00 and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Th. Mundus, evangelist from Norway will be the speaker at all these meetings and Mrs. Mundus will sing solos. On Christmas day at 7:30 p. m. the Sunday school will have a Christmas program. All are cordially welcome.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Christmas services Christmas day at 11 a. m. Christmas tree fest Christmas Eve. at 7:30 p. m. Service at Bethlehem church Christmas day at 2:30 p. m. Service at Rindal Sunday Dec. 26th at 11 a. m. Christmas tree fest at Rindal Dec. 26th at 7:30 p. m. Service at Norden Sunday, 2:30 p. m. The Red River Valley home mission society will hold meetings at Bethlehem church on the 28th, 29th and 30th and there will be meetings in Zion church (city) every evening from the 28th to 30, at 7:45 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Norwegian services Christmas day at 11 a. m. Christmas tree and program at the city auditorium in the evening at 7 o'clock. English services Sunday at 11 a. m. Sermon by Reuben Aga, student at Luther Seminary. Choirs will have special music for Saturday and Sunday services. No evening service on Sunday. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, Dec. 29, at the home of J. O. Sether. Young Peoples' society meets Dec. 30 in the church basement at 8 o'clock. Among the numbers on the program are; a vocal solo by Reuben Teslow, reading by Helen Weeks, piano solo by Elnor Overland and a speech by Milton Weeks, student of Luther Seminary.

Obituary

Mrs. C. M. Adkins.

Mrs. C. M. Adkins passed away at the Physicians' hospital on Thursday morning, Dec. 16. Marie M. Hill was born Sept. 18, 1880, in the state of Kansas. On Jan. 1, 1908, she was married to Dr. Chas. M. Adkins. They resided a short time in Kansas when they removed to Ogemah. From there they removed to Grygla where they remained for a period of seven years. A year ago the family came to this city. The funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon, Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the Presbyterian church conducting. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery. She leaves her husband, four children, several relatives and a large circle of friends to mourn her untimely departure. Mrs. Adkins became a Christian and a church member at an early age and was a member in good standing in the Presbyterian church at the time of her death. She was a woman of rare spirit and beauty of character. The whole community extend her sorely bereft family the sincerest sympathy.

Mrs. W. A. Swanson.

Mrs. Bertha O. Swanson, wife of W. A. Swanson of Rhoda, passed away near Thief River Falls on the evening of Dec. 8 after a lingering illness of many months. About four years ago Mrs. Swanson had a blood transfusion performed at Grand Forks. Since then she was really never strong. Some time in October she was obliged to confine herself to her bed. Everything was done for her that could be done, but of no avail, although at times it did seem that there was hope up to the last day or two, when a decided turn for the worse took place.

Mrs. Swanson was born and raised in Goodhue county, Minn. She was 44 years, 1 month and 10 days old at the time of her death. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, three stepchildren, a lot of friends and relations, a mother, Mrs. T. Ellingson of Makoti, N. D., four sisters, Mrs. Ben Telle of Meralrand, Mrs. Carl Swanson of Northfield, Mrs. Lars Nuderdahl of Willowmar, Sask., Mrs. Gilbert Thompson, and two brothers, Elling T. Ellingson and Ole Ellingson, all of Makoti, N. D.

Mrs. Swanson was quietly laid at rest in the Oak Park cemetery near Rhoda on Sunday. Her coffin was nicely decorated with floral offerings. Rev. Leirfallen officiated.

Christmas Seal Sales are Below Last Year's Record

While the 1920 Christmas seal sale is progressing in fine fashion, the results do not approach those of last year, according to officials of the Pennington County Health association. Stamps are being placed in the hands of school children, who are accomplishing exceptional results. Shirley Anderson and Margaret Melgaard have made sales that break all records for high school solicitors, J. J. McCann, county chairman of the drive, states. Miss Anderson sold $20 worth of stamps the past week-end, and Miss Melgaard sold $20.25 worth. Rural districts and villages of the county have not made returns as yet. The seal sale closes the first of January.

New County Agent Named For Neighboring District

William L. Fetridge, formerly of Oshkosh, Wis., has been appointed county agent for the district composed of eastern Marshall and western Beltrami counties, with headquarters at Grygla. Mr. Fetridge is a practical dairy farmer and will give particular attention to the development of that industry in his new field. He is reported as well pleased with the section to which he has been assigned and is certain that it has a bright future. Particularly does he declare himself enthusiastic over the prospects for alfalfa growing.

Miss Ann Patterson who is engaged in teaching at Coleraine, came up from St. Hilaire Tuesday, where she is spending the Xmas vacation with her parents and spent a brief period as the guest of numerous friends. Miss Patterson formerly taught in the local schools.

Their Medicine Chest For 20 Years

IT is characteristic of folks after they pass the allotted "three score years and ten," to look back over the days that are gone and thoughtfully live them over.

I find myself, at seventy-one, frequently drifting back a quarter of a century, when I see myself in the little drug store I owned at Bolivar, Mo., making and selling a vegetable compound to my friends and customers—what was then known only as Dr. Lewis' Medicine for Stomach, Liver and Bowel Complaints.

For many years while I was perfecting my formula I studied and investigated the laxatives and cathartics on the market and became convinced that their main fault was not that they did not act on the bowels, but that their action was too violent and drastic, and upset the system of the user; which was due to the fact that they were not thorough enough in their action, some simply acting on the upper or small intestines, while others would act only on the lower or large intestines, and that they almost invariably produced a habit requiring augmented doses.

I believed that a preparation to produce the best effect must first tone the liver, then act on the stomach and entire alimentary system. If this was accomplished, the medicine would produce a mild, but thorough elimination of the waste without the usual sickening sensations, and make the user feel better at once.

After experimenting with hundreds of different compounds, I at last perfected the formula that is now known as Nature's Remedy, which I truly believe goes further and does more than any laxative on the market today. The thousands of letters from users have convinced me I was right, and that the user of Nature's Remedy as a family medicine, even though he may have used it for twenty-five years, never has to increase the dose.

My knowledge of medicine and the results of its use in my own family and among my friends, before I ever offered it for sale, caused me to have great faith in Nature's Remedy from the very first.

And now as I find myself nearing the age when I must bow to the inevitable and go to another life, my greatest pleasure is to sit each day and read the letters that each mail brings from people as old or older than I, who tell of having used Nature's Remedy for ten, fifteen and twenty years, and how they and their children and grandchildren have been benefitted by it.

It is a consoling thought, my friends, for a man at my age to feel that aside from his own success, one has done something for his fellow man. My greatest satisfaction, my greatest happiness today, is the knowledge that tonight more than one million people will take a Nature's Remedy (NR Tablet) and will be better, healthier, happier people for it. I hope you will be one of them.

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Hawaiian Smiles—Waikiki Hawaiian Orchestra
50671 Semper Fidelis March N. Y. Military Band
Trumpeter's Carnival-March Militaire N. Y. Military Band
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RIPEN ALFALFA SEED ON FARMS IN PENNINGTON

First Time Farmers Here Have Succeeded in Procuring Native-Grown Stock.

Result Considered of Great Importance in Establishing Standard Plant.

Much Land Last Year Sowed to Sweet Clover in Preparation For Alfalfa.

Harry Woolson, the well known farmer and stockman living five miles east of Thief River Falls in Silverton township, and Henry Eliason of Highlanding township, have on hand several hundred pounds of Grimm alfalfa seed which was ripened on their lands during the past season. These are probably the first instances in which quantities of alfalfa seed have ripened in the northwestern part of the state. It has been considered difficult if not impossible to ripen the seed in this climate and only very small amounts have previously been produced.

Grimm alfalfa seed is selling at prices ranging from seventy to eighty *cents per pound* and the growers should find a ready market for this acclimated seed. Growers are expected to receive with enthusiasm this announcement that the seed can be properly ripened in this section, as the high price of suitable seed has excluded many from planting this excellent forage. Ten pounds of seed to the acre is the average sowing.

J. J. McCann, county agent, states that during the past year 360 acres of Pennington county lands were planted to alfalfa and that this acreage will be increased to over 800 acres during the coming summer. Where planted in Pennington county, excellent results have been secured. In many instances growers secured three cuttings, which brought the average yield per acre for the year to more than six tons. The same land will yield an average of two and a quarter tons of tame hay. Sweet clover will yield approximately the same number of tons as alfalfa but does not constitute as palatable a forage.

Considered Best Locality.

The soil of Pennington county is remarkably adapted to the growing of alfalfa, being rich in lime, which is one of the essential elements necessary to the growing of the plant. Mr. McCann also states that Pennington county and the immediate vicinity has proven to be one of the best localities in the entire state as regards to the growing of alfalfa as a forage. It is considered one of the coming crops of this section.

Approximately 2000 acres of ground in the county are now sown to sweet clover by way of preparing the soil for the planting of alfalfa seed. In many instances a chemical preparation has been used to inoculate the soil where it was desired to raise alfalfa. This is rather an expensive measure and is not necessary when sweet clover is previously grown on the soil, sweet clover serving to inoculate the ground as efficiently as the chemicals used. Seed ripened and threshed in this section should prove a great factor in increasing the alfalfa acreage in the county, as it will be acclimated and adapted to this soil, securing good results with the first crops.

Common Thresher Used.

Mr. Eliason on May 20, 1918 planted an acre of ground with a chemically inoculated seed. As it was not possible to cut the crop for forage the first year owing to the fact that the plant did not root well, a common mower was used to clip the tops after the plants had reached a heighth of several inches. This clipping took place twice during the first season and the result was a well rooted sod. Three crops of forage were cut during the season of 1919.

During the last of June this year the acre of ground yielded seven large loads of forage. Cattle destroyed a great part of the new crop which followed; but the balance when cut late in September and threshed, yielded approximately 200 pounds of excellent seed. The alfalfa was threshed in a common grain thresher of small cylinder, the straw after the first threshing being passed through the machine for the second time.

Mr. Eliason states that he does not consider two cuttings a season advisable where it is desired to ripen for seed and that his success this year with the second crop was due to the extremely warm weather which existed during the month of September.

Excellent Milk Producer.

He further states that the plowing of land to be devoted to alfalfa raising should take place in the fall, and that the soil should be well packed. It has been his experience that ground should be carefully selected, as a high, well-drained soil is required to avoid the possibility of the plant being drowned out by excessive rains. Alfalfa after cutting proves easy to handle, though it is necessary to rake it into windrows before it becomes too dry, in which state the leaves are lost.

According to Mr. Eliason all stock takes very readily to alfalfa as a forage. He has found it second to no other as a milk producer and that hogs thrive upon it.

ACTIVE WORK FOR JUNIOR RED CROSS

Chapter Reorganized and Will Continue Work With Entire County as Field.

Plans which will effect a complete reorganization of the Pennington county chapter of the Junior Red Cross were formulated at a meeting held at the office of County Superintendent of Schools George M. Gunderson on Saturday afternoon. It is expected that the reorganization will be completed by the first of the coming year. Those present at the meeting were: Elaine Swanson, field representative of the state department of the American Red Cross; L. S. Johnson, superintendent of the St. Hilaire consolidated school; Mrs. J. J. Richter of the Pennington County Public Health association; Superintendent George M. Gunderson; W. A. Ziegler, superintendent of the Thief River Falls schools; John Nystul, instructor in the Goodridge school; Ruth Johnson, Thief River Falls school nurse; Andrew Dahl, health committee chairman of the Teachers Progressive League of Pennington county, and Myrtle Satre and Nettie Johnson, committee chairmen of the Teachers Progressive league.

Mr. Gunderson received his appointment as chairman of the Junior Red Cross from the chairman of the parent body, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich. He has appointed Superintendent L. S. Johnson of the St. Hilaire school as vice chairman, John Nystul of Goodridge as secretary and Superintendent W. A. Ziegler as treasurer.

Reorganization in the out-lying sections of the county will proceed thru the Teachers' Progressive league. Each school will be made a unit of the organization. Superintendent Johnson will assume charge of the work in the St. Hilaire school and Superintendent Norby in the Goodridge school. A creditable junior organization already exists in the schools of Thief River Falls.

Yearly dues have been set at 45 cents per school. Dues formerly were 25 cents per member, which resulted in accumulating the sum of approximately $700 now in the treasury. This fund was a factor taken into consideration when reorganization was discussed, owing to the fact that it would undoubtedly revert to the senior organization if the Junior Red Cross should be discontinued. It is planned to devote this money toward the carrying out of some county project, preferably one that would assist in the protection of the public health.

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IN wishing all our patrons a Merry Christmas we thank them for the liberal patronage extended and express the hope that we may merit its continuance.

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WANTS TAX LEVIED ON BANK DEPOSITS

Congressman Believes Billion Dollars Annually Would Be Provided by Bill.

A tax of one-quarter of 1 per cent on all bank deposits is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Treadway of Massachusetts, a Republican member of the House ways and means committee.

Mr. Treadway estimates that such a tax would net a revenue of approximately $1,000,000,000 annually.

Collection of the tax would be made at the time deposits were made, and institutions affected would include all national, state and private banks, trust companies, brokers' offices and other institutions, firms or corporations receiving any money on deposit subject to withdrawals by check, cash or otherwise.

Mutual savings banks, co-operative building and loan associations and similar institutions organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of their members would be exempted.

The bill was referred to the House ways and means committee, which is considering changes in internal revenue schedules.

Mr. Treadway said that the latest report of the comptroller of the currency "shows that the amount of exchanges of clearing houses of the United States for the year 1919 was $387,001,941,000."

COST OF PRODUCING WHEAT FIGURED OUT; SHOWS LOSS AT $2.24

"Citizen" Maintains That it Costs $29.04 Per Acre to Raise Cereal Under Present Conditions—Takes Over 14 Bushels to Pay Expenses.

It costs $29.04 to raise and market a bushel of wheat at the present time, according to a correspondent of The Times in this city. He has made a table showing the cost of each operation connected with the production of an acre of wheat, his figures being as follows:

Plowing	$ 2.00
Seed (1½ bu. at $2)	3.00
Seeding	.45
Dragging	.22
Harvesting	1.75
Shocking	.33
Threshing	1.50
Taxes, local	.60
Land rent (¼ of crop)	5.00
Interest (land val. $75, 5%)	3.75
Board	2.60
Profit allowed (15c per bu. on 13 bu.)	1.30
Hauling (8c per bu)	1.04
Feed (50c per 10 acres)	3.75
Total	$29.04

With wheat at $2.24 per bushel and a yield of 12 bushels the receipts from an acre would be $29.12. If the price is $2 per bushel the following would be the result: A yield of five bushels per acre would net $10, leaving the grower $19.04 to the bad; if he secured a crop of 10 bushels he would be out $9.04, while if his yield ran up to 13 bushels he would still be short $3.04 when it came to covering costs.

Queer Sights and Sounds Reported at Haunted House

A couple of chairs get together and do the shimmy; the table pirouettes about, alternating on its four legs; the stovepipe does a grapevine; the books turn over a few new leaves and decide to stick to the stately waltz; the sofa glums onto the kitchen range and they shake a wicked hoof in a one step; the family bible even loosens up and cuts a few capers. Elderly ladies disappear and reappear at will; strange footsteps are heard tramping up and down the walk, but no human is visible; odd colored lights glow in the rooms; lavender colored smoke issues from the chimney; queer noises emanate from the attic; the very trees in the yard move about at will. All of these and many more queer sights are said to have been seen in or near a supposed haunted house on North Tindolph avenue.

OPPORTUNITIES

Banks, wholesale houses and business concerns of all kinds want younger men and women with a business education. To qualify for a good position takes but a short time and cost but little. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out what this successful school can do for you.

Men Wanted!

Fifty men wanted at A. J. Rogalski's saw mill at Mahnomen. Wages $50 per month and upward, including board. Come at once, prepared to begin work.

MRS. CHAS. DEWEY WELL AND HAPPY

"The Wonderful Relief Tanlac Gave Me Would Make Anyone Rejoice," She Says.

"It's enough to make anybody rejoice to get the wonderful relief a few bottles have brought me," declared Mrs. Chas. Dewey, of 2600 Colfax avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.

"For about four years before I got Tanlac I suffered from a severe case of indigestion and stomach trouble. The little I ate would sour in my stomach and gas almost shut off my breath.

"I also suffered a great deal from constipation, and I had such terrible spells of headaches and dizziness that I would have to lie down until they would wear off. My sleep was very poor and restless, and I would get up in the mornings feeling about as bad as if I hadn't gone to bed at all.

"This was the condition I was in when I first heard about Tanlac, and since taking this medicine I never had a better appetite in my life than I have now. Everything seems to agree with me perfectly, for I never have a sign of indigestion or gas, and my breathing is free and easy.

"I am no longer bothered with constipation and the headaches and dizziness have entirely disappeared. My sleep is sound and refreshing, and I'm feeling just fine in every way. I owe my present good health to Tanlac, and I certainly am grateful for all it has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—Adv.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney has moved her hemstitching parlors from the Scandia block to the Evenson Apts, 416 Main Ave. N. D23

DAIRY
January 1st

Discovered!

On this glad New Year's Day a real find—a bottle of our rich, wholesome, creamy milk, as pure as the driven snow. Resolve to receive no other milk this year but our high grade, bottled, pasteurized kind. Drink it every day for your health's sake.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

WE desire to express our deep appreciation of your valued and friendly co-operation which has assisted us in our success of the past. In extending to you our cordial greetings for the festive season we sincerely hope that the new year will give you its full measure of prosperity.

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

Christmas Greetings

To the People of This Neighborhood:

On this, our first Christmas Season among you, we wish to extend our thanks for the liberal patronage that has been bestowed. Arriving at a time when conditions were somewhat unsettled, our success has greatly exceeded the expectations.

At the same time that we express this appreciation for past favors, we wish to assure the people of this section that the policy which has met with such decided approval will be maintained in the future. Every effort will be made to merit your confidence.

That this holiday season may be filled with good cheer and happiness for every person in this entire section is our most sincere wish.

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Editorial.

Think it Over.

Students! That long-looked for Christmas vacation has arrived. In these "whirl-wind" times, two weeks is a long time and should have some consideration, that it may be spent in the best way possible. It is a vacation that you can be thankful for because it comes in the middle of the school year when each student and teacher as well, would expect and needs a rest. It is a time when your mind can relax and when your body receives more physical exercise, enabling you to be more fresh and ambitious during the coming new year. This does not mean that during vacation one should make himself as lazy as possible for in this bustling world of today such a thing would make everything as well as yourself come to a stand still. Therefore keep up your pep and ambition and make use of it during your vacation by doing something worth while. It will pay you. There are many useful things that can be done and yet not hinder the spending of your vacation as you first had planned. Think it over.

Vacation.

The schools of Thief River Falls closed today for a two week's vacation. In this bustling, bustling world of ours, two weeks is a long time and we may soon expect radical reformers to condemn the scandalous wasting of two weeks of very valuable time in a person's high school career. Now of course both faculty and students want a two week's Christmas vacation, but whether or not we are to keep on having it will depend a great deal on the attitude of the students toward it. Everyone will agree that a vacation during Christmas will do a student good. A happy sojourn with friends and family, mental relaxation for two weeks and a life of freedom during the cold, snappy Yuletide should make a student come back with greater determination, added zest, and a clearer mentality. If we all show this, we may be confident of a two weeks' vacation each year.

Vacation Time.

"Vacation time is the playtime for everyone," so goes the old saying, but this is not true necessarily, for one can gain complete rest and enjoyment from his vacation by being busily employed, provided his employment is different than his usual one. A vacation spent this way is a benefit to the spender, for it enables him to see that his profession is not the only one; and it also broadens and makes more keen his outlook on life in general.

On the other hand, a vacation may be spent in taking a "complete rest," perhaps reading a few books; seldom reading really "worth while" books, or else wasting their time doing nothing. A vacation spent in this manner, may have its benefits, but it is doubtful, for a brain that is in the habit of being used at every moment, loses some of its keenness by inactivity, even of the shortest duration. Then too, it does not rest a person to waste his time away; one often hears the expression, "I'm tired out, from doing nothing," and the time that is not spent in a profitable manner does not prove a benefit to anyone.

Do not waste your vacation time by remaining inactive, get busy, if you are a person that uses your physical powers in the daily routine more than your mental powers, then cultivate your mental powers. If you do this you will not only astonish yourself at your hitherto unrecognized ability, but you will also be astonished at the many benefits you have derived from this change and you will never go back to the old manner of spending your "playtime."

Chapel Exercises.

Monday morning the students of the Lincoln high school had the privilege of hearing another timely and very interesting talk on public health, by Mrs. J. M. Bishop, who spoke in the interest of the sale of Red Cross seals.

"As you came marching into the assembly," said Mrs. Bishop, "I noticed that you do not need physical assistance and therefore you should do everything in your power to help others who are not so fortunate.

"There is now a tendency among people to think of the good old days that were. I am only going to tell you of times which were not as good as they are now, and you will find that we have a great deal to be thankful for. I well remember conditions 18 years ago when there was no health inspection and people seemed to care little or nothing about sanitation and general health conditions. I once visited the Washington school. There was a girl who had a loathsome, communicable disease, who was attending school regularly because we had no school nurse and nothing was done to isolate communicable diseases. We started working for a school nurse, but it was an unappreciated, unfruitful undertaking. People were not used to having public school nurses and could not see why we should have one.

"At about the same time we started working for a sanitarium, but we encountered the same obstacles as in the case of the school nurse. One business man, on being confronted with the proposition, said that his father and two sisters had died from tuberculosis, at home. Now the reason that they died from tuberculosis was because they stayed at home. Tuberculosis is communicable, preventable and curable. While all patients who are taken to a sanitarium are not cured, they will at least not spread the disease to a number of innocent relatives and associates. I remember one pitiful case of a settler on the reservation east of town. He was suffering from the last stages of tuberculosis and came in to town and asked for a place to die, as he was living alone in a practically unsettled country. But we had no place to send him.

"Do you know that the percentage of tuberculars in the Red River Valley is higher than in any other section of the United States? This is caused largely by the pulmonary weakness of the Indians during the transitionary period from barbarism to civilization, and the tendency among the Scandinavians to overwork and neglect sanitation.

"Tuberculosis is one of the most dreaded diseases in the world today. In the United States there are over a million people who are afflicted to a certain degree. In Minnesota alone we have 20,000 cases. More people die from tuberculosis in the United States each year than the entire population of St. Louis county. Practically everybody is infected with tuberculosis *before the age of 21*. If a person's health is good he recovers; otherwise his chances of recovery are greatly decreased.

"The children are depended upon to educate the public in the matter of health promotion. Health is wealth. All the education a person may secure will avail him nothing, if his health is impaired. Every person in order to succeed must have some impossible ambition. Our ambition should be, 'A Minnesota Without Disease.'"

On Wednesday morning at the usual chapel time the student body was fortunate in having such a capable orator as Dr. Froehlich talk to us on the importance of health.

In introducing Dr. Froehlich, Supt. Ziegler briefly showed us the vast importance of health by the following remarks: "School may make a man a walking Encyclopedia, but this will only develop into a striking failure unless his health is taken care of."

Dr. Froehlich introduced his talk with a few remarks concerning the greatness of our present day opportunity which will some day become a realization, that is if we give our mind and body a chance to live. We may do this by "Building our own Defense," the predominating topic of the doctor's talk.

As individuals we are actors taking a part in a great play of life. Each and everyone of us plays a decisive part. To uphold this part we must "Build our own Defense" physically. In doing this the doctor explained the importance of physical training in high school, the proper food and the keeping of regular sleeping hours. The necessity of proper clothing was impressed upon our minds by a few brief illustrations. His crusade on the tobacco habit was strong.

The doctor's subject of "Build Your Own Defense" was divided into four parts, physically, mentally, morally and spiritually. In explaining these four important foundations to success he gave some splendid descriptions and discussions, much to the welfare of future life of the present day student.

Hamline Players.

On the evening of Jan. 3rd, Hamline Players of Hamline University, St. Paul, Minn., will appear at the auditorium under the auspices of the high school seniors and will present T. W. Robinson's well known three-act drama entitled, "Caste." These players have been making short tours for the past years, but this year they are booked for a month's trip through Minnesota, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota and a few southern Canadian towns. Last year these same players were out for two weeks and presented Israel Zangwill's well known play, "The Melting Pot." Every effort is being made this year to surpass their last year's success.

The play is one that is true to life and whose characterization is exceptionally good. The play has an English setting and is a story full of love and pathos which ends the life long struggle between the classes and the masses. At the time when the that of the English and American working men is so important to the world as a whole, as our papers attest, the play has a special intrinsic interest.

The students of the high school will canvass the city for the sale of tickets and you may expect them during the next week. The tickets will also be on sale at Lambert's drug store, prices being 50c, 75c and $1.00. Get yours now.

The Debate.

The debate Friday evening between the Thief River Falls and Roseau high school teams resulted in a complete victory for the representatives of the Lincoln high, debating the affirmative of the state question, "Resolved, That the Open Shop is Preferable to the Closed Shop in our Industrial System."

The Roseau team, altho swamped with proof and unrefutable argument, fought gamely and refused to admit defeat until the decision was given. Considering that this was the first debate of any importance that the members of our team have taken part in, we shall expect more from them in the next debate. The members of the Roseau team also showed debating ability and had it not been for a lack of experience and the sensation of speaking on a strange platform for the first time, the decision of the judges might not have been so decidedly in our favor.

The representatives of the Roseau high school were: Hilda Ulvan, Magnhild Hegerdahl and Vernon Cline. They were accompanied by Anna Connelly Olsen, as the coach, Carl Erickson being unable to accompany the team.

The members of the local team were Esther Soirds, Vernon Copp and Edward Fiterman.

The judges were S. L. Johnson of St. Hilaire; M. W. Holtsapple of Middle River and Prof. B. O. Norby of Goodridge.

After the debate refreshments were served by the girls of the debate forum.

Lost to Fosston.

The Lincoln high school basketball team lost the first game of the season to Fosston last Thursday, by a score of 20 to 16.

The Fosston team was a little late in arriving so the game was not called before nine o'clock. *Parenteau* got the tip-off at the start and the game was on. LaBree was fouled during the first two minutes, but Fosston failed to make the free throw. Fosston made the first basket in the first three minutes of play. They made a free throw after Penney was fouled for traveling. Both teams were somewhat wobbly at first and tried a number of long shots. Fosston was fouled twice, but LaBree missed the basket in the free shots. Fosston made two long shots and the quarter ended with a score of 7-0.

Parenteau started the second quarter with a basket, making the score 7-2. Ralston was fouled for holding and netted another point. A short shot and the score was 10-2, with the visitors in the lead. Fosston was fouled for holding. LaBree shot and brought our score up to 3. Parenteau adds two more points with a basket. Time was called. Play was started with Penney shooting a basket. Both teams were going fast and there seemed to be little difference in their strength. Fosston was called for a personal. LaBree shot and missed. Penney was called for a personal, but Fosston also shot and missed.

Herron was called for a personal and Fosston added another point to their score. The first half closed with a score of 11-7.

The second half opened with both teams fighting desperately and trying long shots. Fosston made a point after a personal was called on Penney. Two personals were called on Fosston, but both shots were missed. Parenteau netted a point by shooting the third personal on Fosston. The score at the end of the quarter was 12-8, with Fosston still in the lead.

Another personal was called on Fosston in the beginning of the last quarter, but our boys were unable to benefit by it. Fosston made a basket by a short shot. Penney makes a point after a personal on Fosston. Fosston shot another basket. Penney shot a basket and increased our score by two points. Fosston made two baskets and one free throw, making the score 20 to 16 in favor of Fosston at the end of the game.

Coach Tommerasen was ill and was unable to attend the game.

Personals.

Clarence Knudson and Dreng Bjornaraa conducted the Modern History and Physics classes last Monday in the absence of Mr. Melby.

Edward Lundberg, after spending eight months with relatives in Hibbing, returned to this city last Saturday to resume his studies at the local high school.

Bernhard Sundahl was absent from school three days last week on account of illness.

Kermit Anderson, for the first time in the history of the school, received a "B" in Physiology.

Mr. Melby (in Chemistry): "This equation is unbalanced."

Mary Vance and Beatrice Sandum in chorus: "I think all equations are unbalanced."

What can be more popular in Journalism class than Ernest Zeh—there's a reason—he bribes 'em with peppermints.

Clarence Rice will spend his Christmas vacation at his home in Plummer.

Marshall Race will spend his Christmas vacation at his home in Goodridge.

Alfred Dybvik, who has made extended visits to Goodridge the past three weeks has resumed his studies at the Lincoln high school.

Mr. Tommerasen, the physical culture teacher, has resumed his duties after a week's illness.

Found on a Geometry test paper: "A corollary is a term like a theorem, but shorter. An axiom a line inside of a locus."

Reuben A. (translating in Caesar): "There was a small swamp, not very large."

Shirley A. (in modern history): "The chicks (Czecks) had a little fight between themselves."

Clarence K. (selecting a magazine for a report): "Put me down for Life."

Eileen Herron (demonstrating the Harper's Bazaar magazine in English IV): "Well, this department is devoted to fashions."

Esther H.: "Oh, I'm going to get on the honor roll next month on my good looks."

Ruth H. (an honor student): "No wonder you didn't get on last month."

Burton A. (who had just dropped his pencil): "You know that 90 per cent of the times a piece of bread falls on the floor it falls on the buttered side and it is the same with my pencil because almost every time it falls, it falls on the point and breaks off."

What It Has to Say.

I am a tablet as you can see,
My owner paid a nickel for me,
But please do not slip me on the sly
If he should ask who? I would not
[illegible]

Alumni Notes.

Miss Dorothy Bottleson of the Class of '17, who has been attending school at Hamline, returned home on Friday to spend the Christmas vacation.

Reuben Teslow of the class of '17, who has been attending school at St. Olaf's, returned home on Wednesday to spend the Xmas vacation.

Elinor Dahlen of the class of '19, who has been attending school at the U. of North Dakota, arrived home on Saturday last.

Roy and Bernard Barzen will arrive home Monday from Milwaukee where they are attending school, to spend the holidays.

Leland Schuster, who is attending the University of North Dakota arrived home Saturday to spend the holidays at his home.

Roy Flattum, Stanton Dahlen and Agnes Tandberg, members of the alumni, who are attending St. Olaf's college, returned Saturday to spend the holidays at their respective homes.

Maebelle Ostby and Phyllis Curtis, members of the alumni, who are attending Carleton college, returned on Saturday morning to spend the holidays.

Kathleen Uree, who is attending the University of North Dakota, arrived in the city Saturday and will spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. J. H. McKinney.

Roscoe Bakke who attends the University of North Dakota, is spending his Christmas vacation at his home in this city.

Elnor Overland of the class of '19, who has been attending St. Olaf's, arrived Sunday to spend the holidays at his home.

Milton and Helen Weeks arrived the latter part of the week from Northfield, where they have been attending St. Olaf's, to spend their Xmas vacation at home.

Marguerite Burns, class of '20, who is a student at the University of North Dakota, arrived Saturday to spend the holidays at her home.

Reuben Aga, class of '16, arrived last week from Northfield where he is attending St. Olaf's, to spend his Christmas vacation.

Roy Miller, a member of the alumni who is attending the University of North Dakota, is spending the holidays at his home in this city.

Henry Stengelson of the class of '20, who is attending Carleton college, spent a few days in this city on the way to his home in Rosewood, where he will spend his Xmas vacation.

Central Notes.

Manual Training.

The boys of the eighth grade are now making foot-stools, plant stands, book-racks, etc., in Manual Training. They have not been making very much headway on account of short periods, but as they are interested in getting their work ready before Christmas, they will be given two periods a week.

Boy Scouts Organizing.

A large part of the eighth grade boys are again organizing the Boy Scouts. They are now holding meetings in the Methodist church basement on Tuesday nights where they have plenty of room for exercises. Mr. Sultean has been chosen Scout Master and Dave Gustafson as his assistant. The patrols are being formed and other beginnings being started. Nearly all the boys that have enrolled are in hopes that this troop will never break up.

Eighth Grade News Weekly.

The Eighth grade students of the Central school are editing a weekly newspaper in which the activities of the school are written up. "The Little Big Paper" is taking exchanges from the United Press and other active papers.

The editor of the "Little Big Paper" is Maurice Holzknecht and the assistants are Emmett Shanahan and Bonnie Barnett.

The editorials and news items are worth reading and discuss the news of the school as fully as any large paper discusses the news of the outside world.

Girls Take Interest in Cooking.

The Eighth grade girls are taking very much interest in their cooking lessons which they take once a week at the Lincoln high school.

They are taught to cook nourishing foods in the proper way. So far they have prepared baked potatoes, apples, macaroni with cheese, tomato soup and creamed carrots. In a short time they will have a lesson on Christmas candy.

Miss Batten's seventh grade sold nine hundred Christmas seals amounting to nine dollars, which is considered well for one grade.

The Girl Scouts.

The Girl Scouts are being organized and many girls have enlisted and are very enthusiastic about the organization, especially those of the Central school.

Christmas Spirit at Central.

Since Christmas is near the Central school has been preparing for it. A barrel has been placed in the hall for the purpose of putting things in for the poor people who will not have a very happy Christmas.

Christmas stories are being written in the seventh and eighth grades.

The Kindergarten children are decorating their rooms with pictures and holly wreaths.

Many Christmas seals have been sold and many more will be.

Third Lyceum Number.

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The third number of the Lyceum course was held in the city auditorium last Wednesday night. Mr. J. Q. Robinson, purposeful lecturer spoke on "The Paralysis of Power." This lecture is a character sketch built about a chapter from Charles Dickens' famous novel "Bleak House" and is probably one of Dr. Robinson's best speeches. It is highly endorsed by everyone, because of its great message that it sends to the heart of every listener. Charles Dickens, in his story, shows the ruination of a young man, because of his dreams of a great inheritance and wasting his youth by chasing the non-important things of life. Dr. Robinson is an eloquent and forceful speaker, with a worth-while message. He also has the knowledge and training to make it entertaining and interesting.

Northrup News.

In the marching contest which is being conducted in all the grade schools, the Northrup succeeded in winning the felt banner. The winning school keeps the pennant for a period of two weeks. In the Northrup school the pennant will be displayed in the lower hall near the front entrance. In last week's contest at the Northrup, Miss Trogen's room won on the lower floor and Miss Bark's room on the upper floor.

The Normal girls are still doing practice teaching in the fifth and second grades.

A large box of old clothes has been contributed by the children of the Northrup to be distributed among the poor for Xmas.

Red Cross Xmas seals were sold by the children and the proceeds were as follows:

Miss Hoyt, first grade	$ .80
Miss Nepper, first grade	.54
Miss Trogen, second grade	3.80
Miss Kleber, second grade	.92
Miss Adams, third grade	5.08
Miss Sandum, third grade	6.50
Miss Smith, fourth grade	9.45
Miss Whipps, fourth and fifth	8.59
Miss Bark, fifth grade	1.65
Miss Pelto, sixth grade	12.39
Total	$49.62

On Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 22, all the grades in the building will congregate in the lower hall to sing Christmas carols. The following Thursday all the grade schools will assemble in the auditorium for the same purpose.

Christmas Vacation.

The Thief River Falls schools close today, the 23rd, for the Christmas vacation. The reason for closing on Thursday is that Christmas comes on Saturday and a number of the teachers and students who live out of town wish to reach their homes before Christmas day. School was held on election day so no time will be lost. School will commence after vacation on Monday, Jan. 10.

A Freshman's Letter to Santa.

Dear Santa:

I would like to let you know what I want for Christmas this year. You will find my stocking hanging by the chimney. Please Santa, bring me a bean shooter, my stocking is the tiniest one with white heels and toes. I would also like a pair of long trousers and a "Pony" for my Caesar. Don't let the Seniors know, but I would like a rag doll and some peanuts and some all-day suckers.

Your friend,
JOHNNY?

Kapers of the Kubs.

Miss Elliott (at Junior committee meeting for the banquet): "Can someone suggest what would be a good way to have the walls of the gym fixed so they would appear green?"

John Hendry: "I guess we will have to whitewash the walls green."

The Senior Corner.

(Contributed by Tenth Member.)

Firstly there is sweet Eileen
Who in hairdress and fashion would be queen.
Secondly—We have Miss Mildred "Bot,"
Who is never, never on the dot.
Thirdly—there is our wee [illegible] Anna
Who is always spreading propaganda.
Fourthly—there is young handsome (?) Zeh
Who can never quite forget the day—?
Fifthly—buxom, spritely Smithers
Whose happy, cheery smile never withers.
Sixthly—of course is Jordan Penney
Who is always trying to act funny.
Seventhly—little Miss Mary Vance
Who is always enthused on the subject of dance.
Eighthly—behold Miss Beatrice Sandum
Always wondering where——? is at random.
Ninthly—our sedate Miss Myrtle Krohn
Who knows everything that was ever known.
Tenthly—the author of this ditty.

To the readers of this column—The Kubs extend their heartiest wishes for a Merry Xmas!

Olga Svenegaard (reporting on a magazine in English): "There are many suggestions for Xmas gifts, and if you send the money to the magazine they will furnish these gifts free of charge."

John Hendry wants to know if there's a nickel's worth of nickel in a nickel.

General Sayings at H. S.

Roy—You tell 'em!
Kathleen—Oh, Christmas!
Joe C.—Oh, is that so?
Clenora U.—Oh joy!
Mr. N.—Let us consider——
Grace—Lordy cow!
Stuart—Curses!
Agnes—Oh Gosh!
Alvin H.—I'll be horn-swaggled!
Ida A.—Say kid.
Dan S.—Hokus Pokus!
Christine B.—Merrily the bells are ringing.
Ernest B.—I'm going to North Dakota next March.
Olga G.—Joe, behave yourself.
Everett S.—My, she's crabby this morning.
Edith S.—Oh Grace.
Maynard H.—Hand over that pound of flesh.
Maggie J.—How are my puffs?
Gormand T.—What's our next lesson?
Dorothy D.—They go wild, simply wild over me.
Alfred A.—Gee Whiz!
Jennie K.—Tee-he-he-he
Leonard—I didn't have time to get my lesson.
Ruby—Oh dear!
Mr. N.—My Stars!
Noble—Are you hungry?
Helen H.—Make it snappy.
Dan P.—Oh shucks!

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WITH FULL APPRECIATION OF THE MANY COURTESIES SHOWN DURING THE PAST YEAR WE EXTEND OUR BEST WISHES FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Bottem Hardware Co.
"The Winchester Store"

Six Barrels of Potatoes for 99c.

On September 14, Mrs. Sarah. S. Hancock, of Bridgeton, New Jersey, sold six barrels of No. 2 potatoes through a New York commission house for $1.50 a barrel—a total of $9.00. After deducting $2.10 for barrels, $3.51 for freight, $1.50 for cartage and $.90 for commission, the firm sent Mrs. Hancock what was left—99c.

Think of it! Six full barrels of food for only 99 cents!

The quick relief for such cases is direct coöperative marketing of vegetables, fruit, grain and livestock by the full carload.

Michigan potato growers saved $700,000.00 last year by letting a trained sales manager market their crop coöperatively. There is no longer any question as to whether it will work—fourteen thousand coöperative associations *are working* in the United States today.

There is a big, new force in the United States which advocates coöperation. It is the American Farm Bureau Federation. It also supports all other sound relief measures for farmers, such as cost accounting, knowledge of world markets and legislative reforms. You can help in the fight for these measures by becoming a member of your County Farm Bureau.

You can help, too, by reading that great national farm-service weekly, THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. You will find it always in the thick of the farmer's fight—never neutral and never dull. Fifty-two big, inspiring issues, crammed with helpfulness, entertainment, hope and courage, will be delivered in your post-box for just $1.00 the year. Yes, *your check is good.*

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Neighborhood Notes

ROSEWOOD

Christmas Singing.

The singing of beautiful Christmas songs outside of candle lighted windows throughout the community, will be a holiday feature again this year. This pretty custom was established through the efforts of Mrs. A. S. Holm last year and as it met with splendid success and the hearty approval of the people, it will be tried again. Last year the singers were few and traveled by foot from home to home. This year it is the plan to cover a somewhat larger territory, and a horse-drawn sleigh with merry tinkling bells and the best local singers have been secured. The sleigh will start from town shortly after six o'clock on Friday evening, Dec. 24, and will proceed northward first. All homes in town, and within a short distance north and south along the main road, having lighted candles in the windows will be visited. Leave your shades open on Christmas Eve, light candles in your windows, show your friends and neighbors that the Christmas spirit has invaded your home; feel friendly and cheerful and watch for your own reward.

Elects New Manager.

The first meeting of the new director board of the Rosewood Shipping association was held at the business room of the Farmers State bank last Friday evening. Emil Anderson was elected president for the coming year and Selmer Haugen vice president. It was decided to have only one manager for the coming year as neither the trade nor the territory is large enough to warrant having two. Benhard Ranum accepted the office as manager for one year. Adolph Haugen, former manager, was appointed director. The secretary was instructed to have new constitutions printed as there are several new by-laws not included in the old.

Entertains Birthday Party.

Mrs. A. S. Holm was hostess at a delightful birthday party in honor of her husband last Tuesday evening. A sumptuous six o'clock supper was served and the remainder of the evening was happily spent at conversation and cards. The following were the four guests: Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, Isabelle Sagmoen, Herbert Carlson and Joel Shoberg.

Mrs. Carl Mellem entertained the Swedish Ladies Aid and Y. P. S. at her home south of town last Wednesday. A fair sized gathering was present and a tasteful luncheon was served. Rev. W. Drotts of Viking was present and delivered a short speech suitable for the occasion.

Olof Opseth left last week for Gonvick where he will be employed for some time.

Peder Sorenson, who has spent the last two years in Canada, came home on Friday evening for a visit with his folks. Mr. Sorenson has spent a brief period this fall touring western Canada and the coast arriving here from Vancouver, B. C.

The Rindal Christmas tree festival will be held this year at that church on Sunday evening, Dec. 26. There will be a long program rendered by the pupils of Rosebank school, and considerable singing and music.

Upon receiving a telephone message that her sister, Mrs. Sumpter, was ill at the Thief River Falls hospital, Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen left on Thursday evening for an over night stay at that place. She was accompanied by Miss Isabelle Sagmoen.

Mrs. Adolph Haugen and Annie Blomberg were east-bound passengers to Thief River Falls last Thursday evening where the former will seek medical aid.

Miss Emma Sorenson, who has been at Thompson, N. D., this fall, came home on Tuesday to spend Christmas with her parents.

Misses Clara and Synneva Sorenson left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls where they will spend Sunday at the John Sorenson home.

Misses Tena and Nina Westby are this week entertaining a girl friend from their former home near Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth and Ingrid Nordhagen were among the shoppers at Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Chester Dols, a high school student from Thief River Falls, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Enoch Nelson left on Wednesday for Detroit from where he will take a through train to Montana on his tour to the coast.

GOODRIDGE

Mr. Jelle was in town Saturday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Miss Mabel Tweten and nephew Raymond Stephenson, were in Thief River Falls Saturday, shopping.

Raymond Jensen was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Richard Prestebak of Thorhult was in town Saturday on his way to Thief River Falls.

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Work absolutely guaranteed for 10 years.

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"Granny" Chamberlain

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Albert Halverson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

E. Balentine received word Saturday that a brother of his in North Dakota had been accidentally shot and killed.

Mr. Prucha returned from Saskatchewan, Can., Friday, where he has been employed for the last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knutson were in town Thursday on their way home from Thief River Falls, where Mr. Knutson has been in the hospital.

H. Olson, an expert for the Fairbanks-Morris Co., arrived Friday and had the engine in the mill in working order by evening.

Mr. Treickle was in town Thursday enroute to Thief River Falls on business.

Miss Hazel Hakes went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening to receive medical attention for a sore finger.

John Anderson of Thorhult was a caller in town Friday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Bert Tanem was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday.

Wm. Gaylord was in town Saturday attending to business matters.

Eddie Halverson was a caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Christ Jelle of Highlanding was in town Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wells of Erie were in town Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls was in town Saturday attending to business matters.

O. M. Boyd, salesman for the Hudson Mfg. Co., was a business caller in town Friday.

E. M. Stanton of Thief River Falls was in town Friday on business.

Charles Stein returned from Thief River Falls Thursday.

B. O. Norby left Friday evening for McIntosh on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ferdinanson went to Thief River Falls Thursday. Mr. Ferdinanson returned Friday while Mrs. Ferdinanson stayed for a longer visit.

P. P. Palmer, salesman for the Thief River Candy Co., was in town Friday.

The Snyder orchestra of Thief River Falls gave a dance here Wednesday evening. The attendance was very small on account of the stormy weather, but those who went spent a very enjoyable evening, as the music was of the very best. We hope they will come again.

R. H. McDonald was in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

John Nystul returned Saturday afternoon from Thief River Falls.

Miss Theressa Giefer spent Sunday at her home in Thief River Falls.

Theo. Gilbertson and A. B. Mandt were in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ferdinanson returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls where they have visited for the past few days.

Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and Miss Theresa Giefer entertained at a whist party Thursday evening, at the home of the former. Two prizes were given. Mrs. O. S. Kirklie was fortunate in receiving the winner's prize, and Della Urdahl received the other one. At eleven o'clock a delicious luncheon was served. The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. E. L. Dahl and Miss Jennie Rustad.

Carl Prucha and son of Erie went to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

W. C. Laughton, claim adjustor for the Soo line was in town Tuesday.

The Red Cross held a special business meeting Tuesday afternoon and voted to use part of the funds for a short course in nursing which will be held after the holidays.

Mrs. George Johnson is confined to her home on account of illness.

School Notes.

Grace Day will spend the Christmas vacation at the home of her father in Hill City, Minn.

Glenn Erickson is back to school after a week's absence.

Myrtle Iverson, who has been absent a week returned to school Monday.

There is to be a Booster meeting Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. C. L. Warner of Warren will be the main speaker. The band will also play. The purpose of the meeting is to arouse interest in the farm bureau work.

Christmas vacation starts Thursday evening and school will be closed until Jan. 10th.

The teachers will leave Thursday evening for their respective homes, as follows: Miss Wiles, Hibbing; Miss Vaughan, Thief River Falls; Miss Giefer, Thief River Falls; Mr. Norby, Fosston; Mr. Nystul to his home north of town; Miss Bauer to Onamia.

Miss Bauer was absent Friday afternoon on account of illness.

Dr. Froehlich, county health officer, was in town and called at the school and looked over a few cases of skin diseases.

The orchestra will play Wednesday morning at the regular opening exercises for the first time.

Clenor Urdahl returned to school on Thursday after being absent for several days.

Grace Day was a substitute for the intermediate grades Monday, Miss Vaughan being absent.

Kathleen Lang was a substitute for Miss Bauer in the primary room on Friday.

Agnes Vaughan was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday night.

Lutheran Church, Rev. H. Lutz, Pastor—Friday, Dec. 24th. English Christmas program at Esplee at 7:30 p. m. Christmas day, German services at Esplee, 10 a. m. English Christmas program at Germantown at 7:30 p. m. Sunday, German services at Germantown, 10 a. m. English Christmas program at Erie 7:30 p. m.

STEINER

John Whitman transacted business here last Saturday.

Henry Rogers transacted business in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Willis Warring with the assistance of other carpenters built a horse barn here last week for use of the children who drive to school during the cold weather.

J. A. Russell called at the Power City on Friday.

John Steiner called at the Warring home Sunday.

Ole Berg has been clearing a great deal of land the past few weeks hiring the assistance of a large crew of men. He expects to break about 60 acres in the spring for flax.

S. R. Rogers transacted business in Thief River Falls the past week.

Frank Slack drove to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Word comes that Harvey Copp, who has been visiting his uncle in Northeastern Washington, has accepted a position as horse wrangler for a logging camp in that vicinity.

Carl Steiner, who lives north of this place is recovering from the injury received this fall at the elevator.

Among business visitors at Pennington seat last Saturday were noted Mrs. Bertha Saugen and son, Otto; Messrs. Vernon Copp, N. Baker, Harold Williams and Arthur Simonson and his little son.

The school children of the local schools of this community have been around selling Red Cross Seals in the campaign against the "white plague."

Hjalmer Lindberg of Thief River Falls hauled some hay to his home at that place last Tuesday.

Mrs. P. Liden and son, Julius, motored to Thief River Falls last Sunday where they attended the services in the Swedish Mission church.

A cold weather spell with snow and storm swept over this community last week. At this writing we are having a little milder weather.

Cyrus Fillmore and Vernon Mallberg were callers at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

The Solem boys have been reported as successful in trapping skunks and weasles this fall.

Mark T. McFarland, manager of McFarland Auto company of Thief River Falls, spent last Thursday in this vicinity accompanied by a friend, hunting.

Julius Liden spent Sunday in Thief River Falls visiting with relatives. From there he motored to St. Hilaire where they attended the evening services. He returned home Monday.

NUMEDAL

George Bugge and Carl Brating were Viking shoppers last Tuesday.

Elias Joringdal and Christ Christensen transacted business at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mrs. J. A. Blomberg and son, Thure were Viking shoppers Tuesday last.

Olaf Larson called at S. Knutson's place Saturday.

David Samuelson autoed to Viking Friday.

Oscar and Agnes Forslund autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday to do their Christmas shopping.

Thure Blomberg visited with Henry Thompson Saturday evening.

Halvor, George and Oscar Olson motored to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Soren Knutson was a Viking caller on Monday.

Clarence Johnson and George Bugge visited at the Blomberg place Sunday.

Elias Joringdal and Charlie Johnson were Thief River Falls callers Tuesday.

Thure Blomberg and Soren Knutson autoed to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

GERMANTOWN

A Merry Xmas.

Mrs. Martin Johnson left for Warren Tuesday to seek medical aid. She returned home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Limesand visited at the Martinus Johnson home last Monday.

Hans Dahl was a business caller at Goodridge Monday.

Miss Hattie Klockman left for Thief River Falls last week where she will be the guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. Benttin visited with Mrs. D. Dau Thursday.

Burton Nelson arrived home Tuesday from Warren where he underwent an operation. His many friends are glad to hear of his speedy recovery.

Emil Benttin spent Monday at the Will Wayne home.

Anna Kotlan was a caller at the Haggy home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller and daughter Della, spent Monday evening at the Stokkie home.

Detlef Dau was a caller at the Benttin home on Thursday.

Milton and Lawrence Nelson, Anna Kotlan, Oscar Overby and Della, Bessie and Gladys Roller, were callers at the L. Bendickson home Wednesday evening.

Misses Della, Bessie and Gladys Roller were callers at the M. Lindvick home last week.

Miss Tillie Ose was a guest at the Mudoon home Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Weber arrived home last week after having visited with relatives and friends at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stock and family were guests at the A. Ristau home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl and Ole Fevold were guests at the L. Bendickson home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Overby spent Saturday at the Stokkie rome.

Mrs. Stokkie and Anna Kotlan shopped and visited at Goodridge Saturday.

Clifford Roller and Martin Overby arrived home Monday from Gemo, where they have been employed.

Lawrence, Milton and Mildred Nelson, Nettie and Silva Bendickson spent Saturday evening at the Stokkie home.

Bessie Roller visited at the W. Wayne home Monday.

Milton and Lawrence Nelson were callers at Goodridge Saturday.

Miss Anna Kotlan called at the Haggy home one day last week.

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"That's Dr. King's New Discovery, for Fifty Years a Cold-Breaker"

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Prompt! Won't Gripe

Dr. King's Pills

MAYFIELD

Mrs. J. P. Asp was called to a place near Goodridge last Saturday evening on account of illness.

Miss Anna Wedul arrived from Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cooper visited at the J. L. Larson home Sunday afternoon.

Roy Kiel and Arnt Wedul called at the A. P. Stennes home Saturday afening.

D. Roisland visited at the Omdahl home over Saturday and Sunday.

George and William Jesperson were callers in Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Miss Anna Wedul called at the L. Klove home Sunday afternoon.

A program will be given by the Cloverleaf school Thursday evening.

Misses Helen and Annie Cooper and Jacob Stennes and John Cooper visited at the Wedul home Sunday.

The Kiel young folks visited at the Omdahl home last Sunday afternoon.

ERIE

The body of Private Henry Svare, who died in France during the late war, is expected to arrive daily. The Svare family are making preparations to rebury the remains in the Torgerson cemetery where they already have one son buried.

Soldier rest, thy warfare's over,
Sleep the sleep that knows no breaking,
Dream of battlefields no more
Morn of toil, nor night of waking.

Everybody is busy preparing for Christmas.

Eddie Arveson is having a well drilled on his farm. John Johnson is doing the work.

Henry Sunsdahl and Justice Hanson gave a dance in the Erie hall on Saturday evening. G. A. Iverson and George Hovet furnished the music. A big crowd was present and all had a good time.

Miss Gena Nerhus arrived home on Saturday from Thief River Falls where she is employed, for a visit with the home folks.

Glen Svare trapped a wolf last week and called at the town clerk's office to make claim for bounty.

Parcels Post to Norway.

Postmaster John Morgan has received notification of the restoration of parcels post deliveries in Norway and packages for that country will again be received. Last week it was stated that the Norwegian government has suspended all parcels post deliveries temporarily.

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Merry Christmas

and

Happy New Year

We also wish to thank the people for the liberal patronage and kindly treatment during the past twelve months and give assurance of trying to merit their continuance in the future.

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New Railway Rates and the Cost of Living

In its issue of October 11, the New York Times, commenting Editorially, has the following to say:—

"WHEN the railways were allowed to increase rates to offset their compulsory increase of wages, it was predicted that the consumers of goods would pay both bills.

"**The test of these theories is now at hand.** The increase of rates is in full force, and prices of goods are falling as fast as is desirable. The higher cost of moving freight has not reduced the volume of traffic.

"**The cars are moving faster** and carrying more tons, with the result that fewer cars are necessary, as well as fewer men.

"**That is 'making' money by saving it.** The railways could not have done it alone. The shippers who used the cars for warehouses, and who loaded as little as was necessary to get carload rates, instead of as much as the cars could carry, are now co-operating with the railways.

"Here there is another hint why the increase of rates will not be a burden to consumers of goods. The costs of production will be reduced with the improvement of railway service."

That the above remarks apply with force to the Great Northern Railway is indicated by the following comparative figures:

	Sept. 1919	Sept. 1920
Average Trainload	765 tons	865 tons
Average Carload	28.4 tons	30.3 tons
Average Car Movement	23.7 miles per day	31.4 miles per day

The Great Northern Railway

ST. HILAIRE

Miss Selma Hoff, accompanied by Miss Edla Hallstrom of Black River, shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. A. W. Hovie arrived Thursday from her home at Crookston, for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Enoch Lundholm and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kruse, who reside east of town.

Mrs. Dr. Bjorken and the Misses Lenore Anderson and Lois Lorbes shopped at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Louise Wilson returned Thursday from North Yakima, Wash, where she spent the past two months visiting.

Henry Hallstrom arrived Saturday from Winger, to visit over the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hallstrom.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud shopped and visited in Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mrs. Paul Roy went to Thief River Falls Tuesday where she underwent an operation. She returned Wednesday.

The Misses Ragna Loberg and Gladys Gigstad shopped at Thief River Falls last Thursday.

The Misses Olive and Ann Patterson arrived the latter part of the week, the former from Roseau and the latter from Coleraine, where they are engaged in teaching, to spend the holidays at their parental home.

The Misses Lida and Edna Olson of [illegible] are spending the week with their sister, Mrs. Paul Ortloff.

Miss Bessie Avelson was a Thief River Falls shopper last Monday.

J. Bohlen is expected home Tuesday from points in Iowa, where he has attended to business matters.

Miss Selma Maland arrived Saturday from Hendrum, where she is engaged in teaching. She will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Maland.

Theodore Holdahl who attends Carleton college at Northfield, spent the week end at the S. M. Hoff home, leaving Monday for Roseau for a short visit.

The Misses Eunice and Irene Peterson and Hulda Pearson spent Saturday at Thief River Falls.

Walter Berg, who is spending the holiday season with his mother, Mrs. Olfe Sherva, left the latter part of the week for a brief visit at Warren.

The Misses Beda and Tracy Peterson and Edith Dahl, were Thief River Falls visitors on Monday.

Miss Hulda Gigstad, who teaches in the public schools at Moorhead, arrived Saturday to visit until after the holidays at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg, Mrs. Bilden and Mrs. Elmer Landis, shopped and visited at Thief River Falls between trains Monday.

Miss Lulu Allen, who teaches at Lancaster is spending her Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughters, Olive and Mrs. O. Gunstad, shopped at Thief River Falls between trains Monday.

Mrs. Alma Annette of Bemidji, is a business caller here on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. J. L. Sieff and children came up Monday from Red Lake Falls for a visit at the A. S. Wilson home.

Mrs. Earl D. Johnson left the forepart of the week for Minneapolis for a visit with relatives.

The yearly business meeting of the Norwegian Lutheran Ladies Aid was held at the church on Friday. The following officers for the coming year were elected: President, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad; vice president, Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud; secretary, Mrs. A. J. Head; treasurer, Mrs. B. E. Burkee.

Gordon and Arthur Rod arrived on Monday evening from Baudette, to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rod.

Stanley Olsen left Friday for Minneapolis, having received a message from Berry's Telegraph institute where he had been a student stating they had a position in view for him.

The Misses Mabel and Ann Patterson, Edith Nelson, Blanche Hoff and Mrs. Oscar Gunstad drove to Thief River Falls to attend Christmas shopping Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Olsen arrived Monday evening from Stephen, where she teaches, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen.

The many friends of Mrs. Roy Sumpter are pleased to hear that she is on the road to recovery after being very ill at the Physicians hospital in Thief River Falls.

R. J. McKercher has been home for the past few days after spending a week in Clay and Morrison counties helping organize farm bureaus in these sections. There is a force of eight or ten men at work and at present they are working in Pennington county putting on a drive for new members.

Legal Notices

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular adjourned meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Nov. 30, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Frosseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

The meeting was called for the purpose of appointing a street commissioner to succeed O. L. Bakken, resigned.

Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced a resolution appointing H. O. Hoff to the position of Street Commissioner to succeed O. L. Bakken, resigned. (See Resolution.)

Moved by Ness, seconded by Dahl, that the Superintendent of Water & Light be instructed to install a street light between Maxey and Johnson street on Markley avenue. Motion carried.

On motion duly seconded the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular adjourned meeting of the City Council held November 30, 1920, Alderman Ness, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that H. O. Hoff be, and he is hereby appointed to the position of Street Commissioner of said city, to fill the vacancy in such office caused by the resignation of O. L. Bakken, said appointment to be for the unexpired term.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Frosseth, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: Dahl.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Dec. 4, 1920.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. [illegible]

[illegible]

Attest: A. H. AKRE, City Clerk.

Resolution.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Approved Dec. [illegible], 1920. JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.

Citation for Hearing on Petition [illegible]

[illegible] to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of December, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
d23-30-j6

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred Two and 40-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, his wife, Mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of August, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of August, 1919, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 5[illegible] of Mortgages, on page 511, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Government Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) and the South half of the Southeast Quarter (S½ of SE¼) and the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) all in Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of January, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2402.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 13th, A. D. 1920.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
d16-23-30-j6-13-20

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to May Newman Smith all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of [illegible]

[illegible]

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 1st day of December, 1920.

(Court Seal) IRA C. RICHARDSON, Probate Judge.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
(D-2-9-16)

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS Default has been made in the conditions of a certain indenture of mortgage made, executed and delivered by EDWIN OLSON and MABEL OLSON, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as Mortgagors, to CITIZENS STATE BANK of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as Mortgagee, upon and covering the following real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼), Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Fourteen (14) in Township one Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

which said Mortgage bears date the 25th day of June, 1915, and was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of June, 1915, at 4 o'clock P. M., and was thereafter duly recorded in said office in Book 12 of Mortgages, on Page 211, and

WHEREAS, Thereafter and on the 16th day of August, 1915, said Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, by a written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Edwin White, and which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of August, 1915, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 8 of Mortgages, on Page 624, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 18th day of October, 1915, the said Edwin White, by written assignment, assigned said mortgage to Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle, Joseph H. Clark and Edmund S. Durment, Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, Deceased, which said assignment was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of October, 1915, at 8 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 11 of Mortgages, on Page 468, and

WHEREAS Thereafter and on the 17th day of February, 1917, Albert R. Moore of Ramsey County, Minnesota, was appointed by the Probate Court of Ramsey County, Minnesota, the Court in which the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, is being administered, Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, in place and stead of Edmund S. Durment, deceased Executor, and the said Fred W. Sharpe, *Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph* H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, are now the owners of said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, and

WHEREAS, Such default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the principal of said mortgage indebtedness, to-wit the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500.00), which became due on the 1st day of July, 1920, and to pay interest upon said mortgage, and the indebtedness thereby secured, since the 1st day of July, 1919, and

WHEREAS, by reason of the defaults as aforesaid, said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, assignees, as authorized by the said Mortgage and the note thereby secured, have declared, and do hereby declare, the whole of the principal sum secured by the said mortgage and note to be due and payable, and the same is now due and payable, and

WHEREAS there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage and the note thereby secured at the date of this notice the sum of Sixteen Hundred and Twenty-one and 60-100 Dollars ($1621.60) (being $1500.00 for principal and $121.60 for interest thereon), and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the same, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and pursuant to the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and the Statute in such case made and provided, said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the real property therein described will be sold by the Sheriff of the said County of Pennington in the State of Minnesota, or by his Deputy, at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash, at the Main Front Entrance of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County of Pennington, on Monday, the 27th day of December, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which will then be due upon said mortgage, including taxes and insurance premiums, if any, paid by said Fred W. Sharpe, Wheelock V. Towle and Joseph H. Clark, as Executors of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and Albert R. Moore, as Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of the Estate of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased, and including an attorney's fee of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) stipulated in said mortgage to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, and the costs and expenses of this foreclosure.

Dated October 30, 1920.

FRED W. SHARPE,
WHEELOCK V. TOWLE,
JOSEPH H. CLARK,
as Executors of the Estate,
of Ralph E. Cobb, deceased.
ALBERT R. MOORE,
as Administrator de bonis non
with the will annexed of the
Estate of Ralph E. Cobb,
deceased,
Assignees of Mortgage.
MOORE, OPPENHEIMER & PETERSON
Attorneys for Assignees of Mortgagee.
Suite 1015 Merchants National
Bank Bldg., St. Paul, Minnesota.
n11-18-25-d2-9-16

Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave. N. 94tf

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2600 lbs.; one 650 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Jersey bull. Geo. L. Sterne. 99tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, [illegible] per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Weiner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 99tf

FOR SALE—Three registered Shropshire ram lambs. Will sell these for $40 each which is about half you would pay if these lambs were shipped in.—F. E. [illegible], R. 3, city. 91tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls, section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 57tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northeast of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car. Driven only 2200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Radiant Home hard coal heater. 212 Atlantic Ave. N. 102p

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 77tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 85tf

HAY FOR SALE—Will deliver or sell in stack. Enquire at first house north of Park Hotel. 102p

FOR SALE—One Chester White boar, weight about 200 lbs. N. A. Nelson, one mile west of city on Jefferson Highway. 102p

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 99tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

WILL TRADE FOR STOCK—Chevrolet Model 490 touring car, 1918. In good condition. Write or phone Harry Myrom, R. 1, City, phone 510-14. 102pd

WILL TAKE residence or other property as part payment on well improved eighty acres, lying only 7 miles from city. John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn. 102tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, 8-16 Tractor and 2-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 18tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two modern houses also several small tracts of land near town.—W. A. Bishop. 97tf

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Room at 213 Knight Ave. S. 103p

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, 801 Main Ave. N. 98tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 98tf

LOST

LOST—Pair of glasses on road north of Jefferson school house. Please return to or notify Sam Sorenson. 102

LOST—Silver rimmed eye glasses. Return for reward to R. M. Sheldon, First and Peoples State Bank, Thief River Falls. 102

LOST—Elks' tooth chain. Finder return to Times office. 102pd

FOUND

FOUND—On east side of city, gold mounted Elk tooth charm, well worn. Bears 1308 and initials discerned as F. F. R. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. Inquire Evelyn hotel. 102

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Good wages; small family. 410 Duluth Ave. N. 101

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Good man to fix up house and barn for winter. Apply at Thief River Cafe. 94tf

WANTED—Man owning car or able to sell well-known line lubricating oils, house paints, barn paint and roofing materials direct to farmers. Commissions paid weekly. Special monthly bonus paid on sales. Old reliable concern selling farm trade for years. Financially responsible and standing back of every material sold. Write us today for our complete sales proposition. Central Petroleum Co., Cleveland, O. 102p

WANTED—Salesman for Thief River Falls and vicinity. Commission contract only, for spare or full time. We will teach you to sell income protection thru our free school of instruction and help you build a business of your own. Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., Accident and Health Dept., Saginaw, Mich. Capital $1,500,000. 102p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three modern heated rooms for light housekeeping. W. E. Baker. 102tf

TAKEN UP—On my farm, Wednesday, Dec. 8th, one lamb. Owner can have same by identifying and paying costs. W. J. Janda, Kratka Rte., City. 102

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Modern and heated preferred. J. P. L., Times. 101p

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 85tf

WANTED TO BUY—A good improved farm with fair buildings on it, close to some good town and school, 80 or 120 acres, no other need apply. Will trade a 5-room house, one lot and four extra lots and new Ford car, self-starter. Will pay cash to balance. Give me your lowest price and I will deal with you right away and save time. A. Carlson, Box 1121, Thief River Falls, Minn. 102p

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW

45c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Bigness Necessary for Service

IN some farm operations, in many manufacturing lines, and, more particularly, in refining and distribution of petroleum products, large scale operations are essential to insure maximum economy and service.

The production of crude oil varies but little on account of seasonal changes, and the refining processes are continuous operations.

The consumption of petroleum products, however, varies widely with the season. In summer, consumption far out-strips production, while during the winter months the reverse is true.

To prepare himself for the summer rush, the oil refiner, who is ambitious to render a maximum service, must operate his refineries at full capacity throughout the year, and must provide adequate storage to take care of his surplus output during the winter months, and store it against a day of maximum demand when the country roads and city boulevards are crowded with machines, and the farmer has his tractor in the field.

To perform this service requires the investment of huge sums of money, and the maintainance of a complete organization at all times.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is ambitious to be a leader in the petroleum industry. It is ambitious to render to the people of the Middle West as near a perfect service as care, thought, and adequate resources can devise.

In carrying on its business, the Company has invested more than 185 million dollars; it operates four large refineries in which it manufactures the many varieties of petroleum products needed by the consuming public.

It operates 3215 bulk stations, more than 1000 filling stations, and a fleet of nearly 4000 tank delivery trucks.

Its permanent organization consists of about 23,000 efficient loyal men and women, working under one head, to render a service which makes it possible for you to get a gallon of gasoline, or a quart of oil, or a pound of grease, when you want it, and wherever you may be.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2357

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

In wishing our friends and neighbors a *Merry Christmas* it is with the hope that the coming season will hold for them nothing but good fortune.

We wish also at this time to extend our thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed since the last previous anniversary of the Christmas season and to assure our patrons that it will be our aim to serve them in the future as faithfully as in the past.

Business conditions are looming brighter for all of us—for the farmer, the workingman and business man alike.

Let confidence be your watchword. Confidence in your country, your section, your neighbor and yourself. When this is gone nothing much is left, while if we have confidence nothing very serious is liable to happen to us.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

GRAIN EXCHANGE RIGHTS GRANTED FARMERS' AGENT

This is Aim of Bill Introduced By Congressman Steenerson to Aid Grower.

Would Permit Co-Operative Society Members to Hold Board of Trade Seats.

Penalty Provided For Discrimination Against Any Person So Operating.

The Times is in receipt of a copy of the Steenerson bill, introduced last Friday in the house of representatives and having for its purpose the regulation of grain exchanges in the United States. The measure is intended to provide the farmer with an agency through which he can keep in touch with the market trend and give him a more direct voice in the final disposal of the products of his farm. The bill is known as H. R. 14667, and reads as follows:

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That every organization within the United States, of whatever form or kind, maintaining or operating a regular place of business or trading room for members only, in which the members sell or exchange grain for themselves or others in interstate or foreign commerce, or buys or sells or ships or handles grain in interstate or foreign commerce, in accordance with the Grain Standards Act of the United States or the grades and standards prescribed by the Secretary of Agriculture pursuant to or under authority thereof, is hereby declared to be a public market, and subject to the provisions of this Act.

"Sec. 2. That every such market, whether heretofore or hereafter organized, shall be open to membership, with equal rights and privileges with all other members, to any person, firm, company, or corporation desiring to trade in such commodity on such market who shall make application for membership and whose methods of business, operation, or plan of organization shall not conflict with or contravene any reasonable rule, regulation, or by-law of such market. All members shall be required to comply with all reasonable rules, regulations, and by-laws of such organization, which may include the payment of a reasonable membership fee and reasonable assessments equally applicable to all members. The words "company" or "corporation" herein designated shall include co-operative associations organized under the laws of the United States or of any State. Any rule, regulation, or by-law of such market which shall be designated or construed as controlling, limiting, or modifying articles of incorporation, constitution, or by-laws, of any association, company, or corporation in the distribution of its profits to its stockholders and members shall be deemed to be unreasonable and void.

"Sec. 3. That every such organization which shall adopt any rule, regulation, by-law, or order of whatever kind or form, or which makes any order in violation of the provisions of this Act, or which shall refuse or unreasonably delay to admit any such applicant to full and equal membership in such organization, or which shall refuse to trade or deal with any member or permit any member to refuse to so deal with any other member on an equal basis with all other members, or which shall adopt, prescribe, construe, or apply any rule, order, or regulation which shall have the effect of, or tend to avoid or violate any of the provisions of this Act, is hereby declared to be a monopoly in restraint of trade and a violation of the anti-trust laws of the United States, and further trading in said market or organization, either by the organization itself, or any member thereof, shall be unlawful.

"Sec. 4. That whenever any such organization, or any officer or agent thereof, shall violate any of the provisions of this Act, the Attorney General of the United States shall institute appropriate proceedings in the name of the United States to enforce compliance with the provisions of this Act, and to restrain such organization and all members thereof from thereafter continuing in such violations and from any further trading in such market, either directly or indirectly."

The Lyceum

SUNDAY and MONDAY
De Luxe Presentation

Miss Norma Talmadge
In
"She Loves and Lies"

Heads I Win—Tails You Lose. That was the game she played.
She loved and she lied and Cupid but smiled, A Rollicking Comedy Dream with Norma Talmadge in the most pleasing role of her career.
Special Comedy Classics
Matinee Sunday: 2:30

The Lyceum

LAST TIME TODAY
Earl Williams
In
"THE FORTUNE HUNTER"
—and—
Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle
In
"THE HAY SEED"

FRIDAY
Elaine Hammerstein
In
"THE POINT OF VIEW"
The story of a girl who tried to shirk love.
TOONERVILLE TROLLEY
By Fontaine Fox
Enacted by real people.

SATURDAY
June Caprice
In
"IN WALKED MARY"
A loveable romance of Southern Country Life.
Century Comedy
A Rip-Roaring Rollicking Comedy
Matinee 2:30

BIG CHECKS FALL OFF AT CREAMERY

Drop in Price and Seasonable Slump Responsible For Drop in Check Amounts.

Secretary Peter Engelstad of the Thief River Falls creamery this month made out fewer checks for over $50 than has been the case for a long time. There are 25 names in the list as against 198 for the month of June. On the other hand the price in midsummer ranged around 65 cents per pound for butterfat while at the present time it is quoted at about 45 cents. The higher price naturally was productive of a greater number of big checks as well as the fact that June is the most favorable of the entire year while November is perhaps the worst.

Following is a list of those receiving over $50 for their November supplies:

P. Engelstad, $210.52; Hans Anton, $227.84; Jens Kierk, $192.53; Henry Koop, $192.36; Henry Pope, $116.07; Fred Copp, $103.87; R. M. Johnson, $92.69; Chris Nelson, $91.04; Albert Johnson, $90.03; E. Edman, $75.94; Waldie Christenson, $73.78; A. C. Simonson, $70.25; Palm Bros., $74.55; S. Wiberg, $69.29; Paul Engelstad, $67.38; F. M. Kline, $66.39; C. Christenson, $61.92; Peder Sabo, $58.76; Ole Skaar, $57.61; C. M. Hoverstad, $57.40; Ole Johnsrud, $51.74; N. A. Nelson, $51.38; Ole Jaranson, $53.40; R. Oen, $53.40; H. C. Woolson, $50.49.

DULL UNDERTONE IN CATTLE TRADE

Light Receipts at Start of Week But Market Fails to Rally. Hogs Strong.

As was expected, Christmas week started with lighter receipts of live stock in all departments of the trade both here and at the seven principal markets, South St. Paul receiving on Monday 3,800 cattle, 8,400 hogs and 1,800 sheep, and seven points aggregating 43,400 cattle, 97,000 hogs and 38,100 sheep, against 71,100 cattle, 119,000 hogs and 43,300 sheep a week ago. The narrow demand for dressed beef and veal is strongly emphasized, however, when the live market fails to rally in the face of current light receipts. This is also a season of heavy poultry consumption, a factor that must be reckoned with at this time. Some good shortfed cattle are beginning to come, best selling up around $9.00 to $9.50, but quality as a whole is showing little betterment, and most of the stuff is common to medium, bulk of steer sales ranging from $5.50 to $7.50, with a scattering up to $8.00. Most of the butcher cows and heifers are selling from $4.00 to $5.50, with a fair showing up to $6.00. Sales of canners and cutters are ranging mostly from $2.50 to $3.75, and bologna bulls from $4.00 to $5.00. Best veal calves are going at $8.00. Best feeding steers are selling around $8.00, with bulk of stockers and feeders from $4.50 to $7.00.

The hog market has advanced somewhat compared with the low spot of last week, and good butcher hogs sold today around $8.60, with best pigs and underweights in keen demand at $8.75 to $9.25. Best native lambs sold early at $9.00, with aged ewes stopping at $3.00, and yearling ewes up to $4.00.

Eversharp Pencils and Fountain Pens at Laird's. d23

JURY LIST DRAWN FOR WINTER TERM

Petit Jurors Will Not Convene Until February 8—Grand Jury on Feb. 1.

The names for the grand and petit jury lists for the February term of the district court were drawn by Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund, Sheriff W. J. LaBree and Justice of the Peace W. E. Wood of Smiley township. The grand jury will assemble at the Pennington county court rooms at Thief River Falls at 10:00 a. m., February 1, 1921. A calendar of cases to be brought up will be issued during the latter part of January.

A communication has been received by Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund from Judge Andrew Grindeland stating that the petit jurors will assemble at 10:00 a. m. February 8, instead of on February 2 as is the usual custom. Judge Grindeland will conduct a hearing of objections to Judicial Ditch No. 30 at the Pennington county court rooms on February 2 and will hear court cases on February 3rd and 4th, consequently district court will be adjourned to February 8.

The names of grand and petit jurors drawn appear herewith:

Soren Sorenson, Norden; C. A. Anderson, Bray; C. M. Wilson, City; Fred DuChamp, Cloverleaf; O. J. Valsvik, Smiley; Tom Lian, Rocksbury; J. N. Huddleson, River Falls; Selmer Bolstad, Smiley; Lewis Ansebу, Norden; Osmund Lundeen, Deer Park; Frank Protz, City; Sever Anderson, Goodridge; W. A. Bishop, City; C. M. Carlson, City; Joseph Kiel, Mayfield; George Hanson, Rocksbury; Victor Johnson, Sanders; Abe Sapero, City; John Sjolsvold, Norden; Selmer N. Olson, Bray; H. O. Loken, City; Gust Bergren, Silverton; Carl Edseth, Goodridge; Wm. Mulry, City.

August Johnson, Norden; S. C. Coumbe, City; T. T. Satre, Rocksbury; Anton Peterson, Wyandotte; J. W. Anderson, Smiley; Fred Soderberg, St. Hilaire; Gilbert Bakke, Sanders; P. C. Wold, Highlanding; John Quirk, Kratka; Ole Thune, Smiley; Willis Akre, City; Edwin Evenson, Wyandotte; J. P. Johnson, Mayfield; Hans Anton, Sanders; Oliver Tommerdahl, Star; Christ Kruse, Sr., Polk Center; Thos. Florence, Hickory; S. E. Hunt, Rocksbury; Emil Sigerud, Reiner; O. S. Broiland, Kratka; C. T. Thompson, Cloverleaf; P. J. Keating, City; Forest Hedrick, Numedal.

May Demand Removal of Scales Now in Streets

Platform scales in the city streets thruout the business section may be removed early in the spring in preparation for the extensive paving program which will be carried on should the city council deem them obstructions to traffic. H. C. Johnson of the Nortz Lumber company, appeared before the council at their meeting on Tuesday evening with the request that the firm be allowed to maintain the platform scale in front of their property on Main avenue, but no action was taken by the council. At present there are six or seven scales located in the business section of the city. The council discussed the possibility of installing a city scale which would replace those being used at present.

North Minnesota Editors Meet at Crookston Jan. 20

Co-operation of editors, printers and publishers of Minnesota with the advertising and publicity agencies of the state for better mutual understanding, more profitable business and more efficient public service is the announced purpose of the annual business meeting of the Northern Minnesota Editorial association at Crookston from January 20 to 22. For the first time in the history of the association advertising agencies, railway advertising managers and publicity experts for wholesale jobbers and for the state fair have been invited to meet with newspaper men.

Among the subjects listed for discussion are: "Businesslike and Unbusinesslike Methods of Country Publishers," "Railway Advertising and the Rural Press," "Advertising the Minnesota State Fair," "Co-operation Between the City and Country Press," and "A Message From North Dakota."

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to the many kind neighbors and friends whose sympathy and assistance proved of such comfort during the illness and after the death of our wife and mother.

THE W. A. SWANSON FAMILY.
Rhoda, Minn., Dec. 18 d23p

Notice of Change.

The meetings formerly held in the building west of the Eastside Drug store, will be continued in the library basement. There will be service every Sunday evening at 7:45 and Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. On Christmas day there will be given a children's missionary program at two o'clock and preaching service at three. Sunday evening the subject will be: "The Future Inheritance." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.59
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.56
Oats	.33
Flax	1.67
Barley	.47
Rye	1.25
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	1.85
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lbs bags	2.10
Oil Meal, per cwt	1.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.09
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.09
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.65
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery Butter	.49
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04-.05
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.12
Veal, dressed, per lb.	10-12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05
Steers, per lb.	.04
Calves, per lb.	.06
Cows, per lb.	.03

Hides!

We are paying the very top of the market for all hides and it will be to your advantage to see us before selling.

Don't ship your furs before getting our prices. We can pay you as much as anyone.

Freight and Express Shipments will be given prompt attention.

THIEF RIVER HIDE & FUR CO.

WE have arranged a Special Children's Program to be shown at The Princess Theatre Saturday at 10 a. m. free to all children under 12. Each child will receive a present.

Messrs. H. A. and J. H. Brumund will both be on hand to see that the children have a good time. So let the little folks come and enjoy this program.

The Thief River Theatre Co.

The Princess

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Julian Eltinge
In
"AN ADVENTURESS"
An Unique Entertainment
Starring an Artist Without a Peer.
The GUMPS
ANDY AND MIN!
Ford Weekly

A Merry Christmas

To Patrons and Friends

With keen appreciation of courtesies and support during the past year.

May you look back a year from now over the worthwhile things accomplished and the good things enjoyed with a real sense of satisfaction and pleasure.

May 1921 be your best year, and may each succeeding one be better and better.

Thief River Theatre Company
AND
Associated First National Picture Corp.
"The Sign of Better Pictures For 1921."

APPLES
$1.75
Per Bu. Basket

Just The Thing For The Holidays
In order to dispose of our Eastern Baldwins and Greenings, we are offering them at $1.75 per bushel basket. The Canadian Reds offer a really delicious and beautiful apple at a slightly higher price.
CHAS. FITERMAN
BUILDING SOUTH OF BRUMUND HOTEL

Just Received 100
Baskets of
Canadian Reds
$2 per basket

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STREET PAVING NOW HINGES ON SALE OF BONDS

If Money Can Be Secured at a Reasonable Rate Project Will Be Carried Out.

Council at Meeting Tuesday Evening Took Final Steps in Important Matter.

City Would Lose Thousands By Failing to Proceed With Program Begun.

The city council at the regular meeting on Tuesday evening unanimously passed a resolution accepting a proposal submitted by the Capital Trust and Savings bank of St. Paul in which it is agreed to take over all preliminary work necessary to the sale of the bonds covering the paving project in Thief River Falls for the coming year. The proposal includes the services of a bonding attorney, all necessary printing, and the opinion of a bonding attorney to be given on the day of sale of the bonds which will allow the sale to be made unconditionally. The Capital Trust and Savings bank is to be remunerated for this service by one-half of one per cent of the face value of paving certificates sold during the year 1921. Provisions have been made whereby bidding for the bonds may be re-opened in case suitable bids are not received. In case the bonds are not sold the Capital Trust is to be remunerated by a payment of one-half of one per cent of the face value of bonds advertised.

Action Ends Controversy.

This action has been taken following prolonged controversy over the advisability of advertising for the money necessary to carrying on the paving of Thief River Falls streets and definitely puts the project under way. Members of the council expressed themselves as greatly encouraged and influenced by opinions of many prominent business men of the city who were present at the meeting. Several speakers also appeared in opposition to undertaking the paving program at this time. Members of the council express themselves of the opinion that but for the hearty encouragement of these business men the proposition would undoubtedly have been left on the table as in previous hearings. Members of the opposition were in the minority at the meeting.

Approximately $300,000 would be necessary to finance the 24 blocks of paving originally proposed. It is possible that $200,000 worth of certificates will be offered for sale. This would permit paving of the streets of the business section of the city, with the elimination of various stubs and outlying streets designated in the proposed area.

Preparatory Work Dead Loss.

All angles of the present situation were given due consideration. Approximately $25,000 has already been expended for the installation of storm sewers throughout the paving district in preparation for the work which was scheduled for the coming summer. The advisability of attempting to evade the present contract with the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg was discussed. Members of the council during the early part of the meeting expressed themselves as willing to abandon the project entirely if objectors could present some suitable plan of financing the work already done and the payment of possible damages to the paving contractors. This was considered in the nature of a dead loss. A marked reduction in the contract price would be necessary to offset this loss and opinion was expressed to the effect that it would be impossible to secure a more favorable contract than the one already signed.

Consider Contract Exceptional.

Mayor Bratrud explained the contract with the Bitulithic people, which was entered into over a year ago. The contract was considered an exceptionally good one at the time. The Bitulithic company operates in Canada and the contract price was lowered due to the rate of money exchange existing between the United States and the Dominion. Cement, which is the largest item of expense in paving, was more than 68 cents lower per barrel in price at the time of the signing of the contract than now. The paving company offered an exceptional contract owing to the fact that large projects in Canada had been dropped, the machinery and necessary help had been retained and it was necessary to keep their forces in operation. Mayor Bratrud, with local dealers in cement who were present, gave as his opinion that it would probably be impossible to contract for paving at a lower figure.

No Payments Until 1922.

Citizens present and members of the council stated, in discussing the present financial situation, that were the paving project dropped for the time being, the cost of the work already done and any damages paid the contracting firm who already have machinery on the ground, would have to be paid by the property owners during the coming three years and that this tax would be greater for the years in question than the yearly payments on pavement bonds. If the bonds are sold no payments will be required until the year 1922, by which time the financial condition is expected to have returned to normal. Property owners affected by the paving will, in case the bonds are sold and the contract carried out, pay for the improvement in 20 annual payments, the first to be made in 1922.

Money For Local Aid.

Hope was expressed that the money arising from the sale of the paving certificates could be placed in the city banks until required for paving purposes and the statement made that this would greatly benefit the city and the entire county by relieving in some measure the present financial pressure.

Those opposed to paving during the coming year or in the immediate future, stated that the cost would be a burden that should not be assumed at this time.

The present condition of the city streets was commented upon, as was the high and continued cost of putting them in suitable condition should the paving program be abandoned.

Council Lauded.

Business men present at the meeting lauded the council for its conscientious efforts in reaching all angles of the question, stated as their opinion that the members were well able to cope with the situation and that the city would abide by their decision in the issue at hand.

The council voted unanimously in favor of accepting the proposal of the Capital Trust people, which is the first step toward making the sale of the municipal bonds. The certificates will be advertised as soon as the necessary preparations can be made. If satisfactory and reasonable bids are not received the sale will be readvertised. It is thought that an interest rate of approximately 6 per cen can be secured.

MERRY CHRISTMAS AT OAKLAND PARK

Sanitarium Patients Not Forgotten By Their Friends During Holidays.

Christmas day was observed at Oakland Park Sanitorium in a manner the patients are never likely to forget. On every hand the aim seemed to be the bringing of the maximum of good feeling into the lives of those whose condition prevents them from taking an active part in the festivities of the season.

On Wednesday evening the Lincoln high school glee club, under the direction of Miss Maude Johnson, visited the sanitorium in a body and sang for the patients. There were also gifts for each one and a plentiful supply of delicious home-made popcorn balls.

The Christmas tree celebration of the inmates and staff was held on Friday evening, at which time every patient was again generously remembered with gifts from the sanitorium officers, Elks' lodge and businessmen of the city. The latter part of the evening was most enjoyably spent in games of different kinds.

On Saturday morning the singing section of the Girls' Community club sang Christmas carols and brought remembrances of the occasion for those in their audience. In the afternoon more fine singing was heard, a considerable number of the Sunday school children from the Swedish Lutheran church giving a delightful program.

The American legion, Woman's auxiliary and Red Cross looked after the ex-service men at the institution with gifts and good things to eat.

Dr. M. George Milan, physician in charge, and Miss Karen Knudsen, superintendent, wish to express to the people of the city their deep appreciation for the many kindnesses shown their charges and to assure those who in any manner aided in these Christmas festivities that their efforts to brighten the occasion were successful in the highest degree.

CHURCH PROGRAMS COVER FIVE DAYS

Coldest Days of Winter Did Not Keep Children From Enjoying Yule Festivities.

Yuletide entertainments and Christmas tree festivities at the churches of the city extended over a period of five days, the first program being given Thursday evening at the M. E. church and the last at the First Swedish Lutheran church on Monday evening. The Presbyterian Sunday school entertainment was also give Thursday evening. The tree exercises of Trinity Lutheran church were held at the city auditorium on the evening of Christmas day in order to accommodate the great crowd of children and parents. St. John's Lutheran and Zion Lutheran churches held their programs and lighted their trees on Christmas eve.

The fact that the entertainments were distributed over the five evenings allowed a greater attendance for each one, many children with their parents being able to attend several programs. The fact that Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday were the coldest days of the winter did not materially affect the attendance at any of the church celebrations.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster arrived Monday evening to attend a party at the Barzen home that evening and also the alumni annual reunion at the Auditorium Tuesday evening. He returned to his home Wednesday morning.

RAISE $1,000.00 IN SHORT TIME FOR WORK OF RELIEF

Solicitors Secure $500 and Similar Amount is Donated By the Red Cross.

All Recognize Need For Quick Action if Starving Children Are to Be Saved.

Working Girl Adopts Three Waifs as Her Share—Drive Will Close Dec. 31.

Traveling salesmen who had ceased work for the holiday season, on Friday morning came to the rescue of the European Relief Council fund in Thief River Falls and by noon had raised $500 in cash offerings and pledges. At a special meeting of the directors of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross held at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday afternoon, it was voted to donate a lump sum of $500 toward the national collection for the suffering children of Central and Eastern Europe. This sum, which will be taken from the funds of the county organization, brings the total for the county to over $1000, or enough to save the lives of 100 starving children until the next harvest time.

Great credit for the success of this relief movement in Thief River Falls is due to A. S. Sapero, merchant, and Ole D. Ostby, Nate Harris, E. M. Bennes, Andy Anderson, Chris Storholm, F. Brown, Loren Johnston and H. L. Larson, traveling salesmen who reside here.

$500 in 90 Minutes.

Mr. Sapero, who was appointed county chairmen by officials at state headquarters, endeavored to enlist the aid of civic organizations but owing to the approach of the holiday season it was impossible to secure their assistance in time to complete the work by the first of the year. The eight knights of the road, who were already in the city for Christmas week, assembled Friday morning at Mr. Sapero's request, and when it was decided to attempt the campaign the business section was quartered and each quarter thoroughly solicited by a team of two of the salesmen. In one hour and a half over $500 was pledged or already paid in.

No quota was specified for the city or county. It was thoroughly understood that contributions were to take the form of an offering. Sums ranging from 50 cents to $30 were contributed with commendable cheerfulness, many expressing regret that their means did not allow them to give more. Each person who pledged $10 or more will receive a beautiful engraved Invisible Guest Certificate.

Would Adopt Three.

Several farmers from outlying districts of the county, when they learned of the movement to rescue the starving children, appeared unsolicited and made $5 donations. Miss Minnie Matson, an employe at Oakland Park sanitarium, voluntarily called upon Mr. Sapero and donated $30 to the cause. It developed that this was not made up of many smaller collections but was taken from her savings and given with eager willingness. When questioned, Miss Matson stated that she felt called upon to "adopt three of the invisible little guests for at least one year."

The campaign for funds will be concluded here the first of January. Mr. Sapero states that the present total will be swelled by voluntary contributions from all sections of the county. No one will be urged. Anyone may contribute any amount, no matter how small. Checks may be mailed to Mr. Sapero or C. L. Hansen, Thief River Falls. Mr. Hansen has been appointed treasurer.

$10 Saves a Life.

Herbert Hoover, who has been pressed into service as the head of the European Relief council, has found, after a careful investigation, that not less than three and a half million children in Central and Eastern Europe are facing starvation and must die before spring unless the people of America come to their aid. The amount needed to prevent this terrible catastrophe is placed by Mr. Hoover at $3,000,000, which is approximately only 30 cents for every person in the United States. The small sum of $10, Mr. Hoover declares, will save the life of one of these starving children until the next harvest.

TOWNS MAY SECURE FARM INSTITUTES

Can Have Series of Instructive Meetings During Winter if So Desired.

Farmers' institutes thruout the state of Minnesota are scheduled to commence immediately after the conference of county agents and extension workers which will be held at St. Paul Jan. 10, 11 and 12. County Agent, J. J. McCann issues the statement that the institutes may be secured for any town in Pennington county by making application at his office. He further states that a very successful institute was held at Goodridge last year and that it is hoped that some of the other towns of the county will take advantage of this valuable instruction this year. The work is conducted thru the state university department of agricultural extension division.

Institutes will be conducted thruout the state during January, February and March. No three-day short courses will be conducted this winter, but the work will be confined to one and two-day meetings. For some of these educational sessions the department will have an institute corps composed of two men, or two men and a woman, to take up general farm subjects and economics work. For others, specialists from the extension division will be available—one man to a meeting to give work along some special line, like farm management problems, soils and fertilizers, plant pathology, live stock subjects, etc.

A letter from C. H. Welch, assistant director of the agricultural extension division, received by Mr. McCann states that in any community desirous of having an institute meeting it will be necessary to appoint a committee to do the usual advertising, etc. The department will furnish posters and will also send circulars to farmers whose names may be furnished them. The salaries and traveling expenses of the speakers will be borne by the department, local expenses to be taken care of by the community.

LOCAL BASKETBALL TEAMS CLASH JAN. 1

Former School Stars Issue Challenge—Feel Confident of Gaining Victory.

The high school basket ball team will meet the city or Class of 1920 team at the city auditorium on Saturday evening, Jan. 1. The game has been called at 8 o'clock. The last named team is made up of former high school stars who played on the fast team of 1920. The high school team has been through some good workouts since playing the game with Fosston and is said to be in exceptional trim. Members of the team and fans who have been watching practice, predict a fast game.

The Class of 1920 team issued a challenge, saying that it was confident of victory. The high school team claims the challenging quintette will be obliged to put up a real battle to score.

The proposed lineup is as follows:

Class of '20		H. S.
LaBree	c	Parenteau
McGinn	[illegible]	Penney
Hadrath	f	Ralston
Schuster	g	LaBree
Flattum	g	Herron

MARRIAGE LICENSE RECORD IS BROKEN

Figures Prove That Girls Must Have Taken Advantage of Leap Year Privilege.

The records of Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund show that the marriage license business in Pennington county for the year just closing exceeded all speed limits and shattered all records of former years. Up to yesterday noon 124 marriage licenses had been granted and Mr. Eklund expected that this total would be increased by several more before New Years' Eve closes. The year 1915 established the previous record, with 123 licenses granted.

In 1916, Leap Year, 120 marriage licenses were issued. Following years fell off to as low as 102 licenses granted in 1918. But with the coming of leap year again the clerk of court's office has been a busy place and the record of 1915 has been shattered. Mr. Eklund said that his expectations of granting several more licenses before this old year shuffles off is based upon the belief that some of the ladies will at the last moment make use of the privilege granted them but once in four years.

The total number of licenses granted during the past years are as follows: 1911, 94; 1912, 106; 1913, 96; 1914, 116; 1915, 123; 1916, 120; 1917, 110; 1918, 102; 1919, 107; 1920, 124.

AUTO TAX RATE UNDER NEW LAW IS MADE KNOWN

Intended Schedule Ranges From $13.75 on Used Ford to $129 on New Packard.

Commissioner Babcock's Recommendation to Legislature Aims at $18 Average.

Expectations Are That Figures Will Be Revised Downward When Session Meets.

A tentative schedule of license fees to be charged motor car owners in Minnesota under the Babcock amendment, whereby personal property and other assessments on automobiles will be abandoned in favor of a single direct levy, based on selling price and weight, to support the state highway system, has been announced by C. M. Babcock, state highway commissioner. This schedule, which will be the department's official recommendation to the legislature, provides an assessment which ranges from an annual tax of $13.75 on used Ford cars to $129 on new Packards, almost certainly will be revised downward by the legislature before it is finally applied.

Clerks Tabulate Records.

At the direction of Oscar Swenson, chairman of the house highways committee, clerks are busy classifying cars now licensed in Minnesota, so that the schedule may produce the actual average of $18 a car as proposed.

The schedule announced is as follows:

Car—	Weight	New	Old
Ford	1,480	$16.25	$13.75
Dodge	2,500	37.50	30.00
Studebaker (Lt6)	2,400	39.40	32.00
Buick	2,950	45.70	36.35
Franklin	2,445	50.00	37.00
Hudson	3,450	68.00	54.00
Detroit Electric	3,000	82.00	62.00
Cadillac	4,200	105.00	85.00
Packard	4,470	129.00	100.00

Coupled with the tentative tax schedule was a statement that scores of indorsements for the present system of administering the state's highway affairs under the highway department as now constituted, are being received at the capitol, including resolutions addressed to J. A. O. Preus, governor-elect; Louis L. Collins, lieutenant governor-elect, and W. I. Nolan, speaker of the house of representatives.

1920 Licenses to Be Good.

The maximum tentative schedule announced, aimed at providing an average revenue of $18 a car, is based on estimates that 70 per cent of Minnesota cars are low priced, 20 per cent medium priced, and the other 10 per cent equally divided between high priced automobiles and motor trucks. If these estimates are borne out, the average annual tax on low priced cars will be $15, the highway department said.

The proposed Minnesota schedule, Mr. Babcock said, is about on a parity with motor car assessments in other states, except that in Minnesota no personal property tax will be charged against cars. Practically all other states add the personal property assessment to the road tax against automobiles, according to the commissioner.

Iowa, for example, he said, collects 1 per cent of the car's valuation, plus 40 cents for each 100 pounds weight and the personal property tax, in addition to these. Wisconsin, which levies a flat fee of $10 on all motor cars and adds personal property tax, has nevertheless to sell general bonds for road building. Fees in Ohio and Illinois are $8 on cars of 25 horsepower, $12 on 35 horsepower and $25 on cars of 50 horsepower or more, in addition to road levies and personal property taxes.

Grand Ball By Legion to Usher in the New Year

Cards announcing the second annual New Years' Eve ball to be given at the city auditorium have been sent out by the Elmer J. Eklund post No. 117 of the American Legion. Plans which will make this one of the social landmarks of the coming year have been completed and those who enjoy dancing to god music and having a general good time are guaranteed a lively evening. Snyder's five piece orchestra, consisting of piano, violin, cornet, saxaphone and trap drums will furnish the music. Charles Vorachek will act as floor manager.

The announcements have been sent out, the grand ball is not given as an "invitation affair." The Legion cordially invites the dancing public to attend and assist in the merry-making that will usher in the new year. Members of the Woman's Auxiliary to the post have been conducting an advance sale of tickets and it is evident from the success of the sales that a large crowd will be in attendance.

Representative Berve to Locate in City For Winter

H. O. Berve, attorney at law and former representative from Marshall county, will locate in Thief River Falls during the winter, taking charge of the office of Senator O. A. Naplin while the latter is attending the coming session of the legislature. Mr. Berve was at one time employed in the office of Attorney J. M. Bishop here and is therefore no stranger to our people.

BEHAVED WELL IN 1920, SAY RECORDS

Arrests in Thief River Falls Have Averaged Only Four For Each Month.

Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant states that though the passing year is unanimously alleged to be a bad one, it is bad in some respects and good in others—and he produces his records to back up his statement.

During the year of 1919 ten arrests for assault and battery were made in the county, as compared with four arrests made for the same offense in 1920. Six arrests for drunkenness in 1919 and six for 1920 were made. In 1919 five persons were arrested for killing small game out of season, while none were made for that offense in 1920. In 1919 a total of 41 arrests for all offenses and misdemeanors were made. In 1920 a total of 49 arrests had been made up to last evening.

Other arrests during 1920 were as follows: Wife desertion, 1; for the issuing of bogus checks, 2; for the killing of a neighbor's dog, 2; bootlegging, 2; for the use of obscene and abusive language, 2; for operating motor vehicles while under the influence of intoxicating liquors, 1; for selling of unwholesome, unpleasantly odoriferous and otherwise uneatable eggs, 2; for petty larceny and larceny, 2; for driving a car with muffler cut out, 1; for speeding and driving without tail lights at night, 14; for the failure of children to attend school, 2; miscellaneous, 5.

One search warrant for the investigation of an unlicensed drinking place was issued—and nothing was found.

LIVESTOCK MEN TO MEET IN ST. PAUL

Indications Are That a Number Will Be in Attendance From This County.

The annual meeting of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' association will be held at the University Farm, St. Paul, at 10:15 a. m., Jan. 6. This is considered a very important day to the livestock interests of the state.

An interesting program is being prepared, consisting of addresses by President L. D. Coffman, University of Minnesota; Hon. T. E. Cashman, Owatonna; Dr. C. E. Cotton, State Veterinarian; Dr. C. W. McCampbell, Manhattan, Kansas; A. J. Glover, editor of "Hoard's Dairyman," Ft. Atkinson, Wis., and George McKerrow, of Pewaukee, Wis.

The business session of the association will conclude the program. Some very important matters vital to this industry, will be taken up. At 7:00 p. m. a banquet will be held in St. Paul.

The annual meetings of the Minnesota Hereford Breeders' association, the Minnesota Sheep Breeders' association and the Minnesota Swine Breeders' association, will be held on Jan. 5. The Cattle Breeders' associations will hold their annual meetings on Jan. 7.

A letter received by County Agent J. J. McCann from W. A. McKerrow secretary of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' association, urges every farmer to attend one or all of these meetings and states that every farmer in Minnesota should take an interest in the livestock associations which are doing so much for the industry of the state.

Joint Installation Date Moved Forward One Day

Winslow Chapter No. 182 of the Eastern Star and Northern Lodge No. 236 of the A. F. & A. M., will conduct a joint installation of officers on the evening of January 4. The date for the joint event was previously announced for the evening of January 3, but a change in plans was necessary. The ceremonies will be followed by a short musical program, dancing and a buffet luncheon. Tables will be available for those who desire to play cards.

GOOD FELLOWS PROVIDE CHEER FOR THE NEEDY

Baskets of Food, Fruits, Candy and Fuel Go to Homes Otherwise Overlooked.

Thirty-Seven Families in City Find Relief Decidedly Welcome at This Time.

Lack of Fuel is Serious Problem With Many and These Will Be Given Assistance.

Thief River Falls members of the Amalgamated Brotherhood of Good Fellows, whose activities are particularly noticeable about this time of year, saw to it that there was something in the nature of Christmas cheer in homes where this would be lacking were it not for a little outside assistance. The work was financed by the Elks lodge primarily but the voluntary donations in the hands of President E. M. Stanton of the Commercial club, sent in by members of that body and the Retail Merchants' association, were added to the appropriation made by the Elks, it being very properly figured that more could be accomplished by placing all efforts of this nature for the city in the hands of one committee. H. W. Protzeller was made chairman, and the task of finding the needy families begun. This proved to be the most difficult part of the program but the work was very thoroughly done and no effort spared in locating those who otherwise would be overlooked by Santa Claus.

Necessities Provided First.

Thirty-seven baskets were filled, mostly with necessities such as groceries, but fruits and candies were liberally included where there were children in the family. In four or five instances fuel was also provided, it being found that the recipients were in immediate danger of suffering from the cold. Mr. Protzeller states that but one instance of absolute destitution was found but that there were a number in decidedly straitened circumstances. In such cases the contents of the baskets were varied to meet the conditions, but as a general rule they were made up as follows:

Five pound pork roast, potatoes, one peck; flour, 25 pounds; corn, two cans; peas, two cans; pork and beans, two cans; pineapple, two cans; oatmeal, five pounds; milk, two cans; coffee, one pound; sugar, two pounds; butter, one pound; bread, two loaves; cranberries, one pound; candy, two pounds; peanuts, two pounds; apples, two dozen.

Wherever the family was large the quantities were increased, the aim being to make the distribution absolutely fair and equitable. The business men from whom the supplies were secured cut off everything in the shape of profit and even cut into the original cost quite a ways.

The Elks' committee found places for a few baskets in nearby towns, notably Goodridge and Lancaster, and these were attended to. The patients at Oakland Park sanitarium were remembered in a most appropriate manner and everything possible done to remind the unfortunate among the city's population that it was a season of good will and kindly remembrance.

The Fuel Situation.

It was found by the investigators that a scarcity of fuel was the most pressing difficulty in a number of cases. Immediate needs were looked after but the funds available did not allow of going very far in this direction. The committee was assured by Mayor John Bratrud, however, that every case brought to light would be investigated and the necessary steps taken to prevent suffering.

Bank Official Resigns; Will Move to Twin Cities

T. M. Thronson, assistant cashier of the First and Peoples State bank, has resigned and will leave the institution the first of the year. He will depart shortly for the cities for the purpose of investigating a business opening presented to him there but has not as yet definitely decided upon his future course. Mrs. Thronson and children will remain in the city until spring even though Mr. Thronson should decide to engage in business at another point before that time.

Mr. Thronson became connected with the First and Peoples in July, 1918, and has been a popular and accommodating official. He is a capable young man and his removal from the city will be generally regretted by those with whom he has come in contact in a business way.

Holm Names Assistant.

Mike Holm, who takes office as secretary of the state the first of the year, has named J. P. Bengtson, instructor at Northwestern Agricultural college, Crookston, as assistant secretary. Prof. Bengtson was formerly superintendent of the Roseau schools and has been active in promoting boys and girls club work throughout the section. He has a wide acquaintance, particularly in the northwestern section of the state, and is most highly regarded everywhere.

STATEMENT BY COMMITTEE OF GOVERNORS

(Convened at Harrisburg, Pa., December 2, 1920.)

The following statement of the Committee of Governors should have your careful consideration and then passed on to your neighbor and friend. The statement possesses an excellent spirit. With this idea in mind to start the new year, we believe that the present conditions will work out to the mutual benefit of all.

Let every individual do all he can to help and encourage his neighbor. Let there be a complete mobilization of the financial and spiritual assets of every community. Neither God nor the Government ought to be asked to help those who do not first make every effort possible to help themselves.

There ought, however, to be a united effort in every community to keep any good man from being destroyed because he cannot immediately meet his obligations. Under existing conditions it would be the acme of inhumanity and of unwisdom to force any debtor into bankruptcy if by the most liberal indulgence he would ultimately be able to pay. Business failures do more than wreck business; they ofttimes destroy men.

Liberal indulgences and renewals should be granted by the manufacturers to the jobbers, by the jobbers to the merchants, by the merchants to the individuals. It is no time for a creditor to seize his debtor by the throat and savagely say: "Pay me what thou owest."

Society and Club

Entertains.

Miss Christine Clausen informally entertained a number of her friends at her apartments last evening.

Entertain at Dinner.

Misses Gustie and Irma Johnson entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan and family at dinner on Sunday.

New Year's Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter will have as guests at dinner on New Year's day, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Keene and family.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Parbst, Main Ave. N. The hostesses will be Mrs. Sandum and Mrs. Parbst. Everybody is invited.

Entertains.

Miss Florence Aalberg entertained a few of her friends at a 6 o'clock supper on Saturday evening. The guests included Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite and Misses Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson and Meta Kiland.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club met at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening with a good attendance. The hours were spent in a social manner. Before the guests departed the Gs and Hs served delicious refreshments.

Erickson-Gibson.

Roy L. Erickson and Mrs. Anna Gibson were quietly married Sunday, Dec. 26, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, Rev. Sweger, pastor of the church officiating. The couple was attended by Halvor Ryan and Miss Marie Stenerud, sister of the bride.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The next meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the commercial club rooms Monday afternoon, Jan. 3, at 3:30 o'clock. Current Events will be led by Mrs. Scott Laird. The fourth lesson, entitled "Powers of Congress," will be under the leadership of Mrs. A. Bottelson.

Bluebirds Meet.

The Bluebirds of the Presbyterian Sunday school met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Malvina Rupprecht. A social afternoon was enjoyed. The following officers were elected to serve for a period of three months: President, Malvina Rupprecht; secretary, Dorothy Haney; treasurer, Georgia Frizell; reporter, Murrial Loken.

Bock-Weber.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bock last Wednesday when their daughter, Miss Irene, was united in marriage to Jacob Weber, Rev. Halerhenz officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by forty relatives and friends of the contracting parties. A wedding dinner was served to the guests after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Bock will make their home at Isabel, where the groom is employed by the Isabel Equity Exchange.

Alumni Reunion.

A very successful reunion of Thief River Falls alumni was held at the auditorium on Tuesday evening, Dec. 28, about 150 members attending. A short program preceded the business meeting. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Clarence Pope; vice president, George Mostue; secretary and treasurer, Theo. Prichard. Refreshments followed the business session, with Julien Provencher of the Evelyn hotel as caterer. The remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in dancing.

Dancing Party.

Misses Ruby Jensen and Ruby Anderson were delightful hostesses last evening when they entertained sixteen of their friends at a dancing party at the home of the latter on Main avenue. The decorations used in the rooms were in keeping with the holiday season. A delightful lunch was served at 11:30 o'clock. The guests were Misses Gladys Nelson, Sybil McGinn, Agnes Tandberg, Kathleen Ures, Margerite Burns, and Roy Barzen, Bernard Barzen, Leland Schuster, Elnor Overland, Ernest Zeh and Alfred Dybvig.

Delightful Party.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Engelstad was the scene of much merriment on Saturday evening when they entertained a number of their friends. The hours were spent in dancing. A sumptuous supper was served at midnight. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. Hanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Engelstad and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Gunderson and family, Albert Weberg, Oscar Weberg, Mabel Weberg, Nina Weberg, Mr. and Mrs. Herdsman, Albert Halvorson, Nina Turnquist, Mrs. N. Larson and family.

Theatre Party

Miss Goldie Stebbins entertained twelve of her friends last evening at a theatre party. Directly after the movies her guests were taken to the home of Miss Stebbins, where a delicious two-course luncheon was enjoyed. The lunch was served by the hostess' mother, assisted by Miss Goldie Hill. The hours following were spent in a social manner. The guests included Misses Laura Stopple, Josie Weeks, Helen Weeks, Lois Wold, Lucille Burns, Mary Prichard, Merrian Miller, Evangeline Burns, Meta Kiland, Ella Miller and Una Nelson.

Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Hanson, residing on a farm near this city, were delightful hosts on Monday evening when they entertained a number of friends at a dancing party. During the course of the evening refreshments were served. Those having the pleasure of the event were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Gunderson and family, George Borgie, Wilma and Anna Borgie, Olga Larson, Nina Turnquist, Paul Engelstad and family, P. Engelstad and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Herdsman, T. Hanson, Frances Holzknecht, Perry Borgie, Myrtle Knutson and Albert Halvorson.

Vorachek-Grane

Miss Anna Vorachek, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek of this city, and John S. Grane of Grafton, N. D., were married on Monday at six o'clock at the bride's home. Judge N. W. Tarrant performed the ceremony. Miss Esther Samuelson attended the bride while Chas. W. Vorachek acted as best man. Only immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present. Immediately following the ceremony a wedding supper was served. The newlyweds left on the flier that evening for the Twin Cities where they will spend their honeymoon. They will be at home at Grafton, N. D.

Progressive Whist Party.

Among the social events of the holiday season was a whist party given at the Math Barzen home on Monday evening, when Roy and Bernard Barzen, students at Marquette university, who are spending the holidays at home, entertained a number of their friends. High honors were awarded to Denis McGinn, while Miss Florence Aalberg carried the lowest score. Each was presented with an appropriate gift. Delicious refreshments were served by the hosts at midnight. The guests included Misses Kathleen Ures, Ruby Anderson, Margaret Rustad, Sybil McGinn, Derothy Bottelson, Mary Prichard, Margaret DeCremer, Lucille Burns, Florence Aalberg; Messrs. Carl Sundahl, Hugh McDaniel, Denis McGinn, Ernest Zeh, Chas. Prichard, Ambrose Zeh, Leland Schuster and Elmer Smith.

Larson-Anderson.

On Sunday, Dec. 26, at the N. K. Anderson home occurred the marriage of their youngest daughter, Esther Isabelle, to Lester Myles Larson of this city. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire, took place at 3 o'clock in the attractively decorated living room in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Erling Dahl, sister of the groom, and Miss Caroline Rhodegaard. The groom was attended by Theo. Anderson, brother of the bride, and Erling Dahl. Mrs. Palmer Peterson, of Angus, sister of the bride, played the wedding march. The bride is well known here, having been employed for the past year by the Oen Mercantile company. Mr. Larson is employed by the Kleanall company. The couple will leave in a few weeks for Kendall, Wis., where they will make their home on a farm.

Auxiliary Notes.

Mrs. J. O. Sether of the Women's Auxiliary, with E. P. Brevig of the Legion, on Friday visited former service men who are patients at the Physicians hospital here and at Oakland Park sanitarium. Packages containing Christmas cheer in the form of home made goodies and books were left to be presented to the men at Christmas tree festivities and were held at each institution during the evening. The packages were made up by the ladies of the Auxiliary and members of the local post of the Legion.

Patients at Oakland Park sanitarium are Carl M. Staven of Ulen, formerly a member of Company I, 352nd Infantry, 88th division; and Alfred J. Anderson of St. Hilaire, formerly a member of Company I, 163rd Inf., 41st division. Wm. R. Austin of Malung, Minn., formerly a member of Company H, 129th Inf., 33rd div., is at present confined to the Physicians hospital. All were with the late A. E. F. in France.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Choir practice on Thursday evening. Young Peoples' league Thursday, Dec. 30. Good program. The following ladies entertain: Mrs. Adolph Williamson, Mrs. L. Vevea and Mrs. T. E. Sweger. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 o'clock. Norwegian services Sunday 11 a. m. English services at 7:45 p. m. Special music at both services. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Ladies' Aid holds its annual meeting Thursday Jan. 6. The following ladies entertain: Mrs. Hans Langseth, Mrs. Oscar Williams, Mrs. Olaf Tessum and Mrs. T. E. Sweger. First meeting of the Sunday school in the new year, Sunday Jan. 2nd at 9:30. A full attendance is looked for. New pupils welcomed.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge—Dec. 31. English services, Erie, 10:30 a. m. New Year's day, German services at 10 a. m. and English services at 2:30 p. m. at Germantown. Sunday, Jan. 2. German services at Esplee, 10 a. m., near Grygla, 3 p. m. Annual business meetings will follow all of above services. All voting members are requested to be present.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 2. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. The annual business meeting will be held Saturday at 4 p. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school, 10 a. m. Services, 11 a. m. Services 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting at Mr. Bergland's on Wednesday evening. Rindal Young Peoples' meeting at Rindal church on New Year's day at 2 p. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid at Mrs. Saugen, Jan. 4th. Confirmants read at Rindal church on same day at 1 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 2. 10 a. m., Sunday school. First day of the New Year. 11 a. m. Holy Communion. 8 p. m., evening worship, "Advancing Faith." Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. Junior choir practice on Monday evening at 7:30.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Dec. 31, New Year's Eve. English services with Holy Communion at 8 p. m. New Year's day, German services with Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. Confessional address 10 a. m. Sunday. English services 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

S. D. A. Mission, Library basement. You are invited to attend the service on Sunday evening Jan. 2 at 7:45. Subject: "Those Disturbers of Peace." New Year's service on Saturday, Jan. 1, 3 p. m. and Bible class at two o'clock.

First Evangelical Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Annual business meeting of the church on New Year's eve at 7:30. New Year wake program by Luther League at 11 p. m. Services in Swedish evening of New Year's day. Services in usual manner on Sunday, Jan. 2.

Christian Science—Services at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "God." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

City News

Miss Rose Gunstad of St. Hilaire shopped between trains in this city yesterday.

R. C. Halvorson of Goodridge attended to matters of business here on Wednesday.

Dan R. Maue returned Tuesday morning from his home at Monticello, where he visited over Christmas.

Jordan Penney will leave this evening for the twin cities where he will visit until school reopens.

Doris Provencher of Minneapolis is spending the week as the guest of his father, Julian Provencher.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Salveson are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy born on Tuesday, Dec. 28.

Alfred Soderberg left last evening for Colorado Springs, Col., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dale of Bemidji are holiday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sether.

Ambrose Zeh, who spent a few days as the guest of his father, Phil Zeh, returned to Minot, where he is employed in a bank, yesterday afternoon. During his brief stay in Crookston he will be the guest of his brother, Elmer Zeh.

Miss Olga Johnson, who is employed here, left yesterday morning for her home at Holt to spend a few days.

Celina Bourque returned to Fordville Tuesday after having been a Christmas guest at the W. B. Fuller home.

Miss Stella Stenvick, a student at the local high school, is spending the holidays with her parents at Goodridge.

Mrs. I. Harstad and baby of Viking arrived here yesterday to be guests of her sister, Mrs. Omar Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sondreal left on Tuesday afternoon for Reynolds, N. D., where they will visit relatives for a week.

Miss Hannah Gustafson, who spent a number of months touring the western states, has returned to her home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Coumba are rejoicing over the arrival of an eight pound baby daughter on Friday morning, Dec. 24.

Miss Ruth Ringham, who attends business college at Grand Forks, is the guest of relatives in this city over the holidays.

Miss Huldah Johnson, who is employed in this city, returned Tuesday from her home at Gatzke where she spent Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Munson and children returned Tuesday from Holt where they visited for a brief period with relatives.

Louise Besancon who attends school in this city, left Thursday afternoon for her home at Goodridge to remain during vacation.

Phil Bryant, Soo dispatcher, arrived from Superior Thursday evening and will spend a few days visiting with numerous friends.

Miss Ann Patterson arrived this morning from her home at St. Hilaire and will be the guest of Miss Irma Johnson for a few days.

Mrs. W. C. Shilling, who spent a week in this city visiting numerous friends, returned to her home at Shilling on Wednesday.

Miss Ellen Blomquist of Middle River was the guest of friends here the first of the week. She returned to her home yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Markeson and children arrived here Saturday evening from their home at Goodridge to spend Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Helan Gustafson and baby returned Tuesday afternoon from Roseau where they visited the latter's parents over Christmas.

Marshall Race, who attends the local high school, went to his home at Goodridge Thursday afternoon to remain during the Christmas vacation.

Miss Lois Wold arrived yesterday morning from her home at Grand Forks to attend the Andrews-Brown wedding this evening. While here she will be the guest of Miss Lucille Burns.

Mrs. J. J. Salley returned to Red Lake Falls Tuesday afternoon, having spent a few days as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht.

Mr. and Mrs. James Farr, Jr., and son, returned Tuesday afternoon from Gatzke where they visited over Xmas at the home of Mrs. Farr's parents.

Miss Alice Hall arrived here Tuesday afternoon from her home at Middle River and spent a brief period visiting her cousin, Miss Elsie Grunum.

Herman Bischoff, who attends the school for the blind at Faribault, Minn., is spending his holiday vacation with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, who were Christmas guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Akre, returned to their home at Crookston Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Cora Hanson, who is engaged in teaching school in South Dakota, is spending the holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hanson.

Mrs. R. Morin and children arrived here Wednesday from their home at Goodridge and left in the afternoon via the Great Northern for Crookston to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Sampson returned to their home at Crookston yesterday after visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson, since Saturday.

Leona Bourque, who has spent the last five years nursing in Cabri, Saskatchewan, arrived the latter part of last week for a visit over the holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Miss Eleanor Bauer, who teaches in the public school at Goodridge, was the guest of friends here between trains Thursday evening enroute to her home at Onamia to spend the holidays.

Mrs. J. O. Sether, Mrs. A. Dale and baby and Mrs. C. G. Hilliard were passengers to Steiner yesterday where they were guests between trains of the former's daughter, Mrs. H. L. Sande.

J. C. McAndress and niece, Miss Ruth McAndress, of Fargo, N. D., arrived here Xmas day and are spending the holidays at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin McAndress.

Miss Mildred Wood of Warren, accompanied by Miss Zora Rafferty of Minneapolis, who is her guest, arrived last evening and will be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown. Miss Wood and Miss Rafferty will serve as bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Ruth Brown and Clarence Andrews, this evening.

Mrs. Jensine Dock.

On Dec. 27 occurred the death of Mrs. Jensine Dock, wife of Leonard Dock of Roseau, at Oakland Park sanitarium. The cause of death was pulmonary tuberculosis. The body was shipped to Roseau for burial.

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We recognize that the interests of the community are all interdependent. The rural community can neither prosper nor suffer without the towns prospering or suffering in like proportion. In the same way does the prosperity of the rural community depend on that of the towns. If we expect a good farm community, we must have a good town. And a good town means one where business is in good hands, men who have learned the truth of the motto: "He lives best who serves best," and who have considered, "If every citizen were just like me, what sort of town would this be," and whose considering is fruitful of better service.

We are not all content with our achievements. Every success we attain but opens to us larger visions of service. But we do believe that Thief River Falls (and that includes its surrounding country) is a better community because it has a J. C. PENNEY CO. store.

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Tuxedo Sweaters $6.90 $7.90 $8.90

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Heavy Velours and Heavy Plaids. Choice ---------- $7.90

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Black Fox, Hudson Seal and Wolf $14.75 $16.50 $19.75 $22.50 $24.75

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27 in. Heavy Cheviot Shirting	25c
36 in. Comforter Cretonne	25c
27 in. Dark Outings	25c
36 in. Heavy Twill White Outing	29c
Heavy Fleeced Kimona Flannel	32c
42 in. Linen Finish Pillow Tubing	49c
40 in. Charmeuse Satin	$2.19
36 in. Wash Satin, dark colors	$1.75
30x40 Cortex Crib Blankets	98c
72x80 Wool Blankets	$7.50
56x78 Cotton Blankets	$1.69
72x78 Medium Comforters	$2.98
72x84 Satin Trimmed Comforters	$4.98
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced 2-piece Underwear, all sizes	98c
Ladies' Medium Fleeced Union Suits	$1.49
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Hose	49c
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Hose	39c
Infants' Fine Lisle Hose	19c
Palm Olive Soap	8c
Lenox Laundry Soap, 8 bars for	25c
P. & G. Laundry Soap, 7 bars for	25c
Hair Nets, cap shape	10c
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Coats' Spool Thread	8c
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Misses' and Children's Cloth Coats

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Ladies' Cloth Coats

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Misses', lined and unlined	75c 85c
Boys' heavy and dress rubbers	98c-$1.45
Ladies' unlined rubbers	75c
Ladies' fleece lined rubbers	98c
Ladies' one-buckle overshoes	$1.98
Ladies' three-buckle overshoes	$2.98
Ladies' 10-button wool fleece	$3.98
Ladies' gaiters	$2.69
Men's gaiters	$2.25
Children's gaiters	98c
Brown, fawn, grey and black.	
Men's one-buckle overshoes	$2.49
Men's 4-buckle overshoes	$3.49
Men's 4-buckle all rubber	$3.75
Men's low overshoes	$1.75
Men's fleece lined rubbers	$1.45
Lumbermen's heavy rubbers	$1.65
Children's one-buckle overshoes	1.25-1.35
Children's two-buckle overshoes	1.69-1.98

Cold Weather Men's and Boys' Wearables

Mens' all wool Soo Mackinaws	$11.90
Boys' all wool Soo Mackinaws	$8.90-$9.90
Boys' Sheep Lined Coats	$9.90
Men's Sheepskin Ulsters, 52 in.	$24.75
Men's Sheepskin Ulster, heavy drab moleskin sleeve, full sheep skin lined	$27.50
Men's and Boys' Winter Caps, pull down, fur lined, good patterns.	$1.49 $1.69 $1.98 $2.25 $2.49
Men's heavy Scotch Caps with pulldown	$1.49
Men's Wool Flannel and Mixed Shirts	$1.98 $2.49 $2.98 $3.50
Men's Dress Shirts, all sizes	98c
Boys' Overalls, 220 denim, large and roomy, heavy weight, 3 to 7, 98c; 8 to 12	$1.19
13 to 17	$1.39
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$22.75 $24.75 $26.75 $29.75 $32.50 and $39.50

Flowered Sateen Petticoats Values to $3.00 Special $1.95

Pure Silk Fibre Hose $1.50 Values $1.00

Women's Lisle Hose Values to 75c The "Armour Plate" Brand Special 48c

Gossard Brassieres Values to 85c Special 48c

EXTRA SPECIAL APRONS $1.00

Percale aprons, the kind that sold up to $2.95, will go the first day of this sale for only $1.00

Limit, 2 to one customer. Come and be surprised.

Every Corset in the Store

Goes at 20% Reduction

Below are a few extra specials:

Corsets at specially reduced prices

C-B Corsets, values to $4.00	$1.95
C-B Corsets, values to $2.50	$1.48
C-B Corsets, values to $6.50	$3.95

Your Choice of Entire Line of

Munsingwear

For Women and Children at

20 per cent discount

Extra Special — Children's Munsing wool union suits, $2.75 value $1.95

Schedule of Reduction

$2.00 Suits	$1.60
$2.50 Suits	$2.00
$3.00 Suits	$2.40
$3.50 Suits	$2.80
$4.00 Suits	$3.20
$5.00 Suits	$4.00

These are actual reductions from a standard national price. Big stock of children's Munsingwear in cotton and wool.

Extra Special — Children's Munsing unions 98c

Ladies' fleeced union suits, Munsingwear, values to $2.50 ---------- $1.69

Entire Stock of Blouses

Drastically Reduced

25 Georgette Crepe Waists, values to $6.50, extra special $3.95

These were not bought for this sale but are taken from regular stock—another surprise for you. Every waist in the store reduced.

Entire Stock of Albrecht Furs

Now Selling Below Cost

20% to 50% Reduction

Children's "Armour Plate" Hose 50c and 65c Values Black and tan, sizes 6½-10 Special 39c

Children's Black Sateen Bloomers 75c Value 48c

Sunlight Yarn the regular 55c kind 3 skeins for $1.00

Girls' Knit Tams Special $1.95

"Jack Tar" and "Bonnie Brig" Middies $7.95 Green, Red and Navy

98c -- Rummage Bargain Table -- 98c

Here is the Bargain That Should Bring You Here Bright and Early Friday!

98c

WOMEN'S WOOL AND WASH SKIRTS, HOUSE DRESSES, CHILDREN'S DRESSES, PETTICOATS MIDDIES AND CORSETS, CAPS, FLANNEL SLEEPERS, FLANNEL PETTICOATS, PLAY SUITS

These are gathered together from odd lots and broken sizes and is merchandise that we are desirous to close out, and we have lost track of the cost entirely. We know you can put this merchandise to use: My! What a scramble Friday. Over 300 pieces go on this table. Buy as much as you like. The table will be located in rear of store to left as you come in.

We won't mention comparative prices or try to tell you what the former prices were, but will leave it to your good judgment.

This Sale Starts Monday, January 3rd at 9:00 a. m. Be Here Early For First and Best Choice of This Big Stock at Just Half Price

Loken Brothers Annual January Clearance Sale

$25,000 worth of Brand New Fall and Winter Merchandise at Just Half Price. To wind up the old year with a bang! This our greatest year-end sale brings to you the biggest variety of wonderful bargains we ever offered.

Commencing Monday, January 3rd at 9 a. m. we start the greatest ten day sale we ever put on. Think of it, $25,000.00 worth of our fine stock to be sold for $12,500.00. Just 50c on the dollar. This big sale will include everything just as here described and advertised.

Our Entire Stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear

All To Go at *JUST HALF* Original Marked Prices

For example $50.00 Coats that sold at our Consolidated Unloading Sale at $38.50, will now go at just half of original marked price which was $50.00. Therefore the sale price will be half or just $25.00.

150 Ladies' and Misses' High Grade New Winter Coats at *HALF PRICE*

What Young Miss or Youthful Matron Would Like a New Coat for Half?

That may seem like startling news to you. Certainly it would have been to us, if we had been told a few months ago that we should offer the superb coats we were then buying for HALF of our intended selling prices.

But this has been a season of astounding happenings—a season that has smashed the profits for merchants, but a happy buying time, we should think, for our customers.

Of course, the most astounding opportunities of the whole season are being presented THIS WEEK—just to clean up stocks, to start the New Year with new goods.

Don't miss YOUR opportunity, for such bargains can't come soon again.

$25.00 Coats now $12.50	$65.00 Coats now $32.50	$100 Coats now $50.00	$150 Coats now $75.00
$35.00 Coats now $17.50	$75.00 Coats now $37.50	$110 Coats now $55.00	$175 Coats now $87.50
$50.00 Coats now $25.00	$85.00 Coats now $42.50	$125 Coats now $67.50	$200 Coats now $100.00

112 New Dresses For Women and Misses

still in our racks. We must sell them all at once to make room for new Spring lines. We have them in fine Serges, Tricotines, Silk Satins, Charmeuse, Tricolletts, Velvets, etc.; every conceivable style; all good shades and in all sizes.

Come take your choice.

Just Half Price

162 Fine New Women's Waists in Stock

all styles, all colors, all sizes.

Georgettes, Crepe de chenes, Shirt Waists, Silks, Pussy Willows, Taffetas, Messalines. Original values are $5.95 to $25.00.

Now Your Choice at Just Half

$5.95 Waists now $2.98	$10.00 Waists now $5.00
$7.50 Waists now $3.75	$6.50 Waists now $3.25
$15.00 Waists now $7.50	$18.50 Waists now $9.25
$20.00 Waists now $10.00	$25.00 Waists now $12.50

A Big Stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Fine Furs at Half Price

Just think of it, our entire stock of all new beautiful Lanpher Guaranteed Furs at 50c on the dollar.

$10.00 Muffs and Scarfs each $5.00

$18.50 Fur Sets, Muff and Scarf	$9.25
$25.00 Fur Sets, Muff and Scarf	$12.50
$35.00 Fur sets, muff and scarf	$17.50
$50.00 Fur sets, muff and scarf	$25.00
$75.00 Fur sets, muff and scarf	$37.50
$100.00 Fur sets, muff and scarf	$50.00

200 Girls' Gingham Dresses

Mostly

Elsie Dinsmore and Little Sister Dresses

None Better Made

A wonderful big stock in all sizes from 2 years up to 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14. Former values were $1.50 to $10.00.

Now Choice, Half Price

$1.50 Dresses 75c	$2.00 Dresses $1.00
$2.50 Dresses $1.25	$5.00 Dresses $2.50

Women's Gingham Aprons

A very pretty assortment of all the new styles and patterns. We have them in both lights and darks and in all sizes. Your choice, this sale at just

Half Price

Skirts

A big rack full of all the latest garments, all sizes, all colors. Plain Serges and Tricotines Fancy Pleated New Plaids. All g at just

Half Price

A Big Stock of Ladies' Silk and Cotton

KIMONAS

Ladies' Misses and Children's **BATHROBES**

Petticoats, Bloomers, Raincoats, Capes

Your choice of the entire Ready-to-wear stock at

Half Price

Mina Taylor Dresses

A wonderful quality line of **Ladies' Fine Wash Dresses** Values are $5.95 up to $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00 each. This sale your choice at

Just Half Price

$ 5.95 Dresses	$2.98
$ 8.50 Dresses	$4.25
$10.00 Dresses	$5.00
$12.50 Dresses	$6.25
$15.00 Dresses	$7.50

We have in the past nineteen years staged a great many big sales. But we assure you that never before have we taken the actual big losses that we will take on this one sale. Not just a few hundred dollars but our losses on this big sale alone will run into the thousands.

Loken Brothers

Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Remember everything in this store will no be on sale. Therefore not everything a half price, but everything will be on sal exactly as advertised. In these two page the entire sale is quoted. $25,000.00 wort of new merchandise to be sold in just te days at just half price.

Terms: Cash only, no approvals, no return

Loken Bros. Annual January Clearance Sale

A Bargain Event That You Never Saw The Like of Before In Thief River Falls

Entire Stock of Ribbon at Half

Ribbons cannot be bought to our knowledge at lowest wholesale quotations at prices you can buy them for at this sale. Then you ask, why the price? Because, first, our stock is low; second, it's an accumulation of several brands due to the difficulty of getting any at all in the past few years. We were glad to take in any brand, make or kind that we could get. Now we will clean house and restock with a new line all of one brand. So hurry and help yourself to this entire stock at

Just Half Price

$25,000 Worth of Fall and Winter Merchandise at Just Half Original Marked Price

Our Big Bargain Basement will offer its entire remaining stocks Toys, Dolls, Stationery, Books, Games, Candies, Chocolates, Bon Bons, Toilet Sets

ALL TO GO AT HALF ORIGINAL MARKED PRICE

Besides this our Basement will offer you our entire stock of All-Wool, Part-Wool, Wool-Nap and Cotton Blankets. Original values from $5.95 to $16 each. We say a wonderful opportunity for you at this sale

JUST HALF PRICE

Hundreds of Yards of Beautiful Cretones, Curtain Goods, Draperies, Terrycloths, Burlaps, Overdrapes. All to go at

Just Half Price

We would think it an opportune time to buy your spring curtaining as you'll not get these prices after the sale. Think of it! $10.00 worth of curtaining and only have to pay $5.00 for it, or $25.00 worth and only pay $12.50 for it. You can hardly believe it, but we must cut down our altogether too heavy stock, cost us what it may. We of course realize that our losses will run up into the thousands. But this stock is ours. We own it and it's paid for. So ther's no one else but Loken Brothers to lose. But then the benefits will all go to you—our friends and customers.

$1.25 fine 36 in. Curtain Material, now at per yard	62½c	$2 Terry Cloths, entire stock this sale at just half price, yd.	$1.00
65c Fancy Apron Cretonnes, per yard onlly	32½c	$1.50 Fine Panel Curtain Goods, now per panel olnyl	75c

A bargain event you cannot afford to miss. $2 worth of goods for every $1 spent

SPECIALS	SPECIALS	SPECIALS	SPECIALS	SPECIALS	SPECIALS	SPECIALS	SPECIALS
9-4 or 81 in. Sheeting, Bleached, now yard, Basement	A full case of good quality Outing Flannels, light and dark, was 45c, Basement	A full case of 40c Percale, 36 in. wide in all colors, lights, darks, grays, polka dot patterns, etc. Per yard, Basement	Our 85c 36 in. Blk. quality Sateens, at per yard, Basement	2 oz. ball pure wool worsted knitting yarns, was 75c, now Basement at pr ball	Men's 220 blue denim overalls & jackets. Basement now	Men's $2.50 Dress Shirts, in all sizes, the latest soft cuff styles; Basement only at each	Ladies' 65c Black Cashmerette Gloves, a Basement wonder bargain at, pr. pair
50c	19c	18c	40c	39c	$1.50	99c	25c

Hosiery and Underwear Specially Reduced for Quick Clearance

Ladies' Silk Hosiery, formerly $3.75 values, now per pair	$2.50
Ladies' Silk Hosiery, formerly $2.25 values, now per pair	$1.25
Ladies' $1.85 Silk Hose, now at pair	99c
Our very best extra large and roomy Ladies' Heavy Outing Flannel Night Gowns	$2.25
Women's medium weight Outing Flannel Night Gowns	$1.99
A Special Flyer! 25 Ladies' Outing Flannel Night Gowns, at this sale each	$1.25

Our Entire Line of Women's(Misses' and Children's Underwear at Sharp Reductions.

All $1.00 Suits now each	.66
All $1.50 Suits now each	.99
All $2.00 Suits now each	$1.32
All $3.00 Suits now each	$1.95
All $4.50 Suits now each	$3.00
All $7.50 Suits now each	$5.00

If you need Hosiery or Underwear at all, this certainly is an opportune time in which to buy it at the prices which we now are offering it for.

Women's, Misses', Children's all Queen Quality Shoes at This the Greatest Cut Price Shoe Sale

Ever attempted by us. This includes our entire stock of Footwear, Rubbers, Overshoes.

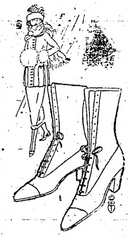

$5.50 to $6.50 Ladies' Shoes, all lace, in kid and side leathers, low heels, per pair	3.85
$7.50 to $8.50 Ladies' and Growing Girls' Shoes, gray and black kid, military heels	4.85
$10 to $12 Ladies' and Growing Girls' Shoes, in patent, black and brown kid and calf, high and low heels, per pair	7.85
$13 to $14 Ladies' Black and Brown Kid, military and Louis heels, per pair	8.85
$15 to $18 Ladies' Shoes. This includes all our high grade Queen Quality in brown, black and gray kid, military and Louis heels	9.95
$9 to $10.50 Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, kid and calf skins, military and Louis heels	6.95
$2.25 to $2.75 Children's Shoes, sizes 2 to 5	1.58
$3.75 to $4.25 Children's Kid and Gun Metal Shoes, sizes 8½ to 11	2.78
$4.50 to $5.50 Misses' Shoes in the brown and black	3.85

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT ON ALL BEDROOM SLIPPERS

RUBBERS AND OVERSHOES

Ladies' Fleeced Lined Rubbers	95c	Ten-button, white wool lined	$4.25
Ladies' Low Overshoes	$1.48	Children's fleeced line rubbers	69c-79c
Ladies' One-buckle Overshoes	$1.95	Children's 1-buckle overshoes	1.19-1.29
Ladies' Two-buckle Overshoes	$2.55	Children's 2-buckle overshoes	1.65-1.95
Ladies' Three-buckle Overshoes	$2.95	Children's 3-buckle overshoes	2.19-2.49
Four-buckle white wool lined	$3.95		

All First Quality Rubber

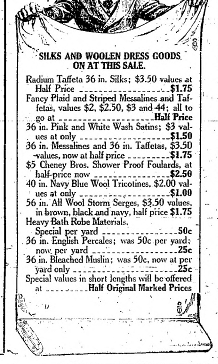

SILKS AND WOOLEN DRESS GOODS ON AT THIS SALE.

Radium Taffeta 36 in. Silks; $3.50 values at Half Price	$1.75
Fancy Plaid and Striped Messalines and Taffetas, values $2, $2.50, $3 and 44; all to go at	Half Price
36 in. Pink and White Wash Satins; $3 values at only	$1.50
36 in. Messalines and 36 in. Taffetas, $3.50 values, now at half price	$1.75
$5 Cheney Bros. Shower Proof Foulards, at half-price now	$2.50
40 in. Navy Blue Wool Tricotines, $2.00 values at only	$1.00
56 in. All Wool Storm Serges, $3.50 values, in brown, black and navy, half price	$1.75
Heavy Bath Robe Materials, Special per yard	50c
36 in. English Percales; was 50c per yard; now per yard	25c
36 in. Bleached Muslin; was 50c, now at per yard only	25c
Special values in short lengths will be offered at	Half Original Marked Prices

Palm Olive Soap

Special this ten day sale only

5 Bars For 30c

Loken Brothers

Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

STORE HOURS DAILY 8:30 A. M. TO 6 P. M. SATURDAYS TO 9:30 P. M.

Included in This Big January Sale

Will go Handkerchiefs, Laces, Embroideries, Gloves, Mittens, Ladies' Neckwear, Christmas Novelties, Corsets, and many other articles too numerous to mention—all will be out on tables and counters handy to get at.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR.

In looking backward it will probably be found that old nineteen-twenty behaved pretty well toward most of us. The people of this section at least have escaped disasters and visitations of a serious kind and have even been permitted to have and to hold a sufficiency of everything needful to enable them to help out those who were less fortunately situated. We all have a lot of things to be thankful for if we will only look at them in the right light.

The opening of the new year finds us optimistic and taking a cheerful view of the future. The outlook, if not particularly brilliant holds enough of brightness to justify us in refusing to entertain any but the most sanguine hopes.

Let us all decide at this time to make 1921 the best and most successful year of our entire history, to take a livelier interest in the development of our city and section, and to work in every way possible for the common good of all our neighbors. That kind of determination is absolutely necessary in order to obtain the best results.

May 1921 hold in store for our people nothing but happiness and prosperity. This is the wish of The Times at this season.

OPPOSED EVERYWHERE.

Turning the road building program of the state over to an unpaid commission is going to prove a decidedly unpopular proceeding, if one may judge from the expressions found in the newspapers. A number of prominent editors refuse to regard the propositian as advanced with any serious hope of its being adopted, professing to see in the plan assurances of nothing except that time will be wasted, cooperation made impossible and the people rendered suspicious. When Senator McGarry suggested the plan he no doubt thought that it would meet with general acceptance, but the result has been otherwise. Everywhere confidence is expressed in the ability of Commissioner Babcock to handle the matter in a more satisfactory manner if left alone. He knows just exactly what was the intention of the law establishing the road fund and would only be hampered by a supervising committee having power to upset the entire program in case the members so saw fit. The city papers have not as yet taken a very decided stand on the matter, although they have been forced to recognize the fact that the plan is not popular. Says the Minneapolis Journal:

"Friends of Highway Commissioner C. M. Babcock over the state are beginning to declare themselves against creating a new commission and in favor of leaving the entire administration of the state road system in his hands. The Thief River Falls commercial club the other day passed resolutions opposing the proposed unpaid commission of five and expressed 'confidence in the ability of Mr. C. M. Babcock, our present highway commissioner, to manage and in all things supervise the construction of all highways to be built under the provisions of said amendment and under such laws as may be enacted to carry out the provisions thereof.'"

AGAIN WE'RE OFF.

Street paving is just a little nearer at this moment in Thief River Falls than it has been at any time since the project was first broached. We'll pave if we can find someone to loan us the money. This should not be a particularly difficult matter, even in these times, as the city's credit is A1 while the people are almost unanimously behind the paving project.

It is to be hoped that this will end the long controversy. One year has been devoted to court trials, injunction proceedings and repudiation of contracts, and the city has lost money by the delay. There are those who profess to believe that by delaying still longer the work can be done at a much lower price, but past experience fails to bear out their contention. It would have been a great deal cheaper and vastly better for all concerned if paving had been undertaken ten years ago when the subject first came up. There is certainly no guarantee that a similar advance in costs will not take place during the next ten years.

It is figured that the city should be able to borrow two or three hundred thousand dollars at six per cent which is reasonable enough under present conditions. There will be a big demand for money during the next few years at least and no one need expect to secure loans at the favorable figure prevailing before the war. It is even doubtful if a period of extremely low interest rates is desirable. Rates reflect the business trend exactly and when at an unusually low figure indicate unmistakably that the demand for money is light and development work at a standstill.

Communities having large improvement projects in hand may be the fortunate ones next year and for some time following. It is quite conceivable that the country may be up against a comparatively dull season, in which case it will prove most fortunate if there is considerable work of a public nature to fall back on. Looking ahead and arranging how to provide men with work later on is decidedly good business.

Everyone will be glad that the matter has finally been settled—or at least advanced so far that an early settlement is probable. While nothing much may have been lost by the delay, it is certain that nothing has been gained. The council's action will be upheld by all but a very few, and even those will in a short time admit the wisdom of the course pursued.

WHERE A LITTLE COUNTS MUCH

When the eleven hundred dollars subscribed for the relief of the starving children of Europe reaches the proper officials, the people of Thief River Falls will have taken under their collective wing 110 starving babies. The sum is not as large as most of us would like to see it, but is a fairly good showing for the city at this time and under present circumstances. Very few would have predicted when the drive was launched that even this amunt could possibly be secured.

Ten dollars will keep a child in one of the stricken countries alive until next harvest, when, it is hoped, these nations will be able to help themselves. Such being the case, our citizens are entitled to feel that they have saved from death 110 of these little victims. This is but a very *few when the three million lives* threatened are taken into consideration, but if other communities do as well the magnitude of the horror will at least be greatly reduced. Many thousands must die from want no matter how quickly and liberally the United States comes to their rescue, but millions who would have shared the same fate will be saved by our people's action.

The solicitors say that not in a single instance did they find a grudging giver. Every man and woman approached expressed their approval of the drive and were only sorry that they could not make their contributions larger. The young woman who handed Chairman Sapero $30 with the remark that she wanted to feel that she had at least helped to keep three babies alive was a rare instance, to be sure, but she expressed the feeling behind every donation made.

There is still time for those who were overlooked in the rapid canvass to help the cause along. The money may be sent direct to A. S. Sapero, chairman, or C. L. Hansen, treasurer, Thief River Falls. No sum is too small to be welcome. Large contributions are not even asked or suggested. But every little bit helps.

The Norman County Herald is boosting the appointment of Martin Widsten of Warroad as United States marshal when the time comes for President-elect Harding to relieve John Wessel of this post. Martin would fill the bill admirably and will certainly have the support of a host of boosters in this section of the state in case he decides to go after it. If the Warroad newspaper man can succeed as well when working in his own behalf as he has in putting Congressman Steenerson through in many a hard-fought battle, there is no doubt of the outcome. The Times doesn't know just how badly Martin wants this job, but if he wants it all, we're for him.

DON'T KICK THE FAT IN THE FIRE.

(St. Cloud Journal-Press.)

The voters by a magnificent majority did a splendid thing for Minnesota in ratifying Amendment No. 1.

It is an achievement to be protected from the sinister influences. With from eight to twelve million dollars to be expended annually for the next twenty or more years, there are many itching palms. There are contracting firms with none too good reputations, naturally having no love for Commissioner Babcock, that will go to any length to undermine his authority.

Already there are signs of attacks to be made upon him, very clever in conception. One proposition is to have a new highway commission of five members. Another is to have directors in each Congressional district, all to receive good salaries.

When the highway commission was created, it had three members, all serving without salary. Hon. R. C. Dunn, the father of the highway commission, as a member of the state senate, brought about the change, to have one commissioner only. The Journal-Press at that time did not see the wisdom of the change, but experience has justified the judgment of Senator Dunn.

The owners of automobiles and trucks, who will pay into the state treasury for good roads several millions of dollars each year, want that money honestly and efficiently expended. They seriously object to making a fat nest for politicians, who would be a handicap in the good roads program, rather than a help.

Commissioner Babcock, who had the brains to work out the best way ever devised to help Minnesota, who is a thoroughly honest man, who understands the problems to be worked out better than any other man in Minnesota, whose heart is in the great work, should be given the right of way, to lift Minnesota out of the mud.

There must be concentration of authority and responsibility. The people want value received for their money. Divided authority, carving the state into districts, with representatives from each section, each ambitious to make a good showing for himself, will breed friction. Commissioner Babcock proposes to start the building of permanent highways where the travel is heaviest, which is the honest and logical way. There is not a county in the state but wants good, permanent roads, regardless of how they voted on the amendment. Given a pull-hauling commission, there will be an open wedge for political influences, which will be used to the fullest extent by the big contractors, who are out to get the money from the state.

Every dollar paid in by the automobile and truck owners should go into road building and maintenance. None of it should be used for a political machine, or to fatten the profits of owners of patent processes.

Give Commissioner Babcock a chance to make good, and don't handcuff him with a lot of red tape. The legislature meets every two years. If he does not come up to the demands of the job, the legislature of 1923 can easily find a remedy.

Let the present legislature keep its hands off the commission, and refuse to be used by either selfish corporations, profiteers or politicians.

The building of a trunk highway system is an executive job. There is no more sense in having five commissioners than there would be in having five governors of Minnesota.

EFFERVESCENCE

If the officer who killed the dancer for bareing a plot was justified in the shooting, many of our prominent terpsichoreans might do well to repair to their dressing rooms.

"Short skirts are an aid to morals. The short skirt of today does not make the men look longer," says Margaret E. Sanger, self-confessed feminist, in her lecture, "What Men Should Know." Maybe not, Margaret, but they sure do make them look oftener.

The feminine half of the younger generation today wears her furs in the summer time and looks as if she might be expecting a regular old nor'wester to come along; while in the winter time she garbs herself as if she expected a chinook.

Oolai says he thinks that while an elastic law which would permit petty grievances to be settled with bare fists might result in a few more black eyes and bloody noses, it would save airing a lot of soiled family linens in court.

The man who believes all he says doesn't always say all he believes.

OBSERVATIONS.

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

A colony of Mennonites may locate in Beltrami county. It may be all right if they don't get the idea that the eighteenth amendment refers to soap.

A motion picture concern offers a prize for the bare idea of a good plot. "Bare idea" is right. Eve was overdressed compared to the average movie actress.

In sending gifts to friends in the twin cities a righ powered rifle, a coat of armor and a paid up insurance policy will be found appropriate and useful.

There is a labor shortage at Stillwater owing to lack of prisoners. Minnesota raises bumper crops of everything except criminals.

About this time next week they will be taking up subscriptions for the widows of the lads who think that Christmas is a wood alcoholiday.

The price of paper went down a couple of cents this week. It can now be bought for only three times what it is worth.

We met a lucky chap the other day. He wanted a bottle of bootlegger liquor but he was dead broke.

Since pulpwood jumped to $24 a cord the homesteaders are wondering why Santa Claus came so early this year.

A patent medicine manufacturer died the other day at the age of 81. He knew enough not to use his own stuff.

Food prices dropped 13 per cent in November. But what interests most of us is how much did they drop in Minnesota?

FARMERS INCREASE WINTER GRAIN AREA

Weather Thus Far Favorable to Wheat and Rye in Northwestern Section.

Minnesota farmers seeded 617,000 acres of rye this fall. This is a slightly greater acreage than that from which the 1920 crop was harvested. Seeding of fall rye in the northwestern part of the state was somewhat retarded by the dry fall and inability to properly prepare a seed bed. The rest of the state had a most advantageous season in which to seed rye and as the prices had not slumped prior to seeding time, there was an incentive to seeding this crop.

The growth of rye progressed under favorable conditions and went into the winter with a strong, vigorous root growth, even stand and good vitality. The condition of the rye on Dec. 1, as reported by the bureau of crop estimates for Minnesota, was 94 per cent of normal.

The acreage of winter wheat seeded in Minnesota this fall is 10 per cent greater than one year ago, the total being 75,000. This increase is due to the very poor spring wheat crop for 1920 in the south central part of the state. This is where the greater portion of the winter wheat raised in this state is grown, so that the farmers generally decided to seed winter instead spring wheat for the 1921 crop.

The season this last fall was fairly good for preparation of seedbed and the growing season was decidedly favorable, so that the condition of the winter wheat, which has a good stand, color and root development, is placed at 95 per cent of normal.

BETTER DEAD

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GOLD[illegible]

Many Trust in Unknown

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A curious trait in human nature makes itself apparent very frequently. That is an inclination to trust in the unknown rather than in that with which one is familiar. A person is liable to take a chance, even though he may know that the odds are 100 to 1 against him, instead of being satisfied with lesser rewards about which there is no possibility of doubt.

It is possibly the flaring up of the ever-present gambling instinct but there is something more in it than that. There is in it the unexplained tendency on the part of most people to reach for the chimerical and ignore the tangible and substantial thing which is near at hand. Man is seldom satisfied with those things that are within his grasp, but is reaching always for the unattainable. Too often, he loses that which he might easily gain by blindly pursuing that which is always just out of his reach.

Why "Con" Man Thrives.

Coupled, in a way with his faith in the unknown is the tendency on the part of so many people to place confidence in a stranger in preference to one who is known and has been tried and proven. It is this tendency which makes possible the operations of the "con" man, the get-rich-quick artist, the unscrupulous promoter and the salesman of worthless mining stocks. The man who would not think of trusting Bill Jones, his next-door neighbor and fellow church member, will confidingly turn over his life's savings to a stranger who unfolds a tale of riches to be won. Bill Jones might talk his head off in behalf of a legitimate proposition without getting a dollar where the slick stranger with the worthless proposition can get thousands.

It is these two tendencies which, apparently, are so widely prevalent among all classes of people that have made possible the success of the great mail order houses in the big cities. A knowledge of psychology is as important to the mail order man as a knowledge of business practices. He plays upon these tendencies of man to take a chance, to trust in the unknown rather than the known, to place confidence in the stranger rather than the friend.

Hope to Draw Prize.

Those who buy merchandise from a mail order house are moved partly, whether they realize it or not, by that trait in their nature which prompts them to trust in the unknown rather than in that with which they are familiar. They are hoping, it may be unconsciously, that they will draw a prize. They do not know what they will get, for it is impossible for one to know what he is going to get when he orders merchandise from a picture and a highly colored description in a catalogue. He is taking a chance on the unknown.

Buying merchandise from the local merchant, on the other hand, contains none of these elements of chance that enter into the dealings with the mail order house. When one buys a stove from the hardware store in his home town, he may get none of the thrills that come from taking a chance but he will get a stove that will last longer and keep him warmer than the one that he might get from the mail order house and to the average individual, these things are likely to be more important than the thrills.

Using your Eyes.

When you buy from the local merchant you see the thing that you are buying, you inspect it carefully, examine the workmanship and the quality of the material of which it is made and in many cases you have the privilege of testing it before paying for it. You have not only your own eyes and knowledge of values to rely upon, but you have the advantage of the advice of the merchant who has an expert knowledge of the merchandise which he is selling and who, in 99 cases out of 100, can be relied upon to tell the truth about it. Then you have the guarantee that is backed not only by the retail merchant, but in many cases by the manufacturer. If the article which you buy does not prove satisfactory after it is given a fair test, you can take it back to the store where you bought it, in most cases, and get your money back.

Why a person will place his confidence in a stranger rather than a friend or will trust in the unknown rather than in that which is tangible, is something that is hard to understand. Even the mail order house does not pretend to know why it is so but it accepts conditions as it finds them and makes the most of the opportunities that they offer.

We Still Lead All Competitors in Price-Cutting

We must have the money and are making an unusual sacrifice in prices to get it quickly. This is a genuine reduction sale and we know that our prices cannot be duplicated in this city. Here are a few leaders. The store is full of bargains just as attractive:

Men's Suits

Worth from 20 to 40 per cent more than we are asking for them at this reduction sale. Get them now at

$27.45

A fine lot of Cassimere and Worsted Suits, some sold as high as $50, now

$32.45

YoungMen's Suits

Some worth $30, many sold for $27.50 and $25. Take them now for

$19.45

Boys' Suits with two pairs of pants. A sure bargain at

$11.95

We Are Still Giving 15% Off on Our Fine Stock of Bostonian Shoes

Men's Heavy Wool Pants 6.45
Best Knit Pure Thread Silk Sox 98c
Wool and Cotton Mixed Dress Socks 39c
Boys' Extra Heavy Wool Stockings 1.29
Heavy Wool Socks 90c
"Black Cat" Cashmere Hose 59c
Men's Good Suspenders 45c
Extra Heavy Thick Mittens 23c
Boys' Ball Band Overshoes 1.35 and up

A Fine Line of Underwear and Men's Furnishings at Prices Similarly Low

Chas. Lieberman

Hides!

We are paying the very top of the market for all hides and it will be to your advantage to see us before selling.

Don't ship your furs before getting our prices. We can pay you as much as anyone.

Freight and Express Shipments will be given prompt attention.

THIEF RIVER HIDE & FUR CO.

Do you know that nearly all your ailments are caused by bad teeth?

Why wait till your family Physician leads you to the Dental Chair?

You need not suffer painful extractions on badly decayed or abscessed teeth. We have at your command the latest equipped gas machine mixing automatically pure oxygen. No sickly after-effects.

SAVE HALF

You people who work come in evenings or Sundays.

Work absolutely guaranteed for 10 years.

We charge less because we do more.

DR. NORCROSS DR. ERICKSON

operating as

Union Dentists

Over First and Peoples Bank

Thief River Falls.

R. R. TIME TABLE

SOO LINE

South Bound		
No. 110	Daily	9:50 P. M.
112	Ex. Sun.	6:00 A. M.
North Bound		
No. 109	Daily	2:45 A. M.
111	Ex. Sun.	8:30 P. M.
To Duluth—East		
No. 162	Ex. Sun.	7:00 A. M.
186 Frt.	Ex. Sun.	7:30 A. M.
From Duluth—West		
No. 161	Ex. Sun.	8:00 P. M.
187 Frt.	Ex. Sun.	6:00 P. M.
Wheat Line—West		
203	Ex. Sun.	8:15 A. M.
Wheat Line—East		
202	Ex. Sun.	7:45 P. M.
57 Frt.	Ex. Sun.	5:30 P. M.

GREAT NORTHERN

North Bound		
135	Ex. Sun.	11:15 A. M.
563 Frt.	Ex. Sun.	11:30 A. M.
South Bound		
136	Ex. Sun.	3:30 P. M.
564 Frt.	Ex. Sun.	2:45 P. M.

ELECTRIC SHORT LINE

East Bound		
1	Ex. Sun.	7:30 A. M.
3	Ex. Sun.	3:00 P. M.
West Bound		
2	Ex. Sun.	10:30 A. M.
4	Ex. Sun.	5:50 P. M.

City News

Miss Alice Hall of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Monday.

C. Peterson made a business trip to Ellsworth, Wis., the latter part of last week.

Peter Anderson of Holt visited relatives and friends here the first of the week.

Thos. Mujeres of Crookston was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Majeres, on Christmas day.

Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge was the guest of his parents here over Christmas.

Henry Aastad of Detroit, formerly of this city, is a guest this week of Orrin Osthy.

Alfred Hermanson, a student at the Duluth business college, is here for the holidays.

Miss Leona Knox of Fisher is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mrs. T. McFarland.

H. Grinde arrived Thursday evening from Viking to spend a few days visitings friends.

H. Carlson of Viking was in the city the first of the week attending to matters of business.

Miss Salina Nordling of Grand Forks was a week-end guest of her friend, Miss Anna Skoim.

Paul Engelstad arrived Wednesday evening from St. Paul, where he had spent the past two months.

Miss Dora Perry, normal instructor is visiting at her home in Harmony during the vacation period.

Mrs. O. A. Naplin left Monday for Hatzke to visit for a week with her mother, Mrs. J. McClelland.

Miss Lorna Dodge left Thursday evening for her home at Rock Lake to remain during the holidays.

Miss Mary E. Flynn of Minneapolis visited over Christmas at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. M. Stanton.

Eli Weston arrived Tuesday morning from Grand Forks for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Mrs. A. Knutson of Minneapolis is guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Paulson, this week.

Edward Kiland left Monday morning for Greenbush, where he will visit for a week with his friend, Purl Andson.

Miss Signe Swedal, nurse instructor at the local high school, is spending her vacation at her home in Minneapolis.

S. C. Coumbe was called to Minneapolis on Sunday by business matters. He returned Thursday morning.

Earl Baker, who is taking a motor mechanics course at Dunwoody Institute, is home for the holiday vacation.

Mrs. John Meyer returned on Monday to Steiner after a brief visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Percy Lamb.

Misses Inez Howe and Olga Lofgren left Thursday evening for their home at Tower to remain during the holidays.

Miss Ella Pelto, who teaches in the local schools, is visiting at her home in Two Harbors during the vacation period.

Mrs. E. P. Modin and two children of Middle River spent a couple of days the first of the week here attending to shopping.

Mrs. Agnes Warring returned to her home at Steiner Monday after having spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. I. M. Olson.

Miss Phyllis Curtis, who attends Carleton college, is spending the holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Curtis.

Miss Ruth Elliott, instructor in the local high school, left last Thursday evening for her home in Minneapolis to spend the holidays.

Miss Helga Quinlog, who teaches near Viking, arrived Thursday evening to spend a two weeks' vacation visiting at her home.

Mrs. Lucy Ures and daughter, Kathleen, of Grand Forks, were holiday guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

Miss Irene Sorenson returned Sunday evening to Minneapolis after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson, over Christmas.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen arrived on Saturday from her home at Rosewood to spend a few days as the guest of her friend, Mrs. A. C. Vorseth.

Victor Buskirk arrived Tuesday evening from his home at Brooks to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Alexander for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Sampson were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Evenson. They returned to Crookston Monday afternoon.

Miss Cecelia Peterson, who is employed as saleslady at Loken's, spent Christmas at Roseau with her parents.

Elmer Larson, who is employed on the range, arrived home last week to spend a few days as the guest of his parents.

Miss Rose Hance, who teaches near Red Lake Falls this year, is spending the Christmas vacation at her home here.

John Forder was in the city last Thursday enroute from Crookston to his home at Middle River. He is a student at the A. C.

Miss Myrtle Erickson, who is a student at the Crookston agricultural school, is spending the holidays at Erie with her parents.

Albert Stengelson, a student at the local high school, went to his home at Rosewood Friday morning to remain over the holidays.

Miss Huldah Erickson of Bronson was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Pearson, on Monday enroute to Ada, where she is employed.

Miss Clarice Finberg left Monday for Middle River, where she will remain for a few days' stay with her cousin, Mrs. Clara Gjertos.

Miss Esther Hanson, who is employed as bookkeeper at the creamery, spent Saturday and Sunday at Plummer with her parents.

Grant Ohm came over from Bemidji Friday evening to visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ohm, over Sunday.

Miss Johanna Nabben returned on Thursday from Crookston, where she is enrolled in the A. C., and is spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Josephine Eichhammer arrived Friday morning from her home at East Grand Forks to spend the holidays with her sister, Miss Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferdinandson, who have been residing at Goodridge, left Monday afternoon for Portland, Ore., where they will reside in the future.

Miss Ruby Anderson, who is a student at Oberlin college, arrived Friday morning to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Miss Myrtle Rasland arrived Monday afternoon from Holt, where she was the guest of her parents over Christmas, to spend a few days with friends.

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn, students at the local high school, are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krohn, at Viking.

Emil Blomberg, who has been confined to the local hospital with a fractured arm for some time, returned Friday morning to his home at Rosewood.

Milden Booren of Minneapolis is spending his Christmas vacation visiting with numerous friends in this city. Milden is a student at the university this year.

Miss Ruth Vik of Strandquist was the guest of Miss Mary Prichard on Monday. She left in the afternoon for Aberdeen, S. D., near which place she teaches school.

Miss Dorothy Loen of Radium arrived Tuesday evening to attend the reunion of the alumni that evening. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Clarence Erickson.

Miss Sarah Swanson and mother returned to their home at Steiner on Tuesday after a brief visit at the home of their sister and daughter, Mrs. T. S. Brokke.

Mrs. Peter Neth and two children returned to their home at Grand Forks on Monday after having spent Christmas day and Sunday as guests at the Werstlein home.

Miss Mamie Ptacek, who was formerly employed at Jung's bakery, left last week for Lidgerwood, N. D., to spend the remainder of the winter with a sister and family.

Miss Delano Hance returned to Grand Forks on Monday after a brief visit at her home here. Miss Hance is employed as stenographer by a large concern in that city.

Ferdinand and Benno Schmitt, students at Dunwoody institute, Minneapolis, arrived Friday to spend the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt.

Richard Aakre was in the city last Thursday enroute from Crookston, where he is a student at the agricultural school, to his home at Erie to spend a two weeks' vacation.

Dan Hermanson, who is employed by the Duluth, Misabe and Northern railway at Proctor, is spending the holidays as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hermanson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher and two sons, Frederick and Gerald, returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where they were the guests of the latter's parents over the holidays.

Miss Margaret Ristad of Binford, N. D., is spending the week as the guest of numerous friends here. Miss Ristad was formerly employed in the office of the Thief River Grocery Co.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ruby, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson on Sunday. They returned to their home at Goodridge on Monday.

Miss Edith Skoglund returned Monday afternoon from Roseau, where she visited Saturday and Sunday at her home, and has resumed her duties as stenographer for Gustafson & Son.

Miss Harriet Anderson, who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson, will return tomorrow to Cheyenne, N. D., to continue her duties as teacher in a public school.

Miss Nora Holmes returned Monday from St. Hilaire, where she had visited with her parents over Christmas. She will continue her visit here before leaving for Sioux Falls, S. D. where she is employed.

Miss Gladys Swenson, who attends Oak Grove seminary at Moorhead, visited with friends and relatives at this place Thursday enroute to her home at Rosewood to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt left Thursday afternoon for Sauk Center to visit for a week at the home of Mr. Hunt's parents. At Red Lake Falls they were joined by the former's brother, who accompanied them. Enroute they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Sampson at Crookston.

Miss Lutrella Paulson, who is engaged in teaching at Forbes, N. D., arrived Friday evening to spend a two weeks' vacation visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Paulson.

Miss Clara Sorenson, accompanied by her cousin, Synnova, both of Rosewood, arrived Friday evening to be guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sorenson, for a few days.

Rufus Barackman, who spent a week visiting at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman, returned last evening to Minneapolis, where he is attending Macalester college.

Mrs. H. Hanson of Gonvick arrived here Monday evening and was the guest of Mrs. M. Bakken until the day following, when she departed for Grand Forks to visit friends for an indefinite period.

Miss Alma Thune, who is a student at Aakre's Business college at Grand Forks, is spending her vacation visiting her parents who reside near Hazel and with her sister, Miss Inga, who is employed in this city.

Miss Mary Belle Warth is spending the week as the guest of friends in this city. She was instructor of commercial subjects in the local high school last year and is this year teaching the same subjects at Northwestern University, Napiersville, Ill. She will return to the above named place on Saturday morning.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.40
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.42
Oats	.34
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Barley	.47
Rye	1.29
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	$5.10
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Oil Meal, per cwt	4.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.09
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.09
Geese, alive, per lb.	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.20
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.65
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery Butter	.49
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04-.05
Horse Hides	2.50
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.12
Veal, dressed, per lb.	10-12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05
Steers, per lb.	.04
Calves, per lb.	.06
Cows, per lb.	.03

Local Council Formed By Friends of Irish Republic

P. J. Keating has been requested by State President J. L. Lynch of Minneapolis to take the initiative in the forming of a council of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, and has accepted the assignment. The 12 members necessary in order to secure a charter were quickly signed up and their names sent to headquarters. As soon as the proper credentials arrive the work of securing applications will be taken up in earnest and Mr. Keating says he is positive there will be a council of 200 at least representing Thief River Falls. Men of all nationalities are eligible to membership and many have already applied for admission.

Important Meeting of Farm Bureau Members

A meeting of the directors of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association has been called by Paul Engelstad for 1:00 p. m. Friday, Dec. 31. The meeting will be held at the farm bureau office in the basement of the auditorium. Matters of much importance concerning the work of the bureau will be taken up at the meeting.

The directors of the organization are A. J. Anderson, Harry Woolson, V. C. Noper, Stuart McLeod, G. M. Gunderson, Fred Bearbower, J. W. Denhart, Robert McGinn and L. A. Lampert. Officers are: President, Hans Anton; vice-president, R. J. McKercher and secretary-treasurer, Paul Engelstad.

A Gentle Hint.

The party who found the pocketbook containing $50 in bills near the Citizens' bank corner on Christmas Eve, removed the money and again threw down the wallet, is pretty generally known and the action is not referred to in a very complimentary manner. If said party wishes to avoid a great deal of unpleasant comment he or she will mail the $50 to box 1132, city. There was no excuse for this act of dishonesty and discourtesy as the name of the owner was stamped on the pocketbook. d30

Sale of Christmas Seals Better Than Last Year

The sale of health seals in Pennington county has been progressing very favorably in the rural districts as well as in this city and the neighboring towns, according to statements made by officials of the Public Health association. Each rural school teacher in the county had been given a supply of seals and judging from the reports arriving daily at County Chairman J. J. McCann's office, the returns will exceed those of last year. Mr. McCann states that all township chairmen, as well as rural school teachers are to be commended for their excellent work in the selling of the seals. The seal sale closes with the year. All reports are required to be in at the central office on or before January 10.

Dr. Vistaunet Returns.

Dr. P. L. Vistaunet returned this week from Chicago where he has just completed a post graduate course at the Cook County hospital, Dr. Lindlake's college and sanitarium of Natural Therapeutics and the Dr. Howard College of Chiropractic. He intends to again locate permanently in Thief River Falls.

BUSINESS COURSE PROVES USEFUL

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"WAS SURPRISE OF MY LIFE" HE SAYS

St. Paul Man Wants Public to Know How Remarkably Tanlac Restored Him.

"Well, sir, I never heard of the equal of Tanlac in all my life, for it has built me up until I am not like the same man," was the enthusiastic statement made recently by Theo. F. Sirba, 461 Osceola Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

"Several years ago my health just went all to pieces and there was not a day when I was free from suffering from indigestion, constipation, nervousness and a general run-down condition.

"I spent a lot of money for all kinds of medicines and treatments but without any satisfactory results, was losing weight and strength constantly and finally thought I would just have to give up altogether.

"But right there was where Tanlac gave me the surprise of my life, for since finishing the fourth bottle all of these troubles are gone. My appetite and digestion are fine, my nerves are steady and I sleep like a top at night. The change in my condition is simply wonderful and I want my friends and the public to know Tanlac is what made the difference."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's drug store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundnolm.—adv.

A String of Hungry Waifs of More Than 1900 Miles

The appeal of the European Relief council, with Herbert Hoover at its head, for funds to care for three and one-half million European children until next Summer, tells a thrilling, throbbing story when reduced even to cold statistics.

Hoover has promised to obtain sufficient food, clothes and medicine and to administer to the waifs of Poland, Austria, Hungary, Germany and portions of the Balkans, if a fund of $33,000,000 is provided.

This means the equivalent of 30 cents from every man, woman and child in America. It means, also, that one of the most stupendous relief efforts ever undertaken can successfully be carried out at a cost of less than ten dollars per child.

Less than the cost of a family Christmas dinner at a first class hotel!

Can it be done? Hoover says it can. Seventeen thousand hospitals, feeding kitchens, clinics and the like can be maintained until next summer he insists. When the 1921 harvest is reaped American aid will permanently be withdrawn, as it was withdrawn from Belgium, France and Italy.

If these starving waifs, to be fed by America this winter, were grouped at a gigantic table, it would be 1900 miles long—longer than the length or breadth of continental Europe, longer than the distance from the American border to the Gulf of Mexico.

BOARDS OF TRADE OPEN TO FARMERS

This is Purpose of Bill to Be Introduced Early in Legislative Session.

A bill declaring chambers of commerce, boards of trade or exchanges where members deal in grain, livestock or other farm products to be public markets and providing for the regulation of membership thereof and the rights of members therein, has been drafted by the legislature's agricultural committee composed of Representative R. A. Wilkinson of Lake Elmo, chairman; R. W. Hitchcock, Hibbing; J. G. Gerlich, Mankato; George Wicker, Kasson; T. J. Green, St. Paul; W. O. Norton, Minneapolis; A. E. Rako, Bemidji; O. C. Neuman, Wheaton; N. T. Moen, Fergus Falls, and Elias Nordgren, of Northbranch.

The bill provides every such market, whether heretofore or hereafter organized, membership to any farmer, corporation, association or persons desiring to deal in such commodities. Co-operative associations organized under the Minnesota law would be admissible.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

Notice for Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls up to 3 o'clock P. M. on January 4, 1921, for the publication of the Notice and the Delinquent Tax List for 1920, and for the Financial Statement, and for all legal publications for Pennington County, Minnesota, for the year 1921.

The County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn., December 22, 1920.

County Board for Pennington County,
By T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.

ORDER ROADS TO ADVANCE RATES FIFTY PER CENT

Interstate Commerce Commission Prevents Minnesota Law From Being Applied.

Rate Discriminatory Against Interstate Commerce is Contention.

Unless Courts Interfere New Order Goes in Effect Not Later Than Feb. 1.

State railway commissions of Arkansas and Minnesota were ordered last Wednesday by the Interstate Commerce Commission to increase state passenger rates and baggage charges to the level now prevailing in interstate commerce. The commission held that the present charges in the two states amounted to a discrimination against interstate traffic.

In Minnesota the state rate for passenger fares was set at two cents per mile by the legislature, but the carriers asked an injunction which prevented the state commission putting pre-war rates into effect.

The Interstate Commerce commission, in ordering the raise in fares, quoted the transportation act as its authority to raise rates in opposition to state laws made by legislatures.

Changes in the Minnesota rates must be made by February 1, the commission ruled.

The Minnesota decision, written by Commissioner Aitchison, was unanimous.

Court Action Probable.

Ira B. Mills, chairman of the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission and Assistant Attorney General H. C. Flannery are of the opinion that the order of the Interstate Commerce commission to the state commission to increase baggage charges to the level now prevailing in interstate commerce would be taken to the courts.

Restraining Order Secured.

Railroads in Minnesota, through their attorneys at once secured a temporary restraining order in United States court at St. Paul preventing state officials from attempting to enforce the two cents per mile passenger fare law.

The order was granted by Judge Booth and served on Attorney General Hilton and members of the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission.

"The railroads have taken the first step," said Mr. Hilton, "but the state would have promptly opened litigation had the railroads not done so. The state will make answer and the hearings will be held before three federal judges probably within a month or six weeks."

C. M. ADKINS
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
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7 Positions

were offered to Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., the past week, and only one, Caribelle Maiers, was placed, because there are not graduates enough to go around. Why not prepare for a job above the crowd? For catalog write name, tear off, and mail

Name.................................

Address..............................

Happy New Year!

On this 21st birthday of the Twentieth Century, the Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls expresses the hope that you are entering upon a year of health, happiness and prosperity.

This bank can contribute to your prosperity by applying sane counsel to your financial problems, by pointing out wise investments and supplying a general banking service which will meet your every need.

CITIZENS STATE BANK

Discovered!

On this glad New Year's Day a real find—a bottle of our rich, wholesome, creamy milk, a pure as driven snow. Resolve to receive no other milk this year but our high grade, bottled, pasteurized kind. Drink it every day for your health's sake.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Modern Organization

The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

First National Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.
MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
Resources Over One Million Dollars

Kill That Cold With

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous

Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

Good Quality ONIONS 3c per Pound

Why pay more? Chas. Fiterman

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Announces a Free Lecture on
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
BY
MISS MARY G. EWING, C. S. B.
of Chicago, Ill., Member of the Board of Lectureship
of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist
Boston, Massachusetts
AT THE PRINCESS THEATRE
Tuesday, January 4, 1921, at 8:15 P. M.
You and Your Friends Are Cordially Invited

About 20 Suits, sizes 33, 34, 35, 36; light and dark patterns, stylish cuts, good tailoring. Worth $22.50 to $30. Your choice while they last

$11.95

MOGENSEN'S SLASHED PRICES

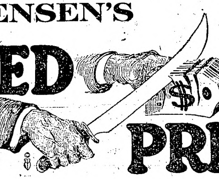

Men's "Hunkidori" union made boot, 10-inch, solid leather, full bellows tongue blucher style, double toe and vamp, worth $12. While they last

$5.95

STOP!

Give a little consideration to our position. The more closely you understand it the more thoroughly convinced you will be that every word of what follows is the absolute truth. In common with every progressive clothier in the country, we stocked up heavily for the winter's business. The weather turned against us for one thing and money tightened up until it became difficult for even the soundest mercantile establishments to secure the cash needed to meet immediate obligations. We foresaw this very condition as long ago as last October and at that time threw onto the bargain counter the finest line of clothing, furnishing goods and shoes carried in this section during the most sensational sale ever staged in the history of Northern Minnesota.

NOW WE MUST CLEAN-UP

We find it expedient to reduce our stock still further and in order to do will quote prices that can under no possible combination of circumstances be duplicated before the fall of 1921 or spring of 1922. Our stock for next spring is already bought—as is the case with all merchants in our line. The remaining fall and winter goods must be turned into cash in order that we may be enabled to take care of balance due on fall bills. WE MUST HAVE THE MONEY and are not only sacrificing everything in the way of profit in order to secure it quickly, but have decided to take no count of original costs. A glance through the offerings below will convince any fair-minded person of this fact.

The prices we are quoting now are so low it is almost inconceivable that they will be lower in the fall. We will have to take this loss sometime and prefer to do it now and clean up the stock. Think these things over. Any truthful merchant will tell you the situation has been correctly set forth.

Sale Commences Monday, January 3rd

Overcoats

Kuppenheimer and Patrick Overcoats—absolute leaders in their respective lines—at astounding reductions. Kuppenheimer and Patrick all-wool coats, finest tailoring, best of materials, strictly up-to-date in style. Coats selling regularly this season at $75, $80 and $85. These same coats sold during our October sale at $59.50. We no give you your unrestricted choice of these coats for cash at

$47.75

Your unrestricted choice of any $50, $55 or $60 Overcoat at

$33.75

Men's Black Moleskin 52-inch "Moratex" lined Ulster, with extra large Australian Wombat collar. Regular at $40.

$22.50

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A service of good appearance. Kuppenheimer good clothes of sterling quality. Longer service that means lower cost.

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Kuppenheimer, Hirsh-Wickwire and A. B. Kirschbaum Suits. These grades are regarded as premier stock in the clothing trade. Finest workmanship, choicest material, latest styles, all up-to-date weaves. Regularly priced at $85, $80, $75 and $70. Your unrestricted choice at

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Sizes 34 to 44.

Kuppenheimer, Hirsh-Wickwire and Kirschbaum $60 and $65 suits, a full line of sizes and patterns.

$38.75

Kuppenheimer, Hirsh-Wickwire and Kirschbaum $45, $50 and $55 suits, a complete line.

$31.75

NOTE---As the above prices represent a decided loss in the cost of these garments, all alterations will be at purchaser's expense. All sales strictly cash.

BOYS' SUITS---

One lot of boys' suits, worth up to $15, ages 8 to 13 years, a high grade make, double seat and knee, your choice---- **$8.95**

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Men's genuine Glove Leather Coat, Norfolk style, belt-around, 32 inches long, suitable for all kinds of outdoor wear, either sport or work, $35 value ------------- **$17.95**

Sale Starts
Monday
Morning
January 3
at
9 o'Clock

Mogensen's PRICE CRASH

Be on Hand When the Sale Starts! Many of the items quoted will go quickly!

Everything in the store included in this Big Price Crash Sale. Our big stock of Underwear, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Mittens, Sweaters, Mackinaws, Shirts, Hosiery, Rubbers and Overshoes, Neckwear, Pajamas and Nightshirts, Suspenders and Belts, Trunks and Bags, in fact any and everything for men and boys, has been priced to move at once.

$12 sweaters 7.95 3.50 sweaters 2.35
all other sweaters 25 to 33 per cent off

"Patrick" Mackinaws at less than cost

"Ball Band" and U. S. Rubbers and Overshoes at Greatly Reduced Prices

Down Go Prices

"Red Seal" McDonald union made Work Shirts, full cut, a regular $2.00 value **99c**

UNION JACK

Men's union made full cut 220 Denim Overall, per pair **$1.49**

SOCKS

Men's black heavy engineers and firemens brand, regular at 35c -------------19c

Men's heavy wool finish sock and a 35c value, per pair **19c**

FLANNEL SHIRTS

Men's fine Flannel Shirts, in browns, blues, greys and tan.

$3.00 Shirt	$2.25
$3.50 Shirt	$2.65
$4.00 Shirt	$2.85
Boys' wool shirt $3 val.	2.25

SHIRTS

McDonald Shirts, dark blue with white polka dot; soft collar attached; also with 2 separate colors; made coat style; full cut, regular price $3.00. While they last **$2.25**

Silk Shirts

Our entire lot of Men's Fine Silk Shirts, regular at $15, broadcloth and crepe silk. While they last **7.95**

Fur Caps

Men's Alaska Seal Skin Caps, $25.00 grade now	$15.95
$17.50 Alaska Seal Skin Caps now	$10.95
$10 Coney and Muskrat Caps now	$5.95
Men's Scotch Caps now	$1.25

Men's Dress Shirts

Our entire stock of fine high grade Dress Shirts, Beau Brummels, Huron Brand and McDonald makes, in many beautiful stripes and colors.

$2.50 and $3.00 DRESS SHIRTS	$3.50 and $4.00 DRESS SHIRTS	$4.50 and $5.00 DRESS SHIRTS
$1.75	$2.65	$2.95

Our lines of Men's and Boys' Cloth Caps are the finest made, of woolen materials and latest shapes. 25 Dozen to choose from in all sizes and a large variety of colors.

SHOE PACS

Genuine real leather shoe pacs, worth $6; while the last, **$4.65**

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Koveralls & Little Major suits; reg $2 now -- **$1.25**

Any $6 shoe in the store --$4.25
Any $10 shoe in the store now ----$6.50
Any $7.50 shoe in the store now ----$5.50

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES!

Every shoe in the house will be sold at a greatly reduced price. Any shoe not out on display will be sold at 25% off from regular prices. Six styles of men's extra fine high grade dress shoes in mahogany, Russia calf and black kid stock; bal and blucher lasts. A shoe that sells regularly at $15.00. Your choice now **$7.95**

All Other Shoes at 25% to 33 1-3% Off.

Tom Sawyer Wash suits, $5.50-$6 val. **$3.85**
Boys' fleece lined union suits, $1.75 and $2.00 values, now ------ **$1.35**
Boys' flannel night robes, $2.25 values, now ------------ **$1.65**
Boys' flannel shirts, regular at $3.00, now ------------ **$2.25**
"Kaynee" boys' fine dress shirts, collar attached, $2 value-- **$1.35**
Boys' Aviator knitted caps, $1.50 value ----- **95c**
"Kaynee" blouse, regular at $1.50 and $1.75, light and dark patterns-- **95c**

MEN'S PANTS

Men's extra heavy woolen kersey winter pants, $9 and $10 values now only -------- **$6.45**
Men's fancy grey moleskin pants, worth $6.50, now only -------- **$4.45**

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Men's $35 coats now only ------ **$17.95**
Lamb line leather sleeve vest, $15.00 value, now only -------- **$9.95**

Entire Stock of Underwear at Cut Prices

GLOVES AND MITTENS

Here you will find the largest and most complete assortment of men's and boys' gloves and mittens. Being offered at such reductions you will sure buy your wants now.
Men's chopper mittens, genuine horse hide, $1.75 value ------ **$1.19**
Men's lined winter mittens, horsehide faced, $2.50 value ------ **$1.35**
Men's fine chopper mittens, regular at $3, now **$2.25**
Men's black fur gauntlet driving gloves, fleece lined, horse hide, Indian tan face, regular value at $7.50, now only -------- **$4.85**
Men's black fine lamb lined gauntlet style driving gloves and mittens, reg. $10, now only ---- **$6.65**

Pajamas and Nightrobes

"Brighton" Carlstad night robe, regular at $3.00, now ------- **$2.25**
"Brighton" Carlsbad flannel pajamas, $4.00 val. now only -------- **$2.85**
White muslin Brighton night shirts, nicely trimmed, regular value at $2.50, now only -------- **$1.85**

While they last

Children's heavy ribbed cotton stockings, regular at 35c **19c**

To the Public: Every Sale Price a Genuine Reduction as this sale represents a loss to us. The store will be arranged for quick disposal of the goods and our ample sales force will be on hand to look after your needs. Come early!

CAPS

$1.00 Caps now	$ .65
$1.50 Caps now	$ .95
$2.00 Caps now	$1.35
$2.50 Caps now	$1.75
$3.00 Caps now	$1.95
$3.50 Caps now	$2.45
$4.00 Caps now	$2.75
$4.50 Caps now	$2.95
$5.00 Caps now	$3.25
$6.00 Caps now	$3.95

HATS

All Hats Must Go Now

$12.00 Hats now	$7.95
$ 9.00 Hats now	$6.50
$ 8.00 Hats now	$5.95
$ 7.00 Hats now	$4.65
$ 6.00 Hats now	$3.95
$ 5.00 Hats now	$2.95
$ 4.00 Hats now	$2.65
$ 3.00 Hats now	$2.25

All Boys' Shoes at 25% Off, "Educator Shoes Included

OVERSHOES AND RUBBERS WILL GO AND GO FAST AT THE REDUCTIONS MADE

NECKWEAR

$ .50 Neckties	$ .37
$ .75 Neckties	$ .50
$1.00 Neckties	$ .65
$1.50 Neckties	$ .95
$2.00 Neckties	$1.55
$3.00 Neckties	$2.35
$3.50 Neckties	$2.65

EVERYTHING IN THE STORE MUST GO AND PRICES WILL BE MADE TO GET THE CASH!

All sales must be Cash! Satisfaction guaranteed or your money back

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Debate.

The next debate in which the Thief River Falls high school debating team will participate will be with East Grand Forks, on Jan. 15. What side of the question the locals will take and the place of the debate has not yet been determined. This debate should be an excellent one, as both teams were winners in their first debate. East Grand Forks defeated Red Lake Falls in their first elimination contest and Thief River Falls defeated Roseau in the same series.

We are looking forward to a victory over East Grand Forks to carry us a long step forward toward the State championship.

Girls' Glee Club.

The Girls' Glee club, directed by Miss Johnson, gve the patients at the Sanatorium a surprise last Thursday. Each girl of the Glee club provided a present for one of the patients, while Miss Johnson and Miss Poppitz furnished pop-corn balls.

Before distributing the presents a number of Christmas carols were sung by the Glee club, after which Dr. Milan gave a short speech of appreciation, in behalf of the patients and nurses.

The patients enjoyed the program and about nine o'clock the girls departed.

Senior Class Meeting.

A short class meeting was held on Tuesday at 3:30. The matter of class dues was discussed. Class members were urged to remit their dues as soon as possible. Harold Smithers announced the sale of tickets for the Hamline players, which will appear on Jan. 3 under the auspices of the Senior class.

Carl Sundahl and Rufus Barackman, representing the alumni association, spoke a few words regarding the alumni reunion. All members of the class were urged to be present. This is the only gathering of its kind held during the school year and all alumni and prospective seniors are urged to attend.

The Hamline Play.

The sale of tickets for the coming play to be presented by the Hamline players, under the auspices of the Senior class, has been very successful and a very good attendance is expected. The play is of exceptionally good quality and though an amateur production it is really of professional standard.

The play is a modern one. The story depicting the present day aspects of the age-long struggle between the masses and classes in England, holds the audience from beginning to end. A love plot, featuring the struggles of a young member of nobility, who has become enamored of a worthy girl of humble station, against his ancestral traditions as exemplified in his aristocratic mother and friends, is the center of interest. The action hinges upon the estrangement and final reconcilation of the aristocratic marquise and the "Pall Mall" Captain Hawtree to the simple ideals of sometimes rude hubbub of the working classes.

This tour is the longest ever attempted by the Hamline players and the "Caste" will be presented from Minnesota to the coast.

Tickets are on sale at Lambert's drug store at the popular price of 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Normal Department.

Last week Mr. Shaw spoke to the Normal department during arithmetic class, on insurance. He named the various kinds of insurance and explained them in such a way that a new understanding of insurance was gained. He emphasized the wide field covered at the present day by insurance. The Normal girls appreciated Mr. Shaw's beneficial talk.

On Thursday, Dec. 16, the Normal girls entertained their teachers and the teachers for whom they have taught at a Christmas party. The Normal rooms were tastefully decorated with red and green and the Christmas spirit was to be seen on all sides. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments were served. During lunch Santa Claus arrived and remembered each of the guests with a Christmas token.

Last Wednesday evening a number of the Normal girls enjoyed a sleigh ride party to the Conklin farm east of town. The evening was spent in making pop corn balls for the Christmas party at the Normal rooms.

Knox School Notes.

Wednesday afternoon the 6th grade of the Knox had a spelling contest, every student of the class taking part in the affair. The winner was given a box of candy.

The Knox school sold 4,600 seals. This is a great amount, and the pupils are given much credit for the work they have done. Miss Miller's class sold the most of any class in the school, making a record of 1,540 seals.

The teachers who had Christmas programs during the week are Miss Lofgren, Miss Miller, Miss Nylander and Miss Friested. The programs were composed of Christmas carols, recitations, etc.

Wednesday afternoon the first grade, Miss Lofgrn's room, gave a very dainty Christmas party. A very nicely decorated tree was the center of attraction, around which the children played games. The tots were given presents, and also candy and nuts. The children were very happy but more so when Santa arrived. He gave each child a little present, then bid them a Merry Christmas, and the merry afternoon was closed.

The following play was presented as part of the Knox school Christmas program and was written by Harold B. Will of the fifth grade:

"The Browns' Christmas."

Act I. Time, 11 o'clock, morning. Place, an old hut in France. Characters:

The father ——————— Emil Dostal
First child, Ruth ——— Hilda Olson
Second child, Mary —— Frances Rounds
Third child, Robert —— Chester Dahlen
James and Santa, Frederick Wengeler
Rich lady ———— Dorothy Shirley

Scene: The father and children are seated around an old table on which are a large bowl of milk and some hard, black bread. They are sitting on three stumps and are very poorly clad.

Mary, tearfully: "This is Christmas and nothing to eat but black bread and milk."

Father, sighing: "Yes, my children, I wish I could have earned more money, for I think you will not get any presents this Christmas. We are too poor and I hardly believe kind persons will come to us this year as they did last."

Children: "Oh, how awful. No presents!"

Father: "No, my children."

Here Robert finishes his meal and hurries out to play. Ten minutes later a rap is heard at the door. All rise.

Father, surprised: "Who could be calling?"

Ruth: "Who could?"

Father: "Hurry, Mary, open the door, the people will get cold waiting."

Mary starts for the door but it is thrown open suddenly.

Mary: "Oh!"

Ruth: "Oh!"

Father: "What is it?"

Both: "Robert! Is he dead?"

A rich lady, whose name is Celia, enters.

Celia: "No, Robert isn't dead."

James carries in Robert and places him on a chair. James is Celia's servant.

Celia, looking about the scanty place: "What! Is this what you call Christmas? Nothing to eat but black bread and some milk?" (In a whisper aside to James:) "Go down to the stores quickly and buy clothes and gifts for this family."

Father, having overheard: "But—"

Celia: "Yes, I know you are going to say that I am too kind, but who would not be so with all the money I have?"

James returns, laden with clothes, food, gifts.

Celia, to James: "Come tonight with the gifts. Come dressed as Santa Claus. (Exit.)

Act II. Time, 8 o'clock evening. Scene: The family is seated in a semicircle about the hearth, dressed in fine clothes, given them by Celia. A rap is heard at the door. Ruth goes promptly to the door and opens it.

Ruth: "Oh! Who is this?"

Santa enters, carrying bag of presents. He walks over to tree and lays them below its boughs. Celia arranges gifts nicely.

Santa: "Now, my children, let us celebrate."

The children, who had been staring with wide open eyes and mouths, walk slowly to the tree and accept their presents, names being on all of them. They open the packages.

Roebrt: "Hurrah! I have a jack knife!"

Ruth: "And I have a doll!"

Mary: "And I have a story book! I'm going to begin reading it right tomorrow."

Santa, satisfied, to father: "My young mistress has assigned you a place in our factory."

To Mary: "She asks that you come to her home and be her little maid. Now I take my leave."

All: "Hurrah! Now we may live happy!"

Northrup News.

The teachers of the Northrup school will spend their Xmas vacation as follows:

Miss Pelto, Two Harbors, Minn.; Miss Kleber, Little Falls, Minn.; Miss Hoyt, Stewart, Minn.; Miss Nepper, Vulcan, Mich.; Miss Trogdn, Monticello, Minn.; Miss Adams, Luverne, Minn.; Miss Whipps, Minneapolis and Northfield, Minn.; Miss Smith, Minneapolis, Minn.; Miss Sandum, city; Miss Bark, Duluth, Minn.

Christmas parties were held in all the rooms Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were decorated in Xmas trimmings and most all the rooms had Christmas trees. The mothers of the children were invited to attend.

Central Notes.

The poster contest of the seventh and eighth grades has been decided. The posters are original and are made by the students.

The purpose of the posters is to see which grade is entitled to first prize. The grade receiving this will have its poster sent to Minneapolis. The posters have been arranged as follows:

No. 1—Originality.
No. 2—The American National Trait.
No. 3—Spectacular.
No. 4—Christmas Spirit.
No. 5—Red Cross Sentiment.
No. 6—Tenement House.
No. 7—Carry On.

Miss Mortensen's seventh grade took first prize with Originality.

The Taming of the Shrew.

Scene I—Characters

Petruchio—A rich man from Verona.
Katherine—A young girl.
Bavtista—Katherine's father.

Time, morning; place, Katherine's home.

Old Babtista and Petruchio are seen talking in the garden.

Petruchio: "I have come from all over Italy for your daughter, may I have her."

The old man anxious to have his daughter married says: "Yes, you can have her but she has an awful bad temper."

Petruchio: "What care I. I am not afraid of her."

So Babtista goes in and tells Kate. As Kate comes out she says: "A nice way to ask a girl in marriage."

Petruchio: "Good morning, Kate."

Kate: "They call me Katherine."

Petruchio: "I don't care what people call you, I call you Kate."

As he says this he bends over to kiss Katherine, but she gives him a slap in the face.

Petruchio: "Do that again and I'll cuff you."

Old Babtista is seen coming out of the house.

Petruchio: "Now when we are talking make no deny or—

Babtista: "How is she coming?"

Petruchio: "She is just fine, she has been kissing and hugging me so much that I had to stop her."

Babtista: "Why, that is fine, isn't it, Kate?"

But Kate only stamped her feet and tore her hair.

Petruchio: "I'll be over tomorrow and get you for the wedding."

Kate: "I'll see thee hanged tomorrow."

But Babtista consented to the marriage and Petruchio went home.

Scene II—Characters

Kate, Babtista, Petruchio, other guests. Time, morning; place Kate's home.

The people are seen running in and out of the building looking for Petruchio who was supposed to come to be married. At last they saw him coming in a battered up hat, ragged clothes and shoes full of holes. When he came in the people told him that he should not be married in those clothes.

Petruchio: "Well, she isn't marrying my clothes is she, she is marrying me!"

After the wedding there was to be a feast and Kate wanted to go in but Petruchio took her and rode home.

Scene III—Characters

Kate, Petruchio, Groomio, Tailor. Time, evening; place, Petruchio's home.

As Petruchio comes in the door he calls his cook, Groomio and tells him to get them something to eat. As Groomio goes Petruchio and Kate sit down and in a minute Groomio appears with a big roast and sets it down on the table.

Petruchio (as he looks at it): "Groomio, this meat isn't fit for a wife like I've got, take it away!" And with that Petruchio took the table cloth and threw it and all the food on the floor.

Petruchio: "Call my tailor in."

In a little while the tailor comes in with a suit for Petruchio.

Petruchio: "What! You dare to bring in clothes like this, take them out."

Kate: "Why, ladies do wear caps like that. I'll have that one, (as she espied the cap)."

Petruchio: "No you won't, (and with that he threw them away.)

Scene IV—Characters

Petruchio, Kate, an old man, Babtista.

Time, afternoon; place, on way to Babtista.

Kate and Petruchio are talking of going to Babtista's home.

Petruchio (seeing the sun): "Isn't the moon bright?"

Kate: "Why that is the sun."

Petruchio: "It's the moon or we won't go to your father."

Kate: "Why yes, it is the moon."

Petruchio: "Silly, it's the sun."

On they walked until hey met an old man.

Petruchio: "Good-day Grandmother."

Kate: "Why that's no lady, it's a man."

Petruchio: "It's a lady or we'll go straight back home."

Kate: "Oh yes, it is a lady."

Petruchio: "No it isn't, it's a man."

On they went until they reached Babtista's house and the same conversation passed between Babtiste and Petruchio as with the old man.

Scene V—Characters

Petruchio, Kate, Kate's brother-in-law, other guests.

Time, towards evening; place, Kate's home.

The people are teasing Petruchio for marrying such an illtempered wife but Petruchio declared he had the best wife, so they wagered that the wife who was best would come at her husband's bidding. First one man tried.

First man (turning to his servant): "Tell my wife to come here."

Servant goes and returns saying she cannot come because she is working.

Petruchio: "Such a wife who won't come for her husband."

Next it was Kate's brother-in-law, "Servant, bid my wife to come here now."

The servant comes back saying she will not come because she thinks he is making jest of her.

Petruchio: "Such a wife who won't come when her husband wants her to."

Next it was Petruchio's turn.

"Groomio, I command you to bring my wife here this minute."

In a minute Groomio came in holding Kate by the hand. Then Petruchio said that Kate should bring in the other two wives and she came back with both of them. Then Petruchio unmasked and said he would be a kind loving husband if Kate would be a kind loving wife and so they were.

Personals.

The Norse class, under the instruction of Miss Svedahl, had a party on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21, in the high school gym. For entertainment they had dialect speeches and played various games. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler and a few members of the faculty.

We are glad to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Tommerasen will remain with us thruout the Xmas vacation.

Miss Brown, who resides in St. Paul, left for her home Thursday evening.

During the absence of Mr. Melby, different students have conducted his classes. Dreng B. has had charge of the Modern History class and Clarence K. the Physics classes. The Industrial history has been fortunate enough to have Supt. Ziegler a few of the days.

Mr. Melby, Science instructor at the high school, has been absent from his labratory the last few days on account of a severe attack of tonsilitis. We are very sorry to hear that it will be necessary to have his tonsils removed.

Mr. Tripp, instructor of Agriculture will renew his stock-judging class of the year previous after the Xmas vacation. It is believed that he will have a crack team this year.

Dreng Bjornaraa has been having an attack of yellow jaundice, a sickness that demands a great deal of rest and for this reason he has been absent from his classes at the high school off and on for the last few days.

The General Science class conducted by Miss Brown made a very interesting trip to the Power House last Wednesday. They made a study of the machinery and the mechanism of the large engines.

The hall outside of Miss Johnson's room is very popular these days as candy-making is booming.

Misses Mealy, Iverson and Dix left Thursday evening for Minneapolis, where they will spend the holidays at their respective homes.

Irma Marcoe left for her home at Malcolm on Thursday.

Mildred Hauglid left Thursday for her home at Angus, Minn.

Chapel Wednesday Morning.

During chapel exercises Wednesday morning Mr. Ziegler explained the meaning of the words "Efficiency of Integrity," which are placed on the wall on the rear of the stage.

He explained first the meaning of Efficiency, which means capable of doing a thing in the right way. He emphasized that there are two classes of people, the efficient and the inefficient, and that the best place to learn to become efficient is at school.

Integrity means being honest or giving the other fellow a square deal. To have integrity means to be efficient and if the people had more integrity the world would be more efficient.

Tuesday morning in chapel the students of Lincoln high were favored with a reading by Miss Nelson of this city. She gave "The Other Wise Man."

The story is of a Persian Magi who had received visions of the coming of the Christ-child. He traded off all his property for three jewels, and set out on a journey to Bethlehem, to give them to the new-born King of Israel. He was delayed by several cases of suffering along the way, which he helped to his utmost ability; and, pressed by dire necessity, gave away the jewels. He did not reach Bethlehem until the family of Joseph had departed for Egypt, but continued the search for a number of years. The search did not terminate until at the crucifixion, when a rock fell on the head of the Magi and he finally met the Lord in Paradise.

Miss Nelson gave a wonderful presentation of the theme, and the faculty and students highly appreciated her visit.

What Christmas Carols Did For Jack Dickson.

In one of the large hospitals of the city of Chicago lay a small boy suffering from a severe attack of typhoid fever. His feverish face was heavy on the white pillow and his brown eyes looked meaninglessly into those of the visitors. He was five years old, and all alone.

Miss Jean Langdon, the teacher of the baby class in Sunday school, noticed the lonesome lad when she was on her way to visit a friend. Altho she was in a great hurry she sat down on the bedside and began to talk to Jack. Each day they talked, and soon become well acquainted. She interested him by telling him of her Sunday school class of little boys and girls like himseuf. She promised to ask Dr. Conner if they could not up on Christmas day to sing Christmas carols to him.

If Jack improved as he had done during the last few days, Dr. Conner said they might. Jack was determined to gain and so he did, and on Christmas morning the voices of twenty-five children filled each crevice of the hospital until the very walls themselves re-echoed with the Christmas cheer, and brought especially great joy to Jack Dickson.

During the next week he learned the carol, "Away in a Manger, No Crib for a Bed," and saw that he, even if he was born of humble parents and was now an orphan, could become great. Repeatedly in his sleep he would sing "Be Near Me Lord Jesus, I Ask Thee to Stay, Close By Me Forever and Guard Me, I Pray."

Jack started school and became interested in many things. He kept on going to Sunday school for a while but the other boys ridiculed him for singing hymns and he soon forgot all he had learned in Sunday school.

When he went to high school and college he was always too busy to go to church and was always "so tired" and "needed a rest."

He then thought of Christmas as a time to try to get the most for your money's worth and to give some present to each one from whom they were received.

He became a very famous man. In fact, everyone knew Mr. Dickson, the head of the greatest steel and iron establishment in the world. But one thing failed him. He had forgotten about Christmas and even made his employes work on Christmas.

Having made arrangements with a friend to see him on Sunday he was obliged to go to church. While at services as he gazed listlessly out of the window over the snow covered ground, his mind wandered until he was brought back to his senses by the sound of music. "Silent night, holiest night, all is calm." But why wasn't everything calm in his life on this day of all days? He looked up at the director of the choir. Who was that and where had he seen that person before? Looking at the various members of the choir he he recognized his old Sunday school mates. But who was this director? Oh, he knew it was Miss Jean Laugdon, who had first told him of Christmas. That night Mr. Dickson went home with *a new object in view and the next* Christmas sang carols once again.

A Santa For Jim and Jack.

"What's up, Jim?" asked Jack of his little pal, who seemed very dejected. "Hain't ya sold yer papers yet?"

"Tain't that. It's Santa Claus. I ain't seem him for a whole two weeks and it's Christmas eve today."

"Looky here, Jim," growled Jack rudely. "Aren't ya ever goin' to grow up? You'll never get along in this world if you don't cut out the fairy-tale stuff."

Jimmy did not answer but grit his teeth to keep the tears back.

This is how the boys first came to meet their Santa Claus. One wintry night in late November Jimmy and Jack, two ragged little newsboys of the American metropolis, had been aroused from their reverie before a brilliantly lighted toy shop window by a kindly voice. Upon looking up the boys had beheld a little old man as round and plump as he was tall. From beneath his snug-fitting cap his glossy white hair shone. His rosy mouth smilled merrily between his sleek white mustache and short beard. Like old St. Nicholas himself, his eyes were blue and ever twinkling.

It wasn't such a bad mistake on Jimmy's part after all when he shouted, gleefully, "Look, Jack, it's Santa Claus."

At this the old gentleman had laughed so heartily that the two children had joined in the merriment. They had seen their new friend but twice since that memorable night. Jimmy didn't doubt Santa Claus long. "What a silly I am," he scolded himself. "Of course Santa Claus is busy so near Christmas. But he's coming tonight, I know. He wouldn't forget a single soul, not even me."

Matter-of-fact Jack shrugged his shoulders impatiently at this. And so the two boys parted for the night—the one sullenly with dim prospects for the morrow—the other lightheartedly with visions of hobby horses and snow-shoes before his eyes.

Let us follow Jack as he slowly wended his way toward the tenement district. He was deep in contemplation and did not observe the taxi that was so closely approaching him. The vehicle had struck him, gashed and bleeding to the street before he had realized his danger.

Christmas day dawned cold and clear. A ray of sun shining through a window of the magnificent Belmont mansion of New York City awoke a certain small boy. He looked about him for a moment. Something attracted him more than the beautiful furnishings of the room and the gaily lighted Christmas tree at the foot of his bed. A plump little old man with white hair and beard was sitting at the bedside looking thoughtfully at the sick boy.

"It's Jimmy's Santa Claus," exclaimed Jack, sitting up suddenly. But he was obliged to lie down again because of a sharp pain in his side.

"You mustn't stir, my boy. You'll be all right soon," assured Santa Claus. Then he related the events of the preceding night to Jack.

Santa Claus was really Mr. Richard Belmont, a wealtry broker of Wall street. He lived alone in this large house, for his wife had died long ago and his son had married and left him. He wasn't lonely, though, for he had many boy and girl friends. They, too, had named him Santa Claus because every Christmas eve he visited many poor children of the city, bringing toys and clothing to them and food and financial aid to treir parents. Last evening he was returning from his mission of benevolence when his taxi had struck down his little friend, Jack. He had taken the boy to his home rather than to a hospital because he knew the boy would be happier there on Christmas day.

"And let me tell you something more," Santa Claus leaned further over tre boy, "You're going to be my boy now. I owe it to you after the trouble you have suffered because of me. Would you like to come and live here, Jack?"

For a moment Jack could say nothing. Then he broke into tears and cried passionately. "I ain't deservin' this kindness. I wouldn't believe you was really Santa Claus, but now I know. It's Jimmy what's been deservin' this right along. He ain't got no ma nor pa either and he's a good pal, and it wouldn't be fair to him. No, Mr. Santa Claus, I couldn't."

Santa's face beamed with pleasure now. When it came to making little waifs happy there was no limit to the dear old soul's generosity.

"Why, bless your unselfish little reart," and Santa laughed his merry little laugh that never failed to drive away the blues, "Jimmy's going to be in on this wonderful secret of ours, as sure as my name's Santa Claus."

It wasn't long before the jolly fellow was seated in a taxi chuckling merrily to himself to think how happy at least two newsboys of New York were going to be before another Christmas rolled around.

Jimmy's happiness knew no bounds when he heard that he was to go to the Belmont mansion to live.

"I knew Santa Claus wouldn't forget me, but I never dreamed that I was going to be his very own little boy and go to the North Pole (that's his house) to live."

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At this season we also wish to extend to them our thanks for the liberal patronage accorded us during the past year and venture the hope that we may merit its continuance during 1921.

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News of Rail and Shop

Francis Ohm traveled to Bemidji on Thursday, returning on Friday.

Over Christmas visitors were: Peter Jacobson at Duluth; Victor Polman at St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skog at Henning; Mr. and Mrs. Neider Urdahl at Fordville; Mrs. W. H. Funnell at Glenwood; John Eliason at Detroit and Ollie Webskouski at Egeland.

Griffith Jonas left for Noyes, on Monday, from which place he will go to Calgary, Alberta.

Mrs. Freitag left for a visit at Ogema on Monday.

Helen Norquist is spending a few days visiting at Glenwood.

Lake Bourque is a week-end visitor with his parents at Fordville.

Mrs. F. W. Johnson left today for Minneapolis for a week's visit.

On account of slow business conditions two freight handlers have been relieved from duty at the Thief River Falls station.

E. H. Gulden has been put on as second trick operator at Detroit, vice A. E. Peterson, transferred to Egeland, relieving A. L. Chapman, who goes to Devils Lake for a surgical operation.

Walter Palm, agent at Lankin, spent Christmas with his parents at Adams.

T. E. Chaffee, agent at Kramer, was at Kenmare between trains on Friday and Saturday.

G. I. Richardson, agent at Bronson, spent Sunday with his parents in this city.

Conductor J. H. McClelland and family left for a short visit at Spokane, Seattle and other western points on Tuesday.

D. C. Paine, operator at Thief River Falls, spent Christmas with his family at Erskine.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen, traveling auditor, who makes his home at Thief River Falls, spent Xmas with Mrs. Gilhausen's parents at Brainerd.

Olga Gulrud, of the division superintendent's office, spent Xmas with friends at Kenmare.

T. J. Rowan, train dispatcher, is absent from duty on account of illness.

Letters to The Times

THEY LIKE THE WEST; VERY LITTLE FROST AND ABUNDANT RAIN

O. I. Oien Family Pleased With the Country About Ferndale, Wash., But Find it Very Different From Minnesota.

After a residence of nine months in the state of Washington, being located near Ferndale, the O. I. Oien family greets old friends and neighbors through a communication to The Times. They have found things different in the West, but seem to like the country better than do most of those who have left this section for the purpose of making their homes on the coast. The letter is dated Dec. 23 and is as follows:

"As it is Christmas time and marks the close of a nine month period since we took up our residence here in Washington, we take this means of letting all our former friends know how we like the West.

"We are all well and enjoying nice weather. It does not seem like near Christmas time to us out here, with the grass still green and seldom a frosty night. We have had only five or six nights of real frost so far this fall. We are having lots of rain, however, and somethimes think it's getting too much. The wet is forgotten, however, as soon as the sun comes out. The sun seems brighter here than elsewhere, perhaps because we do not see it every day. You may think it must be very disagreeable with so much rain, but I don't know. People here wish for rain because it is always warm when it rains and the air is just sweet. But if it stays dry for any length of time it gets cold—such a biting cold wind. Even I prefer the rains now. To be sure it spoils our roads, but in summer time there is sunshine every day from morning until night and it is really too dry for farming, especially on sandy land, of which there is so much here in Washington. I would advise anyone from the East coming out here with the intention of buying land to look out for sand.

"There is a great amount of fruit raised here and the cannery is a busy place in summer. It reminds me very much of the scene about grain elevators back in Minnesota and North Dakota, with the farmers standing in line awaiting their turn to unload. So it is here with fruit, only it has been brought in automobiles and trucks.

"Dairying is the main branch of farming followed here and the milk condenseries and fruit canneries are more necessary to this part of Washington than the sawmills ever were, although the mills are necessary in order to do away with the timber. The modern sawmill is a decidedly complicated affair, but the big logs are handled like toothpicks and turned into lumber faster than I can tell about it.

"A few days ago we were very much surprised to have Mrs. Ed. Emerson, formerly of Thief River Falls, call on us, and in our imagination we visited many places in the old home town while she was here. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson live in Bellingham now and we expect to see them often. We are wondering who will be next to visit us from Thief River Falls. My brother, Mr. C. Oien, has been planning all summer to pay us a visit this winter, but has always changed his mind at the last minute. Guess he thought he had better not risk his life on a train over the mountains, but stay home and be safe. If he ever shows up here he will no doubt come by way of the Panama canal so he can travel over the water route clear to Bellingham. Ole Haraldson is feeling fine and enjoys the climate here very much.

"Well, my letter is getting long so I must close with our best wishes for the new year."

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

Mrs. Geo. Williams, 412 Main Ave., N., Thief River Falls, says: "I used many remedies for kidney trouble and backache but had no permanent relief until I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Curtis Drug Store. This remedy not only cured my back but made me feel better in every way. I am only sorry that Doan's didn't come to my attention sooner."

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Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave. N. 94tf

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2800 lbs.; one 450 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Guernsey bull. Geo. L. Sterns. 98tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Weiner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 89tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—Radiant Home hard coal heater. 212 Atlantic Ave. N. 103p

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 123, City. 85tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 96tf

FOR SALE—Two spring boars. These are the big type, weighing 300 lbs. A few bred gilts and sows. If you are looking for big type Poland Chinas, I have them and at prices you can afford to pay. Recorded pedigrees furnished and all animals guaranteed. North Star Stock Farm, Jas. Drecian, Prop., Wylie, Minn. 101p

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats at 75 cents per bushel. Write or call Thure Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 102tf

FOR SALE—One bred sow. Huber Hock, R. 3, City. 103p

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 15 cents per pound. Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls. 100tf

FOR SALE—Livery, Feed and Sales Stable at Holt, Minn.—B. T. Luchau, Prop. 103p

FOR SALE—160 acres of land in Beltrami county, Minn. Might consider a Ford as part payment. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls, Minn. R. 1, Bx A9 106p

FOR SALE—Potatoes, the White Carmen No. 3; will deliver any quantity from 4 bu. to 1000, in city, 75c per bu. Inquire Zeh & Curran Store. 101p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND —One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Holt Bros. Hardware Store. 98tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT OR SALE—Two modern houses also several small tracts of land near town.—W. A. Bishop. 97tf

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. Inquire at Henson's Barber Shop 103p

FOR RENT—Room at 213 Knight Ave. S. 103p

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 801 Main Ave. N. 96tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 99tf

LOST

LOST—Pair of glasses on road north of Jefferson school house. Please return to or notify Sam Sorenson. 103

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three modern heated rooms for light housekeeping. W. E. Baker. 102tf

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Callaway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 89tf

REGISTERED BOAR—Anyone wishing the services of a registered Poland China boar may bring sows to Ralph Mayhew's farm 1 mile north and ½ mile east of Silverton. 101p

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by experienced woman, in or out of city. Enquire at Evelyn Hotel. 103

Soo Line Office Burned.

Fire totally destroyed the depot and office of the Soo line at Glenwood last Wednesday. All records in the office were lost.

DEER PARK

Henry Bolstad of Deer Park and Einar Olson and Gilbert Riersgaard of Mayfield returned from Hibbing last week after spending some time in the mining district.

Carl Olson transacted business at Oklee last Friday.

Isaac Anderson of Fisher, brother of Mrs. Ben Korste of Highlanding, recently came up to spend a few days with old friends and relatives.

The Olson boys' sawmill has ceased operations since cold weather set in.

Einar Olson of Mayfield shot a large wolf last Friday, out of a bunch of four.

The stork was a caller at the Tollefson home in Highlanding recently.

Andy Swanson and Oscar Olson transacted business at Goodridge last week.

The Peder-Reusla family were callers at the M. Bakken home last Sunday.

Thos. Roepe did some Xmas shopping at Goodridge one day last week.

Rev. Leirfallen Speaks.

The Mayfield church congregation had a fine Xmas tree entertainment in their church last Sunday afternoon. A splendid program was rendered, mostly by the school children and by some of the older folks present.

Rev. Leirfallen in his short address touched upon the subject of how we as human beings likened unto the Xmas tree. He said: "The beauty of the Xmas tree is not apparent until the candles are lit. Just so with us human beings. The beauty of our lives does not manifest itself until the light of God can be seen thru the windows of our hearts."

Pass it Along.

Ye scribe has been off duty so long that it begins to appear like uphill work to take the pen in hand to pass along the latest "doings" in this neck of the woods. However from now on we don't expect to pass up anything that comes our way. We haven't got much time to "rubberneck," so we will ask those interested to put us next to the little things going on and we will do the rest. In the meantime we wish you all a Happy New Year. May 1921 be a year of good cheer, joy and gladness to all of us.

MAYFIELD

The Christmas tree program given in the Cloverleaf school on Dec. 23rd was well attended.

Miss Celia Bjorge, teacher in Dist. No. 35, left for her home near Thief River Falls for a week's vacation. School opens again on Jan. 3rd 1921.

Johanna Wedul, student at the Thief River Falls high school, arrived at her home here on Dec. 24 to spend her two week's vacation.

Business callers from Mayfield in Plummer last Thursday were the Messrs. O. Wedul, L. Klove and J. P. Johnson.

J. P. Jornson called at the Stennes home last Wednesday evening.

The school closed in Dist. No. 60 on Dec. 24 for a two week's vacation. Mrs. Netteland left for her home near Highlanding and will return for the opening of school Jan. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Krantz arrived at the J. F. Kiel home on Dec. 24 to spend the holidays.

The following families spent Christmas day at the John Larson home; H. C. Jespersen, William Jesperson and J. P. Johnson.

The Wedul and Stennes families spent Christmas day at the John Solberg home.

A. J. Stennes and family spent Sunday evening at the Wedul home.

Roy Kiel went to St. Hilaire last Friday to get his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Krantz.

Arnt Wedul has purchased a sawrig and started sawing wood at Omdahl's last Tuesday.

John Omdahl and Jacob Stennes were business callers in Plummer last Monday.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the L. Klove home on Jan. 6. Everyone is welcome.

The Christmas tree fest given in the church on Dec. 26 was a decided success. The church was filled to its utmost capacity and the little folks bore smiling faces when the bags and apples were passed around. A splendid program was rendered by some of the young people of the congregation.

Sadie, Ruth and David Omdahl visited at the Wedul home last Monday evening.

Services will be held in the Mayfield church on New Years day at 11 o'clock a. m.

NUMEDAL

The Christmas tree festival and program at the Blomberg schoolhouse Wednesday evening drew a large attendance.

Olaf Larson transacted business at Viking Thursday.

Norval Johnson returned Wednesday from International Falls where he has been employed for some time.

David Samuelson made a brief call at Soren Knutson's Thursday.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday evening to meet his brothers who came up from Erskine to spend Christmas here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Joringdal and family were guests at the Chas. Johnson home Saturday.

Quite a few people from this vicinity attended the Christmas tree and program at the Ordal schoolhouse on Thursday evening.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Viking Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Larson and David Samuelson were guests at the S. Knutson home Saturday.

Conrad Ronning arrived here from Thief River Falls Thursday evening to spend the holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson of Oborn, N. D., visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Forslund, during the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. G. Ronning and family were guests at the Osness home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Skutson and son Winton were Sunday callers at the Joseph Joringdal home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bugge and family were entertained at the John Bugge home Saturday evening.

David Samuelson visited at Brink's Sunday.

Many farmers and their families attended the meeting at Christ Rud's Sunday.

Thure, Herman and Hjalmer Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday evening, the latter two leaving Monday morning for Erskine, where they are employed in the construction of bridges for the Soo line.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bugge and family called at the Ronning home on Sunday evening.

The Osness families were guests at the E. Joringdal home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Skutson and son Winton called at Blomberg's on Saturday night.

Oscar Forslund called at the Sanborn home Monday evening.

Oliver Ronning left for Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bugge and family were entertained at the Chas. Johnson home Monday evening.

David Samuelson took in the Xmas tree festival at Viking Sunday evening.

Here's wishing everybody a Happy New Year.

VIKING

Myrtle and Violet Krohn arrived here Friday from Thief River Falls to spend Christmas with their parents.

A Christmas tree festival was held at the Gust Sustad school house last Wednesday. The children of the school gave an excellent program and a delightful lunch was served. The remainder of the evening was spent in playing games.

Herbert Grinde left for Thief River Falls on Thursday.

David Camelson spent Sunday at the Brink home.

Norval Johnson, who has been employed in the woods at Shooks, this state, arrived here Wednesday.

Arthur Rud arrived here Wednesday from Crookston, where he has been attending school.

Clara Brink is making an extended visit here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson of Devils Lake, N. D., arrived here the latter part of last week to spend the holidays with Mrs. Nelson's parents.

Dr. U. Sustad is visiting friends and relatives here over Christmas.

David Flodstrom is home for a few days' visit with his parents, his first visit to Viking in several years.

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Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Minnie Hard, also known as Mina Heard.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie Hard, also known as Mina Heard, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to A. C. Mathison, Ragna Mathison, Minnie Mathison, John Mathison, Alten Mathison, Thora Shetler, John D. Mathison, Henry W. Heard, Minton Heard, Lilly Heard, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Henry W. Heard having been filed in this Court, representing that Mina Heard, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of December, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Henry W. Heard and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of December, 1920.

(Court Seal)
IRA C. RICHARDSON, Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN, Attorney for Petitioner.
d23-30-j6

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Newman, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to May Newman Smith all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, 1921 at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court and the Seal of said Court, this 14th day of December, 1920.

(Seal)
IRA C. RICHARDSON, Judge of Probate.
(D-16-23-30.)

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of [illegible] Hundred Two and 40-[illegible] is claimed to be due [illegible] date of this notice upon [illegible] gage, duly executed [illegible] Richard K. Callaway [illegible] Callaway, his wife, [illegible] And Peoples State B[illegible] under the laws of the [illegible] Mortgagee, bearing da[illegible] August, 1919, and with [illegible] therein contained, duly [illegible] office of the Register [illegible] for the County of Pe[illegible] of Minnesota, on the [illegible] 1919, at 11:00 o'clock [illegible] of Mortgages, on page [illegible] or proceeding having [illegible] law or otherwise, to re[illegible] cured by said Mortgage [illegible] thereof.

Now, Therefore, N[illegible] Given, That by virtue [illegible] sale contained in said [illegible] pursuant to the statute [illegible] and provided, the said [illegible] foreclosed by a sale [illegible] described in and conve[illegible] gage, viz:

Government Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) and [illegible]

[illegible]

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GEO. W. MABEY, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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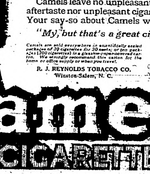

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Neighborhood Notes

ST. HILAIRE

Miss Anna Johnson of Black River left Thursday for Minneapolis to spend the holidays at the home of her brother, Rev. H. P. Johnson.

The Misses Myrtle Gigstad and Esther Hovet are home from Moorhead where they attend normal, to spend their Christmas vacation at their homes.

The Misses Clara Loberg and Selina Simonson, who teach at Jesse Lake, Minn., and Miss Carrie Simonson, who teaches at Mack, Minn., are home for the usual holiday vacation.

Mrs. Lena Hallstrom of Black River left Saturday morning over the Soo for Winger, Minn., for an indefinite stay at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Sorvig.

Miss Agnes Simonson who attends the North Dakota business college at Fargo arrived Thursday to spend the holidays with her parents.

The Misses Ethel Anderson and Mabel Hallstrom, who are employed at Cass Lake, Minn., arrived here on Thursday to visit until after the holidays at their homes in Black River.

William Kruse, who has spent the past months at points in Iowa, arrived Thursday for an indefinite stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kruse, who reside west of town.

Miss Esther Malmquist, who is attending normal at Bemidji, Minn., arrived the latter part of the week to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ed. Houske.

Miss Tena Wisness left Tuesday for her home at Anita, N. D., after spending three weeks as the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bakko.

Miss Alice Erickson, daughter of A. Aug. Erickson of River Falls, arrived last week from Superior, Wis., where she has been employed for an indefinite visit at her home.

Harold Hallstrom and Gerald Stephens, who are attending the Crookston Agricultural school arrived Thursday to spend Christmas at their homes.

Dick Bohlen of Rockford, Ia., came last week for a visit at the J. Bohlen home.

Ed. Dahl, who has spent the past months on his claim near Shaunavon, Sask., returned last week to spend the winter at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geise and family of Euclid, Minn., and Harry Jackson of St. Paul were visitors at the H. O. Jackson home over Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Geise motored home on Sunday while Harry remained until Wednesday.

Miss Grace Hall is home for a two week's vacation, being engaged in teaching school at Ray, N. D.

The Misses Nora and Olga Lindquist arrived Friday from Thief River Falls, the former to visit at her home in Bray and the latter left the same evening via the Great Northern for Minneapolis, where she will visit with relatives.

Ole Haggland arrived here Friday from points in North Dakota for a short visit with his family.

The Misses Esther Fricker and Effie Fredrickson, who teach school, the former at Grygla and the latter at Bronson, are spending their holiday vacation at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bangen returned Monday to their home at Havana, N. D., after a short visit at the home of Mrs. Bangen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Amble.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson, who is employed at Grand Forks, N. D., arrived Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Ina Johnson.

Miss Sylvia Aarrestad, who is a student at the St. Hilaire high school, left Friday for her home at Halstad, Minn.

Miss Dorothy Martz, accompanied by her brother, Gordon, left Monday evening for Moorhead, Miss Dorothy to visit with friends and relatives there and Gordon to go on to Litchfield, Minn., where he will spend New Years at the home of his brother Glenn Martz.

Ralph Roy of Hibbing, Minn., is here spending the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

Mrs. Duncan McAllister and daughter Muriel are guests at the home of Mrs. McAllister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson.

Mrs. Helen Landes and children, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Landes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Brevik, for the past month, left on Wednesday for Rolfe, Iowa to spend several months with relatives there.

A. Bilden and August Rolland are home to spend Christmas and New Years with their families. They are employed at Coleraine, Minn., in the iron mines.

Jake Sieff of Red Lake Falls was a visitor at the A. S. Wilson home over Christmas day. Mrs. Sieff and the children arrived the week previous.

Hazen Wallen returned Tuesday from Grand Forks, having spent Xmas with his mother who recently moved to Grand Forks. Hazen is a student at the St. Hilaire high school, making his home with his aunt, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad.

Mrs. C. F. Brantner arrived Tuesday from her home at Aurora, Ill., to spend New Years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson.

Theodore Holdahl, who has been visiting at the S. M. Hoff home left on Tuesday for his home in Minneapolis.

The Misses Dora, Nora and Palma Holmes are spending their Christmas holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes, who purchased the Bigelow farm last fall.

GAL—16 ST. HILAIRE (Continued)

Miss Emma Brink has returned to Crookston after visiting at the O. W. Brink and Erick Thyren homes here.

The Misses Huldah and Ruth Gigstad shopped at Thief River Falls on Friday.

Mrs. C. A. Chelin was a business visitor at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Sam Nelson, who has been employed in a lumber camp near Carp, Minn., returned home Monday evening.

Ella Brandt left on Monday for Cavalier, N. D., where she is employed as a stenographer, after visiting at her home near Wylie during the Xmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Hauge and children of Bagley, Minn., visited over the holidays at the R. L. Hauge and H. O. Jackson homes.

Miss Effie Fredrickson left Wednesday via the Soo for Glenwood, Minn., to visit with relatives over New Years.

Miss Rosetta Loberg arrived to spend Christmas with her parents, from Willmar, Minn., where she is teaching school.

Oscar Brevik arrived Friday evening from Gonvick, Minn., to visit over the holidays at his parental home.

Arthur Hendrickson left Tuesday for a brief visit at Crookston.

Miss Inez Patterson returned Monday to Sauk Center, Minn., after a short visit at her parental home.

GOODRIDGE

Ole Ostby, the genial salesman for the Thief River Falls Grocery company, was in town Thursday calling on customers.

Messrs. Carlson and Warner, who have been working on the Farm Bureau drive, in the eastern part of the county, left Thursday for their homes at Warren.

Andy Anderson was in town Thursday calling on his customers in the interest of the Jenny-Semple-Hill company.

Miss Ida Franzman was in town on Thursday enroute to her home at Grygla. Miss Franzman is teaching school near Bemidji.

Mrs. Rosaire Morin and children left Wednesday for Crookston to spend the holidays. Mrs. Geo. Josephson accompanied them as far as Thief River Falls.

Mr and Mrs. E. G. Wright were in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Michael Kassa was a passenger to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. W. C. Schilling was in town Wednesday enroute to her home at Schilling, after a few days' visit at Thief River Falls.

B. O. Norby and Mr. Nystul went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening on business. They returned home Thursday morning.

Carl Loen, salesman for the Tessum-Coumbe company, was in town Wednesday attending to business matters.

Marshall Race arrived home from Thief River Falls Thursday where he is attending high school. He will spend his vacation with his parents.

George Wold was in Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

P. C. Halverson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to attend to business matters.

Henry Sand was a business caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Albin Stromberg was in town Saturday morning enroute to his home east of Grygla for the holidays. He is employed at Jamestown, N. D.

Mrs. Carl Utabian and children of Osakis, Minn., were in town Saturday morning enroute to Grygla to visit relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Markeson and children went to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to visit relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and son Raymond went to Thief River Falls to visit with friends for a few days.

John Maney of Grygla passed thru town Wednesday on his way to North Dakota to visit friends over the holidays.

Herbert Race arrived home Thursday from Oklee where he is principal of the school. He will spend the Christmas vacation with his parents near Erie.

Bert Walker of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday on his way to his homestead east of town.

Miss Stella Stenvick was in town Thursday evening on her way home from Thief River Falls where she is attending high school.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Andreson of Grygla were in town Thursday enroute home for the holidays.

Miss Ruby Jensen was a passenger to Thief River Falls Thursday evening, where she will spend several days with Miss Ruby Anderson, who is home for the holidays.

Miss Louise Besancon arrived here Thursday evening from Thief River Falls, where she is a student at the Lincoln high school.

Miss Sophia Krebechek arrived on Thursday from Crookston, where she is attending the agricultural school.

The Lutheran church people held their Christmas program Sunday evening.

Miss Gladys Wilson left Friday afternoon for her home at Grygla to spend Christmas with her parents.

Ted Tandberg left Friday evening for Thief River Falls, where he will visit at home over the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne of Germantown visited at the Jay Payne home on Sunday.

James Nomeland was in town Friday enroute to Grygla to visit relatives.

J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls attended to business matters in town Thursday.

Miss Gladys Wilson accompanied Miss Eleanor Bauer as far as Thief River Falls Thursday evening when she left for her home at Onamia. Miss Wilson returned Friday morning.

Peter I. Larson returned on Tuesday from Walhalla, N. D., and left on the stage for Grygla, where he will visit relatives.

Ole Nergaard returned to Thief River Falls Tuesday morning after spending a few days with his relatives north of town.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday between trains attending to business matters.

Father Noesen of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday and conducted services.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and son, Raymond, returned Monday evening from Thief River Falls, where they visited friends for a few days.

Mrs. Carl Thiel of Valley City, N. D., was in town Saturday enroute to Grygla to visit her parents.

Fred Bucholz of Grygla was in town Monday night, returning home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gulrud entertained a number of friends at their home Monday evening.

Miss Ida Maresh of Valley City, N. D., was in town Saturday on her way to visit her mother, Mrs. P. Bjorken, who lives north of town.

Blom-Tvedt.

A wedding which is of great interest to the town people was solemnized at Centre City Minn., Christmas eve at the home of the bride's parents, when Anna Caroline Bloom and Chester H. Tvedt were married. The groom needs no introduction to the people here as his father, A. C. Tvedt, and brother, Palmer, also his sister, Mrs. Carl Christianson, reside here. He has made this his home at different times. He is now employed in a bank at Elk River, where he and his bride will reside. We all wish them a long and happy wedded life.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Dahl entertained a number of friends at a six o'clock dinner party Christmas evening. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Dahl and two children, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and Miss Jennie Rustad, Chris Urdahl and two daughters, Della and Carrie.

Ted Prichard of Thief River Falls was in town Monday evening between trains.

Miss Agnes Anderson and sister, of Thorhult, were in town Monday evening enroute to Grand Forks.

B. M. Hawland of Malcolm was in town Monday on his way to Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ferdinandson left Monday for Enterprise, Oregon, where they will make their home in the future. Lloyd Ferdinandson accompanied them as far as Thief River Falls.

H. A. Halvorson was in Thief River Falls Monday attending to business matters.

P. O. Tvedt made a business trip to Thief River Falls on Monday.

Grace Day returned on Monday to her home at Mavie after visiting with friends in town over Sunday.

The Farm bureau drive has been discontinued until the weather moderates.

E. G. Wright went to Thief River Falls on Monday to attend to business matters.

Miss Johnsrud of Erie was in town Monday morning enroute to Thief River Falls.

Frank Race of Erie was a business caller in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Double Wedding For Sisters.

A double wedding was performed in Thief River Falls on Dec. 23 when Ben Habedank of Germantown, who is employed at Mahnomen on a dredge, and Tillie McVoy; and Elmer Olson, who is in the garage business here, and Hannah Tollefson, who has been teaching school near Plummer, were married. The brides are sisters and the happy couples left Friday for Torgerson, where a reception was given them at their father's home. We wish them a long and happy wedded life.

High School Notes.

The Christmas entertainment given on Thursday afternoon was well attended and the program was of the very best. The teachers are surely deserving of much praise for putting on an entertainment of so high order. The children all did so well that it is impossible to mention each one. The high school orchestra, composed of Grace Day, pianist, Joseph Christianson, cornet, and Roy Olson, made its first public appearance and the music was enjoyed by all. The teachers all left Thursday evening for their holiday vacations.

ROSEWOOD

Christmas Program at Rindal.

The annual Christmas tree festival at Rindal church was held last Sunday evening and similar to former years it was a very successful undertaking and by far the largest holiday celebration in this vicinity. The church was tastefully decorated in holly and Christmas colors and a massive evergreen brilliantly illuminated by scores of candles and covered with a profusion of glittering ornaments, majestically adorned the northern half of the stage. A greatly appreciated program consisting of recitations, songs, etc., was rendered by the pupils of Rosebank school. After the program bags containing apples and confections were distributed to the entire assemblage and a large number of Christmas presents were distributed among friends and neighbors. About 175 persons were in attendance at the exercises.

Give Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen at their home south of town entertained a number of relatives from Rosewood at Christmas dinner last Saturday. The rooms were prettily decorated in Christmas colors and the afternoon was delightfully spent in music and conversation. The guests included the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan, and children, Willard, Burton and Violet; Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen and children, Gladys, Verna and Glenn; Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen and daughter, Isabelle.

Entertain Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum entertained a number of friends and relatives at their home Christmas eve. A delicious supper was served in the earlier part of the evening and the remainder of the time was delightfully spent in conversation and at cards. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum and children, Mrs. K. Ranum, Otto and Fred Ranum, Miss Ruth Ranum, Olof Opseth and A. Opseth.

Iver M. Westby, a farmer residing about a mile north of town, recently inherited about 8,000 "kroner" from a deceased brother in Norway.

Howard Carlson and Jim Thompson returned on Monday from Thief River Falls, where they had spent Sunday visiting with friends.

Henry Lappegaard, who has been employed at International Falls for some time, came home Monday to remain during the holidays with his parents.

Emil Anderson has been in town with his sawing rig this week sawing wood for several families and business places.

Victor Mosbeck left on Monday for Viking to attend to various business matters.

The Rindal Young People's society will have their monthly meeting at that church on January 1st commencing at 2 p. m.

Miss Nellie Wiseth returned to her home at Goodridge on Wednesday evening after spending a few days visiting with Misses Tena and Nina Westby here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen left on Thursday evening for Thief River Falls on a shopping and visiting tour.

Peter Stromberg, formerly local section foreman here, was in town last Tuesday visiting with relatives and attending to business matters, returning to his home at Thief River Falls the same day.

Miss Carrie Nelson who has been attending a dressmaking school at Thief River Falls this winter, completed her course last week and returned to her home here.

Miss Gladys Swenson, who has been attending college at Fargo this fall, came home the latter part of the week to spend the holidays with her father, Swen Swenson.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard returned on Monday from Thief River Falls where she spent several days visiting with her sister, Mrs. H. Carlson.

School closed on Thursday in the Busy Bee district and the teacher, Miss Clara Sorenson, left the same evening for her home at Thief River Falls where she will spend the holidays. She was accompanied to the latter place by Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Haugen, Miss Synneva Sorenson and Alex Hellquist.

Cashier and Mrs. A. S. Holm left on Christmas eve for Twin Valley to spend a few days with Mr. Holm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Holm.

Maurice Halvorson of Viking arrived here on Christmas Eve to spend a few days as guest of the Hellquist family.

Chester Dols and Albert Stengelson, students at Thief River Falls, came home on Friday to spend their two week's vacation at their homes.

School closed at the Rosebank district on Christmas Eve and the teacher, Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen, left in the evening for her home at Anita to spend a two week's vacation. She will return on Sunday to direct a Christmas program given by her pupils in connection with the Rindal Christmas tree festival at that church in the evening.

Adolph Rafteseth, who is employed as manager of a Chicago company's stock farm near Florence, this state, came home last Wednesday and will visit with his parents and other relatives here until Jan. 5.

Emil Blomberg, who has spent six weeks at the Physicians' hospital in Thief River Falls, nursing a broken arm and wrist, came home on Christmas Eve. His arm is improving and healing nicely although he will not be able to use it for some time.

John Bloom spent a few days at the Pennington county seat last week on business and also visited with his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Crown, in the town of Rocksbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mellem had as their guests for Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem and children, Emil Mellem and Mrs. T. Mellem from south of town.

Sing Xmas Carols.

The carol singing on Christmas Eve outside candle lighted windows was very pretty and much appreciated. The evening was very still and beautiful and the strains of the old Xmas hymns floated like fairy echoes thru the calm winter air. The pale cold light of the full moon gave a mystic illumination to the whole and hard indeed must the hearts have been not to be smitten by this Christmas spirit. A hearty thanks to the partakers in the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. J. Serbus and son left on Thursday evening for their former home town, Olivia, to spend the Christmas season with relatives and old neighbors.

Jim Thompson left on Christmas Eve for Gully where he will spend Christmas visiting with his parents.

Miss Hilda Westby of Minneapolis came home last Thursday and will visit over Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Westby.

Three of the Lappegaard Juniors are spending Christmas at Thief River Falls with their sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where she will be the guest of Mrs. A. C. Vorseth until Tuesday.

Miss Amy Whitman, who teaches near Warren, and Miss Mable Rogers, who teaches near Stephen, came home on Friday evening to spend Christmas with their folks, east of town.

Miss Lyda Batten, who teaches at Thief River Falls, came home the latter part of the week to spend a two week's vacation with her father, J. Batten.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jensen returned on Saturday from Thief River Falls, where they spent a few days visiting and shopping.

Olof Opseth who has been employed at Gonvick, came home last Saturday to spend Christmas.

John Remmem, who is employed at the Nels Nora farm west of Thief River Falls, this winter, was in town a few days this week, looking after his business interests.

Axel Bloom from the town of Rocksbury, arrived on Friday and will remain until Monday as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bloom.

Miss Hannah Hellquist left on Monday morning for Viking where she will visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

School closed last Thursday at the Willowdale school and the teacher, Mrs. Sam Lorentson, left for her home near Wylie where she will spend the holidays.

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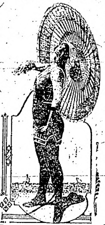

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A MEASURE of success, accomplished in spite of handicaps, marks the building industry's 1920 record. Patience endured disappointments; resourcefulness overcame obstacles; cooperation achieved what otherwise would have been impossible.
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CHARGE YOUTHS WITH BREAKING INTO BUILDING

Wave of Petty Larceny Believed Checked by Arrest of Four Young Men.

Arthur Charboneau, Whose Record is Bad, Confesses and Implicates Others.

Home of A. S. Sapero Broken Into on Three Different Occasions Within Year.

With the arrest of Arthur Charboneau, Ekard Lane, Victor Norquist and Richard Bartlett on Saturday, it is thought that the wave of petty larceny and house-breaking in Thief River Falls may have been brought to an end. The above mentioned youths, all of them between the ages of 18 and 20 years, were arraigned before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant on Monday morning, charged with having entered the residence of A. S. Sapero, 223 Duluth avenue north on the night of December 31. They waived examination through E. M. Stanton, their attorney, and were bound over to the grand jury. Each was required to furnish $250 bail.

On the same night the Zeh & Curran grocery store was entered thru a rear window, but the proprietors have been unable to determine whether or not any merchandise is missing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero upon returning from the American Legion ball after the hour of midnight, found the telephone upon the floor, a dining room window open and many fresh snow tracks upon the floors. Later investigation proved that a small amount of money and cigars had been taken. Suspicion having long centered on a gang of whom Charboneau was the recognized leader, Sheriff W. J. LaBree, Mr. Sapero and Mayor John Bratrud cornered that young man on Saturday morning and finally forced a confession from him. His confession and other circumstances led to the arrest of the four youths on Monday morning.

This is the third time in less than two years that Mr. Sapero's home was entered by persons whose evident intentions was robbery. The first instance was about a year ago and the second was less than three weeks ago. Mr. Sapero states that he had always suspected members of the gang and his supposition proved correct upon young Charboneau's confession. Charboneau also confessed to several other house-breaking jobs that have been staged here.

Business houses and homes have been entered from time to time and Charboneau's confession also includes many or all of these affairs. In other instances, automobile tires, automobile accessories and other articles of merchandise or personal property have been taken. It is thought that the Zeh & Curran store was entered in the hope that extracts containing alcohol would be found. No evidence has as yet been adduced which would indicate that any of the four young men arrested were implicated in this last thieving errand.

Charboneau, about seven years ago, was given an indeterminate sentence to the training school at Red Wing following a minor crime. This sentence was suspended and he was released on probation. Early in 1915 he broke into a house and was put in the school where he served one year, being released for exceptional conduct.

Returns From Southwest.

W. L. Hall, Jr., returned the first of the week from a ten-day business visit to St. Louis and other points in the Southwest. He also visited at the home of his parents in Arkansas while away and found conditions in that section very similar to those existing here. The neighborhood in which his people reside is devoted largely to fruit raising and as a very satisfactory price was received for the year's crop the district is not feeling the pinch of hard times prevailing in the cotton growing districts farther south.

FINE QUARTERS FOR INDUSTRIAL CLASS

New Addition to Smith-Hughes Building Ready For Second Semester Opening.

The interior of the new addition to the Smith-Hughes Industrial building of the city high school is nearing completion, and with the beginning of the second school semester all of the space on the main floor as well as in the basement will be occupied by the various classes. The departments of auto mechanics and forge work are to be located in the basement of the building while the departments of mechanical drawing, painting and decorating, carpentry and cabinet making are located on the main floor. The building is well lighted and ventilated in order to make work and study a pleasure.

The newest and latest among the various trades to be taught in this industrial section of the Thief River Falls schools will be a course in color study for water-color rendering, especially worked out for painters and decorators. The course consists of the following: Formation of colors of spectrum, secondary and tertiary colors, position of colors in the chromatic scale, making of color charts, classification of colors, designing, application of colors in wall and ceiling decoration; and instructions in sign painting. It is planned to add China painting later.

M. A. Schmitt, manual training instructor of the industrial school, has made color work one of his specialties and will leave nothing undone which would tend to make the new course a success.

Mr. Schmitt requests that it be made clear that this course in color study is not only open to high school students but to painters or others who might wish to make use of this opportunity to secure instruction, suggestions and information. Professional painters are particularly urged to get in touch with the department, as it is desired to start the second semester of the school year with every painter, young or old, in attendance.

EXPECT ACTION ON DRAINAGE BILL IN HOUSE THIS WEEK

Red Lake and Clearwater River Projects Expected to Receive Favorable Action.

The Red Lake Drainage bill will be acted on by congress this week, according to information received by C. G. Selvig, president of the Red Lake Drainage board, from Congressman Steenerson, who introduced this bill. This bill provides for improving the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers within the Indian reservation.

GRAND FORKS PAPER FORCED TO SUSPEND

Lack of Funds and Poor Collections Temporarily Ties Up The Daily American.

Manager John B. Brown of the Grand Forks Daily American, a Nonpartisan league newspaper, announced this week that the newspaper had suspended business temporarily. Whether or not the suspension would be made permanent will be decided at a stockholders' meeting January 11, it was declared. The North Dakota Tidende, a Norwegian weekly affiliated with the American, will also cease publication.

The last issue of the American was issued Friday, but it was not until Monday noon that the employes were notified of the suspension and the plant closed.

Lack of funds and inability to collect outstanding indebtedness and money due on notes, was given as the reason for suspension, by Manager Brown. Mr. Brown denied the American corporation was bankrupt.

The Grand Forks American was incorporated for $100,000, with 1,200 stockholders. It made its first appearance September 30, 1918.

SUCCESSFUL DRIVE BY ELKS NEARS END

Chairman Anderson Expects to Reach Goal of 600 Members by February 1.

The membership drive which was put under way by the B. P. O. E. No. 1308 early in December will be concluded January 31, at which time the membership fee will be raised from $35 to $50. Concerted action is being taken in order to enroll as many new members from the northwest section of the state as possible before this raise goes into effect. Captains numbering 25 were appointed in the city of Thief River Falls, and they in turn appointed lieutenants to assist in thoroughly soliciting the men, young and old, of the community who might possess the qualities which go to make good and loyal Elks. The captains are to report as to headway made either on January 7, or at the next regular meeting night, January 21.

A. Anderson is acting as chairman of the membership drive committee. He is assisted by committeemen G. W. Connell, H. W. Protzeller, W. W. Prichard, Jr., and S. C. Coumbe.

Applications have up to the present time been coming in freely and Chairman Anderson states that there is every possibility of the membership of the local lodge being raised to 600 with the conclusion of the drive. The new-member movement is being conducted with great enthusiasm with the view of hastening the erection of an Elk's home on the property overlooking the river at the foot of Third street, which property was acquired during the past year.

Zaucke Presents Claims of North Section to Board

William F. Zaucke, village clerk and booster extraordinary for Baudette, stopped over on Monday night on his way to Bemidji where he was to meet up with the board of county commissioners the following day. "Bill" went as a representative of the Baudette Commercial club and his particular mission was to impress upon the county dads of Beltrami county the necessity for stationing a farm bureau agent in the northern section. The country along the Baudette and Rainey rivers is developing rapidly as an agricultural section and it is figured that a county agent would help things along.

QUICK WORK AT COUNTY BOARD'S FIRST MEETING

Many Matters of Importance Disposed of by Commissioners in Record Time.

O. J. Peterson Re-elected Chairman; Other Officers Same as Last Year.

Levy For Sinking Fund Doubled. Salary Changes Few and Increases Small.

The annual meeting of the Pennington county board of commissioners held at the court house on Tuesday, proved one of dispatch and the shortest annual meeting on record. The session called for 10:00 a. m. was adjourned until 1:30 p. m., owing to absence of members. Having all business well lined up it was possible to conclude the same in a short additional session held in the evening.

Re-elected for Fourth Term.

Chairman Oscar J. Peterson was re-elected for the coming year, this making the fourth term of service in that capacity. J. S. Roy was reelected vice-chairman. The standing committees will remain the same, with the exception of the road and bridge committee, on which all members of the board and County Auditor T. P. Anderson will serve.

The bond submitted by Lars Backe, elected Judge of Probate in November, was read and approved. The bond incorporates his oath of office.

A bounty of five cents was placed on pocket gophers killed in the county; and a bounty of three cents on grey and striped gophers. It has heretofore been the practice of many townships in the county to duplicate this award. No bounty was set on crows.

$6,000 Levy for Sinking Fund.

A tax levy of one mill, or approximately $6,000 was voted for the support of the sinking fund. The levy of last year was one half this amount, but it was considered necessary to increase it in order to maintain a sinking fund of from $15,000 to $20,000. Several bond payments fall due within the next few years, one of the most important of these being the Highlanding bridge bond.

The matter of an increase in salaries for several county officials was discussed at length. The salary of Superintendent of Schools George M. Gunderson was increased from $1320 per year to $1440, in addition to which all of his traveling expenses will be paid. The salaries of County Sheriff W. J. LaBree, County Attorney Theodore Quale and Court House Custodian Paul Midderigh, which also came under discussion, were allowed to remain the same as of last year.

It was voted to appropriate $125 towards the support of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association. This appropriation is the same as that made last year. It was considered that this amount is more than returned to residents of the county who send exhibits to the annual winter show held at Crookston, in addition to the general benefit derived from development work.

Thomas H. Bjerke and Peter Hedin were designated as county delegates to the tax conference which will be held in St. Paul on January 19-20. Chairman O. J. Peterson and County Auditor T. P. Anderson are ex-officio delegates to the conference, which will take up a discussion of the tax burdens thruout the state. Members of the state board of equalization will be present at this conference. While voting will be confined to county delegates, the meetings are open to the general public.

A petition for a new school district embracing sections 19, 20 and 21, the south half of section 17, the southeast quarter of section 18 and the southwest quarter of section 16, Mayfield township in Pennington county, and section 30 and the north half of sections 28 and 29, Garness township in Red Lake county, was read and approved. A hearing of petitioners will be set for an early date. It will also be necessary for Red Lake county to arrange a hearing on the same petition.

The report of the board of audit was submitted and approved; County Treasurer John Gullingsrud's books given a preliminary audit and several small matters disposed of.

The next meeting of the board will be held on January 12, at which time the financial statement for the year 1920 will be submitted.

HEARS REPORT OF NORWAY UPRISING

Attempt at Revolution Said to Have Been Foiled by Action of Authorities.

Plans for a sensational revolution in Norway, which have become known to the authorities, are printed by the newspaper Politiken, Copenhagen, quoting accounts published by the Verdensgang of Christiana.

According to the Verdensgang, the labor party which, it says, joined the Moscow internationale in 1918, intended to start the uprising by setting fire to enormous lumber stores in Christiania, reckoning this would draw the entire attention of the capital. As soon as the fire began to rage, the newspaper states, the revolutionists planned to occupy the barracks, the police headquarters and the telegraph and telephone stations, arrest the cabinet members and generals and then telegraphically advise the provinces of the revolution and of the successful conquest of the capital.

It was expected, Verdensgang is quoted as saying, that the conquest of the provinces would be easy, being only a question of courage, discipline and arms. The newspaper states that the plan leaked out and the authorities were informed.

No definite date was given for the execution of the alleged plan, it being said that it was set merely for a convenient moment.

Revenue Men Make Good Haul on Soo Line Train

Revenue officers who boarded the south-bound Soo line limited near the Canadian border on New Year's Eve, confiscated 22 quarts of good Canadian "hootch." Passengers of all descriptions were able to contribute a quart or two. No arrests followed the confiscation.

EXAMINATION OF EX-SERVICE MEN IS NEW ORDER

Thief River Falls Designated as Headquarters For Northwestern Counties.

Will Conduct Hearings to Determine Eligibility For Vocational Training.

Former Soldiers Urged to Present Themselves Before Board Without Delay.

Thief River Falls has been designated by the Federal Board for Vocational Training as headquarters for an eligibility squad which will conduct periods of intensive examinations of former service men in the northwestern counties of the state, according to C. J. Batten of the state vocational department, who was in the city last Thursday for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements. The Commercial club rooms have been offered for use of the squad for the two days of medical examinations. The American Legion and the Red Cross have been requested to aid in locating all former service men who suffer a vocational handicap in order that all cases may be "cleaned up" in this district before the eligibility squad moves on.

This action is taken following a radical change in the method of determining a former service man's vocational disabilities and in obtaining vocational training for him. It is planned to eliminate all red tape and the applicant for vocational training will be examined and entered into training at once. Previous experience under the method now obtains show that some men have been obliged to wait from three months to two years before finally admitted to vocational training. The drive is to be statewide, starting early this month. The eligibility squad will conduct examinations here during the month of February, according to tentative plans announced by Mr. Batten.

Minnesota, which is a part of the Tenth district, will be divided into 16 sub districts, each under the supervision of an eligibility squad.

Service men who feel that they have vocational disabilities and that they are entitled to training, should present themselves to this squad when the drive opens here. All expenses incidental to the examinations here will be borne by the Federal board, it is explained. These items of expense include transportation, meals and lodgings. The state department is in possession of the names of approximately 50 former service men in this section of the state who have at one time or another presented claims for vocational education. Working through the American Legion and the Red Cross an effort will be made to reach every man, states Mr. Batten.

Compensation, it is explained by a member of the eligibility squad, in no way conflicts with a man's right to avail himself of vocational training. The one thing that the eligibility squad determines, is whether the applicant's disability is a vocational handicap, and whether it is traceable to, aggravated by or due to service. His physical disability, moreover, must be in the nature of a vocational handicap that has unfitted him to pursue his former vocation and necessitates taking up another.

Detailed explanations of the two day period of examinations in Thief River Falls will be issued at an early date by the Federal board, Mr. Batten announced.

Holiday Celebration of Norway Sons, Daughters

The annual holiday celebration of Snore lodge, Sons of Norway, will be held at Masonic hall on the evening of Thursday, Jan. 13. Attendance will be limited to members only and children will be charged admission the same as grown folks. Attorney Hans O. Chommie will deliver the principal address and there will be other speakers. A musical program will be given and there will be the usual lunch.

PARTY PLEDGES MUST BE KEPT, PREUS ASSERTS

New Governor, in Inaugural Address, Reminds Legislature of Election Promises.

Co-Operative Marketing, Iron Ore Tax and Primary Reform Among Laws Urged.

Fails to Announce a Single State Appointment at Time of Taking Office.

J. A. O. Preus, victor in one of the most momentous election campaigns in the history of the state, was inaugurated governor of Minnesota at 11 a. m. Wednesday before a joint session of the state legislature in the house chamber. The inauguration was scheduled for noon but took place at the above mentioned hour as a result of an unexplained confusion. The oath of office was administered by Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown.

Before Mr. Preus took the oath of office retiring Governor J. A. A. Burnquist spoke briefly, sketching the accomplishments of his administration and expressing his deep gratitude to the people of Minnesota for their cooperation during his term of office.

Declares For Issues.

Standing on the speaker's platform in the house chamber, and facing a floor crowded with Senate and House members and galleries crowded with spectators, Governor Preus spoke on issues which he had discussed during the recent campaign. His message was frequently interrupted with applause. At its close he was given an ovation.

On the main themes of his address, the former auditor declared for:

Co-Operative Marketing.

Enlargement of powers and personnel of state department of agriculture to permit it to aid in organization of co-operative selling agencies to handle farm products and have memberships in terminal selling associations.

Tonnage Tax on Iron Ore.

A fair and equitable tonnage tax. A net profits tax in lieu of all other state taxes upon the property, accompanied by a reduction in the percentage of the so-called ad valorem tax for other purposes.

Primary Election Reform.

A return to party designations in the legislature and convention system for party nominations, safeguarded at its source by requiring delegates to be elected by the primary method.

Better Roads.

Wise laws to be passed by the legislature to provide for the building and administration of the trunk highway system and co-ordination of the good roads system with Minnesota's parkway plans.

Soldier Bonus.

To raise rates of interest on state bonus bonds to permit their sale, so that all of Minnesota's soldiers, marines and sailors may receive their state bonus without delay.

Reorganization Plans.

To make the state auditors office an auditing office only and to creat a new state department to care for the natural resources of the state. auditing office only and to create a

Economy.

No appropriations unless absolutely necessary for the efficient administration of public affairs.

Appointments Delayed.

Governor Preus established a precedent when he failed to announce a single state appointment. As a result the office of state auditor, which he himself vacated, was left without a head. The incoming executive announced that he would have an important announcement to make in regard to the auditorship and the Minneapolis judgeship some time today. This left the inference that he does not intend to announce other appointments at present.

Only One New Face Seen At Court House This Year

The only new name on the courthouse roster at the opening of the year is that of Lars Backe, judge of probate, who on Monday took his oath of office. Judge Backe succeeds Judge Ira C. Richardson, who served with credit for one term.

The new official is a pioneer resident of Thief River Falls, as is his predecessor. He has held offices of public trust on different occasions, among them being that of mayor of the city and has served faithfully and well wherever placed. That he will carry the same conscientious application into his new post goes without saying.

Adolf Eklund, clerk of court, began his second term on Monday, he being the only other official elected in the county last fall, outside of the county commissioners.

Hamline Players Failed To Make Much of a Hit

The Hamline Players of St. Paul, appeared at the city auditorium here on Monday evening under the auspices of the high school in Robertson's three-act comedy-drama, entitled "Caste." Though the attendance was average, no favorable comment on the play as presented has been heard.

Attends Managers' Meeting.

E. W. Hinrichs left Tuesday for Grand Forks for the purpose of attending a meeting of managers of the J. C. Penney stores thruout the Northwest. This is the first meeting of the kind held since the Thief River Falls branch of the Penney chain was established and Mr. Hinrichs will have a very satisfactory report to submit. He is expected back tomorrow.

Elk's Dance Tonight is Second of Winter Series

The Thief River Falls lodge of Elks will give their second dance of the winter series at the city auditorium this evening. Dancing will start promptly at 9 o'clock, the music to be furnished by Snyder's five-piece orchestra. It was at first planned to make this a carnival event but subsequent plans call for a "regular old dance" with all in attendance contributing to the good time.

SUDDEN SUMMONS TO AGED CITIZEN

Hemorrhage of the Brain Brings Death to S. O. Quammen in Few Hours.

Swen O. Quammen, retired farmer and former business man, died suddenly last Wednesday night of hemorrhage of the brain. He was 70 years of age.

Deceased was born in Norway and emigrated to America with his young wife nearly 50 years ago. After a short residence in southern Minnesota the couple moved to North Dakota, Mr. Quammen taking up a homestead near Grand Forks. He continued the pursuit of farming until 1909 when the family came to Thief River Falls.

Mr. Quammen was married twice, there being nine children born to the first union, six of whom are living. They are Ole, a resident of Idaho; Lars, who resides in North Dakota; Selmer who conducts a farm about five miles from Thief River Falls; Mrs. Asle Sondreal of North Dakota; Mrs. G. N. Evenson and Mrs. John Bye of Nymore, Minn. The mother died in 1902 and in 1905 Mr. Quammen was united in marriage to Miss Lena Johnson of St. Hilaire, who survives him. Two children were born to them; Judith, aged 16 and Ruth, 12 years of age.

The funeral was held from Trinity Lutheran church on Saturday, Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. The remains were shipped to North Dakota for burial.

Mr. Quammen was a highly respected citizen and his sudden death caused genuine sorrow among his wide circle of acquaintances. While he complained of feeling poorly during the day he had been down town until about four o'clock. One of the last men he talked to was Undertaker C. B. Larson, who received a decided shock when notified to come and take charge of the body of a man to whom he had been talking only a couple of hours previously.

COUPLE FROM CANADA WEDDED HERE AS NEW YEAR IS USHERED IN

Young Couple Assisted in Their Efforts by Number of Enthusiastic Citizens Who Rout Out Proper Officials For Them.

Harry W. Marceau, energetic young insurance man of Winnipeg, Canada, routed out city and county officials at a late hour New Year's Eve and was united in marriage to Hazel Vera Klima, also of Winnipeg, shortly after the hour of twelve. The young couple stated that their object in traveling here for the marriage was in order to surprise friends.

Miss Klima and Mr. Marceau arrived here on the Soo Limited at 9:40, immediately calling for a taxi. Leonard DuChamp answered promptly and escorted them to Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant's residence. The latter became one of the party which set off in search of Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund, who was attending festivities suitable to the evening. Mr. Eklund was located at 11 o'clock and the marriage license was issued at 11:30. When all was in readiness for the ceremony Miss Klima said: "Do you know, I'm just superstitious enough not to want to be married at the last moment of the last hour."

Consequently the ceremony, which took place in an office at the Pennington county court house, was delayed until a few moments after the birth of the new year. Judge Tarrant officiated. Sheriff W. J. LaBree, who had also been pressed into service in the search for Mr. Eklund, and Leonard DuChamp, acted as witnesses.

The bride wore her mother's wedding gown, an exquisite creation of white duchess satin veiled in white silk tulle and trimmed in rare old rose point lace. The long panel train of satin fell from the shoulder where it was held in place by a straight decolletage band of the rose point lace, which, coming over the shoulders, outlined the V neck of the bodice front, from which points of the satin reached to the shoulders. The gown had kimona sleeves. The lines of the satin skirt were broken with a drapery of the tulle, forming a double point tunic. From the girdle at the left a long spray of orange blossoms reached to the hem. The tulle veil, flowing to the end of the train, was held to the coiffure with a simple arrangement of three puffs of tulle across the front, outlined with orange blossoms that fell in little clusters over the ears.

FARMERS WOULD KEEP OUT COWS NOT CERTIFIED

Ask County Commissioners to Prevent Importations of Animals Not Tested.

Farm Bureau Also Goes on Record as Favoring Early Action on River Drainage.

Organization One of Most Progressive in State and Agent Given the Credit.

The special meeting of the directors of the Pennington county farm bureau held at the bureau office in the city auditorium on Friday evening, opened with a long discussion on tuberculin testing of cattle as conducted thruout the county. Harry Woolson, Stuart McLeod, R. J. McKercher and Fred Beerbauer were appointed a committee to appear before the county commissioners in an effort to have that body go on record as prohibiting any animal being imported into the county without having successfully passed the tuberculin test. If the importation of untested cattle is prohibited, the state veterinarian will complete the testing of all cattle owned and held in the county free of charge, according to a statement made at the meeting Friday.

It is a recognized fact that Pennington county now has more tested and accredited herds within its boundaries than any other county in the state or nation. It is thought that if the board of commissioners will take the requested action that other counties in the state will rapidly fall in line in this respect.

The proposed dredging of the Red Lake river was also discussed at considerable length, the board of directors going on record as being highly in favor of the project. A telegram was sent to Congressman Steenerson at Washington, urging the need of drainage in this section of the state.

Directors R. J. McKercher, Harry Woolson, Hans Anton, C. W. Correll and Paul Engelstad were appointed as a legislative committee of the Farm Bureau association of the county.

The financial condition of the bureau was discussed and was said to be entirely satisfactory.

"Our hats are off to County Agent McCann" was the expression of directors present, when the discussion of progress shown by the Pennington county bureau was under way. A vote of thanks and approval of his work during the past year will be tendered Mr. McCann. Secretary Engelstad gave as an unqualified statement that the Pennington county bureau can show more progress than any other county farm bureau organization and credited the success of the partially completed membership drive conducted in the county during the later part of December, to the results shown by the last two years work. Several of the directors present, who have assisted in membership drives in various counties thruout the state during the past season, also stated that in soliciting new members the accomplishments of the Pennington county bureau were pointed out and found to be winning arguments and that the eyes of the state were upon developments in Pennington county.

SIX BILLION LOSS TAKEN BY FARMERS

Producers, Group Marketing Committee Believes Better Times Are Just Ahead.

"There are better times ahead. The slump in conditions has cost the farmers of America $5,000,000,000, according to accepted statistics, but they have swallowed the pill and are straightening up and looking ahead."

This is the consensus expressed at the convention of the farmers' marketing committee of 17, representing food producers of many states, and hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Chairman C. H. Gustafson, of Lincoln, Neb., says that the loss sustained by the farmers by the recent declines in prices, meant that the purchasing power of 6,500,000 food producers had been cut to the minimum. However, they believe the pendulum has swung to the extreme as far as they are concerned, and when other articles reach the same basis upon which food products now rest, the country will be ready to go ahead on a firm basis.

Some of the delegates were astonished when they had to pay 60 cents for an order of corned beef and cabbage in Chicago—the same beef and cabbage they had produced and sold for about 11 cents.

Last Fire Call of Year.

The fire department answered the last call of the passing year a few moments before 12 o'clock New Years Eve. The alarm was occasioned by a chimney fire in the Meehan block. No damage resulted from the fire. Fire Chief Midderigh expressed great approval of the promptness with which all members of the department answered the call and at the speed with which the apparatus was rushed to the scene of the supposed blaze.

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THE KELLY SALES SYSTEM

OF MINNEAPOLIS

Have Signed a Contract with Lieberman Brothers to Close Out the Entire Stock of High Grade Winter Merchandise in Two Weeks

STORE WILL BE CLOSED
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY THE STORE WILL BE CLOSED FOR FINAL ARRANGING OF STOCK AND MARKING CUT PRICES ON SAME.

A Statement From the Owners

In our 18 years of business we have never experienced anything like this in price slashing as the Kelly Sales System are doing throughout our store. It is the biggest event in dollars and cents ever known to us. It was necessary to do this as their orders from us was to clear the stock.

Lieberman Brothers

FREE
Railroad fare will be paid to out-of-town patrons to a distance of 50 miles who purchase $25 worth of goods.
Show your ticket.

I Am The Man That Will Do It!

Mr. Lieberman told me, "forget cost, forget profits. Clear out the stock from one end to the other." I have taken him at his word and have been one entire week preparing for the most amazing sensation in merchandising in the history of price cutting.

I have done my part. On every article of merchandise I have torn the prices to shreds. *Now do your part!*

Come early for your share of bargains. My torn to shreds prices will make this stock travel so fast you must travel faster.

Otto W. Kaulbarsch, Salesconductor

SALE OPENS
SATURDAY AT 9 O'CLOCK THE DOORS WILL OPEN FOR THIS GIGANTIC PRICE CUTTING SALE. BE ON HAND EARLY.

A Statement From Archie Dahl

Mr. Kaulbarsch is absolutely the greatest price cutter I have ever known. He delivers the goods as he advertises. Respond to this stupendous price smashing event as I know what the merchandise is worth and what he is giving it away for.

Archie Dahl.

FIND OUT FOR YOURSELF
Come and see how far you can stretch the purchasing power of a dollar. Every article has been reduced but—mark this: It is good to you only when you come and take the bargains. Act Now.

TWO WEEKS ONLY
THIS SALE OPENS JANUARY 8 AND WILL LAST JUST TWO WEEKS. THIS POSITIVELY MEANS TWO WEEKS.
COME YOURSELF BRING YOUR FRIENDS
DOLLARS SAVED FOR ALL

Read of it!
Come to it!
Share in it!

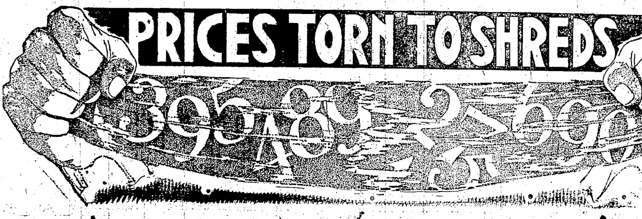

Act Quick!
Get the
Buying habit

SALE OPENS SATURDAY, JAN. 8, 9 a.m.

DUCK COATS
Heavy canvas duck lined with Plaid Blanketing $5.50, but I cut it down to
$2.45

ONE BUCKLE ARTICS I CUT DOWN TO
$1.79

WOOL SOCKS
The Ball Band Kind worth $1.25
Hurry and get them at
69c

MEN'S BELTS
Many kinds to pick from. Here's a snap at
49c

BLACK JERSEY DRESS GLOVES
To see them means to buy them sure
33c

Great Out-Pouring of Good Shoes

MEN'S FINE SHOES in tan and black, solid leather soles and counter. Various lasts to pick from, all sizes, bal and blucher. Here are shoes sold at $6.50 to $7.25 at the amazing price of only ---------- 3.27

MEN'S FINE DRESS SHOES, black and tan, vici, calf kangaroo leather, best sole and counter leather, some rubber heels, all sizes to pick from, sold formerly at $9 and $11. Get them quick at only per pair 5.95

BOYS' SHOES to fit the lads of 5 years to 10 years; some tan in this lot. I tell you folks, these are good wearers. So hurry to get your share of them at only ---------- 2.85

Make your shoes last longer--wear rubbers

YOU know the price of rubbers—why tell more than just the cut price? They're good ones too, at ---------- 1.19

4-buckle artics, you'll need them. NO they are not $4.95 and $6 as in so many places, here you get them at the sensational low price of ---------- 3.19

Nuff said, it's up to you to show appreciation of these prices. BUY! Yes, we have a better grade one too. Come in, make yourself at home. Look around, every turn you make you'll see bargains. Get busy.

Sheepskin Coats

Listen folks. While I am writing this it's warm, but I tell you it will get colder, Take a tip, it's a sure tip. You'll need one before winter is over—Well, anyway I want to sell them, they are the best sheepskin coats I've seen for some time. I found them marked down to $15 and I cut them just to please you folks way down,

Come now ---------- $9.85

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Maybe you like something different. Well we have the choicest patterns I ever saw—believe me I see them all—but these are "different", they're better made, nicer styles and best of all, better quality.

$3.45	$1.35	$2.18
Imported Madras fibre silk in tre newest styles.	Narrow stripes, wide stripes, double and fancy goods. SEE THEM	English Cambrics, fine madrass and sure "different" in styles.

bring your neighbor

Look!
$5.00
Fur Mittens
$1.75

PRICES SLASHED

On All Men's Suits

IN JUSTICE TO YOURSELF YOU MUST TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE PRICES. IF YOU DON'T, IT'S LIKE LETTING MONEY SLIP THROUGH YOUR FINGERS.

One lot of assorted styles, plain fancies semi-fitted, some belted, every one excellent quality in a variety of materials, values up to $35 at only
$22.50

LISTEN STOUT MEN—In this lot are some suits for YOU. But also many others for all kinds of shapes and forms
$29.50

YOU MEN OF HIGH TASTE
Here is an assortment of plain serges, fancies in all shades and, oh my, look! They are the HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX GOODS
Former $50 and $60
$33.40

OVERCOATS
I am determined to close them out, come! see! buy! Large assortment of styles. IT'S THE BIG HIT OF THE SALE
$21.10

SEPARATE PANTS
I am going to keep you on the anxious seat, only this much: The sale price will not pay for one yard of cloth in these pants. I want you to see them. You'll be glad you came.

GEE WHIZZ, FOLKS!

Do you remember the oldtime prices? I mean the real old good time prices on underwear? Sure you do and been wishing for them to come back.

READ THESE AND TELL ME IF I CUT PRICES

MEN'S SANITARY HEAVY FLEECED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS in gray and tan, good big sizes that will fit and not bind you. You been paying as high as $1.50 for them. Here they are folks. I do just as I advertise, per garment ---------- 49c

Men's Heavy fleeced Union suits, the kind you been paying $3 to $4 per suit. Well, listen, if you come early before the lot goes they are your's at the old-time price, per suit ---------- 1.48

STEVENSON'S Wool shirts and drawers, they are worth $2, but I cut the price down to ---------- 97c

STEVENSON'S Wool union suits, they sell at $6, but Gee! the sale price is now ---------- 1.65

I LIKE THE BOYS AND SURE BEEN THINKING FOR YOU
Here is one lot of heavy cotton union suits of the Munsing make; they are selling at $1.95. To show you I like boys this lot is cut down to per garment ---------- 79c

How is that boys?

Men's wool shirts and drawers, the "FAITH" kind, heavy ribbed and good warmers. You must hurry, the price will move them fast ---------- 1.65

Men's wool union suits, heavy, the kind you pay $5.00 and more at times. Look at this cut. Yours at ---------- 2.65

HERE'S WHERE I SAVE YOU MORE MONEY
EVERY SWEATER MUST GO OUT IN A FEW DAYS AND THE PRICE WILL DO IT. BE SURE AND GET IN ON THIS

Large assortment of sweaters of various styles, pure wool, plain and fancy ones. They are now reduced to $12.00 but I cut them again ---------- $7.35

Another lot selling now at $10.00 and big values at that price, but, Gee whizz, I don't care, here is the new cut, Get them at ---------- $4.45

Well! Well! Here I am at the bottom of the page and folks, I only got about half the stuff advertised that I made big cuts on. However, while I can do a lot of price cutting, I can not stretch the paper, so HERE'S A HAPPY NEW YEARS TO YOU. I WISH YOU HEALTH AND PROSPERITY AND GIVE YOU ONE TIP TO START THE YEAR RIGHT— COME TO THE SALE OFTIMES YOUR DOLLARS WILL DO DOUBLE DUTY HERE.

Tell Your Friends

Look!
220
Denim Overalls
$1.35
nuff said

MEN'S COTTON SOCKS
Black and fast colored; sold at 25c, now going at
14c

MEN'S CAPS
Large assortment worth $1.50
29c

BOYS, LOOK!
Heavy hose all sizes, in black, the 40c kind
21c

HEAVY TICKING MITTS with closed wrists
14c

WOOL MITTENS
the 65c kind.
Get busy at
39c

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FARMER HOLDS THE KEY.

In a statement issued to its patrons the Bank of North Dakota urges the farmers of that state to sell a sufficient amount of the grain held by them to at least partially pay their debts. Coming from such a source the advice is certain to attract a good deal of attention.

The bank states that while there is some question as to whether or not the holding of grain by farmers is responsible for the present financial situation in the state, it is very apparent that in the majority of cases where banks find themselves in difficulties it is caused by the refusal of farmers to make substantial payments on their notes. In view of this fact, says the statement, "with certain qualifications, the Bank of North Dakota feels that it is warranted in joining with other financial institutions in advising the adoption of this policy to the farmer."

In this section grain is being marketed at a much better rate than at any previous time this season and if the price holds at a reasonable level there is every hope that the movemnt will soon be normal. Farmers realize that they can gain nothing by acting in an arbitrary manner and as soon as they are satisfied that they have not been singled out as the class which is to stand the brunt of a general decline they will take their losses, if such result, exactly as do men in other lines of business. Many of them will soon be applicants for money for the spring operations and it is realized that securing it will be out of the question unless they now show a disposition to help general liquidation along by paying their outstanding obligations. They cannot expect to borrow money on next year's prospects while this year's crop remains in their graneries unsold.

The situation is steadily improving and with more liberal liquidation of debts on the part of the farmer it will grow better by leaps. Very few persons have blamed him thus far for his stand, but the time has now come when we must all sacrifice something in order to stabilize future conditions in this country.

THE GRIND BEGINS.

The forty-second session of the Minnesota legislature convened on Tuesday morning and from now until early spring laws of more or less importance will be ground out with more or less speed.

This session starts off under circumstances just a little different from any that have previously prevailed. At no time in the state's history have the wishes of the people, as these apply to important legislation, been so clearly indicated. A program of sufficient length and importance was presented to the voters at the last election to keep the lawmakers busy during the entire session, and the verdict in the case of these measures was so unmistakable that their enactment into law will be little more than a ratification.

First, perhaps, in importance is the Babcock good roads amendment. A lot of hard work will be required in order to provide the machinery for carrying out this one project alone but as there is but little difference of opinion as regards the main features of the plan its progress should be comparatively rapid.

Governor Preus, who is regarded as completely in accord with the majority of the members, advocated certain legislation during the campaign and was given an unprecedented vote on the strength of his position. His program includes a tonnage tax on iron ore and a bill providing for this will probably be passed in spite of the fact that the State Tax commission looks at the proposition with but little favor. Another of the Governor's pet measures is a law permitting grain associations to hold seats on boards of trade dealing in farm products. Such law will doubtless follow the lines of the measure with similar intent now before congress.

Conservation of the natural resources of the state, flood control and laws to assist the men who come to make homes on our undeveloped lands are among the things to be expected from the present session.

Th forty-second legislature has most of its work cut out in advance. The presiding officers are exceptionally capable men and the membership regarded as considerably above the average. There should be some really worth-while results to record.

The Roseau Times-Region says that The Times is mistaken in claiming that alfalfa seed had never been successfully ripened in Northwestern Minnesota until this year, when two Pennington county men succeeded in securing a fine supply. It seems that Roseau county has raised seed of this kind during the past three years. We are glad of it and hope that the same thing is true of every county in this section.

EFFERVESCENCE

Oolai is wondering why a supposed comedy-drama which was staged here during the forepart of the week is being alluded to as a farce. Oolai apparently did not attend.

Horses eat hay; so do freight rates. A farmer from north of this city sold a car of No. 1 Timothy to a dealer on the Iron Range and was in debt a dollar and a half after the freight was paid.

The south-bound Soo Winnipeg Limited is good for from five to twenty quarts any old night.

Georgia B. True is conducting her weekly paper at Rosebud, Montana, in the first person and Georgia will get along nicely with the natives just as long as she lives up to her name.

Clove dealers are looking to Salem, Massachusetts for salvation. Onion odors caused a civil war back there.

The banana peel at last has a rival —one-piece slippers are the latest creation of shoe manufacturers. They fit like the modern one-piece bathing suit.

"Sidewalk Falls; 50 New Years Merry Makers of San Francisco are Injured." Merry makers on New Years generally suffer injury from the sidewalk flying up and bumping them.

While 'politeness weeks' are being *conducted within Germany*, the League of Nations is wondering whether or not it will be polite to get along without Germany.

Last Year's Basket Team Defeated in Snappy Game

The Class of '20 basketball team who issued a challenge to the high school team early in the past week, went down to defeat at the hands of the latter in a fast game played at the city auditorium Saturday night. Basket shooting was exceptional on the parts of both teams. The high school quintet displayed the best team work and generally out-played the Class of '20 team, who were in poor condition owing to lack of practice. It looked like a victory for the high school team of last year until during the final quarter, when, with the score 23 to 24 in their favor, the quintet representing the school for the present season, made a spurt and shot three free throws and one basket. The final score stood at 27 to 24.

Notice to Ice Users.

We are now in a position to handle orders for ice from outside towns and urge all users to secure their supply at once. Special low rates on ice shipped before April 1. Write for special low prices.

RED LAKE ICE COMPANY,
j6-13-20-27 Thief River Falls.

Bids Wanted.

Bids for filling the icehouse at the Creamery will be received on or before the 11th of January. For particulars apply to the Secretary. J6

AUDITOR FOR G. N. R. R. TESTIFIES

"Tanlac Can be Depended Upon" He says—Gains Sixteen Pounds.

"Before I took Tanlac I decided that something had to be done and that quick, and Tanlac has met the situation in every respect," said Walter Munsing, an auditor of the Great Northern Railway company, with headquarters in Minneapolis, Minn.

"I had suffered for nearly two years with my stomach and kidneys and was just about down and out. Everything I ate seemed to settle in a hard lump in the pit of my stomach and gas would bloat and pain me so badly I could hardly stand it. I lost weight and last winter was hardly able to do a bit of work.

"Sometimes when I stooped over my back pained me right over my kidneys until I could hardly straighten up, and at night I often lay awake for hours without getting a bit of sleep. I seemed to get weaker and felt more and more tired, but after I took a few doses of Tanlac I noticed an improvement.

"I have now taken seven bottles and my stomach trouble is gone. I don't have the pains in my back any more and I sleep well at night and have gained sixteen pounds in weight. I owe a lot to Tanlac, and I heartily recommend it, for I know from my experience that it can be depended upon for results."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm and at Goodridge by G. G. Gubrid.—adv.

Legion Basket Team Takes On Fosston For First Game

The basket ball team of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion will meet the Fosston Legionnaire team at the city auditorium here on the evening of Friday, January 7th. The game will be called at 8 o'clock. Fans know the fast teams that Fosston usually puts out and consider the prophecy of a real battle superfluous. Hadrath, Holzknecht, LaBree, McGinn, Kiland, Carlson and Hermanson have been showing the best of form at practice. No definite line-up has been given out by Coach G. W. Connell.

This will be the first game played by the local legion team and one that all basket ball fans have been waiting for. Long practice has left the players in exceptionally good form and stellar work may be expected. The Legion is making every effort to insure a good turn-out for this first game.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who showed their sympathy and offered their assistance after the death of our husband and father, being particularly grateful to the Sons and Daughters of Norway for kindness shown.—Mrs. S. O. Quanmuen and family. J6p

News of Rail and Shop

Thief River Falls travelers during the past week were: Gilma Ostvolden to St. Paul; Walter Jonas to St. Paul; Aerial and Ronald Kinghorn to Minneapolis; Maveretta Hilson to Warren; Mrs. O. Halldin to Warren and Alvin Erickson to Enderlin.

C. W. Stewart is relieving E. J. Abbott, agent at Tolley, for a period of three months. Mr. Tolley will spend his vacation at Redlands, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Crowson of Winger, spent New Years day at Detroit with Mr. Crowson's parents.

F. S. Dalton, agent at Fordville and family spent New Years day and Sunday with Mrs. Dalton's parents at Ardoch.

T. J. Rowan, train dispatcher at Thief River Falls, has resumed work after an absence on account of illness.

Wm. Alexander, crew caller at Thief River Falls, has been relieved from duty on account of reduction of forces.

Operator D. C. Paine of the Thief River Falls station spent the week-

John Linde, car inspector at Thief River Falls, left for California yesterday evening. He will spend several weeks in the vicinity of Los Angeles, later going to Portland to visit a daughter, and will return to duty about the middle of March. Mr. Linde has been employed at railroading for about 30 years and is taking his first vacation in that length of time.

Oscar Linde, agent at Greenbush, was in Thief River Falls Monday enroute for Chicago, where he will visit a brother.

end with his family at Erskine.

A. L. Chapman has been appointed regular agent at Loma, relieving A. E. Swan, who goes to Fonda to relieve F. C. Chandler, who has been granted a leave of absence.

F. J. Gorman, cashier at Fordville, has been relieved on account of reduction of forces and transferred to Parkers Prairie as station helper.

M. L. Parsons, operator at Detroit, was a Thief River Falls visitor between trains on Monday.

G. W. Hawes, general agent for this territory, was in this city Tuesday.

B. Bergsten, relief operator, has been assigned to Carlos on account of the regular agent, E. B. Dickey, having been taken suddenly ill.

Loretta Dwyer, helper at Omemee, has been granted a two weeks leave of absence, being relieved by Mrs. H. G. Kraus.

R. P. Scott, warehouseman at Detroit, has been relieved from duty on account of reduction of forces.

Society and Club

Swedish Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish Mission church will be entertained by Mrs. B. D. Bjorkman, 117 Zeh street Wednesday Jan. 12th, at 2:30 p. m.

Entertains Bridge Club.

Mrs. F. J. Stebbins entertained the Bridge club at her home on Tuesday evening. Delicious refreshments concluded a most pleasant evening.

Delightful Hostess.

On New Years Eve, at her home, Mrs. Victoria McKinney entertained the members of the Tuesday Night Bridge club. A delicious lunch was served at the conclusion of the evening.

American Legion Dance.

Prominent among the social affairs of the holiday season was the dancing party given by the American Legion on Friday evening. It proved to be a very enjoyable event as well as a financial success.

Entertains at Bridge.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard pleasantly entertained six couples at bridge at her home, 105 St. Paul avenue south on Saturday evening. Misses Margaret Melgaard and Grace Wilson assisted the hostess in the service of a delicious lunch at midnight.

Dinner Party.

In compliment to her son, Morris, Mrs. P. W. Mabey entertained a few of his friends at dinner on New Years day. The guests were Misses Kathleen Ures and Maybelle Osthy, and Harold Smithers.

Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. W. A. Ziegler and Mrs. Gay Halvorson at the home of Mrs. Ziegler on 518 LaBree Ave. N., on Friday afternoon, Jan. 14. Lunch will be served promptly at 4:00 o'clock, followed by a business meeting.

Froseth-Mickelson.

The numerous friends of Perry Froseth of this city, will be surprised to learn of his marriage on Saturday to Miss Annette Mickelson of Glenwood at the latter place. The newlyweds will return to this city the first of next week to take up their residence.

Six O'clock Dinner.

Miss Lorraine Will entertained the following girls at a six o'clock dinner at her home, 220 Conley avenue on Wednesday evening: Lorraine Crandall, Lydia Dahlen, Pearl Weeks, Ruth Knutson, Muriel Loken, Lucille Curtis, Eleanor Erickson, Viola Burringrud and Elsie Burringrud.

Dinner Party.

Complimentary to her niece, Miss Kathleen Ures of Grand Forks, who was her guest over the holidays, Mrs. Victoria McKinney entertained the following at dinner Thursday evening: Misses Ures, Marguerite Burns, Maybelle Osthy, Charles Warner, Harold Smithers and Morris Mabey.

Dahl-Boe.

Edwin F. Dahl and Miss Edith Boe, both of this city, were married Thursday evening, Dec. 30, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, with Rev. Swegger, pastor of the church officiating. They left that evening on a brief wedding trip after which they will return to International Falls, where the groom is employed in the paper mill.

Entertains at Luncheon.

Honoring Misses Margaret Ristad of Binford, N. D., and Dorothy Loen of Radium, who were her guests, Mrs. C. O. Erickson entertained a few friends at a five o'clock luncheon on Tuesday afternoon at her home. The guests included Misses Gladys Nelson, Ruby Anderson, Ruby Jenson of Goodridge, Mrs. H. Froseth, Mrs. C. Nason and Mrs. Eric Holm of Roseau.

Girls Community Club to Meet.

The usual meeting of the Girls' Community club will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. An interesting program is being arranged by the committee and refreshments will be served by the H's. It is the urgent desire of the president, Miss Marie Nelson, that all members be present as important business matters will be discussed.

I. O. O. F. Installation.

A meeting of the Young Pine Lodge, No. 221, of the I. O. O. F. was held Tuesday evening at the Odd Fellows' hall. The officers were installed by E. M. Stanton, D. D. G. M. and are as follows: Noble grand, Carl Angell; vice grand, E. P. Burstad; recording secretary, Bernhard Knutson; financial secretary, Adolph Eklund; treasurer, John Hendry. Appointed officers: Right supporter N. G., Ole Hedalen; left supporter N. G., C. F. Erickson; supporters of vice grand, Christian Halvorson and H. W. Lazier; warden, Leonard Hanson; conductor, Geo. Swanson; chaplain, Arthur Berg; inside guardian, Henry McMahon; outside guardian, Wm. J. Danville.

Three new candidates received the Initiatory Degree. At the conclusion of the meeting lunch was served.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A regular meeting of the Woman's club was held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard acted as chairman of the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Daniel Shaw. During the business session which preceded the regular program it was decided to take care of two of the destitute children of Europe from the treasury funds, while donations from members or any outsider will be accepted to be used for the same purpose. Other important matters of business were also discussed. This was followed by a solo, "Little Boy Blue," Joyce, by Miss Meta Kiland. Mrs. Scott Laird led the Current Events discussion. The topic chosen was "Dress Reform in Columbia University." Mrs. Rayson read an interesting paper on the unveiling of the Belgium Memorial to Edith Cavell, held in London. Mrs. C. E. Glines read a paper on civic improvement. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard quoted statistics on the food situation in Europe. The fourth lesson on "Powers of Congress" was led by Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, after which the meeting adjourned.

Joint Installation.

A joint installation of the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges was held at the Masonic hall on Tuesday evening. Following the installation ceremonies a buffet luncheon was served and the remainder of the evening spent at cards and dancing.

Mrs. F. F. Haynes acted as installing officer for the Star and Mrs. Chas. Nason as marshall. Flowers were presented to Mrs. Haynes and to the retiring worthy patron, H. C. Johnson. The following were installed as Eastern Star officers:

Worthy matron, Miss Effie Hamry; worthy patron, H. C. Durrin; associate matron, Mrs. H. C. Johnson; conductor, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen; associate conductor, Miss Anna Quale; secretary, Mrs. A. Bottleson; treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Crandall; organist, Mrs. W. F. Ziegler; marshall, Miss Edna Larson; Ada, Miss Ida Tandberg; Ruth, Mrs. L. Manther; Esther, Mrs. J. E. Robinson; Martha, Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn; Electa, Mrs. J. L. Stitt; Warden, Mrs. H. C. Durrin; Sentinel, Edward Brevig.

The officers installed by the Masons were the following: Worshipful master, E. O. Berge; senior warden, Ray *Johnson; junior warden, Ray Spencer;* secretary, H. C. Durrin; treasurer, C. L. Hansen. The appointive offices will be filled at a later date.

Brown-Andrews.

A wedding of more than ordinary interest was solemnized on Thursday evening, Dec. 31, when Miss Ruth Kathryn Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown of this city, became the bride of Clarence Edward Andrews.

The wedding took place at 6:30 o'clock at the Presbyterian church, Rev. R. L. Barackman reading the service in the presence of 100 relatives and friends. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher sang, "O Promise Me" while Carl Sundahl sang, "Because." Holly and evergreen were used exclusively in the church decorations. The improvised altar was banked with evergreen and a large candlebra supporting tall burning tapers was the only adornment.

The ushers who headed the procession were Roy Brown, Charles Prichard, Elinor Overland and Ralph Rasmussen. They were followed by the bridesmaids, Misses Lucille Burns as maid of honor, Mary Prichard, Meta Kiland, all of this city, Zora Mae Rafferty of Minneapolis and Mildred Wood of Warren. They were attired in attractive frocks of organdie in pastel shades with tulle hats to match. Each carried a lovely basket of flowers. Little Jeanette Mogensen as flower girl, wore a charming pale blue frock, fashioned with rich lace. Her basket was filled with white blossoms. Master Theodore Braggens of Warren, dressed in white, carried the ring on a dainty white satin pillow in heart shape. The bride who entered with her father, who gave her in marriage, was met at the chancel steps by the groom and his best man, Norman Dybvik, a brother. Her gown was a lovely model of oyster white crepe elaborated with silver lace. She wore a beautiful hand embroidered parisienne veil caught about the coiffure with orange blossoms. The veil is a possesion of Mrs. Geo. Walker of Minneapolis, formerly of this city. Mrs. Andrews is the ninth bride to have worn it. The bridal bouquet was a shower arrangement of white Killarney roses and lilies of the valley.

The bridal party proceeded to the alter to the strains of Lohengrin's bridal march, played by Mrs. C. O. Erickson. The recessional was Mendelsohn's wedding march.

Immediately following the church service a reception was given at the Evelyn hotel. Vases of pink and white flowers were used on the table in the dining room. A large bride's cake graced the table at which the bridal party was served.

In the receiving line with the bride and bridegroom were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, the bride's parents and Mr. and Mrs. A. Dybvik, parents of the bridegroom. Mrs. Brown's gown was a creation of brown charmeuse with all-over lace, with which she wore a smart silver lace hat with ostrich trimming. Mrs. Dybvik wore an attractive gown of brown with accessories to match. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. A. Braggans and daughter Grace and son Theodore of Warren, Miss Zora Rafferty of Minneapolis and Miss Mildred Wood of Warren. Mr. Andrews and bride left that evening on the flier for the twin cities to spend their honeymoon, after which they will return here to make their future home.

Mrs. Andrews traveled in a dress of brown kittens ear crepe with close fitting hat of satin in corresponding shade. Oxfords, hose and gloves of *brown completed the costume.*

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, who have made their home in this city for the past year and a half on their return from Texas where they sojourned for nearly five years. Mr. Brown is one of the leading attorneys in this section of the state. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Dybvik of this city and is employed by the Mogenson Clothing Co. Their numerous friends here extend the heartiest congratulations.

YOUNG WOMEN GET BANK POSITIONS

Like all students of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., Misses Jewell Peterson and Stella Weitzel were taught from the start to strive for absolute accuracy. This quality prepared them to take bank positions immediately on graduating—the former with the State Bank of Hawley, the latter with the First National Bank of Plaza.

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A Special Flyer! 25 Ladies' outing flannel Night Gowns, at this sale, each
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Included in This Big January Sale

will go Handkerchiefs, Laces, Embroideries, Gloves, Mittens, Ladies' Neckwear, Christmas Novelties, Corsets, and many other articles too numerous to mention—all will be out on tables and counters handy to get at.

Radium Taffeta 36 in. Silks; $3.50 values at Half Price	$1.75
Fancy plaid and striped Messalines and Taffetas, values $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $4; all to go at	Half Price
36 in. pink and white Wash Satins; $3.00 values at only	$1.50
36 in. Messalines and 36 in. Taffetas, $3.50 values, now at half price	$1.75
$5.00 Cheney Bros. shower proof Foulards, at half price, now	$2.50
40 in. navy blue wool Tricotines, $2.00 values at only	$1.00
56 in. all wool Storm Serges, $3.50 values, in bown, black and navy, half price	$1.75
Heavy Bath Robe Materials, Special per yard	50c
36 in. English Percales; was 50c per yard; now per yard	25c
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Just Half Price

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$1.25 fine 36 in. Curtain material, now at per yard	62½c
65c fancy Apron Cretones, per yard only	32½c
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$4.85

$10 to $12 Ladies' and growing girls' Shoes, in patent, black and brown kid and calf, high and low heels, per pair
$7.85

$13 to $14 Ladies' Black and Brown Kid, military and Louis seels,
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$15 to $18 Ladies' Shoes. This includes all our high grade Queen Quality in brown, black and gray kid, military and Louis heels
$9.95

$9 to $10.50 Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, kid and calf skins, military and Louis heels
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$2.25 to $2.75 Children's Shoes, sizes 2 to 5
$1.58

$3.75 to $4.25 Children's kid and gun metal Shoes, sizes 8½ to 11
$2.78

$4.50 to $5.50 Misses Shoes in the brown and black
$3.85

RUBBERS AND OVERSHOES

Ladies' fleeced lined rubbers	95c
Ladies' low overshoes	$1.48
Ladies' one-buckle overshoes	$1.95
Ladies' two-buckle overshoes	$2.55
Ladies' three-buckle overshoes	$2.95
Four-buckle white wool lined	$3.95
Ten-button, white wool lined	$4.25
Children's fleeced line rubbers	69c-79c
Children's 1-buckle overshoes	$1.19-$1.29
Children's 2-buckle overshoes	$1.65-$1.95
Children's 3-buckle overshoes	$2.19-$2.49

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But NOW the price-bars are DOWN—way down to the bottom of what you dare hope until Summer at least. First, the manufacturers cut prices and accepted big losses, to create large January selling, and we have co-operated in the fullest degree by shaving down our own profits—for this big January event.

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City News

Stuart McLeod of Goodridge transacted business here on Friday.

Miss Selma Swenson of St. Hilaire shopped between trains here on Tuesday.

Ernest Zeh was a guest of friends at Fosston the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. Scholin of St. Hilaire visited with friends here the first of the week.

Miss Celia Saugen of Steiner visited with friends here the first of the week.

Dr. Spink of Middle River was a caller in this city the latter part of last week.

C. O. Elg of Goodridge arrived here on Monday evening to attend to matters of business.

Miss Lily Gunstad of St. Hilaire visited with friends in this city the first of the week.

Miss Ingaborg Dale of McIntosh is in the city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Ole Engelstad returned Monday evening from Warren where he spent a day visiting friends.

Ole Ose, residing near this city, spent Monday attending to business matters at Warren.

Gaston Ward left yesterday for Fargo to spend a few days attending to business matters.

Miss Lottie Austin is spending the week visiting at the home of her mother near Fosston.

Mrs. Wm. Mulry spent Friday at Goodridge as the guest of her friend, Mrs. R. H. McDonald.

Jordan Penney is spending the week in the twin cities as the guest of relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. E. Blomquist departed on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit relatives for a week.

Harry Frye returned yesterday from Crookston where he had visited with friends since Monday.

G. B. Melby returned to this city yesterday after a ten day visit with his parents at Minneapolis.

Reuben Teslow returned to Northfield Saturday evening to resume his studies at St. Olaf's college.

Mrs. R. Olson of Holt arrived here Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days as the guest of friends.

Miss Helen Weeks returned Monday evening to Northfield where she is attending St. Olaf's college.

Miss Evelyn Tessum returned Monday evening to Minneapolis where she is a student at the University.

Mrs. Louis Rueland of Holt arrived here yesterday to spend a few days as the guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. G. Turnbaugh of Goodridge spent Tuesday visiting her friend, Miss M. Hill, 416 Main avenue north.

S. C. Coumbe returned Thursday morning from the Twin Cities where he had spent a few days on business.

Miss Anna Kilen of Hazel spent a few days the first of the week as the guest of Miss Margaret Eichhammer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Olson left on Thursday for their home at Bagley, after a few days visit with relative here.

Miss Grace Wilson will leave tomorrow evening for Minneapolis to be the guest of friends for a period of a week.

Richard Aaker of Erie visited with friends here Monday enroute to Crookston, where he is attending the Agricultural college.

R. H. Ross returned Tuesday morning from a visit with relatives at Laverne. Mrs. Ross and son Richard will return the first of next week.

Miss Goldie Hill returned to Minneapolis where she teaches in the public schools, after a two weeks vacation spent in visiting her folks here.

Misses Mildred Jahr of Holt and Ruth Koepp of Middle River, were the guests of friends in this city on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt left on Monday evening for the Twin Cities to be the guest of relatives for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Olson of Goodridge arrived last Wednesday and spent a brief period visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Louise Erickson returned to Moorhead Monday afternoon after visiting at her home here for two weeks.

Morlan Bishop of Strathcona was a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop over New Year's.

Sen. and Mrs. O. A. Naplin left on Monday for St. Paul where they will remain during the session of the legislature.

Fillmore Malberg arrived here Friday afternoon from Steiner to visit friends in this city over Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Jevne arrived here on Tuesday afternoon from Strathcona and spent a day receiving medical attention.

Richard Posten, who is employed at Hibbing, spent the holiday vacation as the guest of his parents in this city.

Miss Elsie Vorseth departed on Tuesday morning for Rosewood to visit with relatives and friends for a few days.

Miss Mary Posten, who is a student at Hamline University, returned to Minneapolis on Monday to resume her studies.

Edward Kiland, who spent a week visiting his friend, Purl Anderson, at Greenbush, returned to his home here on Tuesday.

Francis McGinnity who had been visiting at his home here returned on Friday evening to Chicago where he is employed.

Miss Clara Pederson arrived Friday morning from Ada to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pederson.

Ray Jenson returned to his home at Goodridge Monday morning after visiting a few days with his friend, Robert McGinn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sande of Steiner were New Years guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Arnold Jackson spent New Years and Sunday visiting at his home at Ada. He returned to this city the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ebbighausen and children left Monday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Miss Hannah Hellquist of Rosewood is in the city this week as the guest at the home of her brother, C. E. Hellquist and family.

Miss Maybelle Osthy has returned to Northfield where she attends Carleton college, after spending her vacation at her home here.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson returned to Minneapolis Saturday evening after a two week's vacation. She is a student at Hamline University.

Ted Tandberg returned to his work at Goodridge on Monday morning, having spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of his folks.

Miss Hazel Haroldson arrived here Monday morning from Crookston to be the guest of her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, for a few days.

Miss Phyllis Curtis returned to Northfield to take up her studies at Carleton college after a two week's vacation at her home here.

Mrs. J. Burkee of Seattle, Wash., is in the city as the guest of Mrs. Anna Langseth. Mrs. Burkee resided here a number of years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Granville and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Proctor, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nason last week.

Miss Olive Patterson of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Friday between trains. She was accompanied by Miss Mildred Fellman.

Elinor Overland left Monday evening for Minneapolis to spend a day before continuing to Northfield to resume his studies at St. Olaf's.

Miss Mary Prichard left Monday evening for Minneapolis where she is a student at the University, after a visit in this city with her parents.

Roy Flattum returned to Northfield Monday evening to continue his studies at St. Olaf's college, after spending the holidays at his home here.

Miss Maude Edwards visited with friends here on Friday enroute from Viking where she had been the guest of friends, to her home at Roseau.

Lester Hudson returned to his home at New Rockford, N. D., Monday evening after spending a few days as the guest of Miss Merrian Miller.

Miss Ann Tharaldson, who teaches at Fosston, returned to that place on Monday evening after spending a two weeks vacation visiting her mother.

Miss Florence Aalberg returned to Erskine Monday evening to continue her duties as domestic science instructor after a two week's vacation.

Roy and Bernard Barzen left Monday afternoon for Milwaukee to continue their studies at Marquette University, after a two week's vacation.

Miss Alexandra Tharaldson left on Tuesday morning for Sebeka, where she teaches school. She had spent two weeks visiting her mother in this city.

Stanton Dahlen returned to Northfield on Monday evening after spending two weeks visiting his parents in this city. He attends St. Olaf's college.

Miss Lois Wold returned to her home at Grand Forks Friday afternoon after spending a few days in this city as the guest of Miss Lucille Burns.

Leland Schuster who spent two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schuster, has returned to Grand Forks to resume his work at the University.

Mrs. H. G. Hieber and little daughter are expected to return the first of the week from Sioux Falls, S. D., where they have been visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown returned Monday morning from Bronson and Emerson where they visited with friends and relatives over the New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson and two sons returned to their home here on Monday evening from Rosewood, where they visited over New Years with relatives.

Miss Agnes Tandberg returned to Northfield Monday evening to continue her studies at St. Olaf's, after spending the holidays as a guest at her home here.

Miss Josie Weeks, who spent the holidays visiting with her parents, departed Thursday afternoon for Watertown, S. D., where she is instructor in the public schools.

Alfred Hermanson left last week for Duluth where he will enter the Duluth Business college. Mr. Hermanson had spent the holidays visiting his parents here.

Wm. Bakke came down from Holt Friday to spend New Years as the guest of friends in this city. He also attended the Legion dance at the Auditorium that evening.

Miss Gena Nerhus arrived here on Monday evening from Viking where she visited over New Years with her folks, to continue her work at the Minnesota Candy Kitchen.

Harold McClelland arrived here on Friday afternoon from Gatzke to visit over New Years with his sister, Mrs. O. A. Naplin. He returned to his home the first of the week.

Miss Alice Hall arrived here Tuesday afternoon from her home at Middle River to receive dental treatment. While here she was the guest of her cousin, Miss Elsie Granum.

Miss Lucille Burns returned to Cambridge Saturday evening to resume her duties in the public schools. Enroute she will be the guest of Miss Ardith Arpin in Minneapolis.

Miss Esther Sundahl left Saturday evening for Bronson where she is teaching school after a two week's vacation spent in visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Sundahl.

Miss Harriet Anderson, who had spent a ten day vacation visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson, returned to Cheyenne, N. D., to continue her term of teaching.

Miss Evangeline Burns returned to Lakota, N. D., to take up her duties as teacher in the high school, after spending two weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Miss Zora Rafferty who officiated as bridesmaid at the Brown-Andrews wedding, left Friday morning for Warren to continue her visit before returning to her home at Minneapolis.

Miss Frances Holzknecht, who spent the holiday vacation as the guest of her parents, left Monday morning for Angus to resume her duties as teacher in a rural school near that place.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she is a student at the University, after spending her vacation visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy and baby were guests at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Kisch, over New Year's. They returned to their home at Steiner Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams and daughter Helen, who spent the holidays at the home of Mrs. McWilliams at Hampton, Ia., returned to their home in this city on Thursday morning.

Miss Kathleen Ures, who spent a week as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Victoria McKinney, returned to her home at Grand Forks on Friday. Miss Ures is a student at the University.

Miss Leona Knox who spent the holidays as the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. T. McFarland, returned to her home at Fisher on Monday. Miss Knox teaches in her home town this term.

Miss Avis Akre, who spent two weeks as the guest at her home here returned to Little Falls the first of the week to resume her duties as instructor of mathematics in the high school.

Mrs. Harry Fredericks arrived the latter part of last week from her home at Bremerton, Wash., to spend an indefinite time as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Phil Bryant returned to Superior on Saturday morning after a three days visit with friends here. While in the city he was the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Miss Ruby Anderson left Monday evening for Oberlin, Ohio, where she will resume her studies in music, after spending two weeks in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

Miss Josie Weeks who had visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks during the holiday season, returned to South Dakota on Friday afternoon to resume her duties as teacher.

Miss Sylvia Pearson, who spent a few days in this city as the guest of Miss Mae Olson, departed on Monday evening for Minneapolis where she will be the guest of relatives for a few weeks.

Clarence Ringham, who before his arrival here to spend the holiday vacation, was employed at Duluth, departed Friday evening for Chicago where he will enter the Chicago Technical college.

Miss Mirriam Bishop returned the first of the week to Minneapolis to resume her studies at the University, after spending the holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holmgren arrived here Thursday evening from Rosewood to attend the family reunion of the Prichard family on New Year's day. They returned to their home the first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Elofrun spent a few days the latter part of last week as the guest of relatives. On New Years day she attended a family reunion at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nils Lawson.

James Prichard returned on Monday evening to Minneapolis where he is a student at the University, after spending the holiday vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Earl Baker who spent the holidays as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker, returned on Monday afternoon to Minneapolis to resume his course in motor mechanics at Dunwoody Institute.

Miss Goldie Stebbins, who spent the holiday vacation as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, returned the first of the week to Eureka, S. D., to continue her duties as teacher in the high school.

Miss Marguerite Burns returned to Grand Forks Monday afternoon to take up her studies at the University after a two weeks vacation spent in visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sandvold of Ada arrived Friday morning to spend the holidays at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pederson. Mrs. Sandvold was formerly Miss Christine Pederson.

Miss Sarah Vaughan returned to Goodridge on Tuesday morning to resume her work as instructor in the school at that place. She spent the holidays as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Daniel Shaw, in this city.

Miss Margaret Patterson of St. Hilaire, accompanied by Jeanette Mogensen of this city, who had been her guest for a few days, arrived yesterday morning. The former returned to her home on the afternoon train.

Mrs. W. A. Braggans, accompanied by her daughter Grace and son Theodore, returned to their home at Warren Friday morning after attending the wedding of Miss Ruth Brown to Clarence Andrews Thursday evening.

Miss Mildred Wood returned to her home at Warren on Friday morning after spending a day in this city as the guest of Miss Ruth Brown. While here she acted as bridesmaid at the wedding of the latter on Thursday evening.

Swen Swenson, accompanied by his daughters, Olivia and Geneva, spent a few days last week as guests at the homes of Mrs. S. Brandon and Mrs. Johanna Nyhus. They returned to their home at Rosewood the first of the week.

Misses Nora and Pauline Holmes returned to Sioux Falls, S. D., the first of the week to resume their work as teacher and stenographer respectively. They had spent their vacation visiting with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. O. H. Ryan and baby visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Thoreson at Rosewood on Thursday. On her return to this city she was accompanied by her sister, Miss Esther Thoreson, who will visit at her home indefinitely.

Miss Dorothy Loen arrived here on Monday evening from her home at Radium where she spent the holidays and visited for a brief period with friends here, leaving Tuesday morning for Trail to take up her work as teacher in the public school.

Miss Gudrun Rice who is employed at St. Cloud and spending a two weeks vacation visiting at the home of her parents at Plummer, visited with friends here between trains on Monday evening. Miss Rice formerly attended high school in this city.

Miss Ruth Ringham who attends Anker's business college at Grand Forks spent the holidays in this city as the guest of relatives. She returned to the above named place Monday afternoon. She was accompanied by Miss Alma Thune who is also a student at Anker's business college and who spent the holidays visiting her parents who reside near Hazel.

Reclassification of Cilerk Pay Urged by Steenerson

A bill further to reclassify the salaries of postal employees, "on an equitable basis," has been introduced by Representative Halvor Steenerson of Minnesota, chairman of the committee on postoffices and postroads. "Owing to decisions of the controller of the treasury and rulings of the postoffice department, the law passed last June has been given a meaning contrary to its purpose," said Mr. Steenerson. "Special clerks whose salaries were fixed at $1,900 and $2,000 have been actually reduced to $1,500 because the department has set a limit of the latter amount on men engaged in distribution. Other inequalities have resulted which are to be corrected if my bill passes."

Churches

Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school and bible class at 11:45. Evening services at 7:45.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Catechumen class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. English divine services at 11 a. m., Sunday; Norwegian divine services, 7:45; Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Choir practice every Thursday evening at 7:30. Annual meeting of Ladies' Aid Thursday, Jan. 6. Annual business meeting of the congregation, Tuesday Jan. 18, at 2 o'clock.

S. D. A. Mission, Library basement. Meetings every Saturday afternoon at two o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30. We are now beginning a new series of subjects and we invite the Scandinavian public to attend. Subject for Sunday evening, Jan. 8th: "One Bible, But Many 'Sects,' What is Truth?" The following Sunday evening Jan. 15th the subject will be: "The Free Gift of Salvation; how do we Obtain it?"

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Jan. 9. 10 a. m. Sunday school. Classes have been provided for all that can attend. Special work for adults in the Bible class. 11 a. m., morning worship, "The Glory." 8 p. m., evening worship, "Spirited Ancestry." The junior choir will provide the special music for the evening service. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. Subject, "The Most Helpful Passages in the Bible."

Swedish Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at St. Hilaire next Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at the Eastside schoolhouse and Sunday at 11 a. m. at the same place. Sunday evening at St. Hilaire at 7:30. E. B. Swanson of Minneapolis will speak at Black River the 11th, 12th and 13th at 7:30 p. m. and at St. Hilaire the 14th at 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor — Sunday morning, German services 10:30. Sunday school 9:30. Bible class Thursday 8 p. m. Annual meeting of voting members Tuesday evening, 7:30, Jan. 11th.

The Ladies' Aid in the city meets Wednesday afternoon with the pastor in the church basement. All members should make an effort to be present at 3 o'clock. Election of officers takes place. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Engelbart.

Christian Science—Services are held at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Sacrament." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. Services in English at 7:45 p. m. Zion Ladies' aid will give extra day for Augsburg Seminary Thursday, Jan. 11th at 2 p. m.

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Lecturer Delivers Forceful Address

A lecture entitled "Christian Science: A Study in Causation," was delivered by Mary G. Ewing, C. S. B., at the Princess theatre on Tuesday evening. The theatre was filled almost beyond capacity. Miss Ewing is a member of the board of lectureship of the mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston. Her forcefully delivered lecture is summarized in the following:

"The great French lexicographer, Larousse, defines metaphysics as 'knowledge of first causes and of first principles' and in this sense Christian Science is exact, accurate, demonstrable metaphysics. Mrs. Eddy gave its keynote when she wrote, 'Spiritual causation is the one question to be considered.'

"Our false theories about life and its origin have led us to accept material beliefs about all things, and we have named our mistaken sense of substance, matter, and accepted as real and inevitable its phenomena. Having accepted a false premise, it is impossible to make any correct or reliable deduction, and so it is absolutely necessary to get back to the truth about life itself, in order to have any basis for right reasoning.

"The great mission of Christian Science is to teach us to think accurately, independently, spontaneously, and to reason honestly from the standpoint of understanding of true causation. This ability to think clearly and correctly, which is ours as a God-given capacity, enables us to understand the law of divine Principle and so to detect and uncover the falsity of the phenomena which are contrary to divine Principle; it also arms us with power to dispose of such phenomena in proportion to our understanding of their ephemeral and unreal character.

"Now disease is one of these phenomena which lays great claims upon our daily experience and holds the human race in bondage, and I know that I am right in saying that health will never be gained nor will it ever be maintained by any system that fails to eradicate disease. It is unquestionably true that the very foundation of all discordant human conditions lies in a mistaken sense of the source of life itself. Jesus meant this when he said, 'It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing,' and today in the accurate and systematic teaching of our Christian Science text book, we have the explanation of the rule Jesus laid down and the necessary guidance for its proper application to our every need.

"Back of all manifestation of evil lies the false supposition of an evil intelligence, of a mind opposed to God and this false supposition, utterly untrue and inactive as it really is, is still the only source for that which seems to be malicious, destructive, hateful and hating, and from this suppositítious source spring all the principalities and powers of materialism,—the tyranny and domination of sensual and selfish aims and purposes. I urge upon you the persistent refutation of this calumny of error from the standpoint of the utter falsity of its origin,—from the standpoint of the absolute, scientific knowledge of Life. In this process of acknowledging Truth and denying and correcting error we discover that knowing of the truth which is to make us free, and through this educational process which Christian Science demands we are led to reject promptly and positively the suggestions of disease, of poverty and sin and fear of death.

The true brotherhood of man, real democracy,—these are ideas of Mind which are to be understood and demonstrated, and for this reason Christian Science undoubtedly affords the only consistent and permanent solution of the problems of labor and capital, of temperance and social reform, of the equal rights and responsibilities of men and women, of civil, religious, and racial liberty. The liberator is Love and Love alone, but not a weak and erring, sensual affection that selfishly condones or ignores the claim of evil. That alone is worthy the name of love that is identified with Principle,—that is keen and searching and unfailing in its detection of wrong, and unswerving in its demand upon the individual to separate himself from evil and walk uprightly. The sacrifice of false sense, of wayward will and lust for personal power and glory is demanded repeatedly by Love; but in reward for obedience to this demand, Love bestows the crowning reward of sonship in the kingdom of God. This is the proof of the healing efficacy of Christian Science and it is applicable to every detail of human experience in the life of the individual and of the nation.

"We can never show too grateful a love, too humble an appreciation of the mighty spirit and the tender compassion which impelled Mrs. Eddy to seek and to gain this great gift of knowledge, and to pour it, a veritable balm, into the hearts of the waiting world. In the beginning she had to beg and beseech, with tears running down her cheeks, to be permitted to help the afflicted out of their sufferings, but today the warm and pulsating affection of tens of thousands of those resurrected from sin and disease bear witness to her magnificent achievement. We love and reverence her for her purity and devotion t good, for her self-abnegation and h generous and loving sacrifice for o welfare, for the keenness of her v ion and her intuitive grasp of t deep things of Mind. We pay h homage and acknowledge her abs lutely unique place in the world's hi tory as the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science and we heed both the spirit and the letter of her car est admonition, 'Follow your Lead only as far as she follows Christ.'

Dr. Vistaunet Returns.

Dr. P. L. Vistaunet returned this week from Chicago where he has just completed a post graduate course at the Cook County hospital, Dr. Lindlahr's college and sanitarium of Natural Therapeutics and the Dr. Howard College of Chiropractic. He intends to again locate permanently in Thief River Falls as soon as suitable quarters can be secured.

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Without health, life itself becomes merely a listless, aimless state of existence.

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$38.75

Kuppenheimer, Hirsh-Wickwire and Kirschbaum $45, $50 and $55 suits, a complete line.

$31.75

Leather Top Rubbers

Men's "Bullseye" white sole leather top rubbers; these are the best made and are sold regularly at $5.00 to $5.50. While they last **$2.95**

All sizes

"Ball Band" 4-buckle Overshoes

Sold regularly at $5.00 and $5.50. These are the genuine Ball Band. Also some U. S. Rubber Brand, finest quality. While they last only **$3.49**

All sizes

Heavy Socks

Men's heavy grey woolen Socks worth $1 per pair. While they last, pair **59c**

Men's Socks

Engine and Trainmen's blk Socks worth 35c, now only **19c**

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

Every shoe in the house will be sold at a greatly reduced price. Any shoe not out on display will be sold at 25% off from regular prices. Six styles of men's extra fine high grade dress shoes in mahogany, Russia calf and black kid stock; bal and blucher lasts. A shoe that sells regularly at $15.00. Your choice now

$7.95

Any $10.00 men's Dress Shoe, now only $6.50

Any $7.50 men's Dress Shoe, now only $5.50

All Other Shoes at 25% to 33 1-3% Off.

Boys' Shoe Pacs, real water-proof leather, $5.00 values, now **$3.65**
Sizes up to 8

STOCKINGS

Children's heavy ribbed cotton stockings, regular at 35c **19c**

$12 sweaters 7.95 3.50 sweaters 2.35
all other sweaters 25 to 33 per cent off

FUR CAPS

Men's Alaska Seal Skin Caps, $25.00 grade now $15.95
$17.50 Alaska Seal Skin Caps now $10.95
$10 Coney and Muskrat Caps now $5.95
Men's Scotch Caps now $ 1.25

CAPS

$1.00 Caps now	$ .65
$1.50 Caps now	$ .95
$2.00 Caps now	$1.35
$2.50 Caps now	$1.75
$3.00 Caps now	$1.95
$3.50 Caps now	$2.45
$4.00 Caps now	$2.75
$4.50 Caps now	$2.95
$5.00 Caps now	$3.25
$6.00 Caps now	$3.95

HATS

All Hats Must Go Now

$12.00 Hats now	$7.95
$ 9.00 Hats now	$6.50
$ 8.00 Hats now	$5.95
$ 7.00 Hats now	$4.65
$ 6.00 Hats now	$3.95
$ 5.00 Hats now	$2.95
$ 4.00 Hats now	$2.65
$ 3.00 Hats now	$2.25

DRESS GLOVES

About 6 dozen men's fine high grade Dress Gloves in brown, greys, tans of cape kid, suede and horsehide. These gloves sell regularly at $3.50 to $4.50. While they last, per pair

$2.45

Pick them out for yourself.

Men's Dress Shirts

Our entire stock of fine high grade Dress Shirts, Beau Brummels, Huron Brand and McDonald makes, in many beautiful stripes and colors.

$2.50 and $3.00 DRESS SHIRTS	$3.50 and $4.00 DRESS SHIRTS	$4.50 and $5.00 DRESS SHIRTS
$1.75	$2.65	$2.95

FLANNEL SHIRTS

Men's fine Flannel Shirts, in browns, blues, greys and tan.

$3.00 Shirt	$2.25
$3.50 Shirt	$2.65
$4.00 Shirt	$2.85
Boys' wool shirt $3 val.	2.25

SHIRTS

McDonald Shirts, dark blue with white polka dot; soft collar attached; also with 2 separate colors; made coat style; full cut, regular price $3.00. While they last

$2.25

"Red Seal" McDonald union made Work Shirts, full cut, a regular $2.00 value **99c**

SATURDAY, JAN. 8th, will be a banner day at this Sale. Be on hand and get your share of the Bargains offered.

NECKWEAR

$ .50 Neckties	$ .37
$ .75 Neckties	$ .50
$1.00 Neckties	$ .65
$1.50 Neckties	$ .95
$2.00 Neckties	$1.55
$3.00 Neckties	$2.35
$3.50 Neckties	$2.65

Store Open
Until 9 O'clock
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E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good.

EVERYTHING IN THE
STORE MUST GO
AND PRICES
WILL BE MADE
TO GET THE CASH!

Koveralls

Regular $2.00 grade
now
$1.25

Neighborhood Notes

GERMANTOWN

Tillie Ristau was a guest at the Habedank home Sunday.

John Philipp and daughter, Edna, left for Thief River Falls on Friday returning home on Saturday.

Albert Johnson was a Mavie caller on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau and son, Henry, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hintze, were entertained at the John Aandahl home Friday evening.

Burnice and Howard Strubel called at the Chester Boyce home Saturday.

Misses Louise and Annie, and Edwin Rossette and Salve Tharaldson were Sunday guests at the M. Lindwick home.

Oleander Johnson was a caller at the Amund Johnson home Monday.

Milton Nelson left for Warren Wednesday where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Strubel and family spent Tuesday evening at the A. Ristau home.

Albert Johnson was a Mavie caller Friday.

Miss Anna Kotlan left for Thief River Falls Wednesday where she will visit with relatives and friends.

H. Naben called at the Hans Jorstad home Friday evening.

Misses Nettie and Silvia Bendickson were Monday evening guests at the L. Rossette home.

Detlef Dau left for the John Kast home Monday evening where he will be employed.

Martin Overby spent a few days of last week visiting friends at Jelle.

Milton and Lawrence Nelson visited at the Henry Langevan home Tuesday evening.

Anton and Oscar Overby were callers at the Hovelson home Saturday.

Melvin and Helen Longevan were guests at the L. Bendickson home last Thursday.

Mrs. Overby spent Thursday and Friday at the Stokke home.

Bernard Bendickson was a Germantown caller one day last week.

Clara Overby returned from Jelle Thursday after having visited in that community during the Christmas holidays.

Burton and Lawrence Nelson were guests at the H. Longevan home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoken Naben spent Sunday afternoon at the Martin Johnson home.

Lawrence and Burton Nelson spent Sunday evening at the L. Bendickson home.

Miss Anna Kotlan returned Sunday to resume her duties as teacher in School Dist. No. 120.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Haggy and daughter, Nettie, visited at the Norlund home Sunday.

Hans Dahl was a Goodridge caller on Thursday last week.

Detlef Dau called at the W. Wayne home one day last week.

NUMEDAL

Norval and Clarence Johnson and George Bugge autoed to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

A number of young folks were entertained at the C. Brateng home last Thursday evening.

Thure Blomberg was a business caller at Viking Friday.

Oscar Olson assisted Soren Knutson haul wood last week.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening to meet his brothers, Hjalmer and Herman, who came up from Erskine to spend New Year's with their home folks.

Mrs. G. Ronning and family spent New Years day visiting at the P. Bugge home.

David Samuelson assisted S. Knutson with butchering one day last week.

Conrad Ronning visited at the Forslund home the forepart of last week.

Albert and Agnes Forslund were Viking shoppers one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son, Winton, were Sunday callers at the Olaf Larson home.

George Bugge, Conrad Ronning and Miss Agnes Forslund were among those who took in the dance at Viking Saturday evening.

Thure and Hjalmer Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Monday to attend to business matters the latter leaving for Erskine Tuesday morning where he is employed with the Builders and Bridge constructors of the Soo line.

George Bugge was busy sawing wood at Knutson's and Larson's last Monday and Tuesday.

DEER PARK

Carl Magnell of Mayfield was a business caller at Oklee last Monday.

Ben Kviste of Highlanding took in the sights of Goodridge last Friday.

T. O. Langlie and wife were business callers at Oklee last Monday.

Mrs. Tom Florence of Hickory entertained the members of the Ladies Aid last Wednesday.

Would Reclaim Valuable Lands.

Frank Anderson and son, Oscar, were out circulating a petition last Monday and Tuesday in support of the bill now before congress (H. H.-14311) calling for the drainage of lands and the dredging of the Clearwater and Red Lake rivers. If this bill should pass it will mean wonders to the northern part of the state. It will not only be the means of placing an unlimited acreage of wild land at the disposal of homeseekers, but it will restore thousands of acres that have heretofore been useless.

Cats Get Jones' Goat.

We don't very often tell tales out of school, but this is one on Jones, and we are going to violate the rules.

J. R. Jones or better known as old Horse Jockey Jones, is one of these old fellows who doesn't believe in ghosts, or that it is anything suspicious about the killing of a cat. The other day he made away with a bunch of cats, and afterwards bragged a little of the fact that when he undertook to do a thing he always did a good job, and then again at the supper table he touched upon the subject and said that some people dislike very much to do this job, but it never troubled him in the least to do it. Old Jones being a little forgetful at times started upstairs to go to bed without the aid of a lantern and lo and behold, he happened to step on the tail of a cat that he didn't know was there. The old cat let out a meow that nearly sent old Jones through the roof. Jones in his bewilderment didn't dare to move or light a match to satisfy himself whether it was one of the supposedly dead cats or a ghost that was after him. He finally spied the old cat setting on the floor still treating her bruised tail, and he worked up enough courage to reach the bed. The next morning he came down as usual but only a little bit paler than customary. Anyway he related the incident and said: "I never was as scared in all my 81 years of earthly existence as I was last night." If you have any cats to kill don't ask Jones to do it. He says this "scare of his life" settles the cat killing question with him once and for all.

GOODRIDGE

A. T. Nelson of Highlanding went to Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

J. T. Tiegland of Grygla, was in town Friday enroute to Minneapolis where he will attend a buttermakers' school.

F. B. Robinson and son, Myrom, were business callers in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Gunder Erickson was in Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Olson were Thief River Falls callers Wednesday.

C. A. Kjos of Highlanding was a passenger to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ole Ostby was in town between trains calling on his customers.

Ellard Iverson was in Thief River Falls Thursday having dental work done.

George Wold returned Friday from North Dakota where he has been visiting for a few days.

Oliver Tommerdahl of Erie, left for Thief River Falls Friday where he will attend to business.

Ed. Albas was in town Friday enroute to Crookston to attend to business matters.

Stuart McLeod went to Thief River Falls Friday to attend to business matters. He returned Friday.

Henry Olson arrived from Thief River Falls Thursday and left for Esplee to visit his parents.

F. B. Conklin returned to Thief River Falls after visiting several days at the McLeod home.

M. Mutnansky left Thursday for Thief River Falls where he had business matters to attend to.

Wm. Gaylord was a business caller at Thief River Falls Friday.

E. G. Wright returned from a business trip to North Dakota Friday.

Mrs. Ed. Sheldrew and son, Vernon, of Grygla, were in town Thursday enroute to Balwin, Wis., to visit relatives.

Miss Gunda Stemon was in town Thursday on her way to Fargo, where she is employed at the Sanatorium. She has been visiting her parents east of Grygla.

Miss Mildred Seavey arrived Thursday from New Rockford, N. D., where she is in training for a nurse, and will visit relatives and friends for a while.

Will Limesand was a caller in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Matt Skogstad of Germantown was a passenger to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Thorson were visitors in Thief River Falls from Tuesday evening until Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Wm. Guerrault went to Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Mulry of Thief River Falls was a guest at the R. H. McDonald home Friday.

Henry Eide was in town Friday attending to business.

Neilus Nelson returned to Thief River Falls Friday after visiting several days at the home of his sister, Mrs. M. G. Thorson. His two nieces, Esther and Vivian Thorson, accompanied him.

Ted Tandberg returned Monday from Thief River Falls where he visited the home of his folks over New Years.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen returned Friday from Thief River Falls after several days' visit at the A. Anderson home.

In spite of the extremely cold weather and snow the trucks from Grygla have been making regular trips.

J. A. McNally shipped a carload of cattle and hogs to South St. Paul Saturday.

The people of Goodridge were unduly alarmed New Years day when smoke was discovered coming from the Tollefson-Olson garage. It was found to be a blanket which had caught fire from the radiator of a car.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Gunderson and son, Reuben, were business callers in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

H. W. Protzeller was in town Wednesday evening between trains.

J. P. Jensen was a caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday night, returning home Thursday morning.

E. D. Stanton and daughter were in town Wednesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Henry Rockne has accepted a school in the Tommerdahl district northeast of Erie.

I. J. Lysbakken was a caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Carl O. Elg of Erie, was a business caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Miss Gulda Gilbertson was in Thief River Falls Monday having her glasses repaired.

Ray Jensen returned Monday evening from Thief River Falls where he visited over Sunday with Bobby McGinn.

Miss Gladys Wilson and friend, Henry Thoe of Devils Lake, N. D., returned from Grygla Monday morning where they were guests of Miss Wilson's parents over New Years.

Mrs. Carl Thieb returned to Valley City, N. D., Tuesday. Her sister, Miss Hilda Holte and Miss Bertine Rue accompanied her.

Mrs. John Kast and infant son, returned home from Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Morlan Bishop was in town Monday morning between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson returned to Thief River Falls Monday evening after spending the holidays at the W. P. T. ranch with the Turnbull families.

J. P. Jensen left for Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Baker Olson came down from Grygla Monday morning.

H. O. Berve of Germantown was in town Saturday enroute to Thief River Falls.

P. O. Tredt and E. L. Dahl have been busy the past four days installing the new switch board at the mill. When everything is in running order the storage batteries can be charged and we will have longer light service.

Rev. Lutz went to Thief River Falls Monday evening to attend to business matters.

Miss Ida Franzman was in town on Monday afternoon on her way to Solway, where she teaches school. She has been visiting her parents near Grygla during the holidays.

William Watson of Grygla was in town Monday night. He returned home Tuesday.

Wm. Paskewitz of Grygla was in town Tuesday on business.

The Norwegian Lutheran church held confirmation services Saturday, Jan. 1st. There were eleven boys and girls in the class.

Henry Lein was a passenger to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

John Prucha was a business caller in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Jim Turnbaugh was in Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Miss Sarah Vaughan arrived Tuesday from Thief River Falls where she has been spending her vacation.

A. W. Hanson left Tuesday for Thief River Falls where he had business matters to attend to.

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Dec. 28, 1920.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of Dec. 14th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Froseth, that the rental of the Auditorium to the Women's Club for the Lyceum Course be changed to $12.00 per evening for 5 entertainments and that all expense in connection be paid by the Club. Motion carried.

Moved by Ness, seconded by Froseth, that the Plumber's license of C. J. Brown be granted. Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None. Motion declared carried.

Moved by Brandon, seconded by Ness, that the request of the Library Board for an increase in salary for the janitor of the Library, making the salary $50.00 per month for the months from Nov. 1st to April 1st, and $40.00 for the balance of the year. Motion carried.

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution accepting the proposal of the Capital Trust & Savings Bank of St. Paul for services in connection with the issuance of paving certificates. (See Resolution)

On motion duly seconded the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held December 28, 1920, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the proposal of the Capital Trust and Savings Bank of St. Paul, dated the 27th day of December, 1920, wherein said bank agrees to furnish the city of Thief River Falls, its services in connection with the issuance of paving certificates under the current paving project of the city, be and the same hereby is, accepted, and the mayor and chairman of the Council and city clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute an acceptance of said proposal.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 1, 1921.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Dec. 28, 1920, Alderman S. Brandon, and seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Payroll, Fire Dept.	$325.00
Street Commissioner's payroll	184.10
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	5.10
City Auditorium, wood	8.50
Paul Midderigh, fire warden services	21.50
John H. Meyers, labor	1.00
A. W. Brink, boiler inspection	7.00
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	.80
John H. Ley, directories	12.00
Charles Johnson, gravel	15.00
Auditorium Fund.	
A. W. Brink, boiler inspection	5.00
John H. Meyers, labor	1.00
T. R. Grocery Co., supplies	1.10
Poor Fund.	
City Auditorium, wood	25.50
Erick Norberg, sawing wood	1.50
Chas. Shirley, hauling wood	1.00
J. H. Meyers, labor	2.00
Water & Light Dept., wringer	2.25
Hall Bros., supplies	14.90
A. E. Zellmer, groceries	20.13
Library Fund.	
John H. Meyers, hauling wood	2.00
Electric Light Fund.	
John H. Meyers, labor	.75
Mike Welch, labor	9.00
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	126.72
N. W. Electric Equip. Co., supplies	118.18
Duluth Electric Co., supplies	18.30
General Electric Co., supplies	7.79
Power Equipment Co., supplies	15.45
Kelley Duluth Co., supplies	2.74
Bottem Hdwe. Co., supplies	[illegible]
Western Electric Co., supplies	3.12
The Elliott Co., supplies	[illegible]
John H. Ley, directory	4.00
Citizens State Bank, fuel oil	503.53
Soo Line, freight on fuel oil	435.43
Waterworks Fund.	
The Fritz-Cross Co., register	63.27

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 1, 1921.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Minnie Hard, also known as Mina Hoard.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie Hard, also known as Mina Hoard, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to A. C. Mathison, Ragna Mathison, Minnie Mathison, John Mathison, Alice M[illegible], [illegible] Shetler, John E. Mathison, Henry W. Hoard, Minton Hoard, Lilly Hoard, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Henry W. Hoard having been filed in this Court, representing that Mina Hoard, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 11th day of December, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Henry W. Hoard and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of December, 1920.

IRA C. RICHARDSON,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
[illegible]

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred Two and 40-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, his wife, Mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of August, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of August, 1919, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 541, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Government Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) and the South half of the Southeast Quarter (S½ of SE¼) and the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) all in Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of January, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2402.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 13th, A. D. 1920.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
(12-23-30-1-6-13-20)

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave. N. 94tf

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2600 lbs.; one 750 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Guernsey bull. Geo. L. Sterns. 98tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls, one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Welner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 98tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St Hilaire.—P O Myhrum, Thief River Falls Minn 81tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P O Myhrum, Thief River Falls Minn 81tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route 73tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P O Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 90tf

FOR SALE—Two spring boars. These are the big type, weighing 300 lbs. A few bred gilts and sows. If you are looking for big type Poland Chinas, I have them and at prices you can afford to pay. Recorded pedigrees furnished and all animals guaranteed. North Star Stock Farm, Jas. Dreelan, Prop., Wylie, Minn. 104p

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats at 75 cents per bushel. Write or call Thure Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 103tf

FOR SALE—One bred sow. Huber Buck, R 3, City. 105p

FOR SALE—One pair of peacocks, ten dollars. Lars Olsa, Route 2, Karlstad, Minn. 104p

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 15 cents per pound. Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls. 103tf

FOR SALE or will consider [illegible] modern residence in Thief River Falls, [illegible] section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well, 1½ miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Potatoes, the White Carmen No. 3; will deliver any quantity from 4 bu. to 1000, in city, 75c per bu. Inquire Zeh & Curran Store. 104tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land in Beltrami county, Minn. Might consider a Ford as part payment. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls, Minn. R 1. Bx A9 [illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR [illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new Howell well drilling machine, complete with all tools; also one new 4 H. P. gas engine. Call or address Sheaf Bros., Warren, Minn. 104

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store 98tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 87tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, 801 Main Ave. N. [illegible]

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 417 Zeh St. 99tf

FOR RENT—Three steam-heated rooms with heat, light and water furnished. Enquire at City Bakery. 104

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make some money the coming year. Owner going away. Write The Times. 104tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. A real money maker. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make money the coming year. Owner going away. Write Times. 104tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED, SALESMEN—Must have an automobile. Need not be away from home nights. We want a man unafraid of hard work with selling experience in small towns and country districts. To such a man we offer a high grade selling position that will pay from $50 to $150 weekly. Stetson Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 104p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Enquire at Salveson's Studio. 104tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. Chas. Lieberman, 313 West Fourth Street. 104

LOST

LOST—In or near auditorium on Friday evening, key to Yale lock, wrapped in lady's handkerchief. Kindly return to Times office. 104tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on a farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 58tf

REGISTERED BOAR—Anyone wishing the services of a registered Poland China boar may bring sows to Ralph Mayhew's place 1 mile north, and ½ mile east of [illegible] 104p

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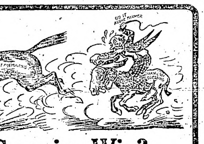

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A Christ-Child Story.

The following is a theme written by Adeline Wellen, a seventh grade student of the Central school:

Once upon a time, long, long ago, a little boy was walking all alone through the streets of a large city. This was the night before Christmas. There were a number of people on the streets, fathers and mothers, uncles and aunts, sisters and brothers, and even old grandfathers and grandmothers, all of whom were hurrying with large bundles of presents [illegible] the little ones at home. There [illegible] express wagons, and even old [illegible] were rattling by. And the very [illegible] carriages were on the streets. But the little boy seemed to be without a home and wandered from one street to the other. No one took notice of the boy except Jack Frost, [illegible] bit his bare toes and the ends [illegible] his fingers. And the north wind, too, seemed to know where the poor child was, for it blew against him and pierced his ragged garments through and through, making him to shiver with cold. Place after place he went by, looking in through the windows with longing eyes. He looked in upon the glad, happy children who were helping with the Christmas trees and trimmings for the next day.

The child said to himself: "Here [illegible] there is so much happiness and gladness, some of it may be for me." So with gentle footsteps he walked up to a large house. Through the windows he could see a large Christmas tree already lighted. There were a number of presents hung upon it. Slowly and softly he climbed up the steps and rapped at the door. The door was opened by a large manservant. He had a very kind face, but his voice was deep and gruff. "There is no room for such a child as you," he said. He looked very [illegible] at him as he spoke; maybe he remembered his little ones at home [illegible] was glad that they were not out [illegible] this cold and bitter night.

[illegible] the boy turned back into the [illegible] he wondered why the man had [illegible] thus, for surely, thought he, [illegible] children would love to have [illegible] other friend join their Christmas festival. But the little children inside did not know that the boy had knocked at the door.

The streets grew colder and darker every minute. He walked on sadly, saying to himself: "Is there no one in all this great city who will share their Christmas with me?"

He crept up to the window pane of a big house and rapped gently upon it. A little girl came to the window. She saw the boy, but she only shook her head and said: "Go away and come some other time. We are too busy to take care of you now." He had to go back into the dark, cold streets. He turned again. The wind was blowing and whirling past him and seemed to say: "Hurry on, hurry on, we have no time to stop. 'Tis Christmas eve and everybody is in a hurry tonight." There was no one left upon the streets at this time, and the few who remained did not seem to see the child. When suddenly ahead of him there appeared a bright single ray of light. It shone through the darkness into the child's eyes. He looked up smiling and said: "I will go where the small light beckons. Perhaps they will share their Christmas with me."

Running past all other houses, he soon reached the end of the street and went straight up to the window from which the light shone. It was a very poor, little, low house, but the boy cared not for that. The light seemed still to call him in. The light came from a tallow candle that was placed in an old cup with a broken handle, in the window, as a glad Christmas eve. There was neither curtain nor shade to the small, square window, and as the little child looked in, he saw standing upon a neat wooden table a branch of a Christmas tree. It was very pretty. By the fireplace sat a lovely mother with a little child on her knee and another beside her. The two were listening to the story that the mother told. She must have been telling a Christmas story.

The little wanderer crept closer and closer to the window pane. He gently tapped on the door, and the children looked up. "What was that, mother?" asked the girl.

"I think it was someone rapping on the door," said the mother. "Run as quickly as you can and open it, dear, for it is a cold night to keep anyone waiting in this storm."

"O, mother, I think it was a branch tapping against the window pane," said the girl. "Do, please, go on with our story." Again the child tapped upon the door. "My child, my child," said the mother, rising, "that certainly was a rap on the door. Run quickly and open the door. No one must be left out in the cold on our beautiful Christmas eve."

The girl ran to the door and opened it wide. The mother saw the ragged stranger standing without clothes. She held out both her hands and drew him into the warm, bright room. "You poor, dear child," was all they said, and putting her arms around him she drew him closer to her breast. "He is very cold, my children," she exclaimed. "We must warm him."

"And, we must love him and give him some of our Christmas, too," said the girl.

"Yes," said the mother, "But first we must warm him."

The mother sat down to the fireplace and took the little boy in her lap, and her little ones warmed his hands with theirs. The mother smoothed out his tangled curls and kissed his face. By and by the girl said to her mother, "May we not light the Christmas tree and let him see how beautiful it looks?"

"Yes," said their mother. With that she seated the boy on a low chair by the fireplace and went to the simple things which from year to year she had kept for her children's Christmas tree.

They were so very busy that they did not notice the room had filled with brilliant light. They turned and looked at the spot where the boy sat. His ragged clothes had changed to white beautiful garments, his tangled curls seemed like a golden light about his head; but most beautiful of all was that his face shone with a light so dazzling that they could scarcely look upon it.

In silent wonder they looked at the child. Their little house seemed to grow larger and larger, until it was as wide as the whole world, and the roof of their low house seemed to expand and rise until it reached the sky.

With a sweet, gentle smile, the wonderful child looked upon them for a moment, and then slowly rose and floated through the air, above all *tree tops, beyond the church spires*, higher than the clouds themselves, until he appeared to be a shining star in the sky above. The children said in a whisper: "Oh, mother, it was the Christ-child, was it not?"

And the mother answered in a low tone: "Yes, and it is said, dear children, that each Christmas eve the Christ-child wanders through the village."

Declamation.

Under the supervision of Mr. Pierce, the public speaking instructor, a class has been organized in declamation. Those who have already signed up for declamation are Mildred Huglid, Eileen Herron, Anna Leimers, Beatrice Sandum, Mildren Botnelson, Myrtle Krohn, Viola Lund and Maebelle Swanson.

The object of organizing this group is to select two representatives of this school to meet contestants from all over the Red River valley. The above mentioned people will hold an elimination contest the middle part of January, and the two people receiving the first two places will meet out-of-town contestants here the latter part of the same month. From this contest the winners will meet other contestants in a final contest at Crookston, which will decide the winner for this district. The winner from this district will then be entitled to a trip to the same, public speaking contest in Minneapolis.

Letter From Alumnus.

The following interesting letter was received by The Progress from Mrs. Eldon M. Miller, formerly Miss Florence Shetler, class of '18, who is now residing at Gold Beach, Oregon. The alumni are taking a keen interest and we look forward to hearing from many more:

"Gold Beach, Ore., Dec. 11.—After reading Miss Fasel's letter in your issue of Dec. 2, I, too, have decided to write. I can only voice the same thoughts she did in regard to The Progress. I think it is indeed splendid. Heretofore the annual was the only medium of expression of school activities but now we hear from you all once a week, which is certainly far better.

"I, too, am on the 'western rim of the continent,' as you said. If I were to go two hundred yards farther west I would be due for a dip in the briny deep. When I first came here the continual roar of the Pacific sounded like the roar of a gigantic locomotive. I could hardly go to sleep at night because of it. Now I am so accustomed to it that I never notice it.

"I wish that you might all come here for a week's vacation and see the things the coast country has to offer. Let's pretend you are all here for this Christmas vacation and take a week's ramble. Leave your wraps at home as it is too warm to wear them here. Everything is green, the flowers are blossoming and we see all sorts of birds here all year long.

"This is Monday morning and we are all bound for the 'Devil's Back Bone,' a sharp ridge of solid rock, to dig clams and fish for sea trout and kelp fish. While some of us fish the rest of you can dig clams. You will find the clams are a little hard to dig but after we get them prepared for eating you will agree with me they are worth the effort to get them. The kelp fish are a dark green and so called because you find them where a sea weed called 'kelp' grows. Kelp is gathered and burned and that is where a great deal of potash and iodine are obtained. On dressing the fish we find the meat is a dark green, too, but upon frying it turns a pinkish white. Here, too, we will dig for beads and arrow heads in an old Indian burial ground. If you are fortunate you will dig up a skull, which makes a good case for a tobacco jar if properly hollowed out. (Several people here have them but I haven't come to that stage yet.)

"Tuesday: We will visit Agate Beach and Otter Point today. Agate Beach will afford us a great deal of pleasure as it is a very fascinating occupation—the gathering of agate. An agate is a transparent stone and thus far I am unable to find out how they are formed. A great many contain moss and make beautiful sets for rings, pins or cuff links when they have been polished. I have four very beautiful moss agates that I picked up myself—two have brown and green moss, one yellow and one white moss. But the ambition of every agate 'picker' is to find a 'water agate.' This is an agate which contains a drop of water. I have not as yet realized that ambition. You have enough agates, you say? Then let us visit Otter Point. This we find is a big rocky point running out into the ocean, the top of which is very level. Right in the center we find a hole through which we can see the tide waters of the ocean a hundred feet below. This hole is about five feet across and worn through about ten feet of rock. Directly under us is a cave which has been formed by the water washing through the rocky wall. Going to the other side we see the mouth of the cave and can readily see the water splash as the breakers hit the walls of the cave. We are all tired out and wet. Tired because we have climbed a steep cliff to reach Otter Point and wet because in your anxiety you forgot to watch the breakers while gathering agates, and the biggest breakers often drench us from head to foot. Those of you who wore your best shoes will be surprised to see them crack up and literally fall to pieces. Salt water is very injurious to leather so it pays one to wear rubber boots on a trip to Agate Beach.

"Wednesday: Everyone ready? We are off for the mussel rocks today. A mussel is what we knew back east as a 'clam.' These rocks are under the water at high tide, but at low tide one can easily reach the rocks. We need a hammer to loosen them as they fasten themselves to the rocks and it is impossible to remove them with your hands. There are rocks as large as a house entirely covered with living mussels. When we are gathering them of course we take only the largest and we find that walking on mussel shells is rather uncertain. We will build a fire and put some water on to boil. In this we put our mussels. After boiling for about an hour they are ready to eat. Now the shells can easily be opened and we behold a bright orange object—the mussel—and it is certainly delicious. Did you bite on something hard? We find that it is a small pink pearl. These have no commercial value but they add to one's 'collection.' All newcomers to our coast country get a hobby of collecting things. I got it and I wish you could see the things I have. I have arrow heads, beads, sea lion teeth, agates galore, flint, sugar pine cones (these are over a foot long) star fish that I picked up myself and dried, and several other articles.

"Thursday: Today we are off to the oyster rocks. When I first came west I was asked if I had ever seen or eaten rock oysters. I naturally said 'no,' that I had never heard of them. I am sure you will be as surprised as I was on my first visit to these rocks. Did you see those grey-green rocks lying close to the water's edge? You say upon examining them they are like a common, ordinary rock. So they are from the exterior view. Now we take a pick-axe and break them open. Inside of the solid rock we see a white object that throws out a tiny stream of water. This is the oyster. No one has yet been able to explain how these oysters came to be inside of these rocks, with no inlet or outlet to their little homes. They make splendid soups and taste very much like cove oysters.

"Friday: Everyone must be up early and have their hiking outfits on—we are going on a bear hunt. On this hunt we are accompanied by a Mr. Coy, who is a bear hunter and has bear dogs. If we are fortunate they will scent a bear soon and tree it after a few hours' run, and we can witness the shooting, skinning and cutting up of the carcass. After this is done we will all enjoy a piece of fat, juicy, bear steak. All bear hunts do not take place in one day. If the bear is thin the dogs will sometimes run it for twenty miles before treeing it. Mr. Coy told me that his dogs have very often stayed three and four days at a tree without a bite to eat.

"Saturday: Today I am going to send you home so you will have Sunday to recuperate somewhat after your outings and journey back home.

"These are but a few of my experiences since coming here. I would like to write again of the salmon fishing, lumbering industry and more hunting trips if you would be at all interested. These things seem small matters but they add a great deal to one's knowledge of this old world.

"Hoping I haven't worn you out by your trips and wishing you students of Lincoln High all success in your undertakings, I am, Sincerely, Mrs. Eldon M. Miller."

Kinds of Editorials.

The following paper was read in the Journalism class, written by one of the students, differentiating the kinds of editorials that are written for a newspaper:

A surprising difference of opinion exists among newspapers relative to the editorial in the newspaper. Some newspaper men point back to the days of Greely and Bennett, when the editorial was in the zenith of its power; and others who stand just as staunchly declare that the editorial page no longer wields influence and that its usefulness is waning.

Without arguing the merits of the case, it is patent to any observer that the editorial of a generation ago is fast disappearing from the columns of most of America's dailies. As a type it was sometimes pompous, usually scholarly and informational, and in the hands of a master often did much to shape policies and opinions. Today it has lost to an extent these qualities and is less dogmatic in temper, shorter and less weighty in content.

The change has been brought about because the real power of a newspaper today lies in its facilities for disseminating news, for exposing corruption, for turning the light into dark places and for preventing wrong doing by mere fear of exposing which its existence makes sure. It is the news pages of a paper that men fear today and it is the information contained in those pages that influences the world in basing its opinions and shaping its policies. Still another cogent reason for the change may be found in the fact that the newspapers of today have emerged into complex commercial enterprises that place great stress upon business success.

Then, too, the older type of editorial was written by men who were not so persistently impelled by the mania of haste, but gave time to reflection and to careful interpretation of facts, basing their expression of opinion upon mature judgment. Correspondingly the earlier reading public was more dependent upon the editorial columns for guidance than is the average newspaper reader of today, whose first requirement is for the news, not for the interpretation of events. He is able to think for himself. Exhaustive and lengthy editorial dissertations yield, first, to short, crisp paragraphs that give the editor's comment in two hundred words, and second, to a more sane, perhaps not less significant, type of editorial.

Editorials and editorial paragraphs in newspapers of today are not exempt from the action of the general laws that govern news. They must be timely. They should be interesting. They ought to be authoritative in basic information and trustworthy in the expression of balanced *judgment and intelligent opinion.* The editorial differs from news in that it usually attempts to draw a conclusion from a given set of facts. Usually these facts are of current importance and recently have been developed in the paper's own news columns. In literary style and form of expression editorials differ according to the purpose to be subserved. A formal news editorial is a threefold division—the statement of truth, its exposition, and the deduction therefrom.

Another type of editorial which has exerted not a little influence throughout the country because published in a chain of newspapers that reaches from New York to the Pacific coast may be characterized as the "heart to heart" style of editorial utterance. This type takes as its theme some popular measure which has the support of the people—pensions for aged teachers, the suppression of the ice trust, summer outings for the poor children, decrease in gas rates, and the likes. With stinging invective the editorial message flies straight to the mark without mincing words.

The facetious editorial is written in seemingly casual manner upon a theme with more or less humor. It may have a little educational value, less power to mould public opinion, and no weight to arouse inquiry, but it undeniably affords entertainment through its playful mingling of common sense with delicate satire. It has "human interest" qualities but is not timely. Often it is nothing more than a medley of ingenious opinions, half serious, half humorous, proffered in a delightful frank fashion with no attempt to reform the world.

Conservative papers preserve the dignity and amplitude of their editorial departments. The tendency of the radical and so-called yellow journals is to reduce it in size, to lighten it in weight and at times to omit it altogether.

The merit of an editorial, however, may be measured by many different standards, so that to maintain that one form is better than another is either an arbitrary act or the mere expression of one's opinion.

A Public School Idye.

Ram it in, cram it in,
  Children's heads are hollow
Slam it in, jam it in,
  Still there's more to follow—
Hygiene and history,
Astronomic mystery,
Latin, etymology,
Botany, geometry,
Greek and trigonometry—
Ram it in, cram it in,
  Children's heads are hollow.

Rap it in, tap it in,
  What are teachers paid for?
Bang it in, slam it in,
  What are children made for?
Ancient archaeology,
Aryan philology,
Prosody, zoology,
Physics, clinicology,
Calculus and mathemetics,
Rhetoric and hydrostatics—
Hoax it in, coax it in,
  Children's heads are hollow.

Rub it in, club it in,
  All there is of learning;
Punch it in, crunch it in,
  Quench their childish yearning.
For the field and grassy nook,
Meadows green and rippling brook;
Drive such wicked thought afar,
Teach the children that we are
But machines to cram it in,
Bang it in, slam it in—
  That their heads are hollow.

Scold it in, mold it in,
  All that they can swallow;
Fold it in, hold it in,
  Still there's more to follow.
Faces pinched, sad and pale,
Tell the same undying tale—
Tell of moments robbed from sleep,
Meals untasted, studies deep,
Those who've passed the furnace thru
With aching brow, will tell to you
How the teacher crammed it in,
Rammed it in, punched it in,
Rubbed it in, clubbed it in,
Rapped it in, slapped it in;
  When their heads were hollow.

The First Christmas.

One night hundreds of years ago in a country far across the sea, some shepherds were watching their sheep on the plains. The stars were shining brightly in the sky, the sheep and lambs were lying near by, and everything seemed very still. The shepherds did not dare to go to sleep for fear the wolves would come out from the woods and carry off the sheep. So they stayed awake and watched and also talked together. They were strong men; they dressed in coarse clothes and held sticks in their hands. They talked about the coming of a King, because they had heard that some day a King was coming, and they wondered how he would look, and what he would do.

They said: "When he comes he will be seen here, in Bethlehem, for that is what it says in the bible."

Then out of the sky came a beautiful angel, and then they saw a beautiful great light, the light of the glory of God. It was so strange that the shepherds were afraid. "Fear not," said the angel, "for I bring you tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For this day in Bethlehem Christ is born, and this is the sign which is sent to let the people know. You could find him lying in a manger with his mother by his side."

Then suddenly they saw many angels with their wings outspread, the whole sky was filled with their light and their music. They were singing, "Glory to God in the Highest, and on Earth Peace and Good Will Toward Men." They sang a long time until suddenly the music and the light faded away into Heaven. And the night seemed quiet again as before. They were glad because the King for whom they were waiting had come at last. So they hurried to the town of Bethlehem with their sheep following them.

They came to a stable. There with the donkey, and cows and sheep around Him, lay a baby.

He was lying in a manger. The shepherds knew He was the King because He was to be found in a manger.

Besides Him was His mother, caring for Him. So at last the shepherds found Christ, the King, for whom they had been hunting or waiting.

Journalism.

The Freshman class most all included Is here described, a few excluded
Ivan is a handsome young man;
Hazel's dad has a tin can.
I wonder where Elsie got her sweet looks,
Perhaps it was from studying books.
Ruby and Pearl, alike are they,
Laurence B is a nice kid they say,
Merles' nose is very red,
Don't you think he is well fed?
Camille, oh, she's a nice little kid,
Hilda wears a blue and white lid.
Helen V. has pretty curls,
Florence J. wears dainty pearls;
Margaret W. and May act like twins,
Myrtle O. is well supplied with pins,
Eleanor is a nice little girl,
Alice Gobber is quite swell enough for an Earl.
Clifton Connor acts like a prune
Harriet Morgan jiggs like a coon.
Palma reminds me of a full bloom rose,
Alice Paulson is a little inclined to pose,
Math Barzen walks with a great stride;
Clifford in Mr. Pierce, is apt to confide
Herbert Keene is a jolly fellow
Don't you think he looks well in bright yellow?
Albert Stengelson is a studious boy,
I think we ought to buy Orrin a toy.
Helen C. has a very white nose,
I wonder now, has it even been froze.
Edith to her friend sticks like glue,
If she didn't Adelenn would feel rather blue.
Melvin E. is a country lad,
Bob McGinn's sweater is the latest "fad."
Margaret M. sits carelessly reading a book,
In comes Evelyn, who looks like a cook.
Ethel and Annie, good pals are they,
Gladys Kolden is very happy and gay
Michael Parenteau is a dark hero,
He takes after the Emperor, Nero.
I like Gladys W., very well,
John S. is quite a great swell.
This duty is very painful to me
Therefore some other class is excluded, you see.

Norse Class Christmas Party.

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 21 the Norse classes under the supervision of their Norse teacher, Miss Svedal, gave a Christmas party. The guests of the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler, Miss Morley and Miss Dodge.

The early part of the evening was given over to the pupils who presented an interesting program which is as follows:

"Charge of the Light Brigade (Parody) Johanna Wedul.

"Horatius at the Bridge" (Humorous) Esther Lunsetter.

Song: "Annie Laurie" (Parody) Miss Dodge, Nella Knutson, Mildred Loftness.

"Norsk og Unorsk" Ingaborg Baystad.

Value of Foreign Languages, Supt. Ziegler.

After the program a stunt contest was pulled off, three prizes of tissue paper, red, black and white, were given to each person, also one clothespin, and two short pieces of cord. The object was to see who could dress the doll, into the best looking Norwegian costume. Clare Lund was given the prize in this contest.

The lunch that was then served was a typical Norwegian mid-day lunch, the menue was as follows:

Lefse Sandwiches
Fattigmand, Rosettes, Krumkake
Berline Kranser
Cake Coffee

During the lunch a large box was brought in and each person drew a gift from the box. The rest of the evening was spent in playing Norwegian games and twelve girls performed a clap dance, much to the amusement of the guests. All present had a very enjoyable evening.

Exchange Notes.

Taken from the Johnson High School Magazine, of St. Paul, Minn.

There was a young fellow called Clayt
Who walked with the girls and came late.
  But this bold little boy
  Was not plum full of joy,
When told to report prompt at eight.

He met her in the meadow,
When the sun was sinking low,
They strolled along together
In the twilight shadow's glow;
How patiently she waited
As he lowered all the bars,
Her brown eyes cast upon him
As radiant as the stars;
But she neither smiled,
Nor thanked him—
I'm quite sure she knew not how
For he was but a farmer's lad,
And she a Jersey cow.

A Freshman informed us that a mule should be ridden horseback.

Teacher: "For what reason may the speaker have kept his hands in his pockets?"

Witty Pupil: "Probably because they were cold."

In a shoe store was the following sign: "Place your feet in our hands."

Teacher: "What are elephants' tusks made of?"

Soph. "Ivory."

Teacher: "What is ivory?"

Soph.: "Soap."

Physiography teacher: "What happens when there is an eclipse of the sun?"

Bright pupil: "A great many people come out to look at it."

What great stunt usually escapes notice?"

Wheeling West Virginia on the Ohio.

Senior (as the bell rings after school): "Why is the bell ringing now?"

Fresh Freshie: "Because some one is pressing the button."

Prowler Staff Meeting.

A Prowler staff meeting was called Tuesday evening for the purpose of assigning work to be carried on thru the holidays.

There have been a number of photographs handed in but the joke department is having some trouble in securing jokes.

The work will be pushed forward with speed after the holidays.

Work Promises Well.

The project work carried on by the students of the various agricultural classes promises well from both standpoints of profits and educational value. From a recent check made by Mr. Tripp on the project work of last year, which is at present coming to a close, it was found that the students as well as receiving an additional knowledge on the work have made from $175.00 to $850.00 during the summer months. Those that are carrying on this work seem to be well pleased and very much interested in their work because it gives them a very advanced start if they wish to include it as part of their life work.

How to Raise Poultry.

The following is an article written by Elmer Bonne, who is taking project work on poultry and who is following out this work in actual practice.

In order to make a profit on chicken raising it is necessary to have good stock and in order to have good stock one must begin with a good foundation. In order to get good results with the offspring the pens must be mated in accordance, such as dark and light matings or applying to different class of chickens. Picking out best pens and mating with best roosters bring best results. The poultry raiser should also take care to see that when mating pens, that if the hens are light they should be mated with dark males, and if the hens are dark, they should be mated with light males.

In raising chickens for profit the feeding and care of the flock have a great deal to do with it too. The chickens should have a clean dry place to stay. The coop should be well ventilated and in cool weather the coop should be warm and dry.

The feeding of chickens is a very important part. They should have a good ration that is balanced in accordance to their needs. A laying hen for instance, needs feeds containing a large percentage of protein. If fed feeds rich in carbo-hydrates she will get fat and quit laying. Last winter we received as high as seventeen eggs a day from less than 20 hens. The rest of the stock was young.

I fed them many different kinds of feeds. In the mornings I fed them scratch feed, which was usually oats. About the middle of forenoon I fed them mash. At noon I fed them warm warm feed again and in the middle of the afternoon I fed them scratch feed, wheat or oats. In the evening just before roosting time they received corn. They needed something fattening to keep them warm over night. The mashes were sometimes buttermilk with middlings, and for a while they had buttermilk to drink at all times. I also kept a hopper that was always filled with bran and oyster shells. They got all the bran they could eat. Bran is very light and if they are filled up on that they will not get fat anyway. They should always have fresh water, and they should always get all the greens possible. The same feeding applies to growing hens, only they should not have as rich feed as mature chickens. Their bones and muscles are growing and they should therefore have feeds which are rich in protein. In the winter time chickens should have a larger amount of carbo-hydrates than in summer, because they use a large part of it to keep warm.

Our coop had electric lights in it, which made it a longer day for the chickens, and therefore they would scratch later and we received more eggs than we would otherwise. We also managed to keep the coops warm. In the evening before closing it, we would put a little heater in to keep the chill out. The only way is to get the eggs while the prices are high. By keeping the chill out we also kept the combs of the show birds from freezing.

We won a number of prizes on our birds. We won about six prizes at the Red Lake County Poultry show and about ten prizes at the Pennington County Show at Thief River Falls. All but two of these prizes were won on the Barred Plymouth Rock. These two were won on the Buff Orpingtons.

We have had only one breed of chickens which is Barred Plymouth Rocks. Lately we started up with Buff Orpingtons. We purchased some very good Orpington stock to begin with. We sent for two roosters that we paid $10.00 each for and a number of hens at $5.00 each. We bought setting eggs and paid as high as $10 a setting. The reason there is a loss on the record is due to the fact that we had to pay big prices for stock and setting eggs when starting up with Buff Orpingtons. We want to get a good foundation and it costs a great deal to start, but it will come back.

The greatest value received from carrying on this project was the knowledge of making a profit at chicken raising, such as feeding hens for winter eggs, production, raising pure bred stock, etc.

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displayed by the boys of the entire city. Weekly meetings are being held on Tuesdays in the basement of the Methodist church. More than the number of boys allowed to one troop are presenting themselves at the meetings and the organization of a second troop is being considered.

E. A. Soltau has been elected scout master. C. D. Gustafson, T. J. Carr and T. C. Orme are acting as a scout committee. Four patrols are included in the troop, namely, Eagle, Earl Rice leader; Beaver, Clifford Storholm leader; Wolf, Cleon Bottleson leader; Owl, Allison Stitt leader.

Several of these patrols have already taken hikes and entered into other activities fostered by the Boy Scout movement. In addition to the meetings of the troop various patrol meetings are conducted by the patrol leaders in the homes of members for the purpose of preparing the boys for the passing of the required tests. Twenty boys have already made splendid records and others are waiting their turn to pass.

The object of the Boy Scout movement is to instruct the youths of the country in becoming model citizens. The scout motto is "Be Prepared."

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POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.07
Hens	.15
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Spring Chickens	.15
PRODUCE	
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Dairy Butter	.51
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Schools Open Monday.

The Thief River Falls schools will open their doors on Monday after a vacation of over three weeks, from which teachers and pupils will return to take up their duties with renewed vigor. Teachers and pupils from out-of-town points are already beginning to arrive.

MAYFIELD

The Wedul and Solberg families spent Sunday at the A. G. Stennes home.

The Cloverleaf school resumed work Monday morning.

Several of the Mayfield young folks spent Thursday evening at the Cooper home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Klove and family visited at the Ed. Anderson home Christmas day.

The J. F. Kiel family visited at the J. Carlson home Thursday evening.

L. Klove, John and Arthur Andahl and Arant Wedul spent Saturday evening at the Evert Rewertz home.

Mrs. H. C. Cooper called on Mrs. O. Wedul Friday afternoon.

VIKING

Maud Edwards left last Friday for her home at Roseau after a two weeks visit with her cousin, Edith Edwards.

A crowd of young people were out for a sleigh ride one evening. It has been reported that if they make so much noise again they will be arrested. Spose some one is sorry that they missed the fun.

E. Malberg, Krohns and Edwards called at the Brink home last Thursday evening.

A party from Thief River Falls started to motor out Saturday evening to attend the dance but they found the roads impassable and had to turn back.

Violet and Myrtle Krohn left for Thief River Falls last Friday evening.

Mrs. Brink and daughter, Clara, called on Mrs. Chas. Peterson last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson left for their home at Oberon, N. D., Friday morning after visiting with relatives and friends over Christmas.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klungness and family spent Sunday at John Klungness' place.

John Easthouse has returned to this locality with plenty of traps and ammunition. He will make it hot for the wolves this winter.

Misses Thora, Margarette, Amanda, Agness and Ragnil Bergland, Louise Shefland and Gunsten Skomedahl spent Sunday at the O. Jopprue home.

The Ladies aid held at the Soren Moe home was well attended.

Oscar Guttrue and Alfred Klungness were busy grinding feed for the neighbors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkens and family transacted business at Steiner the latter part of the week.

J. A. Russell is visiting with relatives and friends in Michigan during the holidays.

Misses Tillie and Helga Ose and Torbjon Skomedahl, Ole and Tarkel Ose and Eddie Tildahl spent Saturday evening at the John Skomedahl home.

A. Westphal and Ole Ose shipped in a carload of corn from southern Minnesota last week.

Carl Guttrue, Oscar Hoffman and George Baker spent Wednesday evening at the Mickel Johnson home.

ROSEWOOD

Rosewood Farmers Club Adopt Constitution Wed.

The Rosewood Farmers club held their second meeting this season at the Rosebank building last Wednesday evening. There was no program furnished for this meeting, but after the general business session the remainder of the evening was spent in partaking of a delicious luncheon and social parlor games. About thirty persons attended. The next meeting will be held at the same place on Friday evening, Jan. 21, when Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen will have charge of the arrangement of a social program and Emil Hellquist and Adolph Haugen will act as caterers. There are now 28 members enrolled in the club. The executive board decided to lower the price of the luncheon to 15 cents commencing at the next meeting. The committee on the constitution and by-laws reported at this meeting and after being read and discussed, both were by vote accepted. The following articles and by-laws from the constitution may be of general interest to other clubs and persons not as yet members:

Art. III. The officers of this association shall consist of a president, a vice president, a secretary and a treaurer. They shall be chosen for their business ability rather than for their popularity, and shall hold office for one year and until their successors have been duly elected and qualified.

Art. IV. The annual meeting shall be held at the Rosebank building on the first Friday evening in December each year, and other meetings shall be held at a place and date designated at the previous meeting.

By-laws Sec. 2. The club shall aid and further business associations among its members, particularly such associations as pertain to the purchase of necessary supplies, and the purchase and management of live stock, agricultural and garden products.

Sec. 3. From time to time the club shall give entertainments under supervision of the program committee for the benefit of its members and those whom they may choose to invite.

Sec. 4. Any member after due hearing may be expelled from the club by a majority vote of the active

supervise the case. Any general damage shall be paid out of the club's treasury.

Sec. 9. Profane language, spitting or throwing refuse on the floor or walls and willfull disturbance of the club's activities shall be punished by exclusion from the club. Non-members causing same shall not be permitted in the room.

Sec. 10. The executive board shall have charge of the meeting place; shall see that the building is properly lighted and warmed, that seating capacity as far as possible is available, that the doors are kept open at the time set for assembling and that members and visitors are kept comfortable.

Sec. 11. By-laws may be amended at any regular meeting with a five days' posted notice by a majority vote of the active members.

Farewell Shower For Pedersens.

A farewell shower was given at the home of Mrs. Belle Sorenson last Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pedersen who will shortly leave for Canada where they expect to make their future home. There were about thirty guests each bringing small gifts for the departees in commemoration of the evening, which was merrily spent in a social way. Mr. and Mrs. Pedersen, who have made their home at Thief River Falls this summer are visiting over the holidays with Mrs. Pedersen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hall, near this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Mosbeck Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck entertained at a two-course dinner at their home in town last Sunday and Monday. The Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen and sons, Byron, Borden and Bartlett, from town of Norden and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson, and the Monday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg and children, Annie, Elmer, Alma, Alice and Edna. Following the dinner each day the afternoon was pleasantly passed in a social fashion.

Teacher Entertains Girl Friends.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, who is teaching school at Rosebank, on Thursday entertained at dinner, at her home five miles north of town the following: Misses Hilda and Nina Westby and Isabella Sagmoen. The weather was lovely and the girls hiked the distance arriving in a very prepartory condition to do full justice to Mrs. Sagmoen's choice viands. The afternoon was spent chiefly at music.

Mrs. E. A. Silverness who has spent the last ten weeks visiting with her parents at Starbuck, Manitoba, arrived home last Friday. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Metvelt, who will visit at the Silverness home for a brief period.

Jim Thompson returned from his Christmas vacation at Gully last Monday and was accompanied by Miss Lillian Paulson of the latter place, who visited here between trains that day.

M. B. Rafteseth who has been employed at iron mining work near Hibbing all summer, came home the first of the week to spend a few days with his parents in town.

Mrs. Olof H. Ryan of Thief River Falls was in town between trains last Thursday visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson. On returning in the evening she was accompanied by her sister, Esther, who will visit at her home indefinitely.

Chas. Warner and John Henry, two youngsters from Thief River Falls were in town last Wednesday on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Holmgren left the middle of the week for Thief River Falls where they will visit with Mrs. Holmgren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm returned Monday from a Christmas visit with relatives at Twin Valley.

Miss Elsie Vorseth of Thief River Falls arrived here on Tuesday morning and will be the guest of Miss Gladys Sagmoen and Miss Delma Dols.

A subscription list was circulated among the people of this place last week to secure some financial aid for the unfortunate Emil Blomberg who, owing to his accident last fall will be unable to work this winter. About $60 was volunteered.

Percy Hanson and John Nakken, two students at the Crookston agricultural college who spent Christmas at their respective homes here, returned Monday to resume their studies.

Miss Guretta Dahl was the guest of Mrs. Victor Mosbeck last Thursday and left in the evening for a day's shopping and visiting tour to Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth entertained the following guests at New Year's dinner: Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm, Ingrid Nordhagen, Ella Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum.

Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum pleasantly entertained the Anton Gullseth and F. G. Dols families at Christmas dinner last Saturday.

Miss Clara Sorenson, the Busy Bee teacher, came out from Thief River Falls last Wednesday to attend the Farm club meeting and to visit at the P. Sorenson and Haugen homes for a few days.

John Sorenson was in Thief River Falls between trains last Wednesday to look after business matters for the Furan & Sorenson garage.

Miss Hannah Hellquist left last Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls where she will be the guest of her brother, C. E. Hellquist and family for several days.

David Flodstrom of Viking was in town the forepart of this week visiting with the Hellquist boys, leaving on Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls.

Enoch Nelson returned home last Wednesday from Big Timber, Mont. where he spent the holidays visiting with his son, Nicholy.

Axel Bloom returned to his employment in town of Rocksbury last Monday after spending the holidays vis-

vator.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earle, from Thief River Falls, spent New Years day here visiting with Mrs. Johnson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

The Norwegian Young Peoples society held their monthly meeting at the Rindal church on New Years day. The Rindal monthly Ladies' aid meets at the home of Mrs. Bertha Saugen on Tuesday, Jan. 4.

Swedish services will be held at the Congregational church in town next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., and at 7:30 p. m. Werner Drotts of Viking will preach.

Miss Delma Dols left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit over Sunday with her friend, Miss Elsie Vorseth.

Word has been received from Henry Sagmoen who is attending the Minneapolis business college that he is at the hospital there suffering from small pox.

Henry Stengelson, student at Carleton college, Northfield, returned to that place on Saturday evening after spending his vacation with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and two sons, came out from Thief River Falls on Saturday morning and visited at the B. P. Sagmoen and L. L. Furan homes until Monday evening.

Howard Carlson and Henry Lappegaard were at Thief River Falls over last Sunday to visit with friends and relatives.

Melvin Nordgaard returned to Viking on Monday morning after visiting with Newell and Lloyd Anderson for a week.

ERIE

The holidays are now over and everybody is falling back to the regular routine of work after celebrating in various ways. The most important features of the holiday festivities were the various Christmas tree programs given in the school houses where school is in session. Religious services were conducted in the Erie church on Christmas day by Rev. Hanson and in the Dahlen schoolhouse by Rev. Hoyum. The New Year is here and let us all make good use of its days and be busy doing the best we can.

The Erie Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Oluf Omlid on Wednesday.

Mrs. N. P. Larson called on Mrs. M. Iverson on Sunday.

Gust A. Iverson and Ole Lien have been very busy hauling wood to Unorganized School No. 1. They had a contract to put up a two year supply consisting of twenty cords sawed in stove length.

The Oluf Omlid family moved into their newly constructed and modern house on Christmas eve and are now nicely settled.

Miss Emilia Rensla of Rhoda is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Olaf Komplien.

Sakarias Hole was a recent business caller in Goodridge.

Amanda Ekwall, who has been employed near Edmore, N. D., for the past six months is home for an indefinite stay with her parents.

Mrs. Hans Svare and sons, John and Calmer and daughter, Mrs. Henry Hanson, all of Pelican Rapids, are here for the holidays and also to be present at the funeral of Private Henry Svare when the body arrives.

An epidemic resembling a severe cold has swept the country and almost all children have been down sick, some quite severely. Little Lloyd Tommerdahl is at present quite ill.

Ed. Vatne was a business caller in Erie Friday.

The annual business meeting of the Eastern Star ladies aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Knute Roysland on Wednesday, Jan. 12th.

Miss Anna Froiland and Miss Emma Henke teachers in districts Nos. 56 and 59 respectively are spending their vacation at their homes near Plummer.

The Nerhus family were Sunday guests at the L. B. Johnson home.

George Hovet is home after an absence of several weeks.

Henry Fjeld, Olaf Loyland and Selmer Anderson, students at the Crookston agricultural school, spent their Christmas vacations at their respective homes here. The boys report they like college life and are getting the best of instruction in the lines they wish.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Hyland of Hickory were visitors at the Theo. Hyland home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Sundahl were guests at the G. A. Iverson home on Sunday.

Ed. Torgerson of Grygla called on friends here last week.

Gena Nerhus left on Monday for Thief River Falls where she is employed in the Minnesota Candy kitchen, after a week's visit with the home folks.

Mrs. Henry Rockne of Goodridge began teaching school in Dist. No. 6 on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bommerud and daughters, Beatrice and Emma, of Rhoda, were Christmas visitors with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Iverson.

The Magnus Anderson family were guests at Loyland's on New Year's Eve.

ST. HILAIRE

The Misses Mildred Fellman and Olive Patterson, accompanied by Mrs. C. F. Beantner, were Thief River Falls shoppers Friday.

The Misses Mabel Hallstrom and Ethel Anderson, employed at Cass Lake, returned Thursday to continue their duties after spending the holiday vacation with their parents at Black River.

Miss Dorothy Martz returned last Thursday from Moorhead where she visited since Monday, having accompanied her brother, Jordan, who left for Litchfield to visit at the Glenn Martz home.

The Misses Gudrun, Agnes, Marie,

part of the week from Chicago for an indefinite visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hallstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McKercher were in Thief River Falls between trains Friday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Miss Lilly Boehm arrived Friday from Grand Forks, N. D., where she visited over Christmas with relatives and will spend a short time here at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. J. McKercher.

The Misses Carrie and Selma Simonson, who spent their holiday vacations with their parents here, left on Monday morning over the Soo, the former going to Mack and the latter to Jesse Lake, Minn., where they are engaged in teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Benoit returned Monday from Red Lake Falls, after spending New Years with relatives.

K. O. Gigstad was a business caller at Thief River Falls Friday.

John and Arant Loberg, Alex and George Swanson and Arnt Branum, left Monday for Baudette where they will be employed at a lumber camp.

Miss Agnes Simonson a student at the North Dakota business college, at Fargo, returned Monday to resume her studies after spending the holidays with her parents here.

The Misses Gertrude and Lucille Blaska visited between trains at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mrs. H. Kinney of Bemidji, made a short visit at the Ole Loberg home in Rocksbury Sunday, having arrived from Thief River Falls where she attended the S. O. Quammen funeral. Mrs. Kinney was formerly Mrs. P. Anderson having resided at St. Hilaire.

Miss Tomina Hanson shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Friday.

Arthur and Jordon Rod returned Monday to their home at Baudette after spending the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rod.

Miss Clara Loberg who spent the holidays at her parental home here left Monday for Jesse Lake, Minn., via the Soo to continue her duties as teacher.

G. W. Shearer was a business caller at the county seat Monday.

Mrs. John Burkee of Tacoma, Wash. a former resident of St. Hilaire, was a visitor at the Burkee home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindquist are the proud parents of a baby boy born last week at their home at Minneapolis.

E. H. Stephens was called to Crookston on Tuesday evening owing to the illness of O. H. Remington, his brother-in-law.

Miss Ethel Keller, teacher at the Wylie school, accompanied by her father, C. Keller of Hazel, were at Thief River Falls Friday.

Miss Huldah Gigstad left on Friday for Moorhead to resume her teaching in the public school of that place.

Misses Nora and Palma Holmes left for Sioux Falls, S. D., on Friday after spending their holiday vacation here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes.

Martin Erickson and Wm. Kruse left on Monday morning over the Soo for Winger where they attended the funeral of Edwin Sorvig.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen, accompanied by Miss Olga Swenson and Mr. Herman Fellman, motored to Thief River Falls Monday evening to take in the play "The Caste" given by the Hamline players.

Miss Ragna Loberg shopped at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. Bjerk and daughter, Larrine, left Tuesday for Holt for a short visit with relatives.

The Dorcas society of the Norwegian Lutheran church will have a business meeting at the Lars Loberg home Friday afternoon, Jan. 7. All are welcome. Members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Halvor Hougen and Mrs. J. S. Roy are spending the week visiting friends and relatives at Strathcona.

Miss Delia Ford visited at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Art Hendrickson and Ed. Dahl transacted business at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Carl Nelson is transacting business in the Twin Cities this week.

Helen Leona, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sumpter, died at her home here on Tuesday evening. The little one who was only about four weeks old, had been failing instead of gaining ever since birth. The

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Goings-Carlson.

The marriage of Hazel Goings and Edward Carlson occurred on Wednesday, Dec. 29 at high noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Patton. The wedding was very simple in all its appointments. The marriage vows were pronounced by the Rev. A. F. Nelson of the Swedish Lutheran church while Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Pearson acted as attendants, Mrs. Pearson being a sister of the groom. Only a few of the immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony. A wedding dinner was served at the Patton home and the couple left the same day for the Twin Cities from where they will go to Kearney, Neb., to visit the bride's father, J. G. Goings, and also visit various points in Kansas. They will be at home to their many friends on a farm at Morganville, Kansas after April 1.

E. B. Sorvig Injured in Strange Accident Dies

Selma O. Hoff, Edla, Martin, Henry and Harold Hallstrom left on Saturday morning for Winger, Minn., where they were called by the death of Edwin B. Sorvig. Mr. Sorvig, who conducted a garage and electric light plant in Winger in partnership with his two brothers, was found late in the evening of Dec. 22 lying on the cement floor of the power

the body his skull had received a severe blow and he never fully regained consciousness. Just how the accident occurred no one will ever know but it is thought that his overcoat had been caught in the large belts in some manner and he was whirled around several times before becoming released. For a week with the help of competent physicians and trained nurses Mr. Sorvig fought for life. It is believed that he could have recovered from his terrible injuries but pneumonia set in and he passed away on the evening of Dec. 29, just one week after the accident. Funeral services were held on Monday at the Norwegian Lutheran church in Winger and in the Gossen church near Erskine of which church Mr. Sorvig had been a member since childhood. The body was laid to rest in the Gossen cemetery, friends from far and near paying their last respects to the young man who was only 26 years of age at the time of his death. The churches were beautifully decorated and the floral offerings were profuse.

Mr. Sorvig was well known in Black River and St. Hilaire and his many friends in the vicinity were greatly grieved to hear of his death. The deepest sympathy is extended to his widow, who was formerly Miss Lilly Hallstrom, his four month's old son, and his parents, brothers and sisters who live near Erskine.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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COUNCIL VOTES DOWN PROPOSAL TO HALT PAVING

Request of Property Owners Association Disregarded and Bids Will Be Asked For.

Demand That Petitioners First Find Way to Insure Against Possible Damages.

Resolution Authorizing Sale of $292,000 in Paving Certificates is Passed.

At a meeting of the Property Owners association held in the basement of the former United church last week the following resolution was adopted:

> "That the executive committee be directed to use every honorable means to postpone for this season the proposed paving project."

The names of 26 members of the Property Owners organization and the signatures of 60 other taxpayers of Thief River Falls followed.

Such was the document read before and submitted to the city council at the regular session on Tuesday evening by a representation of the executive committee of the Property Owners association, which body is laboring in opposition to the paving program for Thief River Falls as scheduled for the coming summer. Rasmus Oen, O. Ramstad and Martin Evenson appeared on behalf of the above named organization.

Expect Prices to Fall.

Mr. Evenson, acting as spokesman for the delegation, made the request that the petition or resolution be filed in the records of the city and made a part of the minutes of the meeting and that the appearance of the delegation before the council become a matter of record. A motion made by Councilman Froseth and seconded by Councilman Ness in favor of granting the request failed to carry.

Mr. Evenson, when questioned as to the reasons of the Property Owners organization for desiring the delay, stated that it was the opinion of the body that prices were on the decline and that it was calculated that big money could be saved by a delay in carrying out the contract. He further stated that the organization which he represented aimed at a delay in the paving project rather than a cancellation of the contract. President H. A. Brumund and other members of the council said that until objectors to the paving project could furnish some acceptable method or plan for financing the preliminary work already accomplished in the paving district and any expenditure necessary to a cancellation of the contract with the Bitulithic Contracting company, entered into last fall, no effort would be made to cease operations and that present plans would be carried out.

Council Chamber Filled.

It had been predicted that the regular session of the council would be a warm one, as it was known that the opposition to the paving project expected to be in representation, and the council chambers were filled to capacity by property holders of the city, business men and interested citizens.

A resolution authorizing the sale of paving certificates totalling $292,000 was unanimously passed, instructing the city clerk to advertise for bids. Following the publication of the notice for bids on the bond issue, the required time will have elapsed by February 8, on which date bids will be opened by the council.

It was stated that the city's share of the paving tax would amount to over $38,000, that being the amount necessary to paving intersections of streets and along the frontage of municipal buildings.

The discussion of minor matters followed and the council adjourned after a comparatively short session.

Commissioners Sell Ditch Bonds—Approve Statement

The county commissioners in a short session on Wednesday afternoon effected the sale of county ditch bonds aggregating $9,500 to the Kalman, Mattison & Wood Company of St. Paul. This bond issue finances the construction work on County Ditch No. 35. The bonds carry an interest rate of 6 per cent.

The Pennington county financial statement for 1920, submitted by County Auditor T. P. Anderson, was also passed upon.

SMALL ATTENDANCE AT CLUB LUNCHEON

Resolution Voices Objection to Handling of Babcock Road Project By Commission.

E. M. Stanton, president of the Commercial club, at the luncheon on Thursday announced that on December 19 directors of the organization drew up a resolution in which the club went on record as being opposed to the creation of a commission to take over and handle all matters contemplated by what is known as the Babcock Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota. The resolution expressed further, "confidence in the ability of C. M. Babcock, our present highway commissioner, to manage and in all things supervise the construction of all highways to [illegible] under the supervision of said [illegible] under such laws as may be [illegible] carry out the provisions thereof."

A copy of the [illegible] sent to Senator O. A. Naplin [illegible] presentatives A. J. Hemstad and [illegible]alter E. Day. This action was taken because of the proposal to create a commission of five persons acting without pay to administer all affairs coming under the workings of Amendment No. 1, or the Babcock Amendment, which was favorably voted upon at the election of last November.

The attendance at Thursday's luncheon, the first since they were discontinued for the holiday season, was small and no new business was brought up for discussion. Mr. Stanton in his talk of a few moments, again urged those present to co-operate in an effort to insure a large attendance at the Thursday luncheons, which offer an unusual opportunity for the discussion of all civic matters.

CITY BANKS ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

All Show Excellent Business Gains and Officers Consider Outlook Encouraging.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the First National bank of Thief River Falls was held on Tuesday afternoon. Reports of officers showed the affairs of the institution to be in a highly satisfactory condition and that in spite of unsettled conditions it had functioned throughout the year in such manner as to greatly increase its prestige and standing. The statement of condition, just issued, shows the bank to have resources aggregating nearly a million dollars with a capital and surplus of over $100,000. The following were chosen directors for the ensuing year: C. L. Hansen, Daniel Patterson, Rasmus Oen, J. P. Curtis and E. M. Bennes.

Immediately after the stockholders' meeting there was a session of the newly elected directors at which the following officers were chosen: C. L. Hansen, president; Rasmus Oen and E. M. Bennes, vice presidents; W. H. Akre, cashier; H. F. Booren and Miss Marie Nelson, assistant cashiers; L. C. Nielsen, bookkeeper; Rueben Hadrath, stenographer.

The annual meeting of the Citizens' State bank was held on Tuesday, Jan. 4. Great satisfaction was expressed with the efficient administration during the past year and the present financial condition. The officer and directorate personnel remains the same with but one exception, E. P. Brevig having been appointed second assistant cashier. The officers are: President, Olaf Ramstad; vice presidents, Louie Hanson and A. M. Langseth; cashier, T. L. Melgaard; assistant cashier, C. W. Vorachek; second assistant cashier, E. P. Brevig and teller, Carl Gulrud. Miss Hazel Conklin will act as stenographer and Fred Erickson as bookkeeper.

Directors of the bank are Olaf Ramstad, Louie Hanson, A. M. Langseth, T. L. Melgaard, Charles Vorachek, Rasmus Oen and Christ Amundson. The usual dividend was declared.

The stockholders of the First and Peoples' State bank met on Friday: Math Barzen, A. M. Sheldon, Halvor A. Loken, Perl W. Mabey, Bernhard Knutson, A. G. Loftnes, Hans Anton, A. G. Wedge, Jr., O. D. Ostby, H. S. Dahlen, Carl Larson, R. M. Sheldon, Dr. A. J. Paulson and F. J. Stebbins were elected directors. Mr. Stebbins is the new member of the board. A. M. Sheldon, president; Math Barzen and H. S. Dahlen, vice presidents and R. M. Sheldon, cashier, were re-elected to their respective offices. No assistant cashier to fill the vacancy arising thru the resignation of Theodore M. Thronson, several weeks ago, was appointed.

L. A. Hermanson, teller; Miss Dora Holmes, assistant teller, Alvin Holzknecht, bookkeeper and Miss Inez Johnson, stenographer, make up the remainder of the bank personnel.

This bank also starts its new fiscal year in the very best condition and the officials believe that even the slight money stringency that has been experienced in this section is rapidly passing.

Greenbush State Bank is Reopened; Closed 30 Days

The State bank of Greenbush on Monday re-opened its doors to the banking public, after having been closed for slightly less than 30 days. Sufficient funds were paid in by old stockholders to again put the bank in sound financial condition.

Consolidation of the Peoples' State bank and the Greenbush State bank has been virtually effected, as the affairs of the latter are being administered by officers of the former named bank. The consolidation will be completed at an early date. At a meeting held on Saturday, the following officers were elected: Hans Lerum, president; N. K. Czyrson, vice-president and Chas. J. Anderson, cashier.

Abe Bost is Acquitted.

Abe Bost, colored, a farmer of Kratka township, charged with having "pulled a gun" on Stephen Singer and Joe Kilen, was tried before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court here on Wednesday. He was acquitted by the jury which was out but a short time. Singer was removing a cook shack, the property of Bost, from the latter's land, when the owner appeared with a gun in hand and persuaded him to desist.

HIGHER PRICES PREDICTED FOR SPRING BUYING

Indications Are Unmistakable That Low Stage of Selling Level Has Been Reached.

Merchants Find Replacements Quoted at Big Advance Over Present Retail Price.

Buyers Who Hold Off, Expecting Further Reductions, Due For Disappointment.

Persons who fail to take advantage of the price reductions now being made in practically every part of the country, hoping that commodity costs will drop still lower, are liable to find that they have played a joke on themselves. *There is a limit to the downward swing of prices* and indications are that it has just about been reached. This is the impression to be gathered from reports issued by business houses and mercantile agencies at any rate.

Thief River Falls merchants claim it will be impossible to long maintain the present low price level, to say nothing of making still further reductions. Retail prices on many classes of goods today in Thief River Falls are far below replacement cost, a condition that can continue only for a very short time without spelling disaster for the business man. No man can sell goods below cost and remain in business and only resorts to this method in times of unusual stress or marked depression. He may need a lot of money on short notice and take this means of securing it, foregoing profits in order to meet pressing demands by wholesalers and manufacturers. This has been the reason for the unusual price reductions by Thief River Falls business houses as well as those in nearly every other community in the country. The selling campaign was not brought on by the merchant because he feared the bottom was going to fall out of prices and leave him with a large stock of goods on hand, because he was certain that such was not the case. The simple explanation is that he needed the money—and needs it yet.

Higher in the Spring.

Salesmen are now arriving with samples for spring and anyone who imagines there is going to be a further reduction at that time should look over the quotations. In practically every line it is found that prices quoted at the present time by Thief River Falls merchants are lower than the wholesalers' spring quotations on the same goods. This means but one thing—prices must again advance when present stocks are gone.

The merchant who was in business at the time the advance due to the war began getting under way and who followed business methods in the handling of his stock, made some money. This is not being denied. Now, however, when the swing is in the other direction he must take his loss or keep the goods on his shelves. He prefers the former course—if he is wise—trusting to the future to take care of itself. He cannot sell goods for less than he pays for them, however, and must secure his profits on replacements, no matter what he decides to do with stocks now on hand.

The public has been misled by this price-reduction campaign, according to business men. It was but natural that there should be a demand for lower prices as soon as war conditions were removed, and business generally responded to the demand, even though economic factors gave warning that the course was unwise. Misleading propaganda, it is also maintained, has been in a large measure responsible for mistaken notions on the part of the public.

Warnings of Advance.

There is hardly a question but that right now is the most favorable time for making purchases of any kind that has presented itself in years. It is almost as certain that none so favorable will be seen for a long time to come. Any person who is open to conviction and possesses even a slight knowledge of the causes which operate to establish general price levels will recognize the soundness of this reasoning and proceed accordingly. Wholesalers have warned their customers not to cut prices further as there is no possibility of being able to refill their shelves except at a considerable advance. The purchaser who takes advantage of the very exceptional offerings now made will save money, and the propagandists, agitators or publications who are attempting to mislead the public into thinking that anything is to be gained by holding up purchases and thus causing a stagnation of trade are serving the country but poorly during a most trying period.

No Promotions Possible At End of First Semester

Owing to the fact that the Eighth grade of the city schools is overcrowded, it will be impossible for that grade to receive promotions at the end of the first semester of school work from the Seventh grade, consequently the Seventh will be unable to receive promotions from the Sixth grade and so on down through the remaining grades, according to a statement issued by Superintendent of City Schools W. A. Ziegler. Scholars may be promoted from the Eighth grade to the high school but not in numbers large enough to accommodate promotions from the Seventh.

Owing to this condition no A and B division promotions will be made to take effect at the opening of the second semester of school work January 24, as was formerly announced. It is thought that this plan of semi-yearly promotion of pupils can be worked out better at the end of the school term than at the present time.

More Purebred Holsteins For Pennington County

Fred Beerbower left the first of the week for points in Iowa and Illinois for the purpose of securing a carload of purebred Holstein cattle. Mr. Beerbower expects to retain about one-half the number purchased for himself, the rest going to the farm of M. T. McFarland. An attempt will be made to include one herd sire in the lot and it is also the aim to find one or two cows possessing particular exhibition features.

As Mr. Beerbower is one of the best judges of stock of this class to be found in this section there is no question but that he will bring back the very best there is to be found in the sections visited. The purchase will make a valuable addition to the purebred herd census of the county.

Wheat Advances 12c This Week; Rye Very Strong

Advances 12 Cents Per Bushel During Past Week—Rye in Unusual Position.

Wheat and rye have been consistently advancing in price all through the week, the latter grain maintaining its position as a remarkably close second to the leader. Wednesday's close for cash wheat in Thief River Falls was $1.65 per bushel as compared with $1.53 a week ago, an advance over the low point reached of 13 cents per busel. Rye closed at $1.44 yesterday, an advance of 13 cents for the week.

Receipts are reported as being lighter than at any previous time this season, a condition that prevails all through the Northwest.

BENSON DRY GOODS STORE IS DAMAGED

Fire Tuesday Forenoon Causes Loss of $2,500—Quickly Extinguished.

At 10 a. m. Tuesday, fire broke out in the Martin Benson dry goods store here, resulting in an aproximate damage to building and stock of $2,500. It is thought that the loss to Martin N. Benson, proprietor of the store and John Aos, owner of the building, will be fully covered by insurance.

The fire originated in the ceiling of the first floor of the building near a chimney, spreading between joists and rafters and to the roof by the time the city fire department, the calling of which was delayed by severed telephone connections, arrived. No difficulty was encountered in extinguishing the blaze which had acquired but little headway. The damage to the building will not prohibit the resumption of business after a short period of time for readjustment. Prompt action in clearing away dry goods from the immediate vicinity of the blaze on the part of early arrivals and the thorough manner in which the building was cleared of all damagable stock by clerks and volunteers, resulted in a minimum loss from smoke and water. Practically the entire stock was carried to adjacent places of business. Living apartments on the second floor were likewise cleared of household furniture.

NAPLIN NAMED ON GOOD COMMITTEES

District's Lower House Members, However, Fare Poorly in Appointments.

Senator O. A. Naplin of the Sixty-fifth district, was appointed a member of a number of important committees when Lieut. Gov. L. L. Collins made up the list on Monday, being made a member of the following: Corporations and commerce, reapportionment, temperance, and towns, counties and municipalities. For a minority faction member this is considered as being very good.

By reason of reducing the number of committees from 38 to 29 quite a number of changes from two years ago is noted both in chairmanships and members in the senate.

The house members from the Sixty-fifth can hardly be said to have fared well in committee appointments. Mr. Day and Mr. Hemstad are both members of the committee on State Development and Immigration as well as on Universities and Schools. Besides these Mr. Day is a member of the following: Public Health and Hospitals, Reapportionment and Towns and Counties. Mr. Hemstad's only other committee assignment is Public Domain.

A Baseless Rumor.

It has been rumored that an epidemic of diptheria has broken out in Thief River Falls. City health authorities state that but one mild case exists on the east side of the city and that no cause for alarm prevails.

COUNTY NURSE TAKES UP WORK OF RED CROSS

Miss Marie Knudsen Accepts Position and Will Begin Making Rounds at Once.

Principal Field Will Be Country Districts, Leaving City to School Nurse.

Cost of Maintenance is Estimated at $3800 Per Year By Budget Committee.

Miss Marie Knudsen, the nurse who will work under the auspices of the Pennington County Chapter of the American Red Cross, has entered upon her duties and will soon have her work sufficiently laid out to enable her to begin her rounds. At a meeting of the chapter last Saturday afternoon Miss Knudsen stated that for the present she would attempt to visit only the schools and settlements which may conveniently be reached by rail, the roads being in many cases in such condition as to make automobile travel difficult. She will go to the homes of the residents in all sections of the county as rapidly as the rounds can be made, hold meetings in schools and otherwise seek to interest the people in her efforts.

Miss Knudsen's work will be largely in the country, the city of Thief River Falls being left pretty much in the hands of the school nurse. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, chapter president, stated that for this reason she would very much like to have each outlying branch representative on the executive committee as in this manner the requirements of the different sections could be learned and their cases properly looked into.

For the present she will have a desk in the office of the county sheriff at the court house, where anyone wishing an interview will find her Saturday mornings. She may be reached any evening via telephone at No. 488, her place of residence.

Cost $3800 Per Year.

The nursing committee, through its chairman, Dr. M. George Milan, reported that everything is now in readiness to have the nurse begin her work. It was decided that it would be inadvisable to tie up any money in an automobile at this time as there is work in the districts accessible by rail to keep a nurse busy until spring. Each member of the committee was asked to do whatever is possible to acquaint the people in the county with the purpose in employing the nurse in order that she may experience as little trouble as possible when making her rounds. Besides Dr. Milan this committee is made up as follows: W. A. Barnard and George M. Gunderson, Thief River Falls; Mrs. J. A. McDonald, Goodridge; Mrs. Fred Bjerken, St. Hilaire; Mrs. Aspelin, Hazel; Mrs. Karl Korstad, Highlanding.

Chairman W. A. Barnard of the finance committee, reported that the cost of maintaining the county nurse would be about $3800 per year and that ample funds are available for the first year. There is $3,056.07 to the credit of chapter headquarters while $4,905.89 is held in branch treasuries and may be called in when necessity demands. It was decided to pro rata the expense of the nurse among all branches, basing the requisition on the amount of cash in the different treasuries.

The Work in Schools.

County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson stated that the city schools now had a membership of 100 per cent in the Red Cross and that those in the country will soon be as well organized. Reorganization is being carried forward everywhere and state headquarters has complimented the officers on the highly efficient manner in which the work is being looked after in Pennington county.

T. P. Anderson, chairman of the home service division, spoke briefly of the work of that section. He stated that hardly a day passes by but what he has some kind of a call for assistance or advice. To date he has assisted 87 ex-service men in securing their compensation, 182 have been helped in the matter of bonuses, extra travel pay was secured for 83 men, while seven families have been assisted in the matter of getting compensation and insurance. Besides this Mr. Anderson has done much work in assisting in locating missing soliders and in helping those who were entitled to free dental service. The report proved an eye-opener to those present, most of whom had no idea of the importance and scope of this division of the work.

Dr. Milan asked to be excused from further service on the finance committee, his work for the nursing committee taking up all the time at his disposal. Chairman Barnard appointed T. L. Melguard in his place.

The meeting was one of the best ever held, nearly every city member of the committee being on hand as well as the following from the country: Mrs. McDonald and Miss Theresa Glefer, Goodridge; Mrs. Peter Engelstad and Mrs. O. B. Gunderson, Rocksbury.

New State Auditor.

Ray P. Chase of Anoka has been appointed state auditor by Governor Preus. Mr. Chase has been chief deputy in the auditor's office.

One Day Schools on Farm Management During Winter

Farm management meetings or one-day schools will be conducted over the state this winter by W. L. Cavert, farm management demonstrator on the agricultural extension staff of the state university. Mr. Cavert has selected a series of 11 subjects, part of them dealing with costs of production, and others affording a study of the average seasonal trend in prices of farm products, also work in keeping accounts, renting farms and planning a well balanced cropping system.

Only a limited number of these schools can be held in a county and no more than two of the subjects, which are to be previously agreed upon by a community, will be taken up at a given meeting. In considering costs the farmers present will be asked to make estimates as to each item of production expenses. The University Farm representative will then summarize the figures on the blackboard and lead the discussion.

Farm bureaus or other groups of farmers can arrange for this service through the medium of the county agent.

HONOR REMAINS OF FORMER SOLDIER

Henry Svare of Erie Buried Under Auspices of Legion Post Named After Him.

A flag-draped casket containing the remains of Private Henry Svare, formerly a member of the 341st Infantry, arrived here from France on Saturday morning and was shipped to Goodridge the same afternoon. Musician Thomas Gibeaut of the 49th Infantry band, stationed at Fort Snelling, escorted the body to this point, where he was met by Hans Svare, father of the deceased and a resident of Erie township. Interment was made in the Torgerson cemetery, Reiner township, on Tuesday afternoon, following services at the Hans Svare home.

Private Svare as a member of the 341st saw extended service with the late American Expeditionary forces in France. He died October 9, 1918, at an American base hospital shortly before his regiment was scheduled to return to the United States. Influenza is given as the cause of his death. The body was one of 40 which arrived at St. Paul the forepart of the week from St. Nazaire, France, having been shipped by way of Hoboken, New Jersey. The 40 bodies of ex-service men were shipped to relatives for burial at various points throughout the state of Minnesota.

Funeral arrangements for the former Pennington county soldier were in charge of the Henry Svare post of the American Legion of Goodridge, which post was named after him.

INSTALLATION HELD FOR ENCAMPMENT

Riverside Lodge No. 22 Starts Year With Good Balance and Better Prospects.

The installation of officers for Riverside Encampment No. 22, I. O. O. F., took place Saturday Evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. The installation was conducted by F. C. Dablow, D. D. G. P. and the officers installed were as follows. Chief Patriarch, A. P. Robinson; High Priest, John L. Gasow; Senior Warden, Bert F. Umland; Junior Warden, V. F. Robarge; Scribe, Adolf Eklund; Treasurer, T. P. Anderson; Guide, A. G. Gabrielson; Inside Sentinel, J. W. Denhart; Outside Sentinel, Arthur K. Berg; First Watch, Leonard Hanson; Second Watch, Emil Norquist; Third Watch, Albert H. Carlson; Fourth Watch, Alf. O. Anderson; First guard of tent, Ole Hedalen; Second guard of tent, George Swanson; Trustee, Carl Angell.

The installation was largely attended. Among the out-of-the-city members and visitors were: J. W. Denhart and C. Keller from Hazel, and A. S. Wilson, Paul Olson, G. W. Hooper and Norman E. Patterson from St. Hilaire. V. B. Chapin from Roseau, who was the first visitor to the Encampment, was also present.

Considerable business of importance was transacted at this meeting. The report showed the Encampment to be in a flourishing condition considering the length of time it has been in existence, which is less than a year. At the close of the meeting a banquet was served of which everybody partook to their heart's content. A most enjoyable time was had.

Births Exceeded Deaths By 50 During Past Year

The records of Dr. J. Biederman, city health officer, disclose that both the birth and death rates in Thief River Falls during the past year were greater than during the two previous years and that the law of general averages is working effectively. One hundred thirty-four births and 84 deaths were recorded for the year 1920. The total numbers for 1919 were 123 births and 70 deaths, while in 1918 there were 133 births and 82 deaths.

Dr. Biederman states that the death rate for the city is comparatively greater than that of the county as a whole owing to the fact that deaths of out of town patients which occur at the hospitals here are recorded in the city records.

ELECTORS MUST APPROVE BONDS TO AID SCHOOLS

Board Cannot Raise Necessary Money Without Submitting Matter to People.

Early Date Will Be Set For Election as Money is Needed to Carry on Work.

Increased Cost of Operation Only Reason For Falling Short At This Time.

The board of education at a special meeting on Wednesday afternoon authorized the calling of a special school election for the purpose of voting on a school bond issue of approximately $70,000 to take up the floating indebtedness of school district No. 18. No date has been set for the election, though it is known that it will take place within the next three weeks. Communications from the Minneapolis Trust company, which has contracted to effect a sale of the school bonds, had stated that a school election would be unnecessary, as the board of education were invested with the power of authorizing the sale of such bonds necessary to taking up of floating indebtedness. A later opinion of bonding attorneys of the trust company, as expressed by G. B. Keenan, representative of that organization, who met with the members of the board yesterday, stated that a special election would be necessary.

Others in Same Boat.

Action on the bond issue was taken following a request from the banks of Thief River Falls that district No. 18 take up school warrants totalling approximately $68,000. Ordiniarily the banks could have handled these warrants, but owing to the present financial condition, some procedure whereby they could be placed on a cash basis became necessary. This condition is not peculiar to Thief River Falls alone, as it is generally known that schools throughout the nation are finding themselves in a like financial shortage. The floating of bonds in North Dakota, in the twin cities, Chicago and New York city have been cited as incidences of these financial straits.

The excellence of the Thief River Falls schools is recognized throughout the state; as is the fact that the city is gifted with a greater percentage of children of a school age than almost any other city of a like population in the entire United States. The main item in the increased running expense of the city schools is the pay roll of the 57 teachers, it having been necessary to offer larger salaries to instructors for the present school term in order to secure those of the proper qualifications. The pay roll of the city schools at present approximates $90,000 annually. The total expenditures for the school term of 1919-1920 were slightly over $104,000. The indebtedness arises from the fact that no increases in tax levy were made previous to the year 1920, which levy, though increased, is not received until the present year, the first settlement taking place in March.

Members of the school board state that expenditures are being held down in every department, even to the extent of handicapping instructors and pupils in their work in many instances.

GETS 100 MEMBERS FOR FARM BUREAU

R. J. McKercher Continues the Work on His Own Hook With Fine Results.

R. J. McKercher of St. Hilaire, a director of the Pennington county Farm Bureau, since the membership drive for that organization was discontinued on December 22 because of weather conditions, has been soliciting new members in his spare time, using his own teams and traveling alone. He has added over 100 new names to the rolls of the organization, having encountered but five or six farmers who failed to enlist with the bureau in his house to house journey. The farmers in the southern half of Bray township enlisted to a man.

He has completed the canvass of Polk Center township with the exception of the northwest corner. His operations have also extended into Black River and River Falls townships. He stated that his endeavors for the present would be confined to Sanders, Rocksbury and the north half of Bray townships.

Other members of the membership squad who were assisting in the Pennington county drive are desirous of completing it at once and are awaiting instructions from J. S. Jones, state membership campaign manager. Stuart McLeod of Goodridge, was expected to continue the soliciting of new members starting the first of this week, but was ordered to Park Rapids to assist in a drive being staged there.

Get Good Price For Wool.

Co-operative marketing of wool through the county agent, gave growers of Williamson county, Texas, 60 cents a pound at a time when local buyers were offering but 35 cents.

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City News

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crown on Tuesday evening.

Arnold Jackson left Monday afternoon for Fergus Falls on a business mission.

Mrs. Henry Olson of St. Hilaire visited with relatives and attended to shopping here on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Spinks of Middle River, arrived in this city Monday afternoon to attend to shopping.

Miss Viola Lund returned Saturday evening from Angus where she spent a few days visiting with friends.

C. D. Gustafson departed for Minneapolis Monday evening to attend a convention of implement dealers.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and children departed Tuesday evening for the Twin Cities for a brief visit.

Mrs. Geo. Larson underwent an operation for appendicitis and tumor Tuesday morning at the local hospital.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist returned the first of the week from Grand Forks where she spent a few days visiting her sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Kelley and daughter Loretta, left Tuesday evening for St. Paul to spend a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Oscar Knutson and three children left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where they will visit with relatives for a few weeks.

Miss Josephine Eichammer who visited here during the holidays, returned to her home at East Grand Forks Saturday afternoon.

Miss Elsie Paulson, who spent a few weeks visiting at her home here, returned Saturday evening to Minneapolis where she is employed.

Fred Beerbower left Monday evening for the southern part of the state for the purpose of securing a carload of high grade Holstein cattle.

Dan Patterson of St. Hilaire, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Inez, visited with friends and attended to business matters here on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Mallory returned to her home at Grand Forks Saturday afternoon after a brief visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. F. Fisher.

Mrs. Robt. Vance and daughter Betty returned Saturday evening from Minneapolis where they spent a week as the guests of the former's sister.

Miss Ellen Nelson, who attends the local high school, returned to this city on Saturday after spending the holidays visiting her folks at St. Hilaire.

Grant Mason, who spent a few days visiting at the home of his niece, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, returned to his home at Minneapolis Saturday evening.

Miss Hazel Haraldson, who had spent a week as the guest of her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, returned to her home at Crookston on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stitt and children returned Saturday evening from Minneapolis where they had passed a week visiting with relatives and friends.

E. W. Heinricks, manager of the J. C. Penney store here, returned Saturday morning from Grand Forks where he had attended a meeting of that corporation.

Miss Maybelle Swanson, who spent the holidays visiting her parents at St. Hilaire, returned to this city on Saturday to take up her studies at the high school.

Oscar Paulson, assessing agent for the Am. Express Co. here, was operated on at Warren Friday. Recent reports state that Mr. Paulson is improving rapidly.

Miss Caroline Espleen arrived here Monday afternoon from her home at Randeen, where she had visited over the holiday vacation. Miss Espleen attends the local high school.

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn, who spent the holiday vacation with their parents at Viking, returned to this city Saturday evening to resume their studies at the local high school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christenson and daughters, Thelma and Gladys, returned Saturday morning from Henning and Alexandria, where they spent a week visiting with relatives.

Miss Ellen Eklund, who is working in the capacity of demonstrator for a Minneapolis firm, and who was formerly employed as saleslady for the Oen Mercantile Co., is spending the weeks as the guest of her folks in this city.

Mrs. D. D. Murray arrived here on Friday evening from Lancaster where she had spent a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Horner and was the guest of Miss Anna Aspelund between trains. She left Saturday morning for her home at Baudette.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Kampschmidt came down from Roseau on Saturday and visited over Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Kreidt. They left Monday afternoon for Crookston where they will spend a few days as the guests of friends, leaving that city for Wadena where Rev. Kreidt has accepted a position as pastor of the church at that place.

Notice to Ice Users.

We are now in a position to handle orders for ice from outside towns and urge all users to secure their supply at once. Special low rates on ice shipped before April 1. Write for special low prices.

RED LAKE ICE COMPANY,
j6-13-20-27 Thief River Falls.

The Kiddies Love It

Our bottled milk goes straight to the hearts of the children. They like its creamy goodness. It is pure, pasteurized, rich and wholesome—the very best food for little ones. Let them drink lots of it, and use it for soups, sauces, puddings, bread, biscuits, cake etc.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

JUST at inventory time an excellent opportunity is presented careful buyers to secure some exceptional bargains. We find ourselves overstocked on a number of lines and will make the price attractive for quick disposal.

Come in and tell us just what you need. We know we can save you money.

LARSON FURNITURE COMPANY

Society and Club

W. C. T. U. to Hold Meeting.

The local W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Peter Eberhart on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 18. Everybody welcome.

Entertained Informally.

Mrs. W. J. LaBree informally entertained a few of her most intimate friends at her home, 523 Knight Ave. N., last evening.

Entertains.

Mrs. M. W. Brink informally entertained a few of her friends at her home Thursday evening. A chafing dish lunch was served before the guests departed.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick entertained a few of her friends at her home Saturday afternoon. Needlework formed the diversion. At five o'clock a delightful lunch was served.

Entertained at Dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogenson and family at dinner at the Brumund hotel Sunday noon.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. W. A. Ziegler and Mrs. Guy Halvorson at the home of the latter, 515 LaBree Ave. N., tomorrow afternoon, Jan. 14. Lunch will be served at 4:00 o'clock.

Will Entertain Friends.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds and Mrs. Robert Vance will entertain a number of ladies at the former's home tomorrow evening. The hours will be spent in music and needlework. A delicious lunch will be served at midnight.

Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loken, Miss Florence Lian and Miss Cecelia Peterson were guests of Messrs. Robt. Doherty and Frank Albrecht of Chicago, at dinner at the Brumund hotel Monday evening.

Celebrated 81st Birthday.

Mrs. J. A. Mearow, mother of Mrs. H. A. Brumund with whom she makes her home, celebrated her eighty-first birthday on Wednesday. Mrs. Mearow is hale and hearty and states that she is enjoying the exceptional winter weather.

M. E. Junior Choir Entertained.

Mrs. C. A. Nason delightfully entertained the members of the Junior choir of the Methodist church Thursday at her home. In the afternoon the girls were her guests and a sumptuous supper was enjoyed at six. In the evening the boys were entertained at a candy pull.

Entertains at Party.

The T. L. Melgaard home, 105 St. Paul Ave. S., was the scene of a delightful party Thursday evening when Miss Margaret and brother Lee entertained a company of their friends at cards. At the conclusion of the evening a delicious lunch was served.

Woman's Club.

The next meeting of the Woman's club will be held Monday afternoon, Jan. 17 at the Commercial club rooms. After the business session Mrs. Geo. Biddick will talk on social welfare activities. Lesson No. 5, "Political Parties," will be led by Mrs. A. Bottleson.

Party.

Little Helen Granum entertained six of her friends at her home Wednesday afternoon. The little folks had a merry time playing various games until the lunch hour when they partook of delicious refreshments. Those present were, Esther, Margaret and Bernice Granum, Judith and Ruth Quammen and Carrol Sondreal.

Banquet.

Prominent among the social affairs and elaborate in all its appointments was the banquet given at the Brumund hotel Friday evening for the directors, stockholders and employees of the First and Peoples' State bank. Places were laid for approximately forty guests. A. M. Sheldon, president, of Minneapolis, was toastmaster.

Engagement Announced.

The following taken from the Sunday edition of the Minneapolis Journal will prove interesting to many local people:

"Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Decker of 1315 Mount Curve Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Katherine, to David Judson Winton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Winton."

Johnson-Kvian.

Lorentz Johnson of this city and Laura Kvian of Roseau, were united in marriage Saturday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the Zion Lutheran parsonage. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, officiated in the presence of Conrad Vinge and Mable Vinge.

The newly married couple will make their future home in this city.

Thrift Work Important.

"Two-thirds of the local clubs in the state have thrift chairman, according to Mrs. H. W. Froehlich of Thief River Falls, Minn., chairman. 'Let us have business methods in everything we undertake,' is the suggestion of the chairman."

The above clipping, taken from the Minneapolis Journal, shows the keen interest Mrs. Froehlich takes in her official capacity as state chairman of thrift.

Entertain at Brumund.

In compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Olson of Big River, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. O. Ramstad were hosts at dinner at the Brumund hotel Friday, Dec. 23. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Ramstad, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Karwand, Mrs. Ila Reynolds, Hazel Conklin, C. W. Vorachek, Carl Gulrud, Fred Erickson and Ed. Brevig.

Social Welfare Meeting.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Monday afternoon with an attendance of about twenty. The meeting was a very enthusiastic one and much work was accomplished. Most of the afternoon was spent in mending and darning. The sum of three dollars was realized from this meeting. Mrs. E. M. Stanton will entertain this section at her home on Jan. 21.

Buffet Supper.

Among the social events of the season of unique nature was the buffet supper at which Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird were hosts. Dinner was served at six o'clock at the Laird home, 913 Main Ave. N., on Wednesday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nielai, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biddick, Miss Laura Stopple and Miss Meta Kiland.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club met at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening. The business meeting was opened by a reading of the secretary's report by Miss Effie Hamry. This was followed by the treasurer's report for the past year by Miss Esther Giertson. Miss Thora Hanson delighted the club with two vocal selections. The second chapter of the "New Voter" which explained tariff, was read by Miss Maude Frissell. Light refreshments consisting of cheese sandwiches and cocoa were served by the H's, I's and J's.

Woodmen Installation.

The Modern Woodmen of America held their annual installation of officers in the I. O. O. F. hall last Thursday evening. Officers for the present year were installed as follows: V. consul, S. A. Hanson; advisor, Frank Protz; banker, H. K. Strand; watchman, Andy Smith; clerk, George Werstlein; escort, R. G. Cook; sentry, H. D. Cady. E. K. Aasen will act as trustee for a period of three years.

Mr. Aasen acted as master of ceremonies; J. J. Weeks as installing consul and H. A. Ohm as installing escort.

Double Wedding.

A wedding which comes as a complete surprise to their many friends here was that of Miss Thora Ness to Geo. Clifford of Fargo and Miss Stella Anderson and Clyde Loveless also of Fargo. The double ceremony occurred in Moorhead, Dec. 24. They will make their homes at the latter city and will reside on 13th avenue north. Both young ladies are well and favorably known here and up to the time of their marriage were employed by the Times Printing and Manufacturing company. The grooms are employed as barbers in Fargo. The Times joins with their numerous friends in wishing them a happy wedded life.

Bridge Club Has Banquet.

The six losers of the Bridge club, including Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, W. A. Barnard, Miss Grace Iverson and Nels Christianson, entertained at a banquet at the Brumund hotel on Tuesday evening. In addition to the regular members those having substituted on various occasions were also entertained. They were Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. Wm. Bon Durant, Dr. Milan and Miss Laura Forde. Following the repast the guests were taken to the Mellby home where the remainder of the evening was spent in music and cards. Misses Laura Forde and Ausilga Sorenson offered violin and piano selections while Mrs. L. F. Fisher and Miss Grace Iverson sang.

Music Section to Meet.

The music section of the Woman's club will give a program on American music at the home of Mrs. O. F. Mellby on Tuesday evening next. Mrs. C. A. Nason will be the leader. The following program has been arranged:

Roll call—Respond with current events.

Piano Duet—Selected, Miss Mae Bark and Miss Lillian Poppitz.

Trio, "Deep River," Burleigh, by Misses Edna Larson, Thora Hanson and Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

Paper on American music—Mrs. B. W. Briggs.

Vocal solo, "Cradle Song," Kate Vannah—Miss Meta Kiland.

Piano solo, selected—Miss Gerda Mortenson.

Will Reorganize Athletic Club; Start Classes Soon

Reorganization of the Thief River Falls Athletic club is under way, according to a statement issued by G. A. Fallness, of whose establishment in the basement of the Citizens bank building, the gymnasium is a part. The club was organized a year ago under the yearly plan. Memberships have expired and concerted effort will be made toward reorganization along lines which will most benefit the business man.

Efforts at present are being directed toward establishing a class in physical culture. H. E. Elling will act as instructor if the required membership can be secured, classes to start immediately. It is planned to conduct classes on Friday of each week.

Wrestling matches and boxing bouts are being staged daily in the gymnasium at the present time. Targie Froisnes of Goodridge, wrestler, who has already established a name for himself, is going through some strenuous work-outs, in preparation for a match in the immediate future, arrangements for which are being completed. John Johnson is acting as his training partner.

RAIL AND SHOP

Reducing Railroad Forces Because of Slack Business

Three railroads, the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie, the Minneapolis and St. Paul, and the Great Northern recently announced a reduction of forces. The Soo line, according to Edmund Pennington, president, will operate a five-day week in the shops affecting about 1,400 men. W. H. Bremme, president of the Minneapolis & St. Paul estimated that 1,250 employes had been laid off the entire system since September 1st. The Great Northern is reducing its forces wherever possible partly because there always is a reduction in the winter and partly due to slackening business, G. R. Martins, vice-president declared.

Thief River Falls travelers during the past week were: Mrs. J. L. Stitt and son Allison, to Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Roisland to St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson and son to Minneapolis; Anton Eklund and daughter to Warren.

The number of freight cars brought to the car shops at Thief River Falls during the past month has been unusually large. Enough cars are at present in the yards to keep the entire force busy for over six weeks. Practically all of them are Soo cars, foreign rolling stock being carried to respective owners.

R. L. Van Dousen has been appointed second trick operator at Detroit, relieving E. H. Gulden who will act as first trick man and ticket cashier. Mr. Gulden relieves H. B. Pfieffer, who has been sent to Warren to relieve agent J. O. Herrick, who has been granted an extended leave of absence.

A. L. Chapman has been checked in as agent at Loma, relieving A. E. Swan, transferred to Ogema, where he will relieve agent C. A. Attiama, who has been granted a leave of absence on account of the death of his wife. Mrs. Attiama died Friday evening, after a long illness. Interment was made at Rockford, Minn., Monday.

C. M. Holmes has been put on as joint agent at Bisbee, vice C. H. Knutson transferred to Lansford.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist

will be at Hotel Evelyn Jan. 26. Afternoon only. Eyes examined, glasses fitted.

That the policy of conservatism and safety is being maintained by the officers and directors of the Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, is indicated by the report of condition at the close of business on December 31st, 1920:

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	$747,353.20
Overdrafts	36.54
U. S. Bonds	50,200
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	25,100.00
Other Real Estate	40,400.00
Cash on Hand and in Banks	70,293.65
	$933,383.45

LIABILITIES	
Capital	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	14,205.18
Reserve for Depreciation on Bonds	1,303.47
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable	77,500.00
Deposits	780,374.80
	$933,383.45

On the strength of the showing made in the foregoing statement we feel justified in recommending our bank to the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity as one of the safest and best conducted banking institutions in Northern Minnesota.

CITIZENS STATE BANK
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Coal Prices Reduced

The unusual weather conditions during the past few weeks have caused the Dock Companies to make a sharp reduction in the prices of all coal, and we quote below our delivered prices on the various grades we have in stock:

Fairmont Lump	$16
West Virginia Splint	$16
Hocking Lump	$16
Hocking Stove	$15
Kentucky Lump	$16
North Dakota Lignite	$ 8

While the above prices represent a decided loss to us, having purchased our stocks at the high prices, we feel it proper to take our loss and follow the present market. WE AIM TO PLEASE IN BOTH SERVICE AND PRICE.

The PRICHARD COMPANY

WHO CURES YOU WHEN YOU ARE SICK?

Most people are aware, that NATURE is really the power that cures, when sickness afflicts the body, and that the different methods employed in combating disease are for the purpose of assisting Nature in bringing about a cure, but probably many people are using the word Nature in this connection without realizing what they mean by Nature. If we would define NATURE, in relation to our bodies, we could [illegible] er conclusion than that it must be the NERVE FORCE because this is the power that controls every part of the body. Being generated in the brain, it passes over the spinal cord, spinal nerves, through the openings between the vertebrae (spinal bones) and follows the nerves to all the various organs and muscles of the body. This power it is that makes your heart beat, your lungs breathe, your stomach digest its food; it makes your kidneys act, moves your bowels and makes it possible for you to use your muscles; in fact, it controls the function of all organs, muscles and the special senses in the body. If the nerve current should suddenly be withheld to any part of the body, this part would immediately become paralyzed and lose its function. Thus it is, that a person having broken his back becomes paralyzed from where the injury occurs in the spine and downward, because one of the vertebrae, being either dislocated or fractured, is pressing upon the spinal cord to such an extent as to cut off the nerve power below the point of the pressure, while there may be normal function in the body above the pressure.

With this fact in mind, it is then evident that if we are going to have normal function and ease in every part of the body, NATURE or the NERVE CURRENT must have free and unhindered access to every part of the body, and this is accomplished if the nerves are in a perfect condition and free from pressure, throughout their entire length. In order that this may be possible, the bones that form the spine must be perfectly joined together, each vertebra must be exactly in its right position, as the slightest displacement will cause the spinal nerve opening to become smaller, which will result in pressure upon the nerve leading out through this opening and thus interfere with Nature or the Nerve Current passing over the pinched nerve, which will mean abnormal function, or sickness in the body, wherever the pinched nerves lead.

Even though there is no actual pain in the spine, it is no indication that the spine is normal. If the nerves have been pinched for a long time, they often lose their sensitiveness to such pressure.

Headaches, Insomnia, St. Vitus Dance, Paralysis, Epilepsy; Eye and Ear Diseases, General Nervousness, Wry Neck; Nasal Catarrh, Adenoids, Facial Neuralgia; Throat Troubles, Tonsilitis, Goitre; Bronchitis, Asthma, Rheumatism of Arms and Shoulders; Heart Diseases, Writer's Cramp, Round Shoulders; Lung Troubles, Pleurisy, Intercostal Neuralgia; Diseases of Liver; Sick Headaches, Indigestion Gastritis, Bilious Attacks, Gall Stones; Enlargement of Spleen; Diabetes, Rheumatism, Costiveness; Dysentery, Colic; Appendicitis, Constipation, Hernia; Menstrual Disorders, Uterine Troubles, Bladder Diseases, Prostatic Troubles, Lumbago; Piles, Sciatica, Rheumatism of Legs and Feet.

AFFECTIONS OF any of the following parts may be caused by nerves impinged at the spine by a subluxated vertebra:

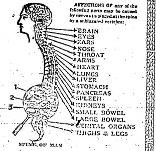

SPINE OF MAN

No matter what is the nature of your sickness there is always a cause for it.
Consult your pioneer Chiropractor

Jennie M. Eastman

Hours: 10-12 A. M.; 2-5 P. M. Office over First & Peoples Bank Building.
Phone: 213-1; Res: 213-2.

I Have Kept Faith

Every Article Advertised Was Sold Just as Advertised

To My Customers

In spite of the unsettled condition of the market I wish to make this positive fact statement:—

PRICES WILL NOT BE LOWER
FOR THE NEXT
SIX TO EIGHT MONTHS

than you find marked on our high grade winter goods. Every article just as advertised.

MY WORD IS MY BOND

Now you can purchase all that you wish, get a full season's wear out of it, and feel assured no one will own it for less than you paid for it.

Lieberman Brothers.

The crowd at times was so large that we had to ask the folks to wait on themselves. Read the items here carefully. They are just as big hits as I gave before---some even better than before.

The prices quoted here give but a faint idea of what savings are made possible in this store. A visit will prove that cold type fails to tell the whole story of the sensational price cutting I have been doing.

WHEN YOU READ THIS JUST EIGHT (8) DAYS ARE LEFT FOR YOU TO GET IN ON THESE BARGAINS. IF YOU LIVE TOO FAR AWAY TO MOTOR TO TOWN, TAKE THE TRAIN. WE WILL PAY RAILROAD FARE TO A DISTANCE OF 50 MILES TO WHOEVER PURCHASES $25 WORTH OF GOODS. BUY YOUR RETURN TICKET AND SHOW IT TO ME.

I FOUND SOME VERY SPLENDID FOLKS HERE. I LIKE TO MEET FOLKS BECAUSE I STRIVE TO GIVE THE BEST SERVICE POSSIBLE. COME AGAIN IF YOU HAVE BEEN HERE, AND YOU WHO HAVE NOT BEEN HERE, ACT QUICK OR YOUR NEIGHBOR WILL GET BIGGER BARGAINS THAN YOU.

OTTO W. KAULBARSCH,
Salesconductor.

MEN'S OVERCOATS
HIGHEST GRADE
SENSATION PRICE
$33.00

Be In Line Friday, January 14th, 9:00 a. m.

HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX
$50 and $60 SUITS
NOW
$33.40

MEN'S SHIRTS
98c

BOYS' HEAVY HOSE
21c

MEN'S FIBRE SILK SHIRTS, NEAT STYLES
$3.45

$12.00 WOOL SWEATERS NOW AT
$7.35

A SALE OF SHOES

WITHOUT A PARALLEL

VALUES AWAITING YOU THAT WILL SHATTER ALL PREVIOUS RECORDS

SPLENDID LINES OF MEN'S SHOES
VALUES TO $11.00, NOW
$5.95

Included in this wonderful offering are the Whitcomb Shoes, all sizes; black, tan, chocolate, various lasts as well as bals and bluchers. This line will please the men of fine taste. All these now
$5.95

MEN'S FINE SHOES

Solid Leather Soles and Counters. Various lasts to pick from. Values formerly sold at $6.50 to $7.25. These are offered
TO YOU AT
$3.27

BOYS' SHOES

PARENTS, LISTEN! These boys' shoes are for the lads of 5 to 10 years and are made just neat enough to do for dress effect and made solid enough to stand the boys rough wear of sliding.
Hurry, these move fast
AT THE CUT-PRICE OF
$2.85

IT'S BETTER TO WEAR ARCTICS

Than to Pay Doctor Bills

One buckle artics for dress shoes, best makes. Price cut down to ---------- $1.79

Two buckle artics for more comfort; they are valued at $4.50, but here they are, at the amazing price of $2.95

Four buckle artics for the cold wave sure to come. They are really worth $5 and $6. Here you have them at only ---------- $3.19

Boys' heavy 3-buckle artics that are valued at $3.50. Get them while the getting is good ---------- $2.35

Four buckle artics, extra values. They are heavier build and will please you to the end I cut them down to--- $3.79

SOCK RUBBERS

I found the best values I ever saw; you'll say so too, when you see them. Price? Why I cut them way down; they'll go at ---------- $3.45

High top sock rubbers, some with leather tops, some all rubber. They're worth $6 of anyone's money, but I sell 'em at ---------- $4.45

SACRIFICE SALE OF WORK SHOES

You'll need work shoes early this spring; save money and buy them NOW. They are values of $6.00 to $9.50, all sizes and everyone cut down to
$3.85

FOR THE BOYS THAT HELP DADDY

Boys, this is YOUR chance to get a shoe like daddy's that will wear and make you feel like a man. All sizes and various styles of make; all going
FAST AT ONLY
$2.85

BOYS' HIGH TOP SHOES

Included in this amazing sale of boys' high top shoes are the CHIPPEWA BOY sewed and pegged. Values $6.00 at present market prices.
HERE THEY ARE AT
$3.65

BOYS' FINE SHOES

Black and tan, various lasts; every pair solid honor build to wear. You can't touch these at less than $5.00 to $6.00, but during this sale they
ARE YOUR'S AT
$3.85

LITTLE BOYS' SHOES

Mother, a word to you: These shoes are solid build for your darling boy. Let your boy rump, with these shoes you won't mind it one bit.
NUFF SAID
$2.35

$1.50 FINE TIES AT
89c

BOYS' BLOUSES LIGHT & DARK
39c

MEN'S FINE HOSE FAST BLACK
14c

BOYS' BLOUSES THE FINE CHAMBRAY KIND, FAST COLOR
79c

IT WILL PAY WELL
To Come In and See These Suits, Large Assortment, Various Material.
DRASTIC CUT OF PRICE
$22.50

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA

MEN'S OVERCOATS
$35.00 VALUES
GET THEM QUICK
$21.10

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THE DOLLAR-A-WEEK CLUB.

Have you joined the "Dollar-a-week Club?"

Everybody's doing it.

It doesn't hurt now and it makes you happy later on.

Here is how it is done:

Uncle Sam placed on sale, January 1, a new $1 Treasury Savings stamp. Twenty of these stamps, with a little additional change, may be exchanged for one of the new $25 Treasury Savings Certificates, payable at full face value January 1, 1926. The cost of these $25 Certificates in January is $20.60 and they increase in value five cents each month.

"Join the 'Dollar-a-week Club' now" suggests Postmaster Morgan. "It is the most universal organization in the United States, having members from Maine to California. Put your feeble dollars to work and watch them grow strong, hustling for the $25 Treasury Savings Certificate.

"For your own good and the good of your government, Uncle Sam hopes to create a million members of the 'Dollar-a-week Club' and this office strives for the distinction of quickly reporting its proportionate number of members. These stamps are on sale together with the other government savings securities—25 cent thrift stamps, your old friend the $5 War Savings stamp and the $100 Treasury Savings Certificate.

"Now don't just say that is a good idea and let it go at that but come in with your dollar today, with the determination to buy a stamp regularly."

SWINGING TO NORMAL.

In another column of this issue will be found an editorial reprinted from the Minneapolis Journal which should be read with interest by every person who views the future with misgiving. The language in which the article is couched is different from the general tone of such productions and bears the stamp of careful consideration and a background of facts.

All authorities quoted agree that the country has two or three months of trying times ahead, but that by April things will again be sufficiently near the normal to warrant everyone in feeling that the crisis has passed.

The reasons these men, residents of different sections of the country, give for their beliefs are varied but all agree on predicting what the final outcome will be. Professor Fisher of Yale thinks the later half of 1921 will be a period of prosperity, but without a return to pre-war price levels. Professor Parsons of Harvard figures that stocks of goods held by merchants are low in all parts of the country and that these will have to be replenished in the spring. This will create a demand upon the manufacturing centers and a wider employment of labor.

It seems to be agreed that wages will but tardily follow the downward trend of prices. Elbert H. Gary, president of the Steel Corporation, urges caution upon employers in making wage readjustments, stating that the welfare of the employe is a matter of first importance to industry.

The entire article is instructive and of particular value at this time. The closing sentence we can all apply to our own particular problems: "Every one of us has the power to help recovery by acting with common sense."

BETTER HEED ADVICE.

The people of Minnesota do not want the good roads program provided for under the Babcock amendment placed in the hands of any kind of a commission, paid or otherwise. The state government is cluttered up with commissions now, a few doing excellent work, but most of them are more of a hindrance than a help where actual accomplishment is the end sought. The building of hard surfaced roads on such a large scale can best be accomplished by investing one man with full authority and holding him responsible for results. If a commission of some kind is necessary in order to enable a section of our citizenry to rest easy, let it be an advisory body with a membership chosen because of its knowledge of road conditions, construction and materials. This body could act as a board of appeal in cases where controversy over the best methods to be followed might arise as well as be of assistance in determining the general policy. In such case those comprising the board should receive a salary based on the value of their services.

The building of ten million dollars worth of roads demands the centralization of responsibility. There will be developed a large and varied assortment of unofficial critics, no doubt, but that is no reason why the legislature should create a body with full powers to retard progress every time the members felt as if they ought to do something to justify their appointment. Place all the safeguards possible around the expenditure of this vast sum of money, but make one man boss of the actual job.

EFFERVESCENCE

No matter when, how or where Omar Khayyam lived, he apparently would know how to conduct a business under the present conditions. His "Rubaiyat" says, "Ah, take the cash, and let the credit go."

Even if the paving project wasn't getting any place, it could be looked upon as a conversational asset.

Oslai asserts that only the postoffice and the undertaker are enjoying a normal amount of business at the present time.

Between four and five million flourishing young evergreens in the United States have had their promising careers nipped in the bud and are now waiting for the ash man.

Things are still traveling the way of that father of the thirty-fourth child—both "brickbats" and "bouquets."

Those two or three balloonists who rambled off into the wilds have been sufficiently press-agented now to run for the office of dog-catcher in most any hamlet in the country.

Growers of wool can have their product made into blankets and dispose of them to financial advantage; but the wool grower has a slight advantage over the producer of raisins, rye, corn and numerous other incidental commodities. (And this column had hoped to get by one week without reference to the popular subject.)

Politics may have played a large part in the delay of the successful operation of the prohibition laws, but so has the human appetite.

Accident insurance companies declare that twenty-five per cent of all *disabling accidents occur in the home*—the wife certainly can wield the proverbial rolling pin.

"Dairymen's League Will Pool Proceeds of Their Milk." There's another good wheeze in that headline somewhere.

LEGION BASKET TEAM VICTORIOUS IN FIRST GAME WITH FOSSTON

Contest Was One of Best Ever Seen Here, Being Stubbornly Contested at Every Point.

The Legion basket ball team defeated the Legion team of Fosston, 21 to 16, at the city auditorium here on Friday night. The game was one of the fastest and hardest fought battles that has ever been witnessed in Thief River Falls. Perry Johnson, former University basket ball star, refereed the game. The game opened with the lineup:

T. R. F.		Fosston
Kiland	R F	Wynnen
Carlson	L F	Larson
Hadrath	C	Hanson
Holzknecht	R G	Granum
McGinn	L G	Movald

Playing was fast from the outset. Fosston made three clean baskets during the first quarter, against the one made by the local team, who appeared rather weak on team work and basket shooting. The game became interesting during the second quarter in which Carlson made three successive baskets. Fosston scored two more baskets and a free throw. Johnson went into the game in the second quarter relieving Kiland.

The Thief River Falls quintette came back strong for the third quarter. Fosston shot another basket and scored on a free throw. Connell's men had steadied and managed to toss four more baskets, two of which were credited to Carlson. Time was taken out during the last of the third for an injured Fosston man. Kiland replaced Hadrath. The local Legionnaries displayed exceptional team work during the last quarter, against which the team work of the Fosston quintette, which had operated so smoothly during the first half, seemed of no avail. Fosston failed to make several baskets at close range shooting, but scored one long-distance basket that won the applause of the entire house. Time was taken out by the local team, Hadrath going back in Johnson's place. Fosston apparently having gone to pieces with the injury of a man in the third, Thief River Falls made four baskets during the last quarter with apparent ease, resulting in a score of 24 to 16.

Features of the game were the long distance basket shooting of the Fosston men, the strong team work displayed by the local team during the last half, and the stellar game played by Johnson and Carlson.

The Legion quintette plays the team of Company I, Crookston National Guard, at Crookston tonight. A game with the Y. M. C. A. team of Grand Forks, or with the Legion team of Detroit, is scheduled to be played here Friday evening, Jan. 21. Challenges are coming in from many other fast teams.

Small Attendance at Dance.

The second dance of the winter series given by the Thief River Falls Elks on Thursday evening is considered as having been practically a failure from the standpoint of attendance. The fact that the occasion so closely followed the holiday period is given as the reason for the small turn out of members for this number of the season's festivities which as a rule prove so popular.

Local Man Makes Record; Presented With Ford Auto

A. G. Gabrielson, representative in this section for the Economy Advertising company, specialty manufacturers of Iowa City, Iowa, was this week surprised to learn that he is to become the owner of a Ford car without its costing him anything. Mr. Gabrielson has just closed a very successful year and in recognition of his services will be presented with the car, as the following letter from W. W. Mercer, general manager of the company, proves:

"We have been raking our brains to do something for you in appreciation of the wonderful business that you turned in last year and have finally decided that the most appropriate gift that we could make you would be the Ford car which we bought last spring.

"We are enclosing the necessary papers and ask you to accept this with our best wishes. We certainly are gratified at the fine lot of business which you sent in, which reached us yesterday."

ST. PAUL WOMAN OVER TROUBLES

Miss Paddock Says Tanlac Has Restored Her to Health After Suffering.

"It's just wonderful the way Tanlac has built me up and relieved me of my troubles," said Miss Anna Paddock, of 1042 Randolph St., St. Paul, Minn.

"For more than two years before I got Tanlac my stomach was in a badly disordered condition. There were a number of things I never dared to eat, but no matter how careful I was about my diet I bloated up with gas and had intense pains after eating. I also had severe pains in my sides and my nerves wouldn't let me rest day or night. In spite of everything I could do I kept getting worse and just felt weak, miserable and despondent all the time.

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Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm and at Goodridge by G. G. Gubrid.—adv.

Attends Annual Meeting Of Picture Exhibitors

H. A. Brumund, proprietor of the Lyceum and Princess motion picture houses, is in St. Paul for the purpose of attending the annual convention of the First National Exhibitors association, of which body he is a member and franchise holder. Directors will be elected for the present year and arrangements completed for the purchase of upwards of 40 new films, to be shown here during 1921.

The First National Exhibitors association is a nation-wide organization. This district comprises the states of Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Wisconsin, and the lower peninsula of Michigan. Pictures are purchased direct from the motion picture stars and from the producers in an effort to eliminate the showing of suggestive and inferior pictures. The productions are selected from the box-office standpoint and on their merits alone. The association is one of the great factors in financing motion picture stars in their own productions, which method is said to produce a higher grade of attractions.

State Dairymen to Hold Convention Jan. 18-19-20

A joint convention of the State Dairymen's association and the Red River Valley Dairymen's association will be held at Fergus Falls on Jan. 18, 19 and 20. One of the best programs ever presented to a similar gathering has been prepared, the following well-known speakers appearing: C. G. Selvig, Crookston; C. P. Fitch, University Farm; James Sorenson, secretary Minnesota Creamery Operators and Managers association; Andrew French, former dairy commissioner; A. J. McKerrow, University Farm; A. J. Glover, editor Hoard's Dairyman, Ft. Atkinson, Wis.; C. P. Murphy, Wheaton, president State Fair association; J. M. Hackney, proprietor Arden Dairy Farms, St. Paul; B. Scott, Holstein authority, St. Paul; Geo. P. Grout, president State Dairymen's association; Hon. Chris Heen, state dairy and food commissioner.

NOTICE FOR PROPOSALS.

City Depository.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minn., for depositories of the moneys in the city treasury during the year ensuing after Feb. 1, 1921, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said city prior to eight o'clock p. m., Feb. 1, 1921, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read and contract let for such depositories.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 12th day of January, 1921.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

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City Printing.

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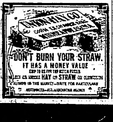

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Will Attend Reception in Honor of Governor Preus

Doctors H. W. Froehlich and O. F. Mellby attended the medical clinics at St. Paul Wednesday evening, one of the features of the meeting being the reading of a paper by the renowned Dr. Crile of Cleveland, Ohio. Mrs. Froehlich and son, William, who accompanied Dr. Froehlich, attended the recital given on Wednesday evening by Galli Curci. Mrs. Froehlich will also attend a meeting of the executive board of the League of Women voters, of which she is a member representing the Ninth district.

This evening Dr. and Mrs. Froehlich and Dr. Mellby will attend a reception given by Governor Preus and staff at the state capital. Members of the party expect to return to Thief River Falls Saturday or Sunday.

Asks Postmaster to Help Find Members of Family

Postmaster John Morgan is in receipt of a letter from Nannie Amelia Hongo of 245 East 53rd street, Portland, Ore., in which she asks that he assist her in locating members of her family. She writes: "I have lost all track of my family and wish you would kindly hand this card to anyone bearing my name. They were last heard of in that vicinity. Any information will be greatly appreciated. Two of my brothers are named Anard and Arthur Hongo."

Should any reader of The Times know the present address of either or both of these men they will confer a favor by informing Mr. Morgan or writing direct to the above address.

Christ John Bothman.

Christ John Bothman, who had been a resident of this community for the past 14 years, died on Jan. 9, at his home in River Falls township from apoplexy at the age of 59 years. Deceased was born in Germany, immigrating to this country 35 years ago devoting most of his time to farming. Interment will take place in Greenwood cemetery.

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class, 10 a. m. Services Sunday evening in Norwegian, 7:45 p. m. Choir practice, 7:00 p. m. Services with communion at Rindall church, 11 a. m. Zion Ladies Aid will give an extra donation for Augsburg Seminary Thursday, 2 p. m. Business men and clerks and all are invited to come and have a good lunch. Zion young peoples meeting Thursday evening, 8 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Norwegian services Sunday, 11 a. m. English services at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible Class 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. The choir meets for practice at Larson's Furniture store Thursday evening at 7:30. Catechumen class meets at the parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday Jan. 20th and be entertained by Mrs. Olaf Ramstad, Mrs. J. O. Suthre, Mrs. O. H. Nelson, Mrs. Severt Benson, and the Young Peoples' League Thursday evening, Jan. 20th. Rev. E. A. Mostue will give an address at this meeting. The annual business meeting of the congregation will be held at the church Tuesday Jan. 18th. A full attendance of all voting members is desired. The meeting will be called to order at 2 p. m.

Christian Science—Services will be held at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Life." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Jan. 16. 10 a. m. Sunday school. A full force of teachers and classes offers opportunity to everyone who attends. We extend an invitation to adults to continue the study of the Bible in a special course under a splendidly equipped teacher. All classes open to young people of various grades. 11 a. m. morning worship, "Way Marks of the Kingdom." The choir will render special musical numbers. 8 p. m. evening worship. The junior choir will lead the singing and will render, "We Sail Along Toward the Harbor Lights," and "Raise the Song of Triumph," as special selections. Juniors 3 p. m., C. E. 7 p. m. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. Ziegler and Mrs. G. Halvorson on Friday, Jan. 14., at 518 LaBree Ave. N.

Swedish Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language Sunday at 10:30. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. English services at 7:45. The Ladies' Aid society will meet in the church basement on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 19, with Mrs. Frank Carlson entertaining. Mrs. Carlson will also entertain the Luther League the same evening.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 16. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

S. D. A. Mission—Meetings at the Library basement on Saturday, Jan. 15th at 2 p. m. and on Sunday evening Jan. 16 at 7:30 o'clock, the subject being: "The Free Gift of Salvation; how do we obtain it?" Come and bring a friend.

Spring Planting Time Will Soon Be Here

Send for catalog and sample packet REPUTATION SEEDS, which are grown especially for northern gardens and farms. You will want the best, so get busy and write now to Duluth Floral Company, Duluth, Minnesota.

Dr. Vistaunet Returns..

Dr. P. L. Vistaunet returned this week from Chicago where he has just completed a post graduate course at the Cook County hospital, Dr. Lindlake's college and sanitarium of Natural Therapeutics and the Dr. Howard College of Chiropractic.

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LOKEN BROTHERS

City News

Mrs. M. O. Saugen and son Otto, of Steiner, shopped in this city on Saturday.

Miss Grace Wilson is spending the week at Minneapolis as the guest of friends.

Jos. Welrus of Minneapolis is spending a few days in the city visiting with friends.

Miss Gladys Anderson is spending the week in the twin cities visiting numerous friends.

W. H. Halbert, who is employed by the Soo out of Kenmare, spent the week-end in this city.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald of Goodridge was in the city on Saturday attending a meeting of the Red Cross.

Attorney W. J. Brown returned on Saturday evening from Warren where he spent the day on business.

Anton Langseth left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where he attended to business matters for a few days.

Miss Ella Pelto returned the latter part of last week from Two Harbors, where she visited during the holidays.

Miss Maxine Johnson returned on Saturday evening from Warren where she had spent a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Lydia Batten returned Saturday evening from Rosewood where she had spent her two week's vacation at her home.

O. H. Nelson departed Friday morning for Decorah, Ia., in response to a wire that his aged father had passed away.

Miss Ruth Johnson, school nurse, returned Saturday evening from St. Paul where she had visited during the holiday vacation.

Miss Gerda Mortenson returned on Monday morning from Fosston where she spent the holiday vacation as the guest of her parents.

Miss Audlga Sorenson, instructor of violin, returned Friday from her home at Grand Forks, where she had visited over the holidays.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown, accompanied by Mrs. J. Englebert and children, of Bronson, left Sunday for Grygla to visit at their former home.

Mrs. A. Moreau returned to her home at Argyle on Friday morning after a two days' visit here with her daughter, Mrs. T. J. Rowan.

Miss Irene Patrick returned Monday morning from her home at Hinckley, where she had spent the holiday vacation visiting her parents.

Miss Myrtle Anderson, accompanied by her brother, Carl, was in the city on Saturday morning attending to shopping and visiting friends.

Mrs. H. Hruby of Mavie was the guest of her daughter, Miss Alice, who is employed at Black's Sweet shop, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. James Duckworth and daughter, Luronne, of Crookston, spent a couple of days the latter part of last week as guests of Mrs. Anna Dock.

Mrs. S. Laurentson, who teaches near Roseau, was called to St. Hilaire on Saturday because of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. M. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence returned last week from points in South Dakota where they spent a considerable length of time visiting with relatives.

Oscar Smith, state oil inspector, returned Wednesday morning from the southern part of the state where he had spent the holidays visiting with relatives.

Miss Margaret Dix, who spent her vacation as the guest of her folks at Minneapolis, returned Monday morning to take up her work at the local high school.

Miss Margaret Jorden returned on Saturday evening from Duluth where she had spent the holidays at her home. She is engaged as instructor in the local schools.

Mrs. Chas. Halgrim arrived here Saturday evening from her home at Rosewood and spent Sunday as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

F. A. Tripp returned Monday morning from Minneapolis where he spent the holidays at his home, to take up his duties as instructor of agriculture in the local high school.

Miss Lucille Brooks, who spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents at Plummer, returned to this city Saturday to resume her work at the Kiewel company's office.

Misses Olga Lofgren and Inez Howe returned from their respective homes at Tower, where they spent the holidays, to resume their duties as instructors in the local schools.

Miss Margaret Mealy, a member of the teaching corps at the local high school, returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where she passed the holidays with her parents.

Miss Ada Whipps returned from Minneapolis after a two weeks vacation spent in visiting her parents who reside at that place. Miss Whipps teaches at the Northrup school.

Miss Lillian Poppitz, instructor of home economics at the local high school, returned the first of the week from Heron Lake, to resume her duties, after the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Andrews returned Friday from a week's honeymoon trip spent in the twin cities. Mr. Andrews has resumed his duties at the E. O. Mogensen Clothing store.

Miss Mae Bark, who spent the holiday vacation as the guest of her parents at Duluth, returned to this city Saturday evening to resume her duties as teacher in the local schools.

L. Fevig, representing the Standard Oil company, with headquarters in this city, returned Thursday morning from Fargo and Moorhead, where he visited with relatives over the New Year.

Miss Therese Glefer returned to Goodridge Monday morning to continue her duties as teacher in the public school after a two weeks' vacation spent in this city with her folks.

Misses Beth Eraistedt and Florence Nylander, teachers in the local schools returned Saturday evening from their home at Duluth where they were the guests of their parents during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left Friday for Duluth where they spent a couple of days visiting friends, continuing from that point to Chisholm where they will be guests at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Phyllis Dock returned Saturday morning from Fergus Falls where she had spent the entire vacation as a guest at the home of her uncle, P. O. Dock and family. She resumed her studies at the Northrup school on Monday.

Misses Amy and Gladys Nelson, have been spending the holidays visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson, returned to Minneapolis near which place the former teaches school and where Miss Gladys is a student at McPhail.

Rev. and Mrs. Clinton Cooke of Lemmon, S. D., are expected to arrive in this city the latter part of this week to take up their residence. Rev. Cooke has been appointed representative of the Presbyterian Sunday School Board with headquarters in this city.

Edward Peterson returned on Saturday afternoon to Wylie, where he is engaged in teaching school, after a two week's visit with his parents who reside four miles west of this city.

Miss Effie Frederickson arrived on Friday morning from Glenwood where she had been the guest of her father for a few days and visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink between trains, leaving in the afternoon for St. Hilaire where she remained until Tuesday. She left this city yesterday morning for Bronson, where she is engaged in teaching school.

Miss Edna Anderson, who attends the local high school returned Saturday from Wylie where she spent the holiday vacation as the guest of her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith returned from the twin cities on Thursday after an absence of several weeks. Shortly before Christmas Mr. Smith underwent a tonsilectomy operation, which resulted in a severe case of lockjaw. Consequently he was confined to the hospital for the greater part of his holiday vacation.

Miss Merrian Miller, instructor of commercial subjects at the local high school, left Monday morning for Duluth where she will take an advanced course for a period of six weeks. During her absence Miss Vivian Swift who had spent a similar length of time taking the same course at Minneapolis, will have full charge of the department.

Miss Margaret Fuller, who has been a patient at the Oakland Park sanitorium for the past year, left this city Saturday evening for Colorado Springs, Col., where she will continue treatment for tuberculosis. She was accompanied as far as Minneapolis by her mother, Mrs. Herbert Fuller, where she was met by an aunt, Miss Clara Brown, who escorted her to her destination.

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Editorial.

The Christmas vacation is over and the students of the Lincoln high school are all back to resume the studies they so gladly left three weeks ago. They are now equally glad to be back, for although they all love a short period for rest and recreation, the desire to learn and to accomplish is deep in the breasts of the Lincolnites. The next two or three months will be the best period of the whole school year to assimilate the education offered here and we are all eager to take advantage of it. The cold, snappy winter months are the best time in the year for studying, as the mind is always clearer then and a person need not be disturbed by a longing to be out in the warm sunshine, fishing or listening to the birds singing their merry songs, as will be the general tendency next spring.

Truthfully Speaking.

S is for the superior sense of seniors
E is for their energy at work
N is for their non-support of juniors
I is for their ignorance of shirk
O is for "Onward" as their motto,
R is right and following the golden rule,
Put them all together they spell senior
The pride of the whole high school.

Declamation.

Those who are participating in the declamation contest will have their "try-out" Wednesday evening.

The first elimination contest for the Red River Valley championship will be held January 28th. The contestant receiving the first place will then meet in a final contest at Crookston, where the Red River Valley championship will be held.

Later the district champion goes to Minneapolis where he will compete for the state championship.

Thief River Falls has some unusually good material this year, and we hope that we will be represented in the final contest.

Debate.

The Thief River Falls high school debating team has been paired with the high school team of East Grand Forks in the second district elimination contest, the date of which has not yet been definitely decided upon.

The Thief River Falls team will again take the affirmative stand and we feel assured that the team will make a good showing for the members have been putting in long hours of hard work.

We are unable at this time to announce the place at which the debate will be held but it will be known in a few days.

Basketball Schedule.

Warroad at Thief River Falls, Jan. 14.
Argyle at Argyle, Jan. 21.
Warren at Warren, Jan. 28.
Crookston at Crookston, Jan. 28.
Argyle at Thief River Falls, Feb. 4.
Warren at Thief River Falls, Feb. 11.
Warroad at Warroad, Feb. 25.
Crookston at Thief River Falls, March 4.

The above schedule has been arranged and arrangements are being made for several games which are not posted.

Play Commended.

The "Caste" presented by the Hamline Players Jan. 3rd under the auspices of the senior class, proved a fair success and was well received by the audience. The play is a modern one portraying caste distinction as it exists in England and acquainting the audience with the masses as well as the classes. The young nobleman falls desperately in love with one of the lower class whom he later marries, despite the dignity of the family so well portrayed in the mother. After the usual struggles, strife and misunderstanding, it is recognized that individual worth stands far above class distinction.

Douglas Ams played the part of Eules, the father, who was under intoxication continuously when funds were available and who in his own estimation was a loyal, faithful and loving father. He played his part exceptionally well and has the qualities of an actor of professional standard. The young plumber and gas fitter carried out by Harold Palmer, who was enthused with business and enveloped in love over Polly Eules, showed the ear-marks of a success before the footlights. All carried their part successfully and are to be highly commended and congratulated on their achievements.

The play was a success financially and receipts were all that were anticipated. The senior class feels proud of its success and thanks the public for their generous support.

Alumni Banquet.

The annual Alumni banquet was held on the evening of December 28. Old alumni from all over the state and country were there. The guests of the evening were the class of '21. Though it was impossible for many of the class to attend, those who were there had a most enjoyable evening. The early part of the evening was devoted to the program and a short business meeting, in which the officers were elected for the coming year. The latter part of the evening was spent in dancing and refreshments were served at midnight. The senior class feels much indebted to the Alumni association for their kindness in inviting them to be present on this enjoyable occasion.

Basketball Game.

The local high school basketball team will meet the Warroad high school team next Friday, Jan. 14th. As the Thief River Falls team has shown their ability to be clean and fast players in the preceding games with Fosston and the local city team, there should be no question of a large attendance at the Warroad game next Friday. Also the Warroad team has a reputation for playing very good games already this season and winning over their opponents in every game. This ought to add to the interest for the coming game.

Coach Tommerassen has selected the following lineup for the game, which he feels confident of winning: McDaniel, Ralston, Herron, LaBree, Anderson, Sundahl, Doland and Coyle.

Information as to the opposing team's lineup has not been received but it is known that they have a strong team and expect to give the locals a hard rub.

This game is your last chance of seeing the high school team in action as they will not play on their home floor again until Feb. 11th.

The Cub.

"Burke, you cover the wedding at the Methodist church this afternoon."

"Yes sir," replied young Frank Burke, cub reporter.

This was his first assignment of any importance and he was eager to show his ability as a news-getter. He had been rather hurt by the slight attention he had hitherto received from Mr. Slyle, editor of the Morning Star.

At the appointed time he arrived at the church. He sat thru the ceremony and was rather bored. It was only a commonplace affair, it seemed to him, and he did not notice anything of importance to write up about it.

On his way back to the office he recollected that they usually printed the names of the people who were married. Oh, he thought, the best way to get news was to ask questions. So he stopped a man he met on the sidewalk and asked him if he knew the names of the couple that was married that afternoon.

"Oh yes, that was Johnson. I remember he fell off from a horse about a week ago."

All of which Frank jotted down in his note-book after he had turned the corner. "Get the details," Mr. Slyle always said, and Frank wanted to particularly please him on this his first assignment.

He went up to his den and began to write up his copy. He had the names, something of the groom, but he thought he also should have the name of the minister. Oh sure, he was ready for any emergency. He looked up a notice in the column of church announcements in an old issue of the Morning Star and found that a Rev. Clyde had preached a sermon some weeks ago. The following write up was sent to editor Slyle:

"Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were married at three o'clock in the Methodist church this afternoon. Rev. Clyde officiated."

At supper that evening Frank was disturbed at his meal by the violent ringing of the telephone he had connected up with the newspaper office. It was the chief who was speaking, or rather roaring. "Say Burke what do you know about reporting weddings?"

"Why, was anything wrong?" meekly asked Frank.

"Wrong?" exploded the editor. "Almost all of what little there was is wrong. Rev. Clyde was not the minister. He was a visiting missionary who spoke here about a month ago. And I don't think the bride's name was Mrs. Johnson. We want her maiden name, the names of the attendants and also what the bride wore."

"All right," replied the cub reporter, his ambition for a brilliant entrance into the newspaper world dashed mercilessly on the rocks. But he had an abundance of good faith in his own resourcefulness and set out to secure the desired information. A last week's issue of the Star was referred to and he found the address of a Johnson who had been thrown by a horse. An elderly woman answered his ring at the indicated address, and upon his inquiry if this was the home of the Johnson who was married, answered, "Yes, I'm his mother. My son Marcus was married this afternoon. Did you want to see him?"

"Well, no, that is, not exactly. I'm just a reporter from the Morning Star. I should kind of find out who he was married to and all that. Of course I know her name is Mrs. Johnson now, but they seemed to want to know what her name was before she was married."

"Oh, yes, I understand," sympathetically answered Mrs. Johnson, Sr. "I know Jane would like a nice notice in the paper. Jane is Marcus' wife you know; Jane Wilcox, her name used to be. Miss Nina Western was maid of honor and Harvey Blake was best man. I suppose you know they were married by Rev. Shumaker."

"No, I didn't but thank you just the same," replied the cub, his hopes again beginning to rise to glimmering heights. He did not wish to betray his amateurishness by writing down the names, but kept repeating them in his mind until he reached home.

"Johnson, Wilcox, Western, Blake, Shumaker—Wilcox, Blake, Western, Johnson ——————"

"Well, I have the names. Now what did she wear? I remember she had a navy blue hat, I think it was velvet. I don't remember what kind of a dress she wore. It was just an ordinary one, anyway, and doesn't make any difference. Oh yes and she carried a large bouquet of violets. Blake, Wilcox, Shumaker, Western, Johnson ——————"

We who better realize the full gravity of Frank's errors will forgive editor Slyle for suddenly terminating Burke's newspaper career when he read his wedding announcement.

"Harvey Johnson and Jane Shumaker were married at the Methodist church Thursday by Rev. Wilcox at three o'clock. The bride wore a blue velvet hat and a violet bouquet. The attendants were Nina Blake, maid of honor and Marcus Western, best man. The best man wore a black suit, the trousers of which were very short, exposing a pair of striped green and yellow silk socks. The bride is a step-daughter of a second cousin of the brother-in-law of the jail warden in Skunktown, Nevada. The groom fell off a horse last week."

1920 vs. 1921.

On January 1, 1921, the high school team played the team of 1920. The game was a real one from beginning to end and both teams deserve much credit. At first it semed as though last year's team was going to carry the victory, but with good team work, our high school raised the score. When the final whistle blew the score was 27 to 21 in favor of the 1921 team. The high school team played one of the best games of the season.

We are looking forward to some real snappy games in the New Year. The lineup was as follows:

1921		1920
Schuster	rf	Ralston
Hadrath	lf	Larson
LaBree	c	Paranteau
Flattum	rg	Herron
McGinn	lg	LaBree

Intelligence Tests.

The members of the Freshman, Sophomore and Junior classes were given intelligence tests Monday forenoon.

Several thousand of these tests have been prepared and distributed amongst the high schools by the University of Minnesota and they determine to a large extent the rank of the high schools.

All of the students are given the same tests regardless of what class they are in.

Personals.

The members of the annual staff are actively engaged in preparing the annual and indications point towards a bouncing success. A meeting of the staff was held last Tuesday evening and great interest is shown in the publication of the yearly school history.

We are sorry to note the fact that our very able co-worker, Harold Smithers, is taking an extended vacation as a result of an attack of mumps.

Have you noticed that Mildred B has been all smiles since January 3.

Pearl Rowe left last week for her home in Iowa, where she will remain temporarily.

A quiet rumor has been taking its course about the high school from lip to ear, that a few members of the faculty are planning on entering the "Rocky Seas of Matrimony."

Francis Holmgren is at present in the big city of Holt.

Little Bob is the big addition to the high school basketball squad.

Miss Swift has returned to the Lincoln high to resume her duties as instructor in the commercial department. She has been absent for the past six weeks, taking special work. It will be given to all students at the beginning of the second semester. Miss Miller will leave the early part of this week to take up similar work. This work will be introduced as soon as possible in our high school.

Miss Harriet M. Anderson, who is teaching at Bremen, N. D., spent the holidays at her home in this city.

Miss Clara Oien returned to resume her school duties here after spending her vacation at her home south of the city.

Among the students to enroll in high school for the second semester are Elmer Larson and Stanley Sorenson. They both attended high school last year.

Ivan Larson had his annual hair-cut during the Xmas vacation.

Bert Umland is greatly interested in electricity and would appreciate contributions of "current" literature.

The botany students are immensely pleased over the arrival of a dozen pickled and cured Starfish, which have been added to their collection of natural oddities.

Miss Viola Lund returned Saturday evening from Angus where she visited Mildred Hauglid during Xmas vacation.

Mr. Melby's pupils wonder if he thought that they should have an uneasy vacation when he told them that they would have their six weeks exams the first Monday after vacation. It didn't seem to bother them until Monday morning when everybody was asking everybody else if he had studied for the exams and by the sound of it, nobody had and Mr. Melby either forgot he had told them so, or else he started the New Year with a very tender feeling. We think that it must be the latter, as "Doc" very seldom is forgetful.

Miss Myrtle Mellum returned last Monday after visiting with Lois Struble at her home near Mavie.

Anthony Teske who has been spending the holidays with his parents north of the city, returned Saturday afternoon to resume his school duties.

Chester Dols who has been spending the past two weeks with his parents at Rosewood, returned Saturday evening to his school duties in this city.

Louis Kassa returned Saturday morning to continue his studies in this city after spending the past two weeks at his home in Goodridge.

Miss Viola Lund returned to her home in this city Saturday evening, after visiting with friends in Angus for the past two weeks.

Some of the teachers who returned and the places they have visited are: Misses Irene Patrick, Hinckley, Minn.; Lillian Poppitz, Heron Lake, Minn.; Emelia Hoorn, Fergus Falls; Margaret Dix, Margaret Mealy, Ruth Elliott, Grace Iverson, all at Minneapolis; Maud Johnson, Red Wing; Frederick Tripp, Northfield; Gordon Melby, Minneapolis.

NEW POSTAL SAVINGS CARD ISSUED; MAKES DIME HOARDING EASY

System Was Ten Years Old on Jan. 1 and is Rapidly Gaining in Popularity—$162,000,000 on Deposit.

The United States postal savings system is today marking its tenth anniversary by issuing a new postal savings card which will displace the 10-cent postal savings card which has been in use since the establishment of the system on January 1, 1911.

The new card will be furnished free of cost and when ten 10-cent postal savings stamps have been affixed to it will be accepted at any depository office as a deposit of $1 or it may be redeemed in cash. The outstanding feature of the new card is the translation into twenty-four foreign languages of the statement that the faith of the United States is solemnly pledged to the payment of deposits made with the System.

The service was first established at forty-eight post offices, one in each state, on January 1, 1911, and although hampered by many restrictions as to rate of interest and maximum allowed on deposit, it has shown remarkable progress. Postmaster General Burleson announces that the amount on deposit today is more than $162,000,000 and its depositors have long since passed the one-half million mark.

As predicted by its proponents in the days before the passage of the original postal savings, our foreign born citizens have been the principal patrons of the system. Taught in their native countries to look to the government to safeguard their savings, they naturally expect this government to do likewise. In the present flood tide of immigration, each newcomer as he leaves the port of entry, receives a leaflet in his own language outlining the method of operation of the United States postal savings system and urging upon him the desirability of continuing, in this country the practice of thrift which has been so necessary in the country he has just left. The Service, is, therefore, one of the most potent factors in furthering the Americanization movement.

Many banks, usually savings banks, prior to the establishment of the system felt that the postal savings system would be a strong competitor but experience has shown that the postal savings system draws its patrons not from depositors in established and well-conducted banks but from among those who otherwise would not place their money in any banking institution whatever.

The original act of congress restricted the total amount to be placed on deposit at $500 and the deposit of this amount was limited to not more than $100 per month. Later the monthly limitation was entirely removed and the maximum amount increased first to $1,000 and then to the amount $2,500.—Postmaster General Burleson, in the annual report just submitted to congress recommends increasing the rate of interest to be paid depositors and action by congress will, no doubt, be taken along these lines within the near future.

"Lets Face the Problem" Says Department Bulletin

"Discourage all movement to cities from smaller communities," reads a bulletin from the state department of the American Legion, by way of offering a solution for the present unemployment problem. It further states that the surplus of unemployed are in the cities and urges posts of the Legion in smaller communities to canvass both towns and farms and report to department headquarters at St. Paul, any opportunities to place unemployed men from the cities.

Government to Furnish Monuments.

Whether they died in service or since discharge the government will furnish monuments for graves of service men, where relatives have not already erected suitable tablets. Instructions from the state department state that application will be made direct to "Cemeterial Division, Quartermaster Corps, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C."

MAKES GOOD WITH STANDARD OIL CO.

Word is received of the promotion of L. R. Jones to chief clerk of the Standard Oil Co., Kansas City. His advancement there has been rapid since his graduation from Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. He began as bookkeeper.

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The prosperity of all industrial nations is based upon petroleum.

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If lubricating oil, kerosene, and gasoline were available, but the hundreds of by-products made from the residue of petroleum were wiped out, many industries would be closed and unemployment would be general, for in nearly every industry one or more of these by-products are necessary in the manufacturing processes.

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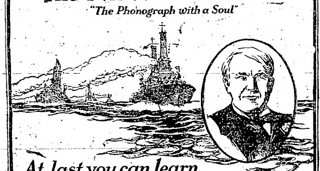

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YOU wondered—everybody wondered, and practically nobody knew how Edison "did his bit." At last the official announcement is out! Come in and get your copy of the bulletin: "What Did Edison Do During the War?"—or write, if you can't call.

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Neighborhood Notes

ERIE

Tollefson-Olson.

Hannah Tollefson, who taught school in Dist. Nos. 65 and 5 for several terms, was married to Elmer Olson of Goodridge on Dec. 23rd. All friends of Hannah's here wish her a very happy career in her married life.

Halve Tharaldson of Germantown, has accepted a position as teacher in Dist. No. 65. Now the teacher in Dist. No. 1 will lose some of her pupils.

A baby girl recently arrived at the Theodore Berg home.

Sakarias Hole was seen on the streets in Bucktown on Saturday.

Opal Tharaldson left for Thief River Falls where she is employed.

Melvin Svare, Oscar and Henry Bye, Gilmore Tharaldson, Louis Nitzschke and sons, Paul and Louis, Eddie Arveson and Alvin Bakken are among those who recently departed for the lumber camps.

Theodore Hyland left for the Iron range in eastern Minnesota. During his absence Miss Theodora Loyland will stay with Mrs. Hyland.

H. O. Tommerdahl made a trip to the county seat last week with another load of building material. He drove a four-horse team down, but reports a bad trip.

Jerry Race, Jr., and wife were callers at the N. P. Larson home on Sunday afternoon and at Dahlen's on Sunday evening.

Rev. Hanson conducted services in Erie on Sunday afternoon.

Elvin Bannerrud of Rhoda was a business caller at the Gust A. Iverson home from Thursday to Saturday. Gust accompanied him home for a couple of days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lien entertained the L. B. Johnson family on Sunday.

Hans Alexander Larson celebrated his fifteenth birthday on Friday, Jan. 7th.

George Hovet left on Friday for International Falls where he will be employed.

Mrs. Ole Tharaldson, son Tharald, and daughter, Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Dahlen and children, and Clara Bry were guests at the Bergit Danielson home Sunday.

Gena Larson, who has been spending her Christmas vacation at home, left on Wednesday to resume her duties in the O. K. Olson home at Reiner.

Ben Rindahl of Neptune did some wood sawing in our neighborhood on Friday and Saturday.

NUMEDAL

John Bugge transacted business at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Norval Johnson and Albin Ross left for Frontier Wednesday where they expect to be employed in the woods the remainder of the winter.

Oliver and Conrad Ronning left for Thief River Falls Thursday evening to visit with friends, returning home on Saturday.

Miss Agness Forslund visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Forslund, at Viking last week.

Mrs. P. Bugge called at the Chas. Johnson home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brateng visited at the C. Brateng home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son, Winton, called at the John Bugge home one evening last week.

Joseph Osness was a Viking caller Thursday.

Mrs. J. A. Blomberg and son, Thure made a brief call at S. Knutson's last Wednesday.

Olaf Larson transacted business in Viking Thursday.

Johnny Brateng is assisting S. Knutson with wood splitting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bugge and family and Rev. and Mrs. O. Sande, visited at the J. A. Blomberg home Sunday.

Theodore Severson is visiting at the Ronning home for a few days.

Thure Blomberg assisted Soren Knutson with butchering Saturday.

Elias Joringdal drove to Thief River Falls Monday.

Thure Blomberg, Johnny Brateng, George and Hilda Bugge and Miss Dorothy Ness, autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son, Winton, were Sunday callers at the P. P. Swanson home.

Miss Clara and Carl Brink were Sunday callers at the E. Joringdal home.

David Samuelson, Johnny Brateng and George Bugge entertained at the Blomberg home Sunday evening.

John, Oliver and Conrad Ronning and Ted. Severson, called at the Osness home Monday evening.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

John Bergland left the past week for Redby, Minn., near which place he expects to spend the winter in the logging camps.

Misses Anna and Helga Ose left Thursday of last week for Fargo, N. D., where the latter is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Obert Wolden, Miss Thora Bergland and Arthur and Gunsten Bergland of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday with relatives in this community.

John W. Dahl is awaiting the arrival of a new organ which he bought from a company in Kentucky.

Martin Johnson and Frank Hoffman are busy hauling hay for Rasmus Oen.

Ole Listol was a visitor at Steiner between trains Friday.

Harry Moe spent Sunday at the John Skomedal home.

Miss Julia Ose and Arthur Bergland were visitors at Steiner last Friday.

Ivend Ose made a business trip to Grygla last week.

Gunsten Skomedal sold one of his registered Duroc Jersey hogs to a party at Riceville, Ia.

Carl Guttrue and Lars Ose were busy grinding feed last week.

Mrs. Jacob Klungness and daughters Amanda and Constance, left Friday for Thief River Falls where Constance is attending school.

Ole Ose made a trip to Warren one day last week.

Miss Thora Skomedal left Friday for LaPorte where she is teaching school.

John W. Dahl spent Sunday evening at the John Skomedal home.

STEINER

Mable Rogers left Saturday morning for her school near Stephen.

Mrs. Paul Kish is visiting at the R. Muzzy home.

Olga Koglin accompanied Miss Whitman to Steiner from where the latter left for Warren.

Paul and Emil Koglin were Thief River Falls callers Saturday.

P. Liden was a Steiner caller one day last week.

Vivian Copp rode up to his brother, Harvey's place Sunday. He says Harvey is working in the woods of Eastern Washington.

Miss Amy Whitman left for her school near Warren Friday.

John Whitman transacted business at Steiner Friday.

Mrs. Stigen arrived from Thief River Falls Saturday.

Peter Solem transacted business at Steiner Wednesday.

Henry Rogers left for Minneapolis last Sunday to undergo treatment for injuries sustained while in the military service.

The neighbors gathered at the Slack home Sunday evening and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Amanda Klungnes and Thora Skommedahl returned to their schools the last of the week.

Arthur Simonson left for Warren Friday morning where he is a witness in a civil case.

Carl Steiner, who was injured last fall, is now able to be up and around.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl and Ole Fevold spent last Monday evening as guests at the John Aandahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Philipp are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, born Jan. 1st.

The Misses Della, Bessie and Gladys Roller were guests at the W. Wayne home Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Hannah Jelle, of Jelle, visited at the Overby home a couple of days last week.

Mrs. A. K. Haggy was the guest of Mrs. Betsie Stokke Tuesday afternoon.

Lawrence Nelson was a caller in Mavie on Monday.

Benard Bendickson spent Tuesday evening at the Hans Dahl home.

Clara Overby visited at the Henry Roller home Monday.

Will Wayne and Daughter, Marie, were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls last Monday.

John, Tillie and Emma Ristau spent last Tuesday evening at the Emil Ristau home.

Mrs. D. Dau and daughter, Mrs. Aandahl, visited at the John Kast home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ristau and children, Minnie and John, were guests at the Louis Larson home Thursday evening.

Miss Wing returned from Middle River Saturday after having visited relatives and friends at that place. She will resume her duties as instructor in school district 76.

Rose and Joe Vakoch delightfully entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening.

Daniel Payne returned to his home at Goodridge Saturday after having visited at the W. Wayne home for some time. He was accompanied by his niece, Marie Wayne, who is attending school at that place.

Tillie Ristau left for Thief River Falls Saturday for a brief visit with her sister, Freda, who is employed there.

Lois and Howard Strubel after having spent their vacation at their parental home, returned to Thief River Falls Monday to resume their studies at the local high school there.

Fred Larson arrived from Highlanding Saturday and will remain with his sister, Mrs. Betsie Stokke, for some time.

Henry Ristau arrived from his farm near Thief River Falls Saturday and will visit at his parental home for some time.

Miss Anna Kotlan left for Mavie Friday and will visit at the Anton Kotlan home until Monday.

Benard Bendickson was a caller at Thief River Falls Friday.

There will be a big dance at the Mavie hall next Saturday evening, Jan. 15th. A good time is assured all who attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jerstad and family spent Sunday afternoon at the Hoken Nuben home.

Detlef Dau called at the W. Wayne home Saturday evening.

Bernard, Nettie and Silva Bendickson were delightfully entertained at the O. P. Nelson home Sunday afternoon.

Selma Johnson returned home from Thief River Falls Saturday where she has been the past two weeks for optical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nelson and son, Floyd, were guests at the W. Norlund home Sunday evening.

Guests at the D. Dau home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl and Mr. Hans Clausen and son, John, and Ole Fevold.

Mrs. Muldoon and son, Willie, spent Sunday afternoon at the Martin Johnson home.

Henry Longevan and daughter, Helen, were Sunday guests at the S. Roland home.

Will Wayne was a guest at the H. Roller home Sunday evening.

John Ristau called at the H. P. Nuben home Sunday afternoon.

DEER PARK

Mrs. Martin Solem.

Mrs. Martin Solem, wife of Martin Solem, residing in eastern Mayfield, passed away last Wednesday evening. The family has indeed the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement. Funeral services took place on Monday, Jan. 10, at the Mayfield church.

Wolves Prove Tricky Cusses.

Vraal Haatvet, residing in the eastern part of Deer Park, recently escaped being attacked by a large wolf that he had managed to trap. It seems that the wolf had taken the trap, anchor and all, and pulled out. Mr. Haatvet started to trail him the day after, but owing to the fact that it had stormed the day before his tracks could only be picked up now and then. So he kept on looking for some time, finally coming upon him hidden behind some bushes. The wolf made a dash at Mr. Haatvet but could not quite reach him on account of still being held in the trap. Mr. Hatvet says that the wolves are a lot wiser then some people think. He said he trapped a wolf last year and when he went to the trap to shoot him, the old fellow kept turning his head so that he could not get a good aim, but when he saw that he was in for his death, he placed one of his front paws over his eyes, as if he knew that was the spot where the death-blow was to be dealt. Mr. Haatvet, by the way, is a "crack shot." He won first and second prize in a big shooting tournament in Norway when but 17 years of age.

Treo. Leikvold of Rudell, was a caller here last Sunday.

Gunder Anderson was up this way on business matters last Wednesday.

The Oak Park Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Sjur Stolaas last Wednesday.

The Matt Bakken children have been on the sick list for a few days, but are now on the way to recovery.

Oscar Klemmetson was operating in this vicinity last week with his gasoline wood sawing outfit.

Billy Wilde is confined to his bed with rheumatism.

Knut Dahl was a caller here last Tuesday.

The wolves are wise, but they are not yet wise to the fact that section "13" is a hoodoo locality for them. One has recently been killed in section 13 of Mayfield, and another in Deer Park, the same section.

Jens Bolstad has been busy this week getting his hay home from the Henry Peterson place.

The Mayfield Northside Ladies aid met at Mrs. Ole Myrum's place last week.

Knut Lintvet, one of the prosperous Deer Park batchelors, was a business caller here last Monday evening.

Mrs. G. Severson and son, Andy, and Mrs. Tobias Olson of Highlanding called at the home of S. B. Swanson in Hickory last week.

Ben Kveste of Highlanding, is busy hauling grain to Goodridge. He states that he anticipates a raise in prices.

Dick Kolestrand of Highlanding has recently purchased a gasoline saw rig and feed mill, and will from now on be able to do his own work in that line.

Gunder Stromme, cattle buyer from Oklee, was around looking for cattle last week in preparation for another shipment.

This "zero" weather is great but it is hard on the coal dealers. This is the mildest winter that has been experienced here since the opening of the Eleven Towns in 1904.

ST. HILAIRE

St. Hilaire Wins Game.

The St. Hilaire Legion basket ball team played a return game with Holt on the home floor last Friday evening. At the end of the game the score was a tie. The teams played five minutes more with the score still a tie, but after another five minutes St. Hilaire made a basket, making the score 7 to 9 in favor of St. Hilaire.

C. H. Remington.

C. H. Remington, died Wednesday, Jan. 5 at Crookston from a lingering illness from which he had suffered for the past two years. The Remington family formerly resided at St. Hilaire, later removing to Crookston. The deceased leaves to mourn his death his widow, one son, Lloyd, two daughters, Mrs. Harry Carpenter of Crookston and Mrs. Howard Jones of Bemidji.

Lyceum Number Scores Success.

The Midland Lyceum Course under the auspices of the Athletic club gave their first number at the Imperial hall Tuesday evening. The Rainbow Girls entertained their audience with instrumental and vocal numbers which were very well rendered and enjoyed by everyone.

Christ Bothman.

Christ Bothman, prominent farmer residing two and one half miles east of St. Hilaire, died suddenly Sunday evening from heart failure. Mr. Bothman has resided here for the past 16 years and previous to his sudden death had been in apparent perfect health. He has a wide circle of friends and acquaintances who were shocked to hear of his sudden death. The deceased leaves to survive him, his widow, two daughters, Mrs. S. Benedickson of Garrison, N. D., Mrs. Dan Johnson of St. Hilaire, and two sons, Frank and William, both of this place.

Miss Selma Hoff shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Lulu Allen returned Saturday to Lancaster to resume her duties as teacher after visiting the past two weeks at the parental home.

Mrs. Helen Chelin visited between trains at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ralph Roy returned the forepart of the week to Hibbing where he is employed, after spending his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

Miss Hazel Wallen arrived Saturday from Grand Forks, N. D., for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Albert Severson and Mrs. Paul Ortloff were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Joe Hauge arrived Thursday from Spokane, Wash., where he has spent the past month at the home of his brother-in-law, August Berg. Mr. Hauge was greatly impressed with the West and may decide to return and make Spokane his future home.

Miss Blanche Hoff returned Saturday from Red Lake Falls, after spending a few days there as the guest of friends.

Miss Rosetta Loberg left Friday after spending the holiday vacation with her parents. She will take up her duties as teacher in a rural school near Willmar, Minn.

Gordon Martz arrived Friday from Litchfield, Minn., where he has visited the past week at the home of his brother, Glenn Martz.

Carl Nelson, who transacted business in the cities the past week, returned Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Amble and niece, Evelyn Brown, were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

P. L. Anderson, buttermaker at Holt, formerly employed at the local creamery, journeyed down with the basket ball team Friday evening to see the game and visit with friends.

John Follstad returned Saturday evening from Warren, where he had attended to business matters since Friday.

Miss Gertude Blaska, engaged in teaching school near Red Lake Falls, returned Saturday to her duties after spending the holiday vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blaska.

Charles Naplin and family accompanied by Miss Selma Hoff, motored to Thief River Falls Friday for a brief visit.

Miss Ellie Fredrickson returned on Saturday after visiting with relatives at Glenwood.

Mrs. B. E. Burkee returned Friday from Thief River Falls after spending several days as the guest of Mrs. S. O. Quammen.

Miss Carrie Koidahl, employed at Fargo, returned Friday to take up her duties after visiting over the holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. O. Koidahl.

K. O. Gigstad and R. J. McKercher transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday.

Miss Lillie Bodin left Saturday to resume her duties as teacher near Crookston, after spending a week at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. J. McKercher.

The Misses Dorothy Martz and Rose Gunstad shopped between trains at Thief River Falls Friday.

Misses Nettie Johnson and Lilly Gunstad shopped at Thief River Falls Saturday.

The local schools opened Monday morning after a two weeks' vacation.

S. L. Johnson returned Monday morning to resume his duties as principal of the local school after spending his vacation at his home at Hallock.

Dan Patterson and son, Don, and daughters, Mabel and Mrs. C. F. Brantner, were Thief River Falls visitors Friday.

E. F. Dann arrived Saturday evening from Thief River Falls for a short stay at the home of his son, Frank Dann.

Miss Sylvia Aarrestad, a student at St. Hilaire high school, returned on Monday morning after spending her vacation at the home of her parents at Halstad.

The Misses Lois Forbes and Elenore Anderson, instructors in the local high school, returned Monday morning to resume their duties after spending the holiday vacation at the homes of their parents, the former at Duluth, the latter at Brainerd.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman was a Thief River Falls shopper Friday.

Mrs. B. E. Burkee left Monday afternoon for Litchfield, for an indefinite stay at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Martz.

Lemley Dobson and Clarence Swenson attended to business matters at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Clara Fellman is visiting relatives at Bisbee, N. D., this week.

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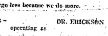

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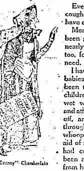

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Legal Notices

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred Two and 40-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, his wife, Mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of August, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of August, 1919, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 511, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Government Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) and the South half of the Southeast Quarter (S½ of SE¼) and the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) all in Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of January, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2402.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 12th, A. D. 1920.
FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK, Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
(16-23-30-1-6-13-20)

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty-four and 67-100 Dollars ($3124.67), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and O. Halvorson, wife and husband, mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) mortgagee, bearing date the 29th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 29th day of December, 1916 at 1:00 o'clock P. M. in Book 12 of Mortgages on Page 283, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, 1916 at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 32 of Mortgages on Page 257.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 7th day of July, 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 63 of Mortgages on Page 218, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Beltrami County on the 9th day of July, 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 28 of Mortgages on Page 400, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:—

Lots Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Thirteen (13) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Lot Six (6) in Block Sixty-three (63) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota, containing eighty (80) acres, and

The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼ of NW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-one (21) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Beltrami County, and State of Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres.

All the foregoing described real estate and premises, with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County in the State of Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of February, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $3124.67, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Seventy-five Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 8th, A. D. 1921.
FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
(13-20-27-3-10-17)

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 612 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2800 lbs.; one 650 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Guernsey bull. Geo. L. Sterns. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Wehler, 6 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 99tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 4200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 75tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 96tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats at 75 cents per bushel. Write or call Thure Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. [illegible]

FOR SALE—One bred sow. Huber Buck, R. 3, City. 106p

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 15 cents per pound. Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls. 98tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land in Beltrami county, Minn. Might consider a Ford as part payment. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls, Minn. R 1, Bx 49 106p

FOR SALE—All my furniture, nearly all new. Must be sold inside of ten days. Leaving city. [illegible] Duluth Ave. N. Tel. 4161. 105p

WILL SACRIFICE my $150 Pathe and 20 records used about 3 months for $110 for quick sale. Tel. 4161. 105p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE—Fordson Tractor complete with fenders, top and brand new pulley; used two seasons. Price [illegible]. [illegible] 106p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence (no lands). C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 104tf

FOR SALE—10 cords of dry cord wood at $1.75 per cord at the Steiner store by H. L. Sande. 105p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new Howell well drilling machine, complete with all tools; also one new [illegible] gas engine. Call or address Sheriff [illegible], Warren, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Holt Bros. Hardware Store. 98tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 501 Main Ave. N. 96tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 99tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make some money the coming year. Owner going away. Write The Times. 104tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. A real money maker. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make money the coming year. Owner going away. Write Times. 104tf

BARN FOR RENT—Inquire First and Peoples State Bank. 108

FOR RENT—Large front room in modern home. Inquire Mrs. A. Aalberg, 719 Main Ave. 105

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Enquire at Salvesen's Studio. 104tf

LOST—On Dec. 22, a hand bag containing a small sum of money and a silk handkerchief, between Catholic church and Auditorium. Finder please return to the Times office. 105p

CLERKS, (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $130 month. Examinations January. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) [illegible] Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 106p

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Chas. Lieberman, 312 W. 4th St. 105

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Position by competent dietician. Any line. Best of references furnished.—J. M. Steward, Thief River Falls. 106p

WANTED—Place on farm on shares or by the year by competent man with family. References furnished. Apply to The Times. 106p

WANTED—Position by hospital trained nurse. Maternity cases carefully looked after. Charges reasonable. 218 Duluth Ave. S. 105

WANTED—Position as housekeeper or for general housework in town or out of town. Phone 84. 105

LOST

LOST—In or near auditorium on Friday evening, key to Yale lock, wrapped in lady's handkerchief. Kindly return to Times office. 104tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should be at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Galloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 89tf

COMFORTABLE small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John [illegible]'s office. 104tf

FOR SALE—Livery, Feed and Sales Stable at Holt, Minn.—E. T. Lanson, Prop. 86p

SEWING WANTED—at 101 State Ave. South. Reasonable prices. 106p

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AFTER MEMBERSHIP

Thorough Canvass to Be Made Among Relatives of Former Service Men.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion, with a meeting of the membership committee held at the Commercial club rooms this afternoon, launched a membership drive which has been premeditated since the formation of the organization in November. Armed with a list of the names of members of the local post of the Legion, the members of the soliciting committee, which is made up of Mrs. D. W. Robinson, Mrs. T. J. Rowan, Mrs. G. H. Husby, Mrs. O. C. Sandberg, Mrs. Glen Anderson and Mrs. Oscar Melby, will make a house to house call on those eligible to membership. It is hoped that every sister, daughter, wife and mother of ex-service men and members of the Legion, may be enlisted as active members of the Woman's Auxiliary.

The present organization consists of 16 members, 12 of whom are charter members. It is thought that with the proper co-operation the membership can be increased to equal that of the Elmer J. Eklund post.

Membership fees have been set at one dollar per year. Meetings will be held on the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, the next meeting to be held on January 19, at which time the membership committee will submit a report of progress made. It is planned to hold one meeting during the month in the afternoon and one in the evening, the latter for the benefit of employees who find it impossible to attend an afternoon meeting, but no definite announcement has been made.

The membership drive will continue indefinitely.

To Mrs. Lawrence Hermanson, Mrs. Thomas J. Rowan, Mrs. T. P. Anderson, Mrs. John Aure and Mrs. J. L. Sether, members of the Women's Auxiliary, Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117 of the American Legion extends the most sincere thanks and appreciation for their assistance in preparing the packages of Christmas goodies which were presented to former service men who are confined to the Oakland Park sanitarium and the Physicians hospital for treatment.

A vote of thanks is also extended to Mrs. G. H. Husby, Mrs. Jens Erickson, Mrs. David W. Robinson, Mrs. O. C. Sandberg and Mrs. T. J. Rowan, members of the auxiliary committee, which so ably assisted in making the New Years Eve ball given by the post the great success that it was through conducting an advance sale of tickets.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.65
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.60
Oats	.32
Flax	1.76
Barley	.47
Rye	1.41
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.40
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Geese, alive, per lb.	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.25
Spring Chickens	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.45
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery Butter	.53
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04-.05
Horse Hides	$2.00-$2.50
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10-.11
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10-.12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.12
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.5
Steers, per lb.	.04-.06
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

Cosgrove Bowling Alleys Sold to Edward Carlson

Edward Carlson, formerly of St. Cloud, last week purchased of James Cosgrove the Citizens' bowling alley and billiard hall located in the Citizens' State bank building, taking possession on Monday. Mr. Cosgrove has conducted the establishment for the past year and a half. Mr. Carlson comes well qualified and recommended to conduct the business, having owned a like place of business and entertainment at St. Cloud. He has been living in this city with his family for the past months, since the establishment of the Thief River Candy Company, of which company, his son, P. M. Carlson, was part proprietor and manager.

The personnel of the bowling and billiard parlor will consist of Mr. Carlson and his two sons, P. M. and Irving. It is planned to install new equipment at an early date. The two alleys will be refinished and pool and billiard tables renovated. Tobaccos, candies and soft drinks will be dispensed as under Mr. Cosgrove's management.

VIKING

Gust Sustad entertained a number of friends and relatives last Sunday.

Brinks visited at the Krohn place last Thursday evening.

Ed. Krohn hauled two loads of hay to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Clara Brink left for Thief River Falls last Monday to resume her studies at the dressmaking school.

Ragny Anderson was a Viking caller last Saturday.

Carl Brink left for Frontier last Monday.

MAYFIELD

The Solberg and Stennes families visited at the Wedul home Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid held at the Klove home was well attended.

The sudden death of Mrs. Martin Solheim was a great shock to all her relatives and friends. Mrs. Solheim, who died Tuesday, Jan. 4th, was buried Monday. Besides many relatives, Mrs. Solheim leaves a husband and five children to mourn her loss.

The Omdahl young folks spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the Wedul home.

Jacob Stennes was a caller in Plummer Monday.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gunstein Twiglt Wednesday, Jan. 5.

Johanna Wedul, a student of the Lincoln high school of Thief River Falls, left for that place last Saturday after a two weeks' visit at her home here.

Misses Anna Wedul and Sadie Aandahl visited Cloverleaf school Tuesday afternoon.

GOODRIDGE

Miss Sarah Vaughan left Thursday evening for a few days visit in Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dahl left Thursday for Mineota, Minn., where they will visit relatives for a few weeks.

John Nystul returned to town on Thursday after spending part of his vacation at his home north of town.

Stuart McLeod was in Thief River Falls Saturday attending to business.

Fred DuCamp was a business caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. James Wilson of Grygla spent the week-end visiting her daughter, Gladys, returning home on Tuesday morning.

Word has been received of the arrival of a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stephenson at Pelican Rapids, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Korstad returned Saturday evening from a ten day trip to Chicago, Milwaukee, Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Floyd Palmer returned to his home at Thief River Falls, after spending the holiday vacation with his grandparents at Highlanding.

Miss Virginia Wiles returned from Hibbing where she has spent the holidays.

Miss Grace Day returned Saturday to her home at Mavie after spending a few days visiting her relatives at Hill City, Minn.

Daniel Payne and Marie Wayne, returned home Saturday after spending several days visiting at the Will Wayne home at Germantown.

Mrs. Lee Babcock of Thief River Falls returned home Wednesday after visiting at the N. Bundhund home for several days.

Ole Ostby of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday.

Ole Gaare who has been employed in the lumber district near Bemidji, returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson of Barnesville are visiting at the home of Mr. Hanson's brother, Edwin Hanson, near Erie.

O. N. Olson of the Manhattan Oil company, was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Mr. Fevig, salesman for the Standard Oil Company, left for Thief River Falls Wednesday after transacting business in this city.

Rev. Hanson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. Peterson, salesman for Swift & Co., was in town Thursday calling on customers.

Atty. E. M. Stanton of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday attending to business.

Mr. Larson, salesman for Eimon Mercantile Co., was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Morgan Vaughan returned on Tuesday from Detroit where she has been visiting relatives for the past few weeks.

Richard Aakre of Torgerson left for Crookston where he is attending school.

Miss Myrtle Erickson left Wednesday for Crookston where she is attending school.

Miss Thelma Gilbertson and sister Emma were in Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Joe Becker of the Thief River Bottling Works, was in town Thursday attending to business.

Dr. O. F. Melby of Thief River Falls was a professional caller in town Wednesday evening.

O. Sands, accompanied by his son Henry made a trip to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Charles Johnson, baggageman at the Soo depot in Thief River Falls, was in town Thursday morning between trains attending to business.

Joe Christianson was a Thief River Falls caller Wednesday.

Miss Overrum returned to Thief River Falls Monday where she is attending high school.

Miss Louise Besancon returned to Thief River Falls Monday morning to take up her studies in the high school.

Miss Stella Stenwick returned to Thief River Falls Monday evening where she is a student at the Lincoln high school.

Wm. Gaylord was a business caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Bennie Johnson went to Thief River Falls Monday evening to attend to business matters.

Miss Esther Perry was in town on Wednesday enroute to Timber Lake, S. D.

Owen Olson was in Thief River Falls Wednesday attending to business matters.

The Yeomen held a masquerade dance Thursday evening. The weather was fine and there was a large crowd. The following were awarded prizes: Christine Bundhund, Mr. Hemmestvedt, Della Urdahl and Ida Anderson.

Miss Knutson is to start her work in the Goodridge school Wednesday. We are indeed fortunate to have two nurses with us at once.

Miss Eleanor Bauer arrived Monday morning from Onamia where she spent the holidays.

Miss Theresa Giefer arrived from Thief River Falls where she visited at home over the holiday vacation.

Mrs. T. O. Barsgard of Barnesville arrived Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. O. S. Kirklie.

George Newberry and Ben Thompson of Thief River Falls came out to load a car of hay Tuesday.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Jan. 16: English and German services at Grygla at 10 a. m. and at Esplee at 3 p. m. Jan. 23: German services at 10 a. m., and English services at 2:30 p. m., at Germantown. The annual business meeting will be held after the forenoon services. Jan. 30: English services at 10:30 a. m., at Erie.

Goodridge Bank Elects Officers.

A directors meeting was held at the Goodridge State Bank Thursday. Those present were H. S. Dahlen, Halvor Loken of Thief River Falls; Edwin Mobratten and son Charles of Wendell, Minn. They elected the following officers: Pres., H. S. Dahlen; Vice Pres., Halvor Loken; Cashier, J. P. Jensen; Ass't. Cashier, Theo. Tandberg. Directors are H. B. Sponheim, Rasmus Oen, Christ Granum.

Classes in Nursing.

Miss Marie Knutson, the county nurse, was in town Monday assisting with the preliminary work in connection with the Red Cross short course in nursing which starts Wednesday, Jan. 12 and continues for two and one-half weeks.

The class for ladies is to be held from 7:30 to 9 p. m. every evening, while the school girls have their class in the afternoon during school hours.

The ladies of this community are very fortunate in having the opportunity of taking such a course and there will no doubt be a large class. The nurse will arrive Wednesday morning to conduct these classes.

Goodridge School Notes.

School reopened Monday after the holiday vacation. Both teachers and pupils report a good time.

The new pupils who have enrolled are: Florence Johnson, Esplee, 8th grade; Elnor Farmer, 4th grade; Agnes Amenson, 2nd grade; Herbert Nelson, primary.

The county nurse will start to examine and weigh the pupils Wednesday morning.

The short course in nursing will start Wednesday and the girls in the 7th and 8th grades and high school will have their class in the afternoon instead of cooking and sewing.

ROSEWOOD

Hellquist-Halvorson.

Miss Hannah Hellquist, youngest daughter of J. E. Hellquist of this place, was married at Warren last Saturday to Maurice Halvorson of Viking. The newlyweds will go to housekeeping with the groom's folks near Viking. The community joins in extending to these enterprising young folks all the joys of a happy married union.

Hold Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan at their home in town were host and hostess on Sunday, Jan. 2 at a delightful relative re-union to a number of their relatives. The afternoon was delightfully passed at various pastimes and music and both dinner and supper were served. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and children from Thief River Falls; Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen and daughter, Isabelle; Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen and family.

Entertain Dinner Party.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen and Miss Ella Nelson at the former's home in town on Sunday, Jan. 2 were hosts at a pleasant dinner and supper entertainment for several of their friends. The following were the guests for dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Even Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson, Mrs. Albert Paulson, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth and A. Opseth, and the evening guests included Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum, Mary Shoberg and Joel Shoberg.

Surprise for the Hall Family.

About twenty friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall, last Saturday evening to tender them a surprise party. The evening was merrily spent at various social diversions and a very pretty portable table gasoline lamp was given the hosts in commemoration of the occasion. A delicious luncheon concluded a most happy evening.

Will Erect Saw Mill.

Olaf Nordhagen and Chas. Sagmoen will commence sawing lumber this spring, using the former's Titan tractor in the work. It is not yet quite decided where they will saw whether in town or at the farm of Mr. Nordhagen further south, but if enough timber can be secured it is generally understood they will saw in town also thus alleviating the hauling for those residing north of this place. There is an abundance of good standing timber in these regions and a saw mill is a fine undertaking, and will be of great assistance to the farmers.

Sigvart Holten from Cannon Falls is visiting this week with his father, Thom Holten, west of town.

Anton Gullseth is spending this week at Donnor to visit with his mother, and other relatives.

Mrs. Christ Evenson is suffering from rheumatism.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking was in town over last Sunday and delivered two benefitting sermons at the Congregational church. The morning theme was taken from St. Matthew 12:46-50 and the evening meditations from Hebrews 1: 1-12. Prayer meetings will be held at several homes during the coming week and regular services again on Sunday Feb. 6, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. A. S. Holm and Miss Ella Nelson enjoyed an afternoon walk to Viking last Friday and returned home on the evening train.

Miss Mable Rogers returned to resume her teaching duties near Stephen on Monday morning after spending the holiday vacation with folks near Steiner.

Mrs. J. Holmgren left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls where she will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., over Sunday.

Miss Nina Westby left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls where she will look about for winter employment.

Mrs. Carl and Emil Mellem returned on Monday evening from a few days sojourn at Warren and Viking.

The F. G. Dols family were pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. T. Thompson at the latter's home last Sunday.

Mrs. Ted Jensen left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls.

J. Holmgren returned on Monday morning from Thief River Falls where he and his wife had been over New Years to attend the family reunion at the W. W. Prichard home.

A twenty per cent discount sale of dry goods and rubber goods has been held at the H. Carlson store this week. On Wednesday free coffee was served the entire day, Mrs. Nate Harris from Thief River Falls assisting with the sale and serving between trains.

Henry Lappegaard and Howard Carlson left on Tuesday evening for International Falls where they expect to be employed the remainder of this winter.

Harry Barhals was at Thief River Falls between trains last Tuesday attending to various business matters.

M. B. Rafteseth returned on Monday evening to resume his mining work at Hibbing after spending a brief holiday vacation with his folks here.

Adolph Rafteseth returned on Tuesday to Florence where he is employed after spending a ten day vacation with his parents in town.

John Rafteseth was at Warren between trains last Tuesday to seek medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Furan and children left on Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls where they will visit with the Severt Benson family and shop until Friday.

Miss Gladys Swenson who has been spending the holidays at Thief River Falls visiting relatives after her return from Fargo came home on Thursday morning and will make an indefinite visit with her father.

Miss Hannah Hellquist was among the shoppers to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

A veterinarian was called out to the John Bloom farm last Thursday to render professional services to ailing stock.

Several of the Anderson and Wendt boys from Angus are here this week chopping wood on their farms east of town.

Miss Synneva Sorenson was at Warren between trains last Saturday to act as bridesmaid for Miss Hannah Hellquist.

Mrs. A. B. Remmem and several daughters of Thief River Falls spent part of last week here visiting with the Anton Gullseth folks.

Ole J. Dahl, one of the successful dairymen north of town, shipped a carload of mixed stock to South St. Paul last Saturday, accompanying the shipment himself.

Miss Emma Sorenson went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to receive dental attention.

Miss Hilda Westby returned to resume her work at the B. V. D. factories at Minneapolis last Friday after spending Christmas with her parents.

School will re-open at both Rogebank and Busy Bee on Monday morning Jan. 10. Miss Clara Sorenson, the Busy Bee teacher, came out from Thief River Falls on Saturday morning and will visit with friends until Monday.

J. E. Hellquist left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where he will visit with the C. E. Hellquist and James Johnson folks over Sunday.

Miss Lyda Batten, Albert Stengelson and Chester Dols returned to Thief River Falls to their school work after spending their vacation here.

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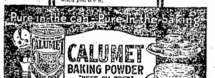

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

CREAM RECEIPTS AVERAGED $700 A DAY IN 1920

This Was Amount Paid Producers According to Creamery Secretary's Report.

Plant in This City Ranks Among the Most Successful in State of Minnesota.

Patrons' Dinner and Annual Meeting of Stockholders on Saturday, Jan. 29.

The Thief River Co-operative creamery ranks well to the fore in every respect with the most successful of the 600 co-operative creameries of Minnesota, according to the 1920 annual report submitted to patrons of the organization by Secretary Peter Engelstad thru this issue of the Times. The above comparison is made on a basis established by a summary of co-operative creamery reports, as compiled by the agricultural extension division, University farm, St. Paul.

Few creameries paid a higher price for butterfat than the average of 65.22 cents per pound paid to patrons of the local creamery during 1920. The same statement holds true of the price of 55.47 cents per pound received by the creamery for butter and the 22.4 per cent average overrun on butter churned. From the standpoint of cream, whole milk and skim milk and the butterfat contained therein, the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery stands with the very foremost.

Community Eats $55,470 Worth.

Over one and one-half million pounds of cream alone, or an average of 4,000 pounds daily, including Sundays and holidays, were hauled to the creamery during the year 1920. In addition to the cream, 384,484 pounds of whole milk and 78,960 pounds of skim milk were received. The 1,914,979 pounds of milk and cream purchased, contained 419,680 pounds of butterfat and produced 398,289 pounds of butter. Approximately 100,000 pounds of butter were consumed locally, 94,398 pounds of which was retailed thru the stores of Thief River Falls. At the average price of 55.47 cents per pound, this consumption of butter represented an investment by the community of $55,470, or over $1,000 per week.

The decrease in butterfat produced as compared with 1919 was but one and three-quarters percent while the decrease in the gross amount of business as compared with 1919 was but two per cent, which, in view of the financial condition existing is considered as exceptional. The total cash receipts were $309,877.53 as compared with the $319,708 of 1919, showing a decrease of $10,000, for which the drop in prices is almost entirely responsible.

Patrons received over a quarter of a million dollars for cream hauled, which means that checks were issued at the rate of over $700 daily for every day of the year. Peter Engelstad, secretary of the co-operative creamery and farmer of Rocksbury township, during the year sold cream to the amount of $3,587.15; Hans Anton, Jens Kierk and Waldi Christensen each received for cream hauled during the year over $2,300; five dairymen received over $1,500; 12 more received over $1,000; while 91 others received over $500.

Shows Remarkable Growth.

The Thief River Co-operative creamery has shown a remarkable growth. Established in 1906, the total business for 1907 was slightly over $33,000 with 106,795 pounds of butterfat received. By 1912 an annual business of $40,000 was secured; in 1913, $50,000; 1914, $90,000; 1915, $120,000; 1916, $124,000; 1917, $159,000; 1918, $226,046; until in 1919 receipts reached the total of $319,701. Butterfat purchased increased proportionately.

Following the publishing of the annual report, the association will hold the annual meeting at the Commercial club rooms at 2 p. m., January 29. The usual dinner will be served at the Zion church on noon of the same day. Officers and directors of the organization are: Hans Anton, president; P. Engelstad, secretary; S. O. Lee, treasurer; Henry Pope and T. R. Rynestad, directors.

HIGH SCHOOL WINS IN SECOND DEBATE

East Grand Forks Outargued by Representatives of Lincoln High—Second Victory.

The Thief River Falls high school debating team, taking the affirmative stand on the subject, "Resolved, That the Open Shop is Preferable to the Closed Shop in Our Industrial System," won the victory from the high school debating team of East Grand Forks in a contest held in the auditorium of the Lincoln high school on Tuesday evening. The decision of the judges was two to one in favor of the affirmative. This was the second debate on the subject presented by the local debating team and the second victory. The team will debate Crookston high here on the evening of Feb. 1, taking for the first time, the negative stand. The victorious team of the coming debate will compete with two other teams for the Ninth district championship. The district champions will be obliged to enter three other debates to determine the state championship.

The debate entered into here Tuesday night was, in the opinion of the judges, an exceptionally strong one, both from the affirmative and negative standpoints. The affirmative stand fell to the lot of the local team thru the tossing of a coin several weeks ago. The team is made up of Esther Soards, Vernon Copp and Edward Fiterman and is coached by J. Nathan Pierce, principal of the high school. The opposing team was composed of Violet Ferestad, Lillian Browell and Ross Peterson, Superintendent M. C. Hayes of the East Grand Forks high school acting as their coach. Superintendent T. C. Ullering of Red Lake Falls, Superintendent M. G. Randolph of Erskine and Miss Victoria Ericson of the State Department of Labor, acted as judges.

PEARSON MURDER CASE OPENED WED.

Former Resident of Thief River Falls Charged With Cruel Murder of Infant.

Crookston, Minn., Jan. 19—Following two days and a half devoted to securing a jury, the taking of testimony started at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the case of Mrs. Martha Pearson, charged with first degree murder in connection with the freezing to death last winter of her infant child. Previous knowledge of the case by the veniremen proved the stumbling block that caused the delay in filling the jury box.

County Attorney J. E. Montague opened the case for the state by describing the details surrounding the finding of the body of the infant child.

The baby, he stated, was discovered on the morning of Feb. 8, 1920, on the roof of a shed adjoining the Commercial hotel. During the time the infant had been placed on the roof and its discovery, a thaw, followed by a freeze, had set in and the little body was frozen to the roof and only lightly covered.

The first witness called by Mr. Montague was Fred E. Asselin, acting chief of police here at the time of the alleged crime. He occupied the chair but a short time while he told of his part in viewing the body following its discovery. He was followed on the stand by Coroner Nelson, who told of the removal of the body from the roof. Following other testimony, court was adjourned until tomorrow.

It is the belief of court officials that the fate of Mrs. Pearson will be in the hands of the jury before the end of the week. Her trial will be followed by that of her husband, Arthur Pearson, who is charged with the same offense.

PICTURE THEATERS HELP HOOVER FUND

Manager Brumund Donates Entire Proceedings of Matinee to Europe's Children.

By way of assisting the moving picture theatres of the United States to raise $2,500,000 for the European Children's relief fund, H. A. Brumund, proprietor of the Lyceum and Princess theatres, will present a special matinee on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 29, the entire proceeds of which will go to the cause of the starving millions. The "Fairy and the Waif," a special children's picture, has been secured for the matinee.

A speaker of note has been secured for the next Wednesday evening show, at which time a collection will be taken up, the amount of the same also going to the relief fund. The theatre management is furnishing the house, help, the films shown, and defraying all expenses incidental to the Saturday matinee.

Moving picture exhibitors of the United States have guaranteed to raise the enormous sum of two and one-half million dollars for the Children's relief fund, every motion picture house in the country following much the same method being taken by Mr. Brumund. This action follows special conventions called at Chicago and New York during the latter part of December.

Farmers and Merchants Bank Re-Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' & Merchants' State bank was held Tuesday evening. A. S. Lieberman was elected a director, otherwise the directorate remains the same as during the past year. No dividends were declared. Bank officials were commended for their administration during the past and trying year.

Officials of the bank are: Robert McGinn, president; Herbert Fuller, vice president; L. A. Lampert, cashier and Miss Effie Hamry, assistant cashier. The directors are: A. S. Lieberman, John Cronkhite, Waldie Christenson, Paul Engelstad, M. T. McFarland and Louis DeCremer. F. E. McGinn, teller and D. M. McGinn, bookkeeper, complete the present personnel of the bank.

Following the business session, a banquet was served in the banking rooms to the 50 stockholders in attendance.

EXAMINATION OF DISABLED MEN ON FEB. 1 AND 2

Service Men of District Urged to Come to Thief River Falls on Above Date.

All Expenses of Trip Paid by Board, Including Fare and Board.

Arrangements Will be Made to Place Accepted Men in Training at Once.

District No. 10 of the Federal Board for Vocational Training will send a squad of men, consisting of G. E. Hardy, eligibility officer; William Rockford, contract officer; W. J. Norris, special educational advisor; and Dr. F. L. Alloway of the medical department, to Thief River Falls over February 1-2, in an effort to place all disabled ex-service men in this section of the state in training. This eligibility squad is empowered to make medical examinations, certify to official papers, advise men as to training and give them transportation to schools.

All Urged to Apply.

All this will be done while the squad is in Thief River Falls, which has been designated as headquarters for this district, including Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Red Lake and Pennington counties. Their offices for the two day stay here will be in the Commercial club rooms on the second floor of the Citizens' State bank building.

Service men in this district who feel that they have a vocational handicap or disability are urged to consult these representatives of the Federal board when they appear here. Expenses incidental to the trip will be borne by the Federal board and men will be furnished transportation from any point in the district to Thief River Falls during the two day drive. The Evelyn hotel will accomodate them while here. Service men consulting the squad should bring with them all official military and government papers which they have in their possession, as these are necessary in order that the squad may inform them as to whether or not they are eligible to training.

Is District Headquarters.

This means that the board for vocational training is coming to the man as nearly as possible. Every disabled service man who is hindered in carrying on his pre-war occupation should receive training so that he may compete with others, states a letter from the district offices at Minneapolis. This squad is already conducting examinations in other sections of the state to see that such men get into training. It is estimated that if each ex-service man will lend his assistance, hundreds of disabled veterans in Minnesota will be placed in training within the next four weeks.

McLeod Succeeds Anderson On R.R.V.D.A. Directorate

Stuart McLeod of Cloverleaf township, prominent farmer, stockman and enthusiastic northwestern Minnesota booster, has been named to succeed A. J. Anderson as director for Pennington county in the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association. Mr. McLeod is well and favorably known all throughout this section and the selection of him for the office will be heartily commended. Mr. Anderson, through the circumstance of having taken up his residence at Grygla, necessarily has had to tender his resignation as director for Pennington county.

County Officials Attend State Meetings This Week

The Pennington county officials, Deputy Auditor Axel Risberg and Register of Deeds N. J. Anderson, are in St. Paul, having attended conventions at the old capitol building yesterday. Mr. Risberg left Thief River Falls Friday evening and Mr. Anderson on Saturday evening. The former attended the Minnesota convention of county auditors and the latter the state convention of registerers of deeds, both meetings taking place yesterday. The two officials are expected home tomorrow.

The annual conventions of county officials are looked upon with great favor. Ideas are exchanged, ways and means of handling county affairs are discussed, valuations are compared and many other items incidental to county administrations taken up in an instructive manner.

NEW BAKERY PLANT WILL LOCATE HERE

City Becomes Headquarters For Enterprise of Wide Scope and Importance.

The American System of Bakeries Inc., of Minneapolis, will establish at Thief River Falls, a modern window bakery, the same to be placed in operation within a month's time, according to a statement issued on Wednesday by G. B. Stewart, secretary of the company, who is in the city this week looking up a suitable location. Similar bakeries will also be established at Bemidji, Detroit, Warren and Crookston, Thief River Falls being designated as headquarters for the district, thruout which operations will be under the supervision of P. G. Strombo, district manager.

Mr. Strombo has been in the city the past week for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements to the taking up of his duties here and securing a residence for himself and family. G. E. Cavanaugh, who joined Mr. Strombo on Wednesday morning, will act as district sales manager. The former comes here from Stillwater, the latter from Minneapolis.

Mr. Stewart states that the bakery and equipment will be entirely in white, practically all of the operations, including the baking, to be done in the view of the public. A full line of bread, rolls and pastries will be turned out, the company to make a specialty of milk breads, birthday and wedding cakes. The establishment will be almost entirely of a retail nature.

SPECIAL ELECTION ON SCHOOL BONDS TUESDAY JAN. 25

Seventy Thousand Dollars Necessary in Order to Take Up Outstanding Warrants.

A school election has been called for Tuesday evening, January 25, for the purpose of voting to authorize the issue of school bonds approximating $70,000, which sum is necessary to take up warrants held against school district Number 18 by Thief River Falls banks. The election will be held in the municipal court rooms in the basement of the auditorium from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. Members of the board of education state that the purposes for which this money is needed is so well understood that practically no opposition to the bond issue is anticipated.

City banks request that the school warrants be put on a cash basis because of their inability to handle them at this time. The present floating indebtedness of the school district aggregates $68,000. This indebtedness has arisen because of the increased cost of operating the schools of the district and because no increase in tax levy was made for the year 1919. The main item in the increased operating cost is the pay roll of instructors and school employees, increased salaries having been granted during the past school term. The high price of fuel, paper and general supplies, purchased before the drop in prices was in effect, is given as another cause for the present deficit.

In 1918 the school levy was $45,000, no increase being made in spite of the increased operating expenses. Seventy thousand dollars was levied for the year 1920, but this is not payable until the present year, settlements with the school district being made in March, June and November.

Interest is being paid on warrants held by city banks at the rate of 8 per cent. A rate of 6 per cent will be paid on money borrowed thru the sale of the school bonds.

BIG SONG FESTIVAL IS LYCEUM TREAT

Tuesday's Program Regarded Everywhere as One of Finest in Lyceum Course.

The New York Lyrics, a mixed quintette of talented metropolitan singers, will appear at the city auditorium here on Tuesday evening, Jan. 25, as the fourth number of the Lyceum course under the auspices of the Woman's club. Four vocalists and a pianist comprise the quintette, the coming of which promises to be one of the high water marks in music in this city. Music lovers of Thief River Falls who attended the concerts given here by the Redpath orchestra and the Elsie Baker company, the two other musical numbers included in the winter's Lyceum course, are assured a program of equal merit for Tuesday evening. The Redpath-Vawter management guarantees this attraction.

The program of the New York Lyric singers is new, many of the numbers having been especially arranged. An all-English program is promised, each number, in addition to its musical value, telling a story or expressing a sentiment for the enjoyment of the audience.

Henry Taylor, tenor, has made a great success in both light and grand opera. He was formerly a member of the Century Grand Opera company. Lillian Phelps Coryu, contralto, is credited with a voice of great natural beauty. She is a member of the choir of the Central Presbyterian church of New York city, from which she has secured a leave of absence for her present tour. George Sutton, baritone, has a voice which in richness and flexibility many critics regard as incomparable. Dorothy Seegar, soprano, comes highly praised for her fresh voice of much charm and color. Annye Black, pianist, is a southern girl. She has studied with some of the best teachers in New York and has been successful both as a soloist and an accompanist.

The Lyceum course comes to a close on Feb. 22, with the appearance here of Strickland Gillilan, one of the country's greatest humorists.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson left last evening for the twin cities where they will be the guests of friends for a few days.

ALL ARE HIT BY DROP IN VALUE OF MERCHANDISE

Retailers All Over the Country Find That Past Year Has Been Unprofitable.

Being Caught With Large Stocks at Time of Sudden Slump Causes Trouble.

Take Loss and Start Over Again is Only Way—Public Should Buy Now, is Advice.

If there is any satisfaction in having a lot of companions in misfortune the farmers of the country should feel quite well satisfied. Men in other lines of business find that not only have they been working for nothing during the past year, but also that they have cut deeply into any surplus they may have laid up previously.

While it was generally expected that the year would prove a disappointment so far as profits were concerned, very few merchants realized just how hard they had been hit until inventories were taken the first of the year. Then it was found that the drop in values left them in the hole in varying amounts, the size of the sum differing with the size of the business.

Simply Marked Off.

In order to get back to a sound working basis merchants everywhere marked their goods at current quotations when inventorying. In nearly every instance this meant a direct loss, the wares having been bought at a time when the price range was much higher. Here in Thief River Falls, at least, the merchants decided to take their medicine all in one dose and follow the market downward rather than take chances on an advance later. As a result they start clean with the new year.

A Very Easy Descent.

To the person not himself engaged in business, it may be a hard matter to understand how a merchant can run behind anywhere from $10,000 to $25,000 in a year, particularly when people are doing a lot of buying, but it is an easy matter. Say for instance, that he has sense enough to follow the market upward and make his legitimate advances as things go higher. He finds that what he sells must be replaced at a price in advance of that which he received for the article sold. He adds the proper profit on the basis of the new purchase price and sells again. He keeps this up for a while. Suddenly the bottom drops out and the merchant finds himself with a lot of high-priced goods on hand. His previous profits are all in the goods he still retains and these must be sold at a loss. And that last loss is what counts. The size of it depends on how quickly he can dispose of the wares he holds and he makes at times desperate price sacrifices in order to turn them into cash. That is the situation of nearly every business man—big and little—in the United States today.

The buying public very often fails to understand this angle of the merchandising game and seems to think that a constantly rising market is an unmixed blessing for the merchant. Very often it proves his undoing instead.

Now All Can Help.

Such being the case, what is to be done about it? The merchant has gone as far as he can in order to bring things back to where they belong. It is now up to the purchaser. If the latter will buy what he needs now instead of waiting until later he will help solve the industrial problem in this country. Not only will he make it easier for the business man to get back into his proper stride, but he will be helping out his fellow workers and fellow farmers in all parts of the country. An increased demand starts factories running and in turn the people employed in their operation buy the products of the farmer. It makes no difference at which end production stops—such condition eventually proves disastrous to all alike. In a sense it may be claimed that the farmer and workingman can best help himself by using his full quota of the products of factories, as in this manner he will be enabling those who produce the things he buys to buy the things he produces. Sitting tight and refusing to buy anything at this time is unwise, unpatriotic and helps retard the return of normal times.

A Good Time to Buy.

The person who is wise, instead of holding back, will take advantage of present conditions to secure what is liable to be needed in the near future. It must be remembered that prices cannot fall much lower without upsetting conditions a great deal worse than they are at present. If wages are forced down through lack of orders it will react to the detriment of every person residing in a farming community, as the buying power of the city man will be reduced in exact ratio with his pay check. He will buy less flour and pork and potatoes as a consequence and this will adversely affect the farmer.

The thing to do in order to get back to normal is live normally. Spend nothing foolishly but buy what is required as under ordinary circumstances. That is all needed in order to bring back good times.

Stag Party For U. C. T. Men Saturday Evening

Oscar C. Olson, Adolph Gabrielson and Julian Provencher gave a stag card party and smoker for members of the local order of United Commercial Travelers at the Evelyn hotel on Saturday evening. Following several hours of play at the card tables, a Dutch luncheon was served buffet style, Mr. Provencher offering a toast to absent members during its course. One of the features of the evening was a full hour of vocal selections presented as an extemporaneous part of the evenings entertainment by the Quaxorinctic male sextette, made up principally by U. T. C's., from their table in one corner of the dining hall.

About 45 guests were in attendance. Among out-of-town travelers present were: J. Englebret of Bronson; J. N. Preus, W. A. Mawer and Charles Glen of St. Paul; T. G. Bell of Duluth and J. Levinson of Brooklyn, N. Y.

COUNTY BANKERS ARE OPTIMISTIC

Discuss Topics of Day at Quarterly Banquet and Meeting Held on Wednesday.

The Pennington County Bankers association held its quarterly meeting at Thief River Falls on Wednesday. A 7:30 banquet dinner was served to the 26 members in attendance, at the Brumund hotel. D. E. Tawney, brother of the late Congressman Jas. A. Tawney of Winona, was the guest of honor and responded to the toastmaster's request with a very interesting talk. Mr. Tawney is a resident of Winona and financially interested in banks at Greenbush, Badger and Roseau.

Directly following the banquet, the business session of the meeting was held in the directors' room of the Citizens State bank. A general discussion of banking topics of the day took place. County bankers present expressed themselves as taking an optimistic view of the present financial situation and that conditions are better in Northwestern Minnesota than in the southern part of the state and in Iowa, there having been no land boom here to inflate values.

Members of the association in attendance from points in the county were: Nick Bundhund and H. B. Rockne of Goodridge; Paul Bergie and E. C. Karwand of Hazel, and Thomas H. Smith and Walter Smith of Mavie. The Thief River Falls banks were well represented.

COMMERCIAL CLUB ELECTION THURS.

Nominating Committee Has Selected Two Candidates For Each Office to be Filled.

Following the weekly noon-day luncheon of the Commercial club at the club rooms on Thursday, it was announced in a brief business session that the annual election of officers would be held on Thursday, Jan. 27. It is to be determined at the luncheon of today whether or not the ballot will remain open all day or whether the election will take place during the noon hour or at an evening dinner served in the club rooms.

A nominating committee has been appointed. It has been suggested that two nominations for president, first vice president, second vice president, treasurer and five directors be submitted. The secretary for the coming year is appointed by the new executive board following the annual meeting of the club and installation of officers on Thursday, Feb. 10, at which time a banquet may be given. It is planned that the above named offices shall be filled in a manner to secure, as far as possible, representation of the jobbing, manufacturing, financial, retail, professional and agricultural interests of the community, in addition to a representation from the locality at large.

Thief River Soldier Weds While Serving in Germany

William Midderigh, son of Fire Chief Paul Midderigh, now serving with the American army of occupation at Coblenz, Germany, surprised his father the other day by announcing that he had married while on the other side and would one of these days "bring home the finest little girl in the world." The young man is now with Company C, First Artillery Signal corps and his term of service will soon be at an end, when he expects to return to God's country with his wife.

"Bill," as he was familiarly known to all acquaintances, was the first man to enlist from Thief River Falls at the outbreak of the war, serving throughout with the Third ammunition train. Upon being mustered out he paid a short visit to his father here and re-enlisted for a three-year period.

Officers Selected For Goodridge Mercantile Co.

The stockholders of the Goodridge Mercantile company, at their meeting in this city last week, re-elected all the former officers, as follows: Theo. Gilbertson, president; Rasmus Oen, vice president; M. G. Thorson, secretary and treasurer. Theo. Gilbertson, Rasmus Oen, Edward Ness, M. G. Thoreson and E. K. Ansen were chosen as directors.

PERSONAL TAX INCREASE FELT HEAVIEST HERE

Business Houses Hit Rather Hard by Reason of Advance in Value of Merchandise.

Rate a Trifle Lower Than Last Year But Valuations More Than Make This Up.

Official List Shows Slight Increase in Number of Taxpayers in County.

The personal property tax list, as submitted for the year 1920 by County Treasurer John Gullingsrud and appearing officially in The Times today, contains 2076 names, an increase over last year of 68. Out of this total number of taxpayers 514, or practically one-fourth, are residents of Thief River Falls. This is a falling off of ten names during the year. The village of St. Hilaire gained six while Goodridge village lost four. Deer Park and Silverton townships remain stationary while slight decreases are noted in Goodridge, North, Polk Centre, Reiner, Smiley and Star townships.

Following will be found a comparison of the standing in the townships for the two years:

	1920	1919
Bray	46	41
Black River	47	46
Cloverleaf	54	50
Deer Park	61	61
Goodridge twp.	27	29
Highlanding	95	93
Kratka	80	78
Hickory	71	70
Mayfield	47	44
North	123	118
Norden	73	69
Numedal	44	39
Polk Center	39	43
Rocksbury	121	109
River Falls	73	68
Reiner	51	56
Smiley	89	92
Sanders	83	43
Silverton	59	59
Star	71	72
Wyandotte	62	60
Goodridge vil.	57	61
St. Hilaire vil.	89	83
T. R. F. city	514	524
	2076	2008

Increase is General.

Personal property taxes in Thief River Falls are higher than a year ago as a general rule, although the rate is two-tenths of a mill lower. This is particularly noticeable where it applies to business houses and is to a large extent chargeable to the increased value of the goods handled, it being doubtful if stocks have been very much increased over a year ago. There are 20 concerns whose tax bill exceeds $500; in eight instances it is over the $1000 mark, and two companies will have to pay more than $2000. Those heading the list are as follows:

Oen Mercantile Co.	$2,841.96
Thief River Grocery Co.	2,094.04
Loken Brothers	1,802.46
Larson Furniture Co.	1,643.01
The Tessum Co.	1,437.14
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	1,326.84
Hanson-Barzen Milling Co.	1,162.16
Farmers and Merchants Bank	1,140.33
Standard Oil Co.	982.72
McFarland Auto Co.	858.05
First and Peoples Bank	849.18
A. S. Lieberman	697.12
Citizens State Bank	656.51
The Prichard Company	589.21
C. Gustafson & Son	583.66
Northern Woodwork Co.	570.52
The Supero Co.	523.13
C. Froseth	521.45
Times Ptg. & Mfg. Co.	511.47
Manhattan Oil Co.	503.53

Municipalities Pay High.

Compared to the farming sections, people residing in the city and villages fare badly when it comes to assessing taxes. St. Hilaire, located in School District No. 102, pays the highest assessment, the figure there being 97 mills. Goodridge village in School District No. 8 comes next with 92.3 mills. These are followed by Thief River Falls, District No. 18, where the rate is 89.2 mills. The lowest rate in the county is enjoyed by residents of District No. 124 in Polk Center township, their rate being 27.9 mills.

Only one actual farmer in the county will have personal property taxes of over $100. He is N. E. Beebe of Rocksbury township and his assessment is $169.15.

Goodridge School District Will Hold Bond Election

School district number 8, in which is located the village of Goodridge, is planning to hold a special election soon and ask for authorization to issue bonds in the sum of $10,000 in order to take up outstanding warrants and provide funds for carrying on the work during the remainder of the year. Advancing costs of everything pertaining to school work has caused a deficit in the amount made available by the last budget and banks have notified the officers that it will no longer be possible for them to carry the warrants. The situation is exactly as in Thief River Falls and thousands of other communities throughout the country.

The exact date for holding the election has not yet been set.

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City News

A. W. Hanson of Goodridge visited with friends here on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. S. Lloyd of Crookston is visiting with friends here this week.

Miss Selma Swenson of St. Hilaire shopped between trains here on Tuesday.

Geo. Paterson of Hazel spent the first of the week visiting with friends here.

Robt. Coutts of Fargo was a business caller in this city the first of the week.

Felix Anderson of Wylie visited with friends here yesterday between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cloutier are rejoicing over the birth of a son on Jan. 14.

Mrs. W. H. Sande left yesterday morning for Steiner to visit at the H. L. Sande home.

Geo. Johnson, cashier of the bank at Grygla, was a business caller in this city on Friday.

C. Christenson returned Wednesday morning from Goodridge where he transacted business.

P. Engelstad returned yesterday morning from Warren where he had spent a day on business.

Mrs. O. G. Storholm left Monday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting friends.

Olaf Ramstad returned Saturday from Minneapolis where he had spent a week attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned last evening from Warren where they spent the day visiting friends.

Miss Olga Norquist of Gully is spending the week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Barley.

Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Olson are the proud parents of an eight pound daughter born on Saturday morning.

R. S. Ferguson arrived here Friday evening from Bemidji to spend a week visiting his sister, Mrs. S. B. Albert.

Rev. T. E. Sweger of the Trinity Lutheran church, visited friends at Hallock from Tuesday to Friday of last week.

Paul Engelstad, who is employed by the Farm Bureau at Warren, arrived here Tuesday evening for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Harris departed on Monday evening for their home at Minneapolis, after a week's visit with friends here.

Burton Nelson of Germantown visited in this city the first of the week enroute to Minot, N. D., where he will be employed.

A. Jackson, employed at Crown's barber shop, returned to this city on Tuesday, after a week's visit at his home in Ada.

Jordan Penney, who had visited with friends in the twin cities for two weeks returned to his home here on Monday morning.

Mrs. Bessie Jorgenson arrived Saturday evening from Duluth and will spend a week visiting with relatives and friends here.

Derby Anderson left here for Minneapolis Friday evening, enroute for Fort Bear, New Mexico, where he will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Odin returned to their home at Minneapolis Saturday evening after visiting with relatives and friends here for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Carlson and son returned Sunday morning from Minneapolis where they had spent a couple of weeks visiting with relatives.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid will serve lunch in the church basement next Wednesday afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to the general public.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Sandberg who spent some time in this vicinity visiting with relatives and friends, returned on Monday evening to their home at Aberdeen, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau visited with friends here the latter part of last week enroute from St. Hilaire where they attended the funeral of a relative to their home at Germantown.

Klemet Haakus who visited at the Rolland homes here the latter part of last week enroute from Warren where he underwent an operation, left Tuesday morning for his home at Baudette.

Oscar C. Paulson, employed at the local American Railway Express office, returned here from Warren on Monday. He underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Warren hospital on Jan. 6.

Miss Mildred Seavy of Goodridge, who had spent a two weeks' vacation at her home, was the guest of friends between trains on Friday enroute to New Rockford, N. D., where she is taking a course in nursing.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown and sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Englebert and children, of Bronson, who have been guests of relatives at Goodridge, arrived here Saturday. The latter returned to their home Saturday morning.

Miss Onata Stopple, who spent a period of a month visiting at her home at Alexandria and with friends at Minneapolis, returned to this city the latter part of last week to resume her work at the Dalquist millinery.

Mrs. P. Swedberg, who had spent some time visiting with her sons residing at Climax and Crookston respectively, was a guest of Mrs. O. Erickson over Sunday, leaving Monday morning for her home at Baudette.

The Pennington County Auto club will meet at the Commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock tonight for the purpose of selecting a delegate to the Minnesota Automobile club convention, which will be held at Minneapolis on February 8.

The Athletic club will be closed to the public on Friday night of each week, at which time the gymnasium will be devoted to the use of the newly established class in setting-up exercises. Over 20 members are enrolled in the class.

Ed. Peterson of Manistique, Mich.,

mer home at Crookston, looking over his business interests arrived here on Monday morning for a day's visit at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Gustafson.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Torgerson, who are on their honeymoon, spent a few days at Goodridge visiting relatives and arrived here the first of the week, spending a few days here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Adsero and family. They returned to their home at Fargo yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Edwards and two sons, of Viking, were visitors in this city on Friday. Mr. Edwards left via the Great Northern Friday afternoon for Watertown, S. D., in response to a wire that his father was seriously ill. Mrs. Edwards and children returned to their home Saturday morning.

Manager H. A. Brumund of the Thief River Theatre company, returned last week from a meeting of First National exhibitors held at Minneapolis. Mr. Brumund booked a number of the latest attractions released while on the trip and these will be shown at the Lyceum and Princess during the late winter and early spring.

Miss Anna Skeim, superintendent of the Physicians' hospital, left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will visit friends for a few days before leaving for Twin Valley to be a guest at the home of her parents for a period of two weeks. Miss Ruth Bradley, assistant superintendent, who arrived here recently, will fill the vacancy.

Numerous friends and classmates of Miss Margaret Fuller, who had been confined at the Oakland Park sanitorium for a year, until a couple of weeks ago, when she left for Colorado Springs, Col., to continue treatment for tuberculosis, will be pleased to learn that she stood the trip well without any change in respiration and temperature. She is now nicely settled at Knob Hill Lodge. Her aunt, Miss Clara Brown, of Minneapolis, who accompanied her, has secured a position as nurse in the same institution.

SEASON'S GREATEST GAME IS EXPECTED

Legion Basket Ball Team Goes Against Grand Forks Y. M. C. A. Friday Night.

The Legion basket ball quintette will meet the Grand Forks Y. M. C. A. team at the city auditorium here on Saturday night in a game that should prove one of the fastest of the season. Fans who witnessed the Fosston-Thief River Falls game here on the evening of Jan. 7 are cancelling all other engagements for Saturday night in order to get out and help the Legionnaires put across another victory. The game will begin promptly at 8:15.

The Grand Forks "Y" team has acquired the reputation of being composed of well trained and clean players. They have been playing some of the best teams of the Northwest, including that of the University of North Dakota, to which they went down to defeat in a one-sided game last Friday night.

The local Legion team has played but two games this season, both of which were hard fought battles, yet decisive victories. Coach G. W. Connell has been putting his players through nightly work-outs since the game with Company I of the Crookston National Guard a week ago, at which time they were already in fine fettle. Their two victories have brought the team recognition from all over the state, challenges being received daily.

Perry Johnson, former Minnesota University athletic star, will referee the game.

Nellie E. Hoppe.

Nellie E. Hoppe, wife of H. M. Hoppe of Grygla, died at her home on Jan. 18, from internal hemorrhage at the age of 20 years, 8 months and 7 days. At this writing funeral arrangements had not meen made.

Churches

S. D. A. Mission—There will be services on Sunday evening, Jan. 23 at 7:45; song service at 7:30. "The Victorious Life" will be the subject. On Saturday there will be Sabbath school with Bible class at 2 p. m. and services at 3 o'clock. The public is invited to these meetings.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid Thursday, Jan. 20. Young Peoples' society in the evening. Confirmation class Saturday 10 a. m. at the parsonage. Sunday school and Bible Class Sunday 9:30 a. m. English divine services 11 a. m. Norwegian services at 7:45 p. m. Rev. H. B. Thorgrimson of Grand Forks, representing the Pension Fund of the church, will preach at both services. The choir meets for practice at Larson's Furniture store every Thursday evening at 7:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday Jan. 26 at G. K. Gunderson's, 305 Maple street, N.

Swedish Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No service next Sunday. Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the church basement on Wednesday evening, entertained by Mrs. Frank Carlson and Mrs. E. E. Forsberg. Luther League meets at the same place Wednesday evening, entertained by Carlson family.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Some visiting minister from the Swedish Mission church will preach the gospel at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Laadell, Pastor—The Young Peoples' Covenant of the North Red River Valley, will hold conference Saturday Jan. 22, and Sunday, Jan. 23. On Saturday at 8 p. m. and Sunday three big meetings, 10 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7 p. m. The evangelists, Seagren and Beckman, from Minneapolis and several other pastors of the district, will take part in these meetings. A large delegation from the different Young Peoples' societies, is expected. Inspiring testimonies and good singing will be the feature of the meetings. The evangelists will speak every evening the following week at 7:30 p. m. A special invitation is extended to the young people of Thief River Falls.

Christian Science—Services will be held in the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Truth." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meetings at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class 10 a. m. Services by the deacons at 11 a. m. Services by the pastor with communion 7:45 p. m. Services at Bethlehem church with communion 11 a. m. Zion Young Peoples' meeting Thursday evening, Jan. 27th. Zion Ladies' Aid will serve dinner for the Creamery Association Saturday, Jan. 29th. Confirmants every Saturday at 2 p. m. at the parsonage.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Jan. 23. 10 a. m. Sunday school. Here is a chance for everyone to study the word of God. 11 a. m. morning worship, "The Testimony of Enemies" will be the theme of the morning. 8 p. m., evening worship. The junior choir will lead the music and provide the special features. Junior C. E., 3 p. m. C. E., 7 p. m. On Jan. 30 the Young People will present a full musical program and a Christine Endeavor Pageant.

Society and Club

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. C. R. Crandall and Mrs. B. G. Walker, at the home of the former, on Friday afternoon, Jan. 28. Lunch will be served at four o'clock.

Dancing Party.

The members of the Central Labor Union, including their wives and lady friends, enjoyed one of their successful dancing parties at the I. O. O. F. hall on Monday evening. During the course of the evening lunch was served.

Surprise Party.

On Saturday afternoon twenty-five of her friends, surprised Mrs. O. D. Ostby at her home 218 Atlantic Ave. N. A pleasant social afternoon was passed, at the conclusion of which refreshments, brought by the guests, were served.

Pleasantly Surprised.

Mrs. Carl Carlson and Mrs. Knut Swanson perpetrated a surprise in honor of Mrs. A. H. Carlson, Duluth Ave. N., on Thursday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. A donated lunch was served at five o'clock.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Eberhart on Tuesday with a good attendance. The topic for the afternoon was "World Prohibition," under the leadership of Mrs. Dena Evenson. A delicious lunch concluded the afternoon.

Farmers' and Merchants' Banquet.

One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season was the banquet held in the Farmers' and Merchants' bank, following the annual meeting of the stockholders of the establishment, on Tuesday evening. About fifty guests were present.

Girls' Community Club Meeting.

The Girls' Community club will meet on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. Current Events and the study of "The New Voter" will take up the early part of the meeting. This will be followed by refreshments and the usual good time.

Birthday Anniversary.

A number of the friends of A. S. Sapero surprised him at his home on Tuesday evening, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in music and cards. A delicious lunch was served at midnight. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nielni.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid.

At the last meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid which was entertained by Mrs. Halverson and Mrs. Ziegler at the home of the latter on Friday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. G. L. Sterns was unanimously reelected president; Mrs. H. O. Loken, vice president; Mrs. Scott Laird, secretary and Mrs. Kinghorn, treasurer.

Aske-Sannes.

Friends in this city have been notified of the marriage on Jan. 11 of Miss Levie Aske to Ole Sannes. The wedding took place at Fargo and the couple left the same day for California, where they will spend the winter. The bride was principal of the Northrup school in this city last year and has many friends here. Mr. Sannes is cashier of the Citizens State bank of McIntosh.

Becken-Halda.

Anna M. Halda and Gilbert Becken were married on Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride, 206 Kendall avenue north, Thief River Falls. Judge N. W. Tarrant read the services. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Zavoral acted as witnesses. Mr. and Mrs. Becken will make their home in this city, the groom being employed by J. E. Cosgrove. Both are well known to residents of the county, their parents having taken homesteads in this vicinity.

Sjoberg-Finberg.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Zion Lutheran parsonage Saturday evening uniting Miss Clarice Finberg of this city and Orie Sjoberg of Middle River, in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the church performed the ceremony. The couple were attended by the bride's sister, Miss Rhoda Finberg and Martin Hanson, both of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Sjoberg will make their home at Middle River. The bride is a highly esteemed and respected young lady who has made her home here with her parents for a number of years, having been engaged in dressmaking. The best wishes of a host of friends go with her to her new home.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A large attendance marked the last meeting of the Woman's club held Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms. A very fine report on the work of the social welfare division of the club was given by the chairman, Mrs. Geo. Biddick. In her report, Mrs. Biddick stated that since December, 12 families had been aided, two of these families having received aid twice. Groceries had been delivered to some of the families. She alleged that she was very much impressed with the condition of each article which had been contributed, only six pieces of which needed mending. A summary of the contributed articles follows: 17 good warm overcoats for men, women and children, 23 pairs of shoes, all sizes, and rubbers and overshoes. 232 miscellaneous articles including wool caps, dresses, (serges and ginghams), scarfs, furs, waists for ladies, some underwear, woolen and cotton mittens and stockings. This section has also purchased outing flannel from which they will make crib quilts. It has held one regular meeting which was well attended and the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. M. Stanton.

Mrs. A. Bottleson was the leader of lesson five, on "Political Parties" and handled the subject in a very able manner. Mrs. O. F. Mellby sang a very beautiful solo entitled, "The Lord is My Light." Misses Lillian Poppitz and Mae Bark delighted the audience with a piano duet.

Annual Installation.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the B. of L. F. & E. held their annual installation on Saturday evening, Jan. 15, at the I. O. O. F. hall, to which the Brothers of B. of L. F. & E. lodge 103 were invited and the following officers installed: Jennie Erickson was the installing officer; Lois Stitt, marshall; pres., Thora Nelson; vice pres., Ruth Haldin; past pres., Jennie Erickson; sec., Mae Stenberg; coll., Esther Freitag; treas., Vern Erickson; chaplain, Grace Carlson; warden, Josephine Clausen; conductor, Clara Johnson; inner guard, Myrtle Miller; outer guard, Agnes Reedy; trustee, Marie Hellquist. After installation ceremonies a social time was had and at midnight a delicious lunch was served.

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Men's Fleece-lined woolen Shirts and Drawers. Reconstruction price	$1.49
Men's heavy Wool Sox. Reconstruction price	39c
Men's brown Cotton Sox Reconstruction price	15c
Men's Kersey Cloth Overcoats. Reconstruction price	$14.75
Men's heavy rib Union Suits, Reconstruction price	$1.69
New Serge Dresses, Reconstruction price	$9.90
36 inch White Outing Flannel. Reconstruction price	19c
27 inch Outing Flannel Reconstruction price	15c
J. P. Coats Spool Cotton Reconstruction price	6c
Corticelli Spool Silk	6c
Meritas Table Oilcloth, Reconstruction price	39.
Window Shades. Reconstruction price	58c
Hope Bleached Muslin, Reconstruction price	15c
9-4 Pequot Sheeting, Reconstruction price	58c
Fleisher's Yarn, 4 Oz. Skeins. Reconstruction price	65c
Germantown Yarn, 1 Oz. Skein. Reconstruction price	19c
Cotton Blankets, Reconstruction price	$1.69
Tricolette—all shades. Reconstruction price	$1.85
Ladies' Fleece-lined Union Suits Reconstruction price	98c
Ladies' Flannel Night Gowns, Reconstruction price	98c
Children's Woolen Hose. Reconstruction price	45c
Children's Cotton Hose. Reconstruction price	19c
Dress Ginghams. Reconstruction price	19c
36 in. Manhattan Percales, Reconstruction price	19c
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Ladies' Aprons; made of Scout Percale. Reconstruction price	98c
New Silk Dresses. Reconstruction price	$18.50

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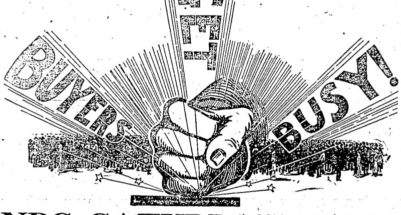

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SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

School District No. 18 of Pennington county needs about $70,000 more than is now available in order to pay running expenses during the present year. In this respect District No. 18 is in the same fix as nearly all other districts in the state. It will be necessary to raise the money by issuing bonds and there must be authorized by the voters. The purpose of the loan and the reason for its having to be made are so well understood that there is hardly a question but what it will be sanctioned.

The trouble is that school districts are helpless in the face of rising costs. There is no way in which such contingency may be anticipated and provision made for meeting it. A budget is presented to the voters in July of each year covering the expenses of the district as estimated by the directors, and this fixes the amount which may under any circumstances be raised by taxation for that particular year. When something happens to send costs away up beyond the point covered by the budget the district has to operate on its credit the same as any other business. This is by no means an unusual proceeding and is but lightly regarded under ordinary circumstances. This year, however, the situation is somewhat different. Banks are carrying all the school district paper they can handle and cash must be raised in order to keep our educational system functioning.

The deficit is due in a large degree to the increase in teachers' wages since the last school election. In granting these advances the board only followed the lead of other districts and there is no disposition on the part of anyone to criticize the act. In fact, the demand that teachers' wages be raised was very general throughout the district even before the board took such step. Other expenses have steadily gone up and there has been absolutely nothing the board could do to keep them down. This left the district short of money with which to operate and we will simply have to borrow.

Our people have never yet failed to act favorably on a request for money for school purposes and there is no danger of their doing so now. The situation is by no means confined to Thief River Falls of Pennington county but is general throughout the entire country.

THEY CAN'T BE SERIOUS.

Legislators do funny things sometimes. Occasionally a proposition comes up for consideration having seemingly no other purpose than to find out just what people think of it. This was perhaps the idea in introducing a bill which, if enacted into law, would make it compulsory for railroads to carry members of the legislature on official business free of charge. If the purpose in introducing the measure was the discovery of just what the people thought about it there is no question of its success.

Perhaps no bill introduced in late years has received such unanimous and heartfelt condemnation on the part of the press. Most papers consider the matter a joke, refusing to believe that any member of the legislative body would seriously consider asking the railroads to perform services for the state or its servants without being paid therefor. As a matter of fact, no such arrangement could be legally entered into, even though both parties were willing.

Except where officials or employes of a railroad are involved, there is no such thing as a "free pass." Any time such favor is extended to persons other than those mentioned it means that in some manner it is being paid for. Consequently it will be very much better both for the state and the legislators personally if such payment is made in cash. There have been free pass scandals enough in the past to satisfy the demand for some time.

As the St. Paul Dispatch says: "There is no more reason why a member of the legislature should ride free than that he should be given free meals in a cafe or hold up the corner dealer for a free cigar."

OUTLOOK MORE CHEERING.

The most cheering news in months comes from cities wherein large automobile factories are located. It is to the effect that next month will see the larger plants resuming business on full time while a majority of the smaller ones will be back at work on part time at least.

It is officialy announced that the Ford Motor company will resume operations in full on Feb. 17, and this is expected to be the forerunner of a general resumption. What this means may be gathered from the fact that the shutdown of automobile factories has keep 100,0000 men idle in Detroit alone.

From the East comes the news that woolen mills generally are resuming the manufacture of cloth and that the corporations owning these enterprises have decided to take a loss on the goods now on hand in order to stimulate sales and help bring trading back to normal. While this can hardly be expected to have much effect on the price of stocks now on hand in stores, it means that the employes will be put to work without delay, and this after all is the most important consideration.

With the opening of spring there is certain to be a greater demand for men and materials in the building trades. The country is miles behind on its construction program and if material prices are at all within reason there should be a brisk demand for both men and supplies. Prices have been steadily dropping and those in a position to know believe that the bottom has been reached, at least for the present. They point out that the finished product cannot fall much below the cost of production and maintain that this point has now been reached.

There is a better feeling noted everywhere, particularly in industrial lines. If a somewhat better price and a more sustained demand for agricultural products can be brought about it will be but a very short time until everything is again going forward at its usual gait.

IDEA LOOKS GOOD.

Secretary Houston states that the country will have to provide $4,000,000,000 in order to meet governmental expenses next year and as this represents an average payment of $40 for every man, woman and child in the United States a good deal of consideration is being given the matter.

A plan which is receiving most favorable mention is that proposed by the National Retail Dry Goods association. In many respects it is different from any yet advanced and has features that will appeal to persons upon whom the tax as now collected falls with considerable hardship.

One feature in particular will strike the average man as being fair and equitable. It is proposed that a federal poll tax of five dollars be imposed on every person over 21 years of age who receives an independent income. Income tax exemptions, it is proposed, would be raised from $1000 to $2000 for unmarried persons and from $2,000 to $5,000 for heads of families. All business of whatsoever nature would be allowed an exemption of $5,000.

Among the other recommendations in the program submitted are: Income from salaries, wages, bonuses and commissions should not be taxed at so high a rate as income from business and investments. Income derived from business, whether individual, partnership or corporate, should be taxed on the business itself and be subject to no additional tax when distributed to partners or stockholders. All other incomes, including profit from the sales of capital assets, should be taxed at a higher rate than income from business and in a still higher degree than income from manual or mental effort. There should be a tax on gross sales of all goods sufficient, when added to all other taxes proposed in the program and including customs receipts, to aggregate the required $4,000,000,000.

The program would eliminate from the present revenue act the excess profits tax, surtaxes on individuals, taxes on transportation, insurance, admission dues and on non-alcoholic beverages and special and capital stock taxes, stamp taxes and certain excise taxes.

The most important item in the above program is the tax on all merchandise sales. It is estimated that a one per cent tax will yield an annual revenue of $1,816,500,000. The tax would doubtless be passed on to the consumer by the merchant, but even in that event it would not assume the nature of a hardship. One thing in connection with the proposal must be admitted—it would distribute the burden and provide a plan of collection that would not be as costly and troublesome as that at present employed.

WHERE A FEAST AWAITS.

Mr. Tired Business Man (though the adjective does not imply that any "untired" of the species is to consider himself slighted) there's a world of wealth in many forms awaiting you at the Carnegie public library.

Don't you once in a while reach home after a strenuous day, have your supper or dinner, as the case may be, and wonder what to do with yourself? Authorities, medical and otherwise, agree that reading is one of the greatest relaxations known for nerves as well as body. The wife or the daughter, or both, does up the dishes, and, if the evening is to be spent at home, both find amusement at the piano, with sewing, or immersed in a periodical or book. You probably aren't a musician and you never did give a hurrah about sewing, and maybe a magazine article or a book strikes you as difficult to become interested in.

Sometime during an afternoon or early evening stop in at the Carnegie and ask for any book under the sun. Courteous young ladies are in attendance and have expressed the hope that some day you would take advantage of the exceptional reading material that lies in wait for you there. They will assist you to the utmost of their ability in finding the volume for which you seek, and if it can't be found, will recommend something "just as good." After having secured something readable—you will be offered a great variety to select from—all you have to do is to lug it home. Then after the evening meal or on a Sunday afternoon you can get your feet out of those pinching shoes, yourself into a smoking jacket or sweater (Slippers and smoking jacket, again, are not necessary equipment for the evening's entertainment. Socked feet and suspendered body are just as comfortable, only the wife might insist that you be right up to style—you know how it is), crawl into an easy chair and go to it. Maybe you will light your pipe or cigar now and then, but nine chances out of ten you will become so interested that you will forget to do either.

That world of wealth at the library does offer itself in many forms: Maybe you prefer books of travel; there are no better than "Stoddard's Lectures" and they will take you into any country and nation on the face of the earth and in so entertaining a fashion that you will not realize that you are reading plain old geography. "History of the Nations" and "Beacon Lights of History" offer you ancient, modern, un-modern, American and every other kind of history in the same entertaining manner. The complete set of "Famous American Statesmen and Orators" will furnish you with a short, snappily-stated biography of every American statesman or orator from Adams to Washington or Wirt. Maybe there is something you always wanted to look up in the Congressional Records. The young ladies will assist you in finding what you want.

You'll find books on office practise, stenography, finance and general marketing. You'll find a complete volume of "President Wilson's Great Speeches" and a complete "Businessmen's Encyclopedia." You will have, no matter what you may be looking for, 8,000 volumes to select from.

Did you ever look into the quaint philosophy of Omar Khayyam? Omar was a gay old bird and did like his liquor and his good time, but the wife hadn't ought to kick, for there's nothing harmful in the volume of his poems and teachings.

Short stories?

Oh man!

O. Henry's short stories all have a real kick in them. Read his "A Blackjack Bargain" and you'll be an O. Henry reader for life. And you don't know what a funny story is until you have read Kipling's "The Uprising of Krishna Mulvaney." Kipling also wrote some regular "he" poetry.

Fiction?

You'll find some amazing books to choose from written by the greatest of fiction writers gifted with names from Abbott, C. A. to Zangwill, Israel. Authors of whom you never heard (neither had the writer until he interviewed the librarian) and who possess the power to portray any situation from the humorous by Lincoln to the blood-curdling by London, Grey or a dozen others. You'll not find any trouble in being suited no matter what your taste in fiction may be, live Western, mystery, industrial or just straight love affairs.

Something real spicy? Alright; take a try at some of the translations from the French by Balzac. Nuff said.

War stories and rope have been just a trifle overworked but "The Amazing Interlude" by Mary Roberts Rheinhart (Maybe you think it funny a woman could write a book like that; but, man, she sure can write), will make you sit up and take notice. "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" is perhaps the most amazing and staggering volume in the local library. And it isn't half as dangerous as it sounds and you certainly wouldn't find it dull reading. Ibanez, the Spaniard who wrote the original from which it was translated, certainly did know Paris before the war and after the war, and he certainly must have been in the war. It is the most talked of book in the country today. Try it and you'll talk about it with the rest.

EFFERVESCENCE

"A place used to be judged by the number of saloons it possessed; now it's the number of stills.

Many a man is making use of these dull times to wear out his supply of gorgeous Christmas ties and socks.

The Grand Forks Herald conducts a column entitled "Flicker Tales." They are "Tufft-ed," as it were.

Oolai states that every time he hears a jazz band or orchestra, he thinks of the old days here when the Indian tom-toms used to beat over on Squaw Point.

It's about time for someone to "crack" the Cootie series of cartoons that appear on the back page of the Minneapolis Journal.

Ernest Thompson Seton states that women's fashions are moving in the right direction. Good Heavens, we thought it was about time for them to turn around and start back!

The Kaiser and his son are to be kicked out of Holland apparently, and we hasten to direct them to the island of Molokai, on of the Hawaiian group.

Here's a New Solution.

(Warroad Pioneer.)

We believe that eventually the problem of teachers in our country schools will be settled by inducing the older men—those beyond fifty-five or sixty—to take up the work. The change would be a great improvement. Grandpa with his wealth of wisdom and common sense, learned by his many years in active work, could give the younger generation a much better education than the girls just out of school are doing. And he would enjoy it.

MUCH WORK LEFT FOR AUXILIARY MEMBERS IN HELPING SOLDIERS

President Hiescher Makes Stirring Appeal to Mothers, Wives and Sisters of Former Service Men—Many Need Aid.

In a ringing appeal to Minnesota Auxiliary units outlining to them her plan for the years' work and urging them to concentrate on the accomplishment of three things, namely increase of memberhip and total number of units, passage of legislation beneficial to former service men, and untiring devotion to the interest of sick and disabled soldiers, Dr. Helen Hughes Hielscher, president of the Minnesota Legion Auxiliary, has written them in part as follows:

"'In numbers there is power,' and therefore I appeal to executive committee members and unit officers and to each auxiliary member in Minnesota to earnestly campaign for the establishment of new units and the enrolling of new members during 1921, so that every Minnesota woman who stood behind her boy or brother or husband in war, may hav an opportunity to stand behind him in peace.

"In the hospitals are many men who, while being healed in body, are being murdered in soul by the pinch of poverty imposed on them by the failure of the compensation office to function satisfactorily. They are without money and in many acses they are without such things as warm socks, scarfs, sweaters, mittens, helmets, etc., for wear on the sleeping porches—things that our women would be proud and happy to supply were there some direct system for doing it. We have that system, but already it is almost swamped in its efforts to solve this problem. Therefore we must have more units and more members to help us carry on this noble work. We have no money to pay extra help and our only hope for funds lies in the formation of new units. So we want the mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of Legion members all over the state to come to our aid by establishing Women's Auxiliary units to the nearby Legion posts, so that they too may have a chance to do their duty by those who fought so well for them."

COUNTRY GENERALLY GOING BACK TO WORK; INDUSTRIES RESUME

Reports From Mid-West States Show That Labor is Being Employed in Nearly All the Principal Industries. Automobile Factories Resume.

Unemployment is on the decrease in the middle west, according to a survey just completed by the department of labor for Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Ohio and Indiana. The number of unemployed in the Chicago district is 90,000, the survey showed. Previous estimates placed the number of unemployed at 200,000.

A survey of industrial centers shows the textile mills have registered the largest resumption so far. Thus the revival satrts where the depression began.

New London, Conn., reported a general reopening of its factories, mostly on full time. Philadelphia reported its textile mills were resuming operations, most of them at full time. At Falls River, Mass., 5,000 workers went back to the looms and the resumption throughout New England was reported quite general. At Altoona, Pa., the silk mills reopened at 50 per cent capacity; at Asheville, N. C., cotton mills employing 5,000 went to full time; at Layfayette, Ga., cotton mills reopened at full time; at Biddeford, Me., mills with 6,000 workers went to four days operation a week, where they had been running three.

In the automotive cities factories are slowly starting up. Many of the reopenings at New Year indicated little or nothing because many shops of various sorts closed down for a week or two at Christmas time for inventory and repairs. But, in the last week or so, several plants have reported a real quickening of activities.

Detroit still reports some 100,000 unemployed—but the automobile business looks for a large resumption within a few weeks and, by February or March, manufacturers expect factories to be hitting a good speed. They look for a big replacement business.

ADVERTISING IS MORE NECESSARY THAN EVER IS EXPERT'S OPINION

Cutting Publicity Appropriations at This Time Regarded as Serious Mistake—Advertising is Only Way to Move Stocks.

Advertising should be maintained and not cut at this time when manufacturers are seriously overstocked, according to Stanley E. Cunnison, a director of the Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce, writing in the current issue of the Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce Bulletin.

"We have come to a period critical in the growth and even existence of many business houses," says Mr. Cunnison. "Decisions that are made today will be determining factors in the success or failure of the years to come.

"The greatest and most successful concerns have always been the most consistent advertisers. Mindful of the lessons of the past, they safeguard the present and anticipate the future.

"Yet today we hear businessmen talking of curtailing their advertising at a time when they are overstocked with goods and are undersold to the extent of thousands of dollars."

Enjoying Sunshine in Tampa.

Tampa Daily Times: Mr. Henry E. Holt of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, is enjoying ten days of lovely Florida sunshine in Tampa.

Country Approaching End of Readjustment Period Is Conviction of Experts

(Minneapolis Journal.)

The pendulum of business which had swung so far up toward high prices and feverish activity, has been for some months swinging back again toward nominal prices. The question is, How far will the swing of the pendulum take it before it pauses and begins the backward swing?

This is substantially the question the Review of Reviews asked of a number of expert observers, some of them practical leaders in industry and some of them more academic students of economic trends. The answers make an instructive symposium in the January number.

It is significant and reassuring that every one of the participants in the discussion believes that the end of the period of readjustment is approaching. Most of them believe that spring will see the turn in the tide.

Irving Fisher, professor of political economy at Yale, thinks the latter half of 1921 will be a period of prosperity, but without a return to prewar price levels. There has been a permanent dislocation of these levels by two agencies—the expansion of credit by the Federal Reserve system and the inflow of gold because of the war. Both of these are here to stay.

Warren M. Persons, professor of economics at Harvard, picks April as the likely month for business revival to begin. By that time present stocks of goods, not large now, will be lower *still and demand will grow*. Prices, he tells us, will not reach the pre-war level and wages will somewhat tardily follow them downward. But passage of a soldiers' bonus bill and issue of government bonds to finance the payments would lead to credit and price inflation.

Elbert H. Gary, head of the Steel Corporation, urges caution, wisdom and courage. Employers who seek readjustment of labor costs should, he thinks, bear always in mind that the welfare of their employees is a matter of the first importance.

A. Barton Hepburn, head of the Chase-National bank of New York, says that a year ago everybody was helping inflation, blind to the inevitable fall of prices. Now people, going to the other extreme, are curtailing too much. He finds our sound financial condition a greatly alleviating feature of the situation.

A banker on the other side of the Continent, Frank B. Anderson, head of the Bank of California, San Francisco, names six things we need to bring back normal times: A revenue law that will reward the results of saving and punish spending; absorption of undigested Liberty bonds; giving to consumers the benefit of the drastic declines in raw materials, lower wages, minimized by enhanced efficiency; restoration of foreign trade; funding of the Government's debts on a long time basis.

That is a striking program, but quite within reach. And Mr. Anderson thinks it need not take long to accomplish, as there is a world of work to be done when material and labor get on a reasonable basis.

It is the expectation of Samuel H. Hedges, president of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, that the present readjustment will induce people to come back to the land for the production of elemental necessities.

Wage cost, Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio, points out, includes not only actual rates of wages paid, but also the efficiency of the worker. He sees a reduction in wage cost already, through the enhanced efficiency of the worker and he expects wages to show a downward trend to keep along with prices of materials.

Two editors contribute their opinions, Clark Howell of the Atlanta Constitution and William C. Edgar of the Northwestern Miller, Minneapolis. Mr. Young expects to see a reaction under full headway by spring. Mr. Edgar is no less optimistic, if not so definite. He believes that America, which has met every emergency since 1914 with fine intelligence and spirit, is not going to be daunted by the last problem following the great war—the readjustment to normal. And it will be solved quicker, if every one, realizing that the days of lush extravagance are over, faces the music courageously.

Samuel P. Colt, head of the United States Rubber Company, expects that current readjustments will in the next six months merge into substantially normal times.

These views of the situation and the prospect are reassuring, because they are not the rosy dreams of inveterate optimists, but the considered opinions of men who are accustomed to look the facts in the face.

We have still some weeks of industrial and commercial unsteadiness ahead of us, but the upturn may be closer at hand than we think. It may come with all the suddenness that marked the downturn last spring. Everyone of us has the power to help recovery by acting with common sense.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

NEW CASHIER FOR BIG PIANO FIRM

When the Stone Piano Co. of Minneapolis, needed a new cashier, they appointed J. A. Sandgren, a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. The company had always had "good luck" with D. B. C. students at their Fargo branch house.

Dakota Business College has a wide reputation for turning out first-class workers—there are never too many. The Cleveland State Bank took on A. J. Rheaume as assistant cashier before finishing his course.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for terms.

OBSERVATIONS.

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

If wages for female help continue to drop the maid will soon be known as the hired girl again.

A shipment of bootleg liquor was discovered in a coffin the other day. What could be more appropriate?

New Year's isn't what it used to be since the pump handle became a corkscrew.

Anyway the police of the Twin Cities appear to be very successful in keeping the jails free of criminals.

There is one thing to be said in favor of high-priced Texas land. You don't have to buy it.

The motto of the average movie actress appears to be to never put off until tomorrow what she can take off today.

The legislature can save a lot of money for the state if it fires the proposed unpaid Babcock road commission before it hires them.

The Region starts off 1921 in a very prosperous condition. Never before have our delinquent subscribers owed us so much money.

"Woman Accused As Bootleg," says a headline. It's a rough way of putting it. They might have at least called her a "bootlimb."

The older ladies who criticise the younger ones for wearing short skirts have short memories. They forget when they used to bicycle along the roads in bloomers.

Our One Cold Day.

This section passed thru the worst storm of this season on Saturday night and Sunday. The loose snow of Saturday was driven into drifts by a 30 mile wind, which abated Sunday evening. Wire communication and train service were but slightly affected. Thermometers on Monday morning registered as low as 26 degrees.

Notice to Ice Users.

We are now in a position to handle orders for ice from outside towns and urge all users to secure their supply at once. Special low rates on ice shipped before April 1. Write for special low prices.

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Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Quality Now Counts More Than Ever

During this period of readjustment there is danger of a large quantity of inferior goods being foisted on the public. Particularly is this true in the furniture line. Be sure you are getting what you pay for. This can best be done by trading at stores of known dependability.

Whatever happens, this store will never cut quality. Our business has been built up on the theory that the best to be had for the money expended is what our customers are entitled to. We shall continue to do business on that theory.

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Main Floor Values

Pepsodent Tooth Paste	39c
Hind's Almond Cream	50c
Colgates Talcum Powder	19c
Combination Offer—One 25c Tooth Brush; one 25c Tube Paste the two now	25c
One Rubberset Brush, 75c; one Tube Shaving Cream, 25c—the two	50c

We still have a great many remarkable bargains in Ladies', Misses' and Children's Ready-to-wear,

Coats, Suits, Dresses, Waists, Furs, Skirts.

It will pay you big to see these before buying. What's left are worth getting.

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Men's high grade 220 Denim Overalls $1.25

Jumbo Size double Blankets, Special	$3.50
Large Size Wool Blankets, New Prices	$8 to $10
Turkish Towels, (A good size for only)	19c
Face Towels, (A real value at	10c
Fiber Suit Cases 24 in. (This Week's Special	$1.49
Boys' Flannel Dress Shirts (For School wear, at)	$1.25
Children's Fine Hose. (A hummer of a bargain)	19c Pr.
Men's Heavy Wool Hose Special	49c Pr.
Boys' Leather Mitts, (Special for Saturday only)	39c Pr.
Fancy Linings, (A leader bargain) per yard	38c

Striped Shirtings, (A big saving for the making)	25c Yd.
Shallies for Quiltings (A variety of patterns) at	22c Yd.
Plaid Dress Goods, (Many new shades) at	38c Yd.
Outing Flannel. (You can't buy too much of this) at	19c Yd.
Table Matting. (Get a pad for your table) at	$1.95 Yd.
Yarn, all shades, per ball	39c
Granite Ware—Special (Below the market price. Ask to see this special	79c Each
Over 1000 articles on the new counter	10c
Special Dinner Ware Sets, (All size sets) 32 pieces	$4.95

Visit our Bargain Basement often and get the inside to lowest prices. We follow the market, you get the benefit regardless of our loss.

Main Floor Values

O. M. T. Crochet Cottons, all sizes, spool	10c
Berkley No. 60 Cambric, here only, yd.	22c
Lonsdale Bleached Muslin, at yard	15c
Serpentine Crepes, yd.	30c
9-4 Pepperell Sheeting	45c
42 in. Pepperell Tubing	45c
9-4 Bleached Sheetings	42½c
0-4 Bleached Sheetings	52½c
Children's fine rib 50c Stockings, now pair	25c
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New Subjects Offered.

The first semester of the school year 1920-1921 comes to a close Jan. 21st. State exams will be given in the half year subjects Thursday and Friday, Jan. 20th and 21st. Mid-year exams will also be given in the full year subjects.

The present management of the high school is showing its progressiveness by adding several very valuable courses to the curriculum for the second semester. The following new courses are to be offered for the first time:

Social Science by Mr. Melby. This is a study of present day social conditions; their cause and probable effect. After the great war social problems have been the chief source of our national troubles. We have the so-called Red menace, with its Socialists, Bolsheviks and the deportation question; we have the negro problem; labor troubles are keeping our industrial system on a war basis two years after the cessation of hostilities. It is entirely fitting that the high school students of today will be the guiders of our national policies of tomorrow—should study these apparent evils and the Social Science course will cover them as fully as possible. This course is to be open to Juniors and Seniors and Sophomores who have been taking Industrial History.

Home Equipment is to be taught by Miss Johnson, as an addition to the Domestic Science course. This covers home equipment, home decoration and home planning. The students will work on actual house plans and will receive practical instructions in furnishing and decorating a home, so as to get a proper blending of colors and a corresponding combination of furniture.

Another very valuable addition to our curriculum is a course in Retail Selling. Commercial Law will be taught by Miss Swift if there is a great enough demand for it.

T. R. F. vs. Warroad.

The basketball game last Friday at the auditorium in this city between the Warroad high school and the local high school proved to be a decided victory for the local team, the game ending with a score of 64 to 4.

The Warroad team seemed lost in the large space of play as they have been accustomed to a very much smaller gym. Their failure in securing but few baskets is possibly due to this fact. They were very much lighter in weight than the local boys, but still showed signs of good fighting to gain their end.

From the time the ball was snapped to the close of the game the local players were right on their toes, working fast and exhibited good team work throughout the game. In many instances our boys would shoot baskets with such speed and accuracy that the score keeper hardly had time to mark for one basket before another was made.

Paranteau showed remarkable skill, securing 18 of the 32 baskets shot by the local boys. Ralston is also deserving of credit for making 9 baskets. The rest of the baskets are credited to LaBree, Herron, Olson and Coyle.

The locals had nine of the large list of aspirants in line for play at the game and all of them succeeded in playing a part of it. The lineup was as follows:

Collins	F	Ralston
Holland	F	Olson
Widsten	C	Paranteau
Gordon	G	Herron
Fox	G	LaBree

The local team's substitutes were: McDaniel, Sundahl, Anderson, Coyle and Dolan.

G. W. Connell, coach of the American Legion team, refereed the game.

Next Friday the boys will leave on a two day's trip, playing at Argyle with the high school there and with the Warren high school at Warren on Saturday on the return trip.

It has been reported that both Argyle and Warren have undergone stiff practicing and have strong teams, but we have seen our team in action and have decided from that that they will come back Saturday evening victorious.

Coach Tonnemanson has selected eight of his list of aspirants for the two games and we have perfect confidence in that they will bring back the victorious banner.

The Bread Club girls sold candy at the game and found no trouble in disposing of their goodies.

Between halves the Sophomores sold sandwiches. This served to enliven the spectators for the second half. The proceeds from these two sales will be applied to the deficit of last year's annual debt.

Stock Judging Contest.

The Thief River Falls high school shows good prospects of again retaining the Silver Cup this year which was won in the years 1917 and 1919 at Crookston by the high school stock judging teams.

A meeting of this year's judging group was held last week and there is fine material for a champion team. In spite of the fact that the school treasury is short of funds, the boys who constitute the team are willing to pay their own expenses that they may show their judging ability.

Personals.

Miss Mealy in Math. 1 class: "I want you to be here today, not later than tomorrow."

Reuben A. (studying latin just after vacation): "This is just like Greek to me."

Edward Fiterman certainly is developing the debating spirit these days, even with the fair sex (as he puts it): "Can you imagine?"

Mr. Pierce (speaking about the annual pictures): "When I changed my way of living I decided to dispose of some of them."

Mr. Ziegler: "I hid mine!"

Things are happening in this country that seem impossible to most of us. Ernest B. said in Industrial History class yesterday that some day we will receive fruit from California a day or so before it is picked. Marvelous, don't you think?

Ask May Belle Swanson and Nora Lindquist if the water was wet down in the gym last Tuesday.

The Public Speaking class are making great progress. Mr. Pierce foresees a class to be proud of. He expects by the end of the year to have some real public speaking.

Howard and Lois Struble spent the week end visiting at the home of their parents near Mavie.

Harold Smithers has not returned to school since the Christmas vacation as he has been laid up with a mild case of mumps. It has been suggested that Harold sign up with Barnum & Bailey. We are sure, if he would, that he might meet with immense success.

Having listened in at the Boys' Glee club practice Tuesday night we decided that "Dovey Doland" couldn't have been there.

Elmer Larson, familiarly known as "Skinny", enrolled as a student for the second semester.

Jordan Penney, a member of this year's Senior class, is visiting in the cities. According to word received from different students, Jordan is having "some" time.

Jordan Penney, Gladys Nelson and Stella Stepvick, with their acquired amount of credits, are graduating from high school at the end of this first semester. The three graduates reside in this city.

Lloyd Alnes is back at school after an extended trip south.

Have you seen all the diamonds? ? at the jewelers?

The first two rows of seats in Journalism are filled—with students. All are after "As" eh?

Kapers of the Kubs.

Miss Elliott: "State the Monroe Doctrine; you can state it in two words."

Fat: "Yes, but I can't think of the words."

Miss Patrick in Eng. III: "What relation was James I to Queen Elizabeth, Pearl?"

Pearl: "Her nephew."

Miss Patrick: "No; Bertha do you know?"

Bertha: "Her son, wasn't it?"

Ditties

I "Marie"

Sunset and Evening Star
And no 'phone call for me!
He promised he would try to get the
car—
I had a date with 'G'!
But such a ride as he'd give he can
keep;
Last time I broke a bone,
The time before I almost fell asleep
Ere we turned home.
Twilight and Curfew bell
And after that it is dark!
I'll tell him now that he can go to—
Nell
And there he'll have to toe the mark.

II Sonnet

Young Marshall Race
Sat on a space
Saying his Grace
Before feeding his face.
He ate so much mace
He had to unlace
His shoes to make place.
You may ask in dismay
How much does he weigh
And we can safely say
That he gained on that day
So that he hires a dray
His weight to convey.
Marshall asks, "Does it pay?"

Miss Svedal (in botany) displaying a mounted spider: "But what kind of a spider is this?"

Bert U.: "I'd call it a Cavalry Spider."

Miss Svedal: "Why?"

Bert: "Because it's mounted."

John H. to Betsy: "Let me see one of your pictures."

Betsy N.: "No!"

John: "Au, come on, I won't get shocked. I've got a strong constitution."

Maybelle O. (at the '20 vs. H. S. basketball game, calling to Rueben): "Rueb, come here." (Rueben does not hear.)

Brilliant Alumnus whose name we had better not mention: "Call him 'Boob' and then he'll come."

Nurse Notes.

In contact infection the germ may be transferred from one individual to another in many ways:

1. Droplet Infection—A spray of mucous droplets is thrown from the mouth during the acts of sneezing, coughing, forceful speaking etc. This spray may be thrown a distance of six feet. One can readily imagine the danger of the crowd, especially during the "infection cold" season.

2. Hand to Mouth Infection—Dr. H. W. Hill, who until recently was Executive Secretary of the M. P. H. A., contends that this is the most common means of contact infection. He condemns the common custom of "hand-shaking" and commends the military salute as the proper method of special greeting. At any rate one's hands are seldom free from contamination, with one's own excretion. If the salivary glands secreted indigo most hands would be stained blue. "Fingers in the mouth" innumerable times during the day is a universal human habit. John Jones has active pulmonary tuberculosis. His sputum contains millions of tubercle germs. His hands are partically always contaminated. The germs are "rubbed off" on the hands of his friend at the next "hand-shake." Not long thereafter these germs gain entrance into a friend's mouth. Soiled hands assuredly play a great role in infection.

3. Fondling and kissing of infants by infected parents or relatives are, in all probability one of the chief sources of infection with tuberculosis. Tubercle bacilli leave the body mainly in the sputum where they are found in great numbers in all cases of pulmonary tuberculosis.

4. Contaminated Objects—Towels, drinking cups, pencils, spoons, and other objects which have been recently "mouthed" by infected persons are important routes of infection.

Avoid Preventable Diseases.

Don't expose your child or allow him to be exposed to a communicable disease. It is not necessary for any child to have measles, mumps, whooping cough, scarlet fever or diphtheria any more than it is to have smallpox. *The so-called "Childhood Diseases"* kill many children and cripple others with serious after-effects which may not manifest themselves until later in life.

Beware of the common cold.

Keep your child away from children who cough, sneeze, or who have sore throat or other suspicious symptoms.

Don't kiss your baby on the mouth and don't permit anyone else to.

If your child is not as bright or active as you think he ought to be, consult a reliable physician. Adenoids, enlarged tonsils, defective vision or hearing may be holding him back physically or mentally.

The greatest gift you can bestow upon your child is health. The best inheritance you can leave him is the physical vigor and the mental power to make the most of life and to enjoy it to the fullest.

As your child grows in years, the fundamental health rules remain the same:

Wholesome food; cleanliness; sleep; regularity of habits; fresh air.

Begin taking care of the baby's teeth as soon as they arrive. Decaying teeth are a source of danger.

The schools are taking up Interschool correspondence through the Red Cross. Very much interest is shown in this work.

Northrup News.

There have been a great many cases of measles, mumps, chicken pox and whooping cough among the children, but all precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of these diseases. Children who have cases of sickness in their homes are not allowed to attend school so that there will be no danger of them infecting others.

Miss Pelto's room won the marching pennant for the lower floor, while there was a tie between Miss Bark's and Miss Sandum's rooms for the upper floor pennant.

Mrs. L. G. Larson substituted for Miss Bark last Monday as the latter did not return until Monday evening.

Declamatory Try-Outs.

Wednesday evening the declamatory contestants had their try-out and two were chosen as winners. They will represent the Lincoln high in all future contests. If they are chosen as winners in three coming contests they will be champions of the Red River Valley. Myrtle Krohn was given first place, Viola Lund taking second. The following selections were given:

Myrtle Krohn—"For the Honor of the Family."
Viola Lund—"Jean val Jean."
Ilene Herron—"By Telephone."
Mildred Bottleson—"Florette."
Mabel Swanson—"The Swan's Nest."

Bashful Benny wears a smile
You couldn't guess the reason why
For you'd have to think a long while
So I'll tell you before you try.
Benny has a country home
And it sure is some class,
But neither does he have to roam
Because Ida is his country lass.
So don't doubt the smile he wears
For sure I know his lassie cares.

More Truth Than Poetry.

I am going to break the strings
And let you hear some things
That seem to be the fads
Among the lasses and lads
For Vernon's changed his mind
And calls on Esther we find,
And Chester's got more nerve
For Ruth he'll always serve.
But Ruby's got the key
To Francis' heart you see.
When Doris smiles at Lynn,
He bows so low and tips his chin.
Among the young and oddest
Comes Clayt and Mild so modest.
What Nora does to play
With Milton so bright and gay?
Now Marshall's girl is gone
To teach a Jake and John.
But Mae, is too, alone,
Her beau is in another zone.
So here I close these things
With Dreng and Marg that brings
The joy of Seniors' life,
To fight the greatest strife.

Sophomore Sandwich Sale.

A Sophomore sandwich sale was launched Friday evening after school, for the purpose of raising money to help lift the deficit left from last year's annual.—The Sophomores realized an evening's business of some twenty-five dollars.

Stock Judging.

The farm management class will in the near future add to their work the study of Horticulture, which will contribute a great deal to the knowledge of farm management.

The different kinds of vegetables, fruits and trees will be part of the study and home gardening and landscape gardening will also be noted in this study. There will be a general study on the various kinds of trees, including shade trees, the pruning and caring of the orchard and the care of different kinds of gardening.

Girl Scouts.

The Girl Scouts of the Central school have organized and three patrols have been formed. Pauline Pawling is patrol leader of the Silver Fox; Esther Bennes of the Grey Wolf and Katherine Barzen of the Minnehaha patrol.

Books and pamphlets have already been sent for and a meeting of all the patrols will be held in a few weeks.

Eighth Grade Increases.

When school started early in September there were but a few over a hundred scholars.

There are now one hundred and twenty-two pupils enrolled. This is by far the largest graduating class there has been for a number of years.

Boy Scouts of T. R. F.

Most of the Boy Scouts are thru with the Tenderfoot tests now and are making plans for the Second Class Scout tests. We have now got our patrol and a few over. Some have gone on hikes, lighting fires with one match and etc.

The troops have meetings every Tuesday night and the patrols have their meetings on other nights.

A Central Joke.

Tommy was bright.

A teacher in one of the lower grades was explaining "preposition" in language class.

"In this sentence," said she, "the top of the mountain was covered with snow. The preposition "of" connects "top" with "mountain."

Seeing a boy in a row with his hand raised, she asked, "What is it Tommy?"

"Maybe Mt. Blanc did not have a preposition and so the top fell off."

Advisory System Begun.

The advantage of an Advisory Board by which students may consult their advisor is clearly an advance over the hit or miss system on the part of the students. The plan will be executed at the beginning of the semester. The same method is in use in all the principal schools and colleges. Under the new system each student has an advisor with whom to consult in the choice of subjects.

Speaking of Apples.

The following interesting letter was received upon request by the Normal department from L. R. Adley, a fruit grower of Selah, Wash. He explains the various phases of fruit raising and the packing of the various types of apples in particular:

"Selah, Wash.
Dec. 26, 1920.

Dear Miss Koglin:—

Whew! Miss Ober set me some task didn't she! But she-who-must-be obeyed shall be obeyed.

Your request came during the apple picking time when every nerve is strained in gathering the crop, but now there is more time.

First let me say that I know nothing of the fruit raising game except in the Yakoma Valley.

This valley, far richer than the famous valley of the Nile, has an interesting geological history. Untold ages ago a river wore a valley out of the then rocky surface of the earth. The broken rock fragments were rolled and tumbled about until abraded smooth. Had you seen this valley then you would have been surprised at the vast work the river or rivers had done.

Later an unknown volcano or volcanoes covered the whole region with a deep volcanic ash, burying the old river basin under hundreds, perhaps thousands of feet of volcanic ash. Through this the waters waded a fresh channel. In places it has exposed the old rock-bound banks and the well-rounded debris but in the Selah Valley the volcanic ash hills stand hundreds of feet above the present river level.

This means a soil the depth of the ash, rich beyond conception but as dry as Minnesota is supposed to be since the 18th amendment.

By going well up to the mountains, canals and tunnels can be dug and conveyors and syphons put in to carry the water when needed. With rich soil, abundant water, there is an ideal fruit climate. The winters rarely have zero temperature—9 above is the coldest so far this winter—while peaches can stand 14 below without killing. I mention peaches because they are the tenderest of fruit trees cultivated here.

Your class will see how the conditions are ideal for apple raising. Of course such conditions are suitable for other fruit and we raise pears, plums, quinces, peaches, apricots, nectarines, cherries and grapes as well as apples.

Before coming to Yakima I owned a 180 acre grain and stock farm in Minnesota; here I purchased a 10 acre fruit ranch thinking I'd take it easy and live on the profits of my easy work. The majority of ranchers have 10 acres or less and what's 10 acres compared to 180? Vain delusion. There is more work tucked into a 10 acre orchard than there is in a 160 acre wheat farm. A novice can have no conception of the work necessary to carry on even a 10 acre irrigated fruit ranch. The water is running all the time between the rows of trees, from five to seven ditches are made. The trees must have enough water and yet not too much and each 24 or 48 hours the water must be shifted and when the whole orchard has been irrigated it must be gone over again. From the turning on of the water in April until the first of October this never ending chore must be performed. Failure is the result of neglect here.

Again, beginning in March or April, the orchardist must spray his fruit every 15 days thereabout until October.

The first, or lime-sulphur spray is made by boiling quick lime and sulphur together. A drop of this upon the flesh burns. The stuff smells like the Frying-pan of the Yellowstone Park and that smells like——well ask Miss Ober the proper word to express it. She has been there—I mean she has been at the Frying Pan.

After this comes the lead-arsenate sprays. And every time you girls eat an apple without peeling it or at least wiping it thoroughly, you are eating as deadly a poison as we know how to put upon the fruit.

I should have said from the first of December until March the pruning of the trees is in progress during all suitable weather. From July 1 until well in August we are thinning the fruit. In August early apples and early pears are picked; in September the peaches, apricots, prunes and plums and from that date until the first of November everyone is working hard to gather and pack the winter apples and pears. Cherries are picked in June and the small fruits about two weeks to a month earlier than in Minnesota.

You have asked me where our fruit is shipped. I can easier tell you where it is not shipped. I have only sold a small part of my fruit but the following cities are copied from my shipping bills: Yakima, Liverpool, Chicago, Atlanta, Ga., Houston, Tex., Boston, Ft. Worth, Tex., New York City, Seattle.

It is difficult to explain the packing of fruit for the trade to one that knows nothing of the process. Pickers put the apples loosely in boxes; these are gathered up and taken to a packing house, private or commercial; here sorters grade into four classes, extra fancy, fancy, C and culls. There are rigid state laws governing the grading of apples and there is a very rigid inspection by the horticultural agent before the apples are shipped out of the state. Culls cannot be shipped out of the state without special permit. Each apple is wrapped and packed in a box with others of the same size. Not one person in 500 in the East knows how to select a box of apples. Notice a box in the store. You will find upon inspection the kind of apple, Winesap, Delicious, Rome Beauties, etc.; the grade, Extra Fancy, Fancy or C and the number of apples in a box, 96, 125, 138, etc. To get the most for your money select a Fancy of about 125 or 138. A fancy is just as good as an extra, except that it has not quite as much color. A C is liable to have bruises and stings. In none of the grades will you find worms if the sorters are efficient. A 125 or 138 is such a size as to get the most apples in a box. A larger size leaves big spaces between each apple, a smaller size gives too large a proportion of cave to apple. Most ranchers think the Delicious the best eating apple out. So if you want the best box of apples on earth order a box of Fancy Delicious, 138 and be sure they are Adley packed and grown. See?

Cordially and hastily,
L. R. ADLEY."

"Try It Out Yourself" says the Good Judge

And you will find how much more satisfaction a little of this Real Tobacco gives you than you ever got from a big chew of the ordinary kind.

The good, rich, real tobacco taste lasts so long you don't need a fresh chew nearly as often. So it costs you less.

Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.

Put up in two styles

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Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

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"The Phonograph with a Soul"

What Edison did during the War

THE official announcement is out. Ask us for your copy of "What Edison Did During the War." Write for it, if you can't call.

It tells how Edison left his home and business and went to sea, how Edison's "Yankee magic" foiled the German submarines.

The bulletin tells many other things Edison did while Chairman of the Naval Consulting Board. It explains how Edison kept the price of his phonograph at bed rock during an era of high costs and soaring prices. Since 1914 the New Edison has advanced in price less than 15%—and part of this is war tax.

This bulletin also describes the Budget Plan, which makes it possible for every home to enjoy the benefits of good music without feeling the financial outlay.

Thief River Music Co.

Watch for the announcement of Mr. Edison's New Research!

The Times is the Recognized Pennington County Paper

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ELIMINATE petroleum from the world and modern industry would come to a dead stop.

Lacking that tiny film of mineral oil, continuously applied, and the machinery of the world would groan to a stand-still.

From air compressors to textile spindles, from sewing machines to power house engines, all the machinery of modern life, the machinery which clothes and feeds, and transports mankind, is dependent upon petroleum.

Animal fats and vegetable oils sufficed for lubrication in the era which preceded the industrial age, but only petroleum could supply lubricants in sufficient quantities to keep pace with the development of modern machinery.

In the development of our modern system of lubricating machinery, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has performed an essential service in producing a vast number of highest grade lubricating oils and greases from petroleum.

Another vital service of the Company is the maintenance of a distribution system which delivers its lubricants wherever, and whenever, the need occurs.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) manufacturers lubricating oils and greases varying in type and consistency to meet the requirements of the innumerable machines which our commercial age requires.

Only a highly specialized and intensively developed organization could give to the people of the Middle West the service rendered by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

The customer who buys a pound of grease, a quart of oil, or a gallon of gasoline, is getting the result of the best effort of 23,000 loyal, efficient, highly trained, men and women who make up the personnel of this organization.

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SPELLING CONTEST AT WINTER SHOW

Pennington County Rural Pupils Will Compete For District Championship.

Pupils of the rural and village schools of Pennington county will enter the spelling contest conducted as a feature of the Red River Valley Winter shows, which will be held at Crookston over the week of Feb. 7, according to a bulletin sent out by County Superintendent of Schools George M. Gunderson. The spelling contest will be held in the Crookston high school on Friday, Feb. 11.

Each county in the Red River valley will send two representatives. Teachers of the county have been notified to conduct spelling contests in their schools, the two best spellers from each to enter a competition to be held in the Pennington county court house on the morning of Feb. 11. The winners of this competition will go to Crookston to take part in the valley contest.

The contestants must be from a one-room rural school or from a grade below the eighth in a consolidated, graded or semi-graded school. Pupils from a district where a high school is maintained are not eligible. Prizes will be given as follows: Written—First, $10; second, $5; third, $2.50; fourth, $1; fifth, $1. Oral contest—First, $5; second, $2.50; third, $1; fourth, $1; fifth, $1. In addition to these prizes a banner will be given to the county having the highest average.

The contest will consist of an oral test of 25 words; an oral spell-down; a written test of 50 words, and a written dictation exercise. This exercise will be marked on the following points: Correct spelling of words, capitals, periods, question marks, and the punctuation of a direct quotation.

High School at Bemidji Destroyed by Fire Sunday

Fire on Sunday destroyed the Bemidji high school building with a loss of approximately $115,000. Firemen for a time feared that nearby houses would be burned. The building was insured for $86,000 and the equipment for $16,000. Four fire companies were pouring water on all sides of the building almost the entire day. The school board met in special session in the afternoon in an effort to make arrangements for conducting classes in halls and lodges.

Bonds to the amount of $295,000 were voted by the school board last summer for the erection of a new high school building.

Congressman Wants $2.26 Wheat Price Reinstated

Congressman J. H. Sinclair of North Dakota, has introduced a bill in congress providing for the fixing of the price of wheat for the crop of 1920, until July 1, 1921, at $2.26 at terminal elevators for No. 1 northern spring or its equivalent. The bill also gives the president power at any time, when it seems necessary to assure a large production of wheat, to fix a guaranteed price, which shall be maintained for a period not exceeding 18 months. The bill gives authority to the president to increase tariff duties, if necessary, to such a point as will prevent the importation of foreign wheat at less than the government guaranteed price.

Annual Report of Thief River Creamery Association

BUTTER PRODUCTION

Pounds of Cream received		1151,535
Pounds of Whole Milk		384,184
Pounds of Skim milk		78,069
Average test of cream	27.90	
Average test of milk	3.67	
Butterfat from cream		405,558.2
Butterfat from milk		11,122.0
Total Butterfat		416,680.2
Butterfat sold in Milk and Cream		21,390.5
Butterfat made into butter		395,289.7
Butter shipped, pounds	390,114	
Retailed in City	94,398	
Sold to Patrons	2,950	
Total		487,492
Average price received for butter		53.47
Average price paid for butterfat		65.22
Overrun 89,212 pounds		22.1
Increase in butterfat compared with last year		1.8
Decrease in gross amount of business compared with last year		2.9

CREAMERY RECEIPTS

Balance from last year		$ 1,100.70
Received for butter shipped		212,972.27
City Retail:		
Butter 94,398 lbs.	$ 53,608.57	
Cream	15,757.71	
Milk	11,020.90	
Cleared buttermilk	163.81	
Common buttermilk	961.18	$1,512.20
Received from Patrons to Sinking Fund		2,081.05
Received from Patrons, other charges		8,111.07
Interest on deposits		523.93
Received for 5570 tubs sold		1,502.25
Received for 10½ barrels salt		107.13
Received for Miscellaneous creamery supplies		172.45
Received for cream shipped		69.30
Received for rent of rooms		149.00
Received for 3 shares sold		75.00
Received for 1 second hand bottling machine		35.00
Received for Miscellaneous receipts		294.07
Total Receipts		$309,877.53

Disbursements.

Paid patrons	$264,567.12
Paid employes	12,144.59
Paid repair and improvement	412.87
Paid secretary	1,800.00
Paid treasurer	557.20
Paid directors	129.00
Paid fuel	2,495.56
Paid Caroline Urness, real estate	1,816.00
Paid express on cream	3,336.87
Paid express and freight	1,374.59
Paid draying	915.30
Paid local taxes	680.26
Paid income tax (1916 and 1917)	53.44
Paid Water & Light Dept.	917.50
Paid Northwestern Telephone Co.	108.55
Paid Creamery Packing Co.	5,788.03
Paid Cherry Co.	4,620.80
Paid Armour and Co.	1,197.28
Paid Dairy Supply Co.	633.63
Paid Power Equipment Co.	391.02
Paid Diamond Crystal Salt Co.	592.46
Paid Dominion Chemical Co.	98.00
Paid Klewet Products Co.	665.30
Paid Louis Peterson, relining vats and plumbing	374.00
Paid Corrugated Container Co-operation	148.92
Paid Robert Gaylord	100.20
Paid Karl Korstad	191.25
Paid Minasia Printing Co.	337.62
Paid Schwartz and Johnson, filling icehouse	165.00
Paid Red Lake Ice Co.	133.83
Paid Paper Supply Co.	125.81
Paid Thief River Grocery Co.	174.29
Paid Commission to Agents	228.70
Paid bottles bought for cash	333.70
Paid 163 dividend checks	407.50
Paid J. J. Holcomb Mfg. Co.	85.55
Paid E. A. Hollow and Son	48.05
Paid P. E. W. Marshall	50.00
Paid Leslie Donahower	38.26
Paid Nebraska Printing Co.	202.75
Paid Zion Institution and Industries	33.05
Paid Sinclair Refining Co.	41.83
Paid Swift and Co.	45.50
Paid Brooks Oil Co.	60.00
Paid Pyramid Oil Co.	78.55
Paid Northwestern Oil Co.	22.65
Paid Plant-Rubber Co.	37.88
Paid Chas. O. Baemer	93.10
Paid Christie Lithograph Co.	25.74
Paid Culture	81.15
Paid National Engraving Co.	41.08
Paid Mrs. Fossum, annual dinner	158.50
Paid Western Union	90.03
Paid Post Office Department	320.71
Paid Times Printing Co.	355.70
Paid The Tribune	176.35
Paid Oen Merc. Co.	163.03
Paid The Prichard Co.	90.27
Paid Highlanding Creamery Co.	23.35
Paid Insurance	70.60
Paid Mousley and Gilnes	30.20
Paid A. Halseth and Son	61.80
Paid Laird's Specialty Shop	31.22
Paid C. W. McDaniels	60.00
Paid for cancellation of three shares	75.00
Paid Thos. D. Murphy & Co.	23.14
Paid Laundry	81.51
Paid Miscellaneous, sheet No. 1	247.05
Paid Miscellaneous, sheet No. 2	72.26
Paid miscellaneous, sheet No. 3	177.15
Total	$311,312.51
Balance overdrawn	$1,434.78
Supplies on hand and paid for	4,888.00
Victory bond	1,000.00

Respectfully submitted,
P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

I take pleasure in publishing the names of our patrons whose gross checks exceeded $500.00 during the year 1920:

P. Engelstad	$2,587.15
Hans Anton	2,290.20
Jens Kleck	2,811.77
Waldie Christenson	2,330.01
Henry Koop	1,880.83
Fred Cum	[illegible]
R. M. Johnson	1,661.70
Henry Pope	1,655.07
A. J. Funnestad	1,638.96
Paul Engelstad	1,623.51
A. C. Simonson	1,594.02
A. Matthews	1,570.91
Mrs. J. J. Berg	1,263.27
C. Christensen	1,212.68
T. Wasle	1,211.32
Wilbert	[illegible]
J. Ellman	1,203.65
Aug. Koglin	1,171.24
Christ Nelson	1,100.22
R. Oen	1,041.10
Andial Ness	1,025.01
H. C. Woolsen	1,018.11
K. Finstad	981.59
Ludvig Larson	972.25
John A. Sundt	940.88
C. Helswenger	931.58
S. Sorenson	925.86
Carl Erickson	917.07
C. Odegaard	895.27
Will Smith	890.10
Hans Sande	851.70
John Johnson	851.21
Alb. Johnson	841.51
O. L. Skonord	821.88
Nick Meyers	813.12
John Sjoholdt	793.70
C. Liden	792.10
Knut Solheim	790.01
Silas Torgerson	780.00
P. Hornseth	780.55
P. Solum	773.82
Mrs. Mosbeck	772.71
L. O. Stenseth	768.22
John Bloom	760.72
Wm. Hebner	755.68
Joseph Oski	730.13
A. K. Haggy	737.50
F. M. Kline	719.75
Mrs. Kate Meyers	717.50
Albert Hanson	715.62
C. H. Swanson	715.50
Peder Sabo	712.87
Emil Krause	705.60
C. M. Hoverstad	703.07
W. I. McCrum	698.80
John Swanson	688.20
F. B. Conklin	683.47
Aug. Carlson	682.58
Fuller & Gordon	677.42
L. Hitterdahl	673.05
John Strohberg	665.20
Peter Voldness	659.92
C. Olen	650.67
Knut Ystesund	639.13
Ole Skaar	650.05
Mrs. T. L. Olson	650.08
Syvert Hanson	640.18
Mrs. Bertha Saugen	635.80
John Kellberg	629.12
Henry Sande	624.14
Mrs. P. Fagerstrom	619.96
Willadson Bros.	618.01
Aug. Johnson	612.70
James Ramsey	600.10
Ole Johnsrud	599.71
P. T. Satre	594.45
Gunder Olson	592.45
Iver N. Strand	591.79
S. E. Hunt	591.00
Hubert Buck	588.74
Olaf O. Omlid	580.50
Gust Wilkin	582.32
C. Wiener	579.67
Victor Ekdahl	578.48
Ed. Grundhaus	576.25
Ole Ahlstrom	575.07
J. E. Wilcox	575.72
Erick Rensla	568.82
Gordon Olson	565.23
Ole J. Dahl	561.90
Ole Drotvold	561.30
Mrs. Carrie Johnson	558.65
J. Klungness	557.40
Mrs. J. B. Walters	555.20
James Crosby	554.61
Mrs. Gutterud	554.00
O. O. Hoffdahl	552.17
Carl Mellum	540.57
Louis Hamre	532.41
Mrs. Welo	530.10
O. B. Gunderson	525.87
Nels Nora	522.52
Mrs. Sarrah Sander	522.32
J. M. Thelge	517.18
Peder Hedeen	511.69
O. N. Anderson	508.56
O. S. Hedland	501.07
A. W. Hanson	501.79

Respectfully submitted,
P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT
For the Year 1920.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1920	$ 1,100.70
Receipts for January	20,101.05
Receipts for February	21,869.27
Receipts for March	25,168.00
Receipts for April	23,032.35
Receipts for May	27,507.69
Receipts for June	45,293.02
Receipts for July	43,293.20
Receipts for August	31,244.07
Receipts for September	24,811.08
Receipts for October	16,619.51
Receipts for November	11,153.51
Receipts for December	[illegible]
Total for the year	$309,877.53

Disbursements for 1920

January	$ 22,601.39
February	23,036.11
March	27,110.02
April	24,217.12
May	20,776.08
June	45,152.10
July	59,674.07
August	34,789.07
September	24,297.31
October	17,301.52
November	13,103.06
December	11,560.56
Total for the year	$311,312.51
Total receipts for year	309,877.53
On deposit January 1, 1921	1,434.80
U. S. Bond on hand	1,000.00

S. O. LIE,
Treasurer.

Welfare Board Meets.

The County Child Welfare board held its regular meeting at the Pennington county court house on the afternoon of Jan. 11. Members in attendance were Mrs. L. G. Larson and Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls, and Peter Wold of Kratka. Theo. Quale, Lars Backe and George M. Gunderson, ex-officio members of the board, were also present.

Mr. Gunderson, secretary of the board, tendered his resignation but it was not accepted. The remainder of the meeting was spent in the discussion of the many cases coming under the jurisdiction of the board.

Wrestler Breaks Rib.

Tarje Froisness of Goodridge, while wrestling with Ed. Johnson at the Athletic club on Monday night, suffered a broken rib as the result of a body scissor grip placed upon him by his training partner. He will be incapacitated for several weeks. He has been training here at the Fallness gymnasium in preparation for proposed matches with challenging parties. Ed. Bergland, local man, is expected to go into training in Froisness' place.

Favors Organized Labor.

In accordance iw the national era of good feeling between the American Legion and Organized Labor, the Central Trades and Labor Union of East St. Louis, Ill., one of the strongest labor bodies in the country, has passed a resolution placing the organization on record as being entirely in harmony with the Legion's national policies and recommending that all its members, who are eligible, affiliate with the Legion. The Central Trades Council of Oklahoma voted to co-operate with the Legion in meeting the problem of unemployment. Preference in employment for union men who are veterans will be given by the secretaries of various affiliated unions by direction of the Council.

Attending Bankers Short Course.

C. W. Vorachek, assistant cashier of the Citizens State bank, is in Minneapolis on business and in attendance at the short course being held by the Minnesota Bankers association in connection with the state University Extension Division. He is expected to return on Monday.

ST. HILAIRE

Andrew Hall, Pioneer, Passes.

Andrew Hall, pioneer resident of St. Hilaire, passed away at his home on Sunday evening after several years of feeble health. Mr. Hall was born in Denmark on August 9, 1841, and immigrated to America in 1865. He lived in St. Paul for several years and while there became a member of the Methodist church in 1877. In 1879 he was married to Johanna Johnson, who died at their home here in St. Hilaire in December 1903. Mr. and Mrs. Hall moved to St. Hilaire in 1883, arriving on the first passenger train which came through to this village in July of that year. After farming for some time Mr. Hall went into the store business and for many years was one of our leading merchants, well known over all this section of the country. Out of seven children in the family two are dead, Anton and Josie. The other five, who were present for the funeral are: Albert of St. Paul, Arthur of Keewatin, Grace, who teaches school at Ray, N. D., Alice, who has been at home with her father, and Ferdinand, cashier of the Farmers State bank here. Besides his five children, Mr. Hall leaves one brother, Christ, who lives in Duluth. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist church of which Mr. Hall has been a faithful member for so many years. Rev. J. B. Smith of Thief River Falls delivered a beautiful funeral sermon and the remains were laid to rest in the Swedish cemetery beside those of his wife and two children. The heartfelt sympathy of the entire village and community goes out to the bereaved ones in their sorrow.

Polk Center Women's Club.

The ladies of Polk Center have organized a Woman's club and meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month at the various homes. The club has secured a traveling library to which all people in the community may have access. Mrs. Martin Erickson is librarian. Anyone desiring books may secure them from her. The library consists of about sixty volumes, six Swedish books, six books on agriculture and the rest in English fiction and history. Anyone wishing to join the club will be heartily welcome by its members.

Doris Severson.

Doris, the two year old daughter of John Severson, died quite suddenly on Saturday evening. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Grimsrud officiating, and interment was made in the Oak Ridge cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Ordean Olson and Mrs. Albert Severson drove out from town for the funeral. The many friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Severson extend their deep sympathy to the family in the loss of their baby daughter.

Locke Residence Burns.

The R. E. Locke family, residing east of Hazel, suffered a great loss when their home was destroyed by fire on Saturday night. The family, all asleep, was awakened by the thick smoke, narrowly making their escape from the burning building. They were given shelter by kind neighbors but the fire was discovered too late to save any part of the home.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors who showed their sympathy and offered their assistance after the death of our beloved husband and father and also thank them for their many floral offerings.—Mrs. C. J. Bothman and family. 1-20

K. O. Gigstad transacted business in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Emil Erickson of Black River left on Tuesday for Crookston.

Roy Johnson arrived Tuesday from Fargo, N. D., where he has been employed, for a visit with his mother, Mrs. M. E. Bjerk.

Mrs. Fred Bjerken and Mrs. Enock Sundholm shopped and visited at Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Iver Johnson of Bray township returned Wednesday from Crookston where they visited for a few days.

J. S. Roy and Gust Naplin, county commissioners, transacted business at the county seat the latter part of the week.

Oscar Carlson returned Thursday from Grand Forks, N. D., where Mrs. Carlson underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Deaconess hospital. She is recoverying rapidly and is expected home the latter part of the week.

H. M. Hicks of Thief River Falls attended to business matters here on Wednesday.

Henning Erickson and Elmer Dahlstrom, left Saturday for Minneapolis where they will attend school.

J. Bohlen, accompanied by his son, Dick, who has spent the past two months visiting here, left Monday for points in Iowa, where the former will attend to various business matters. The latter will return to his home at Rockford, Iowa.

August Swenson and R. J. McKercher were at Thief River Falls the latter part of the week on business.

Mrs. Sam Lorentson returned Monday to Rosewood, to resume her duties as teacher in the Rosewood schools after having been called home by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. M. Miller, who is greatly improved at this writing.

Mrs. Helen Chelin shopped and visited in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Hans Wilson returned Tuesday after visiting over Sunday at Crookston and Grand Forks with his daughters, Mrs. Joe LaPlante and Mrs. D. McAllister.

E. O. Barkeo transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Amble and children arrived here Saturday from their home at Grand Forks, N. D., Mr. Amble returned Monday while Mrs. Amble will remain for an indefinite stay at the S. J. Amble home.

The Misses Nellie Follstad and Josephine Branum shopped at Thief River Falls Friday.

Principal S. L. Johnson accompanied by the St. Hilaire high school basket ball team, journey Friday to Greenbush where they were defeated in a game with the Greenbush high school team. The final score was 12 to 19.

Ed. Pearson and Mart McAndress were in Thief River Falls between trains Friday.

Miss Martha Satterberg left Saturday for Blackduck for a visit with friends.

ERIE

Sakarias Hole made a flying trip on skies across the swamps to see his friend, Ed. Vatne, who resides near the reservation line. Enroute he stopped at the town clerk's office, transacting some business on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson and children of Barnesville, this state, who were here for the Henry Svare funeral, left last Friday for their home. Mrs. Hanson formerly was Helen Svare.

Mr. and Mrs. Tellef Hovet were guests at the L. B. Johnson home on Monday evening.

Gust Iverson made a trip to Gully on Thursday of last week. He was accompanied by H. C. Iverson, who took his departure for Kelliher.

Christian Skaaren captured a wolf on Dec. 28, this being Skaaren's first catch this season.

There was a yeast famine in the eastern part of Star twp. last week, hence we did not knead the bread.

Mrs. Henry Rockne, teacher in district No. 5, spent the week end with her family in Goodridge.

Per Rensla of Rhoda has been visiting his daughters in this vicinity, and will remain for an indefinite period.

Wood hauling and sawing is the general pastime of the masculine population these days.

City Council

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Jan. 11th, 1921.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of Dec. 28th were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the monthly reports of City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, Manager of the Auditorium and Librarian, be approved and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ness, that the application for transfer of Billiard, Pool and Bowling Alley license, from James Cosgrove to Edward Carlson, be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the petition of the Property Owners Organization, represented by M. V. Everson, Olaf Romstad and Rasmus Oen, be filed and made a part of record. Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Ness. Aldermen voting No: Dahl, Brumund, Brandon, Ihle.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Ness, that the City Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for city printing and city depository for the ensuing year, bids to be opened at the Council Chambers Feb. 1st, 1921 at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 11th, 1921, Alderman S. Brandon, seconded by Alderman John Dahl, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$158.50
Chas. Gustafson & Son, repairs	9.50
The Tribune, ledger	74.20
Hall Bros., batteries	1.70
First National Bank, premium, City Clerk's bond	32.50
D. H. Bakke, premium, City Treas. bond	32.60
Laird's Specialty Shop, office supplies	1.50
Minneapolis Bridge Co., coal	241.53
A. B. Renneson, Wood	48.65
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	15.25
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., lumber	1.55
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent and tolls	10.75
Times Printing & Mfg. Co., printing	5.85
Water & Light Dept., electrical supplies	150.68
Improvement Fund.	
Brown Plumbing & Heating Co., repairs	5.15
Times Printing & Mfg. Co., printing	15.67
Water & Light Dept., power service	12.25
Auditorium Fund.	
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	3.10
Minneapolis Bridge Co., coal	57.81
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	3.50
Water & Light Dept., light service	105.47
Poor Fund.	
A. M. Langseth, shoes	10.10
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	5.55
C. S. Simonson, supplies	4.40
Carl Christofferson, supplies	30.00
Bredeson & Co., supplies	31.85
Louis DeCremer, supplies	7.00
City Dray & Fuel Co., hauling wood	1.00
August Nordlund, sawing wood	1.75
City Auditorium, wood	21.50
The Prichard Co., wood	33.00
Minneapolis Bridge Co., coal	27.25
C. W. McDaniel, rent	10.00
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	1.50
Water & Light Dept., transportation, Gregory	25.70
Library Fund.	
The H. W. Wilson Co., subscription	9.45
St. Paul Book & Stry. Co., books	75.29
Times Printing & Mfg. Co., supplies	2.75
Water & Light Dept., light service	12.85
Electric Light Fund.	
N. W. Elect. Equipment Co., supplies	24.40
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	22.65
Kelley Duluth Co., supplies	1.29
Standard Oil Co., oil	10.07
Manhattan Oil Co., oil	9.62
Oen Merc. Co., supplies	5.20
Alfred Berry, supplies and storage	12.10
Daniel Shaw, insurance	20.70
Laird's Specialty Shop, office supplies	6.10
Minneapolis Bridge Co., coal	22.09
City Dray & Fuel Co., drayage	2.50
N. W. Telephone Exchange Co., phone rent	7.00
Times Printing & Mfg. Co., printing	1.65
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc.	82.84
J. J. Aas, labor	7.00
Waterworks Fund.	
J. J. Aas, repairs	13.60

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 15, 1921.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Legal Notices

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Thirty-one and 32-100 ($5031.32) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, Mortgagees, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of December, 1915, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 3 of Mortgages, on page 607, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SW¼ of NE¼), and Government Lot Two (2) in Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 5th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5031.32 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1921.
C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
1-20-27-2-3-10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Charles A. Pitkin, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Ethel C. Pitkin, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of February, 1921 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of January, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
1-20-27-2-3

Notice of Sale of Street Improvement Certificates of Indebtedness.

Notice is given that on the 8th day of February, 1921, at 8 o'clock P. M., at the Council Chamber, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, the City Council of said City will receive bids for the sale of $292,000 of Certificates of Indebtedness of said city described as follows:

Date of Certificates—March 1, 1921; Denomination $1000.00 each, interest rate not to exceed 6%; payable semi-annually, principal payable $14000.00 on August 1, in each of the years 1922 to 1940 inclusive and $26,000.00 on August 1, 1941. Applicable Law Chap. 65, Laws, 1919.

All bids must be without condition or qualification, and accompanied by a certified cheque in the amount of five per cent of the total bid, payable unconditionally to the order of the Treasurer of said city.

The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to sell a less amount than the total issue.

All bids should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order of the City Council of said City.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 19th day of January, 1921.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
1-20-27

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie Hard, also known as Mina Heard, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Henry W. Heard,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday, the 26th day of July, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated January 11, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal.)
1-20-27-2-3

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Addition of Territory.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District.

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of January, 1921, there were filed in the office of the Clerk of said court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, a petition duly made and signed by the Board of Directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District, and a petition duly made and signed by S. E. Erickson and others, residents of the territory concerned, which said petitions pray for the addition of certain territory therein described to said District and set forth the reasons and necessity therefore. That the territory therein described and which is proposed to be added to said District, is as follows; All of Townships One Hundred fifty-three (153) North of Ranges Forty-six (46), Forty-seven (47), Forty-eight (48), Forty-nine (49), and Fifty (50) West in Polk County, Minnesota, known and organized as the Townships of Esther, Northland, Tabor, Angus and Brandt; also all of Section Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), Sixteen (16), Seventeen (17), Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-eight (28), Twenty-nine (29), Thirty (30), Thirty-one (31), Thirty-two (32), and Thirty-three (33) of Township One Hundred fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty-five (45) West in Pennington County, Minnesota, the same being the western half of the Township of Bray in said County.

That thereafter the Honorable Andrew Grindeland, one of the Judges of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, duly made and filed his order fixing a time and place of hearing upon said petitions which order was made and dated on the 15th day of January, 1921, and filed in the office of the Clerk of said court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 17th day of January, 1921; that thereby the said court did order and require that the said petitions be heard, considered and determined by said court as provided by law, at the court room in the court house in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and that all parties interested may then and there appear and be heard for and against the granting of said petition.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that said petitions will be heard, considered and determined at the time and place last above mentioned as required by the order of said court.

Dated January 17, 1921.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of District Court,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Seal of District Court)
Pennington County, Minn.
1-20-27-2-3

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Four Hundred Two and 40-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, his wife, Mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of August, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of August, 1919, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 511, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Government Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) and the South half of the Southeast Quarter (S½ of SE¼) and the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) all in Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of January, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2402.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 15th, A. D. 1920.
FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
12-23-30-1-6-13-20

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty-four and 67-100 Dollars ($3121.67), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and G. Halvorson, wife and husband, mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 29th day of December, 1916 at 3:00 o'clock P. M. in Book 13 of Mortgages on Page 283, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, 1916 at 3:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 27 of Mortgages on Page 25,

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 7th day of July, 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M. in Book 63 of Mortgages on Page 218, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Beltrami County on the 6th day of July, 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 28 of Mortgages on Page 190, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

Lots Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Thirteen (13) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Lot Six (6) in Block Sixty-three (63) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota, containing eighty (80) acres, and;

The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼ of NW¼) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-one (21) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Beltrami County and State of Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres.

All the foregoing described real estate and premises with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County in the State of Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 26th day of February, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $3121.67, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises and Seventy-five Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 5th, 1921.
FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
1-13-20-27-2-3-10-17

Classified Want Ads

—106—

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 512 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—One team of horses with harness, weight 2600 lbs.; one 650 lb. capacity cream separator; one registered Guernsey bull. Geo. L. Sterns. 59tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Walner, 5 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 99tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 1200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160's Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1125, City. 63tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 98tf

FOR SALE—200 bushels of Clean White Russian seed oats at 75 cents per bushel. Write or call Theo. Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 105tf

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10 cents per pound.—Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls, Minn. 105tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ½ section farm, all fenced, good buildings, drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 37tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of land in Beltrami county, Minn. Might consider a Ford as part payment. Will Johnson, Thief River Falls, Minn. R 1, Bx A9 105p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 15tf

FOR SALE—Fordson Tractor complete with fenders, top and brand new pulley, used two seasons. Price $165.00.—Millard Brand, Niebeville, Minn. 105p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence, also land.—C. G. Franson, Viking, Minn. 101tf

FOR SALE—40 cords of dry cord wood at $4.75 per cord at the Steiner store by H. L. Sande. 106p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new Howell well drilling machine, complete with all tools; also one new I. H. C. gas engine. Call or address Shear office, Warren, Minn. 1tf

FOR SALE or TRADE—For Ford car or Stock, 8-16 Tractor and 3-bottom plows and 2 breakers, at a bargain. Call at Hall Bros. Hardware Store. 98tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 67tf

FOR RENT—Large heated room, can be used for light housekeeping. Call 328 or 117 Main Ave. S. 106tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 105tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make some money the coming year. Owner going away. Write The Times. 104tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. A real money maker. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make money the coming year. Owner going away. Write Times. 104tf

BARN FOR RENT—Inquire First and Peoples State Bank. 106

FOR RENT—Furnished and heated room, suitable for a student who wishes to board himself. Write or call at Times office. 107pd

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED AT ONCE—Chore man or fireman at Evelyn Hotel. 106

Help Wanted—Female

CLERKS, (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $130 month. Examinations January. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner) 159 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 106p

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Position by competent electrician. Any line. Best of references furnished.—J. M. Steward, Thief River Falls. 106p

WANTED—Place on farm on shares or by the year by competent man with family. References furnished. Apply to The Times. 106p

LOST

LOST—In or near auditorium on Friday evening, key to Yale lock, wrapped in lady's handkerchief. Kindly return to Times office. 105tf

STRAYED—One Sheep. Finder please notify A. Stenberg, Bridge St.—Phone 502. 105p

FOUND—A black leather bill fold. Owner may have same by identifying property and paying for this ad.—J. Ceray, 418 Markley South. 106tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—A piano. Write or call at Times office. 107pd

WOULD LIKE a good renter to go on my farm this fall. Will give him a good chance. Should go at once so he can do the fall plowing.—R. K. Calloway, Thief River Falls, Minn. 89tf

COMFORTABLE small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 101tf

SEWING WANTED—at 301 State Ave. South. Reasonable prices. 106p

RED LAKE RIVER DRAINAGE BILL PASSES HOUSE

Congressman Steenerson's Improvement Measure Approved by Unanimous Vote.

Authorizes Conservancy Board to Straighten and Deepen Stream on Reserve.

Passage of Law Marks Most Important Step to Date in Big Undertaking.

Congress on Monday, by unanimous vote, passed the Steenerson bill authorizing the improvement of the Red Lake river in the interests of navigation, drainage and flood control and makes that portion of the drainage basin located within the Red Lake Indian reservation a part of the territory over which the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission appointed by Judges Andrew Grindeland of the Fourteenth and C. W. Stanton of the Fifteenth judicial districts, has jurisdiction.

The passage of this law marks the most important step yet achieved in the attempt to secure relief from floods as well as control of the waters stored in the Red lakes. The bill itself, which explains the purposes of the commission fully, reads as follows:

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District of the State of Minnesota, duly created and organized under the laws of said state and authorized to construct improvements and projects therein, is hereby authorized to deepen, widen and straighten the said Red Lake River and tributaries thereof, or any portion thereof, as may be deemed necessary, and to fix and regulate the height of water in Red Lake, and to construct and maintain such ditches, drains, dams, dikes, spillways, or other controlling works as may be found necessary and advisable to utilize the said Red Lake reservoir and flood-control purposes and to facilitate drainage into said lake and river, as indicated and outlined in the report of the preliminary survey of the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors to the Secretary of War on March 28, 1919 (House Document numbered 61, Sixty-sixth Congress, first session), with such modifications and changes as may be found advisable: Provided, that detailed plans for such work and improvements shall first be submitted to and approved by the Secretary of War and the Chief of Engineers in accordance with the Act to regulate construction of dams across navigable waters, approved June 23, 1910: Provided further, that the deepening, widening and straightening of that part of Red Lake River within the Red Lake Indian Reservation and all other work necessary or desirable to be done within the Red Lake Indian Reservation shall be done in accordance with plans submitted to and approved by the Secretary of the Interior, provided that due compensation shall be made to the Indians for any lands that may be required for straightening said river: And provided further, that before the acceptance of the plans the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy Board and the Secretary of the Interior shall ascertain and agree upon the maximum and minimum levels between which the water in Red Lake shall be permitted to be fluctuated and such levels shall not be deviated from without the consent of the Secretary of the Interior.

"Sec. 2. That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to enter into such contract arrangements as may be found necessary and advisable with the said Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District relative to all work within the Red Lake Indian Reservation as contemplated in section 1 of this Act and as to the assessment of lands within the limits of the Red Lake Indian Reservation in said state for their proportionate share of the cost of such improvement and their maintenance and operation. The said Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District is hereby authorized to include within the boundary of the said drainage and conservancy district all lands within the limits of the said Red Lake Indian Reservation located within the Red Lake River drainage basin and to assess the lands benefitted in the same manner and proportion as other lands outside of the limits of said reservation, but within the said drainage district and benefitted by such improvement: Provided, that all such assessments within the limits of said district shall be on a per acre basis against the lands benefitted in proportion to the benefits received: Provided further, that the maximum cost to any lands within the boundaries of said reservation shall not exceed $2.50 per acre. All assessments so levied by said drainage and conservancy district shall be in the manner provided by the laws of said State, except as modified by contract with the Secretary of the Interior, and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to make such regulations for the payment thereof as may be found necessary or desirable. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient to pay the share of the United States as shown by said report and to pay that part of the cost of said improvements apportioned to the lands within the said Red Lake Indian Reservation, which latter amount shall be reimbursable to the United States under such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may prescribe: And provided further, that the assessment against the lands within the Red Lake Indian Reservation shall become a first lien on said lands and such lien shall be recited in any trust or fee patent that may be issued thereafter, and any such lien shall be enforceable by the Secretary of the Interior by foreclosure as a mortgage as soon as fee simple patent is issued: And provided further, that any fund standing to the credit of any Indian allottee, or which may hereafter be placed to his or her credit, may be used in payment of such lien.

"Sec. 3. That wherever it is deemed necessary or advisable, roads suitable for post roads may be constructed out of the spoil banks or other suitable material along any of the drainage ditches or canals to be constructed hereunder.

"Sec. 4. That as to all lands outside of the Red Lake Indian Reservation, the Act entitled 'An Act to authorize the drainage of certain lands in the State of Minnesota,' approved May 20, 1908, shall be applicable to the enforcement and collection of all assessments made for such improvements by said drainage and conservancy district."

ARMY ENLISTMENTS CONTINUE IN CITY

Dr. Froehlich Placed in Charge After Discontinuance of Regular Station in City.

Following the discontinuance of the government recruiting station here in December, Dr. H. W. Froehlich has been appointed recruiting officer for this district and will receive enlistment applications at his offices in the Citizens' State Bank building. Dr. Froehlich has held a first lieutenant's commission in the Medical Reserve corps for the past two years.

Enlistments for one year for general assignment can be made for infantry, field artillery, coast artillery, medical corps and engineers. All branches of a division are represented at Camp Grant, Illinois and Camp Meade, Maryland, and enlistments for one year may be made for either camp, also for Fort Snelling and for general assignment. When a man enlists for general assignment he is sent to the camp having the most vacancies.

By enlisting for three years an applicant is permitted to choose the camp and branch of service in which he desires to serve, when vacancies exist at the station desired. Dr. Froehlich states that men enlisting at this time may make their choice from the following stations in which vacancies now exist:

Infantry—General assignment (one year enlistment), Mexican border, the Panama Canal Zone and the Hawaiian Islands.

Tank Corps—General assignment only.

Field Artillery—General assignment, Mexican Border, Panama Canal zone and the Hawaiian islands.

Coast Artillery—General assignment and Panama Canal zone.

Air Service—General assignment, Mexican border and Panama canal zone.

Engineers — General assignment, Mexican border, Panama canal zone and the Hawaiian islands.

Medical Department—Ordinance department; general assignment and Mexican border.

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Since Taking Tanlac St. Paul Man Feels Fine—Could Hardly Turn Over in Bed.

"Before I was half through my first bottle of Tanlac I began to straighten right up," declared Ernest Kluegel, of St. Paul, Minn., 1473 Igelhart Ave.

"About four months ago my kidneys got all out of fix and I suffered untold agony from pains in the small of my back. Actually, I couldn't turn from one side to the other in bed without my back hurting me so I could hardly stand it. Then my appetite failed, nothing looked good or tasted right and I got to feeling dull and languid and had little strength.

"Well, sir, I have just finished my third bottle of Tanlac and my back never hurts me a particle and I sleep fine. Meal time never comes quick enough for me now and everything agrees with me perfectly. I feel good all the time and have as much strength as I ever had in my life."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm, and at Goodridge by G. G. Gubrid.—adv.

of Molokai, one of the Hawaiian

Violated Labor Laws.

M. Arneson, proprietor of the Thief River Steam Laundry, was arraigned before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant on Wednesday afternoon, charged by J. J. McHugh of the State Department of Labor and Industries, with violating the child labor laws. Mr. Arneson pleaded guilty to having in his employ without a permit, a boy under 16 years of age and not yet thru the eighth grade of school. He was subjected to the minimum fine of $25 and costs. Inspector McHugh states that this was the second offense on the part of the defendant.

Legion Meeting Friday.

The regular January meeting of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion has been called for Saturday, January 22. The meeting will be held at the Brumund hotel immediately following the basket ball game between the Y. M. C. A. of Grand Forks and the local Legion teams, which will be played at the city auditorium. Music by the Legion orchestra and a buffet or army-style luncheon will be features of the evening. Officers of the post are urging attendance by all Legionnaries, as several important business matters willw be brought up.

COUNTY STARTS YEAR WITH FAIR MONEY BALANCE

Liabilities Listed Include $511,000 in Liens Against Property For Ditches.

Value of Taxable Wealth of County Increased Over Two Million in Three Years.

Discuss Topics of Day at Quarterly Banquet and Meeting Held on Wednesday.

With the approval of the annual financial statement for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1920, signed by the county board of commissioners at their meeting last week, Pennington county closed its tenth year of successful administration. County Auditor T. P. Anderson and his deputy, Axel Risberg, were busy for weeks compiling the statement, which is a volume in itself.

With a slight increase in assets, a decrease in liabilities of $38,000, and a balance of $41,412.16 in the treasury as against the balance of $77,583.92 of a year ago, it may be said that the county is a couple of thousand dollars to the good in a general comparison with the satisfactory condition existing at the close of the fiscal year of 1919.

A general statement of county receipts and disbursements follows:

Receipts.	
Balance in treasury Jan. 1, 1920	$ 77,583.92
Current tax collections	337,143.69
Penalties interest and costs	2,090.65
Delinquent tax collections	21,030.53
Private redemptions	10,161.36
Interest and principal on state land collections	8,394.20
Mortgage registry tax collections	2,134.53
Teachers' insurance and retirement	632.78
Misc. drainage ditch tax collections	2,825.60
State and government aid for state county roads	21,718.17
Interest from local banks on county funds	2,412.61
Misc. road tax collections	24.83
Costs, district court cases	12.40
Refundments on county revenue fund	40.35
Inheritance tax collections	642.56
Auctioneers' licenses	80.00
School apportionment from state of Minnesota	[illegible]9,993.20
State aid for school districts	23,801.98
Wolf bounty for the state of Minnesota	225.00
Filing fees	98.72
Clerk's fees collecting personal property taxes	23.75
Fines in court cases	44.00
Hunters' licenses	133.45
Warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1920	67,861.89
Total	$599,410.20

Disbrusements.	
County revenue fund	$ 33,606.35
County road and bridge fund	69,357.88
Private redemption fund	10,344.74
Bond and interest fund	201.64
Incidental fund	1,515.55
Township and village fund	86,413.61
School district fund	150,060.11
General ditch fund	87,934.21
State revenue and school fund	39,365.79
County sinking fund	4,788.00
County Attorney's contingent fund	9.10
Mortgage registry tax fund	279.91
Sanitorium fund	4,841.61
Inheritance tax fund	568.06
Teachers' insurance and retirement fund	612.50
State land and interest fund	11,074.99
Warrants outstanding Jan. 1, 1020	57,023.99
Balance in treasury Dec. 31, 1920	41,412.16
Total	$599,410.20

Highways Greatest Asset.

County assets, including taxes due for 1919 and prior years, a credit balance in the treasury for all funds and an inventory of county property aggregating $308,200.00, total $356,552.19, or slightly more than 50 per cent of the total liabilities. The liabilities totalling $628,151.40 are great only owing to the amount of ditch bonds issued during past years by the county, the same totalling $511,900.00. The ditch bonds are not properly a county liability, being secured by real estate liens against property of those benefitted by the drainage projects, their payment extending over a period of twenty years.

Pennington county property is listed as follows: Court house and contents, road machinery and equipment, gravel pits, Highlanding and Kratka bridges and roads and highways. By far the most valuable asset of the county is the system of roads and highways, the value to the county in dollars and cents being given as $240,000.

Postage Stamps to Dynamite.

The disbursements listed under the county revenue fund contain many interesting items. The total pay roll of county officials and employees for the past year was $17,730.54. County commissioners were paid mileage amounting to $72.60. Expenditures incidental to the two terms of district court amounted to $961.73. The hundred and eighty-eight dollars was paid out in wolf bounties, which amount represents the death of 39 wolves. During the year 1916 a total of $828 was paid out in bounty for the killing of 107 wolves. The revenue fund further includes among hundreds of items, the payment of $1,797 in pensions to 14 mothers; a payment of $103 to the county coroner for viewing of eight dead bodies and an expenditure of $129 for the reporting of births and deaths occurring in the county.

The road and bridge fund lists, among others, expenditures amounting to $57,261.50 for the construction and maintenance of the ten state highways within the limits of the county or along its borders. Portions of this amount will eventually be refunded to the county through the operation of the Babcock amendment. The same amendment will in the future relieve the county of the construction and upkeep of many of the roads for which the above expenditures were made.

The county incidental fund lists under expenditures, items from postage to dynamite, totalling $1,515.55.

The financial statement shows the total wealth of the county to be $7,398,547.00. The total assessed valuation (minus exemptions) in the financial statement for 1917 was $5,366,407.00, an increase in three years of $2,027,140.00.

Death Calls R. E. Bakke.

R. E. Bakke, father of E. B. Bakke, salesman for the Elmon Mercantile Co., of Superior, who makes his home at Thief River Falls, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Hendricks, Crookston, early last Thursday morning. He had been ill with anaemia since last spring. Previous to moving to Crookston a year ago, Mr. Bakke resided at Fosston, where the funeral services were held on Saturday. He is survived by a widow, two sons, D. H. Bakke of Crookston and E. B. Bakke of this place and three daughters, Mrs. John Hillestad of Fosston, Mrs. Frank Suitor of Cass Lake and Mrs. Hendricks.

LEGION BASKETEERS DEFEAT CROOKSTON

Connell's Bunch Come Out From Behind With a Rush and Win by Three Points.

The basket ball team of the Thief River Falls post of the American Legion won a hard fought game Thursday night from the fast Company I National Guard quintette of Crookston in the last few minutes of play. The game was staged at the Crookston armory. The final score was 31 to 29.

Both teams played an exceptional game, each using a different manner of attack. The local team pursued rushing tactics, the Crookston team resorting more to a shifting of the ball from player to player. The entire first half was somewhat slow, the first quarter closing with a score of 6 to 5 in favor of Thief River Falls and the first half with a score of 15 to 11, the former quintette still holding the honors.

The third quarter opened up in a fast manner, closing with a tied score of 22. During the first of the final quarter, Crookston took the lead for the first time, the score standing at 29 to 25 in their favor three meinutes before the whistle blew. When but a minute remained to play, Thief River Falls had brought Crookston's lead down to 2 points. The former team during that last minute made a phenomenal spurt, making two baskets in rapid succession from close quarters.

Ralston Shop Sold.

E. A. Soltau last week purchased the five-chair barber shop at 118½ LaBree avenue north, formerly owned and operated by J. A. Ralston, taking possession on Monday. Mr. Soltau was formerly employed here at the Bakken & Crown barber shop at 205 LaBree avenue north. Mr. Ralston has not stated his plans for the future. He has conducted the tonsorial establishment in the present location for the past six years; and has made his home in Thief River Falls for the past 15 years, having at one time conducted a restaurant.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.50
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.44
Oats	.28
Flax	1.60
Barley	.44
Rye	1.32
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.20
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	2.00
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.16
Geese, alive, per lb.	.16
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.25
Spring Chickens	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.45
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery butter	.52
Cow Hides, per lb.	.05
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10-.11
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10-.12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.12
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.03
Steers, per lb.	.04-.08
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

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Montreal Firm of Barristers Have Idea of General Location; However, and Communication Comes Through All Right.

R. E. C. Werry, B. C. L., of the firm of Patterson & Pouliot, advocates, barristers and solicitors, of Montreal, Canada, would no doubt be a surprised gentleman if he were to pay a visit to Thief River Falls. He evidently believes that it is a backwoods settlement somewhere on the banks of the Red Lake river but only knows that it is "50 miles from Crookston." Such at least is the impression gained from a letter received by Postmaster John Morgan this week from the above named firm.

As is his custom, the obliging postmaster has attempted to supply the information sought and has found that there are people now living in the city who remember the party referred to and that further information can perhaps be had by addressing a man now residing on the Red Lake reservation. If the lady were still living she would be just 100 years of age but she has been dead so long that her present whereabouts is the merest conjecture. The communication is as follows:

"The Postmaster, Thief River Falls, 50 miles from Crookston, Minn., U. S. A. Dear Sir:—We are trying to find out what became of a Mrs. Maxime Goueseneau, formerly Marian Guernon, who had been known before her marriage as Marian Boneau. Marian Guernon sold about 76 acres of land on the banks of the Red Lake river about three miles west of Crookston on July 12, 1881; got married on the 13th of July, 1881, subsequently moving to your town. In 1886 the then owner of the above mentioned land obtained a quit claim deed signed by 'Marian Guernon, unmarried woman, formerly known as Marian Boneau.' She was living at that time at Thief River Falls, about 50 miles from Crookston and was at that time about 60 years of age.

"We are ignorant of the size, population, etc., of Thief River Falls and shall be pleased if you can give us any information as to this woman as we do not know of any other person with whom to communicate.

"We are assuming, as your office has been handling the mail in this district for many years, that you would be able to let us have some information.

"Trusting to hear from you at your earliest convenience and thanking you in advance, as well as wishing you health, happiness and prosperity throughout the new year, I am, sincerely, Royal E. C. Werry."

To Stage Wrestling Bouts.

Jens Erickson, with the assistance of John Brumund, is promoting a series of boxing bouts and wrestling matches which will be staged here in the near future. The first match will be staged on January 29, if present plans materialize; February 12 and 22 are other tentative dates for ring events. Contracts with some of the best men of the Northwest are about to be signed. The local management promises some good clean, sporting events and state that all cards will be guaranteed.

Lois Loretta Seaverson.

On Jan. 16 occurred the death of Lois Loretta Seaverson, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Seaverson, residing in Sanders township, from cerebral meningitis. Funeral services were held on Jan. 18, and interment took place in Lanstad cemetery.

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Dr. Vistaunet Returns..

Dr. P. L. Vistaunet returned this week from Chicago where he has just completed a post graduate course at the Cook County hospital, Dr. Lindlake's college and sanitarium of Natural Therapeutics and the Dr. Howard College of Chiropractic.

Opening offices in McGinn Block.

News of Rail and Shop

Working Hours Reduced.

The mechanical department of the Soo Winnipeg division is in receipt of instructions which state that it will be necessary to put all carmen, yard and roundhouse employees on a five-day week working schedule or to greatly reduce the present forces. It is not known just what action this will eventually bring about, but present plans call for the five-day schedule to be placed in operation the first of next week.

Practically all yard and roundhouse employees are being "layed off" over Sunday at the present time, and the working force reduced to the minimum during week days. General business depression is given as the obvious cause of this reduction in forces and working hours.

Thief River Falls travelers during the past week were: Bernard Burggraf to Dent, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Swanson to Minneapolis; Mrs. C. F. Erickson and son to Warren; Louis Veven to Minneapolis; Mrs. Ed. Hilson to Warren and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bugge to Warren.

J. O. Herrick, agent at Warren, resumed his duties on Monday, relieving H. B. Pfeiffer, who has been transferred to Parkers Prairie where he relieves O. P. Salisbury. Mr. Salisbury has been granted a 30 day leave of absence, during which time he will visit relatives at Seattle and Portland.

F. M. Chaffee, agent at Detroit, was in Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday evening, leaving on the Winnipeg Limited for Minneapolis.

J. J. Hogland, agent at Alvarado, spent the week end at Thief River Falls.

Leisner Gets Verdict

G. L. Leisner of Steiner was given a verdict of $495.40 against the Great Northern railroad in district court at Warren last week. Suit was brought to recover for services as custodian and caretaker of railway property during a period of eight years at Steiner. Leisner conducted a store at Steiner and also attended to whatever business the railway company had at that station.

Notice.

Annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association will be held at the Commercial club rooms Saturday January 29th at 2 o'clock p. m. Dinner will be served in the Zion church.

P. ENGELSTAD, Sec'y.

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Dr. Spofford

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The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

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"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

"Granny" Chamberlain

You know the great danger of croup is the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

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is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

A. T. Nelson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ole Narveson of Highlanding left Wednesday for the woods north of Bemidji.

A. W. Hanson, county commissioner, went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to attend to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Wright were in Thief River Falls Wednesday attending to business.

Tom Belland was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

George Johnson of Grygla was in town Friday enroute to Thief River Falls to attend to business.

Miss Loullo Newman, who is the county nurse of Marshall county, was in town Friday enroute to Warren.

Miss Ruth Johnson left Friday for Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans returned Monday morning from a visit in Iowa. They left for their home near Thorhult the same day.

Nick Bundhund was a business caller in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Iver Westby was a passenger to Thief River Falls Thursday. He went to receive medical attention for his eye.

Miss Mildred Seavey left Thursday evening for New Rockford, N. D., to continue her course in nursing, after a visit of two weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown of Thief River Falls and sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Inglebrotson of Bronson, were in town on Saturday evening, enroute to their respective homes, after visiting at the J. H. Brown home in Grygla.

Wm. Paskewitz of Grygla was in town Monday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mrs. M. Barsgard, who has visited her sister, Mrs. S. O. Kirklie, for a few days, returned to her home at Barnesville, Monday.

John Gangness returned Friday from Iowa where he has been employed for some time.

The Misses Esther and Wilhelmina Tangen returned to their home at Kragness, Minn., after visiting several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gaudland.

Dr. C. M. Adkins of Thief River Falls was in town Monday morning enroute home from Grygla after making a professional call there.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Anderson of Grygla were in town Friday enroute home from the southern part of the state where they visited relatives since before the holidays.

Professor B. O. Norby spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Thief River Falls.

Negotiations are under way for a farmers' short course institute under the auspices of the University, to be held some time in February. This course is especially intended to help younger boys who live on the farm and are unable to get away to attend school, as well as all farmers in general.

The Red Cross short course in nursing is proving very successful. The lessons are so interesting that all who have enrolled feel they do not want to miss a single one. The lessons will continue all of next week and the ladies' last lesson will be Friday evening of next week. The girls' last lesson will be Saturday afternoon, Jan. 29. The following ladies have enrolled: Mesdames P. O. Tvedt, M. G. Thorsen, N. H. Dahl, Albert Halverson, Martin Olson, Owen Olson, Geo. Josephson, Christine Vake, M. O. Seavey, Carl Christianson, R. H. McDonald, Carl Edseth, George Johnson, Rev. Hanson, Fred Nelson, D. A. Danielson, Jay Payne, Chas. Stephenson; the Misses Teresa Giefer, Hilda Christianson, Gretta Gulrud, Thelma Gilbertson, Della Urdahl, Mable Twetten, Gladys Wilson, Mildred Argall, Eleanor Bauer, May V. Wiles. The school girls who have enrolled are as follows: Jennie Krebchek, Dorothy Blockstad, Ida Anderson, Olga Grimley, Vivian Thorson, Josie Hagen, Ruby Thompson, Edith Schie, Edna Brown, Agnes Vaughan, Freda Bundhund, Emma Gilbertson, Violet Josephson, Florence Johnson, Inga Nelson, Hazel Hakes, Lillian Stephenson, Grace Day, Agnes Johnson, Kathleen Lang, Christine Bundhund, Luella Urdahl, Gertrude Anderson, Maggie Johnson.

Miss S. Tanem of Esplee is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Christine Vake, for an indefinite time.

John Maney returned Tuesday from North Dakota where he has been visiting since the holidays.

Mrs. Arne Vigen returned Tuesday from North Dakota where she has been visiting for some time.

Rev. H. A. Hanson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Walter Shoberg of Cloquet was in town Tuesday enroute to his claim near Thorholt.

Rev. Henry Lutz was in Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

John Sund attended to business in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. George Marsh and sister, Miss Laura Bjorken, left Tuesday for Valley City, N. D.

Mrs. Henry Rockne returned to her school in the Tommerdahl district on Tuesday morning after visiting at home over the week-end.

Father Noeson held services here Tuesday morning.

School Notes.

Mrs. Otis Rankin visited the grammar room Monday afternoon.

Miss Marie Knutson, Red Cross nurse, is visiting the school and examining the school children. The final results will be reported next week.

Christine Bundhund spent the week end as the guest of Grace Day at Mavie.

This week closes the end of the first semester. The only change in the high school schedule will be manual training to follow agriculture and hygiene and sanitation to follow penmanship.

A special election will be held in the near future for the purpose of voting on the school bonds to defray the floating indebtedness and current expenses.

Laurence Seavey returned to school after being absent several weeks with a broken limb. We were all glad to have him back.

Ethel Vaughan gave the final report of her sheep club Wednesday morning. She received prizes at the local and county fairs. The sheep was then sold at the annual stock show held in St. Paul and she received $18.00 for it. This, together with her prize money, totaled $21.00.

The orchestra held the first practice Friday evening. They are making rapid progress.

Miss Newman, the Marshall county nurse, visited school Friday afternoon.

All the girls in the nursing class are enjoying the lessons very much.

The following pupils in the high school room had perfect attendance during the month of December: Edith Schie, Ida Andreson, Christine Bundhund, Harry McDonald, Daniel Payne and Vivian Thoreson.

VIKING

Egbert Malberg called at M. Anderson's one day last week.

Otto Sustad and Iver Anderson are busy chopping wood for Chas. Peterson.

Esther Erickson returned last week from California where she spent the past few months.

Carl Brink is working with the bridge gang on the Canadian Pacific road.

Ed. Krohn made a trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Ed. Christianson visited at Krohn's a few days last week.

Albert and Hans Drotts visited at Erickson's last Sunday.

GERMANTOWN

Henry Tharaldson has returned from Starbuck, Minn., where he has been visiting at his parental home.

Emil Benttin visited at the A. Ristau home one evening last week.

Mrs. Martin Johnson left for Warren last Tuesday where she underwent an operation. She is recuperating nicely.

John Haggy has returned from Bemidji where he has been employed.

Lawrence Nelson was a Mavie caller Wednesday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Emil Hanson home Thursday.

Oscar Hovelson called at the Emil Hanson home one day last week.

Messrs. John Philipp and Chester Boyce assisted Will Wayne in sawing wood Thursday.

Selmer Bendickson of Garrison, N. D., arrived here Friday for an extended visit at his parental home.

John Haberstroh called at the Haggy home one day last week.

Will Wayne was a caller at the J. Phillipp home last Tuesday.

Burtin Nelson last week departed for Minot, N. D., where he will be employed.

John Clausen visited with Detlef Dau last Wednesday evening.

Della and Clifford Roller were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Miss Helen Longevan visited at the E. Haberstroh home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Strubble and children visited at the Paul Stock home one day last week.

Lawrence and Burtin Nelson visited at the Prehall home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau have returned from St. Hilaire where they attended the funeral of the latter's brother, C. Bothman.

Misses Augustine and Lucy Rolland visited with Stella Stokke Sunday.

Emil Hanson was a Mavie caller on Tuesday.

Hans Dahl was a caller at Goodridge one day last week.

Important Elks' Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Thief River Lodge of Elks will be held at the Masonic hall at 8 o'clock Friday evening. This is the last occasion on which petitions for membership will be heard previous to the big initiation of February 4, which will conclude the two months membership drive. It is expected that final arrangements for the initiation will be completed at the meeting on Friday night. As is the custom, the past Exalted Ruler of the lodge will be in charge of the ceremonies on the night of February 4.

DEER PARK

Henry and Bennie Bolstad left for the lumber camps near Hibbing last Thursday.

Miss May Rodman and brother, Morris, transacted business at Highlanding last Monday.

Swan Swanson and Ned Syversrud left for Hibbing recently to spend the remaining part of the winter in the iron ore fields.

Eivand Oftelie of Warren was among those present at the funeral of Mrs. Martin Solem of Mayfield which was held here.

John Singer of Rhoda who has been employed in the woods near Hibbing arrived here for a visit with relatives last week. He expects to return to Hibbing in the near future.

Florian Szymanski sold a load of grain at Oklee last Thursday.

Lars Hyland and S. B. Swanson of Hickory called at Deer Park last Thursday morning while on their way to Oklee. Mr. Swanson was on his way to Chisholm where he expects to farm this summer (handling iron ore).

The old stork has been kept rather busy in this vicinity of late. He recently made two deliveries in one night. On the night of Jan. 5th he left a baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lofthus and a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gunsten Tviedt of Mayfield.

Jens Bolstad, while at work grinding feed in his mill house one day last week narrowly escaped being suffocated from gas, owing to the fact that he had not adjusted the exhaust pipe to his engine in a manner to lead out the fumes and gases.

Theo. Hyland of Eric has decided to quit farming and take up other employment for a living for himself and family. He left for Calumet, on the iron range, last week.

The funeral of Mrs. Martin Solem of Mayfield took place last Monday. Services were first held at the house and then again at Mayfield church. The remains were interred in the Mayfield cemetery. Many friends and neighbors were present to pay their last tribute to the dead. Rev. Lierfallen and Bj. Bjorneraa of Wanke conducted the services.

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. John Berglund and son Leonard arrived on Friday morning from Bemidji and will make an indefinite stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bloom.

George and Jalmer Erickson, two theological students from Maryfield, Sask., Canada, were in town the first of the week for a brief visit with the Benhard Ranum family. They arrived from Alvarado where they have been visiting and were on their way home.

Mrs. Fred Wendt of Warren arrived here on Tuesday evening to spend some time with her son Walter, who is cutting wood on their farm east of town.

John Hansen returned on Wednesday from Grygla where he spent his Christmas vacation visiting with his parents. He will resume his duties at the John Rafteseth farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Halvorson returned to Viking on Thursday morning after spending the forepart of the week visiting with relatives here and at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Albert Paulson left on Wednesday evening on a shopping and visiting trip to Thief River Falls.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crown in the Town of Rocksbury, last Tuesday. Mrs. Crown is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bloom of this place.

Mrs. Axel Krohn has been on the sick list during the last week.

The Nels Anderson boys who are chopping wood east of this place, left on Friday morning for Angus where they will spend Sunday with their parents.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking was in town between trains last Tuesday to conduct a prayer meeting at the Severt Rafteseth home.

The monthly Ladies' Aid meeting of the Rindal church was held at the home of Mrs. Bertha Saugen, with a good attendance, last Tuesday. The next meeting will be held on the first Tuesday in February, at the home of Mrs. Severt Rafteseth, in town.

The Rindal Young Peoples' society held their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson last Saturday evening.

O. J. Dahl returned on Thursday from the cities where he disposed of a carload of stock and attended to other business.

Anton Gullseth returned on Tuesday from Donner, where he has been visiting with relatives for a week.

Cashier A. S. Holm left on Saturday for Crookston to attend a Directors' meeting of the Farmers' State bank.

Will all those who borrowed books fro mthe Minnesota Traveling Library prior to Jan. 1st, kindly return them at once. The rules with this library state that no book shall be retained longer than two weeks, but certain parties seem not to be aware of this fact. Books may be renewed for an additional period of two weeks if required, but must then be again renewed. The library at the Farmers' State bank is open on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday, between 1:00 and 4:00 p. m. Mrs. A. S. Holm, librarian.

John Hellquist was at Warren between trains last Saturday, attending to various business matters.

Miss Inga Westby, who has been employed at Duluth the past year, came home on Tuesday to visit the remainder of the winter with her parents.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard returned on Tuesday from Thief River Falls where she has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson.

Miss Esther Thoreson, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. Ryan, at Thief River Falls, for two weeks, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Ted Jensen returned from Thief River Falls on Monday morning where she has been for some time visiting and shopping.

Miss Gladys Swenson has enrolled for school work at Rosebank for the remainder of this term, having spent the earlier part of the winter attending Oakdale Seminary at Fargo.

Mr. Backstrom, a farmer from Adams, N. D., was in town a few days this week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Westby.

There will be a Farm club meeting at the Rosebank building next Friday evening, Jan. 21. There will be a program and the customary lunch.

Mrs. Adolph Haugen and Misses Sena and Cora Sevaldson, left on Monday evening for a day's stay at Thief River Falls.

Willie Johnson returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls where he transacted business.

Miss Goldie Remmom returned to her home at Thief River Falls last Monday, after spending a week visiting with Mrs. Anton Gullseth.

According to advices from Warren, those probable as jurymen from this place for the next session of the District court are: Grand jury: Rudolph Sagmoen; petit jury: Gust Nakken, E. A. Silverness and Thos. Eide.

Ebba Sagmoen spent Sunday with her husband at Anita, returning to her school work at Rosebank on Monday morning.

WORLD'S RICHEST MAN IS PLUG BLACKSMITH RESIDING NEAR OMAHA

Hasn't Much Money But Enough For His Needs and Does Not Envy Anybody Anywhere—Tells About it in Letter.

From Omaha comes a story of the richest man in the world. He hasn't much money and he runs a little blacksmith shop in Pierce, Neb., but he has a wife, a couple of children, a good bird dog, an old shotgun, a pipe, a first-class appetite and a good digestion.

When he wrote a little letter about them he struck a note so filled with contentment and good cheer that that letter has been copied all over the world. It has been translated into a dozen different languages. Sermons have been preached on it. A hundred prominent editors have editorialized on it. Great business firms have sent it out in pamphlet form. It is on a dozen or more calendars. Embossed and emblazoned cards carry its hearty greeting from the news stands.

Thousands Write Grateful Letters.

Thousands of people throughout the United States have been so helped and touched that they have written personal letters to the Nebraska country blacksmith who has very little money but who considers himself the very richest man in the world today.

Edward J. Meyers is this rich man. His town, Pierce, boasts of only a few hundred people. He gets more mail than half the town. His letters are all from strangers in name, but friends in spirit.

"It would take a week to run over my letters—and they are coming in at a greater rate every day," says Meyers. "It's mighty interesting to get an insight into the heart of the busy city man, the overburdened housewife or the philosopher who has passed his three score years and ten. I wouldn't take any amount of money for the cheer and companionship those letters have brought me."

Here is the plug blacksmith's letter:

"I wonder if you knew that one of the richest men in the world was 14 miles north of Norfolk, right here in Pierce? That man is the writer. I am just a common 'plug blacksmith,' but oh! how rich.

"I go to my labors each morning, work until noon, go to dinner, return at 1 p. m. and work until 6 o'clock. I enjoy the greatest of blessings, good health.

"Wonderful Wife, Happy Home."

"Rockefeller would give all he possesses in money and holdings for my stomach, but he can't have it.

"Each day sees something accomplished and every job of work I turn out I feel I have done my customer a service worthy of my hire.

"I have a wonderful little wife. She has stuck to me 22 years, so I know she must be a dandy to accomplish that.

"I have a little home, a beautiful little daughter, a son grown to maturity and now in life's game for himself.

"Rich? Why, man alive, who can possibly be richer?

"Then, to add to all the above riches, I take my old shotgun in season and ramble through fields, woods and tangle in search of the elusive cottontail, teal and mallard with my faithful old pointer at 'heel' (now past 11 years old), and he is as happy as I when on the hunt. Then, when I get back, oh, how good everything does taste.

Not Many Dollars, But is Rich.

"Then, when night has spread its mantle down over this good old universe, I settle down in a good old easy chair, enjoy a smoke and then roll into bed and never hear a sound until the beautiful break of another day.

"Rich, did you say? Well, I guess. Dollars? Not many. You inquired about riches, not material wealth.

"The height of my ambition is to so live that I may have no regrets for having lived, when the time comes for me to shuffle off this mortal coil, and I hope by that time to have accumulated just enough dollars that myself and mine may not be objects of charity.

"This, then, is my ideal of a rich man. If anyone enjoys life more than I do, he is to be envied for his riches. With kindest regards,

—Edward J. Meyers."

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In a Gambler's Market

A clerk's error, adding three ciphers to a thousand-bushel selling order, caused wheat to fall 8¼ points on the Chicago Board of Trade last October. It didn't change the world's wheat supply by a single grain or affect actual wheat needs by so much as a crust of bread, but every farmer whose wheat was marketed that day lost money as a result.

A short time before, the market was sent tumbling by a false cablegram announcing that France had a big harvest of wheat.

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Town of Bray

School District No. 7 27.6 Mills; School District No. 60 21.8 Mills; School District No. 99 28.8 Mills; School District No. 149 30.4 Mills; School District No. 180 27.6 Mills.

(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax Is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, A. & F.	$ 977	$	$ 20.18
Anderson, Martin	147		4.06
Akerlund, A. J. Estate	524		12.74
Akerlund, Ernest J.	63	10740	33.88
Adolphson, Claus	384		12.21
Ahlelman, M.	304		9.67
Ault, Mike	772		21.31
Behain, J. F.	294		9.35
Hovey, R. R.	399		12.69
Cork, Dell	210		9.04
Dahlin, August	570	1200	21.73
Edwards, E. V.	567		15.00
Hanson, Henry	376		10.13
Hanson, Halvor	815		22.10
Hawkinson, Harry	563		15.54
Hegstrom, A. P.	330	500	10.61
Johnson, Iver A. H.	442		12.20
Johnson, Arnold & Gottfred	233		6.43
Langfeldt Bros.	499		13.77
Larson, Emil, et al.	225		6.21
Larson, Emil	972	200	27.43
Lindblom, Arthur	137		3.78
Lindblom, Henry	188		5.19
Lindblom, Peter	1050		28.98
Lindquist, C. A.	1212		33.51
Lindquist, G. A.	521		10.04
Lutner, Henry	570		15.81
Nelson, C. A.	1125		31.04
Nyberg, J. A.	133		3.67
Odelin, Halvor	145		1.41
Olson, Selmer N.	671		18.52
Osgood, Ed.	634		17.50
Persen, Christ	405	2250	22.19
Rux, W. and R.	595		16.42
Stromberg, John	458		12.64
Solvlin, August	289		9.19
Solvlin, Swan	49		1.50
Solvlin, Victor	214		7.76
Solvlin, John	577		48.25
Swanson, John A.	564		15.57
Schatz, John	529		22.58
Wheelwright, D. W.	336		9.27
Wood, Marvin	588		16.23
Wood, Melvin	397		10.46
Welbo, H. A.	158		4.36
Swanson, Mrs. C. P.		500	1.50
Skaar, T. J.	178	60	8.49
Tulley, Carl	433		18.02
Thompson, C. T.	222		18.04
Stein, Geo.	450		38.59
Sehle, J. M.	165		4.46
Sandum, Gilbert	940		27.53
Citizens State Bank	000		49.27
Ursoutz, Matt	406		15.79
Votava, Frank	277		7.73
Wahlberg, Olof	289		9.77
Wagnen, Geo. A.	278		22.00
Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	2692	3511	124.94

Town of Deer Park

School District No. 10 61.0 Mills; School District No. 34 39.2 Mills; School District No. 52 45.5 Mills; School District No. 53 44.4 Mills.

(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax Is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Anton	$ 310	$	$ 12.50
Bolstad, Jens	632		23.11
Bakken, Matt	250		10.04
Costello, Harry H.	328		14.02
Dahle, Ole	158		7.02
Erabrener, John	137	400	7.43
Gusselquist, Ole	590		20.85
Gustafson, Pete	755		34.35
Gunderson, Gunder	154		7.01
Gunderson, John	423		19.29
Heele, Daniel	126		10.04
Hanson, Ole	93		3.65
Hofstad, Gunder	327		14.83
Johnson, Anton	176	400	8.10
Johnson, Martin	156		7.10
Jeppson, Martin	320	350	14.08
Karzmarck, Max	190		9.65
Lofthus, Oscar	8		.34
Lofthus, Torjle	159	100	7.36
Lunden, Ormund	231		9.17
Lande, Ole	338		15.25
Lande, Ed.	334		10.11
Lenelle, S. A.	128	500	6.73
Lindtvet, Knut	285		12.97
Lindtvet, Talack	230	300	11.37
Lindtvet, Gunder	110		5.28
Leevold, Ole	225		10.24
Lande, Louis	224		10.19
Lundeen, Frank	653		29.71
Mundt, Osmund	198	200	19.73
Myrum, Halvor	388		17.65
Nesland, Ole	180		7.09
Nessen, Christ	150		
Nygren, Gust	164	200	8.06
Olson, John	328		14.56
Olson, Charles	120		7.76
Polbrook, John	204		9.17
Pederson, Inge	215	1000	11.47
Petterson, John	412		18.75
Pennekl, Chas	280		17.25
Rustan, Ed.	139		6.17
Rodman, Wilson	189		[illegible]
Rone, Tom	160		6.27
Rensla, Peder	131	250	24.01
Rodneski, John	573	500	35.76
Syvtvedt, Ole	543		24.11
Singer, George	1282		50.26
Syverud, Elizabeth	515		20.19
Syverud, Nel	153		0.00
Szymenski, Floryon	334		13.09
Swenson, Wiel	492		19.33
Skerbaal, Ole	160		6.63
Stalaas, Sjler	350		12.72
Stalaas, Ben	200		7.84
Swenson, Carrie	177		6.55
Stuey, Otto	461		21.11
Swenson, Halvor	259		10.15
Suhle, John	405		24.95
Szymenski, Ben	482		23.81
Voegt, Christ	125		5.00
Vraal, Healvier	310		14.11
Johnson, Anton	543		25.25
Klemetson, Karen D.	114		4.78
Korstad, Karl	1800	3000	96.77
Kolstrand, D. A.	389		14.43
Kjos, C. A.	383		18.06
Korstad, Wm.	306		14.23
Kvesto, Ben	468		19.00
Krboelick, John	243	1000	12.01
Rompelin, Olaf O.	604		22.02
Larson, Mabel	0	1500	5.67
Larson, Ludvig	559		21.86
Lee, Ole G.	535		20.96
Mattson, John	111		4.65
Notland, Albert	260		10.31
Narveson, Carl	123		5.81
Nelson, Sever	336		14.02
Nelson, A. T.	859		33.47
Nelson, Lovise	362		14.13
Nelson, Ole	374		15.07
Olson, A. T.	293		13.10
Olson, Mrs. T.	268		10.48
Overum, Halbarn	278	1000	15.03
Overvold, Ole	267		12.42
Peterson, Clarence	186		7.79
Palmer, Chas.	27		1.06
Rima, E. K.	528		23.71
Ramsey, James	493		22.14
Rustad, Hennin	689	600	28.39
Rustad, Theo.	88		3.86
Roberg, E. S.	256		10.01
Rustad, Julia	97		3.79
Sanders, Flo	531		22.25
Swanson, John	847		38.03
Lund, Even	178		8.28
Syverand, Edvin	338		13.74
Schwartz & Johnson	511		22.04
Srnsky, Alois	516		23.17
Sund, Olaus	80		3.72
Sigwdson, L.	172		8.00
Sunsdahl, Theo.	54		2.42
Sidog, John	233		9.75
Sunsdahl, Ole A.	549		23.84
Skotberg, Tennis	344		13.45
Saltvedt, Tundrup	117		4.57
Singer Bros.	1516	827	70.53
Sebarik, Chas.	114		5.12
Svenjord, Arlak	202		9.07
Tollefson, Theo.	406		15.87
Tanner, E. A.	120		5.86
Thorson, T. M.	458		19.19
Taraldson, O.	330		13.83
Thorson, Oscar	397	1700	22.93
Vad, Christ	421		16.46
Vaughan, Wm.	499	41	23.32
Wold, Peter C.	444		20.65
Zavoral, F. A.	300		13.47
Dahle, Tollak		400	1.20

Town of Hickory

School District No. 3 47.4 Mills; School District No. 9 53.1 Mills; School District No. 10 60.6 Mills; School District No. 65 53. Mills; School District No. 67 55.1 Mills.

(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax Is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Arveson, Albin	$ 256	$	$ 12.50
Arveson, Albert	558		26.45
Arveson, Svan	100	2500	12.80
Arveson, Arthur	305		16.17
Arantson, John	753		39.93
Bao Lover, T.	50		2.08
Bakken, Peder A.	39		2.01
Bjornaras, BJ.	483		25.01
Bjerklie, Peder E.	301		18.24
Christianson, Mrs. C.	373		19.77
Clemenson, Carl	242		13.32
Dahl, Walter C.	120		6.00
Dahl, Jos. A.	156		7.29
Erickson, Peter	452		24.00
Florence, Thos.	86		4.56
Hyland, Lars	401		19.01
Hanson, Knut G.	120		6.61
Houga, Syvert	640	400	31.54
Hegstad, Martin	177		9.40
Halvorson, Elick	350		16.69
Hanson, Lennis	238		11.28
Hendrom, Ole	403		24.53
Homme, H. K.	106		5.12
Hanson, H. T.	459		25.07
Haugan, Halvor	233		17.83
Hanson, Gunder G.	198		10.01
Joadzyk, John	206		11.35
Josefson, Arne	476		25.28
Johnson, John O.	17		.90
Jorgenson, George	104		6.30
Kvale, T. T.	253		13.94
Kolshus, Gunder	144		8.73
Leirfaelom, Severt	164	400	11.14
Larson, John	88	100	5.04
Lundblad, John	368		19.50
Lueck, William	153		8.43
Larson Bros.	781		46.51

Town of Black River

School District No. 1 31.1 Mills; School District No. 45 33.1 Mills; School District No. 94 35.5 Mills; School District No. 102 29.8 Mills; School District No. 108 41.1 Mills.

(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation Assessed	Assessed Value of Personal Property on Which Tax Is Based	Assessed Value of Moneys and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Albert	$ 446	$	$ 15.85
Anderson, Felix	446		14.77
Anderson, H. A.	631		21.52
Avoltsen, Arthur	711	800	38.51
Brandt, Wm. M.	242	1000	11.39
Brink, Mouritz	290		15.91
Carlson, Oscar	112		32.88
Drexlan, James	688		23.40
Eckstrom, Mrs. M.	463	400	17.04
Erickson Bros.	1032	1000	39.04
Erickson, A. O.	97		3.41
Erickson, Andrew	618		21.04
Erickson, Axel	11	400	1.50
Gigstad, Oscar	501		17.76
Harbott, Dan	551		19.80
Holmes, Edith	185		28.70
Holmes, Leonard	125		0.98
Johnson, H. T.	134		35.42
Johnson, Amanda	41		1.40
Johnson, Charley	202		7.17
Johnson, C. W.	715	3000	34.29
Kolp, Albert	250		10.28
Laudman, Fred	841		[illegible]

Town of Goodridge

School District No. 8 80.8 Mills; School District No. 66 33.3 Mills; School District No. 228 48.2 Mills.

(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

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Helgeland, Erick	97		8.65
Hellquist, Chas. R.	91	700	10.21
Helseth, Isaak	122	2500	18.33
Hendry, J. W.	146	141	13.44
Hermanson, J. H.	2067	1000	186.48
Hermanson, Jacob	86		7.67
Herron, Wm.	58		5.17
Hicks, H. M.	811		72.31
Hillard, Carl	67		5.98
Hilson, Amelia	41	1800	6.06
Hofseth, John	157		14.00
Holland, Helmer	140		12.49
Holmberg, Cora H.	142		12.67
Holt & George	1375	7870	146.29
Holzknecht, Fred	31		2.76
Houfek, John	147	300	14.01
Holt, Henry E.	230		20.83
Hilo, O. L.	164		14.63
Ihle & Myrom	1740	500	160.71
Jaranson, John	99		8.83
Jenson, O. E.	569		50.73
Johnson, Algot	91	1000	10.67
Johnson, Gusta	584	500	53.59
Johnson, H. C.	144	144	13.29
Johnson, L. M.	40		3.57
Johnson, M. M.	135		12.04
Johnson, M. M. & Sons	582		51.91
Johnson, Oscar	135	200	12.64
Johnsrud, A. R.	267	2184	27.61
Johnston, L. R.	280		24.98
Jung, Herbert C.	145		12.94
Jung Bros.	3067	2228	281.19
Johnson, Lucile	125	4440	24.48
Keene, Herbert	266		23.73
Kiewel Produce Co.	2550	6000	245.46
Kleanall Co.	250		22.30
Kline, Wm.	503		44.87
Klungness, Elmer	451		40.23
Knudsen, Bernard	222		19.80
Knutson, Dedrick	95		8.47
Knutson, R.	99		8.83
Kolden, P. A.	89		7.94
Kongolf, L. O.	212		18.91
Kruse, Ben	150	600	15.42
Kruse, Charles	163		14.54
LaBree, W. Jesse	187	1000	19.78
Laird, Scott	1195	87	106.85
Lambert, Roy	3220	610	290.19
Lampert, L. A.	58		5.17
Langseth, Mrs. Anna	48		4.28
Langseth, A. M.	1345	1200	100.69
Larson, Albin A.	234		20.87
Larson, Carl B.	275		24.53
Larson, Ed.	40		3.57
Larson Furniture Co.	18332	2000	1643.91
Larson, L. G.	81	4000	19.67
Larson, Lars	182		16.23
Larson, Nels	113	300	11.26
LaBell, Morris	23		2.05
Lawrence, L. H.	309		27.56
Lee, Ed	662		59.05
Leimers, George	236		21.05
LeSage, Delman	94		8.39
Liden, Oscar	375		33.45
Lieberman, A. S.	7748	2000	697.12
Lieberman, Charles	3777		336.91
Lockram, Adolph	60		5.35
Loken, H. O.	335	3200	39.48
Loken, Halvor & Co.	857		76.44
Loken Bros.	20207		1802.46
Long, W. O.	71		6.33
Lorkin, Fred	120		10.70
Lund, H. P.	202	500	19.52
[illegible], J. L.	58		6.17
Longren, John	89	2000	13.14
Larson, Rev. George	318		28.36
[illegible], Perl W.	242	1304	25.51
McClelland, J. R.	153	500	14.81
McFarland Auto Co.	6069	310	558.05
McGinn, Robert	216	600	21.10
McGinty, James	84		7.50
Manhattan Oil Co.	5645		503.53
Mathew, Hamilton	422	2000	43.64
Meigaard, T. L.	408	180	36.91
Mellby, Dr. O. F.	1050	25760	98.68
Michelet, Wilhelm	71	100	6.99
Miller, Betsey	67		5.98
Minneapolis Bridge Co.	4194	2500	381.61
Mogensen, E. O.	4900	2400	445.08
Monson, O. L.	91	4000	20.12
Morgan, John	232	2000	26.69
Morgan, Roy E.	113		10.08
Mosaue, E. O.	260	2000	24.64
Mulry, W. H.	2887	8650	282.50
Munt, Mrs. Ray	95		8.48
Myrom, Sigurd	94	3300	17.38
Myhrum, P. O.	192		17.13
McFarland, M. T.	111	4000	22.17
McWilliams, R. B.	76	250	7.53
Alborg, Mrs. M.		800	2.40
Anderson, Ben		500	1.50
Burggraf, Frank		1000	3.30
Bergland, Soren O.		750	2.26
Berkman, Erick		1400	4.20
Brude, Matt		100	.30
Barnard, W. A.		457	1.37
Bergh, P. E.		4950	14.85
Backen, M. P.		200	.60
Brown, Laura		60	.18
Brevig, E. P.		250	.75
Baken, George C.		500	1.50
Bruns, F. J.		690	2.09
Cody, H. D.		500	1.50
Borgen, John J.		300	.90
Cernoucek, F. J.		75	.22
Chittick, Thomas H.		150	.46
Coumbe, Stanley C.		150	.45
Christie, E. S.		500	1.50
Durbin, John		500	1.50
Dahl, Oluf		500	1.50
Ebbighausen, Henry L.		500	1.50
Ebert, F. S.		1000	3.00
Erickson, Haldor		500	1.50
Eklund, Andrew		300	.90
Erickson, Ole		1700	5.10
Frey, Henry		400	1.20
Gunderson, Gisle		200	.60
Gulrud, Carl		25	.07
Granum, Christ		3200	9.60
Gravlie, Ellef		250	.75
Heard, Minnie		200	.60
Havel, J. E.		100	.30
Hermagson, Hans		1000	3.00
Hjelden, Halvor		2000	6.00
Henney, Thos. E.		1640	4.92
Hendrickson, Nels		1500	4.50
Hall, W. A.		400	1.20
Johnson, Lars A.		2500	7.50
Johnson, Gust A.		450	1.35
Johnson, Simon F.		700	2.10
Johnson, James		1000	3.00
Johnson, Hoken		1000	3.00
Juranson, E. M.		165	8.19
Johnson, Emil		11000	33.00
Klovstad, Andrew I.		3000	9.00
Knutson, Julius		360	1.10
Kruse, Mrs. Ben		928	2.78
Kinghorn, Harry W.		100	.30
Keen, H. D.		178	.54
Kruse, Louis		2275	6.82
Kelley, Jerry		125	.37
Klemetson, Helge		3700	11.10
Kingsberg, Carl H.		3617	10.85
Longair, Mrs. Ralph		500	1.50
Lawrence Mortgage Co.		3440	10.32
Larson, Albert		200	.60
Liden, Theo. M.		750	2.25
Motz, Roy		700	2.10
Myrvold, Christ O.		1079	3.23
Moen, Fred		700	2.10
Malafa, John		250	.75
McDaniel, C. M.		409	1.22
Moe, Mrs. Arne		2000	6.00
Naplin, O. A.	618	625	57.00
Nelson, A. A.	61	100	5.74
Nelson, C. W.	41		3.66
Nelson, John E.	63		5.62
Nelson, Nels	124		11.06
Nielson, Niels L.	59		5.26
Nelson, O. H.	155	1500	18.33
Neset, Olaf	4909	400	447.11
Ness, Ed.	152	825	16.03
Nesse, J. N.	540	100	48.47
Nowell, H. B.	2853	618	250.34
Nickolson, Geo. W.	466	1300	45.47
Nistal, Fred	148	300	16.92
Northern Woodwork Co.	6396		570.52
Nortz Lumber Co.	4413	2074	388.86
Novak, Joe	146		13.02
Nybakken, P.	222		19.80
Nylius, Mrs. Ole	8	400	1.91
Oden, Mrs. A. J.	206		18.38
Oen, Rasmus	309		27.56
Oen Mercantile Co.	29832	573337	2841.96
Offerdahl, Ole	43		3.84
Oftedahl, John	231		20.61
Olson, A. E.	266	600	25.53
Olson, Alfred R.	76	2700	14.88
Olson, C. J.	246		21.94
Olson, Jacob N.	52		4.64
Olson, Nels J.	93		8.30
Ostby, O. D.	152	51	13.71
Ostby, Orrin N. D.	400		35.68
Overland, E. J.	102		9.10
Pank, Holet	167		14.90
Patton, James K.	84		7.49
Paulson, Dr. A. J.	284	15000	71.22
Penney, Dr. G. A.	852	838	78.45
Peoples Auto Co.	3959	11037	397.93
Peoples Co-Op. Store Co.	3173		283.03
Patterson-Biddick Co.	1004	1000	92.58
Peterson, Mrs. C. L.	259		23.10
Peterson, Leonard	168		14.99
Pratt, H. A.	518		46.21
Prestebak, Ole	67		5.98
Prichard Co.	6293	9285	589.21
Prichard, W. W. Jr.	2383		212.56
Prichard, W. W. Sr.	308		27.47
Protz, Fred	36		3.21
Protzeller, H. W.	112		12.60
Provencher, J.	1567	800	142.18
Physicians Hospital	559	2000	55.00
Physicians Office	1267		118.70
Quale, Theo.	410	200	37.97
Quammen, S. O.	143		12.76
Queen City Bottling Co.	332		29.61
Ralston, J. A.	202	130	19.41
Rambeck, O. A.	126		11.24
Rambeck & Stone Co.	583	1550	56.65
Ramstad, Olaf	259		23.09
Rayson, Louis	30		2.68
Red Lake Ice Co.	1108	1375	102.95
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.	2900	108*	259.76
	*Grain Tax		
Reierson, T. J.	470	6500	61.06
Remmem, A. D.	526	382	48.09
Rhadeguard, H. N.	54		4.82
Richards, Ernest	75		6.69
Rindahl, A. J.	130		11.60
Roark, P.	131		11.68
Robarge, Victor	55	200	5.51
Rochelsan, Andrew	190	600	18.75
Rolland, Elias	3351	1500	303.41
Rounds, G. W.	42		3.75
Rowan, T. J.	109		9.72
Ryer, W. N.	33	100	3.24
Roamer, E. C.	236		21.05
Salvesen, S.	456		40.68
Sandstrom, Victor	13		1.16
Sandum, G. H.	57		5.08
Sandum, Gilbert	2945		262.69
Sapero, Abe	420		37.46
Sapero Co.	5963	1000	532.13
Schmitt, M. A.	53		4.73
Schmitz, M.	25	275	3.06
Shultz, John B.	128	700	13.52
Schuster, Charles	178		15.88
Sather, J. O.	168	2500	22.31
Severson, Oliver	251		22.39
Shannahan & Sheedy	697		62.17
Shaw, Daniel	430	2250	45.14
Sheldon, R. M.	373	182	33.81
Shirley, Chas.	288		25.69
Scholes, C. A.	64		5.71
Silk, Norman	54	300	5.72
Simonson, C. S.	3122	1000	281.48
Sjoberg, C.	94		8.38
Smith, G. Howard	186		16.59
Smith, Rev. John B.	140		12.48
Smithers, Wm.	174	500	17.02
Soderberg, John	18		1.61
Sorenson, John	79		7.05
Sorenson, Olaf	109		9.72
Spencer, Mrs. Roy	148		13.20
Stageberg, M. G.	2086		186.06
Stageberg, T. O.	153		13.65
Standard Oil Co.	11017		982.72
Stanton, E. M.	325	1500	33.49
Stanton Bros.	520		46.38
Stebbins, F. J.	4258	300	380.71
Stenberg, Mrs. A.	203		18.11
Storby, C. J.	213		19.00
Storholm, C.	294	325	27.19
Storholm, O. G.	52		4.64
Stoughton, E. A.	59		5.26
Strand, H. K.	650		54.74
Streeter, Geo. C.	5	100	.75
Strom, Alex	115		10.26
Strom, Martin	141		12.58
Strubeck, Joe	400	700	37.78
Sundahl, Carl	167		14.90
Sundahl, K. A.	1683		150.12
Swanson, Albert	135		12.04
Swanson, M. L.	3053	1050	276.48
Swedenburg, Dr. A. W.	595		53.07
Tandberg, Julia	126		11.24
Teasum, Olof	500	100	45.70
Teasum Seed, Grain & Sup. Co.	15130	27491	1437.14
Teasum Seed, Grain & Sup. Co.	Grain Tax 454		
Tharaldson, Torger	59		5.26
Thief River Grocery Co.	21038	35720	2094.04
Thief River Iron Works	3614	1500	326.87
Thief River Monumental Co.	2720		271.08
Thief River Music Co.	1646	2900	141.12
Thief River Theater Co.	800	250	72.11
Thorson, A. A.	750	3400	77.10
Thoreson, A. W.	33		2.94
Thronson, Theo. M.	87	178	8.29
Thune, Peter P.	61	6000	23.71
Times Printing & Mfg. Co.	5216	14513	511.47
Trover, E. D.	263		20.14
The Tribune	1997	2400	185.33
Vigen, Bennie	397		35.41
Voracheck, Chas.	177	1261	19.58
Voracheck, J. J.	217	5238	35.08
Vorlisky, Joe	31		3.03
Walker, B. G.	143		12.76
Wangenstein, A. A.	276	600	26.42
Ward, Gaston	90		8.03
Ward, John	181	974	19.08
Warner, H. O.	95		8.47
Way, Thomas A.	397		35.41
Weeks, Ross A.	245		21.85
Westen, O. A.	91		8.12
Westlen, Lars	50	500	6.50
Williams, Geo. G.	177	2500	23.29
Williams, G. G. & Co.	249	1650	27.16
Williams, M.	183	700	18.42
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co. office	402	3165	63.35
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., yard	14183	34647	1320.84
Wold, Bernt	310		27.65
Yotter, J. O.	252		22.48
Zavoral, J. C.	17	50	1.67
Zeh, Emil E.	110	405	11.29
Zeh & Curran	4708	1800	425.35
Zeh, Phil J.	18	2000	14.30
Zollmer, A. E.	1874	500	168.60
Ziegler, W. A.	133		11.86
Nelson, O. W.		500	1.50
Nelson, N. S.		1000	3.00
Nygaard, S. A.		1000	3.00
Nelson, Marie		600	1.80
Nygaard, Soren		200	.60
Nesja, Ole		2150	6.45
Orme, T. C.		800	2.40
Quist, Martin		700	2.10
Peterson, Hans H.		2000	6.00
Peterson, Joe		600	1.80
Olson, H. E.		1200	3.60
Owen, Martin H.		1400	4.20
Rasmussen, Robert		100	.30
Sedeberg, August		1500	4.50
Sheeland, T. L.		2500	7.50
Schmatzer, Joseph E.		2000	6.00
Swanson, Oscar		1000	3.00
Snustad, Ole		200	.60
Stewart, C. W.		1000	3.00
Tweten, Andrew		700	2.10
Vigen, Amund		2000	6.00
Wilcox, E. S.		3000	9.00
Urness, Carrie		1600	4.80
Rausch, Emil		600	1.80

City News

Harold Holmes of St. Hilaire visited with friends in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. Helen Chelin of St. Hilaire visited friends between trains Monday.

H. P. Miller of Crookston, was a visitor between trains in this city on Friday.

Howard Gesell of Minneapolis, transacted business here the first of the week.

M. W. Rosenfelt of Rochester, N. Y., was in the city on Friday as the guest of L. L. Cohn.

Miss Islet LeSage, who teaches school near Hazel, spent the week-end visiting her parents here.

Mrs. Wm. Olson of Winger spent a few days last week as the guest of her friend, Mrs. Severt Brandon.

Mrs. Agnes Warring returned to Steiner on Friday morning after a brief visit with her parents here.

Roy Brown was among those who attended the Legion basket ball game at Crookston on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Dan Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. S. Bendickson, both of St. Hilaire, were shoppers here on Monday.

Miss Grace Wilson returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where she visited friends for a week.

Judge H. E. Tawney of Winona, was in the city on Saturday enroute to Roseau and Greenbush on banking business.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank of this city, left Thursday for the twin cities on business matters.

Gladys Anderson, deputy register of deeds for Pennington county, spent the past week end in the Twin Cities with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bakke left Saturday for Fosston where they were called because of the death of the former's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Andrews have secured an apartment in the Evenson family flat and have already started housekeeping.

Frances Burns returned Friday morning from Crookston, where he attended the Legion basket ball game the evening previous.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jovatski of St. Paul, arrived here the latter part of last week to spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives.

Miss Alice Thompson was an over-Sunday guest of her parents. She returned on Monday morning to Hazel, where she teaches school.

Miss Esther Tandberg, who is engaged in teaching school at Oklee, was a week-end guest of her folks. She returned Monday morning.

Miss Betsey Legvold arrived here Friday evening from Hazel, where she teaches school, to spend the week-end as the guest of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Froseth are occupying the O. A. Naplin residence on Knight avenue during the absence of Senator and Mrs. Naplin.

Mrs. H. L. Sande returned to her home at Steiner Friday morning after visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether, for a few days.

Mrs. Halvor Loken and daughter returned Saturday evening from Plummer where they visited at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Lanager.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pearson arrived here Saturday morning from Crookston for a brief visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Furstnau.

Miss Gladys Swenson returned to her home at Rosewood Thursday morning after spending a few days here as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. S. Brandon.

Mrs. Thomas Parker and daughter who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston for a week, left Saturday morning for their home at Naicam, Sask.

Miss Edith Cornforth returned to Crookston on Monday after spending a week visiting with numerous friends here. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Nora Swanson.

Miss Harriet Wood, assistant director and supervisor of school libraries, was in the city the latter part of last week looking over the library situation in the local schools.

Mrs. H. L. Landblom and Mrs. E. Schroeder, both of Fargo, returned to their home Monday morning after a brief visit at the home of their aunt, Mrs. J. A. Holmgren, 624 LaBree Ave. N.

George L. Sterns, area commercial supervisor for the Northwestern Telephone company with offices at Thief River Falls, made a trip of inspection of plants at Greenbush and Strathcona last Friday and Saturday.

Arvid Carlson of Middle River was in Thief River Falls on Monday, being enroute from Newfolden to the above mentioned place. Mr. Carlson is one of the proprietors of a chain of clothing stores located at Newfolden, Holt and Middle River.

Miss Lena Peterson, who had spent a considerable length of time visiting with relatives at Chicago returned the latter part of last week. After spending a day here with friends she left for her home at Hazel.

Miss Smiley Brenna, who had been a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Gustafson, accompanied by Miss Olga Johnson, who is employed here, left Thursday morning for Middle River, where the latter will be a guest at the Brenna home a few days.

Edward E. Kelly left the first of the week for Grand Forks where he will be the guest of his sister, Lauretta, who attends St. Jones academy. From there he will go to Conway, N. D., where he contemplates spending the remainder of the winter.

NOTICE FOR PROPOSALS.

City Depository.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minn., for depositories of the moneys in the city treasury during the year ensuing after Feb. 1, 1921, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said city prior to eight o'clock p. m., Feb. 1, 1921, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read and contract let for such depositories.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 12th day of January, 1921.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

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NOTICE FOR PROPOSALS.

City Printing.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minn., for the publishing of the ordinances and proceedings of the council and other public notices required by law, and the financial statement of the city, for the year ensuing after Feb. 1, 1921, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said city prior to eight o'clock p. m., Feb. 1, 1921, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read and contract let for such publishing.

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The Lyceum

FRIDAY—SATURDAY—SUNDAY

DR. BUCKLEY

The Famous Hypnotist

Matinees:
Children Friday 3:30; Ladies Saturday 2:30
General, Sunday 2:30

Prices—Matinee 11 and 25 cents. Evening 25 and 50 cents.

Evening performances start at 8 p. m. sharp; doors open at 7:30.

Just a Poor Dern Fool!

CHARLES RAY
In
"Homer Comes Home"

Biggest day the old burg ever saw, and who but that blamed Homer Cavender layin' the corner stone of the new town hall! Him that folks said never would amount to shucks! A glorious story of plain folks, and

A HENRY LEHRMAN COMEDY
"A Kick in High Life"

Has more than a 2.75 per cent punch.

The PRINCESS
Sunday and Monday

The final cut, not in February or March, but now; guaranteed

A SURPRISE event for the men and young men who have been waiting for bottom prices on suits and overcoats. The reductions are final. If you want quality clothes, and want to save money when you buy them, this is your one big opportunity.

A. B. Kirshbaum and Kuppenheimer Good Clothes

$29.95 for men's suits and overcoats formerly priced $45, $50, and $55.

$37.75 for men's suits and overcoats formerly priced $60 and $65.

$47.75 for men's suits and overcoats formerly priced $70, $75, $80 and $85.

All-wool, silk-sewn, elegantly tailored garments; selected patterns and fabrics; the last word in style; our own regular stock of quality suits and overcoats; models for short men, stout men, and slim men. Correct fit assured, and alterations if needed.

Six Styles Men's FINE DRESS SHOES Regular price $15.00 Now $7.95 per pair

50 pair Men's FINE DRESS GLOVES worth $3, $3.50 & $4, Now your Choice at $2.45 per pair

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA.
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

—THE HOUSE OF KUPPENHEIMER GOOD CLOTHES

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CHEESE MAKING NEXT STEP FOR LOCAL CAPITAL

Farmers and Business Men Ready to Finance Project Without Further Delay.

Establishment Would Provide Market For Much Milk and Cream Now Leaving City.

Promoters of Plan Only Awaiting Detailed Information on Subject of Equipment.

Thief River Falls is assured of a cheese factory, to be erected in the near future, according to statements issued on Tuesday by prominent business men and farmers who have identified themselves with the movement. Facts and figures relative to the cheese manufacturing industry are being sought and plans formulated for the holding of a meeting here, at which an expert from the dairy division of the University of Minnesota would speak.

Dairymen Enthusiastic.

It was further stated that the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association might consider the erection of a suitable building for housing both the cheese making and butter making industries, inasmuch as members of the association felt that conflict between two distinct organizations would be inevitable. Promoters of this new industry for Thief River Falls state very positively that whether or not the creamery association decides to add a cheese making department, a factory is assured for the locality as sufficient money to erect a plant and finance it could be secured in a remarkably short time, so enthusiastic are dairymen and business men over the prospect. A privately operated enterprise with stock offered to the general public for purchase, is favored, rather than a co-operative institution.

Dairymen to whom the subject has been breached, became enthusiastic at once. Statistics available show that the milk produced by 800 cows would be necessary to support a cheese plant. One farmer enthusiast stated that if a factory was to be erected he could guarantee a supply of milk from 400 cows from his immediate vicinity alone, and that he would, immediately final plans were completed, start increasing his own herd and go in for more dairying and less grain raising.

Whole Milk Used.

Farmers who sell locally, or ship cream, today are throwing away or feeding to hogs great quantities of skim milk. A modern cheese factory contains butter making machinery in addition to other equipment, as it is at times impossible to work all of the butterfat into cheese, owing to the condition of the whole milk, and this butterfat taken from the cheese whey must be made into whey butter, which differs but slightly from any other butter and commands practically the same price. Sour milk received must also be made into butter; only sweet, whole milk being used for cheese. One of the arguments used in favor of the cheese industry is that 100 pounds of milk will produce approximately 10 or 11 pounds of first quality cheese, while 100 pounds of milk will make but three or four pounds of butter. The price of cheese is regarded as being more staple than that of butter.

Would Foster Change.

A prominent citizen identified with the movement said: "Something must be done. The present creamery is inadequate to the needs of the surrounding territory; more whole milk is being offered than can be handled. It was reported at the annual meeting of the creamery association held during this month last year, that over $500,000 worth of cream passed thru Thief River Falls in 1919 enroute for outside points, among which were Alexandria and the twin cities. The local creamery failed to enlarge their plant in spite of the fact that the reports submitted stated that $9,000 profit was made on cream shipped in from outside points in one year. An effort will be made to make Thief River Falls the shipping point, rather than to have it pass thru here enroute for other butter or cheese-making plants.

"It is a recognized fact that salvation for this section of the state lies in abandoning the grain raising and going in stronger for cattle raising and dairying. One means of fostering this change, is by the establishment of a cheese factory here. Such a factory can and will be established, further plans or developments are dependent only upon the securing of facts and figures from outside points where the industry has proven a great success."

Signs Show All Highways Lead to Thief River Falls

Business men in this city are under obligations to J. E. Dishington, highway engineer for Marshall county, for helping to make it easy for autoists to reach Thief River Falls from the southern sections of his county. Mr. Dishington was in the city on Friday and reported having finished the placing of signs along all highways in the southeastern townships of the county, these signs informing the traveler just exactly how far it is to the Pennington county metropolis. While this service is primarily intended to aid those who make this city their trading point because of its nearness to their homes, it is also bound to help our local business men. The signs put up by Mr. Dishington give the distance from this city as well as point out the direction.

Shipping in Purebreds.

Fred Beerbower returned this week from a tour through the best Holstein cattle districts of three states where he had gone for the purpose of purchasing a carload of purebreds for himself and M. T. McFarland. After inspecting herds in Illinois and Iowa he returned to Minnesota and secured nine head of cows near Utica. Another from the same section is being forwarded here by express.

The cows arrived in good condition and are among the finest specimens ever seen here. Rather fancy prices were paid for some of them, but as Mr. Beerbower says, "they are fancy cows." One animal in particular has attracted wide attention, being of an exceptionally promising type.

UNUSUAL DAMAGE ACTION BROUGHT FOR MAN'S DEATH

Phone Company Sued For $7,500 by Widow of Asbjorn Stenberg, Lightning Victim.

A claim for $7,500 damages has been filed against the Northwestern Telephone Exchange company by Marie Stenberg, administratrix of the estate of Asbjorn Stenberg, her husband, who was instantly killed in this city on June 8, 1920, by an electrical shock during a rain and thunder storm. It is alleged that the deceased was seated near the telephone instrument in his home at the east end of Bridge street, at the time of the storm and that his death was due to negligence on the part of the telephone company in not providing lightning arresters, proper ground wires or other safeguards.

Theodore Quale, who, with Senator O. A. Naplin, is acting as attorney for the plaintiff, states that a case of this nature has never before been brought up in the courts of Minnesota.

It was generally supposed at the time of Mr. Stenberg's death that he had been killed by a bolt of lighting which struck the house or the telephone instrument. Subsequent investigation proved that the house and room in which the deceased was seated at the time of his death bore no traces of a lightning bolt having entered. No fire was started and no charred wood or opening could be found. Mrs. Stenberg's attorneys will endeavor to prove that if lightning did strike the telephone wires, it must have done so at considerable distance from the house and traveled over the wires to a point where it was transmitted to the deceased in his position near the telephone instrument. The other theory is that the wires became charged with atmospheric electricity to such an extent as to be of fatal power when discharged.

The Northwestern Telephone company has filed an answer to the summons to the effect that due precautions had been taken and that the deceased was killed "thru an act of God." The case will come before the district court at the June term.

FOUR TO ONE VOTE IN FAVOR OF BONDS

School Issue of $68,000 Authorized by Voters of District No. 18 Tuesday.

The sale of school bonds aggregating $68,000 by school district No. 18 was authorized at a special election held at the municipal court rooms in the city auditorium on Tuesday evening. Three hundred and sixteen ballots were cast, 254 in favor of the issue and 62 against. It is said that this is the largest vote ever cast on a school bond issue in Thief River Falls. While a $68,000 refunding bond issue was authorized, actual sales may come under that mark, owing to the fact that only outstanding warrants which have been presented for payment will be taken up. The bonds mature in 1936.

Sealed bids for the issue will be opened at the Lincoln high school at 1:00 p. m., February 11. A contract has been entered into with the Minneapolis Trust company whereby they agree to accomplish the sale of the bonds at par value, interest at 6 per cent, if no other or lower bids are received on that date.

The bond issue was imperative in order that school warrants now held by the city banks be taken up owing to the inability of the banks to take up more warrants under the present circumstances. The indebtedness of the school district has arisen because of the increased cost in operating the city schools and because no increase in tax levy was made for the year 1919. Members of the school board and city bankers when questioned on Monday stated that unless the sale of bonds was authorized it would be necessary to close the schools of the city.

Rev. H. J. Urdahl of Fargo returned to his home Friday afternoon after spending a few days here visiting his sister, Mrs. Geo. Larson, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Larson was removed from the hospital to her home on Saturday.

BETTER SERVICE SUBJECT OF SIX LECTURES HERE

Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, Widely Known Business Specialist, to Conduct Institute.

Has Made Life Study of Community Development and the Value of Co-Operation.

Effort Being Made to Secure Full Representation of All Classes at Meetings.

Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, eminent psychologist, expert in salesmanship, advertising and the scientific management of men, will conduct a five-day Merchants and Community Institute here, starting Monday, Jan. 31. The Institute is being presented to the general public under the auspices of the Merchants' association of Thief River Falls, action having been taken at a banquet supper served at the Evelyn hotel on Monday evening, at which time J. W. Griest, who is associated with the National Association of Retail Merchants, gave a short address and presented this opportunity of securing the services of the renowned Mr. Krebs. The latter comes here from Winnipeg where he is at present conducting a series of lectures.

"Service" the Keynote.

The general object of the Merchants and Community Institute is to awaken a keener interest in business, to raise the standards of efficiency and to promote the spirit of community co-operation. The keynote of the lectures is "Service"—service that will assist the mechants and the city as a whole in meeting outside forms of competition. Dr. Krebs would aid the merchants in getting the business that logically belongs to them, teach employees how to increase their efficiency, render a greater service to the public and become worth more to themselves and employers, and arouse the public in general regarding the local community problems.

Dr. Krebs comes here recommended as eminently qualified to fit into such a program. Through his broad experience he is able to place before the people of the community a great fund of knowledge gathered from all parts of the world—facts and incidents that should help them in solving their problems, individual, business or civic. The fact that his work has been indorsed by world-wide celebrities in science, politics and business, should be sufficient recommendation to the community. He is one of the most widely and favorably known men in his particular line of work in the world today. Press comments on the services rendered by Dr. Krebs to some of the largest cities of the United States are very favorable.

The Week's Program.

The following program has been scheduled for the week of Jan. 31 to Feb. 5, subject to slight changes at the will of the lecturer:

Monday evening—Banquet and lecture for business men at the Brumund hotel, 6:30. Subject, "Fear and Worry in Business" and Co-operation in Action."

Tuesday evening—Lecture at the Commercial club rooms, 8:00 o'clock. "Doubling Sales" and "Ways That Win," or "The Art of Making Two Sales Grow Where Only One Grew Before" and "Advertising That Wins More Business in Business." For business men and employees.

Wednesday evening—Lectures for business men and employees at the Commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock. "Helping the Customer to Buy," or "The Principles, Laws and Practices of Salesmanship," and "Merchandise" or "The Glory of Material Things;" the art of learning, knowing and telling points about merchandise.

Thursday noon, 12:30—Commercial club regular noonday luncheon. "The Intellectual Powers Applied to Industry."

Thursday evening—A lecture for the general public at the city auditorium, entitled "City Growth and Expansion."

Saturday, ~~2:30~~ p. m.—Commercial club rooms. "Road Salesmanship." A special invitation is extended to all traveling salesmen to attend this number.

A cordial invitation is also extended to the people of the community to attend the free lecture given at the city auditorium on Thursday evening and particularly to Commercial club members who are not members of the association, to members of the Woman's club, the American Legion and to out-of-town merchants, to attend as many of these meetings as possible.

The Thursday afternoon and Thursday evening programs will be free to all. For the other lectures season tickets, including the banquet at the Brumund hotel, will be $4.00; not including the banquet, $3.00; employees tickets for Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, $2.00; single admissions, $1.00.

Committees in Charge.

A. S. Sapero, E. W. Hinrich, E. O. Mogensen, George Loken, J. H. Hermanson, C. S. Simonson and F. H. Herrick, form a general committee having in charge all arrangements for the week. The ticket sales committee is made up by A. S. Sapero, Scott Laird, A. A. Bredeson, F. H. Herrick, Albert Lieberman, Carl Christofferson, George Loken, Charles Lieberman, W. W. Prichard, Jr., G. H. Smith, E. O. Mogensen and W. A. Hall.

A Correction.

The line "On Deposit January 1, 1921 ....1,434.80" under "Disbursements for 1920," Treasurer S. O. Lee's report, contained in the annual report for 1920 of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association, published in the January 20th issue of the Times, is hereby corrected to read "Overdraft January 1, 1921 ....1,434.80."

Dance Following Bemidji Game.

A dance will be given by the local post of the American Legion, immediately following the Bemidji-Thief River basket ball game at the city auditorium on Friday night. Snyder's five-piece orchestra will furnish the music. Those who attended the New Year's Eve ball given by the Legion are requested by the dance committee to bear in mind the exceptional good time that resulted, and are requested to assist in making the Friday evening dance a similar occasion.

MANSLAUGHTER IS VERDICT OF JURY IN PEARSON CASE

Former Thief River Falls Woman Found Guilty of Causing Death of Infant.

Mrs. Martha Pearson, formerly a resident of this city, was found guilty of manslaughter in the second degree by the Polk county district jury late Tuesday afternoon, following a trial that began January 17. Judge William Watts is not expected to pronounce sentence for several days. The accused is at liberty on $10,000 bonds, but whether she has gone to Bargesville where her husband is employed, remained at Crookston where the trial took place, or is at home with her parents, could not be learned.

The penalty for manslaughter in the second degree is from one to 15 years imprisonment in a woman's reformatory, a fine of $1,000, or both. Attorneys for the defense will probably ask for a stay of sentence of 20 days, during which time they may appeal for a new trial, at the denial of which they may appeal to the supreme court.

The case has been before the authorities since January, 1920, following the finding of the frozen body of a new born baby girl on the roof of a Crookston hotel, where Mrs. Pearson and her husband were staying. The couple were arrested at that time and were indicted by the grand jury in June. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson were married at Thief River Falls on January 24, 1920.

Col. Pratt, who with County Attorney James E. Montague, represented the state in the case, in his final address to the jury, declared that the evidences of the crime were so conclusive that he would go into the evidence but briefly. He stated that there was motive for the crime in the fact that the defendant had been married but two weeks previous. He stated that defendant, owing to the conclusiveness of the testimony, could set forth no other defense than that of insanity.

W. E. Rowe, counsel for the defense, declared that the sanity of the woman would be his chief plea. He declared that there was not enough money in the country to hire him in an endeavor to defeat the vengeance of the law. He brought out that the testimony that Mrs. Pearson had committed the crime was circumstantial. He ended his two hour talk by declaring that the preponderance of the evidence showed the woman insane. The jury was out practically five hours.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Noel of this city were called on the witness stand during the course of the trial.

SEASON'S GREATEST TUSSLE TOMORROW

Fine Exhibition Certain When Legion Basketeers Meet Bemidji Post Warriors.

The basket ball quint of the Elmer J. Eklund post will meet the five of the Ralph Gracie post of Bemidji at the auditorium here on Friday evening. Bemidji has always produced some fast basket ball teams and the Legion team of this year is no exception. The players are said to be "heavy, fast and furious" and to excel in team work. They have taken some hard fought games during the present season. The local team has not lost a game so far this season and are expressing no fear of the clash scheduled for tomorrow night. Fans who witnessed the Y. M. C. A.-Legion game last Saturday evening and the team work of the Legionnaries, which proceeded so like a well governed machine, are backing them to the limit.

The game will be called promptly at 8:45.

Organization Meeting of Women Voters on Tuesday

The first annual meeting of the Pennington County League of Women Voters will be held at the Brumund hotel next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Election of officers will be held, committees named and plans for the year's work will be outlined. All women voters are urged to attend. An outline of the aims and purposes of the organization will be found on another page of The Times today.

HEAVIER BUYING IS INDICATED BY TRADE REPORTS

Confidence Being Gradually Restored Throughout the Country Following Buying.

Realized Now That Pre-War Conditions Are Impossible Without Inviting Disaster.

Present Situation Offers Unusual Opportunity For Consumer to Save Money.

The opinion seems to prevail everywhere that the worst of the period of business depression that struck the Northwest after the holidays has been passed and that from now on the *improvement will be marked.* Business men everywhere have hastened to readjust their affairs to new conditions and are already feeling the effect of a greater confidence on the part of the buying public. It was generally understood that the first duty of every merchant was to reduce inventory to safe dimensions and to get himself as far as possible into a sound financial condition. This has been done, in Thief River Falls at any rate, and there is a noticeable feeling of optimism as a result.

Loosening Up Evident.

If the buying public would only understand that it is impossible for merchandise to go lower in price without bringing on the very conditions everyone is trying to avoid, the situation would clear up in a very short time. The trouble seems to have been that buyers expected the bottom to fall out of values entirely and were holding off on their purchases in order to take advantage of the crash when it came. That this was a mistaken view is now everywhere admitted and it will only be a short time until there is a general loosening up.

Must Stop Somewhere.

That a large number of people do not understand the situation is evident. They expect "pre-war" conditions to return, when as a matter of fact this should be the last thing they desired. Cotton, for instance, is already off 50 per cent from the top market and wool still more. Labor, however, is as yet high in the industries converting these staples and bids fair to remain so. It is hardly probable that anyone now living will again see six cent cotton or 15 cen wool. Such prices would undoubtedly have the effect of lowering the cost to the consumer but would also mean a return to the $1.50 and $2.00 wage scale of bygone years, as well as 40 or 50 cent wheat for the farmer. Every thinking man realizes that this is not a condition to be desired and that the "new normal" therefore cannot mean pre-war prices for anything.

Waiting is Serious Mistake.

Costs are going to be higher with the opening of spring and the person who neglects to supply his wants at this time is making a serious mistake. Salesmen from the cities in practically every line are holding the new goods offered at a price higher than that now charged by the merchants in this city for the same wares. This means but one thing—an advance when the new goods are placed on sale. It is already noticeable that the avalanche of "readjustment sales" which followed the general collapse of prices have ceased and a more sane policy is being followed. While these sales undoubtedly presented money-saving opportunities, nothing approaching the expected rush to take advantage of them was experienced. In fact it seemed in many cases as if the offering of decided reductions only had the effect of determing buyers to await still lower levels. The bottom had to be reached sometime, and this point has been passed. Merchants have now marked their stocks back to levels differing but slightly from those obtaining before the war and they cannot go lower. Dealers cannot, as a matter of fact, long maintain the new price, as when the present stocks are gone—stocks upon which they long ago decided to take a loss—they must again come back to a safe and sane policy, marking their holdings at figures that will give them a profit on the basis of cost prices now prevailing.

Follow Helpful Policy.

If every man and woman in the country will buy what they need at this time there will be no problem of depression to solve. This does not mean that they should spend money without regard to their requirements or for things they do not need. But to cease buying entirely can oly result in holding back the good times that are surely coming. Merchants cannot order more goods unless they sell what is now on hand and factories cannot keep running unless there are orders. When factories close labor is thrown out of employment and there is no demand for the products of the farm. The thing to do is reverse the "vicious circle" which was responsible for much of the price inflation in the first place, and get back to normal conditions by following the only policy that will now straighten things out. This is the buying of necessities at the decidedly low prices at which they are now offered. Such buying will mean an early return of normal times and will prove a money-saving procedure besides.

Young Man Found Insane.

Tom Hansen, 19 year old youth, employed on the Peter Engelstad farm for the past six months, was removed to the state home for the insane at Fergus Falls on Tuesday. He had been suffering from periodical spells of insanity of a harmless nature, until Monday when his actions became such that it was thought unsafe to have him about. Sheriff W. J. LaBree was called and took the patient in charge. Tom Hansen is a native of the United States. He has one sister living in Canada; a brother at Roseau, one at Hazel, and another, a disabled ex-service man, in a government hospital. His mother died 12 years ago and his father last year.

Mr. Hay Visits City.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture for Minnesota, made a brief visit with friends here on Wednesday and Thursday. He was enroute for Crookston, where he addressed on Thursday evening the Northern Minnesota Editorial association in convention.

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEMBERS CHOOSE OFFICERS TONIGHT

Lunch Will Follow Selection of Men Who Will Head Organization Next Year.

A good turnout and live meeting is predicted for the Commercial club annual election of officers to be held in the club rooms tonight at 8 o'clock. The regular noonday luncheon for today was postponed until this evening directly following the business session and election of officers.

At the business session following the luncheon of last Thursday noon, the following nominations were offered and approved: For president, E. O. Mogensen, Dr. G. A. Penney and W. W. Prichard, Jr.; for vice presidents, F. H. Herrick, E. M. Bennes and the two nominees for president who are not elected; for treasurer, L. A. Lampert and C. W. Vorachek; for directors, M. Barzen, Carl Christofferson, A. S. Sapero, H. W. Protzeller, W. A. Barnard, Dr. H. W. Froehlich, W. B. Fuller, Nels Christenson, John Bratrud and Peter Engelstad. A secretary will be appointed by the executive board following the annual meeting of the club on February 10.

SPIRITED HEARING ON DITCH MATTER

Engineers Directed to Survey Additional Outlet For County Ditch No. 38.

Following a hearing by the county commissioners on the proposed reconstruction of County Ditch No. 38, held at the Pennington county court house on Thursday, the engineers were directed to make a survey of that part of ditch 38 lying east of Erie for the purpose of finding an outlet which would carry flood waters south to the Red Lake river. The hearing followed a petition by land owners along the ditch requesting that it be enlarged from a point just north of Erie west to the Red river.

The hearing was spirited, as both those in favor of the project and the opposition were present in numbers. Spokesmen of both parties stated that ditch No. 38 was not of sufficient capacity to carry off water at flood seasons of the year. The opposition based their claims principally upon the fact that the Red Lake river reaches such a heighth at flood times as to be of no value as an outlet, and were of the opinion that any expenditure for enlarging the ditch would be of no avail until such a time as the Red Lake and Red Lake river drainage project is accomplished.

It is thought that the construction of a ditch leading south from ditch 38 from a point west of a line drawn through Erie, will relieve somewhat the present condition existing at flood times and will not over-tax the capacity of that part of the ditch leading west into the river.

The county board also conducted a hearing of bids for the re-excavation and construction of county ditches Nos. 68 and 70. All bids were rejected.

Morlan Bishop Appointed Deputy Examiner of Banks

Morlan H. Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, has been appointed deputy bank examiner for northwestern Minnesota and will take up his duties on February 1. Mr. Bishop is at present cashier of the Strathcona State bank. He will make his headquarters at Thief River Falls.

Creamery Meeting Saturday.

The Thief River Co-operative Creamery association will hold its sixteenth annual meeting at the Commercial club rooms at 2:00 o'clock on Saturday. The annual dinner will be served by the ladies of the Zion Lutheran church in the church basement at noon of the same day. A large and enthusiastic meeting is expected. Important development plans will be discussed.

Elks Will Dance Feb. 7.

Thief River Falls Elks will stage a "hard time" dance at the city auditorium on the evening of February 7. Those who will attend have been requested to appear in costume suitable to the occasion. The date, orginally set for February 11, was changed owing to the fact that Lent begins on the 9th day of the month.

SUGAR FACTORY AT THIEF RIVER IS PROBABILITY

J. H. Hay is of Opinion That City Stands Excellent Chance of Being Selected.

Past Years' Experiment Proves Beets Grown Here to be of Superior Quality.

Applications For Contracts Totalling 1500 Acres Received For Next Year.

"From a conversation with Chaska officials last week, I am convinced that within a few years several sugar beet factories will be located in Minnesota. I believe that we can land one at Thief River Falls, if the people there will enlarge their acreage for next year as suggested by the company. They would also have to understand that every acre put in ought to be made a success in order to convince the factory people that we can deliver the goods. The northern grown beets are preferred above all others on account of their sugar content."

The above is an extract of a letter received from J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture for Minnesota and former superintendent of the Thief River Falls schools, by J. J. McCann, Pennington county agent.

First Attempt Successful.

Approximately 100 acres of Pennington county land were devoted to the production of sugar beets during the past year. The entire allotment of 300 acres granted the county for 1921 by the Minnesota Sugar company sugar beet mill of Chaska, has already been taken up by land owners, and requests for acreages totalling 1500 acres have been received at the county agent's office. Many of these requests are from points in the county adjacent to Hazel, Goodridge and St. Hilaire, where loading stations have not been established. The acreage of last year was directly adjacent to Thief River Falls. It is stated that the absence of loading stations and the necessity of keeping several men at each station by the sugar company, has been given as the reason for the failure of the company to grant the larger acreage requested.

Forty business men, members of the Commercial club, last spring subscribed the sum of $2,000 for the establishment of sugar beet tracts adjacent to the city, as a means of fostering the industry. On one of these tracts the yield was 22 tons per acre. The average yield of beets per acre for all tracts planted was 14 tons, which is considered exceptional. Over 12 carloads of beets were shipped to the mill at Chaska.

High Sugar Percentage.

Confirmed reports are to the effect that the sugar content of beets raised in Pennington county was greater than in beets from any other sections of the state or the United States. The reason given for this is that the soil is rich in lime, that being one of the most important requisites in the formation of sugar.

NEW OFFICERS FOR AUTOMOBILE CLUB

F. J. Stebbins Chosen President. May Provide Camping Ground For Tourists.

At the annual meeting of the Pennington County Automobile association held in the Commercial club rooms on Thursday evening, F. J. Stebbins was elected president and L. H. Lawrence vice president. S. C. Coumbe, secretary and R. M. Sheldon, treasurer, were re-elected to their respective offices. L. H. Lawrence, W. H. Akre, S. C. Coumbe and H. W. Protzeller were appointed to act as a membership committee.

A ten-day drive is being conducted by the above named committee with the expectations of raising the present membership of 54 to well over the two hundred mark, in order to secure a fair representation at the annual convention of the Minnesota Automobile association which will be held in Minneapolis on February 8. The officers of the Pennington County association have been designated as representatives at the state convention.

The provision of suitable camping grounds for automobile tourists passing through Thief River Falls was taken up at length. Numerous locations were suggested, only to be rejected, and a committee appointed to secure the best location available for such purposes. Present plans of the association call for the erection of tables and the providing of other facilities for tourists who carry their camping equipment and who may desire to camp here for the night or a longer period.

On Eastern Buying Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken left Saturday evening for an extensive trip to the Eastern markets where Mr. Loken will make the spring purchases for the big department store. They will visit Minneapolis, Chicago, Cleveland, Buffalo, Philadelphia and New York and expect to return in about three weeks.

DISABLED MEN GIVEN CHANCE TO SECURE AID

Vocational Training Squad Will be in Thief River Falls February 1 and 2.

Aim of Bureau is to Have All Cases Cleared Up During This One Session.

Expense of Trip Paid by Government For All in District Who Attend.

W. E. Hardy, Washington representative of the Federal Board for Vocational Training, William Rochford, representing the Minneapolis contact unit, W. J. Norris, special educational advisor representing the state offices, and Dr. Frank L. Alloway, representing the district medical department, will be in Thief River Falls next Tuesday and Wednesday for the purpose of conducting a vocational training campaign for disabled ex-service men. The object of this campaign is to "clean up" all cases of compensation, vocational training, medical and dental treatment, and the like, by carrying the government agencies to the ex-service men instead of having the latter write or call at the Minneapolis office.

Bring Complete Record.

The eligibility squad will maintain headquarters in the Commercial club rooms during the two day campaign here. Service men in this district, which is composed of Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Pennington and Red Lake counties, who feel that they have a vocational handicap or disability, are urged to avail themselves of this opportunity. In order to expedite their cases, all men applying are urged to bring with them all correspondence they may have had with the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, their discharge certificates or certified copy of it, and all hospital records they may have.

Under the new regulations, any man who has a vocational handicap, who is undergoing training is allowed from $80 to $150 per month as vocational training pay, in lieu of his compensation, which ceases during training period. Men who have been granted compensation and who have no vocational handicap do not get the vocational training pay but get the vocational training free.

The coming of these representatives of the Federal Board for vocational education to Thief River Falls on Tuesday and Wednesday will, it is hoped by those concerned, reach the attention of every man who might have a claim against this department of the government and that the visit of these representatives will mean for each man the following things:

Examinations at Once.

If any man has not as yet made application for vocational education such application will be made for him on the spot. He will be immediately examined by a physician of the board and his case rated. The case will then be passed upon by a man who is with the squad and who is a representative of the Central office of the board at Washington, D. C., and if he is found by this representative to be eligible, he will be placed in training immediately if he so desires.

Any man who has made application for training but whose case has not been completed because of lack of certain papers, may have these papers completed on the spot and his case acted upon and decided. If he is found eligible for training he will be placed in training immediately if he so desires.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR TO AID ON INCOMES

G. A. Aubol Will be in Thief River Falls March 1 to 5, Inclusive.

A letter from G. A. Aubol, deputy collector of the United States Internal Revenue service, states that a deputy collector has been assigned to Pennington county for the week of February 28, for the purpose of advising and assisting taxpayers in filling their income tax returns for the year 1920. The deputy will establish headquarters at Thief River Falls.

In order to expedite the filling of income tax returns and to avoid errors, deputy collectors of the revenue service have been assigned to each county for a period of one week, more or less, according to the number of returns filed for previous years. The following towns in the Duluth division will be visited by a zone deputy on the dates designated:

Halleck, Feb. 1, 2 and 3; Warren, Feb. 4, 5, 7, and 8; East Grand Forks, Feb. 9, 10, 11 and 12; Ada, Feb. 14, 15 and 16; Mahnomen, Feb. 17, 18 and 19; Red Lake Falls, Feb. 21, 22 and 23; Roseau, Feb. 24, 25 and 26; Thief River Falls, Feb. 28, March 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5; Crookston, March 6 to 16 inclusive.

FIREMEN GET INCREASE OF 25

A resolution was passed by the city council at the regular session of Tuesday evening authorizing a 25 per cent increase in salaries paid members of the city fire department. The pay roll for the 12 members of the department for the year 1920 was $1,300. The increase granted will bring that total to $1,625 for 1921.

The adjustment of electric power rates for Thief River Falls consumers was referred to the power and light committee. It is thought that a change in the sliding schedule of power rates can be effected, whereby the larger consumers may be benefitted.

Other routine matters were taken up by the council. The meeting was adjourned to the evening of Feb. 1, at which time bids for the city depository and printing will be opened.

Should be Looked After.

A. S. Sapero, Pennington county chairman for the European Relief Council, announces that no definite plans have been formulated for the collection in Thief River Falls of clothing to be sent to the starving and destitute children of Europe. He expressed the hope that the work, which entails the collection of clothing and its shipment to Minneapolis prepaid, would be taken up by one of the civic or fraternal orders of the city.

FEBRUARY TERM OF COURT OPENS FEB. 1

Grand Jury Convenes on That Date and Petit Jury One Week Later.

The February term of court opens on Monday with the sitting of the grand jury. The petit jury has been called for February 8. The calendar contains a total of 24 civil cases, only eight of which require the sitting of the petit jury. But two of the cases are continued from the June term of 1920, at which term the calendar contained 26 cases, 17 of which were continued from the February, 1920, term. Two appeals from assessments for county ditches No. 68 and No. 70 will appear upon the docket. No hang-over criminal actions from the June term are listed. The names of jurors drawn follow:

Grand jurors: August Johnson, Norden; S. C. Coumbe, Thief River Falls; F. T. Satre, Rocksbury; Anton Peterson, Wyandotte; J. W. Anderson, Smiley; Fred Soderberg, St. Hilaire; Gilbert Bakke, Sanders; P. C. Weld, Highlanding; John Quirk, Kratka; Ole Thune, Smiley; Willis Akre, Thief River Falls; Edwin Evenson, Wyandotte; J. P. Johnson, Mayfield; Hans Anton, Sanders; Oliver Tommerdahl, Star; Christ Kruse, Jr., Polk Center; Thomas Florence, Hickory; S. E. Hunt, Rocksbury; Emil Sigerud, Reiner; O. S. Brieland, Kratka; C. T. Thompson, Cloverleaf; P. J. Keating, Thief River Falls; Forrest Hedrick, Numedal.

Petit jurors: Soren Sorenson, Norden; C. A. Anderson, Bray; C. M. Wilson, Thief River Falls; Fred DuChamp, Cloverleaf; C. J. Valsvik, Smiley; Tom Lian, Rocksbury; J. N. Haddleson, River Falls; Henry S. Bolstad, Smiley; Lewis Anseby, Norden; Ormund Landeen, Deer Park; Frank Protz, Thief River Falls; Sever Anderson, Goodridge; W. A. Bishop, Thief River Falls; C. M. Carlson, Thief River Falls; Joseph Kiel, Mayfield; George Hanson, Rocksbury; Victor Johnson, Sanders; Abe Sapero, Thief River Falls; John Sjolsvold, Norden; Selmer N. Olson, Bray; H. O. Loken, Thief River Falls; Gust Bergen, Silverton; Carl Edseth, Goodridge; Wm. Malry, Thief River Falls.

Judge Andrew Grindeland will preside during the term.

Notice to Rural Teachers.

All rural teachers holding positions in Pennington county schools are expected to enroll their school in the Junior Red Cross of the county. The fee for enrollment is 45 cents per school. Blanks will be mailed to such teachers and should be returned with the above fee to the undersigned, rural school organizer of the Junior Red Cross.

JAMES A. DAHL,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

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The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

RECLAIMING OF VAST FARMING AREA PROPOSED

Passage by House of Red Lake Basin Control Bill Assures Protection Work.

Safety Is Now Promised Region Greater Than Rhode Island in Six Northern Counties.

Expense to Be Shared by Land Owners, Government, Indians and Power Users.

(Minneapolis Journal.)

Minnesotans who have fought for more than a decade to protect their homes from repeated devastation have begun at last the final steps to reclaim an area larger than the whole state of Rhode Island from the frequent inundations of the Red Lake basin, which in a single summer have stripped $2,000,000 from the agricultural wealth of the state.

With authority to construct controlling works and to improve the Red Lake river granted by the lower house of congress, similar permission from the senate is certain within a short time, C. G. Selvig, president of the Red Lake Drainage Conservancy district, announced here last night. Final approval by the senate, he said, will mean victory in a fight that has lasted for 11 years, while settlers in portions of six northern Minnesota counties saw their crops destroyed and their homes and fields flooded at intervals of two or three years. Senate approval will mean that the conservancy district can go ahead at once to reclaim virtually 1,000,000 acres now constantly threatened by floods at the high stages of the Red Lake river and the Red lakes. Sale of bonds to finance the work already has been authorized and engineering data is almost complete.

On the strength of approval by the house of representatives last week, Mr. Selvig said engineers have been instructed to complete the final surveys necessary, with a view to beginning work immediately congress takes final action.

The project involves:

An expense of $779,000, divided among the government, the land benefited, waterpower concessions and Indian lands.

Completing drainage projects, in which $3,000,000 already has been sunk without providing sufficient outlet to flood waters.

Dredging Red Lake river and building a dam and jetties at the outlet of Red lake.

Saving nearly 1,000,000 acres from threatened inundation at two or three year intervals.

Preventing repeated losses of $2,000,000 to $4,000,000 in recurrent floods.

Forestalling a threatened exodus of population from parts of the counties affected, which Mr. Selvig asserts is inevitable unless the constant danger of floods is eliminated.

The Red lake drainage basin includes practically all of Red Lake and Pennington counties, half of Clearwater county, half of Marshall and Polk counties, a third of Beltrami and a small part of Koochiching. The combined population of those counties is 125,055, according to the 1920 federal census.

For years settlers in the lower lands of the basin have faced the constant peril of rising waters, in a region where the rivers run within an inch or two of the level of the land and where, at high water, the currents break out of the channels and wander across miles of farming country, until one stream mingles at a dozen points with another whose normal channel is miles away.

Their fight has been waged while the rest of the state was scarcely aware that within its borders were citizens menaced by conditions popularly regarded as peculiar to Holland or the lower reaches of the Mississippi.

Ditch Systems Inadequate.

Huge systems of ditches, costing $3,000,000, wind back and forth across the basin for more than 2,000 miles. But they have failed to meet the needs of the region, because the river channel is too small to carry away the water drained down from the uplands, E. V. Willard, state drainage commissioner, said recently. The Red Lake river is even too small to discharge the water that normally flows into it, without overflowing onto meadows and farms along its course, he added.

The flood in July, 1919, caused loss of at least $2,000,000 by destruction of farm crops alone, Mr. Selvig said, and floods in the preceding 10 years periodically caused damage of several hundred thousand dollars. Scores of residents were driven from their farms, with the water rising above the first story windows; cattle and even hay stacks were floated out of the inundated region on rafters to escape total loss.

"During the flood of 1919," Mr. Willard continued, "I went 40 miles in a motorboat over flooded fields after losing the course of the Roseau river. I ended up in the back dooryard of a farmhouse two miles form the normal channel of the stream. In the late fall, the flooded fields were still too wet to permit the farmers to get on them to plow. Conditions were identical in the Red Lake river basin.

"Judging by the last 10 years, there is grave danger of a flood every two or three years. Floods may even come twice in a single season."

"Ever since I went to Crookston, 11 years ago," said Mr. Selvig, who also is president of the Northwest School of Agriculture there, "I have been getting letters from settlers in the basin pleading for help. People went in there in dry years in good faith. Some of them have lost everything. In 1919, there was practically total crop failure in the Clearwater and Red Lake river basins. That represents an actual cash loss to the state of $2,000,000, besides a tremendous property damage. No one can tell when the thing will occur again."

The entire drainage basin comprises about 5,500 square miles, he added, although not more than one-third of that area is directly affected by the floods. It includes the Red Lake, Thief, Tamarack and Clearwater rivers.

Under the Cliff flood control act, chapter 13 of the special session laws of 1919, the region was organized into the Red Lake Drainage Conservancy district. With final approval granted by congress, the first step in the final stage of the work will be completion of engineers' data and plans, already under way. Then will come a hearing before district court at Thief River Falls for judicial approval of the project, regarded as certain by the entire district, according to Mr. Selvig; next will be the levying of assessments on lands affected, the sale of bonds to be repaid by the residents in 20 years, and letting of contracts for the work.

Under terms of the enabling act approved by the lower house, the expense will be divided as follows: Waterpower, $240,000; Indian lands, $236,000; lands outside the Red Lake Indian reservation, $248,000; municipal waterpowers, $39,000; federal government allotment for development of navigation, $15,000. The act provides that no assessment shall be more than $2.50 an acre. The benefits to be derived make the cost insignificant by comparison, Mr. Selvig asserted.

Work of Securing Farm Bureau Members Goes On

R. J. McKercher of St. Hilaire, who has added over 100 new names to the membership rolls of the Pennington County Farm bureau since the membership drive for that organization was discontinued on December 22 because of weather conditions, again took up his house to house tour of the county on Monday. He will confine his soliciting efforts for the present to Numedal and Norden townships which have not as yet been visited.

B. O. Norby, superintendent of the Goodridge school, will also aid in the enrollment of members in his available time. His field of action will be the eastern sections of the county.

J. J. McCann, county agent, states that the drive will be conducted by individuals or by the state membership squads until every farmer in Pennington county has either enlisted as a member of the bureau or refused to enlist, which means that a personal call by a solicitor will be made at every farm in the county.

Assist Former Soldiers.

Minnesota Legion posts will assist ex-service men of their state to obtain their quota of the 4,800 lost Liberty bonds and 6,600 unclaimed discharge certificates filed away in Washington, D. C. Alphabetical lists of owners have been "issued" to each post by Legion state headquarters.

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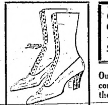

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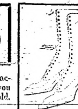

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Reconstruction Price	12½c
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Hope 36 in. bleached Muslin	15c
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Pepperell 42 in. Pillow Tubing	34c
9-4-81 in. Pepperell bleached Sheeting	42c
9-4-81 in. Pepperell unbleached Sheeting	39c
9-4-81 in. Pequot bleached Sheeting	58c
9-4-81 in. Pequot unbleached Sheeting	55c
36 inch bleached Muslin	13c
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Reconstruction Prices	

DRAPERIES AND CRETONES	
36 in. National scrim	23c
36 in. Marquisette at	49
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TOWELS AND TOWELING	
15 in. Union Linen Crash Toweling	18c
15 inch heavy Huck Toweling	18c
34x16 heavy Turkish Towels	19c
30x15 good weight Turkish Towels	10c
36x18 Red Border Huck Towels	19c
Reconstruction Prices	
FLANNEL GOWNS AND OUTINGS	
Ladies' heavy flannel outing Gowns	98c
Ladies' extra heavy outing Gowns	$1.49
Dr. Denton's sleeping Garments	$1.39, $1.25, 98c
Children's outing gowns Asstd. sizes	69c
Reconstruction Prices	
Orchid 4 oz. skein Knitting Yarn	65c
Germantown Zephre Yarn	19c
Reconstruction Prices	
CHILDREN'S COTTON HOSE	
Reconstruction Price	19c
BOYS' HEAVY COTTON HOSE	
Reconstruction Price	29c
LADIES' GOOD QUALITY LISLE HOSE	
Reconstruction Price	19c
LADIES' FLEECED LINED UNION SUITS	
No sleeves. Reconstruction price	$1.25

INFANT'S WOOL WRAPPERS	
Reconstruction Price	89c
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Reconstruction Price	6c
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Reconstruction Price	6c
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White and colors. Reconstruction price	11c
MERITAS TABLE OILCLOTH	
Reconstruction Price	39c
72x84 FLUFFY SILK FINISH COMFORTERS	
Reconstruction Price	$3.98
EXCELLENT QUALITY FEATHER PILLOWS	
Reconstruction Price	$1.49
NEW SPRING DRESSES	
Wool, Silk and Tricolettes, Reconstruction Price	$29.75 TO $9.90
LADIES' CLOTH COATS	
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Infant's Kid Moccasins, Reconstruction Price	95c
Infant's first step Shoes, Reconstruction Prices	$1.69 TO $1.25
Infant's Novelty Shoes, colored tops. Reconstruction Price	$2.75 TO $1.85
Children's Shoes, black and brown. Reconstruction Prices	$3.49 TO $1.98
Misses' Shoes, black and browns. Reconstruction Price	$3.49 TO $2.25
Boys' Dress and School Shoes, black and brown. Reconstruction Price	$4.98 TO $2.25
Ladies' New Spring Oxfords, high or military heel. Reconstruction Price	$5.90 TO $2.98
Ladies' Dress Shoes, black and brown. Reconstruction Price	$8.90 TO $2.98
Ladies' Comfort Shoes and Slippers. Reconstruction Price	$5.90 TO $2.49
Men's Dress Shoes, new and staple styles. Reconstruction Price	$8.90 TO $2.98
Men's Work Shoes. Reconstruction Price	$5.90 TO $2.98
Men's heavy 4-buckle Overshoes, red soles. Reconstruction Price	$3.50
Men's and Boys' 10-in. leather top Rubbers. Reconstruction Price	$3.25 TO $2.25
Ladies' light Rubbers. Reconstruction Price	75c
Men's light Rubbers. Reconstruction Price	98c
Boys' Rubbers. Reconstruction Price	98c and 89c
Children's Rubbers. Reconstruction Price	69c and 58c
Moose Hide Moccasins. Reconstruction Price	$2.69 TO $2.39

MEN'S PAY-DAY OVERALLS AND JACKETS	
Reconstruction Price	$1.39
BOYS' OVERALLS	
Ages 3 to 17. Reconstruction Prices	$1.39, $1.19, 98c
CHILDREN'S PLAY SUITS	
Khaki or blue, ages 2 to 8. Reconstruction Price	73c
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THE PROPER PLACE FOR IT.

A beet sugar factory for Thief River Falls.

Why not?

Michigan already has 13 beet sugar factories, Wisconsin five, and Minnesota, where the soil is particularly adapted to the growth of the beet, but one. It is a recognized fact that the next few years will see the erection of other mills in widely separated localities within the state. The one mill is located at Chaska.

What has the beet sugar factory done for Chaska?

It has put Chaska on the map—and that is perhaps one of the greater benefits as far as Chaska is concerned. It has made the little city the center of a great industry, which necessitates the successful growth of the sugar beet on approximately 70,000 acres of soil. The Minnesota Sugar company furnishes employment for upwards of 300 persons.

Who else wants the sugar feet factory in this part of the state?

It is a known fact that Bemidji and Crookston want the plant—and want it bad. Crookston has talked "raising the beet" and has quietly gone about fostering the planting of large acreages. Bemidji has talked—and is talking—"site", paying little attention to putting in a crop. Chaska was decided upon as a location for the one plant at present in operation, partly because a factory site was offered for comparatively nothing. It is stated that the Commercial club of Bemidji is getting behind the proposition with every ounce of available strength and that a certain kind of lobbying is being done at Chaska.

Why is Thief River the proper location for a beet sugar factory?

Unlimited railroad facilities, the proper location for a mill to be erected somewhere in the northwestern part of the state, and unlimited lands adjacent to the city which are capable of producing a sugar beet richer in sugar than can be grown in other localities in the state, as has been shown by extensive experiments conducted here the past season.

WHERE CREDIT BELONGS.

The article taken from the Minneapolis Journal and appearing in another part of The Times today, gives a good idea of the purposes of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission and suggests something as regards the scope of the undertaking. In one respect this excellent article is remiss, however. It fails to give credit to the men whose work has to a large extent brought the project to its present state of near-accomplishment.

First and foremost among these must be mentioned Congressman Steenerson. For twenty years he has consistently and continuously maintained that some such plan as that now under way would eventually have to be adopted if the thousands of acres of fine agricultural lands in the Red Lake drainage basin were to be reclaimed. He secured a survey of both the reservation and the river by the government, finally managed the passage of the bill placing the entire project in the hands of the conservancy commission. This has not been done without strong opposition on the part of congressmen from other sections and the successful outcome of his labors testifies to the high regard in which he is held in Washington. The bill authorizing the improvement of the river within the reservation was passed unanimously, but only after Uncle Joe Cannon of Illinois, Congressman Humphreys of Washington, and others, gave it their unqualified backing. Congressman Knutson of the Sixth district also did valiant service on behalf of the measure and shares with Mr. Steenerson the credit for its passage.

The matter is now largely up to the commission and there is no question but that it will be carried forward without delay to a successful conclusion. This will mean the most important step for the development of this section that has ever been taken.

OPINION DIVIDED.

While to the people of this section it looks like a mistake to turn the building of our hard surfaced highways over to a commission—paid or otherwise—there are those who do not agree with this view. A St. Paul bank last week took the trouble to send out questionnaries on the subject and the answers received would indicate that there is a decided division of opinion exists. All are agreed, however, that whether or not a commission is given some sort of supervisory control, Mr. Babcock should be placed in charge of the actual work. The correspondents of the bank referred to made this stipulation almost without exception.

Preferences are by no means sectional. Among the counties urging that one man shall be placed in charge of the work are Freeborn, Lyon, Winona, Martin, Nicollet, Red Lake and Stearns, while those who favor a commission with Mr. Babcock at its head are Wadena, Brown, Clearwater, St. Louis, Traverse and Kittson. In Beltrami county opinion seems to be about equally divided.

Pennington county could without doubt be added to the communities preferring that the highway commissioner be given full charge. Divided authority seldom proves a satisfactory expedient, the failure to function properly being particularly noticeable where the commissioners serve without pay. But even a paid board would be more or less of a failure in this case. It would be absolutely impossible to prevent cathauling and bickering, no matter how conscientious and capable the men composing the body. It is hardly to be expected that things will go forward without a hitch in any event, but dividing final authority among the members of a commission is the surest way of having a whole lot more trouble than is necessary.

Let Babcock do it. He knows what is wanted and how it is to be accomplished. The legislature can throw all the safeguards considered necessary around the proceedings, but it is to be hoped that a commission, all the members of which have equal powers, will not be a part of the plan finally adopted.

FOR A CHEESE FACTORY.

Unless every indication proves unreliable, Thief River Falls will add a cheese fatcory to its industries before another year has passed. Energetic business men and farmers are back of the movement to establish such an enterprise here and the preliminary steps have already been taken.

While the product of the factory would add greatly to the fixed income of the city, the most important advantage connected with its establishment would be he increased market for milk and cream. It is estimated that $500,000 worth of these products pass through Thief River Falls for points further south every year and it is in the hope of checking this stream right here that the cheese factory is proposed. The Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery, it is true, gets a large share of the supplies produced in the neighboring territory, but the capacity of the plant has about been reached and there seems to be a lack of enthusiasm among the stockholders when enlargements are suggested. At any rate a proposition to improve and extend the creamery was voted down at last year's annual meeting. For this reason the creamery people can hardly regard the location of a cheese factory here as providing increased competition for the products used. In fact, the matter might be so arranged that the creamery would be greatly benefitted by the addition.

Anyway it looks as if the project should have the backing of every citizen of Thief River Falls. It is a move in the right direction—the creating of a greater demand for milk and cream.

EFFERVESCENCE.

Oolai continues to assert himself: He figures that since several of the largest and best known shirt concerns have made a cut of fifty per cent, he'll have to buy a size 28 shirt to fit his 14 size neck.

A bill has been introduced in the senate to prohibit smoking in all government buildings in Washington, and another which would make it a criminal offense to require a female employe to lift a weight greater than 25 pounds. The authors of these two bills are certainly entitled to the tissue paper and hand-crocheted medals, respectively.

Someone went to work and compiled statistics to show that the average college miss of today is an inch taller than the college miss of 1860; and that the modern girl is about seven pounds heavier. Apparently the weaker sex will soon be the stronger.

Ninety-seven per cent of Americans die without making a will. About 96 per cent have little reason for worrying about it before their demise and none of them after.

A seat in the New York stock exchange recently sold for $90,000. A seat at the movie show will still do for most of us.

"The Pennsylvania State college will inaugurate a course in cooking for men, beginning with the second semester." Now, just how many are eligible under those restrictions?

A Nevada man, while excavating for a gas tank in his garage, uncovered a ledge of gold quartz. If it had been a couple of cold quarts every garage in the country would be undergoing alterations.

"Edsel Ford Has His Appendix Removed," says a headline. "Ford undergoes elimination of superfluous parts," as it were.

"Whiskey Case Given to Jury." Rearrange that to suit your own taste.

A fashion note states that lingerie is to be gauzier and scantier than ever. Some of the movie stars are going to have difficulty in keeping in style.

We once did hitch our wagon to a star; but the darned thing registered too much speed and the traces broke.

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SEATS ON EXCHANGES WOULD HELP FARMER BUT LITTLE, IS VIEW

Senator O. A. Naplin, in Letter to The Times, Warns Against Expecting Much From Program Presented to Legislature.

One of the matters coming up for action in the Minnesota legislature is of particular interest to the farmers of the state. This is the proposition that cooperative marketing associations shall be allowed to hold seats on grain exchanges, and the subject has received a great deal of attention, being used as a campaign argument last fall and constantly kept before the people since that time. Senator O. A. Naplin of this city, is not particularly enthusiastic over the project, as will be seen by the following communication, received this week:

"Editor of The Times: The daily newspapers are supplying you with a pretty complete report of what the legislature is doing and there is little to be added. Still the reporters who swarm our legislative halls are mostly working for the boss and report happenings rather than results. The editor may also prune down their reports to suit his viewpoint which greatly reduces the value of the news.

"Cooperation was the slogan of the machine last fall during the campaign and no doubt many well meaning voters were misled by the smooth talk of the politicians. I want to say that all those who believed that the men who so earnestly advocated cooperation last fall would try to enact laws to aid in the cooperative marketing of farm products will get what they always got. Undoubtedly there are some members affiliated with the machine who would like to do something, but the leaders are concerned in fulfilling election pledges only. The cooperative law passed by the 1919 session is to be amended so as to permit local cooperative concerns to hold stock in a central cooperative selling concern. This central concern can then buy a seat on the chamber of commerce, and the marketing of the farmers' grain is solved.

"Sounds nice and may fulfill the Republican campaign promise (as campaign promises have always been fulfilled) and fool the fool voters another two years, but absolutely useless as far as giving any relief to the farmers. This concern would have to do business according to the rules laid down by the chamber of commerce, and would but add another commission firm to the many already existing. If it failed to live up to the rules of the game, as prescribed by the chamber of commerce, it would be kicked out—and there is no appeal. Its stock would be worthless and the money invested lost. If it lives up to the rules of the chamber of commerce, what good can it do the farmers?

"I would earnestly advise farmers and officers of cooperative concerns to think twice before they jump at this, because there is nothing to be gained and a nine to one chance that you lose the money invested. It does not take a genius to see that this is simply an attempt to fulfill a campaign promise and not hurt the one who furnished funds to run the same."

Stock Shippers' Annual Meeting Here Saturday

A meeting of the Livestock Shippers' association will be held in the farm bureau office in the auditorium on Saturday at 10:30 a. m. A report on the work of the association for the past year will be read by the manager and any new business pertaining to the welfare of the organization for the coming year will be discussed.

The Shippers' association has about 300 members and a large attendance is expected on Saturday owing to the fact that the annual meeting of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association will be held on the afternoon of the same day.

Notice.

Annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association will be held at the Commercial club rooms Saturday January 29th at 2 o'clock p. m. Dinner will be served in the Zion church.

P. ENGELSTAD,
Sec'y.

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ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

League of Women Voters; What It is and What It Expects to Accomplish

(Contributed.)

The National League of Women Voters is a national organization of women who wish not merely to vote, but to vote intelligently. They wish to know both sides of every political question, therefore the League is strictly unpartisan. It is pan-partisan, all-partisan. A woman can be a member of it and yet be a member of any political party she may choose, exactly as she may be a member of it and any church she may choose.

Any woman interested in seeing her vote count for the public good may be a member. It is not a woman's party or separate political party. Its members are simply pledged to foster a program of education in citizenship and to support improved legislation.

The League has to accomplish its educational work by study classes, by schools of instruction in political education, by educational leaflets, movies, plays, etc.

The legislative work will be accomplished by getting behind needed reforms and by the direct influence of its members who are enrolled voters in the already existing political parties, and by bringing pressure to bear upon our legislatures for good social legislation.

Why was the League of Women Voters organized?

Because women see definite things which are needed in our social structure; because women are more vitally interested in certain reforms than men—child welfare, protection of women in industry, better school laws, pure food laws, etc. Anything pertaining to the home means more to women than it ever can to men.

The League was organized because by organization certain great purposes and ideals of women can be accomplished which individual women or individual groups cannot bring about.

Can women accomplish these things alone?

No; men and women will have to work together. The League of Women Voters makes its call to intelligent, forward-looking men as well as women. Its program is so patriotic, so sound, so obviously needed; its motives so impersonal and unselfish; it aims so certain for the benefit and good of mankind, that its success is assured.

The League in Minnesota.

A year ago Minnesota had no organization and in most parts of the state the movement was practically unknown. Today it has chairmen in every congressional district, active chairmen in almost every county in the state and a membership of at least 14,000.

In Pennington county the League has so far worked only through already existing organizations but plans are under way to make it an active, independent organization this coming year. The first annual meeting will be held at the Hotel Brumund next Tuesday evening, Feb. 1, at 8 o'clock. Election of officers will be held, committees appointed and plans for the year's work will be outlined. All women voters are urged to attend.

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Benson Dry Goods Stock Placed on Bargain Counter

In another part of The Times will be found an announcement calling attention to the fire sale now going on at the M. N. Benson dry goods store. This establishment was visited by a small blaze a short time ago, and while most of the stock remained uninjured, a part was naturally smoked up and soiled. Mr. Benson does not want an article remaining in the store when the spring goods arrive and has therefore put a price on his wares that should move them out at once. The line is very complete and the occasion presents an excellent opportunity for the ladies of the neighborhood to secure their piece goods, notions, ready-to-wear, and in fact everything carried in a first-class store of this kind at greatly reduced prices. A careful reading of the advertisement will be found worth while.

Notice to Ice Users.

We are now in a position to handle orders for ice from outside towns and urge all users to secure their supply at once. Special low rates on ice shipped before April 1. Write for special low prices.

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Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's drug store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, and at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm.—adv.

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Are You Observing Thrift Week?

This week is designated as National Thrift Week. It is observed to promote thrift among the people of this country.

Thrift is not merely a national matter. It is an individual matter—for each of us to think about and act upon.

Don't let Thrift Week pass without doing something to help your financial progress. Start a savings account, or if you already have one, add to it with a substantial deposit. We anticipate seeing you Thrift Week—surely.

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Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

A Statement

We have now completed an inventory of our entire stock of merchandise and have re-marked every article at the present low wholesale prices now being quoted for the coming Spring. Our stock is now being re-priced to conform to these new wholesale prices, regardless of the original cost.

We have always had a reputation for quality merchandise, sold at a fair price, and we know the prices now quoted are right. We have delayed Spring purchases waiting for present low prices. We do not feel that there will be further marked reductions and are now completing our line for Spring. If you, too, have delayed purchases we feel that you may now do your Spring shopping with reasonable assurance that prices are stabilized and will remain on the present basis all spring.

These new goods are now beginning to arrive, with more added each day. We cordially invite you to inspect them, feeling that you will be well pleased with the quality and satisfied that prices are really reduced.

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City News

J. M. Swan of Holt was a business caller here on Monday.

Fred Ristau of Mavie, visited with friends here the first of the week.

E. P. Modin of Middle River transacted business in this city on Friday.

Fred Hoyez of Warroad, was a week-end guest of friends in this city.

K. O. Gigstad of St. Hilaire was in the city on Tuesday transacting business.

[illegible] Gunstad of St. Hilaire visited friends here on Tuesday between [illegible]

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[illegible] Mrs. T. A. Fosse of Climax [illegible] spending the week visiting with [illegible]ves here.

[illegible]s. L. Syverson arrived here on [illegible]day to attend the funeral of her father, O. Dokken.

G. Anderson of Swift, called on friends here Friday enroute to Minneapolis on business.

G. O. Elg of Gary is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. O. Gullingsrud in this city.

Miss Mae Olson, who attends school in this city, spent the week end with her parents at St. Hilaire.

Peter Adrion of Drayton, N. D., was the guest of friends between trains here on Thursday.

Mrs. A. A. Lindstrom arrived here Thursday from Gully to spend a short period as the guest of friends.

Art Lindberg came down from his home at Warren Thursday and spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. H. Aga left Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire where she spent a few days as the guest of her parents.

Chas. Kankel of Red Lake Falls was in the city on Monday and Tuesday attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Stensrud left Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Albert Myrbo of Viking was in the city on Friday visiting friends and also attending to business matters.

Big dance at the auditorium Friday night following the Bemidji basket ball game. Snyder's orchestra.

Dr. O. F. Mellby returned Friday morning from the twin cities where he had spent a few days on business.

Harvey Lund returned to his home at Oklee yesterday, after spending a couple of days here visiting friends.

K. Thorvilson returned to his home at Plummer yesterday after attending to business matters here since Monday.

Joe Becker and Frank Protz left on Thursday afternoon for Crookston to attend a stockholders meeting at that place.

Miss Esther Fricker arrived here Saturday morning from her home at St. Hilaire to spend the day visiting friends.

Mrs. T. Anderson, who visited relatives here for a few days, left Friday afternoon for her home at St. Hilaire.

Miss Marie Thill returned Monday morning from Red Lake Falls, where she spent a few days vidsiting with relatives.

Mrs. O. G. Storholm, who spent a few days visiting with friends at Crookston, returned to her home here on Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire, shopped in this city on Friday. She returned to her home on the afternoon train.

Miss Lillian Lundquist of Roseau, who had spent a week as the guest of Miss Ethel Piehl here, returned to her home on Friday.

Miss Gladys Paulson of Gully, visited with friends here the latter part of last week. She returned to her home on Saturday.

H. D. Dokken of Ekman, N. D., arrived the first of the week to attend the funeral services of his brother, O. Dokken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gage left Friday evening for an indefinite visit with friends and relatives at Boston, New York and Montreal.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left Friday morning for Middle River where he made a clerical call. He returned Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C. Holder returned to her home at Roseau on Tuesday morning, having spent a brief period here as the guest of friends.

Miss Aiele Haugen returned to her home at Middle River Monday morning after spending the week-end here as the guest of friends.

Miss Ama Langbe of Newfolden, arrived here the latter part of last week to spend a few days visiting with numerous friends.

Mrs. Leora Hoialmen returned to her home at Fosston on Tuesday, after attending the funeral services of her father, O. Dokken.

Mrs. Mike Novotsky returned to her home at Badger on Friday morning after having been confined at the local hospital for a short time.

County Commissioner O. J. Peterson of Hazel, arrived here Thursday evening and spent a few days attending to matters of business.

Mrs. R. Thuse and baby returned to their home at Gatzke on Friday morning after visiting with her sister, Mrs. N. J. Fontaine, for a day.

Miss Adeline Christenson of Greenbush, shopped in this city the latter part of last week. She returned to her home on Monday morning.

Wesley Pierson left Wednesday for St. Hilaire to visit for a week at the home of his parents.

Miss Elizabeth Harder was a shopper here yesterday. She returned to her home at St. Hilaire in the afternoon.

Miss Nettie Dorsheim of Holt spent Monday as the guest of friends here. She returned to her home on Tuesday morning.

Ray Johnson returned Saturday evening from Warren where he had his tonsils removed at the hospital at that place.

Instructions in shade making in the art department of Loken's store. Lessons free. For particulars inquire of Mrs. Ila Reynolds. J27

Miss Grace Sanderson of Strandquist visited with friends here the first of the week. She returned to her home yesterday.

A. O. Brevik of St. Hilaire was in the city yesterday attending to business connected with the Red Lake drainage commission.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown left yesterday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit until Saturday at the home of her aunt, Miss Josephine Branum.

Mr. and Mrs. ~~Art~~ Hallen of Grand Forks spent the first of the week visiting at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Chris. Storholm.

Jonetta Lee arrived here Monday evening from her home at Fairdale, where she visited at the home of her parents for a few weeks.

Miss Edith Dahl of St. Hilaire returned to her home Monday afternoon, having made a brief visit with her cousin, Miss Carrie Holden.

Mrs. Godfrey Carlson returned on Tuesday afternoon from Greenbush at which place she spent a week visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Frank Tibbles returned to her home at Grand Forks on Tuesday afternoon, having spent a few days at the Chris. Storholm home here.

Geo. A. Rice, formerly of this city, but now located at Fargo, N. D., visited with friends here Thursday enroute to Badger to visit his parents.

Miss Hazel Wallin arrived here on Tuesday afternoon from her home at St. Hilaire to spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. Henry Ebbighausen.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie, visited at the home of the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, and with friends here on Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Boughton of Red Lake Falls shopped between trains here on Thursday. While here she also visited with her brothers, Phil and Emil Zeh.

Miss Mathilda Lilien and brother, Julius, returned to their home near Steiner on Monday morning, having spent Sunday visiting with relatives here.

David Johnson, Marshall county superintendent of schools, was a business caller in this city yesterday, enroute to Middle River on matters of business.

Miss Phyllis Dock left Friday afternoon for Greenbush where she visited over Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. VanHolm. She returned on Monday afternoon.

Miss Olga Kjos arrived here Thursday evening from Warren, where she visited friends for a few days, leaving the following morning for her home at Greenbush.

Miss Josephine Branum returned to her home at St. Hilaire Tuesday afternoon after a brief visit with her niece, Mrs. Ferdie Brown and also attending to shopping.

Robt. Coutts of Fargo, spent Thursday and Friday in this city attending to matters of business. He left on Saturday morning for Warroad and International Falls.

The Willing Workers society of the Swedish Lutheran church, will be entertained by the Ed. Crown family at their home, 426 Red Lake Blvd., on Wednesday evening, Feb. 2.

Carl Carlson returned Saturday evening from Warren where he went to accompany his wife to her home. Mrs. Carlson underwent an operation at the Warren hospital recently.

George Wold came down from Goodridge on Monday to meet his sisters, Misses Dena and Laura, who returned from Montana where they had been engaged in teaching school.

Edward Kelley returned to this city on Monday morning from Fargo where he had spent a week visiting with his sister, Miss Lauretta Kelley, who attends school at that place.

Misses Laura and Dena Wold returned Tuesday morning from Great Falls, Mont., near which place they had been engaged in teaching school and will spend an indefinite period visiting with their folks who reside near Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Zavoral returned on Saturday evening from Warren where they spent the day visiting the latter's brother, who is a patient at the hospital.

Mrs. Gunder Peterson returned to her home at Greenbush on Tuesday morning, after a week's visit at the home of Mrs. B. J. Falk and Mrs. Ed. Larson.

Mrs. C. A. Onsgaard and Mrs. H. N. Gjerting returned to their homes at Halstad yesterday after attending the funeral services of their brother, O. Dokken.

Ray Kiland and Gordon LaBree left his city Tuesday morning for Greenbush, where they played in a game of basketball between this city and Holt, supporting the latter team. They returned to their homes here yesterday afternoon.

Big dance at the auditorium Friday night following the Bemidji basket ball game. Snyder's orchestra

Miss Bertha Sorum returned to her home at Holt Tuesday morning after having spent a period of six weeks visiting with numerous friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Edward Bennet of Menominie Wis., arrived the latter part of last week to spend a week or ten days as the guest of Mrs. G. Howard Smith. Mrs. Bennet formerly resided in this city.

Miss Olga Wold, who is engaged in teaching school at Lancaster, visited with friends here between trains on Friday enroute to her home at Roseau, where she will enjoy a week's vacation.

Mrs. Olaf Sorum, who had spent a few days here visiting her mother, Mrs. Elsie Davidson, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson, returned to her home at Hillsboro, N. D., on Thursday afternoon.

[illegible] Carlin returned on Monday evening from her home at [illegible], where she spent the week end visiting with her parents. Miss Carlin attends school in this city.

A splendid opportunity to learn shade making free of charge is presented for the next three weeks at Loken's store. Read announcement in their page advertisement in this issue. J27

Miss Esther Fricker of St. Hilaire left this city Saturday afternoon for Grygla to resume her duties as teacher, after a month's vacation spent in visiting with her parents at the former place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Furstnau, accompanied by their daughters, Misses Louise and Ruth, returned yesterday from Crookston where they had been in attendance at the trial of Mrs. Martha Pearson.

Mrs. Orrie Shoberg arrived here on Tuesday afternoon from her home at Middle River to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg. Mrs. Shoberg was formerly Miss Clarice Finberg.

Mrs. S. Hagen, who had been a patient at the Warren hospital for three weeks returned to her home at Greenbush on Tuesday morning. Enroute to her home she was the guest of her friends here.

Charles Vorachek returned from the twin cities on Tuesday morning after an absence of ten days spent in attendance at the Bankers' Short Course conducted by the State University extension division.

George Christo of the Minnesota Candy Kitchen, accompanied by his daughters, Ticha, Helen and Evelyn, left for Minneapolis Friday night for the purpose of attending the wedding of a relative. They returned Monday night.

Mrs. Helen Montgomery, operator at the Great Northern depot, who had spent the past month visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Murphy at Crookston, was the guest of friends here between trains on Saturday. She left Crookston on Monday for the twin cities where she will remain for a week when she will return to this city to resume her duties.

Free lessons in shade making will be given by Mrs. Ila Reynolds in the art department of Loken's store on Tuesdays and Saturdays for three weeks. Anyone desiring to take this course should be on hand for the first lesson on Saturday afternoon. Lessons in charge of Mrs. Ila Reynolds. J27

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NEW ELECTRICAL SHOP

Having decided to open an Electrical Shop in this city, I will be prepared to handle all kinds of new work in that line, as well as repairing of every description.

Prices Will be Right and Work Guaranteed

Will be located at 213 East Second street, one door east of postoffice, where I may be found after Feb. 1. Be sure and see me and get my prices on all work you may have in this line.

I hope to receive a part of your business, which will always have my most prompt and careful attention.

CLYDE G. NASON

Nature's Remedy
NR-TABLETS-NR
Better Than Pills For Liver Ills Get a 25c Box
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

The Biggest, Broadest, Most Legitimate Sale of Dry Goods Ever Inaugurated in the City of Thief River Falls is Now Going On.

FIRE, SMOKE AND WATER SALE

AT BENSON'S DRY GOODS STORE

Women's fine thread silk hose, strictly first quality, lisle top, black, white cordovan; this sale $1.98

Women's mercerized hose with ribbed top, big $1.00 value, this sale 69c

$6.00 Georgette blouses in light or dark shades, trimmed with beading or embroidery, extra special $3.98

Black and colored Taffetas, greatly in favor for spring wear; we offer the well known makes, a $4.50 value, at per yard $2.98

36 in. Satin Messaline in assorted colors, a nice heavy lustrous quality, special at $2.89

Wash Satin, a very good quality in white and flesh only, special price $2.89

36 in. washable Jap silk, in assorted colors, special price $1.79

Two weeks ago our store suffered slight damage by fire, thus causing some of our high grade merchandise to become slightly mussed and soiled from rough handling, while some of the stock was damaged by water. We are putting our entire stock on sale at Drastic Reductions

Space does not permit us to itemize the tremendous values that await you at this big fire sale; don't let anything keep you from coming to this sale. Be here good and early if you want to share in one of the biggest bargain festivals you have ever attended. Saturday will be a big bargain day. The greatest opportunity of the year to secure standard merchandise at unheard of reductions.

Our entire stock of Parisian corsets, $2.75 to $5 values, this sale out they go at $1.89 TO $3.69

A very fine line of ladies' cotton and linen Handkerchiefs, the very choicest materials, very good values 7c TO 39c

Our full line of Sunlight yarns the very best made, in all colors, values 50c, 75c and $1.00 a ball, this sale 35c, 55 75c

Our full line of bedspreads, of very good quality, large sizes in plain or cut corners $2.98 TO $5.48

A very good assortment of Comforters, cotton filled, figured silkoline coverings with allover stitching, radically reduced $3.98 AND UP

Outing flannels in stripes, plaids and plain, a good quality 17c

Turkish bath towels in plain and fancy, formerly priced at 35c to $1.25, sale price 19c TO 69c

Women's Heather wool hose, best quality, in brown only, formerly $2.75; now $1.98

Women's and Children's hose in the Black Cat quality, all sizes, a real bargain at 29c AND UP

$7.50 dark colored silk and satin waists in plaid, black and blue, extra special $4.98

40 in. Crepe de Chene, an excellent weight for waists and dresses, assorted colors, special price $2.98

40 in. Georgette Crepe, in assorted colors; very best quality, specially priced at $2.39

36 in. silk Poplin in black, navy and pink, extra special at $1.29

36 in. plain and fancy Sateens for lining and bloomers, etc. A very good quality, sale price at $1.19

This Sale Opens Wednesday, Jan. 26th, at 9:00 A. M.

$7.50 Athena Union Suits, silk and wool, Special $5.48

$6.00 fine Merino Athena Union Suits, in all sizes, special $3.98

$5.00 Athena Union Suits, mixed wool and cotton, regular sizes $3.98

$3.50 Vellastic heavy fleeced, regular sizes $2.69

Also cheaper dress goods in different colors and prices to suit everybody and anybody

48 in. all wool storm serge, in navy, maroon, gray and brown, made by America's foremost manufacturers $2.98

48 in. French serge in very latest colors, beautiful material for dresses, etc. $3.79

$2.50 Union Suits, medium weight, fleeced $1.89

Children's Union Suits and two-piece Underwear at great reductions.

Take advantage of this sale. The biggest event in the history of Thief River Falls

M. N. Benson
Successor to John Aos

Bargains galore await the thrifty shopper. Hurry and share in these bargains

Fancy White Voiles an exceptional bargain at 39c

January White Sale

Fancy White Voiles an exceptional bargain at 79c

THESE sales are an important annual event at the Loken Store and present a bargain opportunity to which the careful buyer looks forward with a great deal of interest. The goods offered are strictly highclass in every respect and are so priced that the stock is quickl disposed of. A glance over the offerings, only a few of which are listed below, will prove th the price-cut has been general and embraces practically everything in the White Goods lin either made up or in the bolt, contained in the store. Do not overlook this chance to secur the best to be found in this line at prices no other merchants in this section are able to duplicate

FREE Instruction!

Beginning on Saturday, Jan. 29, and continuing every Tuesday and Saturday afternoon thereafter for three weeks, free instructions in Shade Making will be given in the Art Department of the Loken Store. Mrs. Ila Reynolds will have charge of the classes, which are open to anyone wishing to take advantage of this offer. No instruction charge is made provided the materials used are purchased at this store. We have on hand a large supply of frames and a full and complete stock of all needed materials, such as silks and braids.

Be on hand for the first lesson on Saturday afternoon and every Tuesday and Saturday thereafter until the course closes, which will positively be at the end of three weeks.

Wash Waists

In our Ready-to-wear department we are offering these waists for the low cost to you, just

Half Price

Turkish Towels

The big size in plain or colored borders marked unusually low

50c

Camisoles

Silk and Cotton in flesh and white of fine materials and workmanship have been especially price-cut, offering big savings

99c to $2.50

Table Linens

When you see these Table Linen bargains you will not need to be urged to buy liberally, at

1.65 to 5.95 yd.

Women's Nainsook Gowns

Embroidery Trimmed

Possibly because embroidery trimmings launder so well, there is a decided preference for these pretty new gowns. Styles include round, square and "V" yokes, threaded with soft satin ribbon. Prices are unusually low

$1.25 to $2.95

Sheets

A splendid opportunity to replenish your Bed Linens for prices are even less than wholesale costs

$1.85-$2.00

FLAXON

A striped pattern you will want at this price

49c per yard

Striped Skirting

at this sale

69c

Brassieres

Truly wonderful, you'll exclaim when you see the low prices on these undergarments, but the supply is limited so come early

Front and back hook in flesh and white.

50c to $2

Nainsook Petticoats

Deep Flounced Styles

A choice of pretty styles for wear under sheer dresses. Deep flounces are embroidery trimmed or finished with tucks and hemstitching. Some with underlay. These are excellent values

99c to $2.95

New Envelope Chemise

Showing Fine Workmanship

Well-cut envelope chemises in either flesh or white; with dainty shirrings, lace bands and ribbon trimming. Materials you will like and values to appreciate

99c to $2.50

A Word as to Prices

Do not neglect to take advantage of the bargains in White Goods offered on this page in the hope that prices will go lower. A comparison with the prices asked for similar goods by competitors will convince you that they are exceptionally low. In fact, when the stock now on hand is sold out—which will be soon—there is bound to be an advance as the spring stocks are being sold wholesale at a higher figure than we are charging at this time for many of the numbers quoted. Do not miss this opportunity. You have saved money every time you have taken our advice in the past and will have the same experience if you heed this warning and buy now. By doing so you will not only save money but will also do your share to help keep the wheels of industry moving.

Loken Brothers

Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

On Buying Tri

Mr. H. O. Loken last week started on his a nual tour of the large Eastern markets f the purpose of making selections for the spri trade. He will inspect stocks at Chicago, B falo, Cleveland, Philadelphia and New Yo and expects to be gone about three wee Upon his return the ladies of Thief River Fa and vicinity will be given an opportunity secure the very latest and best in Sprin Wear and will besides have the satisfaction knowing that the articles have been chos with a view to their individual preferences Mr. Loken himself. Just what the styles dictate for women's spring wear has not be announced, but whatever it is Lokens will ha it. No one can foretell at this time just ho prices will range, but no matter—Lokens wil be the lowest.

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Editorial.

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Journalism class should put paper alone, it would be the the Senior Class putting out r annual instead of a school You yourself know the atti- our school toward a Senior We want an annual that we help edit, that we can all work d we want our share of the when the annual turns out a ; we also take our share of me if it turns out a failure. same with our school paper. ould share its trials and tribu- and have part of the praise cism that is given it.

efore, let it be here highly re- that in the near future, we, the s of the Lincoln High School, ive to our utmost to make the School Progress the biggest, t, best school paper in the f Minnesota.

he Climax Reached?

present day, as well as in times, we have among us a of people who have no ambi- succeed beyond their present n life. They consider that we g in the highest stage of civ- and that all that remains for- do is to fill one of the posi- at are now waiting for an ap- But they forget that the is continually undergoing During the past hundred he world has changed more ring any other period, but in- f completing the evolution of tion, it really marks the be- Great inventions are being more frequently than during her time in the world's history ounding discoveries are being ally reported. The secrets of iverse are slowly but surely re- vealed.

y people are inclined to believe he present age witnesses a cli- in the efficiency of the world in- ants. It is true that the last de- has seen vast strides forward in atter of efficiency. But we of 0th century are still on the floor. The industrial revolu- s just begun. It is only about dred years since the steam en- was invented. The steam engine only 12 per cent. efficient. k of it! For every ton of coal umed only 240 pounds are con- ed into practical usable energy. e other 1760 pounds are wasted. A great improvement in the steam prime moves has been made in the invention of the steam turbine. This already shows an increased efficiency, re is still vast room for im- ent.

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or not a person wishes to the leaders in the coming revolution, he must remem- ere is no standing still in hose who attempt to stand erely retain their present e going to be left behind d continues its unalterable volution.

F. Wins Debate.

e between the Thief River East Grand Forks high bating teams Tuesday, Jan. ed in a victory for the local is the second victory our on this year and brings it ble bit nearer to its objec- te championship. er of the district cham- ust win four contests. We he first two in grand style ering the marked improve- wn by the team since the ebate, we feel confident of the next two.

members of the East Grand s team were Violet Ferestad, Lillian Browell and Rosa Peterson. The representatives of the Lincoln high were Esther Soards, Vernon Copp and Edward Fiterman.

The local team won the debate arguing the affirmative on the state question, "Resolved, that the Open Shop is Preferable to the Closed Shop in our Industrial System."

The judges were Supt. Randolph of Erskine; Supt. Ullering of Red Lake Falls and Miss Erickson of the State Department of Labor.

The debate was of unusually high standard for high school teams. Neither team was bothered by "stage fright" which was more or less evident in the former debate. Every speaker showed some real speaking ability. It has always been the influential speaker who has led the way when there has been a conflict of opinion, and the people who spoke here Tuesday night gave us the impression that here are the Calhouns, the Bryans and the Roosevelts of the next decades. Both sides had some very keen argument and they put it over in a manner that caused a person to listen whether he wished to believe what was being said or not. In rebuttal especially was there a great improvement over the first debate held here. Both sides tore to pieces and scattered to the winds seemingly sound proofs, but from the judges decision it is evident that the locals made their points stand out more clearly than their opponents.

T. R. F.-Crookston Debate.

The next debate to be held in this city will be with the Crookston high school, Feb. 1st. This time the local team will take the negative of the Open vs. Closed shop issue, so that the public should take more interest in the next debate than they have in the preceding ones.

The "Open Shop" issue is the livest one in this country at the present time. Every newspaper and magazine contains news of some recent developments, sometimes in favor of one side, sometimes of the other. Magazines are full of comment on the question from some of the greatest minds in the nation.

"The Open Shop" is the chief trouble maker in our industrial world. The wage and time propositions are now secondary, as during the war labor was at a premium and employers were forced to give their employees a square deal. But now the war is over and labor is more plentiful. Business interests are again beginning their destructive competition and they feel that the welfare of the employees must be sacrificed in order that they may successfully compete with other firms. In order to lessen the power of organized labor, employers everywhere are agitating for an "open shop." Theoretically, an open shop is one in which both union and non-union men may be employed; but organized labor maintains that the open shop is really a closed shop; closed against union men and that employers are using the "open shop" movement to destroy organized labor. The large labor organizations, such as the American Federation of Labor, hold that the large industries must be strictly union shops, as the present surplus of labor will permit employers to break up the unions if non-union men may be unrestrictedly employed.

The final adjustment of this problem is of vital importance to every American citizen. If it really is the intention of the great capitalists to break up the labor unions, it will be well to scrutinize their every move. Everyone knows that labor unions are necessary to insure an equilibrium of power in this country, and an attempt to destroy them will meet with protest from the public as soon as facts become generally known.

So come out for the next debate. A heated debate is more interesting than an athletic contest and as Crookston, our next opponent, is supposed to have a strong debating team, a real contest is looked forward to next Tuesday evening. It will be interesting to hear how our future statesmen are interpreting the important issues of the day and also it is discouraging for a team to debate before an audience of a hundred and fifty people in a city of this size.

Girl Scouts.

The first Girl Scout troup meeting was held in the high school assembly room Wednesday evening, Jan. 19. Since the demonstration given by the Holt girls early in November, ten patrols, including those formed in the grades, have been organized. At the meeting the following officers were elected: Lydia Dahlen, chairman; Pearl Weeks, treasurer. In order to give several of the Scouts the privilege of holding an office, a motion was made and seconded that those elected should serve only two successive months.

Hereafter troop meetings will be held on the second and fourth Friday of each month.

Whisperings of Humorous Nuts

"A little nonsense now and then, is relished by the best of men."

Our Bow.

We feel that we are filling a long felt want and rush to the assistance of the numerous readers who have perused this page and found therein no grain of wit larger than could be comfortably absorbed by an ameba.

We trust we are providing an adequate source of wisdom more profound than Solomon's, of humor excelling "Life," and wit far greater than that propounded by Pat and Mike at the most solemn occasion.

If you who browse in these columns (conceived in a labyrinth of incoherence and a conglomeration of thots and inspirations, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equally funny) are likewise susceptible to the following humorosities, we shall feel assured of having created a predominating spirit of optimism which under the prevailing conditions is highly desirable.—The Triumvirate.

Extract from Pace's "American Literature" on Jonathan Edwards: "Like mother also he was born old and a preacher."

Mr. Ziegler (in psychology): "How would you split a piece of wood?"
Anna L. (seriously): "Crosswise."

The Triumvirate is hilarious over the success attained by one of our recently departed contemporaries, who in a spontaneous quirk of mind expostulated the following: "I work like a ding-fizzled, dang-fozzled powder monkey on my—, but hark, ye long geared Lutefisk, the old Prof. yesterday fell upon my neck and wept and embraced me and then whispered coyly in my ear that I sure was making some record as a writer. I wiggled my ears in a pleased manner and licked his hand to show how mad I was. Can I fling the ink?"

Miss Hoorn: "Are those who have 3F's in algebra expected to take it over again?"
Mr. Pierce: "Why yes, they can figure that out, can't they?"
(Evidently some students are unable to comprehend the fundamental processes involved in computing the value of unknown quantities as related to 3F's.)

Miss Elliott arose splendidly to the occasion last Friday in chapel when she surveyed the numerous applicants for American History.

To the person who submits the best last line to the following limerick, we shall bestow a very choice assortment of stirring epithets. Address in sealed envelope to "The Whisperings of Humorous Nuts," care Editor-in-chief H. S. Progress:

"There's a certain young man named Copp
He's sadly in need of a prop,
For his great attraction
To the feminine faction—

The completed limerick will be published in the next issue.

A sure sign of the funniness of any occurrence is the depth and intensity of Fiterman's moans.

Lloyd A. (in Public Speaking): "They park their cars on the other side of the boundary, then on Sunday they drive ALL OVER Canada."

Apropos burst of oratory: "Rising to the sublimest depths and descending to the towering heights."

Handsome Zeh didn't whistle in singing period. We wonder why?

Rusty reminds us of little Jack Horner who
Stuck in his thumb
And pulled out a plum
And said what a Great Boy am I
When he a-l-m-o-s-t made a basket in the T. R. F. vs. Warroad game.

We wonder if Oolai is still wondering whether the comedy-drama staged here was a farce. He was probably misinformed.

Local mathematicians are busily engaged in computing the interest accrued by the class of '20 in their late lamented annual mess.

Inquiries

Ques.: "I heard two can live as cheaply as one. Is that so?—Tripp."
"Ah! Tripp, you are dwelling in an illusion. For nearly six months I've tried it, but it's entirely wrong. Another thing, if she ever finds out your trying to do it she'll get a divorce and alimony.—Tommy."

Ques.: "How many people are in the world?—Doubtful."
"We have no recent statistics but there are certainly less than before the war."

Ques.: "Why isn't Rusty on the first team?—Anxious."
"Rusty is affected with the parasitic growth commonly known as dandruff and under the prevailing spasmodic circumstances the contraction has disarranged his mental faculties and depressed his physical possibilities."

Ques.: "Will Doc's balloon fly?—Inquisitive"
"It will take more than "hot air" to accomplish that."

Teacher (sternly): "Why were you tardy?"
Mildred B.: "The bell rang before I got here."

Miss Patrick: "What is literature?"
Clarence K.: "Anything that's written."
Lynn H.: "Well now if I wrote a book that wouldn't be literature; they'd call that trash."

It appears that we have in our midst a young man in the form of Edward Fiterman, aspiring to the position of assistant music destructor. While Miss Johnson is even at a distance plainly visible, the young man's gyrations are highly acceptable at least in the immediate vicinity of Seniordom.

Miss Patrick (in English): "What was the difference between the Pilgrims and Puritans?"
Ida S.: "The Pilgrims came first."

We shall each week submit a subject for debate. The following is the first of a series of vital questions to be proposed: "Resolved That if the People of Thief River Falls were in Favor of Paving They Wouldn't Vote Against it."

An Apology.

In order to express our thoughts and deliberations upon various abstruse issues relating to divers subjects in general and humorous and otherwise funny haps and mishaps, we have diverted somewhat from the general trend of thought as expressed by Webster, propounded by Shakespeare and modernized by our instructors.

Normal Department.

Heard in geography class. Helen L.: "The Eskimos do not have doors in their homes; they use fur-bearing animals for doors."

Mr. Flynn, state inspector of high school training departments, visited Miss Ober's classes in the morning and Miss Perry's class in the afternoon.

The telephone has been moved to accommodate the normal girls.

Bertha Gunderson, after a week's illness with the mumps, is back at school.

The janitor thinks the normal girls hard to accommodate in regard to heat these days. He is of the opinion that exams are causing all the cold feet.

Mr. Ziegler visited arithmetic class Monday. While there he asked this question: "Is it correct to say seven and six are twelve, or seven and six is twelve?" Mr. Ziegler believes in having jokes that provoke a smile and still get the class to think.

Florence, wishing to change the subject to her favorite Canada, said: "Canada has different time than the U. S.—"

Miss Ober (thinking to bring her back): "Where are we now?"

Florence (remembering): "Back to the earth's surface."

Teacher: "Olga did you dust the desks today?"

Olga: "Oh! I forgot it today."

Teacher: "Well you won't make a very good housekeeper Olga, if you forget such simple things."

Miss Ober: "Girls, don't you feel cold? Mable tell the janitor that it is cold in our room."

Miss Ober (several hours later): "Would you please look after the heat in our room Mr.——, because it is very cold here."

Janitor: "Why don't you put on warmer clothes, then you would be warmer."

Washington News.

There has been quite an uneven attendance at the Washington school the last week due to the fact that some of the pupils have been affected by the measles and mumps.

The teachers of the Washington were treated to a delicious lunch one day last week.

Knox School Notes.

Miss Friestad returned last Monday from Duluth where she had dental work done.

Several of the sixth grade students are being promoted into the seventh grade this last semester. Some of these students are ones who failed to pass last year and providing their work is very good, are allowed to go into the seventh grade this last semester. In this way they will only be a half year behind their class. In other cases the work of students is very high, and they are allowed to pass. This helps out very much in the crowded condition of the sixth grade at present. Following are the names of the students: Theresa and Albert Hagen, Mable Sterns and Leon Johnson.

Northrup News.

A large shipment of new library books was received at the Northrup last week.

Miss Smith's room won the pennant in the upstairs marching contest, while there was a tie between Miss Pelto's and Miss Trogan's room for the downstairs pennant.

H. E. Flynn of the State Normal Department, was at the Northrup last week, inspecting the work of the Normal girls who are doing practice teaching in the grades.

Personals.

It may be of interest to students of Lincoln high school and also other friends of Miss Evans, our last year's principal, to know that she is now at home in Exeter, California. Miss Evans has been attending the University of Minnesota during the first quarter, but due to her mother's ill health, has been obliged to stay at home during the winter. Miss Evans hopes to continue her work at Stanford University during the spring quarter. In a letter recently received from her, she states in regard to the H. S. Progress: "It does credit to the school and gives pleasure not only to those in close touch, but to the 'has-beens.' May the lines of the Progress broaden in Thief River H. S., is my sincere wish."

Supt. Hayes of East Grand Forks high school, who accompanied the debating team which appeared here last week, gave an interesting talk to the members of the Public Speaking class Wednesday. Supt. Hayes has done government work in the south and in connection became familiar with the conditions, especially as related to the negro. He also related incidents of interest from travels in other parts of the country. The talk was greatly appreciated by the Public Speaking students.

Ruby N. (in Physical Training): "If we had a bat we could play baseball—if we also had a ball."

Albert Stengelson and Dreng Bjornarna visited at the former's home near Rosewood over the week-end.

As Some See It.

The Seniors say they are a witty lot,
While the Juniors say they're not.
But the Sophomores with the honors ran away
And the Freshmen haven't much to say.

Jordan Penney returned to school last week after having spent an extended vacation in the cities with relatives and friends. He intends, however, to stay only to finish the first semester work as he has the required number of credits to graduate.

The girls' basketball team will play their second game of the season Friday evening. This game will be at Climax and will be the first game to be played out-of-town this season. The girls are practicing very diligently and are looking forward to the coming games with great interest. Mr. Tommeraasen, the coach, has girls' games scheduled for every week until the end of February and still others are in view.

The contestants who are to take part in declamation and oratorical contests are working hard and will meet other contestants Friday the 28th.

Beginning with next week all boys belonging to Smith-Hughes classes, either mechanical or agricultural, will be given instruction in mechanical drawing, which will include the use of drawing instruments, sketching, blue print reading and blue printing.

Clarence Pope, one of the Smith-Hughes teachers, was absent from school Wednesday, on account of Mrs. Pope being seriously ill.

Coach Tommeraasen, athletic instructor of the high school, has announced that next week the class basket ball teams will be given a chance to practice for the inter-class basket ball tournament which is to be held in the second week of February. Every year a tournament of this kind is staged and is generally hailed with great enthusiasm. This year is no exception and a group of hard games and fast playing are expected.

Miss Johnson, our music instructor, is wearing "pufflets" over her ears today.

"Bee" Sandum and Curly have decided to once more become friends and have signed a treaty, which will be posted in the near future.

Miss Brown (in physiography): "Cleon tell us about bars." (Meaning coastal and sand-bars.)

Cleon (just waking up): "Well bars are prohibited in this country, but—"

Miss Brown: "Cleon Buttelson! You get out of here."

Mr. Melby (in industrial history): "Curly, why is this called the Steel Age."

Curly: "Because there are so many robberies."

The physiography class was discussing the different belts of the world.

Cleon: "Say, Miss Brown, I don't see why the world needs a belt."

A laboratory is being equipped in the basement of the Washington building, which is to be used by Miss Brown in her teaching of general science next semester.

Among the new courses that are to be offered to the students next semester there will be a course in home equipment, an art that will be useful to any persons who are thinking of the future.

A number of the boys had a disarranged or enlarged nose last Monday as a result of the introduction of boxing gloves in the gymnasium.

Harold Smithers, a member of our staff, has returned to school after having been confined to his home about two weeks as a result of a severe attack of mumps.

Tony (in Latin class): "Miss Iverson, I'll help you write the examination questions."

The posting of the advisory lists aroused a great interest in the bulletin board last Wednesday.

Leslie Bigelow returned to school last Tuesday after an attack of chicken pox.

Miss Brown: "Cleon, turn and pay attention."

Cleon B.: "I can't pay anything, I'm dead broke."

Miss Patrick: "How did the Angles and Saxon earn their living?"

David Evenson: "Lutefisk."

The Raving of Rupert.

("Curly" has been "courting" the muses lately. This is the result):

It was mid-night on the ocean,
Not a street car was in sight,
The sun was shining brightly,
For it rained all day that night.

'Twas a summer day in winter,
The snow was raining fast
As a barefoot girl with shoes on
Stood sitting in the grass.

It was evening and the rising sun
Was setting in the west,
While the little fishes in the trees
Were cuddled in their nests.

The rain was pouring down
The sun was shining bright;
And everything that you could see
Was hidden out of sight.

Then the organ peeled potatoes
Lard was rendered by the choir,
While the sexton rang the dish-rag
Someone set the church on fire.

"Holy Smoke" the preacher shouted,
As he madly tore his hair,
And his head resembled Heaven
For there was no parting there.

Declamation-Oratory Contest.

Friday night at eight o'clock the first declamatory contest between Thief River Falls contestants and out-of-town contestants will be held at the Lincoln high school.

The contestants from Thief River Falls are: Myrtle Krohn, whose selection will be, "The Man Without a Country," and Ernest Zeh will give, "The March of the Flag." It is not known yet who the out-of-town contestants will be but the following towns will be represented: Red Lake Falls, Holt and Roseau.

This contest will be as interesting as the Debating contests and it will be to the interest of every student to back up their high school in this activity as well, by turning out Friday night.

Songs of the Seniors.

Myrtle Krohn—"Ginger Snaps."
Anna Leimer—"There's a Quaker Down in Quaker Town."
Beatrice Sandum—"Charlie is My Darling"
Clayton Stevenson—"How ya gonna Keep 'em Down on the Farm"
Allan Fossum—"Sweet Marie"
Alfred Dybvik—"I'm Waiting for Tomorrow to Come."
Harold Smithers—"Kathleen Mavourneen"
Eileen Herron—"Wearin' o' the Green"
Hugh McDaniels—"They go Wild—Simply Wild Over Me."
Ernest Zeh—"A Little Bit of Blarney"
Viola Lund—"Oh You Know What I mean"
Mildred Boftelson—"I'm Always Building Castles in the Air"
Edward Fiterman—"I Ain't Gotten No Time to Have the Blues"
Jordan Penney—"I'm Always Falling in Love With the Other Fellow's Girl"
Stella Stenvick—"Sweet and Low"
Clarissa Hornseth—"Meet Me in Bubble Land"
Stella Williams—"Bonnie Sweet Lassie"
Vernon Copp—"Peggy"
Marguerite DeCremer—"Margie"
Mary Vance—"Mary"
Esther Soards—"Shure and I'm Irish Too"
Betsy Ness—"Norway"
Myrtle Mellum—"Blue Eyes—True Eyes"
Ida Shields—"The Vamp"
Florence Stageberg—"I'm Afraid to Go Home in the Dark"
Doris Richter—"Dardanella"
Lynn Halvorson—"Lil Liza Jane"
Amy Sorlom—"Lonesome For You"
Dreng Bjornarna—"Pack Up Your Troubles and Smile, Smile, Smile"
Mildred Hauglid—"Florcine Waltz"
Ruth Hadrath—"Long, Long Ago"
Valleria Paranteau—"Oh Frenchy"
Bernard Sundahl—"I'll Say She Does"
Henry Olson—"One Fleeting Hour"
Benny Lind—"Smiles"
Marshall Race—"If We Could But Live in Our Dreams"
Dotty Kraftifher—"Was There Ever a Pal Like You"
Corrine Adsero—"Love's Sweet Dream"
Francis Holmgren—"Cheer Boys—Cheer"
Maebelle Swanson—"I'm a Wild Wild Woman"

Win One; Lose One.

The local high school basketball team played two games last Friday and Saturday, in which they won from Argyle by a score of 18 to 7 and lost to Warren by a score of 23-8, at those respective places.

The game at Argyle proved to be more of a football game than an indoor loop game, therefore the majority of the Thief River Falls team, as well as the Argyle team, were badly bruised, which did not better the Thief River Falls teams' condition for the next day's game at Warren. However they came out victorious. The Argyle team is made up of good fighting players and both teams showed up well and satisfied the spectators with a good hard game.

The Thief River Falls team's lineup was as follows: Dolan and Larson, forwards; Paranteau, center and Sorenson and Herron, guards, with LaBree as substitute. All members of the team made their share of the baskets. Parenteau, with his usual skill in handling the ball, is credited with shooting five baskets.

The Warren game was a less exciting one, largely due to the fact that the boys did not get the required amount of sleep for basketball players. They did not retire at Warren until three o'clock in the morning before the game and receiving no shower bath after the game with Argyle until they arrived in Warren, the boys were in a sad physical condition for the coming game with the Warren high school. But they went into the afternoon game with a mind to do their best. It seemed they could not get their machine working and expressed little enthusiasm for the game. Their attitude was due, of course, to the lack of sleep and proper physical treatment after the Argyle game. However the boys held them down to the given score, which was well, considering the condition they were in. There is no doubt that when the Warren team comes down here to play that a close game will ensue and will give them a chase for a bouncing victory. The same lineup played at Warren as at Argyle with Olson as substitute.

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Kansas	228,601	265,385
No. Dakota	82,885	90,840
Michigan	296,378	412,275
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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Large Farm Club Meeting.

A very successful farm club meeting was held at the Rosebank building last Friday evening and was attended by a large audience. The meeting opened shortly before nine o'clock with Alex Hellquist presiding. After the song, "Auld Lang Syne" by the audience, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and a motion introduced asking that a petition be drawn up, signed and sent to our state representative asking that he use his influence to retain the present primary election system, instead of the proposed change to convention. This was duly done and signed by a large number of voters. It was decided to arrange a debating team for the next meeting, and A. S. Holm, L. L. Furan and Joel Shoberg were appointed to have charge of the preliminaries. Benhard Ranum and Joel Shoberg were elected as caterers. The next meeting will be held at the same place on Friday evening, Feb. 11. The meeting was then turned over to the program committee, Ebba Sagmoen, who led a very entertaining program, consisting of three readings, community singing, duets and solos, with instrumental accompaniment, to the entire satisfaction of the audience. After the program, Mr. W. Wendt of Warren, rendered a number of pretty violin compositions and also led the music for the remainder of the evening. A tasteful luncheon was *served at midnight and the entire evening* was very happily passed.

An old-fashioned basket social will be staged at the Rosebank building next Friday evening Jan. 28, with the proceeds going to the Near East relief. This worthy cause is being contributed to all over America at the present time and as this is the first step taken to contribute from this place, it is recommended to the very best. As customary, all ladies will bring baskets with lunch for two and the gentlemen the "necessary evil". The party is arranged through the efforts of Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen.

Misses Inga and Tena Westby left on Saturday morning for Viking to visit with Miss Ethel Styrlund.

Mrs. T. J. Taggert, accompanied by her son, returned on Saturday morning from Thief River Falls, where they had spent a few days on business and visiting friends.

Albert Stengelson, student at Lincoln school at Thief River Falls, is home to spend Sunday with his parents and is accompanied by a friend from the former place.

Mrs. James Johnson and son Earl of Thief River Falls, spent Friday here visiting with the Hellquist folks.

Mrs. John Berglund and son Leonard left on Friday morning for Viking where they will visit at the S. S. Nordgaard home for a few days.

John Hemstad of Plummer is visiting this week with his sister, Mrs. O. Nordhagen and family.

Miss Carrie Nelson came home from Thief River Falls, where she is engaged as dressmaker, to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Axel Axelson spent two days at Warren this week receiving medical treatment.

Alma Blomberg was at Thief River Falls this week having her tonsils removed. She was accompanied by her father, who received attention for his arm.

Ben Ranum went to Warren Friday morning to attend to business.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls to visit her sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson.

Mesdames Ted Thompson and A. Haugen were at Thief River Falls between trains one day this week, receiving medical treatment.

Miss Ethel Styrlund of Viking arrived here on Monday evening and will visit with the Westby young folks and other friends for a few days.

Rev. O. Nestrud of Bismarck, N. D., was in town a few days this week, looking after some real estate he owns near the Lilac farm west of this place.

Mrs. Fred Wendt spent Saturday at Warren attending to business and visiting with relatives.

Chas. Anderson returned on Friday from Angus and Crookston where he had spent the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and Mr. and Mrs. Elling Dahl and a brother to the latter, drove up from Thief River Falls last Sunday for an afternoon's visit with the Furan and Sagmoen people.

Miss Synneva Sorenson spent a day at Thief River Falls this week visiting with the John Sorenson people and looking for employment.

Joel Shoberg was at Thief River Falls over last Sunday, attending the mid-winter session of the Red River Valley Young Peoples' Covenant.

Agents A. G. Gabrielson and Nate Harris of Thief River Falls and I. Iverson of Minneapolis, were in town last Saturday on business with the local dealers and merchants.

Mesdames Severt Rafteseth and G. Nakken, accompanied by the latter's daughter, Gladys, left on Saturday evening for Dakota Junction, where they will visit over Sunday at the C. Stromberg home.

Olof Opseth, who has been employed at Gonvick for some time, arrived home on Monday morning.

Miss Ethel Kron left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls where she will be the guest of the E. Crown family.

Sam Salop, a former resident of this place, and until recently making Minneapolis his home, arrived here on Tuesday morning for a brief visit with friends and former neighbors.

Walter Wendt returned home Tuesday morning from Thief River Falls where he spent the past day on business and shopping.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid is to be entertained at the home of Mrs. S. Rafteseth on the afternoon of the first Tuesday in February.

GERMANTOWN

Albert Johnson left for Thief River Falls Friday where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery. He was accompanied by his brother, William, who will remain with him a few days.

Miss Della Roller delightfully entertained a large number of her friends Friday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in cards and dancing and at midnight all partook of a delicious lunch.

Guests at the L. Rosette home on Tuesday evening were Mons Linvick and daughter Susie; Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosette, Ruth Olson, Joe Belongie and Will Limsand.

Hattie Klockman returned from Thief River Falls last week where she has been the guest of relatives and friends for a few weeks.

Susie Linvick visited with Anna Kotlan a few days last week.

Selma Johnson was the guest of Bernice Struble Sunday afternoon.

Benard and Selmer Bendickson were callers at the D. Dau home on Monday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Clausen of Waverly, Wash., is a guest at the D. Dau home. She is a sister of Mrs. Dau.

Miss Anna Rosette delightfully entertained a number of her friends on her birthday aniversary Friday afternoon. The time was spent in music and cards and a delicious lunch was served.

Guests at the Emil Hanson home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Linvick and daughter Susie, Mrs. Overby and Hans Dahl and Ole Fevold.

Oscar Havelsos was a Mavie caller one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walfred Norlund are enjoying a visit from the former's mother from Thief River Falls.

Nettie and Silva Bendickson were Sunday guests at the H. Dahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Limsand and Mrs. Will Jones and children spent last Sunday afternoon at the Martinus Johnson home.

Mrs. Will Wayne, who is engaged in teaching school near Cullen's, spent the week end at her home.

Susie Linvick visited at the L. Rosette home Thursday.

Fred Larson was a caller at the H. Roller home Sunday afternoon.

Edwin, Louise and Annie Rosette and Susie Linvick spent Thursday evening at the Ludvig Rosette home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stock and Mr. and Mrs. August Ristau were guests at the Carl Habedank home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kintze visited at the D. Dau home Sunday evening.

There will be a dance at Mavie next Saturday evening, Jan. 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nelson and children, Fern, Floyd and Russell; Mrs. Ellingson and son Elmer, were pleasantly entertained at the Martinus Johnson home Sunday.

Guests at the Seriphine Rulland home Sunday were: Anna Kotlan, Mrs. Betsy Stokke and children, Stella, Olive and Martha; Mr. and Mrs. E. Haberstroh, Mr. and Mrs. W. Norlund and daughter Alice.

Mr. and Mrs. Walfred Norlund and daughter Alice, visited at the O. P. Nelson home one evening last week.

Selmer Bendickson left for St. Hilaire Friday where he will visit relatives for a few days.

NUMEDAL

Soren Knutson and John Brating assisted Thure Blomberg with butchering on Wednesday.

George Bugge made a brief visit at Halvor Olson's Thursday.

John Ronning left for Thief River Falls Thursday evening, returning on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Swanson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Joringdal and family were Sunday callers at Soren Knutsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son, Winton, called at the Blomberg home Thursday evening.

John Bugge transacted business at Thief River Falls Thursday and Friday.

Clarence Johnson was a Viking shopper Saturday.

Thure Blomberg, George Bugge, Halvor Olson and John Brating drove to Thief River Falls with a load of hogs Friday.

The meeting held at the John Christenson home Sunday was well attended.

Conrad Ronning was a Sunday caller at the A. Forslund home.

Joseph Joringdal drove to Thief River Falls Friday.

Edward Blomberg, who has been employed on the Soo line for some time, returned home from Calloway Friday, being laid off for some time.

Joseph Osness was a Viking caller on Monday.

Thure and Ed. Blomberg, George Bugge and Clarence Johnson autoed to Thief River Falls in the former's Ford Sunday and took in the movies. Pretty good for being the last part of January, eh?

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osness called at Peter Bugge's Sunday evening.

Thure and Ed. Blomberg were Saturday evening callers at the Soren Knutson home.

Elias Joringdal drove to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

George Bugge called on his friend, Clarence Johnson Saturday evening.

Oscar Olson called at the S. Knutson home one evening last week.

Clarence Johnson and George Bugge were entertained at Blomberg's Sunday evening.

VIKING

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hanson and family visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Krohn.

Lillian Krohn made a trip to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Egbert Malberg and Oscar Anderson shot a wolf last week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Larson this week.

A. O. Brink helped Chas. Peterson butcher on Friday.

Oscar Anderson and Egbert Malberg drove to Warren Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tripp visited at the home of Ed. Krohn on Friday.

Rev. Werner Drotts visited at the Chas. Peterson home one day last week.

Oscar Forslund visited at Brinks Sunday.

Mrs. M. Anderson and son, Oscar, visited at the home of P. Larson on Sunday.

~~Mr. and Mrs. M. Lunquist visited at~~ the Chas. Peterson home on Sunday.

A. O. Brink made a business trip to Viking one day last week.

MAYFIELD

The Cooper and Wedul young folks spent Sunday afternoon at the J. P. Johnson home.

Mrs. Ole Wedul visited school in District No. 60 Monday afternoon.

Arnt Wedul, who has been ill with pleurisy, is now well and at his work of sawing wood and grinding feed.

Miss Sadie Omdahl spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the D. O. Roisland home.

John and Arthur Omdahl, Jacob Stennes and Roy Kiel, visited Arnt Wedul Thursday evening.

Dreng Roisland called at the Omdahl home Sunday afternoon.

Misses Minnie and Olga Johnson attended a birthday party at the home of Dorothy Booner last Sunday afternoon.

J. L. Larson was a caller in Plummer Monday.

Warner Borgeld spent Sunday at the Cooper home.

John and Arthur Omdahl spent Saturday evening at the Wm. Jesperson home.

The West Ladies' Aid will be held at the H. C. Cooper home Feb. 3rd.

ERIE

Mrs. John T. Coan.

This community was shocked on Friday morning of last week by the sudden death of Mrs. John T. Coan. She had suffered from sick spells off and on for several years and was taken sick during the night with an attack of cerebral hemmorhage and died at 9:15 in the morning.

Mrs. Gertie Girlings Coan was born in Michigan in 1875, being 46 years and 4 days of age at the time of her death. Her parents emigrated from Holland. Beside her husband she leaves five children, who are all at home; a sister, Mrs. Barney Baker, of Esplee; and two other sisters and a brother in Michigan. She was buried in the Eklund cemetery near Erie, on Wednesday. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Lutz of Goodridge.

Mrs. Coan was a resident of this community for the past seven years, was called a true friend by all who knew her and her sudden departure was a blow that will long be remembered. We all extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mr. Coan and children, in their sudden bereavement.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Even Shulestad, on January 19th, a son.

L. B. Johnson was at Thief River Falls last week. During his absence Thelma Hovet stayed with Mrs. Johnson.

Daniel Danielson and Amund Lovrak are recent arrivals from International Falls.

Oliver Tommerdahl was a caller at John Holmgren's on Sunday.

Raymond Dahlen of Kindred, N. D., arrived on Thursday for a visit with his brother, H. A. Dahlen and family.

The Eastern Star Ladies' Aid held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Knute Roysland on Jan. 19th. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Bertine Hovet; vice president, Mrs. Miranda Roysland; treasurer, Mrs. Gunda Trontweth; clerk, Caroline Dahlen.

Miss Clara Bye, Mrs. Henry Rockne, Mrs. Henry Bye and children, Martin and John Larson and the H. A. Dahlen family were guests at John Bye's on Sunday.

Jesse Tanner of Torgerson called on his uncle Gene, near Erie, last Sunday.

Mrs. Theo. Hyland and children were Sunday visitors at the Arthur Baird home.

Ole Nerhus left a few days ago for International Falls, where he will seek employment.

H. O. Tommerdahl received word a few days ago that an uncle of his in Canada had died. Mr. Tommerdahl went to Thief River Falls to attend the funeral, to which place the body had been shipped.

S. O. Prestegaard arrived a few days ago from Washington where he went with his family last fall. He intends to stay on his farm the remainder of the winter.

GOODRIDGE

Farmers' Short Course.

The Farmers' Short Course, which was mentioned last week, will be held March 7 to 11, and will no doubt be of great benefit to all farmers.

Creamery Meeting.

The Goodridge Co-operative Creamery Co., will hold their annual meeting Feb. 1.

Mrs. Henry Hope.

The body of Nellie Hope, wife of Henry Hope of Grygla, was brought from Grygla Wednesday afternoon and shipped to Crystal Lake, Ill., for burial. Mrs. Hope was known to a number of our people and all were shocked to hear of her sudden death, due to internal hemmorhages. She was 29 years, 7 months and 7 days old. Her maiden name was Nellie Wingate and she was married in October, 1911, to Henry Hope. They moved to a farm on the Moose River eight years ago and for the past four years lived in Grygla. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, father, step-mother, two half-brothers, one sister and grandmother, with whom she made her home for many years. Short services were held by the Royal Neighbors lodge, of which she was a member. The relatives have the sympathy of the community.

D. A. Kolstrand left Thursday for Thief River Falls on business.

H. I. Finstad was a business caller in Thief River Falls Thursday.

G. N. Potter of Schilling returned from a business trip to Thief River Falls Thursday.

John Peterson of Grygla returned Thursday evening from Thief River Falls where he accompanied Mrs. George Hope and her son, Henry Hope, when they left for Illinois with the body of Mrs. Nellie Hope, for burial.

John Maney and Ole Newton of Grygla were in town Friday with the truck for freight.

John Jelle left Thursday for Thief River Falls on business.

Miss Gladys Wilson returned to her work at the Goodridge State bank on Monday morning, after being on the sick list for a few days.

A community meeting will be held Thursday, Feb. 3, in the school house at 8 p. m. An interesting program has been arranged. A man from the University of Minnesota will give a talk on phosphates and peat soils, which will be of interest to all, as well as other numbers on the program.

Wm. Korstad of Highlanding left Thursday for Thief River Falls.

Carl Elg of Erie left Thursday for Thief River Falls to attend to business.

A. T. Olson was a passenger to Thief River Falls Thursday morning.

Pete Wold of Kratka left Thursday for Thief River Falls.

M. G. Thorson and daughter Eunice, were Thief River Falls visitors Thursday.

Henry Elinson attended to business in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Alfred Hammerstien of Highlanding was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

County Agent McCann was out from Thief River Falls Thursday.

E. K. Eckvold was a passenger to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Walter Sorenson was a Thief River *Falls business caller Monday.*

Miss Hilda Christianson was in Thief River Falls Monday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson were in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

A. T. Nelson went to Thief River Falls Monday to see his daughter who is a patient in the hospital.

Mrs. Royaire Morin returned Monday from Crookston where she has been visiting relatives since the holidays. She is shipping their household goods to Hibbing and will join her husband there in the near future. Mr. Morin has been employed there for the past three months, but was unable to secure a house for the family before. We are all sorry to have them leave us but wish them success in their new home.

Gilbert Gunderson was in Thief River Falls Saturday attending to business.

Carl Holbrook of Grygla was in town Saturday enroute home from a visit with relatives in the twin cities.

Henry Sand attended to business in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ellard Iverson was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

Ed. Korstad returned to Thief River Falls Wednesday, after a visit with relatives at Highlanding.

Nick Bundlund and Henry Rockne attended a bankers' banquet in Thief River Falls Wednesday evening. They returned home Thursday morning.

Wm. Paskewitz of Grygla left on Tuesday for Thief River Falls where he will attend a meeting of the Drainage Board.

M. J. Lysbakken was in Thief River Falls Monday attending to business.

G. A. Gaudland and daughter Tena, were at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Christine Bundlund visited with friends at Mavie over Sunday.

Wm. Gaylord attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Habedank returned from their wedding trip Saturday evening.

Miss Fricker, of St. Hilaire, was in town Saturday enroute to her school at Malcolm.

B. O. Norby and Ted Tandberg were week-end visitors in Thief River Falls.

Raymond Jenson and Harry McDonald were in Thief River Falls on Saturday. Harry went to consult a dentist.

Mrs. Carl Lindstrom was a Thief River Falls visitor Thursday.

Wm. Watson of Grygla shipped a carload of cattle Saturday to South St. Paul.

H. S. Dahlen of Thief River Falls was in town Saturday attending to business matters.

A. T. Nelson returned from Thief River Falls where he took his daughter for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dressly of Grygla were in town Monday evening enroute to the cities to visit relatives.

Morlan Bishop of Strathcona was in town Monday evening between trains.

Dr. Adkins of Thief River Falls was in town Friday evening between trains on a professional call.

Pete Nelson left Friday for Thief River Falls on business.

George Wold left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where he will spend the week end.

Hazel Hakes visited friends in Mavie from Saturday evening until Monday morning.

Our third lyceum number will be here Tuesday, Feb. 1. It will be a real live lecture given by A. W. Olmstad. Don't forget the date, Feb. 1.

The Goodridge fire department is to hold a basket social and dance on Friday evening, Jan. 28.

The Yeoman are to hold a special meeting Thursday, Jan. 27. Two prominent men from the cities are to give interesting talks. The band is to render a few numbers and lunch will be served.

Roy Wattam of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday, between trains.

August Anderson arrived in town Friday from South Dakota, to look after business interests here.

Carl Loen and Herbert Hanson were in town Monday. Carl attended to business matters while Herbert spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss M. Hope arrived Wednesday morning from St. Paul. She left in the afternoon for Grygla where she will remain until her mother returns from Illinois, where she accompanied her son, Henry.

J. M. Jensen was in Thief River Falls Tuesday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Anderson returned to their home at Grand Forks after a visit with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Basgaard.

School Notes.

The Junior Red Cross has completed its membership drive in all the rooms.

Myrtle Iverson has returned to school after several weeks absence due to illness.

Howard Seavey is suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

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Which Destroyed $150,000 ...rth of Property, Including The ...es Plant, Occurred Jan. 25.

...year ago at this time The ...was homeless, fire having ...stroyed the office and plant ...aper—one of the finest of its ... this section. The publication ...aif for three trying months ... date, being printed at Red ...ls until about the first of ...he present year.

...started in the basement ...printing office in the Union ...at 11 o'clock on a Sunday ...nd spread with such rapidi... only was it early appar...e Union block was doomed, ...y buildings, particularly ...e Oen Mercantile company ...velyn hotel, were in grave ...

...lly nothing in the printing ...d be saved and only a part ...ousehold goods belonging to ...families living on the sec... were gotten out. In a very ...me one of the finest buildings in the city was a heap of ruins.

The Thief River Realty company, owners of the Union block, decided that it was a poor time to begin rebuilding and the ruins have remained practically in the condition the fire left them, with the exception that a part of the machinery of The Times company was salvaged and rebuilt.

It was a bad fire for everyone living in the building, but particularly for The Times. Not only were the prices on equipment at their highest point at that time, but replacements were practically unobtainable. It was the following spring before anything resembling a complete printing plant could be secured and in the meantime the paper was issued under a financial drain that well nigh took the heart out of the publishers.

But things have straightened out again. The Times has now a plant of which a city twice the size of Thief River Falls might well be proud. Anyone who thinks, however, that the past year has been one of placid contentment for the publishers has never gone through a similar experience.

Everyone will be glad to see the site cleaned up as it has been something of an eyesore. The job will be completed as quickly as possible, after which it is to be hoped another building will take the place of the one destroyed. The site is one of the best in the city and will not long remain unoccupied.

CORN CROP OF IOWA WOULDN'T RUN AUTOS OF STATE ONE YEAR

Statistics Offered to Show That Farmers Would Have to Receive 80 Cents Per Bushel to Meet Cost.

W. W. Prichard, Jr., returned Friday from Minneapolis where he attended the annual convention of the Northwestern Lumbermen's association, recognizedly the largest association to hold its annual convention in the twin cities. While in Minneapolis Mr. Prichard was joined by an uncle, Charles Skewis of Storm Lake, Iowa, who submitted some interesting statistics on conditions in his home state.

Public speakers in many sections of Iowa have endeavored to point out to the farmers and residents in general just where their heavy expenditures have been. Mr. Skewis gave an example of the figures as compiled by reliable authorities from reliable sources of information:

Iowa, the past year, spent over $200,000,000 for automobiles, some families—many of them farmers—owning as high as three cars. It is estimated that 12 cents for each mile of road covered by the car will meet the cost of operation, maintenance and depreciation. It was found that the average mileage of a car per season was 4,000 miles, which at the rate of 12 cents per mile, represents an annual outlay of $400 per car, or an expenditure of $40 for each of the ten open months of the year.

Further statistics compiled went to show that if the entire corn crop of the state of Iowa could be marketed at a price of 80 cents per bushel—which is an unusually liberal figure in that corn is at present selling for around 60 cents—it would not finance the operation of the automobiles owned in the state.

Legion and Auxiliary

GOOD ATTENDANCE AT JANUARY MEETING OF ELMER EKLUND POST

Fine Banquet Followed by Snappy Business Session—Collection Taken Up For Salvation Army—Program at Lyceum.

The regular January meeting of the ...mer J. Eklund post of the Ameri...n Legion held at the Brumund ...tel on Saturday evening was, in the ...inion of officials of the organiza...on, one of the most successful that ...as ever been held here. Sixty-two members were in attendance. An outstanding feature of the meeting was the co-operative spirit manifest.

A banquet supper served at 10:30 was followed by a brisk business session. In addition to business of a routine nature, members of the Legion basket ball team gave short talks. Secretary G. Howard Smith urged support of the national fourfold bonus bill, and President Oscar Smith entered a plea in behalf of the Salvation army. Following the latter's explanatory talk a collection was taken up in accordance with the wishes of those present, the proceeds totalling $19 to be presented to the local barracks of the army.

Following the business session, the Legionnaries adjourned to the Lyceum theater where a short program was presented. Through the courtesy of the Lyceum management and the machine operator, a special two-reel comedy was shown. Vocal selections rendered by Charles Van of Bemidji, were greatly appreciated, as was evidenced by the storms of applause. Snyder's orcestra rounded out the evening's entertainment.

GRAND FORKS Y.M.C.A. LOSES IN ONE-SIDED GAME TO LOCAL BOYS

Outclassed in Every Department by the Eklund Post Men, the Visitors are Trimmed 44 to 5.

The large number of fans who turned out to witness the basket ball game between the Y. M. C. A. of Grand Forks and the Thief River Falls Legion teams played at the city auditorium on Saturday evening, were disappointed in the failure of the "Y" team to live up to advance press notices, but greatly impressed by the display of team-work and consistent playing on the part of the local quint. The final score stood at 44 to 5, in favor of the Legionnaries.

In spite of the fact that the visitors scored in the first three minutes of playing with a basket made from beyond the center line, the game was one-sided from the start. Coach Connell's men at once adopted their rushing tactics against which the "Y" *men made little impression. The latter* furnished an interesting battle during the first half, the score, which stood at 23 to 5 when the whistle blew, not being an indication of the game played. Failing to score in the last half, missing basket after basket from comparatively close range, the "Y" quintet eventually went to pieces entirely with the loss of Guon and Stendahl, both injured in the last of the third quarter and the first of the fourth, and the game became virtually an exhibition of fast work put on by the locals. The lineup:

Y.M.C.A. (5)		Legion (44)
Allen	R.G.	Holzknecht
Guon-Stewart	L.G.	McGinn
Hale	C.	Hadrath-LaBree
Wells	R.F.	Carlson
Ryan-Stendahl	L.F.	Kiland-Johnson

Perry Johnson, referee; C. E. Zinc, Y. M. C. A. coach; G. W. Connell, Legion coach.

Baskets: Hale 1, Wells 1, Carlson 7, Hadrath 6, Kiland 3, McGinn 1, Johnson 1, LaBree 1. Free Throws: Ryan 1, Carlson 7.

Auxiliary to Entertain Members of Legion Post

~~The Woman's Auxiliary to the El~~mer J. Eklund Post No. 117 of the American Legion, will entertain the Legionnaires at the Commercial club rooms on next Wednesday evening. Dancing, cards, other forms of entertainment and refreshments will be features of the evening. The occasion will be strictly informal. The Auxiliary extends the most cordial of invitations to all Legion men who may be in the city that evening, whether or not they are members of the local post.

Public Forum

PUBLIC FORUM

Keep Married Women at Home.

The following article, appearing in the St. Paul Dispatch over the signature of "Justice," has been submitted by A. A. Anderson of Thief River Falls, with the request that it be published:

To the Editor of the Dispatch: Allow me to say a few words in regard to several articles appearing in this paper on married women working in offices. These women ought to be ashamed of themselves. A married woman's place is at home. She has no business working if her husband is an able-bodied man. Quite a few married women (I would still call them girls) are working in railroad offices where they get good pay for doing little work. In one office of the Northern Pacific railway you will find between ten and fifteen married women. Most of them don't earn one-fourth of their salary. There were several cases in this office of man and wife doing the same kind of work. Most of the married women in this office cannot make a cup of coffee. They ought to be ashamed of themselves, coming to work day after day when everyone knows they have a man who is able to support them. I would be ashamed to even think of having her work in the same office with me. An able-bodied man who allows his wife to work doesn't think much of her or there is something in his upper story that doesn't function properly. Let's get started and get rid of these women and give the poor working girl a chance to make a decent living. JUSTICE.

St. Paul Park, Minn.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT ON COLLECTIONS FOR CHILDREN OF EUROPE

Chairman A. S. Sapero of the committee in charge of collections for the starving children of Europe, submits the following report of donations to date:

Norwegian Ev. Church	$87.00
Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.	30.00
Miss Minnie Mattson	30.00
Abe Sapero	20.00
Hazel Halgrim	12.00
Oen Merc. Co.	10.00
John Bratrud	10.00
C. L. Hanson	10.00
Jennie Cosgrove	10.00
Emslee Farms Co.	10.00
Farmers & Merch. Bank	10.00
Walker-Gesell Land Co.	10.00
Dr. O. F. Melby	10.00
Dr. A. J. Paulson	10.00
Dr. A. W. Swedenburg	10.00
H. A. Pratt	10.00
Scott Laird	10.00
The Fricayd Co.	10.00
M. V. Evenson	10.00
Shanahan & Sheedy	10.00
Gustie Johnson	10.00
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.	10.00
Laura Stapple	10.00
Olaf Ranstad	10.00
Karen Knutson	10.00
Dr. George Millan	10.00
W. A. Barnard	10.00
S. O. Lee	10.00
Peter Sohm	5.00
J. H. Hermanson	5.00
A. G. Gabrielson	5.00
Gay Halvorson	5.00
W. J. Brown	5.00
E. O. Mogensen	5.00
Andy Anderson	5.00
Nels Christianson	5.00
F. A. Brown	5.00
T. R. Co-Operative Creamery	5.00
C. Storholm	5.00
Zeh & Curran	5.00
Nate Harris	5.00
T. M. Kolberg	5.00
Peterson-Biddick Co.	5.00
A. M. Langseth	5.00
Larson Furniture Co.	5.00
Jung Bros.	5.00
F. Edw. Hunt	5.00
Louis DeCremer	5.00
J. C. Penney	5.00
Theo. Quale	5.00
O. D. Ortby	5.00
John Morgan	5.00
M. G. Stageberg	5.00
R. K. Strand	5.00
E. L. Rolland	5.00
A. S. Lieberman	5.00
H. P. Sanden	5.00
Dr. H. W. Froehlich	5.00
E. M. Stanton	5.00
C. A. Nason	5.00
E. W. Briggs	5.00
R. A. Brumund	5.00
Louis Garvey	5.00
City Bakery	5.00
Daniel Shaw	5.00
Lokan Bros.	5.00
J. W. Hendley	5.00
Rambeck-Stone & Co.	5.00
Miss Caroline Anderson	5.00
Queen City Bottling Works	5.00
C. W. Metcalf	5.00
Olaf Ness	5.00
Chas. Lieberman	3.00
Ole Lenggaard	2.50
H. W. Protzeller	2.50
T. J. Asland	2.50
Putnam Party	1.10
W. A. Ziegler	2.50
C. G. Melson	2.50
A. W. Thoreson	2.50
A. H. Dorn	2.50
Geo. Christe	2.00
C. J. Brampe	2.00
E. ... Traver	2.00
F. H. Henkel	[illegible]
T. E. Swiger	[illegible]
Severt Benson	[illegible]
O. R. Crandall	[illegible]
Hall Bros.	[illegible]
H. C. Darlin	[illegible]
A. Johnson	[illegible]
Carl Christenson	[illegible]
Black's Sweet Shop	[illegible]
H. L. Larson	[illegible]
Ed. Stanton	[illegible]
M. Benson	[illegible]
Brodeen & Co.	[illegible]
S. C. Colombo	[illegible]
Henry Hille	[illegible]
G. W. Connell	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
C. Finnell	[illegible]
Kenneth Watts	[illegible]
Geo. W. Werstlein	[illegible]
Dennis McGlynn	[illegible]
Ben Erickson	[illegible]
Myrtle Hille	[illegible]
Geo. C. Swanson	[illegible]
Ole Skaar	[illegible]
E. Engelstad	[illegible]
B. Knutson	[illegible]
Henry W. Hov...	[illegible]
Iver A. Aaseby	[illegible]
E. M. Juranson	[illegible]
E. P. Bustad	[illegible]
Andy Cralk	[illegible]
Geo. W. Sheldon	[illegible]
E. T. Dale	[illegible]
Wm. Pohler	[illegible]
O. B. Erickson	[illegible]
C. S. Simonson	[illegible]
Clarence O. Ek	[illegible]
Oscar Hansen	[illegible]
Gust Melvin	[illegible]
H. Laken	[illegible]
Joe Strubeck	[illegible]
K. E. Dahl	[illegible]
Nettie Oie	[illegible]
Louis W. Hayes	[illegible]
C. W. Stewart	[illegible]
G. A. Johnson	[illegible]
R. Vance	[illegible]
Gynther C. Teie	[illegible]
R. F. Spencer	[illegible]
A. M. Paulson	[illegible]
C. L. Peterson	[illegible]
Chris Halvorsen	[illegible]
O. W. Carlson	[illegible]
L. W. Manthey	[illegible]
T. Dalmlat	[illegible]
Mr. Gulrud	[illegible]
W. E. Rounds	[illegible]
Mr. Sundahl	[illegible]
Ray Johnson	[illegible]
Del. Knutson	[illegible]
M. Schutt	[illegible]
Emily C. Fossum	[illegible]
E. K. Aasen	[illegible]
J. E. Farr	[illegible]
Elling Dahl	[illegible]
A. R. Johnsrud	[illegible]
O. H. Nelson	[illegible]
Anna Amslund	[illegible]
Mrs. Anna Doeh...	[illegible]
Thyra Snyder	[illegible]
Belle Hermanson	[illegible]
Mrs. Etta Stanton	[illegible]
Carl Loen	[illegible]
Ole Legvold	[illegible]
M. A. Schultz	[illegible]
E. V. Mostue	[illegible]
H. Mc Mahon	[illegible]
Maude Johnson	.50
Tillie Sundahl	.50
Lena Lanson	.50
Marguerite Lanson	.50
Edna O'Hlen	.50
Ed. Borgen	.50
J. S. Lebran	.50
Wm. Warner	.50
A. A. Wangenstein	.50
Anna J. Quale	.50
A. Ahlborn	.50
The Army Store	.50
A. A. Thoreson	.50
Ole G. Granum	.50
P. Walstedt	.25

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MINNESOTA MAN GAINS 26 POUNDS

"I Am in Fine Health" Says Cominis After Taking Tanlac.

"When I began taking Tanlac I only weighed a hundred and fourteen pounds, but now I tip the scales at one hundred and forty," said Leo Cominis, an employee of the Imperial Candy Co., at 501 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minn.

"For nearly six years I had been troubled with indigestion, I never felt hungry and I went down in weight. I had cramping spells that nearly killed me, gas formed awful bad and my stomach distressed me all the time. Then my back ached terribly, and instead of getting any better I was growing worse.

"Finally I began taking Tanlac and it fit my case so well that I can't tell now there was ever anything at all the matter with me. My appetite has come back and I am never bothered with stomach trouble any more. My back does not hurt now and I have gained twenty-six pounds. I am in fine health once more and am glad to go on record as endorsing Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm and at Goodridge by G. G. Gubrud.—adv.

Were Crookston Visitors.

Misses Ethel Gustafson, Ida Turnquist, Petra Olson and Anna Olson of Crookston, were guests at the home of the former's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson, over Sunday. They returned to their respective homes on Monday.

Legal Notices

Bank No. 1241

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1921, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That Section Six of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six:—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this Corporation shall at any time be subject shall be $20,000.00.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Hazel, Minnesota on the sixth day of January, A. D. 1921.

PAUL BORCHE, Vice President.
[illegible] KARWAND, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 6th day of January, 1921, be- [illegible]

NOTICE FOR PROPOSALS.

City Depository.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minn., for depositories of the moneys in the city treasury during the year ensuing after Feb. 1, 1921, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said city prior to eight o'clock p. m., Feb. 1, 1921, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read and contract let for such depositories.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 12th day of January, 1921.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

J13-20-27

NOTICE FOR PROPOSALS.

City Printing.

Notice is hereby given, that sealed proposals will be received by the City Council, City of Thief River Falls, Minn., for the publishing of the ordinances and proceedings of the council and other public notices required by law, and the financial statement of the city, for the year ensuing after Feb. 1, 1921, and that such proposals must be filed with the City Clerk of said city prior to eight o'clock p. m., Feb. 1, 1921, at which time all proposals received will be opened and read and contract let for such publishing.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 12th day of January, 1921.

By order of the City Council.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

J13-20-27

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Four and 11-100 ($804.11) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Oeen and Carrie M. Oeen, his wife, Mortgagors, to Goodridge State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 462, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The West Half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirteen (13), and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Fourteen (14), all in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range numbered Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $804.11 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said [illegible]

[illegible]

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

[illegible]

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Adoption of Territory.

[illegible]

...order of said court.
Dated January 17, 1921.
ADOLF EKLUND
Clerk of District Court,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Seal of District Court)
Pennington County, Minn.
J20-27-F3

Citation For Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Bertha O. Swanson

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha O. Swanson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to William A. [illegible]

...of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $212.67, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 5th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J13-20-27-F3-10-17

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows.—J. M. Thelge, Sec. 9, Smiley, R. 3, City. 2p

DRESSMAKING: Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, First St. E. 107tf

FOR SALE—Purebred Holstein bull calf, 4 months. Extra good individual. Also high grade bull calf 2 weeks old at veal prices, if taken at once.—Frank J. Hardisty, Kratka, Minn. 108

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Labree's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 107tf

FOR SALE—Fodder corn in shock.—W. E. Smith, Thief River Falls. 2p

FOR SALE—Seven room house with 5 lots, 621 Horace Ave N. 1

FOR SALE—One Shorthorn bull; one Martin feed mill No. 6; also bred cows, due in April, and May bred by full blooded Poland China boar. John Nelson, R. 1, city, 15 miles west of town. 108p

FOR SALE—Detroit Vapor oil stove. 121, St. Paul Ave N. 1

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 812 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Welter, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 20tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Lexington car, driven only 4200 miles. Enquire at Times office. 72tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining 160, Elbee will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 135, City. 63tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—I have a house which must be moved off the lot on which it is at present. Will be sold cheap. Andrew Ness. 50tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White [illegible] seed oats at 75 cents per bushel. Write or call Thore Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 102tf

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10 cents per pound.—Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls, Minn. 106tf

FOR SALE—Or will consider trade for modern residence in Thief River Falls ¼ section farm, all fenced, good buildings drilled well; 12 miles from Thief River Falls. Enquire at The Times office. 17tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 55tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR LAND—One seven room house and two lots; one four room and four lots—Andrew Ness. 67tf

FOR SALE—Fordson Tractor complete with fenders, top and brand new pulley; used two seasons. Price $165.00.—Millard Brumd, Nielsville, Minn. 108p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence, (no land.) C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 101tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three room steam heated flat. Vacant February 1st. C. W. McDonald. 107tf

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Large heated room, can be used for light housekeeping. Call 228 or 117 Main Ave. S. 106tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 99tf

FOR RENT—Uptodate dairy lunch and confectionary. The only cash business going. Line town. Here is your chance to make some money the coming year. Owner going away. Write The Times. 104tf

FOR RENT—Uptodate dairy lunch and confectionary. A real money maker. The only cash business going. Line town. Here is your chance to make money the coming year. Owner going away. Write Times. 104tf

BARN FOR RENT—Inquire First and Peoples State Bank. 108

FOR RENT—Furnished and heated room, suitable for a student who wishes to board himself. Write or call at Times office. 107pd

Help Wanted—Male

Help Wanted—Female

POSITION WANTED

LOST

STRAYED—One sheep. Finder please notify T. Stenberg, Bridge St. Phone 592. 107p

FOUND—A black leather bill fold. Owner may have same by identifying property and paying for this add.—L. J. Crary, 118 Markley South. 106tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO RENT—A piano. Write or call at Times office. 107pd

COMFORTABLE small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 104tf

SEWING WANTED at 101 State Ave. South. Reasonable price. 106p

WANTED—Large quantity of Spring Rye. Write or inquire J. H. Kuesler, 114 Conley N. 107p

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ALL PROCEEDS TO STARVING BABIES

European Children Get Entire Sum Taken in at Lyceum Theater Saturday.

A special picture for children, "The Fairy and the Waif," starring Mary Miles Minter, will be shown at the Lyceum theatre on Saturday afternoon. The entire proceeds of the matinee will go to the European Children's Relief fund. H. A. Brumund, proprietor of the Princess and Lyceum theaters, will defray all expenses incidental to the showing of the picture here.

Moving picture exhibitors all over the United States are following much the same plan adopted by Mr. Brumund for the purpose of raising two and one-half million dollars, which sum has been guaranteed by them for the relief of the millions of starving and suffering children of the European countries. Following the appeal made to the people of the country by Herbert Hoover, chairman of the relief council, moving picture exhibitors called special conventions at New York and Chicago, at which the above mentioned course was adopted.

Wrestler Dies Following Operation For Appendicitis

Tarje Froisness of Goodridge, died at the Physicians' hospital here early Monday morning following an operation for appendicitis performed on Sunday afternoon. The cause of his death is given as "surgical shock." The deceased suffered a broken rib directly over the heart in a wrestling match with a local training partner on the night of January 17. Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, who attended Mr. Froisness previous to the time of his death and who performed the operation, stated that there was no connection between the injury received in the wrestling match and the cause of death, and tho the wrestler was of powerful physique, his vitality was lowered and considerable internal inflammation present as a result of a severe attack of typhoid fever suffered last spring. Following the operation, the patient did not react to stimulants, the recovering entirely from the effects of the anaesthetic.

Tarje Froisness was born near this city and was 25 years old at the time of his death. During his lifetime he made his residence either at his farm nine miles east of Thief River Falls or in the city. Funeral services were held this noon from the Larson funeral chapel. Interment was made in the cemetery near his former farm home. He is survived by one brother, Tallek, who makes his home at Thief River Falls and four sisters; Mrs. T. Johnson of Kempton, N. D.; Mrs. J. D. Baxter of Larimore, N. D.; Mrs. E. C. Strafer of Larimore and Mrs. V. C. Cartier of Wenatche, Washington.

Liquor Confiscated But Owner Fails to Appear

Federal agents trailed two large suitcases of perfectly good liquor into the city via the Soo Wheat line last Saturday evening, but the owner failed to put in an appearance. Local officials met the train and spotted the two suitcases, which were taken to one of the leading hotels with other articles of baggage and there deposited awaiting the owners claim. As no one could be identified with the luggage during a strict vigil of several hours duration, both articles were confiscated and forwarded to the Federal department at St. Paul, without having been opened.

Elks Will Raise Rates After Iinitiation Feb. 4

A special meeting of the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks has been called for 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the Masonic hall. Applications for membership will be heard, balloting taking place and the question of quarters for the coming year discussed.

This meeting is the last time that applications will be read before the big initiation night of February 4, which has been designated as Past Exalted Ruler's night. It is estimated that a class of fifty will be put thru the proper tactics necessary to making them good and loyal Elks. The membership drive will close on Monday evening, January 31, any applications for membership received previous to that time being at the old rate of $35. Starting February 1, the membership fee will be $50.

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Spelling Contest Dates For This County Changed

County Superintendent of Schools George M. Gunderson has announced that the Pennington county spelling contest for the purpose of selecting representatives to the Red River valley winter show's rural school spelling contest at Crookston on February 11, will be conducted in Thief River Falls on Saturday, February 5 at 1:30 p. m. The contest was previously scheduled to take place on the morning of February 11, but a change of plans was necessitated because of conflicting train schedules. The contestants will meet at the Lincoln high school building.

The contest will consist of an oral test of 50 words, and a written test of 50 words. If there should be a tie it will be decided by an oral spell down. Each rural school in the county may send one representative. These are to be chosen at the discretion of the teachers.

Obituary

Nels Leiren.

On Jan. 19, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Pernilla Williams, occurred the death of Nels Leiren, a former resident of this city. A number of years ago Mr. Leiren was proprietor of a restaurant here and is well known to a number of local residents. The deceased was born in Norway on Nov. 20, 1860 and came to America when a young man and has made his home in the cities of Crookston, Grand Forks and Thief River Falls. Since last November he has lived with his daughter, Mrs. Pernilla Williams, at Rollis. At the time of his death he was affiliated with the United Lutheran church. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. R. L. Barackman, of this city, at the Rollis church and interment made in the Rollis cemetery. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Pernilla Williams and son Robert Leiren of Grand Forks.

Olaus Dokken.

Funeral services over the remains of O. Dokken, father of Mrs. C. Storholm of this city, were held at the Christian Science church on Monday. The deceased met his death in an accident at Wampum, Can., where he had made his home in recent years. He formerly resided at Gonvick, to which place the body was taken for burial. He leaves to mourn his death five daughters, two sons, two sisters, and one brother. Their names are Mrs. Lenora Hoialmen, Fosston; Mrs. L. Syverson, Clearbrook; Mrs. John Sheggrud, Hazel; Mrs. A. Hallen, Grand Forks; Mae Dokken, Wampum, Canada; Wm. Dokken, Winnipeg; Henry Dokken, Wampum, Can.; Mrs. C. K. Onsgaard and Mrs. H. N. Gjertinger, both of Halstad, N. D., and H. D. Dokken, Eckman, N. D. All were present at the funeral.

Ida M. Torreson.

Ida M. Torreson, wife of George Torreson, died on Jan. 19 at her home near this city following a stroke of paralysis. Deceased was born in Hamilton County, Iowa Sept. 12, 1865. On April 28, 1891, she was united in marriage to Mr. Torreson at Pocahontas Center, Ia. Later they resided at Randall in the same state until the fall of 1904 when they removed to Newport, Wash., where they remained until 1920, when they moved on a farm near this city. Mrs. Torreson is survived by her husband and daughter, two sisters, three brothers and a host of friends who will mourn her demise. Funeral services were held at the Trinity Lutheran church on Monday with Rev. Sweger conducting. Interment took place at Greenwood cemetery.

Society and Club

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained a few ladies at her home Friday afternoon. A delicious lunch followed the social hour.

Choral Society.

The Choral society will meet on Friday evening at the Commercial club rooms at 7:00 o'clock instead of the usual hour of 7:30. Everyone is asked to be in their places at the appointed hour.

Entertains at Whist.

Mrs. Wm. BonDurant is entertaining twenty ladies at whist this afternoon at her home, 402 Main Ave. N. The hostess will be assisted by Mrs. L. F. Fisher and Mrs. P. W. Mabey in the serving of the lunch.

Entertained.

In compliment to Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren of Minneapolis, who is a guest of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mrs. H. G. Hieber and Mrs. Victoria McKinney entertained a few friends at the latter's home on Tuesday afternoon.

Social Welfare Meets.

The Social Welfare Section of the Woman's club held their second meeting at the home of Mrs. E. M. Stanton on Tuesday, with a very good attendance. The afternoon was spent in making crib quilts and in patching. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Bratrud.

Entertains.

Honoring Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgrenn, who is a guest of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mrs. C. O. Erickson informally entertained a few of her friends at her apartments on Thursday afternoon. The guests were Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mrs. F. E. Hunt, Mrs. L. A. Hermanson and Mrs. H. Froseth.

Novel Affair.

The spacious home of Mrs. G. C. Streeter, 105 Main Ave. S., was the scene of a novel affair in the form of a house picnic last evening. The rooms were made attractive by the use of numerous baskets of flowers. Various games and cards made up the evenings entertainment which was brought to a close by the service of a delicious buffet lunch. About twenty guests shared the pleasure of the event.

In Honor of Miss Eklund.

In compliment to her sister, Miss Ellen Eklund of Minneapolis, who is her guest, Mrs. H. E. Rhodegaard informally entertained a few friends at her home Friday evening. The evening was spent in music and fortune telling. The guests were, Misses Belle Hermanson, Effie Christianson, Christine Clausen, Thora Hanson, Ellen Eklund, Mrs. Anna Dock, Mrs. Ole Granum. A delicious lunch was served at midnight.

Benefit Dance.

The benefit dance given at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening, was a complete sucess, both socially and financially. The tidy sum of $54.80 was realized which will be presented to Miss Hildur Akerlund, who came to this country from Norway only 14 months ago, and who has been crippled with rheumatism since the first week in July. A sumptuous lunch was served by several ladies at the close of the evening.

Tobogganing Party.

A number of high school students enjoyed a toboggan'ng party at the horseshoe bend on Monday evening. They repaired to Black's Sweet shop for refreshments after, which they went to the home of Morris Mabey where the hours were devoted to games, music and dancing. The guests were: Violet Krohn, Myrtle Krohn, Helen Langseth, Ella Krohn, Marie Kruse, Anna Leimers, Lulu Cook and Morris Mabey, Ernest Barzen, Leo Garvey, Norbert Holzknecht, Allan Fossum, Alfred Dybvik and Allan Gradin.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Jan. 24. Lesson No. 6, entitled, "Party Organization" will be led by Mrs. J. M. Bishop. Current Events will be under the supervision of Mrs. C. T. Christianson. A community sing, under the direction of Miss Maude Johnson will be a feature of the afternoon. The meeting will commence at 3:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Entertained on Thursday.

Mrs. A. P. Robinson pleasantly entertained a number of her friends at her home on Main avenue last Thursday. Cards formed the principal diversion of the afternoon, the honors being awarded to Mrs. L. W. Manther and Mrs. Roy Morgan. A delicious luncheon was served at five o'clock. Those having the pleasure of the afternoon were Mrs. Lyle Bergstrom, Mrs. L. W. Manther, Mrs. John Robinson and Mrs. Roy Morgan.

Girls Community Club Meeting.

The Girls' Community club held its regular meeting at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening. The meeting was called to order by the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by Miss Effie Hanry, secretary. This was followed by current events by Miss Mae Bark and Miss Lyda Batten. Misses Ruth Freidstad and Frances Wengler favored the club with a piano duet. The social hours which followed the business session were spent in needlework, music and dancing. Lunch was served by the Knox teachers.

Eastern Star Initiation.

The local order of the Eastern Star lodge held initiation at the Masonic hall last evening, after which a social time was enjoyed. Six gentlemen from the lodge formed a committee on serving which had complete charge of both entertainment and refreshments. Each was dressed in a uniform of white with a vivid colored tie of yellow and red, wearing a large sunflower to set off the costume, which added greatly to the merriment of the occasion. The party adjourned at a late hour, the guests voting their hosts exceptional entertainers.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 1, at 3 p. m., entertained by Mesdames J. H. Hardesty and H. C. Durrin, at 412 Red Lake Blvd.

All members are requested to be present as the annual dues must be paid in now. A special invitation is extended to every Christian woman to come and join the Woman's Christian Temperance union, we need your help. It is your Christian duty to make the whole world safer, purer, more homelike; to safeguard the health and highest happiness of all the mothers and the children of the Orient and of the Occident. This is the program of the Woman's Temperance. Union. Come and join us.

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Churches

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 30: English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, Feb. 6: English and German services at Esplee at 10 a. m. German services near Grygla at 3 p. m. English services in Grygla at 8 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 13: German services at 10 a. m. and English services at 2:30 p. m. at Germantown. f17

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Sunday, Jan. 30: Service in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching services will be dropped as the pastor will be absent, preaching at Greenbush and Roseau. Bible class meets Thursday at 8 p. m. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hans Anton.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Jan. 30. 10 a. m. Sunday school. Classes are open for all who wish to study God's word. 11 a. m. morning worship. The morning theme will be in harmony with the day, Young Peoples' day. Juniors, 3 p. m. C. E. 6:45. 8 p. m., evening worship. Musical and pageant program: Prelude. Evening prayer, "Round Me Falls the Night," Junior choir. Chorus, "Round the Throne of Glory," Junior Choir. Solo, Bonnie Barnet. Hymn 175. Scripture, prayer, chant, "The Lord's Prayer." Solo and chorus, Muriel Loken and Junior choir. Chorus, "Raise the Song of Triumph," Junior choir. Part song, "We Sail Along Toward the Harbor Lights," Lillian Johnston, Gladys Christenson, Malvina Ruprecht, Mary DeVelling and Junior choir. Boys' song and chorus, "Now is the Time to Decide," Buell Will, Earl Benson, Kieth Craik, Dale Ziegler, Clifton Conner and Junior choir. Selection, church cho'r. Double quartette, "The Mighty Victor," Lorrayne Crandall, Lorraine Will, Thelma Christianson, Ellen Crandall, Ariel Kinghorn, Buell Will, Kieth Craik, Clifton Conner. Offering for young people. Violin solo, Lorraine Will. Selection, church choir, Address, "Christian Endeavor." Miss Lucia Brown, C. E. President. Pageant, "Keep Faith, Press On," presented by the Christian Endeavor societies under the direction of Miss Margaret Dix.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible class at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. Services at 7:45 p. m. Services at Rindahl church, Rosewood, at 2:30 p. m., with communion. Rindahl Ladies' Aid at Sivert Rafteseth's Tuesday, Feb. 1st. Confirmants same day at the same place at 12:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evenings. Confirmants meet every Saturday at 2 p. m. at the parsonage. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, Jan. 27th entertained by Miss Carrie Oftelie.

Christian Science—Services will be held at the city auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject "Love." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to these services. Reading room at the same place open on Tuesday and Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5.

S. D. A. Mission—The following subject will be presented on Sunday evening, Jan. 30, 7:30 o'clock: "The Beast, the Horn, the Eyes, the Mouth. A Wonderful Prophecy and its Striking Fulfillment." Saturday at 2:00 p. m. Sabbath school and Bible class. Preaching services at 3 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services every evening this week at 7:30. The Evangelists are talking to a packed house every night and a timely message is given each time. Friday the service will be in the English language and the subject will be "Thief River Falls." A live-wire message will be delivered and the young folks are especially invited. Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and morning service at 11. English service at 3 p. m. and service at 7:30 p. m. The Evangelists will speak at all these meetings. Next week commencing Tuesday, they will be at the Eastside schoolhouse in St. Hilaire every evening at 7:30 p. m. Come and bring your friends.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class Saturday 10 a. m. at the parsonage. Norwegian services Sunday 11 a. m. English 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and bible class 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, 7:30 p. m. at the home of A. J. Sanden. Ladies' Aid society will be entertained Thursday, Feb. 3rd, by Mrs. Gilbert Granum, Mrs. Rasmus Oen, Mrs. Ed. Evenson and Mrs. Severin Hanson. Choir practice Thursday evening at Larson's Furniture store. Rev. H. B. Thorgrimson will give a lecture in English on Iceland, under the auspices of the Young Peoples' society. No admission will be charged or collection taken for the lecture. Rev. Thorgrimson has also promised to give some vocal selections. It is hoped that there will be a large gathering to greet this interesting lecturer and splendid singer. The program will be given in the church proper. Afterwards refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee will be served by the society in the church parlors. Remember the date, Thursday evening, Feb. 3rd, 8 p. m.

ST. HILAIRE

New St. Hilaire School To be Dedicated Jan. 28

The new school building at St. Hilaire will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies on the evening of Friday, Jan. 28. George A. Selke of the state department of education, will *deliver the principal address* and there will be other speakers.

The subject of a local community club will be discussed at the same time, County Agent J. J. McCann being present to state the purposes of such organization and it is probable that a club will be formed at the time.

After the speaking program visitors will be invited to inspect the new building which is one of the most complete in this section.

Axel Johnson left Thursday for New York City and will sail January 28th for Denmark, where he will visit for an indefinite time. This is Mr. Johnson's second visit to the old country.

Albert Kolp returned Saturday to Lovedale, where he has a contract cutting pulp wood, after spending a week here attending to business matters.

Mrs. H. A. Olson left last week for Calgary, Canada, being called there by the illness of her father, J. Sorum.

Mrs. Helen Chelin was a Thief River Falls caller Monday.

Oscar Carlson left Thursday for Grand Forks, returning Friday morning. He was accompanied on his return by Mrs. Carlson who had underwent an operation at the Deaconess hospital.

Miss Maybelle Swanson, a student at the Thief River Falls high school, spent Sunday at the parental home.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson shopped and visited over Sunday at Thief River Falls.

Ed. Dahl, accompanied by his mother and sister, returned the latter part of the week from Rochester, where Mrs. Dahl had gone to seek medical aid.

Mrs. E. E. Anderson, mother of Mrs. K. O. Gigstad, arrived Friday from points in North Dakota, where she had visited with relatives for some time.

Albert Hall of St. Paul and Arthur Hall of Keewatin, Minn., returned the latter part of the week to their respective homes after being here for the funeral of their father, the late Andrew Hall.

Edward Moren of Black River, returned Friday from points in Wisconsin and southern Minnesota, where he had visited the past few weeks.

Miss Esther Fricker returned the latter part of the week to Grygla, to resume her duties as teacher after a month's vacation at the home of her parents.

The Misses Blanch Hoff, Edith Nelson, Mabel Patterson and Mrs. C. F. Brantner motored Saturday evening to Thief River Falls to meet Miss Selma Hoff, who arrived over the Soo from Warren. She had accompanied Miss Anna Brandt, who has undergone an operation for appendicitis at the hospital in the latter city. Miss Brandt is recovering rapidly and can be expected home soon.

Wesley Pierson arrived Wednesday from Thief River Falls for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Pierson.

Christ Hall of Duluth, and Sullivan Hall of Crookston, brother and nephew respectively of the late Andrew Hall, returned Thursday after being here for the funeral which was held at the M. E. church.

Fred Gunstad, formerly employed by the Grand Forks American, who has spent the past month with his mother, Mrs. A. Gunstad, left Tuesday for Crookston where he will be employed on the Crookston Daily Times.

Tim Enstrude returned Tuesday evening to Grand Forks after spending the day here attending to business matters.

K. O. Gigstad transacted business at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Miss Hazel Wallen left Tuesday for Thief River Falls for a visit at the Henry Ebbighausen home.

Henry Luttmer of Wylie was a caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed. Eide returned Tuesday after spending a week visiting friends and relatives at Red Lake Falls.

The Misses Ragna Laberg, Nellie Follstad and Josephine Branum spent Tuesday at Thief River Falls shopping and visiting.

Mrs. F. A. Brown of Thief River Falls came Wednesday for a few days' visit at the Branum home.

E. O. Hagglund left last week to be employed in a lumber camp near Gemmel, Minn.

Mrs. Henry Stensrud of Thief River Falls is visiting at the home of *her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Just.*

E. H. Fellman left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis. After an indefinite visit there he plans to leave for California to visit his sister, Mrs. U. S. Swanson, of SanFrancisco.

A. F. Hall attended to business in Thief River Falls between trains on Tuesday.

A. O. Brevik, secretary of the Red Lake Drainage commission, was at Thief River Falls Tuesday attending a business meeting.

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GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	[illegible]
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.37
Oats	[illegible]
Flax	1.52
Barley	.36
Rye	1.31
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.10
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.77
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.67
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Geese, alive, per lb.	[illegible]
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.25
Spring Chickens	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.40
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery butter	.52
Cow Hides, per lb.	.05
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10-.11
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10-.12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.12
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	[illegible]
Steers, per lb.	.04-.06
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

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Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, eminent psychologist, expert in salesmanship, advertising and the scientific handling of men, who is conducting a series of lectures here this week before the merchants of this city, retail salespeople and general public, will present his famous lecture, "City Pride and Prosperity" at the city auditorium on Thursday evening. The general public is invited and urged to attend by the Merchants' association, under whose auspices Dr. Krebs is appearing here. No admission will be charged.

The lecture, in Dr. Krebs' own words, will have the greatest "punch" of any delivered here during his series. He will go deep into explanation of the steps necessary for the people of Thief River Falls to take in order to accomplish what the city wants or needs to do. He will explain how a drawing power and center of influence can be made of the city, suggesting methods in which old and young can personally co-operate.

His lecture scheduled for Saturday afternoon has been cancelled, owing to the fact that Dr. Kreb's itinerary calls for his departure from Thief River Falls on Friday evening. As a substitute for the Saturday lecture he will speak before the Woman's club at the Commercial club rooms on Friday at 3:30 o'clock. His subject will be, "Constructive Discipline," and should be of especial interest to mothers, dealing as it does with the proper up-bringing of the child. The Merchants' association has extended a general invitation to the women of the community, whether or not members of the Woman's club, to be present at this lecture, for which no admission will be charged.

The Opening Address.

Dr. Krebs delivered the opening shot of his series of lectures here at a banquet given at the Brumund hotel on Monday evening. Over 80 business men, the largest attendance on record for any event of a like nature, in the history of the city, were seated at the board. He took for his topic, "The Two Demons" or "Fear and Worry in Business" and gave the psychological results of harboring these two serpents in the mind. On Tuesday and Wednesday evening he spoke before the city merchants and their employees, as well as many other interested citizens, at the Commercial club rooms. The subjects of his lectures were "Ways That Win" and "Merchandise" or "The Glory of Material Things." At the regular noonday luncheon of the Commercial club today he spoke on "The Intellectual Powers Applied to Industry."

Traveler and Scholar.

The lecturer deals in facts. He has traveled widely; has appeared on the operatic and dramatic stages and is an accomplished musician on the pipe organ and piano; he writes poetry, has been a locomotive engineer, and is a professional physician. He has written many books on a variety of subjects, conducts a psychological laboratory at Washington, D. C. and during the spare hours of his present tour is engaged in writing more books. He speaks with a force and sincerity that creates a lasting impression, holding the attention of his audience to his last word and he seems possessed with the idea of putting across a statement of awesome facts, clinching them home with a few final words of a smile or laughter-provoking nature. He has enthused all who have heard him as no other speaker here has done before.

In an interview granted a member of The Times staff, Dr. Krebs stated that he considered the attendance at the banquet and other lectures given here, exceptionally good and that he enjoyed the spirit in which his talks were taken by the listeners. He also added that his audiences seemed to be taking hold and really getting the meat out of his statements.

Still Writing Books.

Upon entering the doctor's room at the Evelyn hotel, the reporter discovered him seated before a diminutive typewriter, a smile on his face and hand extended. Sheafs of papers, pamphlets and manuscript were everywhere—on the bed, chairs, tables, in grips and on the floor. In response to the remark that "it looked like a busy place," the doctor volunteered the information that he was engaged in the biggest work of his life, one that was his greatest ambition and dream—the writing of a set of nine books for the Federal schools of Minneapolis, entitled, "Science of Personal Success" and comprising in all 27 sections. In further explaining their text, Dr. Krebs said:

"The volumes should be of use to anyone in any walk of life who wishes to make the best use of physical powers or mental faculties, including those of memory, reasoning or imagination, the heart powers, the nine great feelings from sex to soul which move the race and the individual, the powers of will, determination, action, perseverance, thoroughness and initiative and, lastly, the so-called religious powers of faith—confidence in the cosmic, or God, as a practical power, and the uplift of the spirit on all other powers of a man's personality, thus welding the whole range of powers into unity, spelling success." The work will be used for correspondence instruction.

Grand Jury Finds Seven True Bills and Adjourns After Four Day Session

The grand jury called for the February term of district court finished its labors and reported to Judge Andrew Grindeland this morning. Seven indictments were found, as follows: Fred Brendecke, storing and having liquor for sale; Godfrey Carlson, selling liquor to an Indian; Arthur Charboneau, Richard Bartlett, Eckert Lane and Victor Norquist, third degree burglary; Axel Anderson and Joe Trodeau, running gambling house; R. C. Flegenshaw, breaking seal of railway car; Samuel R. Kirby, keeping tubercular patients in hospital without isolating them; Earl Reeves, petit larceny. The latter has pleaded guilty but sentence has not yet been pronounced.

HIGHEST AWARD TO BUTTER MADE HERE

Thief River Creamery Product Takes First Prize at Fergus Falls Convention.

First prize for butter made at the creameries within the district covered by the Red River Valley Dairymen's association was awarded to the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery at the convention held in Fergus Falls last week. The butter scored 93 points and Buttermaker Harold J. Olson, is naturally much pleased with the showing made. While scoring either in second or third place at every convention of the association in recent years, this is the first time the top honor has been landed by the local institution.

There is no question but that the creamery is turning out an exceptionally fine product at this time. That such is the case is evidenced by the uniformly high price received when sold in competition with the leading creameries of the country.

Business at the Thief River Falls butter factory is very good at this time, the receipts showing a considerable increase over those of previous years. While the price for butterfat has fallen off somewhat in sympathy with other products, yet it is easily more than holding its own and the man who depends on the dairy cow is still in an envied position.

ELKS LODGE PLANS TO BREAK RECORDS

Initiation on Friday Night and Dance on Monday Will Both Be Unusual.

The near advent of Lent forces the local lodge of Elks to hold two important functions within a short time. On Friday evening a class of about 40 will be initiated at the auditorium, the occasion being designated as Past Exalted Rulers night. Those who have held the highest office in the lodge will be specially honored and the work will be exemplified by them instead of the present officers. The past exalted rulers of Thief River Falls lodge are H. E. Ives, now a resident of Brainerd; Joseph Feeley of St. Paul; A. H. Fasel, Nampa, Idaho; F. H. Herrick, Andy Anderson and L. R. Johnston, city. A special invitation has been extended to the former lodge heads to be present at this time.

The lodge will meet at 8 o'clock sharp and the candidates are requested to be on hand not later than 8:30.

The last pre-lenten dance will be given on Monday evening, Feb. 7. This will be a "hard times" affair at which all the members will wear their old-fashioned clothes, but it is understood that there will be no serious objection to coming to the party with clean hands and properly shaved. In order that any who may disregard the injunctions issued in this respect shall be properly punished a kangaroo court will be in session continuously throughout the evening, and woe betide any who dare put in an appearance in a starched collar or bearing other evidences of being "stuck up."

Turkey Gobbler Shortens Own Life by Entire Week

Local rifle shots went gunning throughout a section of the city last Sunday when a great bronze turkey escaped from an inclosure at the Hotel Evelyn and started on a tour of house tops. The bird first flew to the roof of a nearby garage, then perched on the ridges of several houses in the residence section, and so on into the north part of town, pursued by hotel employees armed with clubs and drag nets. The trail after several hours of pursuit became lost, the bird eventually being located on a hay stack near the outskirts of the city, when a well aimed rifle shot ended the jaunt. Fortunately the bird was meant for next Sunday's dinner instead of last Sunday's.

Hear Dr. Stanley L. Krebs at the Auditorium tonight.

FORTY SERVICE MEN APPLY FOR TRAINING BERTH

Twelve Claimants Are Accepted Without Further Formality Under Class 2 Rating.

Five Others Will be Put Through Upon Proof That Service Caused Disability.

Given Choice of Numerous Trades and Professions as Well as Colleges.

More than 40 ex-service men, residents of Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Pennington and Red Lake counties, made use of the opportunity presented by the coming here on Tuesday and Wednesday of an eligibility squad from district headquarters of the Federal Board for Vocational Training, to present claims for training or to secure proper adjustment of claims previously filed. Twelve claimants were awarded training under class 2 and all preliminary arrangements necessary to entering courses of from one to four years' duration made. The eligibility squad, which left here Wednesday afternoon for two-day stops at Crookston, Fergus Falls and St. Cloud, was made up of W. E. Hardy, Washington representative of the Federal board; William Rockford, contact officer; C. B. Bressler, special vocational advisor; Dr. Frank L. Alloway, representing the district medical department, and A. Hehn, secretary of the squad. C. J. Batton of the Minneapolis offices of the Federal board was also in the city on Tuesday. A staff of local stenographers was employed to expedite the clerical work.

Of the 40 men who appeared before the squad, 19 were rated as eligible to class 2 training, which provides for the payment of from $80 to $100 sustenance by the Federal board while men are at school or receiving instruction by placement. Seven of the 19 men, aside from the 12 whose claims were approved, have but to furnish proof connecting their disability with service to be at once placed in training. More than 25 men were rated as eligible for training either under class 2 or class 3. In the latter case men are eligible to training without the payment of sustenance. Several ex-service men who incurred no disability of any nature while in the service appeared before the squad because of a misunderstaning.

A number of those found eligible for training were granted the privilege of entering school or shop immediately, but requested a short time in which to make proper preparations. In other cases a short period of time was found necessary to the location of suitable openings for placement training or until the next school terms open.

Of the 12 men whose claims were approved, one will enter training fitting him as a steam and electric power plant operator, one as a tractor and automobile truck operator and repair man, one as a linotype operator and repair man, one will take up the study of hotel management, two will take courses in animal husbandry and two will enter into the study of journalism as a profession. Several have not as yet selected a vocation. The courses of instruction which these men will enter are of from one to four years duration. Four of the ex-service men will take college work at accredited schools or universities.

Service men who appeared before the eligibility squad speak with great approval of the dispatch with which their cases were handled and of the courteous treatment received at the hands of its members.

T. P. Anderson, as chairman of the Home Service section of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross, was present at the club rooms and rendered great service to ex-service men and the eligibility squad in the matter of compensation claims.

Claim Bridge is Unsafe.

The Pennington county board of commissioners has arranged for a hearing on Feb. 23 regarding the maintenance of the wagon bridge crossing the Thief river just east of the Soo round house and shops by the town board of North. Voters of the township at the last election authorized repairs on the bridge, which have not been effected by the town board. The bridge is said to be in an unsafe condition.

ATTRACTIVE SIGNS MARK STATE ROADS

These Valuable Aids to Travelers Will Soon be Placed at All Intersections.

B. F. Umland, state highway engineer for Pennington county, states that a complete set of road signs and county boundary markers will be installed on all state roads of the county as early in the spring as the condition of the grounds will permit the setting of steel posts. Twelve sets of signs are at present under construction at the factory.

The metal road signs will be placed at all intersections of state roads or at intersections of state and other arterial highways. The 12 sets ordered are constituted by 66 individual signs, each of a directory nature, in addition to six boundary markers to be placed where state roads enter the county. The latter will be placed on the same posts with boundary markers of adjacent counties. Two-way signs will be placed at many points and four-way signs at others, in order that the directions may easily be picked up by travelers approaching from any angle. All signs will show the distance to Thief River Falls, in addition to that from other points within a radius of 40 miles.

The drilled metal signs are described as being "large enough to read and easy to look at." When they are installed the arterial highways of Marshall, Red Lake and Pennington counties will be marked in a uniform and most efficient manner, which will at all times let the tourist know just "where he's at."

COUNCIL PEEVED; TWO BANKS SECURE ALL CITY DEPOSITS

Equal Division Arrangement in Force During Past Two Years Summarily Upset.

After some dissention among members of the city council on the subject, that body at a special session called for Tuesday night passed a resolution designating the Farmers & Merchants State bank and the First and Peoples State bank as depositories for city funds, the former to receive 25 per cent and the latter 75 per cent of all moneys. The allotment is directly proportional to the capital and surplus of the two institutions. Interest is to be paid at the rate of three per cent.

The special session was called for the hearing of bids, which were the same from the four city banks, namely, three per cent. During the past two years, bids from the four banks having been at a same rate of interest, the city funds were allotted to the four in proportion to the capital and surplus. A motion making the same allotment for the present year failed to pass when put to a vote. A new motion to the effect first mentioned carried by a vote of 4 to 2, President Brumund and Councilmen Brandon, Ihle and Dahl voting for the proposal while Councilmen Froseth and Ness voted against it. The two dissenting voters remonstrated previous to the motion being put to a vote, but to no avail. T. L. Melgaard, representing the Citizens State bank also entered a plea that the satisfactory arrangement of last year be continued.

When asked for an explanation of the motive for an allotment which, it was alleged by two members of the council, was apparently unjust, President H. A. Brumund replied to the effect that officials of the First National and Citizens State banks had been signers of a petition which resulted in an audit of the city's books by a public examiner; that the movement had been accomplished in an underhanded manner without consulting members of the council, thereby reflecting on the characters of said members, and that the banks, under those circumstances, were not deserving of the slightest consideration.

A public examiner appeared at the city clerk's office on Monday upon a petition signed by 10 per cent of the tax payers of the city and has been at work on the books since that time. His appearance was a great surprise to members of the council who had no inkling of his coming although a resolution was passed at the last regular session which authorized an audit of the books but which had not yet been sent in.

Banquet and Lectures Of The Merchants Ass'n. For Spring Season, 1921

Success of Present Course So Marked That Plan Will be Continued During February and March—Noted Speakers Coming.

At the close of Dr. Stanley L. Krebs' lecture on Monday evening a meeting of the Merchants association was held at which it was decided to sign up for the following lectures and banquets to be given during the late winter and early spring season.

Wednesday, Feb. 9—"Community Service," Judge F. T. Wilson, community adviser for state of Minnesota. Banquet at Evelyn, 6:30.

Wednesday, Feb. 23—"The Present Business Outlook," Prof. J. E. Ebersole, professor of business economics, Banquet at Brumund, 6:30.

Wednesday, March 9—"Business Cycles," Prof. Frank Payne, head of department of trade and industry. Banquet at Evelyn, 6:30.

Wednesday, March 23—"The Retail Merchant's Opportunity," Prof. R. H. Pelz, department of business economics. Banquet at Brumund, 6:30.

Wednesday, April 6—"Pending Social Problems," Prof. M. C. Elmer, department of sociology. Banquet at Evelyn, 6:30.

Date not set—"Getting the Most Out of Retailing," J. P. Farley, National Cash Register Co., motionpicture lecturer.

Season tickets, $9; single tickets, $2. Season tickets may be purchased up to and including the second day before the banquet.

Invitations extended to all persons in city or surrounding towns to attend. Tickets may be secured from secretary or any members of Merchants association.

ANNUAL DINNER AND MEETING OF CREAMERY MEN

Hans Anton Elected President of Association For Third Consecutive Term.

Matter of Enlarging Creamery to Be Investigated by Committee of Five.

More Than 500 Persons Partake of Excellent Dinner—Plan Will Be Revised.

The annual dinner and meeting of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association held on Saturday drew an attendance of several hundred enthusiastic dairymen and farmers from the immediate vicinity of the city. Over 500 persons were served with dinner in the basement of the Zion Lutheran church. The Commercial club rooms, where the business meeting was held, were crowded.

Officers who will serve during the present year are: Hans Anton, president; Henry Pope, vice president; Peter Engelstad, secretary; S. O. Lee, treasurer; and T. K. Rynestad, director. All were unanimously re-elected, President Anton for his third term. The latter in accepting his office, expressed the hope and the belief that Pennington county could eventually rival Switzerland as a dairying section, Switzerland being recognized as the foremost dairying country in the world at the present time.

During a discussion as to the advisability of raising the price offered patrons of the creamery for sweet cream, it was brought out that butter manufactured here had attained a score of 92 when shipped to eastern markets for comparison, which is considered very favorable in view of the fact that both sweet and sour cream is used in the churning.

Dinner Plans Revised.

The advisability of continuing to serve the annual creamery association dinners was discussed at great length. Over 500 persons were served this year, the basement of the Zion Lutheran church, where the dinners are held, being taxed to the utmost capacity, and large crowds of waiting diners forming outside awaiting admission. It has been the practice to invite business men and patrons to participate in the annual event, but with a membership alone of 164, the undertaking has become too great in extent. The matter was left in the hands of the directors, though it was stated that the present plan will be revised.

The problem of erecting larger quarters for the creamery was also brought up, though not at great length. A committee of five members will be appointed to work in conjunction with the executive board in securing data and information relative to the construction during the year 1922 of a modern building, suitable to the housing of a butter-making plant of larger capacity and a cheese factory. President Anton, in speaking on the question of a cheese factory for Thief River Falls, stated that the community was not yet ready for such an industry and could not support one at present. He spoke of the cheese factory as being an eventual development as part of the present co-operative industry and advised any others who premeditated the erection of such a plant here that a privately owned factory would be an ultimate failure if run in competition with the local co-operative organization.

GOOD SHOWING BUT FEWER SEALS SOLD

Total Will Not Exceed 50,000 as Compared With 72,000 in 1919 Campaign.

Approximately 50,000 Christmas seals were sold in Pennington county during the 1920 sale, according to J. J. McCann, county chairman of the Minnesota Public Health association, who submitted returns to state headquarters on Monday. Several outlying rural districts had not been heard from. The aggregate sum of $500 resulted from the sale as compared with the $720 for the year 1919. Tables compiled by the Minnesota Public Health association indicated that the amount of sales in practically all localities show a marked decrease in comparison with the sales for 1919, and that the per capita sale in Pennington county was high when compared with that of other counties. Pennington county in 1919 won a silver loving cup for the highest per capita sales in the state. At the outset of the 1920 sale it was not expected that like results could be obtained.

Of the $500 sent to the state organization, 80 per cent will be returned to Pennington county for local public health work. Credit for the success of the seal sale is to be given to Mrs. J. J. Richter, city chairman, and County Chairman J. J. McCann, as well as to their many assistants.

Inaugurate Five-day Week.

The employees of the car department here were put on a five-day week working basis beginning last Friday. The change will be continued indefinitely. It was necessary to make this change in order to avoid relieving 15 men from further duty with the department, because of general slackness in business. The same regulation went into effect in the mechanical department on Wednesday, Jan. 19.

Suit Brought Against Owners of Power Dam By Farmers on River

Farmers owning land near the old Red Lake and Thief rivers will shortly bring suit for damage against the owners of the power dam at Thief River Falls. This was learned this morning from James A. Manahan of St. Paul, who has been retained as counsel by the plaintiffs. While the exact sum demanded as damages is not definitely known it is understood to be in the neighborhood of $30,000. It is claimed that the dam holds back the waters in flood time causing the water to back up onto the farms.

"ANGLE ROAD" MADE A STATE HIGHWAY

Would Shorten Distance Between This City and Oklee by About Ten Miles.

The board of commissioners of Pennington county on Friday passed a resolution recommending the establishment of a new state road which it is foreseen will be of great benefit to Thief River Falls. The proposed highway leads into the city from a point on state road Number 4 approximately southeast of here, following, as it nears the city, for several miles the old Red Lake Indian reservation line. In the advent of the approval of the recommendation by the state highway commissioner, Chas. M. Babcock, the road will be designated as State Road No. 5.

Such a highway would serve a greater purpose than offering easy access to the city for residents of the southeastern townships of the county. The present route into Thief River Falls from the south follows the Jefferson highway via Plummer and Red Lake Falls. The creation of this new state road would form a cut off from Oklee, shortening the distance from that point to this city by from eight to ten miles. With the construction of but three miles of road at the southern extreme of the proposed highway, the new route can be opened to all classes of traffic. Thief River Falls or northbound travelers from the south would leave the Jefferson highway at Oklee, traveling northward over State Road No. 8, westward on No. 4, and so into the city over the proposed State Road No. 5 and Bridge street. Practically all of the route is already graveled.

Ada Next to Face Legion Invincible Basketeers

The Thief River Falls Legion basketball quint will meet the Legion team of Ada on the city auditorium floor at 8:15 Saturday evening. Ada last year had one of the fastest teams in the state and is generally supposed to be a good basketball town. The game will be called promptly at the above mentioned hour.

Coach G. W. Connell, who acts as manger of the local team, is making an effort to line up two games with the fast team of Two Harbors to be played here on February 8 and 9. Plans for a tour and series of games, presumably with the faster quintettes of North Dakota, are also under way.

Good Boxing Tournament Arranged For This City

O. J. Erickson, who is promoting a series of boxing and wrestling events for Thief River Falls, on Wednesday announced that Young Fulton, otherwise known as "Bun" Erickson, will meet Tommy Tibbets of Bemidji, in a ten round go at the Lyceum on the night of February 22. The former, a Thief River Falls man, has been fighting at the Haskell and other gymnasiums in the twin cities, where he has shown considerable speed. Tibbets has entered into several bouts staged on the Iron Range and at Duluth. Both men are thought to be comers.

Mr. Erickson has leased the Lyceum moving picture house for this series of sport events.

Advocates Super-Phosphate As Peat Land Fertilizer

P. T. Taylor, representative of the Anaconda Copper company of Chicago, was scheduled to speak at the Commercial club noonday luncheon today on the use of super-phosphate as a fertilizer for peat soils. Superphosphate is said to be three times the strength of ordinary or 16 per cent phosphate, and can be purchased at considerably less than three times the price.

Many farmers and land owners are planning on using acid phosphate as a fertilizer this coming season, owing to the success of experiments conducted in the county during the past summer. Twenty plots of ground were staked out between Thief River Falls and Goodridge at intervals of one mile. Every second plot was treated with phosphate, and, though the land is classed as "mineral," exceptional yields of grain were obtained on the fertilized plots. The same experiments were conducted on peat soil near Goodridge, Highlanding and Erie. In the latter cases the yield was from two to three times as great on the treated soil as on the untreated.

HALL ELECTED TO HEAD CLUB; NEW QUARTERS

Hardware Merchant Chosen President of Civic Organization For Ensuing Year.

Method of Conducting Rooms Sharply Criticized and Change Decided On.

Present Expensive Quarters Will Be Given Up at Once and Others Secured.

At the annual election of the Thief River Falls Commercial club held at the club rooms Thursday night, Wm. A. Hall, Jr., was elected president; E. M. Bennes and Daniel Shaw, first and second vice presidents respectively; L. A. Lampert, treasurer; and Math Barzen, Dr. H. W. Froehlich, Carl Christofferson, H. W. Protzeller and P. Engelstad, directors. The offices of second vice president and treasurer were filled by re-election. A secretary for the coming year will be appointed by the new executive board following the annual meeting of the club which will be held on the evening of February 10. As the result of a formal ballot, W. B. Fuller was elected a director but withdrew in favor of Mr. Engelstad. H. W. Protzeller and Nels Christenson received a tie vote for a like office, Mr. Christenson withdrawing in favor of the former.

Misuse of Quarters.

Following plans outlined at the meeting, the maintenance of the present Commercial club quarters will undoubtedly be discontinued, a motion having been passed to the effect that the club seek other and cheaper quarters. The furnishing and occupancy of the room known as the gymnasium in the basement of the city auditorium was advocated and the matter left in the hands of the incoming executive board. It is known that the Thief River Lodge of Elks premeditates occupancy of the quarters now occupied by the Commercial club in case the latter organization gives them up.

It was the consensus of opinion of those present at the meeting that the club rooms could not be maintained under the present plan. E. M. Stanton, retiring president, outlined briefly the difficulties in maintaining the club as both a commercial and social organization. The club rooms, he said, have been a shame and a disgrace to the community during the past year; they have been the scene of much gambling and a refuge for children and tramps. He advocated that the offer of the room in the city auditorium by the city council be accepted and that furnishings be taken from the present quarters to equip the room suitable for the use of the American Legion and Auxiliary, the Community Girls club, the Woman's club and the Commercial club. He stated further that the need of a Commercial club or similar organization in Thief River Falls was greater at the present time than ever before, and that the club should consist of civic boosters, whose efforts should be confined to the upbuilding of a modern city, which would become the civic center and pride of the entire farming community. His talk was followed by applause.

Dr. Krebs Speaks.

But little objection to the abandonment of the present club rooms was voiced. Several speakers voiced their approval of President Stanton's "platform" for the reconstruction of the organization.

The meeting was a live one. About 45 members were present. Previous to adjournment of the business session the retiring president was given a rising vote of thanks for his services during his two terms of office. Refreshments were served following the business meeting.

The noonday luncheon was served at the regular hour today, Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, who is conducting a series of lectures here this week in connection with the Merchants and Community Institute, giving an inspiring talk. The annual Commercial club meeting will be held on the evening of February 10, following a 6:30 banquet lunch. The incoming officers will assume their duties at that time.

Improve Express Service By "Right Way" Packing

Announcement is made by R. F. Spencer, in charge of the local express forces, of the inauguration of a nation-wide movement in the express business to be known as the "Right Way Plan," the purpose of which will be to increase the efficiency of the express service.

Agent Spencer stated that any of his employes will at all times give instructions as to the "Right Way" of packing, marking and shipping express shipments. The co-operation of express shippers in this city will be enlisted in the movement.

Special emphasis will be laid on what is called the "Right way of starting express shipments," with an explanation of the packing and marking regulations, the correct method for filling claims and for sending shipments C. O. D., as well as other subjects calculated to be of interest to every express user.

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City News

Rev. I. T. Aastad of Detroit, visited with friends here on Monday.

N. Lindahl of Hazel visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

H. M. Olson of Holt was in the city on Friday and Saturday on a business mission.

A. L. Aurangen left Saturday for Cass Lake to be the guest of friends over Sunday.

O. P. Nelson and daughter Fern of Germantown, spent Monday visiting with friends here.

Miss Marguerite Wilkinson of Red Lake Falls, visited over Sunday with friends in this city.

Mrs. O. Olson of Middle River visited with friends and attended to business here on Saturday.

Ed. Hurd of Bronson, arrived in the city on Sunday evening, for a few days visit with friends.

Harry Norlund of Lancaster was in the city on Monday attending to important business matters.

S. Hanson of Clearbrook arrived on Friday evening and spent a couple of days visiting with friends.

Glenn Bennet, employed by the Soo out of here, spent the week end visiting his parents at Glenwood.

Girls' basketball game Friday, Feb. 4th, at 8:15 p. m. High School Gym. Hallock H. S. vs. T. R. F., H. S.

F. C. Niclai returned Thursday afternoon from Grand Forks where he spent a couple of days on business.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown returned Saturday from St. Hilaire where she had visited with relatives since Thursday.

Miss Sylvia Jacobson left on Saturday evening for Minneapolis to visit with friends for an indefinite period.

Willis Warring of Steiner was in the city on Saturday attending the meeting of the creamery association.

W. A. Barnard returned the latter part of last week from the twin cities where he attended to business matters.

Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzey and baby of Steiner were here on Saturday as guests of her mother, Mrs. Mary Kisch.

Mrs. H. Roller arrived here Thursday evening from her home at Germantown to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Lucille Blaska of St. Hilaire, who attends the local high school, spent the week end visiting with her parents.

Misses Thoene and Tillie [illegible] left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend an indefinite time visiting with relatives.

Mrs. O. Gunstad, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. F. Brantner, of St. Hilaire, shopped between trains here on Tuesday.

A Cafeteria Supper will be served in the Presbyterian church from 5 to 7 o'clock Friday, Feb. 11, 1921. Watch for the menu.

Miss Ella Lehmkuhl returned to her home at Red Lake Falls Monday afternoon having spent the day attending to shopping here.

Mrs. Emil Johnson and daughter, Miss Frances, of Strandquist, were in the city the latter part of last week on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. H. Eglund and two children returned Monday evening from Oklee where she had spent a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson left last evening for the twin cities where they will spend a week in selecting their millinery stock.

Robert Hanna, representing the Northwestern Building and Loan association of Fergus Falls, was in the city on business the first of the week.

H. E. Elling, representing the Northern Land and Insurance Agency, attended to business matters at Crookston on Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Olga Martin of Winger, who is visiting with friends at Plummer, was in the city on Monday evening, between trains, attending to shopping.

Archie Dahl, salesman at the A. Lieberman store, is enjoying a two week's vacation. At present he is the guest of relatives and friends at Minneapolis.

Miss Barbara Wick of Grand Forks arrived here Friday morning from Grand Forks to spend a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Conrad Vinji.

A. J. Anderson, cashier of a bank at Grygla, was a business caller in this city yesterday. Mr. Anderson was formerly connected with the Citizens' State bank here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Curran are enjoying a vacation trip to EauClaire and other Wisconsin points. They will also visit friends in Minneapolis for a short time before returning.

Miss Anna Tharaldson arrived here Friday evening from Fosston, where she teaches, to spend the week end as the guest of her mother. She returned to Fosston on Sunday evening.

Ernest Zeh and Morris Mabey, accompanied the local high school basketball team to Crookston, where they played on Friday evening. They returned via the Soo on Saturday morning.

Misses Marion Short and Ruby Swan of Holt returned to their homes Tuesday morning after a day's shopping tour here. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left this morning for Chisholm where the latter will remain for a period of three weeks while Mr. Sapero in company with a brother will engage in spring buying for their stores.

Misses Viola Lund, Violet Kroiun, Nora Lindquist, Eileen Herron, Esther Hadrath and Pearl Sheffler, accompanied by their coach, Miss Margaret Dix, left Friday afternoon for Climax where they played basket ball with the latter named team. They returned Saturday morning, having met defeat.

Miss Mathilda Liden of Steiner was the guest of friends here over Sunday.

Dr. Spinks of Middle River arrived here yesterday afternoon for a brief visit.

Mrs. H. A. Booren is confined to her home with a severe attack of the mumps.

I. M. Sorlie of St. Cloud was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Emma Sjoquist of Strandquist arrived here Thursday evening for a visit with friends.

Miss Gertrude Harder of Red Lake Falls was a shopper in this city on Monday between trains.

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire, shopped in this city between trains on Friday.

Mrs. I. Amundson of Grand Rapids, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Breese of Middle River, were guests of friends in this city the first of the week.

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John Peterson returned to his home at Clearbrook on Saturday morning, after a day's sojourn in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barkley of Minneapolis are spending the week as guests of relatives and friends here.

Chas. Kruse returned to his home at Wylie yesterday afternoon having spent a day here visiting with friends.

R. L. Muzzey, who is engaged in farming in the vicinity of Steiner, was a business caller here on Saturday.

H. C. Hanson returned to his home at Roseau on Friday morning, having spent a brief period transacting business here.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald and son of Goodridge, were in the city on Saturday attending to shopping and visiting friends.

Ole Breiland returned to his home at Hazel on Monday morning, after spending the week end here as the guest of friends.

Mrs. Richard Olson of Holt visited with friends here on Monday and Tuesday. She returned to her home yesterday morning.

"Hi" Gaslin of Fargo was in the city on Friday and Saturday on business. He returned to his home on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lucille Brooks returned last evening from Plummer where she had spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. R. O. Gordon arrived here on Monday evening from Oklee to spend a week visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. C. E. Noel.

Mrs. A. Talle of Holt was the guest of friends here Monday between trains enroute to McIntosh to spend a week visiting relatives.

Miss Alice Hartley arrived here on Saturday morning from Butte, Mont. to spend an indefinite period visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Dorothy Martz of St. Hilaire spent Saturday in this city on a shopping expedition. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Mrs. Bernhard Anderson, who had visited at the home of Mrs. Carl Johnson, for a few days, returned to her home at Middle River on Friday.

Miss Ella Hagen of Plummer, returned to her home on the flyer Monday evening, having spent the period between trains receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. Art Hallen and son returned to their home at Grand Forks Monday, after spending a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. Storholm.

Miss Dora Holmes, teller at the First and Peoples' State bank, left Saturday afternoon for St. Hilaire where she visited with her parents over Sunday.

A. C. McMillin, formerly of this city, but now engaged in farming in the vicinity of Gatzke, arrived here Tuesday afternoon to attend to business affairs.

Henry Sande returned to his home at Steiner, after visiting over Sunday with his wife, who is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Hans Rolland arrived here Tuesday evening from Erskine, where he is engaged in the mercantile business and spent a day visiting at the E. L. Rolland home.

Miss Martine Cloutier, stenographer for the Minneapolis Bridge company, left Monday evening for Minneapolis to visit with relatives and friends for a week.

Miss Sophie York, chief operator for the local telephone exchange, left Friday afternoon for Crookston, to spend a couple of weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Frank Edwards of Viking was a visitor in this city yesterday enroute from Watertown, S. D., where he was called because of the serious illness of his father, to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Skoglund returned to their home at Roseau on Saturday after a brief visit with their daughter, Miss Edith, who is employed as stenographer for Gustafson & Son Implement Co.

Misses Ella and Selma Johnson of Warren, left this city Monday evening for Little Falls to spend a week visiting with relatives. While here they were guests of their sister, Mrs. Cecelia Swenson.

Miss Anna [illegible], [illegible] at the local hospital, returned Monday morning from a two weeks visit with relatives and friends at Crookston and Twin Valley. Her parents reside at the latter named place.

In correspondence received by friends of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Loken, who are enroute to New York City on a buying trip, they state that while in Cleveland, Ohio, they were met by Misses Ruby Anderson and Doris Halvorson, who are students at Oberlin college, and spent a day with them. Miss Halvorson who had suffered finger paralysis, is much improved and is able to use her hand again.

Louis Steen of Mavie visited with friends here on Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Olava Solem of Holt visited with friends here on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Butler of Plummer spent a few days here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. R. Dechaney of Duluth was the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. D. Cady, last week.

G. L. Leisner left Monday morning for Steiner to look after his business interests at that place.

A. Bergstrom arrived here Friday evening from his home at Warren to attend to business affairs.

Mrs. H. J. Oien of Holt was the guest of her sister, Miss Effie Christenson the first of the week.

Miss Mable Satre of St. Hilaire was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. Benson on Monday.

J. S. Roy of St. Hilaire returned to his home Friday afternoon, having spent a day here on business.

Girls' basketball game Friday, Feb. 4th, at 8:15 p. m. High School Gym. Hallock H. S. vs. T. R. F., H. S.

R. V. Anderson arrived here Thursday evening from Argyle, to attend to matters of business for a day.

C. Jorgenson left Friday evening for Minneapolis where he has secured a position with an insurance company.

E. LaRoe returned to his home at Badger on Friday after spending a day here attending to business affairs.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, left the latter part of last week for Minneapolis, on business.

Mrs. M. Saugen of Steiner was in the city Saturday to attend the annual meeting of the creamery association.

Miss Gerda Mortenson returned on Monday morning from Fosston where she had visited with her parents over Sunday.

Andrew Nelson, a farmer residing near Gatzke, was in this city on Tuesday and Wednesday on matters of business.

Chas. Habedank returned to his home at Hazel on Monday morning, having visited over Sunday with relatives here.

G. Gerstad returned to Crookston after visiting at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg, over Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Bernards returned to her home at Greenbush on Tuesday morning after a brief visit at the home of Mrs. John Aas.

Mrs. J. O. Herrick of Warren was the guest of her sisters, Mrs. W. H. Frederick and Mrs. Robt. McGinn, the first of the week.

Miss Alice Hall of Middle River was a guest of her cousin, Miss Elsie Granum, for a brief period the latter part of last week.

Phil Bryant arrived last evening from Superior for a brief visit with friends. While here he is the guest of W. R. Patterson.

Mrs. Oscar Williams left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a week visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Dolan.

Art Hallen of Grand Forks, who spent a few days here as a guest at the home of C. Storholm, returned to his home Friday afternoon.

James Walker returned to Baudette on Monday, after spending a few days visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker.

Miss Barbara Wick returned yesterday afternoon to her home in Grand Forks after a week's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Conrad Wick.

Mrs. Kate Meyer of Steiner was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. P. Lamb, on Saturday. She also attended the meeting of the creamery association.

Schuyler Schmitz returned Tuesday morning from Plummer where he made a brief visit with friends, having gone there on the flier the evening previous.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson and daughter Irene, returned to this city on Monday afternoon from Greenbush, where they spent a few days visiting relatives.

Messrs. A. C. Cameron, F. W. Graham, J. B. Simons, G. T. Conger, Geo. Graham and Claude Bailey were among those from Bemidji who played basketball here on Friday evening.

Leo Garvey and Wm. Herrick returned Sunday morning from Crookston where they went on Friday to witness the basketball game between the local high school team and the Crookston team.

Mrs. P. M. Peterson of Angus visited with friends here the latter part of last week, enroute to St. Hilaire to visit her parents. Mrs. Peterson was formerly Miss Alma Anderson, who graduated from the local high school with the class of 1915.

Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, accompanied by her sister, Miss Laura Stopple, left Saturday evening for the Twin Cities, where they will engage in buying a select stock of millinery for their store. They will be absent for a week.

Miss Margaret Brown came down from her home at Grygla on Monday to spend a few days visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown. While here she is also receiving optical treatment.

Misses Belle Hermanson and Anna Aspelund of the clerical force at Sapero company's store are having a week's vacation which commenced on Monday. Mrs. Dock and Mrs. Snyder, who had their vacations last week, resumed their work on Monday.

Mrs. A. L. E. Walgren, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Brumund for a month, accompanied by the latter, left yesterday morning for Minneapolis, where the former resides. Mrs. Brumund will spend three weeks with her daughter.

Mrs. Ed. Bennet returned the first of the week to her home at Menominie, Wis., after a two weeks' visit with numerous friends here. The Bennets formerly resided here, having removed from this city five years ago. This is her first visit since they left.

C. M. Rolland, formerly of this city but now residing at Hibbing, arrived here Tuesday afternoon from Rainey River, where he had spent a few days as the guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Foley, and spent a day looking after business interests here.

Norman Holen, who was at one time employed at the Citizens State bank here, left on Saturday from his home at Minneapolis for Los Angeles, California, near which city he will remain during the remainder of the winter. Mr. Holen's health necessitated the change.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who teaches school at Goodridge, left this city on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she spent a brief period visiting with friends. She returned to this city Tuesday morning via the Soo, leaving for Goodridge that morning to resume her duties.

Dr. F. L. Alloway, M. D. of Dist. 10, G. E. Hardy, eligibility officer, C. B. Bressler, advisor, W. M. Rockford of the contract department, P. J. Bratten, publicity man and Adam Hehn, secretary, all members of the vocational board, which met here on Tuesday and Wednesday, left this city yesterday afternoon for Crookston and Fergus Falls. These gentlemen are touring the four states which comprise Dist. 10. Dr. Alloway is in charge of the staff.

Legion and Auxiliary

LOCAL LEGION QUINT TRIMS BEMIDJI TEAM IN THRILLING CONTEST

Large Crowd Witnesses the Kind of Basketball That Brings Spectators to Their Feet With a Whoop.

In the fastest and most thrilling basket ball game ever played in Thief River Falls, the local Legionnaires on Friday evening defeated the Legion team of Bemidji 40 to 18. The victors still have an average of 100 per cent. The turn out for the game taxed the capacity of the auditorium, standing room being at a premium. The city band turned out and succeeded in getting the local rooters to a proper pitch before the players dashed onto the floor.

Thief River stock went down a couple of notches when the visitors, all big men, trotted onto the field. The first quarter proceeded rather slowly, with the local quintet apparently a trifle dazed and a bit nervous, fumbling the ball repeatedly. Kiland and Hadrath scored field goals. Carlson failed to cage a free throw. Bemidji appeared somewhat sluggish and failed to score, with the exception of two free throws dropped into the net by Plummer. Their shooting was at unusually long range.

In the second quarter, Bemidji steadied a bit, and Thief River put their familiar rushing tactics in operation. The quarter was speedy from the instant the whistle blew. McGinn of the locals was the first to score from the field. Plummer of Bemidji followed suit. Then Hadrath made a fine throw from the center of the field, Johnson, who replaced Kiland at the first of the quarter, sending up the score still further with a basket made at close range. Simon, the Bemidji center, made a beautiful shot from three quarters of the length of the field. Plummer scored another field basket and one free throw. Carlson brought the Thief River score up to 12, with a couple of free throws. The half closed at 12 to 9 in favor of the locals.

The second half gave the crowd a brand of basket ball never before seen here, and the brilliant work of Connell's men is still the popular subject with all who witnessed it. The local quint moved with a rapidity and certainty that did not allow the visitors a field in the third quarter. Plummer shot two free throws. LaBree took two baskets, one more or less of an accident and the other a running shot. Carlson, who suddenly found his shooting eye, caged three, two of them being from near the center line. Hadrath, after missing an easy one, redeemed himself by plopping the ball fair into the circle.

Carlson took another basket early in the last quarter, Kiland following it up with two more. McGinn made a pretty shot, Holzknecht took a long chance and made it, and Hadrath added 4 points to the mounting score of the local Legionnaires. Carlson made 3 free throws. Battling as for their lives, Bemidji took seven points, with a long and pretty basket and a free throw by Simon, and two by Fibbs, right guard.

Bemidji from the start resorted to long distance shooting, undoubtedly realizing the futility of bucking the interference of the home team against which they seemed to accomplish little, especially during the second half. Two baskets made from well beyond the center line won the applause of the house. The ball in the hands of the Thief River Falls men traveled up and down the length of the field with such rapidity that it was difficult for spectators to tell who did or didn't have it. Exceptional team work, clever guarding and the rapid succession of field goals, which were features of the local quint's game, kept the crowd on their feet most of the time.

Much credit is being given Coach Connell for the championship basket ball played so far this season by the Thief River Falls Legion team. In the game of Friday night, the locals displayed far better form than the visiting men.

The lineup:

Bemidji		Thief River
Plummer	RF	Carlson
Bailey	LF	Kiland
Simon	C	Hadrath
Fibbs	RG	Holzknecht
Cameron	LG	McGinn

Substitutes: Johnson for Kiland, LaBree for Hadrath. Field goals: Plummer 3, Simon 1, Fibbs 2, Carlson 4, Hadrath 5, Kiland 3, Holzknecht 1, McGinn 2, LaBree 2, Johnson 1. Free throws: Plummer 6 out of 6, Carlson 5 out of 6.

Perry Johnson of Thief River Falls refereed the game.

Mrs. Albert Angell.

On Jan. 27 at 1:30 o'clock occurred the death of Mrs. Albert Angell, at her home in this city, from pernicious anemia, of which she had been a victim for a period of three years. She was born in the parish of South Helgeland, Norway, Aug. 22, 1849 and in August 1873 she was married to Albert Angell, who survives. The first 28 years of her married life was spent in Norway, the couple coming to this country in 1900. To this union seven children were born; Petter, Elias, Else, Marie, Carl, Elvina and Hans, two of whom are dead. All of the survivors reside here with the exception of Hans, who is at Akron, Ohio, and who was unable to attend the funeral services which were held from the Trinity Lutheran church at 2:00 o'clock on Saturday, with Rev. Sweger conducting. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to those who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our wife and sister, Mrs. George Torreson, and for the many kindnesses shown us.—George Torreson, H. R. Williams, W. W. Williams, L. O. Williams.

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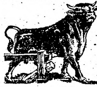

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Spring Wheat

We advocate Marquis wheat because, generally considered, this type of wheat is most desirable on account of milling quality. *It is superior to any other good bread wheat in yield.*

AFTER a thousand years, England gets 35 bushels of wheat per acre while our yield of spring wheat is about 15 bushels. This is because they give more attention to both seed and soil. Our most intelligent farmers belong to Farm Bureaus, Crop Improvement Associations and Farmers' Elevators and they are urged to set the example by selecting a good, hard, dark-colored bread wheat and establish seed plots in each neighborhood. We are not a macaroni-eating nation and the market for Amber Durum must be limited.

Red Durum or D-5, however, is absolutely unfit for either bread making or macaroni, and while a comparatively small amount of it, not to exceed three per cent of the crop, brought a fair price last crop, it was solely because it was of heavy weight, and was used to mix with light weight wheat for export.

Quality Marquis Brings a Premium

Keep your varieties pure. Mixed wheat must be discounted. Millers are always eager to buy fine, heavy, dark-kerneled Marquis, and it can be sold at a good price. Quality counts every time. There is not enough good wheat.

It is Best to Put Your Wheat in Early

The earlier the crop is put in, the earlier the harvest. The open fall has resulted in more fall plowing than ever before, making it possible to get into the fields at the very earliest date.

Black Stem Rust Our Greatest Problem

Probably the greatest problem confronting us is rust, which has done incalculable damage for the past two years. The government claims that the elimination of the barberry bush will prevent rust; that black spores will not infect wheat until they have passed the cup cluster stage, and that there is no other plant which will carry this stage except the barberry. From the barberry come the red spores which attack the wheat and turn from red to black. Do you know the barberry when you see it? Dig it out root and shoot.

Rotation Brings Much Better Results

Wheat should not be sown on the same fields year after year. Land should be sown to sweet clover or some other legume which will put back into the soil certain of the various essential elements needed.

Wheat Soil Needs More Plant Food

The skillful use of acid phosphates will stimulate the general vigor of the plant and will add greatly to the yield. There is very little fertilizer used in the wheat fields; but we believe the time has come to restore every element removed by repeated cropping.

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Springtime of 1921

The Showing of New Silks

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Kitten's Ear Crepe

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Copen, White, Navy, Black

$3.50 per yard

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$6.95 per yard

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40 in. In all Spring's new shades

$2.95 per yard

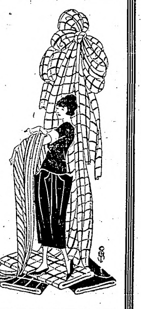

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Cotton Blankets 46x72 $1.39 BUY NOW

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Misses' and Ladies' Shoes One lot, pair $1.99 BUY NOW

Men's Dress Shirts French cuff 99c BUY NOW

Overall Jackets 220 Denim $1.25 BUY NOW

Wool Yarn all colors, ball 39c BUY NOW

Pillow Tubing 42 inch 40c BUY NOW

1000 Bargains on the 10c counter BUY NOW

Jumbo Blankets double size $3.50 BUY NOW

Palm Olive Soap 14 bars $1.00 BUY NOW

Aluminum Sauce Pans 1 quart 25c BUY NOW

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THE BUSINESS INSTITUTE.

Every man and woman in Thief River Falls should make it a point to go and hear Dr. Stanley L. Krebs at the auditorium tonight. He has a message for all of us and delivers it in a manner that cannot but be helpful.

Dr. Krebs' principal mission in life seems to be making war on the twin devils, Fear and Worry. In his address at the Brumund on Monday evening he showed how the permitting of these two evil influences to get a foothold in the minds of people caused not only needless wear and tear upon the physical mechanism but also prevented the human family from reaching a higher plane of happiness and efficiency. He maintains that if Fear and Worry could be banished from the world the sum total of human achievement in all departments would be greatly increased.

These lectures are given under the auspices of the Thief River Falls Merchants association and deal primarily with the science of mercandising in its more advanced aspects. Dr. Krebs' ideas are at times rather startling but always found practical when his hearers have taken the time to discover the sound philosophy upon which they are founded. He has made a life study of his subject and has had opportunities for trying out his theories such as very few men have been afforded. Dr. Krebs knows whereof he speaks and possesses in a rare degree the faculty of making others understand exactly what he is trying to convey. He presents no dry and complicated statistics and avoids set formulas for achieving efficiency at the expense of individuality—in fact he lays particular stress upon the value of the latter attribute.

No person can listen to one of Dr. Krebs' lectures without gaining something of value. He is entertaining and instructive without being in the least pedantic. He cheerfully admits that he does not know it all and hopes that someone will improve on his methods as in that manner he will be learning something new.

Come to the Auditorium and hear him tonight. There is no charge for admission and the evening will be well spent.

It has just been ascertained that 82 per cent of the concerns which failed in business during the year 1920 were non-advertisers. It would also probably be found that about 18 per cent more either did not advertise enough or failed to do it right.

PLENTY OF WORK AHEAD.

It is rather inspiring to note the interest shown in the Commercial club in spite of the fact that its activities of late years have not been of the kind that constantly keeps it in the public eye. To say that it has been of no particular value to the community because of this quiet procedure would not be stating a fact, but it is nevertheless true that most of the members would like to see a somewhat more aggressive policy followed. It is of course realized that the mere fact of its having been able to function at all proves that it is recognized as of some worth to the community, similar organizations on all sides of us having fallen to pieces under the general letdown after the war. There has been no actual abandonment of the club's work in Thief River Falls, a fact for which President Stanton and the other officials deserve a vast amount of credit. It has been no easy task to maintain interest in a Commercial club at a time when the scope of its activities were decidedly limited and even the necessity for its existence was a matter of grave doubt with many.

A new start is to be made and from all indications it will take the right direction. In the first place the present rather elaborate quarters are to be given up in the interest of economy. While the rent charged has been most reasonable, yet the value of the rooms to the club as an organization does not warrant their retention. It is to be hoped that arrangements can be made whereby the club may be housed in the city's beautiful and commodious auditorium, that being the proper place for it.

The new officials are all good, live citizens, exceptionally well qualified to carry on and greatly extend the good work started by their predecessors. W. A. Hall, Jr., the new president, is a young man with both the ability and vision to make an admirable head for an organization of this kind, while a better or more representative board of directors could harly be chosen. Every man is going at his task with a determination to make the coming year a record breaker for achievement and in this they will be most enthusiastically supported by the members.

There never was a time when a strong Commercial club was more of a necessity for Thief River Falls than the present. Matters of the utmost importance to the future development and prosperity of the city and section will soon come up for consideration and in no way can these be so well handled as by an organization in which is contained representatives of all the different activities going to make up the business life of the place.

A CURE FOR THE BLUES.

An encouraging indication of returning prosperity for Northwestern Minnesota is the interest evinced on every hand in the forthcoming winter show and livestock exhibition of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association which will be held at Crookston February 7-12 inclusive. When our farmers see no light ahead it is a hard matter to get them to take an interest in matters of this kind and the fact that the show promises to be the best in point of interest and attendance ever held is the most cheering note heard for a long time.

The show itself will be a hummer. Special efforts have been made not only to insure the proper representation of every branch of the farming industry, but also that every section of the large and important district shall be represented. There will be more exhibits of livestock, potatoes, grains and industrial products than ever before in the association's history and particular attention will be paid to the sales department of the livestock division. It will be the big meeting of the year for Northwestern Minnesota farmers and stockraisers and they owe it to themselves to be present.

Pennington county should send a large delegation. No community in the district is more vitally interested in the success of the work upon which the organization is engaged and none should be permitted to play a more prominent part. There is a tendency to look upon this show as something that does not particularly concern us, but a greater mistake could hardly be made. Some benefit is bound to fall to our lot whether we take an active interest in the proceedings or not, but it will be much better if we are on the ground to see that nothing of value that should come our way escapes us.

The people of Crookston have made elaborate plans for the accommodation and entertainment of visitors and every person attending the show will be well looked after. Be neighborly and make the trip. It will be a paying investment for one thing and give you a better idea of what your section is accomplishing for another.

IT'S AN UNFAIR WORLD.

Honesty may be the best policy but now and then it costs him who would be honest a nice little bunch of change.

One of the failings of Mr. A. Citizen, when the tax assessor makes his annual call, is to display a depreciatory knowledge of the value of his worldly goods and cattels. The board of county commissioners "sits" on the assessor's report, concludes that merchandise or some one class of personal property has been given in all wrong and hands the report to the city board of tax equalization. That last named board really doesn't see much out of the way in the report and shoots it back to the county board members, who, in the meantime, have not changed their opinion an iota. As a last resort, then, the county board just raises the value of that merchandise, or that of whatever class of property may have been in question, 50 or, maybe, 75 per cent.

That's apparently alright so far, taking it for granted that Mr. Citizen did display a rather hazy knowledge of his worldly holdings. But down in that list—and it might be so far down in that in that list it would take a swarm of deputy sheriffs armed with a bale of search warrants to find it—is the name of a man who really felt that he ought to pay a tax on his share of the world's goods, and who really kicked in with the actual value of his stock on hand, or personal property, or maybe opened his books to the tax assessor and let that person ferret out the knowledge required. He's the man that gets it in the neck as far as paying his tax is concerned. He's going to pay a tax on almost twice as much merchandise (merchandise is cited merely as an example, of course) as he really had in his possession, while Mr. Cit is going to pay a tax on just about what he really owns.

However, someone has got to suffer. Maybe some day a community can get together and everyone with taxable property either kick in with the real value or else everyone hold out just about so much on the assessor. Either way would be fairly satisfactory.

EFFERVESCENCE.

According to the latest spring fashion notes, the feminine sex will again wear ears.

A headline states, "May Frame Tonnage Tax Bill." Does that mean it is to be hung up?

Wonder if B. L. T. noticed that Stiehm was appointed boiler inspector for Hennepin county.

Oolai told us that if he could have taken a week off yesterday, he might have tried for vocal training with the Futile Board for Occasional Recreation.

Many people are so positive that a bird in hand is worth two in the bush that they overlook the fact that three may be secured by going a-gunning in earnest.

The speed artist on the lino may have dipped a cog but—"Montana has 2,136,974 acres of land under irritation." Mexico has more than that.

The farmers of one Idaho county averaged a thousand rabbits killed to every ounce of poison. Probably they are getting it from Canada.

Michigan is offering a reward for the planting of nut trees along highways—a very indirect method of encouraging automobiling, but probably effective.

Found in The Times A Year Ago This Week

The flood control plan of the new Red Lake commission was endorsed by Judges Grindeland and Stanton.

B. F. Umland succeeded Glenn Martz as state highway commissioner for Pennington county.

Governor Burnquist was seriously ill with the flu.

Health authorities reported that the flu epidemic was gradually receding but churches and theatres remained closed.

The Times was printed at Red Lake Falls, an expedient made necessary by the Union block fire. Made official paper of the city of Thief River Falls.

Creamery stockholders voted down proposition to enlarge plant at annual meeting.

County Auditor Anderson reported but a slight increase in the taxable valuation of the county during the year just past.

Judge Grindeland adjourned the February term of the district court until sometime in March, deeming it unwise to call the jury cases because of the influenza epidemic.

The members of St. Johns German Lutheran congregation in this city issued a call to Rev. Emil Kreidt of Wheaton.

Miss Minnie Hauge of Minneapolis, graduate nurse, arrived in the city for the purpose of taking care of flu patients at the emergency hospital.

School Dedication and Club Meeting, St. Hilaire

Dedication of the public school building at St. Hilaire, which was erected during the past summer at a cost for land, equipment and building of more than $43,000, was held on last Friday evening. Four hundred residents of the village and immediate vicinity were present. After a complete inspection of the building, the guests convened in the large assembly room where an entertaining program was presented.

While assembled that evening the St. Hilaire club was formed. Officers and directors were elected and the tentative date of February 18 set for the next meeting. The club will be conducted as a town and country organization for the purpose of bringing the two elements in closer relationship and solving mutual problems. Speakers commented upon the great success of the community club organized at Goodridge about two years ago. It is planned to hold an annual fair at St. Hilaire patterned after the annual Tri-county fair held at Goodridge.

Farm Bureau Organizations Formed in All Townships

Meetings for the organization of township units of the Pennington County Farm bureau will be held in all townships where the membership drive has been completed during the latter part of this month. Drives have been completed in the townships of Rocksbury, Black River, River Falls, Wyandotte and Smiley up to the present time, several of the townships securing a membership of 100 per cent.

At each meeting a township chairman and a secretary will be elected. It will be the duty of these officers to take up any project carried on in their community, thus bringing the members of the Farm Bureau in closer touch with the county organization than could be otherwise accomplished.

County Agent Here.

Wm. L. McFetridge, county agent for eastern Marshall county, with headquarters at Grygla, was in Thief River Falls on Monday, enroute for Holt and Middle River. He stated that the work of organizing township units of the Marshall County Farm Bureau was rapidly nearing completion.

ST. PAUL WOMAN IS ENTHUSIASTIC

Could Hardly Eat or Sleep Before She Got Tanlac. Health Restored.

"The way Mrs. A. Kostner, of 194 W. Fairfield Ave., St. Paul, Minn., talks regarding the benefits she has derived from the use of Tanlac is just the way thousands of grateful men and women everywhere are praising the medicine.

"Tanlac has completely relieved me of troubles that had been pulling me down two years," said Mrs. Kostner, "and I'm just as grateful as I can be toward the medicine. My appetite was so poor that I ate little more than enough to keep body and soul together and was in a terribly rundown condition. There were certain foods I didn't dare eat at all, and at times I would become badly nauseated. I was so nervous I didn't know what it was to get a good night's sleep and was simply miserable.

"I saw where Tanlac was benefiting so many others that I began taking it myself and it has given me a ravenous appetite and has put me in the best of health again. I'm feeling just fine now in every way, and am certainly thankful to Tanlac for setting me right."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store; at Oklee by John H. Gassman; at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm and at Goodridge by G. G. Gebrid..ade.

Public Forum

Says Farmers Are Helpless.

Editor Times: I see in your issue of last week an article reviewing the losses men in business in Thief River Falls have sustained and you are sort of appealing to the farmers to buy now and help put things in motion. I am inclosing herewith a cartoon which explains why the farmers are not buying. The cartoon depicts a farmer fastened in old-time stocks labeled "Present Credit System."—Ed. You do not seem to realize that 1919 was a total failure so far as crops were concerned, while everything we had to buy was way up out of sight. This year we had a fair crop but we cannot get enough for it to pay us for hauling it to market. Besides, everything we have is mortgaged to the banks for twice its present value and the banks see to it that we don't get anything left over to spend at the stores. For example, we are paying 10 per cent interest on sheep that cost us $10 per head and we are taxed the same as if we owned them. The same sheep are selling on the Chicago market now at about 50 cents per head while wool cannot be disposed of at all although there is very little decline in the price of woolen goods.

The only reason the farmers are not put out of business right now is that the bankers would not realize 50 cents—nay, 25 cents—on the dollar by closing them out. The only thing for them to do is to stave off the banks higher up until congress stops its bally rag chewing and opens up trade with the only country that has real gold to pay with and is envious to buy our surplus.

Remember this, business men: We are all in the same boat and when the farmer doesn't get anything for what he has to dispose of there will be nothing for the merchant or banker. So next time the farmers try to organize in order to better their condition, let's all boost. It will benefit all alike.

Farmers very seldom heard.

Respectfully,
GILBERT A. BENSON.
Malcom, Minn., Jan. 27.

BEST FAT CATTLE SHOW MOST LOSS

Sellers Aided Little by Quality and Finish of Beef Offerings. Hogs and Sheep Lower.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Dept. of Agriculture.)

South St. Paul, Minn. Jan. 31: Cattle, 1,600. Market steady. Calves steady, top $10.00. Hogs 9,400. Market weak to 25c lower, range $8 to $9.75. Bulk $8.85 to $9.60. Sheep 3,000. Market slow, mostly 50c lower.

Dressed markets for the better grades of carcass beef have been going from bad to worse recently from the producer's standpoint, and this condition is being reflected in the market for better grades of beef cattle, quality and finish being no aid to the seller. The better the stock, the greater difficulty it appears to obtain bids which seem reasonable, relative to production costs and prices of lower grade beef cattle. Steers selling above $6.50 are about 75c to $1.00 lower than a week ago, others mostly 25 to 50c lower. Best of the short feds at present are bringing from $7.75, with bulk of sales at $5.75 to $6.75. Most sales of butcher cows and heifers from $4.00 to $5.50, and canners and cutters largely from $2.75 to $3.75. Bulk of bologna bulls are selling from $4.50 to $5.25. Veal calves are steady with a week ago, with best light weights selling at $10. Stock and feeding cattle are about 50c lower than a week ago.

About the only branch of the live stock trade that is offering any encouragement to producers at present is the hog market, fairly generous receipts of the past week having been absorbed on a generally steady to higher basis, although today's market was weak to 25c lower. Bulk of sales at the week's opening ranged from $8.85 to $9.60, with best lights up to $9.75 and choice pigs at $10.00. Lamb prices have been discounted sharply during the past week, losses averaging fully $1.00 per cwt., with good to choice offerings quotable at present from $7.50 to $9.00. Handyweight ewes of good to choice quality are quotable from $3.75 to $4.25.

TOTAL COLLECTED IN COUNTY FOR STARVING CHILDREN NOW $1500

Two Matinees at Lyceum on Saturday Increased Previous Amount by $173.13—Campaign Continues.

The special matinees conducted here on Saturday morning and afternoon by the management of the Princess and Lyceum theatres for the benefit of the European Children's Relief fund netted $115.80. The collection taken up at the last Wednesday evening performance, which was to be devoted to the same cause, netted $57.13, making the total proceeds $173.13.

At the Wednesday evening show Dr. G. A. Penney briefly outlined in an emphatic manner the nature of the collection which was about to be taken up and told of the need of relief for the millions of waifs in the countries of the old world. His talk was answered by those present in a generous fashion, as the amount of the collection went to prove. The cost of operating the show house for the two matinees was borne by Manager H. A. Brumund, the machine operator as well as Mrs. Clarence Erickson and Miss Ausllga Sorenson, members of the theatre orchestra, contributing their services. The sale of tickets in the city schools, exclusive of the Lincoln high school, was conducted by the Woman's club, with the assistance of the school teachers. The four schools—Washington, Knox, Central and Northrup—turned in $70 as the proceeds from tickets sold. The Woman's club also took $10 worth of tickets. Box office sales for the morning matinee totalled $8.00 and those of the afternoon, $27.80. The proceeds were turned over to Miss Marie Nelson, who is acting as treasurer for the fund raised in Pennington county. Mr. Brumund stated that the receipts more than reached his expectations. He also requested that his thanks be tendered thru the columns of The Times to all who contributed in any manner towards making the undertaking so great a success.

The amount resulting from the collection and the two matinees will be turned over to the Hoover relief fund along with the sum already contributed by residents of the county. It will also be credited to the United Theatrical Protective League of Minnesota, which is the state branch of the National Moving Picture association. The latter organization guaranteed to raise the sum of $2,500,000 for the relief of the starving and suffering children of Europe. Moving picture houses all over the United States are following much the same plan for raising that amount as was adopted by the local theatre management.

The Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross donated the lump sum of $500 toward the cause of the European children. Thru the efforts of A. S. Sapero and the assistance of traveling salesmen who make their home here $915 was contributed, many donations being unsolicited and all of them voluntary. The total contribution, including the proceeds of the matinees, at present stands at $1,547.13 or more than enough to save the lives of 154 children by guaranteeing them food for the period of one year. In comparison with amounts contributed by other communities of a like size this figure ranks very high.

County Chairman A. S. Sapero on Tuesday announced that the drive for funds in Pennington county was nearing its close and issued a final appeal to those who intend to contribute but who have not been solicited. In addition to the Lyceum matinee and collection fund, he acknowledged receipt of the following amounts received since the list of contributors was published in last week's issue of The Times:

Roy Lambert	$10.00
First and Peoples State bank	10.00
H. O. Chommie	10.00
George Leimers	5.00
Peter Solem	5.00
Union Dentists	3.00
Fred Gobler	1.00

The American Express company has placed on sale invisible guest certificates at each of its 25,000 offices where employes and others may secure these certificates by the payment of one dollar. The company's wagons will also carry banners calling attention to the campaign for funds.

ASSOCIATION MARKETS 100 ANIMALS MONTHLY ON AVERAGE FOR YEAR

Pennington County Shippers Dispose of Stock at Cost of 81 Cents Per Cwt. Officers For Year Elected.

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Livestock Shippers association, which members regard as one of the most successful organizations in this section of the state, was held at the Farm Bureau offices in the city auditorium on Saturday morning. Hans Anton, president; Fred Copp, vice president, Harry Woolson, secretary-treasurer; and directors, Ed Grundhaus and A. G. Loftness, were re-elected for the coming year by acclamation. Emil Griebstein, shipping manager of the association, was re-elected in the same manner.

Following the election of officers, a vote of thanks and appreciation was tendered Manager Griebstein for his successful administration during the past year. Routine matters relative to the shipping of hogs, cattle and sheep were discussed, no action being taken in this respect other than a slight decrease made in the levy for the sinking fund, which covers the death or crippling of animals incurred in shipment. Manager Griebstein stated that the high freight rates and commission charged by So. St. Paul commission houses, were material factors in decreasing the price paid local producers; over $180 freight having been paid on single carloads of stock shipped, and the maximum of $22 commission per beef critter charged in some instances.

The Pennington County Livestock Shippers association was organized in 1916; and has grown from an organization of a few members to one of over 300. During 1916, approximately $200 was paid shippers with the organization. During 1920, $26,741 was paid out to members and patrons for cattle, showing an increase of over 20 per cent in volume of business done as compared with that of 1919. Since the formation of the association, all other cattle buyers or cattle buying organizations in the community have discontinued operations, owing to the fact that practically all shipping was being done through the livestock association.

The annual report as read and approved at the meeting of Saturday follows:

No. of Shipments	19
No. of Cars	23
No. of Hogs Shipped	291
No. of Cattle Shipped	505
No. of Sheep Shipped	419
Total No. Animals Shipped	1215
No. Animals Died or Crippled in transit	3
Total Cash Receipts	$30,632.76
Paid to Patrons	26,741.35
St. Paul Expenses	3,987.08
Local Expenses	148.25
Manager's Commission	493.14
Sinking Fund	162.94
Paid out of Sinking Fund	37.93
Balance in Sinking Fund	191.11
Average expense per cwt	.81

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Now Open For Business

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Prices Will be Right and Work Guaranteed

Will be Located at 213 East Second street, one door east of postoffice, where I may be found after Feb. 1. Be sure and see me and get my prices on all work you may have in this line.

I hope to receive a part of your business, which will always have my most prompt and careful attention.

CLYDE G. NASON

TRAINED MEN GET BEST PAID JOBS

When A. F. Seidl was offered the managership of the Union Implement Co., Solen, N. D., he was thankful for his practical course at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. So was P. M. Gunderson, recently appointed asst. cashier of the Gwinner State Bank. Dry text books could never have prepared these men for responsibility like this school's modern methods.

D. B. C. pupils study and perform "real business." Employers do not get "green" help from there. "Follow the Succesful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for terms.

C. G. Mugg

the Grand Forks Eye Man, will fit and furnish Krypton at $18 per pair. Reading glasses $3 to $7. Glasses that will relieve any optical requirements, $10 or less.

Brumund Hotel
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We have gone over our entire stock of carpets and rugs and have marked them down in accordance with present wholesale costs. The cost to us has not been taken into consideration—present quotations are applied to every item.

The Time to Buy Is NOW

There is every indication that the present low range will not long be maintained. Stocks everywhere are low and with the opening of spring the demand will soon catch up with the supply. Buy yours now and save money.

We have floor coverings of all kinds. Oilcloth, Congoleum, Linolium as well as Carpets and Rugs.

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The Prowler.

The annual, better known as the Prowler, will this year appear in a somewhat diminished form, owing to the difficulty in financing a publication of the usual size, in these depressing times and with a remaining deficit from the previous year.

The Prowler staff has been hard at work making various plans for a satisfactory and successful publication. From previous classes' experience, it can be easily seen that it is quite a venture and must be conscientiously considered, particularly under the existing conditions. Therefore the staff and advisors thought the most feasible plan would be to publish a smaller book at a consequent lower price. It is however, not going to suffer or depreciate in quality, except to the extent that the space will be limited. This fact will enable the staff to concentrate on a smaller booklet which it is evident will be proportionally well constructed and will contain the best of material.

A Correction.

In our last issue a slight mistake was made in printing an extract from Pace's "American Literture" on Jonathan Edwards. It read, "Like mother also he was born old and a preacher," which should be, "Like Mather also he was born old and a preacher."

A Freshman's Opinion.

Last Friday morning, when we were reseated according to voices, witnessed a scene probably never to be eclipsed in grandeur and which will long stand out in our minds as the most wonderful spectacle ever seen by mortal eye. Being told an important announcement was impending, we listened with our cleanest ears to the momentous words to be uttered on such an occasion, and were duly impressed thereby. Each journeyed to the seat assigned him, accompanied by his best voice, uttering no demure, for such would have been useless and we were reminded that

"Yours not to ask me why,
Simply to do or die."

The sight of the multitude, working as one, directed by a master mind, was as a balm to our lacerated thots, and a stimulant to awaken our appreciation of the finer things of life.

Crookston vs. T. R. F.

The local high school basketball team added another victory to their list when they defeated Crookston high at Crookston Friday, by a score of 21 to 13.

This was one of the fastest and most exciting games played so far this season, due to the fact that neither team had the lead, entitling them to the game. Crookston started the scoring by making a field basket in the first two minutes of play. By this time our boys were warmed up and made three baskets which gave them the lead which they kept the rest of the game. The first half ended with the score of 11 to 3 in favor of Thief River Falls. The second half started with Crookston determined to win and at the end of the third quarter the score was 15-8 in our favor. In the fourth quarter, both teams showed a fine exhibition of team work, but our boys had the ability of finding the basket the most times which won them the game. The lineup follows:

Crookston		T. R. Falls
Hendricks	RF	Larson
Groundwold	LF	Ralston
McCrae	C	Paranteau
Buster	RG	Sorenson
Strom	LG	Herron

LaBree substituted for Herron in the last two minutes of play for Thief River Falls. Espe substituted for McCrae during the last quarter.

Climax Girls Victors.

On Friday, Jan. 28, the local basketball girls played at Climax. The game was won by the Climax girls. The locals were handicapped because of having to play the game according to girls' rules, but was hotly contested from beginning to end.

Climax will play a return game here on Feb. 11th and the locals are more than determined to win. The lineup was as follows: E. Herron, center; V. Lund, forward; F. Shetler, forward; N. Lindquist, guard; E. Hadrath, guard.

Freshman Candy Sale.

The Freshman class launched a "heap big" candy sale in the Lincoln high school last Wednesday afternoon and the receipts indicate a financial success. Much of the candy was brot from home by the class girls, which accounted for the large variety of candies sold at the counters, but it surely showed that the Freshman girls are not amateurs in the candy-making trade. The counters were cleared and the last bag of crumbs sold for a "buffalo," making a sales receipt of $28.37 and a total net receipt of $22.87.

Normal Department.

The Normal girls say that since the beginning of the second semester, their brains have been getting very good exercise.

Florence Burns (during language period): "In telling stories to children you should always tell the accidents (meaning incidents) in sequence."

Mr. Lampert gave us a very interesting talk on banking and present financial conditions, last Friday.

The Normal girls have been kept busy making Japanese toys for their practice teaching this week.

Miss Lucille Blaska spent the week end at her home at St. Hilaire.

Esther: "Kenneth, why do the Japanese people have such small feet?"

Kenneth: "Because that's the style nowadays."

Vivian (teaching a second grade language class): "What language do foreigners have to learn when coming to this country?"

Pupil: "Norwegian."

Elsie: "What are some of the Dutch customs?"

Ruth: "Oh, I know; taking a bath and taking their feet off before entering the house."

Northrup News.

In last week's marching contest, Miss Pelto's room won on the first floor and Miss Bark's on the second.

Miss Whipp's fourth and fifth grade room had a sleighride party last Tuesday after school. The party was chaperoned by Miss Whipps.

The pupils who were promoted to the seventh grade, Central, from the sixth grade, Northrup, at mid-semester are: Edward Kiland, Lillian Johnston and Edmund Keene.

Miss Pelto chaperoned a sleighride party last Saturday evening. The party was composed of some of the fifth and sixth grade pupils.

Personals.

Merle Thomas is back to school after a siege of mumps.

The chemistry class went through a chlorine gas attack yesterday. They used ether on their handkerchiefs to neutralize the gas but they all seem to show effects of it today.

Mental tests were given to the seniors Friday morning and to the normal students Friday evening.

The fourth Lyceum course rendered by the New York Lyric Singers last Tuesday was well attended by the high school students.

A special feature in Home Equipment class Friday, was a moving picture showing ancient Greek and Roman architecture, furniture and other home decoration.

Ernest Zeh, Morris Mabey, Lloyd Alnes, Charles Warner and William Herrick left Friday afternoon for Crookston with the basketball team to witness the game between the Crookston and Thief River Falls high schools.

Dan Cupid has been shooting his darts around again; Lorraine Will and a "freshie" are his latest victims.

Miss Marguerite Wilkinson, a high school student of Red Lake Falls, visited the Journalism class Friday afternoon.

The score at the end of each quarter of the game at Crookston Friday evening, was reported at the Legion game in the city auditorium. It caused a great deal of interest and spirit, especially among the high school students.

"Fat" Evenson resumed his studies again Thursday, after having been confined to his home as a consequence of an attack of mumps.

Found on the bulletin board: "The Juniors and Freshmen challenge the Seniors and Sophomores to a game of hockey, to be played Sunday, Jan. 30, 1921. See August Langseth and Kermit Anderson."

Take heed ye Juniors and Freshmen, you may take in too much territory.

During the chapel hour last Friday morning, the entire student body was reseated according to the classification of the voices. In the front section from left to right, were seated the second sopranos, altos, basses, tenors and first sopranos; in the back section the voices were arranged in the same order. The voices will then be properly arranged for the more difficult singing.

Miss Johnson, the music instructor in the local schools, at various times last week, took charge of the physical training classes and taught them different folk dances. It is Miss Johnson's intention to teach folk-dancing to the girls at least once a week in the future.

Irma Marcoe returned to school on Monday, after being confined to her home because of illness.

There will be a lot of thrifty "house-fraus" in high school at the end of the year, judging by the large enrollment in the Home Equipment class, conducted by Miss Poppitz.

Melby (about to call roll the second day of the semester): "All those who have dropped this subject please answer when I call their names."

Olive Lindeman was forced to quit school due to illness of her mother.

Irma Marcoe and Mildred Hauglid were absent last week, owing to an attack of mumps.

Wednesday evening the Freshmen changed the old saying, "Sweets to the Sweet," to "Sweets from the sweet—Freshmen girls."

They say the girls team in Climax are "huskies" but the team at Thief River Falls is still "huskier."

The declamation and oratorical contest which was to be held here Friday was cancelled but will be held at a later date. Myrtle Krohn and Ernest Zeh represent the local high school.

The Seniors of the Lincoln high school have started their fifty page annual and we are sure it is going to be a big success, even though it has to be cut down considerably.

Miss Victoria Erikson of the Bureau of Child's Welfare Union, was here last week to see that all children under age were attending school. While working in this city with the school nurse, Miss Johnson, they visited homes of some of the children who were not attending school and as a result the parents are more strict in sending their children to school. The Board of Education is going to appoint a truant officer but as yet one has not been appointed.

How do lima beans go as a substitute for sauce, Charlie?

Jordan Penney, a student of the Journalism class, returned to this city Monday morning to complete his school work for the past semester.

Whisperings of Humorous Nuts

"A little nonsense now and then, is relished by the best of men."

Gentle Reader:

Without a doubt you have imbibed fully and freely in the results of our strenuous and conscientious efforts to transcend from this realm of woe and calamity to the exalted regions of felicity. In this, the second issue, we are exerting all our superfluous energy in an attempt to elevate the standard set by the preceding number. We are bending every nerve to the task before us and live fondly in the expectation that the appreciation shown will burst all bounds and that you will remain in that state of mind occasioned by our recent eruptions of light-headedness.

—The Triumvirate

Miss Swift (noise audible): "I hope I don't have to send anyone out today."

Edward F.: "I hope so too."
(Exit Edward)

Miss Iverson (to Dreng B. who has difficulty in translating a very tragic passage in Caesar): "This is a rather serious situation."

Dreng B.: "Yes, it's too pathetic to express."

"Curly" M. (speaking of intoxicating beverages): "Once when I was in Middle River there was a bunch of Indians around there eating Hoffman drops."

(The atmospheric conditions influenced by "Curly" must have been the cause of this phenomena.)

Teacher (in English III): "For tomorrow, take the life of Dryden."

(The Triumvirate is under the impression that it is hardly permissible to "take" the life of even those who have expired centuries ago.)

"How dear to our hearts are the scenes of our school days," but—out of "nothingness" into the "here" comes an epistle, dripping words of wisdom, extolling the superior methods of torture and fairly bursting with wondrous tidings of the newest science, "How to initiate a Freshman into the mysteries of our institutions of higher learning." "——Initiation is over, thank goodness. Do you know what real misery is? If you are crossed in love, have lost all your money, fractured three legs and all your arms, had your teeth knocked out, three or four cauliflowered ears, suffering from dyspepsia, neuralgia, etc., your aches and pains are small compared to those endured by the Freshmen this year. Let me relate. After a physical examination we formed into a line and with the assistance of generous applications of raw lumber, hastily escorted to the campus. When we got there I was grabbed by half a dozen "huskies." Off went my shirt; ditto my shoes and up I went. I lit on a dozen muscular arms that again propelled me skyward. After a few journeys to Mars I was let down and a large tree pointed out to me. 'Climb it,' was the order, accompanied with a whack. Did I climb? I could have passed old papa squirrel easily. I climbed down again. 'Now,' said the leader, 'there is a nice girl. Go and propose to her.' I proposed most eloquently—and was accepted. 'All right,' again, 'let's have a song.' I sang "Sulla-lulla Lang Skanken" amid great applause. And so I went the rounds, alternately singing and proposing, with a few kisses scattered in between and then told to sit down and await the gauntlet. If I live to be a hundred years old I'll never go through that gauntlet again. The upper classmen had formed a crooked double line of considerable length. Each man in the line was equipped with a large flat paddle made of ¾ or 1 inch lumber about three feet long. And through this line we had to run with our hands in the air so as to keep them out of the way. Unfortunately I was held back awhile so that when I started the previous victim was nearly half ways through and everyone was rested and ready for me. After a period that seemed endless I emerged right on the heels of the one ahead of me—in a condition beyond expression. The suffering was intense while it lasted, for ——— is famous for its initiations and I can add my testimony."—Notes from contemporaries.

Miss Patrick: "Edward, tell something about Washington's life."

Edward: "He never told a lie."

Miss Brown (in physiography): "What are some physical properties of Denmark?"

Howard D.: "Snuff."

Clarence K.: "Washington gave his slaves freedom after he was dead."

Stranger: "I presume there are quite a few Scandinavians here?"

Native (thoughtlessly): "Yes, quite a number of Scandinavians and some Swedes."

Out of a superfluity of lines submitted for completion of the limerick published in the preceding issue, we deemed the following to be the most appropriate:

"There's a certain young man named Copp,
He's sadly in need of a prop,
For his great attraction
To the feminine faction
Makes it certain he's due for a flop."

This is the second of a series of limericks published under the auspices of the Triumvirate:

"Doc." Melby is short but stately,
Some days his expression is saintly,
But at giving a quiz
He's a regular wiz———

Vocation or Avocation?

Ernest Zeh—Impersonating Wallace Reid.
Edward Fiterman—Going crazy.
Maebelle Swanson—Making eyes.
Anna Leimers—Being sweet.
Vernon Copp—Falling in love.
Clarence Knudson—Contrary argumentation.
Eileen Herron—Attempting to vamp.
Beatrice Sandum—"Kapering."
Allen Fossum—Studying "fads."
Alfred Dybvik—Visiting Goodridge.
Myrtle Krohn—Declaiming (?)
Betsy Ness—Declining positions.
Lynn Halvorson—Playing "bad-man."
Margaret DeCremer—Talking.
Hugh McDaniel—Lamenting: "Oh Where, Oh Where, Has my Little Haug Gone?"
Francis Holmgren—Grinning.
Stella Williams—Dreaming, Always Dreaming.
Marshall Race—Looking wise.
Jordan Penney—Making "crushes."
Harold Smithers—Reducing (?)
Mary Vance—Teaching dancing.
Esther Sourds—Walking—How?
Dreng Bjornarna—Whiling Away the empty hours.
Bernard Sundahl—Cracking jokes.
Dottie Krafthifer—Dreaming of ?
Florence Burns—Expanding the virtues of Canada.
Mildred Bottelson—Being late.
Adolph Sundrud—Trying to outshine "Old Sol."
Benny Lind—Blushing.
Rose Orzechowski—Looking forward to a simpler name.

Miss Patrick: "What other names besides Beaumont and Fletcher do we corolate in the study of English literature?"

Lynn Halvorson: "Sears and Roebuck."

The following is this week's subject for debate or other argumentation: "Resolved that if prices keep coming down, will two be able to live as cheaply as one."

Soliloquy of an Editor-in-Chief.

To work, or not to work—that is the question
Whether 'tis nobler in the mind of my associates
To do the work myself or to delegate proportionally among my menials
And by distribution end it?. To proscribe—to assign—
No more; and by such action to say I end
The headaches and the thousand natural shocks
That I am heir to—'tis a consummation
Devoutly to be wish'd.

Miss Iverson (in latin II): "Why did Caesar cross the Rhine?"

Bright Student: "He probably wanted to get on the other side."

Son: "Daddy, what does vortex mean?"

Father: "Vot, don't you know vot vor-tax iss, Ikey? Dot's vot you pay on ice-cream cones und moofy shows."

Howard D (in physiography class): "Would a seed get seasick if it came across the ocean? (Who knows the answer?)

Miss H. (in solid geometry class): "Now what have we given in this proposition?"

Wm. Mc.: "We have given the proposition and required to find the answer."

Junior: "If the Seniors and Sophomores refuse our hockey challenge we'll put a long article about them in the Progress. If they accept of course it will be still worse." Either way it looks bad for the Seniors and Sophomores.

Howard Doland: "I can speak two languages, American and Physiography."

Miss Brown: "Thief River Falls used to be an old swamp."

Howard Doland: "Yes, all of the old-timers used to have webbed feet."

Miss Brown: "What is the cause for the richness of the soil in this community."

Robert Mc.: "Oh, that's because so many squaws and other Indians have been buried around here."

Exit Robert.

Miss Swift (in Com. Law class): "Benny, would you know what an Offer is if you ever met or saw one?"

Edward F.: "Did you ever see 'em walk?"

Edward F: "An Offer is a proposal." (He is correct at that.)

Clarence K. (in Eng. IV relating Geo. Washington's life): "After that he married a widow and some children."

Examining test papers that grade from 17 to 98 would be a tedious proposition were it not for the relief given by unintentionally humorous expressions such as this one. One of the questions in an English exam was: "What was the Excalibur?" The answer was: "It sounds like a latin word because of the bur on the end."

Robert McGinn (in physiography): "When they look through those periscopes (telescope) they think that they can see canals on the planet of Mars."

Miss Patrick (in Eng. 4, giving part of an address of Lincoln): "And we shall have to take care of his widows and children."

Miss Patrick (asking Fred to tell something about the life of John Dryden.)

Fred: "He was a Catholic when he died."

Fat E.: "I didn't think they had religion down there."

Jordan (at Candy sale): "How much is sea foam?"

Camille: "Ten dollars a wave."

Mr. Melby's chemistry class has been advised to bring gas machines to class if the students value their lives or if said possessions are not insured.

Louis Kassa was a week end visitor with his parents at Goodridge.

Mr. Melby in physics class: "Scientists have been able to get helium down to 271 degrees. If they can get it down to 273 degrees, which may be they can, we don't know what will happen; it may cause an explosion and blow up the whole world."

Lynn H.: "Gee! I wish they would quit their monkeying."

Freshmen Promise Well.

The preliminary game between the eighth grades and the Freshmen at the Bemidji-Thief River indoor loop contest last Friday was won by the freshmen at a score of 21 to 12.

The young contestents are very promising basketball players. They did some very neat work in shooting baskets and we feel sure that by the time they are in their third year of high school their team will be famous throughout the state. It will be a team that people of this city will be proud of and the people will do well in boosting them to the limit.

Eighth Grade Girl Scouts.

The Gray Wolf, Lone Star and Hiawatha divisions of the eighth grade girls scouts held a candy sale at the game last Friday evening at the auditorium.

They found little trouble in disposing of their goodies, the proceeds of which will be put to the treasury of the troop for the purpose of securing hand-books of scout information for each member.

The Debate.

The Thief River Falls high school debating team was eliminated from the contest for the state championship last Tuesday night when it was defeated by the Crookston high school debating team, at the local high school auditorium.

The Lincoln high school was represented in the debate by Esther Sourds, Vernon Copp and Edward Fiterman. The members of the Crookston team were, George Hagen, James Montague and Keith Sandberg.

The judges were Supt. Randolph of Erskine, Supt. O. S. Vail of Mahnomen and President M. W. Deputy of the Bemidji Normal. It was a real contest, and was heartily enjoyed by the audience. There was a decided clash of opinion throughout, which made the debate very interesting. Our team made a very good showing and only went down to defeat before the superior debating experience of the Crookston team. Mr. Pierce deserves a great deal of credit for building up a strong debating team out of students who had practically no debating experience before he took them in hand, barely three months ago.

Expert Breadmaker Coming.

Mrs. Margaret B. Baker, state club leader of the Minnesota Co-operative Extension division, will be in Thief River Falls on February 11, for the purpose of assisting the Girls' Breadmaking club with their work. The girls club is conducted by the Home Economics department of the Lincoln high school.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

For Mr. and Mrs. Rafteseth.

About forty friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rafteseth last Saturday evening to tender them a surprise. The ladies brought along all the necessary requirements for a midnight lunch and the men had gathered by the subscription plan about $70 which was given to the host and hostess. The evening was delightfully spent at conversation.

Social Nets $41.35.

The basket social given at Rosebank last Saturday evening for the benefit of the Near East relief netted $41.35. There was about 25 baskets and lunches for about one hundred persons sold. A. S. Holm cried the sale and Alex Hellquist acted as clerk. Dancing formed the evening's chief diversion. Music was furnished by Walter Wendt and Mrs. Ted Thompson.

Axel Axelson and son, Otto left on Monday morning for Warren to seek medical attention.

Walter Wendt left on Monday for a couple days stay at Warren to visit with his friends.

Miss Ethel Styrlund returned to her home at Viking on Monday after spending a week visiting with the Wasthy young folks and other friends here.

Services were conducted at the Rindal church on Sunday afternoon by Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls.

Miss Mable Olson of Thief River Falls is the guest of Miss Esther Thoreson this week.

Miss Irene Thompson, a sister of Ted Thompson, arrived here from North Dakota last Wednesday for a brief visit at the latter's home.

Miss Viola Axelson arrived from Thief River Falls last Thursday where she has been employed and will stay with her parents here for some time.

A carload of ry was shipped from the Hanson & Barzen elevator this week.

Mrs. John Berglund and son, Leonard, returned from Viking on Tuesday evening where they have been visiting with relatives the past week.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson left on Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls, where he will spend a week's vacation visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. L. L. Furan and Isabelle Sagmoen attended the fourth number of the Lyceum course at the Thief River Falls auditorium last Tuesday evening.

Miss Lillian Paulson of Gully spent Friday at this place visiting with friends.

Jim Thompson was in Thief River Falls between trains last Friday.

A number of farmers from this vicinity drove to Thief River Falls last Saturday to attend the annual meeting of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association.

Miss Lydia Batten, teacher in the Central school at Thief River Falls, spent the week end visiting with her folks north of town.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Severt Benson and friends for a week.

Chas. Anderson returned from Angus the latter part of the week after several days' visit there.

Thor Sevaldson spent Tuesday at Warren on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jensen left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls near which place Mr. Jensen is employed at farm labor.

A pleasant neighborly surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peder Pederson near Anita, last Saturday evening.

Miss Annie Blomberg is visiting with Mrs. Victor Mosbeck, in town.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all our friends and neighbors who so kindly surprised us last Saturday evening, and for the sum of money left with us. We greatly appreciated your visit and efforts, and in return beg to forward our sincere thanks and best wishes. —Mr. and Mrs. John Rafteseth. f3p

DEER PARK

Jens Bolstad transacted business at Oklee last Monday.

Carl G. Olson was layed up a part of last week suffering from toothache.

T. G. Rome was down to Hickory for a load of wood last week.

A telephone meeting was held in the Deer Park church last week for the purpose of choosing a delegate from this district to attend the annual meeting of the Gordon Valley Telephone company of Erskine. F. Lundeen was chosen as delegate and will go down on Monday, Jan. 31st.

The Olson boys have started to haul their winter's supply of wood for the coming winter.

Knut Lintvet and Frank Lundeen, supervisors of Deer Park, were business callers here last Thursday.

Swan and Andy Swanson and Henry Hyland were pleasant callers here last Sunday.

The old stork dropped in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Eisbrener and left a baby girl on the 13th. What about the cigars, John?

Ben Kveste of Highlanding was an over night visitor with yo scribe last Sunday evening. Ben and ye scribe used to count ties on old Jim Hill's road some twenty-five or thirty years ago, and when we wasn't out of luck entirely, we sometimes got to sleep in old Jim's box cars, but that was in Cleveland's time. Ben says it begins to look as if we will have to hit the trail again.

We are living in the reconstruction period now. Let us talk business and think about matters of importance to ourselves and to the community in which we live, and not sit around each for himself and say nothing and be like a bump on a log. If anyone in your section of country is going to win out and prosper, the action for results must come from within, that is, we must work out our own solution. It is a well known fact that every new country has its draw-backs, or in other words, just because we live and lead an isolated life we do not stop to think that it could be otherwise regardless of the fact that there may be channels open to us through which we could relieve ourselves of the situation we are in. But the question is: will we do it? If you should stop to question the average land owner in such a community what he would give if a condition of things could be brought about upon short notice, that would increase in value his possessions from twenty-five to fifty per cent or more, and at the same time help to reduce the operating cost of his farming to a large extent and get improved his social conditions twofold. His answer and doubt would be: I will gladly give a thousand dollars or more. The party would be justified in saying so—and yet he would be the winner. Now we are going to let you down easy and get you interested, for we are going to talk railroad, because we know any man that can be brought within five or six miles of a railroad town will want to come in on the deal, that is, if it isn't *going to hit the pocket book*. To be honest with you, all that will be required to start with is the loose change in your pocket. Our proposition is this: Bond your township and help build the railroad. If a 100 dollar levy is made against each quarter in your town on a ten or twenty year payment plan, it would mean from a sixty to ninety thousand dollar inducement for a railroad, if four or six townships would go in on such a deal. The beauty of it is, no one would feel the burden, and we would all be benefitted. Are you willing to pay six per cent on a $100 investment for the next 15 or 20 years and then pay the one hundred at the end of that time? If so get busy and talk railroad—an extension from Goodridge to Highlanding—Electric Line.

ERIE

Mrs. Tollef Loyland left last Thursday for Grand Forks on a business trip.

Gena Volden has been assisting at the Shulestad home with the work for a few weeks.

Mrs. Ole Lien, Thelma Hovet and Alfred J. Iverson visited school on Friday afternoon in the unorganized Dist. No. 1.

John Radniecki of Rhoda, called on his customers in our neighborhood last week.

Rev. Lerfallem of Rudell conducted religious services in the Little Oak schoolhouse last Sunday.

Mrs. John Rausch, who recently underwent a serious operation at the hospital in Thief River Falls, is home again and improving in health.

Ole Lien left for the lumber camps on Friday.

Miss Ella Swanson, clerk in the Aubol store, has been on the sick list.

Evelyn Tharaldson, Mrs. G. A. Iverson and Glenn Lien have joined the Toothache association.

Ole Vatne of Gully visited his brother Ed. from Thursday until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Sunsdahl entertained the Gust A. Iverson family on Saturday evening.

Anson Gunlickson made a trip to Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

NUMEDAL

Soren Knutson was busy hauling grain to Viking last week.

Edward Blomberg was fortunate in shooting a wolf Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Joringdal and family visited at the E. Joringdal home Thursday.

Thure Blomberg accompanied the mailman to town Wednesday where he was sworn in as substitute carrier on Route No. 1, returning home on Thursday.

Halvor Olson was a Viking caller Saturday.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday to meet his brother, Hjalmer, who has been employed on the Soo line.

Melvin and Elfie Joringdal were Viking callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brateng and family autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Thure Blomberg was a Viking caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son, Winton, were Sunday visitors at the A. O. Brink home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Joringdal and family visited at the J. A. Blomberg home Friday.

Mrs. P. Bugge and son, George, and Clarence Johnson, autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday.

Thure Blomberg and John Brateng were Sunday afternoon callers at the C. Brateng home.

Hjalmer Blomberg left Monday for Jordan, Minn with his brother, Elmer, where the latter who has been suffering from rheumatism will take treatments at the Mudbaden Sulphur Springs.

Soren Knutson and John Brateng drove to Thief River Falls Monday.

GERMANTOWN

Helen and Melvin Longevan visited at the Stokke home Tuesday.

Hans Dahl was a Goodridge caller on Monday.

Mrs. John Aandahl called at the L. Hamre home Wednesday.

Mrs. Vakoch and daughter, Rose, were guests at the D. Dau home Wednesday.

Mildred and Lawrence Wilson were guests at the Stokke home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson returned on Tuesday from Thief River Falls where she spent several days with her son, Albert, who is a patient at the Physicians hospital.

John Kotlan has been visiting with his sister, Anna, the past week.

Clifford Roller was a Mavie caller Monday.

Misses Hattie Klockman and Minnie Benttin were the guests of Anna Kotlan last Wednesday.

Ole Fevold, who has been a guest at the Hans Dahl home, left for Milo, N. D., Friday.

Edward Haberstroh, Frank Rohrer and Oscar Overby were callers at Goodridge one day last week.

John Kotlan was a caller at the A. K. Huggy home one day last week.

O. P. Nelson and daughter, Fern, were shoppers and callers in Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Gehart and Silva, were guests at the L. Bendickson home on Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Roller left for Thief River Falls Wednesday where she will visit with friends for some time.

Miss Marie Wayne arrived from Goodridge Friday for a brief visit at her parental home.

Fred Larson spent Friday afternoon at the O. P. Nelson home.

Guests at the Betten home Thursday evening were, John and Anna Kotlan, Lawrence Nelson and Detlef Dau.

Mrs. Sanders and children were *Sunday guests at the O. P. Nelson* home.

Edward Haberstroh was a caller at the Stokke home Sunday afternoon.

Clifford Roller called at the Stokke home Friday.

Anna and John Kotlan and Fred Larson visited at the O. P. Nelson home Friday evening.

Seriphine Rolland was a business caller at Mavie on Monday.

Stella Stokke was the guest of Lucy and Augustine Rolland Sunday.

Edward and Carl Haberstroh spent Sunday evening at the Overby home.

Lawrence Nelson was a caller at the Stokke home Sunday.

Hans Jerstad was a caller at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Lena Ristau left for Thief River Falls Saturday to visit with friends for a few days.

MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hofdal are the proud parents of a baby girl born on Friday, Jan. 28th.

Jacob Stennes called at the J. F. Kiel home Thursday evening.

Arnt Wedul and Jacob Stennes are busy sawing wood in Red Lake county.

Mrs. Asp was called to Ernest Hedeen's place in Highlanding last Friday evening on account of the baby being ill.

Nordahl Nelson is staying at the Johnson home doing chores while Mr. Johnson is in Thief River Falls.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jorgenson last Sunday evening.

Mr. Cooper and son John are busy hauling home wood which they have purchased at Jorgenson's.

Lars Klove was a business caller in Plummer Monday.

Several of the Mayfield farmers attended a school meeting held in Thief River Falls last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wedul visited at the Kiel home last Sunday.

Hans Jasperson was a business caller at the Omdahl home last Friday.

Miss Helen Cooper is working for Hofdals for a brief period until Mrs. Hofdal is able to do her work again.

The Stennes family visited at the C. Carlson home Thursday evening.

STEINER

Mrs. Kate Meyer attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Willis Warring attended the creamery meeting in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. Westphal transacted business in Steiner the first part of the week.

Charley and Edwin Swanson attended the creamery meeting Saturday at Thief River Falls.

Renie Werner had wood sawed by the Stigen brothers the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy were Thief River Falls callers the last of the week.

Fred Copp attended the creamery meeting at Thief River Falls Saturday.

The spelling contest of the several districts was held at the Russell school house and was well attended.

Willie Rupprecht is visiting with his sister, Mrs. A. Simonson.

Mrs. Hattie Alanska was visiting the Steiner school for a short time Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Agnes Warring called on Mrs. Simon Warring Wednesday.

R. L. Muzzy attended to business matters in Thief River Falls the last of the week.

J. A. Russell is hauling wood from the O. Berg farm.

Mr. Solem and son, Arney, were in Thief River Falls the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krohn visited at the Will Tripp home Sunday.

F. Edwards went to South Dakota to attend his father's funeral.

Gust Sustad sawed wood for Mr. Larson last Friday.

Alexander Krohn and Clayton Edwards visited at the Brink home last Sunday.

Ed. Krohn made a trip to Thief River Falls last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Knutson and son, Winton, visited at the Brink home on Sunday.

Misses Marie and Werna Morck visited school district 117 Wednesday.

Mrs. O. Brink called at the Chas. Peterson home Friday afternoon.

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper $2 per year.

MARKET WHEAT ON COMMODITY BASIS, ADVICE

California Plan is Outlined to Farmers at Meeting Held in Fargo Friday.

Speaker Suggests Scrapping of All Existing Organizations For Marketing.

Twenty-Five Million Dollars Would be Saved by System, is Claim Made.

Aaron Sapiro, of San Francisco, made the principal address at Fargo on Friday night before convention of the Tri-state Grain Growers, the Equity Co-Operative society and affiliated associations, in session there. Mr. Sapiro helped to organize the prune and other marketing associations in California.

He advised the 2,000 farmer members of the organizations assembled:

First, to scrap all present organizations and start anew at once to market products on the California basis, or strictly on a commodity basis.

Second, not to let corn states dominate the marketing of grains, as corn is a commodity which goes back to the farm.

Mr. Sapiro ridiculed criticism of his plan, made by Hugh J. Hughes, marketing director of the Minnesota state department of agriculture, and denied that growers fixed prices arbitrarily, declaring it was on an honest basis.

Forecasts $25,000,000 Saving.

He said farmers of North Dakota, Minnesota, South Dakota, Kansas and Oklahoma, should they organize to handle the 1921 crop, would save $25,000,000 by adopting the California plan.

He declared that a co-operative wheat marketing association to be a success must be conducted purely on a commodity basis; that farmers alone must assume control of the marketing facilities; that the public must be given a fair part in the work and know how prices are arrived at; that at least half of the wheat acreage must be signed up before attempting to handle the crop; that the farmers must sign up to deliver their grain for a period of years without specification of prices to be paid to them and that "no producer has any right to sell his product because a producer cannot be a successful and expert marketer."

"Wheat Alone Should Dominate."

"Canada, after a survey," he said, "advised the farmers to pool their wheat, and Washington, Idaho, Montana and Oregon already are organizing.

"A grain marketing corporation," he said, "should not be dominated by anything except wheat—as wheat and cotton are the two great non-perishable commodities. Corn and most other grain go back to the farms and their prices rise and fall largely with wheat.

"Wheat selling should be an easy task and organizing should be accomplished in thirty days. The Chicago Board of Trade has taught you men a lesson and torn you to pieces. You will have to learn to trust your neighboring farmers and organization will be easy.

"First organize in North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota, Kansas, and Oklahoma, the five great wheat states, and organize separately in each state or you will get in a legal mess by different state laws. Then federate all states.

"One central association without capital stock and with only growers as members is the big thing. Organize with about twenty-three directors with direct representatives of the public on the board so the public shall have full knowledge of your affairs.

"Sign up 50 per cent of the acreage for at least five years without promise of a definite price.

"Prove to the banks that you are real merchants and are merchandising wheat and they will finance you. Have the present elevators and other transportation agencies handle your wheat. Buy them and guarantee them a good return or profit.

"Agricultural paper is acceptable at Federal Reserve banks for rediscount. Growers can get a good share of the price when they deliver the grain in this way. The country bank is the key to the financial situation and can do more for the farmers than the city banks.

"You need a dual system, a warehouse group and a market group, and keep them distinct."

Prunes No Longer Lowly.

"In California the growers hire the marketing experts and they turn the profits that go to chambers of commerce and men like Armour back into the pockets of the farmer. With our hired man it is not how cheap but how good. Take the prune. Our marketing program elevated it from the boarding house to the palace. Supply and demand as a price basis is all bunk. We created the demand when the supply was big by the widest advertising and use of paid newspaper space.

"It is the farmer's duty to fix prices. Speculators now fix prices; we are against gambling.

"No individual is fit or capable of marketing a commodity. It is a group proposition and a co-operative proposition and the producer will never prosper until he realizes it."

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us at the time of the death of our beloved wife and mother and for the beautiful floral offerings.—John T. Coan and Family.

How $2.29 Per Bushel Can Be Obtained For All Wheat

"Citizen," who a short time ago wrote a communication to The Times in which he demonstrated that wheat could not be raised for less than $2.29 per bushel, in the following shows how the farmer can secure this price by doing his own grinding:

It requires two and one-quarter bushels of wheat to make 100 pounds of flour according to millers' estimate, which at a cost of $2.29 per bushel foots up $5.15. At this figure 100 pounds of straight flour could be made for $5.53, in which is included 21 cents for transportation and 17½ cents for the sack. "Straight flour" contains all the extras, clear grade, self-raising pancake flour, as well as some shorts. There would be about 11 pounds of waste. Cost of grinding not known.

The "patent flour" requires three bushels, 22½ pounds of wheat for each 100 pounds and leaves 86½ pounds of extras while the waste is 16½ pounds. The extras derived from 100 pounds of patent flour would more than pay for the grinding.

The farmers could thus grind their own wheat and obtain a market for their product. This will cause no famine and the cost price would be secured.

If the farmer shipped outside the local market, 21 cents (old rate) would have to be added to and when sold in the local market the price would be $5.32, with milling charges to be added.

Want Ideas For Memorials.

Ideas from ex-service men in regard to what type of war memorial should be erected in the United States are sought by T. Semmes Walmsley, chairman of the National Memorial Committee of the American Legion. Information is also desired in regard to local memorials which have been constructed. It should be addressed to 302 Marine Bank Building, New Orleans, La.

Churches

The First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Lenten Services next Sunday: (a) In Swedish at 10:30 a. m. (b) In American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:15 a. m. The Luther League will be entertained in the church basement Friday evening, Feb. 18 by the Longren family.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. at the parsonage. English Divine services Sunday at 11 a. m. Norwegian Divine services at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Monson, 401 Taft street Wednesday, Feb. 9th at 7:30 p. m. The teachers of the Sunday school have arranged for an evening's entertainment to be held in the church parlors Friday evening, Feb. 11. Besides the program to be rendered there are other pleasing attractions, among them a candy booth, fish pond and ice cream booth. The proceeds are to replenish the Sunday school treasury.

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Epworth League Sunday at 7:00 p. m. Sunday morning service at 11. Sunday evening service at 8. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Rev. P. J. Lindberg and Rev. F. A. Lindholm will occupy the pulpit Friday evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 10 a. m. next Sunday but no services. At St. Hilaire: The Evangelist Sengren Beckman preaches at East Side school house, near Erickson's, every evening this week at 7:30, and Sunday at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m., and at St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Rev. R. J. Lindberg will preach at Black River Sunday at 11 a. m.

Salvation Army, 317 Main Ave N. Captain Florence Petria in charge—Services are held on Tuesday, 8 p. m. Wednesday, 8 p. m., Saturday, 8 p. m. Sunday school, 2 p. m. Sunday evening, 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. German services at 10:30. English passion service at 7:30 p. m. Bible class meets Thursday at 8 p. m. The city ladies aid meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. Mrs. Becker will entertain.

Pesbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Feb. 6: 10 a. m. Sunday school. A special invitation is extended to attend our adult Bible class. 11 a. m. morning worship, "The Council of Death." 8 p. m. evening worship, Phil. 3:10-11. The Junior choir will provide the evening music. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. The C. E. society meets at 7 p. m., subject: "A Surrendered Victorious Life." Colos. 2:1-7. This is Decision Day. On Friday, Feb. 4 the Woman's Missionary society afternoon study club meets at 518 Main Ave. N. Study book "The Near East."

Christian Science—Services are held at the City Auditorium Sunday at 10:45. Subject: "Spirit." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Reading room open every Tuesday and Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. New members will be taken up. Service at Norden church at 2:30 p. m. Collection for Augsburg Seminary. Service in city at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Feb. 10th, entertained by Mrs. Kiland and Mrs. Remmem. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, Feb. 10th, entertained by Ellina, Inga and Boineth Iverson.

VALUE OF JEFFERSON HIGHWAY IS MORE THAN EVER APPARENT

President Walter Parker, in His Annual Report, Tells What Has Been Accomplished and Promises Even Greater Things For the Future.

The following extracts are taken from the annual report of Walter Parker, president, submitted to the directors and members of the Jefferson Highway association at St. Joseph, Mo., January 18.

"Five years ago a number of Highway enthusiasts met in New Orleans and organized the Jefferson Highway association for the purpose of promoting the building of a 365 day highway between New Orleans and Winnipeg.

"Today our project is fully organized, our association is well financed, we enjoy the co-operation and esteem of the people of the ninety counties and of that portion of Canada thru which our highway passes.

"Seventy percent of the highway has been given standard marks, and the money is in hand to complete the remaining thirty per cent.

"Almost every mile has been improved to some extent and more than fifty per cent of the mileage has been given a permanent hard surface.

"In the five years all the counties and towns on the highway have been visited three times by sociability runs which were participated in by prominent people of two countries.

"The Jefferson Highway association is of an international character and has an enviable reputation.

"Its monthly magazine, "The Modern Highway," has been established on a separate and distinct paid subscription basis far in excess of any other highway association publication and its influence for good is correspondingly great.

"The association has some five thousand individual paying members who have pledged themselves for five years. This total is some twenty-five per cent greater than the association sought and reflects the high regard in which the organization is held.

"States penetrated by the Jefferson highway have learned to value 365 day highways and the Jefferson Highway association, with its sound doctrine and sustained propaganda, has been of material assistance in developing the highway spirit. In 1920 Kansas enacted an excellent good roads law; Missouri provided a $60,000,000 highway fund, and the State of Minnesota provided $100,000,000 for this purpose.

"In 1921 we expect the State of Louisana to adequatbly provide for her main highway system, including the completion of the Jefferson Highway.

"Our project is succeeding because we are working along sound business lines. The organization owes much to the vision and the sustained efforts of its general manager. In Mr. Clarkson we have a most valuable and highly trained leader and we may expect him to bring success to our cause in exact ratio to the support and co-operation we give him.

"There is increasing need for the Jefferson highway. The project was well conceived. A new economic era has dawned in the Mississippi Valley. Henceforth adequate and dependable north and south transportation channels will be essential. This is so because the producers of the valley, in order to enjoy full economic freedom, must have access to the easy grade north and south railroads, the navigable waterways which empty in the Gulf of Mexico and to all-the-year dependable highways following the same desirable course.

"In the period ahead, a very much larger portion of the valley's raw products, which have been passing to Europe by way of the Atlantic Seaboard, will be changed into the finished products of commerce in Mississippi valley factories located near the source of raw material and food supply and will pass to world markets, particularly to the new markets of greatest promise in Latin America and the Orient along railroads, waterways and highways of low natural resistance, to the valley's own ports on the Gulf of Mexico thence abroad.

"In this new scheme of things, which has efficient service and genuine economy as its basis, drift of travel will follow drift of commerce, and the north and south Jefferson Highway, which penetrates and serves America's region of greatest production and of greatest capacity for increased production, will fill an ever increasing need.

"Few people today possess more than a superficial idea of the important part the Mississippi valley and its north and south transportation lines of low natural resistance will play, not alone in the economic affairs of the United States, but of Europe, Latin America and the Orient. This is the only region in all the world which has the area, the soil, the climate, the transportation and the population capable at this time of filling the needs of war torn Europe, of Latin America, where enormous expansion of mining, of agriculture and of population is inevitable and of the Orient whose teeming population, as a natural result of the war, are developing new needs and new requirements.

"Our national security, when less fortunate peoples shall turn covetous eyes our way, will depend upon the ability of the Great Basin to feed and to supply our coast sections when defense against an invader becomes necessary.

"The more efficient and dependable our means of communication, the greater will be the valley's ability to meet the supreme test.

"The Jefferson Highway is the backbone of an essential system.

"We would not be true to ourselves or to our country did we permit our labors for this splendid cause to lag."

Two Young Men From This County Take Short Course

Vernon Peterson of St. Hilaire and Ernest Kath of Goodridge, are attending the annual short course for creamery operators which opened at University Farm, St. Paul January 3 and will continue until February 12.

Realizing the great importance of the buttermaking industry to the state and the close relation which the creameries have to this great industry, the University has for several years given a short specialized course for creamery operators, the object of which is to give young creamery operators a thorough understanding of the factors involved in the production of a grade of butter that will meet the demands of the most exacting market. Fifty-six young men are in attendance at the short course of this winter.

The Legion and Labor.

Recently correspondence passed between Commander Galbraith of the American Legion and Samuel Gompers, president of the Labor Federation, in which each assured the other that there was nothing in the aims and ideals of either organization to which objection could be made. This good feeling seems to be spreading, for since then, the Central Trades and Labor Union of East St. Louis, Ill., has passed a resolution approving the national policies of the Legion and recommending that all eligible laborites become Legionnaires. Similar action has been taken by the Central Trades Council of Oklahoma, which is to co-operate with the Legion.

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT.

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Every Thief River Falls resident should read what Mr. Schuster says, and follow his example. He has used Doan's Kidney Pills and speaks from experience. Is there any need to experiment with imitations or untried kidney medicines?

Chas. Schuster, 622 St. Paul Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can say they are just as advertised. My back has been bothering me for a long time and I couldn't bend over without pain across my loins. Some mornings I couldn't get out of bed my back was so sore and stiff and I was obliged to get up nights on account of kidney weakness. As soon as I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had relief and I have felt better ever since."

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"I Got Real Mad when I Lost My Setting Hen," writes Mrs. Hanna, N. J.

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GOLDEN VALLEY

Arthur Tyson, who was badly injured by being kicked in the head by a horse is better though still weak. He has gone to his grandmothers to attend school.

Miss Mammie Anderson, who has been working for Alfred Knutson, returned to her home at Middle River Wednesday.

Herbert Vanwold and family, and brother, Irvin, who were visiting relatives south of Thief River Falls, returned on Thursday.

Friends of Mrs. Tridberg, who went from here to Kittson county three years ago will be grieved to learn of her death.

Many of the children between Grygla and Golden Valley are sick with a light fever and a rash that resembles scarlet fever.

Alma Johnson is keeping house for Mrs. Groshoslon while the latter is teaching school north of Gatzke.

Church services were conducted on Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday evening at Herbert Vanwolds.

D. C. Tyson had the misfortune of losing one of his best cows during the past week.

GOODRIDGE

Miss Christine Giefer of Thief River Falls was in town Monday. She taught for her sister, Teresa, who is in Grand Forks for a couple of days.

Nick Bundhund and daugter, Hattie, returned from Thief River Falls Monday morning where they visited over Sunday.

Carl Christianson attended to business in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Henry Sand was in Thief River Falls Wednesday having dental work done.

P. O. Tvedt attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Mable Drexton, the Red Cross nurse, left Saturday for Thief River Falls where she was the guest of Miss Knutson, the Red Cross county nurse. Miss Drexton will leave there Monday for Badger, Minn., where she will conduct another class in nursing for fifteen days.

M. G. Thoreson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ole Johnsrud left Wednesday for Thief River Falls to attend to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Yager were passengers on the electric line to Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

Miss Diana Wold left for Thief River Falls Tuesday morning after a visit of several days with relatives.

H. S. Dahlen of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday morning between trains.

Miss Della Urdahl is visiting with friends in Thief River Falls this week.

Miss M. Hope of St. Paul returned home Thursday after a week's visit with relatives at Grygla. She was accompanied by her father, George Hope whose wife was in St. Paul and is to undergo an operation.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich made a professional call in Erie Thursday and also visited the nursing class at the local school in the afternoon.

Carl Anderson left Thursday for Thief River Falls on business.

Henry Sand returned from Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. Rosaire Morin left Monday evening for Thief River Falls where she visited friends until Tuesday when she went to Crookston where the children are, and will then go on to Hibbing to join her husband.

Bennie Thompson of Thief River Falls was in town Monday. He returned home in the evening.

Dr. C. M. Adkins made a professional call in town Thursday.

John Homme of Highlanding was in Thief River Falls Monday attending to business.

George Newbury of Thief River Falls was in town Monday loading a car of hay.

M. J. Stephenson attended to business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Miss Elsie Bundhund arrived Monday from Minneapolis and will visit relatives for several days.

Miss Clara Dahlen left Monday for Thief River Falls.

Oliver Tommerdahl left Monday for Thief River Falls to serve on the jury.

W. H. Wilde and daughter from Sunbeam, left for Thief River Falls Monday.

Pete Wold of Kratka left for Thief River Falls Monday.

Peter Bundhund arrived Thursday morning from Casper, Wyoming where he has been employed in the oil wells for the past two years. After a visit of a couple of weeks he expects to return. Peter says he likes the southwestern part of the U. S. Enroute home he visited with the Foss family at Glendive, Montana. They will be remembered as having the Goodridge hotel here when the town was new.

Morgan Christianson left Thursday for Strathcona where he has been transferred to from the Farmers State bank here.

Miss Gladys Wilson who has been employed in the Goodridge State bank, has accepted a position in the Farmers State bank and will enter upon her new duties next Monday.

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[illegible] commercial club will meet on Thursday evening. All members please come.

Mrs. Jay Payne entertained Miss Gladys Wilson and Miss Elenora Bauer at dinner Sunday noon.

Mrs. Carl Christianson entertained at a six o'clock dinner Sunday evening. Misses May V. Wilder, Elenora Bauer and Gladys Wilson were present.

A. J. Anderson of Grygla was in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald entertained Monday evening at a birthday party in honor of Miss Gladys Wilson. Miss Wilson was presented with a fountain pen and best wishes for many happy birthdays to come. Whist was played during the evening, the prizes being awarded to Miss Carrie Urdahl and Gladys Wilson. Lunch was served. The guests departed at a late hour with many good wishes to the guest of honor.

Harvey Ferdinandson returned Saturday morning from Thief River Falls where he went Friday evening to attend the Bemidji-Thief River basketball game.

Miss Gladys Wilson left Tuesday morning for Grygla where she will visit for a few days before entering upon her duties at the Farmers State bank.

Henry Hope and aunt, Mrs. White, returned Thursday from St. Paul.

Albert Halvorson was in Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

School Notes.

Miss Agnes Vaughan has issued invitations to the high school pupils for a party Friday evening. All are looking *forward to a good time.*

Christine Bundhund spent Sunday with relatives in Thief River Falls.

The girls two weeks course in nursing was concluded last Saturday and Miss Drexton, the nurse, left for Thief River Falls.

Several boys from the high school have joined the second band which meets Tuesday evenings.

Mrs. Christine Giefer taught school for her sister, Miss Teresa, Monday and Miss Una Nelson taught on Tuesday.

The high school girls are trying to learn to play shinny, it is hard, but especially so when the boys make fun. But they have resolved to show the boys how to play in the long run.

The high school orchestra is practising hard now as they are to appear at the Community club meeting on Thursday evening.

Robert Merrill enrolled in the primary room Monday.

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A. W. SWEDENBURG
Physician and Surgeon
National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

City Council

A regular meeting of the City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M., Jan. 11, 1921.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon and Ihle. Members absent: None.

Minutes of the meeting of Dec. 28, 1920 were read and approved as read.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the monthly reports of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, Municipal Judge, Manager of the Auditorium, and Library be approved and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Dahl, seconded by Ness, that the application for transfer of Billiard, Pool and Bowling Alley license, from James Cosgrove to Edward Carlson, be granted. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Ness, that the petition of the Property Owners Organization, represented by M. V. Evenson, Olaf Ramstad and Knauth, then be filed and made a part of record. Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Ness. Aldermen voting No: Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Ness, that the City Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for city printing and city depository for the ensuing year, bids to be opened at the Council Chambers, Feb. 1, 1921, at eight o'clock P. M. Motion carried.

Alderman Dahl, seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced a resolution proportioning assessments in the matter of Paving Improvement No. 1. (See Resolution.)

Alderman Brandon, seconded by Alderman Dahl, introduced a resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids and for the sale of the City's certificates in the matter of Paving Improvement Proceeding No. 1. (See Resolution.)

On motion duly carried the Council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, held at the Council Chambers in said City, on the 11th day of January, 1921, Mr. S. Brandon offered the following resolution, which was read:

WHEREAS, In pursuance of and in full compliance with the provisions of Chapter 65, Laws, 1919, proceedings have been duly and legally taken under which it has been determined to pave certain streets in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to-wit:

Main Avenue from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks, North to the intersection of Sixth Street;

Horace Avenue, from First Street North to the Intersection of Fourth Street;

LaBree Avenue, from the Great Northern Railway Company's tracks, North, to the intersection of Fourth Street;

First Street, from the Red Lake River West to Knight Avenue;

Second Street, from Atlantic Avenue west to Knight Avenue;

Third Street, from the Railroad tracks of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company west to Knight Avenue.

such paving being hereinafter referred to as "Improvement" or "Improving," and

WHEREAS, the paving of all of said streets, or parts thereof, constitutes a single improvement, and

WHEREAS, contracts have been duly let for said improvement, and it has been definitely ascertained and determined in accordance with the provisions of law applicable thereto, that the aggregate expense incurred or to be incurred in making said improvement will be at least the sum of $292,000.00, and

WHEREAS, the total cost of said improvement is divisible into two parts, one of which is properly assessable against benefitted property, and the other part consists of the improvement of street intersections and the like, and is properly payable by the city at large, and

WHEREAS, the amounts assessable against benefitted property and the amounts properly payable by the city at large in the case of said improvement are as follows:

Amount Assessable Against Benefitted Property	City's Share
[illegible]	$58,927.50

WHEREAS, there is not sufficient money in the treasury of said city to defray the expense incurred or to be incurred in making said improvement,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That it is necessary for the purpose of defraying in part the expense incurred and to be incurred in so making said improvement, to issue at this time the sum of $292,000.00, and for that purpose the negotiable Certificates of Indebtedness of said city be issued in the aggregate amount of not exceeding $292,000.00. That said certificates shall be 292 in number, numbered from 1 to 292 inclusive, shall bear date the first day of March, 1921, shall be each of the denomination of $1000, that all of said certificates shall bear interest at not to exceed the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, the first interest payment to be due on August 1, 1921, for a five months' period and thereafter on the first days of February and August in each year, semi-annually.

That said certificates shall be payable as to principal as follows:

$11,000, on August 1, in each of the years 1922 to [illegible] inclusive and [illegible] on August 1, 1941, and that both principal and interest shall be due and payable at a place designated by the purchaser.

RESOLVED, further that said certificates shall be in substantially the following form, with the necessary variations as to numbers and maturities, which said form is hereby approved and adopted:

No. ____ $1000

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
State of Minnesota.
City of Thief River Falls.
Street Improvement Certificate of Indebtedness.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, Minnesota, acknowledges itself indebted, and, for value received, promises to pay to bearer

One Thousand Dollars

($1,000), lawful money of the United States of America, on the first day of ____ A. D. 19__, with interest from date until paid, at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first days of February and August in each year, on presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons, both principal and interest being payable at ____ in the City of ____.

This Certificate is issued under authority of the laws of Minnesota thereunto enabling, and more particularly Chap. 65, Laws, 1919, for the purpose of defraying in part the expense incurred or to be incurred in paving certain streets in said city.

The full faith, credit and resources of said city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, are pledged for the prompt payment of the principal and interest of this certificate at maturity.

It is hereby Certified and Recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the laws and constitution of the State of Minnesota, to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this certificate, have been properly done, happened and been performed, in regular and due form and time as required by law, and that the total indebtedness of said city, including this certificate does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limit.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said City of Thief River Falls, has caused this Certificate of Indebtedness to be signed by its Mayor and City Clerk, and its Corporate Seal to be hereunto affixed as of this first day of March A. D. 1921.

JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
(Corporate Seal.)

That there be coupons attached to each of said certificates, each of said coupons evidencing the interest payable for a six months' period, and be in form substantially as follows:

No. ____ $30.00

On the first day of August A. D. 19__ the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, will pay to bearer Thirty Dollars ($30.00), at ____ in the City of ____ being Semi-annual Installment of Interest on its Street Improvement Certificate of Indebtedness dated March 1, 1921. No. ____

City Clerk.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the proceeds of all assessments levied or to be levied against property benefitted by said improvement be and they hereby are appropriated and set aside for the payment of the principal and interest of said certificates and any other certificates which may hereafter be issued to cover the expense of such improvement as they fall due, and that the city assume the amount of the cost of said improvement heretofore designated and specified as the city's share thereof, and that the city annually provide for the payment of the portion of said certificates represented by its share by the levy and collection of a tax therefor, on all the taxable property of said city. That there be and hereby is created a separate fund for said improvement bearing the improvement number. That into this fund shall be paid the proceeds of the sale of said certificates applicable to such improvement; that into this fund there shall also be paid all moneys arising from assessments on account of such improvement, and all moneys raised by general taxation to pay the city's share of the cost thereof, as hereinbefore specified; that out of this fund shall be paid all expenses incurred or to be incurred in connection with said improvement, that any moneys in such fund at the maturity of any interest or principal of any of said certificates, whether such moneys be the proceeds of assessments, paid or of taxation, or be from other sources derived, be applied to the payment of such interest and principal; That if at the maturity of any such interest or principal there is not in such fund money sufficient to meet the payment thereof, the proper officers of the city shall provide the necessary money for the purpose out of the general fund or out of any other fund and pay the same into the appropriate improvement fund in the amount needed. That when thereafter there shall be in such improvement fund so replenished, moneys derived from the collection of assessments on account of such improvement which are available for the purpose, they shall be paid back out of such improvement fund with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum into the general or other fund from which they shall have been taken or used, provided, however, that the city's share of the cost of any such improvement as hereinbefore fixed and specified so paid into any such fund for the purpose of interest or principal payment, shall not be repaid from said improvement fund, but shall be provided for out of the proceeds of general taxation. The intent hereof is hereby declared to be that the cost of said improvement shall be paid out of said improvement fund, that the proceeds of assessments made on benefitted property on account of said improvement shall be applied as far as they are available to discharge the interest and principal of said certificates, that the city shall, from time to time, contribute out of the proceeds of general taxation to the payment of the interest and principal of said certificates its share as hereinbefore fixed and specified, and that, if, at any time, when any interest or principal of any of said certificates falls due, the fund so made up, is unequal to pay the same out of the proceeds of assessments collected and the city's payment of its share of the cost of such improvement, the city shall pay into such fund, if so deficient, moneys enough to supply such deficiency out of the general fund or out of any other fund having moneys available, and that the improvement fund so refreshed, shall except for the city's share, replenish the fund from which such moneys are taken, with interest at six per cent per annum, out of the proceeds of subsequent collections of assessments. That the clerk and treasurer keep this council informed as to the condition of said improvement fund and of the financing from time to time necessary; that there be at all times available moneys in the treasury to promptly pay the interest and principal falling due on any of said certificates, and this council hereby undertakes to take such proceedings and to do such further acts from time to time as are necessary or proper to secure the prompt payment of such interest and principal on their respective maturities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That said certificates shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the City Clerk, who shall attest the same with the city seal, and that coupons be authenticated by the fac simile signature of the City Clerk, printed, lithographed or engraved thereon, and that said certificates when so executed shall be placed in the custody of the treasurer to be sold as hereinafter provided.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That bids for the purchase of said $292,000 of certificates will be considered by this council at a meeting thereof hereby fixed to be held at the council chamber in said city on the 8th day of February, 1921 at 8 o'clock p. m.

That the Clerk give notice of said meeting by publication thereof in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper published at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, once in each week for at least two successive weeks prior to said meeting, and said newspaper is hereby designated as the newspaper in which said notice shall be published.

That said notice shall be in substantially the following form:

Notice of Sale of Street Improvement Certificates of Indebtedness.

NOTICE IS GIVEN, That on the 8th day of February, 1921, at 8 o'clock p. m. at the Council Chamber, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, the city council of said city will receive bids for the sale of $292,000 of Certificates of Indebtedness of said city described as follows:

Date of Certificates March 1, 1921, [illegible] $1000 each, interest rate not to exceed 6 per cent, payable semi-annually, principal payable $11,000 in each of the years 1922 to [illegible] inclusive and $25,000 on August 1, [illegible]. Applicable Law Chap. 65, [illegible].

All bids must be without condition or qualification, and accompanied by a certified check in the amount of 5 per cent of the total bid, payable unconditionally to the order of the Treasurer of said city.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to sell a less amount than the total issue.

All bids should be addressed to the undersigned.

By order of the city council of said city.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 12th day of January, 1921.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

RESOLVED further that the full faith, credit and resources of said City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, and of this city council as such, be and the same are hereby irrevocably pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of said certificates at maturity.

Alderman John Dahl seconded the motion to adopt said resolution and, the roll being called, the same was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Ness, Brandon, Ihle.

Nayes: None.

Passed and approved this 11th day of January, 1921.

JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Countersigned:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk (Seal)

Council Chambers, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A regular meeting of City Council was called to order by H. A. Brumund, President, at eight o'clock P. M. Jan. 25th, 1921.

Roll Call: Members present: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon, Ihle. Members absent: Ness.

Minutes of the meeting of Jan. 11th, 1921, were read and approved as read.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the annual report of the Secretary of the Cemetery Commission be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that P. G. Peterson be employed to prepare the financial statement of the city for the year 1921. Motion carried.

Moved by Froseth, seconded by Brandon, that the Merchant's Association be given the use of the auditorium, free of charge, for a lecture given by Dr. Krebs on Thursday evening, Jan. 27th, 1921. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the city council recommend to the county board that they give Mr. M. McFarland a hearing as to adjustment of taxes. Motion carried.

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Dahl, that the matter of fixing power rates be referred to the Light Committee. Motion carried.

Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced a resolution increasing the salary of the Fire Department. *(See Resolution.)*

Moved by Ihle, seconded by Brandon, that the council adjourn until 8:00 o'clock P. M. Tuesday, Feb. 1st, 1921. Motion carried and council adjourned.

H. A. BRUMUND.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

In the Matter of Paving Improvement Proceeding No. 1.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held January 11, 1921, Alderman John Dahl, seconded by Alderman O. Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that it be, and hereby is determined by said council, that proportionate cost of the proposed paving project, known as Paving Improvement Proceeding No. 1, is as follows, to-wit:

Amount assessable against benefitted property	$233,072.50
Amount chargeable against the City	58,927.50

such proportion being in accordance with the estimate and statement thereof made and submitted by the City's Engineer, which estimate and statement is hereby approved.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 26, 1921.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held January 25, 1921, Alderman Ihle, seconded by Alderman Froseth, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the pay of the members and officers of the Fire Department of said City be, and the same is hereby increased twenty-five per cent, such increase being effective with the current quarter, beginning December 15, 1920.

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 29, 1921.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Resolution.

At a regular meeting of the City Council held Jan. 25th, 1921, Alderman Froseth seconded by Alderman Ihle, introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Be It Resolved by the City Council of the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, that the following bills be audited and allowed:

Current Fund.	
Street Commissioner's payroll	$ 63.10
Geo. Christo, rent of rooms Red Cross	20.00
Paul Midderich, special police	5.50
Ed. Lee, repairs	8.20
Minn. Law Book Co., law book	10.00
Auditorium Fund.	
Thief River Grocery Co., soap, etc.	13.25
Poor Fund.	
John Sjolevold, wood	5.00
C. L. Heinze, wood	5.50
Fred Dale, wood	5.00
T. R. Co-Op. Creamery, milk	.30
R. B. Rasmusson, rent	12.50
Loken Bros., mdse.	5.00
Electric Light Fund.	
Water & Light Dept., freight, express, etc	31.60
Power Equipment Co., supplies	85.50
N. W. Equip. Co., supplies	825.00
St. Paul Electric Co., supplies	137.18
The American City, subscription	3.00
Waterworks Fund.	
Payroll, thawing hydrants	40.57
Ed. Lee, repairs	6.42
R. E. Hornseth, labor	3.50
John Dicken, labor	6.00

Roll Call: Aldermen voting Yes: Froseth, Dahl, Brumund, Brandon and Ihle. Aldermen voting No: None.

Resolution declared passed.

H. A. BRUMUND,
President of the Council.

Approved Jan. 29, 1921.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.

Bank No. 1281

Amendment to Certificate of Incorporation of the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota.

At a meeting of the Stockholders of the above named Bank, held at the Banking House on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1921, the following resolution was offered and adopted by a majority vote of its capital stock:

RESOLVED: That section Six of the Certificate of Incorporation of this Bank be amended to read as follows:

Section Six:—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this Corporation shall at any time be subject shall be $200,000.00.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by a majority vote of the Capital Stock, at a meeting duly called for that purpose and held at the Banking House in Hazel, Minnesota on the sixth day of January, A. D. 1921.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President.
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.
(Corporate Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 6th day of January, 1921, before me appeared Paul Borgie and E. C. Karwand, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that they are respectively the Vice President and Cashier of Citizens State Bank, Hazel, Minnesota, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was executed by them as their free act and deed.

OLE ODEGAARD,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires May 13, 1925.
(Notarial Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Office of Superintendent of Banks, St. Paul, January 17th, 1921.

This is to certify that the action of the stockholders of the Citizens State Bank of Hazel in adopting the foregoing amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation, has been approved by me.

F. E. PEARSON,
Superintendent of Banks.
(Seal.)
By G. H. Sivright,
Deputy Superintendent.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 17th day of January A. D. 1921, at 2 o'clock P. M. and was duly recorded in Book C of Misc. Corp. Records, on page [illegible].

MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 21st day of January, A. D. 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book J of Misc. page 118.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
j27-f3

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, mortgagors, to J. P. Jensen, mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920 at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 61 of Mortgages on Page 68, and

WHEREAS, The said J. P. Jensen, the mortgagee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Twenty-one and no/100 Dollars, as follows: The sum of $120.42 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and the sum of $100.58 thereof being the amount of principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) and the South Half of Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section No. Fourteen (14), all in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $221.00, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, being statutory attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 26th, 1921.

J. P. JENSEN,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Four and 41-100 ($804.41) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, Mortgagors, to Goodridge State Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 6th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 602, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The West Half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirteen (13), and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Fourteen (14), all in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range numbered Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $804.41 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 25th, A. D. 1921.

GOODRIDGE STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
j20-27-f3-10-17-24-m3

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Thirty-one and 32-100 ($5031.32) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, Mortgagees, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of December, 1915, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 3 of Mortgages, on page 607, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SW¼ of NE¼), and Government Lot Two (2) in Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 5th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5031.32 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
j20-27-f3-10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Charles A. Pike, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Ethel C. Pike, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of February, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of January, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Seal.)

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
j20-27-f3

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie Heard, also known as Mina Heard, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Henry W. Heard,

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday the 19th day of July, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated January 11, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal.)
j20-27-f3

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Addition of Territory.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District.

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of January, 1921, there were filed in the office of the Clerk of said court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, a petition duly made and signed by the Board of Directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District, and a petition duly made and signed by S. E. Erickson and others, residents of the territory concerned, which said petitions pray for the addition of certain territory therein described to said District and set forth the reasons and necessity therefore. That the territory therein described and which is proposed to be added to said District, is as follows: All of Townships One Hundred fifty-three (153) North of Ranges Forty-six (46), Forty-seven (47), Forty-eight (48), Forty-nine (49) and Fifty (50) West in Polk County, Minnesota, known and organized as the Townships of Esther, Northland, Tabor, Angus and Brandt; also all of Section Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9), Sixteen (16), Seventeen (17), Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-eight (28), Twenty-nine (29), Thirty (30), Thirty-one (31), Thirty-two (32), and Thirty-three (33) of Township One Hundred fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty-five (45) West in Pennington County, Minnesota, the same being the western half of the Township of [illegible] in said County.

That thereafter the Honorable Andrew Grindeland, one of the Judges of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, duly made and filed his order fixing a time and place of hearing upon said petitions, which order was made and dated on the 15th day of January, 1921, and filed in the office of the Clerk of said court at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 17th day of January, 1921; that thereby the said court did order and require that the said petitions be heard, considered and determined by said court as provided by law, at the court room in the court house in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, A. D., 1921, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., and that all parties interested may then and there appear and be heard for and against the granting of said petition.

Now therefore, notice is hereby given that said petitions will be heard, considered and determined at the time and place last above mentioned as required by the order of said court.

Dated January 17, 1921.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of District Court,
Pennington County, Minnesota.
(Seal of District Court
Pennington County, Minn.)
j20-27-f3

Citation For Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Bertha O. Swanson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha O. Swanson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to William A. Swanson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of William A. Swanson having been filed in this Court, representing that Bertha O. Swanson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of December, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to said William A. Swanson, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of February, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of January, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j27-f3-10

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty-four and 67-100 Dollars ($3124.67), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and G. Halvorson, wife and husband, mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 29th day of December, 1916 at 1:00 o'clock P. M. in Book 13 of Mortgages on Page 583, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, 1916 at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 32 of Mortgages on Page 257.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 7th day of July, 1920 at 9:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on Page 218, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Beltrami County on the 9th day of July, 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M. in Book 28 of Mortgages on Page 430, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

Lots Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Thirteen (13) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Lot Six (6) in Block Sixty-three (63) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-[illegible] in Township One Hundred [illegible] North, of Range [illegible] West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota, containing eighty (80) acres, and

The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼), the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼ of NW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-one (21) in Township One Hundred [illegible] North, of Range [illegible] West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Beltrami County, and State of Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres.

All the foregoing described real estate and premises with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County in the State of Minnesota at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of February, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $3124.67, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises and Seventy-five Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 5th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Six stacks of mixed hay. Phone 295. 3p

FOR SALE—12 high grade milch cows. Some fresh and others coming in soon. Also registered Shorthorn bull.—Joe Oski, Mavie, Minn. 3

FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows.—J. M. Theine, Sec. 9, Smiley, R. 3, City. 2p

FOR SALE—Purebred Holstein bull calf, 4 months. Extra good individual. Also high grade bull calf 2 weeks old at veal prices, if taken at once.—Frank J. Hardisty, Kratka, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 107tf

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cow. W. I. McCrum, Route 3, phone 7F23. 10p

FOR SALE—Seven room house with 5 lots, 623 Horace Ave N. 1

FOR SALE—One Shorthorn bull; one Martin feed mill No. 6; also brood sows, due in April, and May bred by full blooded Poland China boar. John Nelson, R. 1, city, 15 miles west of town. 108p

FOR SALE—Detroit Vapor oil stove, 121 St. Paul Ave N. 1

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 512 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Weiner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 99tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Newly cut oak, sleigh and wagon poles, and all other kinds of [illegible] of all sizes and lengths, at reasonable prices. P. I. Kline, south of Greenwood cemetery, city, or at Holt. 11tf

FOR SALE—By owners, adjoining lots. Either will be sold at bargain. Both improved. For information see Carl J. Swenson, Hazel Star Route. 73tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 155, City. 62tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats at 75 cents per bushel. Write or call Thure Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 107tf

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10 cents per pound.—Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls, Minn. 105tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 12tp

FOR SALE—Fordson Tractor complete with fenders, top and brand new pulley, used two seasons. Price $465.00.—Millard Helmund, Nielsville, Minn. 108p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 106tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Steam heated office room. Inquire of Halvor Loken. 105p

FOR RENT—Three room steam heated flat. Vacant February 1st. C. W. McDaniel. 107tf

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Large heated room, can be used for light housekeeping. Call 231 or 417 Main Ave. S. 106tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 417 Zeh St. 101tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make some money the coming year. Owner going away. Write The Times. 104tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. A real money maker. The only cash business going. Live town. Here is your chance to make money the coming year. Owner going away. Write Times. 101tf

BARN FOR RENT—Inquire First and Peoples State Bank. 108

FOR RENT—Room with or without board. 811 LaBree avenue north. Phone 161. 108p

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by middle-aged lady. Call or write 422 Conley avenue S. 108p

LOST

LOST—Between the Methodist parsonage and the Soo depot, a pair of infant's shoes and a pair of eyeglasses bearing name of Dr. A. V. Garlock on the case. Finder returning them to this office will be paid for trouble. 108p

LOST—A bar pin on January 28, between the post office and 322 W. Finder please leave at Times office. 108

MISCELLANEOUS

COMFORTABLE small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Erstrand's office. 108tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221 First St. E. 107tf

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VALLEY SHOWS WILL SURPASS PAST EFFORTS

Red River Counties' Winter Exhibit at Crookston to Cover One Entire Week.

Every Phase of Farming Will be Covered, Both as to Products and Methods.

Marketing Problems Particular Topics With Special Reference to Wheat Crop.

An imposing program has been prepared for the Red River Valley Winter Shows, to be held in Crookston, beginning Monday, February 7, and continuing through February 11, when everything pertaining to the present day farm life will be discussed and expounded thoroughly.

Farmers from all Northwest Minnesota will be seen at the gathering, and activities will range from instructions on how to care for tractors and their various parts, to livestock exhibitions and judging contests, and will include a high school declamatory contest, a musical program and an address by Dr. L. D. Coffman of the University.

Day and Evening Sessions.

Both daily and evening sessions of the big four-day gathering will be held, beginning at nine o'clock in the morning and ending at 8:30 in the evening, but the evenings will be devoted chiefly to recreation.

Seven sectional meetings of the school week gathering are scheduled, comprising the farm engineering section, the livestock section, the farm crops section, horticultural section, farm marketing, poultry, husbandry and rural credit conference.

The farm engineering section will be a big feature of the gathering, these meetings being set for each of the four days, with instructors explaining the construction, operation and care of gasoline and kerosene engines, as well as tractors and their carburetors, belt lacing, rope splicing and soldering.

Many Stock Sales.

Several sales of different breeds of cattle and swine, as well as judging of livestock exhibits, farm crop exhibits and livestock judging contests will be held.

Women are expected to be prominent at the gathering, as several women's sectional meetings have been placed on the program for every day of the sessions.

Large attendance at the meeting is looked for, particularly on February 10 and 11, when marketing problems of the farmers will be discussed, with particular attention being paid to marketing of the 1921 wheat crop.

A band concert, spelling contest, community sing, Northwest school chorus, and the address of Dr. Coffman will bring the gathering to a close on Friday, February 11.

Many Going From Here.

Never since the winter shows were first launched has so much interest in their success been taken by the people of Pennington county, particularly the farmers, and indications are that there will be a large representation from this neighborhood present. Particularly will this be found to be the case on Thursday and Friday, which are the banner dates of the fair.

Dollar Buys 100 Cents Worth.

The Great Northern railway will help the public cut the high cost of living by reducing dining car prices beginning Jan. 10. The new prices to be put into effect will make the dollar look like a hundred cents, officials of the Hill road say. All western railways will follow suit, it is thought, as the downward trend of prices now is in full swing and cannot be avoided. The Hill road starts things by re-establishing the old time six-course dinner for a dollar.

Official notice has been given that one-fare and a half round trip rate will be granted on all roads leading to Crookston during the week of Feb. 7-11 for the farmers meetings and live stock and farm crops shows. The certificate plan will be followed.

The Farm Crops Shows premium list is out. You can secure a copy from your county agent or by writing L. R. Boyd, Crookston, Minn.

Wish to Locate Soldiers.

The U. S. Public Health Service requests a report on physical examinations of the following named men whose claims for government compensation are incomplete: Mitchell L. Blackburn and Richard Lund, Thief River Falls and J. L. Bredeson of Plummer. Anyone having information as to the whereabouts of the three men, is urged to get in touch with G. Howard Simth, secretary of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion.

P. L. VISTAUNET
Physician, Surgeon and Natural Therapeutist

Office and Treatment Parlors, [illegible] Block, Thief River Falls. Office Hours: Forenoon and Afternoon; Evening by Appointment. Phones: Office 383; Res. 280

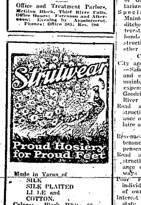

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HALF A MILLION IS TAX BUDGET FOR YEAR 1921

State Tax Comes Within $2,000 of Amount Expended For County Purpose.

Special Assessments For Roads and Ditches Represents Big Part of Total.

One-Third of Moneys Collected in County Goes For Upkeep of the Schools.

Tax payers of Pennington county are destined to pay, either directly or indirectly, the sum of $447,853.98 at the county treasurer's office during the year 1921. That amount is the total tax levy for the year 1920, payable before November 1 of the present year, according to records recently compiled at the office of T. P. Anderson, county auditor.

It is estimated by county officials that less than 25 per cent of those residents of the county who will make substantial payments toward the sizeable sum of approximately a half million dollars, actually know for what purpose the money is used. To a goodly percentage of tax payers county records might mean nothing more than an endless sea of figures written into nicely ruled pages. A brief statement of the purposes to which the levies for 1920 will be devoted, is given as follows:

State Taxes.	
State revenue—which includes the general maintenance of the state government, soldiers' relief, state road and bridge, prison building and other funds	$ 26,172.64
School and University Tax—general support of state high schools and university together with their various branches	7,608.59
School teachers' insurance and retirement fund	309.28
County Taxes.	
County Revenue—salaries of county officials and general running expenses of county	28,959.31
Road and Bridge—construction and maintenance of county highways and bridges	30,309.72
Bond and Interest—principal and interest on money loaned to county by state, interest on county warrants and other items	3,092.80
Sinking Fund—upkeep of court house, county improvements, principal and interest on Pennington county's share of bonded indebtedness of Red Lake county incurred before the division of counties, and other items	3,711.52
Sanitarium — maintenance of Oakland Park sanitarium	6,062.08
Special Assessments—Maintenance of county ditches and roads, interest and principal on bonds sold for the construction of same, and other similar items	70,221.62
City and Village Taxes.	
City and Village Revenue—Salaries of officials and employees, general maintenance or running expenses of St. Hilaire, Goodridge and Thief River Falls	18,000.12
Road and Bridge—Construction and maintenance of same for St. Hilaire and Goodridge	1,512.91
Township Taxes.	
Revenue—General maintenance or running expenses of townships	6,103.37
Road and Bridge—Construction and maintenance of township highways and bridges	23,202.39
Poor Fund—(Townships individually care for poor of own township)	1,213.16
Interest and principal on state loans—(But two townships, Hickory and Silverton, out of 21 townships of county have money loaned by state)	773.22
One Mill Dragging Tax—Dragging of state or other roads as required by laws of Minnesota, under the direction of county board of commissioners	4,224.09
Special Assessments—interest and principal of bonded indebtedness of townships, and assessments against townships for road benefits on county and judicial ditches	5,965.25
School District Taxes.	
One Mill—Set by state against all districts for the general up-keep of all county schools	6,185.72
Special Tax—Construction of school buildings and their maintenance, salaries of teachers and general running expenses of district schools	132,775.83
State Loan—Interest and principal on same	13,921.07
Total tax levy, exclusive of moneys and credits and grain taxes	$444,763.23
Grain Tax—Levied against total number of bushels of grain handled by elevators during year	59.00
Moneys and Credits Tax—Levied against cash in bank or held in person, notes held, etc.	3,031.75
Grand total levied	$447,853.98

Two Per Cent Auto Tax Proposed For This Year

The proposal to tax all automobiles in the state at two per cent of their value under the provisions of the good roads amendment is now receiving the attention of the legislature. *It is thought such tax would yield more money than is needed and that the amount can be cut down.*

The Fords lead in numbers, there being at the present time 118,290 in the state. The tax on these cars would on the two per cent basis, amount to $12 each or a total of $1,419,480. Next in numerical order follow the Chevrolet, Overland and Buick. The tax on the Chevrolet will be $18, on the Overland $33 and on the Buick $44.70. The highest tax will be paid on the Pierce-Arrow, of which there are 156 in the state, their value being placed at $8,000 each and the tax at $160. Next comes the Locomobile with a tax of $140, the Packard $130 and the Winton $100.

DID YOU MAKE MONEY DURING THE PAST YEAR?

If So You Will Soon Have an Opportunity to Explain to Uncle Sam.

Penalty For Failure to Make Report is Heavy Fine and Higher Tax.

Specialist Will Aid in Finding Anything That May Have Been Overlooked.

Work has begun on the collection of the income tax for the year 1920. Uncle Sam, through the Bureau of Internal Revenue, is addressing to every person in the United States the question, "What was your net income for 1920?" The single person whose net income for 1920 was $1,000 or more and every married person whose net income was $2,000 or more is required to file a return under oath with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which he lives on or before March 15, 1921.

The penalty for failure is a fine of not more than $1,000 and an additional assessment of 25 per cent of the amount of tax due. For willful refusal to make a return the penalty is a fine of not more than $10,000 or not exceeding one year's imprisonment, or both together with the costs of prosecution. A similar penalty is provided for making a false or fradulent return, together with an additional assessment of 50 per cent of the amount of tax evaded.

Women Must Pay Tax.

The income tax applies to women as well as men. Husband and wife must consider the income of both plus that of minor dependent children, and if the total equals or exceeds $2,000 a return must be filed. A minor who has a net income in his own right of $1,000 or more must file a separate return. To be allowed the $2,000 exemption a married person must be living with husband or wife on the last day of the taxable year, December 31, 1920. Divorcees, persons separated by mutual agreement, widows and widowers, unless they are the sole support of others living in the same household, in which case they are allowed the $2,000 exemption granted the head of a family, are entitled only to $1,000 exemption.

Tax Rates For 1920.

The normal tax rate for 1920 is the same as for 1919—4 per cent on the first $4,000 of net income above the exemption and 8 per cent on the remaining net income. This applies to every citizen and resident of the United States. In addition to the normal tax a surtax is imposed upon net income in excess of $5,000.

Instructions on Form.

Full instructions for making out returns are contained on the forms, copies of which may be obtained from collectors of internal revenue. Persons whose net income for 1920 was $5,000 or less should use Form 1040A. Those with incomes in excess of $5,000 should use Form 1040.

Revenue officers will visit every county in the United States to assist taxpayers in making out their returns. The date of their arrival and the location of their offices will be announced by the press or may be ascertained upon inquiry at the offices of collectors. This advisory service is without cost to taxpayers.

Society and Club

Presbyterian Aid.

The Presbyterian Aid society will meet in the church at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, Feb. 11. Cafeteria supper will be served from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Entertains Informally.

Miss Murial Loken informally entertained a few of her friends at supper at her home last evening. The hours following the repast were pleasantly spent in playing various games.

Entertains at Whist.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant entertained at the second of a series of parties at her home Tuesday afternoon. Whist was played at four tables. A delightful lunch was served at five o'clock.

M. E. Ladies Aid.

The Ladies aid of the M. E. church will be entertained by Mrs. F. C. Will and Mrs. S. M. Poston in the basement of the church on the afternoon of Feb. 9. Lunch will be served at 4 o'clock.

Birthday Anniversary.

Mrs. John Ward entertained a few friends at supper last evening, the occasion being the 3rd birthday anniversary of her little daughter, Marjorie. A birthday cake formed an attractive center piece.

Entertains at Cards.

Honoring Mrs. Wm. Boley of Minneapolis, who is her guest, Mrs. D. J. Dosey informally entertained a number of ladies at cards on Monday afternoon. Valentine decorations were used in all the appointments.

Girls' Community Club Meeting.

The Girls' Community club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. A general good time has been arranged by the serving committee. All members are extended a hearty invitation.

Basket Social.

A neat sum was realized from the basket social given for the benefit of the Lux family who had the misfortune of losing all their possessions in a fire. The social was given at the Hazel hall on Saturday evening. The evening was devoted to dancing.

Theatre Party.

Mrs. A. L. E. Walgren of Minneapolis was honor guest at a theatre party given by Miss Una Nelson on Saturday evening. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess at her home, 618 Knight Ave., N. Miss Nelson also entertained a few friends on Friday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Walgren.

Masquerade Dance.

About 75 couple attended the masquerade dance given by the royal Neighbors lodge at the Masonic hall last evening. Mrs. T. J. Rowan and Norman Dybvik furnished the music for the occasion. Owing to the enthusiasm from the start a exceptionally good time resulted. A picnic lunch concluded the evening's jollities.

Sleighride Party.

Twelve of the young friends of Miss Georgia Coyle were entertained at a sleighride party on Saturday evening. Lunch was served at the Coyle home which had been attractively decorated. Valentine favors were used. The guests included Pauline Paranteau, Alice Zavoral, Ruth McGilvary, Myrtle Anderson, Wm. Anderson, Lester Coyle, Carl Palmer, Tien Gullingsrud and Floyd Palmer.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. was entertained by Mrs. Hardisty and Mrs. Durrin at the former's home on Tuesday afternoon, with a large attendance and a very fine meeting resulted. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher favored the Union with two vocal selections which were greatly appreciated. Mrs. J. M. Bishop gave a very interesting account of her work during the Republican campaign. One new member was added.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club held their regular meeting at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon. Lesson six, "Party Organization" was led by Mrs. J. M. Bishop, who is well posted along political lines. Papers on current events were read by Mrs. H. W. Protzeller, Mrs. M. H. Connelly, Mrs. E. J. Richards, Mrs. C. T. Christenson, and Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg. Miss Maude Johnson directed the community singing. The high school girls' glee club offered a selection which was heartily applauded. Mrs. Froehlich and Mrs. Mogensen were appointed to attend the mid-winter meeting of the Woman's Federated clubs to be held in Minneapolis in February. On Friday afternoon the club is invited to attend a lecture on "Constructive Discipline," by Dr. Krebhs. The meeting will commence at 3:30.

Church Social.

The St. Johns Lutheran church held a very successful social at the church on Tuesday evening. A variety of competitive games formed the entertainment for the occasion. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Chas. Stewart, Mrs. Herbert Fuller, Mrs. Adeline Anton, Mrs. H. Roemhildt and Rev. Kreidt. The entertainment committee was composed of Everett Roemhildt, Rev. Kreidt and J. H. Keucks, while Freida Ristau, Adeline Anton, Irene Fuller and Eleanor Holzknecht made up the refreshment committee. Everyone who attended report an exceptionally good time.

Thackery-Culver.

Anthony Thackery of Marion county, Ill., and Miss Elma Culver of this city, were quietly married at the Presbyterian manse by Rev. R. L. Barackman on Wednesday evening, Jan. 26. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Hal Stanton, brother-in-law and sister of the bride. The newlyweds will reside at Chicago where the groom is employed. Mrs. Thackery is well known here having grown to womanhood and receiving her education in the city schools, completing her high school course. The past year she has been engaged in teaching in the vicinity of Chicago.

League of Women Voters Organize.

About 40 ladies were present at the organization meeting of the Pennington County League of Women Voters held at the Brumund hotel on Tuesday evening. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard representing the League, acted as temporary chairman and called the meeting to order. She expounded very clearly the aims and purposes of the league, laying special emphasis on the two most important things the League stands for, namely, education in political affairs and interest in improved legislation.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich was then called upon to give in detail the workings of the organization. She gave an account of the work which is being done by the league in Fergus Falls. Mrs. Briggs read a very interesting article entitled "Women's Relation to Town and City." Election of officers followed. The chairman is appointed by the state. Misses Una Nelson and Sarah Vaughan were elected vice chairmen; Mrs. Scott Laird, secretary and Mrs. Gaston Ward, treasurer. It was unanimously voted to hold a school of instruction here about the middle of March, when the services of Miss Kneubuhl, who is an active worker in this organization, will be secured. After the adjournment of the meeting a light lunch was served.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.33
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.30
Oats	.25
Flax	1.48
Barley	.34
Rye	1.20
Flour, per cwt	4.80
FLOUR AND FEED	
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.75
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.75
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Geese, alive, per lb.	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Spring Chickens	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.48
Dairy butter	.45
Creamery butter	.52
Cow Hides, per lb.	.05
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10-.11
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.10-.12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.12
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05
Steers, per lb.	.04-.06
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

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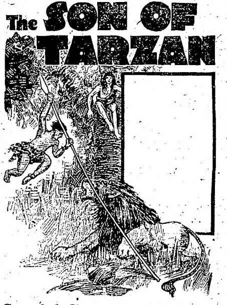

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BUYING SANELY IS ALL NEEDED AT THIS STAGE

No Great Spending Campaign Expected or Desired Now But "Buy What You Need."

Those Able to Follow Advice Will Save Money When Prices Again Advance.

Conditions Presenting Unusual Opportunities For Wise Purchasers to Save.

"Buy what you need now." That is the slogan every thinking person in the country should adopt at this time. Useless or unwise expenditures should be avoided as much as ever—perhaps more—but there never was a time when sensible buying was so necessary.

Under present conditions there can be no such thing as "normal" trade. There are too many men out of employment and the situation as it applies to farm products is too unsettled for anything approaching a normal state to be very nearly approached. But even admitting this, it should be the aim and purpose of everyone to keep their usual trading program as even as possible. It is fully realized on all sides that no great business rush will set in before spring. It is certain, however, that did the consumer understand basic conditions as well as the merchant there would be a greater volume of trading right now than at any time during the past four years.

A Buyer's Market.

Just at this period the buyer has all the best of it. Merchants have been forced to follow the market downward just as they followed it when the tendency was upward. The result is the goods are being sold not only without profit but actually below first costs in many instances. While this condition continues the buyer has his opportunity. But it will not long continue. The old stock will soon be sold and it cannot be replaced at prices that will permit of its again being handled at present figures. Not only are wholesale costs considerably advanced for spring, but the demand which must follow the slack period which the country is now experiencing will soon deplete surplus stocks and costs will go up in compliance with the unchangeable law of supply and demand. Higher prices in most lines for spring are practically unavoidable, according to present indications. The time to buy advantageously, therefore, is right now.

In Difficult Position.

In last week's issue of The Times was found a communication from a farmer at Malcolm in which attention was called to the difficulty found by this class of citizens just at this time. No doubt what he says is absolutely true, but even admitting this, the fact that advantage should be taken of the trading opportunities now presented is not altered. Farm products are at a low ebb so far as values are concerned, but the probabilities are when the situation improves prices on what the farmer must buy will again also have advanced. If he can find any way of financing himself he will save money by supplying his needs at the present low prices for merchandise, as he will then have a marked advantage when both his own products and those which he must procure go to higher levels. The same is true of the workingman. By buying now he will not be compelled to do so much buying when the upward trend again sets in and will have a greater surplus left after meeting expenses because of his foresight.

Nation-Wide Campaign.

"Buy what you need now" is a good motto to follow. By doing so the consumer will be protecting himself to a great extent against the higher price levels predicted for spring and will help keep the wheels of industry moving. When factories close for lack of orders the buying power of the workman is greatly reduced and this effects the farmer as certain as the grocer or clothier. This is the reason that every industrial agency in the country has gotten behind the movement to urge a sane resumption of trading in all lines.

VOICE OBJECTIONS TO DITCH AWARDS

Hearing on Establishment of Judicial Ditch No. 30 Conducted Here on Wednesday.

A further hearing of objectors to the establishment of judicial ditch No. 30 as modified at hearings conducted in December was held before Judge Andrew Grindeland at the Pennington county court house on Wednesday, Feb. 2. The court room was crowded with land owners affected by the proposed routing of the ditch. Forty-six witnesses were sworn in. The main objection to the project was the high assessment made against land holders whose property should be directly or indirectly benefited by the establishment of such a ditch.

Judicial ditch No. 30 originally embraced the construction of 40 miles of ditch at an approximate cost of $400,000. Plans were modified at hearings conducted in December to embrace only the construction of nine miles at an estimated cost of $75,000. A new report of the board of viewers gives the approximate cost of the nine miles of excavation as well over $125,000. Ditch No. 30 was primarily designated to serve as an outlet for No. 18. The proposed routing is westward just north of the north line of Pennington county to the Thief river.

The hearing was conducted here on Wednesday to accommodate farmers living east of this city. At another hearing held at Warren on Saturday, Judge Andrew Grindeland issued a decree which will result in the establishment of the nine miles of ditch as designated above.

RED CROSS DIRECTORS WILL MEET SATURDAY AFTERNOON

There will be an important meeting of the directors of Pennington County Chapter, American Red Cross, at the Commercial club rooms on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members of the board are requested to be present.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CLUB THIS EVENING

Reports Will Be Presented and New Officers Formally Take Up Their Duties.

The annual banquet of the Commercial club will be held this evening at 6:30, followed by the regular annual meeting. A large number of tickets has been sold and a good attendance is expected. Following the banquet the address of the evening will be delivered by E. A. Williams of the Government Savings organization. The business session will take place immediately following the address. The secretary's annual report will be read; it is expected that the question of removal of the club to other quarters will be definitely settled, and a plan for the coming year mapped out. Both the retiring president, E. M. Stanton, who has held the office for the past two years, and the incoming president, W. A. Hall, Jr., are expected to make brief addresses. Luncheon prices will be charged for the banquet supper.

Mr. Williams, the speaker of the evening, will deliver a very interesting address setting forth clearly some of the problems incident to the U. S. Treasury Savings program. He is at the present time speaking to Commercial clubs and business men's organizations in various parts of the Ninth district. Press comments in every instance state that he has received a very cordial reception and handles his subjects in a manner highly pleasing to all.

The speaker comes here from the Government Savings organization, which is conducting a campaign thruout the Ninth district to make permanent the habit of saving by regular investment in U. S. Government securities and other sound methods. A letter from E. C. Kibbee, director of the Ninth district organization, states that the Treasury department is interested in working with all local organizations to bring about a greater understanding of the savings program and co-operation through the district savings organization in every way possible.

INTERESTING SPORT CARD IS PROMISED

Good Boxing and Wrestling Bouts on Program For Saturday Night at Lyceum.

The first of a series of sporting events will be staged at the Lyceum theatre Saturday night when Henry Kollen, middleweight champion of the Northwest, will meet S. A. Kirkness of Lake Park, Minn., in a wrestling match. Kollen is a Greenbush man. Kirkness, challenger for the middleweight championship of the Northwest, has taken Crist Gaswick, champion of Seattle, Wash., and Bert Mundon, champion of Iowa, to several falls and should be able to put up an interesting tussle. Both men are training down to 158 pounds weight.

The preliminaries will consist of two three-round boxing bouts between local middleweights and lightweights. O. J. Erickson, promoter, guarantees a clean and interesting card. The preliminaries will start at 10:45 p. m.

Young Fulton of Thief River Falls will meet Tom Tibbets, or as he is better known, "Indian Pug," of Bemidji, in a ten-round go on the night of Feb. 22. Indian Pug took several fights while in the army during the late war; he put the knock out over K. O. Reed in one round, Gene Dwyer of Hibbing in one round, Hower of Deer River in two rounds, and boxed to a draw with Ed Frante of Bovey. Fulton shows more than promise, he shows real stuff. He is working out daily at the Fallness gym.

On March 5, Cal Farley of Humbolt, Minn., will meet Kid Hiatt of Minneapolis, welterweight wrestler who has issued a challenge for the championship of the state. Both men are training down to 145 pounds. Farley, a member of the late American Expeditionary Forces, is holder of the Inter-Allied welterweight championship. Press comments state that cleverness and speed feature all of his goes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Huntington of Minneapolis were guests of friends in the city the latter part of last week enroute to Superior.

AGAIN FAMOUS GUERNSEYS WIN AT STOCK SHOW

Pennington County Herds Easily Carry Off All Awards in Their Particular Class.

Exhibition is Best Ever Held by Red River Valley Development Association.

Showing of Livestock Admittedly Superior to Anything Previously Seen.

Pennington county herds again carried off everything in the way of awards in the Guernsey division at the Red River Valley Stock show held at Crookston this week. Mrs. H. C. Woolson, Albert Johnson, F. B. Conklin and Stuart McLeod are the exhibitors and the prizes were pretty evenly divided among them. Other prize winners were: C. L. Spaulding, Warren, best dairy herd; Charles Frank, Warren, best beef herd; A. Mardsen & Son, Stephen, best swine herd; C. L. Riorden, Northwest School of Agriculture, best sheep herd.

Attendance Very Good.

Hotel accommodations at Crookston have been taxed to take care of the crowds since the show opened. At the Thief River Falls office of the Great Northern 45 tickets with return coupons were sold, on the first two days of the fair, this indicating by far the largest number going to the show from here in any one year. Other communities were as well represented, making the Polk county seat the busiest place in Minnesota during the week. The lectures and addresses have thus far been well attended while the excellent industrial exposition has been a point of particular interest.

Outside of the four Guernsey exhibitors there was only one entry from Pennington county, this being a showing of Poland China swine. These failed to gain recognition among the prize winners but were very fine specimens. The awards in the Guernsey cattle class were as follows:

Senior champion bull—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson, Thief River Falls.

Junior champion bull—Albert Johnson, Thief River Falls.

Grand champion bull—Albert Johnson, Thief River Falls.

Senior and grand champion female—Mrs. H. C. Woolson, Thief River Falls.

Junior champion female—F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls.

Bull, 3 years or over—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson.

Bull, 2 years and under 3—1st F. B. Conklin.

Bull, senior yearling—1st Stuart McLeod.

Bull, junior yearling—1st, Albert Johnson.

Bull, junior calf—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson; 2nd, F. B. Conklin.

Cow, 3 years old or over—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson; 2nd, F. B. Conklin.

Heifer, senior yearling—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson.

Heifer, junior yearling—1st, F. B. Conklin; 2nd, Mrs. H. C. Woolson.

Heifer, senior calf—1st, F. B. Conklin.

Heifer, junior calf—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson; 2nd, Mrs. H. C. Woolson; 3rd, Stuart McLeod; 4th, Stuart McLeod.

Graded herd—1st, F. B. Conklin; 2nd, Mrs. H. C. Woolson.

Young herd—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson. Calf herd—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson.

Get of Sire—1st, Mrs. H. C. Woolson.

Produce of Cow—1st, F. B. Conklin; 2nd, Mrs. H. C. Woolson; 3rd, Stuart McLeod.

Best bull, any age—1st, Stuart McLeod.

Best female of any age—1st, Stuart McLeods 2nd, Stuart McLeod.

Best herd—1st Stuart McLeod.

County herd—(shown by F. B. Conklin, Stuart McLeod and Mrs. H. C. Woolson, first.

AMERICAN HUMORIST TO BE PRESENTED AS LAST LYCEUM NUMBER

Strickland Gillilan, Author of Famous "Finnigin" Ballad, Closes Season of Exceptional Entertainments on Feb. 22.

Strickland Gillilan, said to be America's greatest humorist, will appear at the city auditorium on the evening of February 22, as the last number of the Lyceum course. Mr. Gillilan is the author of the famous ballad, "Off Again, On Again, Come Again, Finnigin." He is a regular contributor to many leading magazines, such as Leslies' Weekly, The Ladies Home Journal, Life, Ladies World and many other publications. He contributes a daily article to the Indianapolis Star, Chicago Post and other newspapers.

The winter lyceum course of five numbers was secured for Thief River Falls through the efforts of the Woman's club. The four preceding numbers of the course, three of them musical, brought exceptional artists here, their appearance being well received by the community. Holders of season tickets are requested to present them at the box office on the evening of the last lyceum number, as it is necessary that they be taken up with the conclusion of the course.

JUDGE WILSON IS SPEAKER AT FIRST BANQUET

Community Building Expert Delivers Interesting Address at Merchants Meeting.

Says Farm Bureaus Prove What Can be Done Through Intelligent Co-operation.

Calls Attention to Possibilities Presented Here by Fine Auditorium Building.

The Merchants association held the first of a series of five banquets at the Hotel Evelyn on Wednesday evening. Judge F. T. Wilson, community advisor for Minnesota, was the guest of honor and the speaker of the evening, the subject of his talk being "Community Service." Judge Wilson is not a stranger to Thief River Falls and needed no introduction to his audience of Wednesday evening, having frequently appeared here during the period of the war in his capacity as state food administrator. He also addressed members of the various civic and fraternal orders assembled at the Commercial club rooms during the afternoon.

The Minnesota Community Service, of which Judge Wilson is the head, is a new department conducted under the auspices of the University of Minnesota and has the hearty support of such bodies as the State Department of Agriculture, Department of Highways, Department of Health, Department of Labor, the American Legion, the Minnesota Federation of Farm Clubs, the Minnesota Federation of Woman's Clubs, the Minnesota Retail Harware Mens association, and many others. It is in part being financed by the cities of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth.

Lauds Farm Bureaus.

Judge Wilson's definition of his subject was as follows: A community is a group of homes bound together by ties of common interest. The limits are not determined by boundary lines but by the methods and policies of community service. The better the service the wider the limits. Automobiles and good roads eliminate distance. Service is the work done by business and civic institutions in supplying home needs and promoting community interests, such as production, distribution, living conditions, government and education. In speaking of the first named common interest of the rural and city community, Judge Wilson lauded the remarkable progress made by the Federation of Farm bureaus, both state and National. It will become, he predicted, the most powerful factor in the United States, already having a membership of practically two million and rapidly growing in every section.

He summarized the benefits of a community organization or community service as follows:

It means self protection for the small community. The big communities are highly organized in a co-operative way. The result is that small communities are growing smaller and the bigger ones' larger, as the tide from the country to town increases. The only way out is for the smaller cities to begin co-operative organizations, which is the aim and purpose of Community Service.

For Community Building.

It means home trade from improved distributive service—the only way to meet mail order competition; satisfactory markets for farm products; economy in use of public funds; better living conditions and educational facilities. It means more wealth and new life. It means service by friends and neighbors and comrades. It will not only bring confidence, contentment and happiness, but will also bring enhanced property values.

One of the recommendations of the Community department to any community, large or small, is the erection of a community building, possibly as a war memorial. Judge Wilson spoke of the possibilities of remodeling—not this coming week, or next month—but as an ultimate goal, the city auditorium here to serve the entire community. Could this be done, he explained, the city would have a memorial second in value and size to no other in the state of Minnesota. In speaking of the beautifying of cities and villages, he further suggested that the city of Thief River Falls give thought to the enormous possibilities of constructing a boulevard down the center of the streets to be paved this season. It was his opinion that the construction of such a boulevard would materially reduce the cost of paving and add to the fame of the city.

The next banquet and lecture to be given under the auspices of the Merchants association will be given at the Brumund hotel on the evening of February 23. J. E. Ebernole, professor of economics of the University of Minnesota, will be the speaker.

Grain Thief Let Off Easy On Jury's Recommendation

Earl Reeves of Cloverleaf township on Thursday pleaded guilty to the charge of flax stealing from a neighbor's field granary last December. He was arraigned before Judge Andrew Grindeland at the Pennington county court house on Friday and sentenced to 90 days in the county jail at Warren. Sentence was suspended, the offender being placed on probation with the understanding that he reimburse Wm. H. Kline and B. G. Rounds, from whose granary the flax was taken, for the stolen grain which it is alleged amounted to a value of over $300. The accused was indicted by the grand jury on a petty larceny count. They recommended leniency.

Judge Grindeland in reading the sentence stated that the crime was a felony; and that it was a deplorable fact that grain was not safe in granaries on the farms. He stated that this was the first instance in which he had failed to send a grain thief to the state penitentiary.

District Court Hears County Ditch Appeals

The district court in session since the morning of February 8 was engaged with the matter of appeals from the order of the Board of County Commissioners establishing county ditch No. 70 until late Wednesday afternoon. Assessments were materially reduced in practically all instances. This morning the jurors were being examined preparatory to the hearing of the case of Bertha Giller, plaintiff, versus the First National bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, and C. L. Hansen as its president, defendants.

LEGION AUXILIARY WILL PUT ON PARTY

All Ex-Service Men and Women Invited to Informal Affair Next Wednesday Night.

The Women's Auxiliary to Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117 of the American Legion will act as hostesses to all ex-service men or women and their families at a general "get-together" time at the Commercial club rooms on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 16. Arrangements for the evening include a program of music, games, dancing and lunch. Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg and Mrs. T. J. Rowan form a committee having the entertainment of the evening in charge.

It is the wish of the Auxiliary that all ex-service men and women consider this announcement as a special invitation to attend and assist in the merry-making. The event was planned with the thought in mind that while the former service men have the opportunity of getting together at Legion meetings and other gatherings, too little attention has been paid to mother and dad and the rest of the family. A special invitation is extended to them. Members of the committee state that the evening will be strictly informal—one at which everyone will feel at home. When ex-service men get together, reminiscences are generally in order and some corking good yarns are expected to develop during the course of the evening. It is desired to make the event one of the most pleasantly remembered of the year.

ELKS LODGE TAKES IN ANOTHER CLASS

Past Exalted Rulers Exemplify Work in Most Impressive Manner Friday Night.

Elks of th city generally are of the opinion that the initiation of some twenty fawns at the meeting on Friday night was the most interesting event of its kind the lodge has ever pulled off. The work was put on by past exalted rulers, four of whom assisted G. Howard Smith, present holder of the office, in attaching the horns. The former lodge leaders who took part were F. H. Herrick, Andy Anderson and L. R. Johnston. Letters were read from H. E. Ives, J. H. Feeley and A. H. Fasel, the other past exalted rulers of the lodge, expressing their regret at not being able to be present except in spirit.

The initiation took place at the auditorium and nearly all the five hundred members of the lodge must have been present as well as a number of visitors from Bemidji and Crookston. From the latter city came Richard Robert, district deputy exalted ruler, who made a fine speech to the boys, complimenting them on the progress their lodge has made during the past few years. Mr. Robert said that there was absolutely no question but that No. 1308 is in a class by itself so far as Minnesota is concerned, but he was of the opinion that there is not another like it in the entire country. He urged the local boys to provide themselves with a home of their own as quickly as this can be done, a request that met with hearty approval.

A particularly enjoyable feature of the evening was the excellent lunch served by Julien Provencher of the Hotel Evlyn. His assistantes in serving were young ladies from the domestic science class at the Thief River Falls high school who attended to their duties in a highly efficient and pleasing manner.

A. S. Lieberman, who with one of his salesmen, Archie Dahl, visited Chicago and other clothing manufacturing centers last week, returned on Monday night. He found the merchandising situation very much improved and a better feeling pervading the wholesale districts. Confidence seems in a great measure to have been restored, says Mr. Lieberman, and men in all lines are predicting a good spring and summer. The Thief River Falls merchant bought heavily for spring and the goods will begin arriving within a short time.

PAVING FOR CITY MADE CERTAIN BY SALE OF QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS WORTH CERTIFICATES

Council on Tuesday Evening Unanimously Votes to Accept Offer of St. Paul Concerns to Furnish Needed at 6 Per Cent.

Sixty Thousand Dollars of Amount to be in Hands of City by March 1, Balance as Demanded on Estimates Furnished by Engineer.

Proceedings Formally Filed in the Name of Oen Mercantile Company, a Number of Irregularities in the Proceedings Being Alleged.

The sale of municipal certificates of indebtedness aggregating a quarter million dollars to finance the 1921 paving program for Thief River Falls was effected at the regular session of the city council on Tuesday evening. The joint bid of the Capital Trust and Savings bank, Kalman, Matteson and Wood, and Gates, White and Company, three St. Paul corporations, was the only one received, Drake, Ballard and Company of Minneapolis entering a blank form, which was withdrawn after the reading of the first mentioned bid.

The successful bidders submitted two forms of payment of funds to the city, the first of which was deemed the most advantageous. The certificates of $1,000 each are to mature in approximately equal amounts annually from one to 20 years after their date, interest and principal being payable at the Capital Trust and Savings bank or at some other bank mutually agreed upon. The purchasers will pay the par value of the certificates and accrued interest from the date of certificates to date of delivery, payment to be made $60,000 in cash on March 1 and the balance in certificates of deposit of the Capital Trust and Savings bank or the Capital National bank of St. Paul, bearing no interest and payable upon demand of the city of Thief River Falls when such demand is accompanied by a certified copy of the engineer's estimate of paving work done, or payable without such copy after Sept. 1, 1921. The plan of payment which was not accepted called for the payment of $985 per $1000 certificate and accrued interest from date of certificates to date of delivery, payment to be made $40,000 in cash and the balance in certificates of deposit on the two aforementioned banks, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent, and payable upon demand by the city after the same manner as mentioned in the proposition accepted.

Will Approve Issue.

Following the opening of the bid, the following telegram from Ambrose Tighe, foremost bonding attorney of the Northwest, was read:

"I shall approve the $292,000 issue of Thief River Falls paving certificates to be dated March 1, 1921, on receiving proof that they have been awarded to a purchaser and have been executed and delivered for values."

During the discussion that followed the reading of the bid, H. A. Brumund, president of the council, asked for remarks on the part of any of the many interested citizens assembled in the council rooms. M. V. Evenson, one of the members of the strong opposition to the paving of the city streets, was the only one to respond. He stated that he considered the proposition entirely up to the members of the council at the present time. Fletcher Graves, representative of the Capital Trust and Savings bank, stated that the bid was entirely out of line with present financial conditions, and for that reason was exceptionally low. Others bankers and financial men present corroborated his statement.

Injunction Requested.

A motion made by Alderman Ihle and seconded by Alderman Dahl to the effect that the joint bid of the three corporations be accepted, passed the council unanimously and the city attorney was instructed to draw up the proper resolution.

Immediately following the announcement by President Brumund that bids were to be received, Deputy Sheriff Frank McGinnity served a summons on the city of Thief River Falls as a municipal corporation, John Bratrud as mayor of the city, A. H. Akre as clerk, Ole Ihle, H. A. Brumund, Andrew Ness, John Dahl, Carl Froseth and Severn Brandon, as common council for the city, the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg and the Capital Trust and Savings bank, to appear and answer a complaint on the part of the Oen Mercantile company, plaintiff, within 20 days after summons.

Among other things, the complaint alleges that the Bitulithic Contracting company in entering into a contract which calls for paving work at a cost to exceed $300,000, has not furnished a bond as required by law; that the terms of the contract were not fulfilled, as it called for all paving to be completed by Nov. 15, 1920; that the city treasury is without funds to undertake improvements of so extensive a nature; that the city council unlawfully caused overdrafts on the Current, Special Assessment, Local Improvement, Waterworks, Interest, Auditorium, Poor, Library and Cemetery funds to be met by transfers from Sinking and other funds to the extent of $97,152.01, and that these amounts have never been properly refunded.

Claim Taxes "Unreasonable."

It is further alleged that the bonded indebtedness of the city is $201,000; that the tax levy in 1920 was less than necessary for current expenses; that the city is so badly in debt that taxes have been increased during the last five years to such an extent that they are unreasonable and confiscatory; and that the city will shortly become practically insolvent unless expenditures are curbed. That proposed assessment against property effected by the paving for the installation of storm sewers and other preliminary improvements is inequitable, not uniform and contrary to law; that the contract for paving was let at a time when prices were at the highest level and that they are exhorbitant; and that it is the duty of the council to cancel the contract and proceed no farther under the present terms.

It is also alleged that the city or council did not properly advertise for bids for the preliminary work and that a contract entered into with the Capital Trust and Savings bank for the same, was for the purpose of confining bids for the certificates of indebtedness to that organization, giving them an unfair advantage over other bidders and thus causing financial loss to the city and the tax payers; that no election was held to authorize the sale of certificates of indebtedness; that the resolution passed by the council ordering, and determining to make possible the paving of the city streets, was never signed by the mayor during the period of time provided by law, and that for this reason no paving has ever been authorized.

The plaintiff requests a judgment of a temporary injunction.

The serving of the summons has as yet in no way interfered with further plans for early paving. A. D. Hanson of the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, who was present at the council meeting Tuesday evening, on Tuesday afternoon issued the statement that the shipment of equipment would proceed at once and that the company hoped to begin work here early in March with the view of completing the contract by the first of July. Much of the equipment is already upon property leased along the Soo right of way.

Public Examiner's Report.

Previous to the adjournment of the council, Mayor Bratrud made the suggestion to the aldermen that the report of the public examiner on the audit of the city clerk's books be published and given wide-spread circulation, inasmuch as the examiner was brought here on a petition circulated by the opposition to the paving program in such a way as to cast a reflection upon the integrity of the council as a body. The examination was conducted at an expense to the city of more than $300. A motion authorizing the publication of the lengthy report was duly made and passed. It will be published in an early issue of The Times, together with suggestions offered by the state department, which complimented the city administration upon its efficiency.

Detroit Legion Team Here For Game Saturday Night

The Thief River Falls Legion basket ball team hopes to add another victory to its belt in a game to be played with the fast Detroit Legion team on the local floor Saturday evening. Detroit on Tuesday night defeated the Perham team, said to be one of the fastest in the state, in a game played on the Perham floor. The Detroiters also claim that Thief River Falls has been afraid to meet them.

The local Legionnaires at present have a perfect average and their style of playing is attracting the attention of the entire state. The general public is being urged to take in the game Saturday evening and assist the home quint in taking the honors from the Detroit five. The game will be called promptly at 8:45.

Will Send Delegates to Minneapolis Convention

At a meeting of the local branch of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic held on Wednesday evening, E. M. Stanton, M. K. Evenstad, P. J. Keating and P. W. Roark were elected delegates to a convention of the state organization to be held at the Radisson hotel, Minneapolis, on February 16.

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City News

Peaches and Cream!

A. Myrbo of Viking made a business trip to this city on Friday.

S. Ness of Malcolm was in the city the first of the week on business.

Dr. Clark of Greenbush was in the city on Saturday on professional business.

J. A. Ralston left Thursday for Crookston to attend to business affairs.

Henry Gran is spending the week attending to matters of business at Oslo.

Andrew Ness left Monday morning for Holt to attend to matters of business.

Be sure to wait for March 1st. f10

N. L. Loveid came down from Middle River last Friday to transact business.

"Pat" Hall of St. Hilaire was in the city on Thursday on a business mission.

S. Peterson of Grygla spent a few days last week attending to business matters here.

Miss Esther Tandberg, who teaches at Oklee, was an over-Sunday guest of her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Borry left Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend the auto show.

Conrad Vinji made a business trip to Fox on Thursday, returning to this city on Saturday.

K. O. Gigstad of St. Hilaire was in the city on Friday attending to matters of business.

Ed. Abbott returned to his home at Grygla on Saturday after a day visiting with friends here.

Peaches and Cream!

Miss Belle Hermanson is spending a couple of weeks visiting with relatives in the twin cities.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson of Goodridge visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Ole Engelstad left Tuesday afternoon to attend the Red River Valley Winter shows at Crookston.

Mrs. Axel Risberg and children left yesterday morning for a few days' visit with relatives at Holt.

Miss Irene Holvis of Minneapolis arrived here Thursday to spend a week as the guest of friends.

Vincent Borry is spending the week in the twin cities visiting relatives and attending the auto show.

Harold Bush came down from his home at Grygla the latter part of last week on a business mission.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Torgerson of Little Falls arrived Friday evening to spend a week visiting friends.

Miss Lillian John[illegible] left yesterday afternoon for Grand Forks for an extended visit with relatives.

E. M. Eggen returned to his home at Viking yesterday after spending a couple of days with friends here.

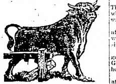

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Baths in Connection

Harry Frye returned Thursday morning from Crookston where he had spent a week visiting friends.

Peaches and Cream!

Misses Amelia Hoorn and Gerda Mortenson, local teachers, visited at Rosewood with friends on Saturday.

H. G. Thoreson, prominent merchant at Goodridge, came over Monday to attend to business matters.

Judge Andrew Grandeland arrived here Monday evening from Warren to hold court which opened on Tuesday.

Miss Theresa Giofer returned to Goodridge on Monday morning after spending the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pandrew arrived here Thursday evening from Minneapolis to visit friends for a few days.

Miss Effie Christianson, accompanied by Ruth Loken, was a guest of a sister at Holt between trains yesterday.

Get your money's worth Mar. 1.

Lee Kelley returned to his home at Conway, N. D., on Monday after visiting over Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mrs. O. Fellman of St. Hilaire returned to her home Friday afternoon having spent a brief period attending to shopping.

Miss Lena Evenson, saleslady at Benson's, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to visit with relatives for two weeks.

Mrs. O. B. Brude and baby returned Saturday afternoon from Badger, where they had spent a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Selma Sjoquist returned to Strandquist Saturday, having come down the day previous to attend to some shopping.

Mrs. P. Shubert returned to her home at St. Cloud the first of the week after visiting with friends here for a few days.

Peaches and Cream!

Miss Della Hestekind, residing near this city, left yesterday morning for Holt, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Big event March 1st. Wait for it.

Mrs. Geo. Martin returned Saturday afternoon from Greenbush, where she had been the guest of relatives for a brief period.

Miss Caroline Anderson of Oakland Park Sanatorium, left yesterday afternoon for a three weeks' visit with relatives at Fargo.

Mrs. Anna Watson left Monday morning for [illegible] where she will remain indefinitely with her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Robinson.

Andrew Nelson, who spent a few days here attending to business matters, returned to his home at Gatzke on Thursday morning.

Mr. F. H. Herrick, who spent a week visiting relatives at Grand Forks and Oslo, returned to his home here Thursday evening.

Miss Clara Wr[illegible], who had spent a couple of months visiting her folks here, returned yesterday to Fargo, where she is employed.

Olaf Olson returned to his home at Middle River Saturday, having come down here to attend the Elks' initiation the night previous.

Keep an open date for Mar. 1. f10

T. J. Austad returned yesterday from Crookston, where he had spent two days in attendance at the Red River Valley stock show.

Mrs. Chas. Gustafson departed on Thursday afternoon for Crookston where she will spend a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Marie Anderson left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where she will spend a week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Tillman.

Miss Eleanor Bauer, who is engaged as teacher in the school at Goodridge, was a week-end guest of her friend, Miss Ella Pelto.

Paul Snyder returned to his home at Warren Monday morning after having spent Sunday as the guest of his friend, Kenneth Wattem.

Mrs. H. J. Oien returned to her home at Holt Friday morning after spending a week as the guest of her sister, Miss Effie Christianson.

Miss Mabel Shefveland, teacher of the Steiner school, arrived yesterday afternoon to attend to shopping. She returned to Steiner this morning.

Miss [illegible] Sagmoen was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson last week. She returned to her home at Rosewood on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken are expected to return Sunday morning from a three weeks' buying trip in Cleveland, Chicago and New York.

Peaches and Cream!

Olaf Ramstad left Monday afternoon for Crookston to attend the Red River Valley Winter shows. He will be absent from the city for a week.

Mrs. M. Newall returned to her home at Felton Saturday afternoon, having spent a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Barstad.

Roscoe Bakke returned to Grand Forks on Tuesday afternoon, having spent a few days here as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bakke.

Mrs. N. J. Bergland, who had spent a week visiting with relatives, returned Monday afternoon to Grand Forks, where she is making her home this winter.

Mrs. Oscar Williams returned to this city Saturday morning from Grand Forks where she had spent a week visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Doland.

Lewis Pearce returned to his home at St. Thomas, N. D., on Monday, after spending a few days at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. C. Carlson.

Miss Viola Axelson, who spent a week visiting her folks at Rosewood, returned to this city Tuesday evening to resume her work at the Physicians hospital.

Mrs. Motz, who has been spending the winter touring the states of Washington, Oregon and California, returned to her home here Saturday morning.

Mrs. Ben Dokken and little daughter Lorna, returned to their home at Holt Thursday, the former having spent a day here receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. N. Sluka of Fortville, N. D., visited with friends here the first of the week. She left yesterday for Grand Forks to remain indefinitely with relatives.

Mrs. I. Amundson returned to her home at Grand Rapids Monday evening after a two weeks' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamro returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis where they had visited with relatives and friends for a period of three weeks.

Morlan Bishop, formerly cashier of the bank at Strathcona, but now state examiner of banks in this district, made a business call at the former place on Saturday.

Miss Marguerite Burns returned Tuesday to Grand Forks where she attends the university after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Mrs. M. Evenson and daughter returned Monday morning from Crookston where they spent a few days as the guests of the former's daughter, Mrs. B. O. Sampson.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, who had been absent from her duties at the Great Northern depot, for a period of a month, returned to take up her duties on Monday.

Miss Florence Aalberg arrived here Friday evening from Erskine where she is instructor in domestic science and visited over Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. Aalberg.

Andy Eckbalm, engineer on the Soo out of here, left Friday for Litchfield where he will spend his annual vacation at the home of his mother. He expects to be gone a month.

Mrs. Bertha Giller returned to this city on Saturday from St. Paul, where she had spent a period of six weeks as a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Goodwin.

Miss Adelaide Keene, who attends the local high school, went to her home at Red Lake Falls yesterday to remain until Monday, when she will return to resume her studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Engelstad and son, Earl, accompanied by the latter's father, P. Engelstad, left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to attend the Red River Valley stock show.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson and little daughter returned to their home at St. Hilaire yesterday afternoon, having spent the time between trains shopping and visiting relatives.

Don't forget the date—March 1.

F. J. Stebbins, delegate from the Thief River Falls Auto club, left Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend the auto show and also the meeting of the State Automobile association.

Mrs. B. E. Dalquist and Miss Laura Stopple returned the first of the week from the twin cities where they had spent a period of ten days on a buying trip for their millinery store here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Anderson and daughter Maebelle, returned to their home here the latter part of last week after visiting for a week with relatives and friends at Fergus Falls.

Mrs. M. C. Brurud returned to her home at Neillsville on Friday afternoon, having completed a three weeks visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker, the former agent at the Great Northern depot, left Saturday for the Twin Cities where they will spend an indefinite time visiting with friends and relatives.

Orrin Ostby, order clerk at the Thief River Grocery company, substituted for his father, O. D. Ostby, salesman for the same concern, who was on the sick list the first of the week.

Messrs. Bjerk, Lindberg, Sandvold, Remark, Murphy, who made up the Ada quint, who played basketball here Saturday evening, returned to their home on the flier that same evening.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen who spent a few days between semesters visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen, returned to Grand Forks Monday afternoon to resume her studies at the university.

Martin Gulbranson of Erskine, arrived here Friday afternoon from Crookston, where he had spent a few days to attend the Elks' initiation here that evening. He returned to his home Saturday.

Miss Lydia Peterson, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. F. Swanson, arrived here Saturday afternoon from their home at Roseau for an over-Sunday visit with their sister, Miss Cecelia Peterson.

We'll all be there March 1st. f10

Mrs. R. Olson visited with friends here yesterday morning, having come here the night previous from Goodridge, where she had spent a few days on business. She returned to her home at Holt yesterday.

Miss Theresa Holmstad, who has been employed here, accompanied by her sister, Miss Nellie, who visited here since Tuesday, returned to their home at Strathcona where they will remain for an indefinite period.

Mrs. F. H. Woyc'echauski of Minneapolis, made a brief visit with her friend, Miss Bessie Lundberg, enroute to Middle River, on Thursday. She will be a guest at the home of her parents at the latter named place.

George L. Sterns, area manager for the Northwestern Telephone with offices at Thief River Falls, is making his monthly auditing tour of Greenbush, Badger, Roseau and Warroad this week, having left here on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Hardesty and Mrs. Geo. Biddick left Monday afternoon for Crookston to attend the Red River Valley Winter show. Their chief purpose for attending is to gain new ideas for the coming Pennington Pennington County fair.

Dr. L. F. Fisher of this city, last week received an appointment as local surgeon for the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway company. *Thief River Falls* is now headquarters for three railway physicians and surgeons, Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, Dr. O. F. Melby and Dr. Fisher.

Let's watch for March 1st. f10

Carl Sundahl left Monday evening for Minneapolis where he spent a day attending the auto show, from which place he left for St. Peter, where he will spend a brief period as the guest of his sister, Miss Tillie Sundahl, who is a student at Gustavus Adolphus college. From the latter city he goes to Rock Island to spend a week attending to business affairs.

Ed. Russell, manager of the Rex hotel at Baudette, was among those who had the Elk's antlers attached here last Friday evening. Mr. Russell stated while here that business in the hustling border city is not particularly brisk at the present time but that good times are anticipated for spring. A number of boosters up there have secured a plot of land at the mouth of the Rainy river and will build a summer resort there as soon as the weather permits work to be begun.

A Cafeteria Supper will be served in the basement of the Presbyterian church on Friday evening, February 11th, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

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Federal Bonus Bill in Favor.

The people of the United States are in sympathy with efforts of veterans to obtain the passage of the Fordney bonus bill, according to Lemuel Bolles, National Adjutant of the American Legion, who bases his opinion on reports from North Dakota, Oregon, Minnesota, Illinois and other states. The legislature of the first three states have passed resolutions urging the United States Senate to pass the bill and a plebiscite of Legion members in Illinois showed an overwhelming sentiment in favor of the national bonus. Ninety-nine per cent of the Illinois Legionnaires also expressed themselves in favor of a state bonus.

In spite of the unemployment situation, which tends to increase the need of veterans for ready money, forty-six per cent of the Illinois Legion members preferred some form of compensation other than cash.

Is On Buying Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left last week for Chisholm, in which city Mrs. Sapero will remain while Mr. Sapero and his brother make a purchasing trip to the eastern markets. They will do the buying for their three stores at the same time and expect to be able to get some of the best things in the way of women's wear shown since before the war. They will visit Minneapolis, Chicago, Cleveland, Cincinnati and New York.

Mrs. Andrew Smith.

Mrs. Andrew Smith died Sunday evening at 7:45 o'clock, having been in poor health since last fall. The deceased was born at Fox Lake, Wis., 43 years ago, coming to this community in pioneer days. For several years she lived on a homestead northwest of this city. May E. Newman was united in marriage to Andrew Smith 24 years ago. Funeral services were held from the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and interment took place in Greenwood cemetery. Deceased is survived by her husband and five children, George, James, Lenore, Doris and Richard.

Guneld Sand.

On Feb. 5 occurred the death of Mrs. Guneld Sand at the ripe old age of 77 years, 11 months and 9 days at Goodridge. Deceased was born in Norway, coming to this country 4[illegible] years ago. The body was taken to Canby for burial.

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Quality Wheat

THE LARGEST part of the wheat acreage is now sown to Fife wheats, of which the Marquis variety is the most popular. Blue Stem is good, but Velvet Chaff, Humpback and other wheats are now practically in the discard on account of the poor returns which they have brought.

It is absolutely necessary to maintain the quality of our fine milling wheat. If we do not do so, we will lose the great revenue from our leading money crop and the flour demanded by bakers and others will be made from Canadian or winter wheat.

Fortunately Marquis Leads Both in Quality and Quantity

It is imperative that some Marquis be grown by every farmer because if 1921 should be a comparatively rust-free year, it will pay better than any other crop.

We wish to appeal to you to keep your seed wheat pure. Even the durums are getting so badly mixed that the durum millers state that it is almost impossible to make a good quality of macaroni flour from the mixture.

Another great danger is that the different kinds of wheat, both hard spring bread wheat and durum macaroni wheat are also becoming mixed, and while each might be excellent, when mixed they become practically worthless for milling.

D-5 or red rust proof wheat is worthless for either bread making or macaroni and we strongly advise farmers to leave it alone. It is true that a few cars of it sold at a fancy price solely on account of weight in mixing it with light weight wheat for export.

This was merely putting "sand in sugar" and foreign buyers are already discriminating against such wheat.

We Recommend That You

1. Avoid all mixtures.
2. Fan and clean the wheat from weed seeds, trash and shriveled kernels.
3. Treat with formaldehyde to prevent smut.
4. Dig up all the barberries on your place and encourage your neighbors to do likewise.
5. Make blotting paper germination tests to be sure your wheat will grow.
6. Put your soil in prime condition.
7. Seed Marquis as early as possible.

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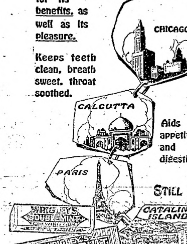

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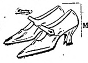

In black kid one strap

Military heel Goodyear welt sole

$6.25

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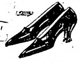

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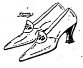

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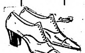

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AFTER MANY YEARS.

The selling of a quarter of a million dollars worth of paving certificates this week brings this needed improvement again within hailing distance. While an effort will be made to stop the work by appealing to the courts, it is doubtful if this will result any differenly than did a former attempt in the same direction.

Thief River Falls would be money ahead if street paving had been undertaken when the matter was first advocated some ten years ago. It would have cost much less to do the work at that time, everything then being on a lower price level. At that the city has a very favorable contract, it being doubtful if another like it could be secured at any time within the near future.

Selling these securities starts the ball rolling again. There has been so much delay and discussion over this subject that the fact of its being finally settled will be hailed with delight by nearly every citizen of the town. The contracting firm is ready to go ahead just as soon as the weather permits in the spring and expects to finish the entire contract by midsummer.

The Times believes that the council's action will be approved by at least ninety per cent of our citizens. There are those who will be hit rather hard by the assessments, but these are scattered over a long term of years and the increase in the value of property within the paved area by reason of the improvement will very much more than offset the cost. The probabilities are that even those who now are most strenuous in their objections will admit the wisdom of the move before a year has passed by. It is certain that once the advantage of paved streets are realized by our people there will be requests for the extension of the paving area and it is predicted that some work along this line will be done every year hereafter.

We believe that those who consider this a poor time to pave are mistaken. There seems to be little likelihood of prices on labor or material being reduced to any great extent for some years, while they may be very much higher. The money is secured at a satisfactory rate of interest and the contract price is very reasonable, everything considered. If our city must wait for paving until every detail is just exactly as everybody wants it, there will never be any paving. This is as good a time as any to begin. We should have started before, but that is a poor reason for maintaining that we should not start at all.

PUSH PLUS PLAN.

Perhaps the most valuable portion of the advice given our citizens by Dr. Krebs in his lectures last week was that in which he dwelt upon the necessity for having a regular plan of action for the community to follow. "Push Plus Plan," he called it and pointed out just how valueless one is liable to be without the presence of the other.

The main trouble with commercial clubs and similar bodies is not so much a lack of energy as an absence of a carefully mapped out program. Here in Thief River Falls, for instance, a great deal of effort has been spent in times past without securing results at all commensurate with the work done. It is so in every community. There is no lack of enthusiasm or willingness, but efforts are often misdirected and come to nothing in spite of the best intentions.

Dr. Krebs pointed out the value of planning carefully first and then getting behind the plan and pushing it to a successful issue. No plan is worth the time it takes to look it over unless it is backed by action. On the other hand, a lot of very valuable work is often done to no purpose for the reason that the right kind of a plan has not been mapped out and followed.

Another thing that Dr. Krebs laid stress upon is the necessity of all citizens of a community pushing in one direction. This can only be done when a generally understood program has been presented. Where community work is the matter up for consideration it is hard to arrive at a satisfactory result if half a dozen different methods are followed by as many men or groups. All should pull in the same direction at once, the aim being to get results in the shortest possible space of time.

There are a large number of matters that should receive our attention right now and more will be coming up all the time. Intelligent planning and the requisite amount of pushing will get us what we want—if it can be gotten at all. Without a plan to start with, no amount of pushing will avail. This is what Dr. Krebs meant.

Bridge Club Entertained.

The Tuesday night bridge club was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. E. O. Mogensen at her home, LaBree avenue north. Following the card playing a delicious lunch was served.

CLUB MEETING TONIGHT.

The newly elected officials of the Thief River Falls Commercial club will take their offices tonight. A banquet will be served at the close of the meeting and the executive committee will name the next secretary. The question of other quarters will also come up for final decision.

Thief River Falls has a mighty good commercial club and the business or professional man who is not a member is missing something worth while. In common with all organizations of this kind, the club practically ceased operations so far as general booster work was concerned during the war. It proved itself a decided aid to the government at that time, however, getting behind every movement suggested with a spirit that commanded both respect and praise. Since that time other matters have challenged the attention of our citizens to such an extent that the club has often been neglected.

Now things are different. Everything is straightening itself out and the club will be expected to take up its community enterprises where these were dropped and carry them out to the end intended. There are many of them and they are all important.

It is understood that the directors are seriously considering the hiring of a full-time secretary again. While the present system has proven as satisfactory as could be expected, yet in the opinion of many members better results could be obtained if a man were on the job practically all the time.

The question of financing will also come up, no doubt, and a budget of expenses for the coming year figured out. It is the intention to have pledged whatever sum is deemed necessary in order to see the club through as only in this manner can the work be carried on without leaving a bad-looking deficit in the exchequer at the end of the year. It will take rather a fair-sized sum to keep the organization going and up to the work planned, but it will be worth all it costs and then some.

But whatever your opinion on these subjects, make it a point to get out tonight and let others hear your plans. Maybe they are just what we have all been looking for.

THINGS LOOK BETTER.

Despite the tightness of money, low prices for grain and farm produce, and a slump in business, merchants, farmers and city and county officials throughout the state have done many things since the first of the year to corroborate their assertions that the period of depression will not be extended.

The keynote of a great majority of the pieces of information collected is that business conditions are better than they were a month ago. A number of bankers point out that cattle and hog auctions have successfully been held, whereas most of the sales attempted during December or early January were failures. Last month few business men were unwilling to forecast important building in their counties this year. Recent announcements of important reductions in lumber and materials seemingly have been responsible for a change in attitude.

Thief River Falls merchants returning from buying trips at the Eastern markets state that there is a marked improvement in the feeling among manufacturers and wholesalers. Factories are starting up after temporary shutdowns and orders are being booked in very satisfactory amounts. Bills are being paid up in good shape and everything is much easier than a month ago. The fine winter weather in the Northwest has had its effect in keeping the people in a cheerful frame of mind and they are ready to start with full speed ahead without delay. With spring work opening up on the farms as well as in the cities, there should be a better demand for men and consequently less unemployment. While the probabilities are that this section will not get back into its accustomed stride before the next crop is harvested, yet the outlook contains nothing that should give cause for alarm.

EFFERVESCENCE.

Domestic complications are bound to arise just as soon as women are put on the jury. Very few husbands will care to hear of their wives being "out for several hours" with any gang of jurors.

Everyone knows that the bleeting blaa-blaa is supposed to gambol, yet every restaurant menu in the country advertises lamb as being served "with caper sauce."

Transport, v. t.; (see port to bear) To carry or convey from one place to another; to transfer; (used as the polite form for "to bootleg.")

Oolai wants to know if the winter is mild, the snowfall flurried, the atmosphere dense, and the moon bright, is the weather vane.

The surplus coal in the country may keep over till next winter without souring, but the coal dealer "turned" with the first warm days.

Even the lowly camel has given up hope of the Volstead act being repealed and is allowing himself to be made into beefsteak.

"Its a good thing this isn't a seeaphone!" remarked a young lady friend late last evening in response to a telephone call. "You got me out of bed." Modern inventions are going to be greatly conductive to a higher domestic morale.

Found in The Times A Year Ago This Week

The city council decided to go ahead and advertise for bids on paving 22 blocks in the downtown section.

A special train was run to Bemidji for the purpose of carrying the fans who wished to witness the basketball game between the Eklund post quint and the team of Gracie post of that city.

A. J. Anderson resigned as president of the Pennington County Fair association and Herbert Fuller was elected in his place.

Dr. Jacob Biedermann, city health officer, lifted the ban against theatre attendance, the flu epidemic having subsided sufficiently to make such action safe.

Congressman Steenerson informed Postmaster John Morgan that there would be no possible chance of anything being done to provide Thief River Falls with a new postoffice building at that session of congress. The government had no money to spend for that kind of improvements.

President H. A. Brumund, Councilmen John Dahl and Severn Brandon visited Moorhead, Wahpeton and other places inspecting an air lift device for securing water from deep wells in the hope that it might serve as a means for securing a water supply for the city.

The Stone & Rambeck company announced the opening of its Thief River Falls farm machinery warehouse on Feb. 20.

City council decided to secure bids on the work of placing storm sewers in the alleys of the proposed paving district.

Judge Grindeland, in an action brought by County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson, decided that such officials were entitled to travel pay when visiting schools in outlying districts.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearson were placed in the county jail at Crookston charged with having caused the death of a baby born to them a few days previously.

Because of the flu it was found advisable to cancel the running of a special train to the Crookston midwinter show.

ADA LEGION TEAM IS EASILY TRIMMED BY EKLUND POST BUNCH

Nice, Ladylike Game Results in Score of 51 to 12 in Favor of Locals—Stars Are Taken Out.

From the first three minutes, in which the Thief River Falls quint took two baskets and one free throw, the basket ball game played at the city auditorium on Saturday evening between the Ada Legion and the city Legion teams was filled with plenty of comedy but very little real battling. The Ada Legionnaires, in spite of their size, were hopelessly outclassed and the game belonged to the home team from the outset. The final score was 51 to 12. The game was of the parlor variety, with clean playing by both teams, Ada taking the back seat with good grace. Little enthusiasm was shown by the Thief River Falls men, who failed to warm up and really get into the harness, and the many fans who had gathered with the expectations of seeing some of the fast work displayed in the Bemidji game of ten days ago were somewhat disappointed.

The game opened with a rush, Carlson, the Thief River star, making two field baskets and one free throw in the first three minutes of playing. The Ada men failed to put up any concerted opposition and the playing for the remainder of the game never again reached the brilliancy of those first three minutes. In spite of several wild throws and clean misses on the part of the local five, the first quarter closed with a score of 23 to 0 in favor of Thief River Falls. Bjerk, Ada forward and star player, was injured early in the first quarter when he crashed into a row of seats, and though staying in the game was unable to cover the floor with his former success, finally being replaced by Betcher in the last quarter. Ada was given many opportunities to score in the first quarter but failed to locate the circle, in addition to missing two free throws.

The first half ended with a score of 29 to 1, Ada having managed to develop a little more team work but not enough to arouse the drooping spirits of the Thief River men or to call out any real playing. Johnson and LaBree replaced Kiland and Carlson.

The third quarter was a particularly quiet one, with even the fans voicing little comment. Ada made three field baskets and one free throw, while the locals took six field throws.

Ada made the net twice from the field in the final quarter, one of the shots, a perfect one from center, winning great applause from the house. The local Legionnaires ran the final score to 51 with three field baskets and four free throws. The last quarter was played with the Thief River men in the original lineup.

The lineup:

Ada		Thief River
Bjerk	RF	Carlson-Johnson
Lindberg	LF	Kiland-LaBree
Sandvold	C	Hadrath
Remark	RG	Holzknecht
Murphy	LG	McGinn

Perry Johnson, referee. G. W. Connell, Thief River Falls, Coach.

Field baskets: Bjerk 1, Lindberg 2, Sandvold 2, Carlson 6, Kiland 5, Hadrath 3, Holzknecht 1, LaBree 4, McGinn 2, Johnson 1. Free throws: Bjerk 2 out of 2, Remark missed 2, Carlson 7 out of 7.

St. Hilaire Community Club to Elect Officers

The second meeting of the St. Hilaire Community club will be held at the St. Hilaire school building on the evening of February 11, instead of on February 18 as previously announced. Permanent officers for the ensuing year will be elected and the yearly program mapped out.

PROVES VALUE OF PHOSPHATES ON PEAT LAND

Subject is Topic of Address at Community Club Noonday Luncheon Thursday.

Other Soils Also Seen Greatly Benefitted by Application of This Fertilizer.

Different Systems of Applying Product Explained by Producing Co. Expert.

The large gathering of business men and farmers assembled at the Commercial club rooms for the double lecture and noonday luncheon last Thursday, in addition to an inspiring lecture by Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, listened to some interesting facts about the soils of Pennington county and their needs brought out in a talk by P. T. Taylor of the Anaconda Copper Mining company of Chicago. County Agent J. J. McCann, in introducing Mr. Taylor, spoke briefly of the results of experiments with phosphate as a fertilizer which were conducted in this neighborhood the past summer.

Analysis of the soils of Pennington county, which may be classed as peat and mineral, by members of the state department of agriculture prove that the mineral soils are lacking in phosphate to some extent, while the scarcity of that element in the peat soils is very great. A bulletin issued by the Northwest Experiment Station at Crookston in speaking of soil requirements states:

"The immediate fertilizer requirements of the peat soils of Marshall, Pennington, Clearwater, Polk, Kittson and Roseau counties, of which the soil on the Golden Valley experimental farm is highly typical, are very evident. To secure a satisfactory growth of plants, phosphate must be supplied in some form, by either burning, manuring heavily or adding a phosphate fertilizer. The benefit from the burning is due to the addition of the ash and not simply to the removal of the whole or part of the peat layer. The peat ash may be regarded as a low-grade phosphate fertilizer."

A few results of experiments with acid phosphate fertilizer on the unburned peat lands of the Golden Valley farm are as follows:

	Without Phosphate.	With Phosphate.
Rye, bu.	14.6	39.6
Oats	22.8	81.3
Barley	7.4	24.5
Alfalfa, tons	.04	.50
Mixed grasses, tons	.04	.80

Flax plots showed little or no benefit from phosphate. Wheat, on account of rust and other plant diseases, was a very poor crop on both plots.

Mr. McCann, in telling of the results of experiments conducted during the past summer on plots in Pennington county, stated that on the A. J. Henning farm situated on the Elwell road between Thief River Falls and Goodridge, an unfertilized plot yielded 12.2 bushels of rye; one fertilized with 200 pounds of 16% phosphate yielded 16.8 bushels, and one fertilized with 400 pounds of phosphate yielded 20.1 bushels. On the farm of G. Gerenandt, which is also on the Elwell road, an unfertilized plot planted to oats yielded 28.9 bushels; one fertilized with 200 pounds of phosphate yielded 31.1 bushels, and one fertilized with 400 pounds of phosphate yielded 52.5 bushels.

Phosphate, Mr. Taylor stated, comes in the form of a finely ground powder. It may be drilled in with small grain by means of an ordinary drill with fertilizer attachment, or spread broadcast by means of an end gate seeder, or put on with a fertilizer distributor. As a top dressing for clover or pastures it may be scattered broadcast. It may also be combined with barnyard manure to bring up the content of phosphate. The treble or 45 per cent phosphate is applied to the soil in varying amounts of from 75 to 125 pounds per acre. Certain elements used in the manufacture of superphosphate are derived as a by-product from the smelting of copper ore.

County Agent McCann stated that farmers wishing further information as to the uses and benefits of acid phosphate as a fertilizer, may secure the same by calling at the farm bureau office in the city auditorium.

EXTOLS VALUE OF CONCERTED ACTION

Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, in Closing Lectures, Urges Co-operation As a Necessity.

The Merchants and Community Institute conducted here the past week came to a close with an address on "Civic Pride and Prosperity" delivered to a large audience at the city auditorium on Thursday evening and "Constructive Discipline" delivered before the women of the community at the Commercial club rooms on Friday afternoon. Both lectures were delivered by Dr. Stanley L. Krebs, psychologist and efficiency expert, who conducted the entire series of the week. He appeared here under the auspices of the Thief River Falls Merchants association.

The consensus of opinion is that the Krebs series of lectures contain splendid subject matter along most beneficial lines. Dr. Krebs understands his audience and touches the proper chords at the proper time. He speaks in an extemporaneous manner from a wealth of experience. Not only are his talks entertaining, but highly instructive as well, dealing as they do with the latest inventions and discoveries in the psychological field. Much comment has been heard on the clear and forceful manner in which he gets his idea across and his masterful handling of the English language. It can be said that his instructions along merchandising lines have given many of the retail salespeople and merchants an entirely new angle on the art of serving the public.

Dr. Krebs in his talk to the large audience assembled at the city auditorium on Thursday evening, recommended a closer relationship of the civic-organizations of the city, whereby they would work in more perfect harmony under a common or parent organization. On wide-spread hand he pointed out the members of a family: Little brother, sister, big brother, mother and father, and he explained the futilness of action with the fingers of the hand widely extended, and then doubling up his fist, he compared the tremendous force of the united family with the force of the individual members. Briefly stated the sum and substance of his talk was that "push plus plan equals pluck of prosperity, but that plan minus push equals theory and push minus plan equals fussiness."

Dr. Krebs left Friday evening for Redfield, South Dakota, where he is conducting an institute this week.

The Merchants association is confident that the eminent lecturer injected a new spirit of co-operation into the community and that every person who had the opportunity of listening to him obtained information of great value in the conduct of business or in community life. The success of the Merchants and Community week is in part responsible for the staging of a series of six banquet lectures during the remaining winter months. The first of these took place last evening at the Evelyn hotel, Judge F. T. Wilson, community advisor for Minnesota, delivering the address.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—The Sunday school teachers have arranged for a social to be given in the church parlors on Friday evening, Feb. 11. Program begins at 7:30. Besides the program other pleasing forms of entertainment are promised. Everybody welcome. Catechetical class Saturday at 10 a. m. at the parsonage. Norwegion Divine services 11 a. m. English Divine services 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Choir practice Thursday evening 7:30 at Larson's furniture store. Ladies' Aid will be entertained on Thursday, Feb. 17, by Mrs. Wm. H. Sponheim, Mrs. Falk, Mrs. J. Olauson and Mrs. Bernhard Knudsen. Young Peoples regular meeting in the church parlors Thursday evening, Feb. 17. Judge Grindeland is to give an address at this meeting. We are sure this ought to bring out a record attendance.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Communion at 3 p. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Feb. 13: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Communion immediately after morning service. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Feb. 13: 10 a. m. Sunday school. We welcome all who join us in the study of God's word. 11 a. m. morning worship: "Blessedness of the Kingdom." 8 p. m. evening worship, music led by the junior choir. Solo: Bonnie Barnett. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m., subject: "Thy Kingdom Come." The Ladies Aid society meets at the church at 3 p. m. Friday, Feb. 11. A cafeteria supper will be served from 5 to 7. Everyone is invited to dine with us. The members and friends of the church are asked to come and dine together and spend the evening. New people and strangers are especially invited.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Feb. 13, German services at 10 a. m. English services at 2:30 p. m. at Germantown. Sunday, Feb. 27, English services at 10:30 a. m. at Erie.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services (city) at 11 a. m. Afternoon services at Bethlehem 2:30 p. m. Evening services (city) at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings. Bethlehem Ladies Aid at Isaackson's Wednesday, Feb. 16. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday, Feb. 10th, entertained by Mrs. Kiland and Mrs. Remmem. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening, Feb. 10th. Elling, Inga and Borget entertain. New members will be taken up on Sunday.

The First Evangelical Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday: (a) In Swedish at 10:30 a. m. (b) In American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

S. D. A. Mission—Sabbath school Saturday, Feb. 12, at 2:00 p. m. Bible classes in both the English and Scandinavian language. No service on Sunday evening, Feb. 13. Bible study and prayer meeting on Wednesday evening, Feb. 16, at 7:45 p. m. The reader should regard this notice as a personal invitation.

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Services as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. Music unexcelled at these services, plain gospel message. Prayer meeting at 8 p. m., Thursday. All welcome.

Christian Science—Services are held at the city Auditorium Sunday at 10:45 a. m., subject: "Soul." Sunday school immediately follows the services. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to these services. Reading room is open every Tuesday and Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5 o'clock.

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The lecture of Dr. Krebs Thursday evening should have made a profound impression on every high school student who had the rare fortune of hearing him. He gave an unusual talk on the psychology of education. A great deal has been both said and written about the faults and possible improvements of our educational system, but few, if any, have ever given such enlightening information on it as Dr. Krebs. Education is derived from the latin word "educo," which means to lead out. The too common conception of education now is to cram in. From the time a person enters the grades until he graduates from college, it is one continual course of cramming in of new information. A person who has a complete knowledge of history, science and several languages is said to be educated. But how often do we not hear of individuals who have a better education than the majority of our really great men have had, who never amount to anything. The fact is that education is not merely a mass of knowledge. It is a development of the mind. A person must be able to think, to reason, with his own mind. Dr. Krebs summed up the whole secret of success in a single word—PLAN. Our entire education should be a help in formulating and carrying out that plan. A person, to succeed, must have a certain goal. His plan must be a scheme whereby he can attain that goal, and every act, every bit of knowledge acquired, must be a definite part of that plan.

Dr. Krebs gave a striking example of how concentration can magnify a person's power of accomplishment. In his laboratory at Washington they have an instrument for concentrating the heat in the sun's rays. They have a large reflector, ground to perfection, the only one of its kind in existence. This separates the sun's rays into heat rays, light rays, and chemical actinic rays. The heat rays are reflected to a mirror above the reflector and back thru a small hole in the center of the large reflector. Here the concentrated heat is so great that no method has yet been discovered that can measure it. It is estimated to be around 7000 or 8000 Fahr. This is only the heat from the sun's rays over a few square feet, which are directed toward a certain small point.

Likewise, man has greater power than he ever dreams of. If every bit that he learns and every act that he does is directed toward a certain objective, the result will be the same as in the case of the sun's ray magnifier. He will be possessed of a boundless power and unlimited possibilities. A person does not have to be born a genius to succeed. As a matter of fact, a recognized high natural ability is often a detriment to a student. The student who is able to get his lessons without any concentrated effort, misses the most valuable part of his education, in other words, his training for life.

For it is not sufficient to only plan. The plan must be pushed. According to Dr. Krebs, plan minus push equals theory. We have a great number of examples of this in the theorizers and dreamers who may have excellent plans, but which never amount to anything because they are not pushed or materialized. We also have a type who work hard, but never attain what may be called real success. This Dr. Krebs explained as being push minus plan, which equals fussiness. But the two real requisites for success are plan plus push. When these two are used in the right proportion, for a legitimate purpose, a man cannot fail.

Dr. Krebs said that an individual may be judged by the length of his plan. Thus the person who can plan 10 years ahead will be capable of proportionately greater accomplishments than one who can only build a plan for 10 days or 10 months.

But how many of us really plan? Do we make it a point to make everything we learn and do here in school a part of our plan? The chief fault of our school is that the students do not keep any objective in mind when they choose their subjects. Every student should choose subjects that will fit into his or her plan and which will aid in developing the mind and preparing it for the work he intends to take up in later life.

Climax vs. T. R. F.

On Friday, Feb. 11, the local girls' team will play the Climax girls.

The girls were defeated at Climax and they are more than determined to win this game. Climax has a very strong team, and is very hard to beat, but the girls are going to win.

The high school students and the public are urged to attend this game. With two strong teams it's going to be a good game. Come out and boost the girls, come out and see them win.

Lecture on Iceland.

Rev. H. B. Thorgrimson of Grand Forks, a former resident of Iceland, addressed a large, interested audience at the Trinity Lutheran church last Thursday evening on a subject of his native country.

Iceland, as derived from his talk, is in the upper class of civilization.

The history of the country was reviewed briefly by him and we learn from his narrative that Iceland was first discovered by Norwegian Kings, who had been driven out of their country by King Harald I, the Fairhaired, who at that time, conquered the whole of Norway, with an object of winning as his queen a princess of Sweden.

The origin of the name Iceland, the Reverend stated, is not known, but it was probably so called on account of the icebergs near the coast on the icepeaks, which are first seen when approaching the island. He was of the opinion that Greenland would have been a more appropriate name but there being another country by that name, Potland would be more suitable, owing to the formation of the land.

We derive from his description that the soil of Iceland is notangreeable for agricultural purposes, but it has splendid fields of grazing. Therefore cattle and sheep are raised in great numbers. There are many volcanoes, which at times give off quantities of lava. This flows over the mountain sides and forms a bed for moss, which in turn serves for the grazing fields. The chief exports of the country are wool and dairy products.

In beauty and peculiar formations of the earth, the country ranks with Yellowstone Park, it having large numbers of geysers, glaciers and high water-falls. He told an incident, in connection with this, of a trip thru the country, and on stopping at a farm home, was served coffee on very short order. On asking the lady the cause of this, he was taken to her back yard, where he was shown a hot water hole in the ground. Hot water was continually supplied by this spring the year around. Cold, clear spring water was procured from a ground hole near by.

The island was at first divided into small provinces, having no kings or rulers but being governed by laws laid down by the people. These laws were revived each year at a meeting held on top of a mountain called Law Mountain. This form of government was an Aristocratic Republic, but lasted only until the Danish kings invaded the country and now Iceland has its own king but is under the rule of Denmark. At the present time there are two factions, one of which is in favor of a Republic and it is hoped that Iceland may soon become a free country like our own.

The language spoken there is the oldest Norse and has remained unchanged since the discovery of the land. Education is supreme in the minds of the people as shown by the number of universities, colleges and schools thruout the island. It seems that poetry is a gift to the people, and as Rev. Thorgrimson said, hardly a family exists without its poet or song-writer, lyrics being written in great numbers.

The Reverend claims that about three hundred years of the world's history would have been lost as a record had it not been for the Icelandic historians. Even now their libraries are being searched for information found nowhere else in the world. Their literature, however, is not widely known, due to their language and a custom of the people not to intermingle with the outside world. Nevertheless this is being overcome, as other languages are being introduced and these great works are being translated into English, German, French and a few others of the foremost dialects.

They have all modern conveniences such as telephone, telegraph and all other electrical commodities as well as atuomobiles, railroads, etc., but a characteristic of their language supplies them with their own names for these conveniences without adopting Latin names, such as we do.

The religion of the land is Lutheran and only their native language is used in the churches.

From this interesting lecture, we derive information of a country that is little known to the general public, and we are pleased to note that Iceland ranks second to none in intelligence and civilization.

Whisperings of Humorous Nuts

"A little nonsense now and then, is relished by the best of men."

"Oh Where is my Wandering Book."

The ways of man be strange, but the ways of his possessions be stranger than to find a soldier without a cootie or a dog that loves cats. Books are a necessary part of the apparatus to be used in pursuing the devious ways of knowledge. It is said that no man can know as much as all men, but how can you expect him to, when he buys books crammed as full of words of wisdom as the works of our late lamented Webster, only to have them appropriated by some ambitious student who can feel the desire of erudition gnawing at his very vitals? That particular brand of student evidently thinks he is monarch of all he surveys. Though Solomon was wondrous wise he would have thought twice and scratched mightily at the inhabitants of his flowing mane, if confronted with a proposition of returning the wandering books to their indignant owners. Some very estimable young men and ladies are to be found in our school, and they are thoroughly nice—but they have such taking ways—in fact they are so extremely taking, that every once in a while—if not before or later—somebody's book is gone A. W. O. L., never to return and notices for their restoration are frequently seen on the board, leading the Triumvirate to wonder if Scott wasn't right when he said, "I find that altho many of my friends are poor mathematicians, they are nearly all of them good bookkeepers."

—THE TRIUMVIRATE.

If the recent cut in shirt prices will affect Oolai to the extent of having to buy a 28 size shirt for a 14 size neck, the Triumvirate wonders how many critters will have to be sacrificed in order that "Fat" may be furnished with a belt sufficiently large to accommodate his increasing circumference.

Breathes there a student with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said,
When six exams were just ahead,
"———!?@½½½&6% x———) !!??"

Miss Svedal: "Who is the king of Prussia?"

Student: "The Czar."

(Evidently the Czar's domains have increased considerably since last reports.)

Sing It.

The music teacher has long been thinking,
What a nice world this would be,
If the "puffs" were all transported,
Far beyond the northern sea.

II Theorem

5. If you love your girl, she loves you.

GIVEN: That you love your girl.

TO PROVE: That your girls loves you.

PROOF

1. All the world loves a lover. (Shakespeare's "Hyperbole")
2. Your girl is all the world to you. (Evident)
3. Therefore your girl loves a lover. (Substitution)
4. You are a lover. (Hypothesis)
5. Therefore your girl loves you. (Substitution)

Q. E. F.

Chemistry Student Discusses Soap.

Soap is a hunk of slippery stuff used to separate dirt from things. Soap smells good but tastes awful. It tastes worst when it gets in your eye. It will sink or float. When it sinks it leaves the top of the water and when it floats it don't reach the bottom. Some soap is used to wash the fleas on a dog. The flees enjoy it, but it worries the dog. After the wash the dog shakes himself at the scenery. Fleas are affectionate. They stick closer than pie crust. Sometime I will write about fleas, they are very interesting.

Downfall of Yell Leader.

There are times when, for want of adequate expression, words fail us. Such a cataclysm was briefly experienced last Friday night at the Thief River Falls versus Hallock game, when our cheer leader in attempting with all his might and main to resurrect some of the evaporating spirits of our plucky opponents. He was a wonder to behold, gyrating like the flapping limbs of a "scarecrow" in a summer storm. But he inadvertently forgot the law of gravitation and when he finished he was standing at a backward angle of 45 degrees. Not realizing the necessity of a compensated balance, further gyrations caused the angle to become dangerously acute—his eyes rolled up meekly and he sank gracefully down to the hard, cruel floor, amid a reverberating applause of the hilarious throng.

"All noble things are difficult."

"We cannot 'catch up' in life, as you can in school; you are marked on your daily average."

Probably some of us have the same difficulty in pronouncing silent letters as manipulating an invisible typewriter.

Extract from English test paper: "Samuel Pepys's Diary by John Dryden written during the age of the resurrection."

From out of the multitudinous submissions of lines, we selected one which completed limerick No. 2, as follows:

"Doc" Melby is short but stately,
Some days his expression is saintly,
At giving a "quiz"
He's a regular "wiz"
His exams often terminate fatally.

Mr. Pierce (in journalism): "What is "yellow journalism"?

Allen F.: "Colored headlines."

Prin.: "How many have you enrolled in this class?"

Teacher: "Twenty students and three Freshmen."

Francis H. (speaking to Bernard who is opening the window): "That's what I like to see—a lot of fresh air."

Undoubtedly he would also be able to see Edison's Invisible Ship.

Found on modern history exam. paper: "Queen Constantine has returned to the throne." (Have we missed the announcement of woman's suffrage in Greece?)

Freshman: "I wish to make school in two years; can you arrange it for me?"

Principal: "Oh, yes; you can take a short course. It all depends on what you wish to become. When God wants to make an oak he takes a hundred years; but it only takes two months to make a squash."

Subject for debate: "Resolved, That we would have won the debate if the judges had voted the other way."

Warblings of the Poet Laureate.

Now hark to the rhyme of an honest young man,
His talent's not great, but he'll do what he can,
In concocting these lines 'bout the wise men and fools
Who are found everywhere—especially in schools.

There are many whose image will long be enshrined,
In that "Holy of Holies," a pretty girl's mind,
We have several who merit the that so implied,
Edward Fiterman's one, o'er his smiles all have vied.

Vernon Copp's the next—always falling in love,
He seems to have gotten that gift from above,
We may ponder aghast at the damage that's wrought
By the infant, young Vernon, in some girl's heart.

Knute must be mentioned as well as the rest,
He's a slightly unbalanced young chap at the best,
He's a chemistry fiend, no more need I add,
'Tis sad that such things should ruin the lad.

There are some who excel in the art of deception,
And "Bobbie" McGinn is not a shining exception,
We can't understand where he gets all that stuff,
For though he is young, he always can bluff.

We weak human creatures have varying needs,
Some hunger for fame and would do mighty deeds,
From his "air" it is plain Morris thinks he is it;
His discourse is lengthy, though lacking in wit.

Though these revelations are sad to relate,
I'll warrant they're true, though they are coming in late,
I thought of you all, but wrote of a few,
And that was the best I was able to do.

Hallock vs. T. R. F.

On Friday, Feb. 4th, the local girls played Hallock here. It was expected by the girls that this game would be a hard one, but the locals found that to win was very easy. At the end of the last quarter the score was 45 to 5 in our favor.

The girls' team this year has very good team work and plays a good game of basketball. Baskets were made by all the girls, but many of them by Lund and Herron. We expect by the end of this season, that our girls' team will be able to play against any team in the Northwest and win.

The girls have played three games this year, losing one to Climax.

Northrup News.

Miss Banks' room won the marching contest on the second floor while Miss Pelto's and Miss Trogan's rooms tied in the contest on the first floor.

The felt marching penant which was won in a marching contest with the other grade schools was received last week. It is being displayed in the lower hall opposite the main entrance.

The fourth grade basket ball team will play the Knox fourth grade team Saturday morning.

Big Game Tonight.

Argyle vs. T. R. F.

The local high school basketball team will play the Argyle quint at the city auditorium tonight at 8:15. This is sure to be one of the fastest and best games of the season, because our team has defeated Argyle at Argyle by a small score and they are coming up here determined to turn the tables.

Tomorrow Night.

Climax vs. T. R. F.

The girls will play the girls basketball team of Climax in the high school gym. at 7:30. The girls have been defeated by Climax already this season and are going to play one of the hardest games this season to even up matters. It is said that Climax has one of the best girls' basketball teams in the state.

Coming Next Week.

Warren vs. T. R. F.

Warren will play here next Friday, Feb. 17, at the city auditorium. The Warren quintet is the only team that has defeated our locals this season, and are coming up here determined to do it again. But our team will give them the game of their lives on the home floor.

Society

Card Party.

The second of a series of card parties given by Mrs. G. Howard Smith and Mrs. W. H. Akre, was given at the former's home on Tuesday afternoon.

Crown-Hanson.

Albert Crown and Amelia Hanson were quietly married on Feb. 8 at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage, with Rev. A. A. Larson officiating. The couple was attended by Miss Agnes Mosbeck and Hilding Crown.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mrs. G. Halvorson delightfully entertained a number of friends at dinner at her home Sunday evening. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Harris, Miss Maude Johnson, Miss Laura Forde and Miss Ausilga Sorenson. The hours following the dinner were spent socially.

Entertain at Cards.

Mrs. W. H. Akre and Mrs. G. Howard Smith shared honors in a whist party given at the home of the latter on Friday evening. Wives of the members of the Elk lodge who attended the initiation that evening were the guests. A delicious lunch concluded a most pleasant party.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson were hosts at a 6 o'clock dinner at their home on Monday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottolson, Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Cronkhite, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton and Mrs. A. Holmberg.

Woman's Auxiliary Meets.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion was entertained by Mrs. J. M. Bishop on Wednesday afternoon. At this meeting it was decided to meet once a week at the home of a member and hold a meeting once a month at which the Legion boys will be invited. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

Entertained at Whist.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cerney entertained a number of their friends at their home on Markley avenue south last Saturday evening. Cards were played at three tables. Lunch was served during the course of the evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Protz, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Gib. Becken, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zavoral, Mrs. S. Swanson and Archie Henderson.

Anderson-Lea.

A marriage of particular interest locally is that of A. J. Anderson, vice president of the Citizens State bank at Grygla, to Miss Bertha Lea of Gary, Minn., which took place on Feb. 3 at Gary. Miss Lea has been Mr. Anderson's housekeeper since the death of his first wife about two years ago. Mr. Anderson and family were formerly residents of this city, he having been connected with the Citizens State bank here until his removal to Grygla about a year ago.

Entertained Informally.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson entertained several of their friends at their home on Kendall avenue south last Sunday evening in honor of Mrs. J. Berge and Miss Bernice Thompson of Baxton, N. D. The evening was spent in conversation and music. During the evening a delightful lunch was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. John Malafa, Mr. and Mrs. T. Tharaldson, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cerney, Mrs. J. Berge, Miss Lillian M. Thyrer and Miss Bernice Thompson.

Entertained at Cards.

In honor of her sister, Mrs. J. Berge, and her niece, Miss Bernice Thompson, of Baxton, N. D., Mr. and Mrs. T. Tharaldson entertained the following at cards Monday evening at their home on Tindolph avenue north: Mrs. J. Berge, Miss Bernice Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Malafa, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cerney, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson, and Mr. MacKinsey of Grand Forks. Three tables were in play. A delightful lunch was served during the course of the evening.

Entertain.

Misses Effie Christianson and Kate Jonas informally entertained a number of their friends at the H. O. Loken home on Monday evening. The hours were pleasantly spent in conversation and needlework. The guest list included Misses Belle Hermanson, Lena Lonson, Inez Johnson, Eleanor Rambec, Alvina Jonas, Nettie Ove, Carrie Trogan, Viola Nepper, Lena Evenson, Rhoda Finberg, Dora Holmes, Gladys Anderson, Anna Brokke and Esther Gjertson, and Mrs. Ila Reynolds, Mrs. Thiera Snyder and Mrs. Geo. Loken.

Theater Party.

Misses Irene Patrick and Lillian Poppitz delightfully entertained a number of their friends on Saturday. The guests attended the movies in a body after which they were taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen where the remainder of the evening was spent in playing cards. A delicious lunch was served at 11 o'clock. The guests were, Misses Ada Whipps, Dora Perry, Margaret Mealy, Margaret Dix, Vivian Swift, Esther Johnson, Maude Johnson, Grace Iverson, Grace Wilson, Signe Svedal, Ruth Elliott, Meta Kiland and Mrs. John Ward and Mrs. Mogensen.

Social Welfare Section Meets.

The Social Welfare Section of the Woman's club was entertained by Mrs. John Bratrud and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard at the former's home on Monday afternoon. Owing to the fact that the attendance was considerably smaller than at previous meetings, the usual amount of work was not accomplished. Those who did attend spent the afternoon in making comforters for poor families. A delicious lunch was served by the hostesses at 5 o'clock. The next meeting will be held on Feb. 21, and will be entertained by Mrs. W. J. LaBree and Mrs. P. W. Mabey at the home of the former.

For Mrs. Fredericks.

Honoring their sister, Mrs. Harry Fredericks, of Washington, who is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., Mrs. Chas. Holmgren and Mrs. Anderson entertained a number of young ladies at the Prichard home last evening. The hours were devoted to needlework. Miss Dora Holmes offered several vocal selections which were greatly appreciated. A very delicious lunch was served at 10:30. The guests included Misses Grace Wilson, Marie Nelson, Esther Gjertson, Nettie Ove, Gene Granum, Dora Holmes, Margaret Dix, Margaret Mealy, Laura Stopple and Meta Kiland.

Girls' Community Club.

A very successful meeting of the Community Girls' club resulted on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. A very good program had been arranged by the serving committee which consisted of a vocal duet by Misses Grace Iverson and Amelia Hoorn, two vocal solos by Miss Iverson and a little sketch by a number of the teachers. There was no business transacted at this meeting. A chapter from the New Voter was read by Miss Ella Pelto. Mrs. Harry Fredericks, who is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., and former president of the club was a guest of the evening. The meeting adjourned after the service of a light lunch.

Elks' Dance Enjoyable Affair.

The local order of Elks was well represented at the hard time dance given on Monday evening at the city auditorium. Nothing in the line of entertainment had been overlooked and a very good time resulted. Poppy music, humorous fashioned costumes, the Kangaroo court, all helped to make it one of the merriest events of the dancing season. Chas. Van of Bemidji, well known among music lovers here and whose vocal numbers are always well received, offered a few songs which were heartily applauded. Frappe was served from one corner of the hall by Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichhammer of Blacks' Sweet shop. Dancing was discontinued at 1:30 o'clock.

Sunday School to Have Social.

The members of the Trinity Lutheran Sunday school are busy preparing for a social to be given tomorrow evening in the basement of the church. All arrangements indicate that a profitable and entertaining evening will be spent by those who attend. The following is the program which will be given in addition to other numerous features of the evening's entertainment:

Piano solo: Ruby Burstad.
Dialogue: Leonard Helgestad, Louise Vevea, Olive Aaland.
Vocal solo: Wendel Sether.
Reading: Esther Larson.
Solo: Gladys Weeks.
Dialogue: Esther Lunsetter, Byron Teslow, Elaine Evenson, Esther Ness.
Piano solo: Gordon Overland.

Musical Section to Meet.

The musical section of the Woman's club will meet at the home of Mrs. R. L. Barackman on Tuesday evening, Feb. 15, and will be entertained by Mrs. M. W. Brink. The following French program will be given:

Piano Duet, Ovetrure "Mignon, A. Tomas—Miss Laura Forde and Mrs. N. K. Harris.
Vocal Solo, "Flower Song," from Faust, Gounod—Miss G. Iverson.
Paper on French Music—Mrs. A. Holmberg.
Vocal Solo, "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," from Sampson and Delilah, Saint Saens—Mrs. Gay Halvorson.
Piano Duet, "Intermezza Minuetto," Bizet—Miss Laura Forde and Mrs. N. K. Harris.
Sextette, "Folk Dance," from La Cinquantaine, Gabriel Marie—Mrs. M. W. Brink, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Miss Una Nelson, Miss Thora Hanson, Mrs. B. W. Briggs and Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

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I have just received a consignment of Lake Winnipeg fresh fish. I quote:—

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These prices are for 50-pound lots or more. If you cannot use 50 pounds yourself, club together with your friends. Two cents per pound above these prices for small lots. Orders from outside the city must be accompanied by bank draft or money order.

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The Expense Back of the Telephone

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The money you pay us helps give you telephone service and helps keep the system in repair.

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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

The Community meeting that was held Thursday evening was well attended. The program opened with two selections by the high school orchestra. County Agent J. J. McCann then gave a short talk which was enjoyed by all present. This was followed by another selection by the orchestra. Prof. B. O. North introduced Mr. E. P. Taylor of the Anaconda Copper Mining company, and he gave a very interesting talk on Treble Super Phosphate and its Comparative Value on Soils Deficient in Phosphate. Martin Moen and P. O. Tvedt rendered a cornet and trombone duet which was followed by a piano solo by Miss Grace Day. The program was closed with two more selections by the orchestra.

The special election which was held Saturday afternoon for bond issue resulted as follows: 54 in favor and 7 against. The people from the country turned out splendidly.

The Goodridge Co-operative Creamery held its annual meeting Friday afternoon when the following officers were elected: T. J. Helle, president; Morgan Vaughan, vice president; Stuart McLeod, secretary; Nick Bundlund, treasurer and Andrew Ferngen, director.

County Supt. Geo. M. Gunderson and Red Cross County Nurse Miss M. Knutson, were in town several days last week enroute to visit schools in the rural district.

Miss Elsie Bundlund left Friday for Minneapolis after several days' visit with relatives here.

Stuart McLeod shipped several of his prize Guernseys to Crookston on Friday afternoon.

P. O. Tvedt went to Thief River Falls Friday evening to attend the Elks initiation. He returned home on Saturday morning.

H. B. Rockne was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday evening.

Wm. Gaylord was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Friday.

The following men from Grygla were in town Friday afternoon enroute to Thief River Falls to attend the Elks' blowout: Arthur Sheldrew, John Peterson, Harold Bush, Otto Johnson and George Johnson.

Miss Eleanor Bauer was a week-end guest of her friends, Miss Ella Pelto of Thief River Falls.

A. Hammerstein of Highlanding was in Thief River Falls Friday on business.

Buttermaker D. A. Danielson attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Elev Aakre transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. George Johnson left Saturday for Thief River Falls for a few days' visit.

Anton Osen left Saturday for Thief River Falls to attend to business matters.

L. Ibouskie, State Creamery inspector, was in town Friday.

James Wilson of Grygla was in town Friday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Jerry Race was a Thief River Falls visitor Wednesday.

The following men from town and the surrounding country attended a ditch hearing in Thief River Falls on Tuesday: Henry Sand, Henry Lien, Gunder Tvedt, Anton Lien, M. J. Lysbakken, C. O. Elg, Andrew Ferngen, L. P. Poppenhagen, Andrew Nelson, H. Rockne, John Graff, E. Gielman, John Ellingson, Ole Wiseth, James McEnally, N. T. Jorgenson and S. J. Gangness.

Miss Guida Gilbertson visited with friends and relatives in Thief River Falls Tuesday and Wednesday.

L. E. Lane was in town Tuesday enroute to Crookston, from the Aspelin and Moose River, where he has a farm.

A. S. Ganuland was in Thief River Falls Tuesday receiving medical aid for an injured finger.

Mr. Evenstad, organizer for the Yeomen lodge, was in town Saturday.

Peter Wold went to Thief River Falls Monday to attend to business matters.

Abe Bost of Sunbeam was in town Monday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Elmer Olson returned to Plummer Monday after spending the week-end here.

Anton Lien was a business caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Wm. Gaylord transacted business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Sever Anderson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Monday.

Carl Edseth transacted business in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Rev. Thorgrimson returned to Grand Forks, Monday evening.

Eddie Halverson left Thrusday for Bemidji. He expects to go from there into the woods for the remainder of the winter.

Chris Urdahl returned from Thief River Falls Thursday evening.

Charles Thompson was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business matters.

Dr. C. M. Adkins was in town on Thursday enroute home from Grygla, where he made a professional call.

Peter Bundlund returned to Casper, Wyo., after a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends here.

Anna Anderson of Thief River Falls returned Monday after a visit with her brothers, Carl and Fred, at Erie.

Mrs. M. Johnson of Germantown returned Monday from Thief River Falls where she has been at the bedside of her son, Albert, who is ill with typhoid fever.

Rev. H. G. B. Thorgrimson of Grand Forks, N. D., gave a very interesting and instructive talk in the Lutheran church Sunday evening. His subject was "Iceland." The church was filled to capacity. Rev. Thorgrimson is taking subscriptions for a "Home For Retired Lutheran Ministers," and the money is to be paid inside of three years. The people of Goodridge and vicinity subscribed approximately $500.00.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and daughter, Ruby, were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. J. McCabe returned Friday from a visit of several weeks' with relatives and friends at Northfield and the twin cities.

Mrs. G. Gunderson and Mrs. B. Johnson will entertain the Lutheran Ladies Aid Thursday afternoon, Feb. 10 at the Goodridge hotel. Everyone cordially invited.

Miss Katherine Lang was an over Sunday visitor in Thief River Falls.

Miss Gladys Wilson returned Monday from Grygla where she visited with her parents for a week.

Miss Ruby Jensen returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls where she visited friends over Sunday.

The Misses Sena and Hilda Christianson left Tuesday evening for a few days' visit in the twin cities.

Father Noesen of Thief River Falls conducted services here Tuesday morning.

Carl Christianson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

K. A. Sundahl of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday evening between trains.

Henry Hope of Grygla was in town Friday with two tote teams hauling freight for Grygla and vicinity.

Mrs. Gunhild Sand:

Mrs. Gunhild Sand, wife of Ole A. Sand, died Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the age of 77 years. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Lutheran church and the body was shipped to Canby, Minn. She is survived by her husband and three sons, and one daughter.

School Notes.

The children in the different rooms are making preparations for Valentine day, Feb. 14th.

Lincoln day will be appropriately observed Friday morning with a short program.

The farmers who would like to have their seed grain tested may bring samples to the school and it will be tested free of charge.

ROSEWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born to them on Saturday morning.

An informal dancing and card party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson last Saturday evening. About 30 friends and neighbors attended and the evening was very happily spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jensen arrived here from Thief River Falls to visit over Sunday with the Ted Thompson family. They were accompanied by Miss Irene Thompson, who has spent some time at the former place.

Dr. L. F. Fisher was summoned from Thief River Falls last Sunday to render professional aid to Mrs. L. L. Furan, who is ill with brain fever.

There will be another Farmers club meeting at the Rosebank building next Friday evening, Feb. 11. The customary lunch and parlor amusements will be on the order and possibly a musical program.

Sam Lorentson of Wylie, visited with friends and relatives south of town over Sunday. Mrs. Lorentson is this year's teacher at the Willowdale district.

Mrs. Abe Stroble and children from Angus, arrived here on Saturday evening and will visit at the Haugen brothers and P. Sorenson homes.

Misses Hoorn and Mortenson, two school teachers from Thief River Falls, spent Saturday here visiting with Mrs. A. S. Holm.

Rev. Cleveland, formely of Minot, N. D., and at present a traveling missionary, in company with Hans Pettersen of Thief River Falls, has been in town this week conducting services at both churches as well as at private homes. On Sunday Rev. Drotts of Viking was also present and three services were held, two at the Swedish church in town and one in the afternoon at Rindal.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Halvorson of Viking drove up one day last week for a brief visit at the J. E. Hellquist home.

Coffee and lunch was served to approximately 100 persons at the Rindal Ladies Aid meeting held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth in town last Tuesday. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls and Rev. Cleveland, delivered afternoon addresses.

Helmer Bloom spent Thursday at Warren attending to business.

Mrs. Geo. Snyder left last Monday for Gordonville, after receiving a message that her mother is very ill at that place. Her position as teacher in the Halvorson district will be filled this week by Mrs. A. S. Holm.

Herbert Carlson returned on Monday morning from Thief River Falls where he has spent the past week visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbo and two children left on Tuesday morning for their home in Montana, after spending some time visiting with friends between here and Holt.

Lars Krogstad, a resident of Canada, arrived here from Hibbing on Wednesday morning and will visit at his parental home northwest of town.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg from Dakota Junction, spent Tuesday here to attend the Rindal Ladies Aid held that day at the home of her parents.

Miss Viola Axelson returned to resume her duties at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls on Tuesday evening, after spending a few days visiting with her parents.

Axel Bloom, who has been employed the last year at the farm of his brother-in-law, Mr. Lloyd Crown, south of Thief River Falls, came home on Wednesday morning. Mr. Crown has leased his farm this year and, with his family will take up his residence in the city of Thief River Falls. Mr. Bloom is as yet undecided on his course in the future.

Alfred Thoreson came home Wednesday afternoon from Thief River Falls where he has been to secure medical attention.

Mrs. T. Mellem who has spent the last three weeks visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Bloom, arrived home last Monday.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard returned on Monday after a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson in Thief River Falls.

Emil Mellem drove to Viking last Wednesday to purchase seed corn.

Martin Knutson and family of Radium, arrived the first part of the week. Mr. Knutson will be employed on the local section. Miller Kruta, a former section hand, is suspended temporarily owing to shortness of work.

Olof Opseth left on Wednesday evening for Gonvick, where he will be employed at carpenter work in company with his brother, Gust.

A. B. Remmem returned to his home at Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening after a week's visit with relatives south of town.

Joel Shoberg attended the Torgrimson lecture at Thief River Falls on Thursday evening.

Sigvart Holten of Cannon Falls, Minn., is visiting this week with his father, Thom Holten.

Ebba Sagmoen, the local school teacher, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near Anita.

Mrs. Peter Stromberg and son, Wallace of Thief River Falls, visited at the Mrs. Eva Carlson home between trains one day last week.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, were Friday and Saturday visitors at the J. E. Hellquist home here.

Isabelle Sagmoen returned on Friday from her vacation spent with the S. Benson family and other friends at Thief River Falls.

Several school pupils are absent owing to chicken pox which is becoming quite a nuisance.

Olof Nordhagen and Chas. Sagmoen will saw lumber this spring. The location of the mill has now been decided on and will be on the John Sagmoen farm in the outskirts of Rosewood. Considerable logging has already been done and these gentlemen will without doubt secure a large business.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Hans Dahl called at the Martinus Johnson home Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Roller returned from Thief River Falls Monday where she has been visiting with friends for a short time.

Fred Larson called at the Overby home Wednesday.

Benard and Selmer Bendickson visited at the D. Dau home Monday evening.

Clifford Roller assisted Will Wayne in hauling wood from the tamarack swamp last Tuesday.

Mesdames Overby and Stokke were business callers at Goodridge last Thursday.

John Kotlan, who has been the guest of his sister, Anna, left for his home at Thief River Falls Monday.

Anton Overby visited with Fred Larson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl were callers at Goodridge Monday.

Fred Larson and Lawrence Nelson were callers at Mavie Monday.

Selmer Bendickson left for St. Hilaire from where he will accompany his wife and son to their home at Garrison, N. D. Mrs. Bendickson has been the guest at her parental home.

Fred Ristau visited with John Clausen last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller and daughters, Della and Bessie, were guests at the Martinus Johnson home Monday evening.

Lawrence Nelson visited with Fred Larson Friday evening.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited at the Henry Roller home Tuesday.

Bessie Roller visited at the Will Wayne home one day last week.

Benard Bendickson was a business caller at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mr. Habestroh was a caller at the O. P. Nelson home Thursday.

Mrs. Charlie Strubel visited with Mrs. T. Talley on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Norquist and son, and Sophie Johnson of Thief River Falls, visited at their parental home a few days last week.

Guests at the L. Bendickson home Sunday were: Lawrence and Mildred Nelson, Anna and John Kotlan and Fred Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rhorer and daughter, Annie, spent Sunday afternoon at the Emil Hanson home.

Christ Nelson was a caller at the L. Bendickson home on Thursday.

Anna Kotlan spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends in Thief River Falls.

Misses Bessie and Gladys Roller were guests at the Mons Linvick home Saturday.

Mrs. Betsy Stokke shopped and visited at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Augustine Rolland was the guest of Stella Stokke on Sunday.

Henry Longevan spent last Sunday afternoon with Robert Rambeck.

MAYFIELD

The Ladies Aid held at the H. C. Cooper home was well attended.

A ten-pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Skalet last Sunday.

Arnt Wedul, Lewis Evenson, Warner Borgeld and Mr. Smith spent last Monday evening at the Omdahl home.

Miss Minnie Johnson visited with Miss Anna Wedul over Saturday and Sunday.

Messrs. Stennes and Tveiten, who have been around in this vicinity speaking the word of God, left for their home last Monday evening. Mr. Stennes resides at Erskine and Mr. Tveiten near McIntosh. They were accompanied by Mr. A. J. Stennes as far as Plummer.

H. C. Cooper and O. Wedul were business callers at Plummer Friday.

STEINER

Jens Mattson, who resides northeast of Rosewood, called at the C. A. Swanson home last Sunday.

Several parties, including Steinerites, and also parties from Thief River Falls, have purchased wood from the H. M. Bekkedal farm about three miles from Steiner.

D. Lindgren of South Dakota, has been visiting at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson of this place.

John Whitman drove to Steiner on Saturday afternoon, where he attended to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sande of Aberdeen, S. D., and Miss Jennie Sande of Thief River Falls, have been visiting recently for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sande of this place. W. H. Sande is a brother and Miss Jennie a sister of H. L. Sande, our local merchant.

Charley Swanson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem last Sunday evening.

Mr. Griebrook from the reservation was a business visitor in this community several days last week.

Several parties from the reservation were visitors in our community last Sunday.

Miss Mathilda Liden returned from Thief River Falls last Monday, where she had been visiting the home of her cousin, Mrs. Dedrick Knutson. She also attended the services at the Swedish Evangelical Mission church.

Mrs. H. L. Sande has been staying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether, of Thief River Falls.

Theodore Steigen was sawing wood for Arthur Simonson Saturday with his gasoline sawing outfit.

H. L. Sande, our local merchant, returned from Thief River Falls on Monday where he spent several days visiting with his wife who is staying with her folks at that place.

W. Warring was a business caller in Steiner Monday forenoon.

Mr. Amerin, who resides two miles north of Thief River Falls, was a business visitor in our community last week.

Mr. Jensen, residing several miles northeast from Thief River Falls, has purchased several cords of cord wood at Steiner.

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Yolks of 8 eggs, 1½ cups of granulated sugar, ½ cup of water, ½ cup of butter, 2½ cups pastry flour, 3 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 1 tablespoon of vanilla. Then mix in the regular way.

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"Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

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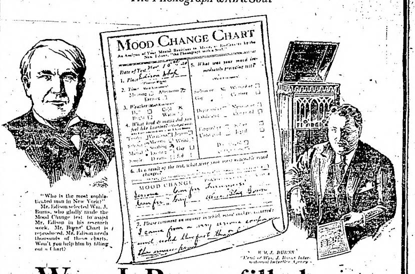
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An Analysis of Your Mental Reactions to Music as Re-Created by the New Edison, "the Phonograph with a Soul"
Date of Test
1. Place
2. Time
3. Weather
4. What kind of music did you feel like hearing?
5. What was your mood immediately preceding test?
6. As a result of the test, what were your most noticeable mood changes?
MOOD CHANGE
7. Please comment on manner in which mood changes occurred

"Who is the most sophisticated man in New York?" Mr. Edison selected Wm. J. Burns, who gladly made the Mood Change test to assist Mr. Edison in his research work. Mr. Burns' Chart is reproduced. Mr. Edison needs thousands of these charts. Won't you help him by filling out a Chart?

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Thief River Music Company

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News of Rail and Shop

Carman John Kasza is absent from ...y at the Thief River Falls shops ...account of sickness.

...alter Jonas, Arthur Berg, Ole Eg...ad and Oscar Eggerud of the ...ef River Falls car department ...week end visitors in the twin ...and at the National Automobile

...der Lee, employed on the rip ...t the division shops, returned ...on Monday after an absence ...ys on account of sickness.

...River Falls travelers over the ...luring the past ten days ...rs. Jacob Hermanson to St. ...and Mrs. J. M. Skog to ...lis; John Elinson to Detroit; ...ls Nielson to Minneapolis; ...aspelund to Minneapolis; Ed...d Albert Belland to Oklee; ...lason, Leonard Johnson and ...ulrud to Plummer; Ernest ...to Minneapolis; and Mr. and ...n Dahl to Mahnomen.

...r Conklin left for Minneapolis ...ay enroute for Kansas City, ...i and Waco, Texas, where he ...sit relatives.

...D. Herrick, agent at Warren, ...Anderson, bridge foreman on ...enmure division, attended the ...men's "Safety First" meeting ...ef River Falls on Monday eve... These meetings are held the ...each month.

...S. Boyce, trainmaster for the ...Superior division, was a business ...caller at Thief River Falls Mon...evening.

...W. Hawes, general agent for the ...nipeg division, made his regular ...at the division point Wednesday.

...L. Parsons has been taken off ...hird trick operator at Detroit on ...unt of reduction in forces. He ...eved E. H. Gulden, second trick ..., who was granted a leave of ab...e.

...E. Swan relieved G. P. Pihlstrom ...nt at Strandquist, from Thursday ...Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Pihlstrom ...e week-end visitors at Minneapo...

...E. Swan relieved F. C. Palm, ...nt at Erskine, on Tuesday.

...J. Hoglund, agent at Alvarado, ...in Thief River Falls over the ...k-end.

...C. Wells, agent at Milo, became ...ember of the Masonic Blue lodge ...Bisbee during January.

...Pavek, agent at Gardena, was ...Rollette between trains on Wed...day.

...P. Scott relieved A. C. Anderson ...arehouseman at Devil Lake, Feb.

We Pitty Those Who Must Spend Winters in South

"Enjoy your winter in the tropical clime of northern Minnesota" has been suggested as a lure to the residents of the balmy south. On Tuesday evening at a late hour a young couple was seen engaged in close conservation (As young folks will) while leaning jauntily on the rail of the bridge over the Red Lake river, here and enjoying the calm, serene and tender rays of the almost-harvest moon, or least enjoying the luster of the matchless stars. And on February 8, when a goodly portion of the U. S. would have northern Minnesota locked in ice! On Wednesday the weather was balmier still. Office and business blocks opened wide doors and windows to admit the far above zero and fresh atmosphere. On February 9!

NUMEDAL

Norval Johnson and Albin Roos returned from Frontier on Wednesday where they have been employed for some time.

Thure Blomberg is acting as substitute carrier on Route No. 1, while Mr. Swanson is taking his vacation.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning left for Thief River Falls Wednesday evening, returning home on Friday.

Hjalmer Blomberg returned home from Jordan, Thursday where he accompanied his brother, Elmer, who is taking treatment for his rheumatism at the Mud Baden sulphur springs.

George Bugge, John Brating and Hjalmer Blomberg visited at the S. Knutson home Saturday evening.

Hjalmer and Edward Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

David Samuelson was a Sunday visitor at the S. Knutson home Sunday.

Elias Joringdal and son, Melvin, drove to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mrs. J. A. Blomberg visited at the Soren Knutson home Friday afternoon.

Soren Knutson was a Viking caller on Monday.

John Brating left for Thief River Falls Monday where he will spend some time visiting with friends and relatives.

Clarence Johnson, Ingvald and Walter Mattison drove to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

DEER PARK

Ben Kveste of Highlanding was in Oklee for a load of feed oats last week.

T. O. Langlie of Mayfield was a caller here last Sunday.

J. R. Jones was out on professional work last Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Gunder Anderson and O. M. Mandt children have nearly all been subject to the whooping cough for the last few days.

Edwin Syverson transacted business in Oklee one day last week.

The Northside Ladies Aid of Mayfield meet at Mrs. Carl G. Olson's last Wednesday.

Ole Gunderson and Ole Sande have been hauling wood for Mrs. T. S. Rowe.

Knut Dable transacted business at Oklee last Wednesday.

Thos. Rowe went to Thief River Falls last week to undergo treatment for rheumatism.

VIKING

Francis Leach visited at Hartvig Larson's one day last week.

Alexander Krohn, with Maurice and Lamar Edwards, drove to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Surstad, a baby boy.

Maynard Joringdal and Oscar Forslund called at the Brink home Sunday.

Otto Surstad made a trip to Chas. Peterson's last week.

ERIE

The Erie Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Otto Parnow on Wednesday, the 2nd, and the meeting was well attended. The Eastern Star Aid met with Mrs. Even Sholestad on Wednesday of this week.

Oliver Tommerdahl and Emil Sigrud have returned from Thief River Falls, where they were members of the grand jury.

Sakarias Hole was busy hunting wolves last week.

Olaf Omlid, Carl Ekwall and Henry and Oliver Tommerdahl attended the creamery meeting at Goodridge last Friday.

Andrew Hanson was a business caller at the Star town clerk's office and Unorganized school on Tuesday.

A real estate man of Fergus Falls was here last week in an endeavor to sell a quarter section in section 25, Star township.

Raymond Dahlen left on Monday for his home at Kindred, N. D., after a three weeks' visit with his brother, Henry, and family.

The Theo. Sunsdahl and Dahlen families were guests at the G. A. Iverson home on Sunday.

The Komplien family visited relatives near Rhoda on Sunday.

Carl Anderson shot a wolf one day last week.

Jennie Dahlen has been on the sick list for a long time.

Joe Dahl of Trail is the new owner of the Vake farm. The community is in hopes of seeing him locate on the place in the spring.

H. A. Dahlen transacted business at the county seat and Goodridge on Monday.

The Theo. Hyland family visited at Loyland's on Sunday.

Mrs. Ole Lien and three children visited with Mrs. L. B. Johnson on Monday.

Mrs. Ole Sunsdahl and daughter, Helena, called on Mrs. Bergit Danielson on Monday.

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ANNUAL REPORT

of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Pennington and Red Lake Counties, State of Minnesota, for the Year ending December 31, 1920.

Organized 6th day of March, 1891.

Commenced business 8th day of June, 1891.

Present president, Ed. A. Aubol, P. O. Address, St. Hilaire, Minn., Route 1.

Present secretary, John O. Swanson, P. O. Address, Wylie, Minn., Route 1.

Assessments Levied During Year.

First assessment levied Oct. 25.	
Total insurance then in force	$2,892,755.00
Rate, 2 per cent.	
Fire losses incurred	2,601.55
Lightning losses incurred	3,280.00
Total assessment called	5,785.15
Assessments collected	[illegible]
Actual cash balance on hand and in bank as shown by statement Dec. 31 of previous year	1,528.82
Income During 1920.	
Cash received as first payment on policies issued during the year	2,178.65
Cash received from assessments levied during the year	[illegible]
Cash received from assessments levied during previous years, assessment No. 9	51.47
War tax refunded	51.81
Interest on money	25.00
Money refunded in one bill to company	2.55
Total amount of cash received during the year	6,110.28
Total cash including balance on hand from previous year	7,639.11
Disbursements During Year 1920.	
Paid losses incurred during the year	4,710.96
Return premiums paid to policy holder	5.07
Paid commissions and expenses to agents	[illegible]
Paid agents for adjusting losses	[illegible]
Paid directors	[illegible]
Paid president	[illegible]
Paid secretary	[illegible]
Paid treasurer	125.76
Paid to Board of Audit	18.00
Paid retiring president	1.15
Heating of hall and department fee	[illegible]
Paid vice president salary	[illegible]
Paid postage	[illegible]
Paid for printing	[illegible]
Paid advertising	[illegible]
Paid other supplies	[illegible]
Paid livery hire	[illegible]
Total amount of disbursements during the year	5,530.58
Actual cash balance on hand and in bank at end of year	2,068.53
Assets Other Than Cash, Dec. 31, 1920.	
Premium or assessment notes on hand and unpaid, assessment No. 10	1,088.25
Total assets other than cash	1,088.25
Total assets of the company, including balance cash on hand and in bank Dec. 31, 1920	3,396.08
Liabilities, Dec. 31, 1920.	
Unadjusted losses of this year remaining unpaid at end of year	525.00
Total liabilities Dec. 31, 1920	525.00
Surplus or excess of assets over liabilities	2,871.08
Policy Exhibit.	
Policies in force Dec. 31 of previous year, 1351; amount of same	2,568,795.00
Policies issued during the year, 231; amount of same	903,917.00
Total number of policies, 1582; amount of same	3,472,712.00
Policies expired and ceased to be in force during year, 231; amount of same	89,660.00
Policies and amount in force at end of year, viz: Dec. 31, 1920, 1398; amount of same	2,973,052.00
Unpaid losses at end of previous year	200.00
Loss claims presented during the year	5,371.00
Losses paid during the year	4,710.00
Adjusted losses at end of year unpaid	525.00

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington.

We, Ed. A. Aubol, President and John O. Swanson, Secretary, of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company, being duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says that they are the above described officers of said company, and that on the thirty-first day of December last, all of the above-described assets were the absolute property of said company, free and clear from any liens or claims thereon, except as above stated, and that the foregoing statement, with the schedules and explanations herein contained, annexed or referred to, are a full and correct exhibit of all the assets, liabilities, income and disbursements, and of the condition and affairs of the said company on the said thirty-first day of December last, and for the year ending on that day, according to the best of their information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

ED. A. AUBOL, Secretary.

JOHN O. SWANSON, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of January, 1921.

E. O. BURKEE, Notary Public.

My commission expires June 23, 1923.

REPORT OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE HAZEL COOPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N.

Butter made	59,128
Butter shipped and retailed	58,287
Shrinkage	811
Received for butter shipped	$30,650.22
Received for butter retailed	280.65
Butter charged to patrons	1,073.13
All other items charged	115.55
Gathered in sinking fund	520.15
Received interest on notes	.47
Received interest on deposit	7.11
Received for shares	725.00
Total cash receipts	$31,993.78
Average of overrun	24.52
Average test	20.67
Average price paid	.4110
Cost per lb.	.0559
Paid cash to patrons for butter-fat	$27,018.61
Paid patrons in butter	1,073.13
Paid patrons all other items	125.85
For wages and supplies of all kinds	3,766.58
Total paid out	$32,044.17
Overdraft	50.39
On hand in supplies	561.50
Claims	108.75
Not received	261.30
Share money	[illegible]
Due on mortgage	[illegible]
Credits on books	20.87
[illegible]	6.61
[illegible]	257.85
Overdraft	80.39
Balance	156.80

J. A. ROLSTAD, Sec.

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

M. C. Burns, Plaintiff, vs.

Sarah LaBree, W. J. LaBree, Malinda LaBree, Thora Rogers, Ida Cook, Sibley LaBree, Albert LaBree, Horace LaBree, Minnie LaBree, Emily Barker, Jonas LaBree, Mathilda Campbell, Parnetude LaBree, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest, or lien in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Summons.

The State of Minnesota to the Above Named Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the First and Peoples State Bank Building, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
First and Peoples State Bank Building,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

M. C. Burns, Plaintiff, vs.

Sarah LaBree, W. J. LaBree, Malinda LaBree, Thora Rogers, Ida Cook, Sibley LaBree, Albert LaBree, Horace LaBree, Minnie LaBree, Emily Barker, Jonas LaBree, Mathilda Campbell, Parnetude LaBree, also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest, or lien in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this court by the above named plaintiff against the above named defendants, the object of which is to obtain a judgment that said plaintiff is the owner in fee of the following described real property and that said defendants and each of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon:

Lots eleven (11) and twelve (12) in Block thirty-four (34), in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for said County and State, said property being situate in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Dated February 8, 1921.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
First and Peoples State Bank Building,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F-10-17-24

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty-four and 67-100 Dollars ($3124.67), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Lulu D. Halvorson and G. Halvorson, wife and husband, mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) mortgagee, bearing date the 29th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 29th day of December, 1916 at 1:00 o'clock P. M. in Book 13 of Mortgages on Page 283, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, 1916 at 3:20 o'clock P. M. in Book 32 of Mortgages on Page 267.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 7th day of July, 1920 at [illegible] o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on Page 218, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Beltrami County on the 9th day of July, 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M. in Book 28 of Mortgages on Page [illegible], and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

Lots Six (6), Seven (7) and Eight (8) in Block Thirteen (13) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Lot Six (6) in Block Sixty-three (63) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota, containing eighty (80) acres, and

The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼ of NW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-one (21) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Beltrami County, and State of Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres.

All the foregoing described real estate and premises with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County in the State of Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 26th day of February, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $3124.67, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises and Seventy-five Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 8th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J13-20-27-F3-10-17

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Thirty-one and 32-100 ($5031.32) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, Mortgagees, bearing date the 8th day of December, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of December, 1915, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 3 of Mortgages, on page 607, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SW¼ of NE¼), and Government Lot Two (2) in Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 5th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5031.32 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J20-27-F3-10-17-24

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Four and 44-100 ($804.44) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, Mortgagors, to Goodridge State Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 602, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The West Half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirteen (13), and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Fourteen (14), all in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range numbered Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $804.44 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 25th, A. D. 1921.

GOODRIDGE STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, mortgagors, to J. P. Jensen, mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920 at [illegible] o'clock [illegible] M., in Book [illegible] of Mortgages, on Page [illegible], and

WHEREAS, The said J. P. Jensen, the mortgagee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice [illegible] the total sum of Two Hundred Twenty-one and [illegible] Dollars, [illegible]

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) and the South Half of Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section No. Fourteen (14), all in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $221.00, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, being statutory attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 26th, 1921.

J. P. JENSEN,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Citation For Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Bertha O. Swanson

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha O. Swanson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to William A. Swanson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of William A. Swanson having been filed in this Court, representing that Bertha O. Swanson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of December, 1920, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to said William A. Swanson, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of February, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 21st day of January, 1921.

(Court Seal)

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J27-F3-10

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FOR SALE—12 high grade milch cows. Some fresh and others coming in soon. Also registered Shorthorn bull.—Joe Gahl, Mavie, Minn. 5

FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows.—J. M. Thelma, Sec. 9, Smiley, R. 3, City. 2p

FOR SALE—4-room house, 2 lots and wood shed. Call at 233 Tindolph Ave. N. R. Tangstad, Owner. 2p

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 107tf

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cow. W. I. McCrum, Route 3, phone 7F23. 109

FOR SALE—Seven room house with 5 lots, 623 Horace Ave N. 1

FOR SALE—One canary bird, a singer, at 239 Tindolph Ave. N., Thief River Falls, Minn. 109p

FOR SALE—Detroit Vapor oil stove, 121 St. Paul Ave N. 1

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room bungalow, 312 LaBree Ave. N. 91tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, complete outfit with fenders, 2 bottom Oliver plow. Team grey mares, weight 1600 and 1100 lbs. 500 bushels seed oats at 60c per bushel. Christ Kirk, Route 1, 4 miles northwest of city. 111pd

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Welner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 10[illegible]

FOR SALE—100 bushels [illegible] R. J. Martinson, R. 1, City. 111p

FOR SALE—80 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—By owner, [illegible] Swenson, Hazel Star Route. [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] P. O. Myhrum, Box 172, City. [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—[illegible]

FOR SALE OR TRADE—[illegible] C. O. Granum, Viking, Minn. 108tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—450 acres A 1 wheat land, Montana, shape for crop. Will furnish all machinery, including tractor and seed. Call phone No. 219. 110

FOR RENT—Steamheated office room. Inquire of Halvor Lokken. 109p

FOR RENT—Three room steam heated flat. Vacant February 1st. C. W. McDaniel. 107tf

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Large heated room, can be used for light housekeeping. Call 238 or 117 Main Ave. S. 100tf

ROOM FOR RENT—Inquire 117 Zeh St. 99tf

FOR RENT—Up-to-date dairy lunch and confectionery. The only cash business going. Also town. Here is your chance to make some money the coming year. Owner going away. Write The Times. 104tf

BARN FOR RENT—Inquire First and Peoples State Bank. 10[illegible]

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Salesman with auto. Prefer man with selling experience in small towns and country districts. Need not be away from home nights. To the right man we offer high grade proposition, paying $50 to $150 weekly. Fletcher Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 1p

COMFORTABLE small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 104tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221 First St. E. 107tf

MEN WANTED to sell groceries, selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses [illegible] wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to [illegible] Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 1p

FARM WANTED—Wanted to hear from owner of farm or good land for sale [illegible]

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The Modern Viewpoint in the Petroleum Industry

TWENTY years ago, when the famous Spindle Top gusher was brought in, a great volume of petroleum was permitted to spout from the discovery well and flow to waste in the Gulf of Mexico, only the feeblest effort being made to conserve it.

Today, such a practice would be considered so wasteful as to be criminal. The modern viewpoint does not tolerate waste in any phase of the oil industry.

For many years the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has been in the lead of those forces which sought conservation, economy and maximum efficiency in the refining of petroleum.

This Company was convinced that refining methods were susceptible of continuous improvement; it believed that with every year of experience, more gasoline might be produced from the crude oil. In furtherance of this idea of continually increasing efficiency, the Company installed the best laboratory equipment obtainable, and employed the most expert petroleum chemists. From these laboratories has come along other notable improvements, the famous Burton process, to increase the yield of gasoline from the crude, without sacrifice of quality.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is so organized that it is responsive to new ideas, both social and industrial. Its policy is flexible. It does not operate by rule of thumb. The very foundation of its ability to be of such fundamental service to society, lies in its recognition of the value of a close alliance between industry and science. It has developed an organization which fits smoothly into the machinery of social progress.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is guided by men who represent in their points of view the aspirations and determinations of the new world in which we live. These men, Directors of the Company, conceive their task to be that of guiding the industry in accordance with modern ideas of fairness and justice. These men possess both the experience derived from long intimacy with petroleum problems, and the foresight to anticipate the future with its constantly changing industrial values and economic needs.

Standard Oil Company (Indiana)

910 So. Michigan Ave., Chica

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IRISH FREEDOM IS TOPIC OF ADDRESS

James Manahan Speaks to Large Audience on Alleged Wrongs of Erin's People.

James Manahan, St. Paul attorney, addressed a large assemblage at the Princess theater on Thursday evening on the question of Irish Freedom. He spoke here under the auspices of the local council of the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic. His talk was enthusiastically received and frequently interrupted by applause.

Mr. Manahan spoke in favor of the Irish cause from an economic rather than a sentimental standpoint. He endeavored to show the oppression of Ireland at the hands of the British empire by a description of tariff laws and taxation. Ireland and England, he stated, have no common ancestry, no common customs, no common traditions and no common religion, particularly emphasizing the fact that the subject of religion had no bearing on the present situation, aside from the religious element injected purely as propaganda.

He likened the present domination of Ireland by England to that imposed upon the thirteen colonies by the mother country, as shown by our own history. Had England, he said, endeavored to maintain only a political dominance, the Revolutionary war would not have been fought, but when she endeavored to dominate economically by the levying of too burdensome taxes, war and secession became inevitable.

SCHOOL CHILDREN FOUND DEFECTIVE

Red Cross Nurse Discovers Numerous Cases Needing Attention on First Trip.

Marie Knudsen, Pennington county Red Cross nurse, who took up her duties January 1, has submitted a report of activities for the month of January to the nursing committee of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross. Her work for the month because of the condition of the roads, was confined to such outlying districts, rural schools principally, as could be reached by train. Miss Knudsen's report is as follows:

No. of schools visited	18
No. of pupils inspected	301
No. of children found:	
Underweight	148
With defective permanent teeth	88
With apparent defective throats	86
With apparent defective eyes	57
With apparent defective hearing	8
With apparent nasal obstruction	35
With skin disease	6
With enlarged cervical glands	17
No. of talks to pupils in class room	10
No. of home visits made	25

Members of the nursing committee state that the outstanding feature of Miss Knudsen's report as to her activities, lies in the number of home visits made, practically all of them having been made on foot. Visits were confined principally to the homes of children whose condition the Red Cross nurse found to be aggravated or critical.

Miss Knudsen has also been interested in a class for the study of home hygiene and care of the sick, which has been conducted at Goodridge during the past month by a representative from the American Red Cross headquarters at Minneapolis. More than 45 persons, children and women of the community, were enrolled as members, and will receive a diploma upon completing the course. The financing of the home nursing course is being done by the Goodridge branch of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross.

Send Many Booklets.

Since the American Legion of Minnesota announced its readiness to mail to each overseas veteran a copy of the French souvenir pamphlet entitled "To Homeward Bound Americans," Legion state headquarters has filled some 1,700 requests for the booklet. Requests should be accompanied by a 2-cent postage stamp and name of overseas organization in which applicant served.

NORTHWEST SMITHS WILL CONVENE HERE

Blacksmiths Will Hold First Annual Meeting in Three Years on February 11.

The annual convention of the Blacksmiths Mutual Benefit association of Northwestern Minnesota will be held at Thief River Falls on Friday. Officers will be elected and other important business matters come before the assembly. The business session will be held at the Commercial club rooms from 2 to 7 p. m., after which a banquet supper will be served at the Hotel Evelyn.

The blacksmiths association has been in existence for several years but no annual conventions were held during 1919 and 1920. Officials state that new life will be brought into the organization by several matters that will be brought up at the meeting of Friday.

HAZEL MAN CLAIMS AWARD ON BUTTER

Correspondent Says Times Article Giving Honor to Local Plant Was Wrong.

In last week's issue of The Times appeared an article headed "Thief River Creamery Product Takes First Prize at Fergus Falls Convention." The Hazel Co-operative creamery now claims the honor. A letter from Paul Borgie, bank and creamery official of Hazel, reads:

"We wish to make a correction to the article as our little creamery deserves the credit at this time. The highest score given to any creamery north of the Norman county line was given to the Hazel Creamery and was 93@ points. We consider this a very high score, knowing that the sample was taken from the churning of an ordinary days run. Our buttermaker, Oscar C. Peterson, rightfully deserves the credit for the highest score in this part of the state, instead of Harold J. Olson of the Thief River Falls creamery whose score was 93 points.

"Our butter factory is a thriving institution and financially the backbone of our community. We have many reasons to believe that the dairy industry coupled with deversified farming is the solution for our community and the sooner this sentiment becomes a reality the better off we will all be."

Mr. Borgie accompanied his letter by a copy of the annual report of the Hazel Co-operative Creamery association, items from which follow:

Butter churned, lb.	59 128
Butter shipped and retailed	58,287
Shrinkage	481
Average of overrun	24.52
Average test	25.03
Average price paid per lb.	6.16c
Cost per-pound	6.59c
Received for butter shipped and retailed	$31,231.17
Paid patrons in cash and butter	28,121.74

SALESMAN NOW ENTHUSIASTIC

"I Can't Praise Tanlac Too Highly," Says Olson—All Troubles Ended.

"The very first Tanlac testimonial I ran across that fit my case sent me to a drug store for a bottle," said Joe. M. Olson, 3824 Tenth Ave., S., Minneapolis, Minn., popular salesman for the Warner Hardware Co.

"For four years I suffered from rheumatism and many times my joints were so stiff and the hurting was so intense I couldn't bend them, and the pains would hang on from three days to a week. At these times I suffered agonies and got frightfully nervous. Nothing did me any good and I tried nearly everything before taking Tanlac

"Tanlac didn't seem to help me from the start either, but as I finished up my third bottle I realized I was getting better. After that I improved rapidly and now I don't have a touch of pain of any kind and my nerves are perfectly steady. I feel that I am perfectly well now, and I can't praise Tanlac too highly for what it has done for me."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store; at Oklee by John H. Gassman; at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm, and at Goodridge by C. G. Gulrud.—adv.

Local Doctors Install Added X-Ray Equipment

The medical clinic of Thief River Falls, according to statements made by members on Friday, will have, with the installation of new equipment ordered and already enroute, one of the most complete X-ray laboratories in the Northwest. The equipment originally purchased three years ago has been added to steadily during the past six months and those rooms of the suite in the Citizens State bank building which are devoted to the X-ray department recently re-wired and re-arranged in preparation for the installation of the new instruments.

Rapid strides in radiographic and radio-therapy treatments have been made and members of the clinic state that treatments have been very successful. The Bucky-Potter diaphragm which is soon to be installed, is one of the latest developments in the X-ray field.

It is designated principally for bone and chest work, either floriscopic or photographic. The instrument is also of great use in examinations for gall and kidney stones because of the remarkable clearness of films or vision by means of the floriscope.

The clinic is made up by Doctors O. F. Mellby, A. J. Paulson, H. W. Froehlich and J. F. Fisher.

Mrs. Crandall (Iowa) Tells How She Stopped Chicken Losses

"Last spring, rats killed all our baby chicks. Wish I'd known about Rat-Snap before. With just one large package we killed swarms of rats. They won't get this year's hatches. Pilbet" Rat-Snap is guaranteed and sells for 35c, 65c, $1.25.

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OFFICE OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, Pennington County.

Thief River Falls, Minn.
February 1, 1921.

To All Rural Teachers:

Based upon all requisition for March examinations received up to this date, I am today in accordance with the state educational department's instructions causing a distribution of the March examination points. Requisitions for March examination questions received on February 1st, or after cannot be considered as my requisition report for the country is due the department on this date.

A county is allowed one examination point for every township. This, however, does not necessarily mean that every township should have an examination point, unless all of the schools in that township have eighth grade examinees and requisition for questions are forwarded. In some cases none of the schools in an entire township wish the examination questions sent to their schools because they have no eighth grade examinees. It therefore becomes the duty of the county superintendent to distribute these twenty-one examination points in accordance with requisitions received, taking into consideration the following facts which enter into the question of establishing these examination points: distance to place of examination; natural barriers, such as rivers and swamps; number of pupils to be examined; means of transportation to examination points; conditions of travelled roads; postal service to examination points and several other reasons too numerous to mention.

The examination districts for the March examinations to be held in this county on March 31 and April 1, 1921, have been selected by complying with above named reasons and are as follows:

District No. 59—Emma Henke, schools grouped: 59, 56, 50 and 5.

District No. 48—Charles O. Asp, schools grouped: 48, 57 and 70 joint.

District No. 10—A. C. Brevik, schools grouped: 10.

District No. 37—Anna Kilen, schools grouped: 37, 38, 47 and 68.

District No. 228J—Anna Tollefson, schools grouped: 228 joint.

District No. 35—Celia Bjorge, schools grouped: 35 and 39.

District No. 30—Hazel Welo, schools grouped: 30, 31 and 28.

District No. 15—Lena Gullingsrud, schools grouped: 15 and 55.

District No. 51—Gerda Sorlum, grouped: 51 and 4.

District No. 133J—Rose H. Votava, schools grouped: 133 joint.

District No. 178—James A. Dahl, schools grouped: 178.

District No. 12—Ida Legvold, school grouped: 12, 6 and 221.

District No. 26—E. A. Mostue, schools grouped: 26 and 165.

District No. 43J—Elsie Randorf, schools grouped: 43 joint; 108 and 1.

District No. 166—Eric E. Anderson, school 166.

District No. 73—Myrtle Satre, schools grouped: 73 and 54.

District No. 25—Mrs. Jens Kierk, schools grouped: 25 and 219 joint.

District No. 140—Tilda Brandrud, schools grouped: 149 and 194.

District No. 180—Anna Barstad, schools grouped: 180, 106 and 7.

District No. 99—Ruth L. Roy, school: 99.

District No. 61—Agnes Forslund, school: 64.

The above named examiners must care for and mark all the papers of every examinee taking the examination at their examination point and observe the following rules:

1. Fill out and sign the Deputy Examiners Certificate.
2. Carry out the provisions of the "Rules for State High School Board Examinations," copy of which will be mailed later together with examination question blanks.
3. Mark all papers in Red Ink.

The Class Lists mentioned in the state rules are for the use of the county superintendent only, and no such lists will be forwarded with the supplies.

All returns from each examination point must be received within one week from the day the examination closed. Returns received later will be refused and returned to the examiner.

Every eighth grade pupil or examinee taking these examinations should be provided with black ink, a pen and blotter or a fountain pen and blotter. Examination blank paper will be sent to the examiner in quantities large enough to care for all the examinees of his or her group.

The school board and teacher should co-operate in caring for transportation of pupils to the examination point and should see to that examiners arrive at the place of examination on program schedule time, as the examiner in charge has the authority to refuse examiners the privilege of an examination in any or all subjects if said examinee does not arrive at point of examination in time. Copies of programs showing the hours of examination will be forwarded to all teachers upon receipt from state department. Programs will also be published in the local newspapers.

Hoping that all teachers and especially those appointed as deputy examiners will abide by the above instructions and rules, I am

Sincerely,
GEO. M. GUNDERSON,
County Supt. of Schools

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LEGISLATURE HAS WOMEN TYPISTS

No less than four women appointed as stenographers for the 17th legislative session at Bismarck are graduates of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. Misses Korber and Marx are with the Senate, Misses Pannebaker and Ross are typists for the House.

Dakota Business College trains young people for responsible positions. About 218 D. B. C. graduates have become bank executives. "Follow the SucceSSful." Enroll for the Spring term; graduate in Fall when most help is needed. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

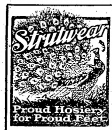

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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CLUB MATTERS GIVEN AIRING; FINE OUTCOME

Proposition to Disband Brings Storm Down on Devoted Head of President.

Retiring Leader Also Has Tilt With Spokesman For Merchants Association.

Everybody Now Feels Better and Things Give Promise of Moving Smoothly.

A bomb was dropped in the midst of the Commercial club members in assembly for the annual banquet and installation of officers, when, immediately following the supper, a talk on the financial conditions of today by E. A. Williams of the Government Savings organization, and a discussion as to the early removal of the club quarters to the room in the city auditorium, the incoming president, W. A. Hall, Jr., took the chair and announced that the new board of directors had decided to discontinue the organization. It had been found, he said, impossible to accomplish an amalgamation of the Commercial club and the Merchants association, that the continuance of two similar organizations working in a half-hearted manner was absurd and that it was deemed advisable to discontinue the club until such a time as more co-operation should be forthcoming.

W. B. Fuller immediately rose to his feet and denounced such an idea, following which the retiring president, E. M. Stanton, who had just vacated the chair, rather heatedly stated that the Commercial club should proceed regardless of the Merchants association, that it would go on with himself as the only member if necessary and denouncing the policy heretofore adopted by members of the latter named organization. E. O. Mogensen, a member of both club and association, replied with a spirited argument aimed at Mr. Stanton in which he stated that the merchants as members of the association had always been ready and willing to co-operate but that they had been rebuffed by individuals and officers of the club.

Daniel Shaw, newly elected vice president of the Commercial club, took the floor and in a talk of a soothing nature succeeded in restoring peace and order in the assembly rooms. After much discussion in which many members of the club participated, the retiring president, with a smile, suggested to President Hall that he "take a reef in his galluses" and go ahead and the members of the club would stand behind him. Mr. Hall's look of satisfaction gave evidence that his object in making his opening and abrupt statement had been at least partially accomplished.

A further discussion as to the removal of the club quarters followed. It was voted to vacate the rooms by February 14. The board of directors was designated to act as to any changes necessary to making the room in the basement of the city auditorium, originally designed as a gymnasium and which has been used by the city band for rehearsals and by the city fire department since the construction of the building, habitable as Commercial club quarters. It is thought that a new floor or floor covering will be necessary in addition to other minor changes. Redecoration of the room was also suggested. If possible a small room adjoining the new quarters will be remodeled to serve as a kitchen in order that the weekly club luncheons, which have proven popular, may be continued.

Members of the Thief River lodge of Elks who were present stated that the lodge would take over the present club rooms in the Citizens State bank building immediately upon their being vacated and that such furnishings and equipment as would not be used by club in its new quarters would be purchased for use by the Elks. The latter also plan redecoration of their future quarters and the addition of several office rooms in the building to the suite.

A resolution was passed recommending the appointment of W. A. White, formerly a member of the Nash Brothers wholesale grocery corporation of the northwestern states and at present a holder of large fruit interests in Idaho, to the Inter-State Commerce commission. Mr. White is well known to all large shippers in the northwest and to local dealers and is thought to possess admirable qualifications for a seat on the commission. A copy of the resolution was forwarded to Minnesota congressmen and to President-Eelect Warren G. Harding. Following the passing of the resolution the meeting adjourned.

The weekly noonday luncheon given by the club was not served today because of preparations for serving. The next will be served next Thursday in the new club rooms.

Pennington Winners in Grain Divisions at Fair

In the grain division at the Red River Valley Winter shows at Crookston last week the Pennington county exhibits were given the following positions:

Corn, 10 ear class—First, L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire. Best peck of wheat—First, W. E. Smith, Thief River Falls; second, Bennie E. Johnson, St. Hilaire. Best peck of oats—First, Joe Mortenson, St. Hilaire; second, Frank Johnson, St. Hilaire; third, Joe H. Singer, Rhoda. Best peck of barley—First, Joe Mortenson, St. Hilaire. Best exhibit of potatoes—First, and second, L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire; third, Frank Johnson, St. Hilaire.

Ten counties entered in the corn, oats and potato divisions; 11 had wheat entries, and 8 showed barley. While last year was not considered among the best the region has known, the grain exhibits were of excellent quality, comparing very favorable with those of previous years as well as other sections.

Loen Secures Good Position.

Carl E. Loen, who has been in the employ of the Tessum Seed, Grain and Supply company for the past six years in the position of salesman, will leave Friday evening for the twin cities. He has secured a position as salesman for the American Tobacco company in the Crookston territory and will make that place his headquarters.

MRS. GILLER WINS DRAWN-OUT FIGHT IN DISTRICT COURT

Jury Finally Brings in Verdict Against C. L. Hansen and First National Bank.

District court was occupied Wednesday afternoon, Thursday and Friday with the case of Bertha Giller, plaintiff, against the First National bank of Thief River Falls and C. L. Hansen, president of the bank, defendants. After the hearing of evidence over a period of more than 24 hours, the jury was closeted from 9 o'clock Friday evening until 11 o'clock Saturday evening, at which time a verdict in favor of the plaintiff was returned.

Mrs. Giller's contention is that she deposited notes and mortgages with the First National bank solely for the purpose of securing Mr. Hanson's liability as bondsman for her son, Maurice Giller, in the case wherein he was charged with arson in the third degree, and that inasmuch as there was no liability on the bond she was entitled to a return of the collateral securities she had deposited with the bank.

The contention of the defendant is that at the time the bank received the collateral the defendant had notes against the plaintiff's son and that when this collateral was deposited with the bank it was for the purpose of securing Mr. Hanson for his liability as bondsman for Maurice Giller and for the further purpose of securing payment of the Maurice Giller notes held by the bank.

Since the filing of the jury's verdict, Mr. Hansen has announced that the case will be appealed to the supreme court of the state.

H. O. Chommie and E. M. Stanton, Thief River Falls attorneys, represented the plaintiff, and Wm. J. Brown and J. M. Bishop, of Thief River Falls, and Julius Olson of Warren, the defendants.

CHORAL SOCIETY'S FIRST APPEARANCE

New Organization Will Give Public Concert at Auditorium Tuesday, Mar. 1.

The Thief River Falls Choral society will give its first public concert at the city auditorium on the evening of Tuesday, March 1. "Lovely Appear," from "The Redemption" by Gounod, the Hallelujah Chorus from Handel's "Messiah," an arrangement from Wagner's "Tannhauser," and Stainer's "God So Loved the World" A cappella, are some of the numbers which will be presented by the chorus. A piano solo by Miss Laura E. Forde, a violin solo by Miss Ausilga Sorenson and vocal solos by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, will also be features on the concert program.

The choral society was organized last November with the following officers: Dr. O. F. Mellby, president; W. A. Barnard, vice president; Miss Dora Holmes, secretary-treasurer. Laura E. Forde, acts as accompanist. Rehearsals were held each week during the early part of the winter until recently, when two periods of two hours a week were given to the work. Great progress has been made in choral singing under the direction of Miss Maude L. Johnson, instructor in music in the city schools, and it is conceded that the concert to be presented on March 1 will rival those given by many of the more noted philharmonic organizations of the Northwest. Tickets for the first appearance here of the chorus will be placed on sale at an early date.

The first concert will be followed by an oratorio to be given during the spring months, work on which will begin immediately.

Attending Convention of Friends of Irish Freedom

P. J. Keating and E. M. Stanton are in St. Paul this week as delegates from the Thief River Falls council of the Friends of Irish Freedom to the state meeting held there. The local council has steadily gained in membership and there is considerable interest shown in the movement. Mr. Keating will also take the opportunity offered to look in on the legislature, this being one of his self-imposed duties every year that the body is in session.

SENATE PASSES LAW PROVIDING FLOOD CONTROL

Signature of President to Crown Efforts of Quarter Century With Success.

House Repasses Bill With the Few Unimportant Amendments From Senate.

Most Important Step in Development of This Section Ever Undertaken.

The house of representatives on Monday passed the Red Lake flood control bill with the senate amendments, according to a telegram received by The Times from Congressman Steenerson, and the bill was immediately sent to the President for approval.

The original house bill was passed by the senate last Friday by unanimous vote after having amended the measure in a few unimportant particulars.

The house passed, without a roll call last month, the bill of Representative Steenerson, providing for improvement of Red Lake and Red Lake river in Minnesota. A sharp fight was made against it by Representative Blanton, Democrat, Texas, who contended that it ought not to be passed under suspension of the rules. The house, however, decided that the measure was of too great importance to delay action upon, and upon the showing made by Representatives Steenerson and Knutson, both of whom explained the necessity for it, it was agreed to.

The project will result in reclaiming about 246,800 acres of land in the Red Lake reservation which are now useless because of their swampy conditions.

Will Reclaim Rich Lands.

"These lands are periodically overflowed and useless for agriculture," said the Minnesota members in urging the passage of the bill. "By the construction of this improvement and suitable laterals they will be made the richest lands in the state.

"Furthermore, there are about 248,000 lands in the state reservation, some of which is already drained, that will be protected from floods. Red Lake is an ideal reservoir for controlling the water, and the erection of this improvement will tend to diminish disastrous floods in the Red River of the North below Grand Forks, N. D."

Approved by Cabinet Members.

The measure has been approved by the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Interior. It confers upon the Red Lake conservancy district of Minnesota, authority to deepen and straighten the river and to regulate the height of the water in Red Lake. The work on the reservation must be approved by the secretary of the interior. A further explanation of the bill is found in the following communication from Secretary Baker, sent to the committee on flood control which reported it.

"The bill proposes to authorize the Red Lake drainage and conservancy district, created and organized under the laws of Minnesota, to improve Red Lake and Red Lake river, primarily for the purpose of drainage and land reclamation and incidentally for the better utilization of the waters of these streams for sanitary, domestic and transportation purposes."

Palace Clothing House to Occupy New Home April 1

Louis L. Cohn, proprietor of the Palace Clothing house, in this issue of The Times announces a big removal sale. He has secured a lease on the Dudley building, at present occupied by the Carl Christofferson Grocery store, and will move his stock of clothing and men's furnishings to the new quarters about April 1. Mr. Cohn states that he considers the building in a more advantageous location and one with more available floor space for future increase in stock.

Mr. Christofferson on Wednesday stated that he had not determined on his future place of business nor is it known who will occupy the building to be vacated by Mr. Cohn, as the location is greatly in demand.

SCHOOL BONDS SOLD AT 6 PER CENT PAR

Twin City Concern Takes Entire Issue of $68,000 on Very Favorable Terms.

The sale of school bonds aggregating slightly over $68,000, which was authorized by a vote of four to one at a special election of school district No. 18 held on January 25, was effected to Kalman, Matteson and Wood, a St. Paul corporation, at a special meeting of the Thief River Falls board of education held on Friday evening. The certificates were sold at par value and will bear an interest rate of 6 per cent. The bid was submitted by the Minneapolis Trust company, with whom a contract to produce a bidder on the bond issue at the time of opening of the bids had previously been entered into. A representative of one other twin city financial house was present but declined to submit a bid after that of the above mentioned corporation had been opened. The certificates will reach maturity 15 years from the date of issue, February 1.

The money accruing from the sale of the bonds was made available at the First National bank of Thief River Falls on Tuesday, automatically cancelling school warrants held by city banks which totalled the amount of the bond issue. No part of the funds resulting from the sale remained in the school treasury. The indebtedness of the school district resulted because of the increased cost of operating the schools of the city during the year 1920, for which no increase in tax levy was made during the year 1919. The first settlement from the regular tax levy for 1920 will be received in March. It has been stated that the tax levy for district No. 18 will be increased approximately 25 per cent at the annual meeting of the board of education held next July.

GREAT SHOWING IS MADE BY COUNTY'S LIVESTOCK ENTRIES

Red Polled Cattle and Poland China Hogs Score High at Crookston Exhibition.

Completed reports of the premiums awarded at the Red River Valley live stock show held last week at Crookston prove that Pennington county exhibitors fared particularly well. The record made by the Guernsey breeders has already been published, with the erroneous statement that outside of this division the county failed to make much of a showing. The attention of The Times has been called to this error by James Dreeland of Wylie, who was one of the exhibitors at the show, his entries consisting of Poland China hogs. The showing made by his stock was so exceptional that a detailed account is given below:

Boar, senior yearling, third place against 11 in the ring; senior boar pig, third against 18; junior boar, first and third against 7; sow, two years old and over, fourth against 11; junior yearling sow, third against 7; senior sow, third and fifth in competition with 22 head; junior sow, third and fourth out of 7 showing; graded herd, third place out of nine; young herd, fourth place out of nine; get of boar, third prize; produce of sow, third place. In the amateur class Mr. Dreeland's exhibit took second best on sow, third on best boar and third on best herd.

In this division there were a number of state fair winners and others that had received high places at international shows pitted against the hogs of the Pennington county man, which makes the record of his herd all the more remarkable.

In the Red Polled class all the top prizes were won by the entries of William Novak & Son, whose farm is near Wylie in this county. His herd bull was awarded the senior grand championship and grand championship ribbons, as was also one of his cows and a junior yearling bull. The Novaks also received first on senior yearling heifer, junior yearling heifer and junior calf. The junior heifer was also given the championship ribbon.

PLANS TREATMENT TO HELP CHILDREN

Red Cross Nursing Division May Provide Funds For the More Pronounced Cases.

At a meeting of the directors of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross held at the Commercial club rooms Saturday afternoon, Dr. M. George Milan, chairman of the nursing committee and medical director of the Oakland Park sanitarium, spoke at length on the value of following up the work of the county nurse, Miss Marie Knudsen, with medical treatment for the children of the county. Miss Knudsen's first monthly report, submitted to the nursing committee on Feb. 1, leaves no doubt as to the necessity of prompt action to protect the health of the future citizens, 148 children out of the 301 examined during the month of January having been found underweight, 88 with defective teeth, 86 with defective throats, 57 with defective eyes, 8 with defective hearing, 35 with apparent nasal obstructions, 6 with skin disease and 17 with enlarged cervical glands.

The question of financing treatment for the more pronounced cases was brought up and a committee of three, Rev. R. L. Barackman, Dr. H. W. Froehlich and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, appointed to confer with the directors of the county chapter of the Junior Red Cross in regard to the funds in the treasury of that organization being made available for this work.

Mayor John Bratrud also spoke on the urgency of immediate relief for famine-stricken China and the hordes of suffering and dying children. Mr. Bratrud has called a public meeting to discuss ways and means for raising funds for this worthy cause, and the meeting will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. A representation of the various civic and religious organizations of the city has been requested to attend. Mrs. J. J. Richter, Postmaster John Morgan and Rev. R. L. Barackman were appointed a committee to represent the Red Cross.

PROSPERITY OF NEAR FUTURE IN PEOPLE'S HANDS

Saving Part of Income Will Soon Straighten Things Out, Says Speaker.

"Wildcat" Investment Schemes and Luxuries Largely Responsible For Conditions.

Securities Offered By Government Are Safest and Most Profitable to Be Had.

E. A. Williams of Long Prairie, a member of the Government Savings organization, was the guest of honor and speaker of the evening at the Commercial club annual meeting and banquet held at the club rooms on Thursday evening. He spoke fo rover an hour on the financial conditions of the present day in a clean-cut forceful manner that won for him the heartiest of applause and a rising vote of thanks from the members of the club assembled to hear him.

Mr. Williams, as head of the Keystone Silo company for this district and a member of the Government Savings organization, is constantly in touch with the Federal Reserve bank of Minneapolis, other twin city banks and bankers and farmers throughout the states of Minnesota and North Dakota, as well as with the Federal savings department of Washington, D. C. From all of these sources he has gathered his information and the opinions of many of the most prominent financial men of the day. He is at present on a two months lecture program for the savings organization, speaking before the commercial and financial mens' organizations in the larger communities of the two states.

Wildcat Speculation Blamed.

The unprecedented extravagance of the nation, Mr. Williams said in outlining some of the causes of the financial depression, is in part responsible for the present shortage of funds, over seven billion dollars having been spent by the people of the United States on luxuries during the year 1920. The figures for the statement were compiled from the government luxury tax returns. Great sums of money have been sent to European or other foreign countries and Canada as payment for foreign bonds and to take advantage of the rate of exchange for the American dollar. Over two billion dollars were invested in automobiles during 1920. Inconceivable sums were spent in speculation on worthless oil or other blue-sky stock. He further stated that the present situation was the inevitable sequence of the world war and the inflation of prices, though its coming was unduly hastened by the larger banks in the curtailing of credits. Financial experts had judged that the period of depression would not be felt until about five years after the close of the war. He then went on with remedies prescribed by the government and other prominent authorities.

Remedy Lies With People.

It is their opinion that the remedy lies in the hands of, not the great financiers, but of the average citizen of today. He stated that if the laborer, the farmer, the average business man, the salaried man and many others would but save one tenth of their income for the coming year, a reserve would be established and the money situation have returned to normal. He urged the abandonment of speculation in get-rich-quick schemes, and the purchase of foreign bonds which yield a small rate of interest, lauding the investment paying a positive interest of five, six or seven per cent. He urged the buying of government savings stamps or any other issues conductive to a regular savings policy on the part of the average citizen, citing the purpose of the government in offering, during the war and immediately after, for sale securities backed by the Federal government of the United States, which was to counteract just such a situation as exists today by establishing a large reserve. He cited instances in which the plan had worked out as premeditated as in the case of North Dakota, to which state over one and one-half million dollars was returned during the latter part of the year 1920 by the Federal government in redeeming liberty bonds and war savings stamps, the money arriving at a time when it was most urgently needed by the people of the neighboring states.

In closing Mr. Williams spoke of the enormous possibilities of diversified farming in the state of Minnesota. The cows of Minnesota during 1920 produced approximately 50 per cent more wealth than the iron mines of the state, whose sales aggregated over 101 millions of dollars. Statistics, he concluded, go to prove that if the entire bank deposits of Minnesota were to be wiped out, the cows of the state could replace them in the short period of three years and that if the number of cows could be multiplied three times it would take but one year to replace all of the bank deposits.

Business Conditions in East Steadily Improving

H. O. Loken, who with Mrs. Loken returned on Monday from a buying trip to Eastern markets, states that there is a better feeling among business men in that part of the country, due to the increased orders for spring delivery. The large manufacturers, particularly those producing seasonable wares such as women's apparel, are rushing to keep ahead of the demand and on every hand is heard the prediction that there will be a big rush when warmer weather sets in. Things are not moving so fast in retail lines but even among the merchants there is a feeling of optimism.

Mr. Loken made extensive purchases for the spring trade and these have already begun to arrive. As compared with a year or two ago, the prices are away down, a fact that will not fail to meet with a hearty welcome in every section of the country.

Produce Association to Meet.

A meeting of the Pennington County Produce association has been called for 1 p. m., Saturday, Feb. 26. It will be held in the Farm Bureau office in the basement of the Thief River Falls auditorium. The organization is better known as the Potato Growers association.

CALL MEETING TO PLAN RELIEF FOR CHINA'S STARVING

Mayor Asks Citizens to Join With Red Cross in Work of Rescuing Millions.

The following notice has been issued to the citizens of Thief River Falls by Mayor John Bratrud. The matter is one of the greatest urgency and it is expected that Thief River Falls will respond in its usual hearty manner. The Red Cross will take charge of the work but the need is so great and quick action so important that it has been considered best to call in the public generally in order that the widest interest may be taken in the subject at once. The mayor's notice reads:

"Reports of American missionaries and business men, after careful investigation, show that at least fifteen millions of people are seriously affected. Many have died from starvation and many more will thus die unless saved by America. Relief must be carried on until the June harvests. The relief work is conducted almost entirely by volunteers and practically all money sent is expended for food for the actual sufferers. Sufficient food supplies are available in Manchuria. The situation requires generous and immediate support.

"It is the opinion of the executive committee of the Red Cross chapter that a public meeting be called to discuss ways and means to raise funds for this worthy cause, and that such meeting be held on Friday evening, Feb. 18, at 8 o'clock, at the Commercial club rooms.

"Attendance at this meeting by the public generally is urged and requested, and especially a representation from the various civic and religious organizations of the city."

AGAIN STRIKE OUT TO GAIN MEMBERS

Solicitors Will Finish Farm Bureau Drive Started in December and Discontinued.

The Pennington county farm bureau membership drive, which was discontinued in December because of weather conditions and impassable roads, was re-opened on Tuesday morning with A. E. Carlson of Warren and B. O. Norby of Goodridge in the field. Stuart McLeod, prominent Pennington county farmer residing near Goodridge, also took up the soliciting work this morning.

Mr. Carlson has been engaged in making membership drives since last August and at this time holds the honor of being the most successful farm bureau membership solicitor in the entire state. He will conduct his house to house campaign in the eastern section of the county, working out of Highlanding for the next ten days. Mr. Norby, who is superintendent of the Goodridge school, will operate during his spare time in the vicinity of Goodridge. Stuart McLeod will make the western part of Pennington county the scene of his activities.

About one-half of the county remains to be covered by representatives of the farm bureau in their campaign for new members. At the conclusion of Tuesday's work the enrollment of the organization numbered 463 members, both old and new. It is estimated that this number will be increased to seven or eight hundred with the completion of the drive, which will be accomplished as speedily as weather and road conditions permit.

Second Banquet-Lecture at Brumund on Wednesday

The second banquet of the late-winter and spring series given by the Thief River Falls Merchants association will be held at the Brumund hotel on the evening of Wednesday, Feb. 23. J. E. Ebersole, professor of business economics of the University of Minnesota, will be the guest of honor and the speaker of the evening. His subject will be "The Present Business Outlook." The banquet dinner will be served promptly at 6:30. The Merchants association extends to the business and professional men of the city and nearby towns a cordial invitation to attend.

T. Spokely of Rollis was in the city last week attending court.

QUICK DISPOSAL OF MANY CASES SHORTENS TERM

Dismissals and Postponements Feature Hearings Before Judge Grindeland.

Error in Indictment Brings the Brendecke Blindpigging Case to Sudden Stop.

Also Found That Law Does Not Yet Cover Alleged Offenses of "Doctor" Kirby.

The February term of the district court will be abruptly curtailed judging from the manner in which the civil and criminal calendars have been disposed of. Court opened on Feb. 8, with a two-day hearing of appeal from ditch assessments. The case of Bertha Giller, plaintiff, vs. the First National bank and C. L. Hansen, defendants, occupied Thursday and Friday, the court adjourning over Saturday, a legal holiday.

Of the continued civil cases, that of Ed. Christie and William Furstnau vs. Lulu D. Halvorson, G. Halvorson, The Prichard company, The Thief River Falls Manufacturing company, Ed. Lee and the Northwestern Building association of Fergus Falls, has been settled. The jury case of Independent School District No. 102, Pennington county, vs. the Farmers and Merchants State bank of Thief River Falls and L. D. McAdams, has been set for Friday, Feb. 17.

One Divorce Granted.

Under the civil calendar of new cases, that of Jack Doss vs. H. N. Hager has been continued, as has the case of William Schocker vs. Lester E. Gesell. In the divorce case of Trina Aalberg vs. Martin Aalberg, opened Wednesday morning, the defendant failed to appear, and after a short hearing the court granted the divorce.

The matter of the estate of Agnetta Torsen, decedent, Gina Amelia Lindquist, appellant, vs. Ingeborg Pederson, Elisa Anderson and all other objectors, which was heard on Wednesday, was taken under advisement, the objectors being given 20 days in which to file briefs. The cases of Gladys Marie Provencher vs. E. A. and George Mostue have been discontinued for want of prosecution. In the case of K. O. Flakne vs. Andrew O. and Elsie Spokely, the jury issued a verdict for the defendants after a hearing of two hours. The case of Richard Halls vs. George D. Snyder was continued on the motion of defendant on account of the illness of a principal witness.

The case of the State of Minnesota ex rel Theo Quale vs. John Bratrud as city mayor and A. H. Akre as city clerk, and that of Sam McClure and Carl Zwer vs. members of the town board of Sanders township, have been set for March 29.

The jury in the case of Wm. P. Murphy as trustee of the estate of Murray A. Gotham, bankrupt, vs. Murray A. Gotham, Margaret Hill and Bessie Gotham, filed a verdict in favor of defendants. The case of the Red Lake Building association vs. John Horejsch is scheduled for Friday, as is the divorce case of Harry Myrom and Anna Myrom. In the matter of the appeal to the court of T. O. Mogen from the order of the county commissioners in the matter of county ditch No. 68, proceedings were continued, as was the appeal of John Redwing from the same order. The case of John T. Homme vs. T. S. Iverson has been settled.

Many Cases Continued.

The criminal cases were even more quickly disposed of. That of the State of Minnesota vs. James Parenteau, an illegitimacy case, was continued. In that of the State vs. Samuel Kirby, proprietor of a 'hospital' east of this city, County Attorney Theo. Quale issued a nolle prosique owing to the fact that the state board of control has not yet approved the rules laid down by the state board of health. Kirby was arraigned on a charge of failing to isolate persons afflicted with tuberculosis, thus violating the rules of the state board of health.

Fred Brendecke, charged with keeping intoxicating liquors illegally, entered a plea of not guilty. On account of a clerical error in the indictment and a consequent confusion as to dates set forth, the indictment was quashed upon motion of the state. Godfried Carlson, charged with selling liquor to an Indian, pleaded not guilty, but the case was continued by consent owing to the fact that the Indian failed to appear. Axel Anderson and Joseph Trudeau, charged with running a gambling house, withdrew their plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty. No sentence has been imposed as yet. The case of Arthur Charbonneau, Edward Lane, Richard Bartlett and Victor Norquist, four youths charged with third degree burglary, was also continued, following a plea of not guilty. A. S. Sapero, principal witness, was absent.

The jurors were discharged on Tuesday.

Steam Pipes Burst.

The Knox school was closed today because of the freezing and bursting of steam pipes. It is expected that school will be continued tomorrow.

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Dependable Merchandise
for
Women, Misses and Children

FEBRUARY OPPORTUNITY SALE

Two Pages of Extraordinary Values---Many Not Advertised

Genuine "Jack Tar" Middies

All colors and all sizes. The best original $10.00 value, This sale only, each $5.95

Ladies' Sateen Bloomers, ankle length, all colors. Special here only, each $1.25

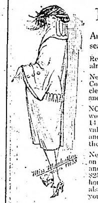

New Spring Coats

An opportunity Sale at the beginning of the season instead of at the end of the season.

Really, you never saw anything like it, and it's almost unbelievable.

New All Wool Tweed Coats, and all wool Polo Coats, sizes: 14, 16, 18, 36, 38, several very clever styles, in dark gray, light tan and blue. Choice, each **$9.95**

NOW LISTEN!—A beautiful range of new all wool Polo Coats, 15 styles, 10 shades, all sizes, 14 to 40, full silk lined. You never saw such values. We hope they'll arrive by Saturday, and when they do you'll see them go, each **$18.50**

Never on a buying trip did we get so lucky as on this one. Why, the wonderful new coats and wraps that we shall offer this season at $25.00 and $35.00 are marvelous. Such real honest-to-goodness values. Such rich materials, such styles, you'll wonder at it all when you see them.

Silk Georgette Waists in our Opportunity Sale. $5.95 values, now $2.95
(Sizes and Colors galore.)

This Sale choice of our [illegible] $7.50 waists.	choice of all our $8.50 fine waists.	your choice of any of our $15 and $12.50 waists.
$4.95	$5.00	$8.95

Last Call on Winter Coats

At Carry Away Prices

Choice of our entire stock of about 100 garments

All our $50.00 Coats, now your choice	$19.95
All our $65.00 Coats, now your choice	$25.00
All our $75.00 Coats, now your choice	$27.50
All our $85.00 Coats, now your choice	$29.95
All our $100.00 Coats, now your choice	$35.00
All our $125.00 Coats, now your choice	$45.00

Please read those prices over again and "Think" of the big Savings for you.

Why Not? Furs Almost Free!

Choice of our entire Stock this Sale only.

Fur Scarfs and Muffs, $18.50 values, now	$10.00
Fur Scarfs and Muffs, $25.00 values, now	$13.50
Fur Scarfs and Muffs, $35.00 values, now	$16.95
Fur Sets, $50.00 values, now at	$22.50
Fur Sets, $65.00 values, now at	$29.95
Fur Sets, $85.00 values, now at	$39.95
Fur Sets, $100.00 values, now at	$45.00

New Spring Suits

You'll be surprised at such clever styles. All wool materials and all silk lined, at prices you'd never dreamed possible.

Navy Blue, Men's-wear all wool Storm Serge, full silk lined suits, all sizes: 16, 18, 38, 40, 42, 44 two good styles to choose from, A wonder suit value at **$15.00**

Navy Blue Men's-wear all Wool Serge, full fancy silk lined, several styles, all sizes; suits that sold last year for $35 to $42.50. Now for this season, Choice, each **$18.50**

Ladies' Heavy all Wool Jersey Suits, the best of styles and the finest tailoring. Comes in blue, green, tan and heather mixture browns, all sizes, ten styles, Special, per suit **$18.50**

We will have 50 all wool Tricotine fancy silk lined Ladies' Suits (one of a style only). A wonderful selection of suits that sold last year at $65.00 to $75.00. Now your choice, at only **$35.00**

Miss Manhattan Creation 408 M

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Stockings

Infants' black cashmere 50c hose, small sizes, per pair	25c
Children's fine Ribbed Cotton Hose, all sizes, at, per pair	25c
Children's fleeced Hose, our 45c values, at per pair	35c
Ladies' fibre Silk Hose, a special value at, per pair	65c
Ladies' all pure Silk Hose, at per pair now	$1.25
Ladies' all wool Hose, entire stock now at	HALF PRICE

Save on Toilet Goods

An Opportunity to Lay in a Good Supply

Pepsodent Tooth Paste large tubes 50c size,	39c
Rice face powder, 65c size, per box,	48c
Ponds cold cream 75c size, Now,	55c
Ponds vanishing cream, 35c size,	19c
Mennen's Talcum powder, 25c size,	22c
Tooth paste and tooth brush, 50c value. The 2 for,	25c
Madam Isabell face powder, 60c size, box,	50c
Madam Isabell skin food, $1.25 jar, at,	95c
Cuticura Medicated soap, 25c bars, at,	22c
Prophelctic Tooth brushes, 50c values, now,	39c
Fine Cotton large and fluffy powder puffs, each,	15c
Mary Gardner 35 size Talcum,	27c
Colgate's Talcum powder, 25c size,	19c
Hind's Almond cream, 50c large bottles, at,	45c
Swiss Rose glycerine soap, special value, 3 bars for only,	25c
Shaving cream and a rubberset shaving brush, $1 value, now,	50c

Dry-Goods Dept. Opportunity Sale Offerings

36 in. Plaid and fancy Silks. A nice collection of $2.50 to $3.00 values. This Sale, only, yard **$1.25**

36 and 32 in. fancy Silk Shirtings. Special this Sale, only, yard **$1.65**

36 and 40 in. all Silk Foulards. Our last season's $3.50 to $5.00 values. Special for this Sale, yd. **$1.95**

Yard wide Quilting Challies, in all the newest patterns, at choice per yard **25c**

36 inch Changeable Taffeta, all shades. Special, yard **$1.50**

Striped Mohair Skirting. 36 inches wide, per yard **65c**

A big lot of Novelty Crepes, values to 65c and 75c include Serpentine Crepes. This Sale, choice, yd. **39c**

Dress Ginghams, a big new assortment of plaids and stripes. Last season's big 50c value. Now at, yd. **25c**

We have several new things due to arrive this week that will be a pleasant surprise to you when you see the quality, price, value and patterns. Just as soon as these reach us they will be immediately placed on Sale.

Community Silverware at Very Special Prices

This is the Par Plate Silverware—every housewife knows it. Carries a guarantee of ten years and can always be matched. The beautiful Primrose and Bridal Wreath pattern. Special for our Opportunity Sale.

A full chest containing 26 pieces special, chest $15.00

Berry spoons, each	$1.85
Butter knives, ea.	65c
6 tea spoons	$1.50
6 dessert spoons	$2.85
Gravy ladles, ea.	$1.25
Cold meat forks, ea.	95c
6 coffee spoons	$1.25
6 medium knives and 6 forks	$5.95
3 pc. child's set	$1.15
6 bouillon spoons	$2.95
6 individual salad forks	$2.50
6 orange spoons	$2.95
Sugar shells, ea.	65c
Six fruit knives	$2.95
Butter knife and sugar shell	$1.25

(Loken's Main Floor.)

Nemo Corsets, dropped numbers, $5 to $7.50 val., now $2.49

$2.00 value Fabric Gloves, now $1.29

Heavy Kid Gloves, $3.95 and $3.50 values, now $1.95

Another $10 Dress Sale

You sure remember last fall's Big Success—Loken's $10.00 Dress Sale. Saturday we start our Second Big Ten-Dollar Dress Sale with a big variety of all styles and several shades; mostly small sizes, 14, 16 and 18. Very special now, each $10.00

Underwear at Just Half Price

This includes our entire stock of Fall and Winter Ladies', Misses', and Children's underwear. To be sure the stock of sizes is broken, but never the less a great many wonderful bargains are to be found in just the wanted kinds and styles, and then you Save Half! This includes baby welfare vests, wool underwear, all separate garments and all union suits.

Think of it! This fine stock of highest grade of new underwear now at

HALF PRICE

All Sweaters and Hockey Caps Half Price

Curtain Goods and Drapery Department Specials

All now on Sale at greatly Reduced Prices.

All 50c Curtaining	35c
All 85c Curtaining	65c
All $1.00 Curtaining	65c
All $1.25 Curtaining	$1.00
All $2.00 Curtaining	$1.50
All 65c Draperies, yd.	50c
All 85c Draperies, yd.	65c
All $1.00 Draperies	85c
All $1.25 Draperies	$1.00
All $2.00 Draperies	$1.50

Big Lot of Stamped Goods to Close Out

Children's Dresses, Night Gowns, Camisoles, Teddy Bears, Combinations, Waists, Centers, Lunch Cloths, etc., etc.

Half Price

All Muslin Underwear Now at Half Price

Our Entire Stock of Skirts This Sale
Half Price

Extra Special
New
Cotton Crepe
Kimonas
all sizes, all colors
Each $2.95

Sale starts Saturday, Feb. 19th, continuing for just
ONE WEEK

Water Tumblers 2 for 19c
A clear glass tumbler. A special offer below market
Today

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BARGAIN BASEMENT STORE

19c Sale

Wonder Values

LAUNDRY SOAP
"Polar White" Soap seems to contain just the right chemical properties for dissolving the dirt, 4 bars for **19c**

ALUMINUM SAUCE PANS
Every housewife likes to add new pieces to her aluminum supply. These quart sauce pans of aluminum are notable values. Each **19c**

TIN PAILS
10 quart flaring pails, double seamed and well soldered. Convenient for carrying water up and down stairs on busy cleaning days. Each **19c**

DUST PANS
There's satisfaction in using a dust pan with straight, true edges. Japanned dust pans are special 19c values. Each **19c**

The whole story of our 19c Sale

Over 1,000 items that sell regularly for 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c and 50c grouped on 1 big Bargain Counter, choice of any article *19c*

BATH TOWELS
An opportunity to replenish towel supplies. Buy your towels at this price
19c

HOSE FOR BOYS and GIRLS
Mothers will not miss this good value. The Hose that stands the wear. Look at this bargain at
19c
per pair

LADIES' COTTON HOSE
The lowest price in years on this hose. You should see this big value. An opportunity for you. Sale price
19c

ENAMELED SAUCE PANS
3 and 6 qt. enameled Sauce Pans is an unusual value at this price. A limited quantity
19c

CUPS and SAUCERS
White China in two styles for everyday use; will not break easily. Special sale price
19c

NINE CUP MUFFIN PAN
for delicious breakfast Muffins. Each cup has firm double folded rim. 9-cup pan
19c

19c Sale

Wonder Values

FRY PANS of One Piece Steel
The polished inside surface of these steel fry pans is easy to clean, and the tin covered cool handle is convenient feature. Special Values **19c**

"MONARCH" TOILET SOAP
What a delight it is to use such soap as this—it imparts such a charming fragrance in addition to its thorough cleansing qualities. 5 bars for **19c**

RIBBONS, TOO, Are 19c SPECIALS
Every school girl will be interested in choosing new hair ribbons at this special selling. Here are silk taffeta ribbons in a choice of colors at **19c**

FAVORITE TALCUM POWDERS
Generous sized cans of imported talc soft and finely grained and delicately perfumed. A special value. 2 cans for **19c**

Bedding is Lower Than Ever

Heavy Cotton Comforters—a splendid grade, covered with silkoline. Nine inch border—also plain. Regularly $8—Sale price **$5**

Bed Sheets $1.39—an exceptional value. Good quality bed sheets, 81x90 inch size. Special for the Opportunity Sale, **$1.39**

Pillow Cases 29c—a splendid quality, 45x36 inch size. Special for our Opportunity Sale, each, **29c**

Genuine Feather Pillows—a real pillow for comfort, of the best material, **$4.95**

$12 Beacon Blankets, 8.75—you know what "Beacon" on a blanket means—you know what this trademark stands for. Pretty floral, conventional and plaid patterns in a good range of colors. Regularly $12—Sale price, **$8.35**

Cotton Blankets—12x72—a blanket worth much more. Offered now at, **$1.39**

Wool Nap Blankets—large size. A soft finish and all pretty patterns. Opportunity buy at, **$5.95**

Crib Blankets—a balnket for the baby, in all dainty colors, Now, **58c**

A good time to buy Wash Goods and Domestics

Extra Heavy Outing Flannel—27 inches wide. In dainty stripes and checks. Special, yard, **19c**

Heavy Outing Flannel, 15c—24 in. in pink, blue gray and white. A soft flannel, **15c**

Fleeced Quilting, 15c—27 in. wide. A flowered pattern and all the go for quilting, Special, **15c**

Table Padding, $2.00—54 in. wide. Ready for the table. You should have a mat for the table Yard, **$2.00**

Gingham, 19c—A splendid quality gingham in plain checks and plaid patterns. Very nice for house dresses. Special for this sale, Yard, **19c**

Percale, 18c—36 inches wide, in all shades and patterns, the standard grade. Special price, **18c**

Shirting, 25c—36 inches wide,—A strong material made to wear longer, **25c**

Percale, 15c—27 inches wide, in light and dark. Popular for spring sewing, Special, **15c**

Unbleached Muslin, 15c—a very good quality, 36 inches wide. Special, Yard, **15c**

Pillow Tubing, 40c—a very good quality, 42 inches wide. Special, Yard, **40c**

Bleached Muslin, 15c—a fast seller and priced so low, **15c**

Sheeting, 40c—9-4 bleached sheeting; now is the time to make your summer bedding at only, Yard, **40c**

Long Cloth—some very special numbers in long cloth, 36 inches wide. Very special, at, Yard, **20c**

Fancy Lining, 38c—36 inches wide. In many beautiful patterns. A big Special, yd. **38c**

Plaids For Skirts, 35c—36 in. wide. A big selection for your spring skirts, At this Sale, **35c**

Plaids, 25c—27 inches wide. A nice dress for the girls at such a reasonable price, only, yd. **25c**

Ready Made Children's Dresses and Aprons

MIDDY SUITS
Nice for school and out of doors—every girl will want one
$1.00—$1.75—$2.00

GINGHAM DRESSES
A serviceable dress for every day wear. A saving on the better dresses
$1.00 to $2.00

GIRLS' PERCALE APRONS
Something necessary for about the house. Price very low
69c to 89c

LADIES' PERCALE APRONS
A good strong made apron for the housewife. A special
99c to $1.39

HERE ARE SOME VERY ATTRACTIVE SHOE PRICES

And it will pay you *BIG* to take advantage and get what you need for both Spring and Summer. Come in and look them over and be convinced

65 Pair of Ladies' Shoes, consisting of black and brown kid and calf skins, military and Louis heel, 8½ and 9 inch tops. Former values up to $13.00. While they last, at **$6.85**

50 Pair Ladies' and Growing Girls' Shoes, consisting of black and gray, kid and brown calf, military and school heel. Former values up to $9.00. A snap at **$3.85**

48 Pair of Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, consisting of patent and kid leathers, in black and brown, mostly Louis heel. Former values up to $9.00. A real bargain, at **$3.45**

One Lot of First Step Shoes, in black and brown kid. A shoe that is well made and will satisfy. Size 2½ to 5, At only **$1.58**

One Lot of Children's Shoes, consisting of brown kid, black kid, vamp with white kid top and patent vamp with white canvass top. Sizes 5 to 8, at **$1.95**

Infants' Soft Sole Shoes, in all white, white and black, gray and white, pink and white, white, blue and white, and all black, at only .... **75c** and **90c**

One Lot of Children's Shoes, consisting of black kid, gun metal and patent leather, lace and button; size: 8½ to 11, A good shoe at **$2.78**

One Lot of Misses' Shoes, consisting of kid, gun metal, calf and patent leather, lace and button, Size: 11½ to 2, at only **$3.15**

One Lot of Buster Brown and Polly Anna Shoes, for boys and girls. Two of the best makes that money can buy. While this lot lasts they will go at **$3.85**

A Full Line of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Rubbers at Right Prices

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RECLAIMING AN EMPIRE.

The greatest drawback to the rapid development and settlement of the waste lands of northwestern Minnesota has been an inability to quickly get rid of the flood waters incident to the spring season as well as any surplus that might be precipitated during heavy rain storms. The trouble has not so much been an excess water as a failure to have it carried away before any damage resulted. With the signing of the bill creating the Red River Conservancy and Flood Control commission and giving that body jurisdiction over the carrying out of a plan that will remedy this one serious fault, the district will quickly become the most thickly settled in the entire North as well as the most fertile in the world.

The outcome is the termination of a long struggle. For a quarter of a century various plans for curing this defect have been tried, but with only partial success. Certain districts have been reclaimed and made reasonably safe from these periodical inundations, but very often this has been accomplished at the expense of others. Lack of funds on the part of counties, lack of ability on the part of the state and lack of interest on the part of national legislators have permitted this fruitful region to remain unproductive. Attempts to secure relife have only been indifferently successful.

The measure proposed by the conservancy commission will remedy all this. Drainage of the entire basin will be undertaken in the way it should first have been approached, and that is by providing an outlet of sufficient capacity toward which all surplus waters might be headed. This could only be accomplished through the application of a plan that would embrace the entire basin from the source of its rivers to their natural outlet in the Red lakes. That is exactly what the commission is now empowered to do.

Many men have worked on this plan and to them credit for its success belongs. Congressman Steenerson has labored indefatiguably in behalf of the measure itself as well as for drainage generally. Congressman Knutson is also entitled to a great deal of credit, although his term of service in congress has been much shorter. Supt. G. S. Selvig of Crookston, chairman of the conservancy board, has never permitted the matter to rest and has spent of his time, money and energy in attempts to impress upon congress the necessity for the improvement. The other members of the commission—good men all and thoroughly acquainted with the importance of the job they have been appointed to oversee—will come in for a large share of the credit. There has been co-operation all along the line and this is proven by the result.

There is no danger of the project being permitted to rest where it now stands. The people are too thoroughly awake to its importance to permit any unnecessary waste of time. They have fought and pleaded too long and earnestly to be satisfied with anything short of actual accomplishment. And it may be added that there seems to be no disposition on the part of anyone to do anything except speed the work along.

It is doubtful if our people as a whole realize the vastness of this undertaking. It will take years for even those who are most directly interested to comprehend fully its effect upon the development and prosperity of the region.

It has taken a long time and a hard fight to get this far. Now let all do our part in speeding things up. This can best be accomplished by heartily backing with every means at our command, the commission appointed to look after the carrying out of the actual work.

WANTS "LOOP" RAILROAD.

In another section of today's Times will be found a communication from Mr. W. A. Swanson of Rhoda, which at least has the merit of proposing something new. The idea is worthy of the most serious consideration on the part of every citizen of Thief River Falls as well at the rest of the county. The article will be found full of interesting facts and suggestions and is well worth perusing as the contributor has evidently given the subject long and careful study.

Accompanying the communication is a letter in which Mr. Swanson says: "Our first writeup on this subject appealed to people in the eastern part of the county in no uncertain way, hitting the mark to the dot. Yet at that time we made no attempt to unfold the proposition we had in mind, simply touching upon the subject in a brief way.

"The proposed addition to the electric line would give place to three new towns in the county, the first of these being Highlanding. The section tributary to this point includes some of the best land in the county. The next town of importance would be Rhoda, which would be the terminal point on the line going south. This station would also be set in a stretch of country of the choicest kind.

"Some place between Rhoda and Hazel there is room for another little town—preferably in the western part of Mayfield township. Here again the same advantages as noted in the case of the two above mentioned will be found. In short, if this proposed line were to be established it would tap the very heart of Pennington county."

There is nothing fanciful about this proposition so far as The Times can see. The financial returns from such an extension are not near as problematical at this time as was the case when the electric line was first built from Thief River Falls to Goodridge. Railroads are not extending now days as they were at that time, it is true, but on the other hand no such reward for extension was then apparent. The probabilities are that some such plan was in the minds of those who first saw the possibilties of a line eastward from Thief River Falls and that circumstances since have made it impossible to go any farther. However that may be, this is certainly a good time to bring the matter up for consideration. It is a subject of very decided interest to the people of a large section of the county and particularly to the business men of Thief River Falls.

NO ESCAPING THE COST.

School district number 18 of Pennington county has found it necessary *to borrow some $70,000 in order to* meet its current obligations. This puts Number 18 in the same class with about ninety per cent of the school districts of the country. Unless extraordinary foresight on the part of school boards was exercised at the time levies for the year were made, there has been no escape. Instances of such foresight have not yet come to light.

It is costing a lot of money to run our schools—not only "our" schools here in Thief River Falls, but all schools everywhere. In quite a number of quarters the expression is heard that something must be done to check the expense.

That's easy. Take any group of four or more men discussing the subject and you will find disclosed a number of very good ideas as to just what system should be followed in order to cut down costs.

Citizen No. 1 will say: "There is too much foolishness connected with our schools at the present time. Take these farming classes, for instance. There was nothing like that in my time and I fail to see any value in them."

"Is that so?" replies Citizen No. 2, with spirit. "You may feel that way about it because you live in the city, but we fellows who are farming in this neighborhood are entitled to some consideration. I agree that there is a lot of unnecessary stuff being taught, but agriculture is certainly not one of them. Take domestic science, now, that looks like a silly waste of money to me."

"You have another 'look' coming in that case," says Citizen No. 3. "I suppose us chaps who have no boys in school but who do happen to have two or three girls there are entitled to no consideration whatever. I would have you remember that we pay as much of the taxes as you do and that our girls are entitled to as good schooling as are your boys. This manual training, however, could be quite easily dropped without injuring anybody."

"That's the foolest remark I have heard in a long time," says Citizen No. 4. "I have two boys in that division at high school and, by gum, they are going to stay there. A little while ago there was a display of furniture and other articles made by the boys of the manual training department placed in a store window in this city and attracted more attention than a circus parade. It proved that when these boys are through high school they will actually know something about work and be prepared to go out and get a job. You fellows make me tired."

And so it goes on. Everybody is willing that something shall be cut out, providing it does not interfere with what his own children are being taught. Thinking it over for a short time, however, these men all agree that nothing can possibly be omitted while it is quite probable that new things will have to be added. The outcome is that they decide to pay the bill and curtail expenses in some other direction, bonds are authorized and better school service than ever demanded.

No community can progress and skimp its schools, and the people of Thief River Falls have repeatedly proven that they do not intend to have any attempt made in that direction. They may scowl a little at the price but they will never do anything to lower efficiency.

It will only be a short time until the boys and girls who are now costing so much will themselves be paying the bills. The better the education they have when that time comes the better they will be able to meet the demands made upon them. And we must remember that the demands will be made whether they are equipped to meet them or not. It is not likely that school costs in a rapidly growing community will decrease to any extent in the years to come. In fact, unless our system of education is of such progressive nature that our children's children will receive better schooling than it has been possible for us to give the former, the entire plan may as well be scrapped and a new one tried. A good education costs more than a poor education and the better it is made the more it will cost. We might as well look this fact in the face and make up our minds to have the best. We hail with enthusiasm every plan that promises to turn out of our schools more efficient young men and women and we will have to learn that these new plans cannot be employed without their costing money. Whether they cost more than they should depends entirely upon the quality of the finished product—today's students but tomorrow's taxpayers.

THE EXAMINER'S REPORT.

The business affairs of the city of Thief River Falls are being properly and economically conducted and the officials attending to their duties in a highly commendable manner, according to the report of the public examiner who went over the books about a week ago and whose report is now in the hands of the council. This is exactly what everybody expected would be the case—or nearly everybody.

Suggestions are made which will prove helpful to council, clerk and treasurer in the future, but these are not offered in a spirit of criticism of what has been done heretofore. It is doubtful if an examiner ever went over the books of a municipality without finding something to either correct or suggest. That's what examiners are for.

It is an easy matter for any citizen to stand on the sidelines and declare that things should be handled in such and such a manner, but they would find it a different problem were they to try their hand at running this city—or any other city for that matter. People are pretty much alike, no matter where found. Those in office are constantly trying to push their town ahead with as little expenditure as possible while those who elected these same men wonder how in thunder they manage to spend so much money and still have so little in the way of actual achievement to show for it. It is perhaps a good thing for a community to have both kinds.

At any rate, there is nothing wrong with the conduct of affairs in Thief River Falls. Many things could have been done differently, of course, but whether or not that different way would have proven any better is an open question which each of us will answer according to his own particular views.

THE LAST NUMBER.

But one number remains to be presented in the lyceum course arranged for by the Woman's club. It is said to be the best of the series and if advance notices go for anything those who make this claim will not have to make excuses.

Taken as a whole the series has admittedly been a success, at least as concerns quality. In point of attendance there is perhaps another view to take of the matter, but as this also has been much better than usual comment is here out of place.

The securing of these unexcelled entertainments for the people of Thief River Falls is due to the efforts of the Woman's club and their success is directly traceable to the efforts put forth by the members of that organization. No one else could have done it and it is not likely that any others would have tried. The lyceum course only adds another item to the long list of fine things our citizens owe to the club, and it is doubtful if any acknowledgment of the service is either expected or particularly desired.

Stricklan Gillilan, the funniest cuss in America, will be the attraction next Wednesday evening and his entertainment forms the closing number of the series. It should not be necessary to urge upon our citizens the wisdom of attending. In fact, in case there are any who are so constituted that laughter is not good for them, it might be better to advise them to stay away. But if you still find hearty laughter conducive to your health and happiness, do not make the mistake of staying away.

EFFERVESCENCE.

This column being very much in an embryonic stage as yet, it will be quite the thing to comment on the "Baby Carriages Retired" sign. Many a well-meaning couple has had the firmest of intentions in that respect, but the stork continued to call.

"Horse Kicks Man On Head; Breaks Leg." And the article under the headline goes on to state that "the leg was broken and had to be shot."

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Shooting, in these days of the convertible English language, is mostly done in the arm.

Oolai says the jury is a funny thing—it's out when in and in when out, and most people speak of it as being in when it's out and out when it's in.

A good many country editors possess all the knack that goes to make good paper-hangers.

The Ex-Crown Prince, unable to show profitable results from the breeding of war, would now turn to that of horses.

The war department in the near future will place on sale fifteen hundred airplane engines of a foreign make. Buy yours early and attach it to the sewing machine.

Chinese eggs are selling in Minneapolis for 52 cents per dozen. Is that just another plot to smuggle members of the race across the U. S. border?

A certain Minnesota editor, judging from claims made by him from time to time, must have been on intimate terms with most every politician of the state, having slept with each one at some time or other. Happily, however, he has not been active in newspaper work or politics since the passage of the suffrage amendment.

The case of the 8-year-old girl who talked for over eleven days straight is attracting great notice, it being so unusual—for one of her age.

The Australian natives of the interior wear practically no clothing, which is just another instance of the extremes to which slaves of fashion will go.

May Hold Installation in Elks' New Quarters

The regular meeting of the Thief River Falls Lodge of Elks to be held at the Masonic hall on Friday evening, will be the last occasion on which nominations for officers for the ensuing year will be received. The annual election of officers will take place on Friday, March 4, and the installation on Friday, March 18. It is hoped that the latter event will take place in the new lodge rooms in the Citizens State bank building.

Public Forum

Wants Loop Railroad.

To the Business of Thief River Falls and to Whom It May Concern:

About three weeks ago we suggested a plan for extending a branch of the Electric line from Goodridge to Highlanding. We are now going to suggest to you a better plan, a plan that will help make Thief River Falls a real business center for all of the Pennington county population, and more, and at the same time put the land owners of the county within a five or six mile distance of a railroad town.

Our present electric line train service can only serve but a part of the people residing within the county in a satisfactory way. There is no reason why it should continue indefinitely to do business on such a principle, when it can be made to serve the entire population of the county, and more, in a satisfactory way.

The Electric line, with a little additional construction work added to it, can be made into a real gold mine for Thief River Falls and it also can at the same time be made the means of making Pennington county one of the most preferable spots of Northern Minnesota to live in.

Up to the present time Pennington county has only reached the half-way stage of development. The dredging of the Red Lake river and a proper railroad system within the county will bring about a condition of things that will be the making of Thief River Falls and Pennington county.

In recent years Norway and Germany have adopted what is called a "Loop Railroad system," that being the latest and most approved plan of building up the principal towns and the surrounding country, and it is without doubt the right plan for any country to adopt in bringing about the desired result. We will therefore suggest that the Electric line be made into a "Loop Railroad" in order to rightfully serve the needs of Pennington county, and the city of Thief River Falls.

A loop system of service would give the entire country a two trains a day accommodation, and it would more than double the present freightage and passenger traffic to Thief River Falls right from the start, and what it would mean in the near future can scarcely be overestimated at this time. And all with the same equipment that now serves but a small portion of the country.

There is not a man in Thief River Falls but what will be benefitted directly or indirectly under such a plan, nor is there a farmer within the county or the territory embraced but what will largely share in the benefits thereof.

Our plan is this: We propose the Electric line be extended from Goodridge by going due south on the first quarter line east of town; thence on past Highlanding to Rhoda; then turn and go due west on quarter line through sections 17 and 18 of Deer Park, sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 of Mayfield, and sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and to a point in section 18 of Wyandotte township, where connections must be made onto the main line about two miles south of Hazel. By doing so we can have the "Loop system of railroad service" in Pennington county in a modern way.

The farmers of eastern Pennington county do not demand that you citizens and businessmen of Thief River Falls shall build this line for themselves. Indeed not. They simply ask you to consider the proposition from a business standpoint. The farmers themselves are liberally going to support the plan and if possible, grant a free right-of-way. All they ask of you is your co-operation and a reasonable support to help put Pennington county and Thief River Falls "over the top."

Yours respectfully,
W. A. SWANSON.

Newspapers First.

George A. Mendes, New York, food broker, handling Karo Corn Syrup, Mazalo, Ralston's Products, Golden Age Macaroni, A. I. Root Honey, Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, and many other big lines, says:

"One of my manufacturers asked me recently what I consider the best mediums for food advertising in New York city. I replied something like this: 'The New York distributors are agreed upon this point; that magazine advertising does not help much in New York territory. All other forms, signs, billboards, street cars and newspapers, should be employed if appropriations will permit. Of these the newspaper is most effective. If only one medium can be used it should be the newspaper. For introductory work in particular it has no real competitor.'"

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City News

Mrs. E. Aspelund spent the first of the week visiting with relatives at Newfolden.

Miss Louise Wilson of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Tuesday between trains.

Theo. Tandberg reurned to Goodridge on Monday after a two-days' visit with his folks.

Alfred Skarstad returned to Argyle Monday morning after visiting since Saturday with local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Vinji returned to this city on Saturday from Fox, where they had visited with relatives for a few days.

Miss Cleo Morrissey, who is employed here, left yesterday for her home at Gatzke to visit her parents for an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swanson left Tuesday evening for the twin cities, where they will spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Winnie Booren, who had been a guest at the home of her brother, G. W. Booren, returned to her home at Stillwater the first of the week.

New Lamp Burns 94 per cent Air

Beats Electric or Gas

A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 35 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up, is simple, clean, safe. Burns 94% air and 6% common kerosene (coal-oil).

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Will be at the Hotel Evelyn on Monday, Feb. 21. Return visits every sixty days. Consult him, if you have defective eyes, headaches, nervous trouble or need glasses. He guarantees you Glasses that will fit. Complicated cases and all who failed to get suitable glasses elsewhere are especially invited to see him. Home address: Warroad, Minn.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse are the parents of a son born to them Feb. 13th.

Miss Lottie Austin is spending the week visiting at Fosston with her mother.

H. L. Sande of Steiner visited his wife and daughter in this city over Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Johnson of Grand Forks was the guest of friends in this city over Sunday.

Carl Wilson of St. Hilaire, was a guest of friends between trains here on Thursday.

Misses Ruth Roy and Ella Halstrom, of St. Hilaire, shopped in this city on Saturday.

Carl Sundahl returned Tuesday morning from Chicago, where he had spent a week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Peterson of Grygla were guests of friends in this city Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sande of Steiner are the happy parents of a daughter, born to them on Monday, Feb. 7.

Caroline Strombo arrived here on Thursday evening from her home at Clearbrook to receive medical treatment.

Miss Lyda Anderson returned Monday evening from Newfolden, where she had spent some time visiting her brother.

Mrs. H. Aga, who spent a week visiting with her parents at St. Hilaire, returned to this city Thursday morning.

Mrs. O. Lawson left Saturday afternoon for Grove City, where she will visit at the home of her parents for a short time.

L. L. Cohn, proprietor of the Palace Clothing company, made a business trip to the twin cities the latter part of last week.

Mrs. J. J. Unger, residing on a farm near this city, left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to attend to business matters.

Morlan Bishop returned yesterday morning from Minneapolis, where he had been to attend a meeting of the American Legion.

Mrs. M. Goodman of St. Paul arrived here Thursday morning to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Bertha Giller, for a week.

J. J. McCann, county agent, returned Saturday morning from Crookston where he had been in attendance at the Winter shows.

Miss Dorothy Martz, who had spent a day on a shopping expedition in this city returned to her home at St. Hilaire Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. H. R. Allen of St. Hilaire arrived here Saturday morning to attend to shopping. She returned to her home in the afternoon.

Mrs. O. W. Brink, Miss Emma Brink and Victor Brink, all of St. Hilaire, were guests at the M. W. Brink home in this city on Thursday.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and children returned Saturday morning from Fisher, where they had spent a week visiting at the home of her parents.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will serve a Washington birthday supper in the church basement Feb. 22. Supper will be served from 5 to 6:30. Everybody welcome. F17

H. Z. Mitchell, editor of the Bemidji Sentinel, was the guest of local friends Tuesday evening. He left on the flier for the twin cities to attend to matters of business.

G. Peterson, who had been confined at the local hospital following an operation for appendicitis, returned to his home at St. Hilaire the latter part of last week.

Miss Florence Aalberg returned to Erskine Sunday evening to resume her duties in the high school after an over Sunday visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Trine Aalberg.

Miss Ruth Kiland, who has completed a course at the Minneapolis business college, returned Thursday morning to her home in this city, where she will remain for a while.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left this morning for Warren, where she will speak before an assemblage of the League of Women Voters, which is holding a school of instruction there today and tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lusian, formerly of this city but now residing at Duluth, are the parents of a boy born on Sunday, Feb. 13, at Mavie, where Mrs. Lusian was staying at the home of her parents.

Dr. J. H. Drake of Baudette, who was in the city last week attending the Elks' initiation, spent a short time visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Shanahan. Dr. Drake and Mr. Shanahan were former fellow-townsmen in Montana.

Miss Alice Hall, who spent a day visiting relatives here, accompanied by A. Skarstad of Argyle, who was the guest of friends over the week-end left Saturday morning for the former's home at Middle River where Mr. Skarstad visited friends between trains.

Miss Gadelyne Cadieux and George Puschinsky, winners in the declamatory contest here on Friday evening accompanied by Jeanette Zaizer, Vernon Puschinsky, Marion Lesher, Myrtle Dennison and Max Perris, all of Red Lake Falls, returned to their homes on Saturday afternoon.

T. Olson came down from Goodridge Friday to transact business.

Art LaBudde of Gonvick was the guest of friends here over the week-end.

Axel Bloom of Rosewood was in the city on Sunday visiting with his friends.

School of Dressmaking, by Mrs. A. Hovland. Girls wanted. Call 312. —F 17-tf

S. C. Coumbe is spending the week attending to business matters in the twin cities.

Frank Hanson of Viking arrived here Saturday evening and spent Sunday with friends.

Sam Ness returned to Malcolm on Saturday after passing a few days here on business.

J. M. Schei of Mavie was a business visitor in this city the latter part of last week.

J. V. Quinlan of Minneapolis was a business visitor in this city the latter part of last week.

Mrs. C. Larson arrived Thursday afternoon from Pitt to visit for a few days with friends.

R. V. Anderson arrived Thursday evening from Argyle to attend to matters of business.

Carl T. Olson of Randeen spent a few days the latter part of last week in the city on business.

Miss A. Kuehn of Wylie is in the city taking a course in dressmaking from Mrs. A. Hoveland.

G. A. Sandberg of Grygla visited with relatives and friends in this city the latter part of last week.

W. C. Peterson left Tuesday for Minneapolis, where he will spend a couple of days on business.

Mrs. I. Ingebretson and three children left Thursday morning for a brief visit with relatives at Holt.

Richard Lund, residing on a farm near Goodridge, was a visitor in this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Nellie Folstad returned to her home at St. Hilaire Monday after having received dental treatment.

Chas. Habedank came down from his home at Hazel Saturday evening to visit over Sunday with friends.

Mrs. J. C. Muldoo of St. Paul is spending the week as the guest of her friend, Mrs. G. Howard Smith.

Miss Amanda Hanson left Friday afternoon for Crookston to attend the alumni banquet of the Crookston Agricultural school.

Mrs. J. Sherwold of Roosevelt arrived here Tuesday afternoon to remain for a couple of days as the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Norby of Strathcona returned to their home yesterday morning after a brief visit with friends here.

Mrs. J. H. Hardesty and Mrs. Geo. Biddick returned Friday morning from Crookston where they attended the Winter shows.

J. M. Swah returned to his home at Holt Monday morning after spending a couple of days here attending to business matters.

Miss Helen Baine, who is taking a course in dressmaking in this city, spent the week-end visiting her parents at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Fred Johnson returned to her home at St. Hilaire Saturday afternoon having spent the time between trains attending to shopping.

Miss Edna Anderson, who attends the local high school, will leave tomorrow afternoon for her home near Wylie to spend Sunday with her folks.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit friends and also attend the midwinter meeting of the Federated clubs.

Alfred Skarstad arrived here Friday evening from Argyle where he is employed in a bank, and visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Granum.

Miss Agnes Skomedahl, who had been making her home in this city for some time past, left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks to remain in the future.

The local orcestra left Friday morning for Warroad where they played for the Elks' dance given that evening. They returned to this city Saturday afternoon.

Frances Hincik of the Mavie school, who won second prize at the Pennington county spelling contest, spent last Thursday and Friday attending the Farm Crops show at Crookston.

Miss Edith Skogland, stenographer at the office of C. Gustafson and Son, spent the week-end as the guest of her parents at Roseau. She returned to this city on Monday afternoon.

Manley L. Fosseen of Minneapolis who attended to business matters at Greenbush the latter part of last week was a guest at the J. M. Bishop home Friday evening enroute to his home.

Miss Harriet Wedmer returned to her home at Benwood last Monday morning after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bakken for a few days. Miss Wedmer is a niece of Mrs. Bakken.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Larson left Monday evening for Camp Douglas, Wis., where they will make their future home. Mr. Larson was employed by the Kleinall company until his departure from this city.

Mrs. Lena Osness, accompanied by her daugher, Miss Ferdu, arrived on Tuesday from Viking and visited at the home of Mrs. M. Brude until the following day, when she went to Warroad to visit other friends.

Einar Loven returned to his home at Gatzke Friday morning after an over night visit with friends. He came here the night previous from Warren where he competed in a spelling contest held in that city Thursday evening.

One of the most interested visitors at the Mid-Winter show at Crookston last week was G. M. Wilson, who this spring will begin the farming of a large tract near Goodridge. He was particularly interested in the showing of cattle, this being the branch of farming to which he will pay particular attention.

R. H. Ross left the first of the week for Minneapolis on business.

Miss Mathilda Liden of Steiner was in the city the first of the week visiting with relatives.

G. Groven returned to his home at [illegible] a couple of days attending the matters of business here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken returned Monday morning from a three weeks' buying trip in the East.

Miss Alice Sandberg arrived Tuesday afternoon from Holt and spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson left Monday afternoon for Fargo where they will be the guests of friends for a few days.

Mrs. O. W. Hauglid, left Monday afternoon for Crookston to spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Misses Dagna Berg and Cecelia Brown left this city on Monday afternoon for Fargo where they will be employed.

Miss Helga Quindlog, who is engaged in teaching school near Viking, passed the week-end in this city with her parents.

Melvin Rude returned to his home at Mavie Tuesday morning after attending to business matters here for a few days.

Miss Anna Aspelund returned last Thursday afternoon from Warroad where she spent a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Zalma Peterson was a guest of friends in the city Monday. Miss Peterson is public health nurse of Kittson county.

Mrs. F. Ferring of Alvarado returned to her home Tuesday morning after a brief visit at the home of Mrs. John Orris here.

David Gustafson returned Thursday morning from Crookston where he had spent a couple of days attending the Winter shows.

Miss Elizabeth Hanson, public health nurse of Marshall county, left this city Monday morning for Holt on professional business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn returned to their home in this city Sunday morning after spending a week visiting with friends in the twin cities.

Miss Mamie Sorenson returned to her home at Grand Forks Monday after an over Sunday visit with her sister, Miss Austhea Sorenson, in this city.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, state chairman of thrift, will speak tomorrow evening at the Midwinter Meeting of Federated clubs to be held in Minneapolis.

Miss Clara Brink, who has been employed in this city, returned to her home at Viking the latter part of last week to remain for an indefinite period.

Mrs. M. W. Brink and little daughter, Marie Suzanne, will leave tomorrow for St. Hilaire to spend a week visiting at the home of Mr. Brink's parents.

Mrs. Hilma Johnson arrived here Saturday evening from Alvarado, where she visited friends, and left on Monday morning for her home at Roseau, after an over Sunday visit with Mrs. John Orris.

Miss Ida Hagen left Monday evening for International Falls, where she will spend an indefinite time as a guest at the home of her sister Mrs. O. Lappegaard.

Supt. David Johnson of Warren was in the city Monday visiting friends enroute to Rollis and adjacent territory, where he will make his annual visit to rural schools.

John Ward, representing the National Biscuit company, returned last Monday morning from Minneapolis where he attended a meeting of the salesmen from this district. While there he also attended the auto show.

Mrs. T. H. Clausen of Spokane, Wash., is the guest of relatives and friends in this community. She left Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire accompanied by her sister, Mrs. D. Dau of Germantown, to be guests of the Kruse and Bothman families.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, delegates to the midwinter meeting of the Federated clubs, left last evening for Minneapolis. Mrs. Mogensen was accompanied by her daughter, Jeanette, and they will remain in the twin cities for a couple of weeks as the guests of relatives and friends.

School Board to Enforce Curfew Ordinance Strictly

As the result of a prolonged discussion at the regular meeting of Monday evening, the board of education will make an effort to have city officials take the necessary steps to rigidly enforce the curfew ordinance. It has been found that much inefficiency among school children is resulting from the keeping of late hours and that many of those of school age are to be found at all hours of the evening congregated at regular "hang outs." The ordinance calls for the sounding of the curfew at 8 p. m. during the winter months and at 9 p. m. during the summer months.

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Rail Notes

Must Hold Hearing Before Railroad Wages Can be Cut

Right of railroads arbitrarily to reduce wages of employes was denied by the federal railroad labor board in a decision at Chicago on Monday. The board's ruling was contained in a ruling on the petition of employes of the Erie road to prevent the management from putting into effect drastic salary reductions and changes in hours of work.

No change shall be made in the existing scale and working conditions before the board has an opportunity to hear the case. The hearing was set for Feb. 23.

The employes charged that the road attempted to put into effect a reduction in wages of track laborers to 20 cents an hour; ordered train dispatchers to work seven days a week without relief, and ordered the deductions of the earnings of telegraphers for Jan. 31, whether they worked or not on that day.

Further conference between the employes and the road was suggested by the board.

Further Reduction in Forces.

Five coach cleaners of the car department at Thief River Falls—Paul Nybakken, C. M. Ryan, Geo. Kassa, Amos Peterson and Andrew Hogen—have been relieved from further duty owing to a reduction in forces. Edward Hance and Jens Olauson have been transferred from positions as coach steam heat men to the rip track, and Carmen Ralph Longair, Emil Rausch, Jacob Hermanson and Peter Olson from night duty in the train yards to day duty on the rip track, by way of further securing greater efficiency from those employed in consistence with the general falling off of business. The car department has given its employes steadier employment than other departments, few hands having been released from duty, owing to the fact that a five-day week was recently placed in effect as an alternative.

John Kassa, employed at the division car shops, returned to duty on Monday after an absence of two weeks on account of sickness.

Olaf Hall, carman apprentice, who has been absent from duty for the past two weeks on account of the mumps, returned to work on Tuesday.

Thief River Falls travelers over the division during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gillespie to Warren; Milton Lund to Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Elofson to Minneapolis and Grove City; Geo. Erickson to Glenwood; John Eliason to Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Erickson to Orleans; Orval Herron to Viking; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Swanson to Minneapolis.

George E. White, formerly employed by the Soo line here, left for St. Paul on Saturday enroute for his home at Chicago.

Mrs. W. H. Funnell returned from Glenwood on Tuesday.

B. C. Watt, towerman at Detroit, was called to Minneapolis over Sunday, Monday and Tuesday by the illness of his mother. He was relieved by Henry C. Holzgrove, who was later put on as regular towerman, second shift, relieving Herbert Foss, resigned.

F. C. Paine, agent at Erskine, resumed work on Feb. 10, relieving A. E. Swan, transferred to Devils Lake as regular agent, where he relieved H. Carlson, granted a leave of absence on account of sickness.

W. F. Hanson has been appointed caretaker at Karlstad, vice Mrs. C. T. Franson, resigned.

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Society and Club

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. H. W. Miller informally entertained a few of her friends at her home Saturday evening. Cards and dancing were enjoyed.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson entertained a few of their friends on Sunday evening, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mr. Erickson.

Surprise Party.

Twelve girls surprised Miss Margaret Roark at her home on Saturday evening. Music and parlor games made up the entertainment. Delicious refreshments were served before the guests departed.

Entertains Bridge Club.

The bridge club was entertained by Mrs. Nels Christianson at her home on Monday evening. Mrs. F. J. Stebbins will entertain the club next Monday evening.

Entertains For Miss Booren.

Honoring Miss Winnie Booren of Stillwater, who is a guest at the G. W. Booren home, Mrs. G. W. Connell entertained informally at her home Friday afternoon.

Social Welfare.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club will meet at the home of Mrs. P. W. Mabey on Monday afternoon, Feb. 21, and will be entertained by Mrs. Mabey, assisted by Mrs. LaBree.

For Miss Booren.

In compliment to Miss Winnie Booren of Stillwater, who is a guest at the home of her brother, Dr. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Booren informally entertained a number of friends at her home Saturday afternoon.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Nicholson on Friday afternoon, Feb. 25, and will be entertained by Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. Sterns. Lunch will be served promptly at four o'clock.

Mrs. M. W. Brink Hostess.

The musical section of the Woman's club met at the residence of Rev. R. L. Barackman on Tuesday evening, with an attendance of about fifteen members. Mrs. M. W. Brink was hostess and was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Barackman, in the serving of a light lunch.

Entertained.

On Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. A. Wasgren, 524 LaBree avenue north, Miss Lavina Adams entertained a number of her friends. The guests were Misses Gerda Mortenson, Amelia Hoorn, Alice Benson, Effie Hamry, Carrie Trogan, Viola Nepper and Esther Gjertson.

Miliander-Pederson.

Miss Agnes Miliander and Anton M. Pederson were quietly united in marriage at Winnipeg on Wednesday, Feb. 2. Miss Miliander was a nurse in this city for a number of years and will be remembered by many of our people. Mr. and Mrs. Pederson will reside at Hazel Dell, Sask., Can.

Lodges to Have Party.

The members of the Eastern Star and Masonic lodges and their friends will enjoy a social time at the Masonic hall Monday evening, Feb. 21, in honor of Washington's birthday. All decorations and appointments will be patriotic. Cards, dancing and refreshments is the program for the evening.

Surprise Party.

The Young Peoples society of the Zion Lutheran church perpetrated a complete surprise for Mr. and Mrs. T. Rierson on Monday evening in the basement of the church. The evening was devoted to conversation and music. The honored pair were presented with a lovely bowl and a handsome library lamp as a remembrance of the occasion.

St. Valentine Party.

Among the enjoyable affairs held in observance of St. Valentine's day was the party given on Monday evening by Mrs. L. H. Larsen at her home in commemoration of the 11th birthday anniversary of her daughter, Lucille. A color combination of red and white featured all the decorations. Music and games were enjoyed until the lunch hour, after which tobogganing was indulged in.

The guests were Clara Klungness, Dorothy Shirley, Ansof Dahlen, Lucy Nason, Sannia Erickson, Lucille Hermansen, Katherine Bakke, Kathryn Mellby, Harriet and Theresa Fuller. Miss Beatrice Erickson assisted the hostess in the serving of refreshments.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 22 by Mrs. C. G. Hillard and Mrs. C. Storholm at the home of the former.

Bridge Party.

Mrs. Nels Christianson and Mrs. J. O. Yotter shared honors in a bridge party at the home of Mrs. Yotter on Thursday afternoon. Five tables were in play. High honors were awarded to Mrs. Victoria McKinney and Mrs. W. H. Frederick held the low score. A delicious lunch concluded the afternoon.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. A. Bottelson delightfully entertained a number of her friends at a 6:30 dinner at her home on Saturday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClelland, and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms, with a fairly large attendance. The study lesson was led by Mrs. P. W. Mabey, assisted by several women in the club. A business meeting preceded the lesson. Several of the members of the club agreed to attend the school of instruction held at Warren this week.

Mrs. Froehlich to Speak.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich of Thief Thief River Falls, state chairman of thrift, is to appear on Friday's program at the mid-winter meeting of Federated clubs to be held at Minneapolis this week. Among the women from this city who will be in attendance are Mrs. Daniel Shaw, president of the local club; Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, secretary, and Mrs. Froehlich. Mrs. Shaw left on Wednesday evening while the two latter will leave this evening.

Entertains.

Mrs. R. H. Ross entertained eight girls at her home on LaBree avenue Friday evening in compliment to Miss Johanna Wedul, who is making her home there while attending school in this city. Valentine decorations and favors were used. Parlor games, music and cards made up the entertainment. The guests present were, Misses Frances Wengler, Helen, Grace and Olive Skramstad, Clara Ostby and Julia Langaas. At 11 o'clock a delicious lunch was served.

School of Instruction.

A two-day school of instruction for the League of Women Voters is being held at Warren over yesterday and today. Miss E. Knuebuhl, active in work connected with the education of women along political lines, will conduct the meeting. Many interesting facts regarding political phases of particular interest to women and the purpose of the league will be explained. Several members of the organization in this city are in attendance. Among the speakers on today's program is Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city.

McCrum-Bragg.

Miss Frances Lucia McCrum, formerly of this city, was married at Washington, D. C., on February 5 to Harry J. Bragg. Miss McCrum is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McCrum, residing in Smiley township, and is a highly esteemed young lady who grew to womanhood here and received her education in the city schools. After her graduation from the local high school she engaged in teaching for a number of years. During the war she took an active part in governmental service, four of her brothers and one sister serving at the same time. Mr. Bragg is a young Southerner who fought with the A. E. F. in France. It is an interesting fact to know that he is a cousin of General Bragg of Civil war fame. The Times joins with the many friends of the bride in extending best wishes.

Auxiliary Holds First Reception.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Thief River Falls Legion entertained for ex-service men and women and their families at the Commercial club rooms on Wednesday evening. Games, music and dancing were the chief forms of entertainment. At mess call a chow line formed in a hurry and the mess sergeants of the auxiliary doled out sandwiches, doughnuts and hot coffee in generous quantities. Unlike the regulation sergeant, the hostesses insisted upon everyone having "seconds."

The attendance at this first reception given by the auxiliary was beyond expectations and the evening proved an enjoyable one. The organization plans to hold two meetings each month, one of them the regular business meeting and the other an "open house" to former service men much along the lines of last evening's social time.

Community Club Anniversary.

Plans are under way for unique entertainment in the form of an indoor carnival to be given at the next meeting of the Girls' Community club on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. This will be the club's second birthday and all members are especially invited to attend this meeting. In the past two years the club has been recognized as one of the foremost social organizations in the city. Great credit for the success of the past year's activities is to be given to Miss Marie Nelson, president, who has been unceasing in her efforts to promote interest in the organization. Not only has it been a success socially but many acts of charity can be accredited the club. It is the president's wish that members be on time at this meeting so that no feature of the splendid enertainment in store will be missed.

American Legion Corner

A bulletin issued by the state department of the American Legion Auxiliary states that many men who were gassed or in the incipient stages of tuberculosis and who were discharged without being marked disabled, are now requiring hospitalization, and that recent reports show that cases of disability are appearing among the ex-service men at the rate of 15,000 monthly.

Legionnaires Face Unknown.

Morlan H. Bishop was among those from this district who attended the state-wide initiation ceremony at the K. C. hall, St. Paul, on Lincoln's birthday, when some 400 Minnesota Legionnaires were introduced into the mysteries of the "Forty Hommes et Eight Chexeaux" society. State Commander Vernon and Adjutant O'Toole were among those initiated. It is planned to make the organization state-wide but at the present time it was possible to initiate only 15 service men from each judicial district.

Since the Minnesota Legion auxiliary held its state convention in November and took over the work of state organization, previously carried on from Legion State headquarters, the number of Minnesota Auxiliary units has rapidly increased. Among those recently organized are: Thief River Falls, Welcome, Benson, Royalton, Ashby, Faribault, Villard, Clements, Luverne, Eveleth, Plainview, Mora, Waterville, Canby, Hanley Falls, Norcross, Ely, Le Sueur, Fergus Falls, Ogilvie, Jasper, Edgerton, Hanska and Minneapolis Naval Post. Dr. Helen Hughes Hielscher is the state president and Mrs. A. V. Denman is the state secretary. Auxiliary state headquarters are at Mankato.

Obituary

Mrs. Lars Furan.

Mrs. Lars Furan died at her home at Rosewood on Sunday morning at the age of 38 years, the cause of death being given as the "sleeping" flu. Funeral services were held at Rosewood yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Furan was a sister of Mrs. S. Benson of this city and the family resided here for several years before removing to Rosewood.

Mrs. C. J. Kunz.

Mrs. C. J. Kunz of Dickenson, N. D., died at her home on Tuesday, Feb. 8, following a two weeks illness. A surgical shock following an operation on the gall bladder was given as the cause of her death. She will be remembered by residents of this community as Dorothy Gobler, sister of Fred Gobler, assistant postmaster, with whom she formerly made her home here. Mr. Gobler was in Dickenson for the funeral on Thursday, returning to Thief River Falls on Saturday.

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State Milk Record Broken By Red River Valley Cow

The Minnesota state record for milk production during the seven day period was broken last week by Neelpje Mercedes De Kol Homeland, the seven year old Holstein cow on the P. Frost Spaulding farm near Warren. The cow gave 845.5 pounds of milk in seven days, her highest production for a single day being 129.7. The former record was 795.1 pounds. A state inspector is at the farm and will remain until the completion of a thirty day test.

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One-Third Off!

HAVING leased the building now occupied by the Christofferson grocery store, and as we are going to move next month, we are offering to the public of Thief River Fall and surrounding territory our high-class stock of Suits, Shoes, Underwear and Men's Furnishings at one-third off today's prices, not what they were a few months ago, as the less stock we move the better we will like it.

We have not changed a price on any of our merchandise for this sale; neither are we going to string up a lot of goods as bait or take out the merchandise from boxes and set them on tables, as we have no goods bought for sale purposes.

Come in and ask for what you want to see, as everything in our store is marked in plain figures, and you then deduct one-third of that. You will be surprised how cheap this good merchandise will be on a real bona-fide sale of this kind, as our reputation you know.

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Editorial.

ne of the greatest causes of the sent unsettled conditions is a lack confidence. Here, also, we may e an example from Lincoln. While was president he went through eater trials than any we have to- y, but he continued his course un- veringly, confident that he was in right, and that right would win. had confidence in his fellowmen, d never gave up what he considered righteous cause, even though the tlook was often dark. Though peo- were often mistrustful of each ner, they could not mistrust their esident, whose sincerity and com- ete honesty left no room for doubt to his aims and intentions.

Lincoln's Birthday was observed at ne Lincoln High on Friday the 11th by the singing of several national songs, and a talk on the life of Lincoln by Supt. Ziegler.

In these times of haste, clamor and indecision it behooves us more, perhaps, than at any other time to visualize the life of that greatest of all Americans, the one great man of whom criticism is regarded as almost sacrilege, Abraham Lincoln. Lincoln never was in a hurry. His were always calm, deliberate decisions, made only after the most thorough and unprejudiced consideration. Lincoln never said, "This is my opinion. This is what I think ought to be done." He reasoned a thing out until he came to a firm conclusion, and then he said, "This is what conditions make it necessary to do."

Class Games.

Interclass Schedule.

Much interest has been taken in the class games played this last week. As yet only one half of the schedule has been played. The events are as follows: Monday, Feb. 7, Seniors 13; Freshmen, 7; Juniors, 7; Sophomores, 4.

Tuesday, Feb. 8: Seniors, 13; Juniors, 23; Sophomores, 6; Freshmen, 18.

Thursday, Feb. 10: Seniors, 7; Juniors, 5; Sophomores, 14; Freshmen, 7.

The teams will not meet until Thursday of this week when only two games will be played. The others will be postponed for a few days. At Present the Seniors are holding first place, with the Juniors coming second. The games will be continued within a short time with keener competition by all the classes.

Wins Easy Victory.

On last Thursday evening the high school quint took the Argyle quint into camp for a trimming.

The game was not all that was anticipated. It opened with slow playing on the part of Thief River and with poor team work on the part of Argyle. The first field basket was scored by Thief River and was shot by Ralston, and from then on the scores began to pile up, for Thief River but not as fast as they should have.

By the end of the first quarter the score was 4 to 2 in favor of Thief River Falls. The second quarter was played at the same lagging speed but the boys were more successful in finding the basket and ended the half by a score of 18 to 3. The third quarter was the fastest of the whole game and ended by a score of 22 to 3. The last quarter was not as exciting as it might have been, although they managed to cage a few more baskets and ended the game by a score of 32 to

The lineup was as follows:

R. F.		Argyle
arson	F	Aftefield
alston	F	Swanson
aBree	C	Nelson
erron	G	Pefferson
Sorenson	G	Ribard

Field goals: Ralston 7, Larson 3, LaBree 1, Herron 4, Sorenson 1, Afterfield 1, Nelson 1.

Free throws: Ralston 0 out of 3; Afterfield 2 out of 6.

Chapel Friday Morning.

After having heard the stirring speech by Mr. Ziegler on Friday morning and after having sung some patriotic songs, I'm sure there wasn't a single student that left the assembly without a better feeling in their heart. They naturally couldn't help it after Mr. Ziegler had told of the big heart of our past president, and greatest of great statesmen, Abraham Lincoln. He laid stress on Lincoln's love for his boy Tad, and the relation that existed between these two. He also emphasized Lincoln's failure to ever punish an innocent wrong, which he illustrated with a few incidents concerning Tad.

There is practically no school within our country that doesn't celebrate in some way the birthday of Abraham Lincoln.

T. R. F. Wins Contest.

Last Friday evening Lincoln high school entered the race for state championship in oratory. In the declamation and oratorical contest which was held here Thief River Falls made first place in oratory and came in second in declamation. Red Lake Falls won first place in declamation and came in second in oratory, placing Thief River Falls and Red Lake Falls on about the same level.

Five towns were represented in this contest: Roseau, Red Lake Falls, Mahnomen and Thief River Falls.

The program was opened with a piano solo entitled: "Drifting," by Pearl Weeks. The solo was rendered in a talented manner and was enjoyed by all the listeners.

The contestants in declamation and oratory spoke in the following order:

Declamation.

1. "A Child's Dream of a Star," by Alleyne Froggat, Roseau, Minn.
2. "Trial of Ben Thomas," by Violet Finstad, Erskine, Minn.
3. "A Man Without a Country," by Myrtle Krohn, Thief River Falls.
4. "Lion and the Mouse," by Durah Lilly, Mahnoman.
5. "A Man Without a Country," by Godelyn Cadeaux, Red Lake Falls.

Oratory.

1. "A Plea For Cuba," by Vernon Caine, Roseau.
2. "A Plea For Cuba," by Palmer Budahl, Erskine.
3. "Tousaint L Ouverture," by George Pushinski, Red Lake Falls.
4. "President Wilson's Message to Congress," by Sterling McGrath, Mahnoman.
5. Patrick Henry's speech: "Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death," by Edward Fitterman, Thief River Falls.

F. P. Wirth and F. L. Edson, both of Bemidji State Normal school and R. O. Bagley, Supt. of Bemidji public schools, acted as judges.

Lincoln high school is proud of having a representative to the next oratorial contest and we hope that we may also be represented in the final state contest as Edward Fitterman is not the kind to be beaten. We think this an easy possibility.

Rumors.

It has been rumored that the high school faculty members are planning on presenting a "comedy" in the near future. We know they are a capable body and are looking forward to see them pull some "A plus" stuff along that line. But listen, don't tell anyone because the faculty wants to keep it a secret.

The Girls' basket ball game which was to have been played here with Climax Friday, was called off but indications are that Climax will appear here at a later date.

Miss Swift in Sten II: "Adolph, what does respiration mean?"

Adolph: "To Sweat."

Orcestra Organized.

A high school orcestra has been formed with Mr. Snyder of Snyder's orcestra, this city, as director. This organization has not as yet been fully organized but it will be an important factor in the school life. The last high school orcestra was organized by Grant Wells, a high school instructor, three years ago, and was a complete success. There is no reason why this new orcestra under Mr. Snyder's direction should not attain as complete a success as this former organization, and the students of the high school will give their wholehearted support. There is not a large attendance as yet in this organization. All people who have any musical ability along this line are urged to join.

Sun as Energy Source.

The following paper was written by a general science student:

The sun is the central heating plant of the universe, which makes life, both animal and vegetable, possible. Energy cannot be created or destroyed, but this would not be available for our use if light and heat had not been applied to vegetation on the earth's surface. The sun made the earth warm and the conditions desirable for a very luxuriant growth of plant life. As this died it was imbedded in the soil and rotted. Being protected from the action of the air it slowly hardened into the familiar form we see today—coal, or the decomposing material may have been of such a nature as to give off a substance called petroleum which has become very necessary to human beings, and from this lighter oils are refined. Thus we find that although the sun is not at present used directly as a source of energy, it really is the primary source of all of our power.

Honor Roll.

The following are the monthly and the semester honor rolls of the high school. The monthly requires that the student must have ten points counting all the grades received during the month; the semester honor roll requires all the grades of every month in the semester.

The following are those who attend the monthly honorary standard for December: Dreng Bjornaraa, Evelyn Saugen, Adolph Sundrud, Harold Smithers, Besty Ness and Mary Vance. Juniors: Ingeborg Barstad. Sophomores: Lucille Curtis, Ole Helle, Nella Knutson and Lorrayne Crandall, and Freshmen: Esther Lundsetter, Gladys Russue, Margaret Melgaard and Albert Stengelsen.

Those of the semester honor roll are: Seniors, Dreng Bjornaraa, Lois Struble, Ida Shields, Amy Sorlom, Bennie Lind, Annie Hincik, Olga Svensgaard, Evelyn Saugen, Hugh McDaniel, Valerrie Parenteau, Adolph Sundrud, Marguerite DeCremer, Harold Smithers, Henry Olson, Edward Fiterman, Myrtle Krohn, Esther Sourds, Anna Leimers, Vernon Copp, Eileen Herron, Mildred Hauglid, Ruth Hadrath, Chester Dols, Mary Vance, Lillian Eide, Clarence Knudsen. Juniors: Gregory Werstlein, Augusta Beiswenger, Gladys Maland, Helen Lingseth, Julia Langaas, Bessie Elofson, Grace Craik, Sabina Parenteau, Paul Halseth, Myrtle Myrin Ingeborg Barstad, Bertha Husfad, Leslie Bigelow and Boletta Sanden. Sophomores: Ole Helle, Clarence Smith, Lydia Dahlen, Lucille Curtis, Lorrayne Crandall, Elsie Buringrud, Caroline Aspelin, Viola Buringrud, Josie Lindeboja, Nomie Pederson, Borghild Wollen and Pearl Weeks. Freshmen: Esther Lundsetter, Eleanor Werstlein, Lillie Stenseth, Elsie Blair, Ethel Erickson, Lillie Johnson, Albert Stenglesen, Margaret Melgaard and Johanna Wedul.

Journalistic Convention.

The State High School Press Association held its first meeting at Carleton college, Northfield, Jan. 15 and 16. It was the first convention of its kind held in Minnesota. According to comments appearing in various school publications, the convention was highly successful and will prove a great aid in the development of high school journalism. It was instituted and held under the auspices of Carleton college, invitations having been sent to all the high schools of the state to send delegates. Lincoln high however, was unable to be represented. Delegates from all sections of the state were present, to discuss the many difficulties and problems confronting the modern journalist, whether in school or in the professional newspaper game.

It may be of interest to know that the State High School Press Association was established for the purpose of making it possible to hold a convention every year for discussing problems relative to the production of a school newspaper.

In looking over the comments, we find various interesting "high spots" of the convention, put forth by the "Star of the North," Virginia. Prof. Barlow of the University of Minnesota delivered an address on "The Challenge of Journalism to Young People Today," in which he described the adversities met by the followers of journalism from early times until the present day, and the gradual growth and development of the newspaper. A personality to make friends, training in a great variety of knowledge, tact of expression, patience and determination, are all essentials of a successful journalist in the modern field. He also emphasized that journalism is a man-sized job and lying down on the job can not be tolerated.

At a general conference many ideas and problems pertaining to the publishing of a school paper were considered and discussed. Foremost among these was the policy of the paper which was described as a means for advancement and improvement of the school and to promote good sportsmanship, in more than athletic lines, among the schools of the state. Articles which would arouse strong feeling between schools, and personal "slams" should not be published, as this is regarded as a poor policy for a high school publication. It does not however, necessitate the cotton dry method of writing up news, but gives the writer sufficient liberty to make the article "peppy," and still be within the above restrictions.

The selection and organizing of the newspaper staff was shown to be most efficient as affiliated with the English department of the school, because through his English work, a student's literary inclinations can best be judged.

Central High School, Minneapolis, received the recognition of having the best school newspaper and Central High School of St. Paul, the best magazine in the state.

Another convention will be held next year, and it is hoped that our high school may be represented, and that it may prove an aid to a bigger and better "High School Progress."

Project Work.

The various projects carried on by the students taking the Smith-Hughes course, prove to be very successful and serve as a simple check-up for the student on the work he is doing.

The Smith-Hughes course requires that the student work on at least one agricultural project during the year and that the student must do in actual practice the things which he learned during the school term. This method is void that the student may enlarge his knowledge of the subject and that he may see whether the work carried on proves a paying proposition or not and if it is advisable to conduct a business managed in the same manner as the project.

In one particular project on poultry raising which had been carried on from May until the latter part of October, proved to be a very successful one. In this project 84 chicks were hatched out of 130 eggs and only four of those hatched died, the cause being that they had been drowned during a heavy rain. Perhaps the most remarkable feature being that no chicks were lost due to disease. All the chicks were hatched and brooded with hens. The total number of hours spent on the project during the six months were but 57 hours and the cost of feed being $18.16.

The feeds used were wheat screenings, cracked corn, ground oats and barley and bran. The feed ration fed to two weeks old chicks was a mixture of two parts bran, two parts oats and one part barley and gave very god results as was shown by the rapid progress made while fed this ration.

At the close of the project, Oct. 31, the fowls were inventoried at a total value of $142.80. During the six months their expense, including feed, labor and the eggs set, amounted to $57.21, this leaving a net profit on the project of $85.59. The same student who conducted this project earned $75 at other work during the six months which gave him a total income of $160.59 for the months from May to Oct. 31. The most important factors learned by the student from this project were the value of a dry mash feed to growing chicks, and the importance of sanitary feeding and clean water for the progress of the chicks and its great help in the prevention of disease.

Why Some Students Flunk.

Why do little students flunk?
Why are students marks so punk?
Once a little student said,
"Come, let's not go to bed.
We will go to see the show,
There's where people always go."
There they stayed so very late,
They not worried at any rate,
But when the morning came,
They stayed at home because of pain.
Therefore little students flunk,
Therefore students marks are punk.

Latin Grammar.

The Latin Grammar students are making practical application of their knowledge outside of the class room. One student had an "honest-to-goodness argument" with a "grown up man" about the pronunciation of "ae" and "ei" and the satisfactory part of it was that she was right. Another brought to class the interesting fact that he had seen a can of "Opimus Tomatoes" on a shelf in a grocery store. The Latin students are unanimous in declaring that they "never understood English grammar until they took Latin." The various constructions in Latin give them a clearer and more detailed knowledge of active and passive and transitive and intransitive verbs in English. Also the direct and indirect objects are more easily recognized. One girl made the assertion that if she wants to know anything about English grammar she goes to her Latin book for the desired information.

It is found that such phrases as "antebellum" "e pluribus unum" "Alma Mater," "aqua vitae," "Deus vobiscum," "in Memoriam," "pax vobisum," "post mortem," "submarine," "September," "October," "November," and many other words which are heard not only on week-days but also on Sunday, can either be directly translated or they have their origins in Latin words.

The majority of the Latin pupils declare that although it is hard work, it is still similar to playing an interesting game and they would not give up the small amount that they already have for "any money."

Mechanics Course.

The Mechanic department now has an enrollment of twenty boys. Seven of them are farmer boys who are taking a short course of six months.

The nine-months class takes up the work in the shop and the study of trade science, trade mathematics and English; shop work and study of English is also done by the six-months class and in addition to that they have manual training and agriculture.

Four different makes of cars, a Ford, Chevrolet, Maxwell and a Buick Six are kept in the shop for the boys to work on and become thoroughly acquainted with. Three of the cars have already been turned out and when they are through with the one now in the shop, they will procure a Buick Four and a Saxon.

This department is making rapid progress and taking its place as an essential part of our high school.

Knox School Notes.

All the pupils of the Knox school are looking forward to Valentine day. Each room has a valentine box, and many beautiful valentines are on display that the pupils have made. All the pupils are busy sending their valentines to their friends.

Miss Lofgren's first grade received the marching banner for this week.

The pupils of the Knox school gave Mrs. A. E. Smith a beautiful floral offering, Doris Smith, her daughter, being in the fourth grade.

Personals.

Lucille Blaska spent the week-end visiting her parents near St. Hilaire.

Ellen Nelson left for her home near St. Hilaire last Friday on account of her mother's illness.

Stella: "Of what value is the dictionary in the home?"

Marry: "If you have any arguments in the home go to the dictionary and the argument will be settled."

On Thursday forenoon part of the history class was spent in giving Abraham Lincoln selections. Gettysburg address was given and parts of incidents in his life were acted out.

The following is a composition suited the intermediate grades for the purpose of getting pupils interested in everyday problms:

The White Silk Dress and Calico Apron.

A white silk dress and a calico apron were hanging side by side in Annie's room.

"I wouldn't be an old blue calico apron," said the white silk dress.

"Look at me, Apron. How much prettier I look than you. My dress is trimmed with laces and suffles. Little Annie wears me to all her parties and everyone likes me. You look so ugly that no one likes you."

"I suppose I'm ugly but I can not help it, anyway I am useful," said she in a shameful voice.

"Useful" sniffed the white dress. "I'd rather be pretty. I am glad I am admired by people and everyone likes me."

Annie came in and pulled the apron from its hook. "My! I'm glad I have this apron to wear. Otherwise I could not go outside and play in the snow. But she says that it will keep my dress from getting soiled. Besides, the blue apron is much more fun to wear, because I don't always have to be afraid of getting it dirty and torn. I'm uncomfortable whenever I wear the silk one because it soils so easily." "Yes, it is nice to have an apron like that," said her friend. I wish I had one, too. It won't be any fun for me to play, because I'll have to be so careful of my new dress."

Last Thursday after school Mr. Tripp, agricultural instructor showed his stock judging team slides which emphasized the various kinds of animals to show the different characteristics of each breed.

The Live Stock Judging contest was to be held at Crookston Feb. 7th, but there were not the required number of teams to attend so the contest was postponed to a later date. The boys of the judging team are taking a great deal of interest in this work and we hope when the contest does come off that we will rank first and win the silver cup.

A few high school boys attended Dr. Krebs' lecture on "Psychology in Business" at the commercial club rooms last Thursday afternoon.

Last Monday the series of inter-class games opened with a clash between the seniors and freshmen, and the juniors and sophomores. A great deal of interest is being taken in these inter-class tournaments and the respective teams have gone through much diligent practice.

A large number of the high school students attended the lecture given by Dr. Krebs last Thursday evening.

Howard Doland: "That must be some job. What system do they use?"

Rusty: "Oh, they use the open shop system."

Grace Bakke (while giving a speech in public seaking): "And they feeded the vines to the cattle."

Herbert Klein (physiography): "If gravitation were transmitted, human beings would be attracted by the elephant."

Bob McGinn, (physiography): "If it is full moon the same evening that the man is shot to the moon in a racket it would only be half moon when he'd get there and he'd miss it. Oh, boy!"

Howard Doland (in physiography): "How do they cool of the axis by air or water?"

Burty Anderson: "Oh, they cool it by greasing it."

Whisperings of Humorous Nuts

"A little nonsense now and then, is relished by the best of men."

Senior: "Have you heard the story about the girl who poured water in the Prof's. hat?"

Freshman: "No."

Senior: "Neither have I. It hasn't leaked out yet."

Breathe lightly and step softly on entering the assembly. Disturb not the dreams of our slumbering Lynn, whose sleep is the sleep of peace, justice and good will towards men, (and——?)

For your approval, Limerick No. 3:

Ole has wisdom galore to expound.
His philosophy is deep, though sometimes unsound.
But his keen editorials
Will serve as memorials,
In themselves they show thought most profound.

Clarence K.: "Will we have a choice of questions in this test?"

(Doc.): "No."

Clarence K.: "Oh well, that's alright then, then it will be easier to know which ones to answer."

Melvin E. to Miss Svedal who is humming: "Please, Miss Svedal, stop singing while I'm studying."

Miss Svedal: "Thank you. You're the first one that ever called it singing."

To prove that a girl loves you: To every action there is an equal and opposite reaction.

Probably the mild winter, the ~~hurried snowfall, the dense atmosphere,~~ and the bright moonlight, which Oolai wants to know about, is the result of the contrariness of everything in general and the weather predictors in particular.

Question for debate: "Resolved that the shorter our stay, the greater the appreciation."

If you don't get all our humorosities read between the lines, which can be done just as easily as operating an invisible typewriter, or writing blank verse with a dry pen.

Further Warblings.

On a midnight, dark and dreary,
As I pondered, weak and weary,
O'er many a volume of forgotten lore

As I nodded, nearly napping,
Suddenly I heard a gasping,
As of someone dying just outside my door.

My knees went weak with fright,
And I knew the grewsome sight
Would be waiting for me out there on the floor.

Though as brave as common men,
My hair stook up on end
And a nameless horror filled me to the core.

I seemed to hear it rising,
And I could but wait, surmising
In a moment I'd be lost forever more.

My hair turned gray that night,
And I prayed with all my night
And I learned my faults that night as ne'er before.

But the terror soon abating,
Left me calm and quiet elating,
For I recognized, with deep relief,
Bill's SNORE!

Rival Movie Actors.

Lloyd Alnes—Larry Semon.
"Fat" Evenson—"Fatty" Arbuckle.
Ernest Zeh—Wallace Reid.
Bernard Bischoff—Charlie Chaplin.
Paul Halseth—Wm. S. Hart.
Hugh McDaniel—Eugene O'Brien.
Vernon Copp—Charles Ray.
Harold Smithers—Douglas Fairbanks.
Lynn Halvorson—Lionel Barrymore (Master mind.)

Why? Wherefore?

The "Nuts" were amazed
At the trail they had blazed,
But the road was not long nor straight.

Their spirits were soaring
The readers were roaring,
With laughter which did not abate.

But there soon came a test
'Twould have tried e'en the best,
And we lost our desire to create.

So this sudden demise,
Is the saddest surprise,
That has fallen on us to this date.
—The Triumvirate.

"STUDY IN SPRING" SAYS EDUCATOR

"Usually we have more calls for help in Winter than we have graduates to fill the places," says F. L. Watkins, Pres., Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. He observes that pupils who enroll in Spring have the best chances to step from school into well-paid jobs. D. E. Gustafson was recently sent to the First State Bank, Monticello, as asst. cashier. Miss L. E. Potter took a responsible position with Hirschy & Co., wholesalers of Duluth, Minn.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for terms, etc.

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Thief River Music Company

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

MRS. L. L. FURAN, PIONEER SETTLER, DIES SUNDAY

The entire community was thrown into gloom Sunday morning when the sad news was received that Mrs. L. L. Furan had quietly passed away at 5 a. m., a victim of the sleeping flue. Death came calmly and peacefully scarcely noticeable to the onlookers.

Mrs. Furan, whose maiden name was Christine Sagmoen, was born on Oct. 25, 1881 at Tryssel, Osterdalen, Norway. When but ten months old she emigrated to America with her parents and was for a short time located at Douglas county from where they moved to their homestead about five miles north of here some thirty years ago. At this place Christine's youth and girlhood was passed up to March 9, 1908, when she was united in marriage to L. L. Furan, and with him she passed the first year on a claim near Goodridge and in the fall of the same year removed to Thief River Falls where Mr. Furan became engaged in the barber trade. At that place they resided until in the fall of 1919, when they moved to this place which has since been their home.

She is survived by her husband, three children, Willard aged 12, Berton, 10 and Violet 8; nine brothers and sisters, John, Chas. Rudolph and Isabelle Sagmoen of this place; Mrs. Severt Benson of Thief River Falls; Henry Sagmoen of Minneapolis; Peder Sagmoen of Garven; Mrs. M. L. Furan of Slayton, and Mrs. John Erickson of Sanborn, N. D. Her mother and father also reside here.

Mrs. Furan was a true and loving wife, a noble sacrificing mother and a kind and sympathetic neighbor.

Farmers Club Meeting.

A Farmers club meeting was held at Rosebank Friday evening attended by about thirty persons. There was no program and the debate was postponed owing to sickness at the home of one of the committee. A few songs were sung and a sandwich luncheon served. The next meeting will be held at the same place on Friday evening, March 4, when the same program committee will have charge and Thomas Thoreson and Julmer Rafteseth will arrange with the serving of lunch.

Wolf Hunters Shoot Two.

Hunters Welsh and Rasmusson arrived from Thief River Falls Wednesday with two trailer dogs and two greyhounds and will spend the remainder of the week here hunting wolves in company with local sportsmen. They were successful today in killing a wolf about three miles north of town. Adolph Haugen also shot a wolf last Sunday.

Mrs. Abe Stroble returned to her home near Angus this morning after an over Sunday visit with her father, P. Sorenson. Accompanying her was her sister, Miss Synneva Sorenson, who will visit with relatives at Angus and Warren during the week.

A. B. Remmem arrived Tuesday from Thief River Falls and will spend several days with his wife's folks, G. J. and Olof Nordhagen.

Miss Stella Nelson, a nurse from Thief River Falls was in attendance at the bedside of Mrs. L. L. Furan during her illness.

Miss Nina Westby left for Thief River Falls Tuesday evening where she will shop and visit until Thursday.

John Bloom left Tuesday for Thief River Falls where he will be a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Crown and family.

Miss Viola Axelson was called home on Tuesday from the Thief River Falls hospital where she is employed, by the illness of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Axelson left on Wednesday morning for Warren where Mr. Axelson will undergo surgical aid for an intestinal disease. Mrs. Axelson returned home in the evening while Mr. Axelson will remain and may be operated on the latter part of the week.

Miss Guretta Dahl arrived Wednesday evening from Warren and will be employed at the Geo. Snyder farm together with John Krogstad during the absence of the Snyders in the southern part of the state.

Miss Dagna Metvedt arrived Wednesday evening from Argyle where she has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. T. McFarlan, and will visit with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Silverness here.

G. J. Nordhagen left Wednesday evening for Kelliher where he will spend some time as the guest of his sister, Mrs. T. Eggen.

Mesdames Ingrid Nordhagen and Anton Gullseth left Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls where they will spend Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. B. Remmem and attend the Ladies' Aid of the Zion church.

Miss Linda Anderson, formerly of this place and now of Thief River Falls, arrived Wednesday morning and will visit indefinitely with friends and former neighbors north of town.

M. T. McFarland, another Thief River Falls sportsman arrived Thursday to try his luck at wolf hunting in this vicinity.

Mrs. N. O'Hare, accompanied by a young daughter, spent Thursday at Warren.

Geo. Snyder left Thursday for Albert Lea to meet and escort home his wife, who has spent a week at Gordonsville during the illness and death of her mother.

The Snyder-Hall case which was to have been tried before the District court at Thief River Falls last Thursday has been postponed owing to Mr. Snyder's trip to the south.

Mrs. Ted Jensen and Miss Irene Thompson left on Thursday for Medicine Lake, Mont., following the receipt of a telegram stating that a sister had died at that place.

The following brothers and sisters to Mrs. L. L. Furan arrived on Friday: Mrs. John Erickson from Sanborn, N. D., Mrs. M. L. Furan from Slayton, Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson from Thief River Falls, Henry Sagmoen from Minneapolis and Peder Sagmoen from Garven, Minn.

Ole Olson, a relative of the Axelsons, arrived on Friday from Wannaska and will spend some time visiting with the latter's family.

Mrs. A. S. Holm returned Friday evening from Viking where she has been teaching school this week, taking the place of Mrs. Geo. Snyder.

Emil Blomberg returned Friday morning from Thief River Falls where he has been to receive further treatment for his arm which was broken in an engine accident last fall. While his arm has been healing nicely it was now ascertained that the broken bone had not been properly set and that each part had commenced to heal separately, and it will now be necessary to have another operation and reset and rewind the bone before it can heal.

Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie, arrived Saturday morning from Thief River Falls to help Miss Gladys Sagmoen celebrate her eleventh birthday.

A. V. Smith, a Standard Oil man from Thief River Falls was in town Saturday on business with the local garage men.

Herbert Carlson and Jim Thompson left on Saturday for a week-end stay with friends and relatives at Thief River Falls.

Emil Blomberg and Selmer Haugen left Saturday for Minneapolis, where the former will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. Enoch Nelson returned on Saturday from Viking, where she spent several days visiting with her sister, Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard.

Axel Bloom went to Thief River Falls Saturday evening to visit with his sister, Mrs. Lloyd Crown and other friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen drove down from Anita Saturday evening to see Mrs. L. L. Furan and to shop in town.

The Ted Thompson family were Sunday guests at the Chas. Schnabel home in the town of Norden.

Mrs. F. G. Dols is reported ill this week.

Steiner Johnson left Monday for Devils Lake, N. D., where he will visit with relatives.

School at Rosebank is suspended this week owing to the chicken pox epidemic.

Dagna Metvedt left Monday morning for Warren, where she will visit a cousin who is receiving medical treatment there.

Mrs. Chas. Halgrim returned on Monday from Thief River Falls, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Mesdames John Erickson, M. L. Furan and S. Benson left Monday evening for a brief visit at the Benson home at Thief River Falls.

GOODRIDGE

Annual Community Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Community club will be held on Feb. 25 at 8 o'clock, in the school house. A good program is being arranged. The ladies will serve lunch and a good social time is assured. Everyone is invited to attend whether a member of the club or not.

Goodridge School Notes.

Mr. Nystul told us the other morning our room is a funny Ford. The crank is usually in the front, but has changed his desk to the back of the room.

Edith Schie was in Thief River Falls having her glasses fitted last week.

"Rev." Olson gave a long sermon in English III Tuesday morning. It is nothing unusual, though.

Prof. Norby is an expert at telling fortunes. Just ask him to tell yours.

How did all those strange looking animals get into Vaughan's house Friday evening.

The sun was shining in Joe's eyes this morning. It made him quite angry, so he said, "Pull down that sun, somebody."

The valentine boxes were opened and all the valentines distributed on Monday afternoon. One little girl received fifty.

The party given for the high school pupils Friday evening by Agnes Vaughan was a great success.

Pupils who receive an average of 90 per cent or more each month will be placed on the honor roll. The following were honored last month: Kathleen Lang, 96; Hazel Hakes, 94; Grace Day, 94; Christine Bundhund, 92; Roy Olson, 92; Donald Stein, 92; Edith Schie, 90; Maynard Halverson, 90.

Farmers Short Course.

The farmers short course will be held March 7 to 11 and will be of great interest to all the farmers as well as many others. There will be speaking by prominent men each day and they will have something to say that will be of benefit to everyone.

George Johnson and James Wilson of Grygla were in town Wednesday enroute home from the live stock show at Crookston.

Ben Erickson of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday.

Dr. Mugg, the eye specialist, left Wednesday for Grygla.

Chas. Knutson of Grygla returned from Thief River Falls Wednesday morning and left for home.

A. K. Sundahl of Thief River Falls returned home Wednesday morning. While here he looked after the storage batteries at the light plant.

M. G. Thoreson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Friday, returning in the evening.

Mrs. Morgan Vaughan spent Friday at Thief River Falls.

Miss Dorothy Blockstad was in Thief River Falls Friday. She consulted a doctor in regard to her arm, into which she had accidentally run a pen point.

Carl Christianson was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Thursday.

P. P. Palmer of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday calling on friends.

Mrs. Wm. Korstad and two children returned from Thief River Falls on Monday after visiting friends and relatives for several days.

E. L. Kately was in Thief River Falls Thursday repairing the telephone line.

Karl Korstad of Highlanding left Wednesday for Hibbing.

H. N. Dahl left Wednesday evening for the twin cities to attend to business affairs and visit friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Peterson of Grygla were in town Saturday enroute home after a short honeymoon trip.

Miss Krebachek left Wednesday for Thief River Falls.

Miss Sarah Vaugh returned Saturday from Thief River Falls. Peggy Sha waccompanied her for an over Sunday visit at the Morgan Vaughan home.

Oliver Reson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Miss Louise Besancon returned to Thief River Falls Monday after visiting over the week-end at home. She is a student at the Lincoln high.

Miss Lena Christianson returned Monday morning from St. Paul, after undergoing medical treatment.

Wm. Korstad went to Thief River Falls Monday to attend to business matters.

Anton Olson went to Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnson of Grand Forks were visitors in town Monday.

Ted Tandberg went to Thief River Falls Friday evening for the week-end

The banks were closed Saturday, it being Lincoln's birthday.

Miss Katherine Lang left Friday evening for Thief River Falls, where she entered the Physicians hospital and was operated upon Saturday for chronic appendicitis. Reports are that she is doing nicely.

Henry Peterson of Grygla was in town Friday enroute to Thief River Falls on business.

Raymond Jensen went to Thief River Falls Saturday and visited over Sunday with friends.

Mrs. George Johnson returned Friday from Holt, where she had visited relatives for a week.

John Nystul, high school teacher in the local school, transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Stuart McLeod returned home Saturday from Crookston, where he attended the stock show and exhibited three Guernseys, on which he received the following prizes: 1st prize for his sire, King, and 2nd and 3rd prizes for the two heifer calves. The prizes amounted to $45 in all.

Don't forget the date of the fourth lyceum number, March 5, when Wm. Battis, an impersonator of Charles Dickens, appears here.

Farm Bureau work in Pennington county will be resumed this week. There will be four workers. Prof. Norby will finish up this end of the county, while Stuart McLeod will work west from here and two others south and southwest. The campaign will be finished in about two weeks.

R. H. McDonald was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

The Red Lake Farmers Telephone company held its annual meeting on Monday, when the following officers and directors were elected: Otto Parno, director; A. Hammerstein, director; H. Peterson, director; E. R. Kately, director; P. C. Wold, treasurer; H. B. Rockne, secretary; Chris Odegaard, manager.

Martin Johnson returned Tuesday morning from Cass Lake, where he has been employed.

Miss Ruby Jensen returned home from Thief River Falls Monday. Miss Violet Krehn accompanied her and was a guest at the J. P. Jensen home until Tuesday morning.

Miss Peggy Shaw returned to her home Tuesday morning after spending the week-end at the home of her uncle, Morgan Vaughan.

Oscar Tharaldson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to attend to business matters.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Soren Bergland of Thief River Falls visited with relatives in this locality over Sunday.

O. N. Skomedal of Oklee was a visitor at the G. J. and John Skomedal homes a few days last week.

Martin Johnson and Frank Hoffman were busy last week hauling hay from Mud lake.

Carl Guttrue thinks he can furnish wood for all comers. He has cut about 50 cords.

H. Halvorson called on John Dahl last Sunday.

Miss Louise Shefeland visited over the week-end at the John Swanson home.

The fishing party in the Steiner school house last Saturday evening was well attended. Besides having a good time those in attendance also caught a lot of fish.

G. Griebrok, John Dahl and Gunsten Skomedal spent Tuesday evening at the Ivend and Lars Ose home.

Theo. and Alma Jopprue called at the John Skomedal's home Sunday.

J. A. Russell was a caller at the August Koglin home Saturday afternoon.

H. Halvorson and J. A. Russell attended to business matters at Warren Thursday of last week.

The "Siver Creek" young peoples' society will hold their annual meeting at the Silas Torgerson home Sunday, Feb. 27.

Miss Rebecca Halvorsen represented Excel in the spelling contest at Warren last Saturday.

ERIE

Tharald Tharaldson was a business caller in Goodridge on Saturday.

Theodore Komplien of the southern part of the state is a visitor with relatives here.

Melvin Svare and Oscar Bye are back from the lumber camps.

Mrs. Ole Lien called on Mrs. Hovet last Friday.

Barbara Folkedahl has been on the sick list for the last week.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Ramsey on Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Rockne spent the week end with her family in Goodridge.

Miss Anna Froiland is back as teacher in district number 56, after an absence of a month due to illness.

Oliver Tommerdahl and Otto Parnow attended the telephone meeting in Goodridge on Monday.

Olof Loyland is home for an indefinite stay. Smallpox broke out at the Crookston A. C., where he is a student and some of the students were advised to go home until the epidemic passed.

A number of neighbors pleasantly surprised Mr. and Mrs. Roysland on Sunday. The afternoon was spent in general conversation, after which a lunch was served.

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Churches

S. D. A. Mission—Feb. 19: Sabbath school at 2 p. m.; Bible classes in both the Scandinavian and English languages. Preaching service at 3 o'clock. Sunday evening, Feb. 20: Service at 7:30, subject, "The 2300 days of Dan 8:14 and its meaning to the present generation." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, Feb. 23. A cordial invitation is extended to the reader.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m.—Services 7:45 p. m., at which Rev. Ranum of Holt will speak. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained on Thursday, the 24th, by Mrs. Ostmo and Mrs. Pederson. Zion Young Peoples meeting the 24th, entertained by Messrs. Haugen, Snustad and Sortland.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. English Passion services 7:30 p. m. The Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. The members will join in serving lunch. Bible class Thursday at 8 p. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Londell, Pastor—Sunday, Feb. 20: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at Black River 11 a. m. St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. Young Peoples meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Sunday services: In Swedish at 10:30 a. m. In American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school 11:45 a. m. Luther League will be entertained in the church basement Friday evening, Feb. 18, by the Longren family. Program at 8 o'clock. The Red River District of the Red River Valley Conference will hold its annual convention here Feb. 21 and 22. The convention opens in the evening of the 21st with Divine services. Rev. Mattson of Alvarado and Rev. Swenson of Warren will preach. Wednesday morning and afternoon sessions will be devoted to the business of the district. These sessions only the delegates are requested to attend. In the afternoon of Feb. 22 the Women's missionary society will serve refreshments in the church basement. To this service delegates, church members and friends are most cordially invited. The proceeds of the lunch will be donated to the cause of missions. In the evening of the 22nd like the evening of the 21st, the session will be open to all. The nature of the program is missionary. Rev. L. P. Lundgren of Hallock, Rev. P. G. Carlstedt of Strandquist and Rev. S. W. Swenson will speak. Vocal solos by Dr. J. N. Nesse and Miss Amelia Hoorn. Songs by the junior singers of the church.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Feb. 20: Sunday school 10 a. m. A special line of study for adults. Classes open for newcomers. The cross and crown system used. 11 a. m. morning worship. Subject, "The Insidious Questions." 8 p. m., evening worship, "Twenty Minutes With Two Great Americans." The Junior choir will furnish special music in the evening. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m., "New Work Our Committees May Do." Rev. 3:7-18. The missionary society will meet at 518 Main Ave. N. on Friday, Feb. 18. This is the annual meeting. Reports are presented and officers elected.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swegger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, Feb. 17, entertained by Mrs. Wm. H. Sponheim, Mrs. Falk, Mrs. J. Olauson and Mrs. Bernhard Knudsen. Young Peoples Society is to be entertained this evening by George, Amos and Eben Mostue. Judge Grindeland is to give an address at this meeting. Confirmation class meets at the parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. English Divine service 11 a. m. Sunday. Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening, Feb. 23, at the home of Salve Lura on East Bridge street. Choir practice Thursday evening at Larson furniture store at 7:30 p. m.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m., subject: "Mind." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening services at 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to these meetings. Reading room at the same place open from 3 to 5 on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons.

Card of Thanks.

We herewith wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the sympathy they extended during the sad bereavement of our oldest son and brother, Irvine, and especially the young people and those friends and relatives who gave us their personal service.—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kilen and Children.

MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stennes and daughter, Viola, called at the Wedel home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson and family spent Sunday afternoon at the Cooper home.

Roy and William Kiel spent Sunday afternoon at the Stennes home.

Oscar, Melvin and Beatrice Wedel and Gertrude and Dorothy Bakke visited with the Cooper children last Sunday.

Jacob Stennes, Arnt Wedel and Roy Kiel were business callers in Thief River Falls last Monday.

Mr. Bagstad of Wisconsin is spending a few weeks visiting his daughter, Mrs. John Solberg.

Mrs. O. Wedal called on Mrs. Stennes, Tuesday afternoon.

ST. HILAIRE

E. J. Powell Speaking Here.

The second number of the Lyceum course under the auspices of the St. Hilaire Athletic association was given at the Imperial hall Monday evening to a good sized crowd. E. J. Powell delivered a splendid and interesting lecture. The third number will be given Thursday evening of this week. Louis Gerhardt and Concert Party will entertain.

Entertained at Cards.

Mrs. E. O. Burkee and Mrs. F. N. Bjerken entertained at cards at the home of the latter on Saturday afternoon. A delightful afternoon and lunch were enjoyed by the following guests: Mrs. Enoch Sundholm, Mrs. O. G. Gunstad, Mrs. C. F. Brantner, Mrs. A. F. Hall, Mrs. J. F. Sprafka, and the Misses Eleanore Anderson, Lois Forbes, Edith and Olive Nelson, Blanche and Selma Hoff, Mabel Patterson and Lilly Johnson.

Community Club Meeting.

Last Friday evening after the basket ball game with Greenbush the people of the community enjoyed a splendid program in the high school assembly hall, after which they proceeded to organize a community club. A. F. Hall was elected temporary chairman and Jas. A. Dahl, secretary. The constitution was read and adopted and while the senior girls served a dainty lunch charter members signed the constitution. The regular meetings will be held in the last Friday of every month. A program committee consisting of Mrs. N. E. Bodie, Mrs. L. A. Westphal, Mrs. O. G. Gunstad and Miss Selma Hoff was appointed to arrange a program for the next meeting on Feb. 25th. The committee hopes to secure C. G. Selvig of the Northwestern Agricultural college at Crookston, as speaker for the evening. In addition the club will be entertained by several readings, musical and vocal selections by local people. Permanent officers and committee of the organization will be elected. Lunch will be served by the domestic science girls at a small cost. A hearty welcome, an entertaining program, a good social time and a dainty lunch are promised all who attend.

Mrs. R. Wallen returned the latter part of the week from Grand Forks, N. D., where the Wallen family have made their home the past three months. Mrs. Wallen may decide to move to Minneapolis, where her son, Roy, is employed.

Mrs. Alma Annette of Bemidji, collector for the Duluth Casualty association, transacted business here Friday.

Mrs. Lena Hallstrom and son, Clarence, returned Wednesday from Winger, where they have spent the past two months. They were accompanied by Miss Lilly Servig, daughter of Mrs. Hallstrom, and baby son, who will visit here for sometime.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Amble of Grand Forks on Friday last at the S. J. Amble home at St. Hilaire.

The Misses Ruth Roy and Edla Hallstrom shopped and visited at Thief River Falls between trains on Saturday.

Iver Johnson, John Stromberg and Melker Erickson returned Saturday from Crookston where they attended the Farm Crop show.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson left Monday for Grand Forks where Mr. Patterson will seek medical aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Gahlon and family

Mr. and Mrs. Gahlon and family arrived Thursday from Alexandria, being called here by the serious illness of Mrs. Gahlon's mother, Mrs. Charles Johnson of Black River. Mr. Gahlon returned Sunday, while Mrs. Gahlon and children will remain here her mother still being in a very serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Laroy arrived last week from Grand Forks, N. D., where Mr. Lardy has been employed by the Grand Forks American. They will make their home here, moving into their residence on Water street, lately occupied by the E. W. Gallaher family.

The Greenbush high school basket ball quint was defeated by a score of 27 to 6 by the St. Hilaire high school five at the gym. Friday evening. St. Hilaire lost to Greenbush in a game played at Greenbush some time ago.

The many friends of Mrs. Mike Fricker will be pleased to learn that she is recuperating rapidly after having undergone an operation at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls, and is expected home this week.

Carl Pearson returned Saturday from Czar, Alberta, Canada, where he has spent some time visiting his sister, Mrs. Arthur Melin.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Sprafka and little daughter left Monday evening for Hibbing to visit at the home of Mrs. Sprafka's parents.

Martin Hallstrom of Polk Center spent several days in Winger last week.

Mrs. Helen Chelin visited between train at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. H. A. Olsen is expected home this week from Calgary, Canada, having been called here by the serious illness of her father, J. Sorum, who passed away at that place last week.

Milton Sederberg, son of Andrew Soderberg, former well known farmer residing near St. Hilaire, now of Berkley, Cal., arrived last week and will visit friends and relatives here for several weeks.

Marvin Miller and Richard Larcenson returned Friday from Crookston where they attended the Farm Crop show.

Melvin Berry left last week for his home at Graceton, Minn., after being employed here during the winter. Mr. Berry has enlisted in the navy and will leave soon for the Great Lakes training station.

August Rolland was called home the latter part of the week from Hibbing, where he is employed, his young son being very ill. The boy is greatly improved at this writing.

Leo Carpenter returned Monday from Crookston, where he visited the past week and attended the Farm Crop show.

A. E. Erickson of Black River left the latter part of the week for Minneapolis for an indefinite stay.

Miss Gertrude Hooper left Wednesday for Northfield, where she is employed at the Odd Fellows Home, after having spent a ten day vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hooper.

The little folks in Misses Mabel Patterson's and Blanche Hoff's room delighted the people at the community gathering last Friday evening—the little girls with their baby show and the boys in their impersonations as coons.

Vernon Peterson arrived home on Monday evening from St. Paul where he has been attending the Farm school.

GERMANTOWN

Hans Dahl was a business caller at Goodridge Monday.

Clifford Roller called at the Will Wayne home Monday.

Emil Benttin visited at the Stokke home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited at the Hans Dahl home Friday.

Fred Larson called at the A. K. Haggy home one day last week.

Lawrence Nelson was a Mavie caller Monday.

Clifford Roller and Nettie and Silva Bendickson were delightfully entertained at the Stokkie home Monday evening.

Mrs. Henry Roller visited at the E. Hanson home Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Struble visited with Mrs. C. Boyce Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Roller visited with Mrs. Will Wayne Saturday afternoon.

Hans Dahl was a caller at Mavie Wednesday.

Fred Larson visited at the Henry Roller home Friday afternoon.

Frank Kientze and Will Wayne assisted John Philipp in sawing wood Tuesday.

Mesdames Dahl and Martinus Johnson were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls last week.

John Clausen was a business caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl were Sunday guests at the L. Bendickson home.

Mrs. Emil Hanson visited at the Stokkie home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Naben were Sunday guests at the Anund Johnson home.

John Kotlan of Thief River Falls visited with his sister, Anna, several days last week.

E. Haberstroh called at the Septhine Rolland home one day last week.

Willie Jones was a caller at the Martinus Johnson home on Friday.

Hans Clausen was a guest at the D. Dau home on Sunday.

VIKING

Oscar Anderson shot a wolf last Thursday.

Miss Helen Quindlog visited with her folks at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

School Dists. No. 117 and 144 had a spelling contest last Friday, the former being victorious.

The Hard Time dance at Viking was well attended, and everyone present reporting a good time.

Carl Brink arrived home last Monday from Warroad, where he had been employed on the Canadian National railroad bridge gang.

Stella Malberg visited her brother, Egbert, over Sunday.

Clara Brink came home from Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Carl Brink moved his hay baler to Krohn's place Monday where he will bale about 30 tons of hay.

Two heavy automobiles from Viking opened the roads to Warren last week. The grades were reported as being in good shape, very little shoveling being necessary.

The Betts family visited at the home of Ed. Krohn last Sunday.

Edith Edwards visited with her parents over Sunday, returning to Warren Monday morning where she is attending high school.

STEINER

Mr. Schenke was sawing wood the first part of the week.

Martin Kisch transacted business in Steiner Friday.

Miss Ruth Solem visited with her parents over the week-end.

Louis Meyer was a Thief River Falls caller Friday.

Pearl Warring visited over Saturday and Sunday at her mother's home.

Olga Koglin is visiting with her parents over Sunday.

The Valentine social held Feb. 12 was well attended. A program, fishing pond and candy booth were features of the evening.

Marian Cork was a Thief River Falls caller the first part of the week.

Miss Mabel Shefveland left for Thief River Falls the first part of the week.

I. Slack was a Thief River Falls caller Wednesday.

Emmons Rogers attended to business matters in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

ESPLEE

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hook and family and Miss Myrtle Fureh at last Sunday.

Misses Poirier, Elsie Carlson and Gladys Severson returned from a trip to Warren last week. Gladys Severson won second in the spelling contest at Warren. From there she went to Crookston where she won fifth place. She is only nine years old and this community congratulate her.

Ina and Clarence Carlson visited with the Martinson family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turnbaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Turnbull and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sund were pleasantly entertained at the Allyn Turnbull home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Turnbull were callers in Esplee on Saturday.

Mrs. Prestebak and Albert Prestebak of Thief River Falls enroute to Thorhult, called on friends in Esplee between trains Friday.

L. J. Tenold went to Goodridge to attend a telephone meeting on Monday.

Dorothy Sund is enjoying an extended visit at her grandparents home at Esplee.

Rev. Hoyum called at the L. J. Tenold home on Saturday.

The Zion Ladies Aid met at the L. J. Tenold home on Wednesday.

Geo. Hook is working on the road between his farm and Chapman's corner to open it up so it will be passable for the stage. The road has been blocked for over a week.

Sever Severson transacted business in Esplee on Monday.

L. O. Oprata left for Thief River Falls on Monday to attend to business

NUMEDAL

John Bugge hauled hay to Thief River Falls last week.

Halvor Olson was a Thief River Falls business caller Saturday.

Norval Johnson, Albin Roos and Oscar Olson were Thief River Falls callers Friday.

John, Oliver and Conrad Ronning and George Bugge took in the surprise party given at the Elmer Hanson home Thursday evening.

Miss Agnes and Oscar Forslund, Hjalmer Blomberg and Arthur Sumner were among those who attended the dance at Viking Friday evening.

Clarence and Mrs. C. J. Johnson were Viking shoppers Friday.

Hjalmer, Edward and Mrs. J. A. Blomberg called at the Joe Joringdal home Sunday.

Miss Bertha and Hjalmer Bugge visited in Thief River Falls at the Carl Brateng home the forepart of the week.

Olaf Larson and Soren Knutson transacted business at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Oliver Ronning visited at Thief River Falls for a few days last week.

Hjalmer and Edward Blomberg and Joseph Joringdal have been hunting wolves the past few days.

Elias Joringdal was a Thief River Falls shopper Thursday.

Norval and C. J. Johnson drove to Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Arthur Sumner transacted business at Thief River Falls one day last week.

George and Peder Bugge were among those who attended the creamery meeting held at Viking Friday.

Arthur Sumner and Ernest Cork of Numedal took the the "Hard Time" dance at Viking last Friday evening and report a fine time.

Arthur Sumner of Numedal visited over Sunday with the Dell Cork family, three miles north of Thief River Falls.

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Nearly "everybody" in Southwest Missouri either knows or has heard of the Rev. Parker Moon, who for a full half century has devoted his life and talents to Sunday school and organization work for the Society of Friends or Quakers.

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"This condition made me very nervous and I could not sleep at night. Frequently I would lie awake most all night and was in that condition more or less for five years. My physician said he could not do anything for me and suggested a change of climate. I then moved to Texas and went back and forth three times but did not get the relief I had hoped for. Finally, I got so bad off I was not able to get around with any degree of comfort. I was also told I had heart trouble.

"I had read about Tanlac and, as it had been very highly recommended to me, I decided to try it. I got a bottle and had taken only a few doses until I could notice a marked improvement in my condition. I noticed especially that I was not troubled any more with sour stomach after eating, which was a great relief.

"I kept on taking Tanlac until I fully regained my health. My appetite is splendid; I enjoy my meals and I do not find it necessary now to take any laxative medicines of any kind. I can sleep much better and am not nearly so nervous.

"I take great pleasure in recommending Tanlac to anyone who needs a good system builder, or who suffers with stomach trouble. I have recommended Tanlac to a great many of my friends and am pleased to reach others by giving this statement for publication."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm and at Goodridge by G. G. Gulrud.—adv.

Legal Notices

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

M. C. Burns, Plaintiff, vs.

Sarah LaBree, W. J. LaBree, Malinda LaBree, Thora Rogers, Ida Cook, Sibley LaBree, Albert LaBree, Horace LaBree, Minnie LaBree, Emily Barker, Jonas LaBree, Mathilda Campbell, Perpetude LaBree, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest, or lien in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Summons.

The State of Minnesota to the Above Named Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which has been filed in the office of the clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to said complaint upon the subscriber at his office in the First and Peoples State Bank Building, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
First and Peoples State Bank Building,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

M. C. Burns, Plaintiff, vs.

Sarah LaBree, W. J. LaBree, Malinda LaBree, Thora Rogers, Ida Cook, Sibley LaBree, Albert LaBree, Horace LaBree, Minnie LaBree, Emily Barker, Jonas LaBree, Mathilda Campbell, Perpetude LaBree, also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest, or lien in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this court by the above named plaintiff against the above named defendants, the object of which is to obtain a judgment that said plaintiff is the owner in fee of the following described real property and that said defendants and each of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon:

Lots eleven (11) and twelve (12) in Block thirty-four (34), in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for said County and State, said property being situate in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Dated February 8, 1921.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
First and Peoples State Bank Building,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F-10-17-21

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Twenty-four and 67-100 Dollars ($3121.67), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Lulu O. Halvorson and G. Halvorson, wife and husband, mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 29th day of December, 1916 at 1:30 o'clock P. M. in Book 13 of Mortgages on Page 253, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, 1916 at 8:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 32 of Mortgages on Page 257.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank, of Thief River Falls [illegible] and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

Lots Six (6), Seven (7), and Eight (8) in Block Thirteen (13) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Lot Six (6) in Block Sixty-three (63) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in the County of Beltrami and State of Minnesota, containing eighty (80) acres, and

The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NE¼ of NW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-one (21) in Township One Hundred Fifty-five (155) North, of Range Thirty-eight (38) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Beltrami County, and State of Minnesota, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres.

All the foregoing described real estate and premises with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County in the State of Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 26th day of February, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $3121.67, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises and Seventy-five Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 5th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J13-20-27-f-3-10-17

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Thirty-one and 32-100 ($5031.32) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. C. Dobner, Mortgagees, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of December, 1915, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 3 of Mortgages, on page 637, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: [illegible] in Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 5th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of [illegible] and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 18th, A. D. 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. C. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J20-27-f3-10-17-24

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Forty and 11-100 ($840.11) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Oen and Carrie M. Oen, his wife, Mortgagors, to Goodridge State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 64 of Mortgages, on page 672, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The West Half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirteen (13), and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Fourteen (14), all in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range numbered Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $840.11 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 25th, A. D. 1921.

GOODRIDGE STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J20-27-f3-10-17-24-m3

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Oen and Carrie M. Oen, his wife, mortgagors, to J. P. Jensen, mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920 at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 64 of Mortgages on Page 86, and

WHEREAS, The said J. P. Jensen, the mortgagee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Twenty-one and 00-100 Dollars, as follows: [illegible]

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) and the South Half of Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section No. Fourteen (14), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $221.00, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, being statutory attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 26th, 1921.

J. P. JENSEN,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Six Stacks of mixed hay. Phone 295. C. O. Grugan. 3p

FOR SALE—12 high grade milch cows. Some fresh and others coming in soon. Also registered Shorthorn bull.—Jos Odd, Mavie, Minn. 5

FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows. J. M. Thelen, Sec. 9, Smiley, R. 3, City. 2p

FOR SALE—4-room house, 2 lots and wood shed. Call at 333 Tindolph Ave. N. R. Tangstad, Owner. 2p

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Lahd's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 107tf

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cow. W. E. McCrum, Route 3, phone 7F23. 108

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also four lots. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Detroit Vapor oil stove. 121 St. Paul Ave. N.

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor complete outfit with fenders, 2 bottom Oliver plow. Team grey mares, weight 1600 and 1100 lbs. 500 bushels seed oats at 50c per bushel. Christ Kirk, Route 1, 4 miles northwest of city. 111p

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. [illegible] C. Weber, [illegible] Thief River Falls. 59tf

FOR SALE—100 bu. of [illegible] oats, well [illegible] and cleaned. [illegible] Martinson, R. 1, City. 11p

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] 2tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, complete outfit with fenders, 2 bottom Oliver plow. Team grey mares, weight 1600 and 1100 lbs. 500 bushels seed oats at 50c per bushel. Christ Kirk, Route 1, 4 miles northwest of city. 11p

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the S½ of Sec. 18, Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 80 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn.—C. W. Vornehelt. 2tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 157tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 105tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—450 acres A 1 wheat land, Montana, shape for crop. Will furnish all machinery, including tractor and seed. Call phone No. 219. 110

FOR RENT—A furnished room in modern home. With or without board. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 4p

FOR RENT—A furnished room in modern home. Mrs. C. S. Sandvold, 423 Main Ave. N. 4p

FOR RENT—Three room steam heated flat. Vacant February 1st. C. W. McDaniel. 107tf

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Citizens State Bank Building. 97tf

FOR RENT—Large heated room, can be used for light housekeeping. Call 353 or 117 Main Ave. S. 106tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—15 to 25 loads of oak wood. August Carlson, 408 Duluth Ave. S. 2p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Experienced sales girl. Apply at Jones' Quality Bakery. 2

GIRL WANTED—For general housework on farm, churning and washing done by electricity. State experience. Mrs. P. F. Kolb, R. F. D. 2, St. Thomas, N. D. 5p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Salesman with auto. Prefer man with selling experience in small towns and country districts. Need not be away from home night. To the right man we offer high grade proposition [illegible] Cleveland, Ohio. 1p

COMFORTABLE small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Brattland's office. 104tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 222 First St. E. 107tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northern Minnesota farm lands. See [illegible] Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 41tf

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the World's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofing, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired.—John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 2p

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Found Moonshine Still.

Warren Sheaf: Deputy Sheriff John Bordewick returned from the eastern end of the county Monday morning after a brief business visit. Business was fairly good too, as the sheriff brought along with him a muchly twisted copper pipe, a wash-boiler cover, a jug and bottle of moonshine.

The
ATHLETIC
CLUB
OF THIEF RIVER FALLS
Announces a boxing Tournament
Tuesday
February 22
Lyceum
Theatre
MAIN EVENT
YOUNG FULTON
Sensational lightweight of Thief River Falls
Vs.
KID TIBBETS
The Indian Pug of Bemidji

Four Good Preliminaries of heavy weight, lightweight & bantamweight
Preliminaries start at 10:30 P. M.
Prices 50 cents to $1.25 and war tax.
Reserved seats on sale now at
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Don't delay! Buy your seats now.
CAL FARLEY
Inter-allied army title holder will referee.

The Lyceum
FRIDAY
J. Warren Kerrigan
In
"THE LORD LOVES THE IRISH"
An Irish Picture with lots of Irish Punch. Enuf said.

SATURDAY
"MAN and HIS WOMAN"
A Blackton Production Staring
Herbert Rawlinson
A Drama of man's Primitive Instincts told in the lights of today. See it!
and
"THE SON OF TARZAN"
The Wonder Serial of 1921
Matinee: 2:30

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Mildred Harris Chaplin
and Irving Cummings and George Stewart, Anita Stewart's younger brother
In
"OLD DAD"
The story of a husband who needed a wife's love; a daughter who needed a mother's guidance.
Hank Man Comedy
The Champion Nut of all Comedians
Matinee Sunday: 2:30
A First National Attraction.

The Princess
SUNDAY and MONDAY
"IT'S A GREAT LIFE"
By Mary Robert Rinehart
Adapted from her famous story—
"Empire Builders"
A fast moving comedy, with an original theme and a wonderful cast of players.
The GUMPS!
Ford Weekly

BLACKSMITHS HOLD DISTRICT MEETING; WANT PROTECTION

Will Ask Legislature to Pass Laws Specifying Qualifications For Workers.

The Minnesota Blacksmiths Mutual Benefit association held its first annual meeting in three years at Thief River Falls on Friday, at which time the following named officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: Wm. Voelk, Crookston, president; Andrew Craik, Thief River Falls, vice president; H. L. Larson, Thief River Falls, secretary; C. C. Gulrud, Thief River Falls, treasurer.

Andrew Lodoen of Warren, representing Marshall county; Wm. Voelk of Crookston, representing Polk county; J. J. Richter of Thief River Falls, representing Pennington county and I. Fortier of Oklee, representing Red Lake county, were appointed as a legislative committee. It is the purpose of this committee to draw up a bill to be presented to legislative members for introduction during the present session which would provide for the protection of blacksmiths of the state by designating qualifications to conducting a shop or any establishment for smith work. Other items may be drafted into the proposed bill.

Further discussion resulted in the changing of the annual meeting date from the second Friday in February to the second Friday in January, and the placing of the annual dues at $1.50. The association was formerly made up of over 100 smiths from the northwestern part of the state. Present plans look forward to a strong membership campaign with the object of making the association state-wide. It is thought that the proposed legislation will result in a great interest in the organization on the part of the blacksmiths of Minnesota, there being no other, as far as known, of its kind at present in the state.

Following the business session at the Commercial club rooms on Friday afternoon, members of the association adjourned to the Hotel Evelyn where a banquet dinner was served. J. J. Richter, president of the Thief River Falls Iron Works, acted as toastmaster and called upon those assembled for short talks. Among the speakers were Edward Traverse of the Kelly-How-Thompson Hardware company of Duluth, and H. S. Larson, representative of Nicols-Dean & Gregg of St. Paul, who presented interesting discussions relative to present business conditions.

MUCH INTEREST SHOWN IN PUBLIC SPEAKING COURSE STARTED HERE

Weekly Classes, Under Instruction of L. N. Pierce, Proving Valuable Aid to City's Business Men.

L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the Thief River high school, is responsible for a very successful business and professional men's course in public speaking which is being conducted at the high school auditorium on Thursday of each week. The course which will extend over a period of 12 weeks embodies in a condensed form an entire year of college work in public speaking or oratory. Mr. Pierce is well qualified to handle the subject, having majored in public speaking at the Kansas State Normal college.

Keen interest in the course is being displayed. About 15 business and professional men of the city are attending the weekly classes. Each man is required to make an address of five minutes duration each Thursday evening, or as often as the class period will permit. Mr. Pierce offered his services to the men of the community, knowing that while many who are called upon to make after dinner or other talks have the fundamentals features of such speaking well in hand, they are weak in platform etiquette and the finer points of public speaking.

FUNNIEST OF ALL LECTURERS COMING NEXT WEDNESDAY

Last Number of Lyceum Course Promises to Be Best of Entire Winter Series.

Strickland W. Gillilan, who comes to Thief River Falls next Wednesday evening to present his famous "Sample Case of Humor" as the fifth and last number of the season's lyceum course, is not a lecturer with a side line but a newspaper man who lectures as a side line. He has been doing more or less newspaper work since he was 16 years of age, was at one time president of the American Press Humorists, and is still a regular contributor to many of the leading magazines and daily newspapers of the country. He is in great demand as the guest of well known clubs and societies on notable occasions and it is for that reason that the Woman's club is considered so fortunate in being able to book his services at this time.

The Sioux City (Iowa) Journal in commenting on the appearance of Mr. Gillilan in that city states: "He is a 'just folks' sort of an individual. Most so-called humorists would readily pass for undertakers or professors of archeology, but Strickland Gillilan not only looks like a comedian, but is one." The Winona (Indiana) Press representative says: "Mr. Gillilan's 'A Sample Case of Humor' was a real lecture and deserves a place in the list of great literary treats given to Winona patrons. It differed only in that it kept the audience laughing heartily all the time it was not on the verge of tears."

"A Sample Case of Humor" contains: Definition of humor and imagined story of its origin, classification into Humor of Stupidity, Humor of Human Affection, Humor of Rusticity, Humor of Surprise, Humor of Feminity, The Joke on the Joker, etc., each class being copiously and lively illustrated with stories. In the lecture also are "The Cry of the Alien," what many believe to be Mr. Gillilan's greatest poem, "The Cabinet Organ," "Git Mad," "Waiting," and other poems.

As to stories there is no end to them, also the most absurd monologue ever concocted, telling of a hospital experience. The famous "Sleeping Car Monologue," which is said to be the convulser extraordinary is also a part of Mr. Gillilan's lecture here.

The Woman's club heartily recommends this last number of the lyceum course to the theater-goers of the community as a laughter-producing chaser of gloom.

Train Delayed by Wreck.

The Soo line northbound flyer, No. 109, due here at 2:35 this morning was delayed until near noon today by a small freight wreck near Henning. This is the first time this winter that train 109 has failed to arrive on or near schedule time.

Too Few Applicants.

The Civil Service Commission invites special attention to the fact that in examinations held recently in Thief River Falls, Minn., and other cities throughout the United States for the positions named below, both for the departmental and field services, applicants were not secured in the number desired, and that these examinations will again be held on the dates indicated: Apprentice fish culturist, March 9; physician, Panama Canal Service, March 9; assistant observer, Weather Bureau, February 23; apprentice plate cleaner, February 23; apprentice transferrer, February 23; apprentice letter engraver, February 23; apprentice picture engraver, February 23.

Persons interested in these or other examinations should reply to the Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board at the local post office for detailed information and application blanks.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

Mrs. Geo. Williams, 412 Main Ave., N., Thief River Falls, says: "I used many remedies for kidney trouble and backache but had no permanent relief until I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Curtis Drug Store. This remedy not only cured my back but made me feel better in every way. I am only sorry that Doan's didn't come to my attention sooner."

OVER SEVEN YEARS LATER Mrs. Williams said: "During the past seven years Doan's Kidney Pills have done the work whenever I have used them for kidney weakness. I hold Doan's in the same high estimation as when I first endorsed them."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Williams had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

Income Tax Facts Every Citizen Should Remember

Births, deaths, and marriages during the year 1920 affect materially income tax returns for that year.

Millions of babies were added to family circles, each of whom brings an exemption of $200 in the parents' income tax return.

Widows and widowers who lost their husbands or wives during the year are especially affected. They are single for the purposes of the income tax law and are granted only an exemption of $1,000, unless the head of a family.

Persons who were divorced or separated by mutual agreement during the year also must consider themselves as single persons.

The status of the taxpayer on December 31, 1920, determines the amount of the exemptions. If on that day the taxpayer was married and living with wife or husband, claim may be made for the $2,000 exemption. If single, or married and not living with wife or husband on December 31, the exemption is only $1,000.

Persons who reached majority during the year and whose earnings for that period amounted to $1,000 or more, or $2,000 or more, according to their marital status, must file a return and pay a tax on their net income in excess of those amounts.

To avoid penalty, the return must be in the hands of the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the taxpayer lives, or has his principal place of business, on or before midnight of March 15, 1921.

LOCAL MAN TO BOX THE "INDIAN PUG"

Great Card Promised Sports Lovers For Evening of Washington's Birthday.

The main go on a sport card scheduled for Tuesday evening, Feb. 22, under the auspices of the Thief River Falls Athletic club, will be a boxing bout between Young Fulton, a local man, and Tom Tibbets, known as the "Indian Pug," of Bemidji. Indian Pug as a lightweight artist made a name for himself while in the army and since his discharge has taken bouts from Knockout Reed, Gene Dwyer, and Hower, all of whom are known as fast men with their mitts. Fulton is working out daily at the Athletic club gym, in addition to doing much road work. Press representatives who have watched him at his work-outs can vouch for the fact that he possesses good judgment and nerve in addition to his speed and clever foot work.

The preliminaries, which will start promptly at 10:30 p. m., will furnish something more than amusement. Locals of heavy, light and bantam weights are working out for their first appearance.

"Indian Pug" will arrive in Thief River Falls Saturday night and will continue his training at the Athletic gym on Monday and Tuesday. Both men will easily get down to lightweight.

DETROITERS HELPLESS AGAINST ONSLAUGHTS OF LEGION SHOOTERS

Was Good Contest in Spite of Fact That Visitors From South Were Clearly Outclassed at Every Turn of Game.

In a game more interesting than the final score of 67 to 7 would indicate, the Thief River Falls Legion tossers won their fifth victory in five starts when they walked away with the Detroit Legionnaires on the home floor Saturday evening. The game was a fast one from the start with the Detroiters battling during every minute of playing but failing to locate the circle or to make any great headway against the team work of the Thief River quint. The turnout for the game was large and a more even game expected, the visitors having acquired a good reputation for fast and pretty work through a game taken from the crack team of Perham ten days ago.

Detroit made a field basket in the first minute of playing and it looked like a legular match when the locals retaliated with two field baskets and one free throw in the following minute. The visiting quintet failed to score again in the first half aside from a free throw made shortly before the whistle blew. Following a basket by Carlson, who bunted the ball fair through the circle from the hands of the scramble directly beneath the goal, the Thief River Falls men made a rapid succession of field baskets and one more free throw. The score stood at 38 to 3 at the end of the half.

The first five minutes of the second half again promised well for further scoring by the down-state quintet, in spite of the fact that the locals piled up four more field goals and one free throw in that length of time against the one free throw made by the visitors. In desperation the Detroit five then resorted to other tactics which eventually resulted in a succession of fouls called against the players of both teams. Traver made the last field basket for Detroit when ten minutes of the half remained, and from that time until the final whistle Thief River Falls gave them little or no opportunity to reach the goal, while the latter added steadily to their mounting score.

While it was difficult to say which of the Detroit men played stellar games, Bush, Eckel and Traver easily took the lead. Several of the local men played a wonderful game. Carlson, whose work is always of the most brilliant nature, failed to make the free throws with his customary ease, missing four out of nine. Hadrath, Thief River Falls center, made three cleancut baskets from the center of the field during the first half in addition to two others. The assembled fans got the greatest thrill of the game when Holzknecht, right guard for the home team, took the ball straight through the center of the opposition for the entire length of the field and made the goal. This play, late in the first half, was followed early in the second with two tosses made from the center of the field, the first of which looked almost like an accident, but when repeated within the next minute, no doubt was left as to the thrower's stellar ability. Kiland found the circle at all times with ease, making ten field goals. LaBree substituted for Hadrath during the last of the first half only. The lineup:

Detroit		T. R. F.
Bush	RF	Carlson
Eckel	LF	Kiland
Traver	CEN	Hadrath
Watt	RG	Holzknecht
Lockton	LG	McGinn

Subs: McDermott for Watt; LaBree for Hadrath.

L. H. Lawrence, referee.

Field goals: Bush 1, Traver 1, Kiland 10, Carlson 9, Hadrath 6, Holzknecht 6. Free throws: Bush 3 out of 6; Carlson 5 out of 9.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.46
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.43
Oats	.30
Flax	1.58
Barley	.30
Rye	1.28
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, Per cwt.	5.20
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.75
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.75
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Stags	.10
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.30
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery Butter	.48
Cow Hides, per lb.	.05
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	10-11
Veal, dressed, per lb.	10-12
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.12
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05
Steers, per lb.	.04-.06
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

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EXCELSIOR BASKET SHOOTERS COMING

Independent Champions of Two Years Ago Will Play Series of Games in This City.

The Thief River Falls Legion basket ball five will meet the Excelsior team in two games to be played on the local floor on Feb. 24 and 25, on which dates the Legionnaires will put up a desperate battle in the hope of retaining their 1000 per cent average. The down-staters hold the independent championship for the Northwest for 1918-19, and this season, in playing a long string of the fastest teams of the twin cities, have lost but three games.

The locals have taken six games out of six starts, outplaying their adversaries in practically all instances and taking four walk-aways. The Bemidji and Fosston Legion teams were the only ones able to put up any marked resistance against the fast and effective work of the Thief River tossers. The quint all show stellar ability and it will be impossible for any outside team to take a game by any great margin. The Excelsiorites should at least be able to put up enough of a battle to make the two games here interesting.

KOLLEN IS VICTOR IN TWO STRAIGHT FALLS HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

Kirkness Puts Up Game Battle But Never Gievs Opponent Any Serious Difficulty—First Fall in 11 Minutes.

Henry Kollen, the Greenbush grappler, won in two straight falls from S. A. Kirkness of Lake Park in a wrestling match staged at the Lyceum theatre last Saturday evening under the direction of the Thief River Athletic association. A fair-sized crowd was present and certainly received the worth of its money.

Kollen was the aggressor from the outset, the Lake Park man having difficulty in keeping his shoulders off the mat after the first two or three minutes of grappling. Time and time again it looked as if his more stocky opponent would surely bear him down, but his surprising agility saved him. After 11 minutes of really excellent wrestling Kollen won with a head lock and bar arm hold.

The second fall was achieved in six minutes with a double bar arm block. In this session Kirkness never had a chance, evidently putting forth the best he had in order to make any kind of a showing.

The boxing matches which preceded the main bout furnished a lot of amusement even if somewhat lacking in scientific display. Two boys, residents of this city, put up the best exhibition, but all had considerable merit, even if the crowd at times failed to recognize the fact.

The club's enterprise in staging this show has been highly commended by lovers of clean sport and the probabilities are that he will promote other matches during the spring months.

A Rat That Didn't Smell After Being Dead for Three Months

"I swear it was dead three months," writes Mr. J. Sykes (N. J.). "I saw this rat every day; put some Rat-Snap behind a barrel. Months afterwards, my wife looked behind the barrel. There it was—dead." Rat-Snap sells in three sizes for 35c, 65c, $1.25.
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ROY LAMBERT

Warren and Thief River School Teams Meet Friday

The basket ball teams of the Warren and Thief River Falls high schools will meet on the city auditorium floor on Friday evening in what should prove one of the hardest fought battles of the year. Warren is the only team that has bested the Thief River high school quint and the locals hope that they will be able to take the victory from the visitors on Friday night by way of squaring accounts. The game will be called at 8:15.

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FARM SPEAKERS AT AUDITORIUM FRIDAY NOON

W. A. McKerrow and B. F. Scott to Address General Public on Present Outlook.

Meetings Held Under Auspices of Local Farm Bureau and Creamery Association.

Farmers, Business Men, Women and Workingmen Are Urged to Hear These Experts.

W. A. McKerrow of St. Paul, and B. T. Scott of Minneapolis, two of the most prominent men of the state, will address residents of Thief River Falls and the surrounding territory at the city auditorium on Friday afternoon under the auspices of the Pennington County Farm Bureau and the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association. No admission fee will be charged and it is the wish of those influential in securing the speakers that the auditorium be crowded to capacity. A special invitation to attend has been tendered to members of the Woman's club, the Girls' Community club, the Commercial club, the Merchants association and the American Legion and Auxiliary. The pupils of Lincoln high school will attend in a body. The meeting has been called for 12:30 p. m., in order that the speakers may finish their talks in time to take the electric car for Goodridge, where they will address the members of the Goodridge Community club and residents of that vicinity.

Mr. McKerrow, in addition to being at the head of the LiveStock and dairy division of the state University Extension department, is secretary of the Central Shippers association, secretary of the Minnesota Dairy council and an officer of several other state-wide organizations. He was recently appointed to the National Committee of Seventeen by President Howard of the American Farm Bureau federation for the investigation of production and market conditions in the United States, and is the only Minnesota man on that committee. His talk will include a general survey of the agricultural and economic conditions of the day in addition to a discussion of dairying and better creameries for Minnesota. County Agent J. J. McCann states that Mr. McKerrow's coming here at this time represents the outcome of three years' effort by members of the community toward securing the speaker for one or two talks in Pennington county.

Mr. Scott, secretary of the Holstein-Friesian association, will emphasize the importance of using good creamery butter and other dairy products rather than butter substitutes, explaining the use of the latter as having a tendency to reduce the dairy profits of the state.

Council Sets Rental of New Club Quarters at $15

The city council at an adjourned meeting held on Wednesday evening voted to allow theh Thief River Falls Commercial club the use of the lyceum room in the basement of the city auditorium for a a monthly rental of $15. While the motion carried did not stipulate that other welfare organizations of the city were to be allowed the use of the club rooms, it is understood that the Commercial club will be lenient in this respect and that the room may be secured as a meeting place by application to the secretary of that organization. The discussion as to the rental of the quarters which followed a request entered by W. A. Hall, Jr., president of the club, was a lengthy one. The council adjourned at an early hour.

Conditions Discussed at Second Merchants Meeting

S. E. Cook, deputy governor of the Ninth District Federal Reserve bank, on Wednesday evening addressed members of the Merchants association and business men of the city in assembly at the Brumund hotel. His talk brought out many of the more important factors responsible for the present financial condition, in addition to a lucid explanation of the workings of the Federal Reserve bank system.

Mr. Cook's talk was preceded by a banquet dinner, the second in a series of five to be given under the auspices of the merchants organization. J. E. Ebersole, dean of the department of business economics of the University of Minnesota, was scheduled to speak here on Wednesday evening, but was unable to keep his appointment. The attendance at the banquet was small.

Paving Prices Go Higher.

A. D. Hansen of the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, is in Thief River Falls today. He states that the city of Winona recently received bids for the construction of gravel-concrete paving, the lowest of which was $4.65 per yard. The lowest bid for similar paving received here at the time of the letting of the paving contract to the above mentioned firm, was $3.98. Winona is much nearer the source of paving supplies.

To Make Residence Here.

Rev. Clinton Cook and family arrived in our city on last Sunday morning from Lemmon, S. D. Rev. Cook will reside permanently in Thief River Falls and work in this quarter of the state in the employ of the Presbyterian Sunday School board. Rev. and Mrs. Cook are both evangelists of mature experience. Mrs. Cook will speak in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening to all who may wish to be present. This gifted family is certain to be a valuable addition to our community.

RIVER DRAINAGE BILL BY THE PRESIDENT

A teleg[illegible] received late yesterday afternoon from Congressman Steenerson at Washington contained the following announcement:

"President Wilson has signed the Steenerson bill authorizing improvements of Red Lake and Red Lake river for drainage, flood control and navigation purposes and the measure is now law.

ARE TODAY SERVING FIRST LUNCHEON IN NEW CLUB ROOMS

Members Inspecting Fine Layout Provided For Their Accommodation.

The first noonday luncheon is being served to a large gathering of business and professional men in the new club quarters, Auditorium building, today. Those who had not previously visited the new rooms were surprised at their fine appearance and the general convenience they afford. While not so large as the quarters recently vacated in the Citizens' bank building, they will prove ample for all ordinary meeting purposes but for larger gatherings it is probable that arrangements can be made for using the auditorium proper.

The kitchen equipment is very satisfactory, there being ample space for doing what cooking is necessary while the facilities for storing dishes and other necessary pharaphernalia are well arranged. Everything has been repainted and the woodwork varnished, the whole presenting a most inviting appearance.

At a special meeting of the directors held on Tuesday evening, a committee composed of C. B. Larson, Dr. C. R. Crandall and F. H. Herrick was appointed to meet with the trustees of the Elks' lodge with a view to disposing of the furniture not needed in the new quarters to the last-named organization. This includes the pool and billiard tables, piano and a number of upholstered settees and chairs. Two bids for the piano have already been received and no difficulty will be found in disposing of the remainder of the outfit, which includes the lighting fixtures.

LEGIONNAIRES MEET FORMER CHAMPIONS IN PREMIER EVENT

Greatest Game of Season Promised For Tonight and Tomorrow at Auditorium.

"Burn Excelsior" is apt to be the advise handed out by local fans to the Thief River Falls Legion team in the two basket ball games to be played on the floor of the city auditorium tonight and tomorrow night. The two games will be without a doubt, if the visitors produce the brand of playing that they have been producing, the fastest seen on the local floor this year. The Excelsior independents in 1918 and 1919 took the northwest championship and ably defended the same last season. They have to date been playing the fasten teams of Minneapolis, St. Paul and the southern part of the state and have lost but three out of a long string of starts.

The Legion quintet have seven victories to their credit out of seven starts and, according to Coach G. W. Connell, have shown better form in their workouts this week than ever before. All are in fine physical trim and ready to do battle to their utmost, if the opposition put up by the Excelsiorites makes it necessary. The Legionnaires have at present to their credit the scalps of Company I of Crookston, the Grand Forks Y. M. C. A., Greenbush, and the Fosston, Bemidji, Ada and Detroit Legionnaires. They have in every instance markedly outplayed their adversaries in all the tecnique of the game. Travelers who have seen both the Hormel Packers of Austin and the Thief River Legionnaires in action are of the opinion that the latter play a faster game than the down-state team, which at present is a runner-up for the American Industrial championship. The Packers are somewhat heavier and play a foot ball type of game.

Meeting of Managers.

The annual meeting of all yard managers of the Winton-Nichols lumber company in this section will take place at the offices here tomorrow afternoon. This is an annual event and is looked forward to with a great deal of interest. The business outlook is discussed and opinions for improving the service exchanged. Many valuable ideas have in past years been put into practice as a result of these meetings.

At noon the visitors will be the guests of General Manager C. A. Nason at luncheon at the Hotel Evelyn.

SCHOOL SYSTEM HERE RANKING WITH HIGHEST

State Inspector's Report Discloses Interesting Facts of Thief River Falls System.

Enrollment Compares Favorably With That of High Schools in Larger Cities.

Leads in Many Instances; Operating Cost and Bonded Indebtedness Much Lower.

The twenty-seventh annual report of the inspector of Minnesota state high schools for the school year ending June 30, 1920 recently submitted to Commissioner of Education, James M. McConnell by State Inspector E. M. Phillips, sheds interesting light on the school situation as it prevails in Thief River Falls. The report states that in general the schools are found to be recovering from the irregularities attendant upon the war period and the unusual interference with school attendance resulting from the epidemic prevalent during the past two years. School building programs have been found to be completely upset and crowded conditions existing in nearly every state high school system. Mr. Phillips states that the question most needing attention in the public schools at this time is beyond a doubt the stabilizing of courses of study in both the elementary and high school departments.

The average tax for the maintenance of public high school systems in Minnesota is shown to be 26.8 mills. The average of the total rate in mills for public education in these same districts is 31.4 mills. A study of a table showing the tax levy of individual school districts reveals that the total levy for School district No. 18 was but 35.8 mills. Thirteen high school districts reported a tax levy for school purposes of more than 50 mills, among the thirteen being Warroad where the levy was 87.7 mills. In 52 other school districts the tax levy was greater than that in district No. 18, which, considering the prominence of the Thief River Falls schools in other comparative tables, is remarkable.

Thief River Falls is one of the five cities in the state where both six and nine months courses in vocational agriculture are offered. During the school year of 1919-1920 the total enrollment of pupils in the schools of this city was greater than in any other of a like population in the state, comparing very favorably with the enrollment in the schools of Albert Lea, Fergus Falls, Rochester and Mankato. Including the twin cities and Duluth, the Thief River Falls high school serves more non-resident students than any other high school in the state, with but one exception. Mankato serves 180 non-resident high school students and Thief River Falls 153. The North high school of Minneapolis comes third in this respect, serving 138 non-residents. During the same year 82 graduate students were turned out of the local high school. Mankato turned out 129 and Winona 92. The Duluth Central high turned out but 99; and the graduates from Minneapolis and St. Paul schools, taking into consideration the relative population, were comparatively small in numbers. Outside of the three largest cities of the state, Mankato, Winona and Thief River Falls lead in respective order and by a large margin, all other high schools of the state in regard to "finished" students turned out.

Thief River Falls on June 30, 1920, labored under a bonded school indebtedness of $158,800, which was also comparatively low. Pipestone had a bonded indebtedness of $287,000; Owatonna, $572,000; Moorhead, $500,000; Gilbert, $1,432,000; Austin, $428,000 and Aurora $355,000, all of them being schools lower down in the tables as to benefits derived.

Virginia with an annual teachers' pay roll of $321,500, Rochester with a pay roll of $97,724; Bemidji with one of over $321,000 and Mankato with over an $85,000 teachers' pay roll, were unable to produce results as good or better than those of Thief River Falls, whose teacher pay roll aggregated but $54,851. The annual cost of janitor service, heating and other maintenance costs for the five city school buildings is also given as comparatively low.

The tables in Mr. Phillip's report go on to show the attendance for the state aided departments of Agriculture, Manual Training, Home Economics, Commercial Training and Teacher-training, in all of which Thief River Falls stands well to the fore and leading the majority of state public schools. The enrollment in the Teacher Training department for this city is shown as larger than for any other school in the entire state, with one exception. The same department in the Minneapolis schools enrolled 37 students and granted 37 teachers' certificates. The Thief River Falls department enrolled 30 students and granted 27 certificates. No other schools in the state were able to show results approaching these last mentioned.

The report which makes up a good sized book, goes on with comparative tables and statements showing results accomplished, Thief River Falls ranking with the very foremost in every instance, and in spite of the fact that the bonded indebtedness, the annual teacher pay roll, the cost of general maintenance and the tax levies for the school district fall far down in the list.

Baudette Boy Acquitted Of Murdering Neighbor

George Miller, 21 years old, whose trial on a charge of murder in the first degree has been in progress at Bemidji for a week, was acquitted on Monday by a jury after nine hours' deliberation.

George and his brother Robert, 31, were accused of killing Alfred Fenton of Baudette, whom they mistook for Ellis Bowman, a neighbor with whom they had some trouble. George was accused of the actual shooting.

The selection of a jury to try the case of Robert Miller was begun at once with Judge W. S. McLenahan of Brainerd presiding.

BIG BAKERY PLANT BECOMES PROPERTY OF ST. PAUL PARTY

M. L. Swanson Disposes of "Mother's Bread" Factory to A. Dahl & Sons.

The City Bakery and the Northern Baking company have been sold by M. L. Swanson to A. Dahl & Sons of St. Paul, the deal being consummated on Tuesday. It is understood that the purchase price was over $20,000. The new proprietors will take possession on March 1, and immediately take steps to equip the Northern Baking company plant with the latest of automatic machinery which will make it one of the most complete of its kind in the Northwest. Mr. Dahl comes here as an experienced man, having previously operated baking plants at Appleton, Wis., Marshall, Minn., and other places in this state during past years. The proprietors will take up their residence here immediately after the first of the month.

Mr. Swanson has conducted the City Bakery here for the past four years, making and retailing candies and pastry. The Northern Baking company, operated in connection, was founded about nine months ago for the manufacture of "Mother's Bread" and other bakery supplies in wholesale quantities. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson will leave early in Mrach for an extended vacation, part of which will be spent in California, after which they expect to make their home in St. Paul, Mr. Swanson taking up his duties with the Columbia Bread company of Columbus, Ohio, with which firm he has secured a position.

WOULD PLACE CITY ON MOTOR EXPRESS ROUTE OF DISTRICT

One of Objective Points in Section to be Served by Grand Forks Concern.

Scott Laird, secretary of the Thief River Falls Commercial club, is in receipt of a communication from H. Mayne Stanton, secretary of the Grand Forks Commercial club, in which it is stated that this city has been designated as one of the objective points by the Motor Truck Express company of Grand Forks, which will provide freight and express service between a large number of the enterprising cities and towns of this section during the summer months. A short synopsis of the attitude of the wholesale and retail dealers of Thief River Falls was requested and for that reason it was expected that the matter would come before the Commercial club at the regular noonday session today.

Transportation by motor truck is now an established factor in facilitating the shipment of smaller lots of merchandise in all sections of the state during the summer months and in many cases is carried on during the winter months as well. In the immediate vicinity of the larger cities truck lines operate in every direction to distances as great as one hundred miles. The letter from Mr. Stanton further states that the Motor Truck Express company will transport small shipments cheaper than the same can be made by regular railway express and only slightly higher than those made by freight, much expense being saved by deliveries made to the doors of recipients and in the collection of forward shipments.

Produce Association to Hold Important Meeting

One of the important subjects to be brought up before the Pennington County Produce association, or the potato association as it is better known, at a meeting to be held at the Farm bureau office in the city auditorium on Saturday, Feb. 26, will be the raising of potatoes for certification. Plots for raising certified seed potatoes will be established on a number of farms in the county this coming season through the efforts of the state University Extension department, which will furnish the seed, inspection and necessary instructions. Only a limited number of plots can be alotted to any one county. Seed plots must be started with treated and inspected seed and the plots inspected three times during the growing period in order to be eligible for certification.

REPORT SHOWS EVENTFUL YEAR AT SANATORIUM

Institution Proving Its Value to People of Four Counties in District Group.

Over Half of Patients Treated in Medical Department Subsequently Discharged.

Contemplated Additions Will Place Oak Park Among Foremost Hospitals of State.

At the annual meeting of the Oakland Park Sanitorium commission Dr. O. F. Mellby was elected president for the ensuing year and P. O. Myhrum, secretary. Miss Karen Knutson remains as superintendent of the institution and Dr. M. G. Milan is continued as medical director. The sanatorium commission now comprises representation from the following four counties: Marshall, Roseau, Red Lake and Pennington. The personnel of the commission is: Dr. O. F. Mellby and P. O. Myhrum of Pennington county, Donald Robertson and E. P. Modin of Marshall county, G. I. Brandt and Louis Enstrom of Roseau county, Dr. N. M. Wattson and Ole E. Lee of Red Lake county.

With the addition of Red Lake county to the sanatorium district, the erection of a pavilion, root cellar and poultry house, additions to fuel bins and smoke stack, sewerage improvements, installation of an additional steam boiler and the purchase of a Ford coupe for use of the sanatorium personnel, the past year. There has been marked improvement in the equipment during the year.

Red Lake County Added.

Red Lake county during the past year was invited by the original counties comprising the sanatorium district to join as a member upon a basis of a one mill tax levy for construction purposes, one mill for maintenance, the same to be made in July, 1920, with Red Lake county assuming its proportionate share of the construction and maintenance cost from August 1, 1920. The net cost of maintenance for the past year was $24,804.69, the daily per capita cost was $2.82, the net cost per capita to the counties, $1.85, the daily per capita cost for free patients $2.10, and the daily per capita cost for paying patients $1.82.

Dr. Milan in his first annual report states that other improvements of a general nature have also been made during the past year, a greater willingness on the part of patients to observe the rules for "taking the cure," has been manifested, a longer period of residence of patients, the admission of a greater number of favorable cases, a greater number of hospital days for the year, and a larger waiting list than for previous years, all of which are considered as no small factors in the success of an institution of this nature. Sixty one patients were treated in the medical department during the year, 35 of them being subsequently discharged.

Clinics Prove Valuable.

One of the outstanding developments concerning the sanatorium during the past year, was the employment of a full time resident medical director. This factor is considered as permitting a closer study of individual cases and better management of the same than when formerly under a part-time medical regime. The annual report further states that improved opportunity for bringing the institution with its needs and objects before the public has manifested itself. Closer co-operation with the physicians in the sanatorium district as to the diagnosis of suspected cases and the use of the sanatorium for the same with rural clinics for the benefit of the community are also considered as additional features of no small importance.

Sanatorium Too Small.

The methods of treatment used in different cases of tuberculosis are those which have been found by specialists in the work to give the best results. The institution as yet is not complete as to equipment and with the view of some day standing on a par in this respect with other sanatoriums of the state, it has been recommended that a microscope for bacteriological examinations and a suitable x-ray apparatus for clearer diagnosis and study of cases be purchased. An outlook shack or lean-to with glass roof for the use of natural heliotherapy or as a substitute for the same and installation of an artificial sun-light lamp, have also been recommended.

It is thought that the coming year will see the erection and equipment of a building to house the sanatorium staff. A tax levy was made for that purpose during 1920 and plans for the building are being drawn up at the present time. The completion of such a building will increase the patient capacity of the institution, which is now much too small, as a large waiting list is necessary at all times.

Dr. Milan in concluding his report as medical director, says:

"I desire to express my appreciation for the interest and kindly attitude which the various social organizations of the community have manifested toward the institution and its patients. The pleasures in the way of entertainments which they have brought to us have been no small factor in the maintenance of a cheerful institutional atmosphere. The sanatorium commission by its co-operation in the work and courtesies to myself have made the past year's endeavors both pleasant and profitable to all."

Attended School Meeting.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president, and Dr. O. F. Mellby, vice president, of the Thief River Falls board of education, attended a conference of Red River Valley school board members held at Crookston last Wednesday. Much information of a helpful nature to school boards in carrying on their work was brought out during the conference, and such gatherings will become annual or semi-annual features, according to expressions made by those in attendance.

After Dairy Cattle.

S. Currie of Park River, N. D., was in Thief River Falls on Tuesday for the purpose of looking over some of the dairy herds of this section. He recently sold his entire herd of 50 prize winning Jerseys for ten thousand dollars and is at present looking for other dairy animals.

FIRST APPEARANCE OF CHORAL SOCIETY IN PUBLIC CONCERT

Fifty Finely Trained Voices Will Be Heard in Chorus and Solo Numbers.

The public will have the first opportunity of hearing the Thief River Falls Choral society in chorus work next Tuesday evening when that organization gives a concert the precedent of which has never been heard here. The chorus is composed of fifty voices and under the directions of Miss Maude L. Johnson, and has been working diligently during the past several months on some very difficult and beautiful numbers. It is predicted that their first appearance will surprise the music lovers of the community because of the character of the work undertaken and the results accomplished. The city is fortunate in possessing many singers of excellent voice and the formation of a choral union presents the first opportunity for harmonious work on a large scale. In addition to 12 chorus numbers the program for Tuesday evening includes a piano solo by Miss Laura E. Forde, a violin solo by Miss Ausilga Sorenson and a vocal solo by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher.

From the success of the advance sale of tickets conducted during the past ten days it is apparent that the people of the city are going to support the new organization in the heartiest of fashion, and a large attendance is assured for Tuesday evening.

ANSWER IS FILED IN CASE AGAINST CITY

Action of Applicants For Restraining Order Will Not Affect Proposed Program.

The Capital Trust and Savings bank of St. Paul, as a co-defendant in the action brought against the city of Thief River Falls, the city administration, the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, and the above named financial institution by property owners of this city, has filed an answer to the summons putting the plaintiff to proof. It is the consensus of legal opinion that the claim was groundlessly filed for the purpose of delaying the paving project scheduled to be carried out in Thief River Falls during the summer. Ambrose Tighe, one of the foremost attorneys of the Northwest, has been retained by the co-defendant as counsel.

It is also stated that the action interposed by the objectors to the paving of the city streets, as plaintiffs, will have no effect upon operations and that the preliminary work will proceed in order that construction may begin immediately the ground is in proper condition in the spring. The City of Thief River Falls has yet to file its answer to the Summons.

STAY OF SENTENCE IN PEARSON CASE

Mrs. Martha Pearson, found guilty of manslaughter in the second degree by a jury in Polk county district court at the winter term after it had heard the evidence in connection with the finding of an infant child on the roof of a Crookston hotel, was granted an additional stay of sentence of 30 days by Judge William Watts in district court on Monday.

The stay was granted to allow the attorneys for Mrs. Pearson to secure an affidavit from Dr. F. H. Gambell, a former resident of Thief River Falls, now in California, who is alleged to have treated her in her childhood, and affidavits from any other persons who did not testify at the trial.

Whether Mrs. Pearson will be granted a new trial will be decided at the end of the stay. At that time the attorneys for the state and for the defense will argue the motion for a new trial.

Fourteen Aliens to Take Step Toward Citizenship

Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren will conduct a hearing of petitions for naturalization as citizens of the United States at the Pennington county court rooms on Friday, Feb. 25. Fourteen petitions have already been filed. At the hearing of Friday the date for the second will be fixed.

INSURE GROWER NO FIXED PRICE FOR BEET CROP

Minnesota Sugar Company Can Only Take Section's Output on Sliding Scale.

High Freight Rates and Low Price on Finished Product Are Reasons Given.

Can Use Same Quantity as Last Year if Farmer Will Pay the Freight.

The Crookston Daily Times in the issue of last Friday made the statement that thre Minnesota Sugar company of Chaska had notified growers of sugar beets that owing to the freight rate now being so high as to make the shipment of beets from the northwestern part of the state unprofitable, they would not be in the market for any from points this far distant from the factory. The contracting of greater sugar beet acreage in the southern part of the state was apparently the only method of supplying the Chaska factory with a sufficient quantity of beets. However, through the efforts of County Agent J. J. McCann and J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture for the state, in making the sugar officials acquainted with the situation here, they have reconsidered their decision and Pennington county will be allotted the same acreage as of last year, namely 300 acres.

Intended Dropping Territory.

A letter received by Mr. McCann from L. E. Flinke, general manager of the Minnesota Sugar company, states:

"It was our intention to discontinue operations at both Crookston and Thief River Falls this year, due to the excessive rate of freight, but through the efforts of Mr. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, we have concluded that we will accept about the same acreage at these two points as contracted for last year, with the understanding that the grower assumes $1.00 per ton of the freight charges. This, however, leaves a much larger portion for us to assume than any of our other territory, and in this connection, and for the good of the business, we think it advisable for us to provide some experienced labor on deals running 20 acres or larger."

Want Sliding Price.

The letter further states that the price to be paid for beets is based automatically on the prices for sugar during the months of October, November, December and January, the months during which the sugar company has its manufactured product for sale. This is what the sugar beet growers of the older established sections have long been working for. Under this arrangement if the price of sugar is low, the price per ton for beets is necessarily low, and vice versa. If sugar sells for 6 cents a pound, sugar beets are worth a trifle over $6.00 per ton. If sugar sells for 10 cents a pound, the beets are worth almost $11.00 per ton. The company makes no guarantee as to price per ton or per acre.

It is evident that the new contract offered by the Minnesota Sugar company protects the factory and assures the farmer just what the sugar market will warrant. The capacity of the Chaska factory is approximately the yield of beets from 10,000 acres. In the last few weeks they have signed contracts for over 6,000 acres in the Minnesota valley. They admit, however, the purity and great sugar content of the northern grown beets, specifically mentioning those grown in the vicinity of Thief River Falls during the past year, and would like to use them if possible.

The advisability of holding a meeting of those interested in the growing of sugar beets in Pennington county is being considered for the purpose of discussing the new form of contract offered by the Chaska officials.

RAN GAMING HOUSE; GET 60 DAYS EACH

Judge Grindeland Knocks Off Thirty Days of Sentence on Guilty Plea.

Axel Anderson and Joseph Trodeau, indicted by the grand jury on a charge of running a gambling house in this city, when arraigned before Judge Andrew Grindeland during the regular term of the district court held here last week, withdrew their plea of not guilty and entered one of guilty. On Thursday both were sentenced to sixty days in the county jail at Warren and began serving their sentence on Friday morning. Judge Grindeland in pronouncing the sentence stated that thirty days had been "knocked off" because of the defendants having entered the plea of guilty.

The Myrom divorce case scheduled for Friday was continued to March 28, as was the case of the Red Lake Building association vs. John Horejsch, which was also scheduled for Friday. On the above mentioned date an adjourned term of court will be held here over a period of two days, following which Judge Grindeland will hold the regular session at Ada.

City News

Great Removal Sale now going on at Palace Clothing House. f24

R. Loomis of Minneapolis, attended to business matters in this city on Friday.

O. J. Bickley left Monday evening for Big Stone Gap, Virginia, where he will spend a week on business.

Miss Tella M. Kolberg, chiropractor, left Friday afternoon for Fargo to spend a few days visiting friends.

Morlan Bishop, state bank examiner, passed the week end visiting at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Miss Olga Waldal arrived here on Monday evening from Plummer to spend a couple of days receiving dental treatment.

C. T. Fraser returned Monday evening from Karlstad where he had been a guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. Beckman.

Mrs. Nellie Shipstad returned to her home at Gully the first of the week after spending a brief period visiting at the Ole Roisland home here.

Mrs. E. Collins, who had spent a week visiting the Thos. Smith home at Mavie, left this city on Saturday afternoon for her home at Grand Forks.

Miss Julia Peterson arrived here on Friday evening from Warren where she had visited friends, leaving this city Saturday morning for her home at Middle River.

Miss Florence Aalberg, who teaches school at Erskine, returned to that city on Tuesday morning after a four day vacation spent in visiting her mother, Mrs. Trine Aalberg, here.

Why Pay More ?

Pay-Day Overalls $1.25
Pay-Day Work Shirts 69c
Heavy Cotton Ribbed Union Suits $1.49
Men's Cotton Sox 15c
Men's Dress Shirts 98c
Boys' School Pants 98c to $1.98
Paris Garters 25c
Coats' Spool Cotton 5c
Coats' Crochet Thread 11c
Heavy Outings 19c
Light or dark Calicoes 10c
Tricolette, all shades $1.85
Ladies' pure silk Hose 98c
Jap Rose Soap 9c
White Laundry Soap 6c
Jap Rose Talcum Powder 10c
Good Brooms 63c

SPRING ARRIVALS
New Dresses $9.90 to $32.50
More New Suits $27.50 to $62.50
Ladies' Coats $10.90 to $37.50
New Skirts $4.98 to $12.50
New Spring Shoes and Oxfords for Men, Women and Children.

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Modern Organization

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First National Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.
MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
Resources Over One Million Dollars

Great Removal Sale now going on at Palace Clothing House. f24

Geo. L. Sterns left Monday morning on a business trip to Badger and Warroad.

R. Hire of Minneapolis was a business caller in this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Louise Wilson of St. Hilaire, shopped in this city on Monday between trains.

Otto Gullingsrud of Grand Forks transacted business in this city the latter part of last week.

Mrs. W. M. Wood of Middle River arrived here Monday afternoon for a visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. Randie Gilseth.

Miss Lottie Austin returned to this city Friday evening from Fosston where she had spent a few days visiting her mother.

Miss Esther Meyer returned to her home at Steiner Saturday morning after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Percy Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stenberg left Saturday morning for International Falls to spend an indefinite time visiting with relatives and friends.

A. S. Bishop of Milwaukee, arrived here Sunday morning in response to a wire that his father, O. A. Bishop, of this city, was seriously ill.

Miss Agnes Mosbeck, who is employed in this city, left Monday afternoon for her home at St. Hilaire, where she will visit for a week.

Mrs. Peter Bundy returned to her home at Twin Valley on Saturday evening after spending a month visiting with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown returned Monday morning from St. Hilaire, where she visited at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Branum, for a week.

Mrs. John Crane of Grafton, N. D., returned to her home Friday after a fortnight's visit here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek.

Rev. Geo. Larson, who had spent a week getting subscriptions for Augsburg seminary in the vicinity of Bemidji, returned to his home here Monday evening.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds of the art department at Loken's store, left Monday afternoon via the Great Northern for Minneapolis, where she will enjoy her vacation.

Miss Marian Miller, who has taken a special course in commercial subjects at Duluth, returned to this city Saturday evening to resume her duties at the high school.

Paul Engelstad, employed by the Farm bureau, returned to this city on Friday after a week of lecturing in numerous places throughout Pennington and Marshall counties.

Mrs. Frank Zavoral of Goodridge, left this city Monday evening for Mahnomen where she will spend a week visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Craft returned to their home at Plummer Monday evening, having spent the day visiting their nephew, Henry Gustafson, who is a patient at Oakland Park sanitorium.

Misses Beatrice and Ingaborg Dale, who spent a few days as guests at the home of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse, returned to their home at McIntosh Tuesday evening.

Aug. Rolland was in the city on Friday visiting relatives enroute from St. Hilaire where he spent a few days with his family. He returned on Saturday morning to Hibbing where he is employed.

Fred Will, employed by the Soo as call boy, left the latter part of last week for the twin cities where he will receive medical treatment for a tumor on his face. He expects to be absent a week or ten days.

Mrs. Harry Fredericks, who is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a brief period visiting with friends. Mrs. Fredericks is a graduate of North Dakota university.

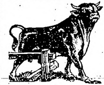

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Great Removal Sale now going on at Palace Clothing House. f24

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Miss Florence Johnson of Warren was in the city over Sunday as the guest of friends.

Iver Wickem of Bottineau, N. D., arrived here Saturday evening for a visit with friends.

Miss Selma Sjoquist of Strandquist was a guest of friends here on Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. John Havel left Saturday morning for Badger to spend a week visiting with relatives.

Frank Hanson arrived here Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Viola Axelson and mother of Rosewood, were in the city on Monday attending to shopping.

Miss Edna Anderson, student at the local high school, was a week-end guest of her parents at Wylie.

A. E. Carlson returned to his home at Warren on Tuesday, after visiting with friends here a few days.

Emil Zeh returned this morning from a week's visit to the twin cities and points on the iron ranges.

Miss Jessie Barnett left last evening for Minneapolis where she will visit friends for a brief period.

Joel Shoberg arrived here Tuesday evening from his home at Rosewood to attend to matters of business.

Miss Myrtle Krohn returned Tuesday morning from Minneapolis where she visited with friends since Friday.

L. Hawkins was in this city over the week attending to matters of business and calling on numerous friends.

Mrs. Karl Korstad of Highlanding spent a few days the first of the week as the guest of numerous friends here.

Mr and Mrs. Henry Lee returned to their home at Rosewood yesterday after visiting friends here for a couple of days.

Miss Marguerite DeCremer left Friday afternoon for East Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson returned to her home at Crookston Friday afternoon having spent a few days visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. M. W. Brink and baby daughter, Maria Suzzane, are spending the week visiting with relatives in Black River township.

Mrs. Aug. Johnson arrived here on Monday evening from her home at Leonard to spend a few days as the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fennel and daughter are spending the week as guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers.

Mrs. E. A. Soltau left Thursday morning for Pine Creek, where she was called because of the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Ruby Jensen of Goodridge was a week-end guest of friends in this city. She returned to her home on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lindberg of Kennedy were guests of friends in this city the first of the week returning to their home yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Shaw, accompanied by her daughter, Joyce, left this city on Sunday evening for Plummer to spend a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mulhall returned Friday from a two months' visit with relatives at Prince Albert and other points in Canada.

Mrs. Chas. Halgrim arrived here last evening from Rosewood to spend a couple of days as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Mrs. H. Gustafson, who spent a day visiting her son Henry, who is confined at Oakland Park Sanitarium, returned to her home at Plummer on Monday evening.

Mrs. Agnes Warring returned to her home at Steiner Monday morning, having spent a short period visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Olson.

Mrs. Ida M. Kinsela left Friday afternoon for Crookston where she will spend a few days visiting with her daughter, Miss Grace, who is employed by the Crookston Times.

Hans Wold and Mat Anderson, the former an uncle and the latter a cousin of Hans Sahl of this city, returned to their home in Perley last week after having paid a short visit to the family of their kinsman here.

Mrs. Harwood, editress of the Roosevelt Reporter, was the guest of friends here Monday morning enroute from Minneapolis and St. Paul, where she attended the Minnesota Editorial association, to her home at Roosevelt.

Misses Anna Polansky and Lottie Haugen arrived here Friday afternoon from Middle River, where they attend school, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bradley until Saturday morning when they returned to the above named place.

Among the list of winners in the exhibition skating and races by the Mankato Skating club on Sunday afternoon was Lloyd McCrystal, formerly of this city. He ranked first in races of 100 yds. in 13 seconds, 220 yds. in 41 seconds, 440 yd. and half mile.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and sons, Frederick and Gerald, left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks, where the former will appear as soloist at the New Grand Theater for a week. She will also take part in a concert to be given in the above mentioned city on Sunday. They will return to this city Monday morning.

Jordan Penney, Ray Kiland, Roy Brown, Gordon LaBree, Oscar Carlson and Alvin Holzknecht left Friday morning for Greenbush where they played basketball, returning with a tremendous victory. The team was accompanied by Melford Sorenson and Edwin Stebbins. Mrs. T. J. Rowan and Art Granum played for the dance following the game. All returned to this city on Saturday afternoon.

Great Removal Sale now going on at Palace Clothing House. f24

Mrs. O. Fellman of St. Hilaire was in the city yesterday attending to shopping.

T. Matulvig of Middle River transacted business in this city the first of the week.

Mrs. Fred Soderberg of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Tuesday between trains.

Carl Johnson arrived here the latter part of last week for a brief visit with relatives.

Jacob Greenagle, agent at Strathcona, was in the city yesterday visiting with friends.

Art LaBudde came up from Gonvick on Tuesday and spent a brief period visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Spinks returned to their home at Middle River yesterday after a brief visit here.

Mrs. R. Olson arrived here yesterday afternoon from Holt to spend a short time visiting with friends.

P. Anderson returned to his home at Plummer Saturday after spending a couple of days here on business.

F. S. Ebert of the Thief River Music Co., returned to this city yesterday afternoon from a business trip.

Miss Florence Fjelstad left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks where she visited over Sunday with her sister.

Geo. Mostue and Norbert Holzknecht returned yesterday morning from a week's vacation spent in the twin cities.

H. M. Magnusen returned to his home at Clearbrook Saturday morning, having spent a couple of days here on business.

Mrs. P. O. Rierson returned to her home at Holt yesterday, after spending a few days here as a guest of her son, Tilfred Rierson.

Mrs. R. Hanney returned to her home at Baudette Saturday morning, having spent a week in this city as the guest of friends.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw, who attended the Mid-winter meeting of Federated clubs at Minneapolis, returned to her home here Tuesday.

Miss Marie Nelson, assistant cashier of the First National bank here, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jensen at Goodridge on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, who attended the mid-winter session of Women's Federated clubs at Minneapolis, returned home on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. L. Stitt and son, Allison, returned to this city the first of the week from Minneapolis where they had visited friends for a few days.

Mrs. Henry Olson returned to her home at St. Hilaire Friday after spending a brief time visiting relatives here enroute from points in Canada.

Miss Anna Johnson of Warren arrived here Friday evening and spent a few days visiting with friends. She returned to her home Monday morning.

Mrs. H. Leiren and daughter, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting at the home of the former's parents near Gatzke, returned to their home here yesterday.

Mrs. Harry Fredericks returned to this city yesterday morning after spending a few days as the guest of Miss Madeline Turner and other friends at Grand Forks.

Mrs. F. Favrow left Sunday evening for Minneapolis to visit friends, after which she will go to Superior, Wis., to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ray Levins, for a week.

Miss Edith Skogland, who spent a week visiting her parents at Roseau, returned to this city yesterday afternoon to continue her duties as stenographer for Gustafson & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murphy were guests of friends in this city between trains on Saturday. They returned to their home at Middle River Saturday morning. Mrs. Murphy was formerly Miss Flora Boyden, well known in this city.

Derby Anderson, who spent some time receiving medical treatment in the twin cities at the government's expense, returned to this city the latter part of last week. It is his intention to continue treatment at the Oakland Park Sanitarium for a time.

Mrs. Scott Laird, accompanied by Mrs. T. J. Rowan, left yesterday morning for Chisholm and Hibbing where the former will be the guest of Mrs. A. S. Sapero, who is visiting at Chisholm and the latter will be the guest of her brother until Saturday.

Ed. Granum, who has spent practically the entire winter at his home here, left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks, where he will visit with friends for a couple of days before leaving for Seattle, Wash., where he will take up his former duties with the Standard Oil company.

Henry Hogquist, an experienced clothing dry cleaner and repair man, formerly employed at the Kleanall-in this city, has again been secured by that concern and will look after his share of the spring business. Mr. Hogquist has had many years experience in this line and is an expert at his trade.

E. O. Mogensen left Monday evening for Minneapolis and Chicago for the purpose of making spring purchases for his clothing store. He may extend his trip to St. Louis before returning, this depending on how he finds conditions in the first cities to be visited. Upon his return he will have something of interest to announce to the men folks of this section.

"We have come to the opinion that the use of phosphate fertilizer should be given a trial on our Pennington county lands, and will keep on hand from now on during the spring and early summer a stock of what is known as Acid Phosphate Fertilizer. We can furnish this in large or small quantities and at reasonable prices. Hanson & Barzen Milling Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. f24m3

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

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A. O. Aubol of Erie transacted business in this city the latter part of last week.

G. C. Streeter left Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to attend to business matters.

H. L. Sande of Steiner was in the city over Sunday as a guest at the J. O. Sether home.

E. M. Stanton returned Thursday morning from the twin cities where he had spent a few days on business.

Supt. B. O. Norby of Goodridge returned to his duties on Monday morning after visiting with friends here over Sunday.

W. E. Baker left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to attend the District meeting of the Order of Railway Telegraphers.

Mrs. K. Lang arrived here Monday evening from Goodridge to spend a day visiting her daughter who is a patient at the local hospital.

Dr. R. E. Spinks of Middle River arrived here Tuesday afternoon with a patient who was immediately removed to the Physicians hospital.

Miss Katherine Thill, operator at the Northwestern Telephone exchange left Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls on a brief visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warner and three children left on Tuesday morning for Holt where they will spend a brief period visiting with relatives.

Miss Cecelia Peterson of the clerical force at Loken's department store, left Tuesday morning for her home at Roseau, where she will spend a few days.

Miss Lillie Brurud returned to her home at Crookston on Tuesday afternoon, having spent a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Olson, in this city.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, who visited with relatives at Grand Forks since Friday, returned to this city on Wednesday morning to resume her duties in the Knox school.

A. E. McIntyre, the well-known piano tuner, is now in the city and will remain until further notice. He is prepared to look after all work in his line promptly and efficiently. Leave orders at the Larson Furniture company store and they will be given the best of attention. f24

Announcement to the Public.

In order to curtail expenses and as a matter of justice to those who do not avail themselves of the delivery service, such as farmers and others residing in the city, we have concluded to discontinue our delivery service on and after March 1st and will adopt the cash and carry plan, which will enable us to sell goods at a closer margin of profit. We will continue to pay the highest cash price for butter and eggs.—Peoples' Co-operative Store, Incl., by O. H. Nelson, Mgr. F24

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Mpls.)

A turn of unfavorable weather and winter crop conditions during the past week was the cause of some apprehension particularly with regard to the safety of the Southwestern wheat crop, and in consequence stronger markets in all grains resulted. The green bug in large numbers in Texas and Oklahoma was persistently reported and the trade, fearing unseasonably cold weather in the Southwest, which would tend to increase the bug menace, freely covered short commitments and new speculative buying was in evidence.

Those were disappointed who anticipated stronger markets upon passage of the Fordney emergency tariff bill, designed with the main objective of imposing a 40c per bushel import tax on Canadian wheat. It is regarded as almost certain that the president will veto the bill and passage over the veto will be very difficult. Whether or not it becomes a law, we regard the bill as only a temporary factor effecting the trend of prices.

Of most influence now are weather and crop conditions in the Southwest, total absence of additional export business, the comparatively cheap Argentine sales of wheat, steady weakening of premiums for cash wheat here and the milling demand which now is none too brisk.

American wheat is now on a strictly domestic basis—competitive countries are selling Europe from 15c to 40c cheaper—so that the question of crop progress and domestic milling requirements to absorb the balance of the old crop are of primary importance.

Undoubtedly the condition of winter wheat from now on will determine the producer's policy in holding or selling the present farm reserves, and it may be noted that the only important visible North American supply is in the hands of the growers.

Buying coarse grains at present levels is cheaper than raising it is a common sentiment. Were production known to be no more remunerative than present values, the acreage for the next crop undoubtedly would be greatly reduced, but no one is aware of conditions or prices that will prevail next year, and despite the unsatisfactory conditions it is an entirely safe theory that the grower, like every other worker, will continue working and seed an average acreage before spring farm work commences another free movement from first hands is expected as reports from the corn belt are quite unanimous in showing large reserves.

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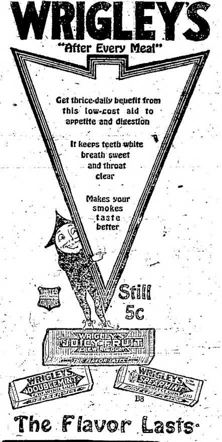

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Public Forum

More on Railroad Subject.

Editor Times:

From what we have been able to learn the businessmen and the citizens of Thief River Falls were very much impressed with the idea of the "Loop System of Railroad" and they will without doubt be glad to co-operate with the farmers in bringing about the desired result, when the time for action comes.

In the meantime it is now up to the farmers within the county to assist in the best way they know how, and it's for those especially residing within the territory embraced under the proposed extension to get busy and talk the matter over in a business way with their neighbors and get them interested and posted up on the subject.

There will be no canvassers sent out to talk railroad. It is simply a farmer proposition and it will rest upon them entirely, as to whether or not we are to get the benefit of a railroad system that will be satisfactory to all concerned, and be the making of our county. Let us bear in mind that the days of competition in railroad building and development is now a thing of the past. Railroads, like other optimistic industries have adopted of late years the merger plan, or rather formed a "pooling combine," which has centered all their thoughts on the earning powers of their investments with the least operating cost. This has in some way put a damper on the development activity of railroading. Consequently we have nothing to expect from them, in the development line, in any place where they have once become established in some way. As time passes on the farmers will find that all country development along this line will largely depend upon the farmers themselves, and thru co-operative work of the local towns. It is simply up to the people to adjust themselves to such conditions and the sooner they will be able to realize this fact the sooner they will be able to better their condition. The big idea is to make use of the present time in such a way that we can be able to enjoy a little of the comforts of life while it can do us some good.

Among other things let us not overlook the fact that if we expect this part of the country to develop in a satisfactory way, we must adopt a plan that will place our offerings on a level with the southern part of our state and other places as to railroad facilities. Every home seeker who is looking for a new home wants something that compares favorably with what he is used to in all respects. In other words, if it isn't, they get the idea that a country without proper railroad accommodations is a wilderness and is not fit for anyone to live in and they go elsewhere and invest their money where conditions suit them in this respect. Really we can't blame them. They have been born and raised with that idea, that no country can prosper without a satisfactory railroad service. There is also another thing that we must take into consideration in connection with the railroad proposition, and that is this: Think what it will mean to Pennington county if we can put a good industrious farmer on every vacant piece of land. It will bring the present tax level down to the low water mark, and it will create in the people a spirit that will put the wheels of progress a moving towards the goal of their ambition—happy homes and a happy people.

Last but not the least, if we will only get busy it will show the rest of the world that we really mean business and are interested in our own welfare and in the progress of our country. We will not have to waste any time in talking about our natural resources and local inducements to the outside world. Northern Minnesota will speak for itself when that time comes.

The voters residing within the territory embraced under the proposition in question will have an opportunity to register their decision in this matter at the annual town meeting on March 8th in a temporary way.

Yours truly,
W. A. SWANSON.

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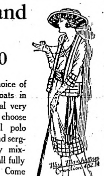

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New Silks for Easter Wear
as fresh and appealing as the budding spring leaves, and so appropriate, too, for Easter Frocks; for delightful little all-the-year-'round blouses; these silks come in all the new shades and colorings, mostly 36 in. and 40 in. widths. Prices, the yard—
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Sheeting, 40c—9-4 bleached sheeting; now is the time to make your summer bedding at only, Yard, 40c

Long Cloth—some very special numbers in long cloth, 36 inches wide. Very special, at, Yard, 20c
Fancy Lining, 38c—36 inches wide. In many beautiful patterns. A big Special, yd. 38c
Plaids For Skirts, 35c—36 in. wide. A big selection for your spring skirts, At this Sale, 35c
Plaids, 25c—27 inches wide. A nice dress for the girls at such a reasonable price, only, yd. 25c

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CONCERNING SUGAR BEETS.

The outlook for a large acreage of sugar beets in Pennington and other northwestern counties is not as good as was the case a short time ago. This is the fault of neither grower nor buyer but the result of conditions over which they have not the slightest control.

It is admitted by the sugar refiners that beets grown in this section are superior to those found anywhere else in the North. They would very much like to depend upon a large acreage being devoted to the cultivation of the beet here, but other considerations enter into the proposition which makes it difficult for them to follow their inclinations in the matter.

First and foremost among these is the present low price of sugar which makes it impossible for the manufacturer to pay as much for the raw material as was the case last year. Another serious drawback is the advanced freight rate, which is an item of decided importance where it concerns an article of such bulk. In fact, the company states that it will be impossible to handle the beets from this section at the same price as is paid for the product raised nearer home unless the grower is willing to stand a part of the transportation charges. This cannot be regarded as anything but a reasonable proposition.

The company also states that it will be both unsafe and unfair to put a fixed contract figure on the crop this year. Sugar quotations fluctuate to such an extent under present conditions that fixing a figure for next fall's output would be purely a gambling transaction. In lieu of a contract price the company proposes that growers operate under a sliding scale, the price of beets to be regulated by the price of sugar at the time they are marketed. This price would be about the same per ton in dollars as the refined sugar would be per pound in cents. In other words, if sugar is selling for 6 cents per pound wholesale, the price per ton of beets to the grower will be approximately $6.00. This is practically the ratio that has been followed in the industry during past years. Any marked deviation from the rule has been but temporary.

The question now is: Will the grower take his chances the same as the manufacturer? It seems a pity that the excellent start toward beet raising in this section shall go for nothing, but such will certainly be the case if any agreement other than that proposed is insisted on by the grower. He will have to be the sole judge in the premises. The company will do everything possible to help him along, providing seed and skilled labor where this is desired, but evidently cannot permit itself to be tied down to a certain contract stipulation which must be lived up to regardless of what the price of the finished product may be.

The outlook is not discouraging even as things stand. If the price of beets maintains its relative position when compared with other products the fact that this has proven to be a particularly favored section for their production will naturally force the industry to the front. If our farmers can raise more beets or better beets there is nothing to be feared when it comes to meeting competition on an even footing. The matter is almost entirely up to the grower himself.

DON'T GO TOO FAR.

It will probably be admitted that the public was justified in demanding that prices drop to somewhere near normal before buying anything outside the bare necessities of life, but there is a point beyond which it is dangerous to carry this determination. That point has been reached. Holding off longer in making purchases can only have the effect of retarding a general return to prosperous conditions and the person who demands further and immediate reductions before making sensible and necessary purchases is doing the very thing most calculated to bring on a condition very much worse than that we are now passing through.

In this connection the following editorial from the New York World is worthy of perusal. It proves that it is not only in the farming districts the danger of the people's growing "hard boiled" on this subject is to be feared. Industrial centers are feeling the effect of the partial boycott and the situation there is fully as serious. Says this great New York paper:

"The time has come to urge upon consumers a return to the kind of discriminating buying necessary to sustain industry and encourage production.

"A few months ago the public registered its protest against profiteer prices by refusing to buy.

"No one can say that protest was not effective.

"Everybody knows that in many directions retail as well as wholesale prices have come down and that many articles can be bought now for much less than at the time when a sorely tried public practically ceased buying.

"In their own interest, consumers cannot afford to carry the 'don't-buy' policy too far.

"In the long run, closed mills and stagnant demand cannot make for progressively decreasing prices.

"Even on a falling market there comes a moment when the public should begin to buy steadily, in order to stabilize prices at the lower levels and prevent a new upward movement due to diminished production.

"That moment has now come.

"Consumers should buy, and buy freely, of retail dealers who have consistently reduced prices.

"Such buying will put strong economic pressure on dealers who have so far failed to reflect wholesale price-cuts.

"It will also assure producers of the willingness of the public to buy at reasonable prices.

"Neither production nor prosperity can stand an indefinite period of subnormal buying and sub-normal circulation of money.

"It is time to buy."

WILL AGAIN PLAY GOOD SAMARITAN.

The raising of another relief fund, this time for the starving hordes of devastated northern China, has been started in Thief River Falls and neighborhood at a time when the entire country seems laboring under a financial depression and following drives of many kinds for many different reliefs and purposes. And the outcome will undoubtedly be the same as that of all of the others—the people will respond as only American people can and will respond.

America still enjoys, in practically all instances, the happy monotony of three square meals a day and has only a scant idea of how the unfed peoples of the earth are enduring their hardships. The fact that millions of people are dying for want of food is only statistics. Whatever be the degree of blame that can be laid to the Chinese government, and however lax their own people in properly organizing relief, there is still the human question of life or death. Thirty million Chinese are at present living in an area utterly foodless and without means of obtaining food by their own efforts. Five dollars will keep one adult alive until next June, when the winter crop, which has been helped by late autumn rains, will mature. Failing that five dollars, the adult native—from five to ten millions in number—will not be kept alive. He will die the most terrible death the human being can die—by inches and in nearly as great numbers and certainly with greater suffering than in the world war.

That is the meaning of the famine in China. Thief River Falls with her mite cannot save the lives of many out of the suffering millions, but it is the mites from all the other cities, towns and hamlets in the country which, when poured into the common coffer along with that from our city, will alleviate a condition the likes of which our nation has never witnessed.

EFFERVESCENCE.

The height of optimism is that which prompts the human of either sex to answer the "Missing Heirs Wanted" advertisement.

The Minneapolis Journal begins an editorial with "The world is being plumbed," but says nothing about who's going to foot the bill.

The wife beater who laid the blame for his act to curdled milk apparently had not conceived the possibility of a curdled disposition.

There will be no opposition to the passing of a bill to impose a $10 tax on batchelorhood. Most all of them consider that state worth far more.

If Henry Ford would devote his powers of ingenuity toward making something with a kick in it out of milk instead of working to get the kick out of it, he'd have a great deal of the country's unanimous approval.

Oddly enough, the Crooks State Bank of Crooks, South Dakota, is still open and in a thriving condition.

A fashion plate shrieks with the headlines, "Pretty Gowns For Dimpled Shoulders." And yet the woman is pictured with her back bare clear to her waist line.

Have someone page Fannie Hurst. Fannie thinks a man should not be obliged to support his wife.

Checks predominate in the new spring silks. Friend husband knows they do.

It is claimed that Lenine has submitted a plan to the Soviet congress for the complete electrification of Russia. That doesn't sound like Len. He probably meant to say electrocution.

Oolai also thinks marriage a funny thing. If one sees friends within a few months after the ceremony, they expatiate upon the felicity of the marriage state and the deplorable condition of ever being singly blessed. If it's a year after, they can't have new spring suits because of payments on the house, and things must be thoroughly considered before taking a final step. In another year or two one admires the children and the parents are silent.

Shortening the Bridge.

(Country Gentleman.)

The longest bridge in the business world is the one that spans the gap between the farm price and the retail price of food. Speaking in general averages and approximations, the farmer gets thirty-five cents for food and the consumer pays a dollar. Hence the unrest of the farms, the steady exodus to the city and the gathering demand for a showdown and a new deal in prices.

Butterfat is a notable exception to this rule of wide price divergence. It is seldom that the butterfat farmer fails to get half the price of the finished product and often he receives as much a pound for fat as the finished butter sells for. In Minnesota during the good-pasture and big-milk-flow month of June one hundred and one cooperative creameries paid an average of 63.3 cents a pound for butterfat.

How much profit there was in this price is a matter for careful determination, but at least it brought the satisfaction of being fairly near to the price the consumer paid. When you add all the other favorable things which may be said of the cow that furnishes buttefat for market and skim milk for calves and pigs, you have an advantage which dairy interests should press vigorously.

Storm Signals From Farmers.

(Crookston Times)

Something sane and constructive must be done for agriculture. William Allen White, writing in the Emporia, Kan., Gazette, expresses the belief that unless economic relief comes to the farmers of this country before 1922 there will then be such a political storm as would make former upheavals of the sort look insignificant.

"At present," he writes, "the farmers are puzzled. They are out of patience, if they are not angry; they don't know where to turn."

Whatever their attitude toward the whole public may have been in the past in selfishness and too great conservatism, they now have genuine troubles at which the rest of the nation is unwise to scoff. There has been a decline in the price of everything the farmer has to sell, but not in the cost of things he must buy. Unemployment exists in many of the big cities, but it has not yet begun to reduce the cost of farm labor, still high and scarce.

The farmers will probably demand four things, prophesies Mr. White. (1) Some special farm credit arrangement with the Federal Reserve Bank. (2) Some security of price in the spring when he plants his crop for the harvest in the fall. (3) Some right of co-operative marketing, encouraged and possibly controlled and stimulated by the government, which will give him a fair show in the world markets. (4 A square deal from packers and big grain men in big distributing centers.

The farmer's troubles are real and acute. Many of them he can straighten out for himself if he will. But some of them depend upon a more understanding public opinion and fairer treatment on the part of the other industries. Mr. White's conclusion is a warning which needs to be read seriously and thoughtfully by Congress and public alike. "It is fair weather now; so was it while Noah built the Ark."

Girl wanted to work on farm. Washing and churning done by electricity. Write at once for particulars to Mrs. P. F. Kelly, R. F .D., St. Thomas, N. D. m10pd

Hang All Crepe-Hangers; We Are Ready to Proceed With Business as Usual

Among the many very excellent circulars sent out by business houses to their customers and having for their purpose the inspiring of optimism and confidence in the future prosperity of the country, the following, by the National Sales and Trading company of Cleveland, Ohio, is one of the best. It touches upon nearly every subject of particular interest at this time and hands out a lot of advice that all will do well to heed. The circular follows:

The Party Is Over.

And it was some party while it lasted. Deflation is with us and also with the balance of the world. This will lead to sanity and health. We all knew this adjustment had to come some time, so why feel blue and discouraged? We have been through the same thing before, we will live through this adjustment period also.

Banks.

We have a banking system that is holding up in fine shape, and we will have no money panic. Consider what would have happened in the last few months without the Federal Reserve System.

Gold.

We have about half the known gold supply in our bank vaults. Compare this with the situation before the war, and the present situation of the European countries.

Credit.

Every nation on the earth owes us money! Think of the billions of dollars in stocks and bonds held abroad before the war, on which we were obliged to pay dividends and interest. These stocks and bonds are now in America's strong box.

Money.

Our dollar is the only unit of currency in the world commanding a premium in every market and this situation will continue for years.

Exports.

Our exports exceed our imports by a wide margin and will do so for a long time. We have coal which every country must buy from us. England has not the pre-war tonnage to keep up her pre-war exports. Our only limit is the mechanical means to dump the cars into ocean ships, and we have ships! A few of them may leak perhaps, but we have the yards in which to build others and repair the ones we now own. And our flag flies in many ports where it has not materials, and the world must buy from us or do without.

Railroads.

Our railroads have been given a living rate. They need everything from tacks to locomotives and we own the factories which can supply them.

Building.

Every village and city in our land is seven years behind in their building program. They need everything from chicken coop to office building, and these wants must be supplied.

Automobiles.

The automobile and tire business is weak in the knees at present, but it will recover. Autos are still in daily use, and the middle of any city street is as unsafe a gossiping place as it was six months ago. We will continue to drive cars of high and low degree, and remember, every time the wheels revolve the automobile and its tires are that much nearer the junk heap.

Roads.

Road building projects on a large scale are being planned all over the country and will be put through.

Foreign Exchange.

If our foreign friends refuse to buy our goods or cannot do so because of the exchange, remember we are years behind in everything in our own country, and we could live on our own fat for five years and put our house in order, and get acquainted with each other again, and be the better for it.

Salesmanship.

Real salesmanship has come into fashion again. The day of the order taking is over, so get your feet out of the office, stop talking hard times, and hot foot it up the street and down the alleys and by-ways hustling for business, and you will find many concerns using your line of goods of whose existence you have not been aware. Keep your tail off the ground or it will be stepped on by some hustling salesman on his way to secure an order from one of your own customers.

Go To It.

We have the money, the credit, the factories, the labor, the materials, the brains, the initiative and we are naturally optimistic. Pessimism is a disease that follows poor circulation. Exercise is the best cure for it. Go out after the business. Burn the crepe hangers, wear out the shoe leather, you will get some business, and anyhow it will help the shoe business.

Prices.

Prices are being adjusted in every direction, and many of them are already dragging bottom. When you hit bottom you always come up, perhaps a little disfigured, but anyway, you come up.

Mrs. Nellie Buhl.

Mrs. Nellie Buhl of Roosevelt, died in this city Feb. 17, from abscesses, from which she had suffered for some time. The deceased is the wife of Wm. Buhl, proprietor of the hotel at Roosevelt and was 48 years of age at the time of her death. The body was shipped to her home for burial.

Churches

Sw. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 and evening service at 7:30. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Midweek service Thursday at 7:30 p. m. *All welcome.*

S. D. A. Mission—There will be no service on Sunday evening, Feb. 27th. Sabbath school Feb. 26 at 2 o'clock. Bible classes in the English and Scandinavian languages. An offering for the relief of the suffering people of China will be taken up. An invitation is extended to the public.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium, subject Feb. 26 "Jesus Christ." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Reading room at the same place open every Tuesday and Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5. To these services and privileges the public is cordially invited.

German Lutheran Church—German service Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. English service at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. P. O. Myhrum will entertain the Ladies Aid society Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. Bible class Thursday at 8 p. m.

Church Notice—Pentecostal Mission services will be held in the basement of the Scandia block, Thursday and Friday eveninugs at 8 o'clock. Evangelist C. O. Nordin, of Winnipeg, will speak. Services will be held at 2:30 and 8 p. m., on Sunday as usual. Everybody welcome.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services (city) at 11 a. m. Services at Rosewood at 2:30 p. m. Services (city) at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday entertained by Mrs. Ostmoe and Mrs. Pederson. Zion Young Peoples meeting Thursday evening entertained by Haugen, Snustad and Sortland. New members will be taken up Sunday at 11 a. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Feb. 27: 10 a. m. Sunday school. Special offering for hospital in Alaska. 11 a. m. morning worship, "Not One Stone Upon Another." 8 p. m. evening worship. The Junior choir will provide the special selections for this service. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. "Can We Make Our Lives Useful?"—Ex. 6:5-8. The Ladies Aid society will be entertained on Friday the 25th by Mrs. Geo. Nicholson, 212 Markley Ave. S. Mrs. G. L. Sterns will assist. All the ladies who desire to be present will be welcomed.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m. at the parsonage. Norwegian divine services Sunday at 11 a. m. English divine services 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible Class at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Monson, 401 Taft St., Wednesday, March 2nd. Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, March 3rd and is to be entertained by Mrs. P. L. Vistaunet, Mrs. Gilbert Sandum, Mrs. E. O. Thompson and Mrs. Hofto. Young Peoples' League Thursday evening, March 3rd. The choir meets for rehearsal at Larson's Furniture store Thursday evening at 7:30.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

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Before the Game.

"Four bells ! ! !"
"Chapel this morning?"
"Anything special?"
"What is 'doc' so nervous about today?"

These and numerous other exclamations and questions were from the students and even the Freshmen, as they proceeded to the assembly last Friday. Everyone took his or her singing seat—it being the regular go-to-chapel period.

During the first ten or fifteen minutes we indulged in singing or otherwise exercising our vocal mechanisms. This being executed in a very creditable manner it was announced that the best part of the day's program was still to be rendered. Our intensified suspense was immediately relieved when "Doc" (alias Prof. G. M. Melby), appeared before us on the stage. There were no footlights to enlighten his countenance, but nevertheless he seemed to be perfectly at ease.

When the first violent eruption of acclamation permitted anyone to be heard, "Doc" ordered: "I want you all at the front." The journalism class being familiar with the established place of an A-student, rushed to the front row, while some of the Freshmen with different conceptions of the front, withdrew meekly, having heard of its many and varied perplexities. The purpose of the order was, however, easily perceived when he continued: "This is going to be a real pep meeting for the big game with Warren tonight, and we want to speak to you en masse."

All of us being huddled together as near the front as we thought safe, "Doc" informed us that we would first be addressed by Coach "Tommy". Amid great applause he also came to the front, even farther than we, in fact he stood up in front of us, and began tersely: "Well I don't see why they always have to get me up here to speak to you. Of course, I'd rather speak now than last, because then there won't be anything left to say. Anyway I want to say this much—" He was hopelessly interrupted by the sudden appearance of [illegible] which easily justifies the [illegible] "Bassoon Bunglers." They walked, ran, hopped, skipped, jumped and otherwise ascended upon the platform. The procession was headed by its director, "Fat" Evenson, in due array, and consisted of a conglomeration of neck-horners, ham-boners, gaboonists, lip-stickers, jazzers and melaphonies. After a berth for every bungler had been found it was discovered that one little drummer had been left behind, and a delegation was sent after him.

In the meantime "Hjelmer" Larson, the captain of the T. R. F. H. S. quint was introduced and with his hands in his pockets, favored us with the following: "Well, I haven't much to say, but I spose you all know that we are going to play that game tonight, and I'll just say that with your support we'll beat those fellows."

The delegation finally returned with the lost drummer, and Hon. Director "Fat" was brought to notice. Having presided at similar occasions in Thief River Falls and other states, and having directed even equal and better known troopes than the present, he strolled before us with self-reliance and firmness, (possibly due to his 200 pounds.)

"Ladies, gentlemen, faculty, Freshmen, and otherwise," he ceremoniously began. "I have now the pleasure of presenting to you the renowned Thief River Falls Sympathy Band which will favor you with a periphrase of Beethoven's 'Moonlight Sonata.'" However, this was peculiarly similar to "Hail, hail, the Gang's All [illegible]" but was received with prolonged [illegible]. Buckets of Jazz were [illegible], and fulfilled even the loftiest expectations of a grand outburst of harmony. It varied from short stays in the elevated regions of high C sharp, to deep groans and descents to the lowest labyrinths of G flat. A special feature of the selection were the solo-duets by each member of the troupe, followed with a clash, bang, boom in unison.

The next on the program was Milford, "The Sheriff's Son," who evidently believes that some thoughts are beyond expression, and that words are sometimes futile, for he only favored us with a promenade across the platform.

"Caruso" Doland was called on, and gave a very eloquent and stirring speech which was favorably received—even by his teachers. We were sorry that "Rev." Shetler was unable to talk to us, for unknown reasons. Ofcourse, we know of his modesty.

"Wabbly" Ralston was caught rather unprepared, as he had expended most of his superfluous wind in rendering solos in unison with the rest of the band.

With some difficulty "Brother" Horgan was brought up, but as the shuf[illegible] bumping hall somewhat [illegible]ed his discourse, it consequently required a few strides back and forth (not on the stage, they couldn't get him up there) to stabilize his thoughts sufficiently to enable him to tell us that he didn't have much to say. It was magnanimously appreciated.

We also had the rare opportunity of hearing "Tarzan" Sorenson give a very enthusiastic and spirited talk on the virtues of the coming game.

Lastly "Doc." called on "Hiawatha" McDaniel, who said he was sure we would be better entertained at the games than by him making a speech—and of course we all heartily agreed with him.

Director "Fat" arose splendidly to the occasion when he announced the finish of the musical program, or in his own words: "Here we go again—Second spasm of the Sonata." Tum, tum, tum, clash! bang!! boom!!!. It was a further continuation of the first outbursts with probably even greater results.

As a conclusion to the meeting the yell master, Ed. Fiterman, was conveyed before us, to lend us in a few yells. To our amazement, however, his hands were in chains and consequently he was unable to talk or make his usual gyrations. This obstacle being removed as quickly as a key could be procured, he immediately repaired his universally-known ability to yell—and make others yell with him.

As a conclusion to this it may be added:

Lincoln High School, L. H. S.
Did we beat 'em? Well I guess!
We beat 'em, bust 'em, that's our custom, Lincoln High School, L.H.S.

Chapel.

A very interesting and educational talk on Infectious Diseases was given by Dr. L. F. Fisher of this city before the high school assembly Wednesday morning, Feb. 16.

Life, said Dr. Fisher, is simply a chemical reaction, and it is the purpose of medical men to prolong this reaction as much as possible, and to prevent it from being shortened by diseases and other unusual conditions. Diseases may be divided into three classes: functional, organic, and infectious. Infectious diseases are those which are caused by bacteria, and practically all of them are contagious. More people have died from infectious diseases than from any other cause. The great scourges, such as the black plague and the influenza attack which spread all over the earth some years ago, were infectious diseases. Investigations disclosed that an attack caused immunity, and later it was found that an artificially created attack, caused by vaccination, would give the same result. Now vaccinations are given for practically all infectious diseases. Infectious diseases are caused by microbes which live in the human body. Each kind of germ causes its own disease. These microbes pass from sick people to well, and gain entrance into the body especially through the mouth and nose. As long as they remain on the surface of the mucuos membrane, they do no harm, but as soon as some inflamation or irritation takes place, they get into the blood and infection begins. The germs may be carried by healthy people for a long time, and transmitted to other people who are more susceptible to the disease. Dr. Fisher cited several instances in which cases of infectious diseases were found which could not be explained as the victims had not been associated with any one who had the disease. It was finally discovered that healthy persons carried the disease germs in their systems, and spread them to others through food and other mediums.

Disease germs are also carried by animals. Thus uncooked fowel and small animals may cause tuberculosis. Rats are known to be carriers of disease, and a number of cities are taking measures to effect their extermination. Blood-sucking insects, such as mosquitoes and ticks spread diseases from sick to well. Besides acting as carriers of bacteria, mosquitoes also serve as a harborage during a certain stage of their development.

Dr. Fisher gave us some interesting information on the obstacles met by physicians in fighting the various diseases, and how the public might lessen the menace of infectious diseases by diligently observing the rules of public and private sanitation. His talk was well received by the audience, and we highly appreciate his visit.

The Wail of the Well.

Johnny Jones has lost a leg;
Fanny's deaf and dumb,
Marie has epileptic fits,
Tom's eyes are on the bum.
Sadie stutters when she talks,
Mabel has T. B.
Morris is a splendid case of imbecility
Billy Brown's a truant,
And Harold is a thief,
Teddy's parents gave him dope,
And so he came to grief,
Gwendolyn's a millionaire,
Gerald is a fool,
So every one of these darned kids
Goes to a special school.
They've specially nice teachers,
And special things to wear,
And special time to play in,
And special kind of air.
They've special lunches, right in school,
While I—it makes me wild;
I haven't any specialities,
I'm just
A
Normal
Child.

Local High Defeats Warren

The Thief River H. S. basket quint avenged their defeat of the earlier game from Warren last Friday evening at the auditorium by a score of 11to 7. Taking the lead in the first few minutes of play, Warren proved to the spectators that they would put up a good fight for the final score. The audience was much enthused by this and cheered the local boys to a passing score in the next few minutes, which they increased above Warren's points the rest of the game.

The excellent guarding of the local quint served as an unbreakable barrier to the Warren team and at half time the teams left the floor with the locals in the lead at a score of 4 to 3. Substitutes were not used by the Thief River team as the regular five held out to good advantage throughout the entire game.

Lindstrand, forward on the opposing team seemed unable to stand the gaff, his wind breaking twice, forcing time calls. He was taken out of the fray during the second half and substituted by Mattson. Larson starring, made three field goals and three free throws out of seven for the local contestants. Ralston is credited with one field basket. The work of the guards, Sorenson and Herron, held Warren well away from their goal and with LaBree, center, the Warren quint was forced to shoot from the center of the floor. Swandby, Warren's big forward, made the sensational shot of the game—a long neat shot from the center of the floor. He also made one free throw out of two. Lindstrand and Warner made one apiece of the remaining baskets shot. Warner showed up to be a very efficient guard—and—somewhat handicapped Ralston in his shots.

Warren has a fast team and the least that can be said is that it was a whirlwind of a game. The large number of spectators were right on their toes during the whole time of play. The lineup was as follows:

T. R. F.		Warren
Larson	RF	Lindstrand
Ralston	LF	Swandby
LaBree	C	Melgaard
Sorenson	LG	Warner
LaBree	RG	Hanson

Perry Johnson refereed with L. H. Lawrence as umpire.

Coach Tommeraason is working the boys hard and they are rapidly increasing their ability in this popular indoor sport, and will show the basket ball fans some good floor work in future games. They will play the Warroad team at Warroad Friday of this week and we are all confident of a victory there although the Warroad quint has been showing up well recently. Now let's all get behind our team and boost them to victory and to Carleton.

Mass Meeting.

On Wednesday morning a mass meeting was called for the purpose of boosting subscriptions for the 1921 "Prowler."

At a recent school board meeting it was decided that the Prowler staff must have two-thirds of the money needed to publish the book before it could be sent to either the engravers or the printers. This decision was handed down to the 1921 Senior class and they immediately sent out to secure the money.

The mass meeting was the first action taken toward obtaining the required amount. The theme throughout the entire meeting was the fact that each and every one in high school was partly responsible for the attaining of the needed money, which could be gotten only through their subscribing for the annual.

Talks were given by Supt. Ziegler, the various class advisors and class president, Miss Patrick, and business manager, Smithers.

The annual, although slightly smaller than those of previous years, will be made of the best material that can be obtained around the high school and various alumni. The 1921 class expects to have the book back from the printers and on sale not later than the 16th of May, and will be on sale for the price of $1.00 per copy. So if you haven't signed up for a 1921 Prowler, send it or give your subscription to the business manager or solicitors and help the 1921 class publish the best annual of them all, the 1921 Powler.

Normal Department.

The normal girls in Group I did observation work in first grade on Thursday.

Gladys Ellested and Cecelia Lubinski were absent from school with the mumps.

The normal girls finished their course in handicrafts last Friday and are now taking a six weeks' course in hygiene.

A little boy came to call one of the normal teachers to the phone. In being asked which one was wanted he said he could not remember but it was not the long one.

Nonsense Jingles.

There was a young lady named Rose,
who wore shoes which exposed all her toes,
When asked why she did it—
She said for the fun it afforded her numerous beaux.

The Intelligence of a Normal Girl.

Found on Vivian's quiz paper in zology: A snaik is a skaly annimule. It etes phrogs, an kats an rabbits. It is pretty good sized, about 2 feet big wen a inphant. It lives four purty menne yeres. It bites people rite thru there butes. Sum snaix r sew long if there tale gets kold there hed don't no it til the nekst day. At leest that what we herd, but its hard tu tell. Snaix is snaix.

We ask: "Was it a normal girl?" We don't agree.

Florence Burns who is from Quebec was found in snow up to her neck. When we asked: "Are you froze?" she said: "Only my toes." But we don't call this cold in Quebec.

Miss. Ober: "Have you your talks on important men today? Huldah you may begin."

Huldah: "I don't know any man."

Nurse Notes.

Less sickness and better attendance is reported at the Central school. Miss Johnson is doing much towards bringing the children back to school and keeping their interest upon their studies.

Honor Roll.

Those represented in the January honor roll are as follows: Seniors—Dreng Bjornaraa, Harold Smithers, Ruth Hadrath and Adolph Sundrud. Juniors—Boletta Sandin. Sophomores—Pearl Weeks, Lorrayne Crandall, Lucile Curtis, Lydia Dahlen and Ole Helle. Freshmen—Esther Lundsetter, Alice Gobler, Elsie Blair, Margaret Melgaard and Albert Stengelson. Those who had been omitted from the honor roll published in last week's issue are: Pearl Weeks, Alice Bredeson, Alice Gobler and Beatrice Sandum.

Who Is It?

She is tall and short and fair,
She sits on a stool or chair;
She is young and wise and old,
Drinks her soup and coffee cold,
She does whistle, jabber and talk,
When out riding she does walk,
Wears a turban or a hat,
Sleeps on a mattress or a mat.
She can write concisely I hear,
Without a speck or smudge or smear,
She is always making a fuss,
As her pal who is a Russ.

Ruth, reciting in front of class was handling a ruler. We were almost beginning to believe she was going to use it on us.

The Normal girls were treated to a study period on Tuesday and Thursday.

Florence B.: "Have you your important man for history tomorrow?"

Clara E.: "No! I won't bring a man."

Personals.

There are not as many text books for English being purchased now as Marie and William A., Irma and William Mc., Constance and Elmer; Pearl and Marshall Race are using the same book.

Miss Dix: "Allison, you stay to make up time tonight in this room. Miss Mealy will be here with a few Freshmen and some students."

The girls' basketball team was rather disappointed when they learned that they could not play the East Grand Forks team on Friday. They are to play them in the near future.

The sudden change in the weather from spring to winter, over night is said to be like the students.

The "Prowler" staff has started taking subscriptions for the Annual and all students are warned to display the white flag when they see a subscription hunter coming after them.

The Erskine basketball team, which played St. Hilaire last Friday evening, visited high school last Friday, enroute to St. Hilaire.

All classes held class meetings on Wednesday evening for the purpose of securing subscriptions for the 1921 "Prowler."

Myrtle Krohn, a Senior student of the local high school, will leave Friday evening for a few days' visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

Found—on the third flight of stairs, an article in considerable use and value to the meeker sex of H. S., a large malleable pad filled with powdered pores. A powder puff in other words. Article will be returned to loser, providing she has sufficient courage to face Mr. Pierce in conquest of it.

Marian Cork visited friends in this city the past week.

Who says the "Crime Class" hasn't any pep?

The Seniors are conducting a lively campaign soliciting subscriptions for the Annual.

Mr. Melby: "Does anyone know what happened at "Boston Commons?"

John Henry: "Yes, that's when the battle of Lexington was fought."

Albert Stengleson visited over Sunday at his home at Rosewood.

The debating team had its picture taken for the Annual Wednesday afternoon.

We wonder how the "Poker Quintet" are passing the evenings since the night of February 8.

Matt Barzen is quite undecided as to whether he should grow cucumbers for dill pickles or onions this summer. Won't you help him?

Mr. Tripp: "Clifton, what is the function of the leaf?"

Clifton: "I don't know."

Mr. Tripp: "Clarence, what is the function of the leaf?"

Clarence: "Photonychesis."

Mr. Tripp: "Clifton, now what is Photonychesis?"

Clifton: "It looks like a camera."

Remember the first part of the year when Morris Mabey liked room 101?

The girls' game at East Grand Forks has been postponed until Friday, Feb. 25. The East Grand Forks team will return the game the following Friday on March 4. The reason for postponing it is because East Grand Forks has just completed their new high school and there will be the dedication on Friday, Feb. 18.

Howard and Lois Struble visited at their home in Mavie over the week-end.

American Legion Corner

Meeting and Reception Tonight Following Game

The regular meeting of the Elmer J. Eklund post No. 117 of the American Legion will be held at Hotel Evelyn this evening immediately following the Thief River Falls-Excelsior basket ball game. Immediately following the business session, the assemblage will form as a reception for the two basket ball teams. Musical numbers and a real feed will be on the evening's program. The Legionnaires are urged to turn out and assist in making this the most successful meeting of the year.

Department Does Great Work.

Up to the end of February, 1921, *the Legion's Minnesota Service bureau* at State Headquarters had satisfactorily disposed of eight thousand two hundred and thirteen difficulties for ex-service men. The total for January, 1921, was eight hundred and twenty-eight, including 150 compensation claims, 70 clothing claims, 35 back pay claims, 25 travel pay claims, besides allotments, allowances, Liberty bonds, death claims, discharge certificates, insurance reinstatements, vocational training claims, etc. P. L. O'Toole, Minnesota Legion Adjutant, is Department Service officer and will without charge help any former service man to get what is coming to him. Hundreds of letters of appreciation have been received by the Bureau thanking the Legion for its aid in securing compensation and adjusting many other troubles between ex-service men and the various government agencies.

Can't Lick Legion Team.

The weekly bulletin received from Minnesota headquarters of the American Legion this week contained the following:

The Elmer J. Eklund Legion post of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, swears it has the best Legion basketball team in Minnesota; in fact it can't find any team to lick it, having just defeated Fosston, Crookston, Grand Forks, Bemidji, Ada and Detroit. Gerald Connell of Thief River Falls is the team manager and wants to hear from some fast basketball teams.

Legion Shows Remarkable Growth.

The vast growth and influence of The American Legion can be best realized by considering that whereas the G. A. R. though organized in 1866, did not come to be felt as a forceful national organization until about 1890. The American Legion, not yet two years old, is already the greatest national force for good in America, and has enrolled more than two million members.

Carnival Nets $1,500.

John Bridges Post No. 15, Detroit, Minnesota, sits up on its ears and tells the world it has just held a Carnival du Foyer de Soldat at Detroit which ran for three days and netted the post a profit of more than fifteen hundred dollars. "Our success we attribute to excellent publicity, good entertainment, and a spirit of helpfulness on the part of Detroit citizens." So writes B. B. Rathbun, Detroit, Legion chairman for Becker county.

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In an order dated February 9, 1921, the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission denied our application for increased rates.

We regret very much that an appeal to the court is necessary in order to protect the interests of the telephone users, the telephone employees, and the telephone investors. However, it is essential that we must have additional revenue if we are to meet the requirements of the public for service, and court action is the only channel now open to us.

In denying an increase in rates the Commission made no finding as to whether or not this Company is receiving sufficient revenue to meet the requirements of the public for service and provide a fair return to investors in the business. The Commission's action was taken in spite of the fact that it had information, verified by its own experts, which showed conclusively that this Company's revenues fell far short of its needs.

During the year 1920 the expenses of this Company in Minnesota exceeded its revenues by more than $300,000. The stockholders were compelled to stand this loss in addition to the fact that nothing was earned to pay them a return on their investment. Furthermore, operating expenses now are higher than a year ago and will result in a much greater loss in 1921 if present rates are continued.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Axel Anderson, Pioneer, Dies.

Axel Anderson, one of the early settlers here, passed away at the Warren hospital last Thursday morning, following a few weeks' confinement with cancer of the stomach. Mr. Axelson, whose old country name was Axel Severus Johanson, was born at Hammarland, Sweden on May 8, 1872. When but 16 years of age he entered upon a roving sea life which he gave up to come to America six years later. He arrived at Warren in 1893, where he was employed as a farm hand, later purchasing the Martin Lee homestead at this place. He was married at Warren shortly after his arrival in this country, but shortly after moving to Rosewood his wife died and he again returned to Warren to take up his residence. In 1903 he was married to Miss Julia Jacobson and has since that time resided here. Left to mourn his death are Mrs. Axelson and nine children, Viola, Victor, Minnie, Julia, Alma, Herman, Otto and Emil, all of whom are residents of this place. He is also survived by Nels Axelson, a son by his first marriage who now lives in Idaho, and by his aged father, Axel Johanson and one sister, Mrs. Ella Mattson, both of whom live in Sweden. Interment took place on Tuesday afternoon in the Rindal cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to our friends and relatives who so generously assisted and encouraged us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—L. L. Furan and Children. f21

Mrs. Ole Olson and Mrs. H. Jacobson arrived on Saturday from Wannaska to attend the funeral of Mr. Axelson.

Henry Sagmoen returned on Saturday evening from Minneapolis to resume his work at the Minneapolis Business college.

Albert Stengelsen, in company with another student from the Lincoln high school at Thief River Falls, spent the week-end with the former's parents west of this place.

Swen Swenson left on Friday for Newfolden following a message that his sister, Mrs. Lee, was very ill at that place.

Harold Petterson returned on Saturday from Thief River Falls where he has been visiting at the Rev. A. Larson home.

Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard arrived from Viking on Saturday for a few days' visit at the Carl Mellem home.

L. L. Furan and Henry Sagmoen accompanied the latter's brother, Peder Sagmoen, as far as Thief River Falls on Friday from where he proceeded to his home near Garven.

Mrs. John Erickson returned to her home at Sanborn, N. D., on Wednesday evening.

Olaf Nyhus of Thief River Falls was in town between trains last Saturday.

Olaf Hall spent the past week at Thief River Falls.

Selmer Haugen returned on Tuesday from Minneapolis and Emil Blomberg on Wednesday. The latter who went to receive medical treatment for his arm, was advised to undergo an operation at Thief River Falls, and left on Monday evening for that place.

Aug. Nordlund from Thief River Falls arrived on Tuesday and visited until Friday at the John Sor and John Bloom homes.

Sigurd Rafteseth spent Tuesday at Warren with the intention of purchasing needed machinery for spring work.

Helmer Carlson arrived on Tuesday evening from Devils Lake and will visit over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson here, and with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Mr. Welsh, the wolf hunter, spent last week hunting in this region. His largest greyhound, which was lost during the forepart of the week, was later found dead with a bullet-pierced chest on the prairies west of here.

Miss Hilda Hammarstein of Goodridge arrived here last Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. L. L. Furan.

Mrs. Thilda Sjolsvold returned from a tour to Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snyder and two sons, returned on Monday morning from a two weeks' sojourn with relatives in the southern part of the state.

Viola Axelson and Mrs. Albert Paulson were between train shoppers at Thief River Falls last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pederson left last Monday evening for Canada where they expect to make their future home.

Nels Axelson, who has been employed in Idaho the last years, arrived home on Monday evening to attend the funeral of his father, and will spend some time in the future here.

Mrs. Morris Halvorson arrived from Viking on Monday evening to visit with her parents here for a few days.

Twin boys were recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin C. Olson of Spencer, Iowa. Mrs. Olson was formerly Miss Clara Nelson of this place.

Soo Agent Jim Thompson was at Thief River Falls between trains on Wednesday.

GOODRIDGE

John Gangness left Wednesday for Thief River Falls where he expected to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

George Wold left for Thief River Falls Wednesday to attend to business matters.

Carl Josephson returned from Austin, Minn., Wednesday where he has visited relatives for several weeks.

Bernt Tanem attended to business in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Joe Becker of Thief River Falls was in town Friday attending to business matters.

Ed. Abbott of Grygla was in town Wednesday enroute home from Bemidji, where he has been attending to business.

Williard Hegstrom returned from Thief River Falls Wednesday where he had been to receive medical treatment for a bad cut on his thumb.

J. Moses of the Standard Tailoring company, was in town Wednesday taking orders for coats.

A. O. Aubol of Erie, was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

John Osen of Grygla left Saturday evening for Alberta, Canada, where he has purchased a farm.

Mrs. Karl Korstad and son, Bobby, of Highlanding, left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to visit relatives and friends a few days.

Andrew Bottelson of Thief River Falls was in town Saturday between trains.

Mrs. Nick Bundhund was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Miss Guida Olson, who has been the guest of her cousins, the Misses Thelma and Guida Gilbertson, the past month, returned to her home at Brooten, Saturday.

Miss Ida Anderson was in Thief River Falls Saturday having dental work done.

Walter Sorenson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Friday.

Orrin Ostby of Thief River Falls was in town Saturday on business.

L. P. Poppenhagen was in Thief River Falls Friday on business.

The Misses Guida Gilbertson and Christine Bundhund went to Thief River Falls Friday evening to attend the Warren and Thief River basket ball game.

Mrs. Peterson and two children of Thief River Falls, returned home Saturday, after visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Markeson, for several days.

Prof. B. O. Norby spent the week-end in Thief River Falls, returning home Monday morning.

Miss May V. Wilde accompanied Miss Sarah Vaughan to Thief River Falls Friday evening and was her guest until Saturday.

Miss Ruby Jensen returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls where she visited friends over the week-end.

F. C. Niclai of Thief River Falls was in town Friday evening between trains, on business.

A. B. Mandt attended to business in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Carl Christianson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

D. A. Danielson, buttermaker for the Goodridge Co-operative Creamery company, was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

Ted Rustad of Erie went to Thief River Falls Monday to attend to business.

Ole Nygaard was in town Monday enroute to Grygla.

Olaf Omlid and son went to Thief River Falls Monday where the boy will receive medical treatment for his eyes.

F. B. Conklin went to Thief River Falls Monday on business.

George Baird of Erie was in town Monday enroute to Thief River Falls.

P. C. Halverson went to Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Carl Prucha was in town Monday on his way to Thief River Falls to attend to business matters.

Ole Johnsrud was a business caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

N. T. Nelson was in Thief River Falls Monday attending to business matters.

Miss Hilda Hammerstein of Highlanding was in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Anderson of Grygla, were in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapman and daughter, Olive, of Esplee, were in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls where Miss Olive became the bride of William Rose of Plummer. They will reside on the groom's farm near the last named village.

Mrs. K. Lang went to Thief River Falls Monday evening to see her daughter, Kathleen, who is in the hospital.

Miss Marie Nelson of Thief River Falls visited friends in town Thursday.

J. Wilson of the W. R. P. T. Ranch came out from Thief River Falls on Monday and went to the ranch for a few days.

Don't forget the fourth Lyceum number that is to be Saturday evening, March 5. A very fine entertainer will be here that evening.

Remember the date of the Farmers Short course to be held March 7-11 in the school house.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz Pastor—Sunday, Feb. 27, there will be English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. Everybody welcome.

Community Club Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Community club will be held Friday evening, Feb. 25 in the school house. There will be election of officers followed by an unusually fine program. Music by the Goodridge band and the high school Glee club, and two very fine speakers have been secured, W. A. McKerrow from the University of Minnesota, who is secretary of state Livestock Breeders association, and Mr. Scott, who is secretary of Holsten-Freshian association of Minneapolis and last but not least a fine lunch is to be served. Plan to come.

School Notes.

Tuesday morning a very appropriate program was given by the school children in honor of George Washington's birthday. Music by the high school orchestra and the Girls' Glee club and several recitations and readings by the different pupils.

Kathleen Lang, who underwent an operation at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls last week is improving very rapidly and expects to leave the hospital in a few days.

The high school girls and boys had a party in the school house Monday evening. The boys were the entertainers while the girls furnished the eats. A good time was enjoyed by all.

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. John Moore returned Wednesday from Good Hope, Ill., having been called there by the serious illness of her mother.

Hans Rod transacted business at Thief River Falls between trains on Thursday.

Roy Johnson left Friday for Grand Forks, N. D., where he will be employed, after spending several weeks here with his mother, Mrs. M. E. Bjerk.

Mrs. F. A. Brown returned Monday to her home at Thief River Falls after visiting over Sunday at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. Branum.

Arnt Branum returned Saturday from Baudette, where he has been employed at a lumber camp the past two months.

Mrs. Fred Soderberg and Mrs. Rupert Nelson shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Monday.

S. L. Johnson, principal of the local schools, visited over Sunday at his parental home at Hallock.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson and Mrs. Lena Hallstrom were Thief River Falls shoppers on Monday.

Miss Louise Wilson visited between trains at Thief River Falls Monday.

Oliver Johnson left Monday for Manvel, N. D., where he will be employed.

The Misses Edna and Alida Olsen left Monday for International Falls, where they will be employed after spending some time here visiting with their sister, Mrs. Paul Ortloff.

Charley Lindquist and S. Scholin of Bray township transacted business at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. C. L. Brantner left Monday for her home at Aurora, Ill., after spending some time visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson.

Arne Vik transacted business at Thief River Falls Monday.

M. Koop and W. Koop returned on Wednesday to Minneapolis after visiting over Sunday as the guests of Miss Eleanore Anderson.

Oscar Kolstad, who has been employed at International Falls the past few months arrived Monday for an indefinite visit with his mother, Mrs. John Forseen.

Miss Martha Satterberg returned the latter part of the week from Grand Forks, where she had been employed.

Louis Gerhart and Concert party, as the third number of the Lyceum course, entertained to a packed house at the Imperial hall Thursday evening. The program consisted of vocal selections, instrumental numbers and humorous readings, which were greatly enjoyed by every one present.

The St. Hilaire high school basket ball team scored another victory when they defeated the Erskine high by a score of 21 to 4 at the school gym. Friday evening.

Duncan McAllister arrived Tuesday from Grand Forks, for a brief visit at the Hans Wilson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patnode and children returned Tuesday from Red Lake Falls where they visited for a short time with friends and relatives.

Honoring Walter and Monty Koop of Minneapolis, guests of Miss Eleanore Anderson, a delightful party was given at the Imperial hall Saturday evening. Dancing and cards formed the evening's entertainment and at midnight a delicious lunch was served. About forty guests were present.

August Rolland returned the latter part of the week to Hibbing where he is employed. He was called here by the serious illness of his young son, Duane Rolland, who is greatly improved at this writing.

The Peter Burstad family have moved from the Gust Anderson home to the Mike Hyland place.

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

GERMANTOWN

Will Wayne visited at the D. Dau home Wednesday.

John Philipp was a Goodridge caller on Thursday.

Miss Alice Norlund visited at the O. P. Nelson home Sunday afternoon.

Clifford Roller visited with John Clausen Friday evening.

Edwin Haggy and David Benttin were callers at the L. Bendickson home Friday.

Lawrence Nelson called at the Stokkie home Sunday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the S. Rolland home Friday afternoon.

E. Haberstroh was a business caller at Thief River Falls Friday.

Ludvig Haggy was a caller at the Stokkie home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl and Benard and Nettie Bendickson were guests at the Henry Longevan home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Thomas Clausen who has been visiting at the D. Dau home left for St. Hilaire Monday where she will visit a few days with relatives before leaving for her home at Waverly, Wash.

Mesdames Roller and Hanson were guests at the Overby home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Helen Longevan was a caller at the Albert Rohrer home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roller and children Della, Bessie, Gladys and Clifford, Lois and Howard Strubble and Miss Wing, spent Sunday evening at the Emil Ristau home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dau returned from St. Hilaire Saturday where they have been the guests of relatives.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson arrived home Monday from Thief River Falls where she has been with her son, Albert, who has been very ill there with typhoid fever. Reports are that he is improving.

Miss Anna Kotlan called at the A. Haggy home one day last week.

Edd, Tillie and John Ristau, Olive Wing, Lois and Howard Strubble and Oscar Pomeranke were guests at the L. Bendickson home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Strubble and children, Lois, Burnese, Keith and Howard and Olive Wing were dinner guests at the Steen home Sunday.

Clifford Roller visited with Fred Larson Monday.

Edwin Haggy and David Benttin called at the H. Dahl home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Norlund were guests at the Prehall home Sunday of last week.

John Ristau visited at the Emil Ristau home Sunday.

Will Wayne and son were guests at the Henry Roller home Saturday evening.

MAYFIELD

Roy Kiel, Arnt Wedul and Jacob Stennes were business callers in Thief River Falls last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Asp and children and Mrs. A. Netteland spent Wednesday evening at the Wedul home.

Mr. and Mrs. Klove and family, and Anna and Oscar Wedul spent Saturday evening at the Johnson home.

Arthur Omdahl called at the J. L. Larson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wedul spent Monday visiting at the Ed. Rosyli home.

Anna and Arnt Wedul, Jacob Stennes and Roy Kiel were visitors at the Omdahl home Sunday evening.

Roy Kiel and Jacob Stennes made a brief call at the Cooper home last Sunday.

H. C. Cooper and Warner Borgeld were business callers in Plummer on Friday.

The Western Ladies Aid will be held at the John Solberg home on March 3.

ESPLEE

Allan Swanton visited with friends in Esplee on Tuesday of last week.

Jesse Ballou returned last week from Shelby, Ind., where he has been employed since last fall.

The Pote-Carlson family spent Sunday visiting at the G. J. Fundanet home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman transacted business in Grygla on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Gerrulat has returned to Goodridge where she is employed after having visited with friends at Esplee for a short time.

Miss Jahr visited at the L. J. Tonold home one day last week.

A. G. Turnbull transacted business in Goodridge on Monday.

G. M. Wilson came up on Monday to spend a few days with relatives.

Rev. J. O. Hoyum called on friends in Esplee on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman returned from Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Chapman-Raese.

On Wednesday of last week at Thief River Falls occurred the marriage of Olive Chapman, eldest daughter of William E. and Mrs. Sarah Chapman, to Willis Raese of Plummer, Rev. Kreidt officiating. The bride is one of Esplee's most popular young ladies, and the bridegroom a farmer near Plummer. They left the same day for his home. A host of friends wish them the joyful and happy life. The witnesses were Miss Beatrice Hook and Edwin Chapman.

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And now remember, you always use less than of most other brands because it possesses greater leavening strength.

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There is no waste. If a recipe calls for one egg—two cups of flour—half a cup of milk—that's all you use. You never have to re-bake.

Contains only such ingredients as have been officially approved by U. S. Food Authorities, is the product of the largest, most modern and sanitary Baking Powder Factories in existence.

Pound can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. instead of 16 oz. cans. Be sure you get a pound when you want it.

Calumet Columbia Muffin Recipe—4 cups sifted flour, 4 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 eggs, 2 cups of sweet milk. Then mix in the regular way.

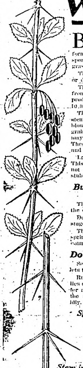

Stem in Winter

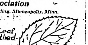

Edge of Leaf Spiny toothed

Barberry or Wheat?

BLACK STEM RUST is caused by a well-known fungus parasite. In the spring it grows on the common barberry, on which it forms rust spores (in"cluster cups") and these spores (seeds) are blown by the wind to the grasses or grains.

They germinate in moisture furnished by rain or dew and infect the grain or grass plants.

The parasite gets inside and takes its food from the plant and then, within a week or two, produces the red or summer spore—rust familiar to any grain farmer.

This red rust is the summer stage of the black stem rust. These summer spores in turn are blown by the wind and infect other grass and grain plants. Thus many crops of red spores may be produced and each crop causes more rust. These spores will travel for miles on the wind and from grass to grass.

Later in the season the rust becomes black. This is the winter stage. The winter spores cannot germinate at once but lie dormant on the stubble or straw until spring, then they germinate.

But They Cannot Directly Infect Grains or Grasses

This black stage of the rust can infect only the common barberry.

Destroy the common barberry and the black stage of the rust becomes harmless.

The rust cannot then get an early start in the spring because it cannot maintain itself in this country in the red stage during the winter.

Do You Know the Barberry Bush?

Send for mounted samples, posters and booklets to your State Agricultural College.

Rust is caused by a mold-like parasite which lies dormant on straw and stubble during the winter and then spreads to the common barberry in the spring. Hot, moist weather spreads it rapidly.

Spring Wheat Crop Improvement Association

332 Security Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

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Any man or woman who keeps Sloan's handy will tell you that same thing

ESPECIALLY those frequently attacked by rheumatic twinges. A counter-irritant, Sloan's Liniment scatters the congestion and penetrates without rubbing to the afflicted part, soon relieving the ache and pain.

Kept handy and used everywhere for reducing and finally eliminating the pains and aches of lumbago, neuralgia, muscle strain, joint stiffness, sprains, bruises, and the results of exposure.

You just know from its stimulating, healthy odor that it will do you good! Sloan's Liniment is sold by all druggists—35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment Pain's enemy

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW 46c

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

The original all-record phonograph without attachments

SUCH is The Brunswick, and part of its fame is due to this great innovation.

Until the coming of this noted instrument, most phonograph owners had to be content with a one-record instrument. Brunswick made this idea out of date.

There have been many attempts to equal The Brunswick, but devices and attachments never bring the desired result.

The Ultona is part of The Brunswick, in-built. And it plays every record at its best.

Another exclusive feature is the Brunswick Tone Amplifier, built entirely of wood. It has no cast metal throat, as is usual.

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This scientific tone amplifier, built according to acoustic laws, gives truer, richer tone. It reveals hitherto lost shadings.

Hear The Brunswick before you buy a phonograph. Note its unequaled tone, its superb cabinet work, its many betterments.

You will hardly believe all the good things they say about The Brunswick until you, yourself, hear it. Come in today.

Larson Furniture Company

Imperfect Page

D FOR CHINESE MINE SUFFERERS EING COLLECTED

rt's Drug Store Designat- s Headquarters For Con- ence of Contributors.

eting of representatives of oun civic and fraternal organi- of Thief River Falls held at rmor Commercial club rooms day evening, plans were formu- or a decisive campaign to raise for the relief of the famine ts of North China. Each civic aternal organization within the l be requested to give the earnest consideration and to n some way in making the na- movement a successful one. urches of the city have also quested to take up collections e sermons in furtherance of se of mercy. It is also possi- a special picture will be pre- out of the moving picture the entire proceeds from would go to swell the relief

Lambert has accepted the po- treasurer of the local com- and any and all contributions received at the Lambert Drug between the hours of 8 a. m. p. m. This centrally located was designated in order that one, whether from farm or city, have the opportunity of sub- without inconvenience to because of early closing

raising of this relief fund will d upon the request from the ota Branch of the American ittee for The China Famine Re- nd of which committee L. D. n, president of the state uni- Dr. Wm. J. Mayo of Roches- uis W. Hill, chairman of the of directors of the Great North- lway, B. F. Benson, president Minneapolis Chamber of Com- and other prominent men of te, are at the head. A letter ohn F. Downey, executive sec- of the committee, received by John Bratrud, states: ints of American missionaries iness men, after careful in- tion, show that at least fifteen of people are seriously af- by the two years of terrible t and one of flood which have ted northern China. Many from starvation and many will thus die unless saved by America. Relief must be carried on until the June harvests. The relief work is conducted almost entirely by volunteers, and practically all moneys sent are expended for food for the actual sufferers. Sufficient food supplies are available in Manchuria. The situation requires generous and immediate support."

The above statement was taken from a cable to the state department at Washington from the United States Minister to China.

The great dailies have stated the situation as it exists in China today. The deaths by starvation already mount into numbers of six figures. The natives are dying at the rate of 10 for every second of the day and night. In the devastated area thirty million people still are slowly awaiting starvation as an inevitable outcome of the three years of climatic stress unless the other nations of the world rise to their rescue. Children are being torn from their mothers' breasts to be sold; millions are virtually subsisting upon one meal a day, of leaves and weeds and roots, baked together and hardened into a sodden, ill-smelling lump. It is further stated by an eye-witness that in one instance over 15,000 men, women and children who were advancing on foot toward a point at which they had heard supplies would be received, became exhausted and laid themselves down and quietly and uncomplainingly perished from sheer hunger.

ANK EMPLOYS MAN AS TELLER

e new teller of the First State Rogers, N. D., is a woman, Miss Maxine Lowry, a grad- of Dakota Business College, , N. D. Commenting on her ment, F. L. Watkins, presi- of this school, said: "No, it al. Many girls take our Course and get so-called s jobs." Recently we sent er young lady, Zella Darling, e Farmers Bank of Leonard, sistant cashier."

ollow the Successful." Enroll for Spring Term. Write F. L. ins, Pres., 806 Front St., , N. D., for terms.

QUAINT HUMOR OF GILLILAN PLEASES

Last Number of Lyceum Course Draws Largest Audience of Entire Series.

The winter Lyceum course came to a close on Tuesday evening with the appearance here of Strickland Gillilan, inspirational humorist, poet and feature magazine and newspaper writer. The advance press notices and advertising drew a larger crowd than for any one of the four preceding numbers of the course and not a qualifying comment on the funny man's talk has been heard. Every expression has been of the highest appreciation. Mr. Gillilan's talk, presented in a simple but telling manner, was continually interrupted by the laughter of his audience, which he sent home with a smile on its face. Mr. Gillilan is the author of "Off Agin, On Agin, Gone Agin, Finnigan," "Me and Pap and Mother" and "At Sleepy Time," in addition to scores and scores of other gems which are accounted among the country's greatest masterpieces. The three above mentioned he presented in dialect during the course of his lecture.

Officers of the Woman's club stated on Wednesday evening that the Lyceum course for the winter had been successful from a financial standpoint inasmuch as it had proved to be self supporting, which was all that the club had hoped for. In view of the fact that the cost to the club of the five attractions, exclusive of all other expenses, was over $750, those in charge are to be greatly commended for their successful administration.

Henry Sagmoen, who spent a short time visiting his parents at Rosewood, returned to Minneapolis to continue his studies at the Minneapolis Business college.

Prominent Western Man Praises Tanlac

G. W. Logan, Peabody, Kansas

lac has completely restored my and I feel finer than in years," e straightforward statement recently by Mr. George W. Lo- Peabody, Kansas, one of the prominent stock-dealers in the West.

has not only made a new man but I have actually gained five pounds in weight and feel I ever did in my life. I of my friends about at they can see for them- it has done in my case. en I began taking Tanlac I was awfully run-down condition. I way off in weight, felt weak and all of the time and couldn't y interest in my work or any- e. My main trouble was in- on. Nothing seemed to agree with me. At times I would have dizzy spells and at other times my back would ache so bad that I could hardly get up and down in my chair. This is just the condition I was in when I started to take this medicine. It took just six bottles to make a well man of me. I now have a fine appetite, everything tastes good and my digestion is perfect.

"My wife was also troubled with indigestion at times and it relieved her the same way. You may publish my statement wherever you like and if anyone doubts it, just tell them to see me."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug store, at Oklee by John H. Gassman, at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm and at Goodridge by C. C. Gulrud.—adv.

GOODRIDGE CLUB TO HOLD BIG MEETING

Address by W. A. McKerrow and Election of Officers on Saturday Afternoon.

The third annual meeting of the Goodridge Community club will be held in the consolidated school building at that place on the evening of Friday, Feb. 25. Officers will be elected and the work for the coming year outlined during the business session which will be followed by a social good time and the serving of the big "feed" for which the club is becoming noted. Music will be furnished by the Goodridge band. The feature of the evening will be an address by W. A. McKerrow of St. Paul, who in addition to being state leader of the Livestock and Dairy division of the University of Minnesota and secretary of the Minnesota Dairy council, is a member of the National Committee of Seventeen recently appointed by President Howard of the American Farm Bureau federation to investigate production and marketing in the United States. Mr. McKerrow will speak at the city auditorium, Thief River Falls at noon of the same day. B. T. Scott, secretary of the Minnesota Holstein-Friesian association, will also be a speaker of the occasion.

The Goodridge Community club was formed three years ago for the purpose of securing a greater unity of action on the part of residents of the village and the surrounding countryside in all progressive movements, and the entire community is greatly pleased with the results accomplished. The club in addition to the holding of many successful community meetings is responsible for the success of the Goodridge band and orchestra, for the booking of a Lyceum course for each of the past three winters and for the short course conducted there last winter. Arrangements have also been completed for a week's short course to be held during March of this year, at which time many of the most prominent speakers of the state will conduct educational meetings along agricultural and economic lines.

HARDING'S CABINET NAMED COMPLETE

Announcement of Official Family by Next President Contains Only One Surprise.

On Friday, March 4, Warren G. Harding of Ohio, will be inaugurated president of the United States. Ever since election last fall one of the principle subjects for speculation among politicians and others has centered on the personnel of the next cabinet. According to the Associated Press this has now been authentically announced, as follows:

Secretary of State—Charles Evans Hughes of New York.

Secretary of Treasury—Andrew Mellon of Pennsylvania.

Secretary of War—John W. Weeks of Massachusetts.

Secretary of Navy—Edwin Denby of Michigan.

Attorney General — Harry M. Daugherty of Ohio.

Postmaster General—Will H. Hays, Indiana.

Secretary of Interior—Andrew B. Fall, New Mexico.

Secretary of Agriculture—Henry Wallace, Iowa.

Secretary of Commerce—Herbert Hoover, California.

Secretary of Labor—James J. Davis, Pennsylvania.

Outside of the fact that Pennsylvania has two places in the cabinet the distribution is very evenly made so far as concerns territory. The only surprise contained in the announcement is the selection of Edwin Denby of Michigan, as secretary of the navy. His name had not previously been mentioned by those who are usually expected to know about such things.

Greenbush Added to List Of Legionnaire Victims

Following repeated challenges from the city basket ball team of Greenbush and boasts made by that community as to the prowess of their quint, Kiland, Holzknecht and Carlson of the Thief River Falls Legion team, LaBree, a second string man, and Penny and Brown, former high school basket shooters, journeyed northward on Friday and gave the Greenbushers a drubbing to the tune of 42 to 17. As a basket ball game the clash was a delightful farce with the Legionnaires spending much of their time visiting along the side lines. The Greenbush men, brawny fellows, play a peculiar style of game, it consisting principally of a tendency to hang on and ride.

The turnout for the game was large, the up-country team having previously taken five victories out of six starts from neighboring towns, but in the game of Friday night they did not at any time have a great deal more than a look in with the Legionnaires, who hopelessly outclassed them.

Purchasing Equipment For Elks.

Julien Provencher, proprietor of Hotel Evelyn, left on Friday for a week's business trip which will include stops at Grand Forks, Fargo and the twin cities. While in the latter towns Mr. Provencher will purchase equipment for the new Elks' quarters in the Citizens State bank building.

Pennington County Birds In First Place at Show

The complete list of premiums awarded at the Mid-winter show at Crookston proves that Pennington county exhibitors of cattle and farm products were not the only ones whose display attracted a great deal of attention. In the poultry line two entries from this city carried off pretty much everything in their respective classes. The single comb Buff Orpingtons of C. M. Buoen were awarded the following places: First and second cockerel; first, second, third, fourth and fifth pullet; first, third and fourth hen; second cock, and first and second young pen. Besides these Mr. Buoen was given a special prize for the best pen.

Olaf Neset exhibited Rhode Island Reds and his prizes were almost identical with those of Mr. Buoen.

CONCERT ORCHESTRA MAKING GOOD START

Twelve Pieces Now Rehearsing Under Leadership of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet.

With the formation of a concert orchestra here during the past few weeks, the city of Thief River Falls now possesses two creditable musical organizations, the second being the Choral society organized during last November. As was the case of the choral union, the orchestra represents the unceasing efforts of a few musicians who have long worked for a unit of the scope and size of that just formed. The orchestra at present is made up of 12 pieces—piano, four violins, cello, base violin, clarinet, flute, saxaphone, trombone, cornet and drums, and it is hoped this number can be increased to 20 within a short time. No name has been given it as yet, though it will undoubtedly be known as the City Concert orchestra. Rehearsals have been held on Monday evenings during the past three weeks in the show rooms of the Thief River Music company and marked progress has been made.

Only concert numbers will be attempted by the new orchestra, which is under the directorship of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet. Dr. Vistaunet is at present musical director of the Red River branch of the Scandinavian Singers association of America, as well as of the Brage Male chorus of Thief River Falls, which is a unit of the former named organization.

Christofferson Grocery to Occupy New Home Apr. 1

The firm of Carl Christofferson & Co., has secured a lease on the Knudson building, at present occupied by the Soo barber shop and pool hall on Third street, opposite Hotel Evelyn, and will move its complete grocery stock into the new quarters about April 1. The building, which offers floor space for future expansion, will be completely remodeled as to interior, new and modern show windows will be built in and the exterior otherwise brought up to date. Louis L. Cohn, proprietor of the Palace clothing house, will move into the present Christofferson quarters, while Charles B. Bradley, proprietor of the Soo barber shop and pool hall, has not as yet secured a location.

Telephone Company Asks Courts to Hear Rate Case

The Northwestern Bell Telephone company will appeal to the courts to reverse the decision of the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse commission, handed down last week, which refused to grant the increase in rates requested by the company. President W. T. B. Bell, in a public statement, says among other things that the company last year showed a deficit of over $340,000 on its intra-state business in Minnesota and that the stockholders not only failed to receive any returns on their holdings but were compelled to make good this loss. Mr. Bell further states that the evidence adduced at the hearing before the commission conclusively showed that the concern was not receiving adequate or reasonable revenues.

Minnesota Leads Them All in Butterfat Production

That Minnesota has a lead over other states of 43,000,000 pounds in butter production is shown in figures just recently received from the United States Department of Agriculture. These figures place the butter production in the four leading states as follows:

Minnesota	130,785,598 lbs.
Iowa	87,914,633 lbs.
Wisconsin	85,054,331 lbs.
California	61,795,295 lbs.

The fact that Minnesota has such a vast lead over states in butter production, it was pointed out, emphasizes the importance of the announcement that the National Dairy Show will be held this year in connection with the Minnesota State Fair.

Subscribe for The Times, $2.00 per year.

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT.

Tells His Friends and Neighbors of His Experience.

Every Thief River Falls resident should read what Mr. Schuster says, and follow his example. He has used Doan's Kidney Pills and speaks from experience. Is there any need to experiment with imitations or untried kidney medicines?

Chas. Schuster, 622 St. Paul Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can say they are just as advertised. My back has been bothering me for a long time and I couldn't bend over without pain across my loins. Some mornings I would get out of bed my back was so sore and stiff and I was obliged to get up nights on account of kidney weakness. As soon as I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had relief and I have felt better ever since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Schuster had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

Rail Notes

Thief River Falls travelers over this division during the past week were: Mrs. J. L. Stitt and son, Allison, to Minneapolis; Edward Belland to Oklee; Mr. and Mrs. James Smith to Fordville; Carl F. Erickson to Bronson; Mrs. Nick Nielson to Minneapolis; Mr. Helmer Hjlland to Mahnomen; Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson to Viking; George Mostue to Minneapolis.

H. Carlson resumed work as agent at Devils Lake on Tuesday, relieving A. E. Swan who was transferred to Whitman, N. D., where he relieved D. L. Emery, absent on account of sickness.

H. A. Pratt, city agent at Thief River Falls, spent Tuesday in Minneapolis.

C. E. Rossman, yard clerk at Thief River Falls, was in Crookston on Monday.

W. L. Presse will relieve F. C. Chandler, agent at Fonda, for ten days.

B. C. Gire, agent at Winger, was a Detroit caller between trains Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Richardson of Bronson spent the week-end with Mr. Richardson's parents at Thief River Falls, returning to their home on Tuesday, where the latter is regular station agent for the Soo.

O. P. Salisbury, agent at Parkers Prairie, resumed work on Friday relieving H. B. Pfeiffer, who has been transferred to Erskine, relieving F. C. Paine, granted a leave of absence.

M. L. Parsons, first trick operator at Detroit, spent Washington's birthday with his mother at Richville.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Albert Westphal and Tyler Wold made a business trip to Thief River Falls Friday of last week.

Frank Hoffman hauled a load of grain to Steiner last Saturday.

John W. Dahl was a caller at the G. J. Skomedal home Saturday night.

Don't forget the meeting of the Young Peoples' society at Silas Torgerson's place Sunday afternoon, Feb. 27.

Mr. Sannes called on Ivend Ose one day last week.

Carl Guttrud was a Thief River Falls caller last Thursday with three hogs he had sold.

Mrs. Ingvald Wold entertained the Ladies' Aid last Thursday. This was also the Annual Aid meeting.

A number of farmers gathered at the Steiner school house Friday evening to hear Paul Engelstad deliver an address on Farm Bureau Activities in Pennington county.

ERIE

A special school meeting was held in the school house in district No. 5, on Saturday evening for the purpose of raising more funds to run the school.

Rev. Hanson of Goodridge conducted religious services in the Erie church on Sunday.

Clara Bye visited her home folks on Saturday and Sunday.

John Larson and Oscar Bye returned on Friday from a trip to various lumber camps. They reported no work available.

School District Organized.

A special school election was held in Unorganized school district No. 1 on Friday afternoon. This district is now organized and will be known as District No. 4. The following officers were elected: Clerk, Ole Thoraldson; treasurer, H. A. Dahlen; director, G. A. Iverson.

Legal Notices

In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In the matter of Anton J. Osen, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of Anton J. Osen of Goodridge, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of February A. D. 1921, the above named Anton J. Osen was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the city of Crookston, in said District, on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated February 9, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Christ Mathson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ole Mathson, Mathilda Aldrich, Olga Christopherson, Bennie Gunderson, Clara Thompson, Martin Mathson and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of March, 1921 at [illegible] o'clock [illegible] M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this [illegible] day of February, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

M. C. Burns, Plaintiff, vs. Sarah LaBree, W. J. LaBree, Malinda LaBree, Thora Rogers, Ida Cook, Sibley LaBree, Albert LaBree, Horace LaBree, Minnie LaBree, Emily Barker, Jonas LaBree, Mathilda Campbell, Perpetuide LaBree, also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest, or lien in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Summons.

The State of Minnesota, to the Above Named Defendants:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the clerk of said Court, and to serve a copy of your answer to said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the First and Peoples State Bank Building, in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
First and Peoples State Bank Building,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

M. C. Burns, Plaintiff, vs. Sarah LaBree, W. J. LaBree, Malinda LaBree, Thora Rogers, Ida Cook, Sibley LaBree, Albert LaBree, Horace LaBree, Minnie LaBree, Emily Barker, Jonas LaBree, Mathilda Campbell, Perpetuide LaBree, also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, interest, or lien in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice of Lis Pendens.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this court by the above named plaintiff against the above named defendants, the object of which is to obtain a judgment that said plaintiff is the owner in fee of the following described real property and that said defendants and each of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon:

Lots eleven (11) and twelve (12) in Block thirty-four (34), in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for said County and State, said property being situate in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota.

Dated February 8, 1921.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
First and Peoples State Bank Building,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F-10-17-21

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Thousand Thirty-one and 32-100 ($5031.32) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Richard K. Callaway and Mary Jane Callaway, husband and wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, Mortgagees, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of December, 1915, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 3 of Mortgages, on page 607, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼); the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SW¼ of NE¼), and Government Lot Two (2) in Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 5th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $5031.32 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J20-27-f3-10-17-24

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred Four and 41-100 ($804.41) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, Mortgagors, to Goodridge State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 602, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The West Half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirteen (13), and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Fourteen (14), all in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range numbered Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $804.41 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 25th, A. D. 1921.

GOODRIDGE STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J20-27-f3-10-17-24-m3

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, mortgagors, to J. P. Jensen, mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920 at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 61 of Mortgages on Page 93, and

WHEREAS, The said J. P. Jensen, the mortgagee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Twenty-one and no-100 Dollars as follows: The sum of $120.42 thereof being for interest [illegible] by said mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $100.58 thereof being the amount of principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sum making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) and the South Half of Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section No. Fourteen (14), all in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $221.00, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, being statutory attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 26th, 1921.

J. P. JENSEN,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A horse coming three yrs. old this spring. Weight 1,250 lbs. Phone 4-1401. Albert Ahlstrom, R. D. No. 2, 4 miles N. E. of city. 5p

FOR SALE—Six stacks of mixed hay. Phone 205. C. O. Grimm. 5p

FOR SALE—12 high grade milch cows. Some fresh and others coming in soon. Also registered Shorthorn bull.—Joe Oski, Mavie, Minn. 5

FOR SALE—About 12 tons Timothy hay and 3 tons wild upland hay. Also a quantity of timothy seed and Minn. No. 13 seed corn, matured for last 4 years in this climate.—Gordon M Olson, Phone 11-F11, Rt. 1, Thief River Falls. 5p

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 46tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, complete outfit with fenders, 2 bottom Oliver plow. Team gray mares, weight 1000 and 1300 lbs., 500 bushels seed oats at 50c per bushel. Christ Kirk, Route 1, 4 miles northwest of city. 11pd

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls, one coming two years old.—Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Weiner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 59tf

FOR SALE—100 bushels seed flax, wilt resisting and cleaned. R. J. Martinson, R 4, City. 11p

FOR SALE—10 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Newly cut oak sleigh and wagon poles and all other kinds of square cut timbers of all sizes and lengths, at reasonable prices. C. L. Hines, south of Greenwood cemetery, city, or at Holt. 11p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Bourbon Red Turkey Toms. Have a few left at $7.50 each. Millard Brevad, Nielsville, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 135, City. 53tf

FOR SALE—Complete school, dresser, [illegible] Corona typewriter, Phone 6172. 4p

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call Thorvald Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10c a lb. per pound.—Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls, Minn. [illegible]

HOUSE FOR SALE—Not yet completed. Has full basement, water and sewer connected, good well, large lot, good garden with raspberries, strawberries, gooseberries and currant bushes, on a good location. If you want a snap see C. M. Evenson. 5

FOR SALE—Will sell a few matured Black Leghorn cockerels and pullets at reasonable prices. George Lehners, city. 2tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, complete outfit with fenders, used one season; 2 bottom, Oliver plow. Team grey mares, weight 1000 and 1100 lbs.; 500 bushels seed oats at 50c per bushel. Christ Kirk, Route 1, 4 miles northwest of city. 11p

FOR SALE—A barn and surrey. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 5p

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the SE¼, Sec. 18, Town of Reiner, 1½ miles east of Goodridge, 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn.—C. W. Vornehek. 2tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 157p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 105tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre river farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write R. K. Callaway. 3tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE CHEAP—Set of store furniture and fixtures. B. Docken Holt, Minn. 6p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three room house at 415 Rindolph Ave. N. Apply to Mrs. Kitty Lang, Goodridge, Minn. 4p

FOR RENT—A furnished room in modern home, with or without board. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 4p

FOR RENT—A furnished room in modern home. Mrs. C. S. Sondreal, 422 Main Ave. N. 4p

FOR RENT—Three room steam heated flat. Vacant February 1st. C. W. Mc-Daniel. 107tf

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

Help Wanted—Female

GIRL WANTED—For general housework on farm, cleaning and washing done by electricity. State experience. Mrs. P. F. Kelly, R. F. D. 2, St. Thomas, N. D. 5p

LOST

LOST—Lady's bead purse. Finder will receive reward by returning to H. G. Granner, Radium, Minn. 5p

MISCELLANEOUS

FARMERS! There is big money in Alcohol. Our new book; Distillation of Alcohol, from grain, etc., under present laws for industrial purposes, $1.00 prepaid. Spirit proof-testers $3.50 prepaid. Descriptive circular free. Chemical P. & D. Co., Box 153, Mpls., Minn. 5p

COMFORTABLE, small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 104tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, Third St. E. 107tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Wallace-Caswell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES—Selling experience not necessary. One of the World's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofing, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Complete advanced. Write today. State age and county desired.—John Sexton & Co., W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 3pd

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Society and Club

Sleighride Party.

The seventh grade girls from the Central school enjoyed a sleighride in and about the city on Friday evening.

Dinner Party.

On Saturday evening at their home, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lambert delightfully entertained several of their friends at 6 o'clock dinner.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Miller entertained at five o'clock dinner at their home Sunday evening, followed by a theatre party at the Lyceum. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. B. Munroe Harris, Paul Midderigh and Harry Jackson of Aberdeen, S. D.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre were hosts at dinner at the Brumund on Sunday. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Geo. Curtiss and Mrs. J. C. Muldov of St. Paul.

Holton-DuChamp.

At the home of Mrs. J. A. DuChamp of Mavie on Friday at 4 o'clock occurred the marriage of her daughter, Lenora DuChamp Lonson, to Edward Holton of Prince George, British Columbia. Rev. Sabo officiated in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Steen as witnesses.

In Honor of Mrs. Muldov.

Honoring her guest, Mrs. J. C. Muldov of St. Paul, Mrs. G. Howard Smith informally entertained a number of ladies at cards at her home, 416 Bridge street, on Monday evening. A delicious lunch was served at the conclusion of the evening.

Surprise Party.

Nine of the girl friends of Miss Irene Haugen surprised her at her home on Friday evening. The hours were pleasantly spent in playing parlor games and singing. A delicious lunch was served before the guests departed for their respective homes.

Social Welfare Meeting.

The members of the Social Welfare section of the Woman's club were entertained by Mrs. P. W. Mabey and Mrs. W. J. LaBree at the former's home on Monday afternoon. A large crowd was in attendance and the afternoon was profitably spent in making garments for the poor.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Biddick were hosts at dinner on Saturday evening at their home on Atlantic Ave. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. Wengler, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wikel, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Christie. The hours following the dinner were spent informally.

Dancing Party.

On Saturday evening at her home Mrs. J. M. Bishop informally entertained a few young people in compliment to her son, Morlan, who was a guest at his home over the week-end. The hours were spent in dancing. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Albert Johnson in the service of a delicious lunch.

Entertains.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds entertained nine ladies at her home on Wednesday evening. Needlework formed the chief diversion. At 10:30 light refreshments were served. The guests were: Mrs. G. Halverson, Mrs. N. K. Harris, and Misses Marie Nelson, Una Nelson, Effie Christenson, Laura Forde, Ausilga Sorenson, Kate Jonas and Maude Johnson.

Bluebird Club Entertained.

In compliment to her Sunday school teacher, Miss Cora Tollefmier, Ellen Crandall pleasantly entertained the members of the Bluebird club at her home on Saturday afternoon. The hours which were from 3 to 6, were spent in sewing and in contest games. The guests included Muriel Loken, Maxine Johnson, Malvina Rupprecht, Dorothy Haney and Georgia Frissell.

Pearl Weeks Hostess.

On Tuesday afternoon, at her home, Miss Pearl Weeks was hostess at a George Washington party. Patriotic decorations were used about the rooms and in the appointments of the dinner served at six o'clock. Those present were Lorrayne Crandall, Lydia Dahlen, Murial Loken, Ruth Knutson, Elise and Viola Burringrud, Margaret Dix, Edna Ryff and Lucia Brown.

Sculthorpe-Sorenson.

On Saturday evening, Feb. 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Carlson, 512 St. Paul Ave. S., occurred the marriage of the latter's sister, Miss Nellie Sculthorpe of St. Thomas, N. D., to Martin Sorenson of Fordville, N. D. Rev. Kreidt, pastor of St. Johns Lutheran church, performed the ceremony. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Carlson. The bride wore a dress of white beaded crepe de chine. The happy couple left Tuesday morning for St. Thomas, where they will reside.

Colonial Musical.

Twenty of the younger pupils of Mrs. C. O. Erickson appeared in a Colonial Musical at her apartments on Tuesday afternoon. Each came dressed in costumes representative of the occasion. The program was followed by a guessing contest with Winnifred Wengler winning first prize while Esther Bennes and Ruth Froseth carried home the consolation prizes. The rooms were appropriately decorated in patriotic colors. After an hour of merriment, refreshments, which had been brought by the guests was served.

Washington Party.

In compliment to her Sunday school class, Mrs. C. T. Christenson entertained at a George Washington party at her home on Tuesday afternoon. Patriotic decorations in keeping with the day made the rooms attractive. Various children's games and contests were enjoyed until the supper hour. All appointments and favors were representative of the day. The guests were Iona Loken, May Rausch, Marjorie Nickolson, Ethel Patton, Mildred Biddler, Claudia Landro, Doris Erickson, Gordon Johnson, Carl Swedenburg, Eugene Crandall, James Vorosky and Emil Dostal.

Masons Give Program and Dance.

Northern Lodge No. 236 of the A. F. & A. M. entertained at a program and dancing party in the Masonic hall on Monday evening by way of commemorating the birthday of George Washington. The program included a violin solo by Mrs. August Holmberg, an address by T. H. Chittick in which he spoke of the life of Washington as a member of the Masonic order, and a paper on the history of the local lodge read by W. B. Fuller. Following the short program many adjourned to the card and billiard rooms, while dancing became the diversion in the main hall. A midnight lunch was an additional feature of the evening.

Havel-Storeby.

James Havel of this city and Miss Mandy Storeby were quietly married at the groom's home at Thief River Falls on Feb. 17, with Rev. Gjerde of Strandquist officiating. Miss Alice Kinsela acted as bridesmaid while Harry Storeby, a brother of the bride was best man. Only immediate relatives were present at the ceremony. Immediately afterward a fine supper was served. The newlyweds will leave the latter part of this month for Minneapolis where the groom, who is an ex-service man who saw active service with the 90th division in France will enter Dunwoody Institute to take up vocational training as linotype operator.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The next meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the new Commercial club rooms in the basement of the auditorium, on Monday afternoon Feb. 28. Lesson 8, "City Government of Thief River Falls," will be led by Mrs. Gaston Ward. Study leaflets for the lesson may be found at the Public Library. Mrs. Daniel Shaw and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, who attended the Mid-winter meeting of Federated clubs held at the Curtiss Court at Minneapolis, returned to this city on Tuesday. Mrs. Mogenson, who accompanied them will remain for an indefinite visit. They report that the study program of the Thief River Falls club was a topic for extended discussion and was well received by the state president and other members of the federation.

Birthday Party.

In honor of the third birthday anniversary of her little daughter, Martha, Mrs. O. G. Storholm entertained at a George Washington party at her home, 623 Knight Ave. N., on Tuesday afternoon, with nine children accompanied by their mothers, as guests. The table at which the little folks were seated during the luncheon hour was very becomingly decorated with streamers of red, white and blue ribbon suspended from the chandelier to each plate. Place cards with patriotic shields were used while the favors were cunning little dolls dressed in the national colors. The guests were Mary Keene, Jean Frissell, Robt. Frissell, Frances Storholm, Helen Sandberg, Ruth Bessler, Lois and Robt. Odin and Dorothy Granning, the latter from Minneapolis.

Girls' Community Club.

One of the most elaborate and successful parties which the Girls' Community club has enjoyed this season was held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening. The event was given in commeration of the club's second birthday anniversary. Patriotic colors were used in making the hall attractive. Burning tapers supporting red shades adorned the tables from which the guests were served. After the assemblage of approximately 75 guests the following clever and amusing program, arranged by Miss Una Nelson, was given:

Duet by "Madame Schumann-Hein", and "Mary Garden."

Selection by "Boston Symphony Orchestra."

"Jigs."

"Grown-up Kid Show."

The hours which followed were spent in dancing. At 11 o'clock a buffet lunch was served.

George Washington Party.

Among the attractive affairs on Feb. 22, was the George Washington party given by Mrs. H. O. Loken in compliment to her daughter Murial, at her home, 315 W. Second St. Dinner was served at six o'clock. Ione Loken and Gladys Christiansen, dressed in costumes to represent Martha and George Washington, respectively, served. All decorations and appointments were patriotic, and the favors were unique little statues of George Washington. After the dinner hour the guests enjoyed numerous parlor games and music. The guests were Maxine Johnson, Erayl Anderson, Margaret Klungness, Esther Bennes, Thelma Christianson, Leiv Vistaunet, Ella Monsbroten, Ellen Crandall, Murial Loken and Morris Holzknecht, Arthur Penney, Lloyd Bennes, Clifton Conner, Clifford Storholm, Galen Adkins, John Stuart, Leigh Anderson and Robert Halvorson.

May Erect New School.

The board of directors of school district No. 54 met at the Pennington county court house on Saturday when it was decided to remodel or rebuild the school house in that district which has been condemned by the state inspector. In event of the state department's disapproval of remodeling the building, a new one will have to be erected or transportation furnished pupils to the school at St. Hilaire. The school house of the district is located on the Jefferson highway south of that village.

Junior Red Cross Will Finance Follow-Up Work

Mrs. L. G. Larsen and Rev. R. L. Barackman, representing the board of directors of the Pennington County Chapter of the American Red Cross, met with the directors of the Junior Red Cross at the court house on Saturday afternoon. The outcome of the conference was the decision by the directors of the last named organization that the funds in the treasury be made available for financing the follow-up work of the Pennington county-nurse. In cases where children are found in poor physical condition and urgently in need of treatment for which parents are unable to pay, funds from the Junior Red Cross treasury will be devoted to the purpose with the understanding that that organization is to be reimbursed by the parents when able to do so.

Miss Marie Knutson, county nurse, in conducting examinations in rural schools of the county, found many children in need of medical attention, the need being urgent in many instances. She has already received several applications for treatment of children from their parents, and three cases have been placed in the hands of Thief River Falls physicians.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.47
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.44
Oats	.31
Flax	1.58
Barley	.45
Rye	1.21
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, Per cwt.	[illegible]
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.60
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.60
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.30
Dairy Butter	.45
Creamery butter	.52
Cow Hides, per lb.	.05
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	8-10
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	8-12
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.05
Hogs, per lb	[illegible]
Calves, per lb.	.03
Cows, per lb.	.04

State Domain Department Proposed by House Bill

Creation of a state department of public domain under a commission of five members and with five branches or bureaus of lands, mineral lands, game and fish, drainage, and forests and parks, is the purpose of a bill introduced Wednesday in the house of representatives, with perhaps 10 members of prominence as sponsors. Abolition of the office of state public examiner, forester, immigration commissioner and a number of boards would result from the passage of the bill. The commissioners would be appointed by the governor, take office July 1, for a term of two years, and receive salaries of $4,500 each.

Farm Bureaus of State Have 58,000 Members

The Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation now numbers 58,000 members and this number is expected to go above 60,000 before the end of the month, state headquarters announced on Thursday.

Twenty-four counties are completely organized having a community unit in each township, it was announced. In all 459 townships in 31 counties are organized. The federal board hopes to establish 1,000 more township units by April 1st. They are being formed at the rate of twenty a day.

Farley to Wrestle Hiatt Here Next Monday Night

Cal. Farley, holder of the welterweight wrestling championship of the world, will meet Kid Hiatt of Minneapolis on the mat at the Lyceum theater on the night of March 28. Hiatt, who has never been thrown by anyone of his weight, is challenger for the title. This is Farley's last appearance on the mat before he leaves to wrestle Walter Miller for the middleweight championship at Los Angeles, California. Preliminaries start at 10:45.

LOCAL BOXER FINDS COMPANY TOO FAST

Young Fulton Puts Up Good Exhibition at Outset of Go, But is Outclassed.

Tom Tibbitts, the Indian lightweight of Bemidji, proved his right to challenge some of the real good ones in a boxing exhibition held in this city on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Thief River Athletic association. His opponent was "Young Fulton," a local boy, who made a good showing for a beginner but was clearly not in the same class with his more experienced opponent.

At the outset it looked as if the local man might have a chance. He waded right into his man and the large crowd was for a moment by no means sure that he would not be awarded the decision on points. After Tibbitts once became interested in his surroundings, however, the general outlook changed and it was seen that he had only been feeling out his man. The first round was about even so far as the honors went.

Round two had progressed less than a minute when the Bemidji man found an opening, with the result that all hopes of Fulton being returned winner went glimmering. The round was not finished; Tibbitts clearly outpointing Fulton at every turn. The exhibition was to have gone eight rounds.

The preliminaries were interesting but not sensational. The semi-final bout of two rounds in which young men of the city were the principles, was well staged and well received. The others were on the usual order and served to keep the crowd good natured.

Cal Farley, welterweight wrestler, who will appear here in a match on Monday evening, was the third man in the ring.

It is stated that Tibbitts, who at present is engaged in logging near Bena, will make Thief River Falls his headquarters as soon as his contract is completed. He is a good boxer, a pleasant fellow and would have the enthusiastic support of local fans in anything he might undertake in the future.

Junior Short Course at Aggie School April 4-8

The ninth junior short course of the Northwest School of Agriculture will be held April 4 to 8 this year. The week will be known as Boys' and Girls' Club Week. Nearly 2000 boys and girls were enrolled in club projects in this section of the state last year and 3000 are expected to belong the coming year. The junior short course held at Crookston each year gives instruction to boys and girls of [illegible] agricultural and home making lines, particularly emphasizing club projects. Nearly 200 enrolled last year. Preparations are being made for 300 this year. The total cost during the five days is $4.60, which includes board and room. Bedding must be furnished by the student. A. J. Kittelson, boys' and girls' club leader, and the entire faculty of the school will take charge of the classes and program, thus assuring northwestern Minnesota boys and girls of an enjoyable and profitable week. Rooms must be reserved in advance by writing to the Northwest School at Crookston.

Fixing Up For Spring.

In preparation for spring business the office of C. Gustafson & Son has been undergoing a general overhauling during the past week. A new office, new floor covering placed office and new floor covering placed in the private office and the whole re-papered and repainted. The old shelving has all been torn down and replaced, the change making a decided improvement both as concerns looks and convenience. The Gustafson concern expects the spring business to average up with that of previous years in spite of the fact that the late winter has been rather slow.

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SATURDAY
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In
"SIMPLE SOULS"
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GOOD PROSPECT OF ADJUSTMENT IN PAVING TIFF

Reports Are That Compromise May Be Reached Between Opposing Factions.

Proposition is to Pave Only Center of Streets on Which Traffic is Light.

Plan Would Likely Meet With General Approval on Part City's Taxpayers.

Although the men who might be expected to know most about the matter are saying the least, there is a well-defined rumor to the effect that a compromise will probably be reached between the paving advocates and those who are opposed to the improvement at this time. A meeting between the spokesmen for the latter faction and city council members has been arranged and there is every hope that things will so shape themselves as to cause further objections to paving to be withdrawn. It is admitted that such meeting will take place but neither side will offer any opinion as to what will be the subject discussed or its probable outcome.

May Curtail Program.

Those who have prominently identified themselves with the opposition have maintained from the outset that they were not against paving but thoroughly convinced that the present is not the proper time to enter into a contract involving such extensive outlay. They are willing to have the business streets paved, but believe it will be to the interests of all to postpone the matter.

The city council, as well as a majority of citizens, on the other hand, seem to be of the opinion that the city would become liable for a large sum of money in the way of damages if the enterprise were now to be abandoned, holding further that there is no guarantee of a lower price later on. The matter has been discussed from all angles and so far there has evidently has been but small likelihood of a compromise.

From repotrs current today, however, the outlook for an amicable settlement is very good. While the council members cannot see any possible way of backing away from the agreements made, there seems to be a possibility of coming to an understanding in a different direction. A man who is in a position to know informs The Times that the basis of compromise to be offered will be about as follows:

Instead of paving all streets within the paving district full width, certain of these will be surfaced only 24 feet in the center, leaving a boulevard on each side. Second street south, Horace avenue, Atlantic avenue and North Main street are the thoroughfares to be thus treated if the plan goes through, it is asserted. This would cut a large part of the total cost off the job and besides ease up on the payemnts for those who own property along the streets where there is comparatively little traffic.

Would Slove Problem.

If some such agreement can be reached it would doubtless meet with the approval of citizens generally as well as remove the objection raised on the part of those directly affected. It would mean that the paving work can be undertaken at once instead of waiting until a court decision is handed down in June. The business men interviewed on the subject this morning all expressed themselves as hoping the plan would be carried out as this would make another court hearing unnecessary and permit of the original proposal being carried out with the support of all our citizens.

Income Tax Man Here.

A. G. Aubol, deputy collector of the United States Internal Revenue service, arrived here on Tuesday and has established a temporary office in the Commercial club rooms in the city auditorium, where he will be until Saturday noon. The purpose of his stay here is to assist city and rural taxpayers in filing their income tax returns for the year 1920. His services are rendered free of charge to the general public, it being the purpose of the revenue service to expedite the making out of returns in such manner as to dispense with the large number of errors previously discovered in annual income reports.

WIVES QUALIFY FOR CITIZENSHIP PAPERS AT REGULAR HEARING

Eight Are Accepted Along With Husbands, Proving Qualifications Before Court and Government Naturalization Agent.

The citizenship of the United States was increased by nineteen on Friday when Mr. and Mrs. Hans Finkel Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Nils Christofferson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McNaughton, Sigve Torbjornson Espeland, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ferdinand Halldin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fellman, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Olai Johnson Svare, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Olauson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vance, Anton Sworchek and Peter Borrud appeared before the judge of the Pennington county district court for examination. Petitions for citizenship had previously been entered by the heads of households. Two other pleas were continued through the applicant or his wife failing to qualify at this time.

Since the passage of woman's suffrage in 1919 it is necessary for both man and wife to appear for examination before citizenship can be granted. Of the above mentioned 19 residents of Pennington county Peter Borrud was required to go through the fewest of formalities because of his having served with the U. S. army during the world war. Five foreign nations, Norway, Sweden, Great Britian (Scotland), Finland and Poland were represented by the new citizens of this country previous to their appearance at the court rooms on Friday.

In the absence of Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren, who is attending the presidential inaugural ceremonies at Washington, Judge Wm. Watts of Crookston conducted the hearing. R. K. Doe, U. S. naturalization examiner of Duluth, conducted the examinations. The next hearing of petitions has been set for July 29.

HIGH COURT HOLDS FARM LOAN BANKS ARE WITHIN LAW

Decision Brings to Close Case of Much Importance to People of Farming Districts.

The federal farm loan act was held constitutional by the United States supreme court on Monday. This is the act under which land banks were established to extend loans to farmers. The court, in sustaining federal court decrees, dismissed the injunction proceedings brought by Charles E. Smith, a stockholder in the Kansas City Title and Trust company, also held that congress had authority to exempt the bonds of the bank from taxation.

Millions of dollars in loans to farmers were held up, pending the decision of the court in this case. The act was attacked on the ground that congress was without constitutional authority to establish the farm loan banks and to exempt their bonds from taxation. The court was divided, six to two, Justices Holmes and McReynolds dissenting. Justice Brandeis took no part in considering the case. Justices Holmes and McReynolds held the case should have been dismissed by the court as being solely within the scope of the Missouri court.

L. A. Lampert, secretary-treasurer of the Valhall Land Loan association of this city, as well as the other officers of the branch, are much pleased over the early and favorable decision rendered in this case. The Valhall association placed loans for a large aggregate amount on neighboring farms previous to the filing of the case attacking the constitutionality of the law and many more applications are now pending. The legal status of the bank being now established they are prepared to proceed under the plans originally laid down and approved by the state and federal managers of these banks.

GET LOWER PRICES ON COUNTY'S WORK

Drop in Price Below That of a Year Ago Most Marked in All Directions.

The contract for the construction of county ditch No. 68 and excavation work to be done on ditch No. 70 was let to the American Drainage company of Thief River Falls on Friday by the Pennington county contract letting board at a cost of 13 cents per yard for ditch No. 68 and 16 cents per yard for the work on ditch No. 70. These bids were somewhat lower than the lowest received at the time bids on the same construction work were opened in January. The leveling of roadways affected by the construction work will be done at a cost of $170 per mile.

A contract for steel culverts made necessary by the construction of the above mentioned ditches was let to the Minneapolis Bridge company. A third contract for large concrete culverts to be used in the construction and repair of state roads within the county was let to L. D. McAdams of this city at a price approximately one-third lower than that prevailing a year ago.

Another Farm Brings $100 Per Acre; Bought For $9.00

M. T. McFarland, prominent garage man of Thief River Falls, on Monday purchased the Carsten Christenson farm four miles northwest of the city. The farm, which is the east half of southwest quarter, section 13, Norden township and west half of southwest quarter, section 18, North township, is considered one of the finest and most modernly equipped as to buildings in this section. The purchase price was $100 per acre for the 160 acres. Mr. McFarland recently purchased nine head of purebred Holsteins and will immediately go into the market with the purpose of building up a dairy herd second to no other in Northwestern Minnesota.

Carsten Christensen in 1900 moved onto the farm, which he purchased during that year for $1450, and has since built it up into one of the show farms of the county. He will hold a public auction on March 10 for the purpose of disposing of his entire farm equipment, but has not as yet announced his further plans.

EARLY OHIO IS FAVORITE SPUD WITH GROWERS

Produce Association Members Advocate Specializing in This Variety.

Plots For Certified Seed Raising Selected For Coming Season in County.

Cobblers, Burbanks and Green Mountain Favored For Cultivation in Order Named.

The semi-annual meeting of the Pennington County Produce association which is chiefly concerned at this time with the growing and marketing of potatoes, held at the Farm Bureau office in the city auditorium on Saturday, opened with the reading of the secretary's report of business operations during the past six months and the distribution of all unpaid checks. Certified seed plots and seed potato plots were also located, the difference in the two being that certified seed plots require registration and inspection while the seed potato plots are cultivated merely as a means of selecting the best of the crop for seed purposes only.

The Favored Varieties.

It was further decided to favor the cultivation in the county of the Early Ohio potato as being best adapted to soil and conditions, with the Cobblers as second in favor, Russet Burbanks third and Green Mountains fourth. The Early Ohio has proven best adapted to growing in Pennington county, and the variety is nationally known, hence more easily marketed. They do not yield as great as the Cobblers but the quality is better and they usually command a higher price. Early Ohios raised in this section are classed as Red River Ohios, which potatoes are famous and in great demand in all markets of the United States. The Cobbler was named as second choice because of the fact that the variety is adapted to a sandy soil and many farmers of the county will find it necessary to select such a potato.

Treatment For Scab.

The importance of treating seed potatoes with corrosive sublimate was discussed at length, it being the concensus of opinion of the members present that seed should be so treated before planting in order to kill all wilt and scab germs. The association also recommends the use of arsenate of lead and paris green as a mixture in spraying for potato bugs, as being more effective than either of the two when used alone. Arsenate of lead is a slower acting poison but adheres to the plant for a much longer time than paris green, consequently a mixture of the two secures quicker action and is effective over a greater period of time. The association will spare no effort to improve the quality of potatoes to be shipped from Pennington county this coming fall.

Oski Farm Near Mavie Sold for $10,000 to Chicago Man

The Walker-Gosell Land company of Thief River Falls on Tuesday purchased for Bernard McBrady of Chicago, the Joe Oski farm north of the village of Mavie and a half section of unimproved prairie land situated a mile and a half north of Goodridge, formerly owned by Stuart McLeod of that place. Mr. McBrady paid approximately $10,000 for the first mentioned farm, which is highly improved and considered one of the finest in the county. The McLeod property sold for $25 per acre.

The purchaser is not a stranger in this section of the state, owning several valuable tracts of land in Beltrami, Marshall and Pennington counties.

Says Camps Need Men.

James King of St. Hilaire, reached this city last Friday night, having accompanied a car containing 18 head of draft horses here from Kelliher, where they were used in logging operations during the past winter months. The animals belong to Lloyd Crown, local road contractor. Mr. King states that the logging companies in the vicinity of Kelliher are in need of men but that work for teams has fallen off with the thawing weather.

TRUCKING SERVICE CLUB TOPIC TODAY

Question of Supporting Movement Sponsored By Grand Forks Men to Come Up.

George Dixon and K. P. Caldwell of the Motor Truck Express company of Grand Forks, were the guests of honor at the Commercial club luncheon served this noon. Both visitors spoke of the benefits to be derived by this community thru the operations of their company, which was recently organized for the purpose of providing motor truck freight and express service for many of the cities and villages of northwestern Minnesota during the open months of the year.

Business matters of minor importance were taken up in addition to the reading of minutes of a special directors meeting called on Monday, at which time Dr. H. W. Froehlich, George Streeter, I. Halseth and H. C. Johnson were appointed as a revolving committee having in charge arrangements for the weekly noonday luncheons and the procuring of a speaker for each occasion. It was also decided to sell season tickets good for four consecutive luncheons, at the price of $1.40 as a means of guaranteeing a large attendance at each weekly event.

With the addition to the club room equipment of collapsible tables for dining service, the organization becomes practically settled in the new quarters. A new floor to be laid in the near future will complete the renovations. The Woman's club, Girls' Community club and the Woman's Auxiliary to the local post of the American Legion have been granted the use of the room as a meeting place. Each organization, and others of a like nature which shall be granted the same privilege, will be required to pay a yearly rental fee of $25 and engage the services of the same janitoress.

INITIAL CONCERT BY NEW CHORAL CLUB MUCH APPRECIATED

Fine Program Presented Tuesday Evening Before Record Breaking Audience.

The Choral society of this city presented its first concert on Tuesday night to one of the largest audiences ever assembled in the city auditorium and scored a success as great or greater than that of any other organization of local talent. Great credit for the successful organization of the society, the rigid regime instituted for rehearsals which have taken place since the formation of the musical unit last November, and the finish with which all numbers were presented by the chorus of 50 voices, is to be given to Miss Maude L. Johnson, director.

Many difficult selections were sung by the chorus on Tuesday evening and with an ease that betokened a thorough knowledge of the scores. Several exceptionally good voices were heard for the first time in a public concert. The audience, from the opening number on the program, "Hail, Noble Hail," an arrangement from Richard Wagner's Tannhauser, to the "Hallelujah Chorus," from the Messiah by Handel, which was sung in closing the concert, rewarded the singers with applause betokening their sincere appreciation. The last mentioned and Stainer's "God So Loved the World," sung A cappella, most evidenced the ability of the chorus.

While appearing as members of the chorus, solo parts were taken by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Mrs. O. F. Mellby and Miss Grace Iverson. There were two highly appreciated musical numbers by Miss Ausilga Sorenson, violin, and Miss Laura Forde, piano. The latter acted as accompanist throughout the concert, her work being of the usual high order, while that of Miss Sorenson elicited unstinted approval. Mrs. Fisher's principal offering, "The Cry of Rachael," gave further evidence of the artist's mastery where the more difficult compositions are undertaken.

The Choral society will immediately start work on an oratorio to be presented here during the spring months. The chorus personnel is as follows:

Sopranos—Miss May Bark, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. M. W. Brink, Mrs. G. Halvorson, Miss Dora Holmes, Miss Grace E. Iverson, Miss Edna A. Larson, Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Miss Ella V. Miller, Miss Gerda Mortenson, Mrs. C. A. Nason, Miss Genevieve Una Nelson, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr.

Tenors—W. A. Barnard, H. C. Durrin, T. J. Hagen, J. N. Nesse, V. C. Noper, O. C. Olson, S. C. Sundahl, P. L. Vistaunet.

Altos—Mrs. A. Bottelson, Mrs. B. W. Briggs, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Miss Mary Grigold, Mrs. C. D. Gustafson, Mrs. W. H. Halbert, Miss Thora Hanson, Mrs. N. K. Harris, Miss Emelia Hoorn, Mrs. Lucille E. Johnson, Miss Meta Kiland, Mrs. J. H. McKinney, Mrs. V. C. Noper.

Basses—E. M. Bennes, A. Bottelson, B. W. Briggs, E. P. Brevig, C. G. Gulrud, C. D. Gustafson, G. Halvorson, O. G. Johnson, L. H. Larsen, O. F. Mellby, F. C. Niclai, M. A. Schmitt.

Crookston Here Friday in Last High School Contest

The Thief River Falls and Crookston high school basketball quints will meet on the city auditorium floor on Friday night at 8:15 and a fast game is expected inasmuch as the locals defeated Crookston in a game played on Crookston's floor by but six points.

This is the last game to be played by the Thief River Falls tossers before they go to Crookston to fight for the district championship. No specific dates have been announced for the latter games tho they will undoubtedly be played on March 9 and 10 or on the 10 and 11. The battle for the state high school championship will be fought at Northfield on March 17 and 18.

Travelers Leave $10,000,000.

The annual report for 1920 of the Ten Thousand Lakes of Minnesota association shows that the 200,000 travelers who vacationed in the state during the past season spent $10,000,000 while doing so. The motor travel business alone, not taking into consideration the many thousands of nonresidents who arrive by rail and boat, is estimated as worth $30,000 per day to the state.

ANNOUNCE PLAN FOR FINANCING GRAIN AGENCY

Aim to Raise Billion Dollars on Debentures Secured by Warehouse Receipts.

Committee of Seventeen Outline Plan For Nation-Wide Co-Operative Selling.

Farm Bureau Considers Calling All Producing Agencies to Ratification Congress.

Details of the nationwide co-operative grain marketing plan worked out by the American Farm Bureau federation's Committee of Seventeen after five months of research have been made public.

Every *grain raising community in* the country is to have an opportunity to consider the plan before it is finally approved. The Committee of Seventeen is now drafting a plan for a national convention, in which representatives of every state and every farmers organization will meet to ratify the marketing program.

Under the grain selling plan, as announced through the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation this week, a national co-operative selling agency is to be incorporated on a nonstock, nonprofit basis. Grain growers will become life members of this national organization.

Five Year Contracts Proposed.

Wherever local co-operative elevators or grain shipping associations already have been formed, they will be used as the basis of the national agency. All existing co-operative units are to be asked to take part. In communities where there is no co-operative elevator, the farmers will organize a local grain growers association.

Farmers will sign contracts to sell all their grain through their local co-operative for five years. The co-operative will make a similar contract with the national sales agency.

The farmers, however, are to choose the method by which they will sell their grain. They may sell on consignment, they may sell direct to their national co-operative agency, or they may decide to establish a community pool. They may sell to a local mill or for local consumption. The object of the contracts is to enable the national organization to sell the grain as the world needs it, and prevent violent fluctuations and price depressions as a result of flooded markets at harvest time.

Warehouse System Planned.

The Committee of Seventeen is completing the details of its plan for financing this giant farmers' organization. It proposes to establish sales agencies in every important market, and acquire government licensed warehouses for storing the farmers' grain. With the warehouse receipts for this grain as surety, it is planned to sell debentures or securities on the open market, or to farmers, country bankers and the public generally, and thus raise money to finance the co-operative plan. William G. Eckhardt, treasurer of the Committee of Seventeen, in St. Paul to confer with farm bureau officers, said that the committee believes the national marketing agency can be made so strong that it can raise $1,000,000,000 a year to handle the farmers' grain.

The national co-operative probably would advance to the farmer, when he ships his grain, 75 per cent of the price it hopes to obtain for him; the rest of the selling price would be paid to him when the grain is sold. The aim of the organization is to enable the farmer to get some return from his crop at once, without dumping the country's entire production on the market at harvest time and forcing the price down. In that way farmers would be able to realize some return on their crops at once, and their national agency would hold the grain and market it as world demand calls for it. It is designed to prevent violent fluctuations through manipulation, and sudden price depression at harvest time as a result of an oversupply of grain flooding the market.

Legislative committees or executive boards of 53 county farm bureaus in Minnesota have reported their 42,000 farmer members as overwhelmingly in favor of the futures trading bill, now pending in the legislature, to prohibit short selling of grain and other farm products. Seventeen counties have reported in the last week, the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation announces.

VOTERS TO DECIDE BRIDGE QUESTION

The town board of North township and many of the residents who make use of the wagon bridge crossing the Thief river just east of the Soo round house and shops, were present at a hearing held at the court house on Thursday regarding the maintenance of the above mentioned bridge, which is said to be in an unsafe condition. The county board arranged for the hearing but on Thursday considered it purely a township matter and referred it to the town board.

been taken by the last named body which was authorized by the voters of the county to make the necessary repairs at the last election.

The town board decided to call for plans and specifications from the highway engineer and to advertise for bids for the necessary construction work. A vote will also be taken at the town election on March 8 as to whether or not the board should expend more than $4000 on repairing the bridge in question. The voters of the township at the last election authorized the board to make the necessary repairs, and bids for such were subsequently received. They were so high, however, that all were rejected. The lowest bid was $6,000.

Another plan has been suggested which it is thought will materially reduce construction costs tho offering residents on the east side of the river a more circuitous route to Thief River Falls. The township has been offered a free right of way thru the Nels Myron farm to connect with the road leading south to the Goodridge highway. This route would require the construction of a small bridge of approximately a ten foot span over a coulee. It is estimated that the cost of such a bridge would not exceed $3,000.

EXTEND TIME ONE MONTH FOR PAYING PERSONAL TAXES

Bill Giving Taxpayers to April First Without Penalty is Rushed Through.

Personal property taxes became delinquent if not paid on or before the first day of March under the law, but an emergency measure was rushed through the legislature extending the time for thirty days. The bill, introduced by Representative C. F. Serline and passed under suspension of the rules on Monday, was signed at once by Governor Preus and the ten per cent penalty will thus be avoided by a large number of citizens who found themselves unable to meet the payment at this time.

The thirty days' grace will give many an opportunity to secure the necessary money as every day sees a bettering of financial conditions. The action of the legislature will therefore be hailed with approval on every hand.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud states that in spite of all expectations to the contrary personal property tax payments were very general, differing but little from previous years in Pennington county. However, the respite will prove most acceptable to a large number.

ONE OF TWO QUINTS TO GO DOWN FOR FIRST TIME MAR. 5

Legion and Company G Basket Shooters Will Clash Here to Decide Question.

Local fans will have an opportunity of seeing more fast work on Saturday night when the Eklund post quintet ties into the Company G team of St. Paul on the city auditorium floor. Both teams are as yet undefeated in their playing of this year and their efforts to uphold such records will spur both on to the fastest kind of a game. Company G comes here from Minot, N. D., where they clashed with the Independents on Tuesday and Wednesday nights. The game will be called at 8:15.

The Legion basket shooters, who are out after the championship of the Northwest, have to their credit victories over the following teams:

Fosston Legion,	24 to 16.
Crookston Company I,	31 to 29.
Grand Forks Y,	44 to 5.
Bemidji Legion,	41 to 18.
Ada Legion,	51 to 12.
Detroit Legion,	67 to 7.
Greenbush City,	53 to 18.
Excelsior Independents,	40 to 22.
Excelsior Independents,	31 to 11.

THIRD ADDRESS OF MERCHANTS' SERIES

Banquet and Election of Officers Will Also Take Place Next Wednesday Evening.

Frank Payne, dean of the department of trade and industry of the University of Minnesota, will deliver the address at the third banquet-lecture to be given by the Thief River Falls Merchants association at the Hotel Evelyn on the evening of March 9. The subject of his talk will be "Business Cycles." The association extends a general invitation to the business and professional men of the city to attend this third lecture of the series, for which the most prominent speakers of the state have been secured.

Mr. Payne's talk will be preceded by a banquet supper which will be served at 6:30. At 9:00 o'clock a business session of the Merchants association will be opened for the annual election of officers and directors. Members of the organization who find it impossible to attend the banquet and lecture are requested to be present for the business meeting.

Town Meeting.

The Town of North will hold their town meeting in the Commercial club rooms in the basement of the auditorium, Tuesday, March 8th.

M3 THOS. H. BJERKE, Clerk.

American Legion posts still without auxiliary units are being referred to as "batchelor posts."

SCRUB CATTLE TO BLAME FOR DAIRY LOSSES

Expert Says Poor Cows Last Year Cost Minnesota Farmers Over $14,000,000.

Improved Marketing Conditions Would Go Far Toward Wiping Out This Loss.

Nation-Wide Advertising Campaign to Offset Inroads of Butter Substitutes.

A Dairy boosters meeting was conducted at the city auditorium on Friday afternoon with B. P. Scott, secretary of the Holstein-Friesian association of Minnesota, and W. A. McKerrow, head of the Livestock and *Dairy extension division* of the University of Minnesota, as the principal speakers. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Pennington County Farm Bureau and the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association. Hans Anton, president of the last named organization introduced the speakers.

Mr. Scott, by way of opening his short talk stated that he spoke only from actual experience in the dairying industry. He gave as his opinion that the dairy industry of the state during 1920 produced $166,000,000 worth of products at an expense of $180,000,000 because of the fact that the average dairyman worked without a dairy cow on the place. He spoke in eloquent denunciation of the "real dyed-in-the-wool hick who remained year after year in his rut on the farm, pailing cows that were not of the dairy type or breed."

Only two per cent of the dairy cows of the state are registered, Mr. Scott stated. He advocated the purchase of a pure bred sire and the upbuilding of the dairy herd for the average dairyman who desired to operate his business in a profitable manner, rather than the immediate purchase of pure bred dairy animals. In speaking of marketing conditions, he added that from several years of experiences while in the employ of one of the greater mailorder houses of the country, he was convinced that such great institutions flourished because of the antagonism existing between the average country merchant and the average farmer, and advocated a closer relationship and a common objective for the two elements.

Great Marketing Program.

Mr. McKerrow's talk dealt entirely with marketing conditions. As one of the Committee of Seventeen in the United States, which was appointed by President Howard of the American Federation of Farm Bureaus for the investigation of production and marketing conditions throughout the nation, he stated that the committee was about to present the greatest marketing program to the people that has ever been laid out. He stated that it would be impossible to at once revolutionize the marketing systems of today, consequently the work would proceed step by step until a more favorable situation for everyone concerned should result. He lauded the co-operative creamery method employed as being the most efficient system of marketing butter fat, and cited the accomplishments of the Livestock Shippers' association.

To Advertise Value.

The speaker's discussion as to the benefit of dairy products as food occupied the greater part of his talk. He spoke of the food elements found in dairy products as compared with oleomargarine, nutmargarine or other butter substitutes, the use of which he most emphatically denounced as being a menace to the health of the consumer. He further emphasized Mr. Scott's statements by designating the scrub cow and scrub sire as the "greatest thugs and thieves" to be found in Minnesota.

Both speakers became enthusiastic in discussing a nation-wide advertising campaign for the dairy products of the state, plans for which are at present being formulated with the expectations of making the names of Minnesota products household words throughout the nation. The success of the fruit and raisin growers organizations of the West in this respect was cited as an example of what could be accomplished for Minnesota—the greatest of all dairying states.

Following their talks here Mr. Scott and Mr. McKerrow, in company with Hans Anton and County Agent J. J. McCann, left for Goodridge where they spoke at the annual meeting of the Goodridge Community club. A special car on the electric line was chartered to accommodate residents of this vicinity who attended the Goodridge meeting. The attendance at the meeting conducted here was small, about 140 persons being present.

Lumbermen Get Together Here.

J. Payne of Goodridge, Fred Hincik of Mavie, O. N. Hem and Hans Aamold of Fosston, J. H. Loen of Radium, George Phillipson of Middle River, C. L. Sandberg of Holt, John Sheggrud of Hazel, and W. S. Wheeler of Lengby, attended the annual get-to-gether meeting of the Winton-Nichols lumber company managers held at the head offices here on Friday afternoon. Following the business session the out of town managers, in company with local employes of the concern, were the guests of General Manager C. A. Nason at an evening banquet served at the Hotel Evelyn.

Society and Club

Appears in Concert at Grand Forks.—The following, taken from the Grand Forks Herald before her appearance in concert in the above named city, will please numerous admirers of Mrs. Fisher's vocal ability:

"Grand Forks residents have heard with interest the announcement of Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher's appearance on the program of the Woman's Relief Benefit concert on Sunday and concert patrons are awaiting the program with much interest. Mrs. Fisher, now of Thief River Falls, is a graduate of Wesley college conservatory and while a resident of Grand Forks appeared on many excellent programs, much to the delight of local music lovers."

While in her home city she also appeared as soloist in the Grand theater. She will have a return engagement within a month.

Entertained.

Several young folks from the city were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson south of this city on Saturday evening where a social time was enjoyed. A sumptuous lunch was served by the hostess at midnight assisted by Mrs. J. M. Bishop. The guests included Misses Margaret Mealy, Margaret Dix, Maude Johnson, Esther Johnson, Laura Forde, Meta Kiland, Ausilga Sorenson, Marian Miller, Ella Miller and Messrs. Morlan Bishop, Dan Maue, Gordon Mellby, Carl Sundahl, Ed. Brevig, Perry Johnson and Guy Johnson.

Social Welfare Section to Meet.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club will meet on Monday afternoon, March 7, in the Commercial club rooms. At this meeting the delegates to the mid-winter meeting of Federated clubs, held recently at Minneapolis, will give their report. Mrs. C. A. Nason will give a report on the Lyceum course and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, state chairman of thrift, will give a talk on thrift work thruout the state. At 4 o'clock a 15c lunch will be served. A special invitation is extended to the men and teachers.

Starts Spring Work.

E. F. Franklin, one of the county's most extensive farmers, returned last week from Blue Earth county where he had been visiting with his family since Christmas. Mr. Franklin owns 800 acres of land in Pennington county, most of it about six miles from Thief River Falls on the river, and will soon start on his spring work. He states that the southern part of the state has experienced a very mild winter and that there is a general rush to get farming under way as quickly as possible.

Ruth Mellby Has Party.

Miss Ruth Mellby entertained a number of her girl friends at her home on Thursday evening. Games and music formed the chief diversion. The guests were Margaret Melgaard, Margaret Klungness, Maxine Johnson, Peggy Shaw, Esther Mellby, Esther Bennes, Muriel Loken, Ellen Crandall, Ausof Dahlen and Erysel Anderson.

Entertains Eastern Star Members.

The officers of the Eastern Star lodge and members in attendance at the meeting on Wednesday evening were delightfully entertained by Miss Effie Hamry, following the business session.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club held their meeting on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms with a very good attendance. Mrs. Gaston Ward led the lesson on "City Government," in a very able manner. Mrs. L. F. Fisher and Miss Grace Iverson offered a vocal duet which was greatly appreciated by the club. A short program preceded the program.

Engelstad-Knutson.

Axel P. Engelstad and Myrtle B. Knutson of Thief River Falls were united in marriage Saturday at 5 p. m., at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. George Larson officiating, in the presence of Lars Engelstad and Synneva W. Gunderson.

Both the bride and bridegroom are highly respected residents of Thief River Falls.

Surprise Party.

About 35 of the neighbors and friends of Mrs. Fred Hollander, residing four miles west of this city, perpetrated a surprise on Saturday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent in cards and dancing. Refreshments carried by the surprisers were served at midnight.

Joybearers Club Entertained.

Miss Gladys Christianson was hostess to her Sunday school classmates, the Joybearers, at her home on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock, when a delightful lunch was served by the hostess' mother, Mrs. C. T. Christianson.

Birthday Party.

In commemoration of her thirteenth birthday anniversary, Sina Johnson entertained a number of girls at her home on Thursday afternoon. The hostess was presented with numerous gifts as remembrances of the occasion.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. R. L. Barackman, assisted by Mrs. F. E. Hunt, at the former's home on Friday afternoon, March 11. Lunch will be served at 4:00 o'clock.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will hold their next meeting on Monday evening, March 7, at the new Commercial club rooms. All members are asked to be present and make this meeting a success.

Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained in the basement of the church Wednesday afternoon, March 9th at 4 p. m., by Mesdames J. B. Smith, Ray Pope and V. C. Noper.

Firemen Will Present Ball.

The advance sale of tickets to the 25th annual ball to be given by the city firemen on the night of March 28, is already being conducted. This is the first ball given by the men of the department during the last six years.

Entertains at Luncheon.

In compliment to her guest, Mrs. W. J. Foley of Rainey River, Ont., Mrs. M. W. Brink will entertain six of her lady friends at a luncheon at her home this afternoon.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson pleasantly entertained fifteen ladies at cards at her home Thursday afternoon. At five o'clock a delicious lunch was served.

Sleighride Party.

A number of high school students enjoyed a sleighride to Hazel on Saturday evening.

U. C. T. Party.

The members of the U. C. T. lodge and their wives and lady friends will enjoy another of their delightful dancing parties at the Masonic hall on Saturday evening.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swenger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid society meets Thursday, March 3rd and is to be entertained by Mrs. P. L. Vistaunet, Mrs. Gilbert Sandum, Mrs. E. O. Thompson and Mrs. Hofto. Young Peoples' society meets Thursday evening, March 3rd. There will be no services next Sunday as the pastor is to be at the Pastoral Conference of the northern Minnesota district which meets at Fergus Falls March 3rd to 7th. The Sunday school and Bible class will meet at the usual hour. Prayer meeting at the home of J. J. Aga Wednesday evening, March 9th. Choir practice Thursday evening at 7:30.

S. D. A. Mission—Special meetings will be held at the Mission beginning Friday, March 4th at 7:45 p. m. and will be continued until the 10th. Services will be conducted in both the English and Scandinavian languages. On Sunday March 6th there will be service at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kriedt, Pastor—German services on Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school 9:30. English Passion services 7:30 p. m. Bible class meets Thursday 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Feb. 6. 10 a. m. Sunday school. We have classes to accommodate all grades from the primary to our adult Bible class. 11 a. m., morning worship, "Jesus' Final Word to the World." 8 p. m., evening worship. Music by junior choir; Anthem, "We Will Follow Him;" duet, "Sweeter as the Years Go By." Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. Consecration meeting, "Thy Kingdom Come in My Church." Matt. 6:7-15.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday morning and evening by the Deacons. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. The Sewing Circle meets at Oftelie's Thursday evening. Confirmants on Tuesday at 4 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, March 10th, entertained by Mrs. Oftelie and Mrs. Roisland. Young Peoples' meeting Thursday evening, entertained by Gordon Larson and Aug. Christ Klapp.

held every Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium. Subject for Sunday, March 6th, "Man." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. The reading room is open every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from three to five o'clock at the same place. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Midweek service Thursday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire—In East-side schoolhouse at 11 a. m., Sunday and at St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

The First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday: In Swedish at 10:30; in English at 7:45. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at the parsonage.

Salvation Army—Services are held at the army hall, 317 Main Ave. N., on Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday of each week at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. m3f

The Silverton Young Peoples Society will hold a meeting in the Silverton church on March 6. A lunch will be served immediately following the meeting. Everybody cordially invited.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, March 6: English and German services at Grygla at 10 a. m., and at Esplee at 3 p. m.

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SWEDISH CHURCH IN RED RIVER VALLEY HAS GOOD REPORTS

(By Joseph G. Mattson.)

The Red River District of the Red River Valley Conference assembled for its annual meeting on Feb. 21, in the First Evangelical Lutheran church, Thief River Falls. The district was well represented, there being thirty pastors and lay delegates present. The formal opening of the meeting took place Monday evening with High Mass service, the chairman of the district, Rev. J. M. Persenius of Grand Forks, conducting the liturgy. Two sermons were delivered at this time, the first in Swedish by the president of the conference, Rev. S. W. Swenson of Warren, who chose for his subject: "Know Ye What I Have Done to You." The second was in the English language and delivered by Rev. Joseph C. Mattson of Alvarado, having as his theme: "Jesus knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he was come from God, and went to God; he riseth from supper and laid aside his garments, and took a towel and girded himself." The above passages are quotations from the History of the Passion of our Lord. At the close of the service the local pastor, Rev. Albin A. Larson, greeted the visitors welcome.

Business Session.

At 9 o'clock Tuesday and continuing in the afternoon, the delegates assembled for their business session. Scripture reading and prayer was conducted by Rev. Persenius, after which the delegates responded to the roll call. Following this, those present had the privilege of listening to a splendid report by the district chairman, who recited the work done and improvements made during the past year. Considerable has been accomplished along this line which is encouraging. There is, however, one sad feature as to conditions in this district, namely the shortage of laborers in several of its mission fields. This deplorable state of affairs concerns the district very much and gives rise to the necessity of concerted efforts for reinforcements. We hope they may be had in time to hold our line. Young men who are interested for active service in the Kingdom of God: "Why not come over and help us?" During the course of the session Prof. Sjostrand, president of North Star college, Warren, read an interesting, encouraging and enlightening report of the work there, as also asking those present for greater support and co-operation in behalf of that institution.

The following officers were re-elected: President, Rev. J. M. Persenius, Grand Forks; vice president, Rev. A. F. Nelson, St. Hilaire; secretary, Rev. P. G. Carlstedt, Strandquist; treasurer, Rev. Albin A. Larson, Thief River Falls. Prof. Sjostrand received the office of statistician and Charles Lindquist, Wylie, and E. A. Johnson, Hallock, were elected auditors.

Petitions from the Roseau-Badger charge and the Thief River Falls field for financial aid to be recommended by the district to the conference were granted.

The treasurer's report showed a good balance in the treasury and on motion it was decided that $100.00 of its resources be donated to the treasury of the Conference Mission.

Synodical delegates were elected as follows: Regulars—Rev. A. F. Nelson, St. Hilaire and Rev. L. P. Lundgren, Hallock, pastors; Andrew Nordlund, Elim, Alvarado, and Aaron Johnson, Vega, Warren, laymen.

Alternates—Rev. J. M. Persenius, Grand Forks and Rev. P. G. Carlstedt, Strandquist, pastors; E. A. Johnson, Hallock and C. A. Lindquist, Wylie, laymen.

Tuesday evening was devoted to the subject of missions. Besides some hymns by the audience, the following program was rendered: Scripture reading and prayer by Catechist Aug. Westlund; vocal solo, Miss Amelia Hoorn; address by Rev. L. P. Lundgren on the subject, "The Duty of the Christian Church to Conduct Missionary Work;" talk by Student Andy Swanson, who spoke of conditions on the Warroad-Spooner field where he is at present engaged in church work; song, "We Are the Coming Crusaders," by seven girls; address, "The Synod's Foreign Mission," Rev. P. G. Carlstedt; address, "The Synod's Home Mission," Rev. S. W. Swenson. The above addresses were rich in suggestions and consequently interesting to listen to.

The chairman, on behalf of the district, thanked Rev. Larson and his congregation for the kind hospitality and the grand way in which the visitors were cared for. In these times it means something to receive a large delegation free from all cost to them. Surely we appreciate this kindness as also the faithfulness of the ladies who served such delightful meals. We have happy memories from the meeting at Thief River Falls. May this meeting prove profitable to many.

PICTURES ARE NOT ALWAYS TRUTHFUL; FIGURES DIFFERENT

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"Figures never lie," it has been claimed, but this is far from the truth. The defaulter who has "doctored" his books in such a way that he has escaped detection for years, knows that figures can be made to lie. The shrewd politician, who knows how to juggle statistics, knows that they can be made to tell a story that is far from the truth.

But there is another medium of expression which is also supposed to be a stickler for truth, but which is a greater prevaricator than figures. That is a picture. A picture of any person or thing, supposedly, is an exact reproduction of the original, but this is frequently only a wild supposition. The photographer who did not make his picture tell a little fib now and then would soon go out of business from lack of patronage.

Pictures Better Than Words.

Pictures have come to occupy a very important place in the life of the world in recent years. It has been said that for newspaper purposes a picture which tells its story strikingly is worth more than columns of written words on the same subject. Newspapers and magazines have realized the truth of this fact and as a result pictures are used profusely in illustrating the news and fiction of the day.

No one has been quicker to realize the possibilities of the picture when properly—or it might be said improperly—used, than the mail order man. He has realized that a picture will do more to sell his kind of merchandise than a column of words and figures. One reason for this is that it is harder to catch a picture in a lie than it is printed words and figures. For instance, if you sell a man a table on the strength of a printed statement that it is 48 inches wide and if when the table reaches the customer it is only 36 inches wide the customer not only has a moral right to kick, but he has a legal right to accuse the seller of obtaining money under false pretenses. However, if the customer buys a table which looks in a picture to be 48 inches wide, but which proves upon its arrival to be only 36 inches wide, he has no legal grounds upon which to base a complaint if the seller has not told him in so many words that the table was 48 inches wide.

Stick to Truth in Figures.

Some unscrupulous mail order houses have taken advantage of this selling power of pictures in a very ingenious way. They adhere strictly to the truth in the actual measurements given in their catalogues of the articles which they have to sell. They may employ descriptions which exaggerate the qualities and appearance of the articles offered, but when it comes down to actual measurements the descriptions given are technically correct. Then these concerns rely upon their pictures to sell the merchandise, realizing that a picture will make a far deeper impression upon the mind of the prospective buyer than the actual figures given. A picture of a wide roomy bed will attract the eye and the reader probably will not stop to measure off the width of the bed as it is described in the catalogue to see whether it is as wide as desired. Figures, in the abstract, mean little to the average reader and do not convey the impression that is given in the picture.

A former manager of a mail order house tells how his concern manipulated pictures in this way to suit its purposes. It had pictures of its chairs retouched so that the legs seemed to be an inch and a half in diameter, when they were really less than an inch. It made narrow beds appear in the picture to be wide and comfortable. Posts of iron beds that were really an inch in diameter were made to appear as if they were three inches in thickness. These things are easy for any competent artist to do.

Patrons Had No Recourse.

This concern, however, adhered rigidly to the truth in the measurements included in the descriptions. Customers who found, when they received their goods, that they were not what they expected, could kick, but it would do them no good. The mail order house could show that it had set forth the measurements truthfully in catalogues, and there was no recourse for the customer.

There is no question but that pictures will lie, sometimes without any manipulation, and the person who buys an article of merchandise from a picture is taking big chances, even though the picture is not intentionally altered to give a wrong impression. Any amateur photographer knows from experience how the camera often will give a wrong idea of proportions.

The only safe method is to buy from the local merchant where one sees the article itself and not a picture of it. The article itself cannot lie about its dimensions, at least.

Finds Business Conditions In East Greatly Improved

A. S. Sapero returned Monday night from an extended buying trip to the large eastern markets. In company with his brothers, M. Sapero of Chisholm, and S. Sapero of Hibbing, managers of the company's stores in their respective cities, they visited Chicago, Cleveland and New York. Business conditions in these cities have greatly improved during the past sixty days and manufacturers and wholesalers are looking forward to a busy spring and summer season. The cities are crowded with buyers, says Mr. Sapero, he finding it necessary to call up 16 hotels before getting one at which he could secure accomodations. Merchants from all over the country seem only to have waited for prices to come down in order to flock in for the purpose of placing orders. Buying has been greatly stimulated by the promise of an early revival of business generally and everybody is most optimistic over the outlook.

Mr. Sapero states that he was successful in securing some very desirable goods at prices that will prove a surprise to the buying public, getting a particularly good figure on his purchases by reason of buying for three stores. The goods are already beginning to arrive and more detailed announcements concerning them will appear from time to time.

Mrs. Sapero, who visited with relatives and friends at Chisholm and other range towns during Mr. Sapero's absence, returned with him.

RAIL AND SHOP

Thief River Falls travelers over the division during the past week were: Mrs. Anton Carlson to Bemidji; Mrs. C. F. Erickson and small son to Bemidji; Mr. and Mrs. James Smith to Fordville and Nekoma; Charles Langer to Oklee; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bartlett to Gladstone, Mich.; Mrs. Ed. Hilson to Warren; Borghild Peterson to Minneapolis.

Divisional Superintendent W. A. Barnard was in the twin cities over the week end.

G. I. Richardson, agent at Bronson, spent Sunday with his parents at Thief River Falls.

W. L. Presse has been put on as agent at Fonda vice F. C. Chandler granted a leave of absence. Mr. Chandler's leave was later cancelled and he is at present holding down the third trick at Mahnomen, the regular operator, A. W. Swerine, being ill with smallpox.

Claude A. Phillips has resumed work as cashier at Noyes, relieving Frank A. Severin, resigned.

T. J. Rowan, divisional dispatcher, and L. D. Hendry, assistant master mechanic, attended the big Elk initiation at Minneapolis on Saturday.

WIRES OLD SCHOOL FOR BANK STENO

One of the first things F. S. Dundas did when elected cashier of the Security State Bank, Fairview, Mont., was to wire Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., for a capable stenographer-bookkeeper. Mr. Dundas was himself a pupil of this old-established school which has graduates in nearly 600 banks. Over 200 ex-pupils have become bank executives. Big firms in all lines prefer Dakota-trained employes.

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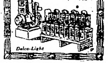

Easter

March 27—It comes early this year

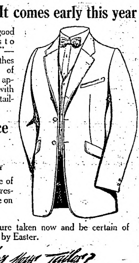

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$4.98
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$6.90, $5.90, $4.98, $4.50
Black Kid, Military Heels
$6.90, $5.90, $4.50, $3.98
Growing Girls' Shoes, low heels
$4.50, $3.50, $2.98
Comfort Shoes and Slippers
$3.98, $3.50, $2.98, $2.69, $2.49
Girls' School Shoes, blacks and browns
$3.98, $3.49, $2.98, $2.75, $2.49, $2.25
Infants' Shoes, black, brown or black with fancy tops
$2.49, $2.25, $1.98, $1.69, $1.49, $1.25

MEN'S SHOES
Black Kid, cushion soles
$6.90
Brown Kid or Calf Dress Shoes
$8.90, $7.90, $5.90, $4.98
Black Dress Shoes
$6.90, $5.90, $4.98, $4.50, $3.98
Army Shoes, best quality
$4.98
8 inch Top Brown Work Shoes, all solid leather
$3.98
Manure proof Work Shoes, double soles
$2.98
Boys' School Shoes, black or brown
$3.98, $3.50, $2.98, $2.69, $2.49, $2.25
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$3.25, $2.69, $2.25

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City News

A. Lambert of Bronson visited with friends here over Sunday.

Ed. Schaller of St. Paul was in the city on business on Wednesday.

Ed. Ristau of Germantown attended to business matters here on Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Herbert Jung, a nine pound boy on Thursday last.

Mrs. O. Fellman of St. Hilaire was in the city on Friday on a shopping expedition.

Gust Naplin of Wylie was in the city on Thursday attending to business matters.

B. J. Bakke left yesterday afternoon for Crookston to attend to business matters.

Olaf Thompson of Crookston was a business caller in this city on Thursday and Friday.

Miss Selma Swanson of St. Hilaire was in the city on Saturday attending to shopping.

Ed. Schel arrived here Friday afternoon from Mavie to spend a few days calling on friends.

John Brumund left Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks to attend to matters of business.

Otto Sustad of Viking arrived here Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with local friends.

Mrs. W. H. Mulry left Friday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Theo. LaBissonierre of Red Lake Falls was in the city on Tuesday attending to business matters.

Mrs. A. Halseth departed Saturday evening for Minneapolis where she will visit relatives for a time.

Mrs. Thyra Snyder returned Monday morning from Winnipeg where she spent a day visiting friends.

A. P. Nelson, who spent a few days here on business, returned to his home at Gatzke Tuesday morning.

Mrs. R. Olson returned to her home at Holt Thursday afternoon, having spent a day attending to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Langdon left Friday afternoon for Ada where they will spend a week visiting relatives.

E. H. Huber, accompanied by his brother, C. E. Huber of Owatonna, visited here on Friday and Saturday.

H. Davidson returned to Holt Friday morning after spending a day here attending to matters of business.

Theo. Tandberg came down from Goodridge to attend the concert given by the Choral Club on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Wm. H. Mulry returned to her home here Tuesday after spending a brief time visiting friends at Crookston.

A. E. Stromberg returned to his home at Warren Tuesday morning, after spending Monday here on business.

Miss Jessie Barnett returned Friday from Minneapolis where she spent a couple of days visiting with friends.

Miss Alice Paulson left Saturday evening for Minneapolis to be the guest of relatives for an indefinite period.

John Emanuelson returned to his home at Radium the first of the week after an over Sunday visit with his friends.

Henry Koop returned to his home at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon, having spent a brief period here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rowan returned Tuesday morning from the Twin Cities where they visited friends since Saturday.

J. C. Holte left Saturday morning for Northwood where he remained until Tuesday, attending to matters of business.

Miss Viola Axelson arrived here on Thursday evening to resume her work at the Physicians' hospital, after a brief absence.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Modin returned to their home at Middle River Friday morning after a brief visit with their friends here.

Atty. J. M. Bishop returned yesterday afternoon from Strathcona where he had attended to business matters between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, who have been absent from the city for a month, returned Monday evening from Chisholm.

Mrs. K. T. Dallager and son, of St. Hilaire, spent a few hours in this city on Monday visiting friends and attending to shopping.

Miss Mildred Hauglid, who attends the local high school, left Friday afternoon for Crookston to visit with friends over Sunday.

H. L. Sande came down from Steiner yesterday to spend a brief period visiting his family who are guests at the J. O. Sether home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Funnel of Glenwood were in the city over the week-end as guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loimers.

Miss Rhoda Finberg left Tuesday morning for Middle River where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Orrie Sjoberg until Saturday.

Gay Halvorson, manager of the Thief River Falls Marble Works, spent Thursday and Friday at Roseau attending to business matters.

Mrs. H. W. Miller and daughter left Saturday afternoon for Crookston where they will spend a few days as guests of the former's parents.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, operator at the Great Northern, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy, at Crookston over Sunday.

Miss Smiley Brenna, who spent a few days as the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Gustafson, returned to her home at Middle River on Friday.

Att. W. J. Brown left yesterday afternoon for Stanley, N. D., to attend to business matters. From that point he will go to the twin cities.

Miss Amanda Klementson, who has been employed at the local hospital, left Tuesday morning for her home at Hazel to spend an indefinite time.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Strubble left Saturday evening for the Twin Cities where they will visit friends for a few days.

Miss Mathilda Bettand arrived here Saturday evening from Barrett to spend a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Larson.

L. R. Johnston and Isaac Helseth left Thursday evening for Minneapolis, at which place they expect to remain for about a week on business.

G. C. Streeter returned Friday morning from Red Lake Falls where he spent a couple of days on business in connection with the Peoples' Auto Co.

Mrs. E. Olson, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mae, spent the week end as the guests at the home of the former's son, Ordean Olson and family.

Chas. Ptacek of Mavie visited with his sister Miss Emma, who is employed in this city, on Sunday, returning to his home on Monday morning.

Miss Elizabeth Harder, who is a student at the local high school, left Friday afternoon for her home at St. Hilaire, where she visited over Sunday.

Oscar Linde, station agent at Greenbush, returned to that place on Saturday, after a brief visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gynther Tessum.

Mrs. O. C. Sandberg and daughter, Helen, left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting at the home of the former's parents.

W. E. Dokken of Winnipeg spent Sunday at the homes of his sisters, Mrs. Elmer Ohm and Mrs. C. Storholm, returning to his home on Tuesday.

Mrs. I. Amundson arrived here on Monday evening from Hibbing to spend a week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Williams.

Mrs. J. Maakerud returned to her home at St. Hilaire Monday afternoon, having spent the time between trains visiting with friends and shopping.

Miss Ellen Iverson of Goodridge, left this city Monday afternoon for Fisher, where she will spend an indefinite time visiting with friends and relatives.

Art Granum left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo to spend a few days visiting friends before leaving for Minneapolis where he will seek employment.

Mrs. Joe Nelson came up from Crookston Saturday and visited with friends here between trains. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Ella Swanson.

Thos. Smith, banker at Mavie, visited here with friends on Saturday.

Mrs. B. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Saturday between trains.

Mrs. Emma Motts returned to this city Tuesday after a few days visit with her daughters, Misses Ina and Esther, at Fargo and Moorhead, respectively.

H. Whittier, state parole agent, was in the city the first of the week on business. While here he was the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Booren.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund, who has spent three weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren at Minneapolis, returned to her home here the first of the week.

Miss Thea Sondreal, who spent a week visiting at the home of her brother, C. S. Sondreal, in this city, returned to her home at Reynolds on Monday afternoon.

M. L. Holbrook of Crookston, was in this city on Friday and Saturday to secure a location for a dry-cleaning establishment which he will open here in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rowan and son Tom left Friday evening for the Twin Cities where they will visit friends and relatives. Mr. Rowan will also attend an Elks' initiation.

Miss Loretta Causin, who has been confined to her home for three weeks following an operatoin for appendicitis, returned to this city Monday to resume her studies at school.

Mrs. Henry Wendt of Middle River who had visited her daughter at Goodridge, spent a few hours in the city on Saturday, leaving on the Great Northern for her home.

Mrs. Wm. Herron, who had visited her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Jenson, at Viking, returned to this city Saturday evening, accompanied by her daughter, who will be her guest for a few days.

Miss Anna Froiland, who had been engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Erie left for her home at Plummer Sunday evening. Miss Froiland was forced to resign because of poor health.

Miss Cora Tofflemier, who had been making her home with her sister, Mrs. F. F. Haynes, for some time, left the first of the week for Mason City, Ia., where she will remain for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Emma Motts left Thursday afternoon for Moorhead and Fargo to visit her daughters, Misses Ina and Esther. The latter will appear as leading lady in the class play given by the Moorhead Normal.

M. W. Brink left Thursday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit at his parents' home for a day. On his return to this city Friday he was accompanied by his wife and daughter, who had spent a week there.

Mrs. Anna Kisch, accompanied by Mrs. Ed. Rupprecht and two children, left Saturday morning for Steiner where they will spend a couple of days as guests at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzey.

Miss Alice Hall returned to her home at Middle River Saturday morning, after a day's visit at the home of her cousin, Miss Elsie Granum. While in the city she played for a dance which followed the basketball game Friday evening.

Mrs. Barton of Warren arrived here Friday evening and visited until Saturday morning with her friend, Mrs. Helen Montgomery, when she returned to her home. Mrs. Barton is engaged in the millinery business at the above named place.

Miss Mabel Core of Fergus Falls spent a few days the latter part of last week as a guest of her friend, Mrs. Gynther Tessum. She left the first of the week for Plummer, where she will continue her visit with friends, before returning to her home.

Miss Marie Nelson, assistant cashier at the First National bank, will leave this week on a six week's vacation which will be spent in visiting friends and relatives at points in North Dakota, the Twin Cities and at the home of her parents at Eau Claire, Wis.

Miss Hazel Wallen left Friday afternoon for St. Hilaire where she will visit relatives until Monday when she will be joined by her mother, who will also visit there, and together they will continue to Minneapolis where they will make their future home.

Theo. Olson, who spent some time visiting with relatives in this country, among them his sister, Mrs. C. Larson, of this city, left Monday afternoon for the twin cities to spend a few days before leaving for his home at Namsos, Norway. Mr. Olson is a jeweler by trade.

Milton Soderberg of Berkley, Cal., was in the city a few days the first of the week as a guest at the home of Mrs. Langseth. Mr. Soderberg was graduated from the local high school in 1912 and lived at St. Hilaire until his removal to California a few years ago. He attended Berkeley university and graduated from that institution last spring. He is also visiting with numerous friends and relatives at St. Hilaire. This is his first trip to Minnesota since his departure.

Save Money

By buying your groceries at this Cash and Carry Store. You can make a saving on every item you buy at this store, the following being only a few samples of the many bargains offered:

10 lb. pail White Syrup	80c
10 lb. pail Dark Syrup	75c
Large package Rolled Oats	30c
Rolled Oats, per lb.	6c
Our Best Broom	80c
7 lb. box Soda Crackers, per lb.	16c
Steel Cut Oats, per lb.	6c
3 1-oz. packages Macaroni	25c
6 packages Jelly Powder	55c
Salt, per barrel	$4.40
Salt, 100 lb. sack	$1.80
Salt, 50 lb. sack	90c
Salt, 25 lb. sack	50c

Calf Meal, Bone Meal, Oil Meal, Bran, Shorts and Feed of all Kinds.

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ZEH & CURRAN
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Are You His Wife or Just "The Woman in His House?"

Saturday Special
for the woman who likes to look smart in the morning; clever new Aprons, $2.50 values, Saturday only
$1.25

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Saturday Special
A wonderful collection of 100 dozen samples just received, Ladies' Handkerchiefs. They are 10c, 15c, 18c, 25c to 35c values. Saturday only at choice each
5c

March 3! Beautiful New Spring Suits Are Ready

Miss Manhattan Creation 602M.

Miss Manhattan's New Creations Have JUST Arrived

FRESH from Fifth Avenue, young as the Spring, and planned to complete your new wardrobe in the most satisfying manner.

Notice the materials—they're the permanently good looking, serviceable kind. Examine the workmanship—it's the careful, high-grade tailoring you usually find only in expensive custom-made garments.

As for the style—that's where Miss Manhattan's superiority is instantly evident. The most youthful lines of the season's mode are adapted in the smartness of Miss Manhattan Coats and Suits.

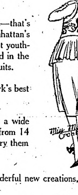
Miss Manhattan Creation 408M.

They are the styles favored by New York's best dressed women.

We have Miss Manhattan Creations in a wide variety of materials and in Misses' sizes from 14 to 20; Ladies', 36 to 40. Come in and try them on.

Then the Prices asked for those wonderful new creations, will be more than a pleasant surprise to you

All Wool Serge Suits, fancy Silk lined throughout at only $15.00
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All Wool Jersey Miss Manhattan Suits at only $18.50
Other wonderful, clever new Suits at $35.00, $50.00, $65.00, $75.00

How Much Better Every Good Thing Looks When the Sun Shines!

Of course, it is the sun that gives the glow of colors to the prism, and the glint of silver and gold to the *ice, the raindrops, the river, the ocean,* or the forest leaves on the hillside.

But, most of all, the warmth and the glowing energy of the sunshine lift up the spirits of every human being and makes one feel that it is enormously good just to be alive!

And that alone makes everything seem better and more interesting.

This Spring there is another sun that is shining gloriously, beneficently on all of us.

It is the Sun of FAIR PRICES for goods.

And it is marvelous the difference that it makes in what we think of things. How much better, finer and more alluring everything is, now that it is so much easier to possess the things we want.

For years we have had to think about how many things it would make us do without, if we made a purchase of certain things, and that took away a lot of the desire for possession.

Now that fatal deterrent is gone. Almost everything is back to the lower prices where there is no longer any virtue in doing without things, and when we don't have to study so long to decide which thing we will buy, because the lower prices make it easy to buy both, or all of the wanted things.

This new sunshine is glowing all over our store, this Spring. That is one reason why it is so much more interesting than it has been for several years.

You will get the feeling and know why when you come in next time. Shall it be tomorrow?

H. O. Loken.

60% Of The Woman's Easter Attractiveness Is The COAT

Is it too bad to cover up the handsome gown, for the Easter morning promenade?

Not at all.

That gives the DOUBLE charm, and leads up to the delight and surprise when the coat is thrown off—indoors.

But it does emphasize the high importance of the well-chosen, highly becoming, charmingly stylish Coat which shall have the supreme privilege of enhancing milady's appearance on that important day and on all the other occasions afterward.

We have had exactly that impressed deeply upon us when gathering the new collections of Spring Coats and Wraps that are now being displayed.

Be sure to see them before just the one that you ought to have has been picked out—for so many individual garments are here in just one Coat of a model.

Especially priced in full fancy Silk lined Wraps or Coats at—
$18.50, $25.00, $35.00, $50.00, $65.00

We Are Most Enthusiastic About These New Dresses For Girls

We gathered them with such care and skill and discrimination as you might expect if the whole thought we had in the world was to serve the interesting girls of our community.

That is why we are sure that our collections contain the smartest, the most attractive, the most alluring Dresses that have been made this season for Girls.

Then there is wide variety, as to style, as well as price. There are simple frocks for informal wear as well as the most beautiful styles for most important service.

They'll please the girls, of course, and they'll delight their mothers, too.

Crisp New Organdies in Delicate Pink, Blue, Lavender, Honeydew, Green, Tomato, Orchard, Neptune, Platinum Grey; Voiles, Gingham and Nets, all in an equal good assortment of the finest new styles ever shown by us heretofore.

Many Extra Specials in the Basement Store

Galvanic Laundry Soap, Special, 5c per Bar

Coats' Cotton Thread, 150 yards, all colors and sizes 5c
O. N. T. Crochet Cotton 10c
Heavy 220 Denim Overalls $1.25

Extra Heavy Outing Flannel—27 inches wide. In dainty stripes and checks. Special, yd. 19c	Gingham, 19c—A splendid quality gingham in plain checks and plaid patterns. Very nice for house dresses, Special for this sale, yard, 19c	Unbleached Muslin, 15c—a very good quality, 36 inches wide. Special, yard, 15c	Long Cloth—some very special numbers in long cloth, 36 inches wide. Very special, at, yard, 20c
Heavy Outing Flannel, 15c—24 inch in pink, blue gray and white. A soft flannel, 15c	Percale, 18c—36 inches wide, in all shades and patterns, the standard grade. Special price, 18c	Pillow Tubing, 40c—a very good quality, 42 inches wide, Special, yard, 40c	Fancy Lining, 38c—36 inches wide. In many beautiful patterns. A big Special, yd. 38c
Fleeced Quilting, 15c—27 inch wide. A flowered pattern and all the go for quilting, Special, 15c	Shirting, 25c—36 inches wide, —A strong material made to wear, longer, 25c	Bleached Muslin, 15c—a fast seller and priced so low, 15c	Plaids For Skirts, 35c—36 inche wide. A big selection for your spring skirts, At this Sale, 35c
Table Padding, $2.00—54 inch wide. Ready for the table. You should have a mat for the table, yard, $2.00	Percale, 15c—27 inches wide, in light and dark. Popular for spring sewnig, Special 15c	Sheeting, 40c—9-4 bleached sheeting; now is the time to make your summer bedding at only, yard, 40c	Plaids, 25c—27 inches wide. A nice dress for the girls at such a reasonable price, only, yard, 25c

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A NEW ADMINISTRATION.

On Friday, March 4, 1920, Woodrow Wilson will surrender the highest office in the world—that of President of the United States—to his duly elected successor, Warren G. Harding. This inauguration of a President is a constitutional function staged every four years and a great deal of importance is invariably attached to the proceeding. Particularly is this the case when a change of men also signifies a well defined change of policy.

It is doubtful if ever a man entered upon the duties of this high office with more depending upon his personal judgment, patience and wisdom. There are a thousand ways in which he may make mistakes, the results of which will not only be far-reaching but may prove disastrous. It can truthfully be said, however, that seldom has one had a more united country behind him. Nearly all problems confronting the new President are of such outstanding importance that comparatively petty factors, such as politics and personalities, will of necessity be kept in the background. The people are in no mood to put up with anything of the kind and it must be said for Mr. Harding that he gives every promise of taking the larger view of his responsibilities and opportunities.

It is not likely that an attempt will be made by anyone to deny the fact that the new President—has so conducted himself since election as to greatly improve his standing before the country. In spite of the enormous vote cast for him, he was at that time neither a widely known nor a particularly popular figure. He has steadily grown under observation and the vast majority now undoubtedly feel that he can be depended on to give the country a safe, sane and progressive administration. He certainly starts in with the best wishes of everyone for a most successful term.

The man who tomorrow leaves the White House after an incumbency of eight years will be looked upon by Americans of a future generation as one of the really great men the country has produced. Even his bitterest enemies will now perhaps admit that he maintained the high traditions of his people under the most trying circumstances the country has ever faced. Fitted neither by temperment, training or physique to withstand the strain incident to carrying on a war on the most stupendous scale the world has ever seen, he never faltered once he found that America's participation was unavoidable. The value and wisdom of his leadership will be better understood when the world is older. All will join in the hope that he may long live to enjoy the rest to which his strenuous labors have so richly entitled him.

TO REGULATE OUTPUT.

There is nothing about the activities of the Committee of Seventeen that should strike terror to the hearts of honest handlers of farm products anywhere. The aim does not seem to be so much the elimination of any part of the present marketing machinery as to make this more responsive to the demands of both producer and consumer. That such adjustment is needed for the welfare of both parties is too apparent to require any argument.

As will be seen by the program presented by the committees and printed today in another part of The Times, the aim is control of the country's farm products in such manner that there will not be a glut at certain seasons and a dearth at others. The present system works out in such a way that just when the producer has something to sell he gets next to nothing for it, while later on—long after control has left his hands—it reaches a price to the ultimate consumer that is all out of proportion to its original value.

Regardless of whether or not anyone in getting more than belongs to him during this process, there should be a way of so regulating things that the producer and consumer would not both be the sufferers. As matters stand it is not even certain that the middleman profits unduly, in which case the system is solely to blame.

It is now proposed that a holding pool be formed for the purpose of taking over the farmers' products and releasing them only as fast as the demand warrants. This would have the effect of stablizing the price, which would be of great advantage to the seller as well as the buyer. In order that the farmer will not be compelled to sell at any figure in the fall when the price is low, it is the intention to allow him, at the time of delivery, a large part of what his product is eventually expected to bring. This will take money and it is proposed to issue debentures against warehouse or elevator holdings in order to provide it, these to be taken up when the product is disposed of, at which time final settlement with the producer will also be made.

The plan looks all right and some such controlling agency will have to be placed in charge if our farms are not to be abandoned entirely. At the present time there is nothing to induce the right kind of men to go into the business of raising food for the nation, and unless something is done to make the life of a farmer more attractive a large part of our acres will soon have no tenants. Already the movement toward the cities has assumed proportions that prove this danger is at hand instead of being something to prepare for in the future.

Some of the best minds in the country are working on the solution of this problem. The conclusions of the Committee of Seventeen is something gained even if these do not prove to be the ones finally adopted.

NO TIME TO STAND STILL.

In an address the other day Lieutenant Governor Louis L. Collins said that a man with new ideas is not of necessity either a crank or a criminal. In other words, he maintained that the citizen who strikes out along unbeaten paths, even though he has no very great following at the outset and may have notions at variance with the generally accepted views of his fellow citizens, will very likely advance something of value, no matter how impossible this may seem to those who boast that they walk in the footsteps of others and see only disaster ahead if any diviation from this course is permitted. In a way they are as much extremists as those who would upset all existing conditions and substitute some visionary doctrine impossible of application and undesirable even if it could be applied.

You sometimes hear men pride themselves on the fact that their attitude and opinions are the same today as they were twenty years ago. This would be deplorable, if true, and simply prove that the person so situated had been standing still while the remainder of the world moved forward and left him in the old rut. Conditions are changing too fast to permit of anyone standing in one place too long. Those who even attempt to do so are simply dragging behind, forming so much dead weight for their more progressive neighbors to carry.

Forty years ago only crazy people believed in air ships and none but cranks advocated woman's suffrage. A few misguided souls thought that perhaps in a century or two the United States might banish the saloon. Yet these things have come to pass within the comparatively short time that the present lieutenant governor of Minnesota has been functioning as a factor in the census reports. Perhaps he was thinking of this when he told his hearers that the advocating of something new did not necessarily prove either congenital idiocy or a destructive tendency.

DOESN'T LOOK SO BAD.

When things are looked at in the proper light it will be found that the farmers of Northwestern Minnesota are not in such serious straights at this time as many would have us believe. While there is a great deal of room for improvement the situation is by no means hopeless.

Prices are down, it is true, but they are no lower than has been the case on many previous occasions. The prices a farmer must pay for what he buys are still very high, but this is slowly straightening itself out. A fairly reasonable average will no doubt have been reached before the summer is over.

Last year the farmers of this section started in by borrowing money at high rates of interest in order to purchase seed at the highest prices ever known. In most instances the farmers this year have the seed and will be spared this heavy expense. Labor was scarce and very high last year and while no prediction can be made as to what percentage of the total cost of raising a crop will be represented by labor this season, it is fairly certain that it will be very much less than last. Then again, greater acreages than usual were planted to certain crops last year, the expectation being that the price would stay up—a proceeding that will not be repeated. Finally many farmers made the mistake of holding onto their grain after it became evident that the price was due for a heavy slump, and these were the worse off the longer they held on. This spring everyone will go to work without expecting anything of a sensational nature in either advances or declines, operations being therefore more nearly on a strictly business basis.

An early spring is almost invariably the forerunner of a good crop year in this section and the present promises to be the earliest for years. A greater amount of fall plowing was done last year than ever before, which is an insurance against delay in getting the seed into the ground. With any kind of an even break as concerns weather the Northwestern farmer should next fall find himself better off than he has been for some time—even when operating under a price guarantee for his products. His gross receipts may not be as great but with reduced costs he is likely to have more money left for himself at the season's end than at any time in recent years.

The action of the Minnesota legislature in voting to postpone the date for exacting the penalty for nonpayment of personal property taxes for one month was a most thoughtful proceeding. It gives a lot of folks 30 days additional in which to dig up the needed amount—a fact that will this year be highly appreciated.

A PERISHING PEOPLE.

Two of the most ruthless of the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse are on their grim gallop of death through the Far East.

Millions of their victims are dying and many more millions are fated to slow and agonizing death by the hand of Famine and Pestilence.

The World War killed more than 12,000,000 but the blight that has laid its curse on poor old China will claim at least 15,000,000 if the great heart of America is not touched by the moan of despair floating across the Pacific.

In the northern part of the Flowery Kingdom, five years of crop failure caused by drouth and flood have brought 45,000,000 humans to a condition of indescribably horror. Numbed by centuries of scant sustenance to patience and suffering, the Chinese are bearing their lot with silent fortitude. It was not from them but from Minister Crane in Peking that the cry of distress came.

Agents of all Christian churches are working with him and the Red Cross to save as many lives as possible. President Wilson took official cognizance of the calamity by issuing a proclamation, begging America to help succor the starving people. Governor Preus followed with another stirring appeal. Three cents will keep a famine victim alive one day. Five dollars will save a whole family until the next harvest, when conditions will improve.

Lotus D. Coffman, president of the university; Louis W. Hill of the Great Northern Railway; Dr. W. J. Mayo of Rochester; B. F. Benson, president of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce; J. F. Downey, dean emeritus of the university, and other Minnesotans are at the head of the state committee. A check to E. W. Decker, Treasurer China Famine Relief Fund, 121 Chamber of Commerce, Minneapolis, will save some lives. All funds are cabled at once to China and food will be purchased in Manchuria with your offering. No attempt is being made to ship food from America owing to the great distance.

The city of Rochester in this state will put in three miles of additional pavement during the coming summer while Redwood Falls will spend $200,000 for a like purpose.

EFFERVESCENCE.

"The first woman to be admitted to the bar in China—" That's enough! Boy, call our ginrickysha.

Sponges are gathered in France by means of the submarine. In this country they still gather of their own accord.

One Minnesota town might well change the old saying about locking the barn after the horse is gone to "getting the fire-house unlocked after the town is gone."

A former army major gave women members of the Pittsburg Pistol club their first lesson in the use of firearms. He very evidently was a man who rose from the ranks.

Longer skirts for women are enroute for this country. Soon the expression, "I knew her when she wore knee length skirts," will be used a great deal, but it will no longer imply a childhood acquaintance.

Latest reports are to the effect that the center of the last great earthquake has been located at a point in Italy. Los Angeles claims a lot of things but will she file a claim on this honor?

Naturally the dangerousness of having paved streets must be taken into consideration—why, just the other day a Duluth girl slipped and bumped her head on the pavement and was instantly killed.

Oolai says he doesn't consider the use of coffee as a fuel in Brazil anything out of the ordinary after having drank a lot of it right here in town that would easily grow a nice crop of potatoes or small grain.

We most humbly refer Mr. Ford to the famous stone cow of Alan, Haute Garonne, France, for pointers as to inanimate bovines, or to the rock formation known as the "Bunte Kuh" along the Ahr river, Germany.

Emma Goldman says she will be a good little girl if her friends will use their influence to get her back to the United States. "Em" might just as well make up her mind to be good right where she is, her friends may themselves have use for their influence.

"Oo-o, look what he's doing"—reads caption—"He's going to cover up the wall with that cloth, see—Oh! No, he's putting on his unionalls"—reads caption "Look, the latest styles in hats—See you c'n tell by the looks of the car—Don't you think so?—He's going to kiss her now—Oh, isn't that cunning"—reads caption—Wha-da ya think he'll do next—I'll bet he will—see, he thinks she don't love him an', Oo-o—I thought so"—reads caption—"Oo-o, G, isn't that a cute little dress"—and so on endlessly, ad infinitum and without end.

The game laws ought to be revised to permit cold-blooded murder to be done in moving picture houses.

Travelers May Get Refund.

The Soo and Great Northern ticket offices of this city at midnight Monday placed on sale tickets bearing an attached receipt to all destinations in Minnesota. The purpose of these receipts is to insure travelers a refund in the advent of the increase in rail rates recently granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission being found unconstitutional.

Legislative Correspondence

W. G. Eckhardt of Chicago, representing the Committee of Seventeen, which is proposing a nation-wide pooling of farm production, addressed the markets and marketing committee of the House on the subject of "futures trading," in which he likened the Chicago Board of Trade to Monte Carlo and the old Louisiana lottery. Rep. Howard in reply to Mr. Eckhardt urged that if conditions in Chicago were such as the speaker had portrayed them it was his duty to go before the legislature of Illinois and have that state clean her own house. Rep. Howard said similar conditions do not obtain in grain trading in Minneapolis and Duluth. He predicted that if the bill to abolish trading in futures was passed by the Minnesota legislature it would merely result in the practical destruction of the markets of Minneapolis and Duluth and put the grain trade of the Northwest in the control of Chicago and other distant markets.

"Pass this bill," he said, "and you abolish the Minneapolis and Duluth markets, but you do not stop trading in futures. Right now I can telegraph an order to Chicago for the purchase or sale of grain and in three minutes the deal will be made and recorded. The business is simply transferred from Minneapolis to Chicago. Once you have banished our market here, it cannot be recovered. It is gone forever and 5,500 elevators and 800 mills in Minnesota alone will be forced to transact their legitimate futures business in other states." He described Duluth as the greatest foreign market for grain in the United States and Minneapolis as the greatest spring wheat market.

Senate and House committees have gotten together on the consideration of possible primary law legislation. Members interested in changing the present law point out that no one has any thought of "killing the primary law" as certain organizations and persons would like to have the people of the state believe is intended. As the discussions thus far would indicate there is a demand for legalized conventions of the various parties to recommend candidates. Delegates would be elected in March, probably, to the county conventions, which would select delegates to the district and state conventions. The preliminary draft of the measure to be introduced in both houses simultaneously is now practically completed.

Recommendation that has been agreed upon by the Senate and House subcommittees on motor vehicle taxation provides for a schedule which the subcommittee estimates will make the average tax $17.88. The schedule provides for one and eight-tenths per cent on pleasure cars and two per cent on trucks, applied on the basis of the list price, f. o. b. factory of the year in which the car is made. The value depreciation is 25 per cent after the second year and a 50 per cent allowance at the beginning of the fifth year, to continue during the life of the car. The minimum tax is $12 per year.

Motion picture censorship by state authority was definitely killed, for the present at least, by report of the Senate general legislation committee recommending the indefinite postponement of Senator Peterson's bill. The senator insists, however, that the issue will again come up in a bill to be introduced in the House. The Senate committee voted to recommend for passage Senator Gjerset's bill hibiting the exhibition of "indecent" pictures or "other representations of lewdness."

The number of so-called "army and navy" stores that have recently sprung up over the state has attracted the attention of the legislature and a bill is now under way in the House to make it a miesdemeanor to advertise a business as an "army and navy store" unless the place is conducted by an army or navy officer or is under U. S. government authority.

The appointment of S. B. Duea of Pipestone county as private secretary to Governor Preus will prove a popular one. Mr. Duea has been a close personal friend of the governor for years and is well known throughout the state. He was at one time considered as a possible successor to Mr. Preus in the office of state auditor.

A civil service bill for state employes has been offered in the House *by Reps. Child and Pattison.* Employes of the military department, mechanics, artisans and laborers are exempted. The measure calls for a commission to be appointed by the governor to serve without salary.

Rep. Nimocks has resumed his efforts to secure capital punishment of murder in the first degree, but instead of trying to push through a statutory measure he proposes an amendment to the constitution proposing electrocution when death penalty is recommended by a jury.

A new hog barn at the state fair grounds, to cost $250,000, is favored by the House committee on state and county fairs; also $50,000 for maintenance of the state fair grounds and to fit up the new cattle barn for the National Dairy show in October.

The return by elevators of grain dockage to growers or pay for it at a valuation made by the railroad and warehouse commission, is the intent of a bill passed by the Senate.

The Senate has passed the bill providing for a state securities commission, a "blue sky" censorship of three members. Salaries $4,500.

Rep. Rodenberg's bill for publication of school text books by the state has been indefinitely postponed.

The workmen's compensation bill has been passed by the House.

The Whisperer of Evil.

(Minneapolis Journal.)

Beware of the whisperer. He meets you on the street or at lunch, with information that is designed to startle and alarm. It is never anything cheerful or encouraging. It is not what has been called by one humorist, the "cheerful carful."

The line of this hopeless information is, usually, that somebody is getting ready "to do something" to us. Nationality figures largely in the mind of the whisperer. Either the Jews, the Japanese, the Bolsheviki, the Negroes, or those equally as dangerous, are plotting our destruction. Anglo-Saxon civilization is in danger of being overwhelmed.

Or his whisper is more subtle yet. Some religious denomination, some church is a "menace." Why, he knows with absolute certainty.

Or the world is headed for bankruptcy. He has the figures showing the amount of paper the gold supply is carrying on its back.

When that event comes, the white races will go under and world dominance will be in the hands of the Mongolian, the Japanese and the colored races. Christianity will have gone under, and heathenism will again rule over the whole earth.

The whisperer knows all about these things and about many other things that are also not so. He startles a few people, but the majority pay little attention or they frankly "give him the laugh." If he once got the majority startled and alarmed, then there might be religious and race riots, and even wars between great countries.

The whisperer is a great liar and something of a "menace." But not very much of a menace, after all. People are too sensible. When the whisperer tries to give you his "cheerless carful," turn the metal ear to him and give him the glad laugh. This outrageous nuisance cannot stand ridicule.

Front Page Requests.

This is a little message to the friend who asked us to "please put this on the front page."

Sometimes this friend is a man, sometimes a woman, and even the young people are getting the habit.

It's always a good indication when such a request is made. It means that the writer is interested in his or her subject. It shows appreciation in a newspaper and modest desire to accept the best.

Sometimes, however, it might be added, the choice is unwise. There are news features which are expected on the front page and there are others, particularly in the Pioneer, that have their own positions on other pages.

Some of these friends who make these requests are some of our town's very good housekeepers. They would "have a fit" if someone left the dish pan in the living room. They would have another if they did not find the dish pan in the kitchen, where it belongs.

We, in the print shops, are a little bit the same way. We have a page for display news, another for locals, personals and church notes, another for news of surrounding communities, another for editorial matters and others for general matter.

Yes, indeed, now that we all come to think of it, we agree that we don't want everything on the front page after all.

Honorable Discharge.

(Duluth News-Tribune.)

The Minnesota Home Guards did something more than the average home guards did or do. They restored public order in various parts of the state time and again during the World war; they performed the highest kind of service to humanity in the forest fires of October, 1918, and their existence was at all times a guaranty to the people that the public safety would be maintained at whatever cost.

The state is properly enough sending to each Home Guardsman a formal certificate of honorable discharge. The certificate is worth having, for the guardsmen of Minnesota were not parlor soldiers. They saw severe service; some of them received serious injuries in the course of duty and at least one was killed while carrying out the orders of his commanding officer.

Suppose You Earned
$5.00 a Week Less

Would it mean depriving yourself of a great deal?

Would you or yours suffer?

Let us assume that for the next few months your salary is $5.00 or $2.00 or even $1.00 short. Deposit the shortage in a Savings Account and forget about it for the time being.

See what a little difference it makes now—and what a big difference later.

ONE DOLLAR
STARTS A SAVINGS ACCOUNT

CITIZENS
STATE BANK

Cream Separators
and Fanning Mills

are two machines very important and especially so just at this time of the year.

THE WINNER FANNING MILLS
AND
THE PRIMROSE CREAM SEPARATORS

have headquarters with us for this territory—and we wish to say that it will pay you to call and look these machines over before making your investment.

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FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous

Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

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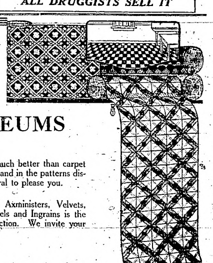

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Larson Furniture Co.

Advertising is more necessary in times like the present then when things are moving along at their accustomed gait. There is less business to divide, consequently the competition is more keen.

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Your Share?

If not, the fault is probably your own. Confidence is contageous and if your actions prove that you have a large supply it is bound to have a beneficial effect upon your customers.

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Confidence

Almost any kind of advertising helps, but competent authorities agree that the best and most certain results are secured by using the columns of newspapers of wide circulation and high standing.

THE TIMES

Is that kind of a newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Olson and infant daughter returned last evening from Warren where Mrs. Olson had been confined in the hospital.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

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Feel Badly? Bowels Sluggish? Haven't any "pep" in work or play? You're constipated! The stimulating action of Dr. King's Pills brings back old time energy, makes the bowels and liver respond to your strong healthy body. All druggists, 25c.

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BETTER DEAD

Life is a burden when the body is racked with pain. Everything worries and the victim becomes despondent and downhearted. To bring back the sunshine take

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The national remedy of Holland for over 200 years; it is an enemy of all pains resulting from kidney, liver and uric acid troubles. All druggists, three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

LANPHER HATS

The shape of the crown—the set of the brim—the richness of the color—the splendid quality in style "Braddock" ought to make it your hat!

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U. S. ASKED TO HAVE 'CHANGES ADMIT FARMERS

Committee of Seventeen Urges Legal Action by Attorney General or Commission.

Federation Experts to Meet at Kansas City to Draft New Marketing Plans.

Plan Not Considered Ideal, But Admittedly Best Available at This Time.

Immediate action by the federal government to compel grain exchanges to admit farmers' co-operative associations to full membership is the demand of the Committee of Seventeen, served on the Federal Trade commission and the attorney general and announced today by the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation.

The Committee of Seventeen, appointed by the American Farm Bureau federation and representing the largest farmers' grain selling organizations in the United States, is working out a nationwide plan for direct grain marketing by the farmers. Its demand for legal action by the federal government to force boards of trade to open their doors to farmers' co-operatives is being used by the Minnesota federation in its fight for the public markets bill now pending in the legislature. This bill would force the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, the Duluth Board of Trade and the St. Paul Livestock exchange to grant equal membership to farmers' co-operative selling agencies.

Co-operatives Barred.

A resolution passed by the Committee of Seventeen contains the first indication of what its ultimate decision may be. It also specifically refused to recognize grain exchanges as the best means of selling grain.

"While not anticipating in any way the findings of the committee and not recognizing the grain exchanges as the best possible method of marketing grain," the committee members said, "we unanimously adopted the resolution." The principal grain exchanges of the United States bar co-operative companies that distribute their profits in proportion with the volume of business handled, from participating in the buying and selling of farm products. This prevents the producers from collectively selling their own products on the markets of the country, thereby creating a monopoly in the hands of the traders, a situation which is not just and which is not in harmony with the spirit of American institutions.

Government Asked to Act.

"We call upon the Federal Trade Commission, the Attorney General or other public authority to take such steps as may be necessary to open the markets to the membership of co-operative companies unless the grain exchanges shall voluntarily do the same at once."

"The Committee of Seventeen," W. G. Eckhardt, its treasurer, says, "has gone on record publicly as condemning short-selling. The marketing plan that is complete will need to be able to market the grain crop in spite of the boards of trade and short selling. When the farmers' organizations have control of a large enough percentage of the crop, then no one will dare to short sell, unless he has first contracted for the grain from the marketing organizations controlled by the farmers."

The Committee of Seventeen will take its next big step toward completing the Farm Bureau Federation's nationwide marketing plan when it meets in Kansas City on Feb. 11.

Elks to Elect Officers.

The regular meeting of the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks will be held at the Masonic temple on Friday night, March 4. A large attendance is expected, it being the occasion of the annual election of officers.

Lancaster Visitors Here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Horner and baby daughter arrived here Wednesday evening from Lancaster where they have been residing, and were guests of Miss Anna Aspelund for a brief period. They left Thursday morning for Baudette where they will be the guests of Mrs. Horner's parents for an indefinite time.

Can't Search Homes For Booze Without Warrant

Revenue agents must have search warrants to "invade private homes in hunting for liquor" the supreme court held on Monday.

The decision, it is believed, will prevent widespread prohibition raids, unless the federal government has information sufficient to obtain a warrant.

Montana People Here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Maher of Great Falls, Mont., were in the city last week as the guests of relatives. They left Wednesday morning for Spooner where they visited other relatives, returning to this city on Friday afternoon, continuing to Grand Forks the same day to spend a few days before returning to their home.

Former Resident Visits.

Mrs. W. J. Foley and little son William arrived here Thursday afternoon from their home at Rainey River to spend a couple of weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink and other friends. Mrs. Foley will be remembered as Elsie Sinclair to many of her friends here.

Prepare for Good Crops.

Robert McGinn and Math Barzen state that when they arrived in the thriving village of Thief River Falls on the 5th day of March 1895, they found that this section had passed thru a winter very similar to the one just passing. Crops the following harvest were exceptionally bounteous.

Iowans Arrive Tuesday.

L. E. Miller and family arrived here from Iowa on Tuesday, their immigrant carload of household goods and farm equipment arriving the same day over the Soo. The family have moved onto the Dahl farm three miles north of here, which Mr. Miller purchased last fall.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express to our kind friends and neighbors our heartfelt thanks for their sympathy and assistance during the last illness and after the death of our husband and father and particularly for the many beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. John Aos, Mrs. H. H. Arhart, Mrs. A. J. Borry. M3p

Warner-Comstock.

Miss Rosmond Warner and William Comstock, both of this city, were united in marriage on Tuesday evening, March 1, at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Jr. Rev. R. L. Barackman, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, was the officiating clergyman.

CHAMP CLARK DIES AFTER LONG CAREER

Death of Grand Old Man From Missouri, Due to Pleurisy, Occurred on Tuesday.

Champ Clark died at Washington on Tuesday in his 71st year, and within two days of his retirement from the house of representatives after a service of 26 years. Death was due to an attack of pleurisy and a combination of diseases due to his advanced age. Up to ten days ago, however, when he developed a severe cold, Mr. Clark had shared actively in the proceedings of the house as democratic leader.

Immediately after the death of Mr. Clark was announced, the house recessed for 30 minutes. Representative Rucker, democrat, Missouri, who made the announcement, said Mr. Clark's wishes, as expressed through his son, were that there should be no interruption of congress in its closing days.

Immediately on reconveing after the 30 minute recess the house adopted a resolution providing for the payment to Mrs. Clark of a year's salary, totaling about $9,000.

Members of Mr. Clark's family left the funeral arrangements to congressional leaders, who expressed the wish to have the services Saturday in the rotunda of the capitol before sending the body to Bolling Green for burial. A large delegation of representatives and senators will accompany the body to that place.

Obituary

John O. Aos.

On Thursday, Feb. 24, occurred the death of John O. Aos, a most highly respected and well known citizen of Thief River Falls, having lived here for the past 28 years. The deceased had been confined to his bed for a month, the cause of his death being cancer of the stomach. Funeral services were held from the Aos home on Saturday with only immediate relatives and friends present. Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, conducted the services. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

John O. Aos was born Oct. 1, 1857, in Hoff, Soler, Norway. He came to America in the month of April 1869. On Oct. 1, 1882, he was married to Agnes Burtness of Grafton, N. D. The couple made their home at Grafton until 1893, when they came to Thief River Falls in the spring. Since that time he was engaged in the retail grocery and dry goods business until his retirement in the fall of 1919. He leaves to mourn his demise his wife and two children, Mrs. Henry Arhart and Mrs. Alf. J. Borry, both of this city; also two sisters, Mrs. C. J. Hill of McIntosh and Mrs. B. Sillerude of Pelican Rapids; two brothers, Nels Aos of Pelican Rapids and Ole Aos of Grafton, N. D., and his aged mother, who resides in this city.

Gust Fellman.

The following notice was received by The Times this week and will prove of interest to many in this vicinity:

In Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, on Feb. 6, occurred the death of Gust Fellman from hemorrhage of the stomach. He is survived by a wife, one daughter Ruth, two sisters, Mrs. Otto Nolander of Coeur d'Alene, Mrs. N. Sorenson, Oakland, Cal., four brothers, John of Thief River Falls, Oscar of St. Hilaire, Anton of San Francisco and Eric of Oakland, Cal. The deceased was formerly a resident of Thief River Falls.

BEMIDJI DAIRY MEN TO HAVE CLEAN-UP

City Veterinarian Begins Campaign Against Unsanitary Milk Conditions.

Dairies in the vicinity of Bemidji are having a real spring clean-up and those who do not clean up will not be permitted to sell milk within the city of Bemidji.

Dr. D. R. Burgess, who was appointed recently as city veterinarian, has been conducting a campaign against unsanitary and unclean dairies and a report submitted to the city council at its meeting Monday evening showed the progress that has been made during the past two months by the new department.

Blue milk and dirty, greasy bottles will not be tolerated and when a dairyman of that vicinity recently attempted to sell watered milk his dairy was closed by the dairy inspector. Inspection of dairies will be conducted regularly.

Of the places visited by the veterinarian during the past weeks three samples of milk have been found to lack the required amount of butterfat and one sample was so dirty and the milk contained so much water that the milk was destroyed and the dairyman was ordered to sell no more milk until he could comply with the regulations required by the ordinance.

During the past few weeks five cows have been condemned and six cows have been placed under quarantine to be tested again in 90 days. Four cows with udder trouble have been isolated.

The dairy inspection department was created several months ago by the city council at the request of the Woman's Civic Community club, it being the contention of the members of that organization that impure milk was being sold within the limits of the city. A drastic ordinance was passed governing dairies, and a city veterinarian was employed. Samples of milk secured by the veterinarian proved that there was a quantity of impure milk being sold about the city and an inspection of the dairies throughout the vicinity showed that in a few instances the dairies were not properly cared for. The fact that milk from diseased animals was being sold was also discovered as the result of the creation of the new department and the work of Dr. Burgess has been so thorough that the citizens of that city can now be assured that they are buying pure milk. Every effort will be made to guarantee a supply of pure milk to the citizens of the city and any person violating the regulations of the dairy ordinance will be prosecuted to the extent of the law.

The original all-record phonograph without attachments

SUCH is The Brunswick, and part of its fame is due to this great innovation.

Until the coming of this noted instrument, most phonograph owners had to be content with a one-record instrument. Brunswick made this idea out of date.

There have been many attempts to equal The Brunswick, but devices and attachments never bring the desired result.

The Ultona is *part* of The Brunswick, in-built. And it plays every record at its best.

Another exclusive feature is the Brunswick Tone Amplifier, built entirely of wood. It has no cast-metal throat, as is usual.

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This scientific tone amplifier, built according to acoustic laws, gives truer, richer tone. It reveals hitherto lost shadings.

Hear The Brunswick before you buy a phonograph. Note its unequaled tone, its superb cabinet work, its many betterments.

You will hardly believe all the good things they say about The Brunswick until you, yourself, hear it. Come in today.

Larson Furniture Co.

DISCING AND DRAGGING BEGUN IN MINNESOTA

Discing and dragging of fields already has begun in several fields in the vicinity of Clinton, the mild, open winter having put the ground in excellent condition for such work. Big Stone lake is reported open in many places, the earliest this has occurred in years.

INCREASED CLOVER ACREAGE IS URGED

Red River Valley Association Has Already Done Great Work on Subject.

Representatives of the Red River Valley Sweet Clover Seed Growers' association, in session in Fargo, considered methods to bring about an increase in clover acreage, which they said would restore agricultural credit.

The conference was attended by county agents, bankers, merchants and farmers. It was stated that the agricultural college of North Dakota has been assisting greatly in showing the merits of clover in four-year rotation, which will increase grain yield from 50 to 100 per cent, and by restoring humus to the ground conserve moisture and keep sandy lands from blowing.

County agents placed the developing of clover and clover clubs along with dairying as important things on their year's work. It was stated that the North Dakota Bankers' association, through its agricultural commission, has brought the matter before the public for the last six months as a means of increasing prosperity, making more fertile farms and restoring agricultural credit.

Through the activities of the Grand Forks county agent and the co-operation of the growers, the acreage has been increased from small, experimental plots in 1915 to 25,000 acres in 1920, and that the experiments carried on during this time show that the change of acreage has increased the pasturing capacity of the land over double. The increased yield, shown by experiments carried on with wheat, ranges from 7 to 12 bushels to the acre.

Benefit Purebred Sale.

As a result of the offer of breeders present at the Red River Valley Live Stock show to donate one animal for sale, a benefit sale will be held at the Red River Valley Live Stock pavilion to raise money to pay off a mortgage on one of the three buildings owned by the association on May 20.

BAUDETTE RESIDENT IS CONVICTED OF MURDER

Robert Miller was convicted of murder in the second degree by a jury which reported early Tuesday morning in district court at Bemidji. Judge Stanton was expected to pronounce sentence within a short time.

Miller was charged with murder in connection with the death of Alfred W. Fenton of Baudette, January 25, who was found shot to death near the Miller home. A brother of Miller, tried on a similar charge, was acquitted last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Loken left the first of the week for Minneapolis where the former will take a course in window trimming while Mrs. Loken will visit friends.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster was in the city last evening visiting with friends.

Mrs. William Herron and Mrs. Ed Hilson returned last evening from Viking where they spent the day as guests of Mrs. Herron's daughter, Mrs. Jansen.

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All around them are examples of men in their own business who have built up wonderful successes by advertising. But tendency to look at the difficulties, and to exaggerate the expense, rather than to vizualize the possibilities and recognize advertising as sales they get back, has kept them from taking the plunge that would bring them up on the wave of success.

Kryptok Glasses $16.00
School glasses Gold Frames $8.00
Glasses for any optical defect $10.00
C. G. Mugg, Optimetrist Specialist, will be at Brumund Hotel Feb. 28.

Every Element

necessary to build and nourish bone and muscle, nerve and brain is contained in Cream of Barley. Workers in mines and steel mills eat it because it alone can replace the tissues worn out by their tremendous labor. Yet it is a most easily digested food.

CREAM OF BARLEY

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THE HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESS

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SCHOOL PROGRESS
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Chapel.

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[illegible] up of first grade children [illegible]e Washington school, under [illegible]e direction of their teachers, Miss Schmitt and Miss Benson, rendered very interesting and inspiring selections, much to the delight of the high school students. Wearing caps of national colors, carrying their flags and [illegible] a military gait, marching upon the stage, these little students made a strong impression. When they were all assembled on the platform one of the little boys in the group, John Mundt, told the story of "George Washington and the Cherry Tree." It was given in a perfectly natural way, the childish beauty of the narrative and the simplicity of its interpretation being exceedingly pleasing. It was greatly appreciated by everyone. This was followed by a song of the same theme, it being also the week of Washington's Birthday, and a play drill, both of which were well delivered. The naturalness and absence of selfconsciousness in a small child is always striking to an older person.

After the prolonged applause of the student body as the entertainers matched out, Miss Johnson called on some of the music students, who talked on the various national compositions. Beatrice Sandum gave the history and other interesting facts concerning our national anthem: "Star Spangled Banner". Eileen Herron, "Battle Hymn of the Republic." Viola Lund, Stephen Foster and his well-known songs, "Swanee River," and "Dixie." Each talk was well delivered and followed by the singing of the respective songs by the student body. Songs which were nationalized during the late war and which will undoubtedly remain popular among the American people, such as "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "Pack Up Your Troubles" and "There's a Long, Long Trail," were also sung by the students with a great deal of enthusiasm and [illegible] American spirit. At the close of the chapel period Mr. Ziegler, in announcing the concert to be given by the Choral Society, gave it very high recommendations to the students. He emphasized the fact that it is that type of entertainment which is highly desirable, brings forth the better things in a person's development and education.

Mr. Cook Speaks.

Deputy Governor Cook of the Minneapolis Federal Reserve bank gave a talk on the financial phase of reconstruction at the Lincoln high school Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 23.

In the United States there are three kinds of banks, National, State and the new Federal Reserve banks. The [illegible]ks in this country differ from those [illegible] Europe in that here there are banks in almost every town of any size, most of which are owned by local residents, while the smaller banks in Europe are mostly branches of the large banking institutions. Since the majority of the stocks of our smaller banks are owned by men of limited capital, there have been a great many failures during periods of financial depression. Whenever a panic is threatened, depositors withdraw their funds, and the small banks are unable to meet the increased demand for money.

It was largely to prevent this abnormal demand for money at inconvenient times, and the consequent failures, that the Federal Reserve [illegible] was organized. The Federal [illegible] banks are joint institutions [illegible]onal banks of the district. [illegible] national bank is required to [illegible]aber, and State banks are [illegible] to join if they desire to do [illegible]ember banks buy the stocks [illegible]deral Reserve bank to the [illegible] per cent of their combined [illegible] surplus. The Federal Re[illegible] do business only with [illegible]nks, which must come up [illegible] standards and abide by [illegible] regulations of the Fed[illegible] These banks are managed [illegible] of nine directors. Three [illegible] elected by the Federal [illegible]d, which is appointed by [illegible] The other six are [illegible] member banks, so that [illegible] banks are really directed [illegible] in their respective dis[illegible]

[illegible] Reserve banks serve [illegible]: first, to establish a [illegible]ncy circulation. A mem[illegible] may send its bond for any [illegible]oney that it requires, and [illegible]mitted to issue paper cur[illegible] amount of the bond. In [illegible]al demands for money [illegible]strict may be met with[illegible]bance. The second pur[illegible]vent excessive borrow[illegible]iles of financial depres[illegible] done by increasing the [illegible]scount rate, so as to make the loaning of money unprofitable. Another thing which helps to decrease the danger of bank failures is the strict supervision which the Reserve bank exercises over its member banks. The standings of the banks are investigated from time to time, and if any are found in an unstable condition, steps are taken to relieve the bank and to protect depositors from loss.

It may safely be said that the Federal Reserve banks prevented a panic during the war and the following reconstruction period. The stupendous demand for money during the war would have caused a far greater disturbance if it had not been for the stabilizing influence of the Reserve system. The recent reconstruction period has caused an even greater strain on the banking institutions of the country. But in spite of this there have been fewer bank failures during this period than during any other national crisis. The Federal Reserve banks also did a great deal to halt the upward flight of prices during the war, by increasing the rediscount rate and thus discouraging excessive borrowing.

Mr. Cook said that the problems caused by falling prices are still with us; but the country is optimistic, and it is expected that conditions will soon be back to normal. Mr. Cook was here in the interests of the Merchants' Association and his visit to the high school was very much appreciated by the faculty and student body.

Funny Man Pleases All.

On Tuesday evening, February 22, Strickland Gilillian, a humorous lecturer, appeared at the city auditorium and presented the last number of the Lyceum Course which the Woman's Club of this city has been promoting. Strickland Gilillian is one of the nation's foremost humorists and it was indeed a privilege for the people of this community to hear so talented a man.

Mr. Gilillian opened his lecture in rather a novel manner, telling the audience that they were present for his entertainment rather than for theirs. His whole lecture was one of quaint wit into which some deep philosophy was embodied. In his philosophy optimism was brought out most clearly. He believes that optimism is not merely going around with a Cheshire smile and saying that everything is all right, but that a real optimist is one who can think when need be and who can and does have a pleasing time when seriousness is unnecessary. Throughout his lecture he kept constantly turning from a humorous path to a more serious one in order that his tale leave some food for thought in the community.

As a whole the Lyceum Course has contained a very high and uplifting tone. Each number has been one which has helped the community in educational advancement, whether it was musical, education or otherwise. People are beginning to realize more and more that a thing can be educational as well as entertaining.

We are looking forward for a bigger and better course for the coming year.

Warroad Defeated.

The local H. S. basketball team met the Warroad five at that place last Friday evening, the Thief River Falls team reaching the victorious score of 27 over the opposing team's score of 2.

The Warroad team showed some good defensive work and held the Thief River Falls team down to the given score. Warroad is beginning to show up good in the indoor loop game and we believe in another year or so they will have a crack team.

Ralston, forward on the Thief River Falls team, made 6 of the 14 baskets; Larson, forward, 5 field goals and 1 free throw; Fossum, center, 1 field goal and Sorenson 1 basket. Herron and LaBree are credited with good defensive play.

Widsten, forward for Warroad, deserves credit for making their 1 basket.

The lineup was as follows:

T. R. F. H. S.		Warroad
Larson	F	Ornburg
LaBree	F	Widsten
Fossum	C	Hall
Sorenson	G	Fox
Herron	G	Larson

Ralston substituted for LaBree the second half. McDaniel was not called into the game.

Crookston will play the local team here tomorrow night and a large crowd is expected to witness the last game before the tournament.

Normal Department.

Huldah Gustafson returned to her school work Wednesday after having spent a few days visiting at her home in Viking.

Gladys Ellestad and Cecelia Labinski are back at school after being absent for a short time with the mumps.

The Normal girls are beginning preparations for their rural school practice teaching during the next two weeks. The few girls who have already had their rural practice will remain at their work in the city while the others will work at various schools in this county.

From February 21st to February 28th is known as the "Week of the National Song." This was observed in the Normal department during the music period on Thursday morning. Interesting stories and incidents were given in connection with the writing of our national and patriotic songs. Miss Johnson had other points of interest to add, making the period an enjoyable one to all.

On Thursday afternoon Group II of the Normal department took part in the Community Sing held in the Washington building under the direction of Miss Johnson. After the little children had given the two pledges to the American flag, patriotic and familiar songs were sung. All of the children took part, singing the songs with the spirit they so well merit.

Teacher: "What can the ear be compared to, Elsie?"

Elsie: "It can be compared to a musical instrument, because it contains a drum."

Florence: "The skin is useful because it protects—oh, whatever is beneath it."

Georgia Muzzey and Goldie Kellberg visited at their homes north of the city during the week end.

Talk on Dairy Problems.

The agricultural classes last Tuesday had the opportunity of hearing J. J. Springer of the extension division of the University of Minnesota talk on some of the vital things to be considered for buildings on a dairy farm.

Mr. Springer's talk centered mainly on the concrete constructed portion of the dairy barn and silo. He considered it very essential to have the floor, mangers and at least part of the wall of the dairy barn to be of concrete structure because it is much stronger and does not absorb the steam which often occurs in the barn, and also the litter, which is a very vital portion of the manure. He also discussed briefly the arrangement of the cow stall.

In the silo, Mr. Springer stated, it is generally found that the foundation is of poor workmanship and this accounts for the rapid decay of the base portion of the wooden silo. It was found that these poorly constructed foundations admitted air and the gas of the silage into its interior, which caused it to wear away. Mr. Springer stated that the utmost care should be taken when mixing concrete in order to get the proper amount of cement, sand and pebbles to make the best concrete. He said that a ration of one cubic foot of cement to two cubic feet of sand and four cubic feet of pebbles or crushed rock. He also stated that he believed the people of this section will soon build silos of this mixture because they have proven more satisfactory in southern Illinois.

High School Represented.

The Oratory and Declamation contest, in which winners of the subdistrict contests will compete will be held at Crookston Friday, March 4. The winners will compete at St. Paul the last part of March. Keen competition will undoubtedly exist at the coming contest but the high school feels assured that it will be well represented by Edward Fiterman, who will represent our high school at Crookston in oratory.

Personals.

A few days ago it was noticed by all that the Smith-Hughes students had issued a challenge to the winner of the class games at a Basketball game. Last Friday the Seniors cinched the championship by winning five games out of the possible six and when on Monday morning the Seniors wished to sign the challenge, found that it had disappeared from the bulletin board. The Seniors now come to the conclusion that the Smith-Hughes boys expected to see the Freshmen champs.

Miss Ruth Kilund, a graduate of '20, visited school Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Hauglid left Friday afternoon for Crookston to visit with friends and relatives.

A sandwich sale was held Thursday afternoon at 3:45 in the Washington school.

Snapshots and jokes are wanted by the Prowler staff in large quantities. Hand in yours.

Anna Leimers was not on the list for making up time this week. We are sure she must be reforming.

Herbert (reciting in Latin): "The lieutenant came to that he seeking aid."

Teacher: "What is the purpose of Commercial Law?"

Fat (in a suppressed whisper): "To get a credit."

If books continue to disown their owners for more takeable persons, it may be necessary to establish a book exchange department.

In the following two weeks the girls basketball team will play two games. Holt, March 4th and Climax the 11th.

The faculty has been hard at work during the past week, preparing for the spectacular drama they are going to produce in the near future. Watch for it and keep an open date.

Heard from two Freshmen, after a heated discussion of storms.

Herbert: "Yah! Sometimes people have storms."

Orrin: "Herb's got one now, look at his hair wave."

What should be stopped in our school system, especially the first period in the morning? A discontinuation or "Truce of God" between the members of the same family who go to school in the same class.

The Agriculture and Domestic Science classes attended the lectures given at the auditorium last Friday by W. A. McKerrow and R. F. Scott, prominent men of the state. The theme of their discussions was the present outlook on business and other issues.

Clarence K.: "Mr. Gilillian used several old jokes."

Ernest B.: "Well, we can't expect everyone to have as up-to-date jokes as you, of course."

Student in Eng. III: "Sir Roger de Coverly wore the same suit as when he was in love with the widow and had turned it inside out twelve times."

Roscoe Bakke, a member of '21 class, who has been attending University of North Dakota during the past semester, returned to this city.

High School girls in love are undoubtedly poor judges of character.

Putless Days will again soon be prevalent in the high school.

Teacher: "C. W., if you don't keep still I'll give you zero for the week."

O. Storholm: "Oh! That doesn't mean anything to her."

Alice Berg and Hilda Hammerstein members of '20 class were visitors at their Alma Mater last week.

Some Seniors ought to go to the "Land of the Midnight Sun" for a recuperation period, as the nights there are about six months long during a part of the season and they might be able to catch up with some of the sleep.

"Doc" said, "The only difference between man and beast is, that man can reason." The other day he remarked that some of his students didn't have this faculty. Must we draw the sad conclusion?

Miss Miller has resumed her position as an instructor of Commercial subjects after an absence of six weeks, during which she has taken training in Vocational Commercial work.

This training was obtained by practical work in the office of the Marshall-Wells Hardware company and study of their part time continuation school.

The purpose of this course is to teach the student the things which will be of the greatest practical value when he or she leaves school and enters the employ of some firm.

The old method of teaching facts learned from books has been found inadequate preparation for employment in commercial positions.

The Smith-Hughes act has enabled many of the high schools to adopt this vocational training course.

Just Work.

Why—do brains fail us?
Don't—get hilarious.
You—can
Get—all your marks up
To—"A", if you'll only
Work—work and work.

Big Game.

The last high school basketball game this season will be played with Crookston, Friday, March 4th, at the city auditorium.

This will be one of the fastest games of the season, as Crookston was defeated by only a small score in the first encounter and are determined to even up matters tomorrow night. As this is the last game of the season to be played before the team goes to Crookston to try for the district championship, a good crowd is expected.

Boost your team!

Knox School Notes.

Miss Fjeldstad, third grade instructor in the Knox school, spent the week-end at Grand Forks. Mrs. W. H. Akre substituted during her absence.

The pupils of the Kindergarten were the guests of little Ruth Cronkhite, at a George Washington birthday party, Monday afternoon. The rooms were decorated in red, white and blue colors and small flags. The pupils gave a patriotic program and a flag drill. At the conclusion of the program, cake and ice cream were served.

The marching banner was awarded to Miss Nylander's room this week, Miss Howe's room having it last week. This banner is awarded to the room that marches in the most quiet and orderly manner.

The Kindergarten pupils are working out a "surprise" to be given to their parents next week.

Central Notes.

Sixteen members of the seventh and eighth grades will have a sleigh ride party Friday afternoon. They intend to go as far as St. Hilaire, returning the same evening.

The pupils of the seventh and eighth grades are eagerly looking forward to the State examinations. These exams. will be given in American history, arithmetic, grammar and spelling. All the students are working hard to receive a pass plus in the examinations. Several of the students are coming in from the country schools to take the examinations. The first examinations will be given March 31 and those students who fail to pass these, will be given a second chance in June.

The teachers of the Central school report a very good attendance for the last week. It has been one of the best weeks so far this year.

"Fat" Evenson has accomplished one of the first essentials in becoming an expert canoeist—he has parted his hair in the middle.

The following is an interesting narrative written by Reba Bickley, who is a fourth grade student at the Northrup school:

The Wolf.

One evening it was very cold. We were all sitting by the fire. Daddy was reading the newspaper. He said to Mother: "I see in the newspaper where a man was killed by the wolves."

At the supper table the subject was raised about wolves. Billie said: "Daddy, are there any wolves in our woods?" "Well, Billie, I don't know. I suppose there are."

After supper was over mother said to me: "Kate, did you lock the chicken house door?" "No, I forgot to," I said. "Well you better go and do it." I went around the barn to the chicken house. Just as I was closing the door, something black came around the barn. The first thing I thought of was a wolf. I tried to run but I stubbed my toe and fell. I got up and ran to the house. When I went into the house I left the door open. In came the black thing. I turned around to see the wolf and it was our good dog Rover.

Lynn Halvorson not only believed in the old saying: "In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love," but he believes that it isn't necessary to wait for the spring.

GOVERNMENT DROPS PROFITEERING CASES AGAINST RETAILERS

Finding Expected to Put Stop to All Prosecutions Pending Under Lever Act.

The supreme court on Monday declared unconstitutional sections of the Lever law on which the government has based its profiteering prosecutions during its campaign against the high cost of living.

The decision effectually puts a stop to further profiteering prosecutions under the law.

In taking this action the court sustained decrees of lower courts which had sustained a demurrer to the indictment of a grocery concern. The specific charge was that the defendant charged $10.70 for 50 pounds of sugar, or at the rate of more than 20 cents a pound.

The section of the law in question makes it unlawful to "make any unjust or unreasonable charge in handling or dealing with necessaries."

The opinion of Chief Justice White was a denunciation of the ambiguities and generalities of the non-profiteering section.

"The statute sets no standard of crime and it does not say what shall be an unreasonable profit," he said. "It is as broad as the possibilities of human imagination. It sets no standard which human foresight can contemplate. No coherent or reasonable result can be reached. The statute is too vague."

Practically all of the attacks against the act were based on the ground that it violated the fifth amendment to the constitution in that it deprived the defendants of their property without due process of law.

Girl wanted to work on farm. Washing and churning done by electricity. Write at once for particulars to Mrs. P. F. Kelly, R. F. D., St. Thomas, N. D. m10pd

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT.

Tells His Friends and Neighbors of His Experience.

Every Thief River Falls resident should read what Mr. Schuster says, and follow his example. He has used Doan's Kidney Pills and speaks from experience. Is there any need to experiment with imitations or untried kidney medicines?

Chas. Schuster, 622 St. Paul Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can say they are just as advertised. My back has been bothering me for a long time and I couldn't bend over without pain across my loins. Some mornings I couldn't get out of bed my back was so sore and stiff and I was obliged to get up nights on account of kidney weakness. As soon as I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had relief and I have felt better ever since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Schuster had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

Dr. Spofford OPTOMETRIST
Will be at Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, March 9.

BANK NO. 1231
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

HAZEL, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEBRUARY 21, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		[illegible]
Overdrafts		[illegible]
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations		[illegible]
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		[illegible]
Other Real Estate		[illegible]
Checks and Drafts in Transit		[illegible]
Due from other Banks		[illegible]
Cash on Hand:		
Currency	[illegible]	
Gold	[illegible]	
Silver	[illegible]	
Other	[illegible]	
Total Cash Assets		[illegible]
Checks and Cash Items		[illegible]
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		[illegible]
Total		[illegible]

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		[illegible]
Surplus Fund		[illegible]
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		[illegible]
Deposits Subject to Check	[illegible]	
Cashier's Checks	[illegible]	
Total Immediate Liabilities	[illegible]	
Savings Deposits	[illegible]	
Time Certificates	[illegible]	
Total Deposits	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total		[illegible]

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Paul Borgie, Vice President, and E. C. Karwand, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. PAUL BORGIE, Vice President. E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two Directors) OLE ODEGAARD, C. W. VOLACHEK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of February, 1921. E. P. BREVIG, Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn. (Seal) My commission expires May 29, 1927.

IT'S A JOYOUS EXISTENCE WHEN ALL IS CONSIDERED

The editor of the Chilowee (Go.) Blade gives his readers a pointer on running a newspaper. He says:

"Editing a newspaper is a business. If we publish a joke, people say we are rattle-headed. If we publish original matter, they say we don't give them enough selections. If we give selections, we are too lazy to write. If we give a man a puff, we are partial. If we compliment the women, the men are jealous; if we don't, we the publishing a paper not fit to make a bustle of. If we remain in our office, we are too proud to mingle with the common herd; if we are on the street, we are not attending to business. If we wear poor clothes, business is dull; if we wear good clothes, we don't pay for 'em. Now what shall we do? Some people will say that we stole this from an exchange; others will say nobody but us is mean enough to write it."

Small Pox at Mahnomen.

According to reports received on Tuesday, a hotel at Mahnomen has been quarantined because of several cases of smallpox. H. Kinghorn, conductor for the Soo line, is ill at his home here with the disease.

P. L. VISTAUNET
Physician, Surgeon and Natural Therapeutist
Office and Treatment Parlors, McGinn Block, Thief River Falls. Office Hours: Forenoon and Afternoon; Evening by Appointment. Phones: Office 333; Res. 289

BANK NO. 448
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 21, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$725,868.72
Overdrafts		13.12
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations		50,670.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		25,100.00
Other Real Estate		42,800.00
Checks and Drafts in Transit		50.00
Due from other Banks	$ 31,195.25	
Cash on Hand:		
Currency	$6,730.00	
Gold	975.00	
Silver	3,185.50	
Other	207.08	11,103.58
Total Cash Assets		42,558.83
Checks and Cash Items		1,740.19
Total		$888,650.82

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund		10,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		1,678.65
Reserved for Depreciation on Bonds		1,807.26
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		85,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	$ 7,500.00	
Deposits Subject to Check	145,135.75	
Demand Certificates	1,824.50	
Certified Checks	53.06	
Cashier's Checks	7,320.79	
Due to Banks	19,960.00	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$181,803.80	
Savings Deposits	15,580.91	
Time Certificates	512,680.20	
Total Deposits	$710,081.91	710,081.91
Total		$888,650.82

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, Olaf Ramstad, President and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. OLAF RAMSTAD, President. T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two Directors) RASMUS OEN, A. M. LANGSETH.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of March, 1921. E. P. BREVIG, Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn. (Seal) My commission expires May 29, 1927.

BANK NO. 1109
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 21, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts		$317,234.5[illegible]
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		[illegible]
Due from other banks	$ 10,065.97	
Cash on Hand:		
Currency	$1,457.00	
Gold	35.00	
Silver	[illegible]	
Other	[illegible]	
Total Cash Assets		16,313.[illegible]
Checks and Cash Items		[illegible]
Total		$349,075.75

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		5,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		2,401.78
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		45,000.00
Deposits subject to Check	$ 97,290.5[illegible]	
Cashier's Checks	3,915.11	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$101,205.[illegible]	
Savings Deposits	17,150.01	
Time Certificates	153,317.57	
Total Deposits	$271,673.97	271,673.97
Total		$349,075.75

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss. We, R. McGinn, President and L. A. Lammert, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. R. McGINN, L. A. LAMMERT.

Correct Attest: (Two Directors) M. T. McFARLAND, HERBERT F[illegible]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of F[illegible] EFFIE HAM[illegible] Notary Public, Penn[illegible] (Seal) My commis[illegible]

CHARTER NO. 5891 REPORT OF CONDITION OF

First National Bank

AT THIEF RIVER FALLS, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON FEB. 21, 1921.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts [illegible]
Notes and bills rediscounted with Federal Reserve Bank [illegible]
Overdrafts, unsecured [illegible]
U. S. Government securities owned: Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value) [illegible]; Pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable [illegible]; Owned and unpledged [illegible]; Total U. S. Government securities [illegible]
Other bonds, securities, etc.: Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits [illegible]; Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks), owned and unpledged [illegible]; Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S. [illegible]
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription) [illegible]
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered [illegible]
Equity in banking house [illegible]
Furniture and fixtures [illegible]
Real estate owned other than banking house [illegible]
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank [illegible]
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks [illegible]
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 11, 12 or 13) [illegible]
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 15) [illegible]
Total of Items 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 [illegible]
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer [illegible]
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due [illegible]
Total [illegible]

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in [illegible]
Surplus fund [illegible]
Undivided profits [illegible]; Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid [illegible]
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate) [illegible]
Circulating notes outstanding [illegible]
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries [illegible]
Certified checks outstanding [illegible]
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding [illegible]
Total of Items 29, 30, 31 and 32 [illegible]
Demand Deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days): Individual deposits subject to check [illegible]; Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) [illegible]; Other demand deposits [illegible]; Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve [illegible]
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings): Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) [illegible]; Other time deposits [illegible]; Total of time deposits subject to Reserve [illegible]
United States Deposits (other than postal savings): Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers [illegible]
Total Deposits [illegible]
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank [illegible]
Total [illegible]
Liabilities for rediscounts with Federal Reserve Bank [illegible]
Total contingent liabilities (not including items in Schedule of report) [illegible]

Aggregate amount of salaries or compensation paid to officers of Board of any, President, Vice President, Cashier, and [illegible] month of January, 1921, $800.00; Annual pay of all these officers at rate of pay, $8,000.00; number of these officers on date of [illegible]

Aggregate amount of salaries or compensation paid to all [illegible] bank for the month of January, 1921, $300.00; Annual pay [illegible] of the January, 1921, rate of pay, $1,320.00; number [illegible] date of this report was four.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, ss: I, W. H. Akre, Cashier of the abovenamed Bank, do [illegible] above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and [illegible] W. H. AKRE, C[illegible]

Correct Attest: C. L. HANSEN, E. M. DENNIS, J. P. CURTIS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of [illegible] THEO. M. TH[illegible] Notary Public, Penning[illegible] (Seal) My commission [illegible]

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LEGION SPONSORING PATRIOTIC PICTURE

Most Widely Discussed of Recent Photoplays to Be Seen Here Today and Friday.

"The Red Viper," one of the most remarkable picture plays that has remarkable picture plays even shown, will be be presented to this community at the Princess theater tonight and Friday night, under the auspices of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion. A special matinee is also being given this afternoon. This picture, which presen s in the form of a huge panorama the problems of Americanization, is by no means a Bolshevist picture—it is one of the greatest timeliness and appeal to the nation. It is one of the most talked-of films of the present day.

The cast is headed by Gareth Hughes as the youthful David Belkov, a Russian boy, who on one side is enthralled by the magnificent Americanism of the late Colonel Roosevelt and on the other side is drawn into the toils of radicalism thru the influence of his sweetheart. He eventually follows the American flag and then redeems the girl from her false ideas. Ruth Stonehouse plays the 12-year-old champion of America, Mary Hogan. Little Mary lives in Finnegan's alley on the east side of New York City, in a hotbed of radicalism and unrest. Aided by a tin pail, a broom stick and an American flag, she succeeds in breaking up the numerous street-corner meetings of the would-be wreckers of civilization. In this role Miss Stonehouse practically dominates the story by her vivid and convincing impersonations.

The story is one which carries with it a message of inspiration, and at the same time satisfies those who go to the movies in search of thrills. There are no sex problems—it is wholesome and pure—and if the recommendations of the governors, senators and clergymen who have seen the "Red Viper" can be relied upon, all who call themselves Americans ought to see it also.

It is expected that the phenominal success which the picture has enjoyed elsewhere in being shown under the auspices of the American Legion will be duplicated here.

PAVING CONTRACTOR MIXED CITY NAMES; CALLED TO ACCOUNT

"A. D. Hanson of the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, is in Thief River Falls today. He states that the city of Winona recently received bids for the construction of gravel-concrete paving, the lowest of which was $4.65 per yard. The lowest bid for similar paving received here at the time of the letting of the paving contract to the above mentioned firm was $3.98. Winona is much nearer the source of paving supplies."

The above news item appeared in The Times issue of Feb. 24. A Thief River Falls citizen closely identified with the opposition to the city paving program made use of the opportunity of proving the veracity of Mr. Hanson's statement by writing to the city clerk of Winona. The reply to his letter was to the effect that no bids had been received and that it must be some other Winona. Upon the request of the local citizen that this matter be given publicity, The Times, feeling that Mr. Hanson was mistaken only in the name of the city which received the bids, is making an effort to prove the further veracity of his statement and will publish the facts in the case as soon as they can be secured.

Coumbe Becomes Associated With Minneapolis Concern

S. C. Coumbe, who has been with the Tessum Seed Grain and Supply company of Thief River Falls for the past two years in the position of corporation secretary, on February 28 severed active connection with that firm, tho still retaining a substantial financial interest in the same. He recently became a member of the Haverson Brokerage company of Minneapolis, of which company he has been elected vice president, and left here on Monday evening to assume the duties of his new position.

Mr. Coumbe came to this city in 1917 as assistant cashier of the First National bank and since that time, with his wife and family, has made this his place of residence. He does not contemplate a change in the same during the immediate future. His present position offers an exceptional opportunity for expansion along lines in which he is much interested and for which he has shown great adaptability.

Answer in Paving Suit Filed by City Council

The city of Thief River Falls and the city administratoin on Tuesday filed an answer to the summons served upon them by the Oen Mercantile company as plaintiff in the city paving case. The answer of the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg was filed on the same day. That of the Capital Trust and Savings bank of St. Paul was filed during the past week. The text of the three answers is practically the same: The allegations of the plaintiff are denied and the latter put to proof. No further action can be taken until the case comes before the district judge during the June term of court. Preparations for an early start in paving the city streets will continue according to schedule, city officials state.

GOOD EXHIBITION OF WRESTLING PRESENTED IN MONDAY'S MATCH

Cal Farley Downs Kid Hiatt, But Only After Latter Had Given a Most Creditable Performance.

Fans got their money's worth on Monday night when Cal Farley of Humbolt, Minn., welter-weight champion wrestler, took Kid Hiatt of Wheaton to the mat in two consecutive falls; the first in 24 minutes and 45 seconds and the second in nine minutes. This was the first time that Hiatt, challenger for the championship, has been downed. The match was staged at the Lyceum theatre here, under the auspices of the Thief River Athletic club.

While the match may never have been in Hiatt's favor, he more than made it interesting for Farley. Both men worked fast and displayed a thorough acquaintance with all the rules of the game. Hiatt time and time again managed to clear himself from Farley's holds at critical moments, winning for himself wild applause from the assembled fans. Fully half a dozen times before the first fall he twisted from head scissors at the risk of his neck, and once, after the first 20 minutes, when Farley apparently had him pinned to the mat, escaped from a head scissors and wrist lock in which he had taken great punishment. Farley took the first-down-with-a toe hold which he had secured in a lightning-like movement. Hiatt virtually had his man down for the only time in the match after seven minutes of snappy work shortly previous to the second fall, but was unable to hold him for a decision. Farley took the second fall with a head scissors and wrist lock, both of which he resorted to many times during the mat event. Both men appeared on the card at 146 pounds.

The juvenile preliminaries furnished the comedy of the evening, the offering little study of the science of boxing and wrestling. Farley left for his home at Humbolt on Tuesday morning from where he goes to Los Angeles, California, to wrestle Walter Miller for the middle-weight championship.

Welfare Board Members In County Reappointed

A letter from Wm. H. Hodson, director of the Children's Bureau of the State Board of Control, announces the re-appointment of the following persons to serve on the Pennington County Child Welfare board for the year 1921: Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Mrs. J. M. Bishop and George M. Gunderson of Thief River Falls; Peter C. Wold of Kratka, and Oscar J. Peterson of Hazel.

Following is an extract from the letter of re-appointment:

"Minnesota now has some sixty child welfare boards, which means approximately three hundred and twenty people in the state who are definitely concerned about the protection of children and who have official responsibility therefor. These guardians of childhood are interested, not only in individual cases which require attention, but in the great problems of prevention. This means an understanding of the community—its needs and is social resources, an appreciation of the fact that community envirotment plays an important part in the moulding of young life. More specificially, child welfare board members are coming to see that the influence of the pool room, the dance hall, certain types of moving picture and other unregulated and commercialized forms of recreation are reaching unfavorably upon children and young people and that the community, through its child welfare board, must respond to the need."

"IT WAS A WINNER FOR ME" HE SAYS

"I'm Enjoying Perfect Health Since Taking Tanlac," Says Minneapolis Man.

"After hearing so much about Tanlac I put it on trial in my case and it has certainly proved a winner for me," said W. G. Jørgenson of 524 Essex St., Minneapolis, Minn., an employe of the Northwestern Telephone Co.

"Before I got hold of Tanlac my troubles of three years standing had pulled me down until my work was a daily grind and I was in constant misery both day and night. My kidneys were badly disordered and were continually worrying me, and I had pains in my back and joints that were almost unbearable. My sides hurt me terribly also, and at times the pains were so severe as to almost drive me wild. Nothing seemed to do me any good and I hardly see how I managed to hold out at my work.

"When I got Tanlac I found the very thing I was needing, for it just built me right up and has put me in the very best of condition. My kidneys no longer bother me and I never have an ache or pain at all. In fact I'm just enjoying perfect health and gladly give Tanlac all the credit."

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STRONG OPENING IN CATTLE TRADE

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(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minn. Dept. of Agriculture.)

The country apparently has the upper hand in the cattle market. While demand for beef is showing no material expansion, trade in stockers and feeders is opening up in good shape and competition for such kinds together with light receipts are the chief bulling influences in the cattle market at present. Last week's substantial advances failed to bring forth any increase in marketings at the week's opening and trade maintained a healthy undertone with some kinds showing as much as 25c gain. One load of 1200-pound beeves topped Monday's trade at $8.25 with others at $7.75 to $8 and bulk from $6.50 to $7.50. Best heifers in load lots brought $7.25, with bulk of the she stock from $4.25 to $6.50. Prices on canners and cutters ranged largely from $2.50 to $4, with bulk of bologna bulls from $4 to $4.75. Veal calves have gained $1 since last Monday, best at this week's opening selling at $10. Demand for stock cattle continued good and Monday's market was strong to 25c higher.

Average cost of hogs on the market is again well above $9, bulk of all sales at the week's opening ranging from $9 to $9.75, with a few select lights up to $9.80. Heavy packers are selling around $7.50 to $8. Most of the desirable pigs arriving Monday brought $10.35. Rapid advances featured last week's trade in sheep and lambs and choice fed westerns sold as high as $10.25 at this week's opening, with choice ewes up at $6.00 or slightly above.

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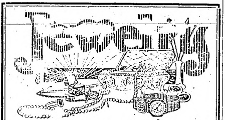

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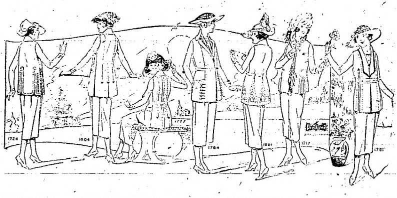

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LEGIONNAIRES TAKE TWO GAMES FROM FAST EXCELSIOR QUINTET

Finest Exhibition of Basketball Ever Seen in This City—Speed and Superior Team Work of Locals Responsible For Result—Large Crowds Out to Witness Both Contests.

The American Legion basket ball team of Thief River Falls on Thursday and Friday nights defeated the fast Excelsior Independents in two of the most hotly contested and clean games ever played in this city. The locals stood the victors by a score of 40 to 23 for Thursday's clash and by a score of 31 to 11 for Friday's. They now have ten games to their credit out of ten starts made and under the direction of Coach Connell are being kept in the best of trim for future games with the fastest teams of Minnesota, from which challenges are being received daily.

Large crowds assembled each night hours before the time scheduled for the games and applauded in true sportsmanlike manner the brilliant playing of both home and visiting teams. A great deal of favorable comment is heard in regard to the remarkably clean brand of basket ball produced by the visitors, whose playing at all times gave evidence that it was not necessary to resort to other tactics when the outcome ceased to appear in their favor. The city band contributed its services in holding the assembled fans in leash before the two games and between halves. Perry Johnson referred both games.

The clash of Thursday night opened up in fine fashion. R. L. Louden failed to make a free throw granted on a techinal foul and several of Excelsior's long shots failed to locate the hoop during the first two minutes of playing. Hadrath of the Legionnaires played a brilliant game from the outset, making the net twice before the first two minutes had passed. Kiland followed this with another in the third minute. Hadrath shortly after made his third goal in a long shot from the center line, the resulting score spurring the visitors on to even faster playing. After several minutes of real battling, during which both quints missed opportunities to score and could be credited with several wild passes, R. Louden, Excelsior forward, plopped one fair into the net in a long shot. Christnach was called on a technical foul and Carlson made the free throw. After ten minutes of playing Excelsior took time out. Then followed a long string of bad shots on the part of the locals, with their adversaries taking the lead through successful throws from the field made by Christnach, Hutton, R. Louden and W. Louden. With but three minutes of the half left to play, Hadrath and Kiland scored from the field in rapid succession and the result was a tie, 13 to 13. During the warmest part of the entire clash which followed Hadrath made his sixth goal and the half closed with the Legionnaires two points in the lead.

The second half opened in the same manner as the first with the score again tied in the first minute of playing by R. Louden's successful throw. Thief River Falls took a greater lead in the real mixing that followed, Carlson making a clean-cut free throw and Kiland, Hadrath and Holzknecht scoring from the field. Seven minutes of playing and time out was taken. R. Louden broke in a dribble and Carlson made the throw. That process was then reversed, Carlson breaking and Louden making the free throw. W. Louden immediately after made a successful shot from near the center line. Hadrath followed Louden's throw with another well netted ball. With 12 minutes of the half gone Johnson substituted for Kiland. Hadrath increased the lead of his quint by taking the pigskin from his man well to one side of the center and with an open floor between himself and the basket, making the hoop with ease. It was one of the pretty plays of the game. Carlson failed immediately thereafter to make a free throw. Johnson missed the circle by a narrow margin but McGinn made a successful catch of the failing throw and scored two more points. Hadrath took another field goal. R. Louden scored on a free throw and W. Louden with a field basket but two of the points were neutralized by McGinn's second and neat throw. Well towards the last of the half Holzknecht received a blow which left him groggy and he was replaced by Johnson, who was in turn replaced by LaBree in the position of forward. LaBree made a field goal in less than one minute's time. R. Louden followed LaBree's scoring with the prettiest shot of the entire game, a field basket made from fully three quarters of the length of the floor. He followed this by the making of a free throw, it being the last point made by the Excelsior five. LaBree made a second basket after having been in the game but three minutes. Carlson missed a free throw. With but a minute and a half left, the visitors again tied into the game with determination and the locals were held down to one more field goal made by McGinn on the very instant that the closing pistol shot was fired. The score stood at 40 to 23.

The two Loudens shared equally the honors for the Excelsior five, with Hutton putting up a fair claim for the same. Hadrath out-starred the entire field and took ten field baskets to his credit. McGinn's interference was at all times markedly successful. Carlson's work failed to show up with the brilliancy of previous games, owing to the fact that he was most successfully guarded by two members of the visiting team. The lineup:

Excelsior		Legion
Christnach	RF	Carlson
R. Louden	LF	Kiland
W. Louden	C	Hadrath
Gillespie	RG	Holzknecht
Hutton	LG	McGinn

Substitutes: Johnson for Kiland; Johnson for Holzknecht; LaBree for Johnson.

E. R. Donovan, Excelsior coach and manager. G. W. Connell, Thief River Falls coach and manager. Perry Johnson, referee.

Free throws: R. Louden, 3 out of 4; Carlson, 4 out of 6. Field baskets: R. Louden 4, W. Louden 3, Hutton 2, Christnach 1, Hadrath 10, McGinn 3, Kiland 2, LaBree 2, Holzknecht 1.

Second Game.

The second game was hotly contested in spite of the fact that the final score would indicate otherwise. Kiland opened the scoring with a field basket; Carlson missed a free throw granted on R. Louden's technical foul; Hadrath was chalked up with two field goals; Carlson missed a second free throw; Kiland took his second basket—all in the first ten minutes of playing, which was pretty much under Thief River's goal. During that time Excelsior failed to locate the hoop from the field and R. Louden failed to score on a free throw on McGinn's personal foul. During the remaining ten minutes of the half the play swung to the visitor's end of the floor. R. Louden missed two successive free throws, following which Carlson added another point to the mounting score of the locals when the former named guard fouled. Following a pretty shot by Christnach which failed to enter the net, R. Louden made a basket from a writhing group directly beneath the goal. Following a successful throw made by Holzknecht from the field and with but four minutes of the half left to play, LaBree went in for Kiland and took another two points within 30 seconds time. With but three minutes left Johnson substituted for Carlson. Christnach scored a neat field basket while well covered and Holzknecht made a long and successful shot close to the 19 minute mark. The score of the down-stators went to five with R. Louden's free throw which followed. The Legionnaires had the ball at the close of the half, though having failed to make the circle after a startling four-man pass to Hadrath. The score stood at 17 to 5.

Maughan started the second half in R. Louden's position. LaBree took a clean-cut goal shot from the center, which was followed in rapid succession by Maughan's field basket and one by Hadrath, who got the ball in a long pass from Johnson. McGinn failed to nest a free throw granted on Gillespie's personal. After five minutes of playing Kiland and Carlson replaced Johnson and LaBree in their regular positions. Hutton scored from beyond the center line with a shot that won the applause of the house. Hadrath also was successful in netting the ball, as a result of a three-man pass. In direct opposition to the grouped playing of the first half, during the entire second half the ball surged swiftly from one end of the floor to the other and the playing presented a more open appearance. At the ten-minute mark, Hadrath suddenly took a field goal, as did W. Louden after three unsuccessful tries. Kiland and Hadrath added to the score of the local quint to the extent of four points. With 15 minutes of the half gone R. Louden went back into the game as forward in Christnach's place. The remainder of the game was warm with but one basket made and that by Holzknecht from the field. Thief River Falls won by 20 points.

Due possibly to close guarding, the Excelsior players resorted to long risky shots and played in pretty hard luck as to results. They furnished the warmest of opposition during the entire game but had apparently lost their eye for the hoop. Christnach's guarding was deserving of mention as was the playing of the the Loudens and Hutton. Hadrath continued his brilliant playing of the first game. Johnson, Holzknecht, McGinn and Carlson offered all that could be asked in the way of interference. The lineup remained the same as of Thursday night's game.

Free threws: Louden 1 out of 4; Carlson 1 out of 8; McGinn failed 1. Field baskets: Christnach 1; R. Louden 1, W. Louden 1, Hutton 1, Maughan 1, Hadrath 6, Kiland 4, Holzknecht 3, LaBree 2.

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ST. HILAIRE

Hjalmer Johnson returned Thursday after a two weeks' visit with relatives at Minneapolis and Alexandria, also at Webster, Wis.

Miss Esther Bjornqust left Friday morning via the Soo line for Superior being called there by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Alfred Blixt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Zahn and baby son arrived Friday after a month's visit at the Dr. Swanson home at Minneapolis, and will spend some time here at the home of Mrs. Zahn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hoff.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink and daughter returned Friday to their home at Thief River Falls after a short visit here with Mr. Brink's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Brink, and also with relatives in Black River.

Mrs. Enoch Sundbolm had as her guest on Monday her sister, Mrs. A. W. Hovie of Crookston.

The Carl Johnson home on Minnesota avenue was the scene of a delightful party Saturday afternoon the occasion being Miss Eva Johnson's birthday. Those present were the Mesdames N. E. Beebe, O. Gunstad, G. Fellman, J. Kinney, Dan Patterson, C. H. Martz and A. C. Kvenness of Middle River, and the Misses Edith Dahl, Alice Hall, Ragna Loberg and Nellie Fallstad. Music and conversation formed the afternoon's entertainment and at five o'clock a dainty lunch was served.

Miss Knutson, county nurse, left on Saturday for Thief River Falls after spending several days here examining the school children. Miss Knutson found conditions among the pupils here much the same as in all other districts in this part of the county.

Miss Agnes Simonson returned to her home here on Tuesday after attending the Fargo Business college for the past six months.

John and Arne Loberg, George and Alex Swanson returned Saturday from Clementson, Minn., near Baudette, where they have been employed cutting pulp wood the past three months.

Henry Kolstad returned Tuesday from Crookston where he visited over Sunday.

Andrew Miller left Monday for a brief visit at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. A. C. Kveness and daughter, Olive Ann, returned Monday to their home at Middle River after visiting over Sunday with friends and relatives.

Mrs. R. T. Dalager and son, visited between trains at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fellman, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanson and S. T. Espeland were at Thief River Falls between trains Friday. The above named appeared before Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren who conducted a hearing for petitions of naturalization as citizens of the United States.

Christ Peterson, former resident of St. Hilaire, now residing at Thief River Falls, transacted business here on Monday, returning to his home on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. G. W. Shearer was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. G. W. Hooper returned Tuesday after a two weeks' visit with relatives at Madison, Wis.

The Misses Ragna Loberg and Olga Swenson shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Miss Rose Ekstrom, who has undergone an operation at the Crookston hospital, returned home Tuesday morning, accompanied by her mother and sister, Cora.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge are the happy parents of a baby girl, born on Saturday last at the R. L. Hauge home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter returned Tuesday after an extended visit with relatives in Southern Minnesota and Iowa.

The Red Cross classes in home nursing and care of the sick, which were to begin on Monday, have been postponed until the arrival of the Red Cross nurse, who is to conduct classes.

Community Club Meeting.

On last Friday evening the members of the Community club met in the school assembly hall. The following program was rendered:

Community singing led by Jas. A. Dahl.

Talk on "Home Nursing," by Dr. Bjerken.

Reading by Miss Elizabeth Johnson.

Music—Saxaphone selections by Oscar and Ruth Gigstad.

Talk by Miss Knutson, county nurse.

After the program election of officers took place and the following named were elected for the year: President, Ed. A. Aubol; secretary, Selma O. Hoff; Treasurer, Mrs. O. Gunstad; directors, A. J. Hed, O. L. Larson and Henry Blaska. A delicious lunch was served by the domestic science girls under the supervision of Miss Lilly Johnson.

ERIE

Gust A. Iverson trapped a large female wolf on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baird and Bessie Hegland were callers at H. A. Dahlen's on Friday evening.

Bjorgo Bjornaraa of Wanke visited at Tharaldson's on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Rockne visited her family in Goodridge from Friday evening to Sunday evening.

Opal Tharaldson is home from Thief River Falls where she has been employed.

A dance was given in the Erie hall on Saturday evening and was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust A. Iverson and children visited with Mrs. Iverson's parents near Rhoda, from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. B. Danielson and son Daniel and Thelma Hovet were guests at the Tharaldson home on Sunday.

Rev. Lats of Goodridge conducted English services in the Erie church on Sunday forenoon and Rev. Hanson also of Goodridge, preached in Norwegian in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sjulestad had their baby christened Robert Gunvald, on Sunday afternoon.

The Henry Tommerdahl family visited at Ben Rindahl's near Neptune last Sunday.

The Dahlen family called at the N. P. Larson home on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Anna Froiland, teacher in Dist. No. 56, is again ill and had to discontinue her school work.

Henry Tommerdahl drove to Thief River Falls on Monday with a wolf.

GOODRIDGE

Community Meeting.

The Community meeting held Friday evening was a success in every respect. A special car on the electric line came out from Thief River Falls with the speakers and about twenty-five Thief River Falls people. These when added to the large crowd from the surrounding country and town made it one of the largest meetings ever held here. The program opened with two selections by the Goodridge band; address by B. T. Scott, secretary of Holstein Freshian Ass'n.; selections by band; address by W. A. McKerrow; song by Girls' Glee club. A short business meeting followed. The secretary's report was read by M. G. Thorson. Election of officers was next in order and resulted in all being re-elected as follows: President, Stuart McLeod; vice-president, N. H. Dahl; secretary-treasurer, M. G. Thorson. A committee on resolutions was appointed to report at next meeting. The evening closed with a big free lunch for all.

School Notes.

The girls in the cooking class are to entertain the faculty Wednesday at a breakfast. The menu will be as follows: Grape fruit, cream cereal with bananas and cream, baked egg on toast, bacon, rice griddle cakes, jell, muffins, coffee. The following girls are in the cooking class this year: Emma Gilbertson, Gertrude Anderson, Grace Day, Edith Schie, Hazel Hakes, Jennie Krochek, Vivian Thorson, Luella Urdahl.

Katherine Lang is improving very rapidly and expects to return to school next week.

The eighth grade pupils entertained the seventh grade Tuesday evening. Games were played, lunch served and a good time enjoyed by all.

Gives Washington Party.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald and Miss Mildred Argall entertained Tuesday evening at a Washington party. Prizes were awarded to Miss Sarah Vaughan and Miss Ruby Jensen. Lunch was served. The following had the pleasure of the evening: Misses Theresa Giefer, Elenora Bauer, Sarah Vaughan, May Wildes, Ruby Jensen, Gladys Wilson and Messrs. B. O. Norby, Ted Tandberg, Harvey Ferdinandsen, John Nystal and Stuart McLeod.

Short Course Week.

The Farmers' Short Course starts next Monday, March 7th and will continue until Friday the 11th. There will be two sessions each day; in the forenoon at 10 o'clock and the afternoon at 1:30. The program for each day will be as follows;

Monday—"Farm Management," by Mr. Cavert.

Tuesday—"Live Stock," by Mr. Bauer.

Wednesday—"Poultry," by C. E. Brown.

Thursday—"Club Work."

Friday—"Soils," by Mr. Nesom.

These men are all from the University Extension Division, and the course is given free of charge to any who wish to attend. Ladies are welcome to come as well as men.

Mrs. O. S. Kirklie spent Wednesday in Thief River Falls shopping and visiting friends.

Mr. Hegstrom was in Thief River Falls Wednesday receiving medical treatment.

Mr. Houskie, state creamery inspector, was in town Wednesday.

George Johnson of Grygla was in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Gilbert Benson of Malcolm was in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Marshall Rase returned to Thief River Falls Wednesday, after several days' visit with home folks.

Gilbert Gunderson was in Thief River Falls on business Tuesday.

Miss Overum returned to Thief River Falls Tuesday, after spending the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Thorson spent Thursday in Thief River Falls visiting and shopping.

P. O. Tvedt attended to business in Thief River Falls Thursday.

A. W. Hanson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Dr. Froehlich returned to Thief River Falls Thursday evening, after spending the day in this vicinity.

Mr. Wilson of W. P. T. ranch returned to Thief River Falls Thursday, after several days' visit at the ranch.

Ludwig Larson went to Thief River Falls Friday to receive medical treatment.

Knute Dahle went to Thief River Falls Friday to attend to business.

Albert Wilkins was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday.

Nick Meyers attended to business in Thief River Falls Friday.

Jay Payne went to Thief River Falls Friday on business.

M. J. Lysbakken went to Thief River Falls Friday to attend to business matters.

Oscar Iverson and bride arrived on Friday morning from Grafton, N. D., and will visit relatives for two weeks.

Jake Einerson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Friday.

George Johnson of Grygla was in town Friday enroute home from Thief River Falls.

Ole Graver was in Thief River Falls Friday on business.

Andrew Sa[illegible] returned from Canby, Minn., Saturday where he went with the body of his mother for burial, two weeks ago.

Elmer Olson went to Plummer Saturday to spend Sunday with his wife who teaches school there. He returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Halverson were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

Henry Rockne attended to business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Habedank of Germantown were in town Saturday enroute home.

John Gangness returned Saturday from Thief River Falls where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Ted Tandberg spent the week end in Thief River Falls with relatives and friends.

L. P. Poppenhagen was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Prof. B. O. Norby spent the week-end in Thief River Falls.

The Misses Sena and Hilda Christenson were in Thief River Falls on Monday, shopping.

Mrs. Ellen Iverson and daughter were in Thief River Falls Monday on a shopping tour.

Wm. Gaylord was in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Knute Hagen was a business caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

John Roe of Benton Harbor, Mich., spent a few days as the guest of his cousin, Mrs. O. S. Kirklie.

Mrs. Karl Korstad and son Bobby of Highlanding was in town Monday enroute home, after several days' visit with relatives and friends in Thief River Falls.

T. Hammestvedt attended to business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Olson, Sunday, Feb. 27, a son.

Mrs. George Larson and children arrived Monday morning from Golden Valley, N. D., for an indefinite visit with relatives.

Mrs. Carl Edsoth and daughter Violet were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Mr. Evanstad returned to Thief River Falls Tuesday morning, after conducting a Yeoman meeting here on Monday.

Carl Narveson returned Tuesday morning from Bemidji where he has been in the woods for some time.

Nick Bundhund was in Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt went to Thief River Falls Tuesday morning.

Mrs. George Josephson was very pleasantly surprised at her home on Monday evening in honor of her birthday.

VIKING

Alexander Krohn made a trip to Thief River Falls the latter part of last week.

A masquerade was given at the Sandridge school last Thursday night. A good time was reported by all.

Gust Sustad and family were Sunday visitors at Chas. Peterson's.

Edward and Miss Quinlog were dinner guests at Hartvig Larson's on Sunday.

Meetings are held here this week. Beckman and Seagren from Minneapolis are the speakers.

A crowd of young people called at Brink's last Sunday afternoon.

Otto Sustad left for Thief River Falls last Saturday evening.

The Gust Anderson family entertained a number of young people on Saturday evening.

Will Erickson returned from Baudette last Friday where he has been employed.

Miss Agnes Tolslund made a trip to Warren Saturday.

Young Peoples' society was held at the church last Wednesday evening. A fairly good crowd attended.

Miss Edith Edwards, who is attending high school at Warren, spent the week-end with her folks here.

Miss Helga Quinlog called at Ed. Krohn's on Wednesday.

Gust Anderson called at Tangquists Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards visited at the Betts home Friday afternoon.

Oscar Anderson has been helping Egbert Malberg haul hay to town this past week.

Mrs. A. Brink and daughter Clara, called at Chas. Peterson's Monday afternoon.

The Tangquist girls spent Monday evening at the Henry Sustad home.

GERMANTOWN

Guests at the Stokkie home Wednesday evening were: Louise, Annie and Edwin Rosette and Susie Linwick.

Fred Larson called on Lawrence Nelson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl delightfully entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson spent last Thursday at the Limesand home.

Roy Olson spent the week end at the Henry Longevan home.

Mrs. Charles Strubble was a guest of Mrs. Henry Roller Friday.

Fred Larson and Lawrence Nelson were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller were Mavie callers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Boyce were guests at the Henry Longevan home Sunday.

Miss Mildred Nelson called at the Stokkie home last Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Sabo were dinner guests at the Betsy Stokkie home Sunday.

Clifford Roller visited with Albert Johnson on Sunday afternoon.

Fred Larson spent last Sunday afternoon with Anton Overby.

Emma Ristau delightfully entertained a number of her friends Sunday evening. The occasion was her birthday anniversary.

Louise and Anna Rosette called at the Ludvig Rosette home on Monday.

Marie Muldoon arrived home on Saturday from Thief River Falls and will visit at her parental home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hanson were guests at the Mons Linwick home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Strubble and children spent Sunday at the Emil Ristau home.

Anna Kotlan was a caller at the L. Bendickson home Sunday.

Albert Johnson returned home from Thief River Falls Saturday.

Della and Bessie Roller were guests of Susie Linwick one day last week.

Mrs. Betsy Stokkie visited at the Andrew Haggy home last Monday.

John Aandahl was a Thief River Falls caller Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Strubble was the guest of Mrs. Chester Boyce Saturday afternoon.

Henry and Hattie Klockman arrived home on Monday after an extended visit with relatives in Wisconsin and the southern part of Minnesota.

Mrs. Henry Roller was a caller at the Stokkie home one day last week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl called at the Martinus Johnson home on Monday.

USE OUR MILK OR CREAM

in your coffee. It will give it the much desired golden brown color. It will give food value to the coffee in proportion to the amount of milk or cream used. You need not use so much of our products, however, as you would of ordinary milk or cream. Ours is far, far richer.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

BUILDING MATERIAL
Prices *Must* Advance

Nothing is more certain that the bottem, particularly on lumber, has been reached. Manufacturers are now selling their stocks at less than the actual cost of production and this connot long continue. Indications are that there will be greater activity in building this spring than for many years and this will increase the demand with a corresponding increase in prices.

Supply Your Needs Before The Advance Comes

Just now we can quote bottom prices on practically everything in our yards. In many instances—dimension stuff, for one thing—we are asking less than the replacement cost will be thirty or sixty days from now.

There is a Reason For This State of Affairs

Lumber manufacturers and building material producers generally wish to see the spring start off with the intention of catching up on the country's delayed building program. They consider it good business to reduce prices to the lowest possible notch in order to get this work under way. Those who order early will therefore reap the advantage.

BUY YOURS TODAY

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

Our building experts will be glad to help you with your plans and in making selections of the proper materials. Years of experience has made these services invaluable—and they cost nothing.

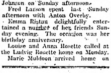
Sloan's Liniment (Pain's enemy)

is always ready to ease rheumatism

"AT the very first twinge, down comes my bottle of Sloan's; then quick relief, *without rubbing*, for it's stimulating and scatters congestion. The boys use it for stiff muscles, and it helps Sally's backaches, too." 35c, 70c, $1.40.

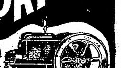
FARM ENGINE PRICES

1½ H.P.
$62.50

3 H.P. ... $107.50
6 H.P. ... 175.00
F. O. B. Factory

Fairbanks-Morse "Z" Farm Engines

Big reductions in prices have just been announced on "Z" engines. Remember that one or more of these engines on your farm will lighten your labor and help you get more work done.

The manufacturers have accepted their loss—we have accepted ours. You've been waiting for just this opportunity to buy at lower prices. Now you can do it.

Come in soon and let us show you the "Z" and prove the quality, design and workmanship, which convinced a lot of our farmer friends in this community that it is the one farm engine to buy.

Rambeck-Stone Company
208 Horace Ave. N.

REDUCED

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction, in Section 13, Township of Norden, 4 miles northwest of Thief River Falls, on

Thursday, March 10

at 10 o'clock A. M., the following described property:

8 HORSES
- 1 Team of bay geldings, 5 and 7 years old, weight 3100
- 1 Team of grays, gelding and mare coming 4 and 6 years, wt. 2800
- 1 Team of Sorrels, gelding and mare, coming 8 and 10 years, weight 2200
- 1 Gray mare age 7 yrs. wt. 1200
- 1 Bay horse age 14 yrs., wt. 1400
- 3 Chester White brood sows
- 26 Purebred Shropshire Ewes, to lamb about April 15
- 80 Plymouth Rock chickens

MACHINERY
- 1 Monitor 20 double disc drill
- 1 Emerson 14 inch gang plow
- 1 14-in. gang plow
- 1 5-section smoothing harrow
- 1 Spring tooth harrow
- 1 7-foot Fuller & Johnson disc harrow
- 1 16-in. walking plow
- 1 16-in. brush breaker
- 1 16-in. prairie breaker
- 1 Corn planter, about 70 rods of wire
- 2 Riding cultivators
- 2 Deering 5-foot mowers
- 1 10-foot hay rake
- 1 8-foot hay rake
- 1 Sweep rake
- 1 McCormick swinging stacker
- 1 Truck wagon, wooden wheels
- 1 Wagon, medium wheels
- 1 Tripple box
- 1 Covered rig
- 100 Cedar fence posts
- 175 rods 44 in. woven wire
- 1 Model 90 Overland car, just overhauled
- 1 Bell City 32 in. separator
- 1 Fordson tractor in good shape
- 1 Bull tractor, good as new
- 1 National manure spreader
- 1 Single buggy
- Seed corn, N. W. Dent
- 1000 Bu. good oats
- 1 Stove; 2 row feed mill
- 1 Bone grinder
- 200 Bu. of barley
- 1 Set light work harness
- 1 Pape ensilage cutter
- 1 Set light sleighs
- 2 Set heavy sleighs
- Other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Terms: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount approved bankable paper due November 1, 1921

Carsten Christensen, Owner

W. J. LaBREE Auctioneer. FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK, Clerk

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ROSEWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols were hosts at a pleasant evening soiree last Saturday at their home. Cards and music formed the evening's chief amusement and a delicate luncheon concluded a most happy evening. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Holm, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gull-[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum and [illegible] and Mrs. Dick Hall.

Simon Gullseth moved with his family to Middle River last Thursday where he has leased the Kirby farm three miles south of town. Mr. Gullseth's farm here will be occupied in the future by John Melucheck from New Prague, Minn., who is expected this week.

John Rafteseth will move into his new home on his farm north of town this week. Sigurd and Alfred Rafteseth will occupy the old buildings.

Rev. Geo. Larson conducted the Axel Axelson funeral at the Rindal cemetery last Tuesday. About one hundred persons were present. The following were the pall bearers: E. P. Johnson, John Hellquist, I. M. Westby, A. T. Thoreson, Even Anderson and T. Mellem.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck and sons, Lyle and Harold, were Sunday guests at the Chas Sagmoen home in town of Norden.

Rev. Geo. Larson conducted Sunday afternoon services at the Rindal church, returning to speak at the Zion church at Thief River Falls in the evening.

Edward Gullseth, a cousin of Anton Gullseth of this place, was in town last Saturday to visit and attend to business for the Jones Monumental Works of St. Cloud for which concern he is a traveling salesman.

The town election for New Solum will this year be held at the Prichard school house, about three miles northwest of town, on Tuesday, March 8.

L. L. Furan left on Monday evening for a week's stay with his parents located at Slayton.

Mrs. Martin Furan returned to her home at Slayton on Monday after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

The town board met at the office of Clerk Halvorson last Tuesday to consider the town's transactions during the past year.

John Sorenson was at Thief River Falls between trains last Monday to attend to business.

Mrs. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls was a Tuesday guest at the home of Mrs. Julia Axelson.

Mrs. Henry Carlson and son, Melvin, from Thief River Falls, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lappegaard, here.

Mrs. Carl Mellem and youngest daughter were at Viking a couple of days the first of the week visiting at the S. S. Nordgaard home.

Town Chairman E. A. Silverness and Olaf Ness spent Thursday at Warren attending to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, spent Tuesday here visiting at the J. E. Hellquist home.

Dave Mosbeck is visiting at the Abe Stroble home at Angus since Saturday.

Miss Bertha Remmem of Thief River Falls spent the first of the week as the guest with the Anton Gullseth family.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen and Miss Ella Nelson pleasantly entertained four friends at their home in town last Thursday evening. A dainty luncheon was served at 10 o'clock.

Ted. Jensen who is employed near Thief River Falls was a visitor at the Ted Thompson home, between trains last Thursday.

Mrs. Chas Halgrim left on Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Jim Rafteseth is local section foreman this week relieving Carl Stromberg who is receiving medical treatment from Sam Kirby, east of Thief River Falls.

Section Worker Martin Knutson spent a few days this week visiting with his family who are located at Radium.

Miss Pearl Mellem left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit with school friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Oleson and Mrs. H. Jacobson left for their home at Wannaska last Friday. They were accompanied as far as Thief River Falls by Miss Viola Axelson, who shopped and visited until Saturday.

Miss Lydia Batten, Central school teacher at Thief River Falls, is spending the week-end with her father, John Batten.

L. L. Furan and Mrs. Martin Furan are week-end guests with the Rudolph Sagmoen family at Anita.

There will be another Farmers club meeting at the Rosebank building next Friday evening, March 4.

The U. S. postal inspector was in town on Thursday afternoon looking over the post office activities.

There will be a Young Peoples society meeting at the Swedish church in town next Saturday evening, March 5. Also meetings at 10:30 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. on Sunday by Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking.

John Bloom was at Thief River Falls over last Thursday to attend to business matters and visit with his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Crown.

Soo Agent Jim Thompson was at Thief River Falls between trains last Thursday attending to business.

ESPLEE

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Turnbull visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Turnbull on Sunday.

Nels and Hakon Strand, Elsie Carlson and a number of others were pleasantly entertained at the G. J. Fundanet home on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Hoyum, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Sund visited at the P. P. Sund home on Sunday.

George M. Wilson left for Thief River Falls last week after spending a few days with relatives here.

Basil and Jesse Ballou transacted business in Grygla one day of last week.

Mrs. J. E. Ballou has been quite ill the past week, but is somewhat improved at this writing.

R. P. Turnbull transacted business in Esplee one day last week.

Allan Swanton called on friends in Esplee on Sunday.

Carl Hanson went to Hooks one day last week to get a load of oats ground.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Paul Sund on March 24. All are invited and welcome.

Ed. Kivle called on R. P. Turnbull one day last week.

John Carlson visited with R. P. Turnbull on Sunday.

The Board of Audit had a meeting at Carl Hanson's home on Tuesday.

The town of Esplee is holding the election on March 8th in the East Esplee schoolhouse, the purpose being the election of officers for the coming year.

Geo. Hook, having purchased the house on the O. H. Olson farm west of Esplee, moved same to Grygla on Monday by the aid of several men and teams and all went fine.

Kittel Haukaas was a caller in Esplee on Monday.

Hakon Strand came home on Saturday for a visit with home folks.

STEINER

Ole Berg was in town the latter part of the week.

Paul Kisch came up on the train Friday and is visiting with his sister.

J. A. Russell transacted business in Thief River Falls one day last week.

The Slack boys are busy cutting wood on the Copp farm.

Willis Warring helped Art. Simonson butcher, Thursday.

Harry Warner and wife are visiting at his brother's farm this week.

Vernon Malberg returned from the woods where he has been employed for the winter months.

Louie Meyers and Willis Warring visited at Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Emil Koglin returned home on Friday after a short stay in the woods.

A meeting of the Young Peoples society was held in the school house Saturday evening.

Harold Borg was at Thief River Falls last Friday where he attended to various matters.

Several persons from this community attended the Red River Valley conference held at the Swedish Lutheran church at Thief River Falls last Monday and Tuesday.

John Whitman drove to Steiner last Wednesday where he attended to business duties.

Peter Mellem, residing a couple of miles northeast of Rosewood, drove through this community last Friday enroute to Thief River Falls, where he spent the day on a business mission.

Victor Swanson of Silverton was a caller at the home of his uncle, C. A. Swanson of this place last Wednesday. He also hauled away some wheat that he had purchased from C. A. Swanson last fall.

Mrs. P. B. Malberg and daughter, Nina, were reported to have returned to their home here last week after having visited in the southeastern part of the state.

Charley Swanson spent Washington's Birthday at Thief River Falls visiting with friends and also attending the conference held at the Swedish Lutheran church at that place.

Mr. Sannes, residing on the former T. Ausland farm on the reservation, hauled hay which he purchased from a farmer in this vicinity.

Peter Mellem of Rosewood purchaser grain from C. A. Swanson of this place recently.

Miss Gutterud left for Thief River Falls on Monday where she will be employed.

NUMEDAL

Thure Blomberg returned home from Thief River Falls Monday last week where he has been serving as substitute mail carrier for several weeks.

Soren Knutson was busy hauling hay to Viking last week.

Miss Effie Joringdal left for Thief River Falls Thursday evening where she will be employed.

Thure and Edd Blomberg and Egbert Malberg were entertained at whist at the Olaf Larson home Friday evening.

Johnny Ronning was a Viking shopper Friday.

Edd Blomberg called on J. O. Ronning one day last week with another wolf which he had shot.

Elias Joringdal drove to Thief River Falls on Friday.

Hjalmer Blomberg left for Warren last week where he will assist his brother-in-law, Ingval Petterson, for a few days.

The Osness families were Sunday callers at the C. Knutson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Larson were Sunday visitors at the P. Bugge home.

Thure and Edd Blomberg and Melvin Joringdal were out on a wolf hunting expedition Sunday.

Joseph and Casper Osness called at the E. Joringdal home Saturday evening.

Andrew and Sigval Ordal and Peder Mossestad and Johnny Brating were Sunday evening callers at the J. A. Blomberg home.

Elias Joringdal and Erick Albue were Viking shoppers Saturday.

Oscar Olson called at the Blomberg home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal visited at the E. Albue home Sunday.

Halvor Olson drove to Thief River Falls Monday.

C. J. Johnson, who has been under the care of physicians at Thief River Falls for some time, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Soren Knutson visited at the J. A. Blomberg home Monday.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

GOLDEN VALLEY

William Murray made a two week's visit to Austin, Minn., on business and to visit relatives.

An epidemic of measles is going the rounds. The latest cases are Leslie Dahl, Willie Bernstein, Anna Johnson and Mary Waller.

Mrs. Leroy Bobster is on the sick list.

Arthur Tyson went to Holt Monday to get some dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Alban Dahl are the happy parents of a baby boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Flut Gilbert, on Feb. 25, a baby boy.

Vieda Tyson is working for Mrs. Olaf Dahl.

Mrs. Strand of Grygla is visiting at Mrs. Wendling's this week.

Frank Gilbert's family is sick with either smallpox or measles.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

Mrs. Geo. Williams, 412 Main Ave., N., Thief River Falls, says: "I used many remedies for kidney trouble and backache but had no permanent relief until I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Curtis Drug Store. This remedy not only cured my back but made me feel better in every way. I am only sorry that Doan's didn't come to my attention sooner."

OVER SEVEN YEARS LATER Mrs. Williams said: "During the past seven years Doan's Kidney Pills have done the work whenever I have used them for kidney weakness. I hold Doan's in the same high estimation as when I first endorsed them."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Williams had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

BETTER PRICE FOR CREAM IS QUOTED

Local Creamery Now Paying 53 Cents For Sweet Product; 50 Cents For Sour.

Cream prices have advanced the past week, Monday's quotations being 7 cents better than those of last Thursday. This is one of the most pronounced raises of the winter for so short a time and can be explained only on the score of increased demand.

Secretary Peter Engelstad has just issued his statement for the month of February and it averages up very well with the corresponding month in previous years. There are still quite a number where checks are above the $50 mark for the month, as will be seen by the following record:

P. Engelstad, $317.69; Hans Anton, $236.83; Jens Kierk, $236.13; Henry Koop, $177.34; Waldie Christensen, $168.65; Albert Johnson, $118.20; C. Christensen, $113.89; L. O. Stenseth, $101.70; Paul Engelstad, $100.23; R. Johnson, $99.11; S. Wiberg, $98.95; H. A. Matthees, $94.60; Fred Copp, $87.30; Christ Nelson, $84.39; H. C. Woolsen, $83.45; Henry Pope, $81.92; August Koglin, $80.61; R. Oen $76.47; A. C. Simonson, $72.98; E. Eidman, $71.91; C. Odegaard, $71.90; H. T. Waale, $68.53; J. P. Bennit, $65.61; O. B. Gunderson, $62.77; Palm Bros., $61.65; Ole Johnsrud, $59.95; Carl Mellem, $55.41; Will Smith, $53.58; S. Sorenson, $53.31; N. A. Nelson, $53.23; Willardson Bros., $52.81; Ole Droivold, $51.79; C. Belswenger, $51.70; Ole J. Dahl, $51.20.

Limited Quantity of Pure Seed Obtainable at College

The demand for pure seed grain is increasing, according to a bulletin sent out by the Northwest Agricultural Experiment station at Crookston, and each year the station receives orders for many times the quantity it can supply. To meet the demand, the production of purebred seed by growers who will grow their seed on clean, fertile land and sell their surplus grain for seed, will be encouraged.

The Northwest station has a limited quantity of pedigreed Ligowa (Minnesota No. 281) oats, Improved Manchuria (Minnesota No. 184) barley and Northwestern Dent (Minnesota No. 23) and Pearl Flint field corn, for sale to growers who wish to grow pure seed grain in 1921. Minnesota No. 281 is a variety of large, white, medium late oats, one of the highest yielders at the Crookston station, where it averaged 54.3 bushels to the acre. Minnesota No. 184 is a six-rowed variety of barley recommended for the Red River Valley. It yielded 30 bushels per acre in 1920.

The price for barley seed is $1.25 per bushel, oats $1.00 per bushel and all varieties of seed corn $3.50 per bushel, shelled and graded. All grain will be thoroughly cleaned at the Northwest elevator. Samples of any variety may be had upon application for the same sent to the experiment station. Applications for samples can also be made at the Pennington county Farm Bureau office in the city auditorium building at Thief River Falls, where County Agent J. J. McCann will furnish further information.

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Christ Mathson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ole Mathson, Mathilda Aldrich, Olga Christopherson, Bennie Gunderson, Clara Thompson, Martin Mathson and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of March, 1921 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of February, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

(Seal.)
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
f24-m3-10

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Eight Hundred [illegible] and 41-100 ($801.41) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, Mortgagors, to Goodridge State Bank, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 602, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The West Half (W½) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirteen (13), and the South Half (S½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Fourteen (14), all in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range numbered Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $504.44 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 25th, A. D. 1921.

GOODRIDGE STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MAREY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

WHEREAS, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anton J. Osen and Carrie M. Osen, his wife, mortgagors, to J. P. Jensen, mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of January, 1920 at 8:20 o'clock A. M. in Book 61 of Mortgages on Page 98, and

WHEREAS, The said J. P. Jensen, the mortgagee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Twenty-one and no-100 Dollars, as follows: The sum of $120.42 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and the sum of $100.58 thereof being the amount of principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) and the South Half of Northeast Quarter (S½ of NE¼) of Section No. Fourteen (14), all in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 12th day of March, 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $221.00, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, being statutory attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 26th, 1921.

J. P. JENSEN,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MAREY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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And get more genuine chewing satisfaction, when you use this class of tobacco.

This is because the full, rich, real tobacco taste lasts so long, you don't need a fresh chew nearly as often.

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"The disease I most dread is Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect it, and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You cannot mistake the symptoms: protracted coughing, worse at night; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; apparent suffocation after coughing.

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is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Will You Stick?

"This Farm Bureau thing costs too much," said a Nebraska merchant to several farmers gathered in his store. "County dues are all right, but putting up for a lot of state and national officers is different. You don't know how they'll spend your money."

"Let's see, don't retail merchants have both state and national organizations?" asked one farmer.

The merchant colored, but admitted they had. The farmer asked if he belonged to any of them.

"That's my business," sputtered the merchant.

"Yes, and I guess the Farm Bureau is my business," spoke up another farmer. "I hadn't joined it before, but I'm going to now. If a national organization is a good thing for merchants and bankers and manufacturers, it's a good thing for farmers, too."

This story has its lessons to farmers everywhere. There are some 400 national business men's organizations, all supported liberally, all doing effective work for their membership. Every big business has had a national organization except farming. Food speculators believe in organization for themselves, *but not for the farmers*. They hope you will quit the Farm Bureau.

Our advice to you is to stick to the Farm Bureau Federation. It is proceeding steadily and surely. It already has accomplished some fine results. It will accomplish many more if still more farmers get back of it and stay back of it. Take a tip from the members of the big national trade organizations—they are loyal.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Seven room house and five lots at 923 Horace avenue north. 8

FOR SALE—Two draft horses. Harry Woolson, Star route, City. 5

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 322 Horace avenue north. 4tf

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FOR RENT—Three room house at 125 Tindolph Ave. N. Apply to Mrs. Kitty Lane, Goodridge, Minn. 4p

FOR RENT—A furnished room in modern home. With or without board. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 4p

FOR RENT—A furnished room in modern home. Mrs. C. S. Sondreal, 422 Main Ave. N. 4p

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FOR RENT—Modern room at 212 Knight avenue north. 4

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NEW PRESIDENT ASSUMES POST AT NOON FRIDAY

Warren Gamaliel Harding Will Take Oath of Office as Nation's Chief Executive.

Ceremony Expected to Lack Much of Pomp Attending Innauguration in Past.

Now Certain That Hoover Will be Offered Portfolio as Secretary of Commerce.

At high noon tomorrow—Friday, March 4—or as near that hour as circumstances will permit, Warren G. Harding of Ohio will be sworn in as the twenty-ninth president of the United States. A few minutes previously Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts will have taken the vice president's oath. Much of the show and display attending previous innaugurations will be missing, this being at the express request of the new chief executive. As has been the custom in nearly all past innaugurations, Woodrow Wilson, who retires from the office of president after an incumbancy of eight years, will ride in the carriage with President Tarding on the trip from the capitol, where the oath will be administered, to the White House.

CALVIN COOLIDGE

WARREN G. HARDING

All doubts as to the cabinet appointments have been set at rest, these being as announced in the press during the past week. Following will be found short descriptions of the men who will occupy the limelight in the nation's affairs when the new administration takes over the reins of government:

The President.

Warren Gamaliel Harding was born near Corsica, Ohio, and was 55 years of age on Nov. 2. Graduating from Iberia college in 1881, he bought the Marion Star the same year and has continued as its publisher since that time. He was married in 1891 to Miss Florence King. Elected state senator in 1899 and re-elected in 1901. Elected United States senator in 1904. Appointed temporary chairman of Republican convention, in 1916. Nominated for the presidency on the tenth ballot at Chicago on June 12. Elected Nov. 2, 1920.

The Vice President.

Calvin Coolidge was born at Plymouth, Vermont, July 4, 1972. Graduate of Amherst college. Began political career as city councilman in 1899. Elected to state legislature in 1907. Elected mayor of Northhampton, Mass., in 1911. Elected to the state senate in 1913. Elected lieutenant governor in 1915. Elected governor in 1918 and re-elected in 1919. Nominated for vice president on the first ballot by Republican convention on June 12.

Secretary of State.

Charles Evans Hughes, of New York City. Jurist. Born Glenn Falls, N. Y. Age 58 years. University training. Practiced and taught law, New York, 1884-1900. Conducted Insurance Investigation, New York legislature, 1905-06. Governor of New York, 1907-08 and 1909-10. Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court, 1910-16. Republican nominee for President, 1916. Practiced law since in New York. Conducted government aircraft investigation, 1918.

Secretary of the Treasury.

Andrew William Mellon, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Banker. Born Pittsburgh, Pa. Age 65 years. University education. Entered banking business 1874. President, Mellon National Bank, 1902 to present. Active in industrial and financial developments in Western Pennsylvania. Trustee University of Pittsburgh and with brother founded Mellon Institute of Industrial Research. Identified with many charitable and welfare organizations.

Postmaster General.

William H. Hays, of Sullivan, Indiana. Lawyer. Born Sullivan, Ind. Age 41 years. Graduate Wabash college. Prominent in county, state and national Republican politics during last 20 years. Member law firm Hays & Hays. Bank director. Chairman of Republican National Committee since 1916. Mason. Presbyterian.

Secretary of Interior.

Albert Bacon Fall of Three Rivers, New Mexico. United States senator. Born Frankfort, Ky. Age 59 years. Educated in county schools. Worked as farmer, rancher, miner, lawyer. Served in New Mexico legislature and as Associate Justice, New Mexico Supreme Court. United States senator since 1912, present term expiring in 1923.

Secretary of Agriculture.

Henry Cantwell Wallace, of Des Moines, Iowa. Editor and publisher. Born Rock Island, Ill. Age 54 years. Collegiate education. Farmer and livestock breeder in Iowa, 1887-91. Editor, manager and publisher of farm publication, 1893 to present. Bank director. Member U. S. Live Stock Industry Committee. Secretary Corn Belt Meat Producers' association 14 years. Long interested in Young Men's Christian Association, being member of international committee. Mason.

Secretary of War.

John Wingate Weeks, of West Newton, Massachusetts. Banker. Born in Lancaster, N. H. Age 60 years. Graduate U. S. Naval Academy, 1881. U. S. Midshipman, 1881-83. Member of firm of bankers and brokers, Boston, 1888-1912. Member of congress, 1905-13. United States senator 1913-19. Candidate for Republican presidential nomination, 1916, receiving 105 votes. Served in Massachusetts naval brigade 10 years, and in Volunteer Navy during Spanish-American war.

Secretary of the Navy.

Charles Denby was born in Evansville, Ind., Feb. 18, 1870. His father was Charles Denby, later United States minister to China. Young Deny himself spent a number of years of his early manhood in that country. Studied law upon his return to the United States. Served on the gunboat Yosemite during the Spanish-American war as a third-class gunner's mate. Elected to state legislature in 1902. Elected to congress in 1904 and served two terms. Although 45 years of age and married when the world war broke out, he presented himself for enlistment at the recruiting office of the marines as a candidate for the ranks. Was sent to a training camp where his previous experience was of great value. Was made corporal and then sergeant, assisting in the training of 60,000 "devil dogs." Honorably discharged with a commission as lieutenant in 1918. Promoted to captain and later to major in the same year.

Attorney General.

Harry M. Daughtery, of Columbus, Ohio. Age 61 years. University education. Practiced law, Washington Courthouse, 1881-88. Elected state legislature in 1888, serving 5 years. Chairman state republican executive committee 1912, also twice chairman state republican central committee of Ohio. Campaign manager for Harding at Chicago convention.

Secretary of Labor.

James John Davis of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Labor leader. Born Tredegar, Wales. Age 47 years. Went to Pittsburgh with parents at age of 4 years. At 11 began work in steel mills, becoming a puddler. Removed to Elwood City, Ind., 1893. Held city and county offices there. Chose in 1906 to reorganize Loyal Order of Moose, of which he is now the head. Member of Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel workers, and always has been acting in union affairs.

Secretary of Commerce.

Herbert Clark Hoover, of Stanford University, California. Mining engineer. Born West Branch, Iowa. Age 46 years. University training. Wide experience in geological and mining enterprises, United States and abroad. Chairman American Relief Committee London, 1914-15; Relief in Belgium, 1915-18. U. S. Food Administrator, 1917-19. Honored and decorated by foreign nations for war services. Received 10½ votes Republican National Convention for presidential nominations. Near East Relief, 1920-21.

Read This Announcement and Act Quickly

All manufacturers and the trade papers say that prices of jewelry will not drop. They are right. Jewelry did not advance in price as compared with other goods and it cannot go down, because manufacturing costs have not dropped, and will not drop to any extent. But the public is looking for reductions. Almost every line of business is having reduction sales. We believe that it will help in the readjustment and pay in the long run to take a loss now.

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American Legion Corner

LEGION BOYS HOSTS TO EXCELSIOR TEAM AT PLEASANT SMOKER

Members of Visiting Quintet Spoke Highly of Treatment Accorded Them During Their Stay in the City.

The regular February meeting and smoker of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion was held at the Hotel Evelyn last Thursday evening immediately following the basket ball game between the Excelsior and the local Legion teams. The smoker was in the nature of a reception for the members of the two quints.

The short business session followed the serving of a buffet lunch at 11 o'clock, but little new business being brought up. President Oscar Smith's call for volunteers to visit ex-service men who are at present confined to the Physicians hospital here and Oakland Park sanatorium met with a hearty response, two Legionnaires being designated to call at the institutions during each week in March. It was also announced that "The Red Viper," an Americanization film drama would be shown at one of the picture show houses here on March 3 and 4 under the auspices of the Legion. Members were urged to assist the post in going over the top in regard to the payment of 1921 dues, which are somewhat in arrears.

E. R. Donovan, coach, and members of the Excelsior team which had met with defeat at the hands of the Legionnaire five earlier in the evening, when called to their feet by the chairman, voiced briefly but earnestly their appreciation of the hearty reception accorded them at their appearance on the basket ball field, the generous attitude of the assembled spectators and the entertainment provided them by the post. They also lauded the fast work of the Thief River Falls players. Several of the latter spoke approval of the clean game played by their adversaries.

Government Aid For Farr.

James E. Farr, son of J. F. Farr, left Thief River Falls on Friday for Minneapolis, where he will undergo an examination preliminary to extensive medical treatment under the supervision of federal specialists for injury received while in the naval service during the World war. While undergoing treatment he will also be placed in training by the Vocational Rehabilitation board.

The young man was one of the first to enlist from Thief River Falls shortly after the call early in 1917. After having been in the naval service but six months, he was engaged in making electrical repairs at the masthead of his ship, the Frederick, which was coaling in the Panama Canal zone, which struck by a coal bucket and hurled to the deck of the vessel 75 feet below. Severely injured, he was placed in the naval base hospital at Norfolk, Virginia, being subsequently discharged but never regaining perfect health.

Auxiliary Wins Esteem of All.

Mankato, Minn., March 1. In a statement issued today, Dr. Helen Hughes Heilscher, gave out a very encouraging report as to the progress made in organizing new Legion auxiliary units in Minnesota since she was elected chief of the new organization November 19th inst. She said: "There is no limit to the good which the American Legion Women's Auxiliary can do for America. Already, though functioning only a few months as a united state organization, our 165 units have won the respect and esteem of all good people because of their sincere efforts to care for our sick and disabled soldiers—but what has been done is as nothing compared to the good that awaits our doing in the lap of the future."

Start Organizing Auxiliary Units.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls and Miss Emma Holum of Barnesville, as members of the state executive committee of the Woman's Auxiliary to the American Legion, have started the organizing of auxiliary units throut the Ninth district and will continue the work until late during the summer season. Mrs. Bishop's activities will take in the northern half of the district and Miss Holum's the southern half, work at present being conducted by mail. The former named on Tuesday stated that present plans called for an extended tour of the villages and cities in her territory, during which she would speak at many meetings in localities where auxiliary posts to the Legion have not been formed.

Enters Emplacement Training.

Matt Quigley, who has been employed as night clerk at Hotel Evelyn for the past four months, left for Minneapolis on Friday evening where he will enter training fitting him for hotel management. He was awarded class 2 training by the traveling board of the government department for Vocational Rehabilitation when that board conducted a two-day hearing of disability claims here during the early part of February. Raymond McDonald of Wadena, who was employed by the Brumund hotel here five years ago, has assumed the duties of Mr. Quigley's former position.

Another Veteran Enters Training.

James Havel left Thief River Falls on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where he will enter Dunwoody Institute to take up a four year course, fitting his as a skilled linotype operator and machinist. A veteran of the 90th Division of the late A. E. F., he is at present suffering from a disability due to being wounded in action. He was awarded vocational training by the traveling board of the Federal Vocational Rehabilitation department when the traveling board convened here in February.

Save Your Periodicals.

The visiting committee of the Elmer Eklund post of the Legion has issued the request that residents of the community having perused magazines or other publications on hand leave them with Kenneth Wattam at the Shaw Insurance office. Such reading matter will find its way into the hands of ex-service men who are undergoing treatment at Oakland Park sanatorium or the Physicians hospital through the weekly visits of the committee.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.44
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.41
Oats	.30
Flax	1.51
Barley	.44
Rye	1.21
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.10
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.60
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.60
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.28
Dairy butter	.12
Creamery butter	.38
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	8-10
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	[illegible]
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.04-.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

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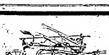

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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Historical Society
MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MERCHANT ASSN. ELECT PRICHARD NEW PRESIDENT

Building Material Dealer Chosen to Head Organization During the Coming Year.

New Board of Directors Previously Chosen at Banquet Given Last Evening.

Plan to Hold Weekly Round Table Discussions to Which Public Will be Invited.

At a meeting of the new directors of the Merchants association held this morning, W. W. Prichard, Jr., was elected president of the organization, Lars Larson first vice president, A. M. Langseth second vice president, Carl Christofferson treasurer, and G. Howard Smith secretary. The new board of directors were elected at a business meeting which followed a banquet supper and lecture held at the Hotel Evelyn on Wednesday evening. They are: E. O. Mogensen, H. O. Loken, Carl Christofferson, W. A. Hall, Jr., W. W. Prichard, Jr., A. M. Langseth, L. DeCremer, Lars Larson and G. Tessum.

Frank C. Payne, dean of the department of trade and industry of the University of Minnesota, delivered an address on "Business Cycles" immediately following the evening banquet of Wednesday. He dilated particularly upon the subject of science and scientific discoveries of recent years as applied to every-day business, a theme which met with the enthusiastic approval of all assembled to hear him.

It was decided at the business meeting which followed Mr. Payne's address, that the club would sponsor a series of evening round table discussions to be held on the average of once a week. A light lunch will possibly be an additional feature of these gatherings, which will be for the purpose of stimulating friendly public discussion on subjects which are of general interest to the community. It is suggested that such questions be approached somewhat in the nature of a debate.

LOCAL DEGREE STAFF INSTITUTES CAMP OF I.O.O.F. AT WARROAD

First Time Work Has Been Exemplified Away From Home Earns High Praise From Grand Officers and Candidates.

The degree team of Riverside Encampment No. 22, I. O. O. F., of this city went to Warroad on Friday for the purpose of assisting in the institution of an encampment in that village. Those making the trip were: Bert F. Umland, degree captain; F. C. Dablow, E. P. Burstad, John L. Gassow, V. F. Robarge, A. G. Gabrielson, Leonard Hanson, H. McMahon, R. F. Spencer, Carl F. Erickson, Ole Hedalen, Arthur Berg and Adolf Eklund. Roy Erickson of this city accompanied the team as a candidate and received the degrees along with the Warroad members.

The new encampment starts out with a membership of 42. Grand Scribe H. M. McDevitt of Minneapolis, and Past Grand Patriarch J. V. Dexter of Detroit, assisted by H. A. Levin of International Falls, deputy grand master-elect, and F. C. Dablow, district deputy grand master, of this city, conducted the instituting of the new encampment and installation of officers, after which the degree work was conferred on the new members.

The local encampment was just one year old when called upon to leave home for the purpose of conferring degrees, its establishment dating from March 2, 1920. The work was put on in a most creditable manner and elicited much favorable comment from the grand master and other officials. At the close of the ceremonies a fine banquet was served at Hotel Warroad.

The next meeting of Riverside encampment will be held on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, at which time the Royal Purple degree will be conferred.

FARM LAND BANKS UPHELD BY COURTS

New Loans to Farmers in 60 Days if Bonds Find Buyers.

Relief from credit stringency is in sight for Minnesota farmers as a result of a decision by the United States supreme court, holding the federal farm land bank law constitutional. Steps are being taken to market bonds authorized by the law, and raise money to loan farmers on long term mortgages. If the bonds can be sold, the federal land bank in St. Paul will be ready to handle new loans within the next 60 days, Paul Preus, treasurer of the bank, said in a statement issued in the absence of E. G. Quamme, president.

This bank, established to make loans to farmers in Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin and North Dakota, has made practically no new loans since October, 1919. A suit testing the constitutionality of the farm land bank law made it impossible for the banks of the system to sell their bonds and raise money to loan.

The St. Paul federal land bank hopes to realize enough money from the sale of bonds to relieve the rural credit stringency and enable farmers to get money on farm mortgages at reasonable rates.

"We need $2,000,000 a month," said Mr. Preus. "During the period when we were tied up, our normal loans would have amounted to about $35,000,000. From June, 1917, until we had to stop making loans, we gave credit to the amount of $44,430,000. What we can do now for the farmers of Minnesota depends entirely on the sale of bonds. If we can market them, we should be able to take care of the first loan applications in 60 days. We are very hopeful that we shall be able to raise enough money to relieve the rural credit situation to a considerable extent."

The supreme court decision also upheld the constitutionality of the law as it relates to joint stock land banks. Some of these banks already are receiving applications for loans.

NEW $40,000 HOME WILL HOUSE STAFF AT OAKLAND PARK

Structure Will Be Built During Coming Summer and Be Model of Its Kind.

The Oakland Park Sanatorium board at a meeting here on Wednesday took action which will result in the erection and equiping of a building to house the sanatorium staff early during the coming summer. The building will be of the same type as the sanatorium proper, two stories and full basement, the exterior to be done in tapestry brick. Complete and ready for occupancy it will cost in the neighborhood of $40,000. It will be located to the north and west of the main building overlooking the Red Lake river. The completion of such a building will increase the patient capacity by nine beds, present space being considered much too small as a large waiting list is necessary at all times. The construction work will be financed by a tax levy made for that purpose during 1920. The board of directors will meet again in a fortnight to approve plans and specifications, which are at present being drawn up by the firm of Sund & Dunham, Minneapolis architects.

Directors present at the meeting were, Donald Robertson of Argyle, G. I. Brandt of Greenbush, O. O. Lee of Oklee, K. O. Glgstad of St. Hilaire, Dr. O. F. Melby and P. O. Myrum of Thief River Falls. Mr. Dunham of the Minneapolis architectural firm was also present. Following the meeting members of the board adjourned to the Hotel Evelyn as the guests of the Merchants' association at that organization's banquet and lecture.

LARGER HOSPITAL URGENTLY NEEDED

Physicians in Charge Take Up Proposition of Doubling the Present Capacity.

At the annual meeting of the Physicians' Hospital association held here last Friday, plans were formulated for the enlargement of the present hospital by erecting a building identical with the present one as an "L" along the east side. This would more than double the capacity of the present building. It is hoped that the plans can be successfully carried out during this coming summer and fall as the additional facilities are badly needed.

The secretary's annual report submitted at the meeting shows the remarkable strides made in hospitalization during the year just past. Over $4,000 was paid out in salaries to professional and non-professional employees. The sum of $10,446 was paid out to local dealers for groceries and supplies; $1,409 additional was paid out for fuel. The total disbursements aggregated $22,277.44. The need of increased facilities and the growth of the institution are emphasized by the statement that 759 patients were admitted during the year, 530 of these requiring surgical treatment. This is an increase of more than 150 over the number of patients admitted for treatment during the year 1919. Fifty-one births are recorded as occurring at the hospital, in comparison with which the number of deaths was very small.

Officers elected for the ensuing year were: Dr. O. F. Melby, president; Dr. J. Biederman, vice president; Dr. H. W. Froehlich, secretary and Dr. A. J. Paulson, treasurer.

Devotional Services at Trinity Church April 5-7

Devotional meetings will be held at Trinity Lutheran church, April 5 to 7, beginning at 2:30 p. m. on the first-named date. Rev. A. N. Skogerbo of Erskine, formerly pastor of the Hauge Synod church in this city, will announce the Scripture passage for discussion—Titus 2, 11-19. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud, St. Hilaire, will introduce the topic. It is expected that the district president, Rev. I. T. Anstad, formerly of this city but now located at Detroit, will be present and deliver a sermon on an evening during the session. Prof. Aasgaard of Concordia seminary, has also promised to be on hand if he can so arrange his affairs as to make the trip possible.

COUNCIL MAKES SLIGHT CHANGE IN FIRST PLAN

LaBree Avenue South and Main Avenue North to be Surfaced Over 36 Feet Only.

Order Assessments Levied on Property Effected in Business Section.

Might Make Concessions to Opponents if All Objections Were to be Withdrawn.

The city council at its regular meeting of Tuesday night passed a resolution whereby City Clerk A. H. Akre with the assistance of engineers was instructed to levy assessments against property abbutting streets in the business section of the city which will be effected by the 1921 paving program. The levy will be made in accordance with the original contract entered into with the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, with but two exceptions of slight importance—LaBree Avenue south of First street and Main avenue north of Fourth street to be paved for a width of but 36 feet. Other minor changes were discussed but no action taken in that respect.

Members of the council stated that at a closed meeting of that body with a committee composed of five members of the opposition to the paving project as at present layed out, which was held on last Thursday afternoon, the city administrative body went on record as being willing to make concessions, providing the objectors would withdraw their pending suit. It was further stated that the opposing body has not as yet formulated a reply to the proposal.

Aside from routine matters, but one other subject was brought before the council on Tuesday night. A resolution was passed authorizing the extension of water mains and sewer laterals along Red Lake Boulevadr east of the Soo line tracks and along State avenue from Fourth to Sixth street, petitions for which have been made. The contracts will call for a total excavation of approximately ten blocks.

LOCAL ELKS ELECT FOR COMING YEAR

H. W. Protzeller Chosen Exalted Ruler—May Hold Installation in New Quarters.

At one of the best-attended meeting of the year of Thief River Falls Lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E., on Friday night elected officers for the ensuing year, the following being chosen: H. W. Protzeller, exalted ruler; L. G. Larsen, esteemed leading knight; G. W. Connell, esteemed loyal knight; John Brattrud, esteemed lecturing knight; T. J. Austad, secretary; F. H. Herrick, treasurer; Elmer Ohm, tyler; E. F. Dolan, delegate to national convention; J. W. Hendry, delegate to state convention; E. F. Dolan, alternate; C. Storholm, trustee, for three years.

After the newly elected officers had expressed their appreciation of the honor conferred, an excellent lunch was served by Julien Provencher of the Hotel Evelyn.

The Elks during the past year have made steady progress. It is claimed that the local lodge is the largest in the United States located in a city the size of Thief River Falls. Nearly every town in this section is represented in the membership, the territory from which material may be drawn extending to the Canadian border. The outgoing officers have made an excellent record and, as stated by Mr. Protzeller, it will be the intention of their successors to keep the good work going.

The work of putting the newly leased quarters in the Citizens Bank building in shape for taking over by the Elks is progressing rapidly and it is hoped that the new officers may be installed there. Whether or not this will be possible cannot definitely be stated at this time.

Vocational Squad Ending Work.

The "contact squad" of the Federal Board of Vocational Education began its final work in Minneapolis Monday after a six-weeks' tour of the principal cities in Minnesota. Approximately 300 former service men will have been examined for vocational training when the board completes its work here on March 9, according to C. A. Zuppan, in charge of the squad.

Grand Master Hohenstein Visits Odd Fellows Lodge

August Hohenstein of St. Paul, grand master of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, visited Lone Pine lodge in this city and delivered an address at the regular meeting on Tuesday evening. He was accompanied by Donald Robertson of Argyle, prominent in the work of the Oddfellows' lodge and an old friend of Thief River Falls and many of our citizens. The hall was filled to capacity and the speakers were listened to with marked attention.

Grand Master Hohenstein spoke particularly of the important work the lodge is doing in caring for the orphans, the aged and infirm, laying much stress upon the value to these of the Oddfellows' home at Northfield. He urged his hearers to support this institution to the utmost extent of their ability as more room will at once have to be provided in order to meet the demands. He said that the order was doing a wonderful work at the home and only regretted that it is impossible for each and every member of the lodge to pay the place a visit.

Mr. Robertson spoke in the same vein, recalling at the same time some of his early experiences with Oddfellowship at his old home town in Canada. His reference to early days in Thief River Falls greatly amused the crowd, particularly as several of the members present were parties to the incidents he described.

The first degree work of the order was brilliantly exemplified by the degree team and a fine lunch served to wind up a most enjoyable evening.

EXPECT TO START TRUCKING SERVICE EARLY THIS SPRING

Thief River Falls Will be Important Point on Route Covering This Section.

According to George Dixon and K. P. Caldwell, officials of the Motor Truck Express company of Grand Forks who addressed members of the Commercial club and business men of the city in assembly at the weekly club luncheon of last Thursday, daily motor truck freight and express service between Grand Forks, Crookston, Thief River Falls and other points, including Fisher, Gently, Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire, Steiner, Rosewood, Viking, Radium, oWarren, Alvarad and Oslo. Trucks will alternate as to direction over the route, leaving Grand Forks by way of Fisher one day and by way of Oslo the next. The temporary schedule will bring them to this city at or near noon. Additional trucks will be added to the line as business warrants.

Mr. Dixon, president of the company, stated that it had been formed only after a thorough investigation of truck lines and conditions throughout the United States. Two routes are to be established in North Dakota and one in Minnesota. Both of the officials cited advantages of the addition of one more reliable common carrier system in their brief talks, after which the subject was thrown open to discussion. It has been shown by the successful operation of other trucking lines that heavy packing is not required as is the case in regular freight or express shipments and that damage to goods shipped is much smaller. A great saving of time will be accomplished, it was also stated. The company does not aim to take the larger shipments and will pick up small lots of all descriptions, from cream cans to green vegetables, from farms all along the route. Detours over one mile will not be made for small shipments. The rates for hauling will be based upon the shortest route by road.

The Grand Forks company is asking nothing from the Thief River Falls merchants other than their cooperation, and from the sentiment of those who spoke at the meeting last Thursday, this co-operation will be forthcoming.

Minot Independents Next To Meet Legion Quintet

The city auditorium will be the scene of two more attempts to wrest the title "undefeated" from the American Legion basketball team when that strong organization of players clashes with the Minot Independents tonight and Friday night. The Minot men claim the North Dakota Independent Championship for 1920-21, having lost but one game to a North Dakota team and two games to Montana teams. They have not lost a series to any team played this year. The Eklund post bunch, as yet undefeated, have been gradually closing in on the more powerful teams and are looking forward to the toughest battles of the season in the two games to be played this week. At the hands of Coach Connell they have been put thru the most rigorous of work-outs since the game played with Company G of St. Paul last Saturday night and should show up tonight in the best of form.

The games are scheduled to start at 8:15.

The Minot Independents on Wednesday night defeated the Company I team of Crookston, 13 to 11.

Crookston Dress Club to Open Thief River Branch

M. E. Holbrook, proprietor of the Crookston Dress club, has leased the Smith building, corner Main avenue and First street and will open a modern cleaning establishment there on March 15. As will be seen by the advertisement appearing in another place in The Times today, Mr. Holbrook is making a special reduction on the work brought to the plant on that date as an introductory offer.

The Crookston Dress club has been doing business at the neighboring city for years and is regarded as one of the best establishments of its kind in this section of the state. They clean and press wearing apparel for men and women, employing only the latest and most improved methods in the process.

BANK DEPOSITS HERE SHOW NO SERIOUS SLUMP

Drop During Year of General Readjustment Totals Only About $300,000.

Loans and Discounts Reduced in Almost Exact Ratio With Deposits in City.

Situation Steadily Improving and Active Season is Looked Forward To.

Statements of condition of Thief River Falls banks do not indicate that there has been any serious depression in the section served by these institutions. The reports published last week prove that business has on the average been much better than in many other parts of the country, deposits having decreased but little in comparison with other places.

In the statement published at the beginning of the year 1920 the four Thief River Falls banks had deposits of $2,536,316.53. There was no call on the corresponding date of the present year and the figures at the close of business on Feb. 21 are here used. These show that the deposits in the same banks were at that time $2,215,057.95, decrease for the period of $315,258.58.

Showing is Unusual.

When it is remembered that many of the largest banking institutions in the country have reported losses in deposits aggregating from one-third to one-half of last year's total, the record made by our people must be considered remarkable. The difference is but little greater than might easily be the case during any normal period of the same length. This not only proves that withdrawals were not general but that business men and farmers managed to maintain their accounts at a point very little below the general average. Very few communities in any section of the country can boast a similar showing for the past six months.

Loans Near Stationary.

That loans were liquidated to a greater extent than generally supposed is indicated by the fact that these items foot up $93,236.44 less than at practically the same time in the previous year. This bears about the proper ratio to the decrease in deposits and proves that the main trouble was a slight letting down of business in all lines, as was the case all over the country.

Better Feeling Evident.

Bankers everywhere report a general loosening up of capital and are confident that the country is due for a business revival. Merchants are reporting increased sales in nearly all lines of commodities while there is a notable relaxing of the determination on the part of the public not to make purchases of any kind, no matter how badly these may be needed. While things may not resume their full sway in this section until after another crop has been harvested, there is every promise of an average summer season.

The Actual Figures.

Following is a comparison of the deposits and loans and discounts of the four city banks at the opening of the years indicated, according to the statements of condition submitted:

Deposits.	1921	1920
First National	$748,047.81	$821,680.03
Citizens State	740,081.01	762,558.03
Far. & Merch.	271,073.97	255,030.28
First & Peoples	454,451.16	696,025.20
Loans and Discounts.		
First National	$568,070.07	$652,898.05
Citizens State	725,868.72	675,761.87
Far. & Merch.	317,241.55	265,017.85
First & Peoples	446,678.37	518,160.98
Total	$2,058,452.31	$2,151,658.75

Bridge Question Prominent Feature of North Election

In the spring election for the town of North Jorgen Eide defeated T. O. Rynestad for town supervisor by a majority of 12 votes. Alfred Longren was voted in as clerk by a majority of four votes, the other contestant being Thos. H. Bjerke who has held the office for a number of terms. Walter Christianson was re-elected treasurer and G. K. Haave, assessor. The latter named has served in that capacity for the past 29 years. Andrew Holand was elected constable and Mr H. Ballingrud justice of the peace.

The main item of interest in the annual election was the question of repairing the wagon bridge over the Thief River east of the Soo round house and shops, which is said to be in a delapidated condition and unsafe for travel. It was voted to repair it at a cost not to exceed $4,000, the issue being won by a majority of but five votes. One hundred and one ballots were cast. Voters last year authorized the needed repairs but the town board did not proceed with the work.

U. C. T. Prepares For Big Meeting Saturday Night

What the entertainment committee hopes to make the biggest event in the history of the United Commercial Travelers Council No. 621 of Thief River Falls, will take place on Saturday evening, March 12, when the election of officers, initiation ceremonies and annual banquet will be held. Frank Tonskemper of Stillwater, grand senior counselor for this district, will be the guest of the council for the evening. The business session will be held in the Masonic hall, starting promptly at 8 o'clock. At its conclusion the assemblage will adjourn to the Hotel Evelyn, where an excellent banquet supper will be served.

The committee is making use of all available means to boost the attendance at both business meeting and banquet. A special invitation is being extended to visiting U. C. T. members.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the Commercial club rooms Monday, March 14. Mrs. Vance will lead in the discussion of current events and Mrs. G. Halvorson will render a vocal selection. The regular lesson to be taken up is No. 9, which has to do with city executives, city departments and city courts. The lesson will be in charge of Mrs. Richter. Another interesting feature of the meeting will be a report to be given by Mrs. Froehlich.

POULTRY FANCIERS SET USUAL DATES FOR ANNUAL SHOW

Elect New Officers and Decide to Make Bid For More Exhibits From Farms.

At the annual meeting of the Pennington County Poultry association held at the Farm Bureau office last Thursday afternoon, L. H. Lawrence was re-elected president; Olaf Neset, vice president; County Agent J. J. McCann, secretary, and H. L. Schuster, treasurer. L. A. Westphal, Charles Schnabel, F. B. Conklin, C. M. Buoen and C. D. Gustafson were elected directors. All officers and directors, with the exception of Mr. Westphal of St. Hilaire, and Mr. Schnabel of west Pennington county, are residents of Thief River Falls or vicinity.

Through action taken at the meeting, the show dates for 1921 will remain approximately the same as for 1920—the last week in November—but the exposition will be held over four days instead of three as in previous years. It is conceded that a three day session does not allow visitors sufficient time to see all of the prize winning birds, the judging of a necessity being done on the second day. A four day session will allow a day and a half for the spectators. The price of admission has been set at ten cents per single admission or twenty-five cents for a season ticket.

Judging will continue to be done by the score card method instead of by comparison, it was decided after a lengthy discussion. The accepted method shows where the bird is cut down in points for defects, while the comparison method merely lists the winners. By using the score cards poultry fanciers know where birds are deffective and are given a chance to later remedy the same.

Another important step which will make the 1921 show bigger than ever before, was the decision of the association to establish an open class and a farmers' class of exhibits. When the annual expositions were first inaugurated many farmers entered birds but during the more recent shows professional fanciers have been greatly in the majority and the smaller exhibitors practically eliminated. By the provision of two classes it is hoped to encourage the entrance of farm exhibits.

All poultry associations entitled to state aid, says N. E. Chapman, specialist of the agricultural extension service of the university, will be glad to know that there will be ample funds to pay all appropriations for the show season of 1920-21. However, a new appropriation bill must be passed by the present legislature if state aid is to be continued.

BONDING COMPANY DELAYS PAYMENTS

Sending First Installment of Paving Certificate Money Held Up For 30 Days.

Sixty thousand dollars, the first payment on Thief River Falls municipal paving certificates aggregating a quarter of a million dollars which were sold on Feb. 8th to the Capital Trust and Savings bank of St. Paul, failed to arrive at city banks on March 1, according to schedule. The contract entered into with that corporation carried a clause granting an extension of 30 days time in which to make the first payment and the financial institution is making use of that privilege.

Bonding conditions immediately following the sale of the paving certificates suffered a sharp depression and at the present time, in the opinion of financial experts, are still somewhat unsettled. City officials are confident that if interest rates become slightly more favorable, the purchasers of the bond issue will fulfill their contract to the letter and the first payment be received here within the next 30 days. It is also stated that the Capital Trust and Savings bank has not withheld payment because of the pending suit instituted by those who would stave off the paving for the present year.

Returns From the West.

John Linde returned last week from the Pacific coast where he had spent about two months. Among other places he visited at Los Angeles and Seattle. At the latter place he was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Chas. C. Lovall.

READY TO BEGIN BUILDING WORK ON WAREHOUSE

Standard Oil Company's Action Hinges on Disposition of Street Paving Matter.

Would Take Large Amount of Earth to Replace Sawdust That Must be Removed.

Claim Cost of Otherwise Securing Fill Would be Prohibitive at This Time.

H. H. Hathaway of Fargo, district manager for the Standard Oil company, while in Thief River Falls the forepart of the week, stated that in all probability a large plant and tanks of sufficient capacity to make this a main distributing point would be installed on the company's property along the Soo right-of-way east of Bridge street this coming season. The plans of the company he said, hinge entirely upon the successful carrying out of part or all of the city paving program, which would allow the filling in of the site with dirt made available by the grading of streets.

The trackage is located on the former saw mill property between the Soo tracks and the Red Lake river and is surfaced to a depth of several feet with sawdust, all of which it would be necessary to remove and replace with other earth. By paying the city for the few extra blocks of hauling, the over-burden taken from the streets could be secured at an attractive enough figure to make profitable the immediate erection of a plant of suitable size. Less than one-third of the surplus earth resulting from street gradings has been contracted for by the Elks' lodge for levelling property located at the foot of Third street near the river. The Standard Oil company to otherwise suitably prepare the site for building purposes and to secure the proper protection from fires, many of which have originated in the old saw dust heaps of the former mill property, would be oblidged to haul material from outside of the city limits, at a greatly increased, and possibly prohibitive, cost.

Mr. Hathaway gave as the only other alternative for his company, the "doubling up" on plants located at Crookston and East Grand Forks to a capacity sufficient to supply this and adjacent territory. The above named cities are making every effort to secure this enlargement of present facilities. The plant as proposed for Thief River Falls would employ 20 or 30 men the year around.

UNUSUAL FEATURES ARE SELECTED FOR NEXT COUNTY FAIR

Auto-Polo and Grand Pyrothecnic Display Included in Great Amusement Program.

Visitors at the Pennington county fair this coming fall will see a radical departure from the amusement programs of previous years and some of the most spectacular feats known to the circus or fair grounds of this country, according to contracts entered into at a meeting of the board of directors of the Pennington County Agricultural society held at the city auditorium on Saturday afternoon. Fully half a score of booking agents were present at the meeting and submitted amusement programs.

Heretofore the annual fair has occupied but three days. This year an additional day will be added, the fourth for the purpose of staging a gigantic auto race card, the appearance here of some of the world's fastest cars and cleverest drivers being already assured through contracts signed Saturday. One of the big attractions of the three regular fair days will be an afternoon and evening auto-polo game between All-American and All-British teams. This is one of the crowd-attracting events such as has been a part of the Minnesota state fair program for the last two or three years.

Fireworks have never before been made a part of the Pennington county fair program. The directors of the association, with the idea in mind of securing unusual attractions in this respect, have entered into a contract with the Thearle-Duffield pyrotechnical Display company for two of their most awe-inspiring sets, Pioneer Days and The Siege of the Dardanelles. The last named display is the same as shown at the Minnesota state fair last year by the above named company. It requires a large staff of experienced men in charge of an operator licensed by the U. S. government to fire the sets, which will conclude the performance of two days of the fair. Other attractions, including the world-famed Ferris sisters in their ferris wheel act, have been booked. The spectacular amusement program will extend over Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the first week in August.

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BILL INCREASES STATE AID FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

Measure Aims to Furnish Relief For Districts Now Heavily Burdened With Taxes.

Dr. Froehlich, President of Board, Explains Workings at Club Lunch Thursday.

Strong Approval of Measure Sent to Legislative Delegation From This District.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president of the board of education for District No. 18, following the noonday Commercial club luncheon last Thursday briefly outlined the effects and purposes of House File No. 144, which is known as the bill of the department of education. At the completion of his talk, the Commercial club passed a resolution heartily endorsing the proposed legislation, a copy of the resolution being forwarded to the chairman of the committee on education of the Senate and House of the 1921 Legislature, and to the representatives from this district.

George A. Selke, state inspector of schools, has prepared the following synopsis relative to the effects the passage of the bill would have on many districts in northern Minnesota:

State aid according to the proposed law shall be for the following purposes:

To assist in providing equal educational opportunities for all the children of the state.

To assist in establishing certain generally accepted minimum standards for all the public school of the state.

To stimulate educational progress by grants of state aid for superior efficiency and high standard and for desirable educational undertakings not yet generally established.

For Heavily Taxed Districts.

To provide for the maintenance of teacher training departments in high schools.

To assist school districts with high tax levy. To any school district whose tax levy for maintenance lies between 20 and 32 mills, the state shall pay as supplemental aid one-third of the excess above 20 mills. If the tax levy for maintenance exceeds 32 mills, then, in addition to the above amount, the state shall pay as supplemental aid one-half of such excess above 32 mills, provided that no school district shall receive supplemental aid equivalent to more than $200 for each elementary teacher employed and $250 for each high school or special teacher employed; provided further that the school districts maintaining only ungraded elementary schools, if a 20 mill tax levy does not raise the equivalent of $600 for each teacher employed for at least seven months during the school year, then the state board of education at its discretion may grant to such school district an amount, which together with the proceeds of a 20 mill tax levy, will give such school district the equivalent of $600 for each teacher employed as herein provided. Such state aid shall in no case exceed the equivalent of $200 for each such teacher employed, but shall be in addition to all other state aid including supplemental aid as otherwise provided in this section.

For Better Supervision.

The section which provides assistance to districts for the school attendance of isolated pupils is also of importance to Northern Minnesota. This provision will empower the state board of education to grant to school districts not to exceed $50 for the transportation or board of such school children of school age as reside beyond a reasonable walking distance from the nearest public school.

A special feature of the bill is the recognition of the need for more supervision of rural schools. The rural teachers of the state may be as conscientious, enthusiastic and ambitious as those of any other group, but they average less in maturity, experience and training. The following section provides for a more adequate supervisory force.

Supplementary Aids.

Aid for health work in the rural schools is also provided for. As planned in the bill each county may receive:

For one school nurse, one-half the salary but not to exceed $700 and one-half the necessary traveling expenses, but not to exceed $300.

For two school nurses, one-half the salary but not to exceed $1,400 and one-half the necessary traveling expenses, but not to exceed $400.

For three or more school nurses one-half the salaries, but not to exceed $2,000 and one-half the necessary traveling expenses, but not to exceed $500.

The county will also receive aid if a county librarian and if a director of physical training are employed.

Small Schools Helped.

The plan of the bill is not to increase the appropriations of the legislature for state aid, but to provide for new aids by decreasing the present flat aids approximately one-half and to distribute it in a way that will better serve the educational interests of the state. The so-called flat aid to ungraded elementary (rural) schools will thereby be $75 but provision is made for an additional aid of $125 for each superior ungraded elementary (rural) school that is maintained in accordance with the standards to be adopted by the state board. This will permit a one-teacher school to receive $200, $50 more than at present.

The proposed bill should not be judged by the application merely of one or two places as they apply locally, but in its entirety and with the entire state in mind. It is evident to any fairminded person who studies this bill that it does what it promises to do by providing more aid than is available under existing law for those districts whose tax levies are exceptionally high.

Red Cross Donates Million To Aid Starving Chinese

News that the American Red Cross has donated an even million dollars to the wretched victims of the terrible Chinese famine, this week stimulated the work of the Minnesota committee.

"The Greatest Mother in the World" has always been on the ground in times of catastrophes and the decision to make this record breaking contribution shows most graphically the dire need of the gaunt, hungry Chinese," according to John F. Downey, secretary of the Minnesota branch of the China Famine Relief Fund.

In a recent statement he said, that Minnesota was not contributing as liberally as many states. Donations will be received at state headquarters, 121 Chamber of Commerce, Minneapolis. Checks should be drawn in favor of E. W. Decker, treasurer, China Famine Fund.

The safe way is the save way; thrift stamps and savings stamps are permanently on sale at the postoffice.

FINAL SUMMONS TO LAST SURVIVOR OF GREIG'S ORCHESTRA

Magnus Thorson, Who Died Last Week, Also Friend and Associate of Ole Bull.

With the death here on March 2 of Magnus Waldemar Thoreson, passed the sole surviving member of the original Christiania, Norway, orchestra, directed by the world famous composer, Edward Grieg. The deceased was also a personal friend of the Norwegian violinist, Ole Bull, with whom he had often appeared in concert.

Magnus Thoreson, born in Christiania in the year 1847 of wealthy parentage, was given a thorough education in music, studying with the greatest masters of that period. Later estranged from his family because of a marriage contrary to their wishes, he resorted to a musical career as a means of livelihood. For 17 years and three months he played at the National theatre of his home city. He was at all times a greatly respected friend and musical advisor of King Oscar, and was frequently heard in chamber music in the royal palace at Stockholm. Though master of several musical instruments, he regarded the French horn as his favorite and it was as an artist upon this instrument that he became a member of Grieg's famous musical organization, in which he took a soloist part in the first rendition of "Peer Gynt" under the composer's direction. Mr. Thoreson often spoke of the difficulties encountered in the first playing of the score, which required eight hours time, and was subsequently cut down to its present length.

Upon coming to America over forty years ago, Magnus Thoreson appeared in orchestral work in practically all of the principal cities of the East and West. He was at one time a member of the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra, though more closely affiliated with the St. Louis Symphony orchestra, of which he was for several years a member.

His declining years have been spent in Thief River Falls. He did not retire from an active musical career until in 1918 and even in his most infirm days was frequently seen in musical circles.

Though failing in health since last fall, he was not confined to his bed until three or four days previous to his death, which came quietly at 10 p. m. last Tuesday. Heart failure is given as the cause. Rev. George Larson conducted funeral services from the Zion Lutheran church here Friday afternoon, many friends and music lovers from northwestern Minnesota assembling to honor the deceased. "Death of Aase" from the Peer Gynt suite, which he had favored from its birth and in the first rendition of which he took part, was played by Miss Ausilga Sorenson, violinist, and Miss Laura Forde, pianist, as a last tribute to the aged musician. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery. Deceased is survived by one son, Albert, of this city.

Miss Mildred Mousley returned yesterday morning from Seattle, Wash., where she had visited relatives during the winter months.

Death Comes Suddenly to Well Known Legislator

Leonard H. Nord of International Falls, senator from the district composed of Koochiching and Beltrami counties, died suddenly on Saturday as the result of an apoplectic stroke. The funeral took place on Monday, interment being at Lakewood cemetery.

Senator Nord was born in Norway in 1873, coming with his mother to America in 1881. He resided in Minneapolis until 1900 when he moved to International Falls. He was chairman of the state highway committee and one of the most effective workers for the Babcock highway amendment prior to last election.

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ANNOUNCING

The opening of a new dry cleaning establishment in Thief River Falls to be known as the

Thief River Dress Club

which will open for business Tuesday, March 15, at 102 Main Ave. South in the building formerly occupied by the Thief River Candy Co.

It Is Our Desire

to advertise our dry cleaning service to the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity as quickly as possible. This is best accomplished by placing a large amount of the finished work in the hands of the customers for their approval. We will therefore offer, FOR ONE DAY ONLY, Tuesday, March 15th, a SPECIAL REDUCTION on the two articles listed below:

Ladies' plain tailored serge suits, in all colors except white—
Reg. Price....................$2.25 ONE DAY ONLY $1.00
Men's 2 or 3 piece suits, Reg. price $2.00 ONE DAY ONLY $1.00

All other garments and also any repairing desired will be charged for at regular prices. Remember this reduction is for one day only. After that date, regular prices will prevail. We urge you to take advantage of this reduction as it is your opportunity to get the best there is in dry cleaning at a price much below the actual cost.

We Hope to Meet You on Our Opening Day

Thief River Dress Club

"Cleaners That Clean"

M. L. HOLBROOK, Proprietor

Thief River Falls Minnesota

Columbia Records

59c

We have hundreds of Columbia Records which have been put on the retired list and we are now going to dispose of these at the very low price of 59c.

These are all very good numbers in both instrumental and vocal. This sale lasts until April 1st only.

Thief River Music Co.

"The One Price House"

City News

Coats' spool cotton 5c—J. C. Penney Co. m10

George Larson left Saturday morning for Warren to spend the day on business.

Robt. Coutts of Fargo was a business caller in this city Friday and Saturday.

Karl Korstad of Highlanding left Monday afternoon for Crookston on a business trip.

Miss Het LeSage, who teaches near Hazel, spent the week-end here visiting her parents.

Miss Dorothy Martz of St. Hilaire, attended to shopping here on Saturday between trains.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and son, Raymond, of Goodridge were guests of friends here Friday.

H. B. Imsdahl returned to his home at Pitt on Friday morning after having been here for a day on business.

Lars Engelstad returned to this city Sunday morning from Fargo where he spent a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Gerda Mortenson, who teaches in the local schools, left Friday evening for Fosston to visit her parents over Sunday.

Miss Florence Aalberg, who teaches at Erskine, spent the week-end visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Trine Aalberg.

Miss Emma Brink returned to her home at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon after having spent a few days here visiting relatives.

Amanda Peterson, who resides near Hazel, returned the first of the week from Chicago, where she had been for a period of sixteen months.

Mrs. C. F. Nelson of Holt, arrived here Monday afternoon for a visit with her daughter, Miss Marie, who is employed at the hospital.

Miss Alice Thompson returned to Hazel, where she teaches school, on Monday morning, after spending the week-end with her folks here.

Miss Betsy Legvold returned to Hazel Monday morning to resume her teaching duties after spending Sunday at her parental home here.

Paul Engelstad left Monday evening for International Falls, where he will spend some time on business in connection with the Farm Bureau.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn arrived Friday evening from Viking for a brief visit with her daughters, Misses Myrtle and Violet, who attend the local high school.

Mrs. John Oftedahl left Sunday evening for St. Cloud where she will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Olaf T. Hanson, for a period of three weeks.

Mrs. Fred Leimers and two children left Monday morning for their home at Randeen after a visit at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers, here.

Miss Selma Strand arrived Friday evening from Trail and spent a few hours with friends, leaving on the flyer for Minot, N. D., to attend the funeral of a cousin.

Mrs. M. L. Swanson left Friday for the twin cities, where she will remain until her husband joins her later. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson will make Minneapolis their future home.

Miss Stella Stenvick left Thursday afternoon for Dasey, N. D., to visit for a couple of days before continuing to Minfor, same state, where she will teach a term of school.

Miss Violet McClelland of Lancaster, was in the city on Monday as the guest of her friend, Miss Ruth Mathews. She left in the afternoon for Moorhead where she is a student at the normal.

Miss Cecelia Peterson returned to this city Monday afternoon from her home at Roseau where she had spent a two weeks vacation. Miss Peterson is employed in the dry goods department at Loken's department store.

Miss Inga Sletten, who had spent a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ness in this city, left Monday afternoon for Crookston where she will be a guest of her brother before returning to her home in Canada.

Mrs. J. Bergland of Bemidji, who had spent a few days here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnson, left Friday morning for Strathcona, where she will visit with other friends before returning to her home.

Miss Adria LaFave, who visited for two weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. Simon Brennan, left Friday for Yakima, Wash., where she will reside in the future. She was accompanied as far as Detroit by Mrs. Brennan.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Engelstad returned Monday evening from a week's honeymoon spent in visiting with relatives at Rugby, N. D. They were accompanied on their return by the former's sister, Mrs. Ed. Hanson, who had also visited there.

Miss Grace Iverson left Saturday morning for Pembina, where she was the week-end guest of her brother and family. She returned to this city on Sunday evening. Her mother, who had been visiting at the above named place, arrived this morning for a stay with her daughter.

Miss Ellen Nelson, who is a student at the local high school, left Friday afternoon for her home at St. Hilaire, near which place she will engage in practise teaching for a period of two weeks. She will return to this city to resume her work in the normal department after the Easter vacation.

Roeland Thompson returned to his home at Hampton, Iowa, on Friday having spent about a week here looking after business matters. He is in the farm land game in the Iowa city, having on his lists a considerable amount of Pennington county acreage. He states that so far there has been no great demand for land in any section but that with the opening of spring and a more liberal credit policy there is certain to be a much greater interest developed in the comparatively cheap farms to be had in this section.

Coats' crochet thread 11c—J. C. Penney Co. m10

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Friday between trains.

Mrs. Martin Erickson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping in this city on Friday between trains.

C. E. Gordon left Sunday evening for the twin cities where he will visit friends for a few days.

B. Bendickson of Germantown attended to business matters here on Saturday between trains.

Mrs. Hilmer Aga left Thursday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit for a few days with her parents.

Bert G. Walker left this city on Tuesday morning for a brief visit of a business nature at Baudette.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and little son left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to visit friends for a few days.

Norman Dybvik left Saturday for Baudette, where he has accepted a position with the Baudette orchestra.

Miss Marie Nelson and Mrs. Anderson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith at Mavie, on Saturday.

Miss Anna Brokke returned to this city Monday morning from Minneapolis where she visited friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Lena Holstrom returned to St. Hilaire on Friday afternoon, having spent the time between trains attending to shopping.

The Crookston basket ball quint arrived Friday morning to meet the local high school quint at the auditorium in the evening.

Misses Gladys Maland and Lucille Blaska, who attend the local high school, spent the week-end with their parents, at St. Hilaire.

Carl Gulrud, employed at the Citizens State bank, left Sunday evening for the twin cities where he will spend a few days on business.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter of Red Lake Falls shopped in this city Friday between trains and also visited her sister, Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar.

Miss Rose Syverson, of the clerical force at Loken's, left Friday evening for a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

Miss Forbes and Miss Anderson, teachers in the St. Hilaire schools, were in the city on Saturday visiting friends and attending to shopping.

Miss Mabel Dalby, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ness, returned Thursday afternoon to her home at Felton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stensrud, who have been making this city their home for some time past, left Monday afternoon for Fargo, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Olson, who have been making this city their home for some time past, left last week for Spokane, Wash., where they will reside in the future.

Ed. Mireault, who had spent some time visiting his niece, Mrs. Ed. Hanson of this city, left Friday afternoon for Dorothy to spend an indefinite time visiting a nephew.

Miss Frances Holzknecht, who teaches at Angus, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Holzknecht over Sunday, returning to her duties Tuesday morning.

Miss Dorothy Loen, who teaches at Trail, spent Friday night here enroute to Radium to visit over Sunday with her parents. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Helen.

Miss Alice Lee passed through this city Friday evening enroute from her home at Gonvick to Trail, where she will teach school. Miss Lee is a graduate of the local high school.

Mrs. Karl Korstad of Highlanding who had visited friends here for some time, left the latter part of last week for Elbow Lake, where she will spend an indefinite period visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. G. F. Gray arrived here Monday evening from Winnipeg, where she had visited relatives, and was the guest of Mrs. W. K. Knight until the following afternoon when she returned to her home at Red Lake Falls.

Geo. Loken returned on Tuesday morning from Minneapolis where he had spent a period of two weeks on matters of business. Mrs. Loken, who accompanied him, stopped off at Alexandria where she will visit at the home of her parents before returning.

[illegible] —J. C. Penney Co. m10

Mrs. Wm. Olson and son, of St. Hilaire, were visitors and shoppers in this city on Monday.

John Hendry returned to this city on Sunday morning after a brief visit with his friend, Milden Borreen.

G. C. Streeter of the Peoples Auto company, made a business trip to Red Lake Falls the first of the week.

Miss Viola Carlson of Strandquist arrived here Friday evening for a week end visit with friends here.

Mrs. I. Elton returned to her home at Pinewood Tuesday morning after a brief visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Soltau.

Dr. and Mrs. Clark, of Greenbush were professional callers in this city on Monday. They returned to their home Tuesday morning.

Miss Lena Evenson has resumed her position with the M. N. Benson Co., after a vacation spent in the Twin Cities with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mathews and family of Orth, are in the city this week as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mathew.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hedlund are the happy parents of a 10½ lb. daughter born Tuesday morning, March 8. All born Tuesday morning, March 8.

A Anderson returned to his home at Crookston Saturday afternoon, having made a brief visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Miss Hattie Klockman of Germantown visited with friends in this city the latter part of last week. Miss Klockman was formerly employed here.

Mrs. C. E. Barden and little daughter Ardith, returned Tuesday morning from East Grand Forks where they were the guests of the former's parents.

Mrs. M. E. Larson, who had spent a few days in this city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. S. Struble, returned to her home at Fargo on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. H. Johnson returned to her home at Grand Forks Monday afternoon after having visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Halvorson in this city for a few days.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and son Clifford left last evening for Minneapolis where they will spend a few days visiting friends. While in the city, Mrs. Froehlich will be one of the guests at the banquet given by the Redpath-Vawter management, at the Radisson hotel.

H. F. Carlson of Warren, who has been soliciting Farm Bureau members thruout the eastern section of Pennington county during the past month, left Thief River Falls for Little Fork, Minnesota, on Monday, to assist in a membership drive to be conducted thruout Beltrami county.

It has been decided by the management of the Co-operative store to start a delivery service two days per week as follows: Every Wednesday, south and east and every Thursday, north and west. No orders taken after three o'clock. A charge of 10c will be made on all orders for less than $2.00. M10

Mrs. C. A. Nason and Mrs. Robt. Vance will leave this evening for Minneapolis and St. Paul where they will spend a week visiting with friends and relatives, and also attend a banquet given by the Redpath-Vawter management on Friday evening at the Radisson hotel. Mrs. Vance will spend the greater share of her time at St. Paul with a niece who is ill.

M. L. Warner of Warren, who acted as captain of the Farm Bureau membership squad which conducted the Pennington county drive during last December, has received an appointment to the state organizing committee of the Minnesota Federation of Farm Bureaus. He was in Thief River Falls on Wednesday enroute for St. Paul to take up the duties of his new position.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, SE¼ of Section 8, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares.—C. P. Hrorby, Kratka.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

Penney Co. m10

B. Schlei of Viking spent Saturday in this city attending to matters of business.

K. O. Gigstad of St. Hilaire was in the city yesterday on matters of business.

Aug. Thune of Hazel was in the city on Monday attending to business matters and visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lewis of Grafton, N. D., visited with friends in the city the first of the week.

Miss Marie Folden arrived Monday evening from her home at Warren to visit friends here for a few days.

M. Skaug returned to his home at Newfolden yesterday after spending a day attending to business affairs.

Misses Ardell Lofstrom, Sylvia Shodin and Thora Nilson of Warren, were over Sunday visitors in this city.

A. E. Stromberg and H. F. Erickson of Warren were business callers in this city the latter part of last week.

Miss Gertrude Berg arrived here Monday evening from Alvarado and spent a couple of days as the guest of friends.

Frank Hanson of Viking visited with friends here on Saturday and Sunday, returning to his home Monday morning.

Mrs. J. Lewis and children of Middle River returned to their home on Monday morning after a brief visit with friends here.

Leon Mousley, who has been very ill with the mumps, is very much improved, a fact which his many friends will be glad to learn.

I. E. Quist returned to his home at Warren on Monday morning after visiting with relatives and friends in this city over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Funnel and children returned to their home at Glenwood Tuesday evening after a visit at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers.

Erick Holm of Roseau, who had been confined in the hospital at Warren for a period of eight weeks following an operation, arrived here on Tuesday evening and spent a few days as the guest of his niece, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, before returning to his home.

L. N. Pierce, high school principal, accompanied by Dreng Bjornaraa and Edward Fiterman, students who participated in the District Oratorial contest at McIntosh on Friday evening, returned to this city on Saturday. The latter who gave Patrick Henry's "Call to Arms," won first prize.

WANTED!

A Boy with a dog team at once.

LYCEUM THEATER

What Do We Mean ---Thrift!

Most of us have a hazy, indefinite idea as to the meaning of thrift. Thrift, is nothing more nor less than the use of good judgment in the spending of money.

Waste and extravagance are the enemies of thrift. Sensible spending and a savings account at the Citizens State Bank are enemies of waste and extravagance.

Citizens State Bank

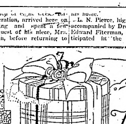
Spring Millinery

An Exceptional Showing

Our stock of Millinery is this spring the largest and most complete we have ever shown. It comprises all the latest and most approved designs found in the fashion centers and prices are the most reasonable that we have been able to quote for years.

Your Easter Hat

is here and awaits your approval. We shall be pleased if you will make an inspection of this unusual line and cordially invite the ladies of Thief River Falls and vicinity to pay our store a visit.

DALQUIST'S MILLINERY

That Air of Distinction in Miss Manhattan Suits

For the Easter Promenade

You notice at once that they are different from the usual ready-mades. The materials are excellent and the tailoring is the really exclusive sort which you associate with garments made to order.

It is the style, however, which makes Miss Manhattan Suits so unusually satisfactory. They possess a youthful smartness, a refinement which marks them at once as real New York fashions.

And because almost all American women look their very best in a suit, there are many styles, new and correct, for every type of figure. Manufacturers have contributed their best fabrics—designers have given their keenest ingenuity—and tailors have used their utmost skill, in producing this interesting display of new Spring wear.

It is a collection of wonderfully attractive and unusual modes that represent in a splendid manner the latest and best fashions for women.

We welcome you to view this display, knowing that in the many models shown you will see several that will gain your approval.

That the prices are reasonable and values exceptional are only added reasons for coming here before you decide upon your Spring wardrobe.

Loken Brothers

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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A GOOD SHOWING.

It has steadily been maintained that this section did not feel the recent period of financial depression as severely as other parts of the country, and the assertion is borne out by the condition of banks, particularly in Thief River Falls.

In spite of the fact that the past six months would normally have been a period of liquidation, the exact opposite has been the case. Farm loans have not been taken up and but little additional paper of this kind has been accepted by banks. The result is that the figures as they apply to this column of the statements are but little changed from a year ago. At the same time buying on the part of the public dropped off and this is reflected in the bank deposits. Business men simply did not take in the usual amount of money and consequently *had less to deposit.*

The effect of all this, however, has been felt less in Thief River Falls than in any other community in this section. This is proven by the bank statements. There has been a falling off of but $300,000 in deposits as compared with last year out of normal holdings of over two and a half millions. When it is recalled that the same statements showed large city banks with deposits reduced by one-third this is a surprising record and proves that there has been no great stringency in this immediate neighborhood. Even in normal times a difference of this kind might easily be found in bank statements a year apart.

Bankers say that there has been a marked improvement in the financial situation in the past two weeks. Money is easier and business appreciaby better. Merchants are reporting sales volumes are much greater than was the case a month ago and trade journals dealing with merchandising lines predict that from now on the upward trend will be steady and unbroken.

The situation was perhaps at no time as serious as many people thought, but it is highly gratifying to find proof of the fact that the troublesome period is passing, even though there appears to have been no very good reason for its having occurred at all.

THE NEXT BIG PROJECT.

It is stated that the new administration as well as a large majority of the members in both houses of congress are heartily in favor of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater project. Some opposition is to be expected from the Atlantic coast states, but this will be so insignificent when compared with the demands of the vast region benefitted that it will be drowned out.

River and canal improvements that would make it possible for ocean-going vessels to load at the docks of Duluth and Superior and deliver their cargoes at European points without breaking bulk or transhipment of any kind would mean more to the northern half of the United States than does the Panama canal.

The Minnesota and Dakota farmer may think that he is not very greatly interested in this proposition, but he is mistaken. It is stated that there would be a saving of about nine cents on every bushel of grain exported if the transfer to cars at Buffalo and the reloading onto vessels at tidewater could be eliminated. Liverpool is still the world's market for wheat and the price there controls everywhere. If the transportation charges could be cut it would mean either cheaper grain for Europe or higher prices for the Northwestern farmer. In case of the first-named result it would mean greater consumption and consequently greater demand with better prices inevitable. If there were no lowering of the price to the ultimate consumer there would be a greater share of the final price returned to the farmer by reason of the smaller cost of handling.

The subject is receiving a great deal of attention from officials and general public alike. It will without doubt be the next national project of unusual importance to be undertaken. Senators and representatives from Northwestern, Central and Western states are doing their utmost to bring the matter to a point where it will be seriously taken up at Washington and in this it is understood that they have the backing of President Harding and men high in the councils of the administration. The general public can help very materially by letting their representatives know they realize the importance of the movement and that they are behind any action that will speed the work along.

AFTER PEAT FACTS.

Minnesota has 7,000,000 acres of peat lands, and, in order to make the best use of them, has set the soil specialists of the Minnesota Experiment Station, under Dr. F. J. Alway, to work to dig into the bogs and to dig out the facts. And Dr. Alway and his staff are making progress. They have just issued Minnesota experiment station bulletin 194, which gives a report of the work done on the Golden Valley peat experiment fields for 1918 and 1919, fields which are typical of high-lime, grass and sedge-covered bogs of northwestern Minnesota. This report among other things, says:

Owing to a lack of available phosphate the fields proved extremely unproductive when treated like ordinary mineral soils.

But good yields of the crops adapted to the region were obtained when phosphates either in the form of farm manure or commercial fertilizer were supplied.

Lime was found to be abundant and potash was found in sufficient quantities to meet immediate needs.

The most promising crops seem to be flax as a first crop; then oats, winter rye, and field peas.

The danger of summer frosts, the possible early exhaustion of potash, and the good growth of grasses and clovers point to the production of milk, beef, mutton and wool as the most promising use to make of such peat soils.

But farmers are cautioned against extensive operations and settlers against occupying peat lands until the reclamation problems involved are more fully worked out.

Copies of the bulletin may be had without expense by writing to the Office of Publications, University Farm, St. Paul.

A DANGEROUS PRACTICE.

Again Superintendent W. A. Barnard *of the Soo railway finds it necessary* to call the attention of school authorities and parents to the danger of permitting pupils to walk along the company's tracks on their way to school. Particularly does he request that every effort be made to prevent their using the railroad bridge to effect a shortcut.

When the extent to which the tracks and bridges of this company are utilized by children is taken into consideration, the fact that there has never been a serious accident is a high compliment to the care exercised by officials and employes of the railroad. That attention is now called to to matter is proof that careless practices have become so common that as a matter of self-protection as well as to sound a warning the road officials find it necessary thus to instist that restrictive measures be taken.

It is absolutely necessary that a large number of our people cross the Soo tracks in order to reach the business portion of the city. This applies also to children attending the high school or junior high. At the regular crossings there is little danger as the tracks can be seen for considerable distances in each direction. It is when the tracks are employed as highways and the railroad bridge used instead of the wagon bridge that trouble is invited. The saving in time is very slight in any event and in no manner compensates for the extra risk taken. Parents and teachers should point out the danger of the practice and assist the company in putting a stop to it.

GO GET A REPUTATION.

Stephen Messenger: "Stephen is still negotiating for a game with the Thief River Falls team, but no arrangements have as yet been made. Thief River Falls, as usual, lays claim to the state championship, but apparently are not disposed to try conclusions with Stephen. They undoubtedly feel that Stephen's record of but one defeat in eight seasons of play is of no consequence in settling a championship dispute, and their views are strengthened, possibly, by the fact that during this period Thief River Falls quints have been among those forced to admit the superiority of Stephen aggregations. The locals have repeatedly asked for games with the championship claimants, and have offered to play Thief River Falls at any time on any floor they may select, their only stipulation being that if the game is played at Thief River Falls a return game be played at Stephen later."

How do they get that way—who have they played this season that would warrant their stepping into the same class with the Thief River Falls Legionnaires? They talk something like Greenbush did—until the locals journeyed up with several of the second string men and staged a comedy for assembled fans. Of course everyone can realize that a game between the championship claimants and the Stephen five played at Stephen would prove a money maker—for Stephen. Sit tight, Stephen, and hang onto the laurels you already have, we can't be bothered with so many petty claims and our boys have been eating raw meat in preparation for some real games.

EFFERVESCENCE.

Modern inventions will also assist the course of true love in running a little more smoothly. A quarter-in-the-slot arrangement to electric meters having been perfected, the modern swain in calling on his lady fair will, during th course of the evening, proceed to match the family for all the quarters in the house and then sit tight and await developments.

Premier Briand of France on Monday said: "If America were to take the position now for right and justice that she took during the war, we would be able to arrange the future easily." Subtle words, indeed.

A brave little fly up and bit W. B. Leeds, Jr., son of the American "tin plate king," unmindful of the fact that the young gentleman possesses a fortune estimated at $30,000,000.

A rich Iowa farmer just recently finished hanging himself. A period of insanity, caused by trying to dope out his Income tax, is thought to be responsible for the act.

During the past fortnight the White House liquor and the presidential inauguration vied for supremacy in the press reports. They played to a draw.

If California fruit growers have their way, persons wishing to eat raisins as a cure for pimple crops will be required to get a doctor's prescription.

Citizen Woodrow Wilson may now file a compensation claim against the Federal government for disability incurred while in the service.

Oolai says he thinks the craze that is sweeping the country will die down now that the Limerick mayor has been assassinated.

Conditions under the new administration have not improved.

Get your spring whiskey early.

Have at Hand the Power That Insures Prosperity

The manufacturer starts the endless chain of business. He produces. The wholesale house or the jobber, takes his products and passes them *on to the retailer.*

It is the business of the retailer to sell them to the consumer. Now it is a comparatively easy matter for the manufacturer to get in touch with the wholesaler, and for the wholesaler to reach the retailer. It is quite a different and more difficult matter for the latter to reach the hundreds or thousands of his customers.

The manufacturer may sell his entire output to one or half a dozen men. The wholesaler does business with only one to half a dozen men in each town.

Even the smallest retailer must deal with many more people than the manufacturers and the wholesalers combined.

In reality the retailer is the most important factor in this business world. If he cannot sell his goods, the wholesaler would soon be out of orders, and the manufacturer would have to shut up shop.

What is the magnet that will draw trade for the retailer? Every progressive and prosperous merchant knows the answer: Advertising, backed by honest methods and reliable merchandise.

That is the correct answer. The progressive merchant will also tell you that the best medium of advertising, the most efficient and the most economical, is the newspaper. In cities it is the daily newspaper. In the smaller communities it is the weekly paper.

It is the advertised article that sells. It is the advertised article that becomes almost a household word in every home in the land, and when the consumer reads in his home paper that his home merchant has in stock this well known article, it is like meeting an old friend.

He wants that article, because he had heard about it, has read about it and knows that it must be the real goods, to maintain its popularity.

The shrewd retailer knows that it will be much easier to sell a well known, standardized article, than it is one unknown, as its merits have been firmly established.

Advertising is the lubricant that makes this endless chain of business prosperity run smoothly. Business is a good deal like the house that Jack built. The manufacturer makes, the wholesaler wholesales, the retailer retails—when he advertises—and the retailer orders more goods from the wholesaler, and the wholesaler passes the orders back to the manufacturer. Thus the wheels of industry go round, labor is employed, money is put in circulation, and the consumer gets a reliable article, that he wants. Everybody profits, and is well served.

Let the retailer stop advertising and the consumer will stop buying. This blocks the whole machinery, and we have a slump in business. The retailer, the wholesaler and the manufacturer lose their profits, labor loses wages, and then we have hard times.

And all for the want of a little judicious advertising. If every retail merchant in the country would start tomorrow to use advertising mixed with brains, he would start better business all over the land.

All it really needs to start every line of industry to give employment to labor, to make business hum from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the Great Lakes to the Gulf, is for the people of this country to buy the things they need.

They will buy when merchants do the right kind of advertising.

Do you know why it's toasted

To seal in the delicious Burley tobacco flavor.

LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE

NEW SPRING HEADWEAR FOR MEN

John B. Stetson Hats

Our stock of these famous hats is most complete. All new shades and shapes.

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Everybody Admires Good Clothes

Of Course everyone admires good clothes, such as we offer you. The models are the new spring, single and double breasted styles; the fabrics are of better quality than formerly and include fancy and unfinished worsteds, tweeds and cassimeres. The prices for spring are much lower.

New Spring Suits and Overcoats

For Men and Young Men

at the new prices, exceptionally strong values at

$25 $30 $35

We are not afraid of having dissatisfied customers. Our $25 suit carries the same guarantee of service and satisfaction as our $45 suit. If you don't think so—money back or a new suit in place.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Spring Suits

are values unequable in this town. We will leave it to you.

$35 $40 $45

They are worth more than they cost because they give you continued service and satisfaction. We will be glad to show you the new styles and our striking values.

LIEBERMAN BROS.

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Responsibility.

Responsibility is the keystone upon which the successful operation of a business, large or small, the maintainence or order, and the amiable relations between people or countries, depends. It is a condition of being trusted at whatever task is being performed, of fulfilling any promises or contracts made, whatever the obstacles, and of having the confidence of all. The world could never advance were there not men who accept the duties of leadership and fulfill the obligations of such positions faithfully and scrupulously. In the thousand and one small matters arising for his attention daily, a man can be judged surely and accurately by the way he does the tasks assigned to him or carries out his promises. He can never find a place in the world where some measure of responsibility is not necessary, and if such a place were possible there would be no progress; but life would become simply an existence, without any aim or future, where one day would be just the same as its predecessor, and where no person could advance beyond any other. Since it is a law of nature to advance it is evident that responsibility is one of the greatest factors in our development and in the furtherance of our ambitions; and yet, in spite of these facts, there are some who continue to be laggards in work, who have no plans for the future and who disregard entirely the common courtesies of honesty and truthfulness. They cannot be trusted at any particular task allotted to them, their promise can never be sure of fulfillment, and it is obvious that such a course does not lead them to the finer things of life or guarantee the consummation of hopes for a better place in the estimation of their fellow-men.

We, who are students of high school, are here for a purpose, and that is to gain as much knowledge during the four years attendance as is possible. But are we working for that goal? Are we concentrating all our thoughts and abilities on that aim? There are many influences which would tend to deviate our minds from the path, where the greatest value for the time spent, might be obtained and it becomes necessary for us to guard against those influences in order that nothing shall hinder the attainment of our ideals. We are building the foundation of our future success or failure, and it remains for the individual to show whether or not he is worthy of the trust placed in him by parents, teachers and friends. If he is, there is no doubt that his goal, whatever it is, will be reached, that he will enjoy the good will of all with whom he comes in contact, and that these things combined will make him one of the favored men of the world. Let us profit through the example set by the truly great men of this and other ages, all of whom have been men who enjoyed the confidence of the masses, a confidence gained only by the most scrupulous attention to faithfully carrying out any and every condition agreed to.

Rev. Barackman Speaks.

Inauguration day was observed at the Lincoln high school by the singing of national hymns and talks by Supt. Ziegler and Rev. Barackman of this city.

Rev. Barackman spoke of the great significance of Inauguration day. We all realize that it is important because of the change of administration which takes place on that day, but few stop to consider the significance of the simple fact that we have an Inauguration day. That fact itself is a symbol of the greatness and advancement of our wonderful system of Democracy. Hitherto, and in the majority of the nations even at the present time, a change of rule has only followed the death of the past ruler, or a bloody revolution. Under our democratic system we simply invite the executive who has served his term to step out and invite a new man to take his place. This takes place without any disturbance, or even ill-feeling between the outgoing and the in-coming presidents. At the election last fall we invited Mr. Harding to be our chief executive and on March 4th he accepted our invitation, assuming a greater responsibility that that which rests on any other ruler in the world.

Rev. Barackman gave a striking example of how some of our common citizens rise so far above the rest, as do the men whom we elect to govern over us. When he was in New York City last summer, he saw in what is known as the "Whirl", a large, strong fish who had grabbed a smaller fish patiently work it around until he had it in a favorable position and then gently swallow it. People are like fish. A man may be either a big fish or a little fish. We differ from fish in that fish take, while we must give, and serve. The great men, who rise to the highest positions in the land, such as Washington, Lincoln and Wilson, are those who take the people into their hearts, and serve mankind to the utmost of their ability.

Supt. Ziegler spoke of the need for something that would serve to more closely unify the high school, and stimulate a deeper school loyalty. To this end, the school banners, which were taken down two years ago, will again be put up. In this way the red and blue will serve more as a common bond between the students of the Lincoln high and will draw them together in a greater and more manifest school spirit. A song contest will be held to see who can write the best and most original song, which we may have for our school song.

After Rev. Barackman's talk a booster meeting was held, for the basketball game at home, the girl's game at Holt and Fiterman's expedition to McIntosh. Several members of the faculty and student body were called upon for impromptu talks, and yells were given for our representatives in the various contests.

Faculty Members Entertain.

On Wednesday, March 2, during chapel period, appeared the first number of a series of entertainments to be given by the faculty. Mr. Pierce announced that on every Wednesday for the semester a member of the teaching staff would be responsible for a chapel program.

To the pleasure of the assembly a male quartet was introduced. It consisted of Supt. Ziegler, Albert Tommeraasen, Gordan Melby and Carl Sundahl, who is not a member of the faculty, but whose able assistance was procured for the occasion. Several well known selections were rendered by the quartet and Carl Sundahl favored us with two vocal solos, all of which were ably accompanied by Miss Popplitz on the piano. "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny," "Little Mother," and "Kentucky Babe," the main parts of the program, were rendered in an excellent manner and met the hearty favor and applause of the audience. Of the especially humorous and pleasing extra numbers may be mentioned, "Mary Had a Little Lamb" and "Silly Willy", which were received very favorably.

The program throughout was of a high standard and the entertainers are deserving of the best comments. It is anticipated that the following programs will be of the same pleasing nature and equally favorably received, although this first one will not be excelled without considerable difficulty.

Quints to Meet at Crookston.

The best eight basketball teams of this section of the state will assemble in Crookston with many supporters and boosters of the different teams, next Thursday, to compete in the district basketball tournament. This tournament is a preliminary to the contest for the state championship, which is to be held at Carleton college, Northfield.

The teams which are to compete in the district tournament are: Crookston, Erskine, Warren, Ada, Argyle, Fosston, McIntosh and Thief River Falls. All of these teams play an unusually good brand of basketball.

The tournament this year will be unusually interesting because the old rivals, Fosston and Thief River Falls, meet and a real battle is looked forward to. Supporters of both schools clai mtheir team to be the best.

The teams will be drawn Friday morning and the first game will be played at 10 o'clock. The remaining games will be played Friday afternoon and evening and Saturday afternoon. The championship game will be played Saturday evening at 8 or 8:30. All games will be played in the Crookston armory, March 11-12. Jackson of Crookston is the possible referee.

Holt Defeated.

Last Friday, the local girls' basketball team played a return game at Holt. The team went to Holt in cars and returned the same evening.

The first half of the game was very slow with a score of 10 to 2 in the locals' favor. The last half of the game was much faster and when the final whistle blew, the score was 23-2 in our favor.

After the game refreshments were served by the Holt girls at the high school. The lineup was as follows: Eileen Herron, center; Viola Lund, forward; Pearl Shetler, forward; Nora Lindquist, guard; Esther Hadrath, guard; Lucille McGinnity, sub guard.

Students Attend Lecture.

Last Friday afternoon the agricultural and cooking classes were excused from school and journeyed with their respective teachers to the auditorium where an interesting and educational lecture was given. Mr. B. D. Scott, secretary of state, spoke on the subject, "The Hostein Friesian Breeders' Association." That is one of the dairy breeds necessary for good dairying. The use of purebred sire is also essential.

Following Mr. Scott's speech, Mr. McKerrow gave an interesting talk on "Advertising for Dairy Products." The need for advertising is due to the fact that our exports have dropped to practically nothing. Our local consumption is less due to the increased use of butter substitutes. There is, said Mr. McKerrow, a general economy in the use of substitutes for milk. Dairying is necessary in our system of farming to maintain fertility and this will naturally lead to greater profits.

Sales can be greatly increased by advertising dairy products for: First, dairy products have many characteristics, which if the people knew, would cause more to be consumed. All essentials for life are contained in milk; they are: fat, sugar, protein mineral matter and vitamines. The last is lacking in most foods. Second, dairy products are more digestible than other foods. There is 30 per cent of protein in meat that is digestible and 60 per cent of protein in milk; therefore milk is more nourishing for the body.

Advertising has increased the sale of California fruit a great deal. The plan for the farmers is to join the creamery association with a national dairy council and they will take out one-tenth cent on the fat sold for the expense of advertising.

Forests and Forest Products.

(The following themes were written for Eng. II by Walter Olsen and Lorraync Crandall, respectively.)

Outside the foodstuffs, no other material is more generally used by human beings than the products of the forests. The most practical uses of wood are fuel, building material and furniture. Although much timber is grown in temperate climates, the source of all ornamental timber is in the tropical regions. The railroads and lumber companies, anxious to get the best material, own four-fifths of the timber areas of the United States. The value of timber destroyed yearly has hitherto been equal to our national debt, but the forest service has greatly reduced it by establishing guards and forest rangers. River bottoms and sand barrens, though containing poor soil generally, are covered by forests. Some of the principal kinds of lumber are pine, oak, maple and mahogany. Among the list of by-products obtained from wood are: sweet-gum, rubber, acids and dyes.

Music.

Music is a branch of the fine arts which relates to pleasant sounds, either vocal or instrumental. The piano, violin, flute and harp, all rendering beautiful music, are some of the instrumental pieces.

Of all these instruments the piano is probably the most common. People do not only play piano solos but also use the piano as an accompaniment for vocal and violin solos. If you can play a violin, flute or some other instrument you can very likely play a piano.

Why do we have music? It is true that many people do not care for it but to others it soothes their feelings, rests them and brings peace to the mind. Many people are brought together through music and it is said that the lullabies and hymns form the home ties.

Clinkers.

Love at first sight is usually a case of poor judgment.

Concentration is a key which too few care to fit to themselves.

Realization of what we are here for to many would be an education in itself.

"The more one loves, the more he suffers." We are watching you, Morris.

Brevity may be the soul of eloquence, but few realize it.

If we see many more red-headed geniuses in our high school we may be led to believe that red hair is a distinct mark of a born intellectual wizard.

Love your teacher—there is always a like reaction.

"Fat" would have had no argument with Shylock over a pound of flesh.

An ounce of concentration is worth a pound of blank stares.

High School Orchestra.

The high school orchestra, under the direction of H. S. Snyder, had its first practice last Thursday evening and made the showing that only a beginning orchestra can.

The orchestra which was organized by H. S. Synder, about two weeks ago, showed some musical enthusiasm when it underwent what may be termed the preliminary of the better music that will be rendered after a few more practice evenings. About twenty students were present and nearly all the various instruments were represented except the slide-trombone and the organization is very anxious that some one give this consideration and join the works with such an instrument. A few pieces were practiced and all that is now needed is a little brushing up on the part of the individual players to make a right crack orchestra and it surely will be adhered to under the able direction of Mr. Snyder.

The orchestra has enough pep to wake up most any school that is not affected with the sleeping sickness and no doubt will tend to liven things up a bit and create an atmosphere that is well worth while mingling in.

Normal Department.

Seventeen of the Normal girls will do rural practice teaching during the second and third weeks of March. The department will not return to "Normalery" until after Easter vacation.

On Saturday evening Feb. 28, Miss Perry entertained the Normal girls and a number of the rural teachers in the Normal department. Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler, Mr. Gunderson, Mr. Pierce and Miss Ober were also guests. The evening was spent very pleasantly in playing games and a delightful lunch was served at 10 o'clock.

Mary Wing, who has been absent for a few days, came back Wednesday. We are glad to see you back Mary.

Why the Editor Left Town.

The following article was taken from the Waukon Democrat:

"Somebody sent the editor of the Poketown Gazette a few bottles of home-brew. The same day he received for publication a wedding announcement and a notice of an auction sale. Here are the results: 'Will Smith and Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my farm one mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses on her breast and two white calves before a background of farm implements too numerous to mention in the presence of about seventy guests, including two milch cows, six mules and one bob sled. Rev. Jackson tied the nuptial knot with 200 feet of hay rope and the bridal couple left on one good John Deere gang plow for an extended trip with terms to suit purchasers. They will be at home to their friends with a few kitchen utensils after the ten months from the date of sale to responsible parties and some fifty chickens.' "

Personals.

Teacher: "How would you go about irrigating the Sahara desert?"

Bright Freshman: "Well I would plant some potatoes and water them until the potato vines had potatoes on them. Then I would plant some onions beside the potatoes and pretty soon the onions would make the potatoes eyes water and before long the whole desert would be irrigated."

Harold Smithers had full sway over the Journalism class last Friday during the absence of Mr. Pierce, the instructor, who was attending a declamatory and oratorical contest at McIntosh, where he was one of the judges.

Some people eventually are very modest when it comes to handing in their pictures for the "Prowler." They don't seem to favor publication of their faces, not even their enemies!

If the number of "lost books" ads found on the assembly black-boards continues to increase, it will be necessary to obtain additional bulletin boards for other notices.

A number of "Prowler" staff members spent Saturday afternoon mounting snap-shot pictures. It is rumored and is quite evident that it will be one of the "snappiest" annuals ever published and the Alumni are urged to subscribe now before the supply is exhausted.

The members of the "Prowler" staff will soon take a day of rest, as the annual is about ready for press.

A few members of the H. S. faculty seem to be spending considerable time in the "Gym" playing a little "rough and tumble" basketball. The student body is giving its imagination a thorough search as to who will be their victims.

Alexander Pope says: "A little learning is a dangerous thing; drink deep or taste not the Pierin Springs." Probably that's the reason that so many are absolute abstainers from this type of drink.

Even the weather prognosticators must have a scientific turn of mind in order that they may be able to interpret the many and varied atmospheric changes these days.

Bright student: "Drink to me only with thine eyes," is an elegy.

This is not an age of romanticism, but nevertheless even some of our high school students could be important characters of romantic love stories.

Effective method of stopping Fiterman's talking: Tell him to put his hands in his pockets.

Found on English IV paper: "Hawthorne wrote the 'Red Letter.' Possibly the writer was color-blind."

Phenomena of the day:

Edward F. got A in English IV test.

"Knute" doesn't argue.

Ernest Barzen comes to school on time.

Doc.: "Why is a senior like a submarine?"

Senior: "I don't know. Why is he?"

Doc.: "Because he is always below C. (sea)"

Miss Elliott: "The council had many pleas on their hands and—"

Curly (just waking up): "What, they had fleas on their hands?"

Ernest Zeh left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks, where he visited with friends over the week end.

Louis Kassa spent the week-end at his home in Goodridge.

Selma Newton returned to her school after spending a few days with her parents near Hazel.

Doc. Melby: "Have you seen Dotty Krafthifer?"

Bill H.: "No; why?"

Doc: "I'm looking for Lynn H."

Teacher in Modern History: "How did the Industrial Revolution affect Japan?"

Lydia D.: "After the Industrial Revolution the population increased."

Found on a Sophomore's Eng. paper; the lesson that day being a study of the balance sentence: "To play poker is human; to win, divine."

"Grammatically speaking." (By a Sophomore-un who nos.) Hes her kome? Did she went? Did her leve I awl alone? Us ken niver go to she. Her ken niver kom to wee. Oh! how kan it wes? (If you ken rite better English then thet, do it.)

Miss Elliott will be unable to conduct her classes for some time on account of being confined to her home with a case of chicken-pox.

If you haven't subscribed for the annual, be sure you get in your order before it is too late.

"If Morris Mabey knows so much about the poker quintet, we would like to know if he is a member."

Miss Swift: "Can you add anything in regard to what has been said about the constitution?"

Ruth H.: "I think that window is *too cold for my constitution.*"

"Doc." has been pretty lazy these last few days. His pupils have been washing bottles and window panes for him, but he has not had one scrub the floor for him before today.

Question: "Why is the mind of a Journalism student like a draft eyader?"

Answer: "It won't register."

Found on an English IV paper: "Washington Irving wrote, 'Rip Van Wrinkle.' Poe wrote, 'The Death of the Hymn.' "

Bill H.: "I bet you'll be surprised when you see my examination paper."

Miss Patrick: "What, did you know quite a bit?"

"What are the two worst diseases a person can have at one time?"

Doc.: "Two broken arms and the seven-year itch."

Thief River Falls Represented.

The Ninth Congressional Oratory and Declamation contest, staged at McIntosh, Friday, March 4th, resulted in the selection of Bemidji, Warren and Thief River Falls in oratory and Moorhead, Warren and Black Duck in declamation. The contest was unusually keen and marked a distinct development in the line of public speaking. An exceptionally large audience attended the contest, the business places being closed while the contest was being staged.

The high school feels confident that it will be well represented by Edward Fiterman in the state contest to be held at St. Paul, March 24th and extends its congratulations to Mr. Pierce, whose coaching has made Mr. Fiterman's victory possible.

Locals Defeat Crookston.

Crookston was defeated for the second time this season by the local high school team, Friday, March 4th at the auditorium in this city, by a score of 20 to 11.

Ralston seemed to be the star, making five of the ten field baskets. Larson played his usual good game but was unfortunate in shooting baskets. LaBree tossed the first basket in a few minutes after the game started. The close guarding of Herron and Sorenson gave the Crookston players few opportunities to shoot. Fossum made several good shots, but luck did not favor him in most cases. Both teams played a strong defensive game, but our boys showed a superiority in team work and greater skill in shooting baskets, managing to keep a few points ahead of their opponents throughout the game. At the end of the first half the score stood 5 to 8 in favor of Thief River Falls, but Crookston kept up their fighting spirit until the final whistle blew, in spite of the fact that our boys steadily gained on them. Both teams played a clean, fair and square game, holding the interest of the spectators through every minute of the game. The lineup follows:

Thief River Falls		Crookston
Larson	F	Hendricks
LaBree	F	Grundvold
Fossum	C	Espey
Sorenson	G	Hindahl
Herron	G	Burton

Summary: Field baskets, Thief River Falls, Ralston 5, Larson 3, Fossum 1, LaBree 1. Crookston: Grundvold 3, Hendricks 2. Fouls, Crookston, Grundvold 1. Substitutes, Thief River Falls, Ralston for LaBree and LaBree for Fossum, second quarter. Fossum for LaBree second half. Crookston, Thorn for Burton.

Coming.

The big faculty play, of which the time of presentation, the name and characters are still unknown by the public, is arousing a great deal of interest and curiosity among the students. So far, we have been able to learn only one fact concerning the *play and that is*, that some time in the near future the people of this city will have the opportunity to witness the clever presentation of a three-act comedy, given by certain talented members of the faculty.

We are looking forward to this event with even greater anticipation than our spring vacation and we are certain that we will not be disappointed, as this is to be one of the greatest attractions of the year.

Northrup News.

All pupils of the Northrup school had a Patriotic Sing on Wednesday, Feb. 23, it being National Song week, National songs were sung. Mr. Ziegler gave a short talk in conclusion.

Miss Nepper has been called to her home at Superior on account of the illness of her sister. Her place is being filled by Mrs. Skog.

The teachers of the Northrup school and a few of their friends celebrated Washington's birthday by having a party at the E. O. Mogensen home.

Miss Pelto entertained the Northrup teachers Friday, Feb. 25, at the Northrup school.

Monday, March 7th, the Normal Training girls started teaching in Misses Trogan, Pelto, Whipps, Adams and Sandum's rooms.

For last week Miss Pelto's room won the marching pennant for downstairs and Miss Sandum's *room the* third grade, won the pennant for the upstairs.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

BANK "JOBS" LEAD TO BIG THINGS

An astonishing number of stenographers and bookkeepers rise to high executive positions in banks, it is found. The Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., a leading commercial school, reports that 218 former pupils have become bank executives in North Dakota alone. The president, two directors and assistant cashier of one Fargo bank were trained there. So was J. L. Greitl, newly appointed cashier of the Merchants Bank of Napoleon, N. D.

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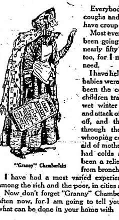

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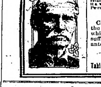

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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

County Agent J. J. McCann was in town Tuesday between trains.

Ted Tandberg and B. O. Norby attended the Choral Club concert in Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Zavoral returned Tuesday from Mahnomen where she has been visiting her daughter.

A. O. Aubol returned from Thief River Falls Tuesday, after spending the day there on business.

T. W. Hamm arrived Tuesday evening from Parkers Prairie with two emmigrant cars. Mr. Hamm is going on the A. T. Olson farm near Highlanding.

Mrs. Nick Bundhund and two children went to Germantown Wednesday returning home on Thursday.

C. H. Toomey arrived Tuesday from Sparland, Ill., with an emmigrant car and has moved onto the P. P. Palmer place west of town.

Mrs. George Larson went to Thief River Falls Tuesday evening, returning home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. O. S. Kirklie went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to have dental work done.

Mr. Neilson was in Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

P. O. Tvedt was in Thief River Falls on Thursday, having dental work done.

Ass't. County Agent Wm. McFetridge of Marshall county, was in town Thursday, enroute from Grygla to Thief River Falls.

M. G. Thorson was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

Mrs. Wm. Korstad and two children of Highlanding, left Thursday for Elbow Lake, where they will visit relatives.

Elmer Adolphsen, who has charge of the tearing down of the American Drainage Co. dredge that is being hauled to Thief River Falls, attended to business in the latter named place Thursday evening.

Eddie Halverson returned from Bemidji Thursday where he has been employed in a lumber camp.

Rev. Sabo of Mavie was in town Thursday visiting friends.

Arnold Bjerkholz of Minneapolis was in town Wednesday evening between trains.

Mrs. Carl Edseth returned from Thief River Falls Friday, after visiting friends for several days.

Miss Overum came home from Thief River Falls Friday to spend the week-end with relatives.

Miss Katherine Lang returned from Thief River Falls where she recently undergone an operation at the hospital. She is feeling fine and expects to start to school in another week.

Charles Voracheck of Thief River Falls was in town Friday between trains.

Carl Prucha returned Friday from Thief River Falls where he transacted business.

Mr. Carlson of Warren, who has been doing Farm Bureau work in this county, was in town Friday.

George Palmer left Saturday for Thief River Falls to visit relatives a few days.

Mrs. W. H. Crampton and children of Highlanding went to Thief River Falls Saturday morning to do some shopping.

Deputy Sheriff Bordewick of Marshall county, was in town Friday enroute to Thief River Falls.

J. R. Olson of Four Towns was in town Friday enroute to Thief River Falls on business.

Wm. Gaylord was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jensen and son Raymond were in Thief River Falls Friday.

Carl Christianson was a Thief River Falls business visitor Friday.

Misses Linda and Emma Gilbertson were in Thief River Falls Friday on a shopping tour.

Gilbert Benson of Malcolm returned from Thief River Falls Saturday morning.

Harry Halverson left Friday evening for Winger where he will visit relatives for some time.

Miss May V. Wildes went to Thief River Falls Saturday to consult a dentist.

D. A. Danielson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Morgan Christianson arrived last Saturday morning from Strathcona to spend the week-end at home. He returned on Monday morning.

George Johnson, agent for the Standard Oil company, was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Saturday.

John Nystal was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. Stevenson of Roosevelt, Minn., was in town Saturday morning, buying some hay.

George Wold left for Thief River Falls Tuesday morning.

Miss Ruby Jensen entertained a few of her friends Tuesday evening. The time was passed in conversation and needle-work, after which a dainty lunch was served. Those present were Misses Thelma and Guida Gilbertson, Mildred Argall and Gladys Wilson.

Owen Olson left Monday evening for Gully where he has secured a position in a garage. Mrs. Olson and children will remain here until a house can be found.

George Johnson of Grygla was in town Monday evening enroute to Thief River Falls.

Sheriff LaBree was in town Monday attending to business matters.

John Jelle was a passenger to Thief River Falls Monday.

Rev. Opseth of Grygla was in town Monday on his way to Thief River Falls.

County Agent J. J. McCann was in town Monday and Tuesday in attendance at the Farmers' short course now in session.

Jerry Race was in Thief River Falls Saturday on business.

T. J. Cummings received word Friday of the serious illness of a daughter who lives at Detroit. He drove to Thief River Falls and caught the train to Detroit Saturday morning.

Karl Korstad of Highlanding went to Thief River Falls on business Monday.

Elmer Adolphson went to Thief River Falls Monday.

Henry Tollefson attended to business matters in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Fred DuCamp was in town Saturday between trains.

The short course started on Monday morning and will continue until Friday afternoon with two sessions each day, morning and afternoon. A very good attendance was had on the first day.

The fourth number of the Lyceum course which was given Saturday evening, was considered by the majority to be the best number so far on the program. The room was packed and from the first moment Mr. Battis held his audience throughout. He took characters from Charles Dickens and each one was acted out to the letter. The fifth and last number of the Lyceum course will appear here March 23 and is a male trio.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Lutheran church will be entertained Thursday, March 10th, at the church, by Mrs. Theo. Gilbertson and Mrs. Martin Olson. Everybody invited.

School Notes.

Mr. Poppenhagen visited in Miss Wilde's room Monday.

Miss Mildred Argall visited school Wednesday morning when the inauguration of the new president was acted out.

Katherine Lang returned to school Monday after an absence of three weeks.

The inauguration of the new President which was given by the eighth grade pupils Wednesday morning at assembly was very interesting. The caste of characters was as follows: President-elect Harding, Myrtle Iverson; Vice-President-elect, Coolidge, Emmer Gilbertson; President Wilson, Luella Urdahl; Vice President Marshall, Gertrude Anderson; chief justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, Harry McDonald.

ROSEWOOD

The Farmers' Club meeting held at the Rosebank building last Friday, was not quite as successful, considering attendance and entertainment, as former meetings, owing to numerous other social activities thruout the neighborhood the latter part of the week. About 25 persons attended and a pie luncheon was served. The next meeting is scheduled for Friday evening, March 25, when vice-president Selmer Haugen will act as chairman. No program committee was appointed, leaving the former committee, consisting of L. L. Furan, A. S. Holm and J. E. Shoberg, in charge for the next meeting.

The first meeting of the Swedish Young People's society this year was held at the Congregational church in town last Saturday evening and was attended by a good sized audience. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking assisted by Rev. Beckman of Minneapolis, was present and delivered a splendid address. A dainty ten o'clock luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held on Saturday evening, April 2nd.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid held a splendid meeting at the home of Mrs. A. T. Thoreson last Tuesday afternoon and was well attended. Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls were present and had charge of the entertainment. Walter Wendt rendered a few solos to organ accompaniment. The next meeting will be held at the Mesdames Anderson and Paulson home on the first Tuesday in April.

Rev. Drotts and Rev. Beckman conducted services twice at the Swedish church in town last Sunday. Services will also be held there on Tuesday evening, March 8th, by the Evangelists Beckman and Seagren in the English language. Norwegian services were held at the A. T. Thoreson home on Sunday afternoon.

Albert Sjolsvold of Duluth is visiting with his brothers and other friends here this week.

Miss Gladys Sagmoen is spending Sunday with Miss Elsie Vorseth at Thief River Falls.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at Busy Bee, accompanied by Miss Rose Dolezal, were week-end visitors at the former's home at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Olaf Ryan, accompanied by her daughter, Lorraine Muriel, from Thief River Falls, spent part of this week visiting with Mrs. Ryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson.

John Sjolsvold left on Friday evening for Thief River Falls where he will spend some time at business.

Steiner Johnson, who spent the past two weeks visiting with relatives at Devils Lake, arrived home on Friday.

Mrs. James Johnson and son Earl of Thief River Falls, was here a few days this week visiting with the J. E. Hellquist folks.

Mrs. O. A. Flann, a former resident of this place, was in town between trains last Tuesday to meet old neighbors and friends at the Ladies' Aid.

Mrs. Carl Mellem, accompanied by her youngest daughter, spent a few days this week at the S. B. Nordgaard home at Viking.

A. O. Bergland has leased his farm south of town and left on Friday evening for Hibbing where he will seek employment. The Berglands will have an auction sale this month and the remainder of the family will then leave for Hibbing.

Mrs. John Bergland and son Leonard returned to their home at Nymore last Wednesday following a month's visit with relatives at this place.

Miss LaVon Batten attended the Choral society entertainment at Thief River Falls last Tuesday evening.

Olof Opseth, who has been employed at Gonvick in company with his brother Gust since New Year, came home on Saturday for a short stay with his folks.

Nate Harris was a business caller here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and four children of Thief River Falls, spent Saturday with Mr. Hellquist's father, returning home the same evening.

Carl Mellem was among the business callers at Viking last Thursday.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen and Miss Isabelle Sagmoen were at Thief River Falls between trains last Tuesday to visit with Mrs. M. L. Furan, who left that evening for her home at Slayton.

Cashier A. S. Holm of the Farmers' State bank, spent Saturday on business at Warren.

Sam Lorentson of Wylie is spending the week end here with his wife who teaches school at Willowdale.

Sam and Henry Hasby returned on Tuesday with two loads of fencing material, from their farm near Steiner.

Benhard Ranum left on Saturday morning for Viking where he attended to business between trains.

Miss Pearl Mellem returned on Monday from Thief River Falls where she spent a week with her aunt, Mrs. Henry Carlson.

John Sorenson of the local garage, returned on Monday from Thief River Falls where he spent a few days undergoing medical treatment.

Mrs. Anton Gullseth left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls to visit with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Remmem.

Dave Mosbeck returned the beginning of the week from Angus where he spent some time visiting friends.

Mrs. Margaret Wendt returned on Saturday morning from a shopping tour to Thief River Falls.

Olof Opseth was at Thief River Falls between trains last Monday attending to business.

GERMANTOWN

John Clausen visited at the Will Wayne home Monday evening.

Clifford Roller visited with Albert Johnson Tuesday.

Miss Hattie Klockman visited with relatives and friends at Thief River Falls last week.

Fred Larson was a caller at Mavie one day last week.

Mesdames Boyce and Stock were shoppers at Thief River Falls Friday.

Will Wayne called at the John Philipp home Wednesday.

Miss Susie Linwick visited at the Henry Roller home one day last week.

Anton Overby visited with Albert Johnson Thursday evening.

Benard Bendickson was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Gladys Roller visited at the Benttin home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and children, Gehart and Silva, spent Monday at the L. Bendickson home.

Hans Dahl was a business caller at Goodridge Friday.

Henry Longevan and children, Helen and Melvin were guests at the C. Boyce home Sunday.

Misses Sussie Linwick, Bessie and Della Roller were guests at the Will Wayne home one day last week.

Emil Hanson visited at the Hans Dahl home one evening last week.

Mrs. Overby was a Goodridge caller Saturday.

Mons Lindwick was a caller at Mavie one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nelson delightfully entertained a number of their friends Tuesday afternoon. The occasion was the former's birthday anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Norlund and daughter, Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Prehall and children and Mrs. Sanders and children.

ESPLEE

Little Lester Chapman, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman, fell a few steps down the stairway at his home on Saturday and broke his arm above the wrist. He was taken to Thief River Falls where Dr. C. M. Adkins set his arm, and they returned home with him on Sunday.

A telegram was received by G. J. Fundanet announcing that his mother had passed away due to heart failure. She had a host of friends here and these will be sad to learn of her death so suddenly. Mr. Fundanet expects to leave for Kenyon, Minn., for the funeral which will be on Wednesday.

Arthur Erickson arrived home from Pit, Minn., on Friday where he has been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sund and daughter, Cora, went to Grygla Saturday where they were guests at the Pete Levang home until Sunday, when they returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Turnbull visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Turnbull on Sunday.

Albert Fiskevold arrived home from Turtle River last Saturday, where he has been at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Solley visited at the Hans Fiskevold home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Tenold and family visited at the Rev. J. O. Hoyum home on Sunday.

Ottar Fiskevold made a business trip to Goodridge on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Solley and daughter, Selma, were guests at the Carl Hanson home Sunday.

Albert and Myrtle Fundanet visited with the Carlson young folks on Sunday.

Carl Erickson transacted business in Goodridge on Saturday.

Harold Einarson spent Saturday and Sunday with his friend, Ottar Fiskevold.

Mrs. Prestebak and Albert Prestebak returned to Thief River Falls after a short stay with relatives in Thorhult. They were callers in Esplee Saturday.

Rev. Hoyum called at the P. P. Sund home last Saturday.

Hilda Jorgenson enjoyed an over-Sunday visit with her home folks, after which she returned to her duties of school work.

Arthur Erickson called at the Fred Solley home on Friday evening.

Bertha Gullenback called at the Martinson home Saturday.

Sarah Martinson has been rather ill of late. She missed school about a week but is better at this report.

Melva Ballou visited with the Siverson folks on Sunday.

Mildred Jahr and Lovina Poirier went to Grygla on Saturday to attend the Teachers meeting, returning in the evening.

A. G. Turnbull transacted business in Goodridge on Monday.

Herman Solley called at the Carl Erickson home Saturday evening.

Paul Sund called on John Franzman on Monday.

Herman Solley and Arthur Erickson were callers at the Fiskevold home Sunday.

Ottar Fiskevold, Ed. Fiskevold, Arthur Erickson and Herman Solley visited at the Herman Kiesow home Sunday evening.

Basil Ballou transacted business in Esplee one day last week.

Pete Carlson, W. E. Chapman and others attended the Geo. Becky sale on Saturday.

Ed. Martinson transacted business in Grygla Saturday.

Ole Finsand spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bansmer.

Max Konig was an Esplee caller one day last week.

Mrs. Allyn Turnbull called on friends in Esplee Monday afternoon.

Pete Hoyum from Torgerson called on the home of Paul Sund on Sunday.

Reuben Lewis went to Esplee on Monday.

George Hook called on Thomas Lewis Sunday.

ST. HILAIRE

Mr. and Mrs. William Bangen arrived Friday from their home at Havana, N. D. Mr. Bangen left Saturday for Minneapolis, while Mrs. Bangen will remain here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Amble for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Lena Hallstrom and Mrs. Martin Erickson of Polk Center, spent Friday at Thief River Falls on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Mrs. Oscar Stearns arrived Monday from her home at Minneapolis, for a month's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Simonson.

Miss Ida Engh arrived Thursday from Hillsboro, N. D., where she is engaged in nursing and will visit for some time at the home of her mother, Mrs. S. Engh.

Andrew Miller returned Friday after a brief visit at Thief River Falls.

The Misses Lilly Johnson, Lois Forbes, Eleanore Anderson and Mrs. A. F. Hall shopped between trains at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Lucille Balaska, student at the Thief River Falls high school, visited over Sunday at the parental home.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe returned Monday from Crookston where she attended the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Just.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sieff of Red Lake Falls are the proud parents of a baby boy born Friday, March 4.

Mrs. A. S. Wilson and son, Wallace, returned Monday from an over Sunday visit at the home of Mrs. Wilson's daughter, Mrs. J. L. Sieff at Red Lake Falls. They were accompanied by J. L. Sieff, who returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Johnson motored to Thief River Falls Saturday on a brief business trip.

Mrs. Mrs. Hilmer Aga arrived the latter part of the week from her home at Thief River Falls for an indefinite stay at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Forseen, who has been ill and confined to her bed for the past week.

Iver Anderson transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Patnode and children returned Saturday from Red Lake Falls, having attended the funeral of a relative.

The Misses Dorothy Martz and Gladys Gigstad shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Saturday.

The Misses Ella Nelson and Ruth Satre, students at the Thief River Falls high school, are practising teaching in the River Side school in Rocksbury township this week and to continue until the last of the week.

Iven Miller, who has been employed at Thief River Falls returned Monday for a visit at the home of his mother in Black River.

H. O. Skottom and L. A. Westerlund were business callers at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ortloff left Monday for Thief River Falls where Mrs. Ortloff underwent an operation at the Physicians hospital. They were accompanied by Dr. Bjerken.

Mike Ford was a Thief River Falls visitor on Monday.

A. E. Erickson of Black River left the latter part of the week for points in California where he plans to locate.

Miss Emma Brink, who has spent the past month visiting at the O. W. Brink and L. P. Thyren homes, left Monday for Montana where she will spend the coming season on her ranch near Eight Point.

Edward Peterson, who teaches in the Black River district, spent Saturday at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. James Kinney was a shopper between trains at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Calsness and children of Bemidji, came Saturday evening via the Soo to Hazel, arriving here Sunday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Calsness' mother, Mrs. Ole Sherva. Mr. Calsness expects to leave for Duluth where he will be employed, having disposed of their home at Bemidji.

Theodore Benson, who is employed at St. Paul came Saturday evening for a week's vacation at the parental home.

Mrs. William Olson and son, Harwood, were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

William Zahn returned Tuesday to his home at Topaz, Mich., after visiting for two weeks at the S. M. Hoff home.

Gust and Arthur Peterson left Saturday for Crookston being called there by the serious illness of their sister, Rose Peterson, who passed away Sunday morning from typhoid fever. The parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Peterson, were former residents of Black River, having recently removed to Crookston. The funeral took place at Crookston Tuesday.

Sam Lorenson returned Monday after a brief visit at Thief River Falls and Rosewood.

Girls Defeat Middle River Five.

Basket ball fans witnessed an interesting game at the local gynasium Friday evening when the Girls' high school quint met and defeated the Middle River team by a score of 6 to 10. This is the first game the St. Hilaire girls have played with any outside team and a large crowd attended. A return game is looked for in the near future and promises to be evenly matched. After the game a party was given at the school building in honor of the visiting team. Lunch was served, and games and music formed the evening's entertainment.

Hans Wilson left Monday for Grand Rapids, Minn., to visit for four or five days with a brother whom he had lost trace of for the past twenty-seven years and who has just arrived in Grand Rapids to visit with a daughter there.

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Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction the property named below at my farm on the Northeast quarter of Section twenty-one, Town of Star, 3 miles east of Erie

Friday, March 18

commencing at 11:00 A. M.

One black gelding 6 years old, wt 1400
One black gelding 7 years old, wt. 1400
One bay gelding 6 years old, wt 1300
One bay gelding 8 years old, wt 1200
One bay mare 3 years old, wt. 1150
One grade Shorthorn cow, 7 years old was fresh in February
One grade Shorthorn cow 7 years old, was fresh in February.
One red cow 7 years old, milking
One red cow 6 years old, milking
One Herford cow 8 years old, milking
One red cow 6 years old, fresh in May
One registered Shorthorn bull 6 years old
One Van Brunt 18 disc drill with grass seed attachment
One Deering binder 7-ft. cut, good as new
One 14 disc harrow, 18 in. discs
One 4-horse Boss harrow
One 14-in. Emerson gang plow, quick detachable lays, good as new
One 16-in. John Deere sulky plow
One Deering mower
One Deering hay rake
One International hay loader
One hay bucker
One roller baring auto trailer
One Mandt wagon, 3x9
One light wagon
One double wagon box
One set wagon springs
One bob sleigh, good as new
One light sleigh, good as new
One jumper with storm coop
One pump jack
One 2½-horse Galloway gasoline engine.
One Martin feed mill, good as new
One corn cultivator
One 101 Gal. water tank
One Sharpless cream separator
One big grind stone.
One 1000-lb. platform scale
Two sets of work harness and collars
One 265-egg incubator with selfturning tray
One self feeder hard coal heater
One Cheerful wood heater
One kitchen range
Six chairs
Two rockers
Two beds and springs
Eight tons of hay.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

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Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction, at my farm, Sec. 22, Town of Norden, 2½ miles north and 4 miles west of Thief River Falls

Tuesday, March 15

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following personal property:

HORSES
One bay horse 14 years old, wt 1400
One bay horse, 7 years old, wt. 1100
One bay mare, 16 years old, wt. 1200
One bay mare, 5 years old, wt. 1400.
One bay mare colt, 3 years old, wt. 1200

CATTLE
One red cow, 7 years old
One red and white cow, 7 years old
One red and white cow, 5 years old
One black cow, 5 years old
One roan cow, 6 years old
One roan cow, 4 years old
Two black heifers, 3 years old
One black and white heifer, 3 years old
All coming fresh this spring
One red and white heifer, 2 yrs. old
One red and white heifer, 1 yr. old
Five summer calves
One calf, 3 weeks old
About 100 chickens

MACHINERY
One John Deere sulky plow, 16-inch
One 16-inch brush breaking plow
One 14-inch prairie breaking plow
One 16-inch walking plow
One 3-horse harrow
One disc harrow, 12 disc
One spring tooth harrow
One Deering mower, 6-ft. cut
One Moline hay rake, 12 ft.
One buck rake
One McCormick binder
One Van Brunt single drill
One Stoughton wagon
One Haney single top buggy
One T. Mandt wagon box
One Galloway manure spreader
One riding cultivator
One tractor attachment for Ford
One riding attachment for plow
One single harness
Two sets of work harness
One Lindsay Reliance cream separator No. 14
One-horse cultivator
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Terms: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount approved bankable paper due November 1, 1921

Erick Soderberg, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

Neighborhood Notes

VIKING

Several people from here attended the meeting in the Sande church last Sunday.

Miss Helga Quinlog spent Saturday and Sunday with her folks in Thief River Falls.

The Emil Tornell family of Warren came out here to take in the meetings.

The Nelson boys are baling hay.

Carl Krohn spent the week-end with relatives and friends in Thief River Falls.

Maurice Edwards made a trip to Viking Monday.

The Blomberg family were Sunday callers at the A. O. Brink home.

Maurice and LaMar Edwards were business callers at Soren Knutson's Monday.

Alexander Krohn made a brief call at Brink's Monday.

Elbert Malberg drove to Viking on Saturday.

NUMEDAL

David Samuelson assisted Oscar Anderson in hauling hay to Viking last week.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Viking Wednesday evening.

Betsey Blomberg who is assisting her brother-in-law at Warren came home Wednesday for a short stay, returning to Warren Friday.

Oscar Olson assisted Soren Knutson loaded a car of hay at Viking last week.

Thure and Hjalmer Blomberg and Soren Knutson autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

A number of farmers from this vicinity shipped stock from Viking on Saturday.

Conrad Ronning was an over Sunday visitor at the A. Forslund home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osness visited at the P. Bugge home Saturday evening.

David Samuelson took in the meeting at Viking Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. A. Blomberg and sons, Thure and Edd, and Melvin and Clarence Joringdal were Sunday visitors at the A. O. Brink home.

Soren Knutson drove to Thief River Falls with a load of potatoes on Monday.

Casper Osness was a Viking shopper Monday.

Joseph and Elias Joringdal autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Norval Johnson, Melvin Joringdal and Thure and Edward Blomberg were Saturday evening callers at the Peder Bugge home.

Clarence Johnson spent Saturday evening with Halvor Olson.

George Bugge called at the C. J. Johnson home Sunday.

Johnny and Oliver Ronning took in the dance at Myron's Saturday evening.

Carl Brink of Viking made a brief call at the C. J. Johnson home Sunday.

ERIE

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Iverson are the proud parents of a girl born Feb. 24th and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hanson also are in receipt of a girl, born Feb. 26th.

Mrs. O. Komplien and daughter Orlanda, visited at the Renda home near Rhoda a few days last week.

The Bachelor club met with H. A. Dahlen on Tuesday, March 1st. Elling Ramsey, Oliver Tommerdahl, Hans Fjeld and J. Hoffman were present.

Charles Voracheck of Thief River Falls was seen on the Erie streets on Friday.

Jens Ramsey and two of the children have been sick with sore throat for the past week, but are improving.

A stork party was given to Mrs. Henry Rye on Sunday afternoon, by a number of friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ole Lien [illegible] the misfortune to lose a [illegible] Sunday.

Mrs. B[illegible]son was at Thief River Falls on Tuesday of last week to have some of her teeth extracted.

Tellef Loyland was at Goodridge Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandahl and son have moved onto the Bjornaraa farm where they intend to make their home.

The annual town election was held in the Grand schoolhouse last Tuesday.

The Henry Tommerdahl and N. P. Larson families were guests at Dahlen's on Sunday. Also Grandma Iverson.

Floyd Baird has returned from the lumber regions where he has been working.

The Eastern Star Ladies' aid meets with Mrs. Ole Trontveth on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Tellef Hovet and daughter, called on Mrs. Ole Lien on Sunday.

Tellef Hovet was at Goodridge on Tuesday.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—[illegible]

FOR SALE: Two draft horses. Harry Wedge, Star route, City.

FOR SALE: [illegible] house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George [illegible] 10

FOR SALE OR TRADE—See Hans Rustad, 122 [illegible] avenue north. 3tf

FOR SALE: Eight bottom John Deere engine plow with six breaker bottoms. H. P. Nabben, Germantown route. 6p

Bargains in used cars, call me by phone 293. R. J. Hakke, city. 5

FOR SALE—Remington typewriter No. 10 with wide carriage. Address Lock Box 1191 City. 5

FOR SALE: One 1917 and one 1919 Model Ford Touring car. Also 1919 Ford coupe with starter, and 1919 Roadster. Good buys if taken at once. McFarland Auto Co. 5p

FOR SALE: One 312-egg Successful Incubator. Also Queen coal burner Hoover brooder. E. O. Helten, Germantown route, City. 6p

FOR SALE: Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—About 42 tons Timothy hay and 3 tons wild upland hay. Also a quantity of timothy seed and Minn. No. 13 seed corn, matured for last 4 years in this climate.—Gordon M Olson. Phone 11-F11, Rt. 1, Thief River Falls. 5p

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 107tf

FOR SALE: Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 20tf

FOR SALE—Three purebred Holstein bulls; one coming two years old. Come and look them over. Will take bankable paper. They are a splendid lot of bulls and will make great sires. I also have now on hand purebred Toulouse Geese, $8.00 per pair. Come at once if you want a pair. C. Weiner, 9 miles S. E. of Thief River Falls, Route 3. 10tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Bourbon Red Turkey Toms. Have a few left at $7.00 each. Millard Brandt, Nielsville, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 155, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call Thure Blomberg, R 1, Thief River Falls. 107tf

FOR SALE—Will sell a few matured Black Leghorns cockerels and pullets at reasonable prices. George Lelmers, city.

FOR SALE—Waterloo Boy tractor with extension and John Deere triple plow with breaking bottoms. Has been used in plowing about 300 acres. Price for outfit, $800. Sidney Hemmestvedt, Kratka. 6pd

FOR SALE—New Victory seed oats; fodder corn at $1 per load; timothy hay, timothy seed and seed potatoes—Early Ohio and Burbanks; three 15-16 Holstein bull calves, six months old.—T. K. Rynestad. 5p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 105tf

FOR SALE—About 10 ton of wild hay 2 miles north of Stop 8 on the Electric Line. Thos. Panek, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 5p

FOR SALE—Modern five-room cottage. $2500.—109 Kendall Ave. N. 6p

FOR SALE—A barn and surrey. Mrs. S. O. [illegible], 511 LaBree Ave. N. 5p

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10 cents per pound.—Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt. Thief River Falls, Minn. 105tf

FOR SALE—About 200 bushels Rural New York potatoes, 25 cents per bushel. Also one stack good upland hay and one single buggy.—August Johnson, Route 1. 6p

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 91f

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FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, [illegible] Sec. 7, Town of Rocksbury, [illegible] W. Vorachek. 2tf

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 49tf

FOR SALE—One 14-inch Moline four-bottom stubble plow and three breaker bottoms. Also one large size Holland wild oats separator. Gerard L. Lind, St. Hilaire, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre river farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write R. K. Callaway. 3tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE CHEAP—Set of store furniture and fixtures. E. Docken, Holt, Minn. 8p

FOR SALE: Farm, five miles south of Mavie. Write to Mrs. Inga Berg, 3325 Fifteenth avenue south, Minneapolis, for further information. 5p

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR hatching eggs: 1 Queen Incubator 75-egg size. Has been used four seasons, is in perfect running order. Write Mrs. S. Nabben, Thief River Falls, Minn., Germantown Rt. 5p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—300 acres in town of Kratka, sec. 6 and 7. 140 acres plowed, 130 in timothy. Will rent on shares or for cash rent. Mrs. Theo. L. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 4tf

FOR RENT—House east of Zeh & Carson store on Atlantic Ave. Possession April 1.—T. K. Rynestad. 5p

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home. Phone 85. 5p

Help Wanted—Female

GIRL WANTED—For general housework on farm, churning and washing done by electricity. State experience. Mrs. P. F. Kelly, R. F. D. 2, St. Thomas, N. D. 5p

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. O. F. Melby, 708 Bridge St.

HOUSE FOR RENT At 615 Markley Ave. S. 6p

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Small family, good wages. Apply 110 Duluth Ave. N. 5p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES—Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 5p

WANTED—A boy with a dog team at once.—Lyceum Theatre. 5

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By experienced [illegible] tractor operator. Write Harold [illegible] 10p

MISCELLANEOUS

DUMP YOUR RUBBISH at 601 Conley Avenue South. Good place to dump. 5

COMFORTABLE, small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Brattland's office. 104tf

DRESSMAKING: Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221 First St. E. 107tf

CLERKS—Men, women, over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examination, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner), 159 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 6pd

WANTED—Plain sewing to do at home. Mary Tibdahl, 215 Randolph Ave. N. 5p

WANTED TO TRADE—A good 5-room house for a Ford car with self starter, or Dodge car. Call at 108 Duluth Ave. N. 4p

AUTOMOBILES PAINTED AND REVARNISHED. First-class work, at reasonable prices. See Mr. Perkins at C. M. Evenson & Sons Garage.

Public Sales

On Tuesday, March 15, Erick Soderberg will sell at public auction on his farm, Section 22, town of Norden, 2½ miles north and 4 miles west of Thief River Falls, all stock and machinery, among which is the following: Four horses and one three-year-old colt; six cows, 3 to 7 years old, two heifers, five summer calves, a three-weeks old calf, about 100 chickens. One 16-inch John Deere sulky plow, 16-inch brush breaking plow, 14-inch prairie breaking plow, 16-inch walking plow, 3-horse harrow, Deering mower, 6-foot cut; 12-foot Moline hay rake, McCormick binder, Van Brunt drill, Stoughton wagon, single top buggy, Mandt wagon box, Galloway manure spreader, riding cultivator, tractor attachment for Ford, riding attachment for plow, single harness, Lindsey Reliance cream separator No. 14, 1-horse cultivator, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

A free lunch will be served at noon. Usual terms. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer; First National bank, clerk.

On Thursday, March 24, R. E. Locke will sell at public auction on the Otto Ortloff farm, NW¼ of Section 6, Wyandotte township, 1½ miles due east of Hazel, the following described property: Four mules and 1 sorrel mare, 1 Jersey and 2 grade Shorthorn cows, 5 other cows, 2 grade Shorthorn bulls, 2 black heifer calves, 1 bull yearling calf, registered yearling bull Shorthorn calf, 2 calves 10 months old, 40 Rhode Island Red hens, 2 turkey hens, 1 gobbler. Also John Deere 7-foot binder, 5-foot Deering mower, 14-inch gang plow, Deere 2-horse corn cultivator, 3-section harrow, hay sweep, hay rake, 16-inch walking plow, 7-foot runner bob sled, jumper buggy, wide tire wagon, wagon and hay rack, 14-disc Monitor grain drill, 16-disc cultivator, corn planter, pump jack, bone cutter, garden drill, a number of horse blankets, potato plow, potato hiller, 2 sets good work harness, lot of old harness, and a grindstone. The following household goods: Some chairs, wash stand, dresser, 4 barrels, 2 rockers, couch; Twenty tons of wild hay, 12 cords of wood, some good oats, small tools, etc. Free lunch at noon. Usual terms. Paul Borgie, auctioneer; Citizens State bank of Hazel, clerk.

On Friday, March 18, Henry Tommerdahl will hold an auction sale on his farm, the northeast quarter of section 21, town of Star, three miles east of Erie, at which time the following property will be sold: Five horses, six cows, registered Shorthorn bull, 6 years old; Van Brunt 18-disc drill with grass seed attachment, 7 ft. Deering binder, good as new; 14-disc harrow with 18 in. discs, 4-horse Boss harrow, 14 in. Emerson gang plow, quick detachable lays, good as new; 16 in. John Deere sulky plow, Deering mower, Deering hay rake, International hay loader, hay bucker, roller bearing auto trailer, Mandt wagon, light wagon, double wagon box, set wagon springs, two bob sleighs, jumper, storm coop, pump jack, 2½ horse Galloway engine, Martin feed mill, corn cultivator, 101 gallon water tank, Sharpless cream separator, big grind stone, 1000 lb. platform scales, set work harness and collars, 265-egg incubator, self-feeder coal stove, Cheerful wood heater, kitchen range, six chairs, two rockers, two beds and springs, eight tons of hay. W. J. LaBree will cry the sale and it will be clerked by the Citizens' State bank.

Public Forum

A Dangerous Practice.

A copy of the following communication has been forwarded to The Times for publication. The matter is of decided importance and should be read with interest by all concerned:

Mr. W. A. Zeigler, Supt. of Schools, City. Dear Mr. Zeigler: The school children, instead of using the regular streets, are walking between the tracks and also crossing the railroad bridge just east of our passenger station at Thief River Falls. This is a very dangerous custom.

I would like to secure your assistance in stopping this dangerous practice. Perhaps you can, through your teachers warn the children in such a manner that it will do some good.

I dislike very much to resort to extreme measures, but unless the practice is stopped, I am afraid it will be necessary.

Several years ago, this matter was gone into very thoroughly and produced good results, but apparently, they have forgotten.

Anything you can do in this matter will be appreciated. Yours truly,

W. A. BARNARD,
Superintendent.

March 8, 1921.

WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co.)

Comparatively quiet markets ruled during the week. As expected, the Fordney tariff bill, purporting protection for agricultural interests, was vetoed by the president, but prices for the most part of the week averaged higher principally due to the foreign political news and persistent unfavorable reports from the Southwest showing an increase of the green bug and Hessian fly pests.

The unsettlement of European affairs and whether military enforcement or an amicable settlement results in the Franco-English terms to Germany has caused a division in sentiment. Since construction both bullish and bearing are taken the market effect has been practically nullified, but judging from the German response the feeling is quite prevalent that military pressure will be unnecessary.

Added to the crop and war scare, sellers of wheat consider also the strengthening effect of further export business in which the surplus is nearly sold so that although wheat is relatively high priced the undertone has been firm. The action of wheat will likely continue to influence the trend of coarse grains.

Crop news from the Southwest is receiving considerable attention, but the conflicting reports and apprehension of damage from the fly infestation are creating a nervous market. No doubt, as usual, damage more or less will be sustained in the principal winter wheat sections, but for the present the crop is progressing satisfactorily.

Private statisticians in advance of the government report, which is due March 8, show large farm reserves. 45 per cent of the corn crop and 30 per cent of oats is estimated as the March 1st farm reserves, but this accounts for disappearance of 1,906,000,000 bushels of corn, which in view of the reduction in farm animals is extremely heavy and exceeds the marketing of the previous record crop in 1912-1913 by 20 million bushels. The rapid depletion sustains the theory that cheapness in any commodity develops waste and unaccountable disappearance.

THE COUNTY RECORDS

(February 1 to 28 inclusive.)

Marriage Licenses.

Albert Crown-Adelia Hanson.
James Havel-Mandy Storeby.
Edward Holton-Lenora Lonson.
Martin Sorenson-Nellie M. Sealthorp.
Otto E. Wicklund-Lillie Anderson.
Axel Engelstad-Myrtle B. Knutson.
Alfred Haugen-Ruth M. Bakken.

Real Estate Transfers.

W. W. Prichard, Jr., to John Easthouse; lots 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42, blk. 25, Red Lake Rapids.

Johan Johanson to Ole S. Halsa; SE¼, sec. 21, Silverton twp. Consideration $6,400.

Ole S. Halsa to Halvor O. Listol; SE¼, sec. 21, Silverton twp. Consideration $8,000.

Jacob Bock to Fred R. Adams; lots 1 and 2, S½ NE¼ sec. 1, Bray twp.

George A. Wagner to John C. Furmon; SE¼ sec. 23, Cloverleaf twp. Consideration $8,000.

Frank Morris and wife to Jessie J. Sarchert; NE¼ sec. 13, Reiner twp. Consideration $5,120.

John G. Nygren to Frank Lundeen; SW¼ sec. 14, Deer Park twp. Consideration $5,620.

Helen Chelin to Amanda Hanson; lots 16, 17, 18 and 19, blk. 28, original townsite Thief River Falls. Consideration $3,500.

John Ulvild and wife to I. H. Lawrence; NE¼ sec. 33, Cloverleaf twp.

James Ford to Robert Ford; NE¼, sec. 23, Black River twp.

Sophie A. Kratka to Lizzie Ostvolden; lots 6 and 7, Kratka subdivision. Consideration $750.

Torkel T. Lande and wife to Pete Gustafson; SE¼ sec. 4, Deer Park twp. Consideration $6,000.

James McGinty and wife to Mathilda Majeres; E½ lots 5 and 6, blk. 8, and part of lot 4, blk. 8, Meehan's addition, Thief River Falls. Consideration $1,500.

D. S. B. Johnston Land Co. to Ray Sandrey; E½ and NW¼, sec. 29, Numedal township.

Olaf Tessum to John Easthouse; lots 29 and 30, blk. 30, Red Lake Rapids.

Peter C. Halvorsen and wife to Geo. S. Baird; N½ NE¼ sec. 23, Highlanding twp.

Knute Gigstad to Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire; lots 1 and 2, sec. 13, Black River twp. Consideration $2,000.

W. A. Ayers to C. S. Babcock; N½ sec. 9, Bray twp.

N. W. Townsite Co. to Carl Edseth; lot 13, blk. 4, Goodridge.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.41
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.38
Oats	.31
Flax	1.51
Barley	.43
Rye	1.27
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.10
Bran	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.60
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.60
Oil Meal, per cwt.	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.14
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18-.25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.28
Dairy Butter	.42
Creamery butter	.50
Cow Hides, per lb	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08-.10
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.04-.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb	.03-.04

Legal Notices

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of [illegible] O. Swanson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to William A. Swanson,

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof, and that Monday the 13th day of June, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated March 7th, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney. 3-10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Petition to Sell Mortgage or Lease Lands

Estate of Maxine Elizabeth Johnson, George Wayne Johnson and Helen Lucille Johnson, Minor Wards.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of the above named minor wards.

The State of Minnesota to Maxine Elizabeth Johnson, George Wayne Johnson, Helen Lucille Johnson and Lucille E. Johnson, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said minor wards. The petition of Lucille E. Johnson as representative of the estate of the above named minor wards, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said minor wards be [illegible] and praying that a license be to [illegible] granted to [illegible] the same.

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of April, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 7th day of March, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal)
FRED W. MARTY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
3-10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Christ Mathson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ole Mathson, Mathilda Aldrich, Olga Christopherson, Bennie Gunderson, Clara Thompson, Martin Mathson and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of March, 1921 at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of March, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
[illegible]
Attorney for Petitioner.
3-10-17-24

"Here's Real Tobacco"
says the Good Judge
That gives a man more genuine chewing satisfaction than he ever got out of the ordinary kind.
Smaller chew, lasts longer —so it costs less to chew this class of tobacco.
And the good, rich tobacco taste gives a world of satisfaction.
Any man who uses the Real Tobacco Chew will tell you that.
Put up in two styles
W-B CUT is a long fine cut tobacco
RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco
Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

Butterfat Prices
CASH PRICE NOW
48c
Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Trail to Prosperity
SMALL business is essential to our national prosperity and has won for itself an important and an enduring place. But small business, however multiplied, cannot undertake to serve the public in a big way where unity of service is necessary.
This must be accomplished by great, highly specialized organizations, managed honestly and efficiently, and functioning to the benefit of all the people.
Such an organization is the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).
Its business is to refine crude petroleum into the many products needed by the people—to provide a system of distribution which will make them available everywhere, and to sell at a price which is fair to all.
To accomplish this, 25,000 men and women devote all their time, energy, and intelligence to the task, while the stockholders have invested more than $200,000,000 of capital.
In preparing to meet the demands of industry, agriculture, and motorists throughout the 11 Middle Western states served, the Company is now refining petroleum to the limit of its vast refinery capacity.
It is distributing gasoline, kerosene, and lubricating oils to its bulk stations throughout the territory in order that it may be in position to give immediate service when the Spring and Summer rush comes.
Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2394

Good Milling Wheat
THERE is great danger that we may lose our prestige for fine wheat. Millions of dollars normally come to the Northwest when we have good wheat; bakers will not use flours made from inferior wheat, and we should not force them to buy their flours ground from Kansas or Canadian wheat. Our wheat is the best in the world.
Why Marquis Wheat is Recommended
Marquis wheat is the favorite wheat because it contains plenty of gluten of the best quality for bread making, and outyields all other varieties.
It matures from five to ten days earlier than other wheats, avoiding that much danger from hot winds and drouth. When sown early, it matures early, which is important in a rust year, and it is not more susceptible to rust than any other good milling wheat.
Marquis does not shell out and waste so badly as Blue Stem, Fife and Velvet Chaff during harvest, even when over-ripe.
Marquis is a beardless wheat and easier handled than wheat with long awns. Marquis straw is shorter and stiffer, and therefore suffers less from lodging.
More fall plowing has been done this season than ever before, and we ought to be able to get our wheat in early.
The rust problem is a serious one, but black rust cannot directly infect wheat until it has passed the cluster cup stage on the common barberry bush. The red spores spread through weeds and grasses, and are blown by the wind for miles out of the barberry until they reach wheat. Then they turn into the black stage. Therefore dig up the barberries.
Be Sure to Plan Rotation With Clover
Every farmer should work out his own rotation, including sweet clover or other legume.
He should plant his Marquis first, at the earliest possible date, even if he plants some other variety as well, because it is our highest object to maintain the quality of our best hard wheat every year, for we know that in any year should we be reasonably free from rust, the quality of Marquis will vindicate itself. The danger of planting other varieties is that the two wheats will become so badly mixed that it will ruin the quality of both.
The very best seed available should be sown on the higher soil, avoiding low, wet land.
In addition to manuring and sowing sweet clover, acid phosphates and other artificial fertilizers should be used with intelligence, and every farm bureau ought to conduct practical operations along this line. We cannot rob our soil forever.
Don't Take Chances Neglecting Seed
It will pay to germinate your seed wheat in wet blotting papers, because much of it is badly shrivelled and full of diseased kernels.
Add to your insurance by treating your seed wheat with formaldehyde, not only because it destroys smut, but because it adds to the yield. Fan out all light, chaffy kernels, weed seeds and trash, and select only dark, hard, vitreous kernels for seed.
Spring Wheat Crop Improvement Association
832 Security Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

GOOD PLACES FOR MINNESOTA SOLONS IN NEW CONGRESS

Congressman Scheduled For Many Chairmanships and Committee Places.

Minnesota will play a part in the next house equal to that of such republican states as Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Illinois.

Before the new congress is many months older Gopher state members will hold the chairmanships of four important committees and the chairmanship of an important subcommittee of the appropriation committee. In addition the state will have one on the steering committee and one of her members will be republican "whip."

Minnesota, New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Iowa and California, it is understood, will work in combination in the committee on committees.

The Minnesota committee assignments, it is expected, will be as follows:

Chairman of appropriations committee, Charles R. Davis, third district.

Chairman of judiciary committee, Andrew J. Volstead, seventh district.

Chairman of postoffice committee, Halvor Steenerson, ninth district.

Chairman of pensions committee, Harold Knutson, sixth district.

Member of appropriations on agriculture, Sydney Anderson, first district.

Interstate and foreign commerce committee, Walter Newton, fifth district.

District of Columbia, Oscar E. Keller, four district.

Rules, Thomas D. Schall, tenth district.

Agriculture, Frank Clague, second district.

Rivers and harbors or foreign affairs, O. J. Larson, eighth district.

Mr. Davis will not be chairman of the appropriations committee for two or three months, or until Representative James W. Good of Iowa, who will resume the practise of law in Chicago soon, resigns.

MILLER CONVICTED ON MURDER CHARGE

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Former Resident of This City Gets Life Sentence For Killing of Fenton.

A verdict of murder in the second degree and a sentence of life imprisonment for Robert Miller in district court at Bemidji lest Wednesday, terminated one of the most sensational criminal cases ever tried in northern Minnesota, and closed the final chapter in a neighbors' quarrel in which Alfred W. Fenton of Baudette, an innocent and disinterested party, was killed.

The case occupied seven days and attracted more than usual attention because the younger brother, George Miller, who actually did the shooting, was acquitted a week ago. M. J. Daly of Perham and C. R. and E. C. Middleton of Baudette appeared for the defendant, while County Attorney Graham M. Torrance prosecuted the case for the state. The case developed much legal strategy and talent which was displayed throughout the entire seven days.

During the trial of Robert Miller, County Attorney Torrance endeavored to prove that the accused was the master mind in the shooting affair. The evidence showed clearly that the shooting had been directed by the elder brother, the younger, upon being told to "take good aim and get him" as the two men crouched behind a hay stack, fired upon the man who was was crossing the meadow, believing him to be Ellis Bowman, with whom his brother had quarreled. The murdered man was later found to be Alfred Fenton.

Alfred Fenton was in the military service of the United States. He was a good citizen and a hard working mechanic. An only son, he leaves a mother, a 19-year-old widow and a baby girl to mourn his demise. He enjoyed a wide acquaintance in northern Beltrami county, where all were his friends. When the first jury acquitted the younger Miller, feeling ran high in that section and many protests were chard concerning the miscarriage of justice. Lynchings were even hinted at.

Robert, the man convicted, formerly resided in Thief River Falls and is remembered by many of the present-day citizens.

MANY MINOR DEFECTS IN CHILDREN FOUND BY RED CROSS NURSE

Medical Assistance, Financed By Junior Red Cross, is Being Administered in a Number of the More Serious Cases.

Following is the regular February report of Miss Marie Knudsen, Pennington county Red Cross nurse, submitted to the nursing committee of the county chapter of the American Red Cross, as showing her activities during the course of that month:

Number of schools visited	12
Number of pupils inspected	294
Number of children found:	
Underweight	136
With defective teeth	119
With apparent def. throats	61
With apparent def. eyes	35
With apparent def. hearing	1
With apparent nasal obstruction	15
With enlarged cervical glands	28
With pediculosis	10
Number of talks to pupils in class room	14
Number of talks given at parents meetings	1
Number of home visits made	10
Number of visits to doctors' offices	4
Number of interviews held	13

This report in many respects is very similar to that of the county nurse submitted for the month of January, on the first day of which month she took up her duties. It will be understood that the schools and pupils enumerated in this report are an entirely different set from those visited during the foregoing month, and this fact will go to prove the importance and scope of the work which Miss Knudsen is undertaking. Aggravated or urgent cases discovered by the county nurse in her visits are brought to the immediate attention of parents and medical treatment is already being administered in many instances. This follow-up treatment in several cases is being temporarily financed by township units of the Junior Red Cross with a view to reimbursement when parents or guardians become financially able.

With the opening up of the roads in the spring, Miss Knudsen's visits will be accomplished more efficiently with the use of a Ford coupe, the purchase of which for her use has been authorized by the directors of the county chapter of the Red Cross from the funds of that organization.

Few See "Red Viper."

"The Red Viper" an Americanization photo drama presented at the Princess theater on Thursday and Friday evening under the auspices of the Elmer J. Eklund post, failed to attract the theater-goers of the city to any noticeable extent and the post came out about $50 in the hole. The picture was one of action, clean and wholesome and one with a stirring lesson to everyone who classes himself or herself as a citizen of the United States. Officers and members of the American Legion have expressed their disappointment at the poor attendance.

Description of Trip to Winter Show at Crookston By Spelling Contestants

The two representatives of Pennington county's rural schools who went to Crookston as county representatives in the spelling contest have written essays on their experiences while at the crop show. These have been submitted for publication by County Superintendent Geo. M. Gunderson, and are as follows:

MY TRIP TO CROOKSTON.

By Frances Hincik.

I won the second prize in the Spelling contest given in Thief River Falls Feb. 5th, 1921, and I therefore was one of the contestants from Pennington county to go to Crookston for the Spelling contest given under the auspices of the Farms Crop Show, Feb. 11th, 1921.

We left Thief River Falls Thurs-

what looked to me like snowbanks, but in reality were hills. At Red Lake Falls six Catholic sisters came on the train; they were very pleasant looking, but looked rather queer to me at first as it was the first time I had seen Catholic sisters.

At 5:30 p. m. we came to Crookston and were met by Mr. Geise and several school children. Each of the children who met us, was given one of the contestants to take to their homes. I went with a girl whose name is Cleon Trolson.

When we came to her home we went sliding down the hill until dark. After supper we went to the library. When we went to the library we went over one bridge and on our way back we went over another bridge. We came back to her home at 9:00 p. m. and went to bed an hour later.

I got up at eight the next morning and at 8:30 a. m. left for the high school where the contest was to be held. The schoolhouse is a large brick building and has three stories. Mr. Geise's office is on the third floor and we went there and stayed until 10 a. m. There were nineteen other contestants besides myself. Ten counties were represented. At 10:30 a. m. we went to a room on the second floor for the contest. Mr. Geise ied us to Crookston. The train was very crowded and we were glad to get a seat. While on the train I met a teacher and her sister who were also going to Crookston for the spelling contest. The girl was from Roseau county. There was a lady on the train who was very talkative and made us laugh. We went through a number of places, but I did not notice any one in particular except Red Lake Falls, which I thought was a very pretty place. Before we came to the town we could see nothing but the Great Northern. Mr. Gunderson, our county superintendent, accompanday, Feb. 10, 1921, at 3:30 p. m., on pronounced the words only twice. The contest consisted of fifty words. After we had written our words we had until 11 a. m. to look around. At 11 a. m. we were called and we had a written dictation. Then we had oral spelling of twenty-five words. Two men were chosen to pronounce the words. Each pupil was to go to one room and spell the words. There were two rooms and every pupil had the same words. At 12 a. m. we went back to the place where he were staying. After dinner we returned to the schoolhouse for a ticket for the shows. I went with a few other girls to a church where Miss Holiday was conducting the singing. We sang a few songs and then they had a style show of the latest fashions from Paris. Then eight men called the "Eight Jolly Boys" sang three songs for us. Then a farmer's wife gave a speech. I then returned to the schoolhouse and waited for Cleon.

After supper Cleon took me to the Armory. A large crowd was there. The first thing on the program was music by a band consisting of about twenty-five men. They played about four selections. The next was the oral spell down of about twenty spellers. Mr. Geise conducted the oral spelling and two judges judged the spelling. They first gave five rounds that did not count, after that if we misspelled a word we left the stage. After the contest the high school pupils sang two songs, then the "Jolly Boys" sang for us again. Miss Holiday then led the crowd in singing. In conclusion Mr. Coffman, president of the University of Minnesota, gave a speech. I then went to the depot where Cleon was waiting for me.

The next morning I got up at 7:30 and after breakfast Cleon took me to the depot. *The train left Crookston* at 9:15 a. m. although it should leave at 8:40. I came to Thief River Falls at 11 a. m. and was there met by Miss Collingwood, my teacher.

While at Crookston all our expenses were paid and free entertainment was given us. Our carfare was also paid.

My trip to Crookston was a very pleasant and enjoyable one.

MY TRIP TO CROOKSTON

By Abel Svobodny

I left Thief River Falls on Thursday, Feb. 11th for Crookston to take part in the spelling contest.

When I arrived at Crookston Paul Miethyke was at the depot to meet me. He took me to his home and I stayed with him while I was in Crookston.

Friday morning we went to the Crookston high school where the spelling contest was to take place at 9:30. There were twenty of us in the contest. First we had a written test, then we had an oral spell-down. After we were through with the oral spelling we were dismissed until 11:30. We then had a written dictation. After the dictation Supt. Geise of the Crookston high school, gave a brief speech about the spelling contest. He also stated that we should return in the afternoon for a short time to get our money refunded; as all expenses were paid by the Farms Crop Show.

Friday afternoon I attended the Farms Crop Show. There I saw a great many prize winning cattle, hogs and sheep.

In the evening there was an oral spell-down which was held at Crookston Armory. Besides the spell-down there were speakers and a musical program was rend... The program ended at 10:30 p. m.

Saturday morning I left for ... River Falls. I enjoyed the trip to Crookston very much and hope some day I will be able to take part in another spelling contest.

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Society and Club

Ladies Aid.

The ladies aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet in the church basement on Thursday afternoon, March 17, at 3 o'clock. The hostesses will be Mesdames Halvor Loken, E. ...verland, O. Ostby and C. Jacobson.

Dinner Party.

...omplimenting his friend, Norman ...vik, who left Saturday morning ...Baudette, where he has accepted ...position with a theatre orchestra, ... Garvey entertained at a six ...ck dinner at the Brumund hotel Friday evening.

U. C. T. Dance Success.

...e of the most successful parties ... by the U. C. T. lodge was that ... at the Masonic hall on Saturday ...ng. Dancing was enjoyed from ... till 12, music being furnished by ...al four-piece orchestra. A sump...s lunch followed the hours of ...ing.

Bridge Club Banquet.

...e losers of the Tuesday Night ...ge Club entertained at a six ...ck dinner at the home of Mr. ... Mrs. P. W. Mabey on Tuesday ...ning. The hosts included Mr. and ...s. Nels Christinson, Dr. and Mrs. ...ther, Miss Grace Iverson and Mrs. W. Mabey.

Entertain at Dinner.

At their home on Sunday evening, ... and Mrs. C. M. Buoen entertained ... number of their friends at dinner. ...aces were arranged for Mr. and ...s. Nels Ostvolden, Mr. and Mrs. ...økken, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson, John Linde. The latter has recently returned from an extensive tour of the west.

Entertains at Luncheon.

In compliment to her guest, Mrs. W. J. Foley of Rainey River, Ont., Mrs. M. W. Brink entertained at a five o'clock luncheon at her home on Thursday evening. Covers were laid for Misses Grace Wilson, Meta Kiland, Myrtle Blair and Mrs. C. E. Andrews, Mrs. C. O. Erickson and Mrs. W. J. Foley.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. W. W. Prichard on Tuesday afternoon, March 15, and will be entertained by Mrs. Prichard and Mrs. Geo. Biddick. It is urgently requested that all members be present as this is membership day. A cordial invitation is extended to all women interested in this work.

Poultry House Plans.

The Northwest Experiment Station has a type of poultry house that has proved to be particularly well suited to the climatic conditions in northern Minnesota. A feature of this house is a straw loft which absorbs moisture giving the poultry a dry home. Blue prints and specifications of a house suitable for 100 hens may be secured by writing to the Station.

Entertains.

Mrs. L. A. Hermanson was a delightful hostess on Thursday afternoon when she entertained a number of ladies at cards. Mrs. Rowan, Mrs. Geo. Biddick, Mrs. Perry Froseth, Mrs. Henry Froseth, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Mrs. H. F. Snyder, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. F. E. Hunt and Miss Mable Brown were the guests. A delicious lunch followed the card playing.

Celebrates 70th Birthday.

Aug. Brown, one of the oldest residents of this city, had the honor of celebrating his 70th birthday anniversary on Tuesday at his home, Conley avenue south. Immediate relatives and friends were guests. Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Myhrum, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lanseth, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fuller and Miss Laura Brown, all of this city, were among the sons-in-law and daughters present.

In Honor of Mrs. Foley.

Mrs. W. J. Foley of Rainey River, Ont., who is a guest of friends here, was honor guest at a five o'clock luncheon given by Miss Myrtle Blair at her home on Duluth Ave. N., on Tuesday evening. The guests were Mrs. M. W. Brink, Mrs. W. J. Foley, Mrs. A. P. Robinson, Mrs. Wm. H. Gentz, Miss Meta Kiland, Mrs. S. Salveson, Mrs. A. Stenberg, Misses Pearl Olson and Jonetta Lee.

Entertain at Cards.

Mrs. E. F. Ohm entertained several ladies at her home, LaBree avenue north, on Saturday afternoon. Cards formed the chief diversion. At five o'clock a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lottie Kinsela. Those attending were Mrs. L. Manther, Mrs. J. E. Robinson, Mrs. J. Wasgren, Mrs. O. E. Erickson, Mrs. J. Malafa, Mrs. W. E. Baker, Mrs. Hoffseth and Mrs. J. Jacobson.

Surprise Party.

A number of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Champlin surprised them at their home, Riverside avenue, on Saturday evening. The honored guests were presented with a handsome library lamp as a remembrance of the event. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ebbighausen, Mr. and Mrs. Rausch, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gustafson, Miss Inga Thune, Miss Freda Ristau, Dagney Swensgaard, Hilma Risan, George Aspelund and Cora Melby.

Birthday Party.

In commemoration of her ninth birthday anniversary, little Mae Rausch pleasantly entertained a number of her young friends at a party at her home on Saturday afternoon. The young folks were entertained with various games until the lunch hour when they partook of delicious refreshments. The guests were Laura Nelson, Bernice McClelland, Marjorie Nicholson, Lorraine Zellmer, Lucille Rayson, Edith Ralston, Gladys Larson, Inga Loken, Ruth Mattson, Harriet Dillon, Marian Gray, Mary Alexander, Margaret Dillon.

Birthday Anniversary.

Little Bernadette Waldorf entertained seven of her little friends at her home, 123 LaBree avenue north, Saturday afternoon in commemoration of her seventh birthday anniversary. The hours which were from 2 to 5 were spent in playing various games. At five o'clock a delicious lunch was served by her mother assisted by Mrs. H. Holt. A feature which added to the delight of the luncheon was a large birthday cake adorned with seven candles. The guests were Kafen Langseth, Fern Collins, Elizabeth Baker, Verna Brandon, Lizzie Amon, Margaret Thill and Ethel Richards.

Girls' Community Club.

The regular meeting of the Girls' Community club was held in the new club rooms on Monday evening with the usual attendance. An exceptionally fine program had been arranged for the evening's entertainment. Miss Marie Nelson, president, was fortunate in securing Mrs. Daniel Shaw, president of the Woman's club, to give her report of the meeting of Federated clubs at the Curtiss hotel at Minneapolis, recently. Her account of the session was inspirational, educational and interesting and was very much appreciated by the girls. H. O. Chommie gave a very interesting explanation on two chapters taken from "The New Voter," a book which the club has been reading during the study hour and also made other instructive remarks regarding politics. This was followed by the business session, during which time the subject of taking over the Lyceum Course for the coming year was discussed and unanimously voted against by the club. A quartet made up of Misses Ella Miller, Mary Grizold, Edna Larson and Amelia Hoorn, favored the club with two Irish songs. Miss Ella Miller rendered two vocal solos which were greatly appreciated. The remainder of the evening was spent socially. A very fine lunch concluded the evening's festivities. During the absence of Miss Nelson, president, Miss Ida Tandberg, vice-president, will preside.

Churches

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, March 13. German services at 10 a. m. English services at 2:30 p. m. at Germantown.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, March 13. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesdays, 8 p. m. Prayer service Thursday at 8 p. m. All cordially invited.

Penticostal Mission.

Services will be held in the Penticostal Mission in the basement of the Scandia block Thursday and Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Chase, missionary from India, will speak. Services Sunday at 2:30 and 8 p. m. All are welcome.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services Sunday morning 10:30. Sunday school 9:30. English services 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Lautenbach will entertain the ladies aid Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anders Hoveland, east of the Soo shops. Bible class meets Thursday, 8 p. m.

First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. The Ladies' Aid and Luther League will meet next Wednesday afternoon and evening respectively in the church basement. Mrs. K. A. Sundahl and Mrs. Albin A. Larson will entertain.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m., at the city auditorium. Subject Sunday, March 13: "Substance." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meetings at 7:45 p. m. Reading room at the same place open every Tuesday and Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Evening service 7:45 p. m. Choir practice Tuesday evenings in the church at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid today, entertained by Mrs. Oftelie and Mrs. Roisland. Zion Young Peoples' meeting tonight, entertained by Gordon Larson and Christ Klapp. Good program.

Trinity Lutheran Church—Confirmation class meets at 10 o'clock every Saturday at the parsonage. English devotional services Sunday at 11. Norwegian services in the evening at 7:45. Sunday school, 9:30. Prayer meeting at E. A. Mostue home Wednesday evening. Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon, March 17. Young Peoples' society meeting same evening. Choir practice Thursday evening at Larson's furniture store.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—March 13. 10 a. m. Sunday school. Our Easter offering will be for the China Famine sufferers. Make some sacrifice that at least one hungry person may live and be glad. 11 a. m. morning worship, "Jesus' Final Message to His Own." 8 p. m., evening worship. The subject will be, "Love Him—Hate Him—Which?" The Junior choir will provide a boys' chorus. A girls' quartette will render "My Shepherd Leads" and "Keep Us Father." Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. "What is Real Religion?" The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained on Friday, March 11, at 518 Main Ave. N., by Mrs. Barackman and Mrs. S. E. Hunt. Lunch from 4 to 6 p. m.

Obituary

Ole Johnson.

Ole Johnson died on March 4th, in this city after an illness which extended over a year and a half. Deceased was a farmer residing in the township of North at the time of his death. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery.

Joyce Annabelle Myhrum.

On Monday, March 7, occurred the death of Joyce Annabelle Myhrum, 8 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Myhrum, residing in Norden township. The cause of her death was bronchial pneumonia which resulted from a siege of whooping cough. Funeral services were held here yesterday and interment made in Park Ridge cemetery.

Olaus Johnson.

On Saturday, March 5, occurred the death of Olaus Johnson from Brights disease. He had been confined to his bed for the past two weeks.

The deceased was born in Ulaska, Norway, on Feb. 14, 1859. In the year of 1879 he immigrated to this country. In 1883 he was united in marriage to Minnie Augusta Hanson, settling on a farm near LaCrosse, Wis., where they resided until 1896 when they moved to Garfield where he was engaged in blacksmithing. In the year of 1911 he came to Beltrami county where he took a homestead and remained until a year ago when he took up his residence on the Knox farm near this city. He leaves to mourn his demise his wife and 12 children; 6 girls and 6 boys. They are Oscar Johnson of Barnesville; Mrs. L. Warnecke of Breckenridge; Mrs. Gust Johnson of Devils Lake; Mrs. John Regan of Hilyard, Wash.; Mrs. F. G. Robertson of Minneapolis; William, George, Henry, Arnold, Lloyd, Dagney and Vanda, who are at home; one brother, Edward of Arcadia, Wis., and a sister, Mrs. John Quilliam of Seattle, Wash. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon from the Trinity Lutheran church at 2:00 o'clock, with Rev. Sweger, pastor of the church officiating. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

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City News

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Jos. Gullette of Baudette, is in the city as the guest of his cousin, James Paranteau.

Atty. J. M. Bishop was a business caller at Strathcona yesterday.

Mrs. John Skomedahl arrived here yesterday afternoon from her home at Steiner to spend a few days as the guest of relatives.

Mrs. C. F. Nelson, accompanied by her daughter, Marie, whom she visited here since Saturday, returned to her home at Holt yesterday. The latter returned to this city in the afternoon.

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Latest Fiction Available Is Added to Library List

The following works of fiction have been received at the Carnegie public library and placed on the shelves ready for withdrawal by readers:

Ashmun, "Marian Frear's Summer."

Bailey, "Trumpeter Swan."

Bassett, "Wall Between."

Deland, "An Old Chester Secret."

Foster, "Searchers."

Fox, "Erskine Dale, Pioneer."

King, "Thread of Flame."

Lee, "Chinese Coat."

Lewis, "Main Street."

MacManus, "Top o' the Morning."

Paget, "Satan, the Waster."

Rugsdale, "Next Besters."

Richards, "Tenderfoot's Bride."

Rinehart, "Poor Wise Man."

Rutzebeck, "Alaska Man's Luck."

Sherwood, "World to Mend."

Would Erect State Memorial.

A resolution providing for a state commission of 11 members to select a proper memorial for the Minnesota soldiers, sailors and marines, who had served in the World war, was introduced in the House late last week by Representative N. T. Moen of Fergus Falls and referred to the committee on soldiers home and bonuses of which Representative J. B. Hompe, of Deer Creek is chairman. The resolution provides that the commission shall consist of one member from each Congressional district and one member at large, all of whom shall be appointed by the Governor. The erection of a suitable memorial on the state capitol grounds has been recommended.

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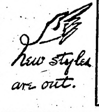

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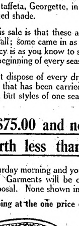

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FARMERS WAR ON BLUE SKY FRAUDS

Federation Launches Move to Check Promotion of Worthless Companies in State.

"Blue sky" salesmen and fake promotors have a new foe in Minnesota. Sixty thousand farmers, through their state organization, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, announce their intention of breaking up the "skin games" by which, according to estimates of the state securities commission, millions of dollars are filched from the citizens of Minnesota every year.

The state federation has undertaken an intensive campaign to organize blue sky committees in every county and in scores of townships. These committees are to be made up of farmers. Their task is to be the investigation of doubtful promotion schemes in which their neighbors are asked to invest their money. Many county farm bureaus already have organized such committees. The state federation is calling on every county bureau that has not yet formed such a committee, to do so at once, and to urge all its members to refuse to consider any proposal to buy stock or sign contracts in promotion schemes that have not been approved by the farm bureau's "blue sky" committee in that county.

"Minnesota farmers have been swindled out of millions of dollars when they thought they were investing their savings in sound securities," L. E. Potter, president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, said. "The time has come to put an end to the work of the shady stock salesman and other bunco men. When the farmer knows that a group of his neighbors stands ready to investigate all promotion schemes, he will hesitate before handing his money over to some firm that refuses to be examined."

Swindling schemes that are beyond the reach of the present laws are being worked every day in the state, Charles J. Andre, executive officer of the state securities commission, said. "If persons who are approached by stock salesmen or agents for promotion schemes will have nothing to do with them until a committee of business-like, hardheaded farmers has investigated the proposition, the farm bureaus can save hundreds of thousands of dollars for the people of this state by helping to wipe out the fake promoter," he said.

Report Approximatelq Half Enough Money For Relief Work in China

The American committee for the China famine fund which met in New York yesterday was notified by its advisory committee in Peking that present funds from all sources are sufficient to save only 2,500,000 persons facing starvation. Messages from American consuls and missionaries in the five northern provinces indicate that the utmost effort will be required to sustain enough able bodied men and women until time for planting the spring harvest, said the advisory committee, which added that the next few months will be the most critical period.

TAX LEVY IN MINN. FOR 1929 HUGH SUM

Total Levied in State Last Year, $115,391,095, Auditor Reports.

The total amount of taxes levied in Minnesota for 1920, on a valuation of real and personal property of $2,084,286,979, after all exemptions are deducted, is $115,391,095.69, according to the abstract of the state tax lists, made public by M. J. Desmond, acting state auditor. The average rate of taxation for the year was 55.243 mills.

The total taxes levied a year previously were $96,938,105.04, on a state valuation of $1,774,607,364, and the average rate was 54.63 mills, the lists show.

Of the amount of taxes levied for 1920, the state receives $11,339,354.71, of which amount $8,695,873.42 is credited to the state revenue, soldiers' relief, state road and bridge, prison building, and other funds; $2,563,703.40, school and University fund, and $79,777.80 to teachers' retirement and insurance fund.

The balance of the levy is apportioned to the respective county taxes, the city and village, township and school district taxes.

The county taxes revert to the following funds:

Revenue fund, $7,448,076; road and bridge, $10,843,682; poor, $1,122,643; interest and principal on state loans, $72,875; bonds, $868,778½ or a total of $21,691,078.

The city and village taxes are divided as follows:

Revenue, $16,952,445; road and bridge, $1,308,793; poor, $114,804; interest and principal on state loans, $401,849; bonds, $3,327,909, and other special taxes, $6,843,768, or a total of $32,921,990.

The total township taxes are reported as $10,542478, and the total school district taxes amount to $36,691,580, according to the list.

Exclusive of the real and personal tax the state has a money and credits valuation of $443,902,869, on which the taxes levied are $1,329,365.34. Of this amount, $221,569.37 is apportioned to the state funds. One-sixth of the levy goes to county; one third of levy to township, city and village, and the remaining third is apportioned to the school district taxes. The rate on these moneys or credits is 3 mills. *The valuation placed a year ago was* $359,112,619, with a tax levy of $1,079,972. The tax rate on moneys or credits does not change, according to Mr. Desmond.

MOTOR BUS SERVICE FOR RIVER VALLEY

Crookston Rapid Transit Company Formed; Passenger Line Operations This Spring.

The Crookston Times issue of March 9, in announcing the organization a company which will operate a motor bus passenger line between Crookston and Fargo, offered the following information:

The Triangle Transit Company was organized in this city and will have its headquarters here. It is an incorporated company, and a Crookston man, Mr. Ed. Carlson, is at the head of it. This company has recently ordered two large passenger buses, and has arranged to begin some time between the 1st and 15th of April, the operation of a passenger line on a regular daily schedule between Crookston and Fargo.

These busses will leave Crookston at 8 o'clock a. m., and 2 o'clock p. m., each day, and will return at 12:30 and 7:30 o'clock each afternoon, thus making two round trips each day. Each bus has a capacity of 16 passengers, besides conveniences for carrying a limited amount of express. Regular stops will be made in all the intermediate towns and a regular schedule of fares that compare favorably with rates now charged by the railroads will be made.

The busses are being made by the White Automobile company, and are the same commodius, reliable and comfortable vehicles now being operated by the government in transportating sight-seers through Yellowstone Park.

The installation of these two busses is only the starter of this business, if the plans at present formed by the Triangle Transit company are carried out.

As soon as this route is established, it is the intention of this company to establish a line from Fargo to Detroit, and from Detroit to Crookston, thus forming a regular triangle thru a territory that takes in a large part of the Minnesota Red River valley.

The establishing of a regular passenger and express service triangle, it is expected, will be accomplished during the present season, and a regular morning and afternoon schedule both ways over this route will be established.

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The following remarkable statement was made recently by Mrs. Alice Gresham Dodd, the mother of Corporal Jas. B. Gresham, who was the first American soldier killed in France. The statement was made at the Gresham Memorial Home, which *was presented to her by the patriotic* people of Indiana as an evidence of their appreciation of the services rendered to his country by her son.

The shock of her son's death resulted in a serious breakdown in Mrs. Dodd's health, but every one will learn with interest and pleasure that she is now in splendid health again. Mrs. Dodd gives the entire credit for her recovery to the celebrated medicine, Tanlac.

She said: "After my dear boy's death I had a general breakdown in health. At first it was just indigestion. My food would upset me and I had to diet myself very carefully. I also had rheumatism with severe pains in my shoulders, back and arms and at times I would suffer greatly, and my joints would become swollen and stiff. I was hardly able to do but very little about the house and at times could not even cook a meal. I became very nervous and restless and at night would lie awake for hours.

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You read about it in the papers. Day after day you saw the dispatches of the pitiful condition of Miriam Rubin of Waukegan, Ill., suffering from a strange talking malady. And you wondered how long this eight-year-old tot could live, what caused her to talk for more than two hundred and twelve consecutive hours, prohibited solid nourishment for nine days and raised her temperature to a point which implied impending death.

Yes, you pondered over her condition as did all the medical physicians and consulting specialists whose services were tendered to rescue little Miriam. Every form of sedative had been administered without improvement, no more could they do. Then finally Dr. Paul Berger, a Chiropractor of Waukegan, pleaded for the opportunity to save the child and gained consent of the parents. But a few moments and Dr. Berger found the second and fifth vertebrae in the child's spine column out of position and adjusted them. In a short time the child's temperature had dropped four degrees and she lapsed into the first slumber she had had for a week.

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cial Welfare Workers Hear Report of Winter Meeting of Federation

re was a very good attendance last meeting of the Social Welfare section of the Woman's Club at the new Commercial club on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Shaw opened the session by very interesting account of eeting of Federated Clubs held Curtiss hotel in February. The follows:

delegates to the Mid-Winter began to arrive at the Curtiss el in large numbers as early They registered and at 10:30 alled to order by the state ent, Mrs. Allen. During the g session there was a general ence of district presidents and secretaries club presidents to club problems and plans for 2. The discussions were open delegates and many seized the tunity to ask questions border the work of the coming year. re urged by the state president tinue along the lines of citizen Americanization, public health ms and community service and rse, thrift.

iss James, with the Public h association, gave a fine out of work for clubs to follow. It d to me a very profitable pro could be worked out from her Under her suggestions came study of the life of the child, tal influences, concrete sugges

Contagious Diseases.

nder this read the lives of Pas famous for the discovery of s.

ord Lister put into force the r treatment.

"Theo. Koch, who discovered the ub-baccillis. This disease has fallen 5 points.

"Gorgas, in connection with the Panama Canal Zone.

"Walter Reed, who made conquest of the yellow fever germ.

"Study history of the bubonic plague in China and how it swept London.

"Smallpox and origin of vacination.

"Life of Florence Nightingale.

"On current problems.

"She spoke of preservation of health, recreation, recreational centers, play-grounds, wading ponds, teaching play in schools, teaching adults how to play in home and outside.

"Hygienic living, infant care, school sanitation, medical inspection, pure water supply and sanitary closets; nutrition, proper housing from the health point of view, hours of play, sleep, regularity of those things; habits of children, study of all national clubs working for public health welfare.

Prevention of Disease.

"Problems of quarantine.

"The mothers' part in this is to see that the public water supply is pure, proper sewage, pure milk supply, good meat, etc. See that all fruit, cake, etc., in public places is not allowed to come in contact with flies; know that flies are disease carriers. The mother should be able to detect disease in early stages. We should be educated properly in effacing tuberculosis. Know contagious diseases. Early attention given to cancer, heart trouble. The study of government in its attitude to health.

"Mrs. Coonan, chairman of Social and Industrial conditions, urged us to work for legislation for the welfare of mothers and children. She spoke of the last few months as having her committee making special effort to arouse the club women to support and help secure the passage of legislative measures for the welfare of mothers and children—a protection of child welfare laws, child labor laws, advancement of education and for the benefit of women who are working for the public thru the trades and industries. 'Early in the 19th century it was said of women that if they should ever organize and co-operate steadily for the welfare of women and children, such a transformation would be brought about as the world hitherto had never dreamed of. Women have so organized. Today with the open door to new responsibilities and new possibilities a new vision of organization is glimpsed.'

"Mrs. Brandrup, chairman of public health, urged the support of the public health bill which calls for the creation of county boards of health. As we progress we are coming more and more to appreciate the value of preventive measures—prevention of crime, poverty, of delinquency of premature death and sickness.' She feels in this measure we will have an opportunity to take a forward step, which will bring immediate and splendid results. We will be able to place the wealth and physical efficiency of our people on an equal plane. Thus far we have 250 small boards of health, all working for health education. She also talked about the bill for examination of cattle for tuberculosis.

"Mrs. Caswell, chairman on literature, tried to impress the club women with the great need of the story hour for children so as to create a love for good literature in early life.

"Miss Baldwin spoke at length on the library extension bill relating to public and school libraries, establishment of county libraries. Saw the necessity of all library boards studying local conditions and thru co-operation along these lines.

"Mrs. Atwood, chairman of civil service, represented the federation abroad last summer. She told of studying our American embassies; the lack of suitable quarters and limited salaries of the American ambassadors; how the federation stands for the merit system and she hoped that the men enforcing the dry law would be put under civil service. She wanted all clubs to write their senator and representatives to support the Sherman child bill.

"Mrs. Palmer, chairman of Art Committee, said, 'The Art Society of Minnesota is the child of the Federation.' The society in 1903 got its first appropriation from the legislature. This lasted 13 years, then was cut off. Women were the first to see the need of an art society and the need is greater today than in 1900.

She declared that every club should have an art program during the year. The need of art in our country is great today. She told about the Illinois lectures from history of American paintings, history of American art in gardens, civic art, school art, abolishing the unsightly bill boards. The State Art society should be relived the legislature pass a bill *before it now giving the society an appropriation.*

Senator Peterson told us something about the moving picture bill he hopes to get passed this session. He told of Mrs. Gilman coming to the senate chamber and offering a voluntary committee to visit the moving picture houses in Minneapolis. The investigation showed four per cent were obnoxious, seven per cent obscene pictures of bed rooms, 24 per cent lewd dancing, 35 per cent of them tinged with vulgarity that would do immeasurable harm to boys and girls in their teens.

Sex Problem Handled Coursely.

Supt. McConnell sent out questionnaires to superintendents of public schools. There are over 500 superintendents and at the time Sen. Peterson talked to the Federation, 375 answers had come in outside of large cities. Eighteen had no moving picture houses, 178 were indifferent to them, ten indorsed the moving pictures, 133 said very decidedly that the effect on morals was bad. Fifty in the country begged for state consorship. Only 14 states have some kind of censorship. The states of Kansas, Maryland and Ohio have fine censorship laws and they work in harmony with the managers of moving picture houses.

Mrs. Godfrey gave a talk on Americanization. She said, "We cannot compel the immigrant to love America, but we can help to educate him along these lines." Mrs. O'Toole talked of the increased responsibility which enfranchisement has placed on women and on the 'Family Court.' She stressed the need of such a court, where family quarrels could be taken before a judge and not aired to the public.

Mrs. Froehlich gave an excellent talk on thrift and outlined the plans for the state. The resolutions committee consisted of Mrs. Wolff, St. Paul, chairman; Mrs. Selvig, Crookston, and Mrs. Schisler, Winthrop.

The Federation went on record for preserving our non-political forestry board as it sands. A campaign for saner dress will be undertaken by the women. This was brought about by a talk from Mrs. Pederson of Hamline. (I heard a man say Amen when that resolution was endorsed.)

That local clubs give sympathy to Armenia by adopting one or more war orphans.

That for child welfare and public health railroads be asked to furnish day coaches with running water. Bills endorsed before congress and the Minnesota legislature for the establishment of a court for domestic relations.

At the reception Friday noon in the receiving line were Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. Preus and all district presidents.

At the midwinter breakfast the guests of honor were Governor and Mrs. Preus, Rev. Morgan, Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Plummer and Mrs. F. J. Meyers. Mrs. Carpenter, chairman of the 5th district, introduced the guests in a very happy manner. She said they were the best organized, most intelligent star cast in the community. She hoped that Gov. Preus would wend his way to the national capital, where he would shine in greater splendor. Mrs. Preus was a planet because she revolves around the "son." Mrs. Winter was likened to a brilliant comet of high speed. She shed her light by day and night. Mrs. Plummer the "big dipper"—she dips into many things and dips big. She also "scoops." Mrs. Allen was likened to an eclipse, for when she comes in view all eyes are turned on her. Then Mrs. Allen, in her quiet, dignified way, responded by talking on Community Service. In her remarks she said: "Political work will never make us great. It is from the home center that greatness must come." She concluded by repeating this quotation: "I am but one, I cannot do everything, but I can do something and, by the Grace of God, I'll *do it well.*"

Gov. Preus welcomed the women into the political field and was glad we were non-partisan. He recognized the great good a competent woman would do on the board of control, dealing as it does with 10,738 inmates in the 17 institutions directed by the board of control.

Mrs. Plummer, corresponding secretary, talked on the "vanishing lady." She compared the modern woman with the woman of her grandmother's day. The girl of her grandmother's day applied the "seen and not heard" attitude; the young girl of today attempts everything and fears nothing. Although many things must be righted, she has great faith in this generation of girls. She told, to illustrate a point, an amusing story about a letter she dictated to a public stenographer. She inserted the phrase. "That, like Martha, I was cumbered about with many duties." A little later the stenographer hurried to her and said, "Oh, Mrs. Plummer, your letter is finished but you forgot to tell me Martha's last name." (There was an uproar from the company and when it subsided, Mrs. Plummer said, "I thought it funny, too, so I went to the head stenographer to tell her and let her enjoy the joke with me. To my surprise a look of questioning appeared in her eyes and she remarked: 'But I don't know Martha's name either.' Then I went home and found in my sitting room three young people and I told the story to them. Two of them had no idea of Martha and the third was hazy." It emphasizes the fact that an important branch of history, the foundation itself, is being omitted in the teaching of our youth of today. To Mrs. Plummer the woman without religion is like a flower without perfume. All who have heard Mrs. Winter know what a forceful speaker she is. She said in her letter press is a letter which was to be sent to every city, town and hamlet in the United States, calling on club women to help make July 4th citizenship day. By this method she hopes that the coming into citizenship of our boys and girls and the alien may be given the important place in the lives of Americans that is its due. She said anyone who visits a naturalization court is not impressed with the manner in which an alien is turned into an American citizen. One club woman put it this way: The one thing that was impressed on her mind was "step lively." Mrs. Winter believes her letter will receive consideration and rally the forces of woman from coast to coast.

"On citizenship day we want bands to give stirring music, parades to add pomp, with flags of the nations represented in the year's contribution to the melting-pot—mingling with the flag of our country. We want addresses on the duties of citizenship and an impressive public service when all the newly made citizens shall bow before the Stars and Stripes.

Mrs. C. A. Nason submitted the following report on the Lyceum course. Much credit is due Mrs. Nason for the financial success which resulted from her persistent efforts in the advance sale of tickets. The total receipts were $930.35, and total disbursements $868.75, leaving a net gain of $61.60.

Approximately 100 guests were served during the afternoon. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. Geo. Biddick, Mrs. C. E. Glines, Mrs. H. J. Rustad and Mrs. A. Craik were the committee on serving.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

Mrs. Geo. Williams, 412 Main Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "I used any remedies for kidney trouble backache but had no permanent of until I bought Doan's Kidney at Curtis Drug Store. This remedy not only cured my back but made me feel better in every way, I am only sorry that Doan's didn't come to attention sooner."

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One spavined mare, coming 19 years old; one bay horse, weight 413 lb.; one iron grey gelding mare, coming 5 years old; one sorrel hoss, well matched; one mare mule, with colt at side; one brown worked hoss; one Jackass, just your age; one running horse, runs at nose; 9 head of colts, 6 steers and 3 geldings.

One Pedigreed Aberdeen Satllion Sired by Night and Damned by Everybody.

24 HEAD OF CATTLE

12 cows, good kickers, will farrow in August; 7 yearling heifers, coming 4 years old; 2 brood cows, with cream separators at side; one Poland China Bull; 2 calves, high military heels.

24 HEAD OF HOGS

One hired man, coming 37 years; 2 old bores, coming 80; 15 Rhode Island Red Sows, with milking attachments; 7 spring pigs.

SHEEP—One Hampshire ram, detachable rims; 2 yous; 10 lambs, 7 Mary, 3 not.

GOATS—One Billy Goat; 3 Nannie goats; one goatee. Come and we'll get yours.

POULTRY—One Republican rooster, has pep; one Democratic rooster, has pip; 4 dozen hens, with egg; 40 spring chickens, coming 6 years old; one Single Comb Jersey Red Hired girl (some chicken); 7 old hens, can vote.

MACHINERY

Rolling pin; separator, with mortgage attached; narrow toed corn cultivator; 2 bull rakes; 1 cow rake; sulky wife; DeLaval hay loader, with 40 rds. wire; Dear corn planter; Gillette corn harvester; Ford coin separator; road drag, never used; set rope harness, twine condition; International riding saw; pint gasoline.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS — Talking machine (mother-in-law, had as new); side board, nothing in it; 6 kegs, empty; twin beds, one good as new; perambulator, guaranteed 6,000 miles; and other articles too sad to mention.

FREE LUNCH—If you pay for it —by Men's Aid Society of Poker Flat.

TERMS—Cash; Balance 6 months in county jail.

R. U. SOLDE, Owner.

Col. Hi Price, Auctioneer. Ike N. Squeezem, Clerk.

NEW FARM THRIFT CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Minnesota Producers Urged to Repair or Exchange Machinery to Reduce Exepense.

Minnesota farmers have started their own thrift campaign.

The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has sent out a call to every county farm bureau for "repair and exchange bees." The "bees" apply to farm machinery.

"In view of high prices of farm machinery," the federation said in its message to farmers of the state, "the federation regards it as of the utmost importance for every farmer to repair every serviceable piece of machinery before he needs it, so that he will not have to make unnecessary purchases as a result of finding his equipment broken at the last moment."

Farmers were urged to exchange parts from machinery too much worn to be repaired, and use them to save the expense of buying new parts. The machinery thrift campaign in Minnesota is part of a nationwide movement launched by the American Farm Bureau federation, and taken up by the farmers in Illinois, Iowa and other middlewest and northwest states.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Read This Announcement and Act Quickly

All manufacturers and the trade papers say that prices of jewelry will not drop. They are right. Jewelry did not advance in price as compared with other goods and it cannot go down, because manufacturing costs have not dropped, and will not drop to any extent. But the public is looking for reductions. Almost every line of business is having reduction sales. We believe that it will help in the readjustment and pay in the long run to take a loss now.

We therefore offer you the opportunity to purchase anything in our stock including all the new goods, at 25% off the present price, excepting diamonds, watches and wedding rings which will be sold at 15% discount. This offer is good for 15 days only.

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are now here and will be played for your approval.

The selections cover a wide range and something suitable for every occasion and pleaing to every taste will be found.

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Faultless Bread

—is the satisfying, delicious, economical loaf in the waxed-paper wrapper. Insist on it at your grocer's.

Jung's Quality Bakery

Bread is your best food EAT MORE OF IT

Thief River Falls Will Be Short More Than 100 Residence Houses This Spring

When the season is a little farther advanced and employment is again general there will be a demand for homes and the shortage will be more marked than a year ago. This can mean but one thing—higher rents.

Every community in the United States is preparing for a building boom. There is not a city, town or hamlet that has not permitted itself to lag behind on its housing program. When all get started catching up there will be an unprecedented demand for building material. Prices will certainly be forced higher than the present low level.

The time to buy is NOW. Build later if this will prove more convenient, but do not delay in placing your order for the required material. By attending to the matter at once you will save money —on this subject all authorities are agreed. The hauling cost will also be less if you buy while sleighs can be used. In fact, every indication points in one direction—

BUY NOW!

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Our experience, extending over a quarter of a century right in this community, is at your service in making up your bill of goods—and it is free.

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FARMERS WAR ON BLUE SKY FRAUDS

Federation Launches Move to Check Promotion of Worthless Companies in State.

"Blue sky" salesmen and fake promoters have a new foe in Minnesota. Sixty thousand farmers, through their state organization, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, announce their intention of breaking up the "skin games" by which, according to estimates of the state securities commission, millions of dollars are filched from the citizens of Minnesota every year.

The state federation has undertaken an intensive campaign to organize blue sky committees in every county and in scores of townships. These committees are to be made up of farmers. Their task is to be the investigation of doubtful promotion schemes in which their neighbors are asked to invest their money. Many county farm bureaus already have organized such committees. The state federation is calling on every county bureau that has not yet formed such a committee, to do so at once, and to urge all its members to refuse to consider any proposal to buy stock or sign contracts in promotion schemes that have not been approved by the farm bureau's "blue sky" committee in that county.

"Minnesota farmers have been swindled out of millions of dollars when they thought they were investing their savings in sound securities," L. E. Potter, president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, said. "The time has come to put an end to the work of the shady stock salesman and other bunco men. When the farmer knows that a group of his neighbors stands ready to investigate all promotion schemes, he will hesitate before handing his money over to some firm that refuses to be examined."

Swindling schemes that are beyond the reach of the present laws are being worked every day in the state, Charles J. Andre, executive officer of the state securities commission, said. "If persons who are approached by stock salesmen or agents for promotion schemes will have nothing to do with them until a committee of business-like, hardheaded farmers has investigated the proposition, the farm bureaus can save hundreds of thousands of dollars for the people of this state by helping to wipe out the fake promoter," he said.

Report Approximatelq Half Enough Money For Relief Work in China

The American committee for the China famine fund which met in New York yesterday was notified by its advisory committee in Peking that present funds from all sources are sufficient to save only 2,500,000 persons facing starvation. Messages from American consuls and missionaries in the five northern provinces indicate that the utmost effort will be required to sustain enough able bodied men and women until time for planting the spring harvest, said the advisory committee, which added that the next few months will be the most critical period.

TAX LEVY IN MINN. FOR 1929 HUGH SUM

Total Levied in State Last Year, $115,391,095, Auditor Reports.

The total amount of taxes levied in Minnesota for 1920, on a valuation of real and personal property of $2,084,286,979, after all exemptions are deducted, is $115,-391,095.69, according to the abstract of the state tax lists, made public by M. J. Desmond, acting state auditor. The average rate of taxation for the year was 552.43 mills.

The total taxes levied a year previously were $96,938,405.04, on a state valuation of $1,774,607,361, and the average rate was 54.63 mills, the lists show.

Of the amount of taxes levied for 1920, the state receives $11,339,354.71, of which amount $8,695,873.42 is credited to the state revenue, soldiers' relief, state road and bridge, prison building, and other funds; $2,563,703.40, school and University fund, and $79,777.80 to teachers' retirement and insurance fund.

The balance of the levy is apportioned to the respective county taxes, the city and village, township and school district taxes.

The county taxes revert to the following funds:

Revenue fund, $7,448,076; road and bridge, $10,843,682; poor, $1,122,643; interest and principal on state loans, $72,875; bonds, $868,778½ or a total of $21,691,078.

The city and village taxes are divided as follows:

Revenue, $16,952,446; road and bridge, $1,308,793; poor, $114,804; interest and principal on state loans, $401,849; bonds, $3,327,909, and other special taxes, $6,843,768, or a total of $32,921,990.

The total township taxes are reported as $10,542478, and the total school district taxes amount to $36,691,580, according to the list.

Exclusive of the real and personal tax the state has a money and credits valuation of $443,902,869, on which the taxes levied are $1,329,365.34. Of this amount, $221,569.37 is apportioned to the state funds. One-sixth of the levy goes to county; one third of levy to township, city and village, and the remaining third is apportioned to the school district taxes. The rate on these moneys or credits is 3 mills. *The valuation placed a year ago was* $359,112,619, with a tax levy of $1,079,972. The tax rate on moneys or credits does not change, according to Mr. Desmond.

MOTOR BUS SERVICE FOR RIVER VALLEY

Crookston Rapid Transit Company Formed; Passenger Line Operations This Spring.

The Crookston Times, issue of March 9, in announcing the organization a company which will operate a motor bus passenger line between Crookston and Fargo, offered the following information:

The Triangle Transit Company was organized in this city and will have its headquarters here. It is an incorporated company, and a Crookston man, Mr. Ed. Carlson, is at the head of it. This company has recently ordered two large passenger buses, and has arranged to begin some time between the 1st and 15th of April, the operation of a passenger line on a regular daily schedule between Crookston and Fargo.

These busses will leave Crookston at 8 o'clock a. m., and 2 o'clock p. m., each day, and will return at 12:30 and 7:30 o'clock each afternoon, thus making two round trips each day. Each bus has a capacity of 16 passengers, besides conveniences for carrying a limited amount of express. Regular stops will be made in all the intermediate towns and a regular schedule of fares that compare favorably with rates now charged by the railroads will be made.

The busses are being made by the White Automobile company, and are the same commodious, reliable and comfortable vehicles now being operated by the government in transporting sight-seers through Yellowstone Park.

The installation of these two busses is only the starter of this business, if the plans at present formed by the Triangle Transit company are carried out.

As soon as this route is established, it is the intention of this company to establish a line from Fargo to Detroit, and from Detroit to Crookston, thus forming a territory of the Mi The esta senger an it is expe during the ular morni both ways tablished.

MRS. ALICE GRESHAM DODD, mother of first American soldier killed in France, who gives entire credit for recovery of her health to the well-known medicine, Tanlac.

The following remarkable statement was made recently by Mrs. Alice Gresham Dodd, the mother of Corporal Jas. B. Gresham, who was the first American soldier killed in France. The statement was made at the Gresham Memorial Home, which *was presented to her by the patriotic* people of Indiana as an evidence of their appreciation of the services rendered to his country by her son.

The shock of her son's death resulted in a serious breakdown in Mrs. Dodd's health, but every one will learn with interest and pleasure that she is now in splendid health again. Mrs. Dodd gives the entire credit for her recovery to the celebrated medicine, Tanlac.

She said: "After my dear boy's death I had a general breakdown in health. At first it was just indigestion. My food would upset me and I had to diet myself very carefully. I also had rheumatism with severe pains in my shoulders, back and arms and at times I would suffer greatly, and my joints would become swollen and stiff. I was hardly able to do but very little about the house and at times could not even cook a meal. I became very nervous and restless and at night would lie awake for hours.

"A friend of mine advised me to try Tanlac. I am glad I did, for it proved to be the best medicine I have ever taken. It soon gave me a splendid appetite and relieved me entirely of indigestion. My rheumatism also disappeared and I am now able to do my house-work with the greatest ease. My nerves are steady and strong. I sleep well at night and my health is better than in years. I shall always be greateful for what Tanlac has done for me."

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cial Welfare Workers Hear Report of Winter Meeting of Federation

re was a very good attendance last meeting of the Social Welsection of the Woman's Club at the new Commercial club on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Shaw opened the session by a very interesting account of eeting of Federated clubs held Curtiss hotel in February. The follows:

delegates to the Mid-Winter began to arrive at the Cur- el in large numbers as early . They registered and at 10:30 called to order by the state nt, Mrs. Allen. During the g session there was a general ence of district presidents and secretaries club presidents to club problems and plans for . The discussions were open delegates and many seized the tunity to ask questions borderthe work of the coming year. re urged by the state president inue along the lines of citizenAmericanization, public health ins and community service and arse, thrift.

iss James, with the Public h association, gave a fine outf work for clubs to follow. It to me a very profitable procould be worked out from her

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Contagious Diseases.

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"Theo. Koch, who discovered the ub-baccillis. This disease has fallen 5 points.

"Gorgas, in connection with the Panama Canal Zone.

"Walter Reed, who made conquest of the yellow fever germ.

"Study history of the bubonic plague in China and how it swept London.

"Smallpox and origin of vacination.

"Life of Florence Nightingale.

"On current problems.

"She spoke of preservation of health, recreation, recreational centers, play-grounds, wading ponds, teaching play in schools, teaching adults how to play in home and outside.

"Hygienic living, infant care, school sanitation, medical inspection, pure water supply and sanitary closets; nutrition, proper housing from the health point of view, hours of play, sleep, regularity of these things; habits of children, study of all national clubs working for public health welfare.

Prevention of Disease.

"Problems of quarantine.

"The mothers' part in this is to see that the public water supply is pure, proper sewage, pure milk supply, good meat, etc. See that all fruit, cake, etc., in public places is not allowed to come in contact with flies; know that flies are disease carriers. The mother should be able to detect disease in early stages. We should be educated properly in effacing tuberculosis. Know contagious diseases. Early attention given to cancer, heart trouble. The study of government in its attitude to health.

"Mrs. Coonan, chairman of Social and Industrial conditions, urged us to work for legislation for the welfare of mothers and children. She spoke of the last few months as having her committee making special effort to arouse the club women to support and help secure the passage of legislative measures for the welfare of mothers and children—a protection of child welfare laws, child labor laws, advancement of education and for the benefit of women who are working for the public thru the trades and industries. 'Early in the 19th century it was said of women that if they should ever organize and co-operate steadily for the welfare of women and children, such a transformation would be brought about as the world hitherto had never dreamed of. Women have so organized. Today with the open door to new responsibilities and new possibilities a new vision of organization is glimpsed.'

"Mrs. Brandrup, chairman of public health, urged the support of the public health bill which calls for the creation of county boards of health. As we progress we are coming more and more to appreciate the value of preventive measures—prevention of crime, poverty, of delinquency of premature death and sickness. She feels in this measure we will have an opportunity to take a forward step, which will bring immediate and splendid results. We will be able to place the wealth and physical efficiency of our people on an equal plane. Thus far we have 250 small boards of health, all working for health education. She also talked about the bill for examination of cattle for tuberculosis.

"Mrs. Caswell, chairman on literature, tried to impress the club women with the great need of the story hour for children so as to create a love for good literature in early life.

"Miss Baldwin spoke at length on the library extension bill relating to public and school libraries, establishment of county libraries. Saw the necessity of all library boards studying local conditions and thru co-operation along these lines.

"Mrs. Atwood, chairman of civil service, represented the federation abroad last summer. She told of studying our American embassies; the lack of suitable quarters and limited salaries of the American ambassadors; how the federation stands for the merit system and she hoped that the men enforcing the dry law would be put under civil service. She wanted all clubs to write their senator and representatives to support the Sherman child bill.

"Mrs. Palmer, chairman of Art Committee, said, 'The Art Society of Minnesota is the child of the Federation.' The society in 1903 got its first appropriation from the legislature. This lasted 13 years, then was cut off. Women were the first to see the need of an art society and the need is greater today than in 1900.

She declared that every club should have an art program during the year. The need of art in our country is great today. She told about the Illinois lectures from history of American paintings, history of American art in gardens, civic art, school art, abolishing the unsightly bill boards. The State Art society should be revived the legislature pass a bill before it now giving the society an appropriation.

Senator Peterson told us something about the moving picture bill he hopes to get passed this session. He told of Mrs. Gilman coming to the senate chamber and offering a voluntary committee to visit the moving picture houses in Minneapolis. The investigation showed four per cent were obnoxious, seven per cent obscene pictures of bed rooms, 24 per cent lewd dancing, 35 per cent of them tinged with vulgarity that would do immeasurable harm to boys and girls in their teens.

Sex Problem Handled Coarsely.

Supt. McConnell sent out questionnaires to superintendents of public schools. There are over 500 superintendents and at the time Sen. Peterson talked to the Federation, 375 answers had come in outside of large cities. Eighteen had no moving picture houses, 178 were indifferent to them, ten indorsed the moving pictures, 138 said very decidedly that the effect on morals was bad. Fifty in the country begged for state censorship. Only 14 states have some kind of censorship. The states of Kansas, Maryland and Ohio have fine censorship laws and they work in harmony with the managers of moving picture houses.

Mrs. Godfrey gave a talk on Americanization. She said, "We cannot compel the immigrant to love America, but we can help to educate him along these lines." Mrs. O'Toole talked of the increased responsibility which enfranchisement has placed on women and on the 'Family Court.' She stressed the need of such a court, where family quarrels could be taken before a judge and not aired to the public.

Mrs. Froehlich gave an excellent talk on thrift and outlined the plans for the state. The resolutions committee consisted of Mrs. Wolff, St. Paul, chairman; Mrs. Selvig, Crookston, and Mrs. Schisler, Winthrop.

The Federation went on record for preserving our non-political forestry board as it stands. A campaign for saner dress will be undertaken by the women. This was brought about by a talk from Mrs. Pederson of Hamline. (I heard a man say Amen when that resolution was endorsed.)

That local clubs give sympathy to Armenia by adopting one or more war orphans.

That for child welfare and public health railroads be asked to furnish day coaches with running water. Bills endorsed before congress and the Minnesota legislature for the establishment of a court for domestic relations.

At the reception Friday noon in the receiving line were Mrs. Carpenter, Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. Preus and all district presidents.

At the midwinter breakfast the guests of honor were Governor and Mrs. Preus, Rev. Morgan, Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Plummer and Mrs. F. J. Meyers. Mrs. Carpenter, chairman of the 5th district, introduced the guests in a very happy manner. She said they were the best organized, most intelligent star cast in the community. She hoped that Gov. Preus would wend his way to the national capital, where he would shine in greater splendor. Mrs. Preus was a planet because she revolves around the "son." Mrs. Winter was likened to a brilliant comet of high speed. She shed her light by day and night. Mrs. Plummer the "big dipper"—she dips into many things and dips big. She also "scoops." Mrs. Allen was likened to an eclipse, for when she comes in view all eyes are turned on her. Then Mrs. Allen, in her quiet, dignified way, responded by talking on Community Service. In her remarks she said: "Political work will never make us great. It is from the home center that greatness must come." She concluded by repeating this quotation: "I am but one, I cannot do everything, but I can do something and, by the Grace of God, I'll do it well."

Gov. Preus welcomed the women into the political field and was glad we were non-partisan. He recognized the great good a competent woman would do on the board of control, dealing as it does with 10,738 inmates in the 17 institutions directed by the board of control.

Mrs. Plummer, corresponding secretary, talked on the "vanishing lady." She compared the modern woman with the woman of her grandmother's day. The girl of her grandmother's day applied the "seen and not heard" attitude; the young girl of today attempts everything and fears nothing. Although many things must be righted, she has great faith in this generation of girls. She told, to illustrate a point, an amusing story about a letter she dictated to a public stenographer. She inserted the phrase, "That, like Martha, I was cumbered about with many duties." A little later the stenographer hurried to her and said, "Oh, Mrs. Plummer, your letter is finished but you forgot to tell me Martha's last name." (There was an uproar from the company and when it subsided, Mrs. Plummer said, "I thought it funny, too, so I went to the head stenographer to tell her and let her enjoy the joke with me. To my surprise a look of questioning appeared in her eyes and she remarked: 'But I don't know Martha's name either.' Then I went home and found in my sitting room three young people and I told the story to them. Two of them had no idea of Martha and the third was hazy." It emphasizes the fact that an important branch of history, the foundation itself, is being omitted in the teaching of our youth of today. To Mrs. Plummer the woman without religion is like a flower without perfume. All who have heard Mrs. Winter know what a forceful speaker she is. She said in her letter press is a letter which was to be sent to every city, town and hamlet in the United States, calling on club women to help make July 4th citizenship day. By this method she hopes that the coming into citizenship of our boys and girls and the alien may be given the important place in the lives of Americans that is its due. She said anyone who visits a naturalization court is not impressed with the manner in which an alien is turned into an American citizen. One club woman put it this way: The one thing that was impressed on her mind was "step lively." Mrs. Winter believes her letter will receive consideration and rally the forces of woman from coast to coast.

"On citizenship day we want bands to give stirring music, parades to add pomp, with flags of the nations represented in the year's contribution to the melting-pot—mingling with the flag of our country. We want addresses on the duties of citizenship and an impressive public service when all the newly made citizens shall bow before the Stars and Stripes.

Mrs. C. A. Nason submitted the following report on the Lyceum course. Much credit is due Mrs. Nason for the financial success which resulted from her persistent efforts in the advance sale of tickets. The total receipts were $930.35, and total disbursements $868.75, leaving a net gain of $61.60.

Approximately 100 guests were served during the afternoon. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. Geo. Biddick, Mrs. C. E. Glines, Mrs. H. J. Rustad and Mrs. A. Craik were the committee on serving.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

Mrs. Geo. Williams, 412 Main Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "I used many remedies for kidney trouble backache but had no permanent relief until I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Curtis Drug Store. This remedy not only cured my back but made me feel better in every way. I am only sorry that Doan's didn't come to my attention sooner."

OVER SEVEN YEARS LATER Mrs. Williams said: "During the past years Doan's Kidney Pills have done the work whenever I have used them for kidney weakness. I hold Doan's in the same high estimation as when I first endorsed them."

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EVERY day counts big in building up a sturdy body.

And nourishing diet is first aid to sturdiness. Keep your child in robust health up to twelve, and you won't need to worry about his future.

Bread is building food, so cut the slices thick.

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One spavined mare, coming 19 years old; one bay horse, weight 413 lb.; one iron grey gelding mare, coming 5 years old; one sorrel hoss, well matched; one mare mule, with colt at side; one brown worked hoss; one Jackass, just your age; one running horse, runs at nose; 9 head of colts, 6 steers and 3 geldings.

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24 HEAD OF CATTLE

12 cows, good kickers, will farrow in August; 7 yearling heifers, coming 4 years old; 2 brood cows, with cream separators at side; one Poland China Bull; 2 calves, high military heels.

24 HEAD OF HOGS

One hired man, coming 37 years; 2 old bores, coming 80; 15 Rhode Island Red Sows, with milking attachments; 7 spring pigs.

SHEEP—One Hampshire ram, detachable rims; 2 yous; 10 lamb, 7 Mary, 3 not.

GOATS—One Billy Goat; 3 Nannie goats; one goatee. Come and we'll get yours.

POULTRY—One Republican rooster, has pep; one Democratic rooster, has pip; 4 dozen hens, with eggs; 40 spring chickens, coming 6 years old; one Single Comb Jersey Red Hired girl (some chicken); 7 old hens, can vote.

MACHINERY

Rolling pin; separator, with mortgage attached; narrow tired corn cultivator; 2 bull rakes; 1 cow rake; sulky wife; DeLaval hay loader, with 40 rds. wire; Dear corn planter; Gillette corn harvester; Ford coin separator; road drag, never used; set rope harness, twine condition; International riding saw; pint gasoline.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS — Talking machine (mother-in-law, bad as new); side board, nothing in it; 6 kegs, empty; twin beds, one good as new; perambulator, guaranteed 6,000 miles; and other articles too sad to mention.

FREE LUNCH—If you pay for it—by Men's Aid Society of Poker Flat.

TERMS—Cash; Balance 6 months in county jail.

R. U. SOLDE, Owner.

Col. Hi Price, Auctioneer. Ike N. Squeezem, Clerk.

NEW FARM THRIFT CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Minnesota Producers Urged to Repair or Exchange Machinery to Reduce Exepense.

Minnesota farmers have started their own thrift campaign.

The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has sent out a call to every county farm bureau for "repair and exchange bees." The "bees" apply to farm machinery.

"In view of high prices of farm machinery," the federation said in its message to farmers of the state, "the federation regards it as of the utmost importance for every farmer to repair every serviceable piece of machinery before he needs it, so that he will not have to make unnecessary purchases as a result of finding his equipment broken at the last moment."

Farmers were urged to exchange parts from machinery too much worn to be repaired, and use them to save the expense of buying new parts. The machinery thrift campaign in Minnesota is part of a nationwide movement launched by the American Farm Bureau federation, and taken up by the farmers in Illinois, Iowa and other middlewest and northwest states.

"We only Bought Rat Poison Twice," writes Jesse Smith, N. J.

"I threw the first kind away; couldn't be bothered mixing it with meat, cheese. Then I tried Rat-Snap. SAY, that's the stuff! It comes in cakes, all ready to use. And it sure does kill rats." 35c, 65c, $1.25.

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We therefore offer you the opportunity to purchase anything in our stock including all the new goods, at 25% off the present price, excepting diamonds, watches and wedding rings which will be sold at 15% discount. This offer is good for 15 days only.

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Thief River Falls Will Be Short More Than 100 Residence Houses This Spring

When the season is a little farther advanced and employment is again general there will be a demand for homes and the shortage will be more marked than a year ago. This can mean but one thing—higher rents.

Every community in the United States is preparing for a building boom. There is not a city, town or hamlet that has not permitted itself to lag behind on its housing program. When all get started catching up there will be an unprecedented demand for building material. Prices will certainly be forced higher than the present low level.

The time to buy is NOW. Build later if this will prove more convenient, but do not delay in placing your order for the required material. By attending to the matter at once you will save money—on this subject all authorities are agreed. The hauling cost will also be less if you buy while sleighs can be used. In fact, every indication points in one direction—

BUY NOW!

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

Our experience, extending over a quarter of a century right in this community, is at your service in making up your bill of goods—and it is free.

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American Legion Corner

EX-SERVICE MEN ARE UNDER OBSERVATION OF HEALTH SERVICE

Three Former Soldiers Leave For Purpose of Having Extent of Disabilities Ascertained by Government Medical Inspectors.

Glenn C. Anderson and Arthur W. Thoreson, ex-service men who make their residence in Thief River Falls, left for the twin cities the first of the week to undergo strict observation at the hands of medical authorities of the U. S. Public Health service. Surgical operations, it is thought, will be imperative in both cases. Harold Provencher will leave here on Sunday evening for the same purpose.

Glenn C. Anderson, son of County Auditor T. P. Anderson, was one of the first from Pennington county to enlist during the late war. He was assigned to the First Minnesota Infantry in a clerical capacity, later transferred to headquarters, 89th Division, and then again to headquarters, 10th Division, with which he served as chief clerk until after the armistice was signed. Medical treatment is made imperative by disability incurred while in the service, he having been unwell ever since his discharge.

Arthur W. Thoreson is at present the representative of the Armour Packing company for this territory. As an observer he served sixteen months with the 266th Aero Squadron and two months with the 1103rd Aero Squadron, much of his enlistment period being spent in France, where the former named organization had headquarters at Tours. On June 28, 1918, he fell with his machine at Selfridge Field, Michigan, suffering an injury about the head, which has since necessitated several surgical operations. His pilot, Lieutenant Boyle, was killed in the plane accident.

Harold Provencher is employed at the Hotel Evelyn as chef. As a member of Battery F, 151st Field Artillery, he spent over eighteen months on French and German soil, surviving many of the most rigorous military campaigns which followed the declaration of war by the United States. His present disability is due to having absorbed a large quantity of mustard gas fumes.

LOCALS VICTORS IN ANOTHER BRILLIANT BASKETBALL MATCH

Defeat Company G Team of St. Paul After Getting Small End of Score in First Half—Eleventh in Succession.

The Thief River Falls Legion basketballers won their eleventh successive victory Saturday night when they defeated the Company G quint of St. Paul, 29 to 20, in a game played on the city auditorium floor. It was a game replete with thrills, and kept the huge crowd at fever pitch from the starting whistle to the final toot.

Visitors Take First Half.

Both teams started the contest in a determined manner, Holzknecht of the locals taking the first field basket from the center line after two minutes of playing. Keefe immeditely thereafter tied the score with a field goal made after two unsuccessful attempts. Carlson within the next three minutes took his five into the lead again by making the circle twice from the field, while Knopp scored on one personal foul and lost two others. Belden also made a pretty and successful shot from near center. With ten minutes gone Carlson made the hoop for the third time, following that with a successful free throw granted on Knopp's personal. The St. Paul men then took time out; and McGinn went out with a bloody nose to be replaced by Johnson. When play was resumed, Carlson and Hadrath missed comparatively easy shots and the latter was replaced by LaBree. Knopp scored on Kiland's personal foul; Carlson failed to do so on Knopp's personal twice in rapid succession. Keef's second field goal was followed by wild shooting and passing on the part of the Legion men, while the visitors took the lead with Knopp netting two balls in long clean shots. St. Paul [illegible] close of the half, which ended with a score of 12 to 9 in their favor.

Real Battling in Second.

The second half opened with the play surging wildly from one end of the floor to the other. Carlson took two field baskets, Holzknecht one and LaBree one in the first four minutes, during which time Carlson, for the locals, and Belden, for the visitors, lost free throws. The playing that followed was the most spirited of the entire game. Nelson netted a ball from the field after which Carlson made a successful free throw. LaBree who failed to get into action properly was replaced by Kiland. Knopp scored on a field throw. After eight and a half minutes of play, Thief River took time out. McGinn, who had been put back in the game with the beginning of the half, was still groggy and Johnson went in in his place for the second time. Two personals were called on Belden, one immediately following the other, Carlson missing the first free throw and making the second. The latter shortly after added four more points to his quint's total with two hoops made after fast passes from Holzknecht. Knopp missed a free throw on a technical and Carlson missed two on personals. Belden missed the net on Johnson's personal. Holzknecht then took the game to himself for over a minutes time during which he made two of his sensational basket shots from the center of the field, but it became necessary for his team to take time out when he was floored in the clash that followed. The battling that ensued grew hotter and hotter, bringing spectators to their feet, while Nelson of the downstate five, whose guarding at all times was of the finest type, made one basket. Kiland missed the circle at a time when he had the floor to himself but caught the ball and plopped it into the net as the opposing guards and center fell upon him. Belden took another two points just before the whistle blew, with the score standing at 29 to 20.

Carlson Comes Back.

Knopp was easily deserving of the honors for his team, in spite of his repeated fouling and his tendency to take long chances at the net. Nelson Keefe, and Belden also played well. For the Legion men, Carlson, who had returned to his stride, of former games, and Holzknecht did the major share of the work. The latter was guilty of several wild and too speedy passes.

Company G.		Legion
Nelson	RF	Carlson
Knopp	LF	Kiland
Belden	C	Hadrath
Bettenburg	RG	Holzknecht
Keefe	LG	McGinn

LaBree substituted for Hadrath and Johnson for McGinn.

Company G scoring: Field goals—Keefe 2, Belden 2, Knopp 3, Nelson 2. Free throws: Knopp 2 out of 5; Belden missed two.

Legion scoring: Field goals—Holzknecht 4, Carlson 7, LaBree 1, Kiland 1. Free throws: Carlson 3 out of 9.

Perry Johnson refereed the game.

Two More Enter Training.

Emil Hedlund of Thief River Falls, and Edward Clementson of Kratka are two more ex-service men from Pennington county to enter training thru the workings of the Federal Board for Vocational Training which conducted a two day session here during the early part of February. Both men left for the district office at Fargo on Monday.

The former named service man entered training in August, 1918, and very shortly after was sent to France and the firing line. After the armistice was signed he served with the army of occupation in Germany, during which time he contracted lung trouble. He has been under the observation of government medical authorities since his discharge. Edward Clementson enlisted in February, 1918, and served with the A. E. F. until after the close of hostilities.

Where are Yngve and Steen?

Information is needed from Anton Yngve, formerly a corporal, Co. C, 26th Bn. U. S. G., and Sanford Steen in regard to their claims for government compensation. The address of both men is given as Thief River Falls. They, or anyone having knowledge as to their whereabouts, are urged to get in touch with County Auditor T. P. Anderson, chairman of the home service section of the Pennington County Red Cross chapter, by whom the requests for information have been received.

Time For Chow.

Ex-service men, their ladies and their families are urged to line-up and have chow with the members of the Woman's Auxiliary next Tuesday night at the Commercial club rooms. Out-of-town auxiliary members and service men are given a special invitation to attend [illegible] is the regular monthly "open house" of the auxiliary.

Will Hold Examination For Carrier on Route 2

The United States Civil Service commission has announced an examination for Pennington county to be held at Thief River Falls April 9, to fill the position of rural mail carrier on Route 2 out of this city. An examination to fill the same vacancy as held during last December bu ne of those taking the examination ere able to quality and a temporary an has been driving the route. The lary of carrier on Route 2 is 2,010, it being in excess of 24 miles length.

The examination will be open only citizens who actually domiciled in he territory of a post office in the ounty and who meet the other reuirements set forth in Form No. 977. Both men and women, if qualied, may enter this examination, but ppointing officers have the legal ight to specify the sex desired in equesting certificates of eligibles. omen will not be considered for rurl carrier appointment unless they are he widows of U. S. soldiers, sailors, r marines, or the wives of U. S. oldiers, sailors, or marines who are hysicially disqualified for examinaon by reason of injuries received in the line of military duty. Form No. 977 and application blanks may be btained from the Thief River Falls postoffice or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. Applications should be orwarded to the Commission at Washington, D. C., at the earliest practicable date.

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Resources Over One Million Dollars

Overheated Stove Causes $2000 Fire Sunday Night

Fire on Sunday night between 8 and 9 o'clock partially destroyed the residence of Soo Line Conductor Charles Maidment, 410 Crocker avenue north. Damage to the residence and household property is estimated at approximately $2,000, the loss being fully covered by insurance. Response to the alarm by the fire department was prompt and the blaze was well under control when members of the family, who had left the house early in the afternoon, arrived on the scene. An overheated stove is held responsible for the conflagration.

Plan to Market Own Grain

Establishment of a national sales agency for the benefit of organized farmers, the formation of a tremendous financial corporation which will pool the combined assets of the American farmers and the creation of a foreign trade corporation to take the surplus export grain off the market each year, thereby stabilizing the local market, these are the recommendations embodied in the report of the Committee of Seventeen. The committee proposes that the organized farmers of America, working under the leadership of the American Farm Bureau federation, shall take over to themselves the entire grain marketing machinery, according to the St. Paul Farmer. A more revolutionary movement was never proposed, yet the Committee of Seventeen presents the new plan as entirely practicable.

Last October the American Farm Bureau Federation, which is made up of nearly two million actual farmers, appointed the famous Committee of Seventeen for the purpose of formulating a gigantic plan for the co-operative marketing of grain crops. The members of this committee were intended to represent all of the agricultural interests and farm organizations of the country. The committee was given unlimited means to study all existing marketing plans of this and other countries, particular attention being given to the very successful fruit growers association of California and to the Grain Growers association of Canada. The only instructions were to report back to the united farmers of America a plan that would correct present marketing abuses and give to the grain grower all possible profit.

The committee has now reported and its report marks one of the important turning points in the agricultural history of America. Plans adopted by the Committee of Seventeen call for a farmer-owned national grain marketing agency to handle the surplus grain crops of the United States and thereby eliminate waste in distribution, provide for orderly marketing and more stable prices, and add materially to the grower's net returns without increasing the cost to the consumer.

Meetings will soon be held in each of the various states for consideration and ratification of the plan. It is so vital that every farmer, business man middleman in each community should be familiar with all of its details as covered by the complete report of the Committee of Seventeen in the March 12 issue of The St. Paul Farmer.

BRING IN YOUR POTATOES

¶Our warehouse is now open for the receipt of potatoes in large or small lots. The market is steady at present and this is a good time to sell.

Peterson-Biddick

Rail Notes

Railroads Cannot Reduce Wages Without Hearing

The railway labor board Monday handed down a decision ruling that the Erie Railway had violated a previous board ruling in six respects in reducing the wages of its employes and in failing to cancel these reductions when ordered to do so by the board. The road had contended the board must hold a hearing before ordering the restoration of previous rates of pay.

The railroad ordered a 27 percent reduction in the pay of track men effective February 1st and later ignored the board's demand that the wages should be re-established to meet the order in the board's decision of July, 1920. The road set a precedent by contending a hearing should be held on the board's order. Had Monday's decision been favorable to Erie it would have opened up a score of similar contentions by other roads.

Division Jottings.

Thief River Falls travelers over the Soo Winnipeg division during the past week were: Mrs. C. A. Joslin to Bemidji; Mrs. Peter Kolden and daughter to St. Paul; Eva Eklund to Warren; John Eliason to Detroit; George Larson to Warren; G. H. Husby to Minneapolis; Lawrence Eklund to Warren; C. J. Bugge and son to Alexandria; Mrs. Arthur Belland to Oklee; Orville Herron to Viking; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Novak to Lankin.

B. C. Gire, agent at Bijou, was in Detroit between trains on Tuesday.

G. W. Hawes, general agent for this territory, was in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

J. O. Herrick, agent at Warren and A. Anderson, bridge foreman with headquarters at Adams, attended the Safety First meeting at Thief River Falls on Monday night.

E. J. Abbott, regular agent at Tolley, who has been on a ninety day leave of absence spent in California, resumed work on Tuesday, relieving C. W. Stewart who has been transferred to Mahnomen as third trick operator.

H. B. Pfeiffer, relief agent at Plummer, spent the week end at Detroit.

F. C. Paine, agent at Erskine, resumed work on Friday, relieving H. B. Pfeiffer, who was transferred to Plummer, where he relieved G. A. Krueger on account of sickness in the latter's family.

Carl A. Hanna, Soo line brakeman, returned the later part of last week from an extended leave of absence which he spent in California.

New ginghams, 19c—J. C. Penney Co. m10

To Remodel Telemarken.

The city council in session on Tuesday night issued a building permit to Andrew Ness, granting him the privilege of remodeling the Telemarken hotel building, located on the corner of Knight avenue and fourth street. The contractor plans to alter the building to serve as a six-apartment residence flat. Present plans call for an expenditure approximating $5,000.

Bill Bids For Bathing Beauties.
(Baudette Region.)

But if it is true that, "California's real estate is humping northwards," we hereby put in a strong claim for the section where Mack Sennett rehearses his bathing beach scenes. Spooner can have the part where the old farm and the village church, are featured and Warroad is justly entitled to annex the frontier town stuff. Williams, which is a funny little place, can have the pie throwers.

In North Dakota—where have we heard that name before!—the citizens invested, during the month of January more than $5,294 in the purchase of U. S. 25 cents Thrift stamps, Savings stamps and Treasury Savings certificates.

Another Pennington Boy Makes Good in New Field

The following fine tribute concerns a former Pennington county boy whose people reside near St. Hilaire. The young man graduated as an ordained minister only last year but this notice, taken from the Blackduck American, indicates that he is making good:

"Wonderful progress has been made by the Lutheran church in the Blackduck country during the past year. Probably no other community in the northwest can show as large an increase in number of churches organized and total membership added as the gains made in this territory since the arrival of Rev. A. O. Odegaard a little over a year ago.

"Rev. Odegaard informs the American that, since his arrival on the field there have been a total of eight Lutheran congregations organized and during the same period an increase in membership of six hundred and eighty-five is reported.

"In Blackduck the membership of Zion church has more than doubled during this time. The church edifice has been moved to a more central location and remodeled and enlarged to meet the demand of the rapidly-growing congregation."

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express to our kind friends and neighbors our heartfelt thanks for their sympathy and assistance during the last illness and after the death of our father, and particularly for the beautiful floral offerings. Particularly do we wish to thank the Zion Ladies' Aid, Miss Ausilga Sorenson and Miss Laura Forde for the music at the funeral.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Thoreson. M10p

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our wife and mother, May E. Smith, and particularly for the many beautiful floral offerings at the funeral.—Andrew Smith and Family. m10p

Courses in Public Health Nursing at University

In view of the continuing active demand for public health nurses the University of Minnesota will offer a third four months' course in Public Health Nursing, commencing May 1st. This is the first half of the full eight months' course in this subject. Lectures are given in the Medical School and in the Departments of Sociology, Economics, etc. Field work is provided through the rural model practice field in Hennepin county and by the courtesy of the Associated and United Charities of the Twin Cities, the Infant Welfare and Children's Protective societies, the Visiting Nurses' association, the public schools, and a number of industrial corporations.

Admission is granted to graduates or senior nurses of approved training schools who have the necessary high school requirements.

This work for the development of public health nurses is being done in a very quiet, but effective way and is directly meeting the public need. Already 118 women have taken the courses. Application for entrance should be made to Miss Louise M. Powell, Superintendent, School of Nursing, University Hospitals, Minneapolis.

Now Is Your Chance

We have a number of slightly used, second hand Talking Machines and Phonographs, for sale at very low prices.

Thief River Music Co.

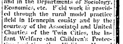

Pleasant way to break up colds

EVERYONE in the family can rely on Dr. King's New Discovery, the standard remedy for the last fifty years, to break up coughs, grippe and stubborn colds. No harmful drugs. At your druggists, 60c and $1.20.

For colds and coughs
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Constipation destroys the complexion, making it yellow and ugly. Keep the bowels at work cleaning out the system daily by using Dr. King's Pills. They do the work thoroughly and gently. Buy a bottle today, 25 cents.

Prompt! Won't Gripe
Dr. King's Pills

Shoes for Spring

Our line is this year more complete than ever before—and this applies even to the pre-war period. Manufacturers have made up for lost time in the production of natty, snappy footwear for both men and women and are putting their products on the market at a price that is within the reach of everyone. Come in and let us show you the late arrivals. You will be surprised and pleased with their distinctive lines and pleased at the moderate prices.

C. FROSETH

YOUR EASTER SUIT

[illegible] Tailoring Co.—Always a good fit. A wide range of patterns and colors. Prices from $22.50 to $54.00.

Men's Ready made suits—new snappy models and staple styles: Blues, Browns, Greens, Greys and Mixtures. Prices from $19.75 to $37.50.

Men's Pay-Day Overalls $1.25
Pay-Day Work Shirts 69c
Fast color Madras Dress Shirts $1.98
Heavy Cotton Rib Union Suits $1.49
Triangle Collars 19c
Children's Play Suits 73c
Men's Cotton Sox 15c
Men's Brown Elk 8-inch top work Shoes $3.98
Manure-proof Work Shoes, double soles, all solid leather $2.98
Men's black dress Shoes, medium or round toes $3.98 to $6.50
Men's Brown Dress Shoes, English style or round toes $4.98 to $8.90

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TRUST COMPANY AGAIN REFUSES TO KEEP WORD

Capital Trust and Savings Company Tries to Back Out of Argeement Made.

Demands Return of Certified Check Deposited as Evidence of Good Faith.

City Officials Refuse to Relinquish and Will Bring Suit to Enforce Payment.

As a result of the action taken by the Capital Trust and Savings bank of St. Paul on Saturday, the matter of paving the streets in the business section of Thief River Falls has been brought to a standstill and in all probability will remain so until the next term of the district court. The above named corporation, which on February 8, contracted to effect the sale of municipal certificates of indebtedness aggregating a quarter million dollars, has announced a disinclination to fulfill the terms of the contract, giving as a reason the present international financial situation.

Will Retain Check.

The announcement was made by telegraph on Friday and was accompanied by a request for the return of a $15,000 certified check which had been deposited with city officials as an evidence of good faith. Following the refusal of the aldermen to relinquish hold on the check, A. J. Egan, representing the St. Paul banking house, appeared here on Saturday with a writ of replevin against City Treasurer E. M. Evenson. The check, however, was held by A. H. Akre, city clerk, and was not released. Made out against the First National bank of this city, it was presented for payment on Monday forenoon by City Attorney H. O. Chommie. The bank having been notified by the Capital Trust and Savings bank to stop payment on the $15,000 check except at its own risk, refused to make the settlement and later in the day was served with a summons in which the city laid claims to that amount. And there the matter rests until the court shall decide the ownership of the slip of paper.

Two actions are represented in the case, the Capital Trust and Savings bank having brought suit to force City Treasurer E. M. Evenson to release the check.

Objectors Not to Blame.

It is admitted that the faction which has consistently opposed paving had nothing to do with this latest development. It is the second time this same bonding company has repudiated its agreement with the city and the councilmen are rather inclined to find out whether or not a contract entered into in good faith can be set aside because one of the parties finds that compliance with its provisions is inconvenient.

But no matter what the outcome, the proceeding will in all probability have the effect of postponing the beginning of paving operations for some months.

Elks to Install Officers At Meeting Friday Night

B. P. O. E. No. 1308 will hold installation of offices at the Masonic hall on Friday night, March 25, instead of April 1, the regular meeting night. This change of date was made necessary because of the Elks mask ball having previously been announced for the night of April 1. A. R. Robert of Crookston, district deputy representative of the Grand Exalted Ruler, will act as installing officer. A light lunch and suitable fireworks will mark the occasion. Officers to be installed are: H. W. Protzeller, exalted ruler; L. G. Larsen, esteemed leading knight; G. W. Connell, esteemed loyal knight; John Bratrud, esteemed lecturing knight; T. J. Austad, secretary; F. H. Herrick, treasurer; Elmer Ohm, tyler; C. Storholm, trustee.

NORWAY RECOVERS FROM WAR EFFECT WITHOUT TROUBLE

The Crown Rapidly Regaining Pre-War Status and Conditions Generally Good.

Otto P. Hoff, of Christiania, Norway, manager of the American department of Den Norske Handelsbank (Norwegian Bank of Commerce,) was in the city on business the first of the week and took occasion to look up a number of old friends. Mr. Hoff was formerly secretary to Consul H. Bendeke during the six years the latter represented the Norwegian government as consul at Grand Forks and visited Thief River Falls a number of times while residing in the Dakota city. He went to Christiania to reside five years ago.

"Bank deposits in Norway have increased between 100 and 200 per cent during the past five years, said Mr. Hoff. There has been only one bank failure in the entire country since 1895 and this was a small institution in the far north which became involved when the Russian ruble practically ceased to have a value. As an indication of the amount of actual cash available in the country at the present time, Mr. Hoff mentioned the fact that Norwegian bankers recently loaned the new government of Finland 105,000,000 crowns. Business men, he said, have no trouble in borrowing money for any legitimate purpose.

Socialism in Norway is a different development from what it is in this country, said the visitor. "Over there a Socialist is simply an avowed progressive after the Roosevelt or La-Follette stripe. In the late elections the party lost heavily in public favor and is not nearly so strong as was the case a few years ago. Bolshevism is not tolerated, he said, in spite of some suspicions to the contrary in this country.

Mr. Hoff will start from New York on his return trip on April 22. He will be much pleased if anyone visiting Christiania from this section will call on him when there and will be happy to be of any service within his power.

ERROR IN FIGURES GIVES BANK WRONG POSITION IN LIST

Correction Places Citizens State at Top in Volume of Deposits Now Held.

In giving a summary of the latest statements submitted by the banks of Thief River Falls in The Times last week an inadvertent error was made, the correction of which makes something of a difference in the relative standing of our financial institutions. While this is perhaps a minor mistake so far as the banking house is concerned, our attention has been called to it and simply as a matter of absolute fairness the tables are herewith republished with the correction made.

At the close of business on February 21, the date of the call, the condition of Thief River Falls banks was respectively as follows, rotation being observed according to the total of deposits:

	1921	1920
Citizens State	740,081.91	762,558.03
First National	$ 718,047.81	$ 821,686.63
First & Peoples	454,451.10	686,025.29
Far. & Merch.	271,673.07	255,936.28
Total	$2,184,257.85	$2,536,216.53

As the totals were taken from our own figures these were naturally wrong by exactly the $30,000 with which we failed to credit the Citizens' State bank, which leaves a total for the four of $2,184,257.85, a decrease for the year of $351,958.68. During the same period the loans and discounts decreased $93,116.44.

Laborer Fractures Skull; Dies at Hospital Here

Jack Llynk, an Austrian laborer, employed as a section hand at Lancaster, was brought to the Physicians hospital here last Wednesday night in an unconscious condition, following a fall from a railway speeder. He died Friday night without having regained consciousness. He noticed no immediate ill effects from the fall and it was not considered he had sustained serious injury until several hours later, when he became unconscious. An x-ray examination disclosed a fractured skull.

Bothun on Daily Staff.

Ben Bothun, formerly a reporter on on the Times, has for the past six months been acting as news and city editor of the Wenatchee (Washington) Daily World, according to a letter received from him during the past week.

IDENTITY UNKNOWN; DIES AT HOSPITAL

Unable to Give Account of Himself But Supposed to be G. Mount, Veterniarian.

Without having been physically able to offer the least information about himself or to account for his strange condition, an unknown man died at the Physicians hospital on Monday night, after having been in a delirium since last Friday. A subsequent examination of clothing and letters contained therein went to prove him a veterinarian by the name of Georg' Mount. He was sent here on Friday night by medical authorities at Clearbrook, where he had been for several weeks. As far as can be discovered he had made a week's stay at Leonard previous to that time. When received at the Physicians hospital he was conscious but in a crazed and stupefied condition. Rapidly becoming worse, he sank into unconsciousness later the same night and remained so until his death.

Letters in the man's pockets would indicate that a daughter and son-in-law live at Northome, Minn., but the hospital authorities have been informed by telephone that persons bearing the name given cannot be located there.

The deceased stranger is described as having been about 50 years of age, of medium height, dark complexion and smooth shaven. The body will be held here pending the receipt of further information as to the whereabouts of relatives.

Attending Circuit Meeting.

Rev. P. E. Sweger of Trinity Lutheran church, left on Monday for Holt where he was scheduled to preach the opening sermon at a circuit meeting which was held there on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The church at Holt is in Rev. Ordahl's charge.

SENATE PASSES ALL IMPORTANT FARMER BILLS

Five House Measures Are Rushed Through in Record-Breaking Time on Tuesday.

Future Trading Curbed and Chambers of Commerce Opened to Associations.

Favorable Action on All New Bills Expected by Governor Preus Without Delay.

Five house bills comprising the legislature's agricultural program for the session passed the senate on Tuesday and went to the governor for signature.

They provide:

That chambers of commerce and boards of trade shall be public markets. The state is given power to regulate all memberships.

That trading in grain futures—so-called futures gambling—shall be curbed.

That grain grading standards in Minnesota shall be revised.

That a commission of three senators and three representatives shall confer with the United States department of agriculture with a view to revising federal grain grading standards.

That the voters of Minnesota shall be given a chance to ratify or reject a constitutional amendment extending credit of the state in development of agricultural lands. This to be submitted at the next state election.

All of the measures have been tentatively approved by Governor Preus and he is expected to sign them.

Bitter fights were waged on the trading-in-futures bill and the measure throwing open the memberships in chambers of commerce and boards of trade. Some legislators look for court fights on both measures.

WOMEN APPOINTED TO SUCCEED MEN

Two Are Appointed by Mayor Bratrud to Fill Vacancies on Park Board of City.

Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard have been appointed by Mayor John Bratrud to serve on the city park board. C. L. Hansen's term has expired and H. A. Brumund has resigned since his election to the city council. Other members of the board are Emil Zeh, Dr. G. W. Booren and Dr. C. R. Crandall. The latter is chairman. One of the objects of the park board at this time is the securing of a suitable location for a public or tourist camping ground within the city limits, to accommodate summer automobile parties that carry equipment for over-night or longer stops in the open. Dr. Crandall on Monday stated that the subject would be brought up for discussion at the Commercial club noonday luncheon today. The park board at an early date will formulate plans which it is hoped will ultimately result in a city park for Thief River Falls.

Blaze Does Little Damage.

A fire which broke out in the nurse's home of the Physician's hospital here last Thursday noon, was quickly extinguished by neighboring residents who rushed to the scene following the alarm. Damage to the property was small. The fire originated in the first floor near a hot air register.

COMMERCIAL MEN INSTALL OFFICERS; COUNSELOR SPEAKS

Local Branch Shows Remarkable Growth in Membership During Year Just Closed.

A large attendance marked the meeting of Minnesota Council No. 521 of the United Commercial Travelers, held at the Masonic hall Saturday evening, when the following officers were elected and installed: John Ward, senior counselor; John L. Rolland, junior counselor; L. G. Larsen, past counselor; E. M. Bennes, secretary-treasurer; F. A. Brown, conductor; O. C. Olson, page; H. L. Larson, sentinel. J. J. Weeks and O. G. Storholm were elected to succeed themselves as members of the executive committe for a period of two years. L. G. Larsen was appointed as delegate to the grand convention, which will be held at Virginia, Minn., with O. D. Ostby as alternate.

G. L. Biddick, vice president of the Peterson-Biddick company; Isak Helseth, manager of the local branch of the Minneapolis Bridge company, and W. J. Meloy, salesman in this territory for the Drewry company of St. Paul, were initiated as members of the council immediately preceding the election of officers. Frank Tonskemper of Stillwater, grand senior counselor for this district, acted as installing officer. During the informal session of the meeting, which followed the serving of a lunch, he also talked on general activities of the U. C. T. throughout the state, and discussed the hotel situation as it exists today. Short talks were given by the new officers and new members.

The local council of the commercial travelers has shown a remarkable growth the past year, the membership having increased from 54 to 82. Over 40 members were present at the meeting Saturday night.

RED CROSS DIRECTORS, ATTENTION!

A special meeting of the board of directors of the Pennington chapter of the American Red Cross has been called for Friday afternoon, for the purpose of taking some action in regard to the Chinese Relief fund. The meeting will be held at the Commercial club rooms at 2 o'clock.

POSTOFFICE MUST HAVE NEW HOME; CONTINUE TO RENT

No Chance of Federal Building in This City For Ten Years, Say Officials.

Following brief talks by J. A. Armstrong of Bemidji, post office inspector for this district, and Postmaster John Morgan at the noonday Commercial club luncheon last Thursday, it was voted to have a committee from that organization appointed to confer with Mr. Morgan and assist in securing more suitable quarers for the Thief River Falls post office. President W. W. Hall, Jr., has since appointed as members of the committee John Bratrud, Daniel Shaw, H. C. Johnson and E. O. Mogensen.

It will undoubtedly be ten years or more before this city can secure a federal building, Mr. Armstrong stated, in speaking of the present need of larger quarters. An appropriation of $55,000 for the erection of a post office here was made in December, 1916. A later appropriation authorized the expenditure of $75,000 for that purpose. But with the war at hand, all such appropriations were practically cancelled. John W. Langly, chairman of the federal building and housing committee, in a letter to Congressman Halvor Steenerson, dated March 5, stated that because of the necessity for economy at this time and because of the pressure of emergency legislation, no general public building bill would be presented at this session, aside from that providing for the hospitalization and housing of disabled ex-service men. Congressman Steenerson has made a diligent effort to secure an appropriation for the erection in Thief River Falls of a suitable post office and federal building. Postmaster Morgan stated that even could a bill be passed at this time, it would be from five to ten years before the building would materialize.

The city post office, with the expiration of the lease on Nov. 1, will have occupied the present quarters for 16 years, and the floor space is now decidedly insufficient. Congestion of incoming and outgoing mail often occurs. In 1905 receipts approximated $8,000 and in 1920 they aggregated $26,000. Six clerks, one assistant clerk, three rural carriers, three city carriers, two star route carriers, one mail messenger and one city delivery man are now employed by the local office and must be accommodated with floor space in which to work. The present building has less than 1500 square feet of available floor space. The new lease will call for at least 2400 feet.

Wm. Cavert, expert farm management accountant of the state university farm, was also a guest and speaker at the club lunch. He spoke chiefly of farm conditions today as compared with those of years ago and explained the popular movement from the farm to the city by stating that many people were virtually "farming in the city by working at the manufacture of time and labor saving farm implements." His talk was most enthusiastically received.

The attendance at the noonday luncheons has shown a remarkable increase since the moving of the club to the new quarters, over 50 members and business men having been served each time.

HOME GUARDS WILL BE MUSTERED OUT

To Hold Reunion Saturday Night When Discharge Papers Will Be Given.

Company "C" of the 11th Battalion of home guards will assemble for the first time since 1918, at the Hotel Evelyn on Saturday evening at 10 o'clock following the Crookston-Thief River basket ball game. The distribution of discharges which have been received from the state Adjutant General's office, will be made at this time. Approximately $100 remains in the company treasury and it has been suggested that this be turned over to the local post of the American Legion to be used in relieving urgent financial or other wants of former service men. The subject will come under discussion on Saturday night. All members of the company are urged to attend the meeting, which will be in the nature of an informal smoker. A buffet luncheon will be a feature of the evening.

DELEGATES WILL MEET TO RATIFY NEW SALES PLAN

Minnesota to Send Six Farmers to National Meeting at Chicago on April 6.

Committee of Seventeen Will Ask Endorsement or Modification of Program.

Preliminary Meeting of State Organization Members at St. Paul March 22.

Representatives of Minnesota's farmer organizations will meet in St. Paul on March 22 to ratify or modify the national co-operative grain marketing plan drafted by the Committee of Sevnteen. The convention also will elect six delegates to represent Minnesota farmers at a national ratification convention in Chicago on April 6, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has announced.

Five farmers' organizations, working to improve marketing conditions, have been invited to the state convention. Two members of the Committee of Seventeen, C. V. Gregory of the American Farm Bureau federation, and J. M. Anderson of St. Paul, will outline the national marketing program worked out by the committee in five months of research. The organizations which will take part in the state convention are the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, the Farmers' Grain Dealers association, the Equity Co-operative exchange, the Minnesota Grange and the Minnesota union of the American Society of Equity. Every county farm bureau has been asked to send at least one delegate.

Seventeen state conventions already have been called to elect delegates to the national convention and six more are to be announced. The ratification plan was worked out with a view to giving every grain growing community an opportunity to approve or modify the nation-wide grain marketing plan before it is put into effect.

MAN WANTED FOR CRIME IN CANADA IS CAPTURED HERE

Escapes From Provincial Police Inspector on Trip From Chicago to Winnipeg.

Homer I. Stevens of Chicago, wanted at Edmonton, Alberta, on four counts for obtaining money under false pretenses, was taken into custody here on Tuesday morning after having escaped from his escort, Inspector John Skelton of the Manitoba provincial police. He spent most of the day in the city jail, escaping shortly after noon only to be retaken at St. Hilaire, and continued his northward trip on Wednesday morning in the custody of Inspector Skelton.

Stevens descended from the north-bound Soo flyer when it stopped here early Tuesday morning. His escort, exhausted by several nights traveling, had fallen asleep shortly before the train arrived here and did not wake until Newfolden was reached. He immediately wired Night Policeman Ed. Brooten and the latter instigated a thorough search for the missing man through the city hotels and the railroad yards, toward which his trail led. Stevens was finally taken as he tried to board a six o'clock south-bound Soo local and placed in the city jail. When taken he had effected a complete change of costume, the clothing which he had been described as wearing being found in a traveling bag carried by him.

Stevens' second escape was discovered when Chief of Police Erickson went to the city jail at noon to take the prisoner to dinner. Tracks in the fresh snow leading towards St. Hilaire, Frank McGinnity immediately gave chase and the man was again taken at the above named place after having walked the eight miles in Tuesday's blizzard. When questioned as to how he had made his escape, he stated that the cell door had not been securely locked, and he simply walked out.

Inspector Skelton, having been notified of the capture, boarded the first south-bound train out of Newfolden, took Stevens in charge upon his arrival here and continued to Winnipeg on Wednesday morning. The accused is a citizen of the United States but waived all proceedings as to extradition.

Holstein Breeders Elect Officers and Make Plans

At a meeting of the Pennington County Holstein Breeders' association held at the Farm Bureau office here on Saturday afternoon, Hans Anton was re-elected president for the ensuing year and F. D. Satre secretary-treasurer. M. T. McFarland, Fred Beerbower and V. C. Noper were appointed to a publicity committee.

According to enthusiastic expression on the part of those in attendance at the meeting, a concerted effort will be made to enroll every Holstein owner in the county as a member of the association. A committee will be appointed to inspect all Holsteins which will be shown at the Pennington county fair in August or other county or state fairs, in order that the association can be positive that the best animals are being shown. Other meetings will be called during the spring and summer to arrange for exhibiting on the show circuits of the Northwest.

Lecture and Banquet For Businessmen Wednesday

R. H. Pelz of the department of Business Economics of the state university, will speak before the Merchants association following a banquet supper at the Brumund hotel next Wednesday evening. The subject of his talk will be "The Retail Merchant's Opportunity." Business men of the city and surrounding towns are given a special invitation to attend this fourth banquet-lecture of the series. Serving of the banquet will begin promptly at 6:30.

COMPANY I TEAM COMING SATURDAY BY SPECIAL TRAIN

Crookston Legion Basketeers Expect to Wipe Out Sting of Early-Season Defeat.

The Company I basketball team of Crookston will meet the American Legion five in a return game played at the auditorium Saturday night. In an early season game Thief River Falls won from Crookston 31 to 29 on the Crookston floor. Since the defeat the locals have not lost a game, while the Crookston men, too, have taken a long string of victories to their credit. The game should be a scrap from the first toot of the whistle.

Crookston will go into the game without the services of Miller, star center, who was injured in the first few minutes of play in a game played ten days ago with the Minot Independents and will be out of the field for the remainder of the season. The rest of the Crookston men are reported as being in first-class condition for a hard battle.

A special train has been chartered to bring the Company I men and a large crowd of fans to Thief River Falls. It will leave Crookston at 5:30 and return immediately following the game. Not only will the game be one of the fastest of the season, but the enthusiasm of spectators can be expected to reach a high pitch as this is the first time that a visiting team has been backed by a large number of followers.

Epileptic Youth Committed.

Albert S. Wood, 22-year-old son of W. E. Wood, 210 Kendall avenue north, as a result of an examination conducted by city physicians on Tuesday, will be sent to the state school at Faribault. When a child he fell, striking his head, and has since been subject to epileptic fits.

Northwest Auto Dealers Meet Here This Evening

The automobile dealers of this section will meet at the Northwestern garage in this city this evening for thee purpose of organizing a district association. About 25 dealers are expected to attend, representing all of the towns on the Great Northern as far as Warroad, north to Newfolden on the Soo line and Oklee and Plummer to the south.

The aim will be to agree to go on a cash basis and to equalize prices. It has been stated that in certain cases excessive prices have been charged, particularly where emergencies have arisen, and it is for the purpose of discountenancing any such action on the part of garage men in the future that this get-together session was called.

SIX FROM COUNTY AMONG GRADUATES

Northwest School of Agriculture Will Hold Commencement Exercises Mar. 24.

The largest class in the history of the institution will graduate from the Northwest School of Agriculture on March 24. As a part of the commencement week program the pageant, "The Valley Spirit Speaks," will be given at the Armory, Crookston, on Wednesday evening, March 23, to be followed the next day by the formal commencement exercises. An operetta with 80 voices will be given the same evening. This occasion will be of special interest to the hundreds of the former sutudens of the school living in this section of the state.

The graduates from Pennington county this year are: Myrtle Reubena Erickson, Goodridge; Harold Halstrom, Wylie; Edith Irene Shosten and Sophie H. Krbechek, Erie; Joseph Johnson and Carl Gullingsrud, Kratka.

The class numbers 53, making the total number of graduates nearly 500, with an additional 1000 former students who have taken from three months up to two years of work. Dr. J. C. Brown of the St. Cloud Normal school will deliver the commencement address on the afternoon of March 24. All are cordially invited to see the Valley Spirit on the evening of the 23rd and to remain over for the commencement exercises.

Crookston comes Saturday. It will be some game.

RESIGNATION OF W. A. ZIEGLER AS SUPT. IS FILED

City School Head States Intention is to Complete Degrees at University.

Announcement Comes as Surprise, Public Having No Inkling of His Intention.

Number of Other Teachers State They Do Not Intend Returning For Next Term.

W. A. Ziegler, superintendent of the Thief River Falls public schools, on Monday night submitted to the board of education his resignation from that position, to go into effect with the closing of the school term in June. Mr. Ziegler has announced his intention of completing his Masters degree at the University of Minnesota during the summer months, following which he will start his degree of Doctor of Philosophy at the same institution of learning, with the hope later of attending Columbia University, New York. Mr. Ziegler came here as superintendent of the city schools direct from a post-graduate course at the sate university and in resuming the course, he states, is carrying out plans formulated at that time.

L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the Lincoln high school, also has announced that he will leave Thief River Falls with the closing of the school term, it being his intention to seek a high school superintendency. Supt. Ziegler on Wednesday said that fully 75 per cent of the teachers in the city schools had already informed him that they did not contemplate returning here as instructors for the term of 1921-22.

EXPLAINS ERROR IN MAKING WINONA PAVING STATEMENT

A. D. Hanson of the Bitulithic Company, Had Wadena in Mind at the Time.

The Times issue of Feb. 24 credited A. D. Hanson, vice president and general manager of the Bitulithic Contracting Ltd., of Winnipeg, with having made the statement that the ciy of Winona had recenly received bids for the construction of gravel-concrete paving, the lowest of which was $4.65 per yard. The article further stated:

"The lowest bid for similar paving received here at the time of the letting of the paving contract to the above menioned firm was $3.98."

A Thief River Falls citizen endeavored to prove the veracity of Mr. Hanson's statement by writing to the city clerk of Winona. The reply to his inquiry stated that no hearing of bids had been held and that it must be some other Winona. It was requested that the matter be given publicity through the columns of The Times and accordingly a brief statement of the case was made, pending the receipt of further information from Mr. Hanson, who was believed to be mistaken only in the name of the city in which bids had been opened. A letter received from him on Monday reads:

"In a recent issue of your paper I notice you quoted me as saying a bid for paving received at Wynona, Minn., was $4.65 per square yard for Bithulithic on a gravel-concrete base.

"You will remember that I expressed some doubt as to whether the name of the town was Winona or Wadena, as we did not bid on the work, and my information was only hearsay. Since returning to Winnipeg I have found that I was mistaken in the name of the city and that it was Wadena, Minn., instead of Winona, and that the bids received on the work were as follows:

"Class B Asphaltic Concrete, which is the state specification for Warrenite Bitulithic on a 6 inch concrete base, using gravel for the mineral aggregate, C. W. Schrueth, $4.65 per square yard; General Contracting Co., $4.72 per square yard.

"I am giving you this information simply to correct the error I made in giving you the name of the city, as you will note the low tender price that I gave you was correct."

Famous Violinist Will Be Heard in Recital Here

J. G. Norgaard of Saetsdal, Norway, one of the most widely known violinists of that country, at present making a tour of the United States, will appear in a recital under the auspices of the Sons of Norway lodge at Masonic hall on Thursday evening, March 24. Mr. Norgaard appears in the picturesque men's costume used in Satesdal in the seventeenth century. He holds many prizes won in competition with some of the most noted violinists of Scandinavia, one of these being an extra prize awarded him in Christiania on May 16, 1910.

An admission charge of 50 cents will be made and tickets have been placed on sale at Neset's jewelry store.

Society and Club

Honoring Mrs. Iverson.

Mrs. F. M. Iverson of Minneapolis, who is the guest of her daughter, Miss Grace Iverson, has been honor guest at a number of dinner parties since her arrival in the city a week ago. On Saturday evening Mrs. Iverson and daughter were guests of Miss Maude Johnson at a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mrs. N. K. Harris. Covers were laid for Mrs. Iverson, Grace Iverson, Irene Patrick, Lillian Poppitz, and Mrs. N. K. Harris. Sunday noon Mrs. Gay Halvorson entertained them at dinner. Sunday evening they were entertained by Mrs. Robert Vance. Monday evening they were dinner guests of the Misses Lillian Poppitz and Irene Patrick at the Brumund hotel. Dr. and Mrs. Fisher were hosts at dinner on Tuesday evening. Last evening Mrs. Gay Halvorson entertained at dinner in their honor. The guests included Misses Lillian Poppitz, Irene Patrick, Grace Iverson and Mrs. Iverson. This afternoon Mrs. Iverson will be honor guest at a party given by Mrs. T. L. Melgaard at her home. She will return to Minneapolis tomorrow evening.

Musical Section Meets.

One of the most enjoyable social evenings that the musical section of the Woman's club has had this season was held at the home of Mrs. August Holmberg on Tuesday evening. A splendid Italian program was arranged by the chairman, Mrs. Gay Halvorson. The current events, which were given in response to the roll call, were especially interesting. Among these taking part were Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Miss Maude Johnson, Miss Mae Bark, Miss Edna Larson, Miss Una Nelson, Miss Amelia Hoorn and Miss Thora Hanson. Preceding the piano solo by Miss Bark, who played "Miserere" from Verdi's Il Trovatore, Miss Johnson read a very interesting story of Il Trovatore. During the course of the evening a very delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Holmberg, assisted by Mrs. Briggs and Mrs. Cronstrom. The next meeting will be held at the Northrup school, when a demonstration of music by the grade pupils will be given.

Woman's Club Meeting.

On Monday afternoon the Woman's club met at the Commercial club rooms. The opening number was a vocal solo by Mrs. Gay Halvorson, accompanied by Mrs. Harris at the piano and Mrs. A. Holmberg, violin, which was greatly appreciated by all present. Current Events were led by Mrs. A. I. Anderson, assisted by Mrs. Wassgren, Mrs. Schutt and Mrs. G. Halvorson. In the absence of Mrs. J. J. Richter, who had charge of the lesson on "City Government of Thief River Falls," Mrs. Daniel Shaw, president, very ably substituted. This organization, which is recognized as one of the leading clubs in the state, should receive the enthusiastic support of its members and it is hoped that the usual good attendance will continue.

Chapel Program.

The second of a series of entertainments arranged by members of the faculty during high school chapel period was given yesterday. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher delighted the audience by singing a group of Irish songs, which were generously applauded. Miss Mary Vance appearing in Irish costume presented an Irish folk dance. The program was concluded by Irish duets sung by Mrs. Fisher and Miss Iverson. The latter, who had charge of the program, was also accompanist.

Surprise Party.

A number of the neighbors and friends of Mrs. W. F. Edgar arranged a pleasant surprise for her at her home on Saturday evening, the occasion being the 39th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar. The time was spent socially and at a late hour lunch brought by the guests was served. Those present were Mrs. A. Langseth, Mrs. P. J. Keating, Mrs. O. L. Ihle, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Mrs. J. Thill, Mrs. W. A. Bishop, Mrs. J. F. Farr, Mrs. R. Mundt, Mrs. Sophie Swanson and Miss Kolberg.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

Owing to the inclement weather on Tuesday, the attendance for membership day of the local W. C. T. U. was unusually small. However, a very good session resulted. Several interesting papers were read on the results of prohibition in other states. Mrs. A. Bottelson offered a vocal solo, with Mrs. C. D. Gustafson as accompanist. At the close of the meeting a fine lunch was served by Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., assisted by Mrs. Geo. Biddick.

Party.

Misses Ella and Marian Miller shared honors at a card party given at their home on Duluth avenue south Saturday evening. The guests included Misses Vivian Swift, Esther Johnson, Laura Forde, Ausilga Sorenson, Marian and Ella Miller, and Guy Johnson, Perry Johnson, Ed. Brevig, Roy Miller and Phil Bryant, the latter of Superior, Wis. St. Patrick decorations and appointments were used in the serving of a delicious lunch.

Surprise Birthday Party.

About forty ladies went to the home of Mrs. H. A. Tellow on Wednesday afternoon unannounced, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Tellow. Before the departure of the guests Mrs. Tellow was presented with a handsome library lamp as an indication of their friendship and esteem. A delightful lunch concluded the afternoon's festivities.

Masquerade Dance.

Members of the Elks lodge are looking forward with much pleasant anticipation to the masquerade dance which will be the next big event on the B. P. O. E. social calendar. The dance is to be given on the Monday following Easter. A local five-piece orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

Stag Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Anderson was the scene of a "stag party" on Saturday evening, when their son, Derby, entertained a number of his friends at cards. At midnight a lunch was served by the host's mother, assisted by Miss Gladys Anderson.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. F. A. Brown delightfully entertained a few ladies at cards at her home on Saturday evening.

Girls Community Club.

The Girls Community club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, March 21. At this time Mrs. Daniel Shaw, president of the Woman's club, will read "An Indian Legend." It is hope that a large number will be present.

Six O'Clock Dinner.

The members of the Pine Tree Patrol, of the local organization of Girl Scouts, with their leader, Miss Margaret Dix, were entertained by Miss Lorraine Crandall at a 6 o'clock dinner at her home on Saturday evening.

Birthday Surprise Party.

Among the successful surprise parties this season was that given for Mrs. Bertha Lonson at her home on Sunday afternoon. The guests, numbering ten, spent the afternoon socially. At six o'clock a sumptuous dinner was served.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. Carl Carlson at the former's home on Friday afternoon, March 25. Lunch will be served promptly at 4 o'clock.

Entertains.

Mrs. John Ward informally entertained at her home on Markley avenue north, Thursday afternoon. The hours were spent in needlework. Light refreshments concluded a very pleasant afternoon.

Entertains Informally.

A number of the neighbors and friends of Mrs. F. H. Herrick were pleasantly entertained at her home on Friday afternoon. A delicious lunch was served at five o'clock.

American Legion Corner

District Box Car Soon Ready.

According to advices received by Elmer Eklund post, La Societe des Forty Hommes et Eight Chevaux is ready to stage an initiation in the Ninth congressional district. Interested Legionnaires are urged to get in touch with Walter Peltoniemi of New York Mills, who has been appointed to represent this district until such time as a Voiture (box car) is established and a district organization formed. The interpretation of the French name is "The Society of Forty Men and Eight Horses." The idea arose from experiences of ex-service men in traveling around France in French box cars or side door Pullmans. It is a secret society and one must be a Legionnaire in good standing in order to hold membership therein.

Only one Voiture is allowed to each congressional district. The initiation fee has been set at $7.50, to include emblem, cap, badge and cost of initiation, banquet and entertainment. State dues of 25 cents and national dues of 25 cents are included in this fee. The object of the organization is to provide change and relaxation from the more serious and realistic work of the American Legion, and to hold Legionnaires together in a great goodfellowship bond.

For Miss Cornforth.

The following item taken from the Crookston Times will be of interest to her many friends here. Miss Cornforth was formerly operator at the local offices of the Western Union Telegraph company:

"In compliment to Miss Evelyn Cornforth, who will leave this evening for Fargo, N. D., where she has accepted a position with the Postal Union Telegraph Co., a very pleasing dinner party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duval last evening, by Miss Lillian Duval. Places were laid for Miss Cornforth, Mr. and Mrs. Herman H. Melby and Mr. Roy Proctor. The evening was passed informally with music providing the principal entertainment.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet on Tuesday afternoon, March 22, at the home of Mrs. Olaf Ramstad, who will be assisted by Mrs. Anna Watson. This is White Ribbon Recruit Day, so all members are urged to attend.

"Service to Country and Comrades."

A special bulletin from the Minnesota department of the Legion makes the statement that the service bureau has been able to clear up nearly nine thousand difficulties for service men, covering matters such as allotments, allowances, back pay, liberty bonds, federal $60 bonus, Minnesota bonus, clothing equipment claims, compensation, vocational training, medical and dental clinics, death claims, travel pay, state tuition bonus, duplicate discharges, war risk insurance reinstatement and conversion, victory medals, French souvenir booklets.

Legion and Auxiliary Social.

A very pleasant social evening was spent at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening when a number of members of the American Legion and their wives, sisters and lady friends were assembled. The guests present numbered about 40 and the hours were spent in a most enjoyable manner with music, games and dancing. *At 10 o'clock the refreshment* committee served a fine lunch. The meetings in the future will be held at the Masonic hall, the use of which has been donated for that purpose thru the courtesy of the Masonic lodge.

Yngve Found; Goes to Duluth.

Anton Yngve, information as to whose whereabouts was requested through these columns last week, left Thief River Falls on Friday evening for Duluth, where he will receive medical attention at the hands of the U. S. Public Health service. He was formerly a member of the 89th Division, with which he served in the A. E. F. He is at present salesman in this territory for the Deere & Webber company.

Miss Rena Swenson, who is employed at Eveleth, returned Monday to resume her duties after spending several days at the parental home, being called home by the illness of her sister, Miss Hannah, who is greatly improved at this writing.

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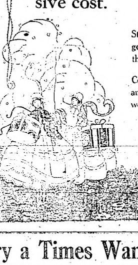

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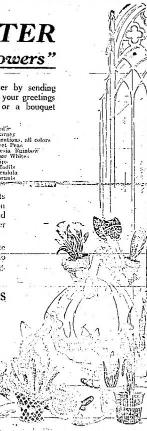

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City News

Miss Laura Olson of Hazel was in the city on Monday attending to shopping.

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Norman Stenberg of Germantown attended to business matters in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Olson of Lancaster spent last week as the guest of her friend, Mrs. S. Brandon.

Mrs. Lillian Brendecke of Hibbing attended to business matters here between trains on Monday.

L. Newman of Warren was in the city the latter part of last week attending to business matters.

G. A. Gilbertson of Sharon, N. D., attended to business matters in the city last Thursday and Friday.

Alfred Skarstad came down from Argyle Saturday evening to spend Sunday at the C. Granum home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht left Friday evening for the twin cities to spend a few days visitinw friends.

Miss Olga Johnson, who is employed here, visited with friends at Middle River between trains on Monday.

Mrs. Fred Brendicke of Fergus Falls is spending the week visiting with friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Mathilda Rude of Grygla left this city Saturday afternoon for Neilsville where she will be employed.

Miss Elizabeth Harder, who attends the local high school, spent the weekend at St. Hilaire ivsiting her parents.

Miss Celia Saugen arrived Friday evening from Hazel, where she is engaged in teaching, to visit friends here over Sunday.

Miss Rose Syverson returned Monday evening from Minneapolis, where she had spent two weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sholes left Friday morning for Salol, where they spent a few days visiting their daughter, Mrs. M. Olson.

Mrs. Christine Ellingson of Rugby, N. D., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Engelstad. She will remain for a couple of weeks.

Louis Warnechi returned to Breckenridge on Thursday after attending the funeral services of his father-in-law, Ole Johnson.

Mrs. Anna Wedmer returned Friday evening from Stephen where she had visited at the home of her daughter for a few days.

Miss Clara Olson returned to her home at Plummer Saturday evening after visiting between trains with her friend, Mrs. H. K. Strand.

Misses Gertrude Curtis and Lena Kresa of Newfolden were in this city on Saturday attending to shopping and also visiting with friends.

Miss Inga Sausted of Holt was in the city the latter part of last week on a shopping expedition. She returned to her home on Saturday.

Miss Florence Aalberg will arrive tomorrow evening from Erskine to spend the spring vacation as a guest of her mother, Mrs. Trine Aalberg.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter, Jeanette, returned the latter part of last week after a month's visit with friends and relaives in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rirson reurned to their home at Holt on Friday after spending a short time here as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ness.

B. G. Walker returned Thursday afternoon from Baudette, where he had spent a few days visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Dybvik.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Bartel, who had been visiting with friends in this city for a few days, returned to their home at Minneapolis on Saturday evening.

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Mrs. George Conlin arrived Monday evening from Monticello for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Ovn, before returning to her home at Poplar, Mont.

Miss Dora Holmes, teller at the First and Peoples State bank, spent Sunday visiting at the home of her parents. She returned to this city on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson and two children left Saturday afternoon for Crookston where they visited at the home of the former's brother and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Comstock left Monday morning for Rollis, where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nadino Warner.

Miss Avis Akre, instructor of mathematics, at Little Falls will arrive Saturday to spend her spring vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre.

H. L. Sande returned to his home at Steiner Monday morning after spending Sunday visiting his wife and baby who are guests at the J. O. Sether home here.

Fred Burdick of Germantown was in the city on Saturday on business, and was the guest of his daughter, Miss Clara, who is employed at Black's Sweet shop.

Miss Nellie Sausted, who spent Saturday and Sunday visiting with her parents at Holt, left this city on Sunday evening for Strandquist where she is engaged in teaching school.

Miss Olive Booren, who is engaged in teaching at Wells, is expected to arrive here Saturday to spend the Easter vacation as the guest of her brothers, H. A. and G. W. Booren.

Mrs. Ida M. Kiasela is spending the week at Crookston as the guest of her daughter, Miss Grace, who is employed as linotype operator for the Crookston Times.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lamb and daughter, Thelma, left Saturday for Steiner to spend Sunday as guests at the home of Mrs. Lamb's mother. They were accompanied by Miss Esther Meyer, a sister of Mrs. Lamb, who had been their geust.

Miss Ida Legvold arrived Friday evening from Hazel, where she is teaching school, and spent the weekend visiting with her folks. She returned to Hazel on Monday morning.

Mrs. Eliza Chase of Seattle, Wash., was the guest of Mrs. Anna Wedmer and Mrs. M. Bakken last week. She left Monday morning for International Falls where she will spend an indefinite period visiting at the home of her sister.

Miss Irene Wegge arrived Friday afternoon from her home at Holt and spent the day as the guest of her sister, Miss Evelyn, who is employed here. She left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to visit other relatives.

Miss Mildred Bush of Grygla spent a breif period the first of the week as the guest of her friend, Mrs. Arthur Froseth. She left Monday afternoon for Ada, where she will spend a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, operator at the Great Northern station, left Friday afternoon for Crookston in response to a message that her sister, Mrs. Wm. Murphy, was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson and daughter, Dorothy, returned to their home at Devils Lake, N. D., Thursday afternoon, having attended the funeral services of the late Olaus Johnson.

Mrs. John Gustafson returned Friday afternoon from Middle River, where she had spent a few days visiting her parents. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. O. Brenna, who came down for medical treatment. The latter returned to her home Saturday morning.

Mrs. R. Halvorson and two children, who had visited with friends and relatives here and at Holt, returned to their home at Hillsboro, N. D., on Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Halvorson formerly resided in this city.

W. J. Foley, who had spent a few days visiting with his wife and son, who are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink, returned to his home at Rainy River, Ont., on Monday morning. Mrs. Foley and son will remain here for a week or two.

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Tricolette the former $7.50 quality—on sale now at $1.95. Tricolette is unusually good for spring this season—there has been a great demand for it. We have received a new shipment of this favored material. A good heavy quality, flat fold tricolette, in the wanted shades of black, two shades of brown, grey, jade, two shades of navy and peacock. This is the same quality that was priced last year at $7.50. On sale now at ---------- $1.95

Miss Manhattan Creation 408M
Miss Manhattan Creation 430M
Miss Manhattan Creation 111M

SCHUMAN & STERLING high grade suits, garments worth to $125, the most snappy, elaborate, clever, new styles ever created, the best guaranteed garments obtainable. Special here only at
$75.00

Wonder values in NEW COATS, all-wool POLO and BOLEVIA full fancy silk-lined coat at
$18.50

All-wool Normandy Coats, extra fancy satin silk lined throughout. Remarkable values at ---------- $25

50 Beautiful New Dresses in all silk Tricolette, Crepe de Chine, Taffeta, all-wool Serge, all-wool Tricotine, all leading new shades. Sizes 16, 18, 36, 38, 40 and 42. Values the like you have never seen before, and every dress just received from the makers for this big spring drive. Each ---------- $18.50

BASEMENT STORE ---- More Special Values for Easter Shoppers
And she says: "Prices never were so reasonable anywhere else."

Galvanic Laundry Soap
Special for Saturday Only
10 Bars Soap 50c

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Item	Price
SILKS The new mercerized crochet thread, comes in all colors	10c
O. N. T. Crochet thread, a special for Saturday	10c
SNAP FASTENERS In all sizes from 1 to 3, very special at per card	5c
HAIR NETS Hand made real human hair nets, priced specially for this sale all colors	10c
Klinerts Rubber Baby Pants. The highest grade yellow rubber produced special. Basement bargain	39c
Extra Heavy Outing Flannel—27 inches wide. In dainty stripes and checks. Special yd.	19c
Heavy Outing Flannel, 15c—24 in. in pink, blue, gray and white. A soft flannel	15c
Fleeced Quilting, 15c 27 inch wide. A flowered pattern and all the go for quilting. Special	15c
Table Padding $2.00—54 inch wide. Ready for the table. You should have a mat for table, yard	$2.00
Ginghams, 15c—27 in. wide, in the best patterns for the kiddies. Take this special for only	15c
Gingham, 19c—A splendid quality gingham in plain checks and plaid patterns. Very nice for house dresses. Special for this sale, per yard	19c
Percale, 18c—36 inches wide, in all shades and patterns, the standard grade. Special	18c
Shirting, 25c—36 inches wide. A strong material made for wear. Yard	25c
Percale, 15c—27 inches wide, in light and dark. Popular for spring sewing. Special	15c
Plaid for Skirts, 35c—36 inches wide. A big selection for your spring skirts. At this sale	35c
Calicoes, 10c—A new shipment of light and dark. Special	10c
Unbleached Muslin, 15c—A very good quality; 36 inches wide. Special yard	15c
Pillow Tubing, 40c—A very good quality, 42 inches wide, Special, yard	40c
Bleached Muslin, 15c—A fast seller and priced so low. Only	15c
Sheeting, 40c—9-4 bleached sheeting; now is the time to make your summer bedding, at only, yard	40c
Fancy Lining, 38c—36 inches wide. In many beautiful patterns. A big special. Yard	38c
Chamois, 85c—A large size for the automobile, just the thing for washing the car Only	85c
Coats' 150 yards spool cotton thread, only	5c
ALUMINUM PERCOLATORS—7 Cup, a Saturday offering	$1.79
WATER TUMBLERS—A clear glass Saturday	8c
PALM OLIVE SOAP—Here only, 12 big bars now for	90c
MEN'S 220 DENIM OVERALLS. This is the standard heavy weight	$1.25
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BOYS' STRIPED OVERALLS—in all sizes. A bargain at	79c

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PROGRAM GOES THROUGH.

Th Minnesota legislature has kept the promises made to farmers before last election by passing all the major measures demanded by agricultural organizations. It took the senate only a short time to put its final approval on the bills already passed by the House, and as Governor Preus has tentatively approved them all there is no question but that his official endorsement will be attached without delay.

While some of these laws may fail to accomplish all that is expected, others will correct certain flagrant defects that have operated to the disadvantage of the farmer for years.

The bill declaring that all boards of trade shall be public markets and stipulating that representatives of co-operative associations shall be permitted to hold memberships in such organizations, will give the producer an opportunity to have a more direct voice in the control and disposition of his products. This will be the effect of the bill, which simply gives the state the right to regulate memberships.

Gambling in futures will be curbed when another bill is signed. This measure was bitterly contested by the grain interests of Minneapolis and Duluth, the claim being that it would be of no avail in helping the farmer and consumer, particularly so long as trading in futures is permitted in other states. This bill is perhaps the most important of the five passed.

The bill providing that Minnesota grading standards for grain shall be revised is of great importance to the farmer. Abuses have, according to farmer representatives, worked to the disadvantage of the producer and in favor of the elevator and milling men, and this condition it is the purpose of the measure to correct. A commission of three senators and three representatives will confer with the United States department of agriculture with a view to securing a revision of the federal grain grading standards.

A constitutional amendment will be submitted to the voters at the next elecion for he purpose of discovering whecher or not they wish to extend the credit of the state in the development of agricultural lands.

All this is progressive legislation and it must be admitted that the legislature has kept faith with the people. The later demanded and were promised passage of these laws and the lawmakers have kept the promise. Only the future can tell what their effect will be, but that all are considered of importance is evidenced by the fact that the Illinois legislature has asked for copies with the evident intention of introducing similar measures in that state.

THE FARM BUREAU.

The Farm Bureau is a business organization of farmers of this nation. The farmers are all agreed that they must have an organization of their own for the purpose of improving marketing conditions, distribution of farm products, storage, rural credits, farm leasing, legislation. Let's take up distribution today.

It is highly essential that a more economical and efficient system for the distribution of agricultural products in Minnesota be devised to the end that needless intermediaries between farm and consumer be eliminated; that the products be marketed in quantity and under conditions which will assure the greatest possible returns to the producer. This implies:

That the existing terminal exchanges in Minnesota which deal in farm products and as yet have not granted membership privileges to farmers' selling associations on equal terms with all other selling agencies holding membership therein be required to do so.

That, in addition to the above, such terminal facilities be provided by co-operative action of producers, either within the state or at export points, as the demands of the trade in farm products require.

That agriculture can only be made permanent and profitable when the producer of food receives the cost of production of his products plus a reasonable profit, and therefore, the prices such producer receives for his products, should have some relation to such cost of production and the means for accomplishing this result should be provided by cooperative action of the producers.

That occurately and fully to know the cost of production of food stuffs, the necessary facilities for a complete and accurate system of accounting of the cost items going into the production of food, should be had and provided.

DO YOU WANT IMMIGRATION?

Does the Minnesota farmer want unrestricted immigration? The state Farm Bureau Federation wants to know, so that it can tell the American Farm Bureau Federation, and help shape the policy of the United States government toward the floods of immigrants clamoring for admission. To inform congress as to the stand of the American farmer on immigration legislation, the national federation has sent out a call for an informal referendum. Write to state headquarters, and tell your federation whether you favor unrestricted immigration, or would prefer restrictions based on an educational test and a law compelling immigrants to report to proper supervising authorities as a means of controlling foreigners after admission. Would you favor laws to distribute immigrants throughout the country according to the districts where their trades or experience would be most valuable. What will be the effect of large immigration on labor supply and wage schedules in America? Is it desirable from the farmer's standpoint to increase our industrial population rapidly? Would it be wise to permit immigration from some nations and prohibit it fro mothers? If immigration is to be restricted, should the restrictive tests be applied by American officials in foreign countries, or after the immigrants reach American ports?

EFFERVESCENCE.

The new broom presented to Warren G. Harding on November 4 is very apparently living up to its proverbial reputation.

Speaking of "pearls before swine"—An Illinois farmer recently found an $800 one between the toes of one of his hogs, tho the animal was not recognizedly of the pearl-bearing variety.

The final blow at the liberties of the male of the species started on its decent when the city of Macon, Georgia, recently passed an ordinance prohibiting flirtations with the fairer sex.

Ninety-nine chances out of a hundred the woman who went over Niagara Falls in a wooden cask never labored over a wooden wash tub in her life.

Doctors of the country by way of [illegible] epidemic of human ailments scheduled to arrive very shortly, might do well to provide themselves with rubber facsimiles of their signature.

In the better circles evening "skirts" for summer wear will be both sleeveless and waistless.

The tidal wave of crime balks not at straws nor bridges—anyway, hard pressed natives in South Dakota stole a three-span wagon bridge.

One man who rested easy with the approach of March 15 was that father of 36 children.

The somewhat of a slump in the market is noticeable, the price of ostrich eggs still remains at several dollars or more a dozen.

From mud dauber in a one-horse town to a salaried man with some $10,000 a year; from a gaukly, spineless, shuffling country boy to a man of ultra refinement, well tailored and correctly poised; from pushing a wheelbarrow to riding in a Jamard limousine; from a shack beside the village dump heap to an establishment in town and one in the country; from single blessedness to a married man with a wife and two children; all in less than a year's time—in the

INTELLIGENCE TEST APPLIED IN SCHOOLS OF THIEF RIVER IS MOST APPROVED METHOD

Endorsed by Educators Everywhere, Plan Provides For Placing Student in the Particular Division Suited to His Mental Development.

"A penetrating scientific survey of the grade ranks, from the second to the eighth grades, and incidentally the high school students, has been completed in the Thief River Falls schools by Supt. W. A. Ziegler.

This work is of the very latest and most up-to-date character. It is being taught in all normal schools and universities everywhere as the only correct way to ascertain the real capacities and abilities of students. Supt. Ziegler studied this work at the university of Minnesota for three years in classes taught by L. D. Coffman, now president of the university; Dr. A. F. Payne, who spoke at the Merchants association banquet last week; Dr. C. A. Prosser, president of Dunwoody Institute, Minneapolis, and others. This survey, as carried out by him, was conducted under advisement by Dean M. E. Haggerty of the College of Education, University of Minnesota. It will therefore be seen that the testing must be considered of an expert nature and of great significance as well as value.

At the request of The Times, Supt. Ziegler has prepared the following general statement and synopsis of findings:

"Before presenting the findings of the grade survey, a little should be said regarding the testing movement in the United States in order that the significance of the work may be the more readily understood. The larger cities of the United States engage a staff whose whole time is devoted to scientific testing. In Minnesota there are comparatively very few schools that have taken it up as exhaustively as has Thief River Falls. Most every school has done a little of the work, however. The state normal school at Moorhead has sent out an invitation to all schools that care to accept, offering to conduct tests for them.

"In an address given in Chicago at the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, by V. A. C. Hennon of the University of Wisconsin, that educator stated that in his extensive study of the results obtained by testing school children, he discovered that 20 to 25 per cent of children are in higher grades than they belong, and 20 to 25 per cent are in lower grades than they belong. The figures for Thief River Falls show that about 15 per cent should be in higher grades and 35 per cent should be in lower grades. In Oakland, Cal., where some of the state tests were used that have been used here, the figures show about the same as for Thief River Falls. If anything, they are better here. The fifth grades here make the poorest showing, while the third grades show up the best. About 25 per cent of all the children are over age for the grade they are in. The remedy for all this is to put all children in the grades where they belong. This is what is being done in all the cities where the tests are given, and the results are very satisfactory. Chilren can learn best in that grade where they can do the work best.

"While many children here are in grades they should not be in, the same thing is found to be true in the very best schools in the country. Our schools are in just as good shape as any of them, but none are in the best shape. Only tests can show up the spots that need attention. Within the very near future testing will be done very generally everywher, for that is the only real way to measure the status of pupils. Every other way is more or less guessing—and there is many a wrong guess.

"Another feature of testing is the placing of pupils in the same classes who learn at the same rate. There are pupils who learn very easily, *some for whom it is very hard to* learn, and some who are in between. The best results are obtained where pupils of one type only are in one class. It may seem strange, but a little observation will show that those for whom it is hard to learn, and who must therefore study harder, usually become most successful because they have learend to work. Easy learners are apt to idle their time away, and do the same thing when grown up. It is much better to become an adult having learned to work hard, than to grow up having learned to take things easy. The pupils in the seventh and eighth grades have thus been divided into easy learning groups and harder learning groups. It is very interesting to note the hard earnest work of these children. They are learning habits they will not forget.

"Ex-service men know the great amount of this testing that was done in the army. Two million men were thus classified. The results were so largely satisfactory that the movement to test school children the same way is growing very rapidly. Employers of labors are also testing applicants. The old method of epplying for a job is disappearing. In the larger places, now, all applicants must take an intelligence test and are rated accordingly. These scientific tests are here to stay, and Thief River Falls can be considered one of the pioneer locations of the Northwest."

FEDERATION CALLS FOR TWO TRAINS OF CORN FOR STARVING

Every County Asked to Help Women and Children of Stricken Countries.

Two solid train-loads of corn will be the gift of Minnesota farmers to the starving women and children of Europe and Asia, if an appeal sent out by the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation is answered.

Assured of free railroad transportation for every carload of grain donated to save the lives of starving women and children abroad, the federation appealed to the 45 leading corn producing counties of the state to load 60 to 70 cars for early shipment. The corn relief movement in Minnesota is part of a nation-wide campaign begun by the American Farm Bureau federation. The first of 3,500,000 bushels already pledged is on the way to the seacoast. A single county in Illinois has loaded 16 cars.

The Minnesota corn counties were urged to set "Corn-Relief" days when all farmers will haul corn to a central railroad point and load it on cars bearing "Farmers' Gift Corn" banners and the name of the county.

"Children are dying by hundreds and thousands in famine stricken regions," says the appeal. "They aren't your children; they aren't Minnesota children; but they are children and they are dying. Corn means life to them and to hundreds of thousands of men and women doomed to die unless help comes. The railroad brotherhoods have donated their time to haul the corn; the railroads have offered cars and engines free. Now it is up to the farmers."

Music as Advertised.

"Come to me," for fifty cents.
"After the ball" for second base.
"See the conquering herp somes" with full orchestra.
"By the river" high or low.
"Let us give thanks" for women's voices.—Musical A. M.

Mrs. Ernest Peterson and daughter called on Mrs. H. Folkedahl on Sunday.

NOTED EVANGELIST AND WIFE COMING

Will Conduct Series of Meetings at Salvation Army Barracks in This City.

Beginning this evening and continuing for two weeks, there will be special meetings held at the Salvation Army barracks. Commandant and Mrs. Hale, who were with the American boys on the other side during the war, will be the speakers and those attending are promised something just a little different from anything ever heard at a revival. There will be special singing arranged for. No meetings on Monday nights.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

FOR SALE—Bed, good as new; also dresser. Call 6073. 7p

WANTED—About April 1, a good cook on my farm. Andrew Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 8

WANTED—To hear from men looking for farm work. Andrew Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 8

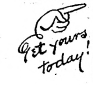
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LANPHER HATS

There's a mellowness to this fine hat that is the hall mark of quality.
Many attractive colors to choose from.

Columbia Records

59c

We have hundreds of Columbia Records which have been put on the retired list and we are now going to dispose of these at the very low price of 59c.

These are all very good numbers in both instrumental and vocal. This sale lasts until April 1st only.

Thief River Music Co.
"The One Price House"

Spring is Here

Now come the Pigs—Calves—Colts—Lambs. Time for work horses and mules to shed. Time to tone them up and drive out the worms.

Dr. Hess Stock Tonic
A Spring Conditioner and Worm Expeller

Feed it to your cows for its system-toning, bowel-cleansing, appetizing effects—and to condition them for calving. It means more milk. Feed it to brood sows and shoats to drive out the worms. It relieves brood sows of constipation. Excellent for ewes at lambing time. It contains Tonics for the digestion, Laxatives for the bowels, Diuretics for the kidneys, Vermifuges for the worms.

Why pay the Peddler Twice My Price?
We have the Dr. Hess Agency. Call on us.

Lambert's Drug Store
Tell us how much stock you have. We have a package to suit.

Dr. Hess Instant Louse Killer Kills Lice

Nature's Remedy NR-TABLETS-NR Better Than Pills For Liver Ills. Get a 25c Box
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

Easter Oxfords and Strap Pumps Now on Display

Shoes that make friends and retain them. The name of Dunn & Utz on a shoe stands for high quality and basolute reliability. That is why we take pride in recommending them.

A. M. LANGSETH
The Place to Buy Your Shoes.

GROCERIES

The Grocery Stock of the Tessum Wholesale Company is being closed out. You can afford to lay in a season's supply at the prices these goods are being offered at. You will not be able to buy this quality of groceries at such figures again. **Ask any one who has been here and they will tell you that we have real bargains and a clean stock. Sale on at our Main** Building east of the Soo depot. Why not come down and look it **over and then decide? You are** welcome whether you buy or not.

TESSUM - COUMBE COMPANY

BRING IN YOUR POTATOES

¶Our Warehouse is now open for the receipt of potatoes in large or small lots. The market is steady at present and this is a good time to sell.

Peterson-Biddick

Dr. A. J. Klimek
Eye Specialist
Registered Optometrist

Makes regular visits here on the last day of each month. Office at the Hotel Evelyn. He guarantees glasses that will fit. Nervous and complicated cases especially invited. Home address: Warroad, Minn.

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We Invite Comparison of Quality and Price

All Prices Based on New Market Conditions

Low Prices on Shoes!

This is the Family Shoe Store where Honest Values are Sold at Lowest Prices

MEN'S SHOES	
Brown Kid Banker	$8.90
Brown English	$4.98 to $7.90
Black Dress Shoes	$3.98 to $6.90
Black Kid, cushion sole	$6.90
8-in. top Brown Work Shoes	$3.98
Manure-proof Work Shoes	$2.98
Boys' Shoes, black and browns	$2.25 to $3.98
Men's Rubbers	98c
Boys' Rubbers	89c and 98c

LADIES' SHOES	
New Oxfords, black or brown	$3.98 to $5.90
New Strap Pumps	$6.90
Dress Shoes in black or brown, French or military heels	$3.98 to $7.90
Comfort Shoes, low heels	$2.98 to $4.98
Growing Girls' Shoes	$2.98 to $4.98
Girls' Shoes, black or brown	$1.98 to $3.49
Children's Shoes	$1.15 to $2.49
Children's Soft Shoes	95c
Children Rubbers	58c to 75c
Ladies' Rubbers	75c

Early in January, without restraint or regard for former cost, we struck rock bottom in our first revision of prices. Our sales for January this year almost doubled our sales for January last year. This gratifying result is conclusive proof that our policy is right, our patrons appreciative, **further proof that our merchandise and lower prices are most attractive.**

Patrons of our stores are saving thousands of dollars on their purchases of **Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing and Ready-to-Wear Apparel.** Our constant endeavor and greatest purpose is to maintain the now-prevailing lower prices, and we are succeeding. Our buyers are constantly in the markets taking advantage of every price concession. These tremendous savings are in turn passed on to our patrons through our 312 Retail Department Stores. With this kind of an organization working for you—with this excellent service brought almost to your door—you can not, with fairness to yourself and the family purse, disregard this opportunity to supply your needs and share in these substantial savings.

Come, see the new merchandise we are showing for Spring. **New Coats, New Suits, New Dresses, New Shoes, New Clothing, New Dry Goods, New Lingerie and New Novelties. All Direct from Fashion's Center.** They are yours at these Extremely Low Prices.

Low Prices on Underwear and Hosiery!

Quantity Buying Bring You These Big Savings!

MEN'S AND BOYS'	
Heavy cotton-rib Shirts and Drawers	83c
Heavy cotton-rib Union Suits	$1.49
Light Wool Union Suits	$3.50
Summer Union Suits	98c
Athletic Union Suits	98c
Boys' Summer Union Suits	73c
Men's Fibre Silk Sox	49c
Men's Cotton Sox	35c, 25c, 15c

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S	
Ladies' Union Suits	98c to $1.98
Children's Union Suits	73c to 98c
Ladies' Vests	25c to 49c
Children's Vests	35c
Ladies' Silk Hose	98c to $2.98
Ladies' Lisle Hose	19c to 49c
Children's heavy rib Hose	29c

New Spring Clothing for Men and Boys

LATEST MODELS! LOWEST PRICES!
All Popular Fabrics Newest Spring Colors

We sell thousands of Men's and Boys' Suits in our 312 stores each year. Large quantity buying for cash enables us to offer you exceptional values at extremely low prices.

MEN'S SUITS

Nifty young men's styles, and staple models in blue, brown, green, grey or mixtures—
$16.50, $19.75, $22.50, $27.50, $29.75 $32.50, $37.50

BOY'S SUITS

Blue serges, Corduroys, Brown and Green Cassimeres and worsteds—
$6.90, $7.90, $9.90, $10.90, $12.50

Boys' school Pants
98c, $1.49, $1.98

MEN'S TROUSERS

All wool blue serge	$6.90
Grey or brown worsteds	$4.98 to $7.50
Young Men's Trousers, plain or fancy colors	$4.50 to $6.90

Smartest Spring Styles for Women

Charming Creations from Fashion's Center

Listen Ladies! You can dress with style and economy if you buy your new Spring and Summer Apparel here. All of our styles are new, up-to-the-minute; Right from Fashion's Center.

OUR PRICES ARE THE LOWEST

New Spring Coats at	$10.90 to $32.50
New Spring Suits at	$27.50 to $62.50
New Spring Dresses at	$9.90 to $29.75
New Spring Skirts at	$3.98 to $12.50
New Spring Blouses at	$2.98 to $6.90

Muslin Underwear

Pretty Styles—Lowest Prices

Ladies' Gowns	98c to $1.98
Ladies' Petticoats	98c to $1.98
Children's Bloomers	69c
Children's Gowns	98c

Corsets

Lady-Like Corsets
98c, $1.49, $1.98, $2.25, $2.49, $2.98

Front Lace Corsets	$3.98 and $4.50
Ferris Waists	$1.69

Attractive Ginghams at Lowest Prices

27-inch Utility Ginghams	19c
32 inch Gilbree Ginghams	65c
Apron Ginghams	12½c

Low Prices on Percales

36 inch Manhattan Percales	19c
American Print Calico	10c

TRAVELING BAGS
$3.98, $4.98, $9.90, $17.50

TOWELING

19x35 Turkish Towels	19c
19x35 Huck Towels	19c
Crash Toweling	19c
Turkish Toweling	22c
Huck Toweling	19c
Glass Toweling	35c

MUSLINS

36 in. bleached Muslin	13c
Fruit of the Loom Muslin	19c
Hill Bleached Muslin	
Berkley 60 Cambric	23c
Berkley 100 Cambric	39c

SUITCASES
$2.49, $2.98, $4.98, $5.90, $8.90

Sheets and Cases

10-4 Pequot Unbleached Sheeting	58c
9-4 Pequot Bleached Sheeting	58c
9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting	42c
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting	39c
42 inch Pillow tubing	49c
45 inch Pillow tubing	43c

Table Cloths and Napkins

Pattern Table Cloths, 63x63	$1.98
Linfeel Napkins, ea.	19c
Hemstitched Napkins	39c
Mercerized Table Cloth, per yd.	98c and 79c

TRUNKS
$9.90, $11.90, $14.75

Save Money on Men's and Boys' Work Clothing!

Lowest Prices on High Grade, Long Wearing Work Clothes

MEN'S OVERALLS

Pay-Day Overalls	$1.25
Pay-Day Jackets	$1.25
Painters' White Overalls	85c
One-piece Khaki Motor Suits	$2.98

BOYS' OVERALLS
89c 98c $1.19

Children's Play Suits, blue or Khaki	73c

MEN'S and BOYS' WORK SHIRTS

Pay-Day Work Shirts	69c
Black Sateen Shirts	98c
Engineers' Shirts, 2 collars	$1.49

MEN'S WORK PANTS

Good Corduroy Pants	$3.98
Cottonade Work Pants	$1.98, $2.98
Best Khaki Pants	$1.98

DRESS SHIRTS For Men

Silk Shirts	$4.98
Silk Stripe Madras	$2.98
Fast color Madras Shirts	$1.98
Madras Shirts, collars attached	$1.98
Percale Dress Shirts	98c

MEN'S NECKWEAR at Low Prices

Triangle Collars, soft or attached	19c
Knit Ties	75c to $1.98
Silk Ties	49c to $1.49
Bow Ties	25c to 75c
Boys' Ties	25c

NEW SPRING HEADWEAR For Men and Boys

Cloth Hats	$2.49, $2.98
Felt dress Hats, greens, browns, greys, blacks	$2.98, $3.50, $4.50 $5.90
Men's Dress Caps	98c to $2.49
Boys' Dress Caps	75c to $1.25
Boys' Cloth Hats	$1.49
Children's Rah Rah Hats	98c
Children's blue serge Tams	$1.35

MEN'S AND BOYS' Leather Belts

Initial Belt Buckles	49c
Belts	49c, 58c, 75c
Dress Suspenders	49c
Work Suspenders	39c to 69c
Paris Garters	25c

Needed Notions at Lowest Prices

Coat's Crochet Cotton 11c
Coats' Spool Cotton 5c
Corticelli Spool Silk 6c
M & K Knitting Cotton 8c
Orchid Yarn, 4 oz. skein 65c
Orchid Yarn, 1 oz., skein 19c

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City News

John Brumund left Sunday evening for Minneapolis on a business trip.

E. O. Bergland of Rosewood was a business caller in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. H. Blaska of St. Hilaire shopped between trains in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dale are the parents of a son, born on Tuesday, March 15.

J. M. Swan of Holt transacted business here Monday and Tuesday of this week.

August Thune of Hazel visited relatives and friends here Friday and Saturday.

Phil Hawkins of Middle River attended to matters of business here on Saturday.

S. J. Strong of Deroit was in the city on Thursday attending to business affairs.

Chief of Police E. O. Erickson left Tuesday afternoon for St. Hilaire on official business.

Miss Gerda Mortenson, who teaches at the Central, will visit at Fosston next week with her parents.

Paul Ortloff of St. Hilaire returned to his home yesterday after a brief visit with friends in this city.

Harry Frye returned yesterday from Crookston, where he had gone the day before to visit friends.

John Anderson of Badger arrived Friday afternoon and spent the day attending to business matters.

A. Peterson returned to his home at Strandquist on Saturday, having spent Friday here on business.

John Nordlum and A. Johnson of Middle River were in the city Monday and Tuesday calling on friends.

Richard Nelson returned to his home at Gatzke yesterday, having been here for a few days on business.

G. Nordstrom returned to his home at Gatzke yesterday after spending a day here attending to business affairs.

Mrs. O. J. Aasenstad returned on Friday to her home at Warroad after spending a few days here with friends.

Miss Grace Iverson will leave Saturday morning for Pembina to be the guest of her brother and family over Sunday.

Miss Amelia Hoorn will leave for her home at Fergus Falls tomorrow to visit her parents during the Easter holidays.

Mrs. G. Fellman, Mrs. A. Soderberg and Miss Soderberg, all of St. Hilaire, were shoppers in this city yesterday.

Misses Marian and Ella Miller of the local teaching corps, will spend their Easter vacation with friends in the twin cities.

Gordon B. Melby leaves tomorrow evening for Minneapolis and Granite Falls to visit relatives during the spring vacation.

If you are in need of a farm loan, see First and Peoples' State bank. $100,000 to loan now—no red tape, immediate settlement. M17

Miss Lyda Batten, one of the local teachers, will leave Satrday morning for her home at Rosewood to spend the Easter vacation.

Miss Signe Svedal, instructor in Norse at the local high school, will leave tomorrow evening for Minneapolis to spend a week.

Miss Junie Olson left Tuesday afternoon for Brockton, Mont., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Olson, former residents of this city.

G. L. Sterns, manager at the local telephone excange, spent the first of the week at Badger and Warroad attending to business matters.

Milton Forder, who had spent some time visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emil Zeh, left yesterday for his home near Gatzke.

Miss Margaret Mealy, instructor at the local high school, will leave tomorrow evening for her home at Minneapolis to spend the Easter vacation.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer, of Black's Sweet shop, left Saturday for East Grand Forks to spend a week visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. F. M. Iverson will leave tomorrow evening for her home in Minneapolis after a week's visit with her daughter, Miss Grace, and with a son at Pembina.

Miss Esther Johnson will leave tomorrow for Minneapolis to visit relatives for a week. Miss Johnson is teacher of domestic science in the local schools.

Herbert Jacobson left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks, where he will be employed in a grocery store. Mrs. Jacobson left this afternoon to join her husband.

Miss Alice Condleson of Cass Lake arrived Saturday morning for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. Olquist.

Miss Lucia Brown, a member of the high school faculty, will visit friends at Middle River over the Easter vacation.

Miss Lorna Dodge, who teaches in the seventh grade at the Central, expects to spend the Easter holidays with relatives at Rock Lake, N. D.

Misses Lillian Poppitz and Irene Patrick, instructors at the Lincoln high school, will be guests of the latter's parents at Hinckley during the Easter vacation.

Carl T. Olson of Randeen spent a couple of days the latter part of last week here visiting friends and attending to business matters. He returned to his home on Saturday.

Mrs. T. T. Eeg and little daughter arrived yesterday afternoon from Greenbush. The latter will receive medical treatment here. They will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Soltau.

When such stubborn diseases as rheumatism, asthma, sciatica, etc., of any number of years duration, respond very satisfactorily to Dr. Vistaunet's treatment methods, how about more easily curable diseases. M17tf

Mrs. G. Kootsikas, accompanied by her granddaughter, Dena Kootsikas, who had spent some time visiting at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Christo, returned on Tuesday afternoon to their home at Ellendale, N. D.

Emil Olson, formerly warehouse manager for the Great Northern, returned yesterday from Rosholt, where he had spent two weeks visiting a sister. He was accompanied on his return trip by his nephew, Winfred Larson, who will remain here for a while.

Commandant and Mrs. Hale, evangelists for the Northern Division of the Salvation Army, will begin the holding of a series of revival meetings at the barracks here this evening. This couple served with the Salvationists in France and made an excellent record with the boys.

J. McCarthy, formerly of this city but now residing at Lansford, was seriously hurt in a railroad accident the latter part of last week, which occurred near the latter named place. The injured man was taken to Kenmare for medical aid later going to Minneapolis where he will receive further medical attention. His numerous friends here hope for a speedy recovery.

Theo. Sandmoen and Walter Weller, who had spent the winter touring the western states by car, arrived in this city on Saturday afternoon. The entire journey was made in a Ford and they state that the roads were in fairly good condition, encountering very little snow on their return trip. They left Monday morning via the Great Northern for their home at Rainey River, Ont., after spending Sunday with friends here.

Masons Hold Initiation.

Northern Lodge No. 236 of the A. F. & A. M. conducted initiation ceremonies on Monday night, at which time five were raised as third degree Masons. The work was followed by the serving of a midnight lunch and a short smoker.

Maccabees Pay Promptly.

The Woman's Benefit association of the Maccabees paid on March 14, to Andrew Smith and children, a warrant for $1,500, this being the amount of insurance the late Mrs. Smith carried in the association. This is the third claim paid by the organization since Jan. 3. One was for $1,000 paid to the heirs of Mrs. Minnie Schrapel, the other for $500 paid to Dr. C. M. Adkins.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short notice.

MAINTAINING PLOT FOR SEED POTATOES IS A REQUIREMENT

Stock Cannot be Certified Unless This Provision is Strictly Complied With.

From now on every grower intending to raise potatoes for certification will be required to maintain each year a seed plot large enough to furnish good seed potatoes for his own use or at least obtain seed stock to be grown for certification from some grower who does take such interest in improving and maintaining the productiveness of his potatoes. This requirement is necessary in view of the fact that during the past two years a great deal of variability in productiveness and quality of different "strains" of potatoes grown for certification has been observed. The past performance of a strain is a good indication of what it will do in the future, so that if the strain grown is unsatisfactory it should be disposed of as table stock and a better one obtained. The best time to select potatoes for the seed plot is at digging time, but a start should be made this spring by growers who have not been in the habit of growing such plot.

The seed plot should consist of about one-twelfth of the total acreage grown and may be located at one end of the field, especially if potatoes have not been grown on the field for four or five years. When selecting out of the bin no one can tell whether each individual tuber was produced under a high yielding, vigorous healthy vine, but since weak vines generally produce small potatoes only medium sized smooth potatoes should be saved for the seed plot. This procedure does not necessarily eliminate all undesirable tubers but helps considerably.

Discard for seed all tubers showing rots or brown discolorations within the tuber or the stem end as well as all those that are knobby and irregular in shape. Disinfect all tubers with the standard corrosive-sublimate solution, for such diseases as scab, black scurf (Rhizoctonia) and blackleg. After disinfecting the potatoes put them in clean bins, sacks, baskets or other containers to avoid contamination.

After the potatoes have been planted keep the weeds down and give the plot a little extra attention in the matter of cultivation, spraying and inspection for undesirable plants, which should be removed so that when digging time comes a first-class crop of seed potatoes can be harvested for next year's field intended for certification.

ERIE

Moves Onto Hruby Farm.

Carl Froland of the southern part of the state arrived on Friday with a carload of stock and machinery. Mr. Froland bought the Carl Prucha farm and rented the late Hruby farm and expects to begin farming as soon as the season opens. He will reside on the Hruby place.

Steffen Halvorson Suffers Stroke.

Steffen Halvorson who resides alone in Section 30 Star township, was suddenly stricken with paralysis while on his way to Erie on Friday forenoon. He was accompanied by Ernest Peterson, a neighbor, who immediately took him into the Aubol store where he was cared for until a physician could be called from Thief River Falls. He was taken to Thief River Falls to the hospital on Saturday morning by Mr. Aubol and C. Skaaren. His condition is considered serious. Relatives from North Dakota have been summoned and will no doubt be with him shortly.

Stork Shower.

A few relatives and friends very pleasantly surprised Mrs. Oliver Tommerdahl on Sunday afternoon. The affair was a stork shower. A pleasant time was had and a delicious lunch was served by the ladies present.

Iver Iverson has returned from Margie, Minn., where he has been employed in a lumber camp for the last three months.

A big sale will be held by Henry Tommerdahl on Friday, March 18th. Sales are beginning to be numerous with the opening of the spring season.

Mrs. Ed. Arveson of Hickory underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Physicians' hospital in Thief River Falls on Wednesday of last week.

Gena Nerhus and a friend from Thief River Falls, were visitors at the Nerhus home over Sunday.

Mrs. Ole Lien was on the sick list the forepart of last week. Others who have been and are ill are Melvin Hyland and Miss Jennie Bakken. Miss Bakken has been poorly all winter and is quite sick at present.

A dance was given in the Erie hall on Saturday evening. Ye scribe was not there so don't know what kind of a time was had.

The Tharaldson family was visitors at the B. Danielson home on Sunday.

The Gust A. Iverson family were callers at Ben Rindahl's near Neptune on Sunday.

Knute Vake of Trail was here on Sunday to visit with old acquaintances.

Mrs. M. J. Anderson called on Mrs. T. Loyland on Saturday evening.

Theodora Loyland, who has been with Mrs. T. Hyland for some time, returned home.

Mrs. H. B. Rockne spent the week-end in Goodridge with her family.

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5046	Rose *Fox Trot*	Isham Jones' Orchestra
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5044	My Husband's Dearest Friend *(From "Honeydew")*	Irene Williams and Sam Ash
1.00	Whispering *Solo*	Irene Williams and Crescent Trio
10027 1.00	Witches' Dance *(Pianoforte Solo)*	Leopold Godowsky
10028 1.00	Annie Laurie *(Soprano)*	Dorothy Jardon
10029 1.00	Orientale *(Violin Solo)*	Max Rosen
5042	Still Sweeter Every Day	Criterion Male Quartet
1.00	Brighten the Corner Where You Are	Criterion Male Quartet
5040	Barcarolle (Tales of Hoffman)	Marie Tiffany and Elizabeth Lennox
1.00	Élégie *(Song of Mourning)*	Marie Tiffany
13017	Old Refrain *(Violin Solo)*	Elias Breeskin
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Neighborhood Notes

GOODRIDGE

Lutheran Church, Goodridge—Sunday, March 20. Confirmation and Communion services in the Herman Kleson home, west of Esplee at 10 a. m., in the German language. Special collection for Synodical purposes. Easter Sunday, March 27. English services will be held in the Woodman hall in Grygla as follows: Examination of confirmants at 10 a. m. Confession at 2:30 p. m. Confirmation and communion at 3 p. m. Special collections in the forenoon for expenses; in the afternoon for Synodical purposes. H. Lutz, Pastor.

Short Course Closes.

The Short Course closed Friday afternoon, after four days of interesting lectures by different speakers from the University. Mr. Kittleson, who was to be here Thursday arrived Friday instead and talked briefly on the accomplishment of Boys' and Girls' club work in northwestern Minnesota, in which 2000 boys and girls participated. He also called the boys and girls interested locally together and outlined work for the coming season. There were about 25 or 30 who will join different clubs for this year. Mr. Nesom talked on soils and the use and application of phosphates.

School Notes.

Easter vacation starts Friday, March 18th and school will open again Monday, March 28th.

The 8th grade state examinations will be given March 31 and April 1.

The high school honor roll for February is as follows: Donald Stein 93; Hazel Hakes 93; Maynard Halverson 92; Grace Day 91; Christine Bundlund 90.

L. Hammestvedt was in Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

J. W. LaBree was a caller in town Wednesday morning between trains.

Oliver Tommerdahl attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Thelma Gilbertson was in Thief River Falls Wednesday, having dental work done.

M. Swanson of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday morning between trains, attending to business in connection with the City Bakery.

Wm. Gaylord and M. J. Lysbakken of the Goodridge Land company, were in Thief River Falls Wednesday attending to business matters.

Dr. A. Danielson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lewis arrived Wednesday from North Dakota, and went to Esplee to visit at the Lewis home.

Prof. B. O. Norby was in Thief River Falls Wednesday evening.

Stuart McLeod left Wednesday to again take up Farm Bureau work.

Christian Wold returned Thursday morning from Illinois where he has been employed in setting up Midget flour mills with Clarence Jacobson.

John Hoppe was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

Mrs. George Larson left Thursday for Blooming Prairie to visit relatives for some time.

P. C. Wold was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

John Nystal accompanied his brother to Thief River Falls, Thursday evening, returning Friday morning.

George Williams of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday attending to business.

Louis Vettleson left Thursday for Warren to receive medical treatment.

Harry Halverson returned Friday from Winger where he has been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Eddie Halverson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday.

Carl Lindstrom, proprietor of the Goodridge garage, attended to business matters in Thief River Falls on Friday.

Pete Hoyum was among the Thief River Falls visitors Friday.

Oliver Resen was in Thief River Falls Friday attending to business matters.

H. T. Twetin attended to business in Thief River Falls Friday.

Gilbert Mandrude and son went to Thief River Falls Friday where the boy was to receive medical treatment.

Henry Tollefson went to Thief River Falls Friday on business.

Miss Serene Tanem was in Thief River Falls shopping Friday.

Ben Habedank was in Thief River Falls Friday attending to business.

Stephen Halverson of Erie was taken to the Thief River Falls hospital on a cot Friday. He was suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

Harvey Ferdinandsen went to Thief River Falls Friday evening and attended the basketball game between Thief River Falls and Minot. He returned Saturday morning.

John Maney was in town Friday evening enroute to Warren on business.

Matt Batzen of Thief River Falls was in town Friday evening between trains.

Baker Olson of Grygla was in town Saturday enroute home from a visit of several weeks in the eastern part of the United States.

M. J. Stephenson attended to business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

T. Kompelin of Minneota, Minn., arrived Friday with an emmigrant car filled with stock and household goods.

Miss Eleanor Bauer accompanied Miss Teresa Giefer to Thief River Falls Friday evening and attended the basketball game. She returned Saturday morning.

James Crosby was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday.

George Josephson hauled a load of dredge machinery to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Hans Halverson attend to business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Ruby Jensen was an over Sunday visitor in Thief River Falls, returning home Monday morning.

L. P. Poppenhagen spent Sunday in Thief River Falls visiting his wife and infant son.

E. Aakre was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Monday.

J. A. McEnally attended to business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Robinson of Highlanding were in town Wednesday shopping and attending the short course.

The last Lyceum number will be here Wednesday, March 23rd, a male trio and will no doubt be one of the best on the program.

Fred Cerno of Grygla was in town Tuesday, enroute to Thief River Falls to attend to business.

Mrs. Karl Korstad and son Bobbie of Highlanding were in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

John Peterson of Grygla was in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls to attend to business matters.

Clarence Jacobson arrived Tuesday morning to visit friends for a few days.

Sever Salverson was a passenger to Thief River Falls Tuesday, attending to business.

Wm. Korstad of Highlanding was in Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. E. E. Gahlon and children returned Friday via the Soo, for their home at Alexandria, after spending three weeks at Black River. They were called here by the illness of Mrs. Gahlon's mother, Mrs. Charles Johnson, who is still in a serious condition.

Hans Wilson returned Thursday from Grand Rapids, after a short visit with relatives.

Christ Kruse arrived Friday from points on the Iron Range where he has been employed.

Hans Rod was a business caller at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kolp returned Wednesday from Lovedale B. O., having been gone several months. Mr. Kolp has had a contract for cutting pulp wood and cedar in the north woods.

Milton Soderberg spent a few days at Grand Forks last week, returning here Friday.

Ole Hagglund came Wednesday to spend an indefinite time with his family, having been employed at Gemmel, the past season.

Mrs. McNanny returned Thursday to her home near Thief River Falls, having spent the past months as housekeeper at the Albert Kolp home during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Kolp.

Ted Sandmoen a former well-known St. Hilaire boy, passed through town last week accompanied by a friend. Coming from Los Angeles, Cal., by car they were enroute to Rainy River, Canada, where Mr. Sandmoen's mother resides.

Lars Loberg transacted business at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Rev. C. M. Grimsrud left Tuesday to attend a circuit meeting of the Norwegian Lutheran church to be held at Holt, which will continue until over Thursday.

Mrs. Alfred Aubol came here Wednesday from her home at Erie, for a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mons Swenson, who reside west of town, and to see her sister, Miss Hannah, who has been ill.

James Amble came Saturday from Grand Forks, being called here by the illness of his infant son, who passed away Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Odegaard left on Tuesday morning for Holt, as delegates to the circuit meeting of the Lutheran church.

Miss Ruth Roy shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Saturday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Amble of Grand Forks, died early Sunday morning from pneumonia. Funeral services were held from the S. J. Amble home Monday, Rev. C. M. Grimsrud officiating. Interment took place at the Riverside cemetery.

Oscar Bravik returned Monday to resume his duties as teacher at Rudell, after a brief visit at the parental home.

The Red Cross nursing course under the supervision of Miss Whitmer is holding classes every evening for adults and morning sessions for high school girls. Thirty two members are now enrolled in the evening class and great interest is being displayed.

In compliment to Milton Soderberg of Berkley, Cal., who is visiting with friends and relatives here, a number of young folks were entertained at the Lars Loberg home Saturday evening. Games and music furnished the evening's entertainment and at midnight a sumptuous lunch was served.

The Misses Eleanore Anderson and Lois Forbes, delightfully entertained Saturday afternoon at the Gust Fellman home. Cards furnished the afternoon's entertainment and at five o'clock a dainty lunch was served.

Miss Selma Hoff, the local postmistress, has been seriously ill from poisoning and has been confined to her bed, but is now slightly improved.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne and son spent Saturday evening at the Henry Roller home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rolland and children, Augustine, Lucy, Louise and Marshall were Sunday guests at the O. P. Nelson home.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson was a guest of Betsy Stokkie Friday afternoon.

Selmer Rosette called at the Hovelson home Saturday.

Lena, Gustave and John Ristau Ristau were Sunday guests at the H. Roller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rambee and family spent Sunday afternoon at the Henry Longevan home.

Olaf Tharaldson called at the L. Bendickson home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rolland pleasantly entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening.

Mildred and Lawrence Nelson were guests at the L. Bendickson home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rohrer and daughter Annie, were guests at the Hans Dahl home Sunday afternoon.

Jens Johnson returned home last Tuesday after having been employed near Bemidji for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoken Nabben were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Betsy Stokke and Anna Kolden visited at the Martinus Johnson home Sunday.

E. Rolland called at the S. Rolland home Saturday evening.

Olaf Tharaldson and Benard Bendickson were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mrs. Albert Rohrer and children, visited at the Stokke home one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walfred Norlund and daughter Alice spent Thursday evening at the O. P. Nelson home.

Mrs. Will Wayne, who is teaching near Collins, spent the week-end with her family.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson called on Mrs. Hans Dahl Friday.

Mrs. Betsy Stokkie visited with Mrs. Hans Dahl Thursday.

Oleander Johnson returned home Monday from Bemidji where he has been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller and daughter Della were callers at Goodridge Tuesday.

Fred Larson assisted Martinus Johnson in hauling hay last Friday.

Mesdames Dahl and Hanson spent Wednesday afternoon with Betsy Stokkie.

Betsy Roller visited with Anna Kotlan Wednesday afternoon.

Edwin Haggy called at the Carl Klockman home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Muldoon enjoyed a visit from her daughter Alice of South Dakota, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne delightfully entertained a number of their friends on Friday evening. The occasion was their son's birthday anniversary.

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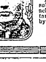

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On account of bad weather this sale was postponed from March 15th to March 28.

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction, at my farm, Sec. 22, Town of Norden, 2½ miles north and 4 miles west of Thief River Falls

Monday, Mar. 28

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following personal property:

HORSES

One bay horse, 17 years old, wt. 1400

One bay horse, 7 years old, wt. 1100

One bay mare, 16 years old, wt. 1200

One bay mare, 5 years old, wt. 1400

One bay mare colt, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1200

CATTLE

One red cow, 7 years old

One red and white cow, 7 years old

One red and white cow, 5 years old

One black cow, 5 years old

One roan cow, 5 years old

One roan cow, 4 years old

Two black heifers, 3 years old

One black and white heifer, 3 years old

All coming fresh this spring

One red and white heifer, 2 years old

One red and white heifer, 1 year old

Five summer calves

One calf, 3 weeks old

About 100 chickens

MACHINERY

One John Deere sulky plow, 16 in.

One 16-inch brush breaking plow

One 14-inch prairie breaking plow

One 16-inch walking plow

One 3-horse harrow

One disc harrow, 12 disc

One spring tooth harrow

One Deering mower, 6-ft. cut

One Moline hay rake, 12 ft.

One buck rake

One McCormick binder

One Van Brunt single drill

One Stoughton wagon

One Haney single top buggy

One T. Mandt wagon box

One Galloway manure spreader

One riding cultivator

One tractor attachment for Ford

One riding attachment for plow

One single harness

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One Lindsay Reliance cream separator No. 14

One horse cultivator

And many other articles too numerous to mention.

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Lumber Is Down in Price

In fact, it has reached a point where there must be a reaction. Mills are today selling their product at less than the cost of production. Any person at all conversant with conditions will tell you this is so. No great amount of timber has been cut this winter, the prospect of a drop in lumber prices having the effect of making manufacturers hold back. A shortage will hit the country one of these days and prices may advance even beyond points reached toward the close of the war.

The Claim Is Reasonable

If conditions are noted, it must be apparent to any observant person that money may be saved by buying now. We will prove it to you if given the opportunity.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

ROSEWOOD

Farm Bureau Meeting Tuesday.

M. L. Warner, secretary-treasurer of the Marshall County Farm Bureau federation addressed a well patronized farmers meeting at the Busy Bee school building last Tuesday afternoon, discussing mainly the advantages of the federation and the immediate problems confronting the American farmer today. Following the address a township unit for New Solum was formed, the following officers being elected: O. A. Slattum, president; Ed. O'Hara vice president; E. A. Silverness, secretary and treasurer. Gust Nakken and Thom Eide were appointed as a committee to investigate the potato market with the view of obtaining a suitable market and prices for the potatoes which are being held by the farmers in the vicinity. The Unit's next meeting will be held in conjunction with the New Solum farmers club at the Edgewood building on Friday evening, March 11. Mr. Warner left in the evening for Viking where he will conduct a similar meeting.

Entertains at Home Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth pleasantly entertained six guests at their home in town last Saturday evening. The evening was happily passed in a social way and a palatable luncheon was served. The following were the guests: Ingrid Nordhagen, Ella Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem, Joel Shoberg and Mary Shoberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson pleasantly entertained Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols and Chester and Delma Dols at their home last Sunday afternoon.

The following were pleasant Sunday visitors at the John Sor home: Mrs. T. Mellem, Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck, Lyle and Harold Mosbeck.

A number of local people have attended the revival meeting under the auspices of the Swed. Mission church at Viking this week.

Mrs. A. T. Toreson and daughter, Helen, left last Thursday for Thief River Falls where they will spend the remainder of the week as guests with Mr. and Mrs. Olof H. Ryan.

Henry Rogers of Steiner left on the Monday morning train here for North Dakota where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jensen of Thief River Falls spent Sunday at the Ted Thompson home.

Iver M. Westby left on Monday evening for Thief River Falls where he will attend to business between trains.

Axel Bloom was at Warren between trains last Wednesday to receive medical attention.

A. O. Bergland returned from Hibbing the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Ranum left last Wednesday for Montana, where she expects to be employed this summer.

Sigvart Holten returned to his home at Cannon Falls, on Wednesday evening after a few weeks' visit with his father, west of this place.

Mrs. Adolph Haugen and daughter, Eileen, and Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, left on Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls where they will shop and visit, the former with the James Johnson family and the latter with the S. Benson family.

Miss Martha Rust returned to her home at Halma last Wednesday following a visit with the Sam Hasby family here.

Walter Wendt left on Thursday morning for Warren where he will visit with friends and also receive medical attention the remainder of the week.

T. Mellem spent Tuesday at Viking visiting with his daughter, Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard and attending the mission meetings. On returning home in the evening he was accompanied by Rev. Seagren, who conducted evening services at the Congregational church.

P. Sorenson is spending this week visiting with his daughters, Mrs. Geo. Anderson at Warren, and Mrs. Abe Stroble at Angus.

Mrs. Albert Paulson was at Viking between trains last Tuesday to shop and visit with friends.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson and carrier, Jim Thompson, were at Thief River Falls between trains last Friday on business.

Gust Nakken spent Friday at Warren on business connected with the Farm Bureau.

A carload of feed was shipped in at the Hanson & Barzen elevator the first of the week.

Victor Mosbeck left on Friday for Viking to spend the day.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Miss Mabel Shefveland, who is teaching at Steiner, visited with her sister, Louise, over Sunday.

A few of the farmers in this locality attended the Christensen sale last week.

Mrs. John Skomedal will entertain the Ladies' Aid on Thursday, March 24. Everybody welcome.

Henry Wilkins called on Albert Westphal one day last week.

Ole Olson, Carl and Oscar Guttrud, Olaf Bergland, John Easthouse and Ole Johnson were callers at the Ivend and Lars Ose home Monday evening of last week.

J. A. Russell was a business caller at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Nils Soredahl purchased a hog last week from Lars Ose.

Misses Beatrice and Gladys Gordon and Palma, Emma, Helmer and Laurence Skomedal spent Sunday afternoon at the H. Halvorson home.

Olof Bergland, John Easthouse and Ole Johnson had a walking race last Thursday from the Ose home to Thief River Falls. We have not heard who won.

Mrs. H. Peterson and daughter, Olive, returned last week from North Dakota, where they had been visiting with friends and relatives since the Christmas holidays.

The annual town meeting for the town of Excel was held in the Steiner school house last Tuesday and the following officers were elected: Town clerk, N. Muzzy; supervisor for three years, Willis Warrig; supervisor for one year, J. A. Russell; assessor, P. B. Malberg; constable, Martin Johnson; justice of the peace, Ole Ose.

VIKING

Miss Helga Quindlog spent Saturday at Viking.

Pontius Larson, Maurice and Lamar Edwards, called at Brink's Tuesday evening.

The Frank Leach family entertained the Oscar Hanson and Phil Peters families last Sunday.

Stella and Egbert Malberg spent Sunday afternoon at Ed. Krohn's.

Clara and Carl Brink and Dagny and Robert Anderson, called at Edwards' Sunday.

The Rud brothers were visitors at the Martin Olson home in Helgeland Sunday.

Edith Edwards arrived home from Warren Friday evening to spend a few days with her folks.

Pontius Larson, Dagny and Robert Anderson, Maurice and Lamar Edwards called at the A. Brink home on Saturday evening.

Peter Erickson made a business trip to Warren Saturday.

Charlie Peterson was a Viking shopper Friday.

Mr. Edwards drove to Warren on Monday to take in an auction sale.

STEINER

Jens Mattson of Rosewood was a caller at a few farms in this vicinity last Friday for the purpose of purchasing a calf.

August Norlund of Thief River Falls arrived here last Monday forenoon for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Liden.

Among the business visitors at Steiner last Saturday afternoon were Julius Liden, Cyrus Malberg and Robert Sathre.

The Koglin boys were business callers at the C. A. Swanson farm last Friday.

Arnie Solum hauled hay from the Mortenson farm to their home last week.

Mrs. Hattie Lapska of Thief River Falls has organized a young peoples' society in this community recently.

Mr. Sannes of the reservation was a business visitor in this place last Thursday.

Several parties were hauling wood from the C. A. Swanson farm last week.

Messrs. Oscar and Henry Jopprued of Thorwick, were business visitors at Steiner Friday afternoon.

Mr. Sannes, who resides at the former Ausland farm, southeast of Steiner, was a caller at the homes of a few farmers in this vicinty last Wednesday, for the purpose of trading oats for seed.

Parties who reside about four miles north of Rosewood returned via this vicinity Thursday afternoon from a business trip in Pennington county.

The Young Peoples' society was reported to have held their meeting at the Steiner schoolhouse Saturday evening.

Edward Movick of Thief River Falls was a caller at Steiner Friday afternoon.

Theo. Steigen returned to his home here Wednesday afternoon from Pennington county, where he had been grinding feed at the Amerin farm, near Thief River Falls.

Julius Liden spent Sunday at Thief River Falls visiting with relatives and also attending the meetings in the Swedish Evang. Mission church.

Churches

M. E. Ladies' Fair.

On Wednesday, March 23, at the Methodist Episcopal church, the Ladies Aid will hold a fair. Many useful and fancy articles, including wash rugs, which are now on display at the East Side drug store, will be on sale. A cafeteria lunch will also be served.

Menu
Meat Loaf 10c
Escalloped Potatoes 5c
Escalloped Corn 5c
Rolls 5c Dark Bread Sandwich 10c
Fruit Salad 10c
Cake 10c Doughnuts 2 for 5c
Coffee 5c Pickles Free
Everybody Welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—The Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, March 17. Hostesses are Mrs. Halvor Loken, Mrs. E. Overland, Mrs. C. G. Matson and Mrs. Peter Jacobson. Young Peoples' society the same evening and is to be entertained by the Misses Christine Clausen, Thora Hanson, Jonetta Lee and Pearl Olson. Confirmation class at the parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. Services in Norwegian Sunday 11 a. m. English 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:30 a. m. Choir rehearsal Thursday 7:30 p. m. at Larson's Furniture store. Prayer meeting at the home of Gilbert Sandum, 820 Main avenue Wednesday evening, March 23.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—March 20. Palm Sunday. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning worship, "To the Cross," 8 p. m. evening worship. The Christian Endeavor will have charge of the program. The junior choir will supply the music. Anthem, "I Will Bless the Lord." The address will be delivered by Miss Bradt, who is field secretary for the Minnesota State Union of Christian Endeavor Societies. Miss Bradt's address will be an inspiration to older and younger people alike and will be deserving of a large attendance. Juniors 3 p. m. The cantata, "The Resurrection," will be presented on Sunday evening, March 27, under the direction of Mrs. L. F. Fisher.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Services 7:45 p. m. Afternoon services Norden, 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Choir practice Friday evening, 7:30. Services at Goodridge Thursday, March 24, 11 a. m. Services at Rindal, Good Friday, 11 a. m. Services in city, Good Friday evening, 7:45. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, March 24, entertained by Mrs. J. L. Bean and Mrs. Albert Henrikson. Zion Y. P. S. Thursday evening, March 24, entertained by Mrs. E. O. Erikson and Mrs. Alfred Bredeson. Confirmants meet on Saturday 2 p. m.

First Swed. Evan. Lutheran Church Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Palm Sunday: Communion services at 10:30 a. m. Rehearsal of Easter program at 2:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal at 3:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:45 p. m. Good Friday: Services in the Swedish and American languages at 7:15 p. m. Easter Sunday: Festive services at 10:30 a. m. Children's program, assisted by the choir, at 7:30 p. m.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday in the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, March 20th, "Matter." Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meetings at 7:45. A reading room at the same place is open on Tuesday and Thursday of each week from 3 to 5 p. m. To these services and privileges the public is cordially invited.

State Secretary Will Speak—Miss Bradt, the union state secretary of young peoples' societies, will be in Thief River Falls and will speak in the Presbyterian church on next Sunday evening at 8 p. m. Her address will be an inspiration to older as well as younger people, as she is well and favorably known as a speaker throughout the state. A general invitation is extended to the people of Thief River Falls to hear her.

S. D. A. Mission—"The Bible or the Modern Religionists; Which Shall We Believe?" This will be the subject for Sunday evening, March 20 at 7:30. Startling facts will be presented. Do not fail to hear it. Sabbath school at 2 p. m. on Saturday the 19th. Bible classes in English and Norwegian languages. Services in the Norwegian language. All are cordially invited.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, March 20. Sunday school 10 a. m. No services. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 8 p. m. At St. Hilaire: Services at Black River 11 a. m. and St. Hilaire 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

Salvation Army, 317 Main Ave. No. Services will be held every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, for two weeks. Come and hear Commandant and Mrs. Hale, revivalists for the Northern Division.

Public Forum

A Dangerous Spot.

Editor Times:

To W. A. Barnard, superintendent Soo Line; City Council of Thief River Falls and School Board of Independent District No. 18: In regard to Mr. Barnard's communication in The Times last week dealing with the danger of permitting school children to use the railway tracks in going to and from school, will say that I agree with him fully that this is a very dangerous practice. I would say further that the Eighth street crossing is also very dangerous and think something should be done by the proper authorities to make it safe, not only for school children, but for all users. There have been several narrow escapes at this place. I have two children who cross there four times a day and do not care to lose them because no safeguard has been provided. I have already lost one child through the neglect of the authorities. March 15. authorities.

March 15.

H. J. RUSTAD.

Medical Aid For Melby.

G. R. Melby, instructor of science at the Lincoln high school, will leave tomorrow evening for Minneapolis to spend the Easter vacation. During his absence he will undergo a tonsilectomy operation under the supervision of the U. S. public health service. Prof. Melby was stationed at Camp Cody for the duration of the war.

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"Well I noticed in the papers where Tanlac had helped so many people in St. Paul that I decided to give it a trial. All my aches and pains have disappeared, I have a fine appetite and my stomach is in first-class condition. I also sleep well and get up feeling just fine."

WALTER MILLER DOWNS CAL FARLEY TWICE IN LOS ANGELES MATCH

Walter Miller of Los Angeles, former middle-weight wrestling champion, threw Cal Farley of Minneapolis, winner of the welter wrestling championship of the A. E. F. and of the inter-Allied armies, in two straight falls at Los Angeles on the night of March 11.

Miller won the first fall in 1 hour, 1 minutes and 25 seconds, with a head scissor and a double wrist lock, and the second fall in 15 minutes and 47 seconds with a head lock and arm-hold.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings sent for the funeral of our beloved wife and mother and for the sympathy that lightened the suffering endured by her during her closing hours.—Chas. P. Quist and family. M17

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express to our kind friends and neighbors, our heartfelt thanks for their sympathy shown us during the illness and after the death of our beloved husband and father and the beautiful floral offerings. Particularly do we wish to thank the singing choir for the music at the funeral.—Mrs. Ole Johnson and family. M17p

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8:30 o'clock Admission 50c
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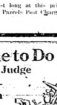

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

GOPHER STATE BUREAUS MAKE GREAT STRIDES

Start New Year With Membership of 53,282 and More Rapid Growth Promised.

Worked on 1191 Projects Out of 1272 Planned During the Same Period.

Value of Products Handled Thru Bureaus Over $1,700,000 in 46 Counties.

Striking progress was made in 1920 by the Minnesota farm bureaus, according to the annual report of F. E. Balmer, state leader of county agents. The membership in county bureaus had grown from 26,136 in 1918 to 53,282 on January 1, 1921. Sixty-six counties of the state have adopted the $5 a year continuous membership plan and seven additional counties will do so soon.

The report says that the 82 co-operating bureaus of the state worked upon 1,191 projects in 1920, the grand total of all projects planned for the year having been 1,273. In addition to farm projects, 26 counties included home economic activities in their programs and 71 counties included boys' and girls' club work. Fifty-eight counties published a Farm Bureau News or similar publication and 37 issued an exchange list.

Value of Cooperation.

To summarize a few of the many great achievements of the year it can be said that 138 drainage systems, involving 17,378 acres, were planned and adopted in 26 counties. In 72 counties 1,026 farmers co-operated in growing 4462 additional acres of alfalfa. The acreage of sweet clover was increased by the co-operation of 677 farmers in 57 counties to 6,402 acres.

Some splendid results are reported in the movement for better sires and better classes of livestock. In 71 counties 1,220 registered bulls were procured and in 61 counties 1,607 registered boars were added to swine herds. Fifty-nine counties reported additions of 1,885 registered cows and 46 counties added 1491 high grade cows. In 27 counties 619 cows were discarded as unprofitable as a result of cow-testing association work. Twenty-nine associations were in operation with 10,042 cows under test. In 56 counties 1,240 farmers were assisted in balancing rations for livestock; in 49 counties 1,201 silos were erected. In 57 counties 24,062 animals were tested for tuberculosis, and in 32 counties 25,924 hogs were vaccinated for hog cholera control.

Big Saving Effected.

The value of farm products sold or exchanged through farm bureau service during 1920 amounted to $1,701,533 in 46 counties. In 52 couties the farm bureaus and county agents gave assistance to the work of 819 associations, previously in operation, which transacted a volume of business amounting to $40,665,868 and effected a saving of $1,603,383.

FRENCH AGAIN CHOSEN AS SECRETARY OF FEDERATION

F. L. French was re-elected secretary of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation at the closing session of the executive board meeting on Friday, March 11 at the Old Capitol. Mr. French has been with the federation since it became a permanent organization and his present term expires on April 1. Mr. French formerly was agricultural agent in Redwood county and has been connected with agricultural extension work and farm bureau activities for several years.

New Solum Election.

The township election held at the Prichard school building last Tuesday resulted in the re-election of all previous officers, save that of assessor, to which office was elected L. L. Furan, to take the place of Olof Opseth, whose name was not on the ticket. The following officers are now in charge: Clerk, John Halvorson; supervisors, Alex Hellquist, B. P. Sagmoen and E. A. Silverness, chairman; Justice of the peace, Olof Opseth, constables, Selmer Haugen and T. C. Eide; treasurer, P. Sorenson. The overseer for the Rosewood district is Anton Gullseth.

GREAT SHOWING BY WOOLSON GUERNSEY HERD DURING TEST

Balanced Ration and Study of Results Responsible For Fine Showing Made.

What is conceded to be one of the best milk and butter-fat records ever established by a dairy herd in this section is that of the Silverton Guernsey herd owned by Harry Woolson, well-known dairyman. Careful attention to properly balanced rations for the milking herd is held as responsible for their great production. It is the same herd shown last fall at four county fairs in Northwestern Minnesota and the North Dakota state fair in addition to the Pennington county fair held here. In each instance honors and ribbons were shared with the Guernsey herd of F. B. Conklin, also a resident of this county.

The test was made by officials from the College of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota, feeding and records being checked each month. It is the first official annual test to be completed in the county. The prize Guernsey herd owned by Albert Johnson of Thief River Falls is being likewise tested at the present time. The records established by Mr. Woolson's herd are as follows:

Stranford's Governante No. 46206, 9,730 lbs. milk. 514 lbs. fat. Class A. A. Requirements for entry, 360 lbs. fat. Average test 5.3.

Kelly's Lady of Belleview No. 48,019. 9,387 lbs. milk. 450.06 lbs. fat. Class A. A. Requirements for entry 360 lbs. fat. Average test 4.8.

Rose Masher of Silverton No. 61,037. 9,822.9 lbs. milk. 457.42 lbs. fat. Class C. C. Requirements for entry 330.80 fat. Average test 4.7.

Glendora of Geneva No. 66,761. 9,668.1 lbs. milk. 512.40 lbs. fat. Class C. C. Requirements for entry 330.80 lbs. fat. Average test 5.3.

Dolly of Silverton No. 26,006. 9,818.90 lbs. milk. 506.23 lbs. fat. Required for entry 360 lbs. Average test 5.4.

Total made into butter, lbs. 2,928.77
Average butter per cow, lbs. 585.74

These cows were entered in the double letter or farmer class. They were fed and milked twice daily. Each dropped two calves during the year and was given a dry period of four weeks. For roughage in winter they were fed all the alfalfa hay they would eat up clan and about 50 pounds of corn silage daily. In summer they were paced on clover and wild pasture. In addition in both winter and summer each cow was allowed for every pound of five per cent milk produced, an average of three pounds per day of a mixture made as follows: 300 pounds of oats, 150 pounds of ground barley, 100 pounds of bran, 80 pounds of wheat middlings and 25 pounds of oilmeal. The average cost of this ration was three cents per pound, that of hay $25.00 per ton and of silage $5.00 per ton.

The test was conducted under the average farm conditions; no forced feeding methods being employed. In tests that have been conducted throughout Minnesota, the average of butter fat produced per cow has been 170 pounds. Mr. Woolson's herd averaged 487.82 pounds per cow.

LEGISLATURE STOPS GAMBLING IN GRAIN

Measure Demanded by Farmers Passed by Overwhelming Vote of 101 to 18.

Minnesota farmers won another legislative victory when the lower house passed the bill to prohibit short selling of grain and other farm products. The victory was overwhelming, with only 18 votes against the measure and 101 for it.

"The farmers of Minnesota, by voicing their opinions have played the biggest part in the decisive action of the house" L. E. Potter, president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, said: "They asked the legislature to pass a measure to stop short selling of grain and other farm products and at the same time protect hedging. The house has responded to the wishes of the farmers."

The results of the farm bureau federation's statewide referendum on the bill, showing the farm bureaus of 62 counties virtually solid in support of the measure, were laid before every member of the house a few hours before the measure came up for passage. Speakers upholding the bill stressed the fact brought out by the referendum, that "60,000 farmers know what they want; there's no guessing about it—they know."

The farm bureau referendum was the first ever taken in the state to ascertain the actual stand of the rural population on a matter pending before the legislature.

Where It Calls for Milk

in what you propose to bake, make sure that you use ours instead of ordinary milk. The extra richness and guaranteed purity will make your cake richer and far more satisfactory in every way. Easy to get our milk. Just phone us how much to leave you.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Why Higher Telephone Rates Are Necessary in Minnesota

The money obtained from the sale of our service must be sufficient to pay all expenses and leave a fair return on the money invested, if we are to meet the reasonable requirements of the public for telephone service.

Enough money can be obtained only by charging sufficient rates for the service furnished.

If present rates are continued in Minnesota, this Company will sustain a loss of more than a million dollars this year in the state. Our stockholders would have to stand this loss and, in addition, nothing would be earned to pay dividends on the money invested.

This Company requires an average of three million dollars each year in the state to provide additional telephone facilities for the public. Investors will not supply the necessary new money each year unless the business is earning a fair return.

NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.

CLOTHCRAFT Clothes

It's more important to us to give satisfaction than to get money; but one leads to the other

Hart Schaffner & Marx New Styles for Spring

The high quality makes them the most economical clothes you can buy at—

$25 to $45

All of the latest style ideas are here

You ought to see them. Coats are more loosely draped; shoulders are more square; the coat openings are lower; the lines are simple but distinctive. There are new colorings and patterns in fabrics. New designs in overcoats.

Our prices are the lowest you'll find anywhere for good clothes; and you don't want anything but good clothes. Satisfaction or money back.

New Spring Topcoats for men and young men, single and double breasted, belted models in all the new shades—brown, green, blue and oxford. In the newest fabrics—gabardines, knit cloth, irridescent cheviots and unfinished worsteds in oxford and black. Prices from $15 to $35.

Men's Seasonable Furnishings.	New Spring Headwear For Men	Boys' New Style Suits
Men's new silk knitted neckwear in all the new shades— $1.50 to $2.50	John B. Stetson and Lanpher hats; new shapes and shades in black, brown, green, fawn and nutria colors. $3.50 to $10	With one or two pairs of pants. A splendid showing of good serviceable fabrics at popular prices. All sizes to 18 at $5.00 to $15.00
MEN'S SHIRTS Tailored from the finest woven madras, fine white oxfords, woven fibre silks. Also plain collars in blue, tan and lavender. Prices— $2.00 to $5.00	New Spring Caps Made from foreign and domestic fabrics in the new style one-piece top. $2.00 to $3.50	Boys' good shoes, in black and tan $2.50 to $4.50 Boys' blouses ------- 75c The very best assortment of boys' new styles in caps ----- 25c to $1.50

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Editorial.

VACATION

Here is our Easter vacation to relieve us from school for a whole week. How are you going to spend it? Why do we have vacation? Is it so we may indulge in sports of all kinds to our hearts content while we haven't any lessons to prepare, or is it a time when we can release our minds from our studies and partake in both play and rest? To which class do you belong? If you were to stop to think for a minute, which path would you take?

All work and no play makes Jack a very dull boy. That answers the question, why do we have vacation, but it does not answer how it should be spent. All rest and no play will leave a lazy feeling and all play and no rest will make it worse. Thereby a balanced vacation of work, play and reading is the most preferable.

Traditions! Traditions you say! What are they? Such things really have existed in our dear old Lincoln High, but now who could enumerate them? They are being forgotten, one by one, until the present day when the majority of our student body knows nothing about the traditions begun by our alumni away back in the early days of our Lincoln high. Is it because we do not love old Lincoln high as our alumni did that we have forgotten the traditions, or is it simply negligence on our part?

Surely we love our school, so why not be as considerate of these things as the students of former days, who hoped that their traditions might never be forgotten? First and above all traditions are the high school colors, red and blue, to which both big and small should stick like glue. Next in line is the school song and then the high school yells and so on, including the Junior and Senior banquet, which was begun in the year of nineteen hundred thirteen, and also the pennants left by every senior class since the class of nineteen hundred four. So "pep" up, students, of our old Lincoln high, and above all be loyal to the traditions given us, and make sure that we leave as many if not more, to our followers.

Attention, Alumni.

Dear Alumnus:

Can we count on you?

The 1921 Prowler without a doubt will be the very best and brightest annual ever published by our high school. The Staff has been working steadily forward toward a goal far in advance of that set by our predecessors. We have made a special attempt to make the annual your annual as well as ours and we feel without a doubt that it will meet your highest expectations.

Though smaller in size it healthily was up to the old proverb, "Good things come in small packages." The price has been reduced accordingly and at one dollar you simply can't afford to be without one. Without question it is one of the very best investments you can make—you can't afford to let the opportunity slip thru your fingers.

We wish your subscription now so as to be able to know how many copies it will be necessary to publish in order to meet the demand.

Your subscription is desired and we assure you that the 1921 Prowler will meet all the requirements of the best and brightest annual ever produced in our dear old high.

Mail one dollar immediately to the undersigned and your subscription will be given our immediate attention. Act—and do it now.

BUSINESS MGR., PROWLER.

Nurse Notes.

Questions That Concern You.

If it is true that during 1919 a million of the school children of America had tuberculosis—

If it is true that last year two thousand children under five years of age died from tuberculosis—

If it is true that four out of every five children are infected with tuberculosis—

If it is true that tuberculosis infection is generally conceded as originating in childhood—

If it is true that these conditions are preventable and remediable—

What definite thing is your community doing to prevent or remedy?

Health Rhyme.

"A man should take example
From the clock, says Doctor Brown,
Which always ceases working
When it gets run down."

Farm Credit.

An interesting talk was delivered to the Farm Management class, last Thursday morning, by Mr. W. L. Cabert of the extension division of the University of Minnesota, on the topic of "Farm Credit," the theme being, "too much credit instead of not enough."

Mr. Cabert maintained that credit was a very essential part of the farmers' business, insofar that he knows when and how to use it. When receiving credit the farmer should invest it in the interest of a cause that will give the largest returns, that is invest it properly within the realm of his own business. As an example of this Mr. Cabert stated that an inexperienced man with little capital might lose quite heavily in the in- he had bought cheaper cattle his loss would be diminished proportionately and therefore be less pronounced.

In concluding Mr. Cabert advised that a man making a second mortgage on a loan should have it cover a period of at least ten years, in order that he be safe in its payment, and if a large loan is made it should be with the Federal Farm Loan because under the working scheme of this organization the principle is diminished proportionately year after year from the time it is made until the date set for expiration, usually from about fifteen or twenty to about thirty-three years, the later being the most common.

Normal Department.

The girls who did their rural practice teaching earlier in the year, are now carrying on the work of the department during the absence of the others.

Because of the illness of one of the Knox teachers, one of the Normal girls did substitute teaching there on Monday.

Huldah Gustafson has been absent this week on account of mumps.

The Normalites are doing their practice teaching for the month of March at the Northrup and Washington schools.

Bertha Gunderson (in Hygiene, locating the organs of the body): "The heart is situated just above the diaphragm between the two livers." We are wondering which authority to accept.

Even second graders can coin new meanings to words:

Rose: "Give a sentence using the word 'tanned.'"

Pupil: "The girl tanned the dress with Rit."

Honor Roll.

The following are the honor roll students for February:

Seniors — Marguerite DeCremer, Ruth Hadrath, Dreng Bjornaraa, Betsy Ness, Adolph Sundrud and Benny Lind.

Juniors—Bertha Aasehy, Johanna Wedul, Julia Langaas, Boletta Sandon, Ingaborg Borstad and Alice Bredeson.

Sophomores — Lorrayne Crandall, Lucille Curtiss, Pearl Weeks, Lydia Dahlen, Borghild Wallen and Ole Helle.

Freshmen—Marie Paulson, Mildred Peterson, Alice Gobler, Herbert Keene, Gladys Russell, Margaret Melgaard, Ruby Conklin and Albert Stengelson.

The Old Lincoln High.

How dear to our hearts is the old
Lincoln high school,
When lingering memories present it
to view,
The dear old assembly where three
sat together,
Minerva and Venus who stood in the
hall,
The address of Lincoln—memorial to
our soldiers,
And all our dear teachers we bid thee
adieu.
(Tune of "The Old Oaken Bucket."—Sing it.)

Clinkers.

Don't use slang when words fail you—shut up!

Some students still believe they're here to benefit the teachers—probably some are.

Depression in the market was recently stimulated thru a rise in dresses.

Highly colored birds are not always the most attractive.

A student's ambition may be judged by his marks.

Some of these fly-by-night concerns reminds one of the lightning bug—one flash and they're usually out.

Thief River Falls isn't wet but you'll still find a few damp spots.

An optomist is a man who sees a return to normal conditions by the first of May.

Crime wave checked—we're advancing.

The best impromptu speeches are the memorized ones.

"Cut in ladies' waists," reads an advertisement. [illegible] what the world is coming to.

Slang denotes ill-breeding—watch yourself.

We wonder what the blackboard thinks about.

Rivalry spurs competition.

Gopher Candy Sale.

A candy sale was held Thursday at the close of school by the Gopher patrol of the Girl Scouts.

They are raising money in order that they may buy the necessary equipment to make their patrol rank among the highest in the organization.

Their candy was soon disposed of and a profit of over eleven dollars was realized.

Such candy sales are being planned to be staged at intervals of every two weeks.

High School Song Wanted.

Have you started writing for the school song contest? If not, let's get started and show the school what we can do. The school has been in need of a song for some time and a few of the students have taken it upon themselves to conduct a contest in order that an appropriate song, set to stirring music will be produced and kept for all times.

Let's all get busy and produce the

Realization.

Have you subscribed for the 1921 Prowler? If you have not, you had better, in order that you may be positive of your copy. The 1921 Prowler has met a great many obstacles in its production but the seniors have been very optimistic and have surmounted every one.

One of the greatest obstacles that was run into was the necessity of cutting our annual down to 60 pages. But what our book lacks in quantity will doubly be made up in quality. As the old saying goes, "good things come in small packages," so our annual is being published.

The annual, although being smaller than those of former years, is made up of the things that really make an annual, and all things that are merely space fillers are cut out.

One of the big features of the 1921 Prowler is its picture and kodak department. The pictures of every class, society and club of the school are included. The kodak and snap department are full of good snappy pictures that will interest all persons who are directly or indirectly connected with the school. The alumni department has been especially taken care of this year and is anticipated as being the best department of the book and has been improved a great deal over alumni departments of previous years.

The price of the annual this year has been cut almost in two, due to the cut in size and will be sold for $1.00 the copy. Send all subscriptions to "Business Manager of the 1921 Prowler."

Odds and Ends.

Lots of people come to grief by meeting trouble half way.

When right, you can afford to keep your temper—when wrong, you can't afford to lose it.

Never judge a man by the silk umbrella he carries. He may have a cotton one at home.

If people misrust you, pause a moment and ask yourself who is to blame.

Central Notes.

Last Friday the 7th grade of the Central School took a try-out examination in geography. This examination was questions that were taken from previous exams. The results were very good.

On March 18 the 8th grade will have an annual party. Games are to form the chief amusement and refreshments are to be served. The students look forward to this as a big success and are expecting to have an enjoyable time.

On Thursday, March 17, the students of the 7th and 8th grades will observe St. Patrick's day. At the regular singing period both grades will take part in the singing of Irish folk-songs.

Those students having a perfect attendance for the month of February in the 7th grade are:

Garlin Adkins, Mary Alexander, Clarence Dahle, Altha Gabrielson, Noami Henoiks, Edna Hovin, Helen Jacobson, Elmyra Langseth, Harvey Patten, Millicent Sweger, Elsie Vorseth, Thorston Williamson, Mabel Johnson, Loretta Mulry, Melvina Ruprecht.

Personals.

Miss Helga Quinlog, of the class of '19, who teaches school near Viking, spent the week-end in this city visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Elliott conducted the geometry classes Friday morning in the absence of Mr. Tommeraasen.

Our basket ball boys came home Friday morning defeated but in good spirit.

Have you a song book? If not, buy one. Price, 15 cents.

In making out the report cards for last month, a decided decrease in "Fs" and an increase in the names on the Honor Roll was noted.

The greater part of the material for the 1921 Prowler went to press last Monday, and it is the intention of the Seniors to have the book ready for sale in two months.

"Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown—" of red.

Question for deliberation: Resolved; That Geometry should not be compulsory because it interferes with the inherent rights of human individuals to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

Craig Halvorson and Lloyd Alnes accompanied the basket ball team to Crookston.

There was a young student so lazy,
His recitations were usually hazy,
His mind was so blank
And his teacher a crank,
Till finally the poor fellow went crazy.

Miss Dixie calling roll: "Friedolph." Silence reigns. Again: "Is Friedolph absent?" Herbert: "No, just absent minded."

"Doc: "Feel of this and see how hot it is."

Miss Iverson's mother visited the Latin classes Friday.

Edward Fiterman visited the 4th period English II Friday morning, and incidentally read a selection from Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" to the great delight of the English class and its teacher.

Ruth H: "Did you call me up last night?"

Lynn H. "No, I didn't."

Ruth H. "He wanted to know if Conley avenue ran by your place.

Lynn H. "Have you anything on for tonight?"

Ruth H. "Yes, I have. It is cold outside."

Cleon B. is boasting about the mark he received in geography. It was an E instead of an F.

Mr. Melby: Name the three departments of government.

Francis H. Legislative, legislature, a-n-d legislation.

Teacher in English: "Why do you all start out with 'Well'—?"

Chester O.: "Well, what way should I start with?"

Teacher: "Well—" (Outburst of

ingrud, Keith Craik, Ansof Dahlen, Elizabeth DeCremer, Rose Dostal, Esther Dybvik, Mildren Engen, Mildred Erickson, Kathrine Barzen, Bonnie Barnett, Bernice Erickson, Owen Evenstad, Georgia Frisell, Dorothy Fuller, Lily Gran, Rhineholdt Habedank, Robert Halvorson, Henry Hielden, Maurice Holzknecht, Orden Ihle, Elin Juranson, Maxine Johnson, Margaret Klungness, Marguerite Lofthus, Roy Langeven, Roy Langseth, Paul Lundell, Lee Melgaard, Ruth Melby, Alma Myrold, Willis Nason, Hilda Ness, Alvin Olson, Russell Olson, Francis Ohm, Amelia Reitz, Irene Roemhildt, Beatrice Sandum, Gladys Sandstrom, Thomas Scanlan, Emmett Shanahan, Oscar Soderberg, Allan Sorenson, Kenneth Streeter, Philip Sundahl, Lincoln Thoreson, Evangeline Umland, Sylvester Wengler, Winifred Alice Zavoral, Dale Ziegler.

Perfect Attendance.

List of perfect attendance of the Eighth grade for the month of February. Students neither tardy nor absent:

Olive Aaland, Eryl Anderson, Walter Bakke, Ethel Bickley, Evelyn Bur-

Violin Solos Rendered.

The second of a series of programs, which are arranged for each Wednesday chapel period by a member of the faculty, was given March 9, with Mrs. August Holmberg of this city appearing as violinist.

To the student in need of relaxation nothing is so refreshing and so agreeable as good music, and everyone must admit that the violin, in the hands of an artist, is the king of musical instruments. Mrs. Holmberg played several selections, which were appreciatively received by an attentive audience.

The success of these programs is proven by the great interest and attentiveness on the part of the students. The originators of the idea are to be highly commended, and it is to be hoped the custom will long be continued.

Thief River Wins Second.

The Thief River Falls High School basket ball team won second honors at the district tournament held at Crookston March 11 and 12, where they met the fast Fosston quint in the second game of the series. The game was a fast one and ended with a score of 26 to 16 in Fosston's favor.

The first few minutes of play both teams showed up equally strong, which greatly pleased the spectators, the first quarter ending with a score of 4 to 3 in Thief River's favor.

In the second quarter Fosston came back strong, geting three baskets in a few minutes time. By this time the T. R. F. team had found themselves and began to increase their score and at the end of the first half the teams left the floor with Fosston leading by a score of 20 to 9. This, however, did not lessen the spirit of the local boys and they came back on the floor for the last twenty minutes of play with a determination to fight for the championship. But Fosston was in perfect shape and began their usual sensational playing and continued in the lead to the end of the game.

Fossum is credited with three field goals; Ralston made 6 out of 7 free throws and 1 field goal. Sorenson also secured 1 field basket.

The Fosston players are a fast team and rightly deserve the district championship and we wish them the best of luck at Carleton. However, the Thief River Falls team won second place, as no other team which played the champs at the tourney scored as many points on them as the local quint.

The lineup was as follows:

T. R. F.		Fosston
Ralston	lf	Tygerson
LaBree	rf	Solberg
Fossum	c	Hanson
Sorenson	lg	Carlson
Herron	rg	Olson

McDaniel substituted for Fossum for the second quarter, Fossum coming back in the game at the start of the second half. Sundahl substituted for LaBree during the last half of the game.

Solberg started for Fosston, making 8 free throws and 4 field goals. Tygerson made 5 field goals and Olson is also credited with 5 field baskets. Olson substituted for Hanson, Johnson for Olson and Mittum for Tygerson during the last half of the game. The final score was 36 to 16 in Fosston's favor.

The final game of the series was fought out between Fosston and McIntosh with the result of a decided victory for Fosston over their last opponents in the district, with a score of 38 to 8. This accredited Fosston with the championship of the Ninth District, for which each of our neighboring high school teams have been working.

Dr. Payne Speaks.

Wednesday afternoon, March 9, the high school students were unexpectedly called together and were greatly pleased when, upon entering the assembly, they were informed that Dr. Arthur F. Payne, dean of the department of trade and industry at the University of Minnesota, was to address them.

Dr. Payne was in the city by request of the Merchants association. He favored the high school with a similar visit a year ago, and the students were delighted to listen to this instructive and entertaining speaker again. Dr. Payne speaks from experience and observation and has a message to bring to every high school boy and girl by which they may profit.

The keynote of his talk was "Efficiency and Integrity," the motto of our school. "The thing that strikes me the most in regard to high school students," he said, "is that you have a great burden of responsibility to accept, this by virtue of the fact that souls. This is a wonderful period of opportunity for the aspiring young person, but we must, however, consider the fact that a great majority of the nation's youth has not the opportunity to attend high school or any other higher institution of learning. Some people lack the native ability, while a great number do not have a chance for various other reasons. The responsibility therefore rests on those who are capable of carrying it."

Dr. Payne, who has traveled a great deal in the states and also in foreign countries, stated that Minnesota has one of the finest educational systems in the country, ranking second only to that of Utah. It is therefore essential that we make use of this fact and prepare ourselves for the tasks that are before us; for the country needs us more than ever before. He had recently been in New York, where he had observed the steady and enormous tide of immigrants coming into this country. "It is to me," he said, "one of the greatest and most important problems that this nation has to contend with and must eventually solve, that it may continue in its present rate of development. You, the Americans of today, must Americanize these immigrants and by your own actions and attitude show the real American spirit and the ideals for which we stand." He put particular emphasis, and impressed strongly, the three marked and apparent factors in civilization. First, the application of scientific knowledge to all forms of activities. One of the most striking and profound examples of this is the mental tests, by which it is possible in a very simple way to ascertain a person's ability in using his mind. It has done more to develop and increase efficiency than any other invention. The second influence is the adoption of scientific methods in doing everything, as for instance in the modern educational system.

Thirdly, he mentioned the development of a scientific attitude of mind in individuals. This is one of the essential factors in the ability to look at all sides of everything, that is, to be able to see both sides of every question. It determines to a great extent a person's success at the university.

"All this may be brought together and condensed into "efficiency," which means to do things in the right way, both in regard to the services we perform for society and what we accomplish for ourselves. To promote our efficiecy it is necessary that we take good care of our body and mind, that we may be capable of doing our best. Integrity, which is closely allied to the preceding statement, means to be true to oneself.

There are two kinds of fools, the natural born fool and the fool who fools himself, the latter of whom is far the worse off. Honesty to ourselves makes it selfevident that we must be honest to others, and to do the right thing in the right way.

At the present time there is necessity of sane and efficient leadership, for which the student of today should equip himself. It is interesting to note, and it may act as an impetus to some ambitious youths, the fact most of the leaders of our nation came from the smaller towns.

As a conclusion Dr. Payne again emphasized the fact that we have a great burden of responsibility, which is to make the best use of ourselves in everything we do.

Speeches of this type are highly educational as it is the expression of ideas and thoughts of living men of learning and experience.

Coach Entertains.

A. Tommeraasen entertained the high school basket ball team on Tuesday evening at his home. The evening was spent in playing progressive whist, after which a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Tommeraasen and Miss Whipps. Those who attended were: Mr. Tripp, Hugh McDaniel, Bernard Sandahl, Elmer Larson, Allan Fossum, Charles Herron, Milford LaBree, Stanley Sorenson and Forest Ralston.

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

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We have a number of slightly used, second hand Talking Machines and Phonographs, for sale at very low prices.

Thief River Music Co.

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Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

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Whooping Cough

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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

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The owner wishing to effect a quick disposal of the following articles of desirable furniture will sell them at sacrifice prices:

One mahogany library table.
Two leather seat chairs.
One mahonagny pedestal.
One Wilton rug, 9x12.
One large size Simmons bed.
One child's bed.
One oak dresser.
One small mahogany dresser.
Complete dining room set in early English: china closet, buffet, dining table, 6 leather-seat chairs, pedestal.
One rug, 6x9.
One sanitary couch.
One mahognay bedroom mirror.
Large Coral kitchen range.
Three-burner Perfection oil stove, with oven.
One kitchen table.
Four kitchen chairs.
Three-quarter bed, complete.
Two lawn mowers.
One library table lamp.
Two electric chandeliers.
One bronze smoking set.
One porch swing.
Several pictures and many other articles.

The above may be seen by appointment only at
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Tel. No. 359

NUMEDAL

Mrs. Olaf Larson called at the Osness home Thursday.

Elias Joringdal was a Viking shopper one day last week.

Many from this vicinity attended the auction sale at C. Christenson's Thursday.

Casper Osness was an over-Sunday visitor at John Nelson's.

Soren Knutson attended the auction sale at Radium Thursday where he purchased two fine grade cows.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Joringdal were Sunday visitors at Olaf Larsons.

Messrs. George Bugge, Clarence Johnson and David Samuelson were entertained at the J. A. Blomberg home Saturday evening.

Ed. and Thure Blomberg autoed to Viking Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal were Sunday callers at the Osness home.

Mrs. J. A. Blomberg and sons Thure and Ed. and David Samuelson visited at Soren Knutson's Sunday.

Joseph Joringdal called at Soren Knutson's Monday.

Messrs. Melvin and Clarence Joringdal, David Samuelson and Thure and Ed. Blomberg were among those who took in the meeting at Viking on Sunday evening.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Quite a crowd gathered at the meeting held at the John Christenson home Monday afternoon.

Elmer Blomberg, who has been at Mudbaden, Jordan, Minn., for some time returned home on Tuesday.

STEINER

A surprise was given Mrs. Katie Meyer by about 25 of her neighbors Saturday evening. A very enjoyable time was had. Games was played, and a sumptuous repast served. The party was in remembrance of Mrs. Meyer's birthday anniversary.

Rene Warner bought seed Spring rye from John Whitman Saturday.

Louis Meyers transacted business in Steiner last week.

The Slack boys have been hauling wood lately. They have a fine pile of wood in the yard.

August Reidle called at the Meyers' home Saturday.

Mr. Rogers and son, Henry were in Thief River Falls Friday on business.

Willie Warring did business in this place the other day.

Mr. Shankle and son attended the Christianson auction sale last week.

Henry Rogers took the train at Rosewood Monday morning for a trip to North Dakota.

Mr. Koglin bought an auto at the Christianson sale last week.

Pearl Warring visited over Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Simon Warring.

The Young Peoples meeting at the school house in this place Friday evening was very well attended.

Ole Berg bought a horse at the Christianson auction last Thursday.

J. A. Russell transacted business in Thief River Falls last week.

Percy Lamb and family are visiting at the Meyers home for a few days. Mr. Lamb is a Soo line employee at Thief River Falls.

ESPLEE

Mrs. George Wilson of Thief River Falls is visiting at the A. G. Turnbull home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Erickson called at the Pete Carlson home Sunday.

Fred Solly transacted business at Goodridge on Friday.

Geo. Hook transacted business at Warren one day last week, returning on Saturday.

Hans Fiskevold returned home on Friday after a few weeks' stay at Turtle River, Minn., where he has been employed in the lumber camps.

Carl Hanson transacted business at Grygla on Monday.

Erick and Herman Kilson and Herman Solley were callers at the Carl Erickson home last Friday evening.

Edmund and Ottar Fiskevold called at the C. Erickson home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Matinson and family were guests at the Siver Siverson home Sunday.

Max Konig called on J. E. Ballou on Sunday.

Allan Swanton transacted business in Grygla on Monday.

Carl and Arthur Erickson transacted business at Grygla on Monday.

John and Mary Cullen visited at the C. Erickson home on Sunday.

Erick Kilson was a business visitor at Goodridge last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lewis came up from North Dakota last week to stay with the home folks for a short time.

Albert Fiskevold went to Goodridge last Friday.

L. O. Opsata called on Allan Swanton last Saturday.

J. E. Ballou and sons, Basil, Jesse and Fred, were business visitors at Goodridge on Monday.

Gust J. Funravet has returned from Denatson, where he attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. John O. Fundavet.

Arthur Erickson visited at the H. Fiskevold home Sunday evening.

James Cullen called on Carl Erickson Saturday afternoon.

Jacob Einarson and son, Harold, visited with the Carl Erickson family on Sunday.

W. E. Chapman and son, Erwin, went to Grygla on Monday.

Arthur Erickson visited at the Fiskevold home Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson left for her home at Thief River Falls on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Turnbull visited at the A. G. Turnbull home Sunday afternoon.

L. J. Teold transacted business at Goodridge one day last week.

Mildred Jahr and Hannah J. Sund were callers at the J. E. Ballou home Sunday afternoon.

Paul P. Sund stransacted business at Warren last Friday.

Mrs. John Nelson visited with Mrs. P. Sund on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. L. J. Tenold called on Mrs. A. G. Turnbull on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ballau and daughter, Melva, were Grygla callers one day last week.

Paul P. Sund left for Thief River Falls on Monday. He made the trip with his team.

Mrs. John Lamporter entertained the Ladies' Aid one day last week.

Do not forget the Ladies' Aid at the Paul Sund home on March 24.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.36
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.32
Oats	.29
Flax	1.14
Barley	.41
Rye	1.19
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	1.90
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.50
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.25
Dairy Butter	.40
Creamery Butter	.50
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	8-10
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.11
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05
Steers, per lb.	.04-.06
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Caroline Linde.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Caroline Linde, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to John O. Linde, Oscar Juel Linde, Agnes Pauline Lovel (formerly Agnes Pauline Linde), Clara Olline Tessum, Colman Jeffers Linde, and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of John O. Linde having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of her estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 15th day of March, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m17-24-31

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha O. Swanson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to William A. Swanson,

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday the 13th day of June, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated March 7th, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney.
m10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Maxine Elizabeth Johnson, George Wayne Johnson and Helen Lucille Johnson, Minor Wards.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court:

In the matter of the Estate of the above named minor wards.

The State of Minnesota to Maxine Elizabeth Johnson, George Wayne Johnson, Helen Lucille Johnson and Lucille E. Johnson, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said minor wards. The petition of Lucille E. Johnson as representative of the estate of the above named minor wards, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said minor wards described therein be sold, and praying that a license be to her granted to sell the same:

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of April, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 7th day of March, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal.)
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m10-17-24

How Would You Like to See What Irvin Norwood (Pa.) Saw?

"One customer told me that after using one large package of Rat-Snap, he got FORTY-EIGHT dead rats. How many more dead he couldn't see, he doesn't know. Remember rats breed fast and destroy dollars' worth of property." 35c, 65c, $1.25.

Sold and guaranteed by
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE
Hall Brothers Company

Auction Sale

Having sold our farm we will sell at public auction at the stockyards at Rosewood

Monday, Mar. 21

at 11:00 a. m. the following personal property:

HORSES

One grey horse, 8 years old, wt. 1650
One grey mare, 8 years old, wt. 1450
One white team, wt. 2600

CATTLE

One red cow, 6 years old
One red cow, 5 years old
One red cow, 3 years old
One red cow, 3 years old
One black cow, 5 years old
One red cow, 4 years old
One spotted cow, 4 years old
One spotted cow, 4 years old
All coming fresh this spring

MACHINERY

One Milwaukee binder, 7-ft. cut, new 1919.
One Monitor 18 double disc drill
One John Deere disc, 16 disc
One Moline 14 in. gang plow
One 26-ft. harrow

One Deering mower, 5-ft. cut
One hay rake
One high wheel wagon
One medium wheel wagon
One hay rack
One grain tank
One bob sleigh
One set heavy work harness
One stock tank
One tank heater
One Galloway cream separator
One hard coal heater, good as new
One Ensign range
One small size air tight heater
One kitchen cabinet
One library table
One rocker
One dresser
One buffet
Six chairs
One 12-ft. extension table
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount approved bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

MOSBECK BROTHERS
OWNERS

W. J. LaBREE, Auct. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk

Public Auction

I will sell at public auction my property, Lots 6 and 7 of Block 2 and all of Block 3 of Thief River Falls Addition to Fairfield, containing about 5 acres, east of Soo Round house and north of the Electric bridge, at 11:30 A. M.,

Friday, March 25th

The house is 28x28-16 ft. posts, 8 rooms and 4 clothes closets, hard wood floors downstairs, hard wood finish thruout, back and face plastered.

The barn is 16x20 with 16 ft. posts.
The wood and coal shed is 14x26x8 foot posts.
The blacksmith shop is 16x26x8 foot posts.
There is also a chicken house and pig shed.

This would make an ideal chicken farm.

One 6 ft. McCormick binder
One McCormick mower
One Woods mower
One Woods hay rake
One Havana Press, 16 shoe drill
One single top buggy
Two 2-seated buggies
One surrey buggy
One wagon
One light wagon
One double grain box

One light sleigh
One cream separator
One grind stone
One work harness
One buggy harness nearly new
Complete set blacksmith tools
One Self feeder hard coal heater
One kitchen range
Two wood heaters
One oil stove
Two kitchen tables
One dining table
Two center tables
One writing desk
Four rockers
Six chairs
One bureau
Three beds
One wash stand
Five lamps
Many other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

This property will be sold on a $1500.00 cash payment—balance on contract for deed drawing interest at 6% per annum.

Machinery and household goods: All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Thonila Holten, Owner

W. J. LaBREE Auct. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Seven room house and five lots at 237 Horace avenue north. 6

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington cockerels and a few hives of bees. Prices reasonable. H. F. Erickson. 7p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 3tf

FOR SALE—Potatoes, 75c per bu. Inquire at Zeh & Curran store or N. O. Lawson, Germantown Route. 6p

FOR SALE—3 room house on river bank and six lots. 200 Kendall Ave. N. 8p

FOR SALE—One Shorthorn cow, fresh in May. One light horse and buggy; with runner attachments. Will make very reasonable price if taken at once. Phone 578I. 6p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island eggs for hatching, $1.50 for 15; $7 for 100. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 11p

FOR SALE—One 312-egg Successful Incubator. Also Queen coal burner Hoover brooder. E. O. Helten, Germantown route, City. 6p

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—One large bronze gobbler and three hen turkeys. W. L. McCrum, City, 3, No. 3. Telephone 7-F23. 7

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop. W. E. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 107tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Cow coming fresh in May, and 5 good horses. Or will consider a trade for a grain separator, 22 or 24 in. preferred. Oscar Evenson, Germantown Rt. NE¼ Sec. 13, Silverton Twp. 6tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred Bourbon Red Turkey Toms. Have a few left at $7.00 each. Millard Brund, Nielsville, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE—Large nine room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call Thure Blomberg, R 1, Thief River Falls. 103tf

FOR SALE—Will sell a few matured Black Leghorns cockerels and pullets at reasonable prices. George Lehmers, city. 2tf

FOR SALE—Waterloo Boy tractor with extension and John Deere triple plow with breaking bottom. Has been used in plowing about 300 acres. Price for outfit, $800. Sidney Hennestvedt, Kratka. 6pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 108tf

FOR SALE—About 10 ton of wild hay 2 miles north of Stop 8 on the Electric Line. Thos. Panek, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 8p

FOR SALE—Modern fiveroom cottage, $2500. 109 Kendall Ave. N. 6p

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10 cents per pound.—Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls, Minn. 105tf

FOR SALE—About 200 bushels Rural New York potatoes, 75 cents per bushel. Also one stack good upland hay, and one single buggy.—August Johnson, Route 1. 7p

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Geselt Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the SE¼, Sec. 18, Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 80 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn—C. W. Vonchel. 2tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46tf

FOR SALE—One 14-inch Moline four-bottom stubble plow and three breaker bottoms. Also one large size Holland wild oats separator. Shandy L. Lind, St. Hilaire, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre river farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write R. K. Callaway. 5tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE CHEAP—Set of store furniture and fixtures. B. Docken Holt, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE—Farm, five miles south of Mavie. Write to Mrs. Inga Berg, 3325 Fifteenth avenue south, Minneapolis, for further information. 8p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Hanson's sand pit also city property. Inquire Tessum's elevator. 7p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A large, well ventilated room suitable for office or living quarters above First and Peoples Bank. Apply at the Union Dentists. 102tf

FOR RENT—300 acres in town of Kratka, sec. 6 and 7. 140 acres plowed, 120 in timothy. Will rent on shares or for cash rent. Mrs. Theo. L. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 4tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 8p

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed. SE¼ of Section 6, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares.—C. P. Brorby, Kratka.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED AT ONCE—A waitress at Oakland Park Sanitarium. 6

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. O. F. Melby, 708 Bridge St.

HOUSE FOR RENT—At 615 Markley Ave. S. 6p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 6p

WANTED—A good steady gentleman salesman to handle a Ward's Wagon in Marshall County. No experience needed. For full particulars write promptly to Dr. Ward's Medical Company, Winona, Minnesota. Established 1856. 8p

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By experienced gas or oil tractor operator. Write Harold F. Schandorff, Luck, Wis. 10p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Work by two men cutting cordwood or any kind of general work. Will work by the month or cord.—Rt. 1, Box 9, City. 8p

COMFORTABLE, small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 101tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, First St. E. 107tf

CLERKS—Men, women, over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examination, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service Examiner), 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 6pd

WANTED—Plain sewing to do at home. Mary Tifdahl, 215 Tindolph Ave. N. 7p

WANTED—At once, horse, weight about 1100 lbs. Must be good single driver for cultivating, etc. Thief River Greenhouse. 6

AUTOMOBILES PAINTED AND REVARNISHED. First-class work at reasonable prices. See Mr. Perkins at C. M. Evenson & Sons Garage. 7

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

AUCTION

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell my personal property listed below at public auction on the Tandberg farm, Sec. 7 of Rocksbury, 2 miles south and 2 miles west of Thief River Falls and 1 mile west and 5 miles north of St. Hilaire, on

Tuesday, March 22

Commencing at 12 o'clock sharp.

MACHINERY

Deering binder, 7 ft.
McCormick binder, 7 ft.
Acme binder, 7 ft.
Acme mower, 5 ft.
Minnesota hay rake, 10 ft.
Sweep rake
Hay stacker
John Deere 12 in. gang plow
Moline gang, 14 in.
VanBrunt drill, 14 disc
4 horse drag
2 wide tire wagons, complete
1 truck
Walking plow, 14 in.
Brush breaker, 12 inch

HORSES AND CATTLE

Bay mare 6 years old, wt. 1400
Bay mare 10 years old, wt. 1450
Grey mare 7 years old, wt. 1100
Black mare colt, 2 years old
Sorrel gelding coming 3 years
White cow 6 years, coming fresh April
White cow 5 years, coming fresh April
Brown cow 6 years, coming fresh April
Spoted cow 8 years, coming fresh May
Roan cow 4 years, coming fresh in May
Roan cow 4 years, coming fresh in May
Red cow 4 years, coming fresh in May
2 red heifers 2 years old, fresh soon
Bull 15 months old
2 heifer calves

MISCELLANEOUS

One horse cultivator
Set light bob sleighs
John Deere manure spreader
No. 12 DeLaval cream separator
2 sets work harness
20-bbl. stock tank and heater
FORD TOURING CAR

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Kitchen range
Wood heater
Household goods
Numerous other articles

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS. All sums of $10.00 cash. Sums over that amount, bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Chas. Peterson
OWNER
R. J. McKERCHER, Auctioneer
MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF St. Hilaire, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit the country, I will sell at public auction the following property on the Otto Ortloff farm, the northwest 1-4 in section 6, township of Wyandotte, 1½ miles due east of Hazel on

Thursday, March 24, 1921

Sale to commence at 11 A. M.

HORSES

2 Sorrel mules coming 5 years old, wt. 2000 lbs.
1 Bay mule coming 7 years old wt. 1000
1 Dark brown mule coming 12 years old, wt. 900
1 Sorrel mare coming 4 years old, wt. 1100 lbs.

CATTLE

1 Jersey cow, 3 years old, fresh in February.
1 Grade Shorthorn cow, 4 years old, fresh in Feb.
1 Grade Shorthorn cow, 4 years old, fresh in Feb.
1 Red cow 3 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 Black cow 6 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 Red cow 7 years old fresh in Mar.
1 Red cow 6 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 Red cow 8 years old, fresh in Mar.
1 Grade Shorthorn bull coming 2 yrs.
1 Grade Shorthorn bull 18 months
2 Black heifer calves 1 year old
1 Black bull calf 1 year old
1 Registered Shorthorn bull calf 1 year old
2 Calves ten months old
6 Pigs 5 months old
10 Rhode Island Red hens
2 Turkey hens, 1 Gobler

MACHINERY

1 John Deere binder 7 ft. cut
1 Deering mower 5 ft. cut
1 McCormick mower 5 ft. cut
1 14-in. gang plow
1 John Deere 3-horse corn cultivator
1 3-section iron drag
1 Hay sweep
1 Hay rake
1 16-in. walking plow
1 7-ft. runner bob sled
1 Jumper
1 Buggy
1 Wide tire wagon
1 Wagon and hay rack
1 Monitor grain drill 14-disc 16-disc
1 Corn planter
1 Pump jack
1 Bone cutter
1 Garden drill
Some horse blankets
1 Potato plow
1 Potato hiller
2 Sets good work harness
1 Lot of old harness
1 Grindstone

HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ETC.

Some chairs; 1 wash stand
1 Dresser; 4 barrels
2 Rockers; 1 couch
20 Ton wild hay, 12 cords wood, some good oats, small tools and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS:—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount approved bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

R. E. LOCKE, Owner

PAUL BORGIE, Auct. CITIZENS STATE BANK OF HAZEL, Clerk.

AUCTION

SALE

Having rented my farm, I will sell at Public Auction at my farm, Sec. 21, Town of Norden, 2½ miles south of Rosewood and 5 miles west and 2 miles north of Thief River Falls

Thursday, March 24

at 11:00 A. M., the following personal property:

HORSES

One bay horse, 12 years old, wt. 1400
One gray mare, 8 years old, wt. 1500
One bay mare, 7 years old, wt. 1200 (with foal)
One gray colt, 3 years old, wt. 1200
One Arabian horse, 8 years old, wt. 1100

CATTLE

One red and white cow 7 years old, calved 3-11
One red and white cow, 7 years old fresh soon
One red cow, 6 years old, fresh soon
One brindle cow, 5 years old, fresh soon
One brindle cow, 5 years old, fresh soon.
One red cow 7 years old, fresh soon
One red cow 3 years old, fresh in April
One red cow 3 years old, fresh in April
One roan cow 5 years old, fresh in April
One Holstein cow, 14 years old
One Holstein bull 2 years old
About 80 chickens

MACHINERY

One Deering binder, 6 ft. cut with truck
Two McCormick mowers, 5 ft. cut
One McCormick hay rake
One Dowagiac drill, 17 shoe
One Boss drag, 4 horse
One Osborne disc, 12 disc
One International riding cultivator
One Emerson gang plow, 13 in.
One Fuller & Johnson sulky plow, 13 inch.
One flax attachment and buncher
One Columbus wide tire wagon, with double box.
One delivery wagon
One truck with hay rack
One heavy buggy with tongue

One pair bob sleighs
One jumper
Five sets of heavy work harness
One single buggy harness
One 5-bbl. galvanized stock tank
One Excelsior motor cycle
One 240 lb. scale
One washing machine
One Edison phonograph with 150 records
One DeLaval cream separator, No. 10
Two 5-gal. cream cans
One wood heater
One kitchen range
One grind stone
One good cattle dog
One pile of wood
Some blacksmith tools
Some oats
Some Early Ohio potatoes
About 160 grain sacks
About 25 shocks of corn
About 25 tons of hay
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS—All sums under $10.00, cash over that amount approved bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

A. O. BERGLAND

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

THREE MORE GAMES WON BY EKLUND POST INVINCIBLES; MINOT AND FOSSTON BEATEN

North Dakota Champions Go Down in Sensational Series After Putting Up Stiffest Battles Thus Far Experienced by the Locals—Fosston Easy.

A brand of basket ball different from any ever seen here was played at the auditorium on Thursday and Friday nights, when the Thief River Falls Legion team met and twice defeated the Independents of Minot, 32 to 28 and 23 to 18. This is the first series the Independents, who are claimants of the North Dakota Independent championship, have lost to any team played this season. While the crowd which turned out to witness the first game apparently took up all available floor space, the nature of the game brought out many more on Friday evening, when over 650 persons were assembled.

Both games were fast to the extreme. The second was sensationally so, the visitors, by methods of their own, having thoroughly antagonized both local team and audience on the previous to such an extent as to remove almost entirely the element of sportsmanship from the playing of both quints. The climax was reached on Friday night, when but for the fact that the Independents carried but *five men* it would have been necessary to remove one of their players because of his long string of personal fouls. Great elation over the two victories, which would have been present had the clash been of a more wholesome nature, was noticeably lacking.

First Half Easily Taken.

Carlson opened Thursday night's game with the neatest of field goals made within the half minute following the toss up. The five minutes of play that followed developed some real tussling as the players felt out their men, but passes and goal shots were noticeably erratic. That part of the game which followed was entirely to the credit of the locals. Carlson scored a point on Worner's technical, following it up with a ball caged after a pass from Holzknecht and another successful free throw on Hayes' technical. Holzknecht dropped the ball into the net, but in doing do traveled with the pigskin, giving the men from North Dakota a free throw. Hayes failed to make it. Thief River's score went to 12 with a basket made by Hadrath from the center of the field, two free throws in rapid succession made by Carlson and a successful goal shot by Holzknecht. The half was well gone before Minot scored four points with goal shots on the part of Emanuel and Worner, which took place in 30 seconds time. Hadrath's goal shot from the center line was followed by his team taking time out, after which LaBree entered the game in Kiland's place. During the remaining two minutes Carlson took one more point on a free throw and two on a field basket. The half closed at 18 to 4 in favor of the home men.

Worner's Shooting Phenomenal.

Emanuel of the visitors took the ball on the toss up at the outset of the second half and plopped it into the circle with nice precision. Hadrath scored a goal at a time when he had the center of the field to himself and Worner took two more points for the opposition. Johnson went in to replace LaBree, who failed to get into action to any noticeable extent, after five minuts of play. Carlson's successful shot from the field was followed by several minutes of heated playing which resulted in poor shots on the part of both quints. The mixing that followed Emanuel's second nicely netted ball was of the straight-from-the-shoulder variety, which allowed the making of but one basket and that by Carlson. Hayes failed to cage the ball on Johnson's personal foul and the latter redeemed himself by scoring with a clean-cut goal from the field. Minot's stock started on the up-grade immediately thereafter when Worner, right forward, dropped the sphere fair through the hoop three times in two minutes. Carlson missed a free throw for the first time during the game and Hadrath took his fourth field basket. A touch of comedy entered the battling when a wild scrambling ensued directly under Minot's goal and the ball, striking McGinn on the head, bounced off and through the hoop without other assistance. Bonynge and Worner made the hoop, as did Johnson, all in rapid succession. If such were possible, the mixing that followed was wilder than ever, Hadrath taking another two points to his credit and Emanuel, Bonynge and Hayes adding six to the mounting score of the Dakota five. The latter named took time out once at the 18 minute mark and once at the 19th. There was no further scoring and the game closed with a score of 32 to 28 in Thief River's favor.

Worner easily copped the honors for the visitors, with his somewhat uncanny basket shooting. Emanuel's work was good, as was that of Hayes and and the guarding of Bonynge. The latter resorted continually to long and chancey basket shooting, making no less than 12 failures of that nature during the game. Carlson starred for the city Legionnaires. Holzknecht and Johnson as usual played a good and consistent game. McGinn's guarding was exceptional and Hadrath showed good form in making his goals.

Minot		T. R. F.
Worner	R.F.	Carlson
Bonynge	L.F.	Kiland
Greenfield	C.	Hadrath
Hayes	R.G.	Holzknecht
Emanuel	L.G.	McGinn

Johnson substituted for Kiland and LaBree.

Minot scoring: Field goals—Worner, 6, Emanuel 4, Bonynge 2, Hayes 1, by a fluke 1. Hayes missed four free throws.

Thief River scoring: Field goals—Carlson 5, Hadrath 5, Johnson 2, Holzknecht 1. Carlson made 6 out of 7 free throws.

Second Game Harder Fought.

Both teams returned to the fray on Friday night in apparent good form despite the strenuous action of twenty-four hours previous, and playing immediately became speedy and rough. Carlson, Thief River forward, made two out of three free throws granted during the first five minutes. The score was tied when Bonynge at the end of that time made the net by long shooting. Five minutes more and the score had gone to the locals favor with baskets made by Hadrath, Carlson and McGinn. Greenfield meanwhile made two points for his team. Hadrath's basket taken several minutes later, was followed by the most striking play of the game, that when Carlson cleverly eluded his guards and made the hoop from the center of the field. The score of the visitors went to seven points with a field goal made by Bonynge, whose long shots met with better results than in Thursday night's game, and a free throw successfully made by Hayes. Carlson took two free throws to his credit; Hayes for the opposition took one on Kiland's personal; Worner made the hoop from the field and the half was over. The score stood at 14 to 9.

Lose by Rough Stuff.

Hayes, Minot guard, early in the second half cleared the hoop in a remarkable shot from the opposite end of the floor. Carlson missed a free throw granted on a personal. A little later Johnson, who entered the second half in Kiland's stead, took the ball on a toss up, snapped it to Carlson who was in an advantageous position, and the Thief River stock went up two points. What followed approached fighting and resulted in the calling of a string of personal fouls. Carlson made 4 out of 6 free throws; Hayes missed one and Worner made one. Greenfield meanwhile made two field goals for the Independents. The quints pursued the pigskin swiftly from one end of the field to the other following long-distance tries for the baskets, which resulted in Holzknecht scoring once. Bonynge immeditely neutralized the two points however. Kiland went in for Hadrath in the last few minutes of playing, during which time Carlson made another free throw. The game was taken by the city quint on a margin of but five points.

A noticeable feature of the second game was that the visiting team failed to successfully put in operation their criss-cross play on a tip off from the toss up, which had worked so nicely on the previous night. Greenfield redeemed his colorless playing of the first game by his interference and basket shooting. Carlson if anything played a better game than ever. Otherwise honors remained much in the same quarters.

The line-up was the same for both games, Johnson subing for Kiland and Kiland for Hadrath.

Minot scoring: Field goals—Bonynge 3, Greenfield 3, Hayes 1, Worner 1; free throws—Hayes 1 out of 3, Worner 1.

Thief River scoring: Carlson 3, Hadrath 2, McGinn 1, Holzknecht 1; Carlson made 9 out of 15 free throws.

Perry Johnson refereed both games. L. H. Lawrence acted as umpire for the second. The eighth grade and freshmen teams furnished amusing preliminaries, and the city band turned out for both occasions.

The Fosston Legion team was easily defeated in a game played on Wednesday night. The visitors failed to put up the class of opposition that has been met with in the more recent clashes staged here and the locals, with one or two exceptions, never one got into their stride of Thursday and Friday nights.

Carlson played a game outstanding so clearly from start to finish as to be classed as the season's sensation. Playing a great deal of the first half practically alone, he took nine field goals to his credit, shutting out entirely the Fosston five. The latter quint played to hard luck and lost two baskets after the ball had seemingly entered the net. The second half offered a little more excitement, with both teams entering the struggle more wholeheartedly. The blue and white resorted to long tries for the goal because of defense put up by the Thief River men against which the former quint's efforts made little impression, ragged as it was. Movold took two nice baskets as a result of these tactics. The Larsons also scored from the field and Wynne made a free throw. Carlson took 4 more field baskets, Hadrath 3 and Kiland 3. Hadrath was carried from the floor following a crash in which he received a blow in the chest, and was replaced by LaBree. Johnson played the second half in a fast way and Holzknecht showed bursts of speed. The final score was 38 to 11.

Fosston		T. R. F.
Wynne	R.F.	Carlson
R. Larson	L.F.	LaBree
P. Larson	C.	Hadrath
Movold	R.G.	Holzknecht
Granum	L.G.	McGinn

Johanson replaced P. Larson during the third quarter. Kiland substituted for LaBree in the second quarter, Johnson for McGinn in the third and fourth, Kiland went back in for LaBree in the same, and LaBree returned in Hadrath's position following the latter's injury.

Stephen Promises Hard Come-Back Next Season

The following, which was clipped from the Stephen Messenger of Mar. 4, would indicate that that village is somewhat wrought up over the fact that the Sephen high school basket ball quint was barred from the district basket ball tournament and competition for the state high school championship:

"Stephen High will be represented at the district basket ball tournament held at Crookston tonight and tomorrow, but the members of her all-star quint will be there as spectators only because of a ruling of the state conference authorities which approved the action of the district authorities in barring Stephen from participation in the district tournament. This action is the outgrowth of charges preferred against the Stephen team by the Thief River Falls organization last year. The charges were that a member of last year's team (district champions) had smoked cigarettes following a game at Thief River. They failed to keep Stephen out of last year's tournament, where the boys won the district title by decisive victories over Fosston and Thief River Falls in the best exhibition of basket ball ever staged on the Crookston armory floor. But this year the charges were revived when it became evident that our boys appeared as the strongest team in the district and seven teams again asked that Stephen be barred from the tournament. They are Argyle, Warren, Crookston, Thief River Falls, Fosston and others. The boys quite naturally are keenly disappointed, justifiably so when it is considered that the single circumstance upon which the charge against them was based was entirely beyond their control. But they'll be back in the fight next year and they say it's going to take something more than 'baby stuff' on the part of their opponents to keep them from a championship then."

OBITUARY

Oscar A. Bishop.

Oscar A. Bishop, residing on a farm one mile southeast of the city limits, died at his home Sunday morning. Mr. Bishop had been ailing for the past two years, although his trouble was of such a nature that it caused no serious alarm. On Saturday evening he retired, apparently in usual health but during the night was forced to sit up because of difficulty in breathing. His condition continued to grow worse and death came quietly while he was seated in a chair at 8 o'clock Sunday morning. Tuberculosis, resulting from influenza two years ago, is given as the cause of death. Deceased was born at Henderson, N. Y., Feb. 16, 1817. As a youth he went west, settling at Blue Earth, later engaging in the hardware business for a period of 35 years. He was also postmaster at that place for a number of years. In 1906 he came to Thief River Falls and conducted a meat market in company with George Elder, in the building now occupied by Rolland's store. He later moved to St. Paul, engaging in the real estate business there and returning to this city in 1915, where he has since made his home. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and one son, Arthur, of Milwaukee. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon and interement made at Greenwood cemetery. Rev. R. L. Barackman of the Presbyterian church, officiated.

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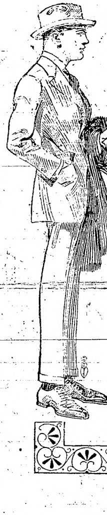

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

BOARD SELECTS NORTH DAKOTAN AS SCHOOL HEAD

I. T. Simley, Now Superintendent at Rugby, Elected as Ziegler's Successor.

Chosen Because of Qualifications Out of Field of More Than Thirty Applicants.

Agricultural and Commercial Departments Will Be Discontinued For the Present.

The board of education at a meeting held on Monday night unanimously elected I. T. Simley of Rugby, N. D., as superintendent of the Thief River Falls public schools for the coming year, to fill the vacancy arising through the resignation of Superintendent W. A. Ziegler, which was presented on March 14 to go into effect early in June. The new superintendent will move here from Rugby with his wife and three small children in July to assume his duties preparatory to the opening of the fall school term.

Mr. Simley has served as superintendent of the city schools of Rugby for the past four years and comes here individually recommended by all members of the school board of that city as standing high in the educational circles of the state. He is president of the northwestern section of the North Dakota State Teachers association and an officer of several other educational organizations. He is known as a gifted public speaker and a young man of exceptionally pleasing personality. Mr. Simley met members of the board of education here on March 14, at which time he created a very favorable impression. His election followed a thorough investigation of over thirty applications received.

Teachers Re-appointed.

All members of the present teaching staff of the grade and high schools were re-elected for the year 1921-22 with no reductions in salaries, and contracts returnable April 4 are being given out at this time. While it is known that many of the teachers will not return to Thief River Falls next year, members of the school board are confident that the number will not exceed 50 per cent of the present staff. No increases in salaries have been granted.

Courses Discontinued.

It was also voted to discontinue the high school agricultural course and the commercial department, and to reduce the staff of the domestice science department to such an extent that it can be supervised by one instructor. This course of action was decided upon by the board after careful consideration of the most feasible means of reducing expenditures in the city schools in line with the present financial conditions, members of the board state. It will result in lowering the running expenses by not less than $5,000 during the coming year. The discontinuance of the departments is not regarded as being more than a temporary measure made necessary until normal conditions have returned to the country. President H. W. Froehlich on Wednesday stated that the board would endeavor to reduce the teacher force to the greatest extent possible.

Dead Man Identified and Buried at Expense of City

The body of Dr. George Mount, veterinarian, who died at the Physicians hospital here on March 11, without his identity having been clearly established, was buried in Greenwood cemetery today at the city's expense. During the early part of the week hospital and medical authorities were enabled to get in touch with relatives of the deceased residing at Northome, Minn., and subsequently received a wire from a daughter, Bertha Mount, in which it was requested that the city dispose of the body as seen fit, relatives being financially unable to defray traveling expenses to this point or otherwise to care for the funeral arrangements.

Deceased was sent to the hospital here on March 11 by medical autorities at Clearbrook and when received was in a stupefied and crazed condition. He died without having completely regained consciousness. As far as can be ascertained Dr. Mount is survived by his daughter, Bertha, and another daughter who is married and resides at Northome, a son who is an inmate of the state home for the feeble minded at Faribault, and one other son, father of several children, who has deserted his wife and family.

OFFERED FIVE HIDES FOR ONE PAIR OF $5 SHOES; PAYS THE CASH

Dairyman Might Possibly Have Made Trade Had He Offered to Furnish Thread and Pay Cost of Manufacture.

"If five cowhides will make 25 pairs of shoes, and shoes sell at five dollars a pair, how many cowhides will it take to get a pair of shoes?" That's the neat little problem which V. C. Noper, a prominent Thief River Falls dairyman, is still trying to solve.

Upon the occasion of his needing a nifty pair of kicks for spring wear in the barn yard, he looked over the stock of a city dealer and found several pairs exactly to his liking. The pair most greatly favored by his admiration bore a price ticket of $5. Said he:

"Now, I've got a nice cow hide that'll make five pairs of shoes like this and I'll trade it to you for this one pair."

Friend Shoe Dealer couldn't see Mr. Prominent Dairyman at all, but the latter's bargaining blood was up and he came back strong with:

"Say, I've got five nice cow hides that'll make 25 pairs of shoes and I'll give you the whole five for this $5 pair."

"Nope, V. C., nothing stirring on such a trade. You see—"

Mr. Noper later hurried homeward with the coveted foot gear under his arm, but not until he had played a tune on his wallet to the extent of five silver beans worth one hundred cents each.

DISTRICT MEETING OF WOMEN VOTERS TO BE HELD HERE

Delegates Expected from Every County in Ninth District For Two-Day Meeting.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Ninth District chairman of the Minnesota League of Women Voters, on Wednesday returned to Thief River Falls from Minneapolis, where she attended a meeting of the state executive committee of that organization. She has announced that a convention of the district League will be held here on April 4 and 5, with delegates from every county in attendance. Over 50 members from out of town points are expected to attend the two day session.

The convention will assume the form of a school of instruction. Miss Margaret Wells of Minneapolis, state president of the League, will speak at the afternoon meetings on the relations of the League to the political parties. She will also speak at a six o'clock banquet supper to be held at the Brumund hotel on Monday evening, April 4. A mock election of city officials will also be a feature of that evening's meeting. Miss Emily Kneubl of Minneapolis, state chairman of the department of political education, will conduct a class in public speaking during the forenoon of both convention days. Miss Kneubl is considered one of the most able women speakers of the state. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, county chairman, will have charge of all arrangements for the two day program, particulars of which will be given out at an early date.

FAREWELL SMOKER FOR HOME GUARDS

Official Discharge Papers Distributed at Pleasant Party Held Saturday Eve.

Fifty members of Company "C" of the 11th Battalion of home guards assembled at the Hotel Evelyn on Saturday night for the company's farewell meeting and smoker. Although members of the organization were furloughed shortly after the armistice was signed in 1918 and have not been meeting for drill since that time, it was not until Saturday night that the distribution of official discharge papers was made. Card playing was a diversion of the evening.

Following a buffet lunch, Capt. W. B. Fuller made a short address appropriate to the disbanding of the home guard unit, touching briefly upon its accomplishments during the period of war and expressing his great appreciation of the spirit of co-operation which had been shown at all times by the rank and file of the company. Following his talk, Capt. Fuller was presented with a handsome period chair bearing a suitably engraved silver plate by his former command. Dr. G. A. Penney, who acted as spokesman at the presentation, asked that the chair be accepted as a token of the company's appreciation of their captain's efforts in so successfully keeping together the organization.

It was voted that the small company fund remaining in the treasury be used when needed in relieving urgent wants of former service men or their families.

Citizens Bowling Alleys Sold; Carlsons to Leave

Edward Carlson, for the past four months proprietor of the Citizens bowling alleys and billiard hall which are located in the basement of the Citizens State bank building, on Tuesday disposed of that business to H. F. Laufle of Austin, Minn. The new proprietor took possesion immediately. Mr. Carlson, with his two sons, Phillip and Irving, will return to take up their former retail confectionery establishment at St. Cloud. The family will move to that city at once. Mr. Laufle, formerly a southern Minnesota railroad man, states that the only contemplated change in the policy of the Citizens pleasure resort will call for the same being kept open both summer and winter instead of closing for the summer as has heretofore been the case.

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WELL PROVIDES AMPLE SUPPLY OF PURE WATER

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Work of Cleaning Out Tank and Flushing Mains Will be Undertaken at Once.

Many residents of Thief River Falls have not been aware of the fact that since the first of November the source of the city's water supply has been the 12-inch drilled well located near the pumping station. Water was formerly drawn from the well during the winter months only when the amount required was small compared with that needed during the summer, at which time water was pumped from Red Lake river. It is now thought that the well will allow the pumping into the city water mains and tank of approximately 300 gallons per minute, or enough to more than supply the demand at any season of the year. Pumps now being used will be speeded up and slight alterations made to give the well a thorough test as to maximum supply, it developed at the regular meeting of the council Tuesday night.

The well is drilled to a depth of 216 feet. The water taken therefrom has been analyzed by the State Public Health department and is pronounced suitable for drinking purposes. The council has authorized a thorough cleansing of the 75,000 gallon city water tank as soon as it is entirely free from ice and a flushing of water mains by the opening of all hydrants on the average of once every two weeks. Water will be pumped directly into the mains while the tank is emptied in order to avoid shutting off the supply entirely. City officials do not advocate the use of water flowing through the mains at this time for drinking purposes, as mains and tank have not been thoroughly cleansed for several years. When the above mentioned precautions have been taken tap water may be used for all purposes.

The council, by way of furthering the spring "house cleaning" in another direction, on Tuesday night authorized the painting of the two-span steel bridge over the Red Lake river on First street, which is badly in need of proper protection from the elements. A hearing of bids on will take place at an early date.

Silverton Will Discuss Eradication of Barberry

At the regular meeting of the Silverton Community club which will be held in the Silverton town hall on Saturday night, the principal topic to come under discussion will be the means of eradicating the common barberry plant. Scientific investigations have proved conclusively that the barberry carries the rust-producing spores which later develop into black rust through the winter season and that no other plant is known to serve as a host to the spores. The loss caused by black rust is enormous, in some years reaching $20,000,000 in Minnesota alone. The state legislature has been requested to grant an appropriation of $25,000 annually to be used in destroying the common barberry plants wherever found in the state and steps are being taken to have this amount increased to $50,000.

JUDGE WILL HEAR CONTINUED CASES

Three Civil Suits to Come Before District Court on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Three civil suits are scheduled to come before Judge Andrew Grindeland at an adjourned term of district court held at the Pennington county county court house here on March 29 and 30. The first case on the docket is that of Independent School district No. 102 against the Farmers and Merchants State bank of Thief River Falls, and L. D. McAdams, intervenor. Mr. McAdams, Thief River Falls contractor, in the spring of 1919 contracted to erect a school building in the above named district, depositing a $2,000 certified check as an evidence of good faith. The contract was never fulfilled by the contractor because of alleged changes made in the original specifications. Legal action was taken by district No. 102 against the Farmers and Merchants State bank and Mr. McAdams, when the bank, acting on the latter's instructions, refused to cash the certified check. The case was first entered on the court calendar for February, 1920, since which time it has twice been continued.

The case of the State of Minnesota ex rel Theo. Quale vs. John Bratrud, as mayor of the city of Thief River Falls, and A. H. Akre as city clerk, is also one of long standing. Mr. Quale in 1919 was serving as city attorney when duly elected county attorney, the duties of which office he immediately assumed. Dr. G. A. Penney, at that time mayor, failed to sign city warrants for the attorney's monthly stipend after they had been approved by the city council. Mr. Quale continued to serve as city attorney for the year, at the close of which he presented his bill for 12 months salary and brought suit against Dr. Penney as mayor and A. H. Akre as city clerk, who alleged that the office of city attorney became vacant upon Mr. Quale assuming the office of county attorney, the two being incompatible. A hearing was held before Judge Grindeland in the spring of 1920, when the court ruled against the plaintiff. The case involves many fine legal points.

The case of Sam McClure and Carl Zwer against Ira B. Walker, Swan B. Swanson, C. M. Showers, Nels Swanson, heirs of H. Brown, H. Christianson, Ole Linstad, John Severson, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway company, the Minneapolis and St. Cloud Railway company, Town of Sanders, and Ole Larson, C. August Carlson and Herman Ortloff, as town board of the town of Sanders, is a section boundary dispute.

HELP CHINESE BY SELLING TAGS ON STREET SATURDAY

Everyone Will Be Asked to Assist in Swelling Fund Started by the Red Cross.

Members of the Girls Community club and the local organization of Girl Scouts will conduct a tag sale throughout the business section of the city on Saturday for the benefit of the Chinese Famine Relief fund. This sale will conclude the drive for funds which has been conducted in the community for the past month, and those in charge of the drive urge that every person approached on Saturday contribute a cash amount, no matter how small, to swell the grand total sum which will be forwarded to the district headquarters. All expense of the undertaking is being donated.

The directors of the Pennington county chapter of the Red Cross at a special meeting called on Friday of last week voted to appropriate a lump sum of $100 to the cause of the starving hordes of Northern China. The churches of the city have responded liberally to the call for aid, their contributions in the main being sent through their denominational charity organizations. Contributions left at the Lambert drug store have been noticeably few and far between, and it is for this reason that the tag sale is being conducted on Saturday. The young ladies do not intend to let anyone who appears in the down-town section escape without having first purchased one of the tan-colored pasteboards. The price of the tags will be whatever the purchaser is inclined to give—anything from one cent to a ten dollar bill.

Reports of American missionaries and business men who have made a study of the dire situation existing in China today, show that at least fifteen millions of Chinese, men, women and children, are affected by the two years of terrible drought and one of flood which have devastated northern China. The numbers of deaths by starvation, purely and simply, are mounting higher and higher each day and the natives will continue to die the most horrible of all deaths until American aid can reach them. "Selfish as the Chinese race may always have been and remote as the area of dire distress may seem," said L. D. Coffman, president of the University of Minnesota, "we as the most benevolent race of the world can not forget that human beings are perishing by the hundreds of thousands because of the lack of food."

Says Tide of Business Depression Has Turned

R. H. Pelz of the department of Business Economics of the University of Minnesota was the guest of the Merchants association at a banquet supper given at the Evelyn hotel on Wednesday evening. Mr. Pelz was also the speaker of the occasion, taking for his subject "The Retail Merchants Opportunity." While his talk was all of great interest that part of his message which struck deepest was the statement that the tide of business depression has turned, in support of which he quoted articles from a large number of the leading trade journals of the United States.

Kollen and Jensen Meet On Mat Here Friday Night

Henry Kollen and Thor Jensen will meet on the mat at the Lyceum theatre on Friday night, to determine which will walk off with the gate receipts. The regular Lyceum picture show for that night will be held at the Princess show house in order that the doors may be opened to sport fans at 9 o'clock, the preliminaries to start promptly at 9:20. It is predicted that this will be one of the best mat events ever staged here.

Kollen, whose home is at Greenbush, is well known to the community, having frequently been seen in action in this section of the state. He took Kirkness to two falls in 11 and 6 minutes here on the night of February 12, at which time he showed excellent form. Jensen claims the welter weight championship of the United States and has wrestled some of the fastest men in the game, including Kid Hiatt of Wheaton, Parcaut, Reynolds and other well known mat artists. Kollen and Jensen will wrestle at 158 and 156 pounds respectively.

AGAIN ACCEPTS CONTRACTS FOR OUR BEET CROP

Minnesota Sugar Company Official Argees to Take Entire Neighborhood Output.

Growers Net Returns Expected to be About the Same as For the Past Year.

Superior Quality of Local Beet Only Reason For Section Being Included.

H. H. Dana, agriculturist for the Minnesota Sugar company of Chaska, was in Thief River Falls on Wednesday for the purpose of explaining the new form of contract being used for the 1921 season. Mr. Dana states that while the company is not *desirous of securing additional sugar* beet acreage, contracts will be entered into with agriculturists in the vicinity of Thief River Falls because of the extra fine quality of the beets produced here. His company has already contracted for a total of approximately 12,000 acres of beets, or 3,000 acres more than for 1920.

Labor Cost Reduced.

The representative of the sugar company while here interviewed several growers. He stated that it was his belief that the price paid for beets this year would approximate that of last year and that growers would average more per acre because of the decreased cost of labor. Labor this year can be secured at about $23 per acre when furnished by the factory, he said, but it will not be possible to furnish experienced labor to other than those who contract for a large acreage. Growers with a small acreage are advised to furnish their own labor.

Freight rates during 1920 averaged $3.30 per ton on all beets shipped from Pennington county. This was paid by the factory but a deduction of $1 on the price per ton was made on all beets shipped from the northern part of the state. This year the grower will pay the $1 per ton, no deduction to be made when beets are marketed. Mr. Dana explained that this method of arranging for the payment of high freight rates was virtually the same as that employed last season.

Sliding Price Sale.

The new contract provides for a price paid for beets based on a sliding scale depending upon the average price of standard granulated beet sugar. Thus, if sugar sells for six cents per pound, beets are worth $6.00 per ton; if sugar sells for ten cents per pound, beets are worth about $11.00 per ton. This is what the sugar beet growers of older established sections have long been working for.

County Agent J. J. McCann this morning said that practically all farmers who put in crops of beets last year will again take up about the same acreage. Ten others have signified their intentions of putting in this crop. It is also known that over a thousand acres of beets would be contracted for in Pennington county if they could be loaded at other points than Thief River Falls during the marketing season.

Mr. Dana also confirmed the statement that beets grown in the vicinity of this city last fall were higher in sugar content and purity than those from any other section of the state.

Contracts may be secured by calling at the Farm Bureau office in the auditorium. Mr. McCann is also prepared to give prospective growers a full explanation of the contract and instructions as to the proper cultivation of the sugar beet for manufacturing purposes.

ELKS OF LANCASTER PUT ON "SALTLICK"

Engage Professional Entertainers For Program and Ball in Honor of Pearson.

The 27 members of the Thief River Lodge of Elks who live at Lancaster on Monday night put on one of the finest "saltlicks" that has ever been staged in the northwestern section of the state by an Elks lodge. The lick was in the nature of a surprise for Elmer O. Pearson, a progressive young Lancaster farmer, who is moving away from that village. Many Elks and their ladies from the nearby towns of Bronson, Orleans, Pembina and Kennedy were in attendance at the festivities.

Edna Furlong, pianist; Beulah Lockwood, vocal soloist; Elizabeth Lloyd-Jones, dramatic reader, and David E. Dahl, saxphone player, presented an excellent program as a starter for the big time. All are twin city professional entertainers and artists in their line. They were engaged special for the occasion. Their program was preceded by the showing of several of the latest moving picture films, and was followed by an elaborate lunch and a program ball.

Masons to Attend Church In a Body Next Sunday

Conforming to a custom in practically all Masonic lodges in the United States, the members of Northern Lodge No. 236 will attend church services next Sunday. The Masons will meet at their hall at 10:30 o'clock and march to the Methodist Episcopal church, where Rev. J. B. Smith will deliver the sermon.

An invitation is extended to any Mason who may be in the city temporarily as well as those residing in the neighborhood to join in this observance.

Stork Must Think There's A Shortage of Girls Here

The Times correspondent at Golden Valley reports the valley stork as being disheveled of appearance, feathers awry, feet muddy, hungry and rushed to death, but very much right on the job. He put in his busiest day on March 19 when a baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Torval Kolden, one to Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl, and twin girls to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Anderson.

INVITED TO BRING TAX TROUBLES TO EXPERT MONDAY

Anyone Not Satisfied With Assessment Will be Given Hearing at That Time.

Samuel Lord, chairman of the Minnesota Tax commission, will confer with assessors of Pennington county at the court house here on Monday, March 28, for the purpose of instructing them in regard to their duties. Members of the county board are also requested to be present. The meeting will be open to the public and all persons interested in the subjects to be discussed may attend.

The tax commission desires to help assessors in every possible way, and the meeting will not be confined to an explanation of the law, but every question relating to the duties of an assessor will be fully discussed. Great stress will be placed upon the proper method of listing and assessing the different kinds and classes and property. Tax payers holding grievances because of the 1920 assessments will be allowed the opportunity of presenting any questions relative to the same. The meeting will be called promptly at 10 a. m.

PARK SITE PURCHASE URGED AT LUNCHEON OF CLUB LAST WEEK

Recommended That Lover's Lane and Tindolph Point Be Secured as a Starter—Both Tracts Suitable and Easily Available.

At the Commercial club luncheon of last Thursday a motion was made and unanimously carried whereby it was recommended that the city park board make every effort to have the city council purchase two tracts of land within the city limits for park purposes. The subject was broached by Dr. C. R. Crandall and Emil E. Zeh, members of the park board, and gave rise to a lengthy discussion in which several other suitable locations for small parks were discussed.

Both of the sites recommended, because of their location, have for years been made use of by the public during the summer months of the year. They are popularly spoken of as "Tindolph Park" and "Lovers' Lane." The former named tract lies on the east side of the Red Lake river near its confluence with Thief River. Possessing many shade trees and a beach suitable for bathing purposes, it naturally adapts itself to use as a park, hence its name. Daniel Shaw, in speaking in favor of purchasing the point of land, stated that not only was it one of the last available pieces of property abutting the river, but it possessed an historical significance. Indian lore relates that it was there the last battle between the Chippewa and Sioux tribes was fought, when the former drove their adversaries out of the forests and onto the plains. Squaw point, just across the stream, was made the burying ground, bodies being removed when the Red Lake Indian reservation was opened for settlement. The purchase of the point was recommended to the council during 1920 but was never accomplished.

What is popularly termed "Lovers' Lane" is located in the south end of the city several blocks below the dam on the west side of the river. It, too, naturally constitutes a small and natural park with bathing facilities. Several hundred dollars were expended by the city last year in erecting bath houses at this point. Both spots are popularized by camping and picnic parties.

While the need of two parks on the west side of the river, one in the south an done in the north end of the city, and at least one on the east side was spoken of, action at the meeting of Thursday centered upon the two locations mentioned above. E. M. Stanton spoke of the old Kretzschmar property on the west side adjacent to the damsite as being one of the most logical locations for a city park, possessing as it does many fine shade trees and natural advantages.

The proper location of a camping ground for automobile tourists passing through this section was also brought up, but owing to the fact that the Pennington County Automobile association has already taken some action in this respect, the matter was dropped for the time being. It was stated that the automobile association would have suggestions to offer in the near future.

COMPROMISE IN STREET PAVING WILL BE TRIED

Spokesment For Both Factions Discuss Matter at Length at Meeting Monday.

Develops That Many Previously Opposing Improvement Will Come Half Way.

Area to Be Paved Under First Contracts May Be Cut Down to Meet Objections.

A possible compromise between the paving and anti-paving factions of the city is in the wind as a result of a public meeting called on Monday night by Mayor John Bratrud for a general discussion of the situation. The meeting was held in the *municipal court room in the auditorium* and a large number of citizens representing both factions were present. City Attorney H. O. Chommie acted as chairman and with E. M. Stanton explained the legal aspects of the case and the various civil actions pending. Many citizens and property owners, including W. W. Prichard, Sr., Mayor John Bratrud, H. A. Brumund, R. M. Sheldon, F. F. Haynes, H. C. Johnson, Olaf Neset, J. J. Aga, O. Ramstad, M. V. Evenson, F. J. Stebbins, Robert McGinn, Rasmus Oen, Math Barzen and others addressed the assemblage on various phases of the paving question.

While several of the talks waxed strongly to the personal, the general tone of the meeting expressed a sincere desire to effect a compromise which would result in the carrying out of the proposed project, possibly on a reduced basis as to area to be paved, the improvement of the city streets in the business section and a saving of money to the city through the withdrawal of pending suits. The main fact brought out by the opposing party was the undeniable one that taxes are steadily mounting each year, in connection with which dire calamities were propliecied for Thief River Falls. Those who are pushing the project spoke of the need of paving, the advantages to the community of an early start in this direction, the preliminary work already completed and the futility of trying to evade the contract with the Bitulithic Contracting, Ltd., without financial settlement.

Left to Committee.

By the carrying of a motion made by F. F. Haynes and seconded by Mayor Bratrud, Mr. Chommie was instructed to appoint a committee of five members to meet with the established committee of the same number of members of the opposition, or the organization itself, to determine whether or not a compromise could be arrived at. In point of fact this newly appointed committee would act as a go-between for the city council and the so-called opposition.

Mr. Chommie on Tuesday appointed F. F. Haynes, Math Barzen, Robert McGinn and Carl B. Larson to serve on the committee, and a short meeting was held on Tuesday afternoon. After outlining a course of action the committee sat in session with the committee from the opposition, at which time both sides of the question were fully discussed in a quiet way, the outcome being the decision of the latter to lay the matter before the main body with a view of determining whether or not a compromise can be effected. W. W. Prichard, Sr., M. V. Evenson, Rasmus Oen, O. Ramstad and J. J. Aga form the last named committee.

Firemen's Annual Dance, Auditorium Next Monday

The Thief River Falls fire deparment will hold its twenty-fifth annual ball at the city auditorium on Easter Monday, March 28. Dancing will be formally opened by the firemen's grand march at 9 o'clock. Those who attend are promised all that is late and popular in the way of dance music, with a generous insertion of the good old-fashioned variety. Prize dances of both kinds will be features of the evening's entertainment. A midnight supper will be served by the Lady Foresters.

Moore Working Out Here For Meeting With Tibetts

"Putsy" Moore, speedy Minneapolis boxer, is working out here for a bout with Kid Tibetts of Bemidji, to be staged at the Lyceum about the middle of April. Tibetts, better known as the "Indian Pug," fought Young Fulton here a short time ago, placing him on the mat early in the second round. Those who have seen Moore working out claim that he will at least take a decision over Tibetts.

Soo Asks For Authority to Buy W. & N. Short Line

The Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie railway company has asked authority of the Interstate Commerce Commission to purchase for $3,339,500 the Wisconsin & Northern railroad, 133½ miles in length, and described as a short line serving a district having heavy traffic but unable to provide a market on its line for the products it originates.

Society and Club

In Honor of Miss Granum.

Prominent among the numerous social events this season was the dinner party given by the Library board on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. T. L. Melgaard in honor of Miss Gena Granum, librarian, who recently retired, and whose marriage to A. Skarstad of Argyle will occur this spring. The rooms were made attractive by the use of artificial spring flowers in shades of yellow and pink, which color scheme was cleverly carried out in the dinner appointments and favors. The hours following the repast were devoted to the hemming of towels for the bride-to-be. The members of the Library board presented Miss Granum with several pieces of silver as a token of their friendship. The invited guests were Misses Grace Wilson, Edna Larson, Meta Kiland, Irma Johnson, Una Nelson, Lena Evenson, Dora Holmes, Nettie Ove, Avis Akre, Elsie Sundahl, Laura Forde, Marian Miller, Ida Tandberg, Marie Nelson and Gerda Mortenson. The hostesses included Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mrs. Emil Zeh, Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Mrs. L. G. Larsen and Mrs. Gaston Ward.

Anniversary Party.

The Winslow chapter of the Eastern Star lodge held an anniversary party at the Masonic hall last night following the initiation, which proved to be one of the most elaborate and successful events held this season. The local chapter was organized 16 years ago, March 20th, but was not constituted until May of that year. Those initiated between that period are considered charter members. Only six of those, who were guests of honor last evening, are in the city at present. They include Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins. The two latter were unable to be present at the party. Short talks were given by each of the honored guests. Among the first group of officers were Mrs. Edna Cavanaugh, G. W. Hawes, Mr. Day and Mrs. J. M. Bishop. A feature of the lunch was an elaborate birthday cake which was appropriately decorated. After lunch dancing became the diversion in the main hall. At the close of the evening the members presented Mrs. Effie Hamry with a beautiful gold worthy matron pin, today being the occasion of her birthday.

Luncheon.

Honoring Mrs. W. J. Foley of Rainy River, Ont., Mrs. C. O. Erickson and Mrs. Eli Eelland entertained a number of ladies at an attractive luncheon at the former's home Tuesday afternoon. Appointments and favors were carried out in a color scheme of green and white. The guests were Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mrs. H. E. Froseth, Mrs. C. E. Andrews, Mrs. T. J. Rowan, Mrs. M. W. Brink, Mrs. W. J. Foley, Miss Meta Kiland, Miss Grace Wilson and Miss Myrtle Blair. Mrs. Foley, who had spent a month here visiting with friends, will return to her home on Saturday.

Community Girls Club.

Owing to the absence of a great many of the teachers, who are enjoying their Easter vacations, the attendance at the last meeting of the Girls Community club Monday evening was comparatively small. However, an enjoyable social evening was spent, at the conclusion of which delicious refreshments were served. The reading, "An Indian Legend," which was to have been given by Mrs. Daniel Shaw, was postponed at the request of the numerous members who were unable to attend, until the next meeting on Monday evening, April 4.

Guest of Honor.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop who was in attendance at the meeting of the executive committee of the ladies Auxiliary to the American Legion, held at Minneapolis, returned to this city yesterday morning. While away Mrs. Bishop was honor guest at a luncheon given by the St. Paul Republican women, on Saturday evening. On Sunday she was the guest of Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen in Minneapolis. She also visited her daughter, Mirriam, who attends the university. Enroute to her home she was the guest of friends at Breckenridge and Fargo.

Dancing Party.

Miss Twila Glines was hostess at a very charming party at her home, 809 Horace avenue north, on Wednesday evening. Music, cards and dancing made up the entertainment for the guests, who included Misses Elsie Granum, Dotty Krafthefer, Ruby Bennes, Palma Langseth, Anna Froseth, Ethel Erickson, Edla Norquist, and Lynn Halvorson, Bernard Bischoff, Milton Larson, Forest Ralston, Herbert Johnson. At midnight a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. C. E. Glines, mother of the hostess.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club will hold a regular meeting at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon. Lesson No. 10, "Municipal Activities," will be led by Mrs. J. J. Richter in the absence of Mrs. G. Howard Smith. A feature of the afternoon will be a community sing under the direction of Miss Maude Johnson, instructor in music in the public schools. Current Events will be given, with Mrs. G. A. Penney as leader, assisted by Mrs. C. W. Stewart, Mrs. August Holmberg, Mrs. W. H. Akre and Mrs. A. P. Fox.

St. Patrick Dinner Party.

St. Patrick day appointments were prominent Thursday at a six o'clock dinner given by Mrs. J. L. Stitt at her home. Covers were laid for Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mrs. August Holmberg, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Durrin. The hours following the dinner were spent in a social manner.

For Mrs. Booren.

Mrs. Wm. Booren, who is visiting numerous friends and relatives here this week, was honor guest at a party given by her niece, Mrs. S. Salveson, at her home Tuesday afternoon. The guest list included Mrs. Geo. Nicholson, Mrs. Ole Hanson, Mrs. J. L. Stitt, Mrs. Jennie Erickson, Mrs. J. O. Yotter and Mrs. H. D. Keene. The afternoon was spent in needlework.

Birthday Party.

Little Wendel Kilty celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary yesterday by entertaining twelve of his young friends from the kindergarten. The little folks were entertained with games of various kinds until the lunch hour when they partook of delicious refreshments. A huge birthday cake topped with candles was a feature of the lunch.

Haugen-Nybakken.

On Friday, March 18, at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, occurred the marriage of Alfred Haugen and Ruth Nybakken, with Rev. George Larson officiating. The couple was attended by Ole J. Snstad and Bertha Mjelde. Mr. Haugen is a member of the clerical force in the grocery department of the Oen Mercantile company.

Farewell Party For Miss Brokke.

In compliment to Miss Anna Brokke, of the clerical force at the local postoffice, who has resigned and will leave in the near future for Little Rock, Ark., where she has secured employment, the Misses Gladys Anderson and Lena Evenson entertained at a farewell party last evening, at the former's home on Horace avenue.

Entertains For Mrs. Booren.

Twelve ladies were informally entertained by Mrs. O. C. Hanson at her home, 707 Main avenue north, yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Wm. Booren of Minneapolis, who is visiting friends here this week. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in conversation and needlework. A delicious lunch was served at five o'clock.

Underberg-Braaten.

Helmer T. Underberg of Bisbee, N. D., and Mabel E. Braaten of Halma were united in marriage on March 18, by Rev. George Larson at the Zion Lutheran parsonage. Mr. Underberg is a prosperous farmer of the Flickertail state.

Reception.

The J. L. Stitt home, 901 LaBree avenue north, was the scene of an informal reception on Saturday evening given by the Christian Endeavor society for Miss Bradt, district state secretary, who lectured at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Entertain at Dinner.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Froseth was the scene of a dinner party last evening when they entertained a few of their friends. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Froseth and Miss Edna Nickolson.

Entertains Informally.

Miss Grace Wilson informally entertained six girls at her home on Markley avenue Thursday evening, honoring Mrs. W. J. Foley, who is a guest of friends here. In the serving of a dainty lunch, St. Patricks day appointments were used.

Entertains.

A number of ladies are being informally entertained at the home of Mrs. S. Salveson this afternoon in compliment to Mrs. W. J. Foley of Rainy River, Ont.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short

ERIE

The Star town board held a qualification meeting of officers at the town clerk's office on Saturday.

The auction sale held by H. O. Tommerdahl on Friday was quite a success. A large crowd of lively bidders was present and weather and roads, too, were quite favorable.

H. C. Iverson returned to his Camp Sub Urban on Sunday evening after several weeks' absence. H. C. has been working in a lumber camp near Margie.

John Holmgren has rented the Ed Watne farm and is busy moving these days.

Judith Johnson of Felton, this state, has taken charge of the school in Dist. No. 56. Miss Froiland, the former teacher, had to resign on account of poor health.

The Erie section of the Teachers' Progressive league, held a business meeting in the school house in Dist. No. 56, on Friday evening. Those present were, Miss Johnson, Miss Hanke, Mrs. H. B. Rockne and Mrs. Dahlen.

Pete Kelstrand trapped a wolf last Tuesday.

Theo. Hyland has returned home from the Iron mines of this state.

Ole Trontvet's horses are quite sick with distemper.

Mrs. Frank Woods and sons, and Grandma Danielson, called on Mrs. Dahlen on Sunday afternoon.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Ramsey is quite seriously ill.

Ole Lia returned a week ago from International Falls, where he has been employed for some time.

Steffen Halvorson.

Last Friday occurred the death of Steffen Halvorson at the Physicians hospital, Thief River Falls. A week prior to his death he was stricken with a stroke of paralysis and scarcely regained consciousness thereafter. His relatives, whom reside in North Dakota, were present during his illness and death. Deceased was born in Grans Prastegjald, Hadeland, Norway on the 6th day of June, 1849. He emigrated to this country in his early days where he lived for a number of years on a homestead in Cass county, N. D. He later went to Canada from which place he came to Pennington county where he filed on a homestead in Star township. Here he spent his last years. The body was taken to Kindred, N. D., by his nephews, Henry Grinaker and Julius Erickson, for burial.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

Mrs. Geo. Williams, 412 Main Ave., N., Thief River Falls, says: "I used many remedies for kidney trouble and backache but had no permanent relief until I bought Doan's Kidney Pills at Curtis Drug Store. This remedy not only cured my back but made me feel better in every way. I am only sorry that Doan's didn't come to my attention sooner."

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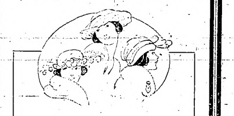

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City News

Miss Judith Porten of Warroad attended to shopping here on Tuesday.

Leo Garvey left Sunday evening for Minneapolis where he has obtained a position.

Miss Nellie Sausted, of Holt, spent Saturday in this city attending to shopping.

Frances Burns left Friday for Crookston to attend to matters of business.

C. A. Nason returned from Crookston where he spent a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson of St. Hilaire were in the city Saturday visiting friends.

Mrs. C. H. Norby and daughter arrived yesterday afternoon to spend a day on a shopping tour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hall left Monday evening for Minneapolis to spend a week visiting relatives.

Miss Bessie Avelson of St. Hilaire was the guest of friends in this city between trains on Tuesday.

Miss Lena Kilen left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend a week with relatives and friends.

Miss Edna Anderson, who attends the local high school, is spending the week visiting her parents at Wylie.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days.

Miss Myrtle Rosland came down from her home at Holt on Saturday to visit friends and attend to shopping.

Miss Alice Hall returned to her home at Middle River Friday after spending a day receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. Alfred Peterson arrived on Tuesday afternoon to spend Easter as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Carl Anderson.

Mrs. Godfrey Carlson returned on Friday afternoon from Middle River where she spent a few days visiting her parents.

Mrs. R. Wallen returned to her home at St. Hilaire on Monday after a brief visit at the home of Mrs. H. Ebbighausen.

Mrs. J. Von Rohr, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas, both of Greenbush, were in the city on Thursday attending to shopping.

Misses Violet and Myrtle Krohn left Monday morning for their home at Viking to visit their parents over the Easter holidays.

Theo. McGinn returned to this city the latter part of last week from the Twin Cities, where he spent a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. Ben Nelson, who had visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sortland, returned to her home at Badger Friday morning.

Albert Teal, who is employed at Noyes, is spending the week here visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Teal.

Miss Tobiason, one of the nurses in the hospital at Warren, was in the city on Tuesday as the guest of her friend, Miss Clara Anderson.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer returned Saturday morning from East Grand Forks where she spent a week visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Sylvia Pearson returned to her home at St. Hilaire Saturday afternoon, having spent the time between trains attending to shopping.

Miss Olive Booren, who is teaching school at Wells, arrived Sunday for a week's visit at the homes of her brothers, Dr. G. W. and H. A. Booren.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie are the parents of a son, born on Friday, March 18. Mr. Smith is the son of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith of this city.

Miss Martha Kleppe of Newfolden shopped in this city the first of the week. Miss Kleppe was graduated from the local high school with the class of 1917.

Edward Fiterman left Monday evening for Minneapolis to compete in the state oratorical contest. While there he will also spend a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Esther Motz arrived here on Saturday morning from Moorhead, where she attends Normal, to spend Easter as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Emma Motz.

Misses Julia Brudvick and Vivian Gabrielson, students in the normal department, returned on Saturday from Wylie, where they had spent two weeks in practice teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. O. Gunstad, of St. Hilaire, left Monday evening for St. Paul, where the former will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. Louis Anderson and two children returned to their home at Middle River Friday morning, having spent a week in this city as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Norbert.

Mrs. Hassenstad of Warroad arrived Tuesday afternoon to meet Mrs. Fred Moody of the same place, who had been confined at the hospital at Warren. They returned to Warroad yesterday morning.

Herman Carlson left on Thursday evening for Minneapolis, where he will receive treatment at the University hospital. Mr. Carlson has been confined to his home for the past nine months because of illness. He was accompanied on the trip by his brother, Albert.

Among the numerous basket ball fans who came up from Crookston on the special Saturday evening were noticed Dewey Kiewel, Pat Grady, Walter Grady, Herman Simpson, Wm. Schermer, "Boob" Miller, Geo. Rosenberg and Wm. Kohler, and Misses Florence Weber, Myra Uggen, Lorraine Doreshay and Ida Knutson.

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Mrs. S. Leiren and daughter visited with relatives at Holt the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Carlson and son visited with friends at Fordville between trains on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brown left Friday evening for Minneapolis for a visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Jeanette Shorts of Warroad was among the many out-of-town shoppers here the first of the week.

Mrs. Richard Olson, who spent a day here visiting numerous friends, returned to her home at Holt Saturday.

Clarence Rice, who attends the local high school, is spending his Easter vacation at the home of his parents at Plummer.

Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, spent Saturday at Greenbush attending to business matters.

Miss Lucille Blaska, a student at the local high school, is visiting at the home of her parents at St. Hilaire this week.

Elizabeth Harder, who attends the local high school, left Friday afternoon for her home at St. Hilaire to spend her vacation.

Miss Helga Quinlog arrived here Friday evening from Viking, where she teaches, to spend a period of a week as the guest of her parents.

Miss Islet LeSage, who is engaged in teaching school near Hazel, is a guest at the home of her parents in this city over the Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Frissell and children left Friday evening for Minneapolis and Cumberland, Wis., where they will visit with relatives for a week.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left Friday evening for Minneapolis to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Woman's Auxiliary to the American Legion.

Mrs. Nels Christianson and Mrs. J. O. Yotter left Monday afternoon for Crookston, where they were guests of friends over night, returning to this city Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John Brandon and children arrived the first of the week for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carlson. They will remain in this city until after Easter.

Miss Selma Hoff and sister, Mrs. A. C. Kvennes, of Middle River, were in the city on Tuesday and Wednesday on a shopping expedition. Miss Hoff, who teaches at Baudette, is spending the Easter vacation as the guest of Mrs. Kvennes.

Easter Sunday Dinner
Hotel Evelyn
TABLE D'HOTE 75c
Soup
Cream of Tomato
Oyster Cocktail
Young Onions Kalamazoo Celery
Head Lettuce Thousand Island Dressing
Choice of One Meat
Baked Ham
Young Chicken, Giblet Dressing
Prune Whip
Roast Leg of Pork—Apple Sauce
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Baked Sweet Potatoes Mashed Potatoes
Asparagus Tips on Toast Early June Peas
Apple Pie Banana Cream Pie
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Coffee

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Take some home for that
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Miss Adelia Maland of St. Hilaire was a shopper between trains here on Saturday.

Miss Ingeborg Dale of McIntosh is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Mrs. C. G. Mattson has as her guest this week her niece, Miss Irma Thompson, of Crookston.

Miss Viola Lund left Friday evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit relatives over Easter.

Miss Mae Bark, who teaches at the Northrup, is a guest at the home of her parents at Duluth this week.

Mrs. John Krbchek went to Crookston yesterday to attend the graduation exercises at the Northwest Agricultural school.

James Carlson of Virginia is in the city this week visiting his children, who are living with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson.

Miss Olga Lindquist, who teaches at the Knox school, is spending her spring vacation as the guest of her parents at St. Hilaire.

Misses Olive Nelson and Clara Norman, both of St. Hilaire, returned to their homes yesterday after a brief visit with friends in this city.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, of the local teaching corps, left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit a sister and brother over the Easter holidays.

Miss Vivian Swift, instructor of commercial subjects at the Lincoln high school, is visiting her parents at St. Paul over the Easter holidays.

Miss Ruth Elliott is a guest of her parents at Minneapolis this week. She will return to this city to resume her duties at the high school on Monday.

A. Hogenson, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. T. P. Hamre, returned on Tuesday evening to his home at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Henry Olson arrived here on Thursday morning from St. Hilaire to attend to shopping between trains. While here she visited her sister, Mrs. J. Peterson.

Miss Clara Sorenson arrived here Friday evening from Rosewood where she teaches school, to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sorenson, over Easter.

Miss Lucille Russell arrived Saturday evening from her home at Superior to spend a few days visiting her friends, Misses Gladys and Thelma Christianson. Mrs. Russell arrived Tuesday evening to remain for a week as the guest of Mrs. C. T. Christianson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Ostby were visitors at Goodridge the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Axel Jacobson of St. Hilaire was a shopper in this city between trains on Tuesday.

Miss Phyllis Dock is enjoying her Easter vacation visiting at the home of Mrs. J. Duckasworth at Crookston.

Miss Alexandria Tharaldson, who teaches at Fosston, is spending the Easter week visiting her folks here.

Florentine Havre went to Plummer Tuesday to visit her sister, Rose, who teaches at that place, until Thursday evening.

Miss Edna Gorman arrived on Saturday from her home at Devils Lake to visit with friends over the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Victor Brink returned to St. Hilaire Tuesday afternoon, having come here in the morning to attend to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smith returned Monday evening from Fordville, N. D., where they had visited over Sunday with friends.

Among the out-of-town shoppers here on Tuesday were Misses Lulu Allen, Eunice Peterson, of St. Hilaire, and Christine Lindstrom of Lancaster.

Miss Magna Erickson left yesterday for Crookston where she will witness the graduation of her sister, Miss Myrtle, from the Agricultural college.

Miss Louise Erickson, who is completing a course at the Moorhead normal this year, arrived here Saturday morning for a week's vacation which will be spent in visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson.

Harry Frye left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Ada Whipps left Friday evening for her home at Minneapolis to visit over the Easter holidays.

Mrs. A. Anderson of Crookston is spending the week as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre.

F. A. Tripp, instructor in agriculture at the high school, is a guest of relatives at Minneapolis this week.

Ben Docken of Holt was a business caller here on Tuesday. He left in the evening for the twin cities on a similar mission.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds, who had spent some time visiting with friends in the twin cities, returned to her home here the first of the week.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who teaches domestic science in the high school at Goodridge, is enjoying her spring vacation with her folks here.

Miss Melvina Rupprecht returned Tuesday morning from points in North Dakota, where she had visited with relatives since the previous Saturday.

Miss Maude Gibson of Warroad arrived Monday afternoon and visited friends until the following morning, when she left for Warren to receive medical attention.

Mrs. S. Knutson, residing near this city, was among those who were in attendance at the graduation exercises which took place at the Agricultural college, Crookston.

Mrs. Roy Thuse and children arrived Tuesday afternoon from Gatzke where they have been visiting her parents for a couple of months. Mr. and Mrs. Thuse intend to reside here in the future.

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—see the special Easter displays

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GETTING STRAIGHTENED OUT.

While some things may have been said at the citizens meeting on Monday evening that might perhaps better have been left unsaid, yet the getting together for a discussion of this paving matter will prove a good thing. The arguments disclosed the fact that there is ample latitude for the effecting of a compromise and that nearly everyone who has taken an active interest in the matter is willing to make some concessions. There are a few irreconcilables on the side opposed to paving, it is true, but it is doubtful if even these will hold out against an overwhelming public opinion.

Committees of good, substantial citizens have been appointed by both sides to see if there is not a common ground upon which the matter may be adjusted. Tentative basis for compromises have been advanced and *have been promised consideration*. There is no longer a disposition on the part of anyone to insist that his particular pet in the way of a program shall be adopted.

The probabilities are that if things can be so arranged as to somewhat reduce the size of the area to be paved at the outset a large part of the difficulty will have been overcome. It is admitted that some of the streets included in the original plan for paving are not at present carrying an amount of traffic that makes improvement to such extent imperative, and that these might be cut out for the present. In some instances the property along these minor thoroughfares is of a kind that constitutes a bill of expense rather than a source of revenue and it would be something of a hardship on the owners were they compelled to foot a bill for paving just now. Members of the city council and the business men favoring paving realize this more fully since the meeting on Monday night and it is not likely they will insist that these areas be included in the first contract. With their elimination the opposition is expected to largely disappear and the work of paving the business streets permitted to proceed without further obstruction.

The efforts of the committee representing those who favor paving will be directed toward securing a withdrawal of the injunction suit which, if left to take its regular turn in court, cannot be decided until the June term convenes. While the council and paving supporters are certain that their stand will be upheld, yet they are desirous of avoiding the delay, particularly as further postponements might give the company awarded the paving contract an opening for a damage suit.

Much depends on the outcome of the meetings of the committees. The matter has in a manner been left to them, particularly as regards the extent to which the original program may safely be curtailed. If approached in the proper spirit there is nothing about the controversy that cannot quickly and satisfactorily be straightened out. This will be the task of the committees, and as these are composed of men of good judgment and intentions, some plan satisfactory to all concerned should result from their deliberations.

JUST AN EXAMPLE.

It is too bad that the people of Thief River Falls cannot get behind every undertaking with the unanimity that characterizes their support of the Legion basket ball team. If everything were tackled in the same spirit there would be nothing that we could not accomplish.

Thief River Falls may be said to have gone just a little "batty" on the subject of basket ball during the past two months, but such is the effect of backing a winner. We backed the team because the boys played the way they did and they, on the other hand, played that way because of the backing they received.

This rule does not apply to basket ball alone—not by any means. It could be extended so as to cover every enterprise upon which we, as a community, engage. And if we supported other things with the same enthusiasm as that which has marked our backing of the basket ball team, the result would be the same—we would simply win.

There are a number of things of more importance to the welfare and prosperity of Thief River Falls than winning basket ball games, but it seems impossible to get the same kind of action on them. We know they are there and should be attended to, but do not seem to be able to get the required amount of energy behind them to insure their success. There are parks to be provided, the Jefferson highway to be boosted, a road to the reservation to be built, paving to decide upon, and perhaps a hundred things of more lasting benefit than winning sports events, but for some reason we cannot get up the same amount of steam when it comes to pushing them ahead. Thief River Falls is by no means in a class by itself in this respect; other towns are exactly the same way, but this does not alter the fact in the least.

However, let us all be glad that we are able to get excited over something. It would be a sad commentary on our condition to find that even the best basket ball team in the Northwest failed to receive the support to which it is entitled. Now that we have proven to our own satisfaction that pulling together pays, perhaps we will get the habit and apply the plan to more important enterprises.

YOUR INCOME TAX.

Were you a little peeved because you had to pay the income tax?

Did you sort of have a feeling that your rights as a free born American citizen were being trammeled, abridged, abused and everything?

Didja say to yourself or anybody, "It isn't the few dollars so much, it's the principle of the thing that grinds?"

Tut, also tush and shame on you.

If you paid such a tax it was because you had an income—and that is something these days.

Also, there are a lot of other things for which you can thank kind fate.

For instance, how would you like to be paying taxes in Russia? Or Germany? Or Austria? Or most any other country in this wide, green world? You would find the income small and the taxes great.

You remember the saying, "The more I know of men the better I like my dog." The better you know the other countries of the world the better you are going to like the United States of America.

Here we have exemplified the most perfect form of government ever devised by the brain of man. The poor boy of today is the rich man of tomorrow. There are more happy homes, more luxuries, more amusements, better clothes, freer and better schools, more churches, more automobiles, more everything that goes to make life worth while than any other place on earth.

If it is the principle of the thing, then you were proud to pay, for the principle behind the tax is the thing which will keep Uncle Sam doing business at the same old stand for a thousand years to come.

Be glad that you are privileged to pay such a tax. Look forward to the tax payment day. Prepare for it. Anticipate next year's obligation by putting aside each week a certain amount. Many persons who are putting their savings into government securities add enough additional treasury stamps each week to meet the income tax bill. If necessary they cash their stamps, but frequently they find this can be avoided and they are just that much ahead in government savings securities, which yield them 4 per cent compounded quarterly.

THINGS ARE LOOKING UP.

Minnesota cities as a general thing are preparing for a busy season, according to a review of conditions in the state sent out by a twin city bank this week. Among the signs of returning prosperity noted are the following:

St. Cloud's modern hotel has been completed; the paper mill at International Falls has resumed operations; a concrete products company may locate at Crookston; one contractor is building 14 houses at Albert Lea; Iowa farmers attended a Mower county hog sale and the average price paid was $115; the Waseca Ice company is taking contracts for shipments as far south as Mason City, Iowa; North Dakota farmers are buying cattle at Thief River Falls; Albert Lea may erect a detention hospital to cost about $140,000; Itasca county produced 6,289,933 tons of iron ore last year; Alexandria business men are raising $4,000 for city development; a number of cities report that small factories which had suspended operations have resumed production.

It all helps. Now if our farmers can get an early start we will be practically assured of a prosperous season. People have again begun to buy goods and the merchants are consequently feeling better. In fact, there is nothing much the matter with Minnesota, and soon there will be less.

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In the death of Bert Leston Taylor (B. L. T.) the country loses one of its foremost humorists and one with whom people in the Northwest became well acquainted through the columns of the Minneapolis Journal. "A Line o' Type or Two" was one of the most famous "colyums" of its kind in the United States, the quaintness of the comments and criticism offered being perhaps its most outstanding feature. Thousands of people will feel as if the Journal is "not quite all there" when they fail to find B. L. T.'s comment on the back page.

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You five dollar bill can prevent a Chinese mother from selling her baby rather than see it starve. That will keep them until the next harvest. Mail it to E. W. Decker, treasurer, China Famine Fund, 121 Chamber of Commerce, Minneapolis.

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Billy Noonan was chosen president of the village council at Baudette recently and right away he placed another man incharge of the "Observation" department of the Region. It seems to us that most anybody would have answered the purpose as mayor, while it is hard to see just how anyone is going to fill Bill's place on the newspaper. However, the affairs of Baudette will be safely, sanely and capably administered during his incumbency. Bill can be quite serious at times, but dislikes the mood and gets away from it as quickly as possible. This trait will probably prove an advantage in his new job.

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Another infant industry is threatened. From Fargo come reports to the effect that the bottom has dropped out of the price of bootleg whiskey because of the unrestricted importations from Canada. Unless the situation is speedily remedied distillers of moonshine in this country will be ruined.

EFFERVESCENCE.

We envy St. Peter his chat with B. L. T., ace of column conductors, even as we mourn the latter's untimely exit.

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The Grand Forks Herald heads an article, "Fresh Green Things Tell Us of Spring." The article goes on to include doings of the University students.

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So far as Sforza of Italy is concerned, Germany's offer of 30,000,000,000 gold marks by way of reparation is insufficient.

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Pink nighties and lingerie are figuring almost as prominently in the divorce courts as they are in the movies.

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The world is undoubtedly changing. Senor Palazuelos, Mexican banker and merchant, informs the newspaper reading public that Villa has taken to teaching Sunday school, while Clara Smith Hamon vows that she will take up evangelistic work.

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"Men No Longer Blush When They Buy Women's Intimate Garments." Which is responsible—the shop window or the wind?

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Mary Bull of the U of Minnesota is authority for the statement that Monday, strictly speaking, is not wash day. Possibly not—at the U, where the fair co-ed rinses out her silk hose and plasters them on the window pane to dry over night.

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A different odor for every frock is the latest fashionable idea of Paris dressmakers. The scent is sewed into the seams of the frocks at the rate of several hundred to the dollar.

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Backyard farmers are urged to get their garden seeds into the ground early, as after being cooped up through the long winter the neighbor's egg plants are badly in need of exercise.

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It is surprising how many empty pint and quart bottles the snow banks are yielding this spring.

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Booze, bet money and basket ball do not mix well; nor are they conductive to a sportsman-like game.

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When on the links President Harding, according to his caddy, "thinks" his swearing. A man like that will certainly have something to say when he does open his mouth or take up his pen.

READING OF EYES HAILED UPSET TO MEDICAL THEORY

New Science of Diagnosis May Revolutionize Physisians' Practice.

By Forbes W. Fairbairn.
Universal News Service.

London, March 7.—Discovery of a treatment that will revolutionize the practice of medicine has been announced by Clement Jeffry, M. A., distinguished British physician. It consists of detecting illness by the appearance of the eyes and is called "iridiagnosis."

The method is a complete revolution to orthodox medicine. Instead of a patient detailing more or less accurately his symptoms, in order that the doctor can tell the patient his complaint and prescribe, under the iridiagnosis method, the practioner has only to read the eyes of the patient in order to discover both the symptoms and the disease.

Discovered By Hungarian.

"It is the most accurate and most wonderful diagnostic method yet discovered," explained Dr. Jeffry to Universal Service. "It has been ignored by the leaders of orthodox medicine, although it is being practiced by several physicians, including Dr. Lahn of Chicago and another American, Dr. Lindlahr.

Dr. Vistaunet, of this city, was issued a diploma last fall for a post graduate course at Dr. Lindlahr's College of Natural Therapeutics wherein iridiagnosis was included as one of the studies.

"It was discovered by a Hungarian, Dr. Peczely. When he was a boy he caught an owl in his garden. The owl's leg was broken in its attempt to escape and the boy was looking straight in its eyes at the moment and noticed a black spot appear. As the leg healed a white ring formed around the spot.

"The doctor some years later noticed a black spot in a similar position in the eye of a man who had also broken his leg and further investigation over a long period of years proved that all the ills of and the accidents to the body are reflected in the eyes. From his investigations he worked out the chart of the iris.

Accepted In America.

"It has been accepted in Sweden, in Germany and in America. British physicians have so far refused to accept the treatment, calling it absurd. But it is the greatest discovery in modern medical science.

"The condition of every organ and part of the body is reflected in the iris. *That there are an orderly* grouping of areas has been proved by the examination of thousands of irises by independent investigators of unquestionable integrity.

"It is possible for the iridiagnostican to detect cancer in its chrysalis stage and thus to prevent its development. We shall have less illness when the medical professions adopt this method in dealing with their patients, for it is the only sure way of understanding the condition of the patient's nervious system."

The method described by Dr. Jeffery has created intense interest in the London medical world as the result of a series of lectures he is giving. Many prominent Harley street physicians after hearing him and seeing demonstrations of the treatment have expressed their approval of the discovery.—Adv. m24

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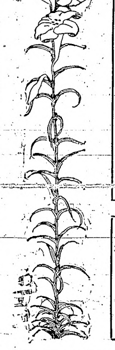

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City News

H. B. Rafteseth of Rosewood was a business caller in this city on Monday.

Adolph Amundson left last week for an indefinite visit at Jordan, this state.

Lester Wienegar of St. Paul was in the city over Sunday visiting with friends.

Miss Olive Patterson of St. Hilaire shopped in this city between trains on Monday.

Felix Johnson of St. Hilaire was in the city Monday attending to business affairs.

Harold Smithers is spending his Easter vacation visiting friends at Enderling and Roseau.

Mrs. W. K. Knight returned Sunday evening from a visit with relatives at points in western Canada.

O. Olson spent Wednesday attending to business matters at Hazel, returning to this city in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sholes returned Saturday afternoon from Salol, where they had visited a daughter for a week.

Hegner Peterson came down from Crookston on the special Saturday evening to witness the basket ball game.

Miss Mamie Votava, who is engaged in teaching in this vicinity, is spending the Easter vacation at her home.

Mrs. A. Thackery, who teaches school at Beaulieu, arrived here last *evening to spend a week visiting at* her home.

Miss Frances Culver, who is teaching school near Rhoda, is visiting her folks here this week, during her spring vacation.

Miss Cora Swanson, who is engaged in teaching school at Hazel, is spending her Easter recess visiting at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt departed for the twin cities Monday evening to spend a week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Shannon left last evening for Des Moines, Iowa, to spend a period of 10 days visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. H. Frederick and little son, William, left Saturday evening for the twin cities to spend a week with friends and relatives.

Mrs. A. Johnson who had spent a short time in this city visiting her friend, Mrs. E. Morberg, returned to her home at St. Paul last night.

Mrs. H. Knutson, who had spent four months visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ben Kruse, left on Monday for her home at Hilliard, Wash.

Mrs. T. G. Robertson returned to her home at Minneapolis last night having come here to attend the funeral services of her father the late O. Johnson.

A new grandson arrived at the Methodist parsonage on Friday, March 18. Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Smith of Mavie being the proud and happy parents. Mother and son are progressing finely.

Mrs. G. G. Zimmerman of Sac City, Ia., arrived the latter part of last week to spend a couple of months visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Aug. Holmberg. Mr. Holmberg, who has been employed at Sac City for some time, accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Pierce accompanied Edward Fiterman to Minneapolis on Monday evening, where the latter will compete in the state oratorical contest. Mr. Pierce is principal at hte Lincoln high school and also instructor in public speaking.

Paul Snyder and Clayton Bakke of Warren were among those from out of town who attended the basket ball game between the local team and Crookston. They remained here over Sunday as the guests of friends, returning to their homes Monday morning.

W. I. Beregar of Stevens Point, Wis., left for his home Monday after spending several days at the Sam McMahon home. Mrs. McMahon is a sister of Mr. Beregar. She accompanied him as far as Henning, where both will visit for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Johnson.

CITY DELIVERY OF CREAMERY PRODUCT

Milk, Cream, Butter and Buttermilk Will be Brought Directly to Consumers.

The board of directors of the Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery association at a meeting held on Saturday made plans which will result in the early establishment of a city delivery of milk, cream and manufactured dairy products, including butter and prepared buttermilk. Delivery will start by wagon or automobile truck as soon as a reliable person can be secured to undertake the work.

Heretofore pasteurized milk only has been dispensed by the creamery. It is planned to add a clarifying machine to the equipment at an early date, the installation of which will enable the local plant to put out as fine a product as is possible with the aid of modern inventions. In practically all of the larger cities the pasteurization of milk is compulsory. Many cities of the state, including Bemidji and Duluth, have recently passed ordinances prohibiting the sale of other than clarified milk. The process which takes place before the milk enters the pasteurizing machine removes all foreign matter from the milk.

A cut of one cent per quart on the retail price of milk and five cents per quart on cream will go into effect on the first of April, it was also decided at the meeting of Saturday. This cut in prices, which is usual at this season of the year, is due to the falling off of butterfat prices with the increase in production. Milk will sell at ten cents per quart and sweet cream at 40 cents.

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Breakfast parties have now been made quite safe, thanks to a new fruit called the tangelo, the result of grafting the grapefruit and the tangerine.

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In northern Siberia it is so cold that even the movies are not popular.

Special Musical Program at Presbyterian Church

The Presbyterian choir of 18 voices under the direction of Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, will present a sacred cantata at the church on Easter Sunday evening. The program, which follows, will be of unusual interest:

1. Prelude.
2. Hymn—"Christ is Risen."
3. Solo—"Easter Dawn." Dudley Buck. Miss Grace Iverson.
4. Cantata—"The Resurrection." Manney. Soloists: Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Mrs. Helen B. Brink, Miss Meta Kiland; Messrs. Carl Sundahl and O. G. Johnson.
5. Solo—"The Gloria." Becci Pecci. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher.
6. Hymn and Benediction.

The church is glad to invite the people of Thief River Falls to attend up to the capacity of the building.

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A Thrift stamp a day keeps the bill collectors away.

Obituary

Mrs. Christ H. Gran.

At her home, 408 Markley avenue south, occurred the death of Mrs. C. H. Gran on Thursday, March 17, from an abscess of the larynx, at the age of 62 years, 9 months and 2 days. The deceased who formerly resided at Erskine had been a resident of this city for the past nine months. She was born in Norway and came to this country when but a young girl. Funeral services took *place yesterday from the Zion Lutheran church with Rev. Geo. Larson* conducting.

Stephen Halvorson.

On Thursday, March 17, occurred the death of Stephen Halvorson, a farmer, residing near Erie at the age of 70 years, 9 months and 11 days, from apoplexy. Deceased was born in Norway and had spent 46 years of his life in this country. The body was shipped to Kindred, N. D., for burial.

Esther J. Peterson.

Miss Esther J. Peterson died on March 18, from appendicitis at the age of 25 years. The deceased was employed as head cook at Oakland Park sanatorium at the time of her death. The body was shipped to her home at Clearbrook for burial.

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Easter services with special singing, 11 a. m. Easter services for the children, 7:45 p. m. Farewell sermon at Bethlehem church, 2:30 p. m. Services at Goodridge Maundy Thursday, 11 a. m. Services at Rosewood, Rindal church Good Friday, 11 a. m. Services at Zion church, city, Good Friday evening at 8 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid Maundy Thursday, 2 p. m. entertained by Mrs. Bean and Mrs. Henrickson. Zion Y. P. S. meeting Thursday evening. Mrs. Erickson and Mrs. Alfred Bredeson entertain. Truste meeting Monday evening, 7 p. m. Quarterly business meeting Monday evening at 8 p. m. The Young Girls' Sewing circle Tuesday evening, Mar. 29th, at Tom Stageberg's. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Confirmants every Saturday at church basement at 2 p. m.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium. Subject, Sunday, March 27: "Reality." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same place is open from 3 to 5 on Tuesdays and Thursdays p. m., of each week. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Second Easter day, March 28, German communion services at Germantown at 3 p. m. Third Easter day, March 29, English communion services at Erie, at 10:30 p. m. Special collections.

Methodist Episcopal Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—At 11 o'clock Easter morning the services will be of more than ordinary interest. The Masons will attend in a body. The arrangements for the musical part of the program, under the direction of Mrs. Dr. Fisher includes, Anthem, "Christ Is Risen," by Shelley, and solo by Miss Iverson. The topic of the sermon will be "A Living Christ." Evening service at 8 o'clock will also be unusually interesting. The young peoples' choir will have charge of the music, and the pastor will deliver a lecture on Mission work in the new World or "Life in Newfoundland." Sunday school at the usual hour and Epworth League at 7 p. m. You are cordially invited to these services.

S. D. A. Mission.

"The Present World Situation and Its Cause." This subject will be presented on Sunday evening, March 27, at 7:45 o'clock. A live message for a live people. Plain facts from the leading men of the world will be read. You are also invited to attend the Sabbath School Bible class on Saturday, March 26, at 2 p. m. Classes in both the English and Scandinavian languages.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Mar. 27, Easter Sunday, 10 a. m., Sunday school. The Sunday school offering will be for the famine sufferers in China. 11 a. m., Easter service, "He is Risen." Special music. Anthems, "I Will Bless the Lord," C. B. Adams, and "Unbar, Ye Golden Gates," Roy E. Motte, rendered by the Young People's choir. 8 p. m., a full musical program rendered by a choir of 18 voives under the direction of Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher. The cantata, "The Resurrection," will be presented by the choir. Miss Grace Iverson will sing "Easter Dawn," by Buck, and Mrs. Fisher will sing "The Gloria," by Becci Pecci. The people of Thief River Falls are invited to share the privileges of our church with us. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. At 3 p. m. the C. E. will provide a program at the sanitorium.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Good Friday German services at 10:30 a. m. English services 7:30 p. m. Easter Sunday, Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Confessional address 10 a. m. German services with celebration of Holy Communion 10:30 a. m. English services 7:30 p. m. Announcements Friday afternoon and after the morning and evening services.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Easter Sunday: Festive services at 10:30 a. m. Children's Easter program, assisted by the Junior Missionary band and choir, at 7:30 p. m. The offering on Easter Sunday goes to the organist according to the vote of the church. Good Friday: Services in Swedish and American at 7:45 p. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Easter Sunday, March 27: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning services at 11 a. m. In the evening at 7:30 the Sunday school will give its Easter program. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Prayer service Thursday at 8 p. m. The Ladies' Aid will be entertained Wednesday afternoon, March 30, at the home of Mrs. Lund, 412 Kendall avenue south. Come and be welcome.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Good Friday, a special service at 7:30 p. m. Easter Sunday services at 11 a. m. In the evening, beginning at 7:30, the Sunday school has arranged a good program consisting of songs and reading of the resurrection story. You are cordially welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swebor, Pastor—Divine services with communion, in English, Good Friday, 11 a. m. Services in Norwegian on Easter Sunday, 11 a. m. Special music. Communion services in Norwegian Sunday 7:45 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Catechetical class Saturday at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Choir rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:30. The Ladies' Aid society is to be entertained Thursday, March 31, by Mesdames E. A. Mostue, C. Gulrud, J. Hermanson and C. M. Carlson. Young People's League Thursday evening, March 31. Devotional meeting April 5-7. Topic, 2:11-14.

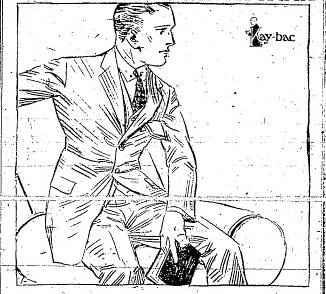

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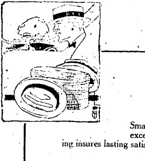

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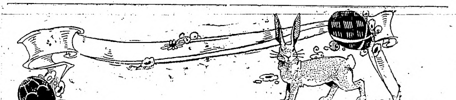

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City News

Miss Celia Saugen, who teaches school near Hazel, was a visitor here on Thursday. She returned to her home at Steiner, where she is spending her Easter vacation, on Friday.

Misses Florence Nylander and Ruth Freistedt, teachers in the local schools, left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks and Northwood where they will spend the spring vacation with friends.

Mrs. R. M. Johnson, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary, left yesterday afternoon for Crookston to attend the commencement exercises at the farm school. Mrs. Johnson's son is to be graduated.

Aamund Swenson, Smiley township farmer, left Thief River Falls today for a six months or longer visit with relatives at Kvetseid, Telemarken, Norway. He has engaged passage on a ship to sail from New York for Christiania on April 1.

Mrs. Wm. Boreen and son, Stuart, arrived Monday evening from Minneapolis to spend a week visiting with numerous friends. The Boreens are well known here, having been residents of this city until their removal to Minneapolis last fall.

Announcements were received by friends here the first of the week of the birth of a six-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sterns of Minneapolis. Mrs. Sterns will be remembered as Miss Selma Simonson, formerly ticket cashier in the Soo offices here.

Miss Olive Booren, who spent a few days here as the guest of relatives, left last evening for the twin cities to remain during the remainder of the week with friends. She will return on Monday to Wells to resume her duties as teacher in the high school.

Miss Alpha Sjoberg of Crookston spent the week-end as the guest of her friend, Miss York, chief operator at the local telephone exchange. She returned to her home on Monday.

L. W. Perkins returned to Fargo Tuesday evening, where he is attending the A. C. vocational training school, after a brief visit with his wife, who resides here during his absence.

Word has been received by relatives here that Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson of Fordville are the parents of a son, born to them on Saturday, March 19. Mr. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson of this city.

Miss Nelida Austin arrived here on Friday morning from her home at Crookston and spent a few days visiting her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. N. Haugen, who returned to her home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Benj. O. Sampson arrived on Saturday morning from Crookston to attend the basket ball game that evening. She remained over Sunday as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson. Mr. Sampson is one of Crookston's star basket ball players.

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Former Governor Heads Bureau.

The farm bureau movement, in its remarkable growth to power, is attracting the nation's biggest men and commanding their services. Henry C. Stuart, a practical farmer and former governor of his state, has been elected president of the Virginia Farm Bureau Federation.

Texas Bureau Law Passed.

The Texas legislature has just passed a co-operative marketing bill sponsored by the farm bureau federation in that state. It was drawn to make the legal status of co-operative marketing organizaions absolutely unquestionable. It is the most comprehensive marketing law ever passed in the southern states; members of the Texas legislature characterized the measure as the most important of the whole session.

Job printing of the better sort, on short notice at The Times office.

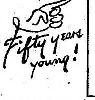
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There Is Something You *Must* Fix This Spring

Comparatively few persons will find it necessary to build a house or barn this spring, but those who have no fixing whatever to do are still fewer. The winter has not passed without leaving some ravages, and these must be taken care of. It may be only a fence, a few repairs on the outhouses or the reshingling of a roof—but somewhere repairs must be made if the property is to be kept up.

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as well as take care of the larger ones. Our stock comprises everything in the building material line, whether it is to be used on the outside or inside, and our prices are right. In fact, these are lower now than they have been for years or will be two months from now, in all likelihood.

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Wisconsin Organizing.

Ten Wisconsin counties have completed their permanent organization of county farm bureaus, and eight more counties have completed their temporary organization. Meetings have been scheduled in ten additional counties, so that the work of federating the farmers of that state is on in 28 counties.

The Hennepin county farm bureau has decided to employ a paid secretary and business manager to take charge of its organization and business activities. E. E. Beninan was appointed to this position. Counties in Wisconsin and some eastern states have adopted this plan. The secretary works in co-operation with the county agent.

Read the classified advertisements in The Times. It will pay you to do so.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington cockerels and a few hives of bees. Prices reasonable. H. F. Erickson. 7p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots. 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 3tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rudad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—3 room house (on river bank) and six lots. 209 Kendall Ave. N. 8p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island eggs for hatching, $1.50 for 15; $7 for 100. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 11p

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 2, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 29 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—One large bronze gobbler and three hen turkeys. W. I. McCrum, City. R. No. 2. Telephone 7-F23. 7

FOR SALE—Modern brick store building occupied by Laird's Specialty Shop.—W. F. Tank, Fergus Falls, Minn. 107tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Cow coming fresh in May, and 3 good horses. Or will consider a trade for a grain separator, 22 or 24 in. preferred. Oscar Evenson, Germantown Rt. NE¼, Sec. 13, Silverton Twp. 6tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn hatching eggs, 50c for 15; $3.00 for 100. Remarkable layers. L. I. Hermanson, City. Phone 3-F-111. 5p

MUST SELL 6-room house on the river bank in Thief River Falls. $500.00 down will buy it. Cheap if taken at once. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 7tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Quarter section of land one mile south of Holt, Minn. Will consider city property in trade. Box 51, R. 2, Thief River Falls, Minn. 5p

FOR SALE—One Chevrolet 490 automobile also one Ford Touring with starter and speedometer, new late last summer. Will give buyer a good bargain if taken now. John Peterson, R. 1, St. Hilaire, Minn.

GOOD HORSE, [illegible] years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mr. H. J. Rudad, Sunny Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1135, City. 85tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call Thore Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 104tf

FOR SALE—Burbank potatoes at 25 cents per bushel. Must be taken at once. Tel. 229[illegible]. 7p

FOR SALE—Will sell a few matured Black Leghorn cockerels and pullets at reasonable prices. George Lehner, city. 2tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One new store building at Viking, Minn. Will trade in a modern residence. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 108tf

FOR SALE—About 10 ton of wild hay 2 miles north of Stop 8 on the Electric Line. Thos. Penck, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 8p

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10 cents per pound.—Henry Hanson, Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls, Minn. 105tf

FOR SALE—About 200 bushels Rural New York potatoes, 75 cents per bushel. Also one stack good upland hay, and one single buggy.—August Johnson, Route 1. 7p

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the SE¼, Sec. 18, Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn—C. W. Vorachek. 2tf

POTATOES FOR SALE—75c per bu. Seed or cooking. Bring sack. Address Eben Mostue, 207 Atlantic Ave. N. 6

FOR SALE—White Blossom Sweet Clover. Hulled 98% purity, $5.00 bu. Unhulled $4.25 bu. Dan Stonehouse, Plummer, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE—Pedigreed seed Minn. 184 barley and Minn. 281 oats. Highest yielders in 8 years' tests. Also seed corn. Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston. 7

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 40pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre river farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write R. K. Callaway. 3tf

FOR SALE—Farm, five miles south of Mavie. Write to Mrs. Inga Berg, 3325 Fifteenth avenue south, Minneapolis, for further information. 8p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Hanson's sand pit also city property. Inquire Tessum's elevator. 9p

FOR SALE—Bed, good as new; also dresser. Call 1073. 7p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm either for cash or on shares. R. K. Calloway. 4

FOR RENT—300 acres in town of Kratka, sec. 6 and 7. 140 acres plowed, 130 in timothy. Will rent on shares or for cash rent. Mrs. Theo. L. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 4tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 8p

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, SE¼ of Section 6, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares.—C. P. Brothy, Kratka. 4

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. O. F. Mellby, 700 Bridge St.

WANTED—About April 1, a good cook on my farm. Andrew Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 8

WANTED—GIRL for general housework on farm. Washing and churning done by electricity. State wages wanted. Mrs. P. F. Kelly, St. Thomas, N. D., R. F. D. 10p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES—Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofing, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 7p

WANTED—A good, steady, gentlemanly salesman to handle a Ward's Wagon in Marshall County. No experience needed. For full particulars write promptly to Dr. Ward's Medical Company, Winona, Minnesota. Established 1856. 8p

WANTED—To hear from men looking for farm work. Andrew Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 7

YOUNG MEN, WOMEN, over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $120 month. Examinations April. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of instruction write John Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 159 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 9p

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POSITION WANTED—By experienced gas or oil tractor operator. Write Harold F. Selendorf, Lack, Wis. 10p

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LOST—At the basketball game Saturday evening, a red leather case containing folding cribbage board and two sets of cards. Finder please return to W. W. Prichard, Jr. 7

MISCELLANEOUS

WOULD LIKE to hear from parties residing within Pennington county that have 40, 80, 160 acre tracts of land to dispose of. W. A. Swanson, Rhoda, Minn. 7p

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The best home gardens are started when the ground is really under snow and ice. And no other job about the garden brings as much downright joy as its planning. Every good home garden is built just as a house is built. It starts (or should) with a plan, drawn on paper. The most essential things to start the garden plan are a definite idea of what you want to grow, plus an accurate knowledge of the size of the garden, plus that valuable guide called the seedsman's catalogue.

Draw your garden plan to a scale say one-quarter inch to represent a foot of ground in the open. Make a list of the vegetables you wish to raise, and plan to plant them in groups in different parts of the garden, according to their importance to you. Arrange to plant the most space to substantial staples, such as beans, corn, tomatoes and potatoes. The vegetables that are grown for their roots, like beets, carrots, Kohlrabi, etc., are also thought of as the winter staples. Then there are the salads and vegetable fruits, like cucumbers, melons, etc. To grow the latter, your garden should be of fairly good size because their spreading vines take up considerable room.

It matters little how you run your rows—east and west, or north and south. Many years of experimenting have proven that results in either case are generallyy the same. But it matters a lot what you plant in these same rows.

Experienced gardeners now recognize the importance of both the selection of correct varieties and the special strains of these varieties especially adapted to home or market garden conditions. Here is where the seedsman and his catalogue come in.

It is suggested that you send to some reliable seed house for its catalogue. When the book comes, read up on the various culture directions of the different vegetables. Study the claims made for the different strains, study the illustrations, for they are generally a pretty good guide to the best the seedsman has to offer. Otherwise he wouldn't illustrate it. A couple of hours spent in the entertaining company of the catalogue will generally help you to form definite ideas of what you want.

When you have decided upon just what you want, bring your list to your local dealer. He will by that time have on hand a fresh line of seeds from which to supply you. If your gardening operations are on a sufficiently extensive scale it will pay to buy seeds in qualities.

One ounce of radish or letuce seed, for instance, at 20c or 25c contains five or six times as much seed as a packet sold for 10c. The seeds are good for several years if they are given proper care.

DROPPING OFF IN LIVE STOCK RUNS

Trade Pulse Nervous at Week's Opening. Cattle Steady to Lower—Hogs Advance.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minn. Dept. of Agriculture.)

South St. Paul, Minn., March 21, 1921. Cattle 2,200. Market steady to lower. Calves 800. Market steady, top $9.00. Hogs 6,500. Market uneven, averaging 50 to 75c higher. Range $8.00-$11, bulk $9.50-$10.75. Pigs higher, bulk better grades $11.75-$12. Sheep 3,000. Market strong. Top lambs $9.75. Top ewes $6.00.

General movement of live stock to the seven central markets at the week's opening fell off sharply compared with last Monday, totals being 38,000 cattle, 57,600 hogs and 49,000 sheep, against 61,000 cattle, 106,000 hogs and 70,000 sheep a week ago. Many live stock producers are probably holding off shipping in order to await the outcome of the conference at Washington this week relative to the packing house labor situation, having been so counseled by their representatives at leading markets in whose opinion general conditions underlying live stock markets at the present time are healthy. Most men in the trade hold the opinion that producers are wise in withholding shipments during the present unsettled period, which will probably be of only short duration.

The local market had about a normal run of cattle Monday and trade opened on a steady to 25c lower basis. Closing trade was a little firmer in line with conditions at outside points. Feeder buyers paid up as high as $9.25 last week for steers on the beef order, but best here today to killers were some medium grades that brouhgt $8.50, with bulk of common and medium steers at $6.75 to $7.50, with most sales at $4.50 to $6.50. Canners and cutters continue at $2.50 to $4.00. Veals opened steady with best at $9. Heavy feeders sold at $8.50 to $8.65 and these sales were about steady, but common and medium grades were slow and weak to 25c lower.

Hog market was very unsettled, prices ranging from 25c to $1 higher Monday. Range was $8 to $11, with bulk $9.50 to $10.75. Pig prices were boosted sharply, bulk of desirable grades bringing $11.75 to $12. Sheep and lambs moved on a firm basis Monday, best lambs here going at $9.75, clipped lambs at $9, choice 102 lb. ewes at $6. Yearling ewes up to $6.50 and yearling wethers at $7.50 to $8.00.

National Federation Expands.

National headquarters of the American Farm Bureau Federation in Chicago has again outgrown its offices and has been moved to 1116 Garland Building, 58 East Washington street, Chicago. The new offices occupy three times as much space as the former quarters. The rapidly increasing work of the federation made enlargement of office space imperative.

Legion Men Ask For Work.

Hundreds of war veterans are out of work in the twin cities, according to headquarters of the American Legion. Many of these men are former farmer boys, the Legion officers say, and are fitted for farm work, but are absolutely penniless and cannot pay railroad fare to seek work on farms. The state federation suggests that when county farm bureau members need help, the county agent communicate with the state Legion's employment office in the Old Capitol, St. Paul. In many cases it will be necessary for farmers to send railroad tickets to the men they hire, Legion officers said. Co-operation with the American Legion to give work to jobless veterans is urged by the state federation.

Exchange Handles Supplies.

The purchasing department of the Minnesota Potato Exchange is doing a big business for the farmer members of its local shipping associations. Up to the first of the year, the statement of the exchange shows, its purchasing department handled 488,300 sacks, 169 potato car stoves, 425 rolls or car lining, one set of scales, 6 trucks, 9 graders, 14 carloads of apples, 17 carloads of flour and feed and bookkeeping supplies to half of the locals in the exchange. The department is prepared, it announces to handle insecticides and fungicides, potato sprayers, commercial fertilizers and corn and oats direct from farmers' elevators.

Minnesotan in Market Research.

W. A. McKerrow, director of livestock extension work at the University of Minnesota and well known as an organizer of co-operative shipping associations, has been appointed a member of the committee on livestock statistics, reports and market reporting, to carry out the investigations of the Committee of Fifteen. This committee, was appointed by J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, to work out a nationwide plan for co-operative marketing of livestock, met for the first time in Chicago on Feb. 24, and set six subcommittees to work on a nationwide marketing investigation. Their findings will be the basis for a co-operative marketing plan. The inquiry will be along the lines of that conducted by the Committee of Seventeen in working out its national grain marketing program.

Postponed Auction Sale

On account of bad weather this sale was postponed from March 15th to March 28th.

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction, at my farm, Sec. 22, Town of Norden, 2½ miles north and 4 miles west of Thief River Falls

Monday, March 28

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following personal property:

HORSES

One bay horse, 17 years old, wt. 1400
One bay horse, 7 years old, wt. 1100
One bay mare, 16 years old, wt. 1200
One bay mare, 5 years old, wt. 1400
One bay mare colt, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1200

CATTLE

One red cow, 7 years old
One red and white cow, 7 years old
One red and white cow, 5 years old
One black cow, 5 years old
One roan cow, 5 years old
One roan cow, 4 years old
Two black heifers, 3 years old
One black and white heifer, 3 years old
All coming fresh this spring
One red and white heifer, 2 years old
One red and white heifer, 1 year old
Five summer calves
One calf, 3 weeks old
About 100 chickens

MACHINERY

One John Deere sulky plow, 16 in.
One 16-inch brush breaking plow
One 14-inch prairie breaking plow
One 16-inch walking plow
One 3-horse harrow
One disc harrow, 12 disc
One spring tooth harrow
One Deering mower, 6-ft. cut
One Moline hay rake, 12 ft.
One buck rake
One McCormick binder
One Van Brunt single drill
One Stoughton wagon
One Haney single top buggy
One T. Mandt wagon box
One Galloway manure spreader
One riding cultivator
One tractor attachment for Ford
One riding attachment for plow
One single harness
Two sets of work harness
One Lindsay Reliance cream separator No. 14
One horse cultivator
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount approved bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921.

Erick Soderberg, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

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Cream Cheese, pound	28c
K. C. Baking Powder, large can	23c
Calumet Baking Powder, large can	32c
7 lb. box best Soda Crackers, lb.	16c
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Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Highlanding township up to April 30 at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of leveling 1½ miles of grading, commencing near the town line at the Northeast corner of Section 8 and South to the river.

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H. I. FINSTAD,
Town Clerk.

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AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction at the old S. Rafteseth place, 1½ miles north of Rosewood, Section 34, the following described property on

Friday, April 1, 1921

commencing at 11:00 A. M.

HORSES

One brown mare 7 years old, wt. 1500
One brown mare 12 years old, wt. 1300
One brown mare 9 years old, wt. 1200
One gray mare 15 yrs. old, wt. 1100

CATTLE

One red and white cow, 7 yrs. old, coming fresh this month
One red cow 10 years old
One red and white cow, 9 years old
One red cow 5 years old, all coming fresh this spring
One Holstein bull 3 years old
A few sheep for sale.

MACHINERY

One Ford automobile
One 2½ H. P. Waterloo Boy gasoline engine
One clover feed mill, 5 in. double burr
One 6-ft. Deering binder with truck
One 16-hoe Fountain City drill
Two mowers
One hay rake
One Rock Island 16 in. sulky plow
One Moline gang plow
One breaking plow
One 12 disc harrow
One four horse drag
Two wide tire wagons
One 2-seated buggy
Two sleighs
Two hay racks
Four sets work harness
Other articles too numerous to mention.

Hot Lunch at Noon

TERMS—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount abnkable paper due November 1st, 1921.

Mrs. John S. Rafteseth Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auct. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction the following property named below at my farm on the southwest quarter of Section 8, Town of Agdar, three miles east and ten miles north of Thief River Falls and seven miles southeast of Holt, on

Tuesday, Mar. 29

commencing at 10:00 o'clock.

HORSES

One bay mare, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1400
One bay gelding, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1400
One black gelding, 9 years old, wt. 1400
One bay gelding, 9 years old, wt. 1300
One gray gelding, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1300
One gray mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1200
One black mare, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1100

CATTLE

One red cow, 6 yrs. old, coming fresh in April
One red cow, 5 yr. old, coming fresh in April
One grade Shorthorn cow, 5 years old, coming fresh in April
One red and white cow, 6 years old coming fresh in April
One red and white cow, 8 years old coming fresh in April
One red cow, 5 years old, coming fresh in April
One red and white cow, 3 years old coming fresh in May
One red cow, 5 years old, milking
One red cow, 10 years old, milking
Two 2 year old heifers
Two 2-year old steers
Three yearling heifers
One Shorthorn bull, 2 years old

SHEEP

Seven ewes with lamb.

MACHINERY

One 8-ft. Deering binder
One 20 double disc Van Brunt drill
One McCormick mower
One 10-ft. Deering hay rake
One sweep rake
One 8-16 Lion tractor
One 14 in. DeToure engine gang plow with breaking attachment
One 4-horse Cushman binder engine
One feed mill
One circular saw with shaft
One 14 in. Bradley gang plow
One 16 in. John Deere sulky plow
One disc
One 5-section harrow
One 3-section harrow
One flexible 10-ft. harrow
One wagon with box
One wagon with hay rack
Two sets bob sleighs
One 2-seated buggy
One Fosston fanning mill
Three sets harness
Anvil, forge, and blacksmith tools
One Viking cream separator, nearly new

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

One Majestic range, nearly new
One sewing machine, nearly new
One organ
Two dressers
Two tables
Four beds
One 20-gal. churn
One go-cart
Many other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

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PETER MICHAELSON, Owner

W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Letters to The Times

SPENDING WINTER IN FAIR SANTO DOMINGO WITH THE DEVILDOGS

Former Thief River Falls Boy Writes of Conditions Found as a Member of the Marines on Duty in the Dominican Republic.

It would almost seem as if there are places on this globe where the winter may be spent more pleasantly than has been the case in northern Minnesota this year, and Santo Domingo is evidently one of them. At least this much is to be gathered from a letter to The Times from John E. Fondahl, formerly of Thief River Falls but now with the U. S. marines at Santo Domingo city. Mr. Fondahl, who is a member of the 44th Company Mounted, Third regiment, writes as follows under date of March 4:

"Thinking that you might be interested in hearing from a former Thief River boy who is at present serving with the marines in the Dominical Republic, I am taking the liberty of writing these lines.

"It surely does seem strange for one brought up in the cold and snow of northern Minnesota to spend a winter in the ideal conditions down here. The year here is divided into a rainy and dry season, although they don't come with the regularity of the seasons in the temperate zone. The climate is healthful, especially at the higher altitudes of the inland country, which is very mountainous.

"Santo Domingo City, at which *place I am now stationed*, is on the south side of the island and is about 100 feet above sea level. A tidal wave here in 1916 did considerable damage to the city besides washing the United States battleship "Memphis" on the rocks.

"Conditions down here as far as armed bands, bandits, etc., are concerned, have been very peaceful during the past year. Naturally the natives are in favor of all Americans being removed and every once in a while there are rumors of an impending uprising, but these disturbances are generally nipped in the bud.

"There has been a proclamation issued that all marines will be withdrawn as soon as possible but it will be a considerable time before they even begin.

"At the present time improvements for quartering troops are being effected. A new camp is being constructed in the city and tents are being replaced by portable barracks. In view of all this it would seem that the authorities are not contemplating withdrawing any troops from here in the near future.

"In closing I wish to say that any extra copies of The Times would be gladly received. If the editor should wish, I would gladly drop you any news items that would be of interest."

Criticises System.

To the Editor of The Times: It is a generally known fact that United States of America boasts of the best educational system in the world. Every child is entitled to compulsory education. But how complete is that education? Generally people do not understand what is meant by the word "education." They seem to think that it means to learn the common subjects such as reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar and composition, geography, history, orthography, physiology, civics, physics and other higher subjects. Knowledge of those subjects is very far from education. Education is the development of human mind and the establishment of character for right living as a social being.

In observing the conduct of the pupils of some of our public schools it does not appear that they are acquiring any education. They may be acquiring knowledge of the subjects enumerated above. If anyone passes by some of our public schools the conduct will be seen to be far below the standard of a civilized community. Pupils often interfere with people of old age that are neither their associates nor of their rank. Politeness and respect for old age or mature age is lacking. And whose fault are such conditions? The fault certainly lies both with the school teachers and the parents. Discipline is lacking in both school and home. Many of the parents can hardly be blamed, because they lack education themselves. Teachers, if legally and professionally qualified, should command the necessary influence over their pupils that poor conditions would improve in a short time. The school boards and school superintendents are also to blame. The teachers should be inspired by them with the idea that proper discipline is more important than instruction in common subjects. Too many of the teachers are contented when their pupils have passed satisfactory examinations.

Lack of proper discipline in homes and schools is filling up our corrective institutions with persons that should have been respectable and honorable citizens. If our homes and our public schools would do their full duty there would not be half as many inmates in our state prison and state reformatories. And to this I may justly add that only a small percentage of criminals are sent to the correctional institutions.

It is high time that our educational system includes quality with the quantity of our education.

Respectfully,
March 22. CITIZEN.

The Times Gets Results.

Editor Times: By the way, Tom Jurgenson had rattling good luck advertising his marshy farm in the center of Mud Lake, receiving as high as 30 and 40 letters every day. I have advertised my farm for sale in various farm papers and never received as much as a postal card from anyone. I realize now that the Thief River Falls Times is the best paper to advertise in.

Two black ravens from some other planet descended on Hazelbrush and scattered a vast quantity of fire and brimstone. It is said that some of the people have eaten so much of the darn stuff that they have gone skyrocketing bughouse. The next thing on the program should be the ordering of these fakes back to hades, with instructions never to show up on our planet any more.

Just at this time the farmers are all busy figuring their income tax, which is going to be very large owing to the big crops and the sky-high prices they have been receiving, but it is better to have high income taxes to pay than it would be to borrow it.

This winter I am taking it easy. I arrived in this country from Antler, N. D., where I was engaged in mushroom and toadstool farming, but found business slim picking and sold out to the other fellow, after which I beat it for Plummer where I was introduced to Camp Nelson and a little half-pint lady clothed in blue ribbon. After staying with them awhile I went out into the country where I bought a farm, but I sold it and bought another one two miles from town, which I still have. The frog and sow thistle industries have not been of the best in late years, hence I have partly retired from the business. Nevertheless the country is all right in every respect.

Yours for more advertising and higher land prices, "O. S."
Plummer, Minn., March 17.

Legislative Letter

The members of the Legislature learned many facts when they spent a large portion of a day visiting the University of Minnesota. President Coffman and members of the board of regents effectively presented the emergency needs of the state's great educational institution. As a result it is probable an interim commission will be appointed by the Legislature to consider the needs of the state's educational activities with a view to having a comprehensive report for the next legislature.

The "farmer's program," represented in about six bills, have gone thru the legislative mill and two of these have been signed by the Governor. There remain for the executive's attention four bills which were [illegible] during the past week, with slight amendments which were promptly accepted by the House, as follows:

The anti-futures bill, prohibiting trading in grain futures, passed by a vote fo 50 to 11, defines "gambling" in grain as an agreement wherein the actual delivery of the commodity sold is not, in good faith, contemplated or intended by the contracting parties.

The public markets bill, passed by a vote of 47 to 14, declares all grain exchanges and live stock exchanges of the state open markets and requiring them to admit to membership cooperative associations of every nature. Some questions of the constitutionality of this measure was raised.

The bill for the re-establishment of "Minnesota" grades which were for a time set aside by the Federal grades of grain—passed 57 to 1—is said to make probable much [illegible] in grading at Minnesota terminals, with two systems of grading.

A rural credits system, framed after the existing system of South Dakota, is provided for in the bill passed without a dissenting vote providing for a constitutional amendment to be submitted to the people next year.

The probability of deep cutting in the appropriations being demanded for the various departments of the state, was forecast in a statement by Representative Theodore Christianson, chairman of the House committee on appropriations. He warned particularly against the tendency toward extending governmental functions into activities that are essentially the affairs of private business, or community concern.

The state income tax amendment to the constitution which was voted down by the people in 1920, has again been made a live issue through the action of the House, which passed a bill by a vote of 95 to 5 for resubmission.

Both the Senate and the House have bills for the registration of aliens.

When the "lid" went onto the legislative hopper with the expiration of the time limit in which bills could be introduced by members of the legislature, the Senate showed a total of 838 measures and the House 1,079.

The bill for adjournment April 9 is now in the hands of the House rules committee. Under the usual rules of procedure adjournment would come about two weeks later than this date.

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Flour, per cwt	1.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18-.25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.23
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery butter	.47
Cow Hides, per lb.	.01
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.18
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.09
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

American Legion Corner

PRACTICAL TRAINING ON NORTHWEST FARMS FOR EX-SERVICE MEN

Vocational Board Aims to Supplement College Course With Actual Work in the Field, but For Study Purposes Only.

The Federal Board for Vocational education has at the present time in agricultural colleges in Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana, 750 men in training, and it is the desire of the board that these men receive practical training along with their school work. For this reason the board is planning on placing a great number of these men on modern up-to-date farms for summer training.

The general plan of project work is to place the man now in school on farms that will give him training of a more practical nature along the line in which he is specializing. In other words, it would be practical training along the line the man intends to follow in making his living after completing his course.

The interest and energy of the federal board trainees will naturally be divided between the farm and the community. It is the feeling of the federal board that to make a successful agriculturist, a man should not only understand the handling of his own problem, but he should be interested in the other problems of the community. For this reason, the man will be encouraged to take part in community activities of all kinds.

At least one special problem will be selected by each trainee and a complete report will be submitted to the federal board upon this subject. The amount of credit granted to the trainee on project training will be determined by the agricultural college which he has been attending, and will be based upon the complete report of the trainee and the supervisor of the project work. The supervisor will inspect the work being done by trainees on project work regularly at least once a month. When the supervisor cannot inspect the work being done, arrangements will be made by the supervisor with the county agent or high school agricultural instructor.

It is the desire of the federal board to secure the co-operation of all farm associations, breeders' associations, live stock associations, and all similar organizations, in order that a sufficient number of opportunities may be obtained for its agricultural trainees.

The federal board trainees will be placed in agricultural lines for the purpose of training, and it is not the desire of the federal board to secure jobs for these men during the summer. While it will be necessary for them to assist in the work, it is the desire that emphasizes be placed upon training and not upon the amount of work which is done.

Maintenance While in Training.

The federal board pays all the expenses *incident to training* of men who elect to take training under Section II of the Vocational act, and pays for the maintenance and support of the man while in training.

While a man is in training under Section II of the Vocational Rehabilitation act, at an educational institution or on the farm where he is being trained on the job, he receives an allowance for the maintenance and support of himself of from $80.00 to $170.00 per month.

Full particulars and information regarding Uncle Sam's work for the disabled soldier may be obtained from the District Vocational Officer, Federal Board for Vocational Education, 600 Keith Plaza Building, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

LaFleur New State Adjutant.

State Commander A. H. Vernon has appointed M. P. LaFleur of Two Harbors as Minnesota Legion State Adjutant. LaFleur is Commander of the Two Harbors Legion Post and a member of the state executive committee of the Legion. In addition he is Grand Chef de Guerre of the "40 and 8," the Minnesota branch of the French box car society. P. L. O'Toole, who has been acting as state adjutant since the resignation of H. G. Whitmore, will resume his work as assistant adjutant and publicity director.

Convention Dates Set.

August 1, 2 and 3 are the dates for the 1921 state Legion convention at Winona. This decision was reached at a meeting of the state executive committee, at which Winona representatives painted glowing pictures of the good time in store for delegates. Some of the convention sessions will be held on a Mississippi river steamer capable of carrying three thousand delegates.

Baseball Next.

More than one hundred basket ball teams were kept in the field during the past season by Minnesota Legion posts, which are now planning to invade the baseball diamonds of the state, says the weekly news bulletin from the state department headquarters. Last winter Red Wing Legionnaires won thirteen games and lost seven. The Thief River Falls Legion team, after defeating some fifteen Minnesota Legion teams, invaded North Dakota territory and cleaned up the Minot team, which previously held the championship of North Dakota and Montana, continues the bulletin.

To Utilize Peat.

Believing that vast deposits of peat lying close to the Minnesota iron mines should be used in smelting iron ore right at the mine locations, Sen. Fred D. Vibert of Cloquet is preparing a bill appropriating $25,000 a year for experiment in the use of peat as a fuel, to be administered by the school of mines of the University of Minnesota.

Peat already is being used as a fuel in the state, but Sen. Vibert said that "the pioneer experimenters often are running into obstacles that they are unable to solve and their problems could be straightened out by the university authorities if they had a fund to work with."

"I am going to belong to the circus when I grow up," said one boy. "The circus is going to belong to me when I grow up," responded his companion. One guess as to which boy is putting his money into Thrift stamps.

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—and—
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HISTORICAL SOCIETY

FORFEIT GAME BY REFUSING TO PLAY WHEN TIE RESULTS

Company I Players Choose to Ignore Rules of Game and Take Consequences.

The Company I basketball team of Crookston forfeited a game to the Thief River Falls Legion team on Saturday night when, after playing to a tie score of 11 to 11 in the allotted time, they refused to continue for an extra period of five minutes to decide the victory. The game was played on the auditorium floor here before the largest crowd that ever turned out to witness a sport event. The Crookston team, accompanied by over two hundred followers, arrived here at 7:30 on a chartered train, and were met by the Thief River Falls City band and a delegation of citizens. Red Lake Falls and St. Hilaire contributed a large number of neutral enthusiasts to crowd the special. This is the second game taken by the Legion men from the fast Company I quint this season. The locals have not been defeated in 14 starts made.

The game, while not displaying the excellent playing seen here earlier in the season, was a tight one from the moment the first ball was tossed. Carlson started the scoring for the Legion men on a free throw granted on Haaven's foul in the first minute of playing. Haaven immediately took the score to the visitors' favor with a goal made in a neat fashion from the field. More than five minutes of close playing followed, with many wild passes and poorly directed shots on the part of the ten players, after which Company I took time out for consultation. McGinn made the hoop from the field after playing was resumed. Sampson failed to score on Hadrath's personal. Both teams overworking their guard, action was very heavy and resulted in nothing more than many held balls. With 16 minutes of the half gone, Carlson made the net with a pretty shot from the center of the field. Johnson replaced Hadrath late in the half. Sampson failed for the second time to make the hoop on McGinn's personal. Just before the whistle blew for the half, Carlson again scored from the field after eluding in a clever fashion two of the Crookston men. The score stood at 7 to 2.

For the second half, Sampson for the visitors went to center and Haaven to left forward. After four minutes of tight work, during which the ball traveled but little because of numerous toss-ups, Haaven succeeded in placing a nice toss fair through the net. The game became noticeably more spirited and spectators for several minutes witnessed the only real basket ball played during the evening. With nine minutes gone Haaven made his second field goal. Hermanson made his first appearance with the Thief River men this season when he replaced Kiland for the last ten minutes of the half. Both Sampson and Carlson failed to make free throws granted on a double foul. Carlson also failed on Sampson's personal. Sampson made the hoop but in doing so broke his dribble and Carlson took another point for the Maroon and Gray. McGinn took a field basket to his credit. Company I forged to the lead with a clean goal shot made by Nelson and a free throw and field goal made by Sampson, the three plays occurring in rapid succession. When but a half minute of play was left, a most obvious foul was called on two of the Crookston players when they rushed Carlson to the side line just as he was all set for a goal shot, with such force as to lift him bodily from his feet. Carlson, in making the free throw, plopped the pigskin into the net without touching the circle, thereby tying the score. Close guarding all around followed, neither quint being able to score in the 30 seconds of the half remaining.

Perry Johnson, referee, being unaware that the score stood at a tie, followed the time keeper's whistle with his own, otherwise play would have continued for an additional five minutes or as many periods of five minutes as would have been needed to leave one of the two quints in the lead. The Company I players, apparently not sensing the ethics of the game as laid down in the rule book, desired to call the game a tie with the stipulation that another game be played on a neutral floor with neutral referee and umpire. Backed by an over-zealous crowd of Crookston fans, they flatly refused to continue playing for a five-minute period when given two minutes time in which to decide by the referee. As a consequence victory was forfeited to the Thief River Falls quint.

Sampson and Weber for Crookston played an outstanding game. Haaven's game, while heavy, was deserving of mention. McGinn and Carlson starred for the Legion men. Holzknecht also played well. The Legionnaires, badly battered as a result of recent scrimmages, failed to get into the stride shown in former games played here and had difficulty in locating the baskets with their customary ease.

Co. I		T. R. F.
Weber	rf	Carlson
Sampson	lf	Kiland
Haaven	c	Hadrath
Miller	rg	Holzknecht
Nelson	lg	McGinn

Johnson substituted for Hadrath, Hermanson for Kiland and Kiland for Johnson.

Crookston scoring: Field goals—Haaven 3, Sampson 1, Nelson 1; free throws—Sampson 1 out of 4.

Thief River scoring: Field goals—Carlson 2, McGinn 2; free throws—Carlson 3 out of 5.

"B.L.T.," Famous Humorist, Is Dead; Was Widely Read

Bertram Leston Taylor, for more than a quarter century one of America's leading humorists and "column conductors" died last week at his Chicago home from pneumonia, after a two weeks' illness.

His "Line o' Type or Two," which he wrote for the Minneapolis Journal, Chicago Tribune and a group of other newspapers, has been considered the foremost "column" in American journalism. He kept up his work on the column until almost the last, and in several of his last contributions he referred jokingly to the illness that resulted in his death.

Mr. Taylor was born in Goshen, Mass., in 1866 and received his early newspaper training on a paper in Plainsfield, N. H. In 1896 he came west to edit the Duluth News-Tribune, where he remained for three years. Going to Chicago in 1899 he went to work on the Chicago Journal and remained for two years, when his bent for the humorous side of journalism led him to start the column for which he became famous as "B. L. T."

H. W. BORING, a well-to-do Kansas farmer, says he has gained twenty pounds and is in better general health than he has been in years, since taking Tanlac.

"Since Tanlac has overcome my troubles I have gained twenty ponds in weight and am in better general health than for years past," was the straight-forward statement made a few days ago by H. W. Boring, a prominent and well-to-do farmer living at Overland Park, Kans.

"During the two years I suffered I tried everything I knew of to get relief, but nothing seemed to reach my case until I tried Tanlac. My appetite was poor and my digestion was so bad I could hardly retain my food. Nothing seemed to agree with me; in fact, I was almost a confirmed dyspeptic. My whole system seemed to be out of shape. I would have pains across the small of my back so bad at times I could hardly move around.

"My nerves were all unstrung and I would become upset at the least little thing. I seldom slept well at night and finally, became so weak and run-down that I lost weight rapidly. I was also troubled a great deal with catarrh and of mornings had to spend a half hour or more clearing up my head.

"This is just the condition I was in when I began taking Tanlac and it certainly has been a blessing to me. It just seemed to be made especially for my case. I improved from the first. My digestion now is perfect and regardless of what I eat I never suffer any bad after-effects.

"The pains across my back have entirely disappeared. The catarrh has left me, too, and my head is perfectly clear. I am no longer nervous and rest well at night. I have regained my lost weight and am feeling better and stronger than I have in years. I am going to keep Tanlac in my house so it will be handy at all times."

Tanlac is sold in Thief River Falls at Lambert's Drug Store; at Oklee by John H. Gassman, at St. Hilaire by Enoch Sundholm and at Goodridge by C. C. Gulrud.—Adv.

CREAMERY PATRONS HAVE GOOD MONTH

Payments For Milk and Cream Over $2,000 More Than During Previous Month.

With a marked increase in butterfat production during the month of March, prices paid for cream will show a marked reduction in comparison with those of February, according to P. Engelstad, secretary of the Thief River Falls Cooperative Creamery association. Production in February also showed an increase over that of January and, as prices paid for cream were cent higher, the Thief River Falls creamery disbursements were over $2,000 in excess of those for the previous month. The average price paid for sour cream was 51 cents; that for sweet cream was 54 cents. Following is a list of the creamery patrons whose cream checks for the month were $50 or larger:

P. Egelstad, $249.04; Jens Kierk, $232.73; Hans Anton, $206.42; Waldie Christensen, $201.44; Henry Koop, $144.86; R. M. Johnson, $122.51; C. Christensen, $118.33; Paul Engelstad, $116.36; August Englin, $107.73; L. O. Senseth, $101.40; Fred Copp, $94.65; S. Wiberg, $89.16; E. Eidman, $85.68; Chris Nelson, $83.80; H. T. Waale, $80.39; Albert Johnson, $79.35; Ole J. Dahl, $78.52; O. S. Brieland, $78.45; A. C. Simonson, $78.30; Chas. Liden, $76.25; John Bloom, $74.27; H. C. Woolson, $73.86; H. A. Mathees, $71.27; Henry Pope, $68.94; O. B. Gunderson, $65.44; S. Sorenson, $59.50; Ludvig Larson, $58.24; Wm. Hohner, $57.80; Anfind Ness, $57.22; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $55.93; Carl P. Anderson, $55.50; A. E. Anderson, $54.47; Carl Mellem, $52.81; James Wilson, $52.10; Will Smith, $52.00; R. Oen, $51.35; Palm Bros., $51.05; Wiladson Bros., $50.27.

New Officers Elected For Jefferson Highway Ass'n.

At the annual meeting of the Jefferson Highway association held recently at St. Louis, Mo., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, E. H. Frisby, Bethany, Mo.; vice president, A. H. Shaffer, Pitsburg, Kan.; secretary, C. M. Weeks, Caryville, La.; treasurer, J. E. Coombs, St. Louis.

The association starts the year with all expenses paid and a balance in the treasury of $5,166.98. It was decided to push work on the Jefferson in the different states with increased vigor during the year and reports were received showing that in some sections the enterprise had been carried on without letup all through the winter.

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With St. Olaf Choir.

The famous St. Olaf choir starts on another concert trip tomorrow, this time through the Middle West states. Last year's tour of the East was a great success and there is no doubt but that this will be repeated during the present season. Among the students of St. Olaf who will appear with the choir is Reuben Teslow of Thief River Falls. A hree-column picture of the aggregation appeared in last Friday's issue of the United American, published at Northfield.

Ziegler at St. Paul.

W. A. Ziegler, superintendent of Thief River Falls public schools, is in attendance at the Minnesota Schoolmasters' Short Course which is being held at St. Paul from Tuesday to Saturday of this week. Mr. Ziegler is scheduled to appear on the programs of several days, when he will explain the results of the scientific or intelligence tests which have been conducted in the grade schools here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barnett left on Wednesday evening for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will visit the former's mother for a month. They were accompanied by their daughter, Fern, who will remain with her aunt at Minneapolis until the return of her parents.

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Learn to Concentrate.

The person who falls discouraged is forgotten instantly—the world is cold and stingy with sympathy. It's the person that gets up every time he is knocked down and comes back for more, that wins. What we do today will serve as a passport for tomorrow.

If the great Edison had just done one thing and then stopped, he would probably not be known today. His secret is simple—he concentrates on one subject and works.

Success is not on the bargain counter—it is only for the person who can and will pay the price.

Always play the game fair and square.

A person can't win by trying to skin.

All of us can be teachers and the world needs us.

In order to be a success, we must throw our hearts and souls into our work—get into it for all we are worth—and it will respond with all it is worth.

All of us have problems—master them.

"Learn to Concentrate."

—Exchange.

Efficiency of Integrity.

This is the esteemed motto and shibboleth of the high school and it should be in the minds of every student to make this watch-word make the deepest impression on his or her mind.

The meaning of these words, as has been defined by our superintendent and other efficient men, is to be truly educated. Efficiency means to do a thing and do it well. Every person in high school ought to realize what this means as they should know that to do anything well is the greatest achievement in one's life. If one could but do everything well, he would receive all the conveniences and happiness of life for his labors. If this phrase could be taught to every student, understood and enacted by them, there would be no greater accomplishment of a high school training.

The second part, integrity, is interpreted to mean to be true to yourself. Do not cheat yourself for a conscience is never restful if such a suspension is upon it. For instance a game of solitaire. If one cheats in this game and wins he is not mindful of any pleasure derived from the victory. One should be honest in business as well as other respects and it is known that efficiency of integrity is a hard shibboleth to live up to, but by a steady training of the mind to live up to and keep the phrase as a watch-word one will find his life a more pleasant and happier period.

Bored to Death.

Are you on the list with those who are always bored to death and look on life as a bore?

Some people are bored to death when they have everything in their power, others with the idea of having a long hard days work ahead of them; students are bored to death with lessons and others over nothing.

Is it because you are incapable of fulfilling your duties you think you ought to do, or are afraid that you will not do the thing right—and to do it is bored.

Laziness is the stepping-stone to boredom—and therefore takes the joy out of life.

You think of the "might be" but if it takes a little mental and physical energy you pass it up, and lay your hands on something more easily acquired.

You cannot expect a "Good Deal" for "Nothing" and when you hesitate upon something you do not like, and only think of the thing you might enjoy, life is naturally a bore.

Life is what you make it—so in everything, even your lessons. Let's not make life a bore.

Me and Ed Traveling.

Dear Old Top:—

I thought you might be interested in hearing about the trip me, Ed. and Mr. Pierce had to the city of McIntosh a while ago. McIntosh is quite a ways further south than Thief River Falls, so there wasn't as much snow down there. Well, I might as well tell you all about the trip. Ed. was going down there to help in an oratorical contest, that is he was going to meet with some other fellows to find out who could say their "piece" the loudest. Of course Ed. has got a strong—well, we'll come to that later.

Of course we had to get up awful early that morning, but the alarm clock sure gives a fellow a helping hand in such times. Me and Ed. got down to the depot just in time to get a ticket and Mr. Pierce was scared that Ed. might have forgotten to get up and miss the train, but I told him Ed. was coming; you see he hasn't as long legs as I have. We all got on the train and reached Erskine, which is quite a big town for its size. It seems to be several miles from the depot, mebbe they couldn't find the depot when they built it or vice versa. They wanted to take us up town in a big buggy but we thought that in these hard times it was better not to be extravagant, so we walked. When we had been there awhile and people began to get up and opened the stores, we found out that Harding was going to be what they call "inaugurated" for President of the U. S. of A., that day, and I said to Ed. that it sure was too bad that it had to be on the same day, otherwise we might have gone too. But I 'spose he couldn't help it; maybe he didn't know just what day Ed. was going to speak.

We heard they had a high school there so we went over to see how the kids were getting along with their teachers. Mr. Pierce thought it wouldn't hurt us to get acquainted with some more teachers so he introduced us to a bunch of 'em (as tho we didn't know enough of them up here!) Anyhow, I like the ones we have much better. We stuck around there for a while till we heard a "toot," so we beat it down to the depot, but I guess it was another train because we had to wait a long time before the right one came rambling along. We pretty nearly started to "walk it," but Mr. Pierce thought it wouldn't be good for Ed.'s voice.

We barely had time to give the brakeman our tickets, when a fellow, with a big sign on his cap, came running between the seats "hollering" out "McIntosh!"

When we stepped out on the platform there were so many people that we could'nt hardly get up town, but we followed the crowd and finally got up to the high school where there were a lot of kids I'd never seen before. Everybody wanted to shake hands with us and one of the teachers there asked me if I was teaching up at Thief River Falls and I didn't know what to say at first. But then I thought I'd fool him a little, so I said that they would have hired me as principal if they hadn't known me there.

Well Rome wasn't built in one day and as there is quite a bit more to tell and I've already got sprained fingers from writing, I'll have to quit for this time. I'll write the rest of the tale next week.

Yours Respectful,

Musical on Friday.

Chapel Friday morning was opened with the singing of Irish songs, in recognition of St. Patrick's Day. This was followed by a vocal solo, "The Palms," by Miss Grace Iverson and two piano solos, "Le Sylvans" by Chaminade, and "The Butterfly," by Grieg, rendered by Miss Pearl Weeks. All three of the numbers were rendered in a highly pleasing manner and were well received by the audience.

Miss Johnson, the music instructor, who has charge of the Friday morning chapel periods, is endeavoring to have a special musical number to offer every Friday in addition to the regular program.

To a Senior.

(By a Sophomore.)

Under a softly shaded light
The haughty Senior stands
The Senior is a man of might,
With small but useful hands.

His hair is soft and waved, and long
His face is light as down,
But his brow is wet with honest sweat
And he bluffs where'er he can.

Week in, week out, from morn till night,
You can hear his constant blow,
You can hear him walk to classes
With measures beat and slow.

And the Freshmen going by the room
Look in the open door
They love to see the smiling face
And hear his jovial roar.

He goes on Sunday down to "Blacks"
And sits among the "boys",
He hears the waiter's angry voice,
And tries to make more noise.

It sounds like Mr. Pierce's voice
Scolding in the assembly hall (???)
He needs must think of him once more
How on him all blame doth fall.

Toiling—Rejoicing—Sorrowing
Onward through school he goes
Each morning sees some task begun
Each evening sees it close.

Thanks, thanks to thee my worthy friend (Senior)
For the lesson thou hast taught.
Thus at the flaming forge of school
Our fortune must be wrought.

Apologies to
HENRY W. LONGFELLOW.

St. Patrick's Day Program.

The third of a series of faculty programs was given Wednesday, March 16. Miss Iverson had arranged for the occasion a very pleasing and entertaining Irish program, as it was the day before St. Patrick's day.

The program consisted of three parts; a selection of Irish songs by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher; an Irish jig by Betty Vance and a group of duets by Mrs. Fisher and Miss Iverson. Mrs. Fisher sang several Irish songs, portraying the great love and deep loyalty of the Irish for their country and countrymen. Betty Vance performed an Irish jig so well that she was promptly encored. Perhaps the best part of the program, however, were the duets by Mrs. Fisher and Miss Iverson. We hope we shall have the opportunity of hearing them again before school closes.

Senior Class Play.

Now that the Seniors are practically thru with the work of putting out an annual, they are ready for a new job. This new and pleasurable job is the presenting of the Senior class play.

We have reason to believe that the class of 21 will make a great success of the class play. The Seniors are exceptionally fortunate in having Mr. Pierce as coach. We already know what Mr. Pierce has done along the line of debate and oratory for the L. H. S., and as dramatics is his favorite avocation he will undoubtedly be responsible for the best senior class play ever presented by any class previously.

Watch for the appearance of some real talented people! A try out which is to be given will be open to any senior and in this way giving everyone a fair trial.

We hope to find a few Sotherns and Barrymores in the class of '21.

Personals.

A student went to his teacher to get his report card mark changed, as he did not think his "F" was justified.

"How did you come out?" asked a fellow sufferer under the same teacher.

"I came out faster than I went in," sadly answered the disillusioned young hopeful.

Wearers of the Shamrock were quite conspicuous at the Lincoln high on St. Patrick's day. Lest we form a wrong impression of the unusual display of greenness, Supt. Ziegler explained that a green tie did not signify a green student, but a love for the beautiful Emerald Isle.

Miss Marguerite Burns, a student at the North Dakota "U" will spend her Easter vacation at her home in this city.

Miss Viola Lund, a student of the local high school, will spend her Easter vacation in the cities, visiting with friends and relatives.

Harold Smithers left Thursday for Minot, where he will spend the Easter vacation.

When all the world goes wrong and everything on the bum, a two-cent grin and a tilted chin, helps some, my friend, helps some.

Jim P. (in a meditative mood): "You can lead a horse to water and you can push a pen, but a pencil must be lead."

A girl was asked to tell what the word "that" was in a given sentence. She said that that that that that sentence contains, is an adjective.

It is kind of abusing the word in telling it, but there is no one that has the authority to sue us for the wear and tear of the word.

Mr. Pierce will leave Tuesday for Minneapolis where he will attend a principal's and superintendent's convention which will be held during the week. He will also attend the state oratorical contest where Edward Fiterman will represent the Lincoln high school as representative from this district.

A great historian said: "Happy is the nation that has no great events to record." The student suggests a slight change: "Happy is the student if the nation has no events to record."

"In arguing too, Clarence owes his skill
For e'en though vanquished he can argue still."

Teacher: "What ship did Wilson use in going to Europe?"

Reuben A: "The Mayflower."

Dreng Bjornaraa left last Saturday for his home near Gully, where he will visit with his parents during the spring vacation.

Bacon says: "Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested." From observation it must be concluded that text-books belong to the first class, and suffer sadly from a prejudiced taste.

Miss Iverson left Saturday for Pembina, North Dakota, where she visited several days, returning Wednesday evening.

Miss Mealy left Friday for her home at Minneapolis where she will spend Easter vacation.

Miss Swift left Friday for her home at St. Paul.

Miss Merrian Miller, a high school instructor, and her sister, Miss Ella Miller, an instructor at the Knox school left Friday for Minneapolis where they will spend Easter vacation.

With the spring vacation the following teachers left last Friday evening for their respective homes: Misses Mealy, Swift, Patrick, Poppitz, Hoorn, Svedal, Elliot, Esther Johnson and Brown and Mr. Melby.

Clarence Rice and Marshall Race left last Friday evening for their respective homes to spend the spring vacation with their parents.

Evelyn Peterson left Friday evening for her home in Hazel where she will spend her vacation.

The treasurer of the Senior class is swimming in hopes that the members of the class find something to do during their spring vacation that they might pay their class dues promptly on their return.

Last Tuesday evening the Freshmen played a pick-up team of a few Freshmen and Eighth Graders in a preliminary game for the Legion-Fosston match. The Freshmen team won over the Pick-ups by a score of 38-16.

The winners are fine, sturdy players and we hope to see them as the Champions of this district representing our high school in a few years hence.

Supt. Ziegler addressing the student body on St. Patrick's day: "I hope and don't think that all you people are as green as you look this morning."

The basketball and football letter men held a meeting Wednesday after school, for the purpose of selecting a fitting monogram. It was decided to have only one letter L (Lincoln), instead of the usual T. R. F. H. S., which is deciphered with difficulty.

The Journal states that typewriting classes in a Minneapolis high school are being conducted with the accompaniment of Jazz music. It is said that students become very fast and accurate typists under the influence of the inspirations furnished by the phonograph. This might possibly be used to a good advantage in Journalism class, to act as an impetus for some students to write some real "peppy" and "live stuff" for the Progress.

Knox School Notes.

The Kindergarten pupils gave a patriotic program last week to which the parents and other relatives were invited. The following program was given by the pupils:

Song of Greeting—Pupils.
"Rococo," "Stars and Stripes"—Kindergarten orchestra.
"America"—Pupils.
Salute to Flag with Gestures—Pupils.
"Red, White and Blue"—Pupils.
Soldier Boy Drill—By pupils with soldier caps and drums.

Miss Nylander's studens won the marching pennant last week, and the pennant was awarded this week to Miss Fjelstad's room.

Friday afternoon the Easter Bunny visited the kindergarten room, each child receiving a basket of candy Easter eggs.

Last Friday afternoon the boys in Miss Lofgren's room brought their toys and the girls their dolls, the occasion being an Easter party.

The following teachers will spend their Easter vacation at the following places: Miss Fjeldstad will visit with friends at Grand Forks, Miss Friestad and Miss Nylander will visit at Northwood, N. D., Miss Morley will visit at her home in Redwood Falls, and Miss Miller will visit with friends in the cities.

Mrs. W. H. Akre of this city is substituting during Miss Lindquist's absence, on account of illness in the family.

Central Notes.

Those teachers who will spend the Easter vacation in this city are Miss Tanberg, Miss Jordan, Miss Frissell and Mrs. Pierce.

A letter was received last week from a student attending the seventh grade at La Platte, Maryland. This letter was sent by a student interested in this city. It contained a description of La Platte which was very good. This student also asked that some student write a description of Thief River Falls and send to him in return. Tom Gullingsrud will answer the letter.

The teachers who left Friday for their homes to spend the Easter vacation are Miss Dodge, Rock Lake, N. D., Miss Batten, Rosewood, Miss Mortenson, Fosston, Miss Friestad, Grand Forks.

Northrup News.

Teachers of the Northrup school, who are spending their vacation at various places are: Miss Klober at Little Falls; Miss Bark at Winnipeg and Miss Nepper at Superior. The rest remained in this city.

The marching pennant was awarded Miss Adams' room for the lower grades; for the upper grades there was a tie between Misses Bark, Pelto and Sandum's rooms.

Miss Pelto had her tonsils removed on Saturday.

Students Soliloque.

I've lost my American History
I've lost my English IV
I've lost my Physiography
But I don't want to lose any more.

BEGINS IN BANK AS ASST. CASHIER

Recently the cashier of the State Bank of Shawmut, Mont., sent 400 miles to Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., for a capable assistant. B. A. Reidlinger, just finishing his course in Commerce, Banking and Business Administration, was sent.

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THE COUNTY RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers.
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Moses R. Landis to Inez Johnson, SW¼ Sec. 36, Goodridge twp. Consideration $500.

Paul A. Dahle to L. E. Miller, SW¼ Sec. 10, SE¼SE¼ Sec. 9, North twp., Consideration $22,000.

Albert L. Hanson to Henry Bjugen, NW¼ Sec. 32, Cloverleaf twp.

Sellwyn C. Christofferson to I. O. Swenson, NE¼ Sec. 25, Star twp.

Bessie Shied to I. O. Swenson, NW¼ Sec. 25, Star twp.

I. O. Swenson to August Garling, N½ Sec. 26, Star twp.

Trond P. Hamre to Charles Penaluna, N½ Sec. 29, North twp.

Ole Haraldson to John Ward, lots 28, 29, 30, 31, blk. 21, Red Lake Rapids. Consideration $1,000.

Gust A. Bang to Tallack Froisness, lots 9 and 10, blk. 14, Knox Add.

Christ R. and Arndt B. Johnsrud to Daniel and Silas Syverson, lots 10, 11 and 12, blk. 5, Porter's Add. Consideration $600.

Minnie Schrepel to Caroline Barlow, lots 2 and 3, blk. 17, Porter's Add. Consideration $2,000.

George A. Falder and wife to Wm. H. Frederick, SE¼ sec. 28 and E½ SW¼ sec. 28, North twp. Consideration $18,000.

Wm. H. Fredrick and wife to John Dare, SE¼ sec. 28 and E½SW¼ sec. 28, North twp. Consideration $24,000.

Alfred C. Olson to Michael Hanlon, W½SW¼ sec. 17, E½NE¼ sec. 19, W½NW¼ sec. 20; Norden twp. Consideration $6,720.

Victor Mosbeck et al to V. M. Healy, N½SW¼ and SW¼SW¼ sec. 8, Polk Center twp.

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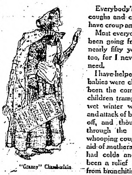

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Obituary.

John Rafteseth, one of the young farmers of this community, quietly passed away at his home north of town last Thursday morning, following a lingering illness from tuberculosis of the hip. John Rafteseth was born at Semnor, Norway, March 25, 1885, and when three years old emigrated with his parents to America. His death was the direct result of an injury received several years ago while acting as engineer on a dredge. On Feb. 26, 1918, he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Hanson of Grygla. Besides his wife there are left to mourn, his daughter, Irene Harriet, aged 2; an aged father and mother, seven brothers and sisters. The funeral was held on Tuesday and interment made in the Rindal cemetery.

Ole Steen, at his home south of town, gave an evening party last Saturday, with Olof Opseth, Herbert Carlson, Olof Nordhagen and John Sjolsvold as guests. The evening was happily spent at cards and a palatable luncheon was served.

Miss Esther Crown, in company with a friend from Thief River Falls, spent Saturday visiting Miss Ethel Kron.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at the Central school, Henry Stengelson and Chester Dols, students at Lincoln high school, Thief River Falls, arrived last Saturday morning to spend the Easter vacation at their respective homes.

A carload of feed and machinery was shipped in for the Melacheck family from New Prague. These people will live on the old Gullseth farm.

Miss Elsie Vorseth arrived Tuesday morning from Thief River Falls and will spend a few days visiting with Miss Gladys Sagmoen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanson left Tuesday morning for Euclid, where they will be employed during the coming summer.

The Mosbeck brothers moved on Tuesday to the John Bratrud farm, where they will make their home for the time being.

While enroute to the Farmers club meeting at Edgewood last Friday evening, a number of people from north of town had the misfortune to tip over their sleigh, resulting in the dislocation of an arm of Mrs. T. J. Taggart. Mrs. Taggart was taken to the Warren hospital, where she is being treated.

Emil Blomberg left Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls to undergo another operation on his arm, which was broken in an accident four months ago and which refuses to heal properly.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanson, Elmer Hanson and Miss Alice Mosbeck of Wylie arrived last Sunday for a few days' visit with the Victor Mosbeck family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cormican and two children of Stephen arrived last Saturday for an indefinite visit with Mrs. Cormican's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hasby.

Carl Hilliard of Thief River Falls spent Monday here in attendance at the Mosbeck auction sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lappegaard and children of Thief River Falls are visiting this week with the Ole Lappegaard and Peter Mellom families.

M. B. Rafteseth arrived on Monday from Hibbing to attend his brother's funeral.

The Geo. Shephard family, formerly of this place and for many years past residents of Montana, have leased land south of here this spring and have moved onto it.

Miss Violet Furan of Thief River Falls is spending the week with Miss Gladys Sagmoen.

Miss Bertha Remmem of Thief River Falls arrived Monday to spend part of her Easter vacation visiting with the Anton Gullseth folks.

Mrs. J. Hanson is spending the week here with her daughter, Mrs. John Rafteseth.

L. L. Furan returned on Monday from a two weeks' vacation spent at Slayton, Garvin and Red Wing with relatives.

Clifford Hasby, who has been employed near Stephen this winter, arrived Saturday evening for a short visit with his parents.

Mrs. Margaret Wendt and son, Walter, left Tuesday morning for Warren, where they will make their home on the Hall farm.

Supervisors B. P. Sagmoen and Alex Hellquist left Friday morning for Viking on business.

There will be no Farmers' club meeting on Friday, March 25, owing to Good Friday, but the meeting will be held on Friday evening, April 1, instead.

Howard Carlson arrived from International Falls last Saturday and will visit his mother.

L. L. Furan has refused the job as assessor of New Solum township, and Olof Opseth has been appointed in his place.

Mrs. Morris Halvorson of Viking arrived last Friday evening for an over Sunday visit with her father, J. E. Hellquist.

Willard and Burton Furan and Glenn Sagmoen left Friday evening for Thief River Falls to visit over Sunday at the Severt Benson home.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at the Busy Bee, is spending the vacation at Thief River Falls with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Jalmer Rafteseth and Jim Thompson were at Thief River Falls between trains last Friday to attend to business matters.

A number of the local young folks drove to Viking last Thursday evening to attend a moving picture play.

Mrs. A. T. Thoreson and daughter, Helen, returned on Friday from a week's visit with Mrs. O. H. Ryan at Thief River Falls.

A. A. Alby was a Warren business caller between trains last Thursday.

Victor Mosbeck, who had the misfortune of ripping his finger on a farm machine about two weeks ago, left Thursday for Thief River Falls to have the injured member given proper treatment.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson spent Wednesday evening at Thief River Falls attending to matters of business.

Miss Edna Rye of Conway, N. D., arrived Wednesday and will make her future home with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen. Miss Rye is a niece of Mrs. Sagmoen.

Miss Ella Nelson spent a few days the latter part of the week at the A. C. Vorseth home at Thief River Falls.

I. M. Westby returned on Friday from a few days' business visit to Goodridge, where he also visited his sons, Martin and Iver, Jr.

David Styrlund of Viking was in town the latter part of last week to visit and attend to business.

Mrs. A. S. Holm was a Warren shopper beween trains last Thursday.

Misses Minnie and Ida Sorenson left on Thursday for Thompson, N. D., where they expect to be employed during the coming summer.

Swen Swenson went to Thief River Falls on Thursday evening to attend to business and visit with the Brandon and Nylus families.

Miss Nina Westby shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Thursday evening.

The Furan and Sorenson garage is open again after being closed for a few weeks owing to the illness of Mr. Sorenson.

GOLDEN VALLEY

Mrs. Elon Newman has been ill for the past two weeks, being attended by Mrs. Warner for the past week.

What was thought to be a case of small pox in this vicinity proved to be a light case of scarlet fever. Many of the children in the neighborhood have had this sickness.

Vieda Tyson has recovered from the measles and is back at Mrs. Olaf Dahl's.

Alice Thyson is home from Thief River Falls spending the Easter vacation with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Huartson and Mr. and Mrs. Lubin visited at Bert Bernstern's on Sunday.

A number of his neighbors spent Saturday evening at Ed. Long's and partook of an ice cream and cake lunch.

VIKING

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn arrived home from Thief River Falls Monday morning to spend the Easter vacation with their folks. They were accompanied by their cousin, Miss Ruth Knudson.

Miss Helga Quindlog spent the week-end with her folks in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Gust Sustad called at Chas. Peterson's Friday afternoon.

Miss Clara Brink spent Wednesday evening with Helga Quindlog.

Mrs. Halsted left for her home at Thief River Falls Saturday evening after spending a couple of weeks at the Ed. Krohn home.

Carl Brink and Alexander Krohn visited at Egbert Malberg's on Sunday.

Miss Edith Edwards left for Warren after spending a week with her folks.

Young Peoples society was held at Malcolm Tangquist's Friday evening.

Mrs. Henry Anderson arrived from Warren Thursday evening to visit relatives here.

A few relatives were entertained at the Aleck Anderson home Saturday evening.

Services were held in the Swedish Mission church last Sunday. The services were conducted by Rev. Larson of Roseau.

Pontius Larson made a business trip to Viking Monday morning.

STEINER

Willis Warring has been hauling wood the past few days and butchering his hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Werner were shopping in Holt last Thursday.

Jessie Rogers, accompanied by Ruby Warring, called at the Meyers home Friday.

Ole Berg transacted business in Thief River Falls the past week.

Mr. Rogers and son, Emmons, were buying in Holt Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Agnes Warring was shopping at Thief River Falls last Friday.

John Whitman was a business caller in this place last week.

John Stein was trading in Steiner recently.

Ed. Copp transacted business and delivered cream in Thief River Falls last week.

Henry Rogers returned from North Dakota last Thursday where he has been for some time. Mr. Rogers will locate in that state in a combination blacksmith and auto shop in the near future.

Arthur Simonson has been hauling hay lately.

Vivian Copp, with a helper, has been hauling hay from his brother's farm.

The fields are bare at this writing. Good prospects for seeding in March this year.

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Legal Notices

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 99-100 (994.99) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due as of the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William G. Hunt and Harriet Hunt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, [illegible]

[illegible] cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 99-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 10th, A. D. 1921.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Thief River Falls, a Corporation, Assignee of the Mortgagee.

J. M. BISHOP, Attorney, Thief River Falls, Minn.

m-24-31-a7-14-21-28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Thirty-two and 81-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John C. Casey and Mary Casey, his wife, Mortgagors, to Geo. G. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1915, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 220, and

Whereas, the said Geo. G. Johnson, Mortgagee (his full true name being George G. Johnson) died on the 6th day of December, 1918 and at the time of his death was a resident of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota; and whereas, Perl W. Mabey was, in the proceedings had in the Probate Court of said Pennington County, appointed administrator with Will annexed of the estate of said George G. Johnson, Decedent, and duly qualified as such; and whereas, Letters of Administration with Will annexed of the estate of said decedent were duly issued to said Perl W. Mabey, by said Probate Court, bearing date the 13th day of January, 1919, a certified copy of which was duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 16th day of March, 1921 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "J" of Miscellaneous, on Page 140, and

Whereas, said Perl W. Mabey, as administrator with Will annexed of the estate of George G. Johnson, Decedent, did duly assign said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby to The Pennington County Land And Loan Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 6th day of June, 1919, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 18th day of March, 1921, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages, on Page 140 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-one (21), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of May, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $32.81, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, 1921.

THE PENNINGTON COUNTY LAND AND LOAN COMPANY, Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In the Matter of Donald F. Gillespie, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of Donald F. Gillespie, of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1921, the above named Donald F. Gillespie was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the City of Crookston, in the County of Polk, in said District, on the 12th day of April, A. D., 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend and prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. [illegible]

[illegible] Linde, Oscar Just Linde, Agnes Pauline Lovel (formerly Agnes Pauline Linde), Clara Oline Tessum, Colman Jefferson Linde, and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of John O. Linde having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of her estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 15th day of March, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Petitioner.

m17-24-31

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota; County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Bertha O. Swanson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to William A. Swanson,

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday the 13th day of June, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated March 7th, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate.

(Court Seal)

H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney.

m10-17-24

Citation For Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Maxine Elizabeth Johnson, George Wayne Johnson and Helen Lucille Johnson, Minor Wards.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of the above named minor wards.

The State of Minnesota to Maxine Elizabeth Johnson, George Wayne Johnson, Helen Lucille Johnson and Lucille E. Johnson, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said minor wards. The petition of Lucille E. Johnson as representative of the estate of the above named minor wards, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said minor wards described therein be sold and praying that a license be to her granted to sell the same:

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of April, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 7th day of March, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate Court.

(Court Seal)

PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Petitioner, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

m10-17-24

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It is a serious risk to sow any grain without first testing it for germination in wet blotting papers.

All of the pupils in our rural schools know how to do this. Count one hundred seeds just as they come, into a blotting paper which has been moistened. Fold over like a book, wrap in oil paper or cloth, invert a strip of rag about one inch wide by ten inches long exactly like a lamp wick. Wet the whole test and then place so that the wick hangs in a glass of water, keeping the whole thing damp for several days. Open after the fifth or sixth day and count the strong, weak and dead kernels. This will give you the percentage of germination. If you want to see how strong the grain is, turn the test inside out without disturbing it and the kernels will grow into green shoots. They ought to grow three or four inches tall before beginning to bend over. It is very important that you should know the vitality of your seed. Sowing more seed when poor is not the way to do it.

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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

Emil Granis was in Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bakke of Grygla were in town Wednesday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Clarence Jacobson left Wednesday for Clearbrook where he will visit relatives before he leaves for Conneaut to install Midget Flour mills again.

P. O. Tvedt went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening and returned Thursday morning.

Miss Knutson, county nurse, was in town Wednesday and Thursday enroute to different schools in the surrounding county which she visited.

Mrs. A. G. Turnbull and Mrs. R. P. Turnbull were visitors in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Hilda Christianson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening returning Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Iverson left Wednesday for Grafton, N. D., after a visit with relatives in this vicinity for the past month.

Anton Lien was a business caller in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Osthy of Thief River Falls visited at the M. G. Thorson home Thursday.

Miss Marie Nelson arrived home from Thief River Falls to spend the Easter vacation with relatives.

George Johnson of Grygla was in town Friday on his way to Thief River Falls to spend a few days.

Mrs. Arthur Sheldrew of Grygla, was in town Friday enroute to Thief River Falls to receive medical attention.

Prof. B. O. Norby left Friday evening for Fosston to visit his parents during the Easter vacation.

A. B. Mandt was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Misses Teresa Giefer and Sarah Vaughan left Friday evening for Thief River Falls where they will spend their Easter vacations.

Miss Johnsrud arrived Friday from Thief River Falls and will spend the Easter vacation at home.

Miss Louise Besancon arrived Friday evening from Thief River Falls where she attends high school and will spend the Easter vacation at the home of her parents east of town.

Miss May V. Wilde left Friday evening for Thief River Falls enroute to Oklee to visit friends a few days.

Elmer Danielson arrived last week from Wisconsin and has secured employment in the creamery.

Oliver Resan was in Thief River Falls last Saturday attending to business matters.

Wm. Limesand was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Ted Sandberg was an over-Sunday visitor in Thief River Falls.

M. J. Lysbakken, the land man, attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Albert Johnson of Germantown was in Saturday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Joe Christianson was a Thief River Falls caller Saturday.

The Misses Eleanore Bauer and Mildred Argall left Friday evening for Thief River Falls enroute to Bemidji, where the former will spend the Easter vacation with a sister, and the latter will visit friends for a week or two.

Little Agnes Anenson left Saturday morning for Mavie to spend the vacation week at home.

Henry Olson returned Tuesday from Bemidji where he has been employed in the woods.

Daniel Payne and niece, Marie Wayne, left Saturday evening for Germantown to visit relatives for a week.

John Sund took a stage load of people to Grygla Friday evening to see the wrestling match.

P. O. Tvedt and Albert Halverson made a trip to Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. Gerrault left Friday afternoon for Germantown to visit over Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt are the proud parents of a son, born in Thief River Falls Friday, March 18.

Herbert Race arrived home Monday from Oklee to visit relatives for a few days.

Carl and Maynard Sundahl of Thief River Falls were in town Monday working on the storage batteries at the mill.

Marshall Race arrived Monday from Thief River Falls where he is attending high school and will spend the Easter vacation at home.

Fred DuChamp of Mavie was in town Monday evening between trains.

Three of the bus drivers were plucky enough on Tuesday to brave the storm and bring the children in on record time. Mr. Kusmark, Mr. Besancon and Mr. Fagerland were all here before 9 o'clock.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Poppenhagen, Friday, March 11, a son.

Rev. Hanson was a Thief River Falls visitor on Thursday.

Alois Srnsky attended to business matters in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Miss M. Tanem was in Thief River Falls Monday shopping.

Wm. Gaylord was a business caller at the county seat on Monday.

Chris Urdahl attended to business in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Ben Habedank made a trip to Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Mrs. Fred Neilson and daughter were Thief River Falls visitors on Monday.

Thor Thronson and family of Malcolm were in town Monday enroute to Clifford, N. D., to make their future home.

M. O. Seavey, Oliver Resan, George Josephson, Evered and Lawrnece Seavey went to Thief River Falls Sunday to get their horses that have been in the woods during the logging season near Bemidji.

P. O. Tvedt was a Thief River Falls visitor on Sunday.

Christ Christianson returned Tuesday from Thief River Falls, where he had been in the hospital for five weeks with a smashed arm. He left for his home at Thorhult.

Miss Lottie Cummings returned on Tuesday from Detroit, where she had been visiting relatives, enroute home to Germantown.

Mrs. M. G. Thorson and daughter, Vivian, were in Thief River Falls on Tuesday shopping.

Lyceum Number.

The fifth and last number in our Lyceum course will be here Wednesday evening, March 23rd. A male trio under the name of The Temple Trio, will appear.

School Notes.

The teachers all left Friday evening to visit relatives or friends during the week of Easter vacation.

A special meeting of the school board was held on Tuesday and a bid was accepted from the Northwestern Trust company of Minneapolis for the $10,000 bonds recently voted in this district. Within a short time the money will arrive.

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. Alfred Aubol returned the latter part of the week to her home at Erie, after spending a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Swenson. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Hannah, who will visit for an indefinite time at Erie.

Mrs. Alma Aannette of Bemidji, transacted business here from Thursday until Friday of last week.

James Amble returned Wednesday to Grand Forks, N. D., having been called here by the illness of his infant son, who passed away a week ago.

Miss Anna Stokkestad returned on Saturday from Thief River Falls where she had visited since Thursday.

Miss Olga Lindquist, engaged in teaching at Thief River Falls, came Friday to spend Easter vacation at the parental home west of town.

Mrs. A. W. Hawie came Saturday from Crookston for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Enoch Sundholm and at the parental home west of town.

The Misses Myrtle Gigstad and Esther Hovet, students at the Moorhead normal, came Saturday to spend their Easter vacation at their parental homes.

Miss Hulda Pearson, who has been employed at Fort Francis, Canada, arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Pearson.

Mrs. William Olsen and son, Harwood, were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. G. Mathison and Miss Clifgaard of Hazel, are now nicely settled, having opened a millinery shop in the rooms adjoining Henry George's store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson and sons, Carl and Wallace, visited and shopped between trains at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Hulda Gigstad, teacher in the public schools at Moorhead, came on Saturday to spend Easter vacation at her parental home.

Phillip Jacobson returned Monday to his home at Biwabik, Minn., after a short visit at the G. Lindquist, A. Jacobson and V. Brink homes.

The Misses Sylvia Pierson and Adelia Maland, were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Kalland returned Saturday after a week's visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Janda, who resides east of Thief River Falls.

B. T. Johnson and little daughter, returned Monday from an over Sunday visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

Jas. A. Dahl transacted business at Thief River Falls Saturday.

The Misses Gertrude and Lucile Blaska, the former who teaches school at Red Lake Falls, the latter a student at the Thief River Falls high school, are spending Easter vacation at the parental home.

A six pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stearns of Minneapolis Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Stearns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Simonson, where Mrs. Stearns has been spending the past three weeks.

Miss Olive Patterson, who is engaged in teaching in the public schools at Roseau, is visiting at the parental home until over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Patnode and children and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Benoit, returned Monday from an over Sunday visit with friends and relatives at Red Lake Falls.

August Rolland, who is employed at Hibbing, came Monday, being called here by the illness of his baby daughter who passed away Saturday.

Rev. C. M. Grimsrud and Mr. and Mrs. A. Odegaard returned the latter part of the week, after being in attendance at the circuit meeting held at Holt.

Miss Lulu Allen is spending Easter vacation at the parental home, coming from Lancaster, where she teaches in the rural schools.

The many friends of Miss Selma Hoff will be pleased to know she is recovering after having been ill for the past week.

Mrs. Richard Wallen returned Monday from Thief River Falls after a short visit at the Henry Ebbighausen home.

Joe Hauge returned Saturday evening after transacting business at Bemidji.

A number of St. Hilaire people journeyed Saturday evening to Thief River Falls by the special train and took in the basket ball game between Crookston and Thief River Falls.

Helen Claris, the four-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Rolland, died Saturday morning following an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were conducted from the Norwegian Lutheran church Monday afternoon and interment made at Riverside cemetery. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud officiated.

The Girls' basketball team journeyed Friday to Middle River, accompanied by Miss Forbes, where they played a return game with the Middle River high, losing by a score of 4 to 8, having won the game previous on the home floor.

John Brevik arrived Monday from Minneapolis, where he has been employed the past season, for an indefinite stay at home.

Miss Martha Satterberg was a Thief River Falls shopper Saturday.

W. A. Leibhart returned Monday to Ladysmith, Wis., after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corbet.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Emil Ristau spent a few days visiting with friends at Thief River Falls last week.

Milton Nelson returned home from Warren Thursday where he has been employed.

Hans Dahl was a caller in Goodridge Monday.

Marie Wayne, who is attending school at Goodridge, arrived here on Thursday to spend her Easter vacation. She was accompanied by Daniel Payne.

Albert Johnson spent last week visiting at the Limesand home.

Little Fred Haberstroh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haberstroh, passed away last Thursday evening after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services took place Saturday afternoon. Deepest sympathy is extended to the parents and relatives in their bereavement.

Fred Larson visited at the Henry Longevan home Wednesday.

Mrs. Martin Johnson returned home from Warren where she has been a patient at the hospital for several weeks.

Miss Della Roller left for Thief River Falls one day last week.

Misses Mildred Nelson and Anna Kotlan visited at the W. Norlund home Wednesday evening.

Miss Anna Kotlan visited at her parental home at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. A. Johnson visited with Mrs. Martin Johnson Sunday.

Hilbert Bervie, who is employed at Thief River Falls, spent Sunday at his parental home.

Mrs. Christ Nelson and daughter, Edith, are spending a few days at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Gehart and Silva, were guests at the L. Bendickson home on Saturday afternoon.

STEINER

John and Soren Bergland of Thief River Falls came to Steiner on the Great Northern passenger Wednesday noon.

Julius Liden was a business visitor at Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Rustenbakken of Montana recently moved to the former John C. Christianson farm a few miles southwest of Steiner. Mrs. Rustebakken is a sister of Mr. Christianson.

Charley Swanson spent Thursday evening visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem.

Dr. O. F. Mellby of Thief River Falls was a professional caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem recently, looking after their youngest son, Allan, who was seriously ill.

G. L. Leisner, former Steiner merchant but now of Thief River Falls, was at Steiner last week.

C. A. Swanson of this place was

Julius Liden was a caller at Rosewood Saturday afternoon.

Among those who attended the Mosbeck auction sale near Rosewood on Wednesday.

Mrs. P. B. Malberg and son, Cyrus, were visitors at the Pennington county seat last Wednesday.

Rail Notes

Thief River Falls travelers over the Soo Winnipeg division during the past week were: Albert Carlson to Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Carlson to Fordville; Viola Lund to Minneapolis; Maverette Hilson to Warren; Louis Quinley to Warren; Avlina Rupprecht to Viking; Walter Jonas to St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Swanson to Warren; Arthur Berg to St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Elofson to Ardoch; Victor Polman to Minneapolis; Milton Lund to Minneapolis; Mrs. F. C. Dablow to Detroit; Marie and Charles Dablow to Detroit; Francis Ohm to Bemidji; Mrs. O. J. Erickson to Detroit.

F. M. Chaffee, agent at Detroit, was in Thief River Falls over Thursday night.

O. F. Ehlers, agent at Alexandria, spent Wednesday in Minneapolis.

G. Eliason, Soo roadmaster who makes his home at Detroit, was at Chicago over March 16 and 17.

E. J. Langevin, operator at Detroit, spent Thursday with his parents at Thief River Falls.

C. W. Stewart, operator at Mahnomen, spent the week-end with his folks at Thief River Falls.

H. A. Moline, night warehouse foreman here, has been absent from duty several days during the past week on account of sickness. T. E. Berge, night yard clerk, was also absent for three days for the same reason.

H. B. Pfeiffer, relief agent at Plummer, spent Sunday at Detroit.

H. C. Krause, agent at Omemee; H. Pavek, agent at Gardena; T. E. Chaffee, agent at Cramer; D. B. Evenvold, agent at Russell; C. E. Streck, agent at Greene, and E. J. Abbott, agent at Tolley, attended an O. R. T. meeting at Kenmare on the night of March 18.

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NINTH DISTRICT WOMEN VOTERS WILL MEET HERE

Delegates From Every County Expected to Be Present Next Monday and Tuesday.

School of Instruction in Voting and Speakers' Training Course Are Features.

Two of State's Best Known Women Speakers to Deliver Addresses—The Program.

The Ninth district League of Women Voters will hold a school of instruction here on Monday and Tuesday, April 4 and 5, with delegates from every county in the district present. The general public is invited to attend the four day-meetings at the Commercial club rooms and the Monday evening banquet at the Brumund hotel. A special invitation is extended to the men of the city. The purpose of the conference is in the main to acquaint the public with the aims of the organization, about which a great deal of misunderstanding exists.

Speakers' Training Course.

Miss Emily Kneubuhl, state director of political education and one of the most talented women speakers of the Northwest, will conduct a speakers' training course at the Commercial club room on Monday and Tuesday mornings between the hours of ten and eleven. Those wishing to take advantage of this opportunity are requested to notify Mrs. E. M. Stanton, as the course is limited to twenty persons daily.

Miss Margaret Wells of Minneapolis, president of the Minnesota League of Women Voters, will speak at the Monday afternoon meeting and at the evening banquet on the relations of the League to the political parties. The complete program for the two conference days is as follows:

Monday, 10 to 11 a. m.
Speakers' Training Course—Miss Emily Kneubuhl.
Monday, 2:30 p. m.
Music.
"Co-operation"—Mayor John Bratrud.
"The League of Women Voters of the 9th District"—Mrs. H. W. Froehlich.
"The New Voter, Her Opportunity"—Miss Marguerite Wells.
Music.
Monday, 7:30 p. m.
Banquet at Brumund Hotel.
Music.
"Political Education for Women"—Miss Emily Kneubuhl.
"Relation of the League of Women Voters to Political Parties"—Miss Marguerite Wells.
Tuesday, 10 to 11 a. m.
Speakers' Training Course—Miss Emily Kneubuhl.
Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.
Music.
"Women in Legislative Work"—Mrs. J. M. Bishop.
"Community Organization"—Miss Emily Kneubuhl.
Five minute talks by out-of-town delegates.
Question Box.
Music.
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.
Mock City Election.

Committees in Charge.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, county chairman of the League, is in charge of arrangements for the two days. Mrs. Guy Halvorson is in charge of the musical section of the program. Mrs. Scott Laird is publicity director. Mrs. L. H. Lawrence and Mrs. C. T. Christianson have in charge the arrangements for the Monday evening banquet. Mrs. Victoria McKinney, Miss Carrie Trogan, Miss Una Nelson, Mrs. J. O. Sether and Mrs. Robert Vance make up the boosters' committee.

Other county officers of the League are: Miss Sarah Vaughn, first vice president; Miss Una Nelson, second vice president; Mrs. Scott Laird, secretary; Mrs. Gaston Ward, treasurer. Mrs. J. M. Bishop is chairman of the legislative committee, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg chairman of the public health committee, and Mrs. Daniel Shaw chairman of the American citizenship committee. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich is chairman of the executive committee of the Ninth district.

NORWAY SONS BUY DAVIS AVE. SITE

Contemplate Erection of Up-to-Date Club House in Ideal Location Shortly.

Snore lodge, Sons of Norway, this week purchased from the Tessum Seed, Grain and Supply company, the triangular piece of property lying east of Davis avenue at the end of Third street, and will erect thereon a modern club house. The site is one of the most desirable to be found in the city for a building of this kind and is directly across the street from the plot acquired earlier in the season by the Elks lodge for a similar purpose.

Direct management of the new property has been placed in the hands of nine members of the lodge and an incorporation formed as a holding company, of which the following have been elected officers: Bernhard Knudsen, president; Edward H. Ness, vice president; T. J. Reierson, secretary; Lars H. Larson, treasurer. Added to these as a board of trustees are Jorgen Eide, E. K. Aasen, C. C. Gulrud, Ole C. Nesja and H. S. Dahlen.

The corporation has a capital stock of $15,000, practically all of which has been subscribed and will be paid in as demanded. Whether or not building operations will be begun this coming summer has not yet definitely been decided upon, btu it is the intention to begin the erection of a modern building for housing the Sons and Daughters of Norway lodges as soon as conditions seem favorable.

The purchase of this property by the lodge assures the improvement of that section to a great extent. It is certain that the Elks will take steps to erect a club house as soon as conditions become a little more settled and as the properties practically adjoin the improvements will mean much to that part of the city.

SCHOOL FACULTY WILL BE SEEN IN FAMOUS COMEDY

"Charlie's Aunt" to Be Presented Next Wednesday to Help Athletic Association.

Members of the faculty of the Thief River Falls schools will present the farcial-comedy, "Charlie's Aunt," at the city auditorium on the night of April 6, the proceeds to go to wipe out a deficit existing in the high school athletic treasury. The play is being produced under the direction of L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the Lincoln high school, not as a dramatic work but purely for entertainment purposes and as the most feasible means of assisting in the furtherance of athletics in the school. Part of the present indebtedness existing in the department was carried over from last year.

A special matinee for school children will be presented at 3:30 Wednesday afternoon at the nominal price of ten cents per admission. No reservation of seats will be made for the evening performance, when a general admission of 50 cents will be charged.

An added attraction for the evening presentation of the comedy will be the new city orchestra of 20 pieces which makes its first public appearance. The orchestra was organized early in February and under the direction of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, has been making marked progress. Music lovers of the community are promised a pleasing surprise in the first appearance of the musical organization.

"Charlie's Aunt" is full to the brim of great laugh material. It is the tale of three young college fellows who get up a big reception for a promised visit of a wealthy aunt of one of their number. Auntie at the last minute wires that she will not be present, but the college men, thinking the arrangements for the reception have progressed too far to withdraw, prevail upon a gentleman friend to impersonate her. Complications, not to mention jealousy, enter into the affair when the fiances of the three youths take a sudden fancy to the "aunt." The climax is reached when the lady herself appears upon the scene. The cast is as follows:

Steven Spettigue, Oxford solicitor ---- Clarence Pope
Col. Sir Francis Chesney, late of the Indian service ---- Albert Tommeraasen
Jack Chesney, Charles Wykeham, Lord Fancourt Babberly, undergraduates St. Olde College, Oxford ---- F. A. Tripp, J. J. McCann, G. B. Melby.
Brassett, college scout ---- Carl Sundahl
Donna Lucia D'Alvadorez, from Brazil ---- Edna Riff
Kitty Verdum, Spettigue's ward ---- Margaret Mealey
Amy Spettigue, Spettigue's niece ---- Irene Patrick
Ella Delahay, an orphan ---- Olga Lofgren

MEETING HERE OF DISTRICT PASTORS

President I. T. Anstad Among Those Who Will Attend Devotional Meetings.

Pastors of the Thief River Falls circuit and others will meet in Trinity Lutheran church next Tuesday for a devotional meeting that will be in session three days. The opening sermon of the conference is to be delivered by Rev. A. N. Skogerboe of Erskine, a former pastor of this city. The portion of Scripture chosen for discussion is Paul's epistle to Titus, second chapter, eleventh to fourteenth verse. The introductory address on this passage will be given by Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire.

Wednesday evening divine services will be conducted by Rt. Rev. I. T. Anstad, president of the Northern Minnesota district. Other pastors to be in attendance are: Rev. Annestad, Roseau; Rev. Hagen, Pine Creek; Revs. Olson and Bernhards, Greenbush; Rev. Gjerde, Thief River Falls; Rev. Ordahl, Holt; Rev. Saebo, Mavie; Rev. Hanson, Goodridge; Rev. Anderson, Grygla, and Rev. Hougen, Fergus Falls. The public is most cordially invited. It is hoped that attendance will be large at every session of the conference.

Thos. H. Smith, banker at Mavie, was in the city Tuesday on a business mission.

EQUALIZING TAX FIRST DUTY OF NEW ASSESSORS

Chairman Lord of Tax Commission Says Absolute Impartiality Must Be Used.

Speaker of Opinion That Not Forty Per Cent of Moneys and Credits Are Listed.

Poor Man Almost Certain to Be Hit Hardest Unless Assessor is Very Careful.

Samuel Lord, chairman of the Minnesota Tax Commission, spent Monday in conference with the township, village and city assessors at the Pennington county court house, bringing out during the course of his talks many interesting facts regarding the constitutional provisions for property assessment, together with the duties of the assessor and of the property owner. Twenty-three assessors of the county were present. The meeting was held for the purpose, as Mr. Lord styled it, of so instructing both newly elected assessors and those holding over from former years that every taxpayer will have his property measured in a half bushel container identically the same as that in which his neighbor's is measured. The Minnesota statutes now provide that such meetings be held once a year in every county in the state.

The commissioner opened his discussion with a brief statement regarding the importance of the position which the property assessor now holds because of the increase in tax rates. He stated incidentally that a tax rate of 100 mills on the dollar was no longer unusual in villages and cities of this and other states. Twenty-six hundred assessors are now required yearly to list the state's property.

Personal properties, moneys and credits and property improvements, or destruction of the same by fire or storm, are all that will be listed during 1921. Mr. Lord placed great stress upon the value of proper assessment of moneys and credits, inasmuch as they are in the possession of those best fitted to contribute to the country's support. It was his estimate that less than 40 per cent of such assets are now being listed. He also stated that mercantile assessments were as a rule the most unequitable and advised that merchants be persuaded to show annual invoice sheets, inventories of goods received and sales sheets in order to assist the assessor in arriving at a proper valuation of stock. As a remedy in case merchants refused such a request, he suggested that their assessments be made high enough to assure their cooperation for another year. The law now provides that buildings or improvements destroyed during the year by storm or fire will not be included in assessments.

Mr. Lord said that the state tax commission has discovered after several years of nivestigation that larger property owners are given the "best of the deal" as to assessments in every locality of the state and that its mission at this time was to see that proportionate values are maintained in all cases. He personally visited 33 counties during the investigations and in 66 comparisons of the assessed valuations of wealthy and poor discovered that in every case the wealthy property owner was not paying his proportionate share of taxes. He recommended arbitrary assessments large enough to bring the owner before the county board of equalization, or even the state tax commission, in cases where proper information could not be secured, adding that few people realized that they were punishable for the offense of gross misdemeanor for misstatement as to their property values or failure to give such.

Many questions were asked by those in attendance during the course of the conference, which was five hours in length, and were met with a ready answer by Mr. Lord. Assessors present were:

Emil Larson, Bray; Harold Holmes, Black River; J. M. Schie, Cloverleaf; Ed. Rustan, Deer Park; E. H. Besancon, Goodridge; Sever Nilson, Highlanding; Julius Olson, Hickory; Joe Kilen, Kratka; M. O'Leary, Mayfield; G. K. Haavi, North; G. J. Nordhagen, Norden; Oscar Peterson, Numedal; A. C. Hullstrom, Polk Center; J. C. Tangen, Reiner; J. W. Denhart, River Falls; F. T. Satre, Rocksbury; Eric Anderson, Sanders; Lewis O. Stenseth, Smiley; P. A. Peterson, Silverton; Elias A. Peterson, Wyandotte; M. O. Seavey, village of Goodridge; Carl Johnson, St. Hilaire; Lars Backo, Thief River Falls.

STAFF HOME GIVEN BOARD'S APPROVAL

New Structure to Cost $30,000 Will Be Erected This Summer at Oakland Park.

The board of directors of the Oakland Park Sanatorium district on Friday approved the plans and specifications for a staff building to be erected on the sanitorium grounds here during the coming summer. The plans must further be approved by the state board of health as to proper sanitation, by the advisory committee of the state as to the fitness of the proposed building for housing tubercular patients and medical staff, and by the state board of control, through which state moneys will be appropriated. The construction and equipment of the two-story brick building, which is patterned after the sanatorium proper, will be financed by the state and the sanatorium district composed of Red Lake, Marshall, Roseau and Pennington counties, the state paying one-half and the district one-half.

Bids on the construction of the staff building will be heard during the latter part of April, following the approval of the plans by the above mentioned state boards. The specifications as now drawn up call for its completion by October 1 this year. It was originally estimated that the construction work alone would cost $35,000, with an additional $5,000 for proper equipment. Sund & Dunham, Minneapolis architects who drew up the plans, have lowered the estimate to $30,000.

STATE ENGINEER IS SPEAKER AT CLUB LUNCH THURSDAY

C. A. Forbes Explains Workings of Babcock Law—Grain Embargo is Requested.

The attendance at the Commercial club weekly luncheon last Thursday established a record, over 70 business men being present. The serving of the noonday meal was accomplished with such dispatch as to allow practically all of those in attendance to remain for an excellent address by Charles A. Forbes, civil engineer for the state highway commission, and the brief but snappy business session which followed.

Mr. Forbes, whose work with the highway commission has extended over a period of years, during which his services have been invaluable, is well known to many residents of Thief River Falls and Pennington county. He spoke of the history of his department from the date of its establishment to the present time and explained briefly the objects to be accomplished in the years to come, dilating upon the working of the Babcock plan as adopted for the construction of 7,000 miles of highway within the state. Much credit for the successful administration of department affairs during the years following its formation, he said, was due to the unceasing efforts of G. W. Cooley, pioneer commission engineer. He lauded the accomplishments of C. M. Babcock as Minnesota state highway commissioner, together with his staff of assistants, and explained many of the problems confronting the state senate in providing for the operation of the good roads amendment.

Very little actual construction work under the new law will take place during 1921, according to Mr. Forbes, though projects already under way will be carried to completion. It is estimated that the state will derive over $6,000,000 this year from the automobile tax. The federal government appropriations will increase this to over $8,000,000, of which at least 20 per cent will be devoted to maintenance purposes. It is also planned to reimburse counties for the cost of construction work already done on roads taken over by the state.

Arterial highways leading into Thief River Falls were placed in the "hard surfaced" class, when the visiting engineer in response to questioning stated that hard surfacing would first be undertaken on those roads which carry an average traffic of over 500 vehicles per day. Should the city pave Main avenue, over which the Jefferson highway passes through Thief River Falls, reimbursement could be secured from the state under the Babcock amendment as originally proposed. Mr. Forbes stated that he was not aware of any changes having been made in that regulation. Appreciation of the speaker's visit and talk here was expressed through a rising vote of thanks by his audience. A short business meeting followed.

Isak Helseth, revolving committee chairman for Thursday's meeting, stated that it was an opportune time for the club to go on record as taking some stand on the city paving problem. When the matter was put to a vote every club member present rose to his feet as signifying his approval of paving the streets of the business section during the present summer.

On motion made by W. B. Fuller and seconded by F. J. Stebbins, and without discussion, a resolution was passed, urging the placing of an absolute embargo on the importation of all cereals and cereal products and expressing the belief that the life of the farming and business interests of the Northwest is being jeopardized by unfair foreign competition. Daniel Shaw, H. O. Chommie and W. J. Brown, having been appointed as a legislative committee, were given the matter in hand to redraft the resolution and forward copies to other commercial clubs of the Northwest and to congressmen.

N. J. Silk Named Member of Park Board by Mayor

N. J. Silk has been appointed to the city park board by Mayor John Bratrud vice Dr. G. W. Booren, whose term expired recently. The board is now composed of the following members, their terms expiring in the years noted: Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, 1922; Dr. C. R. Crandall, chairman, 1923; Emil E. Zeh, 1924; N. J. Silk, 1925; Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, 1926.

LEGION QUINTET CLOSES SEASON; ARE CHAMPIONS

Thief River Basketeers Rightly Deserving of Championship of Northwest Minn.

With Total Score of 506 Against 197 For Opponents, Title is Unchallenged.

Crookston Co. I Men Dropped Out of Running Upon Forfeiting Game to Locals.

The Thief River Falls Legion basket ball team has closed its 1920-21 season, Manager G. W. Connell officially announced on Saturday. The last game was played here on the night of March 19 with the Company I quint of Crookston, the visitors forfeiting the laurels. With 14 victories to their credit out of 14 starts made during the season and having cleaned up everything in northwestern Minnesota, as well as several Dakota and southern Minnesota teams, the Legionnaires are easily entitled to the championship of the northwestern section of the state. The Company I team, the only formidable claimant for the title, ceased to be in the running after having been defeated once on their home floor and once on the Thief River floor. The last game was played to a tie and forfeited to Thief River Falls when Crookston refused to allow her players to continue.

The season has been a successful one in every way, for which much credit is being given G. W. Connell, coach and manager. The Legion treasury is to the good, record crowds having turned out for every game played here. Gate receipts indicate that over 7,000 persons witnessed the many clashes which have been, with but few exceptions, of the highest order. Residents of the city and all Pennington county are unanimous in their approval of the brand of basket ball played by the Maroon and Gray and in the statement that the city auditorium this year has been the scene of the finest in the way of sportsmanship—and of the poorest at times. The seven men who constitute the playing force have been outweighed man for man in every game, emerging victorious on each occasion through a thorough knowledge of the game, speed and good team work. Each of the seven men has starred in one or more games, though Carlson, right forward, undoubtedly takes the higest honors. The spirit of the community which has backed the team found expression at a recent meeting of the Commercial club, when plans were formulated which will result in that organization feteing Perry Johnson, who has refereed all games, Coach Connell and the players, who are: Irving Carlson, Ray Kiland, Guy Johnson, Reuben Hadrath, Alvin Holzknecht, Dennis McGinn and Gordon LaBree.

Following are victories which the champions have to their favor, listed in the order played:

Fosston Legion, 24 to 16.
Crookston Company I, 31 to 29.
Grand Forks Y, 44 to 6.
Bemidji Legion, 41 to 18.
Ada Legion, 51 to 12.
Detroit Legion, 67 to 7.
Greenbush City, 53 to 18.
Excelsior Independents, 40 to 22.
Excelsior Independents, 31 to 11.
St. Paul Company G, 29 to 20.
Minot Independents, 32 to 28.
Minot Independents, 23 to 18.
Fosston Legion, 38 to 11.
Crookston Company I, by forfeit, 2 to 0.
Total points, 506 to 197.

Henry Eide Buys Business Block; Will Occupy in Fall

Henry Eide, traveling salesman for an Eastern novelty house, with headquarters here, on Tuesday purchased of W. F. Tank the building on Third street at present occupied by the Laird Specialty Shop. It is known that Mr. Eide contemplates establishing himself here in a retail business but not earlier than this coming fall; Scott Laird, proprietor of the Specialty Shop, will continue to occupy the building until June, when his lease expires, and perhaps until later.

The one-story brick building is of modern construction throughout, having been built by Mr. Tank, Fergus Falls tailor, in 1915, at which time he expected to open an establishment here. The former proprietor spent Monday and Tuesday in Thief River Falls for the purpose of closing the deal.

DANGER IN TELLING TRUTH IS EXPOSED

Elks Will Try to Prove That Strict Veracity is Not Always the Safest Policy.

The first reading of "Nothing But the Truth," a three-act comedy to be staged by the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks about the middle of April, took place at the Elks' club rooms on Monday night. The cast of ten characters will be made up entirely of local talent. Roles will be definitely determined as a result of try-outs now being conducted. Immediately upon securing the desired cast, work on the comedy will be pushed in order to secure its presentation as early as April 15. It will be produced under the direction of L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the Lincoln high school.

"Nothing But the Truth" is described as being a play that will first make the comedy hound sit up and take notice and then collapse in his seat from sheer mirth. It tells the story of four young brokers who, becoming saddled with an almost overwhelming load of Quick Silver stock certificates, endeavor to unload by the most nefarious means. One of their number, displeased with that process, engages his partners in a discussion, the upshot of which is a bet of $10,000 that he can get through a twenty-four hour day without telling a lie, even of the whitest variety. Trouble starts at once and continues to pour down upon his head when his sweetheart asks him what he thinks of a most weird creation which she is wearing for a sky-piece.

An evening of exceptional entertainment is promised.

ALL DONATE WHEN GIRLS SELL TAGS TO HELP CHINESE

Secure $117.49 in This Manner Saturday, Bringing City's Total to Near $300.

On Monday a draft for $265.89 went forward from Thief River Falls to E. W. Decker, treasurer of the Minnesota branch of the American Committee for the China Famine Relief fund. That amount represented the contributions of the community for the relief of the starving yellow hordes of North China. Of this sum, $48.40 was deposited during the past month in a contribution box placed in Lambert's drug store, $117.49 was the proceeds of the tag sale conducted here on Saturday by members of the Girl Scouts with the assistance of members of the Girls Community club, and the balance of $100 was donated by the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross.

Credit for the success of the drive is to be given to Mayor John Bratrud, who has given the work his personal supervision. Roy Lambert acted as treasurer for the Thief River Falls committee. The following girls, assisted by Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Mrs. Emil Zeh, Miss Ida Tandberg and Miss Carrie E. Trogan, conducted the tag sale on Saturday: Lilly Robert, Melvina Rupprecht, Maverette Hilson, Margaret Melgaard, Harriet Morgan, Ersyl Anderson, Rose Flynn, Maxine Johnson, Muriel Loken, Ella Monsebraaten, Esther Bennes, Elizabeth DeCremer, Ruth McGilvery, Georgia Coyle, Dorothy Fuller and Ellen Crandall.

In addition to the above named sum the churches of the city have responded liberally to the call of the yellow race. Their contributions were forwarded through denominational charity organizations but were credited to the general committee fund. It is estimated that the total sum sent from Pennington county for the China Relief fund is upwards of $500.

Two Important Dates For Local Elks to Remember

Tomorrow night Thief River Falls lodge of Elks will install officers for the coming year. The meeting will be the first held in the new quarters in the Citizens bank block and it is expected that there will be a record attendance.

The official house warming will take place on Friday evening, April 8, when the Elks and their ladies will enjoy themselves at a grand masquerade party. The committee in charge promises that this will be an event long to be remembered in the annals of the Elks lodge. It is expected that the members residing in nearby towns will be on hand in larger numbers than ever and special efforts will be made to see that they have a good time.

The new Elks quarters present a most inviting appearance. Repainted and revarnished throughout, the rooms are light, airy and pleasant. A refreshment stand handling candy, cigars and soft drinks has been installed and is in charge of E. M. Korstad, who will be found on the job from noon until midnight.

Uncle Sam's Assistant Gets Transfer to Arkansas P. O.

Miss Anna Brokke, for the past six years a member of the Thief River Falls post office staff of clerks, left on Tuesday evening for Little Rock, Ark., where she will make her future home. Miss Brokke, a Pennington county girl, as one of Uncle Sam's assistants has won the esteem of the entire community and her smile will be missed by those who approach the wicket for a "couple o' twos." She has been transferred to the post office at Little Rock, in which city a brother and sister make their home.

Last in Winter Series of Banquets Called Off

The last of a series of lecture-banquets given here during the past two months by the Merchants association of the city has been indefinitely postponed, it having been decided that the season has become so far advanced as to materially affect attendance. The last banquet was scheduled to take place at the Hotel Evelyn on the night of April 6, with M. C. Elmer of the Department of sociology of the University of Minnesota, as guest of honor and speaker of the occasion.

PAVING FIGURE FOR WORK HERE EXTREMELY LOW

Contracts Let in the Northwest Since March 1 Are at Considerably Higher Figure.

This is Proven By Jobs Awarded Warren Bros. in Ramsey County and at Ashland.

Expert Says Thief River Falls Price is Best That May Be Quoted For Three Years.

Mayor John Bratrud is in receipt of a communication from O. C. Olson, an official of the Warren Brothers Bitulithic Paving company, whose branch offices are at Minneapolis, in which the letter quotes *prices on paving contracts let since* March 1. The prices quoted offer some interesting side lights on the paving controversy as it exists in Thief River Falls today. The body of Mr. Olson's letter follows:

"We received a contract at Ashland, Wisconsin, about 30,000 yards, at a price of $4.22. This is on a 6 inch concrete base, with gravel for the mineral aggregate, which gravel is dredged out of the lake which borders on the city of Ashland.

"We received a contract last Saturday from Ramsey county for the White Bear road, 73,000 yards, at a price of $4.19 per yard. This is on a 6 inch concrete base, using a limestone aggregate which is quarried in the city of St. Paul.

"Yo uwill note from both of these prices that considering the fact that your contract is on the basis of a 6 inch base, using granite, your price is lower than either the price at Ashland or St. Paul. The price on the rock alone is from $1.50 to $1.75 per cubic yard more at Thief River Falls, and of course freight rates are higher on practically everything.

"I am positive that your price is lower than any price which will be given this year and it must also be taken into consideration that the price at Ashland and St. Paul are lower than prices prevailing a little later in the season, when contractors will not be as hungry for work as they are now, these two contracts being the first to be let in Minnesota and Wisconsin so far this year.

"I shall be glad to keep you posted on future lettings, but as above stated I can assure you that you have as good a price as you will be able to get in the next two or three years, and better than you would be able to get this year.'

The city council entered into a contract with the Bitulithic Contracting, Limited, of Winnipeg, Canada, for the construction of approximately 24 blocks of paving at a price of $3.98 per square yard for bitulithic and a five-inch base, 20 cents additional to be paid for a six-inch base, and 30 cents additional for the use of crushed granite as a mineral aggregate instead of gravel as originally proposed.

Many Hear A. E. F. Story As Told By Salvationists

A large audience assembled at the city auditorium on Tuesday night to hear Commandant and Mrs. J. W. Hale of the Salvation army talk of their experiences while serving with the late American Expeditionary forces in France and Germany. Both Salvationists served many months in and near the battle fronts where the fighting was hottest and are gifted with the power of relating the story of their life there in a telling and interesting manner. The speakers of the evening were introduced by Mayor John Bratrud in a short address.

Buy Spokane Hotel Lease.

The following is taken from the Spokane (Wash.) Daily Chronicle: "For a consideration of $15,000 Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ludtke of Hibbing, Minn., have purchased the lease and furnishings of the Dunsmuir apartments, E. 21 Second avenue, from George Dunham. The purchasers have been hotel operators in Hibbing for several years and will make their permanent home in Spokane. They took possession of the Dunsmuir immediately." Mrs. Ludtke is a sister of Leonard DuChamp of Thief River Falls and the daughter of Mrs. J. A. DuChamp of Mavie, where she formerly made her home.

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the American Legion met at the home of Mrs. L. H. Lawrence yesterday afternoon. At this meeting Mrs. J. M. Bishop gave a report of the state executive committee, she having met with the board a short time previously. The remainder of the time was spent in discussing ways of raising money and also kinds of entertainment for the monthly open house meetings. The session closed with the serving of a delicious lunch by Mrs. Lawrence.

Erecting New Residence.

The Prichard company on Wednesday began the excavation work for the basement of a residence for H. A. Pratt at 240 Markley avenue north. The building will be a bungalow costing in the neighborhood of $5,000. The same concern is submitting estimates on several other structures to be erected in the city in the near future.

Society and Club

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Social Welfare section of the Woman's club will be postponed on account of the school of instruction to be held here on Monday and Tuesday.

For Ruth Loken.

Mrs. H. O. Loken will entertain a number of "little tots" Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Ruth. The hours will be devoted to the playing of games.

Mrs. Mogensen to Entertain.

A number of ladies will be informally entertained by Mrs. E. O. Mogensen at her home on LaBree avenue Saturday afternoon. Needlework will be the diversion.

Miss Hamry Entertains.

A few young ladies were informally entertained by Miss Effie Hamry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Richardson on Thursday evening. The hours were spent in needlework.

Entertains.

Honoring Mrs. Wm. Boreen of Minneapolis, Mrs. George Nicholson entertained a number of ladies at her home on Friday afternoon. Needlework and conversation were the chief diversions.

Miss Culver Entertains.

Miss Frances Culver entertained a few friends at cards on Saturday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Thackery, Mrs. Hal Stanton, Alice Welch, Joseph and Max Dumont of Chicago.

Sunday School Entertained.

Miss Thelma Christianson was hostess to the members of her Sunday school class at her home on Friday evening. Music and games furnished the entertainment. A delicious lunch concluded a most successful party.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. M. Aalberg informally entertained a few ladies at her home Friday afternoon in compliment to Miss Regina Halvorson of Badger, who was a guest at the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson the latter part of last week.

Luncheon.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson entertained a few ladies at a luncheon at her home Wednesday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. C. E. Russell of Superior, and Mrs. Wm. Boreen of Minneapolis, who were guests of friends here last week.

Banquet at Brumund.

Misses Caroline Wells and Emily Kneubahl will be honor guests at a banquet to be given by the League of Women Voters at the Brumund hotel on Monday evening. Both men and women who are interested are invited to be present.

U. C. T. to Have Party.

The U. C. T. lodge will give another of their successful parties at the Masonic hall on Saturday evening. Dancing will make up the chief entertainment for the occasion. All members and their families and friends are invited to be present.

Pleasantly Surprised.

In commemoration of the birthday anniversary of Rev. O. J. Lundell, a large number of friends of the family gathered at their home unannounced on Tuesday evening. Chas. Gustafson read from the Scriptures and stated in well chosen words their purpose in coming. Brief talks were also made by Messrs. Schermer, B. Swanson and Gustav Anderson. A liberal sum of money was presented to the honored guests by A. Eklund, as a token of their love and esteem, for which Mr. Lundell expressed his thanks to all. The ladies' quartet rendered several good selections, after which lunch was served by the ladies.

Birthday Club Has Party.

The members of the Birthday club met at the home of Mrs. Scott Laird on Tuesday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The members, besides Mr. and Mrs. Laird, include Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero. A large birthday cake was a feature of the event.

Frye-Austin.

On March 28 occurred the marriage of Harry Frye of this city to Miss Nelida Austin of Crookston at the last named place. The newlyweds are well known here, the bride having visited her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, on several occasions. The marriage comes as a complete surprise to everyone.

Basket Shooters Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell entertained the members of the Legion basket ball team at a 7 o'clock dinner at their home on Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for Irving Carlson, Alvin Holzknecht, Dennis McGinn, Ray Kiland, Reuben Hadrath, Gordon LaBree, Guy Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hermanson.

Easter Party.

Misses Olive and Evelyn Carlson delightfully entertained about twenty of their young friends at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carlson, on Thursday afternoon. The decorations were in keeping with the Easter season and a color scheme of yellow and white prevailed in the serving of a lunch at five o'clock.

Young People's Program.

Next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock the young people of the Presbyterian church will give a full program. The Junior choir will render a cantata and the Sunday school will present two playlets, one depicting conditions in Alaska and the other a sketch from Siam. The church gladly keeps open house for all who wish to attend.

Bridge Club Entertained.

The members of the Tuesday Night Bridge club and those who had substituted on several occasions were guests of Mrs. Victoria McKinney, Mrs. Beatrice Hieber and Mrs. W. H. BonDurant at a 6:30 o'clock dinner at the home of the latter on Tuesday evening. The hours following dinner were devoted to bridge. Prizes were won by Mrs. L. F. Fisher and F. J. Stebbins.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club meeting has been postponed for a week because of the school of instruction to be held in the Commercial club rooms on Monday and Tuesday afternoons and evenings. All club members are urged to avail themselves of the privilege of attending these meetings, as two of the most prominent workers in the League of Women Voters will be the principal speakers.

Birthday Surprise.

A successful surprise party was that given by several of the young folks for Mrs. Scott Laird at her home on Monday afternoon in commemoration of her birthday anniversary. A delightful supper, prepared by the guests, was served at six o'clock. Places were arranged for Alice Gobler, Beatrice Sandum, Marjorie Hoppa, Ariel Kinghorn, Ella Monsbroten, Lucille Roark, Isabel Richter and Mrs. Laird.

Birthday Party.

Sunday being the eighth birthday anniversary of Melford Haugen, eleven of his young friends were entertained at his home that afternoon. Much merriment was created with various games until the lunch hour. Those present were Amber and Violet Prugh, Irene Haugen, George Lambert, Ralph Lieberman, Merle Johnson, Arthur Myrum, "Buster" Lane, Ardell Rupprecht, Clarence Rasmussen and Hartman Larson.

Junior-Senior Banquet.

An event which is being looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure by the younger set is the Junior and Senior banquet which will be given in the auditorium on the evening of Saturday, April 2. Elaborate arrangements are being made by the Juniors and from every indication the affair *promises to be one of the most* successful ever held in this city. A splendid program has been arranged which will include vocal and instrumental solos and readings. Refreshments will be served.

Dancing Party.

The J. M. Bishop home, 121 Duluth avenue north, was the scene of an informal gathering of the younger set on Saturday evening. Dancing, cards and music made up the pleasures of the hours. During the course of the evening delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Bishop. Those present were Misses Grace Wilson, Meta Kiland, Florence Aalberg, Grace Iverson and Florence Gallagher, the latter of Cass Lake; also Messrs. Guy and Perry Johnson, Ed. Brevig, Morlan Bishop, and George Borden of Brooks.

Firemen's Ball.

The post-lenten season was ushered in with the firemen's annual dance at the city auditorium on Monday evening. The large ball room was crowded from the start and remained so throughout the entire evening. The program of music, which included the latest dance hits, was played from 9 until 2 by Snyder's five-piece orchestra. The hall had been appropriately decorated for the occasion. Among the special features for the events were prize dances, quadrilles and polkas. Lunch was furnished by the Lady Foresters in the basement of the auditorium.

Provencher-O'Neill

It is announced to relatives here that the marriage of William Provencher, son of Julian Provencher, of this city, to Miss Gertrude O'Neil, daughter of former Senator and Mrs. D. P. O'Neill, of St. Paul, takes place today at Minneapolis.

City News

A. S. Wilson of St. Hilaire called on friends in this city on Tuesday.

J. E. Maney came down from Grygla on Tuesday to attend to business matters.

Ed. Stokke, local agent for Dr. Peter's Kuriko, Ole-Old Liniment, Mave Vigori and Uterine Tonic. m31p

A. J. Anderson and H. E. Mussey came down from Grygla the first of the week and spent a day here on business.

N. A. Nelson, George Biskey and N. E. Patterson, all of St. Hilaire, were in the city on Tuesday looking after business matters.

Mrs. Alex Strom, accompanied by her son, Lloyd, went to Minneapolis Tuesday evening. The latter will undergo an operation and it is their intention to be absent for two weeks.

In response to a telegram announcing the death of her brother, Peter Ryan, at Bird Island, Minn., Mrs. M. C. Burns left Monday night for that place. Mr. Ryan died following an illness of short duration, relatives here being unaware of his condition until the telegram announcing his death was received.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. A. Way, who have been spending the winter in California, returned to their home here on Monday. Almost the entire journey homeward was made by car.

Mrs. Wm. Warner returned to her home at Rollis yesterday morning after accompanying her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Loven, to this city for an operation. Mrs. Loven will remain in the local hospital for at least two weeks.

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Mrs. Carl Linder, R. F. D. No. 2, Box 44, Dassel, Minnesota, writes: "I want to thank you for your kindness and the good your remedy did me years ago. I am perfectly well and visiting in Spokane, Wash. Were it not for Pe-ru-na I would not have been able to make this trip. I always take your medicine with me for safety should I take cold. Praise to Pe-ru-na."

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CITIZENS STATE BANK

The New Kayser silk and fabric Underwear just received. New Ireland Gloves New Novelty Onyx Hosiery.

AFTER EASTER SALE! of New Spring Garments

This is headquarters for the women who wear a large size in a suit—just received 20 new stylish stout suits, priced at $35 to $65

Over 100 New Garments that came in too late for Easter included in this sale.

New Spring Suits at $25.00
New Spring Suits at $29.50
New Spring Suits at $35.00
Printzess Suits of Tricotine bought to sell for $67.50, Special $55.00

The Prettiest COATS AND WRAPS

Just received and will be offered at reduced prices—

Coats of Polo cloth, most of them full silk lined, 3-4 length, Special $13.75 All sizes to 42

Another group of coats made of velour and serge, Special $16.95

New Tweeds, full length serge coats for utility wear $16.75 TO $35.00

Beautiful Wraps of Bolivia, Romana and Tricotine at $35 TO $98.50

New Children's Spring Coats and Dresses At our usual Reasonable Prices

New 'Gob' & 'Jack Tar' Middies as well as the skirts to match. You'll be delighted with their workmanship and reasonableness.

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This Week Special Children's Sweaters in pull-over and button front styles, Special $1.98

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City News

G. M. Potter of Greenbush was in the city Friday on a business mission.

Miss Mildred Fellman of St. Hilaire shopped between trains here on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. L. Holbrook returned Monday to her home at Crookston after a week's visit in this city.

Miss Gena Legvold returned to her duties as teacher in the school at Hazel after a short vacation.

H. Oen of Park River, N. D., is spending the week visiting at the home of his uncle, Rasmus Oen.

Miss Olga Haverin arrived Saturday evening from Warren to spend an indefinite time visiting friends.

We clean and reblock men's hats. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

W. A. Ziegler, city superintendent of schools, returned Sunday morning from Minneapolis, where he had spent a week.

Miss Cora Williams left Monday afternoon for Harlem, Mont., where she will spend the summer on her homestead.

W. J. Brown returned the latter part of last week from St. Paul, where he had spent a couple of weeks on business.

Mrs. Jennie Eastman and children returned Tuesday morning from Fargo, where they had visited over the Easter holiday.

Aug. Thone of Hazel visited with relatives here on Friday and Saturday. He returned to his home the first of the week.

Miss Olive Mickelson came down from Holt on Monday to attend to shopping. She returned to Holt on the following day.

W. A. Patterson, engineer on the electric line, left Saturday evening for the twin cities to visit for a few days with friends.

Earl Baker, a student at Dunwoody Institute, is enjoying a week's vacation visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker.

Theo. Tandberg spent the week-end visiting with his folks. He returned to his duties at the bank at Goodridge on Monday morning.

Miss Ruth Koepp, who is visiting at her home at Middle River during the spring vacation, was a shopper in this city on Monday.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, returned on Monday from St. Paul, where he had attended a Shriners convention.

Miss Lois Forbes, accompanied by Miss Anderson, both teachers in the school at St. Hilaire, were shoppers in this city on Saturday.

Harold Smithers, who had passed the Easter recess with friends at Minot and Enderlin, N. D., returned to this city on Saturday.

Attorney J. M. Bishop left Monday evening for Hobart, Okla., in response to a message that his mother was critically ill at her home.

W. Wishon and brother, Marshall, of Strathcona, were in the city Monday evening to attend the Easter ball given at the auditorium.

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn returned to this city Tuesday from Viking, where they had spent a couple of days visiting their parents.

Mrs. C. E. Russell and two children, who visited friends and relatives here for a week, returned to their home at Superior the first of the week.

Mrs. A. Anderson, who had visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre, for a week, returned to her home at Crookston on Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Warring returned Monday afternoon from Steiner, where she spent the Easter vacation. Miss Warring attends the local high school.

Mrs. M. Skogland, who had spent Easter as the guest of her daughter, Miss Edith Skogland, returned to her home at Roseau the first of the week.

Miss Mamie Zavoral left Tuesday afternoon for Melvin, where she is teaching school, after enjoying a few days' vacation here with her parents.

Miss York, chief operator at the Northwestern telephone exchange, returned yesterday morning after a short visit at Crookston with relatives.

Miss Vivian Swift, teacher of commercial subjects at the high school, returned on Monday from St. Paul, where she visited over the Easter vacation.

Miss Anna Bredeson, who is employed at Hallock, arrived here Saturday evening to spend Easter with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. August Bredeson.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she will spend an indefinite time with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren, who is ill.

Send your dry cleaning to us; we clean dresses, suits, waists, gloves, furs, and in fact everything that can be cleaned. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Selma Saustad of Holt spent a couple of days the first of the week visiting friends in this city. She left Wednesday for Detroit, Mich., where she will be employed.

Miss Nora Lindquist returned to this city on Monday to resume her studies at the high school, after a week's vacation spent in visiting at St. Hilaire with her parents.

Miss Evangeline Burns, who is engaged in teaching school at Lakota, N. D., arrived here Saturday morning for a two weeks' vacation. She will return the last of this week.

Mrs. H. Currier and infant daughter returned to their home at Red Lake Falls on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Currier had been confined in the local hospital for a couple of weeks.

All our dry cleaning is POSITIVELY free from gasoline odor. Send us a trial order and be convinced. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S m31tf

Miss Louise Erickston, student at the Moorhead Normal, returned to her studies Tuesday after a spring vacation of a week spent in visiting at the home of her parents, Chief of Police and Mrs. E. O. Erickson.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson, who has held the position as pianist at the Lyceum theatre for the past two years, has handed in her resignation to take effect April 1. Mrs. Erickson will devote her entire time to her class in music, which numbers forty.

I will sell at public auction on my farm, 6 miles east of Highlanding, all of my personal property consisting of horses, cattle, farm machinery and household goods, on Monday, April 4, 1921. Geo. Solberg, owner. Goodridge State Bank, Clerk, W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer. m31

Mrs. H. J. Hawley, who has spent a few days here visiting with numerous friends, returned to her home at Grand Forks yesterday afternoon. While here she was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mathews, Mrs. Hawley resided in this city three years ago and this is her first visit since her removal to Grand Forks at that time.

Misses Emma and Alma Bergstrom came down from their home at Warroad on Monday and spent a day as guests of Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichhammer. They left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to continue their visit with other relatives. They were accompanied as far as Crookston by Miss Austin, who will spend a few days there.

American Legion Corner

Suffering From Gas Effects.

Harold Provencher, chef at the Hotel Evelyn, is in Minneapolis undergoing observation preliminary to receiving treatment at the hands of medical authorities of the U. S. Public Health service. Mr. Provencher, formerly a member of Battery F, 151st Field Artillery, Rainbow Division, was gassed while his regiment was in action and has since been suffering from internal disorders.

Victory Medals Go Begging.

Difficulty is being encountered by the war department in getting service men of the world war to take the Victory medals which congress authorized as a special distinction. Department officials state that the total number of medals so far issued is 1,500,000, though the estimates are that 4,000,000 men saw service in the war and consequently are entitled to the citation.

Department Rules on Athletics.

Athletics and other teams and bands using the name of the American Legion must be made up of Legionnaires, according to the ruling of the state executive committee. Previous to this ruling there was no authoritative decision to guide the Legion posts of Minnesota on this point.

War Trophies Hard to Get.

Until congress agrees upon the method of distributing captured Gerwhat type of war trophy is wanted and the town for which it is requested.

Adopt Disabled Soldiers.

Practically every disabled soldier in Minnesota hospitals has been adopted by some white-haired mother of the man war trophies, the only way a Minnesota town can secure its trophy is by having its congressman introduce a special bill naming exactly American Legion Auxiliary. These mothers are scattered all over the state, but the link that binds them to the boys could not be closer. Letters of cheer and encouragement are frequent and many tokens of motherly affection find their way to those sick buddies, with the help of Uncle Sam's postman.

1200 Heroes Honored.

Twelve hundred gold stars shine from a blue background on the huge service flag in the state historical building—symbol of Minnesota's sacrifice in the great war. But that is not all. New stars are being added as new names are received. Many are yet to be reported.

County in Drainage Area.

Out of a total land area of 388,480 acres, Pennington county has 349,624 acres within organized drainage enterprises, according to the preliminary announcement of figures for the last census sent out by W. L. Austin, chief statistician for agriculture. This is 90 per cent of the entire land area. The total cost of all drainage enterprises to Dec. 31, 1919, the date for which the figures are given, is placed at $603,019. The same report gives the timbered area of the county as 21,773 acres and the other unimproved lands as 131,532 acres.

Millinery Week

After-Easter Prices

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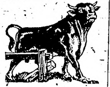

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Specially Priced Items For One Week, Commencing Friday, April 1st

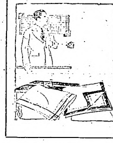

Handkerchiefs

30 Dozen Men's Fine White Handkerchiefs
A regular 10 cent seller, for one week, Each 5c

20 Dozen Men's Fine Sheer Lawn Handkerchiefs
A fine dress type of handkerchief to replace silk and formerly a 35c seller. Special for one week at, 2 for 25c, each 15c

15 Dozen Men's Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs
SECONDS. You would not think they were seconds unless told so. Handkerchiefs usually sold at 35c to 50c. Special for one week 3 for 50c, each 20c

1915 Prices on Work Shoes

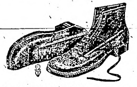

36 pairs Men's Solid Leather Work Shoes. These shoes are all leather, heavy leather soles, bellows tongue, blucher style, tan color, similar to army shoes. We have stocked and marked these shoes very low at $3.50 and will sell them for for one week at $2.95

Socks

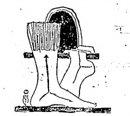

ENGINEER'S AND FIREMEN'S Work Socks, black only. Usually sold at 35c. For one week only 20c

Dress Gloves

One lot of Men's Fine Dress Gloves in odds and ends. Usually sold at $3.00 to $4.50. Fit yourself while they last at, per pair $1.95

Blouses for Boys
"Kaynee" and "Ideal" Blouses for boys in light and dark colors 95c

Men's Dress Shirts

One lot of extra fine Dress Shirts, slightly soiled but otherwise first-class quality. These we will sell while they last at ONE-HALF OFF former selling prices:

$4.00 Shirts at	$2.00
$3.50 Shirts at	$1.75
$3.00 Shirts at	$1.50
$2.00 Shirts at	$1.00

Boys' Stockings
"Buster Brown" Stockings for boys, in all sizes, per pair 45c

SPECIAL FOR ONE WEEK
One lot of boys' heavy black Stockings, per pair 19c

ALL GOODS IN THE STORE NOW BEING SOLD AT THE NEW PRICES

Men's Suits now selling at $25, $30, $35, $40 AND $50

Rain Coats and Top Coats $18, $20, $22.50, $25 AND UP TO $50

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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SHOWING THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

The success of the noonday lunches served by the Commercial club must be a source of decided satisfaction to the originators of the plan particularly as well as to the members in general. Every Thursday a large part of the club membership gathers and partakes of an excellent lunch, after which topics of general interest are discussed. Arrangements have been made for feeding all the room will hold, but often it is impossible for those attending to be seated at one time.

This outcome is so different from what was expected that it is everywhere the subject of comment. It was freely predicted that not only would the luncheon plan prove a failure so far as accomplishing anything was concerned, but that after the first week there would be only a half dozen members showing up. Exactly the opposite is true. The attendance is steadily increasing and matters of most decided importance are being talked over and some disposition made of them.

It is certain that these men do not go to the club luncheons every Thursday simply to get something to eat. The probabilities are that they even would very much prefer to eat at home or at their usual boarding places. They have learned, however, that there is liable to be something going on in which they have an interest and intend to be on hand to find out what it is. They have never yet been disappointed, something of importance being brought to their attention at every meeting.

Now that such a good start has been made it is to be hoped that the work will be continued. It might even be enlarged upon to some extent with highly satisfactory results. There are any number of ideas that may be worked out along the lines now followed and these will be taken up in their natural order. For the present it is enough that everyone takes a genuine interest in the work of the club. When this is present everything else will follow in due time, while if interest is lacking nothing further can be accomplished in any direction.

EFFERVESCENCE.

The city of Greycourt, N. J., bemoans the fact that twenty dollar bills are a rarity there. Evidently they are still in circulation.

A prominent member of the University of Illinois faculty told the divorce court that his wife's love cooled after she met the local butcher in his refrigerator. The wife evidently was searcing for a cold shoulder.

Help! Help!

The St. Paul Dispatch says that there is pending in the Wisconsin senate a bill by Senator Bilgren which would impose upon bachelors a tax of "$100 in their thirtieth year, increasing $100 annually for ten years, then $200 annually for ten years, and $100 a year for the next ten years." Apparently at the age of sixty years the critter would be allowed to die if he wanted to—and still had the price.

The Cedar Rapids judge who attributed the great number of divorce cases heard during the spring court term to the "restlessness of the age" would have hit nearer the truth had he said "recklessness."

From a flask on a hip or a few stogies in a pocket, campaigning politicians have progressed to a pocketful of bon bons.

It doesn't pay after all, judging from the headline "Superior Woman Found Strangled to Death."

We are in receipt of queries as to whether or not the hazel twig will detect the presence of anything stronger than water.

The flag of the Irish republic will fly over the county court house at Milwaukee on April 4, when Miss Mary MacSwiney speaks in that city. Quite naturally the city hasn't been able to dig up the required flag.

Storage companies remain optimistic. As being appropriate to the season of divorce courts they run the ad, "Breaking up hosekeeping? Store your household goods with us."

There being little else left to worry about, great attention is now being given to the shoulder straps of m'lady's evening gown.

The weather which prevailed over the last week-end here brought forth the remark, "So long asz da vinter iss, ve need idt." Figure it out for yourself.

If eggs can be hatched in ten minutes time and "Rainmaker" Hatfield can cause it to rain at will, then Henry Ford can conjure up a tin bovine.

The man who looks longest at his dollars generally has the most dollars to look at.

Cool, Indeed!

It becomes our painful duty again to bring to light the fact that the editor of the Tuttle (North Dakota) Weekly Star has absented himself from that vicinity ever since the following appeared in his sheet a full half dozen years ago:

"At the burning of a barn in Steele recently our superintendent displayed some nerve and pluck. Miss Sherman did not wait for the men to get there, but hastened to the barn without stopping to dress, and in bare feet untied the horses before they had become unmanageable, thus saving them with little trouble. There is not a man we venture to say in all Steele but would have stopped to put on his pants before venturing out into the crisp air, but she did not, her whole thought being of the dumb animals imperiled, and it was, indeed, a nervy and cool-headed performance."

Retail Clerks, Attention!

The retail clerks' association will hold their regular meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall at 8 p. m., April 4. All members are requested to be present. A special invitation is extended to former members of the Retail Clerks' Union.

MORRIS LASELL, Sec.

Twin Boys Arrive.

Indications that this is a "twin year" are becoming stronger. Two boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Benson of this city on Saturday. Mr. Benson is a prominent dry goods merchant here and now the father of four sons.

RAIL AND SHOP

F. S. Dalton, agent at Fordville, spent Tuesday night at Thief River Falls.

W. R. Sheldon, traveling freight agent for this territory, died at his home at Minneapolis last Friday after an illness of but a few days.

D. C. Paine, operator at Thief River Falls, spent Easter at Erskine with his parents, being relieved by W. L. Presse.

F. C. Chandler, agent at Fonda, resumed work on March 24, vice W. L. Presse, transferred to Thief River Falls as operator.

O. F. Ehlers, agent at Alexandria, spent Wednesday at Buffalo.

R. P. Scott has been put on as warehouseman at Detroit vice W. T. Lawrence, granted a leave of absence.

C. W. Stewart, operator at Mahnomen, spent Sunday with his folks at Thief River Falls.

T. E. Berge, yard clerk here, underwent an operation for appendicits at the Physicians hospital on Friday. He was relieved from duty by Chas. Conner.

Thief River Falls travelers over the Soo Winnipeg division during the past week were: Mrs. F. W. Johnson to Minneapolis; George Erickson to Alexandria; Allison Stitt to Minneapolis; John Eliason to Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Erickson and son to Bronson; Mrs. John Dahl to Mahnomen.

Churches

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, April 3: Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services. Evangelists Seagren and Beckman will speak Tuesday, April 5, at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire: Sunday at 11 a. m. at Eastside school house and 8 p. m. in St. Hilaire. Young People's social Friday at 8 p. m. at Black River.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreldt, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 o'clock. There will be no preaching as the pastor goes to Roseau to install the new pastor there, Rev. M. Brammer of Humboldt. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Gus Wijkens.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Services in the American language at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting at the parsonage Thursday evening. The Ladies' Missionary society will hold a second spring festival Thursday afternoon, April 7. The society has already held one festival, but the proceeds, $42.00, were donated to the starving Chinese. At this second festival only free-will donations will be received. The proceeds will go to missions as in other years.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—The Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, March 31. Hostesses are Mesdames E. A. Mostue, C. Gulrud, J. Hermanson and C. M. Carlson. The Young Peoples League meets the same evening and is to be entertained by Misses Lena Lonson, Lena Evenson, Beatrice Erickson and Selma Rustebak. Catechetical class Saturday at 10 a. m. in the church basement. Divine services in English on Sunday at 11 a. m. In Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The quarterly business meeting of the congregation will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All voting members are requested to be present.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, April 3, 10 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship, "How Jews Were Transformed Into Christians." Holy communion. 8 p. m., evening hour of worship. A cantata by the Junior choir and two pageants or playlets by the Sunday school. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. Senior C. E. 7 p. m. "Thy Kingdom Come in My Community." Matt. 6:7-15. Consecration meeting.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. Services at Norden 2 p. m. Services in city at 7:45 p. m. Services at Rindal church, Rosewood, April 10 at 11 a. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid at Rosewood meets at the Mrs. Even Anderson place Tuesday, April 5, at 2 p. m. Ladies' Aid at Goodridge is entertained by Mrs. Urdahl at 2 p. m., Wednesday, April 6. The girls' sewing circle meets at the T. Stageberg home Thursday evening, March 31. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Em. Mn. Vasvig will conduct meetings in the church beginning Friday, April 2 at 2 p. m. and continuing for a week.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject for Sunday, April 3, "Unreality." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same place is open every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

S. D. A. Mission—Service as usual on Sunday evening, April 3, at 7:45. Subject of unusual interest will be presented. Sabbath school Saturday, April 2 at 2:00 p. m. with services in the English language at 3 o'clock. There will also be Bible studies in the English language on Wednesday evenings at 7:45. To these services the public is cordially invited.

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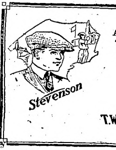

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On April 6th at Thief River Falls, Minn.
On April 8th at Grygla, Minn.

A big day at both places, to all farmers interested in knowing the latest improvements in farm machinery.

This is to be our spring opening and general demonstration day. Two of the Managers of the International Harvester Co., of America will be here, also a number of other prominent leading men in the machinery world. Short but very interesting talks will be given by these men, and we assure you that it will be worth your time to spend the day with us.

Our machinery will be arranged in such a way that same will not only be on display, but a number of machines such as Cream Separators, Fanning Mills, Feed Grinders and Washing Machines will be coupled up to Gasoline Engines and shown in actual demonstration, besides a number of machines torn down to give these visiting men an opportunity to explain how made and why so made, etc.

As a matter of showing our good will, and an additional inducement to have you with us on these days, we are going to give away free of charge on each of these days, a Washing Machine or your choice among a number of other articles should you not care for the washing machine. Your chance of winning this Washing Machine can only be considered, however, by your registering your name at our office. So be sure and register.

Everybody welcome.

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Utility Ginghams	19c
Flaxons	29c and 39c
44 inch Imported Swiss Organdies	98c
Colored Voiles	49c
J. C. Penney Co. Satin	$2.49
Tricollette	$1.85
Coats' Spool Cotton	5c
Coats' Crochet Thread	11c

Crown Window Shades	58c
Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	
6x9	$7.50
7½x9	$9.90
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Men's Dress Shoes	$3.98 to $8.90
Men's Work Shoes	$1.98 to $4.98
Men's 8-in. top brown Elk	$3.98
Ladies' Dress Shoes	$3.98 to $7.90
New Pumps and Oxfords	$2.98 to $6.90
Ladies' Comfort Shoes	$2.49 to $4.98
Boys' Shoes	$2.35 to $4.50
Girls' Shoes	$1.98 to $3.98
Children's Shoes	$1.85 to $3.49
Infants' Shoes	95c to $1.98

Clothing	
Men's Pay-Day Overalls, 220 Denim, Union Made	$1.25
Jackets same price.	
Boys' Overalls	89c, 98c, $1.19
One-piece Khaki Work Overalls	$2.98
Children's Play Suits	73c
Chambray Work Shirts	69c
Rockford Sox	15c
Men's Dress Shirts	98c, $1.98, $2.98
Collars, soft or starched	19c
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Summer Union Suits	98c to $1.69
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ity News

We do sponging and pressing on rt notice. Thief River Dress Club, 2 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Ethel Keller, who is engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of Wylie, was a shopper in this city on Friday between trains.

Mrs. S. Leiren and little daughter, who had spent a few days at Holt visiting relatives, returned to their home here on Saturday.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn arrived the latter part of last week from Viking for a visit with her daughters, Misses Violet and Myrtle, over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ebbighausen and two children returned Monday morning from Crookston, where they had spent Easter with relatives.

Leland Schuster, who attends the North Dakota University, spent a few days here this week visiting his parents during the spring vacation.

Miss Ann Thoraldson left Sunday evening for Fosston after a week's visit at her home here. Miss Thoraldson teaches in the public schools at Fosston.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and children returned Monday morning from Fisher, where they had visited since the previous Thursday at the home of Mrs. McFarland's parents.

Among the out-of-town contestants who were present at a party given by Misses Olive Evers and Luella Bender at the Northwestern conservatory was Edward Fiterman of this city. *Miss Bender is secretary of the* school, while Miss Evers is president.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Roy Brown, employed at the Great Northern, was an over-Easter visitor at his home at Grygla.

Miss Olive Wing of Middle River is spending the week as a guest of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley.

Miss Alice Hall, who had spent a day here receiving dental treatment, returned on Saturday to her home at Middle River.

Miss Helga Quindlog, who teaches at Viking, arrived the latter part of last week to spend a week visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson, accompanied by Miss Laura Forde, left last Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit her parents over Easter.

Miss Edna Anderson, who spent a week visiting at her home near Wylie, returned to this city on Friday. Miss Edna is a student at the local high school.

Mildon Boreen arrived the latter part of last week from Minneapolis for a brief visit with numerous local friends. He returned to his home on Tuesday.

Richard Aakre arrived on Friday from Crookston, where he attends the the farm school, and left that day for his home near Goodridge, where he will spend the summer.

Mrs. C. B. Bradley and two children, accompanied by her sister, Miss Olive Wing, were passengers to Middle River last Friday morning to spend a day visiting their parents.

Miss Esther Sundahl, who teaches at Bronson, *arrived the latter part of* last week to spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Sundahl.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen arrived last Thursday from Grand Forks, where she attends the University, for a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen.

Misses Lillian Poppitz and Irene Patrick, who visited the latter's parents at Hinckley for a week, returned to this city on Monday morning to resume their duties at the high school.

Miss Marguerite Burns arrive Friday morning from Grand Forks to spend the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns. Miss Burns attends the University of North Dakota.

Mrs. W. J. Foley and little son, "Billy," who had visited with friends in this city for a month, returned on Saturday to their home at Rainy River, Ont. While here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink.

Mrs. Ole Ristad of Murdock, N. D., arrived the latter part of last week in response to a wire announcing the precarious condition of her mother, Mrs. R. Olson, who is ill with pneumonia. Her sister, Mrs. A. Waller, of Mainsmade, N. D., is also in the city.

E. P. Modin of Middle River was a business caller in this city Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. E. Richards of St. Hilaire was among the numerous out-of-town shoppers here on Friday.

We do repairing, relining, put on velvet collars, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Frank Jeffers, register of deeds of Red Lake county, was a business caller in the city on Saturday.

Misses Mildred Pellman and Margaret Patterson of St. Hilaire spent a short time shopping in the city Saturday.

Miss Phyllis Dock, who was a guest of friends at Crookston over Easter, returned to her home here the first of the week.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mrs. S. Scottem and Mrs. J. King returned to their home at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon, having spent the day shopping and receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. O. Oseth arrived Saturday morning from Halstad and visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Hermanson, until Tuesday, when she returned to her home.

Miss Viola Nepper, who went to her home at Superior to visit over the Easter vacation, was unable to return to her duties at the Northrup because of a nervous breakdown.

Mrs. Wm. Comstock returned to this city Tuesday afternoon from Rollis, where she had spent a couple of weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warner.

Miss Regina Halvorson, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson in this city, returned Monday morning to Badger to resume her school work.

Mrs. C. G. Matson and baby, accompanied by her niece, Miss Irma Thompson, who had been her guest, left Thursday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Josephine Nelson left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will be joined by her sister, Mrs. L. A. Larson, and together they will continue to Fargo to be the guests of relatives.

Miss Myrtle Erickson, who had attended the agricultural college at Crookston, arrived Friday and left the same day for her home at Erie, where she will remain until school reopens in October.

Harold Schmidt, accompanied by Otto Tolley, both dental students at the "U," completing their course this spring, were in the city a few days last week looking over prospects for a suitable place to locate. Mr. Schmidt is very well known to many in the city, having attended the local high school for four years and graduating with the class of 1916.

Misses Marie and Ruth O'Brien of Greenbush were guests of friends in this city Thursday and Friday.

Misses Marian and Ella Miller returned Monday morning after spending a week with friends at Minneapolis.

Miss Ingaborg Dale left Sunday evening for Fosston, where she is teaching, after having spent a week visiting her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Effie Frederickson, who teaches at Bronson, was a guest at the M. W. Brink home Saturday enroute to St. Hilaire to visit her parents over the Easter holidays.

Ed. Loven returned to his home at Gatzke Saturday morning, having been here since Wednesday. Mrs. Loven is confined at the local hospital following an operation.

Morris Mabey and Norbert Holzknecht went to Erskine Thursday evening to meet the latters' sister, Miss Frances, who was enroute to her home to spend the Easter vacation.

Miss Frances Christianson of Angus was the guest of her friend, Miss Frances Holzknecht, over Easter. Both young ladies returned to Angus on Tuesday, Miss Holzknecht being engaged as teacher in one of the rural schools near there.

Miss Frances Holzknecht, who is engaged in teaching at Angus, is spending the week visiting at her home here.

Miss Phyllis Curtis, a student at St. Olaf, Northfield, is spending the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Curtis.

Mrs. Augusta Anderson, teacher at Kennedy, was a shopper in this city Saturday enroute to her home at Steiner to spend the Easter vacation.

G. B. Mellby, instructor in science at the local high school, returned on Monday morning to resume his duties after spending a few days in the twin cities.

Miss Margaret Mealey, a member of the local teaching corps, returned Monday morning from Minneapolis, where she spent the Easter vacation at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Anderson of Middle River are in the city, being called here because of the serious illness of the latter's mother, Mrs. P. Olson, with pneumonia.

Miss Florence Aalberg returned to Erskine Sunday evening to continue her duties as instructor in domestic science in the high school, after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Trine Aalberg.

MRS. J. M. CRAIG, of Los Angeles, Calif., who says no one can feel more grateful for what Tanlac has done than she does. Has gained twelve pounds and health is better than in years.

"Of all the people who have taken Tanlac I don't believe there is anyone who feels any more grateful to it than I do," said Mrs. J. M. Craig, of 674½ E. 40th Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

"I suffered from nervous prostration and was so weak that I could not even sweep the floor and during the day I would have to lie down four or five times. I tried to walk, but found out that half a block was all I could stand before I would give out. Nervous spells came on me often. Finally my husband urged me to try Tanlac and I am indeed glad he did, for it proved to be just what I needed.

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"It enabled me to sleep soundly at night and I have gained twelve pounds. That was several months ago and from then until now I have been in as good health as I ever was in my life. I have told all of my friends and relatives what a wonderful medicine Tanlac is."

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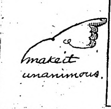
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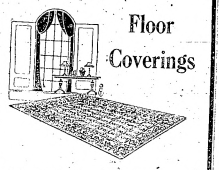

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WHY NOT STUDY?

Why have so many of us only in a small degree, and some not at all, the desire for studying while we are in school? What can be done to remedy this malady which is such a great detriment to our success in school and in our later life work? These are questions asked especially by our teachers who feel the burden of responsibility in the development of the high school students.

One of the main factors in this development is to stimulate a desire for studying. This has been the object of much consideration by instructors, and resulted in various methods being tried in order to bring out the desired attitude on the part of the student.

The chief reason for this careless and indifferent attitude is the fact that many students have not the realization of what they are in school for. Some seem to think they are here for the welfare of the teachers. The student of today also searches for almost elimination of that phase of education which requires work in the form of study. Lessons and assignments given to the students for their own benefit—not the teachers'—are being resented, and attempts are made to evade them as much as possible. If we are in school for the purpose of learning and being educated and developed, we seldom, if at any time, have any reason for grumbling or "kicking" in regard to the work we are going to perform.

At the universities the person who doesn't apply himself to his studies, or in other words is unwilling to work, is undesirable and usually has to move to give place for other more industrious students. This, it is said by those who have had the experience, is the main difficulty that high school students have to contend with and overcome when they attend more advanced institutions of learning, where there is less "pushing" by the teachers.

It appears, then, that the solution to the uncertain problem of success in general is to WORK and at school in particular to STUDY.

Why not acquire the habit of studying? The benefits will be manifold, and there will be less cause for gnashing of teeth or wailing on account of "flunks" or low averages. It is absolutely essential for a student's success, therefore consider it.

In connection with this matter it may be of interest to note what some of the instructors at the University of Minnesota are doing to "make 'em study." The following is an article from the Journal, which tells some of the methods used:

"New methods of stimulating in students the desire for studying are always being sought by members of the faculty at the University of Minnesota.

"Conversely, new short cuts in the matter of studying, sometimes to the point of almost eliminating that phase of a college education, is being constantly searched for by students.

"There are two unwritten laws that regulate both student and instructor at the university. The student must not get too low an average in his work and the instructor must not get too many "flunks" in his classes.

"C. L. Holmes, assistant professor in agricultural economics, is said by students to mark very severely papers in the first examination of the course. This almost always, it is said, produces good results because no person likes to face a flunk in a subject from the very start. D. D. Mayne, principal of the school of agriculture, calls his roll at the beginning of the class period by a short quiz. Dr. Charles P. Sigerfoos establishes an atmosphere of uncertainty and mystery as to when quizzes will come. This causes studiousness, students aver. But he sometimes uses tactics far more effective than that.

"'The reason for your uncalled for grade,' he once told an unhappy biology student, whom he was using as an example in one of his classes, 'is either from lack of application or from lack of brains. If it's application you had better get busy, but if it's brains—'

"L. L. Bernard, professor of sociology, believes that the Missouri system, which operates on the theory that certain percentages of every class are destined to get a certain grade, establishes such a spirit of competition among students that they need little urging to study.

"Dr. E. J. Durand, professor of botany, not only checks up carefully on marks but also on attendance. A subject, to be mastered correctly, must be taken in class is his theory, and he grades accordingly.

"Dr. C. O. Rost, assistant professor in soils, probably has the most unusual method, students say. He tells every student personally who needs a little bracing up.

"'You are right on the ragged edge,' he says firmly. 'A word to the wise—.'

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS.

Interest has been somewhat lacking in athletics during the past term. The exact reason is not clearly known. A number of rousing mass meetings have been held, but seem to be of little use in arousing enthusiasm among the students.

Athletics is considered one of the *highest assets of a high school, and* determines the tone of the student body.

A team of men play, not merely for the honor and pleasure that is derived from it, but to give and leave honor with the school which they attend.

The prospects for next year's team are good. With enthusiasm throughout the school, and in every student, the honors that our team may win for our school are unlimited.

We have the material.
Let's have the spirit.

We are now entering upon the last lap of the school year 1920-21. We have yet two months left of school. What shall we do with them? We can use the remaining weeks in such a way that they will be of little significance; on the other hand, by reviewing and completing our subjects so that everything we have learned this year will be indelibly fixed in our minds, we may make them the most fruitful of the whole year. The result of our further efforts will depend almost entirely on the length of our own plan, or the objective which we have in mind. If our sole aim is passing the state exams and getting our credits, we may expect that our studying will serve us as far as the end of the year, and no farther. But if we study and finish up our courses with a view of fitting them into our future career, we may be certain of lasting benefits and adequate returns.

Although the coming spring months may be more productive of laziness and indolence than the past winter months, we must remember that the true success is the man or woman who overcomes all obstacles and retarding influences, and profits by them.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short

What Every Girl Can Do Before She is Fifteen

The Girl's World can suggest 15 things every girl can do before she is 15 years of age. Not everyone can learn to play and sing or paint well enough to give pleasure to her friends, but the following "accomplishments" are within every girl's reach:

Never fuss or fidget.

Never keep anyone waiting.

Shut the door, and shut it softly.

Have an hour for rising, and rise.

Always know where your things are.

Learn to make bread, as well as cake.

Keep your room in a tasteful manner.

Never come to breakfast without your teeth brushed.

Never go about with your shoes unbuttoned.

Never let a button stay off more than twenty-four hours.

Speak clearly enough so everyone can understand.

Be patient with the little ones, as you wish your mother to be patient with you.

Never let the day pass without doing something to make someone comfortable.

The girl who has thoroughly learned all of these fifteen things, might be called "A Mistress of Arts."

Coming of Spring.

Out stepped a pussy willow one day,
From its bud it peeped as if to say:
Spring is here again, with balmy air,
Oh, wake my sleepy mates and take
a dare.

Out popped they, one by one,
All came to peep at the sun.
And glorious was the whole day long.
For next came the thrill of the bluebird's song.

Sinking was the snow drift, sinking
away,
As the snow was melting under the
sun's bright ray;
Tripling and dripling the water was
flowing,
Softly and softly as the breeze was
blowing.

All was stirred when the pussy willow dared,
To peep at the sun to show that they
cared.
For the birds cheered the world with
their song,
While the sun made a brook run
along.

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Personals.

Mildon Boreen, member of the class of '20 and now attending the University of Minnesota, visited with relatives and friends in this city during the spring vacation. He returned Tuesday to resume his studies in the mining engineering department.

Albert Sengelson and Chester Dola returned Monday evening from Rosewood, where they had spent Easter vacation at their respective homes.

Leland Schuster, '20, now a student at North Dakota University, visited his Alma Mater last Monday.

Soph: "Have you heard about Caesar?" Bright 7th grader: "William Tell killed him."

Irving Duff of Red Lake Falls is visiting friends and relatives in this city and at the same time is visiting at the high school.

While walking in a grave yard we found a tombstone bearing this inscription: "Here lies Tim Bodkin, now he is no more. What he thought was H2O was H2SO4."

All of the teachers have been re-elected, but we wonder if all the students have been re-elected.

Irma Marcoe returned on Monday from her home at Malcolm, where she had spent the Easter vacation.

Mildred Hauglid was unable to spend her vacation at her home at Angus because of having a very serious case of mumps, from which she has not yet fully recovered.

Clara Lund returned on Saturday from Oklee, having spent her vacation with friends and relatives.

Forrest Ralston has composed a song entitled, "Those New Shoes of His," which he has dedicated to Bernard Bischoff.

A Born Orator.

One Kentucky gentleman meets another Kentucky gentleman, and they address one another with that solemn earnestness which is characteristic of Southern high life: "Good mohning, sah. Hope you are well, sah. Whar have you been this mohning?" "I have just come from the coat-house, sah. Sen'toh Blackbuhn has been making a speech, the finest speech I have heard since the wah. He is a bawn awter, sah—a bawn awter!" "Excuse me, sah, but what do you mean by a 'bawn awter?'" "A bawn awter? Don't you know what a bawn awter is? Why, saw, you and I would say 'two and two make fo',' but a bawn awter would say: 'When, in the coase of human events, it becomes nee'sa' or expedient to coalesce two intergers and two other intergers, the results—I declah it boldly and without feah or favor—the results—by a simple arithmetical calculation termed addition, is fo'!' That is a bawn awter, sah!"

What's An Anthem.

Speaking of anthems reminds us of the story of two old British sailors who were talking over past experience. One had been to a cathedral and heard some very fine music, and was descanting particularly upon an anthem which gave him much pleasure. His shipmate listened for a while and then said:

"I say, Bill, what's an anthem?"

"What," replied Bill, "do you mean to say you don't know what a hanthem si?"

"Not me."

"Well, then, I'll tell yer. If I was to say to yer, 'Ere Bill, give me that 'andspike,' that wouldn't be a hanthem. But if I was to say, 'Bill—Bill—Bill—giv—giv—give me that—Bill, giv me, giv me, giv me that 'and, giv me that 'and, 'and spike, spike—spike—spike—Billl, giv me that—that ah—men, ah—men, ah—men!' Why that would be a hanthem."

Flowers.

The following is a theme written in English two classes:

What does the word "flowers" bring to your mind? Some may say they see a room in a hospital in which are many beds and sick people. A nurse brings a box to a patient, who eagerly opens it. Oh, what a wonderful fragrance! 'Tis as though a whole garden bloomed at one time. All the people breathing the freshness of nature begin to seem more cheerful and to start on a campaign for life. What could be more blessed than to bring joy to the sick or sorrowing?

Others again may think of an entirely different example. As of a small girl who has been caged in the house all winter and longs for spring. The bright sunshine being gone she has become pale and sickly. However, after she has waited long and patiently and watched for her playmates—the buds and the birds—she discovers a bud, a dandelion bud. Even this most common flower will cause the child to run into the house exclaiming, "Oh, mother! I found a dandelion. It is so tiny and sweet."

These are only two small examples of the work the flowers must perform. They are used as decorations and gifts of all kinds, as distributors of joy, happiness, peace and prosperity.

Spring.

The following is a theme written in English II classes:

Spring, with its swiftly vanishing snow drifts, muddy streets, noisy children, snowball fights, and sweetly singing birds, is with us again. After the rigor of our usually severe northern winters, nothing is so refreshing and so welcome as the first signs of spring. The March winds, bringing with them the warmer air of the sunny southland, are hailed with delight and pleasant expectations. Then people who have shut themselves in behind closed doors and windows during the entire winter again come out to enjoy the warm sunshine and the reviving spring atmosphere. Although spring may not have the most favorable effect on a person's ambitions, it certainly is the most eagerly looked forward to of all the seasons.

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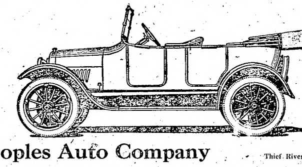

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Rafteseth Funeral Services.

Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls conducted the funeral services of John Rafteseth last Tuesday afternoon. The following were the pall bearers: A. T. Thoreson, Carl Mellem, Peter Mellem, Ole Jerde, Olof Opseth and Selmer Haugen. A profusion of flowers covered the casket, and about one hundred relatives and friends were present at the services. Mrs. Rafteseth, accompanied by her daughter, Irene, left on Saturday for Dakota Junction, where she will visit for some time with relatives.

Miller Kruta, who has been employed for some time at section work at Alsen, N. D., is back on the local section again. Martin Knutson, the temporary man from Radium, will be relieved about April 1. Section Foreman Carl Stromberg, who has been off for several weeks owing to illness, is improving and may be back at his duties before long.

The Ted Thompson family moved with their personal belongings last Saturday to a farm they have leased west of Thief River Falls. Dick Hall, F. G. Dols and Geo. Snyder assisted them with the removal of their property. Mr. Thompson owns a farm south of town but has this winter been making his home on the Mrs. J. Styrlund homestead.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mesdames Anderson and Paulson at their residence north of town next Tuesday afternoon, April 5. Lunch will be served.

The Swedish Young Peoples' society will have their next meeting at the Congregational church next Saturday evening. Also services twice, at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. on Sunday, April 3, when Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will occupy the pulpit.

Farmers club meeting at the Rosebank school building on Friday evening, April 1.

James Thorson, agent for the Hanson & Barzen interests here, left last Thursday for Gonvick, where he remained over Easter with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg of Dakota Junction spent Monday here to attend the funeral of her brother, John Rafteseth.

Mrs. Peter Stromberg and son of Thief River Falls arrived Tuesday for a short visit with Mrs. Stromberg's mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Mrs. T. J. Taggert spent Tuesday at Warren to receive medical attention.

Henry Rogers, a Steiner young man, went west from here on Tuesday morning and expects to be employed at blacksmithing in North Dakota.

Manager Benhard Ranum accompanied a carload of stock to South St. Paul for the local shipping association last Saturday.

P. Sorenson returned on Saturday from a few days' business tour in Pennington county.

Jim Rafteseth returned to Tracy on Monday evening after spending the winter with his folks here, to resume his dredging work at that place.

Miss Gladys Sagmoen visited over Easter with Miss Elsie Vorseth at Thief River Falls.

Benhard Ranum has commenced work this week on his new residence which he will erect this spring.

John Nakken and Percy Hanson, two agricultural students of Crookston, are spending the Easter vacation with their folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls are visiting this week at the J. E. Hellquist home.

Arthur Bloom, who has been attending the Austin Auto school this winter, is now employed at Aberdeen, S. D., and may remain there during the coming summer.

Mrs. John Rafteseth will have an auction sale on Friday, April 1.

Bennie Ranum and Nels Axelson spent Friday and Saturday at Warren to attend the market days.

Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls conducted Good Friday services with his congregation here.

Steiner Johnson is at Thief River Falls this week receiving medical attention.

Miss Ruth Larson of Thief River Falls visited for a few days this week with Miss Myrtle Mellem.

Miss Carrie Nelson left last Wednesday for Viking, where she will be employed. Myrtle Nelson is also employed there.

M. B. Rafteseth returned on Wednesday evening to his employment at Hibbing.

Miss Dagna Metvedt left on Friday morning for Argyle after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Silverness.

John Hanson spent Wednesday on business at Warren and left on the following day for his home near Grygla.

Mrs. Andrew Olson and Ole Gjerde of Angus spent two days here this week to visit relatives and attend the John Rafteseth funeral.

Bennie Ranum motored to Viking last Wednesday.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson was among the Thief River Falls callers last Thursday.

Miss Violet Furan returned on Saturday evening to Thief River Falls after spending her Easter vacation among friends here.

Sam and Henry Hasby, John Cormican and Nancer Hasby visited with former neighbors at Steiner on Tuesday.

Howard Carlson spent a few days the latter part of the week visiting with his sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson, at Thief River Falls.

Miss Amy Whitman, who teaches school near Warren, came home on Thursday to spend the Easter vacation with her parents.

A. Myrom, Soren Bergland and Mr. Aakhus of Thief River Falls arrived Thursday morning to visit with friends and to attend the A. O. Bergland sale.

Mrs. A. C. Vorseth of Thief River Falls spent Thursday here to visit with Mrs. John Sagmoen.

Clara Sorenson, teacher at Busy Bee, is spending her Easter vacation with her parents at Thief River Falls. Mrs. Lorentson of Willowdale is at Wylie and Mrs. R. Sagmoen of Rosebank at Anita.

Even Anderson spent Thursday on business at Viking.

Kenneth Russell went to Thief River Falls on Thursday evening after spending part of the day here.

Miss Minnie Sorenson, employed at the Ogahmah hotel at Thief River Falls, came home on Tuesday morning to visit her parents.

Andrew Gulseth of Thief River Falls, spent Thursday here as the guest of his cousin, Anton Gullseth.

Nancer Hasby went to Thief River Falls Saturday evening to visit with friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen has been on the sick list the past week, suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

John Haider recently disposed of his entire herd of grade cattle and will keep only pedigreed stock on his farm in the future.

Dave Mosbeck left last Saturday by car for Crookston, where he will visit with friends for some time.

GOODRIDGE

School Notes.

The organization of a Boys' and Girls' club was effected a week ago, with the following officers elected: Esther Ronkin, president; Daniel Vaughan, vice president; Glen Erickson, secretary and treasurer.

State examinations are being conducted this week.

Miss Mildred Argall is substituting in the intermediate grades during the absence of Miss Sarah Vaughan this week.

The school house had a thorough cleaning during the Easter vacation, and everything was spick and span on Monday morning.

Lloyd Ferdinandson resigned as janitor and Harry Halverson was appointed to finish the unexpired term.

Hazel Hakes returned on Monday from Mavie, where she had visited friends for a few days.

Agnes Vaughan returned Monday from Thief River Falls, where she visited over Sunday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Daniel Shaw.

John Muney of Grygla was in town Monday.

Miss Louise Besancon returned on Monday to Thief River Falls, where she attends high school.

Joe Christianson returned Thursday from a visit with his brother, Morgan, at Strathcona.

Charles Knutson of Grygla was in town Thursday.

Elmer Olson accompanied his wife to Thief River Falls and returned on Tuesday morning.

Anton Lien returned Tuesday from Thief River Falls.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and son, Raymond, returned Thursday from a visit at Thief River Falls.

Misses Emma and Phena Grimley returned Wednesday from a few days' visit with relatives at Crookston.

Bert Walker of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday enroute to his homestead. He returned Thursday.

Mrs. John Krebechek left Wednesday for Crookston to attend the graduation exercises at the farm school. Her daughter was in the class.

Wm. Gaylord attended to business in Thief River Falls Thursday and Friday.

George Johnson, local agent for the Standard Oil company, left on Thursday for Crookston to attend a convention.

Christian Wold left Thursday for Massachusetts, where he will again be employed in installing midget flour mills.

John Nystol returned on Thursday from Fargo, where he had visited for a week with friends.

Carl Narveson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Miss Mae Wilde returned Thursday from a several days' visit with Oklee friends.

Elmer Olson went to Thief River Falls Thursday to meet his wife, who came up from Plummer where she is teaching school.

Ray Jensen went to Thief River Falls Friday evening and returned on Saturday.

P. O. Tvedt was in Thief River Falls on Thursday visiting his wife and infant son.

Alfred Dybvik of Thief River Falls was a guest at the J. P. Jensen home from Friday until Monday.

Miss Gladys Wilson spent a few days as the guest of her parents at Grygla. She returned Monday.

Miss Sadie Sand of Erie is visiting her grandfather here for awhile.

Harvey Ferdinandson left Friday evening for Minneapolis, where he will visit his sister for a few days.

Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and infant son returned Saturday afternoon from Thief River Falls.

Miss Teresa Giefer arrived Monday morning from Thief River Falls, after spending the Easter vacation at home.

M. O. Seavey was in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Misses Eleanor Bauer and Mildred Argall returned Monday morning from Bemidji, where they had visited relatives and friends for a week.

B. O. Norby returned Monday from Fosston, where he had visited during the Easter vacation with his parents.

Anton Lien was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mrs. Carl Christianson was in Thief River Falls Monday on a shopping expedition.

E. H. Besancon attended to business in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Miss Geneva Overum of Highlanding returned Friday to Thief River Falls, where she is attending high school.

Mrs. W. Gerrault was a Thief River Falls visitor on Saturday.

A. B. Mandt attended to business matters in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Ed Abbott of Grygla was in town Saturday enroute home from a business trip to Roseau.

John Sund was in Thief River on Saturday attending to business.

Mr. Schie of Mavie was in town on Saturday shopping.

D. A. Danielson was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Lloyd Ferdinandson left Tuesday for Pelican Rapids, where he has secured employment.

Miss Ruby Jensen went to Thief River Falls Monday evening for a short visit.

County Agent J. J. McCann was in town Tuesday.

ESPLEE

Fred Solley was a business visitor last Friday at Goodridge.

Oscar H. Olson of Thief River Falls was a caller at the Fred Solley home on Friday. He was accompanied by a man who intends to rent Mr. Olson's farm here for the coming season.

Charles Sheridan was a caller at the Fred Solley home Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Gerrulat came out from Goodridge to visit with the folks at the Herman Kiesow home for awhile.

Richard, Henry and Willie Kiesow have all returned from Redby where they had been employed for some time.

Thos. Cullen returned to his home here on Tuesday from Redby, where he had been working in the lumber camps.

Ed. Johnson transacted business at Goodridge on Friday.

Herman Zinter went to Goodridge last Friday.

Christ and Henry Becker returned recently from the woods, where they have been employed for some time.

Edmund Fiskevold was a caller at Grygla Friday evening.

James Blaine was a caller at the Fiskevold home Wednesday evening.

Hans Fiskevold and family were pleasantly entertained at the Fred Solley home Tuesday evening.

Wilhma Sund arrived from Dumont, where she has been teaching school, to spend Easter with her parents.

Bertha Gullenbeck called on Mrs. Carlson one day last week.

Albert Wilkins and family, Christ Becker and Jacob Einarson and son, Harold, were callers at the Fred Solley home Wednesday evening.

Garfield Erickson and Herman Solley were Esplee callers on Monday.

Preston Lewis has gone to St. Thomas, N. D., where he will be employed for the summer.

Mrs. Fred Solley and daughter, Selma, have gone to Halma to visit friends and relatives before the busy season opens on the farm.

Edmund Fiskevold visited with Henry Olson Sunday afternoon.

A little late but better so than not at all to note that Carl Widing, Erick and Hokon and Peter Strand left for different destinations week before last to resume their work.

Arthur and Garfield Erickson spent Sunday afternoon with Herman Solley.

Mrs. Siver Siverson transacted business in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Henry Olson returned on Tuesday from Baudette, where he has been employed during the winter.

Garfield Erickson has returned to his home here after spending a few weeks at Baudette.

Henry Olson, Garfield and Arthur Erickson and Herman Solley were callers at the Hans Fiskevold home last Friday.

Mrs. Peter Strand visited friends and relatives in Thief River Falls last week.

Herman Solley and Henry Olson called at the home of Warren Lewis on Wednesday.

Mrs. Warren Lewis is reported to be on the sick list this week.

Henry Olson visited with H. Fiskevold last Thursday afternoon.

Chas. L. Sheridan and family called at the Fred Solley home Tuesday evening.

Hans Fiskevold and family were guests at the Carl Erickson home on Sunday.

Chas. Sheridan and family and Herman Solley called on the C. Erickson family Sunday.

Arthur Erickson visited at the F. Solley home Sunday evening.

Jacob Einarson and son, Harold, have been busy hauling hay from the Henry Tollefson farm.

Mrs. A. G. Turnbull has gone to Monroe City, Mo., to visit with her folks and friends for some time.

Edmund Fiskevold transacted business at Goodridge on Monday.

J. E. Ballow transacted business at Esplee one day last week.

A. G. and R. P. Turnbull transacted business in town on Monday. They were giving the auto a trial for the first time this year.

Earl Chapman has returned from Margie to spend a few days with the home folks.

Mrs. Paul Sund has gone to Canada to be with a daughter who is reported to be ill.

Edmund, Ottar and Albert Fiskevold, Henry Olson and Herman Solley were pleasantly entertained at the Herman Kiesow home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Anton Dahlstrom, daughter Anna and son, Willie, were in Esplee on Tuesday.

Ottar Fiskevold transacted business in Esplee on Tuesday.

DEER PARK

Ole O. Vatendal of Oklee called on old friends in Deer Park and Highlanding last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Olson of Mayfield transacted business at Oklee last week.

Jens Bolstad had the misfortune to get hurt in his back some way the other day while in the woods and was laid up for a few days.

Ben Kviste of Highlanding, while sawing wood at Gunder Anderson's last week, got his right hand caught in the saw and received some bad cuts in the palm of his hand.

Ye scribe had the pleasure to spend Easter Sunday at the home of S. M. Weberg in town of Rocksbury, and we certainly enjoyed the visit very much. Mr. Weberg is one of the old pioneers in the town of Rocksbury and told us many interesting tales of the frontier days and of the hardships endured while trying to blaze a path through the wilderness. He is a progressive from the political standpoint and also as a farmer. He is a breeder of Polled Shorthorn cattle and believes in building up his herd and keeping abreast of the times.

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Among Our Neighbors

ST. HILAIRE

Tollef Thompson, a former well-known resident of St. Hilaire, now residing at Spooner, came Wednesday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Miss Esther Thyreen, who has been employed at St. Paul the past season, returned the latter part of the week to remain at home.

Mrs. Lawrence Wilson shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Friday.

S. M. Hoff returned Friday from Bescemar, Minn., where he has spent the past months on his claim cutting cedar.

Miss Gertrude Blaska, who teaches in the rural schools near Red Lake Falls, returned Monday evening to resume her duties, after a week's vacation at the parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Benoit spent Easter Sunday with friends and relatives at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Soderling came Saturday from Jenkins, Minn., for a visit at the home of Mrs. Soderling's mother, Mrs. Helen Chelin.

Mrs. O. Gunstad returned Saturday from ~~St. Paul,~~ having accompanied her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patterson, where Mr. Patterson has gone to consult a physician in regard to his health.

Miss Gladys Olsen who teaches near Stephen, returned Sunday evening after a short Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen.

Miss Clara Norman, a nurse at the Deaconess hospital at Grand Forks, has been a guest at the N. A. Nelson home the past week.

James Amble came over from Grand Forks Saturday morning, returning again the same evening. He was accompanied by his wife and two children, who have spent the past month at the S. J. Amble home.

Milton Soderberg departed the latter part of the week for Burmingham, Alabama, having visited friends and relatives here the past month.

Dr. Swanson, accompanied by his little daughter, Linnea, came Monday from Minneapolis, where they now reside, for a brief visit at the S. M. Hoff home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rolland, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Rolland and Hans Rolland, all of Thief River Falls, were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of Duane Rolland, the young son of August Rolland, who passed away Sunday.

Mrs. Al. Potwin of Cass Lake is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Simonson, this week.

Mrs. B. Miller, sister of August Rolland, came Monday from Crookston to be in attendance at the funeral of Duane Rolland.

Miss Ann Patterson returned Monday to Coleraine, Minn., to resume her duties as teacher, after a brief vacation at the parental home.

On Sunday morning occurred the death of Duane Stuewell, the three-year-old youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. August Rolland, having been ill the past month with bronchitis and pneumonia. Funeral services were conducted from the Norwegian Lutheran church and interment made at Riverside cemetery. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud officiated. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents in their hour of trial.

Alfred Aubol of Erie, arrived here Monday to attend the funeral of his nephew, Duane Rolland.

Miss Lulu Allen and friend, Miss Christine Lindstrom returned Sunday evening over the Soo to Lancaster, after a week's vacation at the home of Miss Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen.

The Misses Myrtle Giggstad and Esther Hovet returned Monday to Moorhead where they attend normal, to resume their studies, after a week's vacation at their parental homes.

Miss Beatrice Hughes returned the latter part of the week to Anoka, after a week's vacation here as the guest of Supt. S. L. Johnson.

Miss Mabel Whitmer, Red Cross nurse, who has conducted a very successful course in home nursing and care of the sick for the past two weeks, departed Wednesday evening for Minneapolis, having completed her work here.

A wedding of interest to many which occurred here a week ago Wednesday at the Frank Satterberg home was that of their daughter, Martha, to Henry Burstad. The service was read by Rev. A. F. Nelson, only immediate relatives being present. Both have a host of friends here who join in wishing them a happy married life.

The Misses Blanche Hoff and Edith Nelson leave Friday for a week's visit at the Dr. Swanson home at Minneapolis.

A wedding that will come as a surprise to their many friends was solemnized last Sunday afternoon, March 27, when Miss Olga Sophie Olson and Erick Herman Fallman were married at Detroit, Minn. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white satin and crepe de chine with pearl trimmings. The filmy veil was arraigned in cap effect and she carried a large boquet of bridal roses and white carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Fallman will be at home after August 1st on the groom's farm near St. Hilaire.

REINER

E. Johnsrud was a business caller at T. O. Berg's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arntz and family visited at the home of E. Gumley on Friday.

The services at Torgerson's last Friday were well attended.

Marshall and Herbert Race spent their Easter vacation with the home folks.

Miss Myrtle Erickson arrived home Friday from Crookston, where she recently graduated from the Northwestern School of Agriculture.

Misses Tena and Emma Grimley, who spent Sunday in Thief River Falls, came home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Alfred Olson will entertain the Ladies' Aid on Thursday, April 7.

Miss Carrie Signerid spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. S. Hermanson.

Richard Aakre, who was a student at the Northwestern School of Agriculture, came home last Friday.

Mrs. Edward Hanson was on the sick list last week but is much improved at this writing.

Miss Olga Signorid is employed at the Roysland home near Erie.

Chas. A. Asp, who is teaching in district No. 48, spent the Easter vacation at his home near Thief River Falls.

John Miller was a business caller in Goodridge one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nielson and family and Walter Sorenson of Goodridge are moving onto the Tollefson place this week.

Andrew Wells and Halvor Holen hauled lumber from the saw mill at Neptune one day last week.

Ellef Halvorson was a business caller in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Ole Helle, who is a student at Lincoln high school at Thief River Falls, spent the Easter vacation with his home folks.

E. Aakre came home from Thorholt last Thursday.

GERMANTOWN

The Citizens League program and picnic given Thursday by teacher Anna Kotlan and pupils of school district 120 was well attended. All present spent a very enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. Christ. Nelson and daughter, Edith, departed for their home near Agdar on Saturday after having visited at the L. Bendickson home for a week.

Mrs. Henry Roller called on Mrs. Betsy Stokke Wednesday afternoon.

Martin Overby and Lars Linvick arrived home Wednesday after having been employed near Bemidji.

Gladys Roller visited school in district 120 last week.

Misses Louise and Anna Rosette were guests at the O. Tharaldson home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Habedank returned to their home in Thief River Falls on Monday following a visit at the Carl Habedank home.

Melvin Hamre returned home last week after having been employed in the vicinity of Bemidji for several months.

Esther Bendickson arrived from Bemidji Friday and will visit at her parental home for a few days.

Selmer Rosette was a caller at the Stokke home one evening last week.

Guests at the Henry Roller home on Sunday were Susie and Lars Linvick and Martin Overby.

Anna Kotlan was a dinner guest at the Carl Klockman home on Sunday.

Misses Bessie Roller and Susie Linvick were Sunday guests at the W. Wayne home.

Esther and Nettie Bendickson visited at the Hans Dahl home Sunday afternoon.

Hattie Klockman and Minnie Betten spent Thursday evening with Anna Kotlan.

Mrs. Hans Dahl was a guest at the L. Bendickson home on Thursday afternoon.

VIKING

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krohn left Wednesday for Thief River Falls, where they visited with relatives.

Miss Helga Quindlog spent Easter at Thief River Falls with her parents.

Mrs. Malcom Tangquist and Willard Peterson spent Friday afternoon at C. Peterson's.

A bunch of young folks were entertained at the Ed Krohn home last Thursday evening.

Dagny and Robert Anderson and Gust Sustad were Sunday callers at Brink's.

Miss Edith Edwards spent Easter with her folks here.

The Krohn family called at Edward's last Sunday.

Egbert Malberg made an auto trip to Viking Thursday evening.

Several of the farmers around here took in the market days at Warren on Friday and Saturday.

Paul Rising arrived from St. Paul on Saturday after having spent the winter there.

Carl Brink and Pontius Larson made a call at the Krohn home on Saturday evening.

NUMEDAL

Many farmers from this vicinity attended the auction sale at the Tullar farm, south of Warren last week.

Tommy Joringdal returned home from Frontier Wednesday where he has been employed during the winter months.

John Bugge drove to Thief River Falls with a load of hay on Friday returning home on Saturday.

Herman, Hjalmer and Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls on Sunday evening.

T. J. Waslie had the misfortune of having one of his fingers cut off in his saw rig while sawing wood for Oscar Peterson Thursday.

A few of the farmers from this vicinity attended the sale at A. O. Bergland's last Thursday.

John and Conrad Ronning drove to Thief River Falls Friday where they bought a Ford, returning home on Saturday.

Oscar Olson, Albin Ross and Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson were among those who took in the Market Day sale at Warren Saturday.

Hjalmer Blomberg returned home from Angus Saturday where he has been employed.

Carl Brating and George Bugge transacted business at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Olaf Larson called at the Soren Knutson home Monday.

Herman Blomberg, who is employed on the Soo line at Thief River Falls, visited with his parents over Easter.

Soren Knutson drove to Viking with a load of hay Monday.

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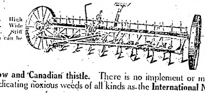

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This big price wrecking closing out sale opens at 10 o'clock sharp. This sale in charge of L. C. Andrews, merchant adjuster, known from coast to coast as the price butcher of the universe. I have unearthed bargains that will astonish you. Then slashed, smashed, and slaughtered the prices to practically nothing. The memory of this sale will linger in the mind of every purchaser.

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$2.65 OVERALLS — Heavy weight, best make overalls or jackets, regular $2.65, close out sale — **$1.19**

75c GLOVES — Men's mule skin work gloves, while this lot lasts at only per pair — **23c**

Boys' Unionalls, $2.50 values, your choice to close out at — $1.29

Men's $4.00 wool process Union Suits, our close out price, only — $1.95

Men's and boys' caps, values up to $1.50, close out price of this lot — 29c

Seal Skin wool Socks, $1.50 regular, close out price — 79c

75c wool Socks, reduced for rapid selling, your choice — 49c

$1.50 Sweaters, gray, all sizes, while they last at only — 79c

$2.25 German Socks, to close out quickly at only — 95c

$5.00 Men's Unionalls, all sizes while they last at — $2.95

Mackinaws, regular $10.50 value, eight only, your choice at — $8.75

Overcoats, $27.50 grade, to get rid of them quick, your pick — $12.45

Men's Raincoats, about one dozen in all, going at only — $1.00

Boys' Raincoats, while they last close out price — $1.95

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Arrow Collars, both linen and soft styles, while they last, each — 15c

Shawknit gray socks, 65c values, while they last — 44c

Men's one buckle Overshoes, $2.25 value, buy for next season at only — 95c

Men's leather top Rubbers, 14 inch, $5.00 values, to close out — $2.75

$3.25 Men's work Pants, closing out at only — $1.75

$3.75 Work Pants for only — $2.39

$5.50 Work Pants for only — $3.65

$10.00 and $12.00 Dress Pants — $6.75

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Factors under the farmer's control:

1. Wheat should be planted on fall-plowed land only. The land should be weed free; if necessary an additional harrowing or discing should be made to destroy more of the weeds and put the ground in better condition. Weeds and wheat cannot grow together if wheat farming is to bring a profit.

2. Wheat should be sown as early as the ground is in the proper condition. Wheat will germinate when the temperature of the soil is as low as fifty degrees Fahrenheit, even starting to grow before the weeds. Planted early, it has ample time to develop a strong root system and to "stool" well, both of which are necessary to the production of a good yield. These conditions, too, mean fewer weeds. Early sown wheat will escape insects, disease, hot winds and rust.

3. Seed wheat should be cleaned to get rid of all the small, shriveled, cracked, scab affected kernels, weed seeds, wild oats, dirt and chaff, which make the stand uneven if run thru the drill, with smaller yields and lower grades the inevitable result. It costs no more to raise a full crop than a half crop.

4. Seed wheat should be tested for vitality. Wheat may "over-run" in weight, be plump and of good color, yet possess a low germinating power. A ten percent loss due to low vitality also means more weeds, for weeds will grow where there is room, sunshine, and fertility. If there is any suspicion that the seed wheat lacks vitality due to freezing, to heating in the bin, or to any other cause, it should be tested.

5. Seed wheat should be treated. It requires only a little more additional time to treat the wheat for scab and smut, which are the cause of heavy annual losses. Formaldehyde treatment, full directions for which may be found in any farm paper at this season, also in many local papers, will prevent this loss.

6. Should sow early variety to escape the black rust. Be it remembered that for rust there is no remedy when once it gets started. It is not caused by the weather, but favorable weather is the cause of its ravages. There are three ways that will safeguard the crop against rust. First, the complete eradication of the common barberry against which the United States and the state departments of agriculture are waging a vigorous fight; second, early sowing, and third, early maturing varieties. Of all the early varieties so far tested out, the Marquis is best. Besides being stiff strawed, less rank of growth, beardless, not shelling readily when over-ripe, a good yielder with fully as good milling qualities as any other northern hard spring wheat, it is about a week earlier than any other good bread-flour wheat. It is this quality that commands the best price in any bread wheat. Some Durum wheats are good yielders, and are also claimed to be somewhat rust resistent, but they are not so good bread wheats and therefore do not command the highest price. In view of these facts we would not encourage the sowing of much Durum. Amber Durum is considered among the best of this class and far better for bread than D-5, the variety claimed to be rust resistent. It is better, also, not to mix the standard and the Durum wheats. D-5 should not be sown, or but very little of it.

The Marquis is quite generally grown and seed grain should therefore be comparatively easy to procure. What the wheat raiser wants is a wheat that yields well, that escapes the rust and that has the qualities sought by the bakers. The Marquis has stood the test for the millers and its earliness makes it safer from rust attacks. Black rust may strike the wheat crop any season and exact a toll of a few bushels an acre or the entire crop. A shrinkage of only three bushels an acre means a loss of $500 to the quarter section. In 1904 the shrinkage for the Northwest and Canada was 300,000,000 bushels. The wheat growers must get away from this calamity. The early sowing of an early variety is almost a sure way out of the black-rust trouble.

7. We stated above "sow early." If, because of unfavorable seeding weather or because of lack of help the intended acreage cannot all be planted before the season gets too late, the remainder should be seeded to another crop, even though the price of wheat may be tempting and and the prospect of a good yield excellent. It is better to take a smaller net return from some other crop than a half crop, or no crop, from wheat sown too late.

To summarize the discussion:

1. Destroy all weeds possible before planting.
2. Clean the seed.
3. Treat the seed.
4. Test the seed.
5. Plant standard bread - flour wheats.
6. Plant early and the earliest varieties.
7. Stop seeding before the season gets too late.

We have had the satisfaction of traveling all through the Northwest to study agricultural conditions and have found that everywhere conditions are not satisfactory for wheat raising the average yield is too low. The quality, due to weeds, late sowing and poor varieties, too inferior, and the consequent profit therefore too small. All thinking farmers will bear me out in these statements. This is a natural wheat raising country, and will be for all time to come, provided conditions are made right. Farming is a science and a business. The farmer must take time by the forelock, listen to the experiment stations, study the work of the successful wheat grower and do "long distance" planning. There is no gloom hanging over the wheat business of the Northwest. We are not unfriendly to wheat farming but we are to "Exclusive" wheat farming, and also to wheat farming without a definite rational plan. Small yields, late varieties, poor methods, low grades, with their consequent small profits or no profits and discouragement must go. Rotation of crops, grass, earlier varieties of the best milling wheats and better methods must be the new order in wheat raising. The wheat raiser himself holds the key with which to unlock the temple of the new agriculture-prosperity, in which wheat will be a vital factor. We believe in agriculture and also in a wheat country. Man despoiled it. Let us save our wheat production and reap our annual millions. It costs no more to raise a good crop of good wheat, commanding the highest market price, than a partial, poor, low priced crop. To be prosperous, pays; merely to exist, doesn't. An average yield of twelve bushels and the most of it grading below No. 1 Northern, will get us nowhere on high priced land—except into debt.

The purebred Percheron Stallion John H. 127145 will stand at Fishers' Livery Barn every week until further notice, from Saturday morning until Monday morning. The fee of $18.00 insures a live colt in every case.

Owners:
Fodstad and Leiness.

Read the classified advertisements in The Times. It will pay you to do so.

No Let-Up in Quality

THE one factor which is guarded carefully and never allowed to vary is the quality of products manufactured by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

The price may go up or down as the markets of the world may dictate, the quantity of products may vary as the demand for them varies, but the quality which has been established by specifications determined with scientific exactness, remains fixed.

Only an organization financially secure, physically well-equipped and directed by men mentally alert, could maintain the high standard of quality which has been the crowning achievement of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is an organization of 25,000 experienced, capable men and women who are carrying out with enthusiasm the plans and policies formulated by 7 trained directors.

These plans and policies are designed to furnish maximum service to the public, regular profitable employment to the personnel and protection to the more than $200,000,000 which the stockholders have invested in the business.

In furnishing service to the public no single factor is so important as the insistence upon a uniform high quality of every gallon of product manufactured, an insistence which is felt in the most remote corner of the organization and of the 11 states served by the Company.

Take, as an example, Red Crown gasoline. This is but one of fifteen kinds of gasoline manufactured and sold by this organization. Each is made to meet certain uses for which gasoline is needed. Red Crown is made for use in the modern internal combustion engine and for this purpose it has no superior. Red Crown is the last word in a gasoline for power purposes. That this is generally recognized is attested by the fact that last year 725,000,000 gallons were sold and used by the people of the Middle West.

This tremendous volume is the inevitable result of uniformity, high quality and reasonable price. It is but one phase of the business but it serves to symbolize the earnest, honest endeavor which every individual connected with the organization is putting forth to enable the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) to furnish the public a highly essential service.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2419

NR TO-NIGHT—Tomorrow Alright Get a 25c Box

LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

A Quickening Of Building Activities

From every section of the country come reports of an awakening of building activities. The country is so far behind on its construction program that it will take years to catch up, even though the work is rushed to the utmost.

The Best Time to Build Is Now

The price of material is at the lowest ebb possible and there is plenty of labor to be had at a reasonable figure. When the entire country gets into its stride and the demand for both labor and material is correspondingly increased there may be another shortage of both. The result will inevitably be higher costs.

The Wise Ones Everywhere See This Coming

That is the reason for the sudden rush in building reported in the larger cities. Take your cue from their action and build what you need at once. It will mean a saving of both time and money.

Ask us for prices on any kind of an order of material. You will be surprised to find how much they have dropped.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

Texas Bureau Law Passed:

The Texas legislature has just passed a co-operative marketing bill sponsored by the farm bureau federation in that state. It was drawn to make the legal status of co-operative marketing organizations absolutely unquestionable. It is the most comprehensive marketing law ever passed in the southern states; members of the Texas legislature characterized the measure as the most important of the whole session.

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW
43c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Legal Notices

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twenty-one-hundred-eighty-three and 18-100ths ($2183.18) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John Arntson and Tilda Arntson, his wife, Mortgagors, to First State Bank of Gully, Minnesota, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of January, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 403, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North half of the northeast quarter (N½NE¼), southwest quarter of the northeast quarter (SW¼NE¼), northwest quarter of the southeast quarter (NW¼SE¼) of section twenty-four (24), township one-hundred-fifty-two (152), north of range thirty-nine (39), west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one-hundred-sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 14th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2183.18, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 30th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST STATE BANK OF GULLY, MINNESOTA, A CORPORATION,
Mortgagee.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagee's Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
m31-a-7-14-21-28-m5

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk for the scraping and painting of the Bridge Street Bridge, using two coats of paint, each coat a different color, city to furnish paint. Work to be done according to specifications on file at City Clerk's office. Bids to be accompanied by certified check for 25 per cent of bid.

Bids will be opened at a regular meeting of the City Council to be held in the council chamber on Tuesday, April 12, 1921, at 8 o'clock P. M.

City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
m31-a-7

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Thirty-two and 51-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John C. Casey and Mary Casey, his wife, Mortgagors, to Geo. G. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 14th day of April, 1915, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 220, and

Whereas, the said Geo. G. Johnson, Mortgagee [illegible] George G. Johnson died on the 6th day of December, 1915, and at the time of his death was a resident of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota; and whereas Perl W. Mabey was, in due proceedings had in the Probate Court of said Pennington County, appointed administrator with Will annexed of the estate of said George G. Johnson, Decedent, and duly qualified as such; and whereas, letters of Administration with Will annexed of the estate of said decedent were duly issued to said Perl W. Mabey, by said Probate Court, bearing date the 13th day of January, 1919, a certified copy of which was duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 16th day of March, 1921 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "J" of Miscellaneous, on Page 140, and

Whereas, said Perl W. Mabey, as administrator with Will annexed of the estate of George G. Johnson, Decedent, did duly assign said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby to The Pennington County Land And Loan Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 6th day of June, 1919, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 16th day of March, 1921, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages, on Page 116 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now Therefore Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-one (21), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of May, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $32.51, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, 1921.

THE PENNINGTON COUNTY LAND AND LOAN COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m24-31-a7-14-21-28

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Caroline Linde,

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Caroline Linde, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to John O. Linde, Oscar Joel Linde, Agnes Pauline Lovel (formerly Agnes Pauline Linde), Clara Oline Tessum, Colman Jeffers Linde, and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of John O. Linde having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of her estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 17th day of March, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
m17-24-31

Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Highlanding township up to April 30 at one o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of leveling 4½ miles of grading, commencing near the town line at the Northeast corner of Section 6 and South to the river.

Road to be widened to not less than ten feet on top.

Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. I. FINSTAD,
Town Clerk.
m23-31

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 60-100 ($994.60) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William G. Hunt and Harriet Hunt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 55 of Mortgages, on page 446.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation by written assignment dated the 14th day of May, 1918, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of March, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 117, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven and Eight (7 and 8) in Section Twenty-nine (29), and the East one-half (E½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Thirty-one (31), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-three North, of Range numbered Forty (40) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 6th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 60-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, A. D. 1921.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Thief River Falls, a Corporation,
Assignee of the Mortgagee.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
m24-31-a7-14-21-28

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Purebred [illegible] Holstein bull, gentle. [illegible] Andrew Bregney, Germantown Route. [illegible] 9p

FOR SALE—Work horse for sale. Harry Woolson, City. 9

FOR SALE—Purebred White Holland Tom, $1.50, if taken at once. P. E. Ness, St. Hilaire, Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—Span of bay geldings, wt. 3200 pounds. Also good hay. W. E. Smith, Thief River Falls, Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—Light draft Kentucky 22 double disc drill, used [illegible] Also new drag and a quantity of White Russian seed oats and buckwheat. Anton Myrom, Kratka Route. 9p

FOR SALE—Seven-room, 2-story house and 8 lots in Roseau. Cheap if sold soon. Write the owner, Mrs. Caroline C. Bergland, Roseau, Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—200 bushels of White Russian oats, for seed. Aug. N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn., R. 1. 9p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots. 242 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 122 Horace avenue north. 8tf

FOR SALE—5 room house (on river bank) and six lots. 209 Kendall Ave. N. 9p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island eggs for hatching, $1.50 for 15; $7 for 100. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 11p

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10-months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine houses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Cow coming fresh in May, and 3 good horses. Or will consider a trade for a grain separator, 22 or 24 in. preferred. Oscar Evenson, Germantown Rt, NE¼ Sec. 13, Silverton Twp. 6tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—S. C. White Leghorn hatching eggs, 50c for 15; $3.00 for 100. Remarkable layers. L. I. Hermanson, City. Phone 2-F-411. 9p

MUST SELL 6-room house on the river bank in Thief River Falls. $380.00 down will buy it. Cheap if taken at once. C. O. Fineson, Viking Minn. 7tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Quarter section of land one mile south of Holt, Minn. Will consider city property in trade.—Box 51, R. 2, Thief River Falls Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—One Chevrolet 490 automobile also one Ford Touring with starter and speedometer, new tires last summer. Will give buyer a good bargain if taken now. John Severtson, R. 1, St. Hilaire, Minn. 9p

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 135, City. 53tf

FOR SALE—200 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call [illegible] R. 1, Thief River Falls. 10 3t

FOR SALE—Will sell a few matured Black Langshan cockerels and pullets at reasonable prices. George Lemere, city. 2tf

FOR SALE—About 10 ton of wild hay 2 miles south of Stop 8 on the Electric Line. Theo. Panel, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—Sweet clover seed at 10 cents per pound.—Henry [illegible], Germantown Rt., Thief River Falls, Minn. 10 5tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, business, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Wolters-Gould Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR RENT On very easy terms, the SE¼, Sec. 18, Town of Rolner [illegible] miles east of Goodridge, 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn. C. W. Vorachek. 2tf

POTATOES FOR SALE 75c per bu. Good for cooking. Bring sack. Address [illegible], 207 Atlantic Ave. N. 6

FOR SALE—White Blossom Sweet Clover, Hulled 99% purity, $8.00 bu. Unhulled $1.25 bu. Dan Stonehouse, Plummer, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew [illegible] 36tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre River farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write R. K. Calloway. 2tf

FOR SALE—Farm, five miles south of Moylan. Write to Mrs. Inga Berg, 2325 Fifteenth avenue south, Minneapolis, for further information. 9p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—[illegible]

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Sleeping room, 211 Atlantic Ave. 9p

FOR RENT—Garage, office for cash or on shares. R. K. Calloway. 8

FOR RENT—80 acres in town of Kratka, 6 and 7, 140 acres plowed, 120 in timothy. Will rent on shares or for cash rent. Mrs. Theo. L. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 4tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 9p

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, SE¼ of Section 6, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares.—[illegible], Kratka.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—About April 1, a good cook on my farm. Andrew Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 8

WANTED—GIRL for general housework on farm. Washing and churning done by electricity. State wages wanted. Mrs. P. F. Kelly, St. Thomas, N. D., R. F. D. 10p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 9p

WANTED—A good, steady, gentlemanly salesman to handle a Ward's Wagon in Marshall County. No experience needed. For full particulars write promptly to Dr. Ward's Medical Company, Winona, Minnesota. Established 1856. 9p

WANTED—To hear from men looking for farm work. Andrew Melgaard, Warren, Minn. 8

YOUNG MEN, WOMEN, over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $120 month. Examinations April. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of instruction, write John Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 759 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 9p

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By experienced gas or oil tractor operator. Write Harold F. Schandorff, Lack, Wis. 10p

LOST

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL PAY CASH RENT FOR Small farm suited for potato raising. With buildings. Write XA Times. 9p

WANTED—Work by two men cutting cordwood or any kind of general work. Will work by the month or cord. Rt. 1, Box 9, City. 8p

COMFORTABLE, small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 10tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, First St. E. 10tf

WANTED—Plain sewing to do at home. Mary Tildahl, 215 [illegible] Ave. N. 7p

FLATHEAD VALLEY, MONT.—Don't overlook Flathead Valley. No cyclones known. Send for our spring listings. Topper & Dickinson, Kalispell, Mont. 9p

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM parties residing within Pennington County that have 40, 80, 160 acre tracts of land to dispose of. W. A. Swanson, Rhoda, Minn. 11p

DRESSMAKING, Remodeling. Adlena Hedin, 324 Kendall Ave. N., City. 9p

FOR SALE—Good six room house with well, barn and garage, big lot and one of best locations in town. Very reasonable and will give easy terms. Look this place over if you want a real bargain. Edward Carlson, 747 Main Ave. N. 8tf

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

SPOUSE REFUSED TO TALK, HUSBAND SAYS; IS GRANTED DIVORCE

Domestic Troubles of Myroms Aired in District Court—Bonds Severed After Hearing Lasting Half an Hour.

Harry Myrom, Norden township farmer, at an adjourned term of the district court held here on Tuesday with Judge Andrew Grindeland presiding, was granted a divorce from Anna Cecelia Myrom after a hearing which lasted less than half an hour. Mr. Myrom had appealed for a divorce on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment at the hands of his wife, formerly Anna Cecelia Bergquist. The latter failed to appear in court and no testimony was taken down, though the applicant's statement was heard.

According to the plaintiff's story he and Anna Bergquist were married in November, 1919, after which they immediately took up their residence on the husband's farm west of this city in Norden township. Mrs. Myrom apparently never reconciled herself to married life, took no interest whatsoever in housewifely duties, did not speak except when spoken to, and then only in monosyllables, and finally claimed to have lost power of speech entirely. Physicians consulted stated that they could not account for her inability to make use of her vocal organs. She later regained her voice when startled into making an attempt.

Mrs. Myrom was pouty, the plaintiff continued, but vouchsafed no reason for being so. He could not make her work, nor get her to argue. During the cold weather she would sit by the stove with her feet in the open oven, from which position she seldom stirred. Every time he left home for this city or other places, the defendant would make it a point to go to the home of her parents several miles distant in the same township, and he would be obliged to go after her. She once arose in the middle of the night and traveled on foot to a neighbor's home. Mr. Myrom said that he gave up trying to get her to live with him and applied for a divorce when members of his wife's family told him if he did not allow her to remain at her former home they would have him placed under arrest.

A child born to Mr. and Mrs. Myrom having died on March 12 this year, the case was simplified for the court. Nor did the question of alimony hold up matters, as some satisfactory arrangement had been made between husband and wife previous to the case coming up on Tuesday.

Judge Grindeland stated that he considered it the strangest divorce case ever brought before him, in that the complaint ordinarily was that the defendant used his or her tongue too freely.

Of the three other cases coming before the court at this time, that of the State of Minnesota ex rel Theo. Quale vs. John Bratrud as mayor of the city of Thief River Falls, and A. H. Akre as city clerk, was continued on the plaintiff's motion. The case of Independent school district No. 102 against the Farmers and Merchants State bank of this city and L. D. McAdams intervenor, was taken under advisement by Judge Grindeland, the counsel being given ten days in which to file briefs. That of Sam McClure and Carl Zwer vs. Ira B. Walker, Swan B. Swanson, heirs of H. Brown, H. Christianson, Ole Linstad, John Severson, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway company, Town of Sanders, and Ole Larson, C. August Carlson and Herman Ortloff, as town board of Sanders, a boundary dispute, was also taken under advisement pending the location of section corner stakes.

KOLLEN TAKES TWO FALLS FROM JENSEN; STICKS THOUGH ILL

Greater Strength of Greenbush Grappler Makes Him Victor Over Fast and Plucky Opponent.

Henry Kollen of Greenbush took Thor Jensen, St. Paul welter weight wrestler, to the mat twice in less than 80 minutes at the Lyceum theatre here on Friday night. The first fall was taken with a toe hold after six minutes of fast work in which both men displayed real professional ability.

The second fall required a little over 20 minutes of time. Jensen made good use of the body scissors, while Kollen employed a telling crotch hold. Being the most powerful of the two, the latter was at all times able to elude his adversary's scissors though noticeably taking punishment in doing so. Twice during the second period Jensen almost succeeded in pinning his man to the canvas but lost his hold because of the other's great strength. Kollen employed the crotch hold no less than three times after the first fall before he was able to make it stick long enough to get the second decision.

Jensen, easily the quickest man of the two, was not in physical trim to go into the ring. Following the match he announced from the ropes that he had been off his feed during the day and had employed medical aid. The attending physician later corroborated the wrestler's statement, saying that Jensen entered the match against his, the physician's, advice, given during the afternoon. The mat work was clean and interesting from the word go. The main event was preceded by several interesting preliminaries put on by local amateurs, the best of which was that in which Johnson of Roseau downed Johnson of Thief River Falls twice in ten minutes.

Bureau Prevents $20,000 Loss.

One county farm bureau in South Dakota is credited by the state federation with having saved its members $20,000 in nine months. The saving in checking an outbreak of anthrax in Jones county, S. D., is estimated by the state federation at $12,000; while demonstrations in prairie dog poisoning saved 800 acres for corn and other demonstrations saved 800 acres of alfalfa from grasshoppers.

Former Governor Heads Bureau.

The farm bureau movement, in its remarkable growth to power, is attracting the nation's biggest men and commanding their services. Henry C. Stuart, a practical farmer and former governor of his state, has been elected president of the Virginia Farm Bureau Federation.

Its time you were sprouting the idea to have a thrift garden this year.

LUTH. BROTHERHOOD WILL MEET IN STATE CONVENTION APRIL 20

State Organization to be Formed at Convention Held in Flour City Will Discuss Religious, Benevolent and Patriotic Subjects.

The Lutheran Brotherhood of America will hold a state convention for Minnesota at the Curtis hotel, Minneapolis, on April 20. A permanent state organization will be formed at this convention.

An elaborate, though well defined, program will be arranged. Men of national prominence are expected to take part. A large banquet will be held after the close of the last session.

A local committee of seven members has been elected to take charge of the arrangements of the convention. Dr. J. A. O. Stub, pastor of Central Lutheran church, Minneapolis, is the chairman. The other members are Otto Leonardson, Rev. J. Richard Olson, Dr. C. M. Roan, E. W. Ehlert, Byron Lindgren and Dr. Hugo Hartig. Olaf R. Kelly of Minneapolis, is the manager of the state convention.

Dr. J. A. O. Stub, president of the Lutheran Brotherhood of America, says, "Lutheran men in the state are of the firm belief that the time has arrived when definite steps should be taken in the formation of a permanent state organization. Opportunities await the church on every hand today for doing active Christian work among thousands of Lutheran men in this commonwealth. Many of these are being lost through the lack of a proper organization. The Lutheran Brotherhood affords an effective instrumentality through which they may be seized. This organization was formed for religious, benevolent and patriotic purposes. Its chief objects are to lead men into fellowship with Christ and to encourage them to be faithful to their own congregations.

"Among matters to be considered will be the erection and maintenance of club rooms and a dormitory for the benefit of the Lutheran students at the University of Minnesota."

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	$1.31
Wheat No. 2 Northern	1.28
Oats	.21
Flax	1.48
Barley	.42
Rye	1.22
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	3.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.19
Hens, light	.17
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.20
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery butter	.47
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.07
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

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April 5th, 1921

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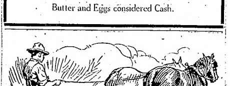

Early Seeding

EARLY SOWING of early maturing varieties of wheat, such as the Marquis, usually results in a good crop being harvested while fields of wheat which are ten days or two weeks later in development may be heavily damaged by rust when harvest time comes around. Sometimes where the soil is so heavy and rich in organic matter, early seeding is difficult, but such fields should be drained and worked as early as possible.

Twelve hundred good farmers in the states of North and South Dakota and Minnesota, when asked by us, are agreed upon this point. There is not one dissenting voice, that Marquis wheat has a better chance if it is put in the ground early.

It would be well therefore if you are going to plant more than one variety of wheat, to sow the Marquis first; then if we have a rust-free year, the Marquis will be its own best vindication in quality, quantity and price.

What the Soil Needs

THERE ARE many other things besides rust which will affect the quality and quantity of the wheat crop. We must supply the plant food elements which have been removed by continued cropping. One farmer writes:

"I believe that our wheat is easily a prey to disease because of something lacking in the soil. For instance I sold to our mill this fall $1,200.00 worth of Marquis wheat that graded No. 1 Northern and weighed 61 pounds to bushel, and I am sure it was good stuff, as I received $2.05 a bushel for it with only one-half pound per bushel dockage. In one field where lime rock sticks out in places, the finest Marquis grew this year and it was a great big plump berry. In spite of the rust I got 10 bu. per acre. I am going to try liming and a little phosphate this year and will give you the results.

"I believe something is lacking in our soil to put our spring wheat over the 'bad time,' as it is filling in and it falls by the wayside. I have lots of nitrogen and straw."

To County Agents

Wheat growing is a problem for you to solve. We urge you to conduct local seed plots and get the assistance of as many of your good farmers as possible in solving the problem. We hope you will demonstrate the value of sweet clover and other legumes, acid phosphate and limestone.

Please study carefully the procedure of your best farmers. It is worth millions to your county to conquer this problem.

Spring Wheat Crop Improvement Association
552 Security Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

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SATURDAY
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Clyde Cook
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DEATH SUMMONS DAN PATTERSON, PIONEER BANKER

Prominent Pennington County Citizen Dies From Heart Disease at St. Paul.

Was For Forty Years a Resident of St. Hilaire and Widely Known in District.

Funeral From Home Today Under Auspices of Thief River Falls Masonic Lodge.

Daniel Patterson, a pioneer resident of Pennington county, died at St. Luke's hospital, St. Paul, early Monday morning of heart disease, from which he had for some time been a sufferer. In company with Mrs. Patterson he left this city only a few days previously for the purpose of consulting specialists, and while his condition was considered grave the news of his death came as a surprise. The body arrived at St. Hilaire on Tuesday morning and the funeral will be held from the family home this afternoon under the auspices of Northern Masonic lodge of Thief River Falls, of which the dead pioneer had long been a member. He was also a charter member of the Odd Fellows lodge in his home town. Besides the Masons it is expected that a considerable number of friends of the family from this city will attend the funeral.

Was Immigrant Boy.

Born near Inverness, Scotland, on April 16, 1849, Daniel Patterson came to America when 19 years of age and for about two years worked at his trade of baker in Canada. He came to the United States in 1870 and followed the same pursuit, being employed in Chicago and Madison, Wis. Later he drove a stage coach in North Dakota during the building of the Northern Pacific railway and also followed logging on the upper Mississippi river for two or three seasons.

In 1881 Mr. Patterson landed in St. Hilaire and drove the stage coach between that village and Crookston before the advent of the railroad. He was married on Nov. 14, 1883, to Miss Anna L. Peterson at Crookston. To this union were born nine children, eight of whom, together with their mother, survive. The children are: Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, St. Hilaire; Mrs. C. F. Brantner, Aurora, Ill.; Misses Mabel, Inez, Ann, Olive and Margaret, and one son, Donald, all of whom are either employed in the neighborhood or reside at home. One daughter, Rosa Ann, died some years ago. Besides these there is a twin sister, Mrs. Ann Ross, residing in Denver, and a half sister, Mrs. J. Shaw, at Paterson, N. J.

Was Progressive Citizen.

While continuing to make St. Hilaire his residence, Mr. Patterson had substantial interests in other parts of the county. About 20 years ago, in company with C. L. Hansen, now president of the First National bank of Thief River Falls, he founded what later became the Merchants State bank of St. Hilaire and at the time of his death was vice president of the institution. He was also a director in the First National in this city. Recognized as a business man of the very highest character, he enjoyed the esteem of all with whom he came in contact and his various business enterprises prospered. He enjoyed the confidence of his neighbors and business associates to a remarkable degree, being a fine gentleman of the old school with a level head and an open hand.

BULLET MIGHT HAVE HIT MAYOR HAD THE LATTER BEEN THERE

Shot Presumably Fired From Across River Goes Through House During Absence of Owners—Dangerous Carelessness.

Thief River Falls might now be looking for a new mayor had John Bratrud, now serving in that capacity, sat down to dinner with his wife last Sunday at the usual hour. But luckily the Mayor and Mrs. Bratrud had dined that day earlier than was their wont and were not at home during the afternoon when a 25 calibre bullet entered the house, piercing two front windows and striking an oaken kitchen door from which it rebounded and rolled to the floor. When Mayor Bratrud returned home after a short absence, he immediately noted the peculiar condition of his windows which command a fine view of the river and West Thief River Falls, and upon investigation discovered a pistol ball under the dining table.

By sighting from the marred spot in the door through the broken windows, he deduced that the iron coated missle must have traveled from across the river. By seating himself at the dining table in his usual position as head of the house, and recalling the usual dining hour of a Sunday, he further deduced that had not circumstances called for an early dinner on the day in question, he might easily have "got it in the neck." The mayor's conscience is easy, however, and he is not inclined to believe that an attempt was made upon his life, even though he did have a hand in abolishing the dice box at cigar counters of the city during the past week. Rather is he inclined to believe that the bullet was from a pistol unlawfully fired at a target at some point on the opposite side of the stream, presumably near the Soo railway trestle.

While no serious damage was done on this particular occasion the incident goes to show the danger of discharging fire arms within the city limits. There is an ordinance against this kind of thing with a severe penalty attached for violation and if the parties guilty of endangering life and property are found they may have a lot of embarrassing explanations to make and wind up by paying a stiff fine or serving a jail sentence.

THE WEATHER

Received by L. M. Rayson, Local Observer.

Northern Minnesota and Dakota—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Somewhat warmer tonight.

CITY CHURCH MADE EXCELLENT RECORD DURING PAST YEAR

Annual Reports Covering Activities of Local Congregation Are Most Gratifying.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian church of this city was held in the lecture room of the church on Tuesday evening following a six o'clock dinner served in the church basement. Reports received from the church and its auxiliary organizations, in view of the financial conditions which existed during the past year, were considered as highly gratifying.

The report of the session showed 27 accessions during the past 12 months. The Ladies Aid raised more than $500; the Woman's Missionary society secured $250 for church benevolent purposes; the Christian Endeavor and the junor societies each gave $25 to mission work, while the Sunday school contributed during the past year the sum of $150, one-half of which was devoted to benevolent work. Every department of the church reported progress and excellent spirit and work. The totals for expense accounts footed up to over $3,400 and for benevolent work, $1,200.

H. C. Johnson acted as chairman of the meeting. George L. Sterns was elected to the office of ruling elder for a term of three yars to succed himself. The following were elected as a board of trustees: F. F. Haynes, O. L. Cronstrom, H. O. Loken, E. O. Mogensen, George L. Sterns, E. O. Green and H. C. Jacobson.

Verdict For Landlord Who Notified Tenant to Move

In a case taking up the entire day before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant and a jury, Bernhard Knudsen was given a verdict against C. B. Bradley. The latter, who has for some time been occupying a building belonging to Knudsen was recently notified to move and refused to comply, claiming that he had a verbal agreement with the owner which insured him possession for a term of five years altogether, which would leave the alleged lease some time yet to run. No such arrangement was admitted by Mr. Knudsen, who in the absence of further proof, was given the verdict. H. O. Chommie appeared for the plaintiff and W. J. Brown for the defendant.

Woodmen Elect Delegate to State Meeting June 4

The Modern Woodmen of America held a county convention here on Wednesday for the purpose of electing one delegate and one alternate to the state convention at Virginia on May 4. George W. Werstlein was selected as delegate and Judge N. W. Tarrant as alternate. County conventions are held but once in four years, Thief River Falls having been designated on Wednesday as the point at which the 1925 meeting will be held. Delegates present were: N. W. Tarrant, Frank Protz, E. K. Aasen, J. J. Weeks and George W. Werstlein.

Baptismal Sponsor For Girls of 3 Generations

Joyce Ruby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Olson, on Tuesday was christened at the home of Rasmus Oen, Ellef Gravlie acting as sponsor. Mr. Gravlie acted as sponsor at the christening of the child's mother, who was formerly Cora E. Oen, and that of the grandmother, Mrs. Rasmus Oen. He is 74 years of age and states that he will live to assist at the christening of the great-grandchild.

Will Postpone Production of "Nothing But the Truth"

The three-act comedy, "Nothing But the Truth," which is being produced by the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks for presentation during the month of April, will not materialize for the 15th of the month as was originally planned. The cast of characters has not as yet been completed and rehearsals have consequently been somewhat delayed. L. Nathan Pierce, under whose direction the comedy is being produced, expects that by diligent effort on the part of the local talent filling the roles, the play will be seen here during the week of April 17 to 23.

VOTERS' SCHOOL ATTRACTS MANY DISTRICT WOMEN

Two Days of Instruction Conducted Here Prove of Unusual Interest and Value.

Foremost Women Speakers of State Explain Purpose of Voters' Organization.

Banquet and Musical Program Feature One of Best Meetings Thus Far Held.

The school of instruction held here on Monday and Tuesday by the League of Women Voters of the Ninth Congressional district has been pronounced the greatest kind of a success by all who attended one or more of the meetings. Members of the Pennington county league most enthusiastically express the opinion that every voter, man or woman, would have profited greatly by attending either the morning or afternoon sessions, or both, and that those who did not attend missed an educational opportunity which will not soon be returned to this community. Delegates from many other counties were present.

Speakers Win Great Praise.

The principal speakers at the day meetings and the Monday night banquet at the Brumund hotel were Miss Margaret Wells, president of the Minnesota State League, and Miss Emily Kneubuhl, state instructor of political education. Their talks at the Monday evening banquet were particularly inspiring. It is the opinion of all who heard them that higher ideals for humanity and the world at large have never before been more forceably expressed here. Those who attended left the banquet hall thoroughly convinced that the League of Women Voters is the finest organization of its kind that has ever been started in this country.

Miss Wells spoke on the relation of the League to the political parties. The League has but two objectives, she said, the first being to furnish the women of the country with absolutely unbiased information on how to vote, the duties of the voter and pending issues before state and national legislature as well as in city and municipal government. Having secured this information they are urged to vote as their conscience may dictate. The other object of the nation-wide organization is o secure more and broader social legislation. Miss Wells is herself a typical example of the finer type of women who are being enlisted as members and workers of the League. She is a daughter of wealthy parents and priviliged to enjoy the greatest benefits that wealth might secure. Many of these she has renounced, instead devoting her time and money to furthering the interests of the woman voter in state and nation.

Made Striking Impression.

Miss Kneubuhl in her discussion of "Political Education For Women" at the banquet, proved herself well deserving of the recognition accorded her as one of the foremost women speakers of the Northwest. She is an animated talker and held her audience in closest attention throughout. She is without a doubt one of the best posted persons as to the legislative issues of the day in the entire state. She has been described as a virtual encyclopedia of general information. It is conceded that it is largely through her efforts that the Minnesota League of Women Voters is recognized as second in status only to that of New York city. Miss Kneubuhl has been asked to conduct a two weeks school of instruction in that metropolis during the coming season, a highest tribute to her ability as a speaker and organizer.

Directly following the serving of the banquet dinner on Monday evening, Miss Maude Johnson, instructor in music of the Thief River Falls schools, conducted a brisk song period in which the entire assemblage took part. Visiting delegates and lecturers speak of Miss Johnson and her ability as of the greatest benefit to the success of the evening and a distinct asset to the city.

The morning classes in public speaking which were held in the Commercial club rooms drew each day an attendance of over 30 women. Miss Kneubuhl, who conducted the classes stated that the idea was not to make women into what is generally known as "public speakers," but to assist them in feeling at ease and voicing their thoughts clearly, and logically through the forgetting of self. Further proof of the leader's ability was displayed by the fact that she succeeded in having every woman present give a short talk on an original thought.

Mayor Urges Co-Operation.

The Monday afternoon meeting opened with a vocal selection given by Miss Grace Iverson, accompanied by Miss Laura Forde at the piano. Mayor John Bratrud delivered a short address which clearly set forth a thinking man's view of the object of the League of Women Voters. He stated that it was only through intense co-operation between the men and women voters of the community, state and nation that the best of results for all concerned could be secured. His talk was filled with expressions of fine sentiment which won the approval of all who heard him. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Ninth district chairman of the League, explained the manner of organization employed for the district and spoke of the accomplishments of the body to date. Miss Wells delivered the address of the day, "The New Voter, Her Opportunity." Miss Kneubuhl answered many questions put to her by city and visiting delegates.

Before the meeting adjourned the Pennington county league voted to finance the department by imposing a fee of $1. for sustaining membership. It is to be clearly understood that any woman voter wishing to become a member of the local organization may do so without paying the membership fee, which will be paid by those sustaining members as a means of showing their belief in the policies of the League.

The Tuesday afternoon meeting opened with a vocal selection by Miss Meta Kiland, following which Mrs. J. M. Bishop addressed the assemblage on "Women in Legislative Work." Mrs. Bishop is well posted on her subject and her talk met with great approval. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher then rendered two vocal selections. Miss Kneubuhl spoke at some length on the subject of community organization, urging the cooperation in any city or community of the educational, social, industrial, business, farm, and other classes. Visiting delegates each spoke a few words as to the accomplishments of the League in their widely separated communities. A vocal selection by Mrs. G. Halvorson was followed by the serving of coffee by a volunteer committee of the local League. Miss Forde accompanied all vocal numbers on the piano.

Among the out-of-town delegates present from the Ninth district were: Mrs. O. O. Larson, district secretary, Detroit; Miss Otlina Rokke and Miss Mary Bergstrom, Strandquist; Mrs. Gillmore, Mrs. J. O. Herrick, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Stadium, chairman of Marshall county, Warren; Mrs. M. O. Phillips, first vice-chairman of the Ninth district, Mahnomen; Mrs. R. E. Spinks of Middle River and Mrs. Lena Clark, county chairman of Roseau county, Greenbush.

$2500 BLAZE CAUSED BY OILY FLOOR MOP; SECOND FIRE IN DAY

Residence of Wilhelm Michelet Badly Damaged Early Monday Morning. Palace Clothing Stock Slightly Smoked Up.

Early Monday morning fire partially destroyed the residence occupied by United States Court Commissioner Wilhelm Michelet at 505 Main avenue north. The property is owned by Swen Swenson, former Thief River Falls merchant, who now resides on a farm near Rosewood. Loss on building and household goods is estimated at over $2,500.

The rumor circulated on Monday to the effect that the blaze was due to defective wiring was false, investigation going to prove that the fire originated from the spontaneous combustion of an oil or dustless mop kept behind the wood box in the kitchen. The alarm was sent in at 3 a. m., by a member of the Michelet household. The fire department had great difficulty in mastering the blaze, which had eaten through the second floor walls and the roof, because of the dense smoke. It was fully an hour and a half before Chief Paul Midderigh pronounced the building saved.

The department was called out just 12 hours previous to the Michelet fire to extinguish one in the Palace Clothing store of which Louis Cohn is proprietor. Damage by the Sunday afternoon blaze was slight, being mostly due to smoke. It originated in a rear room of the building when burning soot dropped from a defective chimney-stop into papers beneath the chimney.

House Warming Masquerade of Elks Next Friday Night

The first dance to be given by Thief River Falls lodge of Elks in their new quarters, Citizens Bank building, will take place on Friday night. The party will be a masquerade affair to which all Elks and their ladies are invited, it being particularly desired that those residing in the nearby towns be present. The committee in charge has decided that all dancers must be masked in order to dance, the disguises being removed at midnight.

This is going to be one of the really big parties given by this lodge and it is hoped that all members will make it a point to attend. Dancing will begin at nine o'clock sharp, this being another detail insisted on by the committee. Snyder's orchestra will furnish the music, while costumes will be provided by merchants usually dealing in such things.

Record Crowd at Meeting of Silverton Farmer Club

More than one hundred and fifty persons attended the regular monthly meeting of the Silverton Farmer club which was held at the Silverton town hall on Saturday night. The matter of eradicating the barberry bush, which is conceded to be the scource of black rust, was discussed at length as was the use of phosphate as a commercial fertilizer and stock food. Many farmers present at the meeting expressed a detrmination to give the phosphate a thorough try-out during the coming season. An entertaining program and a spelling match for the "old folks" were features of the evening's entertainment. A splendid lunch was served to the large gathering by the farm wives shortly before midnight.

COUNTY BOARDS MAY HELP FIGHT BARBERRY BUSH

Bill Enacted By Legislature Permits Their Appropriating $500 For Purpose.

State Also May Provide $25,000 For Detailed Survey of Red Lake River Basin.

Annual Appropriation of $4,000 to Help Work of Development Association.

C. G. Selvig and Joseph Ball returned from St. Paul Saturday morning, very much pleased over the week's developments regarding legislation that this section of the state is interested in, says the Crookston Times. As a committee representing the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, they urged legislation looking toward the complete eradication of the rust-producing barberry. A suggestion made by them that county boards be authorized to expend not to exceed $500 annually for the anti-barberry campaign, was speedily enacted into law. Senator Cumming had the bill prepared and it passed both Senate and House under suspension of the rules, and is now a law. An annual appropriation of $25,000 advocated by the Development Association and supported by resolutions passed at numerous valley meetings, was approved by both the Senate and House committees and will be voted when the appropriation bills are brought up for final action. Several prolonged and weighty discussions of the destructive action of black rust from the barberry were a feature of the week, according to Mr. Selvig, who says that Joseph Ball held the entire committee spellbound. While at the St. Francis hotel he was dubbed "Barberry Joe." Former Representative John H. Boyd was present also during a part of the week interviewing his former associates regarding Red River Valley needs, and helping to create a real Red River Valley atmosphere in the Saintly City. A. D. Stephens and S. M. Sivertson were also legislative visitors during the week.

Both the House and Senate committees heard Messrs. Selvig and Ball explain the work of the Red River Valley Live Stock association. Later the Senate Finance Committee, upon Senator Cumming's motion, voted to appropriate $4,000 annually for the association. Several members of the committee complimented the association upon its enterprise in providing the substantial building and staging such wonderful shows. The House Committee is in favor of the same amount and favorable action is expected. The item will be brought up in that committee by Representative John Perry as soon as it is reached in the regular routine of business. Much credit is due Senator Cumming and Representative Perry, as well as the members of the legislature from this section of the state in standing by this "baby" organization. Others, also, from central and southern Minnesota, gave invaluable encouragement and support and they said they were glad to support so worthy an undertaking.

Late yesterday afternoon, Superintendent Selvig, as chairman of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board, appeared before the senate committee in support of an appropriation of $25,000 for a detailed working survey of the Red Lake basin, preparatory to lowering the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers. Others appeared in behalf of the Minnesota Valley. The committee voted this amount also. The House Committee has this matter under advisement, with favorable action expected there. This is the most important drainage project under way in the entire state. With the passage of this appropriation completed, plans will be prepared as soon as it is possible for the engineers to do so.

Welterweight Grapplers Meet Here This Month

Goldsmith, welterweight wrestler of Crystal, N. D., who holds the finest kind of a record for work on the mat, will meet Henry Kollen of Greenbush here on the night of April 22, according to a wire received late Wednesday evening by Kollen's managers.

CAMPING GROUNDS AND SITES FOR PARKS LUNCHEON SUBJECTS

At the Thursday noonday luncheon of the Commercial club, the matter of getting behind the concerted opposition to the passing in the state legislature of a wheelage tax law was referred to the club legislative committee with the understanding that the civic body go on record as being emphatically opposed to the plan. The proposed law would promit any city in the state to impose a tax of one mill on automobiles over and above all other motor vehicle taxes. Two cities, Duluth and St. Paul, now impose such a tax. While opinion was expressed that in all probability Thief River Falls would never be called upon to levy such a tax for purely local purposes, it was voted to take the above mentioned action on behalf of those cities which would be materially affected.

The problem of providing a camping ground for automobile tourists was also brought up before the club by members of the Pennington county Automobile association. A committee reported to the effect that after conducting an investigation, it had been decided that the tract of river-shore property on the south side known as Lovers Lane offered the greatest possibilities as a quiet, shaded retreat for tourists passing through Thief River Falls. No action was taken by the club at this time other than that of referring the matter to a public welfare committee which is yet to be appointed. This committee will be made up of two members of the Girls Community club, two members of the Woman's Civic club and two members of the Commercial club. Two members of the Merchants association will also be requested to confer with the committee on the subject.

The attendance at the club luncheon was again exceptional, over 50 business men of the city being present.

GROWERS ENDORSE COMMITTEE OF 17 MARKETING PLAN

Curbing of Speculation Considered Most Important Feature Connected With Plan.

Complete machinery by which the farmers of the country may take over the marketing of grain on a cooperative basis was laid before the national conference of grain growers at Chicago yesterday. Plans were presented by the committee of 17, which has been working on a cooperative grain handling system for the past six months and which called today the ratification conference. While the plans were given their final touches only late last night they differ in no essential details from those previously worked out by the committee, its members stated.

Pressure from several quarters for the compulsory pooling of grain did not succeed in winning endorsement. The plan calls for pooling at option.

Curbing of speculation in grain is set forth in the final report of the committee as one of the chief aims of the proposed plan. Declaring there was speculation in grain that "almost staggers all human comprehension" the committee said in its judgment the "only adequate remedy" was to "enter extensively into the business of grain distribution, merchandising grain as the products of other industries are merchandised."

Establishment of a corporation known as the United States Grain Growers, Inc., is provided for by the laws of the corporation.

FACULTY PLAY IS WELL PRESENTED; ORCHESTRA A HIT

"Charley's Aunt" Greatly Appreciated While Work of Orchestra Proves Revelation.

"Charley's Aunt" as staged by the school faculty under the direction of L. Nathan Pierce at the city auditorium on Wednesday night was a pleasing and entertaining success in every way. The comedy is an old one but it offers great scope for the display of real talent. The many humorous situations and lines fill all the requirements of such a production. G. B. Melby, playing Lord Fancourt Babberly, Oxford student who assumed the role of "Charley's Aunt," was without a doubt the hit of the evening, taking the feminine role with admirable versatility. F. A. Tripp as Jack Chesney, Oxford undergraduate, worked into his character with truly proffessional ability. J. J. McCann as Charley Wykeham, and Albert Tommeraasen as Col. Sir Francis Chesney, late of the Indian service, took heavy-speaking roles. Other members of the cast were: C. W. Pope, S. Carl Sundahl, Edna Ryff, Margaret Mealey, Irene Patrick and Olga Lofgren. The feminine roles were played, without exception, in a pleasing manner.

With the exception of Mr. McCann and Mr. Sundahl, the cast was made up by members of the school faculty. The comedy was staged for purely entertainment purposes and not as a dramatic work, the proceeds going to cancel the indebtedness of the high school athletic department. Over 700 persons witnessed the production.

An added and rivaling feature of the evening was the first public appearance here of the concert orchestra of 13 pieces recently organized under the direction of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet. The orchestrations, including the Escanaba overture composed by Edward Hazel, and the "Calif of Bagdad" by Boieldieu, were meritoriously played and won prolonged applause from the large audience. The talent displayed in the several numbers rendered was a distinct surprise to those present and much favorable comment is being heard. The director and the individual musicians are to be congratulated upon the marked success scored by the orchestra's first appearance. The personnel of the new organization is as follows: First violins, F. S. Ebert, Mrs. August Holmberg, H. S. Snyder; second violins, Joseph Votava, Lorraine Will; cello, Lyman Fossum; bass viol, Theo. J. Hagen; clarinet, George Loken; flute, Chas. E. Cruzan; cornet, P. G. Peterson; trombone, Perry Froseth; drums, Clarence Andrews; piano, Jessie Barnett. The orchestra will be increased to 20 pieces in the near future.

TEACHERS WANT MORE PAY; ONLY 13 MAY RETURN

Thief River Falls Facing Same Situation as Confronts Many Other Municipalities.

Declared Intention of Denying Further Salary Advances Given as Main Reason.

One Department Cut Out and Two Others Curtailed in Order to Lessen Expense.

Of the fifty-six teachers now employed in the Thief River Falls schools, three from the high school staff and ten from the graded schools have signed contracts to return for the term of 1921-22. The board of education distributed contracts a fortnight ago with the stipulation that they be returned, signed or unsigned, not later than April 4. To date but thirteen contracts have been signed. Several of the teachers, whose going will be felt as a keen loss by the community, have requested a raise in salary. The school board at a meeting held on March 21 voted that no increase in salaries would be granted, the aim being to lower, if possible, the cost of maintaining the schools. It is now thought that if this action had not been taken many more of the teachers would have contracted to return for the coming year.

Want More Money.

Mathew A. Schmitt and Clarence W. Pope will return as manual training instructors and Miss Minnie Leavitt, as instructor of English in the high school. Grade teachers who will return are: Miss May Bark, Miss Valborg O. Sandum, Miss Maude Frissell, Miss Ida C. Tandberg, Miss Olga Lindquist, Miss Carrie E. Trogen, Miss Gladys N. Smith, Miss Viola Nepper, Miss Francis Wengeler and Miss Edna Larson. Miss Lorna Dodge may also return but has not as yet handed in her signed contract.

Mrs. L. G. Larsen, secretary of the board of ducation, on Tuesday stated that without a doubt higher salaries would have to be offered to fill the vacancies existing in the teacher staff for the coming term, as applications received by her carry with them demands for not less than $130 or $135 per month from normal and college graduates who are as yet without actual teaching experience. Superintendents who applied for the position as head of the city schools to fill the vacancy arising through the resignation of Superintendent W. A. Ziegler, asked for more money than has ever been paid by this city. Mrs. Larsen also stated that two normal graduates who applied in person for positions on the teacher staff informed her that heads of normal schools and colleges are upholding teachers in their demands for greater pay, suggesting that they should not consider taking positions paying less than twelve to fifteen hundred dollars per school term, this being for inexperienced instructors. Other members of the school board were of the opinion that an increase in salary would not result in holding all of the teachers now employed here over another term. The situation as pictured above is not peculiar to Thief River Falls alone, many cities, including Cass Lake and Bemidji, find themselves confronted by the same problem.

May Try Night Course.

It was also voted on March 21 to discontinue the high school agricultural course and the commercial department, and to reduce the staff of the domestic science department to such an extent that it can be supervised by one instructor. This course of action was decided upon after consideration of the most feasible means of lowering operating expenses. The action of the board in this respect is meeting with censure to a certain degree. President H. W. Froehlich has said that he will gladly call a mass meeting to discuss the situation and learn the will of the tax payers if a petition can be circulated and enough signers secured to indicate clearly that the continuance of the courses is desired by the city at large. This particularly refers to the commercial course. Other members of the board would favor offering a night commercial course, as being of benefit to those not attending high school. Still other members would not favor the calling of a public meeting because of the belief that the school board pursued the only course consistent with the complaint on the part of some that the schools were costing too much money to operate.

Inspect Paving in Many State Cities This Week

T. L. Melgaard, T. P. Hamre, R. McGinn and Carl B. Larson, prominent business men of this city, left here on Sunday night for points in Minnesota where they will inspect bitulithic and other paving with a view to ascertaining which kind is giving the greatest satisfaction and proving the most durable. The committee of four represent the city at large. This tour of inspection is the outcome of several months' controversy over the advisability of paving the streets throughout the business section of Thief River Falls during the coming summer. Among other places the party will visit the twin cities, southern Minnesota points, St. Cloud, Fargo and Grand Forks.

Imperfect Page

Society and Club

Birthday Party.

Little Bessie Thompson celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary by entertaining a number of her little friends at a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Thompson, on Monday afternoon. Those present were: Helen Griebstein, Violet and Opal Rhodeguard, Earl Johnson, Bertram and Ora Mosleth, Clifford Froehlich, James Barnett, Grace Sandum, Marcella McGinn, Margaret Evenson, Millard and Truman Nelson and Helen Wasgren.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on April 13th at 3:00 o'clock in the basement of the Trinity Lutheran church. At this meeting Miss Rosette Hendrix, state president of the Woman's Christian Temperance union will be present. Everyone is invited to attend. A special invitation is extended to mothers with children. In the evening at 8 o'clock at the Presbyterian church, Miss Hendrix, who is one of the most able speakers in the state, will give an interesting talk which will cary a message which none can afford to miss.

Surprise Party.

A number of school friends of Elizabeth Baker surprised her at her home, 220 Main avenue south last Wednesday afternoon. Games and music furnished amusement for the guests. A delicious lunch followed the play hour. Those present were: Verna Brandon, Fern Collins, Bernadette Waldorf, Margaret Thill, Theresa Amon, Margaret Eastmen, Arda Adkins, Ethel Richards, Helen Langevin, Ruth Moline, Bessie Carlson and Rose Sheedy.

Auxiliary to Entertain.

The Womans' Auxiliary to the Elmer Eklund post will entertain members of the Legion at the Masonic hall on the evening of April 19. A special entertainment committee has been appointed and something unusual in the way of a good time is promised for this month's "open house." Legionnaires are requested to keep the date in mind as a record attendance is the objective of the Auxiliary.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club will meet on Monday afternoon, April 11, in the Commercial club rooms. The program will include a ladies' trio by Mrs. C. A. Nason, Mrs. G. W. Booren and Mrs. Briggs. Current events will be led by Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, lesson 11, "City Improvement," with Mrs. W. A. Ziegler as leader. The meeting will commence promptly at 3:30 o'clock.

Community Girls' Club.

The Community Girls' club will meet Monday evening, April 11, at the Commercial club rooms. A short program consisting of a vocal solo, by Miss Grace Iverson, piano solo by Miss Gorda Mortonson and a reading "An Indan Legend," by Mrs. Daniel Shaw, will be given. Also important matters of business will be brought up so it is the urgent wish of the chairman that everyone be present.

Halvorson-Hendel

Announcements have been received by relatives of the marriage of Ruby Halvorson of Minneapolis, only daughter of Chris Halvorson of this city, to George Hendel, also of Minneapolis, at the latter named place, on March 30. Mrs. Hendel is well known to local people as she resided in this city a couple of years ago. Her many friends here will wish her all the joys of a happy wedded life.

Entertains.

Several of the teachers were entertained by Miss Vivian Swift at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, on Friday evening. The guests included Misses Ella and Marian Miller, Grace Iverson, Esther Johnson, Maude Johnson, Lillian Poppitz, Irene Patrick, Margaret Dix, Margaret Mealy, Florence Gallager, Signe Svedahl and Ruth Elliott.

Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet on Thursday afternoon, in the church basement, and will be entertained by Mrs. A. A. Dybvig, Mrs. L. Fossum, Mrs. E. B. Bakke, Mrs. J. J. Weeks. Everybody welcome.

Entertain at Dinner.

The members of the Legion basket ball team, Coach G. W. Connell and Referee Perry Johnson, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn at their home on Sunday evening.

Jenson-Kinsela.

Carl Jenson and Mrs. Lottie Kinsela, both of this city, were united in marriage on Saturday evening, April 2, at the Presbyterian manse, Rev. R. L. Barackman officiating. Only a few intimate friends were present.

Birthday Anniversary.

Nine of the little friends of Areal Kinghorn were entertained at her home on Friday afternoon the occasion being her birthday anniversary.

RAIL AND SHOP

A. W. Swerine, operator at Mahnomen, who has been absent from duty for several weeks, on account of having the smallpox, resumed work on Friday, relieving C. W. Stewart, who in turn relieved L. E. Whiting, second trick operator, granted a leave of absence.

W. L. Presse on Monday relieved C. W. Stewart at Mahnomen, the latter having been transferred to Fairdale as relief agent. L. E. Whiting resumed work on Tuesday, relieving Mr. Presse, who was transferred to Plummer, where he relieved E. J. Langevin, granted a leave of absence.

C. W. Ernest, agent at Egeland, who spent the winter in Florida, resumed work on Tuesday, relieving A. E. Peterson, who was transferred to Alsen where he relieved L. M. Halvorson, granted a leave of absence.

D. C. Paine, operator at Thief River Falls, resumed work on Monday after having spent a week with his parents at Erskine.

Thief River Falls travelers over the division during the last week were: Mrs. Niels Nielsen to Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. L. Qualey to Warren; I. O. Pederson to Minneapolis; Daniel Parenteau to Plummer; Mrs. C. H. Bartlett and little son to Minneapolis; Mrs. Jens Alnuson to St. Paul; Arthur Berg to Minneapolis; John Linde to Minneapolis; Gust Wollen to Bemidji; Mrs. H. H. Arhart to Minneapolis; Mollie Hermanson to Minneapolis; Sigvard Anderson to Bemidji; Mrs. Arthur Belland to Oklee; Alice Bugge to Bemidji; Bernard Burggraf to Dent;

Mrs. F. E. Nelson to Minneapolis; Testa D. Hendry to Minneapolis.

Joseph Kofski.

Last evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Paula E. Gray, occurred the death of Joseph Kofski aged 82 years. The deceased had been in perfect health until he contracted a cold a short while ago which quickly developed into pneumonia. He was born in Germany and came to this country 39 years ago locating in the city of St. Paul where he remained for 36 years. The past three years he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Paula Gray in this city. Five daughters, two sons and 14 grandchildren and 5 great-grand-children are left to mourn his demise. The body will be shipped to St. Paul tonight for burial on Saturday.

Churches

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school discontinued to enable morning service to begin at 10 o'clock. The following class will be examined and confirmed: Dorothy Lillie, Eleanor Lonson, Esther Meyer, Irene Roemhildt. Evening worship with Holy Communion at 7:30. Both services will be held in the English language.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Revival meeting beginning Friday at 2 p. m., and lasting over Sunday. Rev. O. M. Bakke from Battle Lake and Ev. Wm. Wusvik from Fargo, will conduct this meeting. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday the 7th at 3 p. m. entertained by Mrs. Linn and Mrs. Haraldson. Zion Y. P. S. meeting Thursday evening the 7th, entertained by the society. Service at Rindal church, Rosewood on Sunday at 11 a. m. Confirmants meet on Saturday at 10 a. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, April 10: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning and evening service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Young Peoples meeting on Tuesday at 8 p. m. Prayer service Thursday at 8 p. m. Mrs. Chas. Gustafson will entertain the ladies' aid on Thursday, April 14th, at 2:30 p. m., at her home, 705 Knight Ave. N. All welcome.

S. D. A. Mission—"The Beast, the Man, the Number, Who Is 666?" This will be the subject for Sunday evening, April 10, at 7:45. Stereopticon pictures in connection. Service in the English language on Saturday, April 9, at 3:00 p. m. Sabbath school at 2 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m., church basement. Divine services in Norwegian at 11 a. m. Sunday in English at 7:45 p. m. Junior choir meets every Tuesday evening, the regular choir every Thursday evening for rehearsal at Larson's store at 7:30 p. m. The ladies meets in the church parlors Thursday, April 14th, Mesdames Andrew Dybvig, J. J. Weeks, Mrs. L. Fossum and E. B. Bakke are the hostesses. The Young Peoples league meets Thursday evening, April 14th. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30. There is room for you in the Bible class. Six weeks of parochial school will be held this summer *with Reuben Aga, Helen Weeks and* Evelyn Tessum as teachers.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, April 10 English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. Holy Communion will be celebrated, and a special collection will be taken for Synodical purposes.

Christian Science—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the city auditorium. Subject, Sunday, April 10: "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same place is open each Tuesday and Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, April 10: 10 a. m., Sunday school. There is room in our class for a few more pupils. 11 a. m., public worship. Sermon theme: "Lovest Thou Me?" Special music supplied by the Young Peoples choir. 7 p. m., evening worship. An able representative of the Anti-Saloon League will present the work of that still needed organization. The Junior choir will supply the special music. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. "How Does Christ Wish His Day to Be Spent?" Matt. 12:1-13.

ELKS PREPARE FOR SEASON'S BUSINESS; THE COMMITTEES

Preparing to Do Their Share Toward Swelling National Membership to Million.

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks want a membership of one million by the time the grand lodge convenes at Los Angeles in July and every subordinate lodge in the country will try and provide its share of the total. Exalted Ruler H. W. Protzeller of No. 1308, had this fact in mind when he appointed committees for the coming year, his aim being to put men at the head of different activities in that lodge who would work to keep interest at a high pitch.

Thief River Falls lodge, according to the district deputy exalted ruler last year made the best record of any in the state, with the possible exception of Minneapolis, and it is the desire to improve on this showing during 1921-22. With a fine progressive program announced and energetic committees to look after its progress the lodge should hang up a record for growth.

The committees announced for the year are as follows:

House committee: Harry Brumund, chairman; F. H. Herrick and C. W. Vorachek.

Building committee: F. H. Herrick, chairman; Math Barzen, A. Anderson, Loren Johnson, G. Howard Smith, C. A. Nason, T. L. Melguard, W. A. Barnard, W. W. Prichard, Jr., L. A. Lampert, L. D. McAdams, G. W. Connell, John Bratrud. F. W. Skogren, Lancaster; George Marvin, Warroad, and Frank Johnson, Mahnomen.

Show and entertainment committee: L. A. Lampert, chairman; G. W. Connell, L. H. Lawrence, W. W. Prichard, Jr., and George Loken. This com- Jr., and George Loken.

Initiation committee: Andy Anderson, chairman; Alf. Borry, W. R. Patterson, L. D. McAdams, Chester Barden, Oscar Olson, Willis Akre, Ole Legvold, Fred Protz, E. O. Mogensen, and L. G. Larsen.

Membership committee: Loren Johnston, chairman; L. G. Larsen, Chris Storholm, Ferdie Brown, Andy Anderson, Joe Eisenpeter, Chester Barden, and Frank Johnson of Mahnomen.

Attendance committee: T. J. Austad, chairman; Roy Lambert, F. E. McGinn, Abe Sapero and John Hendry.

Lunch, picnic and refreshment committee: Louis DeCremer, chairman; Julian Provencher, Chris Storholm, Joe Zavoral, S. C. Simonson, Harold Provencher, Harry Brumund and E. M. Stanton, Jr.

Sick and visiting committee; Pat Keating, chairman; John Robinson, Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, Dr. L. F. Fisher and F. F. Haynes.

Charity committee: L. G. Larsen, chairman; W. W. Prichard, Jr., John Bratrud, E. F. Dolan, Dr. O. F. Mellby. Frank Johnson, Mahnomen; Wm. Peterson, Lancaster; Geo. Marvin, Warroad; Geo. Johnson, Grygla; E. C. Middleton, Baudette; Samuel Holdahl, Roseau; Arvid Carlson, Middle River; Anton Carlson, Holt; David Lofgren, Greenbush; Wm. Lofgren, Karlstad; Robert Alexander, Orleans; A. Morrisette, Plummer and I. C. Myrbo, Viking.

Flag Day committee: W. B. Fuller, chairman; H. O. Chommie and L. H. Lawrence.

Memorial committee: L. G. Larsen, chairman; E. O. Mogensen, W. A. Barnard and R. M. Sheldon.

Auditing committee: W. H. BonDurant, Math Barzen, Chris Storholm, George Werstlein and Ben Dalquist.

By-Laws committee: E. M. Stanton, chairman; P. W. Mabey and G. Howard Smith.

Dance committee: G. W. Connell, chairman; Lawrence Hermanson, Clarence Andrews and G. W. Booren.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION Of The Sons of Norway Building Corporation of Thief River Falls.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the undersigned, have associated and do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the Laws of the State of Minnesota; and to that end we do hereby execute under our hands and seals the following Articles of Incorporation, to-wit:

FIRST—The name of this corporation shall be "The Sons of Norway Building Corporation of Thief River Falls."

SECOND—The general nature of its business shall be the buying and selling of real and personal property to be used for fraternal and social purposes only, and specifically the owning, creation, construction, and operation of a building together with the ground on which it shall be situated, to be used as a place for holding meetings for fraternal and social purposes only, and specifically for the use of Snorre Lodge No. 70, of the order of Sons of Norway, and members thereof. Said building shall be erected and located within the corporation limits of the city of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota.

THIRD—The said corporation shall commence on the 28th day of March 1921, and shall continue for a period of thirty years.

FOURTH—The names and places of residence of the incorporators are as follows: Bernhard Knudsen, Edward H. Ness, Tilfred Releroon, Lars H. Larsen, Jorgen Eide, E. K. Aasen, C. C. Gulrud, Ole O. Nesja and H. S. Dahlen, all residing in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

FIFTH—The government of this corporation and the management of the same shall be vested in a board of nine trustees, consisting of its President, Vice-president, Secretary and Treasurer, and five other directors, all of whom shall be elected at the regular meeting of the stockholders, to be held annually on the first Thursday after the first Wednesday in January. The first board of trustees shall consist of the following members: Bernhard Knudsen, President; Edward Ness, Vice-president; Tilfred Releroon, Secretary; Lars H. Larsen, Treasurer; Jorgen Eide, E. K. Aasen, C. C. Gulrud, Ole O. Nesja and H. S. Dahlen, who shall hold office until the first annual meeting and until their successors are elected and qualified.

SIXTH—The amount of the capital stock shall be Fifteen Thousand Dollars, ($15,000.00), which shall be divided into three hundred (300) shares of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) per share par value.

SEVENTH—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the Corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Eight Thousand Dollars ($8,000.00).

EIGHTH—Members in this corporation shall be entitled to only one vote, regardless of the number of shares of stock owned; and no person shall be entitled to become a member hereof, or to vote, unless in good standing a member of Snorre Lodge No. 70 of the Order of Sons of Norway, of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 23rd day of March, A. D. 1921.

Signed, Sealed and Executed in the Presence of:

H. O. CHOMMIE.
E. M. STANTON.

BERNHARD KNUDSEN (Seal)
EDWARD H. NESS (Seal)
TILFRED RELERSON (Seal)
LARS H. LARSEN (Seal)
JORGEN EIDE (Seal)
E. K. AASEN (Seal)
C. C. GULRUD (Seal)
OLE O. NESJA (Seal)
H. S. DAHLEN (Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Pennington, ss.

On this 23rd day of March, 1921, before me a notary public within and for said county and State personally appeared Bernhard Knudsen, Edward H. Ness, Tilfred Relerson, Lars H. Larson, Jorgen Eide, E. K. Aasen, C. C. Gulrud, Ole O. Nesja, H. S. Dahlen, to be personally known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn. My commission expires June 18, 1926.
(Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book L-4 of Incorporations on page 515.

MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS,
County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 7th day of April A. D. 1921, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in book J of Miscellaneous on page 152.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
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Thief River Cafe
APRIL 10
Consomme Royal en Cups, 10c
Cavaire Canapes, 20c
Eggs and Lettuce Salad, 25c Queen Olives, 15c
Dill Pickles, 10c
Combine of Liver and Bacon, Country Gravy, 60c
Breaded Veal Chops, 55c Breaded Pork Chops, 65c
Small Steak Smothered with Onions, 60c
Club House Steak (stripped) with Bacon, 75c
Special T-Bone Steak, $1.00
Virginia Style Ham and Eggs, 75c
New Spinach, 15c; Fried Parsnips, 15c
Buttered Peas, 25c
Bananas in Cream, 20c Sliced Orange, 15c
Grape Fruit, 20c
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Silk Petticoats	$2.98
Tie-Back Sweaters	$2.98
New Skirts	$3.98 TO $9.90
Ladies' Rain Coats	$9.90 TO $14.75
Children's Coats	$4.98 TO $11.90
Children's Hats	98c TO $2.98
Scout, Percale and Seersucker Gingham Aprons	83c

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6x9 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$7.50
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9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$14.75
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Ladies Comfort Slippers	$2.49 TO $2.98
Girls' School Shoes	$1.98 TO $2.49
Children's School Shoes	$1.75 TO $2.98
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Infant's Slippers	$1.39 TO $1.98
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Men's Top Coats and Raincoats	$6.90 TO $19.75
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Silk Stripe dress Shirts	$2.98
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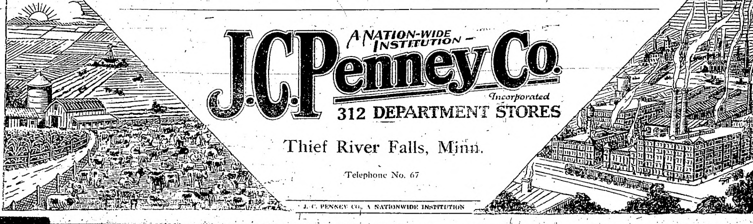

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CUTTING SCHOOL COSTS.

The school board in charge of educational matters in Thief River Falls is in somewhat of a quandary. There is a more or less well defined demand that expenses be cut on the one hand, while on the other there is very serious objection to efficiency being in any manner curtailed. The board cannot so steer its course as to meet the requirements of both sides.

In an effort to reduce expenses it was decided at a recent meeting to eliminate the commercial and agricultural courses from the curriculum of the high school for the present, at the same time cutting down the domestic science division to a point that would permit of its being taken charge of by one instructor. Before this action was taken the board members gave the matter very serious consideration and came to the conclusion that until such time as conditions in general assumed a more nearly normal aspect some such economy would prove advisable.

It quickly developed that while the move might be necessary it was not particularly popular. Especially did objection to the abandonment of the commercial department develop. It was pointed out that several students had elected to take his course a year or two ago and that it would work an injustice to have them thus suspended without an opportunity of completing it. A further contention is that the one department turning out a somewhere near finished product has been the commercial. A student finishing this course in high school required very little additional training in order to step into a position commanding a suffcient salary to provide a livelihood, something that cannot be maintained for any other division in the school with the exception of the normal. An education along commercial lines is something that every boy particularly should have, while only girls expecting to make use of the course in the future would select it in the first place.

Under these conditions it is not surprising to find that there is objection to its being dropped.

The board will do whatever the taxpayers desire in this matter. It was not the wish to do anything that would lower the efficiency of the school. The aim was simply to lower the cost in some degree, and the board members took the only way open. Refusal to grant increases in teachers' wages comes under the same head and this does not at the present promise to meet with any greater success.

It has been suggested that a meeting of taxpayers and the members of the school board should be called for the purpose of talking the matter over. While public meetings called in such instances are seldom productive of much good, yet such a move might have the effect of at least letting the board know where the majority stands. If the taxpayers are willing to pay the costs nothing will be eliminated from the high school courses. If, however, there is proved to be a widespread demand for lower costs, something will have to give way. We cannot have all the departments now maintained and a lowering of school taxes at the same time.

The matter is largely up to the people themselves. The board will gladly continue not only the commercial course, but will reinstate the agricultural branch as well as the more extended normal division if it is so desired. A meeting may prove the wise thing.

LOOKING FORWARD.

For the past twenty years Thief River Falls has been busy growing—has been too busy doing that to look far into the future and lay plans for a park which would be in keeping with the rest of the city. But the time is coming, if it is not already here, when the issue can no longer be dodged. Park sites once available have been devoted to other purposes, residential or industrial. The best of these, naturally, lie along the Red Lake river and all hope of ever acquiring them except by outright purchase at a high price must be abandoned.

E. M. Stanton at a Commercial club luncheon held early in February spoke of the natural qualifications of the old Kretzschmar property located at the south end of LaBree avenue between the avenue and the river and directly adjacent to the power dam. Those acquainted with the spot can readily see the possibilities which it offers in the way of parking. With the removal of the antiquated and unused residence, the trimming out of trees and a small amount of filling in of low places—behold, a more than fair start toward a park of which any city might well be proud. But:

Having accomplished that much it would not do to stop there more than temporarily. Looking forward five, ten or fifteen years, an option should be secured on all of that property now devoted to residence purposes, to the east of LaBree avenue and as far north as the Winton-Nichols property, with a view to purchase for purely park purposes. To be sure, it could not now be bought for a song—but can property abutting the river in any section of the city be purchased for that? No, the day has long since passed and no matter which property is purchased it is going to cost real money. Consider the qualifications, natural and otherwise which the above mentioned tract possesses.

It is the one location, which if properly parked, would serve equally as well the residents of both east and west sides of the river, for it is, above all else, centrally located. The contour of the land is pleasing, sloping as it does gradually south to the damsite, which will one day be modernized and sightly. The residence properties are already graced by many beautiful trees and the river bank itself is bountifully supplied with such. The objection may be offered that the bank at this point is too high and too steep to permit approach o the river. Possibly, but the park need not necessarily be designed for beach purposes. Visit the parks of this or foreign countries and you will find that many, if not all, of the more beautiful ones are located on heights of land from which a splendid panoramic view is obtainable. The commonplace park will be found on a smooth or lower piece of ground, its very location making it such.

Looking forward a few years more, the park might eventually grow to the extent of including all of that territory on the east side of LaBree and south of First street. The lumber yard and buildings of the Winton-Nichols company are not at present in the most advantageous location in the industrial section of the city and later arrangements could undoubtedly be made to move the entire establishment at the city's expense to another location equally, if not more, suitable, the same to be purchased by the city at this time when good sites are still available. The unused church could be likewise disposed of, if necessary. This plan for a truly beautiful city park which would materialize in its entirety many years hence, is submitted without accompanying financial plan. It would, in truth, be financed as parks are in other cities, where many thousands of dollars, and ofttimes millions, are spent for the one purpose of making the surroundings more beautiful and habitable.

A GENEROUS RESPONSE.

Millions of lives undoubtedly have been saved through the prompt response of the American people to the appeal for aid sent out by those in charge of Chinese famine relief. Every community in the state, large and small, has contributed something toward alleviating the terrible suffering which these people on the other side of the globe are undergoing and the total is something to be proud of. In reporting for the week just past, state headquarters says:

"Hamlets as well as larger towns are hearkening splendidly to China's moan of despair, according to Harry R. Wilbern, associate secretary of the state famine fund committee. Among the weeks' developments he reports:

"In Northfield, St. Olaf's college gathered $400 and St. John's Lutheran church $550, sent by Rev. L. W. Boe. A tag day in Thief River Falls netted $265.89 and the good work goes on. Miss E. P. Slipp sent a check from the First Congregational church in Brainerd for $101.50. At Little Falls N. N. Bergheim of the Civic League is interesting churches and lodges in the work. A. A. Habedank of Ada sent in $616.60. The First M. E. church at Adrian raised $126 and Blackduck citizens $159.85. From Lakefield, Rev. F. H. Harvey sent $200, collected in his church. Sleepy Eye is planning a tag day and the city is showing great interest. The Union Congregational church of Glenwood, Rev. J. H. Yaggy, pastor, reports with $150, and $92.71 came from Rev. R. P. Upton of the Presbyterion church at Cottonwood. C. C. Campbell, editor of the Ellendale Eagle, started a subscription in his newspaper office and secured $70.

"According to word received at state headquarters this week from the national committee, between five and six million starving Chinese have been rescued through the generosity of American contributors. About ten million remain to be cared for."

EFFERVESCENCE

"Deputy Sheriff is Reported Improving." Now and then ther's need of it.

A city is a municipality in which a dress suit has ceased to be a community affair.

The country lad will soon be in the field seeding; the city sport is already on the road speeding.

"Viviani Pleads With Harding For League." As long as we apparently have little or no use for it, why not give it to him?

In the border states the liquor runner is still held up by the ever watchful arm of the law, even though on the other side of the line he has been upheld by the Canadian courts.

It is doubtful which has the auto-itch the worse this spring, the man who is waiting to unhitch the old girl or the man who still dreams about the boat he 's going to have some day.

Even this far north the snow banks are now pretty well thawed out. With the coming of the finer weather and the picking up of business in general, the other kind, too, are rapidly thawing.

Can it be that the women of the country who are urging administration support of legislation "to remove existing discriminations against American women," are willing to go the entire way?

The San Joaquin valley raisin crop for the past year sold for petty close to $50,000,000—which is rather awe-inspiring when one stops to think of the awful kick reputed to be contained in a single raisin.

That some of the "royalty" of Europe are getting down pretty close to their uppers is evidenced by the fact that the Duke of Hesse has been reduced to selling his bed room furniture. The next step will undoubtedly be an interesting one.

Ximenes, famous Italian sculptor, was heard to remark after viewing the paddock fashion parade at the Longchamps opening, which this week ushered in the Paris season, "I have not seen a perfect leg or arm yet, but in a similar crowd in New York I could have picked dozens." From the lengthy newspaper accounts which describe the opening it is evident that if those on parade had possessed the necessary requisites of limb, Senor Ximenes would have seen them.

Consistency is the last item considered in the movie drama, it would seem. For ins: In a scene laid in Alaska some half century ago, the heroine wears a very up-to-date coiffure and the latest thing in the way of fur coats; slides down hill on a modern toboggan and takes the time from a wrist watch. The smiling, curly-haired hero first appears in a nifty-belted-back tweed coat and a well-fitting pair of army boots which might have seen service in the late A. E. F., and later strums a love ditty on a ukulele.

Why Pick On Us?

Thief River Falls clothing dealers are in receipt of a folder from a prominent Iowa dealer in which he says:

The woods are full of amateur economists who claim that prices of clothing, underwear, hosiery, shirts, sweaters, sleepingwear, etc., will shortly return to pre-war levels.

Will they?

Yes, sure they will—

When hard coal is back at $9 per ton;
When railroad fares are back at 2c per mile;
When house rent is back at $25.00 per month;
When gasoline is back at 10c per gallon;
When telephones are back at $1 per month;
When a square meal is back at a quarter;
When farm labor is back at $25 per month;
When gas is back at 90c;
When shaves are back at 10c;
When the freight rate from N. Y., now $1.84, is back at 97c;
When street car fares are back at a nickel;
When money is back at 5 per cent;
When cooks are back at $5 per week;
When hair cuts are back at a quarter;
When movies are back at a nickel;
When a car-wash is back at a dollar;
When ice cream is back at a dime;
When a doctor's call is back at two bucks;
When a newspaper is back at a penny.

For the love of Mike, why expect the manufacturer, wholesaler and retailer of clothing and furnishings to go the route alone? Why pick on us? Aren't we Americans all in on this proposition together? Haven't we got to work it out together? Well, then, havn't we, the manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers of clothing and furnishings gone much farther and faster than the average in reducing prices and making readjustments?

We'll say we have! We're ahead, way ahead of the procession. Now let the barbers and the movie houses, and the Standard Oil, and the soft drink parlors, and the landlords, and the hotels and restaurants, and the draymen, and the bankers cut their prices and catch up with us.

Easter Sunday Misplaced; Came Just One Week Early

Easter, as far as fine weather and fine feathers are concerned, came to Thief River Falls just one week later than the scheduled date. Sunday, March 27, was a day of blizzard and cold, the thermometer registering 6 degrees below zero at 7 a. m. Sunday, April 3, was as fine a day as could be ordered, with the balmiest of winds blowing softly from the southeast. The maximum temperature was 67 degrees above zero. Walks in all sections of the city were gay with the gayest colors of fashion's spring season. Bonnets, suits, spring coats and low shoes, which had been placed back in their wrappings with disgust on the morning of March 27, were again brought to light on Sunday and donned to the accompaniment of song. Even the newly-arrived robins and other migratory birds seemed to outdo themselves in song to prove that the cold weather was a thing of the past for a period of many months. The car owner, whose foot has been itching to "step on 'er," in many cases managed to get the jitney out of the moth balls and ease her over the road a bit.

Yes, it was a great day!

City News

Mrs. Olaf Hanson of St. Cloud is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oftedahl.

Make it your duty to come and hear Miss Hendrix April 13 at the Presbyterian church. She speaks on law improvement.

Misses Attina Rokke and Mary Bergstrom of Strandquist, were among the out of town delegates present at the two-day school of in-

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Theisen of Wadena, returned home Monday after a week's visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Mary E. Werstlein.

H. C. Giese arrived Tuesday morning from his home at Winona to remain for an indefinite visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Scott Laird.

Mrs. L. A. Hermanson and Mrs. H. E. Froseth returned last evening from Mahnomen where they had spent the day visiting at the home of the former's parents.

N. L. Attendor arrived last evening from Grafton, N. D., to spend a few days visiting at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Strom.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Gage returned last Thursday from a visit of two months at Massachusetts points. The weather was ideal during their stay in that section, there being but one light snow storm. Spring work was far advanced when they left for home. struction.

Miss Anna Bredeson, who has been employed at Hallock, arrived here last evening to visit at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Bredeson, until Monday when she leaves for Casper, Wyoming, where she will be employed. Her sister, Mrs. Peter Neste, resides in the latter named place.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson left last evening for Minneapolis to find out for himself just how his son, Glenn, is getting along. The young man left a short time ago for the purpose of undergoing observation by medical experts of the United States army, he being an ex-service man. According to a telegram received by his father yesterday, he is not getting along as well as was hoped, although nothing of a serious nature was intimated.

Why Mr. N. Windsor (R. I.) Put Up with Rats for Years

"Years ago I got some rat poison, which nearly killed our fine watch dog. We put up with rats until a friend told me about Rat-Snap. It surely kills rats, though house pets won't touch it." Rats dry up and leave no smell. Prices, 35c, 65c, $1.25.

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LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE
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SLOW DEATH

Aches, pains, nervousness, difficulty in urinating, often mean serious disorders. The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—

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bring quick relief and often ward off deadly diseases. Known as the national remedy of Holland for more than 200 years. All druggists, in three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation

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The American Tobacco Co.

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BUT DON'T NEGLECT IT

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Everything That Is Left Goes Come Friday & Saturday

Suits, Shoes, Underwear, Shirts and Caps

Suits
Values to $25.00. Your choice at $10.45

Work Shoes
Regular $6.00 and $6.50 values $3.25

Spring Caps
While they last 9c, 29c AND 95c

Wool Socks
Regular $1.00 values, A pair 49c

Shoes
One lot while they last 95c

Dress Shoes
Regular $6.00 and $7.00 values for $3.25

Work Pants
$7.00 and $8.00 values, at $3.65

Shoes
Regular $5.00 values, A pair $2.29

Giller's Clothing Store
Sale Continues Next Week Only

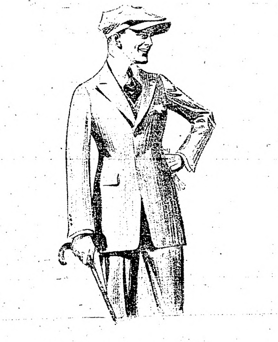

Spring clothes from Hart Schaffner & Marx

Special values at

$35 to $50

Unusually high in quality
Unusually low in price
Leaders in style as always
Guaranteed to give satisfaction

We're showing the Spring styles now; selling them on a very small margin of profit

Come in and take a look at the suits for men and young men, top coats too

Lieberman Brothers
The home of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes

City News

Miss Clara Olson of Plummer was a shopper here Saturday evening.

Dr. Clark of Greenbush was in the city on Monday attending to business matters.

Miss Inga Sausted of Holt was in the city Tuesday attending to some shopping.

Mrs. O. W. Carlson is spending a few days this week visiting relatives at Crookston.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad of St. Hilaire was in the city on Saturday attending to shopping.

Oscar Smith, state oil inspector, left Monday evening for St. Paul on matters of business.

Miss Effie Anderson of Roseau was in the city Monday and Tuesday on a shopping expedition.

Barney Olson, cashier of the bank at Strathcona, was a business caller in this city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Slominski of Greenbush were shoppers in this city on Thursday and Friday.

We do sponging and pressing on short notice. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Misses Lucille and Anetta Bray of Red Lake Falls shopped in this city between trains last Saturday.

Miss Lenore Beltz, Western Union telegraph operator, went to Erskine Sunday evening to meet friends.

Nathaniel Muzzy of Steiner was in the city Tuesday calling on friends and attending to business matters.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire arrived Tuesday morning and spent the day here shopping.

Mrs. Robt. Poirier and daughter, Elron, of Red Lake Falls, shopped between trains in this city on Saturday.

Mrs. O. A. Hagen returned to her home at Roseau Tuesday morning after spending a day attending to shopping.

Mrs. Matt Hendrickson returned to her home at Baudette on Wednesday after spending two weeks here visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. H. Hermanson left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a short time visiting at the home of her brother and family.

Miss Ottina Rokke, postmistress at Strandquist, arrived Sunday evening to attend the two-day school of instruction held here the first of the week.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc, No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mr. and Mrs. E. Doland arrived Monday morning from Grand Forks for a visit at the home of Mrs. Doland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams.

Miss Ruth Solem, who teaches at Newfolden, visited with friends here on Friday and Saturday enroute to her home at Steiner, where she will enjoy a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lade and family arrived here Monday evening from Hoffman and spent a day enroute to Strathcona, near which place they have purchased a farm.

Eddie and Melvin Lee of Grygla left this city Saturday afternoon for Crookston, where they will take the short course being offered at the agricultural college this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Koksvik, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. J. J. Berry, left Tuesday afternoon for Portland, Ore., where they will remain for an indefinite period.

Commodore and Mrs. Hale, who have conducted revival meetings in this city for three weeks, left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to hold a series of similar meetings.

Miss Jessie Rankin arrived Saturday evening from her home at Beaulieu to spend a few days visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. S. Rankin, who is a patient at the local hospital.

Miss Ruth Sandstrom, who is employe din the post office at Plummer, was an over-Sunday visitor with friends here. Miss Sandstrom was formerly employed at the M. N. Benson store in this city.

Mrs. J. O. Herrick, accompanied by Mrs. Statem, both of Warren, arrived Monday evening to attend the school of instruction. While in the city they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn. Mrs. Herrick and Mrs. McGinn are sisters.

Mrs. O. A. Naplin, who, with her husband, Senator Naplin, has sojourned in St. Paul during the winter months, arrived here Sunday morning. She left on Monday for Gatzke to remain at the home of her mother for three weeks, when Senator Naplin will return to this city.

Mrs. J. O. Sether, accompanied by Miss Ruth Kiland, left Thursday for Steiner, where they visited at the home of Mrs. J. L. Sande. The former returned to her home in the afternoon while Miss Kiland remained until the following afternoon. Mrs. Sande is a daughter of Mrs. Sether.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Olga Johnson went to Middle River Thursday and spent a srort time visiting friends.

Mrs. Clyde Baker and children, of Red Lake Falls, are visiting with relatives here this ewek.

Mrs. R. Olson of Holt spent Sunday visiting with friends here. She returned to her home on Monday.

Misses Minnie and Anna Bergland left Tuesday afternoon for Hibbing where they have secured employment.

Dr. A. J. Paulson returned Monday morning from Fargo, where he had visited with friends over Sunday.

Miss Alice Hall of Middle River visited at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Granum, over Sunday.

John Quam of Pekin, N. D., returned to his home Monday after a week's visit with his aunt, Mrs. Carrie Johnson.

J. E. Curtis, proprietor of a drug store at Baudette, was the guest of his brother, J. P. Curtis, the first of the week.

Miss Edna Anderson, a student at the high school here, went to her home at Wylie on Saturday to spend the week-end.

Mrs. D. Lofgren came down from Greenbush on Friday afternoon to do some shopping. She returned on Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Frederick and son, "Billy," returned Friday evening from Rockford, where they had visited relatives for a week.

F. E. Weiland, formerly a resident of this city now residing at Grand Rapids, was a business caller here on Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Lucille Blaska, who attends the local high school, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting at the home of her parents at St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Chamberlain returned to their home at Baudette the latter part of last week after visiting friends here for a brief period.

A. Gunderson arrived here Saturday evening from Plummer for an over-Sunday visit with his wife. Mr. Gunderson is employed at Plummer.

Send your dry cleaning to us; we clean dresses, suits, waists, gloves, furs, and in fact everything that can be cleaned. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mrs. C. M. Wilson returned Saturday evening from Fordville, N. D., where she had spent a week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson.

Chris Meggrud, who had visited at the homes of his sisters, Mrs. G. Erickson and Mrs. J. Simonson, returned on Saturday afternoon to his home at Watford City, N. D.

Miss Marguerite Burns returned on Monday to Grand Forks to resume her work at the university, after a week's vacation spent in visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Andrew Burringrud went to Middle River Thursday morning to spend a week visiting at the home of her parents. Mrs. Burringrud's father is in very poor health.

Mrs. J. E. Engelbert and children, of Bronson, arrived here Friday evening for a visit at the home of the formers' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Miss Edna Peterson of Grygla visited with friends here for a brief period on Saturday enroute to Crookston, where she will take the short course at the agricultural college.

Miss Evangeline Burns, who enjoyed a week's vacation at the home of her parents here, has returned to Lakota, N. D., to take up her duties as teacher in the commercial department of the high school.

Mrs. John Johnson and two children accompanied Mr. Johnson to this city Saturday morning, when the latter was removed to the Oakland Park sanatorium. Mrs. Johnson returned to her home in the afternoon.

Mrs. O. W. Flatner and two children arrived Tuesday afternoon from their home at Baudette and spent the time between trains visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson. They left on the flyer in the evening to visit relatives at Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Neset are the parents of a son born on April 3.

We clean and reblock men's hats. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Bessie Lundberg left Tuesday morning for Duluth where she will be employed.

Lester Gesell left Sunday evening for Minneapolis where he spent a few days on business.

E. O. Mogensen went to the twin cities on Sunday evening to attend to business matters.

John and Fred Ristau of Mavie visited with friends and relatives here the latter part of last week.

W. A. Patterson, engineer on the Electric line, is spending the week visiting friends in the twin cities.

Mrs. T. J. Rowan and son, Tom, spent Thursday visiting at the home of Mrs. Rowan's mother at Argyle.

Alvin Hagen came down from Badger on Friday to spend a couple of days attending to matters of business.

F. C. Nielui returned Friday afternoon from Baudette and Roseau, where he had spent a few days on business.

Miss Elsie Knutson arrived here on Saturday evening from Superior to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Adeline Christianson returned to her home at Greenbush Saturday morning after a briel visit with friends here.

Mrs. O. W. Brink arrived here on Tuesday morning from St. Hilaire to spend a few days visiting at the home of her son, M. W. Brink.

Leland Schuster, who spent a week visiting his folks here, returned to Grand Forks Monday afternoon to resume his work at the university.

Mrs. A. Hertig arrived here the latter part of last week from Winnipeg to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Fiterman for a few days.

All our dry cleaning is POSITIVELY free from gasoline odor. Send us a trial order and be convinced. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S m31tf

Harry Frye returned Thursday morning from Crookston, where he spent a few days visiting his wife, who is staying with her mother, Mrs. O. Haugen.

Dr. Lena Clark, county chairman of Roseau county, for the League of Women Voters, attended the school of instruction held here on Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Violet Brown, who had spent a week visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown, returned to her home at Grygla Sunday.

Mrs. G. Howard Smith and little daughter, Georgia Marie, returned to their home here Thursday after spending some time visiting with the former's folks at St. Paul.

Miss Florence Gallager, who spent a week visiting her friends, Miss Grace Iverson, returned to Cass Lake Sunday evening to resume her work as teacher in the public school.

Mrs. M. O. Phillips returned to her home at Mahnomen Tuesday evening. Mrs. Phillips, who is first vice chairman of the Ninth district, was in attendance at the meeting of the League of Women voters.

Mrs. R. L. Barackman left this morning for Stephen to attend a Presbyterial meeting of the Woman's Missionary society held there on Thursday and Friday. She will return here Friday evening.

Misses Lois Forbes and Eleanore Anderson, teachers in the schools at St. Hilaire, left this city Friday evening for a week's vacation, the former going to Chicago, while the latter went to her home at Brainerd.

Among the delegates from neighboring towns who attended a two-day session of the League of Women voters, were Mrs. Gillmore, Mrs. J. O. Herrick, Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Stadium of Warren. Mrs. Stadium is chairman of Marshall county.

Mrs. O. O. Larson, district secretary for the League of Women Voters, returned to her home at Detroit Tuesday evening having attended a two day school of instruction here. While in the city Mrs. Larson was a guest of one of her former classmates, Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

H. M. Olson of Holt, attended to business matters in this city on Friday.

Erick Carlson of Badger, transacted business matters here on Monday and Tuesday.

W. Engen of Viking, was in the city on Friday and Saturday calling on numerous friends.

We do repairing, relining, put on velvet collars, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Carl Olson, residing on a farm near Randeen, was a business caller here on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rudolph Levorson of Grygla, spent a few days the latter part of last week in this city on business.

Peter Hensel returned to Red Lake Falls yesterday after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Thill.

Edward Fiterman, who had visited with relatives at Minneapolis, returned to his home here Saturday evening.

Mrs. Albert Lieberman and two children left yesterday for Duluth, where they will remain for an indefinite period.

Miss Marie Phillipson came down from Middle River yesterday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Burringrud.

Mrs. W. Seamon and Miss Mary Maney, both of Grygla, were over Sunday guests of friends here. They returned to their homes on Monday morning.

Miss Selma Newton, a student at the local high school, returned to this city on Monday from Hazel, where she had spent the week-end visiting relatives.

Miss Sylvia Pearson, who graduated with the class of '20, visited with friends here Saturday and Sunday. She returned to her home at St. Hilaire on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Wilfred Morrissette and daughter, of Plummer, were in the city yesterday attending to shopping and visiting relatives. Mrs. Morrissette is a sister of Roy Hulseth.

Mrs. G. G. Muller, who has spent a short time visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Flynn, 514 Conley avenue, left yesterday afternoon for her home at Havre, Mont. She was accompanied as far as Crookston by Mrs. Flynn. Prior to her visit here Mrs. Muller was a guest of relatives at point in Iowa.

Crookston Times: Miss Emily Kneubuhl, state director of political economy, and one of the most talented women speakers of Minnesota and Miss Margaret Wells, President of the Minnesota League of Women Voters, both of Minneapolis, were visitors in Crookston this forenoon between trains enroute to Thief River Falls where they are to speak at the two day session of the ninth district league of women voters.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short

THE COUNTY RECORDS

Marriage Licenses.
(March 1 to 31 inclusive.)

William Comstock—Rosamond Warner.
Albert W. Hanson—Clara M. Mosbeck.
Henry Borstad—Martha Satterberg.
Erick Herman Fallman—Olga Sophie Olson.

Real Estate Transfers.
(March 16 to 31 inclusive.)

James Doty to Minneapolis Trust Co.: NW¼, sec. 5, Polk Center twp.
Martin V. Evenson to Rasmus H. Foss: Lots 3 and 4, blk. 7, Knox add. Consideration $1,500.
Patrick Brick to Walter Sorenson: East 20 feet, lot 2, blk. 2, Goodridge. Consideration $4,000.
Northwestern Townsite Co., to Even Gulmon: Lot 21, blk. 1, Goodridge. Consideration $50.
Lena Hostvet to Chas. W. Humphrey: NW¼, sec. 19, Smiley twp. Consideration $8,400.
Great Northern Railway Co., to John Seaverson: NW¼NW¼, sec. 8, Sanders twp. Consideration $480.
Andy K. Hogenson to B. K. Hamre: Quarter interest in S. 50 feet, lot 28, Fairfield add.
First and Peoples State bank, Thief River Falls, to Mali Ness: Lots 20 and 21, blk. 20, Red Lake Rapids. Consideration $500.
Henry Tollefson to Walter Sorenson: SE¼, sec. 12, Reiner twp. Consideration $9,000.
E. G. Bagstad to John Solberg: NE¼ and NE¼SE¼, sec. 9, Mayfield twp. Consideration $6,000.
Ividia Fremdahl to John Valiely: S. ½SE¼, sec. 12 and N. ½ NE¼, sec. 13, Deer Park twp. Consideration $4,400.
O. S. Winter to Stewart Armel: W-½SE¼, sec. 12 and SE¼SE¼, sec. 11, Norden twp. Consideration $3,600.
Madeline Giard to A. J. Gibson: Lots 11, 12 and 13, blk. 9, Knox add. Consideration $1,500.
Frank W. Mikulecky to Anna Mikulecky: Lots 18, 19 and 20, blk. 21, Red Lake Rapids.
Farmers State Bank of Mavie to Geo. W. Fuller: NW¼, sec. 20, Cloverleaf twp.
Johanna Lauthanbach to Andreas Hovland, et al: NE¼, sec. 35, Silverton twp. Consideration $8,000.
Andy C. Hurt to Thos. H. Smith: Two acres in NW¼SW¼, sec. 12, Cloverleaf twp. Consideration $180.
Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire to Jacob Hartje: Lots 3 and 4, sec. 7, and East ½ NE¼, sec. 12, Black River twp.
Julia Anderson to Edward Carlson: Lot 4, blk. 3, Mechans add. Consideration $2,400.
Roy Sandry to Richard Penaluna: E ½ and NW¼, sec. 29, Numedal twp.
Gunil Lufkin and husband to Eva Hall: Lots 28 and 29, blk 9, Knox add. Consideration $1,500.
Daniel P. O'Neill to John Burkum: Lot 1, sec. 2, and lots 1, 2 and 3, sec. 3, Rocksbury twp. Consideration $18,889.
W. B. Fuller, adm., to Theodore Lee: Lot 16, blk. 1, Mechan's add. Consideration $1,200.
Martha Killand to Tilda Person: Lots 1 and 2, blk. 64, 1st add. So. Hilaire. Consideration $1,000.
D A Cole to Alice Gentry: SW¼, sec. 7, Bray twp.

TRAINED MEN FOR ACCOUNTING FIRM

Bishop Brisman Company, Certified Public Accountants, can use only high grade men in their work. The latest addition to their Fargo office is W. M. Lockhart, graduate of Dakota Business College, of that city. He is the third D. B. C. pupil on their staff.

Lillian Winje is the sixth D. B. C. student employed by Rupert-Warner Insurance Agency. Every Fargo bank and 685 others now have Dakota-trained assistants.

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Board of Health

Notice is hereby given that all property owners within the city limits must have all ashes, garbage, manure, etc., removed from their yards and adjoining alleys, to the public dumping grounds. It is urgent that this be done as soon as possible. On May 1st city ordinance will be enforced.

DR. J. BIEDERMAN
Health Officer.

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$2.50

All kinds of seeds—
Millet
Red Clover
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You can just tell by its healthy, stimulating odor, that it is going to do you good

"If I only had some Sloan's Liniment!" How often you've said that! And then when the rheumatic twinge subsided—after hours of suffering—you forgot it!

Don't do it again—get a bottle *today* and *keep it handy* for possible use tonight! A sudden attack may come on—sciatica, lumbago, sore muscles, backache, stiff joints, neuralgia, the pains and aches resulting from exposure. You'll soon find warmth and relief in Sloan's, the liniment that *penetrates without rubbing*. Clean, economical. Three sizes—35c, 70c, $1.40

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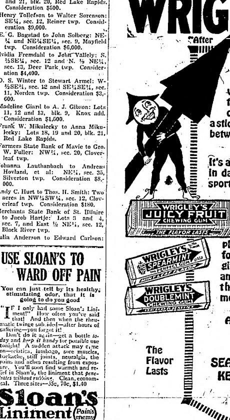
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$40, $45, $50
Other Suits at $25, $30 and $35

See the new styles on display — just arrived

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RAINBOW SALE

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Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Another $10.00 Dress Sale; Silks, Serges, Voiles. The values will surprise you. Come Early!

Again! Like Last Year! The Greatest Merchandising Event of The Year

Saturday, April the 9th at 9 o'clock a. m. This Great Sale Starts, Closing Sat., 9 p. m., April 16. One Big Week of Bargain Giving

A Wonderful Showing of New Spring Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists and Skirts

Ladies' fine All Wool Men's-Wear Serge Suits, *full fancy silk lined* **$25.00**

Wonderful Sport Coats, all leading materials, *full silk lined* **$18.50**

Ten Dollar values, fine Georgette Blouses—A Special at, only **$5.95**

Silk Dresses—A special assortment at only **$18.50**

New Wool Plaid Skirts—Special here only **$5.00**

Our Entire Stock of White Muslin Underwear on Sale at Just Half Price

Ladies' Silk Hose, brown and white. Special per pair	99c
Ladies' Silk Hose, black, brown and white. Special per pair	$1.25
Children's Black Hose, per pair	29c
Fibre Hose, brown and black, per pair	65c
Children's black, brown and white hose, 50c values at	39c

Ladies' white rib top Hose, same value at, pair **65c**

SWEATERS—A big, new Spring Showing. A number of very special values including splendid Tie Backs, at, each **$2.95**

Ladies' Union Suits—Spring and summer garments, at **very Special Prices.**

Ladies' gauze Union Suits, a bargain ordinary, at 65c and 50c, for this sale it will be a sensational value at, per suit **39c**

New Georgette and Voile Dresses in all shades, Special, each **$8.95**

Striped Voile Waists, new line, all sizes and all shades. Special, each **$2.50**

APRONS
Beautiful styles, all good patterns; now at this sale less than half of last year's values. **$1.25**

MIDDIES
Two new styles. Thirty-six middies in all sizes. The value will surprise you. Each only **$2.50**

CORSETS
Warner's and Nemo $3.50 and $4.00 Corsets, mostly large **$2.49**

CORSETS
Odds and Ends, all makes, values forgotten. Come take your **$1.89**

CRETONE APRONS
The newest Apron novelty at, each **$1.25**

BATH TOWELS
50c big heavy bath towels, plain white. This sale, each **39c**

Great Sale of Table Linen and Art Linen

The first big drop in prices of linens since the World war began. At these prices we sure hope you will lay in your immediate wants:

Our entire stock of $2.50 Table Linens, this sale, yd.	$1.85
Our entire stock of $4.50 Table Linens, this sale, yd.	$3.10
Our entire stock of $5.00 Table Linens, this sale, yd.	$3.65
Our entire stock of $5.50 Table Linens, this sale, yd.	$3.75
Our entire stock of $5.95 Table Linens, this sale, yd.	$3.95

All Art and Embroidery Linens reduced in like proportions throughout the entire stock.

1847 Rogers Bros. and Community 50 Year Guaranteed Silverware

Tea spoon, set of 6	$3.50
Pickle forks	$1.50
Sugar shells	$1.25
Butter knife	$1.25

Set of 6 each Hollow Handle Knives and flat forks, Set $16.95

We carry a complete line of the best Silverware; always at big money saving values. Always buy Silverware at Loken's

Community Silverware at Special Prices

This is the Par Plate Silverware—every housewife knows it. Carries a guarantee of ten years and can always be matched. The beautiful Primrose and Bridal Wreath pattern. Special for our Rainbow Sale:

Berry spoons, each	$1.85
Butter knives, each	65c
6 Tea spoons	$1.50
6 Dessert spoons	$2.85
Gravy ladles, each	$1.25
Cold meat forks, each	95c
6 Coffee spoons	$1.25
6 medium knives, 6 forks	$2.95
3 piece child's set	$1.15
6 Boullion spoons	$2.95
6 Individual salad forks	$3.50
6 Orange spoons	$2.95
Sugar shells, each	65c
Six fruit knives	$2.95
Butter knife and sugar shell	$1.25

Our Silk Department Offers the Most Wonderful Values You Ever Heard of

Over One Thousand Yards run-of-the-mill-short-lengths. Mostly 5 to 10 yards in a piece, consisting of every wanted shade and kind of Silks, Taffetas, **Crepes**, *Shirtings, Georgettes*, Messalines, Foulards, etc., widths 40, 36 and 32 inches. Values mostly $2.50 to $3.50 per yard on today's low prices for this sale, in order to create a sensation, at yard **$1.29**

36 INCH BLACK CHIFFON TAFFETA
A wonder value and sold at a limit of not more than a dress pattern to a customer, at yard **$1.50**

36 INCH PURE SILK TRICOLETTE
16 of the leading shades to choose from. On this sale, only, at yard **$1.69**

CHANGEABLE TAFFETA SILKS
Yard wide, was made to sell at from $3.50 to $5.00 per yard. We wish to close this out at once at this low price of, yd. **$1.48**

SILK POPLINS
All 36 in. wide in all good shades. We will forget what these goods cost us, and let you have them at, yd. **89c**

MAIN FLOOR BARGAINS

Pepsodent tooth paste, tube	39c
Wide hairbow ribbons, greatly reduced for this sale, choice of a big range of fancy patterns at, yd.	29c
Rice face powder, the 65c size. This Sale	50c
Mary Garden Talcum, 35c size. This Sale	25c
Colgates Talcum, per can	19c
Pro-phy-lactic Tooth Brushes	39c
Ponds Vanishing Cream, 35c size. Special, each	25c
Ponds large size Cold Cream, 75c size, at	60c

Just a few choice patterns of French striped Blousing materials, beautiful goods, at only, yd. **35c**

$1.69 for 32 in. Tub Silk Shirtings.

$1.98 for 40 and 36 in. $4.00 and $5.00 Shower proof Cheney Foulards.

$1.69 for 40 in. flowered Georgette Crepes, $3.50 to $4.00 values. Profit by buying now.

99c for Kimona yard wide silks. Some Special values.

$1.39 for our $2.00 Kimona Silks. See these—pretty patterns.

69c for all our $1.50 figured cotton Crepes. Sold at a big loss, to close.

39c for 50c white fancy Voiles.

59c for 85c white fancy Voiles.

Coat buttons, Novelty buttons, hundreds of kinds, colors and styles. Buttons that are selling at 25c, 35c and 50 per dozen, your choice at, card **10c**

You will be surprised to see the Shoe Bargains we are going to give you during our RAINBOW SALE. We give a few descriptions here, but you will have to see them to appreciate their real value.

- Ladies' brown kid, 2 eyelet ties covered, Louis heel.
- Ladies' brown kid oxfords, military heel.
- Ladies' plain black kid pumps leather, Louis heel.
- Ladies' black kid, one eyelet ties, leather Louis heel.
- Ladies' patent leather pumps, leather Louis heel.
- Ladies' patent leather, one eyelet ties covered, baby Louis heel.

ALL IN ONE GROUP TO SELL AT **$6.45** DURING OUR RAINBOW SALE

- Ladies' brown kid boots, military heel.
- Ladies' black kid boots, leather Louis heel.
- Growing girls' black calfskin shoes, low heel—nothing better made.
- Ladies' black kid boots, covered Louis Heel.
- Ladies' black kid shoes, low heel, round toe. A very comfortable dress shoe.

Children's Shoes Also at Special Low Prices

The Rainbow in the Basement. Some Basement Opportunities

A Special Selling Event Which Brings Greatly Lowered Prices on Home Needs and Personal Necessities

Apron Ginghams
In checks and stripes and plaids and in the staple colors which launder most satisfactorily. You'll readily agree that not since several years have apron ginghams of equal quality been obtainable at this price. At, per yard— **13½c**

Here's a Real Sale of Children's Hose
They come in all sizes and for an everyday stocking at this price you will wonder at such a big Value, but its our Annual Rainbow Festival Sale and we go the limit with our many good offerings. Stockings usually priced at 25c—For our Rainbow Sale, at, pair **10c**

A DINNERWARE SET
—32 pieces in white and white. For a nice plain everyday set of dishes this is another star number of the Rainbow Specials, worth your consideration. Set **$4.85**
We have other Specials in sets at this Sale that are exceptional bargains. Now is the time to replenish your dinner sets at these low prices.

ENAMEL KITCHEN WARE IN THREE SALE LOTS
such as lipped sauce pans, preserving kettles, stew pans, spiders—in fact all pans used by the housewife.

This Special regularly sell for 40c to 50. Rainbow Sale Price **25c**

This lot is the larger sizes up to 8 qt. kettles and usually sell for 75c to 85c. Rainbow Sale Price **49c**

This lot is a triple coated white and white, and blue and white enamel ware, beautiful for the kitchen; usually sell for $1.00 to $1.50. Rainbow Sale Price **69c**

SILK THREAD
in all shades, just the special you'll want for the Spring Sewing, spool **5c**

COATS' COTTON THREAD
Another item you cannot afford to pass up at this Sale—Spool **5c**

O. N. T. CROCHET THREAD
Way below others at the price, and you know what the O. N. T. is—Ball **9c**

PALM OLIVE SOAP
The fastest-selling toilet soap on the market today and for this Special Price lay in a comfortable supply. Wrapped one dozen in a package. Rainbow Sale Price, 12 bars **90c**

SHOES! SHOES!
Misses and Ladies', in sizes 2½ to 5.
These are made of good leather, but are small sizes. If they fit your feet the price is so ridiculously low, that you will know you have saved twice the price—Rainbow Sale Price **$1.99**

Dress Ginghams
For all their low price, these ginghams are both serviceable and attractive. Patterns are favorite checks and plaids which are the usual choice for children's school frocks and other afternoon frocks. At, per yard— **15c**

BROOMS
For housecleaning. Get ready to sweep. Here is a chance to buy a good broom for a song. Rainbow sale price **49c**
Just a limited quantity so get here early. They won't last long at the price.

DAIRY PAILS
10-12 quart IX tin. A good strong pail for the dairyman and at this offering is below the market today. Rainbow sale price **59c**

BREAD RAISERS
14 quart heavy tin. A very exceptional low price. Get your hardware needs now at this Rainbow sale. Rainbow sale price **89c**

Outing Flannel
A heavy weight in all patterns and shades. For this low price you will want 10 or 20 yds. At per ayrd, Rainbow At per yar, Rainbow **15c**

Pillow Tubing
42 in. When you can get tubing like this, that you need to complete your spring bedding, buy and save. Rainbow Sale Price yd. **39c**

Sheeting
A good sheeting and the right width. Compare the Rainbow price with others, at yd. **39c**

Crepe de Chine Silks
36 in. In beautiful shades for spring and summer. A greta bargain for this great sale at per yard **$1.00**

Spring Percales
36 in. wide. A standard percale in all patterns. Yard **15c** Rainbow Sale Price.

S-i-l-k-o Crochet Thread
Crochet thread. The new mercerized thread. In all shades. Ball **9c**

Hair Nets
"Dolly Varden" make in just the right shades to match your hair. **5c**

Fiber Suit Cases
24 in. When you go on an outing you will want one. **$1.79**

100 Aluminum Bargains
So many useful articles, at each **9c**

Electric Light Shades
Electric light floral shades of cretonne and linen; a beautiful shade for only **19c**

Children's Hose Supporters
Children's hose supporters, strong elastic with molded rubber buttons. A special at **10c**

Aluminum Percolators
Aluminum percolators, 7 cup, a long lived utensil, guaranteed 20 years. Each **$1.79**

Aluminum Pans
Aluminum pans, assorted, a 50c value, sale price **25c**

Nainsook
A very fine soft material particularly suitable for making finer undergarments. Full yard wide and bleached snow white. Yd. **25c**

Bleached Muslin
36 in. wide. You always need this item, and when priced so low better get your needs at this sale. Yd. **15c**

Baby Blankets
A regular blanket for the crib, in many soft colors; something necessary to insure comfort for the baby. **49c**

Unbleached Muslin
Many women take advantage of their ability to get a finer quality of muslin. A Rainbow Special at yd. **15c**

THE HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESS

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HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESS

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Editorial.

As the end of the school year draws near, there are a few students who realize that a high monthly grade average will exempt them from the necessity of taking the state examinations. Just what effect this will have on the majority can not be foretold, but it is to be expected that some will take a decreased interest in their studies when they feel that their credits are assured, and there is no need for particularily remembering what they learn to help them in writing the state exams. It is true that reviewing some subjects is tiresome to the student who has learned the same thing quite well the first time it was gone over, but, although the value of some of our subjects may be more as brain developers than for their practical information, most of them are supposed to serve us after we leave high school, and it will profit us to take advantage of the opportunity for reviewing and fixing more firmly in our minds the knowledge we have been working the whole year to secure.

What about the school song?

Some time ago an article appeared here urging students who are poetically inclined to write an appropriate song for our Lincoln high school. To this time no response has been made to the appeal and we are still without a real school song. This is not because we lack people with poetic inclinations, because we have had ample proof of ability in this field from contributions to our High School Progress. Verses, although not Shakespearian in style or theme, have been published occasionally in these columns. Why isn't it possible for someone to create a suitable school song set to a wellknown snappy tune? Students, put your thinkers on one of these reposeful spring evenings and let us have a real Lincoln High school song before the school term is over.

The Home Stretch.

Now that Easter vacation has passed we are starting out on the "home stretch." What does this mean to you, Seniors? Does it mean simply that the greater part of your High school life is behind you and that there are only two and a half months more to skim through before you will be free? Are you sitting back contentedly and letting your lessons slide just because this is your last year, and you think you can afford to?

If this is the way you feel, you are taking the wrong attitude toward your life. You should try to wind up your school year with as much enthusiasm and pep as you began it with. Don't neglect your school work. If there is any doubt about making your credits, work, and if there is no danger of your flunking; work just the same, to bring your average up as high as you can.

Take an interest in your class affairs. Boost the 1921 "Prowler." The fact that it has already gone to press does not mean that there is no more work to be done in connection with it. It has yet to be sold. Then plug for the Class Flag. Help make it a big success by advertising it. Lastly, show that you are staunch and supporter of your class by paying up your class dues.

Don't let the Home Stretch drag along. There will be plenty of time for idleness when school is over. Let's buckle in and make it snappy!

Athletics and Attendance.

During the past athletic season of both foot ball and basket ball the students of Lincoln high school have been very lax in their attendance to all athletic activities that are so helpful and needful for the success of the school. The attendance for the past football season as a whole was very poor. It is true that the team was not of the very highest quality but nevertheless the attendance should not have fallen down. The standard of the team whether it be high or low should not make the attendance decrease. As a rule in practically every other school the spirit behind the boys whether they be good or bad is 100 per cent.

The outcome of the basket ball season's attendance as a whole is better than that of he football season, but has not yet attained the standard which it should.

The following, or 1921-22 season, of athletics is going to be one that the school can be proud of, and one in which the attendance should be 100 per cent perfect.

The school and city can both count on a team that will be a winner in both football and basketball.

The football team is expected to be exceedingly strong as very few of this year's regulars are leaving school and those that remain all have at least one or two years of experience in first team work.

The basketball team will also be one that can easily be a winner as only one of the first team men is leaving. So let us all turn out and increase the percentage of attendance at least 60 per cent, and also help the boys to be winners, and put Lincoln high school on the map bigger than ever.

Do You Borrow Books?

Cincinnati Enquirer.

Do you borrow books? It is a commendable habit, though it is a more decent and a better practice to buy books. Still, the lover of books is not averse to having them enjoyed by others. He seldom is niggardly of his favors in this direction until he has been victimized so often by the dishonesty of those he has favored that he is compelled to appear churlish rather than suffer cumulative loss.

The man who borrows a book from a friend and refuses to return it may not be a crook in the scientific definition of that term, but in the opinion of the book lover he will stand as a mighty near relative of the fellow who purloins other things of value.

Emerson says: "One may soon come to see that he had better have broken his own bones than to have ridden in his neighbor's coach, and that the highest price he can pay for a thing is to ask for it."

So far as the dishonest or negligent book borrower is concerned, let us hope the Concord sage is right. But it is to be doubted whether morals, metaphysically or otherwise enjoined, are much considered by the gentry.

One regrets the loss of a good book. It is not always, nor perhaps often, the intrinsic value of the book which counts for much, but every worthwhile book has a sentimental value to its owner; it is a friend, a prized companion, a solace, a comfort, an inspiration. Often it is impossible to replace it.

There must be general agreement with Emerson that "he is base—and that is the only base thing in the universe—to receive favors and render none."

But, frankly and brutally, to borrow a book and keep it essentially is as unmoral as if it had been stolen.

They Came Back.

"When I was a little child," the sergeant sweetly addrest his men at the end of an exhaustive hour of drill. "I had a set of wooden soldiers. There was a poor little boy in the neighborhood and after I had been to Sunday school one day and listened to a stirring talk on the beauties of charity I was softened enough to give them to him. Then I wanted them back and cried, but my mother said: 'Don't cry, Bertie, some day you will get your wooden soldiers back.'

"And, believe me, you lob-sided, mutton-headed, goofus-brained set of certified rolling-pins, that day has come."—The American Legion Weekly.

Normal Department.

Ellen Nelson, who has been seriously ill at the Physicians hospital, is recovering. On account of her prolonged illness, it is probably, she will have to drop her work for this year. The Normal girls expressed their sympathy by sending flowers.

An eighth grader was writing a business letter and turned to his older sister for suggestions: "Is it yours confectionary that should be used in the closing of a letter," meaning (yours affectionately.)

Lucille Blaska, who has been absent for the past week, returned on Monday to resume her duties.

Miss Johnson in music class: "Did you use your pitchpipe while doing rural practise?"

Florence Burns (not wishing to tell a lie): "Well we had them along."

At State Contest.

The sixth annual declamatory contest held at the Studio Theatre of Minneapolis on March 24 proved to be one of the best contests held during the six years of the league's existance. The contestants were the pick of the high schools of the state who won first place in the earlier elimination contests. The participants had strong competition to overcome, but all accredited themselves very favorably. As an average the orations given were above the standard.

Those placed as the first three in the boys' declamation division were, respectively:

Stanley Nelson, Buffalo, "A Vision of War"; Truman Overli, Windom, "The Wandering Jew;" Theodore Francher, Fairmount, "True Americanism." Other towns represented in this division were: Bemidji, Ortonville, Virginia, Warren, Lanesboro, Thief River Falls and Winona. In the girls' division those winning the first three places were, respectively: Marjorie Gullickson, Moorhead, "The Littlest Rebel"; Ruth O'Connell, Lakefield, "Madame Butterfly;" Frances Klune, Chisholm, "Jeanne D'Arc". Other towns represented in this division were: Warren, Alexandria, Hutchinson, St. James, Hayfield, Rochester and McIntosh. The presiding officer of the contest was Supt. G. Holmquist of Warren, and the judges: Miss Luella Bender of the Northwestern Conservatory; Supt. C. C. Baker, Grand Rapids; Supt. M. L. Jacobson, Moorhead, and E. S. Hatch of St. Louis Park.

Thief River Falls is proud that its representative, Edward Fiterman, giving, "Liberty or Death," was placed among the contestants. This very fact has aroused a keen interest among the student body, for such work, and it is anticipated that before many years pass Thief River Falls declamers will take their place among the leaders and the league contestants will look to Thief River Falls for their competition in this work.

Sophomore Class Party.

The Sophomore class is preparing for its annual banquet, which is to be held at the high school gymnasium on the evening of April 15.

Committees have been appointed to arrange the details of the party, such as program, refreshments, and decorations. It is rumored that a number of unusual and clever features are on the program, and we anticipate that anyone who misses this crowning social event of the year for the class of '23, will have reason to regret it ever afterward.

Junior-Senior Banquet.

On Saturday evening, April 2, the juniors entertained the high school faculty, school board and seniors with a delightful banquet.

The Junior-Senior banquet is a time-honored custom of Lincoln high and the juniors of 1921 have worthily lived up to the tradition.

The banquet was held in the city auditorium which was decorated in a most attractive manner. Green and white, the junior class colors being used. The green and white crepe streamers were strung in profusion from all parts of the auditorium and floated majestically on the breeze that was created in the building. The banquet opened by a social hour which was spent in the balcony, preceding the grand march to the banquet hall which was lead by the school board, faculty and speakers. As each couple marched into the hall they were assigned tables and a most delicious banquet dinner, which consisted of the following was then served:

Fruit Cocktail
Creamed Chicken
Baking Powder Biscuits
Mashed Potatoes, Peas in Timbales
Hot Buttered Rolls
Waldorf Salad Saratoga Flakes
Olives
Coffee Ice Cream Cake
Salted Nuts

An orchestra was procured which rendered selections all through the dinner.

Following the dinner was a well arranged and interesting program which consisted of toasts and musical numbers. The program opened by the song:

"Minnesota, Hail to Thee"—Audience.

Welcome—Gregory Werstlein, Junior Class President.

Response—Dreng Bjornarna, Senior Class President.

"The Mountain Climbers"—Dr. Froehlich.

Vocal Solo—Miss Iverson.

"Steep Ascent"—Mr. Pierce.

Piano Solo—Miss Poppitz.

"The Snow Line"—Mr. Ziegler.

"Avoiding the Pitfalls"—Miss Elliott.

"Lookout Point"—Miss Patrick.

"Auld Lang Syne"—Audience.

The remainder of the evening following the banquet was spent in dancing and at 11:30 all returned to their respective homes.

A great deal need not be said of the success of the banquet as it has been pronounced one of the best banquets that has ever been given by all who attended.

Address By County Agent.

County Agent J. J. McCann spoke at the Lincoln high school Thursday morning as the fourth of the series of faculty programs, on the subject of "Vitamines," one of the very important elements in the human food ration.

Although Mr. McCann is, perhaps, better known to the community as a promoter of "more and better livestock," he said that people are more important than livestock. "The future of civilization," he said, "depends on education. Education in turn depends on the schools, the success of the schools on the health of the students, and health is dependent on food." Thus by a simple mathematical process of substitution we find that the future of civilization depends the food rations of the school children of today. This has been proven by examinations of students who regularily fail to make their grades, a great majority of them being found physically defective. When the average cost of educating a child in this country is considered, the amount of money wasted in trying to educate defective children who are unable to benefit by it, is alone an important matter, although the retarding influence on the progress of civilization by a great number of physically and mentally deficient men and women is by far the more serious.

Good health demands a well-balanced food ration, for children as well as for livestock. A complete ration contains five elements: Carbohydrates, fats, protein, mineral matter and vitamines. Carbohydrates and fats produce heat and energy. Proteins are needed particularily by children, to permit a normal growth. The necessity of minerals has been proven by experiments with cattle, as it was found that cattle fed only on the products of this county, the soil of which is lacking in phosphates, developed an unusual craving for wood, rags, and tin cans. It was for a time thought that a proper combination of carbohydrates, fats, and protein made a complete ration, but this has recently been found to be lacking in something. The fifth requisite to a complete ration is known as vitamines, which, although they have not yet been chemically isolated, are known to be abundant in milk, eggs, and alfalfa. Oleomargarine and other butter substitutes contain no vitamines. Oleo was formerly used at all the state institutions, but as it was seen that the inmates did not thrive on it and suffered from strange maladies, it is now only used at the state reform school. An experiment was made with two groups of rats, the first of which was fed a perfectly balanced carbohydrate-fat-protein ration, while the second was fed the same ration with a vitamine-containing substance added. The rats in the first group sickened and died one after the other; those in the second group not only thrived, but grew and fattened. After a time vitamines were fed to the few remaining rats in group 1, who immediately began to regain their health, and were soon as fat and healthy as those in group 2.

Several diseases have been found to be caused by a lack of vitamines. Eye trouble may often be due to an insufficient portion of this substance in the food ration. The Chinese, who eat largely rice, which contains very little vitamines, have often suffered from strange, unaccountable ailments. When they were fed milk and other vitamine-containing foods, they rapidly recovered."

"Fish," said Mr. McCann, "has often been called a brain food. If this were so, some of you undoubtedly ought to eat a whale. But the truth of the matter is, that fish contains a large percentage of vitamines, which promote the general health, and thus really, indirectly, increase the brain power."

"People may be divided into two classes: Those who work and those who don't. The workers may again be divided into the practical people and the dreamers. The dreamers perform a more valuable service to humanity than many realize. It was dreamers who first conceived the idea that vitamines really are important. So if you see anyone gazing rather blankly around the room, don't condemn them immediately as being lazy and worthless. They may be thinking about vitamines."

A Bit of Poetry.

Francis kept a'looking
Over towards Ruby's way,
And I'll bet that he was a'wondering
What she, in answer, would say.
If he could get courage to ask her
To go to see Bill Hart some night.
He sure is a mighty fine actor
And, oh boy, how he can fight.
But then there is Kermit against him,
And Math, with his nice curly hair,
If Francis should see them about it
But two against one isn't fair.
So opening his book they call English,
He thought that he'd sure have to quit,
And be like that old Enoch Arden
He'd call it a day and forget.
—Apologies to William Shakespeare.

Physicial Examinations.

The high school students have had their eyes, ears, throat, nose and teeth examined during the past week. The examinations have been conducted by Dr. Froehlich and the school nurse, Miss Johnson. These examinations are given every year, and a record is kept of a child's condition each year, from the time they enter the Kindergarten until they leave school.

If the child is defective in any way the parents are notified and advised as to what treatment should be given. The results of this examination have not been determined as yet.

Central Notes.

The names of the girl scout patrol which collected the largest amount on Saturday for the China Relief fund was the "Gray Wolf Patrol." The girls being Maxine Johnson, Murial Loken and Ella Monsebraten. These girls collected $57.61. Those of the "White Swan Patrol," were Elizabeth DeCremer, Ruth McGilvery and Dorothy Fuller. These girls collected $28.22.

Paulino Parenteau, one of the students of the eighth grade, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the local hospital. She is on the road to recovery.

On Thursday and Friday the eighth and seventh grades took their state examinations in arithmetic, grammar, American history and Geography.

Wildcat Herron is practising as a dentist, he specializes in extracting teeth. For recommendation apply to John Hendry.

The Social Science class had a very interesting debate Tuesday and Wednesday, the topic debated was "Resolved, That Immigration should be Restricted." The affirmative were given the unanimous decision.

I wish I was a rock,
A sittin' on a hill
A doin' nothing
All day long,
But just a sittin' still.
I wouldn't sleep;
I wouldn't eat;
I wouldn't even wash;
I'd just sit still
A thousand year
And rest myself,
By Gosh!

Personals.

Miss Johnson: "The next number on the program will be two numbers by the Boys' Glee club."

Miss Selma Newton returned Monday evening after spending a few days with relatives and friends near Hazel.

Miss Grace Bakke returned to her school duties in this city Monday afternoon, after spending the Easter vacation with relatives near St. Hilaire.

Great catastrophe enacted Wednesday morning! High school dignity takes a route downstairs. In other words: If anyone is desirous of finding out a speedy way of going downstairs apply to Prof. Zeigler.

Wanted by Elmer Johnson—A commercial law hand book that he might answer correctly.

Fellow Fans—It is time that you work into condition, for you may be wanted on the field, where battles are lost and won.

Edward Fiterman returned from Minneapolis Saturday evening just in time to enjoy the last course of the Junior-Senior banquet.

Lynn Halverson left for Crookston Monday afternoon.

Leland Schuster, Marguerite Burns, and Elnore Dahlen left for Grand Forks Monday afternoon, where they will resume their studies at the university.

It has been rumored that teachers wish to be paid what they're worth. They probably will but we are afraid some may——.

James Helle, a member of the class of '20, was in the city last Monday enroute to Grand Forks where he intends to be employed during the spring months.

Teacher in English IV: "Does Emerson give you facts or inspiration?"
Clarence K.: "Perspiration."

Leslie Biglow, accompanied by his parents, left for Grand Rapids Friday, where they will make their future home. Leslie will continue school there.

Dramatic aspirants for the class play have been re-inhabiting cellars and atties in secluded rehearsals.

You can always tell a Junior by his silly looks and frowns,
You can always tell a Sophomore by the way he jumps around,
You can always tell a Freshman by his green look and such,
You can always tell a Senior but you cannot tell him much.

Final tryouts will be given Monday evening for the class play, "All of a Sudden Peggy," which will be given by the Senior class in the near future.

"Why do you always call your girl, 'Postscript'?"
"Because her name is Adeline More."

When the first speaker at the Junior-Senior banquet opened his speech with: "Juniors, Seniors and Friends," we didn't mind it so much as we thought it was a mere mistake on the part of the speaker, but when the next speaker and the next, and the next, through to the last speaker began his speech with the same words: "Juniors, Seniors and Friends," we began to believe they meant it.

Sylvia Pierson, a graduate of the class of '20, visited in town over Saturday and Sunday.

Lois Strubble is back to school again after spending two weeks at home entertaining the mumps.

The Sophs were intrusted to their honor while writing an exam Wednesday when Miss Dix left the room for a part of the period. The Sophs were very honorable and did not exchange any knowledge, although the reason may have been, partly—well, maybe nobody had anything to tell.

Jim, getting witty: "You may think you're witty, but the guy that wrote "Snowbound" was Whittier."

Jim: "Did you hear about the great singer, Milton Lund?"
Allen F.: "No, what about him?"
Jim: "Since he quit school to work in the bakery he can't sing any higher than dough."

"Why is it that Nora has such a long face during school hours?"
"I don't know, but I guess she is always waiting for night (Knight) to come."

Ivan L. didn't have his English 1, because of the deplorable absence of Albert S.

The senors voted at a class meeting Tuesday, to reduce the class dues from $1.50 to $2.50.

"What is the cause of the earth cooling quicker than water?"
Math B.: "Oh, that's because the earth exposes (disposes) of the heat quicker than water."

Misses Violette and Myrtle Krohn returned to this city Tuesday evening to resume their studies, after spending their spring vacation with their parents.

Dottie Krafthfer returned Tuesday evening from her home at Mahnomen to resume her studies here.

Northrup News.

Thursday and Friday, before Easter vacation, Miss Whipps' room gave a series of five plays, 4 of which the pupils worked up without any coaching. The admission charged was 5 cents to children and 10c for grown-ups. The total sum collected amounted to $11.35. This money will be used for the Chinese Relief fund.

Miss Nepper has been confined to her sister's home in Superior, Wis., due to illness. Mrs. Froehlich has been substituting for her.

There is an epidemic of the baseball fever among the Northrop pupils and many of the cases are quite serious. As yet no means have been taken to stamp out the epidemic, but it has been reported that even some of the girls have contracted the fever.

Dime Novel Discussed.

Boston Transcript: For more than 50 years the dime novel held the attention of a large class of readers, its beginnings, as estimated by Dr. Van Doren, coinciding with the death of Cooper in 1851. "It was in that very year," he says, "that Robert Bonner bought the New York Ledger and began to make it the congenial home of a sensationalism which, hitherto most nearly anticipated by such a romancer as Joseph Holt Ingraham, reached unsurpassible dimensions with the prolific Sylvanus Cobb, Jr. From the Ledger no step in advance had been taken by the inventors of the dime novel, which was started upon its long career by the publishing firms of Beadle & Adams of New York in 1860. Edward S. Ellis' 'Seth Jones, or the Captive of the Frontier' (1860) one of the earliest of the sort, the hero formerly a scout under Ethan Allen but now adventuring in western New York, sold over 600,000 copies in half a dozen languages. Though no other single dime novel was perhaps ever so popular, the type prospered, depending almost exclusively upon native authors and native matter. At first the old frontier of Cooper and then the trans-Mississippi region, with its Indians, its Mexicans, its bandits, its troopers, and above all, its cowboys, among whom Buffalo Bill (Colonel William F. Cody) achieved a primacy much like that of Daniel Boone among the older order of scouts."

The fecundity of these writers of dime novels was amazing. Albert W. Aiken averaged one long novel a week for a considerable period, and Colonel Prentiss Ingraham wrote in all over six hundred. "They were exciting, innocent enough, and scrupulously devoted to the doctrines of poetic justice, but they lacked all distinction, and Frank Norris could justly grieve that the epic days of Western days found only such tawdry Homers. In the fourth quarter of the century the detective story rivaled the frontier tale; after 1900, both though reduced to the price of five cents apiece, gave way before the still more exciting and easily comprehended moving picture."

Fresh Fail in Spelling

The following is the spelling record of another high school. Do the students of the Lincoln high believe they could do better?

"One hundred and fifty of the 450 who took freshman make-up spelling quiz last Saturday afternoon failed to pass the examination with a grade of 90. The words were chosen from a list in Wooley, and 50 were given out in the examination. Ten words misspelled meant failure.

"Two freshmen misspelled their instructors' names in endorsing their papers. Twenty-one misspelled the word, professor, and two the word rhetoric. The worst paper corrected by Prof. Frank W. Scott of the department of English, misspelled 23 out of 50 words.

"Professor Scott prepared a list of the words most frequently misspelled by the 150 failures. They are as follows: irresistible, misspelled in 120 cases out of 150; exhilarate, 111; villain, 87; mischievous, 81; dining room, 57; embarrass, 54; rheumatism, 50.

"Those freshmen who fail to pass the spelling tests before the end of the year will be put under the charge of the committee on students' English until such time as they shall work off their spelling deficiencies.

"A student will not be allowed to get a degree from the university until he has successfully passed the spelling tests, that is, with a grade of 90 or above."

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Your choice of my $10.00 and $12.50 all leather dress shoes, all styles and colors
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Last Sunday afternoon a fire started in the warehouse adjoining the store and, although nothing was burnt, it smoked my entire stock of new spring and summer merchandise. I am now compelled to take a loss on this, so the quicker the better. As you know, I handle nothing but the very best quality in all lines in this store. You will notice by some of the advertisements on this page that they will move with a rush. It's my loss and your gain, so help yourself.

Signed, L. L. COHEN, Prop. Palace Clothing House.

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All standard advertised brands Fashion Park Campus Togs and Koch-Adler hand-tailored suits, regardless of the former prices must get rid of them NOW, so have marked them at prices which will make them move fast.

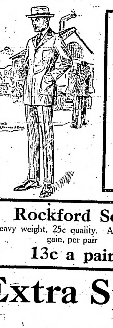

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Worth $35 and $38.50. All wool, good styles and colors. Some silk lined. Your choice of this lot, now

$19.50

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Worth from $40 to $50. You know this line of clothing by reputation. No need of describing the wonderful wearing qualities. All new spring suits. Take them away at

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Worth $60 to $75. These suits are the best to be had and are strictly hand tailored and up-to-the-minute styles and patterns. They must be sold, so they all go at

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Heavy weight, 25c quality. A real bargain, per pair
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Among Our Neighbors

ERIE

T. P. L. Holds Public Meeting.

Under the auspices of the Teachers Progressive League a public meeting was held in the Singer hall on Saturday evening of last week. The following speakers were present: Co. Supt. Geo. M. Gunderson, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Miss Dora Perry and Mayor John Bratrud, all of Thief River Falls. The topics on which each speaker dwelt was well worth hearing and most surely should be of some importance to all who were present. At the conclusion of the program lunch was served. This no doubt was not the best time of the year to have the meeting on account of bad roads, but since many of the schools are soon to close it was necessary to have the meeting now. However, a large crowd was present. The teachers wish to thank Mr. Singer for the free use of the hall and Mrs. Singer for the assistance she gave in lending her stove and utensils for the making of the coffee, etc.

Fire Destroys Lien Home.

The Nels Lien family had the misfortune to have their house destroyed by fire on Monday, March 28. It was a very windy day and the family had all they could do to save themselves from the flames. The cause is unknown. The fire started upstairs and the flames had such a start when discovered that it was too late to save the house or any of its contents. Friends and neighbors of the unfortunate family gathered and surprised them with several useful articles of clothing, etc., on Sunday afternoon. The Liens are temporarily occupying the vacant house on the O. W. Sundahl place.

Among those who have had sales of late and are about to leave for other parts of the country are George Solberg, who leaves for Fargo, N. D.; Carl Prucha, who leaves for Canada, and Hans Svare for Pelican Rapids, this state. We regret to see these families depart from our locality but, however, we wish them the greatest of success in their future homes.

L. B. Johnson is busily engaged in constructing a machine shed these days. H. C. Iverson is assisting in the work. Iver Iverson, too, has got the building habit and has already improved his farm with an up-to-date smoke house.

Olga Sigrud of Reiner is employed in the Roysland home during the opening of the busy spring season.

Misses Edith Shosten and Sophie Kribechek have returned from Crookston, where they recently graduated from the school of agriculture. Selmer Anderson and Henry Fjeld have also been in attendance at this school during the year.

Rural Mail Carrier Rustad has started his Ford route again in spite of some bad roads. Ted seems to have more sympathy for our old friend, the horse, than for the Ford.

Henry Hovet was on the sick list last week.

Olof Komplien is laid up with an injured foot.

L. B. Johnson had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow the other day. The cow slipped on the ice and was injured in such a way that it was found necessary to kill her.

Z. J. Hole entertained a few of his bachelor neighbors on Saturday evening. The evening was spent in general conversation resting mainly on farm problems.

The Erie Ladies' Aid was entertained by Mrs. C. J. Ekwall on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Bessie Hegland completed a successful term of school in the Lyabakken school on Friday of last week and left on Saturday for her home in Mayfield.

Miss Hanna Swanson of St. Hilaire is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Aubol. Miss Swanson is recuperating after a long siege of illness.

The Komplien family has moved to the A. Gulbrandson place, which they purchased some time ago. Mr. Komplien has rented his other farm near Erie to E. A. Tanner.

Next Sunday, April 10, at 2:30 p. m., Rev. Hoyum of Esplee will conduct religious services in the Dahlen school house, district 14.

Ole Berg called on Iver Iverson on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ekwall visited at Dahlen's on Sunday.

H. O. Tommerdahl left on Sunday via the Ford route for Thief River Falls.

Carl Ekwall, Jr., is home again. He spent the winter in the iron mines of this state.

REINER

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Berg and family were Sunday visitors at the Albert Arntz home.

E. Grimley was a business caller in Goodridge Tuesday.

Anton Osen left last Thursday for different points in Washington and will remain for some time.

Bennie Race visited with his brother, Marshall, in Thief River Falls last Sunday.

Edward Hanson was a business caller in Goodridge Friday.

Misses Cora and Lela McEnelly visited with Julia Miller Sunday afternoon.

Gusy Halvorson and Roy McEnelly called on Louie Grimley Sunday afternoon.

Miss Olga Grimley, who is a student of Goodridge high school, visited at the home of her parents from Thursday until Monday.

Miss Christine Johnsrud left Monday for Thief River Falls where she will keep house for her brother, while her sister-in-law, Mrs. Abe Johnsrud will go through an operation.

Albert Arntz was a caller in Goodridge Thursday.

Mrs. E. H. Hanson called on Mrs. Albert Arntz Friday.

Oscar Stenvik left last Friday for Thief River Falls where he will spend Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Lloyd Crown.

Bennett Johnsrud and Johnnie Erickson were business callers in Goodridge Tuesday.

Misses Myrtle and Magna Erickson left Friday for a short visit with relatives in Grand Forks.

Johnnie Grimley is helping Andrew Wells during the busy season.

Quite a few from here attended the auction sale at Prucha's last Wednesday.

Alfred Olson has purchased the vacant house on E. Grimley's south quarter, and moved it onto his quarter where he will make improvements and soon move in.

Misses Carrie Siguerid left Monday for different points in North Dakota.

John Hermanson, who has been employed at S. Hermanson's this winter, left Monday for North Dakota where he will stay during the spring season.

E. Grimley and son, Louie, autoed to Goodridge Monday.

R. Johnsrud and son, Bennett, and Johnnie Erickson, autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Harry Erickson and Herman Aukre left Monday evening for Grand Forks where they will visit relatives.

T. O. Berg was a business caller at Pete Olson's Saturday.

Guy McEnelly and Obert Vraa left last Friday for Forest River, N. D., where they will remain through the busy season.

Mrs. Emil Siguerid was a visitor at T. O. Berg's, Monday.

Albert Arntz was a caller at the Halvor Holena home Sunday.

Misses Emma and Olga Grimley called on Mrs. A. J. Wells Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hanson visited at the Halmgrin home Sunday afternoon.

Quite a few from here attended the H. J. Svare auction sale Tuesday.

J. Tanar of Erie helped his brother, Geo. Tanar, saw wood Thursday.

J. Stenvik was a business caller in Goodridge Monday.

WYANDOTTE

Nels Hanson and daughter, Esther, and son, Anker, visited at the John C. Jorgensen home Sunday.

Oscar and Palmer Hanson spent Thursday and Friday in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. John C. Jorgensen called at the Sam Hanson home Monday.

Gust Wilson and Knute Thorvildson were business callers in Plummer on Monday.

Misses Elizabeth and Alice Evenson called at the Ed. Evenson home Monday.

James Evenson went to Hazel on Monday.

Miss Esther Hanson visited at the I. E. Wilson home Saturday evening.

John C. Jorgensen was a caller in Plummer on Monday.

Sam Hanson visited at the Julius Nelson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorvil Iverson and family, Chester, Tony and Viola Wilson, Rosie and Myrtle Jorgensen visited at the Charley Carlson home on Sunday.

I. E. Wilson and Knute Thorvildson went to Plummer on Tuesday.

STEINER

Anna Whitman has returned to her school near Warren after spending the Easter holidays at her parental home.

The Stegien brothers were hauling hay last week.

John Hauder bought a fine cow at the Mikkelson auction sale Tuesday of last week.

Willis Warring and John Whitman attended the Rafteseth auction sale last Friday.

The local school has been having state examinations this week.

Geo. Leisner is having a new well drilled on his farm in this place this spring.

Berg Bros. attended the Rafteseth auction sale on Friday.

Mable Rogers returned to her school after spending the Easter vacation at the home of her parents, northwest of this place.

Ole Berg transacted business at Thief River Falls last week.

S. R. Rogers transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Arthur Simonson transacted business in Crookston last week.

MAYFIELD

The program given by the scholars in Dist. No. 60 last Thursday afternoon was enjoyed by all those who were present. A delicious lunch was served by the mothers after the program.

Marie and Jennie Cooper visited with Dorothy and Gertrude Bakke last Sunday afternoon.

Anna and Arnt Wedul spent Saturday evening at the Aandahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. L Klove and son, Roy, Anna Wedul, Orvil Manford and Julien Stennes and the Kiel young folks spent Sunday afternoon at the H. C. Cooper home.

Several of the Mayfield farmers were business callers in Plummer on Monday.

Jacob Stennes called at the Wedul home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Carlson visited with Mrs. J. F. Kiel Tuesday afternoon.

Wm. Jasperson and sons, Lester and Lawrence, and George Jasperson called at the Omdahl home Sunday afternoon.

One of the best known and oldest Nursery Companies in the Northwest wishes to engage the services of a few reliable, honest go-getters with sales experience as their representatives, either for local territory immediately adjacent to their homes or for such other territory as may be vacant in this State or other States. Offer a snappy campaign and a chance to make more money during the season than an average salesman makes in a year. A commission proposition pure and simple, but a real opportunity to the right men. With your letter of application, please furnish references. a21p

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Early Every Morning

our milk is left at the doors of discriminating householders. They rely upon us not alone for the best and purest milk but for regular and dependable service as well. We deliver milk in your vicinity every day. Why not have us leave you a bottle or more daily, also. You'll like the milk, you'll appreciate the service. A post card or phone call will start it.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

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Is a mother who has once used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, for she makes a point of telling other mothers about it, who in turn pass the news on. It is this that has made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a household word throughout the world. Just ask some mother in your community what she thinks of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy—she will tell you that it enables her to get her children through the winter without coughs, colds or croup, and that at first approach of a cold she herself takes

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Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

WOOL GROWERS CONTINUE PLAN NOW EMPLOYED

Executive Board of State Federation Again Recommends Forming of Pools.

Six Million Pounds Sold in Ten States Last Year and Fair Price Received.

Holding Remainder of Clip to Prevent Complete Demoralization of Market.

The method of handling this year's wool clip of the state was taken up at the meeting of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation executive board held March 10 and it was unanimously voted to recommend to all county wool growers associations the continuation of the plan of wool marketing that was started last year. That is, the marketing of the county wool clip through the forming of county wool pools, storing locally, or selling through National Wool Marketing agency. It was also voted to recommend to all counties producing any amount of wool, and which did *not pool their clip last year, that they* do so this year. This plan would be carried out as last year through the cooperation of the Livestock Breeders association and the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation.

The wool market during the past year has been somewhat discouraging to the wool grower. This has been true no matter whether the wool has been marketed locally or through the national wool pool. Wool which has been marketed through the national wool pool, however, will net the grower close to one-third more than he could have sold his clip for locally.

The following statement from the National Wool Warehouse & Storage company shows the present status of the wool situation:

"About 15 percent of the Farm Bureau pooled wool has been moved at conservative values since the first of the year. The importation of foreign wools has been a bearish factor and has prevented any great activity in domestic wools. However, 6,000,000 pounds have been sold from the Ohio, Michigan, North Dakota, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, South Dakota, Indiana and Kansas Farm Bureau pools. The prices average about 40 percent of last years values for the various grades. For quarter blood, this means that the price per pound ranges from 20 to 28 cents; for three-eights blood, from 25 to 30 cents; for fine staple, from 33 to 40 cents; and for low quarter, from 20 to 23 cents. Farmers should understand that this price was based fundamentally upon the figure at which the same grade of foreign wool could be placed in the Boston market. C. J. Faucett, in charge of the wool pool work of the A. F. B. F., says that so long as foreign exchange is demoralized; the clip from abroad will continue to set the price. The demand has generally been for coarser low grade wools, although we have moved some of the fine medium and half blood staple from Minnesota at 28 to 29 cents, some of the half blood clothing at 27 cents and some quarter blood staple at 25½ cents."

From the above you will note there remains a large percent of the last year's clip unsold. When it will be sold it is impossible to say. It would be unwise at this time to throw our surplus on the market, for by doing so, what wool market we have would be destroyed. Indications are that the future wool market will depend largely upon foreign exchange and the enactment of a protective tariff.

Consideration should immediately be given the marketing of this year's wool clip. It is urgently recommended that you get in touch with the director of your County Wool Growers association and in case you have not a wool growers association that you take it up through your township organizations and decide on how you desire to handle your this year's clip.

Should you desire to call a meeting of your wool growers association or of wool representatives from the different township organizations, arrangements will be made for a representative from this office or from the Livestock Breeders association to be present at this meeting. In order to save railroad fare, a schedule of these meeting should be worked out by this office. We would have to know about what date you would desire yours.

Considerable saving can be made in the purchasing of wool twine and wool sacks if all county orders for the same are combined into a state pooling order by the Federation. If your association desires that the Federation purchase wool twine and wool sacks for you, please inform this office of the quantity of each.

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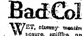

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WET, stormy weather, exposure, sniffles, and the heavy cold is on. Dr. King's New Discovery breaks it up quickly and pleasantly. Head cleaned up, cough relieved and you feel better. At your druggists, 60c and $1.20 a bottle.

For colds and coughs
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Dr. King's Pills will bring you the happiness of regular, normal bowels and liver functioning. Keep feeling fit and ready for work or play. Mild and comfortable to take but always reliable. Same old price, 25 cents.

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That gives a man more genuine chewing satisfaction than he ever got out of the ordinary kind.

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NOTICE!
P. W. ROARK
will sell at
Public Auction
Tuesday, April 12, 1921

on farm four miles north of Thief River Falls in Sec. 3, Excell Township, the following described property:

60 Head of Cattle 60
20 Head of registered Shorthorns
40 Head of grades

50 Duroc Jersey 50 Hogs and Pigs
23 brood sows, 20 pigs, 7 hogs

10 Head of Horses 10
TWO PUREBRED, REGISTERED PERCHERON MARES, 5 YRS. OLD THIS SPRING; WT. 1800 EACH; ONE WITH FOAL.
1 Pair of Black mares, 7 years old weight about 2800 lbs.
1 Pair of bay mares, 9 years old, weight about 2900 lbs.
1 Bay mare, 6 years old, weight about 1650 lbs.
1 Black gelding, 8 years old, wt. about 1400 lbs.
1 Gray gelding, 7 years old, wt. about 1500 lbs.

65 HEAD OF SHROPSHIRE EWES

Machinery
TWO FORD TOURING CARS, 1917 AND 1919 MODELS.
1 Fordson tractor with plows and tandem disc
1 7-ft. McCormick binder
1 8-ft. McCormick binder
1 10-ft. light Kentucky single disc drill
1 Corn Binder
1 Corn planter
2 8-ft discs
2 26-ft. smoothing harrows
1 12-in. gang plow
1 14-in. gang plow
2 Feed mills
1 3½ Horsepower gas engine
1 Wide tire wagon with double wagon box
1 DeLaval cream separator
Other farm implements too numerous to mention, some household goods.

Sale will start at 10 o'clock sharp.
FREE LUNCH AT NOON
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer.
FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK, Clerk.

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Two Meetings on Friday.

There were two Farmers club meetings staged last Friday evening. The New Solum Farmers club held a well attended meeting at the Sunshine building, and simultaneously the local club held their monthly meeting at Rosebank. Both meetings featured the usual proceedings and the New Solum club also gave a young peoples program. Lunch and merriment concluded both meetings.

Young Peoples Society Meets.

The Swedish Young Peoples society held their monthly meeting at the Congregational church in town last Saturday evening, and was well patronized. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking gave a short talk, and lead a number of sacred hymns, after which the customary sandwich luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Vixie, former residents of South Dakota, have moved to this vicinity this week, having leased the Mrs. Styrlund farm which they will operate in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hellquist and daughter, Bernice, from Yakima, Wash., arrived here this week and will spend the immediate future with the Hellquist brothers here. Mr. Hellquist has been engaged at farming and fruit raising in the West for a number of years but recently sold out and it is his intention to make Minnesota his home in the future.

The Sagmoen-Nordhagen saw mill will commence work on the Poplar Grove farm, east of town this week and is sawing from three to five thousand feet of lumber and square material every day. The Mellem Bros.' logs were the first to be sawed and included about 10,000 feet.

Mrs. Mary Rafteseth and daughter, Irene, accompanied by Mrs. Rafteseth's father, Mr. Hanson, left Tuesday evening for the latter's home near Grygla, where Mrs. Rafteseth will make her home for some time.

The following pupils from Rosebank and Dist. No. 34, took the state examinations before the local teacher, Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen, last Thursday and Friday: Delma Dols, Simon and Arnold Nakken, Gladys Swenson, Alma Blomberg, Myrtle Mellem, and Pearl Mellem and Christine Thompson and Carrie Ueland, from Dist. No. 34.

In the campaign recently carried on throughout the public schools of Marshall county in behalf of the Near East relief, the local district (Rosebank) won first honors in contributing the largest cash sum of money of any one room schools in the county. This was due chiefly through the diligent work of the teacher, Mrs. Sagmoen, and a letter of acknowledgement has been sent her by County Superintendent David Johnson of Warren. The amount contributed was $40.25.

A telephone message to Swen Swenson on Monday morning announced that his largest residence on Main street in Thief River Falls, had burned to the ground the same night. Fire is thought to have started from defective electrical wiring. Loss is partly covered by insurance.

Miss Bertha Remmem returned to her school work at Thief River Falls on Monday evening after spending Easter with the Anton Gullseth folks.

Johnny Halder spent Tuesday at Warren looking about for summer employment.

Miss Viola Axelson shopped and visited at Thief River Falls from Tuesday evening until Thursday.

Selmer Sorenson left last Tuesday for Thompson, N. D., near which place he will be employed during spring work.

Carl Ranum has spent the last few weeks here assisting his brother, Benhard, with his erection of a new residence.

Jim Thompson returned on Tuesday from a five days' visit with his folks at Gully.

Ted Thompson was up from Thief River Falls last Tuesday after a load of machinery from his former renting place.

Plowing and discing on the highest sandy fields commenced the beginning of the week, and with the prevailing weather it is certain to assume that by the latter part of the week field work will have commenced in general.

O. A. Flunn, a former Rosewood resident and now of Thief River Falls, was in town last Friday to attend the Mrs. Mary Rafteseth auction sale.

An anti-saloon league lecture will be given at the Congregational church next Sunday, April 10, at 8:00 p. m. A traveling lecturer will speak.

Adolph Borgen left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls near which place he will be employed for some time.

Mrs. O. M. Holson of Warren is visiting this week with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Mellem.

Swen Swenson returned on Thursday from Fergus Falls where he has spent a few days on personal business.

Harry Mytom gave a dance at his home last Saturday evening. Invitations were extended to a large number of young folks.

The oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum was taken to Thief River Falls last Monday to receive medical attention.

Pete Stromberg of Thief River Falls, and former section foreman here, was in town between trains last Monday to visit and attend to business.

Mrs. Selmer Haugen left last Friday for Angus where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Abe Stroble, over Sunday.

Thomas Thoreson is Sundaying at Thief River Falls visiting with his sister, Mrs. O. H. Rylin.

A carload of feed was shipped in at the local elevator last Tuesday.

H. Jacobson of Wannaska is a visitor this week with his daughter, Mrs. Julia Axelson and family.

Percy Hanson left last Friday for Angus where he will be employed during spring work.

Mrs. T. J. Taggert and daughter, spent Monday at Warren where the former is receiving medical treatment.

Herbert Carlson purchased a Ford car from Victor Mosbeck last Monday.

Mrs. Victor Mosbeck who has been assisting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen, during the latter's illness, was taken ill the latter part of the week and had to return to her home.

Clifford Hasby returned on Monday after Sundaying with friends at Thief River Falls.

Emil Hellquist, Emil Anderson, Emil Anderson and Adolph Haugen were among Saturday business visitors at Thief River Falls.

ST. HILAIRE

Daniel Patterson, Pioneer, Dies.

The entire community was greatly grieved on Monday morning when a message from St. Paul arrived stating that Daniel Patterson, one of our pioneer residents, had passed away during the night. Mr. Patterson, who had been failing for several months, had entered St. Luke's hospital in St. Paul for treatment, but a week previous so his death came as a sudden shock to all. His remains arrived here on Tuesday morning, accompanied by his wife, who had been with him, and his daughters, Inez of St. Cloud and Ann, of Coleraine. Funeral services were conducted from the home on Thursday afternoon, Rev. J. B. Smith of Thief River Falls officiating. Interment was made in the Swedish cemetery east of town. The many beautiful floral offerings bespoke the sympathy of friends and neighbors. Mr. Patterson leaves to mourn his death, his widow and son, Donald, and seven daughters, Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, Mrs. C. F. Brantner, Mabel, Inez, Ann, Olive and Margaret. The community feels keenly the loss of one of its leading citizens who had commanded the respect and esteem of all during his many years of service and work here.

Dr. C. Swanson returned Wednesday evening over the Soo to his home at Minneapolis, having been called here as a witness in the court case between the St. Hilaire School Dist. No. 102 and Mr. McAdams, contractor. He also made a brief visit at the S. M. Hoff home.

Louis Cathelineau, Jr., left the latter part of the week to be employed by Glenn Martz, county surveyor at Litchfield, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Swanson, residing in Rocksbury township, are the proud parents of a baby boy, born on March 31.

Gerald Stephen came Wednesday from Crookston where he has been a student at the Northwestern Agricultural school.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad and Miss Mabel Patterson shopped and visited at Thief River Falls between trains Saturday.

Schools closed Friday and the teachers and pupils are enjoying a week's vacation.

Mrs. A. F. Hall was a Thief River Falls shopper Saturday.

Prof. S. L. Johnson left Saturday via the Soo for his home at Hallock, for a week's vacation.

Miss Anna Vik, who has been employed at Virginia the past season, arrived Friday for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik.

The Misses Blanche Hoff and Edith Nelson left Friday evening via the Soo for a week's visit at the Dr. Swanson home at Minneapolis. They were accompanied by Linnea Swanson and Louise Hed, the former having visited here since a week ago when she arrived with her father, Dr. Swanson, the latter to visit with Miss Elna Swanson during school vacation week.

The Misses Lois Forbes and Eleanore Anderson, teachers in the public schools, left Friday to spend a week's vacation, the former to visit friends at Chicago, the latter to the parental home at Brainerd.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Howie came Monday from Crookston for a brief visit with relatives.

Miss Olive Patterson of Roseau arrived home on Monday evening in response to the message of her father's death.

Miss Lilly Johnson left Friday evening for a week's visit with her sister, Miss Nora Johnson at Minneapolis.

Rev. C. M. Grimerud left Tuesday for Thief River Falls where a three day conference will be held at the Trinity Lutheran church.

Carl Johnson, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Eva Johnson, left on Saturday morning via the Soo for a short visit with friends and relatives at Fosston.

Gust Fellman returned Thursday having transacted business at Fargo.

E. W. Gallagher, former station agent here, and now stationed at Humbolt, Minn., visited over Sunday with his family, returning Monday.

John Moore and family left on Wednesday for Good Hope, Ill., their new home. Elmer Johnson accompanied them. They plan to make the entire trip in their car.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brantner arrived Wednesday from their home in Aurora, Ill., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Brantner's father, the late Dan Patterson.

ESPLEE

Allyn Turnbull transacted business in Esplee on Monday.

Sarah and Mabel Martinson called at the W. E. Chapman home Sunday.

Carl Erickson and son, Garfield, transacted business in Goodridge last Friday.

Ole Rodal left for Goodridge on Tuesday.

Thor Larson left on Monday for North Dakota, where he will be employed this spring.

Arthur and Garfield Erickson spent Thursday evening with Herman Solley.

Carl Hanson transacted business in Grygla one day last week.

Max Konig made a business trip to Esplee one day last week.

Edmund Fiskevold called at the Fred Solley home last Friday.

Willie Kiesow transacted business in Grygla on Saturday.

Edmund Fiskevold made a business trip to Goodridge last Wednesday.

Herman Solley and Henry Olson called at the C. Erickson home Friday evening.

Carl Hanson was a caller in Esplee on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Fiskevold and children, Esther and Edmund, visited at the home of P. A. Johnson on Sunday.

Arthur Sund returned home on Monday after being employed for two weeks on the mail route between Goodridge and Grygla.

State road No. 12 is again washing out the grade near Sig. Anderson's farm and a few men are busy building a temporary bridge so that it will be passable.

Herman Solley made a brief visit at the Hans Fiskevold home on Sunday.

Garfield and Arthur Erickson spent Sunday with Albert and Ottar Fiskevold.

Harold Einarson visited with Norman Johnson Sunday afternoon.

Ottar Fiskevold called on Herman Solley last Sunday afternoon.

The town board of Esplee had a meeting at the home of Carl Hanson, town clerk, on Saturday.

Herman Solley transacted business in Esplee on Saturday.

Allan Swanton was an Esplee caller on Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson came out from Thief River Falls on Tuesday to visit the Turnbull homes here for a while.

Carl Erickson went to Esplee on his motorcycle last Tuesday.

Daniel Hanson transacted business in Grygla one day last week.

Bertha Gullenbuck called at the Ed. Martinson home Saturday afternoon.

Alice Tenold spent a few days of last week at the Sundt home.

Carl Hanson was a caller in Esplee on Tuesday.

Willie Lewis left for North Dakota last week to be employed for the spring.

A fine baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sund in Goodridge on March 29.

Mr. Sedy went to Esplee on Monday.

STEINER

Parties from Holt have been drilling a well at Steiner at the G. L. Leisner farm.

Miss Ruth Solem, who teaches near Newfolden, spent her Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem.

Theodore Stigen has been grinding feed for the farmers with his gasoline grinding outfit.

Charley Swanson was a business visitor at Rosewood one afternoon this week.

G. L. Leisner, our former merchant, left Thursday afternoon for Thief River Falls, where he expected to remain for some time.

Charley Swanson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Liden on Good Friday.

Arnie Solem of this place was among those who attended the meeting of the Farmers' club in a school house several miles north of Rosewood Friday evening.

M. Kisch, who resides near Holt, was a business visitor at Steiner on Thursday afternoon.

A number of neighbors, among whom were P. B. Malberg, C. A. Swanson, Cyrus Malberg and Peter Solem, were called on to meet at the home of P. Solem Saturday to discuss matters regarding the estate of the late Anton Mortenson. Mr. Swanson is the administrator of the estate.

Arnie Solem was a business caller at the Liden home Monday afternoon.

Mathea Berg and Agnes Warring visited with Mrs. P. Solem Monday afternoon.

Charley Swanson returned Friday from Thief River Falls, where he had been on a business trip.

Hawks seem so be unusually numerous in this community this spring. A local boy claims to have counted 23 in one flock.

Auction Sale

Having decided, on account of my health, to quit farming, I will sell at public auction, at my farm, Section 34, Township of Norden, 4½ miles west from Thief River Falls, on the Jefferson Highway

Monday, April 11

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following personal property:

HORSES
One bay gelding, 9 years old, wt. 1400
One black mare 16 years old, wt. 1350
One black mare, 5 years old, wt. 1350
One bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 1350
One bay mare, 8 years old, wt. 1400
One black gelding, 3 years old, wt. 1100.

CATTLE
One red cow, fresh, 8 years old
One red cow, fresh, 5 years old
One Holstein cow, fresh in May, 5 years old
One black cow, fresh in April, 3 years
One red cow, fresh, 3 years old
One red cow, 3 years old
Five heifers, 2 years old
Five calves, 1 year old
Five spring calves

MACHINERY
One 7 ft. McCormick binder
One 18 disc light Kentucky single disc drill
One 7 ft. disc, 14 disc
One 5 ft. McCormick mower
One John Deere 13 in. gang plow
One John Deere corn binder
One John Deere corn planter
One 10 ft. hay rake
One sweep rake
One drag
One brush breaking plow
One prairie breaking plow
One 5 horse Galloway gasoline engine
One New Holland feed mill
One saw rig
One fanning mill
One wide tire wagon with double box
One truck wagon
Two sleighs
One jumper
Two sets of work harness
One set buggy harness
One single buggy
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch at Noon

TERMS—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount approved bankable paper due November 1, 1921.

Mrs. Kari Johnson
OWNER
W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer. First National Bank, Clerk.

Legal Notices

Notice to Contractors.

The Board of Directors of the St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association will receive sealed bids for the erection of a creamery building in the Village of St. Hilaire, Minn., in accordance with plans and specifications on display at the creamery office or at either bank in said village.

Bids will be opened April 20, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M. Bids must be accompanied with a certified check in the sum of $500, same to be returned to unsuccessful bidder.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Directors,
Per F. S. ERDMANN,
Secretary.
a7-14

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twenty-one hundred eighty-three and 18-100ths ($2183.18) Dollars, which is claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John Arntson and Thilda Arntson, his wife, Mortgagors, to First State Bank of Gully, Minnesota, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of January, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 493, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North half of the northeast quarter (N½NE¼), southwest quarter of the northeast quarter (SW¼NE¼), northwest quarter of the southeast quarter (NW¼SE¼) of section twenty-four (24), township one-hundred-fifty-two (152), north of range thirty-nine (39), west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one-hundred-sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2183.18, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 30th, A. D. 1921.
FIRST STATE BANK OF GULLY, MINNESOTA, A CORPORATION,
Mortgagee.
P. A. GRADY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
[illegible], Minnesota.
a7-14-21-28

Notice For Bids.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk for the scraping and painting of the Bridge Street Bridge, using two coats of paint, each coat a different color, city to furnish paint. Work to be done according to specifications on file at City Clerk's office. Bids to be accompanied by certified check for 25 per cent of bid.

Bids will be opened at a regular meeting of the City Council to be held in the council chamber on Tuesday, April 12, 1921, at 8 o'clock P. M.

City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. H. AKRE,
City Clerk.
m31-a-7

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Thirty-two and 81-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John C. Casey and Mary Casey, his wife, Mortgagors, to Geo. G. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of April, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, 1915, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 230, and

Whereas, the said Geo. G. Johnson, Mortgagee (his full true name being George G. Johnson) died on the 6th day of December, 1918 and at the time of his death was a resident of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota; and whereas, Perl W. Mabey was, in due proceedings had in the Probate Court of said Pennington County, appointed administrator with Will annexed of the estate of said George G. Johnson, Decedent, and duly qualified as such; and whereas, Letters of Administration with Will annexed of the estate of said decedent were duly issued to said Perl W. Mabey, by said Probate Court, bearing date the 13th day of January, 1919, a certified copy of which was duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 16th day of March, 1921 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "J" of Miscellaneous, on Page 110, and

Whereas, said Perl W. Mabey, as administrator with Will annexed of the estate of George G. Johnson, Decedent, did duly assign said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated the 6th day of June, 1919, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 16th day of March, 1921, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages, on Page 116 and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now Therefore Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-one (21), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of May, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $32.81, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, 1921.
THE PENNINGTON COUNTY LAND AND LOAN COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m24-31-a7-14-21-28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 60-100 ($994.60) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William G. Hunt and Harriet Hunt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 446.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation by written assignment dated the 14th day of May, 1918, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of March, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 117, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven and Eight (7 and 8) in Section Twenty-nine (29), and the East one-half (E½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Thirty-one (31), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-three North, of Range numbered Forty (40) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 6th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 60-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, A. D. 1921.
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Thief River Falls, a Corporation,
Assignee of the Mortgagee.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
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FOR SALE—Two White Leghorn roosters. Syverson Bros., Krebs Route, Thief River Falls. 9p

FOR SALE—Purebred five year old Holstein bull, gentle. Also have some spring rye seed at $1.85 per bu. Andrew Breznay, Germantown Route. Stop 7 on Electric line. 9p

FOR SALE—700 bushel Big Four seed oats. Absolutely clean. Call 411 Riverside Ave. P. P. Palmer. 2tf

FOR SALE—Work horse for $75.00. Harry Woolson, City. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Purebred White Holland Tom, $1.50, if taken at once. P. E. Ness, St. Hilaire, Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting from prize winning Single Comb black Minorcas, $1.00 per setting of 13. Also some Plymouth Rock eggs at 50c. E. G. Dols, Rosewood, Minn. 11p

FOR SALE—Span of bay geldings, wt. 3200 pounds. Also seed flax. W. E. Smith, Thief River Falls, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE—One Rock Island tractor, tandem disc, slightly used. Inquire at [illegible] 10p

FOR SALE—Seven room, 2-story house and 8 lots in Roseau. Cheap if sold soon. Write to owner, Mrs. Caroline C. Berthrud, Roseau, Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—200 bushels of White Russian oats, for seed. Aug. N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn., R. 1. 9p

FOR SALE—800 bushel good, clean feed barley at 60c per bushel. J. S. [illegible], Golden Valley, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

FOR SALE—As I am in need of money I will sell my 5 passenger Chevrolet Car cheap if taken at once. Apply at Times office. 9p

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 1tf

FOR SALE—One Indian motorcycle in good running order. Inquire at 308 Conley Ave. S. 10p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island eggs for hatching, $1.50 for 15; $7 for 100. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 11p

FOR SALE—Farm seven miles from city or will trade for residence property in city. Call or write 511 Arnold Ave. S. 9p

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—Have fine black Percheron stallion for sale very reasonable. Will consider trade. P. E. Lund, Holt, Minn. 10

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large one. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Automobile with commercial body, full curtains. Cheap if sold soon. H. M. Evenstad, 322 Horace Ave. N. 11p

FOR SALE—Cow coming fresh in May, and 3 good horses. Or will consider a trade for a grain separator, 22 or 24 in. preferred. Oscar Evenson, Germantown Rt. NE¼, Sec. 13, Silverton Twp. 9tf

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs. Black Leghorn, dark Cornish, Game Bantams. Geo. Lehmers, Thief River Falls, Minn. 9tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—About 800 lbs. fine, clean timothy seed, also a gander, or will exchange for a goose. Ed. Kotlan, Mavie, Minn. 8

MUST SELL 6-room house on the river bank in Thief River Falls. $700.00 down will buy it. Cheap if taken at once. C. O. Franson, Viking Minn. 7tf

FOR SALE—150 bushel seed flax, also buckwheat seed. Germantown, R. F. D. Thief River Falls. Stop seven on Electric line. Breznay Bros. 9p

FOR SALE—One Chevrolet 490 automobile also one Ford Touring with starter and speedometer, new late last summer. Will give buyer a good bargain if taken now. John Severson, R. 1, St. Hilaire, Minn. 9p

FOR SALE—Black Minorca hatching eggs, $1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. Phillip [illegible], 143 LaBree So. Telephone 412. 10

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—Eggs. Pure bred Buff Orpington eggs, $2.00 per setting of 15. H. F. Erickson, 901 Duluth Ave. N. Thief River Falls, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 125, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—One team of good work horses for sale cheap. Come make me an offer at house No. 1021 Schuman St. East. 9p

FOR SALE—200 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call Theo. Blomberg, R 1, Thief River Falls. 5tf

FOR SALE—One Ford touring car and one Ford one-ton truck, in good shape. Also one set heavy work harness. Must be sold at once for cash, or part cash and bankable papers. Inquire 615 Dewey Ave. N. 9p

FOR SALE—About 10 ton of wild hay 2 miles north of Stop 8 on the Electric line. Thos. Pauck, Germantown Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 8p

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 503. Andrew Ness. 9tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Chambermaid at Hotel Evelyn.

FOR SALE—Feed oats, 50c per bushel. [illegible] Phone 15-F411. 11p

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 41f

FOR SALE—One 1920 Ford Coupe with starter. McFarland Auto Co. 9p

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the SE¼, Sec. 18, Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 80 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn—C. W. [illegible]. 2tf

FOR SALE—Library table, set dining room chairs and table, chiffoniere, pedestal, large rug and 4 small rugs. Mrs. Hal Stanton. 10

FOR SALE—White Blossom Sweet Clover. Hulled 98% purity, $5.00 bu. Unhulled $1.25 bu. Dan Stonehouse, Plummer, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—71 acre farm with good improvements, 80 rods east of Roundhouse. W. O. Long, Thief River Falls, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre river farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write E. K. Callaway. [illegible]

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Wyandotte eggs for hatching, $1.00 per 15; $5 per 100. Mrs. Syver Nohre, Thief River Falls, Minn., Rt. 1. 11p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—[illegible] also city property. [illegible] elevator. 9p

FOR SALE—Three lots in Thief River Falls. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First & Peoples State Bank. 2tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—FOR HAY—International revolving hay rack and two bull rakes. Nearly new. Price $100.00. Good strong wagon with 100-bushel tank. Price $35.00. Heavy running gear, 3 years old $80.00. John Deere gang, 2 sets new shoes, $50.00. Old harness, $10.00. Disc drill $50.00. Will take good feeding hay at $10.00 per ton on cars. Samuel Maxwell, Humboldt, Minn. 12p

FOR EXCHANGE—Horses to exchange for cows or young stock. Box 703, Thief River Falls. 10p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two acres in Number One shape for garden with small house, garage and large chicken house with yard high fence, on Red Lake River. Mrs. E. Roth, 311 Horace Ave. N. 9p

FOR SALE—One of the best all modern homes in city. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, C. T. Christenson, 415 Main Ave. N. 9tf

FOR RENT—300 acres in town of Kratka, sec. 6 and 7. 140 acres plowed, 120 in timothy. Will rent on shares or for cash rent. Mrs. Theo. L. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn. 4tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 8p

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, E½, of Section 6, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares.—C. P. [illegible], Kratka.

FOR RENT—S½SE¼ and E½SW¼, sec. 21, Numedahl town. Inquire of T. J. Wasley, R. D. 1, Thief River Falls. 10p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—GIRL for general housework on farm. Washing and churning done by electricity. State wages wanted. Mrs. P. F. Kelly, St. Thomas, N. D., R. F. D. 10p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES—Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest Wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 9p4

YOUNG MEN, WOMEN, over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $120 month. Examinations April. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of instruction, write John Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 469 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 9p

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By experienced gas or oil tractor operator. Write Harold [illegible], Lock, Wis. 10p

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FOUND—Lady's lodge pin. Owner kindly call at Times office. 10p

MISCELLANEOUS

COMFORTABLE, small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Erstad's office. 10tf

DRESSMAKING. Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221 First St. E. 107tf

WANTED—A medium sized house, in this city, in good location, at moderate price. Have an improved farm to sell, and will prefer house that can be taken in as part payment on farm. What have you to sell or trade? Write No. 70, care of Times. 11p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

FLATHEAD VALLEY, MONT.—Don't overlook Flathead Valley. No cyclones known. Send for our spring listings. Tupper & Dickinson, Kalispell, Mont. 9p

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM parties residing within Pennington County that have 40, 80, 160 acre tracts of land to dispose of. W. A. Swanson, [illegible], Minn. 11p

DRESSMAKING, Remodeling. [illegible] Hedin, 323 Kendall Ave. N., City. 9p

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

TAX RETURNED; NEARLY $84,000 IS APPORTIONED

Division is Made of Amount Paid in to County During January and February.

State Retains But Small Portion of Total—Schools Come in For Large Share.

Thief River Falls Gets $22,041.87 Out of $37,688.57 Going to Districts.

Eighty-three thousand six hundred and twenty-two dollars and eighty-seven cents in cool coin of the realm poured into the Pennington county coffers through the hands of County Treasurer John Gullingsrud between January 1 and March 1, according to records on file in that office. This tidy sum represents tax payments for the first half of the year, 1921. It is small in comparison with other years owing to the fact that the Minnesota legislature during February ruled that tax payers be given an extension of one month's time, or until April 1, in which to pay taxes on assessed personal property. The $83,622.87 is distributed as follows:

State taxes	$ 7,141.85
County taxes	20,270.38
City and Vill. taxes	13,023.53
Township taxes	8,424.22
Prin. and Int. on St. loan	5,026.46
School taxes	29,733.43
	$83,622.87

City Gets Biggest Share.

In addition to the $29,733.43 paid in to the treasurer's office on the 1920 levy for the school fund, $7,307.50 was received from the state, making a total to be apportioned for school purposes of $37,040.93. State school aid was paid at the rate of $2.60 for each of the 2,923 pupils in the rural, village and city schools of the county. County Auditor T. P. Anderson is this week distributing warrants to the schools for the first tax apportionment of 1921. Of the $37,688.57 which is being paid into the treasuries of the school districts, the city of Thief River Falls, district No. 18, gets approximately 59 per cent, the village of Goodridge, district No. 8, 8.44 per cent and the village of St. Hilaire, district No. 102, 5.2 per cent. The remainder is distributed among the seventy-odd districts as shown in the following tabulation:

No. Dist.	Appt.
1	62.67
2	148.12
3	68.59
4	194.34
5	143.35
6	153.91
7	71.61
8 (Goodridge)	3,120.42
9	280.86
10	215.97
11	208.35
12	240.46
15	228.43
17	21.88
18 (T. R. Falls)	22,041.87
25	139.35
26	267.90
28	195.10
29	200.15
30	199.13
31	145.68
33	21.15
34	139.82
35	171.34
37	158.01
38	143.44
39	188.34
41	183.92
42	159.21
43	31.93
44	51.26
46	232.06
47	183.95
48	169.20
50	71.70
51	113.78
52	188.41
53	138.12
54	140.90
55	130.32
56	144.46
57	179.76
58	85.12
59	207.26
60	57.38
61	129.93
65	203.97
66	120.09
67	125.01
68	154.13
69	114.30
70	105.14
73	350.06
91	195.06
99	118.90
102 (St. Hilaire)	1,988.34
106	156.56
108	72.38
125	186.55
127	171.06
133	69.82
135	159.85
147	140.54
148	33.20
149	96.41
164	118.88
165	97.71
166	135.72
178	187.16
180	115.67
194	143.88
219	38.66
221	162.35
227	25.59
228	57.93
Unorganized	271.34
Total	$ 37,688.57

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What Town Can Beat This?

By having sold during the month of February, $1,438.85 worth of Government Savings securities, Hudson, Wisconsin, appears to have established a record for Ninth district towns of that size, the sales amounting to 42 cents for every man, woman and child there.

Why Not Run For Governor?

Saving money is a state of mind. If you want to be governor of that state you need only one vote—your own. The fee which you pay to file is a 25c United States Treasury Department Thrift stamp or, if you prefer, a $1 stamp or a $5 stamp. If you file often enough, you will soon have a $25 or $100 or even a $1,000 Treasury Savings certificate. The last four mentioned securities are always worth more than you paid for them. Some state of which to be governor.

DEMAND FOR CATTLE CONTINUES LIGHT

Outlet For Both Killing Class of Cattle and Stockers and Feeders Below Normal.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minn. Department of Agriculture.)

Monday's Opening.

South St. Paul, Minn., April 4, 1921 Cattle 2,500, market slow, mostly steady to weak. Calves 400, steady, top $7.00. Hogs 7,500, market mostly steady with Friday, range $7.50-$9.75, bulk $8.25-$9.50. *Pigs strong to 25c higher. Top and bulk $11.00.* Sheep 1,100, market steady to weak. Top wooled lambs $9.35. Choice ewes $5.75-$6.00.

Although cattle receipts at the local market continue below normal showing considerable decrease from those of a week ago, the general undertone to the market at the present time is weak owing to a considerably reduced outlet for both killing classes of cattle and stockers and feeders. Packer buyers and city butchers claim that conditions of dressed beef markets are such that cattle marketed thru these channels at the present time are all showing losses, and that they must reduce live costs.

Buyers efforts today to reduce costs of killing cattle met with little success, and the market opened steady to weak, with last week's close. Good beef steers which are the best grade coming to the local market at the present time are quotable up to $9.00 or $9.25, both heavy and light weight steers of that grade selling for the latter price during the past week. Best steers in today's trade sold at $9.00, with all others of the common and medium grades selling from $7.00 to $8.75. Strictly choice heifers are quotable to $8.00, or better, with young cows on the heifer order selling as high as $7.50, and bulk of she stock selling from $4.50 to $7.00. Packers are purchasing a few canner and cutter cows from $2.00 to $4.00, and bologna bulls are going largely from $4.00 to $4.50, with a few choice ones up to $4.75. Packer top on veal calves at present is $7.00. Bulk of heavy feeders of desirable kinds are selling from $7.00 to $8.00, with strictly choice ones quotable to $8.75, and bulk of stocker steers weighing under 750 pounds are selling largely from $6.00 to $7.00, with real choice ones quotable up to $7.50.

The hog trade was on the weak side every day except one during last week, prices looking about 75c lower during the period. Trade today opened largely steady with last Friday, top $9.75, with range from $7.50 to $9.75, and the bulk from $8.25 to $9.50. Lambs are opening mostly to a steady to weak basis with prime handyweight wooled lambs selling today at $9.35. Sheep and yearlings opened practically steady, with choice handyweight ewes quotable from $5.75 to $6.00.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.22
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.15
Oats	.23
Flax	1.20
Barley	.40
Rye	1.17
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bag	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.35
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb	18-25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.18
Dairy butter	.38
Creamery butter	.47
Cow Hides, per lb	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lambs dressed, per lb	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb	.04

Weekly Market Review.

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co. Minneapolis)

Cold weather accompanied by frosts throughout parts of the Southwest in the forepart of the week caused some apprehension of damage to wheat that had jointed, but with a moderation in the temperature and reports confirming not only absence of damage but actual benefit, and private estimates of a winter wheat crop running from 630,000,000 to 675,000,000 based on the present condition and acreage, the news was too much for a tired market to hold up. Buyers freely liquidated and consequently new low levels were established.

There is unquestionably promise of super-abundant wheat production in the southwest. Quite naturally with such a prospect the large southwestern farm reserves are noticeably being marketed more freely. While it is true that the crop is by no means secured and that in the interim of sixty days a reversed situation may be encountered, nevertheless the immediate market trend is governed by actualities, not possibilities.

At the lower prices foreigners took considerable more of our wheat on Friday and Saturday. This new export business, estimated for the two days between 7,000,000 and 8,000,000 bushels, checked the decline and rallied the May delivery price about five cents over the low point.

At the moment there is but very little to report favorable to higher coarse grain prices. An upward movement in wheat should be reflected sentimentally in better prices for corn, oats and barley, or a renewed export business of large proportions should at the present extremely low prices somewhat stimulate a sick market. It can be expected also that at the low price farm supplies will be sold grudingly and only through absolute necessity. On the other hand, in view of the heavy weight of stocks both in the farm reserve and at the primaries, it is difficult to find investors.

While the steady export business, decreasing wheat visible and liquidation of last week is counteracting the influence of the bright prospects of new winter wheat, as we view the general situation no important changes during the current week will likely result in the absence of new developments.

Public Forum

Word From the West.

Editor Times: I will once more ask the Times editor to publish a few lines so that you may see I am well back here in Ferndale after my recent trip to Thief River Falls.

My return journey was fine, the train being on time all the way out and no mishaps of any kind. Through the Cascade mountains we had very nice weather and the scenery there is great. But most wonderful of all is to see how the railroad is built. In many places it looks as if the rails were laid on shelves along the mountainside. It seems at times as if it runs back and forth in a zig-zag in order to get down and when I see a comparatively small train with two monster engines hitched to it I realize they must have some climbing to do.

Many passengers traveling for the first time don't see and understand how the railroad is running. They might see a track up on the mountain and it may so happen that they see two and it would be impossible to realize that the very same train on which one is riding could have come down those very tracks.

Arriving at Ferndale last Friday afternoon I was met at the train by my two girls, Gertrude and Olive, who were waiting for dad to come home. Walking down from the depot I had to stop several times to look around and said to my girls: How nice it is here. Only last Sunday I had to borrow a fur cap from Mr. Ramstad while going to church in Thief River Falls, while here everything is green, the sun is bright and the flowers in bloom. I have often been asked where I would prefer to live if I had to make a choice—here or back in Minnesota. My answer has always been that the climate is better here in Washington but as concerns the people I would rather live in Thief River Falls than any other place.

I enjoyed my visit at the old home very much and thank every one of my friends for their kindness. Especially am I under obligations to Mr. and *Mrs. Olaf Ramstad and Mr. C. Olen* for the hospitality extended during my stay.

This is my third letter to you through The Times and I feel as if I was sending a personal communication to all my friends. Best wishes to you all,

O. I. OEN.

Ferndale, Wash., March 28.

Reports recently tabulated show that public school pupils at Delano, Minn., hold United States Treasury Thrift and Savings stamps to the amount of $2,232.20.

Read the classified advertisements in The Times. It will pay you to do so.

ED. FOLEY TELLS OF A BIG CHANGE

Eats Better, Sleeps Better and Works Better Since Taking Tanlac.

"I have found out by my own experience with Tanlac that what the people have been saying about it is every word the truth," said Edward Foley, 213 West 28th St., St. Paul, Minn., a valued employee of the Globe-Wernicke Co.

"I was broken down in health, bothered day in and day out with my stomach, kidneys and nerves. My appetite had dwindled down to nearly nothing and my stomach caused me all kinds of trouble. It kept me worried all the time because I couldn't eat, for I had always been used to three of the biggest kind of meals every day.

"My kidneys also bothered me and my nerves kept me restless and irritated all the time. My sleep was all broken up, I wouldn't more than get to sleep before I would wake up again. I was so weak I never felt fit for work and just could manage to pull through the day.

"But I got hold of Tanlac some back and I began to pick up right off. I took three bottles and the way they built me up is more than I ever expected. It seems that meal time will never come now and I can eat anything anybody else can without a sign of trouble. My kidneys and nerves are in fine order and I sleep as sound as a *healthy baby. I have* picked up all the way round and am strong enough to tackle any kind of work."—adv.

Too Few Applicants.

The Civil Service commission invites special attention to the fact that in examinations held recently in Thief River Falls and other cities throughout the United States for law clerks, typists and multigraph operators, for positions at Washington, D. C., applicants were not secured in the number desired, and that these examinations will again be held on April 13 and May 4, respectively. Persons interested in these or other examinations should apply to the secretary of the civil service board at the local post office for detailed information and application blanks.

Attends State Meeting.

R. M. Wilson, delegate of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association to the meeting of farmer organization representatives from other sections of the state at the recent meeting in St. Paul, returned Thursday. Mr. Wilson says that there was a good attendance and much interest displayed in the outcome of the national meeting to be held in Chicago this week. The program mapped out by the Committee of 17 was endorsed and delegates chosen to attend the Chicago convention. Two delegates were chosen from the Farm Bureau Federation and one each from the following organizations: Equity League, Grain Dealers association, Grange, Society of Equity.

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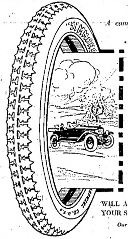

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Historical Society
MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

BOARD IS ASKED TO RECONSIDER FORMER ACTION

Petition Requests School Directors to Reinstate Dropped Commercial Department.

No Action Taken at Meeting Monday, Matter Being Taken Under Consideration.

Will Advertise For New Bids on Erection of Authorized East Side School.

A petition requesting the continuance of the high school commercial training department for at least the coming year was presented to the board of education at that body's *regular meeting on Monday night.* The petition was circulated by J. J. Richter, P. J. Keating and P. W. Roark and bore the signatures of approximately 150 tax payers of the city, many of whom have children attending school at the present time. This action was taken following the board's decision of March 21 to discontinue the high school agricultural course, the commercial department and to reduce the staff of the home economics department to one instructor, in order to lower the operating cost of the schools.

The reasons for the request as given in the petition were: That the commercial course is one of four years duration with the principal subjects, typewriting and stenography, studied during the third and fourth years; that if the department is not continued it will not be possible for students already entered upon the course to finish their studies; that juniors will be compelled to completely change their courses for the year, and without the fourth year of work, the previous three years study will be of but little value to them. It was also stated in the petition that 32 juniors are at present enrolled in the commercial department.

The petitioners were not represented at the board meeting. No action was taken in the matter other than a vote of the board to take the matter under advisement.

Re-advertise for Bids.

The board later voted to advertise for bids on the erection of a new school building on the site now occupied by the Knox school, bids to be opened at the regular meeting on the night of May 9. Should the bids be thought too high, as was the case last June, all will be again rejected.

The voters of the city at a special election held on March 29 last year authorized the sale of bonds in the sum of $135,000 for the erection of the building to replace the Knox school. Bids for the work were opened on June 21, when it was found that the lowest price at which the building could be built was $104,300 or approximately $25,000 more than the architects had estimated. Consequently all bids were rejected. Contractors gave uncertain labor and transportation conditions as the reason for the seemingly high prices asked. Conditions having been relieved to a large extent, much lower bids are expected on May 9 and, if sufficiently low, construction work on the building will undoubtedly start at once. If not, all will again be rejected.

The plans as drawn up by the Minneapolis firm of Sund & Dunham call for a beautiful 14-room building of strictly modern construction. The old Knox structure will be wrecked and the material used as far as possible.

The teachers' committee of the board reported many applications received but no contracts entered into. Teacher agencies are reporting that the demand for competent teachers will not exceed the supply and that any rush to fill vacancies at this time is uncalled for.

Col. Leach is Candidate For Mayor of Minneapolis

Col. George E. Leach, commander of the 151st field artillery of the Rainbow division, on Monday accepted the nomination for mayor of Minneapolis after having first declined the honor. A large number of former Rainbow division men in this section will watch the campaign with deep interest. He will be opposed in the race by Thos. Van Lear, a former mayor of the mill city.

SPRING SESSION OF ADAMS PRESBYTERY

Pastors From All Parts of District Meet in Two-Day Session at Church Here.

To regular spring session of the Adams Presbytery was held at the Twentieth Century Presbyterian church in this city on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Large and enthusiastic meetings were held in the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, the session coming to a close at 3 o'clock on the second afternoon. Rev. L. P. Warford of Bemidji opened the two-day conference with an inspirational address on Foreign Missions. At the popular meeting in the evening of the same day Rev. Carl Perrin of East Grand Forks delivered the Moderator's sermon. Music was furnished for all meetings by the Young Peoples choir of the local church. Reports of permanent committees and routine business of the Presbytery were disposed of with great dispatch, bringing about an early conclusion of the conference. Among the delegates present were:

Rev. F. J. Hibbard, Crookston; Rev. L. P. Warford, Bemidji; Rev. Carl Perrin, East Grand Forks; Elder C. F. Mix, Crookston; Rev. E. J. Clark, Hallock; Rev. J. R. McLean, Kelliher; Rev. W. F. Grundy, Tenstrike; Rev. J. M. Gray, Fisher; Rev. E. A. Hall, Brooks; Rev. Goss, Euclid; Rev. Evans, Red Lake Falls; Elder McDonald, Fisher; Elder F. R. Davis, Plummer, and Elder H. W. Kinghorn, Rev. Clinton Cook, Rev. R. L. Barackman and Elder G. L. Sterns, all of Thief River Falls.

THE WEATHER

Received by L. M. Rayson, Local Observer.

Northern Minnesota and Dakota—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Colder in West portion.

COUNTY DISPOSES OF $115,000 DITCH ISSUE AT 6 PER CT.

Commissioners Also Withdraw Appropriation of $1,200 For Repairs on Long Bridge.

The board of commissioners of Pennington county at a meeting here on Thursday effected the sale of county ditch bonds aggregating $115,000 to Gates, White & Company, St. Paul financial firm. Of that sum $89,000 is for the construction of ditch No. 68 and the remaining $26,000 for repair work on ditch 70. The bonds were sold at par and will bear an interest rate of six per cent. The contract for the construction and repair work was let to the American Drainage company of Thief River Falls on February 25. Dredges are already being moved to the scene of operations east of here and work will start as soon as conditions will permit.

A petition for repairs on judicial ditch No. 13 in Reiner township was also heard by the county board on Thursday. The county engineer has been instructed to make a survey; and a hearing set for May 3 at the Pennington county court house.

A resolution was passed by the commissioners cancelling an appropriation of $1,200 to the town of North made on February 3, 1920, for the purpose of assisting in making repairs on what is known as the Long bridge across Thief river near the north outskirts of this city. Voters of the township at the 1920 election authorized the making of necessary repairs but the town board did not proceed with the work. It was again voted at the March election of this year to repair the bridge in question at a cost of not more than $4,000.

The resolution drawn up and passed on Thursday states that it appears to the county board at this time that it is unwise to expend any money upon bridge work that does not comply with the requirements of the state highway department and that the appropriation be considered cancelled unless it shall be shown to the board that the bridge is repaired or rebuilt in compliance with the same.

LAND BANKS MUST RESUME GRADUALLY

Ability to Meet Demand Will Depend on Success of Bond Drive Now Being Made.

L. A. Lampert, secretary-treasurer of the Valhall branch of the Federal Land bank, returned this week from a conference of Executive Council and officers of the bank at St. Paul. He states that the future ability of the branches to take care of the farmers in their neighborhoods will depend upon the success of a drive now being made to sell the bonds of the parent institution. Whatever money is secured in this manner will be prorated among the branches and the Valhall will naturally come in for its share. What this will be Mr. Lampert was unable to discover.

One thing was made plain at the conference. Activities must be resumed very gradually because of the general financial condition of the country. Efforts will be made to take care of borrowers who are in actual need of the money and applications will be closely investigated. This leaves the bank's status somewhat indefinite as regards this spring's business but it is hoped that matters will so shape themselves that fall demands can all be met.

Goldsmith of Dakota to Meet Kollen on April 22

Charlie Goldsmith of Crystal, N. D., and Henry Kollen of Greenbush will wrestle here at the Lyceum theatre on Friday night, April 22, the winner to take all proceeds in addition to a $200 side bet. Goldsmith has defeated such men as "Sailor Jack," Harry Nick and Christ Pearson. Local fans know the ability of Kollen and if the North Dakota man can produce his reputed skill, the match will prove something worth seeing. The two huskies will wrestle at catch weights. Cal Farley, who has just returned from Los Angeles where he wrestled Walter Miller for the worlds' welter-weight championship, will referee the match.

EARLY REVIVAL IS INDICATED IN BUILDING LINES

Local Concern Ready to Construct Homes to be Sold on Easy Payments.

Standard Oil Plans in This City Awaiting Outcome of Paving Controversy.

Work on $40,000 Building at Oakland Park Sanatorium Will Soon be Begun.

With the advent of fine weather a season of spring building starts in Thief River Falls and augurs well for the remainder of the year. Construction work has already started on a residence for H. A. Pratt on Markley avenue north. The contract is in the hands of The Prichard company.

The Winton-Nichols Lumber company will furnish building material for a six-room residence to be erected on Kendall avenue south at a cost of approximately $3,500 by Otto Geske, another, a residence on the East side of similar size and approximately the same cost for W. K. Hoffer and a seven-room house, costing $3,800, on the West side across from Squaw Point, for H. O. Tommerdahl. Work will start at once on the last three jobs. All will be of most modern construction thruout.

H. C. Johnson, local manager of the Nortz Lumber company, on Wednesday, issued the statement that in view of the house shortage existing in Thief River Falls his company planned to build several dwelling houses during the coming summer, but that the plan hinged to a large extent upon the paving of the city streets. President Nortz stated when in the city recently that should the march of progress carry thru the paving project, the company would show its faith in the future of the community by the immediate erection of houses for sale on most attractive terms. This plan was pursued at Wahpeton last summer immediately following a paving program, and proved highly satisfactory to all parties concerned.

In addition to the above described buildings, the city council on Tuesday night granted permits for the erection of several small warehouses, garages and repairs on business blocks, among the latter being a permit issued to Louis Christianson to build a brick addition to his building on LaBree avenue, which is at present occupied by the Palace clothing store. A new front has already been placed in the Knudsen building on Third street, formerly occupied by C. B. Bradley. The Christofferson Grocery company is moving a large stock of merchandise into the new quarters from the building on LaBree avenue, and will be ready to serve the retail trade in a very short time.

Contractors and material dealers are of the opinion that the above indicates only the beginning of a general resumption of building operations in the city. It is known that the Standard Oil company is anxious to begin work on the erection of warehouses on the property recently acquired for the purpose on the east side of Bridge street. At the time the tract was purchased the concern's representative was led to believe that the paving matter was settled and that there would be a large quantity of dirt available for filling in the places from which a heavy overburden of sawdust must be removed. Mr. Mahle, representing the company, was in the city last week and stated that if this filling had to be shipped in it would make the cost of construction prohibitive.

In addition to the above the Oakland Park Sanatorium commission will soon begin the erection of a $46,000 nurses' home and administration building.

The owners of one of the finest building sites in the city have for some time had under consideration the erection of a business block 40x100 feet and final decision depends upon the closing of a rental contract. It has been requested that further details in regard to this particular matter be withheld for the present.

FAMOUS ST. OLAF CHORAL SINGERS TO APPEAR HERE

Finest Organization of Its Kind in the Country Will be Heard Late in June.

June 21 has been set as a tentative date for the appearance here of the St. Olaf choir of 55 voices, one of the foremost musical organizations of its kind in America. The event is already being looked forward to as the greatest musical event in the history of Thief River Falls. Credit for securing the appearance here of the choir is extended to Dr. O. F. Mellby, himself a graduate of St. Olaf College, Northfield. Arrangements are not completed but the choir's concert of the classic sacred music may be given under the auspices of the Young Peoples' society of Trinity Lutheran church.

The choir under the direction of F. Melius Christiansen has become one of international fame. A tour of the South has just been completed with a concert given in the St. Paul auditorium on Monday night. A year ago the organization gave recitals in all the leading cities of the East and in every instance received whole columns of favorable comment at the hands of the foremost musical critics. The singing of the choir, under the baton of Prof. Christianson, has been pronounced as unexcelled. It is reported that people drive hundreds of miles or travel equal distances by train to hear the singers. Everywhere they have been enthusiastically received.

The most successful concert of the present season was given at St. Joseph, Missouri, on the night of April 4 before an audience of thirty-five hundred at the opening of the national convention of musical supervisors. Press comments state that Christiansen and his singers were applauded for ten minutes after being forced to give two encores at the close of the program. According to a recent announcement by Manager Hanson, the choir has been invited to appear with the New York Symphony orchestra next December 31. This is considered one of the highest marks of recognition in the musical circles of the country.

PAVING INSPECTED; NO AGREEMENT AS YET IN EVIDENCE

Impossible For Council to Take Any Action Before Working Basis is Reached.

The many residents of the city who gathered at the council chambers for the regular meeting on Tuesday evening with the expectation of hearing big developments in the paving case, were greatly disappointed. Nothing of moment turned up. F. F. Haynes, acting as spokesman for a committee recently appointed by those in favor of paving to meet with the opposition, stated that he had hoped to have a definite report to submit but, while the inspecting party of four was striving to arrive at a decision, such had not been done. T. L. Melgaard, T. P. Hamre, R. McGinn and Carl B. Larson formed the inspecting party which visited many cities in Minnesota as well as Canada during the past ten days for the purpose of ascertaining which kind of paving is giving the greatest satisfaction. The council heard Mr. Haynes' report but took no further action.

The remainder of the evening was taken up by routine matters. The contract for painting the wagon bridge across the Red Lake river on Bridge street was let to Mousley & Glines at a price of $575. Building permits for one residence, several small warehouses and garages and repairing of buildings were granted, and the extension of sewer mains and laterals discussed, after which the council adjourned until Friday night.

NEW MARKET DAY PLAN IS LAUNCHED

Proposed That Some One Merchant Make Special Offer While Others Generalize.

A unique system of promoting retail merchandising in the city and one that will work toward the advantage of the consumer as well as the merchant will be discussed at a meeting of the Merchants association called for next Wednesday night. While detailed plans have not as yet been announced, Secretary G. Howard Smith states that the proposal calls for a monthly or other periodic market day, each merchant to offer special bargains of a feature nature at that time. At least 12 retailers of the city have already agreed to a plan whereby some one of them would offer on the designated date a special article for sale at cost or below cost as a special inducement to the buyer to do his or her shopping in the city. The plan is strictly one of co-operation. Should it meet with the favor of the association, a certain day of each month will be set aside as "market" day and every effort made to advertise and establish the fact that at that time bargains will be found on sale at every retail house in the city.

The meeting will be held in the Commercial club rooms April 20, at 8 p. m. A light lunch will be served during the course of the evening by Mrs. Alma Strupp. A cordial invitation to attend is being extended to all merchants of the city whether or not members of the association.

Winner of Middleweight Championship in the City

Ralph Parcaut of Rolay, Iowa, claimant of the world's middle-weight wrestling championship, who defeated L. C. Curtis of Bemidji at that place Friday night, spent the week-end here in company with his manager, H. E. Goss. Parcaut, who was enroute for Minneapolis and his home in Iowa, appeared little the worse for wear. He took the first fall from Curtis in 1 hour, 23 minutes, 43 seconds, with a toe-hold. At the end of the first fall it was found that Curtis' knee had been dislocated and he conceded the second fall to Parcaut after a hpysician had advised against further mat work. The title-holder on Sunday stated that Curtis during the first hour and a quarter of the tussle twice eluded his, Parcaut's, toe hold and undoubtedly at that time wrenched the knee which was later dislocated. The Iowa man spoke highly of Curtis' ability.

LINE ELEVATORS DISPOSED OF BY LOCAL CONCERN

Montana and Dakota Company Properties Pass Under Control of Russell-Miller Co.

Transaction One of Most Important of Its Kind Made in the Northwest Recently.

Math Barzen of This City Continues Connection With Treas. State Grain Co.

The Montana and Dakota company's chain of elevators on the Soo and Great Northern lines in northeastern Montana have been sold to the Russell-Miller Milling company of Minneapolis, Math Barzen, president of the first named company, announced here Wednesday. Twenty-two elevators and warehouses change hands in the transaction, which involved a turnover of more than a quarter of a million dollars. The sale was practically effected in January, though the new owners do not take possession of the houses and grains included in the deal until on or after May 1.

The Montana and Dakota company, an offshoot of the Hanson-Barzen Milling company of this city, at the time of its incorporation in 1906 took over five elevators in northeastern Montana and North Dakota, which were then the property of the last named corporation. From that number the holdings rapidly increased until at the time of the sale 30 houses comprised the chain. Seven of these, all in Montana, are being retained under the name of the Treasure State Grain company, with the prospect of that organization continuing as before.

Originally a Thief River Falls owned corporation, no change was made in the ownership at the time of the removal of the main offices from this place to Minneapolis in 1915. The incorporators were: Math Barzen, president; D. N. Winton, vice president; Louis Hanson, secretary; M. J. Dunn, treasurer, and C. J. Winton. After the resignation of Mr. Hanson as secretary and manager, J. B. Myrland became secretary and M. J. Dunn manager as well as treasurer. Mr. Barzen continues to take up his residence here, where he has large milling, agricultural and other interests.

W.C.T.U. President Here; Enrolls Ten New Members

Miss Rosetta Hendrix, state president of the W. C. T. U. addressed an enthusiastic group of women last evening at the Presbyterian church on "Law Enforcement." The evening's program included a piano solo by Miss Ruth Mathews and a vocal duet by E. Saltau and C. Orm. Miss Hendrix is touring the state on a membership drive and while here added ten new members to the local union.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be entertained by Mrs. M. V. Evenson, assisted by Mrs. C. M. Evenson, on Tuesday afternoon, April 19, at the home of the former on LaBree avenue north.

B. P. O. E. PRODUCTION TO BE PRESENTED HERE BY ALL-STAR PLAYERS

The cast of characters for "Nothing But the Truth," the comedy-drama being produced by the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks, having been definitely decided upon, rehearsals will proceed apace to permit the presentation of the play on May 5. The cast is of ten characters made up by local talent seen on the stage here in other productions. Advertising will be carried on throughout the northwestern part of the state to make his mirth-provoking work one of the biggest attractions of the past several seasons. A special children's matinee will be given on the afternoon of the fifth. Popular prices will prevail at both matinee and evening performance.

An additional feature of the May 5 presentation of the comedy will be the new concert orchestra of over 15 pieces which is proving to be one of the most talented musical organizations heard here. Committees have been appointed to handle house, stage, properties, ticket sales and advertising in an efficient manner. Inovations will be introduced as to uniformed ushers and seating arrangements. Seat reservations will be on sale at Lambert's drug store at an early date.

CONCERT ORCHESTRA, BRAGE MALE CHORUS TO APPEAR JOINTLY

Former Was Great Favorite Before War Interrupted Work; Orchestra Promises One of Finest Organizations in This Section.

The newly organized concert orchestra and the Brage Male chorus, both of this city, will present a joint concert at the city auditorium during the first week in May, according to a statement made on Tuesday by Roy Halseth, business manager of the first-named organization. The exact date for the concert has not been set.

Both musical organizations are under the direction of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet. The Brage chorus of sixteen male voices was often heard here in "sagerfests" previous to the period of the war and its re-organization will be hailed with delight by all who heard them. Chorus numbers in both the English and Scandinavian languages will be features of the opening concert. The orchestra, which is made up of about 15 pieces, made its first public appearance here on the night of April 6 with the presentation of the comedy, "Charley's Aunt," by the school faculty. The overture and numbers rendered between acts proved a delightful surprise to the large audience present and were enthusiastically received.

Manager Halseth also stated that if the joint concert is popularly received such entertainments will become periodical events in Thief River Falls.

NEIGHBOR FINDS AGED WOMAN IN DYING CONDITION

Pioneer Resident of Thief River Falls Passes Away Before Physician Arrives.

Mrs. Malena Ostby, for many years a resident of northwestern Minnesota and a resident of Thief River Falls for the past 16 years, died suddenly at her home, 514 Kinney avenue north, on Monday morning. Heart failure is given as the cause of death. During the week previous Mrs. Ostby, who lived alone, had been unwell but was not confined to her bed. Mrs. Halvor Tveten, a neighbor, called at the old lady's home Monday afternoon and while there Mrs. Ostby's condition became suddenly worse, whereupon the neighbor hastened to call a doctor. When she returned to the house she found Mrs. Ostby in an unconscious condition. Death came just as the physician arrived 20 minutes later.

Malena Johnson was born at Transtand, Sweden, in the year 1849, coming to America and Minnesota at the age of 26 years. With her parents she made her home at Northfield, where she was later married to Engebrit M. Ostby. With her husband and family she lived in Marshall county until 1905, when upon her husband's death she moved to Thief River Falls. This city has since been her home.

Deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. A. L. Clark of Garnd Forks; three sons, John of Fargo, Joseph of Maddock, N. D., and Emil, whose home is in California; and two brothers, Louis Johnson of Hendrum, this state, and Martin Johnson, who lives in Canada. All are present for the funeral with the exception of the son, Emil, and the brother, Martin. Other relatives present are a grand-daughter, Mrs. Andrew Fry and husband, Mrs. S. J. Minor, and a great grand-daughter, Lorraine Minor, all residents of Grand Forks. Funeral services for the deceased were to be held this afternoon from the Zion Lutheran church with Rev. George Larson officiating. Interment will be made in Greenwood cemetery.

CUT IN RAIL RATES LOWERS COAL COST

Will Mean Considerable Reduction to Consumers in This City After July 9.

Prices on hard and soft coal in Thief River Falls may take a tumble of from one dollar to a dollar and a half during the summer as a result of a straight distance tariff on coal moving from the head of the lakes to points in Minnesota and the Dakotas having been ordered into affect July 9 by the Interstate Commerce commission. Coal freight rates under this new order range from 80 cents a ton on bituminous, when trasported 30 miles or under, to $3.85 a ton for carrying coal between 625 and 650 miles. The rates on anthractic coal are the same as on bituminous for distances up to 40 miles. Thereafter they are 15 cents higher than on bituminous.

Under the new table of rates ordered into effect by the commission the charge from Duluth to Thief River Falls, a distance of 259 miles, will be $2.15 per ton on bituminous and $2.30 per ton on anthracite. These are the basic rates with an increase of 33 1-3 per cent to comply with the decision of the commission in the increased rate cases promulgated last fall. The tariff on coal moved from Duluth to this city at present is $3.10½ on bituminous and $3.64½ on Anthracite.

Park Board Elects.

At a meeting of the city park board held on Tuesday, Dr. C. R. Crandall was elected president, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, vice president, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg secretary and N. J. Silk treasurer. Emil Zeh is the fifth member of the board.

Girls Community Club.

The Girls' Community club held their regular meeting at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening. After a brief program and an important business session refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed. A feature of the evening was a community sing led by Miss Maude Johnson.

FARMERS BUSY SEEDING GRAIN; GET FINE START

Soil and Weather Conditions Ideal and Season Starts Out Most Favorably.

Polk Center Township First in County to Report General Sowing of Wheat.

Winter Rye Fields Everywhere Showing Up Better Than For Many Years Past.

Wheat seeding in Pennington county started in earnest this week and by Saturday night the expected acreage of this grain will be pretty well all covered if weather conditions continue favorable as at present. There will in all probability be less land devoted to the raising of wheat than in former years, but the early season and unusually promising outlook may have the effect of making the amount sown larger than was at first thought probable.

Every county in the Red River valley reports operations well under way and with conditions much the same as in Pennington. In the southern counties of the Ninth district the wheat is practically all in the ground and oats well taken care of.

First to Report.

The first reports of seeding in Pennington county came from the Selmer Johnson farm in Polk Center township where wheat was sown on April 6. In the eastern section the honor of being first undoubtedly goes to F. B. Robinson of Kratka township. He finished seeding 15 acres to wheat on Tuesday and will have his oats in by Friday night. Gordon Olson and John Severson of Sanders are the early birds in their section, having finished wheat seeding during the week. On the Barzen farm at the south edge of town seeding began on Wednesday. It is probable that farmers in many sections of the county began at the same time, the conditions being particularly favorable.

Rye Comes Through Fine.

County Agent J. J. McCann states that he has reports from every section of the county stating that not in years has the winter rye come thru in such excellent shape. He personally inspected 26 fields and in not a single instance did he discover bare spots. The ground everywhere this grain was sown is evenly covered with a thick carpet of the green sprouts, the winter seemingly having failed to cause any damage whatever.

MONEY FOR SCHOOL BONDS AVAILABLE

Is Being Used to Take Up Outstanding Indebtedness of District Number 18.

Lars Backe, treasurer of school district No. 18, on Tuesday received a check drawn on the First National bank of Minneapolis for the sum of $67,093.33 which with warrants totalling $1,700 taken up by the Minneapolis Trust company, constitute the proceeds of a bond issue floated by the district early in February. The total issue, authorized by the voters of the city at a special election on January 25 and sold through the agency of the Minneapolis Trust company on February 11, was $68,000. The certificates of indebtedness were dated February 1 and the proceeds delivered on Tuesday included accrued interest to the amount of $793.33, hence the total $68,793.33. The bonds were sold at par and bear an interest rate of six per cent.

The proceeds of the funding bond issue have been turned over to city banks to cancel the outstanding indebtedness of the school district. All warrants have been taken up, leaving the district with a clean slate upon which to begin operations anew. Mr. Backe states that during the past ten days he has paid out of the treasury over $80,000, the first school tax apportionment for 1921 amouting to $22,041.87 having been received from the county recently.

Crookston Debating Team Is Awarded Championship

Crookston high school debating team won the Minnesota high school championship Thursday night from Austin by a unanimous decision and for the second time won the silver trophy cup that goes with the state title. Another win will give the high school permanent possession of the cup. The winning debaters were George Hagen, Kieth Sanberg and James Montague, all seniors.

Standard Has New Manager.

Chas. A. Munn of Crookston on Friday assumed the management of the Standard Oil company interests of this city, relieving A. V. Smith, who has resigned from the executive department. Mr. Smith will remain with the company but will take up work in another department, presumably that of construction.

Only 14 Days Left.

Property owners must have all garbage, etc., removed from yards and alleys before May 1, says ordinance.

10TH ANNIVERSARY SALE 10TH

Sale Starts
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April 16 Marks Our 10th Year of Successful Retail Business in the City of Thief River Falls

In Celebration and Appreciation of This Event, We Have Prepared the B[illegible]est Record Breaking Anniversary Sale in Your History and Ours

OUR good fortune in securing such an excellent selection of ths season's best merchandise at the already greatly reduced prices, together with our big 10th year anniversary reduc tins, presents to you an opportunity to choose from a most beautiful large and varied stock of the newest high class merc hadise at prices positively unmatchable. A visit to our store during this Big Anniversary Sale will convince you at once th atTHIS is the place to buy and NOW!

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Men's and young men's Gordon Hats, Values $5.00 and $6.00. Anniversary Special
$3.85

Langley $3.50 and $4.00 hats, Anniversary Special ---------- **$2.45**

Boys' good caps and children's hats. Anniversary Sale Special Prices
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Men's Caps in the latest styles for men and young men
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A very good assortment of men's work caps, at ---------- **59c**

SUITS! SUITS!

Here is your chance to save. A special offering of men's All-Wool Suits, at
$22.45

Men's and young men's blue serge Suits in the newest styles, single or double breasted, plain or belted. Special Anniversary Sale. Sizes 32 to 42
$19.75

Extra values for our Anniversary Sale. Hart Schaffner & Marx this season's new Suits at already reduced new prices. You must see this to appreciate. Anniversary Special
$39.45

Young men's Suits in the new styles splendid values at our Anniversary Sale Price
$16.45

RAINCOATS

Men's and young men's Raincoats. A very good assortment in men's plain styles and young men's fancy models at Anniversary Sale Prices

$3.45, 6.45, 9.45
13.45, 16.45

Men's extra good work shirts. Special
79c

NECKWEAR
All ties greatly reduced for our Anniversary Sale
45c, 79c, 95c
$1.35, 1.65

Extra heavy men's work sox
15c

Men's work shirts. Anniversary Special
48c

Sale Starts Sat., April 16
and Continues Two Weeks

Men's Underwear

We have the biggest and best stock of underwear. Louis and Munsingwear. Sale Prices:

Louis Union Suits, extra Special Values at ---------- **$1.45**

A fine assortment of spring weight Union Suits ---------- **89c**

Chalmers and 3 season heavy weight Union Suits, greatest values ever offered ---------- **$1.29**

Clothes

you will like to wear. Here are the fine Spring Suits in brown, gray and mixtures in men's and young men's models specilly reduced for this big Anniversary Sale

$27.45

Men's red or blue handkerchiefs
4c

One lot of Khaki pants
$1.39

Extra special quality army khaki pants, water-proof. Special
$2.95

Duck Coats for early spring wear. Special
$2.45

Quality merchandise at reasonable prices has made this store famous. Style, quality is our constant study. You can tell by the standard well-known lines we handle

Boys' underwear, short sleeves and long sleeves. Chalmers and Munsingwear.

Kaynee blouses. Anniversary Price **68c**
Special ---------- **69c, 79c, 98c**

Boys' shirts, for work or dress ---------- **59c, 89c, $1.45**

Lieberman Bros.

The Store of Standardized Merchandise
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Lo high grade athletic Un Suits, the kind the yng men like. Special
95c

Brighton night shirts, full size and roomy. Special
$1.29

Dress shirts—a big assortment to choose from. Anniversary Special
$1.33

Silk shirts of the very best makes at Special Anniversary Prices
$3.45, 4.45, 4.95

BOYS' SHOES

Reliable school and dress shoes, all sizes and every one guaranteed to give service, at real Bargain Prices

$1.95, 2.45
3.45

Boys' Suits

Al wool suits in popular shades, single or double breasted with 2 ir of pants. Special ---------- $13.45

B[illegible] corduroy, 2 pair pants, suits.
[illegible]sary Special ---------- $9.85

[illegible] blue serge, 2 pair pants, suits.
Aniversary Special ---------- $9.75

Bos' grey, 2 pair pants, suits.
Aniversary Special ---------- $5.95

Sale Starts Sat., April 16
and Continues Two Weeks

Dyou know value and quality? If not, bu from us standard merchandise such as Florsheim shoes, Stetson hats, Manhatan shirts, Interwoven sox, H. S. & M. an Clothcraft Suits, when you can rely upn both.

Bos' knee pants, very nicely tailored and made to fit ---------- **$1.29, $1.45, $1.95**

Bos' combination Khaki suits at Special Sale Prices ---------- **$1.59, $1.79**

Children's blue play suits ---------- **63c**

Boys' Overalls at wonderful low prices for our Anniversary Sale. Just think! Carhartt Overalls **79c, 95c and $1.15**

Another big value in real good merchandise: Black Cat boys' stockings for our Anniversary Sale at ---------- **27c**

One lot of boys stockings at ---------- **10c**

Boys' top coats, sizes 3 to 9. Top coats in gray, brown and mixtures, double breasted, inverted back pleate with belt; very nobby. Special ---------- **$6.45, $8.45**

Juvenile Suits at popular prices. We have them in serge, cashmere and corduroy, sizes 2½ to 9. Anniversary Prices ---------- **$3.95, $4.45, $6.45**

Wash suits cheaper than you can have them made and you get the Kaynee style ---------- **$1.45, $1.95, $2.45, $3.45**

Lieberman Bros.

The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

SHOE DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

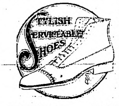

Weyenberg and Chippewa, well-known for good honest solid leather shoes, and you can't get shoes too good for work. All sizes: 6 to 11
$2.89

Medium heavy black or tan work shoes, reg. $3.50—10th Anniversary Sale Special ---------- **$2.45**

Our top high grade Goodyear Welt barnyard resisting uppers. A good easy and strong work shoe for any kind of work. Anniversary Special ---------- **$4.35**

8 inch top; a good spring work shoe made strong for heavy work Anniversary Special ---------- **$3.45**

Men's Kid Blucher medium weight sole, rubber heel, a good comfortable shoe for tired and sore feet. Big Value ---------- **$5.45**

Men's black dress shoes ---------- **$3.95**

Men's tan dress shoes, blucher or English last, rubber heel. Special ---------- **$4.45**

Pants! Extra Special on Work Pants

Union Made work pants cut full and made right. You cannot duplicate for the price offered to you

$1.89

Extra quality mole pants Special ---------- $3.19

Men's blue serge pants, Special ---------- $4.79

Hart Schaffner & Marx pure wool pants. Special ---------- $6.45

Extra quality Hart Schaffner & Marx pants ---------- $10.45

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HARDING'S FIRST MESSAGE.

While it is probable that strictly national questions will prove of greater importance to our people than the League of Nations, at least for some time to come, it is likely that the paragraph dealing with our foreign affairs in general and the League of Nations in particular received more attention from the American people than any other part of President Harding's first message to congress. His attitude is exactly what was expected, being in line with the majority opinion of the members of his party and in accordance with the preferences of the people indicated by their votes last November.

President Harding does not close the door upon some sort of international agreement working to prevent war, but lets it be known that he will under no circumstances have a hand in committing the country to the League of Versailles. He would most heartily join hands with other nations in an effort to promote peace but does not propose to surrender any part of our national sovereignity in order to do so. Nor would he ask any other nation to make such surrender. An association for peace, he says, "must be conceived in peace and dedicated in peace," operating to bring the nations of the world together in fellowship.

Turning to matters of purely national concern the message holds forth hope of relief from many of the vexations and burdensome afflictions the people are now enduring. Tax reform is one of these and an effort in this direction is early promised. President Harding says that anything now done with the tariff must be regarded as an emergency measure and nothing else. He advocates increased national aid for the building of roads and the maintenance of our merchant marine.

While the message is not calculated to startle anyone, it is a safe and sane document and one that will help restore confidence. This perhaps is the most valuable function it could in any event perform at the present time.

GETTING GOOD START.

When weather and soil conditions permit the farmers of Northwestern Minnesota to get onto their fields by the middle of April they figure that a long start has been made oward a successful season. This year the first reported seeding was done on April 6, and while not many districts in the county can boast such early start, practically every seeder will be in operation before the end of the present week. The wheat will all be in the ground in a few days and the oats will follow quickly.

While it is true that an early and favorable spring may not insure a crop, it is certain that a late beginning makes the outcome more problematical. It sometimes happens that there is a good crop following a poor start, but this does not happen often enough to make it anything but an unsafe gamble.

Soil conditions in the county were never better, according to reports reaching the Farm Bureau office from all sections. More plowing was done last fall than at any corresponding season in the farming history of the valley and there will consequently be no delay in getting the seed into the ground. More winter grain was sown last fall than ever before and it has come through in fine shape. Less acreage will be devoted to wheat and more to clover, potatoes and sugar beets. This indicates a more progressive system of farming.

Everything considered, the farmers of Pennington county are reasonably safe in looking forward to a good harvest. There are those who delight in pointing to the many things that can happen between now and harvest time to set the farmer's efforts at naught, but their croakings should be disregarded. One thing is certain: A good windup is more likely to follow a good start, and this year our farmers have the start.

Is Advertising a Debit?

(Northfield News.)

In the ordinary business enterprise when cataloging the various items of expense—salaries, rent, heat, light, over head, etc., a column is usually taken up by an item of expense called advertising. Along with other "debits," advertising is often considered a necessary evil contingent upon operating the business.

That this classification is unjust is clear to everyone who is familiar with the general trend and scope of advertising the country over. The biggest and most successful concerns do not consider advertising a debit, but they do realize that it is an asset, an investment, and a decidedly profitable one at that.

Fred P. Mann, a prominent general merchant of Devils Lake, N. D., in 1919 did business in excess of half a million dollars in a small town department store. During this time he spent between $10,000 and $13,000 for advertising alone. Yet he said quite truthfully that it did not cost him a cent. He refused to consider this expenditure of over $10,000 a debit at all, because he realized that without the advertising his volume of business would have been perhaps only half as large and his profits, therefore, proportionally smaller. At the same time he would have had the same constant expense for rent, heat, light, etc. By advertising he made his standard expense do duty for double business, the profit from which more than cared for the advertising, leaving a net profit or asset to be charged to advertising itself.

Is advertising a debit? If an employer pays $50.00 a week to get an efficient, first class employee who does double the work of a $35.00 a week man, the extra $15.00 a week is clearly not a loss—but a gain. If by advertising the merchant does a larger volume of business it is equally clear that advertising itself should not be carged as an expense. Nothing is a debit which in the long run results in profit. Nothing is a debit which increases the volume of business while the overhead expense is constant. Advertising should, therefore, be given its rightful place on the credit side of the ledger. The really progressive merchants keep it there.

EFFERVESCENCE

A man's idea of being of great assistance with the spring house-cleaning is to hold the step ladder while his wife washes the windows.

The presidency of the United States is not without its *rewards*. President Harding has just received a permanent pass to a chain of motion picture houses.

At least one man that we know of isn't worrying about the price of a set of tires this spring. He drives a sky buggy.

Major General Dawes has been placed on a committee for the Irish relief. From all accounts the general would be right at home with a brickbat in his mitt.

The Inland Printer goes into a delightful figure of speech defining the process of printing as a kiss between type and paper which leaves its imprint. The rouged kiss, as it were.

Some people's idea of cutting down overhead expense is to give up having an application of hair tonic at 35 cents a shot.

"Since taking your wonderful preparation, I have picked up all the way round." Beer was never like that.

Selenium oxychlorid, the powerful new solvent, it is claimed, will dissolve most anything. Its only rival is some of the stuff that now sells for six dollars a pint.

Hi-o, hum—fifty years is a long time to wait.

TRAFFIC OVER "LOOP" WOULD NOT WARRANT ROAD'S CONSTRUCTION

Farmers of Opinion That Enterprise Would Prove Paying Venture, But Road Official Explains Difficulties.

That residents of eastern Pennington county will make every effort to secure an extension of the Northwestern electric railway to form what is being designated as a loop line, was the statement made by W. A. Swanson of Rhoda, who acted as spokesman for a committee which appeared before the Commercial club at the weekly luncheon last Thursday. The extension which the farmers are advocating would carry the electric line south out of Goodridge, to which point it has been in operation since 1914, thru Highlanding and Rhoda, thence west to make connection with the Soo line at a point just south of Hazel. The route would be approximately 50 miles in length.

Mr. Swanson spoke of the great benefits to be derived from such an extension by the farmers of the district and Thief River Falls as a business center. He styles the electric line with the suggested additions or extensions as a veritable "gold mine" for this city. He also exhibited a document in the form of a petition in which farmers living and owning land along the route agreed to grant a free right of way to the railway company, if necessary, in addition to liberally supporting the plan.

H. W. Protzeller, manager of the short line, when called upon by A. S. Sapero, committee chairman of the day, stated that at the present time the construction of the proposed extension would entail an expenditure of approximately half a million dollars, in comparison with which the increased volume of traffic would be small. He pointed out that "dead mileage" would have to be covered at the three points at which the line would then be obliged to make right-angled turns and that tonnage over the line as already constructed had shown a decrease since the first year of operation rather than an increase.

Following some favorable comment by members present, C. L. Hansen moved that the club go on record as favoring the enterprise and that the matter be placed in the hands of a committee. The motion passed unanimously.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.09
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.01
Oats	.21
Flax	1.14
Barley	.30
Rye	1.00
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	1.40
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.50
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.18
Dairy butter	.38
Creamery butter	.47
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.04
Calves, per lb.	.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

BUSINESSMEN'S CLASS IN PUBLIC SPEAKING READY TO GRADUATE

Students to Give Demonstration of Their Oratorical Capabilities For First Time—General Invitation Extended.

The business and professional men's class in public speaking which has been conducted during the past months by L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the Lincoln high school, will come to a close with the "graduation exercises" to be held tonight and next Thursday night. Classes have been conducted on each Thursday of the past 12 weeks with many of the prominent business and professional men of the city enrolled. Many topics of interest have been discussed in five, ten and fifteen minute talks prepared under the direction of Mr. Pierce. On his statement and those of members of the class the plan has proven highly successful. The general public is cordially invited to judge for itself on the nights above mentioned when students will deliver addresses on subjects of general interest. Each speaker will be limited to a talk of 20 minutes duration.

Members of Mr. Pierce's class who are scheduled to speak tonight are L. A. Lampert, E. P. Brevig, E. O. Mogensen, George Loken, F. F. Haynes and L. H. Lawrence. The doors of the high school auditorium will be opened to the public at 7:30.

READY TO COMPLETE TESTS FOR PLACE AS SECOND LINE SCOUTS

Boy Scouts Anxious to Begin Outdoor Work—Hikes, Drills and Camping Trips on Program For Near Future—Boys Enthusiastic.

The First Troop, Boy Scouts of this city is making fine progress and has been anxiously looking forward to the advent of fine weather in order that second class tests as scouts may be completed. The written work is practically out of the way but the out-of-door parts of the test remain to be taken. The organization committee is insisting on thorough work and the boys are expected to develop a high degree of efficiency.

Meetings have been held on each Tuesday evening during the winter in the Methodist church basement. From now on the play and work will take place out of doors. Hikes, drills, running contests and practical outdoor demonstrations in building fires, cooking light meals, etc., will be features of the spring months. Among other things each scout is required to be able to give a full history of the American flag and the proper way of saluting the same.

Dr. A. W. Swedenburg recently gave the boys a lesson in first aid, the meeting being held in the Methodist church. Other addresses on citizenship and kindred topics are planned, and the professional men of the city stand ready to co-operate with the scout committee of ten members in making it worth while to be a boy scout in Thief River Falls. Applications for membership in the troop should be made to Scout Master Elmer A. Soltau or B. W. Briggs, scout commissioner for this district.

Northern Tubers Compete With Product From South

Although stocks of potatoes in Michigan and other northern states were reported by the federal bureau of market recently to be considerably larger than usual it was predicted that to offset this condition the spring season in competition with the new southern crop probably will be extended from four to six weeks longer than usual. Reduced shipments in the new crop from Florida and the southern producing sections generally were declared by the bureau as certain, resulting in increased freight rates and other costs and should enable the northern stocks to compete successfully with the new crop for a longer time this spring than for several years.

FOR SALE—[illegible] yards good black dirt, delivered $2.25 a yard or 75 cents on the place.—Phone [illegible]

LEVI SUFFERED TEN LONG YEARS

Minnesota Man Says Tanlac Overcame His Troubles and He Has gained 26 Lbs.

"Tanlac has actually built me up from one hundred and forty-five to one hundred and seventy-one pounds in weight and I now feel just as good as I did when I was twenty years old," said J. S. Levi, of 160 W. Third St., St. Paul, Minn., well-known machinist for Armour and Co.

"However, before I got Tanlac I suffered for ten long years all the misery that goes with a bad case of stomach trouble and disordered kidneys and was in a terribly run-down condition. Everything I ate caused indigestion and I bloated up until I wasn't able to get a good long breath. My back pained me nearly every minute of the day and hurt so bad it was just agony for me to attempt to bend over. At mornings I was so stiff and sore I could hardly get out of bed, and it looked as if I could find nothing that would help me.

"Well, sir, I finally ran across Tanlac and that proved to be the turning point in my suffering, for it has simply made a new man of me. That awful stomach trouble has entirely disappeared, my kidneys no longer bother me and I never have an ache or a pain. I have picked up twenty-six pounds in weight, feel fine all the time and can truthfully say Tanlac has done me more good than everything else I've ever taken put together."

Here's A Business For Thief River Falls Good For $500 to $1500 A Month.

Men who have grasped the opportunity offered by Electrik-Maid Bake Shops are making that much; you can too. Bread baking is a permanent business; everyone who eats is your customer. The Electrik-Maid way makes it a cash business with profits starting from the first day. We supply all equipment and instructions; we start you in a going, growing business.

Write or Wire Today

Let us prove what we say. See Electrik-Maid Bake Shops in operation in Saint Paul, Minneapolis, and other cities. Write or wire before some one else gets the territory you are figuring on.

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Simply telephone in your order for meats and groceries and rest assured that the goods sent will be of the freshest and best and the price the lowest.

FRUITS AND GREEN VEGETABLES RECEIVED AT THIS STORE FIRST

Many careful housekeepers have us notify them when anything of a particularly choice or appealing nature arrives and are thus enabled to keep their table supplied with the season's best at all times. This plan will prove of value to you, too.

Much of the merchandise we handle is received fresh from neighboring farms when this is possible.

SATURDAY SPECIALS on Meat and Groceries. Come in and look our prices over.

Telephone 115

SIMONSON MEAT AND GROCERY CO.

Do You Want a Farm?

Well improved 80 acres 7½ miles out, at a bargain.

Will accept city property as first payment.

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Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

O. N. T. Crochet Cotton Basement 9c Per Spool

HIGH SPOTS

In Our Annual Rainbow Sale

For Friday and Saturday of This Week

480 ladies Gauze Union Suits. They are 65c and 50c values, in all sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44. Now on Sale at, suit **39c**

1862 yards of Ideal High Standard Percales, 36 inches wide. Over 60 patterns to choose from, in all shades. A year ago this same cloth sold readily at 40c per yard. On this Sale at, per yard **15c**

For Saturday only, 200 yards of fancy flowered Hair-bow 35c Ribbons. Special this One Day Only, at per yard **19c**

Utility Dress Ginghams A big range of good patterns, at per yd. **15c**

Here's a Real Sale of Children's Hose They come in all sizes and for an everyday stocking at this price you will wonder at such a big Value, but its our Annual Rainbow Festival Sale and we go the limit with our many good offerings. Stockings usually priced at 25c—For our Rainbow Sale, at pair **10c**

36 inch Cretones 20 beautiful patterns to choose from "Dry Goods Department" At, yard 18c

Outing Flannels, A big high grade line of all patterns. Basement, yard **15c**

40 IN. SILK Crepe de Chene Silks. Basement, yd. **1.00**

PALM OLIVE SOAP The fastest selling toilet soap on the market today and for this Special Price lay in a comfortable supply. Wrapped one dozen in a package. Rainbow Sale Price, 12 bars **90c**

Imported 40 inch Organdies, all the newest shades, at per yard 95c

40 in. Silk Charmeuse Satin, Special here at yd. **$2.50**

Kleinart's Rubber Baby Panties, special Basement, each **39c**

SILK POPLINS All 36 in. wide in all good shades. We will forget what these goods cost us, and let you have them at, yd. **89c**

Just received 1000 more ladies' Sample Handkerchiefs, mostly 10c and 15c values. Now on Sale in our Basement at, each **5c**

Our Silk Department Offers the Most Wonderful Values You Ever Heard of
Over One Thousand Yards run-of-the-mill-short-lengths. Mostly 5 to 10 yards in a piece, consisting of every wanted shade and kind of Silks, Taffetas, Crepes, Shirtings, Georgettes, Messalines, Foulards, etc; widths 40, 36 and 32 inches. Values mostly $2.50 to $3.50 per yard on today's low prices for this sale, in order to create a sensation, at yard **$1.29**

36 INCH PURE SILK TRICOLETTE 16 of the leading shades to choose from. On this sale, only at yard **$1.69**

CHANGEABLE TAFFETA SILKS Yard wide, was made to sell at from $3.50 to $5.00 per yard. We wish to close this out at once at this low price of, yd. **$1.48**

$1.69 for 32 in. Tub Silk Shirtings.

$1.98 for 40 and 36 in. $4.00 and $5.00 Shower proof Cheney Foulards.

$1.69 for 40 in. flowered Georgette Crepes, $3.50 to $4.00 values. Profit by buying now.

99c for Kimona yard wide silks. Some Special values.

Just a few choice patterns of French striped Blousing materials, beautiful goods, at only, yd. **35c**

Coat buttons, Novelty buttons, hundreds of kinds, colors and styles. Buttons that are selling at 25c, 35c and 50c per dozen, your choice at, card **10c**

$1.39 for our $2.00 Kimona Silks. See these pretty patterns.

69c for all our $1.50 figured cotton Crepes. Sold at a big loss, to close.

39c for 50c white fancy voiles.

59c for 85c white fancy Voiles.

A Few More Basement Values

S-i-l-k-o Crochet Thread Crochet thread. The new mercerized thread. In all shades. Ball **9c**

Hair Nets "Dolly Varden", made in just the right shades to match your hair **5c**

Fiber Suit Cases 24 in. When you go on an outing you will want one **$1.79**

100 Aluminum Bargains So many useful articles at each **9c**

Nainsook A very fine soft material particularly suitable for making finer undergarments. Full yard wide and bleached snow white. Yard **25c**

Bleached Muslin 36 in. wide. You always need this item, and when priced so low better get your needs at this sale. Yard **15c**

Baby Blankets A regular blanket for the crib, in many soft colors; something necessary to insure comfort for the baby **49c**

Unbleached Muslin Many women take advantage of their ability to get a finer quality of muslin. A Rainbow Special, at yd. **15c**

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Society and Club

Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson were hosts to six of their friends at dinner at their home Saturday evening.

Hosts at Dinner.

The P. W. Mabey home, Main Ave., was the scene of a dinner party on Saturday evening. Places were arranged for ten guests.

Musical Section to Meet.

The Musical Section of the Woman's club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Northrup school building. All members are urged to be there on time.

Social Welfare Section Meeting.

The Social Welfare Section of the Woman's club will be entertained by Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. H. O. Loken at the home of the former on Monday afternoon, April 18. Everyone is invited.

Masquerade Party.

The Lady Macabees and their friends enjoyed a party on Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall in the form of a masquerade. Dancing was followed by the serving of a sumptuous lunch brought by members of the lodge.

Entertain Informally.

A number of ladies were informally entertained by Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom and Mrs. A. E. Olson on Friday afternoon at the latter's home on Arnold Ave. The hours were spent in needlework after which a delicious lunch was served.

Bridge Party.

Among the attractive parties of the season was the bridge party given by Mrs. N. K. Harris and Miss Maude Johnson at the home of the former on Bridge street, Saturday afternoon, when eight tables were in play. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Geo. Johnson and Mrs. L. G. Larson.

Bluebird Club Meets.

The Bluebird club of the Presbyterian Sunday school met Saturday afternoon at the home of Murial Loken. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., Georgia Frissell; sec., Maxine Johnson; treas., Melvina Rupprecht. Refreshments were served immediately following the business session.

Williams-Johnson.

On Saturday, April 9, occurred the marriage of Miss Stella Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams of this city and Ray Johnson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, also of this city, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Ed. Doland, at Grand Forks. The newlyweds returned to this city Monday morning to take up their residence. Both bride and groom, who are well known to local people, have a host of friends who extend the heartiest wishes for a happy married life. Mr. Johnson is city salesman for the Thief River Grocery company.

City News

Roy H. Brown and Rolf Rassmussen spent Sunday visiting with friends at Strathcona.

Mrs. B. Favrow left Monday evening for Minneapolis to visit relatives for the remainder of the week.

Mrs. J. N. Nesse and children left Sunday evening for McIntosh to visit at the home of Mrs. Nesse's parents.

Mrs. Helen Scholin returned to St. Hilaire Monday having spent the time between trains receiving medical attention.

Miss Florence Aalberg returned to Erskine Sunday evening after a week end visit with her mother, Mrs. Trine Aalberg.

Mrs. Lester Miller, who had spent a couple of days visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. O. E. Swanson, returned to her home at Jamestown, N. D., Saturday evening. Mrs. Miller was formerly Miss Myrtle Nelson of this city.

Miss Lenore Beltz, operator for the Western Union, in this city, was an over Sunday guest of friends at Crookston.

Mrs. C. Christianson left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where she will visit her daughter, Miss Ruth, for a few days.

Mrs. H. W. Lezier and children left Monday afternoon for Beltrami where they will visit at the home of the former's mother.

Misses Hilda Peterson and Florence Haney left Saturday evening for International Falls to spend a week visiting with friends.

Mrs. Clyde Baker and children who had spent a week visiting relatives here returned to their home at Red Lake Falls, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Emma Bergstrom arrived Saturday morning from Grand Forks where she had visited and spent Sunday as the guest of her friends, Misses Margaret Eichhammer and Lottie Austin. She returned to her home at Warroad on Monday morning.

Mrs. A. S. Abrahamson, Mrs. H. A. Peck and Mrs. D. E. Ferringer left Monday evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days visiting friends.

Misses Violet Krohn and Inga Oftedahl spent Sunday visiting at the former's home at Viking. They returned to this city Monday evening.

Mrs. J. Barnett went to Minneapolis Saturday evening to visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks. Her daughter, Fern, who has spent a month there will return with her.

VALUE OF VOCATIONAL TRAINING IN HIGH SCHOOLS OF THE STATE

By W. A. ZIEGLER,
Superintendent Thief River Falls Schools.

The history of the American high school is a very interesting one. High schools as such are not much over 50 years old. They were established in the beginning for the sole purpose of preparing students to enter the university. It has been discovered that only about 5 per cent of the high school graduates attend the university and the remaining 95 per cent do not. Only recently agitation was begun to do something for this 95 per cent. To that end special departments of agriculture, manual training, cooking and sewing, commercial departments, normal training departments, etc., were established. It was the intention that students might pursue some of these courses while in high school so that high school work would be of some benefit to the 95 per cent of students that did not expect to attend college.

In the beginning these courses were not of the best. Because they were new, students flocked to them in the hope that they might earn some easy high school credits but within the last few years there has been a distinct tendency to make the subject matter of these courses of a practical nature. Congress passed what is known as the Smith-Hughes Law, the sole purpose of which was to establish government aid for schools with the view of helping students learn something while in school that would help them to earn a living. That is, "earn a living," is the central idea of the Smith-Hughes federal law.

These departments have been introduced into our own high school, there being a Smith-Hughes agricultural department, Smith-Hughes shop department, and Smith-Hughes commercial department. Boys taking agriculture today are of a different type than the people that took agriculture several years ago. This is true in the schools in the country everywhere. The boys taking agriculture today are doing it with the idea of making it earn a living, so that the agriculture taught is of an intensely practical nature. The boys are farm boys who have put into effect and who are required to put into effect the things they learn while in school. Nobody is permitted to take this course unless he promises or agrees to put his ideas of education into effect during the summer time.

It is the purpose of the Smith-Hughes shop to teach boys a trade by which they may earn their living when they leave school. During the present time the trade taught in our shop is the automobile trade. There are about 20 boys enrolled in this department who expect to make practical use of the knowledge obtained. They are so equipped that it will be possible for them to earn a living at this automobile trade which they are learning in this school. It is planned to put into this shop other trades from time to time as occasion would suggest, alternating during different years, but the central idea of the whole shop work is to teach something by which the boys may earn a living.

The commercial department has also been made a Smith-Hughes division. It is no longer possible for students to rush into this department and earn easy high school credits in typewriting or shorthand. Students are not permitted to elect this course unless they express a desire to use the things which they learn in the commercial department for the purpose of making a living afterwards. That is, the commercial department now is designed to teach boys and girls a profession by which they can make their living when they leave high school. There are about 50 enrolled at the present time in the commercial department. Some of these are taking stenography and office work; others are taking retail selling. These two courses are of a practical nature and the students are put into places of business in town where the owners and managers are co-operating, so that the whole education shall be of such a practical nature that business men will be glad to take the graduates from the commercial department because they will realize that the training they receive there is of a practical "earn-a-living" type. Up to the present time several merchants have co-operated very heartily in the type of education which is being given in our commercial department.

The courses in the cooking and sewing department are also changed so that they too are of a practical nature. There are things in this work that every boy and girl should know in order that they might live their lives more efficiently and happily. It is a mistake to cut the department down from two teachers to a one teacher department. The state board of education specifically requires that cooking and sewing be taught in the seventh and eighth grades in order to draw state aid. If this grade work is discontinued altogether, no state aid will be granted and it is impossible for a system the size of Thief River Falls to do all of this with a single teacher.

It can be readily understood that since the high schools of the United States are barely 50 years old, a great deal of changing must have occurred during that time and a change is occurring at the present, said change being a recognition of the fact that about 95 per cent of the high school graduates never attend a university and this 95 per cent is entitled to such training as shall enable them to better earn their living when they leave high school. This was the purpose of the Smith-Hughes bill in permitting the government aid in order to encourage the establishment of these departments for the 95 per cent. It would be a serious mistake to cripple these special departments because they are designed for the 95 per cent. If it is desired to cut down expenses, it would be better to cut down some of the work which is designed for only the 5 per cent. Neither one need necessarily be done. The whole thing could be harmoniously adjusted in such a way that the whole system would be practical all around.

Glenn Martz Remains as Engineer at Litchfield

Evidently another Pennington county man is making good away from home. Glen H. Martz, whose folks still reside at St. Hilaire, has been state highway engineer for Meeker county during the past two years, leaving a similar post in this county to take the position. It has been understood here that another and more important post was open o him but that he has been prevailed upon to remain where he is.

That Mr. Martz has not lost interest in his old friends is evidenced by the close watch he has kept of the proposition to pave Thief River Falls. In a recent letter he says: "This little town (Litchfield) of hardly 3,000 people paved over two miles of streets last season. The bonds were contested but rather than have the work delayed the business men of the town financed the whole job and carried the warrants until about a month ago, when the money was received for bonds. They are going to build a $250,000 school house this year."

Eighty-One From Thief River Falls Get Medals

A letter received on Tuesday from Lieut. R. E. Frith of the Minneapolis recruiting station reads as follows:

"As a matter of local interest to the readers of The Times, I find in checking up the records of this office at the close of business on March 31 that only 81 ex-service men of your city have applied for their Victory medal.

"Every man who served during the world war and was honorably discharged is entitled to a Victory meadl. I feel confident that all the men who enlisted from your city and vicinity have not applied for their medal. All that is necessary is to forward his discharge certificate to the Victory Medal Department, U. S. Army Recruiting Station, Federal Building, Minneapolis, and the application blank will be filled out at this office and returned to the applicant for his signature."

RAIL AND SHOP

G. W. Hawes, general agent for this territory, was in Thief River Falls on Monday and Tuesday.

H. B. Pfeiffer has resumed work as first trick operator at Detroit, relieving M. L. Parsons, transferred to Kramer as agent, where he relieved T. E. Chaffee, who has been granted a three months leave of absence.

A. Glaholt, agent at Fairdale, resumed work the first of the week, relieving C. W. Stewart, transferred to Warren, where he in turn relieved relieved J. O. Herrick, granted a leave of absence.

J. T. Goodbar, agent at Richville, spent Wednesday at Alexandria.

C. A. Joslin of the car department at Thief River Falls is still absent from duty on account of sickness, his condition showing little improvement.

O. M. Olson, who has been acting as car foreman at Overly, has been transferred to this division point as carman.

Carman Louis Qualley has returned to duty in the car department after an absence of several weeks on account of sickness.

Back on 6-Day Week Basis.

Employes of the car department in this city are back on a six-day week basis again after having operated on a five-day week plan since last January. The plan was devised to keep all employes working during the dull months on at least part time. Every effort is being made by the department to get box cars ready for the summer and fall business.

Churches

S. D. A. Mission—"And All the World Wondered After the Beast, How?" will be the theme for Sunday evening, April 17, at 7:45. Stereopticon pictures on the life of Luther will be shown. Service in the English language on Saturday, April 16, at 3 p. m. Bible class at 2 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday in Swedish at 10:30 a. m. Services in American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained in the church basement Wednesday, April 20, by Mrs. R. Knutson and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school 9:30 Sunday morning. Preaching in German 10:30. No evening service. Quarterly meeting of the voting members 2:30 p. m. Sunday; the elders meet at 1 p. m. in the pastor's study. Bible class Thursday 8 p. m. The country confirmation class meets Saturday from 10 to 12 a. m.

Torvick and Bethlehem, O. J. Raaum, Pastor—Service in Torvick at 11 a. m. and in Bethlehem at 3 p. m., Sunday April 17.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium. Subject April 17, "Doctrine of Atonement." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening services at 7:45. The reading room at the same place, is open every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, April 17: Sunday school opens promptly at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Public worship at 11 a. m. The evening hour is 8 o'clock. The meeting will be an open platform meeting. Speakers will be G. L. Sterns, F. F. Haynes and Mrs. Barackman. Juniors at 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. "How Can We Improve Our Recreations?" 1 Cor. 10: 23-24, 31-33; 11:1.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services with communion 11 a. m. Services in English and Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting in church basement every Wednesday evening at 7:45. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday April 21. Mrs. Savig and Mrs. Klapp entertain. Zion Y. P. S. meeting Thursday evening April 21st. Mrs. Reierson and Miss Anna Aspelund entertain. Sunday school and Bible class Sunday 10 a. m. Confirmants meet every Saturday in the church basement 2 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Mesdames Andrew Dybvig, J. J. Weeks, L. Fossum and E. B. Bakke entertain the Ladies' Aid at its meeting Thursday, April 14. In the evening the Young People's League is to be entertained by Misses Dora Holmes, Belle Hermanson and Gena Granum. The confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services Sunday in English at 11 a. m., and Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The Bible class invites you to meet with them. The Junior choir meets for rehearsal Tuesday and the regular choir Thursday evening at the Larson furniture store at 7:30 p. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, April 17: Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services. Young People's meeting Tuesdays at 8 p. m. Prayer service Thursdays at 8 p. m. Services at Black River 11 a. m. and St. Hilaire 8 p. m. All welcome.

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City News

Ed. Healy of Red Lake Falls, was a business caller here on Monday.

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Miss Ella Iverson of Mahnomen, visited with friends here on Monday and Tuesday.

John Reidl of Steiner, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baker over Sunday.

Dr. E. T. Dann of St. Hilaire spent Monday and Tuesday in this city buying seed wheat.

Mrs. Axel Axelson and daughter, Viola, of Rosewood, were shoppers in this city on Monday.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero left Saturday for the twin cities to spend a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs. W. R. Bourden of Federal Dam visited with friends here on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. S. Warring and son Willis, of Steiner, were in the city yesterday attending to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Smith and family of Mavie were visitors in this city on Monday between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaroslav Faiman of Holt, were in the city attending to business matters on Wednesday.

A. E. Stromberg of Warren arrived here Tuesday evening to spend a brief period on a business mission.

S. Leiren returned Tuesday afternoon from Middle River where he had been oloking after farm interests.

Miss Eleanor Bauer, of the teaching staff at Goodridge, was the week-end guest of her friend, Miss Ella Pelto.

Emil Anderson arrived here Saturday evening from Rosewood to visit over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson.

Miss Pearl Warring, who spent the week-end at her home at Steiner, returned Monday to resume her duties at the high school here.

Miss Josephine McClelland, who is employed here went to her home at Strathcona Saturday morning, where she will remain for an indefinite period.

Mrs. O. A. Brink who had been visiting at the home of her son, M. W. Brink, for a week, returned to her home at St. Hilaire Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson returned Friday morning from points in Iowa, where they spent a period of two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Aug. Keuhne returned to her home at Holt Monday morning after spending a few days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Knauff.

Misses Helen Sunsdahl and Agnes Forst, both of Erie, left this city on Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where they will visit friends and later be employed.

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Mrs. J. Ptacek and son A. Ptacek, both of Mavie, were in the city on Tuesday attending to shopping and also visiting with their daughter and sister Miss Emma Ptacek.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Frye and Mrs. S. J. Minor and daughter Lorraine, all of Grand Forks, arrived yesterday morning to attend the funeral of the grand-mother, Mrs. M. Ostby, today.

J. Richards who had visited at the home of his brother, E. J. Richards, in this city for a few days, left on Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to continue his visit with relatives.

John Richards of Minneapolis is in the city this week visiting at the home of his brother, E. J. Richards and family. Mr. Richards had also spent some time at Red Lake Falls, visiting his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill Lamberson of Warren motored to this city on Monday and visited friends. They report the roads in very good condition practically the entire distance between this city and Warren.

J. J. McCarty, who has been confined in the hospital at Kenmare, N. D., for a month following an accident, returned to this city on Friday evening and took up his duties as conductor on the Soo the first of the week.

J. M. Bishop returned Tuesday morning from Hobart, Okla., where he was called a week previous because of the serious illness of his mother, whom he left much improved. Enroute to his home here he visited his sister at Oklahoma City.

Mrs. C. K. Walker arrived here Tuesday evening from Duluth where she had visited relatives and will spend the remainder of the week as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker, after which she will return to her home at Schanabon, Sask. Can.

Middle River now has two barber shops. J. Ralston of Thief River Falls, on Saturday installed a chair in the Bergland restaurant and is working there temporarily. He has leased the Nelius Nelson room heretofore occupied by barbers Joe and Olaf Olson and is to have possession of it in a short time.—Middle River Pioneer.

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J. M. Bishop was a business caller in Strathcona on Tuesday between trains.

Miss Carrie Schneider of Grygla, arrived here Monday for a visit with friends.

Miss Ruby Jenson of Goodridge was an over Sunday guest of friends in this city.

Mrs. G. Fellman and daughter, Miss Mildred, of St. Hilaire, shopped here on Thursday.

John Torkelson of Trail, arrived here Monday evening and spent a few days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg of St. Hilaire, were in the city yesterday on a shopping expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tilberg of Overly, N. D., were in the city the latter part of last week, on business.

Joseph Ostby arrived here yesterday from Maddock, N. D., to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. M. Ostby.

Miss Eileen Herron returned Saturday evening from Viking where she spent the day visiting at the home of her sister.

Miss Blanche Berthieume of Red Lake Falls visited with friends here Tuesday enroute to Oklee, where she teaches school.

Mrs. E. M. Sandvold returned to her home at Ada yesterday, after a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Peterson.

Mrs. Agnes Warring came down from Steiner on Saturday afternoon for an over Sunday visit with her mother, Mrs. Isaac Olson, in this city.

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Miss Della Roller, who had been visiting with friends in the vicinity of Rollis, returned to this city Tuesday afternoon and resumed her work at the City bakery.

Mrs. P. Vanderback returned to her home at Crookston Thursday afternoon having come down here the day previous to attend a meeting of the Royal Neighbors lodge.

John Ostby of Fargo, arrived the first of the week in response to a wire that his aged mother, Mrs. M. Ostby, had died. Funeral service took place this afternoon.

Mrs. S. Larson of Trail arrived on Monday evening from Trail and was an over night guest of Miss Lottie Austin, leaving the next morning for points in North Dakota to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. Conlin and two children, who had spent some time visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Ovey, returned to her home at Poplar, Mont., yesterday afternoon. Enroute she will visit with friends at Williston, N. D.

Miss Alma Duval returned Saturday from Thief River Falls where she had spent two days as the guest of Mrs. George Biddick and family. While in Thief River Falls, Miss Duval was a guest at a formal party given by the Elks' lodge.—Crookston Times.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Doland and two children returned to their home at Grand Forks Friday after a week's visit at the homes of relatives here. They were accompanied by Miss Stella Williams, a sister of Mrs. Doland, and Ray Johnson, who visited them over Sunday.

Miss Rosetta Hendrix, state president of the W. C. T. U., who lectured here last evening, accompanied by Mrs. J. O. Sether, went to Warren and Argyle this morning where the former will speak. From Argyle they will go to Crookston to attend the one day convention of the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Walter Simms and baby returned to their home at Graceton on Thursday after a visit at the home of her parents-at-law, who reside here. Mr. Simms is well known here having graduated with the class of '16, and at one time was local scoutmaster. At present he is cashier of the bank at Graceton.

Friends of Rufus Barrackman will be interested in knowing that the Macalester Glee club, with which organization he has been affiliated for the past three years, completed their annual tour on Saturday evening when they appeared at Mankato. Among other cities included on the tour were Red Wing, Winona, St. Charles, Owattonna, Austin, Winnebago City and Fulda.

Miss Mildred Malberg arrived here Friday evening from Clearbrook where she teaches, and was an overnight guest of Miss Irma Johnson, leaving Saturday morning for her home at Steiner where she will spend a part of her spring vacation. The remainder of the time will be spent visiting with friends at Minneapolis. Miss Malberg contemplates leaving for China later this spring to engage in Missionary work under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal church.

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Lester Hudson of New Rockford, N. D., was a week-end guest of Miss Marrian Miller.

Misses Alta and Bernice Bockey of Grygla, visited with friends here the first of this week.

Dan Rolland of Trail was in the city the first of the week attending to business matters.

M. L. Berthieume came down from his home at Oklee Friday evening to make a brief visit with friends.

J. A. Kettleson of Cass Lake, was in the city the latter part of last week attending to business matters.

Mrs. T. Reierson and baby daughter went to Holt on Thursday morning to visit with relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Siems of Graceton are rejoicing over the arrival of a son last week.—Baudette Region.

Mrs. J. O. Sether of this city visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Sande at Steiner, between trains on Thursday.

Harry Frye returned to this city Thursday morning from Crookston where he had spent a couple of days visiting with relatives.

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Mrs. K. Nerberg came down from Holt yesterday to be present at the funeral services of her friend, Mrs. M. Ostby, who died suddenly Monday noon.

Mrs. R. Borden and Mrs. Richard Coughlin both of Federal Dam, arrived here Thursday evening for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Green.

Ed. Loven of Gatzke arrived here Friday afternoon to accompany his wife who has been a patient at the local hospital, to their home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. S. M. Posten leave this afternoon for Crookston to attend a one day district conference of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Miss Dorothy Martz, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. M. Martz, were shoppers in this city on Thursday. They returned to their homes at St. Hilaire on the afternoon train.

Miss Caspara Gran, who has been nursing at Olivia, this state, was called home last week because of the death of her mother. She expects to resume her nursing in a few weeks.

Mrs. Anna Ellingson returned to her home at Rugby, N. D., after spending a couple of months visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Engelstad, who reside on a farm near here.

Mr. A. L. Clark of Grand Forks, arrived here Tuesday morning to attend the funeral services of her mother, Mrs. M. Ostby, which took place this afternoon from the Zion Lutheran church.

Mrs. Anna Meyers returned to her home at Steiner Monday morning, having come here on Saturday to attend the confirmation of her daughter Miss Esther. While here she was a guest at the home of another daughter, Mrs. Percy Lamb.

Miss Inga Westby of Rosewood, left Tuesday morning for Duluth, where she will resume employment after a visit at the home of her parents. She was accompanied to this city by her sister, Nina, who returned to her home yesterday morning.

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C. W. Potter of Middle River was in the city on Friday attending to business matters.

Mrs. H. K. Strand went to Crookston Saturday afternoon for a brief visit with friends.

Oscar Torkelson came down from Hazel Monday evening to attend to matters of business.

Ted Tandberg came down from Goodridge Saturday evening to spend Sunday here with his folks.

Mrs. A. M. Moen, accompanied by Miss Ella Iverson, both of Mahnomen shopped between trains here on Tuesday evening.

David Johnson, county superintendent of schools in Marshall county, was a visitor in this city on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter, Jeanette, went to St. Hilaire Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the Patterson home.

Mrs. Benj. O. Sampson returned to her home at Crookston Saturday having spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

J. S. Barnett left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where his wife and daughter Fern, are visiting. The latter is receiving medical treatment from specialists.

Mrs. Wm. Korstad returned Thursday morning from Elbow Lake, where she had visited with her folks. She left on the electric for her home at Highlanding.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hellquist and family, of Rosewood, were here the latter part of last week visiting at the home of the former's brother, C. E. Hellquist and family.

Miss Leona Knox, who spent a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. McFarland, returned to her home at Fisher Saturday afternoon. Miss Knox teaches in her home town this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Ramstad left on Saturday afternoon for Ada where they will spend a week visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ramstad at one time resided at the latter named place.

Mrs. M. C. Burns returned this morning from Cambridge and Bird Island where she had visited relatives for two weeks. At the former named place she was a guest of her daughter, Miss Lucille, who teaches in the public school there.

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F. H. Culkins of Plummer was a business visitor in this city on Friday.

J. E. Rhau of Mavie spent a few days the first of the week visiting with friends here.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Vaaler of Fosston, were in the city on Thursday visiting with friends.

Sup. B. O. Norby of Goodridge, was in the city over Sunday visiting with numerous friends.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn of Viking is spending the week visiting her daughters, Misses Violet and Myrtle, who attend the local high school.

Mrs. Johanna Nybus, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. S. Brandon and the latter's two children, visited with relatives at Rosewood the first of the week.

A. S. Sapero left Tuesday evening for the Twin Cities on business. On his return to this city he will be accompanied by his wife who has been visiting relatives in Minneapolis for a week.

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What Makes a Man.

Do you posses the qualities of a real man? Have you conviction, courage, tolerance, mastery of your destiny, unselfishness and true sportsmanship, the fundamentals of everlasting success and happiness? Read this editorial. Sit down and figure yourself out, analyze your possibilities, and do it now.

"According to Prof. W. G. Reed of the U. of M., who spoke to the members of the Hi-Y clubs of the city, there are six qualities which are characteristic of an 'ideal Minnesota man.' They are: First, conviction; second, courage; third, tolerance; fourth, master of his own destiny; fifth, unselfishness, and sixth, true sportsmanship.

"Six more sterling qualities could not be suggested. The ones mentioned by Prof. Reed are within the power of every high school boy as well as every college man to attain. They are all vitally necessary to the young man who means business, who is not attending school for fun, and who intends to be somebody and to accomplish something in his later life.

"A successful young man must surely have his convictions as to what things will benefit him in his student life and as to those which will hinder him. The youth must be set in his convictions concerning the right and the wrong. It must be either yes or no, no half way business will get him anywhere; and then comes the second quality, the courage to carry out these convictions against all odds. To stand alone if necessary—anything but follow the crowd.

"He must also be tolerant of his fellow men and not acquire that common disease known as the 'big head,' or become bigoted in his views and refuse to see the other person's side of the question. Then, the 'ideal Minnesota man' will be master of his own destiny, and this pertains especially to time and associates. The successful fellow will not be influenced by anyone to do something if he knows that his place is somewhere else. And right here a word might be said about will power, that thing a man must have in order to give a decisive no when temptation taunts him. He must be master of his own destiny not only in regard to time but also in regard to his associates and friends. That 'a man is judged by the company he keeps' is very true and is proof of the importance of this quality of the ideal university man.

"Next comes unselfishness. How much more the unselfish man, in both spirit and action, amounts to, than the one who is selfish in every sense of the word.

"Concerning the last attribute, true sportsmanship, much can be said, but among other qualities, a true sport must be a good loser, a hard loser, and an honest, true-blue fighter.

"If these six qualities are characteristic of the 'ideal University of Minnesota man,' is not that sufficient reason why every high school lad should adopt them and come up out of the rank and file, striving to be as near like the 'ideal man' as it is possible to be?—West High Weekly.

Discipline.

In every educational system there must be discipline. How rigid this discipline must be depends entirely upon the pupils. If they know how to appreciate liberties and privileges and do not abuse them, there is no need of strict rules and regulations. If however, they do not make the proper use of these privileges they must be watched and made to toe the mark.

This is well enough among grade children but as high school students, ought we not to be responsible enough to be placed on our honor? Or should we have the teachers act in the capacity of policemen to watch us and see that the rules are enforced?

The duty of a teacher is to instruct and to advise and that of a student to receive instructions and to obey such rules as are necessary to maintain order. Why, then can't we keep within the bounds and make the relationship between student and teacher a pleasant one, instead of that of guard and prisoner? I am sure that we would all find it far better and easier to obey rules of our own accord than to be compelled to do so.

Let's try then to do away with the policemen in school and run our school on the honor system basis.

The following is an extract taken from the Mankato school paper, an exchange received by the Progress. It is an article that may be of interest to many readers:

"Are we careless or just thoughtless? Why, it must be just thoughtlessness on our part, still a large number of persons do not care to improve their manners. Perhaps five out of six boys go home, throw their cap in a corner and their coat over a chair, sit down and read a newspaper with their feet on another chair. Of course, girls are careless too. It is so easy to become careless in manner and appearance but really very difficult to be neat and courteous. When you are through school and ready for a position, one of the first things the employer will notice is your appearance. If you are not neatly and sensibly dressed, he will at once decide that you are not qualified for the position. You must also be courteous. If you do not realize this fact now you will in later years. No business man can be successful without this quality. If we are inclined to be careless and thoughtless, let us remedy this serious deficiency at once. If once you get the habit you will never lose it.

A Puzzle.

It has one wheel that's in the air,
And four that's on the ground,
And when it moves around a bit,
It makes an awful "sound."

In color it's a brownish red,
The wheels are wire and white,
The rest of it is trimmed in gilt,
It's really quite a "sight."

This thing was made to carry two,
Most times it carries more,
But then they crowd upon the back
And pile upon the "floor".

A part of "it" is made of tin,
The rest is made of board,
But when it stops a little bit
You see it's "Barzen's Ford."

Physical Exam. Results.

The students of Lincoln high school were examined physically the past week and comparatively few were found to be defective. The examination was conducted by Dr. Froehlich and the school nurse, Miss Johnson. The eyes, ears, throat, nose and skin were examined and the largest number were found to be suffering from defective eyes.

As a result of the examination it was found that out of 270 pupils there were the following defects:

Ear, 2; skin, 2; nose, 46; throat, 46; neck glands, 27; orthopedic, 6; teeth, 46; vision, 47. Total number of defects, 222.

The parents of the defective students will be notified and advised as to what treatment should be given.

A Journalistic Plea.

When news is scarce and jokes are few
It takes a head that's made for two,
Cause news must be on time you see,
It makes you buzz just like a bee.

If you won't help us get it here
The news you'll read is punk I fear,
A hand in time will help us fine,
And everyone can write a line.

So please we ask, a hand in time,
To make this paper long in line,
Then bring your news and funny jokes
To drive away the old dry cokes.

"Charley's Aunt" Scores.

"Charley's Aunt," the farcical comedy which was staged by the high school faculty at the city auditorium on April 6, proved to be a complete success, and exceeded even our highest expectations. It was enthusiastically received by a large audience, and the receipts fully justified the original purpose for which the play was produced—to help clear the athletic association's deficit. The evening performance had an audience of over 700 people, while the afternoon matinee was attended by practically all the grade school children of the city.

The center of attraction was unquestionably Mr. Gordon Melby, as Lord Vancourt Babberly, who acted for a time as a substitute for Charley's aunt. His extremely comical expression when, dressed as a middle aged lady, he was confused by his assumed identity and when he enjoyed the close confidence of the young women to the great discomfiture of his fellow-conspirators, brought forth frequent bursts of laughter from the audience. The other characters, C. W. Pope as Stephen Spettigue, a solicitor at Oxford; Albert Tommerasen as Col. Sir Francis Chesney, late Indian service; F. A. Tripp as Jack Chesney, and J. J. McCann as Charley Wykehan, both undergraduates at St. Olde college, Oxford; S. Carl Sundahl as Brassett, a college scout; Edna Ryff as Donna Lucia D'Alvadorez, from Brazil; Margaret Mealey as Kitty Verdun, Spettigue's ward; Irene Patrick as Amy Spettigue, Spettigue's niece, and Olga Lofgren as Ella Delaney, an orphan, all fitted their parts admirably and showed some real theatrical talent.

The opening scene of the play is in Jack Chesney's rooms in college. Jack Chesney and his college chum, Charley Wykehan, are very busy trying to write letters to their respective lady friends, with whom they are very much in love. Charley expects his aunt, Donna Lucia D'Alvadorez, to arrive from Brazil that afternoon. They invite the girls to a luncheon party at Jack's rooms, in honor of the aunt. Lord Babberly is invited to entertain the highly respected Donna Lucia. At one o'clock the ladies, Kitty Verdun and Amy Spettigue, arrive, but as the aunt has not yet appeared, they go out into the garden. Sir Francis, Jack's father, enters with Jack's monthly check, and is invited to meet Donna Lucia. The colonel also goes out into the garden to await time for luncheon. Charley gets news that his aunt can't arrive until late. In desperation, the boys dress Lord Babberly to masquerade as Aunt Lucia at the party. The girls are rather suspicious when introduced to the pseudo aunt, but nevertheless take "him" into close confidence and protest their sincere love for "Charley's aunt." During the luncheon Mr. Spettigue arrives to protect against the girls taking luncheon at the boys' rooms, but, upon being introduced to "Aunt Lucia," he immediately becomes her ardent admirer.

Act II opens with a garden scene outside of Jack's rooms. Jack orders Brassett to have tea ready at five o'clock. Sir Francis proposes to Babberly, alias Aunt Lucy, during the party. Jack and Charley propose to their lady loves and are accepted. The third act takes place in the drawing room at Spettigue's house. The women have a coffee party, and "Bab" has to sit with the women. All the gentlemen enter. Spettigue makes love to Lord Babberly. The real Aunt Lucia enters, with her traveling companion, Ella Delaney. Lucia proves to be a woman with whom Sir Francis was in love 20 years ago, and they now agree to marry, after Lord Babberly's true identity has been revealed. Spettigue agrees to the marriage of Kitty and Amy. Babberly proposes to and is accepted by Ella Delaney.

Music was furnished by a 13-piece orchestra, directed by Dr. Vistaunet.

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High School Baseball.

Our Lincoln high school has always lacked enthusiasm along baseball lines. Just the reason we do not know. It is hoped that it will be possible to organize a high school team.

It is expected, if this plan does not materialize, that individual teams among the four classes will be organized, and in due time play off class games. Our prevailing trouble lies in the fact that our school closes in the midst of the season.

It is expected that each class will turn out a team to compete in the final games.

Senior Octette Picked.

The Senior octette for the graduating class of 1921 has been picked. The octette will sing at the commencement exercises. It is composed of eight people, there being two sopranos, altos, basses and tenors.

A try-out for any person wishing to participate was given last week. Miss Johnson will be their instructor. The octette is composed of the following: Eileen Herron and Doris Richter, sopranos; Anna Heneik and Mildred Hauglid, altos; Harold Smithers and Elmer Larson, tenors; Allen Fossum and Lynn Halverson, basses.

Northrup News.

Pupils of the Northrup school will give a candy sale to raise enough money with which to buy a baseball and bat.

The total amount of tickets for the Faculty play, sold by Northrup pupils, was fifty-three dollars and thirty cents.

Normal Department.

After teaching a few minutes my opinions of a country school changed. What nice pupils they were. They swallowed every bit of information given to them.

An interesting incident to note while eating lunch was this: When the pupils were thru they said, "Excuse me." This seemed very polite of them.

The day came to an end too soon; so did the following days. The two weeks were up before I realized and what I at first dreaded became an enjoyable two weeks of my life.

Knox School Notes.

Melvin Johnson, one of the kindergarten pupils, was the victim of a serious accident last week, when he was run over by a wagon on which he had been riding.

The spring weather has increased rather than decreased the attendance during this last week of school.

Spring is very evident in the kindergarten and lower grades, as is shown by the work the pupils are doing. The boys are making bird houses and the girls and the girls are giving their doll houses a spring "house-cleaning."

The boys in the 6th grade of the Washington have challenged the 6th grade boys of the Knox to a ball game to be played some time next week. The 4th grades of the two schools have already played, the Knox team defeating the Washington team.

Miss Fjeldstad's 4th grade room has the marching pennant for the last week.

A baseball team is being organized among the girls of the Knox school. As yet no definite team has been picked.

Select Senior Play Cast.

The Senior try-out for the class play resulted in a final selection of the cast on Monday.

The cast was picked from a large number of aspirants by Misses Patrick and Dix and Mr. Pierce, the director of the play.

"All-of-a-Sudden Peggy," by Ernest Denny, is the play to be put on by the class. This popular play has been shown both on the stage and in moving pictures throughout the country. It was first played in this country in 1909 in the Bijou theatre in New York and was a great success. The play is a comedy in three acts and will no doubt be a creditable success to the Seniors of the high school.

The following is the cast of characters:

Antohny, Lord Crackenthorpe (Fellow of the Entomological Society) ---------- Allen Fossum
The Hon. Jimmy Keppel (his brother) ---------- Hugh McDaniel
Major Archie Phipps (retired, Lady Crackenthorpe's brother) ---------- Harald Smithers
Jack Menzies ---------- Chester Dol
Parker (footman at Hawkhurst) ---------- Ernest Zeh
Lucas (man servant at Jimmy's flat) ---------- Dreng Bjornaraa
Lady Crackenthorpe (Lord Crackenthorpe's mother) Vallerie Parenteau
The Hon. Millicent Keppel ---------- Dotty Krafthefer
The Hon. Mrs. Colquhoun ---------- Mildred Bottelson
Mrs. O'Mara (widow of Professor O'Mara, F. R. S.) and Peggy (her daughter) ---------- Mary Vance

It will be presented some time next month. The cast is already at work and has had two rehearsals.

Personals.

Miss Alice Hall of Middle River left Monday morning for her home at that place after visiting friends in this city. During her stay here Miss Hall acted as pianist for Snyder's orchestra Saturday night at the Junior-Senior banquet.

Dreng Bjornaraa conducted the journalism class on Wednesday in a very satisfactory manner.

Eileen Herron left Saturday morning for Viking, spending the day with friends. She returned the same evening.

The fifth faculty Wednesday morning program was not held April 6, as the performer was unable to appear.

Kermit Anderson, who plays the saxaphone in the orchestra, left last Tuesday morning, accompanied by Alfred Dybvik, for Mahnomen, where they played for a dance. The two returned here Wednesday evening.

The physical training classes have indoor baseball during part of their period during the week.

Morris reading an article in journalism: "Two show cases were splintered," so the firm closed the store for the day to clean up the debut."

Leland Schuster a student of the U. of N. D., returned to Grand Forks last Monday after having spent the Easter vacation at the home of his parents in this city.

Try telling the truth for 24 hours. Can it be done?

Elmore Dahlen returned to Grand Forks on Monday after spending her Easter vacation with her folks here.

Marguerite Barns returned on Monday afternoon to Grand Forks to resume her duties at the U., after having spent the Easter vacation at the home of her parents.

The most humorous things in the world are sometimes the most serious.

It is hoped that Mr. Melby doesn't participate in another play for some time. He sprang three tests on Thursday.

They say that "April showers bring May flowers," but according to the thermometer it looks as though they might induce snow drifts a great deal more easily than flowers.

The typewriting I class had a speed test Wednesday, Helen Langseth winning 1st, writing 33.8 words a minute, and Augusta Beiswinger winning second with 31 words a minute.

Lillian K. "Who is that fellow with you?" Marshall R. "Why, don't you know?" Lillian K. "Oh, I remember. He danced with me once at Red Lake Falls."

We wonder if Lois Struble is going to bet on the black horse at the next election.

Cleon says: "I'm too solid for plane (plain) geometry."

Read the classified advertisement in The Times. It will pay you to do so.

BANK EXAMINER GETS ASSISTANT
Announcement is made of the appointment of H. L. Levit as Asst. Bank Examiner for South Dakota. Mr. Levit is a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., and will undoubtedly meet many other ex-students of this commercial school in his work, as about 220 of them have become bank officers. Many began as stenographers and bookkeepers.
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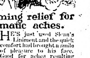

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Among Our Neighbors

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. Lena Hallstrom and son, Clarence, accompanied by Mrs. Lilly Sorvig and baby, left Monday by auto for Winger, where they will make their home the coming summer. Mrs. Hallstrom has rented her farm in Black River.

Mrs. Al Potwin returned the latter part of the week to her home at Cass Lake after a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Simonson.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud and daughter, Gudrun returned Thursday from Thief River Falls where they had attended a three day conference at Trinity Lutheran church.

The Misses Ruth, Gladys and Alice Gilgstad shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Friday.

S. L. Johnson, principal of the local high school, returned Saturday after after a week's vacation at his parental home at Hallock, Minn.

Mrs. Oscar Sterns and baby left Saturday via the Soo for their home at Minneapolis, after a six weeks' stay at the home of Mrs. Sterns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Simonson.

Oscar Kolstad arrived last week from International Falls for an indefinite stay at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. Forseen.

Miss Mildred Fellman was a Thief River Falls shopper on Friday.

J. N. Highberg came Friday from his home at St. Peter to look after his farm interests at Black River.

Twins, a girl and boy, came to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Severson of Sanders township on Thursday, April 7.

Miss Olive Patterson left Saturday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools at Roseau, having been called home by the death of her father the late Dan Patterson.

Rev. A. F. Nelson, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Gunhild, visited between trains at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Lilly Johnson returned Saturday evening via the Soo, after a week's visit with friends and relatives at Minneapolis and St. Cloud.

The Misses Inez and Ann Patterson returned the latter part of the week to resume their duties, the former to Sauk Center, the latter to Coleraine, having attended their father's funeral.

Mrs. Rupert Nelson shopped between trains at Thief River Falls Friday.

The Misses Blanch Hoff and Edith Nelson, accompanied by Louise Hed returned Monday morning after a visit at the Dr. C. Swanson home at Minneapolis.

The Misses Eunice Peterson and Lizzie Harder spent Saturday at Thief River Falls on a shopping tour.

Miss Eleanore Anderson, high school teacher in the public school returned Monday after a week's vacation with friends at Minneapolis and at the parental home at Brainerd.

Pete Swanson transacted business at the county seat Monday.

Arnt Branum returned Monday after a week's visit at the Jake Einerson home near Esplee.

Miss Lois Forbes, assistant high school teacher, returned Tuesday after having enjoyed vacation week with friends at Chicago. Miss Selma Hoff substituted on Monday afternoon and Tuesday at classes during the absence of Miss Forbes.

Mrs. Helen Chelin was a visitor at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brantner left Friday for their home at Aurora, Ill., having been called here by the death of Mrs. Brantner's father, the late Daniel Patterson.

Mrs. Jens Almquist returned Tuesday after a week's visit with friends and relatives at East Grand Forks.

Carl Johnson returned the latter part of the week after a short visit at Fosston, where he accompanied his daughter, Miss Eva Johnson, who will remain for several weeks.

Miss Louise Wilson left Tuesday evening for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. D. McAllister at Grand Forks.

Miss Hulda Pearson left Monday evening for a brief stay at Crookston after which she will leave for Fort Francis, Canada, where she will be employed.

Joe Hauge motored to Bemidji on Wednesday where he will transact business.

J. Baker of Thief River Falls is a visitor at the Ed Peterson home this week.

ROSEWOOD

A shadow social was given at the Busy Bee building last Friday evening under the direction of the teacher, Miss Clara Sorenson and $9.75 was raised which will be used in purchasing playground equipment.

Mrs. Carl Mellem visited with friends at Viking between trains last Monday.

Mrs. Julius Alby left on Monday morning for a day's business and shopping tour at Warren.

Will Rux of Holt went to North Dakota Monday where he expects to be employed this summer.

Miss Inga Westby left on Monday evening to resume her employment at Duluth, after spending a few months with her parents here. She was accompanied as far as Thief River Falls by her sister, Nina, who will shop and visit there for a day.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking, accompanied by a traveling speaker, held a meeting at the Swedish church in town on Sunday afternoon in the interests of the anti-saloon league of America.

Mrs. Julia Axelson, accompanied by her oldest daughter, Viola, spent Monday at Thief River Falls, shopping.

Gust Nakken and Emil Blomberg motored to Viking on Monday to make arrangements for shipping a carload of potatoes in connection with the Farm Bureau Federation. T. O. Eide of the latter place is one of the committee.

Sigurd Rafteseth was at Warren between trains last Friday on business.

Miss Guretta Dahl left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit with her aunt, Mrs. Dahl, over Sunday.

James Thompson left on Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where he will spend Sunday visiting friends.

Among out-of-town people who attended the Rindal Ladies' Aid at the E. Anderson home last Tuesday were noted Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls; Mrs. Bertha Saugen from near Steiner and Mrs. Tom Holten, Mrs. Carl Bloom and son LaVerne from west of town.

Olof Olson returned to his home at Thief River Falls last Wednesday evening after spending some time visiting with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum and children returned Wednesday morning from Thief River Falls where they had been to receive medical attention for their oldest son who has been ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hellquist and daughter Bernice, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter Erma spent several days the latter part of the week visiting at the C. E. Hellquist and James Johnson home at Thief River Falls.

Chester Dols, a student at the Lincoln high school at Thief River Falls, arrived home on Saturday morning to spend the week end with his folks.

Thomas Thoreson returned on Tuesday from Erskine where he spent a few days visiting with his uncle, Mr. Jorgenson, and looking about for summer employment.

Mrs. Margaret Wendt of Warren was in town between trains last Tuesday visiting and attending to matters of business.

Miss Martha Rust of Halma arrived here on Tuesday morning and will visit with the S. Hasby family during the week.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, Mrs. Severin Brandon, Verna and "Buddy" Brandon of Thief River Falls, arrived here on Tuesday morning and will visit for a few days with Swen Swenson and other friends.

Steiner Johnson, who spent several weeks visiting with his relatives at Fosston, returned home last Tuesday.

Miss Labelle Sagmoen and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen were between train callers at Thief River Falls last Tuesday to visit with friends and attend the Lyceum performance.

Selmer Haugen attended the annual meeting of the Viking Telephone Co., at the latter place last Wednesday.

Nancer Hasby was at Warren between trains last Wednesday on business.

Ingrid Nordhagen was on the sick list this week, but is improving.

Joel E. Shoberg attended the play at the Thief River Falls auditorium last Wednesday evening.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our sincere gratitude to our friends and neighbors for all assistance and encouragement during the illness and death of Mr. John Rafteseth, also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Mary Rafteseth and daughter Irene; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hanson and family, Grygla, Minn. 10p

GOODRIDGE

Good Program Promised.

The regular monthly meeting of the Community club will be held next Friday evening, April 15, at 8 o'clock. A good program has been provided for, consisting of vocal and instrumental selections, an Irish jig, and addresses. The principal speakers of the evening will be Supt. W. A. Ziegler of Thief River Falls and County Agent J. J. McCann. Several matters of importance to the club and community will be taken up at this time and it is hoped that everyone who possibly can turn out to this meeting will be there. A good time is assured all who attend.

Robet. KirkConnel, superintendent of the public schools at Spooner, visited with home folks the first of the week. Last Wednesday he was a pleasant caller at the school.

The local band will render a concert at Highlanding on Saturday evening, April 16, at 8 p. m. The members of the band have a number of new classical selections that will be rendered on this occasion. A large turn out from here will be looked for.

Martin Olson returned home Friday morning from the woods, where he has been employed during the past winter.

A. W. Hanson returned Friday from Thief River Falls.

Mrs. George Johnson was at Thief River Falls on Friday doing some shopping.

Mrs. Brown and daughter, Edna, left Friday for Hamilton, N. D., to make that place their future home.

Nick Bundlund was at Thief River Falls last Friday on business.

Mrs. Mae Argall arrived Thursday from Mobridge, S. D., to visit her sister, Mrs. R. H. McDonald, and her daughter, Mildred Argall.

I. D. Converse, editor of the Banner, was in Thief River Falls Saturday on business.

B. O. Norby returned Monday from Thief River Falls, where he had spent the weekend with relatives and friends.

John Gangness returned Saturday from Thief River Falls.

Iver Westby was in Thief River Falls Friday on business.

Mrs. James Crosby left Friday for Hamilton, N. D., where the family will make its home.

Wm. Gaylord was in Thief River Falls Saturday attending to business.

Wm. Korstad of Highlanding was in town Thursday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Rev. Lutz returned Thursday from Dubuque, Ia., where he attended the wedding of a brother last week.

O. Tommerdahl spent Monday at the county seat on business.

Mrs. Wm. Korstad returned Thursday from Elbow Lake, where she had visited relatives for a month. She left for her home at Highlanding.

Miss Ruby Jensen visited friends in Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Miss Eleanor Bauer visited friends in Thief River Falls over the week-end.

Karl Pruehn was in Thief River Falls Saturday on business.

Alfred Dybvik of Thief River Falls visited friends in town Saturday.

Mrs. Will Wayne of Germantown is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Payne.

George Sanders visited friends in town Saturday. He attended to business matters in Grygla and then returned to Park Rapids, where he is teaching school.

Mrs. Albert Johnson was in Thief River Falls Saturday shopping.

Jerry Race of Erie attended to business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

George Wold has returned from Thief River Falls following a short visit with friends.

Frank Race was a business caller in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Ed. Halvorson left Monday for Mahnomen, where he will be employed by the Minneapolis Bridge Co.

Olaf Ovenson was in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Nick Bundlund was a business caller in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Harold Gunderson left Monday for Mahnomen, where he has secured employment with the Minneapolis Bridge Co.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Emil Hanson called at the Hans Dahl home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Norquist and son visited at the A. Johnson home Sunday of last week.

Mrs. A. Magee visited at the Hans Dahl home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller were callers at Goodridge on Wednesday.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson visited at the Hans Dahl home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nelson and daughter, Fern, were guests at the Henry Longevan home last Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Roller visited with Mrs. C. Strubble on Tuesday.

H. Nabben was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Myrtle and Jens Johnson motored to Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Clifford Rolled was a caller at Mavie on Tuesday.

Miss Anna Kotlan closed a successful term of school in district No. 120 last Friday. She remains as a guest of Mrs. Betsie Stokkie for a few days before departing for her parental home at Thief River Falls.

The Ladies' Aid of the German Lutheran church recently held a well attended meeting at the home of Mrs. Paul Stock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Klockman and son, Henry, were guests of relatives and friends at Thief River Falls last Sunday.

Oscar and Ewald Pomeranke were callers at Mavie one day last week.

Misses Louise and Annie Rosett were guests at the Betsie Stokkie home on Tuesday.

Hans Dahl was a caller at Germantown one day last week.

Mrs. Overly was a guest at the Seraphine Rolland home last Sunday.

Anna Kotlan and Stella Stokkie were dinner guests Monday at the Seraphine Rolland home.

Laurence Nelson spent Tuesday at the Stokkie home.

L. Rosett was a business caller at Mavie on Thursday.

Chester Boyce called at the Henry Longevan home on Thursday.

Miss Bernice Strubble visited with Marie Hamre Sunday afternoon.

Lois and Howard Struble, who are students at the high school at Thief River Falls, spent the week-end at their parental home.

Oleander, Hans and Martin Johnson were callers at Thief River Falls one day last week.

John Ristau was a Mavie caller on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aandahl and son, Arlo, were Sunday guests at the Hans Dahl home.

Laurence Nelson and Martin Overby were electric car passengers to Thief River Falls Friday.

Mrs. Betsie Stokkie and children, Stella, Olive and Martha, and Anna Kotlan, were guests at the Overby home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Betsie Stokkie and children departed Wednesday for Thief River Falls, where they will visit with her mother enroute to Park River, N. D., where they will make their future home.

Fred Larson visited at the Seraphine Rolland home Sunday.

C. Strubble was a Mavie caller on Friday.

C. Strubble was a business caller at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller and children were guests at the Stokkie home Monday evening.

Olaf Tharaldson spent Friday at the L. Bendickson home.

Mrs. Betsie Stokkie and children and Anna Kotlan visited at the Overby home on Tuesday.

Silva Bendickson called at the Stokkie home one day last week.

Mrs. Carl Klockman and son, Henry, motored to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Guests at the Stokkie home Tuesday were Mrs. S. Rolland, Anna and Louise Rosett and Laurence Nelson.

L. Rosett was a caller at the L. Bendickson home last Thursday.

MAYFIELD

Oscar Wedul spent Sunday afternoon at the Isaac Wilson home.

Misses Helen and Anna Cooper visited with Minnie Johnson Sunday afternoon.

John and David Omdahl and J. P. Asp made a brief visit at the Roisland home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Netteland and Mrs. A. Stennes and daughter Viola, visited at the Wedul home Monday afternoon.

Sadie and Arthur Omdahl spent Tuesday at the D. O. Roisland home.

Mrs. C. Brekke of Kratka spent Thursday at the Andrew Breiland home.

Arnt Wedul was busy grinding feed for Skalet and Stennes last Tuesday.

J. Solberg called at the Omdahl home Sunday morning.

Anna Wedul visited with Mrs. J. P. Asp Sunday afternoon.

Misses Olga and Minnie Johnson and Palmer Johnson spent Sunday afternoon with the Klove children.

Mrs. Ole Reiersgaard will entertain the Southern Ladies' Aid Wednesday, April 20th.

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Board of Health

Notice is hereby given that all property owners within the city limits must have all ashes, garbage, manure, etc., removed from their yards and adjoining alleys, to the public dumping grounds. It is urgent that this be done as soon as possible. On May 1st city ordinance will be enforced.

DR. J. BIEDERMAN
Health Officer.

a7-14-21

Butterfat Prices

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43c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Special Sale on Harness Goods

Beginning Friday, April 15th

and continuing for 2 weeks we shall place on sale at big reductions our entire stock of harness goods. Everything in this department (hardware excepted) will be reduced from 35% to 50%. Below we quote a few of the bargains:

Very best quality heavy 5 ring breeching harness, formerly sold at $110.00. NOW $65.00	BEST GRADE CRUPPER HARNESS Formerly $90.00 NOW $50.00
COLLARS Former $12.50. NOW $8.50 Former $10.00. NOW $6.50 Former $8.50. NOW $4.50 One lot Canvas Collars at $2.00	SWEATPADS 50% off on all pads. Pay just ½ of what they were.

One lot 1¼ in. halters at $1.25

Equally big reductions on all other horse goods. Buy Now. This merchandise will not be lower.

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Among Our Neighbors

NUMEDAL

Hjalmer Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Soren Knutson was a Viking shopper Friday.

George Bugge called at the S. Knutson home one evening last week.

Casper Osness, accompanied by his mother and sister Farleen, moved to their new home in the town of Viking, the Fred Larson farm which Mr. Osness purchased recently.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Friday evening where he took in the meeting and dance given by the Yeoman lodge and reported having a most enjoyable time.

John Ronning was a Thief River Falls shopper Saturday.

Mrs. Peder Bugge and family were called to the hospital at Thief River Falls on Friday where their daughter and sister, Mrs. Carl Brating was quite low, having underwent an operation. They returned on Saturday, Mrs. Brating having improved considerably.

Oscar Olson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Conrad Ronning is employed at the Soren Knutson farm at present.

Thure Blomberg was at Thief River Falls Saturday where he took examination for rural mail carrier.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osness were Viking shoppers Friday.

Tommy Joringdal was out doing some speeding with his Ford Super-Six Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son Winton and Conrad Ronning were Sunday visitors at the J. A. Blomberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal called at the C. Osness home Sunday.

Conrad Ronning and Ed. Blomberg took in the dance at Bray Saturday evening.

Tommy Joringdal called at the C. J. Johnson home Sunday.

J. Borgen of Wylie was a Sunday visitor at the John Bugge home, returning to Wylie on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and Mrs. Olaf Larson autoed to Thief River Falls Monday to do their spring shopping.

C. J. Johnson was a Viking shopper Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Christenson were Thief River Falls shoppers Saturday.

Albert Forslund autoed to Viking Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osness Sundayed at the G. Ronning home.

Mrs. J. A. Blomberg and son Ed. called at the S. Knutson home Saturday.

Oscar Forslund Sundayed at the E. Joringdal home.

Oliver Ronning left for Bray last week where he is employed, running a Fordson tractor for Henry Hanson of that place.

STEINER

Harvey Copp, one of the farmers of this community, returned from the state of Washington last week where he had been visiting with relatives.

Arnie Solem was a business caller at the Liden home Friday forenoon.

During the nice weather the first part of last week the farmers of this community began their spring work. The cold spell and snow the latter part of the week put a stop to their work.

Hunters were seen roaming in the woods in the southwestern part of this vicinity Sunday.

A number of farmers drove to the T. Steigen farm last Monday with some grain which they had ground there.

Arnie and Alfred Solem spent Thursday at the county seat where they attended to various business matters.

The Young Peoples' society of Steiner held a meeting and a social at the local schoolhouse Friday evening.

Charles Swanson spent Sunday afternoon calling on friends in this neighborhood.

The John Swanson boys of this place are having some lumber sawed at Rosewood by the Nordhagens this week.

Among other farmers of this community who have commenced their field work this spring are Peter Solem and C. W. Malberg, who began on Monday.

Several parties from this vicinity have been hauling hay this week.

One of the J. Swanson boys and Charles Swanson drove to Rosewood Tuesday morning where they attended to business regarding lumber sawing.

REINER

A number of men went to Thief River Falls Thursday to attend a ditch meeting.

Mrs. Alfred Olson's Ladies' Aid didn't turn out very well because of the meeting of the men in Thief River Falls and bad weather.

Jesse Tanar was a business caller at E. Grimley's Wednesday.

The confirmation class did not meet last Thursday on account of Rev. G. A. Hanson attending the conference held in Thief River Falls that day.

Messrs. John Grimley and Kore Hanson went on a little fishing hike Thursday and must have had *good* bait as they pulled a big pickerel about four feet long out of the ditch south of Hanson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carleton of Waseca arrived here Tuesday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Tanar for a short time.

Mrs. T. O. Berg and infant daughter visited with Mrs. Emil Sigueld Tuesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at Mrs. E. Grimley's on Thursday, April 21. They extend an invitation to all.

Karl Hanson visited with Glenn Svare over Sunday and Monday.

E. Grimley made a flying trip to Goodridge Monday forenoon.

Mrs. John Miller and daughter, Julia, visited with Mrs. Anton Oren Sunday afternoon.

Jesse Tanar left Monday for North Dakota, where he expects to be employed during the spring season.

John McEnelly was a business caller in Goodridge Monday.

Friday will be a happy day for the little folks as school in district No. 48 will close and the mothers have planned a picnic dinner for the pupils. Everybody is looking forward to nice weather so they can turn out.

T. O. Berg came home Monday from a business trip in the vicinity of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. A. J. Wells and little Ruth and Jimmie, visited at E. Grimley's Friday afternoon.

Olaf Vraa left a few days ago for Climax where he will remain during the spring season.

Selmar Erickson and James Helle left last Wednesday for Grand Forks, N. D., where they will remain for some time.

Chas. A. Asp, teacher at Pershing school, district No. 48, will close his term on Friday, April 15.

Louis Grimley and Oscar Stenvik autoed to Goodridge Saturday night.

T. O. Berg was a business caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

The Debsville school was presented with a new coat of paint in the interior and it seems much improved.

Misses Edith Vraa and Lela McEnelly visited with Harriet Grimley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dahlen and child and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wells and children were Sunday visitors at Albert Alntz.

Mr. and Mrs. Stenvik visited at John Bye's Sunday afternoon.

Jesse Tanar was a business caller in Erie Friday.

GREATER CREDITS ASKED BY FARMERS

Urge Economic Policy That Will Insure Upbuilding of Entire Country.

The status of the farmers' co-operative marketing associations under the Sherman anti-trust act, was discussed on Tuesday at the American Farm Bureau Federation conference in Washington, called to frame a farmers' executive program. Financial requirements of such an organization, it was asserted, might necessitate tariff legislation.

The legislative committee was urged by speakers to work for an extension of the time of rediscounting agricultural notes to the federal reserve system. The conference named a committee to confer with the federal reserve board, particularly as to the suggested developments of the farm loan bank idea. It was decided also to ask President Harding to name a farmer on the Interstate Commerce commission.

A resolution was adopted declaring it imperative "that we clearly and distinctly explain and assert an economic policy not merely designed for the sole benefit of the farmers, but for the strengthening and upbuilding of our national civilization."

Buddy, a Job Awaits.

Detailed information may be had from the Civil Service Secretary, Post Office, St. Paul, relative to examinations to *fill* positions of file clerk, mail clerk, carrier, and unskilled laborers, to be held during April at St. Paul, Minneapolis, East Grand Forks, Crookston, Detroit, Hibbing, Virginia, Northfield and Austin.

The Times job department has a fine equipment of new material and turns out the best work on short

Legal Notices

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION Of The Sons of Norway Building Corporation of Thief River Falls.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: that we, the undersigned, have associated and do hereby associate ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Minnesota; and to that end we do hereby execute under [illegible]

[illegible] and located within the corporation limits of the city of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota.

THIRD—The said corporation shall commence on the 28th day of March 1921, and shall continue for a period of thirty years.

FOURTH—The names and places of residence of the incorporators are as follows: Bernhard Knudsen, Edward H. Ness, Tilfred Reierson, Lars H. Larsen, Jorgen Eide, E. K. Aasen, C. C. Gulrud, Ole O. Nesja and H. S. Dahlen, all residing in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

FIFTH—The government of this corporation and the management of the same shall be vested in a board of nine trustees, consisting of its President, Vice-president, Secretary and Treasurer, and five other directors, all of whom shall be elected at the regular meeting of the stockholders, to be held annually on the first Thursday after the first Wednesday in January. The first board of trustees shall consist of the following members: Bernhard Knudsen, President; Edward Ness, Vice-president; Tilfred Reierson, Secretary; Lars H. Larsen, Treasurer; Jorgen Eide, E. K. Aasen, C. C. Gulrud, Ole O. Nesja and H. S. Dahlen, who shall hold office until the first annual meeting and until their successors are elected and qualified.

SIXTH—The amount of the capital stock shall be Fifteen Thousand Dollars, ($15,000.00), which shall be divided into three hundred (300) shares of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) per share par value.

SEVENTH—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the Corporation shall at any time be subject shall be Eight Thousand Dollars ($8,000.00).

EIGHTH—Members in this corporation shall be entitled to only one vote, regardless of the number of shares of stock owned; and no person shall be entitled to become a member hereof, or to vote, unless in good standing a member of Snorre Lodge No. 70 of the Order of Sons of Norway, of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 23rd day of March, A. D. 1921.

Signed, Sealed and Executed in the Presence of:
H. O. CHOMMIE.
E. M. STANTON.

BERNHARD KNUDSEN (Seal)
EDWARD H. NESS (Seal)
TILFRED REIERSON (Seal)
LARS H. LARSEN (Seal)
JORGEN EIDE (Seal)
E. K. AASEN (Seal)
C. C. GULRUD (Seal)
OLE O. NESJA (Seal)
H. S. DAHLEN (Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Pennington, ss.

On this 23rd day of March, 1921, before me a notary public within and for said county and State personally appeared Bernhard Knudsen, Edward H. Ness, Tilfred Reierson, Lars H. Larson, Jorgen Eide, E. K. Aasen, C. C. Gulrud, Ole O. Nesja, H. S. Dahlen, to be personally known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

H. O. CHOMMIE.
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn. My commission expires June 18, 1926.
(Seal)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations on page 545.

MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS,
County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 7th day of April A. D. 1921, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in book J of Miscellaneous on page 152.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
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Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

Of the Thief River Falls Times, published weekly at Thief River Falls, Minn., for April 1, 1921.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. [illegible] Thief River Falls, Minn. Editor, T. J. Anstad, Thief River Falls, Minn. Business Manager, R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

2. That the owners are: R. H. Ross, T. J. Anstad, H. J. Rustad, Geo. W. Werstlein, P. O. Myhrum, J. P. Curtis, O. F. Mellby, Math Barzen, P. W. Sharp Printing and Manufacturing Co., all of Thief River Falls, Minn., and J. R. Brown of Green Bay, Wis.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls, Minn.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

R. H. ROSS,
Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of April, 1921.

(Seal) GEORGE W. WERSTLEIN,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires Oct. 22, 1926

Proposal for School Building at Mavie, Minnesota.

Sealed proposals will be received at Mavie, Minnesota by the school board of Common School District No. 15, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, until Two P. M. (2 p. m.) April 29th, for the erection and completion of a school building on Sec. 29, Twp. of Cloverleaf, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for four per cent (4%) of the amount of the bid, payable to the School Board of Common School District No. 15, Pennington County, Minnesota, which check will be returned, when building contract is executed, or when said school board does not accept the bid.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Copies of plans and specifications of this building may be seen at Farmers State Bank, Mavie, Minn.

C. M. [illegible],
Clerk, Dist. No. 15, County of Pennington, Minnesota.
a14-21-28

Notice to Contractors.

The Board of Directors of the St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association will receive sealed bids for the erection of a creamery building in the Village of St. Hilaire, Minn., in accordance with plans and specifications on display at the creamery office or at either bank in said village.

Bids will be opened April 20, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M. Bids must be accompanied with a certified check in the sum of $500, same to be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Directors.
Per F. S. ERDMANN,
Secretary.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twenty-one hundred eighty-three and 18/100 ($2183.18) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John Arnt [illegible], his wife, Mortgagors, to First State Bank of Gully, Minnesota, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the [illegible] day of January, [illegible]

[illegible] township one hundred-fifty-two (152), north of range thirty-nine (39), west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred-sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 11th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock, A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2183.18, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 30th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST STATE BANK OF GULLY, MINNESOTA, A CORPORATION,
Mortgagee.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagee's Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 29-100 ($994.29) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William G. Hunt and Harriet Hunt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 116.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation by written assignment dated the 11th day of May, 1918, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 18th day of March, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 117, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lot Seven and Eight (7 and 8) in Section Twenty-nine (29), and the East one-half (E½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Thirty (30), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32) all lying in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-three North, of Range numbered Forty (40) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 6th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 29-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, A. D. 1921.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Thief River Falls, a Corporation,
Assignee of the Mortgagee.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
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The only way of meeting the housing problem is to build more houses. This fact is so fully realized that every energy, public and private, is directed toward making the people understand its importance.

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Progressive business men in our line in other sections are doing the same thing. Construction is now more important than profits. Those who take advantage of the situation will be very much the gainers as building materials cannot long continue to be sold below the cost of manufacture.

DELAY NO LONGER—
THE TIME IS HERE

Soon the demand will force prices to a higher level. This is inevitable. Many are saving money by taking our advice in this matter. It will pay you to join their number.

Our plan service is at your command.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two White Leghorn roosters. [illegible] Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 9tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Holland turkey hens, $5.00. Eggs 40c each; setting of 9, $3.60. N. A. Nelson, R. 1, Box 75 B, Phone 17F23. 11p

FOR SALE—700 bushel [illegible] Four seed oats. Absolutely clean. Call 411 Riverside Ave. P. P. Palmer. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Percheron stallion, registered and licensed, by Wm. House, Mavie, Minn. 12

FOR SALE—One matched team of horses, 8 years old. Weight 2800. Arthur Mazzy, R. 2, City. 11p

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting from prize winning Single Comb Black Minorcas, $1.00 per setting of 15. Also some Plymouth Rock eggs at 50c. I. G. Dale, Rosewood, Minn. 11p

FOR SALE—Team of bay geldings, wt. 3200 pounds. [illegible] W. E. Smith, Thief River Falls, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE—One [illegible] tractor, tandem disc, [illegible]. [illegible] Bros., [illegible] store. 10p

FOR SALE—Two fresh cows with calf at side. Also team of horses 7 years old. Charles Schnabel, R. 1, City. 11p

FOR SALE—Good timothy hay, seven miles east and four miles north. Ansel Johnson, Germantown Route, City. 11p

FOR SALE—500 bushel seed, clean seed barley at 60c per bushel. J. S. [illegible], Golden Valley, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 11f

FOR SALE—Seven acres adjoining city, with good house, barn and garage. F. F. DeVillino, City. 9tf

[illegible] FOR SALE—[illegible] 122 Horace Avenue North. 11f

FOR SALE—One Indian motorcycle in good running order. Inquire at 508 Conley Ave. S. 10p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island eggs for hatching, $1.50 for 15; $7 for 100. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 11p

FOR SALE—Small barn in good condition. Will be sold cheap to party who will move it at once. Inquire at Times office. 10p

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 5, six miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—Furniture for five room flat. Inquire at Times office. 11p

FOR SALE—New five passenger Maxwell car at 25 per cent discount. Inquire of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn. 10tf

FOR SALE—One Kimball organ good as new. Very reasonable. Call at [illegible] N. Section house. 10p

FOR SALE—Have fine black Percheron stallion for sale very reasonable. Will consider trade. P. E. Lund, Holt, Minn. 10

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR RENT—May 1: Five-room house. Inquire Fred Holzknecht. 12p

FOR SALE—Automobile with commercial body, full curtains. Cheap if sold soon. H. M. Everstad, 322 Horace Ave. N. 11p

FOR SALE—Dining room buffet in dark wood. Telephone No. 500. 10

FOR SALE—Cow coming fresh in May, and 3 good horses. Or will consider a trade for a grain separator, 22 or 24 in. preferred. Oscar Evenson, Germantown Rt. NE¼, Sec. 13, Silverton Twp. 6tf

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs. Black Leghorn, dark Cornish, Game Bantams. Geo. Lemmers, Thief River Falls, Minn. 9tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

MUST SELL—Seven room house on the river bank in Thief River Falls. $500.00 down will buy it. Cheap if taken at once. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 7tf

FOR SALE—Black Minorca hatching eggs, $1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. Philip Amon, 113 LaBree So. Telephone 412. 10

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mr. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—Eggs. Pure bred Buff Orpington eggs, $2.00 per setting of 15. H. F. Erickson, 911 Duluth Ave. N. Thief River Falls, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 135, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call Thure Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 10tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes. Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 500. Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE—Feed oats, 50c per bushel. I. O. Ronning. Phone 1-F11. 11p

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc, to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walters-Grell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the SE¼, sec. 16, Town of Reiner, 1½ miles east of Goodridge, 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn—C. W. Vaughn. 2tf

FOR SALE—Work horse for $75.00. Harry Woolson, City. 10p

FOR SALE—16-in. John Deere breaking plow and white blossom sweet clover. Frank Macek, Germantown, Minn., one mile north of Stop 7, Electric line. 10tf

FOR SALE—Lot and barn, 511 LaBree Ave. N. 10f

FOR SALE—Library table, set dining room chairs and table, chiffonier, dresser, large rug and 4 small rugs. Mrs. Hal Stanton. 10

FOR SALE—White Blossom Sweet Clover. Hulled 99% purity, $8.00 bu. Unhulled $4.25 bu. Ivan Stenehouse, Plummer, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 16

FOR SALE OR TRADE—74 acre farm with good improvements. 80 bales hay [illegible] of Rosenthal. W. O. Lund, Thief River Falls, Minn. 16

FOR SALE OR TRADE—The quarter [illegible] in Pennington county. [illegible] R. R. Calloway. 2tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Wyandotte eggs for hatching, $1.00 per 15; $5 per 100. Mrs. [illegible], Thief River Falls, Minn., R. 1 13p

FOR SALE—[illegible] in Thief River Falls. Inquire of H. S. Dahlen at First [illegible] State Bank. 9tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—[illegible] [illegible] Samuel Maxwell, Hazel, Minn. 12

FOR EXCHANGE—[illegible] to exchange for cows or young stock. Box 703, Thief River Falls. 10

FOR TRADE—Iowa lands to trade for Western Minnesota. Farmers Co-Operative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Bratrud. 10tf

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, SE¼ of Section 4, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares. C. P. Brorby, Kratka. 10tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms, 511 LaBree Ave. N. 10tf

FOR SALE—One of the best all modern houses in city. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, C. T. Christenson, 402 Main Ave. N. 5tf

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, SE¼ of Section 6, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares. C. P. Brorby, Kratka.

FOR RENT—S½SE¼ and E½SW¼, sec. 21, Numedal town. Inquire of T. J. Warby, R. D. 1, Thief River Falls. 13p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for kitchen work. Apply Oakland Park Sanitorium. 10

WANTED—Girl for general housework on farm. Washing and churning done by electricity. State wages wanted. Mrs. P. F. Kelly, St. Thomas, N. D., R. F. D. 10p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofing, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 10p

SELL OIL, Grease, Paint, Specialties. All or part time. Commission basis. Should have car or rig. Samples free. Write for the profitable terms. Riverside Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 10p

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By experienced gas or oil tractor operator. Write Harold F. Schmaltof, Luck, Wis. 10p

FOUND

FOUND—Lady's lodge pin. Owner kindly call at Times office. 10p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Position by competent stenographer with three years experience. Harriett Curtis, Grygla, Minn. 10p

WANT TO BUY about 300 everbearing strawberry plants. Write B. 9, Times. 11p

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 300, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

COMFORTABLE, small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 104tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, First St. E. 107tf

WANTED—A medium sized house in this city, in good location, at moderate price. Have an improved farm to sell, and will prefer house that can be taken in as part payment on farm. What have you to sell or trade? Write No. 70, care of Times. 11p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

WANTED—80 or 160 acre improved farm with fair buildings close to some good town and school. If you want to sell and need the money, here is your chance to get the cash. Give your lowest cash price. No land man or agency need apply. Give full information about your place and buildings. I will be here about May 1. Don't write unless you mean business for cash. Write B 8, Times. 11p

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM parties residing within Pennington County that have 40, 80, 160 acre tracts of land to dispose of. W. A. Swanson, Rhoda, Minn. 11p

WANTED—Sheep shearing. Write for full information. Ole Gandstad, R. 2, Thief River Falls. 11p

PRES. HARDING'S FIRST MESSAGE GIVEN COUNTRY

Favors Knox Resolution But Opposed to Separate Peace With Central Powers.

Revision of Tax Laws Recommended and Reduction in Living Cost is Urged.

Tariff Law Enacted at This Time Must Necessarily Be For Emergencies Only.

President Harding in his first address to congress today announced that he would approve a "declaratory resolution" by congress "with qualifications essential to protect all our rights," which would end the "technical state of war against the Central powers of Europe."

The president added, however, that "it would be idle to declare for separate treaties of peace with the Central powers on the assumption alone that these would be adequate because the situation is so involved that our peace engagements cannot ignore the old world relationships and the settlements already effected, nor is it desirable to do so in preserving our own rights and contracting our future relationships."

Declares Against League.

Although unreservedly against "the existing League of Nations," the president said;

"The wiser course would seem to be the acceptance of the confirmation of our rights and interests as already provided and to engage under the existing treaty, assuming of course, that this can be satisfactorily achieved by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom from inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests."

Read Own Address.

Following the plan adopted by President Wilson all through the period of the war, President Harding read his address to the house of congress. The principal recommendations of the message are as follows:

Foreign Relations.

No separate peace treaties with the Central Powers "on the assumption alone that this would be adequate." "The wiser course would seem to be * * * to engage under the existing treaty assuming, of course, that this can be satisfactorily accomplished by such explicit reservations and modifications as will secure our absolute freedom of inadvisable commitments and safeguard all our essential interests. * * * No helpful society of nations can be founded on justice and committed to peace until the covenants re-establishing peace are sealed by the nation which were at war."

Taxes and Tariff.

Readjustment of internal taxes and revision or repeal "of those taxes which have become unproductive and are so artificial and burdensome as to defeat their own purpose."

Instant tariff enactment "emergency in character and understood by our people that it is for the emergency only."

Railroad Operation.

"Efficient operation" at a cost within that which the traffic can bear. * * * Railway rates and costs of operation must be reduced. * * * The remaining obstacles which are the heritance of capitalistic exploitation must be removed and labor must join management in understanding that the public which pays is the public to be served and simple justice is the right which will continue to be the right of all the people."

Relief for Service Men.

The strengthening of laws governing federal aid for good roads.

"Private monopolies tending to prevent the development of needed facilities of communication should be prohibited. Government owned facilities wherever possible without unduly interfering with private enterprise or government needs, should be made available for general usages."

Regulation by the federal government and encouragement of aviation for development for military and civil purposes.

"The American people expect congress unfailingly to voice the gratitude of the republic in a generous and practical way to its defenders in the World war." The immediate extension and utilization of government hospital facilities to "bring relief to the acute conditions most complained of."

Can't Discard Armaments.

Co-ordination of various government agencies now working on the subject and indorsement of the pending maternity bill.

Congress ought to wipe the stain of barbaric lynching from the banners of a free and orderly representative democracy. "A proposal for a commission with representatives of white and black races to study and report on the subject," the president said, "has real merit."

Early consideration of pending appropriation bills was urged. "The government is in accord with the wish to eliminate the burdens of heavy armament," said the president. "The United States will ever be in harmony with such a movement toward the higher attainments of peace. But we shall not entirely discard our agencies for defense until there is removed the need to defend. We are ready to co-operate with other nations to approximate disarmament, but merest prudence forbids that we disarm alone."

Assure and Warn at Once.

"The staggering load of war debt must be cared for in orderly funding and gradual liquidation. We shall hasten the solution and aid effectively in lifting the tax burdens if we strike resolutely at expenditure."

Enactment of a national budget system and general reductions by efficient management of the cost of government.

"Less of government in business as well as more business in government. * * * There is no challenge to honest and lawful business success. But government approval of fortunate, untrammeled business does not mean toleration of restraint of trade or of maintained prices by unnatural methods. * * * Anxious as we are to restore the onward flow of business, it is fair to combine assurance and warning in one utterance."

To End Depression.

"The maintained retail costs in perishable foods cannot be justified * * * Reduced costs of basic production have been recorded, but high cost of living has not yielded in like proportion. * * * Without the spirit of hostility or haste in accusation of profiteering, some suitable inquiry by congress might speed the price readjustment to normal relationship, with helpfulness to both producer and consumer. A measuring rod of fair prices will satisfy the country and give us a business revival to end all depression and unemployment."

TAKING GOOD CARE OF SICK VETERANS

Ashbury Hospital Management Highly Praised by Visitor From Thief River Falls.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson returned from Minneapolis Monday morning after having spent several days with his son, Glenn, who is a patient at Asbury hospital. Mr. Anderson reports that the young man is rallying rapidly after a major operation performed by government surgeons on Thursday morning. Glenn Anderson, formerly a member of the 10th Division, entered the government hospital for observation early in March and since that time and until his operation was considered in a serious condition.

The county official spent much of his time while in Minneapolis, at the Asbury hospital. He speaks with pride and in great favor of the treatment being accorded the five hundred or more ex-service men who are patients there at the expense of the federal government. Nurses, he said, are very attentive to the wants and good spirits of the men, many of whom are in a critical condition and undergoing constructive surgical operations. Cases are being treated with the greatest of dispatch and the social welfare of convalescent patients is given due consideration.

Mr. Anderson also expressed great admiration for the thorough manner in which members of the Women's Auxiliary to the American Legion are administering to the wants of the former soldiers. A recreation room for convalescents is maintained at the hospital and a visiting committee of the Auxiliary present each day.

WILL INVESTIGATE PLAN SUGGESTING REROUTING OF J-H

Commercial Club Also Urges That Clearwater County Stretch be Fixed First.

C. L. Hanson, O. Ramstad, Daniel Shaw, T. A. Way and George C. Streeter were appointed as a good roads committee of the Commercial club by President W. A. Hall, Jr., following the weekly club luncheon of last Thursday. The committee met on Saturday afternoon when a resolution was drawn up and forwarded to the state Highway commission recommending that an exceedingly poor stretch of the Jefferson highway between Bagley and Gonvick be put in shape this season. The drawing up of the resolution was proposed at the Commercial club luncheon by C. L. Hanson, who, having been the principal speaker at a meeting of the Red Lake Falls Commercial club on Wednesday evening, spoke of similar action taken by that organization and other civic bodies in communities thru which the Jefferson highway passes. The sentiment of the club was in favor of early construction work on the highway in question and the matter placed in the hands of the good roads committee. The resolution as drawn up recommended that the almost impassable piece of road above mentioned be one of the first to be made suitable for heavy traffic thru the operation of the Babcock road law.

On the suggestion of the Red Lake Falls Commercial club, the re-routing of the Jefferson highway north of Thief River Falls by way of Holt, Middle River, Strathcona and Karlstad instead of over the old Pembina trail, was discussed at both Commercial club and good roads committee meetings. The Red Lake Falls club contends that owing to the fact that the present route passes over the trail where settlement is sparse instead of thru the above mentioned towns, a great deal of traffic is lost to Thief River Falls and points south of here.

Actuated by the spirit of co-operation the good roads committee of the neighboring city advanced the plan that its members in company with the members of the Thief River Falls committee tour both routes as soon as road conditions permit. At the meeting of Saturday the local committee fell in with this suggestion and the trip will be made within the month. In case the routing by way of Holt, Middle River and Strathcona to Karlstad is found feasible or advantageous, the change will be recommended to the directors of the highway association.

DUMPY TRADE IN CATTLE AND HOGS

Some Kinds of Cattle at Year's Low Point—Hogs Average $8.50. Fair Sheep Market.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minnesota Dept. of Agriculture.)

Monday's Opening.

Cattle 1,700, market slow, steady to 25 cents lower, top steers $8.00. Calves 200, market steady, packer top $6.50. Hogs 5,300, market 25 to 35c lower, range $7.00 to $9.10, bulk $8 to $8.75. Sheep 400, market fully Shorn ewes $5.50.

Livestock trade is dumpish. Although there is a fair undertone in the sheep market, trade in both cattle and hogs is dull with price tendency downward, hogs and some classes of cattle at present selling at the lowest levels for the year to date.

Cattle are coming to leading markets in fairly liberal numbers for this season of the year, and with continued light demand from the country for stockers and feeders, and consumption of dressed beef low on account of the greatest amount of unemployment at any time during the present industrial depression, the market is on the down grade, opening the week at steady to 25c lower prices, after a break of 50 to 75c last week. A few good to choice fed steers brot $8.00 Monday, with load lots of medium to good steers at $7.65 and $7.75, and bulk of common and medium grades from $6.50 to $7.50. Choice heifers are quotable up to $7.50 and $7.75, with bulk of the butcher cows and heifers selling from $4.50 to $6.25. Canners, cutters, bologna bulls and veals are moving at the year's lowest levels, canners and cutters selling from $1.50 to $3.50, bulk of bologna bulls $3.50 to $3.75, and top veals $6.50. Stocker and feeder trade is slow and draggy, with prices working lower.

Packers' droves of hogs were put up Monday at a cost of slightly under $8.50, bulk selling from $8.00 to $8.75, or 25 to 75c lower than a week ago. Coarse heavy packers landed at $7.00 and choice pigs $11.00 and $11.25, showing the market extremes at the present time. Sheep sold fully steady, choice 75 pound clipped lambs bringing $8.35, choice light clipped yearling wethers $8.00, a deck of choice shorn wethers averaging 113 pounds $6.00, with a few clipped ewes at $5.50.

MAN WASN'T A THIEF; GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL AND NATURALLY SLOW

Judge Tarrant is Still Willing to Oblige But Considers Two Years a Long Time For Keeping Borrowed Map.

On the wall of the municipal court room, this city, hung a fine map. It tickled the fancy of a stranger who happened to see it one day and Judge N. W. Tarrant later reluctantly parted with his pet, because as he said, "the cuss looked honest enough." The map was not returned at the end of a month's time as promised and, in fact, not for many months after that. Then one day a letter from Washington—but this is the way of the story:

The map was one copyrighted by Lester Gesell, Thief River Falls real estate dealer, and incorporated among other features an extensive survey of drainage projects as completed in northwestern Minnesota. Judge Tarrant was one day approached for the loan of the map by one who posed as a "land man" who could save himself a lot of time by consulting the map for about a month. Similar charts had become unpurchaseable and he who entered the plea was granted his request. The month passed, as did five or six more. The Judge becoming anxious then wrote to the Moorhead address furnished by the stranger only to have his letter returned bearing the said legend, "Unclaimed. Return to Writer." Two years passed.

Last Friday Judge Tarrant received a letter from the Bureau of Roads, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., stating:

"Under separate cover we are returning a valuable map which an engineer from our bureau borrowed from you in 1919. Trusting that it will reach you safely and thanking you very kindly for the loan of it, as we have found it of great assistance, we remain—" In the same mail was a well-wrapped and much-registered parcel which looked as if it might contain a life-sized bowling alley, but when opened revealed the Judge's precious map, pretty well covered with penciled hieroglyphics but practically as good as new.

Accomplished Musician to Furnish Music at Lyceum

W. A. Stanchfield arrived here on Wednesday morning from Minneapolis and with the Lyceum matinee assumed the duties of his new position as pianist for that theatre. He will play at all performances.

Mr. Stanchfield comes here under the finest of recommendations. He recently finished the arranging of a musical prologue for the twin city showing of the film version of the "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," a feature picture which is taking the country by storm. Though having made a specialty of prologue work, the pianist has played in many of the larger picture houses of the twin cities and Dayton, Ohio. He was also in charge of the music at Forest Park, a Minneapolis suburban summer resort, during the past season.

Alleged Forger Taken.

W. J. LaBree, Pennington county sheriff, on Sunday apprehended H. J. Johnson in the eastern part of the county. Johnson, formerly of Pelican Rapids, was wanted at Fergus Falls on a note forgery charge.

Library Gets Railroad Volumes.

Chas. E. Hellquist, Soo line engineer who lives at 811 Duluth avenue north, has presented the Carnegie public library with a series of finely bound books on the science of the railroad. The volumes contain much information and are a valuable addition to the library. They are: "Engineers' and Firemen's Hand Book," "Locomotive Motion and Power," "Department Construction," "Handling and Supervision of Cars," "Operation of Trains," "Locomotive Appliances," "Electricity as Applied to Trains," "The Modern Airbrake and Its Uses."

American Legion Corner

BURIAL OF UNKNOWN WAR HERO WILL TAKE PLACE ARMISTICE DAY

President Harding Notifies Secretary of War That This Date is Preferred to Memorial Day—To Rest in Arlington.

President Harding has informed Secretary of War J. W. Weeks, that he prefers to have the ceremonies for the unknown American dead of the World war conducted at Arlington National cemetery on Armistice day, Nov. 11, instead of Memorial Day. Congress in the last session provided for the return from France of the body of one unknown American soldier to be buried with national honors here. It was the last bill signed by President Wilson on March 4. Since then war department officials have been planning for the ceremonies which will be most extensive and in which the president of the United States will have the leading part. They suggested that the ceremony could be conducted on Memorial day, May 30, or on Armistice day. Secretary Weeks asked the president to decide and Mr. Harding promptly chose Armistice day.

The war department announced that work has just begun on the removal of the soldier dead from the great American cemetery at Romagne, France, where lie more than 22,000 bodies of those who gave their lives in the Argonne. The shipment of the bodies will be expedited as far as is humanly possible and will be delayed only by adverse weather conditions.

Latest figures show that in all there were 75,882 American dead overseas, of whom, 13,616 have been returned. Requests have been received to allow 19,861 bodies to rest permanently overseas, but this number is changing all the time.

Auxiliary Will Entertain Legionaires Tuesday Night

The Auxiliary to the Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion will entertain for the Legionaires and ex-service men at the Masonic hall on Tuesday evening. This will be the "big night" in the history of the two organizations, judging from plans being carried out by the special committee of the Auxiliary.

An elaborate program of entertainment of musical numbers and contests is being planned. Following the serving of a lunch, dancing will be featured. Although card announcements are being sent out, Legionaires and ex-service men not reached in this manner are not to consider themselves slighted as all are invited to attend and share in the good time. Out-of-town members of the Legion are given a special invitation to be present.

Will Open Rooming House.

Minneapolis Legion Auxiliary members are to open a rooming house to care for disabled ex-service men coming to Minneapolis to receive medical treatment or vocational training. The high prices which disabled veterans have to pay for hotel accommodation brought about this decision.

Examinations at Sub-Centers.

Very soon, local medical examiners will cease to do the work of the U. S. Public Health Service. Disabled ex-service men will be examined at "sub-centers," located at Minneapolis, Duluth, Brainerd, Sioux Falls, Fargo and Grand Forks, where special doctors and office force will be maintained.

Urge Registering of Discharge Papers

The American Legion urges every buddy to have his discharge papers registered, so that, if lost, true copy may be secured. Victory medals and discharge papers are family heirlooms and should be carefully preserved.

Positions Paying $1500 Open.

About twenty positions paying not less than $1500 per year are open to ex-service men with The Federal Board for Vocational Training, Kieth Plaza Building, Minneapolis. Applicants should have a high school education.

Establish Junior League.

Minnesota Legion posts are establishing units of the Junior American League, the objects of which are to instill into the minds of boys and girls reverence for the flag, love of home, a sincere appreciation of the school, and a desire to be a credit to themselves, the community, state and nation.

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Lyons and Moran
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A Five Reel Hot Water Comedy

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Mable Julienne Scott and Niles Welch
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A powerful drama and a remarkable story with an unusual cast.
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The Drury Lane Melodrama of a Thousand Thrills
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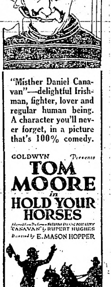

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CITY MERCHANTS ADOPT FEATURE SALES DAY IDEA

Opening Gun Will Be Mailing of Thief River Falls Trade Journal.

Monthly Event to Be Made of Great Importance to Retailer and Buyer.

One Merchant Will Sell at a Loss in Offering Feature Bargains.

At a meeting of the Merchants association held at the Commercial club rooms on Wednesday night it was voted to adopt a proposed market day or feature sale plan for the purpose of promoting retail merchandising in the city. A committee will be appointed to get out a Thief River Falls trade magazine or folder each month for the purpose of bringing in business from distant points in northwestern Minnesota. The proposed pamphlet for the first issue will be mailed to over 10,000 homes in the territory adjacent and tributary to the city. Its purpose will be to advertise the advantages of Thief River Falls as a retail trading center

Public Auction and Amusements.

The trade magazine will be but the opening gun in a concerted campaign to increase the volume of retail sales. It is proposed to inaugurate within two or three months time a monthly market day on which the offering of special bargains will be made by merchants of the city. A general invitation will be extended to farmers and residents of the surrounding territory to bring in on that day any saleable articles for disposal by public auction. A licensed auctioneer will be furnished by the Merchants association. Every effort will be made to make the designated day an attractive one for out-of-town buyers. Moving picture houses will be induced to offer special and attractive films; special amusement features may be staged on that day. Every business house or institution in the city is to co-operate in making the monthly event one of great importance to both business house and buyer.

Merchant to Stand Loss.

Many merchants have agreed to take hold of the feature sale plan. This will operate in a circle, one merchant to offer for sale on the market day at least one bargain of great attraction which must be sold by him at a decided loss. In order to secure this bargain the purchaser will be required to visit other retail establishments for the purpose of receiving a ticket to present at the store staging the feature sale. Each merchant will stand his own loss in offering the article below cost.

The pamphlet to be sent out will be but the means of getting acquainted. Straightfordness between advertising merchants and the retail trade will be encouraged from the outset of the sales campaign.

Educational Campaign to Demonstrate Milk Value

The directors of the Thief River Co-operative creamery association at a meeting held here on Monday voted to join with the Minnesota Dairy council in advertising the food value of dairy products of the state. The Dairy council has already laid elaborate plans for a state-wide advertising campaign patterned somewhat after those conducted by fruit growers of the western states. The object of the campaign is clearly outlined in an educational moving picture film which is being taken for the council. This film will show the value of milk, butter and other dairy products by the direct method of comparison.

Andrew French, former dairy and food commissioner for Minnesota and at present organizer for the dairy council, was present at the meeting for the purpose of outlining for the directors the extensive results of the advertising campaign as affecting the producer, the creameries, the consumer and Minnesota as a dairy state. He will speak on the same subject before the directors of the St. Hilaire Co-operative creamery tonight.

SECOND SECTION OF SPEAKING CLASS TO MAKE BOW TO PUBLIC

Will Deliver Short Addresses on Different Topics at Lincoln Auditorium This Evening—Outsiders are Invited.

To the general public is extended the invitation to be present at a series of twenty minute talks to be delivered at the Lincoln high school auditorium tonight by F. F. Haynes, George L. Sterns, Robert McGinn, C. L. Hansen and H. W. Protzeller. The speakers have taken subjects of national interest for discussion. No admission fee will be charged. This second series of orations marks the graduation of members of the business and professional men's class in public speaking which has been conducted during the past 13 weeks by L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the high school.

Those who failed to hear members of Mr. Pierce's class speak at the auditorium on last Thursday night, exercises were held, missed many exercises were held, missed many keen and well delivered discussions of topics of the day. Each speaker was allotted but 20 minutes time. Into this brief period each had crowded statements most pertinent to he subjects in hand, displaying thorough preparation and familiarity with the theme. Edward Brevig told many peculiar and interesting facts regarding the life of "The Honey Bee." He possesses a great fund of knowledge on this subject through having made a life-long study of the busy little insects. L. A. Lampert as secretary-treasurer of the Valhall branch of the Federal Land bank, proved well qualified to speak on the subject, "Causes For the Present Financial Depression." E. O. Mogensen, a prominent worker toward bettering the welfare of "The Community," took that for his theme. "The Future Outlook For the Business Man" was ably discussed by George C. Loken. L. H. Lawrence devoted his allotted time to "The Immigration Problem," as having both local and national application.

JOINT CONCERT OF BRAGE CHORUS AND LOCAL ORCHESTRA

Interesting and Varied Program Will be Presented at Auditorium Next Thursday.

The joint appearance in concert Thursday evening, April 28 of the Brage Male chorus and the Concert orchestra is expected to prove the musical event of the spring season for Thief River Falls. Both these organizations have been heard separately and their work has created a highly favorable impression. The orchestra consists of 16 pieces while more than 20 voices will make up the chorus. Besides these features there will be solos by some of the best-known singers in the city. The program will run largely to works by Scandinavian composers and there will be selections from some of the most famous musicians of these northern lands. The concert will be given under the direction of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet. J. T. Neseth will assume baritone solo parts where these are called for in the choral presentations, while the tenor obbligato parts will be taken by Carl Sundahl. H. O. Chommie will be piano accompanist. Mrs. Gay Halvorson will sing "Dost Thou Know That Sweet Land?" from the opera of Mignon and "Homing" by Theresa Del Riego. Among the well known vocal selections to be given by Brage Chorus is Ole Bull's Saterjentens Sondag" (The Chalet Girl's Sunday) and "Autumn Worship," by F. A. Reissiger. The program of thirteen numbers will close with the rendition of "Greetings to Spring," a vocal arrangement of the "Blue Danube" waltz by Brage Chorus, and "The Calif of Bagdad" overture by the orchestra.

Roy Halseth has been made business manager of the enterprise and says that the interest thus far shown in the forthcoming concert indicates a crowded house. The general admission has been placed at 50 cents with no seats reserved. The program in detail will be found in another part of The Times today.

BAND CONCERTS TO BEGIN BEFORE LONG

Newly Formed Organization Will Begin Rehearsals Under Direction of Snyder.

Former members of the Thief River Falls City band met at the Commercial club rooms on Friday night, at which time a new organization was formed with George C. Loken as president, L. A. Hermanson, vice president, and H. S. Snyder, director. Credit for the reorganization of the band is to be given to the above named officers, P. G. Peterson and Perry Froseth.

At the meeting plans were formulated which will result in a series of public band concerts for the coming season. Rehearsals are to be held once a week, starting immediately. The first open-air concert will be given within three weeks, following which these concerts will become a weekly event. Many of the band men saw service with the military bands during the late war. All are accomplished musicians who have done much public concert work. While the opening concert will be staged with fully 15 members present, it is hoped that a total of 20 pieces can be recruited by Decoration Day. The newly elected officers are at the present time making an effort to secure uniforms in order that the organization may make the best possible showing for the opening date.

Parents'-Teachers' Meetings This Week in Rural Schools

A parent-teachers meeting will be held at the O. J. Peterson school, district No. 15, on Friday night. County Attorney Theo. Quale will deliver the address of the evening, taking for his subject "Child Welfare." Miss Marie Knudsen, county nurse, will speak on "The General Health of the School Child," and C. W. Pope, manual training instructor in the Thief River Falls schools, on "The Smith-Hughes Plan For Industrial Education."

A similar meeting will be held at the Hazel school, district No. 11, on Saturday night, when County Agent J. J. McCann will discuss "Boys' and Girls' Club Work," and a Thief River Falls dentist, "The Care of the Teeth."

AMPLE SUPPORT FOR BALL TEAM QUICKLY FOUND

Business Men Pledge Themselves to Pay $500 Per Month Towards Expenses.

Competent Man Will be Put in Charge of Selection and Management of Players.

New Uniforms Will be Provided and Grounds at Once Put in Best Shape Possible.

Thief River Falls will "play ball" this year to judge by the success with which plans promoulgated by fans of the city are meeting. A session of the *enthusiastic few was called last* Saturday night for the purpose of discussing the base ball future of the community and the upshot of the matter was that committees were appointed to solicit the business men and fans of the city for a monthly cash guarantee to back a strong organization. The committeemen got right on the job Monday morning with formidable looking documents and a dotted line on which to sign, with the result that up to last night over $500 per month had been pledged for the support of a team. The aggregate pledge will exceed this amount as many of the boosters of the city had not been called upon.

Another meeting, of those who guaranteed their financial support at this time, has been called for Friday evening for the purpose of electing directors and bringing about a permanent base ball organization. Tentative plans call for the placing of the selection and management of a team in the hands of a player-manager and the hiring of at least two players. The method of business management will be determined at the coming meeting.

The pledged amounts or a portion of the same will be collected as required to finance operations. The purchase of 12 new uniforms will be one of the first acts of the management. All men who have played base ball, who think they can play, or who really do play will be urged to turn out for the try-outs which will be staged at an early date, as no selection of players has been made and no promising material is to be overlooked.

The business men who are directly responsible for the excellent start made toward securing the base ball organization and who obtained the cash pledges are E. O. Mogensen, A. Langseth, C. S. Simonson, F. H. Herrick, Roy Lambert, Albert Lieberman, A. S. Sapero, Edw. Brevig, F. J. Stebbins, L. H. Lawrence and Walter Jonas.

Guernsey Breeders' Annual Picnic-Sale Here June 7

The Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders association will hold their annual sale and picnic at the Burr Oak farm of Albert Johnson, two miles south of Thief River Falls on June 7, members of the sale committee announced on Tuesday. An inspection of valley herds was conducted during the past week with the result that 15 head of pure-bred and grade Guernseys have already been booked for sale on the above mentioned date.

Both sale and picnic are held as an annual event and have heretofore proven a great attraction to farmers and breeders from all sections of the Red River Valley. Present plans indicate that the coming sale will be no exception to the established precedent. Speakers of note will be secured as a special feature for the picnic.

Was Husband of Woman Involved in Mail Robbery

Ray McDonald, who has since the latter part of February been acting as night clerk at the Hotel Evelyn, left here on Friday night for the twin cities. He is the husband of the notorious Mrs. McDonald who figured in the Delbert Smith mailcar robbery and murder which took place several months ago on the Northern Pacific line between Minneapolis and St. Cloud. Husband and wife have not been living together during the last two years. Twin city papers have stated that Mrs. McDonald was a divorcee. The former hotel clerk, whose identity was known to but few in the city, while here informed Sheriff W. J. LaBree that such was not the case as no divorce decree had ever been granted.

Being afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis, McDonald left here with the determination of engaging in out-of-door work.

Would Make Thief River Public Health Sub-Center

Several important matters will be brought before the Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion at the regular meeting to be held at the Commercial club rooms on the night of Tuesday, April 26. An effort will be made to have Thief River Falls designated as a "sub center" of the U. S. Public Health service. Local medical examiners will cease to do the work of that service, according to a bulletin recently issued by the state department of the Legion. Disabled service men will be examined at "sub centers" located at Minneapolis, Duluth, Brainerd, Sioux Falls, Fargo and Grand Forks. Inasmuch as Brainerd is designated as the center for northern Minnesota, the Legion will request that Thief River Falls be added to the list. Special doctors and office force will be maintained at all centers.

Plans for the observance of Decoration day in the city will also be discussed at the meeting on Tuesday. The hospital visiting committees are particularly requested to be present for the purpose of making reports. A luncheon will be served by Mrs. Alma Strupp. The meeting will be called at 8:15.

OSTBY JOINS FIRST NATIONAL DIRECTORS; SUCCEEDS PATTERSON

O. D. Ostby, for many years prominent in the business life of Thief River Falls and vicinity, was last week elected to the board of directors of the First National bank, succeeding the late Daniel Patterson of St. Hilaire. Mr. Ostby, besides his banking and business connections, owns and operates a farm of 400 acres a short distance north of the city and has made a study of farming conditions and requirements in the neighborhood. He can therefore be depended on to give a sympathetic ear to the needs of this important section of our citizenry in matters that may come before he board for decision. Mr. Ostby is by everyone considered as a substantial and partucularly level-headed citizen whose judgment and advice in many matters will be both sought and heeded. He is a stockholder in the Thief River Grocery company and has other interests of importance.

O. D. OSTBY

SOCIABILITY TOUR OF VALLEY CITIES

Development Association Officials Believe Trip Would Prove Good Investment.

Secretary Scott Laird of the Commercial club is in receipt of a communication from C. H. Zealand, secretary of the Red River Valley Development association, setting forth the benefits to be derived from a premeditated tour of the entire Red River valley by members of the valley organization. Mr. Zealand's letter suggests that as the "get-acquainted" tour would be too lengthy to stage at one time, the northern half be covered during this season and the southern half during the coming year. The route over this section as layed out is via Crookston, Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls, Holt, Brohson, Middle River, Roseau, Hallock, Warren and back to Crookston. With many intermediate stops, it is estimated that he circle could be covered in no less than three days.

The matter has been referred to the Commercial club committee on tours, which is made up of E. O. Mogensen, H. W. Protzeller, L. H. Lawrence, Roy Lambert, G. C. Loken, R. H. Ross and G. W. Booren, and was scheduled to come before the club luncheon this noon.

Noted Baritone Soloist Appears Here in Oratorio

The Thief River Falls Choral society will present Gaul's oratorio, "Holy City," at the auditorium here on the night of May 10, according to a statement issued on Tuesday by Miss Maude Johnson, musical director of the organization. Harry M. Phillips of Minneapolis, will appear with the chorus as baritone soloist. Recognized as one of the leading baritones of the northwest, Mr. Phillips has appeared in concert in many of the larger cities of the continent. Those who have heard him sing state that the city may be considered fortunate in securing his appearance here.

United States savings securities issued for the first time on January 1, of this year were the $1 Savings stamp and the $25 Treasury Savings certificate. Both may be obtained at any postoffice.

DOUBLE SIZE OF HOSPITAL HERE PRESENT PLAN

Physicians Hospital Association Assured of Money Needed to Make Improvement.

Would Construct "L" Same Size as Older Building at Cost Approximating $20,000.

Institution's Growth Indicates Its Importance to City and Surrounding Section.

The erection during the summer of an addition to the Physicians hospital which will double the present capacity is assured, officers of the hospital *association announced on* Wednesday. Preliminary plans call for the construction of a wing along the east side of the present building.

The question of financing building operations was brought before members of the Commercial club at the noonday meeting of last Thursday by city physicians and surgeons who are financially interested in the institution. After a lengthy discussion the industrial committee of the club, which is made up of H. C. Johnson, Math Barzen, Isaac Helseth, G. L. Biddick and Dr. O. F. Mellby, was directed to confer with the officers of the hospital association as to the most feasible means of raising the approximate sum of $20,000 necessary in erecting and equipping the much-needed addition. Since that time offers to finance the construction work have been made by city banks and private parties, but none of these have as yet been accepted.

Officers of the hospital corporation, all of whom spoke at the Commercial club luncheon of the remarkable growth of the institution since the erection of the present building in 1915, and the need of additional facilities to care for the ever-increasing clientile, are: Dr. O. F. Mellby, president; Dr. J. Biedermann, vice president; Dr. A. J. Paulson, treasurer, and Dr. H. W. Froehlich, secretary. Other city physicians also spoke of their interest in the hospital and its benefit to the entire northwestern section of the state. Business men expressed pride in the institution as a city asset. Offers to make small loans toward raising the required funds, should that plan be found necessary, were also made.

ADVOCATE REROUTING JEFFERSON HIGHWAY, ABANDONING PEMBINA

Fifteen members of the good roads and Jefferson Highway committee of the Red Lake Falls Commercial club were the guests of the Commercial club of this city at the weekly club luncheon held this noon. The committee was invited here following a discussion of last Thursday as to the advisibility of re-routing the Jefferson highway by way of Holt, Middle River and Strathcona to Karlstad. The highway since its establishment has been routed over the Pembina trail from which a detour over a treacherous piece of road is made necessary by the absence of two small bridges, one over which the north branch of the Snake river and one over the Middle river.

The visiting committee first suggested the changing of the present highway route, advancing the statement that traffic is being lost to Thief River Falls and cities south of here because of the fact that for a distance of over 50 miles between here and Karlstad no towns are encountered and the district sparsely settled. The good roads committees of the two organizations will tour both routes this afternoon in order to determine whether or not the proposed change will be recommended to the directors of the Jefferson Highway association.

Wins Flag for School House By Essay on Wheat Growing

The Spring Wheat Crop Improvement association recently offered a number of prizes to the boy or girl attending a school in all counties of Minnesota and North Dakota who wrote the best essay on "How to Grow Spring Wheat." The winner for Pennington county is Laurence Letnes, a pupil in the Elwell school, district No. 28.

The first prize for the Northwest was won by Lillian Peterson, Benton county; second, Olaf Olson, McGregor, N. D.; third, Alice Langlie, New Richmond, Minn.; fourth, Kathleen Leslie, Antler, N. D.

BONNETS, SINGING AND DANCING FEATURES OF AUXILIARY OPEN HOUSE

The Auxiliary to the Elmer Eklund post very successfully put across on Tuesday night another one of the monthly open-house meetings for Legionaires and ex-service men. Similar meetings have been held on the average of once each month since the formation of the Auxiliary and have proven so successful as to be looked forward to as the most pleasurable events of the city's social life.

Tuesday night's social time was held at the Masonic hall, the use of which for that purpose is donated by the Masonic order, and attracted an unusually large attendance. A hat trimming contest for members of the male sex present was the feature of the early evening entertainment, and many creations worthy of the better modistes were evolved. The ladies meanwhile made paper caps, which were later exchanged for the hats trimmed by the men. A grand march was then staged, following which prizes were awared for the best-looking headgear seen on the floor. Following a community sing led by Miss Maud Johnson, director of music in the city schools, and the serving of a lunch prepared by the Auxiliary, dancing became the diversion of the remainder of the evening. Credit for the great success of the open house is due Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Miss Meta Kiland, Miss Belle Hermanson, Miss Laura Stopple and Miss Gladys Anderson, members of the Auxiliary entertainment committee and the volunteer musicians who furnished the dance music.

READY FOR FIRST MOTOR TRUCK TRIP; IN DAILY SERVICE

Two Trucks Will be Placed on Run Between Grand Forks and This City.

Manager K. P. Cadwell and C. O. Haugen of he Grand Forks Motor Truck Transportation company, were in Thief River Falls on Wednesday, while covering in one of the company's trucks the route of the freight and express line between this city and Grand Forks. The initial hauling trip will be made on Tuesday of next week, Mr. Cadwell told a representative of The Times. This week's trip is being made for the purpose of laying out a definite route and establishing stations in each city and community thru which it passes. The roads are reported as being already in good condition.

The route to be traversed by the truck line is by way of Fisher, Crookston, Gentily, Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls, Rosewood, Viking, Radium, Warren, Alvarado, Oslo, Manvil, N. D., into Grand Forks. Stops will be made at farms along the route for the purpose of picking up or delivering cream, cream cans, merchandise or farm produce. All shipments will be delivered at the door of the consignee. The Thief River Falls station will be located at the Peoples Auto company garage, where consignors will deliver all express or freight shipments to be made over the truck line. Shipments will be delivered throughout the city but not picked up.

The service of the new common-carrier will be daily. Two 2-ton trucks will be placed in operation on Tuesday, one leaving Grand Forks by way of Fisher and Crookston and the other by way of Manvel and Oslo. The trucks will meet and spend the noon hour here. Both will be kept on the route if business warrants. Mr. Cadwell stated, after calling on many of theh larger shippers of the city on Wednesday, that their support was guaranteed.

SOCIAL SESSION TO FOLLOW ELKS PLAY

Specially Arranged For Benefit of Out-of-Town Members of Local Lodge.

The entertainment committee of the Elks lodge will supplement the efforts of the show committee and have a little special entertainment of their own devising on the evening of Thursday, May 5, the date on which "Nothing But the Truth" will be presented under Elk auspices. It is expected that a large number of out-of-town members, with their wives or best girls, will be in attendance and this will prove an excellent opportunity to welcome them to the new quarters. It has therefore been decided to have a party especially for their benefit after the show.

Rehearsals for "Nothing But the Truth" are going forward in a highly satisfactory manner. Directed by H. Nathan Pierce, the cast is rapidly acquiring perfection in all points of the presentation and long before the evening set for the performance will have thoroughly mastered every detail. The play itself is without question the best ever attempted here by local players and interest in the forthcoming event is keen.

The ticket sale is progressing well and it is now certain that record audience will be on hand when the curtain goes up.

Sons of Norway Quickly Raise Cash to Buy Lots

After deciding to purcase the lots at the corner of Third street and Davis avenue for the purpose of erecting thereon a regular lodge home, the Sons of Norway found little trouble in raising the money to pay cash for the property. At a recent meeting more than enough was subscribed and the lodge now owns what is one of the best sites for its purpose in the entire city.

The next move will be the selling of the two buildings on the recently acquired tract. One of these is 20x40 feet and the other 20x20. Both are in good condition and can be made into fine residences at very slight expense. These buildings will be sold to the highest bidder at an auction to be held on April 26, notice of which will be found in another column of The Times today.

ODD FELLOWS TO BURN MORTGAGE AT BIG JUBILEE

Three-Link Lodge Will Fittingly Celebrate Final Cancelling of Building Debt.

Program of Addresses Followed by Dance at Auditorium For Members Tuesday.

History and Struggles of Early Years Will be Recounted by Old Time Members.

The oldest fraternal organization in the city, Lone Pine Lodge No. 221, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will celebrate an important event in its highly creditable but somewhat varied history on Tuesday evening. Together with the members of Lion Rebekah lodge the Odd Fellows will proceed to burn the mortgage on their building, located at the corner of LaBree avenue and Second street, and will thus crown efforts to get out of debt extending over a period of nearly 21 years.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will meet at 8:15 o'clock in the lodge room where a program appropriate to the occasion will be presented. W. B. Fuller, secretary for the term beginning on Jan. 28, 1896, will give a history of the important events in the history of the lodge from the date of its institution to the present time. E. M. Stanton will give a history of Odd Fellowship generally, particularly in the United States, and there will be other numbers of an entertaining and instructive nature. After the adjournment of the meeting the members of the two lodges will repair to the auditorium where there will be dancing and other diversions. All Odd Fellows, whether members of Lone Pine lodge or not, are invited to be present and help celebrate the event. The committee in charge has been notified that 25 are coming from Warren and 60 from St. Hilaire. Argyle and Red Lake Falls lodges have also been invited but have not had time to indicate their intention.

Lone Pine lodge was instituted on Oct. 19, 1894, with Crookston Odd Fellows acting as deputy grand lodge officers. The charter members numbered 19, as follows: T. H. Young, Thomas Burns, W. T. Mullarky, S. Kenneson, Daniel Patterson, C. A. Robbecke, F. J. Stebbins, H. A. Hanson, P. O. Bergh, S. M. Dainerd, W. W. Gibb, H. Williams, W. A. Sorselel, D. S. Stevens, H. W. Parker, H. Bye, Louis Hanson, C. C. Jackson and A. E. White.

The meetings for a while were held in the fire hall but regular lodge quarters were afterward secured in what was known as the Hotel Northern Annex. This building burned down on the night of Dec. 22, 1898, destroying all the peraphernalia of the lodge. Temporary quarters were secured until the new building was completed in the fall of 1899.

The lodge has had its ups and downs, there being times when it seemed as if it would be necessary to give up the charter because of lack of interest. Growth has been steady, however, and in later years very rapid until now Lone Pine has a membership of 150.

Sewers and Water Mains Ordered Laid by Council

The city council at an adjourned session held on Friday night passed resolutions authorizing the construction of seven blocks additional sewer service as follows: Extension on State avenue from Fourth street to Sixth street; district sewer on Sixth street between Arnold and State avenues; lateral sewer on Knight avenue between Zeh and Backe streets; lateral between James and Nora streets on Kendall avenue south, and two blocks along Red Lake boulevard east of the Soo tracks. Water mains will be laid in the same districts. Engineer Irving Quist has been directed to prepare plans and secure an estimate of cost, following which the city will advertise for bids on the construction work.

Masons Give Smoker in Honor of Former Master

Ole L. Ihle, alderman at large of this city and past master of Northern Lodge No. 236 of the A. F. and A. M., was the guest of honor at a Masonic smoker held at the club rooms on Monday evening. Mr. Ihle leaves this city early during the coming week for points in northeastern Oklahoma, to be gone over a period of 30 days with the possibility of his permanently locating there. The evening was spent chiefly at the card tables.

Following the serving of a lunch by Mrs. Alma Strupp, Toastmaster B. Dan Bjorkman called upon many members of the lodge for short talks in which the services rendered the city by the honored guest and his devotion to the Masonic cause were lauded. Mr. Ihle responded to these toasts of his many friends with a few well chosen words of appreciation. Over 50 members of the Masonic brotherhood were present.

A Treasury Savings stamp (you get them at the postoffice) during the month of April costs $4.15. On January 1, 1926, Uncle Sam will redeem th stamp for an even $5.

Society and Club

Lady Macabees.

The Lady Macabees will hold a meeting in the Odd Fellows hall on Monday night, April 25. All lodge members are urged to be present at this time.

Dancing Party.

The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Locomotive Firemen entertained at a dancing party at the I. O. O. F. hall on Saturday evening. During the course of the evening refreshments were served.

Presbyterian Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet at Mrs. E. O. Mogensen's on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Mogensen will be assisted in the entertaining by Mrs. H. C. Johnson. Lunch will be served promptly at four o'clock.

Social Welfare Meeting.

A very good attendance marked the last meeting of the Social Welfare section of the Woman's club held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Bishop on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Bishop was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. H. O. Loken.

Girls Community Club.

The Girls Community club will hold their regular meeting on Monday evening, April 25, in the Commercial club rooms. Many enjoyable features have been planned for the evening's entertainment, so a large attendance is expected.

Birthday Surprise.

A number of the friends and neighbors of M. C. Burns surprised him at his home on Friday evening, the event being the occasion of his birthday anniversary. Cards, music and dancing was followed by a sumptuous lunch brought by the guests.

Children's Party.

Fifteen children enjoyed a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson on Thursday afternoon, the day falling on the seventh birthday anniversary of their son, Bert. The little folks enjoyed various games until 5:30 at which time lunch was served.

Golden-Kruse

Oscar E. Golden and Miss Margaret Kruse of Black River, were married in this city on April 4 by Probate Judge Lars Bakke. The young couple left immediately for Minneapolis where they will make their home. Mr. Golden was formerly night clerk at the Crookston hotel.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. Beatrice Heiber entertained a number of friends at dinner at her apartments on Main avenue north, on Thursday evening. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Curran, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey and Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held on Monday afternoon, April 25 in the Commercial club rooms, at 3:30 p. m. Mrs. L. G. Larsen will give a talk on Child Welfare which will be followed by Lesson I, on Americanization, led by Mrs. J. H. Hardisty. A feature of the program will be a selection by the Ladies Chorus.

Party.

On Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Carl Carlson entertained 15 little folks at a party at her home, 819 Arnold avenue north, in honor of her son, Burt's 7th birthday. Games furnished merriment until the lunch hour when delicious refreshments were served. A feature of the lunch was a large birthday cake appropriately ornamented with seven candles.

Birthday Party.

The L. E. Gesell home on Main avenue north, was the scene of a delightful party on Thursday afternoon when fifteen children were invited to help celebrate the eighth birthday anniversary of their daughter Helen. The spirit of spring was accentuated by the use of flowers and pink and white decorations. Dinner was served to the little folks at six o'clock.

For Miss Nepper.

Miss Carrie Trogan entertained at a party in honor of Miss Viola Nepper on Saturday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich. The hours were spent in hemming napkins following which a delicious lunch was served. The guests were: Misses Esther Gjertson, Effie Hamry, Lavina Adams, Amelia Hoorn, Gerda Mortenson and Mrs. Helen Montgomery, Mrs. Ila Reynolds and Mrs. Hanson.

Birthday Anniversary.

Miss Ruth Remmem entertained very delightfully Friday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Remmen, 123 west Third street, at a birthday party, upon the occasion of her tenth birthday anniversary. There were ten little guests and the afternoon was spent very enjoyably in parlor games followed at 5:30 by a delicious birthday supper. A large birthday cake supporting ten candles very appropriately centered the table.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Mrs. Ray Johnson was honor guest at a miscellaneous shower given by Misses Agnes Oftedahl and Clara Hornseth, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams on Saturday evening. A social time was enjoyed and refreshments served. The guests were Eileen Herron, Beatrice Sandum, Maybelle Swanson, Maybelle Olson, Mildred Bottleson, Clarissa Hornseth, Viola Lund, Anna Leimers, Beatrice Erickson, Myrtle Krohn, Margaret and Myrtle Williams and Agnes, Jeanette and Inga Oftedahl.

Surprise Party.

The occasion being the birthday anniversary of Miss Mae Olson, a number of her friends surprised her at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carlson on Thursday evening. Among the features of entertainment were music and dancing. Delicious refreshments were served at midnight. The guests included Misses Mae Olson, Esther Soards, Clarissa Hornseth, Lois Struble, Mildred Hauglid, Irma Marcoe, Viola Lund, Maybelle Swanson and Messrs. Clarence Johnson, Alex Cloutier, Leonard Hanson, Arthur Boese, Elmer Larson and Allan Fossum.

Plan Unique Entertainment.

The officers of the Young Peoples' League of Trinity Lutheran church, are making elaborate preparations for the next meeting of the society which is to be a social meeting, Friday evening, April 29th. The committee will not disclose their plans further than to state that the entertainment is to be most unique—in fact a college course of fun. A very large attendance is looked for. Hostesses for the evening are Mesdames A. Engen, L. Fossum, A. Dybvik, J. J. Weeks, I. Hoium, J. Adsero and E. Legvold and Miss Effie Christianson.

For Mrs. Dibble.

Cars were used to transport a number of ladies from this city to and from the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Favrow, residing north of the roundhouse, on Saturday afternoon, where they held a surprise party for Mrs. Dibble. A social time was enjoyed by all until four o'clock when lunch was served. Before the departure of the guests many pretty and useful gifts were presented to Mrs. Dibble as remembrances of the event. Those present were: Mrs. John Gustafson, Mrs. F. Fisher, Mrs. Pechi and daughter Ethel, Mrs. S. Leiren, Mrs. Ben Thompson, Mrs. John Stangle, Mrs. P. L. Gilseth, Mrs. A. A. Thorson, Mrs. Gillette, Mrs. Favrow and daughter Mildred, Mrs. J. W. Dibble.

Linde-Vore.

The following item will prove of interest to many local residents. The marriage occurred at Fergus Falls:

"Miss Mabel Vore and Mr. Oscar Linde of Thief River Falls were married Saturday night at 8 o'clck at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Vore, in the presence of thirty or more relatives and close friends, Rev. S. J. N. Ylvaslaker, pastor of the First English Lutheran church officiating. The bride wore a going away gown of navy blue with a close fitting hat and her corsage was of pink roses. She was attended by Miss Lottie Berg of Pelican Rapids as bridesmaid, and her brother, Elmer Vore, was best man. Refreshments were served following the ceremony and they left for a wedding trip to St. Louis, Mo. Mrs. Linde is one of the popular teachers of this state and is an accomplished young woman. Mr. Linde is the station agent at Greenbush and served two years overseas in the recent world war. On their return they will go to housekeeping in Greenbush and will have the good wishes of many friends. The groom's father, John Linde, of Thief River Falls, was among the wedding guests."

The groom is a son of John Linde of this city and a brother of Mrs. Gynther Tessum also of this city.

Churches

First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services and Sunday school next Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, April 24. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday, 8 p. m. Prayer service Thursday 8 p. m. Come and be welcome.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Service in city at 11 a. m. Service at Goodridge 3 p. m. Service in city at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening in the church basement. Zion Ladies Aid today. Mrs. Savig and Mrs. Klapp entertain. Zion Y. P. S. tonight, entertained by Mrs. Reierson and Miss Anna Aspelund.

S. D. A. Mission—"The Last Battle Between the People of God and the Antichrist," is the subject for Sunday evening, April 24, at 7:45. Stereopticon views on the life of Luther continued. Service as usual on Saturday April 23 at 3 p. m. Bible classes for young and old at two o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, April 24. German and English services at Esplee at 10 a. m. and at Grygla at 3 p. m. Sunday, May 1. German services at 10 a. m. and English services at 2:30 p. m. at Germantown. Special collections will be taken. From April 19 to 21 the pastor will be attending conference at Grand Rapids.

St. John's Lutheran, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching in German 10:30 a. m. All services will be held in the Sunday school room while the decorators are at work in the church auditorium. Mrs. Fuller will entertain the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. Bible class Thursday evening at eight o'clock.

Christian Science — Services are held each Sunday in the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject Sunday April 24, "Probation After Death." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. A reading room at the same location is open each Tuesday and Thursday from 3 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services in Norwegian Sunday 11 a. m.; in English at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:30 a. m. The Junior choir meets Tuesday evening and the regular choir Thursday evening 7:30. The Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday, April 28th. Hostesses are Mesdames A. C. Hanson, J. Magnusson, Ben Erickson and Adolph Williamson. A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all. Young Peoples' League social meeting Friday, April 29th, 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, April 24. 10 a. m. Sunday school. We are working toward the day when every teacher and pupil will be in his place when the opening bell rings and we are getting closer to it every Sunday. 11 a. m. morning hour of worship. Anthem by the young peoples' choir. 8 p. m., evening hour of worship. The junior choir will sing. How the House of God ought to be crowded with grateful worshippers on these superb summer days. It is proper that we give God the best. Nothing less is worthy of him. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. "A good Name and How to Obtain it."

RAIL AND SHOP

J. S. Collins, cashier at the freight station here, spent Sunday and Monday in Minneapolis.

T. E. Berge, who underwent an operation for appendicitis several weeks ago, has resumed his duties as yard clerk.

Alvina Jonas, bill clerk in the superintendent's office, spent the weekend in St. Paul.

Chas. Alexander, who has been away on an extended leave of absence resumed work as custodian at the passenger station here on Monday, relieving Ed. Battenfeld, who has been put on as baggageman's helper.

G. A. Krueger, agent at Plummer, was called to Grandin, N. D., on Thursday by the serious illness of his wife's mother. He returned on Saturday.

J. O. Herrick resumed work as agent at Warren on Monday after an extended leave of absence.

H. B. Pfeiffer has resumed work as first trick operator and ticket cashier at Detroit, relieving M. L. Parsons, who was transferred to Plummer.

Warehouseman A. P. and Mrs. Scott of Detroit were called to St. Paul on Monday by the serious illness of a relative.

M. L. Parsons relieved T. E. Chaffee at Kramer for three months effective on Tuesday; the latter having been granted a leave of absence.

L. M. Halvorsen has resumed work as agent at Alsen, N. D., relieving A. E. Peterson, transferred to Gardena as relief agent.

R. E. Sherer, resident engineer for the Soo line, was in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

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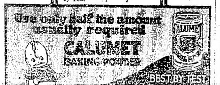

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Senior Play coming. Watch for date. a21

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter were among St. Hilaire shoppers here on Thursday.

Derby Anderson left Monday evening for the Twin Cities to visit for a few days.

John Hendry, Jr., was a guest of friends and relatives at Minneapolis over Sunday.

Miss Alvina Jonas left Friday evening for the twin cities to visit with friends over Sunday.

Miss Ruby Steward left Friday morning for Middle River to spend a week visiting her sister.

Elmer Ohm returned Wednesday evening from Bemidji where he had spent the day on business.

Mrs. O. Hagen returned to her home at Roseau Saturday morning after a brief shopping tour to this city.

Hjalmer Nelson returned to his home at Gatzke the first of the week after spending a few days here.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Lester Hudson returned to his home at New Rockford, N. D., Friday evening after a week's visit with friends here.

John Lee of Karlstad, arrived here Thursday and spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Mrs. C. A. Hellquist and daughter, Bernice, left Thursday afternoon for Shelley to spend a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs. J. H. Hay and two children arrived yesterday morning for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. McFarland.

Mrs. J. O. Thorstad left yesterday afternoon for Ada where she will remain for an indefinite time visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Johnson, who had been visiting with relatives in this vicinity, returned to her home near Felton yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. T. T. Kiland returned Saturday morning from Crookston where she had attended a one-day district convention of the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Clara Hjerten returned to her home at Middle River Wednesday after spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg.

Misses Alice Bugge of this city and Lyda Olson of St. Hilaire left here Thursday afternoon for Crookston where they will be employed this summer.

F. H. Herrick, secretary of the Thief River Grocery company, returned Thursday evening from Clearbrook where he attended to business matters.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mrs. H. L. Jacobson, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Teal, returned to her home at Grand Forks Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Vettleson and baby who have resided on a farm near this city, left yesterday afternoon for Fargo where they will make their future home.

Mrs. F. W. Dammen and daughter, Viola, of St. Hilaire, returned to their home yesterday after spending a short time shopping and receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. J. Englebert and children of Bronson, spent the week-end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown. While here Mrs. Englebert also engaged in spring shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Miller, 122 State street, had as their guests Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. George Diddick of Thief River Falls who motored to the city for a short visit.—Crookston Times.

Mrs. Fred Knutson arrived here on Wednesday evening from Fergus Falls to spend a few days visiting friends before leaving for Minneapolis where she will remain for an indefinite time with her sister, Mrs. George Browning.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and two sons, Frederick and Gerald, left yesterday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend two weeks visiting at the home of her parents. While in Grand Forks Mrs. Fisher will appear as soloist in one of the theatres.

J. J. and C. W. Vorachek drove to Mahnomen on Sunday where the former will remain for the week attending to business matters. The latter, who returned to Thief River Falls on Monday night, reports the roads in good condition for automobile traffic.

Mrs. O. Hanson returned to her home at Roseau Saturday after spending a few days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Risberg. The latter accompanied her mother back to Roseau, and with her children will spend a week visiting with relatives.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster was in the city attending to matters of business on Monday. Mr. Smith, who formerly attended high school here, is now acting as advance agent for the Furlong Concert company, composed of students at McPhail school, who will appear here on Saturday evening under the auspices of the Girls' Community club.

Senior Play coming. Watch for date. a21

Stuart McLeod of Goodridge visited with friends in the city on Friday.

We clean and reblock men's hats. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Tella M. Kolberg motored to Crookston Sunday to visit with her friends.

Ever-bearing strawberry plants now on sale by Mrs. Alvina Hovland. Phone 3132. A21

Mrs. C. O. Erickson returned from Warren Saturday after a two-day visit with relatives.

Wm. Olson of Bemidji was in the city the latter part of last week transacting business.

Miss Lillian Johnsrud went to Grand Forks yesterday to spend a short time visiting with friends.

O. Erickson left Friday for Randeen to spend some time looking after his farming interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Tolland left Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit friends until Tuesday.

Mrs. Anton Honsvel of Grafton, N. D., spent a few days the first of the week visiting with friends here.

Mrs. E. C. Pearson left Thursday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Mildred Laughlin returned to her home at Oslo Wednesday after a week's visit with friends here.

Mrs. Fred Lock of Devils Lake, N. D., arrived yesterday morning for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. A. Johnson.

Rev. S. O. Rondesvedt of Westby, Wis., was a visitor at the Rev. T. E. Sweger home Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swanby, who had spent a brief period visiting with friends here, returned to their home at Warroad on Thursday morning.

Miss Bertha Gangness, who was called to this city by the illness of her mother, returned Monday afternoon to Fargo to resume employment.

A. F. LaBudde arrived here Wednesday morning from the twin cities and spent a day visiting friends, enroute to Gonvick where he is cashier of a bank.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown motored to Union Lake on Monday. They spent the forepart of the week making arrangements for the planting of a large garden.

In reporting the visit of Miss Caspara Gran in last week's issue an error was made in stating that she came because of the death of her mother. It should have read "illness."

Miss Agnes Amundson, representing the Home Finding Bureau of the Norwegian church, was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Sweger between trains on Thursday.

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Hans J Svare and family, who for years have resided on a farm near Erie, left Tuesday morning for Pelican Rapids, Minn., where they will make their future home.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson went to her home at Grand Forks Saturday, having been called there because of the serious illness of her sister. Miss Laura Forde accompanied her, returning to this city Monday morning.

Mrs. T. L. Morgan of Warroad, accompanied her aged mother, Mrs. H. J. Ward, who has visited the former for several weeks, to this city on Friday. Mrs. Ward left on the local Saturday morning, for her home at Royalton while Mrs. Morgan returned to Warroad.

Mrs. C. B. Ecklobarger of Middle River, accompanied her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. E. Newman, to this city on Friday, the latter leaving on the flyer for Elnor, Minn., where she will visit. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bradley. Mrs. Ecklebarger returned to her home Saturday morning.

Senior Play coming. Watch for date. a21

Baker Olson of Grygla was an over-Sunday visitor of friends here.

Miss Lulu Allen of St. Hilaire was a shopper in this city on Tuesday.

Victor Polman left Friday evening for Minneapolis on matters of business.

Miss Hilda Scheldrup of Plummer shopped between trains here on Monday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire, visited with friends between trains on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Tommeraasen left Friday veening for Lake City, returning on Sunday.

H. A. Meich arrived here Wednesday evening from Mahnomen to spend a few days on business.

Miss Celia Johnson left Monday afternoon for East Grand Forks where she has secured employment.

W. H. Wikel of the Peterson-Biddick company, went to Red Lake Falls Wednesday to attend to business matters.

Mrs. A. Fontaine is spending the week visiting at the home of her parents who reside in the vicinity of Gatzke.

Mrs. Anna Shaw and daughter Joyce left Monday afternoon for Crookston where they will remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson of Greenbush motored here Tuesday and spent a few hours renewing old acquaintances.

T. P. Hamre returned Saturday evening from Grafton, N. D., where he had spent three days attending to business matters.

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Mrs. H. Findeisen, who spent Wednesday visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. P. W. Roark, returned to her home at Red Lake Falls Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, who formerly lived here, are being entertained by numerous friends this week. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson now make their home at Hibbing.

The Senior class of Red Lake Falls high school presents "Aaron Boggs, Freshman" on Friday, April 22, 8 o'clock p. m. at the Imperial hall, St. Hilaire, Minn. Admission 35c and 50c. a21p

Mrs. John Whitman, accompanied by her niece, Ruby Warring, both of Steiner, visited with relatives and friends here on Friday and Saturday. On their return home they were accompanied by Miss Pearl Warring, who attends high school here, and Miss Amy Whitman, who teaches in the vicinity of Warren.

Senior Play coming. Watch for date. a21

Mrs. S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls, was a shopper here between trains on Thursday.

Miss Marguerite Hanson returned to her home at Bagley Saturday, after a few days' visit with friends.

Mrs. A. C. Kvennes and Mrs. Olaf Olson, both of Middle River, spent Thursday in the city attending to shopping.

Mrs. Bertha Giller left yesterday for St. Paul where she will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. M. Goodman.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson of this city entertained as her guests on Saturday her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Holm of Roseau.

Miss Olga Kjos, who had visited with friends at Warren, arrived here Thursday evening, leaving for her home at Greenbush Friday morning.

Mrs. T. H. Blanchard, who had been at Warren receiving medical treatment, was a guest of friends between trains here Friday evening. She left on the flyer for her home at Mahnomen.

Mrs. R. L. Huddleson and two children who had visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Schafer, near Hazel, for two months, returned to her home at Hibbing on Sunday evening.

Miss Mable Brown, who for the past six months has been assistant to Dr. G. W. Booren, has resigned her position and left Monday afternoon for her home at Minot where *she will remain indefinitely* because of the illness of her mother.

Miss Sylvia Pearson of St. Hilaire visited with friends and shopped here on Saturday.

Mrs. Robt. McGinn is entertaining her sister, Mrs. J. O. Herrick of Warren, this week.

H. O. Loken left Sunday evening on a two weeks buying trip to Minneapolis, Chicago and New York.

C. J. Dargin, recently of Fargo, a young with considerable experience in hotel work, is the new night clerk at the Evelyn.

Mrs. Harry Dybvig arrived here Monday afternoon from Baudette for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson will soon occupy the flat recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Froseth, who have secured a house on the East Side.

Mrs. J. O. Sether, John Sether, Mrs. Arnold Dale and Miss Nettie Ove motored to Steiner Sunday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sande.

Capt. Florence Petri of the Salvation Army, left this city Tuesday afternoon for Jamestown, N. D., where she will enjoy a brief vacation at her home.

SUFFERS FRACTURED RIBS WHEN TRACTOR BACK-FIRES

When a tractor which he was cranking preparatory to loading in a freight car here on Wednesday backfired, Joseph Prucha suffered two broken ribs and a severe blow on the head. With his parents the former service man is moving to LaPorte, Saskatchewan, Canada, where they have purchased a farm. The family formerly lived in Erie township.

The injured man has an exceptional record of service with the American Expeditionary forces during 1917, '18 and '19. He served in the Toul sector, in the Montdidier-Noyon sector, at Cantigny, in the Aisne-Marne, St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne defensives. He was a member of the 26th Infantry, Second division.

Planning New Legion Hall.

The new Legion hall planned by the McVeigh-Dunn post of Grand Rapids, Minn., will have a club room and library for Legionaires, a parlor for Legion Auxiliary members, and a kitchen where they concoct good things to eat, the whole to be connected with the main hall by a sliding door arrangement.

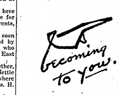
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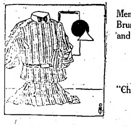

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GETTING GOOD START.

When weather and soil conditions permit the farmers of Northwestern Minnesota to get onto their fields by the middle of April they figure that a long start has been made toward a successful season. This year the first reported seeding was done on April 6, and while not many districts in the county can boast such early start, practically every seeder was in operation by the end of last week. The wheat is practically in the ground now and the oats will follow quickly.

While it is true that an early and favorable spring may not insure a crop, it is certain that a late beginning makes the outcome more problematical. It sometimes happens that there is a good crop following a poor start, but this does not occur often enough to make it anything but an unsafe gamble.

Soil conditions in the county were never better, according to reports reaching the Farm Bureau office from all sections. More plowing was done last fall than at any corresponding season in the farming history of the Valley and there has consequently been no delay in getting the seed into the ground. More winter grain was sown last fall than ever before and it has come through in fine shape. Less acreage will be devoted to wheat and more to clover, potatoes and sugar beets. This indicates a more progressive system of farming.

Everything considered, the farmers of Pennington county are reasonably safe in looking forward to a good harvest. There are those who delight in pointing to the many things that can happen between now and harvest time to set the farmer's efforts at naught, but their croakings should be disregarded. One thing is certain: A good windup is more likely to follow a good start, and our farmers have the start.

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There was a time in this country when every hamlet of a dozen families had a ball team of one kind or another. Every sand lot and cow pasture in the land was a training ground for future big leaguers. No citizen so dead to civic pride as not to get excited over the performance of the "home team" could be found anywhere. It provided good, healthful recreation for players and spectators alike. Now things are different. A baseball game between kid teams is as rare as a kite-flying contest- and the passing is to be regretted.

Thief River Falls is going to have a real baseball team this year, however. A number of enterprising citizens started out to get pledges of support—the kind that represent real money—and were so successful that there will be no trouble experienced on this score. That is, the money necessary to get the team going in good shape will be forthcoming. What happens afterwards depends to a large extent upon the performance of the team.

Our citizens' attitude toward a winning aggregation was demonstrated during the early spring in the case of the American Legion basketball team. If we can manage to get the same kind of enthusism behind our baseball players as was shown toward the basket shooters there will be no trouble in maintaining interest all through the season. If the boys will start out with the intention of making good and show that they have the ability to do so, there will be no kick coming on the quality of their support. If, on the other hand, the games prove uninteresting and tame, an early disbanding can be looked for.

It seems kind of un-American for a city the size of Thief River Falls not to have a baseball team. Other communities in this section have them and manage to get a lot of fun and excitement out of their performances. Somehow our people have lately failed to get properly "het up" over the game, and this lethargy is not good for them. Now that we have promised to put up the money, let's see if we cannot put a little jazz into our attitude.

2,500 Attend Last Rites.

Bemidji, April 19.—The body of Lieutenant Ralph D. Gracie rested in the cemetery of his home town, today, after 2,500 persons had paid him final honor by attending a military funeral under the auspices of the

EFFERVESCENCE.

If there's anything more revealing than the modern woman's gown, it is the divorce court.

It may be great to be an infant prodigy, but it's about $295,000 a year greater to be an infant movie star.

It is easy enough to tell by a girl's hat and the way she wears it, whether or not she chews gum and talks out loud at the movies.

Since spring has arrived and when every third man met on the streets yawns in one's face, it is reasonable to believe that the epidemic of sleeping sickness may be nation-wide.

Things to Worry About.

As a result of drought in Switzerland there is less snow on the mountain peaks now than there usually is in August.

Just the other day a man was seen stepping to the bar, knudging his comrades aside, putting his hoof on the rail, order a tall one and getting it. That, too, was in the movies.

The Joys of Bachelorhood.

Our genial friend, Shorty O'Neil, wants us to announce in the birth column that he had a fine colt arrive at his place yesterday morning.—The Northern (Spooner) News.

Lord Beaverbrook, noted English publisher, explains "Money, How to Make It." Were it not for the fact that he undoubtedly made his money *elsewhere than in the printing business*, we'd say his case was utterly without precedent.

Nicaragua has begun negotiations to resign her membership in the League of Nations because of the great expense attached to membership. She might do worse than sit on on her Uncle Sam's lap and get by for nothing—or at least half fare.

Marie Kuhn, New York college miss, who is said to be the most perfect girl, attributes her graceful form to having always aided her mother in the kitchen. She made the statement more than two weeks ago, yet no great rush to the culinary department is being noticed.

HERE LIES GEORGE

(Community Service Bulletin)

At the annual meeting of the St. Paul Association the burial of George was one of the most spectacular features of an excellent program. A hearse, followed by a band of mourners shrouded in gloom, passed across the stage. Each mourner fairly exuded sorrow. The procession passed out of sight at the right of the stage. A curtain rose and in the background was a grave with an impressive tombstone, on which was inscribed, "Here Lies George." The band of mourners, which had followed the hearse across the stage, was gathered around the grave. One of the number advanced to the front of the stage and delivered a very appropriate address. The message was to the effect that now George was gone it was up to each individual member of the association to become a worker and do his share of the work that used to be left to George to do.

It would be to the great advantage of many communities and their organizations if similar funerals were held.

"When everyone works and nobody shirks
You can raise a town from the dead."

Minnesota in Congress.

(Minneapolis Journal.)

The states that return their representatives term after term are the ones that have the greatest influence in congress. This is not only because of the seniority rule that gives the chairmanships and higher committee assignments to those who have served longest, but because experience develops a congressman and makes him more valuable to his constituents and to the country.

The present Minnesota delegation is an example. Six of the ten representatives are veterans, three of them dating back to the Fifty-Eighth congress, with services in the Sixty-Seventh about to begin.

Thus we find Mr. Volstead at the head of the important judiciary committee, with his name attached to the law enforcing the Eighteenth amendment and with vital legislation to be shaped by his committee in the coming session.

We find Mr. Steenerson serving as chairman of the postoffice and post roads committee, one of the big committees of the house.

And we find Mr. Davis in line for the second biggest chairmanship in the list—appropriations. There is objection to him, it is true, as not large enough for the place, and it remains to be seen whether the seniority rule will be broken in his case, when Chairman Good steps out. If so, it will be a break almost without precedent.

The other members of the delegation, though of shorter service, are better placed than the average. Mr. Anderson, now entering his sixth term, has just been signally honored by appointment to the republican steering committee as representative of the agricultural interests. Mr. Schall, now entering his fourth term, is a member of the all-powerful rules committee. Mr. Knutson, who has served two terms and now begins his third, is the Republican whip—a responsible position in the dominant organization.

And now our own Mr. Newton, beginning his second term, is recognized as a member of industry and great promise by appointment to the commerce committee, that will shape railroad and other highly important legislation. On this committee Mr. Newton can serve Minneapolis as well as the commercial interests of the country to the best advantage. Beyond doubt he will make good there.

Minnesota is thus reaping the results of her policy of not changing her representatives too easily, but rather of sending back a good man as long as he will go. With the veteran Senator Nelson at the had of the senate judiciary committee, and his colleague, Senator Kellogg, advanced to a place on the foreign relations committee, Minnesota has a position of great influence in congress.

Loop the Loop, 'Nit.

(Grygla Eagle)

Considerable stir is going on in the east end of Pennington county in regard to a loop line railroad extension of the electric line south from Goodridge, taking in a territory of fifteen miles, most of which is now supplied by a nearby railroad. A committee met with the Thief River Falls Commercial club recently and presented the case to them in as strong a manner as possible, stating that a right-of-way would be donated, a substantial cash donation would be given and other matters of advertising to the present time.

H. W. Protzeller, president of the electric line, then explained to them that it would be unprofitable for the company to contemplate such an action at this time as it would be an increased dead mileage and that it would cost around a half million dollars without any increased business, which is easy to be seen.

There is probably no section that needs a railroad worse than the Grygla country. It is known far and wide as the garden spot of the North. It is developing wonderfully under the most adverse conditions, no railroad. The greater bulk of the business of the Electric line comes from the Grygla country. The extension of the line here would be a wonderful feeder *for Thief River Falls. The settle*ment and increased production in this part of the state would be almost phenominal. If Thief River Falls would but examine the situation and do their utmost to secure this extension they would find it would be the most beneficial enterprise ever started in that city. We have been expecting for some time that Thief River Falls would see the benefits and wake up to it but they seem to be dormant. Wake up, Thief River Falls, wake up. Look outside of your own town and boost the country with us.

ARM DISABLED BY BAYONET THRUST, ENTERS TRAINING

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vettleson of Hickory township, left here on Tuesday for Fargo where the former service man will enter a course in vocational training with the Federal Board. Formerly a member of Company "A," 320th Infantry, Mr. Vettleson took an active part in the Meuse Argonne offensive. In a hand to hand encounter with the enemy he received a bayonet wound in the left wrist and has since been greatly handicapped in the use of that member.

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ORY BACKED BY PRACTICAL PPLICATION BRINGS RESULTS TO STUDENTS OF AGRICULTURE

By F. A. Tripp.
ctor in Agriculture, Thief River Falls Schools.

t effort has been made during t two years to make the course iculture at the Thief River igh school as practical as pos- Formerly agricultural instruc- sisted of text-book work su- ked with a small amount of ory and field work. It is be- hat such instruction has been t value to the student, but it s criticised at times because of practicability. In order to make rk more practicable and to give ing basis for instruction, each who now pursues the course carry out some agricultural pro-

boys who took agriculture dur- e school year of 1919-20 took husbandry projects. Several ised calves, others hogs, and hers raised poultry. Those who dairy or beef calves made out tions which they were going to made a study of the problem class room and then took care young calves and feed them ding to the methods they had ed. Each was required to keep temized account of *all* expenses. hog and poultry projects were rried out in a similar manner. One the students exhibited his calves the Pennington county fair and on $10 in prizes. A poultry student xhibited his birds at the Pennington County Poultry show and won $15 in rize money.

Poultry Project Remarkable.

The poultry projects were perhaps the most successful. One of the boys raised successfully 80 chickens out of hatched. The four that died were rowned in a rain storm. Not a sin- le one died from disease. This is xceptional in view of the fact that is not at all uncommon in farm ocks for half of those hatched to die f disease before they are mature or eady for market.

The cash book kept by this young nan shows a neat credit balance. His locks were fed $18.60 worth of feed; e estimated his labor cost at $12.90 hich included remuneration for his wn services. His total expenses in- luding feed, labor, eggs and use of quipment, totaled $57.21. At the ose of his project he had on hand d had sold $142.80 worth of poultry, ving him a net profit of $85.59.

This student had the opportunity tudying and realizing the real lems in poultry raising. He not acquired new ideas in the raising birds but he actually put these into practice, so that later in when he again takes up the work will be using the better methods a matter of course. This project t only offered the boy some good perience but put more productive rebred stock on a farm where be- e had been only scrub stock, for family eventually kept only the 's poultry on the farm.

Now Studying Field Crops.

Classes are studying field crops this r. Members will raise some one p on their parents' farms or on rented plots of ground. The most popular project this year is a potato plot one acre in size. Practically all of the boys already have their land fertilized and plowed. Some are buying certified, disease-free seed, while others will select disease-free tubers of a good type from their home bins. One of the requirements is that each student treat his seed and plant where potatoes have not been raised for a period of at least five years. During the summer they will cultivate the piece of ground, spray for bugs and treat for disease. The instructor of the class will visit each plot once a week to assist in the work, point out the diseased plants that should be pulled out, assist in mixing spray material, etc.

To Cut Down Huge Loss.

In 1918 there was a loss of over six million bushels of potatoes in Minnesota, or 17 per cent of the entire crop, because of disease. The agricultural students throughout the state are trying to cut down this high percentage of disease in their fields by proper seed selection, treatment and proper care. When parents see the results of the boys' work, they too will select seed more carefully and treat for disease. Neighbors in *turn will follow their example, as has* been demonstrated in the past, and these practices will become common.

In addition to the potato projects scheduled for this year, two boys will raise corn and and one wheat. The boy working on the wheat project will put in 10 acres on ground prepared by himself and of which he will have special charge. To one acre of the plot he will apply 125 pounds of superphosphate in order to find out whether or not such fertilizing pays on his home farm. Here again the boys are not only studying but they are working out some of the problems which come before them in a practical manner and putting into actual practice things which they have learned.

Learning by Doing.

The big idea which it is aimed to bring out in the agricultural course of the Thief River Falls schools is "learning by doing." Much that is merely studied is not carried out in practice. It is often not understood or else forgotten and hense is of no value. The project method requires study; gives the student an opportunity to connect his text-book work with the practical work of the farm, and causes him to form habits of industry which will become of value to him later in life. The course in the public schools was formerly termed "agricultural education." It is now being termed "educational agriculture."

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FURLONG CONCERT TROUPE SATURDAY

Girls' Community Club Sponsors Appearance Here of Well-Known Troupe.

The Furlong Concert company of Minneapolis, will appear at the city auditorium here on Saturday night under the auspices of the Girls' Community club. The booking was made at a late hour, yet the success with which the advance sale of tickets conducted by members of the young ladies' organization is meeting, indicates that the Saturday night house will be a large one.

Individual members of the concert company come here with the highest recommendations as to musical and dramatic ability. Miss Edna Furlong, pianist, and director of the company, is a recognized musician of great ability. She has appeared on the Chautauqua circuits of the Northwest for the past several years and has everywhere been received with the greatest of approval. She formerly was an instructor in the MacPhail School of Music at Minneapolis. Her success has been so pronounced that she has organized a concert company of her own for a prolonged tour of the northwestern states.

Elizabeth Lloyd Jones, reader, is a graduate of one of the leading dramatic schools of the country and a former instructor in the Dramatic Art school of the Minnesota university. Her readings for Saturday night have been chosen with a view to entertaining to an unusual degree the most cosmopolitan of audiences. Miss Ann O'Malley, contralto, is said to possess one of the finest and richest voices west of Chicago, and those who have heard her in concert work predict a triumphant appearance here. All three young ladies are gifted with the most pleasing of personalities and are true artists of the dramatic or concert stage.

Members of the Furlong company were heard at Lancaster on the night of March 21 at the big "saltlick" given by the Lancaster Elks, when they scored a triumph of the highest degree. Elmer E. Smith of Lancaster, a former student at Thief River Falls high school, is acting as booking agent for the company in the present tour. A concert was given at Pembina on Wednesday night, one will be given at Humbolt tonight and one at Orleans on Friday night. The present tour embraces bookings at Grand Forks, Fargo, Crookston, Minot, Warren and many other cities of the Northwest.

In New Quarters.

Carl Christofferson & Co., grocers, have this week been busy getting things straightened around in their new store on Third street opporite the Evelyn hotel. The room has been fixed up in nice shape and makes a good impression on visitors.

On Saturday afternoon there will be a formal opening of the new quarters to which the public is invited. Coffee and lunch will be served free all day to those who pay the place a visit.

Work on the premises vacated by the Christofferson company is progressing rapidly and L. L. Cohn of the Palace Clothing house, expects to move his store there within the next two weeks.

GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS ARBOR AND BIRD DAY

Friday, April 29, has been designated and set aside as Arbor and Bird day in a proclamation issued on Tuesday by Governor J. A. O. Preus, who urges that on that day there should not be only the actual planting of trees around school houses and homes, but that, what is more important, instruction should be given to the public in the preservation and propagation of trees and forests and wild birds.

"Trees are a most important factor in human life," Governor Preus said in his proclamation. "They furnish shade from the summer sun and shelter from the wintry winds. They furnish lumber with which to build our homes, fuel for our hearth, pulp from which we make our books and paper and innumerable other things. The trees in our state and nation are being used much more rapidly than they are being replaced. It is necessary that we learn to use them without waste, but more important that we take energetic steps to replace those that are used each year.

"The lives of our trees and birds are intimately associated. Trees furnish homes and food for our birds, and the birds, by destroying insect life and by acting as carriers of tree seed, help to preserve and propagate our timber."

Will Build New School.

A special meeting was held at the Aubol school house, district No. 54, on Saturday night when it was voted to erect a new one-room school building and to bond the district for the necessary funds. A proposal to join the St. Hilaire district was voted down.

Free Lecture.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlberg of Chicago, will deliver lectures at Odd Fellows' hall on Sunday evening next to which all Scandinavian speaking people are invited. Subject: "Why Do We Not Get Peace on Earth?" Admission is free.

Ole Ostensen, a pioneer of Norman county died at his home in Marsh River on April 14. He was born in Stavanger, Norway, in 1842 and was a resident of Norman county since 1876.

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Board of Health

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DR. J. BIEDERMAN
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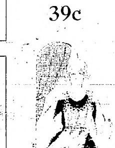

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H. W. Protzeller, president of the electric line, then explained to them that it would be unprofitable for the company to contemplate such an action at this time as it would be an increased dead mileage and that it would cost around a half million dollars without any increased business, which is easy to be seen.

There is probably no section that needs a railroad worse than the Grygla country. It is known far and wide as the garden spot of the North. It is developing wonderfully under the most adverse conditions, no railroad. The greater bulk of the business of the Electric line comes from the Grygla country. The extension of the line here would be a wonderful feeder for Thief River Falls. The settlement and increased production in this part of the state would be almost phenominal. If Thief River Falls would but examine the situation and do their utmost to secure this extension they would find it would be the most beneficial enterprise ever started in that city. We have been expecting for some time that Thief River Falls would see the benefits and wake up to it but they seem to be dormant. Wake up, Thief River Falls, wake up. Look outside of your own town and boost the country with us.

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Poultry Project Remarkable.

The poultry projects were perhaps the most successful. One of the boys raised successfully 80 chickens out of 1 hatched. The four that died were rowned in a rain storm. Not a sin- le one died from disease. This is xceptional in view of the fact that is not at all uncommon in farm ocks for half of those hatched to die f disease before they are mature or eady for market.

The cash book kept by this young man shows a neat credit balance. His locks were fed $18.60 worth of feed; e estimated his labor cost at $12.90 hich included remuneration for his wn services. His total expenses in- luding feed, labor, eggs and use of quipment, totaled $57.21. At the ose of his project he had on hand d had sold $142.80 worth of poultry, ing him a net profit of $85.59.

This student had the opportunity udying and realizing the real ems in poultry raising. He not acquired new ideas in the raising birds but he actually put these s into practice, so that later in when he again takes up the work will be using the better methods a matter of course. This project t only offered the boy some good perience but put more productive rebred stock on a farm where be- e had been only scrub stock, for family eventually kept only the 's poultry on the farm.

Now Studying Field Crops.

Classes are studying field crops this r. Members will raise some one p on their parents' farms or on rented plots of ground. The most popular project this year is a potato plot one acre in size. Practically all of the boys already have their land fertilized and plowed. Some are buying certified, disease-free seed while others will select disease-free tubers of a good type from their home bins. One of the requirements is that each student treat his seed and plant where potatoes have not been raised for a period of at least five years. During the summer they will cultivate the piece of ground, spray for bugs and treat for disease. The instructor of the class will visit each plot once a week to assist in the work, point out the diseased plants that should be pulled out, assist in mixing spray material, etc.

To Cut Down Huge Loss.

In 1918 there was a loss of over six million bushels of potatoes in Minnesota, or 17 per cent of the entire crop, because of disease. The agricultural students throughout the state are trying to cut down this high percentage of disease in their fields by proper seed selection, treatment and proper care. When parents see the results of the boys' work, they too will select seed more carefully and treat for disease. Neighbors in turn will follow their example, as has been demonstrated in the past, and these practices will become common.

In addition to the potato projects scheduled for this year, two boys will raise corn and and one wheat. The boy working on the wheat project will put in 10 acres on ground prepared by himself and of which he will have special charge. To one acre of the plot, he will apply 125 pounds of superphosphate in order to find out whether or not such fertilizing pays on his home farm. Here again the boys are not only studying but they are working out some of the problems which come before them in a practical manner and putting into actual practice things which they have learned.

Learning by Doing.

The big idea which it is aimed to bring out in the agricultural course of the Thief River Falls schools is "learning by doing." Much that is merely studied is not carried out in practice. It is often not understood or else forgotten and hence is of no value. The project method requires study; gives the student an opportunity to connect his text-book work with the practical work of the farm, and causes him to form habits of industry which will become of value to him later in life. The course in the public schools was formerly termed "agricultural education." It is now being termed "educational agriculture."

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FURLONG CONCERT TROUPE SATURDAY

Girls' Community Club. Sponsors Appearance Here of Well-Known Troupe.

The Furlong Concert company of Minneapolis, will appear at the city auditorium here on Saturday night under the auspices of the Girls' Community club. The booking was made at a late hour, yet the success with which the advance sale of tickets conducted by members of the young ladies' organization is meeting, indicates that the Saturday night house will be a large one.

Individual members of the concert company come here with the highest recommendations as to musical and dramatic ability. Miss Edna Furlong, pianist, and director of the company, is a recognized musician of great ability. She has appeared on the Chautauqua circuits of the Northwest for the past several years and has everywhere been received with the greatest of approval. She formerly was an instructor in the MacPhail School of Music at Minneapolis. Her success has been so pronounced that she has organized a concert company of her own for a prolonged tour of the northwestern states.

Elizabeth Lloyd Jones, reader, is a graduate of one of the leading dramatic schools of the country and a former instructor in the Dramatic Art school of the Minnesota university. Her readings for Saturday night have been chosen with a view to entertaining to an unusual degree the most cosmopolitan of audiences. Miss Ann O'Malley, contralto, is said to possess one of the finest and richest voices west of Chicago, and those who have heard her in concert work predict a triumphant appearance here. All three young ladies are gifted with the most pleasing of personalities and are true artists of the dramatic or concert stage.

Members of the Furlong company were heard at Lancaster on the night of March 21 at the big "saltlick" given by the Lancaster Elks, when they scored a triumph of the highest degree. Elmer E. Smith of Lancaster, a former student at Thief River Falls high school, is acting as booking agent for the company in the present tour. A concert was given at Pembina on Wednesday night, one will be given at Humbolt tonight and one at Orleans on Friday night. The present tour embraces bookings at Grand Forks, Fargo, Crookston, Minot, Warren and many other cities of the Northwest.

In New Quarters.

Carl Christofferson & Co., grocers, have this week been busy getting things straightened around in their new store on Third street opposite the Evelyn hotel. The room has been fixed up in nice shape and makes a good impression on visitors.

On Saturday afternoon there will be a formal opening of the new quarters to which the public is invited. Coffee and lunch will be served free all day to those who pay the place a visit.

Work on the premises vacated by the Christofferson company is progressing rapidly and L. L. Cohn of the Palace Clothing house, expects to move his store there within the next two weeks.

GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS ARBOR AND BIRD DAY

Friday, April 29, has been designated and set aside as Arbor and Bird day in a proclamation issued on Tuesday by Governor J. A. O. Preus, who urges that on that day there should not be only the actual planting of trees around school houses and homes, but that, what is more important, instruction should be given to the public in the preservation and propagation of trees and forests and wild birds.

"Trees are a most important factor in human life," Governor Preus said in his proclamation. "They furnish shade from the summer sun and shelter from the wintry winds. They furnish lumber with which to build our homes, fuel for our hearth, pulp from which we make our books and paper and innumerable other things. The trees in our state and nation are being used much more rapidly than they are being replaced. It is necessary that we learn to use them without waste, but more important that we take energetic steps to replace those that are used each year.

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Will Build New School.

A special meeting was held at the Aubol school house, district No. 54, on Saturday night when it was voted to erect a new one-room school building and to bond the district for the necessary funds. A proposal to join the St. Hilaire district was voted down.

Free Lecture.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlberg of Chicago, will deliver lectures at Odd Fellows' hall on Sunday evening next to which all Scandinavian speaking people are invited. Subject: "Why Do We Not Get Peace on Earth?" Admission is free.

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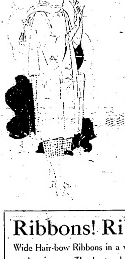

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The present Minnesota delegation is an example. Six of the ten representatives are veterans, three of them dating back to the Fifty-Eighth congress, with services in the Sixty-Seventh about to begin.

Thus we find Mr. Volstead at the head of the important judiciary committee, with his name attached to the law enforcing the Eighteenth amendment and with vital legislation to be shaped by his committee in the coming session.

We find Mr. Steenerson serving as chairman of the postoffice and post roads committee, one of the big committees of the house.

And we find Mr. Davis in line for the second biggest chairmanship in the list—appropriations. There is objection to him, it is true, as not large enough for the place, and it remains to be seen whether the seniority rule will be broken in his case, when Chairman Good steps out. If so, it will be a break almost without precedent.

The other members of the delegation, though of shorter service, are better placed than the average. Mr. Anderson, now entering his sixth term, has just been signally honored by appointment to the republican steering committee as representative of the agricultural interests. Mr. Schall, now entering his fourth term, is a member of the all-powerful rules committee. Mr. Knutson, who has served two terms and now begins his third, is the Republican whip—a responsible position in the dominant organization.

And now our own Mr. Newton, beginning his second term, is recognized as a member of industry and great promise by appointment to the commerce committee; that will shape railroad and other highly important legislation. On this committee Mr. Newton can serve Minneapolis as well as the commercial interests of the country to the best advantage. Beyond doubt he will make good there.

Minnesota is thus reaping the results of her policy of not changing her representatives too easily, but rather of sending back a good man as long as he will go. With the veteran Senator Nelson at the had of the senate judiciary committee, and his colleague, Senator Kellogg, advanced to a place on the foreign relations committee, Minnesota has a position of great influence in congress.

Loop the Loop, Nit.
(Grygla Eagle)

Considerable stir is going on in the east end of Pennington county in regard to a loop line railroad extension of the electric line south from Goodridge, taking in a territory of fifteen miles, most of which is now supplied by a nearby railroad. A committee met with the Thief River Falls Commercial club recently and presented the case to them in as strong a manner as possible, stating that a right-of-way would be donated, a substantial cash donation would be given and other matters of advertising to the present time.

H. W. Protzeller, president of the electric line, then explained to them that it would be unprofitable for the company to contemplate such an action at this time as it would be an increased dead mileage and that it would cost around a half million dollars without any increased business, which is easy to be seen.

There is probably no section that needs a railroad worse than the Grygla country. It is known far and wide as the garden spot of the North. It is developing wonderfully under the most adverse conditions, no railroad. The greater bulk of the business of the Electric line comes from the Grygla country. The extension of the line here would be a wonderful feeder for Thief River Falls. The settlement and increased production in this part of the state would be almost phenominal. If Thief River Falls would but examine the situation and do their utmost to secure this extension they would find it would be the most beneficial enterprise ever started in that city. We have been expecting for some time that Thief River Falls would see the benefits and wake up to it but they seem to be dormant. Wake up, Thief River Falls, wake up. Look outside of your own town and boost the country with us.

ARM DISABLED BY BAYONET THRUST, ENTERS TRAINING

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vettleson of Hickory township, left here on Tuesday for Fargo where the former service man will enter a course in vocational training with the Federal Board. Formerly a member of Company "A," 320th Infantry, Mr. Vettleson took an active part in the Meuse-Argonne offensive. In a hand to hand encounter with the enemy he received a bayonet wound in the left wrist and has since been greatly handicapped in the use of that member.

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ORY BACKED BY PRACTICAL PPLICATION BRINGS RESULTS TO STUDENTS OF AGRICULTURE

By F. A. Tripp.
ctor in Agriculture, Thief River Falls Schools.

t effort has been made during t two years to make the course iculture at the Thief River igh school as practical as pos- Formerly agricultural instruc- nsisted of text-book work su- ed with a small amount of ory and field work. It is be- hat such instruction has been t value to the student, but it criticised at times because of practicability. In order to make rk more practicable and to give ing basis for instruction, each who now pursues the course arry out some agricultural pro-

boys who took agriculture dur- school year of 1919-20 took husbandry projects. Several aised calves, others hogs, and hers raised poultry. Those who dairy or beef calves made out ions which they were going to made a study of the problem class room and then took care young calves and feed them ing to the methods they had ed. Each was required to keep temized account of all expenses. hog and poultry projects were ried out in a similar manner. One the students exhibited his calves the Pennington county fair and n $10 in prizes. A poultry student exhibited his birds at the Pennington County Poultry show and won $15 in prize money.

Poultry Project Remarkable.

The poultry projects were perhaps the most successful. One of the boys raised successfully 80 chickens out of 4 hatched. The four that died were rowned in a rain storm. Not a sin- le one died from disease. This is xceptional in view of the fact that is not at all uncommon in farm ocks for half of those hatched to die f disease before they are mature or eady for market.

The cash book kept by this young man shows a neat credit balance. His locks were fed $18.60 worth of feed; e estimated his labor cost at $12.50 hich included remuneration for his wn services. His total expenses in- luding feed, labor, eggs and use of quipment, totaled $57.21. At the ose of his project he had on hand d had sold $142.80 worth of poultry, ving him a net profit of $85.59.

This student had the opportunity tudying and realizing the real lems in poultry raising. He not acquired new ideas in the raising birds but he actually put these into practice, so that later in when he again takes up the work will be using the better methods a matter of course. This project only offered the boy some good perience but put more productive rebred stock on a farm where be- o had been only scrub stock, for family eventually kept only the 's poultry on the farm.

Now Studying Field Crops.

Classes are studying field crops this r. Members will raise some one p on their parents' farms or on rented plots of ground. The most popular project this year is a potato plot one acre in size. Practically all of the boys already have their land fertilized and plowed. Some are buying certified, disease-free seed while others will select disease-free tubers of a good type from their home bins. One of the requirements is that each student treat his seed and plant where potatoes have not been raised for a period of at least five years. During the summer they will cultivate the piece of ground, spray for bugs and treat for disease. The instructor of the class will visit each plot once a week to assist in the work, point out the diseased plants that should be pulled out, assist in mixing spray material, etc.

To Cut Down Huge Loss.

In 1918 there was a loss of over six million bushels of potatoes in Minnesota, or 17 per cent of the entire crop, because of disease. The agricultural students throughout the state are trying to cut down this high percentage of disease in their fields by proper seed selection, treatment and proper care. When parents see the results of the boys' work, they too will select seed more carefully and treat for disease. Neighbors in turn will follow their example, as has been demonstrated in the past, and these practices will become common.

In addition to the potato projects scheduled for this year, two boys will raise corn and and one wheat. The boy working on the wheat project will put in 10 acres on ground prepared by himself and of which he will have special charge. To one acre of the plot he will apply 125 pounds of superphosphate in order to find out whether or not such fertilizing pays on his home farm. Here again the boys are not only studying but they are working out some of the problems which come before them in a practical manner and putting into actual practice things which they have learned.

Learning by Doing.

The big idea which it is aimed to bring out in the agricultural course of the Thief River Falls schools is "learning by doing." Much that is merely studied is not carried out in practice. It is often not understood or else forgotten and hense is of no value. The project method requires study; gives the student an opportunity to connect his text-book work with the practical work of the farm, and causes him to form habits of industry which will become of value to him later in life. The course in the public schools was formerly termed "agricultural education." It is now being termed "educational agriculture."

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

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FURLONG CONCERT TROUPE SATURDAY

Girls' Community Club Sponsors Appearance Here of Well-Known Troupe.

The Furlong Concert company of Minneapolis, will appear at the city auditorium here on Saturday night under the auspices of the Girls' Community club. The booking was made at a late hour, yet the success with which the advance sale of tickets conducted by members of the young ladies' organization is meeting, indicates that the Saturday night house will be a large one.

Individual members of the concert company come here with the highest recommendations as to musical and dramatic ability. Miss Edna Furlong, pianist, and director of the company, is a recognized musician of great ability. She has appeared on the Chautauqua circuits of the Northwest for the past several years and has everywhere been received with the greatest of approval. She formerly was an instructor in the MacPhail School of Music at Minneapolis. Her success has been so pronounced that she has organized a concert company of her own for a prolonged tour of the northwestern states.

Elizabeth Lloyd Jones, reader, is a graduate of one of the leading dramatic schools of the country and a former instructor in the Dramatic Art school of the Minnesota university. Her readings for Saturday night have been chosen with a view to entertaining to an unusual degree the most cosmopolitan of audiences. Miss Ann O'Malley, contralto, is said to possess one of the finest and richest voices west of Chicago, and those who have heard her in concert work predict a triumphant appearance here. All three young ladies are gifted with the most pleasing of personalities and are true artists of the dramatic or concert stage.

Members of the Furlong company were heard at Lancaster on the night of March 21 at the big "saltlick" given by the Lancaster Elks, when they scored a triumph of the highest degree. Elmer E. Smith of Lancaster, a former student at Thief River Falls high school, is acting as booking agent for the company in the present tour. A concert was given at Pembina on Wednesday night, one will be given at Humbolt tonight and one at Orleans on Friday night. The present tour embraces bookings at Grand Forks, Fargo, Crookston, Minot, Warren and many other cities of the Northwest.

In New Quarters.

Carl Christofferson & Co., grocers, have this week been busy getting things straightened around in their new store on Third street opposite the Evelyn hotel. The room has been fixed up in nice shape and makes a good impression on visitors.

On Saturday afternoon there will be a formal opening of the new quarters to which the public is invited. Coffee and lunch will be served free all day to those who pay the place a visit.

Work on the premises vacated by the Christofferson company is progressing rapidly and L. L. Cohn of the Palace Clothing house, expects to move his store there within the next two weeks.

GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS ARBOR AND BIRD DAY

Friday, April 29, has been designated and set aside as Arbor and Bird day in a proclamation issued on Tuesday by Governor J. A. O. Preus, who urges that on that day there should not be only the actual planting of trees around school houses and homes, but that, what is more important, instruction should be given to the public in the preservation and propagation of trees and forests and wild birds.

"Trees are a most important factor in human life," Governor Preus said in his proclamation. "They furnish shade from the summer sun and shelter from the wintry winds. They furnish lumber with which to build our homes, fuel for our hearth, pulp paper and innumerable other things. The trees in our state and nation are being used much more rapidly than they are being replaced. It is necessary that we learn to use them without waste, but more important that we take energetic steps to replace those that are used each year.

"The lives of our trees and birds are intimately associated. Trees furnish homes and food for our birds, and the birds, by destroying insect life and by acting as carriers of tree seed, help to preserve and propagate our timber."

Will Build New School.

A special meeting was held at the Aubol school house, district No. 54, on Saturday night when it was voted to erect a new one-room school building and to bond the district for the necessary funds. A proposal to join the St. Hilaire district was voted down.

Free Lecture.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlberg of Chicago, will deliver lectures at Odd Fellows' hall on Sunday evening next to which all Scandinavian speaking people are invited. Subject: "Why Do We Not Get Peace on Earth?" Admission is free.

Ole Ostensen, a pioneer of Norman county died at his home in Marsh River on April 14. He was born in Stavanger, Norway, in 1842 and was a resident of Norman county since 1876.

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Board of Health

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DR. J. BIEDERMAN
Health Officer.

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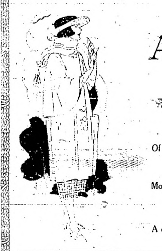

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A very beautiful assortment of fancy and plain Dress Shirts, Special $1.95

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hat About Senior Spirit?

e school year is quickly drawing close and we are taking on the lap of the regular term. For seniors it means not only the end he term but it also means that high school course is about to be leted, and they will soon be al of Lincoln High. These last s should be used to the best ad ge by everyone, especially might apply to the senior, who is about aduate. Not only should a stu be conscientious and apply him to his studies, but also at the e time he should feel the class or ol spirit and be willing to pro e and add whatever possible ich would further the objective of class and school. The senior ss may have seemed to have been ther inactive and unspirited but me real spirit and action is looked rward to during the last few weeks the year. The senior class this year is one of the largest to be graduted from this high school and its members can without a doubt accomplish and "put over" anything which s done with the right motive and in the proper spirit. Within a short time senior class day will be celebrated, which is one of the greatest events of our high school career. The Senior-Junior reception, an annual ent, given to the Juniors in appre ation of the banquet, will also oc r soon. These two events alone ught to and should bring forth sufficient incentive to every senior to become a real live wire in the class. Regardless of whether you are a member of the committees or not, you can do your honest bit by supporting and cooperating in every move of the class. Any class whether large or small, Freshmen or Senior, can not succeed in its undertakings and consequently does not leave a worthy impression, unless there exists within class the true class spirit of co ration, "pulling-together." Much been said in regard to this dur the past year, but especially at s time it needs to be emphasized e strongly than ever. —Seniors, ake up, and realize and feel that you e a necessary part of the Senior ass of 1921 and "it must follow as a might the day, thou canst not be ything but loyal to your class."

Sophs Entertain on Friday

An event which will long remain the memories of the members of e class of 1923 as one of the high ots in their high school career is e Sophomore class party, which as held at the high school gymnasi m on the evening of Friday, April th.

The success of a party of this kind pends entirely upon the manner in hich the participants enter into the irit of the occasion. In order to ake each one realize that it was his rty, or her party, a very entertaining program was arranged, which everyone could take part in and enjoy. is program was carried out in a ghly creditable manner and it was ot long before every Sophomore and he honor guests, the members of the faculty, felt perfectly at home. The welcome address was given by the ass president, Olive Lonson. The ass of '23 is proud to count among its ranks several promising musicians and consequently music was an important part of the entertainment. A piano duet was played by Olive Lonson and Pearl Weeks and violin solos by Lorraine Will and Allison Stitt. Theatrical talent have we also in bundance. Ruth Knutson, in a monologue, cleverly portrayed the ervous anxiety of a mother visiting the seashore with her little son. A play, "Box and Cox," was successully staged by James Votava, Herbert Johnson and Myrtle Helgeland, in spite of an interruption when some boys, evidently incapable of distinguishing between the proper and improper time for a childish prank, pulled out a fuse in the distributer and put the whole building in darkness. The play was continued by candle-light until the fuse was replaced and the lights again switched on. A "Grief" dance was artistically performed by eight Sophomore girls.

After these various platform entertainments, an indoor track meet was held, which provided a great deal of amusement for everyone. The crowd was divided into four groups, each representing one of the big universities. A small paper pennant of the college colors, was given to each one when the tickets were presented at the door, and a suspense of curiosity kept up until contestants had been selected for each of the various contests. There were high-jumps, jumping for doughnuts strung just a little above convenient reach; a tack-driving contest; a foot race, measuring the length of the contestants' feet, and several other contests which instigated keen rivalry among the four "colleges."

At 10:30 a delicious lunch, prepared by Sophomore girls, was served. Toasts were given by Miss Dix, class advisor and Mr. Pierce, both of whom emphasized the true significance of a Sophomore class party and complimented the class on its splendid manifestation of class spirit. A grand march, led by Miss Johnson, music instructor, concluded the program and at 12 o'clock the party broke up.

entertaining in character, it had a deeper and more important purpose—to develop a stronger and more unified class spirit. We hear a great deal about school spirit and class spirit among college students; but high school students, especially Sophomores, can feel just as emotional a class interest and loyalty. An informal get-to-gether such as this, when class-mates and teachers can discard their dignity, conceit and self-consciousness and intermingle for a few hours in common enjoyment and entertainment; where each one feels a direct interest in the other fellow's happiness, will help greatly to make every Sophomore realize what class spirit really is. Few will fully realize during our carefree high school days, what effect an acquaintance with the sentimental side will have on the ultimate value of our high school course. Our Sophomore year is soon over; in two short years the class of 1923 will graduate and be broken up. It will be when we are out in the world, separated from those whose friendship we prized so highly while we were students together at the Lincoln High, that we will fondly look back to the happy days of our youth, and the class party during our Sophomore year of high school will be one of the outstanding events that we will often recall. We will again see our insignia "23" done in white on a blue background, forming our class colors; we will always carry with us, in some secret recess in our brains, a mental picture of our class president as she talked to us from the prettily decorated stage, a little nervous perhaps, but so thoroughly sincere in her earnest desire to do justice to the occasion; we can never forget the invaluable service of our class advisor, Miss Dix, whose interest and willingness to help made possible the success of all our class activities. If we really "get into" the spirit of the class of '23 now, we may in the future look back with satisfaction to our high school days, and feel that our time at the Lincoln High was well spent.

Senior Girls' Class Meeting.

A meeting of the girls of the Senior class was called at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday for the purpose of deciding whether the middy uniform or white organdie dresses should be worn at commencement time. An open forum was held, members discussing the question both "pro and con." At the conclusion of the discussion a ballot vote was taken and the wearing of white dresses was adopted.

In preceding years, it has been the custom of the girls of the graduation class to wear the middy uniform; but class sentiment was decidedly against it this year.

Chapel Wednesday

At chapel period last Wednesday a very interesting program was rendered, under the supervision of Miss Leavitt. The program was composed of two parts. The first part consisted of songs by the Freshmen girls. The second part was a Kipling program. We were first given a summary of Kipling's life and then we listened to several of his works. One of his works "Wee Willie Winkie" was given in the form of a dialogue. Following is the program rendered:

Fairy Waltz.
Slumber Boat—Jessie Gaynor.
Lincoln High—Freshmen girls.

Kipling Program

Talk on the life of Kipling—Agnes Johnson.
The ballad of the "East and West"—Ella Johnson.
"If"—Hazel Krause.
"The Recessional"—Alice Gobler.

"Wee Willie Winkie."

First part—Orrin Storholm.
Dialogue—Halbert Evenstad and Robert McGinn.
Middle part—Esther Lunsetter.
Dialogue—Tillie Stenseth, Robert McGinn and some natives.
Last part—Margaret Melgaard.

Weather Brings on Baseball.

As the weather continues to become warmer, athletics again shows itself supreme in the minds of the boys of the high school.

Baseball is now taking the place of basket ball and as there will be no track work this spring, as was announced by Coach Tommeraasen, it is fast becoming the main form of sport among the students.

Beginning on Tuesday of last week the boys have turned out in fine shape and are working hard to make the team. Mr. Mellby, who is acting as coach with Tommeraasen, is satisfied with the bunch of aspirants out in the field and intends to have a ripping team. Some of the aspirants likely to be working hard are: Parenteau, Anderson, Olson, McDaniel, Lane, Rice and a few others that are capable baseballers. They are all goers and have expressed their desire to meet some of the teams about the town in the near future.

Watch for Freshman Issue.

In the publication of the Progress during the past year almost of the material has been produced by the class in journalism. Very few contributions have been received from the other students, although it is a student's publication. It appears to be extremely difficult to obtain articles, poems, and other material from those who are not directly connected with the issuing of this paper. Few have the necessary initiative to write something unless it has been directly assigned to them. It is often an involved task to get even the regular assignments, not to speak of individual contributions.

It is to arouse greater interest that the Progress, beginning with the issue two weeks from now, will be edited by the Freshmen and so on through all the other classes. It will also show what they really can produce and in a large degree tend to stimu- [illegible] spirit. There will undoubtedly be considerable rivalry and competition between them as to which class is able to produce the best issue and consequently the readers may look forward to the best, because the class will want to produce only the best.

This idea has been carried through in various other high schools with the best results, and there is no reason under the sun why the Freshmen, Sophomore, Junior and finally the Senior classes can't publish some of the best and most highly commendable articles of any high school paper.

Watch for the Freshmen number! It is rumored that it will even be highly colored in appropriate shades.

The Normal Alphabet.

A is for all of us
Who number twenty-five.
B is for Bertha
Who in lessons likes to dive.
C stands for Cecelia and Clara too,
D is for Dora
Who is one of very few.
E is for Ethel, Eileen, Elsie and Esther,
The girls whom pupils like to pestor.
F is for Florence
Who never goes to bed,
But stays up with her lessons
Until she is quite dead.
G stands for Gladys of which we have two
As also for Goldie and Georgia too.
H is for Huldah, also for Helen
Who are very fond of ripe water-melon.
I is for I and I am writing this in ink
J is for Julia, who never stops to think.
K is for one who is off the reel
L is for Lillian and Lucille.
M is for Marguerite, Mary and Mabel
Who have never been seen to eat at the table.
R stands for Rose as well as for Ruth
S stands for Stella who tells nothing but the truth.
O stands for Olga who loves good books
And is not as timid as she looks.
V is for Vivian who is quite tall
She is also the brightest of us all.

"KEYWEST"

Indoor Baseball.

The physical training classes besides doing exercises to build up the body, are playing indoor baseball.

Indoor baseball is played in the high school gymnasium. This game is played practically the same as out-door-baseball. The only difference in the two games is that in indoor baseball the pitcher throws the ball under-handed and the batter can only use one hand to bat with. A soft ball about twice the size of an ordinary baseball is used. No pads or gloves are used.

Coach Tommeraasen states that some real teams are being produced by each of the physical training classes. It is probable that the best teams from each class will play together to decide which has the best team. A hot contest is looked forward to.

Senior Class Meets.

A Senior class meeting was held last Monday after school at which matters of importance were discussed and decided upon.

Various samples of invitations were shown to the class and one was selected. It will have a brownish color cover, and will contain the class roll, honor roll, commencement exercises, class officers, and other things pertaining to the class. Esther Soards, Clarence Knudsen and Vernon Copp were chosen to arrange for and procure the invitations, which will be ordered in the near future.

The class flower, formerly the moccasin, was changed to the deep pink rose, that being much more convenient to obtain for graduation day.

A committee comprised of Beatrice Sandum, Doris Richter and Harold Smithers was selected to arrange the necessary details of the Baccalaureate services. The class evidently believes in arranging matters at the earliest date possible so as to prevent any unnecessary inconveniences.

Matters concerning the annual class day or Senior day will, however, be determined at a later date.

Northrup News.

Last Thursday afternoon the 5th and 6th grade girls of the Northrop school gave a candy sale. Money raised, amounting to $8, will be used to buy baseball outfits.

A demonstration of the regular music work done by the 1st thru 6th grades was given last Wednesday, under the direction of Miss Maude Johnson. The members of the school board and the music section of the Mama's club were present, and are very enthusiastic over the work done by the pupils.

Fourth and fifth grades of the Northrop school were victorious over the fourth and fifth graders of the Washington, in a baseball game played last week. The score was five to one.

Mr. Tommeraasen is organizing baseball work among the girls of the Northrop school.

Dorothy Gesell entertained ten of her little friends at a birthday party last week.

Miss Adams celebrated her birthday by entertaining the teachers at the Northrop.

Watch for the big entertainment which will be put on by the Northrop school in the very near future. According to reports this will be an unusually good number.

Normal Department.

The girls are putting to practice some of their ethical training, as they have again sent flowers to Ellen Nelson, who is at the hospital, convalescing from an operation.

Elsie Cousin was absent on Mon- [illegible] home to prepare her lessons or to make up for lost sleep.

Ruth Satre and Esther Loff walked out to the former's home on Tuesday evening to be present at a birthday party given in honor of Ruth by her parents.

We were favored by a visit from Miss Poliet and Mr. Gunrerson, superintendents of Red Lake and Pennington counties respectively.

Girl Scouts.

Motto—"Be Prepared."

Slogan—"Do a Good Turn Daily."

Although the organization of the Girl Scouts in Thief River Falls, is still in its infancy, its future is promising. Many girls have not only caught the spirit and are actually living the promise and the laws, but also realize that to be a first-class scout the real aim involves definite knowledge and experience, practical efficiency, reliability and demonstrated usefulness to the troop and community.

The work of the girl scouts has attracted the attention of a Council, a group of public-spirited women interested in watching and aiding the growing girl. The duty of the Council is to offer advice and sound judgment; to form the necessary link for effective service between the scouts and the community and is composed of the following: Mesdames T. L. Melgaard, Robert Vance, C. R. Crandall, Geo. Biddick, John Bratrud, G. W. Connell, H. S. Dahlen, H. W. Froehlich, Robertson, E. Zeh, L. G. Larson and Miss H. Gustafson.

The girl scouts are indeed proud of their chosen Captain of Scouts Mother, Mrs. Zeh. Her friendly spirit of comradely leadership has won the heart of every scout. For some time Mrs. Zeh's home has been open on Saturday nights to the girl scouts. Through the entertainment at that home he eyes of the girls have been opened to some of the beauties and wonders of nature love.

Three troops composed of three patrols each have been formed. The list below includes the name, the lieutenant and the members of each patrol:

Troop 1

Gophers—Lieut., Ruth Johnson; Myrtle Helgeland, Ruth Hoppa, Esther Larson, Marie Lamae, Martha Fallness, Edna Alexander, Helen Skranstad.

Fireflies—Lieut., Ruth Mathews; Ida Shields, Bessie Elofson, Myrtle Senate, Florence Stageberg, Mildred Favrow, Lorencie Johnson, Salome Wikel, Marie Vevea, Florentine Hance.

Pine Tree—Lieut., Margaret Dix; Ruth Knutson, Lorraine Crandall, Pearl Weeks, Viola Buringrud, Elsie Buringrud, Lydia Dahlen, Lorraine Will, Lucille Curtis.

Troop 2

Bob White—Lieut., Mable McGilvery; Wonetia Biddick, Ruth Quammen, Melvina Rupprecht, Phyllis Dock, Hazel Swenson, Lilley Roberts, Maveretta Hilson, Dot Pederson.

White Swan—Lieut., Mrs. Robertson; Dorothy Fuller, Lily Grann, Thelma Christianson, Ruth McGilvery, Elizabeth DeCremer, Ansof Dahlen, Faith Warner.

Whip-poor-will — Lieut., Lorna Dodge; Grace Mostue, Mildred Christie, Lois Nicholson, Elmyra Langseth, Naomi Hinricks, Sannia Erickson, Altha Gabrielson, Ellen Crandall.

Troop 3

Grey Wolves—Lieut., Mrs. C. O. Erickson; Maxine Johnson, Margaret Klungness, Ruth Melby, Ella Monsebraten, Muriel Loken, Olive Aaland, Alice Gobler, Katherine Barzen.

Blue Bonnet—Lieut., (to be chosen soon); Winnifred Wengeler, Aernal Kinghorn, Dorothy Swedenburg, Katherine Fallness, Judith Quammen, Leiv Vistaunet, Isabel Richter, Esther Bennes.

Bluebirds—Lieut., Mrs. Bratrud; Margaret Melgaard, Harriet Morgan, Camille Warner, Helen Vance, Peggy Shaw, Ersyl Anderson, Rose Flynn, Hilda Peterson.

Explosion in Laboratory.

A terrible explosion occurred last week in the laboratory; not terrible because of the results, but on account of the disturbance caused by the violent concussion of the atmosphere and its saturation with various ill-scenting fumes. Some of the students are still supposed to be under its influence, at least their drowsy appearance intimates some kind of an affliction.

The story of the incident was told by a physics student who was in the "lab" at the time that it happened. When the smoke had cleared away more authentic particulars were also obtained from the science instructor, G. Melby, who incidentally happened to be the victim of the explosion. Prof. Melby was making a very scientific experiment, attempting to explain an unusual phenomena, in other words he ignited a supposedly plaster of paris container, with a hot platinum wire. This was done in preparation for a spectroscopal examination of hydrated calcium sulphate. The ignition resulted in the combustion and decomposition of the ingredients. The probable constitutions of the ignited container are given out by "Doc" as K Cl 0 z x 2 S x C, 21 x 22 O. Immediately after the explosion the room was filled with smoke and everyone rushed to the door and it was later rumored some even made attempts to jump through the window. (They probably thought it would be an easy way to get out of class for the time being at least.) The windows and doors being opened the smoke spread all over the building, causing a general unrest. "The smoke is just suffocating," said one fellow. "Oh, well," retorted the wise Prof, "I saw more smoke coming out from you last night than is coming in now." Evidently that was under different conditions and circumstances.

The only injury reported as yet is the fact that the tip of Prof. Melby's right point finger was severely burned and resulted in the severing of a number of nerves. However it has made rapid progress in the healing process so that amputation of the above mentioned limb is not feared at present. Prof. Melby requests that when students are attempting secret preparations of cellulose or trinite that they henceforth do not deposit same in plaster paris containers.

Knox School Notes.

The kindergartens are very busily employed painting their doll houses and refurnishing them. They are also making playground toys in miniature for the inhabitants of their doll houses.

The pupils of Miss Fjeldstad's room have planted nasturtium seeds in their window boxes; each pupil having a small section to take care of daily.

The third grade of the Washington school played the third grade of the Knox school last week, the Knox school defeating the Washington to the tune of 39 to 13.

The pupils of Miss Nylander's room have made several health posters for Miss Johnson, the school nurse. The purpose of these posters is to interest the children in the proper kinds of *food for school children.*

The pupils of Miss Nylander's room held a spelling match on Friday afternoon. The girls beating the boys twice in succession.

Gopher Patrol Candy Sale.

Friday afternoon, at 3:30 the girls of the Gopher Patrol held a candy sale for the purpose of obtaining a sufficient sum to enable them to purchase suits for the members of their patrol. The total amount cleared from the sale of home-made candy was $14.20. The members of this patrol are Mytle Helgeland, Ruth Hoppe, Esther Larson, Martha Fallness, Helen Skramstad, Edna Alexander and Marie Lamae.

Washington News.

Monday afternoon the children of Miss Benson's room surprised her by bringing fruit, candy, peanuts and cookies for a little party.

The marching pennant was won this week by Miss Larson's pupils on the second floor and by Miss Schmidt's on the first floor.

Miss Schmidt is teaching drawing to the pupils of Miss Ryff's and Miss Smith's rooms.

Ten of the sixth grade girls have organized an indoor baseball team. They are practicing every day with the hopes of soon being able to challenge some other team.

Jokes.

To have or not to have, that is the question:
Whether 'tis nobler in the mind to suffer
The pains and agony of muddy streets
Or take up arms against such a puddle of muddle
And, by so doing, pave them.

Miss Patrick in English IV class: "Adolph, who was Captain Miles Standish and what did he preach to the people?"

Adolph: "Oh, Standish was a preacher."

What do you think of a Journalism student who sits in the front row and gets an "E" on his report card? Something wrong!

Miss Elliot in Civics: "John Adams not John Quincy Adams."

Lillian K.: "What's the difference?"

Miss E.: "Oh, about fifty years, or as much difference as there is between you and me."

Miss Patrick in Eng. IV: "Who can quote that line from "Annie Laurie," "Her eyes are like——"

Mary V.: "Her eyes are like the snowdrift."

Found on Eng. examination papers: "John Alden wrote during the Colonial Period."

"Coolidge was an author of the Romantic movement. (Undoubtedly he must be of age by this time.)

"Coolidge wrote "The Ancient Marine."

Wanted—More recruits for the baseball team.

"Resolved, that Socialism is harmful to Americanism" was debated by a few members of the Social Science class last week. The negative debaters put up a strong argument for Socialism, but it was a trifle weaker than the affirmative debaters so the decision was carried in favor of the affirmative.

The Social Science class will, in the near future, make an investigation of the whole city, picking out all defects and reporting them to the court to be formed by the class. There will be investigators of all different branches of reforms that the city is in need of.

Students carrying Commercial Law discovered the fact that a woman's will (Will) holds even after her death.

Miss Hoorn: "What is the altitude of a cone?"

Francis H.: "It's a perpendicular from the center of the point to the base."

Fooling your teachers and the Statue of Liberty are alike very profitable.

No, Fernando Fossum is not related to Ponce de Leon.

Atmospheric conditions have not resulted in any new "cases" as yet.

Personals.

A large delegation of baseball fans were present at the first practice on Wednesday evening.

Curly says he made a home run off the doctor.

Miss Swedahl entertained the English IV class Thursday morning with dialect readings of James Russell Lowell.

Do not laugh at our Progress, for you may be weak and old some day yourself.

It's funny how the spring weather affects the minds of scholars and turns their thoughts to baseball. Even in school.

It has been said, "What is so rare as a day in June?"

Undoubtedly the author didn't live in a country that had prohibition or he would have said, "What is so rare as a drink of moon-shine?"

To shave or not to shave seems to be the grave question confronting Freshmen boys now-a-days.

As is natural, our dramatists after playing here will be in great demand by movie producers.

Last Monday morning shortly after school had been called, there was an explosion in the laboratory which caused some excitement throughout the building. No damage was done, although it caused a great deal of sneezing and coughing.

The girls gymnasium classes have been playing baseball out-of-doors the past week.

John Hendry left Friday evening for Minneapolis where he will take lessons on the saxaphone and visit friends. He returned Monday morning.

Nothing can daunt the spirit of the invincible Sophomores. When a big sheet of plaster fell down from the gymnasium ceiling and smashed the results of several hours of clever decorating, why they just went right to work and did it all over again.

What effect does falling in love have on a student's efficiency? This is a question now being seriously considered by a number of Lincolnites when the nights begin to get warmer, smooth roads beckon the motor enthusiast, and silent waters of the river speak of drifting down the stream with your best girl by your side.

Miss Mildred Haugild, a student of the Lincoln high school spent the week-end visiting with her parents at Angus.

Miss Julia Brudvick, a normal student, visited over the week-end at Rosewood with Miss Hilda Hammarsten, an alumni of the Lincoln high school.

Mary Vance quoting "Annie Laurie" in English IV: "Her eyes are like the snowdrift."

We are looking forward to chapel on next Friday, because we have been promised something special in the line of music.

The special feature of last Friday's chapel program was a saxaphone duet by Kermit Anderson and John Hendry.

It is rumored that a runaway team was stopped in the street by Mr. Ziegler last week. This event may be worthy of consideration by those who contemplate "skippiing school."

Esther Soards motored to Red Lake Falls Sunday afternoon where she visited friends.

David Evenson spent the week-end with Clarence Rice at Plummer.

Nora Lindquist left Friday to spend the week-end at her home near Wylie, returning Sunday evening.

John Hendry has got the idea that anything that won't kill his dog won't kill him.

Mr. Pope, instructor in the Smith-Hughes course, has been confined to his home with the "mumps" for the past few days.

Ernest Zeh and Hugh McDaniels motored to Crookston Sunday afternoon.

The cast for the senior play, "All-of-a-Sudden-Peggy," had their fourth rehearsal at the high school auditorium. Coach L. N. Pierce states that indications are very favorable for a most successful play, as all the characters are well selected and are taking their parts in an unusually satisfactory manner.

Melby, in Social Science class (addressing Kermit Anderson and John Hendry): "Saxaphone section please keep still."

A short meeting was held in Mr. Tommeraasen's rooms last Friday at which he advised the different classes to have indoor baseball teams. Nothing has been decided as yet.

And you still see them write, "We arrived safely on the train." One may be led to believe that it is very usual to get killed in transit.

If it were only as easy to go to school as it is to stay out, school would be a popular place at this time of the year.

The old saying, "In spring when young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love," may also be applied to the Lincoln high school girls.

Indoor baseball is becoming a popular sport in our high school and as with everything else, it's alright in its place, but its place is not in the assembly.

Readings in Norse dialect from "Norsk Nightingales" were given in English IV classes by Miss Swedal last Thursday. The parodies on "The Courtship of Miles Standish," "Horatius at the Bridge" and others seem even more popular and are more favorably received than the original masterpieces.

Fat Evenson and Clarence Rice motored to Red Lake Falls last Wednesday evening.

The Agricultural II class and their instructor, Mr. Tripp, were outside this morning taking a lesson in "Pruning trees." This was their opportunity to do such work and they all appreciated the outing very much. They may go out again tomorrow.

Miss Eileen Herron left Saturday morning for Viking where she spent the day with friends and returned the same evening.

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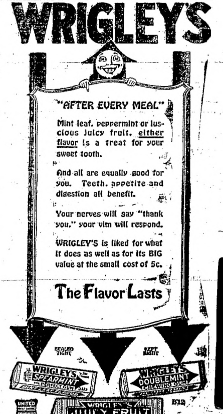

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Carl Mellem Entertains

Mrs. Carl Mellem pleasantly entertained a number of friends at her home south of town, Tuesday afternoon, in honor of her mother, Mrs. O. M. Holson, who after a week's stay here, left the next day for her home at Warren. The afternoon was spent in conversation and music, concluding with a delicious luncheon. The following were present: Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter, Mrs. J. Sagmoen and daughter, Mrs. John Ranum, Mrs. Even Anderson, Mrs. Albert Paulson, Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen and Miss Ella Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdahl from south of Viking, were Sunday guests at the S. Rafteseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family from Crookston motored up last Sunday to visit at the Haugen and Emil Blomberg homes.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg at the Physicians' hospital at Thief River Falls, last Wednesday, a ten pound daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Stroble and children from Angus were Sunday guests at the P. Sorenson and Haugen Bros. homes.

E. Seeley, a real estate purchaser from Barrett, was in town a few days last week investigating available farm lands in this vicinity.

Andrew Gullseth of the Jones Monumental Works, was in town last Wednesday and while here purchased a Ford from Herbert Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Flodstrom, Paul Flodstrom and Iver Anderson of Viking, visited at the Hellquist home last Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Carlson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. John Sagmoen, went to Viking on Saturday evening to do some shopping.

James Thompson left on Saturday evening for Gully where he will visit with his folks over Sunday.

Olof Opseth returned last Monday to Gonvick where he will resume his carpentry work, after spending a few weeks with his father, A. Opseth.

Nels Axelson left on Tuesday morning for Warren where he will spend a brief period and will later return to the state of Idaho to resume his electrical work.

Chas. Swanson of Steiner and Mr. Knutseth from west of Thief River Falls, spent part of last week here having lumber and square material sawed at the Sagmoen-Nordhagen mill.

Mr. Hall of the Simmons Hardware Co., Andrew Anderson of Jenney Semple Hill & Co., and Oscar Mosleth of the Kiewel Products Co., all of Thief River Falls, were business callers here the latter part of the week.

L. L. Furan, Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen and Miss Isabelle, attended the show at the Lyceum theatre at Thief River Falls last Wednesday evening.

Miss Lyda Batten, who teaches at Thief River Falls, is spending the week end with her father, John Batten.

Mesdames Ingrid Nordhagen and Even Anderson went to Viking on Monday morning where they will spend the day visiting and shopping.
family of Thief River Falls, motored
Mr. and Mrs. Severn Brandon and
here last Sunday to visit at the Swen Swenson home.

John Remmem left last Saturday for the Nels Nora farm west of Thief River Falls, after spending a few weeks looking after his business interests at Rosewood.

Gust Gullseth and Reinart Ferhagen from near Thief River Falls, visited briefly with Anton Gullseth last Tuesday on their way to Viking.

Mrs. Albert Paulson and Miss Myrtle Mellem spent Friday at Viking.

Swen Swenson returned on Wednesday from Thief River Falls where he had been to meet an adjuster from St. Paul in connection with the fire which partly destroyed one of his residences there.

Emil Blomberg was at Thief River Falls between trains last Thursday to visit his wife at the hospital and to attend to business.

The Rosewood Farmers' club, in connection with the New Solum Farm Bureau Unit, will have a meeting at the Rosebank building on Friday evening, April 29. A Farm Bureau speaker from Warren will be the chief attraction. President Alex Hellquist of the Rosewood club and Joel E. Shoberg, will serve lunch.

John Chancer, a Thief River Falls farmer, was in town one day this week, looking about for seed grain.

Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter Irma, returned on Tuesday morning from Thief River Falls where they spent several days as the guests of the James Johnson family. Mr. and Mrs. August Hellquist and daughter who accompanied them to Thief River Falls, later left for Shelly, where they will visit with Mrs. Hellquist's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aunenson, for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem and T. Mellem left on Sunday morning for Anita where they will visit during the day with the E. Nelson family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen, accompanied by the Sievert Benson family of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday afternoon visiting with the Rudolph Sagmoen family at Anita.

Albert Stengelson and Chester Dols of Thief River Falls, spent the week end with their parents here.

Nina Westby and Isabelle Sagmoen were among the Friday shoppers at Thief River Falls.

A. S. Holm was at Viking Thursday morning to get his Overland at the Benson garage there.

Mrs. Selmer Haugen returned home on Sunday from a three week's visit with her sister, Mrs. A. Stroble at Angus.

Dave Mosbeck returned home Monday morning from Crookston where he spent a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Clara Sorenson left Friday evening for Thief River Falls where she spent Sunday with her parents.

A number of young folks motored to Edgewood last Friday evening to attend the New Solum Farm club meeting.

Emil Hellquist and Sigurd Rafteseth were Thursday business callers at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schenkey and family attended Catholic services at Thief River Falls last Sunday.

GOODRIDGE

Olous San of Erie left Wednesday for International Falls where he will be employed in the paper mill.

Joseph Prucha left Wednesday for LaPorte, Sask., Canada, with an emigrant car, where they will make their home. His brother accompanied him.

Misses Sena and Hilda Christianson were in Thief River Falls, shopping, Thursday.

Rev. Hanson attended to business in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Pitman and son Joseph were in Thief River Falls Wednesday for medical advice.

Four Kieson boys of Germantown left Wednesday for Hibbing where they will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Grand Forks spent Wednesday in Goodridge.

Rev. B. Lambert of Bemidji, who is district missionary for the Methodist church, was in town a few days last week and held services here Thursday evening.

John Hoppe went to Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Hans Wick was in Thief River Falls Thursday attending to business.

County Agent J. J. McCann was in town Thursday evening between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halverson, accompanied by their sons and Miss Ella Pelto of Thief River Falls, visited friends in town Sunday afternoon.

T. O. Berg returned to Thief River Falls Friday, after spending a few days in this vicinity.

Miss Sarah Vaughan returned on Sunday from Thief River Falls, after an absence of three weeks, due to illness.

John Bundy of Thief River Falls was a business visitor in town Friday.

Herbert Hanson was in town Friday calling on his friends. Herbert is salesman for a tobacco company.

Miss May Wildes visited friends in Thief River Falls Saturday.

M. O. Seavey attended to business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Martin Olson left Saturday evening for Hibbing, where he will be employed.

Miss Overum of Highlanding returned to Thief River Falls Monday, after spending the week-end at home.

Owen Olson came up from Gully Sunday with a truck and moved his household goods. Mrs. Martin Olson and son Roy, took Mrs. Owen Olson and two children in their car and returned home Monday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jensen and daughter Ruby and son Raymond, spent Sunday in Thief River Falls with friends.

Albert Ereckson of Blair, Wis., returned home Tuesday, after visiting at the Albert Halverson home.

R. H. McDonald and son Harry, were Thief River Falls callers Saturday.

Miss Gladys Wilson was in Thief River Falls Saturday shopping and having dental work done.

Helmer Helgeson of Thief River Falls was in town Saturday evening, enroute to his farm near Highlanding.

Bert Walker of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday enroute to his farm for several days.

Miss Clara Dahlen returned home Tuesday evening from Thief River Falls.

Miss Sadie San left Monday evening for Thief River Falls to visit a few days.

N. T. Jergenson returned Tuesday evening from Thief River Falls.

Birthday Party.

Little Miss Alice Stephenson was very pleasantly surprised by her school mates Monday afternoon in honor of her eleventh birthday. Lunch was served and each guest presented her with a present.

School Notes

The school yard is very pleasing to look at since the clean-up the teachers and pupils held Friday afternoon.

The boys have organized a baseball team and expect to enjoy some real fast games.

Miss Sarah Vaughan returned to school Monday morning and has again taken up her duties in the intermediate grades.

Several of the young ladies enjoyed a picnic lunch Tuesday evening. This makes one feel that spring has really arrived.

Community Meeting.

One of the largest community meetings ever held in this vicinity was held Friday evening. An excellent program had been arranged and was enjoyed by all. The address given by Supt. Ziegler of Thief River Falls was very much appreciated, as were also the musical numbers. Following is the program:

Music, several selections—Goodridge band.
Selection—Girls' Glee club.
Irish Jig—Donald Stein and Stuart Ferdinandsen.
Address—Supt. W. A. Ziegler.
Music, quartette—Misses Mildred Argall and Teresa Giefer and Mr. Nystul and Rev. Hanson.
Business session—Report of Secretary M. G. Thoreson. Report from committee on resolutions. Suggestions from Mr. McCann. General discussion. Vote to adopt or reject resolutions offered by committee.

The committee on resolutions submit the following for your consideration:

1. That the Community club will continue to co-operate and further the general interests and welfare of the community at large.
2. That if arrangements are made for a Tri-County fair this year, the Community club will give its undivided support to the success of the undertaking.
3. That the Community club give its loyal support to provide an agricultural exhibit from Eastern Pennington county at the next Pennington county fair.
4. That the Community club will be the first to give their support to the proposed plan of arranging for a Pennington county booth at the next Minnesota State fair.
5. That the Community Club considers the existence of a band an asset to the village and community and expresses its appreciation of the good will the members of the band have shown in community activities during the past year.
6. That the Community Club realizes the social and educational value of a Lyceum course, and in view of the fact that few other entertainments of a like character exist, we suggest that the business men of Goodridge, following the precedent of other villages, procure and maintain a course for the coming year.
7. That the Community Club appreciate the work of the Farm Bureau and County Agent J. J. McCann in providing a Farmers' Short Course and for his general services to this section of the county throughout the year.
8. That the Community Club recognizes and commends Mr. A. C. Tvedt, the president of the Goodridge Commercial Club, in his untiring efforts to establish a state highway extending from Oklee to Roseau and that the Community Club will do everything in its power to promote this cause.
9. That the Community Club cooperate with the local broard of health in arranging for a general "Clean-up" day in the village of Goodridge.

B. O. NORBY,
THEO. TANDBERG,
JOHN NYSTUL,
Committee.

The resolutions were adopted by the Club.

ST. HILAIRE

Knute Kolstad returned Saturday after having spent two years in the old country with his aged father who still resides in Norway.

Christ Peterson, a former resident of St. Hilaire, now residing at Thief River Falls, transacted business here from Wednesday until Thursday of last week.

Hans I. Rod, who has been employed in Bemidji, arrived the latter part of the week for an indefinite visit at the Hans Rod home.

Miss Dorothy Martz shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mrs. R. Wallen left the latter part of the week for Minneapolis. She has disposed of her property here and will make her home in Minneapolis where her son, Roy, is employed.

Miss Gertrude Blaska spent the week-end at the parental home, returning Sunday to resume her duties as teacher in the rural schools near Red Lake Falls.

Hans Rod transacted business in Thief River Falls last week from Wednesday until Thursday.

Hjalmer Johnson motored over to Ada Saturday for a short visit with relatives.

Dr. Bjerken and I. Dahlin motored to Warren Monday, where the latter entered the Warren hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thor Smidesang of Wylie, motored over and spent the day visiting friends and attending to business matters on Monday.

Miss Lucille Blaska, a student at the Thief River Falls high school, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blaska.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda and baby daughter motored down from their home near Thief River Falls on Sunday and spent the day visiting at the home of Mrs. Janda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalland.

The Misses Selma Hoff and Cornelia Brevik, Mrs. S. M. Hoff and Mrs. Wm. Zahn and baby, motored to Thief River Falls Wednesday and spent the day shopping.

Miss Carrie Holdahl who has been employed at Fargo, N. D., came Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. H. O. Holdahl.

Miss Lulu Allen is at home enjoying a week's vacation from her duties as teacher near Lancaster.

Miss Tora Johnson arrived Saturday from Angesdeal, Sweden, to visit at the N. A. Nelson home and with her aunt, Mrs. John Norman.

Supt. Ullering and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Slette of the Red Lake Falls schools motored here on Saturday afternoon for a short visit with Miss Blanche Hoff and to arrange for the staging of their senior class play which will be given here on Friday evening.

Stanley Olsen arrived Tuesday morning from Markville, Minn., where he has been employed as operator with the Great Northern Railway, for an indefinite stay at home.

B. T. Johnson motored over to Grand Forks Monday on a brief business tour returning the same evening.

Sam Pearson left Tuesday morning for Fort Francis, Canada, where he will seek employment.

Mrs. Alma Annette of Bemidji spent Thursday and Friday of last week here.

J. J. McCann, county agent, was in town for a short while on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Richards accompanied her husband to Thief River Falls last Thursday, returning the same evening. Mr. Richards left Thief River Falls the following morning for Pine River.

A. O. Brevik and Rev. Laerfallen motored here from Rudell on Tuesday for a brief visit at the T. M. Brevik home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brandt and daughter, Anna, and Mr. Schneider of Wylie, motored to Thief River Falls on Monday.

Miss Ruth Roy resumed her teaching in Polk Center on Monday after having been confined to her home for several weeks on account of illness.

Mr. Nerdahl, blacksmith at Wm. Olson's shop, returned here Monday evening after a Sunday visit at his home in Mahnomen.

228 BANK OFFICERS FROM ONE SCHOOL

The election of L. I. Walden as cashier of the First National Bank of Leeds, marks the 228th case in which a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., has become a bank officer. Eight officials are in Fargo banks alone.

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	Produced	Delivered to Retail Customers
JANUARY	29,883	57,208
FEBRUARY	35,305	63,603
MARCH	61,886	87,221
Total Production	127,074	Total Retail Sales 208,032

showing that actual sales for the first three months of 1921 exceeded production by 80,958 Ford cars and trucks!

April requisitions already specify 107,719 additional cars and trucks and the estimated April output of the factory and assembly plants combined calls for only 90,000!

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Among Our Neighbors

ESPLEE

Allyn Turnbull made a business trip Thief River Falls by team last eek, returning with a load.

Henry Olson is at present staying ith Fred Solley.

Fred Solley transacted business in Goodridge on Monday.

Jacob Einerson and son, Harold, lled at the C. Erickson home Mony.

Edmund and Otter Fiskevold spent ursday evening at Fred Solley's ne.

lbert and Ottar Fiskevold helped s. Shirdian saw wood on Friday. arfield and Arthur Erickson were ers at the Erickson home last rsday evening.

rthur, Garfield and Edmund kevold pleasantly spent Saturday ning visiting with Fred Solley and ily.

Albert Fiskevold transacted busis in Goodridge last Saturday.

Herman Solley and Edmund and rman Johnson and Seymore Evenwere pleasantly entertained at s Fiskevold's home Sunday aftern.

r. and Mrs. Peter Strand visited h W. E. Chapman and family last day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ballou transactd business in Esplee one day last ek.

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Herman Solley was a caller at the iskevold home Friday.

Lillie and Thelma Erickson enjoy a Sunday afternoon visit at the H. iesow home.

Jake Einerson called on Fred Solley londay.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman left for Thief iver Falls on Monday morning here she is to undergo an operation r tonsilitis.

Dr. C. M. Adkins called on friends Esplee and Grygla Sunday.

rs. Fred Solley arrived home from alma where she and her daughter, elma, have been visiting with relaes and friends for a while.

Martin Overby and Clifford Roller of Germantown were out to see Henry Olson one day last week.

Last Tuesday occurred the marriage of Mrs. Lang of Goodridge to Frank Pittman of Esplee. Their many friends wish the couple a long and happy married life.

Otto Kiesow and Carl Erickson transacted business at Esplee one day last week.

Otto Kiesow was a caller at the Fred Solley home last Wednesday.

Nels, Bjorn and Kitty Christianson, Alfred Sundberg and others from Thorhult, were callers in Esplee last Friday evening enroute for Thief River Falls.

Fred Solley and son, Herman, have been quite busy the last week sawing wood. They finished a job of sawing at Fiskevold's Thursday.

Carl Erickson had the great misfortune in having two large stacks of hay burn down last week. Albert Anderson's house was also burned down.

Geo. Wilson, Allyn Turnbull and Johnny Gangness were Esplee callers Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Carlson and children, and Miss Poirier visited at the home of Paul Sund one evening last week.

Thomas Cullen made a business trip to Thief River Falls last week.

Henry Olson was over at Chas. Shirdian's and got his horses home in time to do spring work.

Richard, Henry and Willie Kiesow left for Hibbing last Wednesday.

Mr. Bodanski of Hibbing was in Esplee last week looking over some land.

Elmer Blaine called on Jake Einerson last Wednesday.

Albert Fiskevold and Chas. Shirdian left for Hibbing last Thursday where they will be employed for a while.

Amanda Englund arrived home last Saturday for a stay with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Miller of Wahpeton, N. D., are enjoying a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Miller here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Erickson transacted business in Goodridge Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Basgaard and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Miller on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Hanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Dahl of Goodridge, M. K. Woldstad, Edmund, Ottar and Esther Fiskevold, were guests at the Fred Solley home Sunday.

Mildred Jahr and Arthur and Axel Sund visited at the home of Mrs. J. G. Nelson on Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Solley transacted business at Esplee on Monday.

Henry Olson was an Esplee caller on Monday.

The Erickson brothers, Henry Olson and Edmund Fiskevold called at the home of Warren Lewis Saturday evening.

Pete Carlson and family autoed to Grygla Sunday to attend services.

Allan Swanton and Elder Mehnog were Sunday visitors at the home of Paul P. Sund.

Clifford Miller was a caller in Esplee on Snuday.

Mildred Jahr transacted business in Grygla on Saturday.

The spring work has commenced in this neighborhood and the weather is just grand.

W. E. Chapman and Pete Carlson were transacting business in Goodridge on Monday.

Miss Sidig made a trip to Esplee one day last week.

STEINER

E. Slack was a Thief River Falls caller Friday.

Mrs. M. O. Saugen transacted business in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. Russell and his sister, Mrs. Cork, visited at the Rogers' home one day last week.

O. Berg was a caller at Steiner the first of the week.

Emmones Rogers and Louis Meyer were Holt callers Wednesday.

Esther Meyer returned home from Thief River Falls where she has been staying during the past winter.

A. Simonson called at the Rogers home the last of the week.

Louis Meyer attended to business in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

R. Warner and W. Warring were Holt callers the first of the week.

Mrs. Agnes Warring visited Mrs. S. Waring Thursday.

Willis Warring and his mother went to town the last part of the week.

Mrs. J. Whitman was a Thief River Falls caller the last of the week.

"Pat" Roark held an auction sale on the farm known as the T. Ristegen farm last Tuesday. The sale was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. August Koglin drove to Thief River Falls Tuesday where they attended to business matters.

Miss Mathilda and Julius Liden were Wednesday afternoon callers at the Peter Solem home.

The Berg family motored to Steiner Tuesday afternoon in their Briscoe car, on business.

P. Liden and daughter, Mathilda motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday where they spent the afternoon on business.

The Sunday school at Steiner reopened a few weeks ago in the local schoolhouse, after having been closed for some time.

L. Williams and son Harold were business visitors at Thief River Falls last week.

Victor Swanson of Thief River Falls, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Turge Brekke, of that place, called at the home of his uncle, C. A. Swanson, Sunday.

Prairie fires have been burning all around Steiner last and this week, but no serious damage has been reported.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Hans Jorsted visited at Mrs. Martin Johnson's last Sunday.

Miss Lena Ristau visited with Tillie Ristau Tuesday evening.

Benard Bendickson spent Wednesday forenoon at the John Phillip home.

Mrs. Will Wayne and son visited with relatives and friends at Goodridge one day last week.

Martinus Johnson was a caller at Goodridge Monday.

Will Muldoon was a caller at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Wm. Jones spent Wednesday at the Martinus Johnson home.

Mrs. A. Magee called at the John Philipp home Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Roller and daughters, were Mavie callers Tuesday.

John Clausen called at the L. Hamre home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Boyce were shoppers at Goodridge Saturday.

Messrs. Gustaf and Eddie Ristau were Mavie callers Saturday.

Benard Bendickson was a business caller at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited with Mrs. Martinus Johnson Tuesday.

H. Nabben called at the A. Johnson home Wednesday.

Henry Roller called at the Will Wayne home Tuesday.

Benard and Silva Bendickson were callers at Mavie one day last week.

Guests at the Louis Bendickson home Sunday were Mrs. Seraphine Rolland and children, Augustine, Lucy, Louise and Marshall, Helen and Melvin Longevan and Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Boyce were at the Henry Longevan home Thursday evening.

Olaf Thuraldson spent Wednesday at the Louis Bendickson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Boyce visited callers at Goodridge Saturday.

Mr. Sicoure was a guest at the S. Rolland home Sunday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl was a caller at Germantown one day last week.

MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bakke and children were guests at the J. Solberg home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rosli and Mr. and Mrs. Wedul spent Sunday afternoon at the Stennes home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Asp and children spent Sunday in Erie.

Miss Sadie Omdahl visited with her sister, Mrs. Roisland, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brekke and children visited at the Wedul home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Asp was a business caller in Hazel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jasperson and son Lewis spent Sunday at the D. O. Roisland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rosli visited at the Wedul home over Saturday and Sunday.

Clarence Hesby of Kratka and Warner Borgeld, called at the H. C. Cooper home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Anna Wedul called on Mrs. E. Bakke Monday afternoon.

Misses Marie and Jennie Cooper and Beatrice Omdahl visited with Beatrice Wedul Sunday.

Mrs. Evenson and son Edwin called at the J. P. Asp home Thursday afternoon.

A. J. Stennes was a business caller in Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cooper spent Sunday evening at the J. P. Asp home.

Albert Cooper is busy helping Mr. Borgell with spring work.

Arthur Omdahl was a caller in Oklee last Saturday.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

John Dahl transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

John Skomedal accompanied his father to Grand Forks last week where the latter sought medical aid.

Theodore Joppru spent last week in Thief River Falls on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Swanson were callers at the John Skomedal home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hans Peterson spent Sunday at the Oscar Joppru home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkens were out joy riding Sunday in their new car.

Soren Bergland and son Gunstyn of Thief River Falls were callers at the Skomedal home Sunday.

Mr. Muland purchased a new car last week.

Almost all the farmers in this locality attended the Patrick Roark sale.

Gunny, Tarkel and Miss Julia Ose spent Sunday at the Gunstyn Skomedal home.

Ingward Peterson called at the Guttrue home Sunday forenoon.

Martin and Henry Johnson and Oscar Guttrue called at the Klungness home last Monday.

Isaac Isaacson purchased five head of cattle at the P. Roark sale last week.

Gunstyn Bergland, Gunstyn and Oluf Skomedal, Ingward Peterson and Theodore Joppru were visitors at the John Dahl home Sunday afternoon.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.11
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.03
Oats	.24
Flax	1.29
Barley	[illegible]
Rye	1.02
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	4.40
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	.300
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.11
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-22
Stags	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.20
Dairy butter	.30
Creamery butter	.40
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

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Legal Notices

Notice For Bids For Purchase of Frame Building.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of the frame building situate on Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block 11, Meehan's Addition to Thief River Falls, on Third Street, immediately east of the Soo Depot, payment to be cash, the building to be removed within 20 days from date of sale. Bids must be accompanied by certified check payable to the Treasurer of the Sons of Norway Building Corporation of Thief River Falls, to guarantee carrying out of proposals in the event of acceptance. If bid is not accepted, check to be returned. Bids will be opened at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of said corporation on April 26th, 1921. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated April 18, 1921.
T. J. REBERSON,
Secretary Sons of Norway Building Corporation of Thief River Falls.
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Tax Judgment Sale.

Pursuant to a Real Estate Tax Judgment of the District Court, of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, entered the 17th day of March, 1921, in proceedings for enforcing payment of taxes and penalties upon real estate in the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday of January, 1921, and of the statutes in such case made and provided, I shall on Monday the 9th day of May, 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at my office in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, and County of Pennington, sell the lands which are charged with taxes, penalties and costs in said Judgment, and on which taxes shall not have been previously paid.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1921.
T. P. Anderson,
Auditor of Pennington County.
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Proposal For School Building at Mavie, Minnesota.

Sealed proposals will be received at Mavie, Minnesota by the school board of Common School District No. 15, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, until Two P. M. (2 p. m.) April 29th, for the erection and completion of a school building on Sec. 20, Twp. of Cloverleaf, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for four per cent (4%) of the amount of the bid, payable to the School Board of Common School District No. 15, Pennington County, Minnesota, which check will be returned, when building contract is executed, or when said school board does not accept the bid.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Copies of plans and specifications of this building may be seen at Farmers State Bank, Mavie, Minn.

C. M. TALLEY,
Clerk, Dist. No. 15, County of Pennington, Minnesota.
a14-21-28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twenty-one-hundred-eighty-three and 18-100ths ($2183.18) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John Arntson and Thilda Arntson, his wife, Mortgagors, to First State Bank of Gully, Minnesota, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of January, 1919, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 493, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North half of the northeast quarter (N½NE¼), southwest quarter of the northeast quarter (SW¼NE¼), northwest quarter of the southeast quarter (NW¼SE¼) of section twenty-four (24), township one-hundred-fifty-two (152), north of range thirty-nine (39), west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one-hundred-sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 14th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2183.18, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 30th, A. D. 1921.
FIRST STATE BANK OF GULLY, MINNESOTA, A CORPORATION,
Mortgagee.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagee's Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
m31-a-7-14-21-28-m5

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 99-100 ($994.99) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William G. Hunt and Harriet Hunt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 446.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation by written assignment dated the 14th day of May, 1918, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 19th day of March, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 117, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven and Eight (7 and 8) in Section Twenty-nine (29), and the East one-half (E½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Thirty-one (31), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-three North, of Range numbered Forty (40) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of the said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 6th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 99-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, A. D. 1921.
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Thief River Falls, a Corporation,
Assignee of the Mortgagee.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
m-24-31-a7-14-21-28

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Property at 824 LaBree Av[illegible] 12

FOR SALE—Three cows. One will freshen [illegible] day, price $65. One, fresh last [illegible], price $45. One fresh six weeks ago, price $40. H. Strandwold, 2 miles west of city. 11p

FOR SALE—Ford Sedan, new last October. Write Herbert Bergquist, Rt. 1, Box 51. 12

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching. Pure bred Rhode Island Reds, 50 cents per dozen. Also Guernsey bull calf, 5 mos. old. Albert Johnson, R. 3, City. 12p

FOR SALE—Complete wireless receiving set. For particulars write A. J. Kenney, Warren, Minn. 11tf

FOR SALE—165 acres best prairie, 20 acres woods, in Section 9 between Viking and Newfolden. Perfect drainage. $35 per acre. Terms. Write owner, I. A. Olsen, 421 Palace Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE CHEAP—6 room house, all modern but heat. 75-foot lot and garage. O. C. Parbst, 810 Main Ave. N. 11tf

FOR SALE—Spring seed rye. Andrew Breznay, Stop 7 Electric line, Germantown Rt., City. 12p

FOR SALE—10 young pigs, $2.50 each, 5 weeks old May 10. Henry Rondorf, R R No 1, St. Hilaire, Minn. 12

FOR SALE—Two White Leghorn roosters. Syverson Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 10tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Holland turkey hens, $5.00. Eggs 40c each; setting of 9, $3.00. N. A. Nelson, R. 1, Box 75 B, Phone 17F23. 13p

FOR SALE—700 bushel Big Four seed oats. Absolutely clean. Call 411 Riverside Ave., P. P. Palmer. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Percheron stallion, registered and licensed, by Wm. Hanse, Mavie, Minn. 12

FOR SALE—Span of bay geldings, wt. 3200 pounds. Also seed flax. W. E. Smith, Thief River Falls, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue South. George Nicholson. 4tf

FOR SALE—Seven acres adjoining city, with good house, barn and garage. E. F. DeVelling, City. 10tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—Two fresh cows with calf at side. Also team of horses 5 years old. Charles Schnabel, R. 1, City. 11p

FOR SALE—Good timothy hay, seven miles east and four miles north. August Johnson, Germantown Route, City 11p

FOR SALE—One matched team of horses, 8 years old. Weight 2800. Arthur Muzzy, R. 2, City. 11p

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting from prize winning Single Comb black Minorcas, $1.00 per setting of 13. Also some Plymouth Rock eggs at 50c. F. G. Dols, Rosewood, Minn. 11p

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island eggs for hatching, $1.50 for 15; $7 for 100. T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls. 11p

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—Furniture for five room flat. Inquire at Times office. 11p

FOR SALE—New five passenger Maxwell car at 25 per cent discount. Inquire of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn. 10tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Automobile with commercial body, full curtains. Cheap if sold soon. H. M. Evenstad, 322 Horace Ave. N. 11p

FOR SALE—Cow coming fresh in May, and 3 good horses. Or will consider a trade for a grain separator, 22 or 24 in. preferred. Oscar Evenson, Germantown Rt. NE¼ Sec. 13, Silverton Twp. 6tf

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs. Black Leghorn, dark Cornish, Game Bantams. Geo. Leimers, Thief River Falls, Minn. 8tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 6Rf

MUST SELL 6-room house on the river bank in Thief River Falls. $500.00 down will buy it. Cheap if taken at once. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 7tf

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 6Rtf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1153, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—300 bushels of clean White Russian seed oats. Write or call Theo Blomberg, R. 1, Thief River Falls. 10tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 502. Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE—Feed oats, 50c per bushel. J. O. Rønning, Phone 15-F-111. 11p

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the SE¼, Sec. 18, Town of Rolner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 80 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn—C. W. Vorachek. 2tf

FOR SALE—16 in. John Deere breaking plow and white blossom sweet clover. Frank Macak, Germantown, Minn., one mile north of Stop 7, Electric line. 10tf

FOR SALE—Lot and barn. 611 LaBree Ave. N. 10tf

FOR SALE—White Blossom Sweet Clover. Hulled 98% purity, $3.00 bu. Unhulled $1.25 bu. Dan Stonehouse, Plummer, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre river farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write R. K. Callaway. 3tf

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Wyandotte eggs for hatching, $1.00 per 15; $6 per 100. Mrs. Syver Nohre, Thief River Falls, Minn., Rt. 1. 11p

FOR SALE—Three lots in Thief River Falls. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First & Peoples State Bank. 9tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR HAY—International revolving hay stacker and two bull rakes. Nearly new. Price $100.00. Good strong wagon with 100-bushel tank. Price $75.00. Heavy running gear, 3 years old $30.00. John Deere gang, 2 sets new shoes, $50.00. Old harness, $10.00. Disc drill $30.00. Will take good feeding hay at $10.00 per ton on cars. Samuel Maxwell, Humboldt, Minn. 12p

FOR TRADE—Iowa farms to trade for Western Minnesota farms. Farmers Co-Operative Land Co. 12pd

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House on East Side, 6 rooms. Barn, woodshed, 2 wells, good water, 50 foot lot, $22.50 per month. Address Mrs. M. A. Golonn, Hankinson, N. D. 12p

FOR RENT—May 1: Five-room house. Inquire Fred Holzknecht. 12p

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Bratrud. 10tf

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, SE¼ of Section 6, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares. C. P. Brorby, Kratka. 10tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 10tf

FOR SALE—One of the best all modern homes in city. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, C. T. Christenson, 413 Main Ave. N. 9tf

FOR RENT—Fifty acres of field, all summer fallowed, SE¼ of Section 6, Township 153, Range 41. Will rent on shares.—C. P. Brorby, Kratka.

FOR RENT—Improved place about 130 acres, 8 miles east of Thief River Falls at Stop 8 on Electric road. Will give extra good terms and will furnish some seed. Write at once to H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Nebr. 12p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 11p

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED — Middle aged woman would like position as housekeeper. Call or inquire 422 Conley Ave. South. 11p

WANTED—Position by competent stenographer with three years experience. Harriett Curtin, Grygla, Minn. 11p

FOUND

FOUND—Heavy red rubber rain coat on Arnold avenue. Finder apply to P. J. Jacobson, 323 Arnold avenue N. 11p

LOST

LOST—Between McFarland garage and State Ave., a rubberoid coat, pair of gauntlets in coat pocket. Finder kindly return to Times office. 11p

LOST—In downtown section of City: Gold wrist watch on black ribbon strap. Bears inscription "From Hubby." Finder return to Hotel Evelyn for reward. 11

MISCELLANEOUS

RAG CARPET AND RUG WEAVING—I am now prepared to take care of all orders entrusted to me for rag carpets and rugs. Work guaranteed strictly first-class. Prices reasonable. 610 State

WANTED TO BUY—Have buyers for farms on crop payment. Farmers Co-Operative Land Co. 12p

WANTED TO TRADE—A good house for 80 or 160 acres farm. Will pay part cash in deal. Write Box 1124, City.

WANT TO BUY about 300 everbearing strawberry plants. Write H 9, Times. 11p

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 306, Grand Forks, N. D. 2tf

COMFORTABLE, small house for rent or sale. Inquire at once at John Bratrud's office. 10tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, First St. E. 107tf

WANTED—A medium sized house, in this city, in good location, at moderate price. Have an improved farm to sell, and will prefer house that can be taken in as part payment on farm. What have you to sell or trade? Write No. 70, care of Times. 11p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

WANTED—80 or 160 acre improved farm with fair buildings close to some good town and school. If you want to sell and need the money, here is your chance to get the cash. Give your lowest cash price. No land man or agency need apply. Give full information about your place and buildings. I will be here about May 1. Don't write unless you mean business for cash. Write B S, Times. 11p

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM parties residing within Pennington County that have 40, 80, 160 acre tracts of land to dispose of. W. A. Swanson, Rhoda, Minn. 11p

WANTED—Sheep shearing. Write for full information. Ole Engelstad, R. 3, Thief River Falls. 11p

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"Granny" Chamberlain

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Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

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Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

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Building materials of all kinds can be bought cheaper today than will be possible a month from now, according to all indications. Producers cannot forever keep on turning out their product at less than cost. That is just what they are doing at this time and the man who builds under present conditions will save money.

If you want the best in the market, buy from us. But no matter who you buy from—buy now.

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ST. HILAIRE FARMERS GET BEHIND MOVE TO BUILD NEW CREAMERY

Enterprising Business Men of Village Also Subscribe For Block of Stock to Help Get this Most Important Work Under Way.

The St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery will be housed in its own modern plant before summer is over, according to present plans, says the Spectator of that village. Realizing the need for more room and better equipment, the board has accepted plans for a new building which will be located on the company's downtown location, the lots formerly used by the Hotel Markham. Plans call for a building size 44x66, all brick and concrete construction. A full basement will be built, which will house the boiler, and balance will be used for storage. The ground floor plan calls for office and rest room in front, large work room in the center, warehouse and refrigerator plant in the rear. All machinery will be electrically operated thereby doing away with all dirt and smoke incident to a steam plant. The whole plan is extremely well made, and the building will be one of the best and most conveniently arranged in this part of the state.

Solicitors are at work in tributary territory this week selling stock which is the method adopted for raising the necessary money to build with. Thirty minutes work in the village last Friday resulted in over $3,000.00 worth of stock being taken by citizens.

Goldsmith-Kollen Mat Event Set For Friday

Indications are that the wrestling match to be staged at the Lyceum theaer here on Friday nigh by Charlie Goldsmith of Crystal, N. D., and Henry Kooln of Greenbush, will be the big event of the sport season. Goldsmith has picked up a great reputation in his home state for muscle power and knowledge of the art of wrestling. Koon, who has frequently been seen in action here, has a good many backers in northwestern Minnesota. During the past month he successfully downed E. B. Johnson of Staples in a match staged at that place, Johnson has to his credit the throwing of Jack Milo, well known Greek middle-weight. Goldsmith and Kooln will wrestle here at catch weights.

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AUDITORIUM, THIEF RIVER FALLS

Thursday Evening, April 28

Under the direction of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet.
Choral Accompanist, H. O. Chommie

Program

1. Overture—"La Dame Blanche" .... F. A. Boieldieu
Concert Orchestra
2. (a) "Pilgrim's Chorus" .... Richard Wagner
(b) Requiem .... J. A. Josephson
Brage Chorus
3. Dialogue (Zweigespruch) .... Erick-Meyer Helmund
Concert Orchestra
4. (a) "En Vaarnat" (A Spring Night) .... Oscar Borg
J. T. Neseth, Soloist
(b) "Sangfaglarne" (The Songbirds) .... O. Lindblad
(c) "Ingalill" (Little Inga) .... Gustaf Noren
Brage Chorus
5. (a) "Dost Thou Know That Sweet Land?" (from the opera "Mignon") .... A. Thomas
(b) "An Open Secret" .... Woodman
Mrs. Gay Halvorson, Soprano
Accompanist, Mrs. Clarence Erickson
6. (a) "Saterjentens Sondag" (The Chalet Girl's Sunday) .... Ole Bull
Carl Sundahl, Soloist
(b) "Vart Land" (Our Country), a Finish National Air .... J. A. Josephson
Brage Chorus
7. Overture—Hungarian Lustspiel .... Keler Bela
Concert Orchestra
8. (a) "Hostandagt" (Autumn Worship) .... F. A. Reissiger
J. T. Neseth, Soloist
(b) "My Old Kentucky Home" .... Stephen Foster
Brage Chorus
9. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 6, last movement .... Liszt
Palma Langseth, Piano
10. (a) "Torpflickan" (The Peasant Girl) .... Christenson
Carl Sundahl, Soloist
(b) "I Varens Tid" (In the Springtime) .... Aug. Korling
(c) "Spise-Sedelen" (The Menu) .... C. Zellner
Brage Chorus
11. "Intermezzo Russe" .... Th. Franke
Concert Orchestra
12. "Blue Danube Waltz" (Vocal arrangement. "Greetings to Spring") .... Strauss
Brage Chorus
13. Overture—"The Calif of Bagdad" .... R. A. Boieldieu
Concert Orchestra

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293 BABIES BORN IN PENNINGTON COUNTY IN 1920; 155 DEATHS

Eastern Townships Doing Particularly Well In Keeping Up Population. Arrivals Lead by Good Margin in City.

Two hundred and ninety-three births were recorded in Pennington county during the year 1920 as against a total of 155 deaths, according to a statement returned to Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund on Monday by he Minnesota State Board of Health and Vital Statistics. This is the annual statement compiled from returns forwarded to the state board by town clerks and health officers.

Thief River Falls stands forth in the list with 135 births recorded as against 83 deaths. In Rocksbury township the death rate was highest, the cause being attributed to he location there of the Oakland Park Sanitorium to which many tubercular patients are sent when in a very critical condition. Twenty-three deaths and eight births were recorded in the township. In no other district in the county did the number of deaths exceed the number of births, with the exception of Black River and Goodridge townships where bnut one death and no births were recorded.

Hickory township proved the most prolific for the year, registering 16 births and but two deaths. Deer Park ran a close second in this respect with seven births and one death. In the village of Goodridge occurred five deaths during the year, five births evening the toll.

The remarkable fact concerning the birth and death rate for the county as shown by statisics on file in the clerk of court's office is that the death rate has been steadily increasing during the past five years, while the birth rate has been steadily decreasing. The death total for the past year was exceptionally high oying to the toll taken by the epidemic of influenza which reached its height during January and February. Statistics compiled for the state show that the death rate for January, February and March of the present year is smaller than ever before in its history for any season of the year. The following tabulation shows the trend of the birth and death rate in Pennington county during the past five years:

Year	Births	Deaths
1916	282	108
1917	327	122
1918	323	142
1919	296	143
1920	293	155

Dr. J. Biedermann, city health officer, states that the situation is righting itself during the present year. Forty-five births have already been recorded for January, February and March. Sixteen deaths have occurred in the city since January 1 as compared with 32 during the same period of last year. Nature is asserting herself by bringing forth twins in astonishing numbers.

The births and deaths in Pennington county during 1920 as shown by districts were as follows:

Black River twp.	0	1
Bray twp.	6	1
Cloverleaf twp.	6	2
Deer Park twp.	7	1
Goodridge village	5	1
Goodridge twp.	0	1
Hickory twp.	16	2
Highlanding twp.	10	3
Kratka twp.	5	1
Mayfield twp.	6	1
Norden twp.	8	7
North twp.	12	4
Numedal twp.	9	1
Polk Center twp.	5	2
Reiner twp.	5	1
River Falls twp.	6	3
Rocksbury twp.	8	23
St. Hilaire village	5	5
Sanders twp.	7	1
Silverton twp.	10	2
Smiley twp.	11	3
Star twp.	12	2
Wyandotte twp.	5	1
Thief River Falls	135	83
Total	293	155

OPENING WEEK OF MAY CLEANUP TIME

Mayor Issues Proclamation Calling on Citizens to Beautify Their Premises.

Whereas, It is in the interest of safeguarding the good health of our citizens, in promoting their thrift, in furthering fire protection, in stimulating civic pride and in making the individual home and in general Thief River Falls beautiful, and

Whereas, Every individual and resident of Thief River Falls has those interests at heart,

Now, Therefore, As Mayor of the city of Thief River Falls, I do hereby set aside and proclaim the week of May 2 to 7 to be observed as Thief River Falls Beautiful Week.

And request that each and every resident of the city take it upon himself or herself during this week to do their part toward beautifying the city.

Such is the text of a proclamation issued on Friday by Mayor John Bratrud. Its purpose is clearly outlined. Many ways in which the city can be beautified have been suggested: the raking and cleaning up of vacant lots, the planting of trees along drive-ways and on residence property, whether or not at present occupied by dwelling houses or other buildings; the planting of flowers or ornamental shrubs. In the beautifying process may be included the painting of frame buildings and the making of other minor repairs. The city starts the good work off well with the entering into of a contract to have the wagon bridge across the Red Lake river on Bridge street given two coats of paint. Work will begin on the contract at once.

Mayor Bratrud regards the chief item in the "City Beautiful" as cleanliness but urges property owners not to stop there. Dr. J. Biedermann, city health officer, states that in his tours of inspection he has found that as a rule premises are being given a thorough cleaning, lawns are being raked, rubbish is being burned, vacant lots are being dressed up, garbage is being hauled to the public dumping grounds, and the city fast becoming wholesome looking and sanitary. He states that in only four or five cases have complaints of insanitation been filed and that in these instances property owners have readily complied with his suggestions. He has advertised that on Many 1 a city ordinance will be enforced where steps have not been taken to alleviate unsanitary conditions. This ordinance provides that the work in question be done by the city and charged against the property for collection with other taxes.

BREEN SAYS HE NOW FEELS FINE

Minneapolis Man Hasn't a Sign of Indigestion or Rheumatism Since Taking Tanlac.

"All my troubles are a thing of the past and I never felt better in my life, since taking Tanlac," said J. W. Breen, 9 Wishington Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

"I began suffering from rheumatism and indigestion about three years ago, and although I tried nearly everything I just kept getting worse. My arms ached so much I could hardly stand it. Many nights I had such fearful headaches I could not sleep a wink and the following day I would be awfully dizzy.

"My appetite was so poor that when I ventured to eat a square meal gas would form in my stomach and I would be in misery for hours afterwards. I was badly constipated and always had to be taking something for that as well as my other troubles, but nothing helped me in the least.

"Finally Tanlac was recommended to me so highly I bought a bottle. I soon noticed a wonderful improvement. I am now on my sixth bottle and haven't an ache nor a pain of any kind."

May Secure German Cannon, All We Need Now is Park

Thief River Falls may come into possession of a German cannon or field piece captured by the American army during the late war as a result of bills introduced in the house on Friday by Congressman Halvor Steenerson. Other cities and villages included in the bills authorizing the secretary of war to donate relics from the stupenduous store held by the war department are: Barnesville, Bagley, Mahnomen, Fergus Falls, Ada, Moorhead, Hallock, Warren, Detroit, Crookston, Red Lake Falls, Roseau, Donaldson, Breckenridge and Winger.

Until congress agrees upon the method of distributing captured German paraphernalia, such can only be secured by communities through bills introduced by congressmen. What type of war trophy is wanted and the city or town for which it is requested must be stated.

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Any man or woman who keeps Sloan's handy will tell you that same thing

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Proceeds From Carload of Hay May Pay Cost of Wire

Tom Lewis, a pioneer settler of Esplee, on August 23, 1920, shipped a carload of hay from Goodridge to the White Grain company, commission men of Duluth. G. Howard Smith, Thief River Falls attorney, on April 18, 1921, succeeded in collecting the proceeds of $9.41 on the entire car of hay. With the firm's check for that amount was an itemized statement for the cost of effecting the sale. The statement included:

12,680 lbs. hay		$87.96
Freight	$47.35	
Switch charge	5.15	
Commission	10.00	
Storage, 3 months	16.05	
		$78.55
Net proceeds		$ 9.41

Accompanying the check and statement was a letter which contained the following paragraph:

"You will note that we have only charged for three months' storage. If we had charged in full for storage, you would be owing us money." The commission firm alleges that the hay was of poor quality and should never have been shipped to market but kept for use on the farm. Attorney Smith states that he didn't have the heart to keep the check as his commission for collecting on the account, as in that case he would have had to bill the Esplee farmer for an additional 59 cents.

Boy Scouts Have Wireless Stations in Their Homes

The First Troop of Boy Scouts took their initial hike on Tuesday evening with Rev. J. B. Smith, scout committeeman, acting as leader. Scout activities for the spring season are already well under way. A troop ball team has been organized, hike programs have been arranged and courses in out-of-doors instruction mapped out. Preparations are also being made to assist in Decoration Day ceremonies to be conducted here.

Scouts Willis Nason and Cleon Bottelson, who are specializing in wireless telegraphy, have installed complete wireless transmitting and receiving apparatus in their homes at 210 St. Paul avenue south and 307 Bridge street, respectively. Antenna have been rigged to housetops in accordance with the latest developments in the science and messages are being transmitted and received daily. The boys are rapidly becoming proficient in handling the Morse code and will later install more powerful equipment in order to be able to receive news flashings from the central stations of Minnesota.

Mrs. Crandall (Iowa) Tells How She Stopped Chicken Losses

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CLUB DELEGATES MAKE TRIP OVER HISTORIC TRAIL

Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls Business Men Inspect "J-H" Routes.

Make Journey to Karlstad by Way of Holt, Middle River and Strathcona.

Opinion Prevails That Old Plan of Travel is Best at the Present Time.

As a result of a tour conducted from here to Karlstad and return by members of the good roads committees of the Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls Commercial clubs on Thursday afternoon, tourists over the *Jefferson highway this season, and* possibly for many seasons to come, will continue to travel north and south over the historic old Pembina trail—a trail that was once used by the Indian tribes of the Great Northwest in passing to and from the cities of the upper Mississippi valley. A route later taken by ox carts plying back and forth between points in northwestern Minnesota, Northern North Dakota, the Canadian provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan and Minneapolis, then the village of St. Anthony and the terminus of railroads and river-boat lines. In the days of old the trip would have taken many days' time; the tour of Thursday was accomplished in exactly four hours. It was brought about by a proposal to change the present routing of the Jefferson Highway north of here from the Pembina trail to the comparatively modern highway through Holt, Middle River, Strathcona and from there to Karlstad.

Decide on Inspection Trip.

The good roads committee of the Red Lake Falls club first suggested the changing of the present route in view of the fact that Thief River Falls and cities south of here are not getting the traffic which the Jefferson Highway as a Gulf-to-Winnipeg road should carry. As a result of the proposal, members of the Red Lake Falls Commercial club, and particularly the members of the good roads committee, were extended an invitation to confer with the Commercial club of this city on the subject at the weekly club luncheon last Thursday noon. Representative citizens from Holt and Middle River were also invited to be present for the discussion. The attendance at the noonday event was unusually large. Following an hour's discussion in which visiting speakers voiced a friendly co-operative spirit, the decision to make a rapid and preliminary tour of both that section of the Jefferson in question and the proposed route was reached.

Six cars carrying about 25 persons made the trip in a running time of exactly four hours, leaving here at a few minutes before 2 o'clock and returning at 6:30. Karlstad was the objective, the proposed route being traveled first. Roads between Thief River Falls and Strathcona as a whole were found to be in good condition, with maintenance work being done. The 16-mile stretch between Strathcona and Karlstad, as one member of the party remarked, "took the joy out of life," because of its poor condition. The highway is made up by stretches of black-dirt and clay road that with a slight rainfall would become practically impassable for motor driven vehicles. Over four miles of high-thrown drainage ditch grade was encountered just before reaching Karlstad, where the inspecting party stopped for a light lunch. The running time to Karlstad was two hours. Speedometers gave the mileage as 51.4 miles.

Prominent citizens of the last named village stated that the "east" road is being used by south-bound travelers during the dry seasons of the year. Garage men when questioned advised the use of the Pembina trail as a somewhat shorter route. The distance to Thief River Falls was given in a varying number of miles.

Pembina Route Shortest.

The return trip over the Jefferson Highway, which as at present marked follows the Pembina trail much of the way, was accomplished in the same time as the up-trip. Speedometers gave the distance to the starting point at Thief River Falls as 49.5 miles, or an advantage over the proposed route of slightly less than 2 miles. The trail itself proved a delightful experience and something novel in the way of roads. Fully four miles of rough going was encountered in making the detour which is necessitated by the absence of small bridges over the Snake and Middle rivers.

Upon reaching Thief River Falls the entire party was entertained at an Evelyn Hotel beefsteak dinner by C. L. Hansen, chairman of the good roads committee of the local Commercial club. Club President W. A. Hall, Jr., acted as toastmaster for the congenial discussion of the trip which followed the dinner. Many speakers voiced the sentiments of the assemblage when the importance of a good all-weather highway north and south out of Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls and the advantages of securing the tourist traffic, were commented upon as being the issue in question. Grave danger was expressed in that with the construction work to be done on the Babcock system of roads, of which the east route as far as Strathcona is a part, the Jefferson Highway must be lost to this section of the state. The advantages and disadvantages of both routes were thoroughly considered and commented upon. Almost without exception members of the party spoke of the "lure of the trail" and the regrets that must accompany its abandonment. It was the last which, coupled with the improbability of the north end of the east route shortly being made suitable for automobile traffic during wet weather, brought the members of the gathering to a point approaching a decision.

Will Make Another Trip.

The two good roads committees will further consider the matter, yet it was agreed to make another trip over that part of the Pembina from which the detour is necessary because of the absence of small bridges. County and other highway engineers, officials of the townships in which the bridges would be located and construction authorities will be asked to join the party which will make an all-day stop for the purpose of estimating the amount of work to be done and the approximate cost of the same. With the construction of the three bridges, the Jefferson Highway would be laid out over the true Pembina trail for a distance of about 35 miles, and the distance from Thief River Falls to Karlstad be shortened somewhat. Members of both committees expressed a strong belief that sufficient funds to accomplish the necessary construction work could be raised by popular subscription. Upon the east route being made suitable for traffic in all weather, the proposal for re-routing the highway would be again considered.

Out-of-town guests at the Commercial club luncheon were: Commercial Club President L. E. Healy, S. E. Hunt, F. L. Farley, C. B. Buse, J. E. Draeger, V. M. Higgenbothum, G. Huot, George Dennings and A. L. Brusselle, Red Lake Falls; Ben Dockken, Tony Carlson, E. B. Bennes and U. Sovde, Holt; E. P. Modin, R. D. V. Carr, Knute Nelson and Arvid Carlson, Middle River. Practically all made the 100-mile trip during the afternoon.

TO BEGIN WORK ON GOLF COURSE SOON

Five Acres on East Side of River to be Prepared For Practice Ground as Starter.

A three-hole golf course for practice purposes is being layed out on the southwest corner of the former sawmill site which lies south of Bridge street between the Soo line right-of-way and the Red Lake river. The contract for the plowing, dragging, planking and seeding of the five acre tract of ground has already been let and operations will begin at once. The site is pleasantly located along the river and for a practise course is considered ideal. It offers opportunity for a drive to the first green of fully 300 yards, with little danger of slicing into the stream.

Dr. O. F. Mellby, W. A. Barnard and R. W. Sheldon, enthusiastic followers of the sport, who are behind the construction of the course, feel confident that this will lead to the ultimate establishment here of a nine or even 18-hole course, once the residents of the city fully understand and appreciate the value of the game. Fully 50 business men of the city have expressed a willingness to lend their aid in the upkeep of a course and to take up the sport as soon as the opportunity is offered. It is at present necessary for Thief River Falls golfers to travel to Grand Forks, Detroit or Bemidji to work out on the links. The game is rapidly gaining in favor in the above named cities where the courses are considered great assets to the community. Crookston recently constructed a small links suitable for practise work.

STRIKE HEAVY GOING ON INITIAL TRIP OF TRANSPORT SERVICE

Fair Amount of Freight Handled and Officials Feel Confident That Venture Will Prove Both Popular and Successful.

The first hauling trip of the Grand Forks Motor Truck Transportation company which will operate between Grand Forks and Thief River Falls, was made by two company trucks on Tuesday. Due to the rains of Saturday, Sunday and Monday roads were in heavy shape and the trucks did not arrive promptly on schedule time either day. Both handled freight and express along the route, arriving here lightly loaded but departing with consignments for many points between here and Grand Forks. Officials of the transportation company announced that they were well pleased with consignments for the initial trips.

The truck service is daily. One carrier leaves Grand Forks by way of Fisher, Crookston, Gently, Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls; the other by way of Manvil, N. D., Olso, Alvarado, Warren, Radium, Viking, Rosewood and Thief River Falls. The trucks are scheduled to arrive here at or near the noon hour. The Peoples Auto company garage has been designated as the station for this city, where patrons of the line will deliver all out-going shipments. In-coming shipments will be delivered at the door of the consignee.

Building Permit Granted.

The city council on Tuesday night granted a building permit to M. V. Evenson for the construction of a frame dwelling house to be erected at Sixth street and LaBree avenue north. The estimated cost of the building is $2,500.

$10,000 WON BY LOCAL MAN IN UNUSUAL WAGER

Families Broken Up and Friends Estranged Through Freakish Action of Broker.

Bob Bennett, Well Known and Highly Respected, Nearly Succumbs Under Strain.

Told Nothing But the Truth For 24 Hours and Was Otherwise Most Disagreeable.

Can you tell the truth, the absolute truth to everyone no matter what they ask you, for twenty-four hours? We have a great deal of respect for the veracity of the people of Thief River Falls, in general but we doubt if there is more than one individual in the whole city who can tell the absolute truth for one day. Bob Bennett, a prominent young business man of Thief River Falls, is the one absolutely truthful man in our midst, but after telling the whole truth for the short period of twenty-four hours in his own words Bob says: "I'll never tell the truth again as long as I live."

It Looker So Easy.

Bob made the snug fortune of $10,000.00 in twenty-four hours by the seemingly simple method of telling everyone the truth. But he made lifelong enemies, wrecked a home, almost lost his sweetheart, insulted his best friends, cost his business partner his hard-earned fortune and at the end of the twenty-four hours he was practically a physical wreck himself. If you even think that you could do it, come to the Auditorium on Thursday night, May 5, and it is certain that you will go home a happier and wiser man or woman.

At this time the Elks put on their annual home talent show. This is the third annual event of its kind and needless to say it will be very, very good and will more than please all who attend. Everyone who attended the last Elk's show, "A Pair of Sixes," says that it was one of the best performances they ever witnessed. From an entertainment and artistic standpoint "Nothing But the Truth" will far surpass it. It is the aim of the elks to present to the people of this community the very best form of entertainment possible to secure. Some of the very best critics in the country were asked to recommend a play for this event and they unanimously selected "Nothing But the Truth" as being the best comedy ever written and absolutely certain to please any audience. "Nothing But the Truth" has been presented in 22 countries and languages. It has been presented in the United States at 589 places and more than 13,000 times, all in the short period of four years from the time of its initial performance in New York. This is a world's record for any show and proves conclusively the merit of the performance.

Favorites are in Cast.

While a very studious and careful investigation was made in picking the play to be presented, it did not compare with the critical selection of the cast. L. Nathan Pierce, director in charge, is a hard man to please, his aim being to have each and every character as near perfect as possible and then work the whole cast into a team that will present a play in a manner that will compare favorably with the best Broadway casts.

The cast of characters are: Bog Bennett, the truthful member of a brokerage firm, L.H. Lawrence; E. M. Ralston, senior member of the same firm, H. W. Protzeller; Bishop Doran, founder of the Seaside Home for Children, Ed. Brevig; Clarence VanDusen, the firm's best customer, L. A. Lampert; Dick Donnelly, member of the firm, G. W. Connell; Gwen, Ralston's daughter and Bob's sweetheart, Miss Grace Iverson; Mrs. Ralston, a very charming social-leader, Miss Una Nelson; Ethel, an accomplished daughter of the leader of the summer colony, Miss Irene Patrick; Mabel, a much sought after chorus lady, Miss Laura Stopple; Sable, another queen of the stage, Miss Inez Howe; the maid, Miss Meta Kiland.

The play is in three side-splitting acts and covers almost three hours of the very best fun imaginable. Immediately after the performance a reception and dance will be staged at the new Elk's quarters for all members of the lodge and their friends.

Don't let any of your friends tell you about the wonderful show you missed. Be there with them. The price is within reach of all.

THEY WILL COMPETE WITH OTHER "GRADS" SOON TO MAKE DEBUT

Members of Public Speaking Class Finish Course, Make Speeches and Wind Up with Banquet at Brumund.

The second series of 20-minute orations marking the graduation of members of a public speaking class conducted at the Lincoln high school during the past months were given before an interested audience on last Thursday night. The class under the tutelage of L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the high school assembly, to whom much credit for the success of the undertaking is due, has been a Thursday night feature for over 15 business and professional men of the city who have gone thru a boiled-down course in oratory embodying all the rudiments given in an entire year's work at a state university. The results have been very gratifying to Mr. Pierce and his apt pupils.

F. F. Haynes on Thursday night took for his subject the old saw, "A Stitch in Time Saves Nine," which he gave a general application. F. E. McGinn spoke on "The Value of a Sales Tax." While no perfect tax has ever been evolved, he said, the sales tax is considered as reducing to a minimum the injustice of taxation and permitting no chance for successful evasion by the misrepresentation of values. H. W. Protzeller held his audience tensely interested during his alloted 20 minutes with his discussion of "Peat," a subject upon which he is exceptionally well versed thru successful experiments in converting the same into fuel. He speaks of peat as the solution of the fuel problem of the nation. C. L. Hansen, the last speaker on the program, spoke with much force and effect upon the value of "Community Spirit." G. L. Sterns was also scheduled to speak but was prevented by illness.

Following the close of the speaking, members of the class adjourned to the Brumund hotel where a banquet supper was given in honor of Instructor Pierce and as the conclusion of the "graduating exercises."

SAYS TONNAGE TAX WAS LEGISLATURE'S BEST ACHIEVEMENT

Senator Naplin Admits, However, That Session Was Productive of Other Things.

Senator O. A. Naplin returned to this city last week and has again taken up his law practice after having put in three months as a member of the upper house of the legislature. The senator says that it was a hard-working session and while he maintains that everything went through according to the administration program, he feels that considerable legislation of a constructive character was enacted.

The tonnage tax law is regarded by Senator Naplin as by far the most important piece of work turned out at the session. While he admits that there will undoubtedly be a long drawn-out court fight before the statute is finally applied, yet he figures that this would have to be gone through some time in any event and that the sooner a start is made the better it will be for everybody.

Among the measures of strictly local application which Senator Naplin assisted in putting through was the law which will enable school districts to charge a tuition fee of $7 instead of $3 as has been the case during the past two years. This means that such schools will receive $63 per year for each outside pupil instead of the $27 now paid. While this sum comes far from meeting the actual cost of such tuition, it will prove a considerable help.

Securing an appropriation of $25,000 for a survey of the Red Lake drainage district is another item of much importance and one to which Senator Naplin gave unqualified support. This appropriation will make it possible to get a start on this important work practically at once.

The law requiring buyers of grain to re-emburse the producer for the dockage contained in a shipment is another of Senator Naplin's measures. He admits that this provision in the law is not so important at the present time because of the low price of grain, but would have made a decided difference to the farmer a few years ago and may do so again.

MAY HAVE FORTUNE IN NEW STYLE PEN

The manufacture of pens, or at least all known methods of keeping these necessary business and office adjuncts full of ink almost indefinitely without constant dipping into an ink well, may be revolutionized by a Thief River Falls young man, according to reports received here. Hardy Bothun, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bothun, who has been at Berkeley, Cal., serving as paymaster in the government shipyards and attending night classes at the University of California since a short time after his return from France, is the inventor and if the idea proves as good as it looks young Bothun and his buddy, Martin Langseth, also a student at the University, have hit upon something that will make them independent for life.

According to Hardy's father, the boy has been working on this idea for some time, assisted and encouraged by Langseth. When finally their labors were rewarded by the discovery of just what had been the difficulty all along, Langseth wired home to his mother, Mrs. Anna Langseth, 613 LaBree avenue north, requesting that $200 be sent him at once, but vouchsafing no other information. This naturally caused both worry and excitement in the family and the money was sent forwith. It now develops that the boys were short of funds with which to go to San Francisco and place their case in the hands of a patent attorney. This matter attended to, Bohun collapsed as a result of the excitement he had been laboring under. When it is recalled that this same young man was given his initiatory degree on a defensive sector in Lorraine and faced the German guns at Chatteau Thiery, St. Mihiel and during the Muese-Argonne unpleasantness, it will be realized that he must have been considerably worked up.

RECORDS PROVE COUNTY FAIR IS AMONG LEADERS

In Point of Attendance the Show Far Outdistanced All Neighborhood Events.

Last Year's Total Receipts Over $9,000 and Society Now in Good Condition.

State Agricultural Association Report Contains Much Interesting Information.

Included in the 1919 report of the Minnesota State Agricultural society for 1920, which has just been issued, is a supplement showing the annual statements of county and district agricultural societies for the entire *state. Delving into the very heart of* the elaborate tabulations it is found that the Pennington County Agricultural society ranks well to the fore in every respect in comparison with the other county or district organizations. Of the fairs held in Northwestern Minnesota, the Pennington county annual exhibition held at Thief River Falls on August 4, 5 and 6 of last year stands clearly at the head.

Of the 97 societies which held fairs in Minnesota during 1920, 43 were able to show larger gross receipts than the Pennington county society. In most cases the association showing larger receipts received more county aid, while many of them showed larger funds arising from membership dues and donations. Twenty-five fairs reported larger gate receipts; 14 reported a larger number of entries, while but ten fairs held in the state drew a larger attendance.

Attendance Establishes Record.

The fair held here last year attracted 15,000 people, according to the annual report. This was an attendance 50 per cent greater than that of any of the fairs held in Beltrami, Clearwater, Marshall, Red Lake and Roseau counties or the joint attendance at the two fairs held in Kittson county. The Pennington county fair reports entries numbering 2,800 which is greatly in excess of the number for the above named fairs and the combined number of entries for the two fairs held at Fertile and Crookston in Polk county. The attendance at the Fertile fair was 7,480, no statistics being given in this respect for the Crookston event. The attendance and number of entries for the above named county fairs in tabulated form was as follows:

	Attendance.	Entries.
Beltrami county	2,613	1,912
Clearwater county	1,584	734
Kittson county	9,600	535
Marshall county	9,000	1,150
Pennington county	15,000	2,800
Polk county	7,480	1,150
Red Lake county	2,000	1,735
Roseau county	4,050	1,047

Receipts Over $9,000.

The gate receipts for the three days of last year's fair here totalled $5,271.95. Concessions to the amount of $1,555.65 were sold. The total receipts of the organization for 1920, including state aid of $1,302.75, a county aid of $400, dues and donations aggregating $485 and miscellaneous items, were $9,492.31. The association paid out $1,406.50 in premium mone, $2,832.50 for entertainment purposes, $1,537.73 for labor during the year and for miscellaneous items, $2,819.53. Total disbursements for the year amounted to $8,626.06.

Including land valued at $8,500 and buildings valued at $9,500, the Pennington County Fair association has assets listed at $21,472.75 and, with a surplus of $10,447.75, is in good financial condition. The fair year ended with a balance on hand of $866.06, which in view of the fact that out of the 97 fair associations holding fairs during 1920, 37 ended the year with an overdraft, is a very good showing.

Bigger and Better This Year.

The favorable comparison being drawn with the fairs held throughout Minnesota during 1920, it would be difficult to estimate the standing of the fair association at the end of the present year. The finest feature attractions of the land have already been booked, attractions that have never before been seen at a northwestern fair. "The Siege of the Dardanelles" and "Pioneer Days" will be seen here in pyrotechnical displays such as are shown at the Minnesota State fair. Some of the foremost speed demons of the country will be seen on the track during the last day of the fair. The livestock, farm, dairy, home and school exhibits will be greater in number and more varied in character than ever before. Every department has been placed in the hands of competent committees and there will be no delay or confusion in the placing of exhibits. The prizes in many instances have been increased and provision made for the entering of more diversified products.

Masons See Large Class Initiated at Crookston

H. C. Johnson, Ray Johnson, R. B. McWilliams, Oscar Paulson, Ray Spencer, Andrew Bottleson, G. Howard Smith, L. M. Rayson, Nels Christianson, Hakon Olson and H. A. Pratt represented Northern Lodge No. 236, A. F. and A. M., at a special meeting of the Crookston lodge on Thursday night, when a large class was initiated into the mysteries of Blue lodge Masonry. The work of the degree was done by past masters of Crookston lodge No. 141.

An invitation having been extended to all lodges of the order in northwestern Minnesota, the attendance at a banquet tendered to visiting members and the meeting proper passed the 300 mark. F. E. Jenkins of Faribault, grand master of the Minnesota Masons, and W. R. Smith of Benson, custodian, were among the out-of-town guests who addressed the assemblage at the banquet. Worshipful Master Tom Morris presided at the initiatory work.

The Thief River Falls party motored to Crookston during the afternoon, returning late the same evening.

Conversed With Surgeons During Amputation of Leg

Matt Urchetz, a farmer living 14 miles east of the city, suffered the amputation of the left leg just below the knee on Tuesday morning after having suffered for many weeks with gangrene of the toes. The operation was performed at the Physicians hospital here by surgeons of the city. What is commonly known as the "twilight sleep" method of anaesthesia was employed, the patient remaining conscious and able to talk with the surgeons throughout the operation.

EKLUND POST GETS INTO ACTION RIGHT ON WEDNESDAY EVE

Plan Memorial Program and First July 4th Celebration in Six Years.

At a meeting of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion at the Commercial club rooms on Wednesday night not only was a decision to take an active part in the Memorial day ceremonies reached but plans laid for a mammoth celebration to be staged on the Fourth of July. The Independance day carnival of noise, entertainment, speaking and music will be jointly fostered by the Legion and the City band. W. C. Peterson, Henry Froseth, Ray Johnson, L. H. Lawrence and Dan R. Maue were appointed as a temporary committee to meet with a committee from the band organization for the drawing up of plans for the celebration, the first that this city has had in several years George Loken, Perry Johnson, H. O Chommie, Carl Gulrud and Dan R. Maue were appointed to a committee to meet with committees from other civic organizations of the city for the purpose of arranging a Memorial day program. The last named committee was appointed following a discussion in which the post decided to co-operate with the other bodies in suitable commemorating the death of war veterans, rather than to take entire charge of arrangements for the day.

A resolution was passed in which it is recommended that Thief River Falls be designated as one of the subcenters of the U. S. Public Health service, inasmuch as Duluth and Brainerd are the only points so far designated as the centers for northern Minnesota under the new ruling whereby local medical examiners will cease to do the work of the service. The location here of a general hospital, a sanitorium and other natural advantages of the city which would adapt it to the needs of the health service are pointed out in the resolution, a copy of which will be sent to the Bureau of War Rick Insurance, the Public Health department and the service division of the Minnesota Legion department.

Hospital committees were appointed to visit ex-service men at present confined to the Oakland Park sanatorium; a cash contribution to swell the state and national fund to be used for the decoration of graves of American soldiers on foreign soil was voted and many other business matters taken care of. The live business session was preceded by the serving of what was termed "a whopper of a feed."

AMERICAN LEGION TO SPONSOR CONCERT BY BOHEMIAN VIOLINIST

Josef Koneeny, Acclaimed One of the Greatest Artists Now in This Country, to Be Heard in This City May 17.

Arrangements have been made for a concert in this city at the auditorium on May 17 by Josef Koneeny, the famous Bohemian violinist, under the auspices of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion.

Koneeny has played in the big music centers of this country, and in practically every state of the Union, as well as in other parts of the world, and is considered by his critics to rank among the foremost violinists of the present day. The son of a Bohemian blacksmith, he studied with Sevick, teacher of Jan Kubelik, and is considered a shining example of what can be accomplished by indefatigable industry, energy and perseverance.

The violinist will be assisted in the recital by Lola Murel Alley, American soprano, and Mary Tris, the brilliant American pianiste, both artists of national reputation.

Flowers For Every Casket.

"Never again will the body of a returned comrade pass through the Gateway to the Great Northwest without receiving the honor due it," said A. S. Pearson, chairman of the Ramsey County Central committee of the American Legion. "Flowers will be placed on every casket."

INCREASED AID FOR SCHOOLS IS WELCOME NEWS

New Law Provides For Two and One-half Times the Present Aid From State.

Tuition Fees For Pupils Residing Outside District Are More Than Doubled.

Where School Levy Exceeds 20 Mills, State Will Pay One-Third of Excess.

W. A. Ziegler, superintendent of the city schools, is in receipt of a special bulletin from the State Department of Education sent out to the schools of the state in an effort to furnish prompt information regarding the new state aid law passed by the legislature on April 19. According to this bulletin taxpayers in district No. 18 will be saved several thousands of dollars each school year. Applying the new law to the school year of 1920-21 the increase in state aid would have been $7,355.32. The features effecting this district are outlined briefly as follows:

High schools offering four years' training beyond the eight elementary grades will receive a flat aid of $1,000. Under the law formerly in existence this aid totaled $1,800.

Tuition Raised to $7.00.

High school tuition for pupils residing outside of the district has been raised from $3 per pupil to $7. Had this been in effect during the present school year, district No. 18 would have received $6,706 instead of $2,874 as was the case.

Special consolidated school aid having been discontinued, the $300 paid under existing regulations would have been lost.

To assist school districts with high tax levy, the following clause was inserted in the bill: To any school district whose tax levy for maintenance lies between 20 and 32 mills, the state shall pay as supplemental aid one-third of the excess above 20 mills. If the tax levy for maintenance exceeds 32 mills, then in addition to the above amount, the state shall pay as supplemental aid one-half of such excess above 32 mills, provided that no school district shall receive supplemental aid if a tax levy of 20 mills in such district will yield the equivalent of $100 for each pupil enrolled in the public schools of such district; and provided also that no school district shall receive supplemental aid equivalent to more than $200 for each elementary teacher employed, and $250 for each high school or special teacher employed.

Takes Part of Burden.

The tax levy for maintenance in district 18 for 1920-21 was 28.3 mills, hence the state would have paid one-third of an 8.3 mill levy on approximately $1,500,000 assessed valuation, or a sum of $5,323.32. It is this feature of the bill which results most favorably for Thief River Falls, for under the present method of lending aid the district received but $300.

Library aid for purchase of books has been raised from $10 to $20 per teacher, not to exceed $40 per building. The limit formerly was $25 per building. Hence with five school buildings, instead of $125 per year for library purposes, $200 will be secured. The increase in aid under the new bill is more clearly shown by the following tabulation. The first and second columns of figures indicate the amount of state aid now received and for what purpose. The last column indicates the amount that would have been received under the same circumstances had the new law been in effect during th past year:

$1,800	Flat Aid	$ 1,000.00
700	Excess	5,323.32
2,874	Tuition	6,706.00
300	Consolidated aid	------
125	Library	200.00
$5,699		$13,229

The state aid for industrial departments remains the same, the clause in the bill cutting out this item having been withdrawn.

Ask For Bids on Repair Of Long Bridge in North

Bids for the reconstruction of the Long bridge in the town of North across Thief river will be received by the town board of the above named township until June 1. The issue of putting the bridge in suitable shape to accommodate vehicles with safety has been holding public attention for over a year or since the voters of the township in 1920 first authorized the needed repairs to the extent of $4,000. The town board not having carried out the instructions of the voters, the question again came up in the March 8 election of the present year when the repairs were authorized for the second time. Construction work will proceed this season should the bids be found satisfactory. Notice of the hearing of bids will be found elsewhere in this issue of The Times.

Doctors Attending Clinics.

Doctors A. J. Paulson and L. F. Fisher are in Minneapolis attending the annual clinic week of the Hennepin County Medical society. Dr. Paulson will remain in the twin cities until the first week in May for the purpose of taking post graduate work at the University of Minnesota, where a physicians' short course is being held.

BIGGEST EVENT IN HISTORY OF I. O. O. F. LODGE

Mortgage on Lodge Property Wiped Out and Document Burned with Rites.

E. M. Stanton Delivers Stirring Address in Recounting Past History of Order.

Backward Glance at Local Lodge Furnished by W. B. Fuller and Other Speakers.

With the burning on Tuesday evening of the mortgage which has hung over the head of Young Pine lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F., for over twenty years, Noble Grand Carl Angell performed the closing act in a ceremony that will long be remembered by every person in the large crowd assembled. It was the culminating incident of an evening full of interesting reminiscence and eloquent tribute.

Emil E. Zeh, past noble grand and a charter member of the lodge, acted as chairman and performed the office admirably. He introduced Mayor John Bratrud as the first speaker, who on behalf of the lodge and citizens generally bid all visitors welcome in a short address full of expressions of good fellowship. He was followed by E. M. Stanton, who delivered an eloquent address on the history of fraternal organizations generally and of Odd Fellowship in particular. He told of the origin and purpose of the organization and how it has in times past been under the ban of crowned heads who could not understand its mission, particularly in England, the land of its inception. Being, however, founded on the loftiest aspirations of mankind, nothing was able to long retard its progress, which has continued until at the present time there are lodges in every civilized country on earth and the teachings of the order are imparted in a score of different tongues. Mr. Stanton told of the establishment of the order in the United States in 1819 and how it has grown into the largest fraternal organization in the country. The motto, "Friendship, Love and Truth," is today being exemplified in a thousand different ways by nearly a million and a half members, not counting those of the affiliated Rebecca lodges. The speaker gave an interesting review of the manner in which the last-named organization had come into being, referring to it as an integral part of Odd Fellowship and not merely an auxiliary as is the case in so many other organizations. Mr. Stanton was listened to with the most rapt attention and given a tremendous round of applause when he closed.

W. B. Fuller was called upon for a history of Young Pine lodge. He was one of the early members and as he has at one time or other held nearly all offices in the lodge, elective and appointive, the work could not have fallen into better hands. He told of the first meetings and of the fire which destroyed the lodge property in the early winter of 1898. Mr. Fuller in a most interesting manner recounted how the money was raised which enabled the struggling young lodge to get a start toward erecting the building which has since been its home and of the many handicaps encountered before the job was finished. His address dwelt at many points with little incidents which, while perhaps unimportant to the younger set, brought back to the old timers memories of the days when it was an uphill fight to maintain sufficient interest in the work to keep things going.

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls, was the next speaker. He told also of early day Odd Fellowship and made a particularly pleasing impression on the large audience. Mr. Johnson, a member of Warren lodge, on behalf of his brother members, congratulated Young Pine upon its achievements and thanked the members for the privilege of being present at such an inspiring gathering. He was followed by John Stensrud of Kennedy, whose remarks were along the same lines. Mike Fricker of St. Hilaire, was one of a delegation of 25 present from that village. He is well acquainted with the history of the local lodge and told of many things that had happened in the past, some of which were pathetic and others amusing.

The last speaker was Daniel Robertson of Argyle, recognized as the dean of Odd Fellowship in this section. He did not particularly dwell upon the past achievements of the order, confining himself to the great work that is now being accomplished. He spoke at some length on the necessity for continued support of the different homes for the aged and the orphan, one of which is being maintained in practically every state by the Odd Fellows. Personal observation on his part makes him an authority on this subject and he stated that any person who has had an opportunity of observing the wonderful results obtained would become just as enthusiastic as he over the matter.

At the close of the ceremonies at the hall the crowd repaired to the auditorium where the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. It was the largest private or semi-private party ever given in the city and all enjoyed themselves to the utmost. It was a great occasion and will long be remembered with pleasure by all present. The excellent lunch provided by the Rebekahs was a pleasing feature.

Coumbe to Leave City.

S. C. Coumbe, formerly assistant cashier of the First National bank here and later secretary of the Tesum Seed, Grain and Supply company, has been placed in charge of the Haverson Brokerage company Minneapolis office and will move with his family to that city as soon as suitable quarters can be secured. Mr. Coumbe has acquired a large interest in the firm by which he is employed.

Leaves on Buying Trip.

Albert Lieberman of Liberman Brothers leaves Sunday evening for Chicago, where he will purchase a large bill of goods after making personal inspection of the offerings. The low prices quoted by Mr. Lieberman at the anniversary sale cleaned out the stock in a highly satisfactory manner and it is necessary to replenish at once. This also provides the opportunity for stocking up with the latest and most seasonable goods. Mr. Lieberman believes that he can always do better by going direct to market with the ready cash, as by following this plan he is assured of the best merchandise as well as the lowest prices. He will have something of special interest to announce upon his return.

FOX CHOSEN TO HEAD BALL ORGANIZATION; TRYOUT NEXT SUNDAY

Season Starts Out With $550 Monthly Cash Pledge and Every Promise of Success—First Game Memorial Day.

At a meeting of fans and financial backers of the Thief River Falls baseball organization held at the Commercial club rooms on Friday night, five directors were elected to serve during the 1921 season. The directors held a meeting on Sunday afternoon when A. P. Fox was elected president, Louis DeCremer, vice president, Roy Lambert treasurer, L. H. Lawrence secretary and G. W. Connell assistant secretary. The organization will be known as the Thief River Falls Baseball associatiion.

Volunteer committees last week solicited business men and baseball fans of the city with great success, over $550 per month having been pledged to support a first-class city team. Complete uniforms have already been ordered. A general call for all players in the community to turn out next Sunday, when the directors will size up the available material, has been issued. The press having announced that at least two players would be hired, Secretary Lawrence is receiving applications for positions daily. Negotiations are being opened with prospective player-managers and steps being taken to acquire a strong battery. All indications are that the baseball organization is to be a live one. The directors have announced that the first game of the season will undoubtedly be played here on Decoration day.

Free Lectures.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlberg will speak on religous topics in the Swedish language at the Odd Fellows hall, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock and Monday evening at eight o'clock. Admission free to the public.

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REPAIR DEPARTMENT OF SOO ROAD RUSHED; FULL CREWS AT WORK

Company Now Paying Out Over $1,000 Per Day to the 280 Employes Making This City Their Home.

Long strings of freight cars in need of repair have been arriving periodically at the Soo line "rip track" here during the past two months and similar strings are being hauled away at like intervals of time after having been put in shape for heavy duty. Over 250 cars have been thus repaired by the local car department since the first of the year. It is stated on good authority that the Soo railway company is the only one in the Northwest making extensive repairs on rolling stock at this time, and the demand for the work of the car department at this point has been so heavy as to require the "parking" of damaged cars on the side-tracks of nearby towns until the tracks here could accommodate them.

The working force of the car department is now at its maximum, 82 persons being employed on the tracks and in the offices. The department during the first three month of the year was operating on the five-day week plan in an endeavor to keep all hands employed for at least part time. The six-day week is again in effect and the force of carmen and apprentices being increased from day to day. Forces have been greatly reduced at other points over the Soo system where limited equipment does not permit of extensive repair work.

Though in other departments of this division point forces are still in some cases 50 per cent lower than the maximum, over 280 persons who make Thief River Falls their residence are employed by the railway company. The mechanical department employes 95 persons. A staff of 19 is at present required in the general offices located in the passenger station. In the train department a total of 50 freight and passenger conductors and brakemen, call boys and other persons find employment. Eleven laborers and two foremen are required to care for the 11 miles of track which constitutes the terminal. The force now on duty at the freight and passenger stations numbers 20 persons. The 280 residents of the city who are on the company's payroll for April will receive more than $30,000 for services rendered during the month.

Gas Drops 3 Cents.

Gasoline is now selling here at 25.5 cents per gallon. Chas. A. Mumm, local manager for the Standard Oil company, announced a drop in price of three cents per gallon on Tuesday.

Preus Names Review Board.

Governor J. A. O. Preus on Friday appointed Major Ellard A. Walsh, of Minneapolis; Colonel W. T. Mollison of Faribault, and A. H. Vernon of Little Falls, as members of the state board of review, which was recently authorized by the legislature. The board will work with the state bonus board in checking up disputed bonus claims. It will assume its duties July 1, and terminate March 1, 1922.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
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First National Bank Building
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HE HAD TO FIGHT FOR HIS BREATH

St. Paul Man's Troubles End After Taking Tanlac—Feels Fine All the Time.

"Tanlac has simply made a new man of me and I now feel as strong and can do my work with as much vim as I could ten years ago," said Albert Schmidt, employe of the St. Paul Athletic Club, who lives at 225 West Seventh Street, St. Paul, Minn.

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TICKETS: From any Elk or at Lambert's Drug Store. Prices 50c, 75c and $1.00. Afternoon, children, 15c, adults 50c.

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Men's and Boys' Caps	69c to $2.49
Work Hats	49c to 75c
Dress Shirts	98c to $2.98
New Ties	25c to $1.49
Athletic Underwear	98c
Ribbed Union Suits	98c to $1.69
Heavy Canvas Gloves	10c
Boys' Wash Suits	98c to $2.98
Boys' Wash Hats	43c to 69c
Children's Play Suits	73c

Shoe Dept.

Men's Dress Shoes	$3.98 to $8.90
Men's Work Shoes	$1.98 to $3.98
Women's Dress Shoes	$3.98 to $7.90
Woman's Strap Pumps, black or brown, Military or French Heels, Many new styles	$4.98 to $6.90
Women's Oxfords	$2.98 to $5.90
Girls' Shoes	$2.25 to $3.49
Girls' Strap Slippers	$2.49 to $2.69
Children's and Infants' Shoes	95c to $2.49
Children's and Infant's Strap Slippers	95c to $1.39
Boys' Shoes	$2.25 to $3.98
Boys' brown Tennis Shoes	$1.25 and $1.39
Boys' heavy leather Trim Tennis Shoes with Cork Insoles	$2.19 and $2.39
Men's Tennis Shoes	$1.75 to $2.69
Ladies' Tennis Slippers	$1.25 to $1.98

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Scout Percale Aprons	83c
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New Purses	$2.98 to $5.90

Ladies' Hats
More New Creations
$3.98, $4.98, $5.90, $6.90, $8.90
Children's Hats
$1.39, $1.69, $1.98, $2.49, $2.98

Tricolette, new shades	$1.69
Skinner's Satin	$2.49
Georgette at	$1.25
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Colored Voile	49c
Utility Ginghams	19c
Manhattan Percales	19c
42x36 Dan River Pillow Cases	25c
72x90 Dan River Sheets	98c
9-4 Pepperell Bleached Sheeting	45c
New Ribbons	19c to 39c
9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$14.75
9x10½ Congoleum Rugs	$12.50
6x9 Congoleum Rugs	$7.50
27x54 Axminister Rugs	$3.98 to $7.90
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25 Full silk lined Sport Coats. Reg $28.50 and $25.00 values
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ONE THING NECESSARY.

We are told that all that is now required in order to bring back a very large share of the prosperity which was enjoyed before war interfered to upset all our plans, is that there shall be more noise made by the hammer and saw. In other words, more building.

Particularly is this true of residence buildings. While in cities such as Thief River Falls the shortage may not be felt so acutely as in larger centers, yet it is nevertheless a fact that the one thing needed is more houses and better houses. The American eats the best there is—or he at least eats more of the best—oftener than any other man on earth. He rides the fastest and farthest, spends his money the freest and most foolishly. Yet as a nation we are far behind many others as home owners. It is time our energies were directed toward remedying this defect.

Experience with rented premises during the past few years have been such as to bring many to a determination to own the home that shelters their families. Thousands are holding off in the hope that the cost will be reduced, but this delay seems of doubtful wisdom. Unless all signs are at fault, this is a good time to make a start. Building material is down anywhere from 20 to 25 per cent from the peak figure reached at the close of the war, and it must be remembered that at no time was the advance as great proportionately as in other lines. Lumber particularly is at a low price at present, due to a desire to clean up stocks, and it is certain that an advance must come before long. Unless there is a lowering of freight rates on commodities of this kind, there will have to be an advance within a very short time.

There is but one conclusion to be reached through a study of present conditions. It is to build what is necessary without delay. There is no danger of building too much. The country is short of structures of every descripion and no matter how rapidly the work is carried on, it will be years before we can catch up.

Society and Club

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop were hosts at a six o'clock dinner at their home on Friday evening. Covers were laid for eight guests.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton entertained at a delightful dinner party at her apartments on Friday evening. Places were arranged for eight.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson informally entertained a few of her lady friends at her home on Main avenue north Saturday afternoon.

Social Welfare Meeting.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club will be entertained by Mrs. R. H. Ross and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen at the latter's home on Monday afternoon, May 2.

Granum-Skarstad.

This evening at five o'clock occurs the marriage of Miss Gena Granum, eldest daughter of C. O. Granum of this city, and Alfred Skarstad, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Skarstad of Argyle, at the home of the bride, 904 Knight avenue north.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a social evening May 3 at the home of Mrs. Anna Langseth. The hostesses will include *Mesdames Anna Langseth,* O. H. Nelson, T. T. Kiland, and W. A. Ziegler. A special invitation is extended to the young people.

Surprise Anniversary Party.

Mrs. F. H. Herrick was honor guest at a surprise party given at her home on Monday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Whist was the chief diversion of the evening. A delicious lunch was served before the departure of the guests.

Dinner Party.

C. L. Hansen was host at a dinner party at the Evelyn hotel on Saturday evening following the entertainment given by the Furlong Concert company. The guests included Misses Edna Furlong, Elizabeth Jones, Anne O'Malley, Margaret Dix, Margaret Mealey, and T. M. George, the latter of Hallock.

Surprise Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson was the scene of much merriment on Monday evening when a number of friends of their daughter Thelma assembled to surprise her on the occasion of her birthday anniversary. Games and music furnished the evening's pleasure. The guests included Misses Ariel Kinghorn, Bernice and Myrtle Erickson, Beatrice Sandum, Marjorie Hoppa, Hilda [illegible], Evangeline Umland, Evelyn Burringrud, Bonnie Barnett and Mildred Engen.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. H. W. Protzeller delightfully entertained a number of ladies at cards at her home yesterday afternoon. Norwegian whist was played at three tables. Mrs. J. O. Yotter carried away high honors, while Mrs. H. O. Chommie was awarded the consolation prize. A delicious lunch was served at five o'clock.

Thorson-Hanson.

Announcements have been received by friends in this city of the marriage of Miss Thora Thorson and Hans Hanson, at Weldon, Sask., Can., on April 16. Miss Thorson is well known in this city and vicinity, having been a nurse here for several years previous to her departure for Canada three years ago.

Mrs. Vance Honor Guest.

On Saturday afternoon several of the friends of Mrs. Robert Vance went to her home unannounced to help her celebrate the anniversary of her birth. The result was a pleasant afternoon spent in playing whist, at the conclusion of which lunch was served. As a token of friendship Mrs. Vance was presented with an attractive luncheon set.

Entertain For Pupils.

Eight of the pupils in Miss Forde's class in music were entertained by her, in her apartment on Monday evening. The evening's pleasures were made up of games and music followed by a delicious lunch. Those present were: Pearl Weeks, Olive Lonson, Muriel Loken, Maxine Johnson, Thelma Christianson, Ruth Mellby, Ansof Dahlen, Theresa Fuller.

To Appear in Recital

Miss Doris Halvorson's graduation recital will be given on Monday evening, May 2, in Warner Conservatory Concert hall, Oberlin, Ohio. Miss Halvorson has a long and varied program of eight numbers including, "Concerto" by Greig with the Oberlin Conservartory orchestra. This will complete her four year course at the Oberlin Conservatory of Music, where she studied violin, voice and piano, majoring in the latter. Miss Halvorson's plans for the future are as yet undecided.

Birthday Party.

Among the many delightful birthday affairs this spring, was the party given by Mrs. L. M. Rayson at her home on Tuesday afternoon in compliment to her daughter Lorraine's seventh birthday anniversary. Twenty-eight guests were invited to share in the afternoon's pleasures which included out-of-door games followed by a delicious lunch at 5:30. A spring-like atmosphere was accentuated by the use of pink and white decorations thruout the rooms. The same color note prevailed in the table decorations.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. H. F. Booren was hostess at children's party at her apartments in the First National bank building yesterday afternoon, in honor of the birthday anniversary of her son, Harry, Jr. Various games made the afternoon a pleasant one for the little folks. The table appointments were in blue and white, while the favors were gaily colored toy balloons. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Scott Laird. Those present were Marjorie and Richard Thronson, James Bottem, Betty Cohn, Helen McWilliams, Tom Rowan, Jack Booren, Dorothy and Donald Anderson.

Startling Disclosures Expected.

The "Four Hundred" of Thief River Falls are very much excited about the application for a decree of divorce by one of the social leaders of this city. The knowledge that there is dissension in the domestic affairs of this very prominent family comes to everyone like a thunderbolt from the heavens. A tinge of high-life is promised in this action. It is claimed that the wife will name as co-respondent one of the most charming young ladies of this city. Owing to the prominence of this family we refrain from the use of their names at this time, but we feel certain that all of our readers will know considerable about the whole affair very shortly. It is expected that the matter will be settled out of court so that anyone who wishes to learn all about this particularly choice bit of scandal will have to be at the auditorium next Thursday night when the Thief River Falls Elks present "Nothing But the Truth."

Woman's Club Program.

One of the most interesting and instructive programs which has been given by the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms. The subject of child welfare work was thoroughly and ably discussed by Mrs. L. G. Larsen, who is a member of the child welfare board. The lesson on Americanization was in charge of Mrs. J. H. Hardisty assisted by Mrs. H. C. Durrin, Mrs. A. Bottelson, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mrs. R. W. Briggs. Delegates chosen to attend the district meeting of Women's federated clubs to be held some time in May were Robert Vance, Mrs. E. J. Richards and Mrs. J. M. Bishop. The subject of the care of the garden plot south of the auditorium was also taken up. Mrs. E. E. Zeh and Mrs. L. G. Larsen were appointed to take charge of it. A feature of the program was the piano solo, "Wedding Day at Troldhaugen," (Greig), by Miss Palma Langseth.

Girls' Community Club.

The regular meeting of the Girls' Community club was held on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. In addition to the many features of entertainment was a piano duet played by Misses Ruby Bennes and Palma Langseth which was greatly appreciated by the club. The secretary's report was read by Miss Effie Hamry which included the financial report of the entertainment given by the Furlong Concert company, on Saturday evening. The club realized the neat sum of $63.40. A letter from the local organization of Elks, asking for ushers for the play to be given on Thursday evening, May 5, was also read. Following an informal hour of games and visiting lunch was served by Misses Ida Tandberg and Effie Hamry. Miss Marie Nelson, president, who has been absent for a period of two months, and whose place has been filled by Miss Ida Tandberg, is expected to return to this city from Wisconsin the latter part of this week.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
At Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls
May 3.

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EFFERVESCENCE.

Bebe Daniels no doubt did not enjoy sojourning in her cell, but then, of course, her press agent knew best.

Ninety-nine persons out of a hundred don't give a hoorah as to whether or not relativity is directly related to Einstein, Reuterdahl, Kinertia or John Doe. Nor will they until it can be translated into dollars and cents or something good to eat.

'Stew Bad! 'Stew Bad!

"Warren Girl Marred in Grand Forks Tuesday" headlines the Warren Sheaf.

"Man is Polygenetic not Monogenetic" says Dr. Hill-Tout, and goes on to say that, "This theoretical conception of hemosimius precursion is shown to be founded in fact by the discovery of Eoanthropus, who antedates by several eons Pithecanthropus Evectus." The wife may be right, after all, when she uses the endearment, "you beast!"

Out of the few-odd billion people who put in telephone calls each day in the United States, a mere 45,000,000 get their connection.

A lot of people go through life most as aimless as a beginner's first billiard shot.

Then Page The Undertaker

Shrieks a sign near the entrance to Greenwood cemetery, "Have your lot filled with good black dirt ready for planting."

Creamery Operatives of Third District Meet Here

A meeting of the Creamery Opertors and Managers' association of the Third Minnesota district was held at the Brumund hotel on Wednesday night, wih eighteen out-of-town members in attendance. Applications for membership were voted upon and general business matters discussed.

Kryptok glasses $14 and $16. C. G. Mugg, Grand Forks, N. D. a28tf

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Everything marked down, and all goods displayed in such a manner that you can sell yourself this merchandise and bring to the cashier to have it wrapped. Nothing reserved---everything goes! Store closed all day Thursday so as to arrange stock for quick disposal

Put in your Supply for the Summer
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City News

Senior class presenting, "All of a Sudden Peggy." Watch for date. a28

Olaf Neset was a business caller at Rosewood on Saturday.

Meet your friends at the Auditorium Thursday evening, May 5th. a28

Mrs. S. S. Daniel of Crookston was a business visitor here between trains on Tuesday.

Ira C. Richardson went to Middle River Friday morning on a brief business mission.

Ingolf Grindeland of Warren called on relatives and friends in this city on Tuesday.

F. Z. Dibble has returned from Redby where he has been employed for some time.

Mrs. Oscar Peterson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here yesterday between trains.

Miss Esther Tandberg who teaches at Oklee, spent the week-end visiting with her folks.

Harold Smithers left Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit friends until Monday.

Miss Gladys Swenson of Rosewood visited with relatives here the latter part of last week.

Miss Bessie Avelson of St. Hilaire spent Tuesday and Wednesday on a shopping tour here.

Mrs. Roy Erickson left Friday evening for the twin cities to visit with friends a few days.

John Hendry went to Minneapolis Friday evening to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Betsy Legvold, who teaches in the vicinity of Hazel, visited with her folks here over Sunday.

Mauritz Brink left yesterday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit at the home of his parents for a day.

Mrs. Hannah Prestebak and son, Richard, are spending the week with friends and relatives at Thorhult.

Misses Adeline Roembildt and Esther Zellmer are visiting friends in the southern part of the state.

J. C. Carr and T. C. Orme left Tuesday morning for Detroit to attend a Sunday school convention.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus returned on Saturday from Holt where she had spent a few days visiting friends.

Miss Laura Stopple left Saturday evening for her home at Alexandria where she visited her folks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen and family motored to Grand Forks Saturday to hear Madame Schumann-Heink.

Miss Evelyn Wegge left Saturday morning for Holt where she will spend an indefinite time visiting her parents.

Mrs. A. Lucian and children left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend an indefinite time visiting with relatives.

Miss Gunda Thompson returned to her home at Warroad Thursday morning, after a few days' visit with friends here.

Mrs. Hans Quammen returned to her home at Badger Saturday, after spending a few days here receiving dental treatment.

Louis Neilsen, bookkeeper at the First National bank, went to Grand Forks Saturday to hear Madame Schumann-Heink.

Mrs. H. Landahl arrived here Saturday evening and spent a couple of days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Nielsi.

Miss Olga Lindquist, of the local teaching staff, went to her home at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon to remain over Sunday.

Miss Birdie Tweeten, who has been employed at Fargo, arrived here on Monday morning for a visit at the home of her parents.

Mrs. J. H. Hay and two children returned to their home at Grand Forks Saturday after a few days' visit with friends here.

Edward Kiland and Wendell Sether went to Steiner Saturday morning and visited the latter's sister, Mrs. H. L. Sande between trains.

Mrs. Ina Johnson and daughter of St. Hilaire returned to their home on Saturday afternoon, having spent the time between trains shopping.

Misses Irene Peterson and Clara Fellman of St. Hilaire were in the city between trains on Saturday attending to matters of shopping.

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Mrs. O. H. O'Hara and three children returned to their home near Holt Friday, after spending a couple of days here attending to shopping.

Mrs. J. O'Selle, who spent a few days visiting with friends here and receiving dental treatment, returned to her home at Badger on Thursday.

We have on hand phosphate fertilizer. It is highly recommended as a dressing for lawns and gardens. Hansen & Barzen Milling Co. a28

Miss Harriet Olson of Fosston, arrived here Tuesday evening to attend to business matters. While here she was a guest of Mrs. O. Storholm.

Ted McGinn, Orrin Ostby, Vivian Swift and Esther Johnson made up a party which left here Sunday morning in the Ostby car for Grand Forks to attend the Schumann-Heinck concert given that evening.

Walruses, whales and hipopotamis at the Auditorium Thursday, May 5.

Ten thousand dollar Truth Contest to be decided at Mass Meeting at the Auditorium Thursday, May 5th. a28

Miss Alice Tyson, who spent a few days visiting with her folks at Rollis, returned to this city Tuesday afternoon.

Friday evening, April 29th. Program at the Wiener school, Dist. No. 4. Admission 10c. Everybody welcome. a28

Derby Anderson returned the first of the week from the twin cities where he had spent a couple of weeks.

Miss Oliphine Dahlen left Monday afternoon for Nellsville, where she will be employed during the summer months.

Mrs. Ed. Dahl arrived Monday afternoon from her home at International Falls for an extended visit with relatives.

Attorney W. J. Brown left Friday evening for the twin cities on a business mission. He returned Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John Skomedahl returned to her home near Steiner Tuesday morning, having visited with friends here a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn and little daughter Betty were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Rosenberg at Crookston.

Miss Bernice Hanson of Salol, arrived here Monday afternoon for a visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. A. Risberg.

Mrs. H. W. Miller, who spent a few days visiting with friends and relatives at Minneapolis, returned home Monday evening.

Miss Cora Newton, who had spent some time here receiving medical treatment, returned on Saturday to her home at Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Halbert arrived here Monday morning from the twin cities where they had visited with friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson and two children returned Monday morning from Ada, where they had visited with relatives over Sunday.

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M. Teigland, accompanied by his sister, Miss Agnes, returned to their home at Renville on Friday after visiting friends here for a few days.

"Sulphur and Brimstone" has been announced as the title of the sermon to be delivered by Bishop Doran at the Auditorium, Thursday, May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Johnson and little son returned to their home at Mahnomen Monday evening after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. Halseth.

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Mrs. Otto Haack returned to her home at Grygla on Saturday after spending a few days visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Conner.

Mrs. Wm. Warner and two children left Thursday morning for Holt to spend a few days visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Peterson.

Miss Eleanor Olson returned to her home at Greenbush yesterday morning after spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Haug.

Earnest Zeh returned Monday from Grand Forks, where he had attended the Schumann-Heinck concert on Saturday and visited over Sunday with friends.

Mrs. H. L. Sande and baby returned to their home at Steiner on Thursday morning, after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, left Saturday evening for Pinehurst, N. C., to attend the National Bankers' convention held there this week.

The engagement of Robert Bennett and Gwen Ralston has been announced for Thursday, May 5th, at the auditorium. a28

Vincent Borry and Gordon LaBree went to Minneapolis Monday evening to attend to matters of business in connection with the Borry garage.

C. H. Norby spent a short time visiting friends here enroute from the Twin Cities where he had spent a week on business, to his home at Strathcona.

Mrs. S. E. Hunt, accompanied by Mrs. Findeisen, both of Red Lake Falls, visited with friends and attended to shopping here between trains on Tuesday.

Thursday, May 5th, 1921 at 8:15 p. m., Miss Ethel Clark, the famous mezzo-soprano will appear in concert at the Auditorium, Thief River Falls. Elk's Show. a28

Miss Ausilga Sorenson, who was called to her home at Grand Forks, because of the illness and death of her sister, is expected to return to this city tomorrow.

Mrs. John Bennet and two children arrived here Friday evening from Goodhue where they had been visiting, leaving Saturday morning for their home at Holt.

Capt. Florence Petri of the Salvation Army, who spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents at Jamestown, returned to this city on Saturday morning.

John Stensrud of Kennedy, who came here Tuesday evening to attend the Odd Fellows' doings at the auditorium, stayed over yesterday to look after business matters.

Mrs. John Gustafson returned to her home here Saturday afternoon, having visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Brenna at Middle River for a few days.

W. R. Patterson, who had spent a month visiting friends in the twin cities and Chicago, returned yesterday morning and has resumed his duties as engineer on the electric line.

Mrs. Albert Tommeraasen, accompanied by Mrs. John Swedin, who had spent a few days visiting friends at Erskine, returned to their respective homes here on Monday evening.

Mrs. Louise Pawling and family, accompanied by Miss Esther Gjertson and Arthur Boos, motored to Fargo Sunday where they visited the former's daughter, Emma.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perdzock of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis., are the proud parents of a daughter born Monday, April 25. Mrs. Perdzock will be remembered as Miss Alpha Werstlien.

I. Newman arrived Tuesday afternoon from Rollis to accompany his wife, who has been a patient at the local hospital for five weeks following a serious operation, to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and family, accompanied by Ed. Brevig and Theo. Prichard, were among those who motored to Grand Forks Saturday to hear Madame Schumann-Heink.

Mrs. A. Risberg and children left Thursday for Roseau to spend a few days visiting her parents. Mr. Risberg drove there the day previous. They all returned by car the first of the week.

Mrs. Ben Dokken, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Clarence Dokken, of Grand Forks, who is her guest, returned to Holt Tuesday morning, after an over-night visit with friends here.

Mrs. N. K. Harris returned Tuesday morning from Grand Forks where she had visited relatives since Saturday. While in the above named city she attended the concert given by Madame Schumann-Heink.

Miss Sylvia Pearson and brother Wesley left Monday, by car, for Minneapolis, where the former will be employed as bookkeeper by the Marlow Transfer Co., and the latter will visit for a few days before returning to work as gas tractor engineer at Breckenridge.

Mrs. H. W. Miller, accompanied by her aunt, Miss Mattie Langton, both of whom had visited with relatives at Minneapolis, arrived here Monday evening. Miss Langton returned to her home at Crookston Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson and son, Roy, who had spent two months visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson, on the Knox farm, returned yesterday afternoon to their home at Barnesville.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Dosey and family, who have made this city their home for some time, left Tuesday evening for St. Paul where they will reside. Mr. Dosey had been employed as state grain inspector during his residence here.

H. C. Geise, who has been visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Scott Laird, will leave Saturday morning for his home at Winona. He will be accompanied as far as Minneapolis by his daughter who will visit friends for a week.

Mrs. O. A. Naplin, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. McMillan, at whose home she had been visiting for three weeks, returned to this city to take up her residence, after spending the winter in St. Paul. Mrs. McMillan will remain here for a while as the guest of her daughter.

H. O. Loken returned Saturday morning from Chicago where he had spent ten days on a buying trip. He returned with a handsome line of ready-to-wear including summer dresses in organdie, gingham and dotted swisses, suits and coats.

Clarence Van Dusen, a prominent young business man of Thief River Falls, recently made an investment that promises to make him independent for life. He will explain his foresight to the public at the Elk's show, auditorium, May 5th, in the evening. a28

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Linde arrived here Saturday morning from Fergus Falls, at which place they were married a short time ago, to spend a few days visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Gynther Tessum and father, John Linde, after which they will go to Greenbush where Mr. Linde is employed as station agent.

I wish to announce that on Thursday, May 5th, 1921, I will offer to the public of Thief River Falls and vicinity, an opportunity to invest in the very best stock on the market today. It is Quicksilver, Sulphur Bank Mine, New Mexico. Price $3.50 per share now, but it's sure to advance in a few days and you will double your money. E. M. Ralston, Investment Broker, care Elk's show. a28

Mrs. M. W. Brink, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. L. Barackman, left yesterday morning on an extended visit with relatives and friends at Minneapolis and points in the East, which will cover a period of six weeks or more. Some of the cities included in the trip will be Pittsburgh, Newcastle and Linesville, the latter place being the residence of Rev. Barackman's father, D. L. Barackman. Mrs. Brink will continue to New York city, where she will spend a week as the guest of her uncle, S. P. Barackman.

GIRL AIDS FARM BUREAU CHIEF

Another big Dakota man with a big Dakota job has a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., on his office staff. Pres. Usher L. Burdick of the N. D. Farm Bureau Federation has engaged Lillie Larson as stenographer.

Eight D. B. C. girls were placed in banks recently. Inez Thompson went to the First National Bank of Mayville; Rose O'Neill to the Farmers Bank of Mandan. All Fargo banks and 685 others employ D. B. C. graduates.

"Follow the SucceSsful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., about Spring term.

RAIL AND SHOP

G. I. Richardson, agent at Bronson, spent the week end here.

G. W. Lewis, general chairman of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, was in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

E. J. Langevin, third trick operator at Plummer, resumed work on Saturday, relieving R. L. Van Dusen granted a leave of absence.

Relief agent C. W. Stewart and Mrs. Stewart spent last week in the twin cities visiting with the latter's sister, Mrs. John Myrland.

A. W. Swerine has resumed work as third trick operator at Mahnomen, relieving W. L. Presse, who has been granted a leave of absence.

C. W. Stewart relieved operator D. C. Paine at the Thief River Falls station on Wednesday, the latter having been granted a leave of absence.

Thief River Falls travelers over this division during the past week were: R. C. Rupprecht to Minneapolis; John Eliason to Detroit; Mrs. Roy Erickson to Minneapolis; Harold Smithers to Minneapolis; Mrs. Ed. Hilson and daughter to Warren.

Thief River Falls travelers over division during the past week were: To Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Johnson, L. D. Hendry, Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Mrs. J. L. Stitt, Allison Stitt, George Ericson, Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn; to Bemidji, O. J. Erickson; to Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Qualley and Mrs. Herman Ohm.

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AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

Coco brown dress shoes in the new semi-English last and in men's high toe. Sold last year for $11 **$5.45**

Men's good black calf dress shoes, **$4.45**

Men's vici kid blucher, rubber heel. A good comfortable shoe, regular this year prices $7.50 **$5.45**

Men's Work Shoes

Solid leather durable dress and work shoes at prices that you cannot duplicate anywhere

8 inch top kromogen outing shoes. A great seller. Special **$3.45**

Extra good work shoes, kromogan blucher, extra good for farm work **$2.87**

Men's black or brown Elk outing shoes, strong and durable **$2.45**

12 inch top shoes, strong and durable, in brown blucher, 2 full soles. Special **$5.45**

Brown barnyard shoes, single or double sole, sizes: 6 to 11. Special **$3.45**

A real buy in a 16 inch top Sold last year for $16.50. Special **$9.85**

Boys' Shoes

Boys' Coco Elk outing shoes, chrome visculized outsole. Special **$1.95, $2.45**

Boys' dress shoes in black or tan, $4.50 values. **$2.85**

Boys' army last shoes for work or dress. **$2.95**

Boys' Coco dress shoes, the finest shoe made with visculized middle sole, rubber heel. **$3.95**

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All wool in green or brown mixtures, 2-pair-pants suits, Special	$13.45
Boys' Serge Suits with 2 pairs of pants	$9.85
A very good assortment of boys' good suits, at	$5.95
Boys' top coats that sold last year as high as $16.00. Special	$8.45
New top Coats in beautiful models	$6.45

Boys' Wash Suits

White Beach Cloth, trimmed in black, very stylish	$1.95
Madras Wash suits	$2.19
Crash and Beach Cloth Suits with belt; will take place of a regular suits during summer months. Special	$2.95

Boys' one-piece Khaki Suits **$1.39 AND $1.79**

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Work or dress pants at sale prices, blue serge	$4.79
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Plan, Then Push.

Seniors, are you planning for what you are going to do next year? Do you intend to continue the pursuit of knowledge and further development? Are you going to seek employment or have you only a faint idea yet as to how you will be occupied after your high school course is completed?

As has been said again and again and stated in these columns before, a person must always have a plan to follow in order to be successful. There are of course exceptions to this rule, but they are few and little to take note of. This idea applies especially to those who are about to be graduated this year, in fact it applies to everyone.

The Senior should have somewhat of a plan by which he can direct his course as he goes into life. Undoubtedly it may often be changed to some extent, but the main outlines will still remain distinct and in view. The youth usually is filled and overflowing with spirit and enthusiasm, but as Dr. Krebs said, "Push without plan results in fussing." The spirit of youth may carry a person a considerable distance, nevertheless without some outline to go by, much energy will obviously be wasted on things which add nothing to success.

The student who intends to continue his study at some higher institution, college or university, should analyse himself, discover what he would be best fitted for and could best adapt himself to, and in what field his greatest interest lies. Oftentimes this may seem exceedingly difficult, but the efforts spent in laying out ones course are well rewarded. "Well begun is half done." A good plan may, however, be substituted for beginning, for they are practically identical. Many have followed the "hit or miss" plan and have become discouraged, much of their efforts having been futile. However we can profit by their mistakes, in fact the largest failures can teach us the biggest lessons. We can learn how to avoid the pitfalls and this aids in taking our course.

If you are going to another school next year, arrange as much as possible; know the requirements and provide for them. If you go into work of some kind, probably as an employe, you should have your future in view in taking up that work. Do not go into it blindfolded. There are many who have found, often too late, that they were on the wrong shelf. Why not try to place yourself rightly as early as possible?

To you who have no objective or plans, as to your immediate future at least, it may only be added that the sooner you make them, the more secure your position later on in life will prove to be.

Beginning with next issue, the "Progress" will be edited by the Freshmen, Sophomore, Junior and Senior classes respectively for the coming four weeks. The Senior issue will conclude the publication of our high school paper for the '20 and '21 season.

This plan of putting the editing of the school paper in the hands of the various classes, has been followed by several high schools throughout the state and has proved highly successful. It has been found to be a wonderful incentive to class spirit and enthusiasm. It gives every class ample opportunity to show its true interests, not in "hot air," but in black type. It affords them a chance to display their sincere efforts and originality in putting their ideas, news and witticisms in print. Without a doubt there will be much keen competition, and especially do we expect some real *clever "stuff" when the Freshmen are* given the editorship.

The fate of the next four issues lies in the—ink. Let us see you fling it! What about it Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors, is your issue going to be the best?

Senior play coming. Watch for date.

A Worthy Object.

Are you going to help make your high school of Thief River Falls be one of the very best, or are you going to make it be or keep it at a second rate school? All rests on your shoulders and all of the power is in your hands. Everything can be accomplished and everything lost by your efforts and your aid in making the "Better Lincoln High" movement a success.

The "Better Lincoln High" movement is not one that tends to dictate or preach to you, but one that tends to make you think and get into action by doing the things that you think and know are right and by doing the things that will make your school days stand out as a time when your life was at its best and a time when you were shaped for bigger and better things.

Take for instance the old proverb, "Mighty Oaks From Little Acorns Grow." This proverb can be turned around and applied to our everyday habits. These habits as they are today may be small and insignificant but after continual practice, day in and day out, they will gradually become larger and be a menace and hinderance to a success, providing they are bad. On the other hand if they be good habits they will undoubtedly tend to promote and further our success.

That in reality is what the "Better Lincoln High" movement is trying to do. To change our small bad habits into good habits, thus making better men and women for the coming governing generation, for the community, for the state and for the nation. So let us all get behind this movement and see if we can't better ourselves, our school, our community and our nation.

Senior play coming. Watch for date.

FACULTY MEMBERS EXPLAIN BETTER SCHOOL MOVEMENT

A special chapel was called last Tuesday at which a series of talks by members of the faculty were delivered all bearing on the idea of the already launched "Better Lincoln High School Movement."

The first speaker on the program was Supt. Ziegelr, who developed the idea that students should do everything which might promote their development and try to avert things which might be harmful. A student should not be like a sparrow who has got into a house and in trying to get out again exhausts itself by futile efforts in flying against the window pane. He explained that the main purpose of the movement is to help the students to grasp the spirit and idea of education, namely to develop the individual to make the best use of himself. He also stated that a moderation and among the boys alleged to the habit of smoking, and more discretion among the girls in the use of cosmetics. It may be of interest in connection with this to observe that the girls of West High, Minneapolis have cooperated in the abandonment of cosmetics as have not been used properly.

An inspiring address was delivered by Mr. Tripp, the central theme of which was the planning and building up of an individual's life. There was various conception in regard to life. Some have the happy-go-attitude and think its only something we must necessarily go through. To others it appears like a bubble, at least many are very proficient at blowing them. He said that he preferred to look upon life as a building. In order that a structure may be well built up it must be carefully planned, the foundation must be made firm, and the rest of the building accordingly. This illustration can be directly applied to high school students. We should analyze and form our plans, and lay a firm foundation during our youth because the rest of our life depends to a very large degree upon it. Education should enable a person to make wiser plans and consequently construct that on which his future depends in such a way that it will stand, not wabbling from side to side but stand firmly. It must be realized that this work can be accomplished most successfully by a united student body. Individual action will by no means bring the results which naturally follow the influence of the proper school spirit. The attitude taken by the group or body towards anything practically determines its existence. If the proper attitude and spirit exists few or none of the undesirable things would continue. He concluded by saying "Plan and lay the foundation for a Skyscrapper."

Another phase of the movement was discussed by Miss Dix, namely the use of slang. There are two types of slang; that which has become proper through proper usage, and the vulgar and offensive slang which may be compared to popular music of a day that has no lasting value. Slang phrases have no fixed meaning, and cheapens the user because it proves to be uncultural.

We are in school to learn to express ourselves, then why not use expressions that will promote our development. "Guard your tongue and make this a better Lincoln High School."

Mr. Tommeraasen made a thorough explanation of what this new idea really is. It isn't an increase in enrollment or a larger school building but better individuals. In nearly every field of life here is a co-operative spirit which brings about greater efficiency and success. This can be applied to the greatest advantage in promoting ideals. Are the students of our school supporting and co-operating in carrying through school enterprises and activities?

This talk was followed by Miss Elliot who brought out the thought of efficiency in relation to school work. It is absolutely essential for real success. Everything that is worth while is obtained only through exertion of one's efforts. Some students appear to be in a class merely because they have to; they do not realize that they are only fooling themselves. It is important that we acquire efficiency while we are here in school.

Miss Iverson impressed very strongly upon us the charms of womanhood and manhood. Of womanhood they are sweetness and simplicity. A girl who dresses her hair in the simplest way, considers herself above artificiality, shuns gossip or cheating and always has a fixed and high ideal toward which she is constantly striving, and is not afraid to let her friends know of that aim. The young man should have the charm of straightforwardness and gentlemanliness; should not consider himself low enough to stoop to anything unclean in words or action and be able to say no to any temptation. He must have high principles and be willing to stand up for them regardless of opposition. This type of boys and girls in our high school is the most highly desirable and warrant the success of the movement.

Mr. Melby showed how true school spirit is a training for later life because your school ultimately becomes your notion and your notion your surrounding life. Your school spirit becomes your patriotism. A person who is efficient and backs up things in school, will most naturally take with him those principles and apply them through life. We have the capacity of doing things if we only act together.

The program was concluded with a speech by Mr. Pierce. He said that these ideals are not forced upon the students. "We want you students to see and understand and finally do the right thing. He believes that most human individuals are willing to do right if they see it. The proper school spirit may not have prevailed during the past, but nevertheless, the results have been satisfactory to a large degree.

The prospects for next year's classes are very favorable, as they have much excellent material, if they only get behind and push together. He also suggested that about three plays be staged during the year; one by the Seniors, another by the Juniors, and a third possibly by all the classes combined.

The speeches met with the hearty approval of the student body, and marked steps forward will eventually be seen within its ranks.

Juniors Sell Popcorn.

Two hundred-ninety loyal students of Lincoln high school made a rush for the main hall last Friday when two bells dismissed classes for the day and a dozen Junior girls were kept busy for half an hour handing out home-made popcorn balls.

This is the second of these sales which have been conducted by the Juniors both of which were decidedly successful. The net proceeds of the sale were about fifteen dollars, which will be added to the class treasury.

There was a general rush to the main hall Tuesday after school, when the Freshmen held a candy sale. In about fifteen minutes everything was sold and the Freshmen cleared $6.25 which will be added to their treasury for a party which they will have in the near future.

Honor Roll.

The following are the honor roll students for the month of March:

Seniors—Dreng Bjornaraa, Amy Sorlom, Chester Dols, Olga Svensgaard, Anna Hencik, Doris Richter, Adolph Sundrud.

Juniors—Boletta Sanden, Gladys Maland, Grace Craik, Ingaborg Barstad, Thora Moe, Johanna Wedal, Mildred Peterson.

Sophomores — Lorrayne Crandall, Borghild Wallen, Lucille Curtis, Lydia Dahlen, Ole Helle.

Freshmen—Marie Paulson, Alice Gobler, Ruby Conklin, Albert Stengelson, Margaret Melgaard, Gladys Russell, Ella Johnson, Thordis Svensgaard.

Tommeraasen Entertains.

Last Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. Tommeraasen entertained the girls' basketball team, at a theatre party. The group was first taken to the theatre where all enjoyed a very good feature. Later they adjourned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommeraasen where an enjoyable evening was spent. Card playing formed the chief amusement of the evening.

A delicious lunch was served at eleven o'clock, after which the party broke up. The guests were Misses Dix, Eileen Herron, Viola Lund, Nora Lindquist, Pearl Shetler, Esther Hulrath and Lucille McGinnity.

Orchestra Makes Debut.

The high school orchestra, which was organized by H. S. Snyder about a month ago, made its initial appearance before the high school assembly April 22.

The orchestra is composed of seven pieces, two violins, two cornets, two saxaphones and one clarinet. Altho it was the first public recital for several of them, they rendered a musical program which was heartily enjoyed by the audience. The great enthusiasm displayed by the student body when the character of the program was announced makes it positive that the new orchestra will have a successful season, at least for the remainder of this year. As practically all of the members are under-classmen, we hope the orchestra will be continued and enlarged next year.

Central Notes.

The eighth grade are enjoying a new plan in spelling which was suggested by Supt. Zeigler.

The class is numbered and divided into groups with a captain over each group. The words are written as usual then the pupils pass to their respective groups, where they exchange papers.

The captain pronounces the words which the members spell orally and papers are corrected.

Senior play coming. Watch for date.

Those missing one word pass to the front of their group and then pass to the foot of it; those missing two words step to the front of their group and pass to the foot of it and so on. The captains then pass to the foot of the lowest group. The pupils remember and are ready for the next day's lesson.

A record is kept of the head marks and poor captains.

Friday afternoon at one-thirty, Mr. Tommeraasen gave a good health talk to the students of the seventh and eighth grades.

Students of the seventh and eighth grades have been very busy for the past week organizing Garden clubs. Any student may join the club. The purpose of the club is to have better gardens. A prize of five dollars will be given for the best garden of any of the club members. Officers of the club are as follows:

Willis Nason, president; Lloyd Bennes, vice president; Vern Erickson, treasurer and secretary.

Normal Department.

Miss Ober, parading about with her flowers attracted the attention of a particular busy teacher who was anxiously trying to get her record book up to standard, when after gazing a moment at Miss Ober, wrote on the next line: "Continued drill of flowers."

Miss Ober: "Why is the political campaign of Harrison called "The Log Cabin; Hard Cider Campaign?"

Ruth: "Because the people said that Harrison would be more at home in a log cabin drinking hard cider and skinning coons, than living in the White House." We wondered what kind of coons Ruth meant.

Senior play coming. Watch for date.

While teaching second grade reading, Mary asked: "What does a footman do?" Someone replied: "He drives the horses." Thinking to catch the attention of children the teacher continued: "Well then, what does a coachman do?" Evon waved her hand wildly: "I know," she said. "He holds the whip."

Miss Smith, who was going to tell a story to a primary group said to them: "Now I want you all to listen to this story and then you can tell it to your mothers when you go home."

Little Johnny raising his hand: "Oh, Miss Smith, you'll have to write it down on paper for me or else my mama won't listen to me, because she doesn't believe a word I say."

Personals.

Miss Borghild Berg, a student of the Middle River high school, visited with Eileen Herron and Mildred Bottelson over the week-end.

Miss Brown and her physiography class went on a tour of observation Monday morning to study the course of the river and the river bed formations.

Miss Violette Krohn spent the week-end visiting at her home at Viking.

Lloyd Alnes was a business visitor in Greenbush last Saturday. He returned Sunday morning by car.

Physiography and Botany classes have been taking field trips the past week.

The Horticulture class has just finished their alterations of the campus trees and a decided change can be noticed.

Mildred Bottleson has been confined to her home for the last three days due to spraining her foot last Friday.

The Bread club met last Thursday evening and decided to have a bread baking contest on May 7th. The winner of the first prize will go to Minneapolis to compete for the state championship.

Howard and Lois Strubble spent the week end at their home near Mavie.

Burton Aarnes returned Monday from a visit at the home of his parents residing near Kratka.

Albert Stengelson visited with his parents near Rosewood from Friday until Monday.

Marshall Race returned to this city Monday morning after a week-end visit with his parents near Goodridge.

Clarence Rice spent the week-end at his home at Plummer returning on the flyer Monday morning. Some early bird, eh Clarence?

Harold Smithers left Friday night for Minneapolis to visit with relatives and friends. He returned Monday morning.

The Carletonia announces that Carleton college has won three of the four debates and four straight victories in oratory. Professor I. M. Cochran coached both debate and oratory.

Kindly note that of the five boys attaining the distinction of being placed on the honor roll this month, four are endowed with red hair—its not fair for the rest of us.

Performing an Imperative Service

THE total number of motor cars registered in the United States for the year 1920 records a gain of 17.16% over 1919. There is an automobile for every 12 persons throughout the country.

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States	1919	1920	Percentage of Increase
So. Dakota	104,625	122,040	16.64
Iowa	363,000	442,200	21.81
Minnesota	259,743	323,572	24.57
Missouri	229,577	295,817	28.85
Kansas	228,601	265,385	16.09
No. Dakota	32,885	90,840	9.59
Michigan	296,378	412,275	39.10
Wisconsin	236,974	303,246	27.96
Indiana	277,255	332,207	19.82
Illinois	478,438	569,127	18,97
	2,557,476	3,156,709	

Sixty percent of the new cars sold in the ten states served by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) during 1920 were bought by farmers. These figures indicate one reason why the demand for petroleum products was so insistent in this territory. The farmer had to conserve his time and the automobile was the only solution for this problem.

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Among Our Neighbors

REINER

County Superintendent of Schools G. M. Gunderson was a caller at the Pershing school Thursday.

Martin Anderson of Goodridge was a visitor at the Emil Siguerid home Friday.

Bennett Johnsrud was a business caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brekken were Sunday visitors at the Edward Hanson home near Erie.

A. J. Wells was a business caller in Goodridge Saturday.

Misses Alice and Clara Osen visited with Julia Miller over Sunday.

Richard and Einer Aukre attended the Community club meeting in Goodridge Friday night.

Gussy Halvorson is on the mend after suffering from a sore throat.

E. Grimley and daughter, Emma, were business callers in Goodridge Saturday.

The program held in the Pershing school was well attended and everybody had a real enjoyable time.

Benneth Johnsrud and Louie Grimley attended the band concert in Highlanding and dance at Mavie on Saturday night.

Iver Westby was a business caller at the Elev Aaker home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Arntz and children visited at the Elmer Vraa home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carleton were visitors in Erie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson and Hilda Berg visited at George Tanar's Tuesday evening.

Miss Olga Siguerid who is employed at the Knute Roysland home near Erie, called on the home folks Sunday.

Benneth Johnsrud, Louie, Tena and Emma Grimley were Thief River Falls callers on Monday.

Mrs. E. H. Hanson and son, Kore were callers at the Knute Roysland home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Race, Sr., and Jr., were visitors at the T. O. Berge home Sunday.

Alice and Gladys Berg have been on the sick list but are much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Johnsrud of Thief River Falls visited at the R. Johnsrud home Sunday.

The Ladies aid at Mrs. E. Grimley's was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carelton of Waseca who have been visiting friends and relatives here for some time, left for their home Friday.

Bennett Johnsrud left for Forest River, N. D., Wednesday, where he will remain during the spring season.

Mrs. Emil Siguerid will entertain the Ladies aid April 28th. They extend their invitations to all.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tanar and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carelton visited at the Andrew Wells home Thursday evening.

Marshall Race, student at the Lincoln high school in Thief River Falls, came home Thursday to spend a few days with his parents.

Mrs. Lloyd Crown of Thief River Falls spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stenvik.

Mrs. Elmer Vraa was a business caller in Goodridge Saturday.

Miss Fena Grimley left Monday for Watertown, S. D., where she will remain for an indefinite time.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Carl Guttrue helped Nick Baker repair his Ford last week.

Miss Annie Ose returned last Saturday from Fargo near which place she has been employed since Christmas.

Miss Mabel Shefland visited at the John Skomedal home over Sunday.

Lars Hanson was a caller at the Ose brothers' home last Saturday.

Peter Hornseth called on Torbjon Skomedahl one day last week.

Miss Olga Klungness returned on Saturday from Fargo where she had been employed for the past three months.

Miss Julia Ose started teaching Norwegian school in the Bethlehem church Monday.

Arthur Simonson is busy these days breaking up some new land with his Case tractor.

Tom Bakken is working for Ingvard Pederson this spring.

Ivend and Lars Ose moved last Saturday from the Ole Johnson place to the John M. Johnson farm.

Oscar Guttrue, Carl Kuhne, Ole Oce and Gunsten Skomedahl were callers at the Martin Johnson place last Friday.

ERIE

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Roysland are rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bye have a son of recent arrival.

Selmer Ramsey who was very low with an attack of pneumonia, is well under way to recovery.

The Erie section of the Teachers' Progressive League held its last meeting for the season on Saturday evening in district No. 59. All members were present and much work disposed of.

A dance was given in the new barn on the Enebo farm on Saturday evening. A large crowd was present and all had a good time is the report.

The Theodore Hyland family has moved from the Bjornaraa farm to the Kittle Vatne place and are now nicely settled. The Peter Refnes family moved some time ago from the John Homme farm to the late John Engen place near Highlanding. Ole K. Lien has moved to the H. O. Tommerdahl place. Who will make the next move is hard to tell. There is some checker game on in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jordo and children of the town of North, were Sunday visitors with the L. B. Johnson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Omlid, Mr. and Mrs. K. Skaaren, Mr. C. J. Eckwall and children, Carl, Otea, and Ida, and H. A. Dahlen, were in Thief River Falls on Thursday.

The Eastern Star Ladies Aid was entertained by Mrs. Ole Lien on Wednesday afternoon.

Tharald Tharaldson, mother, and two sisters, were in Thief River Falls on Tuesday of last week.

The county nurse, Miss Marie Knutson, has been visiting schools in this end of the county of late. She examined all school children and finds that in general our boys and girls are quite healthy. There are a few who need medical attention. Bad teeth, perhaps is the most common ailment.

Mrs. Osmund Lundeen and two children of McIntosh, are visiting at the Hovet home. Mrs. Lundeen was formerly Alice Hovet.

Pete Kolstrand was in Goodridge Saturday.

John Homme is confined to the hospital in Thief River Falls having been seriously ill with ulcers of the stomach. It is reported he is much improved.

Clara Bye is employed in the James Ramsey home.

H. C. Ivernson is helping to do the spring work on the Skaaren farm.

H. O. Folkedahl is busily engaged acting as salesman for the Northern Woolen Mills of Fergus Falls. Mr. H. O. is working in Red Lake county at present.

Ole Tharaldson has returned from International Falls where he had been employed for the past six months in the paper mill.

N. P. Larson was a Goodridge visitor on Thursday. He was accompanied by John Johnson, who invested in a new gasoline engine.

Mrs. H. B. Rockne visited with Mrs. Dahlen over Sunday.

The Svaare family left last Wednesday for Pelican Rapids where they expect to make their future home.

John Hovet returned home last Friday evening from Camp Grant, Ill., where he spent a year in the army. He had enlisted for one year. Johnnie is well pleased with army life and has fared only well. While there he took up a commercial course.

Salve Tharaldson footed it 20 miles to his home in Germantown to get his car last Saturday.

Morris Trontvedt had the misfortune to run a pitch fork into his foot one day and has been unable to attend school for some time.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Jorstad motored to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ristau and daughter, Minnie, visited at the Aug. Ristau home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Nabben visited with Mrs. Martin Johnson one day last week.

Mrs. L. Bendickson visited with Mrs. Louis Hamre last Saturday afternoon.

Louis Hamre called at the Hans Dahl home Saturday forenoon.

Silva Bendickson was a caller in Germantown one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tharaldson and children, Gehart and Silva, spent Wednesday at the L. Bendickson home.

Tom Hovelsos motored to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Olaf Tharaldson spent Tuesday at the L. Bendickson home.

Miss Selma Johnson visited with Marie Hamre Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Steen were Sunday guests at the Charlie Strubble home.

Mrs. Martin Olson and children were guests at the Henry Longevan home Sunday.

STEINER

Seeding ground has never been in better condition and we judge from general appearances that there has been more grain sown in the past week in this vicinity than in any one week for several years.

Steven Warring arrived from Hibbing Friday night for a visit at his mother's home.

Emmons Rogers and Louis Meyer drove to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Willis Warring, road supervisor, has been at work with the big grader, using a tractor instead of the customary eight horses.

Rene Werner was a Holt business caller the first of the week.

A large number attended Sunday school here on Sunday.

Ole Bergsman has been hauling hay from the Rogers' farm.

CREAM PRODUCTION SHOWING INCREASE

Cream receipts at the Thief River Co-operative creamery during the month of March approximated those of a year ago, according to Secretary P. Engelstad's report submitted recently. Disbursements to patrons are well below those of last year owing to the drop in prices for butter and butterfat. The average price paid for sour cream during March was 47 cents; for sweet cream, 50 cents. Both show a drop from February prices of 4 cents. Cream production for April is showing an increase. Patrons of the creamery whose checks for March totalled $50 or over are as follows:

Jens Kirk, $251.43; P. Engelstad, $243.38; Hans Anton, $216.65; Waldie Christenson, $176.63; Fred Copp, $149.21; Henry Coop, $147.22; R. M. Johnson, $133.44; E. Erdman, $138.20; C. Liden, $120.74; S. Wiberg, $107.50; Gustave Erdman, $104.72; L. O. Stenseth, $102.89; Ole J. Dahl, $98.01; Aug. Koglin, $86.74; Paul Engelstad, $96.68; John Bloom, $94.18; S. E. Hunt, $93.89; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $85.50; A. E. Anderson, $79.00; H. C. Woolsen, $78.79; H. T. Waale, $77.89; Knut Solheim, $77.64; A. C. Simonson, $77.49; Will Smith, $75.59; Henry Pope, $74.32; O. S. Brelland, $72.44; O. L. Skonord, $73.46; Albert Johnson, $68.87; A. J. Funnesdahl, $67.29; C. H. Swenson, $66.54; N. A. Nelson, $65.96; Chr. Nelson, $65.84; N. P. Willardson, $65.24; Wm. Hohner, $64.67; C. Wiener, $64.64; H. J. Hardesty & Son, $62.00; Hans Sande, $61.19; Silas Torgerson, $59.64; A. K. Huggy, $59.49; R. Oen, $59.39; H. A. Mattheens, $58.29; John Stroberg, $57.62; Barzen & Kramer, $57.00; Mikkel Jorde, $56.50; P. Solem, $55.09; Christ Steen, $54.59; James Wilson, $54.40; Julius Hansen, $54.10; O. B. Gunderson, $53.84; Ed. Hanson, $53.14; Wm. Allen, $52.83; Fred G. Dols, $52.52; Nels Newman, $51.69; Katie Meyer, $51.64; Carl Erickson, $50.74.

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Kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles are most dangerous because of their insidious attacks. Heed the first warning they give that they need attention by taking

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Federal Farm Loan Notice

Inasmuch as it is evident that it will be possible for this Association to take care of only a part of the loans desired by applicants at this time, the directors have decided that they would have all applicants submit to their secretary the following blank filled out:

These blanks will be filed in the rotation in which they are received and the applicants will be notified when the Association is ready to take your application.

When is loan desired? .... Amount of loan you desire? ....

Applicant's full name ....

P. O. .... R. F. D.

Description of Property	No. Acres.	Sec.	Twp.	Rg.

Purpose of Loan—Explain here what money is wanted for. If for the purpose of paying off present existing indebtedness give amounts and to whom it will be payable.

....

Value of Buildings—Enter here what buildings are on the property and their value.

....

Kind of building

....

Value	Amount of insurance carried	Condition

How much live stock have you on this property and its value? Enter number and kind ....

Fill out this blank and forward it to

L. A. LAMPERT, Sec'y-Treas.
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10001 1.00	Absent	Tenor	Mario Chamlee
13019 1.25	La Paloma (The Dove)	(In Spanish) Baritone	Richard Bonelli
	Funiculi, Funicula (A Merry Life)	Baritone	Richard Bonelli and Male Trio
5049 1.00	Make Believe	Fox Trot	Isham Jones' Orchestra
	Do You Ever Think of Me	Fox Trot	Isham Jones' Orchestra
5048 1.00	Love Bird	Fox Trot	Isham Jones' Orchestra
	I Never Realized	Fox Trot	Isham Jones' Orchestra
2081 85c	Humming	Fox Trot	Rudy Wiedoeft's Californians
	Na-Jo (Na-Ho)	Fox Trot	Rudy Wiedoeft's Californians
2083 85c	Spread Yo' Stuff	Fox Trot	Bennie Krueger's Orchestra
	Wang Wang Blues	Fox Trot	Bennie Krueger's Orchestra
2086 85c	Mazie	Fox Trot	Green Brothers Novelty Band
	Arabia	One Step	Green Brothers Novelty Band
5043 1.00	Saw Ye My Savior	Baritone	Lloyd Simonson
	Shepherd, Show Me How To Go	Baritone	Lloyd Simonson
2088 85c	Evening Chimes	Violin—Flute—Harp	Gondolier Trio
	Love's Old Sweet Song	Violin—Flute—Harp	Gondolier Trio
2076 85c	Wailana Waltz	(Hawaiian Players)	Frank Ferera and Anthony Franchini
	Dreamy Hawaii	(Hawaiian Players)	Frank Ferera and Anthony Franchini
2084 85c	Sweet Mamma (Papa's Getting Mad)	Tenor	Al Bernard with Carl Fenton's Orchestra
	Strut, Miss Lizzie	Tenor	Al Bernard with Carl Fenton's Orchestra
2085 85c	Rebecca (Came Back from Mecca)	Tenor	Billy Jones
	I Like It	Tenor and Baritone	Billy Jones and Ernest Hare
2087 85c	Mammy's Little Sunny Honey Boy	Duet	Irene Audrey and Sam Ash
	Love in Lilac Time	Baritone	Ernest Hare
2089 85c	Scandinavia		Harmonizers Male Quartet
	In the Heart of Dear Old Italy		Harmonizers Male Quartet
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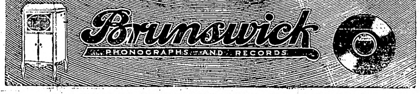

LARSON FURNITURE COMPANY

Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

Mrs. Nick Bundlund was in Thief River Falls on Wednesday, shopping.

Archie Dahl of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday, advertising the Lieberman Bros. sale.

Paul Sund attended to business in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Sadie Sand returned Thursday from a visit of several days in Thief River Falls.

Joe Johnson of Thief River Falls visited friends here several days last week.

W. J. Ballentine and wife left on Thursday for Conway, N. D., to visit relatives.

Miss Gladys Wilson spent Sunday as the guest of her parents at Grygla.

Mrs. Durkin of St. Paul arrived Wednesday to visit at the home of her brother, J. McCabe.

John Hoppe left Thursday for Thief River Falls to receive medical treatment.

D. J. Bren arrived Tuesday morning from Minneapolis enroute to his farm east of town.

Mrs. George Josephson returned on Tuesday from the southern part of the state where she visited relatives the past three weeks.

Miss Ruby Jensen was an over-Sunday visitor of friends in Thief River Falls.

Miss Harriett Millard was a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. R. H. McDonald, Saturday and Sunday after which she returned to Lancaster where she teaches school.

Dr. O. F. Mellby of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday on business.

Joseph Christianson was a Thief River Falls visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Dahl were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

John Nystal was an over night caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son visited friends at Erie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Payne and son Daniel were in Thief River Falls on business Saturday evening.

Ole Kirklie was in Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Miss Eleanor Bauer visited her friend, Miss Ella Pelto, in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Sarah Vaughan spent the week-end in Thief River Falls.

Miss Adeline Millard arrived Saturday afternoon to visit at the home of her cousin, Mrs. R. H. McDonald.

Nick Bundlund was a business visitor in Thief River Falls.

The Lutheran Young Peoples' society met Sunday evening in the church and after the sermon and program lunch was served by Miss Reson and Mrs. G. Gunderson.

M. J. Lysbakken and Harvey Ferdinandsen were business callers in Thief River Falls Saturday night.

Mrs. Seaman of Grygla was in town Tuesday enroute home from Thief River Falls where she visited her husband at the hospital there.

ST. HILAIRE

Andrew Soderberg, a former well-known farmer, having for many years resided near St. Hilaire, now at Berkeley, Cal., arrived Monday for a visit here with friends and relatives before leaving for an extended visit to Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sondreal, accompanied by Mrs. S. O. Quammen, motored down from Thief River Falls Tuesday for a short visit with friends.

Sigurd Engh returned Friday from Duluth having had a minor operation performed at a hospital there.

Mrs. K. T. Dalager and daughter motored to Thief River Falls Wednesday on a brief shopping tour.

Mrs. F. A. Brown, accompanied by her brother, Elmer Blaire of Esplee, motored down from Thief River Falls Thursday, for a short visit at the Branum home.

Miss Anna Harder, a student of the Thief River Falls high school, spent Sunday at her parental home.

Mrs. Carl Johnson left Friday for a visit at the home of her brother, Ed. Gistie, at Fargo, N. D.

Mrs. F. N. Bjerken returned Saturday, having spent two weeks with friends and relatives at Red Wing, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall and daughter Shirley and Miss Alice Hall, motored to Thief River Falls Thursday and spent the afternoon shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Fellman motored to Thief River Falls on Tuesday evening.

Miss Louise Wilson returned Monday, having visited for two weeks with her sisters, Mrs. D. McAllister and Mrs. J. LaPlante, of Grand Forks and Crookston, respectively.

Mrs. Gurmoe of Minneapolis, arrived the latter part of the week for an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biskey, accompanied by Mrs. S. M. Hoff and Mrs. Wm. Zahn, motored to Thief River Falls Saturday and spent the day shopping.

Tim Ensrude, who is employed in a harness shop at St. Thomas, N. D., arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ben Lurdy.

The Misses Josephine Branum and Nellie Follstad made a short visit at the F. A. Brown home at Thief River Falls Thursday evening, returning the same evening.

Mrs. John Forseen returned Monday from Warren, Minn., where she has been a patient at the hospital the past week, having gone there to consult a physician in regard to her health.

Miss Eva Johnson returned Saturday after a two weeks visit with relatives at Fosston. She was accompanied on her return by her cousin, Miss Olena Ross, who will spend some time at the Johnson home.

The E. W. Gallagher family left Tuesday by automobile for Humbolt, where they will reside. Mr. Gallagher is station agent there.

Abel Ness of Crookston motored up for a brief visit at the Ige Carpenter home Thursday of last week.

The regular meetings of the St. Hilaire Community club will be held at the school building Friday evening, April 29. A good program will be given and lunch served. Everyone is welcome.

A. F. Hall and daughter motored to Thief River Falls on Tuesday morning.

O. A. Opperud of Crookston attended to business matters here and visited at the Adolph Satterberg home on Monday and Tuesday.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN.	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.19
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.01
Oats	.24
Flax	1.29
Barley	.37
Rye	1.01
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.80
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-25
Stags	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.15
Dairy butter	.30
Creamery butter	.35
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.16
Veal, dressed, per lb.	8-10
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Fred Roth.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Fred Roth, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Emma Roth, Wilbur Roth, Louise and Wesley Roth, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Emma Roth having been filed in this Court, representing that Fred Roth, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 15th day of April, 1919; and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emma Roth, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of May, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 20th day of April, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a-28-m-5-10

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-six and 61-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by B. E. Chase, a single man, Mortgagor, to Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Company of Minneapolis, Minn., Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of March, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 278.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-one (31) in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-six and 61-100 Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, April 25, A. D. 1921.
MINNEAPOLIS STEEL & MACHINERY CO.
Mortgagee.
LOUIS SEVERANCE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
a-28-m-5-12-26-j-2

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty-six and 42-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ole Oveson and Mathea Oveson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 26th day of November, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of November, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 236.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, to The Savings Loan & Trust Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Wisconsin), by written assignment dated the 10th day of December, 1915, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of December, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 56 of Mortgages on page 28, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, be the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2156.42 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25th, A. D. 1921.
THE SAVINGS LOAN & TRUST COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a28-m-5-12-19-26-j-2

Notice For Bids For Painting.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for the painting of the St. Bernard's Catholic Church and parsonage. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. For particulars, write
GEO. W. WERSTLEIN,
Secretary.
a28-m5

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Four and 58-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by E. S. Babcock and Elsie M. Babcock, his wife, Mortgagors, to Anna Olson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of July, 1920, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of Mortgages, on page 491.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Anna Olson, Mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 27th day of May, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 30th day of July, 1920, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 83.

AND WHEREAS, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the Assignee and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eighty-six and 40-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Three (3), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred Sixty-three and Forty-five Hundredths (163.45) acres in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1086.40 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25th, A. D. 1921.
FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a28-m-5-12-19-26-j-2

Citation For Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Gunnar H. Kolshus.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Gunnar H. Kolshus, an Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Gunnar H. Kolshus, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Gunnar H. Kolshus. The petition of Gunder Herjuson, guardian, as representative of the above named incompetent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interest of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said incompetent described therein be sold and praying that a license to be him granted to sell the same.

Now, Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of May, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said court, and the Seal of said Court, this 27th day of April, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
a-28-m-5-10

Bridge Re-Construction.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of the Town of North, Pennington County, Minnesota, until 2:00 o'clock P. M., on the first day of June, 1921, for the reconstruction of the bridge in said Town known as the "Long" bridge, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the Town Clerk of said Town; all timbers to be used in such re-construction to be creosoted; all bids must be accompanied by certified check in an amount equal to five (5) per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the treasurer of said Town, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications; bids to be filed with the Town Clerk, Postoffice Address, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, at his office at his residence on the Southeast quarter of Section 27, in said Town; the Town Board will meet at the office of said clerk on June 1st, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of receiving and considering bids and awarding contract. The right is reserved by the Town Board to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications may also be seen at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Dated April 26, 1921.
By order of the Town Board.
ALFRED LONGREN.
Town Clerk.
a28-m3-10

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States For the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In the matter of George Knapper, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

To the Creditors of George Knapper of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1921, the above named George Knapper was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the City of Crookston, in the county of Polk, in said district, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated April 23, 1921.
OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
a28

Tax Judgment Sale.

Pursuant to a Real Estate Tax Judgment of the District Court of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, entered the 17th day of March, 1921, in proceedings for enforcing payment of taxes and penalties upon real estate in the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday of January, 1921, and of the statutes in such case made and provided, I shall on Monday the 9th day of May, 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at my office in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, and County of Pennington, sell the lands which are charged with taxes, penalties and costs in said Judgment, and on which taxes shall not have been previously paid.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1921.
T. P. Anderson,
Auditor of Pennington County.
a21-28

Proposal For School Building at Mavie, Minnesota.

Sealed proposals will be received at Mavie, Minnesota by the school board of Common School District No. 15, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, until Two P. M. (2 p. m.) April 29th, for the erection and completion of a school building on Sec. 23, Twp. of Cloverleaf, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified check for four per cent (4%) of the amount of the bid, payable to the School Board of Common School District No. 15, Pennington County, Minnesota, which check will be returned, when building contract is executed, or when said school board does not accept the bid.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Copies of plans and specifications of the building may be seen at Farmers State Bank, Mavie, Minn.

C. M. TALLEY,
Clerk, Dist. No. 15, County of Pennington, Minnesota.
a14-21-28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twenty-one-hundred-eighty-three and 15-100ths ($2183.15) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by John Arntson and Thilda Arntson, his wife, Mortgagors, to First State Bank of Gully, Minnesota, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of December, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of January, 1919, at 3 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 492, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North half of the northeast quarter (N½NE¼), southeast quarter of the northeast quarter (SE¼NE¼), northwest quarter of the southeast quarter (NW¼SE¼) of section twenty-four (24), township one-hundred-fifty-two (152), north of range thirty-nine (39), west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one-hundred-sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 14th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, to pay said debt of $2183.15, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 30th, A. D. 1921.
FIRST STATE BANK OF GULLY, MINNESOTA, A CORPORATION,
Mortgagee.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagee's Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
m31-a-7-14-21-28-m5

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 99-100 ($994.99) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William S. Hunt and Harriet Hunt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 24th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of February, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock, A. M., in Book 50 of Mortgages, on page 446.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to The First National Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation by written assignment dated the 11th day of May, 1918, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 19th day of March, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 117, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven and Eight (7 and 8) in Section Twenty-nine (29), and the East one-half (E½) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section numbered Thirty-one (31), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred Fifty-three North, of Range numbered Forty (40) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 6th day of May, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 99-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 19th, A. D. 1921.
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Thief River Falls, a Corporation,
Assignee of the Mortgagee.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
m-24-31-a7-14-21-28

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

"Granny" Chamberlain

Croup

"I don't think there is a more anxious time for parents than when their children have croup. Without they are prepared with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they must wait for the doctor and listen to the choking, metallic cough and watch their little one gasping for breath.

You know the great danger of croup is in the formation of a false membrane in the larynx, and until this is expelled relief cannot be obtained, and the spasmodic choking continues. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in frequent doses. It will loosen this membrane and cause the child to expel it by vomiting.

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is an absolutely safe and certain remedy for croup, and if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack."

Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Prosperity Waits on The Hammer and Saw

New Construction Will Start Business Revival

The time is ripe for some great leader in industry to step into the market and start the ball rolling. Construction can do it, perhaps better than any other line.

Because in the allied building trades costs have been reduced on raw material and labor approximately one-third.

The average frame dwelling, for instance, that cost $5,000 to build a year ago can be put up now for between $3,500 and $4,000. This ratio will hold true in practically all kinds of building construction.

A building revival will prove just the stimulus needed to bring back normal conditions of production, to make the full pay envelope, to increase patronage for our merchants, to give our people the steadfast faith in our country and its institutions that honest work, honest endeavor and honest investment predicate as our rightful heritage as citizens of this great country.

Then why delay? There is a crying need for construction of all kinds. High rents are the rule now because we need, right here in Thief River Falls, at least 150 new homes in order that our people may be housed comfortably, healthfully and at a rental rate which will enable them to spend more of their money for the necessities and luxuries of life that is the due of our splendid class of artisans, salaried people and less skilled workers.

Let's start this work now, while costs are at the minimum, when it can be made the great lever that will pry all industry out of its lethargy and start it on the upward grade toward general prosperity.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Company

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Henhouse 9x14. Notify H. C. Johnson, North Lumber Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 13p

FOR SALE—Buckwheat at $2.00 per hundred. Jos. H. Kuecke, Thief River Falls. 13

FOR SALE—Frame house, 14x24 with kitchen 10x16. This house is in very good condition. Purchaser will be expected to remove same from lots promptly after sale. For particulars call 62 or 105 Knight Ave. N. 12tf

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching. Pure bred Rhode Island Reds, 50 cents per dozen. Also Guernsey bull calf, 5 mos. old. Albert Johnson, R. 3, City. 12p

FOR SALE—Complete wireless receiving set. For particulars write A. J. Kennedy, Warren, Minn. 13tf

FOR SALE—165 acres best prairie, 20 acres woods, in Section 6 between Viking and Newfolden. Perfect drainage, $35 per acre. Terms. Write owner: I. A. Olsen, 421 Palace Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE CHEAP—6 room house, all modern but heat. 75-foot lot and garage. O. C. Parlet, 810 Main Ave. N. 11tf

FOR SALE—Spring seed rye. Andrew Bremay, Stop 7 Electric line, Germantown Rt. City. 12p

FOR SALE—10 young pigs, $2.50 each, 5 weeks old May 10. Henry Rondorf, R. R. No. 1, St. Hilaire, Minn. 12

FOR SALE—Two White Leghorn roosters. Syverson Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls. 9tf

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Holland turkey hens, $5.00. Eggs 40c each; setting of 9, $3.00. N. A. Nelson, R. 1, Box 75 B. Phone 17F23. 13p

FOR SALE—700 bushel Big Four seed oats. Absolutely clean. Call 411 Riverside Ave. P. P. Palmer. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Percheron stallion, registered and licensed, by Wm. Haase, Mavie, Minn. 12

FOR SALE—Span of bay geldings, wt. 3200 pounds. Also seed flax. W. E. Smith, Thief River Falls, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

FOR SALE—Seven acres adjoining city, with good house, barn and garage. E. F. DeVelling, City. 13tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—5-room modern bungalow, brick, about 2 years old. 510 Bridge St. $3,000, half cash. Can be seen by appointment. Call 401. 12tf

FOR SALE—Potato planter, $35.00; 4-row sprayer, $45.00; John Deere cultivator, $35.00. This machinery can be seen at the C. E. Reed farm, 3 miles northeast from the city. L. I. Hermanson, Thief River Falls, Minn. 13

FOR SALE—Side oats, perfectly clean for seed. Mrs. Sarah Knutson, Kratka, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE—Elwell kitchen cabinet, practically new. Phone 3771 or see Gus Crown at Baken and Crown Barber Shop. 13p

FOR SALE—Two-room house. Sewer, city water and light connections. S. L. Aunstad, 927 LaBree Ave. North. 12tf

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—House and four lots cheap. Telephone No. 590. 12

FOR SALE—New five passenger Maxwell car at 25 per cent discount. Inquire of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn. 10tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—100 yards good black dirt delivered, $2.25 a yard or 75 cents on place. Phone 333. 13pd

FOR SALE—Twenty bred ewes, Shropshires bred to Senator Bibbs, Blue Ribbon winner at Minnesota State Fair. Albert Johnson. 11p

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs. Black Leghorn, dark Cornish, Game Bantams. Geo. Leimers, Thief River Falls, Minn. 9tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

MUST SELL 6-room house on the river bank in Thief River Falls. $300.00 down will buy it. Cheap if taken at once. C. O. Franson, Viking Minn. 7tf

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mr. H. J. Rushel, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 155, City. 52tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103. Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Aker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On very easy terms, the SE¼, Sec. 18, Town of Reiner, 4½ miles east of Goodridge, 90 acres under cultivation, fair house and barn—C. W. Vorachek. 2tf

FOR SALE—16 in. John Deere breaking plow and white blossom sweet clover. Frank Macak, Germantown, Minn., one mile north of Stop 7, Electric line. 10tf

FOR SALE—Lot and barn. 511 LaBree Ave. N. 10tf

FOR SALE—White Blossom Sweet Clover. Hulled 98% purity, $5.00 bu. Unhulled $1.25 bu. Dan Stonehouse, Plummer, Minn. 12p

FOR SALE—Good seven room house, barn, chicken coop and woodshed, fruit trees, etc., on nice high plat of ground located on Red Lake river opposite Tindolph Park, the beauty spot of the city. For particulars call or write 420 Crocker Ave. No. Thief River Falls, Minn. 12tf

FOR SALE—1 Avery gas engine; 1 Moline three bottom plow; 1 E. B. double disc. All as good as new, only used one summer. Write to John Clausen, Thief River Falls, Minn. 15pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For smaller farm, 320 acre river farm in Pennington county. Must be sold at once. Call at Times office or write R. K. Callaway. 3tf

FOR SALE—Three lots in Thief River Falls. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First & Peoples State Bank. 9tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR HAY—International revolving hay stacker and two bull rakes. Nearly new. Price $100.00. Good strong wagon with 100-bushel tank. Price $75.00. Heavy running gear, 3 years old $80.00. John Deere gang; 2 sets new shoes, $20.00. Old harness, $10.00. Disc drill $20.00. Will take good feeding hay at $10.00 per ton on cars. Samuel Maxwell, Humboldt, Minn. 12p

FOR TRADE—Iowa farms to trade for Western Minnesota farms. Farmers Co-Operative Land Co. 12pd

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House on East Side, 5 rooms. Barn, woodshed, 2 wells, good water, 50 foot lot. $22.50 per month. Address Mrs. M. A. Gotham, Hankinson, N. D. 12p

FOR RENT—May 1: Five-room house. Inquire Fred Holzknecht. 12p

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Bratrud. 10tf

FOR RENT—Well located 7-room house. Inquire of John Bratrud. 12tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 10tf

FOR SALE—One of the best all modern homes in city. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, C. T. Christenson, 415 Main Ave. N. 9tf

FOR RENT—Improved place about 130 acres, 8 miles east of Thief River Falls at Stop 8 on Electric road. Will give extra good terms and will furnish some seed. Write at once to H. E. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Nebr. 12p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 12p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard. 12tf

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand ice box in first class condition. Call 3291. 12

LOST

LOST—April 17, between Lambert's drug store and 421 Knight Ave. N., a new Norwegian bible with one red ribbon band around it. Return to M. O. Bakken, above address. 13

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—A position by stenographer with twenty-one months' experience in bank. Familiar with posting and book work. For further information phone 112, City. 14p

MISCELLANEOUS

RAG CARPET AND RUG WEAVING—I am now prepared to take care of all orders entrusted to me for rag carpets and rugs. Work guaranteed strictly first-class. Prices reasonable. 610 State [illegible]

WANTED TO BUY—Have buyers for farms on crop payment. Farmers Co-Operative Land Co. 12p

WANTED TO TRADE—A good house for 80 or 160 acre farm. Will pay part cash in deal. Write Box 1124, City.

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 296, Grand Forks, N. D. 12tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, First St. E. 11tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 12p

KOLN GOLDSMITH WRESTLE TO A TIE

Each the Victor in One Fall and 20 Minutes is Spent Trying For the Third.

Charlie Goldsmith of Crystal, N. D., and Henry Kolln of Greenbush wrestled to a draw at the Lyceum theatre on Friday night in the neatest sport event seen here in a long time. Kolln took the first down with a combination of holds after one hour and 12 minutes of hard work on the part of both grapplers. Goldsmith took the second with a hammerlock in five minutes and 50 seconds. After 20 minutes, during which the wrestlers were warned three times to get down on the mat, Referee Munden called the third set-to a draw. The two principals had remained on their feet in spite of the repeated warnings, Goldsmith, with 20 pounds weight to his advantage, treating his opponent to considerable slamming about the ring.

Soo Line Improves Street, Applying Coat of Cinders

Atlantic avenue between Third and Eighth streets is now the one thoroughfare in the down-town section of the city which is not affected in the least by passing showers or cloudbursts, the Soo line, whose freight station abutts the avenue at Seventh street, having contributed 20 carloads of cinders to completely surface the five blocks of road in question. The object of the railway company was to furnish a suitable approach to the terminal for heavily loaded vehicles. The roadway has been surfaced to a depth of several inches and made wide enough to accommodate two lines of traffic without difficulty. Six years ago this same five blocks of street was surfaced with 95 carloads of gravel furnished by the Soo at a large expense to the company. The city in both cases has furnished the labor necessary to putting the thoroughfare in condition.

Next to Lyceum Theatre. A Square Deal to All.

Thief River Falls Recreation Parlor

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Pocket Billiards, complete line of cigars, cigarettes, tobaccos, etc.

Soft drinks of all kinds. Headquarters for the Traveling Public.

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"I swear it was dead three months," writes Mr. J. Sykes (N. J.). "I saw this rat every day: put some Rat-Snap behind a barrel. Months afterwards, my wife looked behind the barrel. There it was—dead." Rat-Snap sells in three sizes for 35c, 65c, $1.25.

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Do You Want a Farm?

Well improved 80 acres 7½ miles out, at a bargain.

Will accept city property as first payment.

John Bratrud

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The Lyceum

FRIDAY

"BACHELOR APARTMENTS"

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Georgia Hopkins and an All Star Cast.

And

"THE SON OF TARZAN"

Matinee 4 p. m., 6c and 15c

SATURDAY

Harry Carey

In

"SUNDOWN SLIM"

—And—

Century Comedy

"FISHY STORY"

Matinee 2:30

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Betty Compson

(Who Starred in "The Miracle Man")

In

"PRISONERS OF LOVE"

Bruce Scenic Edgar Comedy

Matinee Sunday 2:30

The Princess

SUNDAY ONLY

Owen Moore

—In—

"THE CHICKEN IN THE CASE"

Educational Weekly Snub Pollard Comedy

MISS SIDONA POSTON GOES AS MISSIONARY AMONG INDIAN TRIBES

Miss Sidona Poston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Poston, and formerly a member of the Methodist Episcopal church of Thief River Falls, is one of a class of thirty-five students who were graduated April 21 from the Bible study, missionary and gospel music courses of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. This class represents twelve states and four foreign countries. Ten were graduated from the missionary course.

Miss Poston is preparing for work among the Indians of South America.

OBITUARY

Melvin Olson.

Melvin Olson died on April 20, at the Oakland Park Sanitorium from pulmonary tuberculosis, of which disease he had been a victim for six months. Deceased was 21 years at the time of his death. Funeral services were held on Saturday and interment made in Greenwood cemetary.

Hattie Henriette Henzie.

Pneumonia, with which she had been ill less than a week proved fatal Monday morning, April 25th, to Hattie Henrietta Henzie, 15 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson, formerly of Thief River Falls and who are residents of Watertown, S. D.

Henry Gustafson.

On Friday, April 22, occurred the death of Henry Gustafson at Oakland Park Sanatorium from pulmonary tuberculosis, frim which disease he had been a victim for two years. He was born in Plummer on Nov. 17, 1894, and resided with his parents on a farm until coming to the sanitarium last summer for treatment. The body was shipped to Plummer for burial.

A. W. Dolson.

A. W. Dolson, 75 years of age, died in this city on April 20 from heart disease. Mr. Dolson at the time of his death was a resident on the Red Lake reservation. Funeral services were held in this city on Saturday and interment made in Greenwood.

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

ADDITIONAL WANTS

FOR SALE—160 acre farm, seven miles from Thief River Falls, two miles from Roseau. Good buildings. 40 acres pasture. See or write C. A. Swanson, Thief River Falls, Minn. 12p

FOR RENT—Small house. Inquire at Model Steam Laundry, Thief River Falls, Minn. 12tf

LOST—Suitcase between hospital and postoffice. Kindly leave at Times office. Robert Herdman, Thief River Falls, Minn. 12p

Churches

Silverton Lutheran Church, E. O. Sabo, Pastor—Services Sunday, May 1st at 10:30 a. m. — After services there will be lunch served by the Young Peoples society.

Bethlehem, Thorvick, O. I. Raaum, Pastor—Services in Bethlehem church Sunday at 11 o'clock. Services in Thorvick at 2:30 p. m. Confirmation class will meet in Thorvick after the services.

S. D. A. Mission—Subject for Sunday evening, May 1st at 7:45: "When Was Time Lost?" Saturday, April 30 at 11:00 a. m., there will be service in the English language. You are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

The First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Services at Newfolden at 3:30 p. m. Services in American at 8:00 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. Prayer meeting and Bible study Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, May 1: German services at 10 a. m., English services at 2:30 p. m. at Germantown. Sunday school in connection with the afternoon services. Special collections for Synodical purposes will be lifted. Sunday, May 8: English services at Erie at 10:30 a. m. Christian instructions as usual.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m., at the city auditorium. Subject for May 1, "Everlasting Punishment." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. A reading room at the same location is open on Tuesday and Thursday afternoon of each week from 3 to 5. The public is cordially invited.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 1st: Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services. Young Peoples meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Prayer service at 8 p. m. Thursday. Mrs. H. G. Gustafson entertains the Ladies Aid at her home, 312 Riverside Ave. Wednesday, May 4th at 2:30 p. m. At St. Hilaire: Black River 11 a. m. East Side school house 3 p. m. and at St. Hilaire 8 p. m. The choir will sing.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. Service at Norden church with Communion at 2 p. m. Services, city, 7:45 p. m. Rindal Ladies aid at Mrs. Axelson's Tuesday at 2 p. m. Goodridge Ladies aid Wednesday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Osmund Urdahl entertains. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies aid on Ascension day. Mrs. Sortland entertains. Zion Y. P. S meeting Thursday evening.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies Aid society meets in the church parlors Thursday afternoon, April 28. Mesdames A. C. Hanson, J. Magnuson, Ben Erickson and Adolph Williamson entertain. Social meeting of the Young Peoples League Friday, April 29th at 8 p. m. A regular college course of fun. You can't afford to miss the track meet. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services in English Sunday at 11 a. m.; in Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Junior choir meets on Tuesday evening, the regular choir on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. for rehearsal.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 1: 10 a. m. Sunday school. A real school of the Bible and Christian Inspiration. There is still room for you and your boy and girl. 11 a. m. morning worship: "Health a Department of Christian Experience." Music by the young peoples choir. 8 p. m. evening worship. The junior choir will present a selection. Our aim is to present the most recent subjects and facts. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. "Thy Kingdom Come in My Country." Consecration meeting. May 8: Mother's Day, all parents specially invited. May 15: Vocation Day. High school students specially invited.

ROSEWOOD

Melvin Olson.

Melvin O. Olson, aged 21, of Thief River Falls, who died at the Tri-county sanitorium last Wednesday from pulmonary tuberculosis, was buried in the Rindal cemetery here last Saturday with Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls officiating. Melvin was reared on a farm in the western part of this community and was well known thruout the neighborhood. A few years ago, he moved with his mother, to Thief River Falls, which has since been his home. His brother, Olof Olson, is at present employed at the John Ranum farm south of town, others of the family residing in Pennington county. A large number of friends and relatives from this community and Thief River Falls attended the burial ceremony.

Clean-up Day at Rosebank School.

The teachers and pupils of Rosebank took an extra half day off from school work last Thursday to clean up the playgrounds and did an excellent job. All the rubbish, banking and dry leaves were raked together and burned, the wood was piled into the shed and all the play equipment straightened up. The idea is praiseworthy and if other schools would follow the example fewer dingy school grounds would disgrace the highway.

The Coming Events.

Union Farmers' club meeting and the Farm Bureau meeting will be held at the Rosebank building next Friday evening, April 29. A Farm Bureau man from Warren will speak. Lunch will be served.

Swedish Young Peoples' society at the Congregational church in town next Saturday evening, April 30. Commences at 8:00. Lunch 10c.

Rindal Ladies' Aid meeting at the home of Mrs. Julia Axelson on Tuesday May 3, at 2:00 p. m. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls will be present. Lunch will be sold at 10c.

Swedish services in town next Sunday, May 1, at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will speak.

Daily Truck Service.

Manager K. P. Cadwell of the Grand Forks Motor Truck Transportation Co., was in town last Tuesday looking over the route to be taken by that company in commencing their business on Tuesday, April 26. Rosewood will be one of their stops and it is expected one truck will be here about 11:30 a. m. and one at 1:30 p. m. Express will be taken only at regular stops, but will be delivered at the regular rates at any farm within one mile from the main route. A 100 pound package from Grand Forks to Rosewood will cost 84 cents and other weights and distances in proportion.

Mrs. C. Eggen and son Melvin of Kelliher, arrived on Monday morning to visit with Mrs. Eggen's sister, Mrs. Anton Gullseth, during the day. On their return Mrs. Gullseth accompanied them as far as Thief River Falls where they both will visit with another sister, Mrs. A. B. Remmen for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen motored to St. Hilaire on Sunday where they were guests of the Walbeck folks.

Henry Lappegaard came home on Saturday from International Falls where he has been employed part of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm motored to Newfolden on Sunday to meet Mr. Holms' parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Holm from Twin Valley, who will visit with them for some time.

Olof Opseth came up from Gonvick last Monday to crate and ship his brother Gust's concrete machinery to that place.

Miss Minnie Sorenson left last Wednesday for Anita, N. D., where she will be employed during the summer months.

Miss Ida Sorenson returned home on Thursday evening from Thompson, N. D., where she has been employed this spring.

Mr. Seeley of Barrett, Minn., has made arrangements with Herbert Carlson to take over his hardware line and is expected here in a short time to enter into the hardware business. The intention is to conduct business in the Carlson building for some time to investigate if the prospects are promising enough to warrant the erection of a new building to carry this line. The family, Mrs. Seeley and two children, will arrive as soon as home quarters can be secured.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

NUMEDAL

Hjalmer Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mrs. Olaf Larson and David Samuelson were Viking shoppers Friday.

Frank Hoppe is employed at the Soren Knutson home.

Melvin Joringdal autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

George Bugge autoed to Thief River Falls Friday.

Hjalmer and Thure Blomberg visited at the C. J. Johnson home Thursday evening.

John Nelson called at the J. A. Blomberg home Friday.

Olaf Larson called at Soren Knutson's home Friday.

Herman Blomberg visited with his folks Sunday.

Quite a few young Numedalers autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday evening to take in the movies.

Oliver Ronning, who has been employed at Bray for some time, returned home last week.

Thure Blomberg is acting as mail carrier at present.

John Ronning autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Ed. and Thure Blomberg assisted Tom Joringdal in overhauling his Ford speedster Sunday, after which they made a flying trip to town.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osness were Sunday visitors at the J. A. Blomberg home.

MAYFIELD

Misses Selma and Bertha Klove visited with the Cooper girls Sunday afternoon.

The William Jesperson home was the scene of a delightful party on Sunday afternoon when several relatives and friends were invited to help celebrate the first birthday anniversary of their son Lewis.

Jacob Stennes has been on the sick list with a bad cold this week.

Sadie and John Ondahl spent Sunday evening at the O. Wedul home.

Mrs. L. B. Klove and daughter Bertha were business callers in Plummer Monday.

Mrs. Ole Wedul will entertain the Western Ladies' Aid Thursday afternoon, May 5th.

Lambert Rewertz of Red Lake Falls called on his brother Evert last Tuesday.

Warner Borgeld was a caller in Hazel Thursday evening.

Manford, Julian and Arnold Stennes spent Sunday afternoon with the Wedul boys.

O. Wedul and daughter Anna spent Monday evening at the Klove home.

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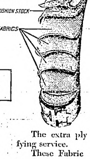

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SCHOOL DUTIES END FOR LARGE CLASS ON JUNE 3

Seventy-Eight Students to Graduate This Year, School's Next Largest Number.

Boys Outnumber Girls More Than Two to One, the Percentage Being Unusual.

Rev. T. E. Sweger to Deliver Baccalaureate Address on Evening of May 29.

"To Be Rather Than Seem to Be," is the motto of 78 young men and women who comprise the Lincoln high school class of '21 which will be graduated on Friday, June 3. This is the *second largest class in the history of the school*, the largest being the Class of '20, which numbered 86 students.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. T. E. Sweger of the Trinity Lutheran church at the city auditorium on Sunday night, May 29. Rev. M. J. Noesen of St. Bernard's Catholic church will have charge of the services. Commencement exercises will be held at the auditorium on the night of June 3. A prominent speaker from the University of North Dakota staff is being secured to deliver the address of the occasion.

Of the number who will graduate, 55 are girls and 23 boys. Twenty-five of the girls are enrolled in the normal training department, having taken three years work in the general high school courses. Twenty-eight members of the class are non-residents of district No. 18.

The Class officers are: Dreng Bjornaraa, president; Mary Vance, vice president; Clayton Steenerson, treasurer, and Ethel Conklin, secretary.

Zeh, Smithers, Sundahl, McDaniel, Bjornaraa, Penney, Lind and Fossum were members of this year's football team. Fossum, McDaniel, Larson, Sundahl and Olson starred with the 1920-21 basket ball quint. Eileen Herron and Viola Lund played with the girls' basket ball five.

Included in the class are Edward Fiterman, Vernon Copp and Esther Soards, who made up the debating team which, after several spirited debates, met defeat at the hands of the Crookston high team, which later was awarded the state high school championship. Fiterman was awarded the sub-district and district championships in oratory, only later to be eliminated in the state oratorical contest which took place in Minneapolis. Myrtle Krohn won second place in the district declamatory contest.

Jordan Penney and Hugh McDaniel served with the U. S. forces during the world war. McDaniel enlisted with the first Aero squadron on Nov. 6, 1918, and was discharged Dec. 25 from his station at Mineola, Long Island, N. Y. Penney enlisted May 26, 1918, and was discharged July 8, 1919, after having served overseas with the 421st supply train.

The senior class originally numbered 80 students. Ellen Nelson of St. Hilaire, who during the past school year has been enrolled in the normal training department, is at present ill at the Physicians hospital here and will be unable to graduate with her classmates. The young lady has made a commendable struggle to secure an education which would fit her as a school teacher. In addition to making her own way through school she has been obliged to practically support her mother, which she did by borrowing funds from a St. Hilaire bank, whose officials recognized the worthiness of her object. While she will not be graduated on June 3, it is hoped that she will be able to obtain her teacher's certificate by attending summer school. Stella Williams was lost to the class when she became the wife of Ray Johnson of this city.

Those enrolled in the Class of '21 at present are: Corine Adsero, Elline Anenson, Burton Aarnes, Florence Burns, Lucille Bleska, Julia Brudvick, Mildred Bottelson, Dreng Bjornaraa, Vernon Copp, Lester Coyle, Ethel Conklin, Alice E. Causin, Marguerite DeCremer, Chester Dols, Lillian Eide, Gladys Ellestad, Clara R. Engen, Allen Fossum, Edward Fiterman, Bertha Gunderson, Hulda M. Gustafson, Vivian Gabrielson, Lillian Hinelk, Esther Hadrath, Mildred Hauglid, Lynn Halvorson, Clarissa Hornseth, Eileen Herron, Frances Holmgren, Anna Hincik, Ruth Hadrath, Clarence Knutson, Dottie Krafthefer, Myrtle Krohn, Olga Koglin, Goldie Kellberg, Elmer Larson, Bennie Lind, Anne Leimers, Clare Lund, Viola Lund, Esther Loff, Cecelia Lubinski, Georgia Muzzy, Myrtle Mellum, Hugh McDaniel, Arthur Myra, Betsy Ness, Mae Olson, Henry Olson, Rose Oski, Valeria Parenteau, Jordan Penney, Helen Quirk, Mabel Robinson, Doris Richter, Marshall Race, Evelyn Saugen, Adolph Sundrud, Clayton Steenerson, Olga Swendsgaard, Esther Soards, Mable Swanson, Stella Stenvik, Louis Struble, Ida Shields, Amy Sorlon, Bernard Sundahl, Harold Smithers, Florence Stageberg, Beatrice Sandum, Gladys Smith, Ruth Sathre, Stella Thompson, Mary Vance, Mary Wing, Ernest Zeh and Olive Olson.

Teachers' League to Meet For Committee Reports

A meeting of all rural school teachers in Pennington county and graduates of the normal training department of the city schools will be held at the Washington school here on the afternoon of Saturday, May 14. At this time all sectional chairmen of the Teachers' Progressive league will submit their reports regarding teachers' reading circle work and all community activities. It is also planned to elect a committee to meet with the school officers here on June 4 for the purpose of determining what the teachers' salary schedule will be for the coming school year.

A reception will be tendered visiting teachers at the Washington school the same evening at 8 o'clock.

WILL MEET TO ARRANGE MEMORIAL OBSERVANCE

Mayor John Bratrud has called a meeting of committees from the civic and fraternal organizations of the city for Friday night when further plans for the observance of Memorial Day will be discussed. Committees from the Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops are particularly requested to be present. The meeting will be held at the Commercial club rooms promptly at 8 o'clock p. m.

FAMOUS BARITONE WILL APPEAR WITH CHORAL SOCIETY

Harry Phillips of Minneapolis to Sing Solo Parts in Presentation of "Holy City."

Gaul's "Holy City," an oratorio in two parts, will be presented at the city auditorium on Tuesday night, May 10, by the Thief River Falls Choral society under the direction of Miss Maude L. Johnson, music instructor in the city schools. Harry Phillips, Minneapolis baritone, assisted by city talent, will sing the solo parts. Mr. Phillips will also sing several numbers during the interim between parts one and two of the cantata. Miss Laura Forde, who assisted so ably in the choral society's first concert here on March 1, will again accompany the many numbers on the piano.

Miss Johnson has announced that the opening piano number of the oratorio will start promptly at 8 o'clock, in order that Mr. Phillips may leave on the south-bound Soo train the same evening. No one will be admitted to seats during numbers. All seats will sell at 50 cents, no reservations being made.

The treatment of "The Holy City" is almost entirely reflective, the more dramatic parts of the book from which many of the numbers are taken, viz: "The Vision of St. John," having already been treated in so masterly a manner by the great German composer, Louis Spohr, in his oratorio, "The Last Judgment."

The first part of "The Holy City" was suggested by the passages of scripture, "Here we have no continuing city," "Thy kingdom come," and sets forth the desire for a higher life, as expressed in the words, "My soul is athirst for God," which desire is followed by other passages expressive of the perfection of the higher life, such as "Eye hath not seen."

The second part was suggested by the words, "I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away," thus realizing the desire and promises contained in the first part.

With the exception of two hymns, a verse from Milton, and three verses from the Te Deum, the words are entirely scriptural.

MRS. PEARSON GETS 5-YEAR SENTENCE IN REFORMATORY

Former Thief River Falls Girl Will be Taken to Reformatory at Shakopee Today.

Mrs. Martha Pearson, found guilty of manslaughter in the second degree by a Polk county jury, at the last winter term of court, was sentenced to the state reformatory for women at Shakopee, by Judge William Watts in district court late Wednesday forenoon. Mrs. Pearson, together with her husband, Arthur Pearson, were charged with the murder of an infant child at a Crookston hotel. Arthur Pearson will be tried at the June term of court, it is believed.

Mrs. Pearson was present at court when sentence was pronounced. Motion was made by County Attorney James E. Montague that sentence be imposed, and following pleas of Attorney F. A. Grady and W. E. Rowe, on behalf of the defendent, sentence was pronounced.

The sentenced woman will be in charge of her mother, Mrs. Furstnau, of Thief River Falls, until tomorrow. She will not be permitted to leave Crookston.

The Pearson trial, which lasted over a week, created considerable interest. Testimony of the state was to the effect that an infant child was born to Mrs. Pearson, and that it was placed on the roof of a hotel where it was found two days following, in a frozen condition. The defense endeavored to prove Mrs. Pearson temporarily insane at the time the deed was committed.

Mrs. Pearson was formerly a resident of Thief River Falls, having resided here with her parents prior to her marriage to Arthur Pearson.

CENSUS FIGURES FOR STATE ARE OUT IN DETAIL

Show That Minnesota's Population Increased 311,417 During the Past Ten Years.

Pennington County Has 12,102 Residents and City of Thief River Falls 4,685.

Increase in Decade is $2,726 For County and 971 For City. A Good Showing.

The complete report for Minnesota giving the population figures for every city and village has just been issued. It shows the total population of the state to be 2,387,125, an increase of 311,417 or 15.0 per cent in ten years. The increase for the entire country during the same period was 14.9 per cent.

Of the 86 counties in the state, 77 showed increases and nine showed decreases. These last were: Houston, Fillmore, Wabasha, Goodhue, LeSueur, Scott, Carver, Washington and Traverse. The greatest increase is noted in Mahnomen and Koochiching counties, these being the only two showing a gain of from 60 to 100 per cent. Lake, Hubbard and Polk counties showed increases of less than 5 per cent. Pennington county is in the class showing increases of from 25 to 50 per cent, this being next to the highest classification in the comparative list. The county is thus in the same class as Beltrami, St. Louis, Itasca, Cass, Crow Wing, Aitkin, Mille Lacs, Pine, Kanabec, Anoka and Pipestone. Clearwater, Marshall and Roseau are among those showing increases of 15 to 25 per cent.

Following is a comparison of the population as given by the 1920 census with that taken ten years ago for cities and villages in the northwestern section of Minnesota:

	1920	1910
Ada	1411	1432
Argyle	956	744
Badger	394	395
Baudette	960	897
Bemidji	7086	5099
Clearbrook	310	
Crookston	6825	7559
Detroit	3426	2807
E. Grand Forks	2490	2533
Erskine	457	324
Fergus Falls	7581	6887
Goodridge	231	
Greenbush	310	274
Grygla	155	
Hallock	1012	
Holt	232	
Karlstad	286	138
Lancaster	354	204
Mahnomen	1076	796
Middle River	324	149
Newfolden	246	
Oklee	364	
Oslo	365	344
Plummer	252	139
Red Lake Falls	1549	1757
Roseau	1012	644
St. Hilaire	346	468
Spooner	571	668
Stephen	581	618
Thief River Falls	4685	3714
Warren	1772	1613
Warroad	1211	927

In the northwestern portion particularly the rural population greatly outnumbers the urban. In the census report all persons living in communities of less than 2500 are classed as "rural," the division being made as follows for the only counties in this section in which are located cities of sufficient size to escape the "rural" designation:

	Urban	Rural
Beltrami	7,086	19,993
Clay	5,720	16,060
Ottertail	7,581	43,237
Pennington	4,685	7,406
Polk	6,825	30,265

Pennington county had 12,102 inhabitants at the time the federal census enumerators submitted their reports for the last census. Ten years ago the population numbered 9,387, an increase of 2,726. During the same period the city of Thief River Falls increased in size by 971 persons, the total being now given at 4,685 as compared with 3,734 in 1910.

CLEANUP CAMPAIGN ON IN FULL FORCE

Army of Shovel, Rake and Brush Wielders Achieving Great Transformation.

The city is conducting a spring house-cleaning campaign and making improvements in various quarters during the present week.

The wagon bridge across the Red Lake river on Bridge street is being given a coat of red paint, which will be covered later by one of green.

In every section of the city streets are being graded and dragged and gutters thoroughly cleaned of the winter's accumulation of earth and leaves.

All settings of scenery at the city auditorium have been repainted and completely renovated. The city council on Tuesday night passed a resolution whereby a levy of $10 per night is authorized for all companies making use of scenery, it having been discovered that frequent renovation is required to keep the settings presentable.

The Woman's club will again undertake the making of flower gardens in the small plot on the south side of the auditorium. Seeds are already in the ground and shrubs and vines being cared for.

The city park board is making extensive improvements on the East side block which several years ago was secured for park purposes. Elm trees are being planted along the four sides. Two tennis courts are being installed, a baseball diamond being layed out and swings and other play-ground equipment being arranged for. When present plans have been fully carried out, the common will be the mecca of children from all over the city, the playground filling a long-felt want.

The grounds about the five schools of the city have been put in very presentable shape. Under the supervision of Agricultural Instructor F. A. Tripp, trees have been pruned and in several instances small flower beds constructed and planted.

The limited grounds surrounding the county court house have been intensely landscaped by Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh and add much to the appearance of the neighborhood.

Business and residence properties throughout the city are being generally treated to paint, cleaning-up and beautifying processes in a most commendable manner.

PASSENGER MOTOR LINE IN SERVICE TO SOUTH POINTS

Enterprising Owners Also Consider Extending Service Toward North to Warroad.

Starting today, a passenger bus line was placed in operation between Thief River Falls and Crookston by A. Wald and G. Hold of Bemidji. The 12-passenger White bus, similar to those used with such success on the Minnesota iron range, the twin cities and in many other sections of the state, will leave the Hotel Evelyn here each morning and will return during the afternoon. Stops to pick up passengers will be made at any point along the route, which is via St. Hilaire, Red Lake Falls and Wylie to Crookston. The proprietors of the line made the first trip over the route on Wednesday for the purpose of arranging a time schedule, which has not yet been announced.

The bus is commodious and comfortable and is equipped to carry light baggage. The trip from here to Crookston will require between three and four hours time, it being planned to carry passengers with comfort rather than with unusual speed, Mr. Wald stated while here on Wednesday. Future plans call for the placing of a second bus in operation over the same route, to leave Crookston in the forenoon and return to that point during the afternoon. A bus line between here and Warroad is also being considered by the Bemidji men.

CARS LEAVE TRACK; MANY ARE INJURED

Bad Smashup Occurs When Soo Flyer Hits Defective Rail Near Rockford Sunday.

A serious wreck occurred on the Soo Line Sunday night when three cars of the northbound Winnipeg Flyer were derailed and rolled down an embankment near Rockford, Minn., about thirty-eight miles north of Minneapolis. Ten persons were badly hurt and approximately 50 others slightly injured. A defective rail has been given as the cause of the wreck.

The flyer, traveling at a speed of forty miles an hour, was rounding a curve a short distance from Rockford when the accident took place, the last two Pullmans and the observation car leaving the rails and rolling down the embankment, turning over twice in their course. Passengers were hurled about the cars and were injured and crushed between the seats, many being cut by flying glass. That many persons were not killed is considered miraculous by officials of the Soo Line.

First aid was administered to the injured by farmers of the vicinity and doctors called from neighboring towns. As soon as word of the wreck reached the cities a relief train carrying physicians and nurses was sent out and the injured were returned to Minneapolis where they were immediately placed in hospitals. Physicians have predicted that none of the injuries will prove fatal.

The Thief River Falls sleeper was among those derailed but at the time of the wreck no local people were on any of the three cars, all being forward in the dining car. Many more would probably have been injured but for the fact that the accident took place during the dinner hour, road officials state.

The remainder of the Flyer proceeded on its way to Winnipeg, arriving at Thief River Falls about six o'clock Monday morning, when first word of the wreck was received here.

START WORKING ON BIG PROJECT SOON

Attorney For Red Lake Drainage Commission Sees Nothing Now to Cause Delay.

"Now, that the necessary $25,000 has been appropriated by the state legislature for the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district survey and since the federal bill was enacted into law there is nothing in the way of starting work on the drainage projects," said Chas. E. Boughton, Sr., attorney for the district, last week.

"Plans for the Clearwater river project have been virtually completed and work will start this summer under the supervision of Engineer Geo. Walker of Thief River Falls. The work will consist mainly of straightening the river by cutting through the bends. Hundreds of acres of land will be reclaimed by the work and if the farmers along the river show the proper spirit of co-operation with the drainage board the benefits will be large.

"The survey on the Red Lake river project has not yet been finished and when the plans are completed they must first be approved by the Indian department and the War department at Washington before work can be started. One result of the establishment of the drainage district and the starting of the work will be the development of water power along the Red river, for their owners are to be taxed for them whether they are developed or not, so it is up to the owners to get their money back by developing the properties."

CHORAL SOCIETY SOLOIST

Harry Phillips, Minneapolis baritone, who will appear at the auditorium here on Tuesday night as soloist for the Choral society's presentation of Gaul's "Holy City." He is considered one of the foremost vocal artists of the Northwest.

TRACTOR FACTORY IS POSSIBILITY FOR THIEF RIVER FALLS

Owners Now in Consultation With Local Business Men Regarding the Matter.

O. L. Gilliland and C. A. Jahicke of Minneapolis, owners of the Multpile Foot Rail Tractor Patents are in Thief River Falls taking steps to establish a plant here for the manufacture of a general utility tractor of the crawler type. Mr. Gilliland is the inventor of the tractor and a grain shock loader which was demonstrated at the Pennington county fair here last year. He holds patent right on the two inventions in both the United States and Canada.

The Minneapolis men were in consultation with the industrial committee of the Commercial club on Wednesday night and were scheduled to appear before the club at the weekly noonday luncheon today. It is their aim to either take over a Thief River Falls plant or to secure a building location and erect a suitable plant in order to enter into manufacturing at an early date. Mr. Janicke this morning stated that the proposition is a big one and would result in bringing many skilled employees to the city.

TYPHOID OUTBREAK AROUND ROSEWOOD

One Death and Fifteen Other Cases Bring Visit From State Health Official.

A typhoid fever epidemic has been spreading rapidly through an area seven or eight miles in extent about the little village of Rosewood nine miles northwest of here during the past ten days. Thief River Falls physicians report a total of over 15 cases, many of which are considered extremely critical. But one death from the disease, that of George Snyder, a New Solem township farmer, has so far been reported. The Rosewood correspondent for The Times reports that all cases are confined to the male sex of middle age.

Dr. J. Gahlen of Minneapolis, a member of the Minnesota Health department, in company with city physicians, has been conducting investigations in the afflicted district during the past week and it is thought that the typhoid carrier has been discovered. Vaccination is being carried on to a large extent, it being urged by medical authorities as a positive and successful means of eradicating the disease.

Sons of Norway Will Sell Building at Public Auction

As will be seen by a display advertisement in another section of The Times this week, the Sons of Norway will hold an auction sale of the building situated on lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Meehans addition, recently acquired by the building corporation of the order as a building site. The sale will take place on Thursday, May 12, beginning at 1 o'clock sharp. C. M. Evenson will function as auctioneer and it is expected that there will be a good crowd of bidders present. The successful bidder will be given 60 days in which to remove the structure.

CHAIRMAN OF DRAINAGE BOARD EXPLAINS PRESENT STATUS AND FUTURE PROSPECTS OF PROJECT

Believes Members of Thief River Falls Commercial Club Were Not Fully Informed as to Exact Situation When Investigation of Commissioners' Actions Was Suggested.

Mayor John Bratrud and Attorneys E. M. Stanton and H. O. Chommie have been appointed a Commercial club committee to inquire into the reasons for an alleged delay in carrying out the Red Lake basin flood project as authorized by congress during January and February of this year. The appointment was made on Thursday following an hour's discussion of the subject at the weekly luncheon of the Commercial club.

Since that time C. G. Selvig of Crookston, president of the drainage board of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district, has issued a statement to The Times in which he summarizes the accomplishments of the drainage board as follows:

Perfected an organized drainage district.

Secured the preliminary fund authorized by law.

Red Lake and Clearwater rivers petitions and bonds have been filed.

Almost completed both the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers surveys, until viewers can soon begin work.

Secured funds advanced by banks at 6 per cent and continued engineering work thereon.

Steenerson bill passed February 21, 1921.

Defended law under which district is organized from being practically killed.

Secured $25,000 state appropriation to complete final plans for both rivers.

The next step will a conference with the Indian Bureau and War departments to determine the level of Red Lake.

Final plans will be rushed to completion.

One of the next steps will be court hearing on the projects.

Following is Mr. Selvig's statement of Saturday printed in full:

"My attention has been called to an article in a newspaper referring to a recent meeting of the Thief River Falls Commercial club at which the Red Lake drainage project was discussed. Considerable apprehension is manifested by the writer of the article that somehow, somewhere, something is being neglected by the members of that board causing unwarranted delay with reference to drainage of Red Lake river. The spirit of the article is manifestly unfriendly to the drainage board. Any member of the board, its engineer or attorney, would have gladly answered any inquiries. In addition it may be said that statements of the progress of the work being made have appeared in the press from time to time. However, an attempt will be made to go more into detail in this statement.

"It was necessary of course, after the district was established for the judges to name the board members and later for the members appointed to organize the board. Next, steps had to be taken to secure a fund for expenses, including surveys. This required a notice of hearing to be printed in the newspapers, a hearing before Judge Grindeland, an order from him to the county auditors, followed in due season by action by the seven counties in the district. No expense, of course, could be legally incurred until the fund was in the treasury. In this and in every other matter referred to him Judge Grindeland has acted in fullest co-operation with the board.

"In the next place it was necessary for the attorney for the board, Chas. E. Boughton, Red Lake Falls, to prepare the proper petition for both the Red Lake and Clearwater river projects which the engineer in charge and E. V. Willard, state drainage engineer, agree must be surveyed and the improvements planned together, the narrow strip of land lying between the two rivers making this necessary. The petitions were duly prepared. Signatures were secured from the actual residents who were vitally interested. A slight delay was experienced in securing signatures for the bond. A personal visit to residents along Red Lake river was made by E. A. Aubol, Pennington county's drainage board member and to residents along the Clearwater by the writer, Polk county's member and C. E. Boughton. Finally in July the petitions were approved by the board.

Biggest Project in State.

"No time was lost in beginning the survey work. Fortunately the preliminary Red Lake survey by the War Department was furnished the board's engineer, Geo. W. Walker, Thief River Falls, so he could begin preparing final plans on that project as soon as the Steenerson bill became a law. More about that later. In the case of the Clearwater river, the work had to start at the very beginning. Mr. Walker deserves unstinted praise instead of blame for the record he has made in getting his crews organized and work done that was completed before snow fell. All must realize that these projects are immense engineering undertakings that cannot be properly handled without the most accurate and painstaking surveys and planning. The work to be done is planned to last for all time to come. Space forbids enlarging upon this point. The Red Lake basin, including the Clearwater river, the two Red Lakes, the Tamarac river and numerous other tributaries supplying the water that causes the floods, must all be included. It is the biggest drainage and flood control project ever undertaken in the state.

"During the time that all this was going on the Steenerson bill had not yet passed, so Federal authority for a large area of the district within the Indian Reservation was still lacking.

Savants Accorded Praise.

"The bill in its final form was drafted immediately after the drainage district was organized early in 1920. A committee of state legislature, E. V. Willard and the writer appeared with Congressman Steenerson before the Indian Bureau and before the House Flood Control Committee in Washington early in March, 1920, in support of a bill that would fit the needs of the project. Favorable action was taken by the House of Representatives on January 17, 1921, less than four months ago. The Senate passed it early in February. It became a law February 21, 1921. Those who are complaining of delay and are finding fault should be reminded that in the short space of one year the necessary federal legislation has been secured, without which absolutely nothing could be done. Congressmen Steenerson and Knutson and Senator Nelson deserve the highest praise for having prestige and influence enough to secure favorable action on this bill during the short session of Congress.

"There are other phases that enter into the account of progress made to date, namely, first the failure of the law (Chapter 13, Laws 1919, under which the district is organized) to provide sufficient funds for necessary survey work for so large a project; second, the inability of the banks to cash 6% warrants during our present financial depression, and, third, the fight made on the law that the board is working under by members of the legislature from the Minnesota Valley district who wished to repeal the entire law. Senators Naplin, Nord (before his death), Peterson, Cumming, and others, and Representatives Rako, Perry and McPartlin, and others fought against these amendments in a bitterly drawn out contest that lasted two months thru a dozen committee meetings. The writer, as president of the drainage board, was in constant touch with this situation to safeguard the work. The friends of the law finally won out and the amendments finally passed were agreed to at a conference when the board's attorney, C. E. Boughton, was present. The amendments passed strengthen the law rather than weaken it, as will be seen when the session laws are printed and received. In this legislative struggle the Red Lake Drainage board was looking after the interests of eastern Pennington and every other county in the district, ably assisted by the members of the legislature interested, but no Thief River Falls Commercial Club members were in evidence insofar as the writer was aware.

Necessary Funds Unavailable.

"During the time that these amendments were being debated the Board members felt it unwise to incur any further expenditure until the outcome was in sight. They were compelled to go slowly for financial reasons also because the preliminary fund of $5,000 having been used, as far as it went, in surveying work and other necessary expenditures, the only means the Board had to secure an additional $5,000, the limit of indebtedness placed by law, was to borrow the money from banks on 6% drainage board warrants. All know that last fall and winter and even now, these warrants were simply not wanted. Several banks were offered them but stated absolutely they could not assist. Finally Andrew Johnson, member of the board from Clearwater county, secured $1,000 from the Farmers' State Bank of Gonvick because they wished no delay to occur in the survey work. Director Axel Nelson, Holt, Marshall county's board member, secured a loan from Holt bank; Director Aubol, St. Hilaire, from the two St. Hilaire banks, and Attorney C. E. Boughton and Treasurer S. E. Hunt, Red Lake Falls, from the Citizens' State bank of that city. These banks cashed warrants to keep the engineer and draughtsmen on the job. This detail has evidently not been given consideration by the Thief River Falls Commercial Club which is so vitally interested in eastern Pennington County farmers.

The drainage board welcomes an investigation. It would ask only that it should start on July 18, 1919, before the district was organized as well as afterwards.

"But to return to the matter at hand. The drainage board was informed by its engineer that the complete survey, plans and specifications, etc., etc., for so large an undertaking would cost $25,000 for both rivers, the two Red Lakes and the territory north, east and south of them which drains into the upper and lower Red Lakes. In order to secure this sum it would have to be advanced out of the county treasuries by the seven counties in the district. This was considered too heavy a burden on the counties. In addition, the clause in the law which authorizes a levy of such a fund was involved in dispute in the legislature. The board's hands were completely tied until the amendments to the drainage law were passed, which was not done until April 19, 1921, about two weeks ago.

"To make a long story short, in order to proceed with the surveys and to secure the final plans, etc., as soon as it was humanly possible, a request was made for a state appropriation of $25,000 for this survey.

Naplin Supported Bill.

"It is the easiest thing in the world for any person or organization to request an appropriation. The Red Lake matter had been up before. It is another matter to secure the money. Senator Naplin, who strongly supported this request is thoroughly familiar with the hearings upon the request for this appropriation of $25,000. State Engineer Willard gave valuable assistance as did many others. The writer appeared before the House and Senate committees in its behalf. Suffice to say the bill signed on April 19, authorized $25,000 for surveys of the Red Lake and Clearwater projects. Arrangements were made on April 19, the same day, at a meeting of the board held at Thief River Falls to secure the final plans on both the Red Lake and Clearwater projects as soon as the necessary work could be done.

"The newspaperman was poorly informed when he wrote the article in question. All members of the drainage board are desirous of having the improvements proposed completed as soon as possible. They are acting in accordance with the law, legally, efficiently and honestly. More than that they have moved a long ways ahead in a year.

"The minutes of the proceedings of the board are open to all. The accounts are examined by the state public examiner. He has already recommended the procedure for the conduct of its financial affairs which is being minutely followed.

"The members of the L[illegible]vite inquiry. They emphatically resent the attitude of the newspaper article referred to, its insinuations and slurs. It is not worthy of attention excepting that unanswered, some persons not familiar with the board's membership and work may be misled. For the information of those who do not know the membership of the board, their names are given: E. A. Aubol, St. Hilaire; Wm. Paskewitz, Grygla; Axel Nelson, Holt; Andrew Johnson, Gonvick, and the writer. They are attempting to render a service to the people of this section of the state. They welcome constructive suggestions and criticism but they who cannot help should not get in the way."

AIM TO ORGANIZE FARM BUREAU UNIT IN EACH TOWNSHIP

Will Make For Closer Co-operation in the Handling of Local Problems of Farmers.

Meetings will be held in all townships in Pennington county during the next fortnight for the purpose of organizing farm bureau units, County Agent J. J. McCann announced yesterday. The schedule of dates is as follows.

May 6, Rocksbury at Valhal hall. May 7, Smiley; May 9, Cloverleaf; May 10, Kratka; May 11, Mayfield; May 12, Reiner, May 13, Star; May 14, Hickory; May 16, Deer Park; May 17, Highlanding; May 18, Norden; May 19, Sanders; May 20, Numedal; May 21, Bray; May 23, Polk Centre.

These meetings will be called at 8 o'clock each evening. The exact place of meeting will be announced in a letter to the residents of every township.

The purpose of the meetings is for the development of farm bureau work in each township, taking up the discussion on wool pooling, potato shipping, cattle testing, poultry culling, beet raising, use of phosphate, or any other topic that may interest the people in each locality. Officers will be elected for each township farm bureau unit and a vote will be taken on whether the taxpayers of the county wish to continue the appropriation for farm bureau work for the next two years.

It will be to the interest of everyone, whether a member or a nonmember of the bureau, to be present at these meetings in order to voice sentiments either for or against the work and to receive a full explanation of the methods to be followed in making the farm bureau a beneficial organization to every community in the county.

Eighty-one counties in the state have lined up with this work, with over fifty-six thousand members. The number of members in the United States has reached the million and a half mark and is increasing with happy strides.

Necessary Funds For New Staff House Are Provided

The commissioners of Red Lake, Marshall, Roseau and Pennington counties having all voted the necessary funds, the erection of a $35,000 staff home at Oakland Park sanatorium is assured. Warrants of the four counties will be issued to the sanatorium board within a few days. Upon the receipt of the money it will be deposited in the state treasury, following which the plans and specifications for the building will be approved by the state board of health and the state board of control. The contract for construction work will then be let.

THE WEATHER
Received by L. M. Rayson,
Local Observer.

Northern Minnesota and North Dakota—Generally fair tonight and Friday. Not much change in temperature.

OFFER TO DO WORK AT 1 CENT UNDER "LOWEST BID" WINS

Unusual Contract is Let by County Commissioners at Meeting of Board.

A contract for the construction of eight and one-half miles of state road No. 7 between Goodridge and Highlanding was let to H. B. Lund of Thief River Falls, by the Pennington county board on Wednesday. Mr. Lund's bid was at a price "one cent under the lowest bidder." Of the other bids the lowest being for 29 cents per cubic yard of earth to be removed, the successful bidder secured the contract at 28 cents. At this rate the total cost of the construction work amounts to approximately $7,200.

Mr. Lund's bid is unusual and its legality is questioned, it not being considered a competitive bid. The board was influenced by the fact that the contractor is not at present engaged in fulfilling other contracts and can start work immediately.

A contract for the construction of 18 small bridges on county ditch No. 68 was let to L. D. McAdams of this city for $19,300. The bridges are all between 16 and 22 feet in length.

The county commissioners during the special session which covered Tuesday and Wednesday conducted a hearing as to repairing judicial ditch No. 13 in Reiner township and county ditch No. 39 in Kratka township. After much discussion Engineer Irving Quist was directed to make a survey of the two projects to determine to what extent repairs are necessary. The cost of repairing ditch No. 39 was previously estimated at over $13,000, which is 75 per cent of the original cost of the ditch.

The county board granted a reduction of tax assessments for 1920 to the Larson Furniture company, the McFarland Auto company, Loken Bros., The Thief River Music company and Martin Benson.

Officials of the Pennington county Farm Bureau met with the commissioners to request an appropriation of $2000 to assist in maintaining the county agent's office during the coming year. No action was taken in this respect as the annual appropriation is not made until July.

No Players Yet Signed For Ball Team; Uniforms Here

Although practice games may be played before that time, the Thief River Falls baseball season will not be officially opened until the 29th and 30th of the month, when games will be played here, officials of the baseball association announced Wednesday. Games have already been booked with Gonvick and McIntosh for the early part of June. Applications are still being received from professional players but nothing definite has been done in entering into contracts. It is expected that the hired players and team will be well lined up by May 20. Twelve new uniforms in grey and maroon have been purchased and await the players.

CHANGES PLANNED AT GREENWOOD CEMETERY WILL TRANSFORM PLOT

When Work Now Under Way is Completed Tract Will be Finest Burying Ground in Northwestern Part of State.

Roadways thru the north half of the new Greenwood cemetery are being constructed in accordance with landscaped plans and the 40-acre tract otherwise being made ready for burial purposes. The plot was purchased six years ago as an addition to the present cemetery which it adjoins on the south. When completely platted and ready for use it will be one of the most beautiful burying grounds of the Northwest.

During the past two years the dense growth of popple timber has been removed, leaving only the shade oaks; stumps have been pulled or blown out and much of the tract will be planted to lawn grass. Last summer the cemetery commission engaged a landscape gardener for the purpose of drawing up complete plans for the beautifying of the addition. When the roadways, at present under construction, are completed they will assume much the form of a giant rose. The main driveway leads from the highway directly at the corner of the grounds where an impressive arch of masonry or iron grill-work will be erected. In the northeast corner of the tract a carriage turn has been graded, it being proposed to erect a stately chapel and receiving vault at this point. In the approximate center of the grounds is an elevation which will be devoted to formal gardens and memorials, about which the cemetery lots will be grouped. Present plans call for suitable fencing, the planting of much shrubbery and many flower beds. When placed on sale, lots will be priced according to location in grounds. The 40-acre cemetery will provide burial accommodations for over 13,000 bodies. Practically all lots in the two sections of Greenwood, as at present laid out, have been purchased and it is now necessary to keep a staff of sextons employed during most of the year.

The cemetery commission has also adopted a method which will best result in guaranteeing proper up-keep of the grounds. An annual fee of $3 per lot has been set. Lot owners may also enter into a perpetual care contract for which $40 is to be paid. The interest from a fund arising from the sale of these contracts will be devoted to clipping the grass on lots and streets and otherwise caring for the grounds, the principal to remain intact. Greenwood cemetery is owned by the city and governed by a commission appointed by the mayor. Present members of the commission are: W. W. Prichard, Jr., chairman; A. H. Akre, secretary; C. B. Larson, A. K. Olson and John Cronkhite.

Silverton Farmers' Club Enjoys Social Evening

The meeting of the Silverton section of the Teachers' Progressive league at the Silverton town hall on Saturday night drew an unusually large attendance, the hall being taxed to capacity. County Agent J. J. McCann addressed the assemblage on "Boys' and Girls' Club Work;" Miss Marie Knudsen, Pennington county nurse, spoke on "General Health," and A. N. Tommeraasen, Thief River Falls school athletic coach, on "Physical Education." The very instructive program was followed by a meeting of the Silverton Farmers' club, after which the "box lunch" social became the feature of entertainment. Many remained for the dancing which took place during the late hours.

New Dam at Cook's Rapids When River Is Improved

A surveying crew is reported to be working between St. Hilaire and Red Lake Falls, running levels along the river. Rumor has it that a large power dam will be built at Cook's Rapids, when the Red Lake drainage project gets under way. The rapids is considered an ideal location for power purposes, as soon as the water stage of the river is made uniform by controlling locks at the lake.

"Will Declare War on 'Bossism.'" That's right in line with Mr. Ford's idea.

SPRING VALLEY ASKS WHAT KIND OF PAVING IS BEING LAID HERE

Hustling Fillmore County Village of 1800 People Will Have to Look Elsewhere For Advice on This Subject.

Members of the city council in session on Tuesday night relaxed from the discussion of routine matters long enough to join with the assembled citizens in a hearty guffaw which followed the reading of the subjoined communication received by City Clerk A. H. Akre from the recorder of Spring Valley, a Minnesota village of 1800 population:

"Dear Sir: The village of Spring Valley has petitioned for 25 blocks of residence street paving and the council is seeking information and data as to the best kind of material, width of paving, etc., and this we can only get by asking those who have had experience in this kind of work. We are asking your co-operation in this by asking you to answer the inclosed questions, assuring you that we will be mighty glad to reciprocate the favor if in our power.

Yours very truly,
LUMEN LAND, Recorder.

"1. Has your town any paved streets?

"2. If so, kinds.

"3. In your opinion, the best kind of paving for a small town?

"4. The most satisfactory width from curb to curb on residence streets?

"5. Kind of soil you have to pave on?

"6. Names of contractors doing your work?

"7. Cost per yard?

"8. Cost of curb, per foot?

"9. Are oiled streets satisfactory?

"10. Are you paving this year?

"11. What material?"

No disposition was made of the Spring Valley request, inasmuch as the aldermen were undecided as to whom the matter should be referred to.

Spring Moving Results in Benefits to All Concerned

Louis Cohn, proprietor of the Palace clothing store, has moved his stock of goods from the former location on the east side of LaBree across the avenue to the building formerly occupied by the Christofferson Grocery store, and is open for business at the new stand. The shifting of establishments has resulted advantageously for all concerned and in the remodeling and modernizing of two buildings on main thoroughfares of the downtown section.

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's toasted

The American Tobacco Co.

Pebeco Tooth Paste tube	39c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste tube	39c
Colgates Talcum can	19c
Hind's Almond Cream bottle	50c
Listerine bottle	25c
Fancy Ribbons at yard	19c
Swiss Rose Soap 3 bars	25c
Melba Toilet Water Love Me, Shamrock Rose Special, bottle	99c
Djer-Kiss Talcum Special per can	27c
Mary Garden Talcum per can	28c
Pond's Cold Cream Large 75c jar Special	60c
Java Face Powder Large round box	50c
Pro-phy-lac-tic Tooth Brushes. Special ea.	39c
Rubberset Shaving Brush and Shaving Cream. The two for	50c
Packer's Tar Soap Special, bar	22c
Ladies' $2.50 Purses Special each	$1.85
Ladies' $5.95 Purses, Special each	$3.85
Cutex Sets, each	50c
$1.00 Story Books Saturday, only	85c
Mentholatum large jars	48c
Semifold Tooth Brushes Special, each	75c

Lady! Lady!

Look at These Specials on Sale

Saturday, May 7th, Only

36 in. yard wide Bleached pure white Muslin. Basement Saturday, at yard	10c
36 in. Terry Heavy Drapery Cloths. Choice of all our $2.00 patterns, Saturday, at yard	98c
36 in. New Marquesettes Curtaining—white, cream and ecru. Special per yard	25c
36 in. New Cretones, small figures for Draperies, Petticoats, Aprons and fancy work, at yd.	40c
18x36 in. White Huck Towels. Special Storenews Bargains, each	19c
Ladies' fine Silk Hose, bought especially for our May Storenews, now on sale at, pair	98c
Hemstitched Guest Huck Towels, 15x24 in. Very fine, at each	23c

Basement Offerings

Outing Flannel

A heavy weight in all patterns and shades. For this low price you will want 10 or 20 yds. At per yard

15c

Sheeting

A good sheeting and the right width. Compare the price with others, at yard

39c

Aluminum Percolators

Aluminum percolators, 7 cup, a long lived utensil, guaranteed 20 years. Each

$1.79

Aluminum Pans

Aluminum pans, assorted, a 50c value. Sale price

25c

Fiber Suit Cases

24 inch—When you go on an outing you will want one

$1.79

Bleached Muslin

36 inch wide. You always need this item, and when priced so low better get your needs at this sale. Yd.

15c

Pillow Tubing

42 inch. When you can get tubing like this, that you need to complete your spring bedding, buy and save. Sale price, yd.

39c

Electric Light Shades

Electric light floral shades of cretone and linen; a beautiful shade for only

19c

Spring Percales

36 in. wide. A standard percale in all patterns. Yard

15c

Saturday only

100 Aluminum Bargains

So many useful articles, at each

9c

Baby Blankets

A regular blanket for the crib, in many soft colors; something necessary to insure comfort for the baby

49c

Crepe de Chine Silks

36 inch. In beautiful shades for spring and summer. A great bargain at per yard

$1.00

Children's Hose Supporters

Children's hose supporters, strong elastic with molded rubber buttons. A special at

10c

S-i-l-k-o Crochet Thread

Crochet thread. The new mercerized thread. In all shades. Ball

9c

Hair Nets

"Dolly Varden" make in just the right shades to match your hair

5c

Nainsook

A very fine soft material particularly suitable for making finer undergarments. Full yard wide and bleached snow white. Yd.

25c

Unbleached Muslin

Many women take advantage of their ability to get a finer quality of muslin. Special, at yard

15c

NEW ARRIVALS in the Shoe Dept.

We have just received the following numbers:

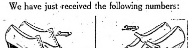

Ladies' Black Kid Oxfords, Military heel, Goodyear Welt $6.00

Ladies' Dark Brown Calf Oxfords, Broque stitched Goodyear Welt, at $6.00

Growing Girls' Brown Oxfords, medium heavy sole. A dandy for school at $3.75

Ladies' Black Kid one-strap Pumps, medium Louis Heel. Turn at $8.00

Ladies' Brown Kid, one-strap Pumps, Cuban heel. Turn at $8.00

Ladies' Brown Kid 2-strap Pumps, Cuban heel, Goodyear welt, at $6.00

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Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children.

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BREAD is man's Best Food, and has been so since the dawn of civilization.

Whether you work on land or sea, in offices, field or kitchen—Bread is dynamo-food that will supply you plenty of energy for your tasks.

Bread is rich in every substance needed to maintain health—promote vigor:

Flour—the heart of the wheat—builds tissues.
Sugar is a mighty, force-giving food.
Compressed Yeast is rich in vitamine—a food-element essential to life.
Salt aids digestion as well as giving flavor.

Victory Bread

—is all food and all good. Made of quality ingredients, it's the Big Bread-Value for deliciousness, nourishment, economy. Kept spotless in its waxed wrapper. Ask your grocer.

JUNG'S QUALITY BAKERY

City News

Peter Meyers of Erie visited with friends here on Sunday.

F. C. Niclai made a business trip to Hallock and Warren on Monday.

Thos. H. Smith and children, of Mavie, spent Saturday in the city.

Rev. T. Myre of Newfolden was in the city on Monday visiting friends.

Everbearing strawberry plants sold by Mrs. Alvina Hovland, Phone 3132. m5tf

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

John C. Nordlum of Middle River transacted business here the first of the week.

George Johnson of Grygla was here on Tuesday attending to matters of business.

Dr. Paulson will return from Minneapolis Saturday where he has been for a week.

Derby Anderson left Saturday evening for St. Paul, where he will receive medical treatment.

N. M. Peterson of Clearbrook spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Mrs. F. H. Smith, accompanied by her sister, Miss Georgine Lundberg, spent Thursday at Warren.

Magnus Lund of Trail spent a few days the latter part of last week attending to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Swanson left Saturday evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Florence Aalberg spent the week-end visiting her mother. She returned to Erskine Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes motored to this city on Thursday to attend the Granum-Skarstad wedding.

Miss Anna Froiland of Plummer arrived here Friday evening and spent Saturday attending to shopping.

Mrs. Ila Reynolds went to Minneapolis Saturday night to visit with relatives and friends for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Geo. Grace arrived here on Thursday evening from Ardock, to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. Chester Barden left Sunday evening for the twin cities, where she will spend a few days visiting with friends.

Miss Mabel Sathre came over from St. Hilaire on Saturday to visit over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. M. M. Benson.

Chas. Erickson was removed to this city from his home at Gully last Friday and operated upon for acute appendicitis.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and daughter, Ruby, and son, Ray, of Goodridge, visited friends in this city on Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Edla Norquist left Saturday evening for Glenwood and Wheaton to spend a week visiting with relatives and friends.

Misses Bergit and Alvilda Aalberg went to Glenwood Saturday evening to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. A. L. Brevig.

Miss Amelia Maue of Monticello arrived last evening for a brief visit with her brother, Dan R. Maue, a reporter on The Times staff.

Miss Helen Strand returned to Bertram, where she teaches, after attending the funeral services of her grand-father, K. Hovelsos, on Tuesday.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Rev. I. T. Autsad of Detroit, president of the Northern Minnesota district of the Lutheran church, was in the city on Monday and Tuesday visiting friends.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela left Friday afternoon for Crookston to visit her daughter, Miss Grace. Mrs. Kinsela expects to take up her residence at Crookston in the near future.

Geo. Borden and Morlan Bishop motored down from Brooks on Monday evening and spent Tuesday as guests at the J. M. Bishop home. Mr. Borden returned to his home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Robt. Stevenson and two children returned to their home at Minot, N. D., Tuesday afternoon, having come here to attend the funeral of her father, the late K. Hovelsos. While here she was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. K. Strand.

E. H. Howe has been employed to act as night clerk at the Hotel Evelyn, relieving C. J. Dargan, who goes to Valley City, N. D., to assume the management of a hotel there. Mr. Howe is a man with many years hotel experience. He comes here from the Great Northern hotel at Devils Lake.

Miss Myrtle Rosland of Holt was in the city on Saturday visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Sunday.

Henry Johnson of Badger was in the city on Saturday renewing old acquaintances.

E. T. Modin of Middle River was a business caller here the latter part of last week.

Walter Anderson of Badger was in the city on Thursday attending to business matters.

Miss Lyda Batten will spend the week end visiting at the home of her father at Rosewood.

J. F. Peterson of Wadena was in the city the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Grant Ohm, who is employed at Bemidji, arrived Tuesday evening to visit for a few days.

Julius Nelson of Plummer was in the city the first of the week attending to business matters.

Paul Midderigh returned on Saturday after a week's visit with a daughter who resides at Bovey.

G. Halvorson came down from Goodridge on Saturday evening to spend Sunday with friends.

Miss Edna O'Brien left Friday evening for Minneapolis and visited until Monday with her sister, Miss Loretta.

Miss LaVon Batten will arrive here this evening to attend the Elks' play and also visit her sister, Miss Lyda Batten.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes shopped here yesterday, returning to their home at Middle River by car, in the evening.

Mrs. C. E. Elkins and baby left Saturday morning for Holt to spend a few days visiting with her sister, Mrs. Louis Rosland.

All our dry cleaning is POSITIVELY free from gasoline odor. Send us a trial order and be convinced. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Dr. and Mrs. A. Shedlov and baby of Gully arrived Monday to spend a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero and Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg.

Mrs. John Brandon and baby returned to their home at Middle River Monday morning after a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson.

Miss Marie Nelson, who had spent two months visiting at Fall Creek, Wis., with her parents, returned Monday morning and resumed her work at the First National bank.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Skarstad left last Thursday evening for Minneapolis and Duluth to spend their honeymoon, after which they will go to Argyle to reside. Mr. Skarstad is assistant cashier of the Farmers and Merchants banks at Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, accompanied by Mr. Sapero's father, A. Sapero of Chisholm, and Mrs. Sapero's father, S. Schafer of Minneapolis, who have been their guests, autoed to Grand Forks on Sunday. The two latter took the train from the last named city for their respective homes.

We clean and reblock men's hats. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Misses Lois Forbes and Eleanor Anderson, teachers at St. Hilaire, shopped here on Saturday.

Attorney W. J. Brown left on Saturday for his cottage at Union Lake, returning Monday evening.

Mrs. A. Holmberg left Saturday for the twin cities, where she will spend a short time visiting friends.

Mrs. Helen Scholin of St. Hilaire was in the city on Monday between trains receiving medical treatment.

Arthur Sorum came down from Holt on Saturday afternoon and remained here over Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. Victor Brink and little daughter of St. Hilaire visited with relatives and friends here between trains on Saturday.

Mrs. Agnes Warring of Steiner was a shopper here on Saturday. While in the city she also visited her mother, Mrs. I. Olson.

Mrs. Chas. Halgrim of Rosewood is spending the week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Miss Lillian Johnson returned to her home at St. Hilaire on Saturday afternoon after attending to shopping here during the day.

Miss Ann Tharaldson, who teaches at Fosston, spent the week-end as the guest of her mother. She returned to Fosston Sunday night.

Tom Majeres, who is employed by the Great Northern at Crookston, was an over-Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Majeres.

Mrs. N. J. Silk and daughter, Dorothy, who had spent a few days visiting with friends in the twin cities, returned Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. E. Farr and little son returned on Saturday afternoon from Gatzke, where they had spent some time visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. Reuben Sandberg of Grygla spent a few days the first of the week visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Mrs. F. J. Seltz arrived on Saturday in response to a message stating that her father, Jacob Jonas, was critically ill at his home here. Rev. Seltz followed on Monday morning.

Miss Alice Hruby, accompanied by her brother, Frank, the latter of Mavie, left Saturday afternoon for Ada, where they will remain at the home of a sister for an indefinite period.

Miss Ingeborg Dale was an over-Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse. She returned Sunday evening to her home at McIntosh, accompanied by Mrs. Nesse and baby, who will spend a few days visiting at the parental home.

Dr. L. F. Fisher returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis, where he had spent a few days on business matters. He left in the afternoon on the Great Northern for Grand Forks, where his wife and children had spent a couple of weeks at the home of Mrs. Fisher's parents. They returned to Thief River Falls on Monday.

Geo. Johnson of Grygla, was a business caller here on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop who was suddenly taken ill on Sunday is greatly improved.

T. P. Hamre motored to Grafton, N. D., Tuesday to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgraff left Saturday morning for Henning to spend a few days visiting friends.

George Streeter returned to this city Tuesday from Fargo, where he had spent a few days on business.

Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar went to Red Lake Falls Friday afternoon to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Schreiter.

Miss Ella Lindstad, who had spent several weeks visiting at her home here, returned on Thursday to Fargo to resume her position.

Julien Provencher of the Evelyn hotel left Friday evening for Minneapolis to spend Saturday and Sunday attending to business matters.

Send your dry cleaning to us; we clean dresses, suits, waists, gloves, furs, and in fact everything that can be cleaned. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Harriet Olson, deputy Supreme Commander, was a guest at the Maccabee meeting on Monday evening. She stopped at the Evelyn hotel and left the next morning for her home at Fosston.

C. J. Knox, pioneer settler, having lived here in the early '90's, now residing in Duluth, is a business caller here this week. He was former owner of the property now occupied by the Knox school which had been named in his honor.

Rev. I. T. Austad, president of the Northern Minnesota district of the Lutheran church, accompanied by Rev. Quammen, secretary for the home mission division of the district, stopped over to pay a short visit to friends enroute from Blackduck to Detroit.

Mrs. M. W. Brink and daughter, Suzanne, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. L. Barackman who left last week for an extended visit in the East, returned to this city Monday morning. They had spent the time since their departure visiting with friends and relatives at Minneapolis and while there the former's daughter, Suzanne contracted the whooping cough, so they thought it better to discontinue their trip at this time.

OBITUARY

Wm. L. Domstrand.

Wm. L. Domstrand of Wylie, died in this city Tuesday, May 3, from meningitis at the age of 26 years. Deceased was a farm laborer and had spent most of his life in the vicinity of Wylie.

Cornelius Chilson.

On Monday, May 2, occurred the death of Cornelius Chilson in this city, from intestinal cancer of which he had been a sufferer for some time having been confined to his bed since February. The deceased was 52 years of age at the time of his death. He came here six months ago and was employed as tonsorialist in the Ralston barber shop. He had followed the barbers trade for the past twenty years. Previous to his residence in this city he lived at Milo, N. D. Besides his wife he leaves five children to mourn his departure. His son, John, is at present located at Grand Forks. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Trininty Lutheran church with Rev. T. E. Sweger conducting. Interment was made at Greenwood cemetary.

Mrs. Albert Swanson.

Mrs. Cora (Stene) Swanson was born in Brandon, Douglass county, Minnesota, on Aug. 8, 1891, and died on April 29 of diabetes. The family moved to Thief River Falls in 1906 and this city has continued to be their home since that date. Deceased was a graduate of Thief River Falls high school with the class of 1910 and was employed as teacher in Pennington, Marshall and Kittson counties for eight years following her graduation. She was married to Albert Swanson on Sept. 28, 1918, who, together with her parents, two brothers and one sister, are left to mourn her loss. The latter are: Mrs. Annie Post, Bernt and Alfred Stene.

Mrs. Swanson was a young woman with a large circle of friends scattered over the entire northwestern part of the state and her death at the early age of 30 years is deeply regretted.

Karelius Hovelson.

Karelius Hovelsos of Germantown, after a month's illness, died last Friday, April 29, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. K. Strand, 613 LaBree avenue north, where he had been removed from his home two weeks previous for more convenient medical attention.

The deceased was born in Soloer, Norway, April 8, 1834, making his age at the time of his death 87 years and 21 days. In 1884 he immigrated to this country with his family and settled at Reynolds, N. D., where they remained until 1897. In that year they removed to Germantown, where he and his two sons took up homesteads. His wife having passed away 20 years ago, only the children, of whom there are six, remain to mourn the loss of a kind and considerate father. They are Tom, Martin, Oscar and Theresa of Germantown, Mrs. H. K. Strand of this city, and Mrs. Robt. Stevenson of Minot, N. D. There are also five grandchildren.

The body was taken to Germantown for burial and funeral services were held on Monday. Rev. E. O. Sabo, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, of which deceased had been a member since its organization in 1897, officiated at the house, church and cemetery.

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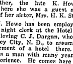

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NOT A HELPFUL MOVE.

The action taken by the members of the Thief River Falls Commercial club at its luncheon meeting last Thursday, when it was decided to appoint a committee to investigate reasons for the alleged delay in getting the Red Lake river drainage project under way, was probably not very well considered. Had time been allowed for looking into the subject a little more thoroughly it is cetrain that the language would have been different and the tone of the remarks somewhat modified.

That the incident has served no good purpose is evidenced by the fact that Mr. C. G. Selvig, chairman of the drainage commission, has deemed it of sufficient importance to make a reply. This he proceeds to do in an *interview given to The Times* this week and printed in another part of the paper. Mr. Selvig in this reply simply aims to put the people of the district right on certain matters of the greatest importance to them and improves the opportunity afforded to call attention to the achievements of the commission up to this time. His position on the board as well as his thorough knowledge of conditions in the drainage area makes him the natural spokesman for those who are in charge of the greatest reclamation work ever undertaken in the state. A careful reading of the article will make clear many things that heretofore have been but imperfectly understood.

The Commercial club of this city would perhaps have displayed better judgment had Mr. Selvig been extended an invitation to come before a meeting here and explain the exact status of the drainage enterprise at this time. He says he would have been very glad of the opportunity to make such an explanation and it is safe to say he has not been aware of any misunderstanding existing here with regard to the commission's aims or purposes. A reading of his article will convince anyone that so far from being apprehensive lest the progress thus far made might seem below the expectations, he feels that the things accomplished should call forth at least some measure of commendation.

The Red Lake drainage project is a tremendous undertaking and will affect communities somewhat widely scattered. It embraces the entire area drained by two rather sizable streams and of a vast section for which the Red Lakes act as an outlet. It was manifestly impossible for the commission to begin work all over this enormous district at once and the members were bound to take up the one requiring the least preliminary outlay in order to get under way. It is only a short time since it was possible that anything could be done with the Red Lake river because of the fact that it has been designated as a navigable stream by the war department and this obstacle had to be overcome. Other delays that did not similarly apply to the Clearwater had to be met and explained away. For these reasons, if for no other, the Clearwater project was the first on which a start could be made. It was very important that the work be gotten under way and the commission began where a beginning was possible. The members are to be commended for their quick action. It has saved several months in time if nothing else.

Had all this been taken into consideration it is not likely that the action of last Thursday would have been taken. Both Mr. Selvig and Mr. Boughton, attorney for the commission, have stated that they will be more than pleased to appear before the citizens of Thief River Falls and explain every detail connected with the work thus far accomplished. Until they are given an opportunity to do so it may perhaps be as well not to threaten anything in the way of an investigation.

Where there are so many things to be taken into consideration as is the case with this drainage project there is bound to be a few arise that everybody does not understand. They can generally be satisfactorily explained if opportunity for explanation is given.

One thing is certain: Beginning to find fault with the commission at this point in the proceedings is not going to help matters along. Better to overlook a few actual mistakes than to begin finding them where none exist.

MAY 8, "HER" DAY.

"Mother."

The most expressive word in the dialects known to man. No other holds the depth of meaning or brings to mind the same memories of childhood days, of smiles and tears, of pleasures and suffering, of love and faith; days when weary little heads were snuggled into the crook of a sheltering arm and weary bodies lulled to rest by the gentle cadence of the old rocker and the rhythm of now half-forgotten lullabys; the smiles and tender sympathy which greeted the injured feelings or the stubbed toe; tears which welled into eyes at childish wrong-doing; of suffering when youth for an instant stepped aside from the more-difficult-to-follow path of life; of love without equal that knew no bounds nor reckoned with death—and of these the greatest is faith.

She whose life honors the word has run the gamut of every human emotion. She has known physical suffering, the joy of the pillowed head on breast and the clutch of tiny hands; she has experienced the exaltation of the opera singer as eyelids closed to the crooning words of an improvised lullaby. She has known what it is *to stand helplessly by when a life* hangs in the balance; has known the pain at parting and the joy at return. Her love has been all-encompassing and one that doubted not for an instant the true worth of her child. Her greatest joy has been that of seeing a tiny body develop into that of a stalwart man or woman and the development of a mere instinct into a powerful intellect.

It is for her then that one day in the year is set aside. A red flower worn on May 8 heralds that her hands and love still rule; a white one, that her love alone remains.

EFFERVESCENCE

It's early yet, but the male of the household is digging up the old straw hat and beginning to get acquainted with the critter.

Save for an occasional picture of his wife, the vice president of the nation has already sunk into the accustomed oblivion.

The Florida horticulturist with the oriental name who has produced the perfumed grapefruit probably felt that the excellent atomizer attachment should be made use of.

The apartment house or residence property owner and rent profiteer who considers it a criminal offense for people to possess children, may not have been found behind a cabbage leaf but he certainly acts as if he had sprung full grown from a hollow stump.

Alex T. Fisher of Detroit, who claims to have invented a device that will allow a gun to be shot around a corner, must have got hold of one of Mr. Ford's "milk" bottles.

Nor Question Rates!

A Thief River Falls hotel proprietor in response to an advertisement for a night clerk received an application written on the stationery of a twin city undertaking establishment, in which appeared the following:

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COMMUNITY CLUB BOOSTER MEETING

People of Goodridge Enjoy Social Session and Discuss Many Interesting Topics.

The Goodridge Community club held a very successful meeting and program in the school house on Friday, April 15. The program given was well received by the large audience and much credit is due Supt. B. O. Norby and his assistants for the excellent manner in which the affair was carried out. Superintendent W. A. Zeigler of Thief River Falls, gave a very interesting address on educational tests and commented very favorably on the co-operative spirit shown by the Goodridge Community club. After the program there was a short business session and the following resolutions were adopted:

1. *That the Community* club will continue to cooperate and further the general interests and welfare of the community at large.

2. That if arrangements are made for a Tri-County fair this year, the Community club will give its undivided support to the success of the undertaking.

3. That the Community club give its loyal support to provide an agricultural exhibit from Eastern Pennington county at the next Pennington county fair.

4. That the Community club will be the first to give its support to the proposed plan of arranging for a Pennington county booth at the next Minnesota State Fair.

5. That the Community club considers the existence of a band an asset to the village and community and expresses its appreciation of the good will the members of the band have shown in community activities during the past year.

6. That the Community club realizes the social and educational value of a Lyceum course, and in view of the fact that few other entertainments of a like character exist, we suggest that the business men of Goodridge, following the precedent of other villages, procure and maintain a course for the coming year.

7. That the Community club appreciates the work of the Farm Bureau and County Agent in providing a Farmers' Short Course and for his general service to this section of the county throughout the year.

8. That the Community club recognizes and commends Mr. A. C. Tveit, the president of the Goodridge Commercial club, in his untiring efforts to establish a state highway extending from Oklee to Roseau to promote this cause.

9. That the Community club cooperate with the local board of health in arranging for a general "cleanup" day in the village of Goodridge.

Big Show Tonight.

"Nothing But the Truth" will be presented under the auspices of Thief River Falls lodge of Elks this evening. The choice seats were sold early in the week and indications are for a record-breaking turnout.

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EDUCATING PUBLIC IN USE OF BUTTER

Pennington County Creameries Endorse Program Inaugurated by Dairy Council.

Andrew French, ex-dairy and food commissioner, held two meetings in Pennington county, one in Thief River Falls on April 18, and one in St. Hilaire on April 21. Mr. French is employed by the dairy and food department in putting on a campaign for the advancement of dairy products. Each creamery association pays one-tenth of a cent per pound on all butter fat sold, handled or manufactured during the period of twelve months. In consideration of this payment the Minnesota Dairy Council agrees to carry on a campaign for the promotion and development of the dairy industry, to stimulate and encourage the consumption and use of butter and all other dairy products by publicity and other educational means, and to use the funds so contributed for such purposes, less necessary cost and expense of such a campaign.

The Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery has signed the contract with the Dairy Council to assist in the campaign. The statement going out by their secretary, Mr. Engelstad is very interesting and shows their rapid growth of their creamery since 1912. During that year the amount of business done by them was $40,000.00. The comparative statement for each of the following years are as follows: 1913, $50,000; *1914, $90,000;* 1915, $120,000; 1916, $124,000; 1917, $159,360; 1918, $226,046; 1919, $319,701; 1920, $309,877.

CERTIFIED POTATOES PROVING VALUE IN THE OPEN MARKET

The Pennington County Produce association has proved its value in the amount of potatoes shipped out this season. Nine carloads were shipped during the past week, the last two selling at $1.00 per hundred f. o. b., Thief River Falls. Carloads were shipped to Texas, Omaha, Minneapolis and Manitoba. Many new members have asked to join this association because of the advantages offered in assurance of the crop being sold to the best advantage and at the lowest possible cost for handling. The Pennington county association has never made a canvas for members and is not planning on doing so, because the advantages are so great that the potato growers are coming in without being solicited.

The acreage of Pennington county for this season will be almost twice as great as that of last year. Early Ohios will be the leading variety. This stock sold at a premium last year, which accounts for many of the growers wishing to continue with this variety. Many of the farmers growing a large acreage are also making application for seed potato plots so that they may be furnished with good, clean seed for their entire acreage next season from their seed plot.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.17
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.09
Oats	[illegible]
Flax	1.43
Barley	.39
Rye	1.08
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	4.70
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.18
Hens, light	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18-23
Stags	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.15
Dairy butter	.35
Creamery butter	.40
Cow Hides, per lb.	.04
Horse Hides	2.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	8-.10
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08-10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.05
Steers, per lb	.05
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Society and Club

Granum-Skarstad.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. [illegible] Granum, 901 Knight Ave. N., at [illegible] o'clock on Thursday evening, [illegible] their oldest daughter, Gena, be[illegible] the bride of Alfred Skarstad, [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. L. Skarstad of [illegible]. Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of [illegible] Trinity Lutheran church, was the officiating clergyman. Only immediate friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony.

The bride was charming in a gown of white georgette crepe with a veil of silk illusion caught in cap effect with lilies of the valley, entrain. The bridal bouquet was an elaborate arrangement of lilies of the valley and white roses. The couple, who was unattended, entered to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played by Mrs. Gaston Ward, a friend of the bride. Miss Dora Holmes sang "At Dawning," and "Because" before the ceremony. The rooms were replete with jonquils and ferns. Immediately after the ceremony the guests were served a three-course wedding dinner. Among the out-of-town guests who were able to be present at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Johnson of Oslo; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hall and daughters He[illegible] and Alice of Middle River; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes, also of [illegible] River, and Arthur Granum of Minneapolis. The bride, who is one of the popular young ladies of the h[illegible] received her grade and high [illegible] education in the city schools, [illegible]pleting her education by at[illegible] Stout Institute for two years, [illegible]ollege one year and Fargo [illegible] year. For the past three s[illegible] has acted as librarian at di[illegible]c library here. The groom is [illegible]t cashier of the Farmers' an[illegible]ants' bank at Argyle. After [illegible]t honeymoon spent in Minnea[illegible]nd Duluth, Mr. and Mrs. Ska[illegible] will be at home at Argyle.

[illegible]onor of Miss Nelson.

P[illegible]nt among the social affairs this [illegible]n was the shower given by the [illegible] Community club at the Con[illegible]al club rooms on Monday even[illegible] compliment to Miss Marie Nels[illegible]esident, a prospective bride of t[illegible]mmer. The room was very attra[illegible] in decorations of yellow and [illegible]e with baskets of yellow jonquils [illegible]ntering the two large tables place[illegible]t both ends of the room. The early [illegible]art of the evening was spent in h[illegible]ming towels which were later prese[illegible]d to Miss Nelson. As a token o[illegible]ppreciation of the work that she h[illegible]done for the club in the past two y[illegible]s, Miss Ada Whipps, in behalf of the organization, presented her with several pieces of silver, including a set of knives and forks, jelly server and cold meat fork. A feature of the evening which afforded much amusement was a mock mar[illegible]. The bridal party included: [illegible]ide, Miss Lavida Hilson; bridegroom, Una Nelson; minister, Laura Stopple; bridesmaids, Grace Wilson and Meta Kiland; ushers, Inez Howe and Esther Gjertson; flower girls, Olga Lofgren and Jeanette Oftedahl; ringbearer, Ada Whipps; the bride's father, Miss Thora Hanson. Before the ceremony Miss Amelia Hoorn sang, "O Promise Me." The bridal party entered to the strains of Lohengren's wedding march played by Miss Gerda Mortenson. The bride's boquet, which was a combination of green onions, parsley and carrot tops, was caught by Miss Christine Clausen. During the reception which followed a light lunch consisting of angel food cake and coffee was served.

Girls' Community Club.

The regular meeting of the Girls' Community club will be held in the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, May 9. At this time election of officers will take place. The nominating board has presented the following list of candidates: President, Misses Esther Gjertson, Nettie Ove, Edna Larson; vice-president, Misses Ida Tandberg and Blanche Hoium; secretary, Misses Emily Fossum, Anna Quale and Inez Johnson; treasurer, Misses Grace Wilson and Valberg Sandum. Misses Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson, Jeanette Oftedahl, Agnes Oftedahl, Lulu Cook, Anna Quale, Ella and Marian Miller, Blanche Hoium and Emily Fossum were appointed as ushers for the Elk play this evening. It is the president's wish that all members keep in mind the above list of candidates and make a decision so that there will be no delay in the election on Monday evening. All members are urged to be present.

Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Mrs. Walter Lindebeja gathered at her home eight miles southeast of this city last Wednesday evening and delightfully surprised her with a miscellaneous shower. The party left here about 7:30 in cars driven by Leon Lindebeja, Andrew Kisch, Charles Ptacek and Charles Svensgaard. The evening was devoted to playing games and other amusements after which a delicious lunch was served. Among those present were Freida and Emma Ristau, Lizzie Kisch, Hannah Peterson, Amy Severson, Corine Adsero, Olive and Grace Skramstad, Inga Thune, Adline and Olga Svensgaard. Mrs. Lindebeja was formerly Miss Dagny Svensgaard of this city and is well known to a large circle of friends.

The Joint Concert.

The Thief River Falls Concert orchestra and Brage Male chorus, both of which are under the direction of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, presented a two-hour program at the city auditorium on Thursday night. With the musical organizations appeared Miss Palma Langseth as piano soloist and Mrs. Gay Halvorson as soprano soloist. The recital was attended by over 400 persons. The concert orchestra was organized early in the present year, appearing for the first time on Thursday night.

Burtness-Olson.

Knute O. Burtness of Northwood, Iowa and Mrs. Thea Olson of this city were married on Tuesday afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage by Rev. T. E. Sweger. The couple will make this city their home temporarily after which they will take up their residence on the groom's farm near Holt. Mr. Burtness is an uncle of Congressman Burtness of North Dakota.

Eggerud-Clayboe.

Oscar C. Eggerud and Miss Ella M. Clayboe of this city were united in marriage Friday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, Rev. Geo. Larson officiating in the presence of Nels C. Erickson and Mrs. George Moore, a sister of the groom. The newly married couple will make their home in Thief River Falls.

Entertains.

Mrs. Albert Lonson, who had spent some time visiting here, was honor guest at a party given by her sister, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, on Thursday afternoon, in her apartments. Mrs. Lonson will leave in a short while for Minot, N. D., where they will make their future home.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

A very successful social meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Anna Langseth on LaBree avenue north. A pleasant time resulted with games, contests and music as the chief form of amusement, and a delicious lunch concluding the evening.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held on Monday afternoon, May 9, in the Commercial club rooms at 3:30. Included on the afternoon's program will be a musical number. Current events will be led by Mrs. W. J. LaBree. Lesson 2, "What You Can Do For Americanization," will be in charge of Mrs. Frissell.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. H. M. Rhodes was pleasantly surprised at her home on Monday afternoon on the occasion of her birthday anniversary. The hours were spent in needlework and conversation. During the afternoon a delicious lunch was served.

Birthday Surprise.

Several of the friends of Mrs. C. Anderson surprised her at her home on Tuesday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Refreshments brought by the guests were served at the conclusion of the afternoon.

Birthday Anniversary.

Miss Cora Krause celebrated her 11th birthday anniversary by entertaining a number of her friends at her home on Tuesday evening. The time was spent in various games, after which a delicious luncheon was served.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. H. W. Protzeller entertained at three tables of cards at her home on Markley avenue on Friday evening. Mrs. G. W. Booren won high honors, while Mrs. L. H. Lawrence was awarded the consolation prize.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. G. W. Connel informally entertained a few friends at her home on Thursday afternoon.

REPORT OF RECOMMENDED FARM LABOR WAGE BY COUNTIES MADE BY THE MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU FEDERATION

County.	General work Per Day.	General work Per Mo.	General work Per Mo. 9 Mo.	Labor Demand
Anoka		$30.-$40.	$30.	Average
Becker	$1.80	40.	42.50	Average
Beltrami	3.00	35.- 40.	35.- 40.	
Benton	2.33	35.	35.	Small
Bigstone		35.- 40.		
Blue Earth		35.- 45.		
Chippewa		35.- 40.	40.	Average
Carlton		40.	35.	Average
Carver		45.	50.	Average
Cass	2.00	35.	40.	
Chisago	1.50	30.	35.	Average
Clay	1.25	30.- 40		
Cottonwood			35.	Small
Cook				Small
Crow Wing		30.	30.	Average
Dakota	2.47	43.	38.	Average
Dodge		40.- 45.	40.- 45.	Small
Faribault		30.	35.	Average
Fillmore	2.25	40.	40.	Average
Freeborn		35.- 45.		
Goodhue		35.	40.- 45	Average
Hennepin	2.50	35.- 45.	35.- 45.	
Houston	2.50	50.	45.	Average
Hubbard	2.00	35.	40.- 50.	Small
Isanti	3.00	30.- 35.	30.	Small
Itasca	3.00	50.	50.	Average
Jackson	2.50	30.- 40	30.- 36.	Average
Kanabec	2.00	30.- 35	30.- 40.	Average
Kandiyohi		40.	45.	Average
Kittson	2.50	40.	40.	Average
Koochiching	2.50	50.		Small
Lac qui Parle	1.80	33.	36.50	Average
Le Sueur	2.50	35.	35.- 40.	Average
Lincoln	2.00	30.	30.	Average
Lyon	3.00	35.- 40.	30.- 40.	Average
McLeod	2.00	40.	41.	Average
Marshall		35.	35.	Average
Martin	2.25	30.- 35.	35.	Average
Meeker	2.00	30.- 35.	40.- 45	Average
Nicollet	1.75	35.	37.50	
Nobles	1.25	30.	35.	Average
Norman			35.- 40.	
Ottertail		30.- 35.	30.- 35	
Pennington		30.- 50.	40.	
Pine		35.	35.	Small
Pipestone		30.- 35.	35.- 40.	Average
Polk		35.	40.- 45.	
Ramsey		40.- 50.	40.- 50.	Average
Red Lake	2.50	35.		Small
Redwood		35.		
Renville	2.60	35.	37.60	Average
Rice	2.00	35.- 40.	45.	Average
Rock			35.- 40.	
Roseau	1.50	35.- 40.	35.- 40.	Average
Scott		35.- 40.	35.- 40	Small
Stearns	2.75		35.	Small
Steele	1.50	35.- 40.	40.	Average
Stevens	1.70	38.50	37.25	Small
Swift		35.	30.- 40.	Small
Traverse	1.75	30.- 35.	35.	Small
Wabasha	2.00	40.	30.	
Wadena	1.50	30.- 35.	40.- 45.	Small
Waseca	2.00	35.- 40.	45.	Average
Washington		30.- 35.	30.- 35.	
Wilkin	2.30	41.	39.	Small
Winona	2.00	40.	40.	
Wright	2.50	40.	35.- 40.	Small
Yellow Medicine	2.00	40.	40.	Average
Average for State	$2.15	$37.10	$38.00	Average 32 Small 12

It is understood that the usual Farm accommodations are furnished in addition to the above wage.

Report of Farm Labor Survey in South Dakota shows the average recommended wage for state at $37.00 per month.

LEADER IN EACH TOWNSHIP URGED BY CROOKSTON EDITOR

Selection of an agricultural college graduate as a farm bureau leader for every rural township in the United States, as the ultimate accomplishment of the farm bureau federation movement, is predicted by W. E. McKenzie, editor of The Crookston Times. Mr. McKenzie, addressing the graduating class of the Northwest School of Agriculture, said that "the splendid work the farm bureau is doing for agriculture through its county agents could be further extended and amplified and brought nearer home to the farmers by having not only county agents, but township agents to give the farmers the benefits of practical knowledge of better methods and clothed with proper authority to promote their interests."

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Men's Hats $2.49 to $4.50
Men's Caps 69c to $2.49
Men's Underwear 98c to $1.69
Dress Sox 15c to 98c
SHOES
Men's Shoes $1.98 to $8.90
Ladies' Shoes $2.98 to $7.90
Pumps and Oxfords
$2.98, $4.50, $5,90, $6.90
Boys' Shoes $2.25 to $3.98
Children's Shoes $1.98 to $3.49
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Pasteurization is conceded by all authorities who have studied the question and who really know what they are talking about, to be as essential to the safety and welfare of the public health as the PURE FOOD LAW which has done so much to protect our people and to create in the consumer's mind an absolute confidence in a food product carrying a pure food label.

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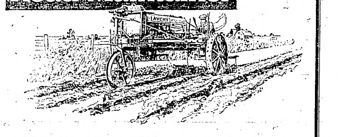

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VALUE OF BARLEY IS DEMONSTRATED

Experiments Carried on at University Farm Show Cereal Nearly Equals Corn.

Cattle Feeders Day, observed for the first time by the University of Minnesota on Friday, April 22, has come to stay, nearly 100 thoroughly interested cattle men inspected the livestock under tests and attended the exercises at University Farm.

The special feature of steer-feeding experiments which had been carried on at the farm for 112 days, was a comparison of ground barley to shelled corn as a grain for fattening cattle. That barley is equal to corn, pound for pound, in producing gains of weight, was a positive conclusion announced by Prof. W. H. Peters, Prof. N. K. Carnes, and others of the animal husbandry division who had charge of the experiments. It was shown that cheaper gains were made by corn-fed steers rather than by barley-fed steers, but the fact remains that the feeding trials go to show that northern Minnesota with its abundant crops of barley, its clover and alfalfa and corn for silage, can expect to become a cattle feeding district, more closely approaching results obtained by farmers in the famous corn belt than has ever been thought possible.

The 48 steers used in the feeding experiments were mostly Herefords and Shorthorns, bought on the South St. Paul market, and were divided into six groups of eight each. Although creditable gains in weight, ranging from 190 to 287 pounds, were made by each animal, a financial loss would have to be taken if the animals were sold at this time. The losses figured at the end of the trials corresponded closely to those reported on recent cattle feeders days at the Iowa and Nebraska college stations. Cattle feeders and the university men who spoke to them in the livestock pavilion generally took a favorable view, however, of the future of cattle feeding in this country.

LABOR OUTLOOK IS GREATLY IMPROVED

Statistics Show Relative Supply Is Larger Than Demand—Wages Generally Lower.

The farm labor situation in the United States is decidedly easier than it has been in the past three years. This fact is shown by the following figures, being averages of estimates of normal supply and demand, made by reporters to the Bureau of Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture, April 1, each year:

Percentage of normal supply of and the demand for hired farm labor—to be read as index numbers:

	Relative supply.	Relative demand.	Ratio of supply to demand
1921	95.2	87.5	108.8
1920	72.1	105.3	68.8
1919	84.4	101.8	82.9
1918	72.9	101.4	71.9

Comments made by agricultural statisticians for the Northwestern states on the labor situation follow:

Iowa—Supply plentiful and a reduction of from 25 to 35 per cent of last year's wages probable.

Minnesota—Supply sufficient for needs. Wages lower than last year.

North Dakota—Supply exceeds demand; wages noticeably reduced from a year ago.

South Dakota—Supply more plentiful than a year ago. Farmers not employing as much help as usual.

Wisconsin—Wages for single men are, approximately, $50 per month as compared with $80 a year ago.

NEW KIND OF CLOVER FOUND WHICH MATURES FIRST YEAR

A new kind of clover bids fair to become famous in this section, and all over the country. Roy Murray, residing on Birch Lake, two and a half miles from Hackensack, in Cass county, does not regret his experience with the new clover. He sold 3 1-8 pounds of seed this spring at the rate of $200 a bushel.

The new clover is known as Hubam, an annual white sweet clover. The particular feature of the clover is the fact that it matures in one year and seems to be a much more rapid growing plant than any other clover. It promises to be of especial interest to farmers of this section. A hay crop can be cut in 90 days from sowing.

Mr. Murray bought an ounce of seed last year and got at the rate of $200 a bushel for 3 1-8 pounds of seed. That shows what profit there is in the crop. The demand for the seed is large.—Hackensack Independent.

Churches.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Services at Rindal, 2:30 p. m. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday, May 5th at 2 p. m. Mrs. Sortland entertains. Zion Y. P. S. Thursday evening, May 5th. Society entertains. Confirmants Saturday at 2 p. m., at the church basement.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 8: Sunday school 10 a. m. Offering (for sending the Tai people of South China. 11 a. m. morning worship. Mothers Day service. Each lady in attendance will receive the gift of a carnation. The reception committee: Mr. F. F. Haynes and Mr. H. O. Loken, will attend to the convenience of all who may be present. Evening worship 8 p. m. We plan to have an address delivered by one of the women of the church. Definite announcement will be made at the morning service. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. Subject: "Living Close to Christ."

Christian Science—Services are held every Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject Sunday, May 8th: "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meetings at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same location is open each Tuesday and Thursday from 3 to 5 o'clock p. m. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Methodist Episcopal Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—During the year 1920 the total gain of all the Christian churches in the United States was 667,007. Of this number 237,127 were gathered into the fold by Methodism. This latter number represents 3½ per cent of the Methodist membership and more than one-third of the total ingathering of all the churches in our land. Truly Methodism is alive. At the local Methodist church on Friday evening next Dr. Craig, district superintendent, will hold the third quarterly conference. On Sunday the morning service will be an observation of Mother's Day, suitable address being given by the pastor and suitable music by the choir. Sunday evening at 8 o'clock divine services will be held as usual. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and Epworth League at 7 p. m. You are invited to all of these services.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Divine services Sunday in Norwegian at 11 a. m. and in English at 7:15 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30. A short program appropriate for Mother's Day will be given at the close of Sunday school. The junior and regular choirs meet at the church hereafter on Tuesday and Thursday evening respectively. The Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon, May 12. Mesdames Jorgen Adsero, Otis Dokken, John Gullingsrud and L. Veven are hostesses. Young People's League meets Thursday evening, May 12. The parochial school opens in the city June 13 with Reben Aga and Helen Weeks as teachers; in the country June 20 with Evelyn Tessum as teacher.

S. D. A. Mission—"Who Is Babylon of Rev. 17:5 and Has She Fallen?" Rev. 14:8, is the subject every Scandinavian should not fail to hear on Sunday evening, May 8, at 7:45. Bible class at 2 p. m. on Saturday, May 7. You are invited to attend.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday: Swedish at 10:30 a. m. and American at 8 p. m. Willing Workers society will meet in church basement Monday evening May 9. Miss Agnes Longren entertains.

Free Lectures.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carlberg will speak at the Oddfellows' hall Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m. on these subjects: "Has Christ Commanded Us to Keep the Law of Moses?" "Christ as the Immortal Life." The speakers will talk Swedish. Admission is free.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our heartfelt gratitude for all sympathy and kindly assistance during the recent illness and at the funeral of our father.—Tom, Martin, Oscar and Tharesa Hovelsos, Mrs. H. K. Strand and Mrs. Robt. Stevenson. m0p

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Editorial.

year, as all other recent years, niors are putting out their r. This Prowler is going to best of all of them. It is not a large as the other Prowlers it will be much cheaper. ve heard from one of the Sen at the Prowler is now on the That means that it will be to those who have subscribed very soon. I have also heard there are only fifty copies left to ld so why not take those off r hands? I would like to know dy who could not "dig up" gh to buy a Prowler. I would y tell him a few things. Now is t chance at the Prowler so let's -up!

—FRESHMAN.

hman Class Spirit.

Freshmen entered high felt very small. We really l we were a part of this institution, as no one paid ion to us except to laugh at us advice. Of course we to be laughed at, at the be f the year, and we took it redly. But as the year went ther classes gradually lost t and we felt we were be rt of the high school. s an enthusiasm in our class not very often excelled by class. This is evidenced by er of Freshmen on the hon r the present month. The n are not afraid to carry oks as are some of the Sen his shows we take an interest progress of our high school and sense of responsibility. We few years from now we will ors, then Seniors, and in order our class one the high school of, we must have a good rit, a spirit which we will be rry with us throughout our l career. We have begun pirit and we hope to keep

dying in Spring.

g in spring is a very diffi er, especially if it gets too d it also is harder for some others. But the only way to make the greatest effort make it your duty to spare moment you have you cannot get your st working in school, do evening and it will help The only way to make with your school work is ll thoughts upon your udies and leave all out ents behind until you d your lesson.

ring Fever.

us old anti-study period g has arrived at last. In trip around the world it took special care not to incoln high school. The ts in most all of the rooms sing in number from day to most of the seats might as acant as to be occupied by a who is on the very brink of ful repose called slumber, or n is badly infected with day Many of the students are in dition except, of course, those nal young ladies (and a few young men), who have the in ce to be on the honor roll. marks on the report cards, r, have not taken as big a drop would expect. It is rumored the school by the Freshmen aybe the teachers remember they were children, and are re more, sparing on the red The (would-be) wise Seniors do gree though. They say that school will let out soon and that t classes are reviewing, the stu nts are able to get the work better cause it is easier.

It is said by the faculty and other elligent persons that the Freshmen l Juniors get "spring fever" worse anybody else, but next year they he Sophomores and Seniors and know better. Next year's Fresh nd Juniors will get this fever next Spring, of course, but that hole year off, so let us not wor the present time.

Class of 1924.

Class of 1924 has yet three in which to make their class graduation exercises and the other doings better than any class has given. At the begin of next year, when we elect new rs, we should elect those who worthy of the office and those n we know will do their best. It ly to these people that we can on to make our class a suc s with the help of every individual rson. The students that don't at d class meetings are the ones that y, "Let somebody else do the work, haven't time" and these are the nes who are slackers of our class. We could help those slackers by mak them interested in class doings show them what real class spirit eans. This will prove that even though we are Freshmen we have brains under our caps.

Bread Club Contest.

The annual Bread Club contest will be held Saturday, May 7th, in which about fifteen of the members will bake. The bread will be judged at 4:15 in the afternoon and anyone interested in club work may come to see the bread judged. The one whose bread scores the highest will win a free trip to the State Fair. Look for the results of this contest in next week's issue.

The Senior Class Play.

The annual Senior Class Play given by the class of 1921 has been making rapid progress. The cast has been rehearsing the last two weeks and know their parts thoroughly. Very little has been published concerning the play as yet, but with the date of the play soon arriving, it is understood that the Seniors expect to do extensive advertising in the near future, giving further details about the play.

The play is entitled, "All of a Sudden, Peggy," and is considered as good or better than any preceding play that has been given by the Seniors.

Another advantage which the Seniors are fortunate in having, is their director, Mr. Pierce, who is undoubtedly a man of ability in this field, and as a result the success of the play is undoubted. The Seniors have adopted as a slogan, "Not a vacant seat in the house" and they wish to advise the students and the public that a ticket selling campaign will be carried on, beginning about May 6. The date of the play is not yet known but will be advertised in due time.

Freshman Party.

The annual Freshman party was held Friday, April 29, in the high school gymnasium. The decorations were in green and gold and looked very pretty in the shaded light. The entertainment committee, led by Mr. Tripp and Miss Whipps, provided for an interesting and amusing program. This began by finding and writing down the names given to pupils which were written on pieces of paper and pinned on their backs. Camille Warner won the prize for having the greatest number of names. The following numbers were then given:

Piano solo—Palma Langseth.
Puppet show—Second graders.
Reading—Esther Lunsetter.
Grand March led by Mr. and Mrs. Tommeraasen.

A circle was then formed and a number of games played.

Pictures were given out which were cut in half, one part to the boys and one part to the girls, in order to get their partners for luncheon. A delicious lunch was served and at 11:30 all left for their homes, feeling that they had had a very enjoyable time.

Chapel on Friday.

After the usual singing at chapel period, Friday morning, Palma Langseth played as a piano solo, "The Hungarian Rhapsody" by Liszt. Both this and the encore were much enjoyed.

Miss Perry of the Normal training department, explained the conditions students must meet in entering that department. They must have twelve high school credits, which includes three years of English, a half year of United States history and a half year of Civics. At the conclusion of the course they receive a first grade certificate for two years. If they enter the normal department as high school graduates, they receive in addition to the certificate eight normal school credits which enables a student to complete a regular two-year normal course in one year and a summer school.

Honor Roll.

The following names were omitted in the list of March honor students published in the preceding issue: Juniors — Bertha Hosted, Amanda Skomedahl and Bertha Aaseby. Seniors—Bennie Lind.

Wednesday Morning Chapel.

What about chapel? Why don't we have our regular Wednesday chapel? That is what the students of the Lincoln high would like to know. We have already missed three regular Wednesday chapels. The last one given was the one under the auspices of Miss Leavitt by the Freshman class.

The teachers talk about the pupils not having enough school spirit, but what about themselves? When we are given assignments we are expected to carry them out. Why not apply this rule both ways?

Want Ads.

A tooth—John Hendry.

A little cart to pull home Kermit's books.

Some gas masks for Mr. Melby's Chemistry students so they won't have to wear out their handkerchiefs when gas is being mixed.

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Some one to carry his books to class—Ivan Larson.

More mirrors in the halls—Eileen Herron.

A good place to sleep during seventh hour study period—Roy Holmgren.

A bigger Ford—Math Barzen.

Something to chew on in the seventh period—Harriet Morgan.

A little wagon to haul her purse in—Ruby Ness.

Some Freshmen to teach them how to put up their class colors and grease the flagpole coming down.—Sophomores.

By Mr. Pierce—A remedy to cure Spring Fever.

A moveable seat for Ivan Larson.

A lawn chair for Harriet Morgan—Miss Iverson.

More chances to tell what we know—Freshmen.

Some method of flesh reducing, other than dieting—Myrtle Williams.

Silence in Physiography classes—Miss Brown.

Electric curlers—Adlyn LaBree.

What we're paid not to tell—Where the T. R. F. girls get enough hair to make puffs.

School Dictionary.

Books—Knowledge kept under cover.

Hall—A place of recreation.

Shark—A rare thing.

Freshmen—Nothing and proud of it.

Sophomores—Prouder.

Junior—Almost.

Senior—Something and knows it.

Flunker—Pupil who knows nothing and can't express it.

D. M. — T. R.—Ask Ernest Zeh.

Physiography class — Whispering Gallery.

Ignorance—Which everyone has but doesn't admit.

Chapel—20 to 40 min. of—?

Fire Drills—Two min. relief.

Call for Class dues—Mutterings of mutiny.

Solid Geometry—"Nobody home."

Love's Hyperbole.

Daylight was leaving them to their own and to each other. A dramatic lull was broken by the faltering voice of a girl.

"How much do you love me?" she asked in a slow, velvety tone.

"I love you"—he drew closer—"I love you as much as Eileen Herron loves the boys."

She was perplexed, "Not enough," she said.

"I love you as Lynn H. loves Dot." She shook her head.

"You must love me more," was her answer.

"Then I love you,"—he drew breath for a supreme effort—"I love you as Miss Swift loves Bill.

But still she remained cold, heartless.

In deepest despair the plucky fellow rallied, "I love you,"—his voice broke—"I love you as Ernest loves the teachers."

With a scream she dropped into his outstretched arms.

Personals.

Miss Svedal was ill Wednesday and unable to meet her classes.

Miss Brown's general science class went on a field trip Friday afternoon.

Miss Elliott's seventh-period ancient history class is now reciting at 8:15 in the morning. The change is found to cause an improvement in the progress of the class.

Mr. Pierce left Saturday evening for the cities on a business trip. He returned Wednesday evening.

Helen Skramstad has been absent on account of her mother's illness.

Myrtle Myrold was absent eight days during which time she had her tonsils removed.

Merle Thomas spent the week end at his home near Goodridge. A tiny new brother was the special attraction.

Bertha Holthusen missed one day because she ate to many doughnuts.

Henry Waale spent the last two weeks of April helping with the spring farm work at his home near Kratka.

Are You Superstitious?

Or do you believe in luck? Do you think Friday, May 13, has anything in store for you?

Yes, Friday 13, has something in store for the people of this city, but unless you buy a ticket for the big entertainment which the teachers and pupils of the Northrup school are putting on, you are turning down a wonderful piece of luck. So it is up to you whether or not Friday the 13th is a good luck or bad luck day.

The teachers are coaching the pupils for a play and also operetta, both of which are to be given the same evening, Friday the 13th, at the auditorium. We are assured unusually good presentation.

"Alice in Wonderland" is the title of the play and "A Rose Dream" is the title of the fairy operetta, by the first, second and third grades. The following are in the casts:

"ALICE IN WONDERLAND"

Alice—Lucille Hermanson.
Queen of Hearts—Rita Fiterman.
Duchess—Rachel Nybakken
Cook—Bertha Gullingsrud
Doormouse—Randolph Noper.
Cheshire Cat—Clifford Golseth
Hatler—Alfred Cloutier
White Rabbit—Clifford Wikel
March Hare—George Aanstad
King of Hearts—Dick Mabey
Knave of Hearts—Ray Amundson
Executioner—Earl Benson
Gryhon—John Conklin
Mock-turtle—Alvin Sweger
Ladies of Court—Doris Johnson, Esther Ness, Frances Knutson, Ruth Sandum, Eloise Carlson, Irene Kaasa.
Gentlemen of Court—Ruben Johnson, William Froehlich, Gordan Dablow, Ned Biederman, David Strom.
Guards—Clarence Burns, Thomas Haney, Gustav Gunderson, Gordan Johnston, George Hedalen.

"ROSE-DREAM"

Little Rose—Evelyn Carlson
Queen of the Fairies—Wilhelmina Michelet
Hop-O'-My-Thumb—Rolland Brooten
The Giant "Forgot"—John Nybakken
The Rosebud—Bernice Thompson.
The Twins "Can" and "Can't"—Doland Lane and Roland Sherven.

Favorite Pastimes.

Helen W. and Camille W., winking.

Michael Parenteau—chewing gum in the assembly.

Fredolph G.—Idly dreaming of his girl.

Harriet M.—Making up time.

Howard—Combing his hair.

Edward N.—Carrying on a conversation with Tena N.

Alice Gobler—Visiting the teachers.

Helen Warner—Writing love letters to Ted Loveland.

Nora Lindquist—Weeping over Leland K.

Harold Smithers—Making up time.

Cleon B.—Chewing gum.

Chief Ambitions.

Howard D.—To become Caruso's assistant.

Wilcie Willis—To grow an inch each day.

August L.—To become a cartoonist.

Did You Ever See

Mr. Ziegler at a mirror?

Myrtle O. in Zoology class on time?

Mr. Pierce eating candy?

Anybody so clever as the Freshmen?

Can You Imagine

Beatrice S. not looking at Curly?

Buster Ralston with curly hair?

Allan Fossum with a pompadour?

Miss Leavitt with puffs?

Lynn H. not taking Dot home?

Ivan L. not talking to the girls?

Some of the girls wearing shorter dresses?

Judith L. using more powder?

Some of the girls with larger puffs?

Marshall Race forgetting to go to the normal rooms?

Eileen without puffs?

Herbert K. without a grin?

Ed. Fiterman talking without using his hands?

Judith L. and Clara B. not sticking like glue?

Esther L. keeping quiet in Math. room?

Bertha H. wearing puffs?

Orlie with a girl?

Bob M. a preacher?

Fred K. with themes on time?

David Evenson and Myrtle Williams doing a classical dance?

Rusty Anderson in class with his lessons prepared?

A bright Sophomore?

The sorrow caused by a lost note?

Freshmen when they're Seniors?

A studious group of students in the assembly room?

The trouble of getting a permit after skipping?

How guilty some teachers must feel on chapel-less Wednesday?

That there may be some good in an "F" student?

The "Gophers" making candy?

A sophomore clever enough to pull a joke over on a Freshman?

Wouldn't It Be Heaven If

Adlynn LaBree wasn't always powdering her nose.

Anthony Teske came to Latin class every day.

Arnt A. wouldn't blush so when he looks toward the clock.

Bert Umland didn't have any playthings.

"C" meant correct; "D" meant dandy; "E" meant excellent and "F" meant fair.

Drug stores would cease to sell rouge to the Sophomore girls.

Edward N. wouldn't turn around and talk to Lena.

Ernest Zeh would quit thinking that he looks like Wallace Reid.

"Fat" Evenson went out for baseball.

Harriet M. didn't burn her mouth eating custard-pie.

Lizzie wasn't always making big eyes.

Math B. and Ruby B. could spin along forever in a fliver.

Miss Brown wasn't such a flirt.

Miss Elliot didn't run up the stairs so fast.

Miss Dix would sing Dixie.

Miss Hoorn could look over the transom.

Miss Mcally wouldn't wear storm-windows in the summer.

Miss Ober came to school without her roses.

Miss Svedal would tell us about her "Glad Gut" again.

Miss Swift would live up to her name.

More studying would go on in the assembly room.

Morris Mabey got a new laugh.

Mr. Tripp wouldn't blush when we mention a whip.

Roy H. could stop laughing when he starts.

Rusty Anderson left the girls alone.

Ruth S. would leave her gum at home.

Some of the fair ones of the Sophomore class didn't exchange so much of their personal belongings with the Senior boys.

The students could all have their own way. (Freshmen and Seniors alike.)

The cooking class didn't have to scrub the floor.

The girls knew how to use cosmetics.

The Seniors would remember when they were Freshmen.

The teachers forgot to set their alarm clocks.

We all could get along as nicely as the Freshmen do at their class meetings.

We could chew gum in Miss Leavitt's room.

We were all as witty as Dovie Doland.

We were compelled to whisper in assembly periods.

Wilcie W. decided to grow some more.

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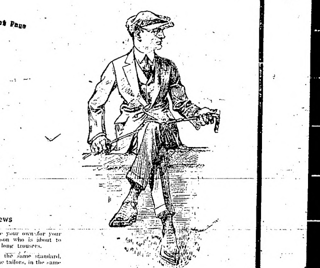

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CATTLE RUN FALLS BELOW LAST WEEK

General Decrease in Receipts Tones Up Market—Steers Sell at $8.50.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minn. Department of Agriculture.)

Monday's Opening.

South St. Paul, Minn., May 2, 1921: Cattle 1,000, beef steers butcher cows and heifers strong to 25c higher, top steers $8.50. Calves 200, mostly steady. Packer tops $7.50. Hogs 6,600, mostly 10c to 25c lower than Friday's average, range $6.50 to $8.00, bulk $7.40 to $7.75. Sheep 300, market steady.

A reduction of about 25,000 cattle in the receipts at leading markets on Monday, compared with a week ago, tended to tone up the cattle market, and beef steers and most of the butcher cows and heifers opened on a strong to 25c higher basis, with spots in the steer market 50c or more higher than last weeks' low time. Only a few lots of good and choice beef steers arrived Monday, best of these being 28 head that averaged 1240 pounds and sold to feeder buyers at $8.50. Several small lots of handyweights, including some steers and heifers mixed, averaging about 700 pounds, and a few head of heavy steers, sold at $8.00. One load of medium grade 1100-pound steers sold to feeder buyers at $7.40, with common grades mostly from $6.25 to $6.75. Real choice handyweight heifers are quotable up to around $8.00, but few sold Monday above $7.00, with medium to good cows largely at $5.00 to $6.00. Bulk of bologna bulls sold from $4.00 to $4.75, with good beef bulls at $5.00 to $5.50. Top on veal calves to packers is $7.50. Demand is fair for better grades of stockers and feeders, with common and medium kinds moving slowly. Very good 850-pound feeding steers sold Monday at $7.25.

The hog market opened the week at 10c to 25c lower than Friday. The range was $6.50 to $8.00, bulk $7.10 to $7.75. Good and choice pigs sold mostly at $8.00. Strictly choice handyweight clipped lambs reached $10 last week for the first time this season. Some good grade clipped lambs averaging 70 pounds brought $9.25 Monday, with a few clipped ewes at $6.00.

New County Agent Visits.

J. W. Taylor, the new agricultural agent located at Grygla, was in the city last week, accompanied by M. C. Hanson, leader of boys' and girls' club work in the same county. The former stated that there are now 12 farm bureau units in the Grygla section and seven more in the process of organization. There is considerable talk of helping the boys and girls secure purebred calves for the club work.

THE COUNTY RECORDS

(April 1 to 30, Inclusive.)

Marriage Licenses.

Carl Jensen—Lottie Kinsela.
Carl Olson—Glenna Beerbauer.
Oscar E. Galden—Margaret Kruse.
Joseph H. Wild—Marie P. Dura.
Albert F. Pittman—Kathleen Lang.
Walter Lindobeja—Dagney Svendsgaard.
Robert Stewart—Bertha Anderson.
Alfred Skarstad—Gena Granum.
Oscar C. Eggerud—Ella M. Clayboe.

Real Estate Transfers.

Tessum Seed, Grain and Supply Co., to Sons of Norway Building Cor., Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Meehan's add. Consideration $2,000.

Oscar Linde et al to John O. Linde, N½ of lot 6, Fairfield add.

Trail State Bank to Joseph A. Dahi, Lot 1 and SE¼ NE¼, sec. 13, Hickory twp.

First National Bank of Thief River Falls to Bertha Giller, 36 ft. of W 50 ft. and W of E 54 ft., lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, blk. 30, original Thief River Falls. Consideration $2,052.

C. A. and Dorothy Joslin to Margaret D. Mackin, part of lots 1 and 2, blk. 8, Meehan's add. Consideration $2,000.

Empire Farms Co. to R. P. Hansen, SW¼ sec. 9, Sanders twp.

Minnie Docken to C. M. Evenson, lots 13, 14 and 15, blk. 6, Hemmingsen's add. Consideration $500.

C. M. Evenson to Charley Swartz, lots 13, 14 and 15, blk. 6, Hemmingsen's add.

Walter E. Smith and James Prichard to Hamilton Matthew, lots 5 and 6, blk. 9, original Thief River Falls. Consideration $4,000.

Howe Paige to E. F. Develing, lots 1, 2 and 3, blk. 8, Oakland add. Consideration $575.

W. W. Prichard to John Easthouse, lots 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, blk. 5, Knox add.

Thos. H. Smith to Josie Hencik, two acres in NW¼ SW¼, sec. 21, Cloverleaf twp. Consideration $235.

Anna Martz to J. H. Bohlen; lots 4 and 5, sec. 5, and lots 1 and 12, sec. 6, River Falls twp.

Hulda C. Peterson to Ernest J. Akerland; one-seventh interest in NW¼ sec. 26, W½NE¼ sec. 35, NW¼NE¼ sec. 36, Bray twp. Consideration $2,335.

Oscar Hogquist to John Hogquist; S½SW¼ sec. 13, N½NW¼ sec. 21, River Falls twp.

C. L. Peterson to G. H. Fraverd; lot 4, blk. 4, Knox add. Consideration $200.

Russell C. Madsen to J. W. Pohlen; W½NW¼, SW¼NW¼, lot -, sec. 14, Wyandotte twp. Consideration $7,250.

Mattie Fox to Arsene Cloutier; lots 2 and 3, blk. 4, Porters Add. Consideration $350.

Elias A. Peterson and wife to Carl Mathison; lots 13 and 14, blk. 1, Hazel.

Anna Gustin to Christine Parbst; lots 5, 6 and 7, blk. 5, Fair Ground add. Consideration $1,200.

Erika Wallen to Anna Olson; part of lot 2, sec. 6, River Falls twp. Consideration $3,000.

Prairie Chickens Plentiful; Sason Opens September 16

Prairie chickens are plentiful this year, as a drive into most any section of the northwestern counties will go to prove, for the birds are to be seen feeding along the highways after the fashion of barn-yard fowl. Because of this fact and because the new state law permitting chicken shooting states that only 18 birds are allowed for the season, many sportsmen next fall will get but two days' hunting. Not only will dogs be permitted to be used in chicken hunting but the bag limit per day is increased to nine birds instead of five, as was formerly the case before the season was closed by the law. The season opens this year on September 16th and closes October 1st, the two days being designated as inclusive. The season will be closed on alternate years.

Approximately 75 bills, including many duplicates, affecting game and fish were introduced in the recent legislative session, but only 12 were passed and became laws.

Card of Thanks.

Through the columns of this paper I wish to thank most sincerely the friends and relatives who so tenderly assisted me during the illness and after the death of my beloved wife. Particularly do I wish to express my sincere thanks to the Ladies' Aid societies, friends and relatives for the beautiful floral offering.—A. S. Swanson. m5

Miss Rose Kezar of Middle River returned to her home Monday morning after having visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Risberg since the previous Saturday.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson, returning the same evening. They were accompanied by Mrs. D. McAllister and daughter Muriel, of Grand Forks, who had visited here since Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jenson are the proud parents of a baby boy born on Thursday, April 28.

Alton Jackson came Tuesday for a brief visit with his parents, returning to his home at Crookston the same evening.

ROSEWOOD

Farm Bureau Meeting.

The joint Farm Bureau and Farmers' club meeting at Rosebank last Friday evening was a successful affair despite the inability of B. R. Houser of Warren, the main speaker, to be present. After a brief business session of the Farm club the meeting was turned over to the Farm Bureau. President O. A. Slattum spoke briefly on the subject of solicitors and salesmen who try to dispose of worthless stocks among the farmers. A committee composed of A. S. Holm of Rosewood and O. H. O'Hara of Newfolden was appointed to investigate the activities of these solicitors and constitute a board of censorship for the protection of farmers and others. After several others had spoken on various subjects, lunch was served by the Farmers club. The next meeting of the club will be held at the same place three weeks from date and the next Farm Bureau meeting at the school house in Dist. 28 six weeks from date.

Rev. Ole Sande of Numedal conducted Scandinavian services here on Sunday evening and was assisted by Misses Florence Lindell and Lilly Lindquist, and Emil Styrlund. Rev. Sande will speak here again on Sunday, May 22, at 3 p. m.

Steiner Johnson left the first of the week for Fosston, where he will visit with relatives for some time.

Olof Opseth motored here from Gonvick last Thursday to secure some building tools which are being used in his work there.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, arrived Saturday morning for a few days' visit with the Hellquist people.

Mrs. Anton Gullseth and little Orrie Nordhagen returned on Tuesday from Thief River Falls, where they had been for a brief visit with Mrs. Gulseth's mother, Mrs. Siri Nordhagen, who recently arrived there after spending the winter at Kelliher.

Anton Syverson came up from Clearbrook last Friday and spent the day visiting with the Opseth and Ranum families. He will later go to Gonvick, where he expects to be employed by Gust Opseth.

Thomas Thorson, who is employed at the Abe Stroble farm at Angus, spent Sunday with his folks here.

Luverne and Floyd Allen, in company with two friends from Angus, motored up last Sunday.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, Miss Isabelle Sagmoen and L. L. Furan attended the Brage concert at Thief River Falls last Thursday evening.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen spent Sunday at Crookston visiting with her friend, Miss Synneva Sorenson, who is employed there.

Simon Gullseth of Middle River was in town last Saturday visiting with his brother, Anton, and doing some shopping.

John Krogstad recently left for Canada to spend the summer.

A seven months term of school will close at Rosebank next Friday evening.

Swen Swenson is at Thief River Falls doing repair work on his residence, which was recently partly destroyed by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson and H. Jacobson returned to their homes at Wannaska this week after a visit at the Axelson home.

Emil Mellem, Mrs. Carl Mellem and Miss Ella Mellem motored to Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Severt Rafteseth spent Monday at Warren visiting and attending to business.

Mr. Holm and Mrs. Oswald Hellerud motored up from Twin Valley last Sunday for a brief visit with their brother, A. S. Holm. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Holm, who had been visiting here.

The S. S. Nordgaard family from Viking motored over last Sunday to visit with the Carl and Peter Mellem families.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon and Mrs. Johanna Nyhus came over from Thief River Falls last Sunday to spend the afternoon with Swen Swenson. The Swenson girls, Gladys, Oliva and Geneva, accompanied them home after a visit in Thief River Falls.

Anton Remmem and daughters, Mildred and Agnes, and Ole Pederson, of Thief River Falls, were Sunday visitors at the Anton Gullseth home.

Jim Thompson spent Sunday with friends at Thief River Falls.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

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Among Our Neighbors

ST. HILAIRE

Community Club Meeting.

The Community club held its regular meeting on Friday evening and an interesting program was given to a packed house. Dr. A. C. Gale of New York City, who told the club and its friends that "opportunity is here at home," was the leading speaker of the evening. J. J. McCann, county agent gave an interesting talk on Girls' and Boys' clubs.

The numbers on the program were as follows:

Piano duet—Agnes and Gudren Grimsrud.
Reading—Frances Soderberg.
Duet—Elizabeth Johnson and Huldah Odegaard.
Address—Dr. A. C. Gall.
Letter read by Harvey Olson.
Sketch by High School Juniors.
Pianologue—Mrs. Wm. Bangen.
Talk by J. J. McCann.
Oberhoffen Million Dollar Band—Seventh grade.

A delicious lunch was served by the ladies of the Swedish Lutheran church.

Loberg-Klint.

A wedding which will be of interest to many is that of Rosetta Loberg, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Loberg of Rocksbury township, to Walter Klint at Willmar, Minn., on March 28. Mrs. Klint is well known to people of this vicinity, having always lived here. The past year she has been engaged in teaching in one of the rural schools in Kandiyohi county, where the young couple will make their home on the groom's farm.

Announcements have been received by relatives of the marriage of Clarence Aubol, son of Mrs. Mary Aubol of this place, to Hazel Martin of Saco, Mont. Mr. Aubol who is well-known to people of this locality, having lived here, is now residing on a ranch near Saco.

Henry Hallstrom of Winger, Minn., motored to his home in Polk Centre on Sunday. He was accompanied on his return trip by Alfred Hallstrom, his brother, who returned the same evening.

The many friends of Willie Domstrand are greatly grieved to know that he is critically ill at the Thief River Falls hospital.

Mrs. William Zahn and baby returned Friday to their home at Topaz, Mich., having spent some time here visiting at the home of Mrs. Zahn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hoff.

Joe Hauge returned Thursday, having transacted business matters at Minneapolis the past week.

Mrs. Osgar Carlson and Miss Bessie Axelson shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Lydia Johnson, who is employed at Grand Forks, came the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson of Black River.

Hans Wilson left Monday evening for Fergus Falls where he had been called to serve on the jury there.

Miss Ella Nelson, who has been a patient at the Physician's hospital at Thief River Falls for the past three weeks, having undergone an operation, returned home Monday and her many friends will be pleased to know she is doing nicely.

Mrs. Sam Lorentson, who is teaching near Rosewood, spent the week-end at her home in Black River.

Thomas Anderson returned Thursday from Minneapolis where he has been a patient at Asbury hospital, having undergone a minor operation there.

Mrs. William Bangen left Saturday for Minneapolis, having spent a month as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Amble. Mr. Bangen has located at Minneapolis and they will make that place their home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown motored down from their home at Thief River Falls Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mrs. Brown's grandmother, Mrs. K. Branum.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe LaPlante motored here from their home at Crookston on Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mrs. LaPlante's par-

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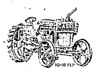

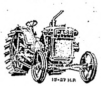

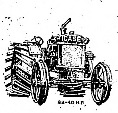

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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

School Notes.

he boys' and girls' club received a e charter this week, awarded by United States Department of Ag- iture in recognition of its organi- n as a standard club.

high school baseball team ex- to play an evening game with high the first of next week. young people of the village ery busy making a tennis court school grounds.

heran Church, Goodridge. H. Pastor—Sunday, May 8: Eng- rvices at Erie at 10:30 a. m. the Norwegian church, Good- at 3 p. m.

Bishop of Thief River Falls town Friday afternoon on bus-

and Mrs. E. M. Bennes of iver Falls visited at the M. G. n home Sunday.

and Mrs. Karl Korstad of nding were in town Monday.

Eleanor Bauer spent the week ef River Falls as the guest of end, Miss Ella Pelto.

rt McLeod attended a meeting ief River Falls Thursday even- f the Guernsey Breeders' Ass'n. an Guinan of Thief River Falls n town Wednesday on business. rry McDonald was a Thief Riv- lls visitor Saturday, having den- ork done.

n Nystal, Rev. Hanson, Roy Ol- and Joe Christianson attended concert at Fosston Wednesday ng, given by the Concordia Col- Band of Moorhead, of which Mr. tal was formerly leader.

rtin Fagerland went to Thief Falls Wednesday for medical ination.

nry Rockne was a business vis- t Thief River Falls Wednesday. f. B. O. Norby was an over visitor at the county seat Wed- day.

. Houske, state creamery in- or, was in town Wednesday a while.

n Maney of Grygla was in town esday enroute home from Thief Falls.

s Teresa Geifer spent the week r home in Thief River Falls.

drew Wells of Erie was in town esday enroute to Thief River

e Anderson of Jelle was a busi- caller in Thief River Falls on sday.

C. Knutson of Four Towns was Thursday enroute to Thief on business.

berg visited in Thief Riv- Sunday.

was a business caller in Falls Friday.

ise Besancon spent the at home. She is a student high school, Thief River

Gangness of Thief River Wednesday in Goodridge. n returned to high f River Falls Monday, the week-end at her landing.

d attended to business Falls Monday.

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elegation of townsmen rren Tuesday to a road e following were among . Tvedt, Nick Bundhund, erse, Carl Christianson, M.

esmen who went to Ok- evening were given a very come. The purpose of the the establishing of a state a Oklee to Roseau. The fol- made the trip: A. C. Tvedt, orby, G. C. Gulrud, Henry Nick Bundhund, J. P. Jensen, dberg, Julius Stephenson, A. , N. H. Dahl and Jay Payne. Stucy of Erie, accompanied nother, left Tuesday for Wa- here they will make their

Mae Argall left Monday evening for her home at Mobridge, S. D., after a three weeks' visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. H. McDonald. She was accompanied to Thief River Falls by her daughter, Mildred, Adeline Millard and Mrs. McDonald.

ERIE

Spring is at last here.

Rev. Hoyum of Esplee conducted religious services in the Clover Nook school house on Sunday afternoon. A very large audience was present.

Miss Emma Henke closed a term of school in district No. 59 on Friday of last week. A picnic dinner was served on Sunday in the school house followed by a delightful program by the pupils. Our county superintendent was also present and gave an excellent talk on teachers. Miss Henke left on Monday for her home in Plummer where she will enjoy a rest, after a strenuous year's work.

Miss Anna Froiland of Plummer visited friends here on Sunday and also took in the picnic and program in district 59.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ekwall and sons, Carl and Martin, motored to St. Hilaire on Sunday where they spent the day visiting relatives.

Gilmore Tharaldson visited with the teacher and pupils in the Clover Nook school on Monday afternoon. Our friend Gilmore is busy acting as *salesman selling various articles such* as soaps, extracts, patent medicines, etc., but found time to visit school for once.

GERMANTOWN

Amond Johnson was a caller at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl were Goodridge callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller were callers at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Simon Nabben and sons were callers at the Amond Johnson home Monday.

Mrs. John Anndahl and son Arlo were guests at the L. Bendickson home Friday.

Miss Anna Kotlan called at the O. P. Nelson home Sunday.

Martin Johnson was a Thief River Falls caller Thursday.

Misses Nettie and Esther Bendickson were callers at the Seraphine Rolland home Sunday.

Anna Kotlan, Mildred and Laurence Nelson, Louise Rosett and Silva Bendickson called at the Limesand home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roller were callers at Thief River Falls one day last week.

Ellin Hanson visited at the Henry Roller home Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson visited at the L. Bendickson home Friday evening.

Mildred Nelson was a caller at the A. K. Haggy home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and children were guests at the S. Bendickson home Sunday.

The aged father of Mrs. Martinus Johnson, who has been ailing for several years, passed away recently. The remains were buried in the Germantown cemetery.

Bendickson-Longevan.

On April 27th occurred the marriage of Benard Bendickson to Helen Longevan, Rev. Swenson officiating.

The bride and groom were attended by Nettie Bendickson and Melvin Longevan. The couple are well-known residents of this community.

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Legal Notices

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eight and 62-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by P. W. Sharp Printing and Manufacturing Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagor, to Perl W. Mabey, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of May, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1919, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 507. Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] bid, [illegible] to the treasurer of said Town, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications; bids to be filed with the Town Clerk, Postoffice Address, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, at his office at his residence on the Southeast quarter of Section 27, in said Town; the Town Board will meet at the office of said clerk on June 1st, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of receiving and considering bids and awarding contract. The right is reserved by the Town Board to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications may also be [illegible]

[illegible] if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated March 30th, A. D. 1921.

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Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Henhouse 9x14. Notify H. C. Johnson, Nortz Lumber Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 13p

FOR SALE—Buckwheat at $2.00 per hundred. Jos. H. Kuceks, Thief River Falls. 13

FOR SALE—Frame house, 14x24 with kitchen 16x16. This house is in very good condition. Purchaser will be expected to remove same from lots promptly after sale. For particulars call 62 or 105 Knight Ave. N. 12tf

FOR SALE—Cabbage and Tomato plants, 20 cents per dozen. Cut flowers, Carnations, Red and White for mother's Day, May 8. Mrs. Emil E. Olson, 1122 Bridge St. 13p

FOR SALE—Complete wireless receiving set. For particulars write A. J. Kennedy, Warren, Minn. 11tf

FOR SALE—One 1918 five-passenger Model 90 Overland. Just overhauled and repainted. Good as new. Can be seen at C. M. Evenson & Son Garage, Thief River Falls, Minn. 13tf

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberry plants, grown in this locality for 8 years, now on sale by Mrs. Alvina Hovland, Phone 3152. 13tf

FOR SALE—Leather upholstered Davenport. Call phone 414 or 102 Main Ave. N. 13p

FOR SALE—A used Overland touring car in A1 mechanical condition. Borry's Garage. 15

FOR SALE—Young pigs, past 4 weeks old. Also registered Shorthorn bull. Joseph Odd, Mavie, Minn. 14

FOR SALE—Pure bred White Holland turkey hens, $5.00. Eggs 40c each; setting of 9, $3.00. N. A. Nelson, R. 1, Box 75 B, Phone 17F23. 15p

FOR SALE—700 bushel Big Four seed oats. Absolutely clean. Call 411 Riverside Ave. P. P. Palmer. 9tf

GEE WHIZZ, HERE IS A BARGAIN. Winton Six 7-passenger car, in fine condition. Only $1175. Write S. S., 412 Duluth Ave. N., Thief River Falls. 14

FOR SALE—Eight high grade Holstein cows and heifers, with pure bred sire, one or all. J. H. Hardisty & Son 13

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

FOR SALE—Seven acres adjoining city, with good house, barn and garage. E. F. DeVelling, City. 10tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad. 122 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—5-room modern bungalow, brick, about 2 years old. 510 Bridge St. $3,900, half cash. Can be seen by appointment. Call 404. 12tf

FOR SALE—My property at 1003 Arnold Ave. N., consisting of six room house, barn and garage, six lots. A. E. Babcock, Bronson, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE—House and four lots on LaBree Ave. Former Dr. Gambell property. House modernly equipped in every detail. Hardwood floors, outside coal bin, hot water heat. Four lots. W. A. Ziegler. 13tf

FOR SALE—Elwell kitchen cabinet, practically new. Phone 3771 or see Gus Crown at Baker and Crown Barber Shop. 13p

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—New five passenger Maxwell car at 35 per cent discount. Inquire of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn. 10tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness. W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—100 yards good black dirt delivered, $2.25 a yard or 75 cents on place. Phone 352. 13pd

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs, Black Leghorn, dark Cornish, Game Bantams. Geo. Leimers, Thief River Falls, Minn. 10tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 7tf

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1125, City. 83tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, [illegible] 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Waller-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Lot and barn—215 LaBree Ave. N. 10tf

FOR SALE—Good seven room house, barn, chicken coop and woodshed, fruit trees, etc, on nice high plat of ground located on Red Lake river opposite Tindolph Park, the beauty spot of the city. For particulars call or write 420 Crocker Ave. No. Thief River Falls, Minn. 12tf

FOR SALE—1 Avery gas engine; 1 Moline three bottom plow; 1 C. B. double disc. All as good as new, only used one summer. Write to John Clausen, Thief River Falls, Minn. 15pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

FOR SALE—Three lots in Thief River Falls. Enquire of H. S. Dahlen at First & Peoples State Bank. 9tf

FOR TRADE—Iowa farm to trade for Western Minnesota farms. Farmers Co-Operative Land Co. 12pd

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—1000 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT—Three room house and barn, 1½ block east of Knox school on Crocker Ave. P. A. Boe. 13p

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 307 Knight Ave. N. 13

FOR RENT—5 room flat. Inquire at 219 LaBree Ave. N. or phone 218. 13p

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Bratrud. 10tf

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FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 10tf

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WANTED TO BUY

FARM WANTED—Wanted to hear from owner of a farm or good land for sale for fall delivery. L. Jones, Box 551, Olney, Ill. 13p

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 13

WANTED—Young men, over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $120 month. Examinations May. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of instruction write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 159 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 13p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard. 12tf

LOST

LOST—Crank for Oakland automobile. Finder return to Borry Garage, Thief River Falls. 13p

LOST—Suitcase containing infant's clothes, between hospital and postoffice. Kindly leave at Times office. Robert Herdmann, City 13p

LOST—13 miles east of city on state road, a complete rolling coulter. Will person who picked it up kindly notify Hubert Ueschitz, Goodridge. 13p

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—A position by stenographer with twenty-one months' experience in bank. Familiar with posting and book work. For further information Phone 112, City. 14p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Dressmaking by Mrs. Hartle, 401 Main Ave. S. 15p

RAG CARPET AND RUG WEAVING—I am now prepared to take care of all orders entrusted to me for rag carpets and rugs. Work guaranteed strictly first-class. Prices reasonable. 610 State

TAKEN UP—On my farm, white-faced red calf, Yearling. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. V. C. Noyer. 14

WANTED TO TRADE—A good house for 80 or 160 acre farm. Will pay part cash in deal. Write Box 1124, City.

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 306, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221 First St. E. 10tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

American Legion Corner

KONECNY, HUNGARIAN SOLDIER-VIOLINIST, TO PLAY HERE ON MAY 17

Carried Violin All Through War and Played For Boys in Camp, in Hospitals and on the Open Field.

Josef Konecny, the Bohemian violinist, who appears here on May 17, has the double distinction of being the only artist before the American public who served first as an over-draft age volunteer in the great war as "buck private" and then gave ninety concerts in France under the auspices of the Overseas Theatre league for the American and Allied soldiers.

During his entire army enlistment Konecny had his violin constantly with him and played for the boys under every possible condition. His comrades-in-arms popularly called him "Joe, the violinist." He played for the men in camp, in the tents and barracks, in the hospitals, out in the open under the sky and trees to audiences ranging from perhaps a few enthusiastic doughboys up to 3,500 soldiers and civilians; he appeared on the rostrum of the Knights of Columbus and the Y. M. C. A. huts, and at Fitzgerald, Ga., even played from a baggage truck at the depot, when his company was moved south. He is now a member of the American Legion, under whose auspices he is playing in many of the leading cities of the country.

Miss Mary Tris, the brilliant American pianist, accompanied Mr. Konecny as associate artist on his overseas tour and did her share toward cheering up many home-sick boys.

Miss Lola Marel Alley, who will appear with the violinist as assisting artist, is a native product and received all of her training in this country.

The artists' recital will be given at the auditorium here under the auspices of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the Legion.

Granted Notarial Power.

Heretofore, only officers or notaries public might certify to duplicates of discharge certificates. Uncle Sam has now honored the commanders of eleven thousand Legion posts by granting them this power in connection with victory loan applications, irrespective of whether or not they held commissions in the government forces during the war.

To Dedicate Shaft.

Two Harbors, Minnesota, Legionnaires have arranged for the erection of a concrete shaft with bronze tablet bearing the names of the Lake county citizens who died for their country. It will be dedicated Memorial Day.

"Sandstormers" Will Meet.

Besides the proposed reunion of the 88th division members in that city next fall, Des Moines is planning to entertain 34th (Sandstorm) division veterans also. A meeting is scheduled to be held at the Savoy hotel, Des Moines, at 1:30 p. m. May 3, to arrange for the reunion of the 34th.

Do It Now!

Now is the time for former service men who had influenza or pneumonia or were even slightly gassed in service, to ask the U. S. Public Health Service, Minneapolis, to arrange for physical examination so that, if tuberculosis later develops, their disability may be connected with their war service, according to an official bulletin.

Adjust 9727 Claims.

During March, 1921, a total of 976 claims were adjusted for former service men, bringing the total claims adjusted by the Minnesota Legion Service Bureau, Old Capitol, to 9727, covering every variety of trouble ex-service men encounter in their dealings with the government.

Legionnaire Sings Trio.

To be able to sing in tenor, bass and baritone simultaneously and to control all three perfectly is the gift of Joe Kaufman, a Minneapolis Legionnaire. This accomplishment has baffled voice experts. No other case like it is on record. Even Kaufman himself cannot explain it.

For Them, War Still On.

U. S. hospitals for disabled buddies have steadily increased since March 3, 1919, when there were 22 in operation. On March 5, 1921, there were 61 hospitals with 17,650 beds. For many a buddy the war is still being fought.

Federal Veterinarians to Test Herds Here in June

Dr. W. J. Fretz, federal veterinarian in charge of tuberculin testing, has informed County Agent J. J. McCann, that his men will be in the county during the month of June to test the herds of applicants who have filled out the proper blanks and filed them in the Farm Bureau office. Others living in the neighborhood of those who have applications in should make their request to have herds tested as soon as possible, if they wish to have the work done this year.

Purchased Store Building.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson on Tuesday purchased of Mrs. Fred Roth the two-story frame building at 312 LaBree avenue north, on the ground floor of which they have for a number of years conducted a millinery establishment. The purchase price was $3,400. The young ladies will continue to make their home in the apartments on the second floor, which will be remodeled and modernized in every respect. At some future time the exterior of the building will be given a coat of stucco.

Visiting the Schools.

During the past week George M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools, attended school programs at district No. 9, Hickory township; districts No. 59 and 56, Erie township, and at the Weiner school. He spoke before each assemblage visited.

Pastor Receives Call.

Rev. C. M. Grimsrud, pastor of the Lutheran church at St. Hilaire, has received a call from the Adams, N. D. congregation and is at present on a tour of inspection to the North Dakota city. He has not definitely decided whether or not to accept the new offer.

CONCERT BY BAND TOMORROW NIGHT

Interesting and Varied Program to be Presented Under Leadersip of H. S. Snyder.

The first concert of the 1921 season by the reorganized Thief River Falls city band will be given at the Central school grounds Friday evening. The band now numbers 15 pieces and practice has been going on weekly for some time. The program, which will begin at 7:45, is composed of the following numbers:

March—"Mt. St. Louis Cadets"	Laurendeau
Fox Trot—"Margie"	
Overture—"Iron Count"	King
Fox Trot—"Whispering"	
March—"Northwind"	Chambers
Waltz—"Kiss-a-Miss"	
March—"Our Favorite Regiment"	Erll

RAIL AND SHOP

Chas. Connor is relieving Alvina Jonas as bill clerk at the freight office here, the latter's father, Jacob Jonas, being ill.

Trainmaster H. D. Keene and Traveling Auditor L. E. Gilhausen spent Tuesday at Parkers Prairie.

A. E. Swan has relieved B. C. Gire as agent at Bijou, the latter having been transferred to Parkers Prairie as regular agent.

C. W. Stewart has been put on as second trick operator at Thief River Falls, relieving D. C. Paine, who has been transferred to Erskine where he relieved Agent F. C. Paine, who goes to Savannah, Ga., as a delegate to the national convention of the O. R. T.

H. Pavek, agent at Gardena, resumed work on Wednesday relieving A. E. Peterson who goes to Warren where he will relieve J. O. Herrick, who is also a delegate to the Savannah convention.

Alfred Paulson, clerk in the express office here, acted as baggageman on Soo train No. 112 on Monday, due to illness in the family of the regular baggageman, Frank Hammergren.

R. L. VanDusen is relieving Agent T. F. Michaelson at Adams on account of sickness in the latter's family.

Agent C. M. Holmes and wife of Bisbee spent Sunday at Kenmare.

Selma Vren, station helper at Roulette, resumed work on Monday, relieving W. C. Smith.

W. L. Presse, who has been acting as relief agent on the Winnipeg division since February, has been transferred to the Minnesota division as relief agent at Buffalo.

Superintendent W. A. Barnard was in Grand Forks on Tuesday.

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Duluth Man Says Since Taking Tanlac He Feels as Healthy As He Did Years Ago.

"I've tried Tanlac and never saw anything to equal it during the seventy-two years of my life," said John Ryan, of 128 Sixth avenue, W. Duluth, Minn. Mr. Ryan is now retired from business, having been a lumber valuator practically all his life, during which time he traveled extensively in Canada and the United States.

"When a man gets to be as old as I am he has to be careful of his health and when my stomach began to go back on me I knew I had to have something to help me out. Well I found my relief in Tanlac, and there's nothing like it when it comes to doing away with a heavy, bloated feeling and putting a man in a good, healthy condition. I had so lost my appetite that nothing seemed to appeal to me any more, and the little I did eat seemed to lie in my stomach undigested and caused me awful pain. I always felt bloated up, and in an unhealthy condition.

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Will Go to Annapolis.

John Melgaard, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, arrived here on Friday from Marion, Ala., where he has spent the past school year at a military preparatory school. After a month's vacation he will go to Chicago to undergo a physical examination preliminary to entering the naval academy at Annapolis.

Drive in Itasca County.

Beginning with a rousing booster meeting on Monday held in the Commercial club rooms at Grand Rapids, the intensive drive for members for the Itasca County Farm Bureau opened its campaign. Mr. Smith of Parker's Prairie, who is in charge of the campaign in the county, reports a great deal of interest on the part of the farmers and states that he expects better results to be achieved than in many other counties in northern Minnesota.

$12 IS MINIMUM TAX FOR AUTOS UNDER NEW LAW

Two Per Cent of List Price at Factory With $12 Lowest Charge For Any Car.

Owner Must Learn Many Details Concerning His Auto Before Making Application.

All Registrations For Current Year Due in Secretary of State's Office May 15.

Secretary of State Mike Holm has dispatched to the press of Minnesota the following summary of facts regarding the procedure necessary to register motor vehicles for 1921 in accordance with the new law, being actuated by the belief that an early knowledge of the regulations will help his department very materially in taking care of what he styles "the big job."

Minimum Tax of $12.

The rate for automobiles, trucks, tractors, trailers, and semi-trailers is 2 per cent of the list price at the factory with a $12.00 minimum for automobiles weighing less than 2,000 pounds and a $15.00 minimum for automobiles weighing more than 2,000 pounds and for trucks under 2-ton carrying capacity. For trucks whose carrying capacity is more than 2 tons and less than 4 tons, the minimum is $30.00, and for all trucks of over 4-ton carrying capacity the minimum is $50.00. The minimum for trailers and semi-trailers is $2.00. The value of the vehicle during the fourth and fifth year will be 50 per cent of the factory list price.

As soon as they are printed, application blanks will be sent out for distribution to banks as before, to registers of deeds who by reason of their experience in connection with registration under the previous law are especially qualified to make out the applications, and to others that may apply for them. Rate books showing factory list prices and weights of the various models of standard makes of motor vehicles together with the registration fee computed in each case, will also be distributed for use by those who make out applications. The first distribution of the law will be in the legal supplements that will be distributed through the newspapers of the state. Every motor vehicle owner should take particular notice of chapter 461, which deals with motor vehicle registrations.

Applications Due May 15.

The law provides that the application must contain, among other things, the name of the motor vehicle, year manufactured, year and number of model, engine and car number, type of body, list price at the factory, weight of the motor vehicle in pounds, its rated load carrying capacity or seating capacity, and the number of cylinders. Car owners will save time if all these facts are ascertained before anyone is asked to make out the application. Applications should not be made except on the regular form. The application, this year, should be in by May 16.

Applicants who already have certificates of title are required to send their copies with their applications. Those who have not, must have affidavits of one neighbor on each application who has examined the numbers on the motor vehicle and who will swear that the statements in the application are true.

Checks Must Go Forward.

All certified checks, bank drafts, and money orders should be made payable to Mike Holm, Secretary of State, and should be sent together with the application to him. It is very important that a separate check, draft or money order is made out for each application and attached to the application for which it is to pay. Applicants will be given a receipt upon the approval of the application and the payment of the fee, and will be allowed to operate their motor vehicles upon the 1918-20 license plates until the new plate can be issued. In anticipation of the great rush of applications at the time of the annual re-registration, the law gives the Secretary of State three months in which to issue the plates. Every effort, however, will be made to get these out as soon as possible.

PLUMMER CREAMERY DECIDES ON CLOSER CREAM GRADING

The directors of the Plummer Co-operative creamery held their quarterly meeting at the creamery. It was decided that, starting in the near future, all cream taken in would be graded as first and second class and a difference of 3 cents would be made between the two grades. They also decided to have a general cleanup day at the creamery at which time the grounds will be fixed up and made to appear more attractive. There will also be a picnic on the same day so it is expected that a large crowd will turn out and help to make the effort a success.

A Fine Opportunity.

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—and—
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Matinee 2:30

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Olive Thomas
In
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Her last picture before sailing for France. A story of Love and Smiles.
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Snub Pollard Comedy

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SEASON'S FIRST GAME WILL BE PLAYED SUNDAY

Newly Organized Thief River Falls Team to Meet Alvarado Nine as a Starter.

Federolf, Former St. Louis Cardinal Pitcher, Booked by Locals For the Season.

Total of 22 Games Scheduled, 12 of Which Will be Played on Home Diamond.

Thief River Falls fans will witness the first baseball game of the season on Sunday afternoon, when the Alvarado team comes here to play the *maroon and grey*. Gus Federolf and Pete Morse, both of St. Paul, who have tied-up with the locals for the season, will do the twirling and catching respectively. The game will start at three o'clock. The Thief River Falls association will not declare an official opening of the season, however, until Sunday, May 29, when Fertile comes here to play.

Morse, one of the new men secured, during the past few years has picked up a reputation as a catcher and a hitter. He played one year with the St. Louis Cardinals and later was booked up in the Western and Coast leagues. During the six years of professional baseball playing he made a batting average of 300 or over, with the exception of one year when he dropped down to 287.

Federolf is also a slugger. His admirers claim that he will this year hit it up to over 300. He was formerly a battery mate of Morse while serving with the Western league. Both Morse and Federolf will arrive Sunday morning from the twin cities where they have been getting into form.

Vernon Soltau of Morton, Minnesota, has also been hired to twirl for the Thief River Falls nine. He is not expected to arrive here until the 24th of the month.

Fully 15 men of those who have been turning out twice a week for practice on the fair grounds are showing up well and officials of the association are confident that good baseball material is available. Starting Monday the men will be out at work every evening during the week and an early selection of the nine is expected.

Twenty-three games have already been booked. With several dates yet to be filled and with a slight extension of the season it is planned to increase this number to at least 30. The games played here on week day evenings will start at 6:15 or 6:30, this hour having been set to allow the greatest possible attendance of fans who are employed during the day time.

The schedule for the season has been arranged as follows. Nineteen games are provided for, 12 of which will be on the home diamond:

Date and Team	Place
Sunday, May 15—Alvarado	At Home
Sunday, May 22—St. Hilaire	At Home
Wednesday, May 25—Fertile	Fertile
Monday, May 30—Ada	At Home
Wednesday, June 1—Argyle	Argyle
Friday, June 3—Warren	At Home
Sunday, June 5—Gonvick	Gonvick
Wednesday, June 8—Lancaster	At Home
Friday, June 10—Warren	Warren
Sunday, June 12—R. L. Falls	At Home
Wednesday, June 15—Open	
Friday, June 17—Lancaster	Lancaster
Sunday, June 19—Gonvick	At Home
Wednesday, June 22—Argyle	At Home
Saturday, June 25—McIntosh	At Home
Sunday, June 26—McIntosh	McIntosh
Wednesday, June 29—Open	
Friday, July 1—Argyle	Argyle
Monday, July 4—Open	
Saturday, July 9—McIntosh	At Home
Sunday, July 10—McIntosh	At Home
Thursday, July 11—Argyle	At Home

GIANT MACHINE IS USED IN DITCHING

Enormous Amount of Dirt Being Moved by Dredge of New and Novel Design.

A walking dredge of novel construction, the only one of its kind known to be working in the Northwest, was placed in operation on county ditch No. 68, three miles north of here, last Friday, by the Walker-Gesell Land company of Thief River Falls. The dredge is at present equipped with a 40-horse power engine and is capable of digging six miles of drainage ditch per month. It was formerly in operation in the vicinity of Goodridge, but this spring was torn down and re-assembled for the work on ditches No. 68 and No. 70. The present contract calls for the excavation of 35 miles of trench. Ten men, working night and day shifts, are employed by the company.

The 90-ton dredge is capable of taking 8-foot steps with great rapidity, power being furnished by the gas engine which operates bucket and hoist. The corner supports or legs of the powerful machine are fixed in position. Underneath the center are mammoth legs which alternate with the corner posts in bearing the weight of 90 tons and which act as the propeller of the dredge when bearing that weight. The owners have practically designed the entire machine and claim that it is the only one of identical construction in the United States. Patents are held on the walking mechanism. The cost of the dredge is estimated at about $20,000.

New Truck in Service.

The farm implement house of C. Gustafson & Son this week added a new Avery truck to their equipment. The machine will be used for hauling the company's freight in this city but will be particularly employed in carrying the necessary supplies to their branch house at Grygla. It is one of the finest trucks in the city and an advertisement for both manufacturer and dealer.

Will Appoint Farmers.

President Harding has promised to give favorable consideration to the request of the American Farm Bureau federation that men familiar with agriculture be given places on all federal boards and commissions, according to a message received by the Minnesota federation. The president received a delegation of farm bureau officers from the farmers' legislative committee in session at the capital. He assured them, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has been informed, that he was committed to recognizing agriculture in important appointments, and that he regarded favorably their request for "farmer-minded" men on the federal reserve board, the United States shipping board and the Interstate Commerce commission.

Gold Stars For Mothers.

If a bill to be introduced by Congressman Royal Johnson of South Dakota passes, Uncle Sam will present a gold star to the mother of every boy who lost his life in the great war. The beautiful sentiment underlying this tribute, has the indorsement of the American Legion.

GREATEST OF ALL CHORAL SOCIETIES TO APPEAR HERE

Peerless St. Olaf College Choir of 55 Voices Will be at Auditorium June 21.

Arrangements are already being made to take care of the largest audience ever appearing at a concert in Thief River Falls when the St. Olaf college choir appears here on the evening of June 21. This famous organization has just completed a tour of the Southwest and the success of last year was repeated. Everywhere the choir has appeared the press and public have been unmeasured in their praise, the statement being repeatedly made that it is without doubt the finest organization of its kind in the United States and compares favorably with the great church choirs of England and Germany.

Edward C. Moore, musical critic of the Chicago Journal, says of their performance: "These three score young people sing only sacred music, at least in their concerts, and they sing it with a dignity, an impressive certainty, a carefully wrought effect that makes it something upon which to model all sacred singing. The most intricate floridities of ancient song, the most complex harmonies of modern compositions are all one to them. One of Conductor Christianson's secrets is the art of giving them the pitch so that no one in the audience has the slightest idea of how he does it. Then they sing and one begins to realize what can be done with unaccompanied voices. They furnish a genuine musical experience."

The Kansas City Times says of Conductor Christianson: "There is in his choir a soft brightness of tone, an enthusiasm in hewing to the line in the complex music, a refinement and delicacy of nuance that suggests the singers are also governed by this religious fervor as well as by the baton of the conductor. If religion can inspire good deeds, why not good singers?"

To Dr. O. F. Mellby, himself a former student at St. Olaf, is largely due the fact that the choir will appear in Thief River Falls. He some time ago began correspondence on the subject and was given the only open date in the organization's itinerary. The concert will be given under the auspices of Trinity Lutheran church.

GERMANY ACCEPTS ALLIED ULTIMATUM; AGREES TO TERMS

Six and Three-Quarters Billion Pounds Sterling is Total Amount of Indemnity.

Germany on Tuesday night accepted the Allied ultimatum. The Reichstag, by a vote of 221 to 175, yielded to the final demands of the Allied powers and, in so doing, agreed to fulfill the terms of the treaty of Versailles "to the capacity" of the nation to do so.

The Allied ultimatum required a definite reply, based on "yes" or "no." No conditional reply would be entertained and the ultimatum was formulated to expire on the night of May 12.

The total sum which Germany is called upon to pay is 6,750,000,000 pounds sterling. Disarmament must be carried on by the Germans in accordance with the provisions of the treaty and the trial of war criminals must be put into effect. Numerous other important terms, in which Germany has been in default, will be enforced.

Grant Ohm left Monday morning for Badger where he spent a day visiting friends.

CONTRACT FOR SCHOOL GIVEN LOCAL CONCERN

The Prichard Co. is Awarded General Constuction Work at $52,385.

Brown Plumbing Company Will Install Heating Plant at a Cost of $16,500.

Bids Opened Monday Were $32,845 Below Those Previously Submitted For Job.

In competitive bidding which took place at the board room in the Lincoln school building on Monday night, Thief River Falls firms were awarded the contracts for the construction of a 14-room school building on the site now occupied by the Knox school on the East side. The general contract was let to The Prichard Company for $52,885. The Brown Plumbing and Heating company secured contracts aggregating $16,500, and the South Side Electrical company of Minneapolis a contract for the electrical work at $2,070. Conracts as let totalled $71,455. Many contractors from Grand Forks, Crookston, Fargo, Moorhead and the Twin Cities were present at the opening of bids, while many firms submitted bids by mail. Ten bids on the general contract alone were opened by the board of education.

$32,845 Saved District.

A remarkable feature of the bidding of Monday night was the drop shown from the prices of a year ago. Bids for the same work were opened on June 21, 1920, when it was found that the lowest price at which the building could be constructed was $104,300, or approximately $25,000 more than the architects had estimated. In comparison with the low bid received last year, the letting of the contracts on Monday for $71,455 represents a drop in prices and cost of labor of $32,845 or a saving to the school district of that amount. The total of the highest bids on construction work received on Monday night was $92,820, other bids ranging well between the high and low marks. All twin city firms who submitted bids did so at figures over $60,000 for the general contract. The second lowest offer of $59,000 was submitted by Fred R. Comb of Minneapolis, who built the Northrop school here several years ago. The highest bid on the plumbing and heating was $21,000; that on the electrical equipment of the building, $3,100.

Low Bids A Surprise.

A. B. Dunham of the firm of Sund & Dunham, Minneapolis architects, who was present and who will act as inspector during the construction of the building, stated that the bids were exceptionally low. Contractors present publicly voiced the opinion that the bid of The Prichard Company was low beyond reason, but later said that the building could be erected at that figure on a small margin of profit.

The voters of the city at a special election held on March 29 last year authorized the sale of bonds in the sum of $135,000 for the erection and equipment of the new school to replace the Knox buildings. The money will be secured from the state at an interest rate of 4 per cent. Funds arising from the bond sale which are not used in the construction and equipment of the building will be placed in the school district sinking fund.

Seven Months For Completion.

The plans as drawn up by the Minneapolis architects call for a 14-room structure which will be the most modern and beautiful school in the city when completed. The frame building now occupying part of the Knox site will be moved from the present location. While the specifications for the building to be erected state that the walls of the brick structure now occupying the remainder of the site may be left standing and incorporated in the new school, W. W. Prichard, Jr., on Tuesday said that it would be entirely wrecked and the material used where possible.

Mr. Prichard also said that the hauling of material would begin within ten days time. Actual construction work will not start until after the close of the school term on June 3, it being necessary to move the frame building before excavation can take place. The successful bidders mean to employ local artisans and laborers for the construction work. The contract allows seven months for the completion of the building or until some time in December.

Secretary of Agriculture Approves Steenerson Bill

The provision of the Steenerson bill requiring boards of trade and Chambers of Commerce to admit to membership co-operative associations, were, on suggestion of the secretary of agriculture, included in the Tincher Grain Futures bill, favorably reported to the house on Tuesday and which is expected to be voted on today.

Miss Effie Hamry, worthy matron of the Winslow chapter of the Eastern Star lodge, went to Minneapolis the first of the week to attend the Grand Chapter.

City Gets Good Wetting But Rain is Not General

The finest downpour of the season hit Thief River Falls on Tuesday afternoon and proved a boon to gardens and pastures. Reports from outlying districts, however, are to the effect that the showers were not general and that several sections which are needing moisture to help crops get a start were not favored. Hardly enough rain fell at Goodridge to lay the dust while there was only a sprinkle to the southwest of the city. The western townships seem to have been passed up entirely but in the country between Hazel and Oklee considerable water fell.

No section is as yet suffering from lack of moisture but it would give things a decided boost if a good wetting were administered.

IOWA FARMER BUYS 2,000 ACRE TRACT; ANOTHER BIG DEAL

Transfers in Which the Purchase Price Aggregates Over $100,000 Are Recorded.

Walter Nation of Black Hawk county, Iowa, last week purchased Marshall county lands aggregating 2,080 acres. Included in the various tracts is the well-known Kelly farm of 640 acres near Gatzke. The remaining parcels of land lie along Marshall county drainage ditch No. 20. The sale was made through the Walker-Gesell Land company of Thief River Falls, the purchase price being $90,000.

Mr. Nation is a prominent Iowa farmer and owns 720 acres of valuable land in the vicinity of Waterloo. A brother will move to the newly acquired Kelly farm at Gatzke to look after the owner's interests in northern Minnesota.

During the same week, the Walker-Gesell company effected to C. E. Lang of Sheridan, Mo., the sale of 960 acres of Beltrami and Marshall county lands formerly owned by Bernard McBrady of Chicago. The purchase price in this instance was $24,000.

LITTLE TOWN HAS 15 TYPHOID CASES

John Sjolsvold, Young Rosewood Farmer, Second Victim of Baffling Epidemic.

The typhoid fever epidemic in and around Rosewood on Saturday claimed a second victim when Johan Sjolsvold, a young Norden township farmer, succumbed to the disease, after an illness of two weeks. He died at the Physicians' hospital here, where he had been moved a week previous. On Thursday his condition was reported as improving by physicians in attendance, but a severe hemmorhage set in on Friday and greatly weakened his resistance. A blood transfusion from his brother, John, was made on Friday, but to no effect.

The Rosewood correspondent for the Times reports that no new cases have been discovered during the last few days and that no definite conclusion has been reached as to the source of the epidemic. Two public sales were conducted in the neighborhood within a possible time for infection and are regarded with suspicion as being distributers. Blood tests conducted by Thief River Falls physicians and Dr. J. Gahlen of the state health department, indicate that several persons who were ill with typhoid during the epidemic of two years ago, are still carriers. None of these, however, were present at lunch distributions at the two public auction sales. Dr. C. M. Adkins, who conducted a personal investigation of conditions at the Rosewood stores, has issued a public notice stating that no tracings can be found there. At the last report 15 cases of fever were being treated.

Two Ex-Soldiers Leave to Take Course at Columbia

Dan R. Maue and W. C. Peterson, two young men who have been making this city their home during the past year, will leave tomorrow morning by auto for Minneapolis. Both are veterans of the late war, having been members of the 151st field artillery, and have been recommended for vocational training. They will engage in some line of business that will permit of their remaining out-of-doors as much as possible, until Sept. 1, when they will enter Columbia university, taking up the study of journalism.

Mr. Maue has been a member of The Times editorial staff since his arrival in the city, while Mr. Peterson was until recently city salesman for the Tessum-Coumbe company, altho formerly engaged in newspaper work. Both are young men of a high order of ability and have made a large number of friends in the city who will regret their departure and wish for them the most unbounded success wherever their lots may be cast. With their newspaper training as a background they should make much of the unequalled facilities offered by Columbia for turning their experience to the best account. Mr. Maue's home is at Monticello, while Mr. Peterson hails from Marshall, this state, so that it is probable they may return to Minnesota at the close of their college term.

CHORAL SINGERS SCORE SUCCESS WITH ORATORIO

Gaul's "Holy City" Presented to Small But Appreciative Audience Tuesday Night.

Harry Phillips of Minneapolis, Displays Range and Power in Baritone Rendition.

Mrs. Fisher and Miss Iverson Share Honors of Evening by Fine Solo Work.

The Choral society presented Gaul's oratorio, "Holy City," before a small but appreciative audience at the city auditorium *Thursday evening* and scored a triumph second to none other in the musical annals of Thief River Falls. The program moved with a smoothness and simplicity of presentation worthy of a more professional organization and gave proof sufficient of exceptional talent possessed within the city. The work of Miss Maude Johnson, director, and her singers, is every where commented on, being given unstinted praise. Individual members of the society entered into their work with a spirit betokening no small amount of artistry and immerged with an established reputation.

Of the chorus numbers it would be difficult to pick out anyone more deserving of meritorious comment than its fellow numbers, tho the chorus for double choir, "Let the Heavens Rejoice," was sung with unusually fine spirit and proved an inspiration to those who heard it. The singing of the ladies' duets, trios and quartettes as well as that of the mixed quartette was done with a finish and beauty that left nothing to be desired.

Solo Work Excellent.

Dr. J. N. Nesse and S. Karl Sundahl sang tenor solos which were greeted with prolonged applause. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher's two numbers, "Eye Hath Not Seen" and "Come Ye Blessed to My Father," were features of the evening's inspirational program. Mrs. Fisher possesses a powerful contralto voice which she controls with great precision, her tones especially in the lower register, being pure, rich and beautiful. In addition to the solo, "These Are They Which Came," Miss Grace Iverson sang the soprano solo in "Let the Heavens Rejoice," vieing with all others on the program for the honors of the evening. She has frequently been heard here both in concert and church choir work, as well as at private entertainments, yet the beauty of her voice came as a revelation to many on Tuesday night. She sings a soprano of unusually high range and her tones are clear and bird-like, no other term so clearly doing them justice as the word "exquisite."

Miss Laura Forde, piano accompanist, is to be congratulated upon her playing of the entire score without a single error and in a manner calling forth unstinted praise.

A Wonderful Voice.

In conclusion, too much cannot be said in praise of Harry Phillips of Minneapolis and his powerful baritone voice. He is a great artist. A better male voice has never been heard here. In the singing of solo parts of the oratorio as well as in the negro spirituals and other numbers given during the interim between part 1 and 2 of the oratorio, he produced tones as soft as those of an aeolian harp and others of such volume as to nearly bring his listeners to their feet. His singing is apparently all done with the greatest ease. Wherever possible his work was greeted with storms of applause. Following his presentation of "The Crying of Waters" and "On the Road to Mandalay," he sang two encores and because of a heavy part in the remainder of the program was obliged to refuse a third. The city of Thief River Falls is considered very fortunate in having heard so gifted a singer.

It is to be regretted that the first two appearances of this society in public have resulted in a financial loss. It is understood that expenses to date exceed the revenue and that it will be necessary of the members of the society to personally make good this deficit.

CLASS OF '21 WILL PRESENT COMEDY

"All of A Sudden Peggy" to Be Given Under Direction of L. N. Pierce, Friday, May 20.

The class of 1921 will present "All of a Sudden Peggy" at the auditorium Friday evening, May 20. A great deal of effort is being put into the necessary preparations for the production and under the direction of L. N. Pierce, principal of the high school, it is certain to be a success.

"All of a Sudden Peggy" is built on three ideas. Act I deals with the suddenness of Peggy; Act II, the suddenness of consequences; Act III, the consequences of suddenness. Peggy does things "all of a sudden—such as kissing a young Englishman when he gives her an idea for the book she is writing and giving out the news that she is married to Jimmy so her mother will be free to marry Lord Anthony Crackenthorpe. Complications arise so that by the end of the second act things are in a terrible muddle, when they take a turn for the better and everything is straightened out by the end of the third act. It is a comedy all the way through and has been so well worked out by the author that in addition to a great many laughs it holds the intense interest of the audience throughout the entire play.

The cast of characters and synopsis are as follows:

Anthony, Lord Crackenthorpe (Fellow of the Entomological Society) Allen Fossum.

The Hon. Jimmy Keppel, (his brother) Hugh McDaniels.

Major Archie Phipps, (retired) (Lady Crackenthorpe's Brother) Harold Smithers.

Jack Menzies, Chester Dols.

Parker (Footman at Hawkhurst) Ernest Zeh.

Lucas (Manservant at Jimmy's Flat) Dreng Bjoranrau.

Lady Crackenthorpe (Lord Crackenthorpe's Mother) Vellerrie Parenteau.

The Hon. Millicent Keppel, Dotty Krafthefer.

The Hon. Mrs. Colquhoun, Mildred Bottelson.

Mrs. O'Mara, (Widow of Professor O'Mara, F. R. S.) Rose Oski.

Peggy, (her Daughter) Mary Vance.

Act I. "The Suddenness of Peggy" The White Hall at Hawkhurst, Lord Crackenthorpe's Country House.

Act II. "The Suddenness of Consequences." At Jimmy Keppel's Flat in London, a week later.

Act. III. "The Consequence of Suddenness." The White Hall at Hawkhurst, on the evening of the same day.

NAME COMMITTEES FOR MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE HERE

Members of Elmer J. Eklund Post Will Have Charge of Program For Occasion.

Final arrangements for the observance here of Memorial day and the appointment of committees to take in charge every detail of the ceremonies, were made at a meeting of civic organization representatives held at the Commercial club rooms on Friday night.

Following a program of patriotic musical numbers, readings and addresses at the city auditorium on the morning of Monday, May 30, a parade headed by the city band will form and march to Greenwood cemetery to witness the decoration of graves of deceased service men of three wars. Exercises at Greenwood will be taken in charge by the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion.

W. B. Fuller has been appointed officer of the day, in which position he has served on Memorial day in a most efficient manner for the past several years. The following committees were also appointed:

Morning program: Dr. G. A. Penney, E. O. Mogensen and R. B. McWilliams.

Music for morning program: Miss Maude L. Johnson and George Loken.

Address of the day: Perry Johnson, W. A. Hall Jr., W. C. Peterson.

Parade: W. J. LaBree, H. D. Keene and Oscar Smith.

Auditorium decorations: Members of Women's Auxiliary assisted by Boy and Girls scouts.

Decoration of graves: Members of Eklund post assisted by Auxiliary members.

Exercises at Greenwood: W. C. Peterson, Perry Johnson, H. O. Chommie, Dan R. Maue, Carl Gulrud.

WILL RECOMMEND TRACTOR FACTORY PLAN BE DROPPED

H. W. Protzeller and J. J. Richter, committee appointed by W. A. Hall, Jr., of the Commercial club, to make a personal investigation of the proposition presented by O. L. Gilliland and C. A. Janicke of Minneapolis, whereby the latter offered to establish a factory for a new tractor in this city, will report to the club at noon luncheon today. Their recommendation will be that the matter be dropped as in their judgment the enterprise holds forth no promise of being a success for the present at least.

They found that the inventors of the tractor have not yet received a patent, although a request for one has been in the patent office since 1919. The investigators could find no particular advantage in the new macine over the ordinary caterpillar tractors, while several things came to light which they regarded as drawbacks. While they admit that the machine may turn out to be a fine thing for straight-away hauling, its turning radius is too great to ever make it popular with the farmer. It was also found that the model weighs over four tons, and while this will undoubtedly be cut down by later refinements it seemed doubtful if even in this particular the new machine will be in any way superior to those now on the market. The plan of financing the project also failed to meet with the approval of the Thief River Falls men and the matter will undoubtedly be dropped.

At the luncheon today M. L. Holbrook is scheduled to give a talk on "Modern Methods in Dry Cleaning." Mr. Holbrook is proprietor of the newly established Thief River Falls Dress club and is an expert in his line of business.

FARM BUREAU'S WORK PROVEN GREAT BENEFIT

County Agent J. J. McCann Submits Report Covering Three Years' Operations.

Grain and Potato Yields Increased and Cattle Herds Improved by New Methods.

Financial Statement Shows That Cost to Taxpayers Has Been $1700 Annually.

The Pennington County Farm Bureau submits a statement of the work accomplished during the past three *years and also an itemized account of* the annual expenses to the county for the past three and one-half years.

The farm bureau now consists of 450 members on the new organization basis. Three townships have been organized and directors appointed to represent their locality at the county meetings. The entire county will be organized during the month of May and an annual meeting will be held in June.

Previous to this time the work has been carried under a handicap, as no township organization existed and it was very hard to tell what farmers wished to have the bureau do when they did not place their request in the farm bureau office. At the present time such requests may be placed with the township director and he, in turn, will take it to the county board of farm bureau directors. This will serve as a very efficient chain, connecting each township in Pennington county by an organized group of directors elected by the farmers in each locality.

During three years of the bureau's operation it assisted in grain and potato treating demonstrations which helped to eliminate oats smut and potato diseases. The increase in yield from plots so treated has amounted in value to $27,600.00.

The Peat Demonstrations.

Due to the demonstrations on mineral and peat soil nine carloads of phosphate were shipped into Pennington county. This has raised the yield of grain from five to 10 bushels of wheat to the acre and 15 to 50 bushels of oats to the acre. The number of acres so treated was 2,240. At an average increase of 10 bushels of oats to the acre it would bring the total increase to 22,400 bushels. At 30 cents a bushel this would amount to $6,720.00—a very conservative estimate of the increase for one year. This fertilization will show beneficial results for four years, which will greatly increase the total saving.

It has also been demonstrated thru the bureau that phosphate fed to cattle will keep them in much better condition and will save them from chewing boards and bones, which results from feeding animals food that lacks phosphate.

Free Tuberculin Tests.

Eight thousand six hundred and two animals have been tested for tuberculosis during the past four years. This work was all done free of charge by federal veterinarians. At a cost of $2.00 per head this would have cost the stockmen of the county $17,224.00. This not only benefited the owners of the herds tested but prevented tuberculin animals from being sold or exchanged throughout the county, which would have spread the disease in other herds—not only of cattle, but of hogs and poultry as well. Thirty-five percent of tuberculosis in infants is caused by drinking milk from tuberculin animals, so this

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PRESIDENT HARDING DESIGNATES MAY 30 AS MEMORIAL DAY

Call Upon Fellow Citizens to Fittingly Honor Soldiers Who Fell in Battles—Asks All to Pay Homage to Noble Dead.

The annual Memorial day proclamation setting aside May 30 as a holiday was issued by President Harding. The text follows:

"Whereas this nation has been conceived in prayer and devotion by men and women who were moved under God to found a nation where principles of right should form the lasting corner stone; and, whereas, these principles purchased at the price of great sacrifice have been fostered by a worthy posterity; and, whereas, the great war has lately laid its costly demands upon our lands; now, therefore, I, Warren G. Harding, president of the United States, do hereby proclaim Monday the 30th day of May, already freighted with sacred and stimulated memories, a day of public memorial. I invite my fellow citizens fittingly to pay homage on this day to a noble dead who sleep in homeland, beneath the sea or in foreign fields so that we who survive might enjoy the blessings of peace and happiness and to the end that liberty and justice, without which no nation can exist, shall live forever.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done in the district of Columbia, this third day of May, in the year of our Lord 1921, and of the independence of the United States the 145th."

Society and Club

Silver Wedding Anniversary.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Elev Aakre in Reiner township was the scene of a most enjoyable party on Saturday evening when eight automobile loads of people from the Holt neighborhood dropped in quite informally for the purpose of reminding the excellent couple of the fact that it was their silver wedding anniversary. The guests brought with them everything needful in the way of good things to eat and the evening was spent in a most enjoyable manner. Mr. and Mrs. Aakre were presented with a silver plated bowl containing a considerable number of silver dollars as a momento of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Aakre were married in the township of Holt on May 7, 1896 and resided there for nine years after their marriage. Sixteen years ago they moved to Reiner township in this county where they are held in high esteem by a wide circle of friends and neighbors.

Surprise Party.

About fifty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Burtness came down from Holt Monday evening and pleasantly surprised them at their home in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Burtness were married about two weeks ago. Before her marriage Mrs. Burtness was Mrs. R. L. Olson of Holt. Included in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Heinze, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Oien, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nickelson, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Bakke, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hagberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Knutson, Mr. and Mrs. Dedrick Knutson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Docken, Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer Johnson, Guy A. Anderson, Oscar Walland, R. A. Holmgren, E. C. Bakke, Ingaborg Nelson, Miss Venice Lawrence, Miss Goldie Jackman, Miss Olga Skadsem, Dehard Johnson, Mrs. K. Nyberg, O. C. Johnson.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club held its regular meeting on Monday afternoon in the Commercial club rooms. Miss Maude Frissell, as leader of the lesson on "Americanization," gave a very interesting discussion on that subject. Current events was led by Mrs. E. M. Stanton. A community sing was directed by Mrs. Gay Halvorson. The nominating committee submitted the following list of nominees for the coming election of officers to take place May 23: President, Mrs. C. T. Christenson, Mrs. Perl Mabey, Mrs. B. W. Briggs; vice president, Mrs. W. J. LaBree, Mrs. G. Halvorson and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr.; secretary, Mrs. Mike Connelly, Mrs. E. J. Richards and Mrs. Geo. Biddick; treasurer, Mrs. Willis Akre, Mrs. J. H. Hardisty and Mrs. J. J. Richter. Mrs. Geo. Biddick was appointed a delegate to the annual meeting of the Ninth District Federated Women's clubs.

Entertains

In compliment to his friend, John Melgaard, who is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, before entering training at Annapolis, Theodore Prichard entertained the following at his home on Horace avenue, Friday evening: Misses Beatrice Sandum, Sybil McGinn, Helen Langseth, Myrtle Krohn, Ella Krohn, Helen Warner, Adlynn LaBree, Ruby Bennes and Ruth Hadrath and John Melgaard, Harold Smithers, Maurice Mabey, Norbert Holzknecht, Math Barzen, Edward Fiterman, John Hendry and Allen Fossum.

In Honor of Mrs. Coumbe.

Mrs. S. C. Coumbe was honor guest at a party given by Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., on Monday evening at her home. Whist was played at two tables. The guests were Mrs. R. B. McWilliams, Mrs. C. W. Stewart, Mrs. Gyther Tessum, Mrs. A. I. Anderson, Mrs. H. O. Chommie, Mrs. H. J. Heggan. As a token of their friendship, Mrs. Coumbe was presented with a handsome gift. Lunch concluded a most enjoyable evening.

Girls Community Club.

The Girls' Community club met on Monday evening in the Commercial club rooms with an unusually poor attendance, necessitating the postponement of the election of officers until the next meeting. A social time was enjoyed until the lunch hour when light refreshments were served. Misses Maxine Johnson and Murial Loken favored the club with a piano duet.

In Honor of Birthday.

In commemoration of her ninth birthday Miss Violet Rhodegaard entertained a few of her friends at her home Thursday afternoon. Those present were Edith Eklund, Verna and Harriet Liden, Evangeline and Grace Robarge, Olive and Evelyn Carlson, Bernice Thompson, Vandla Johnson and Ora Mousley.

Dinner Party.

Miss Lydia Dahlen was hostess at a 5:30 dinner given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen, Saturday evening. Those present were Misses Margaret Dix, Margaret Mealy, Lucille Curtiss, Lorrayne Crandall, Pearl Weeks, Ruth Knutson, Viola and Elsie Burringrud and Lorraine Will.

Entertain at Dinner.

At the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, the following were entertained at dinner on Friday evening in compliment to Miss Amelia Maue, of Monticello, who was a guest of her brother Dan last week: Dan R. Maue, Wilbur Peterson, Ella Miller and Amelia Maue, Guy and Perry Johnson.

Proctor-Beltz.

Local friends will be surprised to learn of the marriage of Miss Lenore Beltz, western union telegraph operator here, to LeRoy B. Proctor of Crookston, at the latter named place on Saturday, May 7. Rev. Hall of Crookston officiated. Mr. Proctor is manager of the western Union office at Crookston.

Methodist Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained in the basement of the Methodist church, Wednesday afternoon, May 18th at 3 o'clock, entertained by Mrs. Thos. Chittick, Mrs. W. K. Knight and Mrs. J. H. McClelland.

Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith informally entertained a number of their friends at their home on Thursday evening following the Elks' play, "Nothing But the Truth," given at the Auditorium.

Surprise Party.

Several of the friends of Lynn Halvorson surprised him at his home on Wednesday evening. Dancing was the chief form of entertainment followed by a delightful lunch.

Stewart-Anderson.

Robert Stewart of Hennepin county and Miss Bertha Anderson of this city, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon at the Swedish Mission parsonage, Rev. O. J. Lundell officiating, in the presence of Clara Erickson and Tina Dahlen. The newly married couple will make their home at Nisswa, this state.

Successful Recital.

Miss Doris Halvorson's piano recital at Oberlin, Ohio, on May 9 was a decided success from a standpoint of entertainment as well as art, according to word received by relatives. Her long and varied program, which included "Concerto" with orchestra, was played with ease, grace and brilliancy. Her work was greatly lauded by both faculty members of Oberlin Conservatory of Music and the large audience in attendance. The flower contributions were many, including baskets and bouquets of roses and peonies. Miss Halvorson will repeat the "Concerto" at the commencement exercises and also will appear in trio for piano, violin and cello, the two latter instruments to be played by faculty members. Miss Halvorson is expected to return to her home here in the early part of June.

Entertain at Theater Party.

Misses Lillian Poppitz and Irene Patrick were delightful hostesses at a movie and dancing party last evening. The guests attended the second show later repairing to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen where they were entertained the remainder of the evening. Dancing became the chief diversion which was followed by a delicious lunch. Those participating were Misses Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson, Ella Miller, Meta Kiland, Grace Iverson, Lillian Poppitz, Irene Patrick, Guy Johnson, Ed. Brevig, Mr. Stanchfield, Perry Johnson, Carl Sundahl, Wilbur Peterson, Daniel Maue, and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen.

Social Welfare Section.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club will meet next Monday afternoon, May 16, at the home of Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, who will be assisted by Mrs. Robt. Vance and Mrs. G. C. Streeter.

Picnic at Squaw Point.

On Tuesday evening Messrs. and Mesdames Geo. Biddick, C. O. Erickson, L. A. Hermanson, H. E. Froseth and H. S. Snyder, enjoyed a picnic supper at Squaw Point.

Music Section to Meet.

The music section of the Woman's club will be entertained May 20, by Mrs. Daniel Shaw and Mrs. John Bratrud at the home of the latter.

Do you know you can roll 50 good cigarettes for 10cts from one bag of

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

MAYTIME at LOKEN'S

Brings lovely new Frocks, Blouses, Skirts, Middies and Smocks at delightfully low prices

LOVELIEST DRESSES THAT SUMMER EVER WELCOMED

Charming in the filmy tissues of which they are made; delightful in the refinement and individuality of the styles.

They don't look like Dresses that have been made by the hundreds—they have that tasteful dressiness about them that makes each one seem as though it had been specially made by some artistic dressmaker especially for the wearer.

Of course, the collection is now at its very best, for so many attractive new gowns have just been added during the past week.

Organdies, Nets, Voiles, Ginghams, Canton Crepes, Taffeta, Tricolettes, in afternoon, street and sport frocks; they are just the kind that women are asking for, for they can be worn right now, as well as later on. The prices on these wonderful clever quality gowns is a pleasant surprise to everyone

$9.95, $15.00, $18.50, $25.00,

with but a few higher. We earnestly advise immediate selections.

A Hundred New Blouses Just Arrived

The snappiest new styles of the season, right up-to-the-minute of Sheer Organdies, Voiles, Georgette, Crepe-de Chenes, Satins and Pongees. Be sure and let us show them to you very soon. The values will please you. Especially priced at

$2.50, $3.50, $5.95 $7.50 and $10.00

The Spotlight of Fashion Turns on the Bride

The most important part of the wedding, of course, is the wedding gown. Enchanting models, fashioned of various lovely materials, greet the bride-to-be at Lokens'.

A number of adorable new wedding gowns have just arrived, exquisitely fashioned, of Satin, gracefully draped, adorned with beads, pearls and spangles, and a long train. These beautiful gowns are priced at

$25.00, $35.00, $38.50 and $50.00

$59.95 Will buy you your choice of any of our $100.00, $85.00 and $75.00 Suits, Coats or Wraps. This is a wonderful opportunity to purchase the very best high grade garment of the season for but a fraction of its real worth. Now on Sale at............**$59.95**

$750.00 Worth of Graduation Gifts

have just arrived and will all go on Special Sale Saturday, May 21st. It is the finest collection of Graduation and Wedding gifts you ever saw. We were lucky while in Chicago three weeks ago, and purchased this merchandise at just 50c on the dollar. So commencing Saturday, May 21st we shall put this entire lot of useful gifts on Sale, offering you the biggest surprise in lovely gifts at genuine bargains you ever saw.

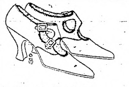

Timely Shoe Suggestions All New Arrivals

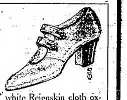

Ladies' white Eve cloth, one-strap pump, Baby Louie heel, turn sole, **$5.25**

Ladies' light brown calf, 2-strap oxford, Cuban heel, Goodyear **$9.00**

Ladies' white Reignskin cloth oxfords, Cuban heel, Goodyear welt, **$6.50**

Ladies' white Nile Cloth, Theo Tie Military heel, turn sole, at **$3.95**

Ladies' white canvas, 2-eyelet tie, Military heel, **$3.50**

Ladies' white canvas oxfords, enameled sole and heel, at **$2.75**

Keds of all styles for Ladies, Misses and Childre; also for boys.

LINEN VALUES OF INTEREST
Just received several hundred dollars worth of fine new linens from Belfast via our New York house at 33 1-3 less than war prices.

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

A SPECIAL IN WOMEN'S HOSIERY
The greatest silk hose bargain in town,, in several leading good shades. See them. Special at, pair 98c

For Graduation or Confirmation

For the young man who is shortly to make what may be termed his first public appearance this store offers the proper togs. No finer line of goods is offered by any merchant anywhere.

MICHAEL STERN & CO., VALUE FIRST

BOSTONIAN SHOES

MALLORY HATS

This provides an ensemble that spells distinction as well as satisfaction.

We can outfit the graduate or confirmant from head to foot and at a most reasonable figure.

CHAS. LIEBERMAN

City News

Miss Petra Lee of Oklee, visited with friends here on Thursday and Friday.

We clean and reblock men's hats. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

C. E. Beckmark of Red Wing was in the city on Tuesday on matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McDonald of Goodridge, were business callers here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist motored to Warren on Tuesday and visited friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Biederman are the proud parents of a daughter, born on Monday, May 9.

Mrs. Arthur Sheldrew of Grygla was a visitor in this city on Thursday and Friday.

Geo. Rice came down from Roseau Monday to spend a few days visiting with local friends.

Otto Bergren of Strandquist was in the city on Monday evening renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Ersyl Anderson left Friday morning for Badger to visit with friends over Sunday.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S, m31tf

Glenn Bennet returned to his home at Glenwood Monday after a week's visit with friends here.

Mike McAndress, a farmer living near St. Hilaire, was in the city on Wednesday on business.

Miss Marie Bendal of Red Lake Falls shopped and visited friends between trains on Monday.

Oscar Smith, state oil inspector, made a business trip to Warren the latter part of last week.

Mrs. C. Bloomquist returned to her home at Middle River Tuesday, after visiting with friends here.

A. O. Erickson of Grygla was in the city the latter part of last week looking after business affairs.

John Overson arrived here Friday evening from Baudette and spent a couple of days visiting friends.

A. E. Stromberg, H. F. Erickson and A. Swanby, all of Warren, were in the city on business Tuesday.

T. L. Melgaard, cashier of the Citizens State bank, was a business caller at Newfolden on Wednesday.

Miss Edna O'Brien returned to her home here Monday from Minneapolis where she had visited her sister.

Miss Emma Henke of Plummer visited with friends in this city on Thursday evening between trains.

Mrs. F. M. Archibald returned to her home at Mahnomen Wednesday night after spending the day in shopping.

Gust Johnson of Roseau was among the out-of-town people who attended the Elk's play here on Thursday evening.

Grant Ohm, who has been employed at Bemidji, is spending the week visiting at the home of his parents here.

Mrs. C. W. J. Ott arrived here the first of the week to spend a period of two weeks visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen left Sunday evening for the twin cities to spend a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Andrews motored to Union Lake Sunday where they spent the day, returning that night.

Mrs. F. F. Haynes left Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star lodge.

Miss Anna Quale went to Minneapolis the first of the week to attend Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star lodge.

A. F. LaBudde of Gonvick, was in the city Thursday evening attending the Elks play, "Nothing But the Truth."

H. K. Strand returned Saturday morning from Acadia, Wis., where he had attended the funeral of his aged mother.

Miss Adele Haugen returned to her home at Middle River Monday, having spent a few days here visiting friends.

A. Nordahl of Fergus Falls, returned to his home Saturday after spending a few days here on business matters.

F. J. Hoyez of Warroad visited with local friends Thursday and also attended the Elk's play given that evening.

Ed. Ristau of Bijou, called on friends in this city the latter part of the week and also attended to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Modin of Middle River motored to this city Saturday to attend to business matters and shopping.

Geo. C. Streeter, of the Peoples Auto company, made a business trip to Fargo last week, returning Wednesday evening.

L. F. Wittgraf of Minneapolis was in the city Friday on business matters in connection with the Willard Battery company.

Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, made a business trip to Greenbush, Badger and Warroad this week.

Mrs. Scott Laird returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis where she had accompanied her father enroute to his home at Winona.

J. M. Larson, Frances Joyce, G. L. Long and Martin Berg motored down from Warroad on Thursday evening to attend the Elk's play.

Miss Olive Wing returned to her home at Middle River Monday, after a week end visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley.

C. A. Nason, secretary of the Winton-Nichols Lumber company, spent the latter part of last week attending to business matters in the twin cities.

Dr. A. J. Paulson returned Monday from Minneapolis where he attended a physicians' and surgeons' short course at the University of Minnesota.

For the purpose of making out auto license application blanks, the Citizens State bank will be open Friday and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9 to accommodate those who find it inconvenient to call during banking hours. m12

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT.

Tells His Friends and Neighbors of His Experience.

Every Thief River Falls resident should read what Mr. Schuster says, and follow his example. He has used Doan's Kidney Pills and speaks from experience. Is there any need to experiment with imitations or untried kidney medicines?

Chas. Schuster, 622 St. Paul Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can say they are just as advertised. My back has been bothering me for a long time and I couldn't bend over without pain across my loins. Some mornings I couldn't get out of bed my back was so sore and stiff and I was obliged to get up nights on account of kidney weakness. As soon as I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had relief and I have felt better ever since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Schuster had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

LUCKY STRIKE Cigarette
To seal in the delicious Burley tobacco flavor.
It's Toasted

Mrs. C. E. Andrews left last evening for the Twin Cities where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting with numerous friends and relatives there.

Mrs. C. J. Legske of Duluth arrived here the latter part of last week for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Holzknecht.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mrs. Scott Laird, who had spent a week visiting with friends and relatives in Minneapolis, returned to her home here Saturday morning.

G. Halvorson, manager of the Thief River Monumental company, was a business caller at Bemidji and Winger the latter part of last week.

After a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Peterson, Miss Luella Peterson returned to Minneapolis where she is employed.

H. E. Holt and L. B. George returned Thursday from Spencer and Mason City, where they had spent some time attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrisette, accompanied by Miss H. Thibert, both of Plummer, were here on Thursday visiting friends and attending to shopping.

All our dry cleaning is POSITIVELY free from gasoline odor. Send us a trial order and be convinced. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S m31tf

Misses Gladys Anderson and Alta Helland, the latter of Gonvick, left this city Friday afternoon for Fargo to spend the week-end visiting with friends.

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Mrs. Harry Dybvick, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. B. G. Walker, returned to Baudette Saturday morning.

Test the three branches of our business: Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing. There's something for you to gain by doing so. Unexcelled Service. K. E. Dahl Co. m12tf

Mrs. Leonard Johnson accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, returned to this city Saturday morning from Minneapolis where they had visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hermanson left Friday afternoon for Ada, Halstad and Fargo where they will visit relatives. They expect to be absent about two weeks.

Misses Vivian Swift and Esther Johnson were guests of friends at Crookston over the week-end. Both young ladies are instructors in the public schools here.

Mrs. B. R. Lufkin, who has been visiting with relatives at Woodworth, N. D., arrived here Friday morning for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. I. M. Hall.

Send your dry cleaning to us; we clean dresses, suits, waists, gloves, furs, and in fact everything that can be cleaned. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar returned Tuesday morning from Red Lake Falls where she spent a couple of weeks visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Schreiter.

Ole K. Thoen and Olaf Froiland of Minneota, Minn., visited with relatives and friends at Erie last week. They made the trip in a Ford car, returning to their homes on Friday.

Mrs. J. O. Yotter left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit friends until Saturday. While in the city she will attend the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star lodge.

Mrs. Nels Haugen accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Laurent, both of Crookston, were guests of Miss Lottie Austin the latter part of last week. Miss Austin is a niece of the former.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughters, Margaret and Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, came up from St. Hilaire Saturday morning to attend to shopping. They returned to their homes on the train in the afternoon.

Mrs. P. Hensel, accompanied by Mrs. Ed. Cooper, the latter of Fond duLac, Wis., who is visiting the former at her home in Red Lake Falls, were guests of Mrs. Jacob Thill between trains on Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Harper and family of Red Lake Falls returned to their home Monday after spending a couple of days with their son and brother William, who passed away at the Oakland Park Sanatorium on Monday.

Miss Amelia Maue of Monticello, who spent a couple of days as the guest of her brother, Dan R. Maue, left Friday evening for points in North Dakota, where she will spend the remainder of her vacation with relatives.

Mrs. Victor Brink and daughter were in the city Tuesday on a shopping expedition. On their return home they were accompanied by Miss Effie Frederickson, who spent a few days visiting at the M. W. Brink home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Herrick of Warren passed through here Friday on their way to Savannah, Ga., where Mr. Herrick goes as delegate to a convention of telegraphers. While in the South they will also spend some time visiting relatives.

Mrs. S. C. Coumbe and children leave this morning for Vergas, where they will visit with Mrs. Coumbe's relatives for a while before joining Mr. Coumbe at Minneapolis, where he has become associated with a brokerage house. During their residence in the city the Coumbes have been very popular as well as active in all enterprises of the younger set and leave a large circle of friends who wish them success in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Skarstad, who had spent a week visiting with friends in the twin cities, returned to this city Friday morning, leaving the same day for their home at Argyle. Mrs. Skarstad before her recent marriage was Miss Gena Granum.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn and son, Walter, left Thursday evening for Chicago where they will visit friends. Mr. Kinghorn will continue to Cleveland where his wife and son will join him later when they will journey to Niagara Falls before returning to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Robinson, accompanied by the former's father and sister, Mrs. Hilden, all of Oslo, motored to this city Tuesday to attend the Oratorio, "Holy City" given by the Choral society. While here they were guests at the home of Mrs. Robinson's sister, Mrs. F. H. Herrick.

Churches

First Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 10:30. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. No service in the evening.

Thorvick-Bethlehem, O. I. Raaum, Pastor—Services at Thorvick Sunday at 11 o'clock. Confirmants will meet after services. Services at Bethlehem church at 3 o'clock.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 15. Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 8 p. m. At St. Hilaire: Services 11 a. m. Communion immediately after services. Both Black River and St. Hilaire choirs will sing. All welcome.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. in the city auditorium. Subject, May 15th: "Mortals and Immortals." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meetings at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same location is open every Tuesday and Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services with special singing 11 a. m. Services at Rindal 1:30 p. m. Services at Norden 3:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:45 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, May 19th, entertained by Mrs. Griebstein. Zion Y. P. S. on Thursday evening, May 19th entertained by Alma Savig and Anna Grindeland.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—The Ladies' Aid society meets Thursday, May 12th, Mesdames J. Adsero, Ottis Dokken, J. Gullingsrud and L. Vevea entertain. Young Peoples' League Thursday evening. The society entertains. Catechumen class Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services Pentecost Sunday in English 11 a. m. Norwegian 7:45 p. m. Sunday school 9:30. Attendance is on the increase. Be sure to be there.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 15. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. Morning worship. A service for young people. The subject is "Vocation." A special invitation is extended to high school students. You will be interested and helped. 8 p. m. evening worship. The young peoples' choir will render special selections at both services. In the morning, "A Clean Heart." In the evening "The Day is Gently Sinking." Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. "How to Enjoy One's Work."

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In another part of The Times today will be found the annual report of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association, compiled by County Agent J. J. McCann. The matter is of great interest to our people as a whole but should particularly appeal to the farmers. Unless a person has come directly into contact with the activities of the bureau he can of necessity have but a meager conception of the wonderful work that is being accomplished.

There are at the present time 450 members of the Pennington county organization and a campaign is now being carried on for the forming of township units. This plan of carrying on the enterpise will prove of great value as it will permit of closer cooperation and provide better opportunities for solving neighborhood problems. The township unit brings the women of the farms into closer touch with the agricultural development program as a whole, and their aid and influence are matters of the very highest importance.

Among the many improvements directly traceable to farm bureau work may be mentioned the experiments with phosphate fertilizers on peat lands. The wheat yields on these lands have been increased anywhere from five to ten bushels per acre by this scientific fertilization, while oats have been increased from 15 to 50 bushels per acre. This means that the value of the oat crop of the county is $6,720 greater than before the experiments were launched.

The stock men of the county were saved $17,221 through the free testing of cattle for tuberculosis. The total number of animals tested was 8,602 and the veterinarians' charge would ordinarily have been $2.00 per head. The farm bureau is directly responsible for this big saving.

The bringing of purebred cattle into the county, the treatment of livestock for disease, the marketing of potatoes and wool, the great boost given poultry raising, the important work being carried on by boys' and girls' clubs—these things are merely a part of the day's work and hardly form subjects for comment in spite of their great value.

The farm bureau has proven its worth, as any person who reads Mr. McCann's report will have to admit. At that its work is in its infancy. When the farmers get a clearer understanding of the many ways in which it can be made of assistance there will be no trouble about providing the ways and means for carrying it forward and extending its usefulness. It is the one great agricultural movement in the United States today and its membership is growing faster than that of any other organization in the world. Doing anything that would in any manner check its progress would be the greatest error that could be committed by an agricultural community.

A REAL PRICE DROP.

Building costs are down nearly one-third from what they were a year ago. At least this condition is indicated by the bids received for a new school building to be erected in Thief River Falls. There is an actual saving of more than $35,000 on a job estimated to cost in the neighborhood of $100,000. The bids showed that on every item going into the construction of a building the cost has been greatly reduced.

While this is a good thing for the people of the district, it is also valuable in proving that the present is an ideal time for engaging in building operations. Materials, labor and everything else is so far below the peak price prevailing at the close of the war that there is certainly no reason for holding up construction work of any kind in the hope that costs will be lowered. Those in a position to know assert that prices must advance, this being particularly true of lumber. When stocks that have accumulated by reason of the slump in general construction thruout the country during the past few years have been depleted, it will be replaced by material produced at very high cost and the manufacturers will have to advance the price or take tremendous losses. It is also certain that when the building boom now in the offing gets under way there is going to be such a demand for materials that the price will be forced up, to what height no one can foretell.

There is going to be quite a lot of building done in Thief River Falls this summer. This new school house and the additions contracted for at the sanatorium are the most important jobs thus far announced, but it is hoped that there will be a general resumption of residence construction. The city is easily short 150 modern houses at the present time and the situation is getting worse instead of better. A few residences are already going up but more are urgently needed. It would seem as if there is a fine investment opportunity right here now, particularly when the low costs and labor supply are taken into consideration. That the right time for going into building on a large scale is here cannot be doubted.

It is also gratifying to note that the contract for the new Knox school was awarded to a local concern. The Prichard Company only recently engaged in the contracting business but has already a number of smaller jobs under way. The important plumbing and heating equipment will also be put in by a local company. This means that home labor will be employed to as great an extent as possible—another fact of importance.

ST. OLAF CHOIR COMING.

Sometime during the latter part of June the people of this vicinity are *going to have an opportunity of hearing* one of the greatest choirs in the country if not in the entire world. F. Melius Christiansen is coming with the great St. Olaf's college singers and their appearance will be a red letter event in the song annals of northern Minnesota.

This choir recently returned from a tour of the Southwest where they added new laurels to those bestowed upon them in the East last year. Press and public state without hesitation that the choral work of these young men and women is so far superior to anything deemed possible that return engagements are almost begged for. One of the most remarkable demonstrations encountered on the latest trip was at St. Louis, Mo., where 5,000 people stood up and cheered the singers at the conclusion of one of their numbers.

The entire section will turn out on the night the St. Olaf choir is here and the large auditorium will be filled to capacity. It is not often that our people have an opportunity of hearing such singing as is presented by this choir and they will not be slow in taking advantage of this opportunity.

But we will have other good things in the way of music before the big event. The Koneeny concert on the evening of May 17 is one of these. This great soldier-violinist is claimed by everyone to be one of the greatest artists appearing in public today. The American Legion is sponsoring his appearance and their enterprise in securing an attraction of such unquestioned merit should be appreciated.

The Choral society's presentation of "The Holy City" on Tuesday evening surprised everyone by its excellence. Harry Phillips, the baritone soloist, who came up from Minneapolis to take the solo parts, was given a reception that must have proved highly gratifying even to one accustomed to the plaudits of audiences in large cities.

All of which is very fine. There is no danger of getting too much of this kind of thing. The liberal support afforded high class entertainments of this kind testifies to the intelligence and good taste of our people.

THE DONATION SALE.

An event of more than ordinary interest to the farmers of northwestern Minnesota will take place at Crookston on June 14, when a large amount of blooded livestock will be sold at auction, the proceeds going to pay off the indebtedness on the Red River Valley Livestock association's sales pavilion and exhibition quarters. Nothing could more effectively testify to the stock raisers' interest in the pavilion and the annual crop show than their attitude at this time. They are taking some of the finest individuals from their herds and flocks and presenting them outright to the association.

Pennington county stockmen are represented among the donators. To date three are on record: Olaf Ramstad, who gives a purebred Red Polled heifer; Fred Beerbower furnishes one of his finest Holsteins and James Dreeland of Wylie, supplies one of his prize-winning Poland China hogs. Fifty head of different kinds of stock has already been offered and at least 25 more are expected.

While the primary idea of the sale is to raise money with which to pay the outstanding indebtedness on the pavilion, the event will afford an excellent opportunity for anyone who is aiming to go into the purebred livestock business. The animals offered are all of the very best breeding to be found in the country and the purchaser will be getting something that has no superior anywhere. Many will doubtless take this opportunity to get a start in the purebred business.

Livestock men in the northwestern counties generally and the citizens of Crookston particularly have worked hard to make a success of the pavilion and winter show idea. With the indebtedness wiped out there is nothing in the way of the plant becoming one of the stockmen's most valuable assets. The spirit in which everything is approached which can in any manner help the enterprise along makes its success a certainty.

Plan early to be in Crookston on June 14.

Old Black Joe rests quiet in his grave only through failure to recognize his many variations.

EFFERVESCENCE

"Hosiery And Underwear Manufacturers Advocate Open Shop," headlines a twin city daily. It has been apparent for some time that they favored open-work.

It will be quite the proper thing to swat the fly again this year, in spite of the fact that a University of Virginia professor has found that the Kentucky coffee tree is deadly to the critter.

Madame Fashion again decreeing that ears will be worn to some extent, the jealous husband of Muskegon, Michigan, who twisted off his wife's ears in a fit of passion, undoubtedly let himself in for a pretty strong loss-of-beauty suit.

Amateur gardeners are urged to remember that the germinating of seeds requires the placing of the seed envelope at the end of the row to guide the sprouts to the surface of the soil.

How many women when placed on a jury, a board or a commission, can render an impartial judgment in spite of the fact that they do not like the millinery display made by the wife of the subject on the carpet? One might as well ask why raincoats and umbrellas are always some place else when it rains.

Oolai, after having been absent from this column for some time, breaks into print again with the statement that he does not care for "these paregorical movies."

The Minneapolis restauranteurs who couldn't think faster than the stuttering bandit could talk rightly deserve their loss of $200.

Icarus, as he reads his morning paper while seated in his golden chair on high, undoubtedly pats himself on the back and muses, "Gee, I sure started something," for such headlines as, "Mayor Plans to Fly Back From St. Cloud," are no longer uncommon.

L'Envoi!

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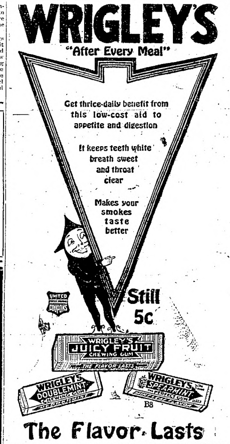
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Sophomore Issue.

Last week you had an opportunity to judge the ability of the Freshman class of the Lincoln high school to edit a school paper. You will agree with us that they published a clever issue, and we compliment them on their success. We, the Sophomores, realize that more will be expected from us, because of our longer training in the rudiments of rhetoric under the able guidance of the teachers of the Lincoln High. We are not going to start out with the boast that we are putting out a better paper than any of the other classes, but we believe the Sophomore class has as much dormant literary talent as any class in high school. As few have had journalistic training, our newspaper style will differ somewhat from the customary; but we value this opportunity to show the world what two years at the Thief River Falls high school will do to develop a person's proficiency in the use of the English language, and also to show how the class of 1923 will work as a unit when the reputation of the class is involved. Just how far we have succeeded, the readers of the "Progress" may judge when they have read our sheet from beginning to end.

Retrospect.

As we are now at the close of our Sophomore year, it may be well for us to make a survey of the two years we have spent at the Lincoln High—to take an inventory, which is now considered so essential in business. High school may easily be compared to business. There is the credit side, what one gets out, the debit side, what one puts in, and the profits. First of all we must consider the investment, or with us, what we give on which we expect returns. Then there is the gross income, or in our sphere, the benefits which we receive from our high school course. Finally, there is the most speculative item, the profits—A business which does not yield a profit is considered a failure. Likewise, if we do not get more benefits from our high school course than to balance the time and effort spent, then why are we here? If we are not gaining anything of lasting value here, we might as well be doing something else, which would at least be of some value to humanity in general. For the chief purpose in our being in the world at all is to serve humanity according to our various capabilities, in the method for which each of us is individually best fitted, and the true purpose of our educational system is to help us increase our ability to serve our fellowmen. Anyone who places a purely monetary value on education is as certain to fail, in his earthly mission, as the business man whose only aim is the immediate profits.

In summing up the benefits received from our two years of high school, there are several things that must be carefully considered. It is not only the acquirement of knowledge that makes education desirable. A world of information will not avail the person who is hampered by narrow-mindedness or who lacks decision; the much-educated man whose activities are mis-directed by base ambitions or lack of character is more dangerous to society than the ignorant Bolshevist. Knowledge is the tool or medium which we must use in fulfilling our mission, but in order to insure efficiency and success a farsighted, observing mind, which is capable of exercising good judgment, is required. In order that this powerful accomplishing force of a thorough knowledge plus a strong effective mind may work for good rather than evil, a firm, invincible character is necessary. These three essentials to a real success, knowledge, an effective mind, and a strong character or personality may all be cultivated and developed to a greater or less extent at the Lincoln high school. Have we been doing this, to the best of our ability, the last two years? If we have, we may expect the time and energy spent here to return us great dividends. If not, it is never too late to begin on a good enterprise. Let not any member of the class of '23 have to say, "Oh, if I only had realized what opportunities I had!"

Class Play May 20.

"All of a Sudden Peggy," to be presented by the Senior class May 20, is very rapidly being shaped into form and all indications point toward one of the best and brightest comedies ever staged. The cast has been working very conscientiously of late and rehearsals are being held very regularly. Anthony has become so enveloped in his part that it has become generally known that he is driving the hobby of examining the bristles on the left side of a spider's left leg during his spare moments. Archie, who has been a dog in his days and still yearns for the bright lights of the "public house," is seen daily taking inventory of his remaining stock of home brew, which is so fast diminishing; all in his efforts to live his part. The rest of the characters are too real to be true.

All Seniors will be supplied with tickets and it is expected that not a vacant seat will be found in the house. Reserve your seats at Lambert's early. Remember the date, May 20.

Northrup entertainment tomorrow night.

Bread Club Contest.

On Saturday, May 7, twelve of the members of the Bread club baked in the annual contest. The girls set their bread at 8 o'clock in the morning.

At 12:30 a delicious dinner was served. Everything was prepared by the girls. Their guests were: Miss Dix, Miss Elliot and Miss Shirley Anderson. The following is the menu:

Pork Roast Mashed Potatoes
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At 4:15 Miss Geifer, domestic science instructor of Goodridge, judged the bread. Esther Lunsetter won first, her bread scoring 95. Myrtle and Hazel Krause won second, their bread scoring 94. Virginia Clemens won third, her bread scoring 93. The following are girls who baked: Esther Lunsetter, Hazel and Myrtle Krause, Myrtle Myron, Virginia Clemens, Grace Bakke, Margaret Williams, May Roberts, Evelyn Land, Eleanor Werstlein, Gladys Kolden, Clara Ostmoe.

Northrup entertainment tomorrow night.

Wood Work Exhibit.

The best pieces of furniture which have been made by the manual training classes during the winter will be exhibited for public inspection in a store window some time in May. The boys of the manual training classes of both the high school and the grade schools have turned out some exceptionally fine articles, such as writing desks, chairs, library tables, jardiniere stands, foot-stools, tool boxes, candle holders and match boxes and it is highly desirable that the public should know that the manual training is a practical, worth-while course of instruction.

Northrup entertainment, tomorrow night.

Domestic Art Exhibition.

The high school sewing classes are busy preparing for their annual exhibit which will be on display in two weeks. A contest will be held, Friday the 13th to decide which garments will enter the exhibit. There are too many garments to enter on display so a number of the best ones will be selected. The final decision will be based upon choice of material, design, accuracy of workmanship, neatness and general effect. Watch for the display in one of the downtown store windows and see how well the girls have done.

Rural Teachers Meet.

On the afternoon of Saturday, May 14, the rural teachers of Pennington county will hold their annual convention at the normal rooms in the Washington building. The purpose of the meeting is chiefly to hear the reports of the sectional chairmen of the Teachers' Progressive League, and to select a committee to meet with the school boards of the county on June 3rd, to discuss teachers' salaries for next year. Other matters in which the teachers have a common interest will also be taken up. In the evening a reception will be held at the normal rooms at which the normal girls, Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson and Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler will be honor guests.

Girl Scouts.

Two patrols, the Whip-poor-will and the Pine Tree, have passed the Tenderfoot examination for Girl Scouts and are now enrolled at the National Headquarters as active Scouts. The examinations, held in the Public Library, were given by Mrs. Zeh, Miss Ruth Johnson, Miss Lorna Dodge and Miss Margaret Dix.

Nature study under the direction of Mrs. Zeh is to be carried on during the coming weeks. Two patrols will hike through the woods and fields, studying the birds, trees and flowers.

On May 21, Girl Scout Day, an athletic meet for all of the Girl Scouts will be conducted on the school grounds. Long distance ball throwing, the running hop, step and jump, the 50 yard dash, the broad jump, kitten-ball and volley ball games will be the leading features of the day. After these events all of the girls will enjoy the biggest picnic of the year. Watch for further details.

Should Course be Dropped?

At a recent meeting of the School Board the question of whether the commercial course should be dropped or continued was discussed. Most of the members seemed to think it would be a good idea to drop it, as it would do away with a great deal of expense incurred by its continuation. This is very true, but what about the students who started this course and who will not be able to finish it? If he has not the means to go to college or take a course of some kind after his four years of high school, what is he going to do?

Is it not unfair to the student who has started this course? This is a serious question and demands just consideration.

—STUDENT OPINION.

Personals.

Misses Swift and E. Johnson left Friday evening for Crookston and East Grand Forks.

Conrad Hovie is among the sophomore boys who have recently returned to school after a short stay "down on the farm," during the opening of the rush spring season.

The Elks' play, "Nothing But the Truth," which was given at the city auditorium on May 5th, was attended by a large number of high school students.

Eleven high school boys enjoyed an automobile excursion to St. Hilaire on Monday evening, in a single Ford. Of course it was a trifle overloaded, but then—

Spring Football.

Football has been taken up as a spring athletic at the high school this year, as the students seemed to take a greater interest in that than in baseball. Quite a number of men have been practicing diligently for the past two weeks, and a promising team has been rounded out of the last year's veterans plus several new recruits, who are taking it up in the hope of making the team next fall. This spring practice will be valuable for both the old and new members of the team, as it is only a little more than three months until the fall season begins, and as all who have taken part in high school football know, the training must then usually be rushed in order to be at least somewhat prepared for the first game, which in our climate must come as early as possible in order that the full schedule may be played in our short fall season.

Several of last year's stars—McDaniel, Bjornaraa, Penney, Fossum, Smithers and Zeh, graduate this year and their places will be hard to fill, but with such veterans as Herron, LaBree, Doland, Evenson, Holmgren, Halvorson, Barzen, Anderson, Sorenson and Hendry as the neucleus of the new team and with the training the new players will get in the spring practice, we anticipate a very successful season in football next year.

When I Was a Freshman.

I used to be a Freshman once,
'Twas but a year ago;
But the memory of those bygone days,
Still tell their tales of woe.

They always called me "Freshy,"
Which made me very sore;
I said that I'd get even,
When I was a Sophomore.

For me the time flies swiftly,
In this great Sophomore year,
But when I was a Freshman,
Time stayed more in the rear.

I always had a good time,
In Freshmans' work or play,
But the fact that I'm a Sophomore,
Is more than words can say.

Sophomores in Athletics.

The class of 1923 have always taken a leading part in all high school activities and we are justly proud of the records made by the representatives of our class. Those who have taken part in high school activities are:

Football—Ernest Barzen, captain; Charles Herron, captain-elect; Milford LaBree, K. Russell Anderson, George Matzke, Craig Halvorson, Howard Doland, Roy Holmgren, Stanley Sorenson.

Basketball—James Paranteau, Milford LaBree, Charles Herron, Howard Doland, Stanley Sorenson.

Track—1920—Took all honors: J. Paranteau, H. Doland, C. Herron.

Baseball—1921—J. Paranteau, K. R. Anderson, G. Matzke, C. Herron, M. LaBree.

Northrup entertainment tomorrow night.

Faculty's Favorite Songs.

Miss Brown—"Daisies Won't Tell."
Miss E. Johnson—"Sweet Cookie Mine."
Miss Poppitz—"Kiss a Miss."
Miss Dix—"Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight."
Miss Mealy—"Sweethearts You and I."
Miss Iverson—"My Wild Irish Rose."
Miss Miller—"The Miller and the Dee."
Miss Swift—"Japanese Sandman."
Miss Leavitt—"I Know What it Means to Be Lonesome."
Miss Elliot—"Dear Heart."
Miss Hoorn—"Where the Red, Red Roses Grow."
Miss Patrick—"Just Like a Gypsy"
Miss Svedal—"Kan Du Glemme Gamle Norge."
Miss Ober—"N Everything."
Miss Perry—"You Can't Get Lovin' Where There Ain't Any Love."
Miss M. Johnson—"The Last Rose of Summer."
Mr. Melby—"They Go Wild, Simply Wild Over Me."
Mr. Pierce—"Love Boat."
Mr. Ziegler—"Auld Lang Syne."
Mr. Tommeraasen—"When You and I Were Young, Maggie."
Mr. Pope—"When I'm Gone You'll Soon Forget Me."
Mr. Schmidt—"When You're Gone I Won't Forget."
Mr. Tripp—"I Would Like to be Your Playmate (if your mamma says I may)."

A Monday Morning.

Scene—A class room. Time—The first period. Characters—Mr. Tommeraasen and fifteen students.

Mr. Tommeraasen: "Is everyone here today?"

Students: "Yes."

Mr. T.: "Please lock the door, Zeh so that the rest can't come in."

Fossum: "Can't we let our lesson go for today? I forgot where it was and didn't study."

Miss Weeks: "No, let's not let it go today. I studied it last night. Wait until tomorrow."

Mr. T.: "All right, take paper and pencil for your lesson for today."

Fiterman: "Oh! I forgot my paper upstairs."

Mr. T.: "Miss Crandall, have you got a tablet? If so please pass it around. Now take theorem 10."

Miss Hoppa: "I can't do that theorem."

Mr. T.: "Why if you could do it, you would laugh at yourself. Oh! yes, I almost forgot. The following students stay after school for make-up work tonight: Lorraine Will, Allen Fossum, Ruth Hoppa, Edward Fiterman and Esther Larson."

Miss Will: "It's Girls' Glee club tonight and I have to stay for that."

Mr. T.: "Well I suppose you'll have to stay for that too, won't you Fossum? So we'll have to let it go until Wednesday night."

"There's just time for one more theorem; take number 15."

Miss Larson: "That's just the one I can't do."

Mr. T.: "Oh, yes, try it."

Miss Larson: "There goes the bell so I won't have to do it."

Mr. T.: "Just a minute. I want Fossum and Zeh to stay here a few minutes after everybody has gone."

Jokes.

Miss Miller (in Commercial Geography): "Is Russia Dry?"

Sidney Schutt: "I don't know if *they have prohibition or not.*"

Fredolf G.: "The Potomac river is of hysterical importance."

What difference does it make if you are at the head or tail of your class; they teach the same thing at both ends.

Miss Brown: "Whose report card is that?"

Clifford S.: "Yours truly."

Miss Elliot (speaking to Elizabeth Johnson who has not studied her American History lesson): "Did you study anything?"

Elizabeth: "Yes, I studied English this morning."

Harold Peterson (in Zoology class) "I don't know how to pronounce this word."

Miss Svedal: "Say it then."

Found on the blackboard in Miss Brown's room: "Laboratory work today. Everybody welcome."

Miss Miller (in Commercial Geog.) "What are the industries of Hungary?"

Bright Student: "Eating."

Miss Miller (in Commercial Geog.) "What is condensed milk?"

James V.: "That's evaporated goat's milk."

Miss Brown: "What is the rate of traveling on land?"

Fredolf G.: "You can go for nothing if you walk."

Miss Elliot (in Civics): "What is a legislative rider?"

Student: "A legislative rider is a man who rides on horseback to the White House with the bills that have been passed in Congress."

"I want to compliment you on the improvement in your themes since last year," said the teacher.

"Well, I ought to be better," answered Anthony T., "I wrote a letter to my girl every day last summer."

Miss Brown: "What is the difference between the jungles of Africa and South America?"

Henry V.: "The jungles of South America are more civilized."

Judging from the rapid progress made in Zoology class, the dissection of vertibrates and invertibrates, a few days hence vitamines will be dissected and made a study of.

Some men get stoop shouldered thinking of the medals they ought to wear.

Notice.

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George Snyder.

George Snyder succombed to typhoid fever at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls last Wednesday after a week's illness. He was moved from his home here two days before his death. Deceased moved to this community a year ago from Freeborn county, Minnesota. He was 30 years of age and is survived by a young wife, who has this year been teaching school in district No. 134, and two sons, Clyde and Lyle. His parents who reside in Freeborn county, arrived here on Wednesday to return with the body to their home, where interment will be made in the family cemetery. Mrs. Snyder and her two sons also accompanied the remains to southern Minnesota.

Johan Sjolsvold.

Johan Sjolsvold who died at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon, was the second victim of the typhoid fever epidemic which is raging in this vicinity. Deceased was born at Duluth on August 10, 1883, coming to Norden township when but three years old. During the past year he operated the Carlson farm in company with Chas. Sagmoen. He is survived by three brothers, John and Peder, who reside here, and Albert of Duluth, and four sisters, Mrs. Lars Thompson, Mrs. Ole Alby of this place and *Mrs. John Rindal and Mrs. Emma* Opland of Duluth. Funeral services were held at Rindal on Monday afternoon, Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls conducting the services.

School Picnic Sunday.

The closing of a successful seven months' term of school at Rosebank was celebrated last Sunday with an outdoor picnic on the grounds in which both pupils and parents took part in outdoor sports, including races, speed contests, tugs of war, etc. Ice cream and cake were served at the close. The teacher, Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, left the same day for her home at Anita.

Miss Synneva Sorenson came home from Crookston where she is employed at The Grill, last Saturday evening to see her father, P. Sorenson, who is ill with the typhoid fever.

Thos. Eide was taken to the Warren hospital last Thursday, another victim of the typhoid fever.

Selmer Sorenson came home from Northwood, N. D., the first of the week, where he had been employed for a few weeks.

Theodore Nelson from Anita is employed at the Peter Mellem farm during the latter's illness.

Mesdames Chas. Sagmoen and Victor Mosbeck returned the latter part of the week from Thief River Falls where they have been the past week taking medical treatment.

Olof Hagen, Mrs. Jos. Sindelir and children motored to Thief River Falls last Saturday to see Mrs. Sindelir's husband who is now an inmate at the hospital there.

Mary Shoberg, Ingrid Nordhagen and Ella Nelson attended the Swedish Young Peoples society at Viking last Saturday evening.

John Batten spent Saturday on business at Warren.

Alfred Rafteseth, Joel Shoberg, Herbert Carlson, Isabelle Sagmoen and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen attended the Elk's play at the Thief River Falls auditorium last Thursday evening.

The Adolph and Selmer Haugen families motored to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen who has been assisting with home work at the home of her son, Charley in town of Norden the last week, came home on Friday evening.

Miss Viola Axelson spent Wednesday at Thief River Falls to receive dental attention.

Mrs. Henry Hoard and Miss Annie Aalberg, the latter cook at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls, attended the monthly ladies aid meeting at the home of Mrs. Julia Axelson last Tuesday.

Mrs. A. T. Thoreson and daughter, Helen, Mrs. Emil Blomberg and daughter, Edna, motored to Thief River Falls last Monday where they shopped and visited during the day.

Jim Thompson left on Saturday afternoon for Gully where he will visit with his folks over Sunday.

Albert Stengelson was called home from Thief River Falls last Tuesday where he is attending high school, to see his sister, Mrs. Peder Sjolsvold, who was ill.

Henry Rogers of Steiner visited at the I. M. Westby home last Friday evening.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at Central school at Thief River Falls, spent the week-end visiting with her folks here.

Miss Amy Whitman, who teaches east of Warren, arrived here on Friday evening to spend Sunday with her parents.

John Hellquist left on Sunday for Thief River Falls where he will visit his son, C. E. Hellquist for a few days.

John Remmem spent Monday at Warren attending to various matters of business.

W. E. Filion and J. S. McGrath were in town last Monday on business with the Hanson & Barzen company.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and two sons, and Miss Violet Furan from Thief River Falls, spent Sunday here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen and attending the school picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sorenson and Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Haugen motored to Thief River Falls last Monday to *shop and visit.*

Dave Mosbeck is employed at Crookston with a bridge gang since last week.

Carl Ranum of Warren visited with friends and relatives here last Sunday.

Martin and Iver Westby of Goodridge visited last Sunday at their parental home, I. N. Westby.

Fred Thompson drove up from Thief River Falls last Tuesday to bring down a load of accessories since he farmed on the Styrlund place.

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. Gustaf Anderson, a former resident of St. Hilaire, now residing with her daughter in Minneapolis, came last week for a visit with relatives and friends. Also to look after her property on Minnesota avenue.

The Misses Olga Olsen and Zella Huddleson shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

S. J. Amble, proprietor of the Park Ridge Nursery, left Thursday for points in North Dakota to transact business in the interests of his nursery.

Miss Anna Stokkestad spent Friday at Thief River Falls on a shopping expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown made a brief visit with relatives on Friday having motored here from their home at Thief River Falls.

Alfred Dahlstrom, who has attended school at Minneapolis the past season, returned home last week to spend the summer at the parental home in Black River.

Miss Julia Erickson, who has been engaged in teaching near Warren, returned home the latter part of the week, having completed her term of school, and will spend the summer at her home in Black River.

Mrs. Helen Chelin visited at Thief River Falls between trains on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steinhauer and family motored here on Sunday from their home at Steiner and spent the day visiting with Mrs. Steinhauer's mother, Mrs. Wilhelmina Ortloff.

Miss Edith Dahl was a passenger on the northbound train to Thief River Falls Saturday, returning the same evening after spending the day shopping.

Adolph Satterberg motored over to Warren Saturday, returning the same afternoon, accompanied by I. Dahlin, who has been a patient at the Warren hospital the past two weeks. Mr. Dahlin had been there to take treatments for rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown of Thief River Falls, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown and family of Grygla, motored down for a short visit at the Branum home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Louise Wilson and Fred Hanson motored to Grygla and spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson.

A number of friends of Mrs. N. A. Nelson tendered her a pleasant surprise Monday evening at her home, the occasion being her birthday. A delightful time was enjoyed by all and after a dainty lunch the self invited guests departed for home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brantner of Aurora, Ill., are the proud parents of a baby boy born Saturday, May 7. Mrs. Brantner was formerly Miss Ethel Patterson of this place.

Dr. and Mrs. F. N. Bjerken motored to Page, N. D., Saturday for a visit with Dr. Bjerken's mother, returning here again Monday evening.

The R. E. Stephenson family have removed from the D. McAllister residence on Water street and will now occupy the J. P. Peterson house on Minnesota avenue.

Miss Evelyn Lindgren of Hallock, was a visitor at the Carl Nelson home on Sunday.

Miss Lilly Gunstad shopped and visited at Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda and baby daughter, motored here Sunday from their home near Thief River Falls for a visit with friends and also with Mrs. Janda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalland.

Mrs. Dan Patterson accompanied by her daughters, Miss Margaret and Mrs. O. Gunstad, shopped at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Geise and daughter were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Geise's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, having motored here from their home near Euclid.

Funeral services for the late William Domstrand, who passed away at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls Tuesday was conducted from the Black chapel Saturday afternoon, Rev. Lundell, pastor of the Swedish Mission church officiating. Interment was made in the German Lutheran cemetery.

M. H. Jackson transacted business in Thief River Falls between trains on Tuesday.

Mrs. V. G. Brink and daughter, Dona Fay, and Mrs. Roy Sumpter, were Thief River Falls shoppers on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. F. Hall and the Misses Lois Forbes, Eleanora Anderson and Mabel Patterson, motored to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening.

Miss Ellen Nelson returned to the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls on Monday. Miss Nelson had been home from the hospital but a week when she suffered a relapse and had to return for treatment.

The contractors for the new creamery have their men at work getting the gravel hauled and excavation made for the basement.

Don't miss seeing the home talent play, "Her Gloves" put on by the St. Hilaire Athletic association in the Imperial hall on Friday evening, May 13.

The ladies of the Norwegian Lutheran church will hold a sale and lunch at the Imperial hall on Tuesday evening, May 17. Everyone is invited to attend.

REPORT OF COUNTY NURSE FOR APRIL

Will Attempt to Cover Every District Before Close of Present School Term

During the month of April Miss Marie Knudsen, Pennington county nurse, visited 18 rural schools of the county, conducting physical examinations of 257 children and giving 17 class-room talks on the subject "Good Health." Her work has been facilitated during the month by the early opening to traffic of all country roads, which permitted the use of a Ford coupe purchased since the first of the year for that purpose from the funds of the Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross. Miss Knudsen is making every effort to complete her inspection of rural school pupils before the schools close for the present term.

In addition to visiting the 18 schools, Miss Knudsen has made 41 home visits, talked at three parent-teacher meetings, accompanied many children to the offices of city physicians who are lending their co-operation in the good health work, and given nursing care in several instances where imperative.

In conducting the inspection of 257 children, the county nurse found physical defects as follows:

Children underweight	113
With defective teeth	143
Apparent defective throats	101
Apparent defective eyes	35
Apparent defective hearing	2
Apparent nasal obstruction	37
Enlarged cervical glands	20
With pediculosis	49
Deformity of lower limbs	2

Miss Myrtle Blair left Friday night for Mahnomen to visit relatives for a few days.

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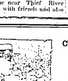

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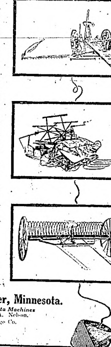

Sectional Play Days For Marshall County Schools

A rural school play-day or athletic field meet was held at Viking last Saturday. This was one of a series such events which are being held fferent sections of Marshall county. It is part of a plan to introduce wholesome athletics in the rural . Sectional play-days have held at Strandquist, Gatzke, River, Argyle, Stephen and Similar events will be held rado, Warren and Grygla.

ldition to the sectional play- the plan is to have a county y which will be held at War- connection with the Marshall fair on the afternoon of July ils who win first and second sectional play-day meets are to enter the same contests at nty fair. They will be given mission to the fair and small prizes will be paid to the successful candidates. Included in the ests will be a half-mile race and volley ball game.

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Legal Notices

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Ljot Sigurdson and Annie Sigurdson, his wife, ortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of ief River Falls, a Minnesota corpora- n, mortgagee, dated November 28, 1916 d recorded in the office of the Register Deeds of Pennington County, Minne- a on the 5th day of December, 1916 at o'clock P. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages Page 140. Which mortgage was as- ned by Citizens State Bank of Thief ver Falls to Hoag Security Company, by written assignment dated May 3rd, 1921 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 6th day of May, 1921 t 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 63 of Mortgages on Page 318.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is 99.60 and for interest paid on prior rtgage by this assignee of Mortgage, 228.20, a total of $337.80 claimed to be this date by virtue of said mortgage btedness. The premises described in mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota are to-wit: The west Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township No. Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of e No. Forty (40) West of the 5th pal Meridian. By virtue of the of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no n law or otherwise having been ted thereon, same will be fore- by the sale of said premises at vendue to the highest bidder for the Sheriff of Pennington County nesota at the front door of the House in the City of Thief River ls, Minnesota on Saturday the 25th y of June, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any costs of this action, including twen- ve dollars attorney fees as stipulated n said mortgage.

ted at Minneapolis, Minnesota this y of May, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,— Assignee of Mortgagee.

HOAG, rney for Assignee of Mortgagee, inneapolis, Minn.

m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

e is hereby given, that by virtue xecution to me directed and de- livered out of and under the seal District Court in and for the of Pennington and State of Minn- upon a judgment rendered in the al Court of the City of Thief alls, in said County and State, in n therein, in favor of A. C. El- and A. J. Ellingson, Co-partners ngson Bros., Plaintiffs, and Ed. Narveson, defendant, on the of July, 1915, for the sum of one and 05-100 Dollars ($21.05), ript of which said judgment has cketed in said District Court, I vied on all the right, title and in- f said Ed. Narveson in and to the g real property, to-wit: The st Quarter of the Northeast (NE¼ of NE¼) and Govern- ts Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Thirty (30) in Township One Fifty-three (153) North, of orty (40) West of the Fifth Meridian in Pennington Coun- sota, and that I shall on Satur- 25th day of June, 1921, at the 0:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, nt door of the Court House, in of Thief River Falls, in said nd State, proceed to sell at pub- on, to the highest bidder for the right, title and interest of Narveson in and to the above real property to satisfy said , together with the interest and reon.

May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE, Pennington County, Minnesota. MABEY, y for Plaintiff and ent creditor, f River Falls, Minnesota.

m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein, in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Co-partners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Ole Narveson, defendant, on the 20th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Sixty-four and 14-100 Dollars ($61.14), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein in favor of Anton Gunderson, Plaintiff, and against Ole Narveson, defendant, on the 11th day of July, 1914, for the sum of Fourteen and 81-100 Dollars ($14.81), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the *right, title and interest of said defendant* in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above named Ole Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Co-partners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Carl Narveson, defendant, on the 20th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Forty-nine and 17-100 Dollars ($19.17), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Carl Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Carl Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

m12-19-26-j2-9-16

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the application of the owners of certain platted lands in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota to vacate the plat of such lands and to adjudge the title to all streets and alleys to be in the persons entitled thereto.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Math Barzen, is the owner in fee of Lot One (1) of Norland's (sometimes spelled "Nordland's") sub-division of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Thirty-three (33), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, except the right of way of the Great Northern Railway Company over and across said lot (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), in said County and State, according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County and State, and of all of Blocks Seventy (70), Seventy-two (72), Seventy-three (73), Seventy-four (74), Seventy-five (75), Seventy-six (76), Ninety-two (92), Ninety-three (93), Ninety-four (94), Ninety-five (95), Ninety-six (96), Ninety-seven (97), One Hundred Four (104), One Hundred Five (105), One Hundred Six (106), One Hundred Seven (107), One Hundred Eight (108), One Hundred Nine (109), One Hundred Ten (110), One Hundred Eleven (111), One Hundred Twelve (112), One Hundred Thirteen (113), One Hundred Fourteen (114) and One Hundred Fifteen (115), of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), in the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of said Register of Deeds, and

That the undersigned, The Fitger Company, is the owner in fee of all of Block Seventy-one (71) of the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), in the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of said Register of Deeds, subject to an existing Contract for Deed between the undersigned T. P. Hornseth and the said The Fitger Company, and

That said Math Barzen, The Fitger Company, and T. P. Hornseth, as owners of the respective lot and blocks hereinbefore described, will, at the next General Term of the District Court to be held in and for the said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, at the Court Room, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Tuesday the 28th day of June 1921, at the opening of said Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, make application to said Court for the judgment and decree of said Court vacating the plats of said respective lot and blocks hereinbefore described and adjudging to the persons entitled thereto, the title to all streets and alleys within and adjoining said respective lot and blocks, except First Street North (commonly known as First Street) and except Brooks Avenue, which said respective street and avenue are not to be effected hereby.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, this 7th day of April, 1921.

MATH BARZEN.
THE FITGER COMPANY,
(Corporate Seal) By V. H. Anneke,
Its Vice President.
P. C. Schmidt,
Its Assistant Secretary.
T. P. HORNSETH,
Owners and Petitioners.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Owners and Petitioners,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

m12-17.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eight and 62-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by P. W. Sharp Printing and Manufacturing Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagor, to Perl W. Mabey, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of May, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1919, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 597.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Perl W. Mabey, Mortgagee, to P. O. Myhrum by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May, 1921, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 4th day of May, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 121, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Four (4) and Five (5) in Block Eighteen (18) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls) according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and lying and being in said Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 18th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2808.62, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 4th, A. D. 1921.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

m5-12-19-26-j-2-9.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Martha O. Nelson and Nels K. Nelson, her husband, mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated April 1st, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 18th day of April, 1916 at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 4 of Mortgages on Page 302. Which mortgage was assigned by Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a Minnesota corporation, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation by written assignment dated March 29th, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 31st day of March, 1921, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 63 of Mortgages on Page 307.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $63.46 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this assignee of mortgagee is $227.01, a total of $290.47 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota are to-wit: The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section No. Seventeen (17) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota on Saturday, June 18th, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota this 25th day of April, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.

m5-12-19-26-j-2-9

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Fred Roth.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Fred Roth, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Emma Roth, Wilbur Roth, Louise and Wesley Roth, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Emma Roth having been filed in this Court, representing that Fred Roth, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 18th day of April, 1919, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emma Roth, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of May, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 26th day of April, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal.)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.

a-28-m-5-10

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-six and 61-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by E. C. Chase, a single man, Mortgagor, to Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Company of Minneapolis, Minn., Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of March, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 278,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-one (31) in Township One Hundred Fifty-one (151) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-six and 61-100 Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25, A. D. 1921.

MINNEAPOLIS STEEL & MACHINERY CO.,
Mortgagee.
LOUIS SEVERANCE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

a-28-m-5-12-26-j-2

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty-six and 42-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ole Oveson and Mathea Oveson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 26th day of November, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of November, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 256,

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, to The Savings Loan & Trust Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Wisconsin), by written assignment dated the 10th day of December, 1915, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of December, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 50 of Mortgages on page 28, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-one (41), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, be the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2156.42 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25th, A. D. 1921.

THE SAVINGS LOAN & TRUST COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

a28-m5-12-19-26-j-2

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Four and 58-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by E. S. Babcock and Elsie M. Babcock, his wife, Mortgagors, to Anna Olson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1920, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of Mortgages, on page 401.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Anna Olson, Mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 27th day of May, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 30th day of July, 1920, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 83.

AND WHEREAS, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the Assignee, and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eighty-six and 46-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Three (3), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred Sixty-three and Forty-five Hundredths (163.45) acres in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of [illegible] $6.46 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-[illegible] Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

a28-m5-12-19-26-j-2

Citation For Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Gunnar H. Kolshus.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Gunnar H. Kolshus, an Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Gunnar H. Kolshus, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Gunnar H. Kolshus. The petition of Gunder Herjlasson, guardian, as representative of the above named incompetent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interest of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said incompetent described therein be sold, and praying that a license to be him granted to sell the same,

Now, Therefore, You and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of May, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said court and the Seal of said Court, this 27th day of April, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

a-28-m-5-10

Notice is hereby given, that sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of the Town of North, Pennington County, Minnesota until 2:00 o'clock P. M. on the first day of June, 1921, for the reconstruction of the bridge in said Town known as the "Long" bridge, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the Town Clerk of said Town; all timbers to be used in such re-construction to be creosoted; all bids must be accompanied by certified check in an amount equal to five (5) per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the treasurer of said Town, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications; bids to be filed with the Town Clerk, Postoffice Address, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, at his office at his residence on the Southeast quarter of Section 27, in said Town; the Town Board will meet in the office of said clerk on June 1st, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of receiving and considering bids and awarding contract. The right is reserved by the Town Board to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications may also be seen at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Dated April 20, 1921.

By order of the Town Board,
ALFRED LONGREN,
Town Clerk.

a28-m5-10

FOR SALE
40 Bu. of Minnesota No. 13
PRIZE SEED CORN

This is the 15th year this corn has been grown in this county. Three tests gave this a percentage of 94, 96 and 100.

It took 2nd prize at the Crookston Farm Crops show in February and 2nd at the Minnesota state show.

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BURR OAKS FARM.
R. F. D. No. 3 Tel. No. 7-F-011
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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"The disease I most dread is Whooping Cough, for children are often permanently injured by the awful straining of the cough. You should never neglect and treatment should be started at the first symptom. You nnot mistake the symptoms: protracted coughing, worse at ght; peculiar whoop; labored expectoration of mucus; aprent suffocation after coughing.

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a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

Yours for Health —Granny Chamberlain

Have You Asked For Prices on Building Material Lately?

If not, you do not know to what low levels the prices have fallen. You can build anything cheaper right now than for a number of years past and it is certain that the present low prices on material, and particularly on lumber, cannot long be maintained.

You Will be Money Ahead by Building Now

Plenty of labor can now be had at reasonable prices. Later in the season, when harvest work starts, men will again be scarce and more costly. This is the ideal time for building what you need.

Our Experience and Service are at Your Command

We can assist you with plans, selection of material and suggestions. We have been doing these things right here for nearly a quarter of a century.

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Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—7-room, strictly modern house, 87 foot frontage, located at very good residence district. 612 LaBree Ave. North. 14tf

FOR SALE—A number of good cows, coming fresh also young pigs. W. J. Bell, Kratka Route, City, Township of Smiley. 16

FOR SALE—Two cows, fresh this spring. Grade Guernseys. Ole Flattum, 522 North Main, City. 11tf

FOR SALE—1 Rambler, 1 Mitchell, 1 Ford, 1 Chevrolet, 1 Buick, 1 Kissel also one 4-wheel trailer and one 2-wheel trailer. C. M. Evenson & Sons. 11tf

FOR SALE—Complete wireless receiving set. For particulars write A. J. Kennedy, Warren, Minn. 14tf

FOR SALE—Six-room house, hot water furnace. All modern. Best of well water. Delivery first part of June. 811 Main Ave. N. See T. A. Fossum, LaBree Ave. N. 13tf

FOR SALE—One 1918 five-passenger Model 90 Overland. Just overhauled and repainted. Good as new. Can be seen at C. M. Evenson & Son Garage, Thief River Falls, Minn. 13tf

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberry plants, grown in this locality for 8 years, now on sale by Mrs. Alvina Hovland. Phone 3132. 13tf

FOR SALE—6-room cottage, 50 foot lot. Will sell cheap. Inquire at The Times. 14tf

FOR SALE—A used Overland touring car in A1 mechanical condition. Berry's Garage. 15

FOR SALE—Young pigs, past 4 weeks old. Also registered Shorthorn bull. Joseph Odd, Mavie, Minn. 11

FOR SALE—One four-bottom Moline stubble plow and three-breaker bottoms. S. L. Lind, St. Hilaire, Minn. 15p

FOR SALE—700 bushel Big Four seed oats. Absolutely clean. Call 411 Riverside Ave. P. P. Palmer. 9tf

GEE WHIZZ, HERE IS A BARGAIN. Winton Six 7-passenger car, in fine condition. Only $1175. Write S. S., 412 Duluth Ave. N., Thief River Falls. 14

FOR SALE—Eight high grade Holstein cows and heifers, with pure bred sire, one or all. J. H. Hurdisty & Son 15

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots, 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

FOR SALE—Seven acres adjoining city, with good house, barn and garage. E. F. DeVelling, City. 10tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—Seed potatoes at 25c per bushel. Inquire at first house north of Park Hotel. Nels O. Lawson. 15p

FOR SALE—My property at 1003 Arnold Ave. N., consisting of six room house, barn and garage, six lots. A. E. Babcock, Bronson, Minn. 16p

FOR SALE—House and four lots on LaBree Ave. Former Dr. Gambell property. House modernly equipped in every detail. Hardwood floors, outside coal bin, hot water heat. Four lots. W. A. Ziegler. 13tf

FOR SALE—Good milch cow. Price reasonable. W. E. McCrum, R. 3. 11

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—New five passenger Maxwell car at 35 per cent discount. Inquire of John Braturd, Thief River Falls, Minn. 10tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Seed oats. J. O. Rounine. Phone 15-F-11. 16p

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs, Black Leghorn, dark Cornish, Game Bantams. Geo. Lelmers, Thief River Falls, Minn. 9tf

FOR SALE—40 acres land four miles northwest of St. Hilaire.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 64tf

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Sunny Point, City. 7tf

FOR SALE—160 acres land eight miles north of Grygla.—P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn. 61tf

FOR SALE—Large nine-room house, barn and four good lots. Reasonable terms.—P. O. Myhrum, Box 1125, City. 63tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—One Monarch range, one No. 10 hard coal stove, two fumed oak rockers, one white enamel bed with spring and mattress, one ivory chiffonier, work table, two kitchen chairs. This furniture has only been used during the past winter and is in excellent condition. It must be sold at once. Phone 61 or call at 324 Knight Ave. S. 11

FOR SALE—1 hard coal stove and one 4-burner kerosene stove. Both practically new. Will sell cheap if taken at once. One Holstein bull, 1 year old in June, $25.00. Anton Kotlan, Kratka. City. 13

FOR SALE—Good seven room house, barn, chicken coop and woodshed, fruit trees, etc., on nice high plat of ground located on Red Lake River opposite Tindolph Park, the beauty spot of the city. For particulars call or write 420 Crocker Ave. No. Thief River Falls, Minn. 12tf

FOR SALE—1 Avery gas engine; 1 Moline three bottom plow; 1 E. B. double disc. All as good as new, only used one summer. Write to John Clauser, Thief River Falls, Minn. 14pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For cattle or horses, five passenger Chevrolet 490 touring car. Can be seen at Anderby & Burstad Garage. 14

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

FOR SALE—Three lots in Thief River Falls. Inquire of H. S. Dahlen at First & Peoples State Bank. 9tf

FOR TRADE—Iowa farms to trade for Western Minnesota farms. Farmers Co-Operative Land Co. 15pd

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterns. 13tf

FOR RENT—160 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the First and Peoples Bank building. 14

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 703 Main Ave. N. 14tf

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Bratrud. 10tf

FOR RENT—Well located 7-room house. Inquire of John Bratrud. 12tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. 15p

FOR SALE—One of the best all modern homes in city. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, C. T. Christenson, 413 Main Ave. N. 9tf

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 11pd

WANTED—Young men, over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $120 month. Examinations May. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of instruction write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 159 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 15p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard. 12tf

LOST

LOST A tug, between Thief River Falls and the T. K. Rynestad farm, on road north of Roundhouse, on Monday, May 9th. Finder please leave with mail carrier of Germantown Route, at postoffice. 11tf

POSITION WANTED

WANTED A position by stenographer with twenty-one months' experience in bank. Familiar with posting and book work. For further information Phone 112, City. 11p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—A Medium House, at moderate price, in good location, that can be taken in as part payment on an improved quarter section farm. Write to No. 70, Care of The Times. 17p

WANTED—Dressmaking by Mrs. Harris, 104 Main Ave. S. 15p

TAKEN UP—On my farm, white-faced red calf, Yearling. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. V. C. Noper. 14

WANTED TO TRADE—A good house for 40 or 80 acre farm. Will pay part cash in deal. Write Box 1124, City.

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 306, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221 First St. E. 107tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

BEST HOME TALENT PLAY YET STAGED PRODUCED BY ELKS

"Nothing But The Truth" Pleased Large Crowd Last Thursday Night.

The three-act comedy drama, "Nothing But The Truth," presented by the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks at the city auditorium on Thursday night proved one of the most entertaining productions ever seen on the local stage and drew an attendance of over 800 persons, many of them from neighboring towns. The play was staged under the direction of L. Nathan Pierce, principal of the Lincoln high school, to whom great credit is due for having so successfully coached the cast of characters in the short time of less than three weeks. From the box office standpoint the comedy was a success beyond all expectations, the matinee given on Thursday contributing to the receipts for the Elk's treasury.

The play as given was replete with laugh material. Thanks to efficient propertymen, Roy Brown and Rolf Rasmusson, the settings were unusually complete and luxurious. City merchants furnished gowns, clothing and stage properties. The Thief River Falls Concert orchestra of 20 pieces added the finishing touch to the play-house atmosphere which prevailed with a complete program of overtures and between-act numbers.

The scene of Act 1 of "Nothing But The Truth" is the office of a brokerage firm in New York City. The firm in handling all sorts of stock often have to divert from the narrow path in making sales, which procedure Bob Bennett does not believe in. His two partners disagree with him on the score and the outcome of the argument is the making of a bet by Mr. Bennett that he can tell the absolute truth for twenty-four hours.

The scene of Acts 2 and 3 is laid in the Long Island home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralston, the former being the senior partner of the brokerage firm. Bennett has been brought to the summer home for the purpose of forcing him into telling a lie before the lapse of the 24 hours. During his stay he is continually forced to face situations more than embarrassing. Many feelings are hurt, a home is nearly wrecked and a sweetheart nearly lost—but the young broker wins his wager and, of course, the girl.

The performance evidenced a most careful selection of players for the cast. L. H. Lawrence as Bob Bennett, the truthful young man, falls naturally into the role of hero and portrayed the over-wrought youth in admirable manner. Miss Grace Iverson in the role of Gwen, Ralston's daughter and Bob's sweetheart, quite won the hearts of her audience with her easy stage presence and consistent playing. H. W. Protzeller as E. M. Ralston, senior member of the brokerage firm, was well adapted to the role in form and voice. A part easily over-played, he assumed with confidence and the slight emphasis necessary to a natural portrayal. E. P. Brevig as Bishop Doran, who proves a canny investor in blue-sky stock, convulsed the audience at his every turn. G. W. Connell who appeared as Dick Donnelly of the Ralston firm, was thoroughly at home in getting across the footlights the impression of a perfectly normal young business man. L. A. Lampert played Clarence Van Dusen, one of Ralston's best customers, with the proper shade of arrogance and disagreeableness, thereby incurring for that character the ill-will of the house. The part of Mrs. Ralston was taken by Miss Una Nelson with an exactness betokening professional ability and much training. Miss Laura Stopple as Mabel, a much sought after chorus lady, several times was forced to pause while her audience laughted at and applauded her brilliant character work. Miss Inez Howe as Sable, another queen of the stage, was good in her light speaking part. Miss Meta Kiland played the maid, a minor role, that left little opportunity for the display of talent.

FARM BUREAU'S WORK PROVEN GREAT BENEFIT

(Continued from page 1.)

work is not only beneficial to the livestock raisers but to the general public as well.

Through the assistance of the bureau, 55 head of purebred cattle were brought to Pennington county. Two cow testing associations were organized and results published in the annual report. Blackleg has been treated in five herds without the loss of a single animal after the treatment was administered. Blood samples of other cattle diseases were sent to the sanitary board and the disease identified. If contagious, the place was guaranteed immediately to serve as a protection to other livestock men.

Potato and Wool Pools.

Thirty carloads of potatoes were marketed during the past year at an average saving of $65.00 per car, which brought the potato grower a profit of $1,950.00. Thirty thousand pounds of wool were pooled with the National Wool Warehouse through the farm bureau. The office was notified that nearly all of this has been sold and that the checks will be sent out in a very short time. The price received for this wool ranged from 21 to 37 cents per pound, which is at least 10 cents more than could have been obtained from any of the nearby woolen mills or factories. This would net the wool growers a saving of $3,000. Plans are being made to pool the wool for another year, which will undoubtedly be more successful than the first.

Poultry raising has been encouraged and one of the finest poultry show in the northwest is staged annually in the city auditorium.

During the past three years 28 boys and girls have received free trips to the Minnesota State Fair with all expenses paid.

Made Fine Record.

During the past three and one-half years the bureau has the following accomplishments to its credit:

Eight thousand eight hundred and fifty acres were sown with treated seed.

Twelve farmers assisted in conducting of pure seed plots.

Forty eight farmers assisted in poisoning grasshoppers.

Eighty-six farmers were assisted in the sale and exchange of four hundred head of livestock.

Three hundred farmers assisted in keeping account books.

Assistance given in holding the annual community picnic.

Two hundred and ninety farmers supplied with nine hundred laborers.

Assisted four hundred and fifty people with income tax.

The Work in Detail.

Different farmers visited on their farms	1,175
Total number of farm visits made	2,990
Calls on agent at office relating to county agent work	7,000
Meetings held under the auspices of farm bureau or agent in which he took part	203
Total attendance of all such meetings	18,700
Membership in County Farm Bureau	450
Boys' and Girls' club organized	22
Total membership in such clubs	300
Letters mailed	4,014
Total circulation of all such circulars and circular letters	3,548

Financial Statement.

The expense to the county of maintaining the bureau has averaged $1694.02 annually, which is itemized as follows:

Mileage	$ 394.40
Telephone rent and tolls	49.20
Livery and railroad fare	55.40
Postage	14.40
Office supplies	74.00
Stenographer's salary	527.00
Exchange list	7.40
Office equipment	51.60
County agent's salary	517.62
Total	$1,694.02

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.47
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.09
Oats	.25
Flax	1.48
Barley	.38
Rye	1.12
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	1.70
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.12
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-23
Stags	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.17
Dairy butter	.20
Creamery butter	.37
Cow Hides, per lb.	03.04
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.8-.10
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	08-10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.05
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.04
Cows, per lb.	04.05

RECITAL OF KONECNY EVERYWHERE GIVEN UNMEASURED PRAISE

Telegrams From Legion Posts Thruout State Congratulate Local Committee on Having Secured Troup of Artists For Concert.

Telegrams from other American Legion posts in Minnesota to members of the Eklund post entertainment committee, which is in charge of the arrangements for the appearance here of Konecny, famous veteran-violinist, and his company of two soloists, are being received to congratulate the local Legionnaires upon having secured an attraction of such worth to offer music lovers of the city. The virtuoso and his company will appear at the auditorium for their recital on next Tuesday night.

The Winona post wired: "Konecny concert rendered wonderful recital here, pleasing over one thousand persons. We heartily recommend them to you."

Although posts for which Konecny has played are most enthusiastic in their praise of his work on the violin, they are not forgetting the other two artists of the company, Miss Mary Tris, pianistte, and Miss Lola Murel Alley, soprano soloist. The Owatonna Legion post said, also by wire: "Concert here yesterday afternoon and evening by Konecny assisted by Mary Tris, pianiste, and Lola Murel Alley, soprano, pleased hundreds of people. Konecny and his artists are surely wonderful musicians. Afternoon recital attendance over five hundred students. You have booked a real attraction."

Miss Tris is an American girl who received all of her training in America. She served four months in France as accompanist for Konecny, playing on every kind of piano, good bad and indifferent, but mainly bad, for John Doughboy. In spite of handicaps this proved to be one of the most interesting and satisfying times of her career. Her playing has brilliance and life, while in the melodious work she literally makes the piano sing, say her critics.

A remarkable feature of Miss Alley's work is her ability to render both the coloratura and dramtic compositions with equal ease and artistic taste. With this she combines a beautiful voice of wide range, equisite sympathetic quality, and great sustaining power; a thorough understanding and temperamental interpretation of the works of the masters, combined with charming personality.

Those who expect to hear Konecny and his assistant artists in recital here on Tuesday night are urged to hear his phonographic records which have just been placed on sale by city dealers. Tickets are on sale at the Thief River Music company's store.

Purebred Holsteins Pay.

Fred Voth and Jacob Jonas of Holt purchased one cow and one heifer from C. Wiener this week, consideration $600.00. It doesn't cost any more to feed a purebred than it does to feed a scrub. Get a bull now from C. Wiener, R. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. M12

Seventeenth of May to be Fittingly Observed Here.

If everything turns out as expected the Sons and Daughters of Norway will next year celebrate the 17th of May in their own lodge quarters. They are planning the erection of a beautiful lodge building and club room at the foot of Third street, the site having been purchased some time ago. The 17th of May observance this year will be held at the Masonic hall and will be attended only by members of the two lodges and their families. The usual program of songs and addresses will be presented, H. O. Chommie being the principal speaker of the evening.

Ellen Marie Hanson.

Mrs. Ellen Marie Hanson died on May 7th at her home in Numedal township from apoplexy at the age of 56 years 8 months and 10 days. Interment was made in Oak Ridge cemetary Tuesday, May 7.

Halvor Klem.

Halvor Klem died May 7, at the age of 54 years. He was a farmer residing in the vicinity of Grygla.

Clarence Ernest Carlson.

Clarence Ernest Carlson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Carlson, died Sunday from gastro enteritis from which he had suffered since his birth May 8. Interment took place in Greenwood cemetery on May 9.

William Harper.

William Harper of Red Lake Falls died in this city May 7, from tuberculosis, at the age of 21 years. The body was shipped to Huron, S. D., for burial.

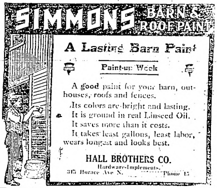
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All kinds of field seeds and Northern Grown Seed Corn for sale at the Thief River Falls Seed House, formerly the Tessum Elevator.
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"All-of-a-Sudden Peggy"
Comedy in three acts
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Thief River Falls High School
Friday, May 20
Admission 50 and 25c. Reserved Seats at Lambert's

Kryptok Glasses
$14 to $16
Other Glasses $3 to $13
C. G. Mugg, Specialist, will be at Grygla p. m. May 24, May 25, a. m. May 24.

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will require all autos to have either
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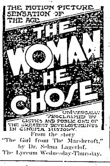
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SATURDAY
Frank Mayo
In
"HONOR BOUND"
—and—
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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES
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Historical Society
MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

TWO GAMES ARE SCHEDULED FOR COMING WEEK

St. Hilaire Will Play Here Sunday and Locals Will Go to Fertile Wednesday.

Game With Alvarado Last Sunday Won By Locals By Score of Twenty-one to One.

Team Shows Up Well and Prospects are Bright for Development of Fast Aggregation.

St. Hilaire is coming Sunday to try conclusions with the locals on the diamond. They have been going thru practice for the last two weeks and are reported to be in condition to give a good account of themselves. The Thief River Falls players are working out every day and an abundance of material from which to select the team is available. The game Sunday will be somewhat of a deciding factor in determining the final personnel of the team. On Wednesday the locals will go to Fertile for a game on the Fertile diamond.

The first game of the season for the local baseball team proved to be a very much one-sided affair and did not give much of an opportunity to get a line on the local players. The final score was twenty-one to one in favor of Thief River Falls.

Alvarado was completely outclassed from the start and at no period of the game did they give any indication of ability to give the locals anything to worry about. Federolf, the pitcher who arrived Sunday morning to join the local club, had the game well in hand at all times and held the visitors down to seven scattered hits. It was unnecessary for him to let himself out to any extent and for this reason the local fans were deprived of the privilege of seeing just what he can do in a pinch. Morse, the new man at the receiving end, played a perfect game and showed up strong with the stick, getting three hits out of four times up. Graden at short stepped into the limelight as a slugger, getting three hits. He also fielded his position perfectly.

This practice game indicates that the locals have a wealth of material with which to build up a team that will give a good account of itself throughout the season and the indications are that local fans are going to see some fast games.

The detailed score of the game follows:

Thief River.

Player	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Graden, s.s.	5	1	3	1	2	0
Lawrence, 2.b.	2	1	0	2	2	0
McGinn, 2.b.	2	1	0	3	2	0
Morse, 1.b.	4	4	3	0	0	0
Halbert, 1.b.	4	2	1	10	0	0
Prugh, r.f.	4	2	1	0	0	0
Connell, c.f.	2	1	0	0	0	1
Jonas, 3.b.	5	4	2	3	4	1
Cloutier, c.f.	2	1	0	0	0	0
Herron, l.f.	6	2	2	2	0	0
Federolf, p.	5	2	1	6	3	0
	41	21	13	27	13	2

Alvarado.

Player	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
L. Sands, s.s.	4	0	0	2	2	1
A. Sands, c.f.	4	0	3	1	0	0
H. Sands, 2.b.	4	1	1	2	4	3
Shoop, p.	3	0	0	10	1	2
Johnson, 3.b.	3	0	1	2	2	1
Larson, 1.b.	4	0	0	9	0	1
Anderson, c.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Olson, l.f.	3	0	1	1	0	1
Porten, r.f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
J. Sands, r.f.	2	0	1	0	0	0
	30	1	7	27	9	9

Two base hits: Graden. Three base hits: Morse, Jonas. Struck out by Federolf, 6; Herron, 1; Shoop, 9. Umpire, Fox. Scorer, Hadrath.

PLANS PROGRESSING FOR BENEFIT SALE JUNE FOURTEENTH

Date Changed From May 20 in Order Not to Conflict With Potato and Corn Planting.

The Red River Valley Live Stock Pavilion benefit sale date is June 14 instead of May 20 in order not to conflict with potato and corn planting. It will be held at the live stock pavillion in Crookston. A picnic is planned at which Governor Preus, Dan Wallace, brother of the secretary of Agriculture, and W. A. McKerrow will be the speakers. H. O. Teller and W. H. Krause are the auctioneers. The sale will include at least 80 animals about 50 being pure bred bulls and females of the Shorthorn, Holstein, Guernsey, Angus and Red Polled breeds with Herefords yet to hear from. About 25 pure bred Duroc Jersey, Poland China, Chester White and Yorkshire swine and 6 registered Shropshire will also be sold. All of these animals are pure bred from leading herds in the Valley and state and represent the best in their respective breeds. They are valued at thousands of dollars in the aggregate and are being given to the Red River Valley Live Stock association to help pay the balance due on the pavillion, the donors receiving shares in the building for the purchase price of the animal donated.

There never was an opportunity like this for the farmers of northwestern Minnesota and eastern North Dakota to secure such valuable breeding stock. That hundreds will attend this sale is clearly shown by the interest being taken in it. Credit arrangements will be made so that notes will be taken for the purchases. These notes will bear 8 per cent interest and will be payable on October 1. The ninth district bankers' association is actively cooperating to help those who need pure bred sires and who wish to make a beginning in better stock to do so.

The animals donated up to the present time include Shorthorns by Carlson, Erskine; Dahl, Twin Valley; Grant, Glyndon; Morkassel, Warren; Palmer, Euclid and Schroeder, Brooks. Others are expected from Smith, St. Cloud; Aylor, Grandin; Kvenoden, Fertile and Billings, Fergus Falls.

The Holsteins already donated are by Bacon, Grand Forks; Beerbauer, Thief River Falls; Enright, East Grand Forks; Grover, Moorhead; Grant, Duluth; Hedley, Kiewel and N. W. Experiment Station, Crookston; Schiefer, Detroit; Scott (2), Minneapolis; Schroeder and Steidl, Moorhead; Skrei, Glyndon, Sundberg, and Sugden, Hallock. Others are expected from Hackney, Dr. Graham, Irwin, Dr. Boeckman, Moscrip, McNelly, Hanson, Marlow, leading state breeders who are cooperating wholeheartedly with the Valley association.

The Guernsey breed will be fully represented according to L. V. Wilson and Leonard Houske, secretaries of the State and Valley Guernsey associations, respectively, as there is a strong demand for Guernseys in northwestern Minnesota.

BODY OF FARM HAND FOUND IN BRUSH WITH THROAT CUT

Suicide Suspected—Face Covered With Paris Green. Throat Cut From Ear to Ear.

The body of Ed. Torgerson, age about 45 years, was found in the brush on the farm of Ole Nessland two miles east of Grygla yesterday. The face of the dead man was covered with Paris Green and the throat was cut from ear to ear. All indications pointed to suicide.

Torgerson, who made his home at Thief River Falls part of the time, but who of late had been living alone on a farm near the Nessland farm, had been helping Mr. Nessland with his farm work. He did not appear when expected and Mr. Nessland went in search of him, discovering the body. The dead man had been separated from his wife about ten years. It is thought that his wife is now living near Lengby.

The coroner of Beltrami county left Bemidji yesterday evening and will hold an inquest over the remains today.

Silverton Township Meeting.

The Silverton Farm club will hold a farm bureau organization meeting on Saturday, May 28th. At this time the wool pool will be discussed and any other topic which may be of interest to the people of that locality.

RULING OF SUPREME COURT MAKES VALID PROHIBITION CLAUSE

Provision For Ratification Within Seven Years Does Not Invalidate Entire Measure.

The requirements that the prohibition amendment be ratified within seven years by three-fourths of the state does not invalidate the entire measure, the supreme court ruled on Monday. The decision was given in the appeal of J. J. Dillion, of San Francisco, from a decision in the lower courts refusing his petition for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that the limitation made the amendment invalid.

Dillion was arrested while transporting a case of wine to the home of its owner. His counsel asserted that Section 3 of the amendment, originally proposed by Senator Harding, places a limitation on the action of state legislators and was therefore unconstitutional.

PAR COLLECTION OF CHECKS HELD VOID BY COURT

Federal reserve banks have not the right to insist on par collection of checks of member banks, the supreme court ruled today.

The court reversed decrees of Georgia court which had refused to enjoin the Federal Reserve bank of Atlanta from taking steps to force collection of checks drawn on a number of Georgia state nonmember banks "except through the usual and ordinary channels."

Officers of the Minneapolis Federal Reserve bank refused to comment today until they had received the full text of the decision. A week ago a suit against the Minneapolis Federal Reserve bank similar in general to that in the Georgia courts against the Atlanta bank was dimissed by the federal court in South Dakota. The State Savings bank, of Ostley had sued the reserve bank for damages because of the latter's insistence on par check collection.

CLASS PLAY TO BE PRESENTED FRIDAY NIGHT

"All of A Sudden Peggy" Three Act Comedy, to Be Given By Seniors.

Play Has Been Prepared Under Direction of Professor L. N. Pierce.

Advance Sale of Tickets Indicates That Production Will be Greeted by Big House.

Final rehearsals have been had and the class of '21 is now ready for the production of their class play, "All of a Sudden Peggy" at the auditorium tomorrow (Friday) night. The play has been prepared under the direction of *Prof. L. N. Pierce* and he is authority for the statement that the efforts of this year's graduating class behind the footlights will stand any manner of comparison with those of previous years. He is enthusiastic over the talent displayed by the cast in their rehearsals and says that the public will have a real treat Friday night.

Three-Act Comedy.

"All of a Sudden Peggy" is a thrilling comedy that has met with remarkable success both on the stage and on the screen. In addition to possessing all the qualifications of a laugh producing comedy it has just enough of a drama plot to hold the interest of the audience throughout the entire play. Peggy, by her suddenness of action, keeps the audience guessing as to just what she will undertake next and she does things in a way that keeps the audience in a continuous uproar. She gets out of one mess only to step into another one from the first until the last act, when the various tangles are straightened out and the play has a happy ending.

Well Balanced Cast.

The cast is particularly suited to a production of this kind and they have entered into the spirit of preparing for the play in a manner that bespeaks success for them in their public appearance Friday night. Every part has been mastered by the various members of the cast in a professional manner.

Packed House Indicated.

The advance seat sale indicates that the large auditorium will be packed to capacity. Very few seats are now left and the "standing room only" sign will undoubtedly be hung out early in the evening.

The cast of characters and synopsis are as follows:

Anthony, Lord Crackenthorpe (Fellow of the Entomological Society) Allen Fossum.

The Hon. Jimmy Keppel, (his brother) Hugh McDaniels.

Major Archie Phipps, (retired) (Lady Crackenthorpe's brother) Harold Smithers.

Jack Menzies, Chester Dols.

Parker (Footman at Hawkhurst) Ernest Zeh.

Lucas (Manservant at Jimmy's flat), Dreng Bjornaraa.

Lady Crackenthorpe (Lord Crackenthorpe's mother) Vellerrie Parenteau.

The Hon. Millicent Keppel, Dotty Krafthefer.

The Hon. Mrs. Colquhoun, Mildred Bottelson.

Mrs. O'Mara, (Widow of Professor O'Mara, F. R. S.) Rose Oski.

Peggy, (her daughter) Mary Vance.

Act I—"The Suddenness of Peggy" The White Hall at Hawkhurst, Lord Crackenthorpe's country house.

Act II—"The Suddenness of Consequences." At Jimmy Keppel's flat in London, a week later.

Act III—"The Consequence of Suddenness." The White Hall at Hawkhurst, on the evening of the same day.

DIVIDEND CHECKS ARE SENT TO HOLDERS OF CONVERTED POLICIES

Will Receive One Dollar For Each $1000 of Insurance Carried—Total Over One Million Dollars.

Holders of permanent peacetime policies—converted insurance—under the Bureau of War Risk Insurance are now receiving checks in payment of dividends. Mailing of dividend checks to holders of converted policies began on May 1 and is expected to be completed by June 1, in the case of all men who have had converted policies in effect one year or more on that date. The sum being distributed is $1,030,016. It represents the Government's earnings on the premium payments made by the holders of the converted policies.

Each holder of converted insurance whose policy has been in effect at least one year will receive not less than $1 for each $1,000 of insurance he carries. Men whose converted policies have been in effect two years will receive two yearly dividends immediately. Men whose policies have not been in effect at least a year will receive their dividend immediately following the anniversary date of their policy. Hereafter dividend checks will be mailed to all holders of converted policies immediately following anniversary dates.

It should be borne in mind that no dividend will be paid to holders of term insurance policies, the regular wartime insurance. These term insurance policies may only be continued until March 3, 1926. If they have not been converted by that date, the holder ceases to be insured by the Government.

Holders of converted policies will receive their dividends automatically, and there is supposedly no necessity for them to write to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance on the subject.

P. J. Keating is Delegate.

P. J. Keating returned home Saturday from attending the Woodmen of The World tri-state convention which was held at Mankato May 10 and 11. Mr. Keating was elected one of a committee of three to go to Omaha the first week in July for the purpose for setting forth the advantages of Minnesota over the other 36 states in which the W. O. W. is organized for the location of their new tuberculosis sanatorium which is to be built for the benefit of their members.

Legionnaires Will Over-Subscribe.

Up to May 1st Legionnaires of Minnesota had contributed $1,560 to the fund to be used by the Legion in France to place flowers on the grave of every dead buddy buried overseas, on Memorial Day. Indications are that Minnesota will over-subscribe its quota of $2,300.

FORCED TO JUMP FROM WINDOWS OF BURNING HOME

Fire Completely Destroys Residence of Edward Severson On Zeh Street.

Fire at about 12:30 last night completely destroyed the residence of Edward Severson at 223 West Zeh street. When the fire was first discovered the entire house was a mass of flames and by the time the fire department arrived there was nothing they could do except protect adjoining buildings.

The origin of the fire is not definitely known. It apparently started in the kitchen and inasmuch as some partly used pails of paint and possibly some rags used in painting had been left in the kitchen over night it is thought possible that they may in some way have become ignited. The entire family was asleep and when awakened by the smoke found that their only means of escape was through the windows. Mr. Severson jumped out of the upstairs windoy with their little baby and then secured a ladder and rescued his wife. The other members of the household escaped in the same manner. They were unable to save even a single piece of clothing except the night clothes which they had on.

The loss of the house and contents is total with insurance to cover only partially.

DISTRICT SUPT. TAKES CHARGE OF HIGHWAY SYSTEM

Trunk Highway Officials Getting Organization Into Working Condition.

W. B. Sewell, district maintenance superintendent for this district for the state highway department, arrived in Crookston Monday and is making arrangements for the opening of headquarters there.

Mr. Sewell will have charge of what is known as the Fifth district. There are sixteen district in the state system. That of the Fifth district embraces the state highway or trunk system as follows: All of the system north of Ada and Mahnomen; west of the Polk county line east of Lengby; west of the Polk county line near Gully, and west of the Roseau county line at Roosevelt. This gives Mr. Sewell all of Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Pennington, Red Lake and Polk counties and parts of Norman and Mahnomen counties, embracing a total of 500 miles of trunk highway.

Part of the system under Mr. Sewell's control has already been organized. This embraces the appointment of maintenance or "patrol" men who will have definite sections of the highway assigned to them that they will be regularly and continuously employed in keeping the roads in good condition, as maintenance is one of the larger parts of the state plan. Permanent improvements of extensive nature will follow as fast as conditions warrant and circumstances permit.

The work of perfecting the organization for the upkeep of the roads will be continued until all of the system is covered. Graveling will be employed to a large extent for the present and, in fact, it may reasonably be expected, according to the state highway authorities, that gravel will be used for the hard surfacing for a considerable portion of the entire state system for several years so that a greater amount of the system may be the more quickly gotten into good traveling condition.

Road maintainers will have sections assigned to them of lengths governed by the condition of the roads they are to maintain and the amount of travel on it. District foremen will be appointed to have charge of certain parts of the highway in each district including a number of maintenance districts.

RAILWAYS PLAN CUT RATES ON SLEEPING CARS

Necessary to Do Something to Stimulate Travel and Offset Decrease in Freight.

Believed That Removal of Surcharge Would Aid in Solving Difficulty.

Passenger Agents Say That Public is Complaining Bitterly of High Rates.

That the railroads throughout the country are feeling the heavy falling off in passenger travel due to the high rates now in effect is reflected in the statement just made public *that a cut in sleeping car rates is being planned.*

They are preparing for drastic action to rejuvenate passenger travel to compensate for the continued small volume of freight traffic, resulting from general business inactivity, it was reported by railroad officials recently.

Stimulation of passenger traffic is favored by railroad men as the most plausible means of increasing the depressed earnings of the carriers, it was pointed out by an official, in discussing the revenue problem.

Survey Is Made.

Following a comprehensive survey of the situation by practically all the railroads of the country, it is reported that removal of the surcharge on sleeping car berth rates is planned to become effective within the next two months.

It is expected that recommendation to eliminate the surcharge will find its origin at the hearing in Washington of railroad problems before the Senate committee on Interstate Commerce.

What removal of the surcharge will mean to travelers and tourists is indicated in the case of a person traveling from Seattle to Minneapolis. The running time is approximately 72 hours on a limited passenger train. For a drawing room, the traveler pays at the rate of about $1 per hour.

Fare Is Heavy.

The railroad fare from Seattle to Minneapolis is $96.06. A drawing room costs $47, with a surcharge of $23.50, and a war tax of $5.64, based on the total amount of the drawing room rate, plus the surcharge at the rate of 8 per cent, making a grand total of $76.14. Should the surcharge be removed, the traveler would pay for his drawing room but $50.76.

The railroad fare to Chicago is $15.83. The cost of a drawing room is $14.58, including surcharge and war tax.

With removal of the surcharge, application for which was made last fall under an Interstate Commerce commission ruling, it is estimated by A. A. Crane, chairman of the publicity and conventions committee of the Civic & Commerce association, that the volume of rail tourists and convention delegates to Minnesota would be increased more than 30 per cent.

Travelers Complain.

Minneapolis passenger agents assert that travelers are complaining bitterly about the high cost of rail travel, and many have suggested that the surcharge of sleeping car berth rates be removed, while others believe that e htwar tax should be removed as well as the surcharge.

Passenger department officials were agreed that with the drop in the price of gasoline, and the growing popularity of the automobile, with the extension of good roads, something must be done to stimulate the lagging passenger traffic.

Musical Performers Draw Slim Crowd; Able Artists

Greeted by an audience which was deeply appreciative but sadly deficient in numbers, Josef Konecny, Bohemian violinist, and assistants appeared in recital at the auditorium on Tuesday evening. The musical program was one worthy of much more generous support and it is difficult to understand why a larger audience was not present.

Mr. Konecny is a violinist of rare ability and performed the most difficult compositions without apparent effort. His part of the program consisted almost entirely of classical music but he responded to a number of encores with lighter selections. Miss Mary Tris, pianiste, rendered several difficult piano compositions in an exceptionally able manner, besides playing accompaniments for Mr. Konecny and Miss Lola Murel Alley, soprano. The latter came into favor with the audience upon her first appearance and responded to several encores. Altogether the entertainment was a real musical treat and proved the performers to be artists of genuine merit.

Compiling Minnesota War History.

The last session of the Minnesota Legislature instructed the State War Record Commission to compile a Minnesota History of the Spanish-American war. Ten thousand dollars per year was voted for this work. A good start has already been made on "Minnesota in The Great War."

HOSPITAL PASSES INTO NEW HANDS

The Warren Hospital today passed into the hands of the Red River Valley Conference of the Augustana Synod by act of its board of directors in accordance with the authorization given said board by the members of the association at the meeting held last Friday evening. The transferee is to continue and maintain the work of the hospital and its nurses' training school, and should it fail to do so the hospital and its equipment will revert to the association.

The Warren Hospital Association was incorporated February 28, 1905. Its first board of trustees consisted of Theo. Bratrud, G. S. Wattam, W. F. Powell, Aug. Lundgren, P. H. Holm, Lewis Westman, H. J. Beardmore, A. Grindeland and L. M. Olson. The erection of the hospital building was at once undertaken and it was completed in time for occupation early in the ensuing year. The structure was built by popular subscription, except $7,000, which was procured as a loan, which loan has since been paid by the hospital's earnings. In the summer of 1918 a nurses' home was bought and in the winter of 1919-20 an addition of twelve *rooms was made to* the hospital. The present board of trustees is as follows: Theo. Bratrud, A. Grindeland, Aug. Lundgren, J. J. Olson, H. J. Beardmore, O. H. Taralseth, Aug. A. Johnson, C. E. Lundquist and L. M. Olson. Dr. Bratrud, who has been executive head of the hospital during nearly the whole 15 years of its existence, will continue as its chief physician and surgeon.

"HUMAN FLY" WILL INVADE THIS CITY MONDAY EVENING

Will Climb From Ground to Top of Hotel Evelyn Building At 7 O'clock.

Jack Williams, known the world over as the "original human fly," will demonstrate his skill at scaling walls in Thief River Falls Monday night at 7:30 p. m., when he will climb the Evelyn hotel building.

Immediately following his climb Williams will appear at the Lyceum theatre, and explain to the people how he accomplishes his daredevil feats.

Williams is the original "Human Fly." More than 500 men acting under this name have been killed in attempting to copy his feat. He has scaled every skyscraper in the United States, having been climbing more than eleven years, and in this period of years has scaled 1,500 buildings. Williams scaled the Woolworth building in New York, the world's tallest structure in 2 hours and 55 minutes, the height of the building being 56 stories. He also gained considerable fame when he climbed the L. S. Smith building in Seattle, 42 stories in 43 minutes in a terrific rainstorm.

Williams is appearing at the Lyceum theatre with his vaudeville company, the Jack Williams, the Human Fly and his Building Climbers Review, with a cast of six lady musicians who are cute, clever-convincing comedians, who sing, dance and play the songs and pieces you like, each one being a specialist in her own line.

GOV. PREUS WILL CLEAR ACRE OF BELTRAMI LAND

Pressing of Electric Button Will Send 65 Stumps Into Air Friday, May 27.

Although much land has already been cleared in connection with the Beltrami Land Clearing campaign, the formal opening of the campaign will take place at Bemidji, Friday, May 27, when Governor J. A. O. Preus will press an electric button which will blow 65 large white pine stumps into the air and clear one acre of Beltrami county's fertile soil.

The demonstration will take place on the Thomas Porte farm, seven miles north of Bemidji at noon. A huge picnic has been planned at which the governor will be present and at the conclusion of the picnic dinner the blast will be fired. Following the demonstration on the Porte farm Governor Preus will be escorted to Blackduck where another program will be carried out in connection with the land clearing campaign.

In the evening, it is expected the new armory at Bemidji will be formally opened and a reception held for the governor.

EXTRA TIME GIVEN ON AUTO LICENSES

Applicants for automobile licenses will have until June 1 or later to make their applications, Secretary of State Mike Holm announced Saturday. Clerks in his office are swamped by the applications received he said, totalling Saturday about 50,000. Licence plates are not ready for distribution and the time limit may have to be extended a second time. The law as passed by the last legislature gave auto owners until May 15 to make application with the provision that the secretary of state might extend the time.

WORK TO START MONDAY ON NEW KNOX SCHOOL

The Prichard Company Will Have Crew of Thirty Men Employed on Building.

Frame Structure to Be Moved About Forty Feet East of Present Site.

New Building Will Be Completed Within Seven Months Specified in Contract.

The Prichard Company, successful bidders on the erection of the new school building for the East Side, announce that work will be started next Monday. At that time they will put a crew of about thirty men at work wrecking the brick part of the present structure. It is their intention to completely wreck this part of the building.

Will Move Frame Building.

The frame building, comprising a part of the Knox school, is to be moved by the school board to a point about forty feet east of its present location. It will then be used temparily for school purposes until such time as the new building is ready to be occupied. The brick and such other material in the other part of the present building as is suitable will be used by The Prichard Company in the erection of the new building. The plans and specifications for the new building give the contractor the privilege of letting the brick walls of the old building stand and incorporating them in the new building but The Prichard company figures that a much more satisfactory building can be erected by completely wrecking them.

To Cost $71,455.

The contracts for the new building as let by the school board will total $71,455.00. This is $32,845 less than the total of the bids received on the same building June 21, 1920. The school board, in view of this big saving to the district, naturally feels that their action last year in delaying the erection of the building for one year is now appreciated by the taxpayers.

The contract as let calls for the completion of the new building within seven months, which means that it must be ready for occupancy some time next December. The contractors state that it is their intention to keep a large force of men on the job at all times and that they will have the building completed within the time specified in the contract. The building when completed will be one of the finest in the city, if not in this part of the state. It will be of the very latest design and have all the latest improvements for well ventilated and conveniently appointed school buildings. One of the new features and a complete departure from the older style of school buildings will be a large auditorum about forty by seventy feet in the center of the first floor. The various school rooms will open off from this large room and on the second floor a balcony will overlook the first floor auditorium with the school rooms opening off from it. This will leave an opening throughout the entire center of the building from the first floor to the roof where skylights will be arranged. This feature will provide excellent light throughout all of the building and make possible an excellent ventilation system.

The erection of the building at this time will provide much needed work for a large number of men.

WOOL POOLING IS SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY MAY 24

All Persons Interested in Co-operative Marketing of Wool Should Attend.

Mr. Wm. L. Cavert, farm management demonstrator will hold a wool pooling meeting at the auditorium in Thief River Falls at 2:00 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday, May 24, and in Grygla on Wednesday, May 25. All wool growers planning on pooling their clip this year should endeavor to be present in order to get a full understanding of the plans of the association. Meetings that are held in each township will also discuss the wool pool for the coming season. All places where it has been taken up the sheep owners have decided that it is the only practical method of pooling their wool.

Mr. Cavert will also hold a Landlord and Tenant's meeting the same evening in the farm bureau office at 7:30 o'clock p. m. All people renting farms or owning farms rented to others should be present to hear Mr. Cavert explain the best methods of making and carrying out the concontracts.

Baccalaureate Services May 29.

The baccalaureate services for the class of '21 of the Thief River Falls high school will be held at the auditorium Sunday evening, May 29. The services will be conducted by Rev. R. L. Barackman and the sermon will be delivered by Rev. T. E. Sweger.

Society and Club

Entertains.

Miss Viola Nepper was honor guest at a party given by Mrs. O. C. Hanson at her home, 707 Main avenue north, last evening.

Dancing Party.

Twelve couples were guests of John Melgaard at his home Saturday evening, when he entertained at a delightful dancing party.

Ladies Aid.

Mrs. Gust Gustin and Mrs. Frank Dahlquist will entertain the Ladies' aid of the Swedish Lutheran church in the church basement on May 25.

Community Girls Club.

The Girls' Community club will meet on Monday evening, May 23 at the Commercial club rooms. A splendid time is anticipated and as this is the last session this season and at which time election of officers will take place, a large attendance is essential for a successful meeting.

Ladies Aid.

The Ladies' aid of St. Johns Lutheran church will meet in the church basement Wednesday afternoon, May 25. Mrs. Gilbert Lonson will entertain.

Silver Wedding Anniversary.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Granum whose 25th wedding anniversary occurred on May 15, several of the neighbors and friends of the worthy couple called on them in the afternoon of that day. A very pleasant social time was enjoyed until 5 o'clock when a sumptuous dinner was served. As a momento of the occasion Mr. and Mrs. Granum were presented with a purse of silver. The immediate family who were all present are, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Granum and two children, Helen and John; Mr. and Mrs. G. Crown and daughter, Celeste, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Granum, Mr. and Mrs. D. LeSage and son, Dayton, Olga, Esther, Margaret, Bernice, Oscar, Ernie and Gilbert, Jr.

Picnic.

The following motored to "Burr Oaks," the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, Tuesday evening and enjoyed a supper on the lawn: Misses Lillian Poppitz, Meta Kiland, Grace Iverson and Irene Patrick.

For Mrs. Laird.

The Anniversary Club entertained for Mrs. Scott Laird at her home on Friday evening, the occasion being the fourth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Laird. Dinner was served at 6:30. The hours following were spent in playing cards.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club will hold its regular meeting on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms. As this is the last meeting of the season a large attendance is expected. Mrs. Gay Halvorson will give a vocal solo and the reports of the various committees will be read.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney and Mrs. Victoria Hieber were hostesses at a dinner in their apartments in the Evenson flat on Saturday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins and daughter, Miss Esther, who is home from Rochester for a visit of two months.

Causin-Widner.

Local friends will be interested in knowing that Miss Marie Causin, formerly of this city, and Harry Widner of Regal, were married at Paynesville on Tuesday, May 17. Mrs. Widner is well known here having completed her high school course in the local schools. Mr. and Mrs. Widner will make their home at Regal.

H. S. Classes Enjoy Picnic.

The members of the Commercial department of the local high school accompanied by their instructors, Misses Marrian Miller and Vivian Swift, enjoyed a picnic supper at Squaw Point on Monday evening. On the same evening the Latin classes and their instructor, Miss Grace Iverson, had an out-door supper at Lovers' Lane.

Auxiliary to Give Dance.

Members of the American Legion and Ladies' Auxiliary are looking forward with more than usual interest to the dance which will be given on the evening of May 27, under the auspices of the Auxiliary. A committee is working diligently to make it one of the outstanding features of the year's social events. Everyone is invited. Tickets will be on sale in advance and a large attendance is expected.

Elks Play Cast Entertained.

About 50 persons were included in the dancing party given for the entertainment of the members of the cast in "Nothing But the Truth," costumers, property managers and those who in other ways helped to make the play a success, last evening at the Brumund hotel. The program of dancing lasted until 12 o'clock, when the guests were seated at a banquet table in an adjoining room and treated to a delicious supper. Paper caps in vivid colors and various shapes were used as favors.

Reunion at Lake Harriet.

On Saturday evening, May 14, at Lake Harriet, about twenty who formerly resided in this city and also those attending school or employed in the Twin Cities, gathered at the picnic grounds to revive old times in Thief River Falls. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hay and daughter, Jean, Mrs. Synneva Grindeland Strunk, Mary and James Prichard, Dorothy Miller, Lois Wold, Ardith Arpin, Lucille Burns, Martine Cloutier, Ida Sanfacon, Loretta O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boyden and daughter, Mildred Boreen, Dorothy Jones, Wm. Morwick and Rufus Barackman. Many others had been notified but were unable to be present. There are about 40 or 50 from here in the cities at present. Another reunion has been planned for the first of June.

U. C. T. Party.

At the Masonic hall on Saturday evening the members of the U. C. T. lodge entertained their wives and friends at a dancing party. A three piece orchestra furnished an excellent program of music until midnight when the guests were taken to the Commercial club rooms where an elaborate two-course supper was served. Vocal and instrumental numbers by Carl Sundahl and W. A. Stanchfield respectively, were enjoyed. Everyone attending report this one of the most successful parties of its kind ever given in this city.

Marshmallow Roast.

Eleven girls from the Seventh grade went to Squaw Point Tuesday evening following the matinee at the local high school in which Josef Konecny and assistants appeared in a brief recital before the high school students and seventh and eighth grade classes, where they held a marshmallow roast. Those participating were Lillian Johnson, Marion Reynolds, Phyllis Dock, Gladys Christianson, Mayverette Hilson, Ruth Quammen, Melvina Rupprecht, Frances Shanahan, and Lulu Rice. Misses Mae Bark and Hilegaard Kiebor chaperoned the party.

City News

Luke Bourque left yesterday morning for Federal Dam on a fishing expedition.

Miss Selma Johnson arrived last evening from Warren to spend a few days with local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Roche returned to their home in Minneapolis after a two days' visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Beatrice Hieber and little daughter, Mary Lou, left last evening for Sioux Falls, S. D., where they were called because of the serious illness of Mrs. Hieber's mother.

The Ladies aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained in the church basement May 25th by Mrs. Gust Gustin and Mrs. Frank Dahlquist. The Luther League will be entertained the same evening by the same hotesses.

Ole T. Bratlund.

Ole T. Bratlund died May 6th at his home in Highlanding township from pneumonia. Deceased was born in Bygland, Stersdalen, Norway, Feb. 7, 1882. He came to this country in the fall of 1902 and resided at Fisher, this state, for a period of five years. In the fall of 1907 he filed on a homestead in the county where he had since made his home. He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and four small children whose names are Dorothy age 9, Teloyd age 6, Oluf age 3 and Thelma age 1½ years, four brothers, one sister and also an aged mother. Funeral services were held at Rosendahl church on Monday, May 9, Rev. G. Hanson of Goodridge conducting.

WANTED

Salespeople, for Saturday evenings. Must have experience.

Three Ladies

Two Men

J. C. PENNEY COMPANY

Apply: Ed Hinrichs, Mgr.

All Patrons of the Peoples Co-Operative Store are requested to bring in their coupon books for redemption by June 1st, as we have discontinued issuing coupon books.

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Announcement.

There will be a school picnic in Bethlehem church Sunday at 2 o'clock. A program will be given and refreshments will be served. The Ladies aid in Bethlehem will meet with Mrs. Trochman, May 25th and the Ladies Aid in Thorvick will meet with Mrs. Ole Olson, May 26th. Everyone welcome. O. G. Ruaum.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the beautiful flowers and for the kind sympathy shown during the illness and death of our beloved wife, daughter and mother. May God reward you all.—S. Hanson, Mrs. M. Tweet, Mrs. W. Hauglid, Mrs. O. Carlson, Mrs. T. Wasley, Hilda Hanson.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors for the sympathy shown us during the death and burial of our darling baby, especially to the Royal Neighbors lodge, the Macabee lodge and the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, for their help and beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlson. 19

Card of Thanks.

Through the columns of this paper we wish to thank most sincerely the neighbors and relatives who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved husband and father. Particularly do we wish to express our sincere thanks to the ladies aid societies, friends and relatives for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Tilla Bratlund and family. m19

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class Saturday 10 a. m. Divine Services in Norwegian Sunday 11 a. m. There will be no evening service. Sunday school and Bible class 9:30 a. m. Regular choir meets at the church Thursday 7:30 p. m. Junior choir Tuesday evening. The Ladies aid will be entertained Thursday, May 26 by Mesdames Ed. Larson, Sig Myrum, S. A. Rustebak and Iver Hoium. Young Peoples League meeting Thursday, May 26. Prof. Albert Tonneraasen will give an address at this meeting.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, May 22 Sunday school at 10 a. m. German services at 11 a. m. English services at 2:30 p. m. at Germantown. Sunday, May 29: German services in the Wm. Parnow home near Kratka at 10 a. m. English services in the Norwegian Lutheran church in Goodridge at 3 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 22: 10 a. m. Sunday school. Promptness of attendance and Bibles present count in the school record. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., will be conducted by Rev. C. Cook, Presbyterian Sunday school missionary who is located in the city, will conduct both services. The young peoples choir will render special music both morning and evening. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. These are very helpful meetings and deserve a large attendance. The subject is "My Favorite Sayings of Christ, and Why." The Woman's Missionary society meets on Friday with Mrs. H. C. Johnson, 408 Main Ave. N.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—English services Sunday 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Bible class meets Thursday 8 p. m. Mrs. Gilbert Lonson will entertain the Ladies aid Wednesday afternoon in the church basement.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, May 22: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Closing exercises with confirmation class at 11 a. m. At 8 p. m. Rev. P. A. Nelson, formerly of Youngstown, Ohio, and who has recently returned from South American Missionary field, will speak in the interest thereof. He will also speak Sunday afternoon at St. Hilaire at 3 p. m. Tuesday at 8 p. m. young peoples meeting. Thursday 8 p. m. prayer service. Wednesday, May 25 Mrs. O. J. Lundell will entertain the Ladies aid at her home, 339 N. Kendall Ave.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services, city, 11 a. m. Services, Goodridge, 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies aid Thursday, May 10th, Mrs. Griebstein entertains. Zion Y. P. S. Thursday evening, May 19th. Alma Savig and Anna Grindeland entertain. Confirmants Saturday at 2 p. m.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject May 22: "Soul and Body." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same location is open on Thursday p. m. from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is invited to these services.

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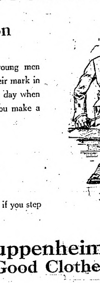

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City News

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Carl Gulrud of the Citizens State bank, was an over Sunday visitor in Crookston.

Mrs. Mike Fricker of St. Hilaire was in the city on Monday attending to shopping.

C. Lesure of Fargo was in the city on Thursday and Friday attending to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Parbst are the proud parents of a daughter, born Friday, May 13.

Mrs. G. Fellman and daughter, Miss Mildred, of St. Hilaire, shopped in this city on Saturday.

Miss Alice Greslie motored down here with a company of friends Monday to attend to shopping.

P. O. Myhrum, with the Hanson & Barzen Milling company, made a business trip to Leonard on Friday.

Miss Lois Forbes and Eleanor Anderson were among the many St. Hilaire shoppers here on Saturday.

F. H. Herrick of the Thief River Grocery company, made a business trip to Fargo the first of the week.

Mrs. R. L. Barackman is very ill at her home with pneumonia. Her many friends hope for an early recovery.

Miss Esther Tandberg who is engaged in teaching school at Oklee, was an over Sunday visitor at her home here.

E. C. Kurwand, cashier of the Citizens State bank of Hazel, made a business trip to Minneapolis the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Hanson arrived the latter part of last week from Cloquet to visit friends and relatives for a short while.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Burtness went to Holt, their former place of residence, to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Archie Dahl of the clerical force at Lieberman Bros. store left Thursday evening for the twin cities on a business mission.

Mrs. A. C. Kvennes and Mrs. C. Hjertos, both of Middle River were among the out-of-town shoppers in the city on Monday.

Mrs. A. Rathjen arrived here Friday from her home at Luverne, Minn. for a visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross.

Mrs. Hanna Olson and three children arrived the first of the week from Superior, Wis., to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. P. L. Gilseth.

Miss Hazel Lunsetter arrived here Saturday afternoon from her home at Gatzke to spend a week visiting her sister, Esther, who attends the local high school.

Norman Dybvick, who has been playing with an orchestra at Baudette for the past few months, returned to this city yesterday for an extended visit.

Send your dry cleaning to us; we clean dresses, suits, waists, gloves, furs, and in fact everything that can be cleaned. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mr. and Mrs. A. Skarstad motored to this city Saturday from their home at Argyle, to spend Sunday as the guests of Mrs. Skarstad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Naplin motored to Gatzke Sunday to spend the day with the latter's parents, who reside on a farm near that place and also attended a community picnic.

Mrs. J. P. Jenson of Goodridge left this city the latter part of last week for Minneapolis and Aberdeen, S. D., where she will spend a period of a month visiting with relatives and friends.

Paul Snyder drove over from Warren Saturday evening. On his return home he was accompanied by Kenneth Wattem who visited at his home there, returning to this city Sunday evening.

Sampson Troland arrived Monday afternoon from his home at Gatzke and was an over night guest of his sister, Mrs. A. Stene. He left Tuesday morning for Warren where he will be employed.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson left Monday evening for Paynesville to attend the wedding of Miss Marie Causin, formerly of this city, to Harry Widmer of the latter named place. She returned last evening.

W. C. Peterson and Dan R. Maue left Friday morning via the auto route for Minneapolis where they will remain during the summer months, leaving in the fall for New York City where they will be enrolled as students in the class of journalism at Columbia university.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Soderberg who had spent a period of seven weeks visiting at the home of the latter's mother at St. Hilaire, were guests at the Chas. Gustafson home for a few days the latter part of last week enroute to Jenkins, where they will remain throughout the summer months.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Roy E. Luttrell of Warren was a business caller here on Friday and Saturday.

Leroy B. Proctor of Crookston spent Sunday with his wife, nee Miss Lenore Beltz.

D. K. Bryant, formerly of this city, now located at Cass Lake, visited with friends over the week end.

Miss Myrtle Iverson arrived here Tuesday from Goodridge to spend a couple of days visiting friends.

Mrs. Clyde Nason went to Goodridge the first of the week to spend a few days as a guest of Miss Ruby Jenson.

Wm. Christianson of Holt was here on Saturday visiting with local friends and also attending to matters of business.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank here, returned Saturday from a three week's sojourn in the East.

Peter Satre has purchased a new Ford coupe and expects to leave the first of June on an auto trip to the western coast.

Mrs. Wm. Ellefson returned to her home at Newfolden yesterday, having spent a few days as the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. Cronstrom.

Mrs. Axel Risberg and youngest son went to Middle River yesterday to spend a day visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. Kezar.

Miss Alice Yager, who has been residing with her parents in the state of Washington, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bishop.

Miss Sarah Vaughan, who is engaged in teaching at Goodridge, spent the week end visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Daniel Shaw.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Olga Granum, who is employed at Minneapolis, arrived home Sunday morning to attend the silver wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Granum.

Judge E. D. Tawney of Winona, was in the city on Friday on matters of business and called on local friends. He left Saturday morning for Roseau on a business mission.

Mrs. Thomas Rowan left the latter part of last week for Hibbing where she will attend a concert given by Percy Granger, noted pianist, and also visit her brother who is employed in that city.

Mrs. I. A. Gilhausen and Mrs. J. O. Yotter returned Friday morning from the twin cities where they had spent a few days visiting friends. While in St. Paul Mrs. Yotter attended the grand chapter of the Eastern Stars.

Mrs. Jos. Baugh, Dr. and Mrs. Bren, Mrs. Barten and the latters' mother, Mrs. Polinsky of St. Paul, motored to this city on Monday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Erickson. Mrs. Baugh is an aunt of Mrs. Erickson.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse and children, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dale and family, motored to McIntosh Saturday evening to spend Sunday visiting at the home of Mrs. Nesse's parents. Mr. Dale is a brother of Mrs. Nesse.

Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mrs. E. J. Richards, delegates to the 9th district convention of federated clubs, and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, state chairman of thrift, left Monday morning for Breckenridge, where the convention is being held.

Friends here will be interested in learning that H. C. Durrin was honored with the appointment to the office of Grand Sentinel of Minnesota for the year of 1921. Mr. Durrin's appointment was recently made at the grand chapter meeting held at St. Paul.

Miss Ruth Reddin and mother of Minneapolis arrived here the first of the week in response to a wire that her sister, Mrs. W. H. BonDurant, was taken suddenly ill with acute appendicitis on Saturday night and was rushed to the hospital for an operation at once. Mrs. BonDurant is much improved now.

The Nels T. Wold post of the American Legion, Crookston, will have their annual round-up on Friday evening, May 20, to which all members of the Elmer J. Eklund post are invited. They will also have their 2nd annual Legion speed carnival June 12, at which time the St. Paul flying circus, auto polo, etc., will be attractions.

Mrs. Ed. Leven arrived yesterday afternoon from Rollis to spend a few days visiting at the home of her sister.

Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the Northwestern Telephone company, made a business trip to Roseau on Tuesday.

Mrs. Victor Brink of St. Hilaire, visited at the M. W. Brink home between trains on Tuesday.

Mrs. L. L. Cohn and little daughter, Betty, left last evening for Minneapolis, where they will spend the summer months with relatives.

W. R. DeVelling arrived here Saturday morning from Fort Myers, Fla., to spend the summer with his son, E. F. DeVelling and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Ross and two children are visitors in the city this week. While here they are making their home at the Brumund hotel.

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Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston and Grand Forks where she will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. A. Barten, accompanied by Mrs. Polinsky and Mrs. Bren, all of Warren, motored to this city Tuesday to attend to matters of business and also visit friends during the day.

H. O. Loken, who recently recovered from a case of small pox, returned to his work on Monday morning. Mrs. Loken contracted the desease shortly after his recovery but is getting along nicely.

Rufus Barrackman arrived here on Tuesday morning from Minneapolis, having been called home because of the serious condition of his mother, who is ill with pneumonia. At present Mrs. Barrackman's condition is much improved.

Norman Dybvick who spent a week visiting at his home here left yesterday afternoon for Bismarck, N. D., where he has signed a six months' contract to play with a three-piece orchestra at the Roof garden of the MacKenzie hotel.

The following who are members of the Rebecca degree staff went to Fisher yesterday to attend the district meeting of the lodge held there today: Mrs. Fred Dablow, Mrs. Ray Spencer, Mrs. J. L. Gassow, Mrs. E. Norquist, Miss Pearl Olson, Miss Myrtle Blair, Miss Rose Severson, Miss Anna Aspelund, Miss Clara Gullingsrud, Miss T. Kolberg, Miss Jessie Barnett, Mrs. C. R. Whiting and Mrs. A. Stenberg.

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We have never handled this class of merchandise before because $18.50 to $25.00 was the least these bags had to be retailed for everywhere. They are all the rage and selling big, especially in the large cities where $25.00 for a purse is but a trifle. One of the big importers had to liquidate quick. We were extremely fortunate in getting the few we did. Saturday, May 21st they all go on sale.

Values to $25.00. Take your choice at each, only $5.95

50 genuine Pin Seal fine leather bags and purses. Nickel plated frames, silk lined, inside pockets, hand mirrors, handkerchief pockets, clever new catches, strap handles. Values to $7.50. Saturday, your choice $2.95

50 Patent leather Vanity boxes, bags and purses. A beautiful collection that you must see to appreciate the values. They are the same purses and bags that we have sold right along at $5.95. This entire new lot for Saturday, May 21st. Take your choice at, each $1.95

A rare collection of Beads, 432 strings of 'em. All colors, all kinds. See them in our windows; it's a wonderful assortment of values up to $2.50. For Saturday, May 21st. Take your choice, at string 39c

A delightful new showing of ladies' fine neckwear. It's so gratifying to be able to get these nice qualities again at such reasonable prices 65c, 85c, $1.25, $1.95

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What a joy it is to see our money buy so much—to see every dollar get such big money's worth!

We spent the month of April searching the markets for extraordinary merchandise and values; so that we might give our customers a delightful month of May in supplying their Summer needs.

We counted it far better to spend our energies in buying, for your benefit, than to spend them in selling the goods for our own benefit. That is our idea of rendering real service to our public, while securing the larger volume of sales.

During the past week many new lots of specially purchased goods have arrived—some of the offerings being still better than those that came earlier.

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We'll thank you for your help.

H. O. Loken

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CHILD WELFARE.

Child welfare in this country is a democratic necessity. In an autocracy this work might be carried out by the benevolent few but in this republic child welfare is everybody's business. Autocracy may flourish with a handful of intelligent leaders and an utterly ignorant people but the success of democracy depends upon the health, intelligence and morality of its average citizen and that average citizen is being moulded in the homes, schools, streets and playgrounds in the cities and on the farms—in fact wherever American children are to be found.

With this thought in mind the great organization of Child Welfare Work has been established, from the Federal Children's Bureau through the various steps to the smallest county organizations. It is an interesting fact that Minnesota ranks first among the states of the union in the child welfare work. The Children's Bureau of this state acts under the State Board of Control, Wm. Hodson being director. At present there are about sixty county organizations. Pennington county was organized a year ago, holding its first annual meeting May 9, at which time Mrs. J. M. Bishop was re-elected chairman and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, secretary, the other members being Oscar J. Peterson, Geo. M. Gunderson and Peter Wold. The ex-officio members are County Attorney Theo. Quale, Sheriff W. J. LaBree and Probate Judge Lars Backe.

During the year the board has had charge of fourteen illigitimate children cases either directly or indirectly and in most of these cases paternity has been established and the father been obliged to assume full responsibility of the maintenance of the child until sixteen years of age. Two homes have been broken up because of moral delinquency, the children from one home being sent to Owatonna and the others being cared for by well-to-do families of the neighborhood. Two young girls have been sent to school where they have made splendid records both mentally and morally. Five mentally deficient children have been committed to the proper state institutions, the mentality of most of these cases having been tested by a mental expert sent out by the state.

The board has thirteen county allowance cases under its supervision at present. These pensioned mothers must be visited at least once in three months by members of the board before they can receive their monthly county allowance regularly.

There is a great deal of work to be done under the jurisdiction of this board. Many counties have their paid secretaries and social welfare workers in connection with its welfare work. Pennington county is not so fortunate in this respect but the work is new, the county is new and the board does its work as best it can, hoping that at some future time it may have these additional officer and therefore attain a higher degree of efficiency. The nature of the work of this board is such that a great deal of the activities must be carried on in a quiet manner. The accomplishments of the local organization during the past year are remarkable and wherever possible they should have the greatest co-operation.

BRAGDON AND HIS PAROLE.

The release of J. W. Bragdon nearly a year before the expiration of his sentence reflects on the judgment of the State Parole Board. Its Chairman has explained that it is the custom to parole prisoners with good records for the last year of their sentence. Other prisoners serving time for crime like those committed by Bragdon have been paroled sooner than he.

But there are circumstances in the Bragdon case that set it apart, and require that it be so treated. There was no excuse for what Bragdon did, no mitigation of his guiltiness. He did not lack for money, for education, for good associates, for social and business position. He outraged the moral sense of the community by crimes against girlhood that still seem utterly inexplicable for a man of his environment and opportunities. He fought against conviction with all the resources of money and influence—and he did not fight fair.

His conviction on the third trial, after material witnesses spirited away for his benefit had been found and brought back, was rightly hailed as a triumph of law and justice, and a refutation of the too often expressed opinion that punishment might be sure for the poor and friendless, but not for the well-to-do.

His sentence was light, in view of the enormity of the crime. It was "from one to seven years"—the most the court could give under the law. He ought to have been made to serve every day of it. As it was, he has been by his own statement practically out of prison three years, living an outdoor life on the prison farm, and now gets his freedom eleven months before the end of his sentence, already diminished to four years by good conduct allowance.

And Bragdon now comes back to Minneapolis, seeking, as he says, "the opportunity to show that I am not as bad as I was painted, and to regain my business and social standing." Expressing no contrition, but still arguing his innocence, he proposes that he be re-admitted into business and social standing in this community. Can it be that, after seven years, he does not understand that he proposes an impossibility?

Let him in all humility bring forth works meet for repentence. His parole was a mistake of judgment. Let him seek to justify it by a suitable course of conduct.—Minneapolis Journal.

Old Settlers Planning Celebration For June 8.

The fiftieth anniversary of the arrival in the Red River Valley of the first settlers in 1871 will be celebrated in an appropriate manner this year. The celebration will be given by the old settlers of Climax and surrounding territory, on the 8th day of June, at the Estenson schoolhouse, 4½ miles northwest of Climax. There is to be a big community picnic and program, it is announced. It is thot probable that Senator Ole Sageng, Judge Grindeland and other good speakers are expected to be present.

Will Not Build This Year.

The directors of the Physicians Hospital company have practically decided not to build any addition to the hospital this year. This decision was reached after giving the matter very serious consideration. Present financial and building conditions seem to make it advisable to delay the project for possibly another year.

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The Sun of PROSPERITY *is rising*

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		Boys' genuine Palm Beach pants	$3.19

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We can save you money on your shoes. Men's fine dress shoes	$5.45	Entirely new oxfords, new styles, semi Brogue	$7.85
Men's strong work shoes, standard makes such as Chippewa and and Wayenberg	$2.85	Men's black dress shoes. All sizes, 6 to 11	$4.45
Men's fine work shoes of the better kind, sold everywhere for $4.50. We have a big lot, all sizes, at	$3.45	School shoes with soles that last Reasonably priced	$2.85
Boys' genuine calf shoes, waterproof, soles, the finest boys shoes on the market	$4.29	Boys' outing shoes, strong and durable, at	$1.98
		We have wonderful values in black Florsheim English shoes at	$7.45

We have succeeded in securing a big lot of fine shirts and are passing our advantage in buying to you.

Men's high grade soft shirts, fast color, striped. Big values	$1.19	Boys Kaynee collar attached dress shirts	95c
Attached soft collar shirts, made by Wilson, Marshall, Field and other standard makes. Our price	$1.45	Boys' good Kaynee blouses	68c
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Junior Issue.

This is the third of a series edited by the four classes of the high school; in other words this is the Junior publication. The two preceding issues put out by the Freshmen and Sophomores respectively, were worthy of any class, and we believe they deserve a great deal of favorable comment and credit for the results of their efforts. The Juniors extend their congratulations.

The Freshmen showed considerable wit and cleverness, especially by "putting something over" on their classmates or teachers.

The Sophomores, who of course have had an additional year of training, deliberated on weightier subjects, to show that they could fulfill our expectations.

In this, our Junior number, we are attempting to combine wit and philosophy and juggle the news so that you may get a proportional amount of each. As we Juniors have almost completed our third year of our high school course, we are expected to have developed sufficiently to be able to think for ourselves and have a command of the American language so that we are able to express our ideas and thoughts in a clear and logical manner. To meet with these expectations we have done our utmost in uniting our efforts to produce an edition worthy of any Junior class.

A Better Lincoln High.

We have a motto or our High School—a good one. It is "Efficiency of Integrity." We should also have a slogan and "A Better Lincoln High" would be a very desirable one. That is not saying that our High School is not a good institution as it stands at present but it certainly could be improved and brought up to a still higher standard.

Many ideas for this improvement have been offered by the instructors, among them being the abolition of slang and of the smoking habit. During the year the students have had the opportunity of pledging themselves to make their high school work the most important factor of their lives during their four years at the high school. If each and every student would carry out this pledge it would greatly improve the standard of Lincoln High, and with the cooperation of the instructors and citizens of the city of Thief River Falls, this end could easily be accomplished. So here's for a better Lincoln High.

Senior Play tomorrow night.

Character and Literature.

Very few young people can be brought to realize that what a person reads is very often an expression of his or her character. By this I do not mean that what any person casually reads in a paper is an expression of character but that which she reads and re-reads and relates to others. This is often her own ideas just down in words by someone else. People who read stories of western life, of the desert, or of sports usually enjoy these things, or they have a secret longing to go west and see the country. People who read Shakespeare and Bacon are intellectual and studious and their taste in reading is well developed. Those who read cheap novels and articles written by men and women who know less than they do themselves, express and display their own cheapness, their inability to appreciate the true and fine quality of better works. Some stubborn people refuse to read anything that is not written by a particular author they like. Such individuals are usually narrow minded and prejudiced. Lastly there are people who read everything and anything that is printed, good, and bad and indifferent. They are unsettled people, they have no fixed ideas, no moral uplift, and no guide to their reading or life.

"All of a Sudden Peggy" Friday night.

Senior Honor Roll.

The honor roll of the graduating class of 1921 has been announced. Betsy Ness is valedictorian with an average of 93.1%; Ethel Conklin, Annie Hincik and Dreng Bjornarna were tied for salutatorian with averages of 91.75%, 91.65% and 91.35% respectively.

The ten students with the next highest scholastic standings are: Mary Vance, Adolph Sundrud, Rose Oski, Beatrice Sandum, Anna Leimers, Evelyn Saugen, Marguerite DeCremer, Lois Struble, Clara Lund and Lester Coyle.

"All of a Sudden Peggy" at the Auditorium Friday night. Tickets 50c and 75c.

Friday, May 27, the Juniors and the faculty members will be guests of the Senior class at a reception. It has always been a custom for the Seniors to do this as a return compliment for the banquet given by the Juniors earlier in the year.

Matinee Friday at 3:30. Adm. 15c.

Dear Alumni.

Did you know that the "1921 Prowler" is off the press and is now on sale? Have you sent in your dollar for your annual? Already a number of the alumni have sent in their subscription but they have not as yet been sufficient to buy up the quota which we had printed and have allotted to the alumni of Lincoln High School.

The annual this year is a great deal smaller than annuals of former years but still the 1921 Senior class feels positive that it is one that every one will be satisfied with. The annual consists of a great many pictures and things that every one is more or less interested in and all of the things that are boresome and uninteresting have been left out.

A great many of you have already received a letter and subscription blank. We realize that this is a busy time of the year, a time when things like annuals are put in the background of your mind. But we also realize that if we do not bring this matter before you that you will regret the fact that you put off sending in your subscription until too late, thus losing out on your copy of the "1921 Prowler."

Do not delay in sending in your dollar ($1.00) for your copy of the "1921 Prowler." Send all subscriptions to Business Manager of 1921 Prowler, care of Lincoln High School.

1921 SENIOR CLASS OF L. H. S.

Laboratory Equipment.

A most valuable department in our high school is the science department. Indeed any student at all interested in science will devote his time to that study in a way that he perhaps will not do to any of his other subjects. Science is a subject that is receiving great attention at the present time and in everyday life a knowledge of science will find enumerable applications. Therefore the High School laboratory as a means of gaining knowledge on this subject is very important. Our laboratory is not very well equipped, in fact, for a large class it is very poorly equipped and and the students are handicapped by the lack of material and cannot get the most out of their experiments. If a student is expected to do good work, it is not fair that he should be hampered because of lack of equipment.

—STUDENT OPINION.

Normal Department.

We are fortunate in having included in our high school the Normal Department, as a department for the training of pupils for rural teachers. This is an excellent opportunity for the Juniors who next year have the intention of entering this department.

Able men and women are needed as teachers and leaders. It has been estimated that eighty-five per cent of the entire population are followers, and only fifteen per cent are leaders.

The rural school teacher has a greater opportunity than a city teacher in this profession, as she has the experience of teaching the several grades. She is virtually the leader of the community in which she has charge of the school education, and is consequently among the fifteen per cent leaders. She has the enjoyment of gathering people together at entertainments, such as clubs, of socials. There is always an opportunity of the teachers in securing schools, as there is always the call for teachers.

This year the number of seniors graduating from the normal department is twenty-five, and next year this number will not probably be much diminished.

Harry Phillips Sings.

The students and faculty of Lincoln high school had the unusual opportunity of hearing Harry Philips of Minneapolis, one of the most noted baritones of the northwest, during chapel Tuesday, May 10.

He sang several selections, accompanied by Miss Laura Forde, among them being "Dear Old Pal of Mine," and "On the Road to Mandalay."

The appearance of this great artist was made possible by the Choral society, to whom we wish to express our sincere thanks.

A Swimming Pool.

Lincoln High School gives her students many advantages, for she does not only give education which developes the mind, but that which developes the body as well. Every student of our institution is required to take gymnasium twice a week and to spend some time daily in the open air.

Along educational lines our school lacks nothing. We have the best of teachers and the healthiest class rooms. We have a sunshiney library to do our reference work in and an airy study-hall to study in.

Our school offers the boys football in the fall, basketball in the winter and baseball in the spring. It offers the girls basketball. But there is one thing that we ought to have and that is a swimming pool!

I believe there are two good reasons why we should have this asset. There is first of all, the healthful exercise derived from it. It has been stated by noted physicians that people who take this exercise daily save many doctor bills. This in turn means that they become stronger physically and as a result of this the students do better work mentally. The stronger the pupils are in body the easier it is for them to study. They find school life a pleasure and take a keener delight in all their work. Now why should not Lincoln High have a swimming pool? There is no reason whatsoever that I can see, for Lincoln High is one of the most progressive schools in the state in every respect.

I also believe that pleasure obtained through this sport would make it pay to have it put in. How much fun it would be to be able to take a dip every day. All of us would learn to swim thereby making our summer trips to the lake a great deal pleasanter. How proud we would feel to be able to say: "We learned this too at Lincoln High School and you just ought to see the swimming pool we had. It makes me want to go back and take a swim there again."

I surely hope that soon we will be able to say that for our school. That which makes for health and happiness brings the best results both mentally and physically.

—STUDENT OPINION.

"All-of-a-Sudden Peggy" tomorrow night.

Entertainment a Success.

The pupils and teachers of the Northrop school were well rewarded for their work in putting on their entertainment last Friday. Both the afternoon and evening performances were well attended and everyone reported having enjoyed the entertainment to the utmost. The clever costumes added greatly to bring about the fairyland effect of the operetta given by the first, second and third grades. The costumes used in the play "Alice in Wonderland" were no less effective.

The little actors and actresses are to be complimented on their success.

On Friday, May 20, in Loken's store, the Home Economics department of Lincoln high school will give an exhibit of the work done this year. Miss Johnson's cooking classes and Miss Poppitz' sewing classes will furnish the material for the display. The food products will be sold at 5 o'clock to anyone who wishes to purchase them.

Knox School Notes.

This has been a month of birthday parties for the kindergarten pupils. Those having had birthday parties during the last few weeks are: Miss Friestad, kindergarten instructor; Melvin Johnson and Morris Lonson.

The pupils of the kindergarten have been turning their skill to gardening. So far the extent of their efforts has only been confined to planting nasturtium seeds in the window boxes, but it is fairly safe to predict that a second Luther Burbank may be developed from their ranks.

During the past two weeks the marching pennant for the lower grades has been awarded to Miss Lofgren's room and Miss Fjelstad's room, while that of the upper grades has been awarded to Miss Howe's room. This pennant is given for a period of a week to the teacher whose room marches in the most quiet and orderly manner.

Miss Grizold and Miss Fjelstad, instructors in the Knox school, spent the week-end visiting with friends and relatives at Grand Forks.

The pupils of the Knox school attended in a body the operetta given by the Northrop pupils at the auditorium Friday afternoon.

The Times Job Department can furnish quick service on orders of cards for the Senior Commencement programs. M19

Central Notes.

For the past two weeks the people of the eighth grade have been very busy practicing for a play under the direction of Miss Mortensen and Miss Johnson, to be given in place of graduation exercises.

Last Thursday the eighth grade gave an ice cream cone sale. The purpose of the sale was to raise money for the play, that is to be given by the students.

Robert Halvorson has been confined to his home for the past week on account of sickness. He is expected to resume his duties Monday.

The Boy Scouts of the Wolf patrol went on a hike Saturday morning. They left at eight o'clock and returned the same evening.

Pupils neither tardy nor absent for the month of May are: Millard Myrin, Alma Myrold, Esther Rustad, Henry Hjelden, Olive Auland, Annie Amon, Bonnie Barnett, Kathryn Barzen, Lloyd Bennes, Evelyn Buringsrud, Keith Craik, Elizabeth DeCremer, Rose Dostal, Bernice Erickson, Myrtle Erickson, Orven Evenstad, Rose Flynn, Georgia Frissell, Dorothy Fuller, Lily Gran, Gladys Sandstrom, Thomas Scanlan, Emmett Shanahan, Oscar Soderberg, Kenneth Streeter, Marguerite Lofthus, Evangeline Umland, Leiv Vistaunet, Winifred Wengeler, Dale Zeigler, Robert Halvorsen, Henry Hjelden, Marjorie Hoppa, Alice Jacobsen, Ernest Jaranson, Maxine Johnson, Ariel Kinghorn, Ray Langseth, Muriel Loken, Ruth Melby, Ella Monsebroten, Lawrence Mulry, Russell Olsen, Francis Ohm, Francis Paranteau, Pauline Paranteau, Mildred Remmem, Earl Rue, Lucille Roark, Beatrice Sandum.

Individual cards to be enclosed with the Commencement programs. The Times Job department can give prompt service. M19

Some Poetry.

There are two boys in this zone,
Who both can play a saxaphone,
Tho not yet masters in this line
They've just begun and are coming fine.
The other day they made a hit,
When in the morning they did their bit
And played a tune or two in school.
They played so long they broke the rule
Which gives some minutes for the same.
These boys went to the Hall of Fame
By playing overtime a while.
And there was many a clap and smile
Amid the students who had stayed
And listened to them while they played.
If to the Hall of Fame you'd go
Just get a saxaphone and blow.

By X. Y. Z.

A Senior there was, oh, so straight and so tall,
He knew he was smart, and he thot he knew all.
And next to him sat a dull Junior so blue,
And he was sure that he knew what he knew.
The Sophomore next him did look, ah, so wise,
He thought he knew all, but his thot we despised;
And then came the Freshie so greenish and slow,
Who solemnly said: "Oh, I know I don't know."

Personals.

In order to avoid the inevitable drowsiness of a last-period-in the afternoon class, the American history class is being conducted at 8:20 in the morning. As a result there is a grand rush at the end of the forenoon. Possibly it means breakfastless mornings.

Edward F. was seen coming from school with books in both hands. It was also incidentally observed that he was entirely speechless. Of course we all know why.

Some of the teachers were seen having green umbreals. Evidently they are assisting "Mother Nature" in assuring us of the fact that spring is here.

The High School orchestra made its first appearance recently but as yet no cases of hysterics or other mental disarrangements have been reported.

The Modern history class under the direction of Mr. Melby is making a huge campaign map of the world's war. It may be up for exhibition at the county fair this summer.

Seniors have been scratching their heads these days trying to figure out how many friends they have and who they can expect presents from if they send them an invitation.

Kermit Anderson's latest name: "Tag-a-long."

The school board is considering some kind of a welcome sign to be placed over Prof. Melby's door. The board was unanimous in voting for the epitaph: "You'll like it."

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WRIGLEY'S

"After Every Meal"

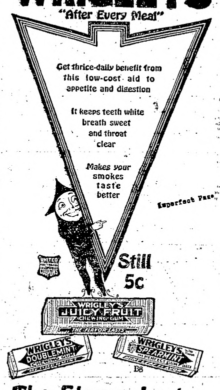
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No preserves, jellies or jams are so full-flavored, pure, wholesome and delicious as those that mother puts up at home—in Ball mason jars.

Put up your own berries,—it will make a big dent in your living cost and give your family better food.

Check up your fruit jars and rings,—get in a supply of sugar,—be sure to have reliable recipes.

Strawberries will be ready for canning almost any day now.

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Impartial tests made on authority of the Government proved Red Crown surpassed the specifications set by the Government for its requirements of motor gasoline. These facts indicate the ideals of service which animate the activities of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) in every department of its business.

To maintain the quality of a product when the demand is normal is a general practice. It is when demand is pressing and the supply is low that insistence upon maintained quality is a true measure of a manufacturer's integrity.

To maintain the quality of each product at the point set by the technical staff is an outstanding characteristic of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana). Red Crown is a good example.

Another is Fortnite long-time burner oil. This product is used in railway signal lamps. These signals are often located at points remote from human habitation. For public safety their uninterrupted service is of the utmost importance. It is essential that the oil shall burn with a clear, bright flame for days at a time without attention.

During the blizzard of January, 1918, lamps filled with Fortnite, located high up in the Rocky Mountains, burned night and day during the ten days that traffic was tied up, and at the end of that period they were giving perfect service.

It is only by multiplying such records of quality and integrity of manufacture over a long period of years that the reader can grasp the degree of public confidence enjoyed by Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

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Personals.

Norman Dybvick, an alumnus of this school, is visiting with his parents in this city.

Dreng is quite undecided as to what he will do after graduating this year. He says that he will consider the position as president of the United States, but the "New York Sun" says is possibilities for editorship of Jim Jam Jems are very good.

Wanted—A private detective to watch Ruby Bennis.—Kermit Anderson.

Found on Senior's paper: "John Bunyan discovered Blue Jay corn cure."

"Fat" Evenson is writing a book entitled: "How to Get the Most Out of Life."

Bill Alexander is working on a code which will enable a person to curse in seven different languages. This code will be highly favorable to students who write those five-thousand word themes for Dr. Melby.

Found: On John Hendry's coat collar Monday morning—one black hair. Party who lost this may obtain same by calling at Mr. Pierce's desk and paying advertising expenses.

Wanted—A good position as combined typewriter and bookkeeper.—A Junior.

Wally Zeh will contend for state honors in the cherry-picking contest next fall.

Ernest Barzen, Ernest Zeh and Hugh McDaniel motored to Grand Forks on Saturday morning and returned Saturday evening. They were accompanied home by Leland Schuster, Eli Westin and Howard Bakken, who spent the week-end at the Zeh home. They returned to Grand Forks Monday.

How would you feel if a girl kissed you "all of a sudden?" Watch Jimmy Keppel tomorrow night.

Junior A. B. C.

A stands for Anna who for Marshall has eyes,
B stands for Bernard who thinks he is wise,
C stands for Clara for whom geometry is easy,
D stands for David who is big, fat and lazy.
E stands for Elsie with pretty puffs and curls,
F stands for Fred who slips from the girls.
G stands for Gregory our president elite,
H stands for Helen who rides on a bumper at night.
I stands for Ingaborg who has her lessons each day,
J stands for John who on a saxaphone can play.
K stands for Kussa who does try to think,
L stands for Lillian who can giggle and wink,
M stands for Marie who never stays up late,
N stands for Nora, who for "Knight" does wait.
P stands for Paul so skinny and tall,
Q stands for queer, which most of us are.
R stands for Ruby, our shining bright star,
S stands for Sybil, a Venus she'd be,
T stands for Thora who just says "tee-hee."
V stands for Violette who a vamp tries to mock,
W stands for William with black curly locks,
X, Y and X stands for all the rest of us, last but not forgotten.

Don't forget the Senior Play tomorrow night.

Teachers' Favorite Magazines

Miss Elliott	"Independent"
Mr. Tripp	"Farmers Dispatch"
Miss Poppitz	"House Beautiful"
Miss Swift	"Gregg Writer"
Miss Patrick	"Photo Play"
Miss Johnson	"Domestic Science"
Miss M. Johnson	"Musical America"
Miss Hoora	"Higher Up"
Mr. Tommeraasen	"Physical Culture"
Mr. Schmitt	"Popular Mechnics"
Mr. Pierce	"Judge"
Miss Svedal	"Scandinavian"
Miss Iverson	"Life"
Mr. Melby	"Harpers"
Miss Leavitt	"Readers Guide"
Miss Brown	"Field and Stream"
Mr. Pope	"St. Nichols"

Matinee Friday 3:30. Adm. 15c.

Wanted By:

Helen W.—A chauffeur for John's car.

Nora L.—Someone to push Leland's baggage cart, at noon.

Julia Langass—The mumps for the right side.

Johanna Wedul—A remedy for blushes.

Borghild Johnson—Glasses to match.

Camille—Remedy for reducing (outside of dieting and exercising.)

Helen L.—Permanent wave that is not effected by the weather.

Ida Shields—Somebody to love me.

Fat E.—Anything worth eating.

Helen W.—Somebody to pull me through exams regardless of what little I know.

Milton L.—A new place to put my coat when I come to school (early.)

Typewriting Classes—Permission to look at keyboard, less speed tests, less noise, more fingers.

Matt B.—A Junior girl for a steady.

John H.—A good way to appear older without dyeing his hair.

Morris Mabey—Someway to teach forgetful girls of their responsibilities.

Sybil—A few good magazines to read during the afternoon (not including Geographical and the dictionary).

Sybil—A small pocket typewriter to write her love letters on.

Camille Warner—Longer skirts.

Bernard Bischoff—A larger vocabulary.

John Hendry—More saxaphone music.

Milton Larson—An extra loud, 8-day alarm clock.

Lillian Knight—A Ford with more speed.

Paul Helseth and August Langseth—Somebody to take out in their motorboats.

Marie Cruse—More time for Allen.

Irma Marcue—A few hours of sleep.

Kip LaBree—A bet to make $5.

Are you ever in need of an extra "fiver" in these hard times? If so come to the auditorium Friday night and Archie may give you a tip as to how you may go about it.

The class that's got some "pep and speed,"
That pulls the tricks that's new,
The class that pulls together,
Is the Class of '22.

This year we're called the Juniors,
Next year it's something more.
May we never be as green and small,
As the Class of '24.

Next term when we get seats in back,
And when we'll Seniors be,
We hope we won't be so stuck up,
As the Class of '23.

We are the bunch that starts the scraps
The bunch that has the fun,
Here's hoping we won't feel quite so big
As the Class of '21.

—A JUNIOR.

Matinee tomorrow: 3:30. Adm. 15c.

Ouija Revelations.

To Whom It May Concern:

The Junior Mediums, Madame Mae B. Shefollem, Madame Lotta Humbug submit the following report from the recent seance:

How will Mildred E. and Bessie E. win fame? Ask the Dancing Midgets.

Will Benhy Lind ever get over his bashfulness? Most assuredly, just as soon as he can hide his face behind his mustache.

What sort of death is predicted for Adlynn LaBree? Unless she mends her ways, she is doomed to be consumed by the bookworm from her neglected text books.

What classes will the class of '22 outshine? The classes of '20-'21-'23.

A Warning.

These lines are meant for only you
Who next year sometime,
While on your toes with back bent low
Will face our football line.

When you see "Wildcat" coming
Why lose your head and run,
Don't say, "I'll get this fellow,"
Because it can't be done.

And then there's "Kip" and "Stanley"
And more to back these three,
So with them back here next year
We're planning strong you see.

So when the band begins to play,
Although they make some noise,
The rest of you who do not play,
Get out and back the boys.

Use Tact.

When you're a Freshman, by nature you're green,
You study each lesson; write every long theme;
But when you're a Junior, you're wiser, in fact
You don't bother to study at all, just use tact.

Smile, oh! so brightly
Speak so politely
Nothing can then from your power detract
If you never act lazy
They'll think you're a "daisy"
They'll give you an "A" and it's all due to tact.

Wake, Wake, Wake.

Wake, wake, wake,
From thy sweet young dreams, O scholar
And I would that my tongue could utter
The thoughts, while I put on my collar.

O, well for another days joy
Then he shouts for his sister to bring
O, his tie and everything,
Then he frowns while the school bell rings,

And the stately scholar bluffs on,
Thru his classes, hour after hour,
But O for the grip on a fishing rod,
On the banks of the river, Hour.

Wake, wake, wake!
From thy springs fervor dreams, O scholar,
And the tender graces of the ruler's pang,
Will always come back to me.

The Junior's Lassies.

What is there so rare
As a lady so fair,
As some of our Junior lasses.
And although they are nice
They always think twice
Before they report to their classes.
But when they get there,
They get their full share
Of anything else but pleasure.
So let this be heed
To some few who may need
A bit of our daily measure.

"All of a Sudden" Peggy, presented by Senior Class tomorrow night.

Jokes.

Junior: "That boy is a good cartoonist."

Sophomore: "Oh, what instrument does he play?"

Miss Elliott: "Elsie, what is the difference between a written and unwritten Constitution?"

Elsie: "A written Constitution is written and an unwritten Constitution is unwritten."

Math Barzen is living up to his favorite song: "I'm Always Falling in Love with the Other Fellow's Girl."

Ask John Hendry if he prefers fences to sit on rather than chairs.

In Chemistry class: Mr. Melby talking to students, "What's the matter with you, did you check your brains at the door when you came in?"

Miss Patrick: "Ella, name ten of Burn's poems."

Ella: "Oh, ah, 'to a Mouse,' 'To a Louse,', oh, ah, 'Tam-O-Shanter,' oh, ah—??"

Miss Patrick: "Well, what is one you probably have danced to?"

Ella (brightening): "Oh, 'To Mary in Heaven.'"

Time! Oh Time!

First boy: "How much time have you got to make up tonight? Should I wait for you?"

Second boy: "Yes, wait three hundred and eighty minutes."

Now our paper is complete,
Written in letters both clean and neat
We're paid for all our labor,
If it but meets with your favor.

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John Gullingsrud
COUNTY TREASURER.

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Warren	.30	.25	.25	.40
Bemidji	.60	.30	.25	.85
Grand Forks	.35	.25	.25	.45
Fargo	.65	[illegible]	.25	[illegible]
Roseau	.45	.25	.25	.65
Greenbush	.40	.25	.25	.55

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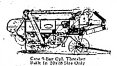

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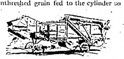

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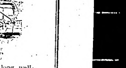

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Among Our Neighbors

ST. HILAIRE

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Soderling left Thursday for Jenkins, Minn., after a month's visit here with Mrs. Soderling's mother, Mrs. Helen Chelin.

Miss Selma Maland was a visitor at Thief River Falls Friday, returning the same evening. She was accompanied by her sister, Gladys, a student of the Thief River Falls high school, who visited at the parental home over Sunday.

Mrs. B. E. Burkee who has made an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Martz, at Litchfield, Minn., returned home on Thursday.

Miss Anna Harder, a student at the Thief River Falls high school, spent the week end at the parental home.

Miss Selma Hoff returned Monday evening via the Soo, after visiting over Sunday with Mrs. Lilly Sorvig at Winger, Minn.

Mrs. Alma Annette of Bemidji, with the Duluth Casualty Ass'n., transacted business here on Monday.

Herman Kruse and Thorvald Miller, who have been employed on the iron range, returned home Tuesday to remain at their respective home in Black River.

Mrs. Elmer J. Landes and children arrived here last Wednesday from Rolfe, Iowa, where they have visited at the home of a sister of Mrs. Landes. They will spend some time visiting here with Mrs. Landes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Brevik.

Mrs. Joseph Fraser and daughter of Rainey River, Ont., arrived the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of Mrs. Fraser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson.

Miss Elesa Hendrickson, who has been teaching in a rural school near Ada, returned home Saturday, having completed her term. She will spend her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Nels Johnson.

The Misses Eleanora Anderson and Lois Forbes spent Saturday at Thief River Falls attending to shopping.

Mrs. Seebart of Grand Forks, N. D., arrived Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. R. J. McKercher.

Mrs. Helen Chelin visited between trains at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Ed. Peterson returned the forepart of the week from St. Paul, having accompanied a carload of stock there for the Farmers' Shipping Ass'n.

The Misses Gladys Gigstad and Lulu Beebe shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Duncan McAllister came over from Grand Forks Monday to attend to business matters here.

A deal was transacted this week between Henry Georgen and William Crown and Richard Larson whereby Crown and Larson became owners of the General Merchandise and Hardware store formerly owned by Henry Georgen.

Misses Josephine Branum and Selma Hoff shopped in Thief River Falls on Tuesday afternoon.

P. A. Hallstrom, N. A. Nelson and Rev. A. F. Nelson left Monday to attend a Swedish Lutheran convention, held this week at Eagle Lake, Minn.

H. A. Olsen, K. O. Gigstad, A. J. Hed and Hans Wilson were business callers in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cooper called at the L. B. Klove home Sunday evening.

The Stennes young folks visited at the Wedul home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Asp was a business caller in Hazel Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wedul and sons, Arnt, Oscar and Melvin, visited at the J. P. Johnson home Saturday evening.

Warner Borgeld made a brief call at the Cooper home Sunday afternoon.

Wm. Jesperson and sons Lester and Lawrence called at the Omdahl home last Saturday.

Jacob and Amy Stennes called at the Johnson home Saturday evening.

Beatrice Wedul visited with Beatrice Omdahl Sunday afternoon.

GERMANTOWN

Olaf Tharaldson was a caller at Mavie Monday.

Henry Clausen called at the D. Dau home Saturday.

Misses, Minnie Bentten, Bessie and Gladys Roller, were Sunday guests at the O. P. Nelson home.

Misses Jennie Sparby and Emma Graff, Alen and Casper Jones called at the L. Bendickson home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson visited at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson returned home last week from Bemidji where she has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Paulson for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Emil Hanson called at the Henry Roller home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson called at the Albert Rohrer home on Wednesday evening.

Miss Emma Graff closed a successful term of school in Highlanding. She will also teach the coming two months at Erie.

Miss Lois Struble was a guest at the August Ristau home Sunday.

Miss Hannah Weber visited with Stella Philipp Sunday afternoon.

Misses Bessie and Gladys Roller and Minnie Bentlin and Henry Klockman, visited at the Stogaberg home Sunday evening.

STEINER

Mr. Jacobson of Spokane, Wash., spent a few days at the T. Jacobson home last week.

Mable Rogers, who has been teaching near Stephen, returned home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy entertained Mrs. Cork and brother, J. Russell, at their home Saturday evening. Mrs. Cork expects to pay an extended visit in Wisconsin before returning to her home at Spokane, Wash. She expects to leave Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Meyers and family attended church in Holt Sunday, May 15.

Miss Grace Russell, who has been teaching near Drayton, N. D., returned to her home Saturday, May 7.

Miss Mable Shefveland closed a successful term of school Friday evening. A closing day program rendered by the lower grades and a commencement program by four pupils was given. It was well attended and after the program games were enjoyed by the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Koglin and family spent Sunday with the Frank Slack family.

Misses Ruth Solem and Mable Rogers called at the Reidl home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Meyers and daughter, Esther, spent Sunday evening at the S. R. Rogers home.

ROSEWOOD

Paulson-Thompson.

Before Rev. Moen at the Lutheran Trinity church at Crookston, occurred the marriage of James Thompson of this place to Miss Lillian Paulson of Gully, last Monday afternoon. L. H. Aos and Miss Mary Aos of Gully, acted as groomsman and bridesmaid. The bride is a brilliant young woman and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Paulson, residents of Gully. Mr. Thompson has for the past six months had charge of the Hanson & Barzen elevator at this place and is a highly respected business man. The newlyweds will go to housekeeping in the Hanson & Barzen residence which has lately been completely refurnished and affords a very attractive home. The community joins in extending hearty congratulations.

Signe Charlotte Sevaldson.

Signe Charlotte Sevaldson, who had for some years been a victim of tuberculosis, passed away on Friday, May 13, at 4:30 p. m. Deceased was born in this township Dec. 12, 1891, and had made this place her home nearly all her life. The funeral was held at Rindal on Monday, with Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls officiating. Left to mourn her death are her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Bore Sevaldson, one brother and two sisters, Thor and Cora Sevaldson of this place and Mrs. Ole Johnson of Warren.

Thos. O. Eide.

Thos. O. Eide, one of the prominent farmers of the northwestern part of this township, passed away at the Warren hospital last Saturday, another typhoid victim. Mr. Eide was of middle age and has been an active member of the Farm Bureau, farmers' clubs and all other movements pertaining to the betterment of agriculture. The funeral was held on Wednesday and was largely attended.

Peder O. Sorenson.

Peder O. Sorenson, eldest son of Mrs. Bella Sorenson, died at noon on Monday, after being ill a month with typhoid fever. Peder had been unconscious most of the time for a week preceding his death and for several days it had been evident that the end was not far off. A complete obituary will be published next week.

Miss Emma Sorenson, who has been employed near Thompson, N. D., this spring, arrived home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum went to Warren the beginning of the week to seek medical aid for their oldest son, Shervin, who has been ill for some time.

Iver Westby of Goodridge visited with his parents here last Sunday.

Chester Dols of Thief River Falls spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson returned from their trip to Gully last Wednesday.

Mrs. Anton Gullseth and Olof Nordhagen motored to Thief River Falls last Wednesday to see their mother, Mrs. Sire Nordhagen, who is soon to undergo an operation there in an attempt to restore her eyesight which has failed her this winter.

Herbert Carlson has been appointed government mail carrier to succeed J. Thomson who was relieved on May 15. This includes only the delivering of the mail from the depot to the Postoffice twice a day.

Mrs. Frank Olson of Thief River Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson and family of Warren, attended the funeral of Sena Sevaldson on Monday.

Services will be held in town next Sunday afternoon, May 22, at 3:00 at the Congregational church by Rev. Ole Sande of Numedal.

Swen Swenson went to Thief River Falls on Thursday evening to finish the remodeling of the interior of his residence on Main street which was recently destroyed by fire.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

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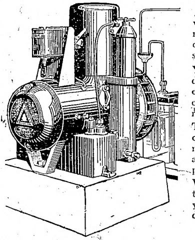

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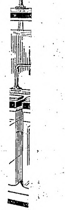

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GOODRIDGE

Miss Viola Ronkin arrived Wednesday from Beltrami to visit at the home of her uncle, O. T. Ronkin, north of town.

Paul Engelstad was in town Wednesday evening. He accompanied County Agent J. J. McCann to Highlanding, where a Farm Bureau meeting was held.

Miss Sophia Krebachek returned home Wednesday from Crookston.

Victor Pohlman of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday on business.

Ole Granum of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday attending to business matters.

Miss Adeline Millard left Wednesday for her home at Aitkin, Minn., after a visit at the home of her cousin, Mrs. R. H. McDonald.

Mrs. V. C. McLeod and two children arrived home from Antwerp, N. Y., Sunday morning, where they have made an extended visit with relatives. Mr. McLeod met them at Thief River Falls.

Oscar Williams of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday on business.

Stuart McLeod was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

Mrs. Henry Rockne spent Sunday at home, returning to her school on Monday morning.

Miss Sarah Vaughan returned Monday morning from spending the week end in Thief River Falls. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Peggy Shaw, who will visit at the home of her uncle, Morgan Vaughan, a few days.

Rev. B. Lambert of Bemidji was in town Sunday and held services in the schoolhouse both morning and evening. While here he was the guest of the J. Payne family.

Morgan Christianson of Strathcona was in town Sunday visiting the home folks.

Miss Marie Knudsen, Red Cross county nurse, was in town Friday afternoon and made a few calls.

Miss Eleanor Bauer spent the week end in Thief River Falls as the guest of her friend, Miss Ella Pelto.

Miss Anna Nystal visited with her brother John, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Alice Haack arrived Saturday from the twin cities and left for her home at Grygla.

Carl Utabja of Osakis was in town Saturday morning enroute to Grygla to visit relatives a few days.

Mrs. Kusmack left Saturday for Pine City to attend the funeral of an uncle.

John Guinan of Thief River Falls was in town Monday attending to business.

Mr. Houske, creamery inspector, was in town Monday between trains.

A. Hermanson was a passenger to Thief River Falls Monday to attend to business matters.

Ted Tandberg spent the week end at his home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. J. Wilson returned to Thief River Falls Friday, after spending a few days at the W. P. T. ranch.

Alfred Dybvik of Thief River Falls visited at the J. P. Jensen home on Sunday and Monday.

Victor Peterson of Grygla was in town Saturday enroute to New York City.

Bob Perrin of Grygla was in town Saturday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen left Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives in the southern part of this state and South Dakota.

D. A. Danielson, buttermaker at the Goodridge creamery, is recovering nicely from an attack of bronchitis and will soon be out again. His brother is running the creamery during his illness.

The Goodridge band gave a concert at Erie Sunday afternoon. They played for a small but appreciative audience. A number of Goodridge people accompanied them.

Mrs. Will Wayne and young son of Germantown, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Payne, Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Nason and baby of Thief River Falls, are visiting at the J. P. Jensen home this week.

Miss Myrtle Iverson was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

Community Meeting.

A real live community meeting will be held Friday evening, May 20th, in the schoolhouse. The program will be carried out as follows: Music by Goodridge band; a short business meeting; old-time spelling match with Morgan Vaughan and Osmond Urdahl as captains. This will be followed by a peanut hunt and the leaders of the teams will be Miss M. Wildes and B. O. Norby. Community singing and lastly a light lunch will be served. Everybody plan to come and a good time is assured you.

Goodridge School Notes.

The eighth grade graduation exercises will be held June 2nd. The program is not completed as yet but the eighth grade pupils will give project demonstrations. There will be a good speaker and music.

The Goodridge high school baseball team journeyed to Oklee last Tuesday and suffered defeat at the hands of the Oklee team, the score being 11 to 4. A return game will be played Saturday, May 21st at Goodridge. The lineup was as follows for the last game: Bundhund, fb; Payne, sb; Christianson, ss; L. Urdahl, tb; Ferdinandsen, p; Stein, c; Halverson, rf; N. Urdahl, cf; Olson lf. The Goodridge team was accompanied by a number of rooters and both the team and rooters were given a cordial welcome in every respect.

STEINER

Oscar Swanson of North Dakota spent a few days visiting at the home of his parents, and also attended the funeral of his sister-in-law.

Cyrus Malberg is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

A social was held at the Steiner schoolhouse Friday evening, under the auspices of the Young Peoples' society.

Charles Swanson spent Saturday at Thief River Falls attending to business matters.

Miss Mathilda and Julius Liden motored to Thief River Falls Saturday evening, on business.

R. B. McWilliams of Thief River Falls spent Sunday in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Malberg were among the Thief River Falls shoppers Monday.

STUDENTS "STEP INTO" BANK JOBS

Whenever Northwestern banks need competent employes, they phone, write or wire Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. Graduates of this unusual school are now making good in some 700 banks. About 230 have become officers. Recently G. A. Horner was sent as assistant to the cashier of the Tower City State Bank; Zella Darling accepted a like position with the Amenia State Bank.

"Follow the SucceSSful." In Summer School you get more individual attention; graduate sooner. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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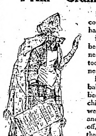

"Granny" Chamberlain

Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

—Yours for Health—Granny Chamberlain

Legal Notices

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nineteen and 50-100 ($19.50) Dollars which became due on the first day of March, 1918, and which is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage [illegible]

[illegible]

River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein, in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Co-partners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Ed. Narveson, defendant, on the 29th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Twenty-one and 05-100 Dollars ($21.05), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Ed. Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Ed. Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein, in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Co-partners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Ole Narveson, defendant, on the 29th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Sixty-four and 14-100 Dollars ($64.14), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

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Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the [illegible]

[illegible]

LOUIS SEVERANCE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
a-28-m-5-12-26-j-2

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty-six and 42-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ole Oveson and Mathea Oveson, his wife, [illegible]

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40 Bu. of Minnesota No. 13
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This is the 15th year this corn has been grown in this county. Three tests gave this a percentage of 94, 96 and 100.

It took 2nd prize at the Crookston Farm Crops show in February and 2nd at the Minnesota state show.

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Help Wanted—Male

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Help Wanted—Female

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LOST

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MISCELLANEOUS

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157,170 FARMS IN STATE; 14,185,289 ACRES CULTIVATED

First Census of Agriculture Shows 40,753 Laborers Required in Summer of 1919.

With the reported number of farms in the state as 157,170, Minnesota farmers cultivated 14,185,289 acres in the season of 1920, according to the farm census report just completed in the office of N. J. Holmberg, commissioner of agriculture.

This is the first farm census taken in the state, Mr. Holmberg announced and was done in conformity with the law passed at the legislative session of 1919. Reports were received from practically every township in the state on all agricultural activities.

The report shows a total of 26,859,526 acres in the state, of which 12,674,329 were not cultivated, while 253,299 were cleared and stumped in the five year period ending in 1919.

Of the total number of farms, 118,707 are occupied by owners, 38,463 by renters. These producers, both farm owners and renters, were instrumental in tilling more than 1,020,000 acres of land, thereby draining a vast territory which now is fertile soil, and producing large crops, the report shows.

Services of 40,753 laborers were required to carry on the activities of the farmers in the 1919 summer growing season at an average wage of $60.00 a month, while 11,815 laborers were required to carry on the work in the winter months at an average wage of $41.64 a month. The total wages paid by the farmers to laborers in the summer months amounted to $2,448,588, in the winter $411,978.

There were 90,436 dogs reported in the state on the various farms in the 1920 year which were the cause of killing 3,710 sheep. Wolves, the report shows, killed 1,962 sheep.

There were 1,083,660 cows, of which 22,982 are classified as purebred and 1,060,680 common. There were 19,496 purebred bulls and 52,824 common bred bulls. There were 21,859 purebred heifers and calves, 984,150 common bred and 326,466 classified as "other cattle." The report showed 772,863 horses, 1,310 being purebred males, 2,811 purebred female and 678,733 classified as "others." The number of mules used by farmers is shown to be more than 5,600.

Farmers of the state owned 257,666 sheep and 1,341,779 swine. The mortality rate among livestock owned by farmers reached considerable proportions. The census reports show that 27,086 horses died of disease in the year ending April 1, 1920. In that same period 310 mules died of disease, 30,850 milch cows and 77,913 cows classified as "other cattle" and 39,313 sheep.

The mortality rate reached larger proportions among swine, 47,780 having been reported as dying from cholera and 141,148 from other causes.

Creameries *and centralizing stations* purchased more than $49,266,300 worth of milk and cream produced by the farmers in the 1920 season, while the city trade purchased more than $3,776,600 worth of this dairy product. It required 118,295 cream separators to prepare this product for the market.

The feeding of the dairy herds required 15,293 wooden silos for the preparation and preservation of their food and 5,803 silos constructed of other material than wood.

Minnesota poultry produced $10,728,743 worth of eggs in the year ending April 1, 1920, while the poultry of the state is valued at $3,915,311. The value of livestock sold for meat was placed at $77,447,108.

Farmers planted 2,776,881 acres to spring wheat and 52,848 acres to winter wheat during the 1920 season. There were 5,350,056 acres of corn planted, 4,079,573 for silage purposes and 1,250,483 for grain. More than 880,100 acres were seeded to oats. The acreage sown to other grains were: fall rye, 527,891 acres; spring rye, 500,331 acres; barley, 1,007,199 acres; emmer or "speltz," 20,028 acres; buckwheat, 31,660 acres; potatoes, 302,282 acres; rutabagas, 3,564 acres; onions, 1,351 acres; cabbage, 3,365 acres; sugar beets, 7,031 acres; cow peas, 2,028 acres; flax, 378,552 acres; millet, 74,498 acres; sorghum for syrup, 1,627 acres and 11,500 acres for fodder.

Tame grasses and legumes acreage under cultivation April 1, 1920, were: timothy 989,210 acres; clover 293,761; blue grass 17,811; alfalfa 41,306; sweet clover 18,136 and other tame grasses 150,026. The state produced 114,610 bushels of cloverseed and cut 2,081,429 tons of tame hay during 1919 not including alfalfa or sorghum.

That the farmer rapidly is improving working and housing conditions is shown by the report that there are 14,588 tractors and engines and 61,039 smaller power plants. There were 540 electric lighting systems which directly involve the lighting of *15,275 farm buildings;* 443 carbide lighting systems lighting 846 farm buildings and 1,700 gasoline lighting systems which illuminated 1,548 farm buildings.

There were 24,813 stands of bees in the state, producing 703,365 pounds of honey.

Broken Main Causes Trouble.

A broken water main in front of The Times office was discovered late yesterday afternoon. A crew of men worked half the night trying to locate the trouble and the break will will probably be repaired some time today. It was first discovered that something was wrong when water started to leak through the front wall in the basement of the Times office where large quantities of paper are stored. An effort was made to shut off the water in front of the building but this could not be done and Supt. Legvold then put men to work digging up the street. It is apparent from the condition of the ground that the leak has been going on for some time and it is fortunate that no greater damage has resulted from it.

BREAK GROUND FOR CREAMERY

Work on the new, modern home of the St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery association was started Monday morning this week. It is expected the basement will be finished last of this week, and material is already on the ground for building forms for pouring the foundation. All material has been ordered shipped, and if all goes well, Contractor Carlson expects to have brick laying well under way by the first of next month.

When completed and equipped, the plant will be one of the finest and most modern to be found in this part of the state. Stockholders of the association realize the urgent need for a new building and have planned one that will take care of its needs for many years to come. It takes courage and faith to go ahead with a project of this kind under present conditions, but the people in this vicinity have both as is evidenced by the new building now in course of construction.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Butterfat Prices

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He will climb the Evelyn Hotel at 7:30
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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle
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His big Super Special.

BADLY CRIPPLED UP, SAYS MINER

Had Rheumatism So Bad He Could Not Stoop to Untie His Shoes.

"A man can't help praising a medicine that rids him of his sufferings like Tanlac has me," said Eli Baderd, a miner living at 514 W. Superior St., Duluth, Minn.

"Last spring I was taken down with a bad case of rheumatism and thought I was going to be completely crippled up. It started with severe pains in my back and neck and got so bad I couldn't turn over in bed without suffering agony. The pains in my legs were so terrible that I could hardly walk home after work and my legs pained me so I could hardly stoop over to untie my shoes.

"One of the fellows at the mine where I was working said to me one day, Why don't you take Tanlac and get well? See what it has done for me.' Well, I took his advice and it was the best thing I ever did, for it put me back on my feet and now I am just brimful of new life and energy. I get around fine and work as well as I ever did, as all my pains are gone and I feel better than I have in many a day. I wish I had time to call on everybody who is suffering as I was and tell them about Tanlac."

Public Forum

The Teacher Shortage.
A. K. Lockrem.)

Improvements are absolutely necessary along three lines of our Public School system, if we can hope to get enough teachers throughout our land.

These improvements must be: Better living conditions for teachers both in cities and the rural districts, and a change in the tenure of office.

The city school districts should build suitable residences for the superintendents. Many superintendents have to rent houses quite far away from the school buildings, thus making the distance inconvenient; they often have to pay an unreasonably high rent; this added to heating and other living expenses consumes their entire salary. The nature of their profession hinders them from building a house of their own.

This is in a nutsell the explanation to why so many superintendents leave the teaching profession. There is a general conviction that the school districts are not showing up the proper consideration for their personal welfare and living conditions.

No general plan for comfortable teachers' homes has yet developed, and the short time they are engaged indicates a distrust on the part of the district.

No Common or High School Board has yet ventured to engage a teacher for a longer period than just for the school months of one year.

This practice does not show much confidence.

It seems that most school districts expect to get the very best teacher, and that during the short trial term, the teacher is "weighed in the balance and found wanting," and that they expect to get a better one the next term; thus is the habit of changing teachers kept alive.

This habit of changing teachers almost every year, added to the inconvenience to the teacher, because the districts have not provided for convenient teachers' homes, is the reason why we have so few men teachers.

Nearly every young man wishes to establish his own home, and in order to do that he must have a steady job. Therefore it is out of the question to plan for continuing in the teaching profession at the present time except for a few, whose desire for education and for the teaching profession is so strong, that they cannot do otherwise.

These few men, then, obtain a full normal, college or university education, so they can fill the highest positions. But in the small rural schools men teachers are so few, that when such a one is found it creates surprise. So also in the grades of the city schools.

These last mentioned, and the rural schools, are generally taught by young women. This is, of course, entirely all right except that it causes a continual struggle on the part of the state officials to turn out a sufficient number of new teachers every year. Only a few young women plan to continue in the teaching profession for lifetime. When the Divine Architect formed their nature in the soul of noble mother Eve, He laid in her heart a strong wish for homelife, and most of them follow this blessed inclination; their average years of teaching are few.

But if the public school system in regard to living conditions and tenure of office were changed as above mentioned, young men could safely plan to enter the teaching profession for lifetime, thus eliminating the necessity of turning out such a great number of new teachers every year, their average years of teaching would be many, thus steadily reducing the teacher shortage. This plan will not do injustice to our women teachers; they will always be needed. This plan is aimed at reducing the teacher shortage, only.

(Possibly a way may be found to improve the living conditions for women teachers also, though that appears to be more difficult. But the change in tenure of office for women teachers could be applied, if they should wish it.)

The people will accept this plan much easier than to continually increase teachers' salaries. High cash salaries are never looked upon with pleasure by the common people, of which I am one, for the simple reason, that they, most of the time, have to get along with small salaries themselves. (The present high salaries for common labor is only a passing incident that after a few years will come down again to its former time-worn level, and cannot be taken as a standard for future conditions.) But to build teachers' homes is not objectionable to the common people. Free housing and a little smaller cash salary is much more agreeable to their minds, and is better for teachers.

This can be proven by remembering, that the church people do just this to their pastors and to teachers of their denominational schools. This plan, then, to improve living conditions and tenure of office is agreeable to both parties concerned and ought to work well. It would add a certain dignity to the teaching profession, bring the necessary steadiness and convenience to a profession, which for all time will have more or less of the external characteristics of the Levites of ancient Jewish history.

These improvements, coupled to the present state insurance for teachers, will, beyond a doubt, be an inducement to young men to choose the teaching profession as their life's work. Professors for our denominational colleges are called for an indefinite period of time, and we have had no shortage so far.

In my next article I shall state my views on rural schools.

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LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.21
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.18
Oats	.21
Flax	1.59
Barley	.35
Rye	1.10
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	4.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.20
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.15
Dairy butter	.25
Creamery butter	.35
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.8-.10
Lamb dressed, per lb	.08-10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.05
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb	.04
Cows, per lb	.01-.05

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FRIDAY
Tom Moore
In
"TOBY'S BOW"
And
A Buddy Comedy

SATURDAY
George Walsh
In
"FROM NOW ON"
—and—
Brownie, the Wonder Dog
In
"HIS MASTER'S BREATH"
Matinee 2:30

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Contance Talmadge
—In—
"MAMMA'S AFFAIR"
The sort of story in which you've never seen Connie before.
A First National Attraction.
—And—
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The King of Fun Makers
—In—
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Matinee Sunday: 2:30

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SUNDAY ONLY
Eugene O'Brien
—In—
"A WONDERFUL CHANCE"
Educational Weekly
Snub Pollar Comedy "June Madness"

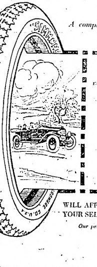

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Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords
One lot women's low shoes taken from regular stock. Very good styles in all leathers. Nearly all sizes in the lot. Values to $11.00. For quick cleanup
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One lot Men's, Women's and Children's white and brown canvas shoes....95c

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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Historical Society

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MERCHANT BODY PLANS UNUSUAL BARGAIN EVENT

Wednesday, June 22 is Set as Date—Special and Novel Inducements Arranged.

Free Auction, Base Ball Game, Band Concerts and Extra Movie Will be Features.

Booster Paper Will be Published in Effort to Attract People From A Distance.

Wednesday, June 22, has been set as the date for Thief River Falls' first big Market Day celebration by the Merchants association. Elaborate plans are being made and everything possible will be done to make it eclipse any previous effort in this direction.

Special Attractions.

Among the special entertainment features of the day will be a big free auction, baseball game between the fast teams of Thief River Falls and Karlstad, band concerts, and a special movie feature at the Lyceum. For this date Manager Brumund has arranged to show "The County Fair," a screen production that has caused a storm of favorable comment.

In addition to this the merchants will all conduct new and novel sale events. Special bargains will be offered by all the stores and merchandise featured that will attract large crowds here.

Special Paper to Be Issued.

As an added advertising feature the merchants will issue a special eight-page paper. This will be sent as a supplement to the regular subscribers of The Times and in addition will be mailed to a list of five thousand names in all parts of this section of the tate. It will be the first gun of a mammoth campaign to establish Thief River Falls as the trading center of Northwestern Minnesota.

To Be Monthly Affair.

The fourth Wednesday of each month for the next six months has been decided upon as the date for the big market day celebrations in Thief River Falls and every effort is to be made to make them banner events. New attractions will be featured each month and entertainment provided that will please.

The first publication of the Merchants association "Market Day Special" will be on June 16. It will be brim full of interesting reading matter and attractive adverstisements. It is probably the biggest undertaking of any group of merchants in the northwest and will be one of the strongest advertising features that the city has ever had.

The first issue will be called "The Market Day Special" but in that issue the merchants are offering a cash prize for the best name submitted for future issues. This contest will be open to all who wish to submit names and the person suggesting the one that is adopted by the association will receive twenty-five dollars in cash. Another feature for the first day will be a "Round Robin Sale." Just what this is remains to be seen. The "Latch String" in the first issue of the paper will give complete details.

Neighboring Postmasters Receive Raise in Pay

Four postoffices in this section were advanced to what is known as the presidential grade from fourth class on April 1. Goodridge is among these and the postmaster at that point will hereafter receive a salary of $1,200 per year. Climax, Grygla and Holt are among the Minnesota communities similarly promoted.

Overlands Drop in Price.

Announcement is made this week by the Northwestern Auto company of a big drop in the price of Overland cars. A decline in price of two hundred dollars has gone into effect on all models of Overlands and three hundred dollars on the Willys-Knight.

M. C. BURNS SUFFERS SERIOUS INJURY IN FALL FROM LADDER

Arm and Hip Broken and Injured Internally—Chances For Recovery Slight.

M. C. Burns was seriously injured Monday when he fell from a ladder at his home, breaking one arm and hip and receiving internal injuries. Because of his advanced age and the seriousness of his internal injuries it is feared that the accident will prove fatal.

Mr. Burns had climbed to the top of the porch, using a ladder which was a little short for the purpose. He had placed it on top of a box and experienced no difficulty in climbing to the top of the porch. When he was descending, however, the box upset, throwing him to the cement walk below. It was first thought that a broken arm and hip were the only injuries he had received but later in the day symptoms of internal injuries developed which have since proven to be of a very serious nature.

The injured man is 72 years old and one of the first settlers in this secmtion of the state.

LOCAL COUNTY JAIL SCENE OF SUICIDE LAST FRIDAY NOON

Life Taken by Hanging Self With Handkerchief From Top Of the Cell.

A man named Joe Hanson took his own life in the county jail last Friday noon by hanging himself. He was a resident of Karlstad and had been taken in by the local authorities Friday morning when his queer actions indicated that his mind was unbalanced.

Hanson had been taking treatment for some ailment at the Kirby farm south of the city. Friday morning he wandered away from the farm and engaged in numerous antics that attracted the attention of neighboring farmers and convinced them that the man must be insane. Sheriff LaBree was notified and brought the unfortunate man to this city, where he was placed in the county jail.

At noon Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh went to the jail with the man's dinner and found him hanging from the top of his cell with his handkerchief tied about his neck. The assistance of Deputy Sheriff Frank McGinnity was secured and the body taken down and the coroner notified.

The remains were shipped to Karlstad for burial.

Farm Values in County Increase 162 Per Cent

The value of farm lands and buildings in Pennington county increased from $5,128,728 in 1910 to $13,468,465 in 1920, according to the figures of the census bureau just made public. This is an increase of 162.6 per cent and shows up well in comparison with other northwestern Minnesota counties. The number of farms, however, show a slight falling off, there having been 1,244 reported for 1910 as compared with 1,221 in 1920. These figures are all the more astonishing when it is noted that the total acreage in farm lands ten years ago was 257,485 as compared with 284,688 acres at the present time. This is an increase of 10.6 per cent whereas there is a decrease of 1.9 per cent in the total number of farms. The amount of land designated as "improved" increased 42.2 per cent, jumping from 136,735 acres in 1910 to 194,473 acres last year.

Wheat Falls Off.

That wheat is rapidly losing its standing as the principal crop of Northwestern Minnesota counties is proven by the census figures. These show that in 1919 the total acreage devoted to this evereal in Pennington, Polk, Red Lake and Marshall counties was 473,620 acres as compared with 292,871 acres ten years previous. In spite of this big increase in the acreage the total wheat yield in these counties dropped from 4,556,267 bushels, to 4,421,314 bushels—a falling off of 114,953 bushels. Wheat is the only grain showing a decline, oats, rye, barley and flax production having kept pace with the increase in land development in the section, with rye making the best showing.

In 1909 there was only 820 acres devoted to rye in Pennington county and the total yield was 11,492 bushels. Ten years later the acreage had increased to 12,293 and the yield to 123,711 bushels. In round numbers the oat acreage increased by 4,000 acres and the yield by 100,000 bushels.

Cattle Showing Disappoints.

Contrary to all expectations the report shows the number of cattle to have decreased in the county during the ten years, although it is explained that the figures for domestic animals are not very closely comparable for the reason that the 1910 census was taken in April, or about the middle of the breeding season, while the figures for 1920 were secured in January and consequently do not include the spring calves. It is likely that if the census for the two decades had been taken on corresponding dates a slight increase would have been indicated. In other northwestern counties the same situation is noted, Marshall and Polk showing an increase of only a few head. Red Lake county shows up particularly well in this respect, there being an increase of 4,000 head indicated.

Valuation Increase.

The actual development of the section is perhaps best indicated by the increase in the value of its farm lands. In every instance this is remarkable, as will be noted by the following figures:

County.	1920	1910	Inc.
Clearwater	$ 8,681,910	$ 2,598,659	$ 6,083,251
Marshall	41,520,290	14,081,313	27,538,977
Pennington	13,468,465	5,128,728	8,339,737
Polk	75,260,443	29,738,082	45,522,361
Red Lake	12,603,909	3,006,651	9,597,258

TWO GOOD BASE BALL GAMES ON SUNDAY-MONDAY

Fertile Aggregation That Defeated Locals in 10 Inning Battle, Here Sunday.

Decoration Day Game Will Be With Ada. Both Teams Have Salaried Players.

St. Hilaire Defeated by 6 to 0 Score on Local Diamond Last Sunday.

Some real baseball is on the calendar for next week. The fast Fertile bunch of ball tossers will be here Sunday and Monday. Ada is coming with a salaried team to give Thief River Falls a real battle. Both games will be called promptly at 3:00 o'clock and the admission will be fifty cents. Federolf will be in the box Sunday and Van Dusen will do the twirling in Monday's game.

The local team will be strengthened this week by the arrival of Len Schroeder from St. Paul, who will hold down the initial sack. He is an old timer, having played with Cincinnati in the National league for one year and with the Columbus American Association team for three years.

Ten Inning Battle.

Yesterday the local aggregation played at Fertile and came back with the short end of a 4 to 3 score. It was a ten inning contest and a fine exhibition. The Fertile mound artist had the sign hung on the Thief River sluggers, letting them down with three hits while Federolf was found by the Fertile men for eight safe clouts.

St. Hilaire Defeated.

Sunday afternoon St. Hilaire was defeated by the score of 6 to 0. The game, however, was not as one-sided as the score might indicate. With the exception of the first inning it was a close game. In the first period Thief River Falls put four runs across the plate but for the remaining eight innings only two men made the circuit.

Federolf was in good form, holding the visitors to four scattered hits. Melquist, for St. Hilaire, was pounded for thirteen safe drives, two of these being three baggers and one two bagger.

The following box score gives the details of the game:

Thief River Falls.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Braden, ss.	4	1	2	1	2	2
Lawrence, 2b.	5	1	1	1	2	1
Morse, c.	4	1	3	13	2	0
Federolf, p.	5	1	1	0	3	0
Prugh, cf.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Connell, rf.	4	0	2	0	0	0
Burggraf, 3b.	4	0	2	3	1	0
Jonas, 1b.	4	1	0	7	0	0
Herron, lf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
McGinn, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
	37	6	13	27	10	3

St. Hilaire.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Jackson, cf.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Tuleton, ss.	3	0	1	2	1	1
Jenson, c.	4	0	1	4	0	0
Hallanac, 3b.	4	0	0	4	3	0
Wilson, 2b.	3	0	0	5	0	0
Hanson, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Engh, 1b.	3	0	0	10	0	4
Hall, lf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Melquist, p.	3	0	1	2	2	0
	31	0	4	27	6	5

Two base hits: Morse, Prugh; three base hits: Morse, Burggraf; first on balls off Melquist, 3; struck out, by Federolf, 13; by Melquist, 4; sacrifice hits Graden, McGinn, Tuleton; umpires: DeCremer and Erickson; scorer: Hadrath.

WILL AUCTION OFF CHOICE GUERNSEYS

The Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders association picnic and consignment sale, to be held at the Burr Oaks farm of Albert Johnson, two miles south of this city, on June 7, is creating a great deal of interest throughout the valley. There will be 27 head of purebred and high grade Guernseys offered to the highest bidder, among which are six bulls of the very best breeding. Nine purebred and 12 high grade females will also be offered, among them being several heifers due to freshen soon. Five heifer calves (two purebreds and five grades) listed in this sale are particularly suitable for boys' and girls' club work.

Guernsey breeders from all sections of the valley are urged to pack a picnic basket, load the family into the jitney and come to this picnic and sale. It will be a day of pleasure and profit and will present an opportunity of securing one or more of the best Guernseys in the Red River valley.

The age, description and breeding of all offerings may be secured by applying to J. J. McCann, county agent, Thief River Falls, or Leonard Houske, secretary, Halstad, Minn.

EXERCISES FOR GRADUATES TO BE HELD JUNE 3

Class of Seventy-eight Will Complete Course of Study At Lincoln High.

Baccalarueate Services to Be Held at Auditorium Next Sunday Morning.

Sermon to Be Delivered by Rev. T. E. Sweger of the Trinity Lutheran Church.

The commencement exercises for the class of '21 of the Lincoln high school will be held at the auditorium Friday morning, June 3. At this time seventy-eight students will receive their diplomas. This is the second largest class to ever complete the course of study in the local high school, last year's class of eighty-six students being the record.

The baccalaureate services will be held at the auditorium next Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. The program will be as follows:

Piano Prelude
Doxology
Invocation
Hymn
Scripture
Prayer
Offering (to be divided between participating churches)
Anthem
Sermon, Rev. T. E. Sweger
Hymn
Benediction

The services will be conducted by Rev. R. L. Barackman of the Presbyterian church.

The officers, honor roll and class roll are as follows:

Officers.

Dreng Bjornaraa, president; Mary Vance, vice president; Clayton Steenerson, treasurer, and Ethel Conklin, secretary.

Honor Roll.

Valdictorian, Betsey Ness; salutatorians, Ethel Conklin, Annie Hincik and Dreng Bjornaraa; honor roll, Mary Vance, Adolph Sundrud, Rose Oski, Beatrice Sandum, Anna Leimers, Evelyn Saugen, Margerite DeCremer, Lois Strubble, Clara and Lester Coyle.

Class Roll.

Corine Adsero, Elline Anenson, Burton Aarnes, Florence Burns, Lucille Blaska, Julia Brudvick, Mildred Bottelson, Dreng Bjornaraa, Vernon Copp, Lester Coyle, Ethel Conklin, Alice E. Causin, Marguerite DeCremer, Chester Dols, Lillian Eide, Gladys Ellestad, Clara R. Engen, Allen Fossim, Hulda M. Gustafson, Vivian Gabrielson, Lillian Hincik, Esther Hadrath, Mildred Hauglid, Lynn Halvorson, Clarissa Hornseth, Eileen Herron, Frances Holmgren, Anna Hincik, Ruth Hadrath, Clarence Knutson, Dottie Krafthefer, Myrtle Krohn, Olga Koglin, Goldie Kellberg, Elmer Larson, Bonnie Lind, Anne Leimers, Clare Lund, Viola Lund, Esther Loff, Cecelia Lubinski, Georgia Muzzy, Myrtle Mellum, Hugh McDaniel, Arthur Myra, Betsy Ness, Mae Olson, Henry Olson, Rose Oski, Valeria Parenteau, Jordan Penney, Helen Quirk, Mabel Robinson, Doris Richter, Marshall Race, Evelyn Saugen, Adolph Sundrud, Clayton Steenerson, Olga Swendsgaard, Esther Soards, Mable Swanson, Stella Stenvik, Louis Struble, Ida Shields, Amy Sorlum, Bernard Sundahl, Harold Smithers, Florence Stageberg, Beatrice Sandum, Gladys Smith, Ruth Sathre, Stella Thompson, Mary Vance, Mary Wing, Ernest Zeh and Olive Olson.

Will Readvertise For Bids on Long Bridge

Bids for the rebuilding of Long bridge across the Thief river just north of the city limits will not be considered on June 1, although this was the date set for awarding the contract. It has been discovered that the plans submitted are not satisfactory and new ones will be provided. As soon as these are received and approved new bids on the bridge will be advertised for.

PROGRAM COMPLETE FOR MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE HERE

Many Organizations in the City Will Assist in Paying Tribute To Honored Dead.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the Memorial Day exercises is carefully attending to every detail and it is anticipated that the services conducted here Monday, May 30th, will be the most impressive ever held in the city.

Exercises will first be held at the auditorium after which the various organizations of the city will form in line and march to the cemetery where the graves will be decorated and military services conducted. The program as arranged by the committee is as follows:

Assemble at Auditorium at 10 o'clock.

Patriotic airs by Thief River Falls Band.

Program in Auditorium commences promptly at 10:15, as follows:

"Star Spangeled Banner," by Choral Club and Audience.
Invocation—Rev. Barackman.
"America, My Country"—Choral Club.
Lincoln's Gettysburg Address — Miss Una Nelson.
Patriotic Solos—Mrs. L. F. Fisher.
Address—Rev. M. J. Noesen.
"America"—Choral Club and Audience.

W. B. Fuller will act as officer of the day. The usual line of parade will be followed to the cemetery. The American Legion has charge of services at the cemetery.

Young Peoples Covenant Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Young *Peoples Covenant of the Swedish* Mission church in the Red River Valley will be held in Crookston this year. The meeting will be in the form of a Bible conference with three sessions daily. The dates are June 1 to 5 inclusive. Plans are now taking definite shape, both as to arrangements and program. The morning session will be devoted to Bible study, the afternoon session will be given over to lectures and the evening to evangelistic meetings.

JUNE FIFTH SET AS DAY OF RED LAKE AUTO TRIP

Teachers in Public Schools Invited to be Guests of Commercial Club on Trip.

Outing Will Include Big Picnic Dinner and Boat Rides on The Lake.

Enthusiasm Indicates that at Least Fifty Cars Will Make The Trip.

Sunday, June 5th, has been decided on by the automobile tour committee of the Commercial club as the date for the first tour of the season. Red Lake is to be the place visited and the natural attractiveness of this future playground of Northwestern Minnesota is certain to make the touring party one of the largest that has ever gone from this city.

Teachers to Be Guests.

At the Commercial club luncheon this noon it was unanimously decided to extend an invitation to the teachers of the public schools to be the guests of the Commercial club on the trip. The necessary accommodations will be provided for them and every effort possible made to make the outing an enjoyable one for them. The fact that Red Lake is the largest body of fresh water located wholly within the United States makes it a point of more than usual interest.

Agency to Furnish Boats.

Chairman E. O. Mogensen of the Automobile Tours committee, was assured by a long distance telephone call from the agent at the Red Lake Agency last evening that they would do everything possible to add to the pleasure of the outing. He stated that their plans would include the furnishing of a large boat and a number of small ones to give the party a trip on the water. The boats will be at the outlet of the lake and the ride will be made just as extensive as time will permit.

Fish Chowder Dinner.

H. W. Protzeller has been placed in charge of preparations for the picnic dinner and he is making elaborate plans for a feed that will be somewhat of a novelty. It will be a fish chowder dinner, made from fresh fish taken from Red Lake. Mr. Protzeller with his assistants will leave everything in readiness for the party when it arrives Sunday morning. All of the necessary provisions will be purchased by the committee and then each member of the party will pay their proportionate share.

Band to Accompany Party.

Geo. C. Loken has been appointed as a committee of one to make arrangements for taking the band on the trip. This will add much to the day's pleasure and Mr. Loken is authority for the statement that he will have assembled on the morning of June 5th one of the "peppiest" musical organizations that ever left this city for any similar purpose.

Notify Committee.

The committee in charge of the tour consists of E. O. Mogensen, chairman; H. W. Protzeller, L. H. Lawrence, Dr. G. W. Booren, Roy Lambert, R. H. Ross, and Geo. C. Loken. Any who wish to make the trip are requested to at once notify any member of this committee or Scott Laird, secretary of the Commercial club. The teachers who intend to go are requested to notify Secretary Laird so that cars may be provided for them.

It is also requested by the committee that all owners of autos who will have extra space in their car notify them in order that all who wish to go may be accommodated. All who wish to go and have no car of their own are also requested to leave their names with the committee. This is to be a big community affair and it is intended to see that all make the trip who wish to. In this connection it is anticipated that a number of the teachers will have invitations from private parties to accompany them on the trip and it is important that the commercial club secretary or members of the committee be notified of this. Those extending invitations to any of the teachers need merely give notification of the fact together with the names of the teachers they have invited.

Service Car.

A service car will accompany the party equipped with repairs for all makes of cars and skilled mechanics to make any repairs that may be necessary.

About twenty-five cars have already been listed with the committee and it is anticipated that this number will at least be doubled.

WORK STARTED BY PAVING CONTRACTOR

CITY'S BIGGEST IMPROVEMENT WILL NOW BE CARRIED OUT AS PLANNED BY THE CITY COUNCIL

Contractors Agree to Accept City's Certificates of Indebtedness at Par as Payment For Work—Removes All Obstacles For Much Needed Improvement.

Crew of Men Now at Work on Main Avenue Putting in Curbs and Gutters—Work of Excavating and Laying Pavement Will Start in About Ten Days.

Pavement for the streets in the business section of Thief River Falls is now an assured fact. The contractors arrived with their equipment Monday and the preliminary work has already started.

Public Surprised.

This announcement came as a complete surprise to the people of Thief River Falls. In fact the idea of the possibility of the streets being paved this year had to all appearances been abandoned by everybody and the opinioned prevailed throughout the city that the action of the Oen Mercantile company against the city of Thief River Falls had successfully blocked the paving program for this year at least. With this case coming up at the June term of court and the likeliness of an appeal to the supreme court from whatever decision might be reached in district court the sale of the bonds seemed impossible and none could see any light in the situation.

It is now apparent that the city officials have been proceeding quietly with their plans which terminated with the arrival here of the contractor and his equipment Monday.

Contractor to Take Certificates.

It appears that the contractor has agreed to go ahead with the work and accept the certificates of indebtedness of the city at par in payment as the work progresses. This gives the city full benefit of the advantageous sale of the certificates of the city to the Capitol Trust and Savings Bank of St. Paul some time ago as the contractor has agreed to accept the certificates at the same price as was bid by this bank. It will be remembered that the Capitol Trust and Savings Bank, after contracting for the certificate, later repudiated their contract and announced their inability to handle the certificates with the Oen Mercantile company litigation pending.

The only thing which could stop the work at this time would be a restraining order from the district court and inasmuch as this would necessitate a large sized bond to protect the *contractor from damages* it is not anticipated that any application will be made for one. It is also claimed that very little opposition to the carrying out of the program now exists, even on the part of those who have been most active against it, and that it is doubtful if any would care to stop the work if such a thing were possible. The general attitude seems to be to forget differences and get behind the improvement now that work has actually started.

Work on Main Avenue First.

The first work will be done on Main avenue. The work preparatory to the putting in of the curbs and gutters is now progressing on this avenue from the Great Northern tracks north. It will be necessary for this part of the work to be done about four or five blocks ahead of the actual paving construction and with the weather continuing favorable this will mean that the excavating of the streets and laying of pavement will be under way in about ten days.

Sidewalks to Be Widened.

The contract calls for the widening of the sidewalks two feet on each side of the street. This will leave the actual width of the paved streets fifty feet. This change will make considerable difference in the cost and will leave the streets plenty wide, they will, in fact, be the same width as Nicolet avenue in Minneapolis.

With the carrying out of the program as the contractors now have it planned Main avenue will be the first paved. Work will be done on Main from the Great Northern tracks to Fourth street. The next will be done on LaBree avenue from First to third street and following that Second street will be paved between Main and LaBree. Third street from the Soo station west will be the next undertaken and from there on the extent of the improvement will depend in a great measure on weather conditions.

FORMER RESIDENT OF THIS CITY DIES AT OELWEIN, IOWA

John R. Bane Was Engaged in Real Estate Business Here For Number of Years.

Announcement of the death of John R. Bane at Olelwein, Iowa on May 10 was received here this week. Mr. R. Bane at Oelwein, Iowa on May 13 dents of Thief River Falls, having made his home here for a period of five years, from 1900 to 1905. He was at that time engaged in the real estate business and was the owner of considerable property. The unsold portion of Riverside Addition was owned by him at the time of his death. The May 13th issue of the Oelwein Daily Reporter contained the following account of his death:

"John R. Bane was born at Martin's Ferry, Ohio, June 17, 1852 and passed away in Oelwein, May 13, 1921 at 9:30 a. m. following an illness of several weeks. He was united in marriage to Miss Mary A. Johnson, April 21, 1881. In his young manhood he was admitted to the practice of law and practiced his profession at New Hampton for a number of years, coming to Oelwein in 1905, where he opened a law office and has continued in the practice up to a few weeks ago, with the exception of five years when he was judge of the Oelwein Superior Court.

"Judge Bane, as he was generally known, was a man of ability as an attorney, practicing in the district and supreme courts. Of upright character he stood high in the estimation of the citizens of Oelwein where he was a resident for the past sixteen years. There is left to mourn his passing, Mrs. Bane who has been a worthy helpmate, caring for him in his last illness with a fidelity and care that demonstrated her devotion. It is learned that interment will take place at New Hampton which was long the family home."

APRIL BUSINESS SETS NEW RECORD AT LOCAL CREAMERY

Fifteen Per Cent More Cream Handled Than in Corresponding Month Last Year.

During the month of April fifteen per cent more cream was handled than for the same period a year ago. Inasmuch as the record last year surpassed any April in the history of the creamery this year's business for this period is a new record.

The price paid for the month was 42 cents for sour cream and 45 cents for sweet cream. The list of those receiving $50.00 or over for the month follows:

Hans Anton, $235.33; Jens Kirk, $206.91; P. Engelstad, $197.60; R. M. Johnson, $138.68; Waldie Christenson, $138.07; Fred Copp, $120.47; Henry Coop, $117.72; S. Wiberg, $112.50; S. E. Hunt, $101.76; N. A. Nelson, $93.13; Gust Edman, $91.87; L. O. Stenseth, $87.81; C. H. Swanson, $87.30; C. Liden, $86.52; Paul Engelstad, $86.50; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $84.68; Aug. Koglin, $83.82; Ole J. Dahl, $81.65; John Bloom, $80.12; H. T. Waale, $79.65; Knut Solheim, $75.87; A. C. Simonson, $75.42; Chris Nelson, $73.91; Will Smith, $73.21; H. A. Mathees, $72.30; Wm. Hohner, $71.48; Gust Wilkin, $71.42; C. Welner, $70.21; Albert Johnson, $67.93; Oluf Omlid, $67.78; A. J. Funnesdahl, $66.64; S. Sorenson, $65.74; Henry Pope, $64.73; Hans Sande, $64.49; Silas Torgerson, $63.71; F. J. Dols, $62.94; Mrs. Bertha Saugen, $62.64; Mrs. Mosbeck, $61.67; A. K. Haggy, $60.43; N. P. Willardson, $60.42; Albert Hanson, $59.22; H. C. Woolsen, $58.31; F. B. Conklin, $56.70; O. L. Skonord, $53.76; O. S. Brelland, $53.26; Mrs. Katie Meyer, $52.42; C. Olson, $51.16; Ludvig Larson, $50.77.

Society and Club

Entertains at Luncheon.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher entertained a few of her friends at a one o'clock luncheon on Saturday. Covers were laid for five.

Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Wm. Smithers on Friday afternoon, June 3. Lunch will be served promptly at 4 o'clock.

Have Picnic Supper.

Among the picnicers at Aubol's grove on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. A. Way, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Briggs.

Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aubol at their country home near this city on Sunday evening.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mrs. H. S. Snyder entertained the following at dinner at her home Sunday evening: Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Froseth and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mesdames G. J. Conklin, C. A. Joslin and B. W. Briggs on Wednesday afternoon, June 1, in the basement of the church. Everybody invited.

Entertains.

The teachers of Northrup school were guests of Mrs. John Skog at her home on Saturday afternoon. The hours were devoted to needlework and at 5 o'clock a delicious lunch was served.

Music Classes Have Party.

The members of both Junior and Senior classes in music with their instructor, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, went to Lover's Lane yesterday afternoon, where they enjoyed games and a picnic supper.

Picnic Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward entertained the following at a picnic supper in Conklin's grove Monday evening: Misses Grace Iverson, Irene Patrick, Meta Kiland, Grace Wilson and Lillian Poppitz.

Breakfast Party.

The following had breakfast in Lover's Lane at 5 o'clock Monday morning: Misses Margaret Eichhammer, Lottie Austin, Anna Anthelson, and W. A. Stanchfield, Stanton Dahlen and Oscar Evenson.

Picnic Lunch.

A number of ladies enjoyed a picnic lunch at Conklin's grove on Tuesday afternoon. Included in the party were Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mrs. T. A. Rowan, Mrs. Geo. Biddick, Mrs. H. S. Snyder, Mrs. H. E. Froseth and Mrs. F. E. Hunt.

Birthday Anniversary.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson was hostess to a small company of friends at her apartment in the Sharp flats on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Margaret Eichhammer, whose birthday anniversary occurred on that day. The guests were Misses Eichhammer Lottie Austin, and W. A. Stanchfield.

Willcox-Skibili.

Bert Willcox and Anna Skibili, both of Oslo, were united in marriage at 8 o'clock on the evening of May 23 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Amundson. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church, officiated in the presence of Ole Amundson and Karen Amundson. The newlyweds left the same evening for Oslo, where they will make their home.

W. C. T. U. Postponed.

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be postponed a week from Tuesday because of the busy time in connection with Memorial day exercises, when a picnic will be held.

Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Norbert Holzknecht pleasantly surprised him at his home Thursday evening. Cards and dancing formed the recreation, after which a delicious lunch was served. The following were present: Misses Myrtle Krohn, Helen Langseth, Helen Warner, Sybil McGinn, Ella Krohn, Marie Cruse, and Maurice Mabey, John Melgaard, Stanton Dahlen, Harold Smithers, Theodore Prichard and Allen Fossum.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The last meeting of the Woman's club for the season was held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, with the annual election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. G. L. Biddick; vice president, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr.; secetary, Mrs. E. J. Richards; treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Akre. Two delegates were elected to attend the state conventions of Federal clubs to be held at Owatonna in September, Mrs. E. J. Richards and Mrs. E. M. Stanton were chosen. A committee of six appointed by the president to judge the street which shows the most improvement during the summer is composed of the following: Mrs. G. L. Sterns, Mrs. W. J. LaBree, Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar, Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite. Mrs. Chas. Stewart was appointed chairman of a thrift exhibit for the coming county fair. An interesting report of the recent meeting of federated clubs at Breckenridge was given by Mrs. Daniel Shaw. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich gave an instructive talk on thrift work during the past two years and Mrs. E. J. Richards spoke on the royal reception given the ladies during their visit at Breckenridge. Mrs. P. W. Mabey was chosen delegate to the biennial council of federated clubs to be held at Salt Lake City June 14 to 17. Reports of the secretary and treasurer were also read. This meeting concluded a most pleasant and interesting year.

Musical Section Meet.

The Musical section of the Woman's club was entertained by Mrs. John Bratrud and Mrs. Daniel Shaw at the former's home on Tuesday evening. The following program was given: Three pupils from Miss Forde's class in music gave piano solos. Maxine Johnson gave La Silvan, Chaminade. Miss Pearl Weeks, "Barcolle," Gozard, and Miss Mable McGillivary played "Norwegian Wedding Procession," Greig. Mrs. O. F. Mellby played two piano numbers, the first Valse Brillante, Op. 3. Wieniawski, and the second "Love Dream" No. 2, Liszt. Miss Grace Iverson sang "Pale Moon," Frederick Knight Logan. Misses Edna Larson and Thora Hanson sang a duet, "O That We Two Were Maying," Smith. At the conclusion of the program the hostesses served a delicious lunch.

Poppy Day.

Women selling poppies which are to be worn Memorial day in honor of the men who died in the United States military service during the war will be on duty at all places of business on Saturday. All true-spirited citizens are expected to purchase "memory flowers" and wear them on Memorial day. This afternoon will be poppy day at the high school and tomorrow afternoon poppies will be sold at the Central school. All children are urged to bring their dimes and wear their poppies on Monday. Mrs. J. O. Sether, chairman of the committee in charge of the drive, announced that there were 1200 poppies to be disposed of, 1000 buttiniers and 200 to be used for decorative purposes.

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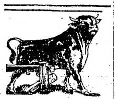

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City News

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Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson of Middle River spent Friday visiting friends here.

Miss Laura Larson of Hazel motored to this city Monday to attend to shopping.

David Johnson, Marshall county superintendent of schools, was in the city on Monday.

Misses Lily and Rose Gunstad of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here between trains yesterday.

Rev. I. T. Anstad of Detroit was in the city yesterday visiting at the Rev. T. E. Sweger home.

C. A. Manthe, superintendent of the Great Northern, of Crookston, was a business visitor in this city yesterday.

Mrs. John Albin, accompanied by Miss Marie Rolseth, of Plummer, attended to shopping in this city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. O'Hara and family, who reside on a farm near Holt, visited with friends here yesterday. They formerly resided in this city.

Miss Ellen Nelson, who had been confined at the local hospital following a relapse from an operation early this spring, returned yesterday to her home at St. Hilaire. She was accompanied by her mother.

Crookston College will run a special summer term beginning Monday, June 6. Both beginning and advanced classes in bookkeeping and shorthand for teachers and high school students. Write to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minn. j2

Among those who attended the track meet at Grand Forks Saturday were Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Miss Hildegaard Kelbor and Hugh McDaniel. The trip was made in the Froehlich car.

Mrs. Perry Froseth and sister, Miss Edna Michaelson, who has been making her home here, left Thursday evening for a visit with relatives and friends in Minneapolis and at points in the southern part of the state. Their stay will extend over a period of three weeks.

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Fred C. Dablow, Bert F. Umland, Bernhard Knudsen, Hakon M. Evenstad, A. B. Stenberg, Roy Erickson and Adolf Eklund motored to Grand Forks Friday afternoon to attend the big initiation of Sinai Encampment No. 2, I. O. O. F., of that city. They returned Saturday morning and report having had a very enjoyable time.

Miss Evangeline Burns, teacher at Lakota, N. D., Miss Lucille Burns, similarly engaged at Cambridge, and Marguerite Burns, who attends the North Dakota University at Grand Forks, all arrived the first of the week in response to a message stating that their father, M. C. Burns, was in a critical condition due to a fall from a ladder.

Rev. M. J. Noesen went to Badger yesterday on a clerical call.

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Misses Sarah LeFramboise and Lucille Cadieux of Red Lake Falls shopped between trains here yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Dock returned Monday she had spent Sunday as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gifford.

Miss Marie Nelson, who is employed at the local hospital, left Tuesday morning for Golden Valley to spend a week with her folks.

Miss Hulda Brekke returned to her home at Holt Tuesday morning after spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Vigen.

Louis Kolden, accompanied by his granddaughter, Miss Payne, motored to this city Monday from their home at Neilsville and spent a short time visiting with friends here.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant, who recently underwent an oeration for appendicitis, was removed from the hospital to her home on Monday and is rapidly regaining her strength.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gasow, accompanied by Mrs. Ray Spencer, were among those who motored to Fisker Saturday evening to attend the Rebecca lodge meeting there that evening.

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Mrs. F. E. Hunt went to Red Lake Falls yesterday to visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. John Dablow returned Monday evening after visiting for a month with relatives at Blackduck.

Geraniums and cut flowers for Decoration Day. Phone 3963. Mrs. Emil E. Olson, 1422 Bridge St. m26p

Mrs. A. M. Burquist and little daughter left yesterday afternoon for Fargo to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. P. Favrow left Tuesday night for Faribault to get her son, Wilbur, who has been attending the school for the deaf.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Gillilan and children of Minneapolis are spending a few days in the city this week attending to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson, accompanied by W. A. Barnard and Mrs. Victoria McKinney, motored to Grand Forks on Saturday to attend the North Dakota track meet of high schools.

Harold Westin, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Westin, former residents of this city, is a member of the graduating class of the Forest Lake high school. Their commencement exercises will be held next Friday evening.

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IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW.

The work of paving the streets of Thief River Falls has been begun and there is no longer any sense in keeping up a discussion on the topic. If there are still those who believe that the move is a mistake they are evidently willing to let the majority rule and will in the end be found as heartily in favor of the enterprise as are those who have been on the affirmative side of the question from the start.

The time has come to forget any antagonisms that may have arisen while this matter was under discussion. The best plan in the circumstances is to admit that that there has existed nothing but a difference of opinion and that those opposed to paving had a right to their views, even though these did not coincide with the views of the majority. No harm has been done and none will result if we forget all about the matter and pull together from now on. On the other hand, if the feeling of antagonism is permitted to grow it will be the worst thing that has ever happened to the city.

Before long no one will be found willing to admit that he opposed paving and it will be better for all concerned if no one is foolish enough to question his memory.

MEMORIAL DAY.

On Monday the people of the United States will pay tribute to their soldiers, living and dead, by appropriate exercises conducted in every city and village throughout the country. The men who took part in the three last wars in which the United States was engaged will share equally in the honors.

There is a tendency to forget the services of these men and it is not well that this should be the case. This one day in the year has been set aside for the purpose of keeping memory of their sacrifices fresh and it is a decidedly poor kind of a citizen who fails to do his part by refraining from his usual labors and joining with his fellow citizens in such observances as have been arranged for the occasion.

Attend the services at the auditorium next Monday morning. Not only will your presence prove that you have not forgotten what is due the nation's defenders, but it will help keep alive in your a keener appreciation of your own responsibilities as a citizen and help you place a higher valuation on American citizenship.

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Public Forum

Cincinnati, Ohio,
May 17, 1920.

The Times,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dear Sir:—Hhaving received the map of the proposition for the new drainage project, "Beltrami and Marshall County Consolidated No. 1," and which is to be passed upon, or a hearing had at Warren June 14, 1921, I write to ask that if you have not done so before, you will give some articles, which will express the public sentiment regarding the new drainage project. Also if there has been information as to how the cost of the work (if approved) is to be assessed. Some of the drainage proposed is inside the Judicial District No. 11, for which $100,000 bonds were sold, the drains dug during 1912 and later. To nonresidents it is a matter of interest (as well as to resident owners) to learn if the cost of the work done inside the lines of Judicial District No. 11 is to make a second assessment on the unimproved land which now carries an annual assessment of taxes and drainage, say $90.00 per quarter section. If the work is to be done in the near future the cost will be much higher than that of previous ditches, also the bonds will have to bear a higher rate or sold at a greater discount than formerly. The supposition is that the drainage in Judicial District No. 11 would take care of the water that would naturally fall upon it, but would not take care of the surplus water from Beltrami county and northern Marshall county, which has been running into it and made a serious flood a few years ago. The new drainage it would appear is for the benefit, primarily, of the above mentioned undrained sections of Beltrami and Marshall counties, but they find it necessary to use in part the drains previously constructed and to enlarge and deepen Thief river to take the increased flow of water. If the present drainage and proposed drainage had been made and financed when Judicial District No. 11 was drained it would have covered the whole territory more effectively at less cost than can be done now. This may be nothing new to you, but as I am acquainted with a number of resident and nonresident land owners who have asked me for information, I submit the matter to your judgment that the facts and conditions as they arise would be good reading matter for your paper and help to inform all parties interested in Beltrami and Marshall counties as to what is doing and what the public sentiment may be or is regarding the proposed drainage, assessments, etc., and its probable effect on the future of the respective counties. What percentage of the lands drained by Judicial District No. 11 have been, or are susceptible of cultivation since this drainage was completed? What percentage of land would be supposed to be cultivated of the district now being considered for drainage. Would the lands sell for a price that would carry the general and school tax and ditching charges, interest, etc., and leave any profit in ten years time to an investor? If there is not sufficient immigration into the district to make a demand for these particular lands unless advertised to compete with other sections offering agricultural lands at low prices? These are questions affecting the well-being, the prosperity and financial condition of all of that section (in three counties), as it is tributary to Thief River as a banking and a commercial center as well, and if the owners of these lands cannot either sell or cultivate them at a profit, they might as well be undrained until immigration, advertising, etc. make a demand for additional land. If I am correctly informed the present supply of drained and uncultivated land is much in excess of the demand.

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5050	Little Cotton Dolly (*Buck-Geibel*)	Criterion Male Quartet
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2080	Whip-Poor-Will *From "Sally"* (*De Sylva-Kern*) *Soprano and Tenor*	Irene Audrey and Sam Ash
85c	Look for the Silver Lining *From "Sally"* (*De Sylva-Kern*) *Soprano and Tenor*	Irene Audrey and Sam Ash
2091	Don't Leave Me, Mother Mine (*Costello-Goodman-Stept*) *Baritone*	Ernest Hare
85c	Wyoming—*Lullaby* (*Williams*) *Tenor and Baritone*	Chas. Hart and Elliott Shaw
2093	Pucker Up and Whistle (*Vincent-Franklyn*)	Harmonizers Male Quartet
85c	I Was Born in Michigan (*Franklin-Gerber*)	Harmonizers Male Quartet
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5052	Underneath Hawaiian Skies—*Fox Trot* *Introducing "I Never Knew"*	Isham Jones' Orchestra
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2097	That Naughty Waltz (*Levy*)	Carl Fenton's Orchestra
85c	Gloaming Time—*Waltz* (*Holliday-Cross*)	Carl Fenton's Orchestra
2096	I Lost My Heart to You—*Fox Trot* *Introducing "Calling"*	Rudy Wiedoeft's Californians
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2090	Yan-kee—*Fox Trot* (*Gershwin*)	Green Brothers' Novelty Band
85c	Learning—*Fox Trot* (*Tucker-Buffano-Steiger*)	Green Brothers' Novelty Band
2095	Pining—*Fox Trot* *Introducing "For Somebody Else"* (*Accordion Solo*)	Mario Perry
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1.25	Calling Me Home to You (*Dorel*) *Baritone*	Richard Bonelli
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85c	Songs of Long Ago (*Jackson-Gershwin*) *Baritone*	Lester O'Keefe, Mixed Quartet
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1.00	Sweet Woman—*Fox Trot*—(*Jones*)	Isham Jones' Orchestra
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85c	Castle of Dreams—*Fox Trot* *From "Irene"* (*Tierney*)	Gene Rodemich's Orchestra
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City News

Attorney W. J. Brown spent Wednesday at Bemidji on business.

Peter Anderson of Warroad was a business caller here on Saturday.

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LeRoy B. Proctor of Crookston spent Sunday visiting his wife in this city.

We clean and reblock men's hats. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Hilda Jorgenson of Goodridge visited with friends here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sheldon are the parents of a son, born this morning, May 26.

Henry Johnson came down from Badger on Thursday to attend to business affairs.

J. Hanson of Newfolden made a business trip to this city on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. V. Haatvedt of Deer Park was the guest of friends here over Saturday and Sunday.

Geo. C. Leslie of Rollis spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop motored to Goodridge on Monday to look after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Provencher are rejoicing over the birth of a son on Sunday morning, May 27.

E. E. Blair of Baudette arrived on Thursday afternoon and spent a day attending to business matters.

T. Steinert and W. H. Fisher of Red Lake Falls motored here last Wednesday afternoon on business.

Geo. L. Biddick of the Peterson-Biddick Produce company, was a business caller at Middle River on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Lundein of Clearbrook arrived Monday evening and spent a brief period visiting with friends.

Miss Elsie Randorph, who teaches in district No. 43 in Red Lake county, spent the week-end here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Biddick motored to Crookston on Sunday, where they spent the day as the guests of friends.

Misses Karen Knutson, Caroline Anderson, Marie Knutson, Clara and Lena Gullingsrud spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

Mrs. B. H. Fonnest of Grygla spent last week in this city receiving dental treatment and also attending to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Inman and family motored to this city on Saturday evening from their home at Newfolden to visit friends.

George Bottineau returned to his home at Gonvick on Friday after spending a few days here on business. The trip was made by car.

Mrs. G. W. Booren and two sons, Jack and Lynn, left Friday for Fargo to spend a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Lawrence.

Mrs. H. Skeim and daughter, Cordelia, who had been confined at the local hospital following operations, returned Tuesday night to their home at Aurora.

Miss Margaret Mealey, instructor in the local high school, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where she was called because of the serious illness of her mother.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse and family passed Sunday visiting at the home of the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. A. Dahle, at McIntosh. They made the trip by car.

In a correspondence received from Mrs. Eldon M. Miller, nee Florence Shetler, she states that they are now residing in Sitka, Alaska. They formerly lived at Port Orford, Ore.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hall of Middle River, who were here on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein, returned to their home Tuesday.

Mrs. Clarence Pope and little son, Wendell, went to Red Lake Falls on Thursday to visit at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Baker.

Subscribe for The Times and keep posted on all neighborhood news.

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Miss Mathilda Liden of Steiner attended to shopping here yesterday.

Miss Gladys Elleston spent the latter part of the week with relatives at Holt.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

W. W. Prichard, Jr., left Thursday evening for Minneapolis on a business mission.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McMillan arrived Tuesday afternoon from Baudette to visit friends.

Miss Bertha Sorum returned to her home at Holt Saturday, having spent the week here receiving dental treatment.

Miss Eleanor Rambee left Saturday afternoon for Fargo, where she spent Sunday as the guest of her sister.

Misses Lillian and Clara Anderson of Aberdeen, S. D., were in the city the first of the week visiting with friends.

Miss Pauline Holmes, who has completed a term of school in South Dakota, returned to this city on Friday morning.

Misses Zella Huddleson, Olga Olson and Anna Groven, all of St. Hilaire were in the city Monday on a shopping expedition.

All our dry cleaning is POSITIVELY free from gasoline odor. Send us a trial order and be convinced. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S m31tf

Miss Mabel Wold, who had finished a term of school near Warren, was a visitor in the city Thursday evening, leaving Friday morning for her home at Badger.

Mrs. N. Anderson and three children, who had visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Oen for a few days, returned on Saturday to their home at Baudette.

Mr. and Mrs. Flekke and Mrs. W. P. Murphy, all of Crookston, spent Sunday in the city visiting friends and relatives. The latter is a sister of Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, operator at the Great Northern.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Kjos and son, Clarence, Elmer Anderson, all of Park River, N. D., were here to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein. They returned to their homes Tuesday morning.

Gunder Howard of Hillsboro, N. D., motored to this city Sunday and spent a few hours visiting friends enroute to Hazel to get Mrs. Howard and children, who had been visiting at the home of Miss Laura Larson.

Rufus Barackman has returned to Minneapolis, where he attends Macalester college, having been called to this city on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. R. L. Barackman. Mrs. Barackman is now convalescing.

Misses Peggy Eichhammer and Lottie Austin, who have been occupying apartments in the Dobner-Meehan block since they arrived here two years ago, have secured apartments in the Kiewel building on LaBree avenue.

Miss Marian Cork, who has been employed at the Johnson Millinery for the past few months, left Wednesday evening for her home at Spokane, Wash. She was accompanied by her mother, who had spent the winter at the home of her brother, J. A. Russell, who resides near Steiner.

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Attorney E. M. Stanton spent Monday at Warren on business.

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Mrs. Nina Johnson and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of St. Hilaire, were shoppers here on Monday.

Wm. Bakke of Holt was in the city Friday evening to attend the Senior class play.

Mrs. Anna Shaw and daughter returned Friday morning from Crookston, where they had spent the past few weeks.

Miss Christine Fosholm, who has been employed in this city for a short time, returned Friday morning to her home at Holt.

Chas. Munn, manager of the local office of the Standard Oil company, motored to Crookston Friday evening to attend the annual Legion roundup.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermanson, who had visited with friends and relatives at Halstad, Ada and Fargo, returned to their home here Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ostgaard spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends here. Mr. Ostgaard is cahsier of the bank at Gatzke.

Mrs. C. J. Lagaske returned to her home at Duluth yesterday morning after visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Holzknecht, for three weeks.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers, who spent a day visiting her daughter, Jessie, who attends school here, returned to her home at Steiner Saturday morning. She was accompanied by the latter, who spent the week-end at home.

Miss Theone Walker, who had spent the past two years playing with an orchestra in the vicinity of Marshall, arrived the latter part of last week for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker.

All Patrons of the Peoples Co-Operative Store are requested to bring in their coupon books for redemption by June 1st, as we have discontinued issuing coupon books.

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Earl Baker, who has been attending Dunwoody Institute, arrived home Saturday to spend his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamre and Thomas Rowan, Jr., returned Saturday from a brief stay in Itasca State park.

Mrs. James Farr, Jr., and little son, Basil, left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where they contemplate making their home.

Mrs. Ed. Loven returned to her home at Gatzke on Sunday after a week's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Comstock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown spent the week-end at their cottage at Union Lake.

Dr. J. N. Nesse went to Crookston Monday afternoon to attend to business matters.

Mrs. S. Skottem and Miss Tessie King of St. Hilaire shopped in this city between trains on Saturday.

Miss Amanda Hanson was an over Sunday guest of friends at Grand Forks, returning to this city Monday morning.

Mrs. E. J. Richards of Thief River Falls was an overnight guest of Miss Richards and Mrs. Swanson of the Arts and Crafts shop. Mrs. Richards was enroute to her home after attending the meeting of the Federated Women's clubs held at Breckenridge this week. She was accompanied to Breckenridge by Mrs. Daniel Shaw and Mrs. Froehlich of Thief River Falls, delegates to the convention, who were also visitors in the city last evening between trains.—Crookston Times.

Gifts for Graduation

For HER
Diamond Ring or Lavalliere
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String of Pearls,
or Bracelet Watch
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Men's fine grey mole pants of extraordinary good quality. Special	$3.19
Men's dark stripe worsted pants, very neat dress pants. Special at	$4.45
Men's fancy worsted dress pants in the newest shades. Special	$5.45
Men's blue serge pants strictly pure wool	$9.45
All wool young men's blue serge pants. Special	$4.79
Men's heavy government khaki fence snag proof pants, sold exclusively by us. Special	$3.19
Men's medium wt. khaki pants	$1.45
Young men's fine cassimere pants, neat patterns	$4.45
Boys' khaki Knickerbockers	79c
Boys' wool mix knickerbockers, full lined	$1.29, $1.45
Strictly pure wool boys' pants made of suitings. Small sizes	$1.65
Boys' wool pants in big sizes to 18, substantially made. Special	$1.95
Boys' genuine Palm Beach pants, at	$3.19

Suits

Young men's blue serge suits, double breasted	$23.45
Young men's novelty suits, single or double breasted, in grey, green and brown mixtures. Special	$23.45
Men's wool suits, hard finish, in brown, grey or mixed, guranteed to wear and hold its shape. Special	$27.45

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SHOES

Solid leather tan English shoes, regular $6 values. Saturday, Special	$4.75
Men's, tan or black roomy comfortable dress shoes, $7.50 quality, special	$5.45
Chippewa work shoes, values $4.00 and $4.50, special	$2.95
Boys' tan English shoes, all sizes	$2.95
Boys' strong outing shoes, solid leather, special	$1.95
Men's 10 inch top shoes, regular $5.00 values, special	$3.65
Men's 12 inch top shoes for early spring wear, special	$5.45
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Boys' and youths' fine ribbed summer weight union suits, sizes 24 to 34 in short sleeves, knee length. Special purchase price	68c
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Men's Ballbriggan union suits regular $1.50 quality, specially priced at a saving to you	89c
Men's fine knitted mesh union suits, bleached or ecru, cool and comfortable for summer wear. It is the standard good fitting $1.50 Conde make underwear in sizes 36 to 50. Special purchase price	99c
Men's highest grade spring needle Lewis union suits, short or long sleeves, sold everywhere at today's market price of $2.00. Our special purchase price	$1.29
Boys' Ballbriggan union suits in ecru shades	47c
Men's heavy weight cotton union suits; new merchandise and sold reg. for $1.75. Special	$1.19
Men's high grade athletic union suits, sold reg. for $1.50	95c
Men's light weight shirts and drawers, best grade	63c
Men's heavy weight shirts and drawers, best grade	69c

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$5,000 Reward

The Senior class of 1921 offers a reward of five thousand ($5,000.00) dollars for the capture, (dead or alive) or information leading to the capture and arrest of any person who is known to willfully, premeditavely, and maliciously slander the senior issue of the High School Progress. See Dreng Bjornaraa, president.

Senior Issue.

The Seniors are issuing the High School Progress this week and even though we are busy with the Class Play, preparing for our social affairs and commencement we intend to put out a worth-while and "peppy paper." The Classes have each had a chance at displaying their ability in seriousness and wit and we intend to show what we can give. We are here but for a little while longer and then we leave this high school never to come back. We hope that every Senior will have some article published in our issue so that he may feel that he has been able to contribute.

A High School Career.

Of just what should a high school career be composed? For some it can safely be said, that it means all play and no work, for others all work and no play, and for still others, some work and some play, evenly and wisely divided.

The next question in our minds—which after all, is correct: To sail through our high school career out on to the sea of life on the ship called Pleasure, with foolish frivalities, "late hours" and "good times" for fellow passengers? Most certainly not. We should also say just as emplatically most certainly not to a voyage on the ship called Work, on the board of which there is always burning of "Midnight Oil," no healthful recreation, and eternal worry and drudgerly. A wise combination of the two seems to be the only solution. We might, as Freshmen, go aboard the ship called Work, choosing our fellow passengers carefully and with discretion, be willing to take good advice, and choose for recreation, clean, healthful activities, avoiding such actions which would give our fellow passengers the right to think and say things utterly untrue of us.

Why not "all play and no work," says someone, when you can get away with it? Let us remember that life isn't one "long glad song." There will be a great many discords whether we try to avoid them or not, so why not, to help make things run smoothly, be willing to take advice and be directed by those who have been through it all, and know?

Why not "all work and no play" when one can get away with it? But we can no more get away with that than with the other, for it will leave its stamp on us, broken health, pessimestic outlook—when optimism is what we need today—joy and happiness partaken of sanely and carefully. A joyless child does not make a good man or woman, and what do we need more for tomorrow than good men and women?

So we see that it must be a combination of work and play, to make us normal, good men and women, and to make us willing, anxious to take our places in the ranks as our predecessors drop out.

Now that the end of our high school career is drawing near, it seems to be the attitude among the members of the Senior class that nothing more is required of them. But they are mistaken. If they have not very much studying to do they must still continue to support their class. Now that commencement-week is almost here we need the support of every member of the class of 1921 to make our commencement exercises the best ever.

They have worked valiantly to be able to publish an Annual and have succeeded. The Annual will be out very soon and everyone will be sure to get a copy.

Members of our class have been working almost day and night on the class play and the success of the play depends upon the support that is given by the rest of the class.

Now, Seniors, let's all keep pushing together and in doing so make this class of 1921 the best ever.

Two Habits.

There are a number of people who have the habit of getting "P" on their report card. This is about half way to Failure, speaking figuratively. I say it is half way, but what are the stages of Habit before that. Nine chances out of ten it is not because they can't get their lessons or do not want to have their lessons, but you will find it is because of Carelessness and its twin brother, Thoughtlessness. The average student will come to class and pay a half-way attention to assignments probably thinking at the time of getting it from his or her friend. After leaving class new ideas and things are ever popping up, and one not in the habit of exercising his memory will forget the lesson and come up next day with a "Oh, I forgot." It is the student's business to think. That is what brains are for. They who do not think about their work are as bad as they who do not work at all. These are habits no girl nor boy can afford to cultivate fore they will operat later in life, and much of their welfare and happiness will be destroyed by thoughtlessness and carelessness.

The 1921 Prowler.

Hurrah! the 1921 Prowler is off the press and is on sale. There are only a few copies left unsold and they are going like hot-cakes. Are you not afraid of losing out on your copy? Can you imagine any student or alumni of old Lincoln High who would not be interested enough to purchase a copy of the Prowler? It is a pretty hard thing to do but still it is fact that a great many have been found out.

The "1921 Prowler" consists of 60 pages of snappy pictures, jokes, snaps, etc. The alumni section of the Prowler is what we consider very good. The snapshots of both faculty and student body are just as snappy as any that have been put in books. How do we know? Why, because we had just as many snaps turned in as any class who were publishing an annual of 160 pages thereby getting a better selection that would make the snapshot department one of the snappiest that has ever been put into an annual.

Hark! ye Alumni. The 1921 Prowler can be purchased for the small sum of $1.00 from any 1921 senior or by sending your subscription to The Business Manager of the 1921 Prowler in care of Lincoln High School.

Hear ye, hear ye, the class of '21 of Lincoln High School is about to dispose of their masterpiece at public sale at Lincoln High School to anyone who may possess the sum of $1, and who is willing to give same in exchange for a 1921 Prowler. Ye students who have not as yet subscribed get into action and put your class in the lime light by having the most subscriptions. At the present time the Freshmen have exceeded all other classes in subscription to the 1921 Prowler.

Subscribe now ere ye be too late and miss out on your copy.

Advanced Education.

Hoy many students continue their learning after they leave the high school? About ten per cent of the graduates of a high school go on to further leaing after they sing Alma Mater at their graduation.

Many do not realize what an advanced education is necessary. It is true that a few will not need further instruction and these few, who are exceptions, acquire good and paying positions but an average between eighty and ninety per cent of those who do not look to higher education fail in life and business. They will find some petty job, which will probably bring them a fair income but is this all we are looking to in this life, an income? What is an income to a man of small knowledge? It is a means of degrading him. If a man acquires a fortune with no effort and has no education, what will he do with it? He will throw it to the winds. He will have no knowledge of how to spend it or invest it so that it will bring him returns and a satisfactory living. So in leaving high school one must look ahead and form his future. By so doing he must form his business a way to acquire a comfortable living for his family and also to give to the world as much and more than he takes out. He must contribute to society instead of becoming a parasite to it. And the only way knowledge can be gotten in the right way is through the teaching of colleges and universities. So when you finish your high school course look forward to a higher education and continue into the higher social world.

Girl Scouts.

Although not a new organization the girl scout is a new feature in the public school life of this city. There are at present nine troops, consisting of eight girls each and it is the ambition of every scout to become a better citizen and a more intelligent voter when she is called upon to take the reins of government in her own hands.

Upon these principles the organization was established and toward this end they have constantly been striving under the able leadership of Miss Dix.

Every Monday night there is a troop meeting at which topics of present day importance are discussed, and if it lies within the power of the local organization to remedy the existing conditions willingly do so.

It is impossible to estimate in dollars and cents the value of the work already accomplished by the organization even in our own city as the help they rendered in soliciting for the Chinese Relief fund alone, probably saved the lives of a great number of our Chinese cousins across the Pacific.

These same scout are at present struggling hard for an existence and it behooves every citizen to give his or her support to them at every possible chance.

Class Dues.

Throughout the year we have seen notices on the board asking the students of the various classes to pay up their class dues, but judging from the number of time that this request has been repeated, we must conclude that the students do not respond as they should.

Now, why is it that class dues are considered such an unnecessary expenditure by so many of the students? It is true, of course, that some of them pay their dues promptly, and these are the people who are paying for the class entertainments and expenses while the shirkers get the same benefits and the pleasure out of the affairs.

Do you want some one else to pay your way when you yourself are just as capable of paying it yourself? The assessments made in all the classes are not high and well within the reach of every student. Shoulder the responsibilty, then, of paying off your dues before the year is ended, and stop riding on someone else's ticket.

Senior-Junior Reception.

The Juniors in the spring always give a banquet for the Seniors, and in return the Seniors give a reception. This year the reception will be held on Friday evening, May 27 at the High School. It is hoped that all Juniors, faculty, and Seniors will be present to share in the last gathering of this kind for the year.

To be or not to be, that is the question
Whether 'tis nobler in the mind to suffer
The slings and arrows of outrageous chemistry,
Or to take up arms against a mob of formulae
And by opposing end them? To weep; to suffer;
No more;—and by this to say we end
The head-ache, and the thousand natural F's
That flesh is heir to, 'tis a consummation
Devoutly to be wished. To weep; to suffer;
To suffer; perchance to flunk—ay, there's the rub;—
For in that condition what marks may cone,
When we have suffled off this mortal misery,
Must give us rest. There's the subject
That makes High School of so long life;
For who would learn the experiments and analyses,
The instructor's wrong. The awful quizzes,
The pangs of low marks, the sharp words,
The insolence of questions, and the F's,
The patient work of the unworthy takes
When he himself his credit might make
With a string of D's.

Better Lincoln High.

Statistics show that only three per cent of the pupils that enter high school go to a college or university. The remainder either leave school before they finish, or they do not go on farther.

Oftentimes you hear one of the ninety-seven per cent say that he wished he had the chance to go thru school again, and he would have done more work or taken more subjects, that he now could use to good advantage. If that person had had more responsibility he would not say that, because, he would have used his time far better than he did. Responsibility is the key-note to success, and if you shirk responsibility no matter who you are, you will be a failure. In every instance, the man or woman who accepts the responsibility is the one who becomes a success.

At the end of the school year most of those graduating will go into the world and try to make their way through life. As they come out they will find that people do not take the interest in them as they did at home. They will find that unless they have a firm foundation to build their success on, they will have no success. How can they get a firm foundation? By learning to accept responsibility, and while in school, to choose studies which they may need later on, and to study those subjects.

Sometimes you hear a freshman asking somebody in the other classes above him what subjects are easy or require little preparation so they will not have to work hard. These are the ones who when Seniors, say they wished they could go through school again and they would have done differently.

If every pupil in the Lincoln high school would take the subjects he thinks he will need, and really studied, we would have a far better school and the pupils will find the road to success easier. "Passing the buck" has not made a success of anyone. By accepting responsibility they will find that success is by far easier to reach. By doing this we will not only have a far better school, but there will be a great deal more success to those who go and make the very best use of their opportunity.

Commercial Picnic.

Last Monday the Commercial department students sojourned to Squaw Point immediately after school for a picnic.

The first number on the program was a baseball game between the boys and girls. No one kept score. Suffice to say that although the boys were fewer in number they were in better form than the girls, and the game was just a series of home runs for them.

When lunch time came around, capable cooks were not wanting. Bernard Sundahl supervised the coffee making, and Allen Fossum, with the aid of the only available utensil, a butcher knife, stirred the beans so religiously that they never thought of burning. There were sandwiches and ice cream and cake galore. "Knute" can bear witness to the abundance of the last named article.

After supper, games were continued for a while, after which the group of tired but happy commercialites wended their way home.

The students of shorthand class one, have for the past week been practicing on test copy to be sent to the Gregg company, which will enable them to get an O. G. A. certificate if their work is up to a certain excellence. The students will get their O. G. A. certificate before the end of the school term.

Miss Svedal's Program.

On Wednesday morning Miss Svedal took charge of the chapel exercises. Six girls in costume danced Norwegian Folk dances and Mildred Loftness gave a humorous reading in Norse dialect.

Immediately afterward Mr. Ziegler announced the honor roll for this year.

Betsy Ness has the honor of being the class valedictorian. As there were three people very close for the place of salutatorian, Ethel Conklin, who has a fraction of a point higher than the other two is to deliver the salutatory address while Annie Hincik and Dreng Bjornaraa were a tie for the next place. The other students on the Honor Roll are as follows:

Mary Vance, Adolph Sundrud, Rose Oski, Beatrice Sandum, Anna Leimers, Evelyn Saugen, Marguerite De-Cremer, Lois Struble, Clare Lund and Lester Coyle.

Scene (or Sun) in the Winter.

A certain young man who for long years I've known
From the time he was born 'till now he is grown,
Spoke to me thus, "Every girl that we meet
Wears the lowly galoshes each day on her feet.
And along with same she wears filmy silk stockings
Such conduct I think is really quite shocking."

Even a Freshman.

A dear little Freshman (may his kind increase)
Awoke one night from a deep dream of peace
And saw within the confines of his room
Sitting direct in the light of the moon
A Senior writing in a book so old
A book which, long before, the druggist sold.
"What writest thou?" The Senior raised his head.
"Compiling monthly honor roll," he said.
"Is my name there?" the Freshman then inquired.
Now none had known till then that he aspired.

Decoration Day

Should not only be an occasion when one should decorate the graves of the heroes who fell on the battlefield and those who have since passed away, but it should also be recognized as a time when store windows should be appropriately trimmed.

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RECENTLY the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) announced a plan under which it is possible for its 25,000 employes to become partners in the business on a very attractive basis.

The publisher of a small newspaper, unacquainted with the motives which animate the seven men who direct the operation of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), wrote an editorial in which he questioned the motives of this Company, and intimated that the plan was a scheme whereby the Company aimed to benefit by getting in this additional capital.

To set right this publisher, and any one else interested, the Company deems it advisable to direct attention to two outstanding features of this plan which are illuminating in this instance.

First, that to every dollar paid by the employe for the purchase of stock, the Company adds, as a gift, 50c.

Second, that participation in the plan is not obligatory, and that in no case is an employe permitted to pay in more than twenty percent of his earnings.

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The idea of employe ownership of industry is in line with modern tendencies. The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has always been a progressive organization. Its willingness to receive new ideas has put it in the lead in the petroleum industry.

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Obituary

Andrew L. Swendslie.

Andrew L. Swendslie of Norden township, died on May 23 from cancer of the liver at the age of 80 years, 4 month and 19 days. Funeral services were held on Tuesday, May 24.

Ruth G. Haatvedt.

Ruth G. Haatvedt, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Haatvedt, residing in Rocksbury township, died on May 19 at her home. Funeral services were held May 23 and interment made in the United church cemetary.

Ole J. Borholt.

On Saturday, May 21 occurred the death of Ole J. Borholt of New Solem township, from cancer of the stomach from which he had suffered for 2 years. Deceased was born in Norway Sept. 13, 1874 and immigrated to this country 37 years ago. Funeral services were held yesterday.

Thomas Houfek,

Thomas Houfek died at his home here on May 22, from typhoid fever with which he had been ill with for two weeks. Deceased was born in this state on Dec. 9, 1891. During his residence here he has been in the employ of the Soo railway. He is survived by his wife and two small children. Funeral services were conducted by the Bohemian lodge at the Larson chapel on Wednesday afternoon, while the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen had charge of the services at the cemetery.

Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein.

Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein died at her home in this city on Friday morning, May 20, after several months' illness from cancer, aged 61 years.

Mrs. Wangenstein was born in Norway Aug. 17, 1860, and came to America in 1888. She was united in marriage to A. A. Wangenstein on December 7, 1890 at Park River, N. D. To this union were born three children, one of whom died when a baby. Her husband and two sons survive, Arthur B., and Bart, who reside in the city. Besides her immediate family she is mourned by two sisters, Mrs. C. O. Granum of this city; Mrs. G. Blaksvet, Minneapolis, and 6 brothers, A. A. Hall of Minneapolis and H. A. Hall of Middle River, and four living in Norway. Deceased was an active member of the W. C. T. U. for 25 years and also a member of the Woman's club. She had always taken an active interest in all church work. She had been failing in health for the past two years and had been confined to her bed for a period of four months. Funeral services were held from the Trinity Lutheran church on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. T. E. Swegger officiating. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to take this method of thanking all our friends and neighbors who so willingly assisted us during our recent misfortune when our home was completely destroyed by fire.—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Severson, Mrs. G. Severson, Alfred Severson. m26p

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our wife and mother, the late Mrs. A. A. Wangenstein, and particularly to the members of Trinity church congregation for their many kindnesses as well as for the floral offerings at the funeral.—A. A. Wangenstein and Family. m26

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services in Norwegian at 11; in English at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, June 2, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Melum entertains. Zion Y. P. S. Thursday evening at 8:30. Mr. Mostue will speak. Wistven and Stene entertain.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—No Sunday school or services next Sunday on account of the district conference at Warren.

Christian Science—Services are hels each Sunday at 11 o'clock at the city auditorium. Subject May 29: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism Denounced." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. A reading room at the same location is open on Thursday afternoon from noon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swegger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid Thursday, May 26, entertained by Mrs. Ed. Larson, Mrs. Sig. Myrum, Mrs. S. O. Rustebak and Mrs. Iver Hoium. Young People's League Thursday evening, entertained by Mrs. Olaf Storholm, Mrs. O. Legvold, Jr., and Olive and Lloyd Lonson. Catechetical class Saturday at 10 a. m. The congregation is requested to attend the Baccalaureate services at the city auditorium Sunday at 11 a. m. The theme of the sermon will be "God's Workmen." In the evening there will be divine services in Norwegian at the church, 7:45. Sunday School at the usual hour, 9:30 a. m. District convention in connection with Concordia College Commencement of the Young Peoples League of Northern Minnesota at Moorhead June 3 to 5.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—May 29, 10 a. m., Sunday school. Everyone in his place on time. The session is an important one. The eleven o'clock hour of worship will be held in the city auditorium. We join with the other churches in the Baccalaureate occasion for the graduating class of the high school. Evening worship at the church at 8 o'clock, "Human Desires and Divine Plans." The Young People's choir will provide the special music. 3 p. m., Junior C. E. graduating exercises. This is the closing meeting for the season. Every Junior ought to be in his place. 7 p. m., C. E. "Missionary Results in Africa. The meeting by arrangement will meet at the usual hour.

Bethlehem Church, O. I. Rauum, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 11 o'clock and services at John Skomedal's at 2:30 p. m.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. John Gasow and daughter, Marquerite, and the former's parents, and Mrs. John Rietz, and daughter, Mona of Thief River Falls were guests at the Carl Klockman home Monday.

O. P. Nelson and daughter, Mildred were callers in Mavie one day last week.

Misses Bessie and Gladys Roller were callers at Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Henry Tharaldson called at Goodridge last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan and son, and Anna Kotlan, were guests at the O. P. Nelson home Sunday.

Miss Nettie Bendickson departed for Thief River Falls last week where she will be employed.

Mrs. A. Magee visited at the Henry Roller home Wednesday.

Henry and Salve Tharaldson were guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday.

Anna Kotlan, Lawrence and Mildred Nelson visited at the Henry Roller home Sunday.

Henry Klockman was a Goodridge caller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson called at the L. Bendickson home on Sunday afternoon.

Olaf Tharaldson and Louis Bendickson motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the L. Bendickson home one day last week.

Salve Tharaldson, who is teaching school near Erie, spent Sunday in this vicinity.

Mrs. Harry Weber visited at the L. Bendickson home Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Sabo and family visited at the Andrew Haggy home Sunday evening.

Hans Dahl called at the Olaf Tharaldson home one evening last week.

Mrs. Martinus Johnson returned home recently from Bemidji where she had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Paulson. She was accompanied home by her granddaughter, Edna, who will visit here this summer.

Mrs. Emil Hanson and daughters, Ellen and Myrtle, returned from Grygla Sunday where they had been the guests of relatives and friends for the past week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl was a Germantown caller one day last week.

LAWYERS EMPLOY GIRL GRADUATES

McKenzie & Leslie, Attys. of Forman, N. D., have engaged Genora Johnson as stenographer. Atty. James Witherow, Moorhead, Minn., employed Miss H. Ploybar. Both are graduates of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D.

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THOSE big, red, juicy Hood River berries are best for canning. Sugar is down. Put up a big supply of strawberry jam, jelly and sauce for next winter,—in Ball Mason jars.

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On account of failing health I have decided to retire and will therefore sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder all my personal property, consisting of Pure Bred Guernsey Cattle, Pure Bred Duroc Jersey Hogs, horses and farm implements, etc., on the farm the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section Four (4) Town of Smiley, better known as the W. J. Bell farm, being five miles East and one mile South of Thief River Falls, and two and one-half miles South of Silverton elevator, on

MONDAY, JUNE 6

This is a large sale and will commence at 10:00 o'clock sharp:

8 Purebred Guernsey Cows 8

ROYAL COIN OF HOP CITY L. NO. 47473
Born: May 2nd, 1913. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Magnus Troil No. 15463. Dam: Gold Coin of Hop City L. 2d No. 41904. Due to freshen June 1st, 1921.

MABEL OF HOP CITY L. 2d, No. 47313
Born: May 22, 1913. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Magnus Troil A. R. No. 15463. Dam: Mabel of Hop City L. No. 42627. Fresh April 23, 1921.

PRIDE'S EVA No. 76871
Born: Feb. 5, 1917. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Gouvernante's Governor of Silverton No. 42559. Dam: Pride's Cleopatra 2d, No. 48444. Due to freshen Oct. 9, 1921.

MABEL'S VIOLET No. 106660
Born: March 18, 1919. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Prince Albert of Oak Lawn No. 46971. Dam: Mabel of Hop City L. 2d. No. 47313. Due to freshen March 3, 1921.

PRIDE'S CLEOPATRA 2d. No. 48444
Born: June 1, 1913. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Climber No. 15617. Dam: Pride's Cleopatra No. 30189. Due to freshen June 26, 1921.

MABEL'S WANETA No. 106659
Born: March 8, 1918. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire Gouvernante's Governor of Silverton No. 42559. Dam: Mabel of Hop City L. 2d. No. 47313. Fresh.

ROYAL'S MARGUERETE No. 108326
Born: January 19, 1918. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Gouvernante's Governor of Silverton No. 42559. Dam: Royal Coin of Hop City L. No. 47473. Due to freshen Oct. 10, 1921.

MAGNA DOLLY'S BLOSSOM No. 77899
Born: June 23, 1917. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Rosseau of Koshkonong Place No. 19375. Dam: Magan Dolly of Hop City L. No. 14239. Due to freshen June 26, 1921.

Three Fine Purebred Guernsey Heifers

WOODACRE JEWEL
Born: June 8, 1920. Color: Fawn and white. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Mabel's Waneta No. 106659. Paper applied for.

WOODACRE FERN
Born: July 1, 1920. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Pride's Eva No. 76871. Papers applied for.

BELLE'S PRIDE
Born: March 3, 1921. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Mabel's Violet No. 106660. Papers applied for.

ROYAL'S CAESAR (BULL CALF)
Born: June 1, 1920. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Royal Coin of Hop City L. No. 47473. Papers applied for.

Herd Bull

CAESAR OF BELLVIEW NO. 52776
Born: June 10, 1918. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Upland's Caesar No. 40788. Dam: Anna Josephine of Bellview No. 66516.

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Nine High Grade Cows

One high grade Guernsey cow 2 years old, fresh May 15th; one high grade Guernsey cow 8 years old, due to freshen Aug. 3rd; one high grade Guernsey cow 7 years old, fresh May 1st; one high grade Guernsey heifer 2 years old, fresh Feb. 1st; one high grade Guernsey cow 7 years old, due to freshen Aug. 9th; one roan cow 3 years old, due to freshen June 3rd; one red cow, 8 years old, fresh May 9th; one red cow, 7 years old, fresh May 10th; one red cow, 4 years old, due to freshen June 3rd. All stock tuberculin tested.

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Farm Implements, Etc.

One Emerson gang plow, new in 1919; one walking plow; one brush breaker, (not new); one 20-double disc Monitor drill, new; one Deering binder, 7-ft.; one Deering mower, 5-ft.; one 10-ft. Deering hay rake; one sweep rake; one disc; One Deere manure spreader, new in 1919; one Deering corn binder, new; one International cultivator, new in 1920; one David-Bradley cultivator; one Mandt wide tire wagon, complete with triple box; one Mandt gear; one stock rack, new; one Newton fanning mill; one 4-section drag; one hay rack; two set of bob sleighs; one buggy; one 1 1/2 horse power gas engine; one new cream separator; one grindstone; one washing machine; three sets of heavy work harness.

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Among Our Neighbors

ST. HILAIRE

Miss Hazel Wallen left Friday evening via the Soo for Minneapolis to join her mother. Mrs. Wallen left some time ago for that place having bought a home there where the Wallen family will now reside.

Mrs. Seebart returned Friday to her home at Grand Forks having made a short visit with her sister, Mrs. R. J. McKercher.

M. R. Hage and K. O. Gigstad attended to business matters between trains at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Harm and Dick Dahlen arrived here Monday via the auto route from Rockford, Iowa, for a visit with their father, J. Dahlen.

Miss Esther Fricker returned home Sunday from Grygla where she has just completed her term of school.

Among the townspeople who accompanied the high school students to Middle River for the field and track meet Saturday were: Supt. S. L. Johnson, Hans Wilson and daughter, Louise, Vernon Peterson, Fred Hansen, Paul Olson, Sam Nelson, Mrs. G. I. Fellman, Mrs. O. Gunstad, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hovet, the Misses Mabel Patterson, Edith Nelson Blanche and Selma Hoff, Lois Forbes and Eleanor Anderson. The St. Hilaire high school carried off the pennant for the oratorical contest and Newfolden the pennant for the track.

Mrs. A. Houie came Thursday from her home at Crookston for a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. Enoch Sundholm and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kruse of Polk Center.

Mrs. Helen Chelin was a visitor at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Miss Bessie Avelson left Thursday for an indefinite visit at the M. Drake home at Pierre, S. D. The Drake family formerly resided in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Erickson motored down from their home at Thief River Falls Thursday, Mr. Erickson attending to business matters.

Rev. Lindholm, who has conducted services here and in Black River chapel, left Saturday for Warren.

Mrs. Coley Guy returned Sunday to her home at St. Cloud after a few days' visit here with friends.

Hans I. Rod left the latter part of the week for Bemidji, where he will be employed after spending some time here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Rod.

Mrs. Sever Skotten and sister, Miss Tessie King, shopped at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Palma Holmes came the forepart of the week from Sioux Falls, S. D., after completing a term of school, and will spend her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes.

Andrew Soderberg of Berkely, Cal., a former resident of this vicinity, who has spent the past month visiting here with friends and with his brother, Fred Soderberg, left the first part of the week for an extended visit in Sweden.

Mrs. Ina Johnson and daughter, Elizabeth, and Hans Espeland shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Monday.

John Ostrofka, a former resident of this place, now residing near Gatzke, attended to business matters here Monday and Tuesday.

The Misses Zella Huddleson and Olga Olson were Thief River Falls shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gjelde and family, accompanied by Martin Simonson, motored down from their home at Thief River Falls on Monday for a short visit with Mrs. Trina Hendrickson and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Rod.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown motored down from their home at Thief River Falls Sunday evening for a brief visit with relatives.

GOODRIDGE

A. B. Mandt was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Wm. Gaylord returned Thursday from Fertile, where he was called on account of the illness of his brother, who was much improved when he left him.

Miss Ruth Olson left Wednesday evening for Karlstad.

Linton Palmer of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday evening.

Victor Polman of Thief River Falls attended to business in town Thursday.

John Stuart of Grygla was in town Tuesday enroute home from Thief River Falls.

B. O. Norby and John Nystal were in Thief River Falls Thursday evening. Harry McDonald accompanied them home.

Will Cruzen of Malcolm was here Friday enroute to Kansas City, Mo.

Misses Christine Bundhund and Guida Gilbertson were in Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Misses Hilda Christianson and Gladys Wilson attended the class play in Thief River Falls last Friday evening.

Miss Eleanor Bauer attended the class play in T ihfeRvei KeopzohA class play in Thief River Falls Friday evening. Her friend, Miss Ella Pelto, returned to Goodridge Saturday morning and spent the day here, when they both returned to Thief River Falls for over Sunday.

Miss Thelma Gilbertson was in Thief River Falls Monday shopping.

Ole Weseth returned Monday from a business trip to Thief River Falls.

Miss Marie Knutsen, county nurse, was in town Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Wilson spent Sunday at her home near Grygla.

Daniel Shaw of Thief River Falls, accompanied by Misses Peggy Shaw and Lucy Nason, attended the Goodridge and Oklee high school base ball game here Saturday afternoon.

A. Gangness of Thief River Falls was in town Monday enroute to his farm north of town to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls were in town Monday attending to business matters.

The V. C. McLeod and R. H. McDonald families visited at the F. B. Robinson home at Highlanding Sunday evening.

W. E. Hunt arrived Tuesday from Minneapolis to attend to business affairs.

Palmer Tvedt attended to business in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Martin Olson and son, Roy, were Thief River Falls visitors on Thursday.

Miss Kathleen Lang, who was taken to the hospital in Thief River Falls Saturday evening, is improving rapidly and will return to her school duties in a few days.

The Community meeting held Friday evening was a decided change from the usual meetings as instead of being entertained the people entertained themselves and everyone enjoyed the difference. Morgan Vaughan's side were the winners of the spelling contest while Miss Wilde's side succeeded in winning the peanut hunt. A short business meeting was held and a picnic was decided on for Sunday, June 19, at the M. Vaughan farm. A committee was appointed to take charge of the county fair booth in Thief River Falls.

STEINER

Theodore Steigen was among the callers at the C. A. Swanson home last Sunday.

One of the Hall boys, residing near Anita, was a business caller at Steiner last Saturday afternoon.

Misses Ruth Solem and Mabel Rogers were among the business visitors at the Pennington county seat last Saturday.

Miss Jennie Ordal, who has been employed by Mrs. H. L. Sunde at Steiner, left Saturday for her home near Thief River Falls.

Miss Ruth Solem called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Liden Tuesday afternoon.

Louis Meyers motored to Thief River Falls last Saturday afternoon on a business trip.

P. Liden, son Julius and daughter Mathilda, motored to Thief River Falls on Sunday evening to attend a lecture.

P. B. Malberg was busy last week dragging the state road in this vicinity.

Arthur Simonson and sons motored to Thief River Falls last Wednesday on business.

A social was given at the Steiner school house Saturday evening by the Young People's society.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Malberg motored to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Christ Berg motored to Thief River Falls last Wednesday on a business trip.

Dr. A. J. Klimek
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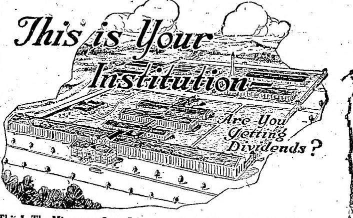
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ROSEWOOD

John Sor at Rest.

With the passing away of John Johnson Sor last Wednesday evening goes one of the very first Swedish pioneer settlers in this community, he having been a resident of this place for 38 years. He homesteaded the quarter section of land which had been his home ever since. Deceased was born in Norra Finfallet, Sweden, on May 9, 1842. He emigrated to this country in 1881 and lived until 1883 at Ishpeming, Mich., when he came to Marshall county. He was united in marriage to Miss Johanna Johnson of Kopparberg in 1864, who survives. Surviving also are one daughter, Mary Shoberg, and grandson, Joel Shoberg, besides one sister, Mrs. Lovisa, Henderson, of Atwater, Minn.

Mr. Sor was ill only four days and the direct cause of his death was heart failure due to the infirmities of old age. He was of a religious nature and a strong supporter of the Swedish Mission church. Burial took place at the Wildwood cemetery located on his farm, on Friday afternoon, with Rev. Verner Drotts of Viking conducting the ceremony. The body was escorted to its last resting place by about 75 friends and neighbors.

Peder O. Sorenson.

Peder Oliver Sorenson was born in this township on March 10, 1891. He had been a resident of this place all his life except four years which he spent at various places in Canada. It was his intention to operate his mother's farm this summer but about a month ago was taken ill with typhoid fever and died on May 16. Left to mourn are his mother, Mrs. Bella Sorenson, and his sisters, Ida, Emma, Minnie and Selma, and two brothers, John and Selmer, all of whom are residents of this place. The funeral occurred at Rindal on May 17, with Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls officiating.

Ole Barhals.

Ole Barhals, a young farmer four miles north of town, died last Saturday evening following a lingering illness from cancer of the stomach and a tubercular affection. The funeral was held at Rindal on Monday. Deceased is mourned by an aged mother.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all our friends and neighbors who so generously and lovingly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our father, and at the funeral. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Johanna Sor, Mary Shoberg, Joel E. Shoberg.
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Card of Thanks.

We take this means of extending our gratitude to all our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance sympathy during the illness and following the death fo our beloved son and brother, as well as for the pretty flowers contributed.—Mrs. Bella Sorenson, Ida, Emma, Minnie, Selma, John and Selmar Sorenson.
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M. Mosbeck of Wylie was in town last Sunday to visit his son, Victor, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Aos and family of Gully arrived last Saturday evening to spend Sunday visiting with Mrs. Aos' brother, James Thompson, and family.

Services were conducted at the Swedish church in town last Sunday afternoon by Rev. Ole Sande of Numedal, Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking and Rev. F. A. L. Lindholm from west of Warren.

P. A. Nelson, a missionary who has spent most of his life in evangelical work in Venezuela, Africa and Asia, spoke at the Swedish church Monday evening about his adventures in those countries. He took up a subscription to further aid this work.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at Thief River Falls, is spending the week-end visiting her folks north of town.

Thos. Thoreson is home from Angus, where he had been employed for a few weeks.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at Busy Bee, returned to resume her work last Tuesday morning after spending a few days at Thief River Falls with her parents.

Mrs. Zilda Snyder and two sons returned on Monday from the southern part of the state, where they had been to attend the funeral of Mr. Snyder and also spending a few weeks with relatives of Mrs. Snyder.

Mrs. Ole Johnson and son, Arvel, of Warren arrived here on Saturday to visit Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Sevaldson, over Sunday.

Albert Hellquist of Newfolden visited last Sunday with the Hellquist people here.

Reports the last week from Axel Kron, who is ill with typhoid fever, are not very encouraging, but practically all other cases are now considered out of danger.

MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jesperson and children spent Sunday visiting at the Omdahl home.

Miss Helen Cooper visited with her folks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wedul spent Sunday at the Barnard home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stennese visited at the Wilson home Sunday afternoon.

Misses Mabel and Alice Jesperson spent Sunday afternoon at the Omdahl home.

The Cooper children visited at the Klove home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Rewertz of Red Lake Falls visited with Mr. and Mrs. Evert Rewertz Sunday.

The Stennes young folks spent last Wednesday evening at the Omdahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Roisland and children spent Sunday visiting at the C. Brekke home.

E. Brekke was a business caller at Plummer Saturday evening.

Messrs. Wedul and Klove called at the Muntch home Wednesday evening.

The Young People's society will hold its first meeting of the season at the Ole Wedul home Sunday, June 5. Everybody welcome.

Legal Notices

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Fred Roth, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Emma Roth;

It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 27th day of August, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at City of Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated May 23rd, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
m26-j2-9

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Anna K. Thoreson and Peder H. Thoreson, her husband, as mortgagors to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated December 22nd, 1915 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1915 at 4:00 o'clock P. M., and recorded in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 262, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 12th day of May, A. D., 1921, assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 12th day of May, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1921 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 596; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-six and 07-100 ($2,556.07) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash, and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five (75) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated, St. Paul, Minnesota, May 18th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee,
502-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nineteen and 50-100 ($19.50) Dollars which became due on the first day of March, 1918, and which is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Andrew J. Dahl and Karl Dahl, his wife, mortgagors, to the Trail State Bank, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 4th day of April, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota on the 20th day of April, 1917, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 53 on page 469 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: The sum of Ninety-seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Ninety seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the First day of March, 1918, and the further sums of Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at Six per cent per annum since March first, 1919; Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1920, and Thirty-three and 07-100 ($33.07) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1918, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of the said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1300.00, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; and also the further sum of Sixty and 58-100 ($60.58) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent since the 9th day of March, 1920, the latter amount being for taxes paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage by reason of the failure of said mortgagors to pay the same; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice being the sum of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars;

And whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nineteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), said land being in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and State, on Saturday, July 9th, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day at public vendue, to pay the said debt of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars, and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated May 14th, 1921.

TRAIL STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
m19-26-j2-9-16-23

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Ljot Sigurdson and Annie Sigurdson, his wife, mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 28, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 5th day of December, 1916 at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages on Page 140. Which mortgage was assigned by Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls to Hoag Security Company, by written assignment dated May 3rd, 1921 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 4th day of May, 1921 at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 218.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $109.60 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this assignee of Mortgagee, is $228.20, a total of $337.80 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota are to-wit: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Twenty-eight (28) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota on Saturday the 25th day of June, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota this 9th day of May, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a Judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein, in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Copartners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Ed. Narveson, defendant, on the 20th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Twenty-one and 65-100 Dollars ($21.65), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Ed. Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Ed. Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a Judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein, in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Co-partners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Ole Narveson, defendant, on the 20th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Sixty-four and 11-100 Dollars ($64.11), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a Judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein in favor of Anton Gunderson, Plaintiff, and against Ole Narveson, defendant, on the 11th day of July, 1911, for the sum of Fourteen and 84-100 Dollars ($14.84), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above named Ole Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a Judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Copartners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Carl Narveson, defendant, on the 20th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Forty-nine and 17-100 Dollars ($49.17), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Carl Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Carl Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eight and 62-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by P. W. Sharp Printing and Manufacturing Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagor, to Perl W. Mabey, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of May, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of May, 1919, at 4:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 597.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Perl W. Mabey, Mortgagee, to P. O. Myhrum by written assignment dated the 3rd day of May, 1921, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 4th day of May, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 124, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Four (4) and Five (5) in Block Eighteen (18) in the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls) according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and lying and being in said Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 18th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2808.62, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 4th, A. D. 1921.

P. O. MYHRUM,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m5-12-19-26-j2-9.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Martha O. Nelson and Nels K. Nelson, her husband, mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated April 1st, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 18th day of April, 1916 at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 4 of Mortgages on Page 192. Which mortgage was assigned by Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a Minnesota corporation, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation by written assignment dated March 29th, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 31st day of March, 1921, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 63 of Mortgages on Page 307.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $63.46 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this assignee of mortgagee is $227.01, a total of $290.47 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota are to-wit: The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section No. Seventeen (17) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota on Saturday, June 18th, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota this 28th day of April, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
m5-12-19-26-j2-9

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-six and 61-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by R. E. Chase, a single man, Mortgagor, to Minneapolis Steel & Machinery Company of Minneapolis, Minn., Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of March, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 278.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-one (31) in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-six and 61-100 Dollars and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25, A. D. 1921.

MINNEAPOLIS STEEL & MACHINERY CO.
Mortgagee.
LOUIS SEVERANCE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
a28-m5-12-19-26-j2

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Fifty-six and 42-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Ole Oveson and Mathea Oveson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 29th day of November, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of November, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 236.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, to The Savings Loan & Trust Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Wisconsin), by written assignment dated the 10th day of December, 1915, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 15th day of December, 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 56 of Mortgages on page 25, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage (or any part thereof).

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, be the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $2156.42 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25th, A. D. 1921.

THE SAVINGS LOAN & TRUST COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a28-m5-12-19-26-j2

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Four and 58-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by E. S. Babcock and Elsie M. Babcock, his wife, Mortgagors, to Anna Olson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1920, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of Mortgages, on page 491.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Anna Olson, Mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 27th day of May, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 30th day of July, 1920, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages on page 81.

AND WHEREAS, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the Assignee, and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eighty-six and 46-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Three (3), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred Sixty-three and Forty-five Hundredths (163.45) acres, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 11th day of June, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1086.46, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 25th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a28-m5-12-19-26-j2

Bids—Nurses Home—Close June 7 Oakland Park Sanatorium, Thief River Falls, Minn.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that sealed proposals for the erection of a nurses' home at the tuberculosis sanatorium for the counties of Marshall, Roseau, Pennington and Red Lake, including all labor and material for general construction and mechanical equipment, will be received by the State Board of Control, State Capitol, St. Paul, Minnesota, until the hour of 2 p. m. on the 7th day of June, 1921.

All bids must be in strict accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Sund & Dunham, architects, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, which may be seen at the office of the architects and may also be seen on application to the Builders' Exchanges, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, and at the Sanatorium, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

A certified check for 5% of the amount of bid, made payable to the State Board of Control, must accompany each bid as a guarantee, the same to be returned to unsuccessful bidders immediately on letting the contract. The party to whom the contract is awarded will be required to give a surety bond in the amount of contract. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

SUND & DUNHAM, Architects,
512-514 Essex Building,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
m19-26

I'd walk a mile for a Camel

The pleasure is worth it. There's no substitute for Camel quality and that mild, fragrant Camel blend.

The fellow who smokes Camels, wants Camels. That's because Camels have a smoothness, a fragrance and a mildness you can't get in another cigarette.

Don't let anyone tell you that any other cigarette at any price is so good as Camels.

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Camel

R. J. REYNOLDS Tobacco Co.
Winston-Salem, N. C.

CAMEL
TURKISH & DOMESTIC BLEND

FOR SALE
40 Bu. of Minnesota No. 13
PRIZE SEED CORN

This is the 15th year this corn has been grown in this county. Three tests gave this a percentage of 91, 96 and 100.

It took 2nd prize at the Crookston Farm Crops show in February and 2nd at the Minnesota state show.

ALBERT JOHNSON
BURR OAKS FARM.
R. F. D. No. 3 Tel. No. 7-F-012
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—7-room, strictly modern house, 87 foot frontage, located in very good residence district, 612 LaBree Ave. North. 13tf

FOR SALE—A number of good cows, coming fresh also young pigs. W. J. Bell, Kratka Route, City, Township of Smiley. P

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, two lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 13tf

FOR SALE—1 Rambler, 1 Mitchell, 1 Ford, 1 Chevrolet, 1 Buick, 1 Kissel also one 4-wheel trailer and one 2-wheel trailer. C. M. Evenson & Sons. 14tf

FOR SALE—5-room house, lot, outshed and woodshed and garden. Call 408 Duluth Ave S. 17p

FOR SALE—Six room house, hot water furnace. All modern. Best of well water. Delivery first part of June. 811 Main Ave. N. See T. A. Fossum, LaBree Ave. N. 13tf

FOR SALE—One 1918 five-passenger Model 90 Overland. Just overhauled and repainted. Good as new. Can be seen at C. M. Evenson & Son Garage, Thief River Falls, Minn. 13tf

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberry plants, grown in this locality for 8 years, now on sale by Mrs. Alvina Hovland, Phone 3132. 13f

FOR SALE—6-room cottage, 50 foot lot. Will sell cheap. Inquire at The Times. 11tf

FOR SALE—About 300 fence posts. S. S. Quammen, Rt. 2, city, 5 miles north of Thief River Falls. 16p

FOR SALE—Waterloo tractor, price $650.00. International tractor disc $150. International separator, 22 inch, $1475.00. Alfred Helgeson, Hazel, Minn. 10p

FOR SALE—One John Deere corn planter with 80 rods of wire, nearly new. Cheap. R. F. Malmstrom, Kratka Rt. City. 17

FOR SALE—1918 Ford Sedan, model 5 passenger with Hassler shock absorbers and speedometer. Ben Anderson, 417 State Ave. N., Thief River Falls, Minn. 18p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots. 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

FOR SALE—2 nice bull calves, 1 year old; 300 bushels feed oats, and some seed barley. Hans L. Sande, R. 1, City. 16p

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—My property at 1003 Arnold Ave. N., consisting of six room house, barn and garage, six lots. A. E. Babcock, Bronson, Minn. 16p

FOR SALE—House and four lots on LaBree Ave. Former Dr. Gambell property. House modernly equipped in every detail. Hardwood floors, outside coal bin, hot water heat. Four lots. W. A. Ziegler. 13tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 537. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—New five passenger Maxwell car at 25 per cent discount. Inquire of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn. 16tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Seed oats. J. O. Ronning. Phone 15-F-111. 16p

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milk cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 5tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc, to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Grell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Good seven room house, barn, chicken coop and woodshed, fruit trees, etc, on nice high plat of ground located on Red Lake river opposite Tindolph Park, the beauty spot of the city. For particulars call or write 420 Crocker Ave. No. Thief River Falls, Minn. 12tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 13tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

HAVE BOUGHT A LITTLE FARM. Want to trade my house for horses, cattle and machinery. Call or write 403 Duluth Ave. S. 17p

WANTED—To trade a house for young team and wagon and 2 cows. Write Box 1121. 17p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A six room flat with bath in the Dobner-Meehan Block. 17

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterne. 13tf

FOR RENT—800 acres hay land near Moylan and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 703 Main Ave. N. 14tf

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Bratrud. 10tf

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room bungalow; also some furniture for sale at 1010 Duluth Ave. N. Enquire at J. F. Houfek residence. 17p

FOR SALE—One of the best all modern homes in city. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, C. T. Christenson, 415 Main Ave. N. 9tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Man with team or auto to sell our Poultry and Stock Medicines, Flavorings, Spices, Perfumes, Soaps, Toilet Articles, Baking Powder and other household necessities in the Eastern half of Marshall county. Quality goods, reasonable prices; thousands of customers. Selling experience unnecessary. The Company trains in salesmanship. Address McConnon & Company, Winona, Minnesota. Mention this paper. 18

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery Houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 16p

WANTED—A good man for the season. Will pay going wages. Charles Schnable, Thief River Falls, Minn. 16

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—High school girl for general housework during the summer and to work during fall while attending school. Mrs. F. C. Nichol, 503 Arnold Ave. N. 16

LOST

LOST—A tug, between Thief River Falls and the T. K. Rynestad farm, on road north of Roundhouse, on Monday, May 9th. Finder please leave with mail carrier of Germantown Route, at postoffice. 14tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To buy a young team, wt. about 2400, for cash. Call 408 Duluth Ave. S. 17p

WANTED—A 1919 or 1920 Ford car with selfstarter, cheap for cash. Call at The Times. 17p

WANTED—A Medium House, at moderate price, in good location, that can be taken in as part payment on an improved quarter section farm. Write to No. 70, Care of The Times. 17p

WANTED—To buy 10 acres land. State your low cash price. Box 1121. 17p

WANTED TO TRADE—A good house for 80 or 160 acre farm. Will pay part cash in deal. Write Box 1121, City.

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 306, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

DRESSMAKING—Mrs. Anna Shaw, upstairs, 221, First St. E. 107tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

RAG CARPET AND RUG WEAVING—I am now prepared to take care of all orders entrusted to me for rag carpets and rugs. Work guaranteed, strictly first-class. Prices reasonable. Mail orders a specialty. 610 State Ave. N. 10p

FARM BUREAU IS PROGRESSING FINE WITH ORGANIZING

Officers Have Been Elected in Twelve of the Townships of the County.

County Agent McCann, assisted by county officers of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association, is making wonderful progress with the organization of the township units. Meetings are being held in every township in the county and officers have already been elected and organizations perfected in twelve of the townships. With this done they are all ready to proceed with the program of work that may be adopted at their next meeting.

The farmers are rapidly becoming more familiar with the intent and purposes of the farm bureau organization and are taking hold of the work in a manner that indicates that Pennington county will soon have one of the foremost farm bureau organizations in the state.

The following shows the townships that have already been organized and the officers elected:

Rocksbury—Director, S. E. Hunt, Thief River Falls; vice director, Ben Rosendahl, Thief River Falls; secretary, Mrs. N. E. Beebe, St. Hilaire.

Smiley—Director, J. M. Tiege, Thief River Falls; vice director, Mrs. W. M. Sherwood, Thief River Falls; secretary, W. E. McCrum, Thief River Falls.

Cloverleaf—Director, Stuart McLeod, Goodridge; vice director, Mrs. Carl Tally, Mavie; secretary, Fred DuChamp, Goodridge.

Mayfield—Director, W. H. Wilde, Hazel; vice director, Mrs. Ole Myrum, Rhoda; secretary, Sam Myrum, Rhoda.

Star—Director, Christ Odegaard, Highlanding; vice director, Ole Johnsrud, Highlanding; secretary, Emil Grams, Erie.

Hickory—Director, B. Bjornaraa, Wanke; vice director, B. Tveitbakes, Wanke; secretary, H. T. Hanson, Wanke.

Highlanding—Director, William Vaughan, Highlanding; vice director, Alfred Hammerstein, Kratka; secretary, Elmer Finstad, Highlanding.

Deer Park—Director, Osmund Mandt, Rhoda; vice director, Frank Lundeen, Rhoda; secretary, W. A. Swanson, Rhoda.

Numedal—Director, Olaf Larson, Thief River Falls, Route 1; vice director, A. H. Atwood, Thief River Falls, Route 1; secretary, John Ronning, Thief River Falls, Route 1.

Sanders—Director, Hans Anton, St. Hilaire; vice director, O. L. Larson, St. Hilaire; secretary, J. M. Thorstad, St. Hilaire.

Bray—Director, Emil Larson, Wylie; vice director, Chas. Lindquist, Wylie; secretary, John Swanson, Wylie.

Remaining meetings are scheduled throughout the county on the following dates:

River Falls and Black River, May 26, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. at St. Hilaire. Silverton, May 28, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. at Town Hall. Reiner, May 31, at 8:00 p. m. at School District. Goodridge, May 31 at 2:00 p. m. at Goodridge.

WARNING

Complaints have been made to me about boys shooting and doing injury to birds within the city.

Boys persisting in this unlawful practise will be brought before the Municipal Court.

E. O. ERICKSON,
Chief of Police.

The Lyceum

FRIDAY
HOPE HAMPTON
In
"A MODERN SALOME"
And
A Buddy Comedy

SATURDAY
William Fairbanks
In
"A WESTERN ADVENTURE"
—and—
Century Comedy—"Shotgun Gedding"
Matinee 2:30

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
Gouverneur Morris' Famous Story
"THE PENALTY"
With Lon Chaney
—with—
Christie Comedy—"Sea Side Siren"
Matinee Sunday 2:30

The Princess

SUNDAY ONLY
"PARLOR, BEDROM AND BATH"
An All-Star Production
Educational Weekly Snub Pollard Comedy

Notice To Taxpayers

The real estate taxes for the year are now payable at the office of the undersigned. Unless said tax is paid before the first day of June a penalty of ten per cent will be added to the amount due.

John Gullingsrud
COUNTY TREASURER.

PUREBRED STOCK OFFERED FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION

Cattle, Horses, Hogs and Equipment of Fine W. J. Bell Farm to be Sold June 6.

An auction sale which will attract more than ordinary interest is that to be held on the W. J. Bell farm in Smiley township Monday, June 6. This is one of the best stocked and equipped farms in the county and the sale is certain to attract a large crowd. Inasmuch as it is to be held just the day preceding the sale of the Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders association it is likely that a number of prospective purchasers from various parts of this section of the state will attend.

A complete list of the stock and equipment to be sold will be found in an advertisement on another page of this paper. It includes eight purebred Guernsey cows, three purebred Guernsey heifers, the purebred Guernsey herd bull, purebred Duroc Jersey hogs, nine high grade Guernsey cows, four high grade Guernsey heifers, six head of good work horses, a Velie and Overland automobile and a fine list of farm machinery.

The sale will start at ten o'clock in the morning with W. J. LaBree as auctioneer and the First and Peoples State Bank as clerk.

Last Wednesday the regular chapel hour was held, Miss Sveidal, the norse instructor having charge. The program was divided into four parts the numbers being as follows: Mountain March, Reap the Flax. The dance given by nine girls dressed in Norwegian costumes. The last number on the program being a reading given by Mildred Loftness entitled "Katryna's Visit to New York."

HIGHWAYS MARKED BY YELLOW STARS

Blaze Design Announced by Babcock Shows Route Numbers and Direction.

Yellow stars on black backgrounds soon will mark all trunk highways in Minnesota—the North Star State—according to the St. Paul Dispatch.

Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, recently made public marker design which is to blaze all state trunk roads. The figure on the star will indicate the trunk highway number; the flag above a turn—that in the illustration a left turn. The value of the markers will depend largely upon the extent to which the general public becomes familiar with the highway numbers.

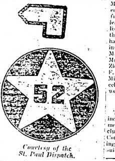

Courtesy of the St. Paul Dispatch.

"This design of marker was adopted mainly because it will plainly indicate the route and be clearly legible at night," said Commissioner Babcock. "The department in making a selection has profited by the experiences of other states and omitted lettering and other features that make the markings less plain."

Until permanent trunk highways are designated and marked with metal signs, the department plans to effect a material saving to the state by stenciling the markers on poles along the highways.

MR. SCHUSTER COMES TO THE FRONT.

Tells His Friends and Neighbors of His Experience.

Every Thief River Falls resident should read what Mr. Schuster says, and follow his example. He has used Doan's Kidney Pills and speaks from experience. Is there any need to experiment with imitations or untried kidney medicines?

Chas. Schuster, 622 St. Paul Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "From my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I can say they are just as advertised. My back has been bothering me for a long time and I couldn't bend over without pain across my loins. Some mornings I couldn't get out of bed my back was so sore and stiff and I was obliged to get up nights on account of kidney weakness. As soon as I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had relief and I have felt better ever since."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Schuster had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—adv.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.31
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.24
Oats	.28
Flax	1.62
Barley	.50
Rye	1.21
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.20
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bag	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.15
Dairy butter	.23
Creamery butter	.31
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.8-.10
Lamb dressed, per lb	.08-.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.05
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.04
Cows, per lb	.04-.06

AT SEVENTY SHE GAINS 15 POUNDS

Mrs. J. E. Williams Declares Tanlac is a Medicine Without an Equal.

"Besides getting complete relief from six years of suffering by taking Tanlac, I have gained fifteen pounds in weight," said Mrs. J. E. Williams, of 1414 West Minnehaha Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

"I simply can't describe all that I suffered on account of indigestion. Everything I ate soured in my stomach and formed gas that bloated me up until I was in perfect mysery. I got into a very weak and run-down condition. I had headaches constantly that nearly drove me distracted, and my nerves became so upset that I could not sleep at nights. I always got up in the mornings feeling tired and worn out and with a bad taste in my mouth. I just didn't have the strength or energy to do my housework and often felt I should have to give up altogether.

"But since I began taking Tanlac all my troubles have disappeared. I now have a splendid appetite and can eat anything I want and never suffer in the least from indigestion. I have not only gained fifteen pounds in weight, which alone is remarkable for a woman of seventy, but have been built up in strength to where I can do all my housework without any trouble. I have never come across any medicine equal to Tanlac and I never intend to be without it after this."

Eastern Star Party.

The Winslow chapter of the Eastern Star held a party at the Masonic hall last evening in honor of H. C. Durrin, who was recently appointed Grand Sentinel by the new Grand Worthy Matron, Mrs. Sheffield, of Moorhead. This is a distinct honor for Winslow chapter and gives Mr. Durrin a splendid opportunity for advancement. Both Mr. Durrin and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, who is the only other grand officer represented from Winslow chapter, gave very interesting talks. At this meeting Misses Marrian and Ella Miller were initiated. As a token of esteem and friendship, Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, who leaves in a short time for Minneapolis, where the family will establish their home, was presented with a handsome silver spoon with a star insignia. A committee composed of Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, Mrs. P. J. Bottem, Mrs. F. F. Haynes, Miss Anna Quale and Miss Belle Hermanson served an excellent lunch. The hours following were spent in dancing.

Girls' Community Club.

The annual election of officers was included in the program at the last meeting of the Girls' Community club held on Monday evening in the Commercial club rooms. The following were chosen to serve for the ensuing club year: President, Esther Gjertsen; vice president, Ida Tandberg; secretary, Anna Quale; treasurer, Valborg Sandum. The musical part of the program consisted of a piano solo, "Romance in B Flat," by Sebilius, rendered by Miss Laura Forde. Miss Myrtle Williams sang "Felice," accompanied by Miss Olive Lonson. A guessing contest furnished the entertainment for the remainder of the evening. A feature of the occasion was an unusual lunch consisting of hot baking powder biscuits, honey and coffee. This meeting concludes a most successful year both financially and socially. Every member of the club has given her able support in every undertaking. Miss Marie Nelson, retiring president, is to a large extent responsible for the congenial spirit existing among its members. Under the guidance of the new officers an equally successful year is looked forward to.

Girl Scout Day.

Thursday, May 19, was a big day in the history of the various patrols of Girl Scouts, when they held their annual track meet, followed by a picnic at Lover's Lane. The following submitted list shows the winners:

Relay race, 75 feet—1st, Firefly patrol; 2nd, Bluebird patrol; 3rd, Whippoorwill patrol.

Long Distance Ball Throw—1st, Myrtle Senate, 110 feet; 2nd, Anna Amon, 98 feet; 3rd, Lorenza Johnson, 93 feet; 4th, Viola Buringsrud, 86 feet.

Broad Jump—1st, Faith Warner, 19.5 feet; 2nd, Ersyl Anderson, 19.1 feet; 3rd, Martha Fallness, 18.4 feet; 4th, Florence Hance, 18.1 feet.

Hop, Step and Jump—1st, Dorothy Fuller, 25.1 feet; 2nd, Myrtle Senate, 23 feet; 3rd, Ersyl Anderson, 22.1 feet; 4th, Thelma Christianson, 22.3 feet; 5th, Ella Monsebroten, 22.8 feet.

Fifty Yard Dash—1st, Lucile Roark, 6.5 seconds; 2nd, Dorothy Fuller, 3rd, Marjorie Hoppa; 4th, Georgia Coyle.

The White Swan patrol was awarded 21 points; Firefly 16; Bluebird 10; Gray Wolf 6, and Gopher 2, based on 5 points for first place, 3 points for second, 2 points for third and 1 point for fourth.

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GOLDEN VALLEY

William Murray is in the hospital at Thief River Falls where he had an operation about two weeks ago on a rupture from which he has suffered for several years.

Joseph J. Tyson, who has been sick and was in a hospital at Fargo, was brought home by his daughter, Mrs. Groshon, last Tuesday.

The J. J. Kelly farm has been bought by Walter Nation of Waterloo, Ia. His brother will come here soon to look after his property.

Dick Hagen is putting in the crop on Mrs. Bergren's place near Golden Valley.

Stanley Groshon took Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Timm and Mrs. Bernsten to Thief River Falls in his car Sunday to see Mr. Murray. They found him some better but another operation had to be performed to remove puss that had formed in the wound.

Farmers Take Notice!

All kinds of field seeds and Northern Grown Seed Corn for sale at the Thief River Falls Seed House, formerly the Tessum Elevator.

A. G. Sandberg, Prop.
Phone 234 a28tf

Special Prices!

Warm weather is here again. If you burn oil in a good oil stove it is cheaper for cooking, and will not make your kitchen so hot. This week we are offering oil stoves at special prices:

4 Burner Oil Stove, regular $35.00 stove for $25.00
3 Burner Oil Stove, regular $25.00 stove for $20.00
2 Burner Oil Stove, regular $20.00 stove for $15.00

SPECIAL PRICES ON ROLLER SKATES

Roller skating is healthy sport for children. This week we will sell Roller Skates at special prices as follows:

Best grade girls' and boys' roller bearing regular $3.25 skates for $2.25
Best grade child's roller bearing, regular $2.75 skates for $2.00

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78 SENIORS AT LINCOLN HIGH BID FAREWELL

Commencement Exercises For Class to be Held at Auditorium Friday Night.

Event Will Mark Close of School Work For Large Number of Young Men and Women.

Largest Audience in History Witnesses Eighth Grade Graduation Wednesday.

The commencement exercises for the class of 1921 of the Thief River Falls high school will take place at the auditorium tomorrow evening. While not the largest class in the history of the school it easily outranks any other in this section of the state. The exercises will begin at 8 o'clock sharp, the following being the program:—

Invocation—Rev. J. B. Smith
"The Shepherd Lady"—(Armstrong)
High School Girls' Glee Club
Salutatory Address—Ethel Conklin
Ethel Conklin, Annie Hincik, Dreng Bjornaraa, Salutatorians
"Good Night, Good Night Beloved"—(Pinsuti)
High School Girls' Glee Club
Address—"New Opportunities For Success"—Dr. John M. Gillette
University of North Dakota
(a) "Bella Napoli"—(Boscowitz)
(b) "Song of a Rose"—(Foster)
High School Girls' Glee Club
Presentation of Diplomas—Dr. H. W. Froehlich
Valedictory Address—Betsy Ness, Valedictorian
"Alma Mater"—Class of 1921
Benediction—Rev. J. B. Smith

The Exceptional Records.

Heading the honor roll this year is Betsy Ness, valedictorian, who leaves four years of high school work with a credit mark of 94 per cent—an exceptional record. The salutatorian, Ethel Conklin, closes her school work with a mark of 91, as do also Anna Hincik and Dreng Bjornaraa. Others on the honor roll are: Mary Vance, Adolph Sundrud, Rose Oski, Beatrice Sandum, Anna Leimers, Evelyn Saugen, Marguerite DeCremer, Lois Struble, Clara Lund and Lester Coyle.

Instructors are unanimous in stating that it has been a hard-working class and finishes the year with every graduating member having made a record of which he or she may well be proud. Officers of the class during the year were as follows: Advisor, Miss Irene Patrick; president, Dreng Bjornaraa; vice president, Mary Vance; secretary, Ethel Conklin, treasurer, Clayton Steenerson. The class flower is the Moccasin and motto: "To Be, Rather Than Seem to Be." Following is the roster:

Corine Adsero
Elline Anenson
Burton Aarnes
Florence Burns
Lucille Blaska
Julia Brudvick
Mildred Bottelson
Dreng Bjornaraa
Vernon Copp
Lester Coyle
Ethel Conklin
Alice E. Causin
Marguerite DeCremer
Chester Dols
Lillian Eide
Gladys Ellestad
Clara R. Eugen
Allen Fossum
Edward Fiterman
Bertha Gunderson
Hulda M. Gustafson
Vivian Gabrielson
Lillian Hincik
Esther Hadrath
Mildred Haugild
Lynn Halvorson
Clarissa Hornseth
Eileen Herron
Frances Holmgren
Anna Hincik
Ruth Hadrath
Clarence Knutson
Dottie Krafthefer
Myrtle Krohn
Olga Koglin
Goldie Kellberg
Elmer Larson
Jennie Lind
Anna Leimers
Clara Lund
Viola Lund
Esther Loff
Cecelia Lubinski
Georgia Muzzy
Myrtle Mellum
Hugh McDaniel
Arthur Myra
Betsy Ness
Mae Olson
Olive Olson
Henry Olson
Rose Oski
Vellorrie Paranteau
Jordan Penney
Helen Quirk
Mabel Robinson
Doris Richter
Marshall Race
Evelyn Saugen
Adolph Sundrud
Clayton Steenerson
Olga Svendsgaard
Esther Soards
Mable Swanson
Stella Stenvik
Louis Struble
Ida Shields
Amy Sorlum
Bernard Sandahl
Harold Smithers
Florence Stageberg
Beatrice Sandum
Gladys Smith
Ruth Sathre
Stella Thompson
Mary Vance
Mary Wing
Ernest Zeh

Eighth Grade Commencement.

The graduating exercises for the eighth grade were held last evening at the auditorium and were witnessed by an audience that taxed the capacity of the building. The program was greatly enjoyed but perhaps the most interesting part of the proceedings was the explanation by Supt. W. A. Ziegler of the new system employed with regard to the distribution of classes. Hereafter there is likely to be no eighth grade commencement, strictly speaking, as the seventh, eighth and ninth grades will form a sort of intermediate section between the grade school proper and the high school. Supt. Ziegler outlined the plan, which in brief provides for work preliminary to high school entrance in the three grades of the junior high, but in addition gives the pupil an opportunity for making selection of such studies as may be finally chosen. During the seventh grade year this scope is somewhat wide and intended to indicate the general trend of the pupil's capacities and preferences. During the eighth grade year greater specialization is resorted to and the branches particularly favored are given the preference in the instructions, while during the ninth grade term the aim is to make the work directly apply to the particular branches to be taken up during the four years of high school. Here the elimination is further followed until at the end of the senior year the scholar is fully equipped along the lines chosen to take his or her place in the world. The aim is to do away as far as possible with the wasting of time on subjects of which a general knowledge is sufficient and to furnish specific training along lines that will prove of particular value when the graduate starts out to apply his knowledge in gaining a livelihood.

Boys Arraigned For Petty Thieving; Will be Watched

Three boys still in their teens, were brought before Judge N. W. Tarrant on Tuesday charged with having committed a number of petty thefts. Two saws and other carpenter tools were recently stolen in the city and it was charged that these boys were the guilty parties and that they had later disposed of their booty to local second hand men. County Attorney Theo. Quale recommended that sentence be suspended and the court agreed, holding the case against the boys open while their behavior is being observed. Parents of the youngsters promised that there would be no further ground for complaint against them.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, PIONEER RESIDENT CALLED BY DEATH

Former County Commissioner, Councilman and War Veteran is Deeply Mourned.

Joseph Johnson, one of the pioneer residents of Thief River Falls, died at his home here Monday morning of heart disease after a week's illness. His health had been failing for the past year but it was only a few days ago that his condition became serious.

Deceased came to Thief River Falls 30 years ago and during the greater part of that time has been local manager for the Red Lake Milling company. He was widely known and enjoyed to a marked degree the confidence and respect of the people of the city. He served one term as county commissioner previous to the time Red Lake county was divided to form Pennington county, was president of the city council of Thief River Falls one term, and was a veteran of the Spanish-American war. He also served as postmaster for a time during President Cleveland's administration, filling out the unexpired term of the regular appointee.

Until very recently Mr. Johnson took an active interest in all movements of a public nature and was one of the men whose judgment was always deferred to. Among the old-timers particularly was he held in the very highest esteem.

Joseph Johnson was born in Norway Dec. 31, 1862, and came to this country at the age of 17, settling in Park River, N. D., where he was married. His first wife died many years ago. About five years ago Mr. Johnson was again married and is survived by the widow and two children by the first marriage—Inez of this city, and Carl, late a soldier with the expeditionary forces in France but whose exact whereabouts is at present not certain.

The remains were taken to Park River this morning to be laid at rest by the side of the first wife.

HENNEPIN CHOOSES BITULITHIC PAVING FOR LYNDALE AVE.

Action is Significant in View of Question Arising in Thief River Falls.

The action taken by the board of county commissioners of Hennepin county in selecting bitulithic surfacing for Lyndale avenue, one of the most important thoroughfares, is of considerable interest to citizens of Thief River Falls. There has been a question in the minds of some of our people as to the wisdom of selecting this material for street paving, quite a number holding out for cement.

A majority of the Hennepin county commissioners decided for bitulithic in spite of the fact that the job would cost $194,000 more if this material were employed. In this attitude they were solidly backed by the business men of Minneapolis, who stated that they would be willing to have the county go to a greater expense in order to secure the more elastic surface. The commissioners declared that their experience with concrete roads had been that they always cracked from heat and cold and pointed to the road between Anoka and Elk River as an example of what weather extremes might be expected to do to surfacing of this kind. It was conceded that the first cost of cement would be less but that the five year guarantee attached to the bitulithic proposal more than offset this. It was shown that the county had not up to this time expended one dollar in upkeep where bitulithic had been used. First cost figures are invariably misleading, it was contended, and the cost of upkeep should be a matter seriously considered when paving contracts are awarded.

Injured Man Improving.

Reports from the home of M. C. Burns, who last week was seriously injured in falling from a ladder, are to the effect that he is getting along very well and that hopes are now entertained for his recovery.

LAD DROWNS IN RED LAKE RIVER; RECOVER BODY

George, 11-Year-Old Son of John Reitz, Loses Life When Canoe Upsets.

Quick Work of Witnesses to Accident Prevents Companion From Sharing Fate.

Body Found This Morning Only Short Distance From Point Where Boy Went Down.

George Reitz, 11 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reitz, was drowned in the Red Lake river about 7 o'clock yesterday evening. In company with John Hoyem, another boy about his own age, the unfortunate lad went out *for a canoe ride* near the foot of Fifth street. In some manner the frail craft was upset and both boys thrown into the water. Fay Draper, who resides nearby, and C. A. Joslin witnessed the accident and rushed to the rescue in a boat. They managed to reach the Hoyem boy in time but the other must have been seized with cramps as he sank within a very short time after having struck the water.

Search for the body was immediately begun but had to be given up on account of darkness. A short time after the work was resumed this morning the body was found by James Burrell, having floated only about 40 feet from the point where the boy went down.

The father is janitor at the Northrop school. No arrangements for the funeral have as yet been made.

HIGH-CLASS STOCK WILL BE OFFERED AT DONATION SALE

Expected That 85 Animals of Exceptional Breeding Will Be Sold at Crookston.

The breeders have been very generous in donating valuable pure bred animals to the Pavilion Donation Sale to be held at Crookston on June 14. According to the latest list as announced by C. G. Selvig of the sales committee the total number is 72 animals which will probably be increased to at least 85 before the sale begins. By breeds the number is as follows: Holstein, 19; Duroc Jersey, 17; Chester White, 11; Shropshire, 8; Poland China, 7; Shorthorn, 5; Angus, 4 and Yorkshire, 1. The consignments represent the best of the respective breeds.

So many exceptionally valuable animals are donated that it is impossible to single out individuals. In each of the breeds prospective buyers will be able to secure animals bred in the purple. It will not be a surprise at all if buyers come from a distance as the offerings are so distinctly meritorious. Both old breeders and beginners alike can secure the very best foundation stock at this sale.

Catalogs of the sale can be secured this week by addressing Red River Valley Live Stock Association, Crookston. Preparations for a big picnic on the 14th are progressing. Credit arrangements for stock purchased can be made if ready cash is not available. All are cooperating to make the day and the sale a success. It is a Valley affair in which every resident is interested. A good attendance will help to make it a success.

County School Officers Will Meet Here Saturday

The Pennington County School Officers association will meet at Lincoln high school auditorium on Saturday, June 4, for the purpose of receiving instructions relative to their duties. A member of the state department of education will be present for the purpose of delivering an address and there will be other features of more than ordinary interest. School officers are allowed to charge mileage and one day's salary for attendance at this meeting. Attendance certificates will be issued by the county superintendent to all those present at the session.

LIFE OF SERVICE GOOD CHARACTER, OF HIGHER VALUE

Too Little Attention Paid to These Things Says Pastor in Baccalaureate Sermon.

A large audience gathered to hear the baccalaureate sermon delivered by Rev. T. E. Sweger of Trinity Lutheran church to the graduates of Thief River Falls high school last Sunday at the auditorium. The speaker took for his theme St. Paul's advice to Timothy: "Study to show thyself approved unto God; a workman that needeth not be ashamed." Rev. Sweger stated that he did not urge upon anyone to give up their usual avocations—stop work, in other words—all must labor. This is a divine decree which none has the right to shirk. He urged, however, that his young hearers give the world the benefit of a good character and a life of service in behalf of the higher things. He maintained that so completely do the material concerns of life engross mankind that the more important spiritual things do not receive even a small part of the attention they deserve. His entire sermon was an arraignment of worldliness and selfishness and an appeal to his audience, and especially those who at this time are entering upon the more serious responsibilities of life, to so choose and perform their work so as to show themselves approved unto God.

It was a splendid sermon and evidently made a deep impression on the audience as well as the students.

The meeting was in charge of Rev. R. L. Barackman of the Presbyterian church, who opened the services. The Choral society led in the singing and proved a pleasing addition to a most instructive and inspiring occasion.

WARREN COMES TO TRY CONCLUSIONS TOMORROW NIGHT

Ancient Base Ball Rivals Will Meet on Diamond For First Time This Season.

There is always a great deal of interest displayed over any kind of an athletic game between contestants from this city and Warren, and this is particularly true of base ball. For this reason there is sure to be a big crowd present when the two teams meet on the diamond here for their first game on Friday evening. The game has been called for 6:30 o'clock sharp. Warren always has a good nine and it is said that the outfit is this year better than for a long time past. It is to be hoped that such is the case as the boys here are prepared to give them the fight of their lives.

Rain on Sunday and Monday prevented games between the home team and Fertile and Ada respectively. The postponed game with the former team will be played off on Wednesday, June 29, this date having been left open in the season's schedule. A date for the Ada game will be announced later.

Next Sunday the locals go to Gonvick for a game and it is probable that a goodly company of rooters will accompany the team. It is said that the Clearwater county nine is one of the best in that section but it will need to be as the Thief River Falls representatives do not figure on losing any more contests this season.

A Thousand Poppys Worn In Memory of Soldiers

Millions of poppys were worn on Memorial Day in the United States in honor of the boys who laid down their lives on the battlefields. One thousand of the red emblems were sold in Thief River Falls alone, every person encountered having one displayed somewhere about his or her person. The sale was conducted under the leadership of Mrs. J. O. Sethre and was without doubt the most successful thing of its kind ever attempted here. The proceeds will be used by the Legion Auxiliary for the relief of disabled soldiers and their families.

RAIN PUTS DAMPER ON MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE HERE

Large Crowd Gathers at Auditorium to Witness Exercises in Spite of Weather.

A steady downpour which persisted all day Monday prevented the usual Memorial Day parade, but otherwise the program was carried out as planned by the committee. The capacity of the auditorium was taxed to accommodate the crowd which sought to gain admittance to the exercises in the morning and many made the trip to the cemetery and decorated the graves of dead soldiers.

The auditorium program opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the Choral club and audience, followed by an invocation by Rev. R. L. Barackman. Miss Una Nelson gave Lincoln's Gettysburg Address in a most impressive manner, being followed by R. K. Calloway in a fine expression of appreciation to all soldiers, living and dead.

Mayor John Bratrud officiated as chairman of the meeting.

Rev. M. J. Noesen was the speaker of the day and delivered one of the finest addresses ever heard here on a similar occasion. He sketched the history of the United States throughout all the wars in which the country has engaged and paid a glowing tribute to the men who have gone forth to suffer and die, if need be, for the principles to which we are committed. The address was received by the audience with every manifestation of approval.

At the close of the auditorium program a considerable number marched to the cemetery, headed by the band. Here the usual observances in honor of the dead soldiers were gone through, a volley fired over the graves and taps sounded.

TO PROVE CITY SECTION'S BEST BUYING CENTER

Six Unusual Bargain-Giving Days Will be Held Monthly Throughout the Summer.

Business Houses in City Will Present Special Attractions to Buying Public.

Free Public Auction to be One Feature of Day Full of Startling Surprises.

The merchants of Thief River Falls, firmly believing that this city is the center of trade for northwestern Minnesota and that they have to offer lines of merchandise equal to those found in any market, will open their "Let's Get Acquainted" market day campaign on Wednesday, June 22, and will continue a series of six gigantic market days on the fourth Wednesday of each month.

Invitations are being mailed out to 8,500 neighbors and they are especially invited to visit Thief River Falls on market day to convince themselves that the merchants of this city are able to supply their needs—such as cannot be supplied at their home market—and that their extensive stocks, varied styles and adjustment period prices are more attractive than will be found elsewhere.

Auction Sale a Feature.

That the holiday spirit will prevail is evidenced by the fact that special attractions in the way of entertainment extraordinary will be offered on these two days, the program of each market day being varied and made interesting to the out-of-town buyer.

The program for June 22 will include a free auction sale on the grounds west of Hall Brothers' hardware store. Any person having anything to offer for public sale may place same for disposal by an expert auctioneer and the expense of the sale will be borne by the local merchants. The auction sale will take place at 10 o'clock and will continue until all articles have been offered.

The local theatres will offer attractions out of the ordinary, and at the Lyceum will be shown the greatest silversheet production of the day, "The County Fair." Persons having witnessed this attraction pronounce it one of the greatest efforts in motion photography. Band concerts in connection with this show will be given throughout the day.

To Issue Special Paper.

The afternoon attraction will be a fast base ball game between Thief River Falls and Argyle. Lovers of the great American sport can come prepared to witness a real exhibition.

Although Thief River Falls merchants are satisfied that their everyday offerings are attractive to the buying public, they believe that once the buyer becomes acquainted with the local market he will continue to make Thief River Falls his trading center. With this campaign, as a motive to extend the field of activity and on these market days' will be found bargains that will demand the attention of the buying public from any reasonable distance. All are requested to be on the lookout for the Market Day Special contained in the issue of The Thief River Falls Times published on Thursday, June 16, and to accept it as the invitation to visit Thief River Falls on Market Day.

All Asked to Help.

While primarily this campaign is for the purpose of bringing the distant buying public in touch with the local market it is also expected that the home trade will become better acquainted with the offerings of home merchants. Our people are especially invited to participate in the special offerings of the day and to assist in making Thief River Falls the recognized "Hub of Industry" in this section of the state.

A novelty attraction will be offered in the presentation of a new get-acquainted idea in "The Latch String," introducing a Round Robin Sale, which is offered by ten of the local merchants for the purpose of offering special inducements to the public to visit their places of business.

This campaign is a city and community development idea and all of the residents of this community are requested to get into the spirit of the occasion and make Thief River Falls' Market Days real events that will be looked forward to by the buying public of northwestern Minnesota.

Discover Fine Gravel Bed; May Lower Cost of Paving

The cost of paving in Thief River Falls may be reduced materially if a bed of gravel discovered near the city is found to answer the purpose of base material as well as crushed granite. Highway engineers in the city last week stated that they were of the opinion that the material would serve the purpose admirably and sent samples to the office of the highway commissioner to be analyzed. Should it develop that this gravel will make as good a base as the crushed granite it will represent a saving of 30 cents a yard on the paving cost. Besides it will mean that the money paid out for base material together with the freight charges from St. Cloud will be left right here in the neighborhood. City officials regard the discovery as particularly fortunate.

Paving work received a setback because of the rainy weather during the past week but will be resumed as soon as possible. The work of pouring concrete for the curbs will be begun as soon as the equipment arrives, this having been delayed somewhat in transit.

To Mark Road Corners.

The county commissioners of Red Lake county have hit upon a new plan for marking the corners on the Jefferson highway through their territory. They have caused to be planted three pine trees in a triangular position wherever there is a turn in the road in order that persons approaching in a car may be notified of the turn while still at a distance. Last year all right angle corners were improved on this highway, gradual bends taking their places. Trees of like nature have also been planted on each side of the Pennington-Red Lake county line.

ANNUAL PICNIC OF FARM BUREAU SET FOR FRIDAY, 17TH

Big Community Outing Will Again Be Held at Squaw Point Near City.

County Agent J. J. McCann announces that the annual picnic of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association will be held at Squaw Point on Friday, June 17. The Commercial club, Woman's club and Girls' Community club are co-operating with the farm bureau in arranging the picnic this year and each of these organizations will have a share in carrying it out. A meeting of representatives of the four organizations will soon be held for the purpose of arranging the details.

M. L. Warner of Warren, an active worker in farm bureau work, will deliver the principal address. Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture will address the gathering on the subject of drainage and more particularly the work being carried on by the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission. It is expected that J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, will also be present, although this is not now certain. Mayor John Bratrud will deliver an address of welcome on behalf of the citizens of Thief River Falls.

While this picnic is held under the auspices of the farm bureau, all citizens will be inivted to take part. It is a community event in which residents of town and country have an equal interest. Three such picnics have been held in years past and have proven among the most enjoyable events of the summer.

TWO CATTLE SALES OF MUCH INTEREST

Red River Valley Guernseymen's on June 7 and Mrs. Walters' on June 6.

The second annual picnic and consignment sale of the Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders association will be held at the Burr Oaks farm, Albert Johnson, proprietor, in the beautiful grove on the banks of the Red Lake river two miles south of Thief River Falls, Tuesday, June 7, at eleven o'clock. Everybody cordially invited to this picnic and sale. A fine program will be rendered and in the afternoon an auction sale of 27 splendid purebred and high grade Guernseys will be held. This will be an interesting and profitable day to those who are interested in dairying and better livestock for the Red River valley. It is suggested that farmer families pack picnic baskets, board the automobile and come. They are assured of a day of pleasure and profit combined with an opportunity to secure some of the best Guernseys in the Red River valley.

Mrs. Sophia Walters is having a sale on June 6, the day previous to the Red River valley sale. This will make it possible for Guernsey buyers to attend both sales if they so desire. Any community wishing to get a number of good Guernseys will be enabled to get a car load from both places.

Legion Getting Ready For Big Celebration on Fourth

A tentative program for a monster Fourth of July celebration in this city has been announced by the Legion committee in charge. The morning will be given over to races of different kinds on the principal streets while there will be special attractions in the afternoon, besides a base ball game between the Thief River Falls team and one from a neighboring city. In the evening there will be open air boxing and wrestling matches in the downtown section and a Roman candle parade put on by the fire department. An old fashioned log rolling contest will be staged and is expected to furnish a part of the evening's amusement. The day will wind up with a big dance in the auditorium. The streets will be decorated, there will be the usual vending concessions and the city will have a genuine holiday aspect.

GREAT TURNOUT IS ASSURED FOR SUNDAY'S TRIP

Sixty-Five Loaded Automobiles Will be in Line From Thief River Falls Alone.

Reservation Officials Making Special Preparations to Provide Good Time For All.

Start to be Made at Six O'Clock Sharp; Dinner and Supper Served at Lake.

ADVICE TO TOURISTS

Have cars filled with gasoline and oil, and pump up all tires on Saturday night.

Be ready to start Sunday morning at 6 o'clock sharp.

Meet at the corner of Third and LaBree.

Bring soup bowls, knives, forks and spoons.

Dinner and supper will be served at the reservation.

Route—State road to Goodridge, north to Ditch 20, east to Thorhult, south on ridge to lake.

Time of arrival, about 10 o'clock.

Notify E. O. Mogensen, chairman, if you have vacant seats in your car in order that all cars may be filled.

If you have car trouble, drop out of line and service car will take care of you. Take end of line upon resuming trip.

Cars will be numbered indicating place in line, which position must be kept to end of tour.

The largest automobile excursion ever starting out from this city will leave the corner of Third street and LaBree avenue on Sunday morning at 6 o'clock sharp with the Red Lake Indian reservation as its objective. Chairman E. O. Mogensen of the trip committee states that he has assurances that 65 cars will be in line when the start is made and that more will join from Goodridge and Grygla. W. J. LaBree will be in charge of the expedition as general overseer.

Invitation Extended.

George W. Cross, government agent at the Red Lake agency, has extended a formal invitation to the citizens of Pennington county on behalf of the people on the reserve. In a letter to Chairman Mogensen he states that he will send out a number of teams to fix the bad spots in the road just before the lake is reached and that there will be nothing left undone that can in any way add to the pleasure and comfort of the visitors. Mr. Cross has taken a keen interest in the excursion and will personally be on hand to extend welcome. He has arranged for a lake trip from the outlet to the narrows for those who wish to make the journey, which will consume about three hours. Boats will be on hand so that all who wish may row out onto the lake.

Will Have Things Ready.

H. W. Protzeller will be in charge of a party leaving on Saturday for the purpose of getting things at the lake in readiness. He will superintend the construction of a fish chowder to be served when the excursionists arrive, and those who have sampled the results of his skill in this direction on previous occasions know that something particuarly fine is in store. Those who intend making the trip should carefully read the instructions printed herewith or they may have to wait until they can borrow the necessary tools with which to do justice to a great dinner. The intention is to serve the meal about 11 o'clock and supper about 5, thus making it possible to get an early start toward home.

Teachers as Guests.

One of the reasons for making the trip at this time is that it gives the teachers in our schools an opportunity to go along. Most of them will still be in the city and these have nearly all signefied their intention of making the journey. The committee intends making exact disposition of passengers before the start is made in order that there may be no confusion. Auto owners as a general thing will make up their own parties but are urged to notify Mr. Mogensen in case they have an extra place.

It is important that the start be made promptly at 6 o'clock as the success of the trip will depend largely on everything being done according to schedule. The reservation officials will guage their part of the program by the plan announced at this end and the same applies to the cooks. Be in line at the appointed hour.

A service car will bring up the rear prepared to quickly fix things up in case there is a breakdown. Every detail has been most carefully looked after and nothing but bad weather can prevent a day's outing of the most enjoyable and interesting kind.

It is suggested that car owners place a few flags on their cars in the way of decorations. It will help lend tone to the cavalcade.

H. C. Dobner of St. Paul was in the city the latter part of last week on business. Mr. Dobner was a former resident here.

Society and Club

Surprise Party.

About thirty auto loads of people from the neighborhood of Holt drove to the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Anderson three miles north of Holt, and surprised them on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were married by Rev. Ordahl at Holt on May 21. As a token of friendship the couple was presented with a handsome set of silver. A splendid time was enjoyed and before the departure of the guests a donated lunch was served by the ladies of the party. Mr. Johnson has been the rural mail carrier north of Holt for the past 13 years and holds the unusual record of having missed only one trip around his route in that length of time.

House Party.

A number from this city were guests at Breezy Point Villa on Maple Lake from Saturday evening until Monday evening, the trip being made via the auot route. Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher chaperoned the party. Included were Misses Grace Wilson, Florence Aulberg, Grace Iverson, Ella Miller, Meta Kiland, Lillian Poppitz, Irene Patrick, and Messrs. Ed. Brevig, Morlan Bishop, Guy and Perry Johnson, Carl Sundahl and George Bourden, the latter of Brooks.

Lawn Party.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson entertained at a lawn party at her home Friday evening in honor of her daughter, Thelma. Thirty-two boys and girls were included in the guest list. During the evening music and games furnished entertainment, followed by a delicious luncheon served at small tables which had been attractively decorated. Paper caps in various colors were given as favors.

Birthday Party.

Eight little girls were guests of Mrs. B. G. Rounds at her home on Kendall avenue Friday afternoon, when she entertained in honor of her daughter, Leota's, eighth birthday anniversary. The hours, which were spent in playing games, were from 2:30 to 5. A feature of the lunch was a prettily decorated birthday cake.

Eide-Nepper.

A marriage of unusual interest was made known Tuesday when it was announced that Henry Eide and Miss Viola Nepper, both well known in this city, were married at Detroit on Monday. The bride is one of the popular teachers here, while Mr. Eide has resided in this city for a number of years.

Class Entertained.

The members of the primary department of the Presbyterian Sunday school are being entertained this afternoon by their teachers, Mrs. W. A. Ziegler, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and Miss Ada Whipps, at a picnic on the Mogensen lawn.

Teacher Entertains Pupils.

The pupils from Miss' Nepper's room at the Northrup school were pleasantly entertained at a picnic on the lawn at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich last Friday evening. Various games furnished amusement.

Seventh Grade Picnic.

The pupils from the seventh grade of the Central school held their annual picnic on Tuesday afternoon and were chaperoned by their teachers, Misses Lorna Dodge, Gerda Mortensen, Margaret Jordan and Lyda Batten.

Entertains Informally.

Honoring Mrs. A. Rathjen, mother of Mrs. R. H. Ross, who has been a guest at the Ross home for two weeks, Mrs. F. C. Nielai entertained a few ladies at her home on Saturday afternoon.

Entertain Nurses.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich were delightful hosts on Friday evening when they entertained the nurses from the local hospital at a picnic supper at Squaw Point.

Wiener Roast.

Twelve boys between the ages of 9 and 11 were guests of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and Mrs. P. W. Mubey at a wiener roast at Lover's Lane on Saturday afternoon.

Patrol Entertained.

Miss Margaret Dix, leader of the Pine Tree patrol, entertained the members at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Larson of Saturday evening.

Entertains.

The members of the Pine Tree patrol were guests of Miss Ruth Knutson at her home, 723 Duluth avenue north, on Monday afternoon.

Macabees Have Program.

The following is the program given by the Woman's Benefit association of Macabees held at Bemidji on Tuesday, May 31, at the N. W. Armory. The program for the afternoon included:

1. Call to order at 2:00 p. m.
2. Singing—Woman's Benefit Association.
3. Introduction of Mary Garlock—Mrs. Jennie Gordon, B. D. of Northern Minnesota.
4. Introduction—Miss Harriet Olson, deputy supreme commander of Minnesota and Wisconsin—Mrs. Ethel Robbins, special deputy.
5. Introduction of Miss Frances E. Partridge of Port Huron, Mich., supreme record keeper—Miss Harriet Olson.
6. Rainbow drill by Brainard Review No. 10, Guard team. Mrs. Jennie Picket, captain.

At 5:30 a banquet was served by the M. E. Ladies' Aid for all members at the M. E. church.

Evening Session.

1. Call to order promptly at 8:00 o'clock.
2. Bemidji Review No. 23 guard team, exemplifying ritualistic floor work by Miss Rose Olson, captain.
3. Class presentation of 80 new members.
4. Address by Miss Frances E. Partridge.
5. California Poppy Drill by Fosston Review No. 3, guard team.
6. Fancy Drill by Bemidji special team.
7. Remarks by Miss Harriet Olson.
8. Introduction of Deputy Commander and Marathon Runners.

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Entertains For Mrs. Rathjen.

Mrs. A. Rathjen of Laverne was honor guest at a very delightful party on Friday afternoon when Mrs. H. W. Froehlich entertained a few ladies at her home. The hours were spent in needlework and at five o'clock a delicious lunch was served. The guests included Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mrs. Trine Aalberg, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. E. M. Schutt, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mrs. G. W. Connell and Mrs. A. Rathjen.

American Legion Corner

A Pledge to America.

Memorial Day is behind us. From the graves of our comrades we have retraced our steps. Having paid them full honor and having enshrined their memory deep in our hearts, let us learn the lesson of their sacrifice. Let our brand of patriotism be as was theirs, so that we too may be willing to lay down our lives for our country. Let us repeat in our hearts this pledge to the land which we love so well.

"I am proud that the United States of America is my country, the Stars and Stripes my flag. No matter from what race I sprang, or what nation may claim my friendship, my watchword shall be 'America First.' A citizen by birth or choice, I will ever strive to make my government revered at home and respected abroad.

"I will cherish and uphold the principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity. I will abide by the decisions of the majority and respect the rights of the minority. I will never discriminate against any citizen because of his religion. I will support the constitution of the United States and oppose every organization destructive to my country's welfare. I will follow no party that does not salute the flag and keep step to the music of the Union. I pray God to bless by country and her people.

"For my country's sake I will ever strive to be a better citizen. I believe that the laborer is entitled to fair wages, reasonable hours and proper working conditions. I believe in the sacredness of the home and the marriage tie. I will do my best to keep physically strong, morally clean and mentally active, and by voice and by vote, take an intelligent part in the government of my country.

"I hold in grateful memory the gallant deeds of the men who carried our Flag through death and danger. I will make my gratitude practical by helping in every way to restore them to a place of honor and prosperity as worthy citizens of this great nation.

"I pledge to America the love of my heart, a true, constant and absolute loyalty; I pledge respect and obedience to her laws. I pledge my property, my honor, and, if need be, my life, to defend her. I pledge allegiance to my Flag and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Here's how the ten Minnesota congressional districts are forging ahead in carrying out the slogan "No bachelor posts in Minnesota." In the Second, Fifth and Seventh districts 60 percent of the Legion posts have established Auxiliary units. In the First, Fourth and Eighth districts 50 per cent of the Legion posts have the backing of Legion auxiliaries; and in the Third, Sixth, Ninth and 10th districts the percentage of auxiliary units to legion posts is 30 per cent. Almost half the Legion posts in the state now have auxiliaries, and about four new units per week are being formed. Minnesota still leads every other Legion department in the United States in this respect.

HOSPITAL NOTES

H. E. Jackson left Saturday night for Watertown, S. D., after having recovered from the most serious operation ever performed at the Physicians hospital. He was rushed to the institution after a rupture of the stomach caused by the breaking of an old ulcer. His condition was for awhile very serious but his gain was both steady and rapid. He will decuperate on a farm during the summer.

Mrs. Serena Nordhagen, 80 years of age, underwent an operation for a cataract over her left eye last week and will partially regain her sight in spite of the fact that she has been totally blind in the other eye for the past 20 years.

The three-year-old son of Emil Ness, residing four miles west of the city, had a narrow escape from losing the sight of one eye one day last week. While playing around the barn the little fellow ran against a pitchfork in the hands of his grandfather, one of the tines striking him near the eye. He was rushed to the Physicians hospital and the surgeons are now certain that the eye will be saved.

The nurses at the hospital were all taken out to Squaw Point for a picnic supper and marshmallow roast on Friday evening. They went out boat riding on the river and otherwise disported themselves as becomes picnicers who do not have an opportunity of getting out very often. In the party were Misses Skiem, Bradley, Kuehn, Wilde, McCrum, Nordquist, Hermanson and Harms. The hospital was in charge of Miss Esther Samuelson during their absence.

Fifth Anniversary Sale.

It is five years ago this week since E. O. Mogensen engaged in business in Thief River Falls and he is celebrating the event by holding a big bargain sale. As will be seen by his advertisement on another page, substantial reductions are being made on everything in the store and the event presents an excellent opportunity to the trifty buyer.

This store has steadily grown in popularity since Mr. Mogensen took charge five years ago, and is at the present time one of the most widely known in this section of the state. The lines handled are the very best to be found and the proprietor has gained a reputation for doing exactly as he says he will. The sale starts Friday morning.

EVERYBODY SEES A CHANGE IN FATHER

Grateful Son Says His Father Looks Like Different Man Since Taking Tanlac.

"My father has suffered from chronic stomach trouble for over twenty years and has paid out thousands of dollars for medicines and doctors," said G. W. Slayton, a well-known Cobb county farmer, living a short distance out of Atlanta, Ga.

"We tried nearly everything trying to cure him and he went off to the Springs, thinking maybe the water might help him but it just looked like nothing would reach his trouble. Then he tried dieting and lived on liquid food until he almost starved, but even that failed to do him any good and he just kept going from bad to worse.

"I don't guess there ever was a case as stubborn as his and if there ever was a confirmed dyspeptic, he was one of them and I guess he would have been one yet if it hadn't been for this Tanlac.

"The first we heard of this medicine was when my father saw an advertisement in the papers from parties he knew in Tennessee, who were friends of his and he knew what they said about it was the truth so he got it right away and began taking it. Well, sir, it acted just like magic—everybody notices the change in father—why, he is just like a different man and sits down to the table and eats like a farm-hand. Only yesterday he ate pork and turnips for his dinner and ate so much we were actually afraid he was going to overdo the thing but he laughed and said nothing hurt him now and that he was hungry and expected to eat and make up for lost time.

"Now, when a medicine will do things like that I think people ought to know about it and I want to say right now that I would not give one bottle of Tanlac for all the other medicines and health resorts in the country put together."

Rev. T. E. Sweger of Trinity Lutheran church, leaves tomorrow for Moorhead to attend the Minnesota district meeting of the Young Peoples League of the Lutheran church. E. A. Mostue will deliver the sermon at the local church on Sunday.

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Does Your Washing Quicker

The Thor-32 stands above all others as a time saver. It was designed particularly to reduce washing time—to give you more time with your family and more time for leisure. The special curved design enables it to hold many more clothes than other washers of the same size and floor space. This is how it saves your time. It does your washing with from one to two and even three fewer tubsful. It is small, light, and easily moved.

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Men's blue serge pants, strictly pure wool	$9.45
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Men's heavy government khaki fence snag proof pants, sold exclusively by us. Special	$3.19
Men's medium weight khaki pants	$1.45
Young men's fine cassimere pants, neat patterns	$4.45
Boys' khaki Knickerbockers	79c
Boys' wool mix knickerbockers, full lined	$1.29, $1.45
Strictly pure wool boys' pants, made of suitings. Small sizes	$1.65
Boys' wool pants in big sizes to 18, substantially made. Special	$1.95
Boys' genuine Palm Beach pants, at	$3.19

Shoes

Solid leather tan English shoes, regular $6 values. Special	$4.75
Men's tan or black roomy comfortable dress shoes, $7.50 quality	$5.45
Chippewa work shoes, values $4 and $4.50. Special	$2.95
Boys' tan English shoes, all sizes	$2.95
Boys' strong outing shoes, solid leather. Special	$1.95
Men's 10 inch top shoes, regular $5.00 values. Special	$3.65
Men's 12 inch top shoes for early spring wear. Special	$5.45
Men's good oxfords	$4.75 to $9.00

Hats

Extra values in hats	$2.95, $3.35, $4.45

Underwear

Boys' and youths' fine-ribbed summer weight union suits, sizes 24 to 34 in short sleeves, knee length. Special purchase price	68c
Boys' and youths' athletic style mesh weave union suits of the very best quality	68c
Boys' and youths' Nainsook athletic style union suits; sizes 24 to 34. Special purchase price	57c
Boys' athletic style union suits of the very best washable materials, sold everywhere for $1.25. Special	89c
Men's Ballbriggan union suits, regular $1.50 quality, specially priced at a saving to you	89c
Men's fine knitted mesh union suits, bleached or ecru, cool and comfortable for summer wear. It is the standard good fitting $1.50 Conde make underwear in sizes 36 to 50. Special purchase price	99c
Men's highest grade spring needle Lewis union suits, short or long sleeves, sold everywhere at today's market price of $2. Our special purchase price	$1.29
Boys' Ballbriggan union suits in ecru shades	47c
Men's heavy weight cotton union suits; new merchandise and sold regular for $1.75. Special	$1.19
Men's high grade athletic union suits, sold regular for $1.50	95c
Men's light weight shirts and drawers, best grade	63c
Men's heavy weight shirts and drawers, best grade	69c

Suits

Young men's blue serge suits, double breasted	$23.45
Young men's novelty suits, single or double breasted, in grey, green and brown mixtures. Special	$23.45
Men's wool suits, hard finish, in brown, grey or mixed, guaranteed to wear and hold its shape. Special	$27.45

Boys' Suits

A beautiful assortment of boys' suits, in green, brown mixed	$9.75
Juvenile suits, 2 to 8, this spring's Special	$4.45
Wool suits in grey, brown or blue. Special	$8.45

Good Work Shirts

Cut full and roomy, all sizes	67c

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10c Handkerchiefs at 5c 15c Handkerchiefs at 10c	at 20% Off	20 % Off

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$40.00	SUITS FOR 8 DAYS ONLY, at	$29.75
$35.00	SUITS FOR 8 DAYS ONLY, at	$28.50
$30,00	SUITS FOR 8 DAYS ONLY, at	$22.75
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All Suits in the store now on sale at above prices.

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All boys' suits now on sale at reduced prices
20% off
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All wash suits at
25% off
from regular selling price.

Genuine "Little Major" Suits at
$1.25

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$1.25 values	95c
$1.50 values	$1.15

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"Koveralls" While they last, at only 85c each

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$18.00 Men's Coats at $13.75	$27.50 Men's Coats at $21.50	$40.00 Men's Coats at $29.50

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Our entire line of fine high grade Union Suits on Sale for 8 days

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$4.00 Shoes	$2.95
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$6.00 Shoes	$4.75
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$9.00 Shoes	$6.95
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$3.50 Dress Shirts, only	$2.50
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All of our fine silk shirts that have sold up to $15.00 each now on sale at your choice, only
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Some are slightly soiled but are great values at above price.

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$1.00 Silk Sox	85c
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35c Wash Ties 27c
4 for $1.00
Extra Quality Silk "Cheney" Wash Ties 65c

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$2.00 Boys Suits	$1.65
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"Patterson," "Schoble" and "Dunlap" Hats are at special prices:

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$6.00 Hats, now	$4.75
$7.00 Hats, now	$5.25
$8.00 Hats, now	$5.95

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$2.50 Caps, now	$1.95
$3.00 Caps, now	$2.25
$3.50 Caps, now	$2.65
$4.00 Caps, now	$2.95
$5.00 Caps, now	$3.45

"Red Seal" Work Shirts, "McDonald" Union Made Work Shirts. Regular price $1.25
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Size 14½ to 17½
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"McDonald" Khaki Pants. Finest quality and best of make, in all sizes:

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$3.00 Pants	$2.35
$4.00 Pants	$2.95
$5.00 Pants	$3.65

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GOING AT IT RIGHT.

Thief River Falls is the natural trading center for a large area and the merchants of the city are going to do something out of the ordinary to impress this fact upon the neighbors. June 22 the city will be host to people from every section of this vast territory at one of the most interesting get-acquainted gatherings ever attempted in this state. And this first day is to be but a beginning. Once a month for six months a similar plan will be followed, the general schedule being the same for each event but all being different in detail.

One entire eight-page newspaper is to be issued by the Merchants association just prior to the date on which the market days will be held. These will be mailed to every home in this section of the state and will fully explain everything connected with the plan. Bargains such as were never before offered in this or any other part of the country will be found in Thief River Falls on these market days and will include merchandise of all kinds. Every business and practically every business house in the city is represented. Never was a campaign so general in its application attempted by a community. The unusual offerings extend all along the line and include everything needed by an average American family. The only places where special bargains will not be offered on these days will be the postoffice and public library. Here is one time the merchants will get together for the purpose of proving that Thief River Falls is the best city in which to trade—and it will make no difference in what particular store the trading is done.

This experiment will be watched with interest by merchants of neighboring towns. It is going to cost some money to put the thing across but the buying public will be the gainer. It will be a good thing for the town, the buyer and the merchant, although the latter will bear the cost of making the experiment.

THE TRIP TO THE LAKE.

The largest party ever visiting the Red Lake Indian reservation at one time will put in an appearance there next Sunday morning, providing the weather-man knows what is good for him. About sixty automobiles loaded with Thief River Falls boosters will make up the bulk of the party, but there will be quite sizeable delegations from Goodridge and Grygla as part of the expedition.

This is going to be first and foremost a neighborly visit, but other matters are expected to be helped along. It is hoped that the need of a road directly eastward from Thief River Falls to the reservation will be so thoroughly impressed upon the excursionists that they will not rest until a modern highway connects the two points. There is also a hope that the residents on the reserve will like our people well enough to wish to trade with them and thus restore the ancient and natural line of business intercourse. Just now this last is a side issue, however, and the trip is made for the purpose of getting better acquainted.

Agency officials want our people to come. They have had the roads fixed up and made arrangements for boat trips and other modes of amusement. Agent Cross has himself taken a deep interest in the forthcoming visit and promises to see that the pilgrims shall find things interesting.

Every owner of an automobile ought to be in line. The trip is full of interest from beginning to end and the excellent roads will make the journey a pleasure. There will be regular picnic eats, prepared by men who have grown famous in the business. A service car will follow the parade in case any of the automobiles should go lame. In fact, there is nothing to expect except a most enjoyable time.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Pennington and Red Lake Counties will be held in St. Hilaire, Minnesota on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1921, beginning at two o'clock P. M. sharp. This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting. j-2-9-16

Dr. A. J. Paulson left Monday afternoon on a business trip to Watertown, S. D.

Public Forum

The Teacher Shortage.

As to the rural schools, it is plain that consolidation of two or more districts is the proper way of solving the present "teacher shortage" problem. It is getting plainer every year, that the present small country school house—the same pattern that was in use 150 years ago—is not in harmony with development in other lines of human activity in our prosperous land. It is also a fact that housewives are becoming more and more reluctant to give housing accommodations to the country school teacher. This indicates plainly that a change is needed.

It is almost a comical sight to observe a well-to-do farmer, who lives in a "modern" home, taking his children into his auto to bring them to school, landing them at the door of a small, lonely, forsaken-looking country school house, where wild grass, weeds and shrubbery grow up along the walls and over the door step. I confess that my own district has the same kind of school house. But it was built some 30 years ago and the present generation continue to use it for reasons that are plain to anyone that can reason logically.

Now, when we have the teacher shortage upon us, mainly as a result of the antiquated system, we are strongly urged to start at once to improve and modernize the system so as to make it harmonize with the development and financial ability of our beloved country.

Residences for teachers should be built near the consolidated school building, thus making a pleasant home for the teacher and his family. Ten or twenty or forty acres should be added to the school grounds as a farm for the free use of such teachers during their summer vacation, and the teachers should be engaged, not for the school months of one year, but without setting any time limit, just as when taking a position in a bank or any other office—as long as he is doing good work. Now, when the State Board of Education insist on having only highly educated teachers, this plan should be safe, because such teachers are pre supposed to possess the necessary training to continue as teachers of such a district for quite a number of years. The above mentioned accommodations would greatly reduce their expenses and they would accept smaller cash salaries.

Thus this hustle every summer on the part of school boards to get a teacher, and the efforts of teachers every summer to secure a new school would be done away with to a great extent; able teachers would try their very best to hold a pleasant position by doing good work, and the school boards would see the need of making it as pleasant as possible for the teachers in order to retain them.

This consolidated school should be adjusted to the needs of a rural population as outlined by State Board of Education. The present high cost of living has plainly demonstrated, that too little attention (although a good start has been made) has been given to the noble science of making the earth bring forth more abundently the precious fruits that everybody needs to eat. It has been said on good authority, that the Japanese farmer, even in this country, can produce two blades of grass where the American farmer produces only one. This truth brings home to us the necessity of adding a course in agriculture, etc., to the curriculum of the rural school after the eight grades have been mastered.

Thus the farmers' boys and girls could easily be interested in the healthiest and safest occupation on earth; the food supply of the country would be more plentiful, and more general prosperity among the American farmers would result. (The present industrial and financial confusion is only a temporary collapse of activities, that were going too fast.)

At this consolidated school should also be organized a system by which warm lunches could be served to the children, which is also recommended by our State Boards of Education. This is absolutely necessary to help the children become strong and healthy. The physical welfare of school children has been sadly neglected.

The consolidation of several districts will reduce the teaching force to about one-half, thus relieving the teacher shortage. It can give good, up-to-date school houses, better arrangements for instruction and an absolutely necessary instruction in the duties and advantages of rural life—the consolidated school can become the convenient center for a town hall, where community meetings of all sorts can be held, etc. Teachers can get suitable residences right on the school grounds; can raise vegetables and other farm products during their vacation, and as a remuneration for these accommodations, keep the school grounds in proper condition.

Such an arrangement will make rural school teaching an ideal position for able young men with families, and if systematically carried out throughout the United States, will do its part to end the teacher shortage problem.

I will also add that it is absolutely necessary to modernize the old system, as I have outlined in these two articles, for also another reason which has been caused by the antiquated system. Many districts, at present, are compelled to retain some teachers, that either do not care to do good work, or that have no native ability to teach a school. By improving the antiquated system we would soon have enough good teachers and the lazy ones would seek other occupations.

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City News

Coming "The Purple Riders." j2

Kenneth Wattem spent Decoration Day at Warren at his home.

Archie Lane of Hallock was in the city over Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Emma Henke of Plummer shopped between trains here Tuesday.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

E. Jenson of Viking arrived Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting with friends.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad and Miss Margaret Patterson of St. Hilaire shopped here on Saturday.

Miss Lyda Johnson returned to Minneapolis last evening after a two-day visit with friends here.

Miss Helen Huot of Red Lake Falls spent the time between trains shopping here on Saturday.

Fred D. Haug, who is spending the week here with friends, will return to Minneapolis by car on Monday.

Sam Cloutier, who underwent an operation at Warren recently, returned to his home here on Tuesday.

Morris Mabey, W. A. Stanchfield, Forrest Ralston and Walter Erickson motored to Crookston on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Carlson of Minneapolis spent a few days here the latter part of last week visiting friends.

Misses Ella Pelto and Esther Gjertsen spent Sunday and Monday as guests of Miss Eleanor Bauer at Goodridge.

Miss Sophie York, chief operator at the local telephone exchange, visited over Monday with friends and relatives at Crookston.

Ernest Zeh returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis where he was a guest at the Tri Delta formal, held on Thursday evening.

Miss Grace Iverson, Latin instructor, will visit friends here over Sunday before returning to her home at Minneapolis to spend the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mallory, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mallory, Jr., all of Grand Forks, drove over on Friday and visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. L. F. Fisher.

Miss Avis Akre, who has been teaching the past school year at Little Falls, is expected to arrive the first of the week to spend the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre.

G. B. Melby, who for the past two years has taught science in the local high school, will leave Friday evening for his home in Minneapolis to spend his vacation. It is his intention to enter the university next fall for a post graduate course, later finishing at the Boston Technical college.

Coming "The Purple Riders." j2

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire, shopped in this city Saturday.

Arthur LaBudde of Gonvick was in the city last Friday attending to business matters.

Coolidge Lesure of Fargo, arrived here Saturday and visited over Monday with friends.

Mrs. M. F. Olson of Duluth is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Holden.

Mrs. E. Aspelund and son, George, motored to Newfolden on Saturday to visit relatives over Sunday.

Joe Bartley returned Thursday evening from the twin cities, where he underwent an operation on his throat.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Gullingsrud returned Saturday evening from Gary, where they had been visiting friends for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney, accompanied by their guest, Miss Leesa Lakin of Duluth, spent the week-end at Union Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Stigen and family left Saturday morning for Steiner, where they visited at the home of relatives over Monday.

Carl and Bernard Sundahl and Miss Mary Vance drove to Warren Wednesday evening to attend the alumni banquet of the North Star college.

Misses Ruth Friestedt and Florence Nylander, who have taught here the past two years, will return tomorrow night to their homes at Duluth.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Ruby Jensen of Goodridge was in the city between trains last evening. She left on the flyer for Brookings, S. D., where she will spend a month visiting relatives and schoolmates.

Miss Vivian Swift, commercial instructor, and Miss Esther Johnson, domestic science teacher, will leave tomorrow evening for their homes in Minneapolis to spend their vacations. They will not return to Thief River Falls next year.

Mrs. M. M. Johnson, Mrs. Leonard Johnson, Lloyd Johnson and Miss Margaret Eichhammer, autoed to Warren Thursday afternoon. On their return here they were accompanied by Ernest Johnson, who had been in the hospital at that place.

N. K. Akre and two sons, Albert and Olaf, and Henry Akre, all of Kenyon, Minn., arrived last week for a short visit with City Clerk A. H. Akre and family. Henry is an uncle and N. K. a brother of the Thief River Falls man. They left later for an auto trip to the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Nason and family returned Monday evening from Lengby, where they had spent a few days at their summer home.

Haakon Olson, of the clerical force at Oen's store, left Sunday evening for the Great Lakes training station, where he will remain for a period of three weeks before receiving his discharge from the navy.

Coming "The Purple Riders." j2

Miss Esther Fricker was in the city Saturday attending to shopping.

Karl Korstad of Highlanding, attended to business matters here on Saturday.

Alvin Holzknecht and Jordan Penney were guests of friends at Grand Forks over Sunday.

Chas. A. Munn, local manager of the Standard Oil company, visited his home at Crookston over Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist returned on Saturday morning from Grand Forks where she had spent a couple of weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. Dahl and Miss E. Sundin of Rainey River, Ont., Can., returned to their homes on Saturday after receiving medical treatment here.

Miss Effie Peterson of Marion, N. D., is expected to arrive this week to enter upon her duties as nurse at at the Oakland Park sanatorium.

Miss Ella Pelto, one of the teachers at the Northrup during the past year, leaves tomorrow evening for her home at Duluth to spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Myhrum and son returned Monday from Fosston, where they had spent the week-end visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Mrs. A. Rathjen left Tuesday evening for her home at Luverne after a two weeks' visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross.

Mrs. Richard Halvorson of Hillsboro, N. D., and sister, Miss Agnes Bakke, who are visiting their parents at Holt, spent the latter part of last week with relatives here.

L. C. Nielsen, bookkeeper at the First National bank, left Tuesday on a two weeks' vacation to be spent visiting friends at Fargo and at points in southern Minnesota.

Miss Alice Hruby, who had spent a period of a month visiting at the home of her sister at Ada, returned to this city on Saturday morning and resumed her work at Black's Sweet shop.

Mrs. E. Sanders of Grand Forks was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernt Johnson, last week. Mrs. A. J. Barret of Crookston, arrived Saturday morning and returned with the latter to her home at Grand Forks by car the first of the week.

Miss Lillian Poppitz and Miss Irene Patrick will leave the first of the week for their respective homes at Heron Lake and Hinckley, where they will spend their vacations. The young ladies, who have taught here the past two years, will be guests of Mrs. E. O. Mogensen on the trip to Red Lake on Sunday.

Drs. A. J. Paulson and L. F. Fisher returned Friday night from Fargo where they had been in attendance at the meeting of the North Dakota Medical association. Thief River Falls medics were also represented at the Northern Minnesota Medical association meeting at Detroit last week, Drs. O. F. Mellby, H. W. Froehlich and M. Geo. Milan attending that meeting.

Coming "The Purple Riders." j2

Mrs. Clara Hjertos of Middle River visited with friends here on Saturday.

Chas. Boughton and Leo Spillane of Red Lake Falls were business callers here on Friday.

Harry Frye returned the first of the week from Crookston, where he had spent a few weeks.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen returned to Grand Forks Monday evening after a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen.

Mrs. C. J. Sandberg and baby returned to their home at Holt yesterday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Moline for a few days.

Miss Amelia Hoorn, instructor of mathematics at the local high school, leaves tomorrow for Fergus Falls to visit at the home of her parents during the summer.

Misses Inez Howe and Olga Lofgren, local teachers, will leave the first of next week for their homes to spend their vacations. They will not return to this city next year.

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Miss Florence Aalberg arrived on Friday from Erskine, where she teaches domestic science, to spend the week-end at her home. She will return to this city tomorrow to spend her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren and son, Harry, Jr., motored to Crookston on Thursday. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. G. W. Booren and two sons who had spent a week visiting relatives at Fargo.

Crookston College will run a special summer term beginning Monday, June 6. Both beginning and advanced classes in bookkeeping and shorthand for teachers and high school students. Write to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minn. j2

Geo. L. Biddick of the Peterson-Biddick company, spent Monday at Williams on business.

Mrs. P. Sourds returned Wednesday evening from Warren after a four-week absence, on professional work.

Olaf Kompelien of Erie, was in the city on business Tuesday. Some surprise was expressed at his making the trip in a Ford car.

Miss Gerda Mortenson, who has taught in the city schools for the past two terms, will leave tomorrow evening for her home at Fosston to spend the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt will go to Bemidji tomorrow morning to attend the commencement exercises at the State Teachers college, from which their daughter, Angelia, is to be graduated.

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Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery spent the week-end visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. P. Murphy, at Crookston.

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Mrs. H. E. Froseth left Tuesday evening for Albert Lea to spend some time visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Evenson.

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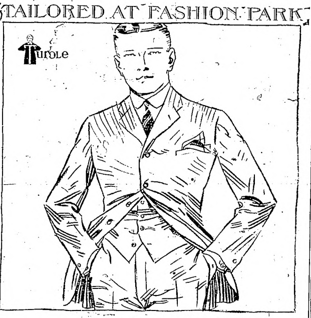

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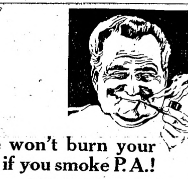

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r. and Mrs. W. J. Brown spent week-end at their cottage at n Lake.

's Alyce Berg, who has been ır her sister at Duluth, returned his city Tuesday evening.

Florence Carney arrived on from Bemidji to spend a visiting at the home of her Irs. C. A. Barden.

Attorney H. O. Chommie re- Tuesday from Middle River e delivered the principal ad- the Memorial Day exercises.

nd Mrs. Martin Johnson went Lake Tuesday to appear as es in the Otto Blatman case. xpected to be absent for four

T. L. Rank of Dover arrived ay morning for a month's visit e home of her parents, Mr. and C. M. Wilson. Mrs. Rank was erly Miss Agnes Wilson.

Irs. W. L. Hall, Mrs. E. M. Stan- , Jr., and Mrs. E. L. Rolland re- ed last evening from Bemidji ere they attended a program given the Woman's Benefit association of Macabees.

E. M. Rudd, a native of Thief River Falls but now connected with the Co-operative Machine & Tool Company of Minneapolis, was in the ity for a short visit on Monday. Mr. Rudd started out to learn the prin- trade in this city, having been oyed on both the old News and s during the Eastman and Quist He has not visited the old burg some years and expressed sur- se at the progress that has been made.

Thief River Falls Girls' Pictures in the Paper

e Minneapolis Tribune is run- a page on "Beautiful Women of Northwest" every Sunday and the ure is making quite a hit. The issue contained the pictures of evy of Thief River Falls girls it must be said that the city's showing is as good if not better than that made so far by any of its neighbors. If there is any doubt about this you may ask the girls themselves. Those favored by the Tribune's censor are: Alice Froseth, Mildred Bottelson, Yellerrie Parenteau, Eileen Herron, Adlyn LaBree, Dagny Tharaldson, Onata Stoppel, Ethel Erickson, Maybelle Swanson, Marie Nelson and Meta Kiland.

Churches

Mehodist Episcopal Church, J. E. Smith, Pastor—Sunday at 10 a. m. Children's Day will be observed and the following program will be rendered: Song, "The World Wide Garden," the school; Responsive Reading, the school. Recitation, "Children's Day," Ina McMahon. Song, the school; Recitation, "The World Garden," Alfa Gabrielson; Solo with Chorus, Class of Girls; "All the World Shall be a Garden," Mabel Malafa; Recitation, "Children's Day," Helen Cronkhite; "How to Remember June," Mary Alexander; Song, the school; Exercise, "The Creator's Praise," Number of Scholars; "The First Garden," Six Girls; Song, "The Presence of God," the Choir; Recitation, "In His Garden," Lois Wikel; Duet and Chorus, "June All the Year," school; Reading, "Garden of Bible Times," Randall Noper; Exercise, "No Barren Field," Six Boys; Song, "The Fountain of Life," choir; Exercise, "What is Children's Day?" Primary Dept.; Song, "Growing For Our King," Primary Dept.; Recitation, "Sowing and Reaping," Clifford Wikel; Recitation, "Our Temples," Janita Biddick; Song, "Be Not Weary," Choir; Recitation, "Go and Help," Frances Conklin; Song, "The Children of God," Choir; Offering; Closing Song, "Teach Us, O Lord," school. Other services will be as usual. Everybody welcome.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday: June 5: 10 a. m. Sunday school. Every pupil will be expected to be in his place promptly. Important parts of our children's day exercises will be arranged. 11 a. m. morning worship. Sermon subject: "Suffer Me First People." The Young People's choir will provide the special music for the day. 8 p. m. evening hour of praise. Mrs. J. M. Bishop will speak on "Child Welfare" in general and in Pennington County in particular. C. E at 7 p. m. "Thy Kingdom Come" in the world. This is a consecration meeting. The Ladies Aid society will meet on Friday, June 3 with Mrs. Smithers, 807 Knight Ave. N.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Zion Ladies aid Thursday, June 2. Mrs. Ole Melum entertains. Zion Y. P. S. Thursday evening, June 2. Mr. Mostue will speak. Vistiens and Etenees entertain. Services, city, 11 a. m. Services, Rindal 2 p. m. Services at Norden 3:30 p. m. Parochial school at Rosewood Monday, June 6th, at 9 a. m. Student Kaleb Quanbeck will teach. Mrs. Wesby will entertain the Rindal Ladies Aid Tuesday, June 7.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services in Norwegian Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. E. A. Mostue will preach. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. No evening service. Ladies' Aid Society will be entertained Thursday, June 9, by Mesdames A. G. Loftness, Peter Hornseth, Jorgen Eide and Albert Olson. Young People's League Thursday evening, June 9. Reuben Aga will give an address on "Friendship."

Christian Science—Services are held every Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject June 5, "God, the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room is located at the same place and is open on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Landell, Pastor—Sunday, June 5th: No Sunday school. No services on account of Young Peoples conference held at Crookston. Tuesday, Young Peoples meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday; prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday, June 8th, Prof. Wilson of North Park College, Chicago, will speak at 8 p. m.

First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—There will be no services in the forenoon. No Sunday school. English services in the evening at 8:00 o'clock. Parochial school will commence on Monday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

Obituary

Fred Westphal.

Fred Westphal of Wylie died last week at his home of cerebral hemorrhage after a five days' illness. He was 45 years old, having been born on a farm in Hennepin county in 1876. He moved to Traverse county in 1897, was married at Leonardsville to Miss Mathilda Keller, who survives him, as do eight of their nine children: Grace, 18; Merrill, 15; Pearl, 14; Vernon and Violet, 13; Sheldon, 7; Blossom Genevieve, 3; and Allen, 13 months. Mr. Westphal is survived by four brothers—Louis of St. Hilaire; Albert of Lake Benton, Minn.; Gust A. of Minneapolis, and William of St. Paul; and by three sisters—Mrs. August Miller and Mrs. W. A. Green of Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. A. E. Ludvig of Montevideo, Minn.

Andrew Svensby.

Andrew Lawrence Svensby died at his home west of town Monday of cancer of the liver. He was born January 4, 1840 in Roraar, Norway and came to America in 1883, and located at Mayville, N. D. He lived there one year. In 1884 he settled on his homestead three miles west of town where he has resided up to the time of his death. Deceased was one of the oldest settlers of Norden township and had many friends. Funeral took place from Norden school house, Rev. George Larson officiating. Interment was made in Sandridge cemetery.

Thomas George Mattison.

On Saturday morning, May 28, occurred the death of Thomas George Mattison, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mattison, 230 Markley Ave. N., from bronchial pneumonia. Funeral services were held from the Catholic church on Tuesday morning. Burial was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to our friends and neighbors who so generously and lovingly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved husband and father. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Joseph Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore, Inez Johnson, Carl Johnson.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all our friends and neighbors who so generously and lovingly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved husband and son. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Thomas Houfek and Family, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Houfek and Family. 32p

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MONDAY, JUNE 6

This is a large sale and will commence at 10:00 o'clock sharp:

8 Purebred Guernsey Cows 8

ROYAL COIN OF HOP CITY L. NO. 47473
Born: May 2nd, 1913. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Magnus Troil No. 15463. Dam: Gold Coin of Hop City L. 2d No. 41904. Due to freshen June 1st, 1921.

MABEL OF HOP CITY L. 2d, No. 47313
Born: May 22, 1913. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Magnus Troil A. R. No. 15463. Dam: Mabel of Hop City L. No. 42627. Fresh April 23, 1921.

PRIDE'S EVA No. 76871
Born: Feb. 5, 1917. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Gouvernante's Governor of Silverton No. 42559. Dam: Pride's Cleopatra 2d, No. 48444. Due to freshen Oct. 9, 1921.

MABEL'S VIOLET No. 106660
Born: March 18, 1919. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Prince Albert of Oak Lawn No. 46971. Dam: Mabel of Hop City L. 2d. No. 47313. Due to freshen March 3, 1921.

PRIDE'S CLEOPATRA 2d. No. 48444
Born: June 1, 1913. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Climber No. 15617. Dam: Pride's Cleopatra No. 30189. Due to freshen June 26, 1921.

MABEL'S WANETA No. 106659
Born: March 8, 1918. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire Gouvernante's Governor of Silverton No. 42559. Dam: Mabel of Hop City L. 2d. No. 47313. Fresh.

ROYAL'S MARGUERETE No. 108326
Born: January 19, 1918. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Gouvernante's Governor of Silverton No. 42559. Dam: Royal Coin of Hop City L. No. 47473. Due to freshen Oct. 10, 1921.

MAGNA DOLLY'S BLOSSOM No. 77899
Born: June 23, 1917. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Rosseau of Koshkonong Place No. 19375. Dam: Magan Dolly of Hop City L. No. 41239. Due to freshen June 26, 1921.

Three Fine Purebred Guernsey Heifers

WOODACRE JEWEL
Born: June 8, 1920. Color: Fawn and white. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Mabel's Waneta No. 106659. Paper applied for.

WOODACRE FERN
Born: July 1, 1920. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Pride's Eva No. 76871. Papers applied for.

BELLE'S PRIDE
Born: March 3, 1921. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Mabel's Violet No. 106660. Papers applied for.

ROYAL'S CAESAR (BULL CALF)
Born: June 1, 1920. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Caesar of Bellview No. 52776. Dam: Royal Coin of Hop City L. No. 47473. Papers applied for.

Herd Bull

CAESAR OF BELLVIEW NO. 52776
Born: June 10, 1918. Color: Fawn with white markings. Sire: Upland's Caesar No. 40788. Dam: Anna Josephine of Bellview No. 66546.

All tuberculin accredited herd certificate No. 6843. These animals are of excellent breeding and in fine condition. This affords any breeder a fine opportunity to get into a pure bred Guernsey on a solid foundation with some of the best Guernsey cattle for a starter. For full and complete information as to pedigrees or other information, write or call on the Farm Bureau Office, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Nine High Grade Cows

One high grade Guernsey cow 2 years old, fresh May 15th; one high grade Guernsey cow 8 years old, due to freshen Aug. 3rd; one high grade Guernsey cow 7 years old, fresh May 1st; one high grade Guernsey heifer 2 years old, fresh Feb. 1st; one high grade Guernsey cow 7 years old, due to freshen Aug. 9th; one roan cow 3 years old, due to freshen June 3rd; one red cow, 8 years old, fresh May 9th; one red cow, 7 years old, fresh May 10th; one red cow, 4 years old, due to freshen June 3rd. All stock tuberculin tested.

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One bay team geldings 10 years, weight 2800; one black gelding, 10 years, weight 1400; one bay gelding 9 years, weight 1400; one bay mare 9 years, weight 1400; one black mare 6 years, weight 1450.

Farm Implements, Etc.

One Emerson gang plow, new in 1919; one walking plow; one brush breaker, (not new); one 20-double disc Monitor drill, new; one Deering binder, 7-ft.; one Deering mower, 5-ft.; one 10-ft. Deering hay rake; one sweep rake; one disc; One Deere manure spreader, new in 1919; one Deering corn binder, new; one International cultivator, new in 1920; one David-Bradley cultivator; one Mandt wide tire wagon, complete with triple box; one Mandt gear; one stock rack, new; one Newton fanning mill; one 4-section drag; one hay rack; two set of bob sleighs; one buggy; one 1½ horse power gas engine; one new cream separator; one grindstone; one washing machine; three sets of heavy work harness.

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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

Commencement.

The third annual eighth grade commencement exercises will be held in the Goodridge consolidated school June 2 at 8 p. m. The following program will be given:

Invocation—Rev. G. A. Hanson.
Piano Duet—Vivian Thoreson and Glenora Urdahl.
Salutatory—Emma Gilbertson.
Demonstrations in Home Nursing—Several Girls.
Piano Solo—Miss Gladys Wilson.
Demonstration in Judging a Dairy Calf—Luella Urdahl, Loudolph Urdahl, Harry McDonald, Glenn Erickson and Norton Gunderson.
Selection—High School Girls Glee Club.
Address—Mr. G. A. Selke, State Commissioner, Consolidated Schools.
Selection—Quartette, Misses Giefer, Argall, and Messrs. Hanson, Nystul.
Presentation of Diplomas—N. Bundlund.
Benediction—Rev. G. A. Hanson.
Class Motto: "Be Square."
Class Colors: Lavender and White.
Class Flower: Lilac.

Class Officers: Emma Gilbertson, president; Harry McDonald, vice president; Vivian Thoreson, secretary and treasurer.

Class Roll: Gertrude Anderson, Emma Gilbertson, Norton Gunderson, Glen Erickson, Myrtle Iverson, Stephen Jacobson, Henry Hjelle, Harry McDonald, Clifford Overum, Luella Urdahl, Jennie Krbechek, Vivian Thoreson, Florence Johnson, Herbert Felson, Lawrence Seavey.

Rev. Hanson was in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

D. J. Bren of Minneapolis, who is farming south of town, left Thursday for his home to attend to business.

John Guinan of Thief River Falls was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Mr. Peterson, district agent for Bridgeman-Russell, was in town Saturday on business.

Ole Nygaard attended to business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Ruby Jensen returned Monday evening from Thief River Falls where she spent several days visiting friends.

Morgan Christianson of Strathcona spent Sunday and Monday visiting the home folks.

Miss Teresa Giefer spent the week-end at her home in Thief River Falls.

Jim Wilson of Grygla was in town Monday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Marshall Race returned to Thief River Falls Monday after spending the week-end at his home near Erie.

Otto Lee of Grygla was in town Monday enroute to Thief River Falls.

Misses Ella Pelto and Esther Gjertson of Thief River Falls spent Sunday as the guests of Miss Eleanor Bauer.

Mr. Umland, state engineer of highways, was in town Saturday.

A. Kady of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday between trains.

James Turnbaugh was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Charles Johnson was a passenger to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Will Wayne of Germantown was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Olson left by auto Wednesday for Hibbing. They will visit their son, Owen and family at Gully, and also visit at Bemidji enroute.

George Larson of Golden Valley, N. D., arrived by auto Thursday afternoon and is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Gladys Wilson returned Tuesday morning from Grygla, where she visited the home folks Sunday and Monday.

The Goodridge school closes Friday and the teachers will leave for their respective homes, Misses Vaughan and Giefer to Thief River Falls, Miss Bauer to Bemidji, where she will attend summer school, Miss Wilde to Hibbing. Mr. Nystul has not decided where he will go, while Mr. Norby will spend part of his time here and part of it at his home near Fosston.

Several of the young people attended the barn dance north of town Saturday evening.

The Goodridge band gave a concert on the street Saturday evening, which was very much appreciated by a large audience. The band has progressed nicely under the leadership of Mr. Nystul and we are sorry to lose him.

ROSEWOOD

Ole Barhals.

Ole Barhals was born at Rindals Prestegaard, Trondhjem, Norway on Sept. 30, 1874. He immigrated to the United States in company with his mother when ten years old, his father then having been here for some over a year preparing the way for his family. They came to this place in 1884 where they homesteaded their present farm. Ole made the home with his parents until 1903 when he went to Roseau county where he homesteaded another quarter section, and made his home there until twelve years ago when his father died. He then returned here and has since been staying with his mother, who now at an old age feels deeply the los of her only son and main support. To mourn are besides his mother, Mrs. Molly Barhals, a sister, Mrs. Fred Johnson of Eureka, Mont., and three nephews who have been making their home with them: Harry Barhals, Verna and Miriam Michelson. Death was caused by cancer of the stomach which he has been struggling against for a long time. Interment was held at Rindal on Monday with Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls officiating.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all our friends and neighbors for their loving assistance and encouragement during the illness and after the death of Ole Barhals, as well as for the beautiful floral offerings at the funeral.—Mrs. Molly Barhalls, Harry Barhals, Verna and Miriam Michelson. j2

Pleasant callers at the Mrs. Sor home during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. C. Christensen and daughter Ruth, Mrs. Brude and Chas Gustafson, from Thief River Falls and Mrs. Morris Halvorson from Viking.

Mrs. A. S. Holm left last Thursday for Twin Valley and other southern points where she will visit with her husband's relatives for some time.

Miss Clara Sorenson arrived here on Tuesday morning from Thief River Falls to conduct the state examinations at the Busy Bee school.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Anita was in town last Friday to shop and visit with the B. P. Sagmoen folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haugen and family motored to Crookston last Sunday where they visited with the Oscar Blomberg family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth motored to Dakota Junction last Sunday to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Carl Stromberg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem and Emil Mellem spent Sunday at Warren, visiting with Mrs. O. M. Holson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, arrived here on Saturday evening to spend Sunday with Mrs. Johnson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

A few of the Styrlund folks from Viking motored up last Monday to observe Memorial Day at the grave of their father at the Wildwood cemetery.

Miss Violet Furan, who is now making her home at Thief River Falls, spent Sunday and Monday with her father here.

Burten Furan is staying at the Rudolph Sagmoen home and Willard Furan is staying with Chas. Sagmoen since school closed.

School at Willowdale closed last Friday evening and the teacher, Mrs. Sam Lorchtson, left the next day for her home at St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blom and son, Helmer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blom and son, LaVerne, motored to Hazel last Sunday where they were guests at the John Sjoberg home during the day.

Annie Blomberg is employed at the Chas. Sagmoen home in town of Norden.

Steiner Johnson returned on Tuesday from Fosston, where he has spent the last month visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Barhals spent a few days at Thief River Falls the latter part of the week visiting among relatives and friends.

Little Alma Axelson spent a few days at Thief River Falls this week to receive medical treatment for an affection of the throat.

Chas. Sagmoen, John Sorenson and Ted Thompson left last Monday for the Kellberg farm south of Steiner where they will erect a modern residence.

L. L. Furan has accepted a position as traveling organizer for the Nonpartisan League in the western part of this county and left last Thursday by car to enter on his duties.

T. Mellem of the local Mission church spent Saturday and Sunday at Warren as delegate to the annual conference of this society held there this week.

Chas. Swanson of Steiner was a business caller here last Thursday.

Mrs. John Sagmoen, Gladys, Glenn and Verna Sagmoen, Mrs. Eva Carlson and Howard Carlson motored to Thief River Falls last Friday to shop and visit.

A truck load of corn and feed was shipped in at the Hanson & Barzen elevator last Thursday.

Henry Rogers returned on Wednesday from a business trip to North Dakota.

Misses Mabel Lappegaard and Guretta Dahl left last Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls where they will visit friends and relatives the remainder of the week.

Chas. Fiterman of Thief River River Falls transacted business with local merchants last Saturday.

Thom and Simon Gullseth of Middle River were Sunday guests with their brother, A. M. Gullseth of this place.

Mrs. Anton Gullseth has spent a few days at Thief River Falls this week, staying with her mother, Mrs. Siri Nordhagen, who is at the hospital there and was operated on last Tuesday for an eye affection.

Simon Gullseth in company with his brother, Alec Gullseth of Benwood, left last Monday by car for Clay county where they will visit with their sister, Mrs. H. A. Halvorson and her mother, for a brief period.

Alec Hellquist was a business caller at Newfolden one day the first of the week.

Carl Ranum of Warren is spending this week with his brother, John Ranum.

Miss Lyda Batten arrived here on Friday evening in company with Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm, and will spend the week-end visiting with her father, John Batten.

Emil Hellquist, Thomas Thoreson, Tena Westby and Esther Thoreson, motored to Thief River Falls on Friday evening to attend the Lyceum play.

STEINER

Miss Whitman, who teaches near Warren, visited at the parental home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lanska went to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. J. Meyers made a trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Jessie Rogers spent a few days of the past week with Gladys Russell.

Miss Grace Russell left for Grand Rapids, Mich., where she expects to pay an extended visit with friends and relatives.

Martin Klech made a trip to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Solem called at the Rogers home the first of the week.

A most welcome rain fell here, beginning Sunday and continuing part of the night.

Hjalmer Lindberg of Thief River Falls was a business caller here on Friday afternoon. He hauled a load of hay to his home at Thief River Falls which he purchased here.

Peter Solem drove to Steiner on Wednesday where he attended to business.

P. Liden and daughter, Mathilda, motored to Thief River Falls where they attended to various business affairs. From there they motored to the home of Mr. Liden's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Liden in Rocksbury township, south of Thief River Falls.

One of the Axelson boys and one of the Jens Mattson boys, both of Roseau, called at the home of C. A. Swanson of this place Sunday.

Many parties from this vicinity have been down to the river east of Steiner fishing recently.

C. A. Swanson was a caller at Rosewood last Thursday where he attended to certain business interests.

A young man sent out by the authorities of the Minnesota state highway was in this community recently. He declared the plan is to take a ditch from Steiner west towards Viking, and he was looking after where it would be best to take it, so as to connect it with the ditch that goes through the Martenson farm, one-half mile east of the ridge generally known as the Wendt ridge.

John Swanson and one of his boys called at the home of his brother, C. A. Swanson Wednesday forenoon.

Parties from various places have motored here recently looking at a farm that is for sale a few miles from Steiner.

Peter Solem visited with Charles Swanson Sunday afternoon.

Parties from Thief River Falls motored out this way Sunday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Peter Solem spent Saturday afternoon at Thief River Falls where he attended to various business matters.

RENEWED TESTIMONY

No one in Thief River Falls who suffers backache, headache, or distressing urinary ills can afford to ignore this Thief River Falls woman's twice-told story. It is confirmed testimony that no Thief River Falls resident can doubt.

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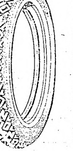

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Among Our Neighbors

ST. HILAIRE

J. McCann, county agent, and Engelstad of Thief River Falls, motored down for the Community club meeting on Friday evening.

Miss Olive Patterson came down from Roseau on Saturday to spend Sunday at her home here.

Miss Grace Hall arrived Monday and will spend her vacation with her brother and family, A. F. Hall, and sister, Alice, having completed a term of school at Ray, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Peterson returned Monday morning to their home at Duluth, after visiting at the A. S. Wilson home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schalz and children left Tuesday via auto to visit relatives at Little Falls and will also visit at Minneapolis before returning home.

Mrs. H. F. Hanson and mother, Mrs. T. Haugen of Halstad, left on Sunday for a week's visit with Mrs. Hanson's sister, Mrs. Charley Carlson, residing near Hazel.

Albert Brink, who has spent the past season on a ranch near Eight Point, Mont., arrived here last Thursday and will remain for an indefinite time at the parental home.

The Misses Rose and Lilly Gunstad shopped at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Ellen Nelson, who has been a patient at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls, following a relapse from an operation, returned home the latter part of the week to remain with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Nelson.

I. D. Converse, formerly with the St. Hilaire Spectator, now residing at Goodridge, made a brief visit here Saturday.

Commencement exercises for the Senior graduating class of the St. Hilaire high school, also the eighth grade graduates, will be held at the high school auditorium Friday evening, June 3. Supt. G. H. Sandberg of Crookston, will deliver the commencement address. Class day exercises will also be held at the high school auditorium Thursday evening, June 2. Baccalaureat services were conducted by Rev. C. M. Grimsrud at the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday evening, Rev. A. F. Nelson assisting.

Mrs. O. C. G. Jacobson and daughter, Gladys, of Cass Lake, arrived here last Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Naplin of Polk Centre and other relatives. Her mother, Mrs. Naplin, who has been an invalid for many years, is in a critical condition and her recovery is very uncertain, due to her old age and lingering illness.

Mrs. Johnson left for Thief River Falls on Monday to visit her brother, O. A. Naplin before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Anderson motored to Thief River Falls on Tuesday to spend the day shopping and visiting relatives.

B. Theodore Johnson spent the week-end at Grand Forks visiting his parents.

Miss Lilly Boehm returned last week from Crookston where she has successfully completed a term of school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Allen, who have spent the past two weeks visiting relatives at Eagle Bend, Minn., returned home Friday.

Miss Inez Patterson, state parole agent for the Home School for Girls at Sauk Center, returned Tuesday to her duties after visiting over Sunday with her mother, Mrs. D. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nyhagen of Los Angeles, Cal., are the happy parents of a baby boy, which arrived at their home May 24. Mrs. Nyhagen was formerly Miss Inga Follstad.

Miss May Olson of Thief River River Falls visited with her brother and family, Ordean Olsen, over the week-end.

Community Club.

Regular meeting of the St. Hilaire Community club was held on Friday evening at the high school auditorium. The following program was rendered:

Song—Laurine Bjerk.
Recitation—Alice Skottom.
Song—Russel McKercher.
Recitation—Harwood Olsen and Kenneth McKercher.
Memorial Day Exercises—Lower Grade Pupils.
Vocal Solo—Art Hendrickson.
Address—A. D. Wilson of St. Paul.
Piano Duet—Josephine Hallamech and Mildred Fellman.
"The Soul of the Violin"—Blanch Robson.
"Freedom, What Is It?"—Melvin Sherva.
Song—Quartet consisting of the Misses Alice Hall and Huldah Odegaard, Jas. A. Dahl and Art Hendrickson.
Address—Supt. S. L. Johnson.

After the program a delightful lunch was served by the Dorcas Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church. A picnic was planned for June 16th at which the Club hopes to see all members and friends throughout the entire community. A big day is planned for by all.

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW
27c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

WANTED

A man to sell our 130 Guaranteed Products in the city of Thief River Falls. No capital required. You own and operate the business. An excellent opportunity to engage in a good paying business for yourself. Address: The W. T. Rawleigh Co., 1000-1010 Third St. N., Minneapolis, Minn. m26-j2

"Gramy" Chamberlain

"My Best Advertisement

is a mother who has once used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, for she makes a point of telling other mothers about it, who in turn pass the news on. It is this that has made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a household word throughout the world. Just ask some mother in your community what she thinks of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy—she will tell you that it enables her to get her children through the winter without coughs, colds or croup, and that at first approach of a cold she herself takes

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

She will tell you that it is as thoroughly reliable for the youngest child as for the oldest member of the family. You can give it to the baby, the children going to school, or take it yourself, always with the same result—a quick relief."

Yours for Health —Gramy Chamberlain

Legal Notices

Summons.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. City of Thief River Falls, Municipal Court.

Alf Borey, Plaintiff, vs. Ollie Warner or Werner, Defendant.

The State of Minnesota, To any Police Officer of said city, to the Sheriff or any Constable of said county:

You are hereby commanded to summon Ollie Warner or Werner if he shall be found within the County of Pennington, to be and appear before the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, at a term thereof to be holden on the 28th day of June A. D. 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, and answer to the complaint of the plaintiff in a Civil Action, whose complaint is on file in said Court and have you then and there this writ.

Witness the Honorable N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge, this 28th day of May, A. D. 1921.

(Seal) N. W. TARRANT, Municipal Judge. j2-9-16

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will.

Estate of Mathias Urschitz.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathias Urschitz, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Louisa Urschitz, Lydia Steinhauer, Hubert Urschitz and Rudolf Urschitz, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Louisa Urschitz being duly filed in this court, representing that Mathias Urschitz, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 7th day of May, 1921, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters of administration with the will annexed be issued thereon to said Louisa Urschitz. Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of June, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., why the *prayer of said petition should not be granted.*

Witness the Honorable, Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 1st day of June, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate.

H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Petitioner. j2-9-16

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nineteen and 50-100 ($19.50) Dollars which became due on the first day of March, 1918, and which is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anders J. Dahl and Kari Dahl, his wife, mortgagors, to the Trail State Bank, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 4th day of April, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, [illegible]

Warning!

All trespassing on my land on the south side of Red Lake River along Park Addition is strictly forbidden. Children and older people have been in the habit of building fires and cutting trees on this land and this is forbidden.

Anyone trespassing on this land will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

PETER P. THUNE, Owner.
E. O. ERICKSON, Chief of Police.
m26-j2p

Dr. A. J. Klimek
Eye Specialist
Registered Optometrist
Makes regular visits here on the last day of each month. Office at the Hotel Evelyn. He guarantees glasses that will fit. Nervous and complicated cases especially invited. Home address: Warroad, Minn.

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THE SAVINGS LOAN & TRUST COMPANY, Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a28-m5-12-19-26-j2

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Four [illegible]

PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
a28-m5-12-19-26-j2

Notice For Bids.

The town board of the Town of Silverton will receive bids for one Russell Elevator Grader with portable engine up to and including Monday, June 20. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids should be sent to the undersigned clerk of the board.

THOS. McCORMICK,
Germantown Star Route,
m26-j2 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—7-room, strictly modern house, 87 foot frontage, located in very good residence district. 612 LaBree Ave. North. 11tf

FOR SALE—80 acre farm. All high land, 20 acres under cultivation, good fence all around farm, good buildings and water. ½ mile from school, highway and mail. Price $2500.00. Mrs. Caroline Dahlen, owner, Erie, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 135. 15tf

FOR SALE—A cook car, 8 ft. by 16 ft., built on regular car trucks, in first-class condition. For particulars write or see C. W. Mellum, City, R. F. D. No. 2. 18p

FOR SALE—5-room house, lot, outshed and woodshed and garden. Call 408 Duluth Ave S. 17p

FOR SALE—House and lot in Henningson addition. Will sell house separate if desired. $200 for house and lot; $50 for house alone. Enquire Times. p17

FOR SALE—Piano and washing machine. Inquire H. Rodrath, 119 Conley Ave. S. 18p

FOR SALE—One team of grey horses, weight about 3200; one bay team weight about 2500; one bay team weight about 2800. For further particulars write Ed Butler, Wylie, Minn. 18p

FOR SALE—6-room cottage, 50 foot lot. Will sell cheap. Inquire at The Times. 14tf

FOR SALE—Waterloo tractor, price $850.00. International tractor disc $150. International separator, 22 inch, $1175.00. Alfred Helgeson, Hazel, Minn. 19p

FOR SALE—One John Deere corn planter with 160 rods of wire, nearly new. Cheap. R. F. Malmstrom, Kratka Rt, City. 17

FOR SALE—1918 Ford Sedan, model 5 passenger with Hassler shock absorbers and speedometer. Ben Anderson, 417 State Ave. N., Thief River Falls, Minn. 18p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots. 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 1tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 535. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 15tf

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some harness and buggy. W. A. Bishop. 2tf

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Spruce Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 3 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 540J. Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Hessell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1175. 15tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE—160 acres of land. Might trade for city property. 901 Knight Ave., City. 18p

HAVE BOUGHT A LITTLE FARM. Want to trade my house for horses, cattle and machinery. Call or write 406 Duluth Ave. S. 17p

WANTED—To trade a house for young team and wagon and 2 cows. Write Box 1121. 17p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—4 unfurnished rooms with private bath. Good location. Call 1171. 17p

FOR RENT—Small house; also furnished room, young lady preferred. 221 1st St. E. upstairs. 17p

FOR RENT—A six room flat with bath in the Dobner-Meeken Block. 17

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterne. 13tf

FOR RENT—160 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Cooperative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 707 Main Ave. N. 14tf

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Brateid. 10tf

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room bungalow; also some furniture for sale at 1010 Duluth Ave. N. Enquire at J. F. Houfek residence. 17p

FOR SALE—One of the best all modern homes in city. Bargain if taken at once. Owner, C. T. Christenson, 413 Main Ave. N. 9tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Man with team or auto to sell our Poultry and Stock Medicines, Flavorings, Spices, Perfumes, Soaps, Toilet Articles, Baking Powder and other household necessities in the Eastern half of Marshall county. Quality goods, reasonable prices, thousands of customers. Selling experience unnecessary. The Company trains in salesmanship. Address McConnon & Company, Winona, Minnesota. Mention this paper. 18

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 17p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A cook at the Ogahmah Hotel. 17tf

LOST

LOST—Mounted Elk's tooth. Has the numbers "102" on one side and "1308" on the other side of mounting. Finder return to E. H. Herried, Thief River Grocery Co., City.

FOR SALE—Ford Touring car in A-1 mechanical condition, 1918 Model. Body, tires and upholstering in good shape. A bargain if taken soon. Will demonstrate. Box 1921 Homes. Call at 320 Riverside Ave., Thief River Falls, Minn. 17tf

LOST—Check book between Auditorium and Great Northern depot. Finder please return to First National Bank. Ed. Bratney. 17p

LOST—A tire, between Thief River Falls and the T. K. Rustad farm, on road north of Roundhouse, on Monday, May 9th. Finder please leave with mail carrier of Germantown Route, at post-office. 11tf

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To buy a young team, wt. about 2400, for cash. Call 403 Duluth Ave. S. 17p

WANTED—A 1919 or 1920 Ford car with self starter, cheap for cash. Call at The Times. 17p

WANTED—A Modern House, at moderate price, in good location, that can be taken in as part payment on an improved quarter section farm. Write to No. 76, Care of The Times. 17p

WANTED—To buy 10 acres land. State your low cash price. Box 1121. 17p

WANTED TO TRADE—A good house for 80 or 160 acre farm. Will pay part cash in deal. Write Box 1121, City.

TYPEWRITERS—Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell R. Spear, Box 596, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Furnished bedroom. Must be first class. Phone or write The Times office. 17p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

RAG CARPET AND RUG WEAVING—I am now prepared to take care of all orders entrusted to me for rag carpets and rugs. Work guaranteed, strictly first-class. Prices reasonable. Mail orders a specialty. 116 Knight Ave. S. 19p

Finds Southwest Booming But No Place For Poor Man

Councilman O. L. Ihle returned the first of the week from a month's trip in northern Oklahoma. He states that he likes the country well enough but that it is very hot down there at this time of year. Business conditions are very good as a general thing and there are many fine cities of small size. One thing he noticed particularly was that there was hardly a town but what had paved streets. The oil boom has somewhat slackened because of the low price for the crude product but there seem to be plenty of opportunities in this business for a man with money. Any one who goes into the game on a shoestring, however, is liable to find himself badly disappointed. So far as the farms of the region go, these do not in any way compare with those in this neighborhood, having more the appearance of squatters' premises.

The Massey-Harris Cultivator

The Ideal Tillage Tool

It is time to start summer fallowing. This will pay big dividends in the future. See us about the Massey-Harris Cultivator, the most efficient weed destroyer on the market. It is impossible to find a cultivator in any way better adapted than this one for summer fallowing or making seed beds. We will be pleased to explain its many exclusive features to you.

Rambeck & Stone Co.

LOW MARKET FOR ALL LIVE STOCK

Weakened Dressed Trade Depressed By Warm Weather. Slight Reaction in Hogs.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minn. Department of Agriculture.)

Monday's Closing.

Cattle 1,000. Market dull, about steady. Calves 300. Market steady, packer top $6.50. Hogs 6,200. Market steady to strong, range $6.50 to $7.50, bulk $7.00 to $7.50. Pigs 10 to 35c higher, bulk desirable kinds $8.35 to $8.50. Sheep 1,600. Bulk billed through. Market weak to 50c lower. Fairly good lambs at $9.00. Good to choice ewes $3.00 to $3.50.

South St. Paul.—Warm weather is having its effect in further weakening the already slumpy trade in dressed meats both here and at large eastern consuming centers, and this and other bearish factors sent cattle values 25c to as much as $1.00 lower last week, and the market opened this week about steady with the low basis reached last week. Very good beef steers are stopping at about $8.00 at present, with best here Monday, a load of good 1148 pound steers selling to outsiders at $7.65, and one load going to packers at $7.60. Bulk of common and medium steers are selling from $6.50 to $7.25. A few real good butcher cows and heifers are selling at $6.50 to $7.00, with bulk from $4.50 to $6.25. Most of the canners and cutters are going at $2.00 to $4.25. Packer top on light veal calves is $6.50. Stocker and feeder trade continues of very light volume.

Heavy receipts of hogs and a dull trade in the dressed product sent prices down about a dollar last week. A slight reaction was noted Saturday, and the market opened this week steady to strong, range $6.50 to $7.50, bulk $7.00 to $7.50. Good to choice pigs $8.35 to $8.50, few $8.60. Sheep and lambs suffered a seasonal price decline last week, the most severe break being on old sheep. Good to choice lambs are quotable from $9.00 to $10.25, good to choice ewes, $3.00 to $3.50.

WOMEN TO APPEAR AT CLUB LUNCHEON

Will Urge Necessity For Action With Regard to Women's Building at Fair.

Representatives of the different women's organizations in the city are expected to appear before the commercial club at today's noon luncheon for the purpose of urging that some action be taken looking toward providing a woman's building at the fair grounds. This is a matter that has been discussed for more than a year and is of considerable importance and interest.

Last Thursday G. L. Sterns, local manager for the Northwestern Telephone company, explained how business men could save considerable in tolls by putting in station-to-station instead of individuals calls. Mr. Sterns stated that the saving would be at least 25 per cent.

Dr. M. George Milan spoke on "Tubercular Sanataria in Minnesota," stating that Oak Park sanitorium is one of the best equipped in the state. The institution is not large enough, however, to meet the demands made upon it by the people of the four counties which it is now serving and it will be necessary to enlarge it to twice the present capacity before long. Another thing impressed upon those present by Dr. Milan was the necessity for teaching people the importance of immediate action where tuberculosis is suspected. The percentage of cures where the disease is taken in time is steadily increasing, he said, and would be much greater if people would not delay having a thorough examination as soon as there is an indication of danger.

Secretary Scott Laird read a letter from State Engineer C. M. Babcock to C. L. Hansen, chairman of the highway committee of the club, in which the former stated that as soon as survey is made of the Jefferson highway through Clearwater county the repair of that stretch will be undertaken. Mr. Babcock stated that the work may be done this year.

Unknown Donator Sends Pastor Check For $100

Rev. J. B. Smith a few days ago received an unsigned communication containing one hundred dollars for the centenary fund of the Methodist church. The size of the donation as well as the action of the donor in wishing to keep his or her identity a secret is unusual, and Rev. Smith wishes to publicly express his deep appreciation in gratefully acknowledging the gift.

Science Teacher Goes to Lake City as Principal

A. N. Tommeraasen, instructor in mathematics and athletic coach at the Lincoln high school during the past two years, will not return to his post next season. He has been offered the position of principal of the high school at Lake City, Minn., and as the place must be regarded in the nature of a promotion he has accepted. Mr. Tommeraasen is a young man who will make a success of the teaching profession should he decide to follow that pursuit further as he possesses in a rare degree the qualifications necessary in a modern instructor and executive. Mr. and Mrs. Tommeraasen have made a host of friends in this city who will regret that they have decided not to return, but will wish for them every success wherever their lot may be cast in the future.

Biggest Day in History of Thief River Creamery

Tuesday was the biggest day in the history of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery, so far as output is concerned. Ten churnings were made, resulting in approximately 7,000 pounds of butter being turned out. The fact that Monday was a holiday had something to do with this unusual run, but every day during the past month there has been an exceptional showing. The total for last week ran over 20,000 pounds, being one of the best on record.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.20
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.16
Oats	.29
Flax	1.05
Barley	.38
Rye	1.21
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	[illegible]
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.15
Dairy butter	.20
Creamery butter	.33
Cow hides, per lb.	.03
Horse hides	50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

Free Delivery of Parcels By Postoffice is Begun

Through the efforts of Postmaster John Morgan a new feature has been added to the postoffice service in Thief River Falls. A parcels post delivery was inaugurated on June 1 and is already greatly appreciated by the patrons as it does away with the old methods of calling at the postoffice for parcels post packages. This class of mail will be delivered as are letters and papers within the free delivery zone, a horse-drawn vehicle being employed for the present. It is planned to have the first delivery leave the postoffice at 8:30, a round of the business houses being made first, after which the residence districts will be visited. A similar delivery will be made in the afternoon.

Road Survey Started.

Oklee Herald: Red Lake and Pennington county people that are interested in state road building on a big scale and who have been urging the State Highway Department to give early attention to the road between Bagley and Clearbrook in Clearwater county, may learn with gratification that the survey of said road by the State is now in actual progress. A crew of eleven men and an army truck carrying the equipment started the survey from Bagley and north toward Clearbrook last Monday. A construction crew is expected to be set to work as soon as the survey is advanced to the point of possibility of letting the contract for grading.

Special S. A. Meetings.

Commandant Whitney of Minneapolis is conducting special young people's meetings at the Salvation Army hall Thursday and Friday of this week, at 8 p. m. Commandant Whitney has charge of all the young people's work in Minnesota, North and South Dakota. All are invited to come and hear him. A special invitation is extended to the young people of Thief River Falls.

NEW OFFICE MGR. AT MARBLE WORKS

When the Fargo Marble & Granite Works wanted a capable office manager, they followed the example of other progressive firms—asked Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., for a good man. David Swanson was sent. Miss I. Kringen was secured as office woman in the same way by the Blanding Dept. Store, Detroit, Minn. Three D. B. C. pupils now work there. Calls for competent help at this school are never-ending.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Summer School saves much time. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Farmers Take Notice!

All kinds of field seeds and Northern Grown Seed Corn for sale at the Thief River Falls Seed House, formerly the Tessum Elevator.

A. G. Sandberg, Prop.
Phone 234 a28tf

AMUSEMENTS

At The Lyceum

FRIDAY
Elaine Hammerstein
In
"THE MIRACLE OF MANHATTEN"

SATURDAY
Buck Jones
In
FIREBRAND TREVISON"

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
Vera Gordon
(Mother in Humoresque)
and Jack Crosby
In
THE NORTH WIND'S MALICE"
From the story by Rex Beach

COMING: WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Vivian Martin
In
"THE SONG OF THE SOUL"

At The Princess

SUNDAY ONLY
Eugene O'Brien
In
"BROADWAY AND HOME"

COMING—"THE PURPLE RIDERS"

Our Cream in Your Coffee

will give it a flavor you never before knew coffee could have. Our cream is the very richest and purest to be had and is bottled with strict regard to every sanitary requirements. Use it regularly and your morning coffee will taste better and be better.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Modern Organization

The problem of our country today is the organization of all its resources and efforts. The Federal Reserve System is the Banking organization which is caring for the Nation's financial needs. Support it by dealing with a member bank.

First National Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.
MEMBER OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
Resources Over One Million Dollars

Can Strawberries Now!

SAVE MONEY—from ⅓ to ½ by canning strawberries at home—in Ball mason jars. Sugar is cheap now and the strawberry season won't last much longer.

Have Better Fruit—Besides the economy of canning your own strawberries, you will have the satisfaction of better fruit. You know the quality of everything that goes into your jars. There are no canned fruits more pure, wholesome and delicious than those Mother puts up at home.

Plan for Variety—By choosing a variety of reliable recipes for preserving your strawberries now, you will simplify meal-planning later.

Try This Tested Recipe

Strawberry and Pineapple Jam

Pare the pineapple and pick from in pieces with a silver fork. Boil the pieces in a little water until they are tender. Make a heavy syrup of sugar and water and drop the pineapple in while boiling. Continue to boil for ten minutes. Then add the strawberries, slightly underripe berries that have been washed and stemmed. Continue boiling for another fifteen minutes. Fill in cans and seal.

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General Offices, Minneapolis

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CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

We are having THIS COMPLIMENT PAID US daily by our customers who appreciate style and quality as well as service. —and so it is a pleasure to shop here, as our stock of merchandise is by far superior to that which is offered by the ordinary store.

This is an exclusive shop, showing such merchandise that only a shop of this kind can carry. We specialize only in wearables for women and children, and show the finest that can be had both in style and quality, and best of all, at prices no more than ordinary and inferior goods would cost.

We are cleaning house now of all spring wearables, and to you who have not as yet bought your spring coat or suit it would be to your advantage to come in and see these wonderful values. You can get a lot of wear out of them this summer and still have a stylish garment for next spring.

We are receiving daily new summer goods such as clever Organdie Dresses, Wash and Silk Skirts, new Blouses, new Middies, new Sport-wear, new cool Undermuslins and a great many other things for these hot summer days.

Again we say that you will find it a pleasure to shop here.

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BRUTAL MURDER OF GRYGLA GIRL IN FARGO HOTEL

Miss Marie Wick, 20 Years Old, is Victim of Assailant, as Yet Uncaptured.

Head Crushed By Blows With Brass Nozzle of Fire Hose Taken From Hall.

Gray Hair Clutched in Dead Girl's Hand Only Clew Yet Found By Police.

Marie Wick, 20-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wick, living on a farm five miles east of Grygla, was murdered in a room at the Prescott hotel in Fargo Monday night. No clue to the identity of her assailant has as yet been discovered. Indications are that the murderer was a degenerate, William Green, state's attorney for Cass county, said. A whisp of gray hair gripped in the dead girl's hand was the only clue.

Fire Hose Nozzle Used.

The body was discovered Tuesday morning, gagged, with wrists tied to corner posts of the bed and head broken by blows from a brass nozzle of a fire hose which was found later in the day. Dents in the wall and in the brass frame of the bed, and blood spatters and finger prints on the wall, indicated that the girl had struggled hard and had dodged blows that finally beat her down. Indications were, authorities said, that she had torn one hand free in the fight.

Occupants of rooms near that of Miss Wick heard nothing of the struggle they said, with one exception—Mrs. John Van Vorst, who occupied a room adjoining that in which the girl was murdered. She had heard a sound as of someone pounding and of noise at the fire escape, she said.

Murder Was Deliberate.

The murderer had stopped to smoke a cigarette while in the room and had been very deliberate in his work, county officials believed.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wick of Grygla, parents of the girl, left at once for Fargo. Police also believed that a young man who last night escorted Miss Wick to the hotel would make his whereabouts known as soon as he learned of her death.

The young man, Arnold Rasmussen of Moorhead, on Tuesday evening reported to the police. He said he had escorted Miss Wick to the hotel the previous evening. He showed a letter from the dead girl telling of the proposed visit with an aunt at Pettibone, N. D., and asking him to meet her at the train in Fargo. The police seem satisfied that Rasmussen had nothing to do with the crime.

City and county have offered a reward of $500 each for capture of the murderer.

Some Details of Murder.

The murdered girl had been gagged and each of her wrists tied to a bed post with pillow cases removed from two blood-stained pillows. Her nose was broken, there was a deep contusion on the left side of her head and another on the right, made made by a blunt instrument of some kind.

Blood spots on the walls and on the body indicated that she struggled and fought her assailant, who evidently attacked her after she had retired for the night, and then made his escape, likely by one of the fire escapes of the building.

Gagged Her First.

The woman, in the belief of Cass county authorities, was gagged first with a pillow case. Her wrists were then tied.

In struggling with her assailant, she freed her left wrist and battled with the man until she was pounded into unconsciousness. Her left wrist was then retied to the post from which she had worked it loose.

In the tussle with the assailant she tossed her head over on the right side of the bed, for authorities found a pool of blood on the floor, just to the right of the upper end of the bed. The abrasion on the left side of the head is the deeper of the two.

Clutched Gray Hair.

In her right hand she clutched some gray hair, seized in the grapple with her murderer.

This constitutes the only tangible evidence on which the authorities can work. Whether the finger prints on the walls and the body of the woman, and also on the bed clothing, are those of the assailant or the woman herself, has not been determined. Photographs of the finger prints were ordered taken at the instance of William C. Green, state's attorney, and Fred Kraemer, sheriff.

After the murder the assailant, in fleeing, locked the door of the room. No trace of the key has been found.

Dr. P. H. Burton, county physician, believes that the crime was committed between midnight and 2 a. m.

Came to Hotel at 10 P. M.

William Gummer, night clerk at the hotel, said that the woman and a man about 20 years old, of light complexion, entered the lobby of the hotel about 10 p. m., the woman arriving in the city from Crookston. She had two grips and registered under the name of Miss Mary Wick of Grygla, Minn. She waited in the lobby for several minutes and then the night clerk escorted her to her room, 30, which is located in the southwest end of the building.

Miss Wick went into her room and returned a few minutes later and was joined the man waiting for her in the lobby. They went out to lunch together. The woman returned an hour later, about 11:30 p. m., and left word at the desk that she wanted to be called at 7 a. m. She went to her room alone.

Older Man Suspected.

The gray hair found on the bed clothing and the gray hair which she clutched in her hands when she was murdered, cause Sheriff Kraemer and State's Attorney Green to believe that the crime was committed by a middle aged man, who may be badly scratched and scarred from the stubborn fight she put up in resisting the attack.

State's Attorney Green advanced the theory that the woman was murdered after she had retired by a man who gained access to her room for the purpose of assaulting her.

Sheriff Kraemer was positive in his assertion that the instrument used in committing the crime was a hammer because of the wound mark it made in the plaster.

Former residents of Grygla now living in Thief River Falls know the Wick family well. The say the murdered girl was of a very quiet and retiring disposition and the last one for whom such an end could have been predicted.

VOTE IN FAVOR OF MAINTAINING FARM BUREAU IS 8 TO 1

Investigation Shows That Cost to Average Farmer is Only Few Cents Every Year.

The question as to whether or not Pennington county will support the farm bureau association with an appropriation of $2,000 to help meet the expenses for the next two years will come up at a special meeting of the board on June 18. It is understood the commissioners agree to appropriate the sum if it proven that a majority of the farmers in the county desire that the farm bureau shall be continued. In order to make certain on this point a number of those interested inaugurated a canvass of farmers in all sections and find that the vote is overwhelmingly in the affirmative, standing at the present time 435 in favor of continuing the bureau as compared with only 51 against such continuance. All the votes are not yet in and it would not be surprising to find that the percentage in its favor is even greater.

In the townships of Smiley, Hickory, Sanders, Wyandotte, River Falls, Black River, Silverton and Reiner the vote was unanimous in favor of continuing the appropriation to the bureau, while in Highlanding, Deer Park and Numedal townships only one vote was cast against it.

It has been figured out that the additional tax necessary in order to make this appropriation would amount to 25 cents on each quarter section of land in the county—providing all the taxes were paid by the farmers. The city of Thief River Falls, however, pays about 36 per cent of the entire tax burden and this would bring the amount down to about 16 cents for each 160 acre farm. Under the present valuation of the county the tax would amount to one-thirtieth of a cent on every dollar—one cent for every thirty dollars—$3.33 where the taxable valuation is $10,000.

SALE OF PUREBRED STOCK ON JUNE 14

Animals Donated By Northwest Stockmen Will Be Auctioned Off at Crookston.

Over 80 head of pure bred stock will be sold at the Live Stock donation sale, Crookston, June 14, including 26 Holstein, 18 Duroc Jersey, 13 Chester White, 8 Poland China, 8 Shropshire, 5 Shorthorn, 4 Angus and one Yorkshire, both males and females.

Send to C. G. Selvig, Crookston, for sales catalog.

This event promises to be well attended. A picnic is planned for the same day. Address, water sports and a 6 o'clock baseball game are some of the features planned.

It is expected that a large number from this vicinity will attend.

Sons of Norway to Picnic At Squaw Point June 19

Snore lodge, Sons of Norway, will hold a Mid-summer festival at Squaw Point on Sunday, June 19. It is expected that lodge members from all over the Northwest will be present at this outing as it is an annual event held in different sections of the district every year.

There will be addresses in both the English and Norwegian languages. The principal English address will be delivered by City Attorney H. O. Chommie, while that in the mother tongue will be made by Bj. Bjornaraa of Wanke—

There will be music, sports, games and everything necessary to make a picnic a success. Visitors are urged to bring lunch baskets, but those for whom this is not convenient will find booths on the grounds at which their wants may be supplied. There will be no charge for admission to the grounds and the general public is invited.

MANGLE PRICES MERELY TO GET PEOPLE COMING

Cost Lost Sight of By Thief River Falls Merchants on First Great Market Day.

One Special Bargain Will Consist of Twent Pounds of Sugar For One Dollar.

Nine Merchants Combine to Foot Loss in Making This Sensational Reduction.

Although the merchants of Thief River Falls always have the latchstring hanging out and invite everybody to come in and look around even though they do not wish to buy anything, *the fact is to be made of* unusual importance on June 22, when the people from all over this section are invited to come here and get their share of the avalanche of bargains to be launched by every business house in the city.

The Round Robin Plan.

This first Market Day will be more of a Get-Together event than an occasion for great trading. It is hoped that the trading part of the program will come later—after the visitors have become acquainted with the merchants in this city and are convinced that the latter will at all times be able to provide them with any kind of merchandise desired at the lowest prices quoted in this section.

In order that there may be some interest in the event as well as profit to the buyer in this visit, a particularly attractive special offer will be made. Nine of the merchants subscribing to this campaign have agreed to stand the loss incident to selling 20 pounds of the best granulated sugar for $1.00. The C. S. Simonson Meat & Grocery company's store has been selected as the place where this bargain may be had—and there is no limit to the number of families that can take advantage of the offer. Ten tons of sugar—200 sacks—will be offered at this price, but no family will be entitled to more than one package of 20 pounds. This provision is made in order that the 20,000 pounds may be made to go as far as possible. It is not likely that anyone will be turned down even should the demand become so great that this allotment is not sufficient, the merchants having determined that every family shall receive 20 pounds of sugar at 5 cents per pound if it takes all there is in town.

The Way It Will Work.

There is but one condition attached to this agreement. The buyer must pay a visit to the places of business of the nine merchants who are standing the loss on this sugar. It is not necessary that the visitor buy one single penny's worth at any of these stores, but it is absolutely required that the call be made. The merchant will then sign a card and when eight of these signatures have been secured—one from each of the merchants besides Mr. Simonson—the bearer will be entitled to his bargain in sugar. Following are the merchandising establishments behind this plan and which must be visited before the sugar will be delivered at the price named. They are here placed in the rotation in which they may be most easily visited and the round should not take more than a few minutes: Larson Furniture company, Loken Brothers, The Sapero company, E. O. Mogensen, A. M. Langseth, Hall Brothers, L. L. Cohn, Albert Lieberman. These merchants will all give the visitor a ticket after which Mr. Simonson will produce the sugar.

Creating Much Interest.

Secretary G. Howard Smith of the Merchants association, has received numerous inquiries from other cities asking what plan is being pursued in carrying out this Market Day program. Interest among merchants in other sections over the outcome is keen and it may be that the business men of Thief River Falls have started a country-wide bargain-giving movement. The general public also is watching the proceedings with awakened interest, wondering just what it is going to mean. They will find that never in the history of this section has such opportunities for saving money been presented. When The Times comes to their homes next week it will contain the announcements of an array of bargains such as have not been seen anywhere in the country before. The merchants are determined that the idea of prices being still at a high point shall be shaken from the minds of the buyers and will foot large immediate losses in order to bring about this realization.

Every man and woman who is desirous of saving money on any kind of purchase should come to Thief River Falls on June 22. Having come this once they will miss none of the Market Days arranged for during the next six months.

EVERYBODY INVITED TO JOIN ELKS IN FLAG DAY EXERCISES ON TUESDAY

Tuesday, June 14, is Flag Day, and appropriate exercises will be conducted by the Elks lodge. All members are requested to assemble at the lodge room at 8:30 for the purpose of marching to the Soo park, where honors to the colors will be observed. A firing squad from the American Legion and all who have at any time worn the uniform of the United States are asked to take part. Retreat will be sounded as the colors are lowered from the flag pole, after which the regular Flag Day exercises of the Elks will take place in the lodge room. The public is invited. W. B. Fuller will be in charge of the outdoor exercises while the Flag Day address will be delivered by Rev. J. B. Smith.

County Weed Inspector Named by Commissioners

The commissioners on Tuesday appointed three weed inspectors to have charge of the fight against barberry, sow thistle and other noxious weeds, during the months when these flourish and propagate—June 1 to Nov. 1. The men appointed and their districts are as follows: The section west of Thief River Falls, Carsten Christianson; north of the river and east of city, Peter C. Wold, Kratka; south of river and east of city, John Radnieski, Rhoda. The inspectors will receive $3 per day and expenses for their services. They are expected to make reports on weed conditions in the county at certain periods specified by state law, notify farmers as to what measures to take to eradicate and prevent the spread of weeds and be of assistance in the campaign in such other ways as may suggest themselves.

CELEBRATION HERE WILL SURPASS ANY PREVIOUS ATTEMPT

American Legion Post Making Preparations For Appropriat Observance of Fourth.

The eagle will scream itself hoarse on the Fourth in Thief River Falls this year. The American Legion boys are going to put on a celebration that will be the talk of the country side for at least half a century. At a meeting this week the committees were all appointed and every member is working under a full head of steam.

The parade will be in charge of George Loken, who with a number of carefully selected assistants, will stage something both appropriate and novel. The procession will form at the auditorium and march through such streets as are not made impassable by reason of the paving work. It may be that the parade may have to be held out in the country—but it will be held and it will be a hummer.

Oscar Smith will be assisted by L. A. Lampert and Roy Lambert in looking after the sporting events. These will be held on the principal streets of the city beginning at 10:45 a. m. Some real exciting contests will be staged.

In the afternoon Chairman Smith will be assisted at the fair grounds by L. H. Lawrence, Leonard DuChamp, Judge Tarrant and others. Automobile races, horse races and a stop Ford race will be on the card. A regular rip-snorter of a base bass game will wind up the daylight activities.

Kenneth Wattam is in charge of the dance program for the evening. Paul Midderigh will superintend the novel Roman candle parade as soon as it gets dark enough.

Carnival attractions will be found along the streets and on the road to the fair grounds all day and far into the night. Such delicacies as wienerwursts with horseradish, hamburger and fried onions and ever so many other things will be on the bill of fare. There will be a shooting gallery, in all likelihood, as well as cane and doll racks, lemonade stands, etc.

A more detailed program will be provided later on. The main thing just now is that you make up your mind to spend the Fourth in Thief River Falls. It will be the biggest celebration in the entire region.

Will Notify Owners to Widen Sidewalks at Once

A committee representing property owners in the block on Main avenue between the Great Northern tracks and First street appeared before the council on Tuesday evening and requested that they be permitted to seed down the space that will be left vacant when the street is narrowed to meet the paving specifications. The intention is to widen the sidewalks in the city where this situation occurs but these citizens requested that this not be done at once. The sidewalk is in such shape that it will require relaying before long, anyway, and they maintained that it would only be adding to the expense to widen it out at this time. The council saw no reason why this request could not be complied with.

Property owners generally will be notified to have the sidewalks in front of their premises widened to meet the new requirements. The work may be let by the owner himself or left to the city to do, in which case it will be charged up the same as is other paving. It is important that the matter be attended to at the same time as the electric light wires are put underground. It will require about 70 yards of additional walk to the block.

BIGGER, BETTER ANNUAL OUTING OF FARM CLUBS

Country Districts Will Be Deserted Next Friday; All Are Coming to Big Picnic.

C. G. Selvig, Crookston, and M. L. Warner, Warren, Will Be Principal Speakers.

Program of Sports and Games Include Nearly Everything That May Add Interest.

County Agent J. J. McCann has received assurances from every section of the county to the effect that the neighbors are coming to the big farm bureau picnic to be held at Squaw Point on June 17. With favorable weather there should be on hand the largest crowd ever turned out to a picnic in Pennington county—and that is saying a good deal.

There was some talk early in the week of changing the place for holding the outing from Squaw Point to Lovers' Lane, but the first selection made was finally decided on as the most convenient.

The Thief River Falls band will be on hand all day to furnish music, and other essentials have been well looked after. The committee has finished the program of sports, which includes practically everything in the way of contests for old, middle aged and young. The Woman's club will be in charge of the musical section of the program and this feature will be well handled.

Bring Lunch Along.

While everybody is expected to bring their picnic baskets loaded with things to eat, yet matters will be so arranged that any unattached person will not need to go hungry. Refreshment stands will dot the grounds and these will be able to provide just what is needed on an occasion of this kind.

Bring the whole family and let them meet the neighbors. It is the one outing of the year in which everybody has an interest—town dweller and farmer alike. Soon the busy season will be at hand when no one will be able to take a day off for the purpose of playing around.

The Speaking Program.

Mayor John Bratrud will welcome the picnicers on behalf of the city, after which there will be an address on "Progress of the Farm Bureau" by M. L. Warner of Warren. The Woman's club will then give a vocal selection, after which Supt. G. C. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, will speak on "Drainage." The program will close with a song by the Farmers' quartet.

The sports will include races of every description—foot, canoe, swimming, sack—as well as a pie-eating contest for men, women, boys and girls.

While this picnic is conducted under the auspices of the farm bureau, everyone is invited. It is for farmers, merchants, professional men and working men alike. It is the one big community event of the year.

MUCH INTEREST IN ST. OLAF SINGERS; ARE COMING SOON

Greatest Organization of Kind in America Will Be Heard Here on June 21.

Few events in the history of Thief River Falls have been looked forward to with so much interest as the coming of the famous St. Olaf College choir which will be heard at the auditorium on Tuesday evening, June 21. Critics everywhere are unanimous in saying that this choir is incomparably the best in America today and that it is doubtful if anything finer can be found in England or Germany—countries in which choral singing has reached its highest development. A recent tour of the Southwest proved but a repetition of the eastern appearance last year. The singers appeared before audiences in which every nationality in America predominated and in every case has the result been the same—a verdict of unparalleled excellence.

Among the many fine tributes paid the St. Olaf singers is the following by Karleton Hackett, musical critic of the Chicago Evening Post, and it is but one among hundreds:

"Some thousands of people in these United States now have a most sincere respect for St. Olaf college of Northfield, Minn., who a month ago had never heard the name. The choir from St. Olaf has been making a unique place for itself in these last few weeks down east, and on its return trip stopped for another concert here in Chicago. Last evening the hall was filled and the choir had a reception from the audience such as their singing deserved.

"In my recollection there has been no a capella choir in America which could compare with these young singers from St. Olaf. The Mendelssohn choir from Toronto was a Canadian organization in which we of the states could claim no part. But these young Americans of Norwegian descent form a part of our great agglomerate of which we are proud.

"Their singing last evening merely emphasized the impression made on their first appearance. It was not only astonishing in its technical accuracy, but there was a spirit about it that made it most impressive. It was not merely a display of choral virtuosity, but the expression thru music of deep conviction. There was beauty of tone, such absolute certainty that in all the taxing program not one singer used notes, perfect balance of the parts and variety of shading and dynamics. This was the technical equipment and the finest that I know of in this country."

All seats will be one dollar plus war tax and the entire house will be reserved. This is a lower price than is being charged at any other town in this section, and is possible because of the large seating capacity of the building. Seats may be reserved at Lambert's drug store one week before the night of the concert and it will be well for all who intend hearing this great organization of vocalists to get their orders in early.

Open-Air Address.

Mrs. Josephine E. Sizer, organizer for the W. C. T. U. and known as *the Minnesota Whirlwind*, will deliver an open-air address on one of the street corners in Thief River Falls next Tuesday evening. Her subject will be, "Law of the Land."

LOCAL SURGEON TO IMPORTANT POST IN SOUTH DAKOTA CITY

Dr. A. J. Paulson Severs His Connection With Clinic Here and Will Leave Soon.

Dr. A. J. Paulson will on June 20 sever his connection with the Physicians hospital in this city and leave shortly thereafter for Watertown, S. D., where he has become associated with Watertown Clinic, one of the foremost organizations of its kind in the state. Dr. Paulson will be one of the surgeons of the Lutheran hospital, an institution at the present time containing 65 beds but soon to be doubled in size. He takes the place of Dr. Giere, who in turn has accepted the post of chief surgeon at the St. Paul City hospital.

The selection of Dr. Paulson for this post is a high tribute to his standing as a surgeon. He was selected after competitive tests in which five candidates participated, one of these being from the Mayo hospital at Rochester. His long experience and steady application in keeping abreast of the times through attendance at clinics in all parts of the country, as well as doing post graduate work in some of the largest hospitals, decided the matter in his favor.

Dr. Paulson has been a resident of Thief River Falls for five years and has been most successful in his practice, particularly along the lines of surgery. This is the branch he has strongly favored in his studies and his ability has become so well recognized that surgery has formed by far the largest part of his practice with the local hospital. This experience will stand him in good stead in his new field as it is in this class of work that he will be almost exclusively employed. His associates in the Clinic here have as yet made no arrangements for a man to take his place on the hospital staff, this being a matter requiring most careful consideration.

Dr. Paulson is a graduate of Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia, and began the practice of his profession at Flaxton, N. D., where he established a hospital which became famous in that section. Coming later to Thief River Falls he first associated himself with Dr. O. F. Mellby and later with Dr. H. W. Froehlich and Dr. L. F. Fisher. The firm has become one of the best and most favorably known in this section.

Dr. Paulson has a wide circle of friends and acquaintances both inside and outside his profession who will be glad to note his promotion at the same time deeply regretting his removal from the city.

Public Charges May be Sent to Marshall County

Marshall county officials have notified the city authorities that the $25 per month heretofore paid for the support of the Kildahl family, who are in straitened circumstances, has been withdrawn and any aid hereafter extended must be at the city's own expense. The family came here from the town of Excel in Marshall county and the town board has been notified that this city can not be held responsible for their maintenance. Representatives of the town board are expected in the city today to look into the matter.

Donate $400 as Aid to Pennington County Fair

The Pennington County Agricultural association was granted an appropriation of $400 by the commissioners on Tuesday to help defray the expenses of the coming county fair. This amount is the same as in years past.

Auto Club Meeting Tonight.

There will be an important meeting of the Thief River Falls Auto club at the commercial club rooms this evening at 8:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be on hand as matters of general interest are scheduled to come up.

SUNDAY'S VISIT TO RESERVATION ENJOYED BY 300

Total of Sixty-Five Cars Make Long Run Without Mishap or Trouble of Any Kind.

Speedometers Show That Distance is Eighty-Seven Miles Over Southern Route.

Rain in Afternoon Cut Short Visit For Many—Direct Road Not Yet Likely.

Sixty-five automobiles—all but half a dozen from Thief River Falls—were in line when the start was made for the Red Lake Indian reservation *Sunday morning*. The time of departure had been set for 6 o'clock and it was only a few minutes past that hour when Starter E. O. Mogensen gave the word to get under way. The weather might have held greater promise of stability without being unpopular, but it was a fairly bright morning and the crowd hoped for the best. Rain came in the afternoon, however, and most of the cars returned in a steady downpour.

The trip was made by way of Hazel, Oklee, Gully, Berner and Windsor and the running time for the 87 miles was just about five and a half hours. Stops of considerable length were made at Gully and Oklee so it is likely that the actual running time did not exceed five hours. The Goodridge and Grygla delegations joined the party at Oklee.

Outside of two of three stretches where new construction work is being carried on the roads were in fine condition and good time was made. There was not an accident on the trip out, not even a blowout delaying the excursionists.

Beautiful Location.

Arriving at Red Lake it was found that a committee headed by H. W. Protzeller had been working the greater part of the night to get the dinner ready. This consisted of a fish chowder, fried pike, donated by Mr. Solvig, superintendent of state fisheries on the reserve, together with all the accessories and fixings clear down to ice cream. It was a bouillon of the kind that sticks to the ribs and just right for a company of more than 300 tourists who had their appetites whetted by a drive of over 80 miles in the bracing air.

Red Lake, where the executive offices of Agent W. L. Cross, the Indian school and other buildings are located, is built on a beautiful site. The banks at this point are high, being some 30 feet from the water, and afford an excellent view of the greater part of the lower lake. It was the intention to make a trip to the narrows, plainly seen from the camping place, but as the distance across is 16 miles it was feared that time would not permit. Quite a number of the visitors went for a boatride on the Chippewa, going down the lake as far as Redby. They were hauled out to the boat with horses, the water being too shallow to permit bringing it close to shore.

Were Made Welcome.

Mr. Cross made the company welcome, as did others connected with his office and the fisheries department. The ladies particularly were interested in the work of the school, which was in session, and were taken through all the departments. Everything possible was done to make the visitors feel welcome and all speak in high praise of the treatment received.

Interested in Road.

While the construction of a road from the Pennington county line to the narrows would be highly pleasing to Mr. Cross, he was of the opinion that this could not at this time be undertaken except as a private enterprise. Very few of the Indians live along the route of the proposed road and there would be no hope of getting them to make a demand for it, at least not at present. Mr. Cross said he would grant the right-of-way and suggested that the peninsula jutting into the lake on the west be leased from the Indians and building sites sub-leased for enough money to construct a road from the ridge running north and south to the lake. The plan is easily feasible and will be given serious consideration.

Rain Spoils Return Trip.

The rain which had been threatening more or less all day came by mid-afternoon and many started back to town. Those who stayed found rather troublesome going, but all managed to reach home without any serious trouble. Most of the cars came back over the Jefferson Highway by way of Red Lake Falls. This made the trip somewhat longer but the roads were more to be relied upon.

The excursion must be accounted a success from every angle. Chairman Mogensen, Mr. Protzeller and the latter's assisants, and all others who aided in making the expedition possible, are entitled to much praise for the manner in which the thing was handled.

Attending Convention.

A. Anderson, L. H. Larson, E. M. Bennes and Ole Osthy, left last evening for Virginia, where they will attend a three day convention of the U. C. T. lodge. The session commences today and continues through Saturday.

Society and Club

Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Olson, who recently moved into their new home near the Soo roundhouse, pleasantly surprised them on Friday afternoon. An enjoyable social hour was spent, which was followed by a delicious lunch. Mr. and Mrs. Olson were presented with a purse of money as a memento of the event. The guests were Mrs. Nels Ostvolden, Mrs. H. C. Grindeland, Mrs. John Webskowski, Mrs. W. Murphy, Mrs. G. J. Conklin, Mrs. O. C. Isaacson, Mrs. Chas. Newton, Mrs. A. Hovland, Mrs. A. Erickson, Mrs. O. J. Dokken, Mrs. J. H. Reed, Mrs. R. E. Elofson, Mrs. Ole Amundson, Mrs. J. Kelly, Mrs. G. A. Johnson, Mrs. C. C. Gulrud, Mrs. Jorde, Mrs. A. Bailey, Mrs. Knute Melby, Mrs. Anna Langseth, Mrs. C. Granum, Mrs. M. V. Evenson, Mrs. A. A. Dybvik, Mrs. Hans Hermanson, Mrs. J. P. Hoium, Mrs. T. A. Fossum, Mrs. C. J. Sjoberg, Mrs. Hansted, Miss Conklin, Miss Grindeland, Miss Florence Murphy, M. Jorde and son, Maurice.

Engagement Announced.

The following will prove of interest to friends of Miss Hoff in this city. She has visited here on several occasions:

"The engagement of Miss Hoff of the Baudette teaching staff and Robert Feldkirchner, was announced at a reception tendered them by Mesdames W. F. Zauche and John Morris, at the latter's home on Saturday evening. Following the reception 500 was played at seven tables, Miss Vaughn and Lloyd Crawley being successful contestants for high honors and Miss Hurley winning the consolation prize. Luncheon was served at 7 o'clock after which an adjournment was taken to the Casino, where dancing was enjoyed."

Dancing Party.

An enjoyable event of Saturday evening was a dancing party at the Masonic hall at which the following were included: Misses Grace Wilson, Florence Aalberg, Grace Iverson, Meta Kiland, Lillian Peppitz, Ella Miller, Irene Patrick, Irma Johnson and Florence Gallagher, Messrs. Guy Johnson, Morlan Bishop, Perry Johnson, Walter Stanchfield, Ed. Brevig, C. W. Vorachek, Carl Sundahl, Roy Brown, Rolf Rasmuson, and Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Fisher. At the conclusion of the dance program the guests were ushered to the home of Dr. and Mrs. Fisher, where a delicious lunch was served.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. W. H. Akre entertained twelve children at her home Monday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Ardith, to celebrate her seventh birthday anniversary. In addition to enjoyment received through various games a delicious lunch was served at 5 o'clock, featuring a large birthday cake topped with burning tapers.

Kitchen Shower.

A delightful pre-nuptial event of the season was a kitchen shower given by Miss Myrtle Blair at her home Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Florence Lian whose marriage to Archie Dahl will occur next month. A feature of entertainment for the evening was a mock wedding. A delicious lunch was served at 11 o'clock.

Music Students' Recital.

The pupils of Miss Ausilga Sorenson and Miss Maude Forde, violin and piano teachers respectively, will give a public recital at the high school auditorium on Thursday, June 16. The junior pupils' recital will begin at 3 o'clock and that of the seniors at 8 in the evening. An interesting program intended to give the pupils an opportunity to put forth their best efforts has been arranged.

Entertains at Luncheon.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund entertained at a one o'clock luncheon at her apartment yesterday. Covers were laid for twenty. The hours following were devoted to whist and at 3:30 the guests were taken to the Lyceum theater where a very good movie was enjoyed.

Entertains.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney entertained several ladies at her apartment in the Evenson flat last evening. Three tables of whist were in play. Mrs. Geo. Johnson won high honors while Mrs. P. W. Mabey carried away the consolation prize. A delightful lunch was served at 11 o'clock.

Entertains at Luncheon.

Several of the teachers were entertained by Mrs. G. C. Streeter at a 5 o'clock luncheon at her home on Friday afternoon.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. John Lian and Mrs. Ludvick Lian on June 16. Everybody invited.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mrs. Robert Vance entertained the following at dinner at her home Monday evening: Misses Irene Patrick, Lillian Poppitz, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Pierce, Misses Grace Iverson and Florence Gallager.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Mrs. E. L. Rolland next Tuesday afternoon, June 14. A large attendance is anticipated.

Churches

At Thorvick and Bethlehem, O. I. Ranum, Pastor—There will be services in Thorvick next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Confirmation class meets after service. Services in Bethlehem church at 3 o'clock.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. in the city auditorium. Subject June 12: "God, the Preserver of Man." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same location is open from 3 to 5 o'clock p. m., each Thursday. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies Aid meets on Thursday afternoon, June 9. Mesdames A. G. Loftness, Peder Hornseth, Jorgen Eide and Albert Olson entertain. Young Peoples League on Thursday evening. Rhuben Aga will give an address on "Friendship" at this meeting. Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. Sunday divine services in the English language at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Parochial school begins Monday, June 13, with Rhuben Aga and Helen Weeks, teachers. All parents of the congregation who have children the proper age are requeted to send them.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—On Sunday, June 12 the Sunday school will give their Children's Day program at 11 o'clock a. m. which is the morning hour of worship. The program will consist of songs and exercises by the primary department. Special songs for the day by the Sunday school, recitations, an anthem by the young peoples choir and a very effective playlet entitled "The Book and the Key." This will require some twenty-five or more young people to carry the parts. The offering will be ofr the support of the work the church is doing among people who do not have either church or Sunday school. The program begins promptly at eleven o'clock. The whole Sunday school except the primary department is asked to meet at ten o'clock, the usual hour, for a final practice of the songs to be used in the services. Parents and friends of the church are invited to be present and to lend the inspiration of their interest on this occasion. C. E. 7 p. m. "Out and Out for Christ." Evening worship 8 p. m.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—German services at 11 a. m. and English services at 2:30 p. m. in the Norwegian Lutheran church at Goodrridge next Sunday, June 12th.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services Sunday morning with Holy Communion at 10:30. Confessional address at 10 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:30.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services morning, evening by the deacons. Service at Goodridge at 2 p. m. by Student Quambeck. Confirmation service in city Sunday, June 19th at 10:30 a. m., with offering. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, June 16th. The Lians entertain. Zion Y. P. S. meeting Thursday evening, June 16th. Student Quambeck will speak.

The First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday, June 12: In Swedish at 10:30 a. m. In American at 8 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. The Ladies Aid society and the Luther league will be entertained by the John Swenson family at their home on Wednesday, June 15, afternoon and evening respectively.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, June 12: Sunday school at 10 a. m. No services. Tuesday, Young People's meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday, prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Services Sunday at Black River at 11 a. m. In the school house east of St. Hilaire at 3 p. m. At St. Hilaire 8 p. m. Young People's meeting Saturday evening at Dahlstrom's of Black River.

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City News

Miss Selma Rustebakke went to Holt Friday morning to visit friends.

Miss Clara Fellman of St. Hilaire was among the out-of-town shoppers here on Thursday.

G. W. Connell, of the Winton-Nichols Lumber company, made a business trip to Middle River Friday between trains.

Miss Emma Johnson left Friday afternoon for Moorhead, where she will spend the summer at the home of her sister.

Mrs. E. P. Modin and little son returned to their home at Middle River Friday morning after attending to shopping for a day.

Miss Caroline Mellby, who has finished her course at the Moorhead normal, returned to her home here on Saturday morning to remain during the summer months.

Miss Effie Christianson left Thursday for her home at Fertile to attend the graduation exercises, returning to this city on Friday morning. She was accompanied by her little niece, Alice Oien, of Holt.

Mrs. Victor Brink of St. Hilaire visited with friends here between trains on Thursday.

Mrs. Ingaburg Legvold left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting friends.

Miss Mae Olson went to St. Hilaire Thursday afternoon to visit at the home of her brother. She returned Friday morning.

Mrs. Chas. W. Shirley and son left Thursday afternoon for Fargo and other points in North Dakota, where they will spend some time visiting relatives.

Miss Louise Erickson, who has completed a two year course at Moorhead normal, returned to her home here Saturday morning to spend her summer vacation.

Misses Agnes Oftedahl and Beatrice Erickson left Thursday afternoon for Moorhead to attend a young peoples league convention which was held there on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Katie Jonas has returned to her duties as saleslady in the ready-to-wear department at Loken's store, after a month's absence due to the serious illness of her father, Jacob Jonas, who is now a little improved.

Carl Sundahl made a business call at Lancaster on Monday.

F. S. Ebert returned Saturday afternoon from Greenbush, where he had spent a day on business.

Chas. Munn, manager of the local Standard Oil station, spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Crookston.

Miss Esther Samuelson left for Warren Friday morning where she will visit at the home of her parents for the week-end.

Miss Inez Johnson returned the latter part of last week from Park River, where she attended the funeral services of her father, Joseph Johnson.

Rev. T. E. Sweger returned the first of the week from Moorhead where he had gone the week previous to attend a convention of the Young Peoples league of the Lutheran church.

Miss Carrie Trogan left Friday afternoon for her home at Monticello where she will spend the greater share of her vacation. Miss Trogan, who has taught in the city schools for a number of years, will return to this city in the fall, to resume her work.

Coolidge Lesure of Duluth was in the city on Wednesday visiting with friends.

Mrs. Geo. Chatfield of East Grand Forks was in the city the first of the week to attend the Guernsey sale.

Guy Hinton, Soo dispatcher, left on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where he will visit friends for a few days.

Miss Nutah Gibson of Warroad spent a short time in this city on Friday enroute to Warren to visit friends.

Edward Stebbins and Melford Sorenson returned Monday from Greenbush where they had motored on Saturday to visit friends.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer left on Saturday afternoon for her home at East Grand Forks, where she will spend a week visiting her parents.

Misses Edith Skoglund, Hannah Gustafson, Edna Evenson, Cecelia Peterson and Frank Erickson autoed to Crookston Sunday to visit friends.

Miss Bernice Waldmen, who has spent a month visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ole Ystesund, accompanied by Miss Lena Hagen, left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks where they will be employed.

Miss Tillie Sundahl, who has been attending Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter, returned to her home here on Monday.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and children left Saturday afternoon for Fisher, where they will visit at the home of her parents for a time.

Miss Clara Burud, who is employed in this city, went to Crookston Saturday to visit at the home of her parents during her vacation.

Miss Gena Legvold, who has been teaching a term of school at Baker, is spending her vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ingaborg Legvold.

Miss Esther Meyers and mother of Steiner, were here over Sunday as guests of their sister and daughter, Mrs. Percy Lamb. They returned to their home on Monday.

Christ Halvorson, watchmaker at Neset's jewelry store, left Sunday evening on a two weeks' vacation which will be spent at the home of his daughter at Minneapolis.

Miss Constance Aakre arrived here Saturday evening from Minneapolis, where she is employed, and visited friends before leaving for her home at Goodridge where she will spend her vacation.

Mrs. Harry Frye of Crookston, arrived here Friday morning for a visit with relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cerny of Minneapolis, are in the city this week visiting with friends and relatives. Mrs. Cerny was formerly Miss Gertrude Nelson of this city.

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Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Shoes selling during this sale at extremely low prices. DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY to get a Suit or Top Coat. Our entire Shoe stock is also selling at greatly reduced prices. ***This Sale Positively Closes Saturday Night.*** All of our fine high grade stock at special prices.

Top Coats and Rain Coats

A very fine assortment of Rain Coats, Slip-on and Top Coats, all sizes and many models to select from.

$12.50 Men's Coats at $9.95
$15.00 Men's Coats at $11.75
$18.00 Men's Coats at $13.75
$20.00 Men's Coats at $14.95
$25.00 Men's Coats at $19.75
$27.50 Men's Coats at $21.50
$30.00 Men's Coats at $24.75
$35.00 Men's Coats at $27.50
$40.00 Men's Coats at $29.50

Men's Underwear

Our entire line of fine high grade Union Suits on Sale Friday and Saturday

$1.50 Men's Union Suits ---------- $1.15
$2.00 Men's Union Suits ---------- $1.65
$2.50 Men's Union Suits ---------- $1.95
$3.00 Men's Union Suits ---------- $2.35
$4.00 Men's Union Suits ---------- $2.95

Shoes Shoes

Our entire line of men's Shoes are on Sale Friday and Saturday

$4.00 Shoes ---- $2.95
$5.00 Shoes ---- $3.65
$6.00 Shoes ---- $4.75
$7.50 Shoes ---- $6.35
$9.00 Shoes ---- $6.95
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ALL OTHER SHOES AT 15% OFF

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Our entire line of fine dress shirts all on sale at below prices:

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$2.00 Dress Shirts, only ---------- $1.35
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$3.00 Dress Shirts, only ---------- $2.25
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$4.00 Dress Shirts, only ---------- $2.[illegible]5
$4.50 Dress Shirts, only ---------- $3.35
$5.00 Dress Shirts, only ---------- $3.65

All Boys' Shoes at 20 % off

Tennis Shoes for men at greatly reduced prices.

All of our fine silk shirts that have sold up to $15.00 each now on sale at your choice, only $5.95 Some are slightly soiled but are great values at above price.

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All men's fancy hosiery at reduced prices.

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35c Sox ---------- 27c
40c Sox ---------- 30c
50c Sox ---------- 39c
75c Silk Sox ------ 59c
$1.00 Silk Sox ----- 85c
$1.50 Silk Sox ---- $1.15

All Men's Neckties on Sale as follows:

50c Ties ---------- 39c
75c Ties ---------- 49c
$1.00 Ties ---------- 75c
$1.50 Ties ------- $1.15
$2.00 Ties ------- $1.35
$2.50 Ties ------- $1.85
$3.00 Ties ------- $2.25

WASH TIES.
35c Wash Ties ------ 27c
4 for $1.00
Extra Quality Silk "Cheney" Wash Ties 65c

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We carry a complete line of sizes in Unionalls for men and boys—some for Women:

$1.50 Boys Suits --- $1.25
$2.00 Boys Suits --- $1.65
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"Patterson," "Schoble" and "Dunlap" Hats are at special prices:

$5.00 Hats, now - $3.95
$6.00 Hats, now - $4.75
$7.00 Hats, now - $5.25
$8.00 Hats, now - $5.95

Friday and Saturday

Caps

All our fine men's Caps at reduced prices:

$1.50 Caps, now -- 95c
$2.00 Caps, now - $1.45
$2.50 Caps, now - $1.95
$3.00 Caps, now - $2.25
$3.50 Caps, now - $2.65
$4.00 Caps, now - $2.95
$5.00 Caps, now - $3.45

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Sizes 18 to 20 ------- 95c

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$4.00 Pants ---- $2.95
$5.00 Pants ---- $3.65

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THE DONATION SALE.

An event of much interest to stockmen in the Northwest will be the donation sale at the Red River Valley Livestock association's pavilion at Crookston on June 14. More than 80 head of purebred stock will be disposed of to the highest bidder, the proceeds going to pay the outstanding debt on the pavilion.

Stockraisers in every county in the district have made donations from their flocks and herds for this sale and animals of the best breeding procurable will be offered. In the Holstein division alone there are 26 head with every individual from a blue-ribbon strain. The manner in which stockraisers responded to the suggestion that they make donations to this worthy movement shows that they realize the importance of the display rooms and sales pavilion to the livestock industry in this section.

The undertaking is deserving of every encouragement. Not only is the purpose of the promoters most commendable, but the sale itself will give a large number of farmers an opportunity to make a start in the purebred business. It makes no difference what kind of stock they fancy—cattle, hogs or sheep—they will find at this sale just the kind of animal they want. The event will prove of even greater value to them than to the association.

Pennington county should send a large delegation to the sale. Our people are as much interested in the success of the stock show at Crookston as are those residing in Polk county. It is an enterprise of inestimable value to the stock-raising interest of the entire section, with no community or association of breeders favored above another. It took years of hard and at times discouraging work to bring the enterprise to the point where its value was recognized, but this has been reached and from now on there will be no trouble in securing ample support. Should the proceeds at the forthcoming sale prove sufficient to wipe out the indebtedness one serious handicap will have been removed. From the interest already displayed, there is every indication that this will be the result.

A large share of the credit for the successful carrying out of this rather unusual proceeding should be given Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture. To his untiring efforts is largely due the fact that the pavilion was made possible in the first place and now he is just as keenly ambitious that his pet enterprise shall be free of debt. With the liberal support given him by the association members his success in this direction is also assured.

Sale catalogues may be had by addressing Mr. Selvig at Crookston. Secure one beforehand and then make up your mind to attend the sale. It will surely be worth your while.

STATE CREAMERIES FORM ASSOCIATION

Will Aim to Put Industry On Better Business Footing and Stabilize Product.

President Hans Anton of the Thief River Falls Cooperative Creamery association is attending the meeting of creamery representatives of the state which convened at St. Paul on Tuesday morning for the purpose of forming a state-wide association. The special purpose of the organization will be to help the creameries build up and maintain the best possible system of manufacturing butter, also to help the creameries market their butter to the best advantage. Uniformity and high quality of dairy products will be goals which the state association will undertake to reach.

A. J. McGuire, of University Farm, dairy extensionist, says: "The cooperative creameries of Minnesota manufacture around one hundred million pounds of butter yearly. Last year the sales of butter by these creameries amounted to sixty million dollars. It is not necessary to mention the importance of this business in Minnesota because it is already well known. But it is necessary to have it known that this important industry may be seriously injured by the importation of foreign butter and the promotion of butter substitutes.

"There is need, therefore, for the co-operative creameries to get together for self protection. The state association will be chiefly for this purpose."

Will Attend Convention.

President H. A. Brumund of the city council has appointed the following to represent the city at the convention of the League of Minnesota Municipalities to be held next week at Red Wing: Mayor John Bratrud, Councilmen Ness and Brandon. The convention will be held next Wednesday and Thursday and the delegates will leave on Tuesday evening.

City News

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Skamfer of Oslo, visited with friends here Saturday.

I. O. Nelson went to Strandquist Monday morning on matters of business.

B. Bjornaraa of Wanke, spent Saturday in this city attending to business matters.

Dr. E. J. Pigman of St. Paul, was in the city the first of the week making tuberculin tests.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher motored to Grand Forks today to visit relatives. They will return here this evening.

Joel E. Shoberg and Miss Esther Leyden went to Crookston by car on Sunday to attend the Young Peoples convention.

John Haugen, prosperous farmer residing in the vicinity of Gatzke, visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Simon Brennan left this morning for Detroit where she will spend a week visiting her husband who is employed there.

Roy Flattum who attends St. Olaf college at Northfield, returned to his home here yesterday and will remain during the summer.

H. O. Chommie returned Saturday from Greenbush where he had gone the day previous to deliver the commencement address.

Miss Alice Bugge, who has been employed at Grand Forks, arrived home Monday morning to visit at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. O. Sampson of Crookston, were over Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Sampson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

D. C. Biddick of Minneapolis and J. F. Peterson of Wadena, connected with the Peterson-Biddick company, were business callers here on Friday.

Geo. Biddick returned Saturday morning from Crookston, where he had spent a day on business in connection with the Peterson-Biddick company.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Bakke, accompanied by their son, Willie, and daughter, Mrs. R. A. Spinks, the latter of Middle River, left last Friday morning by auto for Colorado. Mrs. Spinks will return after a visit but the remainder of the family may conclude to make that section of the country their future home. The Bakkes are old-time residents of Thief River Falls and among the best-known people in this section. The change of location is made in the hope that the milder climate of the Southwest may benefit the health of Mrs. Bakke.

Miss Edna Ryff, a teacher in the local schools the past term, returned last evening to her home at Paynesville, where she will spend the summer.

Miss Catherine Berthiaume, who has been engaged in teaching school at Oklee, visited with friends here on Saturday enroute to her home at Red Lake Falls to spend the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Pierce left last night for Minneapolis, where they will spend the greater share of the summer. Mr. Pierce was principal at the local high school, while Mrs. Pierce taught at the Central.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. Hinsela and daughter, Alice, left last Saturday for a trip to the coast. They went by way of the Canadian Rockies and will stop at Vancouver and several places in the state of Washington, where they have relatives, returning home through the states. They expect to be gone three or four weeks.

COMING HERE SOON "THE GREAT KARA"

Will Be at the Auditorium For Three Days in "A Night in the Orient."

What promised to be an engagement of extraordinary interest will be presented at the Auditorium for three days beginning Friday, June 10 when The Great Kara, the man with the 1,000 eyes and his celebrated company of wonder workers will be seen in "A Night in the Orient." Kara, who is *recognized as the foremost mental* marvel and Crystal Gazer, will feature on his program the science-baffling "Bombay Seance" which is said to be the greatest demonstration of power ever presented. Kara will answer any question asked him. To him your life seems to be like an open book. You may write your question at home and seal or sew them up and bring them to the theatre with you and he will call your name and answer them without seeing them.

Included in Kara's company are the foremost singers and dancers of the Far Eastern lands including Mlle. Binaca, premier dansuese, who will present India's most sacred dance, "The Crystal Dance." Kara is the only mentalists known to have predicted that the armistice would be signed Nov. 11. He also predicted the disaster at Galveston, Texas, and the assassination of President McKinley at Buffalo, N. Y., and the San Francisco earthquake. Exhibitions of the Wonderful Spirit Paintings will be presented at every performance.

All performances will begin at 8:15 p. m.

Throat and Chest Clinic To be Held at Goodridge

A throat and chest clinic will be held in the school building at Goodridge on Wednesday, June 15 from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. The clinic will be conducted by Dr. M. G. Milan, medical director of Oakland Park sanitarium, assisted by the county nurse. No charges are made for examinations and it is an unrivaled opportunity for any one in a run down condition or in poor health to obtain the services of a specialist without any expense to them.

Public Forum

What because of that City Ordinance forbidding the keeping of cows inside the city limits?

There are some people in Thief River Falls who seem to have no respect for the other fellow's feelings and good intentions to keep the city clean and beautiful. Neither do they respect other's right to property as they have the nerve to tether their cows right under their neighbor's windows, accumulating dirt and insects.

For the sake of the sanitation as well as for the looks of our city in general, our honorable city council will have the support of every well-meaning citizen in enforcing the ordinance regulating the keeping of cows and thereby doing away with the prevailing nuisance of giving the cow the right-of-way in the heart of the city.

GEORGE LEIMERS.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the many kind friends for their expressions of sympathy and help at the time of the loss of our beloved son, George. Especially do we wish to thank the members of the Royal Neighbors, M. B. A., and Yeoman lodges and all those who helped in recovering the body from the river. The beautiful floral offerings from the children of the Northrop school were also deeply appreciated.—Mr. and Mrs. John Rietz and Family. j9p

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is a positive remedy for this disease—repeat the dose frequently, for if given freely it liquifies the tough mucus, makes it easy to expectorate and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. There is no danger whatever from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given."

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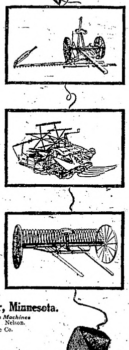

MINNESOTA FARM MACHINES Are Made In Your Own Factory

The Minnesota State Prison is your factory, because, as a taxpayer, you helped to build it. And for the same reason you are entitled to your share of any benefits made possible by the industry carried on in this institution. The farmers of Minnesota are saving thousands of dollars every year on agricultural implements manufactured here—and if you have not been getting your share of these savings it is because you have not been buying the Minnesota Line of Agricultural Machinery.

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Minnesota Binders—a well-made high-grade product—as good as any on the market—can save you quite a little money. The 7-foot Binder, for example, is just $26.61 lower in price than its nearest competitor. Can you afford to overlook an economy like that? The 6 and 7-foot Binders offer, comparatively, the same saving.

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City News

Baker Olson of Grygla was a business caller here on Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Sorum of Holt arrived yesterday to receive dental treatment.

Mrs. O. Hagen of Roseau was in the city yesterday on a shopping expedition.

Misses Mae and Elsie Randorf of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Wednesday.

Wm. Engh returned to his home at St. Hilaire yesterday after attending to business matters here.

Miss Maybelle Swanson, of the class of '21, will leave Saturday afternoon for Moorhead to attend summer school.

Miss Emma Hoff, who has been teaching school at Baudette the past year, is in the city this week visiting with friends.

Mrs. F. Schreick and sons, Peter and Bernard Schmitz, all of Red Lake Falls, were guests at the Henry Randorf home in this city on Saturday.

Send your dry cleaning to us; we clean dresses, suits, waists, gloves, furs, and in fact everything that can be cleaned. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Leesa Isaacson, accompanied by her niece, Clarice Holm, both of Roseau, arrived yesterday afternoon for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nelson.

Miss Goldie Stebbins, who has taught during the past term at Eureka, S. D., is spending the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins.

Miss Vivian Swift, who for the past school year has been engaged as commercial instructor in the high school, left Monday evening for her home at St. Paul to spend the summer.

Hans Wick of Grygla was in the city Tuesday afternoon enroute to Fargo to take charge of the body of his daughter, Marie, who had tragically been murdered the day previous. Mr. Wick was accompanied by Geo. Johnson, also of Grygla.

Riley Rasmussen, cashier of the First National bank of Roseau, and S. O. Lindquist, a farm implement dealer from the same city, arrived here via auto on Tuesday evening. They stored their car here and left by train to attend to business matters in the Twin Cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Math Barzen and son, Ernest, left by car yesterday for Milwaukee, where they will attend the commencement exercises at Marquette university. Their son, Roy, is a member of the graduating class. They were accompanied as far as Minneapolis by Mrs. Emil Zeh, who will visit relatives there for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Barzen expected to be absent for two weeks.

Paul Midderigh, chief of the fire department, was in Crookston the latter part of last week attending a meeting of chiefs from various departments in northren Minnesota, the purpose being to reorganize the Firemen's Tournament, which was disbanded several years ago. Mr. Midderigh will leave on Monday for International Falls to attend the state convention on June 14 and 15.

Miss Florence Gallager, who has been teaching at Cass Lake, arrived Friday evening and was a week-end guest of Miss Grace Iverson, Latin instructor here the past term. They left Monday morning for Winnipeg, where they will spend a couple of days when they will go to Minneapolis where the former will visit Miss Iverson a week or more before returning to her home at Billings, Mont. Miss Iverson will not return here in the fall.

M. Johnson of Grygla was here yesterday on business.

Miss Martha Halvorson of Gonvick arrived Friday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Dr. Jennie Eastman spent Sunday and Monday at Fargo visiting with friends and relatives.

Attorney and Mrs. J. M. Bishop were business callers at Strathcona between trains on Tuesday.

Miss Corine Adsero, graduate with the class of '21, left the first of the week for Williston, N. D., where she will be employed.

Miss Marie Phillipson returned to her home at Middle River Saturday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. O. Burringrud.

Miss Alice Tyson, who is employed here, went to her home at Rollis Saturday morning to spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Florence Fjelstad, a member of the teaching staff here the past term, left Monday evening for her home at Wells to spend her vacation.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

D. C. Biddick of the Peterson-Biddick company, formerly of this city but now located at Minneapolis, was in the city the first of the week calling on old friends.

Miss Dorothy Lane left Monday evening for Easton, Ill., where she will attend summer school. In the fall she expects to engage in teaching in the vicinity of Easton.

Mrs. Gay Halvorson leaves this week for Oberlin, Ohio, to attend the commencement exercises at Oberlin college, her daughter, Doris, having completed a four year course in music.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leimers and two children, who had spent a short time visiting the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leimers, returned to their farm home near Randeen on Saturday morning.

Miss Elsie Granum, who had been visiting with relatives at Middle River, returned to her home here on Tuesday. She was accompanied by her cousin, Alice Hall, who will remain here for a few days.

Miss Marguerite Ober, normal instructor here the past year, left yesterday morning for Warroad, from which place she will go with a party of friends on an excursion on the Lake of the Woods. She will return on Saturday, leaving the same evening for her home in Minneapolis to spend the summer.

Arthur LaBudde of Gonvick visited with friends here over Sunday.

H. G. Thorson of Grygla was a business caller here on Monday and Tuesday.

Thomas Majeres of Crookston was a guest at his home here between trains on Saturday.

Miss Maude Bradley of Williams was in the city the first of the week visiting with friends.

W. H. Halbert returned Friday evening from Federal Dam where he had spent a few days fishing.

Miss Mildred Jahr of Holt visited with friends here a few days the latter part of last week. She returned to her home Saturday morning.

All our dry cleaning is POSITIVELY free from gasoline odor. Send us a trial order and be convinced. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S m31tf

T. L. Rank of Dover arrived yesterday morning to spend a week visiting his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson. Mrs. Rank came here a week ago.

Miss Esther Motz arrived here on Saturday morning from Moorhead where she has finished her course at the Moorhead normal. She will visit at her home here during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Gullingsrud, parents of County Treasurer John Gullingsrud, arrived in the city last week for a visit with the family of their son. Their home is in Norman county.

Miss Amelia Hoorn and Miss Alice Benson, *who had been guests at the* home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm since the closing of school, accompanied them on the trip to Red Lake Sunday. Miss Hoorn left Monday afternoon for her home at Fergus Falls while Miss Benson left on the Soo Monday for her home at Pine River.

A. H. Dorn, representative in this section for Swift & company, with headquarters in this city, left Monday evening on a two week's vacation at Mankato and other points in the southern part of the state. Mr. Dorn was with the marines during the war and has made a fine record with the big packing company since his contract with Uncle Sam closed.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tommeraasen, who have made this city their home for the past two years, the former having been employed as instructor in the high school, left Friday afternoon for Willmar to spend the most of the summer visiting at Mr. Tommeraasen's old home. Next fall they will go to Lake City, where Mr. Tommeraasen has accepted a position as principal in the high school.

Miss Lucille Brooks of Plummer is spending the week here with friends.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Marie Lundberg of Oklee arrived Monday evening to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. A. Skarstad of Argyle, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum, a few days last week.

Mrs. Geo. Walker and children of Minneapolis arrived Friday and will establish their home here for the summer.

Mrs. A. Wing of Middle River arrived here Friday afternoon to attend the graduation exercises held here in the evening.

Miss Geda Risberg, who accompanied her cousin, Miss Edith Skogland, to her home at Roseau on Monday, returned yesterday.

Mrs. Emma Motz returned yesterday from Fargo, where she had spent a week visiting her daughter, Inez, who is employed there.

Misses Cecelia Peterson and Edith Skogland spent Monday and Tuesday at their homes at Roseau attending the weddings of their sisters. They returned yesterday.

Miss Mary Wing, who was graduated with the class of 1921, left on Saturday morning for her home at Middle River, where she will spend her summer vacation.

Mrs. A. Rolland and three children came up from St. Hilaire Tuesday morning and spent the time between *trains visiting at the home of Mr.* and Mrs. L. M. Rolland.

Miss Esther Lunsetter, who has been attending the local high school the past school term, left Saturday morning for her home at Gatzke where she will spend her vacation.

Miss Sophie York, chief operator at the local telephone exchange, returned Monday morning from Crookston, where she had visited friends over Sunday. She was accompanied by Miss Marie Thill, who had visited at Red Lake Falls.

Miss Julia Johnson of Holt spent Sunday with local friends.

We clean and reblock men's hats. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Magdalina Hance, who is employed at Grand Forks, was a guest at her home here over the week-end.

Misses Lutrella and Alice Paulson, who are employed in Minneapolis, arrived yesterday for an indefinite stay at their home.

Misses Edna Evenson and Hannah Gustafson returned Saturday morning from Crookston, where the had visited with friends.

Miss Clara Sorenson returned on Thursday evening from Rosewood where she spent two days giving state examinations in the Busy Bee school.

Miss Emily Fossum, who had attended the convention of the Young People's League of the Trinity Lutheran church, returned to her home here Monday morning.

Mrs. Al. Barton of Warren was in the city yesterday attending to business matters and also visited her brother, Dan Polinski, who is employed as baggage man on the Soo.

Miss Alma Lundberg of Ortonville arrived yesterday morning and spent the day as the guest of her friend, Miss Louise Erickson. She left on the flier the next morning to visit relatives.

The Methodist Ladies aid will be entertained by Mrs. J. A. Wasgren, Mrs. L. F. Fahey and Mrs. E. D. Travers, in the basement of the church Wednesday afternoon, June 15. Everybody welcome.

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Notice to Light Users

The following sections of Ordinance No. 47 is called to the particular attention of electric current users at this time:

Section 1. All accounts for the use of electric power or electric light shall become due on the first day of each month and shall be payable at the office of the City Clerk from the first to the tenth day, inclusive, of each month. If not paid on or before the tenth day of each month a penalty of ten per cent shall be added.

Section 2. In all cases where dues are not paid on or before the fifteenth day of each month, the electric current shall be cut off, and in such case a penalty of two dollars shall be added to reemburse the city for cutting and reconnecting the wires. And in no case shall the electric current be restored until all dues, together with any penalty, shall have been fully paid.

These sections will hereafter be strictly enforced. Lights will be cut off where bills are not paid by the 15th of each month and a charge of two dollars ($2.00) assessed for again making connections.

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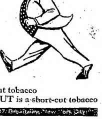

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Are Cheaper and Better

THERE'S only a short time left to put up plenty of strawberries for next winter. The berries from Hood River Valley and Puget Sound are the last to come on the market—and the season is short. These varieties are especially good for canning. Put them up yourself. Sugar is cheap. You can save ⅓ to ½.

Here are two reliable recipes that will help you to have variety in your canned strawberries:

Strawberry Jam

One pound of hulled and washed berries. Three quarters of pound granulated sugar. Place all together in preserving kettle and boil rapidly till syrup breaks as in jelly making. Pour into bottles or jars. When cold cover with melted paraffine. Store in cool room.

Strawberries and Rhubarb

4 pounds rhubarb, cut in 1 inch pieces
4 pounds strawberries
4 pounds sugar
Place in kettle, cook for a minute and can. This makes a sauce with a pleasing, tart flavor.

Can NOW and SAVE

There is no canned fruit so delicious, wholesome or economical as the kind that mother puts up at home,—in Ball mason jars. You can have variety, too—preserves, jam, conserves, marmalade, sauce, etc. Try the recipes given here.

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ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Schultz and two children of Minnehaha Falls, are visiting this week with Mrs. Schultz' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols.

Mrs. Erick Backlund accompanied by two small daughters from Thief River Falls spent a few days this week as guests with the Nordhagen and Gullseth families.

Dr. J. Gahlen of the State Board of health, who has charge of the typhoid epidemic here was in town again last Monday to look after the cases and allow wider commercial liberty where conditions so would permit. Most all patients are now convalescing and the main danger is considered past. Only one new case is reported since the general outbreak over a month ago, and that is one of the small Schankey girls who became ill last week and was brought to the Thief River Falls hospital on Monday, where it was believed she was a new victim and that contagion had spread from her brother who has been ill over six weeks and confined at his home. Most cases this time are of an unusual long duration, thus several patients have now been confined to their bed for over six weeks and yet are unable to sit up. The fever refuses to let up, and the patient is prohibited the use of food.

Emil Anderson became suddenly ill the latter part of the week, and his condition for a few days was very grave. Medical aid from both Warren and Thief River Falls was summoned but seemed to be a minor avail only to further constantate that his heart is very weak and at times fails to function normally. Monday's report was a little more encouraging and hope was held forth for his recovery.

Kaleb Quambeck, a young theological student arrived here on Sunday and will conduct a month's Norwegian parochial school under auspices of the Rindal congregation in the Rosebank building, commencing on Monday.

Andrew Gullseth, representing the Jones Monumental company, was in town last Saturday to visit with his cousin, A. M. Gullseth, and also sold five monuments throughout the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth motored to Benwood last Sunday to visit with a brother.

Alec Hellquist in company with the C. E. Hellquist family, of Thief River Falls, motored to Crookston last Sunday to visit at the Oscar Blomberg home.

Steiner Johnson and Joel Shoberg went to Crookston last Sunday from where the former will go to Moorhead where he is scheduled to furnish old time Norwegian violin music at a Hardanger convention, and the latter will attend the Red River Valley Young Peoples convention during the day.

Adolph Rafteseth, who has been employed near Tyler this winter, arrived home last Wednesday and will visit with his parents for some time.

Mrs. John Bloom is spending the week-end at Thief River Falls visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Crown, and to attend a series of church gatherings.

Miss Rhoda Aos of Gully, is this week's guest with Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Halvorson and J. E. Hellquist, motored to Newfolden on Sunday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hellquist.

Two carloads of grain, one of flax and one of rye, were shipped from the Hanson & Barzen elevator this week.

The town board went up to Anita the latter part of the week where they will help survey up a road line.

The Rindal Ladies' aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. I. M. Westby at her home north of town this afternoon.

A Montana man was in town last Wednesday to visit with the Grytedahl family and look about to purchase some real estate near here.

Miss Clara Sorenson returned to her home at Thief River Falls last Thursday evening after spending two days giving state examinations at the Busy Bee school.

Ted Nelson is employed at the Chas. Sagmoen farm since last week.

Miss Violet Furan of Thief River Falls, is visiting over Sunday with her father, L. L. Furan.

Henry Rogers of Steiner was in town on Saturday evening to visit friends.

Thomas Thoreson, Tena Westby, Esther Thoreson and Emil Hellquist motored to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to attend the movies.

Mrs. Carl Mellem returned the first of the week from Warren where she had spent the last week as a guest of her mother, Mrs. O. M. Holson.

Postmaster H. Carlson spent Monday evening at Thief River Falls on business.

Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls conducted Sunday afternoon services with his Rindal congregation.

The new 1921 auto licenses are arriving daily.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, clerk at the Carlson store, spent Wednesday and Thursday at Thief River Falls as a gust of her sister, Mrs. Severt Benson.

ST. HILAIRE

Commencement exercises for the 1921 senior graduating class of the St. Hilaire high school and the eighth grade class were held at the high school auditorium Friday evening, June 3. The following program was given:

"In the Garden"——High School Chorus
Invocation——Rev. A. F. Nelson
Salutatory——Tessie King
"Slumber Boat"——Quartet
Address: "The American of Tomorrow"——Supt. G. H. Sandberg of Crookston
Valedictory——Josephine Hallameck
"Rocking the Moon to Sleep"——High School Chorus
Presentation of Diplomas——A. S. Wilson
Benediction——Rev. A. F. Nelson

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klint arrived here the first of the week by auto from their home in Kandyhoi county for an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Klint's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Loberg. Mrs. Klint was formerly Miss Rosetta Loberg. The young couple were recently married at Willmar.

S. L. Johnson, superintendent of the St. Hilaire schools for the past two years, left Tuesday afternoon for his home at Hallock. Mr. Johnson will not return here next year but expects to resume work at the University of Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Solberg and son of Rudell, accompanied by Oscar Brevik, who has completed a term of school near Rudell, motored here Saturday for a visit at the T. M. Brevik home.

Mrs. S. M. Hoff and Mrs. Peter Simonson leave Thursday for Minneapolis to visit, the former at the Dr. Swanson home and the latter at the Oscar Stearns home.

Mrs. E. O. Hagglund and Mrs. Aug. Rolland spent Tuesday at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Louis Giese and daughter are spending the week with Mrs. Giese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

Mrs. Jake Sieff and children of Red Lake Falls, who have spent the past three weeks here as the guests of Mrs. Sieff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson, left Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives at International Falls.

Miss Nellie Follstad shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Sigvard Engh and family left on Tuesday morning for their home at Adams, N. D., after visiting here with relatives. They were accompanied by Mr. Engh's mother, Mrs. *Sidsel Engh, who will spend some* time at Adams.

Misses Clara Loberg and Selina Simonson, who have taught in rural schools near Jesse Lake, came Tuesday morning and will remain at their respective homes.

Hazen Wallen, who has been a student of the St. Hilaire high school for the past year making his home with his aunt, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad, left Monday evening for Minneapolis to reside with his mother.

The Misses Lilly Johnson, Blanche and Selma Hoff motored to Thief River Falls Saturday and spent the day shopping.

Miss Gertrude Blaska left last week for an extended visit with relatives at New Hampton, Iowa.

W. A. Leibhart arrived the first of the week for an indefinite stay at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Corbet.

Albert Nerdahl, employed at the Wm. Olson blacksmith shop, spent Sunday with his family at Mahnomen, returning here Monday.

Miss Olive Patterson, who has been engaged in teaching in the public schools of Roseau, arrived Saturday and will remain at her home the coming summer.

The Misses Eleanore Anderson and Lois Forbes, instructor at the local high school during the past year, left Friday evening to spend their summer vacations at their respective homes, the former to Merrifield, the latter to Duluth.

Mrs. Lena Hallstrom is attending to various business matters here and at her farm home in Black River during the week and will leave again Thursday for her home in Winger.

Arne Vik, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Anna Vik and their guest, Miss Emma Bakken of Ada, motored to Thief River Falls Friday and spent the day.

Misses Olive Nelson and Edla Hallstrom returned Sunday evening from Alvarado having gone there as delegates to attend the Luther League convention of the Swedish Lutheran church at that place.

Mrs. Hans Wilson left the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Duncan McAllister at Grand Forks.

Miss Sylvia Aarrestad left Saturday evening for her home at Halstad, having attended school here the past term, making her home with aunt, Mrs. Mike Hyland.

Miss Anna Vik has as her guest Miss Emma Bakken of Ada, who will spend several weeks at the Arne Vik home.

The Misses Selma Hoff and Cornelia Brevik attended to shopping at Thief River Falls Friday.

Oscar Soderling made a brief visit *at the home of Mrs. Helen Chelin on* Friday, returning the same evening via auto to Thief River Falls from where he will leave for Duluth where Mr. and Mrs. Soderling will make their home.

Christ Bjork returned the first of the week having spent some time at Bemidji.

Mrs. Richard Larson left Saturday to spend several weeks with relatives at Kennedy.

Misses Esther Hovet and Myrtle Gigstad, who have attended the Moorhead normal the past school year, returned home Saturday and will spend the summer vacation at their parental homes.

Rev. A. F. Nelson left the first of the week for Chicago to attend a convention of the Swedish Augustana church.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holmstrom and baby of Detroit, motored here the latter part of the week for a visit with Mrs. Holmstrom's father, Rev. A. F. Nelson. They returned again Wednesday and were accompanied by Mrs. A. F. Nelson and daughter, Gunhild, who will spend some time at Detroit.

A delightful surprise was tendered Mrs. Herman Fellman on Tuesday afternoon when a number of friends gathered at her new home. They brought with them a delicious lunch, the best part of which was a big wedding cake. Before departure they presented Mrs. Fellman with silver knives and forks with hearty well wishes and congratulations.

NOTICE
In order to be able to close its books promptly for the school year, the school district requests all parties to whom the district is indebted send in their account immediately.
MRS. L. G. LARSEN, Secretary,
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32 x 3½	S. S.	26.30	21.00	31.60	26.00	39.20	32.90	41.15	36.40	3.60	2.90
32 x 4	S. S.	34.95	26.90	42.00	34.40	49.80	41.85	52.30	46.30	4.55	3.55
34 x 4½	S. S.	49.85	38.35	—	—	59.10	49.65	62.05	54.90	6.00	4.75
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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

Lloyd and Forrest Wilson arrived Thursday from Minneapolis enroute to Grygla to visit their parents. While in town they visited with their sister, Gladys.

Miss Mildred Argall and Harry McDonald were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McLeod attended to business in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Miss Harriet Millard arrived Monday from Lancaster to visit at the R. H. McDonald home a few days, when she will leave for Bemidji where she will attend summer school.

Mrs. Wm. Gerrault left Monday evening for Thief River Falls where she has secured a position.

Otto Lee of Grygla was in town on Monday enroute to Warren on business.

J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls attended to business in town Monday.

Miss May V. Wilde left Monday for Oklee where she will attend a wedding on her way home to Hibbing.

George Wilson of the W. P. T. Ranch was in Thief River Falls on Tuesday on business.

Miss Viola Rankin left Wednesday for Minneapolis after a three weeks' visit at the home of her uncle north of town. Mrs. O. Rankin accompanied her as far as Thief River Falls.

Theo. Harms attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

E. M. Bennes of Thief River Falls was a business visitor in town on Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Jensen left Wednesday for Brookings, S. D. Enroute she will visit friends in Minneapolis.

Henry Rockne was in Thief River Falls Wednesday on business.

Alfred Dybvik of Thief River Falls visited at the J. P. Jensen home on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt were in Thief River Falls Saturday shopping and attending to business matters.

Miss Clara Dahlen left Tuesday for Thief River Falls after a short visit at the home of her parents near Erie.

Prof. Burhard of Grygla, was in town Wednesday enroute to Hibbing where he will be employed during the summer.

Russell Anderson of Thief River Falls was visiting friends in town on Friday afternoon.

Miss Teresa Giefer left for her home in Thief River Falls Friday afternoon where she will spend the summer.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson arrived from Thief River Falls Saturday where she has been attending high school.

Mrs. G. Gunderson and Mrs. S. *Anderson gave a banquet in honor of* the eighth grade pupils and the teachers Tuesday evening at the Goodridge hotel. The room was decorated in the class colors of green and white and plates were laid for twenty guests. After the banquet games were played and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. O. S. Kirklie and Mrs. Sever Anderson will entertain the Ladies' aid Thursday, June 9 at Mrs. Kirklie's home. Everybody cordially invited.

Among the cars from Goodridge who made the trip to Red Lake Sunday were the following: Nick Bundhund, M. J. Lysbakken, J. P. Jensen, Sever Anderson, N. H. Dahl, Albert Halverson, M. G. Thorson, D. Danielson. An excellent time was enjoyed only the rain cut some of the amusements short.

Miss Louise Besancon arrived home Saturday from Thief River Falls where she had been attending high school.

Prof. B. O. Norby was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday evening.

John Nystal left Friday evening for Minneapolis where he will attend to business matters a few days.

Miss Eleanor Baner left Friday evening for Thief River Falls where she visited her friend, Miss E. Pelto.

County Agent J. J. McCann of Thief River Falls, accompanied by Misses Thill and Whipps, Rev. R. L. Barackman and Mr. Tripp, attended the graduating exercises Thursday evening.

Dr. M. G. Milan of Thief River Falls will hold a throat and chest clinic in the school house here Wednesday, June 15 from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. free of charge.

L. Houske of Halstad was in town Thursday and attended the graduating exercises.

The graduating exercises held Thursday evening in the school drew one of the largest audiences ever seen in Goodridge. The program was so different from the usual graduating exercises that it won the approval of all. The opening number was a piano duet by Vivian Thorson and Clenora Urdahl, and the other musical numbers were a song by the High School Glee club. Instrumental solo, Gladys Wilson and a selection by the quartet, Misses Teresa Giefer, Mildred Argall and Messrs. John Nystal and Rev. Hanson. The class president, Emma Gilbertson, gave the salutatory, and then the demonstration in home nursing was given by a number of the girls in the graduating class. Rev. Barackman of Thief River Falls delivered the address which was full of good advice and also praise for the work already done to the class and people of the community. Prof. B. O. Norby gave a short talk and then presented the class to Mr. N. Bundhund who is secretary of the school board, after which they were presented with their diplomas. This was one of the largest classes graduating for the local school. The following received their diplomas: Gertrude Anderson, Glenn Erickson, Emma Gilbertson, Norton Gunderson, Henry Hjelle, Florence Johnson, Myrtle Iverson, Stephen Jacobson, Jenny Krbechek, Harry McDonald, Herbert Nelson, Clifford Overum, Lawrence Seavey, Vivian Thorson, Luella Urdahl and Ludolph Urdahl.

The following pupils received diplomas for perfect attendance for the school year being neither absent nor tardy: Eugene Besancon, Emma Harms, Harry McDonald, Christine Bundhund and Vivian Thorson.

The remains of Carl Vake arrived Saturday from France and burial services were held Monday afternoon at the residence after which the body was taken to Erie and laid at rest. The deceased was with the A. E. F. in France in the 54th Infantry. He *left a wife and child here, his parents* residing at Erie.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Hans Dahl called at Goodridge one day of the past week.

Fern and Floyd Nelson visited at the Seraphine Rolland's home last Sunday.

Misses Minnie Benttin and Hattie Klockman visited with Silva Bendickson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Norquist and son of Thief River Falls, visited at her parental home. Mrs. Amond Johnson of this vicinity.

Olaf Tharaldson and children, Gehart and Silva, and Silva Bendickson were Goodridge callers one day of the past week.

Mrs. A. Magee and daughter, Bertha, called at the John Philipp home Thursday.

Miss Esther Bendickson closed a successful term of school at Gonvick last Thursday. She returned to her home at Germantown, where she will spend the week.

Henry Longevan and children, Melvin and Mrs. Benard Bendickson, were callers at Goodridge one day last week.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Martinus Johnson home last Thursday.

Olaf Tharaldson called at the D. Dau home Sunday.

Emil Hanson called at the L. Bendickson home one day last week.

The Norwegian Lutheran ladies' aid held at the Henry Roller home was well attended in spite of the rain.

Olaf Tharaldson called at Mavie one day last week.

Lester Hanson called at the L. Bendickson home one day last week.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Joseph Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Ada Johnson, Inez Johnson, Carl Johnson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Ada Johnson having been filed in this Court, representing that Joseph Johnson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 31st day of May, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Robert McGinn, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You, and each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of July, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this sixth day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
G. HALVORSON,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j9-16-23

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Seven and 75-100ths ($507.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by F. D. Beard, an unmarried man, Mortgagor, to Sam Nauman and N. E. Gaass Mortgagees, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April 1920, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 62 of Mortgages, on page 446, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute, in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The east half of the southwest quarter (E½SW¼) and lots three (3) and four (4), of section nineteen (19), in township one-hundred-fifty-three (153) north, of range forty-five (45), west of the fifth principal meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 27th day of July, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $507.75 and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 2nd, A. D. 1921.

SAM. NAUMAN,
N. E. GAASS,
Mortgagees.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagees' Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
j9-16-23-30-jl7-14

Summons.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. City of Thief River Falls, Municipal Court.

Alf Borry, Plaintiff vs. Ollie Warner or Werner, Defendant.

[illegible]

Ninety-seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Ninety seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the First day of March, 1918, and the further sums of Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at Six per cent per annum since March first, 1919; Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1920, and Thirtythree and 67-100 ($33.67) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1918,—the three latter amounts being for interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of the said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1300.00, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; and also the further sum of Sixty and 58-100 ($60.58) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent since the 9th day of March, 1920, the latter amount being for taxes paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage by reason of the failure of said mortgagors to pay the same; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice being the sum of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars;

And whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nineteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), said land being in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and State, on Saturday, July 9th, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day at public vendue, to pay the said debt of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars, and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and an attorney's fee of *Twenty-five Dollars as stipulated in and* by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated May 11th, 1921.

TRAIL STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
m19-26-j2-9-16-23

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss. In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Fred Roth, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Emma Roth;

It is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, [illegible]

[illegible]

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eight and 62-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by P. W. Sharp Printing and Manufacturing Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagor, to Peel W. Mabey, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of May, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly re- [illegible]

[illegible] City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota on Saturday, June 18th, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota this 28th day of April, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
m5-12-19-26-j2-9

AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at the Espliden Farm, being the Northwest Quarter of Section 9, Township of Adger, 5 miles east and 3½ miles north of Thief River Falls, commencing at 11 o'clock sharp, on

Thursday, June 16

Horses

One black horse, 12 years, wt 1600
One gray mare, 11 years, wt. 1600
One black mare, 13 years, wt 1400
One black horse, 9 years, wt. 1400
One black horse, 5 years, wt. 1300
One gray mare, 3 years, wt. 1200

Live Stock

One red cow, 6 years, fresh in December
One red and white cow, 6 years, fresh in December
One red cow, 2 years, fresh in May
One black Holstein cow, 4 years, fresh in June
One red and white cow, 4 years, fresh in February
One red and white cow, 2 years, fresh in December
One Red Poll bull, 2 years
Two heifers 2 years in June
Three winter calves
Three heifers, 1 year in June
One bull, 1 year
20 chickens
9 turkeys

Farm Implements, Etc.

One 1916 Overland Touring Car, in fine order.
One Deering binder, 6 ft. in good order
One Deering mower, 5 ft. in good order
One Plano hay rake, 10 ft.
One disc, 14 discs
Two 4-horse drags.
One potato cultivator
One Moline gang plow, 13 in.
One wagon, with grain box
One truck wagon, with rack
One 16 double disc drill, with grass attachment
Five good work harness
One grind stone
One Hero fanning mill
One scale, 250 lbs.
One bob sleigh
One 60-gal. kerosene tank
One sweep rake
One 10-bbl. galvanized iron water tank
One DeLaval cream separator
One barrel churn
One 8-gal. cream can
One 30-gal. stone jar with cover
Two tables
One lounge
One sofa
One center table
One 3-burner kerosene stove
One wood heating stove
One wood and coal range
One self-feeder coal stove
Two cupboards
Five chairs
Some fence wire
Some wood
Some fruit jars
And other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Hot Lunch at Noon.

TERMS—$10.00 or under, cash; over $10.00 bankable paper due Nov. 1, 1921

JOHN ESPLIDEN, Owner

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Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—7-room, strictly modern house, 87 foot frontage, located in very good residence district. 612 LaBree Ave. North. 14tf

FOR SALE—Rug and low kitchen cabinet. Phone 202. 1p

FOR SALE—80 acre farm. All high land, 20 acres under cultivation, good fence all around farm, good buildings and water, ½ mile from school, highway and mail. Price $2500.00. Mrs. Caroline Dahlen, owner, Erie, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 135. 15tf

FOR SALE—A cook car, 8 ft. by 16 ft., built on regular car trucks, in first-class condition. For particulars write or see C. W. Malberg, City, R. F. D. No. 2. 18p

FOR SALE—My 80 acre farm with stock and machinery, $80.00 per acre, or will sell the farm only, at a bargain, as I am moving to town. Halvor Odelien, R. 1, St. Hilaire, Minn. 18p

FOR SALE CHEAP—and on easy terms, 6 room house and 3 lots. 220 Markley Ave. S. 20p

FOR SALE—Piano and washing machine. Inquire H. Hadrath, 119 Conley Ave. S. 18p

FOR SALE—My farm containing 120 acres, 3 miles northeast of this city, highly improved, including the crop, horses, cattle, machinery and everything on the place. Also 2/3 of the crop on C. E. Reed farm. Easy terms, no ready cash needed if you can give security, or I will just sell the land. L. I. Helmundson, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19p

FOR SALE—One team of grey horses, weight about 3200; one bay team weight about 2500; one bay team weight about 2600. For further particulars write 121 Butler, Wylie, Minn. 18p

FOR SALE—Oak fence posts. Call 411 LaBree Ave. N. or phone 202. 18p

FOR SALE—Waterloo tractor, price $950.00. International tractor disc $150. International separator, 22 inch, $1475.00. Alfred Helgeson, Hazel, Minn. 19p

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Bates Steel Mule (12-20 H. P.). One Grand De Tours 3 bottom tractor plow with breaking bottoms. O. A. Naplin. 18

FOR SALE—1918 Ford Sedan, model 5 passenger with Hassler shock absorbers and speedometer. Ben Anderson, 417 State Ave. N., Thief River Falls, Minn. 18p

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn and three lots. 212 Markley avenue south. George Nicholson. 4tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 325. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Four purebred Holstein bulls, one 10 months old. Route 3, nine miles southeast of Thief River Falls, section 23 Smiley township. C. Wiener. 3tf

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

GOOD HORSE, 10 years old for sale or will trade for milch cow. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point, city. 7tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, & 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 135. 15tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 48tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—160 acres of land. Might trade for city property. 504 Knight Ave. City. 18p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Stearns. 12tf

FOR RENT—1000 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT—Small farm. Improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Rodlund. 10tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Man with team or auto to sell our Poultry and Stock Medicines, Flavorings, Spices, Perfumes, Soaps, Toilet Articles, Baking Powder and other household necessities in the Eastern half of Marshall county. Quality goods, reasonable prices; thousands of customers. Selling experience unnecessary. The Company trains in salesmanship. Address McConnon & Company, Winona, Minnesota. Mention this paper. 18

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Waitress at Hotel Evelyn. One with experience preferred. 17

WANTED — A cook at the Ogahmah Hotel. 17tf

LOST

FOR SALE—FORD Touring car in A-1 mechanical condition, 1918 Model. Body, tires and upholstering in good shape. A bargain if taken soon. Will demonstrate. Box 921 [illegible]. Call at 320 Riverside Ave., Thief River Falls, Minn. 17tf

FOUND

FOUND—A little pig came to my place in Rustad's addition along Red Lake river. Erick Kling. 18p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To rent six or seven room modern house. Will buy if terms are satisfactory. I. T. Simley, Supt. of Schools. Address replies to Dr. W. H. Froehlich. 18tf

WANTED TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car as part payment. C. O. Hanson, Viking, Minn. 18tf

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR from farmer who has his farm for rent. Want something with good buildings. Martin Johnson, Erie, Minn. 19

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 200, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Furnished bedroom. Must be first class. Phone or write The Times office. 17p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

RAG CARPET AND RUG WEAVING—I am now prepared to take care of all orders entrusted to me for rag carpets and rugs. Work guaranteed, strictly first-class. Prices reasonable. Mail orders a specialty. 410 Knight Ave. S. 19p

ELKS TO INITIATE CLASS OF 35 SOON

New Members Will Bring Total Up to Nearly 600—Remarkable Growth Reported.

The first large class to be initiated this year by Thief River Falls lodge of Elks will be taken into the herd on Friday evening, June 17. There will be about 35 candidates ready to take the obligation at that time and great preparations are under way for their reception. The initiation will take place in the new lodge room, Citizens bank building.

The local organization has made great strides during the past two or three years and is now the largest in this section of the state. Its record of growth is one of the best in the entire country and grand lodge officers have complimented the membership upon the excellent showing made. The grand lodge aims to have an enrollment of a million members in the United States by the end of the present year and to judge by the start already made this goal will be passed.

Exalted Ruler H. W. Protzeller and other officers are working on plans that will produce something different from anything yet attempted to add interest to the lodge work this summer. The territory of the local lodge extends from the southern boundary of Mahnomen county to the Canadian border and it has members in every city, town and hamlet included in that territory. The aim during the present year will be not only to extend the membership in the city and immediate neighborhood, but to bring a large number of worthy men from the outside under the protection of the antlers.

Must Pay Light Bills.

The city council has decided to more strictly enforce city ordinance No. 47 hereafter. This ordinance was passed for the regulation of electric current users and a disregard for its provision has become rather general. From now on the power will be cut off without further notice from premises where the department's bill is not paid by the 15th of each month and a charge of $2 made for again making the connections. Before this is done all arrearages and charges must have been paid.

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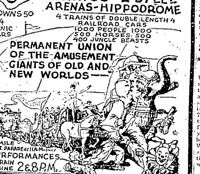

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Tickets on sale on show day at Curtis Drug Store at same prices charged on show grounds.

NOTICE

In order to be able to close its books promptly for the school year, the school district requests all parties to whom the district is indebted send in their account immediately.

MRS. L. G. LARSEN, Secretary
610 Bridge St. j9

PUREBREDS BRING FAIR PRICES WHEN PUT UP AT AUCTION

Successful Sale Held By Valley Guernsey Breeders at Johnson Farm Tuesday.

Threatening weather and bad roads kept many away from the sale of Guernsey cattle held by the Red River Valley Guernsey Men's association at the Burr Oak farm of Albert Johnson two miles south of the city on Tuesday. The crowd was not large but the sale must nevertheless be accounted a decided success. Many valuable animals changed hands, the average price paid for the mature females being $263 for the purebred and $90 for the grades. Following is a list of the offerings, together with the prices at which they were sold:

Sweet Alice of Clovercrest II, consigned by L. Jensen, Clearbrook, $240.

Clovercrest Dairymaid, consigned by L. Jensen, $250.

Clovercrest Brucetta, consigned by L. Jensen, $135.

Clovercrest Polly, consigned by L. Jensen, $100.

Male, Clovercrest Major, consigned by L. Jensen, $135.

Male, Clovercrest Captain, consigned by L. Jensen, $85.

Sweet Alice of Clovercrest, consigned by McLeod & Norby, Goodridge, $275.

Male, Bruce of Glenelg, consigned by McLeod & Norby, $125.

Giddy's May Queen, consigned by F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls, $290.

Eloise of J. D. L., consigned by Albert Johnson, Thief River Falls, $275.

June of Silverton, consigned by H. C. Woolson, Thief River Falls, $210.

Male, Model of Silverton, consigned by H. C. Woolson, $125.

Male, Jewel of Silverton, consigned by H. C. Woolson, $75.

The males sold were all calves born in 1920. The quality of the stock was not questioned by any of the buyers present and the prices received must be regarded as satisfactory when conditions are taken into consideration.

Change of Location.

The Warroad Boating and Outing company, which for the past six years has done the greater portion of passenger and excursion work in Warroad, has moved its business and docks from Robert street and City Dock, up the river one block, next to railroad bridge, and at the end of Main street, which location places the company in a better position and gives more room to take care of the Kenora and Springsteel Island excursions. j9p

St. Hilaire School Board Authorizes Bond Issue

In the special election held last Wednesday evening to vote on the matter of issuing bonds of school district No. 102 (St. Hilaire) in the amount of $20,000.00 to take up outstanding orders of like amount, the issue was carried by a record vote of 77 to 1. Issuance of bonds at this time will result in a direct saving of from five to six hundred dollars a year, and will also be the means of lowering the tax levy to that extent. With outstanding orders it is necessary to take some up from time to time, and issuing bonds will do away with that extra levy each year.

Black River Y. P. S.

The Y. P. S. of Black River will meet at Alf. Dahlstrom's next Saturday, June 11. Program commences at 8 o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend.

WIN FROM WARREN; COMEDY OF ERRORS IN GONVICK GAME

Both Were Good Contests and Should Have Resulted in Victories For Locals.

The base ball game last Friday evening, when Warren was defeated by a score of 6 to 3 on the home diamond, was anybody's victory up to the seventh inning. In this frame, Childs, whose underhand delivery had been bothering the Thief River Falls boys more or less, rather lost hold of the situation and permitted the home bunch to pass his team, a lead that was kept to the end. He pitched good ball during the first six innings, however, and could hardly find fault with his support.

The Thief River Falls boys played a consistently good game but were out of luck when it came to getting around the bases. In almost every inning of the first part of the game the bases were well occupied when something happened to the man at bat and promising scores were nipped in the bud. However, they found their batting eye before it was too late and everything came out all right.

Although Gonvick made one more error than Thief River Falls in the game at the latter town on Sunday, the Pennington county bunch managed to put their's where they would do the most harm. Federoff was taken out of the box after the third inning—the first time this has happened this season. Carlsen, who followed him, held the Gonvick outfit down, but the damage had been done. There is no other explanation of the defeat than to say that the Thief River team did not put up its usual brand of base ball. The grounds were slippery and rough, a fact that contributed in no small measure to the undoing of the outfit hailing from this town.

Win From Lancaster.

Lancaster was taken into camp last evening by a score of 10 to 3 in a game played on the diamond here. Three new men appeared in Thief [illegible] tomed control. Len Schroeder of Minneapolis, who played with Cincinnati one year, has been signed as first baseman, and Frank Larson of St. Paul, a fast infielder has also been acquired by the local management.

Locals at Warren Friday; Lancaster Coming Tuesday; Grand Forks to Play Here

Warren will be given a chance to wipe out the defeat of last week when the Thief River Falls base ball team goes to that town tomorrow afternoon. It is no part of the local boys' intentions that such shall prove the case, but a snapping good game will be witnessed, that much is certain. It is hoped that a large number of strong, healthy rooters will be on hand to help keep down the enthusiasm of the Warren bunch, and several have signified their intention of making the trip.

On Sunday there will be a game here with Stephen as the opponents of Manager Morse's colts. The outfit from up the line does not come from a very big town, but there are indications that the Kittson county representatives are going to give a good account of themselves.

Next Tuesday Grand Forks will try conclusions with the Thief River Falls nine on the diamond here. If the Flickertail team lives up to its advance notices, this contest should be one of the best of the year. The week-day games start at 6:15 o'clock. The team goes to Halleck on Wednesday and St. Hilaire Thursday. Halleck comes here on Friday, the 17th and Gonvick on Sunday, the 19th.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.28
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.18
Oats	.25
Flax	1.60
Barley	.50
Rye	1.10
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.20
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	[illegible]
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.18
Dairy butter	[illegible]
Creamery butter	[illegible]
Cow hides, per lb.	.03
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb	.04

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Completes Course at McPhail.

Miss Grace Loken, formerly of this city and now of Minneapolis, was one of a class of 135 graduates from the McPhail School of Dramatic Art to receive her certificate in general culture, expression and dramatic art, completing a two-year course. Miss Loken has been given a leading role in a farce which will be a part of a chautauqua program. The company will leave this month on a tour of several states.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT COMMENCEMENT FOR SENIOR CLASS

Closing Program of School Year Witnessed By Largest Audience in City's History.

Standing room was at a premium in the big city auditorium on Friday evening when Thief River Falls high school senior class held its commencement exercises. The hall was tastefully decorated, the scene forming a pleasing background for the eighty-odd young people who on this occasion closed four years of high school work. For many it doubtless meant an end of all school activities as it is not likely that more than a very small percentage will enter colleges or universities. The costumes of the girls were simple but highly appropriate, good taste rather than lavish expenditure being apparently the end aimed at.

The salutatory address by Ethel Conklin and the valedictory by Betsy Ness were excellent both in conception and presentation. The three selections by the High School Girls' Glee club, were rendered in a manner most pleasing, as were the two songs by the class. Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church, pronounced the invocation and benediction.

The commencement address was made by Dr. John M. Gillette of the university of North Dakota. His subject, "New Opportunities For Success," applies particularly at this time and is of special interest to young men and women just starting out in the world. It was an address filled with strong common sense rather than a brilliant oratorical effort.

The presentation of diplomas to the graduates was made by Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president of the board of education.

SUMMER STUDENTS SHOW FORESIGHT

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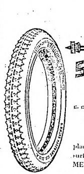

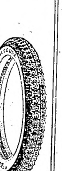

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SUSPECT HELD FOR MURDER OF GRYGLA WOMAN

William Gummer, Night Clerk at Hotel, Arrested at Fargo Yesterday Afternoon.

Cass County Officials Absolutely Convinced Young Man Is the Guilty Party.

Polk County Has Mystery Case in Which Girl is Beaten, Gagged and Tied Up.

William Gummer, night clerk at the Fargo hotel in which Marie Wick of Grygla was killed last week was arrested on a charge of murder Wednesday in connection with the case. He is held without bail. The complaint was sworn to by William C. Green, states attorney. The prisoner was arraigned before J. K. Bingham, justice of the peace. His hearing was adjourned until ten a. m., on June 21st.

The arrest of Gummer follows an investigation lasting eight and one-half days by States Attorney Green and Fred Kramer, sheriff, assisted by an investigator from the William J. Burns detective agency.

Prosecutor Convinced of Guilt.

Sheriff Kramer and States Attorney Green said yesterday that they had no statement to make in connection with the arrest of the night clerk who had been on duty at the hotel but two weeks, except that a searching investigation conducted by the authorities during the last week "has convinced us absolutely that not only is Gummer guilty of the crime charged against him, but it appears beyond the realm of possibility that it could have been committed by any other person."

While it was evident from the condition in which the room occupied by the murdered girl was found that a struggle must have taken place, yet none of the lodgers on the same floor heard any unusual commotion, with the exception of a Mrs. VanVorst, who stated that she retired about 12:30 o'clock and was awakened from a doze by hearing a dull thud such as would be made if a baseball were thrown against a wall.

H. J. Hagen, former president of the Scandinavian-American bank, occupied a room next to that of the dead girl. Because of this fact his name was more or less connected with the case from the start. He requested that his finger prints be taken and that his body be examined for scars and bruises. The prints showed no similarity to any found in the room and photographed and no bruises or scratches were disclosed which gave evidence of Mr. Hagen having been involved in a struggle of any kind.

The crime is said by the chief of police to be the most brutal that has occurred in Fargo in the 25 years he has been connected with the department.

The body was claimed by the parents of the girl and shipped to Grygla for burial. It was her first trip to the North Dakota city.

Polk County Has Mystery.

Katie Dobias, 17 years old, residing with her parents near Angus in Polk county, was gagged, tied to a table leg and beaten into insensibility by a man as yet unknown on Friday. The girl's parents were away from home and she was the only person on the place at the time. According to her story, a masked man entered the kitchen and, pointing a revolver at her, threatened to shoot her if she made any outcry. He then grappled with her when she tried to make her escape. She managed to pick up a butcher knife with which to defend herself, but this was wrested away by her assailant, who beat her over the head with the handle until she was insensible. He then tied her by her own apron to the leg of a table, after which the supposition is that he became frightened and ran away.

It is reorted that the girl declares she recognized the voice of the man who attacked her as belonging to an uncle, Joe Dobias. The authorities are trying to piece together the evidence found.

ANOTHER PIONEER OF COUNTY CALLED

Mother of State Senator and County Commissioner Dies at Polk Center Home.

Mrs. Kjosa Naplin, mother of State Senator O. A. Naplin of this city and County Commissioner Gus Naplin of the Third district, died on Monday at the family homestead in Polk Cetner township. Deceased was born in Westergotland, Sweden, in 1836, being 85 years of age at the time of her death. She was married to Swan J. Naplin in 1868 and in 1880 came with her husband and children to America. The family resided for two years at Dudley, Iowa, coming in 1882 to Black River township where Mr. Naplin took up the homestead which continued to be the family home until eleven years ago, when the old folks retired from active work and built themselves a place on the banks of Black river about two miles from the old home farm.

Mrs. Naplin was in good health until some five years ago when she fell down a stairway and injured herself in such a manner that she was thereafter unable to walk. From that time on she failed slowly until the end came peaceably while she was asleep on Monday evening.

Besides the two sons above mentioned, deceased leaves to mourn her loss, the aged husband and two other sons, John A. and Carl E., both of Polk Center township, and two daughters, Mrs. Mary E. Johnson of Cass Lake, and Miss Anna M., residing at home.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon from the residence and Black River Lutheran church, of which deceased had been a member since its organization.

MINNEAPOLIS MAN GIVEN CONTRACT AT OAKLAND PARK

Nurses' Home Will Cost $27,652, Just One-Half of Estimate Made in Fall of 1919.

A. E. Rydlun of Minneapolis, was awarded the general contract for the new nurses' home by the Oakland Park sanatorium board on Tuesday. His bid was $19,572 and was the lowest of three submitted, although the others were not much higher. The plumbing and heating contract was secured by Ed. Lee of Thief River Falls, his figure being $6,700. The electrical work will be done by the Arnston Electrical company of Minneapolis, at a cost of $1380. This contract provides for the laying of all wires in conduits as an added measure of safety. The completed building will cost $27,652.

The new home will be of hollow tile and brick construction, the brick facing matching the main building. Including the sun parlors at each end, it will be 72 feet in length by 32 feet wide. It is to be located to the northwest of the main hospital and about 200 feet distant, on the banks of the Red Lake river. The boilers now in use are of sufficient capacity to supply heat for both buildings. The contract calls for completion by the first of October.

In the fall of 1919, when the need for additional buildings at Oakland Park first engaged the attention of the sanitarium board, an estimate on a building such as is now to be constructed placed the cost at $55,000. This was at the peak of high prices and it was deemed advisable to hold off until there was a drop. A year later the matter was again taken up and an estimate of $48,000 received. This was a drop of $7,000. Conditions have so altered during the past year that another saving of $20,000 has been made by the postponment.

Duluth Boosters Will Pay Visit to City on Tuesday

Thief River Falls is one of the towns to be visited by the 150 Duluth manufacturers, jobbers and wholesalers Tuesday, June 21, on their special trade tour through the northern and northwestern section of Minnesota. The tour is in charge of F. X. Gravel, well known traveling man, who formerly lived at Crookston but is now in charge of the sales organization of the Stone-Ordean-Wells company of Duluth.

Mr. Gravel announces that a special train of nine coaches has been engaged to carry the party.

The tourists will arrive over the Great Northern from the north, having previously made stops at Baudette, Warroad, Salol, Fox, Badger, Greenbush, Strathcona, Middle River and Holt. They will continue their trip the same day, stopping at St. Hilaire and Red Lake Falls, staying at Crookston for the night.

Will Explain New Law to Pennington Threshermen

There will be a meeting of farmers and threshermen of Pennington county at the court house in this city on Tuesday, June 21, beginning at 2 o'clock. At this meeting H. C. Gildemeister, president of the Minnesota Brotherhood of Threshermen, will explain the new law in regard to compensation and workmen's liability insurance, as the threshermen now comes under the provisions of this statute. The latter have organized a mutual company which is selling insurance at cost.

The cleat law, which was passed at the last session of the legislature, will also be explained. This law bars all traction engines from the highways of the state unless they have smooth wheels.

Elks' Summer Vacation.

The Elks are preparing for a big initiation on Friday night as this will be the last occasion of its kind for some time to come. During the summer there will be but one meeting in each month—on the first Friday—and it is not likely that any important work will be undertaken until the regular schedule is resumed on the first of September.

CROOKSTON MAN HEADS BANKERS; FUTURE BRIGHT

Ninth District Bank Group Holds 18th Annual Convention in This City.

Period of Readjustment Coming to an End and Better Times Are Just Ahead.

Thos. H. Smith of Mavie Made Member of Executive Committee For Next Year.

The Ninth district group of the Minnesota Bankers association closed a most successful meeting in this city with a banquet at the Brumund hotel on Monday evening. In point of attendance the meeting was one of the best in the association's history, practically every city in the district being represented.

The meeting was held in the Commercial club rooms and opened with an address of welcome on behalf of the city by Mayor John Bratrud. J. A. Shea, State Bank of Perham, president of the group during the past year, in his annual address, spoke of the serious times the country and district is just passing through and said that the end of the money stringency is in sight. He complimented the bankers on the manner in which they had assisted by every means at their command in the restoration of confidence and predicted that by the time the crops are harvested this fall industry will be functioning normally and the people will have almost entirely recovered from the set-back incident to conditions brought on by the war.

After hearing the report of Secretary-Treasurer R. B. Rathbun of Detroit, the delegates listened to a most instructive address on "The Basis of Credit to the Retail Merchant," a subject in which they are all deeply interested, by A. V. Smith, vice president of the State Deposit bank, Minneapolis. Mr. Smith brought out many points of value to both banker and merchant.

Duluth Man on Program.

An address of unusual interest to those present was that delivered by C. P. Craig of Duluth, who spoke on the subject: "Lakes to Ocean." Mr. Craig pointed out that the Northwestern farmer, banker and business man is as vitally interested in the construction of a canal that will permit ocean-going vessels to dock at the head of the lakes as are the people residing in Duluth and Superior. He showed how transportation rates on grain destined for foreign ports would be greatly reduced, resulting in a saving of millions annually to the producers of this section of the country. He was listened to with rapt attention, his remarks containing many points not heretofore clear to his audience.

J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture, spoke at the afternoon meeting and again at the banquet in the evening. His remarks dealt with the importance of better agricultural conditions generally and outlined some of the aims of the department with which he is connected. Being an authority on farming conditions in the state and more particularly in the Ninth district, Mr. Hay presented facts and figures of the utmost value to the men who must work hand in hand with the farmer if either is to be successful.

There was a round table discussion of topics particularly affecting banks and bankers at which James M. Hanson of Crookston presided.

At the banquet in the evening H. O. Chommie of this city acted as toastmaster, performing his duty with his accustomed ability and keen sense of the appropriateness of things generally.

Officers Elected.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, J. M. Hanson, Polk County State bank, Crookston; vice president, R. B. Rathbun, Merchants National bank, Detroit; secretary-treasurer, F. M. Alexander, Farmers and Merchants State bank, Fergus Falls. Thomas H. Smith, cashier of the Farmers State bank, Mavie, was elected a member of the executive committee.

Odd Fellows Lodge Delegates.

The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows for Minnesota is being held at Virginia this week. Hans Heckne is representing Lone Pine lodge of Thief River Falls, while F. C. Dablow is the delegate from Riverside encampment. Mrs. J. L. Gasow from Lion Rebecah lodge. Mrs. Dablow, Mr. Gasow and others will also attend, the citizens of Virginia having promised to give the wearers of the three links the best time in their history.

Examines Candidates For Military Training Camps

Dr. H. W. Froehlich has been named local examiner of candidates for the Citizens Military Training camps conducted during July and August under the direction of the War Department. The government now pays all the costs of conducting these camps and furnishes everything in the way of equipment and uniforms, medical aid and emergency dental treatment. Citizens attending the camps are under no obligation other than strict attention to instructions and observance of regulations during the training period.

The purpose of these camps is thus set forth in the circular sent out by the department: To bring together young men of all types, both native and foreign born; to develop closer national and social unity, to teach the privileges, duties and responsibilities of American citizenship. Further, to show the public by actual example that camp instruction of the kind contemplated will be to the liking of their sons; that it will develop them physically, mentally and morally, and will teach Americanism in its true sense."

Any information desired as to location of camps, term of service and plan may be had by applying to Dr. Froehlich.

ASK NEW BIDS ON MONEY FOR STREET PAVING

Bonding Expert Advises Council That This Will Prove Most Expedient.

Also Believes That Forfeit Money Deposited By Former Bidder is Collectible.

Claimed That City Has Been Put to Heavy Expense By Bond Company's Action.

John H. Ray of Minneapolis, an attorney making a specialty of the law applicable to bond issues, was in the city on Tuesday for the purpose of conferring with the city council. He stated at the regular meeting in the evening that he would have no hesitancy in buying the paving certificates of Thief River Falls for his clients under conditions existing at present, but advised that new bids be advertised for. His advice was taken and the council will at once ask for terms on a loan of approximately $300,000.

Bonds Will Be Sold.

While it is probable that a slightly higher rate of interest than that accepted by the Capital Loan and Trust company will have to be paid when the time comes for selling the certificates, yet it is certain that they will be sold, if in the opinion of the council the figure is reasonable. This, the councilmen have no hesitancy in asserting, will be the outcome whether the obectors decide to be satisfied with the district court decision or not. This presupposes that the contention of the council as to its right to proceed along the lines now being followed will be upheld by the court. The members feel reasonably certain that such will be the case, having consulted the highest legal authority before committing themselves to a definite program.

Attend Firemen's Meeting.

Fire Chief Paul Midderigh and Pipemen O. J. Erickson and William Warner left Monday morning for International Falls by way of Warroad and Baudette. They will attend the annual meeting of the Minnesota State Firemen's association which is being held in the Koochiching county seat for three days this week and expect to return tomorrow afternoon.

Elks Lodges Paid Tribute to Flag Tuesday Evening

The beautiful Flag Day service of the B. P. O. E. was observed by lodge No. 1308 in this city on Tuesday evening. The members and others marched to the flag pole at Soo park, where retreat was sounded as the banner was lowered. It was a pretty ceremony and was witnessed by a large crowd. W. B. Fuller was in charge.

The program at Elks hall opened with an overture by Miss Laura Forde. This was followed by the regular flag exercises of the Elks lodge, exemplified by the officers, after which Miss Una Nelson gave "The History of the American Flag." "The Elks' Tribute to the Flag" was read by H. O. Chommie. Mrs. L. F. Fisher sang "Flag of Mine" most beautifully and responded to an encore with a couple of verses of "Dixie."

Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church delivered a stirring address on what the flag stands for—politically, progressively and potentially. It was a clear, forceful talk and well received. At the close "America" was sung by the audience, with piano accompaniment.

Arrested Here.

Lee Ulrich was on Friday arrested by Sheriff LaBree and held at the request of Pope county officials, being wanted on a statutory charge at Henning. An officer arrived for him the same evening.

CROP OUTLOOK NEVER BETTER AT THIS TIME

With Ample Supply of Moisture Fields Have Fairly Bounded During Past Few Days.

Sow Thistle Will Cause Much Less Damage Than Has Been Case in Former Years.

Rye Crop Now Made and Will Exceed Last Season's Yield in County as a Whole.

Crop conditions in Pennington county have not been so promising since 1915, and in many respects the outlook is better than at the corresponding period of that banner year. From every section of the county the reports point in one direction—to one of the largest crops in the history of the section.

One particularly pleasing feature of the outlook is that the sow thistle seems less prevalent than for some years past, except where wheat has been grown continually on the same ground for some time. This bears out the contention that a rotation of crops will eradicate this pest. It would also seem as if the claim that this thistle will disappear of its own accord after having run its course is verified to some extent.

Hay is Coming Fine.

The early spring was not particularly favorable for the production of a large hay crop, cold weather hanging on too long. An ample rainfall and a long stretch of fine weather has, however, overcome this poor start and it is now certain that there will be better than an average yield. This is now one of the most important crops in the entire county, and while there is almost an invariable surplus, any condition threatening the output in any manner is viewed with alarm.

Rye Above Average.

It now appears that small areas of rye was winter killed. In spite of this fact the yield will be better than average, in the opinion of County Agent J. J. McCann. On the ridges in the western part of the county the weather of the past few days has been particularly favorable to rapid growth and these farms are expected to break the record for that region. At times it has happened that when these western tracts received moisture enough the eastern section of the county was too wet, but the distribution thus far has been most satisfactory to both divisions.

Sugar Beets Thriving.

Most of the sugar beet fields in the vicinity of Thief River Falls have already been blocked and thinned, placing the crop far ahead of where it was at this time a year ago. The Barzen field of 15 acres at the edge of the city presents a most promising appearance, being kept free from weeds by three Mexicans who are experts in the cultivation of the beet.

COUNTRY'S FINEST CHOIR COMING ON TUESDAY, JUNE 21

Famous Singers From St. Olaf College, Northfield, Will Be Heard at Auditorium.

The advance sale of tickets for the concert by the St. Olaf college choir indicates that long before the night when this remarkable musical organization is to appear every available place will have been taken. The sale began on Tuesday morning and the demand has been greater than for any other attraction ever appearing here.

Very few organizations of any kind making a tour of the country have come in for such unanimous indorsement. In sections where Northfield and St. Olaf's college have hardly been heard of the reception has been as enthusiastic as where the previous work of the singers was well known. Musical critics for whose favorable notices stars of the first magnitude oftimes strive in vain have given this company of singers such praise as has never before been bestowed in America. There are columns of these notices, all in the same strain.

W. L. Hubbard, one of the best known writers on musical subjects in the West, says in the Chicago Tribune:

"The choir sang remarkably when heard here before but last night its performance was of even higher grade. It was choral singing, such as is rarely found—tonally lovely and pure throughout, technically flawless, diction clear and neat as the finely spoken word would be, and shading and expression beautiful, artistic and musically in every respect. The singers have not only compelled recognition and admiration for themselves and their college, but they have set an artistic standard for choral singing in each place they have visited which organizations coming after them will have to strive to reach."

H. E. Krehbiel says in the New York Tribune: "Exquisitely balanced, fresh and euphonious in quality and trained to a precision equal to that of the Bach Choir, of Bethlehem, we were made to marvel at the ability of the choir, and there was ravishing beauty in an anthem by a modern composer, Lindeman, with its suggestion of bell chimes."

Seats are now on sale at Lambert's drug store, the entire house being reserved and sold at one price—$1.00 plus war tax. With a choir of this size there will be no particular advantage in securing seats near the stage and no one should stay away for fear that the close-up places have been taken. The only danger is that unless reservations are made at once it will be impossible to get into the auditorium at all on the evening of Tuesday, June 21.

EXPECT PICNIC TO BE GREATEST EVER HELD IN SECTION

With Fair Weather Tomorrow's Community Event Should Set Attendance Record.

Tomorrow is the day of the great community picnic for the people of Pennington county. At that time they will foregather from every section for the purpose of enjoying themselves and comparing notes. From present indications the event will draw out the greatest crowd in the history of the county.

Only one change has been found necessary in the program as announced last week. Mayor John Bratrud has been called from the city and will be unable to deliver the address of welcome. In his place City Attorney H. O. Chommie will speak on behalf of the citizens of Thief River Falls. Other speakers are Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Crookston school of agriculture, and M. L. Warner of Warren, organizer for the farm bureau association. Music, games, boating, swimming and everything else necessary to make up a successful picnic will be part of the program.

People from the farming districts are particularly invited to this outing, although all will be made welcome. There will be something for the instruction of the grownups and the amusement of the youngsters. Bring your own lunch and stay all day. Things of interest will be taking place every minute and you can afford to miss none of them. It is advisable to take along something to eat as it would be impossible to undertake the feeding of such a crowd in any other way.

DALQUISTS DISPOSE OF MILLINERY STORE

St. Paul Parties Become Owners of Business in This City, Taking Charge July 1.

Mrs. B. E. Dalquist and Miss Laura Stopple have sold the millinery business conducted by them in this city for ten years and will leave sometime after the first of June with Mr. Dalquist for a trip to the Pacific coast. The purchasers are W. L. Brown and Mrs. Eota Barton of St. Paul. The latter will have personal charge of the business here and as she is a milliner of wide experience in the larger cities of the country she may be expected to add to the high reputation already enjoyed by the establishment. Miss Onata Stopple, who has been associated with her sisters during the past two years, will remain with the new proprietors.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalquist came to the city ten years ago and the latter, together with Miss Laura Stopple, has built up one of the finest businesses of its kind in this section. Their departure from the city at this time does not mean a permanent removal as Mr. and Mrs. Dalquist still retain ownership of the building in which the millinery store is located as well as of their residence at 614 Knight avenue north. Until their return from the West the latter property will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eide, who have leased the place furnished.

The new proprietors will take charge about July 1.

Minnesota Members Want Lumber Put on Free List

The Minnesota delegation in the house arranged to protest Tuesday to President Harding against the reported refusal of the ways and means committee to put lumber on the free list in the new tariff bill. Representative Newton, who headed the group, declared in the Payne-Aldrich fight the Minnesota unit was for free lumber. "The ways and means committee," he said, "has agreed on a retaliatory provision which would make finished lumber subject, as is the case in Canada, to a 25 per cent advalorem duty and in addition has put a tax of $1 per 1,000 feet on logs."

Representative Tawney was the only member from Minnesota voting for the Payne-Aldrich bill.

WILL GO LIMIT IN PRICE SLASH TO GET CROWD

Market Day Offerings in Thief River Falls For Wednesday Creating a Sensation.

Only Impassable Roads Can Prevent This Being Greatest Day in City's History.

Offerings So Varied and Prices So Unusual That Entire Section is Interested.

Nothing in the way of a booster enterprise ever engaging the attention of the people of this section can in any manner compare in interest with the Market Day scheduled for this city next Wednesday. So keenly is this great bargain-giving occasion looked forward to that the merchants staging it are not certain but that they have overreached themselves. It begins to look as if people for long distances around are holding off on certain of their necessary purchases in order to be better enabled to take advantage of the wonderful bargains offered in Thief River Falls on that day. This was a contingency not taken into consideration when the plan was first broached. The business men are game, however, and will stick by their guns. In fact, they seem to have adopted as a sort of slogan: "The more money we are out on this occasion the better we well like it."

The Future Will Repay.

Here is one time when volume of business will prove a detriment instead of an advantage. Prices on merchandise of every description have been cut to such an extent that they represent an actual loss to the merchandiser. This, however, was just what was intended. It was felt that in order to convince the buying public that there is no longer any excuse for holding off in the expectation that costs will go down, it were best that drastic measures be taken at once. There is no denying the fact that many are of the opinion that costs are still far above what they should be and, while they are mistaken, the impression works havoc with business. If this Market Day sacrifice shall have the effect of convincing buyers of their error it will have served the purpose intended and the business men will consider themselves well repaid. It is only another way of assisting a return to normalcy.

Sugar as a Headliner.

Looking about for some one thing upon which they could make a sensational cut—something needed by every family—sugar was hit upon. It was decided to limit the amount of each purchase at the price quoted to 20 pounds to each head of a household, but to place no limit whatever upon the number who might take advantage of the offer. Twenty tons of sugar was therefore secured and will be found all nicely tied up in 20 pound sacks at the Simonson Meat and Grocery company's store on Wednesday. One dollar will buy one of these sacks, providing the buyer has visited the eight other stores whose proprietors are helping stand the loss. It is not necessary that a single thing be bought at these stores. Simply go in and say "hello" to the boss, have him punch a card that will be given out at the first place visited, keep on making the rounds and go get the sugar. The entire proceeding will take only a few minutes. More detailed information will be found in the page advertisement explaining this feature in another part of the paper today.

Means Saving Money.

Coming to Thief River Falls on Market Day—next Wednesday, June 22—means that you will be confronted with hundreds of oppotrunities for saving money. If these interest you—come. You will be made welcome by every business man in the city.

Record Crowd Looked For at Sons of Norway Picnic

Officers of Snore lodge, Sons of Norway, have assurances from every city in this section where lodges of the organization are located that there will be large delegations present for the annual picnic on Sunday. The outing will take place at Squaw Point at the north edge of the city and arrangements are under way for making it the greatest affair of its kind ever held.

Bj. Bjornarna of Wanke, president of Sætesdalslaget and one of the best-known Norwegian-Americans in this section, will speak in the mother tongue of those present, while the English address will be made by City Attorney Hans O. Chommie of Thief River Falls. There will be music and games, boat riding and all kinds of sports. The visitors are asked to bring lunch baskets, although practically everything needful may be secured at booths on the grounds.

A general invitation is extended to everyone to attend this picnic. There will be no admission charge.

Society and Club

Luncheon.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund entertained at a one o'clock luncheon at her apartment in the Brumund hotel on Tuesday.

Loyalty Club Has Picnic.

The Loyalty club, which is composed of the clerical force at Loken Brothers' department store, held their monthly picnic on the banks of the Red river on Monday evening.

Picnic Supper.

The following enjoyed a picnic supper on the banks of Red Lake river on Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Korstad, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biddick.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ecklund ladies' aid of Eric, will hold an auction sale on June 25 at the farm home of Ole Johnson, 4½ miles east and ½ a mile north of Highlanding. The sale will continue throughout the day.

Honoring John Melgaard.

Morris Mabey was host at a delightful party at his home last evening in compliment to John Melgaard who leaves this evening for Annapolis. Dancing and cards were enjoyed until the lunch hour when delicious refreshments were served.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. W. B. Fuller informally entertained a few young ladies at her home Saturday evening in compliment to her sister, Miss Alice Bourque, who arrived Wednesday evening and returned Sunday evening to St. Paul where she is studying vocal music.

Beckman-Tweeten.

Emil Beckman of this city and Miss Ingaborg Tweeten of Oklee, were united in marriage at the bride's home on June 8, with Rev. O. J. Lundell officiating. After a honeymoon trip which will be spent visiting friends at Duluth and other points they will return to Warren where Mr. Beckman is employed at the Spaulding farm.

Haugen-Brandon.

Harold M. Haugen and Miss Anna Brandon, both of Middle River, were united in marriage on June 14 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the Zion Lutheran parsonage in this city, with Rev. Geo. Larson officiating. The witnesses to the ceremony were Oscar Brandon, brother of the bride and Lottie M. Haugen, sister of the groom. Mrs. Haugen is a sister of John Brandon of this city.

Dancing Party.

W. A. Stanchfield was host at a dancing party in honor of Morris Mabey, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. Those having the pleasure of the event were Misses Beatrice Sandum, Eileen Herron, Myrtle Krohn, Anna Leimers, Lulu Cook, Ella Gran, Ruth Kiland, Ella Krohn and Marie Kruse, Morris Mabey, Harold Smithers, John Melgaard, Kermit Anderson, Allan Fossum and W. A. Stanchfield.

Birthday Party.

Honoring her daughter, Harriet, whose 11th birthday anniversary occurred on Saturday, Mrs. W. B. Fuller delightfully entertained 25 little girls at her home in the afternoon. Various games made it pleasant for the young guests after which they partook of delicious refreshments. The color scheme was effectively carried out in pink and white. A large birthday cake with lighted candles formed the centerpiece.

McGrath-Hartje.

Joseph McGarth and Miss Ida Hartje, both of this city, were quietly married on Monday, June 13, by Rev. Father Noesen at the Catholic parsonage. Mr. McGrath is well known to many local people and is employed as representative for the Foreman-Ford Paint company of St. Paul. The bride, whose parents reside on a farm near the city, has spent the past winter in Minneapolis, where she has been employed as milliner. They will make this city their home.

Cummings-O'Morrow.

A wedding which has been kept secret for over a month was announced yesterday. Ray E. Cummings of Mankato, and Miss Bernice E. J. O'Morrow of Norwood, Mich., were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Holmes in this city on May 13. Rev. R. L. Barackman was the officiating clergyman. The couple advanced to the altar to the strains of Lohingren's wedding march played by Miss Beatrice Holmes. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Holmes. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. The decorations throughout the rooms were in pink and white. Mr. Cummings has been professor of schools at Federal Dam for the past four years and will enter the University of Minnesota this fall to complete studies and receive his B. A. degree. Miss O'Morrow has been engaged as teacher at the above named place.

Swanson-Ekstrom.

Alex E. Swanson of St. Hilaire and Miss Cora E. Ekstrom of Wylie, were married at the home of the bride on Wednesday, June 15 by Rev. O. J. Lundell. Over a hundred guests were present at the ceremony after which a sumptuous dinner was served in a large tent. Many beautiful gifts were received. Both bride and groom have grown up in this community and are well known and highly respected. They will make their home on a farm near St. Hilaire.

Granum-Helland.

Announcements have been received by relatives of the mariage of Arthur Granum, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum of this city, and Miss Alta Helland of Gonvick. The wedding occurred on May 31 at Minneapolis where they will make their home. Mr. Granum is employed as salesman for the Western Importing company, but until recent years made his home here with his parents. The *bride is well known to many here as* she has visited her cousin, Miss Gladys Anderson, on several occasions.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haroldson entertained the following at dinner at their home on Sunday on the occasion of the former's birthday anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. Lars Lian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lian and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lian and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edmer Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Erickson and daughters, Luella and Alice, Mrs. Aaland and daughter, Olive, Misses Ragna Lian, Louise Kvall, Hulda Torstveit and Selmer Gangnes.

Entertains.

The first of a series of three parties was given by Mrs. Scott Laird at her home on Monday afternoon. The guests were: Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. E. F. Dolan, Mrs. John Bratrud, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. B. W. Briggs, Mrs. J. O. Yotter, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Mrs. W. J. LaBree, Mrs. H. O. Loken. On Tuesday afternoon the following ladies were entertained: Mrs. F. C. Niclai, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. H. E. Froseth, Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mrs. H. S. Snyder, Mrs. Geo. Loken, Mrs. F. E. Hunt, Mrs. Geo. Biddick and Mrs. T. J. Rowan. Spring flowers made attractive decorations.

Parcel Shower.

Mesdames Scott Laird, Harry Booren and A. S. Sapero, shared honors at a party in the form of a parcel shower given in honor of Mrs. F. C. Niclai at the home of the former on Saturday afternoon. A color scheme of pink and white predominated in the decoration and in the luncheon appointments. The guest list included Mrs. T. A. Way, Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mrs. G. W. Connel, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., Mrs. E. M. Schutt, Mrs. F. H. Herrick, Mrs. R. M. Sheldon, Mrs. Geo. Biddick, Mrs. L. L. Cohn, Mrs. Gay Halvorson and Misses Laura Stopple and Una Nelson.

Completes College Course.

Miss Helen Weeks of this city was one of the honor students of 123 graduates from St. Olaf college last week. Miss Weeks was prominent in many of the exercises of commencement week. After spending the summer with her parents here she will go to Canton, S. D., where she has accepted a position as head of the English and public speaking departments in the Lutheran Normal school at that place.

Etude Music Club.

The Etude Music club held its regular meeting at the home of their instructor, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, at 7:30 Wednesday evening. The following officers were elected for the summer months: Frances Wengler, assitant; Ualma Langseth, president; Ruby Bennes, secretary and treasurer. A committee of three was elected to take charge of entertainment, program and refreshments. After the election of officers a musical program was given by the pupils which included: Polonaise in A (Chopin), by Palma Langseth. Air Fairies (G. Spaulding), by Ruby Ihle. Cecelia Waltz (J. E. Philie), Mrs. C. O. Erickson and Lillian Johnston. The junior and senior divisions then separated for the study period after which a delicious lunch was served.

American Legion Corner

After crushing a poppy he had purchased and then making disloyal remarks, Ralph Altman of Melrose, Minnesota, apologized for the act before members of the American Legion post of Melrose. The apology was accepted.

The Elks Lodge in St. Paul has shown its friendship for St. Paul Legionnaires by inviting the more than one thousand members of St. Paul Post No. 8 to hold their bimonthly meetings in the B. P. O. E. hall instead of in the Old Capitol building, where previous meetings were held. The invitation has been accepted.

New Legion posts have recently been organized in Minnesota at Brook Park, Clarissa, Morgan Park, Duluth, Birchdale and Albany, making a total of 483 Legion posts in the state. In addition, South St. Paul, which gave up its temporary Legion charter last year, is re-organizing; and a post is being established in West St. Paul.

The official U. S. Headstone provided on request by the government for the graves of great war veterans is of American white marble, 40 inches by 2½ inches by 10 inches. Each stone has a 2½ inch circle on the front face, near the top, in which a Maltese Cross or The Star of David is carved, according to the creed of the deceased.

Legion Loses Its Chieftan.

Words fail to express the sorrow with which the Legion and the nation regard the accidental death of Frederick W. Galbraith, Jr., national commander of the American Legion. He was a leader to be proud of, a great fighter, a loyal advocate of the cause of ex-service men, particularly the disabled. Long and affectionately will his memory linger. As a symbol of sorrow the flags and charters of Minnesota's 483 Legion posts will be draped for thirty days. A special tree on the Victory Memorial Drive in Minneapolis was dedicated to his memory June 11. "On fame's eternal camping ground, his silent tent is spread, and glory guards with solemn round, the bivouac of the dead. Nor wreck, nor change, nor winter's blight, shall dim one ray of glory's light, that gilds his deathless tomb."

Regulation blanks on which to apply for U. S. official headstones has been mailed to each Minnesota Legion post. Copy may be secured from Legion Service Bureau, Old Capitol, St. Paul. These stones are supplied for unmarked graves only. They will not be supplied for graves which have already been provided with private headstones.

Weekly News Letter.

The government has promised the American Legion that none save ex-service men will be employed as pilots of Uncle Sam's airplane in the U. S. Postoffice Air Mail service. Instructions to that effect have been issued, and Legion posts are asked to inform eligible air pilots of the above mentioned ruling.

To plant a tree for every war veteran and affix a plate bearing his name and military record, is the suggestion of National Commander Galbraith of the Legion. Four million trees of types recommended by the U. S. Forestry Bureau would be planted along the great national highways. The idea is meeting the approval of the strongest newspapers in the Middle West and has the indorsement of the U. S. Forestry Bureau.

Approximately half a million poppies were placed on sale in Minnesota on the morning of May 28th. So great was the response that practically every poppy was sold by evening. And so half a million Minnesotans paid honor to their loved ones who died that liberty might live, and at the same time helped to provide funds to care for and find work for sick and unemployed buddies temporarily out of work.

Though located many miles from "their boys" who are lying sick or wounded in Twin City or other government hospitals, the women of Minnesota's 217 Legion Auxiliary Units are "adopting" these boys and are helping to cheer them by sending them scores of little personal gifts which assure those who suffer that their sacrifice is not forgotten.

When a Legion representative appeared before the Winona Trades and Labor Assembly last week and explained to the members the real aims and ideals of The Legion, the union men promptly passed a resolution indorsing the latter organization and urging eligible Trades and Labor members to become members of the American Legion.

Seventy-seven signatures, covering several feet of paper, accompanied the application for Auxiliary Unit Charter, when the auxiliary to the American Legion post at Aurora, Minnesota was organized last week. The Auxiliary promises to be several times as big as the Legion post. The latter has 74 paid-up Legionnaires. Practically all of the larger Legion posts in Minnesota have now organized auxiliary units.

The total number of claims of various kinds which the Minnesota Legion Service Bureau, Old Capitol, St. Paul has secured action on since its organization in August, 1919, is 10,843, up to May 31, 1921. The number of claims received during May totaled 785. Claims include everything from travel pay, back pay, death claims, $60 federal bonus, to compensation claims, insurance reinstatements, vocational training, etc.

In 1921, Legionnaires of Minnesota more than tripled their 1920 contribution to the Legion Overseas Grave Decoration fund. The National organization had pledged itself to decorate the grave of every American soldier sleeping in foreign soil. Minnesota's 482 Legion posts remitted $1,800, to help accomplish this sacred task.

Eastern Financiers Raise 25 Millions For Stockmen

J. P. Morgan and other eastern financiers have agreed to raise $25,000,000 as half of a pool for making loans to the livestock industry, it is stated at the treasury. The other $25,000,000, it was said, will be raised by western bankers.

Farmers Take Notice!

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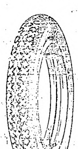

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JAMES ROGERS in the Cleveland Plain Dealer, May 4th, 1920.

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Your Choice Market Day.
Any Suit marked regular at $60.00 at only
$47.50

"Kirshbaum" Clothes
"Curlee" Clothes
and many other makes.

$40 Suits at	$29.75	$30.00 Suits, at	$22.75
$35.00 Suits, at	$28.50	$25.00 Suits, at	$18.75

Men's Fine Dress Shirts
Our entire line of fine dress shirts all on salt at below prices:

$1.50 Dress Shirts, only	95c	$3.50 Dress Shirts, only	$2.50
$2.00 Dress Shirts, only	$1.35	$4.00 Dress Shirts, only	$2.95
$2.50 Dress Shirts, only	$1.95	$4.50 Dress Shirts, only	$3.35
$3.00 Dress Shirts, only	$2.25	$5.00 Dress Shirts, only	$3.65

MEN'S SILK SHIRTS — $5.95

For Market Day

Caps
All our fine men's Caps at reduced prices:

$1.50 Caps, now	95c
$2.00 Caps, now	$1.45
$2.50 Caps, now	$1.95
$3.00 Caps, now	$2.25
$3.50 Caps, now	$2.66
$4.00 Caps, now	$2.95
$5.00 Caps, now	$3.45

Hats
"Patterson" "Shable" and "Dunlap" Hats are at Special Prices:

$5.00 Hats, now	$3.95
$6.00 Hats, now	$4.75
$7.00 Hats, now	$5.25
$8.00 Hats, now	$5.95

Shoes Shoes
Our entire line of men's Shoes are on Sale Market Day

$4.00 Shoes	$3.35	$7.50 Shoes	$6.35
$5.00 Shoes	$3.95	$9.00 Shoes	$6.95
$6.00 Shoes	$5.75	$10.00 Shoes	$7.75
$12.00 Shoes	$9.50		

ALL OTHER SHOES AT 15% OFF
All Boys' Shoes 20% Off

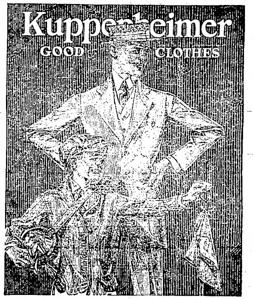

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HAVE you learned to enjoy the comfort and satisfaction of a Kuppenheimer good appearance—the lasting satisfaction that comes from skilled workmanship, master designing and selected all-wool fabrics.

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Splendid suits just arrived—see them in our window displays

Cool, breeze-sifted two piece Air-O-Weaves for hot-weather wear

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THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
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—the house of Kuppenheimer good clothes

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Your Choice of Any *Men's Suits*
Price regularly at $50.00
Market Day at only
$33.33

Rain Coats and Top Coats
All of our fine men's Rain Coats and Top Coats made of Gabardine, Suede, Tweed and lined in silk, and also rubber, very well tailored. These coats are all of the very best manufacture.

$10.00 Coats	$7.75	$20.00 Coats	$14.95
$12.50 Coats	$9.95	$25.00 Coats	$19.75
$15.00 Coats	$11.75	$27.50 Coats	$21.50
$18.00 Coats	$13.75	$30.00 Coats	$24.75
$40.00 Coats	$29.50		

"Lee" Unionalls
We carry a complete line of sizes in Unionalls for men and boys—some for women:

$1.50 Boys' Suits	$1.25
$2.00 Boys' Suits	$1.65
$4.00 Men's Suits	$2.95

All Men's Neckties on Sale as follows:

50c Ties	39c
75c Ties	49c
$1.00 Ties	75c
$1.50 Ties	$1.15
$2.00 Ties	$1.35
$2.50 Ties	$1.85
$3.00 Ties	$2.25

WASH TIES
35c Wash Ties — 27c
4 for $1.00
Extra fancy Silk "Cheney" Wash Ties 65c

Men's Hosiery
All men's fancy Hosiery at reduced prices.

25c Sox	19c
35c Sox	27c
40c Sox	30c
50c Sox	39c
75c Silk Sox	59c
$1.00 Silk Sox	85c
$1.50 Silk Sox	$1.15

Boys' Suits
All boys' Suits now on sale at reduced prices
20% OFF on any boys' suit in the store
All wash suits at 25% OFF from regular selling price

BELTS

50c Belts	37c
75c Belts	45c
$1.00 Belts	75c
$1.50 Belts	75c

ONE LOT
Boys' Stockings
19c per pair
Sizes 6 to 9½

SUSPENDERS

75c Suspenders	50c
85c Suspenders	65c
$1.00 Suspenders	75c
$1.50 Silk Susp.	$1.15

Store Hours Daily: 8:30 ~~a. m.~~ to 6 p. m.
Saturdays: 8:30 a. m. to 10 p. m.

This our 8th Anniversary Sale will make it pay you big to travel a hundred miles or more to attend, this Thief River Falls Greatest Annual Sale. Remember the banner days of this Big Sale will be as follows: June 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25.

LOKEN BROTHERS

This Sale Opens on Saturday, June 18th, at 9 A.M.

This Sale opens on Saturday, June 18th at 9 a. m. Be sure and read our other half page ad for additional bargains for Market Day only. *JUNE 22*

EIGHTH ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY SALE

Our complete stock of high grade Sweaters, values $2.95 to $10.00. Come, take your choice at	**Half Price**
Nemo and Warner Corsets, values to $10. Your choice. Large sizes only	**1.95**
Children's black cotton Hose, Our 29c kind, at pair	**15c**
Women's White Mercerized 75c Hose. This sale at pair	**39c**
Children's 50c Hose At pair	**25c**
Women's Silk Gloves, $1.65 values. This Sale	99c
Women Silk Stockings. A wonder value, at pair	**98c**
Women's White Silk Gloves $1.00 values	**79c**

CHILDREN'S CUTE HALF HOSE
Special for this sale

50c values will go at, pair	35c
65c values will go at, pair	50c

Entire stock of Muslin Underwear now selling at ------ **66c ON THE DOLLAR**

1847 Rogers Bros. and Community 50 Yr. Silverware

Loken Brothers' 8th Anniversary Sale Prices

All the new 1921 patterns included. The Ambassador, Grosvenor, Patrician, Adam, Cromwell and Old Colony.

Tea Spoons per set of 6, Sale price	$2.95
Dessert Spoons per set of 6, Sale price	$5.65
Coffee Spoons per set of 6, Sale price	$2.95
Butter Spreaders, Set of six	$4.95
Medium Soup Spoons, Set of six	$5.95
Salad Forks, Set of six	$5.65
Olive Spoons, Each	$1.35
Meat Forks, Each	$1.69
Berry Spoons, Each	$2.68
Sugar Shells, Each	$1.00
Pickle Forks, Each	$1.25
Butter Knife, Each	$1.00
Set of 6 Knives, solid handle, and 6 flat Forks Per set	$9.95
Set of 6 medium hollow handle Knives, and 6 medium flat handle Forks, Our finest set and worth $25.00, on this sale for, per set	$15.00

Women's, Misses and Children's Ready-to-Wear Will Be Sold at the Lowest Prices Named in Fourteen Years

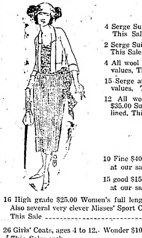

Ladies' Spring and Summer Suits

4 Serge Suits, $15.00 values, This Sale	$5.95
2 Serge Suits, $15.00 values, This Sale	$9.95
4 All wool Jersey Suits, $18.50 values, This Sale	$12.50
15 Serge and Tweed Suits, $25.00 values, This Sale	$15.00
12 All wool Tricotine and Men's-Wear Serge $35.00 Suits, all full fancy silk lined. This Sale	$19.95
9 All wool Tricotine Suits, fancy silk lined. Wonderful $40.00 Suits, This Sale	$24.95
14 Fine $50.00 all wool Tricotine Suits, full fancy silk lined. This Sale	$29.95
10 Beautiful Reeds fine Tricotine Suits, Silk Satin lined, $65.00 values, This Sale	$39.95
8 Wonderful tailored Suits, very best, highest grade $85.00 garments. This Sale	$49.95

Women's Fine New Coats

10 Fine $40.00 Coats. A great snap at our sale price of	$24.95
15 good $15.00 Coats. A wonder value, at our sale price of	$9.95
8 Good $18.50 Coats, specially good styles, at our sale price of	$12.50
7 Girls' grey tweed Coats, full length. A great value at this sale, Each	$5.95
16 High grade $25.00 Women's full length and full silk lined; Also several very clever Misses' Sport Coats This Sale	$15.00
26 Girls' Coats, ages 4 to 12. Wonder $10.00 coats This Sale, each	$6.95
15 High grade Plaid and Plain Skirts, values $10.00, $12.50, $15.00, $16.50 and $18.50. Take your choice at	HALF
Think of it—$10.50 skirts for $5.00 and $18.50 skirts for	$9.25

Why not buy two skirts when you can get two for the price of ONE

59 Ladies' high grade Waists and Blouses. Values up to $17.50. Choice	$5.95
75 Waists: Georgettes, Voiles, Organdies, Dimities; values up to $5.95. Come, take your choice at this wonderful value at, choice	99c
Dresses, big lot values up to $38.50. A kinds, sizes, styles, etc. A real sale at each	$15.00
Another lot of our finest Dresses up to $65.00. Values this Sale, choice each	$24.95
15 Silk Dresses—Special this Sale, each	$5.00
25 Cotton Crepe Kimonas, values $2.50 to $5.95. Your choice at just	HALF PRICE
13 Rain Coat. $3.50 to $6.00 values at just	HALF PRICE
24 Percale House Dresses, $2.00 and $3.00 values	98c

Our entire stock of high grade ready-to-wear will be included on this our Eighth Anniversary Sale. The bargains offered will be the most unusual values ever placed on sale by us. We know that you will be surprised and more than pleased. Remember the dates of this our Greatest Sale, and remember that Loken Brothers' Guarantee Goes with Every Sale.

Dry Goods Bargains Galore

200 yards of pure Silk Tricolettes in the high vivid shades. This Sale, yard	$1.35
50 yards of Silk Pongee, natural color. A value never before offered by us. This Sale, yard	95c
36 in. Silk Poplins, in several shades at yard	95c
Yard wide Changeable Taffetas. This Sale, yard	$1.39
$5.00 year-ago-Cheney Bros. shower-proof Foulards, yd.	$1.98
Skinner's 40 in. Satin and Taffetas The best guaranteed silks on the market, this sale,	$1.95
Flowered Georgettes, last year's $5.00 Silk. This Sale at	$1.69
35c flowered Hairbow Ribbons, 5 to 6 in. wide. Over one hundred patterns to choose from at yard	19c
The greatest silk value in 14 years. A direct mill shipment of 40 in. Crepe De Chenes, Georgettes and 36 in. Taffetas, Messalines, Satins, Plaids and Stripes, at yard	$1.00
40 inch Wool Tricotine. This sale yard	$1.89
50 inch Storm Serge. This sale yard	$1.39
59 inch Plaid Skirtings, values to $7.50. This sale yard	$3.95
40 in. new Voiles, 65c values. This sale at yard	25c

A Clearance Sale with prices that will move this stock quick.

Specially low prices on Curtain goods and Draperies.

Curtain goods, Cretones and Draperies. Values to 65c This sale at yd.	39c
$1.00 and 85c Cretones and curtain goods. A beautiful line of patterns to choose from. This sale, yard	69c
$5.00 Lace Curtains for this sale at per pair	$2.95
$2.00 Terry Cloth, heavy draperies, several patterns, this sale, yard	85c
J. P. Coats' Mercerized Crochet Cotton. Sizes 25 white; 40, 50, 60 Ecru, at per ball	10c
$2.50 value in 50 inch finest quality fish net Curtaining. This sale only at yard	$1.95
Madras fine Draperies, last year $2.00 per yd. This sale	85c
CRETONES: A lovely line of dainty patterns 65c values. This sale at yard	39c

8TH ANNIVERSARY Shoe Bargains

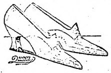

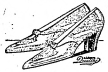

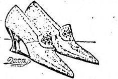

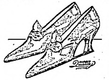

Here Is Where Queen Quality SHOES You Can Save

Ladies' Patent Leather Oxfords, Louis heel, at	$1.98
Ladies' Canvas Pumps, Louis heel. A snap at	$1.38
Misses' and Children's Canvas Shoes and Oxfords	1.45
Ladies' Canvas Shoes, military heel. Some with rubber heels. A good grade at	1.98
Ladies' 9 inch Patent Leather Boots, Covered Louis Heel	3.95
30 pairs of Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords for quick Clearance, at a pair	1.98
Ladies Martha Washington style House Slippers, at	2.95
Ladies' 9 inch Boots, black and brown, Kid Louis Heel. Worth twice what we ask for them at only	3.95
One lot of Ladies' black and brown Kid and Patent Leather Pumps and Ties Own Quarterly	3.95
Ladies one-strap good grade Kid, low heel House Slippers at	2.95
Ladies' brown kid 2-strap Pumps, Cuban Heel, Welt Sole. Special at	5.50
Growing Girls' brown calfshkin 2-strap Pumps, flat heel. A special at	4.50
Ladies' black kid one-strap Pump, military Heel, Welt Sole. Special at	5.50
Children's Shoes in Kid, Gunmetal and Patent Leather. Sizes 8½ to 11. Only	1.98
Same as above, size 11½ to 2, only	2.45
Boys' Rattler Tennis Shoes, brown leather trim. Sizes 2½ to 6, only	1.98

A SCOOTER FREE
With Each Pair of Children's Shoes sold during this sale.

EDDY'S White Canvas Cleaner, 15c size	10c
Try a bottle of 2-Drop Corn Remedy. It will get your corn sure. Price	35c
One lot Infant's soft sole Shoes, size 0 and 1, at	25c

Bargains the Basement Offers You

Heavy Galvanized TUBS
Size 2. A regular $1.65 value offered at this price **89c**

See the Dry Goods Prices

Screw Drivers, 60 of them, at given away prices, each	5c
Electric Light Shades in Cretonne. Special	10c
Garden Sprinklers. Go after the bugs	99c
Milk Cans, 14 and 20 qt. No bargain like this.	69c
PERCALES—36 in. In all the new light and dark patterns. A standard cloth for this sale price, yd.	15c
BLEACHED MUSLIN, 36 in. You should see this bargain	15c
9-4 SHEETING—Bleached; a snow white cloth at this special price, yd.	39c
FANCY GINGHAMS—27 in. The better grade for ladies' summer frocks. Very stunning patterns, yd.	19c
Gingham Effects 25 in. In Checks and Plaids. A wonderful cloth for Children's Dresses, and in so many pretty patterns. Sale price	yd. 9c
9-4 UNBLEACHED SHEETING—A very fine cloth. A special reduction	39c
UNBLEACHED MUSLIN—36 in. A better muslin for less money, yd.	15c
LADIES' HOSE—A hose for every day; no such hose for this price	12½c
CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS—For summer wear and a look at this price, pr.	10c

Galvanic Soap
The leading laundry Soap. Better buy a box at this exceptionally low price.

20 Bars	$1.00
100 Bars	$4.69
Men's Overalls 220 Denim	$1.19
Men's Hose white and black	15c
Men's Summer Underwear. Look at this wonder bargain	59c
Men's Dress Shirts, in many good patterns	99c

THESE EXCEPTIONAL OFFERS COME BUT ONCE A YEAR

42 PIECE SET DINNER WARE—In Blue, Pink and Gold patterns. Per set	SET 8.98
Jelly Glasses Just what you will want for canning season. 1 dozen	55c
GLASS TUMBLERS 3 styles. Get a dozen at this bargain each	5c
32 PIECE SET DINNER WARE—White and White and Ivory day set. Per set	SET 4.95
25 RAG RUGS—Size 26x48. A wanted rug at the right time. Some value at	99c
NICKEL PLATED WATCHES—Guaranteed a perfect time-keeper for 1 year. Can you beat this bargain, each	1.19

Star Cut Glass Ware
Sherberts
Tumblers
Goblets
Ice Teas
Water Sets

There is no comparison to these prices. They stand out alone.

Turkish Towels	Huck Toweling	White Outing Flannel	Sateens	Shirtings	Men's Work Shirts	Ladies' Gauze Vests	Ladies' Handkerchiefs	Chamois
A good size at a bargain	by the yard. 18 in. A big snap, only	27 in. A special grade	Flowered and plain. Ask to see this special	Extra wide and good patterns	Made large, strong and roomy	only	Another big bargain	Made for cleaning autos A reg. $1.75 value
25c	13½c	15c	38c	19c	79c	19c	4c	85c

ALUMINUM PERCOLATORS 7 Cup. The only way to make good coffee	$1.69
GALVANIZED PAILS 12 quart. The non-rust kind and heavy weight, at only	35c
Aluminum Sauce Pan 6 qt. Reg. $1.25	69c
Aluminum Double Boiler Reg. $1.95 Special	99c
A SPECIAL BROOM—A good quality. The kind that sells for $1.00	49c
GRANITE WARE ASSORTMENT—Kettles as large as 8 qt., this assortment	29c

Ladies' Corsets Special for this sale	99c
A SALE ON GIRLS' DRESSES and APRONS—One lot, size 4 to 10. The biggest snap of the season	69c
LADIES' APRONS—In dark and light patterns. Just the thing about the house, and so cheap	69c

Coat's Thread	O. N. T.	Silk Thread	Coat's Crochet Thread	S-I-L-K-O	Rubber Pants
Black and white, all sizes	Crochet Thread	A Special	mercerized	mercerized thread	for the baby
5c	10c	5c	11c	7c	39c

Palm Olive Soap
The biggest seller today. You can't afford to pass this bargain up
7 Bars . . 49c

Fancy Chine Water Pitchers. Just the right size for the table, at	79c
Serving trays. A summer item for the household. Look at this price	$1.79

Cedar Oil
A 4 oz. bottle, regular 35c. You will need this to polish up the furniture at such a reduction
Bottle . . 10c

Alarm Clocks The Early Riser kind	$1.39
TOILET PAPER SALE—The Jumbo size roll 8 oz. For Saturday only. 4 big rolls	25c
FANCY BOX STATIONERY—A real lawn finish and all the pretty shades. Reg. 65c seller—Special	29c

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A ROAD TO THE LAKE.

There is no possibility of a road being constructed directly eastward from the Pennington county line through the Red Lake Indian reservation to the lakes. This was explained to the large delegation of Thief River Falls, Goodridge and Grygla people who visited the lakes last Sunday. The reason given for the unwillingness on the part of the department to sanction such plan are sound and reasonable and there is no longer anything to be gained by keeping up the agitation.

Indian Agent W. R. Cross would personally like to see such road built, but explains that there are no Indians living in or near the section the proposed highway would traverse. Nor will any of them take allotments there until the drainage program now under contemplation has been put through. The region is swampy and *will not be in demand unless drained,* until the higher land to the south has been taken up.

Mr. Cross stated, however, that he would greatly favor the building of a piece of road to the lake from the ridge running south from Thorhult. If this were done a very good highway would connect the western country with the lake, but a short detour would be necessary. Mr. Cross was very doubtful if there would be any demand on the part of the Indians for even this piece of road for the reason that it would be used by them but little—at least for some time to come. As a consequence any appropriation for its construction would be a difficult matter. He suggested, however, a plan by which the highway might be constructed. It is that a holding corporation or company lease from the Indians the peninsula jutting into the lake from the western shore and convert it into a summer resort. Building plots on this leased land could in turn be sublet to individuals at a price somewhat in advance of that paid the Indians and the money thus provided put into the building of the proposed road. Mr. Cross is of the opinion that there would be no difficulty in securing the department's sanction to a proposition of that kind.

The peninsula would make an ideal summer resort. It is beautifully wooded and the beach is perhaps the finest on the entire lake. Lumber for cottages could be procured at the mill on the reservation and very little in the way of construction essentials would have to be freighted from the outside. The Indians would be glad to have a summer colony at this point, according to Mr. Cross, and it is not likely that there would be any objection on the part of the department.

If the people of the Red River valley became sufficiently interested this plan could be put across without any trouble. Unless something of the kind is decided upon it is likely that the finest resort site in Minnesota will remain just as it is today.

There is no disposition on the part of anyone to drop this road agitation. The only change in the proceedings is that from now on there will be something definite to work on. A committee already is mapping out a proposition to be submitted to the people of the valley and the matter will be gone at intelligently and with enthusiasm. There are enough people in this section who would be only too glad to pay a reasonable sum for a summer cottage site on this lake to provide the comparatively small sum necessary to construct the road from the ridge to the narrows. That is all necessary in order to make the playground easily accessible to every person who enjoys life in the wilderness for a short time during the summer.

A BARGAIN OPPORTUNITY.

Unless it should so happen that there is a downpour next Wednesday, the date will long be remembered by the people of this section. It will be the occasion of the first Market Day in the series scheduled to extend over a period of six months and it has been decided that it shall have the proper setting for the forerunner of an enterprise of such far-reaching importance.

As will be seen by the advertisements appearing in this issue of The Times, practically every business house in Thief River Falls is offering some special bargain, while many of them are presenting a whole series of unusual inducements. Never in the history of the state has such general price-cutting campaign been launched and never have the business men of any community gone at the matter in such whole-hearted fashion.

It is an indisputable fact that the seller will be the looser on this particular occasion. He expects to loose at least a little and hopes to loose a whole lot. He is willing to pay a premium for having folks come to the city and find out just how completely and at what reasonable prices their wants can be supplied. Stocks were never more attractive and if anyone is under the impression that this Market Day is launched for the purpose of aiding the merchants in getting rid of a lot of out-of-date merchandise, he has another guess coming. The goods offered are of the most desirable character nad the fact that they will be sold at prices ridiculously low is no reflection on their quality. It has simply been decided to start things back toward normalcy by making a sensational bid for the public's good will.

Every merchant in a city the size of Thief River Falls realizes that a large share of the business that should be coming his way goes to St. Paul, Chicago and other large cities. He also knows that it is often impossible for people residing in the country to secure just what they need at the smaller stores in their immediate neighborhood. It is not for the purpose of cutting in on the business that legitimately belongs to these country merchants that this sale is being held. But the money that goes out of the section entirely is of no more value to this latter class than to the merchant in the neighboring large town. In fact, if the end sought in this campaign is achieved it will prove of as great benefit indirectly to the man doing business at the cross roads as to the Thief River Falls merchant. It will demonstrate to the buying public that sending far away for goods is a waste of money and the home storekeeper will be the gainer as well as his neighbor located in Thief River Falls.

When all is said and done, however, it is bargains the people are looking forward to at this time. These are being offered by Thief River Falls merchants on this first Market Day and will be continued on each succeeding Market Day for six months at least.

Read every advertisement in The Times today. They present the money-saving opportunities all have been looking for.

Closing a most garbled and mendacious report of the ball game played here last week between the Warren team and local nine, the Warren Sheaf says: "Following the activities at the Pennington county fair grounds, the Warrenites got up a slumming party and visited the roller rink, where a dance was in progress. Several business and professional men, with their wives from Warren, also joined the party but were forced to embark for home early because of the roughness of the place." Bless their innocent hearts. It so happened that the Warrenites were in the city on a particularly quiet day and selected one of our most peaceful and orderly places for their visit after the game. We had intended staging a murder, bank robbery and abduction for their special benefit, such things being of common occurrance here, but they acted so peevish over the outcome of the game that it was decided to let them shift for themselves. As a consequence they lost seeing something really worth while.

Persons residing within a hundred miles of Thief River Falls should so arrange their affairs as to be able to spend the greater part of next week in the city. Tuesday evening the wonderful St. Olaf College choir comes for a concert at the auditorium; Wednesday is Market Day; Thursday our first circus of the season will be here.

OBSERVATIONS.

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

The B. V. D. weather has finally arrived.

There's one nice thing about planting string beans. If the frost gets them you haven't missed much.

Once upon a time there was a Baudette citizen who didn't have the idea that he could run the village better than the council.

There has been many a slip between the cup and the lip in the days of old, but it is so scarce that people are more careful now.

There is nothing like a little humor, even in official notices. Ferinstance, a city has this sign on the outskirts: "Drive slowly and view our city. Drive fast and view our jail."

Judging from the number of divorces we take it that a lot of couples think marriage would be all right if it didn't last so darn long.

The average picnic at the lake would be all right if the mosquitoes didn't get the idea that it was their picnic.

Crude oil is down to $1.25 a barrel, which is no doubt the reason we are still paying 30 cents a gallon for gasoline.

Conducting the affairs of Baudette wouldn't be so difficult for the council if there were no expenses.

We heard of a bottle of home brew saving a man's life the other day. His wife poured it in the sink.

Subscribe for The Times and keep posted on all neighborhood news.

THIS MAN DREADED TO SEE NIGHT COME

Was So Restless He Couldn't Sleep and Daylight Was Always Welcome.

"With the exception of a little milk toast, which comprised my diet for more than eight weeks, I could not eat anything," said Capt. Geo. W. Womble, residing at 105 Jennings St., Knoxville, Tenn., a highly respected citizen of that city.

"I am now able," continued Captain Womble, "after taking two bottles of Tanlac, to eat practically anything. I had a bad form of stomach and intestinal trouble for a long time and for months my condition had been such that I suffered agony. I got so I could not eat the simplest food. I tried doctor after doctor and all kinds of medicine but nothing that was prescribed for me seemed to do me any good. I had a terrible pain in my breast just over my heart and for weeks and weeks I got no relief.

"I finally got so nervous that I actually dreaded to see night come as I could not sleep and was always so restless that I would rejoice to see daylight come. I was also constipated all of the time. In fact, life seemed a burden and I was so miserable that I was almost on the verge of despair. Several of my neighbors told me about Tanlac and advised me to try it.

"*I am personally acquainted with* Mr. Dan M. Chambliss, of the firm of Kuhlman & Chambliss, and when I told him of my condition and how I suffered he advised me to begin taking Tanlac without delay and that it had relieved hundreds of the best people in Knoxville. I have now taken two bottles of Tanlac and am giving you this testimonial in the hope that it may induce others to take it. Since taking this medicine I actually feel like I had been made all over again with the youth, energy and ambition of a sixteen year old boy."—advertisement.

Ice Cream Cones and Cut Rates Twin Attractions

Manager Brumund of the Lyceum gave a special matinee for the children on Friday afternoon. He placed the admission charge at six cents and gave every youngster attending an ice cream cone. The house was packed to the doors but it was not a very profitable performance. The cones cost about five cents each, which does not leave much for film rent, power, lights, help, etc. It proved a most enjoyable occasion for the kids, however, and as this was the only result sought in making the unusual offer it must be accounted a great success.

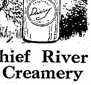

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Our aim to serve our customers with milk and cream as clean, pure and rich as it is possible to get, finds its reward in the verdict of the discriminating hundreds who pronounce our dairy products the best they have ever known. You have tried the rest; now try the best.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Fill your wants with a Times Want Ad.

Dr. A. J. Klimek
Eye Specialist
Registered Optometrist

Makes regular visits here on the last day of each month. Office at the Hotel Evelyn. He guarantees glasses that will fit. Nervous and complicated cases especially invited. Home address: Warroad, Minn.

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"Here comes the bride," but what about the groom; nobody gives him much thought. But we have. He'll find everything to wear here that he needs for the occasion. The prices are in his favor, too.

These prices are way down

Hart Schaffner & Marx dress clothes; the finest qualities that money can buy

$50

A blue serge special $39.50

Hot weather suit special $17.45

LIEBERMAN BROS.
Outfitters for June Weddings.

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LAIRD'S

Clearance Sale of Millinery

Beginning Market Day, Wednesday, June 22 and Continuing Until July 1

Having sold our millinery business in Thief River Falls, we will place the present stock of Hats on sale at a GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICE

All Hats at Bargain Prices

Come in and get the latest and best at prices that are lower than any ever before quoted in this city.

Dalquist Millinery

TOO LATE

Death only a matter of short time. Don't wait until pains and aches become incurable diseases. Avoid painful consequences by taking

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—the National Remedy of Holland since 1696. Guaranteed. Three sizes, all druggists. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

City News

Mrs. S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Geo. W. Walker returned this evening from a trip to Minneapolis on business.

Miss Myrtle Lufkin visited with relatives at Holt between trains on Saturday.

Miss Lottie Austin left Tuesday for Fosston to visit with her mother for a week.

Miss Thelma Christianson left Friday for Grygla to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Hazel Paulson left Friday for Greenbush to visit her aunt for two or three weeks.

Mrs. S. C. Hodkins of Chicago is a guest at the home of her niece, Mrs. H. W. Protzeller.

M. Larson of St. Peter, this state, is here as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Sundahl.

Mrs. Emil Olson leaves this evening for a visit with relatives in the southern part of the state.

Miss Anna Mellem left Friday for Winona, where she has accepted a position as clerk in a store.

George Newberry, who has been farming in Montana, is in the city visiting friends and relatives.

Perry Johnson left Saturday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend the state Guernsey sale.

If interested in hardware bargains, read the announcement of Hall Bros. Co. in this issue.—advertisement. j16

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Dahl were guests of friends at Crookston over Sunday. They made the trip in their car.

Miss Belle Hermanson and Miss Anna Aspelund, employed at Supero's store, are enjoying a month's vacation.

Miss Pearl Shetler and Miss Grace Stakke left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit friends for a week.

Miss Tillie Melby arrived Saturday morning from Minot, N. D., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Wilhelm Michelet.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant and Mrs. H. E. Froseth left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis for a visit with relatives.

Miss Carrie Ostenson and Miss Nora Wahl went to Fargo Tuesday afternoon to be employed during the summer.

Adolph Burtness returned to his home at Holt on Saturday after visiting his father, K. O. Burtness, for two days.

Miss Lois Struble, a member of the class of '21, left Saturday afternoon for Moorhead to attend summer school.

Miss Mabel Sathre returned to her home at St. Hilaire on Saturday after a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. M. N. Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Olson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom, motored to Crookston on Sunday to visit friends.

Mrs. H. Hermanson left Friday afternoon for Halstad, where she was called because of the serious illness of her aged mother.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son, Raymond, Jr., of Oslo, are spending the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick.

Mrs. J. Englebert and children of Bronson were guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown, over Sunday.

Misses Anna Knutson and Gunhild Greibrock left Saturday afternoon for Maple Lake to spend a few days visiting the latter's sister.

Earl Baker, who is a student at Dunwoody Institute, arrived Friday morning for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker.

Rufus Barackman, who has been attending Macalester college at Minneapolis, returned Friday morning to remain during the summer.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson, who has been attending Hamline university, arrived home Friday morning to remain during the summer vacation.

Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., and sons, Bruce and Jarvis, are spending the week as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hay at Minneapolis.

Miss Ingeborg Dale, who had spent a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse, left Friday morning on her return to McIntosh.

Miss Mary Poston arrived Monday morning from St. Paul, where she is a student at Hamline university, and will spend the summer at her home.

Miss Thelma Morck, who had spent a few days visiting her parents at Holt, left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Rank, who had spent two weeks visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson, left Thursday evening on their return to Dysart.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich returned Friday afternoon from Greenbush and Strathcona, where she had spoken at the annual meetings of the women's clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes and daughter, Esther, are enjoying a ten days' outing at Union Lake. They left for that place Sunday morning by car.

Mrs. A. Engen and daughter, Miss Mildred, left Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where they will spend a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

R. J. Halvorsen went to Fergus Falls on Saturday to attend the wedding of a brother and also to spend a short time visiting his mother and other relatives.

Miss Esther Sundahl returned the latter part of last week from Bronson, where she has been teaching school. She will spend the summer at her home here.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela left Thursday afternoon for Crookston, where she will spend the summer with her daughter, Miss Grace, who is employed by the Crookston Times.

Mrs. K. K. Austin returned Friday morning from Crookston, where she had spent a week visiting friends. She left for her home at Highlanding in the afternoon.

When in Bemidji stop at the Third Street cafe. 25 new rooms in connection. The Hub of the business district. Third Street Cafe, Bemidji, Minn.—Advertisement. j16

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sundahl and family of Opheim, Mont., motored to this city last week and are guests at the home of the former's brother, K. A. Sundahl, and family.

Elmer Tandberg and sister, Miss Agnes, both students at St. Olaf college, Northfield, returned to their home here Wednesday morning to spend the vacation period.

Miss Gladys Hagen, who has been attending the university at Grand Forks, arrived Saturday and will remain for two months with her foster mother, Mrs. K. O. Burtness.

Mrs. Nina Olson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Friday.

Ambrose Zeh, who is employed in a bank at Minot, N. D., is here on a visit with his father, Phil Zeh.

Miss Marguerite Ober, who had spent a week on the Lake of the Woods, returned to this city the first of the week. She left last evening for her home in Minneapolis to remain during the summer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thorstad and Miss Florence, her daughter, returned on Saturday to their home at Lockhart after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Thief River Falls and vicinity.

Miss Doris Cates, who has been attending school at Stillwater, was a guest of friends here Thursday enroute to Rollis, where she will spend the summer with her aunt, Mrs. Prunella Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bauer of Jamestown, N. D., and Mr. and Mrs. B. Bauer of Oacoma, S. D., arrived by car Wednesday for a visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. C. C. Schuster, and mother, Mrs. Bauer, who makes her home with the latter. They were accompanied by Otto Bohn, who is also a guest at the Schuster home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Weatherhead and son of Ada were in the city last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick, making the trip in their car. Mrs. Herrick and Mrs. Weatherhead are sisters.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, spent Monday in the city calling on friends. On Monday evening he made an address at the banquet given for the bankers who were in attendance at the convention.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer, who visited at East Grand Forks with her parents for a week, returned Monday morning. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Josephine, who will be her guest for an indefinite period.

Mrs. John Ward and two children, Margerie and Jack, left Friday evening on a two weeks' vacation to be spent in visiting with relatives in the Twin Cities and points in the southern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson and family of Greenbush motored through this city on Monday enroute to Fargo and other points, where they will visit relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cospain and two children of Moorhead were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw on Monday. Mr. Cospain came here to attend the bankers' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Rierson, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson and children, Mrs. E. Aspelund and Miss Anna Aspelund motored to Crookston on Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

Chris Halvorson, watchmaker at Neset's, left the first of the week for Lake Minnetonka, where he will visit for a time with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hendl, who have a summer cottage at the lake.

Mayor John Bratrud left Sunday evening for Winona to attend the annual meeting of the League of Minnesota Municipalities. From that point he will go to Iowa to attend to matters of business before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Abbott of Grygla motored to this city on Tuesday and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown. They were accompanied by Miss Margaret Brown, who will spend an indefinite period visiting at the home of her brother.

A. M. Senstad, employed as fireman on the Soo out of here, left on Tuesday for Bemidji, from where he will take a canoe trip on the Mississippi to his former home at LaCrosse, Wis. He expects to be gone for two months.

Miss Martha Tanem, who is employed at Fort Francis, arrived Saturday and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Tanem, until Tuesday.

Herman Bischoff, who has been attending the school for the blind at Faribault, returned Saturday evening and will spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Miss Teresa Giefer leaves this evening for Minneapolis and Wisconsin Rapids to visit with friends and relatives. At Wisconsin Rapids she will be the guest of Mrs. Joe Perdzock, formerly Miss Mary Werstlein of this city.

William Paskewitz of Grygla, a member of the Red Lake Conservancy commission, was in the city yesterday, stopping over on his way from Warren where he had been attending a drainage meeting in which the people of his neighborhood are interested.

Miss Leona Bourque arrived the latter part of last week from Fordville, where she has been doing professional work, and will spend some time visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lundgren and Mrs. Wm. Stephens, a sister of Mrs. Lundgren, autoed to Warren last Saturday afternoon, returning in the evening.

F. E. Weiland, formerly a resident of this city, came up from Wisconsin on Saturday to look after business matters. His concern, the Northwestern Drainage company, now has contracts in a number of northern states and has extended its activities as far south as Arkansas.

Next to Lyceum Theatre. A Square Deal to All.

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Pocket Billiards, complete line of cigars, cigarettes, tobaccos, etc.

Soft drinks of all kinds. Headquarters for the Traveling Public.

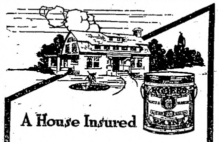

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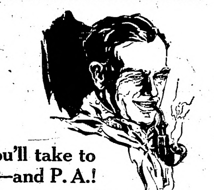

Me-o-my, how you'll take to a pipe—and P. A.!

Before you're a day older you want to let the idea slip under your hat that this is the open season to start something with a joy'us jimmy pipe—and some Prince Albert!

Because, a pipe packed with Prince Albert satisfies a man as he was never satisfied before—and keeps him satisfied! And, you can prove it! Why—P. A.'s flavor and fragrance and coolness and its freedom from bite and parch (cut out by our exclusive patented process) are a revelation to the man who never could get acquainted with a pipe! P. A. has made a pipe a thing of joy to four men where one was smoked before!

Ever roll up a cigarette with Prince Albert? Man, man—but you've got a party coming your way! Talk about a cigarette smoke; we tell you it's a peach!

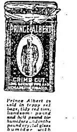

Prince Albert is sold in toppy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors and in the pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top.

PRINCE ALBERT
the national joy smoke

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Have Your Eyes Examined

AT

NESET'S JEWELRY STORE

OLAF NESET
Optometrist

Build a Home

Market Day or any other day, this is good advice. It is particularly of value just now, however. The cost of material and labor is much lower than for several years. The tendency from now on will be upward.

Build With Reliable Materials

For a quarter of a century this concern has been supplying building materials to the people of this section—with "Quality" as its watchword. In these days of cheap substitution we are more careful than ever that this reputation shall be maintained.

Build this year, but build with reliable material.

Winton - Nichols Lumber Co.

WAGE ADJUSTMENTS ON ALL RAILWAYS EFFECTIVE JULY 1

Three Thousand Additional Men Will Be Put to Work on Soo Lines in Northwest.

Four hundred million dollars a year was slashed from the nation's railway wage bill when an order handed down last week by the United States railroad labor board took full effect. The decree is effective July 1 on 104 lines. Granting the petitions of the companies the board directed an average cut of twelve per cent which eventually will apply to all the railroad employes of the country. Members of 31 unions are affected immediately.

The cuts range from five to thirteen cents an hour, or from $10.20 a month for apprentice boys to $26.52 for the better paid skilled labor, figuring on an eight-hour day basis.

The decision granted reductions varying from five to eighteen per cent, and in the case of section laborers, completely wiped out the increase granted that class of employes by the $600,000,000 wage award of July 20, 1920. Section men who have been receiving $3.70 for an eight-hour day were cut to $3.02, the same figure in effect under federal control. The reduction was approximately 18 per cent.

Switchmen and shop crafts were given a nine per cent reduction while the train service men were cut approximately 7 per cent. Car repairers were cut about ten per cent.

While the decrease is specifically applied for the present only to the 104 roads whose cases have been heard by the board, the decision says it may later be applied to any other road asking a hearing in accordance with the provisions of the Esch-Cummins transportation act.

Railroads throughout the Northwest announce that there will be a general resumption of activities in shops and at terminals as a result of the wage reduction announced by the labor board last week. On the Soo line in this state alone 3,000 additional men will be put to work by July 1, according to Vice President G. R. Huntington. Every department will be affected and a resumption of much of the work abandoned during the high cost period will be resumed.

FIRE LOSSES ALMOST EQUAL TO INSURANCE PREMIUMS IN CITY

Figures Show That Companies Conducted Business at a Loss During Past Ten Years in Thief River Falls.

A glance over the insurance records for the city of Thief River Falls for the past ten years—from 1911 to 1920 inclusive—shows that there is not a very wide descrepency between the amount received as premiums by the companies and the amount of the losses paid by them. During the ten years there was paid in premiums the sum of $274,542.75, while the losses paid aggregated $235,140.46, or $39,102.29 less than the premiums. This leaves a margin of only $3900 per year, which comes a long way from paying the commissions and other expenses incidental to writing this amount of insurance.

While it might seem as if a fire loss of $27,400 per year is not very large, yet it is much greater than there is any need for its being. Insurance men make the claim that at least 50 per cent of this loss could have been prevented if proper precautions had been taken. In other words, carelessness in this regard is costing about $500 every month on an average.

In looking over the records one is struck by the fact that it seems to be the better constructed and more modern buildings that are selected for destruction. At least the larger share of the losses has been on risks of this kind, where the danger fould naturally be expected to be least.

CIRCUS IS COMING; A REAL BIG SHOW

How's Great London Circus and Amberg's Menagerie Will Be Here Thursday.

One hundred men are working day and night just to let you know that Howe's Great London Circus and Van Amburg's Trained Wild Animals—the new and big combination of two well known and established shows—will come to Thief River Falls on Thursday, June 23.

These men are the advertising agents, advance managers, bill posters, lithographers and banner men of the big show's advance. Besides this force, there are local contracting agents, railroad contracting agents, press agents—all arranging for the coming of the show—supplies, transportation, publicity and permits.

So, on circus morn, when the four Howe-Van Amburg trains pull into town, you'll know that many men have toiled and planned so that the big tents may rise on time, the two-mile parade may proceed on a practicable route, the big show doors may open on time.

Back with the show are eleven hundred people, five hundred and fifty horses and three hundred wild animals, with nineteen elephants and a flock of ponies swelling the total. The double menagerie will be a treat, indeed, as will the thrilling wild animal acts, which form a background for the three-ring, two-stage circus program presented by three hundred and eighty-four European, South American and American circus stars. The big top of the show, with its patent grandstands, which unfold from thirty special wagons, seats twelve thousand people.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to all Soo line employes for the liberal financial donation ($108) which was given me through Mr. A. Greenseth and Mr. A. Williamson.—Mrs. Thos. Houfek and Children. 16p

ADEQUATE CREDITS FOR FARMER MOST URGENT NEED NOW

Farm Bureau President Says Reconstruction is Retarded By Present Handicap.

Extension of adequate credit to the farmer was urged as the paramount duty of the American banker, by J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau association, before the Iowa Bankers' association, in convention at Des Moines this week. Reconstruction without such credit provisions, is impossible, said the speaker.

"It is incumbent on the bankers of this country so to adjust their business that the farmer may have an opportunity to carry on without forced liquidation until the other fellow comes to his level of credit or income, or the farmer is again restored to his proportion in all adjustments. On April 1st, this year, the farmers' products were 27.6 per cent below the average for the past ten years. No other business has yet anywhere nearly approximated prewar levels."

"Many of you view with apprehension the growth of the cooperative marketing developed among the farmers. I am for it, if it is well organized and directed. Our distributing systems are overgrown and tremendously expensive," Mr. Howard declared.

To raise the basic line of credit in the agricultural states, Mr. Howard urged every country banker to affiliate with the federal reserve. He pointed out the federal reserve bank must extend its redi-count period on grain crops to nine months, however, if the farmers' needs are to be served, and on live-stock paper to two years.

Weekly Market Review.

(By Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Minneapolis.)

Consistent with the large decrease in the government's June estimate of the total winter wheat crop, and on reports of development of black rust damage in Nebraska, the wheat market during the week scored many substantial advances with definite signs of weakness at no time evident.

Course grains were under pressure of heavy daily receipts at all terminals. Prices finally receded, but there was constantly a firm undertone, which was due, doubtless, to additional sales of corn for export and also sentimentally following the action of wheat. The Saturday advance regained much of the lost ground. Holders of corn and oats are required to have a great deal of patience, but these grains seem to be gaining new friends on the theory that present prices are extremely low and that the probabilities are that another bumper crop will not be realized.

The government report of June 8 revised its winter wheat crop to 578 million bushels, or 51 million less than the previous month and eight million in excess of the estimate of 570 million in our May 9 review. The official spring wheat estimate to June 1 is 251 million, which makes a total indicated wheat crop of 829 million and compares with final results last year of 787,128,000 bushels. Spring wheat acreage is below that of last year but the condition of the wheat for the corresponding time last year is 4.3 better and, in fact, slightly better than the ten year average.

The oats crop officially promises 1,405,000,000, exceeding the June, 1920, indication of 1,315,000,000. Oats acreage is larger than last year, but the condition is slightly lower than prevailed the previous year. The new hay crop or present condition is not reported by the government, but the acreage is shown about seven million larger than last year.

We are still inclined to hold to the opinion that the position of wheat in the July delivery is strong, due to the exceptionally light stocks, steady export sales, improved domestic milling demand and possible crop scares in the Northwest. Foreign exchange rates, however, are again in a very weak condition and most authorities on foreign trade report that Europe will be forced by financial stringency to continue substitution and that also due to increasing production their requirements will be less than during the past year. Pending new developments, therefore, it seems quite likely that the September contracts in all grains will be on an entirely different basis than the nearby deliveries and we should advise caution in following the present advance in the distant deliveries.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

BOOKKEEPER HAS FINE PROSPECTS

Manager Cole of the Fargo Paper Co. needed more than an ordinary bookkeeper when he called on Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. He wanted a man capable of developing into a credit manager. Mr. C. D. Haase, just completing his course, was sent.

Dakota Business College does not turn out "ordinary" graduates. Pupils are encouraged to think for themselves, accept responsibility. About 230 are now bank officers.

"Follow the SucceSSful" at D. B. C. Summer School. Graduate next Winter. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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The Profit Sharing Store

Reduced prices on entire stock for Market Day. Nothing reserved. Everything tagged and marked with plain figures. The few articles listed below will show the low prices prevailing throughout our entire stock of Hardware and Machinery.

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	Regular Price	Market Day Price
Barbed Fence Wire, heavy, 12½ guage, 80 rod spool		$4.85
Post Hole Augers, each blade is forged, hammered to cutting edge, then sharpened	$2.75	$1.69
O-Cedar Polish Mop with handle. For dusting, cleaning and polishing floors, woodwork and furniture. Also excellent for oil cloth and lineoleum covered floors. Is treated with O-Cedar Polish and can be cleaned, washed and renewed	$1.50	75c
O-Cedar Polish, cleans, dusts polishes all at one time. Requires very little rubbing. Small size	30c	19c
Large size	60c	29c
Great Western Cream Separators, built to wear and give complete satisfaction for a life time—		
No. 60X Separator, 650 lbs. per hour capacity	$104.50	$89.00
No. 70X Separator, 725 lbs. per hour capacity	$114.00	$98.50
No. 90X Separator, 900 lbs. per hour capacity	$128.25	$119.00

Hay forks, header forks, grain forks, spading forks, barn forks, vegetable scoops and all other scoops and forks

House paint, barn paint, floor paint, linseed oil and white lead. "Highest Quality".

Keen Kutter automobile tires and tubes, guaranteed 7,000 miles. Will run from 12,000 to 15,000 miles.

Base balls, gloves and mitts.

Builders' Hardware of all kinds.

PRICES GREATLY REDUCED FOR MARKET DAY

	Regular Price	Market Day Price
Hall Jumbo double bottom galvanized Baskets. Every genuine Hall basket is made of special coated galvanized plates and will not crack or rust. Do not accept imitations, ½ bushel		69c
Simon's Run Easy Clothes Washers	$22.50	$19.75
Meadow's Double Tub Power Washers	$95.00	$79.00
Galvanized Wash Tubs, Medium size	$1.00	79c
Large size	$1.15	89c

	Regular Price	Market Day Price
Brass King Wash Boards, Solid Brass, Globe Crimp		55c
"Our Best" extra heavy Zinc, select quality, family size Wash Boards	85c	69c
Solid Copper Wash Boilers, Heavy, large size stationary handles		$4.45
Clothes Wringers, guaranteed to last 3 years	$6.00	$4.50
Aluminum Tea Kettles, seamless bottom, large size	$3.50	$2.50
Copper Tea Kettles, Nickel plates	$2.65	$1.85
Wooden Bowls, parafined, hard maple, smooth finish Small	50c	35c
Medium	90c	65c
Large	$1.25	89c
Coaster Wagons for the Children	$6.50	$5.50
	$7.00	$5.90
	$7.75	$6.50
Star Bicycles, equipped with comfortable saddle, guaran- tires, New-Departure Coaster Brake and Shock Absorbing Grips	$48.00	$37.50
Clothes Baskets, large size. Just right	$1.25	99c
Genuine Alabastine Wall Finish	75c	59c
Sewing Machines, Simmon's Volo Rotary, full guarantee	$65.00	$49.50
Combination Pliers, "Red Devil" 5 1-2 inch	95c	69c
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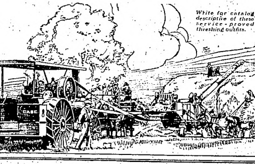
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WARREN DEFEATED ON HOME GROUNDS; STEPHEN A VICTIM

Latter Team Plays Good Ball Here Sunday; Rain Prevents Game With Grand Forks.

A ball game which brought the fans up standing at times was played at Warren on Friday afternoon when the Marshall county bunch was defeated by the warriors from this city by a score of 4 to 1. It was a good exhibition of baseball from the start, both pitchers—Federoff for the locals and Childs for Warren—working in fine form. Not a run crossed the plate for either side for five innings. In the sixth frame, Jonas, who was petting a Charlie Horse, forgot that he couldn't run until he reached second base after a nice, long swat. Gradin followed with a single, placing Jonas on third. At this point Carlson came up and drove the ball half way across the county, making a home run and chasing Jonas and Gradin over the plate ahead of him. In order to make sure, another run was added in the ninth although it was not needed, one run, permitted throug an error in the seventh, being all that the Warrenites were allowed. Umpires, Stolman and Fox.

Childs, the Warren pitcher, added considerable to the gayety of the afternoon through a by-play. He failed to hit at a good one and Fox proceeded to charge it up to him. This so enraged the Warren hurler that he started down the field toward Fox, emitting much language and swinging his bat in a threatening manner, the evident intent being the scatter the brains of the genial arbiter all over the surrounding real estate. Fox was not greatly excited, however, and invited the irate gentleman, bat and all, to walk over into a nearby potato patch for a few minutes—providing there was someone on the team could take his place afterwards. Calmer council prevailed and the game proceeded, Fox not caring enough about the episode to order Childs off the field. In justice to the Warren fans it must be said that they were practically unanimous in condemning the action of their player.

Win From Stephen.

Thief River Falls Won from Stephen on Sunday by a score of 8 to 5. The visitors started out in good shape, getting one across in the first frame. Carlson was pitching and he refused to allow anything further until the sixth, when he suffered a relapse and allowed three hits resulting in two runs. At this point he was relieved by Federoff, who started out by allowing a two-base hit, scoring one man. After this he tightened up, however, and the total was held down to five. It was the kind of a game that furnishes plenty of rooting opportunities for the fans, there being a total of 19 hits made, out of which number Thief River Falls secured 11. Morse, Gradin and Lawrence each made two runs. The home team made seven errors while the visitors were charged with only three.

Rain Stops Game.

The game scheduled to be played here on Tuesday with Grand Forks as opponents of the locals was called off on account of rain. While none fell during the day there was a heavy shower the night previous and the North Dakota boys telephoned to say it would be impossible for them to get here, although every preparation had been made for giving them a merry reception.

Yesterday the Thief River Falls team went to Hallock for the first game of the season with that team. It was an off day and Thief River Falls was defeated by a score of 3 to 2. On the face of the returns the result is hard to explain, the locals securing 10 hits to but 5 for Hallock. Loose playing generally is given as the reason for the poor showing.

On Friday Hallock comes for a game here. This matinee will begin at 4:30 o'clock in order to give the visitors an opportunity to get an early start for Grafton, N. D., where they play on Saturday.

Gonvick comes for a game on Sunday when it is expected that the boys will wipe out the sting of having been defeated in that village two weeks ago.

DRIVE TO COMBINE CROP SALES BEGUN BY FARM BUREAUS

Organized Producers Must Enter Terminal Markets, Say Federation Officials.

Centralized marketing, with the sale of a large part of all staple farm crops in the hands of the farmers' own co-operative agencies on the terminal markets is the best and probably the only means of obtaining fair prices based consistently on the cost of production, the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation said today in a message to all county farm bureaus.

The statement marks the beginning of an intensive drive to centralize co-operative livestock marketing through the new farmers' agency at South St. Paul. The state federation is directing the drive.

"The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation believes it can do no greater service for the farmers and for the strength to the centralization of co-operative marketing," the directors said. "It offers all its facilities to promote the organization of central selling agencies; it will encourage and assist its county and township units to carry on this work throughout the state; in connection with its livestock, grain and dairy marketing projects now under way. It stands local co-operative agencies to sell other crops as well, whenever the demand comes from the farmers. The county farm bureau, reaching into every community, controlled absolutely by the farmers themselves and responsive to their wishes, constitutes a machine perfectly equipped to launch and direct these enterprises.

"For the last 25 years, Minnesota farmers have been developing co-operative marketing in their own communities; they have put Minnesota in the lead in this work. Now they have discovered that local marketing associations have their limitations, and that in order to affect the large markets, farmers must unite to handle their crops in quantity, and go into the terminal markets themselves. Local co-operatives have really been assembling bodies; they have brought produce together, and then turned it over to somebody else to sell for them. The time has come when they must sell for themselves."

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Of course, they will be of finest madras or percale, unless they are of soft and lustrous silks.

We have been most exacting in making our selections, first as to the qualities of the fabrics; then the patterns and colorings; but above all, of the style in which the shirts are made and the character of the workmanship.

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Real value—The Times—$2 a year.

Value of the Personal.

Robert Welles Richie, who furnished a series of interesting articles on "Live Country Newspapers" for the Country Gentleman, has no misconceptions about the value of the personal item. The personal item, he says, means more to the country weekly editor than do yards of boiler plate about how the Grand Lama of Tibet eats his breakfast. "The greater the number of lively correspondents scattered over the field," he says, "the more acceptable the paper. The fact that Ma Pettingill Tuesdayed in Liberty is just as hefty for the country reader as the news that J. P. Morgan has returned from Europe is to the New Yorker."

During the year 1919, Uncle Sam sold $134,230,697 worth of Thrift stamps, Treasury Savings stamps and Treasury Savings certificates.

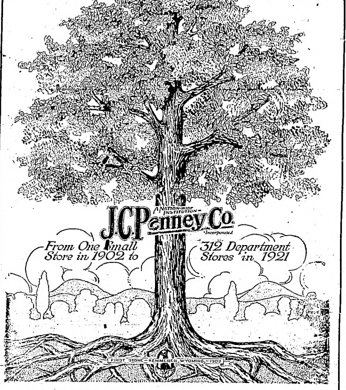
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$1.98, $2.49, $3.50

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$4.98

Men's Straw Work Hats
98c, 25c, 19c

Men's Silk Shirts	$4.98
Silk Stripe Shirts	$1.98 to $3.50
Madras Dress Shirts	98c to $1.98

Overalls

Men's 220 Blue Denim Overalls	98c
Pay Day Overalls	$1.25

Boys' Union Made Overalls
85c, 89c, 98c

Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts
49c and 79c

Boys' Shirts
49c 69c, 89c

Boys' Blouses
49c, 73c, 85c

Men's Summer Union Suits
98c $1.25 $1.49 $1.69

Men's Athletic Union Suits
98c and $1.25

Children's Wash Suits
98c $1.19 $1.69 $2.98

Children's Roughard Tumble Suits
73c

Rockford Sox	15c
Canvas Gloves	10c
Men's Lisle Dress Sox	15c, 25c, 35c
Men's Silk Hose	75c and 98c
Men's Dress Oxfords	$4.98
Men's Dress Shoes	$3.50 to $7.90
Boys' Gun Metal shoes 11½ to 2	$2.98
Boys' Gun Metal Shoes, Sizes 2½ to 5½	$3.50
Boys' Brown Calf Shoes, Sizes 11½ to 2	$2.98
Boys' Brown Calf Shoes, Sizes 2½ to 5½	$3.98

Ladies' Black and Brown Oxfords
$4.50, $4.98, $5.90

Ladies' Black and Brown Pumps	$4.98
Ladies' Black Comfort Slippers	$2.98

Ladies White Oxfords, plain and Sport Models
$2.98 and $3.98

Women's white Keds and Mary Janes	$1.98

MISSES' SLIPPERS

Patent Mary Jane, Sizes 8½ to 11	$2.25
Patent Mary Jane Sizes 11½ to 2	$2.69
White Canvas Size 8½ to 11	$1.69
White Canvas Sizes 11½ to 2	$1.89
Roman Sandals Sizes 8½ to 11	$2.25
Sister Sue Keds Sizes 8½ to 11	98c
Sister Sue Keds Sizes 11½ to 2	$1.19
Roman Sandals Sizes 1 to 5	$1.69
Roman Sandals Sizes 5½ to 8	$1.98

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Women's New Summer Dresses
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$14.75 $16.50 $18.75
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Gingham Street Dresses	$3.98
Middies, All sizes	98c
Co-Ed Middies, Detachable collars	$1.98
Sunbonnets, all colors	45c
40 in. Charmeuse Satin, Harding Blue, Marion Grey Seal Crown, Black and White	$2.43
54 in. all wool Skirting, assorted patterns	$2.69
48 in. Imported Organdie	$1.49
48 in. Plain Imported Organdie	98c
Imported Silk Stripe Zephyr Ginghams	49c
Renfrew Devonshire and Kiddie Cloth; 32 inches wide	33c
40 inch Imported Mercerized Voiles	49c
Toile du Nord Dress Ginghams	19c
Red Rose Zephyr Ginghams	19c
American Prints	10c
36 inch best standard Percale	17c
27 inch Amoskeag Ginghams	12½c
36 inch Silk Warp Rajah Drapery	98c
36 inch heavy Tapestry	98c
36 inch Scrim, fancy borders	19c
36 inch Homespun Bleached Muslin	10c
36 inch fine Nainsook	18c
36 inch Laurel Sheeting	9c
42 inch Linen finish Tubing	31c
9-4 Pequot Sheeting	58c
10-4 Unbleached Sheeting	58c
9-4 Pepperell Sheeting	39c
27 inch Plain Chambray Gingham	10c
24 inch Red Star Diaper Cloth, 10 yard bolt	$1.98
Large and Roomy Scout Percale Aprons	83c
18x36 Heavy Turkish Towels	19c
16x30 Good Weight Turkish Towels	10c

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

72x90 Welted Seam good weight Bed sheets	98c
42x36 Dan River Pillow Cases, (Same as Pepperell)	25c
12x20 Barber Towels, per doz.	69c
J. P. Coat's Crochet Cotton	11c
2-in-1 paste or Liquid Shoe Polish	10c
Ric-Rac, white or colored	8c
Stickerie Braid, 3 yards	5c
J. P. Coat's Darning Cotton 2 for	5c
Human Hair Nets, all shades	10c
2 oz. Ball Prospect Knitting Yarn	35c
Children's and Misses 10 strand fine rib Hose, all sizes	10c
Boy Scout Hose	25c and 29c
Misses' Lisle Hose, black, white and brown	25c and 29c
Lady-Like Corsets, a corset with a guarantee	98c, $1.25, $1.69, $1.99 $2.49, $2.98
Children's Knit Button-on Waist	39c
Children's Knit Button-on Union Suits	49c
9x12 Liberty Axminster Rugs	$29.75
9x12 Winton Velvet Rugs	$34.75
27x54 Liberty Axminster Rugs	$3.98
27x54 Sagamore Velvet Rugs	$2.98
24x36 Chenille Bedroom Rugs	$2.49
24x36 Dixie Rag Rugs	98c
9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$14.75
9x10½ Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$12.50
9x9 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$9.90
6x9 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$7.50
Crown Window Shades	59c

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City News

O. P. Jenson of Cass Lake, was a business caller here on Friday.

L. L. Cohn returned yesterday from Minneapolis.

Christ and Andrew Myrold of Grygla, were business visitors here on Monday.

Miss Adele Haugen of Middle River attended to shopping here on Monday.

M. L. Ihle of Newfolden was in the city on Monday attending to business matters.

Herman Sorenson of Highlanding was in the city Thursday on business matters.

Miss Emma Hyland of Mavie left Monday for Bemidji to attend summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Olson of Warroad, were here on Tuesday visiting with friends.

E. S. Sanford of St. Paul, spent the first of the week attending to business matters here.

Miss Onata Stopple left this morning for Bemidji to spend the day visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Overlie of Canby, N. D., visited over Sunday with local friends.

Wm. Erickson of Red Lake Falls was here Monday attending the convention of bankers.

Miss Anna Froiland of Plummer, visited with friends here Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. John Sorenson, who had visited with relatives in the vicinity of Holt, returned home Monday.

Mrs. G. Fellman and daughter, Miss Mildred, of St. Hilaire, were shoppers in this city on Monday.

Mrs. E. E. Bergo of Greenbush, spent a couple of days the latter part of last week visiting with friends.

Art Knutson arrived here Saturday evening from Grafton, N. D., and spent Sunday visiting with friends.

Henry Anfeldt of Fordville, N. D., was an over Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Leland Schuster, a student at the University of North Dakota, arrived Monday and will spend his vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lonson of Mahnomen spent the first of the week visiting with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. A. Moreau of Argyle was a guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rowan, last week.

Mrs. H. Hoard, Miss Anna Aalberg and Miss Gladys Sorum visited with friends at Holt between trains yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Havel left Sunday for a visit with relatives at Wells and other points in the southern part of the state.

O. L. Ihle, who spent about two weeks attending to business matters in Minneapolis, returned Monday morning.

Mrs. H. L. Sande and baby of Steiner are spending the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ohrme of Minneapolis, visited with friends here between trains on Tuesday enroute to Winnipeg.

Misses Stella Olson and Lena Gullingsrud left Monday for Bemidji to attend a summer term at the teachers' college.

Mrs. Wm. Comstock returned Monday from Rollis, where she had spent some time visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Evangeline Burns, who has been teaching at Lakota, arrived on Saturday to spend the summer vacation at home.

Chris Amundson left Tuesday evening for White Bear lake, where he intends spending the time until cooler weather sets in.

Paul Midderigh and O. J. Erickson left Monday morning for International Falls to attend the State Firemen's convention.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon motored to Middle River yesterday to attend the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Anna Brandon.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid will serve a cafeteria lunch on Friday, June 25 in the basement of the church at the usual hours.

Miss Virginia Will arrived Monday morning to visit her parents during the summer. She recently completed a course at the Moorhead normal.

Today decides tomorrow. Then why not decide today to take a course in the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for free catalog.—Adv.

Chris Porter arrived here the first of the week from Aurora, where he is policeman for a mining company, and will spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. R. Knutson, accompanied by her daughters, Mildred, Ruth, Frances and Edith, left Sunday evening for Minneapolis to spend a week with relatives.

Frank L. Thompson, Minneapolis, traveling freight agent for the Soo line, was in the city looking after matters pertaining to his office on Wednesday.

Mrs. Maren Loken and son, Luther, arrived from Minneapolis Tuesday morning and will spend some time on a visit at the H. O. and George Loken homes.

B. O. Norby, former superintendent of schools at Goodridge, visited with friends here Tuesday enroute to his home at Oklee, where he will spend his vacation.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree returned the first of the week from Faribault to which city he had taken an insane patient after committment by Judge of Probate Lars Backe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Weatherhead and son, Harold, of Ada, and Mrs. Anna Watson motored to Oslo on Sunday to visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. J. Kelley and son, Kenneth, of Devils Lake, N. D., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen. Mrs. Mogensen and Mrs. Kelley are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Miller and family of Crookston, accompanied by Mrs. Miller's father, Chas. Chamberlain, motored to this city on Monday to attend the bankers' convention.

Reuben Hadrath, stenographer at the First National bank, will leave this evening on a two weeks' vacation which will be spent in visiting with friends and relatives at St. Cloud.

Miss Belle Hermanson left this afternoon for Halstad, where she will attend the funeral services of her grandmother. Before returning to this city she will visit with relatives at Fargo.

Miss Josie Weeks returned Thursday morning to spend the summer at the home of her parents, after a year's work as instructor of English in the junior high school at Watertown, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Rank, who are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson, visited with friends at St. Hilaire yesterday. They will return to their home at Dover this evening.

John Melgaard, who had spent two months visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard of this city, will leave this evening for Annapolis, where he will enter the military academy.

Mrs. Emil Olson and children of this city, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Erickson, left this morning for Willmar where they expect to spend about a month visiting at their parental home

Mrs. Emil Zeh, who accompanied the Barzen family as far as Minneapolis on their way to Milwaukee by car, returned to this city Tuesday morning after a week's visit with relatives at the above named city.

Mayor John Bratrud and Councilmen Andrew Ness and O. L. Ihle, are in Winona this week attending the League of Minnesota Municipalities. Mr. Ihle will visit friends at Minneapolis before returning to his home here.

Robt. McGinn, accompanied by his sister, Miss Mary, who has been visiting at the McGinn home, left Sunday evening for Green Bay, Wis., in response to a message stating that their mother had died. Deceased was 85 years of age and a pioneer of that section of Wisconsin. Mr. and Mrs. McGinn are expected home Monday.

Mrs. P. W. Mabey and Miss Maude Johnson left on Saturday evening and will put in about three months touring the West, putting in most of the time at California points of interest. They will return sometime before the first of September when Miss Johnson will resume her duties as instructor of music in the city schools.

Mrs. J. J. Weeks returned to her home here after spending a week in Northfield and Minneapolis. While away she visited her son, Milton, who has completed a year of study at Luther Theological seminary at St. Paul, and who is now studying at McPhail School of Music. She was also present at the commencement exercises of St. Olaf college when her daughter, Miss Helen, an honor student in the class of 123 graduates, received her B. A. degree. Jos. Weeks, who is connected with the Soo auditing offices in Minneapolis, and Rev. E. R. Weeks of Grove City, were also present at the exercises.

Will Confirm Class of 12 at Zion Church on Sunday

Confirmation will be solemnized at Zion Lutheran church, Rev. George Larson, pastor, next Sunday. There will be special music by the Goodridge choir. A confirmation offering will be taken up. The following constitute the class: Albert Sjolsvold, Clarence Grindeland, Melvin Pederson, William Stageberg, Willis Johnson, Clenora Senum, Alma Dahl, Agnes Remmem, Lillie Gran, Helen Jacobson and Alice Jacobson.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
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We are paying the market price for Hides and Wool. See us for wool sacks and Twine.

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Pioneer Passes Away.

Mrs. N. A. Naplin passed away at her home in Polk Center on Monday after a lingering illness of many years. Having failed steadily for several months and being of quite an advanced age, death only could bring her relief and rest after her years of suffering. Funeral services will be conducted today in the Black River church, Rev. A. F. Nelson officiating. Mrs. Naplin leaves to mourn her death besides her husband, four sons, Senator Oscar Naplin of Thief River Falls, John, Charles and Gust of Polk Centre, and two daughters, Anna and Mrs. O. C. G. Johnson of Cass Lake. The heartfelt sympathy of all in the vicinity is extended to the bereaved family.

Ekstrom-Swanson.

On Wednesday, June 15 at the home of Mrs. P. A. Ekstrom, occurred the marriage of her daughter, Cora Elbertena, to Alex E. Swanson of Rocksbury township. Rev. O. J. Lundell, pastor of the Swedish Mission church, was the officiating clergyman. Many friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony. The young couple will be at home at the Ekstrom farm near Wylie. Hearty congratulations is extended to the happy couple by their many friends in the vicinity.

Misses Mabel Hallstrom and Ethel Anderson returned Saturday after having been employed the past year at the Indian Mission near Cass Lake and will remain at their parental homes in Black River during the summer.

Miss Hulda Gigstad returned home last week to spend her summer vacation at the parental home, after teaching the past year at Moorhead.

Mrs. Ina Johnson spent Friday at Thief River Falls attending to shopping.

Miss Esther Burnquist has returned home from Superior, Wis., where she had visited her sister, Mrs. A. Blixt.

Martin Simonson, a former resident of St. Hilaire, now residing with his daughter, Mrs. M. S. Gjerde at Thief River Falls, visited over the week-end at the H. O. Rod home.

Mrs. Richard Larson returned on Saturday after visiting for two weeks with friends and relatives at Kennedy.

If interested in hardware bargains, read the announcement of Hall Bros. Co. in this issue.—advertisement. j16

Miss Elsa Hendrickson left Saturday for Moorhead where she will attend a six weeks' session of summer school.

Mrs. Hans Wilson returned Saturday, having spent two weeks visiting with her daughter, Mrs. D. McAlister at Grand Forks.

Miss Emily Ostby of McIntosh arrived Wednesday of last week and commenced teaching Parochial school which will continue for six weeks.

Miss Tessie King left Monday to attend summer school at Moorhead.

Mrs. Anna Martz and daughter, Dorothy, and son, Gordon, left the latter part of the week for Toopie, Minn., in answer to a summons stating that Mrs. Martz's sister was seriously ill.

Carl Nelson left Monday evening via the Soo for the twin cities to receive medical aid.

Mrs. Mike Hyland and baby left last week for a three weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Halstad.

The Misses Lilly Boehm and Olga Olsen were Thief River Falls shoppers on Friday.

Misses Clara Loberg and Lilly Gunstad left Monday morning via the Soo for Bemidji where they will attend summer school the coming six weeks.

A delightful event of the season was a linen shower given by Mrs. Felix Anderson and Mrs. C. W. Johnson at the home of the latter in Black River last Wednesday afternoon, in honor of Miss Amanda Johnson, a bride-to-be of this month. A delicious lunch was served at five o'clock. Among the many guests were, Mesdames. Elfrida Anderson, Fred and Sam Lorentson, Albert Anderson, C. E. Naplin, August and John Scholin, Edward Johnson, Swan Johnson, Emil Person, P. A. Hallstrom, John O. Swanson, N. Erickson, Myrtle Anderson, Effie Fredrickson, Cora and Maybelle Ekstrom, Hattie Larson, Edla Hallstrom, Edith and Olive Nelson, Selma and Blanche Hoff.

A. F. Hall motored to Thief River Falls Monday and spent the day attending to business matters, returning the same evening.

Miss Esther Fricker arrived Monday from Grygla where she recently completed a term of school. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Werner Nelson and baby of Grygla, who will spend some time at the Mike Fricker home.

Miss Emma Bakken, who has spent two weeks here as a guest at the Arne Vik home, left Tuesday evening for her home at Ada.

Miss Ethel Palmquist returned home last week for a short vacation before returning to St. Peter where she attends Gustavus Adolphus college.

GOODRIDGE

L. P. Poppenhagen and sons visited Mrs. Poppenhagen, who is ill in Thief River Falls, Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Onerstad visited at the N. Bundhund home this week.

Daniel Payne left Monday for Bemidji where he will attend summer school.

Mrs. Robert Kirkconnell and children of Spooner are visiting at the A. McLeod home.

Harvey Ferdinandson was in Thief River Falls Monday having dental work done.

Misses Harriet Millard and Mildred Argall left Friday evening for Bemidji, where they will attend summer school.

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Miss Gladys Wilson severed her connection with the Farmers State bank and left for her home at Grygla Wednesday.

Mrs. Sam Rouze and little daughter arrived Monday morning from Pelican Rapids where she has been visiting a sister, and will visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. P. Ferdinandson, for some time. She was accompanied by her brother, Lloyd, who will return Wednesday.

Prof. B. O. Norby left Wednesday for Fosston where he will visit with his parents the remainder of this week.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christianson, is confined in the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls with stomach trouble. Late reports say she is improving.

John Nystal returned Thursday from Fargo and the twin cities, where he attended to business matters.

Miss Knutson, county nurse, was in town Monday.

The grading outfit arrived Tuesday which is to grade the new state road running north through town.

Mrs. R. Kirkconnell and children of Spooner, who are visiting at the A. McLeod home, west of town, were guests wednesday at the V. C. McLeod home here.

Dr. M. G. Milan conducted a throat and chest clinic here Wednesday which was very well attended. Over twenty were examined. He was assisted by Miss M. Knutson, the county nurse.

A. B. Mandt, R. H. McDonald and two Mandt boys and Clarence Gaudland drove to Neptune Saturday and took a motor boat from there to the outlet of Red Lake river, where they expected to land numerous fish.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop and G. L. Sterns of Thief River Falls were in town Wednesday to attend the meeting of the directors of the Farmers State bank of Goodridge.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers State bank held Wednesday, June 8 the following directors were elected: J. M. Bishop, Jay Payne, M. G. Thorson, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, N. Bundhund. The officers elected were as follows: J. M. Bishop, president; N. Bundhund, vice president and H. B. Rockne, cashier.

Harry McDonald was in Thief River Falls Tuesday having dental work done.

Otto Haack of Grygla was in town Tuesday enroute to Moorhead where he will attend summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lee and daughter, and John Stuart of Grygla, were in town Tuesday enroute to Warren.

Mrs. Theo. Gilbertson was in Thief River Falls Tuesday shopping.

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STEINER

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Miss Ruth Solem left Monday for Bemidji, where she expects to attend summer school.

Several of the young people from Steiner took in the movies Sunday evening at Thief River Falls.

G. L. Leisner, former proprietor of the Steiner store, is in the Warren hospital. He underwent a serious operation but is making a satisfactory recovery.

Miss Amy Whitman left the first of the week to attend normal at Moorhead for the six weeks period.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers and daughter spent Sunday with the Russell family.

Some of the young people of this community drove to Warren Sunday to call on G. L. Leisner at the hospital.

Misses Mabel Rogers and Ruth Solem spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Georgia Muzzy.

Mr. and Mrs. Renie Warner motored to Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitman called at the Warring home Sunday.

The Young Peoples society of this community gave a program at Steiner last Saturday evening. After the program lunch was served. The meeting was held at the Steiner school house.

Peter Solem and Charley Swanson drove to Thief River Falls last Wednesday where they attended to various business duties.

Theodore Steigen and brother made a business visit to Steiner Monday afternoon.

Arthus Simonson and two sons motored to Thief River Falls last Wednesday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

August Koglin drove to Thief River Falls Monday where he attended to various business matters.

Mrs. John Swanson, residing about a mile from Steiner, entertains the Ladies Aid of the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church of Thief River Falls, at her home here.

Miss Ruth Solem left Monday morning for Bemidji where she will attend a term of the teachers' summer school.

Mrs. John Swanson and daughter, Hilda, motored to Steiner Monday afternoon on a shopping tour.

Miss Mathilda and Julius Liden, accompanied by their cousins, Elmer and Hjalmer Liden, of Rocksbury township, south of Thief River Falls, motored to Crookston last Friday. While at Crookston the party attended the annual conference of the Red River Valley Young Peoples society.

John Sande, a brother of Henry Sande, our local merchant, has been holding the job of dragging the state road that is in Marshall county thru Steiner.

ERIE

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There was a Y. P. S. meeting held at the Julius Hanson place west of Kratka last Sunday where the principle pasttime was base ball. The Erie aggregation trimmed up the Brunkeberg team to the tune of 13 to 0, and they also took the Hazel boys into camp with a score of 15 to 13. The Erie boys are a bunch of husky ball tossers, and are not afraid to go against any team who will offer to challenge them. The boys who played on Sunday are: Johnny Nelson, Edwin Nelson, George Homme, Floyd Baird, Tom Hanson and Knut Hanson. On next Sunday they will play a return game with Hazel at the George Baird farm.

Salve Tharaldson recently completed a successful term of school in Dist. No. 65, near Neptune and has returned to his home in Germantown.

Osmund Lunden returned from International Falls last Sunday and is visiting at the Hovet home.

Miss Edith Shosten left last Friday for Bemidji, where she will take up a six weeks course at the normal school.

N. P. Larson and Gust A. Iverson are busy building some bridges across [illegible]tches in places where a culvert [illegible] not a success in times of floods.

Miss Anna M. Iverson, who has visited her relatives in Star township for two weeks, left on Wednesday to resume her duties at the Northwestern hospital at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Loyland is endeavoring to organize a choir but so far has not met with the best of success owing to people find it hard to get out to practice, but is in hopes to be able to gather the singers soon to practice evenings.

Ted Rustad, our dutiful mail carrier, has spent his two weeks' vacation with relatives near Oklee. B. Hruby has taken his place as carrier.

The E. S. Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. L. B. Johnson on Wednesday of last week, and decided to hold their annual sale at the H. O. Tommerdahl place on Saturday, the 18th. The Erie Ladies' Aid will hold their sale at the Ole Jonsrud place on the 25th. All are welcome.

Services were held in the school house of Dist. No. 14, by Rev. Hoy[illegible]. A large audience was present.

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TRAINED WILD ANIMALS
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TWO MILE STREET PARADE at 11 A.M. DAILY
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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Benny Borgen returned Monday to Waubun, where he is employed with a bridge gang, after spending a few days here to attend the funeral of his sister, Gena, who died at her home south of town this week.

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Ole Borgen returned to his employment at Thief River Falls last Monday after visiting his parents over Sunday and attending the funeral of his sister.

Nick Nelson, who has been canvassing in the western part of the county of late, arrived Saturday evening and will spend some time among his relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and children of Thief River Falls spent Saturday here as guests at the J. E. Hellquist home.

Little Mathilda Schenke became ill last week and the doctors fear that she also is a victim of typhoid fever. Her brother, Edward, is now considered out of danger, while her sister, Elizabeth, is being cared for at the Thief River Falls hospital.

Mrs. Margaret Wendt of Warren arrived on Tuesday to visit for a day with Mrs. Julia Axelson.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard returned last Tuesday from Thief River Falls, where she had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson.

The Peter Stromberg, Helmer Ostrom and Henry Carlson families of Thief River Falls motored up on Sunday to visit with Mrs. Eva Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen.

Benhard Ranum, manager for the Rosewood Shipping association, went to St. Paul last Saturday with a car load of mixed stock.

Mrs. James Johnson of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Morris Halvorson of Viking assisted with the work at the home of their father, J. E. Hellquist, for a few days this week.

L. L. Furan, the Nonpartisan organizer, went to Alvarado the first of the week to do organization work.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen went to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to visit over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. S. Benson.

A carload of wheat was shipped from the Hanson & Barzen elevator on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson and Miss Rhoda Aos shopped at Thief River Falls Monday evening.

A number of the local young folks enjoyed a Sunday pleasure motor tour to Warren and vicinity.

Miss Bertha Remmem of Thief River Falls arrived Monday morning for a few days' visit with the Gullseth and Nordhagen families.

Sunday afternoon services were conducted in town by Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking, assisted by the Viking Swedish Mission choir.

Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen returned on Saturday from Thief River Falls after spending two days as the guest of Mrs. Johanna Nyhus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Skaar of Norden township visited last Friday with Mrs. Skaar's sister, Miss Ella Nelson.

Ole Jorgenson arrived Monday evening from Northwood and will visit indefinitely with his daughter, Mrs. A. T. Thoreson.

L. L. Furan motored to Grygla last Monday on matters of business.

Henry Rogers of Steiner visited with friends here Monday evening.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rambee and children were Sunday guests at the S. Hamre home.

Olaf Tharaldson was an electric car passenger to Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Miss Selma Johnson visited with Millie Hamre last Thursday afternoon.

Will Wayne called at the Carl Klockman home one evening last week.

Esther Bendickson was a Goodridge caller Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson were callers at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Mrs. Emil Hanson called at the Henry Roller home Saturday.

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Carl Klockman called at the L. Bendickson home Friday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the Seraphine Rolland home Saturday.

Olaf Tharaldson and Henry Lonlgevan called at the Henry Tharaldson home one day last week.

Miss Esther Bendickson left Sunday for Bemidji to attend summer school.

Will Wayne called at the home of Carl Klockman one evening last week.

Henry Roller called at the Olaf Tharaldson home Saturday.

An auction sale will be held at the S. Bendickson home Monday, June 20, at 1 o'clock.

Miss Mildred Nelson called at the Seraphine Rolland home Friday.

Clarence and Rudolph Stageberg visited at the O. P. Nelson home one day last week.

Henry and Salve Tharaldson visited at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday evening.

Silva Bendickson called at the H. Dahl home Saturday.

Guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday were Mildred Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson.

MAYFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson and son, Palmer, visited at the L. B. Kleve home Sunday afternoon.

John, David and Ruth Omdahl called at the Cooper home Sunday.

Misses Anna and Beatrice Wedul visited over Saturday and Sunday at the Kleve home.

The Stennes family spent Sunday visiting at the Sam Hanson home.

Evert Rawertz was a business caller *in Plummer on Saturday.*

Mrs. I. Nelson is a guest at the Wedul home during the days when the conference is held in the Mayfield church.

Miss Helen Cooper visited with her parents on Sunday.

YEARLING BEEVES IN GOOD DEMAND

Insufficient Supply of This Kind Coming to Meet Local Needs. Hogs Steady For Week.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minnesota Dept. of Agriculture.)

Monday's Closing.

Cattle 1,900. Market closing steady to weak. Top yearlings $8.50, best heavy cattle $8.00. Calves 800. Market steady, packer top $8.50. Hogs 8,500. Market about 25c lower. Range $6.50 to $7.75, bulk $7.35 to $7.65. Top pigs $8.50. Sheep 700. Market about 50c lower.

South St. Paul.—Yearling beeves weighing from 700 to 900 pounds are not coming to market at the present time in sufficient numbers to satisfy the local demand and are outselling heavy cattle of the same grade at least 50c per hundred. Lead lots of this class of a good grade are slow sale from $7.50 to an extreme of $8. Bulk of the beef steers are selling from $7.00 to $7.75 with only the commonest ones down to $6.50 or slightly below. Dry fed butcher she stock continues scarce, top heifers of this class being quotable to $8.00 or slightly better, and top cows around $7.00, with the bulk selling under $6.50. Grassy she stock is selling largely from $4.00 to $5.00 or slightly above. Canners and cutters are draggy and slow sale at $1.50 to $3.75. Bologna bulls go from $3.25 to $4.25, with seconds largely at $5.00. Practically no good or choice stockers or feeders are coming, and common and medium grades are selling on a slow uneven market, prices ranging largely from $4.50 to $5.25.

The hog market is about steady with a week ago, range $6.50 to $7.75, bulk $7.35 to $7.65, top pigs $8.50. Lambs opened lower, best spring lambs here Monday being a good grade that brought $10.00, with top ewes at $8.50.

Merchants Wish to Handle Only Bargains Wednesday

Theif River Falls business men next Wednesday are going to dislike most intensely the handling of any article on which the price has not been cut. It is Market Day in Thief River Falls and they do not expect to sell any of the goods on which cuts in price have not been announced to any great extent before that time, but there are certain lines of goods on which any kind of shading is impossible. Many of these are necessities and these the people are asked to order on Tuesday. The storekeepers will all be busy on Wednesday looking after those who are shopping with a copy of The Times in their hands and will be greatly obliged if our own citizens will avoid bothering them with telephone calls. They ask that everything possible be bought on Tuesday—except of course such items as are advertised as specials for Market Day.

Information Bureau For Visitors at Washington

It is the wish of the President that visitors to the seat of government shall have every opportunity to get full information concerning all governmental departments. It is especially his desire that all those who come to Washington to transact business with any department or bureau of the government may be quickly advised as to the exact location and means of reaching the particular department or bureau in which may be centered the business which they may desire to transact.

For this purpose there has been established a bureau of information on the ground floor of the post office department building, located on Pennsylvania avenue at Twelfth street, which is in charge of competent people who will definitely answer queries of this character.

The public is advised of this arrangement and invited to make use of the facility.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—June 19: 10 o'clock a. m. Sunday school; 11 o'clock morning worship, sermon subject: "In My Father's House." Special song by the choir: "The Child of A King." At 8 p. m. musical program by the young Peoples choir, Miss Grace Wilson, pianist. Anthem: "The Day is Gently Sinking." Hymn 110. Solo "The Day is Ended," Miss Lorraine Will. Song, "A Clean Heart," Offertory, Violin Solo. Hym 127. Anthem, "O Be Joyful in the Lord." Solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," Rufus A. Barackman. Anthem, "Guide Me All the Way." Solo, "Teach Me to Pray" Miss Mabel McGilvery. Anthem, "Another Year of Mercy." Anthem, "Oh That Men Would Praise the Lord." Hymn 175. C. E. at 7 p. m. Woman's Missionary society meets on June 17 at 3 p. m. with Mrs. H. C. Johnson.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Catechetical class meets Saturday at 3:30 p. m. Divine service in Norwegian Sunday at 11 a. m. The parochial school is now in session. A good attendance but room for more. The Trinity Boys' club will give a social Friday evening, June 17 in the church parlors. Elaborate preparations for splendid entertainment. All children up to the age of 70 are most welcome. Ladies Aid society meets in the church parlors Thursday, June 23. Mesdames Henry Kaushagen, Mikkel Jorde, Carl Jorde and Knute Jorde entertain. Young Peoples League Thursday evening, June 23. Parochial school in the country district begins Monday, June 20th.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—Sunday St. Johns congregation will celebrate its annual Mission festival with two special services. Rev. Janson of Ada, will preach the morning sermon in German, at 10 o'clock; Rev. Dorpat will conduct the afternoon service in the English language, at 2:30. The congregations of Wylie, Red Lake Falls, Plummer, Germantown, Goodridge, Holt and Warren have been invited to attend and if the weather is favorable, a large number of visitors is expected. There will be no Sunday school.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium. Subject June 19th: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room is open on Thursdays from 3 to 5 p. m. at the same location. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Swedish Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday morning at 10:30 and in the evening at 7:45. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Confirmation services at 10:30 a. m. Confirmation offer will be taken up. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid on Thursday, Mrs. Lian entertains. Zion Y. P. S. Thursday evening. Student Quambeck will speak.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, June 19th: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m.

Obituary

Mrs. Anna Arnstad.

Mrs. Anna Arnstad died on Tuesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Mostue at the age of 84 years. She was born in Tronhjem, Norway, March 25, 1837. On March 11, 1865 she was married to Greis Arnstad. To this union four children were born, John, deceased, Mrs. E. A. Mostue of this city, Peter of Williston, N. D., Gustaf of Fergus Falls. On their arrival in this country in 1880 they settled in Goodhue county where they lived for two years when they removed to Grafton where they resided until the death of Mr. Arnstad two years ago. Since that time she has made her home in this city with her daughter. Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon from the Trinity Lutheran church. The body was shipped to Williston for burial beside her husband and eldest son.

Jos. J. Hanousek.

Jos. J. Hanousek of Mahnomen, died in this city on June 10 from broncho-pneumonia. The deceased was born in Bohemia on March 10, 1857, and came to this country 25 years ago. The body was shipped to his former home at Gregory, S. D., for burial on Tuesday.

Gena A. Borgen.

On Friday, June 10 occurred the death of Gena A. Borgen at her home in Norden township from hypertrophic cerrhosis of the liver. The deceased was born in this state on December 25, 1889. Burial took place on Wednesday near her home.

Doris Newton.

Doris Newton, the 2-months'-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Newton, died on Sunday, June 12, following an operation for hairlip. Funeral services were held on Monday and burial was made in Imanuel cemetary.

Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Pennington and Red Lake Counties will be held in St. Hilaire, Minnesota on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1921, beginning at two o'clock P. M. sharp.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN SWANSON,
j16 Secretary.

The Times, Pennington county's newspaper, $2 per year.

Michigan Man Chosen As Legion Commander

John G. Emery of Grand Rapids, Mich., was unanimously elected national commander of the American Legion at a meeting of the national executive committee on Monday. He succeeds Col. Fred W. Galbraith, who was killed in an automobile accident last Thursday.

Thomas J. Banningan of Hartford City, Conn., was elected vice commander, succeeding Mr. Emery in that position. The other candidate for the place was William Q. Setliffe of Chicago.

Following his election Mr. Emery announced he would fill the speaking dates arranged by the late Col. Galbraith.

North Dawota Crops Helped By Heavy Rain Wednesday

Danielson Brothers, Clay county farmers, will receive $4,000 damages from the Scandinavian-American bank at Fargo, according to a decision in Clay county district court yesterday. The plaintiffs were suing for $173,000 damages, claiming that they went into certain cattle raising deals on promise of the bank to supply loans, which were later withheld, causing loss to them.

The $4,000 represents one of a number of claims of this nature, the other claims being disallowed.

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Heavy rains were general in North Dakota Wednesday. A cloudburst at Sanger, 20 miles north of Mandan, washed out two miles of track on the Mandan-Kildeer branch of the Northern Pacific railroad. According to reports from Mandan three inches of rain fell in about two hours. Heavy rains fell throughout the Mandan territory of the Missouri Slope country, improving crop prospects, which were already bright.

Between two and three inches of rain fell in an hour at Washburn, and caused several washouts, according to advices received by the Chicago, Milwaukee and Sault Ste. Marie railroad offices. Rain fell at Jamestown and Fargo.

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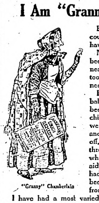

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Everybody's friend when they have coughs and colds and their children have croup and whooping cough.

Most everyone knows me. I have been going from home to home for nearly fifty years—always welcome, too, for I never fail in their hour of need.

I have helped young mothers whose babies were choking with croup, and been the comfort of parents whose children tramp to school through the wet winter weather. Many a cold and attack of bronchitis I have warded off, and thousands I have helped through the anxious moments of whooping cough. I have come to the aid of mothers and fathers when they had colds and influenza, and have been a relief to old folks suffering from bronchitis and asthma.

I have had a most varied experience; I go everywhere—among the rich and the poor, in cities and the country.

Now don't forget "Granny" Chamberlain! You will see me often now, for I am going to tell you of my experience and what can be done in your home with

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Consider Your Clothes

HAVE you ever stopped to think of the part petroleum plays in converting raw material into the fabrics which are used to make your suit of clothes? From the wool on a sheep's back to the clothes on your back is a long journey and petroleum shortens it at every step.

By machinery lubricated with petroleum, a man may shear from 175 to 200 fleeces a day. By the old method, 50 fleeces would be considered a big day's work.

After leaving the sheep, the wool passes through ten major processes before it is ready for the tailor. Each of these require the use of intricate machinery, having bearings which run at speeds varying from 350 to 12,000 revolutions per minute.

From the clipper to the last finishing machine, a diversity of mechanical conditions exist, each of which has been studied and experimented with, and a lubricant found which meets exactly the needs of the machinery.

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AUCTION SALE

As I am leaving the farm I will sell at Public Auction at my place in section 28, township of New Solum, one and one-half miles north and one mile west of Rosewood, and five miles east of Viking on

Monday, June 27th

commencing at one o'clock the following described property:

HORSES

- One sorrel mare, 8 years old, wt about 1250
- One sorrel horse, 12 years old, wt. about 1250
- One black mare, 8 years old, wt. about 1150
- One bay horse, 11 years old, wt. about 1200
- One bay mare, 11 years old, wt. about 1200
- One white mare.

CATTLE

- One Holstein cow, 4 years old, now milking
- One Holstein cow, 7 years old, now milking
- One Guernsey cow, 6 years old, now milking
- One red cow, 3 years old, now milking
- One red cow, 7 years old, fresh soon
- One red cow, 4 years old, now milking
- One red heifer, one year old
- One heifer calf, 4 months old

FARM MACHINERY

- One Owatonna, 20 disc drill
- One McCormick binder, 6 ft. cut
- One 14-in. John Deere gang plow
- One 16 in. John Deere sulky plow
- One Bittendorf wide tire wagon with box
- One narrow tire wagon
- One light spring wagon
- One Minnesota mower, 5 ft. cut
- One Deering hay rake
- One 16 disc harrow
- One six section Boss harrow
- One steel lever harrow
- One 14-inch walking plow
- One Fanning mill
- Two bob sleighs
- Two hay racks
- One galvanized water tank
- Two sets work harness
- One set light harness
- One DeLaval 500-lb. cream separator

OTHER ARTICLES

- Two heating stoves
- About 20 chickens
- Four geese; 4 turkeys
- One chicken house
- About 20 cords dry poplar wood
- ONE 1921 FORD TOURING CAR
- About 800 feet lumber
- Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—Sums of $10.00 or under, cash. Sums over that amount time will be given until Nov. 1, 1921 on bankable paper.

Zilda R. Snyder
Administrator

FARMERS STATE BANK of Rosewood, Clerk. W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer.

Sale Starts Saturday, June 18th

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

Sale Starts Saturday, June 18th

ANNUAL JUNE CLEARANCE!

SALE

Our June Sale offers extraordinary opportunities. It is a bonafide clearance sale on all high grade summer wearables. Hundreds of bargains in men's and boys' quality Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes. Astonishing price reductions on all odd lots and broken sizes of this season's most desirable merchandise at prices where the cost is not considered.

SALE

Everything in the store on sale, everything reduced

You can save money on everything you buy

CLEARANCE SALE PRICES ON ALL MEN'S AND BOYS'

SHOES

Soft black kid leather, soft and comfortable to the foot and very durable summer shoes that will fit any tender foot. Clearance sale price

$5.45

Men's good fitting shoes, gunmetal, lace, wide and roomy, sizes 6 to 11. They are Foote Schulze make. Clearance sale price

$4.45

Extra fine quality young men's brown dress Shoes, English and Semi-English lasts, full rubber heel. Clearance sale price

$5.45

One lot of add sizes and broken lots of Shoes. Clearance sale price

$2.79

One lot of $3.50 and $4.00 work Shoes, every one guaranteed leather. No paper. They are Weyenberg and Chippewa makes. Clearance sale price

$2.79

High grade soft summer comfortable work Shoes, Goodyear welt, values to $6.00. Clearance sale price

$3.95

One good lot of odd sizes and broken lots of work Shoes in black and brown. Clearance sale price

$3.45

Extra big values—one lot 8 and 10 nch high top work shoes, values to $8.00. Clearance sale price

$4.95

Boys' and Children's Shoes and Sandals

Brown barefoot sandles, durable upper and soles soft and durable. Clearance sale price

$1.29

Children's Hacre lace Shoes, foot form shape, sizes 6 to 11. Clearance sale price

$2.38

Boys' brown scout pattern Shoes, cromax leather sole. Clearance sale price

$1.89

Boys' black dress shoes, wide toes and roomy shapes. Values $4.00 and $4.50. Clearance sale price

$2.65

Boys' brown or black dress Shoes English and wide shapes. All solid leather shoes. Clearance sale price

$2.95

Boys' good work shoes, Army last, all sizes. Clearance sale price

$2.65

Boys' dark brown canvas work Shoes with rubber heels

11 to 2 ---------------------$1.88
2 to 6 ---------------------$1.98
Men's sizes ---------------------$2.19

Clearance prices on all canvas shoes.

Big Bargains---Real Clearance Prices in *UNDERWEAR*

Men's Underwear white or cream color, fine quality mesh union suits Clearance sale price ------------ **88c**

Heavy weight cotton ribbed $1.75 union suits. Clearance sale price ---------------------- **98c**

High grade exceptional fine quality athletic union suits, regular $2.50 garment. Clearance sale price **$1.45**

Good quality athletic union suits, all sizes. Clearance sale price---- **79c**

Men's heavy weight cotton shirts and drawers, all sizes. Clearance sale price ---------------------- **58c**

A wonderful bargain. A real clearance sale price on all light weight, short or long sleeves, white or cream color. Lewis $2 union suits. A garment that will please any particular man. Sizes 34 to 50 Clearance sale price ------------ **98c**

Men's good quality Ballbriggan shirts and drawers, regular 75c value, Clearance sale price ------------ **48c**

Munsing, the highest grade underwear made in sizes for stouts, longs and regular, in long or short sleeves. Clearance sale price -------- **$1.65**

Boys' fine mesh union suits, sizes, age 6 to 16. Clearance sale price ------------------- **53c**

Boys' fine ribbed union suits, in white and cream. Clearance sale price ------------------- **53c**

Boys' athletic union suits. Clearance sale price ------------ **53c**

One lot of boys' high grade union suits, in all styles, values to $1.50. Special clearance price -------- **79c**

Men's Drses Shirts We have a large assortment of striped or solid colors at clearance sale prices

98c, $1.33 $1.45

Men's Caps Entire line of Men's caps left from spring to be sold at clearance sale price

59c to $1.95

Big Reductions on all silk and silk knitted Ties in the store

69c, 79c $1.19, 1.45

Men's good Khaki all-in-all combination suits

$2.65

Men's Collar-attached fancy striped Shirts, values to $2.50

$1.19, 1.39

Men's Muleskin Work Gloves

33c

Horsehide Palm good work Gloves

69c

Clearance sale price on all Manhattan Dress Shirts in the store.

Astonishing Price Reductions on all PANTS

Regular and extra sizes, grey striped cotton worsted work pants, cuff or plain bottoms. Clearance sale price

$1.69

Our heaviest weight strongest cotton pants, tailored to fit same as any $4 or $5 dress pants. Clearance sale price

$1.95

Dark Moleskin Pants in shades which will not show dirt readily. Moleskin cloth is one of the most durable materials used in work pants. Clearance sale price

$2.95

Exceptionally strong fence-rip-prove Khaki pants. One of the strongest and thoughest khaki used; an old favorite with the railroad men and farmers. Clearance sale price

$2.95

Dress Pants

Blue Serge medium weight wool serge neat looking, and with tailored cuff bottoms

$4.79

Good weight excellent quality Blue Serge Pants, that will not fade or shrink. Clearance sale price

$5.85

Fine striped pure wool worsted, including a lot of Hart Schaffner & Marx blue serge pants. Clearance sale price

$7.45

One lot of well tailored good fitting dress pants, every one guaranteed more than your money's worth. Clearance sale price

$4.45

Good weight full size men's work Shirts Clearance sale price

58c

Two-Piece Palm Beach Suits

Our best grade of men's and young men's Palm Beach Suits, this season's styles. Clearance sale price ------------ **$17.45**

Genuine Palm Beach cloth made in single and double breasted. A complete selection to choose from. Clearance sale price **$15.45**

Interwoven best Sox on sale 3 for

$1.00

President SUSPENDERS

38c

Extra good quality Khaki Shirts

89c

BELTS

50c belts ---------38c
75c belts ---------48c
$1.00 belts ------69c
$1.50 belts ------98c

Men's 35c Linen Handkerchiefs Clearance price

19c

A big value.

Men's Dress Shirts, attached collar. New novelty Khaki shade. Clearance sale price

$1.95

Heavy weight 15c Rackford's Sox. Clearance sale price—3 for 25c

Heavy weight 15c canvas Gloves. Clearance sale price—3 for 25c

Men's and Boys' 25c Jersey Gloves 2 for 25c

One Special Lot of Suits

The fine quality pure wool blue serge Suits. Also a fine assortment of Two-Pants Suits in mixtures. Clearance Sale Price

$32.00

One lot of CORDUROY PANTS, big sizes only

$3.45

Red and Blue or white HANDKERCHIEFS

4c

Men's Dress Shirts, collar attached. The new Balloon cloth, in white, tan or stripes. In tan or bright colors values to $3.50. Clearance price

$1.95

Men's black SOX

9c

Fancy Dress SOX

23c

Heavy Work SUSPENDERS

23c

Special quality $2.50 NIGHT SHIRT

$1.79

Clearance Sale Prices on all SUITS

Here is your chance to save. A special offering of one lot of Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits. Not a suit in the lot that is worth less than $50 and $55. Clearance sale price

$39.50

Extra big values in this lot of men's and young men's suits. This season's newest patterns, in stripes, checks and plaids. Clearance sale price

$29.50

Fine grade blue serge suits, single or double breasted; also a lot of fancy cassimeres and worsteds. A special offering. Clearance sale price

$19.50

Bargain prices—real snaps on all Rain Coats and Slip-on Coats left. Every one greatly reduced.

All Florsheim Shoes and Oxfords at Clearance sale prices.

Boys' good Overalls Sizes 3 to 8

79c

Sizes 9 to 14

89c

Boys' Kaynee Blouses

58c

Boys' Work Shirts

48c

Boys' Dress Shirts

79c

Boys' Stockings 35c quality

27c

A special bargain. One lot 25c values to clean up at

9c

Boys' Hats, Cloth and straw hats, to clean up at

48c

One lot of Hat values to $1.75

79c

Special Bargain on all boys' Knee Pants Sizes 5 years to 18 at clearance prices

98c $1.29 $1.45

Boys' Khaki all-in-all suits, all sizes up to 16. Special clearance price

$1.29

Big Savings on Boys' Suits

Closing out entire line of boys' Suits including all the snappy spring styles in fancy and plain patterns, including the all wool Blue Serge Suits.

All small Suits in nice brown and grey mixtures, single or double breasted. $18.00 Suits, clearance sale price

$13.45

A big assortment to choose from in this lot of fancy models in Serges and fancy patterns. Regular $13.50 suits

$9.75

Good attractive patterns in good wearing quality of odds and ends, at clearance sale prices

$6.45

A snappy and dressy model for boys, sizes 5 to 10, all wool blue Serge Suits, regular $11.00 suit. Clearance sale price

$7.85

One lot of Juveniles' Suits, sizes 2 to 8, in corduroys and cassimeres. Clearance sale price

$3.95

One lot of this season's Suits in the latest styles, sizes to 18. Clearance sale price

$11.45

Wash Suits

Clearance sale prices on all wash suits at clearance prices. Cheaper than you can have it made and you get the Kaynee style.

An attractive middy style wash suit, nicely trimmed collar and cuffs, with embroidered emblem on sleeve. Regular $3.00 value. Clearance sale price

$1.89

Wash suits in sizes 3 to 8, made of very nice cool crash cloth. A real dressy neat suit for summer. Clearance sale price

$2.48

Boys' Indian outfit, made of Khaki cloth trimmed with red and yellow fringe headgear with assorted colored feathers. Clearance sale price

$1.48

Neat and dressy Oliver Twist wash suits; whole or combination collars. Clearance sale price

$1.65

A special lot of odd sizes and broken lots in galatta, chambray. Clearance sale price

$1.45

One lot of combination Romper suits, Kaynee style and make, to close out for a snap

48c

Boys' complete base ball suits made of strong washable cloth. Outfit complete—shirt, pants, Cap and belt. Clearance sale price

$2.45

Stetson and Gordon Hats

At Clearance Sale Prices

Big bargains in the Montana big shop Hats in black and nutria tan. Big value. Clearance sale price

$3.45

Men's $5.00 and $6.00 dress Hats in odd sizes and broken lots. Clearance sale price

$3.45

High grade dress Hats in the new styles, in dark, green, brown. Clearance price

$2.95

Men's black work hats

$1.39

One lot of cool summer cloth hats to close out.

45c

Reduction on All Stetson Hats

This Sale Is for Cash Only. Please Do Not Ask for Credit.

Goods can be returned or exchanged during this sale.

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

"The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes."

Thief River Falls, Minn.

This Sale Is for Cash Only. Please Do Not Ask for Credit.

Goods can be returned or exchanged during this sale.

You are invited to visit the printing plant of the Thief River Falls Times while in the city to take advantage of Market Day Bargains

Come early and be prepared to find staged for your benefit the greatest and most sensational price-reduction campaign ever launched in this or any other community.

It will be "Neighborhood Day" and the latchstring will dangle invitingly within reach of every hand.

We are both missing something by not being better acquainted. Let's get together.

MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION
OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

NATIONAL TRACTOR CONTEST TO BE STAGED AT FARGO, JUNE 28, 29, 30

[illegible]ow Will Be Unique in Annals of Middle Northwest—Horses and Oxen to Compete.

Scores of Tractors Entered---Cost and Efficiency Tests and Varied Character of Exhibits to Give Demonstration Marked Educational Value to City and State---Square Mile of Space Allotted---100,000 Persons May Attend.

"ALL ABOUT THE BIG SHOW"

What it is: The first National Tractor Demonstration and Contest ever held in the Middle Northwest.

Time and place: June 28, 29 and 30, 1921, at Fargo, N. D.

Purpose: To show cost and efficiency of power and horse farming.

Scope of demonstration: 100 tractors of 40 to 60 different makes, shown by an association representing 96 per cent of the tractor manufacturers of the United States; horses and oxen also to be entered, with big prizes for each.

Scope of interest: Farmers and businessmen of North and South Dakota, Minnesota, Montana and the entire Northwest.

Demonstration plat: 645 acres—better than a square mile of space for demonstration and parking; more than 60 acres for auto and vehicle parking alone.

Expected attendance: (Based on committee's previous experience with these shows)—75,000 to 100,000 guests during the three days.

Reduced fares applied for; *special train service guaranteed.* No charge for admission to the grounds.

Fargo Commercial Club in charge of local arrangements. Write for particulars.

Is the tractor really the efficient and logical source of power for farming purposes in the Northwest? Well, public opinion might naturally be divided about that, but——

THE NORTHWEST IS GOING TO BE SHOWN!

You see, the farmers of Minnesota, Montana and the Dakotas have horses galore—a few oxen, too, that could be utilized for a contest—and the men composing the Show and Demonstration Committee of the National Implement and Vehicle Association have something like 100 tractors they'd like to enter for such an event. Result: Plans for the biggest tractor demonstration and farm power contest ever held in the middle northwestern states. It's going to be held at Fargo, June 28, 29, 30,—three notable days of informational exhibits along agricultural lines! No admission charge will be made at the grounds.

Greatest Event of 1921.

The foregoing paragraphs but sketchily suggest the arrangements in progress for what promises to be the largest and most important farm gathering Fargo has ever been called upon to entertain; a gathering that will attract the attention of farmers and their families for hundreds of miles around. Its relative importance may be gathered from the fact that similar demonstrations held elsewhere about the country within recent years have customarily drawn an attendance of from 70,000 to 100,000 persons each. It is the first undertaking of similar magnitude ever proposed in this territory. [illegible]ern papers are featuring it this month as the greatest event the summer will produce.

What Fargo Contributes to Show.

What can be done to make such an event a success may be understood by the fact that the city of Fargo has secured and will contribute for the demonstration the use of 645 acres of ground near the city, to be used for tests and for the parking of visitors' automobiles. On this great tract scores of machines of every standard size and make are expected to show the efficiency with which they can plow and prepare the ground for seed.

Prizes for Horses and Ox Teams.

Besides these, the advocates of animal power for farm cultivation will demonstrate the feasibility of their plans; for five cash prizes aggregating $1,250 have been posted as an incentive for exhibits of this class. In addition to purses hung up for horsepower work, the Commercial club of Fargo offers $200 as a prize for the best team of oxen entered. Here is a [illegible] for any farmer in the North[illegible] to more than pay his expenses to [illegible] great show. Each contestant, by [illegible] way, must plow and prepare a plot [illegible] less than 10 acres, the work to [illegible] completed in each case by the [illegible] man and tractor or team. Farm[illegible] wishing to enter for the contests should communicate in advance with E. E. Whaley, manager of the demonstration, in care of the Fargo Commercial club.

Fine Site Chosen for Contest.

President Bartholomew, of the national committee of the tractor manufacturers in charge of the exhibition visited the scene of the proposed demonstration last week and pronounced the field to be the most ideal spot ever offered to the association for this purpose. Mr. E. E. Whaley of Springfield, Ohio, who is to manage the undertaking, arrived with him and viewed and approved the field. Mr Whaley has been actively engaged in the management of similar enterprises for a number of years and will bring to the work the ripest experience of a life-long tractor man.

More Than Mere Tractor Show.

That the event is to be more than a mere show of tractors and farm power units is a fact of no little interest to the people of the state, since it is announced that the committee has a large concession adjoining the demonstration plot, upon which there will be erected the booths of manufacturers of every kind of agricultural machinery that may be offered for display. Among other equipment definitely promised for the event is an extensive showing of road making machinery which will be exhibited in the actual work of grading, drawn both by tractors and trucks. The educational value of such an opportunity, on the whole, will readily be seen to be of advantage not only to actual farmers but to all who are interested in the success of this industry upon which all our prosperity is based.

Publicity Man States Plans.

John C. Pollock, chairman of the committee on publicity for the enterprise, has been busy preparing data relative to the demonstration, and advises that applications have been made to all railroads for reduced fares for the show. Special trains will be run where required, including a shuttle train service from Fargo to the exhibition grounds, a short distance west of town.

A particular activity explained by Mr. Pollock is that in which the proper committees have engaged to see that no excessive prices shall be charged for food, shelter and other necessities of visitors while present in the city or at the show. Auto service to and from the grounds will be operated at a reasonable rate. Pure drinking water and all necessary sanitary arrangements will be furnished free upon the grounds. Farmers' autos may be checked at the grounds, under protection, and at a very nominal fee.

Good Facilities for Camping.

Special attention is called to the advantages available to those who wish to bring their own tenting outfits and camp while visiting the demonstration. An abundance of space will be offered for the pitching of tents along Fargo's beautiful drives and riverside parks, so that the event may be made the basis for one of the pleasantest outings of the year.

Extreme West End of Southern Section of Demonstration Plat, a Field 1½ Miles in Length.

FARGOANS PUSH PLANS FOR BIG TRACTOR MEET

Accommodation Charges Moderate, Is Part of Plan---Low Rail Rates Requested.

GOOD SITES FOR CAMPS

Notable Character of Show Assures That Persons Missing Opportunity Will Regret They Did Not Attend.

Are you going to be one of the crowds who will visit the big tractor and demonstration contest at Fargo on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week? If you are, you will be interested to know that nearly a hundred committeemen, representing the local and general committees of arrangements, have become exceedingly active in the preparations to make this what it is confidently promised to be—the biggest and most successful event of its kind ever "pulled off" in the Northwest. Incidentally, don't forget the dates—June 28, 29 and 30—for if you fail to meet this opportunity while it is on you are going to look back upon the fact with regret.

Accommodation Rates Moderate.

Secretary W. P. Chestnut of the Fargo Commercial club has been busy, with others, in arranging to see that no profiteering is engaged in by those who are catering to the coming crowds. Not only will rooms and meals be made available at the most reasonable rates, but farmers and their wives finding it necessary to make purchases while in town will be accorded every possible consideration that a well-organized business community can afford.

Great Opportunity for Camping.

A big feature of the event will be the opportunity it offers to automobile owners and their families to take a week's outing with camping equipment and enjoy a treat seldom excelled in this line. Fargo's parks and riverside boulevards offer abundant sites for the location of restful and pleasant camps, where meals may be prepared, and congenial groups can enjoy "all the comforts of home."

Austin Predicts Big Crowds.

John Austin, the local tractor man upon whom the chairmanship of the general arrangements committee has fallen, has been indefatigable in whipping the organization into perfect shape and seeing that no elements likely to contribute to the success of the occasion have been overlooked. Under his direction the most active business men of the city have arrayed themselves upon the various committees, which now have the arrangements well in hand. Seen by a local publicity man the other day, Mr. Austin heartily endorsed the widespread opinion of implement dealers that this meeting will draw thousands of visitors to the city from all parts of the Northwest. Farmers were never considering their machinery expenditures more carefully than now, and for every dollar invested, they will naturally want to know definitely the values they are to receive. No better opportunity can be offered in this direction, along machinery lines, than that afforded by the demonstration about to be staged at this time.

Special Rail Rates Asked.

At the time of preparing this article information had not been received regarding the allowance of reduced fares on the various lines of railroad leading into Fargo, but applications had been made to the management of all lines, and prospective visitors are requested to apply to their local station agents for information on this point. As a special accommodation for the crowds the management of the Northern Pacific railway has agreed to run trains at frequent intervals between Fargo and the demonstration grounds west of town. Auto "taxi" service will also be available to and from the grounds at moderate fares.

Don't Forget Bigness of Show.

In view of previous publicity it may be trite again to mention the extensive and interesting character of the preparations for this first great tractor and power farming contest ever held here. That between 600 and 1,000 acres are being provided; that probably 100 leading makes and sizes of farm trucks *and tractors will be shown;* that every class of farming machinery is open to representation and display—all these facts combine to make this event both a spectacular and educational one second to nothing else of its kind.

Some One Will Get Big Money.

A phase of the exhibit which is bound to interest foreseeing farmers is the fact that experienced men who are provided with first-class draft teams and good farming equipment can come to this meeting and find themselves in line for big cash prizes irrespective of the question of whether or not their work technically "competes" with that of the motor-drawn outfits in economy of cost. The prizes offered (five for horse-drawn equipment and one for the best work done by oxen) aggregate a total of $1,250 and are to be awarded to the winners in their respective lines alone. Men winning out in this competition stand to make anywhere from $50 to $100 apiece at small cost, besides seeing a most unusual agricultural implement show.

Tractor School Men Will Come.

Tractor school graduates, of whom there are hundreds in North Dakota and western Minnesota alone, will be liberally represented in the gathering of the "clans" intent upon seeing what the up-to-date tractor manufacturing interests now afford. The array of self-propelling power machines here shown offers a chance of a liberal education in the outward aspects of tractor lore, plus the more minute and intimate details which are always gladly explained to interested inquirers by the operators and exhibitors in charge. As a post-graduate course for tractor men, it is generally admitted that the present opportunity cannot be excelled.

Hundreds of Exhibitors Present.

No survey of the importance of the event, as a local gathering, is at all comprehensive unless it recognizes something of the size of the army of skilled tractor and implement men who will be present either in charge of or to aid in the presentation of the various exhibits. Interviews with hotel men indicate that hundreds of reservations have been arranged for by this army of workers, each of whom is planning to bring some information for the enlightenment of the public as to the merits of his particular line.

Don't forget there will be parking facilities at the demonstration grounds and abundant means for transportation to and from the grounds for those who come by train.

Before coming to the show, be sure to ask your agent about special rates.

Flowers Are Dangerous.

The odors of many familiar flowers are poisonous. The old self-colored tulips, particularly those of a deep crimson hue, have a powerful odor which is dangerous when inhaled. This odor is of saffron flavor, and affects many people in a very peculiar manner. If breathed deeply, it has the effect of producing light headedness, which continues for some time, causing the suffered to do and say all manner of remarkable and mysterious things. Its influence often lasts for an hour or two, and is followed by deep depression.

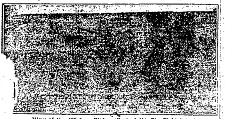

View of the 425-Acre Plat—a Part of the Big Field to Be Used for Tractor Demonstration Work.

NATIONAL TRACTOR FARMING DEMONSTRATION

FARGO, JUNE 28-29-30

TRACTORS—HORSES—OXEN

Write, Phone or Wire Commercial Club, Fargo, for Detailed Information.

LET'S GO!! LET'S GO!!

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Anders L. Svendslie.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anders L. Svendslie, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Minnie Strandwold, Inga Strandwold, Ida Feragen, Arthur Feragen, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Minnie Strandwold having been filed in this Court, representing that Anders L. Svendslie, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 23rd day of

May, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emil Ness and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of July, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 15th day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will.

Estate of Mathias Urschitz.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mathias Urschitz, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Louisa Urschitz, Lydia Steinhauer, Hubert Urschitz and Rudolf Urschitz, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Louisa Urschitz being duly filed in this court, representing that Mathias Urschitz, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 7th day of May, 1921, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters of administration with the will annexed be issued thereon to said Louisa Urschitz. Now Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of June, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable, Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 1st day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge.
(Court Seal)
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Anna K. Thoreson and Peder H. Thoreson, her husband, as mortgagors to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated December 22nd, 1915 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1915 at 4:00 o'clock P. M., and recorded in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 262, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 12th day of May, A. D., 1921, assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 12th day of May, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1921 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 590; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-six and 67-100 ($2,556.67) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash, and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five (75) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, May 18th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee,
502-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nineteen and 50-100 ($19.50) Dollars which became due on the first day of March, 1918, and which is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anders J. Dahl and Kari Dahl, his wife, mortgagors, to the Trail State Bank, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 4th day of April, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota on the 20th day of April, 1917, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 53 on page 469 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: The sum of Ninety-seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Ninety seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the First day of March, 1918, and the further sums of Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at Six per cent per annum since March first, 1919; Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1920, and Thirty-three and 07-100 ($33.07) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1918, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of the said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1300.00, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; and also the further sum of Sixty and 58-100 ($60.58) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent since the 9th day of March, 1920, the latter amount being for taxes paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage by reason of the failure of said mortgagors to pay the same; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice being the sum of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars;

And whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nineteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), said land being in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and State, on Saturday, July 9th, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day at public vendue, to pay the said debt of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars, and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated May 11th, 1921.

TRAIL STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
m19-26-j2-9-16-23

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Ligt Sigurdson and Annie Sigurdson, his wife, mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 28, 1916 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 5th day of December, 1916 at 2 o'clock P. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages on Page 110. Which mortgage was assigned by Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls to Hoag Security Company, by written assignment dated May 3rd, 1921 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota on the 6th day of May, 1921 at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 63 of Mortgages on Page 318.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $169.60 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this assignee of Mortgagee, is $228.20, a total of $397.80 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota are to-wit: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Twenty-eight (28) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota on Saturday the 25th day of June, 1921 at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota this 9th day of May, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein, in favor of A. C. El-

20th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Twenty-one and 05-100 Dollars ($21.05), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Ed. Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Ed. Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and
Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein, in favor of A. C. Ellingson and A. J. Ellingson, Co-partners as Ellingson Bros., Plaintiffs, and against Ole Narveson, defendent, on the 29th day of July, 1915, for the sum of Sixty-four and 14-100 Dollars ($64.14), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of said Ole Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and
Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
m12-19-26-j2-9-16

Sheriff's Execution Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, upon a judgment rendered in the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, in an action therein in favor of Anton Gunderson, Plaintiff, and against Ole Narveson, defendent, on the 11th day of July, 1921, for the sum of Fourteen and 84-100 Dollars ($14.84), a transcript of which said judgment has been docketed in said District Court, I have levied on all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following real property, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Government Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), in Section Thirty (30) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, and that I shall on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1921 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of the above named Ole Narveson in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution together with the interest and costs thereon.

Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff and
Judgment creditor,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Dated May 2nd, 1921.

W. J. LaBREE,
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Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—FORD Touring car in A-1 mechanical condition, 1918 Model. Body, tires and upholstering in good shape. A bargain if taken soon. Will demonstrate. Has 1921 license. Call at 320 Riverside Ave., Thief River Falls, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE—7-room, strictly modern house, 87 foot frontage, located at very good residence district, 612 LaBree Ave. North. 14tf

FOR SALE—Rug and low kitchen cabinet. Phone 292. 19

FOR SALE—80 acre farm. All high-land, 20 acres under cultivation, good fence all around farm, good buildings and water, ½ mile from school, highway and mail. Price $2500.00. Mrs. Caroline Dahlen, owner, Erie, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 135. 15tf

FOR SALE—Bantams, chicks and 1-year olds. Bernard Leimers, City. 10tf

FOR SALE—My 80 acre farm with stock and machinery, $29.00 per acre, or will sell the farm only, at a bargain, as I am moving to town. Halvor Odellen, R. 1, St. Hilaire, Minn. 19p

FOR SALE CHEAP—and on easy terms, 6 room house and 3 lots. 220 Markley Ave. S. 20p

FOR SALE—Bull tractor (10-20 H.P.) and triple Moline plows. The plows are suitable for both breaking and stubble plowing. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Hans Loken, Hazel, Minn. 20p

FOR SALE—My farm containing 160 acres, 3 miles northeast of this city, highly improved, including the crop, horses, cattle, machinery and everything on the place. Also 2-3 of the crop on C. E. Reed farm. Easy terms, no ready cash needed if you can give security, or I will just sell the land. L. I. Hermanson, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 10tf

FOR SALE—Oak fence posts. Call 411 LaBree Ave. N. or phone 2024. 19p

FOR SALE—Waterloo tractor, price $950.00. International tractor disc $150. International separator, 22 inch, $1475.00. Alfred Helgeson, Hazel, Minn. 19p

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Bates Steel Mule (13-30 H. P.). One Grand De Tours 3 bottom tractor plow with breaking bottoms. O. A. Naplin. 19

FOR SALE—7-room house 75 feet frontage, shade trees on three sides, some apple trees, wood and coal shed, barn and auto shed, good pump and well. Beautiful corner location. Part cash, balance on easy terms. Priced to sell. Call at 322 Knight Ave. N., or address Post Office box 1494. 21

FOR SALE—My property at 214 Tindolph Ave. S. Ed. O'Hara, Newfolden. 20p

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 735. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Team of 8 and 10 year old horses, weight about 1500 each. George Kassa, Thief River Falls, Minn. R. No. 3. 23p

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 1 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer, and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I will sell or trade for land in Minnesota or Wisconsin my well improved farm of 180 acres in Douglas county, Wis. 150 acres cultivated, the balance in pasture. H. E. Hunt, Leahy, Wash. 22p

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

acres near Grygla, Beltrami county, section 2, township 156, Range 36. What is your offer? Best offer accepted. H. Riegel, White Bear, Minn. 21

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Used Touring car by July 1st. Car must be in good order and price reasonable. F. F. Turner. Inquire at Hanson & Barzen Mill. 20p

WANT TO BUY—Team of horses and 4 fresh cows, or will trade for a good house. Call 408 Duluth Ave. S. 19p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, 511 Knight Ave. N. Phone 470. 19tf

FOR RENT—One 5-room flat with bath in the Dobner-Meehan building. Call 4273. 20

FOR RENT—Four rooms with private bath. 414 Conley Ave. N. 19p

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterns. 13tf

FOR RENT—Three rooms suitable for light housekeeping. 103 Duluth Ave. N. 19

FOR RENT—160 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT—Small farm, improved. Well located. Will furnish seed. John Bratrud. 10tf

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Salesman with car to call on dealers with a low priced 6,000 mile tire. $100.00 week with extra commissions. The C. L. Smith Co., South Bend, Indiana. 19p

CLERKS, (men, women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service. $120 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations, write J. Leonard (former Civil Service examiner) 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 20p

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 19p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A girl at the Northern Baking Co. 19tf

WANTED — A cook at the Ogahmah Hotel. 17tf

POSITION—WANTED

WANTED—High school girl graduate desires stenographic position. Willing worker. Write S. A. C-o Times. 21p

LOST

LOST—Brown worsted belt. The belt has two buttons and two button holes. Finder kindly return to Mrs. J. O. Sether. 19

FOUND

FOUND—A pair of brown kid gloves on the trip to Red Lake. Call at The Times office. 18p

FOUND—At Red Lake Agency the day of the tour, a pair of lady's gloves. Owner kindly call at the Times office. 19

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Plowing and breaking. Gaylord Aarnes, Kratka, Minn. 22p

ESTRAYED—Came to my place June 8 a grey mare in Norden township. Aug. Johnson, Thief River Falls, R. 1. 20p

WANTED—Will do sewing, crocheting and altering at a reasonable price. 308 Horace Ave. N. 21p

TO TRADE—Want to trade a boy's bicycle for a lady's bicycle. Call at 408 Duluth Ave. S. Ethel Carlson. 19p

WANTED TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car as part payment. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 18tf

WOULD LIKE TO HEAR from farmer who has his farm for rent. Want something with good buildings. Martin Johnson, Erie, Minn. 19

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 306, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

RAG CARPET AND RUG WEAVING—I am now prepared to take care of all orders entrusted to me for rag carpets and rugs. Work guaranteed, strictly

DEFECTIVE PAGE

TOLD IN A LINE OR TWO.

Oh, that awful hole, just where the back of the oxford rubs the stocking! If she just could have seen it herself!

And such fine new silk stockings on sale now, black and colors, by Market Day advertisers at bargain prices.

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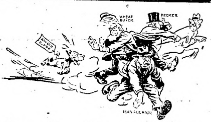

In a Gambler's Market

A clerk's error, adding three ciphers to a thousand-bushel selling order, caused wheat to fall 8¼ points on the Chicago Board of Trade last October. It didn't change the world's wheat supply by a single grain or affect actual wheat needs by so much as a crust of bread, but every farmer whose wheat was marketed that day lost money as a result.

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CASE Tractor design is the result of years of constant study of farm power requirements. It is founded on farm knowledge. The universally successful performance of Case Kerosene Tractors on the most trying farm jobs is proof of their Agricultural Adaptability.

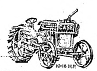

Every Case Tractor is equipped with a vertical four-cylinder, valve-in-head, kerosene-burning motor, mounted crosswise on a twist-proof frame. This design makes possible the delivery of from 65 to 70% of the motor's power at the drawbar.

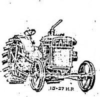

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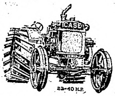

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"Passion" a Great Picture; Some Approve, Others Not

Perhaps the most widely discussed moving picture that has been shown in Thief River Falls is "Passion," in which Pola Negri starred on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings. It is a fairly accurate portrayal of the historical incidents in the career of the famous Madam DuBarry of the French court and the lesson it seeks to convey is the old one that it pays better in the end for a girl not to make too great a sacrifice in order to gain temporarily a place which causes only the very foolish to envy. The photography in the picture is the best that has been seen here for some time, the cast is well balanced and convincing and the whole really a work of rare merit. It is not a Sunday school picture, but on the other hand there are no disgusting features. Manager Brumund secured the picture upon the recommendation of theatre men in every section of the country and deserves credit for taking a chance with such a costly production. He has others in store, some of them now being tried out under the most severe tests and under the supervision of the most merciless critics in the moving picture world. If they pass and are accepted Mr. Brumund has been assured that his treatres will be placed among the bookings at the earliest opportunity.

Col. Leach Elected.

Col. George E. Leach, late commander of the 151st Field Artillery in France, was on Monday elected mayor of Minneapolis by a majority of 13,000 of Thomas Van Lear, socialist candidate. The campaign was one of the most bitter in the history of Minneapolis.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.30
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.20
Oats	.23
Flax	1.60
Barley	.30
Rye	1.00
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	5.10
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	.300
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.16
Dairy butter	.20
Creamery butter	.32
Cow hides, per lb.	.03
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Joseph Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Ada Johnson, Inez Johnson, Carl Johnson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Ada Johnson having been filed in this Court, representing that Joseph Johnson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 31st day of May, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Robert McGinn, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You, and each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of July, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this sixth day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
E. HALVORSON,
Attorney for Petitioner.
j9-16-23

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW
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Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Seven and 75-100ths ($507.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by F. D. Heard, an unmarried man, Mortgagor, to Sam Nauman and N. E. Gaass Mortgagees, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April 1920, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 62 of Mortgages, on page 416, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The east half of the southwest quarter (E½SW¼) and lots three (3) and four (4), of section nineteen (19), in township one-hundred-fifty-three (153) north, of range forty-five (45), west of the fifth principal meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 27th day of July, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $507.75 and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 2nd, A. D. 1921.

SAM NAUMAN,
N. E. GAASS,
Mortgagees.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagees' Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
j9-16-23-30-jl7-14

Summons.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. City of Thief River Falls, Municipal Court.

Alf Borry, Plaintiff vs. Ollie Warner or Werner, Defendant.

The State of Minnesota, To any Police Officer of said city, to the Sheriff or any Constable of said county:

You are hereby commanded to summon Ollie Warner or Werner if he shall be found within the County of Pennington, to be and appear before the Municipal Court of the City of Thief River Falls, at a term thereof to be holden on the 28th day of June A. D. 1921, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, and answer to the complaint of the plaintiff in a Civil Action, whose complaint is on file in said Court and have you then and there this writ.

Witness the Honorable N. W. Tarrant, Municipal Judge, this 28th day of May, A. D. 1921.

N. W. TARRANT,
Municipal Judge.
(Seal)
j2-9-16

AMUSEMENTS

At The Lyceum

TONIGHT
Tom Mix
"PRAIRIE TRAILS"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
"THE MIDNIGHT PATROL"
—Also—
Joe Ryan
"THE PURPLE RIDERS"

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Wallace Reid
"ALWAYS AUDACIOUS"
It's one of his best—all Actions and Thrills. He lost his fortune and his girl. Did he get them back?
Come and see.
It's a Paramount Picture.
—Also—
A Sunshine Comedy

At The Princess

SUNDAY ONLY
Elaine Hammerstein
"PLEASURE SEEKERS"
If you are looking for a good time meet Elaine in "Pleasure Seekers"
—Also—
Snub Pollard
"MAMMAS BOY"

Are You Overlooking This Opportunity?
Just a few days left.
15 per cent Discount on Dental Work

Remember that you need not have all of your dental work done this month to be entitled to the 15% discount. All you need is to see us before the 1st of June, and we will give you the same discount on future dental work.

Extractions 50c

Gas administered Scientifically

We charge less because we do more.

EXAMINATIONS FREE

We do not charge for estimations and are always pleased to answer any and all questions. Write us about your teeth troubles.

Phone in your appointments

Union Dentists
Thief River Falls.

A pleased patient is our best advertisement

Scandia Building

Above First and Peoples Bank.

Daily Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays: 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Little Want Ads Fill Your Wants Quickly

WRIGLEY'S
P-K's
10 FOR 5¢
"AFTER EVERY MEAL"

The new sugar coated chewing gum which everybody likes—you will, too.

WRIGLEY'S
P-K's
PEPPERMINT
SUGAR COATED GUM
P-K's 10 PIECES

A delicious peppermint flavored sugar jacket around peppermint flavored chewing gum that will aid your appetite and digestion, polish your teeth and moisten your throat.

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WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT
WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT
WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT

THE FLAVOR LASTS

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Thief River Falls Merchants Association

MARKET DAY SPECIAL

Supplement to The Thief River Falls Times, Thursday, June 16, 1921

FIRST GUN IN MAMMOTH CAMPAIGN TO ESTABLISH THIEF RIVER FALLS AS NORTHWEST'S TRADING CENTER

Special Market Days With Entertaining Attractions Will Be Held in Thief River Falls on Fourth Wednesday of Each Month.

The objective of the Thief River Falls Merchants Association Market Day campaign has not as its motive engaging in competition with the rural retailers, and most emphatically is conducive of the home idea in purchasing, for they realize that when city merchants go after the rural home trade they are inclined to ignore absolutely the rural situation. They don't give a hang if they get in bad with the small town merchant and they risk his enmity and thereby lose the entire value of their campaign of community building.

Such a campaign may work out for one year but it will eventually prove detrimental to the community trying to put it across. It's next year the Merchants Association of Thief River Falls has in mind, and the year after that, and the years that are to follow.

It is a well-known trade fact that purchasers, by force of habit and through a mistaken belief, do to a certain extent look upon distant markets as being something of a superior nature. Just as distant pastures appear greenest but in effect are often more barren than home fields, so is the open market. And it is with the idea of using the home market first and the nearest home market when one cannot be supplied in his ordinary field of trade that this campaign is launched.

The Chicagoan feels that goods purchased in New York must be superior to those found at home, and as a matter of fact he usually purchases Chicago goods in New York. The Twin City shopper thinks that surely Chicago goods must have it over home products and therefore spends time and money to purchase goods originating in St. Paul or Minneapolis. Such is the case all down the line, when, as a matter of fact, if the purchaser would comb the home market first and BUY AT HOME and carry out the idea all the way down the line, communities would be more prosperous, the people more contented and the spirit of unrest would be a thing of the past.

In the operation of this system all markets would receive the patronage that they deserve. If the home market was not alive and up-to-the-minute, the trend of business would move to the next nearest home market and the aim of modern business would be to establish a most attractive home market *to deserve the patronage of the public.*

In the evolution of home trading it is a recognized fact that the rural merchant is unable to keep up his stock to such a capacity as will fill all the wants of his customers and all of the residents of his community, and it is therefore necessary that they seek the next most advantageous market. This market should be made by its merchants advantageous and attractive to the purchaser. Unless this is done the home merchant cannot expect the patronage he would otherwise be in a position to demand.

Thief River Falls merchants believe they have put themselves in such a position as to warrant your patronage and that before you go into distant, greener-appearing pastures, you inspect the local market. Also that when you require a distant market, you offer to your nearest home market an opportunity to serve. You will be surprised how well your wants can be taken care of in your own community.

We also believe that in the event that our local markets fail to serve the most discriminating buyers, that the opportunity be given to our nearest grown-up neighbors. You will find that the greenest and most desirable pastures for grazing in the fields of modern merchandise will be found oftentimes at your very back door.

FREE AUCTION SALE SCHEDULED TO BE HELD IN THE MORNING AS ONE OF DAYS LEADING EVENTS

Any Articles May Be Listed by Individuals and They Will Be Sold at This Big Sale Free of Charge To All Participating.

Sales will not only be made by merchants on Market Day but a public auction sale has been planned and a highly efficient auctioneer secured. Market Day visitors from the country are invited to bring anything from a threshing rig to a baby carriage, out of service, and the genial sheriff of Pennington county will impress the virtues of the article upon the patrons of the sale. Exchanges of benefit to those participating will be the order of the hour.

The free auction sale is limited to visitors from the country and individuals in the city who have articles to offer for sale, but no person engaged in business will be permitted to offer articles for sale, this event being staged for the exclusive benefit of Market Day patrons.

If you have some article of value lurking around the place that has lost its desirability in your eyes, it may be just the thing your neighbor needs. Bring it along and assist in carrying out the spirit of the day—the exchange of commodities to the mutual benefit of all concerned.

The sale will take place on the corner of Fourth street and LaBree avenue, immediately in the rear of Hall Brothers' hardware store, and will commence at 10 o'clock a. m. All entries for sale must be made with the representatives of the First National bank, which institution has gratuitously offered its services in clerking the sale.

All sales will be for cash. Arrangements will have to be made by the individual purchasers with their bank for credit service in connection with the free auction sale, and representatives of all banks in the county are requested to be present at the sale for the purpose of handling such transactions as are arranged for by their patrons.

It is hoped that full advantage of this first sale will be taken by the public and that the free auction sales of future Market Days will be developed to such a point that they will be of great value to the Market Day visitors. The Merchants Association will do everything in its power to make these free auction sales a real benefit to the community.

Visitors are requested not to bring useless articles but to offer for sale only such articles as are of value to one requiring their use.

It is hoped to develop the market sale idea to the point of arranging an exchange of farm products between the growers and the merchants and the growers and the public, which will work out to the mutual advantage of the grower, the merchant and the buyer. The Market Day committee is now planning along that line.

Contrary to common belief the handling of fruits and vegetables is not profitable to the retailer and he would be the first one to welcome a medium of exchange of such products direct from producer to consumer.

THE TRUTH IN ADVERTISING.

That advertising pays the advertiser is evidenced by the fact that each year brings forth greater effort on his part. That it pays the buying public is even more evident. Careful buyers follow advertising very closely and make their purchases at such times as special bargains are offered. If the public were not the gainer in advertised sales they would not be continued as they would not pay the advertiser.

To be in a position to advertise, the merchant must have a commodity that is desired by the public. He must have the styles and colors and designs demanded and must present them in such a manner that they will prove attractive and create a desire on the part of the buying public to become the owner of the article advertised.

After creating the desire on the part of the purchaser the advertiser must offer his commodity at such a price that the buyer will be pleased to pay what the advertiser asks for the article offered for sale. But the most essential element in advertising is an expression of the old honored virtue, TRUTH, and for advertising to be successful for advertiser as well as purchaser, that doctrine must be fully complied with in every element in the makeup of a sale of any commodity, from a battleship to a paper of pins.

The purchase by the mercantile buyer of marketable goods is highly important. The proper display of the goods to the public through the newspaper—the right arm of the advertiser—the whole TRUTH must be told in each instance to make advertising really pay. It is money thrown away by the advertiser and time lost by the purchaser if that law of advertising is not carried out, and both are the loser.

That the TRUTH shall be told in the Merchants Association Market Day campaign is assured by the fact that a censor committee will investigate every advertisement placed in this supplement before it is presented to the printer in order that the buying public may be protected. Every statement in this supplement will be backed up by the Merchants Association.

ROUND ROBIN SALE NEW FEATURE OF LOCAL MERCHANTS

Business Men Going to Pay Visitors to Come Into Stores and Get Acquainted.

"The Latch String" Published Elsewhere in This Section Gives Complete Details.

Although the Latch String of Thief River Falls is always out to her neighbors of Northwestern Minnesota, the merchants participating in this "Let's Get Acquainted" campaign, through the Round Robin Sale, desire by special inducement to convince the buying public of this great section that Theif River Falls is the logical trade center of the northwestern part of the state.

To accomplish this we want you to visit our stores—not for the purpose of purchasing our goods only—but to become acquainted with us as individuals. We feel that when you have become acquainted with our places of business and realize the merchandising opportunities that our city, stores and places of business offer you will come often, and we are confident that an inspection by you of our goods, with the varied range of styles and patterns to select from, offered at attractive prices, will convince you that your future trading point should be Thief River Falls.

We want to get acquainted with you personally, to meet you, shake hands with you, and you will find that we are regular fellows like yourselves. If you like our style and desire to favor us with your future patronage you will find us ever on the alert to serve you in every capacity known to modern merchandising.

We are going to shoot square with you and tell you just why we are willing to sell you TWENTY POUNDS OF SUGAR FOR ONE DOLLAR. We believe that Thief River Falls is the real trade center of Northwestern Minnesota, both in wholesale and retail lines, for the supplying of those articles and lines not regularly carried by the home merchant, and—thoroughly thus—we believe in patronizing the home merchant and that is the reason for this campaign. We are your home merchant when your wants cannot be satisfied in your own locality.

To get down to the meat of this idea: We want to prove to you that you do not have to go into any larger trade centers to secure the best of modern merchandise, sold by modern merchants and at modern prices.

Believing as we do we have arranged a novel "Get Acquainted" plan in our ROUND ROBIN SUGAR SALE, the rules of which will be found on the "Latch String" page in this issue.

Now, honestly, weren't you surprised at the smart becomingness of that bit of neckear that Mrs. Harris had on the other day? And it might have been picked from this special collection of vestees, guimpes and collars, especially prices for Market Day distribution by Thief River Falls merchants.

PROGRAM OF THE DAY

10 A. M.
Free Public Auction Sale.

2 P. M.
Special Matinee of "The County Fair" at Lyceum Theatre.

3:30 P. M.
Baseball: Thief River Falls vs. Argyle at Fair Grounds.

Band Concerts Throughout Day.

Big Dance at Auditorium in the Evening.

BUSINESS HOUSES PRESENT SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS

Biggest Bargains of the Season Are Offered by Merchants as First Market Day Specials.

New Stocks of Merchandise Marked at Readjustment Period Prices Will Be on Display.

To find a large number of merchants in a community hoping that things will so shape themselves that they will lose a lot of money is, to say the least, rather unusual. This, however, is exactly what the merchants of Thief River Falls hope to accomplish on Market Day—June 22. In fact the success of the entire Market Day enterprise will to a large degree be determined by the amount of their losses. Unless they are out of pocket on the proposition they will be greatly disappointed.

In looking over the Market Day specials advertised exclusively in The Times this week, the reader cannot help but be convinced that this is no ordinary price-reduction campaign. The slashing is so general and so deep that nothing like it has ever before been known in this section. Every line of business is represented and practically every store and merchandising place in the city is involved. There is an avalanche of bargains such as has never before been seen in this or any other community.

Big Loss on Sugar Alone.

Take alone the offer of 20 pounds of sugar for one dollar and stop to think what this loss will amount to when divided among the nine merchants who are footing the bill on this particular item. It should be remembered that the difference in the sale price and buying price is not all that must be taken into consideration. There is the work of weighing and sacking up ten tons of sugar, dividing it into 20-pound packages. This work must all be done beforehand as the rush on Market Day will be so great that there will be time for nothing except handing the sugar out and collecting the one dollar. There are also sacks, string and a day's general overhead charge to be set against this one undertaking.

Another Example.

Then there is the offering of the Larson Furniture company. This is not mentioned here for the purpose of giving the advertisement undue prominence but is picked out because it happens to be the only furniture advertisement in the lot. Not only are the discounts unusual, but all goods purchased by parties residing outside of town will be crated for shipment free of charge and the freight will be paid on them to the home station of the purchaser. The other offers are similarly attractive and unless all are read carefully the shopper is liable to miss an opportunity of saving considerable money. It should be borne in mind that the items quoted in the advertisements are in most instances not the only ones on which reductions will be made on this day, the knife having very generally been applied to everything in the stores.

Make it a Holiday.

There will be enough attractions of different kinds in the city on the 22nd to make it advisable for all the neighbors to come early and stay to the end. One feature that is creating considerable interest is the free auction at which anyone can offer for sale any article they may wish to convert into cash and buy something else of which they may stand more greatly in need.

It will be a wonderful day for the ultimate consumer. He has been waiting for things to change somewhat in his favor for a long time. Now that the day has arrived it will be interesting to note just to what extent he takes advantage of the situation. The business men will meet him more than half way.

THE WHYS AND WHEREFORES OF SALES.

To others than close students of "sales" the reason for the offering of merchandise at prices below the ordinary market is often misunderstood and often disbelieved. Many times you hear it expressed that a sale is the "marking up" and then the "marking down" of articles to fool the public. Such efforts are of no benefit to the merchant and one who practices such methods does not remain long in business. He soon loses the confidence of the buying public.

The secret of all business success, whether it be on the farm, in the factory or in the mercantile field, is quantity production on the farm and in the factory, and quantity of output in the mercantile field. The merchant who can turn over three times the volume of the other fellow with the same overhead will be returned the winner. Therefore every dollar's worth of business gained through advertising that would not come to the merchant in the ordinary channels of business, increases his earnings at the end of the year. That is the reason he can afford to advertise and why he can afford to sell at a lower price and offer attractive prices which will make the transaction profitable to the customer as well as to the storekeeper. Close buyers are very keen to keep informed as to those who follow this plan and they are the ones who pick off the real bargains.

Finance problems affect the merchant just as they do the farmer, the factory owner and other activities, and, just as the farmer is often compelled to sell his products below the normal market price to obtain funds, the manufacturer is compelled to dispose of his product to the retailer at a lower figure. The retailer in turn is often compelled to to offer his merchandise at such prices as will bring him funds, regardless of profits, and the assisting agency of all these persons is advertising.

FASTEST BASEBALL TEAMS IN NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA WILL BATTLE FOR HONORS ON DIAMOND

Thief River Falls and Argyle Semi-Professional Teams Have Been Selected For Special Market Day Attraction At Fair Grounds.

Everyone will have the opportunity to witness a fast ball game between Argyle and Thief River Falls next Wednesday. The game will be played at the Fair grounds and will be called at 3 o'clock.

The Argyle team is composed largely of salaried players and the local outfit is expecting a real battle. The Argyle outfit has been playing all of the fastest teams in this part of the state as well as a number from eastern North Dakota and has won a large percentage of the games.

The local team has in its line up some of the fastest men in the Northwest, including Pete Morse, who was with the St. Louis Cardinals one year and with Seattle in the Coast league for four years. Len Schroeder, who managed the Little Falls team last year, is holding down first base and taking his turn in the box. Schroeder played with Columbus in the American Association for two years and was with Cincinnati in the National league one year. He is conceded to be the fastest first baseman playing semi-professional ball in the Northwest. Federolf, who is the pitching mainstay of the locals, will very likely do the slab work in this game. He has been pitching great ball all season. In the two games which he pitched against Warren he allowed but four hits in each game.

The local team has played eight games, winning six and losing two, one of these being a ten-inning game at Fertile, which they lost by the score of 3 to 4.

This game promises to be worth coming a long distance to see and the local merchants feel they have secured an attraction which will please the Market Day crowd.

DAYS WHEN EVERYTHING IS GROWING SO FINELY—

The rich soil, the right seed, the gracious rains and the kind, helpful hands, bring splendid growth.

But something else is growing, too, these days.

Not the least of all great necessaries—

The expanding Dollar!

This year's Dollars are giants compared with those of last year and the year before. So much bigger in buying power that one can scarcely believe it until the actual proof is seen.

Come to Thief River Falls, Market Day, June 22, and measure the bigness of the dollars this season.

A JUNE RAINBOW OF SILKS FOLLOWS STORM AMONG THE PRICES.

All the clouds that preceded this June happening were by reason of lost profits and those of the makers who had to cut the prices.

There was a gracious rainfall of reductions and there has been a wonderful windfall of happy bargains in all the rich tissues of which summer's silken frocks are to be made.

The lustrous taffetas, the soft crepes, the clinging satins the plain colored silks, the exquisitely figured silks, the smart striped silks—every stylish and highly desired sort is included in this unusual offering.

What a pleasure to pick out exactly the kinds you want, and then pay so much less than silks have been before, in many a moon.

Come early and get the best of the occasion.

ALL LEATHER HEELS STRONG.

At this stage of the fall style development nothing stands out prominently as an indication of what may eventually grow into the leader. Straps are prominently featured, although two or three of the manufacturers feel that the strap models will simmer down to a one strap shoe fastening with a button. Buckles appear to be passing out. Toes are slightly rounder, vamps a bit shorter and heels slightly lower. One manufacturer predicts that full Louis heels for the fall season will measure, at the maximum, two inches over all. In the matter of heels, the all leather Cuban and military heels are coming in stronger, in the opinion of some of the leading makers.

THE VICIOUS CIRCLE.

When someone stops advertising, someone stops buying;
When someone stops buying, someone stops selling;
When someone stops selling, someone stops making;
When someone stops making, someone stops earning;
When somebody stops earning, everybody stops buying.

Lyceum Wednesday and Thursday Matinee Daily

The County Fair

Another stage hit that never missed fire

A splendid picturization of the famous Neil Burgess play.
A Maurice Tourneur Production

Wesley "Freckles" Barry at His Best—Watch for the Street Parade—Company Carries its Own Orchestra—See the Great Horse Race—HEAR Sawyer's Corner Prize Huskin' Bee Band Render Daily Concerts in Front of The Theatre.

At the Princess, Wednesday Only

Buck Jones and his Famous Horse, "Blondy" in "THE ONE MAN TRAIL"

This is a live-wire Western Picture with beautiful Western Scenes. Buck Jones' daring riding is an entertainment in itself. Also Charley Chaplin in "BEHIND THE SCREEN"

Thief River Falls Market Day, Wednesday, June 22

Bring the Whole Family--Hear the Band--Make it a Holiday

A NEW SATISFACTION.

There's a new satisfaction:
In storekeeping for us—
In shopping for you.
The days of uncertainty have passed by.
The days of confidence are here again.

For years prices were unsettled, so that one never knew today what prices would be tomorrow. No injury was done so long as we were sure that prices would always be higher the next time, but it was most perplexing for us and for you when we had to worry each time we went to buy goods as to how soon prices would go down and we would have paid too much for the goods.

Now we have reached the happy time when PRICES ARE STABLE AGAIN. We, as merchants, may now buy goods on the market with considerable assurance that there will be no immediate or large reductions from the prices we have paid. So also you, when you come to the store to buy things, may have perfect assurance that prices will not be lower in a few days—except, as is always the case in storkeeping—must always be the case—that prices will be cut on odd lots that are being cleared out of stock, for good merchandising reasons.

Right now we are BACK TO NORMALCY. Prices are reasonable and fair on practically all lines of goods, and right now, in our stores, many special offerings are being made, at prices much lower than they will be when a new season opens and regular prices must be paid again.

That is the kind of storekeeping that Thief River Falls merchants like—the kind that will be so much greater satisfaction to you, every time you have goods to buy—and especially right now. Come and see.

A CARNIVAL OF RIBBONS!

It seems as though every summer frock were to be made a foundation on which to drape glorious ribbons—for rich ribbons are all the rage—here as they are in Paris.

The rarest gowns must be adorned with a radiant ribbon sash that glorifies the wearer's waist and then falls in colorful cascades to the bottom of her skirt, or far below.

So the main feature of the ribbon event is the assemblage of sash ribbons, of every tone and hue, of every texture and figuring—purchased just as the season closed for the makers, and just as it is beginning for you.

Many of the low prices are quite startling, and many of the lots are in small quantities that you'll want to look through promptly.

Of course, all other kinds of ribbons are here as well—for millinery, for lingerie, for baby's garments, and all decorative purposes—all at special prices, too.

Perhaps it's your little girl who is so eager for a new "dress-up" frock? Just the nicest kinds will be found in attractive Market Day offerings. To see is to believe. Convince yourself.

For One Day Only
Wednesday, June 22
Market Day

The quotations below are positively for one day only.

Weyenberg and Chippewa well-known good honest Work Shoes, values to $4.50, Market Day Special	$1.98
Extra good full size Work Shirts, Market Day Special	47c
The finest and best fitting underwear on the market, the MUNSINGWEAR. Short or long sleeves for regular men, or short, stout and tall men; regular $2.50 quality. Market Day Special	$1.40

Lieberman Brothers
—the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx good clothes

BARGAIN DAY, Wed., June 22

A special discount of 25% will be given on all dry cleaning brought to us on the above date. This reduction is for ONE DAY ONLY; no discount given on goods brought before or after this date.

Take Advantage

of this BARGAIN DAY SPECIAL and have your garments cleaned by modern methods; where cleanliness and sanitation reign supreme and with no gasoline odor remaining in the garment.

Thief River Dress Club
Phone 42
102 Main Ave. South
Thief River Falls, Minn.

City Meat & Grocery

E. L. ROLLAND, Prop.
Phone 10

THE WOMAN WHO KNOWS

groceries and values is a constant visitor here. She is aware in the first place that she can rely absolutely upon the quality of things for the table. And she is quite sure that to seek lower prices for groceries of similar quality is perfectly useless. We shall be pleased to have you put our service to a test.

Market Day Specials

Spaghetti, 5 packages	35c
Picnic Hams, per lb.	17c
Cocoa, 2 lbs. for	25c
10 pounds California Prunes	$1.00
10 pounds Fancy Blue Rose Rice	60c
22 bars Brown Soap	$1.00
Standard Tomatoes, per can	10c
Peaches, No. 2½, per can	20c
Apricots, No. 2½, per can	20c
Fancy Salmon, 1 lb. can	18c

Free delivery to any part of city at all times.

Special Market Day Sale on Farm Machinery, Wednesday, June 22

Massey-Harris, the Great Canadian Quack Grass and Sow Thistle Machine with two sets of shovels for 4 horses. Reg. Price $1[illegible].00. Sale price	$98.00
Kellar Steel Wheels Farm Truck. Regular price $68.00. Sale price	$55.00
Overland Wagon Boxes 26 in. high. Regular price $42.00. Sale price	$35.00

TIRE SALE

5000 miles guaranteed Tires, for one day only at the following prices. Get the tires you need for the season at these reduced prices:

30x3 Plain Tire, Reg. price $11.60. Sale price	$9.65
30x3½ Non-Skid Tires, Reg. price $15.80. Sale price	$12.15

RAMBECK & STONE CO.

Eat at the Thief River Cafe—

YOU WILL BE SERVED PROMPTLY AND WELL

DOUBLE CREWS. EVERYTHING READY FOR THE JUNE 22 CROWDS

MEALS—LUNCHES—ICE CREAM AT ALL HOURS

E. M. Stanton, Jr., Prop.

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12 quart Galvanized Pails 21c
Only one pail sold to each customer.

O-Cedar Polish Mop With Handle

For Dusting, Cleaning and Polishing Floors, Woodwork and Furniture. Also excellent for Oil Cloth and Linoleum covered floors. Is treated with O-CEDAR POLISH and can be cleaned, washed and renewed.

Regular price	$1.50
Market Day Sale price	75c
You save	75c

A STORE FULL OF BARGAINS

Always first in line with Lowest Prices.

Hall Brothers Co.
"A Good Place to Trade"
Hardware - - - - Farm Machinery
315 Horace Ave. North - Phone 15
Thief River Falls, Minn.

THE HOME BANK

Farmers & Merchants State Bank
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

MUSIC MUSIC MUSIC

While in the City

COME IN AND LET US PLAY THE LATEST PHONOGRAPH RECORDS FOR YOU—BY THE BEST KNOWN ARTISTS

Thief River Music Co.

SPECIAL

WRIST WATCHES, 15 JEWEL, 20 YEAR CASES
$18.00

OLAF NESET
JEWELER AND OPTOMETRIST

Here Is a Real Bargain!

Four pounds of our regular 35c coffee

$1.00

CARL CHRISTOFFERSON & COMPANY
THE BEST OF EVERYTHING IN GROCERIES

Special on Pure Aluminum For Market Day—

3 Pint Rice Boiler Each	85c
4 Quart Convex Kettle with cover Each	85c
10 Quart Water Pail Each	85c
6 Quart Preserving Kettle Each	85c
3 Quart Lipper Sauce Pan with cover Each	85c
4 Quart Lipper Sauce Pan with cover Each	85c
3 Quart Convex Sauce Pan with cover Each	85c
3 Quart Pudding Pan Each	85c
4 Quart Preserving Kettle Each	85c

100 Piece Set French Haviland Dinnerware
15% OFF MARKET DAY

MULRY'S
5c and 10c BAZAAR

People's Co-op. Store

Market Day Specials

One lb. cans Pink Salmon, 2 for	25c
Large Can Apricots, per can	22c
Evaporated Milk, tall, 2 for	25c
People's Special Steel Cut Coffee, per lb.	22c
One lb. Can Baking Powder, per can	20c

M. G. Stageberg

The "O. K." Jeweler, who is always reliable.

Special prices on high grade silverware. Get my prices.

Two new guaranteed Phonographs at a bargain—"First come, first served."

Fine watch repairing a specialty—the best work—the most reasonable prices.

Market Day Special Leader!

Ladies'
Patent Leather
Pumps and Oxfords
Regular $7.50
values at
$2.75

FROSETH'S SHOE STORE

June 22 Will Be Market Day in Thief River Falls

And it will be our aim to give our customers Bargains that will make it well worth while for them to come a long distance to buy our goods on that day. Here is a list of only a few items, but we will have many others:

650 lb. Iowa Cream Separator. Regular price $135.00, at	$90.00
Round Oak Chief Range. Regular price $132.50, at	$90.00
Simmon's Leader Range. Regular price $75.00, at	$45.00
100 Wearever Aluminum Kettles. Regular price $1.05, to be sold at	29c
Aluminum Covers to fit Kettle. To be sold at	14c
12 qt. Heavy Galvanized Pails. Regular price 45c, at	25c

Bottem Hdw. Co.
The Winchester Store—Phone 23

Wednesday, June 22, Special At the KLEANALL SHOP

Ladies' or Gents Suits French Dry Cleaned and Pressed at
$1.00

All your garments will look and feel like new when they are returned to you. We pride ourselves on our work and lead in low prices.

Why Not Save Money?

We will have a special bargain on Market Day. One that will interest everybody.
Watch for our Circulars.

ZEH & CURRAN
Consumers Wholesale Grocers

LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

A Good Place to Trade

If You Knew Us You Would Like Us

Watch the People Who Come Here

The Palace Clothing House

FASHION PARK CLOTHES
LaBree Avenue.

4 Big Specials For Market Day

Boys' Suits with 2 pairs of pants, fully lined	$7.95
Khaki Pants, regular $2.50 and $3.00 values, all sizes	$1.69
Young men's Suits, latest styles, all colors. Worth up to $25	$11.95
Union Suits, short sleeves, long legs, sizes up to 50, Ecru color	79c

Palace Clothing House

Beads
400 strings of Bead Necklaces values to $1.50. Your choice at string
39c

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Tooth Paste
Your choice of Pebeco or Pepsodent. Large 50c and 60c tubes only choice each tube
39c

The Greatest Bargains you ever heard of will be offered you for this great

Market Day Wednesday, June 22

We are going to make it pay you to come one hundred miles or more to this great bargain festival. Everybody is coming, so be here, and bring the whole family.

1220 yards of the finest 50c and 65c Voiles you ever saw. 32 new designs and patterns bought while in St. Paul last week especially for this day, June 22. All 40 inches wide. The greatest Voile Bargain in 14 years. Think of it—a new Voile Dress for $1.00 to $1.25. Your choice Wednesday, June 22, yard 25c

2810 Yards Direct Mill Shipment of **36 and 40 in. Dress Silks**. All mill ends mostly 5, 7, 10 and 15 yard lengths. There are 40 in. Georgettes, 40 in Crepe De Chenes, 36 in. Taffetas, Messalines, Plaids, Stripes—a variety of over a hundred patterns to choose from. All regular $5.00, $3.50 and a few $2.50 silk values. This one day, Wednesday, June 22 come take your choice at yard $1.00

25 fine all leather Ladies' and Misses Purses and Vanity Boxes. Another remarkable special purchase everyone of them our regular $5.95 values for this day, each $1.95

Galvanic White Laundry Soap The big new bars—20 bars for $1.00 or Box of 100 bars for $4.69

36 In. wide Stanard Percales basement bargains. Over 100 patterns to choose from in lights, darks and greys. Just think of it—last year you paid 40c—Now choice per yd. 15c

Gingham Effects. Wash goods in a nice variety of plaids and checks. A wonderful cloth at our price for Wednesday, June 22nd at yard 9c

144 Strings of Imported Beads, 24, 36 and 40 inches long of cranberry red, jet black, steel cut, jet and red combinations, diamond cut, deep rich reds. A remarkable assortment of high grade neck chains retailing everywhere at $3.50 and $4.00 per string. Here only at choice 98c

808 pieces of new jewelry, 25c and 35c values—Rings, Bar Pins, Cuff Links, Beauty Pins, etc./etc., for Wednesday, June 22 only, choice each 10c

25 Genuine hand-tooled Oriental leather Purses. The kind sold only in high class jewelry and drug stores at $8.50 to $10.00. Here on sale at each $3.95

$2.50 guaranteed for one year boys' Watches. The old famous Ingersol nickel watch. Here only at each $1.19

Women's Pure Silk Hose The greatest silk hose bargains in town. All sizes, all shades, at pair 98c

Dollar 40 in. Voiles. Our very best quality. Now your choice at yard 59c

Women's, Misses' and Children's
Ready-to-Wear

at sharp reductions for quick clearance

25 New Spring Suits, all wool Men's-Wear Serges; fancy silk lined. All wool Tweeds, all wool Jerseys, nearly all sizes. Mostly $25.00 and $30.00 values. Wednesday, June 22 your choice $15.00

One lot of Ladies' and Misses Dresses, $18.50 and $15.00 values. Silks and Serges. Wednesday, June 22 choice each $9.95

Aprons, several cover-all styles. Values to $1.25 at each 69c

100 white Middies, all sizes. A special recent purchase now on this sale at each 99c

All Silk Georgette Waists, $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00 values at each $5.95

Bargain Basement Wonder Values

9-4 Bleached Sheeting, yard 39c

Fancy Dress Ginghams, yard 19c

36 in. Bleached Muslin, Wednesday, June 22 only, at yard 10c

Boys' and Girls durable Black Stockings, all sizes, at pair 10c

Heavy Galvanized Wash Tubs, size 2 89c

Aluminum Sauce Pans, 6 quart size. Reg. value $1.25 69c

Heavy 12 quart Galvanized Pails. Look at the price. each only 35c

LOKEN BROTHERS
Thief River Falls' Greatest Store

MORE FARM BUILDINGS AND BETTER ONES.

A good farm is worth good buildings.

Any farm is good that provides a living for the family.

Comfortable buildings help to make a poor farm good and a good farm better.

Even the land that has been ruined and "turned out to the Lord" may be brought back to life by the aid of live stock; but first you must have buildings and fences to make the live stock comfortable.

Each farm is shy a building or two and most farms need more fencing. Fences for range, health and pasture, barns and stables for storage and winter feeding.

Economy in business often means spending money for necessary improvements.

If animals require all their feed to keep them alive and warm, then the grain is being burned for fuel, while the animals are marking time. Time may not be much of an object to the animal but it is to the owner.

The strongest argument in favor of good buildings on a farm is a visit to a well managed stock farm.

Good buildings convert scrub animals into grades. The grades soon give way to pure breds. Pure bred stock is the surest sign of farm prosperity.

We don't really own our land until we have it all fenced. We don't really own our own live stock until we have proper building to house them.

Saving the waste makes the profit. A farm barn is a farm factory. Waste material is a by-product in disguise. What was formerly waste is now worked into saleable merchandise.

Farm buildings are farm factories. The soil produces the raw materials which are taken to the farm shops and made into high-priced butter, beef, mutton and pork.

By means of farm buildings, we are enabled to sell our corn for $2 a bushel by shipping it in pig skins.

Formerly beef cattle were raised on the open range. It required three or four years to produce a beef steer because they were left out in the cold to hustle for themselves all winter. The grass was partly covered with snow and occasionally the water was frozen so the animals could neither eat nor drink for days at a time. Mortality among range cattle often reached such figures as 50 per cent, and the ones to survive the winter were lighter in the spring than they were in the fall.

In a warm stable we can coax a baby beef to weigh a thousand pounds before it is a year old.

A farm with poor buildings is at the mercy and caprice of speculators. Grain must be threshed and marketed, regardless of the season.

Before the time of good farm buildings, grain sold for little money and a great deal of it was wasted between the field and the cash returns. Increase in the value of live stock has changed the whole farming business. When corn is cheap, instead of feeding it into a heating stove, farmers feed it to cattle and hogs. A good live-stock farm is a busy place. It furnishes something of interest every hour of the day. The live-stock population on a well-managed farm increases each year. The increase demands greater accommodation, so that we must repair the old buildings and we must build new ones.

This is just the same as manufacturing in other lines; no man can remain stationary, and prosper. Factories of all kinds must throw out good machinery that is little the worse for wear, because new processes have been invented and the manufacturer is obliged to keep up with the times. The farmer is no exception.

GRAY SUEDE FOOTWEAR.

Gray suede is extensively adopted for street wear. Black patent leather mules or strap slipper styles are worn to some extent, invariably with silk stockings in gray or tan. Bronze shoes with perforations underlaid with bright figures to some extent for street wear.

Two-color effects, also black stitched or trimmed with a color, are prominent. Black and scarlet, black and purple and black and royal blue are among the favored combinations. Many of the black patent leather strap slippers have colored heels.

Evening slippers are in plain-colored metal cloth, metal brocaded silks, or plain black or colored satin. The satin slippers usually have jeweled heels.

STYLE FORECAST FOR FALL.

As to women's styles for fall, it looks to some merchants as though Colonials would be very popular, perhaps, with the fun tan tongue, and these tongues will undoubtedly be ornamented with a buckle. Some say that there will be much black leather sold—in kid and patent, or calf, and the oxford is predicted as a popular seller.

"At the present time," said Mrs. Florence Durney of Hagan's, "many people are calling for the oxford in gun metal and tan, also some patent leather. There is a slight indication that bronze leather will be popular. We have a number of calls for bronze in the fancy strap effects. Bronze Colonials with beaded tongues are quite the smartest thing. The strap fun tan tongues with their inlays of a darker color have had a good call. We have sold more buckles the past week, in bead effects principally, than for some time past. Oxfords with Cuban heels, medium vamp, and plain toe caps in black are popular—also perfectly plain tan calf oxfords. A tony red calf oxford in a woman's shoe with a bell strap, fleur de lis tip and military heel is a new number. It has a round toe. I believe that round toes are coming in to stay."

33⅓ %
Discount on Pathe Phonographs and Records

$250.00 Pathe Phonograph	$165.00
$150.00 Phonograph	$100.00
$125.00 Phonograph	$85.00

Stebbins Drug Store

STATIONERY SPECIALS

To demonstrate that the stores of Thief River Falls can and will make some very attractive and worth-while bargains for Wednesday, June 22, we quote herewith a few items from our large stock of

STATIONERY
SCHOOL and OFFICE SUPPLIES
PARTY ACCESSORIES
STORE DECORATIONS, ETC.

INK TABLETS

We have included in this lot all 10 cent linen finish tablets, such as Irish, Hy-Tone, Sterling, Shelton, LeFlore and French Madras.

1 for 9c
3 for 25c
7 for 50c

PENCILS

The well-known Venus pencil, made in seventeen different degrees of hardness, smooth, strong leads, write clearly, erase easily, regular 10c

1 for 9c
3 for 25c
7 for 50c

MISCELLANEOUS

Aluminum drinking cups, paper cups, plates, spoons by the dozen, colored pencils, crayolas, thumb tacks, envelopes per pkg. reg. 10c,

1 for 9c
3 for 25c
7 for 50c

INKS

Sanford's, Carter's, and Diamond makes, in blue, red, green, violet, black, blue-black, regular 10c sellers, fresh from factory.

1 for 9c
3 for 25c
7 for 50c

AUTO ROAD MAPS BY STATES

We have a large number of these maps for Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana, Iowa and Wisconsin, priced at 25 cents each on the cover, special while they last at only

19c

Special prices on many other articles in the store and displayed and marked so that they can easily be seen and their value observed.

Laird's Specialty Shop

Hotel Evelyn
European

Julien Provencher, Prop.

FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT

Thief River Falls, Minn.

The
Brumund Hotel
L. Garvey, Prop.

European

CAFE IN CONNECTION
SERVICE AND SATISFACTION
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Furniture
Specials For Market Day

Not only will we break all records for value-giving on this occasion but will make the following offer: All goods sold to out-of-town buyers on Wednesday will be crated **free of charge and shipped, freight prepaid, to any point.**

25 Per Cent Off

on all Rockers and Davenports in the store. It makes no difference what the original price may have been—you buy them on this day at 25 per cent less.

BRASS BED—2 inch posts, 1 inch fillers, varnished Vernis-Martin, white or oxidized finish. A beautiful bed and a standard article; actual value $18.00 Market Day special price	$12.60
BED SPRINGS—Cable fabric bed spring, sold under a 25-year guarantee. Easily worth $13.50. One of the best springs in our stock. Market Day special price	$9.45
COTTON FELT MATTRESS—Heavy tick covering. Any size, 6 inches deep. Worth $15 today any place in America. Market Day Special	$10.85

Larson Furniture Co.

Say It With Flowers

CUT FLOWERS, WEDDING, BANQUET and FLORAL DESIGNS

Special For Market Day

50c Geraniums at	35c
$3.00 Boston Ferns	$2.25
$2.25 Boston Ferns	$1.75
60c Plomosa (Lace Ferns)	40c

Thief River Greenhouse
Flower Shop 303 East 3rd St.
M. BOTHUN, FLORIST.

June 22

The Day of All Days in the Banner City.

Market Day Specials

Don't miss any of these. Now is the time when your dollar counts. Wait for the 22nd of June.

Matches, per package, each	29c
All different kinds Canned Fruits, each	34c
Fancy 16 oz. jars, pure preserves, each	34c
Olives, all sizes, Special	30% OFF
Brooms, all prices, all kinds	25% OFF
Coffee, regular 25c value Per pound	21c
Coffee, regular 35c value, Per pound	28c
Coffee, regular 40c value, Per pound	33c
XXXX Coffee, the old standby, 6 lbs. for	$1.00
Fancy 3-crowned Raisins, Per pound	21c

All Meat prices will be reduced according to other articles.

MR. FARMER: We pay the highest prices for Eggs, Butter, Poultry, Pork, Beef, Veal and Mutton. See us before selling.

The Store for Quality, Service, Price, Square Deal and the Goods. Phone No. 115. Free Delivery—Use It.

Simonson's Meat and Grocery
Distributor of Sugar in "Round Robin Sale"

North-western Auto Co.

Thief River Falls

WILLARD SERVICE STATION, OVERLAND SERVICE STATION. TIRES and ACCESSORIES, GENERAL REPAIRING

Overland & Willys-Knight Cars. Republic Trucks.

Shoe Specials!
For Market Day, June 22

A lot of women's Button Shoes, mostly patent, cloth and leather tops, medium and wide toe, high heel. Small sizes up to 4½

98c

Women's House Slippers in strap, lace and Juliette; white lace shoes; white strap pumps. Also men's mule outing shoes; some boys' and misses' shoes

$1.98

Better selections in ladies' and men's work and dress shoes

$2.98--$3.98

A. M. Langseth
THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR SHOES

HERE IT IS
THE ORIGINAL
Health Beverage That Can Be Sold Any Day Anywhere

TRY A COLD BOTTLE OF

GOLDEN GRAIN JUICE

AND IT WILL SATISFY YOU

Thoroughly Fermented—the Real Lagered Brew.

Thief River Grocery Co.
ORDER OF THE LOCAL DISTRIBUTOR
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

STEAM PRESSURE COOKERY.

The domestic kitchen has gone to school to the factory and cooking with steam is becoming a general practice in many households. Tough meat may no longer increase the fuel bill in cooking, tax the patience of father in carving or the teeth of the family in eating. Dinner of meat, vegetables and dessert may be placed in a Steam Pressure Cooker at 11:30 a. m. and appear on the dining table thoroughly cooked, nutritious and tasty at 12 o'clock sharp. This justifies the use of the phrase, "An entire meal prepared in 30 minutes."

How does it happen? The explanation is simple enough, because the cooking is done in a steam-tight vessel. Whenever steam is not allowed to escape as it forms, it creates pressure and this pressure raises the temperature. This means that food can be made much hotter in a Steam Pressure Cooker than in an ordinary kettle with a loose-fitting lid. There is no burning nor scorching of food. When the temperature rises the time required for cooking is shortened. For example dry beans which require nearly three hours of boiling in an ordinary pot may be thoroughly cooked in 40 minutes in a Steam Pressure Cooker.

This means not only a great saving of fuel, but a wonderful saving of time as well, since it is not necessary to "watch the pot" and no stirring or replenishing of liquid is necessary as with long cooking in an open kettle. The heat necessary to make steam for cooking is obtained by placing the Cooker over a gas, kerosene or electric burner or on a wood or coal range.

Steam pressure for cooking food was first used by the fish packers about 30 years ago. Later it was adopted by the meat packers for putting up various by-products in their establishments and by commercial fruit and vegetable packers.

In 1907 small Steam Pressure Retorts made of steel began to be sold to farmers and orchardists for home canning and from this small beginning has developed the home usage of Steam Pressure Cookery. A few years ago when aluminum first made its appearance for common dishware, the manufacturers of domestic canning machinery saw their opportunity to place on the market a convenient, light weight and steam-tight kettle which, when adequately protected from explosion and accidents, would be available for use in every home. This in short is a brief history of the development of the Steam Pressure Cooker.

The manufacturers maintain that it has a mission to every home where well cooked vegetables and tender meat are desired. Certain it is, that tough meats are unknown in the households where Steam Pressure Cookery is used.

So popular has this method of Cookery become that it is included in the regular domestic science course at Columbia University, New York City, and in all the domestic science departments of our state universities throughout the country. The popular women's magazines have also taken it up because of its daily availability and because, as it was expressed by one of the readers, "the poorer we are the more we need it." There is little doubt that it will rival in demand other well known household utilities.

Outlining the real service offered to housekeepers in the daily use of the Steam Pressure Cooker, the following comparative cooking time table will prove interesting. The first figure shows the number of minutes required by ordinary methods, while the second gives the time consumed in the same task by the Steam Pressure Cooker:

Potatoes, 30, 10; cabbage, 40, 10; string beans, 50, 15; oatmeal, 90, 30; chicken, 90, 30; pot roast, 120, 50; pork and beans, 180, 40; ham, 240, 50.

Few cooks will believe an open dish of veal stew with onions, another of creamed carrots or cabbage and the third containing a milk pudding can all be cooked in a Steam Pressure Cooker at the same time without the flavors blending in any way. It is true, nevertheless.

For this up-to-the-minute system of cookery there must be national advertising in order to make it known to the housekeepers in America. In these times of shrinking pocket books, while gas bills and taxes have the swelling habit, any system of cookery which will reduce food and fuel bills while making all meat tender and the humble potato a mealy ball of flakiness has certainly earned the right-hand of fellowship.

CREDIT—ITS USE AND ABUSE.

That CREDIT is the MAIN ARTERY of commerce is recognized by the greatest students of mercantile affairs. And the proper use of credit is not only the artery of commerce, but the very heart of everyday business. However, the abuse of credit has the same effect in the business world as the abuse of one's veins and heart in the physical body.

Credit is based on the fact that 95 per cent of the people are honest, they find it convenient to purchase commodities on credit and pay for them at the end of the month, and in some instances where arrangements are made therefore in advance, to cover definite and longer periods of time. But the use of credit is always based on a definite credit arrangement made in advance of the transaction and settlment is agreed. No relationship in the exchange of merchandise can be termed credit that does not carry out these principles. Any other happenstance is fraud on the part of the purchaser on credit.

When making a banking transaction of credit, security is always given, whether it be tangible securities or the reputation of the borrower. So also in merchandise transactions the buyer puts up as security his reputation—and that collateral is the most precious of all, as once it is lost it is the hardest to regain.

The abuses of credit, although practiced by but a few, are many, and 95 per cent of the business failures are caused by the abuse of credit both by the merchant and by the customer. A thorough understanding on the part of both the merchant and the customer of the underlying principles of credit is the clearing up of the greatest difficulty experienced in modern trade.

The problem of retail credit is simple when analyzed. Commencing with the fact that each head of a family is directly responsible for its support and that this duty cannot be shifted to the merchants of a community, the buyer is brought to realize that it is his duty to pay for the goods furnished his home and family and that that burden is never to be shifted to the dealer in the various commodities that sustain human life.

Goods are furnished by the dealers and charged to the purchaser as a matter of convenience to the buyer, in that his needs often precede his income by a period of time, but the settlement should be made by the purchaser with the same degree of promptness as the service rendered by the merchant in serving the commodity to the purchaser.

It is not dishonesty that creates the greatest of credit abuses, but a succession of delays in settlement. These have their effect all down the line, from the individual to the manufacturer, and disrupt modern business, bring hard times to a community and eventually loses to it the value of the proper use of modern credit system.

The very best of eyes will see cleverest blouses or skirts, made just as they like them, when they look at these novelty silks that go on sale next Wednesday. Women who can see that far will buy them in a jiffy if they attend Market Day at Thief River Falls, Wednesday, June 22.

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

Northern Baking Co.
"City Bakery"

SPECIAL FOR MARKET DAY ONLY

Fried Cakes per dozen	18c
Cinnamon Rolls per dozen	15c

NO ORDER TOO SMALL—NONE TOO BIG
LUNCH—ICE CREAM
Dairy Lunches Served at All Hours

Structural Steel
Reinforcing Rods
Concrete Culverts
Corrugated Culverts
Well Curbing

Minneapolis Bridge Company
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Engineers and Contractors of
STEEL, WOOD and CONCRETE BRIDGES

—Also—
Dealers in Coal and Wood

The Famous "Ajax" Blacksmith Coal
Hard and Soft Coal Wood

Hermanson Hdw. Co.

Below we list a few of the bargains you will find in our store on June 22nd:

3 Tinned Keen Kutter hay forks, regular $1.35 for	97c
3 Tinned hay forks, regular $1.25 for	89c
3 Tinned hay forks, regular $1.00 for	78c
4 Tinned Keen Kutter hay forks, regular $1.75 for	$1.43
4 Tinned hay forks, regular $1.65 for	$1.32
House Brooms, regular 85c and $1.00 values for	50c
Lantern Globes, 2 for	25c
Household Kalsomine, Wall Finish per package	55c

Also special prices on ALUMINUM WARE, PYREX Ovenware and COMMUNITY SILVERWARE.

We are agents for the WESTERN ELECTRIC POWER and LIGHT PLANTS, and the CALORIC PIPELESS FURNACE, and will be glad to have you come in and look these over whether you are planning on buying or not.

We carry a full line of Hardware, Paints and Oils, Tool and Cutlery, Automobile Casings and Tubes, Oil Stoves, Ranges, Etc. We appreciate your business.

Hermanson Hdw. Co.
Phone 343 101 East 3rd St.

—The Bank of Personal Service—

Our Best Booster Is Our Old Customer

The reason we get so many new customers is because we serve our old customers so well they feel like recommending this bank to their friends.

No matter whether you keep a balance of ten dollars or ten thousand our service is the same—

PROMPT, ACCURATE, EFFICIENT AND COURTEOUS.

You will like this bank. Why not open an account TODAY?

First National Bank
Capital, Surplus and Undivided Profits $100,000.00
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

—Member Federal Reserve System—

The Sun of PROSPERITY is rising

Market Day, June 22--Welcome Visitors!

The Spirit of Co-operation

Life must not be ordered by the competition of individuals in which each seeks his own interest whatever may be the cost to his neighbor.

True competition is that striving which raises the level of life for us all, while the true spirit of life is found in the mutuality of helpful service in which each recognizes the rights and privileges of his brother, friend and neighbor.

Not alone in commercial activity does the law of mutual service obtain. It must be the inspiration of home life, of friendship, of business, and of tolerance toward the stranger.

Once we comprehend this application of the true nature of co-operation we shall thenceforth live and have our being with one another in the spirit of that bond which proclaimed: All for one and one for all. And this is but another way of saying:

LOVE THY NEIGHBOR AS THYSELF.

BUYING MOST WE BUY FOR LESS

A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION
J.C.Penney Co.
Incorporated
312 DEPARTMENT STORES

SELLING MOST WE SELL FOR LESS

Telephone 67 Thief River Falls, Minn.

THE LARGEST CHAIN DEPARTMENT STORE ORGANIZATION IN THE WORLD

FARMING, A PROFESSION.

Time was when the brainiest boys were urged to enter the so-called "professions." If Frank and Jim were bright boys in school, and John was rather slow, the smarties were sent to college, and John was assigned to the farm. There has been a change lately, and people generally, have waked up to the fact that a good farmer needs a better education than anyone else.

Farming is a life-long study, and so far farmers have been handicapped because it is difficult to get at the really fundamental principles, or the "why" of doing things.

A doctor or lawyer, to be successful, should confine his efforts to one branch of the medical or law profession; but this will not work in farming. Diversified farming is the only kind of farming that has ever proven successful. Now, it is so arranged that a farmer may specialize in one branch, dairying for instance, but he must know how to treat the soil in order to grow the right kind of crops and in sufficient quantities to make his dairy a paying proposition.

A farmer must be familiar with the types and breeds of domestic animals, sufficient at least to recognize their principal points of merit. He must know how milk is manufactured in the cow's udder in order to mix feeding rations to produce the best results. He must understand silos. He must know how to train a colt. He must be good enough mechanic to keep his buildings in repair and know when he needs new ones. He must be a veterinarian, a civil engineer and a soil expert, so far as his own soil and conditions are concerned. He must know a whole lot of things besides these in order to make a success of his profession. And to be a good citizen he must do everything in his power to better the town and community.

SHOWERS OF RICH SILVER FOR THE CHARMING BRIDE.

Those glorious days of expectancy before the wedding are richly filled with glad anticipations. And all the world smiles upon the bride and endows her with whole-hearted goodwill, because all have either sweet hopes or sacred memories of the bridal day.

As The Day draws near, the prospective bride sees a fascinating picture of "silver pieces piled high"—the riches that she herself shall own and with which she shall adorn the new home.

There are "practical gifts" to be sure; but what bride thinks of the things that future days may bring when her eyes and heart are filled with that picture of the rich pieces of silver on which her high hopes are set?

By all means, silver for the bride, if you would make her supremely happy with the gifts you send.

BATHING SUITS FOR BEACH OR PLUNGE.

"Suit" is an outworn word for beach apparel, for neither miss nor madam wears a suit any more. The habiliments of the bathing hour are now quite as modish and beautiful as many an afternoon frock.

Nowhere is style more marked, or clever attractiveness of line and color more carefully planned than for the garments that are worn to or into the water on vacation days at the shore.

Our merchants have assembled here all the most effective styles in women's bathing dresses and surf suits, and should like to have you see them soon.

When father keeps one umbrella at the office and takes another one when it rains, how can Charlie get to school without leaving mother helpless to go to market?

Buy that umbrella at Thief River Falls on Market Day June 22.

Lincoln Nat'l Life Ins. Co.

Its name indicates its Character.

Offers its Service Through the Following Representatives:

B. DOCKEN, Holt
A. C. KVENNES, Middle River
BERNARD OLSON, Strathcona
K. A. WANG, Badger
T. B. HOLDAHL, Roseau
O. ERPESTAD, Salol
Almer Skrutvold, Wannaska
E.M. BROUGHTON, Pine Creek
F. H. BROWN, Warroad
A. E. ABEL, Roosevelt
G. A. SODERSTROM, Baudette
A. S. HOLM, Rosewood
I. M. MYRBO, Viking
F. C. WITTENSTEN, Warren
W. F. HANNON, Oslo
J. E. KUROWSKI, Argyle
C. R. GILLESPIE, Stephen
T. G. DAHL, Kennedy
R. M. ALEXANDER, Orleans
O. P. BECKEN, Hulma
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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Policy Holders are urged to make use of our SERVICE DEPARTMENT, through the above Agents.

Millinery Bargains For Market Day

Ladies in the city for Market Day should not miss the opportunity to visit this modern millinery parlor. They will be made most welcome whether they wish to make any purchase at this time or not.

SPECIALS FOR THE DAY

One lot of Hats, worth up to $7.50 ---- **$1.50 to $5.00**
One lot of Hats, worth up to $15.00 **$7.00 to $10.00**

JOHNSON MILLINERY
310 LaBree Ave. N.

THE PRICHARD COMPANY

DEALERS IN LUMBER, BUILDING MATERIAL and FUEL

We also handle a complete line of drain and sewer tile and can ship promptly. If your nearest dealer does not have what you want, call us.

Three Smashing Specials For Market Day

The goods listed below are first quality merchandise and priced low at the figures regularly asked:

65c dainty printed Vertain Voile in light and dark colors. They'll make cool attractive summer frocks. Only, per yard ---------- **45c**

90c Figured Pinchurst Voile. A wide variety of neat designs in light and dark colors. Specially priced at ---------- **65c**

Our entire assortment of 36 in. Percale, in light and dark colors; dozens of attractive patterns for aprons and dresses, 20c and 35 values. For Market Day only ---------- **19c and 15c**

MANY OTHER BARGAINS
M. N. BENSON
Formerly John Aos' Store.

QUALITY Groceries with attractive prices at all times

AT

BREDESON & CO.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Special Attention!

The La LUNDA Cigar is sold to you without a middle man's profit. Goes from manufacturer to retailer direct. The saving goes into quality.

F. C. NICLAI, Manufacturer
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Nortz Lumber Co.

Incorporated

Building Material
Coal and Wood

See us before you build. We can supply your wants no matter how large or small.

H. C. JOHNSON, Manager.
123 So. Main Phone 110

MARKET DAY Specials!

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

$45.00 Suits at ---------- **$30.00**
$35.00 Suits at ---------- **$23.50**
$30.00 Suits at ---------- **$20.00**

THE SUITS THAT WE OFFER AT THE PRICES HERE NAMED ARE THE STANDARD PRODUCTION OF THE KUPPENHEIMER AND THE STYLEPLUS MAKES

All Leather Work Shoes at per pair ---------- **$2.90**

OEN MERCANTILE CO.

YOU Are Invited TO Celebrate THE Fourth of July WITH The American Legion AT Thief River Falls

GIGANTIC STREET PARADE
RACES AND SPORTING EVENTS
BOXING AND WRESTLING
CARNIVAL ATTRACTIONS
DOUBLEHEADER BASE BALL GAMES
ROMAN CANDLE PARADE
DANCING AT THE AUDITORIUM
THIRTEEN PIECE ORCHESTRA
FREE FOR ALL STOP FORD RACE
HOT DOGS AND EVERYTHING
BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY
LET'S MAKE THE EAGLE SCREAM

Boy, Howdy! Let's Go!

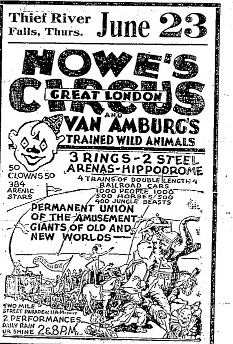

Thief River Falls, Thurs. June 23

HOWE'S GREAT LONDON CIRCUS AND VAN AMBURG'S TRAINED WILD ANIMALS

3 RINGS - 2 STEEL ARENAS - HIPPODROME

50 CLOWNS 50
384 ARENIC STARS

4 TRAINS OF DOUBLE LENGTH 4 RAILROAD CARS
1000 PEOPLE 1000
500 HORSES 500
400 JUNGLE BEASTS

PERMANENT UNION OF THE AMUSEMENT GIANTS OF OLD AND NEW WORLDS

TWO MILE STREET PARADE at 11 A.M. DAILY
2 PERFORMANCES DAILY RAIN OR SHINE 2 & 8 P.M.

It Isn't Taught at School

There is one thing, not taught in schools, that every boy and girl needs to learn. That is the proper way to handle money.

Start each of your boys or girls with a savings account and find ways for them to earn money about the home. Let each one save their earnings for a bicycle, a camera, a calf to raise, or garden tools.

During their vacation let them learn to save.

First and Peoples State Bank
"The older we grow
The better our Bank"
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Deposit Purchasers Drawing Coupons Here
9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
MARKET DAY, JUNE 22, 1921

When you think of anything in Ready-to-Wear, come to this exclusive shop and you will think right.

The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

Style and Quality coupled with a reasonable Fair selling price is what you get here. Get the habit and shop here.

Extra Special For Market Day

We can not promise that these specials will last all day. You'll find many other specials awaiting you that will save you money.

White "Eagle" Brand Middies

Made of heavy Jean. A real $2.00 value. Special for Market Day only

89c

Sizes to 44

Mercerized Crochet Thread

Star Brand, and other brands. Special for Market Day only

8c

Spool

Good Gingham Aprons

Values to $1.50. Cut full and of good material. Special for Market Day only, each

69c

A Clearance Sale of All Spring Coats, Suits and Dresses

And we are having it at a time when most people will be in town to take advantage of the Big Reductions.

Your choice of any wrap in our stock at exactly **Half Price!**

Women's Spring Suits almost given away at **$\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$ off**

Big Reductions on all Tweed, Staple Serge and Tricotine Coats in sizes to 53

Your choice of any silk dress in our stock at **Half Price!**

"THE LATCH STRING"

Round Robin Sale

Merchants Association Market Day

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Wednesday, June 22

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED!

Twenty Pounds of Sugar For One Dollar!

1
Larson Furniture Co.
COMPLETE HOUSE OUTFITTERS

2
Loken Brothers
Complete Outfitters For WOMEN, MISSES AND CHILDREN

3
The Sapero Co.
WOMEN'S WEAR EXCLUSIVELY

4
E. O. Mogensen
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."
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THIEF RIVER FALLS

9
Twenty Lbs. Sugar For $1.00
SECURE A SUGAR CARD
from any of the eight merchants named on this page. Visit their places of business, secure their signatures and take the card to
SIMONSON'S
Groceries and Meats
THIRD NEAR LaBREE
and purchase 20 pounds of sugar for $1.00.

5
A. M. Langseth
THE PLACE TO BUY YOUR SHOES

6
Always first in line with LOWEST PRICES.
Hall Brothers Co.
"A Good Place to Trade"
THE PROFIT SHARING STORE
HARDWARE - - - - - - - - FARM MACHINERY
315 Horace Ave. North Phone 16
Thief River Falls, Minn.

7
Palace Clothing House

8
Albert Lieberman
The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes

Let's Get Acquainted! *Let's Get Acquainted!*

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A visit by one member, children excepted, of each family in Northwestern Minnesota to the eight places of business named on this page and obtaining the signature of the owner on cards that will be furnished you at any one of the places named, will entitle you to purchase TWENTY POUNDS OF SUGAR FOR ONE DOLLAR at the place of business of C. S. Simonson, Third St., near LaBree. All that is required is the stamped ticket showing that you have made an inspection of the eight stores. YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO MAKE A PURCHASE AT ANY OF THE STORES. Visit these stores and see for yourselves what they have to offer you. Take advantage of the offer made and we will rest assured that Thief River Falls will be your shopping place in the future.

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You can secure your sugar card from any of the eight merchants named above. Start with any of them but visit all of them.

This Exceptional Offer is Limited to Twenty Pounds to Each Family

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLAR PRIZE OFFERED BY ASSOCIATION TO LUCKY PERSON IN DRAWING

No Conditions of Any Kind Attached to This Offer Except That A Purchase be Made at the Store of An Advertiser in This Issue.

Some Market Day visitor will go home $25.00 to the good on June 22 as the result of a purchasers' drawing to be held in connection with the Market Day activities. You may be the lucky person.

A coupon will be found attached hereto which can be cut out and presented to any of the advertisers in the Market Day Special upon making a purchase from him and he will sign his name to the coupon and the purchaser will then put his name and address on the coupon and deposit it in a container to be found at the First and Peoples State bank from 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. At 5:30 o'clock p. m. a purchasers' public drawing will be held at the corner of Third street and LaBree avenue, and all persons participating in the drawing must be present.

Five coupons will be drawn by one of our visitors and if the holder of the fifth ticket drawn is present he will receive twenty-five dollars in cash.

In the event that the person whose name is drawn is not present coupons will be drawn until some Market Day visitor wins the twenty-five dollars offered.

Cut out your coupon, make a purchase, secure the signature of the merchant from whom you make the purchase, put your name and address on the coupon and deposit it in the ballot box at the First and Peoples State bank before 5 o'clock p. m. Be present at the corner of Third and LaBree at 5:30 p. m. on Market Day, June 22, 1921.

Coupons will be good only on Market Day, June 22.

PURCHASERS' CASH DRAWING

This is to certify that

____

Address____

has made a purchase at my place of business and is entitle to participate in the Purchasers' Cash Drawing.

____

Deposit this coupon at the First and Peoples State Bank before 5 o'clock p. m., and be present on corner of Third street and LaBree avenue at 5:30 p. m.

Creme Puritas ICE CREAM
"It Satisfies" "Taste Tells Why"

MARKET DAY
AND
EVERY DAY

Call For

A KIEWEL PRODUCT

And you call for a Home Product
Phone 164 and we will deliver

Kiewel Products Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

$5.00 and $6.00
Lanpher Hats
$3.85
Market Day Only

Boys' Suits
with two pairs of pants
$10.00
Market Day Only

Chas. Lieberman

DeCREMER'S Meat Market
216 Main Ave. N.

We carry a full line of
Choice Beef, Pork
Veal and Mutton

Home Made Sausage
a Specialty

For Bargain Day only we will
sell our best pure rendered
Lard at per lb. **14c**

Small Payment Down

$1 a Day Buys a Ford

A Good Time on Time

McFarland Auto Company
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

F R E E
ON
MARKET DAY

ONE TEN-POUND SACK OF WHOLE
WHEAT FLOUR FREE WITH EACH
98-POUND SACK OF "VIVO"

WE MANUFACTURE
AND GUARANTEE

Hanson & Barzen
Milling Company

On June 22nd

Our entire store will be ablaze with bargains. Everything in the store on sale at special prices

For One Day Only

Read our ad in regular edition of THIER RIVER FALLS TIMES

Your choice of any
$50 Men's Suit
for one day only
$33.33
All other Suits on Sale

ONE LOT ONLY OF
Men's Work Shoes
All leather very special value at $3.50. For one day only
$2.35

Any Boys' Suit in the Store at.....**20 Per Cent off**

Handkerchiefs 10c Hanks at	$15 Silk Shirts	Men's Sox heavy stock, 35c sox
5c	$5.95	19c

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Satisfaction or Money Back

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The Quality Store

Jung's Victory Bread

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For market day we will have a special line of coffee cakes.

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A meeting will be held in Smiley township Saturday evening at 8 o'clock p. m., in the Lewis Nelson school house. It is expected that a large crowd will be present.

The Rocksbury township unit will hold their regular monthly meeting in Valhall hall July 2nd, at 8 o'clock p. m.

HEARING IN MURDER CONTINUED UNTIL TUESDAY, JUNE 28

William Gummer, Under Arrest on Charge of Killing Grygla Girl Has Hearing.

The scheduled preliminary examination in the case of the state against William Gummer, night clerk at the Prescott hotel, charged with the murder of Miss Marie Wick of Grygla, Tuesday, June 7, was on Tuesday continued until 10 a. m., Tuesday, June 28.

The motion for continuance was made by William C. Green, state's attorney, and was not opposed by counsel for defendant, who is represented by Judge W. H. Barnett and Clair F. Brickner. It was also announced in court that Judge H. W. Swanson of Devils Lake would be associated with the defense.

Upon the filing of the stipulation between counsel for prosecution and defense it was announced that the preliminary examination will be held in the Cass county courthouse. The scheduled hearing was to have been in the offices of Justice Bingham, but rather than have the prisoner taken through the streets of the city, and lack of space in the justice's office, it was deemed more convenient to call the hearing in the district court room.

More than 250 spectators jammed the court room, taking possession of the place fully 30 minutes before the prisoner was brought into court by Sheriff Fred Kraemer.

There was craning of necks and general rising in seats as the crowd sought to view the prisoner, it being his first appearance in public since he was arrested by the state authorities at 2 p. m. last Wednesday.

Twice it was necessary for Justice Bingham to announce that the hearing had been continued until next Tuesday before the crowd made any attempt to leave the building.

In front of the court house were more than 25 automobiles. Women predominated in the crowd of spectators. To the rear of the building a crowd gathered to see the sheriff return the prisoner to the jail.

William Gummer, the accused 22-year-old night clerk, appeared very pale, but gave no sign of nervousness when he entered.

His cheeks were sunken in and his face was almost ghostly white. He lacked the brightness of expression which characterized his action about the hotel during the investigation of the murder by the authorities and on the different times when he was called to the sheriff's office and questioned.

Upon entering the court room, the accused met the eyes of his relatives, who occupied seats near the railing. They were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gummer, father and mother, Goodman Gummer, brother of the prisoner, and Mrs. O. J. Hanson, a niece, all of Mayville.

When William Gummer entored the court room, the accused attempted to take the vacant seat beside his father, but the sheriff motioned for him to be seated behind his counsel.

The prisoner maintained a grave appearance during the early part of the formalities. Judge W. H. Barnett stepped over toward him and spoke a few words and the prisoner smiled at his counsel. The smile extended toward the parents and other kin.

Big Rush to Pay Taxes On Last Day, as Usual

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud has had his hands full since the first of the month in getting out last-minute tax receipts and straightening matters up after the usual rush on the last days of May. The total amount of taxes collected for the term was $139,038.02, of which $9,618.21 came under the head of delinquent and the balance, $129,410.81, was for the current tax. The total paid in during the month of May was $145,234.11, of which sum $103,693.96 was paid on the last day.

START WORK O SITE OF LARG OIL WAREHOU

Standard Oil Company Pla Employ 20 or 30 Men—W Be Completed Soon.

Located on Bridge Street A Track of Soo Line Rai way Company.

City Will Be Distributing I For This Section of The State.

Work preliminary to the erecti a warehouse and supply tanks b Standard Oil company in thi was started this week on the owned by the company on B street along the tracks of the Line. This is a part of the old mill site and the accumulation of dust on the property several feet makes necessary considerable vating and filling in with dirt. rangements have been made to s some of the dirt which will be re ed from the streets of the bu district in carrying out the p program.

Large and Modern Plant.

The plant to be erected will b the latest design in every partic and sufficiently large to supply needs of this section of the state t this point. Thief River Falls is t the distributing point of the comp for Northwestern Minnesota. F twenty to thirty men will be emp ed by the company throughout year which makes the location of warehouse here particularly desir

Will Install Tanks First.

The first work to be done wil the erection of supply tanks and ter these are completed work on warehouse proper will be started. task of removing the saw dust f the site and filling in with dirt be considerable of an undertak all of which is necessary before ac construction work can be started. large crew of men will be emplo however, and the project will be r ed through as rapidly as possible is the intention of the company have the entire plant completed season. Materials will soon be the ground and everything in re ness for the carrying out of the c pany's plans.

With the erection of this establ ment, the new school building on East Side, the nurses' home at sanatorium, a number of new r dences and the paving program progress, the city will experie considerable activity this summ all of which will give needed empl ment to a large number of men.

BUSINESS AT THE CREAMERY SHOWS INCREASE FOR MA

Gain Over Same Month La Year is 28 Per Cent—$21,-024.77 Paid Patrons.

Business at the local creamery f the month of May showed an i crease of 28 per cent in the amou of butterfat handled over the sa period last year. The average pri paid the patrons who take their p on the monthly basis was 31 cents f sour cream and 37 cents for swe cream. The average cash price w 30 cents.

60,000 Pounds Butter Churned.

During the month the institutio churned 60,000 pounds of butter a when the amount of sweet cream a whole milk sold is added to this makes a remarkable showing for t creamery. The total amount o money paid the patrons for butterf for this period was $21,024.77, whi averages nearly $1,000 a day for e ery working day in the month.

Following is the list of patrons re ceiving more than fifty dollars for th month: Hans Anton, $225.25; Pete Engelstad, $192.44; Jens Kirk, $15 85; S. Wiberg, $128.61; Waldi Christensen, $126.41; R. M. Johnso $125.90; Fred Copp, $119.96; S. Hunt, $116.17; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $11 03; N. A. Nelson, $106.19; H. Koop $105.19; Aug. Koglin, $101.85; H. T Waale, $93.59; Paul Engelstad, $9 48; Silas Torgerson, $90.65; Chri Nelson, $91.00; C. H. Swanson, $8 50; H. Sande, $86.01; A. J. Fonne dahl, $84.54; E. Erdman, $81.0 Katie Meyer, $82.20; Mrs. Mosbeck $78.95; O. J. Dahl, $75.66; K. Sol heim, $73.90; H. A. Mathees, $73.7 Gustave Edman, $73.37; A. H. Haug $70.88; H. C. Woolson, $70.63; Henry Pope, $70.62; Jacob Klungness, $70. 11; O. S. Breiland, $69.74; Pete Voldness, $68.06; John Bloom, $6 Gust Wilkins, $66.70; Will Smith $66.28; A. C. Simonson, $66.00; Fre G. Dols, $64.14; S. Sorenson, $6 L. O. Stenseth, $63.82; C. Liden, $6 93; Oluf O. Qualid, $61.09; Erne Yonke, $60.23; K. Finstad, $59.49; J. M. Kline, $56.44; J. H. Hardesty & Son, $55.83; W. I. McCrum, $55.61; K. Ystesund, $55.61; C. Weiner, $55. 50; Bertha Saugen, $53.42; Albert Hanson, $52.83; O. L. Skonord, $52. 57; John Stroberg, $52.04; Han Fjeld, $51.91; F. B. Conklin, $51.45; Fuller & Gordon, $50.79; K. Ranum, $50.08.

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Mr. Christianson and his choir made a distinct impression upon the large audience among whom were many who no doubt felt that an evening devoted entirely to church music might prove somewhat tiresome. That such was not the case is evidenced by the fact that to most of those present the concert was all too short.

Farm Bureau Meetings.

Township Farm bureau unit meetings will be held at the following places this week: Star, District 59 on Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m., to discuss the eradication of grasshoppers in that section which threaten to be a serious pest if not taken care of very soon. The farmers in that locality will be shown how to make and mix the mixtures and how to apply it on the fields so as to give the best results. This work is very important as the "hoppers" have seriously damaged a field in a few days time if not poisoned.

A meeting will be held in Smiley township Saturday evening at 8 o'clock p. m., in the Lewis Nelson school house. It is expected that a large crowd will be present.

The Rocksbury township unit will hold their regular monthly meeting in Valhall hall July 2nd, at 8 o'clock p. m.

HEARING IN MURDER CONTINUED UNTIL TUESDAY, JUNE 28

William Gummer, Under Arrest on Charge of Killing Grygla Girl Has Hearing.

The scheduled preliminary examination in the case of the state against William Gummer, night clerk at the Prescott hotel, charged with the murder of Miss Marie Wick of Grygla, Tuesday, June 7, was on Tuesday continued until 10 a. m., Tuesday, June 28.

The motion for continuance was made by William C. Green, state's attorney, and was not opposed by counsel for defendant, who is represented by Judge W. H. Barnett and Clair F. Brickner. It was also announced in court that Judge H. W. Swanson of Devils Lake would be associated with the defense.

Upon the filing of the stipulation between counsel for prosecution and defense it was announced that the preliminary examination will be held in the Cass county courthouse. The scheduled hearing was to have been in the offices of Justice Bingham, but rather than have the prisoner taken through the streets of the city, and lack of space in the justice's office, it was deemed more convenient to call the hearing in the district court room.

More than 250 spectators jammed the court room, taking possession of the place fully 30 minutes before the prisoner was brought into court by Sheriff Fred Kraemer.

There was craning of necks and general rising in seats as the crowd sought to view the prisoner, it being his first appearance in public since he was arrested by the state authorities at 2 p. m. last Wednesday.

Twice it was necessary for Justice Bingham to announce that the hearing had been continued until next Tuesday before the crowd made any attempt to leave the building.

In front of the court house were more than 25 automobiles. Women predominated in the crowd of spectators. To the rear of the building a crowd gathered to see the sheriff return the prisoner to the jail.

William Gummer, the accused 22-year-old night clerk, appeared very pale, but gave no sign of nervousness when he entered.

His cheeks were sunken in and his face was almost ghostly white. He lacked the brightness of expression which characterized his action about the hotel during the investigation of the murder by the authorities and on the different times when he was called to the sheriff's office and questioned.

Upon entering the court room, the accused met the eyes of his relatives, who occupied seats near the railing. They were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gummer, father and mother, Goodman Gummer, brother of the prisoner, and Mrs. O. J. Hanson, a niece, all of Mayville.

When William Gummer entered the court room, the accused attempted to take the vacant seat beside his father, but the sheriff motioned for him to be seated behind his counsel.

The prisoner maintained a grave appearance during the early part of the formalities. Judge W. H. Barnett stepped over toward him and spoke a few words and the prisoner smiled at his counsel. The smile extended toward the parents and other kin.

Big Rush to Pay Taxes On Last Day, as Usual

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud has had his hands full since the first of the month in getting out last-minute tax receipts and straightening matters up after the usual rush on the last days of May. The total amount of taxes collected for the term was $139,035.02, of which $9,618.21 came under the head of delinquent and the balance, $129,419.81, was for the current tax. The total paid in during the month of May was $145,234.11, of which sum $103,693.96 was paid on the last day.

START WORK ON SITE OF LARGE OIL WAREHOUSE

Standard Oil Company Plant to Employ 20 or 30 Men—Will Be Completed Soon.

Located on Bridge Street Along Track of Soo Line Railway Company.

City Will Be Distributing Point For This Section of The State.

Work preliminary to the erection of a warehouse and supply tanks by the Standard Oil company in this city was started this week on the site owned by the company on Bridge street along the tracks of the Soo Line. This is a part of the old saw mill site and the accumulation of saw dust on the property several feet deep makes necessary considerable excavating and filling in with dirt. Arrangements have been made to secure some of the dirt which will be removed from the streets of the business district in carrying out the paving program.

Large and Modern Plant.

The plant to be erected will be of the latest design in every particular and sufficiently large to supply the needs of this section of the state from this point. Thief River Falls is to be the distributing point of the company for Northwestern Minnesota. From twenty to thirty men will be employed by the company throughout the year which makes the location of the warehouse here particularly desirable.

Will Install Tanks First.

The first work to be done will be the erection of supply tanks and after these are completed work on the warehouse proper will be started. The task of removing the saw dust from the site and filling in with dirt will be considerable of an undertaking, all of which is necessary before actual construction work can be started. A large crew of men will be employed however, and the project will be rushed through as rapidly as possible. It is the intention of the company to have the entire plant completed this season. Materials will soon be on the ground and everything in readiness for the carrying out of the company's plans.

With the erection of this establishment, the new school building on the East Side, the nurses' home at the santatorium, a number of new residences and the paving program in progress, the city will experience considerable activity this summer, all of which will give needed employment to a large number of men.

BUSINESS AT THE CREAMERY SHOWS INCREASE FOR MAY

Gain Over Same Month Last Year is 28 Per Cent—$21,024.77 Paid Patrons.

Business at the local creamery for the month of May showed an increase of 28 per cent in the amount of butterfat handled over the same period last year. The average price paid the patrons who take their pay on the monthly basis was 34 cents for sour cream and 37 cents for sweet cream. The average cash price was 30 cents.

60,000 Pounds Butter Churned.

During the month the institution churned 60,000 pounds of butter and when the amount of sweet cream and whole milk sold is added to this it makes a remarkable showing for the creamery. The total amount of money paid the patrons for butterfat for this period was $21,024.77, which averages nearly $1,000 a day for every working day in the month.

Following is the list of patrons receiving more than fifty dollars for the month: Hans Anton, $225.25; Peter Engelstad, $192.44; Jens Kirk, $159.85; S. Wiberg, $128.64; Waldie Christensen, $126.41; R. M. Johnson, $125.90; Fred Copp, $119.96; S. E. Hunt, $116.17; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $113.03; N. A. Nelson, $106.19; H. Koop, $105.19; Aug. Koglin, $101.85; H. T. Waale, $93.58; Paul Engelstad, $93.48; Silas Torgerson, $90.65; Christ Nelson, $91.90; C. H. Swanson, $86.50; H. Sande, $86.01; A. J. Funnesdahl, $84.54; E. Erdman, $84.04; Katie Meyer, $82.20; Mrs. Mosbeck, $78.95; O. J. Dahl, $75.65; K. Solheim, $73.90; H. A. Mathees, $73.78; Gustave Edman, $73.37; A. H. Haggy $70.88; H. C. Woolson, $70.63; Henry Pope, $70.62; Jacob Klungness, $70.11; O. S. Breiland, $69.74; Peter Voldness, $68.06; John Bloom, $66.91; Gust Wilkins, $66.70; Will Smith, $66.28; A. C. Simonson, $66.00; Fred G. Dols, $64.14; S. Sorenson, $63.82; L. O. Stenseth, $63.32; C. Liden, $62.93; Oluf O. Omlid, $61.09; Ernest Yonke, $60.23; K. Finstad, $59.49; J. M. Kline, $56.44; J. H. Hardesty & Son, $55.83; W. I. McCrum, $55.61; K. Ystesund, $55.61; C. Weiner, $55.50; Bertha Saugen, $53.42; Albert Hanson, $52.83; O. L. Skonord, $52.57; John Stroberg, $52.04; Hans Fjeld, $51.91; F. B. Conklin, $51.45; Fuller & Gorden, $50.79; K. Ranum, $50.08.

BANKS TO CLOSE EARLY ON SATURDAYS

Commencing June 25 the four banks of the city will close at 1 p. m. on Saturdays until Sept. 1. This same plan of closing early on Saturdays was carried out during the summer months last year and proved very satisfactory to all concerned. It gives the employes an opportunity for a little recreation and does not seriously inconvenience anyone when all become accustomed to it.

Horse Falls in Old Well.

A horse belonging to Anton Efteland broke through the covering over an old well to the rear of the Ralston barber shop Monday morning and in being removed was injured to such an extent that it probably will not recover. The well was covered over with boards and dirt and Mr. Efteland drove in over it to remove a load of rubbish and dirt. While he was loading his wagon the horse stood directly over the old well, the animal breaking through when it started to pull the load out. After several hours work the horse was removed from the well by means of a chain block but it was so injured internally that it is not likely that it will recover.

BALL GAME RECORD FOR PAST WEEK IS SOMEWHAT SPOTTED

Win One Good Game at Home; Another at Lancaster, Then Fall Down in a Heap.

BASE BALL FRIDAY NIGHT

The strong Fosston team is coming for a game with the locals at the fair grounds Friday evening. The game will be called at 6:30. The Fosston team is reported to be a very fast aggregation. They have been winning practically all of their contests this season and the game here is certain to be a good one. Turn out and help support the local team.

Thief River Falls won two out of three ball games played during the past week, but the credit for being victors in a majority of the contests is somewhat marred by the miserable exhibition put up in the game with Argyle on Market Day. *Post mortem* examinations fail to reveal the cause of the sudden slump.

Last Sunday's game with Gonvick on the local diamond was a good one. The visitors failed to score until the fourth inning was well under way, when they managed to put one across. A combination of errors and well-placed hits allowed them to chalk up two more in the sixth, after which time their activities ceased.

Thief River Falls started out to put the game on ice as quickly as possible and ran in two in the first frame. One in the third and two in the fifth made up the total.

The Lancaster players were shut out on their own diamond by the Thief River Falls bunch on Tuesday, while the latter garnered a total of seven runs. Fox's men played airtight ball while the performance of their opponents was very ragged.

The easy victory of the day previous must have had a bad effect on the Thief River Falls players, to judge by the outcome of Wednesday's game. Brazel started in the box for the locals but was taken out after one inning, although he was by no means to blame for the slaughter of the innocents which was staged during his short incumbency. Lancaster batters hit his offerings, it is true, but in nearly every case the batter should have been retired. Wild throwing, booting, muffing and every other crime against high-class base ball was committed and it looking at times as if there were a competition on to see which player could pull the biggest boner. Schroeder relieved Brazel at the opening of the second and held the visitors to a few scattered hits, but the damage was already done and the game wound up with a score of 11 to 2, or some such thing.

The Thief River Falls team goes to McIntosh on Saturday and Sunday for two games with the fast bunch representing that town. It is claimed that McIntosh has the best team in the state west of Duluth and that on their own diamond particularly are they putting up a surprising game. There will in all probability be a big delegation go from here to see Sunday's game. The drive in itself is very interesting and it is certain that one of the best games of the season will be staged.

TRIPLE BIRTHDAY PARTY AT HOME OF F. E. JOHNSON

The thirteenth of June is anything but an unlucky day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Johnson of Baudette. Three of the children, Ellen, aged 12, Alvin, aged 9, and Florence June, aged 1, were born on that day, and last Monday the three-fold anniversary was celebrated by a triple birthday party at the Johnson home. There were thirty-five little folks at the party, and there were three birthday cakes. The youngsters had the time of their lives.

LEGION MAKING BIG PLANS FOR OBSERVING 4TH

Elaborate Display of Fireworks to be One of Leading Features of the Day.

Base Ball Game and Other Athletic Events Will Help Make Up Program of the Day.

Rousing Old Time Celebration With Parade, Races, Dances and Other Attractions.

The local post of the American Legion is making splendid progress with their plans for a rousing celebration in Thief River Falls on July 4th. Chairman Oscar Smith has his committees all working hard in carefully looking after every detail that is necessary to insure the unqualified success of the celebration.

Parade Will Be Feature.

Mr. Smith says that the day will be ushered in with a "roar" which will increase in volume throughout the day. A parade will be a feature in the morning and Geo. C. Loken is looking after the details of this event. Races and other sports will then make up the balance of the morning program.

Baseball Game in Afternoon.

In the afternoon a fast base ball game will be staged at the fair grounds, while carnival attractions, dances and other forms of amusement will provide plenty of additional entertainment.

In the evening arrangements are being made for what the Legion boys term will be a "real fireworks display." They intend to make this a decided feature. This will take place along the river and will include a novel battle between boats on the water. A large sum of money is being expended to insure the success of this part of the day's program and it will undoubtedly attract a large crowd here for the evening.

People in this section of the state should now make plans to celebrate the Fourth of July in Thief River Falls.

CROPS REPORTED BEST CONDITION IN MANY YEARS

Grains Two or Three Weeks Nearer Maturity This Season Than Ever Before.

By some strange freak of nature, this country seems to have been moved three weeks nearer the south pole than the position persons had always imagined it occupied.

At all events, and nevertheless, judging from the condition of the crops, that's about the position it occupies on the map at the present time.

The report comes in this morning that wheat has already commenced to head out—not the short, stunted heads that come as the result of drouth, but long, graceful, well formed heads that indicate a bountiful yield.

This is earlier, by two or three weeks, than the usual time for heading, and the earliest so far as can be learned, that the wheat crop, or other crops for that matter, have reached the state of maturity they show this year. Barley is practically as far advanced as wheat, and rye, according to reports, has commenced to turn to that golden hue which presages the harvest.

DR. PAULSON HONOR GUEST AT BANQUET

Associates Express Regret at His Leaving and Hope For His Success.

A farewell banquet given in honor of Dr. A. J. Paulson and attended by about 30 representative business and professional men of the city, was held at the Hotel Brumund last evening. After having disposed of the excellent spring chicken feast provided by Manager Louis Garvey, the company listened to short addresses by a number of those present. E. M. Stanton acted as toastmaster, a position for which he most admirably fitted by experience, inclination and temperament. He stated that while the removal of men like Dr. Paulson was a distinct loss to any community, yet his being called to a larger field of usefulness was to be regarded in the light of a merited promotion, which all former neighbors have a right to feel that they had some share in bringing about. Other speakers called upon were Rev. T. E. Sweger, Dr. O. F. Mellby, Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, Dr. L. F. Fisher, R. M. Sheldon and Thos. A. Way. All spoke in high terms of praise of Dr. Paulson as a man who would be missed by a wide circle in his professional capacity, but particularly did they lay stress upon his worth as a citizen. The hope was expressed by all that he would be even more successful in his new field than he has been to date and predicted still further advances for him.

In replying Dr. Paulson thanked the speakers for their kind references to him. It was no easy matter, said Dr. Paulson, to sever old associations, particularly where these have always been of the most pleasant character, but that sometimes business reasons compelled a sudden alteration of plans. He would always remember Thief River Falls and its people with a high sense of appreciation of what they had done for him, and if the new venture did not turn out as satisfactory as it promised he knew of no place to which he would return with greater pleasure or with more hope of being welcomed. The doctor expressed his thanks for the evidence of esteem and confidence he found on every side, regretting only that it made the leaving that much harder.

Besides those mentioned above, the following were present: C. B. Larson, Stewart J. Aga, H. A. Pratt, C. W. Vorachek, W. E. Baker, L. H. Larson, Dr. H. W. Froehlich, Roy Lambert, Dr. J. Biederman, T. J. Anstad, E. P. Brevig, T. L. Melgaard, H. W. Protzeller, Dr. M. Geo. Milan, Robt. McGinn, Dr. C. R. Crandall, E. O. Mogensen, Dr. C. M. Adkins.

Dr. Paulson leaves tomorrow to become one of the surgeons at the Lutheran hospital, Watertown, S. D.

LUTHERAN YOUNG PEOPLES RALLY AT GREENBUSH

League For Thief River Circuit Organized and Plans Made For Future Work.

Sunday, June 19, was a great day for the young people of the Thief River circuit of the Norwegian Lutheran church. Representative Young People's League societies met at Greenbush to take the first steps in the organization of a Young People's Lutheran League for the circuit.

The following pastors or their calls were represented: Grimsrud, Sabo, Sweger, Ordahl, Olson, Benhard, Onstad and Hagen.

The meeting was held in the magnificent auditorium of the new consolidated school building of the city, a building said to cost $90,000. A large audience was present throughout the day. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire gave the initiatory sermon of the day, speaking on "The Mission of the Church." At the end of the forenoon session a committee on temporary organization was appointed as follows: Revs. H. H. Hagen, E. O. Sabo, P. J. Grothe and E. A. Mostue.

In the afternoon a varied program of speeches, songs and music was enjoyed. Rev. K. O. Landberg of St. Paul spoke on "Our Foreign Mission;" Rev. M. B. Ordahl spoke on "The Joy of a Christian Life." Several songs were rendered by the church choirs of Greenbush and Roseau, and instrumental music by the orchestra at Greenbush.

The committee reported that a permanent organization of all the Young People's and Luther League societies of the various congregations be effected and the following temporary organization was formed:

President, C. M. Grimsrud; vice president, E. A. Mostue; secretary, M. J. Hegland; treasurer, M. B. Ordahl; committee on constitution and by-laws, Rev. T. E. Sweger, Miss Anna Hegland, Prof. Lee. The president will call a meeting on permanent organization when the committee on organization is ready to report.

Produce Association Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Produce association will be held in the Farm bureau office on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year and plans outlined for carrying on the business for this year's potato crop. The acreage this year in Pennington county is almost double that of last year and all growers are very much interested in the marketing plans as carried on by the produce association last year.

PAVING BOND BIDS WILL BE OPENED ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 8

The city council is advertising to receive bids on the certificates of indebtedness of the city for the carrying out of the proposed paving improvement in the business district of Thief River Falls. The bids will be opened at 8 o'clock Friday, July 8th. The amount to be issued, as stated in the notice is not to exceed $292,000 and bids on any part of this amount in excess of $50,000 will be received by the council.

It is anticipated that there will be a ready market for the bonds and with them disposed of the paving program will be carried through as originally planned. It is not likely that any paving construction work, aside from the putting in of the curbs and gutters, will be done until after the sale of the certificates.

The work of putting in the curbs and gutters is proceeding very rapidly and the contractors figure that this part of the improvement will be completed within the next two weeks.

PAVING MATTER TO COME UP IN DISTRICT COURT

Session to Open Here on Tuesday, June 28, For Regular Summer Term.

Expected That Attempt Will be Made to Move Cause Forward on Calendar.

Usual Short Session Promised As There Are But 22 Civil Cases on Docket.

When district court convenes on Tuesday, June 28, it is expected that attorneys representing the city of Thief River Falls as respondent in the injunction proceedings brought by the Oen Mercantile company to prevent the carrying out of the paving contract entered into with the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, will ask the consent of appellant's attorneys to have the action advanced on the calendar. This case is No. 12 on the civil list and as the issue is one of law and fact it will not come up until after the jury cases are tried if the usual form of procedure is followed. The title of this case is as follows: Oen Mercantile company, vs. City of Thief River Falls, a municipal corporation; John Bratrud as mayor of the city of Thief River Falls; Ole Hde, H. A. Brumund, Andrew Ness, John Dahl, Carl Froseth and Severn Brandon as the common council of the city of Thief River Falls; the Bitulithic Contracting company, a corporation, and Capital Trust and Savings company, a corporation. The attorneys in the case are: Theo. Quale and Boughton & Boughton for the petitioners; Ambrose Tighe for the Capital Trust and Savings bank; E. M. Stanton for the Bitulithic Contracting company; H. O. Chommie for the City of Thief River Falls and the officers thereof.

Calendar is Short.

The above is undoubtedly the most important case to come before the district court at the June session. There are a total of 22 civil cases on the calendar, six of these being continued from last term. There are no continued criminal cases. The grand jury will begin its deliberations on Tuesday, June 28, and the petit jury on the day following.

Following is a list of the jurymen: Grand jurors—Elo Saniers, Highlanding; S. M. Posten and V. C. Noper, North; N. P. Larson and C. J. Ekvall, Star; Martin Bjerke and Henry Olson, St. Hilaire; C. A. Nelson, Bray; A. E. Anderson, River Falls; J. M. Schei, Cloverleaf; Albert Gerke, Rocksbury; Geo. Brietsprecher, Polk Center; O. M. Peterson, Smiley; Olaf Larson, Numedal; N. K. Anderson, Sanders; Peter Hedeen, Kratka.

Petit Jurors—O. C. Peterson and E. H. Stephens, River Falls; William Vaughn and Bennie Rustad, Highlanding; Iver E. Hovick and Louis Dinmen, Norden; Carl Nelson, St. Hilaire; C. W. Vorachek, J. W. McGinty, H. A. Brumund, Ed. Ness and O. A. Rambeck, Thief River Falls; Bjorgo Newton, Smiley; Oscar Gigstad, Black River; Iver Solheim, Kratka; Swan Wiberg, Rocksbury; H. J. Maland, North; Ole Hendrum, Albert Arveson and Thor Skomedal, Hickory; Elev Aakre, Reiner; Carl Anderson, Star; Peter Lovly, Goodridge.

Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren, will preside.

VERDICT OF JURY IS SET ASIDE BY COURT IN LOCAL BANK CASE

The verdict of the jury in the case of Mrs. Bertha Giller versus the First National bank of Thief River Falls has been set aside by Judge Andrew Grindeland of the district court. This is the case which was tried at the February term of court and in which a verdict was returned for Mrs. Giller. The amount involved was about $11,000. Attorneys for Mrs. Giller announce that an appeal will be taken to the supreme court from the decision of Judge Grindeland.

This case attracted a great deal of interest at the last term of court. It was an action brought by Mrs. Giller against the First National bank to recover certain securities. It was claimed by Mrs. Giller that she deposited and pledged certain securities with Mr. C. L. Hansen at the First National bank to protect him as a bondsman for her son, Maurice. The bank claimed that these securities were pledged to protect them on an unsecured indebtedness of Maurice to the bank as well as protection to Mr. Hansen as a bondsman. The case occupied several days at the last term of court.

Missionary Tent Campaign.

Christian and Missionary tent campaign, a series of meetings to be held in a tent, which will be located north of the Winton-Nichols Lumber company on M. Brudie's lot. There will be meetings twice a day, at 2:30 and 7:45, from June 29 to July 10. Good speakers will be present. Everybody welcome.

Society and Club

Arpin-Hansen.

Announcements have been received by friends here of the marriage of Miss Ardith Yvonne Arpin, formerly of this city, now of Minneapolis, to Robert A. Hansen of St. Paul. The wedding occurred Wednesday evening, June 22, at 8:15 from the Fifth Avenue Congregational church, Minneapolis. The altar was beautifully decorated with larkspur, Columbia roses and ferns. The bride wore a striking dress of grey canton crepe with hat and slippers to match, with a corsage of orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Lucille Burns of this city was bridesmaid and was atitred in a charming frock of black and white taffeta. Lt. Frances Starr, of Camp Benning, Ga., acted as best man. The bride was given away by her uncle, G. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansen left the same evening for Seattle, Wash., where they will reside.

In Honor of Dr. Paulson.

The nurses of the Physicians hospital shared honors at a delightfully appointed lawn party at the nurses home on Friday evening in compliment to Dr. A. J. Paulson, who leaves for Watertown, S. D., the first of next month. The guests included the doctors and their wives. Games, dancing and music made up the entertainment followed by a delicious lunch.

Grambe-Eide.

Otto Grambe and Miss Norma H. Eide, both of Newfolden, were quietly married at the Zion Lutheran parsonage on Saturday afternoon. Rev. George Larson was the officiating clergyman. Harold Eide and Miss Bertha Ordahl were the witnesses to the ceremony. Mr. Grambe is engaged in the hardware business at the above named place.

Stewart-Lee.

On June 14 John Stewart and Miss Ellen N. Lee, both of Grygla, were married at the Presbyterian manse with Rev. R. L. Barackman officiating. The young people were accompanied by the bride's parents, who were the only witnesses of the ceremony. They will make their home on a farm near Grygla.

Picnic Supper.

About 34 ladies were guests of Mrs. E. M. Stanton and Mrs. W. J. LaBree at a picnic supper served at Lovers' Lane on Friday evening. Mrs. Gertrude Carew of Eau Claire, Wis., and Miss Leesa Lakin, sister of Mrs. G. A. Penney, were the honor guests.

Music Classes Have Picnic.

The junior and senior classes of Mrs. C. O. Erickson's school of music, accompanied by their instructor, enjoyed a theatre party on Monday afternoon followed by a picnic lunch at the Ole Erickson home on the banks of the Thief river.

Entertains.

In compliment to Mrs. Gertrude Carew of Eau Claire, Wis., Mrs. Victoria McKinney entertained at a theater party on Saturday evening, after which the guests repaired to her apartment where a delicious lunch was served.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. will meet on June 28, at the home of Mrs. A. Craik, Horace avenue north. This will be flower mission day and everyone is urged to be present for the occasion.

City News

Miss Celia Saugen of Steiner attended to shopping here yesterday.

Geo. Merril of Fargo was a business caller in the city the first of the week.

Arne Sunset of Roseau attended the concert given here on Tuesday evening.

Miss Laura Larson of Hazel was in the city yesterday attending to shopping.

Mildon Booren arrived here the first of the week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Ole Ihle returned Sunday morning from a week's business trip to Winona and Minneapolis.

Miss Borghild and mother of Middle River were in the city on Tuesday to attend the concert.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Brandt of Greenbush, motored here Tuesday to visit friends and attend the concert.

Ward Long, residing on a farm near here, left last evening for a visit with friends in the twin cities.

E. K. Aasen left last evening for Sioux Falls, S. D., where he will attend a Sons of Norway convention.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Kinsela and daughter, Alice, returned this morning from their trip to the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Roy Erickson returned Sunday morning from Minneapolis where she had spent a few days visiting friends.

E. P. Modin of Middle River returned to his home yesterday after a business trip to the twin cities the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Red Lake Falls were in the city yesterday availing themselves of the Market Day bargains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Docken, Leonard Jevne, Misses Stella and Olive Mickelson all of Holt visited with friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Heyerdahl and family of Roseau, were in the city on Tuesday evening to attend the concert. They made the trip in their car.

Mrs. Lewis Yell arrived Monday from her home at Minneapolis for a visit of two months' duration at the home of her mother, Mrs. P. J. Soards.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hall and daughters, Misses Helen and Alice of Middle River, were among the many out of town people who attended the St. Olaf college concert here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence returned yesterday from Union Lake where they had spent a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes who are enjoying a two weeks' outing.

Mrs. John Skog who had spent some time visiting in the twin cities, returned to her home here on Sunday morning, accompanied by her niece, Miss Alice Kelley of Barren, Wis., who will be her guest.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family, accompanied by Mrs. Karl Korstad of Highlanding, will leave tomorrow for Maple Lake where the former has leased a cottage for the summer. Mrs. Korstad and young son will be their guests during the greater share of the time they are at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Gunderson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson, the latter of Drayton, N. D., C. Von Rohr and Miss Ethel Ole, were among those from Roseau who drove down Tuesday evening to attend the concert given by the St. Olaf choir. Mr. Von Rohr left on the flyer the same evening on a business trip to the twin cities.

The community church picnic will be held at the Wm. Jones farm four and one-half miles north and one mile west of Goodridge on Sunday, June 26. Speakers of the day will be H. O. Berve and John Nystul. Music will be furnished by the Goodridge band. Ball game between Goodridge and Moylan. Lunch and refreshments will be served. Everybody welcome.

Theo. Salverson of Ada is in the city this week renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Boughton of Red Lake Falls were visitors here on Friday.

Mrs. Lizzie Rasmussen left yesterday afternoon for Crookston to visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Murphy of Middle River were guests at the N. J. Silk home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen motored to Oslo on Sunday to visit at the home of the latter's parents.

Miss Martine Cloutier who is employed in Minneapolis, is in the city this week visiting her folks.

Misses Elsie and Esther Sundahl were the guests of friends at Warren the latter part of last week.

Miss Grace Hall and sister-in-law, Mrs. Hall, both of St. Hilaire, were shoppers in the city yesterday.

Olaf Ramstad left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to attend the Minnesota State Bankers' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes and daughter, Esther, have returned from their two weeks' outing at Union Lake.

Robt. McGinn returned Sunday morning from Green Bay, Wis., where he had been to attend the funeral of his mother.

C. W. Vorachek, cashier of the Citizens State bank, went to Minneapolis last evening to attend the State Bankers' convention.

Mrs. C. E. Frances and son, Clarence, Jr., of Portland, Ore., are the guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bamford.

Miss Ausilga Sorenson, for the past year instructor of violin here, will leave Sunday for her home at Grand Forks to remain indefinitely.

Robert McGinn returned Sunday morning from Green Bay, Wis., where he had gone the week previous to attend the funeral services of his mother.

Miss Effie Christianson, of the clerical force at Lokens' department store, left yesterday afternoon for Fertile to attend the wedding of her brother.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son, Stephen, returned on Saturday to their home at Oslo, after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. H. Herrick.

August Krause is attending the Minnesota State convention of the Mission Synod Lutheran church as a delegate of St. John's Lutheran congregation.

Mrs. W. H. Akre and daughter, Ardith, left the latter part of last week for Crookston where they will be the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

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Mrs. Gay Halvorson, who has been visiting at Oberlin, Ohio, and her daughter, Doris, who was graduated from Oberlin Conservatory of Music this spring, are expected to arrive home tomorrow.

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Lloyd Roy of Mahnomen, visited with friends in the city on Saturday and Sunday.

L. Berman of Roseau was a business caller here on Saturday, remaining over Sunday to visit friends.

Mrs. Henry Naegeli arrived here Saturday evening from Fairdale, N. D., for a brief visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Johnson of Grygla were here on Saturday visiting friends and attending to shopping.

Mrs. Ed. Hill left on Friday evening for Fergus Falls, where she will visit her folks for a week or two.

Miss Lorraine Klinfehn of Melrose arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Lampert.

Miss Alice Clausen of Oslo, arrived here last week for an indefinite visit ith her aunt, Miss Christine Clausen.

Sydney Stebbins returned Monday morning to his home at Morris after a visit at the home of his brother, F. J. Stebbins.

Carl, Elmer, Uldrick and Halvor Halvorson and Albert Duraas, all of Northwood, N. D., were visitors in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Melgaard and family of Argyle were guests at the home of the former's brother, T. L. Melgaard, yesterday.

Mrs. Gertrude Carew and son of Eau Claire, Wis., were guests at the home of Mr. anr Mrs. George Curran the first of the week.

Mrs. C. E. Andrews who had spent several weeks visiting with relatives and friends at Minneapolis, returned to her home here on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ebbighausen of Maxbass, N. D., and Miss Emma Ebbighausen of Crookston, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ebbighausen last Thursday.

Horace Whittier of Stillwater spent Saturday and Sunday in the city on business matters. While here he was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Booren.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Halgrim of Rosewood were in the city on Saturday and Sunday visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller, accompanied by the latter's aunt, Mrs. L. C. Hodgkins of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Schutt, motored to Maple Lake on Sunday.

The W. C. T. U. wishes to thank the members of the band and the leader for the music furnished for the opening number of the open-air meeting on Tuesday, June 14.

H. Hadrath and family left last week for St. Cloud where they will make their home. Mr. Hadrath has the agency for the Lincoln Life Insurance company in that district.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fuller and family left yesterday for a two weeks outing to be spent at Lake Lizzie where all the millers of the northwest and their families are enjoying an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Biddick and daughter, Juanita, and Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Larson and little son, spent Sunday at Maple Lake visiting with friends. They made the trip in the Biddick car.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson, accompanied by her two daughters, Thelma and Gladys, left Monday morning via the Soo for Regal, Minneapolis and Fargo to spend several weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. O. Sether and Mrs. C. M. Carlson returned Thursday morning from Crookston where they had attended a district meeting of the W. C. T. U on Wednesday evening, at which meeting Mrs. Harris Armour, a renouned speaker, addressed a large and enthusiastic audience at the Presbyterian church.

Oak Ridge Ladies' Aid will have a Mission fest at the church, 7 miles west and 2 miles north of Thief River Falls, Sunday, June 26. Dinner and other refreshments will be served in the basement and the proceeds go to Mission work in heathen lands. The service begins at 11 o'clock a. m. Rev. Lundeberg will preach.

Peter Giefer and two daughters and Jos. Votava and three daughters and two sons, left Friday in the Giefer and Votava cars for Winnipeg, leaving at 6:15 in the morning and arriving at their destination at 9:00 that night. The following morning was spent in touring the downtown district visiting the parliment building and the largest stores. In the afternoon they spent their time at the various parks. They picniced on the road each way returning to this city Tuesday morning. They state that the fields across the boarder promised an excellent crop.

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Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies Aid Thursday in the church parlors. Young People's League this evening. Beatrice Erickson and Janet Oftedal will give reports on the district convention held in Moorhead. Divine services in the Norwegian language at 11 a. m. June 26. Confirmation services July 3. Parochial school is in session every day. All children are welcome to receive the instruction given.

Chritsian Science — Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject June 26, "Christian Science." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same location is open each Thursday from 3 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited to these services.

The First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services next Sunday. Sunday school and Bible class at 10:30 a. m. Mission meeting Tuesday, June 28 at 8 p. m. and Thursday, June 30, al day. Wednesday, June 29, at St. Hilaire.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—June 26: 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning worship; 8 p. m., evening hour of worship; 7 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E., "Men and Women Whose Lives Should Inspire Us." Friday, June 24, from 4 to 7 p. m., a cafeteria lunch at the church.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. Services at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies Aid Thursday, June 30th. Mrs. Bjoland and Mrs. Fossum entertain. Y. P. S. Thursday evening, June 30th. Miss Adeline Bakke entertains. Parochial school beginning Tuesday, July 5th at 9 a. m. Student Caleb Quambee from Augsburg Seminary will teach.

St. Johns Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—There will be no services the next two Sundays. June 26 the pastor will be in attendance at the Minnesota State Convention of the Missouri Synod Lutheran church, and July 3 the pastor will preach at the Mission Festival at Wylie.

Salvation Army—The Salvation Army will present a play entitled "The King's Palace," on Friday evening, June 24, at 8:15 p. m. This same program was given at Stener with great success. The young people have spent a great deal of time in practice. Good music and singing. Ice cream and cake will be served after the program. Admission including lunch will be 25 cents. Come and bring your friends.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—No services next Sunday but Sunday school at 10 a. m. Young Peoples meeting June 30, Rev. Nelson of Buffalo, will speak at the church at 8 p. m. The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. L. M. Rollund, Duluth Ave. N. Wednesday, June 29 at 2:30 p. m. St. Hilaire next Sunday services at Black River at 11 a. m. East Side school house at 3 p. m. At St. Hilaire at 8 p. m.

METAL WORK PLANT TO BE LOCATED IN THIEF RIVER FALLS

A. J. St. Onge of Saskatoon, Canada Will Open Establishment Here at Once.

A. J. St. Onge of Saskatoon, Canada, arrived here Monday and is making plans for locating a plant here for the manufacture of all kinds of metal work such as ventilators, cornices, cistern and house tanks. He will also handle gravel and asphalt roofing.

The establishment will be operated under the name of the Metal Roofing and Cornice Mfg. Co. Mr. St. Onge has had years of experience in this line of business, having been located in St. Paul before going to Canada. He selected this city because of its excellent railroad facilities, making it desirable from a distributing point of view. The building in which his plant will be located has not been definitely decided upon yet but he expects to have this problem settled within the next few days.

Real value—The Times—$2 a year.

$3,000,000 in Bonds Offered by Soo Line

Soo Line one year notes to the amount of $3,000,000, bearing 7 per cent interest, a new kind of issue for the road, made to pay operating expenses and necessary because of the lack of settlement with the United States government for money owed the road, were announced at the offices of the railroad today. The notes were offered for sale in New York recently by Dinon, Read and company at a figure to make them yield 8 per cent. A settlement of the railroad's claim against the government is looked for this summer.

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Great Concert Band to be Heard Here on July 7

One of the most famous bands in the United States and one of the best known in the world will be heard in Thief River Falls on the evening of July 7, at the auditorium. It is the great Luther College Concert band of Decorah, Iowa. This organization is under the direction of Carlo A. Sperati and has appeared in Chicago, New York, Boston, Philadelphia, London, Liverpool, Christiania, Stockholm, Berlin and other large cities, including Liege in Belgium. During the world's fair at San Francisco in 1915 Sig. Sperati and the Luther band were engaged for the entire summer, being the only musical organization thus honored. More detailed information as to program, etc., will appear next week.

Men's Clothing Dropped 25 to 30 Per Cent

Men's clothing and furnishing goods have dropped 25 to 30 per cent from the peak of war prices, according to compilations made by the National Association of Retail Clothiers and announced today. The association figures were obtained from a questionnaire sent to all members. Complete replies were received from seven hundred retailers, including some of the largest establishments in the country.

Return From Convention.

F. C. Dablow, district deputy grand patriarch of Encampment District No. 12 of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, was awarded the decoration of chivalry at the state meeting of the order held in Virginia last week. This honor is conferred every year upon some member in each district for meritorious service on behalf of the order.

The other representatives of Thief River Falls lodges of the order were: Hans Heckne from Young Pine lodge, and Mrs. J. L. Gassow from Lion Rebecah lodge. Mr. Gassow also made the trip. Over 3,000 delegates were present and the convention was one of the best ever held in the state.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our thanks to those who showed their sympathy and help during the sickness and death of our beloved grandmother, Anna Arnstad. Particularly do we wish to express our thanks and appreciation to Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Sweger for words of consolation and cheer.—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mostue and Family. j23

Bible Conference.

Bible conference and evangelistic meetings will be held in the Scandinavian Evangelical Free church of Numedal township, five miles south of Viking, June 30 to July 3. Meetings as follows: Thursday, June 30, at 8 p. m., July 1 and 2, 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. July 3 (Sunday) 10:30 a. m., 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. Lunch will be served at noon on Sunday. There will be several good speakers. An invitation is extended to all to come and take part in these meetings. "O, earth, earth, earth, hear the word of the Lord."—Jer. 22:29.

Notice.

The banks of Thief River Falls will close at one o'clock p. m. on Saturday afternoons during the months of June, July and August, commencing on Saturday, June 25.

First and Peoples State Bank
Farmers & Merchants State Bank
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ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Motor Company, gives out the following statement:

"Another reduction has been made in the list price of all types of Ford cars and the Ford truck, to take effect immeditely. The list prices, F. O. B. Detroit, are now as follows:

TOURING CAR	$415.00
RUNABOUT	$370.00
COUPE	$695.00
SEDAN	$760.00
CHASSIS	$345.00
TRUCK CHASSIS	$495.00
TRACTOR	$625.00

"The big reductions last fall were made in anticipation of low material costs which we are now getting the benefit of, and this fact, together with increased manufacturing efficiency and the unprecedented demand for Ford cars, particularly during the past three months permitting maximum production, have made another price reduction possible immediately.

"Ford business for April and May 1921 was greater by 56,633 cars and trucks than for the same two months in 1920; in fact, the demand has been even greater than the supply, so that our output has been limited, not by unfilled orders, but by manufacturing facilities.

"During May we produced 101,424 Ford cars and trucks for sale in the United States alone—the biggest month in the history of our company—and our factories and assembly plants are now working on a 4,000 car daily schedule for June.

"The Fordson tractor is still being sold at less than the cost to produce on account of the recent big price reductions and it is impossible, therefore, to make any further cut in the price of the tractor."

Can you afford to go without a car any longer when Fords are selling at these new low prices? There is no reason now why you should delay purchasing a Ford car, Ford truck or Fordson tractor.

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Specials For Saturday

Glass Candlesticks

40c values	29c
45c values	34c

Glass Vases

25c values	19c
35c values	26c
45c values	33c
50c values	37c

Drinking Cups

10c values	7c
15c values	11c

Profil Pencils

35c values	26c
45c values	34c

Perfect Point Pencils

50c values	39c

Playing Cards

35c values	29c
55c values	44c
$1.00 values	79c
$1.10 values	89c
$1.35 values	99c

Paper Dolls in Boxes

15c box of paper dolls special at only	9c
30c box of paper dolls special at only	19c
75c box of paper dolls special at only	49c
95c box of paper dolls special at only	59c

Paper Dolls in Books

35c book of paper dolls special at only	19c
40c book of paper dolls special at only	24c
45c book of paper dolls special at only	29c

Sewing Sets in Boxes

20c box sewing set special at only	13c
35c box sewing set special at only	19c
65c box sewing set special at only	49c
$1 box sewing set special at only	69c

Framed Mottos

75c framed mottos special at only	39c
85c framed mottos special at only	49c
95c framed mottos special at only	59c

Boxed Stationery

35c box of stationery special at only	24c
45c box of stationery special at only	31c
55c box of stationery special at only	38c
60c box of stationery special at only	45c
70c box of stationery special at only	52c
80c box of stationery special at only	59c
85c box of stationery special at only	66c
95c box of stationery special at only	73c
$1.00 box of stationery special at only	80c
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You can save on everything you buy.

Real price reductions, unbeatable money savings on strictly highest quality this season's most desirable merchandise. Take advantage of these reductions as the values are exceptional.

Men's good weight Work Shirts, all sizes 58c and 89c

Interweaved best guaranteed Sox 3 pairs for $1.00

Boys' Work Shirts 48c and 79c

Boys' good Stockings pair 9c

Heavy weight Rockford work Sox, 3 pairs for 25c

Men's and Boys' Jersey Gloves, 2 pairs for 25c

Heavy weight Canvas Gloves, 3 pairs for 25c

Men's good brown or black Sox 2 pairs for 25c

Boys' Suits

Closing out entire line of boys' Suits including all the snappy spring styles in fancy and plain patterns, including the all-wool Blue Serge Suits.

All small Suits in nice brown and grey mixtures, single or double breasted. $18.00 suits. Clearance sale price $13.45

A big assortment to choose from in this lot of fancy models in Serges and fancy patterns. Regular $13.50 suits $9.75

Good attractive patterns in good wearing quality of odds and ends, at Clearance sale prices $6.45

A snappy and dressy model for boys, sizes 5 to 10, all wool Blue Serge Suits, regular $11.00 suits. Clearance sale price $7.85

One lot of this season's Suits in the latest styles, sizes to 18. Clearance sale price $11.45

Wash Suits

Clearance sale prices on all wash suits at Clearance prices. Cheaper than you can have it made and you get the Kaynee style.

An attractive middy style wash suit, nicely trimmed collar and cuffs, with embroidered emblem on sleeve. Regular $3.00 value. Clearance sale price $1.89

Wash suits in sizes 3 to 8, made of very nice cool crash cloth. A real dressy neat suit for summer. Clearance sale price $2.48

Boys' Indian outfit, made of Khaki cloth trimmed with red and yellow fringe headgear with assorted colored feathers. Clearance sale price $1.48

Neat and dressy Oliver Twist wash suits, whole or combination collars. Clearance sale price $1.65

A special lot of odd sizes and broken lots in galatta, chambray. Clearance sale price $1.45

One lot of combination Romper Suits, Kaynee style and make, to close out for a snap 48c

Boys' complete base ball suits made of strong washable cloth. Outfit complete—shirt, pants, cap and belt. Clearance sale price $2.45

SUITS AT REAL BARGAIN PRICES SUITS

Fine grade blue serge suits, single or double breasted; also a lot of fancy cassimeres and worsteds. A special offering. Clearance sale price $19.50

Extra big values in this lot of men's and young men's suits. This season's newest patterns, in stripes, checks and plaids. Clearance sale price $29.50

Here is your chance to save. A special offering of one lot of Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits. Not a suit in the lot that is worth less than $50 and $55. Clearance sale price $39.50

One Special Lot of Suits

The fine quality pure wool blue serge Suits. Also a fine assortment of Two-Pants Suits in mixtures. Clearance Sale Price $32.00

Two-Piece Palm Beach Suits

Our best grade of men's and young men's Palm Beach Suits, this season's styles. Clearance sale price $17.45

Genuine Palm Beach cloth made in single and double-breasted. A complete selection to choose from. Clearance sale price $15.45

Men's dress shirts $1.33
Fine stripe Madras dress shirts $1.95
Silk shirts $4.45

Boys' dress shirts 79c
Men's collar attached dress shirts $1.19
Fine society collar attached $1.95

Men's good Khaki combination suits at $2.65
Boys' Khaki combination suits at $1.29
Boys' play suits, double knee and seat 89c

Men's heavy Suspenders 23c
Men's Handkerchiefs 04c
Men's heavy Sox 23c
President Suspenders 38c
Leather work Gloves 69c

Shoes

Soft black kid leather, soft and comfortable to the foot and very durable summer shoes that will fit any tender foot. Clearance sale price $5.45

Men's good fitting shoes, gunmetal, lace, wide and roomy, sizes 6 to 11. They are Foote-Schulze make. Clearance sale price $4.45

Extra fine quality young men's brown dress Shoes, English and Semi-English lasts, full rubber heel. Clearance sale price $5.45

One good lot of odd sizes and broken lots of work Shoes in black and brown. Clearance sale price $3.45

Boys' and Children's Shoes and Sandals

Brown barefoot sandals, durable upper and soles soft and durable. Clearance sale price $1.29

Children's Haere lace Shoes, foot form shape sizes 6 to 11. Clearance sale price $2.38

Boys' brown scout pattern Shoes, cromax sole. Clearance sale price $1.89

Boys' black dress shoes, wide toes and roomy shapes. Values $4.00 and $4.50. Clearance sale price $2.65

Boys' brown or black dress Shoes, English and wide shapes. All solid leather shoes. Clearance sale price $2.95

Boys' dark brown canvas work Shoes with Rubber Heels

Sizes 11 to 2 $1.88
Sizes 2 to 6 $1.98
Men's sizes $2.19

Clearance prices on all Canvas Shoes.

Big Bargains—Real Clearance Prices in UNDERWEAR

Men's Underwear, white or cream color, fine quality mesh union suits. Clearance sale price 88c

Heavy weight cotton ribbed $1.75 union suits. Clearance sale price 98c

Good quality athletic union suits, all sizes. Clearance sale price 79c

Men's heavy weight cotton shirts and drawers, all sizes. Clearance sale price 58c

A wonderful bargain. A real clearance sale price on all light weight, short or long sleeves, white or cream color. Lewis $2 union suit. A garment that will please any particular man. Sizes 34 to 50. Clearance sale price 98c

Men's good quality Balbriggan shirts and drawers, regular 75c value. Clearance sale price 48c

Boys' fine mesh union suits, sizes age 6 to 16. Clearance sale price 53c

Boys' fine ribbed union suits, in white and cream. Clearance sale price 53c

Boys' athletic union suits. Clearance sale price 53c

One lot of boys' high grade union suits, in all styles, values to $1.50. Special clearance price 79c

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Regular and extra sizes, grey striped cotton worsted work pants, cuff or plain bottoms. Clearance sale price $1.69

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Fine striped pure wool worsted, including a lot of Hart Schaffner & Marx blue serge pants. Clearance sale price $7.45

One lot of well tailored good fitting dress pants, every one guaranteed more than your money's worth. Clearance sale price $4.45

Stetson and Gordon Hats At Clearance Sale Prices

Big bargains in the Montana big shop Hats in black and Nutria tan. Big value. Clearance sale price $3.45

Men's $5.00 and $6.00 dress Hats, in odd sizes and broken lots. Clearance sale price $3.45

High grade dress Hats, in the new styles, in dark, green, brown. Clearance price $2.95

Men's black work Hats $1.39

One lot of cool summer cloth Hats to close out 45c

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A SUCCESSFUL EXPERIMENT.

Market Day in Thief River Falls demonstrated the value of merchants pulling together, even if it shall be proved that it served no other good purpose. But it did serve other good purposes, as will be evident before many months have elapsed.

The day was a success from every standpoint. The crowd was larger than the most optimistic dared hope and the amount of business done was so much greater than expected that even those who were most in doubt over the outcome are enthusiastic.

It all goes to show what can be accomplished by pulling together. It was the first attempt of its kind ever made in this city and one of the first in the entire section. It is quite possible that there were mistakes made in arranging the details and perhaps in carrying out the program. If so they have been forgotten in the satisfaction over the general outcome.

One thousand persons took advantage of the bargain offered in sugar alone and it is not likely that this represents more than half the total number in the city on Wednesday. Every merchant experienced a revival of trading such as he has been looking and longing for these many moons past. Business men discovered that the people still have the power and will to buy if goods are offered at what they consider right prices. They came from distant places to take advantage of the unusual bargains and felt themselves amply repaid.

The merchants worked hard to make this venture a success and are entitled to whatever of satisfaction or future increase in business they may secure by reason of their wider acquaintance. They aimed to make Thief River Falls known over a larger trading territory and they succeeded.

Much of the credit for the success of this first market day venture is due to G. Howard Smith, secretary of the Merchants association. The plan was his in the first place and by far the greater part of the work of carrying it out fell upon him.

A STEP BACKWARDS.

There is an impression prevalent that the county commissioners will refuse to make an appropriation for the purpose of assisting in carrying on the work of the farm bureau when that matter comes up for final settlement. The impression is doubtless well founded.

Lacking any justification for an action of this kind in lack of achievement on the part of the bureau, the commissioners last spring resorted to the equivalent of a straw vote in order to find out just how the farmers themselves stood on the subject. The matter was explained by no one except such as were against the farm bureau movement in any event and the vote went against any further appropriation. Later a more systematic canvass was made by the bureau officials and resulted in an overwhelming majority in favor of continuing the work. In certain townships the affirmative vote was unanimous while in others only one or two were found in opposition.

The commissioners will doubtless take this step, giving economy as their reason. No one will quarrel with them for making an attempt to keep taxation at as low a point as possible, but when it is realized that this appropriation of $3,000 would amount to only 25 cents on each quarter section of land in the county, the saving does not appear of such commanding proportions. The cost to the farmer will be even less than this as the city of Thief River Falls pays approximately one-third of the entire county tax levy. This would bring the actual cost of maintaining the bureau down to about 16 cents for each 160 acres of farm land.

There may be those who can figure out that abandoning the farm bureau in order to save this amount is good business, but they are surely few and far between. The institution has proven its worth in so many different directions since its establishment that to anyone who is in the least conversant with the facts it seems incomprehensible that the county board will take the action expected. Only one county in the state has failed in continuing the farm bureau appropriations after having once experienced its benefits and it should certainly not be the aim of the people of Pennington county to emulate communities that show a tendency to move backwards.

The farm bureau will be continued in this county whether or not the commissioners see their way clear to help the cause along. Farmers from every section have come forward with a pledge of personal support and the citizens of Thief River Falls may be depended on to do their full share in this respect should the occasion arise. The latter realize that on the farmer's welfare depends the prosperity of the city as well as the country and will not stand idly by while the one agency established to help him solve his problems is being throttled. But such action should not be necessary. It is to be hoped that the commissioners will view the matter in a different light and make this small appropriation for the purpose of helping farm progress in the county.

Clinic at St. Hilaire.

A throat and chest clinic will be held in the town hall of the village of St. Hilaire on Wednesday, June 29, from 10 a. m., until 4 p. m.

This clinic will be conducted by Dr. M. G. Milan, medical director of the Oakland Park sanitarium, assisted by the county nurse. There are no charges made for examinations and it is an unrivaled opportunity for any one in poor health or in a run-down condition to consult a specialist.

Fern Avis Christianson.

Fern Avis Christianson, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christianson of Erskine, died in this city on June 16, from obstruction of the bowels. Burial took place in Greenwood on June 18.

Thos. C. Burchett.

Thos. C. Burchett of Warroad, died in this city on June 17 from heart trouble. Deceased was engaged in teaching school in the vicinity of his home. The body was shipped to Annandale for burial on June 20.

Young People Confirmed.

The following young people were confirmed last Sunday at the Zion Lutheran church: Albert Sjolsvold, Willis Johnson, William Stageberg, Melvin Pederson, Clarence Grindeland, Clenora Senum, Alma Dahl, Lillie Gran, Agnes Remmem, Mildred Remmem, Helen Jacobson, Alice Jacobson. The church was beautifully decorated in white and the altar which was banked with ferns and flowers made an effective setting for the confirmants.

ST. HILAIRE

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Benson arrived Sunday from their home at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and will spend some time here visiting with friends and relatives.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pete Burstad Saturday, June 18.

Miss Selina Simonson had as her guest last week, Miss Bertha Olson of Middle River.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and Miss Grace Wilson motored here Thursday evening from their home at Thief River Falls for a brief visit at the S. M. Hoff home. They returned the same evening accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Rank of Dover, Minn., who had spent the day as the guests of Miss Selma Hoff.

Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson and daughter, Gunhild, returned Thursday after a week's visit at Detroit, Minn. The pastor had also spent several days in Chicago attending a convention of the Swedish Lutheran church.

Mrs. Helen Chelin spent Wednesday at Thief River Falls attending to business matters.

Mrs. R. E. Stephenson and children left the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of Mrs. Stephenson's mother at Wilburton, Okla.

Mrs. F. A. Brown and Mrs. L. Johnston, accompanied by Margaret Brown of Grygla, motored down from Thief River Falls Friday evening for a brief visit at the Branum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lundeen and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gablon and families, motored here from Alexandria last Thursday for a visit with relatives in Black River.

Miss Hulda Gigstad left Sunday evening via the Soo for Minneapolis to attend the summer session at the university.

The Misses Edith, Rose and Delia Rosendal, accompanied by Carl Rosendal, motored here Sunday from Warren and spent the day at the R. A. Hallstrom home.

Mrs. S. J. Amble departed Monday for Grand Forks and will spend the summer at the home of her son, J. A. Amble.

The Misses Edla and Mabel Hallstrom, accompanied by Miss Selma Hoff, motored to Thief River Falls Monday and spent the day shopping.

Mrs. Henry Stensrude of Fargo is spending the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Just.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe La Plante and daughter, Barbara, accompanied by *Mr. and Mrs. Thomas La Plante*, motored here Sunday from Crookston, for a visit at the Hans Wilson home.

Miss Herdis Steen of Warroad is spending the week as the guest of Mrs. Carl Nelson.

Mrs. Joe Frazer and daughter who have spent two weeks visiting at the home of Mrs. Frazer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, departed the latter part of the week for their home at Rainy River, Ont.

Mrs. Henry Blaska and daughter, Lucille, delightfully entertained at a kitchen shower in honor of Mrs. Walter Klint, at the Blaska home Saturday afternoon. Guessing contests and music formed the afternoon's entertainment. Mrs. Klint was presented with many useful articles and after a dainty lunch served by the hostess, the guests departed for home. Those present were: The Madames G. W. Shearer, N. E. Beebe, G. W. Buck, Arlo Shoopman, M. McAndress, Ed. Aubol, M. Harder, E. Jenson, G. Garmoe, C. Olsen, H. J. Hanson, J. Englebart, O. Loberg, W. Klint and the Misses Ragna and Mabel Loberg, Josephine Branum, Nellie Follstad and Pauline Englebart.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fellman left the latter part of the week for a visit with friends and relatives at Duluth and points on the Iron Range.

C. C. Elliott, a former real estate dealer of St. Hilaire, now residing at Ames, Iowa, made a brief visit here the forepart of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Strom and family arrived Monday via the auto route from Biwabik, Minn., for a visit with Mrs. Strom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Larson motored to Thief River Falls on Monday to attend the funeral of a niece, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sandberg of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Klint leave for their home at Willmar on Thursday after spending several weeks here with Mrs. Klint's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Loberg.

The Community club picnic held in Benson's woods on Thursday of last week was a decided success. People from all over the surrounding country brought their family picnic baskets and came in to make a big day of it.

Mrs. B. Theodore Johnson and children went to Grand Forks on Sunday to spend the week visiting relatives.

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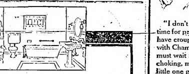

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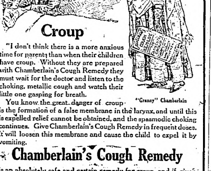

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City News

Man—Woman—Marriage. Advertisement. j23

Miss Katie Reidl left yesterday for a visit with her folks at Steiner.

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Miss Emma Rice of Grand Forks visited with friends in this city on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Misses Lydia and Linda Anderson left Saturday morning for Strathcona to attend a community picnic.

Mrs. C. E. Hazelton and children of Beltrami arrived Friday morning for a visit with relatives here.

Ed. Brevig returned Thursday evening from Warren where he had spent a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. McMahon left Monday afternoon for Churches Ferry on a visit with relatives and friends.

P. W. Mubey left Monday evening for Lake City where he was called because of the death of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Wilson of Goodridge spent Friday and Saturday in the city on business matters.

Mrs. O. P. Hanson of Warren arrived Tuesday evening to spend three days visiting with relatives in the city.

Miss Alice Kelley of Barron, Wis., arrived the first of the week to visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. Skog.

Mrs. H. Hermanson returned to this city Monday morning from Halstad where she had attended the funeral of her mother.

Noble Nelson, John and Ray Eastby, *Lillian Nelson and Minnie Loven*, all of Gatzke, motored here Tuesday to attend St. Olaf's college concert.

Mrs. Ole Brenna returned to her home at Middle River on Saturday after spending a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Gustafson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holm and family of Roseau, were the guests of relatives and friends here on Tuesday. They also attended the concert in the evening.

Misses Eunice and Kathryn Hjerstos of Middle River are spending the week as the guests at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank here, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where he will attend the Minnesota State Bankers association.

Frank J. Vorlicky of the Times force made a trip to Oslo Saturday and remained over Sunday. He made the trip in his roadster with his friend, Elmer Lindmoen.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Richardson and family drove down from Bronson on Sunday to spend the day as guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Anderson drove down from their home at Grygla to visit friends on Tuesday and also attend the concert given by the St. Olaf college choir in the evening.

Among those from Greenbush who attended the concert here on Tuesday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Christianson and daughter, Cora, Mrs. Lofgren, Mr. and Mrs. J. Von Rohr.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson, accompanied by two of her pupils, Ruby Bennes and Palma Langseth, will go to Bronson tomorrow to give a program of music at a benefit concert for the Lutheran church at that place.

Miss Martha Kleppe of Newfolden passed through this city on Friday enroute to Minneapolis where she will attend summer school. Miss Kleppe was graduated from the local high school and has many friends here.

Mrs. H. A. Teslow returned this week from Northfield, where she had been present at the graduation of her son, Reuben, from St. Olaf college. Mrs. Teslow also spent a few days with friends at Faribault and the twin cities.

Miss Mary Prichard and brother, Charles, returned Thursday morning from Minneapolis, where they have been attending the University. They will spend the summer at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lampert and family left by car yesterday morning for a two weeks vacation to be spent in visiting relatives at Alexandria. While away the former will attend the Minnesota State Bankers association at Minneapolis this week.

Miss Lucille Burns left Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where she will attend the wedding of Miss Ardith Arpin, formerly of this city, to Robert Hansen of Minneapolis. Miss Burns has been chosen bridesmaid for the occasion. During her absence from the city she will be a guest of Miss Olive Booren at Stillwater.

Man—Woman—Marriage. Advertisement. j23

Luke Bourque spent Saturday visiting with relatives at Rosewood.

Dr. L. F. Fisher went to Mahnomen Saturday evening on a fishing expedition.

We alter ladies' suits, dresses, etc. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

Miss Selma Strom left Monday afternoon for Crookston where she will be employed.

John Nystol, assistant principal of the school at Goodridge, was a visitor in this city on Tuesday.

Miss Henrietta Hogan of Greenbush spent Thursday and Friday in the city attending to shopping.

Perry Johnson returned Friday morning from Minneapolis, where he had attended a state guernsey sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson of Drayton, N. D., are spending the week visiting with friends in this vicinity.

Dr. A. J. Paulson will leave tomorrow afternoon for Watertown, S. D., where he will be located in the future.

Misses Marguerite Burns, Maybelle Osthy and Beatrice Sandum spent Saturday at Erskine visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cerny returned to Minneapolis Friday afternoon having spent a couple of weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Alma Hogan returned to her home at Stewartville after a two weeks' visit at the home of her cousin, Miss Ida Tandberg.

Mrs. A. Rassmussen returned yesterday from Grand Forks, where she was called last week because of the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Myrtle Erickson left the latter part of last week for the twin cities where she will spend a month visiting with friends and relatives.

Elmer Smith, who had completed a three weeks' cruise at the Great Lakes training station, visited with friends here Saturday evening enroute to his home.

Oliver Oie, Ole Oie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Von Rohr and Mrs. E. N. Simonson drove down from Roseau on Tuesday evening to attend the concert by the St. Olaf choir.

Miss Ida Gudmundson, who had visited her brother who is a patient at the sanitorium and also received dental work while here, returned on Friday to her home at Strathcona.

Reuben Teslow visited with his folks here on Tuesday. Mr. Teslow is one of the members of the famous St. Olaf college choir which appeared in concert here on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Jason Weatherhead and son, Harold, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick, left Friday by car for their home at Ada. They were accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Anna Watson, who will spend an indefinite time visiting her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Grothe came down from their home in Roseau on Tuesday afternoon to attend the concert given by the St. Olaf college choir. Mr. Grothe who was formerly connected with the Sash and Door factory here a few years ago, is now one of the owners of the Roseau Times-Region.

Man—Woman—Marriage. Advertisement. j23

Mrs. Helen Mastery is spending the week in Crookston visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Lillian Mundell returned to her home at Strathcona after a brief visit with friends here.

Mrs. J. H. Kuehl and Miss Clara Kuehl of Red Lake Falls, attended to shopping here on Monday.

Miss Viola Axelson and mother of Rosewood, were in the city on Monday attending to shopping.

Mrs. A. Stenberg left yesterday morning for Baudette, where she will visit at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berg of Mavie were in the city on Sunday to attend the Sons of Norway picnic.

Miss Myrtle Lafkin, who had visited with relatives at Holt for a week, returned to her home here Friday afternoon.

Miss Esther Flom, who has been nursing at the M. C. Burns home the past month left Monday evening for Mahnomen.

Al. Brink of St. Hilaire was a business caller here on Friday. While here he also visited his brother, M. W. Brink, and family.

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Miss Lutrella Paulson, who had spent two weeks in this city visiting her folks, returned to Minneapolis on Monday evening to resume employment.

B. O. Norby, who had visited at his home near Fosston, spent Monday in the city on business matters. He left Tuesday for Goodridge on a similar mission.

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Mrs. A. S. Sapero and sister, Miss Jeanette Shafer of Minneapolis, who is her guest, left Sunday morning for Winnipeg where they will spend a few days visiting friends.

Misses Gertrude Sjoberg and Ila Modin, both of Middle River, visited with friends here Tuesday and also attended the concert given here in the evening. They returned to their respective homes yesterday.

Miss Amanda Hanson left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will remain for some time. She was accompanied as far as Fisher by Gladys Remmem, who will visit relatives there an indefinite period.

Miss Alice Greslie of Middle River visited with friends here Friday on her way to points in Illinois and Missouri where she will spend the remainder of the summer visiting relatives and friends. Miss Greslie was graduated from the local high school with the class of '15.

Miss Onata Stopple will leave the first of the week on a two weeks' vacation which will be spent in visiting friends at Fargo and Mandan, N. D. While at the latter place she will be a guest of Mrs. Geo. Binghamheimer and at the former place she will visit at the home of Mrs. Scott Conyne.

Man—Woman—Marriage. Advertisement. j23

Fred Stromberg of Warren was the guest of friends here on Friday and Saturday.

Art LaBudde came up from Gonvick on Tuesday evening to attend the concert.

T. J. Rowan returned this morning from a few days' fishing trip in the vicinity of Foreda.

Edmer Tandberg went to Goodridge yesterday to spend a few days with his brother, Theodore.

Derby Anderson, who has been in Minneapolis for a month, returned here Thursday morning.

M. H. Bishop left Wednesday evening for Minneapolis to attend the State Bankers association.

E. N. Simonson of Roseau was in the city on Friday visiting friends and attending to business affairs.

Tom Majeres came up from Crookston Monday and spent the time between trains visiting his folks.

Lester Hudson of New Rockford, N. D., was a guest at the home of Roy Miller the first of the week.

Misses Clara and Mildred Helm and Mrs. R. Helm, all of Red Lake Falls, were between train shoppers here on Friday.

Roxford Ruebles of Devils Lake, visited with friends here between trains on Monday evening enroute to Minneapolis.

Dr. and Mrs. Clark of Greenbush were in the city on Tuesday to attend the St. Olaf college concert given here that evening.

Guy Hinton, Soo dispatcher, returned the first of the week from a two weeks' vacation spent in visiting with friends in the twin cities.

We clean lace curtains, draperies, piano covers, comforters, etc. No gasoline odor on any of our cleaning. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S. m31tf

C. Halvorson, watchmaker at the Neset jewelry store, returned Tuesday morning from his vacation which he spent visiting his daughter at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Wilhelm and son Glenn, motored here the first of the week from their home at Balaton and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre.

Misses Beatrice Erickson and Agnes Oftedahl returned Friday from Moorhead where they had visited friends and also attended the Young Peoples league convention.

Mrs. Ethel Robbins of Crookston, spent Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in this city in the interests of the Lady Maccabees. Mrs. Robbins is special deputy in this district.

Miss Mirriam Bishop returned to this city Thursday morning from Minneapolis where she completed her third year at the University of Minnesota and will spend the summer at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Isaken, accompanied by Misses Katie Jonas and Effie Christianson and Mrs. Victoria McKinney, motored to Grand Forks Monday to visit friends. On their return they were accompanied by Miss Kathleen Ures, who will visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. McKinney.

Man—Woman—Marriage. Advertisement. j23

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Soltau are the proud parents of a 7 pound boy born on June 20.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Storholm and family left Saturday for a two weeks' outing at Maple lake.

Mrs. C. E. Hazelton and children of Beltrami arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wood left the latter part of last week for Mason City, Iowa, where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht and Mrs. R. L. Erickson left Thursday evening for the twin cities where they will visit friends for a week.

Mrs. A. Rassmussen and son left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks where they were called because of the serious illness of her mother.

Misses Helen and Dorothy Loen of Radium were guests of friends between trains on Monday evening enroute to Minneapolis to visit friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Selvig, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Peterson, all of Crookston, autoed to this city on Sunday. Mr. Selvig was the speaker at the Sons of Norway picnic at Squaw Point.

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Buse & Brunelle
H. M. Kaus
J. N. Ninesgerm
Mat Skala
Mrs. W. Zalser

ROSEAU, MINN.
Roseau Mercantile Co.
E. L. Alley
Roseau Co-Operative Co.
Torquist-Tweet Co.
S. T. Holdahl
E. Sjoberg

ROSEWOOD, MINN.
Herbert Carlson

VIKING, MINN.
Farmers Co-Operative Co.
S. S. Nordgaard

ROOSEVELT, MINN.
Norquist Bros.

WILLIAMS, MINN.
Lindston & Co.
F. J. Clark
Peterson Bros.

GRACETON, MINN.
Graceton Mercantile Co.

PITT, MINN.
Pitt Co-Operative Co.

BAUDETTE, MINN.
Baudette Provision Co.
Pioneer Store

WARROAD, MINN.
Warroad Co-Operative Store

WANNASKI, MINN.
Klude Lee

BADGER, MINN.
Badger Co-Operative Store
L. L. Iverson
Sjoberg Bros.
Johnson Bros.

MIDDLE RIVER, MINN.
Carlson Mercantile Co.
H. A. Hall

GREENBUSH, MINN.
Greenbush Mercantile Co.
O. Hildahl
P. Slaminski

PLUMMER, MINN.
Vainen & Johnson
K. A. Henderson & Son

OKLEE, MINN.
Peter Bergerson
Melly Bros.

GULLY, MINN.
Gus Watnebrgn

GONVICK, MINN.
Gonvick Trading Co.

LEONARD, MINN.
Nelson Quality Store

NEWFOLDEN, MINN.
Anderson & Lee

KARLSTAD, MINN.
Lofgren Bros.

BRONSON, MINN.
O. Fanglid
Vick Bros.

LANCASTER, MINN.
Lancaster Mercantile Co.

GOLDEN VALLEY, MINN.
Clev & Bergam

HOLT, MINN.
Carlson Mercantile Co.

GOODRIDGE, MINN.
H. Christianson

ALVARADO, MINN.
Albin S. Swenson
Henry Backstrom
Henry Nystrom

OSLO, MINN.
Red Front Store
Oslo Mercantile Co.
Buck & Barto

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Ole Oleson, Gladys and George Olson and Esther Ostlund of Wannaska spent part of Sunday here as guests with Mrs. Julia Axelson and family, and later attended the base ball game at Viking.

Mrs. Julia Axelson, Victor Axelson, Johnny Nakken and Mrs. Gust Nakken motored to Roseau county last Sunday where they spent the day visiting with the Oleson and Nelson families near Wannaska.

Miss Huldah Sandin, a nurse from the Warren hospital, who has been taking care of Emil Anderson the last few weeks, returned to Warren last Monday as her patient is convalescing and will be cared for by the home folks hereafter.

William Sorenson had the misfortune last Tuesday of badly crushing his hand when a car he was helping to repair in the local garage here slipped down from the jacks and pinned his right hand between a spring and the cement floor. He was immediately taken to the Thief River Falls hospital for attention where it was found that no bones were broken and that the main disorder was the severe swelling which, however was believed would subside within a reasonable time.

A report from Norden the first of the week stated that Ben Peterson one of the progressive farmers there had met with a painful accident in that a tree he was cutting down fell towards him throwing him over and severely straining his neck.

Selmer Haugen and Miss Myrtle Mellem has been at Thief River Falls the past week receiving medical attention for goitre affections, and are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Even Anderson, who has been suffering from varicose veins the last year had another hemmorhage last week but with speedy assistance it was checked and Mrs. Anderson is about as usual by now.

Mrs. H. M. Ryan and daughter, Lorraine, Mrs. Hans Olson and several of her youngsters of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday here as guests with the A. T. Thoreson people.

Fred Smebakke and Garfield Gullseth of Benwood, spent Tuesday as guests with Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth.

Oscar Hanson and Gust Petterson of Viking were in town last Tuesday on business.

The township roadwork is carried on very extensively this week, and while the roads may be somewhat loose and sandy after the repair a few days' driving will place them in a splendid touring shape.

L. L. Furan, Violet and Willard Furan, Emil Hellquist, Esther Thoreson, Thomas Thoreson, Tena Westby, Joel Shoberg, Sigurd Rafteseth, Esther Leyden and Isabella Sagmoen attended the combination farmers picnic at Argyle last Saturday.

Howard Carlson left last week for International Falls where he expects to be employed this summer.

Jalmer Rafteseth, a dredging engineer who has this spring been located near Lake Benton, came home by car from Detroit last Sunday and will spend a week or more visiting with his home folks.

Kaleb Quambeck returned on Monday morning from Goodridge where he had spent Sunday conducting religious services.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson motored to Gully over Sunday escorting home Miss Rhoda Aos, who has been visiting here the last week, and also visiting among their relatives.

Miss Olson, daughter of Mrs. Frank Olson of Thief River Falls, returned home last Monday after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum.

Olof Opseth, the New Solum assessor, commenced work this week to assess the township. Only the personal property is being assessed this year.

The equalization board meeting following the town assessing will be held at the office of the town clerk on June 27, and where any errors may be corrected and equalization of valuation modified if necessary.

Mrs. J. Vigness and daughter, Bernice of Thief River Falls and Mrs. Pete Rust of Halma, spent Wednesday here as guests with Mrs. Rust's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hasby.

Ole Jorgenson returned to Thief River Falls on Monday where he will visit among friends and relatives and will later return to an institution for the aged at Northwood, where he is making his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family of Crookston, motored up last Sunday and visited at the Haugen Brothers home during the day. Their oldest son, Herman, remained here and will spend part of his vacation at this place.

Miss Ella Nelson in company with the Ole Skaar family of Norden spent Sunday at Thief River Falls to attend the Sons of Norway picnic.

Albert Myrbo of Viking was in town on Saturday evening on business.

A young peoples society was staged at the Rindal church last Sunday and a brief program was rendered. Student Kaleb Quambeck had charge.

Mission meeting will be held at the Swedish church in town on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Four ministers are expected to take part.

Adolph Rafteseth returned home from Warren on Friday evening where he has been receiving medical treatment for sweet diabetes, during the last week and is now improving nicely.

Mrs. Zilda Snyder, whose husband recently died in the typhoid epidemic here, will leave in the near future for the southern part of the state where her folks live, and will have a public sale on the afternoon of June 27 at her farm west of here. Mrs. Snyder's mother arrived this week from Gordonsville and will assist Mrs. Snyder during the sale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm motored to Maple Lake last Sunday where they spent the day.

Miss Bertha Remmem returned to Thief River Falls in time for the confirmation last Sunday after a week's stay at the G. J. Nordhagen home here.

The operation to restore the eyesight partially to Mrs. Siri Nordhagen at Thief River Falls a few weeks ago, came out quite satisfactory and the aged lady is now able to see quite clearly with the aid of sharp glasses. She is still making her home with her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Remmem at Thief River Falls.

Lewis Alby has been employed at the local garage the last week relieving John Sorenson who is doing carpenter work at the Kellberg farm.

Benhard Ranum is employed near Steiner this week building a basement at the Muzzy farm, and will later build a modern barn for a party near the Thief river.

The Helmer Ostrom and Henry Carlson families of Thief River Falls motored up last Thursday evening to visit with Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Arent Larson of the Emming Hardware company and Hall of the Simmons company were in town this week on business with Dealer Herbert Carlson.

Oscar Mosleth of Thief River Falls made a business trip out this way last Thursday.

GOODRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edseth and daughter, Violet, were Thief River Falls visitors Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Blair of Thief River Falls arrived Monday evening to visit her friend, Mrs. V. C. McLeod.

H. R. Leslin and son and daughter arrived Saturday from St. Paul where the children have been attending school the past year. They left for their farm near Neptune.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich of Thief River Falls was a professional caller in town Saturday.

George Larson returned to his home at Golden Valley, N. D., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gaddland and two children left Wednesday via auto to visit friends at Fargo and Moorhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Olson and two children and Miss Florence Richards arrived Saturday from Gully and are visiting relatives and friends.

Carl and Joe Christianson were in Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

Morgan Christianson arrived Friday from Strathcona to attend the funeral of his little niece, Fern Christianson. He returned to his work Monday morning.

Elmer Danielson left Monday evening for Wisconsin, being called home on account of the death of his father.

Harvey Ferdinandsen was a Thief River Falls caller Monday.

Elmer Tandberg of Thief River Falls was in town Wednesday visiting his brother, Ted.

Stuart McLeod attended the Community picnic at Thief River Falls Friday afternoon.

Rev. Earle R. Mallder arrived last week and will hold services here during the summer months in the new school house.

Lloyd Ferdinandsen returned on Thursday to Pelican Rapids, where he is employed. He was accompanied by his sister, Gennevieve, who will visit there for some time.

Rev. G. A. Hanson was taken by auto to the hospital in Warren Sunday. He stood the trip very well but is in quite a serious condition.

The ball game Sunday between Highlanding and Goodridge resulted in a victory for the visitors, the score being 5 to 10. Later Highlanding played Hazel and Highlanding was winner again, the score being 16 to 5.

C. E. Brown of Rapid River was in town Monday enroute home from Thief River Falls where he had attended to business.

V. S. McLeod is taking a two weeks' vacation, his brother, Stuart, is carrying the mail during his absence.

Ed. Singer of Erie left Tuesday on an extended auto trip to Bemidji and Hibbing and other range towns. He expects to be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. G. A. Hanson returned Tuesday morning from Warren where Rev. Hanson is confined in the hospital.

Fern Avis, the ten months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christianson, died at the Physicians hospital in Thief River Falls Thursday, June 16th at 3 a. m. She had been slightly sick for two weeks but became worse on Sunday when she was taken to the hospital. Her condition was not considered serious until on Tuesday. She leaves her father and mother and brother, Lauren, 3 years old, besides other relatives. Funeral services were held Saturday at the residence at 1 o'clock, Rev. Larson of Thief River Falls having charge of the services. A large number of relatives and friends accompanied the remains to their last resting place in Greenwood cemetery at Thief River Falls.

A large crowd of neighbors and friends attended the Community picnic at the Morgan Vaughan farm on Sunday. Everyone brought their own picnic dinner, but free coffee and ice cream was enjoyed and those who were interested in the ball game returned to Goodridge to see it.

Prof. B. O. Norby returned Tuesday from a few days' visit at his parental home at Fosston.

Donation Sale A Success.

The donation live stock sale held at Crookston proved to be a success in spite of rain which greatly reduced the attendance as it prevented the use of autos. The picnic was not held. The total of the sale is $1,454.50. The pavilion building fund will receive this amount less the expenses of the sale which were kept down to a minimum through donations of services, publicity, etc. The live stock association extends thanks for the donation of pure bred stock and the assistance which was given. The keen interest taken in the Red River Valley Live Stock association is a matter of gratification to all in this section of the state who recognize the great work that is being done to make the Red River Valley excel in live stock as well as in growing the best wheat, the finest potatoes and other crops.

TRAINING LEADS TO PROMOTION

Many pupils trained at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., a leading commercial school, enter banks and business houses as stenographers or bookkeepers and advance rapidly to officers, managers, etc.

W. C. Waydeman, was recently made cashier of the Collection Dept. of the International Harvester Co., Minot. Ross Doyan, lately with the Merchants National Bank, Fargo, is now asst. bank examiner.

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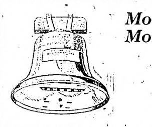

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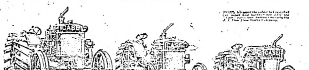
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15-27 H. P.
10-18 H. P.

Among Our Neighbors

REINER

nd Mrs. Urda and family nday visitors at E. Grimleys.

Cora McEnelly visited with Helen Halverson Sunday after-

ke a few from here attended a itch meeting at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Jean Tannar of Erie is spending a ew days with George Tannar, this week.

A few people around here attendl the Ladies aid sale held at the ommerdahl place Saturday.

Everybody is out picking strawerries now days.

Ladies' Aid at Erickson's Thursday Afternoon. Everybody is invited.

Ted Rustad, our mail carrier, is again at work after spending a vacation.

Lula McEnelly visited with Myrtle Quam over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vraa took their little son, Kenneth, to the Thief River Falls hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Race, Jr., and Mrs. Race and Sam were visitors at Grimley's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Olson are rejoicing over a ten pound baby boy, June 9.

nd Mrs. Halvor Holen and rimley and children were sitors at the Elmer Vraa

ren Hermanson has been list but is improving

Mrs. Albert Arntz and uce and Arthur, visited Mr. Alfred Olson, last Sunday.

McEnelly is on the sick list eek.

Halverson is out and around fter entertaining the small pox for a while.

Louie Smith went to the Agency at Red Lake Friday and brought his children home with him.

Miss Emma Grimley left Tuesday for Watertown, S. D., to spend the summer visiting friends and relatives.

Herbert and Marshall Race left on Saturday for Minneapolis and will also go to points in Wisconsin before returning.

Tillie Smith returned to her home Friday afternoon from Whapeton, N. D., after attending school.

Misses Agnes Aakre and Myna Erickson left Monday for Bemidji to attend summer school.

Karrie Hanson was a business caller at Goodridge Monday.

nd Mrs. John Stenvick and vere callers at the E. Grim- Sunday evening.

th Arntz returned Wednesday an River.

nd Einar Aakre, Johnnie and Bennett Jonsrud enjoyvisi Goodridge Sunday night. Mrs. Henry Marcoutte left their home in Wisconsin accompanied by Mrs. Marcoutte's father, J. Race.

Oscar Stenvick is busy sheering sheep for Soren Hermanson.

Jessie Tannar spent Sunday at the Ellef Aakre home.

Bennie Race was a Goodridge caller on Monday.

Miss Thilda Jorgenson is employed at the Alfred Olson home this week.

James and Ole Helle were Goodridge callers on Monday.

STEINER

Mrs. J. Meyer and son attended the Community picnic in Thief River Falls Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard Rogers of Minneapolis, are spending their vacation at the parental home. Dr. Rogers expects to leave for Bismarck N. D., where he will take up work in a hospital.

Edwin Swanson and sister, Hilda, drove to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Harvey, Vivian and Vernon Copp and Miss Emma Hall spent Sunday with the latter's parents at Grygla.

Peter Solem transacted business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Muzzy went to Thief River Falls Sunday. They attended the picnic at Squaw Point.

Henry and Emmons Rogers called on Cyrus Mulberg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dowcher took their little baby to the hospital at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Louis Meyers drove to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Legal Notices

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Michael Lehtimaki.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Michael Lehtimaki, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Sofia Lehtimaki, Salmo Lehtimaki, Eleanor Lehtimaki and to all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Sofia Lehtimaki having been filed in this Court representing that Michael Lehtimaki, then a resident of the County of Gogebic, State of Michigan, died intestate on the 15th day of March, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Sofia Lehtimaki and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of July, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 20th day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J23-30-Jl7

In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States, For the Sixth Division, District of Minnesota.

No. 1821.

In the matter of Donald F. Gillespie, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Sixth Division, District of Minnesota.

Donald F. Gillespie of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota in said District, respectfully represents:

That on the 18th day of March, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1921.

DONALD F. GILLESPIE,
Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On this 7th day of June A. D. 1921, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ORDERED BY THE COURT, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1921 before said court, at St. Paul, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon and that notice thereof be published in Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residences as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1921.

(Seal of the Court)

CHARLES L. SPENCER,
Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSEN,
Deputy Clerk.
J23

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Augusta Smith and Frank H. Smith, wife and husband, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 18th day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 473;

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 15th day of June, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Book 63 of Mortgages on page 337, and

Whereas, the said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Seventeen and 29-100 Dollars ($217.29) as follows: The sum of One Hundred Sixty-three Dollars ($163.00) thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and the sum of Fifty-four and 29-100 Dollars ($54.29) thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas, the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty (40) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 6th day of August, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Seventeen and 29-100 Dollars ($217.29), and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's Fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 20th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Martin Hyland and Carrie Hyland, his wife, as mortgagors to The Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, dated December 21st, 1915, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "52" of Mortgages, page 617, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1915, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) and authorized to do and doing business in the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated on said 29th day of December, A. D. 1915, and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915 at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 42, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1921 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "67" of Mortgages on page 334; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty and 74-100 ($1960.74) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Northeast (NE) Quarter of section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred and Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred and sixty acres according to the United States survey thereof,

will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday the 8th day of August, A. D. 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars Attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, June 9th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
CHRISTOFFERSON, WALSH,
CHRISTOFFERSON and JACKSON,
Attorneys for assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Joseph Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Johnson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Ada Johnson, Inez Johnson, Carl Johnson, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Ada Johnson having been filed in this Court, representing that Joseph Johnson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 31st day of May, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Robert McGinn, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You, and each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this sixth day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
G. HALVORSON,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J9-16-23

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Seven and 75-100ths ($507.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by F. D. Beard, an unmarried man, Mortgagor, to Sam Nauman and N. E. Gaass Mortgagees, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April 1920, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 62 of Mortgages, on page 446, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The east half of the southwest quarter (E½SW¼) and lots three (3) and four (4), of section nineteen (19), in township one-hundred-fifty-three (153) north, of range forty-five (45), west of the fifth principal meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 27th day of July, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $507.75 and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 2nd, A. D. 1921.

SAM NAUMAN,
N. E. GAASS,
Mortgagees.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagees' Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
J9-16-23-30-Jl7-14

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Anders L. Svendslie.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anders L. Svendslie, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Minnie Strandwold, Inga Strandwold, Ida Feragen, Arthur Feragen, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Minnie Strandwold having been filed in this Court, representing that Anders L. Svendslie, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 23rd day of May, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emil Ness and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of July, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 13th day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
B. T. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J16-23-30

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Anna K. Thoreson and Peder H. Thoreson, her husband, as mortgagors to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated December 22nd, 1915 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1915 at 4:00 o'clock P. M., and recorded in Book "52" of Mortgages on page 262, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1921, assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 12th day of May, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1921 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "H" of Mortgages on page 596; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-six and 67-100 ($2,556.67) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash, and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five (75) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, May 18th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee,
502-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nineteen and 50-100 ($19.50) Dollars which became due on the first day of March, 1918, and which is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Anders J. Dahl and Karl Dahl, his wife, mortgagors, to the Trail State Bank, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 4th day of April, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota on the 20th day of April, 1917, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 53 on page 469 thereof; and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: The sum of Ninety-seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Ninety seven and 50-100 ($97.50) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the First day of March, 1918, and the further sums of Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at Six per cent per annum since March first, 1919; Seventy-eight ($78.) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1920, and Thirty-three and 67-100 ($33.67) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum since March first, 1918, the three latter amounts being for interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of the said mortgage upon a prior mortgage of $1300.00, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; and also the further sum of Sixty and 58-100 ($60.58) Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Six per cent since the 9th day of March, 1920, the latter amount being for taxes paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage by reason of the failure of said mortgagors to pay the same; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice being the sum of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars;

And whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nineteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), said land being in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and State, on Saturday, July 9th, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day at public vendue, to pay the said debt of Four Hundred Five and 77-100 ($405.77) Dollars, and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five Dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated May 19th, 1921.

TRAIL STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
My19-26-J2-9-16-23

Petroleum—An Industrial Pivot

FROM the back of a sheep to the back of a man, wool passes through dozens of processes and machines, some of which were made possible, and all of which were shortened, by some product of petroleum.

So delicate is the adjustment of this machinery that from the cams moving at a rate of 350 revolutions per minute, to the flying spindles, whose revolutions per minute exceed 12,000, every part must be in unison. For, should one part be retarded a little, and another part speeded-up unduly, through faulty lubrication, there would be a strain on the fabric, and a break.

The seriousness of such a break is seen when it is understood that the severing of a single thread will bring the giant loom to a standstill instantly.

This is but a single example of the problems constantly being brought to Standard Oil Company (Indiana) lubricating engineers for solution, and emphasizes the necessity for the minutest accuracy on the part of these specialists in drawing specifications for special lubricants, and the need for extreme accuracy on the part of the manufacturing department in producing lubricants to meet these specifications.

It illustrates how highly specialized is the branch of industry which engages the attention of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), and the degree of enthusiasm for perfection which must prevail throughout this organization.

And this enthusiasm does prevail. Harmony and concentrated interest is ever present throughout the organization of 25,000 men and women, every one of whom, from the Chairman of the Board of Directors to the lowliest recruit, is bending every effort to do his part in the production of useful products, and to have each of a superior standard of fineness.

tandard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

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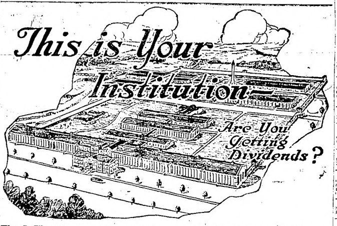

This Is The Minnesota State Prison

As a taxpayer your money has helped to build this institution and as a Minnesota farmer you can get your money back many fold. Farmers are saving hundreds of thousands of dollars on agricultural implements manufactured here. If you have not benefited, here is your chance to share in the profits. Savings have been effected by keeping prices of competing machinery built outside the state down and still selling way under any other manufacturer.

Get Your Share Of This

A saving of at least $800,000 has been made to the farmers of Minnesota on the famous Minnesota Binder Twine. Our wholesale price of this twine is 2½c per pound lower than any other, and there is another 2½c for freight and jobbers' profit which must be added. Therefore, on the 16,000,000 which we will make this year there will be more than three quarter million dollars saved to the farmers of this state.

Years of Reputation

The MINNESOTA LINE

Guaranteed by the State

of agricultural machinery is guaranteed by the state. It is all made of the best materials obtainable and throughout its production is constantly under the supervision of state employed experts.

Minnesota Binders as good as the best—show a favorable comparison in price and quality with any other. For example, the 7 foot binder is exactly $26.61 lower than its competitor. These binders compare as favorably as the twine and this economy is well worth while.

Minnesota Mowers with years of reputation behind them, are sold, 5 foot length, for $13.00 less than any other. When you consider the many points of superiority and long wearing qualities of this line you will see that these are the implements to buy.

Minnesota Rakes are just $3.44 lower than any other good line sold in this state. This difference in price on the 12 foot, 36 tooth size.

This Is Your Opportunity

Thousands of farmers throughout the Northwest have benefited through the saving on Minnesota Machinery. Do likewise. You are financially interested in this institution and it is financially interested in you. Insist upon the Minnesota Line from your dealer.

The MINNESOTA STATE PRISON
Stillwater, Minnesota.

Thief River Falls, C. Gustafson & Son. St. Hilaire, N. A. Nelson.
Viking, Farmers Co-Op. Co. Strathcona, Implement Exchange Co.
Middle River, Implement Exchange Co.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

For Sale

Owing to my wife's illness I am compelled to sell my business consisting of Confectionery and Lunch Room, one of the best stands in the Northwest. Will give terms.

Albert Bennes,
Holt, Minn.

FOR SALE—FORD Touring car in A-1 mechanical condition, 1918 Model. Body, tires and upholstering in good shape. A bargain if taken soon. Will demonstrate. Has 1921 license. Call at 320 Riverside Ave., Thief River Falls, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE—7-room, strictly modern house, 87 foot frontage, located in very good residence district. 612 LaBree Ave. North. 11tf

FOR SALE—Ford Touring car for sale cheap. Thief River Falls Vulcanizing Co. 221 1st St. East. J23p

FOR SALE—80 acre farm. All high land, 20 acres under cultivation, good fence all around farm, good buildings and water, ½ mile from school, highway and mail. Price $2500.00. Mrs. Caroline Dahlen, owner, Erie, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE—Bantams, chicks and 1-year olds. Bernard Lelmers, City. 19tf

FOR SALE—200 acre farm in Section 17 and 18, Twp. 158, R. 41. 110 acres cultivated. Price $45.00 per acre. Write to Enok Skramstad, Middle River, Minn. 21p

FOR SALE CHEAP—and on easy terms, 6 room house and 3 lots. 220 Markley Ave. S. 20p

FOR SALE—Bull tractor (10-20 H.P.) and triple Moline plows. The plows are suitable for both breaking and stubble plowing. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Hans Loken, Hazel, Minn. 20p

FOR SALE—Some oak fence posts. G. S. Quammen, 5 miles north of Thief River Falls, Rt. 2. 20p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19tf

FOR SALE—One 1920 Ford Coupe. A bargain if sold at once. McFarland Auto Co. 20p

FOR SALE—Or will trade for property in Thief River Falls a good piece of land in Township of Moylan, 9 miles from Goodridge. A. O. Sandland, Grygla, Minn. 21p

FOR SALE—7-room house, 75 feet frontage, shade trees on three sides, some apple trees, wood and coal shed, barn and auto shed, good pump and well. Beautiful corner location. Part cash, balance on easy terms. Priced to sell. Call at 322 Knight Ave. N., or address Post Office box 1191. 21

FOR SALE—My property at 214 Randolph Ave. S. Ed. O'Hara, [illegible]. 20p

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 41tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 532. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 15tf

FOR SALE—Team of 8 and 10 year old horses, weight about 1300 each. George Knoss, Thief River Falls, Minn. R. No. 3. 21p

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionary, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses, and some machinery and harness.—W. A. Bishop. 2tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103. Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—19 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1175. 13tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I will sell or trade for land in Minnesota or Wisconsin my well improved farm of 180 acres in Douglas county, Wis. 150 acres cultivated, the balance in pasture. H. E. Hunt, Lesley, Wash. 22p

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For automobile, or live stock, my equity in 160 acres near Grygla, Beltrami county, section 2, township 155, Range 39. What is your offer? Best offer accepted. H. Hegel, White Bear, Minn. 21

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Used Touring car by July 1st. Car must be in good order and price reasonable. F. F. Turner, Inquire at Hanson & Barzen Mill. 20p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—One 5-room flat with bath in the Dobner-Meehan building. Call 427. 20

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See C. L. Stern. 13tf

FOR RENT—1000 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

Help Wanted—Male

CLERKS, (men, women over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $120 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations, write J. Leonard (former Civil Service examiner) 479 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 20p

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 20p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A girl at the Northern Baking Co. 19tf

WANTED—A cook at the Ogahmah Hotel. 17tf

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—High school girl graduate desires stenographic position. Willing worker. Write S. A. Co Times. 21p

LOST

LOST—Black leather traveling bag containing a new grey coat, silk lined, 1½ yards of black tricotine silk, 5 yards lavender dress goods, check book of the Farmers State Bank of Gatzke belonging to Mrs. Nellie Deane, pocket book with money, pair of glasses and various other articles. Thought to have been lost near the Steiner store. Reward offered for the return to The Times office. 21

MISCELLANEOUS

STEAL THIS CHANCE—160 acres Northern Minnesota land, prairie, no cutover or swamp; ideal for fruit and grain. Near town. $30 per acre. [illegible], N. Dak. 20p

WANTED—Plowing and breaking. [illegible], Minn. 22p

ESTRAYED—Came to my place June 9, a grey mare in Norden township. Aug. Johnson, Thief River Falls, R. 1. 20p

WANTED—Will do sewing, crocheting and altering at a reasonable price. 306 Horace Ave. N. 21p

LET Us Do your Vulcanizing the right way at the right price. Thief River Falls Vulcanizing Co., 221 1st St. E. J23-Jl-21p

WANTED TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car as part payment. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 19tf

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer L. C. Smith. Russell E. Spear, Box 295, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

DEFECTIVE PAGE

MINNESOTA SPEEDS HIGHWAY PROJECTS TO COST MILLIONS

Commissioner Babcock and Aides Start New Construction on Statewide Scale.

FIRST 30-DAY SHOWING UNDER BABCOCK PLAN

$9,000,000 a year maintenance force organized. More than 1,000 patrolmen and 25 fleets of trucks and tractors on the job on trunk routes.

$3,000,000 of early state improvements ordered. Contracts let for $2,000,000 of new construction and others to be awarded in the near future.

$4,5000,000 of state-county projects approved. Trunk highway improvements with county bond funds launched under state reimbursement guaranty.

Local road authorities, relieved of expensive burden of trunk highway improvements and repairs, helped with program of $12,500,000 betterments on lateral or feeder roads.

Minnesota's highway development program, to pull the state out of the mud and into the front of good road ranks, is rapidly passing from the plan to the actual performance stage according to official figures given out this week by the state highway department.

Road funds from all sources and for all purposes in Minnesota this year will aggregate $26,375,000, it is announced, and will include $13,850,000 of automobile tax revenue, federal aid and county bond funds for use on trunk highways, and $12,500,000 of local tax, bond and state aid for improvements and repairs on lateral and feeder roads. County bond funds used, more money will be available in future years for feeder than for trunk roads, it was explained.

Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, with John H. Mullen, assistant commissioner and chief highway engineer, and other staff men, and with the cooperation of county road authorities, is working to spread benefits as rapidly as possible. The highway program for this season is well under way, official figures show, although less than 60 days have passed since the legislature of 1921 put Good Roads Amendment No. 1 into effect, releasing funds and granting necessary authority. Preliminary work was done quickly, however, and big developments are shown during the last thirty days.

A list of new construction projects on which nearly $5,000,000 of state and county funds is to be spent and which are located in nearly 50 widely scattered sections of the state, was recently given out by O. L. Kipp and J. T. Ellison, chief engineers on construction and bridges, respectively. About $2,500,000 of these are already under contracts, the department announced, and a call for bids will be made soon on the remaining and other projects.

W. F. Rosenwald, chief maintenance engineer, and his assistant, Engineer M. J. Hoffman, announced that 1,000 patrolmen, one for each five to eight mile section of trunk highway, are now at work keeping the roads smooth, also that fleets made up of more than 40 tractors and 100 trucks are giving the patrolmen special help when necessary to put their sections in good shape for maintenance. Names of patrolmen on roads hereabouts are to be given out soon.

Road authorities in the counties are giving full cooperation, Commissioner Babcock said, and to date conditions point to a successful year in spite of the unavoidable late start.

Speed-Breaking Bumps Proposed.

Speed maniacs are not only the targets for criticism in newspapers, from public-spirited citizens and even road patrolmen who fear for their lives, but make a serious problem for the highway department, Commissioner Babcock said recently.

"We are building and maintaining good smooth highways, but we cannot police them, too, under the law," the commissioner added. "That is primarily a matter for the sheriffs of the different counties as far as rural highways are involved. But we will be glad to cooperate as far as possible to insure public safety in this as well as other directions."

Counties which are employing sheriff's deputies for road policing on motorcycles find the plan more than self-sustaining, fines exceeding the expense, it was reported.

Speed-breaking bumps, described as bumps that will be hardly felt at a 25-mile pace, but will almost throw occupants from cars driven faster than 40 miles an hour, were suggested but Commissioner Babcock said he was not ready to subscribe to the idea.

Farmers' Roads Come First.

The fact that the Babcock plan is primarily to provide a good road to every Minnesota farm gate and not merely automobile boulevards is being emphasized by the present campaign for good federal aid legislation. That it makes available approximately $5,000,000 a year for the less expensive though larger system of feeder roads than for the heavy-traffic trunk routes has been pointed out by state highway officials in the movement in which farmers and other organizations joined later.

"Farmers'" roads get first consideration under the Minnesota highway plan. This is primarily an agricultural state and farmers' roads must have that place. Anything that will hinder instead of help the farmer of the state has no part in the program.

The same policy will apply under the intent of the new law regulating the use of cleats and lugs on wheels on Minnesota highways, Commissioner Babcock said, to allay the fears of threshermen. Mud hooks are barred as a rule, he explained, but the use of lugs will be permitted when necessary. "Neither the highway department nor the farmers want roads carelessly torn up and damaged, and we count on the threshermen using good judgment to avoid it," he said.

Rocksbury Farm Bureau Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Rocksbury Farm Bureau club will be held at Valhalli hall Saturday, July 2 at 8:30 p. m. All farmers of the township, whether members of the Farm bureau or not, are urged to attend. After the program a lunch will be served.

Scandinavian Mission.

A meeting of the Scandinavian Mission Y. P. S. of East St. Hilaire will be held at the home of Martin Peterson Saturday evening, June 25. The choirs of Black River and St. Hilaire will be there and the program will start at 8 o'clock.

CROOKSTON MAN BREAKS JAIL BUT IS SOON CAPTURED

Carl Knutson, Under Indictment For Murder of Wife, Makes Bold Dash For Freedom.

Carl Knutson who is under indictment for the murder of his wife broke out of the Polk county jail last Saturday but was recaptured Sunday evening after a citizens posse of 150 men had scoured the country for 24 hours. The Crookston Times of Monday evening gives the following account of the affair:

"A night and a day replete with thrills, excitement, adventure and real hard work, such is a summary of the man hunt started Saturday night when Carl Knutson, facing trial for the murder of his wife, made a dash for liberty from the Polk county jail. Two automobiles went in the ditch as the result of the chase, hundreds of men were notified to keep a sharp watch for the fugitive while an untold number of others kept their doors safely locked for fear of an invasion by the desperate fugitive from justice. But it was far from the desperate caveman, fighting with his back to the wall, who was captured. Instead, it was a weary, footsore, hungry, thirsty and utterly exhausted man, apparently only too glad to be back in the safe confines of the county jail after a day and a night of desperately trying to evade the scores of pursuers who immediately took up the chase when word got around that Knutson had escaped.

"Knutson, known as the caveman, following his arrest on a charge of murder, after the body of his wife had been found at the Knutson home May 17, battered and bruised, evidently from blows which the authorities claim were administered by Knutson, evidently had planned his escape for some time. Following his dash for liberty it was learned by the county authorities that he had bragged to the other prisoners that he was going to take 24 hours French leave, during which time he planned to kill the 'other man' mentioned in the domestic affairs of Mr. and Mrs. Knutson and jealousy of whom, it is said, prompted Knutson to administer the terrible beating which, it is alleged, resulted in his wife's death.

"The caveman's start on his '23½ hour leave' commenced at 8:45 Saturday evening. He had just finished his visit with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Knutson, brother and sister-in-law, when he made the dash through the screen door of the jail's office. He was in the custody of Deputy Fleming at the time. The deputy had turned to unlock the entrance to the jail cell with Knutson right behind him. As the deputy's back was turned Knutson noiselessly crossed the room and it was only when he heard the screen door slam that Fleming realized his prisoner had attempted to escape. By the time the deputy reached the outdoors Knutson had disappeared.

"No time was wasted in throwing out the dragnet for the escaped fugitive. Scores of young men hearing of the escape volunteered their services and soon a number of automobiles filled with searchers was out on every road looking for the man. A special guard was stationed at the place of business of the 'other man' whom Knutson was said to have threatened while another detail watched the Knutson home where the horribly mutilated wife had died. A careful watch was kept on every train leaving the city while other searchers were detailed to search every vacant barn or building where the escaped man might have taken refuge.

"Knutson was seen by several persons to have headed east of the city and the search was devoted principally to that section. The hunt continued until early Sunday morning, waned for a short time as the weary searchers returned for sleep but increased in vigor Sunday morning when daylight aided the hunters.

"The first tip on Knutson's whereabouts came late in the forenoon when a farmer notified Deputy Sheriff Ed Kelly that a man, evidently Knutson, had been seen near his farm that morning. Practically all of the members concentrated their search on a group near where the farmer had seen the man. Back and forth they beat up the grove, the number of hunters approaching close to 150 as the day wore on and news that the caveman had been cornered reached the city. Many other cars visited the scene instead of the occupants taking their regular Sunday outing trip.

"Knutson's capture came about through his own negligence, when he signaled his brother-in-law and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ostgaard. The couple were in a buggy witnessing the search when they were seen by Knutson. Knutson stood up from his hiding place and whistled and beckoned to his relatives evidently hoping they would aid in his getaway. As Mrs. Ostgaard saw her brother she fainted while Ostgaard becoming frightened drove for home. He then notified a neighboring farmer who called up the sheriff's office. Deputy Anton Nelson visited the neighboring farmer who took him close to the spot where Knutson had been seen. By this time there was only a handful of the searchers left. The remaining men set about to beat the spot where the man had been seen and in a short time William Spearman and Charles Rapin spotted him lying on his back in a clump of willows.

"Spearman pointed his gun at the fugitive who wearily stepped to his feet and stood with bowed head while Deputy Nelson hastened up and fastened handcuffs on him. The man was too exhausted from going 24 hours without food or drink to talk very much but in broken sentences he told his captors he had had enough of dodging and had planned to return to jail voluntarily that evening.

Knutson in describing his arduous attempts to escape, declared he had been on the move until three o'clock Sunday morning, making most of his journey through the fields. He reached the grove near where he was captured and lay down to rest. When morning came he looked around for a better hiding place. He declared he stayed in the same spot all day and had spent most of his time watching his pursuers. Several times the hunters came dangerously close to his hiding place, he said, but always they moved away again. The caveman declared his worst discomfort was thirst. The day was one of the hottest this summer and the hunted *man said that at about noon he was* choking for want of water.

"Knutson's trial on the charge of killing his wife is expected to come before the summer term of district court which convened at the court house Monday."

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Ontario Law Aid to Dry Agents.

Ontario's new prohibition law, which will become effective July 18, will virtually stop running of liquor from Canada to Minnesota within the next six months, according to Emerson E. Hunt, supervising federal prohibition enforcement agent for the northwest.

With Manitoba dry, whisky runners have had to get their supply from Ontario, which is carried south by way of Lake of the Woods, dry agents report.

Under the present law, shipments of liquor into Ontario is permitted, but the new law forbids the importation of liquor and forbids its transportation within the province. At present whisky runners do not have to violate any Canadian laws, but need only risk capture on the American side of the border.

The new law will make it a crime to transport liquor within the province, and the clause in the law forbidding importation will reduce the Ontario supply so that Minnesota whisky runners will be unable to obtain enough liquor to pay them for their risk, according to Mr. Hunt.

Notice.

The banks of Thief River Falls will close at one o'clock p. m. on Saturday afternoons during the months of June, July and August, commencing on Saturday, June 25.

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American Legion Corner

When Judge Eli Torrance, National Commander of the Grand Army of The Republic, began his address at the dedication of the Victory Memorial Way in Minneapolis on June 11th, he turned toward the ranks of overseas veterans and extended a greeting to the American Legion, adding, "To you must be committed the priceless jewel of representative government regulated by law. You must remain steadfast and unafraid regardless of every assault that hatred and malice may devise to undermine and destroy the heritage for which you so nobly fought and in defense of which so many of your heroic comrades poured out the warm blood of their youthful hearts."

State Commander A. H. Vernon has issued to all Legion posts the official call for the Third Annual Minnesota Legion convention at Winona, August 1, 2 and 3, 1921. Each post may send two delegates and two alternates and one additional delegate and alternate for each 100 paid-up members or major fraction thereof. Reduced railroad rates are being secured and Winona citizens will go the limit to furnish the delegates the time of their lives.

As a tribute to the memory of the late Commander Galbraith and to fulfill his last wish, every Minnesota Legionnaire will lay a friendly hand upon the shoulder of a buddy on July Fourth and "sign him up," according to an appeal issued to all Legionnaires of the state by the Department Commander, A. H. Vernon of Little Falls. This "every member get a member" drive will be launched all over the nation July 4th, in accordance with plans issued by Commander Galbraith before his death. Incidentally, July Fourth is the birthday anniversary of the new national commander, John G. Emery of Grand Rapids, Mich.

In an urgent message to Minnesota Legionnaires to help organize units and gain new members for the Legion Auxiliary, State President Dr. Helen Hughes Hielscher of Mankato writes: "It is a privilege to belong to the Legion Auxiliary. Let all eligible women in your community know it. You tell them buddy-soldiers' mothers, wives, sisters, daughters. Tell them there are soldiers dying without help or comfort from their own because there are not enough units or members of the Legion Auxiliary to cover the whole field. Tell them there are soldiers who fought for law and justice who are turning radical because they feel they are neglected by the people whom they served. Tell them the women of Minnesota are mobilizing in the Legion Auxiliary, not for war, but for love and faith and hope. Tell them to come now when the work is beginning, and not to be like the men who wanted to enlist when the enemy was on the run. For at least 12 years we must strain at a task always growing. There will be no slacking. Let your women relatives know of our work. Death and disease take no vacation. Have them join us now."

Captain George Mallon, one of Pershing's 100 heroes and candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Minnesota at the last election, who has just returned from Kansas, states: "You have heard the statements that the American Legion tarred and feathered world war veterans in Kansas. Those statements were lies. The men who created the disturbance were thugs hired by interests who wrapped themselves in a cloak of loyalty."

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Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.12
Oats	.25
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Flour, per cwt.	5.00
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POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.17
Dairy butter	.25
Creamery butter	[illegible]
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
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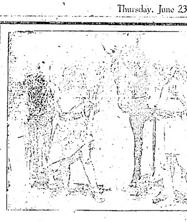

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WITHDRAW ONE INJUNCTION SUIT; ANOTHER IS INSTITUTED AT ONCE BY OBJECTORS TO STREET PAVING

Historical Society

New Complaint Contains All Former Allegations and in Addition Asks That Council be Enjoined From Disposing of Bonds on July 8, Date Set For Opening Bids.

The case brought in the name of the Oen Mercantile company against the city officials of Thief River Falls and the Bitulithic Contracting company of Winnipeg, asking that defendants be enjoined from undertaking the paving contract let by the city council a year or more ago, came to a sudden end on Wednesday afternoon when Theo. Quale, attorney for the petitioners, asked that the case be withdrawn. The reason given for this request was that since the case was filed certain proceedings had been taken by the city council which it would be necessary to include in the complaint.

A new case, in which the same parties are defendants, and with T. P. Hamre as plaintiff, was filed with Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund last evening. The complaint sets forth all the reasons contained in the application of the Oen Mercantile company in the previous suit and further asks that the city council be stopped from making a sale of the city's paving bonds on July 8, the date set for the opening of bids.

Vigorously Opposed.

The motion of the Oen Mercantile company for a dismissal of the original case was strenuously opposed by City Attorney H. O. Chommie and attorneys for the Bitulithic company. The court held, however, that there was nothing to prevent the plaintiff from withdrawing the case if he so saw fit and granted the request. This means that as the action cannot be heard at the present term of court the paving matter is probably a dead issue so far as the present summer is concerned.

Action is Critizised.

There is disappointment expressed over the outcome on every hand in the city this morning. The action of the petitioners is regarded as nothing more or less than spite work and only instituted for the purpose of enforcing delay. Members of the city council are certain that the present contract is highly favorable to the property owners in the paving district and point to the following table of costs to prove their position. During the year 1920 a number of contracts were let in this state for pavement with Warrenite-Bitulithic surfacing at the following prices per yard:

Marshall	$4.05
Marshall	4.30
Worthington	4.69
Alexandria	4.18
Eveleth	4.95
Hibbing	5.55
Dakota County	4.29
Albert Lea	4.05
Little Falls	4.72
Thief River Falls	3.98

So much has been said concerning the drop in costs since this contract was awarded that a comparison with prices at which bitulithic paving has been let during the present year are interesting when placed along side of the outlay called for in the Thief River Falls agreement. The following jobs differ only in minor details from that let at Thief River Falls. It will be noted that the prices are uniformly higher than was the case a year previous:

Ramsey county	$4.19
Hennepin county	4.21
Rochester	4.33
Ashland, Wis.	4.28
Mayville, Wis.	4.08

Not Yet Through.

While the outcome of the recent case will doubtless have the effect of tying up things temporarily, the city authorities are not disposed to lay down so easily. They have been assured that even in the face of the pending law suit the bonds can be sold on July 8 if the city is willing to pay a higher rate of interest. In the meantime the whole proceeding is up in the air.

WIN AND LOSE AT M'INTOSH·FOSSTON IS GIVEN DRUBBING

Warren Comes This Evening; First Game at Red Lake Falls Next Sunday Afternoon.

The ball team has given us a little of everything during the past week—good, bad and indifferent. Last Wednesday's defeat at the hands of Argyle had the effect of waking the boys up and they came back at the strong Fosston team on Friday afternoon with a victory, 8 to 2. Federoff was the moundsman in the latter game and proved too much for the visitors. Here is the story:

Thief River Falls.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lawrence, 2b.	5	2	0	3	3	0
Larson, ss.	4	1	0	2	2	0
Morse, c.	4	1	3	6	0	1
Schroeder, 1b.	4	0	2	13	0	1
Carlson, cf.	4	1	1	1	0	1
Federoff, p.	4	2	1	1	4	1
Prugh, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Jonas, 3b.	4	0	2	0	2	1
Herron, lf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
McGinn, lf.	2	0	0	1	0	0
	36	8	10	27	11	5

Fosston.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Stadsvold, 3b.	5	0	2	0	0	1
Bothwell, 2b.	5	0	1	3	1	0
Pearson, lf.	5	0	0	2	0	0
Murray, cf.	3	0	1	0	1	0
Tagland, 1b.	3	0	0	2	1	0
Sampson, c.	4	0	0	11	1	0
Movold, ss-2b.	4	0	2	2	0	3
Wynne, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Delben, p.	3	1	1	0	2	0
	36	2	8	21	5	5

Two base hits: Morse. Base on balls: Delben 3, Federoff 1. Sacrifice hits: Tagland, Larson. Umpire: Fox.

In one of the best games of the season Thief River Falls defeated McIntosh in the latter city on Saturday afternoon, the score being 5 and 4. Schroeder did the twirling and received excellent support. The details follow:

Thief River Falls.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lawrence, 1b.	5	0	0	11	0	0
Tallion, 3b.	5	0	1	0	2	0
Morse, ss.	5	0	1	2	3	2
Schroeder, p.	4	0	0	0	4	0
Sampson, c.	4	2	2	4	0	0
Carlson, cf.	4	2	2	4	0	0
Federoff, lf.	4	0	1	5	0	0
Larson, 2b.	4	0	1	1	2	0
Jonas, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	1
	39	5	9	27	10	3

McIntosh.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Scanlon, ss.	4	1	2	0	3	1
Nason, 1b.	4	0	0	12	0	0
Baker, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Narveson, p.	3	1	0	0	5	0
LaFontaine, cf.	5	1	0	2	0	0
Jenkins, 2b.	5	1	1	1	3	0
Nielson, 3b.	5	0	0	2	1	1
Stovern, c.	3	0	2	10	0	0
Skye, lf.	4	0	2	0	0	0
	41	4	8	27	12	2

Two base hits: Tallion, Morse, Sampson, Larson, LaFontaine. Home runs: Sampson. Sacrifice hits: Narveson, Nason. Struck out: by Schroeder: 4; Narveson: 8. Base on balls, Schroeder. Umpires: Penney and Conger.

There is a different story to tell of Sunday's game at the same town. A new man was tried out on the mound and before he could be yanked out the damage had been done. Even then there might have been some hope had Carlson not been hit by a pitched ball with the result that a small bone in his left hand was broken. This weakened the outfield and lowered the batting average of the Thief River Falls bunch to such an extent that the game was a sort of triumphal procession for the McIntosh lads. The score was 11 to 0. Following is the story:

Thief River Falls.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lawrence, 2b.	4	0	0	7	2	0
Tallion, 3b-p.	4	0	0	2	2	1
Morse, c.	4	0	1	6	0	0
Schroeder, 1b.	3	0	1	4	0	0
Federoff, cf-p.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Larson, ss.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Prugh, lf.	3	0	1	0	0	1
Jonas, rf-cf.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Van Dusen, p-rf.	3	0	0	0	1	0
	31	0	5	27	3	2

McIntosh.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Scanlon, ss.	4	2	2	5	2	1
Nason, 1b.	3	1	1	4	0	0
Baker, cf.	5	1	1	2	0	0
Narveson, p.	4	2	1	1	0	0
LaFontaine, cf.	4	1	3	1	0	0
Jenkins, 2b.	5	1	0	1	1	1
Nielson, 3b.	4	1	1	1	1	0
Stovern, c.	4	1	1	9	0	0
Skye, lf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
	34	11	11	27	4	2

Two base hits: Prugh. Three base hits, Tallion. Sacrifice hits: Nason. Stolen bases: Nielson, Nason. Wild pitches: Van Dusen 2. Base on balls: Van Dusen 3; Tallion 1. Hits, off Van Dusen: 6; Federoff 5; Skye 5. Earned runs, McIntosh 5. Umpires: Fox, Conger.

Last evening's game with Fertile on the diamond here was characterized by heavy slugging by both teams but the visitors only managed to get 6 runs across out of their 11 hits while Thief River Falls was putting 11 runs out of 13 hits. Brazel pitched a good game and besides distinguished himself by getting two hits and two runs out of two times at bat. Three baggers were common on the part of the home team as will be seen by the following detailed score:

Thief River Falls.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brand, ss.	4	2	2	3	3	0
Tallion, 3b.	4	2	1	0	4	1
Morse, c.	5	2	1	0	1	0
Schroeder, 1b.	4	1	1	10	0	1
Federoff, lf.	4	1	0	2	0	0
Larson, 2b.	5	0	3	1	2	2
Lawrence, cf.	5	0	1	0	1	1
Connell, rf.	4	1	1	2	0	0
Brazil, p.	2	2	2	0	1	0
	37	11	13	27	12	5

Fertile.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
M. Barry, cf.	4	0	0	0	1	0
Shedd, c.	4	2	2	7	0	0
Dambesten, 3b.	5	0	2	1	2	0
Hallet, ss-p-ss.	5	1	2	0	3	0
Patridge, 2b.	5	0	1	3	1	3
C. Barry, 1b.	5	2	1	4	1	0
Stenerson, rf.	5	1	2	3	1	0
Samnegren, lf-ss-p.	5	0	0	3	2	0
Ogren, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Christy, lf.	5	0	1	1	0	1
	44	6	11	24	11	4

Two base hits: Larson. Three base hits: Brand 2; Tallion, Brazil, Shedd. Stolen bases: Tallion, Larson, Brazil. Sacrifice hits: Brazil, Schroeder. Sacrifice fly: Federoff. Umpire: Fox.

An X-ray picture taken at The Clinic in this city, showed two small bones broken in Carlson's hand. The injury will keep him out of the game for three weeks. Manager Fox has a couple of new men in the lineup and it is hoped that these will supply what now seems to be lacking in order to win consistently. The boys have been putting up a good brand of baseball as a general thing, but every so often they seem to slump. An accident which removes one of the regulars from the fighting line seems to throw the whole machine out of gear. Manager Fox is certain that the addition of Brand and Tallion, two new men, will solve the problem that has bothered him ever since the season opened. Tallion played in the game with McIntosh on Sunday and his work proved that he has the stuff. Brand is a fielder with a god batting record and promises to give an excellent account of himself.

This evening at 6:30 Warren comes here for a game. Previous contests this season between these two teams have been close and while Thief River Falls has thus far held the edge it is understood that the Marshall county warriors are coming all bolstered up and looking for revenge.

On Friday the team goes to Argyle to try conclusions with that outfit again on their own grounds. This is sure to be a god game.

On Sunday Thief River Falls go to Red Lake Falls for the first game this season with that team. There will undoubtedly be a big crowd of rooters accompany the boys on this expedition.

Monday, the Fourth there will be a double-header with Gonvick as the opponents of the locals. This is expected to be one of the real big series of the season as the Clearwater county outfit is a strong one and has held most of its opponents to better than an even break thus far.

Dr. Eastman Honored.

At the meeting of the Sixth district group of the Minnesota Association of Chiropractors held at Itasca State park on June 18 and 19, Dr. Jennie M. Eastman of Thief River Falls, was elected second vice president for the ensuing year. Other officers chosen are: Dr. H. E. Jenks, Park Rapids, president; Dr. O. F. Murak, Ada, first vice president; Dr. H. E. McCasland, Hawley, secretary-treasurer. Dr. L. V. Johnson, Barnesville, formerly of Thief River Falls; Dr. B. E. Albertson, Crookston, and Dr. D. L. Wisehart, Trail, were elected on the board of directors.

PUSHING WORK ON RED LAKE DISTRICT DRAINAGE PROJECT

Secretary Brevig Explains What Has Been Accomplished by Conservancy Board.

Several inquiries regarding the projects before the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board have been brought to the attention of A. O. Brevik, St. Hilaire, the board's secretary, for reply. As there is general public interest in the matter he has summarized the information in the following statement.

The only projects handled by the board are the Red Lake river deepening (including the inlets at upper Red Lake), the Clearwater river outlet, the Crookston dyke and a small outlet project in the Grand Marias basin. These are the only projects that are before this board. Projects are accepted only after petitions are filed. Surveying work follows. After surveys are made all plans and estimates go before the district court for a final hearing. This outlines the necessary steps briefly.

The Thief River project, affecting eastern Marshall county and western Beltrami county, was started in a judicial ditch proceeding several months before the Red Lake drainage board came into existence and is therefore a judicial ditch project and not a drainage board project. The surveys were made by Joseph Baugh as engineer while the Red Lake drainage board's surveys are being made by George W. Walker as engineer. The merits of the Thief River project have not been passed on by the drainage board as it was felt that the matter was not within its jurisdiction. At a mass meeting held two years ago this month in Thief River Falls over one hundred farmers from the territory using the Thief River as an outlet were present and almost begged that something be done to relieve conditions there. The Thief River deepening project and the diagonal ditch were planned under the judicial act.

According to Mr. Brevik work is progressing very fast on the Red Lake and Clearwater projects, final plans for which are being prepared by Engineer Walker in cooperation with E. V. Willard, state commissioner of drainage. Final hearings on these projects will be held as soon as final plans have been perfected.

WANTS CHANGES IN GRAIN GRADE LAWS

Cong. Steenerson Proposes That Spring Wheat be Graded by Direct Act of Congress.

Grading of spring wheat by direct act of congress is proposed in a bill introduced Wednesday by Representative Halvor Steenerson after a conference with members of the Minnesota legislature, the Minnesota grain inspection service and representatives of the inspection service in North Dakota and South Dakota.

"Congress gave the secretary of agriculture authority to fix grain grades," Mr. Steenerson said. "The standards and grades promulgated by the secretary have been found unworkable. They operate in favor of the grain dealer and miller and against the farmer. We have gone to the department of agriculture and asked to have the grades changed but we have been refused."

Mr. Steenerson declared the regulations were prepared by the bureau of markets and the officials of that bureau "having once done something, believe there should be no change."

Kicked by Horse.

John Bugge, a farmer residing west of the city, is nursing a broken arm, caused by the kick of a horse on Monday. He was fastening a loosened trace when the horse struck out.

STAGE ALL SET FOR BIG DOINGS ON THE FOURTH

Greatest Celebration in City's History Will be in Charge of American Legion.

Nearly Every Business House in City Will Have Float in Monster Parade.

Two Boxing Bouts and Wrestling Match are Among Features to be Offered.

Thief River Falls will this year have the greatest Fourth of July celebration ever held in the northwestern section of the state. The affair will be under the auspices of the American Legion post and there is *nothing to be left undone that can in* any way help to make the event one of the outstanding features of the city's history. Parades, sports, games, dances, boxing matches, wrestling bouts—everything in the line of contests and amusements will be on the program.

Parade Will Be Feature.

Practically every business house in the city has volunteered to have an appropriate float in the parade. Cash prizes of $15, $10 and $5 will be awarded for first, second and third place respectively and it is expected that many things both beautiful and novel will be produced. The concerns which have up to date signified their intention of getting into the parade with a float are as follows:

Loken Brothers, Hermanson Hardware company, H. K. Strand, Scott Laird, Peoples Co-operative store, Roy Lambert, First and Peoples State bank, Bottom Hardware company, Farmers & Merchants bank, Citizens State bank, First National bank, W. H. Mulry, E. O. Mogensen, A. M. Langseth, Oen Mercantile company, Thief River Monumental company, Black's Sweet Shop, Thief River Music company, A. A. Wangenstein, Carl Christofferson & company, Joseph Strubeck, Thief River Grocery company, Zeh & Curran, Aasby & Burstad, Rambeck & Stone company, Mousley & Glines, Bridgeman-Russell company, Louis Garvey, Helge Dahl, Charles Sieberman, Erling Dahl, Carl Froseth, City Meat & Grocery company, M. G. Stageberg, Union Plumbing & Heating company, J. C. Penney company, F. J. Stebbins, Jung Brothers, Larson Furniture company, A. J. Borry, Louis DeCremer. Others have signified their intention of joining and it is the hope of those in charge that every business house in the city shall be in line. Concerns from other towns in the county will be made welcome if they care to place a float in competition and their opportunities for winning one of the prizes will be equal to that of the Thief River Falls business men. Anyone wishing to have their name added is requested to notify George Loken.

City Attorney Hans O. Chommie, himself a Legion member, will deliver the address of the day at the fair grounds in the afternoon.

Something Every Minute.

The parade will start at 10 o'clock and all civic societies and local organizations of every kind are invited to join. Headed by the band the procession will march around the city until 10:15, when the morning races and sporting events will be staged. The band will play throughout the day.

Following is the sports program, together with the prizes offered in each event:

Boys' running race, start Third and Main streets. Prizes $2, $1, 50c.

Girls' running race, starts Third and LaBree. Prices $2, $1, 50c.

Wheelbarrow race, starts Third and Horace. Prizes $3, $2, $1.

Ladies' potato race, starts Third and LaBree. Prizes $2, $1, 50c.

Three-legged race, starts Second and LaBree. Prizes $3, $2, $1.

Boys' sack race, starts First and LaBree. Prizes $2, $1, 50c.

Free-for-all 100 yard dash, start Second and LaBree. Prizes $5, $2.50, $1.50, $1.

Ladies' foot race, start Third and LaBree. Prizes $2, $1, 50c.

Afternoon Program.

The events scheduled for the afternoon will take place at the fair grounds. This includes band concert, two mile bicycle race, tug of war, boxing bouts, motor cycle race. These will be followed by a free-for-all stop-Ford race.

From 5 o'clock onward the downtown carnival attractions will hold the boards, after which the crowd will again repair to the fair grounds for the purpose of seeing a ball game between Thief River Falls and Gonvick. At 9 o'clock the Roman candle parade will be staged, the exhibition being in charge of Paul Midderigh. This will be followed by bowery dancing at the auditorium.

Many Outsiders Coming.

That large crowds from the outside will celebrate in Thief River Falls this year is certain. Nothing in the way of a public observance of the day is contemplated at neighboring points and the citizens will be glad to assist in making the Thief River Falls celebration a success.

All will be made welcome and every effort will be put forth to see that visitors have a good time.

RIVER CLAIMS YOUNG FARMER; SECOND VICTIM

Carl Isaacson Loses Life While Bathing Near Skomedahl Bridge Sunday Afternoon.

Failded to Reappear After First Plunge and Companions Unable to Give Assistance.

Body Recovered After Having Been in Water Nearly Two Hours—Second This Year.

Carl Isaacson, 22 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Isaacson, farmers residing in Excel township, was drowned in Thief river about 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. The body was recovered after having been in the water nearly two hours and all hope of resuscitation was past.

In company with two other young men of the neighborhood, Isaacson started in an automobile to attend a picnic held near their homes. Arriving at a point on the river a short distance from the Skomedal bridge the trio decided to go in bathing. Isaacson jumped into the river and must have been seized with cramps as he did not again come to the surface. His companions, neither of whom can swim to any extent, could do nothing but raise an alarm. Farmers from the neighborhood quickly gathered and a search for the body was at once begun. One of the young men with Isaacson tied a rope around his waist and went down at the point where his friend had disappeared. He managed to grab hold of the body and was pulled to the surface.

The accident happened in Marshall county but Coroner H. W. Froehlich of Pennington county was notified, he being located much nearer to the spot where the drowning occurred. He arrived about the same time that the body was recovered but saw that there was no chance of the man being revived, although a pulmotor had been brought along to be used in case there was the slightest hope.

The water at the point where Isaacson went down is about 7 feet deep.

This is the second drowning accident to occur in the neighborhood this summer, the first victim being 11-year-old George Reitz of this city, who lost his life while boating on June 1.

PEARSON IS FOUND GUILTY ON SAME CHARGE AS WIFE

Verdict of Second Degree Manslaughter is Returned by Jury Against Man.

A jury in the Polk county district court Tuesday night at 9:45 o'clock returned a verdict of "guilty of second degree manslaughter" in the case of Arthur Pearson, charged with murder in connection with the death of an infant child last winter. The jury was out 4 hours and 45 minutes.

The jury was instructed to find the defendant guilty of first or second degree murder, second degree manslaughter or not guilty. Closing arguments by Albert F. Pratt, of the attorney general's office, who assisted County Attorney James E. Montague, in the prosecution, and by F. A. Grady, Pearson's attorney, were started Tuesday afternoon. For nearly two hours Mr. Pratt covered Pearson's case for the jury and attempting to belittle Pearson's plea that he did not know Mrs. Pearson had given birth to her child or that she was about to become a mother. Mrs. Pearson last winter was convicted of second degree manslaughter and in a statement signed by Pearson the husband declared he was asleep at the time of the alleged birth and knew nothing of it.

F. A. Grady followed Mr. Pratt in addressing the jury. The defense counsel based his request for an acquittal on the signed statement of Pearson made following discovery of the alleged crime in which he declared he did not know his wife was about to become a mother and was asleep at the time she gave birth to her child.

The statement by Pearson was introduced by County Attorney Montague while he was on the witness stand testifying as to the investigation made following the discovery of the baby's body. The body was found on a Sunday morning. It was embedded in the ice on the roof of a shed adjoining the hotel and evidently had been there for about three days. Mr. Montague said the Pearson couple were arrested because of the suspicion that Mrs. Pearson had recently become a mothe. Questioning of Pearson, he said, resulted in his statement.

Mrs. Pearson before her marriage was Miss Martha Furstnau of Thief River Falls.

Construct Swimming Pool By Popular Subscription

A movement set on foot by Emil E. Zeh has for its purpose the erection of a public swimming pool in the city. It is Mr. Zeh's opinion that the plan can be worked out successfully without adding one cent to the tax roll. He would interest a sufficient number of persons in the matter to insure the necessary amount of funds being raised by popular subscription. This was done not long ago in Grand Forks and that city now has a swimming pool that is perhaps the finest in the entire section. Donations might be made either in labor, materials or money, and it is thought that there are very few persons, particularly among the business men, who would not be willing to help the cause along. The necessary site would be purchased but this is something that will have to be attended to at some time in the near future anyway, and it may prove of advantage to do it at once. Mr. Zeh broached his plan to a group of men at the auditorium on Tuesday evening and received assurances of support and promises of donations, aggregating several hundred dollars. He does not intend to allow the matter to drop and will urge it along wherever opportunity presents itself.

Paving Men Here.

A. D. Hanson and R. R. Collard of Bitulithic Contracting, Limited, of Winnipeg, and R. E. Borrowman of the Bradley Engineering company, St. Cloud, arrived in the city Tuesday evening for the purpose of being present at the hearing of the injunction suit brought to prevent the city from proceeding with the paving contract.

CROP OUTLOOK IN COUNTY IS BETTER THAN FOR YEARS

Rust Doing No Damage in Grain Fields as Yet, According to State's Expert.

There has been practically no damage from rust in the grain fields of Pennington county to date, according to County Agent J. J. McCann. A little red leaf rust has been found in a number of fields but this is not regarded as of any great importance. There is no stem rust of any kind.

K. J. Christianson, state grain disease inspector, was in the city on Friday and made a personal inspection of a number of fields. He found conditions very much to his liking, a small amount of rust in the rye being the only trouble of the kind disclosed.

Sweet clover is being cut and it is proving a good crop although not a record breaker. It is expected that the cutting of red clover will be in full swing next week as there seems to be no advantage in holding off longer. The crop will not be improved to any extent unless there is considerable rain within a very short time and it is not likely that many will delay in the hope of its arrival.

The labor situation is better than for years past. There has been sufficient local help available to fill all positions so far and there is no danger of a shortage. Men going out agree to stay through the season at a wage of $35 to $40 per month. The average rate paid for work by the day is $2.00.

Less wheat was sown last spring than for many years past and this crop is consequently of less importance locally than usual. The Northwest will have one of the best crops of wheat in its history, however, say reports. Along the Soo line westward through North Dakota conditions were never so promising. The outlook, according to some observers, is even better than during the banner year of 1915.

GUMMER HEARING NOW ON AT FARGO

Court Room Crowded When Man Accused of Murdering Miss Marie Wick is Arraigned.

General testimony relating to the actions of Miss Marie Wick, 18, Grygla, prior to her murder in a hotel at Fargo June 7, took up most of the time in the morning session Tuesday of the preliminary hearing of William Gummer, night clerk of the hotel, charged with slaying the girl.

The letter which Miss Wick had written to Arnold Rasmussen, Moorhead, in which she asked him to meet her in Fargo on the night of June 6, as she was unacquainted with the town, was introduced. Miss Wick was on her way to visit an aunt at Pettibone, N. D., to spend a vacation.

Crowds eager for details of the testimony and a glimpse of Gummer crowded the Cass county court house early in the morning and by ten o'clock, the hour set for the hearing, had crowded the small room where the hearing was held to overflowing and were jammed in the corridors of the court house. Gummer was pale and grave.

Barnett & Richardson, attorneys for Gummer, on Tuesday evening received a telegram from Minneapolis that may have some bearing on the case, although the state's attorney is inclined to attach no importance to it. The telegram was signed by Thomas Dowd and read as follows:

"I have tried to reach the sheriff at Fargo. I wrote two letters and no answer, and one letter to the state's attorney; no answer yet. Also stop the hearing of the Prescott murder trial until you hear from me and advise me at once."

(Further details of Gummer trial on Page 3.)

NO COUNTY AID FOR RETAINING FARM BUREAU

Commissioners Turn Down Request For $2,000 Per Year For Next Two Years.

Robert McGinn Only Member of Board Voting to Grant Request of Farmers.

Effort Will Now be Made to Secure Needed Amount by Popular Subscription.

The board of county commissioners last Friday turned down the request of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association for an appropriation of $2,000 per year to assist in carrying on the work of the bureau for the next two years. Commissioner Robert McGinn was the only member voting for the appropriation; Commissioner J. S. Roy did not vote, and Commissioners O. J. Peterson, Gust Naplin and A. H. Hanson voted against it.

While the commissioners had previously made no secret of their intention to turn the proposition down, yet the hope was expressed that they would reconsider the matter and grant the aid asked for. During the discussion preceding the vote it was claimed by the commissioners opposed that the results of the farm bureau's work did not warrant the expense. Thus far the bureau has been of value only to a few farmers residing in the vicinity of Thief River Falls, it was claimed, and the board members said they could not see their way clear to employ the money of all the taxpayers for the benefit of those residing in one section.

Farmers Speak in Favor.

The bureau was represented by County Agent J. J. McCann who touched upon some of the things accomplished during the four years of its existence. Paul Engelstad and F. T. Satre of Rocksbury township; O. O. Hofdahl and R. M. Johnson of Kratka township, and J. M. Thiege of Smiley township, all spoke in favor of making the appropriation, testifying to the excellent work that is being accomplished in the county under Mr. McCann's direction. The pleas of these local men were ably supported by W. E. Morris, state leader of county bureau work.

No Funds Available.

The commissioners stated that the running expenses of the county were now crowding the receipts and that they did not feel justified in incurring this added expense, particularly as it did not seem as if the demand for a continuance of the farm bureau were general. It was pointed out to them that a vote taken among the farmers of the county showed that they stood about eight to one in favor of the appropriation being made, but this did not have any effect upon the board majority.

Will Be Continued.

A number of the most prominent farmers in the county have been interviewed during the past week and they say they will do everything in their power to keep the bureau going, at least for the remainder of the present year. This can only now be done by popular subscription, but it is felt there will be slight difficulty in securing the needed sum. Thief River Falls business men would doubtless be glad to contribute towards maintaining the office, its value being generally recognized. The matter is now in the hands of the executive committee of the organization and it is expected that a plan of campaign will soon be announced.

Grand Jury Session One of Shortest Ever held

The grand jury drawn for the June term of the district court made short work of its program. The indicting body was in session one day, made the usual inspections and found one indictment. A true bill was returned against Fred Brendecke, charging that he had intoxicating liquors in his possession and for sale.

Judge Grindeland and the petit jury have started on the semi-annual grind, the only case so far heard outside of the paving injunction case, being that of the Haley Land company of Red Lake Falls against J. S. Roy. It is a matter involving the payment of commissions for the sale of a farm.

To Drop General Practice At End of Special Course

Dr. O. F. Mellby will leave the first of the week for Chicago where he will take a post-graduate course in eye, ear, nose and throat work at one of the largest hospitals in the country. Dr. Mellby has been engaged in general practice in this city for many years but upon his return he will devote his attention to the special branches mentioned above. The large amount of work of this nature coming to The Clinic of which he is a member, makes it necessary that one of the associated doctors devote his time and studies entirely to this special practice. Dr. Mellby expects to be gone for about a month.

Society and Club

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich entertained a number of ladies at cards at her home on Wednesday evening.

Sunday School Picnic.

There was a large attendance at the Presbyterian Sunday school picnic held in Steenerson's grove yesterday.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. held a very successful meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Craik on Tuesday afternoon. Automobiles transported the guests from the Craik home to Lovers' Lane for lunch.

Hagen-Ostvolden.

Bert Ostvolden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Ostvolden of this city, and Miss Ida Hagen, were married last Thursday, June 23, at Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Ostvolden will make this city their home.

Lady Macabees Meet.

The Lady Macabees held initiation at the Masonic hall on Monday evening. Mrs. Robins, state deputy, of Minneapolis, was the guest of the evening. Following the initiation a social time was enjoyed.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. C. E. Frances of Portland, Ore., who is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bainford, entertained a few of her former friends and classmates at a seven o'clock dinner at the home of her parents on Tuesday evening. Places were arranged for Misses Marie Nelson, Irma Johnson, LaVida Hilson, Hazel Conklin and Mrs. Laura M. Crandall.

Entertains at Cards.

Twelve ladies were entertained at cards at the home of Mrs. Geo. Biddick on Tuesday afternoon. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess at 5 o'clock. The guests were, Mrs. F. C. Nielai, Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. H. A. Booren, Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mrs. H. E. Froseth, Mrs. H. S. Snyder, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Mrs. Ed. Korstad, Mrs. I. A. Larson and Mrs. F. E. Hunt.

Parcel Shower.

Miss Marie Nelson, teller at the First National bank, was honor guest at an attractive party in the form of a parcel shower which was given by Miss Irma Johnson at her home on LaBree avenue on Monday evening. The gifts were varied, and useful. Light refreshments were served by the hostess at 10:30. The guests were Misses Hazel Conklin, Esther Gjertson, Marie Nelson, Effie Hamry, Edna Larson, Mrs. H. Montgomery, Una Nelson, Grace Wilson, Meta Kiland, Agnes Tamberg, Avis Akre, Mrs. C. E. Anderson and Mrs. M. W. Brink.

Silver Shower.

Misses Emily Fossum, Gena Legvold, Blanche Hoium and Jeanette Oftedahl shared honors as hostesses at a silver shower given at the former's home on Friday evening in honor of Miss Alexandra Tharaldson whose marriage to A. M. Campbell occurred last evening. Little Bernice Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Thompson, dressed as a bride presented gifts to Miss Tharaldson. The decoration throughout the rooms were in pink and white with a profusion of delicately tinted summer flowers. Lunch was served at 11 o'clock to the twenty-five guests.

Costello-Lacy.

A marriage of particular interest to local people is that of Miss Julia Marie Costello, daughter of Mrs. Julia Costello of Sauk Center to Edward Thomas Lacy of this city on Wednesday, June 22 at Our Lady of the Angels church, at Sauk Center. Both bride and groom are well and favorably known in this city, the former having been employed as normal instructor here for two years while Mr. Lacy is employed as brakeman on the Soo. After a two weeks' honeymoon they will return to this city where they will be at home at 225 Kendall avenue, after Aug. 1.

Granum-Anderson.

The announcement of the recent marriage of Edward Granum, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum of this city, to Miss Fay Anderson of Seattle, Wash., was received by his parents this week. The wedding, which was a simple affair, occurred at the bride's home in Seattle on June 24. The groom had made this city his home until his departure for the West a couple of years ago. He spent a few months this winter visiting his parents, returning to the above named place this spring. The newlyweds will make their home at Seattle, where Mr. Granum holds a responsible position with the Corona Typewriter company.

Tharaldson-Campbell.

A simple yet attractive wedding occurred last evening at 7 o'clock at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage when Miss Alexandra Marie Tharaldson and A. McTavish Campbell, both of this city were united in marriage. Rev. T. E. Sweger was the officiating clergyman and performed the ceremony before a small company of friends and relatives. The bride wore a navy blue tailored suit with white hat. Her corsage bouquet was a combination of lilies of the valley and pink rose buds. Immediately following the ceremony a dinner was served to the immediate relatives at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Dora Tharaldson in the Meehan block. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell left the same evening on a month's wedding trip which will be spent at the groom's cottage at "The Shallows" near Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where the groom's parents reside. Both young people are highly respected and well known, the bride having completed her high school education here, graduating with honors in '13. She later engaged in teaching school in this vicinity and towns near by. Mr. Campbell is employed as brakeman on the Soo. At the completion of their honeymoon they will return to this city to make their home.

City News

Mrs. J. Mjelleli of Dent, visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Hegness of Argyle, were in the city on Wednesday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Anderson arrived here the first of the week from Anita for a visit with friends.

Mrs. A. Running and daughter of Anita, were in the city on Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends.

W. E. Baker, agent at the Great Northern, returned yesterday from Fargo, where he had attended a tractor demonstration.

Mrs. Mary Werstlein and daughter, Eleanor, left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to visit with relatives for a couple of weeks.

Miss Alice Larson, who had spent three weeks visiting at Kenmare, N. D., with her grandparents, returned to her home here on Monday.

Mrs. Louis Ecke returned the latter part of last week from FonDu Lac, Wis., and Chicago, where she had spent a month visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gustafson and daughter, Norma, returned to their home at Lignite, N. D., after a week's visit with relatives near Grygla.

Mrs. C. R. Crandall, Miss Effie Hamry and Miss Anna Quale attended the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Start at Grand Forks on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller of Breckenridge autoed here on Sunday and were guests of the latter's brother, Julian Provencher and sister, Mr. J. Biedermann.

Mrs. Lucy Ures arrived here yesterday morning from Grand Forks for a visit at the homes of her sisters, Mrs. Wm. E. Warner, and Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean left this morning for Gilbert where they will visit at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bean and family over the Fourth.

W. A. Barnard went to the Twin Cities on Tuesday to visit friends. He was accompanied by Richard Mabey, who continued to Lake City to spend the summer with relatives.

Miss Effie Hamry will leave Saturday on her vacation, which will be spent in visiting her sister, Miss Igna, who is in Montana, and in touring Glacier National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Provencher arrived here this morning for a visit with the former's father, J. Provencher and family. Mrs. Provencher was formerly Miss Gertrude O'Neill of this city.

Walter Stanchfield, Alfred Dybvik, William Alexander, Lloyd Lonson and Misses Josephine Eichhammer and Hazel Haroldson went to Maple Lake on Tuesday afternoon, returning in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson, motored to Grand Forks on Thursday to attend the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star held there in the evening.

Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Rogers of Minneapolis are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Rogers, who reside on a farm near Steiner. They will leave in a short time for Bismarck, N. D., where they will be temporarily located.

The many friends of Ben Peterson, a prominent Rosewood farmer, will be pleased to learn that he is rapidly recovering from his injuries sustained when a tree fell and struck him.

Leland Sether arrived here Tuesday morning from Minneapolis, and will spend an indefinite time visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether. This is his first visit at his home in two years.

SUPPLY OF DRY FED CATTLE VANISHING

Bulk Consisting of Grassers Sell Weak to 25c Lower—Hogs Mostly 25c Off.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Minnesota Dept. of Agriculture.)

South St. Paul, Minn., June 28.—With hot weather further restricting the demand for dressed beef and a continued dormant market for stockers and feeders, the market at the week's opening for the bulk of the receipts which consisted of grass cattle continued its downward course although a few dry feds which are becoming scarce sold practically steady. While a few loads of very good dry fed steers sold last week from $7.60 to $8.00, best at this week's opening were three loads of 1150 to 1200 pound averages that brought $7.40, with the bulk of the beef steers, including grass feds and some dry feds, going from $6.00 to $7.25. Bulk of the butcher she stock sold from $3.25 to $5.50, with a few good cows going from $5.00 to $5.50, and good heifers at $6.00 to $6.50. Canners and cutters range from $1.00 to $3.00, bologna bulls $3.00 to $3.75. Calves remained steady Monday, best lights to packers landing at $8.00. Only common and medium grade stockers and feeders are coming, bulk of these selling from $3.50 to $5.50; with good to choice heavy feeders quotable from $6.00 to $6.50.

Hog market 25c lower than Saturday but steady to strong with a week ago, range $7.00 to $8.15, bulk $7.50 to $7.75. Best pigs $8.50. Lambs about 50c lower for the week, best natives today $9.00, culls mostly $4. Good handyweight ewes $3.00, heavies around $2.00.

Make Sidewalks Uniform, Suggested by Contractor

Contractor Anderson has about another week's work left on the curbs in the paving district. As soon as these are completed he will put in the alley approaches and widen the sidewalks in front of the library, auditorium and other city property. He will then make a personal call on all who will find it necessary to widen their sidewalks in order to comply with the paving regulations and suggest that they have them all done at one time as this will greatly cheapen the job as well as make the work uniform throughout the district. It is not compulsory upon property owners to have this work done by the contracter, as they may do the job in any way that suits them best, provided the specifications are complied with, but it is thought that nearly everybody will be glad to avail themselves of the opportunity to get the matter off their hands in this manner as it insures a good job, quickly and cheaply accomplished.

Only 2.9 Per Cent of All Cattle in State Purebreds

The total number of horses on farms in Minnesota on January 1, 1920, was 932,794; the total number of cattle, 3,021,469; of sheep, 509,064; and of swine, 2,380,862. The 4,500 pure bred horses represents 0.5 per cent of all horses on farms in the state; the pure-bred cattle represent 2.9 per cent of all cattle; the pure-bred sheep, 1.7 per cent of all sheep, and the purebred swine, 4.2 per cent of all swine.

Young Peoples Society.

Young peoples society of Silverton Sunday, July 3 in the afternoon, Entertained by Clarence and Mildred Petersen and Harvey Sundt.

Better Understanding of Farm Conditions Needed

American Chambers of Commerce should "acquaint themselves and city people generally" with the "intimate and reciprocal relation between agriculture and all other industries," secretary Wallace said in a letter to W. E. Holler, of the Flint, Mich., chamber, who asked the secretary's judgment as to the thing of first importance to be undertaken by trade bodies.

"Kill off the fallacy that it is immoral for farmers to adjust their production to the probable demand by curtailing a particular crop in the face of a present or prospective over supply and ruinously low price—a thing manufacturers have been doing from the beginning of time," the secretary wrote.

Another fallacy, Mr. Wallace added, was the belief that agriculture has been "favored with special legislation."

Approximately 40 million people are now living on farms or directly or indirectly dependent upon farming for their livelihood, the secretary said.

Clothiers Agree to Close At 6:30 Until September 1

In order that their employes may have an opportunity to attend ball games and otherwise take advantage of the fine weather these summer evenings the clothing merchants of the city have agreed to close their stores at 6:30 o'clock every night except Saturday from July 5 to August 29, inclusive. The agreement is signed by L. L. Cohn, E. O. Mogensen, Chas. Lieberman and Lieberman Brothers. This arrangement will prove particularly welcome to the clerks and will be a good thing for the proprietors as well.

New Manager of Millinery Store Here to Take Charge

Mrs. Esta Barton, who will be in charge of the former Dalquist millinery store after July 1, arrived from St. Paul the first of the week and is busy getting things in readiness for taking over the business. Mrs. Barton has been connected with the L. R. Brown company in St. Paul for the past five years and is an artist in her line. The new concern will open with an attractive assortment of new hats for summer and early autumn wear. The exact opening date has not yet been decided upon.

Mike Holm Seriously Ill; Collapsed While at Work

Mike Holm of Roseau, secretary of state has been seriously ill at his home in St. Paul. He was taken from his office in the capitol last Thursday afternoon when he collapsed and was in a semi-conscious condition for some time. Mr. Holm has suffered two attacks of ptomaine poisoning during the past two weeks.

Moorhead Concern Given Knox School Heating Job

The contract for installing the plumbing work and heating plant in the new Knox school was on Wednesday let to the Moorhead Plumbing & Heating company for $16,543. There were four bidders, among them one local man, Ed. Lee, whose bid was about $17,000.

Dr. A. J. Paulson and Miss Mina Nelson Are Married

Dr. A. J. Paulson, who recently severed his connection with The Clinic in this city for the purpose of accepting a position on the staff of the Lutheran hospital in Watertown, S. D., was on Wednesday married to Miss Mina Nelson at Devils Lake, N. D., the home of the bride. The bride was formerly bookkeeper in the offices of the associated doctors in this city but left some time ago for her former home. The announcement of the wedding comes as a great surprise to the many friends of the couple in this city. After a honeymoon spent in Yellowstone Park, Dr. and Mrs. Paulson will move at once to Watertown.

Gospel Tent Campaign.

A series of meetings will be conducted in a tent erected to the south of the Winton-Nichols Lumber company's yards from June 29 to July 10. Two meetings will be held daily, at 2:45 and 8 p. m.

Rev. A. J. Peterson will open the campaign. Later Rev. E. E. Johnson of Scranton, Pa., Rev. J. D. Williams of St. Paul, and Mrs. William Christie recently arrived from Thibet, China, will be among the speakers. Mrs. Christie has been a missionary in the China field for about 20 years. The general public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Close Stores on Fourth.

All stores in Thief River Falls will be closed on July 4. This was announced by the closing committee of the Merchants association early in the week. *This is the usual procedure*, but it was thought best to give publicity to the fact in order that shoppers may govern themselves accordingly. Stores will be closed from Saturday night until Tuesday morning.

Gashed While Diving.

William Stageberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Stageberg, received a severe cut across the head while bathing in the river the first of the week. He was diving and struck bottom with considerable force. Luckily the blow did not render him unconscious and he is getting along all right.

Figures Show Indians in State Steadily Decreasing

The Indian population in Minnesota is decreasing, while the number of negroes, Chinese and Japanese have increased in the 10 year period from 1910 to 1920, according to a census bulletin just issued.

The total population of the state is 2,387,125, as compared with 2,075,708 in 1910. Of the present population, 2,368,919 are white, which is an increase from 2,059,227 in 1910. The number of Negroes increased from 7,084 in 1910 to 8,809 in 1920. The number of Indians decreased from 9,053 to 8,761 in the 10 year period. The number of Chinese increased from 275 to 508 and of Japanese from 67 to 85. The total in all other races increased from 2 to 43.

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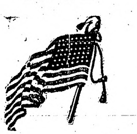

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BLOODSTAINED TROUSERS INTRODUCED AS EVIDENCE AT GUMMER EXAMINATION

Identity of Owner of Garment Not Established; Bible Found In Room Occupied By H. J. Hagen Shows Traces of Blood, Deputy Sheriff Testifies, But Keyhole Between Two Adjoining Rooms Was Plugged.

Fargo, N. D., June 29—A pair of light-weight blood-stained trousers were introduced as evidence by the state late today in the preliminary examination of William Gummer, night clerk of the Prescott hotel, charged with the murder of Miss Marie Wick. It marked new developments in the murder sensation.

The state introduced the testimony of James Milligan, deputy sheriff who testified that he found the trousers at the foot of the basement stairs, to the rear of the building, on Monday morning, June 13, after he had made "careful, systematic and diligent" search "through the basement during the days following the discovery of the murder on the morning of June 7"; this, according to the state, points toward an "inside job."

During the cross examination, Deputy Sheriff Milligan maintained that the trousers were not there during the previous searches and he was positive that they could not have been there, placed there, or left there earlier than June 13.

Blood-stained Bible in Room 31.

In connection with the cross examination of Deputy Milligan another new development was brought out, the defense getting the deputy to admit that in searching room No. 31, occupied by H. J. Hagen, former president of the Scandinavian-American bank, he found a Bible in that room and that there were evidences of blood on it; he testified that the Bible had been delivered to Sheriff Kramer.

"Quite smeared, you might say, and that book was found in room No. 31?" asked Judge Barnett for the defense, and the witness said "yes." The witness said his attention had not been called to the fact that one of the panels on the outside of room No. 31 had blood smeared on it. This room adjoined that of room No. 30, occupied by Miss Wick.

Deputy Sheriff Milligan testified under direct examination that he had made a search of the rooms and a special examination of screens leading to the fire escape and found that they were intact; that the fire escapes were all dusty, and that nobody had been over them. He said he examined the windows in the basement and that they were all closed, and nobody had gone through them. He testified to finding the nozzle with which the state contends the girl was attacked, on top of a box containing the coils of the hose, but that it was not connected. He said he tried to screw it in place, but could not as it was bent. There was hair and blood and scraps of scalp sticking to the nozzle, he testified.

Gummer Advances Suicide Theory.

Gummer, according to the testimony of Richard Pickering, patrolman, the first to enter the death chamber, advanced the theory of suicide when Pickering arrived. Pickering testified late today that Gummer said to him that "the girl in room No. 30 is covered with blood and it looks like suicide." The patrolman quoted the night clerk as saying further that "it couldn't be murder as the door was locked."

Pickering said he made a search of the room for the key given to the girl but could not find it. He testified that on the morning of the discovery of the murder Gummer opened the door of Miss Wick's room with a key to which was attached a brass plate. All previous accounts of the opening of the door to the room have been to the effect that a pass key only was used in opening the door, the pass key being hooked up with another key on a safety pin. Miss Wick on the night she was given room No. 30 was given a key attached to a brass plate. She locked her door from the inside with that key. It has not since been found.

When State's Attorney Green exhibited a key attached to a brass plate such as a hotel gives to its guests, Pickering said it seemed to be the same kind of key.

In the direct examination of Sheriff Fred Kramer, State's Attorney William C. Green brought out in the evidence the careful examination which the sheriff had made of room No. 31, occupied by H. J. Hagen, of the investigation made by the authorities of that room, even to the searching of his suitcase and the inspection of the towels relative to any evidence which might lead to suspicion of him or any other guest that occupied a room adjoining the death chamber, with the crime.

Starkson Is Called.

A. A. Starkson, father of Mrs. Annie E. Lawrence, was the first witness called by the prosecution this morning. He gave his age as 77.

Starkson testified that he retired before 10 p. m. and went to sleep in half an hour. He heard no disturbance, except for someone walking about the halls, but that, he said, was a usual occurrence in the hotel.

He woke up at 5 a. m. and left his room to get a glass of water, and then returned to his bed, and did not waken until 8 a. m., when the officers had taken charge of the hotel and began questioning all the guests and inspecting the different rooms in the building.

Retired About 10 P. M.

John Werton, 66 years old, who has lived in Fargo for the last eight years, and who is employed as a shipping clerk for the Herbst department store, lived at the Prescott hotel for the last five years, according to his testimony.

He was sleeping at the hotel on the night of the murder and went to bed about 10 p. m. He occupied room No. 65 in the fourth floor of the hotel. He arose at 7:30, and when he left his room was confronted by the police.

Charles Fischer, 62, retired farmer, occupied room No. 64, located on the top floor next to John Werton's room, the two rooms adjoining. Fischer went to bed at 10 p. m. and heard no disturbance. He slept all night and was never out of his room.

George LeLonde, 30, married, one child, cook by trade, lived at Valley City prior to coming to Fargo, and was in the Prescott hotel on the night of June 6. He came to Fargo Monday morning from Brainerd, Minn., in search of work. He went to bed at 8:30 and was given room No. 49, third floor. He went to sleep almost as soon as he retired, for he had been up all the previous night traveling. He heard no disturbance.

Wounds in Girl's Head.

C. Edward Matelock, embalmer for E. F. Moore, was recalled to the witness stand by the state and cross-examined by Judge Barnett, counsel for the defendant, with reference to wounds over the slain girl's head. Matelock was the last witness on the stand when court took adjournment. The cross-examination was conducted to learn the length of the cuts, seven or eight of which were an inch or an inch and a half long, according to Matelock's testimony. He was also questioned by Judge Barnett as to the depth of cuts, and appearance of finger marks on the throat, the ones on the right side not being as distinct as those on the left, which were black and blue and showed no abrasion of the skin. Matelock testified he went into room No. 30 some time after 8 a. m. on Tuesday, June 7.

John Van Vorst, night man at the Herbst department store, was called by the state early this morning. He testified that his hours at the store are from 10 p. m. to daylight.

He told of going to the hotel about 10 p. m. on the night of June 6 and of seeing Mrs. Lawrence and the clerk behind the desk, and from a casual glance saw several persons standing in the lobby.

He returned to the store about 11 p. m. and in going through the lobby did not observe anyone in particular. He returned to the Prescott hotel about 5 a. m. Tuesday and said "good morning" to the clerk.

"The clerk looked as if he had been dozing," testified Van Vorst. He also testified to walking on the roof of the annex section of the hotel while Captain William Welch of the police force and another officer were below.

Room 30 Unlocked.

Sheriff Kraemer's testimony, in part, follows:

Q. What time did you get there?

A. A short time before 8 o'clock.

Q. Who was there when you got there?

A. Deputy South and the chief of police.

Q. Did you go to room 30?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Was it unlocked at that time?

A. Yes, sir.

Describes Room 30.

Q. Now, Mr. Kraemer, will you just describe the condition that you found in room 30 in detail as nearly as you can remember it.

A. Room 30 is in the southwestern corner of the main hotel building. It is a rather small room, about 10x12, and a door to the hall on the north side, the northeast corner, and a door on the east wall between rooms 31 and 30.

The head of the bed was against the north wall and the east side of the bed touched the door frame. The washstand was in the southwest corner of the room, with a bowl, pitcher and slop jar; a window in the south wall of the room, the dresser was against the east wall next to the window, back against the east wall. There was a space of 18 inches between the west wall and the bed.

The floor was covered with carpet. A chair stood between the dresser and the washstand; a girl lying on the bed with her arms tied over her head to each bedpost, covered with a blanket and spread; pillows beside her head with the slips off. The covers were pulled up under her arms and were neatly pulled down over the foot of the bed; her clothes were on the chair; her hat on the dresser, pocketbook on the dresser, also her comb; her stockings on the door knob on the door leading between 30 and 31, shoes beside the bed; two straw suitcases were along the east wall between the door and the dresser. These were opened by me in the presence of the state's attorney, and the contents were neatly arranged, looked as if they had never been disturbed.

Kenneth Arnold Vraa.

Kenneth Arnold Vraa of Erie, died on Friday, June 24 from menginitis from which he had suffered for a period of 10 days. Deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vraa and was 4 years and 9 months of age at the time of his death. Burial took place at the Ebenezer cemetery on June 26.

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  Boys' Bicycle Race.
  Lides' Foot Race.
  Boys' Sack Race.
  Boys' and Girls' Foot Race.
  Wheelbarrow Race.
  Ladies' Potato Race.
  Men's 100 Yard Dash.

10:00 o'clock A. M.—Gigantic Street Parade
10:45 A. M.—Downtown Races and Sporting Events. Band Concert.

EVENTS

Boys' Running Race, Start Third and Main, 1st, $2.00; 2nd, $1.00; 3rd, 50c
Girls' Running Race, Start 3rd and LaBree, 1st, $2.00; 2nd, $1.00; 3rd, 50c
Wheelbarrow Race, Start 3rd and Horace, 1st, $3.00; 2nd, $2.00; 3rd, $1
Ladies' Potato Race, Start 3rd and LaBree, 1st, $2.00; 2nd, $1.00; 3rd, 50c
Three Legged Race, Start 2nd and LaBree, 1st, $3.00; 2nd, $2.00; 3rd, $1
Boys' Sack Race, Start 1st and LaBree, 1st, $2.00; 2nd, $1.00; 3rd, 50c
Free For All 100 Yard Dash, Start 2nd and LaBree, 1st, $5.00; 2nd, $2.50; 3rd, $1.50; 4th, $1.00
Ladies' Foot Race, Free For All, Start 3rd and LaBree, 1st, $2.00; 2nd, $1.00; 3rd, 50c.

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  Baseball Game: Thief River Falls vs. Gonvick
5:00 P. M.—Downtown Carnival Attractions
6:15 P. M.—Baseball, Thief River Falls vs. Gonvick
7:30 P. M.—Downtown Carnival Attractions
9:00 P. M.—Roman Candle Parade.
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COME HERE ON THE FOURTH.

Thief River Falls asks all its neighbors to make the city their headquarters on the Fourth of July. There will be a monster celebration—the first attempted in the city for some years. The proceedings will be in charge of the American Legion and the program is one that should appeal to everyone—old and young alike.

It is decidedly a good thing that there is a live Legion post in Thief River Falls—and, we dare say, in most other towns of the state. Of late years there has been noted a tendency on the part of our people to devote such anniversaries as the Fourth and Memorial Day to purposes far other than originally intended. Unless the drift is stopped it will be but a short time until the real significance of such days shall have been lost entirely and the occasion simply valued because, for some reason, not very well defined in the minds of many, it provides a holiday. With all of the objections raised against a noisy Fourth, it must be admitted that it is better than no Fourth at all.

This year Thief River Falls is going to make up for lost time and the work of keeping things going will be left to the organization most appropriately fitted for the work. Nothing especially new is going to be tried out, but there will be plenty of things going on that will remind the visitor of old times.

Come to Thief River Falls on the Fourth. Bring the family and be prepared to stay all day. There will be something doing every minute and the Legion guarantees to send you home tired, happy and satisfied.

NO USE KICKING.

Whatever may be thought of the action of the county commissioners in turning down the request of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association for an appropriation of $2,000 per year for the next two years, the fact remains that it was turned down and that if the bureau is to survive some other means of financing it must be devised. The commissioners say they acted on the score of economy for one thing and refused the request because there did not seem to be any demand for the bureau's continuance for another.

Neither reason is particularly round or easy of proof. The farmers have given ample evidence of their willingness to stand their share of the cost of maintaining the farm bureau and it is now up to them to make good on the evidence presented. If they want the farm bureau it will be kept going in spite of the fact that no support will be forthcoming from the county. They will simply be called upon to help pay the rest by direct contribution instead of through taxes. Could the latter plan have been employed it would mean that all would share alike in the expense of keeping the office going. Now the cost will fall upon fewer shoulders while the benefits will be shared by all as before.

It was claimed by three of the commissioners that only a few farmers, and those residing in the immediate vicinity of Thief River Falls, had in any manner been benefited by the organization. This is not a fact, but at that it will be the farmers and business men in this particular section who will have to furnish the bulk of the money needed to keep the farm bureau going. Others will help liberally, it is hoped, and in this way the program can be carried on.

Should the directors decide upon attempting to go ahead with the work through this method it is to be hoped that all those who have had an opportunity of observing the excellent work done by the bureau will come to its aid. It would be little short of a calamity to allow it to go out of business now.

MIGHTY GOOD IDEA.

Unless something is started, nothing is ever accomplished. For this reason Emil E. Zeh and the other enterprising citizens who believe they see a chance of getting a public swimming pool constructed should be encouraged and supported in their efforts in spite of the fact that at the outset the success of the enterprise looks somewhat dubious. The chances are it looked just as impossible to a large part of the population of Grand Forks, but they got together and built their pool nevertheless. Crookston has just opened its fine public natatorium. Thief River Falls must be the next in line and should have taken action before this.

As a promoter of healthfulness and cleanliness there is nothing can take the place of a swimming pool. A lake or river will serve the same purpose but the danger attendant upon having youngsters use these as places for bathing is every day being brought to the people's notice. Progressive communities everywhere consider a swimming pool as a necessary part of their playground facilities.

This is how Grand Forks managed to get its pool built. The city did not have the money, or at least could not spare the sum necessary, in which respect the Dakota city is very much like Thief River Falls. The people wanted a swimming hole for the kids. It would naturally serve grownups as well, but was most particularly intended for the kids. A few enterprising business men started out one day and put a proposition before their fellow-citizens. It was this: Let's all donate a certain amount, to be paid in cash, labor or material, get to work and trust to the public spirit of the town to carry us through. The response was immediate and highly gratifying. A convenient site was secured and excavation begun. The result is a fine, large cement lined pool with all the additional equipment necessary for an ideal swimming place not far from the center of the city.

There is nothing to prevent Thief River Falls from doing likewise. The plan might be carried through with a whoop—and then again, of course, *it might not. Improvements* of this character are not meeting with as much encouragement in certain quarters as might be wished for. But the idea is a good one.

Poor old Henry Ford! His business is fast going to the dogs. Last winter it was reported that being unable to borrow ten million dollars from big banking houses in New York the premier flivver maker was about to be relieved of control of the great Ford properties. Since that time he has bought out or bluffed out practically every stockholder associated with him and his profits for May are shown to be $18,000,000, or better than $500,000 per day. He ought to be able to get along somehow until next payday.

Fundamental Economics.

(J. D. Black)

Following are a few of the first principles of economics. We can at least partly understand most of the economic problems that arise if we will correctly apply these few first principles.

1. Value and price is the central idea of all economics. Our principal object in life is to get our own services valued as highly as possible.

2. Values are only relative. Wages and prices in dollars have no absolute significance. They must be reduced to purchasing power.

3. Values are based largely on our own attitudes towards things. What we want we pay for, and this helps give them their values. Changing our economic system will not change values unless it changes our reactions towards different things. Farmers therefore themselves help determine how their services will be valued.

4. Values are also determined, in the final analysis, on how hard we will work and save for a given return.

5. Values in part depend on how much nature contributes. The richer the soil, the larger the per capita product and the higher real wages.

6. Efficiency anywhere in our economic system increases the real rewards of individuals.

7. One important form of efficiency is specialization, which permits each person to produce what he can produce easily and exchange it for something he cannot produce easily.

8. Efficiency in production increases real incomes. Likewise in consumption and marketing.

9. The benefits of efficiency, no matter where introduced, are in general distributed to all classes of society.

10. Improvements are of no benefit to anybody, however, if they simply result in an increase in population.

11. Hence it is highly important that the standard of living keep pace with improvements.

12. Populations not able to adjust their population to their resources have low standards of living and low real incomes. They work hard for a small return. Farm populations are somewhat guilty of this even in the United States.

13. Real incomes in different countries vary because of differences in resources, in the nature of things demanded by the people, in standards of living and adjustment of population to resources, in efficiency of production, marketing and consumption.

14. Free trade increases incomes because it permits more specialization.

15. Existing institutions, such as inheritance, capitalistic privileges, labor unions, etc., may make the division of the real income unequal between individuals and classes in any one country.

16. Also temporary conditions may give temporary advantage to individuals and to classes. Improvements may temporarily benefit one class more than others.

17. In modern society, with producers and consumers of goods far removed from each other, there is a chance for long continued maladjustments. We must understand better "what goes on in the dark."

18. Also possible for demand to be moulded by publicity and salesmanship to the benefit of special interests.

19. Supply and demand explain nothing in themselves, except as to temporary fluctuations in market prices.

20. Cost of production are merely sums of the value of labor, rent, interest, etc. They do not explain price.

Population does not always leave farms fast enough. Prices are simply values expressed in terms of money. And money is an uncertain commodity.

County Newspaper the Best.

(Bemidji Sentinel.)

Experts on advertising call the country newspaper the best publicity medium in the world. This is so because these papers are so very carefully read. *The people in the small towns* value their newspapers highly and are proud of them, when they are well conducted.

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Advertisements placed on pages that contain these local events and happenings are sure to get a reading. Even a small ad can't be buried out of sight of the eagle eyes that are gleaning everything the home paper may contain.

In city papers advertisers often feel that they must pay a great deal more money in order to get positions on the front pages or on pages that seem to have the most interesting news. That is not necessary in the country papers, since they are all so carefully read that it makes but little difference where the advertiser is located.

This gives the country town business men a wonderful chance to communicate with the people and get their support for enterprising movements. If they have some large lot of goods obtained at a low price, they can feel that by advertising this opportunity they can bring it to the attention of the public, and quickly work off any special bargains they may be able to offer. The merchant here who has not tried the effect of advertising special values has missed the opportunity to expand his business and develop to a larger scale.

Grain Grades.

(Grand Forks Herald.)

A delegation of northwestern wheat growers is asking congress for legislation which will result in a modification of the federal grain grading rules. It is asserted that the present grades are complicated and illiberal. To the extent that the grades are complicated and confusing they should be amended. Lack of liberality does not seem to be so material.

The purpose of grading grain is to establish a standard under which there shall be uniformity in the meaning of terms, so that the name used shall designate correctly the quality of the product. It does not matter so much what is meant by the term "No 1" as that the same thing shall be meant by that term, whether it be used at the country elevator, or at Minneapolis, Chicago or any other great terminal.

Complaint has sometimes been made that the requirements for the admission of wheat to the higher grades are so exacting that only a very small quantity of what is really very good wheat can meet them; hence a large proportion of the wheat falls into the lower grades. It is possible, of course, to fix the conditions of a grade in such a manner that they cannot be met at all. In that case the grade becomes useless.

The price of wheat is not governed by the name attached to it, but by the kind and quantity of flour which can be made from it. If there were but one grade, and that grade were called No. 1 hard, the price of wheat so graded would not be improved. Buyers would not pay a stated price for low quality wheat when they could get better wheat for the same money.

Wheat grades ought to be such that the variations permitted within them are quite narrow, so that when a buyer buys wheat of a certain grade he may have assurance of grain that he bought, and not grain worth several cents a bushel less, although officially graded the same. To make the margin of variation too wide would merely result in lowering the price for that grade, with the payment of a premium on wheat which exceeds the minimum requirements of the grade.

Weekly Market Review.

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Mpls. Minn.)

Adverse weather conditions in the northwest are becoming rather serious. Drouth continues, with no predictions of rain or cooler weather where most needed in the Dakotas and Minnesota. Naturally the markets have been buoyant under such influence. It is strictly a weather market, however, and therefore subject to quick change.

Our new crop deliveries now provide the world with the cheapest grains, but of late foreign buying has nevertheless been rather light. There has been some intimation that Russia will at least in a small way resume her foreign position of wheat exporter. India claims that she will have even less than her domestic requirements. Foreign reports are to the effect that Europe is straining her production to the utmost and it may be reasonably assumed that European imports the coming season will be less than during the past year.

It is claimed according to government statistics that the Northwestern spring wheat states since January 1st are from 2 to 5 inches deficient in normal precipitation. This condition is substantiated by the lack of vitality and early wilting of many fields particularly in South Dakota upon the advent of the present hot weather. This lack of sub-soil moisture many observers state will have a vital effect on the growing corn crop unless there be abundant rainfall in July.

Oats are looking none too well in many important areas. The coming week is a critical one for this grain. Many sections of South Dakota and Western Minnesota report fields heading short and practically beyond repair to produce a normal yield.

While the world's supply and demand position is considered not at all alarming and there is in fact a superabundance of feed grains, the immediate situation is so critical with regard to the new crop that, until there are better prospects for the new harvests in the northwest, we still feel that all grains at present prices are good property.

Forestry Officer Here.

Philip Hanson, executive assistant to State Forester Cox, was in the city Tuesday night to confer with Daniel Shaw, a member of the commission. Mr. Hanson had just finished a tour of the Roseau region and left for Bemidji on Wednesday morning.

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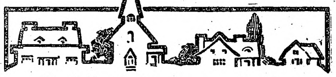

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City News

William Oaks of Roosevelt, was a business caller here on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johnson and family spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shepard and family of Ely, were visitors here on Sunday.

John Blikan of Grygla was in the city on Saturday attending to business affairs.

Mrs. P. Rierson of Holt, arrived on Saturday afternoon for a visit with relatives here.

Ed. Abbott, civil engineer, of Grygla, was a business caller here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Rounds and family spent the week-end at Union Lake with friends.

Chas. Fitterman and son, Edward, left Monday evening for Minneapolis, on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Will spent the past week at Bagley, Minn., visiting friends and relatives.

Aug. Carlson is spending the week at Fargo and the Twin Cities on matters of business.

M. C. Hallen came down from Plummer Saturday evening and spent Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown autoed to McIntosh Saturday evening to attend the base ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ruse and two children of Red Wing, were the guests of friends here over Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Yelle of Minneapolis is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Soards.

Dr. and Mrs. Penney and two sons and their guest, Miss Leesa Lakin, spent Sunday at Union Lake.

P. Farrel arrived here Monday evening from Federal Dam, to attend to business matter for a day.

Mrs. LeRoy Proctor left Saturday afternoon for Crookston where she visited over Sunday with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Ihle of Newfolden spent Thursday in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Ihle.

Miss Rose Keezar returned to her home at Middle River Saturday after a visit with friends and relatives here and at Warren.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. M. Carlson motored to Grand Forks on Tuesday to attend to business matters. They returned in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller and the latter's aunt, Mrs. H. G. Hodgson of Chicago, who is their guest, spent Sunday and Monday at Itasca State Park.

Roy Brown, Derby Anderson and Oscar Smith motored to McIntosh on Saturday to witness the ball game, later driving to Maple Lake where they spent Sunday.

Edwin Dahl returned last week from Minneapolis, where he recently underwent an operation on his nose. Mr. and Mrs. Dahl will return to their home at International Falls this week.

Kenneth Wattem, Ray Kiland, Roy Miller and Melford Sorenson were among those from here who attended the ball game at McIntosh Saturday evening, motoring over to Maple Lake to spend Sunday.

Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and Mrs. J. O. Yotter, accompanied Miss Effie Christianson, who had been the former's guest for a week, to Crookston where she took the train for her home at Fertile.

Miss Lydia Batten of Rosewood visited with friends here on Saturday.

Mrs. A. Skramstad came down from Argyle the latter part of last week and spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gabrielson and family returned Monday from a three day visit with relatives and friends at Kennedy and Humboldt. On their return they were accompanied by the former's brother, Alfred Gabrielson and family of Kennedy, who will visit for a day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Keazer of Warren, accompanied by Misses Lena Ekaust and Rose Keazer, who had been their guests, were in the city on Saturday. The latter took the train from here to her home at Middle River, where the remainder of the party motored to Miss Ekaust's home at Crookston.

Ole Legvold, superintendent of the water and light department, returned the first of the week from Duluth, where he had attended the annual convention of the North Central Electrical association, held in that city on June 21, 22 and 23. A large number of delegates were present and Mr. Legvold reports a most interesting meeting.

Kenneth Freeman and Geo. Peebles are expected to arrive here by car today from Minneapolis. Mr. Peebles and Mr. Freeman played here last week with the County Fair Jazzland orchestra which disbanded at Crookston the latter part of last week. They will reorganize an orchestra here under the same name and will include Walter Stanchfield and C. E. Andrews and contemplate playing for the various county fairs this season. They will furnish a program of music for dances held in this city and vicinity during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Math Barzen and daughter, Kathlyn, and sons Ernest, Roy and Bernard, returned Sunday from Milwaukee, where they attended the graduation of their son, Roy, from Marquette University. Bernard will complete his course in another year. The trip was made in their car and covered a period of three weeks. Enroute home they made stops at Green Bay, Wis., where they visited Mrs. Barzen's mother; Barnesville, where they were guests of Father Adolph Dingmann, and niece, Miss Sophie Webber. They also visited relatives and friends at Minneapolis for a couple of days.

Miss Nellie Sausted of Holt arrived Monday for a brief visit with friends.

Mike Winouski of Mahnomen was a business caller in this city the first of the week.

Misses Alice and Helen Hall of Middle River, were guests of relatives here on Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Boreen and children of Minneapolis, are in the city visiting with numerous friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loken, Miss Jessie Barnett and L. Fevig autoed to Maple Lake on Sunday.

Robt. Coutts of Fargo was in the city on Wednesday and Thursday attending to business matters.

Mrs. T. J. Rowan and son, Tom, are spending the week visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Moreau, at Argyle.

Miss Edna Miller left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting with her grandmother.

C. Fort of Minneapolis was an over Sunday guest of Miss Laura Stopple, returning to his home Monday morning.

Miss Edna Evenson, of the clerical force at Loken Brothers' department store, started her vacation on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Frederick and son, Billy, returned Saturday from Union Lake, where they had spent a week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Gost, Dan Robertson and Agnes Tenehodge, all of Argyle, spent Wednesday in the city visiting friends.

Misses Esther Warner, Cecelia Peterson, Edith Skoglund, Edna Evenson and Frank Erickson motored to Maple Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon motored to McIntosh to attend the ball game on Saturday, *visiting with friends at* Maple Lake over Sunday.

Leonard Stopple motored up from Bemidji Saturday evening to spend Sunday as the guest of his sisters, Onata and Laura Stopple.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite and daughters, Helen and Ruth, left Saturday morning by car for the lakes near Henning, where they will enjoy an outing.

Bernard Koke and family of Malta, Mont., were guests at the Fred Holzknecht home in the city last week. Mr. Koke and Mrs. Holzknecht are brother and sister.

Deputy Sheriff Paul Midderigh is enjoying a visit from his daughter, Helen, who arrived the first of the week from Northfield, where she has been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Silk and daughter, Dorothy, left last week by car for Glenwood, in which vicinity they will spend three weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Evenson and daughter, Elaine, left the latter part of last week for Fergus Falls, near which place they will spend a couple of weeks visiting her parents.

G. Howard Smith, past exalted ruler of Elks lodge No. 1308, will leave on Friday evening for Los Angeles, Cal., to attend the annual convention of the grand lodge of the order.

Misses Rowena and Sophy Yotter of Fort Madison, Iowa, are expected to arrive Sunday morning for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Yotter. They are sisters of Mr. Yotter.

Mrs. J. C. Farmer and three children arrived Saturday evening from their home in Milwaukee and visited with friends over Sunday, leaving Monday morning for Roseau to visit an aunt.

Edna Johnson, four-year-old daughter of Edwin Johnson of the Mud Lake district, was brought to the city and taken to the Physicians hospital for treatment for a burst appendix. She is on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Koke and family of Eugene, Ore., arrived last week to spend their summer vacation visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht, here, and the Joe Sally home at Red Lake Falls.

Miss Marie Anderson of Middle River, was brought to the Physicians hospital in this city the first of the week suffering from an attack of appendicitis. She underwent an operation at once and is recovering nicely.

Miss Avis Akre left Monday afternoon for Milaca where she will be bridesmaid at the wedding of a friend which occurred yesterday. Before returning to her home here she contemplates visiting with friends at Little Falls, where she taught last term.

Mrs. P. J. Keating and daughters, Helen and Elizabeth, left Saturday morning for Shakopee, this state, where they will visit for a couple of weeks at the home of Mr. Keating's sister, Mrs. John O'Donald. Returning they will stop off in St. Paul and Minneapolis for two or three days, getting home about the middle of July.

A. G. Gabrielson and family left Tuesday on an auto trip to Miles City, Mont., and other points. At the former place they will attend a Fourth of July celebration, a feature of which will be sham battles in commemoration of General Custer who was noted for having defeated the hostile Indians in Montana several times. They will also spend some time on their farm north of Miles city. The trip will extend over 30 days.

Geo. Merrill of Fargo was in the city the first of the week on business.

H. A. Brumund left the first of the week for Minneapolis on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and family visited with relatives at Maple Lake on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop motored to Strathcona on Thursday to attend to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Modin and family of Middle River, were in the city Thursday to attend the circus.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Andrews returned Sunday evening from Union Lake where they had spent the day.

Miss Hazel Haroldson of Crookston arrived Tuesday morning for a visit with her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin.

T. J. Rowan, Soo dispatcher, left Monday evening for points in Pennsylvania, where he will spend a week.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson and Mrs. T. Dahl went to Steiner Thursday to spend a few days picking strawberries.

Fred, Virginia and Lorraine Will left Friday morning for Alexandria, to spend a month's vacation at the lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Johnston were among those from this city who attended the ball game at McIntosh on Saturday.

Miss Julia Listog returned to her home at Roseau Tuesday morning after spending a few days in this vicinity visiting friends.

Miss Effie Frederickson returned to her home at St. Hilaire Saturday after a day's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink.

Mrs. Ingaborg Legvold returned to her home on Saturday from Fisher, where she had spent a couple of week visiting relatives.

Mrs. Andrew Mattson, who had visited with friends and relatives at Alvarado, left this city on Tuesday for her home at Baudette.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist made an auto trip to Alexandria Thursday to visit at the home of the latter's parents, returning here on Tuesday.

Lee Melgaard and Charles Nason rode their bicycles to Itasca State Park and are enjoying an outing. They are expected to return this week.

Mrs. Louis Hanson and two daughters of Minneapolis are spending a month in the city visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Brown.

Miss Cecelia Peterson, who has been employed at the Loken Brothers department store for some time, left Monday morning for her home at Roseau where she will remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Olson and little daughter, Joyce, left Saturday evening for St. Paul where they will establish their home. For the past year Mr. Olson has been employed as clerk at the Oen Mercantile company.

H. O. Loken, accompanied by Misses Blanche Hoium, Rose Severson and Kate Jonas, motored to Maple lake Saturday evening and spent Sunday at the Loken cottage. Mrs. Loken and children are spending the summer at the lake.

G. A. Alexander of Minneapolis, a restaurant man of wide experience, was in the city the first of the week looking for a location for a modern eating house. So far as known he was unable to find what he was after, there being not a single business room for rent in the city.

Roy Krohn left Friday afternoon for Moorhead, where he will spend a few days visiting his father before returning to Fort Cook, Neb., where he will be stationed. Mr. Krohn has been in the service of Uncle Sam as a soldier for nine years. While here he was the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. E. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bakke had as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hendrix and sons, Horace and Byron, and daughter, Camille, of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. John Hillestad and son, Frances, and daughter, Dora, and Mrs. R. E. Bakke of Fosston, who remained until yesterday morning. Mrs. Hendrix and Mrs. Hillestad are sisters of Mr. Bakke while the latter is his mother.

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire, shopped between trains here on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Landro of Hallock are spending a few days this week visiting with local friends.

Mrs. Alfred Rolland and son of Hibbing are in the city this week visiting at the Rolland homes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrisette and daughter came up from their home at Plummer on Thursday to attend the circus.

Dr. M. G. Milan, G. Howard Smith, Willis Akre and Roy Lambert autoed to McIntosh Saturday evening to attend the base ball game.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Ruby Bennes and Palma Langseth, returned the first of the week from Bronson, where they had appeared in concert.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm, accompanied by Mrs. Anna Dock and Miss Ruth Syverson of Oklee, who is a guest at the home of the former, autoed to Maple Lake Sunday.

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A. S. Sapero went to Winnipeg on Saturday morning to meet his wife and sister-in-law, Miss Jeanette Shafer of Minneapolis, who have spent a week visiting friends, driving back with the two latter on Sunday.

Fred Hoyez of Warroad visited with friends here over the week end.

Peter Anderson and a party of friends from Holt motored to this city Sunday to visit friends.

Misses Alice Elgsten, Esther Hanson and Mathilda Bjorness went to Holt on Saturday to visit over Sunday at the latter's home.

Miss Florence Aalberg left Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where she has accepted a position for the summer as dietician at the Northwestern hospital.

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Mr. Howard Metcalf, a U. C. C. C. student has been elected secretary of the big First Savings Bank of Grand Forks. He started as bookkeeper. Every bank in Grand Forks and East Grand Forks employ our students and scores in Minn., N. Dak. and Mont. Miss Eya Middall goes to the Farmers and Merchants of Tolna, N. Dak. If you want to secure your start in some good bank, take our banking course. Write for free catalog and find out all about it.

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Named as noxious weeds, are sow thistle, Canadian thistle, burdock, wild mustard, quack grass and many others.

Please do your part, not alone for the purpose of complying with the Law but with the desire to assist in improving the appearance of our city.

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Surprise Party.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald entertained at a surprise party in honor of her daughter, Ruth's eleventh birthday Monday afternoon. Games were played and at five o'clock lunch was served. Ruth received many nice gifts. Those who were present were: Florence Halverson, Eunice and Hazel Thorson, Edith Gunderson, Alice Stephenson, Vera Larson and Ruth McDonald.

Leslie McCraigh of Crookston visited at the A. McLeod home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bundhund and children were visitors at Bemidji last Sunday. They made the trip by auto.

Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son and sister, Miss Jennie Rustad, and Ray Jensen, were Thief River Falls visitors Thursday.

Miss Ruby Jensen arrived home on Thursday evening from a three weeks' visit in the cities and in South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Kirklie attended the St. Olaf concert at Thief River Falls Tuesday evening. Mrs. Kirklie had a niece in the choir.

Miss Vivian Thorson returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Thief River Falls. She was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Esther Bennes.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree was in town Tuesday on business.

John Maney of Grygla, was in town Tuesday visiting friends and attending to business.

A. B. Mandt and O. S. Kirklie left Thursday for Crookston to attend the Telemarken celebration held there.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Heicie of Devils Lake, N. D., are guests at the home of Mr. Heicie's uncle, Theodore Gilbertson.

Mrs. Robert KirkConnell and three children of Spooner, who have visited at the A. McLeod home the past three weeks, returned home Tuesday. They will visit friends at Badger enroute.

M. G. Thorson is again able to be out after a three weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes of Thief River Falls, visited at the M. G. Thorson home Sunday. Their daughter, Esther, returned home with them.

Ted Rustad of Erie, was in town Sunday and evening.

A large crowd from Goodridge attended the picnic at the Wm. Jones farm, north of town Sunday. The Goodridge band furnished the music and there were two ball games, besides the speeches.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Christianson arrived Tuesday from Minneapolis to visit relatives and friends.

Walter Holbrook of Warren was in town Wednesday enroute home after a visit with relatives at Grygla.

Karl Korstad and son, Bobby, of Highlanding, were passengers to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald and Harry, Ruth, Eunice and Hazel Thorson, were Thief River Falls visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sever Anderson and family were in Thief River Falls last Thursday attending the circus.

Stuart McLeod was in Thief River Falls Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Woolson of Thief River Falls were visitors Sunday at the A. McLeod home.

Wm. Gaylord was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne and children of Germantown were guests Sunday at the Jay Payne home.

The Goodridge choir made the trip to Winger Sunday to sing at a large church gathering there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Halverson and children drove to Winger Saturday to visit relatives. They returned on Sunday.

J. P. Jensen was a business visitor in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Ted Tandberg spent Sunday at his home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Carl Christianson and Miss Eunice Tvedt were in Thief River Falls shopping last Tuesday.

Lester Gessell of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday accompanied by Dr. Jewell of Mandera, Wis., who is looking for land in this vicinity.

Rev. Maelder was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday attending to business.

ST. HILAIRE

Hallstrom-Johnson.

At 3 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, June 22nd, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Naplin of Wylie, a very pretty wedding occurred when Miss Amanda Pauline Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson, became the bride of Alfred Gehard Hallstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hallstrom. Rev. A. F. Nelson performed the service in the presence of about sixty-five guests. Miss Gunhild Nelson played the wedding march. The attendants were Hjalmar Johnson and Henry Hallstrom, and the Misses Edla Hallstrom and Ethel Johnson. Little Doris Gahlon, niece of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a frock of white organdie and carried a basket of roses. Alvin Naplin, nephew of the bride acted as ring bearer and was also clad in white. The bridesmaids wore gowns fashioned alike of maize colored organdie. The bride was gowned in white georgette over crepe de chene. Her tulle veil was arranged in cap effect. Following the ceremony a sumptuous wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Hallstrom left the following day for a two weeks' trip to Bemidji and Alexandria after which they will be at home to their many friends on the Charles Johnson farm in Black River.

Mr. and Mrs. August Elmquist and daughter of Bemidji, arrived here the forepart of last week to visit relatives and attend the Hallstrom-Johnson wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lundeen and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gahlon of Alexandria, returned to their homes last Thursday after visiting with relatives in Black River for a week and attending the Hallstrom-Johnson wedding.

Mrs. Anna Martz, accompanied by her daughter, Dorothy and son, Gordon, returned Saturday, having spent two weeks with relatives at Taopi.

Mrs. Carl Mathison and Miss Anna Stokkestad shopped at Thief River Falls Wednesday, returning Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Crown and baby, accompanied by Mrs. Richard Larson, motored to Warren on Thursday, Mrs. Crown remaining to receive medical aid.

Mrs. A. Bilden was a Thief River Falls shopper Wednesday.

Miss Alida Olson, who has been employed at Crookston, returned last Saturday for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Olson of Bray township.

Fred Hanson and Miss Louise Wilson motored to Grand Forks, Sunday returning the same evening. They were accompanied by Mrs. Duncan McAllister and daughter, Muriel, who will spend a week at the Hans Wilson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson and family of Warren, motored here on Sunday and spent the day visiting relatives.

Tim Ensrude, who is employed at St. Thomas, N. D., is spending the week here with his sister, Mrs. Ben Lardy.

Mrs. Mike Highland and baby returned home the latter part of the week after a three weeks' visit at Halstad.

Mrs. Ben Lardy and baby departed Tuesday for St. Thomas, N. D., for a visit with Mr. Lardy, who is employed at the above named place. They were accompanied by Tim Ensrude, who has spent a week here visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. F. Dann arrived the first part of the week from Thief River Falls to visit at the N. E. Beebe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jackson of Crookston, motored here Sunday, and from here left for Bagley to visit at the S. L. Hauge home. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, who returned on Monday.

H. A. Olson and M. E. Bjerk went to Thief River Falls on Tuesday where they served on the grand jury.

Mrs. Peder Simonson returned yesterday from Minneapolis and Ambroy where she has spent the past three weeks visiting her daughters.

Miss Mabel Hallstrom of Polk Centre, has been visiting for the past week at Winger.

ERIE

The Eklund Ladies' Aid Society held its annual sale on Saturday at the Ole Johnsrude place. The day being ideal for such an occasion a large crowd was present and everything sold at a quick rate, especially in the ice cream and lemonade stand.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Jorde of Meckinock, N. D., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. B. Johnson.

The board of equalization of Star met at the town clerk's office on Monday.

L. B. Johnson, M. Jorde, Gust A. Iverson, Ben Rindahl and John Johnson took a trip up to Red Lake last Monday. A fine time they had but were minus the fish and also sleep. The mosquitoes had hindred them from rest.

H. A. Dahlen and daughter, Alice, recently made a trip to Kindred, N. D., where they were in attendance at the funeral of Arnold Dahlen, brother of Henry, who died in France during the war and whose body was shipped over from abroad.

P. C. Wold was a recent visitor in Southeast Star. Mr. Wold is weed inspector and was around instructing town boards to see that weeds are cut along roadsides, etc. We consider this a great improvement for the country.

H. O. Tommerdahl and family motored out from Thief River Falls on Sunday and called on old neighbors out here.

N. P. Larson and C. J. Ekwall are in Thief River Falls serving as members of the grand jury. Carl Anderson is on the petit jury.

Evelyn Tharaldson had a serious attack of tonsilitis for a few days of late but is now quite well. Thelma Hovet, too, was quite ill for some time, an ulcerated tooth being her ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dahlman of Garske, N. D., spent a few days as guests of Mrs. Dahlman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ekwall.

Mrs. L. Fevig will entertain the Eklund Ladies' Aid on Wednesday of next week.

Christian Skaaren and Ole Trontweth are both busy erecting up-to-date barns this season.

H. C. Iverson arrived from Cass Lake last week and spent a few days at his camp, leaving again for Mahnomen, where he is working.

The barn on the Ole Aasen place was destroyed by fire on Saturday. Ashes having been dumped too close to the premises was the cause.

A sister and brother-in-law of Duluth are visiting with Otto Parnow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Tommerdahl enjoyed a visit from relatives from Norman county over Sunday.

Master Carl Johnson, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Johnson, ran a sliver deep into his foot and had to be taken to a doctor to have it removed. He is now O. K.

STEINER

Carl Isaacson lost his life in Thief river last Sunday.

A number of the young people of this community spent a pleasant evening at the I. Slack home Sunday.

Mr. M. P. Saugen autoed to Newfolden Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

The town board meet at the N. E. Muzzy home Monday.

Miss Ruby Warring spent a few days of last week with Gladys Russell.

Willis Warring and niece, Pearl, went to the circus at Thief River River Falls Thursday.

Mr. Buck of Thief River Falls attended Sunday school at Steiner last Sunday.

J. Heider attended the wedding of Annie Hoffman, the latter part of last week.

Paul Koglin spent Saturday evening with the F. Slack family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Simonson and family called at the S. Warring home last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Berg called at the Slack home Sunday evening.

MAYFIELD

The Northern Ladies' aid will hold an auction sale at the Hegland home Saturday, July 2. Lunch served at noon.

The Cooper young folks called at the Omdahl home Sunday.

Mrs. V. Hedeen will entertain the Western Ladies' aid Thursday afternoon, July 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Anderson and family were dinner guests at the Stennes home Sunday.

Mr. Wedul was a business caller at Plummer and Oklee Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Solberg and children and Mr. J. P. Asp spent Sunday in Wanky.

Pastor Leirfallom and family, and Mr. Grothe were dinner guests at the A. J. Stennes home Sunday.

Arthur Omdahl called at the D. O. Roisland home Sunday.

Miss Anna Wedul and brothers, Arnt, Oscar and Melvin, visited at the Stennes home Friday evening.

Sadie, Ruth, David and Arthur Omdahl and Jacob Stennes, called at the Wedul home Wednesday evening.

Jacob Stennes visited at the Sherwood home Thursday evening.

Churches

Church Notice, O. I. Ranum, Pastor—Service in Bethlehem Sunday at 11 o'clock. Service in Thorvick at 2:30 p. m. The confirmants will meet after service.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—July 3rd will be a most interesting day in this church. The Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. and study the first lesson on Paul. At the eleven o'clock service the choir will provide special music which will be followed by the display of fifteen highly artistic charts which set forth the benevolent work of this church. At the evening service Rev. Clinton Cook will show a large list of stereoptician views illustrating his theme, "Service in the Light of the Cross." The house aught to be full to see these wonderful pictures and hear the eloquent lecture. Everyone invited. 7 p. m. consecration meeting of the C. E.

Swedish Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in Swedish next Sunday at 10:30; in English at 7:45. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swenger, Pastor—A class of 22 will be confirmed Sunday. Services begin at 10:30 and are to be held in English. Special music. An offering will be taken up for Home Missions. The quarterly business meeting of the congregation at 2 p. m. Communion services Sunday evening at 7:45. The Ladies' Aid Society meets in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, July 6, not Thursday as heretofore. Mesdames Christian Steen, Olaus Johnson, Halvor Maland and Louis Hermanson entertain. Northern Minnesota District convenes at Duluth July 6 to 12.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, July 3: "God." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room at the same location is open on Thursdays p. m. from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Rev. C. W. Olson of Warren, will preach. No service in the evening. St. Hilaire: The annual Mission meeting will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Friday at 8 p. m. Saturday at 11 a. m., 2:30 and 8 p. m. Sunday at 11 a. m., 2:30 and 8 p. m. Several pastors will take part and the choir will sing. All welcome.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, July 3: English and German services at Esplee at 10 a. m. and at Grygla at 3 p. m.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Service Sunday, July 3 at 11 a. m. Communion at 3 o'clock. In the evening at 8 o'clock Prof. L. J. Pedersen will preach the gospel. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Full announcement will be made next Sunday concerning the Fourth of July picnic.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. Parochial school picnic at Rindal church at 2 p. m. Parochial school begins Tuesday at 9 a. m. with Student Caleb Quambeck as teacher. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

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Are You Ready to Can Raspberries and Loganberries?

THERE soon will be an abundance of raspberries and loganberries on the market for canning. If you want to save one-third to one-half and have better preserves, plan to put up a plentiful supply this season. Sugar is cheap and the season short don't put off canning.

There are no berries more delicious, wholesome and economical than those Mother puts up at home. They add zest to any meal and give an opportunity for a welcome variety in the winter menu.

The berry season is short. Look up your Ball Mason Jars and Rings and get ready to can now.

[illegible] JOBBERS ASS'N

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

GIRLS BECOME BANK OFFICERS

When news was received at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., that Eleanor Rambeck was appointed asst. cashier of the Farmers State Bank, Mavie, Minn., and Hazel Burt, asst. cashier of the First State Bank, Loma, they "checked up" and found that some 40 girl graduates are now bank officers. D. B. C. training is practical, above all. Graduates enter business life armed for success.

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Talking about rolling your own cigarettes, we'll tell you right here that Prince Albert tobacco has 'em all lashed to the mast!

You've got a handful-of-happiness coming your direction when you pal it with P. A. and the makin's papers! For Prince Albert is not only delightful to your taste and pleasing in its refreshing aroma, but our exclusive patented process frees it from bite and parch!

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Prince Albert is so good that it has led four men to smoke jimmy pipes where one was smoked before! It's the greatest old buddy-smoke that ever found its way into a pipe or cigarette!

Prince Albert is sold in toppy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors and in the pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top.

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During the general resumption of building operations in this section, one thing should constantly be kept in mind—"cheap materials" do not always mean that they are lower in cost. It often only signifies that the quality is inferior. In spite of reduced prices it is just as important as ever that the man putting up a building gets the best there is to be had.

That's the Kind We Handle

LUMBER OR OTHER MATERIAL PURCHASED AT OUR YARDS MAY BE DEPENDED ON TO BE THE BEST THERE IS TO BE FOUND. FOR A QUARTER OF A CENTURY WE HAVE PREACHED QUALITY RATHER THAN PRICE AND OUR STEADILY GROWING BUSINESS AND THE INCREASED PUBLIC CONFIDENCE WITH WHICH WE ARE FAVORED PROVE THAT OUR SYSTEM IS ENDORSED.

You may be able to buy cheaper lumber some place, but you cannot buy GOOD lumber as cheap any place.

Winton-Nich[illegible]

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

School Picnic Sunday.

[illegible]memorating the closing of a [illegible]ful four weeks' term of par[illegible]al school at Rosebank, the teach[illegible] Caleb Quambeck will stage an ice [illegible] social and program at the Rindal church grounds, two miles north of town, next Sunday, July 3, at 2:00 p. m. and to which the public is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sweet arrived by car from South Dakota last Thursday and will spend their summer vacation at their farm northeast of town. The Sweets are both school teachers and spend nine month of the year at that profession in South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Rud, present owners of the old Severt Ostgaard farm, and who have spent the past years at Bemidji, where Mr. Rud has been employed in a box factory, arrived here by car last Monday and will try their luck at farming here in the future. They were accompanied by a son, an ex-soldier of the world war.

Miss Viola Axelson will leave next Thursday for Thief River Falls where she will be employed in the cooking department at the Physicians hospital, relieving a present employee [illegible] will take a needed vacation.

[illegible] Sorenson recently sold 80 acres of land lying near Holt; 40 acres one mile south of Holt to John Olson, and 40 acres four miles northeast of Holt to Dan Ness, both residents of the latter place.

A two days' series of Mission meetings were conducted at the Swedish church in town last Tuesday and Wednesday. Rev. O. J. Lundell of Thief River Falls; Rev. Fred Brodeen of Hallock; Rev. J. Nelson of Buffalo and Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking were the attending ministers. The evening services were attended by Musicians Emil Styrlund, Florence Lindell and Lilly Lindquist of Viking who furnished some appropriate songs.

Lynn Turbett of Gordonsville, arrived here this week and will assist during the public sale of Mrs. Zilda Snyder on Monday, and also escort the latter together with her boys, Lyle and Clyde, who will leave for the southern part of the state immediately after the sale.

Mesdames James Johnson of Thief River Falls and Morris Halvorson of Viking, were at the J. E. Hellquist home a few days this week assisting with the house work.

A few carloads of the younger generation attended the evening performance of the Howe circus at Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mesdames Chas. Styrlund, Johanna Styrlund, S. S. Nordgaard and Miss Hilda Hanson of Viking, visited with friends and relatives here last Wed[illegible] and attended the Mission [illegible].

Miss Laura Kron returned home last week from Bessie, N. D., where she had taught a nine months' term [illegible] school.

[illegible] Gullseth, accompanied by his [illegible]ters, Misses Inga and Gladys, [illegible]nwood, were in town last Mon[illegible] to visit with the A. M. Gullseth [illegible].

[illegible] William Sorenson, Adolph and Selmer Haugen families and P. Sorenson, motored to Angus on Sunday where they visited with a daughter of Mr. Sorenson, Mrs. Abe Stroble and family. Accompanying them home was little Inez Stroble, who will visit here for some time.

Agent M. Olson of the Manhattan company, was in town on a business mission last Thursday.

Surveyor Dissington and Commissioner A. N. Lodoen of Warren, were in town last Monday on business in connection with the state road work along the road east and west one and one-half miles north of town, which will be completed this season, and includes the complete renovation of a stretch eight miles long from shortly east of Viking and connecting with the Babcock road by Steiner.

Miss Agnes Dahle of Thief River Falls was a Monday visitor with Mrs. Anton Gullseth in town.

The Victor Mosbeck family and Miss Hanson enjoyed Sunday afternoon on a joy tour to the Thief river, east of Steiner.

The town board went west to the office of the clerk last Monday to consider the qualification of the town assessor's work which was completed on Saturday.

Mr. Melacheck from the southern part of the state, who has been here the last two months during the typhoid illness of his son, John Melacheck, returned to his home last Friday.

Miss Ethel Kron was a Wednesday shopper and visitor among friends at Thief River Falls.

Matt Rafteseth came home by car from Hibbing last Sunday where he is employed and will spend a two weeks' vacation among his folks here.

An advance truck of the National Amusement company, was in town last Saturday making arrangements for conducting a one evening entertainment here next Wednesday. The shows consist of seven truck loads of supplies and carries their own three hundred capacity tent, and will feature moving pictures, comedies, music and singing. They come from Viking and will go from here to St. Hilaire.

A few local folks motored to Viking on Sunday evening to attend the evening services at the Mission church.

Olaus Mattson and Minnie Axelson, accompanied by two friends, enjoyed a Saturday evening spin to Thief River Falls to attend the movies.

A carload of corrugated steel culverts were shipped in on Monday for the road construction work, and included many different sizes and lengths.

The Snyder sale on Monday was not overly well attended, owing no doubt to the busy season and extreme heat, but all property was disposed of and brought reasonable prices. W. J. LaBree of Thief River Falls cried the sale and the Farmers State bank of this place acted as clerk.

L. L. Furan came home on Saturday evening from near Stephen where he had been doing Nonpartisan league organization work during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jacobson, parents of Mrs. Julia Axelson of this place, were here a few days this week on their return from a visit with friends at Alexandria and Ashby, and left on Tuesday for their home near Wannaska.

The Carl Stromberg family from Dakota Junction, spent Sunday as guests with the S. Rafteseth family, in town.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson motored to Goodridge last Sunday where they spent the day visiting among friends.

Roadmaster Chas. Nelson of Thief River Falls, was here one day to look after defective railway culverts and order new ones.

Ted Thompson and Mr. Rambeck from Thief River Falls, attended the Snyder sale last Monday.

A few of the Hall young folks and some friends motored to Grand Forks last Sunday on an outing trip.

REINER

Little Kenneth Vraa, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Vraa, died Friday evening. Funeral services were held Monday. Our sympathy is with them.

Soren Hermanson is on the sick list this week.

Karie Hanson was a Goodridge caller Friday.

Gus Halverson left Friday night for Duluth, where he will be employed.

Quite a few around here attended the circus in Thief River Falls last Thursday and Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stenvick were shoppers in Thief River Falls last Wednesday.

Harry Erickson arrived home last Saturday and will attend the funeral of his nephew, Kenneth Vraa.

Gunder Tvedt, manager of the Torgerson store, has been working in Erie the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Grimley were Thief River Falls shoppers Saturday. They were accompanied home by Hans Kaushagen.

Henry Halverson and his sister, Helen, were in Thief River Falls last Friday.

Andrew Wells was a business caller at Goodridge one day last week.

Saturday afternoon the barn on the Anton Osen place burned to the ground. Mrs. Osen and the children were home.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Jonsrud and family of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turnbaugh and little George Swanson, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Olson.

Mrs. George Tannar was a Sunday visitor at the Andrew Wells place.

Misses Olga and Hattie Grimley, Edith Vraa and Julia Miller visited with Misses Cora and Lela McEnnelly, Sunday afternoon.

Anton Osen has been home the last part of the week visiting his wife and children.

Mrs. John McEnnelly and daughter, Ruby, were Sunday visitors at the Mr. and Mrs. Ellef Halverson home.

Miss Hilda Jorgenson, who was employed at the Alfred Olson home, left for home Sunday.

Misses Myrtle and Magna Erickson and Agnes Aaker arrived home Saturday evening to attend the funeral of Kenneth Vraa.

Miss Stella Stenvick left Monday for St. Hilaire, where she will help her sister with the house work. Mrs. Crown is having an operation at the Warren hospital.

Bennett Jonsrud is substitute clerk in the Torgerson store.

AUCTION SALE!

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the east half of the northeast quarter of Section 24 Town of Star, six miles east of Erie, on

Friday, July 8, '21

commencing at 11:30 a. m., the following described property:

HORSES
One black mare 1 years old, wt. 1500
One bay mare, 7 years old, wt. 1500
One bay mare, 7 years old, wt. 1400
One black gelding, 2½ years old.

CATTLE
One red cow, 3 years old
One red heifer, 2½ years old, fresh in fall.
One white heifer, 2 years old
One red heifer, 2 years old
One red heifer, 1½ years old
One red and white heifer, 1½ years old
One red heifer, 1 year old
One bull calf

FARM MACHINERY
One 14 in. John Deere sulky plow, nearly new
One 20 shoe Van Brunt drill
One disc harrow, nearly new.
One 2-section drag
One 4½ foot Deering mower
One 10 foot hay rake
One wide tire wagon with box
One narrow tire wagon
One heavy tire wagon
One heavy bob sleigh
One light sled
One double buggy
One hay rack

OTHER ARTICLES
One grind stone
Three harnesses
About 50 bushels oats
Five tons of hay
Six chickens
Farm tools, household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOT LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS—$10.00 or under, cash; over that amount bankable paper, due November 1st, 1921.

EVEN O. WATNE
OWNER
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer. CITIZENS STATE BANK, Clerk

Legal Notices

In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States, For the Sixth Division of the District of Minnesota.

In the matter of Murray A. Gotham, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. No. 1768.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota:

Murray A. Gotham of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents:

That on the 3rd day of March, 1920, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and right of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 15th day of March A. D. 1921.

MURRAY A. GOTHAM, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On this 5th day of May, A. D. 1921, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

ORDERED BY THE COURT, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 8th day of August, A. D., 1921, before said court, at St. Paul in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in The Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls in said District, on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1921.

CHARLES L. SPENCER, Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSEN, Deputy Clerk.
J30

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Michael Lehtimaki.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Michael Lehtimaki, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Sofia Lehtimaki, Salma Lehtimaki, Eleanor Lehtimaki and to all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Sofia Lehtimaki having been filed in this Court representing that Michael Lehtimaki, then a resident of the County of Gogebic, State of Michigan, died intestate on the 15th day of March, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Sofia Lehtimaki and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of July, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 20th day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE.
THEO. QUALE, Attorney for Petitioner.
J23-30-Jl-7

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Augustin Smith and Frank H. Smith, wife and husband, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 18th day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 473;

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 15th day of June, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Book 63 of Mortgages on page 237, and

Whereas, the said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Seventeen and 20-100 Dollars ($217.20) as follows: The sum of One Hundred Sixty-three Dollars ($163.00) thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and the sum of Fifty-four and 20-100 Dollars ($54.20) thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas, the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty (40) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 6th day of August, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Seventeen and 20-100 Dollars ($217.20), and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's Fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 20th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK, Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Martin Hyland and Carrie Hyland, his wife, as mortgagors to The Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, dated December 21st, 1915, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages, page 617, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1915, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) and authorized to do and doing business in the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated on said 29th day of December, A. D., 1915, and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915 at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 42, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1921 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "63" of Mortgages on page 334; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty and 71-100 ($1960.71) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Northeast (NE¼) quarter of section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred and Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred and sixty acres according to the United States survey thereof,

will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday the 8th day of August, A. D. 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars Attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, June 6th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY, Assignee of Mortgagee.
CHRISTOFFERSON, WALSH, CHRISTOFFERSON and JACKSON, Attorneys for assignee of Mortgagee, 621 Endicott Building, St. Paul, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Seven and 75-100ths ($507.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by F. D. Beard, an unmarried man, Mortgagor, to Sam Nauman and N. E. Gaass Mortgagees, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April 1920, at eight o'clock A. M. in Book 62 of Mortgages, on page 146, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The east half of the southwest quarter (E½SW¼) and lots three (3) and four (4), of section nineteen (19), in township one-hundred-fifty-three (153) north, of range forty-five (45), west of the fifth principal meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 27th day of July, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $507.75 and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 2nd, A. D. 1921.

SAM NAUMAN,
N. E. GAASS,
Mortgagees.
F. A. GRADY, Mortgagees' Attorney, Crookston, Minnesota.
J9-16-23-30-Jl7-14

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Annie K. Thoreson and Peder H. Thoreson, her husband, as mortgagors to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated December 22nd, 1915 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1915 at 4:00 o'clock P. M., and recorded in Book "42" of Mortgages on page 202, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 12th day of May, A. D., 1921, assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 12th day of May, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1921 at 1:00 o'clock P. M. and duly recorded in Book "H" of Mortgages on page 596; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-six and 67-100 ($2,556.67) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921 at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash, and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five (75) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, May 18th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY, Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH, Attorney for assignee of mortgagee, 302-4 Central Bank Building, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Anders L. Svendsile.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anders L. Svendsile, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Minnie Strandwold, Inga Strandwold, Ida Feragen, Arthur Feragen, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Minnie Strandwold having been filed in this Court, representing that Anders L. Svendsile, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 23rd day of May, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Emil Ness and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of July, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 13th day of June, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.
H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Petitioner.
J16-23-30

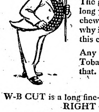

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Such service is possible only because the Board of Directors of the Standard Oil Company appreciate their responsibility to the public, and because 25,000 men and women who make up this organization realize the weight of this responsibility and the importance of their individual tasks.

While the equipment of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is vast and complete, it is the spirit of the personnel which makes for efficiency. The mere physical equipment would be impotent in the hands of the passive or inexperienced.

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2505

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

For Sale

Owing to my wife's illness I am compelled to sell my business consisting of Confectionery and Lunch Room, one of the best stands in the Northwest. Will give terms.

Albert Bennes,
Holt, Minn.

FOR SALE—FORD Touring car in A-1 mechanical condition. 1918 Model. Body, tires and upholstering in good shape. A bargain if taken soon. Will demonstrate. Has 1921 license. Call at 320 Riverside Ave., Thief River Falls, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE—7-room, strictly modern house, 87 foot frontage, located at very good residence district. 612 LaBree Ave. North. 1tf

FOR SALE—Cheap and on easy terms, 6 room house and 3 lots. 220 Markley Ave. S. 23p

FOR SALE—80 acre farm. All high land, 20 acres under cultivation, good fence all around farm, good buildings and water, ½ mile from school, highway and mail. Price $2500.00. Mrs. Caroline Dahlen, owner, Erie, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE—Electric washer and wringer. Used only twice but have no further use for it. Cost $120, will sell for $80. F. J. Dudley. 22

FOR SALE—240 acre farm in Section 17 and 18, Twp. 158, R. 41. 110 acres cultivated. Price $15.00 per acre. Write to Enok Skranstad, Middle River, Minn. 21p

FOR SALE—My farm containing 160 acres, 3 miles northeast of this city, highly improved, including the crop, horses, cattle, machinery and everything on the place. Also 2-3 of the crop on C. E. Reed farm. Easy terms, no ready cash needed if you can give security, or I will just sell the land. L. I. Hermanson, Thief River Falls, Minn. 22p

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FOR SALE—160 acres of hay land in township of Highlanding. Nels Ostvolden. Phone 1574, City. 21p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19tf

FOR SALE—Or will trade for property in Thief River Falls a good piece of land in Township of Moylan, 9 miles from Goodridge. A. O. Sandland, Grygla, Minn. 21p

FOR SALE—7-room house 75 feet frontage, shade trees on three sides, some apple trees, wood and coal shed, barn and auto shed, good pump and well. Beautiful corner location. Part cash, balance on easy terms. Priced to sell. Call at 322 Knight Ave. N., or address Post Office box 1194. 21

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 555. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Team of 8 and 10 year old horses, weight about 1300 each. George Kasen, Thief River Falls, Minn. R. No. 2. 22p

FOR SALE—Restaurant, confectionery, several small tracts of land, also large ones. Three fine horses and some machinery and harness. W. A. Bishop. 21f

WARDROBE FOR SALE—Highest grade quarter sawed oak, 2x8? feet. Enquire [illegible] Studio. 21

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103. Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc, to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I will sell or trade for land in Minnesota or Wisconsin my well improved farm of 180 acres in Douglas county, Wis. 150 acres cultivated, the balance in pasture. H. E. Hunt, Leahy, Wash. 22p

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE For automobile, or live stock, my equity in 189 acres near Grygla, Beltrami county, section 2, township 156, Range 36. What is your offer? Best offer accepted. H. Riegel, White Bear, Minn. 21

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms with board if desired. 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 307. 22p

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterne. 13tf

FOR RENT—1000 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

FOR RENT—Six room house. Andrew Ness. 21

Help Wanted—Male

SALESMEN WANTED—To solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address Lincoln Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 21p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—A girl at the Northern Baking Co. 19tf

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—High school girl graduate desires stenographic position. Willing worker. Write S. A. c/o Times. 21p

LOST

LOST—Black leather traveling bag containing a new grey coat, silk lined, 1½ yards of black tricotine silk, 5 yards lavender dress goods, check book of the Farmers State Bank of Gatzke belonging to Mrs. Nellie Doane, pocket book with money, pair of glasses and various other articles. Thought to have been lost near the Steiner store. Reward offered for the return to The Times office. 21

LOST—Twenty-five dollars in currency on Market Day. Finder please return to Rev. George Larson. 21p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Plowing and breaking. Gaylord Aarnes, Kratka, Minn. 22p

ESTRAYED—From my farm in town of Excel, 12 head young cattle, six steers and six heifers. If taken up phone 11, Fuller or S. P. Gordon. 21

WANTED—Will do sewing, crocheting and altering at a reasonable price. 306 Horace Ave. N. 21p

LET US DO your Vulcanizing the right way at the right price. Thief River Falls Vulcanizing Co., 221 1st St. E. J23-Jl-21p

WANTED TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car, as part payment. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 19tf

WANTED—To rent quarter or more of land to summer fallow for winter rye. Breznay Bros. City. 21p

TYPEWRITERS — Guaranteed rebuilt typewriters. All makes repaired. Exclusive dealer for L. C. Smith. Russel E. Spear, Box 266, Grand Forks, N. D. 10tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars, D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 21p

Famous Luther College Band Comes Here July 7

One of the most famous concert bands in the United States will be heard at the auditorium in this city on the evening of Friday, July 7. It is the Luther College band, which is now making its sixteenth annual tour. This band has appeared in at least six different capitals in Europe besides every city of any size in the United States. It is under the leadership of Prof. Carlo A. Sperati, who has built the organization into one of almost world-wide renown.

No band at present on tour has received so many flattering tributes from press and public. Its work is so far above the ordinary that critics everywhere place it in a class by itself. The statement is often made that no concert band in the United States at the present time is its equal.

This will in all probability be the only opportunity afforded the people of this vicinity to hear a really high-class band this year.

Board of Equalization Meets.

The city council met as a board of equalization on Monday and Tuesday of this week, going over the books of Assessor Lars Backe. No objectors to the levies appeared and the assessments were approved as submitted. Only the personal property is assessed this year.

The Stork Busy.

The birth record in this neighborhood during the past ten days is one that any community might well be proud of. Last Wednesday a boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Smith at Mavie; on Sunday a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zavoral, city; on Sunday a girl to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Saltau, city, and a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ptacek, Mavie; on Monday a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ganderson, city. A baby girl is also reported at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Staggeberg.

First Victim of Heat.

John Palmquist, a farmer residing near Hazel, was brought to this city for medical attention on Monday, having been prostrated by the heat while at work in the fields. His is the first case of the kind brought to the attention of local doctors this summer. A complication of internal disorders serve to make his condition rather grave.

On Photographing Tour.

Horace C. Kline, C. M. Freeman, Edward Barr and M. L. Seder, all occupying positions on the staff of The Farmer, St. Paul, were in the city yesterday, accompanied by John Kabel of Dayton, Ohio, an expert commercial photographer. These gentlemen are making a week's tour of the northern half of the state for the purpose of getting pictures to be used next year in The Farmer. Mr. Kline is one of the publishers of the paper.

Visiting Day at N. W. Aggie.

The annual visiting day at the Northwest Experiment station will be held on Wednesday, July 13, this year. The crops will then be in the proper stage of growth to see results. A program is being arranged for the day which will be both instructive and entertaining. Everyone is invited to bring their picnic dinners and partake in the big campus picnic during the noon hour. The crops grown at the station will tell their own story on July 13. Plan to go and see them. The day will be one of real profit as well as of pleasure to you and your family.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.42
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.02
Oats	[illegible]
Flax	1.50
Barley	[illegible]
Rye	.90
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bag	[illegible]
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bag	1.55
Oil Meal	[illegible]
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.11
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per dozen	.23
Dairy butter	[illegible]
Creamery butter	[illegible]
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb	.04

AMUSEMENTS

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY

"A Scream in the Night"

And

Joe Ryan

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William S. Hart

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"The Cradle of Courage"

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Extractions 50c

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NEW ACTION IN STREET PAVING MATTER MAKES POSSIBLE EARLY DECISION IN INJUNCTION SUIT

George C. Streeter Files Complaint in Intervention, Alleging Best Interests of City and Taxpayers Will Be Served By Immediate Decision—Case to Be Heard Friday.

A new element was injected into the paving controversy on Tuesday when George C. Streeter filed a complaint in intervention with Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund. The allegation is made that T. P. Hamre, plaintiff in the new injunction action filed against the City of Thief River Falls and the paving contractors, does not intend to apply for a temporary injunction as prayed for in his complaint, and asks that this suit in intervention be recognized in order that it may be at once presented and argued and the matter be thus brought to a speedy close one way or another. E. M. Stanton is attorney for Mr. Streeter in this application, which will be heard by Judge Andrew Grindeland on Friday, upon an order to show cause why said injunction should not be granted.

The new complaint sets forth all the reasons given in the complaint filed by Mr. Hamre upon the withdrawal of the action originally brought by the Oen Mercantile company and which asked that an injunction be granted preventing the city council from carrying out the contract entered into with Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited, of Winnipeg, but alleges that the public interests demand that the matter of paving be decided one way or the other without delay. The plaintiff in the new suit further states that the pendency of the previous action will have the effect of making the paving certificates of the city unsalable, making it impossible to carry out the contract entered into with Bithulithic Contracting, Limited, and that this will mean a vastly increased expense for the city and taxpayers. It is further alleged that the leaving of the streets of the city in their present unfinished condition will cause irreparable injury.

That part of the complaint setting forth the reasons for asking that this complaint in intervention be granted, reads as follows:

"That plaintiff is informed and believes that the pendency of the above entitled action may, and in all probability will, prevent the sale of paving certificates above referred to altogether and in such case the city would have its streets torn up and paving work partially under way, for which it would have no funds except through general taxation; that the city has no such general funds and would be forced to default in paying for said pavement, thereby incurring penalties and very grave liabilities for damages for breach of contract; that such a situation would result in serious financial loss to the city and to this plaintiff and cause irreparable injury to said city by continuing the impassible condition of its streets at certain seasons of the year.

"That the public interests of said city and the interests of this plaintiff and all others similarly situated require that the streets of said city be paved at the earliest possible moment; that the pendency of the action in which this complaint in intervention is filed, without a temporary injunction therein, delays the securing of the above decribed needed public improvement, aggravates the damages for which the city is daily becoming liable to the defendant Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited, and causes irreparable injury to this plaintiff and all others similarly situated, by creating liabilities and tax burdens unnecessary and out of all proportion to the benefit to be derived from partial performance of the said paving contract; that this plaintiff and all others similarly situated are suffering and will continue to suffer irreparable loss and injury unless said action be determined one way or the other.

"That the petitioner is informed and verily believes that the plaintiff herein does not intend to and will not make application to the court herein for a temporary injunction as prayed for in this action, and brings this complaint in intervention for the purpose of moving the court for a temporary injunction as prayed for herein, and to restrain the defendants and each of them from doing the things herein mentioned and from incurring any further liability and expending any of the moneys of the city, until the rights of the parties herein have been adjudicated and determined.

"Wherefore, plaintiff asks judgment that the defendants and each of them, be in all things forever restrained and enjoined from making or attempting to make the paving improvement hereinbefore alleged, and from paying or attempting to pay any moneys on contract price herein complained of or receiving the same and from selling or attempting to sell or negotiating the certificates of indebtedness of said city in any amount whatsoever for the purpose of said improvements, and from bidding or paying therefore or receiving the money therefor, and from in any manner directly or indirectly doing or causing to be done any of the intended acts hereinbefore complained of; that to conserve the interests of plaintiff and said city a temporary injunction pending the outcome of this action be forthwith granted by the court to the same effect; and for intervenor's costs and disbursements herein, and such other and further relief as to the court may seem just."

TIMELY DOWNPOUR ASSURES SECTION OF HEAVY YIELDS

Unusual Hot Spell Broken By Generous Rains, Followed By Cooler Weather.

Just as it began to look as if the protracted dry and hot weather was going to be responsible for a heavy loss among the farmers of this section, a timely rainstorm arrived to change the outlook into one of the most favorable for many years. The storm broke about midnight on Saturday and there was a regular downpour lasting several hours. The precipitation was general, extending all over northwestern Minnesota and eastern North Dakota. Sunday it rained intermittently while Monday started out clear but cool. It was an ideal condition for small grains and also helped corn and potatoes along amazingly. Indications are now for a bumper crop of these last two staples.

While it was admitted generally that rain would be welcome, no damage from drouth had been reported in Pennington county. Wheat was being forced into heading out a little too soon, but this was not regarded with any great amount of apprehension. Stem rust is practically not to be found in the county and there is only a slight indication of leaf rust in some spots.

This timely rain means more to the potato crop than to small grains, although welcome to the latter. That the yield of potatoes would have been much reduced had the hot spell not been broken is everywhere admitted.

County Agent J. J. McCann says that conditions are very much better than a year ago as a general thing. On the first of July last year rust had already invaded a number of fields and the outlook was nowhere near as good as at present. Those in a position to know are of the opinion that the section is now guaranteed better than an average crop in practically all grains while for some the year may prove a record breaker.

AUTOS WILL TOUR NORTH SECTION OF RED RIVER VALLEY

Three Day Trip Planned by Development Association For Latter Part of Month.

July 27, 28 and 29 have been set by President R. C. Mathwig of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association as the dates for a three days' auto tour of the northern part of the Minnesota side of the Red River valley. A tour embracing the entire territory of the association, which extends from Clay and Becker counties to the Canadian line, had been proposed, but instead the northern section will be toured this year and the southern section in 1922.

The tour will start from Red Lake Falls at 10 a. m. the morning of the 27th and will take in St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls, Holt, Middle River, Strathcona, Greenbush, Badger, Roseau, Pelan, Karlstad, Halma, Hallock, Kennedy, Donaldson, Stephen, Argyle, Warren, Alvarado, Oslo, East Grand Forks, terminating with a meeting at Crookston the evening of the 29th.

Prominent speakers will accompany the tour, including President R. C. Mathwig, Superintendent C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Commissioner Holmberg or Assistant Commissioner Hay of the state department of agriculture, Commissioner Smith or Assistant Rutledge of the state immigration department, a representative of the state highway department, and several others.

Stops will be made at numerous points enroute, with night stops at Roseau and Warren. State legislators from all of the counties traversed have been invited to accompany the tour. All towns of the valley are expected to add their quotas to the tour, which is being arranged for the purpose of extending acquaintanceship and co-operation between all parts of the valley and making better resources of the northwestern section of the state.

NOONAN HAS HARD TIME BUILDING THAT RAILROAD

The Baudette Region a short time ago contained an article to the effect that the Soo line officials had decided to bring suit against Ed. Backus for the purpose of forcing him to build a railroad from Loman to Thief River Falls. Last week Mr. Noonan received a letter from B. G. Dahlky, private secretary to Mr. Backus, couched in the following terms:

"Our attention has been called to an article credited to you about the Soo line compelling us to complete a railroad from Loman to Thief River Falls. Upon showing this to Mr. Backus last evening he conveyed the following message to you:

"'Have another drink—it will do your imagination good.'"

TWO CONVICTIONS ON LIQUOR CHARGE IN DISTRICT COURT

Fred Brendecke Pays Fine of $500 and Godfrey Carlson Goes to Jail for 30 Days.

Two convictions involving the illegal handling of liquor were returned by juries in the district court here this week. Fred Brendecke was found guilty of having contraband stuff in his possession and was fined $500, with an alternative of five months in jail at Warren. The fine was paid.

This morning Godfrey Carlson was sentenced to serve twelve months at Warren for selling liquor to an Indian. Members of the American Legion interceded in his behalf and Judge Andrew Grindeland decided to give the young fellow a chance. In a brief lecture before pronouncing sentence Judge Grindeland told the accused that he would have to change his ways and the nature of his companionship, asking at the same time if he would make an effort to do this. Carlson promised and the court modified the sentence to the serving of 30 days in the jail at Warren, after which time the prisoner will be released on parole if it is shown that a proper attempt at reformation has been made. Oscar R. Smith was named probation officer and it will be necessary for Godfrey to make frequent reports during the pendency of the sentence. Any infraction of the law will mean his return to Warren to serve out the remainder of the year, said Judge Grindeland.

The week's civil calendar was very short. In the case of the Healy Land company against J. S. Roy, involving commissions in the sale of a farm, a verdict for the plaintiff was reported. In a suit involving the ownership of an automobile figuring in a land deal between E. S. Johnson and C. L. Peterson, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff.

This cleared the calendar of jury cases and the talismen were discharged last evening. The hearing of court cases was taken up this forenoon.

Takes Position as Cashier of State Bank at Plummer

Harry F. Booren, assistant cashier of the First National bank of this city, leaves with his family on Saturday for Plummer, where he has been tendered the cashiership of the Farmers State bank.

This promotion of Mr. Booren marks another advance for young men who received a large part of their banking training in this city and his promotion is highly pleasing to his numerous friends. During his residence in this city Mr. Booren has steadily advanced in the estimation of the bank's patrons and business men generally, being genial, accommodating and absolutely trustworthy.

President C. L. Hansen of the First National says that while he regards Mr. Booren as a highly valuable man, he is glad to see him go to a more important position than is open to him here at this time. His services here have always given satisfaction to bank officials and customers alike and these will join in heartily recommending him to the people of Plummer and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Booren have been prominent in the social activities of the younger set in this city and their departure will be regretted.

One Dead, Three Injured When Train Strikes Auto

A car driven by Ole Olson, 66, and carrying Mrs. Henry Olson, 52, Miss Anna Olson, 17, and Albert Strand, 18, was struck by a Soo freight train near Alvarado last Friday, after the car is said to have stalled on the crossing. Mrs. Henry Olson was seriously injured and died a few hours later without regaining consciousness. Miss Anna Olson, who is a niece of the dead woman, was badly injured, though hopes are entertained for her recovery. Strand, though badly shaken up, was otherwise unhurt, as was also Ole Olson, who is the father of Miss Anna Olson.

The Birth Record.

The following births have been reported to The Times since the last issue: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross, Friday, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Adolphs, Friday, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Holte, Monday, boy; Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, Middle River, Saturday, boy.

GREAT TURNOUT AT CELEBRATION OF FOURTH HERE

One of Largest Crowds Ever Seen in City Helps Legion Make Eagle Scream.

Ideal Weather and Interesting Program Keep Throngs in Good Humor All Day.

Fireworks Display and Dance Appropriately Wind Up Day of General Festivity.

It was without question the greatest Fourth of July celebration in the history of Thief River Falls. Not that the entertainment offered was so far different from any heretofore produced, but that in point of variety and interest the occasion was one that will long stand out as a leader. The crowd was so large that it was almost impossible to do anything but drift with the stream. Everyone was good natured and happy, however, and a little jostling only seemed to add to the gayety of the throng.

People began arriving from the outside early in the morning. The heavy rainstorm of Saturday night had continued in a modified degree all through Sunday, but by Monday morning the sky was bright and clear. It was an ideal day for a celebration, the heat of the past ten days having given way to cool, bracing weather.

Best Parade Ever.

Nearly every event announced for the day was started on schedule time. The parade was formed at the auditorium and under way before 11 o'clock. It was without doubt the finest thing of its kind ever seen in the city. Headed by the band, the principal streets were traversed, and if at times it was somewhat disagreeable going because of the rain and the torn up condition of the streets, no complaint was heard and this part of the program was carried out in a manner that speaks very highly of the excellent management of those in charge.

Practically every business house in the city was represented by a float, many of these being both novel and beautiful. Every automobile truck in town had been pressed into service and in many instances horses were used. The decorations were varied but always appropriate, the whole affair being the subject of a great deal of favorable comment on the part of citizens and visitors alike.

Throng at Fair Grounds.

The racing program on the downtown streets was out of the way by noon and a large number of youngsters made happy by receiving checks varying in amount from 50 cents to $2.00. These events caused the onlookers much amusement, many being of an unusual character and hotly contested.

The afternoon program at the fair grounds brought out a record crowd. The grandstand was crowded to the rafters while automobiles filled the space inside the race track. The band was on duty all the time and helped greatly in keeping the feeling at a proper celebration pitch. A fine, patriotic address was delivered by City Attorney H. O. Chommie. The crowd listened respectfully but it was easy to be seen that they did not consider attending speeches as the principal part of the day's proceedings. The afternoon races were all good and the other sports up to expectations.

There was a double header base ball game between Genvick and Thief River Falls, the latter team winning both contests.

Big Dance at Night.

As soon as darkness set in there was a grand display of fireworks set off from the roof of the auditorium, after which a large part of the crowd attended the dance given in the building.

The American Legion, which was in charge of the celebration, handled things in fine shape as a general thing and the post finds itself considerably better off financially as a result. If there is a tendency to criticize certain details connected with the event the objections are lost sight of in the general admission that it was a mighty good celebration, taking it as a whole, and that the post is entitled to whatever of profit may be left when all expenses are paid.

The boys wish to express their sincere appreciation for the excellent patronage they received and to thank all those who helped make the day a success.

Pays Unusual Price For Holstein Heifer Calves

M. T. McFarland this week received an express shipment of two Holstein heifer calves, the animals arriving from New York state in good order. They have been added to the fine herd already on the McFarland farm. These heifers were sired by a son of the famous King Segis and are out of a cow having a butterfat record of 34 pounds. The price paid by Mr. McFarland for these two animals was $350 each, but this is not an unusual figure for stock of this kind, the original King Segis having been valued at $150,000.

GUMMER HELD FOR TRIAL ON MURDER CHARGE

Coroner's Jury Finds That Miss Marie Wick Was Killed By Him at Fargo June 7.

May Be Brought to Trial at Special Session of District Court on July 19.

Rape, Preceding Murder, is Charge in Verdict Returned After Long Hearing.

William Gummer is now a prisoner without bail in the Cass county jail at Fargo, committed to trial before a jury on the charge of murdering Miss Marie Wick.

Court officials said that a jury term of district court for the trial only of criminal cases will open in Fargo on July 19. In the meantime Gummer stands committed to the Cass county jail, without bond as ordered by Justice J. K. Bingham.

The coroner's jury expressed its findings in the following verdict:

Text of Verdict.

The verdict reads that: "Marie Wick came to her death on the 7th day of June, 1921, in room No. 30 in the Prescott hotel, in Fargo, N. D., by reason of having been choked, strangled and struck upon the head with a fire hose nozzle; that her killing was felonious, following rape, and said rape and murder were committed by William Gummer, according to the evidence presented, and to the best of our knowledge."

Coroner E. F. Moore signed the verdict following the preliminary examination which was concluded Friday afternoon. Friday night A. H. Leimbacher, chairman, and J. F. Holmes of the coroner's jury met and drafted a tentative verdict. This was slightly changed on Saturday morning. The third member of the jury, Fern Monson, did not sign the verdict as given out by Coroner E. F. Moore. It was explained by both Leimbacher and Mr. Moore that Mr. Monson is confined to his home with illness and had not been able to sit throughout the entire preliminary examination as had the other two members.

William Green, county attorney, of Cass county, North Dakota, on Friday gave the version of the prosecution as to how Marie Wick was assaulted and beaten to death. He summed up the evidence presented against William Gummer in the latter's preliminary hearing and asked that he be held to trial. The court room was filled to capacity. The attorney took the brass fire hose nozzle with which Marie Wick was killed and showed how he believed the murderer must have stood over the girl he had gagged, tied and attacked, raining down blows on her as she tried to dodge; how he missed, battering in the bed frame and wall; how the girl tore one hand free and died with her head hanging over one side of the bed and with her free hand on the wall.

The crime was committed by some one inside the hotel, the attorney declared, and not by a hotel prowler bent on theft. The primary motive was rape, he said.

State Rests.

The state rested Friday afternoon. William C. Green, state's attorney, began his plea that the prisoner be held to the grand jury.

Clair Brittner of defense counsel, declared no evidence had been introduced to incriminate the young night clerk, who was not shown to be implicated in any greater degree than any of the guests of the hotel the night the murder was committed and asked why H. J. Hagen, former president of the Scandinavian-American bank of Fargo, who occupied the room next that where Miss Wick was killed, was not brought into the hearing for questioning.

Mr. Green replied there had been absolutely no evidence to implicate Mr. Hagen, who, he said, was called to Seattle by sickness. Mr. Brittner did not insist that Hagen be called.

Mirton Sidness, finger print expert, Miss May Melans, chambermaid, and Fred Lawrence, son of the proprietor of the hotel, were recalled to the stand Friday morning to give more general testimony regarding circumstances to the murder.

It was a solemn faced handful of people that left the court room Friday afternoon when the case had been continued until 9 a. m. Saturday. The atmosphere was more strained than at any time before and there was little laughing as they filed out. Except for two or three periods, when his face flushed a dark hue when listening to testimony relative to his past conduct with women, Gummer's attitude was unchanged during the hearing.

For hours during the afternoon session State's Attorney Green was on the stand, reading a transcript of the statements made by Gummer during the examination, in which the prisoner told of his experience with women. Page after page of testimony intended to place the brand of moral pervert upon the accused man were introduced.

Gummer told the sheriff on June 14 that he knew Marie Wick was dead when he told young Lawrence to go and call her and said he was afraid to be known as the one who found her first, because "a fellow up home was murdered once and the fellow who found him was held."

Most of Testimony Unprintable.

The awaited sensational element was introduced into the preliminary hearing early Friday, when the state's attorney completed taking testimony relating to the actions of other occupants of the hotel, and began on the testimony to connect the prisoner directly with the crime. All spectators were ordered out of the court room when Mr. Green took the stand and were kept out during the remainder of the day. Practically all of the testimony given by the state's attorney and the sheriff, who was called in the morning, which related to Gummer's actions prior to the murder, is unprintable.

A Fool With the Girls.

Sheriff Kraemer testified to Gummer's admission that he had been a "damn fool with girls," but that he never had to fight with them in his conquests. The sheriff's testimony also was in reference to Gummer's associations with his "jazz babies," and how he took Miss Wick for a "good green country girl" but "swell looking." The state introduced testimony from Gummer's admissions to the authorities investigating the murder how he tried to make more of an acquaintance with Miss Wick and how she abruptly shut off the telephone connection when he called her up and began "kidding her."

Sheriff Kramer testified that Gummer had said to his room mate, Brown: "Gee, there is a peach of a Jane in room No. 30—a good looking dark with a good shape—a swell girl," and that in Gummer's admissions he had told the authorities that the girl in room No. 30 had told him she was going to bed early.

SCHOOL ELECTION SATURDAY, JULY 16; FILINGS ARE LATE

Terms of Dr. H. W. Froehlich and L. M. Rayson Expire With This Fiscal Year.

The annual school meeting and election of trustees will take place on Saturday, July 16. The terms of two members of the present school board, Dr. H. W. Froehlich and Louis M. Rayson, in district No. 18 expire at that time and their successors will have to be chosen.

The time for filing closed last Tuesday, the law requiring that all filings must be in the hands of the clerk 12 days prior to election. It is understood that one or two petitions were out for signatures but that these were not presented until Wednesday, which fact will prevent the names from going onto any regularly printed ballot and will require their being written in or attached by stickers.

Neither Dr. Froehlich nor Mr. Rayson have announced themselves as being candidates for re-election, but on the other hand neither has positively declined to serve if elected. It is likely that if the voters of the district indicate that it is the desire of the majority that they continue in their present posts they will feel it their duty to do so. Both have made excellent records as officials.

Inspect Plots on Which Phosphate is Employed

A visiting day has been arranged for Tuesday, July 12, for inspecting one of the demonstration plots on which phosphate was applied last spring as an aid to the fertility of mineral soils. The first visit will be made to the plot on which the phosphate was applied by F. F. Haynes. All who are interested in this work and in the results obtained by phosphate application, whether business men or farmers, should make it a point to visit the Haynes field on the date set. The advantages of employing this class of fertilizer are so marked that any farmer who has not given the subject the proper amount of attention should make it a point to be present. Visits to other plots similarly treated will be announced later.

Remove Tonsils of Seven Children in One Forenoon

There were seven tonsilotomy operations performed at the Physicians hospital Tuesday—the largest number of such operations for any one day in the history of the institution. The patients were all sent in for treatment by Miss Marie Knudsen, acting under instructions from the Pennington County Chapter of the American Red Cross. The operations were a part of the program being carried on by Miss Knudsen to improve the general health of children throughout the county.

Made Trip Through Yellowstone.

C. W. Vorachek returned Monday from attendance at the meeting of the Minnesota Bankers' association at Minneapolis. At the close of the session Mr. Vorachek joined other members of the association in a journey through Yellowstone Park. Two cars, arranged especially for the accommodation of the tourists, were attached to a Northern Pacific train. Five entire days were spent at the park and many of the most famous points of interest were visited. About 60 members of the association made the trip, which proved most interesting and enjoyable throughout.

ARRANGING FOR AUTO RACES ON LAST FAIR DAY

Some of the Foremost Speed Artists in the Country Will Enter in Competition.

Purses in These Events Will Total $3,000, Record Sum For Northwest Fairs.

Track to Be Made Safe For High Speed Driving By Banking and Surfacing.

Adding flavor to the program prepared for the Penning county fair this year, auto races will be held on Aug. 6, when thousands of speed enthusiasts are expected to gather here to witness the sensational contests.

Bait in the shape of tempting purses has been tossed out into the camps of drivers and car owners all over the country by Secretary Herbert Fuller, who expects to have a dozen or more celebrities in the racing world on hand to make the day interesting. No races for amateur drivers has been put on the program this year because of the danger of serious accidents to spectators. Only professionals who have been granted a license by the sanction board will be entered in any event.

More than $3,000 will be offered in purse money for a program of six events. This will not include the special purses to be awarded the driver making the fastest time of the day nor the prize to be offered as an incentive for the speed demons to try for new world's records. In the long distance events it is probable that a special purse will be offered to the drivers who win each lap in order to make the races more sensational for the spectators as well as increase the competition among the pilots.

Arrangements have already been made for improving the local track for speed contests. Turns are to be banked and the surface packed, giving the drivers ideal conditions under which to race. Local officials are ambitious to have the drivers shatter one or more time records on the fair grounds track in order to bring recognition to this city as a racing center.

The Pennington county fair will be held on Aug. 3, 4, 5 and 6.

TURN LOVERS' LANE INTO CAMPING SPOT FOR AUTO PARTIES

Suggested That Business and Professional Men Turn in and Do the Work.

There is a movement on foot to turn Lovers' Lane into a camping ground for tourists and the matter will be one of the topics for discussion at the commercial club luncheon today. The formulation of a plan of procedure has been left in the hands of the park board but a little assistance in the matter, may not come amiss.

It has been suggested that every store in the city close for a whole afternoon and that every business and professional man—and all others who may be willing to assist—take a hand in the cleaning up of the proposed park, grading the roadway and otherwise improving the appearance of the place.

Several merchants have already been approached on the subject and have expressed their willingness to assist in this way. It is believed that some method of procedure will be worked out at today's meeting.

A combined effort on the part of the Commercial club, assisted by the Merchants association, the Auto club, the Boy Scouts and the people generally, undoubtedly would quickly place this naturally beautiful spot in fine condition. The women would greatly appreciate such a change and probably the Woman's club, the Girls Community club and the Girl Scouts would be only too willing to furnish a "feed" afterward to the workers. And to top it all off the band might give the first real park concert that the city has had.

Two-Day Outing at Lake Enjoyed By Norway Sons

Members of Sons of Norway lodges from all over the Northwest gathered at Maple Lake on Sunday morning for a two-day picnic and outing. Thief River Falls sent a large delegation and there were many present from Grand Forks, Crookston, Fertile, McIntosh, Euclid, Erskine and other nearby towns. The principal address of the day was delivered by Simon Johnson, editor of Normanden, Grand Forks. Ole Waxwick, former president of the Fourth district, Sons of Norway, also spoke. The musical program was in charge of W. P. Rognlie of Grand Forks, songs by Bjarne and Varden choruses being a pleasing feature of the two-day outing. The picnickers brought lunch baskets and the event was made a regular summer outing.

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PRETTY CHEAP SPORTS.

Sitting in an automobile and watching a ball game from a point directly back of the diamond on the Jefferson Highway may seem like a perfectly good way of saving fifty cents to those fellows who follow the practice, but if they could hear what was being said about them in the grand stand and by others who pay for the privilege of watching the game, they would perhaps come to the conclusion that they are paying too high a price in the loss of respect to make the proceeding worth while.

No ball team such a that supported by Thief River Falls this year can get out the crowds in sufficient numbers to make the gate receipts cover expenses. A large share of the cost falls on public spirited citizens who contribute their money under the impression that they are helping along the cause of clean sport and incidentally giving the town a boost. These *same parties pay the regular* admission fee whenever they go to a game and are naturally disgusted with any person so cheap as to take advantage of the fact that the game may be seen from the rear of the lot without their paying for the privilege.

There is perhaps nothing much can be done about this matter. The autos are stopped on a public highway and while there may be no law against this it serves to block traffic and is a nuisance, besides depriving the ball club of its legitimate admission fees. It would seem, however, that common honesty would dictate that the petty graft be discontinued. The ball team needs every dollar that can be taken in at the gate and will need a great many more than that. It is hardly right that a few liberal citizens should be forced to foot the bill while twice as many have just as much entertainment without even paying the small admission fee required.

Harding Signs Resolution Declaring War at an End

The resolution of congress declaring war with Germany and Austria-Hungary at an end was signed at Raritan, N. J., on Saturday by President Harding. The president affixed his signature to the measure at 3:10 p. m. eastern standard time, at the home of Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, where he was spending the week-end.

So that there might be no unnecessary delay in consummation of the long deferred state of peace, the resolution was brought to Raritan by special messenger from Washington, where it had been given congressional approval the day previous. The messenger left for the capital again at once to complete the formalities of the declaration by deposing of the document in the archives of the state department.

There was little of the dramatic in the actual ceremony of giving presidential approval to the measure.

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BALL TEAM ADDED NUMBER OF SCALPS DURING PAST WEEK

Raw Deal at Argyle Only Jarring Note in Week of High Class Performances.

Warren defeated Thief River Falls yesterday afternoon on the grounds in the former city. The score was 2 and 1. The Warren team was bolstered up by the employment of players from every town in the neighborhood, there being hardly a member of the original city team in the lineup. Federolf pitched a wonderful game for Thief River Falls.

Warren used up three pitchers in short order in trying to prevent the continuation of a slugging feat staged by the Thief River Falls base ball nine on the diamond here on Thursday. Reide started on the mound for the visitors. His twirling was above the average in quality but the Foxmen began finding him at the very outset of the game, running in two scores the first inning. He was replaced by Shoop, who failed in checking the stampede, there being six scores chalked up in the fifth. This put the game on ice but the boys continued to pile 'em up until at the end of the seventh a total of 18 had been garnered. During all this time Warren had been unable to put a single runner across. The game was called on account of darkness at the end of the seventh, after Childs had proved that he would have no better luck in the box than his predecessors.

The following box score tells the story:

Thief River Falls

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brand	3	3	2	2	3	1
Tallion	4	3	2	0	0	0
Morse	4	1	3	5	0	0
Schroeder	5	1	3	10	1	1
Federolf	3	2	1	0	4	0
Larson	4	1	1	2	4	0
Lawrence	3	3	1	1	0	0
Prugh	5	2	4	1	0	0
Connell	1	2	0	0	0	0
	35	18	17	21	12	2

Warren

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Arness	3	0	0	0	2	4
Patten	3	0	0	0	0	0
Childs	3	0	1	0	2	0
Halbert	3	0	1	12	0	1
Freeman	2	0	0	2	0	0
Reide	3	0	0	0	1	0
Wheaton	2	0	1	2	2	0
Shoop	1	0	0	1	0	0
Lindstrand	2	0	0	1	0	0
Edwards	1	0	0	0	0	0
	23	0	3	18	7	5

Sacrifice hits, Morse; three base hits, Lawrence; two base hits, Tallion, Morse; struck out, by Federolf 5, by Reide 1; base on balls, off Reide 2, off Shoop 1, off Childs 1.

With the score standing 8 and 6 in favor of Argyle, the game played at that town on Friday was called in the seventh inning, the umpire giving the approach of darkness as his excuse. This performance on his part seems to have been the last act of a series of inexcusably bad decisions all through the game. In the seventh this umpire's attitude was so manifestly unfair to the Thief River Falls team that a vigorous protest was launched. The arbiter exercised his authority and called the game, but it was one of the rawest deals that the Thief River Falls team has gone against this season. The game was protested but for the present must stand as a defeat for the locals.

A telephone call the following day conveyed the information that the Argyle fans had $1000 to bet on their team in a game with Thief River Falls, neutral grounds and neutral umpires being a part of the agreement. The necessary sum was raised here in a few minutes when it transpired that Argyle insisted on playing the game either at home or at Warren. This did not strike Thief River Falls a sexactly "neutral" and the matter fell through.

Thief River Falls

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brand, ss	4	2	0	1	1	0
Tallion, 3b	4	2	4	0	3	1
Morse, c	4	0	1	2	1	0
Schroeder, p	2	1	1	7	2	0
Federolf, lf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Larson, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	1
Lawrence, cf	4	0	0	2	0	1
Prugh, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Reide, 1b-rf	3	0	1	5	0	2
Brazel, p	3	0	2	0	2	1
	33	6	11	21	11	7

Argyle

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lauer, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Ennis, ss	3	2	0	2	3	1
Daniels, cf	4	3	2	1	0	0
Childs, 2b	4	1	2	1	3	1
Markenson, c	4	0	0	8	0	0
Dubek, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Overton, p	4	0	0	0	1	1
Ketering, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Krogh, lf	3	1	1	1	0	1
	34	8	7	23	9	4

Two base hits, Krogh; three base hits, Federolf; home runs, Childs, Daniels, Tallion; base on balls, Overton, 2, Schroeder, 1. Struck out, Overton 8, Brazel, 2; left on bases, Thief River Falls, 8; Argyle 5. Umpires, Shoop, Skolman.

Two From Gonvick.

Thief River Falls took two games from Gonvick on the grounds here on *the Fourth, the first by a score of 10* and 4, and the second 10 and 6. Brazel, famous one-armed southpaw of the Thief River Falls team, pitched both games and proved too much for the Gonvick swatters, allowing only scattered hits in both contests. He was brilliantly backed up by the rest of the bunch and both games went to the better team.

Thief River Falls

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brand, ss	3	2	2	1	2	1
Larson, 2b	3	1	1	2	3	1
Morse, c	5	2	1	0	1	0
Tallion, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Federolf, lf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Schroeder, 1b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Lawrence, cf	3	1	2	2	0	0
Connell, rf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Brazel, p	4	0	1	0	0	0
	35	10	11	27	7	2

Gonvick

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Larson, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Johnson, ss	4	1	1	2	1	1
Wench, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Lawrence, 1b	3	1	2	8	0	0
Daniels, lf	4	1	1	2	0	1
Harrison, c	4	0	1	5	2	0
Graves, cf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Eddy, rf	4	0	0	2	0	1
Jones, 2b	4	0	1	3	0	1
	34	4	8	21	6	4

Two base hits, Brand, Graves, Lawrence; struck out, Brazel 8, Wench 6; base on balls, Brazel 1, Wench 4; umpires, DeCremer, Nason.

Second Game.

Thief River Falls

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Brand, ss	2	1	1	2	2	1
Larson, 2b	4	2	2	4	3	0
Tallion, 3b	5	2	4	1	1	0
Schroeder, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	0
Federolf, lf	5	1	2	0	0	0
Lawrence, cf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Prugh, c	4	1	3	6	2	0
Connell, rf	5	2	2	2	0	0
Brazel, p	5	0	1	1	2	0
	38	10	16	27	10	1

Gonvick

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Larson, 3b	4	1	2	1	5	0
Johnson, ss	4	0	0	1	2	1
Wench, 2b	4	1	0	3	2	0
Lawrence, 1b	4	1	1	12	0	0
Daniels, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Harrison, c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Graves, p	3	1	0	1	1	0
Eddy, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Jones, cf	4	1	2	0	0	1
	35	6	9	24	0	2

Two base hits, Larson, Tallion 2, Federolf, Connell; three base hits, P. Larson; base on balls, Brazel, 2, Graves, 4; struck out, Brazel 6, Graves 3. Umpires Fox, Nason.

Win at Red Lake Falls.

The locals took the Red Lake Falls boys into camp on Tuesday in the first game played between these teams this season. The game was originally scheduled for Sunday but rain forced a postponement. The conditions were far from ideal for ball playing on Tuesday and it was agreed to limit the contest to five innings. The score was 3 and 2 in favor of Thief River Falls. Schroeder did the hurling and used a slow, tantalizing ball almost exclusively. It was a species of delivery with which the Red Lakers were evidently not acquainted and they found it impossible to connect when such connection would have meant runs.

Thief River Falls

	AB	R	H
Brand, ss	1	1	
Tallion, 3b	2	1	1
Morse, c	3	0	1
Schroeder, p	3	0	2
Federolf, lf	3	0	2
Larson, 2b	3	0	0
Lawrence, 1b	3	0	0
Connell, cf	3	1	2
Jonas, rf	3	0	0
	23	3	7

Red Lake Falls

	AB	R	H
Healy, 3b	2	1	0
Ducharm, ss	2	0	0
Klefenheim, 2b	2	1	0
Miller, cf	2	0	0
Christian, lf	2	0	1
League, c	2	0	0
Zins, 1b	2	0	0
Basil, rf	2	0	0
Fox, p	2	0	1
Sorboda	1	0	1
	19	2	3

Three base hits, Tallion; base on balls Fox 2; Schroeder 0.

McIntosh Here Next.

On Saturday and Sunday McIntosh comes for two games which are certain to be hummers. The team is going strong at the present time and it will take a real aggregation to put a crimp in their winning streak. McIntosh has a good team, however, and puts up a good fight.

Society

Tandberg-Nelson.

Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, Miss Marie Nelson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson of Eau Claire, Wis., became the bride of C. Theo. Tandberg, son of Mrs. Julia Tandberg of this city, in the presence of members of his family. Rev. T. E. Swegar read the impressive service. They were unattended. The bride was charming in a striking suit of midnight blue tricotine embroidered in gray, with hat to match, and carried an arm bouquet of American Beauty roses. The bride is one of the popular young ladies of the city and has been prominent in social circles. For several years she has held a responsible position with the First National bank, being appointed as assistant cashier of that institution this year. Mr. Tandberg is assistant cashier of the Goodridge State bank, where he has been employed since his discharge from the army at the close of the war. Mr. and Mrs. Tandberg left Saturday evening on a two weeks' honeymoon to be spent in Minneapolis and at the bride's home at Eau Claire. They will be at home at Goodridge after Sept. 15.

Fifth Anniversary Sale.

Charles Lieberman has been in business for himself in Thief River Falls for five years and is going to celebrate the event with a big sale, announcement of which will be found in another section of The Times this week. Mr. Lieberman will not content himself with the quoting of a few specials but is making unusual reductions all along the line and including everything in the store, in the bargains handed out during this anniversary event.

Entertain.

In compliment to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren, who leave this week for their new home at Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained at a picnic supper Sunday evening on the banks of the Thief river. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Booren, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nielai.

Entertain at Dinner.

Honoring Mrs. Minnie Gilhausen and Mrs. S. Sandberg of Minneapolis, who were their guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen entertained a few friends at a 6:30 o'clock dinner at their home on Tuesday evening. The former is Mr. Gilhausen's mother while the latter is his cousin. They returned to Minneapolis yesterday.

Picnic Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero were honor guests at an anniversary picnic supper on Friday evening.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nielai will be hosts at a 6:30 dinner at their home this evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren, who are leaving the city this week. Covers will be laid for nine guests.

Olson-Barnes.

Racine Olson and Miss Mabel Barnes were married at the Methodist parsonage on Thursday, June 30. They were attended by A. Bjerk and Miss Marie Arnevik, the wedding ceremony being performed by Rev. J. B. Smith. Both young people are prominent in business and social circles at Holt, where they returned to make their home.

Breakfast Party.

The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church held a 6 o'clock breakfast in the church parlors this morning. A business session followed the repast.

Basket Social.

The Silverton Lutheran church will hold a basket social at the church on Saturday evening, July 9. Everybody is welcome.

Mrs. Booren Honored.

Mrs. Scott Laird entertained the intimate friends of Mrs. H. F. Booren, who leaves for her new home at Plummer this week, at her home on Main avenue north Tuesday afternoon.

Auto Driver Falls Asleep; Runs in Ditch; Is Killed

While returning from Crookston to East Grand Forks, June Higgins, who lives north of the latter city, was killed when a roadster he was driving turned over in a ditch. Young Higgins, it is believed, fell asleep while driving. The car nosed toward the ditch when it is thought he was awakened and attempted to jerk the machine back in the road. Instead it plunged into the ditch.

NOTICE
To Property Owners!

Pursuant to Chap. 329, Laws of 1921, it is the duty of each and every lot or land owner within the city limits, or his agent, to cut down or otherwise eradicate noxious weeds of all kinds standing or growing upon such land.

Named as noxious weeds, are sow thistle, Canadian thistle, burdock, wild mustard, quack grass and many others.

Please do your part, not alone for the purpose of complying with the Law but with the desire to assist in improving the appearance of our city.

TAKE NOTICE, That in case of owner's failure to cut down or eradicate any growing noxious weeds, the local weed inspector will do so, and the expense thereof will be assessed against the property.

JOHN BRATRUD, MAYOR

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Silk Stripe Shirts $2.49
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Men's Ties 25c to 98c
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DEFECTIVE PAGE

City News

Ole Nelson of Gatzke visited with friends here over Sunday.

N. Bundhund of Goodridge was a business caller here on Friday.

Martin Olson left yesterday morning for Holt on a brief visit with friends.

Edwin Stebbins, who was critically ill last week, is convalescing satisfactorily.

FOR RENT—Six room flat with bath in the Dobner-Meehan building. Call 427-R.

Dance at Mavie, Friday, July 8. Music by Friends' Orchestra.—Advertisement. j7

Miss Esther Meyer of Steiner was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Percy Lamb, on Monday.

Lloyd Alnes returned Saturday morning from the Twin Cities, where he had spent a few days.

Miss Gladys Hagen left yesterday morning for Holt to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Miss Olive Booren of Stillwater arrived the first of the week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Laura Stopple returned Tuesday morning from Grand Forks after a three days' visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reitan of Devils Lake, N. D., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evenson over Sunday.

Fall Term of the Mankato Commercial College opens Sept. 1. Begin your course then. Send for catalog.

The Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained on Thursday, July 14, by Mrs. Dina Evenson and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Mrs. Wm. Warner and two children left yesterday morning for Holt to visit Mrs. Warner's parents for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Werstlein and daughter, Eleanor, returned yesterday morning from a visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

Mrs. Frances Gould Davis of San Diego, Cal., is in the city, a guest at the home of her friend, Mrs. B. E. Dalquist.

Miss Joyce Peterson arrived Monday evening from Fosston for a visit at the home of her brother, P. G. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lampert and two children returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Alexandria.

Miss Pearl Olson of the clerical force at Benson's, left Tuesday for her home at Trail to spend a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Provencher, who had spent a few days here visiting relatives, returned to Minneapolis on Monday evening.

Dr. M. G. Milan, Dr. G. W. Booren and R. M. Sheldon were among those who attended the ball game at Argyle on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jensen and family of Viking spent the Fourth at the home of Mrs. Jensen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herron.

Dr. Jennie M. Eastman returned Tuesday from Detroit, where she had spent two days at the lakes with a party of friends from Fargo.

Mrs. Chas. Shirley and children return on Thursday from points in North Dakota, where they had spent a few weeks visiting relatives.

Chas. Munn, manager of the local Standard oil station, returned Tuesday morning from Crookston, where he had visited over the Fourth.

Mrs. T. J. Rowan and son, Tom, returned the latter part of last week from Argyle, where they had spent a week with Mrs. Rowan's mother.

John Peterson and son, Arroff, who have been guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Dena Evenson, returned to their home at Battle Lake last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud and family of Grand Forks motored over on Monday and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen.

Miss Irene Sorenson, who is employed in Minneapolis, arrived Saturday evening for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Mrs. Ralph Johnson and baby of Minneapolis were guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. K. O. Burkness, last week. They left Saturday for Holt to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen had as their guests last week the former's mother, Mrs. Minnie Gilhausen, and cousin, Mrs. S. Sandberg, of Minneapolis. They returned to their homes yesterday morning.

Miss Anna Aspelund left yesterday for Crookston to spend a few days with relatives. On her return she will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. S. Simonson and children, who have visited there since Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Ures returned to Grand Forks Monday evening after a few days' visit with her daughter, Kathleen, who is spending the summer here, and with her sisters, Mrs. W. E. Warner and Mrs. Victoria McKinney.

Miss Janie Maxwell of Minneapolis is in the city this week, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mathew. She will return to her home Sunday evening accompanied by Miss Ruth Mathew, who will visit in the cities for a while.

Miss Gladys Anderson, deputy register of deeds, left this morning for Duluth, where she will meet Miss Myrtle Chittick, formerly of this city. Together they will take a trip on the Great Lakes, leaving the boat at Buffalo and continuing to New York.

Phil Zeh returned last week from a ten days' visit with his sister, Mrs. J. Jerome, at Battle River, and with his sons, Richard and Ambrose, who are enjoying a vacation at Red Lake. Mr. Zeh will return to the latter place in a couple of weeks and accompany his sons on their return by car.

Mrs. M. Conway, Orient, S. D., Mrs. Anna Murray, Virginia, Mrs. R. J. Girlday, Rhinelander, Wis., and Mrs. A. F. Basley, Duluth, all sisters of Wm. Herron, returned to their respective homes the latter part of last week after a two-day visit here. They were accompanied to this city from Orient, S. D., by Mr. Herron's cousin, Chas. McShane, who drove the car.

L. L. Cohn is absent on a business trip to the cities.

G. Saxvold of Gatzke spent a few days here last week on business.

John Mundell of Strathcona made a business call in this city on Friday.

Miss Louise Wilson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Oscar Carlson of Badger was a business caller here the first of the week.

Hjalmer Nelson of Gatzke was in the city Friday attending to business matters.

Ed. Brevig left last evening for Minneapolis to spend several days on business.

Misses Stella and Olive Mickelson of Holt were over Sunday visitors in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Halseth of Bagley visited with friends here over the Fourth.

Fred Will returned Tuesday from Alexandria after a two weeks' visit with friends.

Miss Mathilda Bjorsness left Saturday afternoon for Rugby, N. D., to visit friends.

Hans Hermanson left Tuesday afternoon for Halstad to visit a brother for a few days.

Mrs. Ethel Pitkin of Minneapolis is spending a few days here visiting her numerous friends.

Mrs. Verner McMahon of Erie arrived Monday and spent a few days visiting local friends.

Mrs. Arthur Hallen of Grand Forks is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Chris Storholm.

Mrs. Ed. Loven of Gatzke is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Comstock, this week.

Phil Bryant, dispatcher at Superior, Wis., arrived here the latter part of last week for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Knudson and daughter, Eleanor, of Grygla were guests of friends here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Isaacson of Plummer arrived Saturday evening and remained over Sunday with friends.

Miss Mabel Haglund returned to her home at Holt on Tuesday after spending a couple of days here with friends.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant returned on Sunday from Minneapolis, where she had spent two weeks visiting her parents.

Mrs. Lottie Kinsela and daughter, Miss Grace, of Crookston, visited over Sunday with local friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. Engelbret and children of Bronson were in the city over the Fourth as guests of her brother, Fordie Brown.

John E. Havel left Friday morning for Greenbush and Badger, where he visited until after the Fourth with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown returned on Monday from Union Lake, where they had spent several days at their summer home.

Miss Linda Anderson left Saturday morning for Benwood to spend a week visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Thompson.

Mrs. A. Anderson arrived on Friday from Crookston for a visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Mrs. J. H. Koke and son, who are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Holzknecht, went to Red Lake Falls on Tuesday to spend a few days with other relatives.

Wilbur Roth returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where he has been attending school, and will remain here during the summer.

D. J. Robinson of Barnesville arrived Saturday evening for a short visit with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson.

Misses Ida, Emma and Esther Tandberg, who are attending summer school at Moorhead, arrived Saturday evening to attend the marriage of their brother, Theodore, to Miss Marie Nelson.

Miss Effie Hamry left Saturday afternoon for Chinook, Mont., where she will visit her sister, Miss Igna, before leaving on a trip through the Yellowstone National park. She expected to be absent for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink had as their guests over the Fourth Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brink and families, all of St. Hilaire.

Ernest Zeh and Leland Schuster, accompanied by Norman Holen of Minneapolis, who had spent a couple of days at Maple Lake, arrived on Sunday by car. Mr. Holen will spend the summer here at the home of Mr and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard.

Mrs. Roy Morgan returned Saturday morning from a six week's visit at Brandt and Watertown, S. D. Mr. Morgan met her at St. Paul and they spent a few days at Bald Eagle lake and at Lake St. Croix near Hudson, Wis., with relatives, before returning home.

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I. A. Anderson returned Friday evening from Detroit, where he had been on business.

G. Howard Smith left on Thursday evening as a delegate to the Elks' national convention at Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. T. D. Scanlan and son, Thomas, left Friday for a month's visit with relatives at Aberdeen, S. D., and Redwood Falls, this state.

Miss Ruth Reddin returned to Minneapolis Monday evening, having visited her sister, Mrs. W. H. BonDurant, over Sunday and Monday.

Miss Louise Rosette, who had visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Swanson over the Fourth, returned to her home at St. Hilaire on Tuesday.

Miss Charlotte Halgrim arrived on Saturday from Grand Forks and will spend some time visiting at the home of her brother, Chas. Halgrim, at Rosewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero were among those who attended the ball game at Argyle on Saturday.

Misses Edith Skoglund, Vera Carlson and Frances Erickson of the clerical force at Loken's, visited at Miss Skoglund's home at Roseau over the Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown and family of Grygla arrived on Sunday and visited at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. *Ferdie Brown, until the following* day.

Miss Harriet Anderson, who completed an eight months term of school last week, returned to this city on Saturday to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson.

M. C. Burns, who has been confined to his bed for a month because of injuries received in a fall from a ladder, is rapidly convalescing and expects to be around again in about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bernet of Alma, Wis., stopped off here and remained for a week's visit at the home of their uncle, Frank Protz, enroute to Washington. They left for the West on Friday.

Geo. Aspelund, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. C. S. Simonson, and children, drove to Crookston and Ada on Sunday to visit relatives. Mr. Aspelund returned on Monday while the rest remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. G. W. Johnson and daughter, Dorothy, who had spent a couple of days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson, at the Knox farm, returned the first of the week to their home at Devils Lake, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LaFerte of Minneapolis are expected to arrive this evening for a month's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown. Part of the time will be spent at the Brown cottage at Union Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown and daughter, Mrs. C. E. Andrews, left the latter part of last week for their cottage at Union Lake. The latter, accompanied by her husband, who had spent Sunday with them, returned to this city on Monday.

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Ed. Brevig left last evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days on business.

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C. A. Nason returned Saturday morning from Grand Forks, where he had spent a few days.

Mrs. C. W. Hallen left yesterday for Grand Forks to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

B. O. Norby, who had spent a few days here on business, returned to his home at Fosston on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Doland returned to Grand Forks yesterday after visiting relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. Chas. Halgrim of Rosewood visited over the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

R. G. Rasmussen of Roseau arrived on Saturday to take up his duties as bookkeeper at the First National bank.

Mrs. Virgil Taylor of Black River Falls, Wis., is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Protz.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson and children returned Friday from Minneapolis, where they had spent a week visiting friends.

Mrs. C. E. Hazelton and two children returned to Beltrami on Saturday after a brief visit with her parents, who reside here.

Miss Alice Bugge, who had spent *several days with her folks here,* returned on Saturday to Grand Forks to resume employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lacey returned Saturday from their wedding trip and have gone to housekeeping in their residence on Kendall avenue.

H. O. Loken, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Maren Loken, who had spent a few days at the Loken cottage at Maple Lake, returned to this city on Monday.

Morris Johnson, who has been attending the University of Minnesota, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. O. A. Naplin, enroute to his home at Gatzke to spend the Fourth with his parents.

Reuben Hadrath returned the latter part of last week from a two weeks' visit with his parents at St. Cloud, to which city they recently moved.

Miss Alice Solom, who is completing a course in nursing at Minneapolis, was a guest at the home of the local nurses on Thursday while on her way to Steiner to spend a few days with her parents.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

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Weekly Market Review.

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co., Minneapolis).

In the face of an unprecedented hot and dry spell of weather, which took a material portion of the South Dakota crop and threatens the Western and Southern portion of Minnesota and a part of North Dakota, the wheat market for a short period in the first half of week dipped downward with surprising speed. Partial recovery was immediate however, with the continued unfavorable growing weather.

The sharp break was attributed mostly to a lack of speculative buying. A huge southwestern winter wheat crop is now ready for market and it is being marketed. To offset such selling pressure a buying majority is required. South Dakota and Minnesota wheat production as compared with North Dakota and Montana is unimportant. Prospects in the latter named states are reported to be generally very favorable and Canadian reports likewise.

In the meantime the Kansas and Oklahoma farmer is not holding his wheat for a possibly higher price later. It is evident that the entire Southwestern crop is now for sale, and this is a market factor of no light weight. Old wheat farm reserves are also reaching the markets in larger volume.

At this time of the year it is but very seldom that the new corn crop has had such an excellent promise. Corn has yet to enter its critical period, however, and with the present lack of sub-soil moisture the new crop will have great difficulty in developing another bumper yield unless there is unusually heavy precipitation in July.

In the oats crop there has been material loss during the past two weeks. Ordinarily such damage is immediately reflected in higher prices but there is nevertheless no suggestion of scarcity and on the contrary the visible supplies of over thirty million bushels and the well-known large farm reserves has discouraged buying except to the point necessity.

The price trend for the immediate future is still subject to weather conditions. It is a critical period with chances favoring a satisfactory total yield and unless the damage area spreads lower prices are likely.

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Sizes 7 to 11.
Little Lee Junior Unionalls, at only $1.35

"Alloveralls" and other combination suits, similar style as Lee "Unionalls," as follows:
Men's at $2.50 to $3.00
Boys' at $1.00 to $2.00
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A new shipment of renovated U. S. Army Breeches just received 65c per pair
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One Lot at **5.45** | One Lot at **6.45** | One Lot at **7.85**

A lot of good weight Cotton Work Pants
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With two pair pants
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Up-to-date patterns
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Boys' Shoes

Lot 1	1.98
Lot 2	2.98
Lot 3	3.98
Boys' Chippewa Shoes Solid leather	3.45

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Lot 3 at	$2.29

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Good White Handkerchiefs
4c

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Fibre Silk Hose, all colors, now
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Boys' athletic union suit, special great value **39c**

Men's Kenosha Klosed Krotch—Long and short sleeves, white and ecru at	1.59
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To the Public

Space does not permit us to list every item and we cannot guarantee prices after special lots are sold out. Every item is on sale until lines are sold out. Come early while stock and sizes are complete.

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Boys' Khaki Play Suits, age 2 to 8 **$1.19**

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Do Not Forget! Sale Starts Friday, July 8. Come and Buy.

Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

E. H. Besancon was a business caller at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Elef Ankre went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to serve on the jury.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Christianson left Thursday for the cities enroute to Columbus, Ohio, where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. H. Christianson and son Joseph took them to Crookston by auto and returned home Friday.

Miss Eunice Tvedt was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday, having dental work done.

Harry Halverson and Joe Christianson drove to Winger Saturday, returning home Sunday. Arthur Halverson accompanied them home.

Miss Ruby Jensen and her cousin, Miss Leona Christianson, are visiting friends in Thief River Falls a few days.

Miss M. Knutson, the county nurse, was in town Thursday on her way to Neptune to make a few calls.

Mrs. P. C. Peterson and children of Thief River Falls arrived Tuesday to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Markeson.

Announcements were received on Tuesday from Thief River Falls of the marriage of Miss Marie Nelson and Theodore Tandberg, on Saturday July 2. The happy couple left on the flyer for their honeymoon trip and will be at home after Sept. 15 in Goodridge. Mr. Tandberg is assistant cashier in the Goodridge State bank while Mrs. Tandberg has held a responsible position in the First National bank at Thief River Falls for a number of years. The best wishes of their many friends are extended for a long and happy wedded life.

Stuart McLeod left Thursday with six head of Guernsey cattle and eight head of Harry Woolson's Guernsey cattle to exhibit at four fairs to be held in the next three weeks. The first one is to be held at Ada, and the others at Warren, Fargo and Grand Forks. Evered Seavey accompanied him to assist in taking care of the stock. George Josephson and Fred DuChamp hauled the cattle to Thief River Falls on trucks.

Miss Guida Gilbertson was in Thief River Falls Thursday shopping.

Miss Mable Tweeten left last week on her vacation, to be spent at her home near Pelican Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson spent Monday at Thief River Falls celebrating the Fourth.

Misses Hilda Christianson and Guida Gilbertson, Morgan and Joe Christianson were in Thief River Falls Monday to help celebrate.

M. G. Thorson was in Thief River Falls Thursday receiving medical treatment.

Morgan Christianson returned to Strathcona Tuesday after spending Sunday and Monday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son and Miss Jennie Rustad attended the celebration in Thief River Falls Monday.

Harvey Ferdinandsen was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday evening, attending the baseball game and other attractions.

Baker Olson of Grygla was in town Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christianson and son Lauren, Miss Eunice Tvedt, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McDonald started out Sunday with the intention of going to Maple Lake. They got as far as Red Lake Falls when it started to rain so they returned home.

Miss Christine Bundlund was in Thief River Falls Thursday shopping.

Anton Lein and Bendt Tanem were in Thief River Falls Monday, attending the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Olson and children and Miss Florence Richards of Gully visited relatives here Sunday and attended the celebration in Thief River Falls Monday.

Harry, Arthur, Alvin and Maynard Halverson were among the Goodridge boys who attended the celebration at Thief River Falls Monday.

Miss Gretta Gulrud is visiting with friends at Pelican Rapids and Mahnomen.

George Stearns of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday evening between trains attending to business matters.

Stephen Singer of Kratka was in town Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christianson and son Lauren, Miss Eunice Tvedt, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McDonald, Harry and Ruth, were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

ST. HILAIRE

Hoff-Palmer.

A marriage of interest to local people is that of Miss Ruth Eleanor Hoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoff, former well-known residents of this place, to Owen Kenneth Palmer, of Toppenish, Washington.

The wedding occurred at the bride's home in Tacoma, Wash., on June 26. The newlyweds will make their home at Toppenish.

Bergan-Rud.

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Luduta Eleanora Bergan to Alfred Rud at Saco, Mont. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Bergan who formerly made this vicinity their home and is well known to many local people.

Miss Nora Johnson, a nurse at the Swedish hospital at Minneapolis, arrived last Wednesday for a month's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson.

Miss Herdis Steen of Warroad who has visited for a week as the guest of Mrs. Carl Nelson, left Wednesday for Crookston for a visit at the Fred Steen home.

Miss Bessie Avelson returned the latter part of the week after a month's visit with friends and relatives at Pierre, S. D., and Minneapolis.

Ole Hugglund, who has been employed at Hibbing, Minn., came on Thursday for a brief visit with his family.

Mrs. S. Engh returned Thursday after a two week's visit with her son and family at Edinburgh, N. D.

Miss Rose Gunstad departed the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Oscar Young, at Forest Lake, Minn.

Miss Cornelia Brevik and Mrs. Elmer Landis shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Larson and daughter Evelyn of DesMoines, Iowa, came the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of Mrs. Larson's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Loberg.

Mrs. Henry Stensrude, who has visited for a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Just, returned the forepart of the week to her home at Fargo.

Mrs. Bjerken has as her guests this week, her mother, Mrs. E. Westin and daughter Pearl of Red Wing.

Miss Ruth Anderson, who has been employed at Crookston came Tuesday for an indefinite stay at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. P. Anderson.

Miss Clara Loberg returned on Tuesday morning to resume her studies at the Teachers' Training school at Bemidji, after spending the Fourth at the parental home.

Miss Amanda Benson who has been employed at Chicago the past year, came Saturday for an indefinite stay at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sven Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hovet and family motored Saturday to visit with relatives at Grand Forks and points in North Dakota, returning Tuesday.

Miss Emily Ostby who is engaged in teaching school here left Friday for McIntosh to visit over the Fourth at her parental home.

Miss Selma Hoff left Saturday morning via the Soo for a week's visit with friends at Cass Lake.

C. A. Brevik departed Monday for Milbank, S. D., where he will be employed.

Holder Opperud and daughter of Litchville, N. D., visited at the A. Satterberg home over the week end, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Bukee and Dr. and Mrs. F. N. Bjerken, accompanied by Mrs. Bjerken's mother, Mrs. Westin and daughter Pearl, motored to Warroad Saturday, returning Tuesday after enjoying an outing at the Lake of the Woods.

Thomas Vigen and family of Bemidji visited over the Fourth at the R. L. Hauge home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad visited over the week end at the Patterson cottage at Maple Lake.

Miss Lilly Gunstad, who attends the summer session at the Teachers' Training school at Bemidji, visited over the Fourth at the home of her mother near Hazel.

Mrs. John Fallstad and daugher Nellie shopped at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

A deal was completed this week whereby Albert Nerdahl of Mahnomen became the owner of the M. E. Bjerk soft drink and ice cream parlor. Mr. Nerdahl has taken charge, the Bjerk family having removed to the Gust Anderson residence on Minnesota avenue.

ROSEWOOD

The parochial school picnic held at Rindal last Sunday was somewhat dampened thru the wet and rainy weather, still those who attended enjoyed the afternoon very much. A well arranged program by the pupils was much appreciated as was the music. Ice cream and cake was served at the close. The teacher, Kaleb Quambeck, left the same day for Thief River Falls where he will immediately commence teaching another parochial school.

Mrs. C. Halmgrin returned on Monday morning from Thief River Falls where she had spent the Fourth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

W. Warring went to Warren on Tuesday, near which place he expects to be employed in the future.

Mr. Gryttedahl went to Warren on Monday morning where he will attend the county fair and look about for summer employment.

L. L. Furan came home from Argyle on Saturday evening to spend Sunday with his children and will return to his non-partisan organization work again Saturday.

The annual school meeting for Rosebank Dist. No. 41 will be held at that building on Saturday evening, July 16. Election of chairman is before this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Severn Benson and family of Thief River Falls spent the Fourth here as guests of the Swen Swenson family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm spent Sunday and Monday at Twin Valley visiting among their relatives.

Olof Opseth returned to his employment near Clearbrook last Monday after completing his assessor work in this township.

Miss Emma Tobiason and Albert Alby from near Newfolden came down last Wednesday evening to attend the canvas shows.

Steiner Johnson returned on Tuesday from a several weeks visit with his brother at Fosston and had also attended the Hardanger fest at Moorhead.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jacobson of Wannaska arrived here on Tuesday for a few days visit with their daughter, Mrs. Julia Axelson. They were on their way home from a two weeks visit among friends at Alexandria and Asby and returned to their home via Holt on Wednesday.

Rudolph Sagmoen was taken to the Physicians' hospital, at Thief River Falls this week suffering from acute appendicitis and may have to undergo an operation.

Benhard Ranum motored to Strathcona last Tuesday and was accompanied home by Mrs. Freeman Ranum, who will assist with the housework during Mrs. B. Ranum's illness.

The evening shows put on here by the National Amusement Co., last Wednesday, came up to the full standard of their advertisements. All performances and moving pictures were clean and unobjectionable and the audiences were well pleased. The show carried their own trucks and a large size performance tent and about two hundred persons attended.

Agent John Ward of the National Biscuit Co., was in town last Tuesday and staged a free-for-all coffee demonstration at the Herbert Carlson store. The idea was the demonstration of the products and lowered prices of the National Biscuit Co.'s products and the store was quite busy during the day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Metvedt of Starbuck, Man., Can., returned to their home on Friday morning after a few day's visit with their daughter, Mrs. E. A. Silverness and family north of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Gulseth and Garfield Gulseth visited briefly with the Anton Gulseth family here last Tuesday on their way home from an auto outing trip to Oklee and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and family from Thief River Falls were in town on Wednesday evening to visit with Mr. Carlson's mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson and to attend the shows.

Mrs. Zilda Snyder and sons Lyle and Clyde, left last Friday for a visit with relatives near Crookston and will later leave for Gordonsville where they expect to make their future home. Mr. Lynn Turbett left the same day with a carload of horses and household goods belonging to Mrs. Snyder, for Gordonsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and children arrived here on Saturday evening from Crookston to spend Sunday with the Emil Blomberg family.

Ingrid Nordhagen and Ella Nelson spent Saturday evening at Thief River Falls as guests of the A. C. Vorseth family.

Miss Bertha Remmem of Thief River Falls spent a few days here last week visiting with the G. J. Nordhagen and Anton Gulseth families.

Hans Hanson of North Dakota, accompanied by A. C. Rasmussen of Thief River Falls, were among the business callers in town last Thursday.

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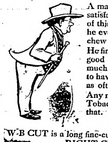

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35001	1.75	Ah! Moon of My Delight—From "In a Persian Garden" (Lehmann) Tenor	Theo Karle
		When My Ships Come Sailing Home (Stewart-Dorel) Tenor	Theo Karle
		SACRED	
5053	1.00	Still, Still With Thee (Garrish)	Criterion Male Quartet
		Son of God Goes Forth to War (Cutler)	Criterion Male Quartet
		INSTRUMENTAL	
13022	1.25	The Swan (Le Cygne) (Saint-Saens) 'Cello Solo	Willem Willeke
		Berceuse from Jocelyn (Godard) 'Cello Solo	Willem Willeke
2097	85c	American Fantasie—Part I (Victor Herbert)	New York Police Band
		American Fantasie—Part II (Victor Herbert)	New York Police Band
		POPULAR	
5055	1.00	America (My Country, 'Tis of Thee) (Smith-Carey) Mixed Voices	Collegiate Choir
		Dixie (Emmett)	Criterion Male Quartet
5056	1.00	Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep (Mitchell-Meyer) Tenor Duet	James Sheridan and James Lynch
		Springtime (Kahn-Friedland) Tenor	James Sheridan
2098	85c	Where the Lazy Mississippi Flows (Ffrench-de Freyne) Tenor and Baritone	Chas. Hart and Elliott Shaw
		Somebody's Mother (Sterling-Von Tilzer)	Crescent Male Trio
2099	85c	Drowsy Head (Irving Berlin-Vaughn de Leath)	Strand Male Trio
		Sauntering Along With Susan (Waren-Curtis)	Strand Male Quartet
2101	85c	Nestle in Your Daddy's Arms (Herscher-Burke) Tenor and Baritone	Billy Jones and Ernest Hare
		Down Yonder (Gilbert) Tenor and Baritone	Billy Jones and Ernest Hare
		FOR DANCING	
2104	85c	Crooning—Fox Trot Introducing "Just a Week from Today"	Carl Fenton's Orchestra
		In Your Eyes—One Step Introducing "Andrew"	Carl Fenton's Orchestra
2105	85c	I Wonder Where My Sweet, Sweet Daddy's Gone—Fox Trot	Bennie Krueger's Orchestra
		Satanic Blues—Fox Trot	Bennie Krueger's Orchestra
2102	85c	Tea Leaves—Fox Trot (Whiting)	Rudy Wiedoeft's Californians
		Jabberwocky—Fox Trot	Rudy Wiedoeft's Californians
2103	85c	Moonbeams—Fox Trot	Green Brothers' Novelty Band
		I Call You Sunshine—Fox Trot Introducing "Say Yes"	Green Brothers' Novelty Band
2100	85c	Cherie (My Dear)—Fox Trot (Biba)	Carl Fenton's Orchestra
		Just Keep a Thought For Me—Fox Trot Introducing "Always"	Carl Fenton's Orchestra

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Among Our Neighbors

WYANDOTTE

Mrs. T. Culkins called at the John Peterson home Thursday afternoon.

Knut Thorvildson, Mrs. Gust Wilson and son, Warren, Miss Lora Larson and Mrs. Ole Thune were callers in Thief River Falls Thursday.

Palmer Hanson called at the John Peterson and Huddelson homes Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Knut Thorvildson attended the Ladies' Aid at the Martin Berg home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Knut Thorvildson returned Monday from Grafton, where they had been visiting with relatives and friends.

Harold Haugen, Teddy Bergdahl Anker Hanson were in Warren last week.

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Thorvildson visited with er and Tony Wilson last Sunday and Monday.

REINER

Mr. and Mrs. E. Grimley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lien and family were visitors at Henry Lien's home last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Svare from Warren arrived in this vicinity Sunday morning and are visiting relatives.

Mrs. Andrew Wells was a caller at Alfred Olson's one day last week.

Mrs. Emil Sigurid was a caller at the home of Anton Osen one day last week.

Johnny Erickson was a Goodridge caller Thursday afternoon.

Guy McEnelly arrived home Thursday from Pitt, Minn., where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lien from Naples, S. D., arrived Monday afternoon and visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. Grimley. The trip was made by auto. They left for their home again Thursday morning.

Miss Caroll Sigurid arrived home one day last week. She was employed near Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson were Thief River Falls shoppers one day last week.

Theodore Berg and Sam Kermit were among the Thief River Falls visitors last Thursday.

Mrs. John Miller was a Sunday visitor at George Tannar's.

Miss Carrie and Johnnie Sigurid were visitors at Theodore Berg's on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Anderson from North Dakota is visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. Stenvick.

Mrs. John Stenvick and daughter, Stella, arrived home Friday, after visiting with Mrs. Crown, formerly Julia Stenvick. She is in the hospital and reports are she is doing well.

Rev. Hanson, who has been confined in the Warren hospital, is up and is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arntz and family and Mrs. Osen and family were visitors at Emil Sigurid's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson and Alice and Kermit Berg drove to Erie Sunday on business.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Gust Noske and Minnie Benttin were guests at the L. Bendickson home last Sunday.

Lawrence Philipp called at the Tharaldson home Saturday.

Miss Della Roller visited at her parental home Sunday of last week.

Henry Benttin and Lester Hanson were callers at the Olaf Tharaldson home Saturday afternoon.

Bernard Bendickson and Silva Bendickson were callers and shoppers at Thief River Falls last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Noske and son, Molan, who had been visiting at the Carl Benttin home for a few weeks, departed on Monday for their home in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Seraphine Rolland and children, Augustine, Lucy, Louise and Marshall, were Sunday guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller and Mrs. Emil Hanson motored to Thief River Falls one day last week.

Henry Benttin called on Olaf Tharaldson last Saturday.

Silva Bendickson visited at the Carl Benttin home Thursday of last week.

ERIE

Ole Tharaldson and family attended the wedding of his niece, Alexandra Tharaldson, at Thief River Falls on Wednesday, June 29.

George Hovet and James Dahle arrived via the auto route from International Falls, at which place they have been employed.

Johnnie Hanson made a recent trip to Minneapolis to seek medical aid for his ear, which was injured during the war while he was serving in France.

Mrs. Emma Graff completed a successful two months' term of parochial school in eastern Star on Saturday and left for her home near Goodridge the same day. The Eastern Star Ladies' Aid Society is to be complimented on their strenuous efforts in supporting the school every year.

Little Myrtle Johnson left on Monday for Mckinock, N. D., where she will remain for an indefinite period with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jorde, by whom she was accompanied from Thief River Falls.

N. P. Larson and son and the L. B. Johnson family took in the doings in Thief River Falls on the Fourth.

A pleasant Fourth of July celebration took place at the Gust A. Iverson place. A few neighbors and friends gathered and a jolly time was had. Music and dancing formed the chief amusements, besides all kinds of good eats being in abundance.

July 13 Visitors' Day at N. W. Agriculture School

Visitors' day at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, on July 13, promises to be an important event, according to plans under way. Professor Andrew Boss, H. J. Hughes of the state department of agriculture, and L. E. Potter, president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, will speak, followed by inspection of the fields and plots of the experimental investigations.

The visitors will bring their picnic lunches with them to join their neighbors in a full day of pleasure and instruction, and renew acquaintances with people from other towns and counties of northwestern Minnesota.

Several communities are planning tours to the Red River Valley farm school on that day. A committee has been appointed to take charge of a program of music and sports, including a ball game, which, with the addresses and inspections, will make the day an enjoyable one.

Card of Thanks.

Through these columns we wish to take the opportunity of thanking all who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our baby. Especially to we wish to extend our gratitude to L. H. and C. B. Larson.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henrickson and family. j7p

Public Forum

The Need of Pure Water.

Well-meaning citizens are making suggestions regarding improvements, as, for instance, swimming pool, parks, parking grounds for tourists, etc., improvements Thief River Falls should have possessed a long time ago. The writer of this makes one more suggestion, just as reasonable and important as other improvements mentioned: Put up signs warning the public, and especially tourists, against the use of drinking water furnished by our city water system, as this water is unfit to drink and may cause sickness or even epidemics.

Years ago the writer, then a resident of Mankato, Minn., experienced conditions there similar to those prevailing in our city at present.

The city administration of Mankato forced a paving contract upon the people against the will of those who were expected to pay for it. The affair ended in a law suit costing the taxpayers of Mankato an enormous sum of money. Then the city found itself in the clutches of a typhoid epidemic, causing a large number of deaths and untold cases of illness, all attributed to the unsanitary drinking water furnished by the city. Law suits by the hundreds were started for damage against the city of Mankato and, after being found responsible and guilty by a court decision, it cost the municipality many thousands of dollars to settle all claims for damage. Will Thief River Falls go through the same experience as Mankato did? I hope not.

GEO. LEIMERS.

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services in the city at 11 a. m. and at Goodridge at 2:30 p. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid at Mrs. Nakken's July 12. Rindal confirmants read the same day at 1 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid meets on Thursday, July 14. Zion Y. P. S. will give an ice cream social on Thursday evening, July 14. Parocial school every day. Student Quammbeck, teacher.

Christian Science — Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject for Sunday, July 10, "Sacrament." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. A reading room located at the same place is open on Thursday afternoon fro 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—July 10: Sunday school opens promptly at 10 a. m. Every teacher and pupil is expected to be glad and smiling in his place at that time ready for work. 11 a. m., morning worship. The pastor will continue a discussion and explanation of the charts that present the monumental benevolent work of this church. Special music supplied by the young people's choir at both services. 8 p. m., evening worship. A series of stereopticon slides will be used presenting "The World Task." The pastor will give the accompanying lecture. 7 p. m., Christian Endeavor. Subject, "What is Our Reasonable Service?" All the juniors are expected to attend during the vacation months. Every one owing allegiance to our church is urged to be present at both the above Sabbath services. A general invitation is extended to the people of our city to interest themselves in the progress and needs of the Kingdom of God on earth.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Services in the American language at 8 p. m. The Willing Workers Society will be entertained by the Sundahl family at their home on Conley avenue south on Friday evening, the 8th inst.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The sermon will deal chiefly with the proceeding of the state convention held in St. Paul on June 21 to 28. At 7:30 p. m. the regular quarterly business meeting takes place. In the afternoon at 2:30 the pastor will conduct German services at Holt.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid Wednesday July 6th in the church parlors. Mesdames Olaus Johnson, Christian Steen, Halvor Maland and Louis Hermanson entertain. Divine services in the English language on Sunday. Reuben Aga, student at Luther Theological Seminary, will preach the sermon.

Legal Notices

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, June 28, 1921.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes" approved July 12, 1882;

Now, Therefore, I, D. R. Crissinger, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on June 28, 1941.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-eighth day of June, 1921.

(SEAL) (Signed) D. R. CRISSINGER, Comptroller of the Currency.
Charter No. 5891 Extension No. 1021
J 7-14-21-28-A 4

Citation For Hearing on Petition For Administration.

Estate of Michael Lehtimaki.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Michael Lehtimaki, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Sofia Lehtimaki, Salma Lehtimaki, Eleanor Lehtimaki and to all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Sofia Lehtimaki having been filed in this Court representing that Michael Lehtimaki, then a resident of the County of Gogebic, State of Michigan, died intestate on the 15th day of March, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Sofia Lehtimaki and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, You and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of July, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 20th day of June, 1921.

LARS BACKE.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
J23-30-Jl-7

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Augusta Smith and Frank H. Smith, wife and husband, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 18th day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 473;

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 15th day of June, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Book 67 of Mortgages on page 537, and

Whereas, the said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Seventeen and 29-100 Dollars ($217.29) as follows: The sum of One Hundred Sixty-three Dollars ($163.00) thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgage upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgage is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and the sum of Fifty-four and 29-100 Dollars ($54.29) thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas, the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty (40) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 6th day of August, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Seventeen and 29-100 Dollars ($217.29), and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's Fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 20th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Martin Hyland and Carrie Hyland, his wife, as mortgagors to The Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, dated December 21st, 1915, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "3" of Mortgages, page 617, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1915, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) and authorized to do and doing business in the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated on said 29th day of December, A. D. 1915, and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915 at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 42, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1921 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "63" of Mortgages on page 331; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty and 74-100 ($1960.74) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Northeast (NE) quarter of section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred and Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred and sixty acres according to the United States survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday the 8th day of August, A. D. 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars Attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, June 9th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
CHRISTOFFERSON, WALSH,
CHRISTOFFERSON and JACKSON,
Attorneys for assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Seven and 75-100ths ($507.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by F. D. Beard, an unmarried man, Mortgagor, to Sam Nauman and N. E. Gaass Mortgagees, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April 1920, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 62 of Mortgages, on page 446, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The east half of the southwest quarter (E½SW¼) and lots three (3) and four (4), of section nineteen (19), in township one-hundred-fifty-three (153) north, of range forty-five (45), west of the fifth principal meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 27th day of July, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $507.75 and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 2nd, A. D. 1921.

SAM NAUMAN,
N. E. GAASS,
Mortgagees.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagees' Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
J9-16-23-30-Jl7-14

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Anna K. Thoreson and Peder H. Thoreson, her husband, as mortgagors to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated December 22nd, 1915 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1915 at 4:00 o'clock P. M., and recorded in Book "42" of Mortgages on page 292, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1921, assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 12th day of May, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1921 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 590; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-six and 67-100 ($2,556.67) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash, and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five (75) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, May 18th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee,
502-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cheap and on easy terms, 6 room house and 3 lots. 220 Markley Ave. S. 25p

FOR SALE—80 acre farm. All high land, 20 acres under cultivation, good fence all around farm, good buildings and water, ½ mile from school, highway and mail. Price $2500.00. Mrs. Caroline Dahlen, owner, Erie, Minn. 17tf

FOR SALE—Threshing rig in first-class running order. Cheap if sold soon. Kotlan Bros. 23p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1155. 15tf

FOR SALE—Lot east of Flower Shop on Third street. Also two good milch cows and one six room house. Enquire at first house north of Park hotel.—24p.

FOR SALE—Electric washer and wringer. Used only twice but have no further use for it. Cost $120, will sell for $80. F. J. Dudley. 22

FOR SALE—My farm containing 160 acres, 3 miles northeast of this city, highly improved, including the crop, horses, cattle, machinery and everything on the place. Also 2-3 of the crop on C. E. Reed farm. Easy terms, no ready cash needed if you can give security, or I will just sell the land. L. I. Hermanson, Thief River Falls, Minn. 22p

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FOR SALE—160 acres of hay land in township of Highlanding. Nels Ostvolden. Phone 4574, City. 24p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 535. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Team of 8 and 10 year old horses, weight about 1300 each. George Kosa, Thief River Falls, Minn. R. No. 3. 23p

FOR SALE—Threshing rig; Twin City tractor 25-45 and Peerless separator, 30-46. Also Sholtson John Deere plow. H. P. Nahlen, Germantown 23p

NOTICE—The Anton Martinson farm in Section 1, Town of New Solum, Marshall county, is still unsold and is for sale cheap, less than $20.00 per acre. Small house, pasture and other improvements. Write or see C. A. Swanson, Thief River Falls.—24p.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1155. 15tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I will sell or trade for land in Minnesota or Wisconsin my well improved farm of 480 acres in Douglas county, Wis. 150 acres cultivated, the balance in pasture. H. E. Hunt, Leahy, Wash. 22p

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 24p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—At once. 160 acre farm with good buildings, fenced, and with 135 acres in field. Also have 12 to 15 milch cows to rent with farm. Located southeast of Goodridge, in township of Star. Write John T. Hovane, Highlanding, Minn. 22tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms with board if desired. 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 302. 23p

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterns. 13tf

FOR RENT—160 acres hay land near Maple and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

Help Wanted—Male

WATKINS Summer Drinks, Watkins Cocoanut Oil Shampoo and a big line of over 137 other quality products are big sellers. We want a lady or gentleman agent in Thief River Falls and other vacant cities. Write today for free sample and particulars. J. R. Watkins Co. 66 Winona, Minn.—24p.

Help Wanted—Female

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Call at 204 St. Paul Ave. No. 22tf

WANTED—A girl at the Northern Baking Co. 19tf

WANTED—One or two girls to cook for threshing crew of 15 or 18 men. State wages wanted. Write John Moe, Route 6 Grafton, N. D. 23

LOST

LOST—Lady's gold wrist watch on July 4, probably near rink. Finder please return to The Times.—22p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Plowing and breaking. Gaylord Aarnes, Kratka, Minn. 22p

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WANTED TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car as part payment. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 13tf

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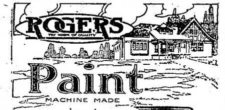

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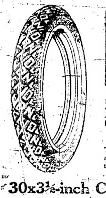

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

STEENERSON GRAIN GRADING MEASURE PASSAGE FORECAST

Refusal of Wallace to Consent to Changes May Result in Congressional Action.

Passage of the Steenerson bill, which prescribes federal grain grades as a substitute for those prescribed by the United States department of the spring wheat area of the country, was predicted by Minnesota agricultural leaders interested in a revision of the grades, following a statement Thursday in Washington by Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace that he would not change the spring wheat grades.

"The action that the secretary has taken in refusing to modify grades is right in line with what he told us several weeks ago and I am not surprised," O. P. B. Jacobson, state railroad and warehouse commissioner stated. "Senator Sullivan, who returned this morning from Washington, told me that the Steenerson bill will be recommended for passage in case the secretary continues his opposition to grain grade modifications. I believe that it will go through."

"The Farm Bureau will back the Steenerson bill to the limit," said Neil H. Swanson of the State Farm Bureau federation. "We hope that our congressmen and senators will obtain passage of this bill, which is purely for the relief of the northwest states and which does not affect any of the other sections of the country."

MANY STATE LAWS BECOME EFFECTIVE

Ten Changes and New Enactments By Last Legislature Go Into Force July 1.

Ten new state laws became effective on July 1 in Minnesota, covering a wide variety of subjects. The state department of agriculture also put into effect its regulations of the trade in cold storage food products, under an act by the last legislature.

The laws in effect on July 1 are as follows:

Chapter 101, abolishing the board of seed potato inspection and placing this service under the department of agriculture.

Chapter 379, providing for semimonthly payment of salaries for all state employes.

Chapter 411, establishing the Minnesota General hospital. This places the university hospital and dispensary on a new basis, providing that counties may send patients to the hospital and assume part of the expense, and that branch hospitals may be established by counties.

Chapter 432, regulating the manufacture of soft drinks under supervision of the state dairy and food commissioner.

Chapter 430, providing that notaries must type or print their names legibly on all acknowledgements.

Chapter 476, transferring duties of the state entomologist to the university department of agriculture, and of nursery inspection to the commissioner of agriculture.

Chapter 480, regulating sale of seeds, to require seed packages to be labeled and show the percentages of foreign substances, with provisions for tests and enforcement by the department of agriculture.

Chapter 481, revising laws relating to legal publications, to include an increase in legal rates.

Chapter 521, providing a method for release of property from lien by filing a sufficient bond.

Sampled Paris Green.

The year and a half old son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Larson, farmers residing near this city, had a narrow escape the other day. The baby managed to get hold of a quantity of Paris green and swallowed some of the poison before discovered. He was rushed to the Physicians hospital, where a stomach pump was employed and he is getting along fine. The Paris green had been placed in a tree to be out of reach of children and stock but the wind dislodged the package and gave the youngster an opportunity to pursue his investigations.

Taking Special Course.

Dr. O. F. Mellby left Tuesday evening for Chicago, where he will take a post graduate course extending over two months in eye, ear, nose and throat work at one of the largest hospitals. He expects to return about the first of September, when he will specialize in the treatment of diseases of these organs, giving up his general practice entirely.

Will Serve Lunch.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid Society will serve lunch in the church basement on Wednesday afternoon, July 12, beginning at 4 o'clock. j7

Large Class Confirmed at Trinity Church Sunday

A class of 22 was confirem at Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday by Rev. T. E. Sweger, a large congregation being present to witness the impressive ceremony. The following are those who reaffirmed their baptismal faith at this time: Alma Evelyn Olson, Olive Georgiana Aaland, Grace Monica Mostue, Margaret Klugness, Mildren Elvina Engen, Esther Viola Granum, Mabel Cecelia Lonson, Erling Elfsater Dahlen, Helen Idella Halvorson, Herbert Melvin Haugen, Edwin Peter Tessum, Arnold Eugene Kolden, Sophie May Ballangrud, Jennie Ethelwin Kaasbagen, Marie Josephine Vevea, Mabel Christine Jacobson, Dewey Wold, Herman Gilman Hagen, Albert Richard Hagen, Wanda Rebecca Johnson, Dagnie Lenora Johnson, Arnold Franklin Johnson.

NEW DIMMER LAW IS NOW IN EFFECT

How many auto owners have read chapter 172, general session laws of 1920, which is an act regulating the operation of motor vehicles on the public highways in Minnesota?

Under this law the new headlight dimmer provision went into effect on July 1. It provides:

"No person shall use or cause to be used after July 1, 1921, on any motor vehicle operated on any public street or highway, any headlights equipped with a reflector unless the reflector or glass in front of such light be so etched, ground, moulded or constructed that the lighted filament shall appear blurred or all light emitted therefrom and projected above the level of the lighted filament shall be free from brilliant luster."

The law further provides that "no so-called spotlight or searchlight shall be used upon vehicles traveling public highways, except when such spotlights or searchlights are of such construction as to make the center of the beam of light strike the level highway at a greater distance than 100 feet in front of the motor vehicle, except that when the beam of light is swung 30 degrees to the right or to the left of the straight ahead position, no limitation is placed on the height to which the beam is raised."

The law also provides that if a person driving a horse or horses on the highway, which are inclined to be frightened, raises his hand to an approaching motor vehicle, the driver of same shall come to a stop and use reasonable caution in allowing team to pass or passing himself.

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Still others, who seemed fairly well, yet who suffered with indigestion, headaches, shortness of breath, dizzy spells, sour, gassy stomachs, coated tongues, foulness of breath, constipation, bad complexion, loss of appetite, sleeplessness at night and of terribly dejected, depressed feelings, state that they have been entirely relieved, of these distressing symptoms and restored to health and happiness by the use of Tanlac.—Advertisement.

Annual Meeting of County Produce Association Friday

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Produce association will be held at St. Hilaire on Friday evening, July 8, at 8 o'clock. Election of officers for the ensuing year is one of the important matters to come up at this time and there will be a discussion of plans for the coming year, particularly as these apply to the handling and shipping of the 1921 potato crop. It is greatly desired that all members be present.

Railroaders Warn Public Against Donation Fakers

The grand lodge of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen has sent out warnings to all subordinate lodges, calling to the notice of members certain fraudulent practices now being carried on and for which the railroad men may be held responsible. Elmer E. Ohm, secretary-treasurer of the local lodge, calls attention to these warnings and asks that they be heeded by the membership.

Several instances have come to light of persons claiming to be brotherhood men and who pose as representatives of certain associations, etc., soliciting money from the brotherhood members. Merchants have also been solicited for advertising in so-called year books and works of a like nature. None of this had ever been authorized by the brotherhood officials and they hope that none will be defrauded through the presentations made by these unauthorized agents. Mr. Ohm suggests that business men and others approached for subscriptions, donations, etc., on behalf of the brotherhood make inquiries concerning the standing of the parties before entering into any agreement or contract.

Tent Meetings.

Evangelistic meetings will be held at the John Molskness farm, four miles north of Dorothy, on the Crookston road. Meetings will begin Wednesday evening, July 6, continuing every evening through the week at 8 o'clock. The following Sunday, July 12, meetings will be held all day as follows: 10:30 a. m., 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. Lunch will be served at noon on Sunday. All are heartily invited to these meetings. Both the Scandinavian and American languages will be used.—Rev. O. O. Sande.

Knit, Brothers, Knit With Care.
(Minneapolis Journal.)

Sir: The cause of the sleeping sickness has at last been found. Snore lodge, Sons of Norway, will hold a summer encampment soon at Thief River Falls, Minn.—Hank.

Knudsen Is Honored.

At the annual meeting for the Fourth district, Sons of Norway, held at Cooperstown, N. D., recently, Bernhard Knudsen of Thief River Falls was elected to the position of trustee for a term of five years. Other officers elected were: President, S. J. Bakke, Minneapolis; vice president, G. Schilbred, West Duluth; secretary, H. Askeland, Minneapolis; treasurer, Jens Backen, Minneapolis; regent, Julius Baumann, Cloquet; trustee three years, B. Christiansen, Aberdeen, S. D.; trustee one year, Carl Laite, Albert Lea.

Obituary.

On Saturday afternoon, July 2, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Henrickson of Kratka was interred in Greenhill cemetery. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. B. Smith of the M. E. church. The bereaved ones are supported in their hour of sorrow by the sympathy of their many friends and neighbors.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all kind friends and relatives for all kind words of sympathy and assistance shown us in our deep sorrow in the loss of our beloved son and brother, Carl. Also for the lovely flowers.—Mr. and Mrs. I. Isaacson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rude. j7

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to express our most heartfelt thanks for sympathy shown at the death and burial of our little loving son, Kenneth. Particularly do we thank Rev. Geo. Larson and those who brought the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vraa. j7p

"MADE HAPPY."

Aaker's Business College was called up and asked to supply Auto Supply Co., with a bookkeeper. Mr. Emil Melander was sent, adding another to the many who are holding responsible positions in the city. Hazel Aspengren and Arthur Ostenson have also gone into fine positions. Send for catalog to A. B. C., Grand Forks and thus take the first step towards a good position.—Adv. J-7.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.00
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]
Flax	1.5[illegible]
Barley	[illegible]
Rye	.86
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.11
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
PRODUCE	
Dairy Butter	.25
Creamery butter	.37
Creamery butter	.35
Cow hides, per lb.	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

EARLY DECISION IN PAVING SUIT NOW PROMISED

Attorneys For Complainant in Intervention Asked to Produce Their Authorities.

Given Until Friday Morning to Have Citations Ready For Court's Inspection.

Hearing Lasts Only Two Hours But Mass of Documentary Evidence Introduced.

Attorneys for George L. Streeter, applicant in the intervention suit brought by citizens in favor of paving against the applicants for an injunction, were given until tomorrow to produce citations showing that their proceeding is regular under the statutes. The case came to a close this afternoon after having occupied the attention of Judge Grindeland for about two hours.

All the records relating to the paving matter were presented in evidence, the aim of the intervenor being to show that the injunction suit started a short time ago by T. P. Hamre was only brought for the purpose of delaying the proceedings and that such delay would work injury to the city and taxpayers thereof. E. M. Stanton appeared as attorney for Mr. Streeter while H. O. Chommie defended the action of the city council in entering into the contract for paving and maintained that every move in any manner connected therewith has been absolutely legal and regular.

Mr. Stanton, in addressing the court, stated that a similar action was brought by residents of what is now Pennington county at the time of the county seat fight. In fact, said the attorney, because of the tactics employed by the opposition, it was next to impossible to get the matter before the courts except through an application by an intervenor. He claimed that not only is the proceeding regular in this state, but that the United States circuit court has upheld the validity of such proceeding in numerous instances. Attorney Theo. Quale for the plaintiff in the injunction action, stated that he had been unable to find any authority in the laws of the state for such action in court.

Judge Grindeland asked for citations on the subject and as these were not immediately at hand the attorneys were given until Friday morning to produce them in court.

To Repair Boiler.

Feeling that no immediate need will arise for firing up the boiler in the city auditorium heating plant, the council on Tuesday evening decided to advertise for bids for equipping the heating apparatus with a complete set of new flues. It is the intention to have the work completed before the arrival of chilly weather in the fall.

Bad Weather Changes Red Lake Celebration Plans

Owing to unfavorable weather conditions, the Red Lake county fair was called off on the second day. The original plan was to make it a three-day event, beginning July 4. The crowds entertained on the first two days were quite large and a splendid program of amusements was provided. One of the chief attractions was the ball game on Tuesday between Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls in which the latter pulled down the long end of a 2 to 3 score. Rain stopped the game at the end of the fifth inning.

The plan now is to hold another fair in the fall, at which time extensive preparations will be made and a good advertising campaign conducted.

PRODUCE SHIPPERS IN ANNUAL MEETING

Elect Officers and Start New Year With Bright Prospects. Will Aid Farm Bureau.

The Pennington County Produce association held a meeting at the Merchants' State bank, St. Hilaire, last Friday evening, July 8. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Alfred Benson, St. Hilaire; vice president, Dan Johnson, St. Hilaire; secretary and treasurer, R. J. McKercher, St. Hilaire; manager, J. J. McCann, Thief River Falls; directors, Jens Letnes, Thief River Falls, Ben Rosendahl, Thief River Falls, O. K. Sevre, St. Hilaire.

The association agreed to handle potatoes for the members of the association only. J. J. McCann was elected to represent the organization at the state meeting to be held at the West Hotel, Minneapolis, on July 11.

Each member gave an estimate as to the number of bushels he would have in this year's crop and the number of sacks needed for marketing the product. The association, recognizing the value of the Farm Bureau in assisting production and marketing during the past year, contributed $100 for the maintenance of the bureau organization, with the statement that more would be forthcoming if necessary.

This association is one of the rapidly progressing organizations of the state, which is revealed by the statement of business done during the past year. The officers and directors look for a very successful season in 1921 and hope to raise nothing but certified seed in future years.

Narrow Escape.

Andy, ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dedrick Knutson, 524 Riverside avenue south, last evening had a very narrow escape from drowning. The lad, in company with a number of other children about his own age, went bathing in the river near Lovers' Lane and somehow got into water too deep for him. Severn Brandon happened to be close by and heard the boy's cry, going immediately to the rescue. Mr. Brandon managed to get the boy out of the water as he was going down for the third time and soon had him safe on dry land. It was a close call and but for the fortunate fact that an older person happened to be near, Red Lake river would today have another name on its list of victims.

GOOD SPEAKER FOR NONPARTISAN TALK TO-NIGHT IN CITY

George D. Brewer, League National Lecturer, Slated For Speech at Auditorium.

George D. Brewer, national lecturer for the Nonpartisan League, is scheduled to speak in the auditorium, Thief River Falls, this evening at 8:15 o'clock. Mr. Brewer is a speaker of wide reputation and it is anticipated that a large crowd will turn out to hear him.

While there is not a political campaign in progress in the state at the present time, there are many questions of a political and economic nature which are of immediate and pressing importance. Mr. Brewer proposes to discuss these questions from the standpoint of the organization to which he belongs, and those who have heard him on previous occasions have no hesitancy in declaring that the speech will be well worth hearing.

Everybody, farmers and townspeople alike, are urged to attend the meeting, and to bring their friends.

LOVERS' LANE PARK GREATLY IMPROVED

Afternoon of Strenuous Labor Concluded With Supper Served By Ladies.

A big step forward in the matter of providing a suitable park for Thief River Falls was taken yesterday afternoon when more than a hundred residents of the city armed themselves with spades, rakes and similar weapons and descended upon stumps, underbrush and other objects which do not harmonize with the surroundings in Lovers' Lane. A large amount of real work was accomplished and the place looks a hundred per cent better as a result. It is the intention of those in charge to arrange another of these "clearing bees" for some day in the near future, which will likely bring about all the clearing necessary for the present.

As a fitting conclusion for an afternoon of strenuous effort on the part of the volunteers, members of the Woman's club arranged an elegant supper, which was served in the park. And the workers partook of the tasteful viands with no small degree of enthusiasm, for most of them had been doing manual labor and in sufficient quantity to create a genuine appetite.

Several local business concerns donated liberally to the supper, the following items being reported by the ladies having the matter in charge: Thief River creamery, cream; Kiewel Products company, ice cream and malt; Bredeson & company, Peoples' Co-operative company and City Meat and Grocery, coffee; Loken Brothers, Laird's Specialty Shop and Mulry's Bazar, paper plates and spoons.

The undertaking was a complete success from every point of view and the park board feels highly encouraged by the keen public interest taken in the matter of providing needed park facilities.

Marshall Commissioners Donate to Farm Bureau

Marshall county has no intention of letting its farm bureau fall by the wayside, having come to realize that it is a very important institution and worthy of public support. The board of county commissioners at its meeting on Monday authorized an appropriation of $2,000 to help carry on the work for the coming year, and although this sum is somewhat less than had been anticipated by farm bureau boosters, it assures the maintenance of the organization.

Owing to its large area Marshall county has found one county agent to be insufficient and accordingly has engaged two, placing one with headquarters at Warren and the other at Grygla. This arrangement gives all parts of the county excellent service and the large membership in the Marshall county organization would indicate that farmers appreciate what the bureau is doing for them.

CROP PROSPECT PROMISES LESS THAN WEEK AGO

Long Drouth and Hot Weather Affect Spring Wheat and Oats in Northwest.

Discouraging Reports of Crops Reach University Experiment Farm, St. Paul.

Corn Said to Be Only Staple to Withstand Ravages of Extreme Temperature.

While reports from the immediate vicinity of Thief River Falls continue optimistic, crop conditions generally are not so promising today as they were a week ago. Reports made by county agents and other agriculture experts who have been touring the state, according to Professor Andrew Boss, vice-director of the experiment station, University farm, St. Paul, on Tuesday, indicate that the general crop outlook, which was encouraging two weeks ago, has materially changed and that damage has been sustained by every major crop in Minnesota, except corn, during the superheated period since July 1.

Reports Discouraging.

Here are the gist of the reports as announced by Prof. Boss:

Oats particularly have suffered. Heads are not well filled and the grain is maturing too early.

Spring wheat growing on sandy soil has been burned out.

Crops planted in dark soil have been damaged.

The early potato crop is hurt. It is still a question whether the late potato crop can reach its usual proportions or quality.

The general rains of two weeks ago literally saved the crops of the state.

Farmer Fears Aroused.

Contrary to the optimistic reports spread broadcast throughout the northwest, farmers are gravely concerned with the outlook. Knute Christensen, Benedict, N. D., reports that the crops in Ward, McLean and McHenry counties, lying in the west central portion of the state, are "better than half gone" from the heat. The heat still continues, he adds.

Reports made by P. H. Kirk, Minnesota statistician for the United States department of agriculture, for the period ending July 1, showed a falling off of prospective yields in major crops from the 1920 average, but struck an optimistic note.

During the month of June the weather was ideal for growth, the statistician said, in reference to corn. He saw serious damage for the oat crop only in light soils.

Even at that time early oats which were in the milk were perhaps damaged some and the late oats where heads were just forming would undoubtedly be small he stated. Two weeks of arid weather has added to the destruction, according to Professor Boss. The statistician reported damage to all grains during the period covered.

HOLSTEIN HEIFERS BRING GOOD PRICE

Pennington County Farmer Secures Two Pure Breds at Record Figure.

That Pennington county farmers are rapidly getting to a point where they appreciate the true value of pure bred live stock is becoming more and more apparent every day. Especially is this true in the matter of dairy cattle. While the ordinary scrub varieties of cattle are hardly worth sending to market and calves are actually not worth their keeps in many instances, pure bred stock is commanding good prices.

Waldie Christensen, one of the prominent young farmers residing west of Thief River Falls, is one of those who has made up his mind that the only salvation for the farmer lies in getting into the live stock industry on a strictly pure bred basis. Mr. Christensen recently purchased a pure bred Holstein sire and this week bought from the fine herd of Fred Beerbower two heifer calves, three and four months old, paying $500 for the two. These calves are of exceptionally fine Holstein breeding and while the price may seem a little high to some, it is generally conceded by those versed in such matters that Mr. Christensen secured a bargain.

Marshall County Farmers Are Improving Corn Crop

B. R. Houser, Marshall county agent, reports that eleven farmers of the Warren, Radium and Argyle districts are growing seed plots as a part of the movement for the development of an early maturing corn which will be adapted to the Red River valley. The co-operators were supplied with seed of Northwestern Dent, White Cap Dent, and Minnesota No. 13. The Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston has made distinct progress in putting the valley on an all-around farming basis.

Church Convention May Be Entertained Here in 1922

Rev. T. E. Sweger, J. O. Sether and A. G. Loftnes returned the first of the week from Duluth, where they had been in attendance at the convention of the Northern Minnesota District of the Norwegian Lutheran church. They were delegates from Trinity Lutheran church of this city. A large number of delegates from the northern half the state were present at the convention, which proved very successful in every respect.

Thief River Falls extended an invitation to entertain the convention next year and stands a good chance of being chosen for the meeting as Detroit is the only other place considered a formidable contender for the honor. A committee having the matter in charge will make a decision in the near future.

Rev. Sweger states that contrary to general belief, Duluth is about the hottest place on the map. He says the only way for people there to cool off is to go in a boat some distance out onto Lake Superior as the famous lake breezes seemed to have lost all effect in the city.

BABCOCK CARES FOR ALL ROADS DURING SEASON

Statewide Benefit Prompt With 1,000 Men in Field Under Amendment No. 1.

State Department Gives List of Men By Localities—Employes in This Section.

More Attention Will Be Paid to Public Highway Maintenance Than in Past.

Under its "performance first" policy, the Minnesota Highway department is making public fairly complete lists in this and other districts of road patrolmen, many of whom have been on the job weeks and longer.

Patrolmen on trunk highways in this section follow: No. 32—Iver T. Bugge, Thief River Falls; Henry L. Sande, Thief River Falls; Albert Severson, St. Hilaire; Arnold Zutz, Red Lake Falls; Henry Siedentopf, Red Lake Falls; Nels N. Ness, Holt; Gotfried Anderson, Middle River; Ole O. Holmestad, Strathcona. No. 23—Gilbert Dierhein, Thief River Falls; Halvor Olson, Thief River Falls; Carl Jensen, Thief River Falls; John E. Hill, Radium; Morris Anderson, Warren.

Ends County Control.

The placing of maintenance patrolmen marks the taking over of trunk highways by the state and the end of the period during which counties have been forced to spend the greater part of their road and bridge funds to repair and improve these main roads. Local road authorities now will have more funds and time to devote exclusively to so-called farmer roads connecting with the trunk routes. Officials agree that the new plan should bring marked improvement in the condition of all roads in the state.

Commissioner C. M. Babcock of the highway department announced at the outset that the employment of each patrolman is conditioned upon the results given on his section. "Keep your section smooth," he urged, "because the public judges a road by its riding and hauling qualities."

List of Patrolmen Grows.

Patrolmen numbered 1,009 on the last payroll in the highway department, and the list is growing rapidly as more men are added to provide one for each five to eight mile section in the state. Every patrolman is equipped with team or tractor, grader, drags and other tools and must give ten hours a day to his road work.

First general, statewide benefits under the Babcock plan are being spread by this big maintenance organization, for which $3,000,000 is apportioned this season. New construction in many scattered sections will result in special benefits, but the maintenance reaches every mile of the 7,000-mile system.

The placing of more than 1,000 patrolmen on the trunk in every part of Minnesota in less than 60 days is cited by friends of the good roads movement as further evidence of the speed with which the highway department is handling the big task of promptly launching the great highway development plan.

County Agent's Father Dead.

County Agent J. J. McCann on Saturday evening received a message from his old home at Rock Elm, Wis., stating that his father had passed away. Mr. McCann left immediately for that place to be present at the funeral. No details concerning the death were given in the message.

Granted Permit.

Ed. Hilson was on Tuesday evening granted a permit by the council to erect a garage. The building will be constructed of wood with shingle roof and the estimated cost is placed at $250.

MORE BARGAINS THAN EVER FOR BIG VALUE DAY

Second Market Day in Thief River Falls is Set for Wednesday, July 27.

Merchants to Continue Giving Unheard-of Bargains on These Occasions.

Five Pounds High Grade Coffee For One Dollar to Constitute Day's Leader.

Wednesday, July 27, has been designated by the Merchants' association as the date for the second of the proposed series of market days to be sponsored by Thief River Falls business men during the summer and fall months. The first market day, Wednesday, June 22, proved such a success that it has been decided to continue the plan indefinitely.

The second event promises to be even better than the first. Business men of the city gained much valuable information during the previous event which will be used to good advantage in making the second market day even more successful in all particulars.

Bargain Attractions.

Of course, the basic idea underlying the whole undertaking is to draw trade to Thief River Falls, and to prove to people in outlying districts that there is no need of sending away for goods which may be purchased to better advantage nearer home.

Visitors in the city on the previous market day found out to their satisfaction that Thief River Falls merchants mean what they say when they advertise bargains. Local business men propose to go even farther on July 27 in the matter of price slashing and visitors that day will have the opportunity of a life-time to secure reliable and seasonable goods at greatly reduced prices.

On the first market day a special price of one dollar for twenty pounds of sugar was made in what is known as the "Round Robin" sale. Next market day the people will be given an opportunity to stock up on coffee, the merchants having decided to sell five pounds of regular 45-cent coffee for one dollar through a plan similar to the one used in disposing of the sugar.

Such an offer should appeal to everyone. The opportunity to buy good coffee at such a price may never come again—at least local merchants cannot afford to make a regular practice of selling it at there figures.

Other Attractions.

Another free auction sale will be conducted for the benefit of market day visitors, besides numerous other things designed for the entertainment and profit of those who spend the day here.

The Times next week will carry complete announcements concerning every detail of the big bargain day, July 27. The paper will be found a useful aid in locating special offers and also in obtaining necessary information concerning special events.

ANNUAL TAX LEVY FOR COUNTY MADE

Commissioners in Semi-Annual Session Make Estimate of Expenses For Year.

The county commissioners held a meeting on Monday at the court house for the purpose of forming the annual budget of county expenses as an aid in arriving at the proper tax levy for next year.

A levy of $30,000 will be made for the county revenue fund, which is an increase of $2,000 over the sum required last year. The road and bridge fund is placed at the same amount as last year—$30,000, while the bond and interest fund is placed at $3,000 as compared with $4,000 last year. The sanatorium fund will struggle along with $4,000, which is $2,000 less than last year. The sinking fund received the largest raise of all, being increased from $3,000 to $6,000.

Next Monday the commissioners will meet as a board of equalization and the following day will hold an adjourned session to complete any unfinished business which may be on hand.

DEVELOPERS ALTER TRIP ARRANGEMENT

Motor Tour Through Northern Valley Counties Cut From Three Days to Two.

The tour to be made over the northern part of the valley under the auspices of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, the first of what is planned to be an annual event, will be limited to two days duration, instead of three as originally planned. The change was made necessary to accommodate representatives of state departments who are expected to accompany the tour.

The start will be made from Crookston following the arrival of the train from the twin cities the morning of the 28th, and will terminate at Warren the evening of the 29th. Plans will be made to hold the closing meeting at Warren early enough to permit the state officials to take the evening train for the eastern part of the state.

Drainage, flood control, road making, fire prevention, land settlement, weed and rust eradication will be among the subjects that will receive attention as the tour progresses. No effort will be made to feature attention upon any one subject to the extent of effecting action at the time of the tour, but suggestions and recommendations will be invited and gone over by a specially organized committee enroute and presented at the final meeting at Warren.

A number of towns have already reported to Secretary C. H. Zealand that they would make additions to the tour. A definite time schedule will be laid out and every effort will be made to strictly adhere to it so that where group meetings are arranged there need be no time wasted either by the local people attending, or the tour party. Announcement of the schedule will be made by a special committee during the present week.

EXPRESS EMPLOYES FORCED TO ACCEPT REDUCTION IN PAY

General Cut, Effective Aug. 1, Will Amount to About Six Cents Per Hour.

Employes of the American Railway Express company will receive a wage reduction of six cents an hour, beginning Aug. 1, under a decision of the United States Labor board on Tuesday. The cut will affect all employes of the company except a few hundred shopmen, about fifty thousand workers, or 25 per cent under the normal force, being in the express service at the present time.

No reduction of express rates is contemplated at this time as a result of the wage cut, express company officials said.

It is estimated that approximately $8,000,000 will be sliced off the annual labor bill of the company under the reduction, with the present number of employes. The company normally employs between seventy and seventy-five thousand workers.

In its petition to the labor board several weeks ago the company asked the restoration of the rates of pay prior to the board's thirty million dollar wage award to express employes on Aug. 10, 1920. A uniform increase in rates of sixteen cents an hour was granted by that decision. Tuesday's ruling takes away less than half of the 1920 award.

Hearings at which both sides presented considerable testimony to the board were held in June.

TRIAL OF GUMMER CHANGED TO FALL

Case of Local Interest Will Be Tried in Fargo at September Term of Court.

The trial of William Gummer, charged with the murder of Marie Wick of Grygla at the Prescott hotel, Fargo, on the night of June 7, which was to have been called for trial the latter part of July, will be called at the regular September term of Cass county district court, Judge A. T. Cole announced on Wednesday.

The continued June term of district court which was to have been called July 16 will be held and several civil cases taken up but the jury for this term has been dismissed until the latter part of September. The reason for the postponement of the jury cases, said Judge Cole, is that many of the jurors who are farmers have asked to be relieved of jury duty until later in the summer because of their work on the farms.

Continuance of the Gummer murder trial until September was deemed advisable, said the judge, because of the heat and the difficulty in obtaining a jury during the busy farming season. It is understood that a change of venue in the Gummer case, which had been hinted by attorneys for the defendant, may not be taken now because of the postponement of the case.

Telephone Conversation Breaks Distance Record

J. W. Noesen arrived last week and is a guest of his brother, Rev. M. J. Noesen, and his sister, Mrs. W. H. Mulry. Mr. Noesen is engaged in the hotel business at Long Beach, Cal., and this is his first visit to this section of the country for a number of years. Mrs. Noesen expects to join her husband here the last of the week and they will make the homeward journey together.

An interesting incident in connection with Mr. Noesen's visit is a telephone message which he received from Long Beach soon after his arrival here. It was from his wife and a conversation was carried on with very little difficulty. As far as known this breaks all records for long distance messages coming into Thief River Falls, New York being the most distant point with which a satisfactory connection had been made up to that time.

FAIR MANAGERS PREPARING FOR BIG FARM SHOW

In Better Shape Than Ever Before to Properly Care For Agricultural Exhibits.

New Exhibition Hall Provides Ample Space for Housing Samples of Products.

Indications Point Toward Many Broken Records at Fair Beginning on August 3.

Preparations are going on at a good rate in every department for the forthcoming Pennington county fair, which will open on Wednesday, Aug. 3, and continue for four days. Secretary Herbert Fuller and his corps of able assistants are leaving nothing undone which can possibly add to the success of the enterprise.

Present indications point to the greatest exhibit in the history of the local fair. An urgent appeal is sent to farmers in all parts of the county asking them to bring in liberal exhibits of farm products, including grains, grasses, vegetables, etc. The exhibits are necessary to make the fair the success it should be, and with the excellent crop of all kinds raised this year there should be no difficulty in breaking former records in arranging the agricultural exhibit.

Improved Display Facilities.

With the new building in process of construction on the fair grounds, facilities for the proper display of farm products have been improved to a great extent. A large part of the new exposition hall has been given over to booths in which to house farm exhibits and these will be in better position than ever before to attract attention.

The new exposition hall is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy when the fair opens. The new building is an octagonal structure, two stories high and 60 feet in diameter. In addition there are two wings, each one story high and 60 feet long, making the main part of the structure 80 feet in length. The balcony will be occupied by the women's department and the school exhibits, being large, with fine light and ventilation. In previous years these exhibits have been housed in the city auditorium owing to lack of room at the fair grounds.

Special Days at Fair.

The first day of the fair has been designated as St. Hilaire day, when it is expected that a large delegation from that village will be here to back up its base ball team, which has been engaged to play a game on that day. Friday, Aug. 5, will be turned over to Goodridge and vicinity, it being the intention to have the Goodridge band furnish part of the music. Visitors from the eastern part of the county no doubt will make an effort to be present in large numbers on the third day of the fair.

Big Value For Money.

With the large number of free attractions offered each afternoon and evening of the fair, admission prices to the grounds are placed at a very reasonable figure, 50 cents being set as the general admission charge. An extra charge of 25 cents will be made for automobiles, and 25 cents also will be required for admission to the grand stand.

PENNINGTON BEGINS RYE CROP HARVEST

Soren Sorenson First Man to Garner New Crop—Record Yield is Indicated.

Soren Sorenson, who operates a farm four miles west of Thief River Falls, holds the distinction of being the first farmer in this section to begin harvesting his 1921 crop. At least he is the first so far as The Times has been able to learn.

On Wednesday, July 6, Mr. Sorenson commenced cutting his rye crop, of which he has about 60 acres. According to Mr. Sorenson, rye never has looked better and his entire field gives promise of a yield of 25 bushels or bettter to the acre. There is a large acreage of winter rye in Pennington county this year and nearly all of it will turn out splendidly.

In addition to his rye crop, Mr. Sorenson has 25 acres of wheat, 15 acres of millet and 15 acres of fodder corn which are coming to the front by leaps and bounds, giving every indication of breaking former production records on the farm.

Short Council Session.

The regular meeting of the city council on Tuesday evening proved to be a short session. After passing the regular batch of bills, approving monthly reports and granting a license to the Union Plumbing and Heating company, the aldermen adjourned to meet on Friday evening at 8 o'clock in special session. At this time the court proceedings in the paving case will have been acted upon and positive action may be taken in the sale of the city's bonds for paving purposes.

City News

Pictorial Review today at Laird's.

Boys' bathing suits, 85c at Mogensen's.—Adv. J14

I. E. Quist of Warren was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Mrs. E. Isaacson of Plummer visited with friends here on Friday and Saturday.

Julian Provencher and son Harold left yesterday afternoon for Grand Forks on business.

Misses Dorothy and Helen Loen of Radium were in the city Monday evening visiting with friends.

M. Maney, C. Schneider, J. E. Maney and W. J. Schneider, all of Grygla were visitors here on Monday.

Misses Gladys and Marie Rogers of Redstone, Mont., arrived here on Saturday and spent several days visiting friends.

Oscar Paulson, Frances Burns and Ted McGinn, were among the numerous local people who spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

Miss Olive Booren, who had visited relatives and friends here since the Fourth, returned to her home at Stillwater on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frye returned the latter part of last week from a three week's motor trip to cities in the southern part of the state and in northern Iowa.

Misses Hazel Haroldson and Alpha Sjoberg, returned to their homes at Crookston Saturday, after spending several days visiting with Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichammer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and family, accompanied by Miss Grace Wilson, Norman Holen and Ed. Brevig, autoed to Maple Lake on Sunday where they spent the day visiting relatives and friends.

Late Fiction. 3c day at Laird's.

Boys' bathing suits, 85c at Mogensen's.—Adv. J14

T. L. Melgaard made a business trip to Holt on Saturday.

F. H. Ault of Warroad attended to matters of business here on Saturday.

A. Helland of Edmore, N. D., spent Sunday in the city visiting with his friends.

Hjalmer Nelson of Gatzke was a business caller in the city the first of the week.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad of St. Hilaire was a shopper in the city yesterday between trains.

A. Hogenson of Minneapolis arrived last week for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. T. P. Hamre.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren and son Harry Jr., left Saturday for Plummer where they will establish their home.

Mrs. Chas. Halgrim arrived last evening from Rosewood for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the J. O. Sether home on Tuesday, July 19. Every member is requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, C. L. Hansen and Miss Olive Booren, autoed to Plummer on Monday evening and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren.

Miss Ruth Lambert of Bozeman, Mont., who spent last week visiting at the home of her brother, Roy Lambert, returned to her home Saturday evening, stopping off at Minneapolis for a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loken left Sunday by car for *Alexandria, the former* continuing to Minneapolis on business while the latter will visit at the home of her parents during his absence. They expect to be gone for two weeks.

"One of the Greatest Economic Problems Is Distribution"

PRESIDENT HARDING in a recent address declared that "one of the greatest economic problems, if not the greatest, is distribution. There can be no doubt of the position of the good roads movement in the solution of the problem. I believe that Federal and State Governments must not only create good roads but they must insist upon the maintenance of good roads. A good road gone wrong is a streak of memorial to neglect and waste. The roads we build must be built for use in the distribution of products rather than for merely pleasure riding. We must foster the use of motor trucks."

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Paper picnic goods at Laird's.

Boys' bathing suits, 85c at Mogensen's.—Adv. J14

Jens O. Rude of Fertile arrived here Tuesday and spent a day on business.

W. J. Schneider of Wales, spent Tuesday in the city attending to matters of business.

Mrs. Wm. Herron and Mrs. Ed. Hilson were guests of friends at Viking yesterday.

Tom Majeres, dispatcher at Crookston was in the city on Monday visiting his folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson of Strandquist arrived here Friday and spent a few days with friends.

Miss Florence Lian, who had visited with relatives at Holt since Saturday returned to this city on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Engen returned to their home at Clearbrook yesterday morning after spending a few days here.

Harry Ives, representative of the State Board of Control, formerly of this city, was a business caller here on Monday.

Mrs. F. C. Merten and daughter of Blue Hill, Neb., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Tarrant this week.

Erling Dahl, of the Kleanall shop, left Tuesday for Grand Forks on a business mission. He returned to this city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Rask and son, Oliver, and daughter, Ruby, of Fargo, visited at the John E. Dahl and O. C. Parbst homes last week.

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Bernhard Olson of Strathcona, accompanied his wife to this city on Saturday, the latter undergoing an operation for acute appendicitis the same day.

Wm. Moravek, who is employed at Minneapolis, came up from the latter named place last week for a two week's visit with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. John Ward and daughter, who had spent two weeks visiting relatives in the southern part of the state, returned to their home here on Friday morning.

I. Halseth, accompanied by Norman Holen and Ed. Brevig, drove to Warren Saturday. The two latter returned in the evening in a new Ford Coupe purchased by Mr. Holen.

Capt. Florence Petri of the Salvation Army, left by car on Wednesday for Crookston from which place she took the train for her home at Jamestown, N. D., where she will spend a three week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Knutson and family spent Saturday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krohn at Viking. Mr. Knutson and Mrs. Krohn are brother and sister. They returned here on Saturday evening.

Miss Effie Christianson visited her sister at Holt between trains on Friday, going to her home at Fertile in the afternoon. Most of her vacation will be spent at Maple Lake, where she and her sister have rented a cottage.

Miss Leesa Lakin, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. A. Penney at Thief River Falls, was over to the ball game last evening. Miss Lakin is now living in California, where she is a professional nurse.—Warren Sheaf.

Mrs. Louise Pawling and daughter, Pauline and son Clarence, accompanied by Art Boos, motored to Fargo on Monday and visited until Wednesday with the former's daughter, Miss Emma, who is taking a course in telegraphy.

A. F. LaBudde, cashier of the Farmers' State Bank, is back at his duties from a trip to Milwaukee and Minneapolis, where he went to transact business and to visit his father who resides in the first named city. —Gonvick Banner.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garvey and son Irol, of Thief River Falls, were Crookston visitors yesterday on their way to Minneapolis by auto. Mrs. Garvey was formerly Miss Mary Ricard and resided here several years ago.—Crookston Times.

Carl Sundahl and Miss Margaret Eichammer motored to Grand Forks Monday where the former attended to business matters while the latter visited at the home of her parents. On their return here they motored by way of Warren where they stopped to witness the baseball game.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Jacobson and daughter, Ruth, left last week for Seattle, Wash, where they will visit relatives for two weeks. From that point they will go to Los Angeles to visit friends for a few days, making stops at Salt Lake City, Denver Sioux City, Minneapolis and Duluth. The entire trip will extend over a month.

Can Raspberries and Loganberries Now

Here is one of the many delicious ways to serve loganberries:

Loganberry Pie

3 cups berries, 1 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons flour. Mix all together. Line plate with paste and build up a fluted rim. Bake in a quick oven at first to set rim. Decrease heat afterwards. Cook until berries are done. When cold, cover with whipped cream, or a meringue.

Meringue made with whites of two eggs, 2 tablespoons sugar, ½ teaspoon lemon juice. Beat egg whites until stiff. Add sugar gradually, then flavoring. Cover pie and return to oven. Bake meringue

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H. Rockne of Goodridge made a business call in the city on Friday.

C. A. Barth of St. Paul formerly of this city made a business call here on Saturday.

Miss Celia Saugen of Steiner visited friends and attended to shopping here on Friday.

Dr. Chester Clark of Greenbush motored down on Saturday on professional business.

Miss Sina Johnson left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she has secured employment.

LeRoy Proctor returned to Crookston Monday afternoon having spent Sunday with his wife here.

Miss Leesa Isaacson went to Crookston on Monday afternoon for a few days' visit with friends.

W. R. Wassgren, H. Christianson and G. Sjoland, all of Warren, were business callers here on Friday.

Miss Anna Brandrud left this city Monday for Fargo where she will visit relatives and friends for a week.

Rasmus Oen, president of the Oen Mercantile Co., left Monday afternoon for Fergus Falls on a business trip.

Roy Miller, accompanied by his sisters, Misses Ella and Merrian, visited with friends at Maple Lake on Sunday.

Mrs. R. B. McWilliams and daughter Helen, are spending a couple of weeks visiting with relatives at Hampton, Ia.

Miss Beatta Haugen of Gatzke arrived here Monday afternoon and remained until the following morning for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and Miss Olive Booren of Stillwater, spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

Mrs. Anna Watson, who had spent some time with her daughter, Mrs. Jason Weatherhead, at Ada, returned to this city on Friday.

Rev. F. J. Seltz and family drove up from St. Paul Saturday and are visiting at the home of Mrs. Seltz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jonas.

W. A. Ziegler, former superintendent of schools here, now residing in Minneapolis, was a business visitor here the latter part of last week.

Miss Blanche Hoium, cashier at Loken's Department store, left for Minneapolis on Saturday to spend two weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Lucille Quinlan, state representative of Child Welfare, was a visitor in the city on Monday. She left on the afternoon train for Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son of Oslo are in the city this week as guests of her mother, Mrs. Anna Watson and sister, Mrs. F. H. Herrick, at the latter's home.

Miss Belle Hermanson, who had enjoyed a two weeks' vacation visiting with relatives at Halstad and Fargo, returned to her home here on Friday morning.

R. Hugenim, manager of the J. C. Penney store at Crookston, spent Wednesday in the city with E. W. Hinricks, manager of the local J. C. Penney Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie were visitors and shoppers in the city on Thursday. They had just returned from a 700-mile automobile trip in the southern part of the state.

Mrs. C. S. Simonson, and two children, accompanied by her sister, Miss Anna Aspelund, returned Saturday morning from Crookston where they had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simonson.

Miss Leesa Lakin, who had spent some time visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. A. Penney, left on Thursday evening for Rochester, where she will continue her visit before returning to her home at Duluth.

Geo. L. Biddick and daughter, Juanita, in company with their guests Benj. Beach and son Myron, left on Monday morning by car for Wadena where the two former will join Mrs. Biddick, who has been visiting relatives at Wadena.

Mrs. James Farr, Sr., and son Glenn, left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting relatives. The latter returned to his home here Tuesday morning while Mrs. Farr will remain for a longer period.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm, Mr. and Mrs. Art Hallen of Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ohm, Mrs. Anna Dock, Pete Storholm and Miss Ruth Severson, spent Sunday at Union Lake, making the trip in the Storholm and Hallin cars.

Mrs. Judith H. Dablow, accompanied by Miss Gustie Johnson, left Saturday morning for Blackduck to spend a few days with friends at Blackduck lake. Miss Johnson will return this week while Mrs. Dablow will remain for a longer period.

Miss Agnes Lunson, who has visited friends in Gonvick for the past two weeks, returned Sunday to Thief River Falls, making the trip there by auto in company with Mr. and Mrs. Ole Malmo, who attended the Fourth of July celebration in that city.—Gonvick Banner.

Jos. Mearow, prominent merchant at Spokane, Wash., who had been in the East on a buying trip, was in the city a couple of days last week as the guest of his mother, Mrs. Annie Mearow and sister, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, returning to his home on Saturday. While in Minneapolis he was a guest of his neice, Mrs. A. L. E. Walgren, nee Doris Brumund.

Mrs. Wm. Nelson and son Robert and daughter Cornelia, of Minneapolis, arrived here on Friday and were guests of Mr. Nelson, who is a salesman in this territory, over Sunday. On Monday and Tuesday they visited at the home of Mrs. Trina Aalberg, going to Warren yesterday morning to join Mr. Nelson from which point they will go to Euglette, where they will visit a sister of Mrs. Nelson's for a few days before returning to their home.

Boys' bathing suits, 85c at Mogensen's.—Adv. J14

Glenn Bennett of Glenwood visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Newton Hensen of Minneapolis is a guest at the home of her cousin, E. L. Rolland, this week.

Mrs. Ethel Pitkin returned Thursday evening to Eveleth after spending a few days here with friends.

Miss Florence Lian of the clerical force at Loken's, visited with friends at Holt the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lindeman, accompanied by Mrs. J. H. Kohlen, all of Amenia, N. D., were visitors here on Friday.

Master Robert Poston left Monday evening for Brownsville, this state, to spend an indefinite time visiting his grandfather.

Half gallon Mason jars for sale, $1.00 per dozen. Also one gallon jugs for 10c each. Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls.

Miss Evelyn Tessum has returned to Minneapolis to continue her studies after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Tessum.

Miss Ruth Mathews and her guest, Miss Janie Maxwell, left Sunday evening for the latter's home at Minneapolis, where Miss Mathews will visit for several days.

Kenneth Streeter leaves tomorrow for Union Lake to get things ready for an outing. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter and the other children expect to leave for the lake Sunday to spend a few days.

Letter files are cheap at Laird's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Boathe of Greenbush spent Sunday here as the guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamry drove to Grafton, N. D., the first of the week on matters of business.

Mrs. Leonora Hollman of Fosston is in the city this week visiting her sisters, Mrs. Elmer Ohm and Mrs. C. Storholm.

Mrs. A. H. Aldrichs of Roberts, Wis., is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bernard Olson of Strathcona, who is a patient at the local hospital.

Miss Josephine Laramie of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived the latter part of last week to spend a month as the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Provencher.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson of Fordville, N. D., arrived here Thursday evening to take up their residence. At present they are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson.

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Ed. Brevig returned Saturday morning from a business trip to the cities.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, was a visitor in this city on Saturday.

P. O. Sanderson and sons Myron and Henry of Strandquist, were over Sunday visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Curtiss of Baudette arrived here on Monday and spent a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. M. J. Heggland of Roseau shopped in this city on Friday, returning to her home on Saturday morning.

Mrs. Gunder Olson of Kimpton, arrived here Saturday evening and remained for a few days, visiting with local friends.

Chas. Munn, manager of the Standard Oil Station here, motored to Crookston and Maple Lake on Saturday and Sunday respectively, returning to this city on Monday.

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THE COUNTY FAIR.

The near future's most important event as far as Thief River Falls and Pennington county are concerned is the county fair, which will open on Wednesday, August 3, and continue for four days. The Pennington county fair is strictly a local institution and for this reason every resident of the county should be vitally interested in its success. The fair has grown from a very humble beginning twenty years ago, until of late years it has come to be recognized as the banner fair of Northwestern Minnesota.

Two things are necessary for the success of a county fair. In the first place, the fair must receive the loyal support of all concerned, and in the second—it must be staged in a community which has the agricultural and other products to make a reasonably good showing.

Pennington county has both of these—the resources and the booster spirit of its citizens backing the fair. All that remains to be done is for everyone to do his part in furnishing exhibits, and the forthcoming fair will have the finest displays ever shown at a similar institution.

The matter of entertainment for visitors to the fair is largely in the hands of the fair management. The programs to be furnished this year are far above anything ever before attempted here, the officers of the association having spared no effort in securing the very best to be had in all lines.

But, unfortunately, entertainment features alone cannot make the fair a success. More than these are required. In order properly to serve the purpose for which it is intended, there must be on display generous exhibits showing the resources of the county and the handiwork of its citizens. This is the point at which the general public must come to the aid of the fair management. In the matter of generous exhibits everything rests with the people of village, city and county, and each should appoint himself a committee of one to see that he does his share.

A Short-Sighted Step.

(Red Lake Falls Gazette.)

The Pennington county commissioners have refused to grant further support to the Pennington county farm bureau, and if that useful agency is to be continued it must be aided by popular subscription. The action of the county board is a short-sighted one and is greatly to be regretted. The farm bureau movement is just getting to the place where it can be of wonderful help to any farmer who will make use of it, and the co-operative marketing institutions that the bureau is organizing bid fair to solve the problem of eliminating the unnecessary middlemen or profit-takers. The backward step of the Pennington county board is contrasted with the progressive stand of the Red Lake county board which this year voted an appropriation of $3,000 to carry on the work of the county farm bureau. The commissioners have faith in the farm bureau because it has seen what the farm bureau has done for the farmers of Red Lake county. The farm bureau did great work under former County Agent Lake and under the able leadership of County Agent L. M. Bond the good work is being continued. The bureau is a permanent institution in Red Lake county. More power to it!

OBSERVATIONS.

(Bill Noonan in Baudette Region.)

According to a doctor it requires 21 muscles to manufacture a smile. Don't act as if yours were paralyzed.

Our idea of something not to complain about was the heavy rain that spoiled the roads this week.

While nobody has asked our opinion on the subject, we think there is something rotten in a state a good deal closer than Denmark when big bruiser like Dempsey can make as much in eleven minutes as President Harding does in four years.

An Illinois man hit a woman on the nose as she was standing at his gate, and when they jailed him he said he thought it was his wife.

Those who have been hollering for a concrete example of the worth of the Babcock amendment will get it in the new bridge which is to be built across the Baudette river.

Many people doubt the numerous rumors that the Soo is to build to Baudette, but where there is so much smoke there is bound to be a locomotive not far off.

The commission appointed five years ago to fix Lake of the Woods water levels is making some progress. It has discovered that there is a lot of water in the lake.

Rockefeller is preparing to give away another hundred million, but we know a Baudette lad who shared his last bottle of Scotch with a friend the other night.

We don't know why so many Baudetters are making trips over into Canada these days, but we bet we could hit it in three guesses.

It isn't a question what to wear these hot days, but what to leave off.

Page the Grumblers.

After knowing what we know about the weather, we wonder what has become of the fellow who used to say there was no summer in Northern Minnesota.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Give a Thought to Your Horse These Sultry Days

The following rules for taking care of work horses during the hot summer months have been prepared by the Boston Work-Horse Relief association and will be found to contain much excellent advice:

Load lightly, and drive slowly.

Stop in the shade if possible.

A sponge on top of the head, or even a cloth, is good if kept wet. If dry it is worse than nothing.

Water your horse as often as possible. So long as a horse is working, water in small quantities will not hurt him. But let him drink only a few swallows if he is going to stand still.

When he comes in after work, sponge off the harness marks and sweat, his eyes, nose and mouth, and the dock. Wash his feet but not his legs.

If the thermometer is 75 degrees or higher, wipe him all over with a damp sponge, using vinegar water if possible. Do not wash the horse at night.

Saturday night, give him a bran mash, lukewarm, and add a tablespoonful of saltpetre.

Watch your horse. If he stops sweating suddenly, or if he breathes short and quick, or if his ears droop, or if he stands with his legs braced sideways, he is in danger of a heat or sun stroke and needs attention at once.

If the horse is overcome by heat, get him into the shade, remove harness and bridle, wash out his mouth, sponge him all over, shower his legs, and give him two ounces of aromatic spirits of ammonia, or two ounces of sweet spirits of nitre, in a pint of water; or give him a pint of coffee warm. Cool his head at once, using cold water, or, if necessary, chopped ice, wrapped in a cloth.

If the horse is off his feed, try him with two quarts of oats mixed with bran, and a little water, and add a little salt or sugar. Or give him oatmeal gruel or barley water to drink.

Clean your horse at night, so that he can rest well, and clean him thoroughly. The salt dandruff drying on his skin makes him uncomfortable, and often produces soreness under the harness.

Do not fail to water him at night after he has eaten his hay. If you don't he will be thirsty all night.

If it is so hot that the horse sweats in the stable at night, tie him outside, with bedding under him. Unless he cools off during the night, he cannot well stand the next day's heat.

Young Woman Secures Choice Position

The big Northern Packing Co. comes to the U. C. C. when it wants help. Recently a splendid position was open and we sent Miss Anne Knutson to fill it. Young men and women with a business education are wanted in all lines of business. Miss Florence Gavin goes to the Merchants' State Bank, Garrison, N. D., Mr. Elmer Vorachek we placed with this bank some time ago. He has been promoted to assistant cashier. If you would like to get a start in life, send for our free catalog and find out what this big busy school can do for you.

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Churches

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Services in English, 7:45. Services at Norden 2 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:45. Parochial school every day in church basement.

Swedish Mission Church—Services will be held Sunday, July 17th at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., when Rey. A. Lofdahl of Melforth, Canada will preach and Friday at 8 p. m. Fred Brodin will preach.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. During the absence of the pastor, who preaches at Ada, Rev. F. J. Seltz, the former pastor, will occupy the pulpit.

Christian Science — Services are held each Sunday in the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject July 17, "Life." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open for reading room on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Silverton Lutheran Church, E. O. Sabo, Pastor—Services Sunday, July 17, at 3 p. m., by Rev. T. E. Sweger. Young Peoples' Society after services entertained by Mesdames M. J. Berg, Syvert Hanson, K. Loyland and Ingebret Nelson.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Divine services in Norwegian Sunday at 11 a. m. Ladies' Aid society meets Thursday afternoon and Young Peoples' League Thursday evening, July 21st. Parochial school closes July 22. Parochial and Sunday School picnic and open air service at Squaw Point, July 24.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, A. I. Raum, Pastor—Service in Thorvik Sunday at 11 o'clock. Confirmants will meet after service. The Ladies' Aid in Bethlehem will have a Missionary social at 3 p. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—July 17. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning worship. Holy Communion. 7 p. m. C. E., "Judging Unkindly." 8 p. m., evening service, stereoptican pictures, subject, "The Needs." On Friday, July 15 the Woman's Missionary society meets with Mrs. Schutt, the vice-president in charge.

Swedish Baptist Church—Services will be conducted Thursday evening, July 21st at 8:00 o'clock. Rev. C. E. Bergfalk and Rev. Lundin will speak and the public is cordially invited.

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THREE SCALPS FOR LOCAL BALL TEAM DURING PAST WEEK

Thief River Boys Set Fast Pace and Defeat All Comers, Argyle Tonight.

The past week has been one of easy sailing for the local base ball team, three victories being listed to its credit and not a single defeat. Saturday evening the boys took on McIntosh in what was scheduled to be the first of a series of two games, the second to be played Sunday afternoon. This game the local team gathered in by the comfortable margin of 6 to 1. Sunday's game did not materialize owing to the fact that the McIntosh sluggers became peeved about something and refused to continue the series. The real reason for this action was not apparent, but the boys just naturally quit and went home, that's all. Of course, they started out to kick about the choice of umpires, but observers all agree they had no kick coming on this score.

Warren has come back, at least in the matter of base ball. She now has reorganized her team by the addition of several new players and it is an aggregation not to be sneezed at. On Monday afternoon the locals went over there and engaged them in a battle which proved to be one of the best of the season, ending 3 to 2 in favor of Thief River Falls. In strong contrast to former games with the Warren team, Monday's contest was entirely devoid of rag chewing and other objectionable features. It was a gentlemen's game all the way through.

The Red Lake Falls team came up Tuesday evening and engaged the locals on the home diamond. The boys from down the river put up a fine article of ball and at no stage of the game did the Thief River lads have the contest cinched. The locals, however, managed to come out of the long end of the horn with a score of 3 to 2. Carlson did the pitching for the home boys, while Keifenheim twirled the spheroid for Red Lake Falls.

This evening another interesting game is booked for the home diamond. Argyle is coming over to try conclusions and it is claimed the boys are coming loaded for bear. The Thief River boys are determined to make the week a "ringer" if such a thing is possible, and they'll have to beat Argyle to do it. A real game is in store for the fans.

Motorists Take Chances When Neglecting License

Chief of Police E. O. Erickson is in receipt of a communication from James E. Markham, assistant attorney general, regarding the placing of number plates on motor vehicles. The letter is given publicity for the benefit of those who are still running their cars with old license plates or with none at all. It follows:

"No person shall operate or drive a motor vehicle on the public highways unless such vehicle shall have been registered in accordance with the law and shall have the number plate assigned to it by the registrar of motor vehicles conspicuously displayed thereon. There is no such thing as a temporary 'in transit' plate. The vehicle must bear the official plates and these must be so displayed that they are plainly discernible.

"The plates must be legible, unobscured and free from grease, dust or other blurring material so as to be plainly visible at all times. These requirements are not met by fastening the plates in an obscure place where they are not clearly visible, nor are they met where the owner permits the numbers to become obscured in any other way because of the presence of grease and an accumulation of dust or grime."

General Level of Prices of Farm Crops Advances

General level of prices of farm crops advanced during May, according to the report of the Bureau of Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture. This is the first turn for higher prices of farm crops since the marked decline beginning in June, 1920.

Using 100 as the basis for the average price of farm crops during the year 1913, the index number of the prices on June 1 was 109 as compared to 104 on May 1, and 309 on June 1, 1920, when the peak in the prices of farm crops was reached.

The average price of wheat advanced during May from $1.11 to $1.21; that of corn from 59½ to 62½ cents; barley from 49 to 51 cents; rye from $1.05 to $1.12; and apples from $1.32 to $1.69. Hay, eggs and chickens showed a slight decline in price during the month, while butter declined from 39 cents per pound to 29 cents.

Seek Opinion of Farmers on Agriculture Problems

Answers to the question as to what is wrong with agriculture, which was asked farmers from 1,600 counties in 47 states by the American Farm Bureau Federation to ascertain the opinions of the farmers themselves, began coming into headquarters of the federation at Chicago this week. The answers indicate the farmers believe conditions could be greatly improved by lowering freight rates, levying tariffs on farm products and marketing farm products co-operatively.

SOMETHING SPECIAL FOR FAIR VISITORS IN NEW ATTRACTION

Lovers of Art to Be Given Rare Treat in Beautiful Posing of Dellamead Troupe.

One of the really big attractions of the Pennington county fair, appearing both afternoon and night during the three days, will be the Dellamead Troupe. This high-class offering is an artistic triumph which has pleased thousands at some of the best fairs in America.

This is a posing act giving reproductions of the work of famous sculptors. So realistic is the presentation that artists and sculptors all over the nation have given it their unstinted praise. So perfect is the work of these five beautifully formed young women that the number has been classed by critics as "les magnifiques poseures statuesques."

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"Rock of Ages," "Triumph of Love," "Appollo," "Revenge," "The Fountain," "Seasons," "Passing in Review," and "Columbus Discovering America." This is an especially attractive act at night performances, when special lighting effects of great artistic beauty are used. These are carried by the company especially for a proper presentation of the perfect reproduction of the statues.

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A morbid, unreal, whimsical and melancholy condition of the mind, aside from the nervous physical suffering, is the usual state of the average dyspeptic and life seems scarcely worth the living.

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Geo. Kassa.

Geo. Kassa of Reiner township died on July 11, at the age of 73 years. Funeral services were held this morning from the Catholic church. He leaves to mourn his demise his wife and four sons, George and John of this city, Mike and Steve of Goodridge and one daughter, Mrs. Frank Golba of Harvey, Ill., all of whom were present at the funeral services.

City News

Carl Gulrud went to Grand Forks on Sunday where he visited with friends.

Miss Alice Hall of Middle River spent a few days this week visiting her cousin, Miss Elsie Granum.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Froseth left Saturday evening for Albert Lea, where they will be guests of the latter's parents for a period of two weeks.

Miss Ida Gullseth, who had spent a week here visiting relatives returned to her home at Baker on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist returned on Sunday morning from Minneapolis where she had spent a week visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Evenson and daughter motored to Crookston Sunday where they were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Benj. Sampson.

Albert Lieberman left last week for Duluth where he will visit with relatives for a few days. He will return this week accompanied by Mrs. Lieberman and children who have spent some time at the above named place.

Society

Riersgaard-Langie.

Gunhild Langie and Gilbert Riersgaard were united in marriage on Thursday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran parsonage by Rev. Geo. Larson. Harold O. Langie and Miss Sophie Langie, Dreng Bjornaraa and Olive Langie were the attendants.

Ladies' Aid.

The regular meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be held on Friday afternoon, July 22, in the basement of the church. A picnic lunch will be served.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Olaf Ramstad entertained at a party on Saturday afternoon in compliment to her niece, Marian Reynolds, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The guests were entertained with out-of-door games until the lunch hour at 5 o'clock.

Mission Society to Meet.

The Presbyterian Mission society will meet on Friday afternoon, July 15, at the home of Mrs. E. M. Schutt, 211 Markley Ave. S., at 3:00 o'clock.

Picnic.

The clerical force of Loken's Department store numbering 18, enjoyed a picnic on the banks of the Thief River on Monday evening.

Piano Recital.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson will present her Junior and Senior classes in recital this afternoon and evening respectively, the former to take place at the home of Mrs. E. L. Rolland, 231 W. 2nd street at 3:00 o'clock while the Senior recital will be held at the Presbyterian church at 8:15. Both parents and friends are extended a cordial invitation.

The W. C. T. U. will hold an ice cream social on the Central school lawn on Friday evening, July 15th.

Dinner Party.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren, who left this week for Plummer to establish their home, Mrs. G. W. Booren entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner at her home on Friday evening.

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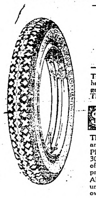

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Men's and Boys'
WORK GLOVES
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GARTERS
Now
19c

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Fibre Silk Hose, all colors, now
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Among Our Neighbors

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. A. F. Hall and daughter Shirley, departed Saturday for Bagley, Minn., and will spend some time there with friends. They expect to be gone a month and will also visit with relatives at St. Cloud before returning.

Mrs. Emil Just is spending this week visit with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stensrude at Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hallstrom returned the latter part of the week, after a two week's honeymoon spent at Alerandria, Minn.

Miss Gladys Gigstad spent Tuesday in Thief River Falls.

Oscar Brevik made a brief visit to Finlayson, Minn., the forepart of the week, attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holmstrom and baby came Friday from their home at Detroit, Minn., for a week's visit at the Rev. A. F. Nelson home.

Misses Hulda Odegaard and Clara Fellman left Saturday for Crookston where they will be employed.

Mrs. Ernest Patnode and children visited over the week end with relatives and friends at Red Lake Falls.

The K. O. Gigstad and A. J. Hed families motored to Thief River Falls Thursday evening to attend the concert given by the Luther College band.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud and son Carl leave the latter part of this week via auto for Milnor, N. D., to be present at the ordination of Mrs. Grimsrud's brother, as pastor at the home church in Milnor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Landman, Ole Lafson and son Lewis and daughter Selma, formed a party who motored to Thief River Falls Thursday evening to attend the Luther College band concert.

Mrs. H. C. Hanson and daughter, Inez, returned Monday to their home at Crookston, after visiting for some time at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Herman Jepson.

Arthur Koidahl, who is employed at Baudette, is spending the week here visiting with his mother, Mrs. H. Koidahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, accompanied by A. F. Hall, motored to Maple Lake Saturday, returning on Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Patterson and son Donald, who will spend a few days here.

Chas. Sandberg, a former resident of this place, now residing at Eveleth, who made a brief visit here last week, left Friday to attend to business matters at Roosevelt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda and baby, motored here Sunday from their home near Thief River Falls, for a brief visit at the home of Mrs. Janda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalland. They were accompanied by the Misses Helga and Amanda Kalland, who have been visiting at the Janda home since returning from Baudette where they have been employed.

Ed. Erickson and Sam Nelson motored to Crookston for a brief visit Saturday evening.

Hjalmer Johnson returned Tuesday from St. Paul, having disposed of a carload of stock there for the Wylie Shipping association.

The Misses Blanche Hoff, Edith and Olive Nelson, motored to Thief River Falls Thursday evening to meet Miss Selma Hoff, who arrived over the Soo after a week's visit at Cass Lake. Before returning home they attended the concert given by the Luther College band.

STEINER

A large number of people from this community attended the celebration at Thief River Falls July 1.

Miss Ruth Solem is home from Bemidji, where she had spent three weeks attending summer school.

The Young People's Society held a meeting at the Steiner school house Saturday evening.

Farmers here have commenced harvesting their crop of tame hay.

Miss Alice Solem, who is taking her third year of nurse training at the Minneapolis general hospital, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem.

Alfred Solem was a business visitor at the Liden home Saturday.

Little Carmen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sande, spent a few days this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether, at Thief River Falls.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Paul and Andrew Kisch of Thief River Falls purchased a Fordson tractor and are now busy plowing on their farm here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christofferson and family of Thief River Falls spent Sunday afternoon at the G. J. Skomedal home.

John Bergland left Friday for Loma, N. D., where he is employed on a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkins and son Walter autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jopprue spent Sunday afternoon at the John Skomedal home.

Miss Tillie and Helga Ose and Tarkel and Gunne Ose and Ed. Teldahl spent Sunday at the home of Talak Ose, who is farming east of Grygla.

Carl Keuhne autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

GOODRIDGE

Lloyd Wlison was in town Wednesday enroute to Minneapolis, after spending a month visiting at his home near Grygla.

Dr. Laney was in town Wednesday enroute to Grygla where he will be located for a few days.

Ed. Graff left Wednesday for Drake, N. D., where he will be employed by the Mill and Elevator association of North Dakota.

Miss Sarah Vaughan returned on Thursday evening from Duluth where she has been attending summer school. She also visited friends at Hibbing.

Mrs. Bennie Johnson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday.

Daniel Shaw and W. B. Fuller of Thief River Falls, were in town Friday afternoon on business.

H. B. Rockne returned Saturday night from a business trip to Detroit.

Anton Lien was in Thief River Falls Saturday evening on business.

James Crosby left Friday evening for North Dakota after attending to business matters here for a few days.

Miss Christine Bundhund attended the dance at Mavie Friday evening.

F. B. Gustafson took two carloads of stock to St. Paul Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowman of Chippewa Falls, Wis., arrived here Saturday enropte to Grygla to visit relatives.

Knute Haslemo of Carmel returned from Warren Saturday where he had attended to business matters.

Palmer Nordby arrived here Saturday from Rainier, Wash., enroute to his home near Grygla for a visit.

Mrs. George Hope of Grygla was in town Wednesday morning enroute home from St. Paul.

Charles Prichard and E. Erickson of Thief River Falls passed through here Wednesday, enroute to Highlanding where they are to be employed on the Red Lake River survey.

W. J. LaBree and H. S. Dahlen of Thief River Falls, were in town Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cromstrom of Thief River Falls were in town Friday afternoon.

Miss Hazel Hakes left Monday evening for her home at Hixton, Wis.

R. R. Johnson arrived Monday from St. Paul to look after business interests he still holds here. He returned home Tuesday.

Miss Christine Bundhund was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday evening, having dental work done.

Alfred Dybvik of Thief River Falls was an over Sunday guest at the J. P. Jensen home.

Coleburn Lofstad left Monday evening for Rothsay, Minn., to visit his uncle, Rev. Bjorneson.

Joe Fisher, who is employed in Thief River Falls, was in town Monday, enroute to Thief River Falls, after attending to his farm interests near Erie.

Miss Freda Bundhund returned to her home Wednesday from Thief River Falls.

Wm. Gaylord was a business caller in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Johnson and Miss Edith Gunderson were in Thief River Falls Wednesday having dental work done.

John Nystul, Harvey Ferdinandson and R. H. McDonald were in Thief River Falls Saturday evening to attend the ball game.

Rev. Earl Mallder left Tuesday for St. Charles, Nebr., where he has received a call within seven miles of the college he intends to attend.

Mrs. Stephen Noble arrived Monday from Austin to visit at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Payne.

Mrs. J. P. Ferdinandson and son, Wesley, were in Thief River Falls on Wednesday attending to business affairs.

Misses Sena and Hilda Christianson left Thursday for the twin cities to visit friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. H. Halvorson and daughter, Mrs. J. Gebhart, returned Tuesday from Grand Forks, where they had been visiting for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Halvorson and daughter, Florence, left Sunday for Bemidji to visit for a few days.

PHONES COLLEGE FOR 6 EMPLOYES

Recently the Standard Oil Co., Fargo, N. D., phoned Dakota Business College of that city for two women stenographers and four male bookkeepers. Misses Hilda Ployhar and Grace Lane, and Messrs Reidlinger, Graff, Paulson and Opheim, were sent. This school has furnished them over 100 employes. D. B. C. boys with this company, alone, have risen to branch managers, chief clerks and department heads.

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BIG INCREASE IN CULTIVATED AREA OF GOPHER STATE

Gain of 3,000,000 Acres in Ten-Year Period Shown in Federal Census Report.

Of the 955,676,545 acres of farm land under cultivation in the United States in 1920, 30,221,758 acres were in Minnesota, of which all but 20,279 acres was operated by white farmers, according to a bulletin from the census bureau made public on Monday. Approximately 3,000,000 acres of new land were brought into the farm acreage in the 10 years since the 1910 census, the report showed. In 1910 the state's farm acreage had been 27,678,823 acres.

In 1920, a total of 19,362,288 acres in farm land was operated by native born white farmers, while foreign born white farmers operated 10,839,191 acres.

The average acreage of Minnesota farms shrank from 177.3 acres in 1910 to 169.3 acres in 1920. Average farms operated by white farmers were reduced in the same ratio, while the average size of farms run by colored farmers, including Indians and Negroes, increased from 80.6 acres to 98 acres.

Native born white farmers operated an average of 174.5 acres in 1920, according to the census bulletin, while foreign born whites farmed an average of 161 acres.

Minnesota farms were 20 acres larger on an average than farms for the entire United States in 1920, running to 169.3 acres, against a national average of 148.2 acres.

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BONUS BOARD WILL HOLD MEETING FOR CLAIM ADJUSTMENT

State Body is Slated For Appearance at Crookston on Thursday, July 21.

The board of review of the Minnesota soldiers' bonus board will hold a meeting at Crookston on Thursday, July 21. The board consists of A. H. Vernon, state commander of the American Legion, Col. H. W. Mollison and E. A. Walsh, and was organized for the purpose of reviewing bonus claims of Minnesota soldiers. The board was appointed by Gov. Preus in accordance with acts of the legislature and is to arrange meetings in various parts of the state at which are invited to appear all ex-service men who have not received their state bonus.

District Chairman Rossberg of the Legion urges that all men in this section of the state who have not received their state bonus should arrange to be at Crookston on that date, and in addition should send their names to him in advance so that their records may be shaped up ready for review by the board, as this will be the only meeting held at Crookston and possibly in this section.

Persons knowing ex-service men to have unpaid claims should bring this meeting to their attention and render them any assistance possible in getting ready for appearing before the *board, as it is the aim and desire of* the state to fully and correctly adjust every claim. In this work the American Legion is lending every possible assistance.

The board will hold its hearings at the rooms of the Crookston Association of Public Affairs, which have been placed at its disposal for the purpose.

HUGE INCREASE IN FARM COSTS CITED

Rise of $27,500,000 in Labor Item For Decade in State Shown.

Minnesota farm statistics gathered by the federal census bureau and just made public show enormous increases in farm expenditures for labor, feed and fertilizers. The increases are in proportion to the general totals for the nation.

Farmers of Minnesota, the bulletin says, stood an expense of $49,811,218 for labor in 1919, compared with $22,330,149 in 1909. Of this, $36,450,774 was paid in cash compared with $16,673,777 in 1909, and $13,360,444 was estimated value for rent, and board furnished, compared with $5,656,372 for 1909.

Farm expenditures for fertilizer in Minnesota were $432,680 in 1919 and $74,653 in 1909. Farmers in the state in 1909 paid $22,940,650 for feed, compared with $5,041,925 in 1909.

The bulletin shows the total expense for farm labor in 1919 in the United States was $1,363,454,380, compared with $651,611,287 in 1909. The figures thus give an increase of $711,843,093, or 109.2 per cent. This increase was due in large part to the high wages paid for farm labor in 1919.

The amount expended by farmers for fertilizer in 1919 was $329,189,912 as compared with $114,882,541 in 1909, representing an increase of $214,307,371, or 186.5 per cent. Of the total expenditure for fertilizer in the United States in 1919, there was 91.8 per cent reported by the states east of the Mississippi river.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Rev. A. Lovdal of Brookington, Sask., Canada, will be in town next Friday and will conduct religious services at the Congregational church at 8:00 p. m.

Mrs. L. H. Aos, accompanied by her youngest daughter Loretta, from [illegible], arrived here last Wednesday for a week's visit with Mrs. Aos' brother, James Thompson and family.

Mrs. Anna Odegaard and children Edner, Selmer and Henry from Hoople, N. D., returned to their home on Monday morning following a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ole J. Nybo, residing west of Holt. They were accompanied by Mr. Nybo who will visit with them for some time.

Miss Ida Gullseth of Donner spent part of last week in town as the guest of her uncle, A. M. Gullseth, and left on Saturday for Benwood, where she will visit with her father, Alec Gullseth.

Melvin Nordgaard returned to Viking on Tuesday after visiting over [illegible] Fourth with his friends, Newell [illegible] Lloyd Anderson.

Miss Agnes Dahle of Erskine has [illegible] in town the past week sewing [illegible] Mrs. A. M. Gullseth. She left on [illegible]urday for Benwood for a visit.

[illegible]elmer Carlson and Miss Mary [illegible]ek arrived on Saturday evening from Devils Lake, N. D., and visited over Sunday with the Carlson and Sagmoen families, leaving in the evening for Erskine where they will visit for a while.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg of Dakota Junction visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Severt Rafteseth, between trains last Wednesday.

M. B. Rafteseth, Mrs. S. Rafteseth and Mrs. Gust Nakken went to Grand Forks last Tuesday to attend to business and also for medical attention.

The Manhatten employees will be in town one day this week and install fixtures so that they can sell gasoline and oil from the Furan & Sorenson garage. An advance man was in town the middle of last week, looking over the conditions.

Benhard and Benj. Ranum are installing a cement bridge and culvert across the drainage ditch on the county road alongside section 4, west of town, which road is being worked and intended to connect in time with a main road further west.

Ed. Sorenson and Axel Anderson of Viking, have accepted driving contracts on the county road construction north of here and will make this town their headquarters in the immediate future.

Mrs. Geo. Walker returned to her home at Kenmare, N. D., on Thursday, following a few days' visit with [illegible] father, John Batten.

[illegible] and Mrs. Abe Stroble and children [illegible]f Angus, were Sunday visitors [illegible] P. Sorenson and Haugen Bros. [illegible]es.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem are spending a week's sojourn with their daughter, Mrs. Henning Backlund at Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. Edna Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Aos and daughter Loretta, motored to Greenbush last Sunday to visit with the John Aos family.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson of Thief River Falls motored up last Monday for a visit with Mrs. Benson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid will have their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Gust Nakken, tomorrow, July 12, a week later than usual.

ERIE

Services were conducted by Rev. Hoyum in the Clover Nook school on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. H. B. Rockne completed a successful term of school in Dist. No. 5 last Thursday. A program was given by the pupils and Supt. Gunderson was also present and gave a short and interesting speech. At the conclusion lunch was served to the large crowd. Mrs. Rockne left the same day for her home at Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schied and two children and Miss Ethel Erickson, all of Grygla, and Mrs. Christofferson, mother of Mrs. Schied, of Fergus Falls, were visitors at L. B. Johnson's on Sunday.

Ed. Watne had an auction sale on Friday and sold out all his stock and machinery. He has rented his farm and plans on engaging in other business. Everything sold at fair prices.

A fast ball game was played between the Erie team and a newly organized team in Star township on Sunday afternoon at Highlanding.

REINER

Most of the people of this vicinity spent the Fourth at Barney Baker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Jonsrud and son of Thief River Falls were visitors at the Andrew Wells home Thursday evening.

J. Lien and son Martin of North Dakota were visitors at E. Grimley's Thursday and Friday.

Harry Erickson and Bennett Jonsrud left one day last week for Forest River, N. D., where they will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Svarre, who have been visiting with Mrs. Svarre's parents, left for their home last Wednesday.

The barn on Louis Smith's place burned to the ground on Saturday.

Miss Florence Burns of Thief River Falls arrived Monday and is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Wells, this week.

Ole Aubol is a visitor at the Albert Arntz home this week.

Misses Tillie and Rose Smith, Jessie and Leona Leslin, visited Mrs. Andrew Wells Saturday afternoon.

John Erickson was in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Mrs. Emil Sigurid is on the sick list this week but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred DuChamp of Mavie were callers at Andrew Wells' home Sunday.

Mr. Svarre and sons, Glenn and John, arrived Thursday from Pelican Rapids and will visit in this vicinity for a while.

The Ladies' Aid meets at Erickson's Thursday afternoon. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Grimley and family were Sunday visitors at Henry Lien's.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30th, 1921.

Resources

Loans and Discounts			$706,914.07
Overdrafts			58.47
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			30,700.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			25,210.00
Other Real Estate			45,000.00
Checks and Drafts in Transit			10.00
Due from other Banks		$30,947.29	
Cash on hand:			
Currency	$7,930.00		
Gold	695.00		
Silver	3,446.10		
Other	154.18	12,225.28	43,172.57
Checks and Cash Items			1,751.20
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			7,062.85
Total			$867,672.06

Liabilities

Capital Stock		$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund		10,000.00
Reserved for Depreciation on Bonds		1,026.81
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		55,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$179,096.95	
Demand Certificates	1,290.58	
Certified Checks	97.67	
Cashier's Checks	1,079.00	
Due to Banks	13,079.21	
Total Immediate Liabilities	199,923.41	
Savings Deposits	38,449.13	
Time Certificates	513,272.71	
Total Deposits	751,645.25	751,645.25
Total		$867,672.06

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.
We, Olaf Ramstad, President and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

OLAF RAMSTAD, President
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors:
A. M. LANGSETH
C. W. VORACHEK

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July, 1921.
E. P. BREVIG,
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires May 29, 1927.

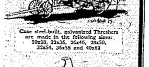

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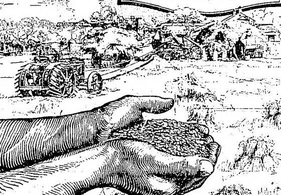

BANK NO.
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1921.

Resources.

Loans and Discounts			$342,685.49
Overdrafts			69.68
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			7,626.84
Other Real Estate			5,003.69
Due from other Banks		$ 16,318.76	
Cash on Hand		7,132.03	
Currency	$ 4,004.00		
Gold	380.00		
Silver	1,436.05		
Other	1,311.98		
Total Cash Assets			23,450.79
Checks and Cash Items			3,524.41
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			1,751.28
Total			$384,112.18

Liabilities.

Capital Stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		5,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		20,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$153,751.52	
Cashier's Checks	16,736.02	
Due to Banks	697.19	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$171,184.73	
Savings Deposits	21,601.36	
Time Certificates	141,326.09	
Total Deposits	$334,112.18	334,112.18
Total		$384,112.18

Amount of Reserve on hand	$26,975.20
Amount of Reserve Required by Law	28,688.53

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.
We, R. McGinn, President, and L. A. Lampert, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledg and belief.

R. McGINN, President.
L. A. LAMPERT, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors:
LOUIS DeCREMER,
A. S. LIEBERMAN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1921.
M. T. McFARLAND,
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires February 28, 1925.

BANK NO. 1234
STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF HAZEL, MINNESOTA, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1921.

Resources.

Loans and Discounts			$ 98,553.91
Overdrafts			38.18
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			91.00
Bonds and Securities other than U. S.			231.94
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,200.00
Other Real Estate			2,208.84
Checks and Drafts in Transit			52.06
Due from other Banks	[illegible]		
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	[illegible]		
Gold	[illegible]		
Silver	[illegible]		
Other	[illegible]		
Total Cash Assets			13,904.51
Checks and Cash Items			157.81
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			3,318.01
Total			$122,792.86

Liabilities.

Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		8,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 21,296.69	
Cashier's Checks	227.00	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 21,523.69	
Savings Deposits	3,618.72	
Time Certificates	77,650.45	
Total Deposits	$102,792.86	102,792.86
Total		$122,792.86

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.
We, Paul Borgie, Vice President, and E. C. Karwand, Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President.
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors:
C. W. VORACHEK,
OLE ODEGAARD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1921.
T. L. MELGAARD,
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Dec. 4, 1921.

Butterfat Prices

CASH PRICE NOW

34c

Thief River Co-operative Creamery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Office of Comptroller of the Currency.
Washington, June 28, 1921.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes" approved July 12, 1882;

Now, Therefore, I, D. R. Crissinger, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association, namely, until close of business on June 28, 1941.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-eighth day of June, 1921.

(SEAL) (signed) D. R. CRISSINGER
Comptroller of the Currency
Charter No. 5891 Extension No. 4021
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Augusta Smith and Frank H. Smith, wife and husband, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 18th day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 473;

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 15th day of June, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Book 63 of Mortgages on page 237, and

Whereas the said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Seventeen and 29-100 Dollars ($217.29) as follows: The sum of One Hundred Sixty-three Dollars ($163.00) thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and the sum of Fifty-four and 29-100 Dollars ($54.29) thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas, the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty (40) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 6th day of August, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Seventeen and 29-100 Dollars ($217.29), and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's Fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 20th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
j23-30-jl-7-14-21-28

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Martin Hyland and Carrie Hyland, his wife, as mortgagors to The Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, dated December 21st, 1915, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "3" of Mortgages, page 617, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1915, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) and authorized to do and doing business in the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated on said 29th day of December, A. D., 1915, and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915 at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 42, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1921 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "62" of Mortgages on page 334; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty and 74-100 ($1960.74) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Northeast (NE) quarter of section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred and Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred and sixty acres according to the United States survey thereof,

will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday the 8th day of August, A. D. 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars Attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, June 9th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
CHRISTOFFERSON, WALSH,
CHRISTOFFERSON and JACKSON,
Attorneys for assignee of Mortgagee,
621 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
j23-30-jl-7-14-21-28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred Seven and 75-100ths ($507.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed, and delivered by F. D. Beard, an unmarried man, Mortgagor, to Sam Nauman and N. E. Gaass Mortgagees, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April 1920, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 62 of Mortgages, on page 446, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The east half of the southwest quarter (E½SW¼) and lots three (3) and four (4), of section nineteen (19), in township one-hundred-fifty-three (153) north, of range forty-five (45), west of the fifth principal meridian in Pennington County, Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 27th day of July, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $507.75 and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 2nd, A. D. 1921.

SAM NAUMAN,
N. E. GAASS,
Mortgagees.
F. A. GRADY,
Mortgagees' Attorney,
Crookston, Minnesota.
j9-16-23-30-jl7-14

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Anna K. Thoreson and Peder H. Thoreson, her husband, as mortgagors to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, dated December 22nd, 1915 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1915 at 4:00 o'clock P. M., and recorded in Book "12" of Mortgages on page 202, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 12th day of May, A. D., 1921, assigned by said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 12th day of May, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1921 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 586; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-six and 67-100 ($2,556.67) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash, and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five (75) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, May 19th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
RICHARD A. WALSH,
Attorney for assignee of mortgagee,
502-4 Central Bank Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cheap and on easy terms, 6 room house and 3 lots. 220 Markley Ave. S. 23p

FOR SALE—Threshing rig in first-class running order. Cheap if sold soon. Kotlan Bros. 23p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1125. 15tf

FOR SALE—Lot east of Flower Shop on Third street. Also two good milch cows and one six room house. Enquire at first house north of Park hotel.—21p.

FOR SALE—Emerson gang plow, good as new. Call 725 Eighth St. E. Will sell cheap. 23p

FOR SALE—One good bicycle cheap. Inquire at express office. 23p

FOR SALE OR RENT—Barn and lot; can be used for garage. See Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 23

FOR SALE—200 bushels feed oats, 40c per bushel. Frank Svobodny, Thief River Falls, Minn. 23tf

COW FOR SALE—Coming fresh soon. High-grade Guernsey. F. M. Klein, R1, St. Hilaire. 21pd

FOR SALE—Fine modern six-room home on East Side. First and Peoples' State Bank. 2tf

FOR SALE—160 acres of hay land in township of Highlanding. Nels Ostvolden. Phone 4571, City. 21p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 535. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Team of 8 and 10 year old horses, weight about 1300 each. George Kassa, Thief River Falls, Minn. R. No. 3. 23p

FOR SALE—Threshing rig: Twin City tractor 25-45 and Peerless separator, 30-46. Also 3-bottom John Deere plow. H. P. Nabben, Germantown R1 23p

NOTICE—The Anton Martinson farm in Section 1, Town of New Solum, Marshall county, is still unsold and is for sale cheap. Less than $20.00 per acre. Small house, pasture and other improvements. Write or see C. A. Swanson, Thief River Falls.—21p.

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 4T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5163 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1125. 15tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 40pd

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 24p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Hay on the west half of Sec. 26, Town of Smiley, some tame and some wild hay. For terms see McDaniel & Reamer, Thief River Falls. 22p

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FOR RENT—At once, 160-acre farm with good buildings, fenced, and with 115 acres in field. Also have 12 to 15 milch cows to rent with farm. Located southeast of Goodridge, in township of Star. Write John T. Hommes, Highlanding, Minn. 22tf

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterns. 13tf

FOR RENT—1000 acres hay land near Mavie and Goodridge. Farmers Co-operative Land Co. 13tf

Help Wanted—Male

WATKINS Summer Drinks, Watkins Cocoanut Oil Shampoo and a big line of over 137 other quality products are big sellers. We want a lady or gentleman agent in Thief River Falls and other vacant cities. Write today for free sample and particulars. J. R. Watkins Co. 66 Winona, Minn.—21p.

Help Wanted—Female

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Call at 209 St. Paul Ave. No., 22tf

WANTED—One or two girls to cook for threshing crew of 10 or 11 men. State wages wanted. Write John Moe, Route 6 Grafton, N. D. 23

LOST

LOST—Ladies' gold wrist watch on July 4, probably near rink. Finder please return to The Times.—22p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Plowing. Apply at McFarland's Garage. 21p

WANTED—To do dressmaking by day or piece. Phone 303 or call 611 LaBree Ave. N. Mrs. Lee. 23p

LET US DO your Vulcanizing the right way at the right price. Thief River Falls Vulcanizing Co., 221 1st St. E. j23-jl.21p

WANTED—TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car as part payment. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 18tf

NEW FIREWORKS FEATURE SHOWN AT COUNTY FAIR

Something New and Unique Offered Fair Visitors at Annual Event Next Month.

Two Hours of Thrilling Entertainment Given Free Each Evening on Grounds.

Contract Signed With World's Largest Makers of Fireworks For Displays.

Definite booking of a series of mammoth fireworks displays as one of the headline attractions at the Pennington county fair, was announced this week by Secretary Herbert Fuller.

This will be the biggest fireworks program of its kind ever produced in the state, officials of the fair said in announcing the signing of contracts. It will be put on under the supervision of expert operators from the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks Display company of Chicago. They are the largest producers of fireworks attractions in the world.

Each Display a Show.

Each display will comprise a special evening show in itself, in addition to the regular features of the fair. Practically every variety and type of modern pyrotechnics will be included in the program. All the material used in the production will be shipped here from Chicago, and the big explosive effects, aerial devices and set pieces will be controlled and operated by special safety apparatus.

Very Best to be Had.

"There are many fireworks attractions now being offered to the fairs," Secretary Fuller said in announcing the engagement, "but this is far out of the ordinary run of night shows. We have looked over practically everything in this line. Fireworks displays which we have engaged for this year stand head and shoulders above anything of their kind that has ever been offered. They are spectacular in the extreme and provide two hours of countless thrills and perfect entertainment."

Seven Aliens Apply For Adoption By Uncle Sam

A hearing for the granting of applications for citizenship will be conducted by Judge Andrew Grindeland at the Pennington county court house on Friday, Aug. 5. The hearing had originally been set for July 29, but the court found it necessary to postpone it until the later date.

Seven applicants have filed their intention of becoming full-fledged citizens of the United States at this hearing. They are: Charles Langer, native of Austria, whose petition has been on file for some time but could not receive consideration due to the fact that a technical state of war has until very recently existed between the United States and his native land; Axel Olson, Carl Christofferson, Olof Helmer Sorenson and Aanond Gunlekson, all natives of Norway; Robert Vance and William Poirier, natives of Canada.

Rocksbury Farm Meeting.

A special meeting of the Rocksbury unit of the Pennington county farm bureau will be held at Valhall hall on Saturday evening, July 16. Important business is to come up for consideration at this time and all members of the unit are urgently requested to be present.

BOY SCOUTS TO CAMP FOR TWO WEEKS AT LAKE

Thief River Falls Lads Plan Great Time in Communion With Mother Nature.

Twenty Eager Boys to Go Under Leadership of Local Scoutmaster Soltau.

Much Moral and Physical Benefit Expected to Result From Experience.

Boy scouts of Thief River Falls to the number of about twenty, in charge of Scoutmaster E. A. Soltau, will leave tomorrow for Union lake to remain in camp for about ten days. Mr. Soltau will see to it that the boys get properly settled in camp, when he will return to this city and leave the lads in charge of a higher official from the state body. The local scouts have made great preparations to enjoy a genuine good time and the expedition promises many thrills and much excitement.

Two other boy scouts from Thief River Falls, Lee Melgaard and Willis Nason, are at present domiciled in Itasca State Park, and expect to remain there for two weeks in communion with nature.

Why Boys Should Camp.

Every spring each scoutmaster must answer this question many times over and upon his ability to satisfy the inquiring parent, troop committeemen or even the boys themselves, rests the success or failure of the grand adventure under canvas to which 400,000 boy scouts look forward in their summer training camps. Here are some of the answers:

The boy scout camp satisfies that "run away from home" urge which, undirected, has in the past caused so many heart breaks and shipwrecked careers. Self reliance is needed in the making of every man. How often will the scout in camp have to act literally on his own resources, following trail signs, map making, or "hiking" for the camp at night? Being trusted in new ways to use his good sense, he develops self-reliance by being a good camper.

Chance to Advance.

Every scout wants to advance his grade toward the coveted Eagle Badge. Many obstacles tend to discourage him in his home troop meetings. Camp solves this problem; more actual hours with fewer distracting influences in a two weeks' camp than in a half year of troop meetings at home.

There is no place where boys have less sickness and where the general health is improved so much. The absence of candy and the corner drug store drinks plays no small part in giving nature a chance. Regular hours for rest and sleep, prompt response to bugle calls of reveille, mess, fatigue and taps, contribute to health and the joy of living which keeps boys growing and well.

Improves Boys' Morals.

To some scouts the scout law has seemed almost too idealistic and for such, doubt is overcome and new enthusiasm born when they see what beauty and happiness is added to life in the little wild woods community in which all honestly and on their honor are "doing their best" to do their duty to God and country and to obey the scout law.

VETERAN REUNION IMPORTANT EVENT

Former Members of Eighty-Eighth Division to Hold Meet at Des Moines.

Local veterans of the Eighty-eighth division have just received word from the Western Passenger association announcing a reduced railroad rate of fare and one-half for round trip to the first reunion of the division to be held at Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 26 to 28.

The special rate will be given for all service men who trained at Camp Dodge, either with the regular regiments of the division or with any of the special units stationed there during the war. It also applies to all artillerymen who were in training at the Des Moines cantonment.

At least 2,000 veterans from this state are expected to attend the reunion. Special trains will be operated from several points within the state, details concerning which will be announced later.

According to announcements received from Des Moines this week there will be a tent city of more than 20 acres erected at the state fair grounds there, where the veterans will be given housing free of charge for the period of the reunion. Provision is being made for a total attendance of between 6,000 and 10,000 men.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.27
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.17
Oats	.25
Flax	1.61
Barley	.38
Rye	.90
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.30
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
Spring Chickens	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.21
Dairy Butter	.20-.24
Creamery Butter	.30
Creamery butter	.35
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb	.04

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Johnson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Robert McGinn,

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday the 16th day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated July 11, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

Jl 14-21-28

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Bridge Re-construction, Town of North, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of the Town of North, Pennington County, Minnesota, until 7 o'clock p. m., on the 13th day of August, 1921, for the reconstruction of the bridge in said Town known as the "Long Bridge," in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the Town Clerk of said Town; all bids must be accompanied by certified check in an amount equal to five (5) per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the treasurer of said Town, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications; bids to be filed with the town clerk, postoffice address, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, at his office at his residence on the southeast quarter of Section 27, in said town; the Town Board will meet at the office of said clerk on August 13, 1921, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of receiving and considering bids and awarding contract.

The right is reserved by the Town Board to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications may also be seen at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Dated July 11, 1921.

By order of the Town Board,

ALFRED LONGREN,
Town Clerk.

J-14-21-28

LUTHER BAND BOYS IN GREAT CONCERT PLEASE EVERYBODY

Play to Fairly Large Crowd and Prove Right to Reputation Preceding Them.

Thief River Falls expected a musical treat upon the visit of the Luther College Concert band last Thursday, and in this there was no disappointment. It is generally conceded that the concert was the best thing of its kind ever given here. A fair sized audience was present and each number given by the band received enthusiastic applause, which brought from the musicians a number of encores not on the regular program.

The Luther band is composed of 54 members, each one of whom appears to be a musical artist. Under the leadership of Carlo A. Sperati, director, the large organization is kept under perfect control and the most difficult compositions rendered in a manner which leaves nothing to be desired. As an added attraction, a few numbers were rendered by the Luther Glee club, composed of members of the band. The boys proved themselves skillful in rendering vocal music and made a great hit with the audience.

While the program was made up almost entirely of heavy classical numbers, the wonderful rendition prevented this style of music from becoming tiresome even when played almost to the exclusion of everything else. Included in the program were such numbers as the following: "Royal Trumpeters March," "LaGazza Ladra Overture," "Marche Slave," "Mocking Bird Fantasia," "Peace Chimes March," "The Wedding of the Rose," "By the Swanee River," "Tannhauser Overture," and, last but not least, the grand finale, which consisted of Sousa's famous march, "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

After hearing the Luther College band it can easily be understood why this organization has won international renown. The band is without doubt one of the very best in the country and Luther College has just cause to take a great deal of pride in it.

Store Broken Into.

A screen was removed and entrance gained through a rear window of the Peoples' Co-operative store last night by prowlers who likely intended to carry away something of value. No money was left in the cash drawer by the manager when closing for the night and it has been impossible to check over the stock sufficiently close to tell whether or not anything is missing. Several pranks of a like nature have been played on various business establishments in the city within the past few weeks, which makes it probable that local talent is responsible.

Pays Fine For Assault.

Joe Thompson yesterday paid a fine of $15 and costs in municipal court upon being found guilty on a charge of assaulting Martin Bothun with intent to do great bodily harm. The trouble arose when Mr. Bothun objected to the Thompson boys driving wagons loaded with sand over a piece of his land in the south part of the city. The argument led to blows and it is alleged Thompson picked up a club and struck Bothun over the head with it.

Heavy Rainfall.

Pennington county was visited on Wednesday morning by the heaviest shower of rain so far this season. While no official report has been obtained, it is stated by many observers that at least two inches of rain fell. Although not particularly needed at this time, the rain did no damage except to make the roads a trifle cumbersome for automobile travel.

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COURT FINDS FOR COUNCIL AND DISMISSES CASES INTENDED TO INTERFERE WITH PAVING PLANS

Judge Grindeland Renders Decision and Rejects Pleas of Both Plaintiff and Intervenor For Temporary Injunction—Both Dismissed on Merits.

Intervenor Plans Appeal to Supreme Court to Force Early Decision—Bonds Sold and Preparations Made to Proceed With Needed Improvement.

Step by step the city council and other advocates of paving in Thief River Falls are defeating the objectors to the program. Developments of the past week have been very encouraging and the goal now seems nearer than at any time since the controversy started two years ago. *It is expected the last remaining obstacle will be removed within the next thirty days*, when the contractors stand ready to begin actual work in placing the pavement on the streets.

Decision Favors City.

The decision of Judge Andrew Grindeland in the suit heard here last week was made public on Tuesday. The court upholds the city council in all respects and finds that proceedings with regard to the paving matter have been entirely proper and according to law. The suit of the intervenor for a temporary injunction was denied in the court order, and the suits of both the intervenor and the original plaintiff were ordered dismissed on their merits.

City Bonds Sold.

The city council at its meeting Tuesday evening entered into an agreement for the sale of the city's bonds with which to finance the paving project, and succeeded in securing a very favorable contract. Arrangements are now being made for the delivery of the bonds and it is hoped to have the first installment of paving project money here by the latter part of August. The agreement provides for the payment of a stipulated amount upon the delivery of the bonds, and a certain sum on the first of each month thereafter until the job is completed. In this way it was possible to get the money at a slightly lower rate and still be able to care for the contractor's estimates as they become due.

Intervenor to Appeal.

In order to clarify the atmosphere in the legal sense and to remove the sole remaining obstacle standing in the way of the sale of the city's certificates, the intervenor's suit dismissed in district court will immediately be appealed to the supreme court and a decision is anticipated in less than thirty days. This proceeding also will bring the original plaintiff's case to the supreme court for immediate consideration, preventing any delay which the men behind this suit may plan and desire. Those in a position to know assert there is not one chance in a thousand for an adverse decision from the supreme court, an identical case appealed from the city of Marshall having been decided in favor of the council about a year ago.

VALLEY BOOSTERS WILL ARRIVE HERE ON THURSDY NOON

Development Tourists to Stop in Thief River Falls For More Than Hour.

The annual summer tour of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, which this year covers the northern section of the valley, is scheduled to leave Crookston at 9:30 a. m. on Thursday, July 28. From there the itinerary includes Gentilly, Red Lake Falls and St. Hilaire, it being planned to reach the latter village at 12:10 p. m., remaining there for 20 minutes. The tourists expect to reach Thief River Falls at 1 o'clock and will be guests of the city for one hour and 20 minutes. From here the schedule includes Holt, Middle River, Strathcona, Roseau, Greenbush and Badger, Roseau being chosen as stopping point for the night.

On Friday the tourists plan to visit Halma, Bronson, Hallock, Kennedy, Donaldson, Stephen, Argyle and Warren, the Marshall county seat being reached at 6:40 p. m. Here the concluding evening meeting of the tour will be held.

Many prominent speakers will accompany the travelers, among them being Oscar H. Smith, commissioner of immigration, St. Paul; J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture; A. L. Flygare, division engineer highway department; B. W. Sewell, division maintenance engineer highway department; James Cumming, president Minnesota potato exchange; C. G. Selvig, superintendent Northwest School of Agriculture, and R. C. Mathwig, president of the Development association.

Local Firm Lands Contract.

The Union Plumbing and Heating company of Thief River Falls was this week awarded the contract for installing the plumbing and heating equipment in the new Kittson War Veterans' Memorial hospital, about to be erected at Hallock. The contract involves a total of $8,700 and the local firm secured the job in competition with many bidders from other points.

To the Lake by Boat.

The M. A. Schmitt and Ed. Juranson families started this morning for a trip to the Red lakes, going by motor boats. They will camp at the lakes for about two weeks. This is the first attempt to reach the lakes by boat reported this year but the voyagers did not expect to experience any difficulty in getting through.

Returns From Enjoyable Journey to Fatherland

John Sundt, well known farmer of Silverton township, returned last week from a three-months' trip to Norway, the land of his birth. He also made tours of England and France while in Europe and enjoyed the trip very much. Most of the time was spent in Norway, where the time was spent with relatives in Solor, Christiania and other points, where brothers, sisters, uncles and aunts reside. This was Mr. Sundt's second trip to the old country since emigrating to America 30 years ago, a period of 25 years having elapsed since his last visit.

While conditions in Norway are far better than in some other European countries, according to Mr. Sundt, Norwegians are having their share of troubles in the reconstruction period following the world war. Price levels are being lowered and wages coming in for cuts, which has resulted in many strikes and other industrial difficulty. He noted a great many changes since his former visit to the old country, most of which were for the better.

The present trip to Europe was in the form of an excursion, more than two hundred Norwegians from the Northwest making up the party. A special train chartered from Minneapolis to New York carried the excursionists, who also made the return trip in a body, and the tourists were officially known as "Norgesfaerden." Upon his return to Minnesota, Mr. Sundt stopped off at Montevideo for a few days to visit with relatives of Mrs. Sundt.

Automobile Association Provides Highway Signs

Business men of Thief River Falls and auto tourists traveling in this section have cause for thanking the Pennington County Automobile association for providing a large number of excellent road signs. C. E. Glines has just completed the painting job, the boards being furnished by the Nortz Lumber company. The signs are all uniform except for the indication of distance, being lettered as follows: "Camping Ground 15 Miles. Thief River Falls." In the center of the sign is a fist pointing out the direction. There are seven of these small indicators and a large one to be placed at the entrance to the camping grounds at Lovers' Lane. This last is lettered: "Tourist Camp Grounds, 300 Feet. Welcome."

The sign farthest from the city will be placed on the King's Trail 26 miles to the west. The job is a good one from all viewpoints and the idea most excellent.

SWIMMING POOL IS ACTED ON BY CLUB

Committee Appointed By Commercial Body to Co-Operate With City Park Board.

The need of a swimming pool in Thief River Falls was again discussed enthusiastically at the regular Commercial club meeting last week, and resulted in a motion to authorize the president to name a committee of three to co-operate with the park board in taking steps necessary for purchasing a suitable site and building a pool.

W. T. Carlisle of Crookston was present and told the members how the swimming pool was secured in that city. This was done by a sale of bonds to the public, the city in turn spreading a tax levy to take over the bonds and assume the cost of the undertaking, thus making it a public enterprise in every sense of the word.

Some local club members favored securing cash subscriptions for the project, while others thought it might be possible to have a bond sale here, the city to assume the obligation at some future time.

Curb and Gutter Contract Complete in Paving Area

The work of putting in curbs and gutters in the paving district of Thief River Falls is practically completed, and the crew is now busy placing an extra section of sidewalk between the old walks and the curb line. This work has already been accomplished on all walks abutting city property and many private owners are taking advantage of the opportunity to have the work done while the present crew is on the job.

The curbs and gutters, while part of the paving job, were let under a separate contract to Warren Brothers of Winnipeg, and these people have rushed the work through without delay. It is a big improvement but will not show up to full advantage until the streets are paved.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS WIN POSITIONS IN SPIRITED CONTEST

Dr. H. W. Froehlich and L. M. Rayson Re-Elected For Another Term on Board.

Nearly three hundred votes were cast at the annual school election held in Thief River Falls on Saturday evening, the unusual interest being attributed to the fact that an effort was to be made to defeat one of the old members of the school board by the introduction of a third candidate.

While no candidates had filed and therefore there were no names on the ballots for the two directorships to be filled, friends of Dr. H. W. Froehlich and L. M. Rayson, whose terms expired, prevailed on them to allow their names to be used on stickers. F. J. Dudley also aspired to one of these positions and decided to make the race via the sticker route. Mr. Dudley's campaign did not bring noticeable results, however, and he received only 29 votes as compared to 276 for Mr. Rayson and 269 for Dr. Froehlich. In addition to these, three votes were cast for F. F. Haynes, one for Rasmus Oen and one for Olaf Ramstad.

The proposition to sell the old frame Knox school building was carried, as was the request of the school board to dispose of the plots of ground in the south part of the city which had for some years been used for experimental purposes by the agricultural department.

SECOND BALL TEAM LAUNCHED BY BOYS TO MEET ALL FOES

New Club Composed of Home Men to Continue in Field Until Close of Season.

A new base ball team, to be known as the Thief River Falls Indians, has been organized here this week and the boys are now ready to take on all comers. The nine is composed of home men, and contains a number of the old stand-bys who have played here for years and others who are somewhat younger but very promising material.

The new team is arranging a series of games and expects to be able to keep going at least until the latter part of August, long after the regular semi-professional team is disbanded. Reuben Hadrath has been chosen manager of the aggregation, while the battery strength for the present is composed of Orville Herron, Grant Gulrud and C. J. Browne, pitchers, and Guy Lane, catcher.

Tuesday, the boys went to Warren and defeated a team there by a score of 6 to 5. This team was composed of seven regular Warren men and two others. Warren comes here on Sunday for a return game, which will be staged at the fair grounds. The price of admission has been placed at 25 cents.

It is the intention to book as many games as possible with neighboring teams and thus keep up the interest in base ball until late in the season. Judging from the way it starts out, there is every reason to believe the team will win its share of games.

The line-up in the Warren game on Tuesday follows: Thief River Falls—McGinn, 3b; Browne, p; Burggraf, ss; Berg, rf; Johnson, lf; Hadrath, cf; LaBree, 1b; Sundahl, 2b; Lane, c. Warren—Shoop, 3b; A. Lindstrand, c; T. Lindstrand, lf; Kuya, p; Peterson, ss; Philstrom, 1b; Warner, 2b; Oberg, rf; Shalman, cf.

Boat Builder Back From Far Canadian Northwest

Peter Eberhart returned this week from The Pas, Manitoba, where he had been employed since last fall superintending the construction of a number of large boats for a lumber company. Mr. Eberhart has had a great deal of experience in this line and his services are eagerly sought by concerns having this work to do.

Mr. Eberhart says The Pas, which is located a considerable distance from the beaten paths of civilization, is steadily improving and now boasts a population of 1,500 people. He likes the town and country but is not certain about going back. Crops all along the line look wonderfully well, the captain stated upon his arrival here.

EXTRA EFFORTS NOW BEING PUT ON GREAT FAIR

Every Detail Given Attention in Providing for all Departments of Big Exhibit.

Fine New Building Makes Possible Much Better Display in Increased Space.

Free Attractions Include Baseball Games, Fire Works and Fast Auto Races.

Wednesday morning, Aug. 3, the gates to the twentieth annual Pennington county fair will be thrown open to the public. From present indications the coming exhibition will far surpass previous fairs both in the matter of number and quality of exhibits and also in the matter of entertainment to be furnished visitors.

With the new building completed this year a much better opportunity is given for the display of all exhibits than ever before. All of the departments will this year be housed on the grounds in good buildings instead of being crowded and scattered about as has heretofore been necessary.

Agriculture a Leader.

Primarily the fair is an agricultural proposition and its chief purpose is to set forth the agricultural possibilities of Pennington county. Some of the finest livestock in the state is owned by Pennington county farmers and a large number of the best animals will be placed in public view during the fair.

Grains, grasses, vegetables and other products of the soil also have their places at the fair and the fair management has assurances that an exceptionally fine display of these will be brought in for exhibition.

And then the thousand and one other samples of handiwork, art, school work, culinary dainties, fancy work, needle work and other things of particular interest to the ladies. These exhibits will be there in greater abundance than ever and will be displayed to better advantage.

Free Attractions.

Some of the finest free attractions obtainable are to be shown at the fair this year. Among them may be mentioned the Ferris Wheel Girls, a combination act consisting of the Dellamead Troup, the Earle Sisters, Joe Kiljoy, comedy acrobat, and the wheel girls. These are high-class attractions and will be shown every afternoon and evening of the fair.

A fast game of baseball is scheduled for the first three afternoons and lovers of this sport will be given an opportunity to witness some first class contests. On the second and third evenings a gigantic fireworks display will be shown, lasting nearly two hours. This is one of the most magnificent things of its kind in the country and worth coming many miles to see.

Fast Auto Racing.

Saturday, the fourth day of the fair, has been set aside as auto racing day. A number of the fastest drivers in the country are expected to be on hand to furnish excitement galore. Anyone who likes thrills should make it a point to be present on Saturday afternoon.

MANUAL TEACHER RESIGNS FROM JOB

M. A. Schmitt, Old Instructor Here, Accepts Fine Position in Schools of Duluth.

M. A. Schmitt, for many years manual training instructor in the Thief River Falls schools, this week tendered his resignation to the board of education, to take effect immediately. Mr. Schmitt recently was offered and has accepted a position in the Duluth Technical high school and will take up his new work at the beginning of the school year in September. The post is one of considerable responsibility and must be viewed as an important promotion for the instructor.

Mr. Schmitt came to Thief River Falls eleven years ago when the manual training department was added to the school and has since then been in charge. He has built up the department into one of the best and most complete in this part of the state, and many exceptionally fine pieces of handiwork have been turned out by pupils under his supervision. Mr. Schmitt is offered a much larger field and better opportunities in his new location, besides a substantial increase in salary, and for these reasons his decision to leave Thief River Falls can hardly be criticized. The school board has not yet had an opportunity to act upon the resignation and so far as known has no one in view to fill the position.

It is Mr. Schmitt's intention to dispose of his beautiful residence property at 103 Duluth avenue south and to leave with his family as soon as possible for Duluth. The Schmitts have numerous friends here, all of whom wish them abundant success in their new field of endeavor.

New School Head Moves Here From North Dakota

I. T. Simley, newly elected superintendent of the city schools, with his wife and three small daughters, arrived last week from his former home at Rugby, N. D., and has taken up his residence at 302 Red Lake boulevard. He is busy getting a line on his work and will have everything in shape for the opening of the term in September.

Supt. and Mrs. Simley are very favorably impressed with Thief River Falls and believe they have a far more desirable field here than in the North Dakota village. They will be welcomed heartily into the social circles of the city, and patrons of the school feel that the new superintendent will prove a valuable man at the head of this institution.

COLORED PUGILIST GOES ON RIOT AND ENCOUNTERS GRIEF

Abe Bost of Highlanding Township Haled Into Court on Charge of Assault.

Abe Bost, colored, a resident of Highlanding township, was on Tuesday bound over to the grand jury on a charge of assault after a hearing before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court. Mr. Bost was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Henry Hiland, also a resident of Highlanding township.

It was claimed by the plaintiff at the hearing that the trouble started in an argument over some money while both men were attending a Fourth of July celebration on a neighboring farm. Bost, it is alleged, struck Hiland with a contrivance known as a "sling shot," a small leather bag attached to two leashes and filled with buckshot and other leaden missiles. The weapon was placed on exhibition at the hearing and the defendant did not deny having used it. No defense was offered by Mr. Bost and he was not represented by an attorney. County Attorney Theo. Quale conducted the case for the state.

Bonds for defendant's appearance in district court were fixed in the sum of $200 and these were immediately secured, which allows the pugilistically inclined colored man his liberty until his case comes up before the district court at the next term. Quite a delegation of Highlanding people were present at the hearing Monday.

THREE LOCAL LADS NABBED ON CHARGE OF HOUSEBREAKING

Youths Admit Guilt and Are Placed Under Supervision of Probation Officer.

Three Thief River Falls lads, Glenn Gillette, Leonard Holum and Jesse Davidson, were placed on probation for an indefinite period as the result of a hearing given them before Probate Judge Lars Backe on Tuesday. Sheriff W. J. LaBree was appointed probation officer by the judge and the boys will be required to make weekly reports to him until further notice.

The lads were arrested last week and admitted committing a number of petty thieveries in local stores and other business establishments. It seems the favorite pastime of the boys has been breaking into stores at night and helping themselves to what change happened to be in the cash drawer and also supplying themselves with candy and other things which suited their fancy. They finally were rounded up by the authorities and made a full confession.

While the crime is serious, the youth of the lads prompted the court to leniency. They range in age from 14 to 17 years, and no doubt bad associates and too much loafing on the streets are largely responsible for them leaving the straight and narrow path. As long as the boys behave themselves they will be given every opportunity to make good, but the moment one of them lapses into his former ways he will immediately be sent to a corrective institution. The lads promised faithfully to go straight in the future, and one requirement of the probation is that they refrain absolutely from frequenting places where evil associates are likely to be encountered.

County Dads Give Roads and Ditches "Once Over"

The board of county commissioners met Monday as a board of equalization and continued the session Tuesday morning. The work was not finished, however, and the board of equalization will reconvene on Thursday, Aug. 4, to complete its task.

On Tuesday afternoon the commissioners made a tour of inspection looking after county ditch and road work, and found everything connected therewith progressing in a satisfactory manner. A special meeting has been set for next Saturday to conduct a hearing on county ditch No. 37. It is expected a large number of interested taxpayers will be on hand to air their views regarding the proposed improvement.

SECOND MARKET DAY SCHEDULED NEXT WEDNESDAY WITH GREATER SLASHING OF PRICES THAN EVER

Five Pounds of 45-Cent Coffee Offered as Leader By Group of Merchants—Special Bargains Listed By Every Merchandising Establishment in City.

Free Auction Sale, Drawing of Valuable Prizes and Other Attractions Are Features Offered—Preparations Being Made to Care For Many Visitors.

Next Wednesday, July 27, will occur the second of the series of Market Days planned for this summer by the Merchants' association of Thief River Falls. The first of these events took place a month ago and proved such a popular event with the public that an even more elaborate buying opportunity has been prepared for next Wednesday.

The first Market day was more in the nature of an experiment and there was much speculation as to how the plan would succeed. It soon became apparent when the appointed day arrived, however, that Thief River Falls merchants had hit upon the right tack in arranging an event of this kind and the day proved successful beyond the fondest hopes of those sponsoring the affair.

More Bargains Than Ever.

More bargains will be featured next Wednesday than have ever before been offered the public in one day at any one place. Every business establishment in the city is doing its share in slashing prices, each offering wonderful value in its own particular line.

Much has been written and talked in the last few months about the "buyers' strike." If there is such a strike within the trading territory of Thief River Falls the home business men are determined to break it by giving values which make pre-war prices look as if highway robbery was the motive which prompted merchants in placing values upon the goods.

Big Special Bargain.

The special bargain of twenty pounds of sugar for $1 a month ago proved such an attraction to the buying public that a similar event will be staged next Wednesday. Instead of sugar being made the leader at this time, coffee has been put on the bargain table. Five thousand pounds of regular 45 cent coffee has been provided and this will be offered at five pounds for one dollar. This price is made possible through a price concession on the part of the Caldwell Coffee company, importers of the coffee, the Thief River Grocery company, wholesalers, and the co-operation of twelve local merchants to stand the remainder of the loss. The advertising value of a deal of this kind appeals to the importer and wholesaler, who therefore are willing to make their share of the sacrifice in putting the deal across. The following local merchants are identified with the coffee deal: Larson Furniture company, Loken Brothers, Hermanson Hardware company, The Sapero company, E. O. Mogensen, Simonson's Meat and Grocery, A. M. Langseth, Hall Brothers company, C. Froseth, Palace Clothing House, Lieberman Brothers and Rolland's Meat and Grocery. The coffee will be distributed at the Rolland store.

Free Auction Sale.

Another free auction sale will be held next Wednesday for the benefit of those having personal property of any kind which they wish to dispose of. The sale is scheduled to begin promptly at 1 o'clock. Anything of value may be brought in and will be sold without charge.

Purchasers' Drawing.

As a special inducement for people to visit Thief River Falls on Market Day a number of articles will be given away absolutely free at a drawing to be held on the corner of Third street and LaBree avenue at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Following is a list of the things to be given away: One 100-lb. sack of sugar, one case canned tomatoes, one box bulk soda crackers, one case standard corn, one case standard peas, 25 pound box prunes, 50 pound sack Vivo flour, one case macaroni, one dozen quart Mason fruit jars, one box Spearmint chewing gum.

No Ball Game.

Due to the fact that most visitors will be too busy down town seeking bargains, no ball game is slated for next Wednesday. On an occasion of this kind it is difficult for a visiting crowd to work up much enthusiasm over a ball game and most of them feel they cannot afford to lose the time necessary to attend the game.

The motion picture houses, however, are putting on special attractions for the day and those who feel inclined may spend a quiet and pleasant hour there. A matinee will be given in the afternoon for the benefit of Market Day visitors who do not plan to remain for the evening.

District Court Sustained.

A decision received by Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund this week from the state supreme court upholds Judge Andrew Grindeland in a case recently appealed. The case involves some difficulties between Hans Rustad and L. A. Lampert over alleged damages to residence property belonging to the former and occupied by the latter, in which a wrecked heating plant figured largely, claimed by defendant to be caused by a defect in the boiler which caused an explosion. Both courts decided in favor of the owner of the property.

Two Sets of Twins in 18 Months Sets New Record

Four healthy youngsters added to a family in a year and a half is considerable of an addition, it must be admitted. Yet this is the number of children born to Mr. and Mrs. Berner Levos, farmers residing near Mavie, in just eighteen months. Two sets of twins in this short interval is somewhat of a record, even for Pennington county, and at this rate the Levoses will soon have a real Rooseveltian brood of youngsters. Each set of twins consists of a boy and a girl, and they are all well developed and healthy children. The latest arrivals came last Saturday.

THIEF RIVER FALLS FAVORS NEW TRAIL

Chippewa Route to Pass Thru Pennington County Westward Into Dakota.

Shall Thief River Falls extend a welcome to the Chippewa Trail? This was the question asked at the regular meeting of the Commercial club last Thursday. All members present expressed themselves as heartily in favor of doing all that possibly can be done to secure this new inter-state trail, which already is marked northward from Detroit to Red Lake Falls.

It is proposed to have the road come north to Thief River Falls and then to Warren, Alvarado and westward, following the Soo right-of-way as closely as possible, terminating at Mandan, N. D.

The matter was referred to the good roads committee by President W. A. Hall, Jr., this committee being composed of C. L. Hansen, Daniel Shaw, G. C. Strepter, Olaf Ramstud and Thos. A. Way.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF NEW BUILDING ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Ladies Preparing Splendid Program to Dedicate New Fair Grounds Structure.

The new building at the fair grounds, which will be occupied by the Woman's department, school and industrial exhibits, will be officially dedicated tomorrow, Friday, evening. Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, announces the following program:

8:30—Music by Thief River Falls band.

Community singing — Mrs. Guy Halvorson, leader.

Address of Welcome—Herbert Fuller, president of the fair board.

Five minute talks by members of the fair board—Albert Johnson and Fred Beerbower.

Address—Mayor John Bratrud.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. L. F. Fisher, with Miss Doris Halvorson as accompanist.

Speech of acceptance on behalf of the Woman's committee—Mrs. J. H. Hardesty.

At the conclusion of the regular program a dancing party will be given in the balcony of the pavilion, which has an excellent floor, a depth of 14 feet and a circumference of 200 feet. Good music has been secured and the occasion will no doubt prove very enjoyable. The entire building is being tastefully decorated and will present a beautiful appearance Friday evening.

The new building fills a long felt want in that it provides much needed space for the proper exhibition of departments which have heretofore been badly handicapped for lack of room. Chief among these is the Woman's department, which has been forced to occupy quarters in the city auditorium for this reason. The lower floor of the structure is to be used for industrial and business exhibits, which also were housed in the auditorium last year.

Everyone connected with the Pennington county fair is highly pleased with the new building, and particularly those in charge of the Woman's department, which will now be given an opportunity to occupy the position in relation to the fair which rightfully belongs to it.

NEW FIREWORKS FEATURE SHOWN AT COUNTY FAIR

Something New and Unique Offered Fair Visitors at Annual Event Next Month.

Two Hours of Thrilling Entertainment Given Free Each Evening on Grounds.

Contract Signed With World's Largest Makers of Fireworks For Displays.

Definite booking of a series of mammoth fireworks displays as one of the headline attractions at the Pennington county fair, was announced this week by Secretary Herbert Fuller.

This will be the biggest fireworks program of its kind ever produced in the state, officials of the fair said in announcing the signing of contracts. It will be put on under the supervision of expert operators from the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks Display company of Chicago. They are the largest producer of fireworks attractions in the world.

Each Display a Show.

Each display will comprise a special evening show in itself, in addition to the regular features of the fair. Practically every variety and type of modern pyrotechnics will be included in the program. All the material used in the production will be shipped here from Chicago, and the big explosive effects, aerial devices and set pieces will be controlled and operated by special safety apparatus.

Very Best to be Had.

"There are many firework attractions now being offered to the fair," Secretary Fuller said in announcing the engagement, "but this is far out of the ordinary run of night shows. We have looked over practically everything in the line. Fireworks displays which we have engaged for this year stand head and shoulders above anything of their kind that has ever been offered. They are spectacular in the extreme and provide two hours of countless thrills and perfect entertainment."

Seven Aliens Apply For Adoption By Uncle Sam

A hearing for the granting of applications for citizenship will be conducted by Judge Andrew Grindeland at the Pennington county court house on Friday, Aug. 5. The hearing had originally been set for July 29, but the court found it necessary to postpone it until the later date.

Seven applicants have filed their intention of becoming full-fledged citizens of the United States at this hearing. They are: Charles Langer, native of Austria, whose petition has been on file for some time but could not receive consideration due to the fact that a technical state of war has until very recently existed between the United States and his native land; Axel Olson, Carl Christoferson, Olof Helmer Sorenson and Anund Gunleikson, all natives of Norway; Robert Vange and William Porter, natives of Canada.

Rocksbury Farm Meeting.

A special meeting of the Rocksbury unit of the Pennington county farm bureau will be held at Valhall hall on Saturday evening, July 16. Important business is to come up for consideration at this time and all members of the unit are urgently requested to be present.

BOY SCOUTS TO CAMP FOR TWO WEEKS AT LAKE

Thief River Falls Lads Plan Great Time in Communion With Mother Nature.

Twenty Eager Boys to Go Under Leadership of Local Scoutmaster Soltau.

Much Moral and Physical Benefit Expected to Result From Experience.

Boy scouts of Thief River Falls to the number of about twenty, in charge of Scoutmaster E. A. Soltau, will leave tomorrow for Union lake to remain in camp for about ten days. Mr. Soltau will see to it that the boys get properly settled in camp, when he will return to this city and leave the lads in charge of a higher official from the state body. The local scouts have made great preparations to enjoy a genuine good time and the expedition promises many thrills and much excitement.

Two other boy scouts from Thief River Falls, Lee McLeaard and Willi Nason, are at present domiciled in Itasca State Park, and expect to remain there for two weeks in communion with nature.

Why Boys Should Camp.

Every parent, each scoutmaster must answer this question many times over and upon his ability to satisfy the inquiring parent, troop committeemen or even the boys themselves, rests the success or failure of the grand adventure under canvas to which 100,000 boy scouts look forward in their summer training camps. Here are some of the answers:

The boy scout camp satisfies that "run away from home" urge which, undirected, has in the past caused so many heart breaks and shipwrecked careers. Self reliance is needed in the making of every man. How often will the scout in camp have to act literally on his own resources, following trail signs, map making, or "hiking" for the camp at night? Being trusted in new ways to use his good sense, he develops self-reliance by being a good camper.

Chance to Advance.

Every scout wants to advance his grade toward the coveted Eagle Badge. Many obstacles tend to discourage him in his home troop meetings. Camp solves this problem; more actual hours with fewer distracting influences in a two weeks' camp than in a half year of troop meetings at home.

There is no place where boys have less sickness and where the general health is improved so much. The absence of candy and the corner drug store drinks plays no small part in giving nature a chance. Regular hours for rest and sleep, prompt response to bugle calls of reveille, mess, fatigue and taps, contribute to health and the joy of living which keeps boys growing and well.

Improves Boys' Morals.

To some scouts the scout law has seemed almost too idealistic and for such, doubt is overcome and new enthusiasm born when they see what beauty and happiness is added to life *in the little wild wood* community in which all honestly and on their honor are "doing their best" to do their duty to God and country and to obey the scout law.

VETERAN REUNION IMPORTANT EVENT

Former Members of Eighty-Eighth Division to Hold Meet at Des Moines.

Local veterans of the Eighty-eighth division have just received word from the Western Passenger association announcing a reduced railroad rate of fare and one-half for round trip to the first reunion of the division to be held at Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 26 to 28.

The special rate will be given for all service men who trained at Camp Dodge, either with the regular regiments of the division or with any of the special units stationed there during the war. It also applies to all artillerymen who were in training at the Des Moines cantonment.

At least 2,000 veterans from this state are expected to attend the reunion. Special trains will be operated from several points within the state, detail concerning which will be announced later.

According to announcements received from Des Moines this week there will be a tent city of more than 20 acres erected at the state fair grounds there, where the veterans will be given housing free of charge for the period of the reunion. Provision is being made for a total attendance of between 6,000 and 10,000 men.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	[illegible]
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.12
Oats	[illegible]
Flax	1.62
Barley	.38
Rye	.80
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt	[illegible]
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. sack	[illegible]
Whole Corn, 100 lb. sack	[illegible]
Oil Meal	[illegible]
POULTRY	
[illegible]	[illegible]
Old Roosters	[illegible]
Hens, heavy	.11
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
Spring Chickens	.18
PRODUCE	

LUTHER BAND BOYS IN GREAT CONCERT PLEASE EVERYBODY

Play to Fairly Large Crowd and Prove Right to Reputation Preceding Them.

Thief River Falls expected a musical treat upon the visit of the Luther College Concert band last Thursday, and in this there was no disappointment. It is generally conceded that the concert was the best thing of its kind ever given here. A fair sized audience was present and each number given by the band received enthusiastic applause, which brought from the musicians a number of encores not on the regular program.

The Luther band is composed of 54 members, each one of whom appears to be a musical artist. Under the leadership of Carlo A. Sperati, director, the large organization is kept under perfect control and the most difficult compositions rendered in a manner which leaves nothing to be desired. As an added attraction, a few numbers were rendered by the Luther Glee club composed of members of the band. The boys proved themselves skillful in rendering vocal music and made a great hit with the audience.

While the program was made up almost entirely of heavy classical numbers, the wonderful rendition prevented this style of music from becoming tiresome even when played almost to the exclusion of everything else. Included in the program were such numbers as the following: "Royal Trumpeters March," "LaGazza Ladra Overture," "Marche Slave," "Mocking Bird Fantasia," "Peace Chimes March," "The Wedding of the Rose," "By the Swanee River," "Tannhauser Overture," and, last but not least, the grand finale, which consisted of Sousa's famous march, "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

After hearing the Luther College band it can easily be understood why this organization has won international renown. The band is without doubt one of the very best in the country and Luther College has just cause to take a great deal of pride in it.

Store Broken Into.

A screen was removed and entrance gained through a rear window of the Peoples' Co-operative store last night by prowlers who likely intended to carry away something of value. No money was left in the cash drawer by the manager when closing for the night and it has been impossible to check over the stock sufficiently close to tell whether or not anything is missing. Several pranks of a like nature have been played on various business establishments in the city within the past few weeks, which makes it probable that local talent is responsible.

Pays Fine For Assault.

Joe Thompson yesterday paid a fine of $15 and costs in municipal court upon being found guilty on a charge of assaulting Martin Bothun with intent to do great bodily harm. The trouble arose when Mr. Bothun objected to the Thompson boys driving wagons loaded with sand over a piece of his land in the south part of the city. The argument led to blows and it is alleged Thompson picked up a club and struck Bothun over the head with it.

Heavy Rainfall.

Pennington county was visited on Wednesday morning by the heaviest shower of rain so far this season. While no official report has been obtained, it is stated by many observers that at least two inches of rain fell. Although not particularly needed at this time, the rain did no damage except to make the roads a trifle cumbersome for automobile travel.

AMUSEMENTS

At The Lyceum

SATURDAY
Mae Murray
In
"On With the Dance"
It's a Paramount Special at no advance in admission.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
Mildred Harris
In
"HABIT"

Habit holds the destiny of all woman. Who can resist him? It's habit that makes woman love, marry, sin. Habit rules and ruins the lives of men and women alike.

See "HABIT" Next Sunday and Monday
Sunday Matinee 2:30.
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COURT FINDS FOR COUNCIL AND DISMISSES CASES INTENDED TO INTERFERE WITH PAVING PLANS

Judge Grindeland Renders Decision and Rejects Pleas of Both Plaintiff and Intervenor For Temporary Injunction—Both Dismissed on Merits.

Intervenor Plans Appeal to Supreme Court to Force Early Decision—Bonds Sold and Preparations Made to Proceed With Needed Improvement.

Step by step the city council and other advocates of paving in Thief River Falls are defeating the objectors to the program. Developments of the past week have been very encouraging and the goal now seems nearer than at any time since the controversy started two years ago. It is expected the last remaining obstacle will be removed within the next thirty days, when the contractors stand ready to begin actual work in placing the pavement on the streets.

Decision Favors City.

The decision of Judge Andrew Grindeland in the suit heard here last week was made public on Tuesday. The court upholds the city council in all respects and finds that proceedings with regard to the paving matter have been entirely proper and according to law. The suit of the intervenor for a temporary injunction was denied in the court order, and the suits of both the intervenor and the original plaintiff were ordered dismissed on their merits.

City Bonds Sold.

The city council at its meeting Tuesday evening entered into an agreement for the sale of the city's bonds with which to finance the paving project, and succeeded in securing a very favorable contract. Arrangements are now being made for the delivery of the bonds and it is hoped to have the first installment of paving project money here by the latter part of August. The agreement provides for the payment of a stipulated amount upon the delivery of the bonds, and a certain sum on the first of each month thereafter *until the job is completed. In this* way it was possible to get the money at a slightly lower rate and still be able to care for the contractor's estimates as they become due.

Intervenor to Appeal.

In order to clarify the atmosphere in the legal sense and to remove the sole remaining obstacle standing in the way of the sale of the city's certificates, the intervenor's suit dismissed in district court will immediately be appealed to the supreme court and a decision is anticipated in less than thirty days. This proceeding also will bring the original plaintiff's case to the supreme court for immediate consideration, preventing any delay which the men behind this suit may plan and desire. Those in a position to know assert there is not one chance in a thousand for an adverse decision from the supreme court, an identical case appealed from the city of Marshall having been decided in favor of the council about a year ago.

VALLEY BOOSTERS WILL ARRIVE HERE ON THURSDY NOON

Development Tourists to Stop in Thief River Falls For More Than Hour.

The annual summer tour of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, which this year covers the northern section of the valley, is scheduled to leave Crookston at 9:30 a. m. on Thursday, July 28. From there the itinerary includes Gentilly, Red Lake Falls and St. Hilaire, it being planned to reach the latter village at 12:10 p. m., remaining there for 20 minutes. The tourists expect to reach Thief River Falls at 1 o'clock and will be guests of the city for one hour and 20 minutes. From here the schedule includes Holt, Middle River, Strathcona, Roseau, Greenbush and Badger, Roseau being chosen as stopping point for the night.

On Friday the tourists plan to visit Halma, Bronson, Hallock, Kennedy, Donaldson, Stephen, Argyle and Warren, the Marshall county seat being reached at 6:40 p. m. Here the concluding evening meeting of the tour will be held.

Many prominent speakers will accompany the travelers, among them being Oscar H. Smith, commissioner of immigration, St. Paul; J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture; A. L. Flygare, division engineer highway department; B. W. Sewell, division maintenance engineer highway department; James Cumming, president Minnesota potato exchange; C. G. Selvig, superintendent Northwest School of Agriculture, and R. C. Mathwig, president of the Development association.

Local Firm Lands Contract.

The Union Plumbing and Heating company of Thief River Falls was this week awarded the contract for installing the plumbing and heating equipment in the new Kittson War Veterans' Memorial hospital about to be erected at Hallock. The contract involves a total of $8,700 and the local firm secured the job in competition with many bidders from other points.

To the Lake by Boat.

The M. A. Schmitt and Ed. Jaranson families started this morning for a trip to the Red lakes, going by motor boats. They will camp at the lakes for about two weeks. This is the first attempt to reach the lakes by boat reported this year but the voyagers did not expect to experience any difficulty in getting through.

Returns From Enjoyable Journey to Fatherland

John Sundt, well known farmer of Silverton township, returned last week from a three-months' trip to Norway, the land of his birth. He also made tours of England and France while in Europe and enjoyed the trip very much. Most of the time was spent in Norway, where the time was spent with relatives in Solor, Christiania and other points, where brothers, sisters, uncles and aunts reside. This was Mr. Sundt's second trip to the old country since emigrating to America 30 years ago, a period of 25 years having elapsed since his last visit.

While conditions in Norway are far better than in some other European countries, according to Mr. Sundt, Norwegians are having their share of troubles in the reconstruction period following the world war. Price levels are being lowered and wages coming in for cuts, which has resulted in many strikes and other industrial difficulty. He noted a great many changes since his former visit to the old country, most of which were for the better.

The present trip to Europe was in the form of an excursion, more than two hundred Norwegians from the Northwest making up the party. A special train chartered from Minneapolis to New York carried the excursionists, who also made the return trip in a body, and the tourists were officially known as "Norgesfoerden." Upon his return to Minnesota, Mr. Sundt stopped off at Montevideo for a few days to visit with relatives of Mrs. Sundt.

Automobile Association Provides Highway Signs

Business men of Thief River Falls and auto tourists traveling in this section have cause for thanking the Pennington County Automobile association for providing a large number of excellent road signs. C. E. Clines has just completed the painting job, the boards being furnished by the Nortz Lumber company. The signs are all uniform except for the indication of distance, being lettered as follows: "Camping Ground 15 Miles, Thief River Falls." In the center of the sign is a fist pointing out the direction. There are seven of these small indicators and a large one to be placed at the entrance to the camping grounds at Lager's Dam. This last is lettered: "Tourist Camp Grounds, 300 Feet. Welcome."

The sign farthest from the city will be placed on the King's Trail 26 miles to the west. The job is a good one from all viewpoints and the idea most excellent.

SWIMMING POOL IS ACTED ON BY CLUB

Committee Appointed By Commercial Body to Co-Operate With City Park Board.

The need of a swimming pool in Thief River Falls was again discussed enthusiastically at the regular Commercial club meeting last week, and resulted in a motion to authorize the president to name a committee of three to co-operate with the park board in taking steps necessary for purchasing a suitable site and building a pool.

W. T. Carlisle of Crookston was present and told the members how the swimming pool was secured in that city. This was done by a sale of bonds to the public, the city in turn spreading a tax levy to take over the bonds and assume the cost of the undertaking, thus making it a public enterprise in every sense of the word.

Some local club members favored securing cash subscriptions for the project, while others thought it might be possible to have a bond sale here, the city to assume the obligation at some future time.

Curb and Gutter Contract Complete in Paving Area

The work of putting in curbs and gutters in the paving district of Thief River Falls is practically completed, and the crew is now busy placing an extra section of sidewalk between the old walks and the curb line. This work has already been accomplished on all walks abutting city property and many private owners are taking advantage of the opportunity to have the work done while the present crew is on the job.

The curbs and gutters, while part of the paving job, were let under a separate contract to Warren Brothers of Winnipeg, and these people have rushed the work through without delay. It is a big improvement but will not show up to full advantage until the streets are paved.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS WIN POSITIONS IN SPIRITED CONTEST

Dr. H. W. Froehlich and L. M. Rayson Re-Elected For Another Term on Board.

Nearly three hundred votes were cast at the annual school election held in Thief River Falls on Saturday evening, the unusual interest being attributed to the fact that an effort was to be made to defeat one of the old members of the school board by the introduction of a third candidate.

While no candidates had filed and therefore there were no names on the ballots for the two directorships to be filled, friends of Dr. H. W. Froehlich and L. M. Rayson, whose terms expired, prevailed on them to allow their names to be used on stickers. F. J. Dudley also aspired to one of these positions and decided to make the race via the sticker route. Mr. Dudley's campaign did not bring noticeable results, however, and he received only 29 votes as compared to 276 for Mr. Rayson and 269 for Dr. Froehlich. In addition to these, three votes were cast for F. F. Haynes, one for Rasmus Oen and one for Olaf Ramstad.

The proposition to sell the old frame Knox school building was carried, as was the request of the school board to dispose of the plots of ground in the south part of the city which had for some years been used for experimental purposes by the agricultural department.

SECOND BALL TEAM LAUNCHED BY BOYS TO MEET ALL FOES

New Club Composed of Home Men to Continue in Field Until Close of Season.

A new base ball team, to be known as the Thief River Falls Indians, has been organized here this week and the boys are now ready to take on all comers. The nine is composed of home men, and contains a number of the old stand-bys who have played here for years and others who are somewhat younger but very promising material.

The new team is arranging a series of games and expects to be able to keep going at least until the latter part of August, long after the regular semi-professional team is disbanded. Reuben Hadrath has been chosen manager of the aggregation, while the battery strength for the present is composed of Orville Herron, Grant Gulrud and C. J. Browne, pitchers, and Guy Lane, catcher.

Tuesday the boys went to Warren and defeated a team there by a score of 6 to 5. This team was composed of seven regular Warren men and two others. Warren comes here on Sunday for a return game, which will be staged at the fair grounds. The price of admission has been placed at 25 cents.

It is the intention to book as many games as possible with neighboring teams and thus keep up the interest in base ball until late in the season. Judging from the way it starts out, there is every reason to believe the team will win its share of games.

The line-up in the Warren game on Tuesday follows: Thief River Falls—McGinn, 3b; Browne, p; Burggraf, ss; Berg, rf; Johnson, lf; Hadrath, cf; LaBree, 1b; Sundahl, 2b; Lane, c. Warren—Shoop, 3b; A. Lindstrand, c; T. Lindstrand, lf; Kays, p; Peterson, ss; Pihlstrom, 1b; Warner, 2b; Oberg, rf; Skalman, cf.

Boat Builder Back From Far Canadian Northwest

Peter Eberhart returned this week from The Pas, Manitoba, where he had been employed since last fall superintending the construction of a number of large boats for a lumber company. Mr. Eberhart has had a great deal of experience in this line and his services are eagerly sought by concerns having this work to do.

Mr. Eberhart says The Pas, which is located a considerable distance from the beaten paths of civilization, is steadily improving and now boasts a population of 1,500 people. He likes the town and country but is not certain about going back. Crops all along the line look wonderfully well, the captain stated upon his arrival here.

EXTRA EFFORTS NOW BEING PUT ON GREAT FAIR

Every Detail Given Attention in Providing for all Departments of Big Exhibit.

Fine New Building Makes Possible Much Better Display in Increased Space.

Free Attractions Include Base-ball Games, Fire Works and Fast Auto Races.

Wednesday morning, Aug. 3, the gates to the twentieth annual Pennington county fair will be thrown open to the public. From present *indications the coming exhibition will* far surpass previous fairs both in the matter of number and quality of exhibits and also in the matter of entertainment to be furnished visitors.

With the new building completed this year a much better opportunity is given for the display of all exhibits than ever before. All of the departments will this year be housed on the grounds in good buildings instead of being crowded and scattered about as has heretofore been necessary.

Agriculture a Leader.

Primarily the fair is an agricultural proposition and its chief purpose is to set forth the agricultural possibilities of Pennington county. Some of the finest livestock in the state is owned by Pennington county farmers and a large number of the best animals will be placed in public view during the fair.

Grains, grasses, vegetables and other products of the soil also have their places at the fair and the fair management has assurances that an exceptionally fine display of these will be brought in for exhibition.

And then the thousand and one other samples of handiwork, art, school work, culinary dainties, fancy work, needle work and other things of particular interest to the ladies. These exhibits will be there in greater abundance than ever and will be displayed to better advantage.

Free Attractions.

Some of the finest free attractions obtainable are to be shown at the fair this year. Among them may be mentioned the Ferris Wheel Girls, a combination act consisting of the Dellamead Troup, the Earle Sisters, Joe Kiljoy, comedy acrobat, and the wheel girls. These are high-class attractions and will be shown every afternoon and evening of the fair.

A fast game of baseball is scheduled for the first three afternoons and lovers of this sport will be given an opportunity to witness some first class contests. On the second and third evenings a gigantic fireworks display will be shown, lasting nearly two hours. This is one of the most magnificent things of its kind in the country and worth coming many miles to see.

Fast Auto Racing.

Saturday, the fourth day of the fair, has been set aside as auto racing day. A number of the fastest drivers in the country are expected to be on hand to furnish excitement galore. Anyone who likes thrills should make it a point to be present on Saturday afternoon.

MANUAL TEACHER RESIGNS FROM JOB

M. A. Schmitt, Old Instructor Here, Accepts Fine Position in Schools of Duluth.

M. A. Schmitt, for many years manual training instructor in the Thief River Falls schools, this week tendered his resignation to the board of education, to take effect immediately. Mr. Schmitt recently was offered and has accepted a position in the Duluth Technical high school and will take up his new work at the beginning of the school year in September. The post is one of considerable responsibility and must be viewed as an important promotion for the instructor.

Mr. Schmitt came to Thief River Falls eleven years ago when the manual training department was added to the school and has since then been in charge. He has built up the department into one of the best and most complete in this part of the state, and many exceptionally fine pieces of handiwork have been turned out by pupils under his supervision. Mr. Schmitt is offered a much larger field and better opportunities in his new location, besides a substantial increase in salary, and for these reasons his decision to leave Thief River Falls can hardly be criticized. The school board has not yet had an opportunity to act upon the resignation and so far as known has no one in view to fill the position.

It is Mr. Schmitt's intention to dispose of his beautiful residence property at 103 Duluth avenue south and to leave with his family as soon as possible for Duluth. The Schmitts have numerous friends here, all of whom wish them abundant success in their new field of endeavor.

New School Head Moves Here From North Dakota

I. T. Simley, newly elected superintendent of the city schools, with his wife and three small daughters, arrived last week from his former home at Rugby, N. D., and has taken up his residence at 302 Red Lake boulevard. He is busy getting a line on his work and will have everything in shape for the opening of the term in September.

Supt. and Mrs. Simley are very favorably impressed with Thief River Falls and believe they have a far more desirable field here than in the North Dakota village. They will be welcomed heartily into the social circles of the city, and patrons of the school feel that the new superintendent will prove a valuable man at the head of this institution.

COLORED PUGILIST GOES ON RIOT AND ENCOUNTERS GRIEF

Abe Bost of Highlanding Township Haled Into Court on Charge of Assault.

Abe Bost, colored, a resident of Highlanding township, was on Tuesday bound over to the grand jury on a charge of assault after a hearing before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court. Mr. Bost was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Henry Hiland, also a resident of Highlanding township.

It was claimed by the plaintiff at the hearing that the trouble started in an argument over some money while both men were attending a Fourth of July celebration on a neighboring farm. Bost, it is alleged, struck Hiland with a contrivance known as a "sling shot," a small leather bag attached to two leashes and filled with buckshot and other leaden missiles. The weapon was placed on exhibition at the hearing and the defendant did not deny having used it. No defense was offered by Mr. Bost and he was not represented by an attorney. County Attorney Theo. Quale conducted the case for the state.

Bonds for defendant's appearance in district court were fixed in the sum of $200 and these were immediately secured, which allows the pugilistically inclined colored man his liberty until his case comes up before the district court at the next term. Quite a delegation of Highlanding people were present at the hearing Monday.

THREE LOCAL LADS NABBED ON CHARGE OF HOUSEBREAKING

Youths Admit Guilt and Are Placed Under Supervision of Probation Officer.

Three Thief River Falls lads, Glenn Gillette, Leopard Hoium and Jesse Davidson, were placed on probation for an indefinite period as the result of a hearing given them before Probate Judge Lars Backe on Tuesday. Sheriff W. J. LaBree was appointed probation officer by the judge and the boys will be required to make weekly reports to him until further notice.

The lads were arrested last week and admitted committing a number of petty thieveries in local stores and other business establishments. It seems the favorite pastime of the boys has been breaking into stores at night and helping themselves to what chance happened to be in the cash drawer and also supplying themselves with candy and other things which suited their fancy. They finally were rounded up by the authorities and made a full confession.

While the crime is serious, the youth of the lads prompted the court to leniency. They range in age from 14 to 17 years, and no doubt bad associates and too much loafing on the streets are largely responsible for them leaving the straight and narrow path. As long as the boys behave themselves they will be given every opportunity to make good, but the moment one of them lapses into his former ways he will immediately be sent to a corrective institution. The lads promised faithfully to go straight in the future, and one requirement of the probation is that they refrain absolutely from frequenting places where evil associates are likely to be encountered.

County Dads Give Roads and Ditches "Once Over"

The board of county commissioners met Monday as a board of equalization and continued the session Tuesday morning. The work was not finished, however, and the board of equalization will reconvene on Thursday, Aug. 4, to complete its task.

On Tuesday afternoon the commissioners made a tour of inspection looking after county ditch and road work, and found everything connected therewith progressing in a satisfactory manner. A special meeting has been set for next Saturday to conduct a hearing on county ditch No. 37. It is expected a large number of interested taxpayers will be on hand to air their views regarding the proposed improvement.

SECOND MARKET DAY SCHEDULED NEXT WEDNESDAY WITH GREATER SLASHING OF PRICES THAN EVER

Five Pounds of 45-Cent Coffee Offered as Leader By Group of Merchants—Special Bargains Listed By Every Merchandising Establishment in City.

Free Auction Sale, Drawing of Valuable Prizes and Other Attractions Are Features Offered—Preparations Being Made to Care For Many Visitors.

Next Wednesday, July 27, will occur the second of the series of Market Days planned for this summer by the Merchants' association of Thief River Falls. The first of these events took place a month ago and proved such a popular event with the public that an even more elaborate buying opportunity has been prepared for next Wednesday.

The first Market day was more in the nature of an experiment and there was much speculation as to how the plan would succeed. It soon became apparent when the appointed day arrived, however, that Thief River Falls merchants had hit upon the right tack in arranging an event of this kind and the day proved successful beyond the fondest hopes of those sponsoring the affair.

More Bargains Than Ever.

More bargains will be featured next Wednesday than have ever before been offered the public in one day at any one place. Every business establishment in the city is doing its share in slashing prices, each offering wonderful value in its own particular line.

Much has been written and talked in the last few months about the "buyers' strike." If there is such a strike within the trading territory of Thief River Falls the home business men are determined to break it by giving value which make pre-war prices look as if highway robbery was the motive which prompted merchants in placing value upon their goods.

Big Special Bargain.

The special bargain of twenty pounds of sugar for $1 a month ago proved such an attraction to the buying public that a similar event will be staged next Wednesday. Instead of sugar being made the leader at this time, coffee has been put on the bargain table. Five thousand pounds of regular 45 cent coffee has been provided and this will be offered at five pounds for one dollar. This price is made possible through a price concession on the part of the Caldwell Coffee company, importers of the coffee, the Thief River Grocery company, wholesalers, and the cooperation of twelve local merchants to stand the remainder of the loss. The advertising value of a deal of this kind appeals to the importer and wholesaler, who therefore are willing to make their share of the sacrifice in putting the deal across. The following local merchants are identified with the coffee deal: Larson Furniture company, Loken Brothers, Hermanson Hardware company, The Sapero company, E. O. Mogensen, Simonson's Meat and Grocery, A. M. Langseth, Hall Brothers company, C. Froseth, Palace Clothing House, Lieberman Brothers and Rolland's Meat and Grocery. The coffee will be distributed at the Rolland store.

Free Auction Sale.

Another free auction sale will be held next Wednesday for the benefit of those having personal property of any kind which they wish to dispose of. The sale is scheduled to begin promptly at 1 o'clock. Anything of value may be brought in and will be sold without charge.

Purchasers' Drawing.

As a special inducement for people to visit Thief River Falls on Market Day a number of articles will be given away absolutely free at a drawing to be held on the corner of Third street and LaBree avenue at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Following is a list of the things to be given away: One 100 lb. sack of sugar, one case canned tomatoes, one box bulk soda crackers, one case standard corn, one case standard peas, 25 pound box prunes, 50 pound sack Vivo flour, one case macaroni, one dozen quart Mason fruit jars, one box Spearmint chewing gum.

No Ball Game.

Due to the fact that most visitors will be too busy down town seeking bargains, no ball game is slated for next Wednesday. On an occasion of this kind it is difficult for a visiting crowd to work up much enthusiasm over a ball game and most of them feel they cannot afford to lose the time necessary to attend the game.

The motion picture houses, however, are putting on special attractions for the day and those who feel inclined may spend a quiet and pleasant hour there. A matinee will be given in the afternoon for the benefit of Market Day visitors who do not plan to remain for the evening.

District Court Sustained.

A decision received by Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund this week from the state supreme court upholds Judge Andrew Grindeland in a case recently appealed. The case involves some difficulties between Hans Ramstad and L. A. Lampert over alleged damages to residence property belonging to the former and occupied by the latter, in which a wrecked heating plant figured largely, claimed by defendant to be caused by a defect in the boiler which caused an explosion. Both courts decided in favor of the owner of the property.

Two Sets of Twins in 18 Months Sets New Record

Four healthy youngsters added to a family in a year and a half is considerable of an addition, it must be admitted. Yet this is the number of children born to Mr. and Mrs. Berney Levos, farmers residing near Mavie, in just eighteen months. Two sets of twins in this short interval is somewhat of a record, even for Pennington county, and at this rate the Levoses will soon have a real Rooseveltian brood of youngsters. Each set of twins consists of a boy and a girl, and they are all well developed and healthy children. The latest arrivals came last Saturday.

THIEF RIVER FALLS FAVORS NEW TRAIL

Chippewa Route to Pass Thru Pennington County Westward Into Dakota.

Shall Thief River Falls extend a welcome to the Chippewa Trail? This was the question asked at the regular meeting of the Commercial club last Thursday. All members present expressed themselves as heartily in favor of doing all that possibly can be done to secure this new inter-state trail, which already is marked northward from Detroit to Red Lake Falls.

It is proposed to have the road come north to Thief River Falls and then to Warren, Alvarado and westward, following the Soo right-of-way as closely as possible, terminating at Mandan, N. D.

The matter was referred to the good roads committee by President W. A. Hall, Jr., this committee being composed of C. L. Hansen, Daniel Shaw, G. C. Streeter, Olaf Ramstad and Thos. A. Way.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF NEW BUILDING ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Ladies Preparing Splendid Program to Dedicate New Fair Grounds Structure.

The new building at the fair grounds, which will be occupied by the Woman's department, school and industrial exhibits, will be officially dedicated tomorrow, Friday, evening. Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, announces the following program:

8:30—Music by Thief River Falls band.

Community singing — Mrs. Gay Halvorson, leader.

Address of Welcome—Herbert Fuller, president of the fair board.

Five minute talks by members of the fair board—Albert Johnson and Fred Beerbower.

Address—Mayor John Bratrud.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. L. F. Fisher, with Miss Beri Halvorson as accompanist.

Speech of acceptance on behalf of the Woman's committee—Mrs. J. H. Hardesty.

At the conclusion of the regular program a dancing party will be given in the balcony of the pavilion, which has an excellent floor, a depth of 14 feet and a circumference of 200 feet. Good music has been secured and the occasion will no doubt prove very enjoyable. The entire building is being tastefully decorated and will present a beautiful appearance Friday evening.

The new building fills a long felt want in that it provides much needed space for the proper exhibition of departments which have heretofore been badly handicapped for lack of room. Chief among these is the Woman's department, which has been forced to occupy quarters in the city auditorium for this reason. The lower floor of the structure is to be used for industrial and business exhibits, which also were housed in the auditorium last year.

Everyone connected with the Pennington county fair is highly pleased with the new building, and particularly those in charge of the Woman's department, which will now be given an opportunity to occupy the position in relation to the fair which rightfully belongs to it.

Society

Paulson-Nelson Wedding.

The following account of the wedding of Dr. A. J. Paulson and Miss Mina Nelson, taken from the columns of the Devils Lake Daily Journal, will prove of interest to readers of The Times:

"A very pretty wedding took place in this city at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Louise B. Pearson, on Wednesday, June 29th, when Miss Mina A. Nelson became the bride of Dr. A. J. Paulson of Thief River Falls, Minn. Rev. P. H. Case, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, performed the ceremony. The wedding took place at 6 o'clock in the evening, the house being beautifully decorated with pink and white ferns and flowers.

"Only the immediate relatives were present. The bride's niece, Mrs. R. D. McDougle, played the wedding march. The ceremony was a very beautiful and impressive one, the ring ceremony being used.

"The bride wore a gown of white bridal satin, lace and tulle, and her veil was a charming creation of silk caught into a cap effect with pearls and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and bridal roses. After hearty congratulations guests took their places at the dining table, their places being designated by place-cards which harmonized with the color scheme—pink and white.

"The bride is one of the popular young ladies of Thief River Falls, Minn., and for the past three years has been bookkeeper and nurse at the Thief River Falls Clinic.

"The groom is a graduate of Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia, and has done two years of post-graduate work in surgery in Chicago and New York, and also has had an extensive period in surgery. Dr. Paulson for the last five years has been engaged as surgeon with the Clinic at Thief River Falls but has become associated with the Watertown Clinic, one of the foremost organizations of its kind in South Dakota. The selection of Dr. Paulson for this post is a high tribute to his standing as a surgeon. He was selected after competitive tests in which five candidates participated, one of these being from the Mayo hospital at Rochester. He will take up his work there after July 11th. Dr. and Mrs. Paulson left on No. 1 for Glacier National Park. From there they will return to this city for a few days and then will go by auto to Watertown, S. D., where they will make their future home."

Dahl-Lien.

At the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dahl, 412 Arnold Ave. N., on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock, in a setting of sweet peas and other midsummer flowers, was solemnized the marriage of Miss Florence Lien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Lien, Underwood, and Archie Dahl. Rev. Geo. Larson, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church of this city, read the impressive service in the presence of immediate relatives and a few close friends. The bride who was unattended, wore a charming creation of white net fashioned on simple lines, and carried a bouquet of Columbia roses. A wedding luncheon for the guests was served in the dining room after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Dahl left Monday evening for Underwood, where they will spend two weeks at the home of the brides' parents. For the past two and a half years the bride has made this city her home and was employed as head saleslady in the dry goods department of the Loken Department store. The groom is employed as clerk in the Albert Lieberman clothing store.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. H. O. Loken entertained the members of the Chas. M. Holt Chautauqua Company, with which company Miss Grace Loken is traveling, at a 6 o'clock dinner at her home on Friday evening. Covers were laid for 16 guests. The company stopped off here enroute from Middle River to Mahnomen. Miss Loken takes the leading part in the playlet, "Cappy Ricks."

In Honor of Mrs. Douglass.

Honoring her guest, Mrs. J. E. Douglass of Walker, Mrs. Wm. Frederick entertained a number of ladies at her home on Duluth Ave. N., on Saturday afternoon. The guests included Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Geo. Johnson, Mrs. B. W. Protzeller, Mrs. John Bratrud, Mrs. G. W. Connell.

Picnic

Miss Olive Lindemoen was honored guest at a picnic dinner held at Lovers' Lane on Friday. Miss Lindemoen will leave soon for Grand Forks where she will make her home. Those who enjoyed the event were: Misses Selma Fellman, Bertha Borgen, Martha Dostal and Olive Lindemoen.

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting.

The Woman's Auxiliary will hold their next meeting at the Masonic hall on Tuesday evening, July 26. All members are urged to be present as there will be election of officers. Mrs. J. O. Sether will be hostess.

Entertains

Mrs. A. Anderson of Crookston, who was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre, last week, was honor guest at a party given by Mrs. Nels Christianson at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Entertained.

In compliment to Mrs. J. E. Douglass of Walker, who visited friends here last week, Mrs. Geo. Johnson informally entertained a few ladies at her home on Monday afternoon.

Methodist Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will serve a cafeteria lunch and ice cream at the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon, July 27.

EARLY FALL STYLE REVUE A FEATURE OF COUNTY FAIR

Loken Brothers and Johnson Millinery to Co-operate in *Putting on Great Show.*

As a fitting inauguration of the new building at the Pennington county fair grounds, an early fall style revue will be staged by Loken Brothers and the Johnson Millinery parlors. This style show will doubtless prove one of the main attractions at the fair on Aug. 3, 4 and 5.

Eighteen models, each representing a distinct type, have been selected for this show and every style of north Minnesota beauty will therefore be represented. Mr. Loken states that individuality in women's wear is a matter of the highest importance and that he will have on hand an array of garment that will do full justice to each of the models.

The garments selected for this show will be far in advance of those offered in the stores at that time, representing the very latest things turned out by designers. Identically the same garments will be shown at the same time in New York and Chicago.

The first performance will be given at the new pavilion at 9 o'clock on Aug. 3; the second at 4 o'clock the following afternoon and the third at 8 o'clock the same evening. On Aug. 5 the performance will be at 3 o'clock and at 8.

The room will be artistically decorated and music will be furnished by a concert orchestra. The models will parade on walks built especially for this occasion and so arranged that the paraders are in full view of the audience. The display will include full equipment—frocks, gowns, coats, suits, hats, furs, hosiery and shoes.

City News

Mrs. Lillian Hoialmen, who had been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Chris Storholm and Mrs. Elmer Ohm, left Sunday for Grand Forks to spend a few days with another sister, Mrs. Art Hallen.

Mrs. Esta Barton of the Dalquist Millinery will leave the first of the week for the Twin Cities, Chicago and Milwaukee on a buying trip

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, accompanied by her nephew, Norman Holen, spent Monday with relatives at Argyle.

Miss Myrtle Blair has accepted a position as clerk in the grocery department of the City Meat Market.

Mrs. N. Haugen returned to her home at Crookston on Monday afternoon, having spent Sunday visiting with her niece, Miss Lottie Austin.

G. Husby went to Grand Forks on a business trip which will extend over a few days.

Miss Julia Greibrok left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting relatives and friends.

A. M. Dinton of Bagley was in the city the latter part of last week on matters of business.

Miss Avis Akre, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting with friends at Little Falls returned to her home here last week.

Attorney Theo. Quale left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston on a business trip.

Miss Alpha Strom, who had spent a few days with Miss Dorothy Peterson, returned to Holt yesterday.

Theo. Prichard drove to Baudette on Friday where he sold the car returning by train on Monday afternoon. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Mary, who spent the week end as the guest of Misses Helen and Marrian Kennedy.

Anton Jorgenson and W. H. Krips, both of Pitt, were business callers here on Tuesday.

Miss Lulu Cook left this week for a visit of two weeks with her sister, Mabel, at Minot. Both young ladies will return to this city where Miss Mabel will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cook during her summer vacation.

H. F. Booren, who recently left to accept a position as cashier with the Farmers' State bank at Plummer, was in the city for a short time on Monday. He says that the family is now nicely settled in their new home and believe they will like the little town very much.

Mrs. A. S. Lieberman and children, who have been visiting in Duluth during the greater part of the summer, returned the first of the week and are at home in their new quarters in the Meighan block.

Mrs. Chris. Storholm and children went to Grand Forks on Saturday for a visit with friends and to take in the North Dakota state fair.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud and family returned Sunday from St. Thomas, N. D., having made the trip by auto. Mr. Gullingsrud says that the crop outlook in the section of North Dakota visited by him was never better.

Mrs. H. Holt and son Harry returned Friday from Minneapolis where they had spent a month visiting relatives and friends.

Harold Provencher left the first of the week for Grand Forks where he will take a position as assistant steward at the Dakota hotel under the vocational training provision of the government, he being a veteran of the late war. Mr. Provencher has served as chef at the Evelyn hotel in this city since his return from the army and has accepted the Grand Forks position for the purpose of broadening his experience. His new post is a most responsible one as the purchase of supplies and devising of menus will devolve entirely upon him. Mrs. Provencher and the baby accompanied him and the family will make their home at Grand Forks, for the present at least.

Mrs. J. E. Douglas and two children who had spent several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Frederick, returned to her home at Walker the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lawrence of Doland, S. D., are in the city visiting at the home of their son, L. H. Lawrence. They made the trip by car.

Wm. B. Cruzan of Carthage, Mo., is in the city as the guest of his brother, Chas. Cruzan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson spent Sunday visiting with friends at Maple Lake.

Miss Senoria Simonson of Ada is visiting at the home of her brother, C. S. Simonson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parist who spent two weeks visiting with relatives and friends at Kenmare and Sanish, N. D., returned to this city on Saturday evening.

Red Cross Chapter Meets Next Saturday Afternoon

The Pennington county chapter of the American Red Cross will hold a meeting next Saturday afternoon at the 2 o'clock in the Commercial club rooms, Thief River Falls. All directors and members are urgently requested to be present as much important business requires attention at this time.

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Exclusive New Frocks, Gowns, Coats, Suits and Hats will be presented in a

Early Fall Style Revue

During the Annual Pennington County Fair, Aug. 3-4-5-6, at the new Women's Building

Through the co-operation of Loken Brothers and the Johnson Millinery with the Fair Management, we will present the finest Style Show ever staged in Northern Minnesota. Five performances in all.

First performance, 9 p. m., Aug. 3rd
Second performance, 2 p. m., Aug. 4th
Third performance, 8 p. m., Aug. 4th
Fourth performance 3 p. m. Aug. 5th
Fifth performance, 8 p. m., Aug. 5th

This will be a Style Show of decidedly uncommon attraction, taking place in the beautiful new Woman's Fair Building and will be staged on walks built especially for this Style Show. Eighteen models have been selected for this display, each representing a distinct type of Northern Minnesota beauty. We believe that styles should be adapted to the types for which they were intended; accordingly garments will be shown on models which would "carry off" these garments most appropriately—most artistically. You will notice the individuality possessed in every garment and hat shown, that divines that beauty lies not merely in the garment or hat, per se, but in the manner of its wearing.

To see this Style Show is to see the finest advance fall and winter fashions, expressed here from New York, Cleveland and Chicago especially for this show. Identically the same styles as shown at the New York and Chicago Style Shows.

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All Hats shown by Johnson's Millinery.

All Suits, Coats, Dresses, Gowns, Furs, Hosiery and Shoes by

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Market Day Specials!

Market Day shoppers will find it worth their while to carefully read the various special cash offerings which we are listing below, as in many cases the goods are being offered at less than present cost.

We are making these prices to reduce our present large stock and to be better prepared for the fall goods when they arrive in the next few weeks.

Come early and stay until you have inspected the stock which we are offering at this Market Day Sale, for then we know you will buy every-day necessities at the special low prices named.

2c American flags, Market Day Special	1c	2c Lead pencils, Market Day Special	1c	2c Scratch pads, Market Day Special	1c
2c Pencil eraser tips, Market Day Special	1c	2c Erasers, pen and pencil Market Day Special	1c	2c Colored lead pencils, Market Day Special	1c
3c Pen holders, Market Day Special	2c	3c Scratch Pads, Market Day Special	2c	3c Box colored chalk, Market Day Special	2c
5c Ink tablets, Market Day Special	3c	10c Box crayolas, Market Day Special	3c	5c Paper pins, Market Day Special	3c
5c Lead pencils, Market Day Special	3c	5c Pen and pencil erasers, Market Day Special	3c	15c Celluloid dolls, Market Day Special	3c
5c Box chalk, Market Day Special	3c	5c Paper clasps, Market Day Special	3c	5c Note books, Market Day Special	3c
5c Key rings, Market Day Special	3c	5c Roll wax paper, Market Day Special	3c	5c Paint brushes, Market Day Special	3c
5c Package of gum, Market Dat Special	4c	5c Birthday cards, Market Day Special	4c	5c Doz. paper napkins, Market Day Special	4c
5c Candy Bars, Market Day Special	4c	5c Candles, 10 shades, Market Day Special	4c	5c Doz. paper saucers, Market Day Special	4c
8c Doz. paper pie plates, Market Day Special	5c	8c Package brass pins, Market Day Special	5c	8c Lead pencils, Market Day Special	5c
10c Pencil sharpeners, Market Day Special	7c	10c Pad thumb tacks, Market Day Special	7c	10c Aluminum cups, Market Day Special	7c
10c Bottle of ink, Market Day Special	7c	10c Ink tablets, Market Day Special	7c	10c Package of envelopes, Market Day Special	7c
10c Bottle of paste, Market Day Special	7c	10c Venus pencils, Market Day Special	7c	10c Shelf paper, plain, fancy, Market Day Special	7c
10c Box stationery, Market Day Special	7c	10c Combination tweezers, Market Day Special	7c	10c Coin purses, Market Day Special	7c
15c Box Eversharp leads, Market Day Special	9c	15c Package preserve labels, Market Day Special	9c	15c Box mints, Market Day Special	9c
15c Tablet drawing paper, Market Day Special	9c	15c Ash tray, Market Day Special	9c	15c Box chocolates, Market Day Special	9c
15c Drinking cups, Market Day Special	11c	15c Roll add. mch. paper, Market Day Special	11c	20c Jointed dolls, Market Day Special	11c
25c Desk blotters, Market Day Special	19c	25c Tourist state maps, Market Day Special	19c	25c Tracing slates, Market Day Special	19c
25c Typewriter brushes, Market Day Special	19c	30c Pocket tapes, Market Day Special	19c	25c Books of cartoons, Market Day Special	19c
35c Roll toilet paper, Market Day Special	23c	35c Box stationery Market Day Special	23c	35c Jointed dolls, Market Day Special	23c
35c Glass flower vases, Market Day Special	26c	40c Box stationery, Market Day Special	26c	40c Artist's pencils, Market Day Special	26c
40c Feather dusters, Market Day Special	29c	35c Package playing cards, Market Day Special	29c	50c Ink pads, Market Day Special	29c
50c Box Prang's Paints, Market Day Special	34c	45c Dice boxes, Market Day Special	34c	50c Cribbage boards, Market Day Special	34c
45c Glass candlesticks, Market Day Special	39c	50c Imitation Eversharp, Market Day Special	39c	60c Leather day books, Market Day Special	39c
60c Letter file, Market Day Special	39c	55c Wire letter tray, Market Day Special	39c	60c Boy Scout books, Market Day Special	39c
60c Pencil boxes, Market Day Special	44c	60c Half pint ink, Market Day Special	44c	60c Box stationery, Market Day Special	44c
75c Box rubber bands, Market Day Special	49c	75c ½-lb. Box pins, Market Day Special	49c	75c Photo albums, Market Day Special	49c
95c Framed mottoes, Market Day Special	59c	90c Bottle mucilage, Market Day Special	59c	$1.25 Night lamp, Market Day Special	59c
$1.00 Pint bottle ink, Market Day Special	71c	$1.00 Doz. Venus pencils, Market Day Special	71c	$1.00 Robinson Reminders, Market Day Special	71c
$1.00 Fountain pens, Market Day Special	79c	$1.25 Mahogany bud vase, Market Day Special	79c	$1.25 Bubble books, Market Day Special	79c
$1.50 Reed baskets, Market Day Special	99c	$1.40 Photograph holders, Market Day Special	99c	$1.50 Qt. bottle ink, Market Day Special	99c
$1.50 Tourist writing paper, Market Day Spel.	$1.23	$1.75 Scrap books, Market Day Special	$1.23	$1.75 Waste basket, Market Day Special	$1.23
$2.00 Cooking Recipe outfit, Market Day spel.	$1.46	$2.00 Leather hand bag, Market Day Special	$1.46	$2.45 Leather Kodak Book, Market Day spel.	$1.46
$2.60 Teddy Bears, Market Day Special	$1.99	$2.50 Sweet pea vase, Market Day Special	$1.99	$2.50 Ladies' coin purse, Market Day Special	$1.99

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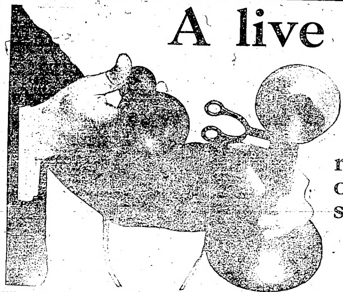

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$15.00 Spring Suits, for this one day, July 27	$7.50	$35.00 Spring Suits, for this one day July 27	$17.50	$65.00 Spring Suits, for this one day only July 27	$32.50
$25.00 Spring Suits, for this one day, July 27	$12.50	$50.00 Spring Suits, for this one day July 27	$25.00	$85.00 Spring and Summer Suits, for this one day only	$42.50

$10.00 Coats at $5.00 $15.00 Coats at $7.50 $25.00 Coats at $12.50 $35.00 Coats at $17.50 $50.00 Coats at $25.00 $65.00 Coats at $32.50

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A new case of Ladies' fine pure thread Silk Hose, all colors, all sizes. A wonderful Silk Hose value at per pair	98c
Another mill shipment of those remarkable Ladies' Union Suits, in all sizes, 36 to 44, at Suit only	39c
Pepsodent or Pebeco Tooth Paste	39c
$3.50 values in Cranberry Red or Jet Bead Necklaces at only	98c
35—5 and 6 in. wide Flowered Hair Bow Ribbons at yd.	19c

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Extra quality Silk Hose, black also white with clocks, $2.50 values at	$1.49
Warner's $4.50 and $5.00 Corsets. Just a few dropped numbers. To clear stock quick, your choice	$2.95
Warner's $3.00 Corsets. A new draped style, of a splendid value, at per pair	$1.95
65c Curtaining, Cretones and draperies for Market Day, choice, per yard	39c
$2.00 and $1.50 values in Terry Cloths and Sun-fast draperies, Market Day yard	85c
$1.25 & $1.00 Curtain Goods, Cretones, Panel Curtaining, Draperies, a splendid collection at yard	69c
Last Call July 27th On our Silk Clearance Sale. Values to $3.50 at per yard	$1.00

Market Day Specials in Our Basement

The Greatest Values in Town Are Always to be Found in Loken's Bargain Basement.

36 in. Standard Ideal Percales, light dark or grey, a yard	15c
New fancy Outing Flannels, also all white Outing Flannels, at yard	15c
36 in. Scotish Drew Plaids. Just the thing for school dresses. The same goods last year a dollar a yard. Now yard	35c
Children's Rah-Rah Hats, a big line to choose from, each	39c
18 inch Toweling Linen finished cotton crash, a special value at yd.	15c
Sateen Linings Plain and fancy floral patterns, 36 in. wide, at yard	38c
$1.50 value Silk mixture fancy Mulls, very special yard	59c

Yellow Mixing Bowls Market Day only at a Discount of 20%.

Men's 220 Denim Overalls and Jackets, each	98c
Children's Garters, black or white, per pair	10c
Sewing Machine Oil, big bottles, 25c values at	10c
Canvas Gloves per pair	10c
Aluminum Combination Kettles, $3.95 values at	$3.39
6 quart Aluminum Kettles, $3.50 values at each	$2.95
3 quart Aluminum Sauce Pans for Market Day, each	69c

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Coats' 150 yd. Cotton Thread	5c
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Snap Fasteners, all sizes, per card	5c
Silko and Sansilk Mercerized Crochet Cotton, per ball	7c
Galvanic Soap, 20 bars here only at	$1.00
Palm Olive Soap, 7 bars for	49c

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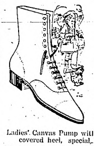

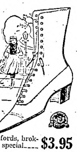

Specials for Market Day

Ladies' Gunmetal Shoes, low heels, sizes 3 to 8, special	$3.95
Ladies' Black and Brown Kid Shoes, low heel, broken sizes, values up to $9.00 special	$3.95
Ladies' Canvas Oxfords, plain toe with Louis, Cuban & Military heels, spec.	$2.45
Ladies' Canvas 2-eyelet ties, Cuban heel special	$2.45
Ladies' Canvas Pump with buckle, Louis covered heel, special	$2.45
Misses' Strap Roman Sandles and 1 strap 2-button Pumps, black and brown, sizes 11 to 2, special	$2.45
Ladies' black and brown kid Pumps broken sizes, values to $8.50, special	$3.95
Ladies' brown kid and calf Oxfords, broken sizes, values to $9.00, special	$3.95
Growing Girls' Oxfords and Ties, black and brown, special	$3.95
Ladies' Box Calf Blucher, a good heavy farm shoe, special	$3.95
First Step black and brown patent and kid strap slippers, special	$1.35
Shinola, any color, 2 for	15c

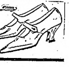

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THE USUAL RESULT.

Deposed members of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston have started after the scalp of Supt. C. G. Selvig. There is nothing surprising in this. Men who accomplish things are always targets for people of small calibre.

There are several other agricultural schools in Minnesota but it is safe to say that none has reached the prominence enjoyed by the institution at Crookston. For this state of affairs Supt. Selvig is largely responsible. One would think that his reward would be something besides suspicion, villification and abuse, but it would seem as if this is to become part of the price he has to pay for standing loyally by his town and the excellent institution of which he is the head.

Mr. Selvig made the mistake of following the course he believed to be right without consulting a lot of people who knew nothing whatever about the problems he had to solve. The soundness of his methods is borne out by the results. This did not make him any more popular with those who were jealous of his success.

If this were a matter that concerned the people of Crookston alone it would be none of our business. Mr. Selvig, however, has become something of a district leader thru his various activities and his constant effort to improve conditions, particularly where these pertain to farming. He is in the employ of the state and the servant of the people of a large section. The attempt of a small coterie at Crookston to depose him rightfully failed.

Lad Proves Incorrigible; Sent to Red Wing School

Orvin, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Morstad, was on Tuesday evening taken to the state training school for boys at Red Wing by Sheriff W. J. LaBree. This action was decided upon at a hearing before Judge of Probate Lars Backe on Tuesday afternoon, at which time considerable evidence was introduced to show the delinquency of the youth. His mother admitted she could do nothing with him and gladly consented when it was suggested the boy be sent to the training school.

The lad does not appear overly bright and admitted that he had not progressed beyond the second grade in school. It was plain that nothing could be done for the boy in his home surroundings and the court deemed it advisable to commit him to the state institution.

Soil Experts Here.

F. J. Alway of the state experiment station and E. P. Tanner of Chicago, representing the Anaconda Copper Mining company, makers of phosphate fertilizer, are spending the week in this vicinity inspecting the various plots of grains on which the phosphate has been used. They are more than pleased with results and predict that a large amount of phosphate will be used by northwestern Minnesota farmers within a short time, with greatly increased yields coming from its use.

Public Forum

Do Not Put it Off.

Why continue this waste?

We can show you 20,000 acres or more, of land in Polk county cultivated last year that produced barely enough net returns to pay the taxes or less—labor, seed grain, cash profits, soil fertility, all lost because of the sow thistle.

We wish that we could get everyone to see the seriousness of this problem from the money standpoint and also cause everyone to see the absolute necessity of doing his part before it is too late. The sow thistle is a public menace. This is no time to lament the evil, it is time to act with a definite plan and without let up. This will throttle the sow thistle and no other method will. But this means everybody.

Do not, therefore, put off mowing that patch of sow thistle in the grain field, the stray stalks along the road, the bunches in the fence corners, the strips along the edges of fields and all idle land. A few hours now, and from time to time as new shoots blossom, with the scythe or mower, will mean the saving of a world of work for next year and the next for you and your neighbor; not to cut down the growing pest may mean the wiping out of profits and the life of the soil for a number of years.

The sow thistle is in the active flowering stage for six weeks or more. Do not think that because a few heads have opened and turned white that it is too late. At this stage only comparatively few heads are ripe and the "advance guards" will not have their seed scattered to any great extent when mowed.

Let us check with hoe, plow, scythe and mower the spread of the sow thistle, having in mind our neighbor's interests and rights as well as our own interests; let us restore the agriculture of the Northwest to a profitable basis, and further let us plan now for a method of cropping for the future that will check and eradicate the evil without the unnecessary loss of crops or the otherwise needless expenditure of a vast amount of labor. The future of farming in the state depends upon it. Go with us over this and other counties of the Northwest section of Minnesota and be convinced that this is the time for action.

Sow thistles and poverty; clean farming and prosperity.

JOHN MEISSNER,
Weed Inspector, 1st Dist., Polk County, Minnesota.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—July 24, 10 a. m., Sunday school. Our primary is especially provided with teachers and appliances for caring for the little people. Mrs. Froehlich is the superintendent. Parents are invited to bring their children in the beautiful summer time. 11 a. m., morning worship. 8 p. m., evening hour with the stereopticon. 7 p. m., C. E. "The Perils of Materialism." The Ladies' Aid Society meets at the church and will serve a picnic lunch on Friday, July 22, 3 to 6 p. m. The men are invited to be present and eat with the ladies.

First Sw. Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services in the Swedish language at 10:30 a. m. Sunday. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45 a. m. No services in the evening. Ladies' Aid and Luther League will be entertained on Wednesday, July 27, afternoon and evening respectively, in the church basement. The hostesses will be Mrs. John Fellman and Mrs. O. A. Paplin.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, July 24. German services at 10 a. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. English services at 3 p. m., at Germantown. English services at 7 p. m. at Erie.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid society Thursday, July 21st, entertained by Mrs. Iver Auseby, Mrs. Ed. Erickson, Mrs. O. Legvold and Mrs. J. J. Aga. Luther League, Thursday evening. The Sunday school and parochial school have their annual outing at Squaw Point Sunday, to which the general public is most cordially invited. Bring your lunch baskets and spend the day. There will be Divine service held in the open at 11 a. m. After dinner a program will be rendered by the teachers and pupils of the school. Afterwards a long list of interesting races and contests with prizes attached will be staged. There will be a refreshment stand on the grounds. Coffee also will be dispensed to all who desire at a nominal price.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—English services with Holy Communion, Sunday, 10:30 a. m. Confessional address 10 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Announcements for Communion will be received at the parsonage Friday afternoon and evening. Mrs. H. Roemhildt will entertain the Ladies' Aid in the church basement, Wednesday afternoon, July 27.

Christian Science — Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject Sunday July 23, "Truth." Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Open for reading room each Thursday p. m., from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Services at Rindal 2 p. m. Services at city church, 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies Aid entertained on Thursday July 28, by Mrs. Neseth and Mrs. Wollen. Zion Y. P. S. meeting same evening.

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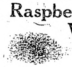

You can make a pleasing variety of jams, conserves, jellies and sauces with raspberries. Try this tested recipe:

Raspberry Jam

One pound of sorted berries
Three quarters of pound granulated sugar
Place all together in preserving kettle and boil rapidly till syrup breaks as in jelly making. Pour into bottles or jars. When cold cover with melted paraffin. Store in cool room.

DON'T wait much longer to put up a plentiful supply of raspberries and loganberries for next winter—in Ball Mason jars. The season for Cuthbert and Antwerp berries will soon be over. They are the most desirable varieties for canning and when they're gone there won't be any more raspberries in quantities for canning.

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PROGRAM

St. Hilaire Day Aug. 3---Afternoon	Aug. 4---Afternoon	Goodridge Day Aug. 5---Afternoon	Aug. 6
Music, 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. Ferris Wheel Girls 2:00 to 3:00 p. m. Music Auto Polo, 3:10 to 3:40 Baseball, 4:00 p. m. St. Hilaire vs. Viking EVENING Music, 7:00 to 7:30 Auto Polo, 7:30 to 8:00 Ferris Wheel Girls, 8 to 9 Style Show in Woman's Building Begins at 9.	Music, 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. Ferris Wheel Girls, 2 to 3 Music Auto Polo, 3:10 to 3:40 Derby Race Baseball, 4:00 p. m. Thief River Falls vs. Drayton EVENING Music, 7:30 to 8:00 p. m. Auto Polo, 8:00 to 8:30 Ferris Wheel Girls 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. Fireworks, 9:30 p. m. "SEIGE of DARDENELLES"	Music, 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. Ferris Wheel Girls, 2 to 3 Music Auto Polo, 3:10 to 3:40 Mule Race Baseball, 4:00 p. m. T. R. Falls vs. R. L. Falls EVENING Music, 7:30 to 8:00 p. m. Auto Polo, 8:00 to 8:30 Ferris Wheel Girls 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. Fireworks, 9:30 p. m. "PIONEER DAYS"	Auto Races A full afternoon program of races by some of the best drivers in the world, using modern high-powered cars. Races full of danger at every turn. Danger N. B.: Keep away from rail at turn east of grandstand.

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Gate .... 25c Autos 25c
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IF the loss to industry through unnecessary friction could be entirely eliminated; it would mean a saving of sufficient money to pay off the combined state debt of Illinois, Indiana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas in a single year.

—(*Moody's Manual*)

It would represent twice the value of all the vessels produced in the United States in a normal year, and would be greater in value than the annual rye, barley, or rice crop.

—(*Statistical Abstract of U. S.*)

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—(*Industrial Oil Engineering*)

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City News

Miss Marie Thill, who had spent a few days visiting friends at Crookston, returned to her home here on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Geo. Hurtel and son, Wallace, arrived Tuesday morning from Fargo for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Linstad.

Mrs. H. Hermanson visited with friends at Grygla Sunday and Monday.

Fred Hoyez arrived Tuesday from Warroad for a few days' visit with friends.

Miss Irma Thompson of Crookston spent Monday and Tuesday as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Mattison, leaving yesterday morning with two friends for Warroad to visit for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Skarstad motored down from Warren on Saturday and visited over Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Granum.

Mind not the breakers but go straight ahead and you will succeed, but let your course be towards **Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.** Send for our catalog.

Julien Provencher returned Friday from a short business visit to Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnson and children returned Wednesday morning from a week's visit to the cities.

A. F. Skaren of Virginia, was in the city on business the first of the week, having made the trip by automobile. He found the roads generally good except for a few spots in Itasca and Clearwater counties.

Mrs. Julien Provencher and Miss Lillian Provencher are absent on a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Fargo and Breckenridge.

L. H. Larson and family returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives at Fessenden and other North Dakota points.

Miss Emma Gratz of Goodridge visited with friends here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kiewel of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kiewel and son James of Little Falls, spent Monday in the city visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson and daughter Yvonne, left Tuesday morning on a motor trip to western Canada. They expect to return the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and Mrs. Nelson of Grand Forks, were guests of Mrs. Dora Tharaldson between trains yesterday.

Miss Grace Skramstad, employed at Loken's, left Friday on a two weeks' vacation to be spent at Fergus Falls.

Earl Orr drove up from Crookston, where he had been visiting at the Ball home, and spent a day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson enroute to his home at Baudette.

Miss Lillian Gran returned Friday evening from Oklee, where she had spent a week with an aunt.

Mrs. Frances Gould Davis of Los Angeles, Cal., who has spent some time visiting at the home of Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, left Tuesday evening for Alexandria, where she will remain at the Stopple home until the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Dalquist, when she will accompany them on their trip to the west.

Mrs. C. E. Frances and son Clarence Jr., who have spent some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bamford, left Wednesday morning for their home at Portland, Ore. They were accompanied as far as Detroit by Mrs. Bamford, who returned in the evening.

Mrs. Roy Lambert and son are visiting at the home of her parents in Detroit.

Mrs. Beatrice Hieber and baby returned last evening from Sioux City, Ia., where they were called by the death of her mother.

Miss Effie Hamry returned Tuesday morning from a two weeks' visit with her sister, Miss Igna, who is teaching a summer term of school near Cleveland. Returning she stopped off at Grand Forks for a short visit with friends.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Newland, 420 Crocker avenue north, on Monday. Mother and child are doing nicely.

A barn dance will be given at the Carl Klockman farm near Mavie on Saturday evening, July 23. Everybody invited.

C. O. Jacobson of Viking was a business caller here on Saturday.

Miss Maybelle Swanson, of the class of '21, who had attended summer school at Moorhead for six weeks, returned on Saturday.

Misses Marrian and Ella Miller and Evangeline Burns left the latter part of last week for Detroit, where they will spend two weeks at Lake Shoreham.

Irene Sorenson, who had spent two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson, has returned to Minneapolis to resume her work.

Miss Gladys Carlson of Warren arrived on Saturday for an over Sunday visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parlow, who had visited with friends at Holt, left Saturday evening for their home at St. Paul.

Miss Kathleen Ures, who had spent some time visiting friends and relatives here, returned to Grand Forks on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter autoed to Grand Forks on Wednesday and took in the North Dakota state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Farr autoed to Grand Forks on Wednesday for the purpose of bringing to this city their son James, who has been undergoing medical treatment in that city. The young man has never fully recovered from injuries received while serving in the navy during the late war.

Miss Hazel Lardey of Viking arrived last evening to spend several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Flann.

C. O. Norby of Strathcona was in the city receiving medical treatment the first of the week. He returned to his home yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Dahl returned Wednesday from a ten days' vacation motor trip, spent with relatives at Litchville, N. D., and at points in South Dakota.

Lloyd Alnes left Friday evening for the Twin Cities to spend two weeks with friends.

A. T. Touseley went to Red Lake Falls on Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. Chas. Boughton, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Dahl and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dahl motored over to Grand Forks yesterday to attend the fair.

Miss Anna Brandrud returned yesterday from a week's visit with relatives at Fargo.

Mrs. Robert Vance and daughter, Mary, left last week for Sault Ste. Marie to spend the remainder of the summer with Mr. Vance's sister, Mrs. Louis Chapman.

Geo. Hockstein of Milwaukee was a guest over Sunday at the F. C. Niclai home.

Mrs. L. T. Smith returned to her home at Minneapolis last week after a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. D. Keene.

John Hendry left Sunday evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days visiting friends.

T. P. Hornseth, who had spent six weeks in Minneapolis on business, returned to this city the first of the week.

Miss Agnes Frederickson arrived Monday afternoon from Greenbush, where she had been visiting friends.

Miss Latrella Paulson, who had spent a week visiting her cousin, Mrs. Chas. Moore, at Rainy River, Ont., returned to this city on Monday.

Ray Kiland and Alfred Paulson motored to Maple Lake on Sunday to visit with friends.

Mrs. L. Bartley of Minneapolis is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Keene.

E. E. Dollenhide returned to Williams yesterday after visiting for a few days with his daughter, Mrs. E. S. Johnson.

Mrs. Ed. Pearson returned to St. Hilaire Tuesday afternoon after attending to shopping here between trains.

P. O. Myhrum made a business trip to Red Lake Falls yesterday.

Thos. Majeres, who is employed at Crookston, spent yesterday here with his folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg returned yesterday from a two weeks' wedding trip spent at the country home of the latter's parents near Eau Claire, Wis.

Arthur Loken of Minneapolis is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Karen Loken.

Mrs. Joe Perdzock and baby arrived Friday from Wisconsin Rapids for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein. She was accompanied by Miss Theresa Giefer, who had been her guest.

Kenneth Wattem spent Sunday visiting with friends at Maple Lake.

Atty. W. J. Brown and D. J. Raulston returned Sunday from Canada where they had spent a few days on business.

Clarence E. Andrews spent Sunday visiting at the W. J. Brown cottage at Union Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney and family spent Sunday at Union Lake.

Chas. Munn was a visitor at his home at Crookston on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Godfrey Carlson left Thursday afternoon for Holt where she will spend a few days visiting at the home of her parents.

Miss Laura Stopple left Tuesday evening on an extended vacation. Her first stop will be made at her home at Alexandria where she will spend a few days with her parents. She will visit friends at DesMoines, Milwaukee, Chicago and New York City. Returning she will take the boat trip from Buffalo to Duluth, from which place she will go to Alexandria where she will meet Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist of this city and together they will take a trip by car through the western states. They expect to start about the middle of August.

Mrs. R. Olson of Winger is in the city this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon.

Blueberries are plentiful this year and parties are going out from the city every day to gather the fruit. The O. L. Ihle family autoed to Warroad on Sunday and picked 275 quarts in two days. This is the largest haul reported but 100-quart harvests are common.

Mrs. J. C. Middlemass of Buffalo, N. Y., accompanied by her son, is a visitor at the home of her brother, Postmaster John Morgan, having arrived Wednesday.

William McGinnity returned this week from a visit to the Poplar and Scobey region of Montana. He says that there is a wonderful yield of all kinds of crops in that section of the country this year and that he has never known conditions in western North Dakota to be better.

Clair Barker of Henning spent Tuesday in the city visiting friends and attending to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pratt and son of Winnipeg were in the city the first of the week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sandvick and Mrs. Thorsen of Rainey River, Ont., visited with friends here on Monday and Tuesday.

Art Sorem returned to his home at Holt yesterday after spending a day here on business.

Swan Sorenson of Lancaster arrived here on Saturday and spent Sunday visiting with friends.

H. Lundell of Hallock was an over Sunday visitor of friends returning to his home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Benson and two sons, accompanied by Edward Kiland, drove to Grand Forks yesterday morning to spend the day at the fair.

Mrs. A. J. McAlpin and two sons and daughter of Chisholm, arrived last week for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. P. J. Keating.

Mrs. P. J. Keating and two daughters returned here the last of the week from a three week's visit with relatives in the southern part of the state, St. Paul and Minneapolis.

H. L. Holbrook, manager of the Dress Club here and at Crookston, was a business caller here the latter part of last week.

Miss Agnes Frederickson, who is spending the summer vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Christina Frederickson, left yesterday morning for Roseau on a visit.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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Or 8% discount for cash.

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On all horse-drawn Gang Plows, Moline and P. & O. $15.00 discount from our regular cash prices or $10.00 discount from our regular time prices.

On all Sulky Plows, Moline, P. & O. and Emerson. $10.00 discounts from our regular cash prices, or $5.00 discount from our regular time prices.

On all Wagons, $10.00 discount from our regular prices and on all Wagon Boxes, $5.00 to $7.00 discounts.

On sale of Grain Drills our special low prices of last spring prevail, but will sell for fall seeding on next years terms without interest to next April 1st, 1922, or liberal cash discounts.

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$35 Men's Suits	$27.50
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$50 Men's Suits	$39.50
$55 Men's Suits	$42.50
$60 Men's Suits	$47.50

Boys' Suits
Any Boys' Suit in the store at
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Your choice of any Men's $5 or $6 Felt Hats, all the latest styles. For Market Day only

$3.95

Blacks, Browns, Greys and Greens

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All CAPS at reduced prices for one day

Shirts

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19c

Men's fine Dress Shirts, in a variety of patterns.
On Sale for Market Day

$1.50 Dress Shirts	$1.15
$2.00 Dress Shirts	$1.65
$2.50 Dress Shirts	$1.95
$3.00 Dress Shirts	$2.35

Neckwear
Wash Ties
35c values
25c each

Union Suits

Men's fine ribbed Union Suit
$1.50 values .... $1.15 $2.50 values $1.95

Boys' Union Suit
39c

Genuine "Lee" Unionalls

One day only
Regular $4 values **$2.75** Sizes 34 to 50

Khaki Pants
A regular $3.00 Pants. For one day only
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Renovated Army Breeches, per pair 65c
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BOARD RULES FARM SCHOOL CHARGES WERE UNSUSTAINED

Attempt to Remove Supt. C. G. Selvig From Position in Northwest School of Agriculture Fails—Charges Not Sustained at Hearing Before State Regents.

Considerable excitement was caused last week at Crookston, when it became known that an attempt had been made by a number of former teachers to remove Supt. C. G. Selvig from his position in the Northwest School of Agriculture. Mr. Selvig was completely exhonerated by the Minnesota State Board of regents. The following account of the affair, given by the Crookston Times, will be of interest to local friends of Mr. Selvig and of the Northwest school:

"The hearing called by the regents of the State University to investigate the charges of mismanagement at the Northwest School of Agriculture, which was held last week, was entertaining, if nothing more.

It proved to be farce-comedy and was the most amusing feature of visitors' day program at the Northwest School. Supt. Selvig was, according to those bringing the charges to have been made the goat, but he failed to qualify in that capacity by an overwhelming majority.

The charges had been preferred by John Huseby, one of the deposed teachers, and he attempted to substantiate them by the evidence furnished by himself and three other members of last year's teaching staff, who had not been recommended for reappointment. The manner in which they substantiated the charges was what produced the merriment and stamped the whole proceedings as a fascinating burlesque.

Huseby Called.

Mr. Huseby was first called to the stand by President Snyder of the board of regents. The formal chatges were taken up one at a time. The first charge was that 24 acres of corn had been cut to fill the silos, and in hauling the fodder corn to the silos the work had been so carelessly done that several hundred bushels of ears had been broken off, allowed to lie on the ground and were afterward plowed under. Mr. Huseby had watched the process with tearful interest. It was fine dent corn and it grieved him to see so much splendid ensilage wasted. The corn plowed under, he estimated, would run 10 bushels to the acre.

Mr. McCall, the farm foreman, was called, and produced his records which showed that the corn in this field was not dent corn at all, but pearl flint corn; that the field had been gleaned after the harvest, and forty-five bushels of the broken off ears had been gathered. According to Mr. McCall's statement, there was no waste of corn; the only part of the transaction that he questioned was as to whether the amount of corn gleaned was sufficient to pay the cost of labor.

Charges Based on Rumor.

The charges that part of the carbide purchased for the farm had been used in Supt. Selvig's residence, and that a washing machine and davenport purchased for the farm had been appropriated by him for his own use, were, Mr. Huseby admitted, only based on rumors he had heard and he had no personal knowledge of them. Mr. Selvig quickly disposed of these, however, by showing that the carbide connection to his residence had been made several years ago upon the authority of Dean Woods, and that the davenport and washing machine had been purchased by him personally, in proof of which he produced the cancelled checks given in payment.

The charge that Mr. Huseby's advice had not been followed in the location of a certain pasture, was promptly dismissed by the regents on the ground that Mr. Huseby had not been employed to give directions on matters of management, but to follow them.

Bull Enters Hearing.

The next charge was that a bull had been loaned to the farm by a Mr. Berg and had been installed in a box stall upon Mr. Selvig's orders, which, six months previous, had been occupied by a cow and calf infected with tuberculosis. This stall, Mr. Huseby said, had not been disinfected, and he felt so sorry for this fine bull that he had taken it upon himself to write to the owner, *telling him of the manner* in which the state had abused his kindness in loaning the animal, Upon being questioned, he admitted that he was in charge of the animal husbandry department at the experiment farm; that this same box stall, for several months previous to its occupancy by said bull, had been the abiding place of three Holstein calves; that he had made no effort to disinfect it and that the well of sympathy in his heart had not overflowed for the calves, but had gushed forth only for the bull. The whole matter was disposed of and became very much of a joke when Mr. Ronigan, the barn foreman, was sent for and testified that the bull had been housed in the box stall by himself and not upon Mr. Selvig's orders, and that, furthermore, the stall, upon the removal of the infected cow and calf, had been thoroughly and properly disinfected.

Mr. Huseby's final charge was that he had been employed by Mr. Selvig for a term of two years. But this charge was quickly disposed of by the production of the letter of appointment, showing that the term of his appointment was for one year only.

Smith Testifies.

Prof. J. J. Smith, another of the deposed teachers, then went to bat. He charged that some of the farm help had been used for Supt. Selvig's employment. He had been there two years and from the position of his office was able to keep a close watch upon the Selvig residence. During that time he had seen the janitor spend two whole hours hoeing the Selvig garden. On two or three other occasions this criminally-minded individual had been observed mowing the Selvig lawn. At one time the engineer had been guilty of driving Mrs. Selvig in the Selvig car to Red Lake Falls, and the motor teacher had driven Mr. Selvig's car to town, and in it Mr. Selvig had the audacity to ride. To crown the whole list of infamous things that had been revealed to Mr. Smith day after day as he watched from his observation post, was that the farm janitor had once been seen taking off the Selvig storm windows and putting on the screens. One of the regents asked if he thought any of these men had neglected their regular duties to perform these services for Mr. Selvig and Mr. Smith admitted he did not believe they had. Another of the regents then asked if these men were all unmarried. It had to be admitted that this crime also could be laid at their door. But the milk in the coconnut began to trickle through when another of the regents forced Mr. Selvig to admit that his wife's household was a very attractive looking young lady.

The final charge, that Mr. Selvig had furnished a luncheon at the expense of the Northwest school for the Northern Minnesota editors, was not brought up, probably because the chargers—or is it chargees—had previously discovered that the cost of the food for this luncheon had been shared equally by Mr. Selvig, personally, and by the Crookston Association of Public Affairs.

At the close of the hearing a number of students expressed themselves on both sides of the controversy, which, it developed, had for its foundation an attempt to compel the board of regents to reinstall the deposed teachers.

One of the students, a member of the junior class, proclaimed that he spoke for the entire class in demanding a re-installment of the teachers who had failed of reappointment and threatened that unless this were done the entire class would fail to report at the next term, and would do everything possible to keep other students from attending the school. A number of other students took issue with this speaker and denied that he expressed the sentiments of the class or the students generally who, it was stated, were loyal to the school and would always be enthusiastic boosters for it.

A. D. Stephens and A. A. Miller addressed the students present and while congratulating them upon their loyalty to their teachers, advised that the school was maintained for the purpose of educating the students, and not for furnishing employment to teachers, and that the school could only be successful by giving due recognition to constituted authority."

RACE KINGS TO TAKE BIG PART LAST FAIR DAY

Saturday, August 6, Will Be Set For Great Auto Racing Program at Local Grounds.

Series of Thrillers Promised For Lovers of Speed—Best Drivers Are Listed.

Track Will Be Placed in First Class Condition For Unusual Racing Attractions.

"Arrangements have been made and completed to hold the greatest auto race meet ever put on in the Northwest, when the best dirt track pilots of the country meet on Aug. 6, the closing day of the 20th annual Pennington county fair," Secretary Fuller announced this week. Entry blanks have been forwarded to such drivers of national reputation as Fred Horey, Louis Disbrow, Sig Haugdahl and O. T. Barr, with special inducements to these top-notchers in the racing game in order to bring them here.

Multiplicity of Stars.

But there are other dirt track drivers of the younger generation who are fighting for a top berth on the list of professional racers and who are contenders for the sectional title, who no doubt will enter with their gas mounts to grab off their share of the $2,600 purse and bonus money offered. Such drivers as Rowe Brainerd, Ted Rick, Les Allen and Cy Cobb have already signified their intention of signing up for the meet, but nothing official can be said as yet. Floyd Willard, light car champion, who drives a speedy Monroe, has not been reached to date but every possible effort will be made to have him return his signed entry.

Ted Rick, driving an Essex and formerly a member of the famous Essex team headed by Johnny Rainey when they cleaned up the middle West in racing, is attracting considerable attention from admirers of the sport since his recent victory over a field of ten pilots in Kansas City. He is making a strong bid for top place and is forcing some of the veterans of the game to the limit.

Track Being Conditioned.

Work will begin immediately on the track to put it in tip-top shape for the racers, making it hard and fast with little dust. All preparations possible will be made to give the drivers an opportunity to establish a track record and lower the state record now held by Sig Haugdahl, who made a mile course in 47 1-5 seconds at the Minnesota state fair last year.

Leases Repair Department.

Ben Harris, for some time foreman in the mechanical department of the Peoples' Auto company, has taken over the business and will hereafter operate on his own hook. The sales end will be conducted by the present owners as in the past.

Mr. Harris is an expert automobile mechanic and should make a success of the business from the start. He will doctor up anything using gasoline or kerosene as fuel—automobiles, tractors or gas engines. His long experience and well-known thoroughness should insure him a full share of the business.

HIGHWAY PROJECTS WAIT ON CONGRESS

Construction Planned Must Be Cut if Federal Aid is Not Forthcoming Soon.

More than $3,000,000 of state and $4,000,000 of county-bond improvements in fifty scattered localities well under way together with the $3,000,000-a-year maintenance system, the Minnesota highway development program for 1921 now is waiting on congress.

Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, this week made public a desire to add more than $2,000,000 of grading and gravel surfacing and $500,000 of paving to the construction list this season. That will be made possible, he explained, only through the early passage by congress of legislation continuing Minnesota's federal aid allotment of $2,840,000 a year.

"Unless federal aid is soon forthcoming on the old basis," said Commissioner Babcock, "the highway department must cut in two its new construction plans for this year. It will mean that highway users in Minnesota will receive in 1921 only half the permanent improvements planned. Early passage of the so-called Phipps-Dowell or "farmers road" bill for which we have been fighting hard with the co-operation of the National Farm Bureau federation, however, will result in the full measure of first year benefits under Amendment No. 1. Failure of such legislation, or even passage of the *Townsend "rich men's boulevards"* bill, will seriously handicap the launching of the good roads program in this state. Minnesota citizens and public organizations, as before suggested can assist by petitioning members of congress to use their offices to bring about continuation of federal aid on the old basis."

Ladies to Picnic.

The League of Women Voters will hold a picnic on Tuesday afternoon, July 26, in Lovers' Lane at 3 o'clock. All members of the league and all women who are interested are urged to come. Should the weather be unfavorable lunch will be served in the Commercial club rooms.

John J. Boner.

At the Physicians hospital on Monday, July 11, occurred the death of John J. Boner, prominent Silverton farmer, following a stroke of paralysis. Funeral services were held from the chapel at Larson's undertaking parlors and interment made in Greenwood cemetery.

Deceased was born in Norway in 1847 and emigrated to America in 1872. He located on a farm four miles east of St. Hilaire, where he lived for four years. He then moved to Crookston and some time later took up farming in Silverton township, where he had since made his home.

Mr. Boner leaves to mourn his death his wife, two sons, John of Thief River Falls and Hans of Crookston, and one daughter, Mrs. E. M. Ecklund of Fargo, N. D.

Military Regulations at Boy Scout Encampment

Twelve Thief River Falls boys are sojourning at Maple Lake at the Boy Scouts' encampment. Roy Langseth *is one of these and he sends his* parents a copy of the day's proceedings. It will be seen that the regulations are as strict as if the lads were in military service and that K. P. duty is not unknown. The day starts in with a first call at 6 o'clock, followed by reveille at 6:15. After a morning dip there is mess at 7. By 7:30 the camp is being policed and at 8 o'clock all is ready for inspection. After the setting-up exercises, which are over at 8:30, there are scouting instructions until 11, this being followed by swimming. Dinner at 12.

From 12:30 to 2 is the "quiet hour" when letter writing and such other duties are attended to. Scouting tests occupy the time from 2 until 4, when there follows an hour and a half of swimming instructions. At 5:30 retreat is sounded, followed by mess. From 7 to 8 is the game period, which is followed by a campfire session. Tatoo sounds at 9:15 and taps at 9:30. The slightest infraction of the strict rules means extra duty at the wood pile or some other uncongenial task.

Rather a strict program but it will do the boys good.

GIRLS PASS GOVT. EXAMINATION

No one was really surprised that the entire stenographic class passed a recent Civil Service examination. All four, Misses Grinley, Ployhar, Moe and Brending, were trained at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., a school famous for turning out exceptionally efficient office workers. Courses are practical, interesting, give pupils a solid groundwork for success. Some 218 graduates are now bank officers.

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The Housing Problem

The question of sufficient houses to take care of the growing population of Thief River Falls is as serious as ever. The demand for modern houses was never greater and there does not appear to be any relief in sight. This means higher rents.

THE THING TO DO NOW IS BUILD

It can be done cheaper at this time than at any period during the past six years. It can also be done cheaper now than is likely to be the case in six months. Everything points to an increase in the price of building materials of all kinds before long.

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Our best grade Work Pants, Union-made, Market Day Special	$1.79
Heavy Moleskin Pants, guaranteed to give you good service. Market Day Special	$2.95

Dress Pants

Good weight, excellent quality Blue Serge Pants Market Day Special	$5.45
Good Worsted dark stripe Dress Pants, Market Day Special	$3.85

Special Reduced Prices on all Boys' Knee Pants.

Big Bargains, Real Market Day Prices in Underwear

Men's Underwear, white or cream color. Fine quality, Market Day special	79c
Good quality Athletic Union Suits, all sizes. Market Day special	79c
Men's good quality light weight Shirt and Drawers, per suit	95c
Boys' white or cream colored Union Suit	48c
Boys' best grade Union Suits, Chalmers and Munsing, Market Day special	79c
Men's Munsingwear Union Suits in all sizes for shorts, longs and stouts. Market Day special	$1.40
One lot of heavy fall weight Shirts and Drawers. Market Day Special	55c

Heavy Weight 15c Rockford Sox Market Day price 3 for	25c
Heavy weight 15c Canvas Gloves Market Day price 3 for	25c
Boys' Khaki Combination Suit	$1.29
Boys' Overalls sizes 3-8	79c
Sizes 9-14	89c

Good weight full size Men's Work Shirts Market Day Special	58c
A big assortment of Men's striped Dress Shirts, collar attached, values to $2.50, Market Day Special	$1.29
Good Work Shirts	47c
One lot of Union-made Work Shirts, Special quality	95c

Dress Shirts Specially Reduced For Market Day.

Men's Dress Oxfords In brown only	$4.95
Big shape Work Hats regular $6.00 quality	$3.29
Men's black Work Hats	$1.19
Boys' Work Shirts	47c
Boys' Kaynd $1.00 Blouses	57c
Boys' Black Cat Stockings 35c quality	26c
Good black Boys' School Stockings	13c

Market Day Prices on All Shoes for Men and Boys

Good quality Work Shoes	$2.45
One lot of Goodyear welt high grade Work Shoes	$3.45
Men's high grade Dress Shoes Market Day special	$3.85

Wash Suits

Market Day Special on all Wash Suits. One lot of Wash Suits in all styles, values up to $3.50, your choice	$1.59
One lot of Wash Suits in different styles and shades, values to $2.50	$1.35

Big Reduction for Market Day on all Boys' Suits.

Market Day Special Bargains on SUITS

Here is your chance to get Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits at specially reduced prices for Market Day. $37.50

Extra big values in this lot of Men's and Young Men's Suits, in mixtures or stripes at. $29.50

One special lot of Palm Beach Suits in Men's and Young Men's styles, single or double breasted, specially reduced $12.50

A fine assortment of Cassimere Suits, also Blue Serges, Market Day Special $18.50

Boys' and Children's Shoes and sandals

Brown barefoot sandles, durable upper and soles soft and durable	$1.19
Children's Hacre Lace Shoes, foot form shape, sizes 6 to 11, price	$2.35
Boys' brown scout pattern Shoes, cromax leather sole	$1.89
Boys' black dress shoes, wide toes and roomy shapes. Values $4.00 and $4.50	$2.65
Boys' brown or black dress Shoes, English and wide shapes. All solid leather shoes	$2.95
Boys' good work shoes. Army last, all sizes	$2.65

Boys' dark brown Canvas Work Shoes with rubber heels

11 to 2	$1.88
2 to 6	$1.98
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Reduced prices on entire stock for Market Day. Nothing reserved, everything displayed and marked plain. The above prices are just a few of the many bargains we offer.

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Among Our Neighbors

REINER

Everybody has enjoyed themselves picking blueberries this week and the patch is pretty well cleaned.

Mr. and Mrs. Riceland and children, Mr. Svarre and sons, Johnnie and Glenn, were Sunday visitors at E. Hanson's.

Miss Olga Grimley spent Saturday afternoon and evening visiting Mrs. Wells and her sister, Miss Florence Burns.

Jerry Race arrived home this week after visiting his daughter, Kate, at Eau Claire, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Stenvick and family left Saturday for Thorhult, where they will pick blueberries.

Mrs. Jerry Race and son, Benny, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Race, Jr., spent Saturday at Thorhult.

Soren Hermanson arrived home on Thursday from Warren, where he had gone for an operation. He will have his operation in the fall.

The sale at O. K. Olson's on Saturday was well attended.

Henry Halverson was a caller at Helle's Thursday evening.

Hilda and Kermit Berg were Goodridge callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Payne and Mrs. Payne's sister-in-law visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wells Tuesday evening.

Willie Smith left Thursday for North Dakota, where he will be employed through the summer months.

Henry Halvorson and sister, Helen, were callers at E. Grimley's Friday evening.

The school meeting was held in the school house Saturday evening and was well attended.

James Helle and friend, Gunder Legvold, were Sunday visitors at the Helle home.

The Ladies' Aid meeting at Erickson's was well attended.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Hans Dahl was a caller at Germantown last Thursday.

Mrs. Overby was a caller at Mavie on Wednesday of last week.

Marie Hamre visited with Selma Johnson one day the past week.

Henry and Salve Tharaldson were callers at the Olaf Tharaldson home Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson and Mr. and Mrs. Storhaug and children of Thief River Falls, were visitors at the John Aandahl home last Sunday.

Miss Anna Rohrer spent a few days the past week visiting at the Hans Dahl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller called at the Charlie Struble home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stock are the parents of a baby girl, born last Friday.

Henry, Olaf and Gehart Tharaldson were Goodridge callers on Saturday.

Mrs. Overby was a caller at the J. Phillipp home last Tuesday.

Lester Hanson called at the Olaf Tharaldson home last Monday.

Silva Bendickson was a caller at the Hans Dahl home on Monday.

Mrs. Hans Dahl and Anna Rohrer were callers at Germantown one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson were guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday evening.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies' Aid, which was held at the Amond Johnson home, was well attended.

Frank Rohrer called at the Olaf Tharaldson home last Friday.

Salve Tharaldson departed on Monday for his home at Starbuck, where he will visit for some time.

ROSEWOOD

Annual School Meeting.

The annual meeting of Dist. No. 41 was held at Rosebank school last Saturday evening but with a small attendance. Chairman Swen Swenson, whose term expired at this time, refused the candidacy for next year and John Sagmoen was elected as his successor. After many years of diligent fighting those favoring eight months of school were successful in making this change, winning by a majority of one vote. School will open on Tuesday, Sept. 6, but no teacher has as yet been secured. A sum of $2,000 was voted to care for school expenses next year.

Mrs. Barhals Honored.

Last Saturday evening about 25 friends and neighbors of Mrs. Molly Barhals met at her home as a surprise to help celebrate her 70th birthday. The evening was delightfully spent in a social fashion and concluded with an elegant luncheon, prepared by the visitors. A pretty set of dishes was presented to Mrs. Barhals in remembrance of the occasion.

Carl Ranum, Mrs. Julia Axelson and daughters, Julia and Alma, motored to Wannaska last Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Axelson's sister, Mrs. Ole Olson, and family.

Albert Alby is employed this week in painting the residence of A. S. Holm.

Winter rye harvest is in full blast and will be completed in a few days. Olaf Nordhagen will commence to thresh at the F. G. Dols farm next Friday. Rye is by far the best of the small grain and sandy soil crops are estimated to run 25 bushels to the acre and the flats a few bushels less.

Olaf Opseth motored up from Clearbrook last Sunday for a brief visit with his father, A. Opseth.

Mr. and Mrs. Henning Backlund and family of Strathcona spent Sunday as guests at the Carl Mellem home. Accompanying them home were Mrs. Backlund's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem, who had spent a week visiting at Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Nordhagen and children of Norden spent Sunday in town with the Anton Gullseth family.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson, accompanied by A. S. Holm, James Thompson and A. M. Gullseth, motored to Newfolden last Monday on business with the postmaster there concerning the establishment of a new mail route out from Rosewood and taking in a part of the present line terminating at Newfolden, which is intended to give better service to people south and west of this place. Nothing definite has yet been undertaken but prospects are promising.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Ranum and children and Mrs. Freeman Ranum motored to Strathcona last Sunday for a visit at the latter's home, returning in the evening.

Tom Gullseth of Newfolden and Gust Gullseth of Thief River Falls were business visitors in town last Thursday, and visited with their relatives, A. M. Gullseth and family.

Miss Viola Axelson, who has been employed at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls, returned home last Saturday.

A. B. Remmem and daughters, Mildred, Agnes and Goldie, of Thief River Falls, were in town last Thursday on business and also paid calls to a few of their relatives.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg returned to her home at Dakota Junction last Tuesday evening after a few days' sojourn with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Chas. Halgrim went to Thief River Falls last Wednesday evening to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Johnny Nakken and Miss Tena Westby went to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to attend the movies.

Alec Gullseth of Benwood was a business visitor in town last Thursday.

Miss Esther Thoreson has spent the past week at Thief River Falls as a guest of her sister, Mrs. O. H. Ryan.

Miss Olga Alby, who has been employed in Minneapolis the past year, came home on Monday and will remain indefinitely with her parents.

The Abe Stroble family of Angus spent Sunday with the P. Sorenson and Haugen folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family and Mrs. Betsy Blomberg of Crookston spent Sunday with the E. Blomberg folks.

John Thompson of Strathcona was in this vicinity last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter, Irma, returned on Friday from Thief River Falls, where Mr. Anderson had spent a few days receiving medical treatment.

STEINER

Misses Alice and Ruth Solem visited with the Muzzy girls Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertha Saugen and daughter Celia, motored to Thief River Falls Wednesday to attend to business affairs.

Mrs. P. Liden and daughters, Mathilda and Signe, and the boys motored to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Emil Berg is spending the summer at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mathea Berg, near Steiner.

Among business visitors at Steiner Friday forenoon were John Skomedahl and Torkel Ose.

A bunch of Steinerites motored to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Peter Solem purchased a Ford car last week.

Miss Alice Solem returned to Minneapolis Wednesday morning to resume her duties as nurse at the General hospital, after having spent her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem.

Mrs. Mathea Berg and son, Chris, motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday, the former to consult a physician and the latter to attend to business matters.

Miss Alice Solem drove out to the Mosbeck farm near Rosewood last Sunday.

Peter Solem and son, Alfred, went to Thief River Falls Tuesday to get lumber with which to build a new garage.

ERIE

Mr. Svare and sons, Glen and John, are visiting at the Roysland home.

The Eastern Star Ladies' Aid met at the Elling Ramsey home Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludvig Johnson and children visited over Sunday at Thief River Falls with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kveste and Mr. and Mrs. Gust Iverson were visitors at the Hovet home last Sunday.

Osmund Landen left for Thief River Falls last week, where he is employed.

Everybody is busy in the hay fields these days.

Mrs. Knute Danielson and daughter, Bertha, made a trip to Thief River Falls last Friday, little Bertha having some dental work done.

Henry Tommerdahl of Thief River Falls visited at the Ole Lien home Sunday.

Reject Bible Instruction Plan.

The board of education has decided to reject the plan for week-day religious education in the Grand Forks schools. Some time ago, the churches and religious organizations of the city petitioned for week-day Bible training and submitted a course, but the board has decided unanimously not to adopt it.

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STEINER

The young people of this community enjoyed a house party at the R. L. Muzzy home Saturday. Games and music formed the entertainment. At midnight a light lunch was served.

Mrs. Oliver Molstad called at the N. Baker home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Koglin and family drove to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Solem was a guest at the R. L. Muzzy home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Bulander of Crookston conducted church services at Steiner on Sunday.

Mrs. Liscomb and daughter, Beulah, were week-end visitors at the Fred Copp home.

Mrs. M. O. Saugen and family spent Sunday with the F. Slack family.

Steve Warring and daughters, Ruby and Pearl, and Mr. and Mrs. John Whitman motored to Humboldt the first of the week.

Peter Olson of Newfolden called at the Peter Solem home Saturday evening.

A number of the young people motored to the picnic at the A. Moe farm on Saturday.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers attended church in Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Renie Werner autoed to Fertile to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Miss Irene Sorenson of Thief River Falls was in Steiner on Sunday.

Misses Annie and Elsie Koglin are spending a few days with their parents here. They have been employed in missionary work in the east.

Harold, Emil and Christ Berg transacted business in Steiner the first of the week.

Miss Alice Solem, who has been spending a short vacation with her parents here at Steiner, has returned to her work in Minneapolis. She expects to finish her nursing course in about three months.

ST. HILAIRE

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Larson and daughter Evelyn, of Des Moines, Ia., who spent two weeks here visiting at the Lars Loberg home, departed on Wednesday evening via the Soo for Minneapolis, where they will visit before leaving for their home at Des Moines.

Mrs. A. E. Anderson left Thursday for her home at Holt, Minn., after a two weeks visit here with her sons Emil and Richard Larson and daughter, Mrs. J. Scholin.

Mrs. Joseph LaPlante came Friday from her home at Crookston for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson.

Miss Alice Hall left Wednesday evening via the Soo for Minneapolis, where she will seek employment.

The Misses Hannah and Martha Miller of St. Paul and Mrs. G. F. Lapploy of Madison, Wis., are visiting at the home of their mother, Mrs. M. Miller of Black River.

Miss Lucille Thom of Black Duck is visiting at the H. R. Allen home, having arrived last week and will spend several weeks here.

James Kinney left Friday for Grand Forks where he enters his race horse at the races during the North Dakota State Fair, which opened Monday.

The Misses Nora and Lilly Johnson, accompanied by their father, Carl Johnson, spent Thursday at Thief River Falls attending to shopping and business matters.

Mrs. Christ Peterson, former resident of this place, now of Thief River Falls, arrived Friday to spend a week here visiting friends.

Mrs. Emil Just returned the latter part of the week after having visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stensrude of Fargo.

R. W. Duntley, former well-known resident of this place, for many years engaged in the confectionery and ice cream trade, made a brief visit here last week.

Mrs. S. O. Quammen and daughters of Thief River Falls motored down for a short visit with friends on Friday of last week.

Miss Hulda Pearson returned to her home Saturday for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Pearson, after being employed at Fort Francis, Canada.

Miss Georgia Clemens arrived on Saturday from Fertile, Minn., for a short stay at the home of her parents, who reside north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fricker and family, accompanied by Miss Gladys Olson, motored to Maple Lake Sunday and spent the day.

Mrs. S. M. Hoff, who spent the past five weeks visiting with friends and relatives at Minneapolis and Grand Meadow, Minn., returned home Saturday.

A. F. Hall motored to Bagley, on Saturday, to spend Sunday with Mrs. Hall and daughter Shirley, who are visiting at the above named place. He returned Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. Pointdexter arrived the latter part of the week from Kansas City, Mo., for a visit at the G. W. Shearer home.

Tom Hovet left Tuesday for North Dakota in answer to a message stating that his brother had suddenly passed away at his home in the vicinity of Buxton.

Miss Pearl Weston departed the forepart of the week for her home at Red Wing, after a two week's visit at the Dr. Bjerken home.

Miss Gunhild Nelson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holmstrom to their home at Detroit last week and expects to make a short visit there.

The Misses Manda and Helga Kalland left Monday evening for Thief River Falls and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda on a motor trip to Grand Forks to attend the North Dakota State Fair on Tuesday.

John Rolland attended to business matters here on Saturday, returning to his home at Thief River Falls via the auto route.

Walter Helligoss left the latter part of the week for Grand Forks to attend the State Fair.

Mr. Alma Annette of Bemidji, with the Duluth Casualty Ass'n., attended to business matters here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda motored here Monday evening from their home near Thief River Falls, for a brief visit at the home of Mrs. Janda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalland. They were accompanied here by Mrs. F. A. Brown of Thief River Falls who will spend several days at the Branum home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. McAndress returned home the forepart of the week after a week's visit with their daughter and family, at Crystal, N. D.

L. M. Mitchell, formerly of this place, now of Churches Ferry, N. D., is attending to business matters here this week.

Mrs. Abel Ness and daughter Thelma of Crookston, spent the week end visiting with Mrs. Ness' mother, Mrs. Erick Pearson and sister, Mrs. Leo Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Ness, accompanied by Mrs. Ness' father, E. Klemsrude of Crookston, motored here Friday for a brief visit at the T. M. Brevik home, returning the same evening to their cottage at Maple Lake. They were accompanied by Miss Cornelia Brevik, who was their guest over the week end.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which became due on the 11th day of April, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee bearing date the 11th day of April, 1918, and with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of April, 1918, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 on page 530 thereof, and Whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: the sum of Forty-Eight Dollars ($48.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the time of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Forty-eight dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 11th day of April, 1918, and the further sum of Forty-four Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1920, and still a further sum of Forty-four dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1921, the latter two amounts being interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice is the sum of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27).

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Lot No. Four (4) of Section No. Seven (7) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) and the South East Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to pay the said debt of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27) and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes if any on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated July 13th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Take notice that default has occurred and exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage bearing date the 28th day of July, 1919, made, executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee, and with the power of sale therein contained, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of August, 1919 at 8:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 61 on page 41 thereof, because of the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the interest which became due upon a prior mortgage December 1st, 1919, and subsequent installments, and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the said mortgage first above described, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Five hundred Dollars ($500.00) and interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 28th day of July, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half of the South West Quarter and Lots No. Three (3) and Four (4) of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range 40 West of the 5th P. M. being in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt and interest, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 13th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75) which became due on the First day of November, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Gilbert T. Bo, [illegible], mortgagor, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1919, which mortgage with the power of sale therein contained was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January 1920, at Nine o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 100 thereof; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75), with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum from the 11th day of December, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-five (35) and the North Half of the Southwest quarter of Section No. 36 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 39 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue to pay said debt of $160.75 and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars, according to the terms of said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 13th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mathias Urschitz, Decedent.

Letters of administration with the will annexed this day having been granted to Louisa Urschitz.

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated June 25, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney.
J21-28-A4

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of Comptroller of the Currency.

Washington, June 28, 1921.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes" approved July 12, 1882;

Now, Therefore, I, D. R. Crissinger, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on June 28, 1941.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-eighth day of June, 1921.

(SEAL) (signed) D. R. CRISSINGER
Comptroller of the Currency
Charter No. 5894 Extension No. 4021
J 7-14-21-28-A 4

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Augusta Smith and Frank H. Smith, wife and husband, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 18th day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on page 473;

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 15th day of June, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., in Book 63 of Mortgages on page 337, and;

Whereas, the said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and, whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of Two Hundred Seventeen and 20-100 Dollars ($217.20) as follows: The sum of One Hundred Sixty-three Dollars ($163.00) thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and the sum of Fifty-four and 20-100 Dollars ($54.20) thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas, the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty (40) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 6th day of August, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Hundred Seventeen and 20-100 Dollars ($217.20), and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's Fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 20th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Martin Hyland and Carrie Hyland, his wife, as mortgagors to The Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, dated December 21st, 1915, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "52" of Mortgages, page 617, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1915, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands) and authorized to do and doing business in the State of Minnesota, by written assignment dated on said 29th day of December, A. D., 1915, and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1915 at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 62, which mortgage was thereafter and on the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 2nd day of June, A. D. 1921 and filed in said Register of Deeds office on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1921 at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "63" of Mortgages on page 234; and,

Whereas there is now claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage One Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty and 74-100 ($1960.74) Dollars at the date hereof, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Northeast (NE) quarter of section thirty-three (33), Township One Hundred and Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred and sixty acres according to the United States survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County under power of sale contained in said mortgage, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Monday the 8th day of August, A. D. 1921 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash and said mortgage will be thereby foreclosed to pay the amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars Attorney's fees stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of foreclosure, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, June 6th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
CHRISTOFFERSON, WALSH,
CHRISTOFFERSON and JACKSON,
Attorneys for assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
J23-30-Jl-7-14-21-28

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Johnson, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Robert McGinn.

It Is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday the 16th day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated July 11, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
Jl 14-21-28

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Bridge Reconstruction, Town of North, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Town Board of the Town of North, Pennington County, Minnesota, until 7 o'clock p. m., on the 13th day of August, 1921, for the reconstruction of the bridge in said Town known as the "Long Bridge," in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor now on file in the office of the Town Clerk of said Town: all bids must be accompanied by certified check in an amount equal to five (5) per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the treasurer of said Town, such check to be subject to the conditions set forth in the specifications, bids to be filed with the town clerk, postoffice address, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, at his office at his residence on the southeast quarter of section 27, in said town. The Town Board will meet at the office of said clerk on August 13, 1921, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of receiving and considering bids and awarding contract.

The right is reserved by the Town Board to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications may also be seen at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Dated July 11, 1921.

By order of the Town Board,
ALFRED LONGREN,
Town Clerk.
J-14-21-28

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 125. 15tf

FOR SALE—Lot east of Flower Shop on Third street. Also two good milch cows and one six-room house. Inquire at first house north of Park hotel.—21p.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Barn and lot; can be used for garage. See Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 25

FOR SALE—200 bushels feed oats, 40c per bushel. Frank Svoboday, Thief River Falls, Minn. 23tf

COW FOR SALE—Coming fresh soon. High-grade Guernsey. F. M. Klein, R1, St. Hilaire. 21pd

FOR SALE—Fine modern six-room home on East Side. First and Peoples' State Bank. 26

FOR SALE—160 acres of hay land in township of Highlanding. Nels Ostvolden. Phone 457A, City. 21p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—About 25 hens, good layers. Also new Wilton velvet rug. Call phone 525. 15tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 15tf

NOTICE—The Anton Martinson farm in Section 1, Town of New Solum, Marshall county, is still unsold and is for sale cheap, less than $20.00 per acre. Small house, pasture and other improvements. Write or see C. A. Swanson, Thief River Falls.—21p.

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 510S Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—80 acres with good buildings, two miles south of Greenwood cemetery. Inquire Dan Johnson. 20p

FOR SALE—Several army cots, all enameled and in fine condition. Just the thing for the sun porch or spare room. Makes an excellent rest couch. Order yours today. H. S. Snyder, Phone 135 21p

FOR SALE—One new pool table. Will sell at a bargain. Inquire Box 43, Oklee, Minn. 21p

WARDROBE, 2x4x7 feet, highest grade quarter sawed oak. Inquire at Salveson's Studio. 24tf

FOR SALE—160 acre farm, 7 miles from town. Will take city residence in trade. Inquire at Times office. 27p

FOR SALE—One dining room table. May be seen at Nortz Lumber Co. office. 26

FOR SALE—Six room house. For particulars call 521 Riverside Ave. phone 255. 21p

FOR SALE—Seven room house and 3 lots, corner location. Will take automobile as part payment. Part cash, balance on easy terms. Lock Box 1194, City, or call 293. 25

FOR SALE—One Minute picture machine, all ready to operate; enough pictures and supplies to more than pay for machine goes with it. Price $20.00 for quick sale. Address Lock Box 1194, City. 21

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 125. 15tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Barn and lot. Can be used for garage. See Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 27

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 31p

FOR RENT

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Moxie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 11 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FOR RENT—At once, 160 acre farm with good buildings, fenced, and with 115 acres in field. Also have 12 to 15 milch cows to rent with farm. Located southeast of Goodridge, in township of Star. Write John T. Hemme, Highlanding, Minn. 22tf

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterns. 13tf

FOR RENT—Farm, 160 acres. Mrs. B. Overum, Highlanding, Minn. 24tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms in modern house. Apply 117 Knight Ave. N. 21p

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 811 LaBree Ave. N. 25

FOR RENT—Modern room. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

Help Wanted—Female

GIRL WANTED Apply at Black's Sweet Shop. 21

TEACHER WANTED—Seven month's term of school, Dist. 118, Marshall county. Apply to John Rhtau, Germantown, Route 3. 25p

Help Wanted—Male

WATKINS Summer Drinks, Watkins Coconut Oil Shampoo and a big line of over 137 other quality products are big sellers. We want a lady or gentleman agent in Thief River Falls and other vacant cities. Write today for free sample and particulars. J. R. Watkins Co. 69 Winona, Minn.—21p.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS for vacancies in Postoffice, Railway Mail, Government Departments. Men, women, over 17. $120 monthly. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars write J. Leonard (former Civil Service examiner) 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 25p

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 24p

LOST

LOST—30x3½ tire with cover and rim west of Thief River Falls. Please leave at Times office. Emanuel Nelson, Strandquist, Minn. 30p

LOST—Between Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls, Saturday, black salt jacket with yellow braid trimming, white satin lining. Finder please leave at Times office for reward. 21p

LOST—Between Manhattan oil station and roundhouse, a man's brown dress coat. Reward offered. Call 185-R. 24

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Plowing. Apply at McFarland's Garage. 21p

LET US DO your Vulcanizing the right way at the right price. Thief River Falls Vulcanizing Co., 221 1st St. E. J23-Jl.21p

WANTED TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car as part payment. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 18tf

WANTED—Sewing by the day. Call at 111 Duluth Ave. N. 21

CARPET WEAVING—50c per square yard. We furnish warp. Work in city called for and delivered. Phone 339, 110 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Gilten 28p

FOR TRADE—160 acres land for pool hall or confectionery store. John Jordahl, Thief River Falls. 26p

REAL CORN CAN BE RAISED HERE WHEN RIGHTLY HANDLED

John L. Clemens Proves That Correct Method of Cultivation Produces Results.

Anyone entertaining the slightest doubt about Pennington county being located in the corn belt, should make a trip to the farm of John G. Clemens three miles south of Thief River Falls and all doubts will quickly be dispelled. A 15-acre field of corn on this farm is convincing proof that corn—real corn such as farmers of the recognized corn belt produce—can be raised right here in Pennington county. A representative of The Times visited the Clemens farm on Saturday and inspected the field, taking back to town with him two sample stalks which measure well over seven feet in length. Ears are forming on the stalks and in a short time the field will be "in silk."

Mr. Clemens came to this country from Illinois two years ago and is a farmer who has had many years of experience in raising corn. He is firmly convinced that corn can be grown here and his crop this year is good evidence that he knows what he is talking about. This farmer believes that deep cultivation with the common form of cultivator is not the proper method and uses nothing but what is known as the "surface" machine. The implement employed by Mr. Clemens is the Tower surface cultivator, secured through the Rambeck-Stone company. It does not dig deeply into the ground as does the ordinary cultivator but instead clears the surface of weeds by means of horizontal blades and shoves the loose dirt up to the corn plants, "hilling" the rows very effectually. The field was gone over five times with the cultivator and hardly a weed can be found in it.

The corn was planted on May 12 and the seed used is known as Minnesota No. 23. With the excellent stand Mr. Clemens feels that he should secure around 65 bushels to the acre. Unless frost comes unusually early this fall there is little danger of the corn not maturing in fine shape.

PREVIOUS RECORDS BROKEN IN BANNER CREAMERY PERIOD

Increase of 28 Per Cent in Butterfat Received Over Same Month One Year Ago.

In volume of business the month of June broke all former records at the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery. A total of 84,000 pounds of butterfat was received at the creamery during the month, which was 28 per cent more than for the corresponding month last year. The prices paid during the month were 36 cents for sour cream and 39 cents for the sweet product. Receipts for the month were about $37,000, which is a very good showing considering the low stage of the butter market.

Patrons of the creamery who drew checks of $50 and over for the month are as follows:

P. Engelstad, $273.12; Hans Anton, $250.86; Jens Kierk, $195.51; S. E. Hunt, $142.89; R. M. Johnson, $136.21; S. Wiberg, $134.91; Waldie Christenson, $127.67; Paul Engelstad, $124.70; Fred Copp, $122.18; Knut Solheim, $121.75; Aug. Koglin, $119.76; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $115.35; J. A. Funnesdahl, $115.21; Christ Nelson, $112.35; Mrs. Mosbeck, $110.95; Peter Voldness, $108.83; N. A. Nelson, $106.53; C. M. Hoverstad, $106.36; John Homme, $104.28; Gunder Olson, $101.46; Peder Sabo, $100.08; O. L. Skonovd, $99.39; Katie Meyer, $95.61; A. K. Haugy, $95.15; Gust Edman, $93.92; C. H. Swanson, $92.02; John A. Sundt, $91.98; A. C. Simonson, $90.47; F. M. Kline, $89.85; Fuller & Gordon, $88.81; Henry Pope, $88.58; Henry Koop, $87.31; Mrs. Bertha Saugen, $87.10; Hans Sando, $86.57; H. I. Finstad, $86.41; Andrew Hoverstad, $86.25; L. O. Williams, $86.17; J. H. Hardesty & Son, $84.73; Joe Oski, $83.23; John M. Johnson, $83.05; O. S. Breiland, $81.16; Jacob Klungness, $80.05; C. Liden, $79.20; Olaf O. Omlid, $78.72; P. Solem, $78.70; Albert Hanson Gust Wilkin, $77.86; John Bloom, $76.23; H. H. Olson, $73.81; C. Oien, $73.27; H. T. Waale, $72.39; Silas Torgerson, $72.37; John Schulz, $72.17; W. P. Willadson, $71.92; Peder Hedeen, $71.88; Will Smith, $70.83; C. Wiener, $69.93; Tarius Larson, $68.47; K. Ystesund, $67.97; L. Hitterdahl, $67.57; H. A. Matthees, $66.16; F. G. Dols, $65.85; S. Sorenson, $64.49; Hans Fjeld, $64.29; H. C. Woolson, $63.00; E. Edman, $62.85; H. Eliason, $62.60; R. Oen, $61.78; Ernest Yonke, $60.88; Ole J. Dahl, $59.52; C. A. Nelson, $59.23; John Keilberg, $59.18; Ole Skaar, $59.11; F. B. Conklin, $59.01; Andrew Anderson, $58.93; Mrs. Sigrid Sanders, $58.39; Sam Nahben, $58.19; Nick Meyer, $57.78; Ed. Grundhouse, $57.32; John Holmgren, $56.91; Wm. Hohner, $56.78; John Hellquist, $56.35; Carl Mellem, $55.91; N. Rhodegaard, $55.78; C. Odegaard, $55.51; H. A. Wiebe, $55.12;—Palm Bros., $54.97; A. Husby, $54.16; H. Lindbloom, $53.74; S. Husby, $53.35; Mrs. Welo, $52.82; L. E. Miller, $52.14; Lloyd Crown, $52.12; Elling Olson, Oscar Vixie, $51.61; Christ Steen, $51.01; Aug. Carlson, $50.41; Hugh Best, $50.08; A. W. Hanson, $50.02.

W. C. T. U. Elects Officers and Heads of Departments

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. O. Sether on Knight avenue, at which time the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. O. Sether; vice president, Mrs. Andrew Craik; secretary, Mrs. C. M. Carlson; treasurer, Miss Hannah Gustafson. The following were appointed to head the various departments: Flower mission superintendent, Mrs. M. V. Evenson; evangelistic superintendent, Mrs. Dena Evenson; narcotic department, Mrs. H. Mathew; press agent, Mrs. Scott Laird.

The state W. C. T. U. convention will be held at Crookston on Aug. 2, 3, 4 and 5, and it is expected that a large number from here will be in attendance.

LOCALS WIN LION'S SHARE OF BATTLES

Thief River Falls Boys Make Fine Showing in Series of Very Fast Contests.

The local base ball club has had another very good week, winning three games, losing one and tying one. Last Friday evening at Red Lake Falls the boys defeated the Red Lakers by a score of 3 to 2. It was one of the best games of the season. Sunday afternoon the Red Lake Falls lads came up here and again met defeat, the score this time being 6 to 3.

The tie game was played at Warren, with a score of 5 to 5 when the game was called on account of darkness. Had it not been for an argument started by Warren players another inning could easily have been played.

On the local diamond Tuesday the boys suffered the only defeat of the week when they were taken into camp by the Drayton, N. D., team. The Drayton lads are a fast bunch and took the long end of a 6 to 3 score.

Wednesday evening the boys went to Warren again and this time took the Warrenite in tow with a 5 to 2 tally. It was a snappy game and the locals did some fine work.

Friday evening Warren comes here for the last game of the season, following which the Marshall county lads will disband. All local fans should turn out to see Warren get the final drubbing of the season.

The boys go to Drayton on Saturday for a return game, and to Red Lake Falls on Sunday. The next game on the home grounds will be with Drayton Monday evening.

At this game a number will be given with each ticket sold at the gate, the numbers collected during the game and a drawing held along the sixth inning, when the holder of the lucky number will receive a 100-pound sack of sugar. This should be an inducement for everybody to go to the ball game Monday evening.

APOPLEXY ATTACK FATAL TO OLD MAN

Hartwig Claussen Dies Suddenly at Farm Home of Son in Germantown Township.

Hartwig Claussen, aged 70 years, died suddenly at the home of his son, J. H. Claussen, in Germantown township, on Monday. Deceased, who was a resident of Estherville, Iowa, had, with his wife, been a guest for a few days of his son and family when the final summons came. The old gentleman was driving a team in the hay field, having insisted on helping the men gather the hay crop. He was stricken suddenly and died before medical aid could reach him. The Marshall county coroner was called to view the body and found death due to a stroke of apoplexy.

The remains were taken to the Larson undertaking parlors in this city and prepared for shipment to Bancroft, Iowa, to which place they were accompanied Tuesday evening by members of the family. Mr. Claussen was a very robust and energetic man for his age and his sudden death comes as a severe shock to his wife and family.

Card of Thanks.

We sincerely thank our neighbors and friends for the kindness and sympathy extended to us following the accident suffered by M. C. Burns. —Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns and Family.

Notice.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish Mission church will meet at the home of Mrs. Kristina Bradvick, 118 Conley avenue south, next Wednesday, July 27, at 2:30. Everybody welcome.

Local Odd Fellows Lodge to Celebrate Anniversary

An event of much interest to Odd Fellow and Rebecca lodges in this section will take place in Thief River Falls when Young Pine lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F., celebrates the 25th anniversary of its institution. The celebration will be held in the lodge quarters on Monday evening, July 25. Dr. J. O. Wertz, grand master of the order for Minnesota, will be the principal speaker. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Wertz, grand chaplain of Rebecca lodges in the state, and both will make addresses.

Dr. Wertz, whose home is at Moose Lake, is one of the best known Odd Fellows in the West and a speaker of wide renown. His coming here on this occasion is expected to bring out the largest gathering of the three link fraternity ever seen in this section. Young Pine lodge invites all Odd Fellows and Rebeccas in the neighborhood to be present and help in celebrating this silver jubilee. Those who have filed applications for affiliation with the order are also invited.

On Buying Trip.

A. S. Sapero left Wednesday evening for Duluth, where he will be joined by his brothers, one from Hibbing and the other from Chisholm, after which all will start East on a purchasing trip for the three Sapero stores. They will go to New York first, stopping off at Cleveland on the return trip. Chicago will also be visited for the purpose of seeing what the Western market has to offer in the way of wearing apparel for women and children. Mr. Sapero expects to be gone at least two weeks and upon his return will have some interesting announcements to make regarding the latest things in women's wear. Making purchases for the three stores at one time gives the Sapero brothers a big advantage in dealing with manufacturers and wholesalers as their purchases run into large sums. Similar trips are yearly events with these merchants as they have found that personal selection is the most satisfactory method of getting just the kind of goods best suited to their existing trade. Mrs. Sapero leaves this evening for Minneapolis to visit during the absence of Mr. Sapero.

Aged Visitor Victim of Serious Paralytic Stroke

R. P. Jensen is lying in a critical condition at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. N. Heggan, following a stroke of paralysis which he suffered last Sunday. Mr. Jensen's whole right side is paralyzed and he is completely helpless. Some improvement in his condition was noted this morning, however, and the attending physician holds out hopes for at least a partial recovery.

Mr. Jensen is 70 years of age and up to this time has been in good health and very active. For a number of years he has held the position of manual training instructor in the public schools of Velva, N. D., and was re-engaged for next year. He had been here for a short time on a visit to his daughter when stricken.

Read the Special Offer

We Are Making For *Market Day*

It will be found among the offerings for that day in another section of the Times today.

LARSON Furniture Company

Banks Have Personalities!

NOT calculating business transactions—but kindly touches of human interest entering into every relationship between banker and client—these are shaping a definite personality for this bank in the minds of its patrons.

For years — this Bank has sought to be remembered as an institution which gives the utmost service, regardless of circumstances. Come in, and get acquainted.

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Your Teeth Are An Asset

Personal appearance—Are you looking your best?
More essential—Are you feeling your best?

Not With Decayed Teeth!

To acquaint you with our methods of operation during this month to our patrons out of town:
We pay railroad fares one way, to anyone contracting with us for a reasonable amount of dental work.

Extractions 50c

Gas administered scientifically.

Your Satisfaction is Our Success.

EXAMINATIONS FREE

WHY WAIT UNTIL YOUR PHYSICIAN LEADS YOU TO THE DENTAL CHAIR?

Scandia Building Above First and Peoples Bank.

Union Dentists
Thief River Falls.

Write or Phone in Your Appointments.

Daily Hours: 8:30 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays: 10 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Everything for QUALITY —*nothing for show*

THAT'S OUR IDEA in making CAMELS—the Quality Cigarette.

Why, just buy Camels and look at the package! It's the best packing science has devised to keep cigarettes fresh and full flavored for your taste. Heavy paper outside—secure foil wrapping inside and the revenue stamp over the end to seal the package and keep it air-tight.

And note this! There's nothing flashy about the Camel package. No extra wrappings that do not improve the smoke. Not a cent of needless expense that must come out of the quality of the tobacco.

Camels wonderful and exclusive Quality wins on merit alone.

Because, men smoke Camels who want the taste and fragrance of the finest tobaccos, expertly blended. Men smoke Camels for Camel's smooth, refreshing mildness and their freedom from cigaretty aftertaste.

Camels are made for men who think for themselves.

CAMEL
TURKISH & DOMESTIC BLEND

Camel

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY, Winston-Salem, N. C.

We Have in Stock

REPAIRS

for

McCormick, Deering and Milwaukee Binders, Mowers and Rakes

Which we are selling at 25 per cent less than the regular prices

We also have a complete stock of repairs for Rock Island Machinery.

Mowers, Rakes and Potato Diggers, all being sold at prices lower than the regular market prices.

HALL BROTHERS COMPANY
"A Good Place to Trade"
315 Horace Ave. N. Phone 15

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Thief River Falls Merchants Association

MARKET DAY SPECIAL

Supplement to The Thief River Falls Times, Thursday, July 21, 1921

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

AVALANCHE OF BARGAINS FEATURE THIEF RIVER FALLS' MERCHANTS SECOND MARKET DAY INVITATION

Price Cutting of Most Sensational Character Resorted to in Order to Convince Buyers That City's Business Men Realize That Period of High Costs Has Passed.

It is doubtful if ever in the history of a Minnesota community has there been such a perfect cyclone of bargain offerings as are presented by Thief River Falls merchants for the second Bargain Day—Wednesday, July 27. Hardly a store or other business establishment in the city but what is putting forth some article at a price that seems sensational. A glance through the advertisements in this issue of The Times will verify this statement.

Anyone acquainted with present day merchandising conditions and the prices of commodities generally will be able to tell at a glance that selling goods at the prices advertised must mean a direct loss to the business men. No such disregard of original costs have ever before been noted except, perhaps, in individual cases. It is certain that never before have the merchants of an entire community plunged so heavily for the purpose of getting the people residing within their trading territory merely to come to their city for the purpose of acquainting themselves with the tradespeople, their methods of doing business and their ability to meet all demands.

Some Wonderful Bargains.

Beginning with the largest store, it will be found that not only have Loken Brothers announced a large number of special bargains in the section devoted to Market Day announcements, but have also used a page in another part of the paper to inform visitors and residents of the remarkable reductions to be found in their place. Lieberman Brothers, clothiers, have followed the same plan and their offerings will be found of particular interest at this time. E. O. Mogensen also finds the space allotted to him by the Merchants' association insufficient, although he has utilized it to make one of the most remarkable shoe announcements ever seen in this section.

Price Fall is Proven.

The Larson Furniture company makes a flat reduction of $20 on every Monarch steel range in their store and supplements this offer with a cut of 25 per cent on all bedroom furniture. The Simonson Meat and Grocery company gives a lesson in economical buying by grouping a number of food articles and discounting the lot more than 30 per cent. The Palace Clothing house throws out a few timely specials, as does the Hall Brothers Company, hardware. A. M. Langseth slashes the price of shoes—particularly women's shoes—and the Sapero company offers any spring or summer coat in the store for $15. The Prichard company offers a special bargain in three Maxwell automobiles providing these are not sold before that time. The Evelyn and Brumund hotels promise to take particularly good care of Market Day visitors.

Will be Very Busy.

At the City Meat Market, Elias Roland will have his hands full. His place has been selected as the distributing point for the Red Label coffee, a 45 cent article which is being made a leader on Market Day at five pounds for $1.00. Charles Lieberman presents a number of attractive bargains in clothing and furnishings and Carl Froseth does the same with shoes. The announcement of Louis DeCremer should appeal to the economical housewife, as should that of the City Bakery. The Bottem Hardware company has picked out a number of household articles for sacrifice while the Hanson-Barzen company repeat their offer of a month ago. "Pay as you ride," says the McFarland Auto company and goes on to tell how one may own a Ford car without much trouble. The First National bank and the First & Peoples' give some sound advice concerning the value of money-saving. Roy Lambert calls attention to the fact that he has accepted the agency for the Victrola phonographs and records. Jung's Quality Bakery will offer something particularly fine in prune specialties on this occasion, while the Kiewel Products company seeks to emphasize the particular excellence of its White Seal Brew. The canned goods offerings of Carl Christofferson & Co., present excellent opportunities for saving while those of M. N. Benson, dry goods merchant, should prove of great interest to the ladies. The Nortz Lumber company is represented although nothing in its line lends itself to specialization at this time.

The Hermanson Hardware company announcement covers a larger variety of subjects than that of most concerns and there should be something to interest practically everybody. F. J. Stebbins will make a reduction of 15 per cent on anything in the jewelry line for Market Day. The Peoples' Co-operative store comes forward with an unusual coffee offer and The Kleanall makes a big reduction in the price of sponging and pressing clothing for this one day. The Johnson Millinery reduces prices on all hats and Mulry's Bazaar presents three attractive enamelware specials. The Thief River Cafe's ad will interest all visitors, a fine dinner being offered for 25 cents. Bredeson & Co. will specialize on coffee. The J. C. Penney company offers a large variety of attractive bargains and the Thief River Music company invites all visitors to come in and listen to the latest phonograph productions. A particularly fine picture has been secured for Market Day by Manager Brumund of the Thief River Theatre company. K. A. Sundahl wants everybody to know of the excellent service rendered by the Northwestern Auto company in all departments and F. C. Niclai takes the opportunity presented of boosting his famous LaLunda cigar. Zeh & Curran reduce the price of a most highly-prized staple—prunes. As an appeal to the farmer visitors the Rambeck & Stone company make substantial reductions on standard farm machinery. Laird's Specialty Shop takes up the space contracted for in this particular section of The Times in calling attention to a larger advertisement appearing in another part of the paper. The Thief River Dress club should be swamped with the work brought into the place on this particular day because of the low prices quoted.

It is possible that some have been overlooked in this enumeration. The only safe way is to read every advertisement in The Times today. The announcements present money-saving opportunities such as should appeal to every person who wishes to make a dollar go as far as possible.

If you will ask your merchant to sign a card showing that you have made a purchase and deposit this evidence in a box placed in the lobby of the First National bank, there is a chance that this time you will be the winner. It costs nothing to make the attempt.

County Fair Next.

The next community event to which the members of the Merchants' Association will devote their attention is the Pennington county fair, to be held in Thief River Falls on August 3, 4, 5 and 6. The amusement program will this year be better than ever and the racing card is the most interesting presented by any northwestern fair. The Ferris Wheel Girls and the Siege of the Dardenelles, two spectacular productions without equals, will be among the free attractions. On the last day there will be a series of automobile races in which some of the best known speed demons of the country will take part.

A new show pavilion has just been completed and will give added opportunities for the display of farm produce and livestock.

The Pennington county fair has of late years been regarded as one of the best in the state and it is the intention this year to add to the enviable reputation already attained. For a real good time and an opportunity to witness a display of farm products superior to any in the section it is certain that nothing will surpass this famous fair. Arrange your affairs so as to be present.

No Ball Game.

It has been decided that it is inadvisable to have a ball game on Market Day. At least the Merchants' Association will have nothing to do with the booking of one. There are so many other things to engage the attention of visitors that it is impossible to get up sufficient interest in a game to make the effort worth while.

CORN CROP FINEST STATE EVER KNEW; WHEAT IS UNEVEN

Recent Hot Weather Has Set All Crops Back But Fair Yield is Promised.

The report of the federal crop observer for Minnesota, covering the past week, says:

The extremely hot weather was somewhat broken the past week by local showers throughout the state.

Corn—Still maintains its high condition and the outlook is very promising at present. Corn generally all in tassell and greater per cent shooting.

Spring Wheat—The crop has suffered by hot weather, especially since July 1. Conditions very uneven and "choppy," due to character of the soil and amount of rainfall. There were some rust reports, but as grain is so far advanced there will not be serious damage. Wheat should be very fair milling quality and while yield very uneven, the crop is by no means destroyed. Cutting will be general the coming week.

Oats—Has suffered by the hot weather and indications point to rather a light crop. Quite large per cent now in shock.

Barley—Will be an uneven crop. The early barley will be rather a fair crop with some good yields. Late barley will probably be poor.

Rye—This crop is perhaps the best of all small grains and will show good average yields.

Potatoes—Very critical period. No doubt considerable damage resulted from hot dry weather. Outcome of crop quite uncertain.

Flax—Has been benefited by rain and generally is in fairly good condition.

Live Stock—Generally is in a very healthy condition.

There does not seem to be any apparent shortage of farm labor and men are being hired from $2 to $3.50 a day.

They Are All Watching.

The success of the first Market Day in Thief River Falls has been noted all over the state. Merchants in other cities have decided that the plan is a good one and are following with something along the same lines. To date none have created so much interest as did the merchandising event held in this city on June 22. In no instance have the merchants in other towns shown such a determination to slash the lining out of prices. The result is that Thief River Falls has become known from one end of the state to the other as the place where the merchants meet the people more than half way in an attempt to get things properly adjusted.

Those who missed being in the city for the June Market Day made a mistake, but failing to take advantage of the July event will be a bigger one.

H. J. Fisken returned to his home at Henning the first of the week after an over Sunday visit with local friends.

LABOR DELEGATES DECLARE AGAINST WINES AND BEER

Kill Resolution Endorsing Six Hour Work Day—Against Military Training.

Delegates to the annual convention of the State Federation of Labor, in session at Brainerd this week, tabled a resolution asking congress to amend the Volstead prohibition enforcement act to permit the manufacture of beer and light wines, "for food and refreshment." The vote stood 193 to 146. Similar action was taken at the Rochester convention of the Federation last year.

Mabel Colter, president of the St. Paul Federation of Women Teachers, argued that the question had ceased to be an economic one and was now a moral one. She said that as such it did not properly come within the province of trade unionism. The vote was taken as not reflecting the attitude of organized labor on the question of prohibition, but rather as an opinion as to the propriety of organized labor dealing with the question at all.

A resolution endorsing the six-hour work day, with a wage "sufficient to provide subsistence," was defeated, 168 to 118, after heated debate.

Among resolutions adopted were: Favoring the economic equality of women; protesting against serving food in other places than catering establishments; assisting newsboys' organization; denouncing legislators who voted against sanitary conditions in places where food was prepared; favoring legislation against Ku Klux Klan; opposing "doubling-up" of letter carriers, while others were on vacations; extending the Kleffman bill to cover school and township elections; favoring the teachers' tenure laws; establishing housewives unions; condemning military training; incorporating teaching elements of public taxation in public schools; giving women representation in a world conference on disarmament.

It's Worth Trying For.

The man who was awarded the $25 donation made by the Merchants' association on Market Day in June never expected to be so fortunate as to be the winner. You never can tell.

FREE AUCTION WILL ADD INTEREST TO ACTIVITIES OF DAY

Request is Made That Only Articles of Some Value Be Offered For Sale.

A particularly important feature of the Second Market Day of the Thief River Falls Merchants' association will be the free auction held for the accommodation of those who may have livestock, household goods or other property to dispose of. This auction will be free to all, subject to certain restrictions deemed necessary for the protection of all. W. J. LaBree will officiate as auctioneer, a fact which insures this important part of the program being properly looked after. The auction will take place at 1 o'clock at the corner of LaBree avenue and Fourth street.

It is particularly desired that those who submit articles for sale at this free auction will not make it a point to find only such things as are useless for any purpose on earth. Old, worn-out household utensils are not wanted by anyone, no matter how low the price at which they may be offered. If, however, you have something of real value or usefulness that might better be turned into money, this free auction presents an excellent opportunity to get rid of it.

The auction will begin at 1 o'clock sharp and continue until all articles submitted are disposed of. There is no charge of any kind connected with this service.

Hundreds of purchases were made at this auction sale on the first Market Day a month ago with entire satisfaction to both the buyer and seller.

Special Prizes

The following special prizes will be given away absolutely free at the corner of LaBree avenue and Third street at 3 o'clock on Market Day:

100 lb. sack sugar
1 case Standard Tomatoes
1 box Soda Crackers
1 case Standard Peas
25 lb. box Prunes
50 lb. sack Vivo Flour
1 case Macaroni
1 dozen quart Mason Fruit Jars
1 box Spearmint Chewing Gum

SEE SMALL BILLS FOR FULL PARTICULARS

Save following coupon

PURCHASERS' DRAWING

This is to certify that

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Address________________________________

has made a purchase at my place of business and is entitled to participate in the Purchasers' Cash Drawing.

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Deposit this coupon at the First National Bank before 5 o'clock p. m., and be present on the corner of Third street and LaBree avenue at 5:30 p. m.

FIVE POUNDS 45-CENT COFFEE FOR ONE DOLLAR IS SECOND MARKET DAY'S GRAND SPECIAL OFFERING

Round Robin List This Time Includes 12 Business Houses, the Proprietors of Which Will Share With Importer and Wholesaler the Loss in Making This Offer.

When a number of merchants in Thief River Falls decided to take the loss incident to giving 20 pounds of sugar for a dollar on the first Market Day—June 22—they expected something of a demand but were hardly prepared for the invasion that followed their announcement. Over 800 persons took advantage of the offer which means that 16,000 pounds of sugar was distributed at five cents per pound.

This represented quite a saving, of course, but as a price cutting proposition it cannot be compared with what the merchants are putting on as their leading feature for the Second Market Day. They propose to give every visitor to the city one five-pound can of Caldwell's Red Label coffee for one dollar. This coffee is on sale at practically every grocery store in Thief River Falls as well as surrounding towns and the regular price is 45 cents per pound.

Red Label Coffee is a strictly high grade article and only through the cooperation of importers, wholesalers and dealers can it be sold under the conditions prevailing in Thief River Falls on Market Day. The distributor for this section of the state is the Thief River Grocery company and this concern will stand a large percentage of the loss incident to making this introductory offer. The importers will also foot a share of the expense and twelve Thief River Falls merchants will stand the balance. It is easily seen that if the coffee demand is as great as was that for sugar there will be a considerable bill to meet. Red Label coffee sells regularly for 45 cents per pound and this is the price that must be paid after this sensational introductory offer expires. The figure at which the coffee will be handled out means that five pounds will be secured for a little more than the price of two pounds under ordinary circumstances. It means that any head of a household visiting Thief River Falls on Wednesday, July 27, will buy a large canister of the very best coffee to be found at a lower price than he or she have been paying for low grade coffee. No coffee worthy of the name can now be bought anywhere in America for less than 25 cents per pound, yet this is five cents per pound more than a Market Day visitor to Thief River Falls will be asked to pay for one of the very best coffees on the market. A five pound can of Caldwell's Red Label coffee will cost $2.25 anywhere in the country at the same time as the same quantity is being sold in Thief River Falls for one dollar.

Get Your Coffee Cards.

Twelve merchandising establishments have agreed to foot a part of the loss on this coffee. They are: Larson Furniture company, Loken Brothers, Hermanson Hardware company, The Sapero Company, E. O. Mogensen, Simonson Meat and Grocery company, A. M. Langseth, Hall Brothers Company, Carl Froseth, Palace Clothing House, Lieberman Bros., E. L. Rolland.

In order to secure this five pounds of 45 cent coffee for one dollar it will be necessary for the buyer to visit all ten of these stores. Nothing need be purchased and none will be urged to do so. As the object of these Market Day Bargains is to get acquainted with the neighbors, a visit to the different stores is more essential than that purchases shall be made. Those who wish to take advantage of the special bargains offered may do so, but there is nothing compulsory about this.

The visitor may start making the rounds wherever convenient. The rotation indicated in the Round Robin page in this issue is simply for the purpose of convenience. Start any place. The first merchant visited will provide the visitor with a coffee card and affix his stamp. The others will thereafter simply sign or stamp the same card. When eleven stores have thus been visited the bearer may take the card to the City Meat Market where the coffee will be handed out upon the payment of one dollar. That is all there is to it.

One thousand cans—5,000 pounds—of this coffee has been set aside by the importers to meet the demands of this Market Day. Being sold in the regular order this amount of Red Label coffee would bring $2,250. It will be sold on Market Day for a total of $1,000—a clear saving to the consumers of $1,250. And this is but one item. When the reductions in price on other commodities are taken into consideration it is easy to be seen that the total saving made possible by this Market Day will run into the tens of thousands.

Come to Thief River Falls on July 27 and secure your share of the bargains.

Mrs. Anna Dock, of the clerical force at Sapero's, who is enjoying a month's vacation, left Monday afternoon for Crookston and Grand Forks where she will spend a few days visiting friends.

RED LABEL COFFEE

Per Pound

45c

Refreshing----Delicious----Appetizing

THIEF RIVER GROCERY CO.
Wholesale Distributors
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Thief River Falls Market Day, Wednesday, July 27

Bring the Whole Family--Hear the Band--Make it a Holiday

FARMERS IN FAVOR OF WATERWAY PLAN

Minnesota Potato Growers in Convention Favor Great Lakes Project.

The proposed Great Lakes St. Lawrence waterway project was endorsed in resolutions adopted by the Minnesota Potato Growers' association, in annual convention at Minneapolis last week.

Two pounds of potatoes for man, woman and child in the United States was the crop of "spuds" raised in Minnesota last year, according to a report read at the convention.

Potatoes handled through the Minnesota Growers' Co-operative exchange last year totalled 2,405 carloads and were valued at one million five hundred dollars.

The convention expressed confidence in resolutions in the management of the potato exchange and urged creation of a department of field instructors to educate shippers in local exchanges against neglect in preparing shipments and thus minimize complaints.

The new board of directors elected follows: John Hoffman, Oglivie; John Erickson, Aitkin; W. A. Ferguson, Osseo; E. P. Nauertz, Little Falls; E. E. Schaulkė, Ten Strike; A. M. Funsten, Bagley; John Husby, McIntosh; J. A. Marshall, Wadena and R. C. Kiel, Hankinson, N. D.

Airship Service Installed.

A giant dirigible airship, 130 feet long, will be seen in a short time in the air above Baudette. It will ply between Fort Frances and Kenora and will make the trip in two hours. It will carry eight passengers besides the pilot and engineer and will be under the supervision of the Canadian military authorities. An airdrome 170 feet long, 70 feet wide and 70 feet high is being built at Fort Frances to house the ship. A sister airship is to be located at Kenora.—Baudette Region.

Successful County Fair.

The Marshall county fair closed in a blaze of glory last Wednesday evening when the finest display of fireworks ever seen in Warren gave the finishing touch. Motor races and a big double program were the day's attractions. Owing to the rain on Tuesday, nearly all the events for the two days were crowded into the last day's entertainment.

The stock parade on Wednesday afternoon was excellent. Each year this event shows marked improvement and indicates that the raising of purebred stock is receiving more attention by the farmers. Very few counties in the northwest can stage a better livestock parade than the one seen here this year.

The free attractions staged at the grand stand were better than at former fairs. It was a great disappointment to the fair management as well as the children that the merry-go-round which had been engaged for the fair failed to get here. It requires a great deal of work to stage a county fair of the size of ours. Dr. E. T. Frank has given a great deal of his time and energy to the upbuilding of the Marshall county fair and the people of the county are greatly indebted to him for his unselfish efforts to make the fair a success.—Warren Sheaf.

A Home Course in Domestic Science.

"Twenty Lessons in Domestic Science," by Marion Cole Fisher has recently been received by us for review.

This is a complete advanced course in domestic science and home economics boiled down to meet the requirements of the housewife and the student.

The entire course consists of twenty practical lessons—one hundred pages filled with the most valuable information the housewife can possess—heretofore taught only in domestic science schools.

Do you know the relative value of food, which fruits to use for cooking, what purpose salads serve, the correct use of condiments, about proper kitchen equipments, about U. S. Government's bulletins, how to reduce the high cost of living, how to promote and protect your own and your families health, how to make housekeeping simpler and more economical and pleasant by utilizing modern science in the home.

This book, we note, is priced at $2.00 per copy and from what we understand it contains a complete $100.00 college course, condensed and it is practically FREE to every interested housewife.

Write the Home Economics Department of the Calumet Baking Powder Co., 4100-28 Fillmore St., Chicago, Illinois, for full particulars regarding the book and how to secure it.

COOL SUMMER RUGS FOR BEDROOMS AND PORCHES.

This is a rare good time to fix up the summer home—to look better, feel cooler; and costs less than at any other time.

Season still young, but prices are 'way down.

Rag rugs for comfortable bedrooms—grass rugs for porches, and lots of little rugs for any spot that needs them. On sale Market Day, July 27.

COMFORT DAYS FOR NEGLIGEE.

Apparel for the busy or lounging hours that is not only easy and comfortable, light and cool, but quite as artistic as more formal frocks.

Made of every dainty tissue, trimmed with ribbon or lace, graceful, becoming, and see how inexpensive it now is. Look over the special offerings on Market Day, July 27.

HANDKERCHIEF TIME IN TWO WAYS.

Warm days call for plentiful supplies and these new little prices make it just the time to secure plentiful supplies. Exactly the kinds you want, priced as you've not seen them for many a moon. Market Day, Wednesday, July 27.

Lonesome For His Wares.

Mooney, the traveling salesman, was a bit depressed, for trade was bad. It was the end of another blank day and the discouraged drummer called on another merchant to display his samples.

"But I want nothing today," said the merchant.

"At least you will examine my line of goods?" suggested Mooney.

The merchant thought not.

"In that case," suggested Mooney meekly, "will you permit me the use of your counter to look at them myself? I have not had the opportunity to do so for some time."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Hotel
L. Garvey, Prop.
European
CAFE IN CONNECTION
SERVICE AND SATISFACTION
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

See
Page Ad
of
Lieberman Bros.
IN THIS ISSUE
for
Special Market
Day Bargains

Special---
For Market Day

2 qt. Enamelware Pudding Pan	15c
5 qt. Enamelware Preserve Kettle	19c
Large Enamelware Wash Basin	19c
14 qt. Enamelware Dish Pan	39c

MULRY'S
5c & 10c
BAZAAR

LAMBERT'S
DRUG STORE

A Complete Line of
Victor Phonographs
and Records

Watch The People
Who Come Here

Jung's
VICTORY BREAD
PUTS
Living Standards UP and
Living COSTS DOWN
For Market Day
We will have a fine line of
Prune Specialties
Pies, Buns, Bismarks
Coffee Cakes, etc.
"BREAD IS YOUR BEST FOOD—EAT MORE OF IT."
JUNG'S QUALITY
BAKERY

FREE
—on—
MARKET DAY
ONE TEN-POUND SACK OF WHOLE
WHEAT FLOUR FREE WITH EACH
98-POUND SACK OF "VIVO"

WE MANUFACTURE
AND GUARANTEE

Hanson & Barzen
Milling Company

SPECIALS
For Market Day!

All $5.00 and $6.00 Hats
$3.15
Boys' all-wool Serge Suits.
Lined Pants.
$6.95
Men's Blue Serge Suits, all-wool,
$35 value, for Market Day only
$22.95
Men's Silk Hose, $1.00 values, all
colors
59c

Palace
Clothing House
L. L. COHN, Prop.

EVERYBODY IS WONDERING IF PRICES ARE GOING UP AGAIN.

Frankly, we don't believe they are; but the trade journals say that many prices that have already been decisively reduced may swing back to higher levels again, because so many manufacturers, in order to stimulate their industries, had cut prices below production costs, and below what the goods can be produced for, even under the new conditions.

Now, this may be true or not. Certainly it is well within the probabilities that some prices will go up again. It is also possible that a few prices may go further down.

But, aside from these exceptions, which will be a small percentage of the whole, it is a generally accepted trade fact that prices are at rock-bottom right now!

Also, it is a further fact that most of the special offerings in this rock-bottom price event are being presented at less than the regular rock-bottom prices.

This makes it not only safe to buy everything that you need now; but protects you from the chance of any of the prices going higher later on.

Many of the best offerings were the last odd lots the manufacturers had and they cannot be duplicated later on.

Take prompt advantage of these opportunities to provide yourself with the needed things, while all prices are at rock-bottom.

AN ECONOMIC MOVEMENT DESERVING OF SUPPORT.

The wholesalers, jobbers and manufacturers are joining together with the merchants in a movement to foster the development of the dairying industry in the northwest. This is a step in the right direction, and deserves the earnest consideration of the grocers.

The proponents of the movement offer several valid reasons for its hearty support by all business men. From selfish motives—if for no other reason—the plan should appeal to business men. It is one of the surest panaceas that has yet been submitted for that greatest of all bugaboos to the merchant in rural centers—credit.

It has been found that the farmer who gets his milk check regularly each month always has ready cash and is less inclined to seek long terms of credit than is his neighbor who depends upon a one-crop income and is often financially hard pressed between harvests. He does not put all his eggs in one basket and find himself in narrow straits when there is a crop failure. It is a poor year indeed when there is not forage of some kind to tide the cattle over.

The dairy farmer, thus assured of a steady income, is less chary about spending some money on the so-called better things of life. He buys knick-knacks in food lines, invests in good furniture and slicks up himself and his family.

The soil—the originator of all wealth—is benefited by this move. There is nothing that exhausts the soil so much as small grain crops. This is proved by the necessity of renewal by fertilization or rotation of crops after a short period. Dairy products ravage the soil least of any form of wealth taken from it. In fact, it has been found that ground is in a high state of productivity after it has been pastured.

With its wonderful climate, in which severe heat seldom comes to harass milch cows, the northwest is ideally suited for dairying. There are thousands of hills and valleys now in a low state of productivity that could easily be made into great wealth producers.

From wheat to dairy products is but a short step—but it is an important one. State Senator J. M. Hackney of Minnesota is on the right track when he urges this transition. The merchant will do well to follow his lead, for this would be not only doing the public a great service, but it would redound to his material advantage.

Valuable propaganda can be spread in the rural districts by the merchant. The northwest has already come to be recognized as a great producer of dairy products. Let the grocers get behind the movement and help to make its supremity in this line so marked that there will be no question as to its position.

The New Temptation.

"How do you manage to sell so many fireless cookers?"

"It's due to my method of approach," said the smart salesman. "I begin *my little talk by saying,* 'Madam, I have called to enable you to spend every afternoon at the movies.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

VACATION DAYS, THE DAYS OF CARE-FREE HAPPINESS, THE REWARD OF A YEAR'S LABOR.

The children are free from the study hours—

Mothers are taking their families away to mountain and sea-shore for weeks of freedom from housekeeping responsibilities and social exactions—

School teachers are enjoying their freedom as much as the scholars—

Young men and young women are planning their two-weeks' vacations from all-year-round employment—

Working people everywhere, and business men and women of every capacity, are getting ready for the glorious days of freedom and fun, for which all of us work and look forward throughout the year—

And our vacation days are here! Or they are just ahead of us.

They are so long in coming, and so quick in going, that we have to make the utmost possible out of them while we have them.

There must be no dull moments—there must be no disappointments—there must be nothing lacking—nothing forgotten—nothing to lose time to send back home for.

We must have all the right apparel. We must have all the things needed to make us comfortable and to play with.

What a joy it is to be able just to play!

There is more health in play, and the youthful spirit of happiness that goes with it than in all the medicine of all the pharmacies in the world.

Go away with the determination to make every minute a happy one.

We can do a lot to help you make things that way, by supplying your vacation day needs on Market Day, Wednesday, July 27.

JULY FESTIVAL AMONG THE DRESS COTTONS

Superb Assortment of Cotton Tissues and a New Down-Fall of All Prices.

Just when every woman and girl has her heart set on several new summer frocks, comes this occasion that we have been preparing for during the past few weeks.

Many of the choicest groups are from our own stocks, of course—marked down to be in keeping with the big news. Weeks ago we started to watch the market for the big opportunities—didn't miss a chance to pick up beautiful cotton fabrics of the right grades and colorings, when prices were tumbling down.

Now they're all here—the most interesting collection and the smallest prices that we've ever shown.

Three dress patterns for the price of two; and sometimes even two for the price of one. See them Market Day, July 27.

PIAZZA NEEDLEWORK FOR THE SKILLFUL FINGERS.

So many delightful new designs are ready for clever embroiderers—decorative things for one's own wear, and such pretty things for baby.

Such an alluring array of suggestions for sweaters and other knitted things, with all the right yarns and needles. Special displays on Market Day, Wednesday, July 27.

The Old Reliable
La Lunda
hand made
Cigar
In Popular Sizes

Market Day
Specials

Will be found in great abundance at our store on Wednesday, July 27, and the large itemized list published in the main section of this paper does not give all the bargains which are to be offered on that day. In many cases the advertised prices are below present day costs but we wish to show the people that we can and do give bargains worth while. You will find it well worth your while to call and investigate for we know you will then buy.

Laird's
Specialty Shop

SPECIAL!
JULY 27th
Five ponnds of our
Select Peaberry Coffee
$1.00
Peoples Co-Operative Store

Market Day
and
Every Day

The most refreshing—
The most satisfying—
The most healthful—
Summer Beverage

White Seal Brew

White Seal Brew is our Famous White Seal Beer with the alcoholic content reduced to comply with the law.
A big, cool, foam-topped glass at half the price of any other beverage.

J. E. COSGROVE
BEN VIGEN
O. W. CARLSON
L. P. CHRISTENSEN
J. F. FARR
O. H. FIELD
A. C. RASMUSSON

Kiewel Products Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

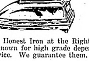

A Good, Honest Iron at the Right Price.
Favorably known for high grade dependable service. We guarantee them.

Regular price	$6.25
Market Sales Day price	$4.95
You will save	$1.30

As usual we will have many articles on sale at the lowest prices. Come and see for yourself.

A little farther to walk for some—but it pays.

Always first in line with lowest prices.

Combination Pliers only ---- 18c
Drop forge, from best tool steel, 6-inch. Can be used as Wrench, Screw-driver and Wire Cutter. Only one pair sold to each customer.

Hall Brothers Co.
"A Good Place to Trade."
Hardware—Farm Machinery.
315 Horace Ave. North Phone 15
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Quality Store of Thief River Falls

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Store Hours Daily 8:30 a.m. to 6 p. m. Saturday 8:30 a. m. to 10 p. m.

SENSATIONAL SPECIALS
FOR MARKET DAY

Another 1200 pair of those remarkable high-grade Ladies' Silk Hose just received. They are the greatest values you ever saw. Last year we sold a lot of them at $2.50 per pair. Now in all sizes and all leading shades, choice, per pair only 98c	Another solid case 480 Ladies' Union Suits. They are positively the greatest values in town, all sizes. Fine bleached gauze cool Union Suits. Here only at Suit 39c

36 and 40 in. Silks, former values $2.50 to $3.50 per yard. This entire shipment is mill remnants and consists of every kind of Silks imaginable. Here only, yd. $1.00

Read our
Full Page
Ad
Elsewhere in this issue explaining in full detail about the greatest Ready-towear Market Day Sale ever heard of.

Choice of 100 pieces of fancy wide 5 and 6 inch Hair Bow ribbons. Are wonderful at yard ---- 19c

Pepsodent Tooth Paste, large tubes, each ---- 39c
Pebeco Tooth Paste, large tubes each ---- 39c

Special Values Market Day

Hinds Honey and Almond Cream, per bottle	39c
Mentholatum, large 50c jars each	39c
Melba Toilet Water, Rose, Shamrock and Love-me, $1.25 value	95c
Djer Kiss Face Powder, 75c value, at each	58c
Mary Garden 35c Talcum Powder	25c
Powder, large size, 75c Cold Cream	48c
Mme. Isabelle's 50c Perfume	42c
15c single Just Rite Hair Nets, all colors each	10c

Strings of Imported Beads, 24, 36 and 40 inches long of cranberry red, jet black, steel cut, jet and red combinations, diamond cut, deep rich reds. A remarkable assortment of high grade neck chains retailing everywhere at $3.50 and $4.00 perstring. Here only at choice 98c

A Clearance Sale with prices that will move this stock quick.
Specially Low Prices on Curtain Goods and Draperies.

Curtain goods, Cretones and Draperies. Values to 65c. This sale at yd. 39c	$1.00 and 85c Cretones and curtain goods. A beautiful line of patterns to choose from. This sale, yard 69c	$5.00 Lace Curtains for this sale at per pair $2.95

$2.00 Terry Cloth, heavy draperies, several patterns, this sale, yard ---- 85c

J. P. Coats' Mercerized Crochet Cotton. Sizes 26 white; 40, 50, 60 ecru colored 10c	$2.50 value in 50 inch finest quality fish net Curtaining. This sale only at yard $1.95	Madras fine Draperies, last year $2.00 per yd. This sale 85c	CRETONES: A lovely line of dainty patterns 65c values. This sale at yard 39c

1847 Rogers Bros. & Community 50 yr. Silverwear
Loken Brothers' Market Day Prices
All the new 1921 patterns included. The Ambassador, Grosvenor, Patrician, Adam, Cromwell and Old Colony.

Tea Spoons per set of 6, Sale price	$2.95	Medium Soup Spoons Set of six	$5.95	Berry Spoons, Each	$2.68
Dessert Spoons per set of 6, Sale price	$5.65	Salad Forks, Set of six	$5.65	Sugar Shells, Each	$1.00
Coffee Spoons per set of 6, Sale price	$2.95	Olive Spoons, Each	$1.35	Pickle Forks, Each	$1.25
Butter Spreaders, Set of six	$4.95	Meat Forks, Each	$1.69	Butter Knife, Each	$1.00

Set of 6 Knives, solid handle, and 6 flat Forks Per set ---- $9.95
Set of 6 medium hollow handle Knives, and 6 medium flat handle Forks, Our finest set and worth $25.00, on this sale for, per set ---- $15.00

Flowered Georgettes, last year's $5.00 Silk. This sale at ---- $1.69
50 yards of Silk Pongee, natural color. A value never before offered by us. This Sale, yard ---- 95c

36 in. Silk Poplins, in several shades at yard ---- 95c

Yard wide Changeable Taffetas This sale, yard ---- $1.39
$5.00 year-ago Cheney Bros. shower-proof Foulards, yd. ---- $1.98

Skinner's 40 in. Satin and Taffetas The best guaranteed silks on the market this sale $1.95

BASEMENT SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR MARKET DAY.

GALVANIC SOAP
The leading laundry soap. Better buy a box at this exceptionally low price.
20 Bars ---- $1.00
100 Bars ---- $4.69

NICKEL PLATED WATCHES
Guaranteed a perfect time-keeper for one year. Can you beat this bargain, each ---- $1.19

ALARM CLOCKS
The Early Riser kind ---- $1.39

There is no comparison to these prices. They stand out alone.

Turkish Towels	Huck Toweling	White Outing Flannel	Sateens	Shirtings	Men's Work Shirts	Ladies' Handkerchiefs
A good size at a bargain	by the yard, 18 in. A big snap, only	27 in. A special grade	Flowered and plain. Ask to see this special	Extra wide and good patterns	Made large strong and roomy	Another big bargain
25c	13½c	15c	38c	19c	79c	4c

Chamois	Coats' Thread	O. N. T. Crochet Thread	Silk Thread	Coats' Crochet Thread	S-I-L-K-O	Rubber Pants
Made for cleaning autos A reg. $1.75 value	Coats' Thread Black & white all sizes	Small & large sizes	A Special	mercerized	mercerized thread	for the baby
85c	5c	10c	5c	11c	7c	39c

NOW FOR THE BIG CELEBRATION, MARKET DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 27.

It all started over a "tax on tea"—together with other high costs of things.

So our ancestors of those old days refused to pay the prices—dumped the tea into Boston harbor and sent George the 3rd on his way.

Last year we had another American rebellion against high prices, and prices came down with a crash!

Just think back to what the prices were last year—for sugar, for cotton, for suits, for towels—and compare those old figures with the smaller ones that are quoted today.

Every time prices go down your dollars go up in value. Every dollar that you earn this year is worth one and a half of last year's dollars, and some of them are worth two.

Everybody who makes the same wages they did last year has had a tremendous increase in pay, because they can get almost twice as much for the dollars as they could last year.

So there is a double reason to celebrate this year.

We're ready to help people celebrate in the best way and to their fullest satisfaction.

Here are the sports clothes for men, women and children—best kinds—so very much less in price than a short time ago.

Here are the accessories of all the popular sports—base ball, golf, tennis, bathing, camping, fishing, shooting, and everything for motoring.

How may we serve you on Market Day, Wednesday, July 27?

A Nose For Trade.

An Auborn, Mo., merchant named Myers decided to quit business and offered to sell his stock to a born trader of the neighborhood named Meriweather at what it invoiced, $1,900.

"I won't take it at that," said Meriweather. "I'll give you twenty-five cents for every article and package in the store."

Myers thought of his big line of slate and lead pencils worth a cent apiece and agreed. Two men were hired to help check up. Slate pencils, clothes pins, packages of chewing gum and papers of pins were listed at twenty-five cents each. So were automobile tires, barrels of sugar and coffee. An egg was worth as much as a 50-yard bolt of cotton. The result was that Meriweather bought the stock for $1,866.25, just $33.75 less than the invoice price. You can't beat a born trader.—Capper's Weekly.

A WINDFALL OF MEN'S SHIRTS, KINDS YOU'LL LIKE AT WELCOME PRICES.

The new kind of man wants a liberal supply of shirts for holidays and vacation days—for the new kind of man works hard and plays hard—so shirts pay for the fun.

More needed for comfort—

More waiting in the laundry basket—

Such a comfort to have more waiting to serve you, right there in the bureau or chiffirobe.

Shirts just like these—specially selected at specially little prices, for this season of specially large requirements.

Come for an early selection on Market Day, July 27.

THAT NEW BOOK YOUR FRIEND SPOKE ABOUT?

Just a reminder of the many new books that are ready for the summer reader. Too many for anybody to read them all. Just enough to give ample selection and provide alibis for those one misses. Latest issues on sale Market Day, July 27.

Temptation Too Great For Us.

Both members of the film firm of Sly-Fox company are said to be bears in their fields.

WOMEN'S SPORTS SKIRTS WAY DOWN IN PRICE.

How they do brighten and widen the wardrobe of every woman, these summer days when a blouse and a sport's skirt make a totally new and complete outfit!

Smart new fabrics give the skirts a clever tone—shapely models give them a delightful character. Bright plaids, refined stripes, artistic pleatings. What a comfort to have an ample supply for all the vacation-time demands.

Present day prices make it so much easier than heretofore.

FRIENDLY BATH TOWELS THAT ENHANCE THE SHOWER.

Almost as comforting as the splash of the water is the cool absorbent texture of gracious bath towels.

Such a satisfaction to have plentiful supplies these hot summer days. Here are just the kinds that make the towel rack inviting, and prices are the smallest that you've seen in many a day on towels of such excellence. See them on Market Day, Wednesday, July 27.

DELIGHTFUL NECKWEAR FOR WOMEN.

Just in a twinkling, the clever woman puts on a crisp bit of neckwear and she looks as fresh and cool as a May morning, no matter how hot the day may be.

Smart collars and cuffs, frilly jabots and gilets, exquisite guimpes and over-blouses. Plenty to suit all tastes and requirements, and such little prices. Market Day, July 27.

Swatting Season Here.

With the arrival of warm weather, it is well to get out the swatter to keep down the flies, bolsheviki and book agents.

SUCH PRETTY BAGS TO GO WITH SUMMER FROCKS.

The designers spent many hours among the silks and cottons that were to make summer dresses, when they planned the charming bags for well-dressed women to carry.

The materials, the colorings, the novel shapes will attract every tasteful woman, and then you'll see at a glance how becoming the right one will be with your favorite frock.

NOW COME ECONOMY DAYS IN BABY'S WEAR.

If we could just picture the beauty things we have gathered here for babies, we'd have little need to talk about special prices, to mothers who enjoy having charming garments for their little ones.

The cool, dainty dresses are the prettiest you've seen this season.

The caps and hats are so delightful.

The under-things are so nicely made, and of such pleasing qualities.

And all the other necessaries—all specially priced for Market Day, on Wednesday, July 27.

Is There Value to Credit Besides Making It Easy to Run Bills?

A great many persons believe that the chief value of keeping their credit good is that it makes it possible to keep buying on credit As a matter of fact, this is only the primary value of a credit standing. There is a bigger value attaching to unblemished credit which every person must appreciate if he gives the matter thought.

Good Credit Like Insurance

A credit rating is like a life insurance policy. The more premiums in paid bills that are chalked against it, the higher its loan value. If a man has a life insurance policy partially paid for he can borrow money on it. If a man has a record for paying his bills promptly over a certain length of time he is considered a good loaning risk by merchants and banks.

Tides You Over Dry Spells

The man or woman who pays his or her bills promptly need never fear the occasions known as "tight periods" when it is sometimes impossible to meet obligations promptly. Merchants are especially anxious to help their prompt patrons when the occasion demands it.

Danger! Don't Put Them Off!

Don't let your bills slide just because it will be a little easier to pay them next month.

Pay every month, even if you can't pay all of each bill.

It is the constant willingness to pay that pleases your creditors and makes them your firm friends in time of need.

A sheaf of paid bills is one of the best assets any man or woman can have. Don't get the sliding habit. It injures you more than your creditors. Pay your bills promptly, and they will repay you tenfold.

It Pays to Pay Bills Promptly

Merchants Association of Thief River Falls

Reduced Prices

ON ALL TRIMMED AND TAILORED

HATS

Johnson Millinery

312 LaBree Ave. North

15 Per Cent Discount

ON EVERYTHING IN THE

Jewelry Line

MARKET DAY ONLY

F. J. Stebbins

Market Day Specials

Big Discount on all

Coffees

BREDESON & CO.

July 27th Will be Our Next

MARKET DAY

And we will have many more and even greater bargains to offer than we had at our last Market Day. We list below a few items only, as small space prevents us from listing them all.

4 Burner Oil Stoves, regular price, $32.50 at	$21.50
Aluminum Percolators, regular price $1.75 at	$1.10
12 qt. Granite Preserving Kettle, regular price $1.00, at	45c
5 qt. Granite Preserving Kettle, regular price 50c, at	25c
Good size Enamel Wash Basin, regular price 50c, at	25c
4 piece Nickle Plated Bathroom Outfit, regular price $2.25 at	$1.25
Old Style Gillette Safety Razor	75c
Monarch Dash Board Oil Gauge for Ford cars, regular price $1.50, at	65c
Speederator for Fords, regular price $2.00 at	85c
Large size Galvanized Tub, regular price $1.25, at	75c
Heavy Galv. Pails, regular price 45c at	25c
26 in. Crusader Hand Saw, regular price $2.25, at	$1.35
House Mail Boxes, regular price 40c, at	15c

BOTTEM HARDWARE

The Winchester Store.

White Laundry Soap 6 bars for 25c

J.C.Penney Co.
A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION
Incorporated
312 DEPARTMENT STORES

Mail Orders Filled Promptly, Please Include Postage

Blue Chambray Work Shirts 49c Full cut, sizes 14½ to 17

SUMMER DRESSES 3.98 Fancy figured voiles and Organdies.

Bead Neck Chains Assorted Lengths 69c Lovely Colors

Boys' 2 Pant Suits 6.90 Splendid quality.

MEN'S SUITS Navy Blue Serge. 19.75 A great Suit for the Money.

Lady-Lyke Corsets 98c to 2.98 A Guaranteed Corset.

Rockford Sox 10c

Men's Muleskin Work Shoes $2.39

Bib Overalls 220 Denim 98c

Men's Suspenders 25c

Men's Neckties 25c, 49c

Boys' Work Shoes $1.39 $1.69 $1.89

Your Dollar Here Brings Genuine Service

Why? Your dollar in a J. C. PENNEY COMPANY store is not paying for

—Overhead expense on questionable reserve stock that is waiting to be "marked down."

—Deliveries, expensive or inexpensive.

—Doubtful accounts or uncertain collections.

—It is not being held by the merchant in order to give the "Cream" to "Credit customers" and let You, a Cash Customer, take the "leavings" in advertised "Sales."

It is the people's confidence in this policy of the J. C. PENNEY COMPANY that keeps 312 stores in busy operation every business day of the year and it is the same confidence that now demands a greater expansion with a constantly improving service.

J C Penney Co

Model Brassiers Rust Proof 49c

Children's School Hose 10c

Cotton Voiles 19c

White Pumps and Oxfords $1.98

Sport Skirts White Gabardine 98c

36 Inch Bleached Muslin 10c

Shoe Specials For MARKET DAY

Misses' and Children's White Lace Shoes, sizes 8 1-2 to 2. Also Women's small size Button Shoes, Spanish heel. Two great bargains at

$1.00

Women's Juliette and one-strap House Slippers with rubber heel. Also Children's light smoke lace Shoes with spring heels. Just the thing for rough wear.

$2.00

Real Bargains in Men's and Boys' Shoes.

A. M. Langseth

The Place to Buy Your Shoes.

Why Not Save?

Fancy Corn	20c
Fancy Peas	20c
Large can Salmon	25c
Large can Tomatoes	25c
Yeast Foam, 1 pkg.	10c
Corn Starch, 1 pkg.	15c
Toilet Soap, 1 bar	10c
	$1.25

All these articles Market Day for 98c

One Deal to Each Family

5c Per Pound Off on all meats on Market Day

Full line of fresh vegetables and fruit on hand at all times.

Bring your tickets in and let us stamp them. The pleasure is all ours.

Simonson's Meat & Grocery

Thief River Falls, Minn.

EDUCATING THE CHARGE ACCOUNT.

Credit, so we are told, is the backbone of our national prosperity. The producer of raw materials extends credit to the manufacturer, who passes it on to the wholesaler, who accommodates the jobber, who "carries" the retailer, who "charges" it to Mrs. Jones.

All for the best, but—

Suppose Mrs. Jones isn't good credit, and credit of this kind predominates on the books of the retailer: he cannot pay the jobber, the jobber disappoints the wholesaler, and the wholesaler lets the sheriff settle for him with the manufacturer. It is the old story of the old woman getting the pig over the sty.

The retailer's credit to his customer has this difference from those credits extended along the line and finally reaching him; he extends consumption credit, which, by its very nature, is the poorest kind of credit. Of course, the greater proportion of his credit is accommodation credit, and this, while being "sure-pay" credit, has its drawbacks, too.

While it is comparatively easy for the retail merchant to refuse to extend credit to the customer who is not financially sound, it is harder for him to refuse it to a customer whose credit is sound, but whose method of using a charge account makes that account unprofitable.

Let us take the case of a woman buying shoes—on credit. She has a couple of tickets for the matinee, and she is in a hurry to get the transaction over with and be on her way. She looks at several pairs of shoes and finally takes a pair, knowing that if they prove unsatisfactory she can return them and they will be charged off. All she has to do to accomplish this return is to phone the firm, and the wagon will call for the shoes. Then when she is down town again, she can buy another pair of shoes at her leisure.

Confronted with this problem, and having determined that the return of three pairs of shoes on one account during the year made the account unprofitable, a well-known Chicago shoe store has worked out a plan whereby it aims to cure the evil.

The usual questions which are asked of anyone wishing credit in any retail shop are asked, and then:

"Why do you want this credit? Why do you not continue to pay cash?"

It is a store which caters to the higher class trade, which has the cash, consequently the answer almost invariably is:

"It is a matter of convenience."

If the applicant for credit happens to be one of peculiar frankness, he may add:

"——in the exchange of unsatisfactory purchases."

And here the store takes up the offensive. It explains through its credit manager that it wants its customers satisfied, but that, alas, there is a peculiar psychology about credit which makes the credit customer more careless about satisfying himself before purchasing than is the cash customer. The credit manager admits that he extends credit not only as a matter of accommodation to the customer, but also as a business getter for himself—but that such business, like all other that comes to the store, must be profitable or it is not wanted.

"If, for example," the applicant is told, "you return three out of five purchases during the year, you will automatically be deprived of your credit privileges."

This knowledge has the effect, the credit manager says, of insuring more careful selection of goods before they are taken home, and has materially reduced the amount of returned goods. Customers understand that the privilege to charge is a privilege, extended only to preferred customers, and they show a desire to maintain the right by not abusing it.

The general effect of this plan is good, too. Credit, like every other service which the retailer provides for his customer, costs money, and this cost must be passed on to the customer. But where credit is extended merely on the basis of "sound" credit the cost is spread miscuously over the entire list of customers; the person who respects his credit pays in part for the sins of those who abuse it. Where the cost of credit has been figured closely enough so that the store knows it cannot permit more than a limited exercise of the return privilege, then the customer who is guilty is the one who pays the penalty of that guilt, and the credit customers as a class do not pay in excess of their credit. And this consciousness is an asset to the merchant who has the courage of his convictions and cuts short the credit privileges of the patron who abuses them.

Even the layman realizes that the public takes a different view of credit obtained from different classes of merchants. The man who would not think of letting his grocery bill slip over the first of the month may consider it perfectly ethical to let his coal bill run month after month. He may pay his electric light bill early in order to get the discount, and yet his tailor may suffer the proverbial fate of tailors. He may keep his lodge dues paid up because they carry an insurance value, and let the doctor who has saved his life, or that of his wife, wait impatiently for payment.

It is commonly believed by many merchants, and not without reason, that credit means more business. Mrs. Smith will buy for cash what she absolutely needs, but finding it easy to say those magical words, "Charge It," she will buy more goods and they will be paid for. This is a credit for credit, a mark on the right side of the ledger.

But there is another side to this story, too. A grocer in a live town in the middle west had an opportuntiy to buy out a competitor who operated on a cash basist. It was a comparatively small city, so it was a simple matter to carry out the experiment which he determined upon. He kept the transaction secret and did not appear in the cash store at all. It had its manager and its old corps of salespeople—trade went on much as under the guidance of its former owner.

Among the duties of the manager was that of keeping track of customers who visited the store. He was a local man and he knew the housewives from long experience; then, too, there were the telephone orders, which were self-identifying.

It was proved beyond doubt that a certain class of customers, whose bills were paid promptly on the first of each month, bought more from the cash store than from the "credit" store. It was found that many credit customers patronized the credit store only when the cash store did not have in stock the particular article wanted. Others patronized the cash store until the latter part of the month and then, when funds were running low because of an imperfect system of home economics, bought on credit.

The psychology which makes the customers believe that *goods bought on credit cost more* has had ample material upon which to grow strong and flourish during these days following the war. Prices are up, and the use of the telephone and credit, many believe, gives the merchant an added opportunity to lay on stiff prices.

It is because of this trend of the times that it will pay the merchant to make a careful survey of his trade, to determine whether his credit extension is a profitable affair—whether it means more business and profitable business.

Subscribe for The Times and keep posted on all neighborhood news.

ANNUAL INDEPENDENCE SALE OF WOMEN'S BLOUSES.

Just before the big county fair—a rousing distribution of smartest and prettiest blouses of the season, at prices that have declared their everlasting independence of the first intentions of the manufacturers as to what such blouses should sell for.

Of course, they were made to sell for much more—

Of course, they cost much more a few weeks ago than we paid for them the other day. That's the reason the news is so good and your savings will be so large.

And yet they are the best models of the season, and they are spick-span-new, just out of their boxes—ready to brighten your holiday outfit and serve you all through the summer.

REDS FIRST AMONG COLORS FOR HATS.

Outside of the little acessories that go to make up the smart woman's costume such as the jewelry novelties in necklaces and bracelets, which always must harmonize or be in just the right color contrast to the blouse, it is the hat that is most closely allied and which must have proper color consideration in its relation to the blouse.

Colors for the fall promise to be just as varied and as intense as they have been in the past season as far as millinery is concerned, and in this regard there is much talk on the subject of all the red tones. Paprika, ember, cardinal and Bordeaux are the reds that have been spoken of mostly by those buyers and manufacturers returning from the Paris market.

There is also some little talk here of purple having a demand, and this is explained by the fact that the orchid and hyacinth colors have received so much attention for the summer season that the demand may later go to the deeper shades of purple. Red yellows and the mahogany tones are also in line for use, and there has been some discussion on the deep greens, it being said that some of the French milliners have already started to use these.

Will Probably Specialize in Pork.

Otto Grunt has just started in the meat business in Wisconsin.

So We Have Been Told.

The trouble with the modern female attire is that it leaves nothing to the imagination.

On The Farm Or In Town

THIS Bank endeavors to be unusually helpful to the farmer.

It is our suggestion that on the frequent trips to town you come in to visit us. We highly value our business relationship with the farmers of this vicinity. Make use of our banking facilities and business counsel to solve your problems.

The First National Bank

Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.

Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Thief River Cafe SPECIAL

25c Dinner 25c

MARKET DAY

MEALS LUNCHES ICE CREAM

At All Hours

E. M. STANTON JR., Prop.

REAL BARGAINS

--for Market Day

25% OFF on all Pants

Extra Quality Work Shoes $2.88

One lot of young men's double breasted suits--real values 25% OFF

OEN Mercantile Company

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

SPECIAL FOR BARGAIN DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 27

Men's Suits, one day only	$1.00
Ladies' Suits, one day only	1.25
Bath Robes, one day only	1.25

All work is handled by the latest methods known to the science of dry cleaning. A trial order will convince you.

THIEF RIVER DRESS CLUB

102 Main Ave. So.
Phone 42
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Two Slashing Specials

For Market Day

A flat discount of 20 per cent an all

Monarch Ranges

20 per cent discount on all

Bedroom Furniture

LARSON Furniture Company

Be sure to register here to receive 5 pounds of 45c "Red Label" Coffee for $1 AT

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS
MINNESOTA.
If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good.

Market Day, July 27

One Day Only

About 200 pair Men's fine grade Dress Shoes, Russian Calf, black and tan kids, in the latest wanted styles, all sizes.

While They Last

Your Choice

$4.95 PER PAIR

These are fine Shoes and formerly sold at $9, $10, $12 up to $14 per pair.

COME EARLY AND PICK 'EM OUT.

Don't forget to read our ad elsewhere in this issue for other big bargains.

DeCREMER'S Meat Market

216 Main Ave. N.

We carry a full line of Choice Beef, Pork Veal and Mutton

Home Made Sausage a Specialty

For Bargain Day only we will sell our best pure rendered

Lard, at per lb.	14c
Home-made Bologna sausage, lb.	15c

CANNED GOODS SPECIALS for Market Day

Fine quality canned corn 3 cans for	28c
Fine quality canned beans 3 cans for	28c

The best of everything in

GROCERIES

at prices that are always right.

CARL CHRISTOFFERSON AND COMPANY

SALES AGENCY FOR STOCK OPENS SOON

Drive to Centralize Co-OPerative Marketing Spreads to Wisconsin and Dakota.

The new livestock marketing agency organized by Minnesota farmers to centralize co-operative selling in the northwest will open for business on the South St. Paul market next month, W. A. McKerrow, manager, announced last week.

It will begin active operations with the expectations of handling 10,000 cars of stock in its first business year, Mr. McKerrow said. With 250 Minnesota co-operative shipping associations signed up as members of the new selling agency, its officers believe that amount of business assured.

Minnesota farmers once more have taken the lead in co-operative marketing enterprises, according to an announcement from state farm bureau headquarters. The new livestock organization this week became an interstate marketing agency when the work of organizing Wisconsin shippers to sell through the South St. Paul co-operative firm was begun. Shipping associations in South Dakota will be offered membership in the Minnesota agency next week, Mr. McKerrow said.

Lightning Strikes.

Lightning struck the barn on A. P. Hallstrom's farm during the electrical storm early Monday morning, killing one mule and causing some damage to the barn. No fire started from the bolt which was fortunate as the barn was filled with stock.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

New Executive Secretary For Health Association

The appointment of Dr. William F. Wild as executive secretary of the Minnesota Public Health association has been announced by Dr. C. L. Scofield, president of the Health association. Dr. Wild took office July 1, and succeeds Dr. H. W. Hill, who resigned to become director of the Institute of Public Health at London, Ontario, Canada.

The policy of the association to prevent disease, tuberculosis in particular, and to help every person in Minnesota to be healthy and efficient through demonstration, legislation, and education; that is, by demonstrating the methods of keeping well, by educating the public in the rules of health, and by securing the passage of laws which will provide for the protection of health, will be continued under Dr. Wild's leadership, the association states.

The past year's work has been marked for its accomplishments, according to the Executive Committee, the governing body of the association. 43,307 persons have been given expert medical examination and advice free in the 699 health clinics given under the auspices of the Minnesota Public Health association and the County Public Health associations; 200,000 school children have participated in the Minnesota Health Crusade and performed daily the 'health chores,' such as, washing the hands before and after meals, drinking a certain amount of water, sleeping the required number of hours each night with windows open, eating cereals and vegetables, brushing the teeth regularly and taking a full bath frequently; 172,000 pamphlets on health have been distributed; a health journal has been published each week and sent to 5,000 persons; talks on health given, and all forms of health work encouraged and assisted. During the last session of the legislature, the Minnesota bill for the protection of mothers and infants was sponsored and supported by the Minnesota Public Health association and became a law. This bill provides for the state acceptance of the Sheppard-Towner bill in the event of its becoming a law. Other bills relating to the advancement of public health, such as those providing for appropriations for the work of the tuberculosis sanatoria and the State Board of Health were actively supported.

The work of the Minnesota Public Health association and the County Public Health associations is supported by the annual sale of Christmas seals.

Rust in Polk County.

Reports of rust damage have been received this week, says the Crookston Times, and while the areas reported as affected have been limited, the damage where there has been any has been rather severe. Reports from the neighborhood of Angus place the damage as high as to affect a reduction of 50 per cent in yield. South of Erskine the damage is reported as 25 per cent. In all instances the damage has been reported on late grains only, the early grains being considered as wholly safe. Enquiry close about Crookston disclosed no material damages, although there were numerous indications of rust.

O. A. Larson, state grain inspector of Marshall arrived Thursday to relieve Mr. Keating, who started Saturday on his 30-day vacation. This is the first vacation Mr. Keating has taken for several years and expects to leave in a few days for Omaha, Neb.

Small Payment Down

$1 a Day
Buys a Ford

A Good Time
on Time

McFarland Auto Company
Thief River Falls, Minn.

MARKET DAY SPECIALS

One lot of Girls' Dresses in Ginghams. Sizes from 3 to 16 years. Values to $4.00 *$1.00*	One lot of Middies, values to $2.25 Market Day only *$1.00*	35c Women's Cotton Hosiery brown, black and white. 5 pair for *$1.00*

Your choice of any Spring and Summer
Coat or Suit in this Store

$15

40 Garments Involved

Garments that sold up to $59.50 will be cleared out Market Day at only $15.00.

The biggest bargain in town, sizes for all.

All displayed on one rack, all this spring's styles, no old stock. Come and get your garment. Only one garment to a customer.

The Sapero Co.
INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

Hotel Evelyn
European
Julien Provencher, Prop.
FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Prichard Company
Thief River Falls, Minn.

We have three new Maxwell Automobiles on hand which we will sell at a substantial discount. It will be worth your while investigating this offer.

MUSIC MUSIC MUSIC
While in the City

COME IN AND LET US PLAY THE LATEST PHONOGRAPH RECORDS FOR YOU—BY THE BEST KNOWN ARTISTS

Thief River Music Co.

Nortz Lumber Co.
Incorporated
Building Material
Coal - Wood

See us before you build. We can supply your wants no matter how large or small.

H. C. JOHNSON, Manager
123 So. Main Phone 110

Structural Steel
Reinforcing Rods
Concerte Culverts
Corrugated Culverts
Well Curbing

Minneapolis Bridge Company
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Engineers and Contractors of
STEEL, WOOD and CONCRETE BRIDGES
—Also—
Dealers in Coal and Wood

The Famous "Ajax" Blacksmith Coal
Hard and Soft Coal Wood

Northern Baking Co.
"City Bakery"
SPECIAL FOR MARKET DAY ONLY

Fried Cakes per dozen	18c
Cinnamon Rolls per dozen	15c

NO ORDER TOO SMALL—NONE TOO BIG
LUNCH—ICE CREAM
Dairy Lunches Served at All Hours

It Isn't Taught at School

There is one thing, not taught in schools, that every boy and girl needs to learn. That is the proper way to handle money.

Start each of your boys or girls with a savings account and find ways for them to earn money about the home. Let each one save their earnings for a bicycle, a camera, a calf to raise, or garden tools.

During their vacation let them learn to save.

First and Peoples State Bank
"The older we grow
The better our Bank"
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Deposit Purchasers Drawing Coupons Here
9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
MARKET DAY, JULY 27, 1921

For Market Day
Extra Special!

One lot Men's Suits, an extraordinary value, at
$19.55

LISLE UNION SUITS
Short sleeves, ankle length
At 79c Suit

Cooper Quality
ATHLETIC UNION SUITS
At 89c Suit

Men's All-leather Bicycle
WORK SHOE
$2.55

MEN'S OVERALL SPECIAL
Lot all sizes, great values at
90c

MEN'S SHOES
One lot Choc. Calf, rubber heel all-leather Shoe
$4.45

Charles Lieberman

HERMANSON Hardware Co.
Market Day Specials

Garland Ranges, regular	$100.00	$129.00
Garland Ranges, regular	135.00	117.50
Garland Ranges, regular	112.50	89.65
Garland Ranges, regular	98.50	77.25
Simmons Ranges, regular	110.00	76.45
3-tined Keen Kutter Hay Forks, regular	1.35	.97
Brooms at only		.49
Lantern Globes, 2 for		.25
Household Kalsomine Wall Finish, per pkg.		.55
Sanitary Dripping Pans, 2-pans for the price of one.		[illegible]

Oak Leaf
Automobile Casings

30x3½ Plain thread	$12.97
32x3½ Non-skid thread	18.25
31x4 Non-skid thread	19.97

Hermanson Hardware Co.
Phone 348 101 East 3rd St.

"THE LATCH STRING"

Round Robin Sale

Merchants Association Market Day

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Wednesday, July 27

5 lbs. of "Red Label" 45c Coffee for $1.00

1
Larson Furniture Co.
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

2
Loken Brothers
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

3
Hermanson Hardware Company
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

4
The Sapero Co.
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

5
Mogensen's
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

6
Simonson's Meat and Grocery
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

7
A. M. Langseth
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

8
Hall Brothers Co.
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

9
C. Froseth
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

10
Palace Clothing House
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

11
Lieberman Bros.
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

12
Rolland's City Meat and Grocery
"RED LABEL" COFFEE

Round Robin Coffee Sale

Follow any rotation you find convenient in getting the signatures of the above merchants. When all but Mr. Rolland have affixed their stamps, give the card to the person in charge at his store and you will be given FIVE POUNDS OF 45 CENT COFFEEFFOR ONE DOLLAR. This coffee is the famous RED SEAL and is sold every day by grocers at 45 cents per pound. THINK OF IT. You are getting five pounds of high grade coffee for less than the price of the cheapest brands handled. This offer is made possible by the sharing of the losses by the merchants whose advertisements appear on this page, the Thief River Grocery company, distributor of this coffee in this section, and the importers themselves.

Get your coffee card at any of these twelve stores, visit the other eleven and turn the card over to the party in charge at the Rolland store. You will not be asked to spend one cent for any other purpose. That is up to you. Pay your dollar and get a five pound can of 45 cent coffee. The regular price everywhere for this five pound can is $2.25—a clear saving of $1.25.

Cards Must Be Presented Between the Hours of 9 o'Clock A. M. and 5 P. M.

City Meat & Grocery

E. L. ROLLAND, Prop.
Phone 10

THE WOMAN WHO KNOWS

groceries and values is a constant visitor here. She is aware in the first place that she can rely absolutely upon the quality of things for the table. And she is quite sure that to seek lower prices for groceries of similar quality is perfectly useless. We shall be pleased to have you put our service to a test.

Market Day Specials

Fancy Pink Salmon 1 lb. can	18c
Extra Standard Tomato No. 3 can	19c
24 Bars Brown Soap at	$1.00
Fancy Blue Rose Rice 10 lbs. for	60c
Fancy California Prunes 10 lb. box	$1.20
5 lb. Pail Strawberry Jam at	$1.00
Giant Corn Flakes 3 pkgs.	25c
Fancy Home Cured Bacon per lb.	25c
"Liberty" Steak per lb.	15c
Beef Stew per lb.	10c

SHOP EARLY
Free Delivery to Every Part of the City.

MARKET DAY SPECIALS

7-ft. Grain Binders with Tongue Truck

$220.00

Put your fields in shape for a good crop next year by using a Massey Harris Quack Grass and Sow Thistle Cultivator, the only machine that will kill sow thistle.

Special for Market Day

$98.00

Rambeck & Stone Co.

Fall Tailoring Announcement

Our new fall tailoring samples are in—and it is an assortment to grow enthusiastic over. You'll be particularly pleased with the fine showing of tweeds and herringbones, and the new bluish-grey color—absolutely the latest thing in men's wear.

The Kleanall Co.

Market Day Special—Suits Sponged and Pressed 50c

Shoe Specials

July 27th

Men's Calf solid leather Dress Shoes in English medium or wide lasts. A $7.00 value, for this day only

$4.50

25% Reduction on all Women's White Pumps and Oxfords on Market Day only.

Many more Specials on our Bargain Counters.

Froseth Shoe Store

"RED LABEL" COFFEE

VALUABLE PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AWAY

Ten Food Articles Will Go to Visitors in City on Market Day—July 27.

In another column of this issue of The Times will be found a coupon which, when properly attested by some merchant advertising a Market Day Special, will entitle the holder to participate in the drawing to be conducted at the corner of Third and LaBree at 5:30 o'clock on Market Day. The lucky man on the first Market Day was L. W. Knadle, farmer, residing a short distance east of Thief River Falls. He received $25 in cash simply for taking the trouble to deposit the coupon as directed. Some other person will be the lucky one at this time.

This time the prizes take the form of food articles and there are ten of them. There is no cost of any kind connected with this matter. Simply make a purchase at the store of any advertiser in the Merchants' Special section of The Times, sign the coupon and deposit it at the First National bank before 3 o'clock on Market Day. The list of prizes will be found on the first page of this section.

THE BARGAIN-GIVERS.

Following is a list of the advertisers in the Merchants association supplement to The Thief River Falls Times. In every instance the reader will find something of interest and an opportunity for saving money. Read over the list and when you find your merchant's name look up his announcement to see what he has to offer as a special inducement on Market Day:

Loken Brothers.
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The Prichard Company.
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Chas. Lieberman.
Froseth's Shoe Store.
City Bakery.
DeCremer's Meat Market.
Bottem Hardware Company.
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.
McFarland Auto Company.
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Lambert's Drug Store.
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Hermanson Hardware Company.
Stebbins' Drug Store.
Peoples Co-operative Store.
Kleanall Company.
Johnson's Millinery.
First National Bank.
Mulry's Bazar.
Thief River Cafe.
Nevet's Jewelry Store.
Bredeson & Company.
J. C. Penney Company.
Thief River Music Company.
Brumund Hotel.
Thief River Theatre Company.
Oen Mercantile Company.
Northwestern Auto Company.
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Rambeck & Stone.
Laird's Specialty Shop.
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Thief River Grocery Company.
Thief River Dress Club.

Simple, But Important.

An expedient knowledge and practice of which has saved lives in the past and can save more in the future should be familiar to all motor car drivers. An automobile that stalls on a railroad crossing with the engine "killed" can be propelled out of danger by putting the gear in first speed and employing the self starter as the motive power. Any battery that is strong enough to operate a motor car for starting, ignition and lighting has power enough to move its car off any crossing. Hundreds of motorists have been killed because they were unfamiliar with this simple operation. A practice demonstration of it would prove the plan's efficacy and increase the confidence of the driver.—Sioux City Journal.

HOGS OPEN STRONG WITH CATTLE SLOW

Choice Light Hogs Go at $10 and Above—Rough Kinds Down to $8.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates and Minnesota Department of Agriculture.)

Monday's Closing—Cattle 2,500. Market closing steady to weak. Calves 1,100. Market steady, packer top $8.50. Hogs 7,100. Market steady to 25c higher, closing weak. Range $8 to $10.35, bulk $9 to $9.75. Sheep 600. Market on lambs 25 to 50c lower. Sheep steady.

South St. Paul, July 18—Although general cattle receipts were somewhat larger than last Monday, and killing classes sold on a slow, steady to weak market, no quotable loss in values was registered at the week's opening. Fed yearling steers and heifers mixed sold in last week's late trade up to $8.90, with several sales from $8.25 to $8.75 and heavy fed steers from $8 to $8.50. Similar grades were eligible to about the same money today. No fed yearlings sold, however, but some 1473 lb. averages were purchased by packers at $8. Bulk of the supply consisted of grass steers, which sold from $6 to $7.50. Practically no fed cows or heifers were offered, most of the grassy kinds on hand selling from $4 to $6, with a few up to $6.50. Canners and cutters are going from $1.50 to $3.25, bologna bulls, $3.75 to $4.75. Veal calves steady, packer top $8.50, seconds $5.50. Feeding steers sold steady to strong, a few good to choice kinds selling from $5.50 up to around $7. Stock steers from 750 pounds down sold strong to 25c higher, going largely from $3.50 to $5.50.

Market opened stronger on lightweight hogs, best lights going from $10 to $10.35, bulk of medium and heavyweights $9 to $9.75, and rough heavy packers down to $8. Good pigs mostly $9 to $9.25. Lambs opened 25 to 50c lower, good natives mostly $8, culls $4, ewes largely $2.50 to $3.50.

After Better Service.

At a meeting Wednesday evening, the Gonvick Community club strongly condemned the present freight, express and passenger service on the Duluth-Plummer Soo line. Officials of the club were instructed to inform railroad heads and the state warehouse commission that Gonvick had tolerated the inadequate service long enough and asked for immediate improvement through resolutoins which were adopted. It was pointed out that the curtailment in service has worked hardships and discomforts on the business houses of Gonvick and even caused loss in some cases. Other resolutions were passed enlisting the co-operatio nof commercial bodies of neighboring towns in this move to have the former good service re-established all along the line between Plummer and Duluth.—Gonvick Banner.

A Bargain in Prunes For Market Day

One lot Santa Clara Prunes 25 lb. box	$2.25
One lot Santa Clara Prunes 25 lb. box	$2.50

WHY PAY MORE?

Zeh & Curran
Consumers Wholesale Grocers

Exceptional Bargains for Market Day

Mercerized Damask, fine yarn weave; smooth satin finish, very good wearing quality, in very beautiful designs.

Regular $2.50, 72 in. wide
$1.98

Regular $1.50, 72 in. wide
$1.19

Regular $1.50, 66 in. wide
98c

18 in. Startex Toweling, part linen, in both warp and filling, good heavy weight, blue stripe border. Formerly 35c, very special for Market Day only
19c.

Many other bargains

M. N. Benson

At the LYCEUM

Sunday and Monday

"The Sky Pilot"

Just as Ralph Connor wrote it—with Colleen Moore, as Gwen, the mountain girl; with John Bowers, as "The Sky Pilot," who packs a punch in a fist and under his arm; with David Butler as big Bill the rancher, hard fighter but a regular guy.

Four thousand cattle in a stampede, charge straight for the little ranch girl who has fallen from her horse, while the Sky Pilot stands in the track of the approaching steers and risks his life to save the girl. It's a gasp you never had before, if you have read Ralph Connor's great story "THE SKY PILOT"

To meet the characters in reel life is a real delight.

This picture has been indorsed by members of International Committee of Y. M. C. A.

"The Sky Pilot" is a film of very good entertainment value, wholesome in character, and interesting to audiences of almost any age. The moral effect of this picture is good.

(Signed) MRS. R. C. SHALER,
Religious Work Dep't. Y. M. C. A.

It's a First National Picture.

Wednesday and Thursday

"The Mystery of the Yellow Room"

It is a mystery picture of absorbing interest. The mystery arises through the disappearance of a criminal from a room which appears to have no exit.

It's a Realart Picture

Northwestern Auto Co.

Thief River Falls

WILLARD SERVICE STATION, OVERLAND SERVICE STATION. TIRES and ACCESSORIES, GENERAL REPAIRING

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GOLDEN GRAIN JUICE

HERE IT IS

THE ORIGINAL

Health Beverage That Can Be Sold Any Day Anywhere

TRY A COLD BOTTLE OF

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AND IT WILL

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Thoroughly Fermented—the Real Lagered Brew

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Historical Society

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

BANNER FAIR OF NORTHWESTERN MINNESOTA OPENS DOORS WIDE WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 3

Every Indication Points to Record-Breaking Attendance and Facilities Are Provided By Fair Management to Care For Huge Crowds.

Exhibits in All Departments Promise to Excel Both in Quality and Number Those of Previous Fairs Held in Pennington County.

Just a few more days and the Pennington county fair will be on in full swing. Next Wednesday morning is the opening date of the greatest agricultural fair and industrial exhibition ever attempted in Northwestern Minnesota and indications are that all attendance records will be broken. The fair management and others responsible for preliminary arrangements have been hard at work for many weeks and everything to the minutest detail, has received the most careful attention. With the large list of entries in all departments and the exceptionally fine list of amusement attractions, nothing but a siege of extremely unfavorable weather can possibly keep the fair from being a complete success.

Splendid New Facilities.

By making use of the new exhibition hall, recently completed at the fair grounds, the management has a better opportunity than ever before to furnish adequate facilities for the proper display of all exhibits brought to the fair. The new building provides the necessary floor space to house every department properly. The woman's department, school and industrial exhibits are particularly well taken care of in the new structure.

The floral exhibit at the fair this year will undoubtedly be the best ever shown here, the cut flowers and potted plants to be grouped about the center pole in the new building. Exhibits should be brought in as early as possible on Wednesday morning, the first day of the fair. Each year has seen a steadily improving display of plants and flowers, and people have taken an active interest in the growth of new varieties.

Some Fine Livestock.

Prospects are for the best display of livestock ever shown here. All space in the barns has been alloted to exhibitors from all over this section of the state. Several animals from other counties and North Dakota are also to be brought here, according to Secretary Herbert Fuller.

Judging in this department will be done by men from the University of Minnesota who are experts in their line and able to mark the score cards according to the merits of the animals. Poultry and agricultural products will also be judged by special judges from the university farm.

Arrangements are now being made to have the Baudette band appear here during the fair. This is a high-class musical organization and no doubt will be accompanied by a large delegation of boosters from the country to the north of Thief River Falls.

The Goodridge band has also been secured, and this, in addition to the *Thief River Falls band*, which can always be depended upon to furnish the very best of music, makes this phase of the amusement program well provided for.

One Baseball Game.

Only one game of baseball is scheduled for the fair this year. On Wednesday afternoon St. Hilaire and Viking will stage a contest and both teams are determined that it will be a good exhibition of the national sport. Wednesday has been designated as St. Hilaire day at the fair, and people from that neighborhood propose to show their colors in no uncertain fashion.

Of free attractions more than the usual amount will be furnished this year. The Little Giant shows, a high-class carnival company, has secured permission to occupy a place on the grounds during the fair, and are said to feature some very creditable entertainments.

Fireworks a Feature.

However, the greatest free attraction of all is the exhibition of fireworks to be given Thursday and Friday evenings. This display is put on under contract with the largest manufacturer of fireworks in the world and is the most elaborate thing of its kind ever attempted in this part of the country.

Then the Ferris Wheel Girls, auto polo events, acrobatic stunts and everything of that nature without which a county fair would not be complete. These numbers are the best to be had and every attraction is guaranteed.

Special Culinary Awards.

The Calumet Baking Powder company is offering additional premiums on 27 articles in the culinary department, in all of which articles baking powder is an ingredient. The prizes offered are a one pound can of baking powder, for first, a half pound can for second and a quarter pound can as third prize. These prizes are in addition to the regular premiums given by the association.

First Grain of Season Marketed Here Tuesday

Two loads of rye, the first to be threshed in this vicinity this season, were marketed at the Hanson & Barzen elevator on Tuesday. The grain was raised on the farm of Ole Skaar, six miles west of Thief River Falls and was of very good quality.

Threshing throughout the county will become general within a few days, much of the rye being already in the shock. Some barley and early oats have also been harvested, but none has yet been threshed and brought to the local market. As a general thing, farmers report wheat, oats and barley as being considerably below an average crop, but with the excellent rye and good prospects for corn and flax, the average production on Pennington county farms will not be so bad after all.

FATS AND LEANS IN BASEBALL BATTLE

"Hey, Skinnay, We're Goin' Swimmin.' Tubby'll Also Be There. Oh, Boy!"

The first gun of the campaign for a swimming pool for Thief River Falls will be fired tomorrow, Friday night, at 6:15 o'clock at the fair grounds. It will be up to all of the people of the city to make this gun a regular Big Bertha. Thief River Falls needs a swimming pool in the worst possible manner and this is the golden opportunity for them to get out and support this worthy proposition.

All of the old timers that have the fondest recollections of the old swimming holes that they used when they were kids know what fun and joy the present kids are missing. They also realize the anxiety and anguish of fond parents that know their children are swimming in the treacherous river. As long as boys are boys they'll go swimming so that the present object is to provide an absolutely safe place for them to go. Every parent in the city should get behind this swimming pool and boost it through to completion.

In order to stimulate city-wide interest in this modern necessity a baseball game and band concert will be staged at the fair grounds Friday night. The game will be played between the Skinnays and the Tubbies, all of them old big league players. Without a question of doubt this will be the most interesting, exciting and enjoyable game ever played in this city. It is a real local game that promises to be the talk of the town for years.

It is up to each and every citizen to support this to the limit. A minimum charge of twenty-five cents will be made for all adults, children free, but there will be no limit to the amount that anyone can pay for his ticket. You won't miss a dollar or two for this cause and it will certainly be the best you ever spent. Bring the whole family.

The lineup as far as known at the present time is as follows:

SKINNAYS		TUBBIES
Herb. Keene	2b	F. F. Haynes
John Hendry	3b	Ole Ihle
Harry Protzeller	p	L. DeCremer
Fred Herrick	1b	Ed. Brevig
Doc. Adkins	ss	H. C. Johnson
Bob McGinn	cf	Doc. Booren
Chris. Storholm	lf	C. Andrews
Jesse LaBree	rf	H. Roberts
Charley Nason	c	E. Stanton Jr.
E. O. Mogensen	subs	C. Vorachek
H. Brumund	pinch hitters	Hap. Erickson
J. M. Bishop	Extra Base runners	C. L. Hansen
John Morgan	umpires	Dan Shaw

Come early and get a good seat.

MAKES SEARCH FOR BLACK RUST CAUSE IN COUNTY'S FIELDS

Expert to Cover Ground Thoroughly in Effort to Eradicate Barberry Bush.

A. P. Graham is here under the auspices of the farm bureau office this week to cover Pennington county in search of the common barberry bush. These bushes are the cause of the black stem rust of wheat and by their eradication this disease will be stamped out. The surrounding counties are being covered by state men so that by the end of summer it is hoped that the entire Red River valley will be free from this bush.

Mr. Graham came here from Red Lake county, where he found eight bushes of barberry, or enough to cause rust over a considerable area. The small spores blow to the barberry in the spring and there change to the red form. In this stage the wheat is infected by the wind blowing the spores from place to place. In the autumn the red spores turn black to pass through the winter on the straw and stubble, and in order to infect the wheat the following year must go to the barberry to undergo the transformation into the red stage.

In 1903 Denmark eradicated the common barberry and since then that country has had no epidemic of black rust.

Returns From Trip.

G. Howard Smith returned this week from Los Angeles, Cal., where he had been in attendance as delegate from the local lodge to the Elks national convention. From Los Angeles Mr. Smith enjoyed a motor tour into Old Mexico, and returned to Thief River Falls by way of San Francisco and Seattle. He covered a lot of ground and says he had a fine time.

ASKS CONGRESS TO HURRY HELP IN R. R. TANGLE

President Wants U. S. Corporation to Buy Securities to Pay Railroad Claims.

Federal Board Asked to Give Additional Relief to Farmers and Stock Raisers.

Plan Held Opening Way to Adjustment of Serious Economic Problems Soon.

President Harding on Tuesday in a special message asked congress to broaden the powers of the War Finance corporation so that it could give financial relief to the railroads and agriculture. He made this request in a short message addressed to the senate and house of representatives.

Mr. Harding gave only the bare outline of the plan he wants congress to approve. Details are to be given out later by the railroad administration.

Wants Relief for Farmers.

The president, however, made clear these salient points of his plan:

That the War Finance corporation be empowered to buy railway securities now held by the director general so that officials may have funds to settle with the railroads without dipping into the treasury.

That the powers of the corporation be broadened so that it can extend further relief to the livestock raisers and farmers.

Mr. Harding also revealed that to hasten a settlement with the government the railroads have consented to waive their claims based on the assertion that labor depreciated in value during government control and that the government should pay for this. The waiver, however, will not prejudice their rights if they should take their claim to the courts.

Sees Way for Adjustment.

Mr. Harding then explained that the government owed the railroads and the roads owed the government and that settlements have already been made for claims totaling $225,568,764.

"The way would seem clear to very early adjustment and relief except for the fact that the railway administration, though possessing assets, does not command the funds necessary to meet what will be its admitted obligations," the message said. The proposal that the war finance corporation be empowered to negotiate these assets was then made.

While the government is thus making payments to the roads, the roads' debt to the government will be funded—that is, payment spread over a period of years.

PROSPECTS BRIGHT FOR PAVING SOON

Attorneys having the paving matter in charge for the intervenor in the paving case are ready to file an appeal to the supreme court at once, the motion for a hearing to be made tomorrow. The case will be rushed through with all possible speed and it is anticipated that a decision will be rendered in sufficient time so as not to interfere with the delivery and sale of the city's bonds with which to finance the paving project.

It is understood that no difficulty other than the supreme court decision stands in the way of securing the money, the bonding company and its attorney having passed favorably on the contract recently entered into with the city.

With a favorable decision from the supreme court, which no one conversant with the case doubts for a moment will be forthcoming, the last remaining obstacle to the paving program will be removed and actual work will be undertaken at once. The more optimistic members of the city council believe that actual work can be started about Aug. 10.

FARM BUREAU'S FUTURE STATUS IS NOW SECURE

Adequate Support Pledged to Continue Work For Another Year Among Members.

Farmers and Business Men Give Generous Aid to Popular Local Institution.

Plan to Confine General Service For the Present to Members of Bureau.

The Pennington county farm bureau will not be discontinued, but will be maintained in the future by membership and subscription. During the past week a canvass of the county has been made and a large number of farm bureau enthusiasts have pledged sufficient support for the maintenance of the bureau for another year. Local farmers have come to appreciate the value of the farm bureau and do not propose to do without the valuable service furnished by the institution.

Service Curtailed.

Through the method of financing now followed, it will be possible to give service only to members of the farm bureau association, as they are the ones bearing the running expenses of the organization. In the past the expenses were partly paid by a county appropriation of $2,000 a year, which was an assessment of approximately 25 cents on the average per quarter section of land, or 1-30th of a cent per dollar in valuation.

At a recent meeting of the county commissioners the usual appropriation was refused, a majority of the board members holding to the belief that the farm bureau was not favored as a general thing among farmers and therefore not entitled to county aid.

Referendum Vote Taken.

The members of the county board who opposed the appropriation also based their action on a vote which was taken at the spring elections throughout the county, in which a majority was returned against county support of the bureau. At that time the work was much misunderstood and misrepresented in many localities, which accounts for the unfavorable attitude.

Later a second vote was taken, according to the request of the county commissioners, which resulted in a total of 514 in favor of continuing the appropriation and 51 against. Despite this overwhelming vote a majority of the board decided against county aid for the bureau. The vote carried in every commissioner's district. In the districts comprising North, Rocksbury and River Falls, not a single opposing ballot was cast.

It is to be regretted that the work of the farm bureau association cannot be carried on in as broad a scope as in the past and supported in the same manner as in neighboring counties. For the present, however, only members of the association can be given attention by the bureau, a service to which these men are entitled because they are paying for it out of their own pockets.

Sentiment throughout the county is so strong in favor of continuing county aid for the farm bureau that it is more than likely such aid will be forthcoming next year. At the present time 81 counties in the state and 42 states in the union are operating farm bureau associations under the system followed here in the past—expenses borne by membership fees and appropriations of county funds.

Aged Woman Committed to Hospital at Fergus Falls

Mrs. Johan Johanson, aged 61, for many years a resident of Thief River Falls, was on Monday examined as to her sanity and ordered committed to the state hospital at Fergus Falls for treatment. She was taken to Fergus Falls Tuesday afternoon.

The unfortunate woman has been acting queerly for some time, laboring under the hallucination that someone was trying to do her bodily injury. She finally grew so bad that relatives were unable to care for her and the authorities were asked to take her in charge. Except for this one particular delusion, Mrs. Johanson's mind does not appear to be badly affected and physicians believe a term of treatment in the state institution will serve to return her mind to a normal condition.

Augsburg Sextette to Sing Here Next Monday Evening

Lovers of music will be given another opportunity of hearing a splendid concert on Monday evening, Aug. 1, when the Augsburg Sextette is slated to appear at the Zion Lutheran church in Thief River Falls.

These singers come from Augsburg Seminary, Minneapolis, and are under the leadership of Prof. H. N. Hendrickson. They appear here in a sacred concert and the highly trained voices are said to be among the best in the Northwest. The singers render a program of solos, duets, quartette and sextette numbers, each man in the organization being an artist.

SEASON CLOSED BY BALL TEAM IN BIG VICTORY

Fast Drayton Team Shut Out in Fine Exhibition on Local Grounds Monday.

Salaried Players Are Discharged and Team Disbands After Successful Season.

New Club Composed of Home Players Continues to Represent Thief River Falls.

As a fitting conclusion for a very successful season, the Thief River Falls baseball team on Monday evening defeated the Drayton, N. D., team by a score of 5 to 0, in a high-class game played on the local grounds. Fedetolf did the pitching for Thief River Falls and performed faultlessly. His support all the way through was of the best and at no stage of the game did the Drayton lads stand a ghost of a chance of winning. Several errors on the part of Drayton in the early part of the game account in a large measure for the one-sided score.

Different at Drayton.

Last Friday evening the locals went to Drayton and were defeated by a score of 9 to 3. Jenkins, a pitcher hailing from Hallock, occupied the mound for Thief River Falls but was at the mercy of the Drayton sluggers from the start. All chance of victory for the locals was gone after a few innings of play.

Red Lake Falls fell an easy victim to the locals last Sunday afternoon in a game played on the Red Lake grounds. When the records were finally straightened out it was found that Thief River Falls had piled up a total of 23 scores, while Red Lake Falls had garnered 7. Keifenheim, who pitched for the down-river team, was at the complete mercy of Fox's sluggers from the start, the boys simply pounding him all over the yard and running wild. Brazel pitched for Thief River Falls and showed up in his usual excellent form.

Team Disbanded.

The salaried team of Thief River Falls is now a thing of the past, the organization having disbanded after the game on Monday. Several of the players have secured positions on other teams for the remainder of the season, some of them will remain here for the present and others have returned to their homes.

It was a good ball team and won more than its share of games played. The principal difficulty encountered by the management lay in booking a sufficient number of games to keep the boys busy. As the season advanced and other semi-professional teams in this section were disbanded one by one, it became apparent that the team could no longer be maintained and accordingly Monday's game was decided upon as the last of the season.

Home Boys Organize.

In order to keep Thief River Falls on the baseball map for a while longer, a team composed of home players was organized here last week. This team has played several games and seems to be able to deliver the goods in a highly satisfactory manner.

The management of the new team announces that a number of games have been booked with neighboring teams and fans will be given an opportunity to witness some real contests.

FRIENDS VERY KIND TO BADLY CRIPPLED SILVERTON FARMER

Show Benevolent Spirit By Rendering Substantial Aid in Time of Need.

John Hegrenes, Silverton township farmer, was a caller at The Times office on Tuesday. Mr. Hegrenes is just able to be about after having been confined to his bed for eight weeks as the result of an accident in which he sustained a badly fractured thigh. Although his injuries are healing as rapidly as can be expected it will be some time before Mr. Hegrenes is able to take his former place in doing the work on the farm.

But the afflicted man is fortunate in that he has a multitude of good friends and neighbors. Last Sunday a number of these gathered and tendered him a surprise party at his home, leaving as a token of their friendship a cash purse containing nearly four hundred dollars. This act, at a time when Mr. Hegrenes has been put to heavy loss through doctor's bills and hiring help in his place on the farm, is deeply appreciated. It was a neighborly thing to do and Mr. Hegrenes, though badly crippled, is happy in the thought that he lives among the best people in the world.

Enjoying Western Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Jacobson and daughter, who are making a tour of the West, in a communication to The Times this week, state they are having a very enjoyable vacation. At the time of writing they were in Seattle, taking in the sights and expected to continue their swing around the circle on the homeward trip within a few days.

Warren Team Disbands.

The semi-professional baseball team at Warren was disbanded last week and for the remainder of the season that city will be represented in the field by a team composed of all home players. Warren, in common with other towns of its size, found it difficult to carry the financial load incident to a salaried baseball team.

Claims Gopher Bounty.

A lad living on a farm near Mavie came to town yesterday with his parents to attend market day. The boy walked into the office of County Auditor T. P. Anderson, placed a bundle containing 156 gopher tails on the counter and wanted to know how much money he had coming as bounty. As the result of his prowess in hunting gophers, the lad has earned a five dollar bill, lacking a nickel.

AUTO RACES TO FURNISH SPORT HERE SATURDAY

Lovers of Speed to Be Provided Excitement Galore on Last Day of County Fair.

Several of Country's Fastest Drivers Are Slated to Appear on Race Program.

Keen Competition For Trophy Among Contenders For Dirt Track Victory.

With Saturday set by the sanction board of the International Motor Contest association as the last day for entries to be received for the auto race meet to be held Aug. 6, the closing day of the 20th annual Pennington county fair, events are rapidly taking final shape for the starter's flag. Not only has a track expert from Minneapolis been secured to take charge of the track work and put the oval in tip-top shape for the racers, but Secretary Fuller has also signed up some of the best dirt track stars of the country to compete for the $2,500 purse and bonus money offered.

With O. T. Barr, southern dirt track champion, clashing against such veterans of the racing game as Les Allen, Ted Rick, Cy Cobb and Rowe Brainerd, the people of the Northwest will witness the greatest display of speed ever put on in the state and a contest that will be a battle from start to finish. These pilots are bitter rivals for the championship trophy now on display in the window of E. O. Mogensen on Third street, offered by the Grand hotel of San Diego to the dirt track star corraling the most points in race meets during the 1921 season. Sig Haugdahl is leading the field at present by a narrow margin, with Barr and Allen tied for second only three points behind, and Ted Rick coming in a close third. Each driver hopes to jump to the lead at the end of this meet by adding the ten points offered to the winner of this race to apply toward the trophy.

But a feature event on the race program and the special attraction for the four days of the fair is the auto polo contest between the All-Americans and the Canadians. The All-American team, captained by Irwin Braitley, arrived in town yesterday and are overhauling their machines and making final preparations for the strenuous series ahead of them. They will clash every afternoon and evening beginning Aug. 3, and the result will no doubt have a bearing on the season's title, which is so hotly being contested for this year. Captain Dailey of the fast Canadian aggregation wired he would arrive Saturday with his crew to warm up to the location and get a line on the attack of the All-American team.

HOME BOYS WIN IN TUG WITH WARREN

Thief River Indians Give Good Account of Themselves in Contest Here Sunday.

Warren was taken into camp last Sunday afternoon by the Thief River Indians, the score being 9 to 4. Gulrud did the pitching for the locals while Guy Lane officiated behind the bat. This was the first appearance of the Indians on the local diamond and they gave a splendid account of themselves. There is an abundance of good material in the team and any club which scalps the Indians will know it has accomplished something.

A number of games have been booked with neighboring teams for the near future. Next Friday the boys go to Viking to try conclusions with the team representing that village, and the Vikings are said to be a fast bunch. Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the same club will meet the Indians on the local grounds for a second contest. Fans may feel assured of getting their money's worth at both events.

SECOND MARKET DAY GETS FINE POPULAR BOOST

Success of New Plan Assured By Gratifying Response to Many Bargain Offers.

Bad Weather in the Morning Keeps Down Crowds to a Certain Extent.

Business Men Put Shoulders to Wheel and Prepare For Next Regular Event.

Despite the threatening weather which prevailed Wednesday morning, a large number of people arrived before noon to take advantage of the bargains offered by Thief River Falls merchants on the *second market day* of the season. While the attendance was not as large as on the first market day a month ago, every business establishment in the city reports a good business. Merchants are unanimous in the opinion that market days are successful ventures and have already begun preparations for the next big event to take place in August.

Many Bargain Hunters.

One thing was particularly noticeable about the crowd which assembled yesterday. Every person apparently came for the purpose of securing his share of the bargains offered and supplied himself generously in all lines.

Many people were here from far outside of the regular trading territory of Thief River Falls and were well repaid for making the trip. They came because of certain bargains which local merchants had advertised and went away knowing they had saved real money by trading here.

No Auction Sale.

The free auction sale which was to have been held did not materialize because a sufficient number of articles was not brought in to make it worth while. Secretary Smith of the Merchants' association suggests that for the auction sale to be held next bargain day all articles to be sold should be listed in advance. In this way articles to be placed on sale may be included in the regular market day advertising and the event secure the necessary publicity to make it a success.

The free auction sale should prove a valuable feature when the public comes to realize what use can be made of it. In almost every household there are articles of little use which may be just the thing someone else wants. It is principally for the exchange of such articles that these auction sales are arranged.

A Coffee Day.

While the first market day was featured by the sale of large quantities of sugar, yesterday coffee was the staple which a large number of householders provided themselves with. In the "Round Robin" sale, with Rolland's store as the distributing point, nearly a ton of good coffee was sold at the rate of five pounds for a dollar.

Drawing Proves Popular.

The free distribution of prizes on the First National bank corner at three o'clock proved very popular. A throng of people was present in the hope that their names might be drawn from the ballot box. Following are the winners of prizes, and the names of the donors: 100 lbs. sugar, Mrs. Scott Laird, Loken Brothers; case tomatoes, Mrs. W. Jorde, Bottem Hardware company; box soda crackers, Henry Esplee, Christofferson & Co.; case corn, Mrs. Fred Protz, Lieberman Bros.; case peas, R. M. Nyhus, Hall Bros.; case prunes, P. A. Peterson, Hall Bros.; Sack Vivo flour, Mrs. Ellen Halvorson, Oen Mercantile company; case macaroni, Mrs. T. T. Tharaldson, Bottem Hardware company; case mason jars, Mrs. B. Saugen, Lieberman Bros.; box Spearmint gum, H. Saltveit, Chas. Lieberman.

New Features Planned.

Many new features are planned for the next market day, to be held on Wednesday, Aug. 24. Thief River Falls merchants propose to make it worth while for people from this entire section to visit the city on that day, and nothing will be left undone which might prove an inducement for them to come.

Valuable Service Provided For County Fair Visitors

Mrs. J. J. Richter announces that the Public Health and Child Welfare association will conduct a rest room in the Woman's building during the fair. Cots, baby cribs and cold water will be provided. In addition to this an information bureau and a "lost and found" station will be maintained.

Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, who is a trained nurse, will conduct practical demonstrations from 10 to 12 a. m. and from 2 to 4 p. m. each day. Her program includes: How to give first aid to a person taken from water; what to do in case of hemorrhage, fracture, etc. She will demonstrate baths of adults and babies, sterilization of milk, babies' feeding, how to give hot and cold packs, how to dress a cut and not infect it, and other home emergency measures.

Society and Club

Entertains

Miss Mary Prichard is informally entertaining a few of her girl friends at her home this afternoon in compliment to her guest, Miss Phonsie O'Neill.

Picnic Supper.

A delightful picnic supper was enjoyed at Squaw Point on Sunday evening by Misses Louise Majeres, Jeanette Oftedahl and Messrs. A. N. Dorn and A. E. Simons, the latter of Aberdeen, S. D.

Erickson-Dokken.

Oscar Erickson and Miss Margaret Dokken both of this city, were married on Wednesday afternoon, July 27, by Rev. T. E. Sweger at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Swanson.

Y. P. S. Picnic.

The Young Peoples' society of the Bethlehem congregation of the United Lutheran church will give a picnic Sunday Aug. 7th, at the H. H. Peterson farm northeast of Silverton. A program will be given and plenty of refreshments provided.

Parochial School Program.

The children who have been attending parochial school at the Zion Lutheran church the past month, will give a program in the basement of the church on Sunday afternoon, July 31. The program will be followed by light refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake. Everybody is invited.

Nurses Entertain at Party.

Misses Anna Skeim, superintendent at the Physicians' hospital and Ruth Bradley, assistant superintendent of the same institution, who have resigned their respective positions, were honor guests at a party given by the nurses at the nurses' home on Tuesday evening. The guests included the doctors and their wives.

First Birthday Party.

Eight little girls were guests of Mrs. E. L. Rolland at her home on Monday afternoon when she entertained in honor of the first birthday anniversary of her daughter, Eileen. The children frolicked on the lawn until the approach of the lunch hour at five o'clock. A feature of the lunch was a large birthday cake with one burning taper. Those present were Gladys Weeks, Ione and Ruth Loken, Ruth and Carmen Moline, Frances, Clara and Bernice Vigness.

Legion Auxiliary Meeting.

Annual election of officers was held at the last meeting of the Legion Auxiliary held at the Masonic hall on Tuesday evening. The following ladies were elected to serve the coming year: Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, president; Mrs. David Robinson, vice-president; Mrs. Roy Lambert, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, secretary; Miss Belle Hermanson, treasurer. The newly appointed executive board members are Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mrs. Crown and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson. A delightful lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Holmes-Conner.

On Friday, July 22, occurred the marriage of Miss Palnia Holmes of St. Hilaire and Chas. E. Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Conner, LaBree Ave. N., at the parsonage of the Trinity Lutheran church. Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of the church, read the service. Both young people are well known here and were graduated with the class of '17. Since that time the bride has been engaged in teaching school in South Dakota, while the groom is employed by the Soo railroad here. They will make this city their home. At present they are spending a two weeks honeymoon visiting with relatives at various points in the state.

League of Women Voters Picnic.

The picnic of the League of Women Voters which was arranged to have been held at Lovers' Lane was held in the Commercial club rooms instead, because of the threatening weather. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, retiring county chairman, gave a brief outline of the work the league has been doing throughout the year and the work that would be carried out the coming year, which will be the influencing of the project "Limitation of Armament," the support of child welfare work and political education. Two new officers were elected, Mrs. E. M. Stanton as county chairman and Mrs. C. E. Glines as city chairman. Miss Doris Halvorson very graciously favored the club with two piano selections, which were greatly appreciated. The question of raising money was also brought before the league. In addition to the subscription which the county must submit per year it was decided to hold social affairs in the future for the purpose of raising money. A picnic lunch concluded a successful meeting.

Larson-Hanson.

A wedding of particular interest to residents of Thief River Falls is that of Miss Harriet Gertrude Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Hanson, Minneapolis, to Clarence M. Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson, of this city. The ceremony occurred at the Central Lutheran church, Minneapolis, on June 29, with Dr. J. A. O. Stubb, officiating. Dr. Larson is well known in this city, having completed his high school course here. He is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and is now practicing medicine in the above named city where he is associated with Dr. Theo. Tennyson. Although having practiced but a comparatively short time, he already has acquired a large and rapidly increasing business. Mrs. Larson is a graduate of the nurses' training school of the Minneapolis Swedish hospital. Dr. Larson has taken his bride on a two weeks' automobile trip which will be spent in visiting various points in Minnesota and Wisconsin, after which they will return to Minneapolis where they will be at home at the Curtiss hotel, after Aug. 1.

City News

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nels A. Nelson on Monday morning, but lived only a few hours after birth.

Francis Burns, who had spent a week visiting friends at Detroit and Itasca State Park returned to this city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter Jeanette and C. L. Hansen drove to Grand Forks and Maple Lake this morning to spend the day visiting friends.

Mrs. Claude Gray of Washington, D. C., arrived last evening and will be the guest of her friend, Mrs. Emil Zeh for a week. Mr. Gray is captain in the regular army and is stationed at the above named place.

A party composed of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, their two sons, the former's father, Wm. Froehlich of St. Clair, Minn., and the latter's mother, Mrs. B. Grout of East Alburgh, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre, Miss Avis Akre, and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson motored to Winnipeg this morning and will remain there with friends until Saturday.

Auction Sale Aug. 1.

A quantity of household goods will be sold at the creamery, beginning at 1 o'clock sharp. Come and look these things over. All good stuff and a bargain.

E. ENGSTROM, Owner,
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Piano Tuning.

A. E. McIntyre, the well-known piano tuner, will be in Thief River Falls on or about the middle of August. Those wishing their pianos tuned leave orders at Larson Furniture Co. Twenty years of experience, work guaranteed and country and near-by village orders given prompt attention. 26

Wrist Watch Found.

The wrist watch lost by Mrs. C. O. Johnson while she was witnessing the sports program at the Community Club picnic a few weeks ago, was found recently in a peculiar manner. Pete Burstad was milking a cow in the pasture and she appeared to be favoring one foot, so Mr. Burstad investigated and found the watch wedged between the two parts of the hoof. The watch was uninjured and started running as soon as wound.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Soo Takes Over Road.

The Soo line will take over and operate the property of the Wisconsin & Northern railroad company on Aug. 1, according to announcement by Edmund Pennington, president of the Soo, this week. The line saves 113 miles for shipments from Canada and the Michigan peninsula coming down over the Soo through Neenah, Wis., to Chicago.

Swed. Evan. Mission Church—Services next Sunday. Morning service, 11:00; evening service, 8:00; Sunday school, 10 a. m. Young Peoples' meeting next Tuesday, 8:00 p. m.

BAD STORM SWEEPS DAKOTA ON MONDAY

Farmer Killed By Lightning. Bolt Destroys Three Elevators as Flames Spread.

One death and a property loss of $275,000, including three elevators, is the toll estimated after storms near Mandan, N. D., Monday night. There was a cloudburst at Mandan and McLean county also suffered heavily.

August Marks, farmer, living nine miles northeast of Underwood, was killed by lightning while returning from the fields and a horse he was riding also was killed. His young daughter, who was riding another horse, was not injured.

Lightning struck the Occident elevator at Turtle Lake, starting a fire which destroyed it and the Farmers' elevator and Andrews Grain company elevator, to which the flames spread. Another elevator caught fire, but the flames were extinguished. The loss is estimated at $60,000 to $75,000, according to information from Turtle Lake.

Some basements were flooded in Bismarck during a heavy rainstorm at midnight in which 1.28 inches of rain fell in about three hours, but no other damage was reported there.

Under cloudless skies, citizens of Mandan on Tuesday began taking stock of damage wrought by the cloudburst which sent water rushing from the hills surrounding the city through streets with the speed of a millrace, to a depth of three feet. Water in basements of hotels, department stores and other business houses is believed to have caused a loss which will total $100,000, while as much more loss was caused to homes, city property, street paving and sewers. Every house in the city was damaged.

In the higher sections, sewers backed up and flooded cellars, while in the level section water filled the streets, overran the lawns and seeped into windows.

The storm covered a territory from Glen Ullen to Mandan, a distance of 50 miles, and according to meager information available, was 15 to 20 miles wide.

At Lyons the storm ripped a hole 100 feet across in a high bank, picked up thousands of tons of sand and spread it over the main line of the Northern Pacific. Coast bound No. 3 ran to the edge of the cut, found the sand and returned to the city. A force of 100 section men had the track cleared in about four hours.

LEGION COMMANDER GIVES OPINIONS ON COMPENSATION LAW

Feels That Government Will Sooner or Later Pass Desired Soldier Relief.

"Senator Kellogg's speech on the adjusted compensation bill carries a considerable measure of satisfaction for the ex-service men, although the American Legion of this state was strenuously opposed to the postponement of the measure and believes it could and should have been enacted now," said A. S. Vernon, Department Commander of the American Legion.

"Senator Kellogg recognizes the justice of the adjusted compensation bill and gives assurance of its passage as soon as the Legislation requested by the President is disposed of. Personally, I know that Senator Kellogg is a sincere friend of adjusted compensation, and will do everything in his power to secure its early enactment. I appreciate that a very delicate situation was created by the President's request and I am glad that Senator Kellogg served notice that adjusted compensation is just and fair, that the bill must be passed as soon as the legislation requested by the president is disposed of, and passed with appropriations, so that, even though postponed, its provisions may become effective as soon as if it were enacted now.

"Ex-service men generally, I think, fully understand that the pending bill levied no taxes, carried no appropriations, and that its provisions would not be effective until July, 1922. But, they felt the measure recognized the justice of adjusted compensation, fixed fairly and equitably the basis of that adjustment and know that, with the obligation established, congress would find a way to provide funds to carry out its provisions. The tax levies and appropriations originally contained in the bill were omitted at this session, as the Legion understood, because congressional leaders felt the better course was to enact the measure and fix the country's obligation and have the general fiscal legislation provide the necessary funds for adjusted compensation, as well as other expenses of the government. In calling attention to these features of the bill, Senator Kellogg shows that the measure carries no present financial menace to the country and that the advocates of the measure had allowed time for the enactment of the legislation, requested by the president, and the adjustment of the fiscal problems of the government, before any payments were to be made under the adjusted compensation bill.

"My information is that the sentiment in Washington and in both branches of congress, is strongly in favor of the adjusted compensation bill and I am confident that a satisfactory measure will be enacted to take effect just as soon as if the pending bill had been passed now."

Home Brew Recipe.

Those who are intending to make some home brew will be pleased with the following recipe: Chase a wild bull-frog three miles and gather up the hops. To the hops add the following: 10 gal. tan bark, one-half pint shellac, 1 bar home-made soap. Boil the mixture 37 hours, then strain through an I. W. W. sock to keep it from working, then bottle and add one grasshopper to each pint to give it the kick.

Barberry in Red Lake.

Common barberry bushes were discovered on a Lambert township farm last week by Wm. P. Graham, state barberry inspector, working for the department of agriculture of Minnesota. This is the second farm in Red Lake county on which barberry has been found.

COAL DEALERS WILL ANSWER QUESTIONS

Wholesalers and Retailers Summoned to Appear Before State Investigators.

Wholesale and retail dealers in coal will be called before the state department of agriculture at public hearings next week to give information as to coal supplies and prices, it was announced on Tuesday. "We hope to have the matter cleaned up and a report for the governor in about 10 days," said J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture. Commissioner N. J. Holmberg is absent on business, but work is under way framing the information that coal dealers will be asked to give.

Mr. Hay said that the Wisconsin authorities will be asked to co-operate because of the coal docks at Superior, which supply a large part of Minnesota's coal.

Congressman Frank Clague of the second Minnesota district has written a letter to the department of agriculture, received today, telling of efforts being made at Washington to obtain a reduction in freight rates on coal. He has the signatures of the house members from Minnesota and both Dakotas, he says, to a petition addressed to the interstate commerce commission, and they will take the matter up with Herbert Hoover and try to get the help of his department.

Mr. Clague said he had word from Luverne that retail dealers there are paying $19 for hard coal, with the threat that prices will be higher this winter unless consumers buy now.

Odd Fellows Entertain Grand Lodge Officials

A large meeting of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs was held Monday evening in I. O. O. F. hall, the lodge having as guests of honor Grand Master J. O. Werntz of Moose Lake, and his wife, Grand Chaplain of the Rebekahs. The grand officers are on a tour of the state and plan to pay an official visit to each lodge once a year.

The session Monday evening was an open meeting, at which both Odd Fellows and Rebekahs were present. Grand Master Werntz is an excellent speaker and gave a very interesting talk, taking as his subject "Fraternity." Mrs. Werntz also favored those present with a brief address.

At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served and a social good time enjoyed. A visiting delegation of Odd Fellows from Argyle was entertained by the local lodge and felt well repaid for the long drive necessary in order to be present.

Notice to Farmers.

The A. G. Sandberg Elevator company is prepared to take in grain at the old Tessum elevator. Highest prices and grades will be maintained. Also a full line of flour and feed at reasonable prices. Give us a trial. Phone 404.—Advertisement.

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Will find many bargains at our store, priced similarly to those of Market Day. The muddy roads prevented many from getting into town and not wishing to disappoint our many regular customers we have decided to give all who call on Aug. 3, 4, 5 or 6 the same privileges as we did Market Day.

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CHILDREN'S ROMPERS and Wash Suits 73c to $1.98 Best Materials Plain and fancy colors.

WOMEN'S OXFORDS and Strap Pumps $1.98 to $5.90 Low, medium and high heels. Black, brown and white Shoes for Summer wear.

Women's White SPORT SKIRTS 98c

LADY-LYKE CORSETS 98c Also qualities at $1.49 $1.98, $2.25, $2.49, $2.98

MEN'S DRESS SHOES $3.50 to $7.90 New styles in black and brown.

MEN'S WORK SHOES $2.39 to $2.98 All solid leather. Single or double soles.

83c	A little price too, for a GILLETTE Brownie RAZOR, with 3 blades.	83c
25c	MEN'S SUMMER TIES, all new colors, plain, fancy and polka dots.	25c
10c	MEN'S ROCKFORD SOX Firmly woven, durable heel and toe.	10c
49c	MEN'S BLUE CHAMBRAY SHIRTS Double stitched, full cut, extra quality.	49c
85c	MEN'S WORK GLOVES Leather, in wrist and Gauntlet style.	98c
19c	MEN'S and BOYS' HARVEST Straw HATS All styles, excellent values.	45c
49c	BOYS' BLUE CHAMBRAY SHIRTS For Work and Play. Full cut, good materials.	49c

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City News

Carl Gulrud spent the week end visiting with friends at Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Curran drove to Red Lake Falls Sunday to attend the ball game.

Guy Hinton drove to Red Lake Falls Sunday afternoon to attend the baseball game.

Henry Aasted of Detroit spent a few days here the first of the week, visiting friends.

Miss Madeline Thill left Thursday afternoon for Crookston on a brief visit with relatives.

Drs. M. G. Milan and G. W. Booren, attended the ball game at Red Lake Falls on Sunday.

Miss Hattie Etka of Red Lake Falls spent Sunday here as the guest of Miss Rhoda Finberg.

Miss Agnes Aasted of Detroit is in the city visiting at the home of her friend, Miss Helen Strand.

Miss Anna Strand left Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks to attend the state fair a few days.

T. L. Melgaard and Norman Holen motored to Argyle on Thursday to attend to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek returned Sunday from a weeks' visit with relatives at Mahnomen.

Miss Phonsie O'Neil of St. Paul arrived here Monday morning for a visit with friends and relatives.

Misses Marian and Ella Miller returned Saturday from a two weeks' sojourn at Lake Shoreham, Detroit.

Mrs. J. N. Nesse and children left Thursday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. C. Canning left Thursday afternoon for Fargo where she will spend a week visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Ben Christianson of Minneapolis, is in the city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. Finberg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre and daughter Ardith, attended the ball game at Red Lake Falls on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and daughter Margaret visited the boy scouts' camp at Union Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Tandberg and son Alvin and daughter Agnes, who had spent a week at Pine City, returned to this city Monday.

B. M. Higgenbothum, C. G. Buse, L. E. Healy, W. H. Fisher, all of Red Lake Falls, were in the city on business Thursday.

Miss Gladys Thompson, who is employed in this city, left Thursday morning for Holt to spend a few days visiting her folks.

Mrs. F. S. Whithey of Crookston, spent the time between trains as the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Knudsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simonson and son Billy of Crookston, were over Sunday guests of his brother, C. S. Simonson and family.

Mrs. Aug. Holmberg left Thursday morning for Middle River where she will remain for some time on their farm near that place.

Miss Gladys Black of Grand Forks arrived here Monday morning for a visit with Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichammer.

Miss Irene Melgaard of Minneapolis who is spending the summer with her folks at Maple Lake, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Misses Emma, Ida and Esther Tandberg who have been attending the Teachers' college at Moorhead, returned to their home here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Halbert, who had spent two weeks visiting relatives at Pittsburg, Pa., returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Norman Holen and Ed. Brevig drove to Maple Lake on Saturday and visited at the Melgaard cottage, returning to this city on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson and family, motored to Red Lake Falls Sunday to attend the ball game.

Miss Gilma Ostvaldson who has been employed in Minneapolis for several months, returned to this city Thursday morning and will remain indefinitely.

Carl Sundahl and Rolf Rassmussen drove to Warren Thursday evening and were guests at dinner at the home of Judge and Mrs. Andrew Grindeland.

Miss Senora Simonson, who had spent a few days last week visiting at the home of her brother, C. S. Simonson, returned to her home at Ada on Thursday.

Miss Florence Petri, of the Salvation Army, who had spent a three week's vacation at her home at Jamestown, N. D., returned here on Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Granum, who had spent a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum, left on Monday morning by car on a two week's camping trip.

F. A. Tripp, instructor of Agriculture the past school term, left Thursday evening for his home at Minneapolis where he will spend the remainder of his vacation.

Miss Helen Norquist, nurse at the local hospital, is enjoying a 16-day vacation. She left Monday morning for Middle River where she will be the guest of her friend, Miss Bertha Olson.

C. L. Hansen returned Monday from Grand Forks and Maple Lake, where he had spent the week end. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter, Jeanette.

Miss Mollie Hermanson, who is taking a course in nursing at the Physicians' hospital, left yesterday morning for Duluth, where she will spend a week visiting relatives and friends. Before returning here she will also spend a few days in the Twin Cities.

A. J. Anderson of Grygla was a business caller in the city on Tuesday.

Miss Clarice Anderson of Wylie, visited with friends here on Saturday.

R. Bonde of Minneapolis spent the first of the week here on matters of business.

Miss Olga Sortland will leave Saturday for Minneapolis to attend to business matters.

Olaf Sivertson left Saturday morning for Strathcona to spend a few days with friends.

A. E. Simons of Aberdeen, S. D., spent the week end as the guest of Miss Jeanette Oftedahl.

Miss Bergith Aaberg left Saturday for Starbuck where she will spend two weeks visiting her parents.

Miss Helen Erickson of Red Lake Falls attended to matters of business here between trains on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Burkness, who spent a few days visiting friends at Holt, returned to this city Saturday.

Miss Maybelle Swanson, who had spent six weeks at summer school at Moorhead, returned to this city on Saturday.

Miss Margaret Thier, who had spent her vacation with her parents at Middle River, returned to this city on Saturday.

Miss Lillian Hoard, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Iver Ottem at St. Thomas, returned home last week.

Mrs. Julian Provencher returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives and friends at Fargo and Breckenridge.

Miss Olga Sortland returned last week from St. Thomas, N. D., where she visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Iver Sortland.

Steve Warring and two daughters, Pearl and Ruby, of Steiner, were in the city on Monday attending to matters of shopping.

Mrs. Ray Thuse and two children, who had spent some time visiting her parents at Gatzke, returned to this city on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Bernice Paskewitz who had visited with her parents at Grygla, left this city Saturday afternoon for Fargo, where she is employed.

Miss Alvilda Aaberg, who is employed here, left Saturday morning for a visit with relatives at Superior, during her two week's vacation.

Mrs. John Rolland and two children left Thursday afternoon for Crookston where they met Mr. Rolland, returning to this city on Saturday.

Mrs. G. Howard Smith and daughter, who had spent a month visiting relatives at Minneapolis, returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Mrs. E. L. Helgeland and four children are visiting with relatives at Crookston, Climax and Grand Forks. The trip will cover a period of a month or six weeks.

Miss Elfreda Knudsen, who is taking a nurses' course at the General hospital at Minneapolis, is spending a month's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Knudsen.

Misses Violet and Bessie McMillan of Lancaster, who had attended summer school at Moorhead, arrived on Saturday morning and spent a few days as guests at the H. Mathew and C. Ohm homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Molstad and baby of Steiner were in the city Saturday, attending to shopping. They will leave this week for Clearbrook to visit relatives of the former for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Sheedy and three children arrived the last of the week by car from their home at Gretna, Manitoba, for a few days' visit with the former's brother, Wm. Sheedy and family.

Mrs. H. W. Hamer and two children of Kenmare, N. D., who are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Doland, returned on Tuesday morning from a week's stay with relatives at Grand Forks.

Misses Ellen and Ruth Linstrom, Alpha Johnson of Hoffman and Mamie Kroeler of Minneapolis, who are making an auto tour of this section of the state, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rolland over Sunday. The young ladies have been fortunate in making the entire trip without any difficulties. They left Monday morning for their respective homes.

Mrs. Louis Hanson and two daughters of Minneapolis and Mrs. P. O. Myhrum and son of this city, left Sunday morning in the Myhrum car, driven by Carl Sundahl, for Minneapolis. Mrs. Myhrum and son and Mr. Sundahl will remain for a week's visit with relatives. Mrs. Hanson and daughters had visited relatives here for a month, previous to their departure.

Mr. and Mrs. Yotter and the Misses Yotter, who are their guests, spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

F. C. Niclai left Monday morning for Baudette where he will spend a few days on business.

Mrs. F. E. Hunt, who had spent a week at the Hunt cottage at Maple Lake, returned to this city on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Aufeldt and children and Henry Aufeldt, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Mrs. Anna Dock left Saturday evening for Minneapolis where she will spend a couple of weeks visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen returned the latter part of last week from a trip to the Twin Cities and Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. LaBree have as their guest this week the former's sister, Mrs. John Rogers, of Mowbridge, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ostvolden, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson and Miss Gilma Ostvolden, autoed to Grand Forks Friday to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Klungness and children and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rayson and children are enjoying a ten day outing at a lake near Henning.

Mrs. Lou Cohn and daughter Betty returned Sunday from Minneapolis where they spent a period of two months visiting her parents at White Bear Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Beckman and daughter Katherine, arrived here last week for a visit at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brokke.

Mrs. Iver Ottem and son Frances, of St. Thomas, N. D., spent last week visiting at the home of her father, A. Storland. Mr. Ottem spent Sunday with his wife and son.

Miss Gladys Anderson returned on Saturday from a two weeks' vacation which was spent in taking a trip on the Great Lakes and visiting friends at Superior and Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Richards and daughter Ethel, Mrs. Thyra Snyder and son Donald and Fred Hoyes, the latter of Warroad, motored to Grand Forks Thursday to attend the fair.

Mrs. Alice B. Kratka arrived this week from Bakersfield, Cal., where she had spent several months with a son and will remain here indefinitely with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gobler.

Geo. Aspelund, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. A. Aspelund and sister, Mrs. T. Rierson and baby, drove to Grand Forks on Friday to attend the fair and also visit friends. They returned to this city the first of the week.

Mrs. A. H. Aldrick of Robert, Wis., who had spent a week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bernhard Olson of Strathcona, who was a patient at the local hospital following an operation, returned to her home the latter part of last week. Mrs. Olson had sufficiently recovered to return to Strathcona on Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, member of the state executive committee of the Legion Auxiliary and son Morlan, member of the state executive committee of the American Legion, left by car on Friday for Winona where they will attend the annual convention of the American Legion and the Auxiliary held there on August 1, 2 and 3.

Luke Bourque spent Sunday visiting friends at Maple Lake.

Mrs. Albert Sivertson of St. Hilaire, shopped between trains here on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Wm. Herrick left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

M. M. Johnson left Sunday evening for the Twin Cities where he will spend several days on business.

L. Schroeder who has been playing with the local ball team the past season, left Tuesday for Minneapolis.

John Alderman of Crookston is in the city this week as the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Mattson.

F. F. Haynes returned to this city on Monday after spending a few days at Mason City, Ia., on business matters.

Morris Mabey left Saturday evening for Lake City where he will spend some time visiting his grand parents.

J. Brandt and Z. Tallion, members of the local ball team the past season, returned to Minneapolis on Tuesday evening.

Miss Myrtle Pangston and Ralph Pawell of Warren visited in this city Tuesday with Miss Pangston's cousin, Mrs. Elmer Ohm.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ohm and Mr. and Mrs. Ole J. Erickson motored to Maple Lake in the Ohm car Sunday and spent the day there.

Norbert Holzknecht and Bernhard Barzen returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where they had spent a day visiting friends.

Fred Will, Wm. Alexander, Lee Ihle, Walter Erickson and Leo Garvey, motored to Red Lake Falls on Sunday to witness the ball game.

Miss Alice Tyson, who is employed here, went to her home at Rollis yesterday morning to remain at the home of her parents for a while.

Miss Leona Bourque, who has been nursing at Lankin, N. D., arrived here Friday evening and will spend some time visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Biddick and daughter, returned Friday from a visit with relatives and friends at Wadena, Elk River and Big Pine Lake. The trip extended over three weeks.

Mrs. A. M. Arpin, formerly of this city, now of Minneapolis, left the first of the week for Spokane, Wash., where she will spend some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hansen, nee Ardith Arpin.

Elnor Overland, who has been employed in Minneapolis since the close of St. Olaf college, arrived here the first of the week to spend the remainder of his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Overland.

A. M. Bakke, employed in the ad room of the Minneapolis Journal, was a caller at The Times office yesterday. Mr. Bakke, in company with a friend, was on his way to Malcolm to spend a few days with old acquaintances, making the trip via the motor route.

Mrs. Cora Wold and daughter Lois and guests Misses Lucille Burns of this city and Helen Mellby of Grand Forks, drove up from Maple Lake on Tuesday and were guests at the M. C. Burns home, returning to the lake in the evening. Misses Burns and Wold have accepted positions as teachers here for the next term.

Henry Koop of St. Hilaire was an over Sunday guest of friends here.

Axel Nelson of Holt was a business caller in this city on Thursday.

Miss Gladys Rogers of Warroad was a guest of friends here yesterday.

M. O. Johnson of Alvarado attended to matters of business here on Tuesday.

Chas. Olson of Warren spent Friday in the city attending to matters of business.

M. Halgrimson of Roseau spent Tuesday in the city attending to business affairs.

John J. Stokey of Argyle was in the city over Sunday visiting with local friends.

Miss Marie Morck came down from Holt on Friday to spend a brief time visiting friends.

Glenn Morris of Warren was in the city the latter part of last week on business matters.

E. G. Gustafson came down from Strathcona yesterday to attend to matters of business.

Mrs. I. A. Larson and little son are spending the week visiting her parents at Ashland, Wis.

Misses Tillie and Hazel Gunderson of Oslo arrived here Friday evening for a brief visit with friends.

John Sorenson, Joel Shoberg and Esther Leyden spent last Sunday at St. Hilaire and Red Lake Falls.

Miss Viola Benson of Greenbush spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting friends here.

L. Osland of Pitt arrived here yesterday afternoon to spend a short time attending to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and children left yesterday morning for Rosewood to spend a few days with relatives.

Georgine Anderson and Selma Sjoquist both of Strandquist, spent a few days the first of the week visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Barzen have as their house guest this week Miss Viola Blom of Milwaukee. Miss Blom will remain here for two weeks.

Matt, Carl and E. Johnson, Mrs. Ed. Evenson and Christine Nelson, all of Barnesville, drove to this city on Tuesday and spent a day with friends.

Misses Clara and Ella Anderson and Mrs. J. Anderson, all of Jelle were visitors here on Friday evening. The two former had completed a term of school at Bemidji.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kline and daughter Audrey drove to Grand Forks Saturday to take in the last day of the fair. They remained over Sunday as the guest of friends, returning to this city on Monday.

Mrs. C. E. Russell of Superior, Wis., is in the city this week as the guest of her friend, Mrs. H. O. Loken and sister, Miss Effie Christianson.

Irvin Miller arrived this week by car from Franklin county, Iowa, and is visiting his father, L. E. Miller, who resides on a farm three miles north of Thief River Falls. The young man may decide to remain here permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Sorenson, their daughter Lillian and son Lloyd, left Saturday on their return to Balfour, N. D., after a visit at the John P. Swanson home north of Thief River Falls. Mrs. Sorenson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Swanson.

Mrs. H. O. Loken motored to Maple Lake on Tuesday. Returning she was accompanied by Miss Effie Christianson and sister, Mrs. C. E. Russell and two children of Superior, Wis., who had sojourned at Maple Lake for a period of two weeks. Mrs. Russell will be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loken while in the city.

Miss Edith Sorenson of Valley City, N. D., is a guest this week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. T. S. Brokke.

Life is what you make it. To make it truly successful you should take a course in the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.—Send for catalog.

Mrs. Jessie Cates, who had spent six weeks attending the summer session at the Teachers' college at Bemidji, visited here between trains yesterday on her way to Rollis to attend to matters of business before returning to her home at Litchfield. On her return she will be accompanied by her daughter Doris, who had spent a month visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Prunella Williams, at Rollis.

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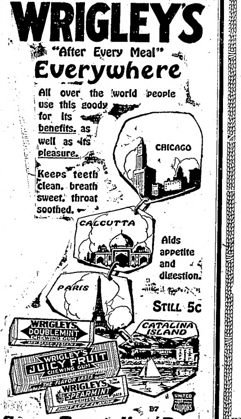

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Third performance, 8 p. m., Aug. 4th
Fourth performance 3 p. m. Aug. 5th
Fifth performance, 8 p. m., Aug. 5th

This will be a Style Show of decidedly uncommon attraction, taking place in the beautiful new Woman's Fair Building and will be staged on walks built especially for this Style Show. Eighteen models have been selected for this display, each representing a distinct type of Northern Minnesota beauty. We believe that styles should be adapted to the types for which they were intended; accordingly garments will be shown on models which would "carry off" these garments most appropriately—most artistically. You will notice the individuality possessed in every garment and hat shown, that divines that beauty lies not merely in the garment or hat, per se, but in the manner of its wearing.

To see this Style Show is to see the finest advance fall and winter fashions, expressed here from New York, Cleveland and Chicago especially for this show. Identically the same styles as shown at the New York and Chicago Style Shows.

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THE SINCEREST FLATTERY.

A wise man once said that "imitation is the sincerest flattery." And it is generally conceded that he knew what he was talking about. When an idea or a thing has sufficient merit to be imitated, that idea or thing is in very little danger of being abandoned as a mistake or failure.

When the merchants of Thief River Falls got together early in the season and made plans for a series of special market days to be held during the summer, they felt reasonably sure of having originated a good idea. The unquestioned success of the first two of these events is sufficient proof of the soundness of the plan.

But, as before stated, the real value of the market day idea is best proven by the fact that other trading points in this section are adopting the same plan to stimulate business. Red Lake Falls and Bemidji both *conducted market days this week and* curiously happened to pick out the same day and date for the purpose as that widely advertised by Thief River Falls merchants for the second bargain event here. While this coincidence in the matter of dates likely was unintentional on the part of Red Lake Falls and Bemidji, there are those who insinuate that it may have been done for a purpose. A fear that an occasional bargain seeker from these towns might come to Thief River Falls on market day may have had something to do with the setting of their own market day dates.

But be that as it may. The fact that Bemidji and Red Lake Falls see fit to imitate the market day idea originated early in the season by Thief River Falls and advertised for a certain day each month during the summer, must be considered fairly strong evidence that the scheme has merit. Imitation is the sincerest flattery, now as always.

THE 1921 CROP.

Farmers in Pennington county will soon know to what extent they have been enriched through garnering the crops of 1921. From a prospect which a few weeks ago gave promise of breaking all former records, unfavorable weather conditions have interfered to an extent which no doubt will cut down production to a point variously estimated at from 50 to 75 per cent of normal. Rye, corn and flax have suffered least from the excessively hot weather and will help greatly in offsetting the poor yields expected in wheat, oats and barley.

But there is one redeeming feature in the situation. A large number of Pennington county farmers have long since discontinued the practice of placing their sole dependence on small grain crops, and are providing themselves with a dependable source of income through the medium of the local creamery. A glance at the statement published in The Times last week giving a list of checks issued by the creamery is convincing proof that Pennington county farmers have a side line which is paying them very well indeed.

Ordinary weather uncertainties have little or no effect on the income from a herd of milch cows. Cattle feed and forage in sufficient quantities can be raised here when everything else fails, and the farmer who depends on the dairying industry is playing a game with every chance in his favor.

An occasional season like the present cannot be considered a calamity. Whatever loss is sustained through a partial failure of the grain crop is largely offset through the increased number of farmers who will as a result adopt the only safe method, that of dairy farming and stock raising.

OBSERVATIONS

(Bill Noonan in Baudette Region.)

In making home brew there is one safe practice to follow. Invite the neighbors to try it first.

A city daily devoted a column to discussing women's skirts last Sunday. That's a long article for such a short subject.

We note that a man out west slept for three years. Evidently none of his neighbors owned a phonograph.

Thompson, who stole a million from an Austin company, was a live wire, but a live wire with glue on his hands is a dangerous lad to have in your employ.

We hate to be considered a doubter but it's difficult to believe that Noah took only one pair of mosquitos on board the ark.

Only 150 days until Christmas.

Our idea of a poor way to return good for evil is to get bad whisky and pay good money for it.

The old ladies of both sexes who recently met in Minneapolis to start a war on tobacco have a brief and simple slogan: "If it is popular it must be wrong."

England and Ireland had a peace meeting this week, without the scenery being splashed with gore. Even Baudette and Spooner may get together one of these days.

If for no other reason than from the standpoint of health, one would think that several Baudette parents would stop their young sons and daughters from roaming around after midnight. Nobody but Edison or a cross baby can get along with four or five hours' sleep.

What Everybody Should Know.

That fire is a treacherous servant and a most cruel master.

That fire hazards exist on every hand.

That the only way to get cheaper fire insurance is to stop burning property.

That a fire occurs somewhere in this country every time your clock registers a minute. That five schoolhouses and colleges burn every day in the United States.

That working along fire prevention lines can do but little without community co-operation. Are you doing your share in the conservation of life and property in your community?

Do you realize that the fire losses in the country represent a fire tax each year of approximately three dollars per capita for every man, woman and child?

At an average of 5 hours each day during 200 days in each year, twenty-five million children are in the schools of the United States. The attendance is compulsory. No fundamental educational problem is greater than the safety of children. Statistics available show there are five schools that burn every day.

Fire is one of the worst perils that confronts any community and good citizenship demands that each individual do his part to prevent waste by fire. Can we have your assistance?

An insurance company is merely a clearing house and collects money from the many for distribution to the few who suffer loss by fire. If the destruction of property can be reduced, the fire premiums should be proportionately reduced which will result in a large saving to the citizens of the state.—Exchange.

Minnesota's Wealth.

Do you know that Uncle Sam gave the state for common schools, 2,976,154 acres; for a university, 91,521 acres; for internal improvement, 296,182 acres; swamp or overflowed lands, 4,709,038 acres; other lands, 172,463 acres; a total of 8,445,961 acres.

That every cent ever received from the sale of land or timber or from royalty on iron ore is still in these funds.

That the common school fund now amounts to $32,670,710.69; that iron ore now under lease will add not less than $30,584,000; that much valuable land, timber and mineral, belonging to this fund remains unsold and unleased.

That the university permanent fund contains $2,079,217.87; that iron ore now leased will add not less than $2,000,000; that much valuable land, timber and mineral belonging to the university remains unsold or unleased.

That the swamp land fund amounts to $7,756,708.04; that swamp land minerals now under lease will add not less than $7,222,000; that from one iron ore lease covering a lake bed the state will receive not less than $1,500,000; that there are several other lakes having enormous tonnages of ore in their beds, not under lease; that there is much timber and mineral on swamp lands not sold or under lease.

That there are millions of acres of non-agricultural land in the state admirably located and adapted to timber culture; that an acre planted to spruce or other forest trees will in the course of a few years yield a return almost equal to that of arable land.

That geologists declare 4.14 per cent of the earth's crust to be composed of iron.

That iron is the most useful as well as the most abundant of all metals.

That civilization could get along without gold, useful as it is, but would perish if bereft of iron.

That only a few centuries ago, owing to its rarity, steel was a royal metal. Today it is used by every man, woman and child in the land.

That during the past century the production of steel has grown at a pace bordering on the romantic.

That in 1810 the U. S. produced 917 gross tons of steel, in 1918, 44,462,432 tons.

That of the world's annual production in recent years of from 150 to 175 million tons of iron ore the U. S. twice contributed more than 75 million tons thereto.

That during the world's war, Minnesota produced and shipped as high as 45 million tons in one year and in 1920 forwarded over 40 million tons.

That during several seasons in recent years her shipments have been 60 per cent of the total output in the U. S.; one year over 62 per cent.

That the manufacture of iron and steel products is the mightiest industry in America.

That it has become the acknowledged barometer of the land's commercial and financial status.

That the basis of this stupendous industry is the high grade iron ore deposits of the Lake Superior District, the great bulk of which are found in the Minnesota ranges.

That of the billion tons, shipped from the Lake Superior district since its development, 555 million tons thereof have come from the Mesabi, the greatest of the three Minnesota ranges; and it is, so to say, the backbone of steel industry in the U. S.

That the taxable value of all mineral lands in Minnesota for 1920 was $297,790,872.

That the total state tax on above was $1,614,026.

That the state gross earnings tax on iron ore shipments amounted in 1920 to $2,000,000.

MONEY TO LOAN.

Funds Available For Building or Purchasing Homes to Those Who Need It.

The Northwestern Building Association of Fergus Falls has money to loan to those who wish to pay it back in regular monthly installments. This Association does not construct buildings but loans on all kinds of real estate, preferring residences. It is under the supervision of the bank examiner of Minnesota and subject to the laws covering building associations.

The loans in this association mature in one hundred and eight months and the payments are $1.50 per month for each $100.00 borrowed. It has funds on hand and furnishes the money to all applicants as soon as the papers are executed and the title approved. If you desire to borrow, address the Northwestern Building Association, Fergus Falls, Minnesota, and circulars and applications will be sent to you.—J28.

Pennington Farmers Will Certify Spuds For Seed

Reiner Bonde, state certified seed potato inspector, was in Pennington county Monday and Tuesday inspecting plots of growers who had application for the raising of certified seed. Each plot is to be inspected three different times during the year and must pass each inspection before its product can be sold as certified stock.

The plots belonging to Lloyd E. Crown, Jens Letnes, John Bratrud, H. C. Woolson, Paul Engelstad, A. E. Anderson and H. P. Rued all passed inspection the first time and if kept in good condition will in all probability pass the final two inspections.

Illinois Folks Here.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Foster and L. H. Clemens of LaRose, Ill., and Miss Virginia Clemens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Clemens of this place, who had been on an extended visit to relatives at LaRose, arrived last week by car and will spend about ten days visiting at the Clemens home, south of Thief River Falls. Roads were excellent all the way and the 900-mile trip proved a very enjoyable one.

Churches

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, July 31. German services at Germantown at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. English services at Erie at 3 p. m., and at Goodridge at 7:30 p. m. Sunday Aug. 7—The Goodridge parish will celebrate its annual Mission Festival. German services at 10:30 a. m. English services at 2:30 p. m. Rev. M. Hauser of Warren will preach. Services will take place in the Norwegian Lutheran church. A large number of Thief River Falls Lutherans are expected. Everybody is welcome.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—July 31. Sunday school at ten o'clock a. m. Christian Endeavor at seven o'clock p. m. These are the only Sabbath meetings during the pastor's vacation.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Rev. Aug. Bredeson will preach. Parochial school program in church, 2 p. m. Services Sunday evening, 7:45. Rev. Aug. Bredeson will preach. Sacred concert by Augsburg Sextette on Monday evening at 8:30. Ladies' Aid at Goodridge, Wednesday, 2 p. m., Aug. 3rd.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Divine services in Norwegian at 11 a. m. Rev. Sabo of Mavie will preach.

Bethlehem Church—Services Sunday at 11 o'clock. Services in Thorvick at 2:30 p. m., and the confirmants will meet after the services at Thorvick. O. I. Raaum, Pastor.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject Sunday July 31st, "Love." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Open for reading room on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5. The public is cordially invited to these services.

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PROGRAM

St. Hilaire Day Aug. 3---Afternoon	Aug. 4---Afternoon	Goodridge Day Aug. 5---Afternoon	Aug. 6
Music, 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. Ferris Wheel Girls 2:00 to 3:00 p. m. Music Auto Polo, 3:10 to 3:40 Baseball, 4:00 p. m. St. Hilaire vs. Viking	Music, 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. Ferris Wheel Girls, 2 to 3 Music Auto Polo, 3:10 to 3:40 Derby Race Hippodrome Race	Music, 1:30 to 2:00 p. m. Ferris Wheel Girls, 2 to 3 Music Auto Polo, 3:10 to 3:40 Mule Race	Auto Races Best dirt track drivers in the country have entered for this meet with their record holding cars. O. T. Barr, southern champion, will drive his big Frontenac and clash against such drivers as Les Allen, Cy Cobb, Ted Rick, Rowe Brainerd, Floyd Willard, Billy Jackels and other famous stars. The greatest display of speed ever put on in the Northwest before and a battle from start to finish.
EVENING Music, 7:00 to 7:30 Auto Polo, 7:30 to 8:00 Ferris Wheel Girls, 8 to 9 Style Show in Woman's Building Begins at 9.	EVENING Music, 7:30 to 8:00 p. m. Auto Polo, 8:00 to 8:30 Ferris Wheel Girls 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. Fireworks, 9:30 p. m. "SEIGE of DARDENELLES"	EVENING Music, 7:30 to 8:00 p. m. Auto Polo, 8:00 to 8:30 Ferris Wheel Girls 8:30 to 9:30 p. m. Fireworks, 9:30 p. m. "PIONEER DAYS"	DANGER N. B.: Keep away from rail at turn east of grandstand.

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FAIR BOOKS BIG FIREWORKS SHOW

A big fireworks show, embracing every type of open air pyrotechnics invented during recent years, will be a feature of the Pennington County Fair this year, according to the announcement made today by the secretary.

Contracts for a complete fireworks display, comprising a full evening's entertainment, were signed this week with the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks Display Co. of Chicago.

The full program of the evening show will be announced some time within the coming week. It will embrace nearly two hours of evening features of all sorts. Ground devices, aerial effects, set pieces and sensational explosive charges will be used in great variety to make up the general schedule of entertainment. In addition to these, the fair board has announced a special series of miniature spectacles, portraits of famous men done in fireworks, animated figures in colored fire, reproductions of famous landmarks and scenic settings of all kinds.

A special corps of experts from Chicago will be brought here to produce the spectacle.

"This will be one of the greatest fireworks attractions ever brought into the state," the secretary of the fair said today. "It will combine displays of elaborate beauty with a series of real explosive thrillers. We *expect to pack the grounds every* night."

SPECIAL CAR FOR BIG SHOW

A special fireproof car has been chartered by the Pennington County Fair to bring from Chicago the big outdoor stage setting and the tons of explosives and set pieces of all kinds which will be used in the night fireworks show to be produced at the fair this year.

Word was received yesterday that the special equipment and ground structures for use in the spectacle were practically completed and that the special car would leave Chicago within a few days.

A great chain of electric and battery wiring is to be put in here, as many of the big explosive effects are controlled by battery charges operated at a distance. The equipment for this spectacle is said to be the most elaborate ever brought into the state for any production of this kind.

WAR FIREWORKS RETURN

The fireworks which was manufactured in pre-war times is coming back.

The secretary of the Pennington County Fair has just received word that the night fireworks displays to be produced at the fair this year will embrace not only those pyrotechnic effects known before the war but also a number of new devices developed during the last year.

The evening show which will be staged here this year by the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks Co. of Chicago requires tons of explosives and color fire features of all types. It will be especially elaborate in set pieces, aerial effects and "special numbers.

EVENING SHOW FOR FAIR

A complete evening show, in addition to the regular features of the fair open to the public during the day, will be provided by the Pennington County Fair this year, the secretary has just announced.

Featuring a full evening's entertainment will be a big fireworks display. It will present practically every type of modern pyrotechnics. The entire spectacle will be produced on a big open-air stage which will be constructed immediately before the opening of the fair.

The show will be put on by the Thearle-Duffield Fireworks Co. of Chicago, the world's largest producers of fireworks displays.

Set pieces, aerial fireworks and beautiful scenic work of all kinds will be included in the production, the secretary has announced.

PICTURE HARDING IN FIRE

The portrait of President Harding in fireworks will be one of the headliners on the evening entertainment program of the Pennington County Fair according to the program just issued by the fair board.

All kinds of scenic and action fireworks will be included on the schedule for the evening show which has just been issued. In addition to President Harding's portrait other features of the fireworks spectacle will be: "Niagara Falls", "Satan's Dance," "The Temple of Solomon," "Grove of Jeweled Palms," "National Yellowstone Wonders," and many other subjects of similar nature.

A special attraction will be a pageant in which animated figures in fire will take part. These burning figures of men and animals will enact a little spectacle of their own as a climax of the evening exposition.

All the regular set pieces and aerial effects of the ordinary fireworks show will also be included. The production will cover nearly two hours. It will be one of the most spectacular ever enacted in the state, the secretary has stated.

Warren Water O. K.

During the past few days City Health Officer Dr. H. M. Blegen has been the recipient of many communications by letter and phone inquiring as to the truth of the rumor someone had put into circulation to the effect that Warren's water supply had been contaminated by dead sparrows in the water tank. The commission was notified of the rumor and on Tuesday sent two men up to inspect the tank and they reported the rumor absolutely without foundation. The state board of health made an analysis of the water last December and found it pure and wholly free from any injurious substances. The city health authorities, to set at rest the mind of anyone who might have any doubts about the matter have requested the state board to make another analysis at once. Naturally, rumors such as this, when set afloat, greatly alarm the users of the water and persons responsible for them should think twice before giving them currency—better yet, any suspicion one may have should first be communicated to the proper authorities, as they are the ones to remedy the situation, if such exists.—Warren Register.

SENATOR CLIFF ON TOUR OF DISTRICT

Father of Drainage Law Finds Roads Good on Minnesota Side of River.

Senator F. L. Cliff, of Ortonville, H. M. O'Neill, president of the First National bank of Beardsley, Mrs. O'Neill and Rev. James Cavanaugh, brother of Mrs. O'Neill, are among the prominent Minnesota people in Crookston today, says the Crookston Times of Monday. The party is on the way home from a trip to Winnipeg and points in Manitoba at which Mr. O'Neill has interests. Going up the trip was made by way of the North Dakota side of the river and the return on the Minnesota side, and Senator Cliff had no hesitation in declaring the roads on the Minnesota side very superior to those of North Dakota, notwithstanding which, stated Senator Cliff, they were advised in Winnipeg to take the North Dakota side to get the best roads. Senator Cliff, who is the father of the new law under which the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board and other boards of like character in the state are organized, is naturally a close student of land conditions where ever he travels, and it is a matter worthy of note that he spoke particularly of the road between this city and Euclid and questioned why it had been laid there instead of in the better settled section to the west of the state agricultural school. Senator Cliff strongly urged that the matter of location be brought before the state highway commissioner before anything in the way of permanent improvement was done on the present location.

The party leaves this afternoon on the way south via the King of Trails to Moorhead. Senator Cliff pronounced himself as highly pleased with the progress that was being made by the Red Lake Conservancy board in working for the control of flood waters in this section of the state, stating that he had been keeping in close touch with all developments and tendered his own enthusiastic assistance where ever it could be of use.

REPEAL OF ACT IS URGED AT MEETING

Farm Bureaus Resolve Action Against Section 15 of Esch-Cummins Railway Law.

Resolutions urging that officers of the American Farm Bureau Federation endeavor to secure repeal of section 15 of the Esch-Cummins act, providing that railroads be entitled to 5½ per cent on their book value and one-half of one per cent return for betterment, were passed by delegations representing farm bureau federations of 12 central western states in closing sessions last week.

The conference was called to discuss the relationship of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., to the farm bureaus; federal and state taxation and reduced freight rates for farm products. More than 25 representatives from central western states attended.

The representatives also went on record as urging the American Farm Bureau Federation officials to bring influence to bear on congress to sustain, uphold and, if possible, grant further powers to the federal trade commission, and recommended establishment of a statistical and investigating department for the facilitation of collecting data for the United Farm Bureaus of the country.

The proposal to contract for the purchase of elevators by the United States Grain Growers, Inc., was opposed by the representatives, who passed a resolution urging that the grain organization refrain from such purchases for at least a year.

A meeting of the board of directors of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., probably will be held in Chicago next week to discuss the acquirement of the Equity Co-operative Exchange elevators for the handling of part of the grain contracted for by the grain growers, C. H. Gustafson, president of the Grain Growers' association, announced to the representatives.

Postmasters' Examination.

The United States Civil Service commission will conduct an open competitive examination at Thief River Falls, Friday, Aug. 13, to fill the positions of postmaster at Red Lake Falls and Plummer. The Red Lake Falls job pays $2,100 a year while the Plummer job pays $1,200. Applicants must submit to the examiner on the day of examination their photographs taken within two years, securely pasted on admission cards sent them after their applications are filed. Under an executive order issued by President Harding the successful candidate will be chosen from the three highest on the list.

Notice

There will be no regular meeting of the Rocksbury Farm Bureau until Saturday, September 3rd, as the regular meeting day comes on the last day of the Fair.

BOY SCOUTS HOME FROM FINE OUTING

Thief River Falls Lads Have Splendid Time in Summer Camp at Union Lake.

The delegation of Boy Scouts from Thief River Falls which had been in camp at Union lake for ten days, returned to this city Monday evening, showing every indication of having had a good time. The party consisted of 24 scouts. Eighteen of these pitched the original camp and were joined by six others during the outing.

As a troop the boys nearly completed their second class tasks on the trip. Two of the boys, Clifford Storholm and Allison Stitt, a little farther advanced in scout work, completed their first class tasks. Two other lads, Lee Melgaard and Willis Nason, who had been on a tour of Itasca park, joined the others at Union lake and returned with them.

W. J. Brown of Thief River Falls, who is spending the summer in his cottage at Union lake, invited the scouts over for a feed on Friday and treated the boys to a real spread. And it is said the way eatables disappeared was nothing slow.

The boy scouts have nothing but words of praise for scout Executive White, who was in charge of the camp. He put them through the routine strictly according to rules and every boy came home improved in health and *morals as a result.* Little George Johnson, who is not yet old enough to become a member of the scouts, acted in the capacity of mascot during the outing.

WOOL POOL SELLS AT FAIR RETURNS

Co-Operative Selling Proves Its Value By Finding Market Despite Conditions.

Twelve million pounds of wool, pooled almost entirely through the farm bureaus of the wool producing states, have been sold during the first six months of 1921, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation announced this week.

The announcement was based on a report from C. J. Fawcett, director of wool marketing for the American Farm Bureau federation.

"In spite of adverse market conditions," the farm bureau said, "the wool pool has demonstrated the power of co-operative enterprises in the open market. Because the pooled wool was graded, collected in large quantities, and kept constantly ready for immediate use by the mills, the farm bureau pool occupied a strong position. Most of the pooled wool has been sold and sold at full market value, because it was acceptable for immediate manufacture; while wool held on farms in most cases remains without attractive offers."

Present indications are that the 1921 wool will be even larger than last year's, the federation said. Ohio has pooled more than 4,000,000 pounds, 1,000,000 more than last year; Michigan expects to pool 4,000,000 pounds; New York predicts double the quantity of its 1920 pool will come in this year; and shipments from Minnesota, Iowa, Kansas, Illinois, Wisconsin, South Dakota and Missouri are on the way to Chicago warehouses, the federation announced.

Meningitis Epidemic.

There have been approximately 200 cases of spinal meningitis in Wadena county, centering around Sebeka, Dr. A. J. Chesty, executive secretary of the state board of health, said Saturday. There have been six deaths in cases under supervision of physicians. Drs. C. Halliday and J. N. Gehlen of the state board of health, have been sent to Wadena county in efforts to aid local physicians.

DRYFED CATTLE GROWING SCARCE

Seasonal Spread in Prices Features Trade—Best Yearlings Reach $9.25.

Monday's Closing.

Cattle 3,400. Market closing mostly steady. Calves 1,100. Market steady, packer top $8.50. Hogs 5,400. Market 15c to 25c lower; closing weak. Bulk $8.25 to $9.75, top $10.50. Sheep 1,100. Lambs steady to 25c lower. Sheep steady.

South St. Paul, Minn., July 25, 1921: The cattle market is being featured by a seasonal widening of the price spread, best dryfeds which are growing scarce making fresh gains the past week with yearlings the best sellers, while grass steers, with receipts of such kinds increasing, are slow sale and weak with price tendency lower. Yearling steers and heifers mixed of good to choice beef quality sold in the past week's trade from $8.50 to $9.25, with heavy fed steers the same quality in good demand at $8.00 to $8.50. Grass steers suitable for beef purposes sell largely from $7.25 down to around $5.50. Practically all of the butcher she stock is of the grass variety, a few of the best handyweight kinds selling from $6.25 to around $7.00, with bulk $3.75 to $6.00. Canners and cutters are selling at mostly $1.75 to $3.25, bologna bulls, $3.75 to $4.75. Packer top on veal calves $8.50, seconds largely $5.50, with a few selected vealers as high as $9.00 to city butchers. A few of the most desirable feeders are selling up around $7. and a few of the same kinds of stockers around $6.00 and bulk of trade in stockers and feeders is from $4.00 to $6.00.

Hogs opened 15c to 25c or more lower, heavies losing most. Range $7.75 to $10.50, bulk $8.25 to $9.75, good pigs $9.75. Bulk good native and Dakota lambs $8.75 to $9.25, good ewes $3.50 to $4.00, yearling wethers $5.50 to $6.50, feeding yearling wethers $3.75 to $4.75.

Weekly Market Review.

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co.)

Under the weight of an extremely heavy movement of winter wheat, good prospects of another bumper corn crop and a staleness in the repetition of damage reports in the spring wheat and oats territory, prices of all grains during the week continued to have a sagging tendency.

That most of the new wheat crop is for sale is clearly indicated by the unusually heavy and early marketing of the crop in the southwestern states. In fact, wheat receipts at all primary markets are now running about three times as large as during the corresponding time last year.

By reason of the hedging pressure in all grains at present, drastic declines might have been expected, but values yielded only moderately, evidently being checked by the possibilities of extraordinary demands from European sources due to foreign drouth damage, by additional scattered reports of damage to the Canadian wheat crop and by a general public sentiment that the world wheat supply and demand situation is in extremely close adjustment and that were Foreign Exchange and European finances in a healthier condition there should be an undeniable demand for every surplus bushel of American foodstuffs. What foreign requirements will amount to during the coming season for the present is largely guess-work. Up to the drouth period a materially larger European yield than last year was in prospect and consequently lighter American imports. With the exception of Italy however, every European country is reported to have sustained extensive crop damage. Germany has already secured additional American credit and is a steady buyer of wheat and corn.

Recent rains have been of great benefit to the Northwestern corn crop. Very optimistic crop reports come from all parts of the corn belt. Bearish sentiment induced by the large corn stocks is being counteracted by the unusual conditions of American corn supplanting the Argentine in supplying foreign demands. The heavy clearance of American corn for export is attributed to the exhaustion of the Argentine carry-over from previous crop and the unsuitable shipping condition of new corn from the southern hemisphere.

With the movement of new oats now commencing, old oats are also being freely shipped to all terminals. Export business in oats of late is also noteworthy, but the demand so far is mostly for the heavy Canadian varieties. We would anticipate lower prices only for the immediate future.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Oscar Blomberg and Erick Wiberg motored up from Crookston last Saturday for a brief visit with the Haugen families and on the return trip was accompanied by Herman Blomberg, who spent a few weeks vacation here.

The Carl Stromberg family from Dakota Junction and the Peter Stromberg family from Thief River Falls were Sunday guests among friends and relatives in town.

Martin Evenson arrived last Saturday from his home near Newfolden for a visit at the T. Mellem home and on Sunday afternoon he conducted religious services at the Rindal church.

John Remmem spent Sunday as a guest of Nels Nora in the town of Norden.

L. L. Furan and children motored to Middle River last Saturday to attend a non-partisan picnic.

About half a dozen auto loads of people from here motored to Mud Lake last Sunday to pick blueberries.

Carl Ranum, Mrs. Julia Axelson, Viola, Minnie and Victor Axelson motored to Wannaska last Saturday where they will visit at the Ole Oleson home and in company with the latter go blueberry picking. They all returned home on Sunday evening with the exception of Viola, who remained to visit during the week.

Miss Carrie Nelson returned home from Viking on Tuesday evening where she has been employed for some time.

Miss Ethel Kron left last Wednesday for Fordville, N. D., where she will be employed this fall.

A number of our folks spent a day at the Grand Forks fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter Irma, left last Thursday for Thief River Falls where they will visit for a week with the James Johnson family and will also seek medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson spent Sunday near Grygla with a few Goodridge friends, picking blueberries.

A few of our young folks, in company with some Thief River Falls friends, motored to Red Lake Falls last Sunday.

L. M. Olson and family of Warren were in this vicinity last Wednesday gathering raspberries.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen, L. L. Furan and children motored to Alvarado on Sunday where they attended a non-partisan picnic.

Mrs. James Johnson and son Earl of Thief River Falls spent a few days the first of the week with Mrs. Johnson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

Miss Gladys Sagmoen returned on Tuesday from Thief River Falls where she spent Sunday among her relatives. She was accompanied by Miss Florence Ostrom, who will visit her the remainder of the week.

Martin and Iver Westby motored up from Goodridge last Sunday for a brief visit at their parental home. They were accompanied by their sister Tena, who will stay with them for some time.

Nina Westby left a week ago for Duluth where she will be employed in the future.

John Hellquist spent Sunday at Viking as a guest of his sister, Mrs. C. Flodstrom and family.

Rye threshing was in full blast the latter part of the week. A fair average at the F. G. Dols farm was from 18 to 20 bushels per acre, he having harvested about 55 acres. The quality is fully up to last years' and probably a little better. Olof Nordhagen is also threshing.

The S. Benson family of Thief River Falls Sundayed with relatives in town.

ERIE

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole Nerhus on Sunday morning and on Sunday evening a girl came to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lien.

Mrs. H. Haga and three children of Northwood, N. D., are visiting relatives in Southeast Star. Mrs. Haga is a daughter of Mrs. M. Iverson.

Blueberrying has been quite a pastime for almost everybody these days.

Mrs. P. Rensla of Rhoda has been visiting her daughter here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bommerud and twin daughters and Mr. Hoans of Deer Park were Sunday visitors at the G. A. Iverson home.

Rev. Austad of Detroit preached in the Erie church on Sunday forenoon. Rev. Lutz of Goodridge spoke in the English language in the evening in the same church.

Mr. and Mrs. Osmond Lunden and children visited friends near Highlanding on Sunday.

L. B. Johnson has been suffering with a bad boil on his left thigh and had to consult a physician. He is improving nicely.

Joseph Enebo is back to look after his farm interests here, after having spent several months in Minneapolis.

REINER

Mr. and Mrs. John McEnelly and children were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Berg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Olson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson and children were Sunday visitors at Emil Sigurd's.

E. Grimley, Albert Arntz and Mr. Hanson were among Thief River Falls callers Wednesday.

Grain is ripening fast these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lien and daughter, were visitors at E. Grimley's Sunday.

Miss Florence Burns left Friday for her home at Thief River Falls, after a two-week's visit with her sister, Mrs. A. J. Wells.

Martin and Miss Mina Anderson of Goodridge were callers at Emil Sigurid's.

Gus. Halverson arrived home Friday from Duluth where he has spent a few weeks.

Misses Leona, Jessie and Lucille Leslin were Sunday visitors with Leila McEnelly.

Rev. Hanson arrived home from Warren and reports are to the effect that he is doing fine.

Ladies' Aid meets at F. Halverson's Thursday afternoon. Everyone is welcome.

Miss Cora McEnelly was a Goodridge shopper Thursday afternoon.

Martin Johnson is getting his threshing outfit ready for use. He will begin to thresh about the first of August.

GOODRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peterson and little son of Colgate, N. D., arrived Friday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Henry Rockne attended to business in Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. N. H. Dahl and Mrs. J. Stephenson were in Thief River Falls Friday getting the house ready for the Dahl family to move into this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McCabe and son were Thief River Falls visitors Monday.

Miss Agnes Vaughan returned last week from Detroit where she visited her aunt, Mrs. J. Kohler, for some time.

Mrs. Stephen Noble, who has been a guest at the J. Payne home the past two weeks, left Thursday for Alexandria where she will visit with friends, enroute to her home at Austin.

Clarence Jacobson and his brother arrived Saturday afternoon from Clearbrook and visited friends in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg were in town Wednesday. Mrs. Tandberg returned to Thief River Falls to remain until their house is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Halverson and children arrived Wednesday from St. John, N. D., and visited friends here until Saturday when they left for Gary, Minn., to visit relatives. Mr. Halverson was principal in our school at one time.

Mr. and Mrs. Oldfield of Red Lake Falls were in town Sunday visiting at the P. O. Tvedt home. Mrs. Oldfield and Mrs. Tvedt are cousins.

Daniel Payne returned Friday from Bemidji where he attended summer school.

Misses Gretta Gulrud, Cora Nelson and Mabel Tweten autoed to Mavie Saturday evening and attended the dance.

Oscar Paulson and brother Alfred of Thief River Falls were visitors in town Sunday.

H. S. Dahlen of Thief River Falls was in town Monday attending to his business interests.

R. H. McDonald, Harvey Ferdinandsen and Joe Christianson attended the Drayton and Thief River Falls baseball game Monday evening in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and daughter Ruby and son Raymond, Mrs. Jasperson and Miss Leona Christiansen were Thief River Falls visitors Sunday.

Misses Sena and Hilda Christianson returned Wednesday from a two weeks visit in the twin cities.

Miss Mildred Argall returned Friday from Bemidji where she attended summer school the past six weeks.

Stuart McLeod returned Monday from the fair at Grand Forks with his Guernsey cattle and as near as we can learn both the Harry Woolson and McLeod stock carried off enough prizes at the four fairs for them to feel that they were repaid for the time and trouble spent in taking them there. Evered Seavey who accompanied Stuart, to care for the stock, returned also.

School Election.

The school election resulted as follows, last Saturday evening:

For three years—Peter Lovely, A. B. Mandt.

For one year—Carl Christianson, Christ Urdahl.

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. Ralph Stephenson and children who spent the past three weeks visiting with relatives at Wilburton, Okla., returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Andy McNab, who will be remembered by many as former residents of this place during the saw mill days, motored through here last Friday enroute to their home at Bemidji, making a brief visit at the S. M. Hoff home, having attended the North Dakota State Fair and visiting at different points in this state.

Mrs. Geo. W. Shearer and the Misses Lulu Beebe and Gladys Gigstad, shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Edith Lindquist arrived on Thursday from Minneapolis where she is taking a course in nursing at the Swedish hospital, for a short vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lindquist of Bray township.

Miss Clara Loberg returned Friday evening via the Soo from Bemidji where she has attended a six week's session of summer school, to remain at the parental home.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown returned Friday evening via the auto route to Thief River Falls, after a short visit here with friends and relatives. She was accompanied by Miss Grace Hall who visited until Saturday at the Brown home.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud and son Carl returned Thursday from an auto trip to Milnor, N. D., after a week's visit with Mrs. Grimsrud's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Georgen motored Thursday to Grand Forks to attend the North Dakota State Fair, returning again the same evening.

Miss Ella Brandt arrived Friday from Cavalier, N. D., where she is employed, for a short vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brandt, residing near Wylie.

The Misses Tessie King and Gabriel Cathelineau returned Saturday, having attended summer school the past six weeks at Moorhead.

Mrs. Thomas LaPlante and granddaughter Barbara, motored here on Thursday with a party of friends from their home at Crookston for a brief visit at the Hans Wilson home, returning the same evening. They were accompanied by Mrs. Joseph LaPlante, who has spent the past week here visiting at her parental home.

Floyd Sumpter returned Friday, after having attended the Fair and visiting his sister at Grand Forks.

The Misses Clara and Ragna Loberg, Dorothy Martz, Martin, John and Arne Loberg and Arnt Branum formed a party who motored to Grand Forks to attend the Fair on Saturday.

A. R. Jones, accompanied by his daughters, Ila and Marjorie, motored here on Sunday from their home at Crookston and spent the day at the N. E. Beebe home.

Geo. Biskey, mail carrier on Route 1, has been ill the past week and confined to his home. Mrs. Biskey substituted on the route during his absence.

Carl Nelson, accompanied by Andrew Mortenson and Albert Nelson, motored to Grand Forks Thursday where the latter entered the hospital to undergo an operation. At last report he is doing nicely.

The Nelsestien and Ofsdahl families motored here the latter part of the week from Wisconsin for a visit at the O. A. Holmes home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hauge and children motored here the latter part of the week from their home at Bagley for a visit at the H. O. Jackson and R. L. Hauge homes.

Mike Hyland, accompanied by Miss Amanda Benson, Mrs. Amelia Dahl and son Robert, motored to Halstad Saturday for a visit with relatives.

The William Brandt family, accompanied by Miss Selma Hoff, motored to Maple Lake Sunday and spent the day, returning the same evening.

Miss Elesa Hendrickson returned Monday from Moorhead where she spent the past six weeks attending summer school.

Thomas Anderson, whose home is three miles northwest of St. Hilaire, passed away at the Asbury hospital in Minneapolis, on Saturday morning, July 23. Funeral services were held in the Norwegian Lutheran church, Monday afternoon, Rev. C. M. Grimsrud officiating. Members of the American Legion Posts of Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire, acted as pall bearers and honor guard.

The deceased was born in Canada on June 30, 1890. From there his parents moved to North Dakota and in 1901 to St. Hilaire, where they have since resided. Thomas entered the military service at Camp Dodge, Ia., in 1918. His health had been failing since before he received his honorable discharge in 1919. Most of his time since he has been forced to spend in military hospitals where he underwent four operations in hopes of recovery. It was after the fourth operation which he had at Asbury hospital, a week previous to his death, that he gradually grew worse until death came as an end to his suffering. To mourn his death, he leaves, beside an aged grandmother, his father, O. A. Anderson, one sister and five brothers, John, Arthur, Alex, Oliver and George. The sympathy of many friends and relatives is extended to the bereaved family.

Auto Tags Yield Profit.

The Minnesota tax on an automobile about equals the price of a good tire for the car licensed. The tax revenue this year will yield approximately $5,500,000 to the trunk highway fund. The benefit from wise expenditure of that large sum and other money for trunk highway maintenance and improvements in the state certainly is worth the price of one tire a season. It will add fully 25 per cent to the mileage from each of the four tires on his car. The extra savings on upkeep, gasoline and other items, and the comfort and convenience of travel on good smooth roads, steadily getting better, represent the car owner's net profit under the Babcock plan. So the state motor vehicle tax is, in fact, a profitable investment.—Highway News.

Drainage Men Busy.

A party of prominent men who visited in Gonvick Wednesday included Adolph Meyer, Minneapolis; E. V. Willard, St. Paul; Geo. Walker, Thief River Falls and C. G. Selvig, Crookston. The first three are engineers of no mean ability and are connected with the Red Lake drainage undertaking. Mr. Selvig is chairman of the board of directors for flood control districts. The party motored to Gonvick after a trip of inspection up the Red Lake river to the outlet at Red Lake and after a short visit with Andrew Johnson, meadows farmer, who is also a member of the board of directors. Mr. Selvig advises that work over the district is progressing most satisfactorily and especially in the territory coursed by the Clearwater river which is to be straightened and deepened and contract for which improvement will in all probability be let this coming fall.—Gonvick Banner.

Cashier and Assistant Cashier.

Miss Eleanor Millar and Mr. Geo. A. Olson are assistant cashier and cashier of the First State bank, Fordville, N. D. Both young people secured their business education at the U. C. C. Every bank in Grand Forks and hundreds scattered from Minnesota to Montana employ U. C. C. students. We have a fine course in banking. If you would like to get a start in a bank, write for our free catalog and find out what we can do for you.

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American Legion Corner

Is the Legion Selfish?

To glance over the five hundred daily and weekly newspapers published in Minnesota and note the scores of instances where Legion and Legion Auxiliary members are busily engaged in helping their home town in one way or another, is to be impressed by the extent to which the efforts of the Legion and its Auxiliary are bound up with the welfare of our great state, notwithstanding the fact that three years ago the organization had not been thought of and its members were spread throughout the world, honorably performing whatever duty Uncle Sam saw fit to assign them to.

Yet some people say that the Legion is a selfish organization. If reverently receiving the bodies of its dead comrades and laying them tenderly to rest with all the honors due them, is selfish, then the Legion is selfish. If fighting in the state and national legislatures for justice to those who served their country, particularly those who lost their limbs and health in defense of Old Glory, is selfish, then the Legion pleads guilty. If getting back of plans to boost for and brighten community life in the old home town is selfish, then the Legion surely wins the prize. And if lending a helping hand to a buddy in distress is dishonorable, then the Legion has reason to be ashamed of itself.

Occasionally, other unfair criticism is made of the organization which those who honorably served their country have built up, criticism which plainly indicates that those who make it, do so maliciously or through ignorance of that of which they speak. But in the heart of the great state of Minnesota, in the minds of the majority of its citizens, the American Legion has earned for itself an esteem and a confidence of which it may justly be proud. Perhaps every Legion post in Minnesota has not burned up the world, perhaps it does not expect to, but in its own quiet way it does its bit and is always ready to lend a hand when help is needed either in the community or individually.

To ex-service men of this great state who have been undecided as to whether or not they should join their comrades, the Legion extends the hand of friendship. If you are one of them, and do not think the Legion is what it might be or ought to be, Legionaires will value your advice. They cannot promise you that all your ideas will be adopted, because democratic organization must be governed by the will of the majority, and the majority may not always accept the best judgment of one member. But if you will lend a helping hand, your vote will count, and you will have the satisfaction of boosting for your home town, for Minnesota, your country, and your buddies.

"Ex-service men do not want to ruin their country. They think just as much of it as the men who made large profits or earned unprecedented wages while they were in the army or navy, but they cannot see how the distribution of less than the cost of a single month of the war will bankrupt the country or cause business depression," declared State Commander A. H. Vernon, adding, "President Harding's message is very disappointing to all ex-service men and, I believe, to the average American, in that it treats the adjusted compensation bill as a mere gratuity and opposes it on the grounds of its ultimate cost, which will be approximately the same no matter when the measure is enacted. The American Legion believes the measure acknowledges a moral obligation of our country to treat the soldiers with approximate economic justice as compared with other citizens. The president's message may succeed in postponing consideration of the bill, but adjusted compensation is far from dead. Sooner or later it will become law."

Just American.

Just today we chanced to meet
Down upon the crowded street;
And I wondered whence he came,
What was his nation's name.

So I asked him, "Tell me true,
Are you Pole or Russian Jew,
Irish, Scotch, Italian, Russian,
Belgian, Spanish, Swiss, Moravian,
Dutch or Greek or Scandinavian?"

Then he raised his head on high,
And he gave me this reply,
"What I was is naught to me,
In this land of Liberty,
In my soul as man to man,
I am just American."

The American Farm Bureau Federation, with more than a million members, has joined hands with the Legion in obtaining legislation for the relief of disabled soldiers of the great war. More than 1800 bureaus of the Federation have endorsed the legislative program of the Legion. Enactment of the bill consolidating the three government bureau handling ex-soldier affairs will save the national budget $15,000,000 a year through eliminating much work now done in duplicate and triplicate, and will cut miles of red tape which hitherto has rendered relief ineffective. The bill has passed the House of Representatives unanimously and is on the calendar of the U. S. Senate with a favorable committee report behind it.

State Commander A. H. Vernon has sent invitations to the state commanders of the various patriotic organizations in Minnesota to be guests at the Winona Legion convention, and letters of acceptance are arriving at state headquarters daily. Commander Vernon has also invited the Commanders of the Legion departments of North and South Dakota, Montana, Iowa, Wisconsin and Illinois to attend the Convention. One or more representatives from National Headquarters will also be present. Everything points to a record convention.

"Labor and the Legion have a common aim to make America a better place in which to live," said Alvin M. Owsley of the Legion National Americanism Committee, who spoke before the American Federation of Labor National Convention in Denver, being introduced by Samuel Gompers. The mutual understanding between the two organizations is growing stronger every month. Messages have been received at Legion National headquarters from labor leaders throughout the country, congratulating the Legion upon its success in making clear to the labor men the real purpose of the Legion.

The American Legion of Minnesota has protested to Minnesota senators against postponement of the consideration of the adjusted compensation bill. Legionaires all over the state are urging Senators Nelson and Kellog to work for and vote for the bill and secure its enactment now. Legionaires of Minnesota feel that the majority of the people of this state believe that the American Legion bill is just and fair and that it should be enacted now. Both bodies of the Minnesota Legislature have endorsed it. It passed the National House of Representatives and has twice been approved by the Finance Committee of the United States Senate. It has been endorsed by the legislature of many states beside our own. The United States Chamber of Commerce is reported to be heading the fight against the Legion's bill, but practically every Minnesota commercial body to which the measure has been explained has endorsed it. Many misleading estimates as to its cost have been printed in a barrage of editorials throughout the country recently. Other editorials deliberately ignore the principles of justice underlying the bill. None of them cite the fact that the adjustment of compensation for the defenders of our country will cost less than it cost to carry on the war for a single month. Neither do they explain that the money needed to do justice to ex-service persons is only two-thirds of the amount promptly appropriated for the adjustment of compensation of cancelled contracts for war materials. Instead, they try to frighten the country into repudiating its debts to its defenders by crying, "It will ruin the country." This eleventh-hour attack on the bill won't succeed if Minnesota Legionaires can avoid it.

Commenting on the plans of local Legionaires to construct a bathing beach at Jordan, Minn., the Jordan Independent writes: "This plan of the Legion is entitled to our support. What finer and more appropriate memorial to our brave soldier boys could there be than the boulevarding and parking of the millpond, the building of necessary bath houses; the preparation of the necessary roads and bridges and probably the erection of a grandstand for summer evening band concerts?"

Garbed in war paint and their native costume, twenty or more full-blooded Chippewa Indians marched in the parade, watched the ball game, and danced with the Legion boys at the Itasca County Rally of the Legion in Grand Rapids, Minnesota. Daredevil airplane stunts and a parachute drop from a speeding plane formed part of the entertainment.

When the Legion and its Auxiliary at Chisholm, Minn., decided to raise several hundred dollars to be expended by the Legion Auxiliary State Hospitalization committee for sick and disabled soldiers in hospitals, every civic organization in Chisholm helped put on a benefit entertainment which netted $600 for the soldier welfare fund.

Disabled veterans at the Aberdeen hospital in St. Paul are setting a fine example to their comrades who came back from the war uninjured. Practically every wounded buddy is learning a new trade or profession. Their handiwork includes practically everything you could mention—beautiful examples of what perseverance and industry can accomplish. To help their disabled buddies market these articles, members of the St. Paul East Side Legion post will stage a carnival July 14th, at which the articles will be raffled. Thousands of tickets have already been sold by St. Paul Legionaires and the St. Paul citizens who purchased them expressed satisfaction in being able to help in this manner.

Nearly every Minnesota town boasts of a few former members of the 88th Division, who will be glad to know that they can attend the 88th Division Reunion at Camp Dodge, near DesMoines, Iowa, Aug. 26, 27 and 28. A reduced fare of approximately $15 for the round trip has been arranged. Members will be quartered in regimental sections just the same as when the boys were preparing for war, so that there will be no difficulty in getting in touch with the buddies who meant so much to them "over there."

To Aid Creamery Drive.

The county agents of Minnesota are receiving from F. E. Balmer, county agent leader at University Farm, the suggestion that they assist A. J. McGuire, organization manager of the new Minnesota Co-operative Creameries Association, Inc., in putting through a complete state-wide organization. A series of meetings of the patrons of each co-operative creamery will be held, scheduled by counties, one meeting every evening until the patrons of all of the creameries in every county have met. County agents and farm bureau presidents are expected to confer as to arrangements for such meetings, after which farm bureau presidents will see to issuing calls.

So Near and Yet So Far.

E. W. Backus has 100 cases of champagne at the Fort Frances depot but he can't get at them. The wine was shipped to Mr. Backus from France, but when it arrived this week the Canadian inspector refused to turn over the shipment on the ground that Ed. was not a resident of Canada. Many thousands of dollars are involved and interest over the outcome of the case is great.—Baudette Region.

University Man Buys Farm.

A. D. Wilson, who for the past 15 years has been associated with the extension work of the agricultural department of the University of Minnesota and who has been head of that department for many years, has resigned and will engage in active farming near Bemidji. Mr. Wilson has purchased a farm containing 320 acres 12 miles south of Bemidji and is now completing a new modern bungalow there. He is now living on the place and is making preparations to begin clearing a large acreage of his farm. The new farm home which is being completed by Mr. Wilson will be one of the most modern farm homes in this part of the state. He also plans on developing a modern farm as soon as possible. During the 15 years that Mr. Wilson has been associated with the agricultural department of the state of Minnesota he has been called to practically every agricultural district of importance and the fact that he has selected a location near Bemidji as his own farm home is considered the highest recommendation for agricultural lands in this vicinity.—Bemidji Sentinel.

A True Philosopher.

The county agent of LeFlore County, Okla., tells in his report about one farmer in his county who has found out a way to stop worrying. They have had tremendous rains down in that section of the county and there was too much mud for plowing. The agent met this man and said: "I don't understand why you are looking so much happier than you did the last time I saw you; what's the matter?" He replied: "Nothing is the matter. I gave up worrying because I got nothing left to worry over—crops all gone, money all gone, credit all gone, food's about played out, can't get work, got nothing, so I've got nothing to worry about and have stopped worrying."

Keeping the House in Order

It is in caring for the needs of its patrons, be they big or little, which stamps the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) as a service organization of the first order.

Whether the product be a major one, as for instance, gasoline, or one of the highly refined motor oils, or a secondary one, such as Standard Road Oil, facilities have been provided by which the patron, wherever he may live, may get what he wants with as little delay as possible, and at a minimum of expense.

For many years Standard Road Oil has been used by communities and individuals in providing a semi-hard surface to highways. Roads so treated are dustless, are not so easily affected by rains, and carry a heavier load with less power than is possible where plain dirt roads, however well cared for, are used.

Recently it has been apparent that many want to use this dust preventive on the roads about their homes. Some need but a single barrel; others two or three, but these small amounts they want badly.

As soon as it became apparent that there was a demand for Standard Road Oil in small quantities, the Company assigned to this product a sufficient number of iron barrels to care for the trade. These barrels are not sold but are used merely to transport the oil; to be returned as soon as they can be emptied.

By thus cooperating with its patrons, the Company can furnish small quantities of Standard Road Oil at a minimum price, and the user can get it in quantities of one barrel, or a thousand barrels, without having to pay for the container.

This is but one of the many ways in which the highly specialized organization of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) serves the public, individually and collectively, to the profit of all.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago

2520

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which became due on the 11th day of April, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee bearing date the 11th day of April, 1918, and with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of April, 1918, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 on page 530 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: the sum of Forty-Eight Dollars ($48.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the time of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Forty-eight dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 11th day of April, 1918, and the further sum of Forty-four Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1920, and still a further sum of Forty-four dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1921, the latter two amounts being interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice is the sum of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27).

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Lot No. Four (4) of Section No. Seven (7) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) and the South East Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to pay the said debt of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27) and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes if any on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated July 13th, 1921.
THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Take notice that default has occurred and exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage bearing date the 25th day of July, 1919, made, executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee, and with the power of sale therein contained, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of August, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 on page 54 thereof, because of the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the interest which became due upon said mortgage December 1st, 1919, and subsequent installments, and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the said mortgage first above described, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Five hundred

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... for the purpose of receiving and considering bids and awarding contract. The right is reserved by the Town Board to reject any or all bids.

Plans and specifications may also be seen at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Dated July 11, 1921.
By order of the Town Board,
ALFRED LONGREN,
Town Clerk.
J-14-21-28

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Barn and lot; can be used for garage. See Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 25

FOR SALE—200 bushels feed oats, 40c per bushel. Frank Svobodny, Thief River Falls, Minn. 23tf

FOR SALE—Good wagon, one surrey and a pair of bob-sleighs. Call at 612 Horace Ave. N. 20p

FOR SALE—Fine modern six-room home on East Side. First and Peoples' State Bank. 26

FOR SALE—Pump outfit with electric motor, hot water heaters and miscellaneous items of used equipment. Send for descriptive list. N. W. School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn. 27

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—Small fire-proof safe, check protectograph, some glass candy jars and flat trays, 312 Bridge street. 27

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Modern six room house with four lots, 313 Bridge street. 27

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gerell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—80 acres with good buildings, two miles south of Greenwood cemetery. Inquire Dan Johnson. 20p

FOR SALE, RENT or TRADE—Paul's hotel, in good condition. Oldest and best known hotel in the county. Reason for selling, owner is crippled for life. Good business and a good bargain. Will also take car in trade. What have you? Call or write to Mrs. A. Rychaert, Red Lake Falls, Minn., Paul's Hotel. 26p

FOR SALE—One dining room table. May be seen at Nortz Lumber Co. office.

FOR SALE—Six room house. For particulars call 521 Riverside Ave, phone 555. 24p

FOR SALE—Seven room house and 3 lots, corner location. Will take automobile as part payment. Part cash, balance on easy terms. Lock Box 1191, City, or call 263. 25

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Barn and lot. Can be used for garage. See Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 27

TO EXCHANGE—Nice little farm of 60 acres on shore of Maple Lake, for house in town. C. L. Petersen, 208 Main Ave. N. 20

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 21tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

WANTED TO BUY—Threshing separator, 22-inch cylinder. Kotlan Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 23tf

FOR RENT

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FOR RENT—At once, 160 acre farm with good buildings, fenced, and with 115 acres in field. Also have 12 to 15 milch cows to rent with farm. Located southeast of Goodridge, in township of Star. Write John T. Haume, Highlanding, Minn. 22tf

FOR RENT—Farm near this city. See G. L. Sterns. 13tf

FOR RENT—Farm, 160 acres. Mrs. B. Overum, Highlanding, Minn. 24tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Inquire 811 LaBree Ave. N. 25

FOR RENT—Modern room. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Nurse girl to take care of three-year-old child. Apply at Apartment 12, up over Postoffice. 25

WANTED—Girl for kitchen work. Apply at Oakland Sanatorium. 25

TEACHER WANTED—Seven month's term of school, Dist. 118, Marshall county. Apply to John Ristau, Germantown, Route 3. 25p

Help Wanted—Male

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS for vacancies in Postoffice, Railway Mail, Government Departments. Men, women, over 17. $120 monthly. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars write J. Leonard (former Civil Service examiner) 450 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 25p

MEN WANTED TO SELL GROCERIES. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 24p

LOST

LOST—30x3½ tire with cover and rim west of Thief River Falls. Please leave at Times office. Emanuel Nelson, Strandquist, Minn. 30p

LOST—A vest with watch and chain, near Blueberry Ridge at Malcolm. Finder return to Becker Olson, Grygla, for reward. 25p

LOST—Pearl-handled knife at Lovers' Lane Park, Monday afternoon. Finder please return to Times office. 25

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Plowing. Apply at McFarland's Garage. 24p

STRAYED—From Hans H. Peterson's farm, Auder twp.: 1 roan cow, 2 red cows, 1 red steer. Finder please notify Ed. Hansen, Gen. Rt., Phone 1913. 25p

WANTED TO TRADE—A house in Thief River Falls for Ford car as part payment. C. O. Franson, Viking, Minn. 13tf

WANTED—Sewing by the day. Call at 111 Duluth Ave. N. 26

CARPET WEAVING—50c per square yard. We furnish warp. Work in city called for and delivered. Phone 539, 116 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britten. 28p

FOR TRADE—160 acres land for pool hall or confectionery store. John Jordahl, Thief River Falls. 26p

HIGHWAY ENGINEER SUMS UP PLANS IN STATE ROAD WORK

Excellent Showing Made During First Year of New Babcock Law's Operation.

Grading of 677 miles, gravel surfacing of 438 miles and paving of 80 miles, a total of nearly 1,200 miles, will represent permanent improvements on Minnesota trunk highways during the first year under the Babcock plan, according to a forecast this week by John H. Mullen, assistant commissioner and chief highway engineer.

The preliminary figures are based upon expectation that the usual $2,840,000 federal aid apportionment will be made available this year in Minnesota. Otherwise, the grading may be reduced to about 500 miles, gravel surfacing to 350 miles and paving to 65 miles, a 915-mile total.

Mr. Mullen's forecast of new construction does not take into account the maintenance improvements for which $3,000,000 has been set aside this season to spread immediate benefits of the Babcock plan to every mile of the 7,000-mile trunk highway system. The division includes more than 1,140 patrolmen now repairing and smoothing trunk routes and is counted on to bring first general benefits under the new highway development program.

The new construction is scattered in more than 75 different sections and when completed will make new totals of 2,176 miles of grading, 1,739 miles of gravel surfacing and 192 miles of paving on the state trunk system. It will cost approximately $10,000,000, if carried through without curtailment, and will represent expenditures of $5,000,000 of county reimbursement bond money, $2,840,000 of federal aid, and the balance of the motor vehicle tax revenue after $3,000,000 is deducted and placed in the maintenance fund.

The highway department, as previous progress figures show, is speeding good roads work but is now forced to await action by congress on federal aid legislation.

FEWER INDIANS IN NORTH STAR STATE

Census Figures Indicate Indian Population on Decrease. More Colored Folks.

According to information made public by the United States Census Bureau, last week, the Indian population of the state has fallen off 292 in the last ten years. In 1910 the population was given at 9053 while the statistics now given out indicate but 8,761. Of this number 1825 are to be found on the reservation in Cass county. The largest number are no doubt on the White Earth reservation where according to the only statistics we have been able to locate, those of the state census of 1905, there were almost 5,000, to be exact 4,968. The same census gave 1920 on the Chippewa reservation, which compared with the present estimated population would indicate a falling off of 97. However Superintendent Myers states that the population for some years past remains practically stationary around the 1,825 mark.

While the Indians within the state show a slight decrease some other races are increasing in number, notably the Chinese, which is credited with an increase of 85 per cent. This does not mean so much however, as the total enumerated is but 308. The Japanese number only 85 so the yellow peril is not very alarming as far as the North Star state is concerned.

The St. Paul Pioneer Press states that the census figures indicate an increase of 25 per cent in the colored population which in 1910 numbered 7,084 and which now count up to 8,869. Other colored races number but 26 persons representing Filipinos, Hindus, Malays and Hawaiians.

The population of the state showed a total of 2,387,125 for 1910, comprised of 1,245,537 males and 1,141,588 females, which the corresponding figures for 1910 were: Total, 2,075,708; males, 1,108,511; females, 967,197, a total increase of 311,417, the males by 197,026, or 12.4 per cent, and the females by 174,391, or 18 per cent, the ratio of males to females in 1920 being 100.1 to 100 as against 114.6 to 100 in 1910, indicating the stork's preference for boy babies during the decade.

FERRIS WHEEL ACT IS NEW AND NOVEL

Splendid Free Attraction Offered to County Fair Visitors Here Next Week.

When Eli Ferris invented the Ferris wheel, which first appeared at the Chicago World's Fair, he provided an idea for a new gymnastic performance that has been incorporated in the "Ferris Wheel Girls," who will appear at the Pennington county fair Aug. 3 to 6. So unique is this act that it was a feature at the New York Hippodrome for one season and startled the staid New Yorkers, just as much as it has the thousands of spectators who have since seen it on the vaudeville stage and at 275 fairs throughout the United States. Identically the same act which appeared at the famous Hippodrome will be shown those who attend the fair.

Combined with an athletic performance of exceptional merit is a musical act, which makes the presentation two big features in one, either of which is worthy to stand on its own merits as a number out of the ordinary. Together the acts make up a really meritorious combination which has never failed to win praise and applause wherever it has appeared.

Upon the whirling Ferris wheel, which stands 35 feet above a specially constructed stage, five beautiful girls perform, while the nickel-plated apparatus circles at a dizzy speed through the air. Feats which other performers present on stationary equipment these five young women, whose wardrobe is as beautiful as money and material can make, perform while traveling through the air like so many birds, absolutely unafraid. The act is as thrilling as it is beautiful.

The musical program offered by the same young women is a pleasing and perfectly constructed and executed bill which is a strong rival for popular favor with any individual musical performance given by performers who have not the added grace and gymnastic ability of these charming Ferris wheel girls.

New Hardware Man.

John A. Sundquist of Butte, Mont., has purchased the hardware store, building and residence of N. H. Dahl. Mr. Dahl acquires some property in Butte, Mont., in the deal.

Mr. Strandquist will assume management of the store as soon as the invoice now being taken is completed. He appears to be a pleasant gentleman and a business man, and will no doubt build up a flourishing business here. Mr. Dahl and family will reside in Thief River Falls, until he finds a new location.—Goodridge Banner.

DAIRY MARKETING CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Farm Bureau Launches Statewide Drive to Unite 600 Creameries Into Body.

The second statewide co-operative marketing enterprise to be started in Minnesota this summer was to be launched this week, in an intensive drive to unite 600 co-operative creameries into a powerful association.

Every co-operative creamery in the state is to be given an opportunity, between now and September 5, to join the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries' association, Inc. The objects and powers of the new association will be explained to the directors and patrons of every creamery by actual farmers, acting under the direction of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation and the new marketing agency.

The organization drive has been mapped out by A. J. McGuire, representing the association, and by the organization department of the farm bureau. The state has been divided into 12 campaign districts, and a farmer placed in charge of each district, with the job of explaining the new agency to every co-operative creamery in the district. Meetings are being called by the presidents of county farm bureaus and the local creameries, to consider joining the association.

Shares of stock have a par value of $25; in order to join, a creamery must take one share of stock for each 50,000 pounds of butterfat handled annually.

HE BELIEVES IT SAVED HIS LIFE

Pinard Would Have Given Anything He Possessed for the Relief Tanlac Brought.

"I don't believe there is anything that will put a man who is down and out on his feet as quick as Tanlac will," said E. P. Pinard, of 1021 Minnesota Ave., Duluth, Minn., in relating his experience with the medicine.

"For a good many years I had such a bad case of stomach trouble and was in such fear and dread my food wouldn't agree with me that I could not enjoy a meal. I suffered so from indigestion and bloating, and had such terrible pains up through my chest that many times I would have given anything I possessed for relief. Why, if I hadn't gotten hold of Tanlac I believe I would have been a goner altogether by now.

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Reach Agreement on Ditch Repair Program in Kratka

A large number of interested farmers appeared at the court house last Saturday, when the final hearing in the matter of repairing county ditch No. 39 was taken up. After heated arguments on both sides, it was finally decided to appoint a committee of three men from each faction to come to a final understanding in the matter.

These men finally agreed on what work should be done this year on the ditch, an amount considerably less than originally planned, and the undertaking will be started as soon as possible. Ditch No. 39 is located almost exclusively in Kratka township and is one of the most important in that section. It was the original intention to deepen the ditch and add some new laterals, but the objectors to this program were strong enough to prevent this being carried out. Instead only a comparatively small amount of repair work will be done at this time.

Work is Progressing on Peat Experimental Farm

Supt. C. G. Selvig returned last evening from a trip to the Golden Valley Peat Experimental Farm located 14 miles east of Holt, says Monday's Crookston Times. This experimental work with peat was begun in 1918 and is conducted by the University of Minnesota. Prof. G. H. Nesom is at the farm now. Acid phosphate fertilizer is producing increased yields on peat with the various crops in contrast to smaller yields or no crops at all of untreated peat soil.

A visiting day will be held at the peat farm on Aug. 11 or 13, the date to be determined at a conference with Dr. F. J. Alway and Supt. Selvig. Profs. McCall and Larson of the farm school faculty were also on this trip. Mr. Selvig also had as his guest, Mr. T. Sanderson, of Harmony, Minnesota, who returned greatly impressed with the agricultural possibilities of Red River Valley.

Much Grain Wasted By Carelessness in Threshing

Hundreds of thousands of bushels of grain are lost to consumption each year on American farms because of improper adjustment and lack of efficiency in the operation of threshing machines. The United States Department of Agriculture has given considerable attention to this loss with a view to ascertaining how far improved methods can be economically introduced to adjust waste. It is true, experts point out, that sometimes the time and labor involved in checking a small loss is worth more than the saving. Nevertheless, there are many leaks on almost every threshing job which might easily be stopped if the farmer or machine operator would spend a few hours in the study of the problem and a few dollars in replacing worn and damaged parts.

Feeding the grain into the machine adjustment of the cleaner, and other small items go to make up a total that may mean gain or loss. Much grain is wasted by failure to clean up at the end of the setting. The United States Department of Agriculture has issued Farmers' Bulletin 991, "The Efficient Operation of Threshing Machines," which contains much good advice on this subject. This bulletin may be obtained by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1, Northern	$1.28
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.13
Oats	.21
Flax	1.82
Barley	.38
Rye	.91
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.20
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
Spring Chickens	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.21
Dairy Butter	25-30
Creamery Butter	.13
Creamery butter	.35
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

Potato Crop Light.

It is too early yet to predict with any certainty as to the probable price of potatoes this year, but the indications are for a light crop.

Locally the crop will be below the normal, this being especially true of those planted early. There are only three or four in each hill. The dry spell prevented them from getting well started.

Ole Sversvold.

Ole Sversvold, 81 years old, for many years a resident of the Grygla community, died last Saturday, strangulated hernia being given as the cause of death. Deceased was born in Norway and came to this country about fifty years ago. He was a very highly respected citizen and had a large number of friends in his neighborhood. The remains were taken to Larson's undertaking parlors and prepared for shipment to Battle Lake, Iowa, where funeral services will be held and interment made in the family lot.

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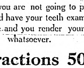

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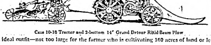

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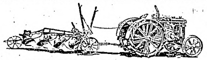

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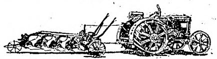

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GREATEST FAIR ATTRACTS FOLK IN BIG CROWDS

Twentieth Annual Pennington County Exhibition Greater Than All Former Events.

Opens With Wonderful Displays in Every Department —Fine Livestock Showing.

Weather Continues Ideal and All Attendance Records Will Likely Be Broken.

The twentieth annual Pennington county fair opened yesterday morning and is now proceeding with full steam ahead. Weather conditions the fore part of the week caused considerable worry among those immediately interested in the success of the fair, but the threatening clouds rolled away and Wednesday morning the sun shone brightly and continued to do so throughout the day.

While the crowds on Wednesday were not as large as the more optimistic had predicted, the attendance fully equalled those on the first day of previous fairs. Nearly all of the exhibits were in place by noon and afternoon visitors found everything in tip-top shape. Most of the "white way" was in operation by Tuesday evening, when quite a number from the city were on hand to ride the merry-go-round and enjoy the other amusement features furnished by the Little Giant shows. While this is, strictly speaking, a carnival, it is one of the best and cleanest on the fair circuit and allows nothing objectionable to be staged under its franchise.

Some Wonderful Exhibits.

Every department of the fair shows up well, and exhibits in many lines far surpass those of previous years. Especially is this true of the livestock. Every stall in the three barns is filled to overflowing and almost all of the open sheds are occupied by excellent specimens of cattle, sheep and hogs produced in Pennington county. While Holstein and Guernsey cattle are in the lead, Shorthorns and other breeds make a very creditable showing. The livestock exhibits at the fair this year should prove beyond question that Pennington county farmers are making rapid strides in the right direction.

Poultry also occupies a prominent place at the fair. Row upon row of coops containing beautiful specimens of the feathered tribe fill the large poultry building to its very doors. Purebred poultry is now generally recognized as a very profitable side line on the farm, while many residents of the city find their flock of chickens a paying investment.

Fine New Building.

But the one thing which adds most to the general arrangement of things on the fair grounds is the new building occupied by the woman's department and industrial exhibit. Every inch of space in the structure is filled with something of interest to visitors. Fancy work of all kinds, the culinary department, samples of work from city and county schools, horticultural display, special booths conducted by local business establishments, and a wonderful showing of articles made by patients at Oakland Park sanatorium are only a few of the things to be found here. In this place also are located the women's rest room, information bureau and other conveniences for women visitors at the fair.

The new building fills a long felt want and furnishes an ideal location for some of the most important features of the annual county exhibition.

Free Attractions.

Splendid music was furnished yesterday by the Thief River Falls band, which played several selections on the streets of the city before marching to the fair grounds. The afternoon program consisted of performances by the Ferris Wheel Girls, half an hour of exciting auto polo, more music by the band and a ball game between St. Hilaire and Viking. Yesterday being designated officially as St. Hilaire day, a large delegation of visitors from that section of the county was present.

The program last evening was a repetition of the afternoon performance with the exception of the ball game. At 9 o'clock the first style show was put on by Loken Brothers' department store and Johnson's Millinery, to the delight of a large number of women visitors. It was an elaborate affair and elicited much favorable comment.

Good Things in Store.

Many good things are in store for fair visitors today and tomorrow. In addition to the free attractions shown on Wednesday, the evening performance will be concluded with an extraordinarily elaborate display of fireworks. Tonight will be shown "The Siege of the Dardanelles," while tomorrow evening an equally fine display called "Pioneer Days," will be put on. For Saturday afternoon are scheduled a series of the fastest automobile races ever witnessed on a half mile track in the state. People who love to be thrilled should make it a point to be on the grounds Saturday afternoon.

Young Man Disobeys Order Of Holdups and Saves Hide

Harry Mjelde, a young man living in the west part of the city, on Sunday night reported to the police that two men had attempted to hold him up while he was on his way home. Instead of following orders, young Mjelde turned and ran so fast that the footpads made no effort to follow him. The lad took a chance and got away, but was badly frightened and does not care to repeat the experience.

It is considered likely the attempted holdup was the work of hard characters who had drifted into town to operate during fair week. No further examples of the popular Minneapolis pastime have since been reported, however, and it may be possible the desperadoes decided not to linger in Thief River Falls.

VALLEY BOOSTERS JOURNEY THROUGH SEVERAL COUNTIES

Development Association Tour Proves Marked Success. Visitors Impressed.

Arriving right on schedule time, the Red River Valley Development association tourists drove into Thief River Falls last Thursday at 1 o'clock. The party was composed of boosters from all along the line and about a dozen cars were pressed into service to make the trip.

A delegation from this city consisting of Mayor John Bratrud, E. O. Mogensen, C. L. Hansen and Olaf Ramstad met the travelers at Red Lake Falls and piloted them to the gates of Thief River Falls. A short stop was made at St. Hilaire and brief talks given.

Upon their arrival here the boosters gathered at the bank corners and after a short concert by the local band, a number of short speeches were made by members of the party. Among the speakers were R. C. Mathwig, president of the association; R. C. Rutledge, of the state immigration department; James Cumming, president of the Minnesota potato exchange; C. P. Bull, state weed inspector, and G. C. Selvig, president of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Mayor Bratrud introduced the speakers.

At the conclusion of the speaking part of the program, the entire party was escorted to the Evelyn hotel, where dinner had been provided under the auspices of the Thief River Falls Commercial club. After dinner the tourists continued on their way northward, making short stops at all towns and spending the night at Roseau. The following day the distance to Warren was traversed and the tour ended with a big evening meeting at which a number of excellent talks were given. Several auto loads of Thief River Falls people attended the meeting at Warren.

LOCAL MUSICIAN TO APPEAR IN RECITAL

Miss Doris Halvorson Will Render Program at Lyceum on Tuesday, August 16.

The Woman's club of Thief River Falls will present Miss Doris Halvorson in a piano recital at the Lyceum theatre on Tuesday evening, Aug. 16. Miss Halvorson has recently returned from Oberlin, Ohio, where she has completed a most thorough and rigid four-year course in music at the Oberlin College Conservatory. She is a Thief River Falls girl and the first graduate from the city to receive honors at a college of music.

The program will consist of piano compositions of the foremost masters, such as Liszt, Grieg, Chopin, etc., which require marvelous technique and skill. Miss Halvorson will be assisted by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, contralto.

The Woman's club takes pleasure in announcing to the public this musical treat, and it is hoped that all will avail themselves of the opportunity presented at this recital. Further particulars will appear in next week's issue of The Times.

Five Large Plate Glass Windows Broken in Storm

During the wind storm last Friday evening, the awning on the west side of the Oen Mercantile company building was blown down and the rods smashed through five of the large plate glass windows in the twinkling of an eye. The storm came up without much warning and employes of the store did not get time to roll up the awning before the wind struck.

The damage is estimated at upwards of a thousand dollars, with insurance to cover the greater part of the loss. The windows have been sheeted up with boards temporarily and new plate glass will be put in place as soon as it can be secured.

Sons of Norway Picnic.

Several automobile loads of members of the local lodge Sons of Norway lodge, went to Crookston last Sunday to attend a picnic and celebration given by the lodge in that city. The day was ideal for an outing of this kind and everybody concerned spent a very enjoyable day.

AUTOS COLLIDE AND OCCUPANTS SUFFER INJURY

Ford Car Completely Demolished in Head-on Collision With Big Imperial.

Hardy Bjerke, Riding in Ford, Comes Out of Scrape With Fractured Jaw.

Accident Occurred Saturday Evening on Holt Road North of Thief River Falls.

The most serious automobile accident to occur in this locality so far this season happened on the Holt road about two miles north of Thief River Falls late Saturday evening. A Ford driven by Hardy Bjerke and *S. G. Swenkeson of Holt collided* with an Imperial driven by Ed. Peterson of this city, resulting in severe injury to the occupants of the Ford. Bjerke was brought to the local hospital suffering from a broken jaw and other injuries, while his companion sustained severe sprains and bruises. Mr. Peterson, Oscar Evans and Arthur Liden, riding in the Imperial, escaped without injury except for a severe shaking up. Bjerke was able to leave the hospital for his home this morning.

Cars Badly Demolished.

The two cars, the Imperial going south and the Ford traveling north, were both going at a high rate of speed when the collision occurred. The cars came a little too close together in passing and the front wheels locked, causing the Ford to turn over two or three times. Three wheels were knocked off, top and windshield smashed—in fact everything but the gasoline tank seemed to be twisted or bent all out of shape. One front wheel was torn from the Imperial, causing it to nose deeply into the bank alongside the road. Aside from the broken wheel the Peterson car was not badly damaged.

Thieves Get Busy.

During the time elapsing between the accident and daylight the next morning, someone passing by the wrecked Ford removed everything of value which could be taken off and carried away. The three loose rims and tires were taken, as were tools, extra equipment and many other things of value. Someone evidently saw an opportunity to stock up on Ford extras and did not let it slip by.

While the accident proved serious enough to suit those concerned, it must be considered extremely fortunate that no one was killed. It was a narrow escape and should be an object lesson to drivers who are inclined to be careless in passing other cars on the road.

Thief River Indians Win One Game and Lose One

The Thief River Indians lost one battle and won a victory the past week. Last Sunday they defeated the Viking team on the local grounds by a score of 11 to 6. Gulrud did the pitching while Prugh and Lane took turns behind the bat. Gormon and Sumner composed the Viking battery.

After the game here was over the boys went to St. Hilaire and engaged the team there in a contest which resulted in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of the down-river team. Battery for Thief River Falls, Herron and Morse; for St. Hilaire, Mellquist and Brink. The Indians secured five hits to St. Hilaire's one, but managed to lose the game through costly errors.

TWO YOUTHS BREAK INTO AUTO GARAGE

Bound Over to Await Action of District Court — Bonds Furnished Immediately.

At a hearing conducted before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court yesterday morning, Julius and Leonard Morstad were bound over to the grand jury on the charge of breaking into the Aga machine shop on the evening previous. Bonds were furnished and the young men are now at liberty.

From the evidence produced at the hearing it appears that the brothers were seen to go into and leave the machine shop about 10 o'clock Tuesday evening, and an examination of the door next morning showed that its fastenings had been broken. The proprietor of the shop, after hurriedly checking things over, could not account for anything missing, this being extremely difficult owing to the number of tools and other things lying about the place. Witnesses also testified at the hearing concerning other suspicious moves the boys are alleged to have made recently in prowling about private property at night.

No testimony was offered in defense, H. O. Chommie, attorney for the prisoners, merely asking that bail be placed at a figure which it would be possible for them to procure.

Dr. F. H. Gambell to Speak Here Next Sunday, Aug. 7

Dr. F. H. Gambell, for many years a prominent resident of Thief River Falls, is expected to arrive in the city the latter part of this week. The Gambell family now resides at Willows, in the famous Sacramento valley of California. After leaving Thief River Falls, Dr. Gambell served for a year with the Red Cross in Siberia and went through some very interesting experiences while there.

Next Sunday Dr. Gambell will deliver two lectures at the Presbyterian church, one at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and the other at 8 o'clock in the evening. In these lectures he will describe his experiences in Siberia and the talks should prove of much interest to local people.

Mrs. Christiansen Injured.

Mrs. F. Melius Christiansen, wife of Professor Christiansen of St. Olaf college, was seriously burned last Sunday in a gasoline tank explosion near Christmas Lake, following a collision between a street car and the automobile in which Mrs. Christiansen was riding. The victim of the accident is in a serious condition but will recover. Prof. Christiansen will be remembered by Thief River Falls people as leader of the St. Olaf choir which gave a concert here early this summer.

TRY TO STEAL CAR AND RUN INTO BIG HEAPS OF TROUBLE

Caught in Act of Taking Automobile From Premises, Two Lads Languish in Jail.

When members of the J. M. Bishop family were awakened by a peculiar noise in the yard last Friday morning about 2 o'clock, they discovered someone trying to make a get-away with their large touring car. The culprits who were attempting to back the car out of the yard beat a hasty retreat down an alley when they realized someone was aware of their operations. About an hour later the authorities rounded up two men at the Soo station who looked like suspicious characters and these were placed in jail. After a grilling by Sheriff LaBree the young men admitted they had attempted to steal the Bishop car and also that they had made an attempt earlier in the evening to steal the car of C. C. Gulrud, but were frightened and ran away.

At a preliminary hearing before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court the would-be auto thieves were bound over to the grand jury on a bond of $500 each, which they have up to this time been unable to furnish.

RESULT AT GOLDEN VALLEY PEAT FARM TO BE SHOWN SOON

Annual Visiting Day Set For Saturday, Aug. 13—Excellent Crops Obtained.

Geo. H. Nesom, in charge of the peat experimental plots at Golden Valley, was in Thief River Falls yesterday making preliminary arrangements for the visiting day which is to be conducted at Golden Valley on Saturday, Aug. 13. Work has been in progress on the plots since early spring and it is said the results produced on this peat soil will prove a revelation to those who have formed the opinion that nothing of value can be raised on such ground.

A short program will be provided at 2 o'clock on visiting day, and there will be inspection of the plots both before and after the program. It is expected people from all parts of this section of the state will be present and provisions are being made to care for a large crowd. Experiments on the Golden Valley plots last year showed up very well considering the season, and from experience gained then it has been possible to produce vastly better results during the present summer.

Visitors are asked to bring a picnic lunch and come prepared to spend all day. Anyone interested in peat land experiments will find it well worth his while.

Syndicate Buys Big Tract of Land in North Dakota

One of the biggest land deals in the Northwest in recent years was closed last week, when Col. Joseph M. Kelly and John Kelly of Devils Lake sold their 12,000 acre tract of land surrounding Knox and Pleasant Lake, N. D., to a Southern Minnesota syndicate.

Approximately $500,000 was involved in the deal, it was reported, and 28 complete farms changed hands in the transaction, including the famous Pleasant Lake Stock Farm.

The Minnesota syndicate which acquired the land is composed of German Lutherans headed by Rev. Alfred F. Winters of Mankato. Rev. Winters announced his plans to include the erection of a German Lutheran church and community cities as well as the establishment of a Lutheran college on the banks of Pleasant lake.

FARM BUREAU'S RURAL PLAN IS GIVEN CONGRESS

Inadequate Credit, Unfair Deflation, High Freights Declared Ruining Farmers.

Specific Remedies Urged By Federation to Secure Needed Relief Immediately.

Favor Co-operative Marketing and Declare Opposition to General Sales Tax.

Congress must act immediately to give farmers relief from high freight rates, inadequate credit, foreign competition and inefficient marketing if it expects to restore nationwide prosperity. That is the warning sent to Washington yesterday by the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation. It accompanied a detailed summary of the agricultural problems of the state, supported by evidence of specific injuries suffered by the producers as a result of present economic conditions.

The Minnesota federation also outlined specific remedies, urging speedy legislation action to put them into effect. The complete statement with its supporting evidence was presented to all members of the joint congressional committee, under Representative Sydney Anderson, which is investigating agricultural conditions.

Recommendations Made.

Five recommendations were laid before congress by the Minnesota federation, as follows:

Finance—Credit facilities must be adjusted to the needs of agricultural production and financing. The 30 to 90 day loan suited to ordinary commercial and industrial enterprises is not equally adapted to the needs of agriculture; it puts the farmer under a serious financial handicap as compared to the manufacturer and merchant.

Transportation—Railroad freight rates must be reduced to a level that will restore the movement on the necessities of life, before the farmers' purchasing power can be restored or the consumer can be benefitted by the decline in the original selling price of farm products.

Seek Tariff Protection.

Foreign Competition — American agriculture cannot prosper unless it is accorded the same tariff protection that is accorded other American industry. So long as the farmer is compelled to buy on a protected market, he must be allowed to sell on a protected market or be reduced by competition with foreign peasants and peons to a condition disastrous and unthinkable.

Marketing—Co-operation of the producers in distributing their products is entitled to a fair trial in open competition with the existing system, and congress should enact necessary clarifying legislation to guarantee the right of the producer and the consumer to this trial.

Oppose Sales Tax.

Taxation—The farmers of Minnesota are virtually unanimous in opposition to the enactment of a general sales tax, a tax on land holding, and repeal of the excess profits tax.

"Commerce and industry are so dependent on the farmers' normal purchasing power," the statement said, "that restoration of that purchasing power is absolutely essential to bring the whole economic fabric of the United States back to normalcy."

Big Style Show at County Fair Exceeds Expectations

One of the most interesting features among the attractions at the county fair on Wednesday evening was the style show given by Loken Brothers and the Johnson Millinery. The entire exhibition was excellent and only words of praise have been heard regarding it. Wearing apparel displayed, including garments and hats, represented an approximate value of $8,000. A pyramid of flowers formed a beautiful background for the promenade, around which the models walked. The models were particularly well chosen and displayed to very good advantage the garments worn.

The order of presentation was as follows: Sport dresses, serge dresses, high grade cloth coats, fur coats, silk dresses, suits, children's dresses, waists and skirts, children's coats, $25 coats, knitted coats, bridal party.

The models included Misses Sybil McGinn, Helen Langseth, Ella Krohn, Esther Soards, Margaret Patterson, Evangeline Burns, Alvina Jonas, Lena Evenson, Jeanette Oftedahl and Effie Christianson. The children's garments were exhibited by Helen Johnson, Jeanette Mogensen, Ruth, Ione and Muriel Loken, Esther Bennes and Ellen Crandall.

Mrs. J. H. Hardesty, superintendent of the women's department at the fair, was highly pleased with the display and pronounced it most excellent. The same performance will be given this afternoon at 4 o'clock and this evening at 8, and will be repeated Friday at the same hours. The Johnson Millinery store will be in charge of Miss Gilma Ostvolden during the remaining days of the fair.

Light Hail Storm Does Damage to Growing Corn

A heavy wind and rain storm passed over this section of the country last Friday evening about seven o'clock. While no damage is reported in the immediate vicinity of Thief River Falls, considerable injury was done by hail and wind in the southwestern part of the county. Beginning at the Clemens farm south of Thief River Falls and extending for several miles in a southwesterly direction, growing corn was badly riddled by hail and the prospects for a bumper crop of corn in this territory is much less promising as a result. Ripened fields of small grain also suffered considerable damage.

During the past week the weather has been very unsettled, with frequent showers. This has interfered to a considerable extent with harvesting and some farmers report ripe grain as lodging badly.

LEANS OUTCLASSED BY HARD SLUGGING OF FAT OPPONENTS

Exciting Base Ball Battle Cut Short By Rain in Beginning of Fourth Inning.

Forced to an abrupt end in the fourth inning on account of rain, which some people believe was an act of kind providence for the protection of the leans, the base ball game staged last Friday evening at the fair grounds between the fats and leans of the city resulted in a score of 4 to 1 in favor of the overgrown boys. It was a good game while it lasted and furnished considerable amusement for the large crowd present.

John Morgan and Daniel Shaw officiated as umpires, and of course could not expect to escape without criticism. The leans claim Mr. Morgan's eyesight was sadly deficient when it came to differentiating between balls and strikes and that he was largely responsible for the success of H. W. Protzeller, heavyweight pitcher, in keeping the batting average of the leans below normal. The fats, on the other hand, claim that Mr. Morgan is a strictly A No. 1 umpire and showed no partiality whatever.

Louis DeCremer did the twirling for the leans and showed good form. His support was rather shaky at times, however, and luck seemed to be against him from the start. General opinion among the leans seems to be that had the weather man been kind enough to let the game run a few more innings, there would have been a different story to tell. The lanky ones claim they were just getting their bearings when the rain started and would have run the fat boys to death in a few more innings.

Anticipating the need of their services, an auto load of nurses equipped with an ample supply of first aid paraphernalia, closely followed by Larson's automobile hearse, took up their position on the side lines, ready for any emergency which might arise. It was a thoughtful provision and undoubtedly would have been brought into use had the game proceeded much farther.

Something over one hundred dollars was added to the swimming pool fund from the collections at the gate, which will form a very nice beginning for this worthy object.

NEW OWNER TAKES OVER MUSIC HOUSE

Lars H. Larson Buys Interests of F. S. Ebert, T. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth.

A deal was closed this week whereby the business of the Thief River Music company passed into the hands of Lars H. Larson, who purchased the interests of F. S. Ebert, Theodore J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, for several years past, owners of the corporation. Mr. Larson, in turn, disposed of his interest in the Larson Furniture company to his brother, Carl B. Larson, who will continue this business as formerly.

The new proprietor of the music store needs no introduction to the people of Thief River Falls. He has for several years been associated with his brother in the furniture business, enjoying a wide acquaintance and the full confidence of the public. While he does not plan any radical change in the music store, he will add to the already large stock and make it one of the most complete establishments of its kind in this section of the state. Mr. Halseth will remain in the music store with the new proprietor and for the present will have charge of the picture framing and repair department, which will be maintained as formerly.

Mr. Ebert and Mr. Hagen have not yet formulated their plans, but expect to remain in Thief River Falls for the present. It is more than likely, however, that they will re-establish themselves in business in this section of the state before long. They are both good citizens and good business men and have a host of friends in Thief River Falls who will wish them an abundance of success wherever they may decide to locate.

REAL SPEEDERS TO HOLD FORTH LAST FAIR DAY

Daring Drivers and Fast Racing Cars Already on Ground For Big Race Meet.

Lovers of Auto Racing to Be Given Feast of Thrills Next Saturday.

Everything Indicates Greatest Speed Contest Ever Staged in Minnesota.

With their motors tuned up for the big race meet Saturday, the closing day of the twentieth annual Pennington county fair, the drivers are now putting the finishing touches to their cars in preparation for the big battle. When the starter's flag is waved on Saturday afternoon, one of the greatest fields of dirt track pilots ever assembled in the Northwest will begin their mad dash around the oval, vying with each other for track records and the lion's share of the cash purse offered.

Extra Feature Likely.

Probably one of the features of the race program will be a match race between Les Allen and O. T. Barr, since Allen has challenged Barr to a special match race to decide the track honors of the Northwest and the bitter dispute that has existed between these drivers for the dirt track title. Each of these drivers is a dare devil at the wheel and willing to fight for every inch of ground. Latest developments, however, indicate that both Cy Cobb and Ted Rick are trying to shove their entries or challenges into the battle and are willing to post their side money for the race, with winner take all. It is probable that Barr will accept these challenges to settle all arguments to his title and furnish one of the hottest contests ever put on in the Northwest.

Floyd Willard, light car champion, has his fast Monroe in top-top shape for the meet and predicts that the light car will have the advantage over the heavy cars in holding to the track. He has made a few mechanical adjustments in his car to fit the course here and says that he intends to get up in front in the battle here and stay there. Billy Jackels, the young St. Paul boy who is invading northern territory for the first time, has entered with his Stephens to make his bid for a share of the cash purse of $2,500.

Precautions Taken.

All the drivers were given notice by the International Motor Contest association, under whose sanction this meet is held, that they must observe the rules set forth to them or be disqualified in the race, as the association is working in co-operation with the fair board to prevent any accidents or injuries which seem so liable with such bitter rivalry among the drivers. All precautions possible have been taken by Secretary Fuller to avoid any spills or collisions, which seem so probable with the keen competition expected.

Work on the track is nearly completed and the expert in charge predicts the course will be in ideal condition for the drivers on Saturday, providing favorable weather conditions prevail.

STATE FAIR TO BE NEXT GREAT EVENT BOOSTING SECTION

Reduced Fares Given on All Railroads For Benefit of Exposition Visitors.

Special excursion rates of a fare and a half to the Minnesota State fair, Sept. 3 to 10, have been announced by the railroads. Tickets will be good from Sept. 2 to 10, inclusive.

The territory covered includes all of Minnesota, northern Iowa, South Dakota points as far west as Sioux Falls and Watertown, North Dakota points as far west as Wahpeton, Fargo and Grand Forks, and Wisconsin points as far east and south as Superior, Rhinelander, EauClaire and LaCrosse.

The greatest exposition in history is being prepared for the half million visitors who will file through the gates. Premiums totaling $121,600 are offered for all kinds of educational exhibits. Permanent improvements costing $235,000 are being made to house the exhibits and care for crowds.

The entertainment program features many thrillers never seen in the Northwest. Headliner of headliners will be the thrilling passage of Lieutenant James from a speeding auto to a low-flying aeroplane in front of the grandstand each day. Dr. Carver's diving horse, ridden by a girl, will leap from a platform 40 feet in the air, into a shallow pool of water.

The gigantic railroad collision, featured in 1920, will be repeated on a greater scale before the grandstand Saturday, Sept. 3, one day only.

Society and Club

Entertained.

Mrs. Oscar Mellby entertained at a 6:30 dinner at her home Tuesday evening in compliment to her guest, Mrs. F. Kenyon of Fordville, N. D. Covers were laid for nine.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson were hosts at dinner at their home Sunday noon. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. T. J. Rowan.

Picnic Party.

A number of ladies were entertained at a picnic party on Friday afternoon by Mrs. Geo. Curran and Mrs. E. M. Stanton. Mrs. John Rogers of Mobridge, S. D., was honor guest.

Entertains.

Mrs. John Morgan entertained a few friends at dinner at her home on Thursday evening in compliment to her guest, Mrs. Middlemist, of Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. Middlemist is a sister of Mr. Morgan.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. M. W. Brink entertained at 7 o'clock dinner at her home on Duluth avenue on Tuesday evening. The guests included Misses Irma Johnson, Grace Wilson and Norman Holen, Ed. Brevig and Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

In Compliment to Mrs. Rogers.

Honoring her guest, Mrs. John Rogers of Mobridge, S. D., Mrs. W. J. LaBree entertained several ladies at a theatre party on Wednesday evening. The guests were later taken to the LaBree home on Knight Ave. for refreshments.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mrs. Julia Tandberg entertained the following at dinner at her home on Thursday evening: Mrs. I. T. Austed and two daughters, Misses Agnes and Irene and son Henry, all of Detroit; Mrs. Anna Langseth and daughter Palma and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

Birthday Party.

Twelve little tots were guests of Mrs. S. Brandon at her home on Monday afternoon when she entertained at a party in honor of her daughter Verna, on the occasion of her seventh birthday anniversary. A large birthday cake topped with candles was a feature of the luncheon.

For Mrs. Berg.

Mrs. E. O. Erickson entertained at dinner at her home Friday evening, in compliment to Mrs. Inga Berg of Minneapolis, who is here on a visit. Places were arranged for Mrs. Berg, Mr. and Mrs. Bredeson and Mr. Quambeck.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. John Dahl entertained Mrs. Berg and her mother, Mrs. Nyhus, at dinner at her home on Arnold avenue.

Afternoon Party.

Misses Phonsie O'Neill of St. Paul and Helen Weeks of this city, were honor guests at a party given by Miss Mary Prichard, at her home, Thursday afternoon. The guests included Misses Helen Weeks, Phonsie O'Neill, Goldie Stebbins, Doris Halverson, Dorothy Bottleson, Ella and Marrian Miller, Mirriam Bishop, Alpha Gerber, Irma Smith, Gladys Smith, Harriet Anderson, Meta Kiland, Evangeline Burns and Mrs. C. E. Andrews.

RAILROADS SAY FREIGHT RATES CANNOT BE CUT

Reduction in Wage Scales Is Claimed Insufficient to Warrant Rate Slashing.

Facts and Figures Are Cited Tending to Show Roads' Side of Question.

Contend That Country's Railways Have Suffered Seriously in Late Years.

The Times gives space to the following article, not because it favors the railroad view of the rate suestion but because it believes the general public is entitled to know both sides of the controversy. The article below contains a great deal of information on the subject and is well worth reading:

A good many persons and newspapers recently have expressed the view that general reductions of railway rates should be made in the near future. Some even contend that in view of the reduction of 12 per cent in railway wages the Railroad Labor Board has ordered, the entire advance in rates the Interstate Commerce Commission granted last August should be wiped out. On the other hand, one of the country's leading organizations of shippers, the National Industrial Traffic League, at its recent convention at Cleveland, adopted a resolution opposing general reductions of rates and urging its members in all parts of the country individually to oppose them.

The National Industrial Traffic League for years before the war was the foremost organization of shippers seeking reductions and opposing general advances of rates. Since the concerns its members represent ship a larger tonnage of raw materials and finished products than perhaps any other class of shippers in the United States, its attitude is significant. The principal reason given for its stand is that the railways must have opportunity to rehabilitate and expand their properties if in future they are to give good and adequate service; that they cannot rehabilitate and expand their properties unless allowed to make larger net returns for a long time to come, and that they cannot make adequate net earnings if there are soon to be general reductions of rates.

The National Industrial Traffic League is composed of industrial traffic experts who spend their business lives in the study of rates and other transportation problems, and undoubtedly the chief reason why they have gone on record opposing a general reduction of rates is that they understand the railroad situation better than those who advocate such reductions.

One argument which is now very often advanced for general reductions is that the rates are so high they are preventing a revival of general business and of railway traffic, and that therefore the railways as well as the public would be benefited by reductions of rates which would permit of an increase in traffic. But incontrovertible facts show that the present rates are not preventing a revival of business or an increase of traffic. The freight business of the railways declined about 40 per cent between October, 1920, and the end of February, 1921. Since then there has been a steady increase in the freight shipped. The number of carloads of freight shipped the last week of February, when the business had reached its lowest ebb, was 658,282 has increased steadily, and in the weeks ended May 28, the last week for which statistics are available, it was 787,237 carloads, an advance since the end of February of 19 per cent.

The heaviest slump in traffic which ever occurred before was between the signing of the armistice in 1918 and the spring of 1919. In 1919, as in 1921, freight shipments reached their lowest ebb in the last week of February, being in that week only 667,708 carloads. It will be noted that in 1921 the traffic declined to a lower point than in 1919. The recovery of traffic in 1919 was regarded as rapid, but the recovery which has occurred in 1921 thus far has been more rapid than it was in 1919, for in the last two weeks of May the total shipments of freight exceeded those in the last two weeks of May, 1919, being 1,441,081 carloads in 1919 and 1,455,567 carloads in 1921. The traffic moving is still 20 per cent less than last October, but it is increasing faster under the present rates than it did under the lower rates in effect in 1919.

Special complaint has been made regarding the rates on fruits and vegetables, and it has been widely charged that the movement of this traffic is being prevented and that products are rotting in the hands of the growers. Statistics recently published by the bureau of markets of the United States department of agriculture entirely disprove this contention. They show that during the present season up to June 4 the total fruits and vegetables shipped was 367,741 carloads, an increase over the same period of last year of 58,560 carloads. There were substantial increases in the shipments of apples, celery, lettuce, peaches, potatoes, strawberries, tomatoes and watermelons, and decreases only in cabbage, cantaloupes and onions. The evidence is conclusive that the present freight rates are not "throttling" business.

Since it is clear that reductions in rates are not needed to enable the traffic of the country to move, it is desirable and necessary to consider the effects which would be produced upon railway earnings and service by premature general reductions of the rates. It is well known that when the Interstate Commerce Commission last August fixed the present rates, it estimated that the railways would derive certain earnings from them and have certain operating expenses, and would receive a net operating income of 6 per cent upon the valuation of their properties made by the commission. In the last four months of 1920, when the railways handled the largest business they ever have handled in those months, the net return earned by them was at the rate of only 3.3 per cent. This was because their expenses were higher than had been estimated, and because the rates did not cause as large increases in earnings as had been estimated. The slump in traffic entirely wiped out the net operating income of the railways in January and February, and the net return earned by them from September, 1920, to June, 1921, averaged only a little over 2 per cent. This is hardly enough to enable the railways as a whole to pay the interest on their bonds. Furthermore, even the very small net returns obtained in recent months have been gained only by terrific reductions of maintenance expenditures. For example, owing to these retrenchments in maintenance there recently were in the country 325,000 freight cars which were in bad order.

The railways, under government control, were not allowed like most business concerns to make large profits and accumulate large surplusses, but were restricted to the same net return they earned in the three years before this country entered the war. Their poperties were allowed to deteriorate. The number of freight cars available actually decreased 126,000 under government control. They perhaps have suffered more severely from the recent depression in business than any other class of be allowed to rehabilitate their properties and get upon their feet financially if they are to be able to render the service the country will demand when general business improves and traffic increases. They cannot do this if general reductions in rates are soon made.

It is argued in some quarters that the last advance in rates was made to offset the advance in wages granted by the Railroad Labor Board last July, and that the rates should be reduced to where they were last August because the Labor Board has ordered two-thirds of the advance in wages eliminated. The facts are that the advance in wages made last July was estimated at the time at $625,000,000, while the advance in rates was estimated at $1,500,000,000. The advance in rates had to be made so much greater than the last advance in wages because when the railways were returned to private operation, before the last advance in wages was granted, they were incurring under government operation a deficit at the rate of almost $1,000,000,000 a year. Furthermore, the advance in rates when the railways were handling a heavy business proved to be about $500,000,000 less than was needed to enable them to earn a return of 6 per cent. Obviously a reduction in wages of only $400,000,000 a year is not sufficient to justify a demand that the entire advance in rates of $1,500,000,000 be wiped out, especially in view of the fact that this advance in rates proved to be entirely inadequate.

The railways do not contend that *no reductions in rates should be* made. They concede that as a result of the percentage increases in rates which have been made in recent years, many unfair discriminations and inequalities have developed, and contend that these should first be eliminated. Thousands of them already have been eliminated and thousands more are in process of elimination, the result being in almost every case reductions in rates. General reductions of rates which would result in large reductions of railway earnings should be postponed until the net earnings of the railways have become large enough so that general reductions of rates will not completely disable them from restoring their properties to good physical condition.

It is only a matter of time until the production and commerce of the country will completely revive again, and unless the railways get ready to handle a larger business than ever before the country will suffer enormous losses from the inability of its transportation system to handle its business.

The fact seems to be overlooked by many people that the movement of traffic can be much more seriously hindered by physical inability of the railways to handle it than by the application of rates which seem high compared with those in 1917 before the enormous advances in railway operating expenses due to the war and government control occurred. The average advance in passenger fares since then has been 45 per cent and in freight rates 70 per cent. The average increase in railway operating expenses has been over 100 per cent. Most of this increase in operating expenses has been due to increases in the wages of labor, and the fact should not be overlooked that the reduction of $400,000,000 in wages will wipe out less than one-fifth of the advances in wages which have taken place since 1917.

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received up to August 15, 1921, for the erection of a new rectory at St. Joseph's Church, Brooks, Minn. Size of the residence to be 32x32 feet. Plans and specifications will be furnished. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

MAX PERRAS, Sec.
Brooks, Minn.

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Piano Tuning.

A. E. McIntyre, the well-known piano tuner, will be in Thief River Falls on or about the middle of August. Those wishing their pianos tuned leave orders at Larson Furniture Co. Twenty years of experience, work guaranteed and country and near-by village orders given prompt attention. 26

RAIL UNIONS WIN BY BOARD RULING

Carriers Must Deal With Organized Men in Drafting New Working Pacts.

Railroad unions this week gained a victory by the decision of the United States railroad labor board that the roads must treat with the unions exclusively in forming new working agreements.

The case arose over a petition of the Pennsylvania lines which asked that it be allowed to conduct conferences with employes who were popularly elected, instead of with the regular representatives of the unions.

In railroad circles the decision is considered a victory for the closed shop in the rail industry.

Declaring election of employes' committees conducted by the Pennsylvania shopcrafts union illegal and void, the railroad labor board ordered a new ballot to select a committee on negotiation of rules covering conditions to replace the national agreements established during federal control.

The decision also canceled rules now in force as a result of agreements reached by the railroad with the committee selected on the Pennsylvania ballot.

The shopcrafts unions are fully recognized in the board's decision, although nonunion men were declared to have full and equal rights. In a form ballot drafted for use in the new election, employes are to be given their choice of representation by the Pennsylvania system federation, affiliated with the railway employes' department of the American Federation of Labor, the American Federation of Railroad Workers, or by any other organization or individual for whom a majority vote is cast.

The labor board refused to be drawn into a discussion of the open shop, for which the Pennsylvania has openly contended.

STATE WILL CARRY PHONE QUESTION UP

Proposition of Basing Charges on Service Going to United States Supreme Court.

The question of service as solely affecting the right of public utility companies in increase in rates will be decided by the United States supreme court for the first time, when the state railroad and warehouse commission late this week appeals to the supreme court against the increases recently granted to the telephone companies of the twin cities by three judges in the United States district court, O. P. B. Jacobson, member of the commission, said on Monday.

The case is being watched with extraordinary interest all over the United States, especially by members of public utility commissioners and by the United States interstate commerce commission and federal trade commission, Mr. Jacobson said.

"The state commission, in its order denying the increase, which was appealed to the federal courts, made the denial so solely because of bad service," Mr. Jacobson said. "The question of adequate rates was absolutely not considered by the majority members, Judge Ira Mills and myself, as we felt that a public utility company should furnish adequate service, which the telephone service certainly was not, before asking for an increase. The supreme court will decide whether we were right or not."

Henry C. Flannery, the commission's legal adviser, is in charge of the appeal. He is making it on the grounds that the service rendered has been so poor that the company loses the right to demand a reasonable return on the fair value of its property and that the principle that the public should be charged only a reasonable return for the service rendered, has been established in previous cases. The appeal will be filed in St. Paul federal court late this week.

Minneapolis rates were increased from $2.50 a month to $3 for residence phones, to $3 and $3.75, and for business phones from $4 and $6 to $8 and $10 for business service. The increase gave the company $1,177,000 additional revenue a year.

Minnesota Fifth Richest Farming State in Union

Minnesota is the fifth richest farming state in the union, according to figures just received at University Farm, St. Paul, from the census bureau. The total worth of all farm property in Minnesota, according to these figures is $3,787,420,118. Only four other states are richer. These states are Iowa, whose farm property is worth $8,525,270,956; Illinois, $6,666,817,235; Texas, $4,461,579,497; Nebraska, $4,193,825,242.

By far the richest part of the country, also, is the west north central section, which includes the states of Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas. The total value of farm property in these states amounts to $27,984,547,351. This is $10,000,000,000 in excess of the east north central section, including Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin.

SOLDIERS TO HOLD ANNUAL GATHERING

Nearly 100,000 mid-west service men, who trained for war service at Camp Dodge, will have their final opportunity next month to inspect the historic cantonment before its complete demolition, it was announced on Monday.

Over 6,000 veterans will take a final look at the old camp during the Eighty-eighth division reunion, which is to be held in DesMoines, August 26, 27 and 28. Every man who trained at Camp Dodge is entitled to attend the reunion, it has been announced. The cantonment, now being demolished rapidly, will be thrown open for inspection on these three days. Local committees have made arrangements to provide free automobile transportation from the city to the cantonment for the men who trained there.

Work is to be started on a great tent city at the fair grounds where the service men will be housed free of charge during the reunion. A reduced railroad rate of fare one one-half for all points in the mid-west has been granted the Camp Dodge men.

Do you know you can roll 50 good cigarettes for 10cts from one bag of

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

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YEAR after year, through varying periods of prosperity and depression, this bank has always given a maximum banking service—consistent with sound business policy.

Whatever may be the economic condition, our patrons can place firm faith in the protective strength of our ample Capital, Surplus and Resources.

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The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

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THE UNBREAKABLE KIND
NATIONAL BED-TIME TOYS
HAND-MADE—HAND PAINTED
FAST COLORS
STUFFED WITH PURE COTTON
SANITARY, BEAUTIFUL, ATTRACTIVE.

Big Shipment Just Received.

Laird's Specialty Shop

Change of Ownership

The undersigned, having purchased the interests of F. S. Ebert, Theo. J. Hagen and Roy P. Halseth, assumed active charge of the Thief River Music Company on August 1.

The general policy of the company will remain unchanged, the aim being to carry a complete line of musical instruments and musical merchandise of all descriptions. The already large stock will be augmented by the addition of the Brunswick line of phonographs and records, which formerly were handled by the Larson Furniture Company. The Edison, Victor and Columbia lines will be maintained as formerly, making the most complete stock of this class of goods to be found in Northwestern Minnesota.

The Art Department, Picture Framing and General Repair Department will be conducted as in the past, under the supervision of skilled workmen who are capable of doing anything in their line as it should be done.

Visitors in the city are especially invited to call at the Music Store while here. Look over the stock and inspect our line of phonographs and records. A mail-order department for the convenience of out-of-town patrons is a feature of this establishment.

Thief River Music Company
LARS H. LARSON, Proprietor.

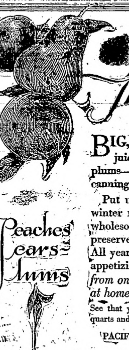

Use this tried recipe for CANNED PEACHES [illegible]

They're Here!

BIG, lucious peaches, fine juicy pears, rich flavored, delicious plums—now on the market, ready for canning!

Put up a good supply for the long winter months. There's nothing more wholesome or palatable than home preserves put up in Mother's own way. All year round you'll enjoy their fresh, appetizing goodness. *And you save from one-third to one-half by canning at home.*

See that you have plenty of Ball mason jars, quarts and pints.

PACIFIC N. W. GROWERS & JOBBERS ASSOCIATION
General Offices, Minneapolis, Minn.

"PULL OFF YOUR COAT!"

A Tramp Story by Clarence Sousley in Dry Goods Reporter

A friend took me out to his house Saturday afternoon. He had challenged me to a game of chess and I was to remain over and take dinner with the family.

We were sitting on the back porch in the shade, at our chess game when a delivery wagon from a department store drove up. There was a man of about thirty-five and a boy of seventeen in charge of this wagon. The man did the driving and directing, and the boy took the packages from the wagon to the various customers.

Both man and boy were dressed in uniforms of dark grey woolen cloth trimmed with silver buttons and braid. They wore caps to match and white celluloid standing collars with the coat buttoned up tight.

The thermometer registered 83 degrees.

The man was perspiring and the boy was perspiring. In fact my friend and I in our shirt sleeves were not suffering from the cold.

"Why don't you pull off your coat, boy, on a day like this?" I said.

"Against the rules, sir," he panted. "We got to keep our uniforms buttoned up tight, or else get the can."

"Awfully hot weather for that!" I remarked.

"*We ain't supposed to know anything* about the weather," replied the boy.

And then my thoughts harked back to the days of kings and gold braid, and wonderful costumes, and court etiquette and a lot of other tom-foolery. The man and boy on the delivery wagon in sweltering uniforms were merely to me a reflection of a remnant handed down from the days of trifling autocrats, and shriveling souls that had no thought or feeling for the plebians working under them.

Wouldn't this man and boy in shirt sleeves be more comfortable and in consequence more efficient and make a more pleasant impression upon the customers of they were dressed in cool and sensible attire?

What kind of a fool was it in authority in this department store, what kind of a shriveled, heartless soul was it who said these delivery employes must be condemned to dress as uncomfortably as possible in order to be a better advertisement for the firm?

Surely this order of wearing heavy uniforms buttoned up tight in the summer time could come from no other basis than that of advertising for the store. Nonsense. Besides being heartless and soulless, such an order is pure bonehead, official idiocy.

Driftwood ideas from tottering thrones. The first big department store in any of the big cities that shows its customers that it has a heart and soul by dressing its delivery employes in hot weather with comfort as the first consideration, will make a big hit with the people of that community, and if the matter is given sufficient publicity, it will make a big hit with the people all over the country.

The customers of the department store are more human than the officials of the department store give them credit for being.

The only possible reason for ordering a man and boy to wear sweltering costumes on a sweltering day is that it lends dignity to the institution. It's the same old idea handed down from the toppling crown where all attaches were compelled to dress to do honor to the king.

And this is the United States of America—where all men are equal; and some are more so.

After this delivery wagon had gone on its way, my mind instead of following the chess game went back behind the counters of the department stores of America and there I could see the silk salesmen and the dress goods man and the domestic clerk waiting on customers in a humid atmosphere of 85 or 90 degrees wearing their coats and vests, or without a vest and the coats buttoned and feeling perspiringly uncomfortable and waiting upon customers who were perspiringly uncomfortable.

I can hear a lot of people agree with me that it is all foolishness and heartlessness to compel a delivery man to wear his coat while on duty, but I can hear an equally large congregation disagreeing with me when I say that a man behind the counter selling silks or dress goods, or ready-to-wear or any other department store merchandise should be allowed to wait upon the trade in his shirt sleeves.

Holy horrors! Shades of impoliteness! Remnants of les majestie! Fires of Southern chivalry! We will have none of such generous ideas!

Ho, ho! and har, har! Let's get down to common sense! Who said that a man must wear his coat in the presence of a lady in order to show proper respect for that lady? What is there about a heavy uncomfortable coat on a man's shoulders in summer time that indicates that he has the proper respect for the female sex? Who issued that order; where did it come from? Isn't it merely part of the stuffing handed down from the upholstery of the worn-out throne? Isn't it idiotic? Aren't men asses for adhering to it? Aren't women soulless and heartless for demanding it?

There you are! Let me answer: The men are asses. The women are not soulless and heartless; they do not demand it. This idea, this order or whatever you may call it, was handed us by men and it has been upheld by men. The women themselves have had nothing to do with it. It's only a matter of worn-out custom established by men who paid more attention to pomp than they did to common sense.

Everybody in this world craves comfort. Comfort is as much sought after today as if it were a perpetual fountain of eternal youth. We are always searching for comfort and yet it is always at our very door. For comfort lies within the individual.

When we change a person's environment we change his state of mind. Many folks in this world enjoy privileges which are denied to their fellows.

Welfare work among industrial institutions has reached a high level of efficiency, yet here and there we find a cog that has slipped.

We find millions of brainy officials in big industrial institutions, and in the brain cells of each individual we find a few cobwebs.

In this matter of dress, for instance, the female of the species can adorn herself in the sheerest of the sheer during the summer period and is commended for her courage, while man must grin and bear the heat of the day, sweltering under the same coat that protected him from the elements in winter.

Traditions are peculiar; they are difficult to modify. And yet there are men who throw locomotives on the scrap heap every morning before breakfast because they are ever in vanguard for something better.

When the edict goes forth that men may appear in seasonable clothing upon any and all occasions, there will appear an increase in efficiency and poise and power that is beyond the power of computation, and thanks of gratitude will ascend on high.

It is a movement that should be fostered in America, because it is in line with progress. Who will blaze the trail and become immortal?

Getting down from my stilts, who among the Dry Goods Reporter family will issue an order tomorrow morning that hereafter all male employes of the store may appear for duty in shirt sleeves?

I was in Ogden last August. It was 105 in the shade. In order to keep comfortable I watched a man working in the sun, putting a slate roof on a house. I sat in the shade of a tree, figuring how long it would take him to drop off the roof from sunstroke.

A newsboy came along selling afternoon papers and I parted with a nickel in order to look over Ogden's department store advertising.

And here I came to "MENDEL'S—THE COOLEST STORE IN TOWN."

Well, "the coolest store in town" certainly had an attraction for me, and I stood on my feet and started that way.

I found Mendel's Department Store with a 75-foot front and one entrance that ran back into the store about 25 feet before I came to the front door. In front of the front door was a ceiling fan to keep the flies out and the dust away. Inside the store was done in white, ceilings and walls and shelvings and the sides of the counters.

A big exhaust fan in the rear wall kept a breeze gently going through the building. The girls were in white shirt waists and the salesmen were in shirt sleeves. Even the floor-walker, who came forward to greet me, wore shirt and belt and bow tie.

Shades of roughneckness! I thot Where am I at? "This is the Tramp," remarked the floor-walker before I found my speech. "My name is Mendel. How do you like the weather?"

I mopped a quart of perspiration off my face and neck before answering, and then replied, "Mr. Mendel, you are the first sensible dry goods merchant I have met in 40 years. Please tell me how you had the nerve to do it."

"It's only a matter, Tramp," said Mr. Mendel, "of departing from tradition and telling society to go to hell. It's hot in Ogden. You probably have discovered that. When it's 100 degrees in this store a salesman with a coat on will register about 115 degrees.

"A salesman registering 115 in the shade is not comfortable; he is miserable and he will inoculate the customer with his miserableness and make the customer miserable, and when you get a miserable customer and a miserable salesman together you have a miserable business. Change the thing about and you have a good business. That's all there is to it.

"I've tried every way I can to make my employes as comfortable as possible, because when they are comfortable they feel better, and when they feel better they make the customer feel better, and when the customer and the employe both feel better we do better business.

"Come back, Tramp, and sit down under this fan. Have a fresh stogie. Say, Tramp, I know what you are thinking about. When you saw my salesmen in shirt sleeves, the first thing you thought was that the customer would go up to the counter and be greeted by a salesman in shirt sleeves and then she would turn up her nose and leave the store, feeling that she had been insulted.

"The reverse is true, Tramp. Women adjust themselves to new customs and new conditions quicker than men do, and when my salesmen first appeared in shirt sleeves the women were offended less than the men who came into this store. In fact, the women were not offended at all.

"When I issued an order to my salesmen that they might work in their shirt sleeves I also issued a proclamation in the form of a page advertisement in the Ogden newspaper, in which I said that hereafter all of the male employes of the Mendel Department store would work in their shirt sleeves during the hot weather in order to increase their comfort and efficiency and I invited the customers to write me of their approval or disapproval. The only disapproving letters I received were from men, and they came from preachers and school teachers. The preachers and school teachers haven't any money to spend, anyway; so I should worry.

"This is the second summer, Tramp, that my men have gone without their coats, and they'll never put them on again in summer time.

"Tramp, there are lots of good business reasons and a lot of good moral reasons for male employes in the department stores going in their shirt sleeves, and there isn't a good reason of any kind why they should wear their coats.

"Tramp, why do you wear that long-tailed Prince Albert this kind of weather? Why don't you take it off and go in your shirt sleeves?"

"Mr. Mendel," I replied, "I heartily approve of your idea in regard to your salesmen; but I haven't any shirt, and I do not use underwear, so my presence in uniform is imperative."

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City News

Geo. M. Daly of Baudette is in the city this week on business.

O. S. Hall of Gatzke spent Sunday and Monday here visiting friends.

B. O. Norby of Fosston spent Sunday visiting at the Tandberg home.

Mrs. W. E. Battenfield made a business trip to Goodridge on Saturday.

E. E. Holmberg of Enderlin, N. D., was a business caller here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Kjor and baby of Erskine visited friends here on Tuesday.

Geo. Johnson of Grygla was in the city Saturday attending to matters of business.

Miss Clara Strank of Grafton, N. D., visited with friends here the first of the week.

Atty. E. C. Logan of Woodbine, Ia., arrived yesterday for a brief visit with friends.

Oscar Brekke of Red Lake Falls spent Saturday here attending to business affairs.

Miss Lillian Anderson of Jelle attended to shopping here Tuesday and also visited with friends.

Miss Viola Axelson of Rosewood arrived here on Monday to spend a few days visiting friends.

Tena Vigen of Halstad arrived yesterday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Manning of Baudette arrived the first of the week for a visit with friends.

Miss Gladys Swenson of Rosewood is spending the week in the city visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. Brandon.

Mrs. Mike Rodick and daughter of Coleraine arrived here yesterday for a visit with her father, Paul Midderligh.

Miss Bessie Avelson of St. Hilaire spent a short time here the first of the week visiting friends and shopping.

Miss Myrtle Oftelie of Minneapolis arrived home last week for an indefinite visit at the home of her parents.

A. Mugaus came down from Gatzke Saturday afternoon and spent a few days attending to business affairs.

A. Lorvig and brother, H. Lorvig, both of Chicago, are guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. C. H. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dahl returned the first of the week from a wedding trip spent at the bride's home in Underwood.

Mrs. John Torrison and children of Minneapolis are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evenson.

There will be a dance at Carl Klockman's near Mavie Saturday night, Aug. 6th. Everybody invited. —Advertisement.

The future is before you. Make sure of it by attending the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for catalog.

Miss Ethelyn Rud of Badger arrived Tuesday to spend several days visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Carl Hilliard.

Miss Emma Pawling arrived here the first of the week from Fargo for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Louise Pawling.

Misses Mabel and Myrtle Satre returned the first of the week from Minneapolis where they have been attending the University.

Miss Agnes Tandberg, who had spent a few weeks visiting with college friends at Twin Valley, returned to her home here Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reierson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ness and family, drove to Crookston Sunday to attend the Sons of Norway picnic.

Mrs. E. M. Sandvold of Ada arrived here Monday morning to spend several days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Peterson.

Mrs. Fred Holzknecht left Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she spent a brief period as a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Helm.

Miss Flora Edwards of Jamestown, N. D., arrived yesterday for a two week's visit with her friend, Miss Florence Petri, of the Salvation Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Richardson and children of Bronson spent Sunday here as guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Richardson.

Norman Holen, who has spent a month visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, will leave Saturday evening for his home at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamre and the latter's brother, Andrew Hogenson, who had spent a period of six weeks here, left by car yesterday morning for Minneapolis.

Mrs. Emma Jacobson of Bijou left Wednesday afternoon for her home, having recovered from a recent operation for cancer performed at the Physicians' hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard have as their house guests, Mrs. C. A. Benson and daughter, Miss Nettie, of Silverton, Ore. Mrs. Benson is a sister of Mrs. Melgaard.

Miss Harriet Johnson of Crookston is in the city this week visiting her brother, Al. Johnson. While in the city she is a guest at the home of Misses Ella and Marrian Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Booren of Stillwater will arrive in the city today to spend a week visiting at the home of their son, Dr. G. W. Booren, here and with their son Harry at Plummer.

Norman Holen and Miss Grace Wilson drove to Argyle on Sunday where they were guests at the home of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Holen.

Martin Langseth, who has been spending his vacation at his home here, left Sunday evening for Berkely, Cal., where he will resume his work at the University of California.

Mrs. W. L. Hall and daughter left yesterday morning for Baudette where she will be joined by her husband and together they will spend three weeks on the Lake of the Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Severson of Minneapolis are in the city this week visiting at the home of the former's mother. Mr. Severson was formerly employed here by the Zeh & Curran Grocery Co.

Mrs. Ben Christianson and Mrs. J. O. Sether, the latter president of the local W. C. T. U., left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where they will attend a three day session of the state convention.

H. F. Booren came down from Plummer Tuesday and visited friends between trains. Returning he was accompanied by his wife who had spent a day here as the guest of Mrs. Scott Laird.

Hector Bergstrom, formerly with the Wylie Co-op. Farmers' Elevator as manager for the past five years, has taken over the management of the A. G. Sandberg Elevator company of this place.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson, of the Johnson Millinery, will leave Sunday for the Twin Cities where they will attend to their fall buying. Their absence will extend over a period of a week.

Mrs. Floyd Dalton of Fordville, N. D., spent a few days last week visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby. She left the latter part of the week for Parkers Prairie for a visit with friends.

Misses Esther Leyden, Clara Dahlen and Serine Tanum of this city, in company with J. E. Shoberg and J. S. Sorenson of Rosewood, motored to Goodridge last Sunday to take in the ball game and to visit.

Mrs. J. J. Aga and sons Harold and Rueben, left this week by car for the twin cities by way of Moorhead, where they were met by Rev. Sorenson and family who continued with them. They will be gone for two weeks.

Mrs. R. L. Johnson returned yesterday from a two week's visit with relatives at Hibbing, Chisholm and Grand Rapids. At the latter named place she was a guest of her sisters, Mrs. Art Cloutier and Mrs. A. Amundson.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith and son Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pope, are spending three weeks camping near Bemidji. They were joined the first of the week by Misses Gladys Smith and guest Miss Alpha Gerber, of Argyle, who will spend several days there.

Mrs. M. F. Olson, who had spent some time here visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holden, left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo where she will be in attendance at the druggists' convention. From that point she will return to her home at Duluth.

Miss Eleanor Rambeck, bookkeeper for the Thief River Falls Clinic, left Saturday night for Minneapolis and Stevens Point, Wis., to spend her vacation. At the latter named place she will be the guest of her parents. She expects to be absent for a period of three weeks.

Stanley Sweger of Viroqua, Wis., and Ole Frederickson of Westby, Wis., left yesterday for their homes via Duluth after spending a week with the former's brother, Rev. T. E. Sweger. The trip from Viroqua to this city, 636 miles, was made in two days, which is making pretty fair time.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Wang and family, accompanied by Miss Gertrude Lillejord of Minneapolis, who had been their guest, autoed to this city on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson. Miss Lillejord boarded the flier here in the evening for her home, while the remainder of the party returned to Badger.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston had as guests at their home last week, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frazer of Minneapolis and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hunter of Austin. Mr. Frazer is general manager of the Lyle Corrugated Culvert and Road Equipment Co. On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, accompanied by their guests and Mr. and Mrs. Isak Helseth, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dishington and Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Enabek, went to Warroad, from which place they enjoyed a boat trip on the Lake of the Woods to Kenora. Mr. and Mrs. Frazer and Mr. and Mrs. Hunter left Monday in their autos on the return trip home. They were accompanied as far as the Itasca State Park by Mr. and Mrs. Johnston.

NEW STATE GRAIN LAW TAKES EFFECT

Trading Expected to Continue as Usual Under Amended Act Covering Futures.

A new law designed originally to stop all trading in grain futures that did not involve actual or potential wheat and passed by the last legislature, went into effect on Monday. Members of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce said they did not see how the new law, as amended, called for any change in their practices. It was their opinion that they would go ahead trading as they always have done, and if there is any violation those who have the law enforcement responsibility should proceed to stop it.

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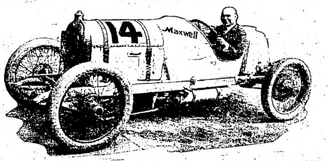

Les Allen at the wheel of the Maxwell which was made famous by Barney Oldfield in which he established a new world's 24 hour record. Allen has entered this famous car in the auto races that are scheduled at the Pennington County Fair Saturday, August 6th, Thief River Falls.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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THE HOME FAIR.

As these lines are written, the twentieth annual Pennington county fair is on in full swing. And it is no boast to say that it is a better fair in all departments than any of its predecessors. Every year the county fair shows improvement over previous exhibitions, thus reflecting the gradual and certain forward movement of the country surrounding Thief River Falls. A section which is poorly developed and inhabited by a class of people who take no interest in such matters cannot hope to make a creditable showing at an agricultural and industrial exposition.

Purebred livestock is rapidly coming to the front in Pennington county and the wonderful display of animals in the stock barns at the fair grounds this week should prove a revelation to visitors. An ever increasing number of Pennington county farmers are going into the raising of purebred stock exclusively, and every farmer who does this adds proportionately to the wealth of the community. Particularly is this increase noticeable with regard to the two leading dairy breeds—Holsteins and Guernseys. Some of the foremost animals of these breeds in the Northwest are to be found in Pennington county.

It is this transition from grain raising to livestock which insures the future prosperity of the Red River Valley. This section has long since passed its zenith as a grain raising country, but contains untold millions of wealth which may be extracted from the land through the medium of livestock and the proper rotation of forage crops. Taking everything from the soil and never putting anything back will eventually bankrupt the fertility of the best farming country in the world.

Products of the soil are occupying a prominent place in the exhibits and include some very fine specimens. If evidence were lacking to prove that Pennington county is situated in the midst of the most productive region of the state, it may easily be found this week among the samples of farm and garden products on display at the fair. Samples of corn, particularly, are far in advance of former years, showing that farmers are taking an increasing interest in this staple and are succeeding admirably in producing varieties which are particularly suited to this section. Excellent grains and grasses of all kinds also are on exhibition.

Other sections of the fair, including the woman's department, school and industrial exhibits, are even better than formerly, though these have been the pride of the fair for a number of years. The new building in which these exhibits are housed makes a wonderful difference in the effectiveness with which the products are placed in public view, with the result that these sections are now receiving the attention from visitors which they deserve. Upon the ladies having these matters in charge has fallen a large amount of hard work and Mrs. J. H. Hardesty, together with her corps of able assistants, are entitled to a full measure of credit for their energy and perseverance.

Entertainment features of the very highest grade have been provided and there is something worth-while going on every minute of the afternoon and evening. Viewed from all angles, the fair this year is the best ever, and visitors are practically unanimous in the opinion that it is the banner county fair of Northwestern Minnesota. President Herbert Fuller and the other members of the board are justified in feeling jubilant over the success of the undertaking as a whole. Upon their shoulders rests most of the responsibility, and they have performed their parts well.

ROADS COST MONEY.

During the past five years the federal government has been spending money under what is known as the federal aid road act. From 1916 to 1921, $75,000,000 was appropriated to aid post roads, plus $1,000,000 annually for ten years for road building in the national forests. An amendment to that act in 1919 appropriated an additional $50,000,000 for that year, and $75,000,000 for the years 1920 and 1921; also $3,000,000 for forest roads for each of the years 1919, 1920 and 1921. This makes a total of $294,000,000 which the federal government has appropriated for road building since 1916.

In addition a majority of the states of the Union have materially assisted over and above the 50 per cent which they were obligated to expend in conjunction with the federal government, the federal funds above mentioned being appropriated upon the 50-50 basis. It has not been possible to tabulate all of the funds expended by states and counties for road building but, according to the American Automobile Association which has made the most comprehensive compilation of data upon that subject, approximately $1,000,000,000 was made available during the years 1919, 1920 and 1921 by the issuance of either state or county road bonds. No tabulation has been made of the amount of funds derived from road construction from motor vehicle tax, local taxation, and other sources. The figures above given, however, show that in the last five years there has been considerably in excess of $2,000,000,000 expended for the construction and maintenance of improved highways.

Praise For County Agents.
(Walker Pilot.)

The county agents have come and gone. They are men of vision, men of heart and purpose—a power for good in bettering conditions on the farm. They are the instructors pointing out the way for a better agriculture. The importance of the county agent becomes evident when it is shown that the farmer is the real backbone of the nation. Today when others are halting, hesitating, the farmer is going forward. If the manufacturer would show the same faith in America as that evidenced by the farmer the wheels would be turning with greater velocity than ever before, for the world needs production. The farmer conducts the greatest business of the country; beside it all other industries fade into insignificance. Eighty per cent of the wealth of this country annually comes from the farm. The mines which furnish our coal and iron, our copper, gold and silver, follow with but 17 per cent, so it can easily be seen that the big business is not the Standard Oil, the packers or U. S. Steel. No, it is agriculture, and the important job, the great big job of the county agent right now is the problem of bringing this source of wealth back to a point where it will give remunerative returns to the millions who are tilling the soil. As farm leaders the county agents are bending their every effort, their every energy, to increasing the returns from the soil, to save that which is produced and see that it is placed on the market with the least expense possible. They have a great task before them and we hope that they have benefited by their conference and their vacation at Walker. Here among the pines they have had an opportunity to commune with nature, to replenish their fund of energy and to start out anew with a determination to materially assist in bringing back prosperity to the farm. It is a great work, one in which less zealous men might falter, but as sons of the farm they are going forward, blazing the way to an era of more enjoyment and contentment for those who make up such an important part of our national life.

Optimism Necessary.
(Bemidji Sentinel.)

Imagination is playing a leading part in the present economic situation. The world expected a period of financial depression to follow the war and what the world expects it usually gets. Pessimists and calamity howlers are now preventing the world to get back on a sound basis. As long as we permit ourselves to see the dark side of the situation, hard times will continue. There never was a time in history, however, when optimism and pep would bring so large returns as they will today. A business that sits tight and breathes bad news will be far behind when conditions change. One year ago, advertising wasn't necessary to sell goods; today, the firm that advertises and passes out optimism and cheerfulness with its merchandise is going to prosper. There is a world of logic in the saying, "A hen doesn't stop scratching when worms are scarce." It may not be as easy to see the bright side of life as the dark, but it is far more profitable.

A Coal Controversy.
(Lincoln Journal)

The controversy between President Howat of the Kansas coal miners and Commissioner Johnston of the coal operators' association has produced some undisputed statistics on coal costs. The miners get $1.25 a ton for mining Kansas coal. The consumer pays $10 to $15. The cost or mining labor is accordingly a minor factor in making the retail price of coal—a matter of 10 to 12 per cent. The coal mine operators get $5.25 for the coal which the miner digs for $1.25. Mining labor is accordingly only a minor element in making up the mine price for coal, a matter of about 25 per cent. The consuming public is entitled by these figures to take at a large discount the current assertions that coal prices are high because of the wages the miners get.

Idea Commended.

The merchants of Thief River Falls are putting on a "market day" in that thriving little city today, and the Times got out an eight-page "*Market Day Special*" *for the occasion*. The special was well filled with bargains offered by the merchants and was neatly gotten up and printed.—Ada Herald.

OBSERVATIONS
(Bill Noonan In Baudette Region.)

"Was there a life preserver for each passenger on the boat?" asked Jack Kennedy of one of the 46 ladies who went to the missionary society picnic at Wheeler's Point last Friday.

"No, there was only one man on board," she replied.

Out on an island in the Lake of the Woods is a recluse who has never read a newspaper, never saw a street car, an aeroplane, nor an automobile and who has not been to town in years. It is hard to understand how he escaped being called on a jury or elected to the legislature.

Of course Thomson, who stole a million from a packing company, is a bad egg, but as long as he insisted on going wrong his decision to pick on some of the lads who sold us bacon and ham during the war won't fill the consumer's soul with anguish.

The human race isn't as husky as it used to be, according to some experts, but the fact that we have survived the liquor coming over from Canada for the last two years demonstrates that Baudetters are a pretty hardy bunch.

An exchange wonders what speeders do with all the time they save, and the Shakopee Tribune thinks that they ought to spend it in jail.

We gather from the billboards that each Baudette merchant has the biggest store in town. The information is for the public—not the assessor.

"Our Composition Will Make Any Wet Cellar Dry," reads an adv., but what the average lad wants is something that will make a dry cellar wet.

The farmers around Baudette will soon be hauling in wagonloads of clover seed and hauling back wagonloads of money.

Some of the paragraphers are commenting in a joking way about two sets of twins arriving in 15 months in a Thief River Falls family, but we don't intend to joke about it. It's no joke when they come that fast.

There must be close to a hundred brands of Scotch in circulation in Baudette, but none of them are any good.

One of the nice things about being on the council is that you get a lot of advice about how to spend the village money after you've spent it for something else.

Churches

Christian Science — Services are held each Sunday at the city auditorium at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject for Sunday, July 30th, "Spirit." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open for a reading room on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Aug. 7—The Goodridge parish will celebrate its annual Mission Festival. German services at 10:30 a. m. English services at 2:30 p. m. Rev. M. Hauser of Warren will preach. Services will take place in the Norwegian Lutheran church. A large number of Thief River Falls Lutherans are expected. Everyone is welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Divine services will be held Sunday, Aug. 7th, in the English language. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of St. Hilaire will conduct the services. Ladies' Aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 10. Mesdames S. O. Lee, A. S. Anderson, O. B. Gunderson and Halvor Halvorson entertain.

First Sw. Evan. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services with Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Services in the English language at 8 p. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Zion services 11 a. m. Goodridge, 2:30 p. m. No evening services. Rev. George Larson will preach. Sunday school 10 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday. Mesdames Grindeland and Anderson will entertain. Zion Y. P. S. the same evening, Aug. 11th.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Aug. 7. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Dr. Gambell will speak on his recent Siberian experiences. Dr. Gambell's friends are invited to meet him at these times. 7 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Consecration meeting and pledges for the month are due.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor. There will be no Sunday school or services Sunday as the congregation has accepted the invitation to attend the Mission Festival at Goodridge.

Notice to Farmers.

The A. G. Sandberg Elevator company is prepared to take in grain at the old Tessum elevator. Highest prices and grades will be maintained. Also a full line of flour and feed at reasonable prices. Give us a trial. Phone 401.—Advertisement.

Little Girl Injured.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Egeland, 330 Crocker avenue north, fell from a chair last Saturday and suffered a broken collar bone. A physician reduced the fracture and the little girl is getting along nicely.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.18
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.13
Oats	[illegible]
Flax	1.17
Barley	.34
Rye	.90
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	[illegible]
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
Spring Chickens	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.23
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery Butter	.43
Creamery butter	.35
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Sheep, per lb	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb	.05
Cows, per lb	.04

Notice to the Public.

As I will be absent from the city my photograph gallery will be closed for about ten days, beginning Sunday, Aug. 7.—A. J. Borry, the Photographer. a-4-11

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the Thief River Music Company, will please make payments at same place as formerly. All accounts due become payable at once.

ROY HALSETH
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Black River Y. P. S.

The Young Peoples' society of Black River will meet Saturday evening, Aug. 6, at the chapel. A good program will be rendered, after which lunch will be served. Mrs. Fred Lorentson will entertain.

Card of Thanks.

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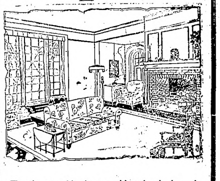

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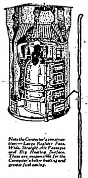

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City News

Miss Inga Thune of this city was an over Sunday guest of her parents at Hazel.

Mrs. John Skomedahl returned to her home at Steiner Tuesday, after a brief visit with friends here.

Irving Reitan of Fargo, arrived on Monday and is a guest at the home of his cousin, L. A. Hermanson.

Miss Olive Booren of Stillwater arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Anna Haugen returned Tuesday morning from St. Hilaire where she had spent a day with friends.

Art Loken, who had spent two weeks visiting his mother, Mrs. Karen Loken, returned to Minneapolis on Thursday evening to resume his work.

Albin Knauf came up from Thief River Falls Saturday to join his wife who had come here before on a visit with relatives and friends.—Holt News.

Morgan Christianson, employed in a bank at Strathcona, and J. Greenagle, station agent of the same place, visited with friends here Saturday evening.

Mrs. Harry J. Johnson of Gatzke, was in Middle River Tuesday enroute to Thief River Falls to have some dental work done.—Middle River Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamre and Mrs. T. J. Rowan returned Saturday from Grafton and Hamilton, N. D., where they had spent a few days on business.

Mrs. Andrew Tanem of Thief River Falls arrived this week to care for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Arthur Tanem, of Spooner, who is ill.—Baudette Region.

Oscar Smith and Carl Gulrud, delegates from the Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion, are in Winona this week attending the Legion-Auxiliary convention.

Miss Ida Tandberg left Monday evening on a trip through Glacier National Park. A number of girls from summer school are taking the trip to apply on their credits.

Miss Phonsie O'Neill, who has been the guest of friends here for two weeks, leaves this week for Perham where she will continue her vacation, before returning to her home at St. Paul.

Mrs. W. Laurent of Grand Forks, arrived this week to spend some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Austin at Highlanding, and also her cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, here.

Mrs. Inga Berg, formerly of this city, now making her home at Minneapolis, arrived last week to visit with relatives and friends. While here she will also attend to matters of business.

Miss Helen Norquist of the Thief River Falls hospital force, who has been a guest at the Ole Olson home since last Friday, returned to Thief River Falls Wednesday.—Middle River Pioneer.

A. Kadry is home from Thief River Falls and will remain here for some time. He has completely recovered his health, after treatment for consumption at the sanitorium.—Warroad Pioneer.

Mrs. Claude Gray, of Washington, D. C., who has been the guest of Mrs. Emil Zeh for a week, left Monday morning for Cass Lake where she will continue her visit before returning to her home.

Mrs. H. O. Loken, accompanied by her guests, Mrs. C. E. Russell and Miss Effie Christianson, motored to Maple Lake on Thursday, returning to this city on Saturday. The trip was made in the Loken car.

Miss Anna Johnson of Duluth, arrived here Monday and was an over night guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Leiran, leaving the following morning for Holt, where she will visit at the home of her parents.

Mrs. P. F. Brick and daughter Patricia, of Calgary, Alberta, are in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. E. Dempsey. Before returning to her home she will also visit her sister, Mrs. Chas. Costello, at St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pillipson attended the Grand Forks fair last Saturday and in company with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Skarstad of Argyle, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson at Oslo over Sunday.—Middle River Pioneer.

Mrs. August Holmberg, who had spent several days out in the neighborhood of the Holmberg farm in the town of Whiteford, returned to her home in Thief River Falls Tuesday, with Mr. Holmberg, who came for her by auto.—Middle River Pioneer.

Miss Helen Weeks, who had spent a couple of months visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks, left Friday evening for Grove City, where she will visit at the home of a brother before leaving for South Dakota, where she has accepted a position to teach in the State Normal school.

A number of Middle River people witnessed the Thief River Falls-Warren ball game last Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sjoberg, the editor and his wife, Erick Modin and M. W. Holtsapple were among the visitants. It was not a first-class game by any means. Both sides made costly errors. Thief River Falls won the game, six to four.—Middle River Pioneer.

Ed. Hamry of Christiania, Norway, arrived here Thursday morning for an indefinite visit with his daughter, Miss Effie Hamry. He will also spend some time with his daughter Inga, who is in Montana. Mr. Hamry, who is 73 years old, is hale and hearty, making the entire trip from Norway alone. He removed to the old country twenty years ago and this is his first visit with his daughters since that time.

Art Loken autoed to Greenbush on Thursday to look after his farming interests near there.

Mrs. John Rogers, who had spent some time visiting with relatives here returned to her home at Mobridge, S. D., Thursday.

Mrs. J. M. Berg and daughter of Ottawa, N. Y., are in the city as the guests of her sisters, Mrs. Victoria McKinney and Mrs. Wm. Warner.

Miss Myrtle Rosland of Holt arrived here Friday for a week end visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kenyon of Fordville, N. D., former residents of this city, were guests of friends here on Friday.

Miss Edla Nelson returned to her home at Rollis on Friday morning, after a brief visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. Wm. Comstock.

Miss Thora Wang of Badger was a guest of her friend, Miss Harriet Anderson, here on Sunday.

Mrs. Nesse and children returned Saturday morning from Crookston, where they had spent a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hattestad arrived here this week and are guests at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon and Mrs. Johanna Nyhus.

Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge was the guest of his wife here over Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson and sister, Mrs. L. Johnson, went to Holt on Saturday and made an over Sunday visit with their parents.

Rev. O. J. Lundell and family returned last week from an enjoyable three week's auto trip throughout Northern Minnesota and Iowa.

Miss Margaret Patterson of St. Hilaire visited with friends here on Saturday.

Miss Grace Hall returned to her home at St. Hilaire on Saturday, after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Miss Betsy Legvold left Saturday afternoon for Barnesville where she will spend a week at the lakes near that place, as the guest of friends.

Miss Sophie York left Saturday afternoon for Crookston and visited over Sunday with relatives.

Miss Borget and Inga Iverson were over Sunday guests of friends at Halstad, returning to this city Monday morning.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and daughter Jeanette, who had spent a few days visiting at the Patterson cottage at Maple Lake, returned here on Friday.

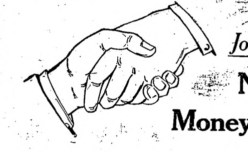

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Miss Rose Dolezal and Ibsen Flann of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday here as guests of Miss Dolezal's relatives.

Steiner Johnson returned last Tuesday from Thief River Falls where he spent a few days visiting and attending to business matters.

Herman Blomberg of Crookston arrived here last Sunday to spend the remainder of his school vacation with the Haugen brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and family of Thief River Falls, Sundayed with the B. P. Sagmoen and L. L. Furan families here.

John Sorenson and Joel Shoberg motored to Goodridge last Sunday to spend the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm and Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson enjoyed a motor tour of Warren, Grand Forks, Fisher and Crookston, making brief stops at Crookston and Grand Forks.

Alex Hellquist, in company with a few friends from Thief River Falls, went to Mud Lake on Sunday to pick blueberries.

Miller Kruta and a few friends spent Sunday east of Middle River, picking blueberries.

The L. L. Furan and E. P. Johnson families were guests at the Chas. Sagmoen home in the town of Norden, Sunday.

Services in the Swedish church in town next Sunday evening, Aug. 7, by Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking. The Viking choir will furnish music.

Kaleb Quambeck, who taught parochial school here during June, and since has been engaged in the same work at Thief River Falls, was in town on Monday, before leaving for Minneapolis to take up theological school work.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Sorenson last Sunday. Dr. Froehlich of Thief River Falls was in attendance.

Dr. Biederman of Thief River Falls was called to attend Adolph Rafteseth, who is ill.

Carl Stromberg of Dakota Junction was in town between trains last Thursday as guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Severt Rafteseth.

Mrs. Severt Ostgaard of Gatzke, who accompanied her daughter to Warren where she underwent an operation for appendicitis, is visiting her brother, Benhard Ranum and family.

Mrs. Katie Meyers of Steiner spent the past week here visiting with her daughter, Mrs. William Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lamb and daughter of Thief River Falls, were here between trains last Thursday as guests of Mrs. Lamb's sister, Mrs. William Sorenson.

A neighborhood surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Nels Johnson at their home near Anita last Saturday evening and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter Irma, returned on Wednesday from Thief River Falls where they spent the past week as guests of the James Johnson and August Hellquist families.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and family of Thief River Falls arrived here last Tuesday for a few days visit with J. E. Hellquist and other friends. Mr. Hellquist is an engineer for the Soo and is enjoying a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth motored to Middle River last Thursday for a brief visit with the Simon Gullseth family.

Mr. Fossum of Thief River Falls, owner of the old Olof Opseth farm, was in town Thursday and leased the hay meadow to Thom Holten.

Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and three children of Thief River Falls, spent part of last week here visiting with her mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson and sister, Mrs. John Sagmoen and family.

Gladys Swenson has accepted a position as clerk at the Herbert Carlson store and entered upon her duties last Friday. The former clerk, Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, will leave shortly for Minneapolis where she will be employed as clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm spent Thursday evening at Thief River Falls.

The Oscar Blomberg family arrived on Saturday evening from Crookston and will visit with Emil Blomberg and family over Sunday.

The C. E. Hellquist family and Alex Hellquist, motored to Newfolden on Wednesday evening where they visited with the Albert Hellquist family.

John Remmem will leave the first of the week for Park River, North Dakota, where he will be employed in the harvest fields.

ST. HILAIRE

Miss Elizabeth Johnson, who has attended a six week's session of summer school at Bemidji, returned here the latter part of last week to remain with her mother, Mrs. Ina Johnson.

The Misses Alma and Martha Miller returned the latter part of the week to St. Paul to resume their duties, having enjoyed a two week's vacation with their mother, Mrs. M. Miller, residing near Wylie.

Mrs. Andy Erickson left Wednesday evening for her home at Thief River Falls, having visited here for a short time as the guest of Miss Anna Stokkestad.

Miss Blanche Hoff went to Roseau Wednesday morning to spend a few days with their friends.

Walter Berg, who is employed with Wyman Partridge & Co., of Minneapolis, is expected home this week from Sioux City, Ia., to spend a short vacation with his mother, Mrs. Ole Sherva.

Mrs. A. V. Jacobson shopped at Thief River Falls between trains on Tuesday.

The many friends of Mrs. John Maakrud will be pleased to hear that she is recovering nicely after her operation at the Warren hospital last week, and will soon be able to return.

Duncan McAllister of Grand Forks came over Wednesday to visit with his wife and daughter Muriel, who spent the past week at the Hans Wilson home.

Mrs. A. R. McKenzie and children of Duluth are visiting this week at the Geo. Whalen farm home.

Miss Selina Simonson and Miss Bertha Olsen of Middle River left on Monday for a visit with friends and relatives at Jesse Lake and Cass Lake.

Miss Nora Johnson, who has enjoyed a month's vacation at the parental home, departed Saturday evening for Minneapolis, to resume her duties as nurse at the Swedish hospital.

Aug. Bergh and children arrived Saturday via auto from Spokane, Wash., for an indefinite stay at the R. L. Hauge home.

S. J. Amble returned home Tuesday, having traveled for the past two months through North Dakota in the interest of his nursery.

The Misses Helga and Manda Kalland, who have spent three weeks here visiting at the parental home, departed the forepart of the week for Baudette where they are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg returned Saturday via auto from Cooperstown, N. D., where they had attended the funeral of Mrs. Satterberg's sister, Mrs. E. F. Thompson, who passed away in New Mexico a week ago. They were accompanied on their return by Mr. Thompson who will visit here at the Satterberg home.

Henning Erickson and Miss Hannah Erickson departed Sunday evening via the Soo for Minneapolis, where the former will attend school and the latter will resume her duties as nurse. They had spent the past month at their home in Black River.

Mrs. A. F. Hall and daughter Shirley returned Saturday, having spent the past three weeks visiting at Bagley and St. Cloud.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughters Mabel, Olive and Margaret and son Donald, returned Monday from Maple Lake where they have spent the past month at their cottage. Mrs. C. F. Brantner and baby of Aurora, Ill., who has also been at the lake with them, arrived here a few days previous.

Miss Grace Hall returned Saturday from Thief River Falls, having visited since Thursday at the F. A. Brown home.

Miss Lilly Boehm returned Monday from Grand Forks where she has visited for some time with her sister, Mrs. S. Seibart.

Miss Amanda Benson returned on Saturday, having spent a week visiting with friends and relatives at Halstad.

Miss Olga Olsen, who spent the past six weeks attending summer school at Bemidji, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. R. M. Larson spent the week end with relatives at Stephen.

Miss Bertha Olsen arrived Saturday from her home at Middle River for a brief visit at the Peter Simonson home.

Miss Dora Holmes of Thief River Falls visited over the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes.

Miss Olga Lundie arrived Friday from Crookston for a week's visit at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Loberg.

Miss Esther Fricker returned home the latter part of the week after having undergone an operation for appendicitis at the Physicians' hospital at Thief River Falls.

W. J. Janda motored here Saturday evening from his home near Thief River Falls, returning again the same evening. He was accompanied by Mrs. Janda and baby, who had visited here since the day previous at the Henry Kalland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobb and daughter Bernice arrived Saturday from their home in Minneapolis for a week's visit with Mrs. Cobb's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Loberg.

Miss Lucille Thom returned the latter part of the week to her home in Blackduck, having visited for two weeks at the H. R. Allen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson, Mrs. N. A. Nelson, Miss Olive Nelson and Miss Clara Norman motored to Grand Forks Saturday for a brief visit with Albert Nelson who is a patient at the Grand Forks hospital. They returned Sunday evening.

Hjalmar Johnson of Wylie returned home Tuesday from St. Paul where he had brought a carload of stock for the Wylie Farmers' Elevator.

H. E. Ives stopped off here on his way to Thief River Falls on Tuesday for a brief visit with friends.

Rev. H. P. Johnson and sister, Miss Anna Johnson of Minneapolis, arrived here on Monday evening for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Gunhild Nelson returned on Saturday from Detroit where she visited for several weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Holmstrom.

Miss Marie Collins of Warroad came down on Tuesday evening to visit for a few days with Myrtle and Gladys Gigstad.

GOODRIDGE

H. R. Leslin left Friday for St. Paul where he will attend to business matters.

Morgan Christianson of Strathcona was an over Sunday visitor with relatives here.

Prof. B. O. Norby returned Monday morning from his home at Fosston where he has been visiting.

John Nystal and Carl Edseth were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday evening.

Mrs. Julia Gebhart returned Saturday from Red Lake Falls where she visited her sister for a few days.

John Stephenson returned Saturday to his home at Pelican Rapids, after visiting his sons, Melvin and Charles.

Miss F. Lenerson of Grygla was in town Thursday enroute home.

Mr. Green, who is agent for the Standard Oil Co., was in town Thursday on business.

Bernard Olson and Morgan Christianson of Strathcona, were in town Thursday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Prestebak of Thorhult returned home Friday morning after visiting relatives and friends here and at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Wm. Gerrault returned on Thursday after an absence of two months in North Dakota and Thief River Falls.

Prof. B. O. Norby made a business trip to Grand Forks Monday afternoon.

Misses Sena and Hilda Christianson were Thief River Falls visitors Saturday, shopping and having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son, Misses Jennie Rustad and Eunice Tvedt, were Thief River Falls visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christianson and son Lawrence, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Peterson and son to Thief River Falls Wednesday afternoon when they left for Ada to visit before returning to Colgate, N. D.

Mrs. C. Toomey and son left Monday evening for Henry, Ill., where they were called on account of the illness of Mrs. Toomey's father. Mr. Toomey and son Donald, accompanied them as far as Thief River Falls.

Ed. Schel and Donald Stein of Mavie were visitors in town Sunday evening.

Christ Urdahl was a visitor in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Wayne and children of Germantown were over Sunday visitors at the Jay Payne home.

Miss Sarah Vaughan left Tuesday morning for Thief River Falls where together with Miss Teresa Giefer, she will have charge of the Goodridge school exhibit at the County Fair.

Miss Esta Barnes and Mr. Marbo of Viking were guests Monday at the A. McLeod home.

Highlanding and Moylan met at Goodridge Sunday to play ball.

O. S. Kirklie was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

N. H. Dahl of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday on business.

James Nomeland of Grygla was in town Tuesday afternoon.

J. B. Johnson of Grygla was in town Thursday afternoon on business.

Miss Florence Richards arrived on Tuesday from Gully and will visit relatives for some time.

Surprise Party.

A number of friends of Mrs. Elmer Peterson very pleasantly surprised her Monday evening at her home northwest of town. The evening was spent in conversation and at a late hour refreshments were served, after which all departed for their respective homes, wishing Mrs. Peterson many happy returns of the day. Those who had the pleasure of the occasion were: Messrs. and Mesdames A. McLeod, V. C. McLeod and children, J. Payne, R. H. McDonald, Elmer Peterson and Stuart McLeod.

In Honor of Mrs. N. H. Dahl.

Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and Mrs. R. H. McDonald entertained Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. N. H. Dahl, who left last week for Thief River Falls to make her future home. The ladies spent the afternoon in needlework and conversation. Lunch was served at 4:30. Those present were: Mesdames Osmond Urdahl, M. G. Thorsen, Carl Christianson, D. A. Danielson, J. P. Ferdinandsen, S. D. Rouze, O. S. Kirklie, V. C. McLeod, N. H. Dahl.

Stag Party.

Mrs. V. C. McLeod entertained on Tuesday evening in honor of her husband's birthday at a surprise stag party. The evening was spent in smoking and playing cards, after which a delicious lunch was served. The following enjoyed the evening: M. O. Seavey, H. B. Rockne, P. O. Tvedt, F. C. Peterson, Carl Christianson, R. H. McDonald, John Sand, Jay Payne, C. Toomey, Stuart McLeod, George Josephson, V. C. McLeod.

Threshing Rigs Exempt.

Threshing operations are not covered by the workmen's compensation law, according to a letter received by the state leader of county agents, F. E. Balmer, from F. A. Duxbury, chairman of the Industrial Commission of Minnesota. Mr. Duxbury says that the supreme court of the state has decided that the business of threshing as farm labor is exempt from the operation of the law. Mr. Duxbury, however, suggests to threshermen that the common law liability arising from negligence does prevail in threshing operations and that while there is no law requiring insurance of the risk involved, "business prudence might dictate protection by insurance against this common law liability."

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STEINER

Mr. Copp and family were guests at the J. A. Russell home Sunday.

E. Slack transacted business in Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Simon Warring called at the Koglin home the middle of the week.

The Young Peoples' society of Steiner met Saturday evening. After a short program lunch was served to a good sized crowd.

Misses Georgia and Coral Muzzy spent Sunday with the Rogers family.

Mrs. J. Meyers has been spending a few days at her daughter's home, Mrs. W. Sorenson, of Rosewood.

Miss Katherine Riedl spent Sunday with Esther Meyers.

S. Warring left for Humboldt on Monday, where he expects to stay during the harvest and threshing period.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Werner made a call at the Slack home Sunday afternoon.

Peter Olson of Newfolden spent Saturday at the P. Solem home.

GERMANTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roller were callers at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Nelson and children, Clifford, Verral and Edith, were guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home last Sunday.

Miss Marie Muldoon, who is employed at Thief River Falls, visited at her home one day last week.

Olaf Tharaldson visited at the Henry Longevan home Wednesday.

Miss Esther Bendickson, who has been attending the summer school at Bemidji returned home Saturday.

Clifford Roller visited at the Mons Lidvick home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson visited at the Olaf Tharaldson home one evening last week.

Mrs. A. Magee and daughter Bertha called at the John Phillip home one day last week.

Guests at the Olaf Tharaldson home Sunday were Detlef Dau, Emil Bentlin, Ewald Pommeranke and H. Tharaldson.

Silva Bendickson visited with Mildred Nelson Sunday afternoon.

Bessie Roller was a caller at the John Phillip home one day last week.

Lawrence Nelson visited at the Stageburg home one evening last week.

A number of young folks visited at the O. P. Nelson home last Sunday.

Certificates for State Examinations.

The pupils of the Germantown school, Dist. 120, taught by Miss Anna Kotlan, have received their certificates for the state examinations as follows:

Geography—Mildred Nelson passed plus; Edward Haberstroh passed plus; Silvia Bendickson passed; Walter Overby passed.

Arithmetic—Mildred Nelson passed plus; Edward Haberstroh passed plus; Silvia Bendickson passed plus.

American History—Mildred Nelson passed; Edward Haberstroh passed plus.

8th Grammar and Composition—Mildred Nelson passed plus; Edward Haberstroh passed plus.

Spelling—Mildred Nelson passed; Edward Haberstroh passed; Oscar Overby passed.

Horse-lovers will be given a real treat this year at the horse show of the

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REINER

A few from here attended the dance at Rhoda Saturday night. Everybody had a good time.

Theodore Johnson left one day last week for different points in North Dakota.

Miss Agnes Aaker arrived home one day last week from Bemidji where she attended summer school.

Miss Clara Bye arrived home on Monday from near Warren where she has been employed.

Lela McEnelly spent Sunday afternoon with Edith Vraa.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Johnsrud and son Glenn of Thief River Falls were callers at Andrew Wells' Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid at T. Halverson's was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyhem and family were Sunday visitors at E. Halverson's.

Henry and Helen Halverson were visitors at Emil Sigurid's Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ed. Hanson was a caller at Mrs. Albert Arntz' Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnsrud were Sunday visitors at Ellef Halverson's.

Halvor Helle was a visitor at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Ladies' Aid meeting will be held at E. Aaker's, August 11.

Korie Hanson was a Goodridge caller Monday.

Mrs. John Stenvick and daughters drove down to St. Hilaire Saturday and visited with her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Crown, over Sunday.

ERIE

No great damage was done on Friday evening, although we had quite a bad storm.

Mrs. H. Bjornaraa of Kloten, N. D., is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. Sunsdahl and other relatives and friends.

The G. A. Iverson family called on relatives in Deer Park last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Rindahl and little daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lofthus and children of Roland, visited friends in S. E. Star Sunday.

Rev. Hoyum conducted services in the Clovernook school house Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Willand of Grygla was also present and favored the large audience with several songs and guitar selections.

H. O. Tommerdahl and family of Thief River Falls were out this way the forepart of the week looking after their farm interests.

MAVIE NEWS.

Kenneth Van Patter and Glenn Hornung of Worthington, Iowa, who spent the past few weeks at the D. G. Brownlee home here, left for their respective homes. They made the entire trip by car via the Jefferson Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Smitz and Louis Stein motored to Kelliher on Wednesday, returning the following day.

A number of Mavieites attended the Farmers' club at Silverton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Dunda were Sunday visitors at the Kratochvil home.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan and Mr. and Mrs. George Stein made a trip to Mud Lake on Sunday in search of blueberries. They returned with a good supply.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oski spent Sunday at the Casper Panek home.

Miss Frances Hincik was the guest of Josephine Kjesba on Sunday.

The local baseball team played the "Seconds" in a fast game Sunday and won by a score of 11 to 17.

Clara Oski spent Sunday with friends near Goodridge.

Ed. Schei and Donald Stein autoed to Goodridge Sunday evening to attend the "Old Maids'" society.

Edythe Schei returned from Thief River Falls on Saturday after spending several weeks at the Geo. M. Gunderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Speller and family were blueberrying at Mud Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Schei spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Oliver Holmen, near Silverton.

Gaylord Aarness transacted business in Thief River Falls between trains on Monday.

Carl Johnson and Henry Vorlicky were in Mavie on business Monday.

Andy Kusmak of Goodridge visited friends here on Sunday.

Rudolph Stageberg and Lawrence Nelson called at the Carl Tally home Monday evening.

Services were held in the Catholic church at Mavie Tuesday, Rev. M. J. Noesen of Thief River Falls, officiating.

Florence Burns of Thief River Falls is visiting at the Anton Kotlan home.

Picnic at Peterson Farm.

A picnic will be held at the H. H. Peterson farm northeast of Silverton on Sunday, Aug. 7. Dinner and plenty of refreshments will be served. A short program will be rendered by the Young Peoples' society in the afternoon. Everybody welcome.

Had Narrow Escape.

Joe Farrell, who drives the mail between Baudette and Birchdale, had a thrilling experience Wednesday evening, when a bolt in the steering gear of his auto broke and he chashed through the railing of the Silver Creek bridge. The front wheels of the car hung over the bridge with the water thirty feet below. The car was perfectly balanced and if it had gone two inches farther off the bridge it would have crashed to the river below, with almost certain death for the driver. Messrs. Moloney, Wefsenmoe and McGregor came along just in time to rescue Mr. Farrell, who will never have a closer view of death and live to tell the story. —Baudette Region.

Weekly Market Review.

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co.)

The damage area affecting spring wheat extended into new ground last week. North Dakota was the principal source of distress. It was evident, however, that the black rust complaints were quite spotted, somewhat isolated and not a general condition. Due to the recent rains and lower temperatures fair recovery from heat damage is confidently reported from many sections. The Canadian Northwest also contributed its annual quota to the crop killing list. Some black rust in Manitoba was reported.

Not the least of developments assisting prices upward last week was the continuance of drought in Europe. Export business in wheat also was reduced, large quantities of new wheat being reported booked for shipment via the Gulf. Another constructive feature which has considerably brightened foreign trade prospects is the report of a twenty million dollar credit to Germany consummated by American and English bankers.

Corn and oats only reluctantly and to a moderate extent follow the advance in wheat. The new corn crop continues with appearances excellent. Compared with the bumper yield last year the oats crop has fallen to lower figures, but the prospect in coarse grains is for stocks of unprecedentedly large size next fall and unless a strong foreign demand develops or there be serious deterioration later in corn, most of the trade is looking for heavy markets with advances difficult to sustain.

In wheat there are many possibilities. For the present at least it is undoubtedly a two-sided market. [illegible] Argentine and Australia and the final out-turn in Europe, but barring calamitous possibilities we are still inclined to the belief that with the heavy receipts at all markets conditions are temporarily in favor of a lower level in all grains.

Entrenching Against the Spread of Rust in Grain

Minnesota and the United States government are co-operating this summer in cutting a barberry-free strip along the western boundary of Minnesota, from the southern to the Canadian border. This strip will be from 80 to 100 miles wide, according to Leonard W. Melander, University Farm, St. Paul. While there are not many barberry bushes in western Minnesota, there are more than enough distributed over the whole area to start early spring infections of black stem rust which later in the season may cause enormous losses to farmers.

The federal government and the state have divided up the territory. The Red River counties from Clay county northward are in charge of Lee R. Boyd, deputy state weed inspector. The counties from the Minnesota river up to Clay county are divided between government forces and a staff under the direction of A. G. Ruggles, state entomologist.

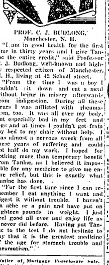

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"From the time I was a boy I couldn't sit down and eat a meal without being in misery afterwards from indigestion, and all these years I was afflicted with rheumatism, too. It was all over my body, but especially bad in my feet and legs and at times I couldn't get from my bed to my chair without help. I was almost a nervous wreck from all these years of suffering and could not half do my work. I hoped for nothing more than temporary benefit from Tanlac, as I believed it impossible for any medicine to give me entire relief, but that is exactly what Tanlac has done.

"For the first time I can remember I eat anything I want and digest it without trouble. I haven't an ache or a pain and have put on eighteen pounds in weight. I just feel good all over and enjoy life as I never did before. Having put Tanlac to the test I do not hesitate to say that it is the greatest medicine of the age for stomach trouble and rheumatism."

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Take notice that default has occurred and exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage bearing date the 28th day of July, 1919, made, executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee, and with the power of sale therein contained, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of August, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 on page 54 thereof, because of the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the interest which became due upon a prior mortgage December 1st, 1919, and subsequent installments, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of the said mortgage first above described, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Five hundred Dollars ($500.00) and interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 28th day of July, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale have become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half of the South West Quarter and Lots No. Three (3) and Four (4) of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt and interest, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 18th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75) which became due on the First day of November, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Guttorm T. Bo, unmarried, mortgagor, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1919, which mortgage with the power of sale therein contained was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at Nine o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 100 thereof; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75), with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum from the 11th day of December, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-five (35) and the North Half of the Southwest quarter of Section No. 36 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 39 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue to pay said debt of $160.75 and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars, according to the terms of said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 16th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mathias Urschitz, Decedent.

Letters of administration with the will annexed this day having been granted to Louisa Urschitz.

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated June 25, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney.
J21-28-A4

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Office of Comptroller of the Currency.

Washington, June 28, 1921.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes" approved July 12, 1882;

Now, Therefore, I, D. R. Crissinger, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Thief River Falls" in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association; namely, until close of business on June 28, 1941.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-eighth day of June, 1921.

(SEAL) (Signed) D. R. CRISSINGER
Comptroller of the Currency
Charter No. 5891 Extension No. 4921.
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Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE. Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
25tf St. Hilaire, Minn.

FOR SALE—Good team work horses. Cheap if taken at once. Albert Coyle, City. Phone 320-M. 26p

FOR SALE—Six room modern house with four lots, also business lot next to the Tribune office; small fire-proof safe; check protectograph and some glass candy jars and square trays. Call Mrs. P. Gray, 313 Bridge St. 28

FOR SALE—Good wagon, one surrey and a pair of bob-sleighs. Call at 613 Horace Ave. N. 26p

FOR SALE—Fine modern six-room home on East Side. First and Peoples' State Bank. 26

FOR SALE—Pump outfit with electric motor hot water heaters and miscellaneous items of used equipment. Send for descriptive list. N. W. School of Agriculture, Crookston, Minn. 27

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls for sale at all times; one big enough for service. Will sell on time, notes without interest up to Nov. 1, 1921. Come and get them now. Every day's delay means losing money to you. C. Wiener, R. No. 3, Thief River Falls, Minn. 19tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—Small fire-proof safe, check protectograph, some glass candy jars and flat trays, 313 Bridge street. 27

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Voruchek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Modern six room house with four lots, 313 Bridge street. 27

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc, to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—80 acres with good buildings, two miles south of Greenwood cemetery. Inquire Dan Johnson. 26p

FOR SALE, RENT or TRADE—Paul's hotel, in good condition. Oldest and best known hotel in the county. Reason for selling, owner is crippled for life. Good business and a good bargain. Will also take car in trade. What have you? Call or write to Mrs. A. Rychaert, Red Lake Falls, Minn., Paul's Hotel. 26p

FOR SALE—One dining room table. May be seen at Nortz Lumber Co. office. 26

FOR SALE—Six room house. For particulars call 324 Riverside Ave. phone 332. 24p

FOR SALE—By owner, 5 room house. East side. Inquire Times office. 26tf

FOR SALE—Farm in Beltrami county. Mrs. Isabelle Hall, Beaver Bay, Minn. 26

FOR SALE—Strictly modern house in A1 condition; 8 rooms and bath. Reason for selling, party leaving city. Apply H. Matthew, 511 Arnold Ave. N. 27p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Barn and lot. Can be used for garage. See Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. N. 27

TO EXCHANGE—Nice little farm of 60 acres on shore of Maple Lake, for house in town. C. L. Petersen, 208 Main Ave. N. 26

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

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WANTED—A cook and two maids at Warren hospital, Warren, Minn. 26

WANTED—Girl for housework on farm, small family, no children. Good wages. Mrs. Will Bond, Fordville, N. D. 28

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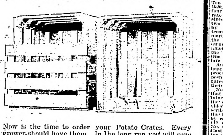

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RED RIVER VALLEY GIVEN GOOD BOOST AS RESULT OF BIG TOUR THROUGH SECTION LAST WEEK

Representative of Minneapolis Journal Gets Favorable Impression of Northwestern Minnesota—Country Developed Beyond Expectations—Finds Good Schools.

(Jefferson Jones in Mpls. Journal.)

A new organization of farm interests, which it is hoped will play a prominent part in advancement of the eleven counties that comprise the northwestern section of Minnesota, was established at Warren last week as the result of the first annual tour of the Red River Valley Development association. The new organization is none other than the association reborn, and comprises the membership of 27 commercial clubs and eleven farm bureaus.

After a two day tour of Polk, Red Lake, Pennington, Roseau, Kittson and Marshall counties, the organization has drawn up a program of aims and objects tending not alone to knit the Red River valley in closer acquaintanceship and a clearer understanding of mutual problems, but to draw attention of state and government officials to the real needs of the region.

The problems of the valley, as outlined by R. C. Mathwig, president of the Warren Commercial club and likewise president of the Red River Valley Development association, are:

Reducing the farm size and increasing the farm number.

Securing the co-operation of state and government immigration officials in settling the 2,500,000 tenantless acres of the valley.

Conversion of the region from a strictly grain belt to a district not alone famous for its crops but its livestock as well.

"The Red River valley is famous the world over for its wheat and grain crops," said Mr. Mathwig in explaining the new organization's aims. "This should not be the whole truth. This region has the soil and moisture, the railroads and the markets to make it one of the greatest dairy and livestock sections of the country. We have made a beginning and already have achieved national fame in the Spaulding Holstein herds at Warren, the Green Duroc pigs at Stephen and the dairy products of Gentilly parish, but the association must carry the message of full blooded livestock to more farmers if the valley is to realize its resources.

Seeks Livestock Leadership.

"This the association plans to do. We already have the Crookston winter livestock show, staged every February at the Northwest school of agriculture, as the nucleus for bringing farmers of the region together to talk over problems. Last year alone we exhibited more than 600 of the finest livestock to be found in the state. We will augment this show until it is not alone one of the biggest agricultural events in the northwest, but the largest, most practical and instructive course for the amateur as well as experienced cattle breeders that can be found in the whole country."

That communities of the Red River valley are behind the new organization in seeing that its program becomes an accomplished fact was evident from the enthusiasm displayed during the week along the route of the association's tour. At Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls, Middle River, Greenbush, Roseau, Bronson, Hallock, Kennedy, Donaldson, Stephen, Argyle and Warren, farmers left the harvesting of their crops for an hour or more in order that they might catch the message being delivered. Bronson farmers drove seven miles to Halma in order to meet the tourists and escort them to town.

Bands Meet Tourists.

The Badger Commercial club sent a delegation of 25 farmers to Greenbush to introduce the tourists to the "finest highway in the state of Minnesota," and to learn of the turn of events in the Red River valley. At Thief River Falls and Warren there were bands to meet the travelers, and delegations from surrounding towns drove into county seats to hear the addresses of the association officials as well as the half dozen state department officials who accompanied the party.

For a part of the journey Rev. A. N. Theillan accompanied the tourists. Everyone in Northwestern Minnesota knows him. He typifies the spirit of the Red River valley. He came to Polk county from France in 1888 and settled in Gentilly, about 12 miles northeast of Crookston. It was considered the poorest farming township in the county but under the guiding hand of its leader it has become the leading township of the district. For Father Theillan long ago discovered that the Red River valley should be famous not alone for its crops but for its livestock as well. Gentilly was backward until it took to heart what Father Theillan urged them to do. 'Conversion from a solely grain district to a livestock section as well was a hard lesson for the Gentilly parishioners to learn, but they now are the strongest boosters for the new organization's work. Gentilly has captured so many first premiums in dairy products at Minnesota state fairs and national food shows that its cheese and butter are now referred to only as "first premium butter and cheese."

Friends tell how Father Theillan helped make Gentilly cheese famous. When his parishioners were ready to market their first dairy products, he took a train to Minneapolis and spent three days eating in Minneapolis restaurants. At each place he would pose as a connoisseur of cheeses. He would demand of the waiter that he be served the finest of such products made, preferably Gentilly cheese. The waiter would look non-plussed and when his patron would register disgust at his ignorance would call the restaurant proprietor to pacify him. The result would be that the proprietor would admit his ignorance and place Gentilly cheese on his menu. Today the product is served in all the exclusive restaurants from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

While Gentilly specializes in Holstein cattle, Red Lake Falls, in the adjoining Red Lake county, has become the center of many Guernsey breeds. Theodore LaBissoniere, mayor of the county seat, who welcomed the tourists at that point, predicted the prosperity that has been realized in Polk and Red Lake counties since the advent of full blooded livestock will find duplication in the more northern counties of the valley as the result of the new organization's work.

Roads were once the stumbling block to advancement of the Red River valley. It no longer is so. From Thief River Falls, gateway to the Lake of the Woods country, the state highway department has constructed roadways to the north, as fine if not finer than can be found in any other section of the state. The northern valley is bidding the tourist welcome and from Thief River Falls to Middle River; from Strathcona to Badger, Roseau and Warroad, there is not a community, large or small, that has not provided "tourists' camping grounds." Schools, another former problem in the region, have likewise given way to other issues, for today there is not a district without its new consolidated school, of the latest design and finest architecture, and as complete in equipment as any city school.

"Roads and schools may have been the problems of this region yesterday," said C. H. Zealand, secretary of the association, in speaking at Roseau, "but such needs have now been realized and there now are other pressing matters. First and foremost of these is securing settlers for the more than 2,000,000 untilled acres in the valley. The soil is rich and productive, the acres are traversed by good roads; there are neighbors and fine schools; phone service, markets and all the other facilities for a happy and contented farm population. To see that this rich land is settled upon should be one of the first steps of the state in converting its liabilities to assets."

More than 100 boosters went on last week's tour. The association proposes next year to tour the southern half of the Red River valley.

Ice Cream Social.

The Silverton Young Peoples' society will give an ice cream social and "flode grot" supper at H. Fodstad's farm on Sunday, Aug. 7. An address will be given by Rev. Ordahl of Holt at 2:30 p. m. Everybody is invited.

C. C. Bergan.

Last Thursday occurred the death of C. C. Bergan at his home near the east end of Bridge street. Mr. Bergan suffered a paralytic stroke last March and had been confined to his bed since that time.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the Larson undertaking parlors and interment made in Greenwood cemetery. The services were in charge of A. E. Kolberg of Bemidji, and the remains were escorted to the cemetery by a large number of relatives and friends.

Deceased was 74 years old at the time of his death and had resided in Thief River Falls for two years. Prior to coming here the family made their home at Russell, N. D. Mr. Bergan is survived by his wife and six children: Mrs. I. E. Wilson, Hazel; Eugene, residing at home; Mrs. Minnie Arbuckle, Rhame, N. D.; Chris., Altoona, Wis.; Dugna and Otto, at home. All were present at the funeral with the exception of Mrs. Arbuckle.

SOLDIER BOY DIES AFTER LONG FIGHT

Pennington County Lad Succumbs Following Operation in Military Hospital.

St. Hilaire Spectator—Thomas Anderson, son of O. A. Anderson, died Saturday at the military hospital at Minneapolis where he underwent an operation a short time before. Thomas was in military service during the latter part of the war and was stationed at Camp Dodge. It is believed that during one of the numerous sandstorms at camp, a grain of sand became lodged in his ear. The ear began to pain while he was in camp and grew gradually worse after his release. He took treatments at various times without getting relief, and as a last resort consented to the operation, which is one of the most delicate known. He failed to rally promptly so his father was called to his bedside and was with him when the end came. The remains were shipped here Monday and a military funeral held the same afternoon from the Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. C. M. Grimsrud officiating. Members of the local post American Legion acted as pall bearers, while the Elmer Eklund post of Thief River Falls, of which Thomas was a member, furnished a guard of honor and firing squad.

After services at the church, the funeral cortege, numbering over fifty autos in all, wended its way to the Swedish cemetery east of town where after the flower-covered casket had been lowered to its last resting place, three volleys were fired over the grave, and "taps" sounded by comrades of the departed.

He leaves to mourn his sudden and untimely end, his father, O. A. Anderson, five brothers, Arthur, Oliver, John, George and Alec, and a sister, Inga Anderson, besides a large number of other relatives. All immediate relatives with the exception of John, were present at the funeral. Relatives from out of town present were: Mrs. A. Johnston of Crookston; Mr. and Mrs. P. Johnson of Crookston; Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson of Holt; Mrs. Lokker and Inga Anderson from Grafton, N. D.

Heartfelt sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved relatives in their loss of one who was held in high esteem by all with whom he came in contact.

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WOMEN ARE URGED TO DO JURY DUTY

Women are being urged to answer the summons for jury service with a full sense of the responsibility involved in this new civic duty by Miss Florence Monahan, chairman of the committee on uniform laws for women for the Minnesota League of Women Voters.

Miss Monahan, who was among the active workers at the Legislature, to put through the bill making women eligible to service, announced recently that while women have already served in Minnesota, the first general call for women would come in the fall, according to information received from the district judges.

League chairmen in every county have been asked to see that women are drawn in proportion with the men for jury service by Miss Monahan.

"One benefit of the new law already apparent," Miss Monahan said, "is the general cleaning up of the courthouses reported in all parts of the state. It may be predicted that women jurors will have much the same effect in changing the general atmosphere of the courtroom as women voters have in changing the old-fashioned voting place.

"Women who are good citizens will feel that it is their duty to serve on juries, and unless it is unavoidable, they should not ask to be excused," Miss Monahan said. "Women are needed on juries as many verdicts show. Especially in cases involving women and young girls, and in cases affecting public morals, women should be anxious to give their point of view and judgment.

"It is well to remind ourselves that the bills making women eligible for jury service were not passed without opposition, and that some people regard the carrying out of the new provisions with misgiving. 'In designating women for jury service,' writes one judge, 'I hope that those drawn will realize that jury service is one of the highest duties of citizenship now extended to women on a parity with men and will accept such service voluntarily as by far the larger number of men now accept it, frequently at considerable sacrifice.' Moreover, while jury service for women is still a novelty, the dignity and good sense of the women who sit in the jury box, in the minds of many interested and perhaps skeptical observers, will be on trial almost as much as the prisoner at the bar.

"Members of the League of Women Voters, set an example to your communities by cheerfully and willingly doing your civic duty. Do not give trivial excuses to avoid this obligation. Do not, as a woman in St. Paul has recently done, publicly declare that you will never serve again. If there are conditions in jury service which need improving we can only learn of them and improve them through first-hand knowledge."

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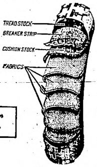

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GOLDEN VALLEY PEAT PLOTS TO DISPLAY CROPS

Saturday, August 13, Set Apart as Visiting Day By Men in Charge of Plots.

Wonderful Results Already Obtained By Scientific Management of Peat Soils.

Everybody Interested in Peat Experiments Invited to Be Present on Saturday.

Next Saturday, Aug. 13, will be a big day at the Golden Valley Peat Experimental station. This day has been designated by the department of agriculture, state university, which has the station in charge, as official visiting day, and arrangements have been made to care for a large number of visitors.

The Golden Valley plots are located 16 miles east of Holt and roads are said to be in fine condition all the way. The plots are located on the main road one mile east of Golden Valley postoffice.

A Successful Year.

The present year has been a very successful one at the peat experimental station. Crops are excellent, in fact fully up to the standard set in 1918 when all previous records on peat soil were broken at Golden Valley. Winter rye showed up exceptionally well this year. To guide visitors next Saturday, signs have been placed along the roads from Holt, Goodridge and Grygla. A large number of people from all parts of this section plan on viewing the Golden Valley experiments next Saturday, the large peat areas in Northwestern Minnesota making it a very important subject among the farmers.

Program Arranged.

A short program will be given, beginning at 2 o'clock. This will consist of brief addresses and an explanation of the experiments, their purpose and their teaching. At the close of the program the plots will be visited with university guides.

Those wishing to leave right after the program should come early and bring their lunch. In the grove just southeast of Golden Valley will be found a pleasant picnic ground with a good well. Guides will be at the service of visitors any time after 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Phosphate Fertilizer Used.

Many farmers in this section of Minnesota have used phosphate fertilizer this season on peat soils, with uniformly good results. This form of fertilizer has been used chiefly at Golden Valley and experiments there prove that its proper application brings wonderful results on peat soils.

All farmers who cannot visit the experiment plots in person are asked to write the office of publications, university farm, St. Paul, for a copy of Bulletin 194, which is a report of the Golden Valley experiments for 1918 and 1919.

BAD CHECK USED IN PAYING FOR GOODS

Local Store is Stung For $25.00 in Taking Bogus Voucher From Stranger.

A warrant was issued the first of the week by Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court for the arrest of one Ruth West, a transient, charged with having passed a worthless check for $25 on the J. C. Penney company last week. The check was given in exchange for merchandise and was drawn on a Duluth bank. In the course of a few days the voucher came back marked "no funds" and steps were immediately taken to apprehend the lady who had used it as cash.

The warrant is now in the hands of officers and every effort is being made to locate Ruth. It is rather a difficult task, however, she having nearly a week's time in which to make her get-away. While it is not certain, it is considered likely the woman was connected with one of the concession outfits which were here for the county fair last week.

Local business people are as a rule very careful in taking chances with strangers during a time when the town is full of questionable characters and this is the only instance brought to light where anyone accepted a worthless check during fair week.

Large Audiences Assemble to Hear Dr. Gambell Speak

Dr. F. H. Gambell, for many years a resident of Thief River Falls, delivered two very interesting lectures at the Presbyterian church last Sunday. Mr. Gambell and his family now reside at Willows, Cal.

The doctor spent two years with the American Red Cross in Siberia and his lectures here concerned things as he found them in that part of the globe. Conditions are very bad in that country, according to the speaker, and there seems to be no hope for improvement for some time to come. There is no permanent nor responsible government, no stable currency, no markets worthy the name, and a hopelessly inadequate transportation system. These, together with the natural viciousness of a certain element of the population and the darkest illiteracy of millions of others, make for continual strife and turmoil among the natives. Added to this is the constant effort of eastern powers to gain a foot-hold in the fertile districts of Siberia. Dr. Gambell feels that the immediate future is very dark for Siberia, and all of Russia, too, for that matter.

The lectures were very interesting and were highly appreciated by the large audience present on both occasions.

Windows Replaced.

The five large plate glass windows in the store of the Oen Mercantile company which were broken in the storm of two weeks ago are being replaced this week. These large pieces of plate glass are expensive and great care is required in handling them and getting them into place.

POLICE FIND CACHE OF BOOZE AND OLD SETTLER IS NABBED

Ole Peterson Bound Over to Grand Jury After Hearing on Liquor Charge.

Conducting a business establishment not strictly in harmony with the intentions of the Volstead law brought Ole Peterson, an old settler of Thief River Falls, before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court on Friday. Ole was arrested by Chief of Police E. O. Erickson, on the charge of maintaining an unlicensed drinking place and the officer succeeded in gathering considerable damaging evidence through a search of his premises on Knight avenue. The defendant waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury under a bond of $500, which was immediately furnished.

Among the contraband supplies found in Ole's rooms by the officer were five pints of whiskey, one quart bottle of the same liquid, a large number of empty bottles, some corks and a quantity of distilled water. This is the first instance on record in these parts where the ultimate consumer has been safeguarded by the use of distilled water in the mixing of "moonshine." Some believe, however, that the distilled water would eventually have found its way into the battery of Ole's automobile if the law had not stepped in.

LADS ACCUSED OF ATTEMPT TO TAKE AUTO DRAW FINES

Reformatory Sentence Suspended and Boys Given Chance to Earn Fine Imposed.

Stanley Death and Clyde Lawson, the two young men who had been held in the county jail for a week on the charge of attempting to steal the automobile of J. M. Bishop, appeared before Judge William Watts at a special session of court held here last Friday and entered a plea of guilty to the charge.

Considering the youth of the prisoners, the fact that the car was not removed from the premises and other extenuating circumstances connected with the case, the court charged the lads with a fine of $150 each and also gave them an indeterminate sentence to the St. Cloud reformatory. The latter part of the sentence was suspended pending the good behavior of the boys and with the provision that the fines be paid at the rate of $15 per month. In addition the boys are to report regularly to a probation officer appointed by the court and will be allowed their freedom as long as the foregoing provisions are complied with in every particular. Any violation, however, will mean a reformatory sentence without further ceremony.

Transients Neglect to Pay For Room and Eats; Beat It

Four men, evidently connected with the carnival company located at the fair grounds, left town this week. This they had a perfect right to do, but overlooked one little formality in the transaction—they neglected to settle with Landlord Garvey of the Brumund hotel for a week's board and lodging. This ungentlemanly procedure naturally irritated the landlord and he had warrants sworn out for the four, whose names are given as F. D. Brock, J. W. Kelley, A. E. Miller and Wm. Cooper.

The absconders had a considerable start of the officers armed with the warrants and have not yet been apprehended.

First Wheat Marketed.

The first wheat of the season was marketed at the Hanson & Barzen elevator on Tuesday. It was threshed on the farm of D. P. O'Neill, south of Thief River Falls, and early returns indicate a yield considerably in advance of what was expected. The grain is clean and of fair quality, although showing effects of the extremely hot weather during the ripening period.

GREATEST FAIR BREAKS RECORD IN ATTRACTIONS

Attendance is Slightly Smaller Than Last Year But Earnings Show Up Well.

Directors in Charge Highly Pleased With Results—Exhibits Best Ever.

Weather and General Condition Prevent Concessions From Amassing Wealth.

One of the very best fairs in the history of the local association closed Saturday evening, after continuing for four days. Everything connected with the fair—exhibits, attractions and amusements—received unstinted praise from visitors, being pronounced better than ever before. General conditions were such that a record-breaking attendance could not be expected, yet the unusual record established last year came very near being equalled. Gate receipts were a little less than those of last year, but net earnings were greater due to expenses being reduced.

Wonderful Exhibits.

Displays in all departments of the fair were simply wonderful and show the great interest taken by Pennington county people in such matters. Cattle, horses, hogs, sheep, grains, grasses, vegetables, flowers—everything produced on farms and in gardens were there in profusion, and some of the finest specimens to be found in the Northwest. The poultry building also contained a large number of high class exhibits.

The new building occupied by the women's department, educational and industrial exhibits elicited much praise from visitors. An attempt to describe everything here in detail would require several columns of space. It was the center of attraction for lady visitors and the men also found many things of interest, chiefly among the educational and industrial departments.

Free Attractions Good.

The fee attractions given in front of the grand stand each afternoon and evening were exceptionally good and of a class rarely seen at county fairs. Particularly was this true of the fireworks display. It was advertised as a magnificent thing and fulfilled every expectation. The usual class of shows were run by the carnival company on the gounds, some of which were fair and others not so good. The ferris wheel and merry-go-round did a very small business compared with last year, the cool weather being largely responsible for this condition. Other concessions on the grounds also complained of poor business, these people finding it extremely difficult to pry loose the nickels and dimes from visitors.

Makes Good Financially.

While all figures are not yet available, it has been announced that the total receipts this year will run in the neighborhood of $7,000. After all expenses are paid this will leave a tidy sum for the association to apply on new buildings and other permanent improvements. Taking everything into consideration the fair directors have good reason to feel gratified over the results. They worked hard to make the fair a success and deserve credit for the highly efficient manner in which the thing was handled.

GETTING READY FOR GREAT SCHOOL YEAR

Board of Education Holds Organization Meeting and Chooses Officers.

The recently elected board of education of district No. 18 held its organization meeting on Saturday. Dr. H. W. Froehlich was chosen president of the board for the coming year, Dr. O. F. Mellby, vice president, Mrs. L. G. Larsen, secretary, and Lars Backe, treasurer.

Plans for the coming school year were considered and much accumulated routine work done. All vacancies on the teaching staff, with two exceptions, have been filled, and applicants for these positions are under consideration. Teachers are more plentiful this season than last and no difficulty has been experienced in completing the staff.

School will begin in earnest on Tuesday, Sept. 6, in all buildings except the Knox, where half day sessions will be maintained until such time as the new building is ready for use. Work on the structure is progressing at a very satisfactory rate and it likely will be completed in the course of about three months. Indications point to a very large enrollment and the board looks forward to a successful school year.

County Assessments Equalized.

The board of county commissioners met last Friday as a board of equalization and finished its work for the year. It is a herculean job to go over all the assessments for the entire county and several continued meetings were necessary to complete the task.

Large Automobile Catches Fire and Burns Completely

A big Reo automobile belonging to the Nash Motor company of Grand Forks and driven by an employe of that concern, caught fire on the Jefferson highway about a mile south of Thief River Falls Monday afternoon and in a few minutes was only a heap of ashes and scrap iron. The driver made a desperate attempt to put out the fire but his efforts proved futile. A terrific explosion occurred when the fire reached the gasoline storage tank, which contained nearly twenty gallons of the inflammable liquid. No one was hurt although several spectators had gathered on the scene by this time.

While nothing definite can be ascertained as to the cause of the fire, it is considered likely that it was started either through the engine back-firing or by a short circuit in the electric wires.

Elks Meet Friday.

On account of the fair and other counter attractions last Friday evening, the regular meeting of the Elks' lodge was postponed for one week and will take place tomorrow evening, Aug. 12. All members are asked to bear this change in mind and to be present this Friday evening.

LOCAL BANKERS TO SEND SHIPMENT OF GUERNSEYS TO FAIR

Bankers' Association Gets Behind Project to Place Animals on Exhibition.

A carload of Pennington county Guernsey cattle are to be shown at the state fair this year. Such was the decision reached at the meeting of the Pennington County Bankers' association, held Monday evening at the Farmers and Merchants bank in Thief River Falls. Representatives of every bank in the county were present at the meeting and unanimously endorsed the proposition of standing the expense of sending the Guernseys to the fair.

The bankers' association also proposes to furnish each animal to be placed on exhibition with a blanket on which will be stenciled in large letters the words, "Guernsey Breeders of Pennington County." It is also considered likely by those having the matter in charge that the carload of Guernseys may be taken to Bemidji on the return trip and shown at the Beltrami county fair. This will entail but very little additional expense and will prove of considerable advertising value for the local Guernsey breeders.

Pennington county Guernseys have made some wonderful winnings at leading fairs in the Northwest during the past two years in competition with the best animals to be found and there is little doubt but what they will make a good showing at the state fair. At least the bankers of the county propose to show the rest of the state what is being done here in the live stock industry, and their action in taking upon themselves the financial burden of sending the cattle to the fair and back is creating much favorable comment.

SEASON SOON HERE FOR GATHERING OF PRAIRIE CHICKENS

Short Open Period Begins Sept. 16 and Continues Until End of Month.

A supply of five hundred hunters' licenses was received this week at the office of County Auditor T. P. Anderson, and it is expected that all of these will be issued before the opening of the hunting season on Sept. 16. Geo. C. Streeter enjoys the distinction of applying for the first license issued this year, he having been granted a permit on the very day the blanks arrived.

Prairie chickens may be hunted this year in Minnesota. The season opens Sept. 16 and continues until Sept. 30. This rule also governs grouse. The season for ducks opens the same day and continues until Nov. 30. Some of the rules governing hunters this year are as follows:

Water fowl cannot be taken with a rifle. It is unlawful to carry guns while training dogs during the closed season on lands frequented by game birds. The limits on prairie chicken, mourning dove or pinnated grouse is nine birds, with a season limit of 18 prairie chickens.

Small game licenses cost $1 and are required of all persons over 14 years of age (except persons shooting on land owned or leased and occupied by themselves as permanent residence.)

Five New Citizens Added to Nation's Voting Army

A hearing of applications for citizenship was conducted at the Pennington county court house last Friday by Judge William Watts of Crookston. Five applicants passed the necessary examinations and were granted full citizenship. They are Axel Olson, Olof Helmer Sorenson, Robert Vance, William Poirier and Aanond Gunlekson. Two other applications were continued until the next hearing, which will be held in February.

HOME PICTURES WILL BE SHOWN IN MOVIES HERE

Movie Scenes Taken in Thief River Falls to Be Flashed on Lyceum Screen.

Pictures to Consist Chiefly of Local Street Views, Interiors and Exteriors.

People Asked to Be on Streets Saturday Afternoon to Be Photographed.

Thief River Falls in motion pictures is the next thing on the program. E. W. Ewing, of the Commercial Photo Plays company, St. Paul, arrived in the city yesterday and is busy completing arrangements for the new venture. It is expected the new picture will be ready to be thrown on the screen in two or three weeks, when they will be shown at the Lyceum.

A New Picture Idea.

Mr. Ewing is meeting with the Commercial club this noon for the purpose of explaining the proposition in detail to the business men of the city. The idea back of the work is, of course, commercial and community advertising, besides the educational features of the pictures. Included in the film will be street scenes, residences, public buildings and other things of interest in the city and community. Added to this will be interior and exterior views of various business establishments, showing everything which the proprietors deem of advertising value.

Next Saturday the Day.

Next Saturday afternoon between the hours of two and four o'clock the street scenes of Thief River Falls will be taken. To make the best possible showing it is requested that all who can possibly do so be on the streets with automobiles, vehicles and on foot. The main idea is to make it appear that Thief River Falls is a live town and to get as many local people into the pictures as possible, thus adding interest to the films when they are thrown on the screen. Farmers are also extended a special invitation to be in the city Saturday afternoon to have their pictures taken.

Many Years in Business.

Mr. Ewing, who is here for the purpose of making these films, has been in the motion picture game game since 1905. In that time he has been associated with some of the greatest concerns in the country, including Lubin, Pathe and others. Before coming to Minnesota he was with the Art-O-Graf company, with headquarters at Denver.

According to Mr. Ewing, Minnesota possesses numerous natural beauty spots in which moving picture scenes may be taken, and he predicts that within a few years many concerns will have companies filming plays in different parts of the state. He says that a short time ago, for instance, he filmed a stretch along the St. Croix river which will appear in pictures as the Grand Canon of Colorado.

Mail Carrier on Vacation.

Fred Protz, city mail carrier on the east side of the river, is at present enjoying his annual vacation. He and his family drove to Maple Lake in their car and are spending their time in a pleasant outing. Fred walks a good many miles in a year and a short rest will do him good.

INDIANS RECEIVING BADLY NEEDED AID

Chippewas to Be Given Per Capita Payment to Tide Over Tight Period.

Th following telegram, received on Wednesday from Congressman Halvor Steenerson, explains progress being made in important legislation which Mr. Steenerson is attempting to get through for the benefit of the Chippewa tribe of Indians:

"The committee on Indian affairs of the house of representatives today made a favorable report on the Steenerson bill authorizing a per capita payment of $100 to the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota, of whom there are $12,273, out of the principal fund to their credit in the treasury of the United States, derived from the sale of their lands and timber under the act of congress approved in 1889.

"The Indians have petitioned congress for the relief of distress growing out of failure of crops and inability to obtain employment, and extraordinary conditions common to the rest of the country. The secretary of the interior, after investigation in the field, has recommended favorable action on the bill."

Interest in East Side Auto Company Sold This Week

A deal was closed the first of the week whereby Solomon Erickson sold his half interest in the East Side Auto company to Morris Sorenson of Roseau, who will henceforth be associated with Pat Howlett in conducting the business.

The new man has for some years been engaged in business at Roseau and is known as a hustler among his business associates. For the present he will spend most of his time at Roseau looking after his business affairs but expects to spend a few days each week in his newly acquired establishment.

Mr. Erickson, the retiring partner, acquired a quarter section of timber land in the northern part of the state in the deal and plans on putting in the fall and winter cutting logs and clearing the place. He will continue to make Thief River Falls his home for the present.

Aga Secures Contract.

Aga's Garage and Machine Shop was on Tuesday evening awarded a contract by the city council for installing a new set of flues and otherwise putting the boiler in the city auditorium in good repair. The Thief River Iron Works was the only other bidder for the work. The Aga concern offered to do the work and furnish all materials for the sum of $448, which was considerably lower than the bid submitted by the other company.

HEART FAILURE IS BLAMED AS CAUSE FOR SUDDEN DEATH

Guest at Local Hotel Drops Dead in Lobby—Remains to Be Interred Here.

John A. Roberts, a transient aged about 60 years, dropped dead Tuesday forenoon at the Central hotel in this city. He had complained of being short of breath that morning, and a subsequent examination by Coroner H. W. Froehlich showed death to be due to heart failure.

Little is known about the dead man except that he came here about three weeks ago and since then has been staying at the hotel. It is understood he had come here for the purpose of taking treatments at a private sanitarium operated near Thief River Falls. The coroner ascertained that the dead man had lived in Grand Forks before coming here and immediately got in touch with authorities there. It was learned he had made his home in the Dakota city for several years, but had lived entirely alone and so far as known had no relatives or close friends there.

Another clue led to relatives at Toronto, Canada, and these were communicated with by wire. Instructions were received to bury the dead man here, and arrangements are being made to comply with this request. Sufficient money and property was left by deceased to defray all expenses connected with the burial.

ONE MORE ALLEGED 'MOONSHINER' NOW FACES GRAND JURY

Anton B. Remmem Arrested on Charge of Selling Pint of Contraband Liquid.

Anton B. Remmem, proprietor of a livery business on Third street, was arrested yesterday on the charge of selling intoxicating liquor and at a hearing conducted in the afternoon before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court was bound over to await the action of the grand jury, with bonds fixed at $500. The necessary signatures were affixed to the bond in short order and the defendant is assured his liberty until next February.

According to the testimony offered at the hearing, Remmem is alleged to have sold a pint bottle to Irving Carlson, charging $4 therefor. Carlson testified that he in turn gave the bottle to another party and could not vouch for its contents. He did not deny, however, that he went to Remmem for the purpose of securing liquor and purchased the fluid under the impression that it was liquor. It seems the mistake was made in letting the third person get possession of the bottle, for it was not long until a warrant was sworn out and the arrest made. The evidence of this third person evidently was not desired by the authorities and he did not appear at the hearing. Neither was the bottle of alleged liquor offered in evidence.

Sons of Norway Celebrate at Maple Lake on Sunday

Varden lodge, Sons of Norway, of Grand Forks, is planning a big picnic and song festival at Maple Lake next Sunday, Aug. 14. A great time has been arranged and an unusually large attendance of lodge members from this section of the state is expected.

A special invitation has been sent to Snorre lodge of Thief River Falls to send a delegation to the celebration, as well as any others who might wish to be present. Many have signified their intention of making the trip and it is likely several auto loads will be ready to make the start on Sunday morning.

Building and Repair Permits.

At Tuesday evening's session of the city council a repair permit was granted to H. B. Newell, for placing a new basement beneath and otherwise improving the building occupied by the drug store. L. O. Kongelf also was granted permission to construct a new garage.

GETTING READY FOR NEXT HUGE BARGAIN FEAST

Wednesday, Aug. 24, Decided Upon as Date For Next Monthly Market Day.

Thief River Falls Merchants Propose to Break Previous Records in Bargains.

Ordinary Money Will Really be Worth Something if Spent Here on Aug. 24.

Merchants of Thief River Falls are busy preparing for the next big market day event and the date for the August bargain festival has been set for Wednesday, the 24th. Much experience was gained in conducting the first two events and everything will naturally be placed on a broader and better scale this time than previously, with better deals for buyers and a smoother running organization all around.

Many Special Offers.

All merchants will present a large list of special bargain offerings for the benefit of people who visit Thief River Falls on market day. The Times next week will contain these announcements and prospective visitors should post themselves in advance regarding the many items offered at prices away below normal.

Dollar bargains will be featured by many business men for this event, and a dollar will go farther here that day than any place in the country.

Something New Provided.

Anyone making purchases in Thief River Falls will be entitled to participate in a drawing at which a large amount of valuable merchandise will be given away absolutely free. There are absolutely no strings attached to this offer. Merchandise certificates will be issued by merchants with each 25c purchase or with each 25c paid on account. All of these certificates will be used in the drawing and there is no limit to the number which one person may accumulate.

No Auction Sale.

The association has decided to dispense with the auction sale feature of market day until later in the season. Owing to the fact that so little merchandise has been brought in for sale this privilege has not proved a success at previous market days. In order to put on a successful market day auction sale it is necessary to list articles with the secretary of the Merchants' association at least two weeks in advance so that everything may be included in the list to be advertised in the special market day edition of The Times. The Merchants' association is glad to render this service if the public desires it.

DISTINGUISHED MEN TO COME SATURDAY

Prominent Men of State Expected on Occasion of Event at Golden Valley.

One of the principal subjects to come up for discussion at the weekly noon-day luncheon of the Commercial club today will be arrangements for the visiting day at the Golden Valley peat experiment station next Saturday. A number of prominent men of the state have accepted invitations to visit the plots on Saturday, and the club is making arrangements to entertain them properly while here. A run will be made to Golden Valley on Saturday under the supervision of the club, which will provide free transportation to visitors from other points who are their guests for the day.

Among the prominent men who have been invited to make the trip to Golden Valley are N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture; R. P. Chase, state auditor; Oscar Smith, immigration commissioner; A. J. Logg, university comptroller; Andrew Boss, vice director of the experiment station, and Theodore Christianson, for the past three sessions chairman of the house appropriations committee in the legislature. Invitation also has been wired President Quamme of the Federal Land bank to be the guest of the club for the day.

Anyone having a car which will accommodate extra passengers for the trip is requested to inform Scott Laird of the fact. Those who desire to go but have no car also are requested to inform Mr. Laird of the fact, in order that all arrangements may be made in advance.

Local Catholics Plan Big Outing For Next Sunday

The choir and a considerable number of members of St. Bernard's church are planning a pleasant trip for next Sunday. They will go to Jane, a small inland town east of Middle River to spend the day as guests of the congregation there. After attending high mass in the new Catholic church at Jane, the afternoon will be spent picnicking. Plans are now being made for 12 to 15 cars making the trip providing the weather is favorable.

MUSICAL EVENT OF SEASON AT LYCEUM ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Miss Doris Halvorson to Appear in First Piano Recital Since Graduation.

The piano recital to be given by Miss Doris Halvorson next Tuesday evening promises to be an important event in the musical life of the city. Miss Halvorson has been under the tutorship of the best musicians in the country, connected with the Oberlin college.

This will be her first public performance in Thief River Falls since her graduation. She will be ably assisted by Mrs. O. F. Mellby, who will play second piano in the Grieg Concerto. Mrs. L. F. Fisher, contralto, who always delights her audiences, will sing two well chosen groups of songs.

William Treat Upton, instructor of piano at the Oberlin conservatory, has the following to say of Miss Halvorson: "I have found her possessed of excellent musical ability. Her piano playing is technically adequate, intelligent and attractive."

Mrs. Ruth Chamberlain Miller, a graduate of Oberlin college and a former instructor of Miss Halvorson, gives the following testimony: " I am glad to recommend Miss Doris Halvorson as a solo pianist and accompanist. She possesses a brilliant technic and good style, combined with fine tone quality and an ease of manner in public playing. Her ability to read at sight makes her a desirable accompanist."

Folloiwng is the program to be rendered next Tuesday evening:

Preludio and Fughetta ________Pierne
Caprice on Airs from Alceste ________________________ Gluck Saint Saens
Miss Halvorson.
"My Heart is Weary," from Nadeschda ____________ Goring Thomas
Mrs. Fisher.
Etude in D flat (Un Sospiro) __Liszt
Etude in D flat ____________Scriabine
Etude (La Chasse) __Paganini-Liszt
Etude (Ave Maria) __________Henselt
Etude in F sharp minor__Bortkiewicz
Etude on false notes ____Rubenstein
Ballade in F, op. 38 __________Chopin
Miss Halvorson
Prelude "Down in the Forest," from "The Cycle of Life" Landon Ronald
"The Last Hour" ___Walter Kramer
Mrs. Fisher.
Concerto in A minor for two pianos
Adagio-allegro ______________ Grieg
Miss Halvorson and ~~Mrs~~ Mellby.

RED CROSS RESENTS FALSE STATEMENTS

Local Executive Committee Submits Facts to Set Aright Wrong Impression Made.

The following article, submitted for publication by persons who have authority in the matter, should set at ease any rumors which may have been started by unwarranted attacks upon the local Red Cross organization by persons who apparently have an object in seeing that reflections are cast upon certain members of the organization:

"The Executive Committee of the local Red Cross Chapter of Pennington County, after observing an editorial in a local paper of August 9th concerning the work of the local Red Cross Chapter, feels that it is fair to the people of Pennington county to make the following statement concerning the matters referred to in the editorial:

"First. Miss Ruth Houlton of Chicago, who has supervision of the field work for this territory, visited the local chapter of Pennington county in the regular course of her work and not in the capacity of special investigator.

"Second. Miss Marie Knutson, the Red Cross county nurse, has been during her term of service here, under the direction and supervision of the chairman of the nursing committee of the local Red Cross chapter. The nursing committee is composed of the following persons: Dr. M. George Milan, chairman; W. A. Barnard; Mrs. R. H. McDonald, Goodridge; Mrs. Asp, Hazel, and Mrs. Fred Bjerken, St. Hilaire.

"Third. Miss Knutson in the pursuance of her work has recommended certain medical attention in numerous cases. Miss Knutson has not in any instances recommended any particular physician but has left the choice of the physician entirely and in every case to the family or to the person concerned. All information at hand is to the effect that in cases where the Junior Red Cross paid the hospital expenses the physician made no charge for medical services. The Red Cross has paid out no money for the services of any physician.

"Fourth. The hospital expenses of cases where the people concerned were unable to meet them have been paid from the treasury of the Junior Red Cross. This has been done only after this use of the Junior Red Cross chapter money had been authorized from headquarters.

"We invite fullest and freest investigation if anyone wishes to verify the above statement.—Executive Committee, Pennington Co. Chapter, American Red Cross."

Improving Building.

The building occupied by the Newell drug store is undergoing quite extensive repairs. A full concrete basement is being put in and a modern heating plant is to be installed before cold weather sets in. These improvements will add greatly to the capacity, convenience and comfort of the Newell drug store.

The Kretzer Potato Crate.

Do not dig your potato crop this year without crates. In the long run you will save both time and money and the work will be a pleasure instead of a drag both to you, your pickers and your haulers. The old way sticks pretty hard sometimes and it's hard to break away from the sacks or the baskets or the pails, or whatever you are accustomed to using. But let a man once use crates and he would no more think of growing potatoes without crates than he would think of growing grain without a binder, at least that is what the potato growers around Fertile, Minn., tell us, where we sell carloads of crates every year.

We had a letter from a man near Fertile the other day. This is his first year in potatoes and his letter reads like this:

"Clearbrook Box & Crate Co., Clearbrook, Minn. Gentlemen: Please let me know the price of potato crates this year. I want 200 of them. Will pay for them in advance, if necessary. I must have them. I have 30 acres of potatoes and nothing to pick them in."

This man knows what he wants simply because his neighbor growers have told him what he needs.

Price of crates, 30c each F. O. B. Clearbrook. Clearbrook Box & Crate Co., Clearbrook, Minn. 27-28

Society and Club

Entertained.

In compliment to Miss Anna Skeim who leaves the city soon, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich entertained a number of young ladies at her home on Saturday evening.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet on Friday, Aug. 12 on the lawn of the J. M. Bishop home. Every lady is asked to bring either sandwiches or cake.

Dinner Party.

On Wednesday evening at their home, Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud entertained the following at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogenson, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren, Miss Olive Booren and C. L. Hansen.

Mrs. Fuller Entertains Nurses.

Mrs. W. B. Fuller pleasantly entertained the nurses of the Physicians' hospital at her home on Tuesday evening. Misses Irene Fuller, Laura Brown and Clara Sorenson were additional guests.

For Miss Skeim.

Miss Anna Skeim, retiring superintendent of the Physicians' hospital, was honor guest at a party given by the nurses at their home on Knight avenue, Monday evening. They repaired to Black's Sweet Shop for lunch.

Picnic Supper.

Twelve girls enjoyed a picnic supper at Lovers' Lane at six o'clock, Tuesday evening. Included were the Misses Emily Fossum, Jeanette Oftedahl, Blanche Hoium, Louise Majeres, Adele Gulden, Christine Giefer, Edna O'Brien, Barbara Votava, Irene Fuller, Lola Jubb, Adeline Roemhildt and Olga Swensgaard.

Maccabees Meet.

A large class was initiated into the Maccabee lodge at their last meeting held on Monday evening. Mrs. Robbins, district deputy and Mrs. Spenbook, special district deputy, both of Crookston and Mrs. Kelly of Malmomen, including the officers of the Crookston lodge, were guests. Following the usual ceremonies refreshments were served.

Birthday Party.

Eight little girls assisted Veronica Shanahan in celebrating her eighth birthday anniversary on Friday afternoon at her home. Various games were played and the party was concluded with a nice lunch. The girls present were: Vernice Helgeland, Bernice Granum, Margaret Granum, Edna Millar, Lois Odin, Grace Provencher, Rose Sheedy and Ruth Smithers.

Entertain Dr. Gambell.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman entertained Dr. F. H. Gambell of Willows, Cal., at their home over Saturday and Sunday. On Monday noon Mr. and Mrs. Guy Halvorson entertained at a 1 o'clock luncheon at their home, in his honor. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way entertained at dinner in his honor. The guests included Dr. Gambell, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Morlan Bishop, Mirriam Bishop and M. W. Lee, the latter of Minneapolis.

Marshmallow and Weiner Roast.

Miss Jennie Maltman of Forest River, who is a guest of her cousin, Miss Hulda Fossum, was honor guest at a marshmallow and weiner roast, given on Monday evening at Squaw Point. Those participating were Misses Hulda Fossum, Emily Fossum, Alvina Jonas, Lena Evenson, Pearl Olson, Albina Ducet, Jennie Maltman and Messrs. Chas. Vorachek, Leonard Hanson, Morris Fossum, Ingvald Fossum, Carl Gulrud, Oscar Paulson and Victor Polman.

Greet Newlyweds.

A very pleasant social event occurred at the Poston home, one mile north of the city, on Wednesday evening, when a large number of young people gathered in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Poston, recently married at Hibbing. The evening was spent around a camp-fire and the young guests thereby enjoyed roasting weiners and marshmallows. Entertainment was furnished by vocal and instrumental music and the party did not break up until near midnight. Many good wishes and hearty congratulations were extended to the newly married couple by the assembled guests.

DOLLING HER ALL UP FOR BIG CATTLE EXHIBIT

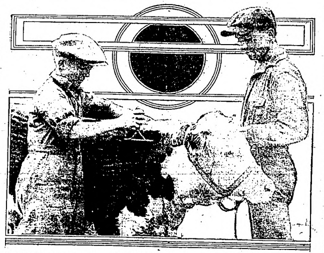

If cattle like this one were grown on every farm there would be no trouble about keeping the boys and girls away from the city. You simply couldn't pry them away from the farm. To encourage the raising of pure-bred cattle, officials are offering the most liberal premiums in years. A big attendance is anticipated at the Minnesota State Fair, Twin Cities, Sept. 3 to 10.

RACING CARS GIVE THRILLS TO CROWD AT SATURDAY MEET

Fair Attendance Despite Decidedly Bad Weather—Good Numbers Are Shown.

Despite the decidedly unfavorable weather, a fairly large crowd gathered at the fair grounds on Saturday to witness the automobile races. The day was extremely chilly and heavy rain clouds hung low all forenoon, which served to keep away many from a distance who had planned on coming.

Four cars, a Deusenberg, Essex, Stephens and Monroe, took part in the first event and considering the difficulty of driving on a half mile dirt track, some very creditable records were made. The Monroe car, with Willard driving, led the field in this event, making the six laps in 4:45.

Event No. 2 was a four-mile race in which the Maxwell, driven by Allen, took first, making the four miles in 5 minutes and 20 seconds. This was one of the most exciting races of the afternoon and the driver of the Maxwell showed some real skill in maneuvering his car through the tight places. The third event was a free-for-all half mile race, in which the Frontenac driven by Barr made the lowest record—35 and 3-5 seconds.

Event No. 4 was a three cornered match race of four laps, which was won by the Frontenac in 2 minutes, 37 and 2-5 seconds. This was followed by an exciting session of auto polo, and the last race of the afternoon, a five mile contest in which six cars participated. The Essex, driven by Rick, came out victor in this event.

Red Cross Nurse Makes Report of County Work

Miss Marie Knudson, county nurse, this week handed in a report covering her activities during the seven months from Jan. 1 to Aug. 1. As will be seen by glancing over the report, a great deal of good has been accomplished for the benefit of the public health. The complete survey follows:

Schools visited	665
Pupils inspected for physical defects	1177
Home visits made	235
Health talks given to pupils in school rooms	67
Health talks given at parents' and teachers' meetings	6
Clinics attended	2
Children accompanied to dentists	22
Children accompanied to doctors	8

Corrective work done for children, to which the physicians have given their services free and the Junior Red Cross has paid or is to pay the hospital bills, is as follows:

Major operations	2
Minor operations (removal of tonsils and adenoids)	14
Eyes tested and glasses procured	2

About 25 children have had the necessary dental work done, for which the Junior Red Cross has or is to pay the dental bills. The dentists have in all these cases made considerable reductions in their charges.

Pennington County Farmers to Cull Poultry Next Week

Poultry culling schools will be held in Pennington county on Aug. 18, and as many persons as are interested will take part in the work. The aim is to have three persons or more from each township qualify as a township culling team. These should be persons interested in poultry and who will have the disposition and time to instruct those who want to know how it is done.

Different places in the county will be visited on the 18th. A morning session will be held from 9:30 to 12 and an afternoon session from 2 to 4 p. m. Anyone interested in this event should notify the Farm Bureau and be on hand 9 o'clock Thursday, Aug. 18.

Information Wanted.

For the accommodation of the teachers and high school students who are coming and who will want rooms and board, the superintendent will be pleased to have all who have rooms for rent or who will furnish board, notify him either by telephone or letter. The data thus collected will be tabulated and sent to the teachers and kept on file for reference for high school students.

I. T. SIMLEY,
Superintendent.

ACCEPTS HONORARY CHAIRMANSHIP FOR BUDGET COMMITTEE

Mayor John Bratrud Named Member of Body to Back Program of Gen. Dawes.

Hon. John Bratrud, Mayor of Thief River Falls, has accepted the invitation of the National Budget Committee to serve as honorary chairman of the local committee of that organization, which is engaged in a nation-wide effort to gain popular support of the efforts of Gen. Charles G. Dawes, Director of the Budget, to effect a reduction of the burden of federal taxation.

Announcement of the acceptance of the mayor was made yesterday by Stanley H. Howe, Director of the National Budget Committee, whose headquarters are at 7 West 8th street, New York City. The mayor will join with the chief magistrates of a thousand other cities throughout the country in fostering the spirit of popular approval of the policy of federal retrenchment.

Active heads of local committees are being selected daily from among the most prominent business and professional men in their respective communities, and efforts are under way to secure the co-operation of leading citizens in a thousand cities by the formation of a nation-wide "Budget Guard" whose members will simply pledge their support to the establishment of a business-like administration of governmental appropriations and expenditures.

Every member of the National Budget Committee, which was instrumental in initiating and passing the National Budget bill, is asked to urge upon his fellow citizens the necessity for solidly supporting the present program of governmental efficiency and economy by the elimination of every possible item of expenditure. Every taxpayer who favors a reduction of the present unbearable tax burden is invited to join with his fellow townsmen in helping to crystallize public opinion and defeat unnecessary additions to federal expense.

Mayors of Mankato, St. Cloud, Fergus Falls, and Stillwater, have also become honorary members of the organization. Prominent members of the Board of Directors of the National Budget committee include: John T. Pratt, chairman; ex-president, William H. Taft, Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, Alton B. Parker, Samuel McCune Lindsay, Paul M. Warburg, R. C. Leffingwell, William M. Chadbourne, Henry L. Stimson, Manny Strauss, Benjamin Strong, Stanley H. Howe and Joseph P. Cotton.

MADE HAPPY

Anker's Business College was asked to supply the bank at Arnegard, N. D., with a stenographer and bookkeeper. Mr. Lloyd Forseth was sent, adding another to the many A. B. C. graduates holding bank positions. Miss Ragna Nestegard and Miss Myrtle Thompson have also accepted fine positions. A. B. C. can help you. Write Anker's Business College, Grand Forks, for a catalog and thus take the first step towards securing a good position. a11

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to our friends and neighbors who so generously assisted us during the illness and after the death of our loving wife and mother. Mr. Ross Trickle and three children.

BLOODED HOLSTEIN SIRES OFFERED ON TERMS TO FARMERS

Pure Bred Bulls Will be Sold on Easy Plan to Replace Grades and Scrubs.

An effort on the part of the Minnesota Holstein Breeders' association to replace the grade and scrub sire with pure bred animals for the benefit of the farmers who have scrubs or grade bulls at the head of their herds, is being made by that association which offers liberal terms for the purchase of such animals. The association placed a good many animals in the fire district of northern Minnesota, two or three years ago, giving the settlers liberal terms to pay for the animals. Owing to the present money famine it is felt by the association that many farmers would secure pure bred sires if they felt capable of handling the financial end.

Following is an extract from a letter received from the association by the county agent of Pennington county:

"At the present time we are suffering from a money famine. We believe that there never was a better time for dairy extension work than now, and as the banks are unable to help, this association will undertake to furnish your farmers with pure bred bulls on practically the same terms as were given to the farmers of the burned over districts. We will furnish good sires, ready for service at $150.00 each with two year's time to pay at six per cent interest, with the understanding that the grade or scrub bull now in use will first be shipped to the slaughter house and the net returns received from his sale be turned in as first payment on the pure bred bull. The executive committee of this association will see that every bull offered is well worth the money, of good type, good breeding and in good condition. In fact, we have a number already offered in the interest of this extension work that are worth two or three times the $150.00. All the bulls spoken for will be assembled at the State Fair grounds at the time of the National dairy show in October and they will be distributed impartially through the drawing of numbers. The bulls will be delivered to their new owners at the fair grounds."

TOWNLEY APPEALS TO SUPREME COURT

Famous Case Started at Jackson During War to be Carried to Highest Tribunal.

A. C. Townley, president of the *Nonpartisan League will appeal to* the United States supreme court his conviction on the charge of conspiracy to violate the Minnesota sedition act, according to an announcement this week by Vince A. Day, counsel for Mr. Townley. The appeal will operate to stay execution of the 90 day jail sentence imposed on Townley and his fellow defendant, Joseph Gilbert in the Jackson county court. Mr. Townley will remain at liberty on bail pending the decision.

The state court upheld the trial court by a unanimous decision given recently. The appeal, according to Mr. Day, will allege unfairness in the conduct of the trial. No attacks upon the Minnesota law will be made in the proceedings, he said.

Notice to High School Students.

The high school principal and the city superintendent request all prospective Freshmen to meet in the high school assembly room at nine o'clock Tuesday morning, August 16, and all prospective Sophomores at one-thirty o'clock the same day. On the following day, namely Wednesday, August 17, they will be pleased to have call for enrollment all prospective Juniors at nine o'clock and all prospective Seniors at one-thirty o'clock in the afternoon. The purpose of these meetings is to register for the coming year, no advance registration having been held in the spring. Please bring all former high school records.

I. T. SIMLEY,
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WINTON WILL HEAD COMMUNITY DRIVE

Well Known Lumber Man to Head Charity Drive in Minneapolis This Year.

Appointment of David N. Winton, vice-president of the Winton Lumber company, as general chairman of the next Community Fund drive, was announced on Tuesday by Joseph Chapman, chairman of a subcommittee of 29 men and women who unanimously approved the choice. Mr. Winton has been interested in charitable and community organizations for many years.

A tentative program for the conduct of the campaign was also announced. The drive will probably take place during the week beginning November 1. The budgets of the 65 agencies participating this year indicate that $1,250,000 will be necessary to meet their needs for 1922.

Mr. Winton was a member of the Community Fund's budget committee last year. In accepting the appointment yesterday, he declared that the Community Fund would seek 75,000 givers this year, as compared with 24,000 last year.

"Our campaign will be organized similar to the Liberty loan campaign, and there will be no dallying," he said.

Mr. Winton succeeds Fred C. Clifford as chairman. He has served on the governing boards at Pillsbury Settlement house and the Children's Protective society for several years.

FAVOR SUPPORT OF TOWNSEND MEASURE

Development Association Goes on Record in Favor of New Federal Road Law.

Following a conference of officials of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, held by long distance telephone Friday evening, telegrams and letters were dispatched to Senators Nelson and Kellog and Representative Steenerson commending support of the Phipps-Dowell bill in preference to the Townsend highway measure. The former is strongly supported by Commissioner C. M. Babcock, of Minnesota, who left Friday night for Washington to appear before the senate and house committees in the connection.

Commissioner Babcock has been urged by federal bureau of public roads and other officials to assist at Washington in the campaign for farm-to-market highways before rich men's boulevards, congress being deadlocked on the subject. He has been a leader in the fight by highway officials of progressive states in which the American Farm Bureau federation and various public organizations extended special aid.

The vital importance of continuance of federal aid on the old basis to Minnesota's new highway development program, especially during the first year, already has been pointed out, Commissioner Babcock said. The Phipp-Dowell bill for farm-to-market roads rather than transcontinental boulevards de luxe, and which he is advocating because Minnesota can meet every requirement advantageously, he said, is supported by an overwhelming majority in the House and by many Senators opposed to any material change in the existing law.

Commissioner Babcock quoted from the speech made in the house by Representative John M. Robinson, Kentucky, as follows:

"The Townsend plan contemplates just a few interstate roads. A commission in Washington lays out the system. This commission will disregard, in my judgment, the system of roads which has been laid out in each state. These systems have been partly built and contracts have been let for other portions. To cut down this system and destroy it after we have spent five years and millions of dollars in building it up would be next to a crime."

"The Phipps-Dowell bill for which we are fighting provides for farm-to-market highways and the Minnesota plan adopted under Good Roads Amendment No. 1 fits it to a nicety. Our plan, as the people of the state know, transfers to the state the big burden of improving and maintaining the arterial highways and sets aside motor vehicle tax revenues and federal aid for that purpose, leaving the counties larger amounts of current funds with which to build up the farmer roads."

Asserting that the existing federal aid law is operating satisfactorily, Commissioner Babcock, expressed regret that an attempt is being made to disrupt plans and necessitate new beginnings on federal aid projects. He foresaw danger that proposals for a federal commission and interstate tourist highways may result in a great reaction among the farmers who now appreciate the importance of the good roads movement.

Commissioner Babcock will confer with officials of the bureau of public roads in Washington and with Minnesota members of congress, virtually all of whom are giving active support to the farm-to-market road legislation, and will have a special conference Tuesday with Senator Frank B. Kellogg. He expects to return to St. Paul about August 15.

No Time for Cold Feet.

Merchants who are cutting down advertising because business conditions are not as flourishing as they were a year ago and they are afraid to incur expenses will do well to remember the fable of the two flies who fell into a glass of milk. One fly was drowned but the other hustled so hard that he churned a pat of butter to stand on.

TO SHOW PICK OF HER GARDEN

Why shouldn't she smile? She has the very cream of her summer's work in her arms and lap. It will all be exhibited at the coming show. The displays of boys' and girls' club work will be an unusual feature this year. Many scores of entries of all kinds are being received. The children are greatly interested. Don't miss the Minnesota State Fair, Twin Cities, Sept. 3 to 10.

FARM CROPS SHOW LOSS DURING JULY

Two Million Bushel Decline in Wheat Yield, Government Estimates—Good Corn.

Practically every important farm crop showed a loss in prospective production as the result of adverse conditions during July. The department of agriculture's monthly report today forecasts that there are 2,000,000 bushels less wheat than estimated a month ago; 91,000,000 bushels less corn; 192,000,000 bushels less oats and 61,000,000 less potatoes.

The preliminary estimate of the production of winter wheat by the principal producing states follows:

Pennsylvania, 25,322,000 bushels.
Ohio, 27,397,000 bushels.
Indiana, 22,728,000 bushels.
Illinois, 38,608,000 bushels.
Nebraska, 52,730,000 bushels.
Kansas, 117,998,000 bushels.
Washington, 30,922,000 bushels.

The condition and forecast of production of spring wheat by the important producing states follows:

Minnesota, condition 60 and production 27,174,000 bushels.
North Dakota, 62 and 68,342,000.
South Dakota 63 and 25,428,000.
Montana, 61 and 19,123,000.
Washington, 75 and 20,092,000.

The condition and forecast of production of corn by the important producing states follow:

Ohio, condition 74 and 125,941,000 bushels.
Indiana, 68 and 137,531,000.
Illinois, 79 and 290,320,000.
Minnesota, 95 and 125,146,000.
South Dakota, 88 and 108,490,000.
Nebraska, 91 and 217,934,000.
Kansas, 79 and 105,157,000.

The condition and forecast of production of oats by the principal producing states follow:

Illinois, condition 63, production 122,047,000 bushels.
Wisconsin, 58, and 65,127,000.
Iowa, 63 and 162,551,000.
Minnesota 63 and 88,805,000.
Nebraska, 78 and 71,847,000.

Oats remaining on farms August 1st, are estimated at 161,199,000 or 100 per cent of last year's crop compared with 56,128,000 bushels on August 1st last year.

Production of the country's principal farm crops and the estimates of their condition on August 1st was forecast as follows:

Winter wheat, 544,000,000 bushels.
Spring wheat 213,000,000 bushels, condition 66.6 per cent of a normal.
All wheat, 757,000,000 bushels.
Corn 3,032,000 bushels; 84.3.
Oats 1,137,000,000 bushels; 64.5.
Barley 171,000,000 bushels, 71.4.
Rye, 64,300,000 bushels.
Buckwheat 13,000,000 bushels, 87.2.
White potatoes, 316,000,000 bushels
Flax 8,900,000 bushels, 70.
Hay, tame, 81,600,000 tons; wild 15,500,000 tons; condition all 82.5.

Accused of Stealing "Lid."

A warrant was sworn out the first of the week before Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant by Adolph Nyhagen of River Falls township, accusing Bert Palmer of unlawfully and otherwise taking possession of a $5 hat belonging to the complainant. No arrests have been made and it is likely an amicable settlement in the hat case has been made ere this.

Card of Thanks.

Through the columns of this paper we wish to express our most heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved daughter and sister, Hilda Lovida. Also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. John P. Swanson and family. a11p

Dr. A. W. Swedenburg is expected to return tomorrow from Minneapolis where he has been for the past week attending special clinics.

Brings Action for Divorce.

Papers were served today in an action brought by Mae Rowan against Thos. J. Rowan, for divorce. The action is based solely on the grounds of alleged cruel and inhuman treatment, which is denied by the defendant in his answer.

HOG PRICES MAKE QUICK RECOVERY

Much of Last Week's Late Loss Regained—Light Runs Help Cattle.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets & Crop Estimates & Minn. Dep't. of Agriculture.)

Monday's Closing

Cattle 5,500. Market closing steady to 25c higher. Calves 1,000. Market steady, packer tops $7.50. Hogs 4,800. Market unevenly 25 to 75c higher, top $10.85. Sheep 1,600. Market steady. Montana wethers $6.00, native lambs $9.00.

South St. Paul Minn., Aug. 8, 1921: Influences for betterment in the cattle market at the week's opening included generally light receipts especially at Chicago, a higher market at that point, and a continued good demand for stockers and feeders. Better grades of killing steers and she stock ruled strong to 25c higher, with steers showing most gain. Best steers here were fifty-six head of Dakota rangers showing a little grain feeding, that averaged about 1,300 pounds and sold to packers at $8.35. Bulk of the steer sales ranged from $5.75 to $7.50. Packers were bearish on in-between grades of cows and heifers selling from $3.50 to $5.00, and such kinds held only steady to strong, but better grades showed strong to higher spots. Bulk of sales $3.50 to $5.00, with a few good cows up to $6.00 and a few heifers at $6.50 to $7.00. Canners and cutters steady at $2.00 to $3.25. Bulls were slow, about steady at $3.25 to $4.25 for bulk of bolognas. Veals were unchanged, packer tops $7.50. Stockers and feeders mostly 25c higher, spots more, with quite a few stockers up to $5.00 and a fair showing of feeders up to $6.00. Best feeders here today and for some time were 26 very good fleshy steers averaging about 1,060 pounds that went to outsiders at $7.25.

Hogs made up a good share of last week's late losses today when uneven advances of 25 to 75c were scored. Range $8.00 to $10.85, bulk $8.25 to $10.50. A few choice pigs $10.85. Choice 126-pound Montana wethers $6.00, choice native lambs $9.00, best light ewes $4.00 to $4.50.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes Friday, Aug. 9th, a baby girl.

Mrs. T. T. Kiland and sister-in-law, Mrs. Inga Berg, went to Mavie this morning where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berg, during the day.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher and children returned the first of the week from Grand Forks where they spent a short time at the home of Mrs. Fisher's parents.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Shirley Schein, Mrs. Thyra Snyder and Miss Olive Booren, motored to Grand Forks yesterday where they visited friends.

"Life is real, life is earnest." To meet it successfully you must be well trained. The place for such training is Mankato Commercial College Mankato, Minn. Send for catalog.

Jordan Penney, who went to Minneapolis last week, drove back in a new Sport Model Nash car, recently purchased by his father, Dr. G. A. Penney, arriving here last evening. He was accompanied by Miss Dorothy Miller and brother Donald and Harold Schmidt, who will spend several days visiting with local friends.

HE BELIEVES IT SAVED HIS LIFE

Pinard Would Have Given Anything He Possessed for the Relief Tanlac Brot Him.

"I don't believe there is anything that will put a man who is down and out on his feet as quick as Tanlac will," said E. P. Pinard, of 1024 Minnesota avenue, Duluth, Minn., in relating his experience with the medicine.

"For a good many years I had such a bad case of stomach trouble, and was in such fear and dread my food wouldn't agree with me and I couldn't enjoy a meal. I suffered so from indigestion and bloating, and had such terrible pains up through my chest that many times I would have given anything I possessed for relief. Why, if I hadn't gotten hold of Tanlac I believe I would have been a goner altogether by now.

"Tanlac just keeps me going, for it has not only fixed up my stomach but it has given me a good appetite also. I keep Tanlac on hand all the time, and whenever I feel myself slipping it doesn't take the medicine long to straighten me out again. It keeps up my strength and weight, and I'm now feeling better and looking better than I have in a long time. Tanlac is the only medicine that ever gave me relief, and I am certainly lucky to have run across it, for it saves me all the suffering and misery I had endured before I got hold of it."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Mrs. Jessie Cates, who had spent two weeks visiting relatives at Rollis and also attending to business matters, was the guest of friends here between trains yesterday, enroute to Staples where she will meet her daughter, Miss Marjorie Cates.

Obituary

Mrs. Ross Trickle.

Mrs. Ross Trickle died at her home on Duluth avenue at 6:30 Monday morning, from pleurisy, after an illness which extended over six weeks. She leaves to mourn her demise a husband, three children, a father, three brothers and five sisters. She was the daughter of John T. Bundy of this city.

Hilda Lovida Swanson.

Hilda Lovida Swanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Swanson, was born in Marshall county, Minn., on the 23rd day of March, 1886. Here she grew to womanhood and spent most of her time at home assisting with the housework on the farm, being very loyal to her parents and home. She was confirmed in the First Evangelical Swedish Lutheran church in Thief River Falls, on the 11th day of September, 1904 and has been a member and faithful worker ever since.

After a two week's illness she died at the Swedish Lutheran hospital at Warren, on the 2nd day of August, 1921.

She was of a kind and loving disposition, always willing to give a helping hand wherever it was needed and her death came as a shock not only to the family but to the entire community as well. It is a loss that can never be replaced, but we only hope that we can so direct our lives that we will again meet her face to face in the Great Beyond.

When from life's strife, toil and care
Thou calls us to Thy rest,
We will not ask wherefore, O Lord,
But trust Thy way as best.

The funeral was conducted from the Swedish Lutheran church, Friday afternoon, Rev. Albin A. Larson officiating. Interment was made in the Greenwood cemetery. The deceased is mourned by her aged parents, five sisters and five brothers: Mrs. H. C. Sorenson, of Balfour, N. D.; Mrs. Herman H. Beckman of DesMoines, Ia.; Mrs. T. S. Brokke, Mrs. Augusta Anderson, Sarah, Victor, Albert, Oscar, Will and Edwin of this city and a host of other relatives and friends. —Contributed.

Cars to Move Crops.

That Minnesota and North Dakota farmers along the lines of the Great Northern railroad will experience no difficulty this year in obtaining sufficient cars to move their crops is the information given out by J. H. Griffin, division freight agent, who has just returned from an inspection trip.

Mr. Griffin said freight cars are being stored at all railroad points where they are expected to be required.

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Churches

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium. Subject Sunday, Aug. 14, "Soul." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Open for a reading room on Thursday afternoon from three to five o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Methodist Episcopal Church—The Pastor having returned from his vacation, will occupy the pulpit at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. on Sunday next. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation to and a hearty welcome at all these services extended to all.

Rev. C. A. Beckman of Minneapolis will speak at the Black River chapel next Sunday at 11 a. m., and at Rosewood at 8 in the evening. The St. Hilaire choir will sing at Rosewood.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Aug. 14. Mr. C. Adam will conduct services at Thorhult as usual. At Germantown services will be held as follows: German Comunion services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. English Communion services at 3 p. m. Sunday, Aug. 21. Mr. C. Adam will conduct English services at Grygla at 10 a. m. and German and English services at Esplee at 3 p. m. The Pastor will hold English services with celebration of the Lord's Supper at Erie at 10:30 a. m., and English services in Goodridge at 8 p. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. Services at Norden 2 p. m. Services 7:45 p. m. Rev. John Hjelmeland of Newfolden will preach. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—English services on Sunday, 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic, "The Saviour's Gift to the Deaf-Mute." Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich will entertain the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon in the church basement.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11:00 and evening service at 8:00. Rev. F. A. L. Lindholm will be the speaker and this will be his farewell to us before he leaves for his new field in Michigan. All welcome.

First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday morning and evening in the American language when Stud. Samuel Johnson of Spooner, Minn., will preach. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45 a. m. The Ladies' Aid society will be entertained in the church basement, Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 17th, by Mrs. Emil Johnson and Mrs. Ed. Crown.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Divine services in the Norwegian language Sunday, 11 a. m. Rev. E. A. Mostue will conduct the services. Ladies' Aid will meet in the church parlors, Thursday Aug. 18. Trinity Young Peoples' League the same evening. A meeting of all the pastors and financial secretaries of the various congregations in the Thief River Falls circuit will be held at the church, Friday, Aug. 19, at 3:30 p. m. Rev. H. O. Svare, the financial secretary of the Northern Minnesota district will speak. The meeting is open to every one and all those who are interested in the charitable, missionary and educational activities of our church are urged to be present.

Service in Thorvick, Sunday at 11 o'clock. The confirmants will meet after services. Service in Bethlehem church at 3 p. m. O. I. Raaum, Pastor.

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THE WINNER AGAIN.

Marketing conditions are far from satisfactory to the ordinary farmer these days. Prices for his produce, particularly grain, have taken a decided slump from their position of a year ago. In an average year the wheat price would not appear so bad, but in this section many farmers were forced to buy seed at a high price, the labor cost has been above the average all through the growing season and everything that he has had to buy in the way of machinery has been far above normal. Combined with all these disadvantages is the fact that unfavorable weather conditions cut the yield to a point considerably below normal. Had the price of his commodity held where it was a year ago he would not have any more than broke even. As it is he is decidedly up against a hard proposition.

Dairy product prices are still holding up well and with the winter season coming on there is not much likelihood of a drop. The man with the milk herd is fortunate in more respects than one, particularly in this section. He is not hit by the general decline and besides secured an excellent fodder crop for the winter. He faces no serious falling off in the size of his cream check and need not worry over the feed problem during the time that his cattle must be housed. While as a general thing his position is the most secure of all our husbandmen, this year he is decidedly the winner.

The situation again shows the need for more dairy cows on the farm. The man who depends on grain or other field crops is liable to disappointment even under the most favorable circumstances while there is very small likelihood of the stock owner ever getting caught. This fact is coming to be generally recognized and our farmers are turning to cattle more and more every year. Conditions such as those confronting our farm population at this time will have the effect of boosting this industry and will serve to correspondingly depress those who still cling to the old method.

The dairy cow is the salvation of this section. Year in and year out she will prove the dependable standby for the man who pins his faith to her.

OBSERVATIONS

(Bill Noonan in Baudette Region.)

Heaven must be just a little more heavenly with Caruso's wonderful voice added to the choir up there.

The best way to escape the hot weather is not to fuss. Keep cool.

Spats are coming in style again, says a city daily. They always have been in style in married circles.

"Drink only when you are thirsty," says a doctor. We try to, but can't always connect.

Cheer up, the clover crop is just around the corner, and Old Man Prosperity is wending his way hither.

The Baudette fair is offering a prize for mules, and almost any married woman thinks that her husband could win it.

Perhaps someone poured a bottle of home brew into that Williams water tank, which exploded Wednesday.

Baudette has many poison ivy victims, and, in a manner of speaking, they might be said to have joined the smart set.

Another expedition is being headed for the interior of Africa, but we hope not for the interior of the Africans.

In the opinion of a lot of lads a good doctor is one who is good for a pint prescription.

Prohibition is here, but we still notice the bloom of youth on many a lad's nose.

"Women at city beaches dress for camera instead of water," says an exchange. There is just a bare possibility of that.

The coming disarmament conference ought to be successful. Everybody will be peaceable until the next war.

The man who clears an acre of land and lets it grow to weeds is converting nothing into something worse, but a lot of farmers near Baudette don't seem to realize it.

This may surprise you. Tom Gibbons, the prize fighter, who visited Baudette this week, puts in most of his spare time reading high brow literature.

On the other hand Jack Dempsey has never exercised his right to vote. But he has exercised his right to jaw as George Carpentier can testify.

Some holdup artists are engaged in robbing banks—others in running hotels, says the Olivia Times editor, who evidently has been traveling.

Another doctor has discovered a cure for cancer. Now if he will discover a remedy to stop a lad's checks from turning sour on the bank's digestion everything will be hunky-dory.

Modern bathing costumes are awfully simple, says an exchange. Yes, and some of them are simply awful.

Exchange says that husbands and wives should spend their vacations at different places. That's killing two bank rolls with one suggestion.

What of the Country Press?

(Minneapolis Journal.)

In Minnesota farming conditions are not ideal; the cities are working through a business depression; industry feels hampered; the livestock market is off; and so on.

But who knows, or cares, about the situation of the country press? Very few, we should say. Yet the prosperity and happiness of Minnesota will perhaps be measured as much by its country press as by any other factor.

It is well, therefore, to realize the conditions under which the country press of Minnesota labors. It is only by touring the State that one can learn the full facts. Small town editors are so busy enlisting sympathy for the other fellow, that they have little time to arouse interest in themselves. It would seem that every side is being reported but that of the country press. The editors are not skilled in tooting their own horns.

This, after all, is but natural. Most editors in rural Minnesota have their hearts in their work. They are the chief bulwarks of loyalty and progressivism in their districts. They are so interested in making their communities better places to live in, that they have little thought for self. In towns with a population of barely three hundred, you will find the country editor living on the most meager of incomes, but mingling with his flock, who may support his stand half-heartedly, with only smiles and good cheer. And no matter what happens, the chronicle of the town's events receives its ink baptism regularly every week.

Minnesota should be thankful for its country newspapers. They are pioneers blazing the trail through the forest and across the prairie for better communities, more progressive farms and keener citizens.

Roseau Neighbors.

(Minneapolis Journal)

The other day a little weekly in Roseau, Minn., published a story on its front page about the burning of the Emil Morenson home. Judging from the account, there was nothing sensational about the fire or anything differentiating it from the usual fire. Nevertheless, buried beneath the main incidents of the fire was a striking fact.

In a paragraph of a few lines the item went on to say that, Mr. Morenson not being in a position to stand the loss, his neighbors had dropped their own work, purchased materials and at the end of four days had erected a new home for the Morenson family.

In the city such a story would be a "find" for any newspaper. From the matter-of-course way in which it was treated in Roseau, one would gather that the practice of the Golden Rule is not unusual in that town. All of which reflects a wholesome spirit most cheering to read about. Also, it points the fact that the pioneers of Northern Minnesota are building a sure foundation for the happiness and prosperity of their section.

Lots of Weeds.

(Warren Register)

The writer took a run out into the country one day last week a distance of some twenty miles and noted at many points along his route a condition that should not exist. That was the prevalence of noxious weeds, particularly sow thistles, along the roadside, both outside the ditches and on the sides of the grades. In most cases it would have been a comparatively small job to cut down these weeds with a mower. In a few places it would be necessary to use a scythe for the purpose, but even then the time and cost involved would be really trifling. In some of the localities where the roads were so infested with foul weeds, the adjoining fields were comparatively free from them. Failure to cut the weeds on the road is not going to help any to make or keep those fields free from weeds.

A County Fair Booster.

(Grygla Eagle.)

Nearly everyone and their friends from this part of the country are attending the Pennington county fair this week. Very little attention is paid to horse racing and more to products and works of art, which is certainly wonderful. Anyone who tries to deny the fact that this is a producing country would find their mistake in the vegetable hall.

They're Good Hosts.

(Red Lake Falls Gazette.)

Thief River Falls' Commercial club is establishing an enviable reputation as an entertainer and the reputation certainly is well merited. Monday of last week the club entertained the Chippewa Trail at a fine dinner, and on Thursday the club was host to the Red River Valley Development tourists at a dinner. No matter what the occasion whenever a party or delegation or tour or convention visits Thief River Falls the Commercial club rises to the occasion and "does things up right." It makes the visitor feel at home and it is mighty good advertising, too. The Thief River Falls club is one of our sister city's biggest assets and it has set an example that many other clubs in Northwestern Minnesota would do well to emulate.

YOUNG WOMAN BECOMES PRIVATE SECRETARY

Miss Mildred Fletcher, becomes private secretary for the well known firm of attorneys, McIntyre & Burtness of Grand Forks. Miss Fletcher secured her training at the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, No. Dak. She formerly taught school, but is now earning hundreds of dollars more in this position. She has steady work twelve months in the year, works in a nice office and amid congenial surroundings. If you would like to do as well secure a business education at once. There is no education that costs so little and pays so much. Write for free catalog and find out how this big school can help you.

UNION COMMERCIAL COLLEGE
Grand Forks, North Dakota

GETTING THEM READY FOR RACES

Every farrier in this part of the country is wearing a smile like this these days. With the racing season on, all kinds of work must be done to keep horses in shape. Horse racing will feature the big Minnesota State Fair, Twin Cities, Sept. 3 to 10.

Good Rule.

Commissioner Babcock has laid down a rule which cannot be controverted—that the strength of all roads built be in proportion to the amount of travel upon them. To pave a road that is little traveled, when a graveled highway will serve the purpose equally well, would be as great a waste of money as to build a graveled road when the traffic is more than it will stand. The expenditure of money, on that basis, will be in proportion to the services afforded by the roads and those who travel will obtain the greatest amount of service for their money.—Olivia Times.

Farm Roads a Necessity.

The necessity of keeping country roads in good condition is shown by a report recently compiled by the bureau of markets and crop estimates, United States department of agriculture, detailing the extent to which they are used in hauling farm products to market. According to the report which shows the tonnage of eleven products hauled on country roads, giving the yearly average for the period from 1915 to 1919, there were twenty-seven tons of these eleven crops hauled to every 100 acres of land. The average tonnage of the eleven crops hauled on country roads each year for the period mentioned amounted to 86,660,000 tons. The eleven crops referred to in the report are corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, flax seed, rice, cotton, including seed, tobacco, potatoes and cultivated hay.—Mankato Free Press.

The Harvest Season.

The harvest season means a lot to the country people. It brings to the farmer and the business man something of the feeing which the ship owner has when his vessel gets back to port after a stormy voyage.

The farmer begins his adventure in the spring. He invests a heavy sum in preparation of the ground, in seeds and fertilizers, and keeps spending all through the season, as he hires labor and buys equipment. He must keep spending a long time before his returns come in.

He is constantly running the risk of adverse chances. Protracted droughts may ruin his crop. Some new insect pest or unknown disease may spoil all his cherished plans. He must be on the watch for the slightest indications of weather and plant growth, and be ready to meet nature's emergencies as they arise. An error of judgment for a few days may take all the profit out of his season's work.

Every day he runs the gauntlet of fresh perils. When finally he brings the crop safely past all these dangers, it is difficult to describe his feeling of elation. The farmer is naturally a reticent fellow, and he does not holler very much. But he feels some good inside. And the good and faithful wife, who has given her toilsome labor and shrewd advice at every turn, feels even better.

The business man in the country center, whose success is so intimately related to the prosperity of the growing crops of his district, is just as happy. No wonder that in many places they are getting up rural festivals to celebrate harvest. The farmer feels more in celebrating mood than he does on any July Fourth. Bring on your fire crackers, now, by heck, and he might let a few of 'em off!

Leaves on Buying Trip.

H. O. Loken of Loken Brothers' Department store, left last Sunday on a tour of the eastern markets to select new goods for the fall and winter season. A representative of the Loken store makes these trips to Chicago, New York and other leading markets several times each year to make personal selection of goods for the store, it being found that this is the most satisfactory way of securing a stock of goods particularly desirable for the local trade. Buying conditions are now said to be better than for a long time and Mr. Loken promises to bring back with him some very desirable bargains. Announcements concerning the new goods will appear in the columns of The Times in due season.

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received up to August 15, 1921, for the erection of a new rectory at St. Joseph's Church, Brooks, Minn. Size of the residence to be 32x32 feet. Plans and specifications will be furnished. The trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

MAX PERRAS, Sec.
27 Brooks, Minn.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistnunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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Office phone 383, Res. phone 280

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	1.13
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.08
Oats	.20
Flax	1.78
Barley	.38
Rye	.83
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	.300
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.16
Hens, light	.12
Turkeys, alive, per lb	.18
Spring Chickens	.18
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.23
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery Butter	.43
Creamery butter	.35
Cow hides, per lb.	.02-.03
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04-.05
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

Notice to the Public

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the Thief River Music Company, will please make payments at same place as formerly. All accounts due become payable at once.

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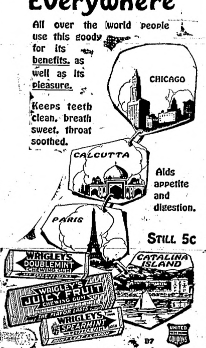

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Aids appetite and digestion.

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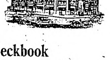

Checkbook or Pocketbook?

How you do dislike to lose money! Then too, a lost pocketbook means inconvenience, annoyance and often financial embarrassment.

But—there is no need to worry about a lost check book. It is worth nothing to any other person and this bank will be glad to replace it.

This is only one of the advantages in having your money in a checking account here. Let's talk it over.

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

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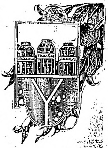

BIG, firm peaches, pears and plums of your own selection — pure sugar — clean bright kettles — newly washed mason jars — and the whole operation done in your own kitchen — it makes a difference! Who cannot tell delicious, pure home-made preserves from factory-tinned fruits?

Put up a good variety to last the whole winter. You will save one-third to one-half by doing this work at home.

Sweet Pickled Peaches or Pears always give meals a tempting and appetizing touch. Here is a good recipe:

½ peck peaches — 1 pint vinegar
2 lbs. brown sugar — 1 oz. stick cinnamon
Cloves

Boil sugar, vinegar and cinnamon 20 minutes. Dip peaches quickly in hot water, then rub off the fur with a towel. Stick four cloves into each peach. Put into the syrup and cook until soft, using half the fruit at a time. Follow same recipe for pears.

Plan your canning now—order your Ball mason jars

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Do You Advertise in the Directory?

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The Telephone Directory is going to stay on the job, right alongside each telephone, for several months.

It is about the only advertising not used to start the kitchen fire.

It is always at the elbow of the housewife and business man.

NORTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

City News

Fred Hoyez of Warroad visited here during the fair last week.

Walter Orr of Baudette visited with friends here during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Stockinger of Baudette were guests of friends here during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe of St. Hilaire were in the city on Thursday attending the fair.

Mike Winowski of Mahnomen was in the city on Thursday and Friday attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Norby and family of Strathcona came down for the fair on Friday.

Chas. Munn returned Monday morning from a week end visit with relatives at Crookston.

Chas. Anderson and family of Greenbush drove to the city on Friday to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnston of Warroad were guests of friends in the city during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Christianson and family of Goodridge, were visitors in the city during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Bundhund and children of Goodridge autoed here on Friday to attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes of Middle River were among the fair visitors here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edseth and daughter Violet of Goodridge, attended the fair here on Friday.

Misses Alpha Sjoberg and Lenore Peterson of Crookston were guests of friends here during the fair.

Lloyd Peterson and sister, Miss Alice of Crookston were the guests of friends heer during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson of Middle River were guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Werstlein during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. LaFave of Baudette, were among the many from out-of-town who attended the fair here last week.

Duncan McAllister of Grand Forks and Miss Louise Wilson of St. Hilaire, were attendants at the fair on Friday.

Mrs. Agatha Norby of Grygla was in the city during the fair as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermanson.

Mrs. John Sorum of Hillsboro, N. D., spent last week here as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson.

Miss Bertha Sorum returned to her home at Holt Monday morning after spending several days here visiting friends.

Dr. F. H. Gambell, formerly of this city, now residing at Willows, Cal., arrived in the city last week for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Chas. Moore and children of Rainey River, Ont., arrived Thursday afternoon for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Patten.

Mrs. Peter Neth and children of Grand Forks were in the city last week visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein.

Mrs. D. Patterson and daughters Mable, Olive and Margaret, of St. Hilaire, were in the city the latter part of last week attending the county fair.

Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn and three children who had spent some time visiting with relatives at Minneapolis returned to this city on Monday morning.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher and children drove to Grand Forks Sunday afternoon where Mrs. Fisher was called to sing at the funeral services of a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Richardson and children of Bronson were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Richardson, during the fair.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop and son Morlan, who attended the state convention of the American Legion and Auxiliary at Winona, Aug. 1, 2 and 3, returned to this city Sunday.

P. J. Bovis of Duluth arrived Saturday evening from Cass Lake where he had been engaged in relief work for state grain inspection and will spend two weeks here in the same work.

Carl Gulrud, delegate from Elmer Eklund Post of American Legion, who attended a three day session of the state convention of the American Legion and Auxiliary, returned to this city on Thursday morning.

Dr. Evan Holway, who completed a course in dentistry at the University of Minnesota this spring, was in the city a couple of days last week as the guest of Miss Mirriam Bishop. Mr. Holway left this city Thursday for Winnipeg, where he will meet his folks when they will return to their home at Seattle, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Halvorson of Holt were visitors in the city during the fair.

Paul Snyder of Warren was a guest of his friend, Kenneth Wattem, during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Renie Warner of Holt were in the city during the fair visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dokken of Holt spent the time during the fair visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gunheim of Holt were among the numerous out-of-town people who attended the fair here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht left Thursday evening for a two week's visit with friends and relatives at Toronto, Ont., Can.

Mrs. Anna Dock returned Monday morning from Minneapolis and St. Paul where she had spent two weeks visiting with friends.

Miss Ethel Berg of St. Paul arrived last week to spend two weeks visiting at the home of her friend, Miss Dorothy Bottleson.

Miss Elsie Hedeen returned to her home at Alexandria Sunday evening after spending several days visiting Misses Myrtle and Belle Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brumund, left Sunday by car for Walker and Aitkin, for a visit with relatives.

Carl Christopherson left Monday evening on his vacation which will be spent visiting relatives and friends at Minneapolis, Fergus Falls and Pelican Rapids.

Oscar Smith, delegate from the local post of the American Legion to the annual convention held at Winona, Aug. 1, 2, 3, returned to this city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dybvik came down from Baudette last week to attend the fair. While here they were guests at the B. J. Walker and O. Dybvik homes.

Mrs. Geo. Parenteau returned on Sunday evening from St. Vincent and other points near the Canadian border, where she had been visiting relatives for several days.

Messrs. and Mesdames T. L. and Ole Melgaard and Mrs. Benson and daughter of Oregon, who are guests at the T. L. Melgaard home, motored to Maple Lake on Sunday.

James Prichard, who has been attending a summer session at the University, returned to his home here the fore part of the week to spend the remainder of his vacation.

Miss Rose Syverson of the clerical force at Loken's is enjoying a two week's vacation. She left Monday morning for Bemidji where she will spend several days with friends.

Mrs. F. C. Merten and daughter, Phyllis, who had been guests for a month at the home of Judge and Mrs. N. W. Tarrant, left this week on their return to their home at Blue Hill, Neb.

Miss Tillie Melby, who had spent some time in the city as a guest at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Michelet, left Saturday evening for her home at Minneapolis.

E. J. Robinson and P. J. Morben, who had spent a week as guests of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson, returned to their homes at Barnesville on Monday.

Mrs. F. E. Hunt left Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Lawrence Golla, who had spent some time visiting his sisters, Mrs. V. McKinney and Mrs. Wm. Warner, returned to Dunseith, N. D., Monday.

Mrs. Emma Dykman of River Falls, Wis., and Mrs. John Sorum of Hillsboro, N. D., who had spent a week here visiting friends and relatives, left Monday afternoon for Hillsboro, where the former will visit her aunt several days before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard had as their guests over the fair, Misses Irene, Ruth, and Mildred Melgaard, all of Maple Lake, Miss Jeanette Borden, Madeline Hathaway and Miss Helen Lanquist, all of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Melgaard and the Misses Edna and Adele of Argyle. They returned to their respective homes on Saturday.

Mrs. Ed. Moran of Grygla was in the city as the guest of friends during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gullingsrud and children of Grand Forks, were the guests of friends here during the fair.

Miss Anna Moran, formerly of this city, now of Minneapolis, arrived last week for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Will Korstad and Mrs. Karl Korstad and children of Highlanding were in the city last week attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown who had spent several days at their cottage at Union Lake, were in the city during the fair.

Mrs. Wm. Comstock left Tuesday morning for Rollis where she will spend several days visiting at the home of her parents.

Mrs. M. F. Brady and son Clyde of Fargo, arrived Thursday morning for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Atwood of Fargo, were in the city on Wednesday of last week as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schuster.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conner returned the latter part of last week from a two week's wedding trip, part of which time was spent at Big Lake.

Miss Betsy Legvold, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting with her friends at the lakes near Barnesville, returned to her home here Tuesday morning.

W. H. Donckert of Minneapolis was a business caller here on Wednesday and Thursday. He left Thursday morning for International Falls on a similar mission.

Miss Ethel Modal returned to her home at Benwood Tuesday morning, after spending a week visiting at the home of her cousin, John Anderson and family at Newfolden.

Miss Rebecca Hunt of Red Lake Falls spent a few days last week visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt and returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen had as their guests last week Mrs. Gilhausen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bruen, who were enroute from the coast to their home at Brainerd.

Mrs. C. G. Zimmerman of Sac City, Ia., and sister, Mrs. C. E. Brandner of Emporia, Kan., arrived here last week for a visit at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. A. Holmberg.

Mrs. R. Sandberg spent fair week as a guest at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown. Mr. and Mrs. J. Englebert and children of Bronson were also guests at the home of the latter during the fair.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned Thursday morning from Minneapolis and Chisholm where she had spent several days visiting relatives. Returning Mrs. Sapero was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Shirley Schein, who arrived in this country from Lithunia, and will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Sapero.

Norman Holen, who had spent a month here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and Ed. Brevig, of this city, left Saturday morning by car for the former's home at Minneapolis where they will remain several days. Before his return here Mr. Brevig will visit his parents at Black River Falls, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Karen Loken and Miss Effie Christianson, left Sunday by car for Minneapolis. Miss Christianson accompanied them as far as Fertile where she will spend a few days with her folks. Mr. Loken will continue East on a buying trip for the Loken Bros. Department store.

STOP! READ! THINK! Young men and women prepare yourself for the future. We have helped hundreds on the road to SUCCESS, we can help you. Tuition free to cripples, if they have only lost a finger. Enrollment week August 29 to September 6. Board and room in private family $4 to $5 per week. Tuition is reduced. Write to Crookston College, J. C. Sathre, Pres., Crookston, Minn. 27tf

Geo. Bourden of Brooks spent Saturday in the city visiting with local friends.

Gay Halvorson left the first of the week for Inkster, N. D., on a business trip.

Mrs. Esta Barton returned last week from a buying trip to Minneapolis and Chicago.

A. F. LaBudde and Miss Irene Loe both of Gonvick, were guests of friends here on Saturday.

Miss Mary Wick of Detroit arrived last week for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Dablow.

Miss Elizabeth Harder returned to her home at St. Hilaire Tuesday, after a brief visit with friends here.

F. V. Bailey, formerly of this city, now of Minneapolis, is spending a few days visiting with friends here.

Mrs. I. Steen and daughter Edna, left Tuesday morning for their home at Middle River, after a six week's stay in this city.

Mrs. T. J. Rowan left Monday morning for Argyle where she will spend several days visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. Moreau.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Herz and son Kalman of St. Paul spent a few days last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn. They made the trip by car.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Latta and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Carlson and son were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen during fair week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hendze and children returned to their home at Moosejaw, Can., having spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stitt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown and children returned to their home at Grygla Saturday after a brief visit at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Misses Gladys Grindeland, Della and Myrtle Winberg, all of Warren, autoed to this city on Sunday and were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

Misses Beatrice and Ingaborg Dale of McIntosh, arrived here yesterday morning from Crookston and will spend a few days as guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Miss Mable Thronson of Long Beach, Cal., and sister Mrs. E. H. McFarland of Valley City, N. D., are in the city this week as guests of their brother, T. M. Thronson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hinricks and family left by car on Sunday for points in southern Minnesota and Iowa where they will visit friends and relatives for a period of two weeks.

Miss Ida Nelson of Modena, Wis., was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson during the fair. She left Monday afternoon for Hillsboro, to visit friends before returning to her home.

Mrs. Selma Nelson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nelson and son and Miss Stella Nelson and mother, all of Hatton, motored over here last week and were guests at the home of Mrs. Julia Tandberg.

Mrs. T. Price and son Forrest, Miss Mae Lawson of Grove City and Miss Amy Foster of Minneapolis, returned to their respective homes on Sunday, after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Cronstrom.

Miss Florence Aalberg, who at the present time is employed as dietician at the Northwestern hospital at Minneapolis, has recently accepted a position to teach domestic science in the grades of the Winona public schools. She will begin her duties on Sept. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson and daughters Thelma and Gladys, who had spent three weeks at Big Sand Lake near Remer, returned to their home here Wednesday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Anderson and family, who visited here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shay and daughter of Des Moines, Ia., who had spent a month here while Mr. Carlson and Mr. Shay were erecting a tank for the Standard Oil Co., left Tuesday afternoon for Moorhead where they will be engaged in similar work.

Mildon Booren of Minneapolis is in the city visiting with local friends.

Tonie C. Hornseth returned to his home at Roseau on Sunday, after spending a few days visiting his folks here.

Miss Lucy Phelps left yesterday afternoon for Crookston where she will be the guest of Miss Grace Kinsela over Sunday.

Thomas Majeres, dispatcher at Crookston, arrived here yesterday morning and will visit his folks here until Sunday evening.

Dance at Holt, Minn., hall, Saturday, August 13. Music by Freind's orchestra. All the 'latest' music. Let's go. Dance rain or shine. a11

Mrs. J. O. Yotter, who had accompanied her guests, the Misses Yotter, as far as Minneapolis, returned to her home here the latter part of last week.

Miss Zora Rafferty of Minneapolis who is visiting relatives at Warren, is expected to arrive Friday evening for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Andrews.

Mrs. T. Tydal and Miss Carrie Johnson of Thompson, N. D., returned to their homes yesterday, having spent a couple of days here receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dybvik and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, who were guests at the B. G. Walker home during the fair, returned to their homes at Baudette on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Beckman and daughter, Katherine, who had been guests for two weeks at the T. S. Brokke and John P. Swanson homes, left Monday on their return to Des Moines, Iowa.

Misses Marie and Karen Knutson and Lena and Clara Gullingsrud, left yesterday morning for Warroad where they will spend a week visiting friends and enjoying a trip on the Lake of the Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hasstad and daughter Elnore, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting at the home of Mrs. Hasstad's aunt, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, returned to their home at Minneapolis on Friday.

Mrs. G. S. Brandt and Mrs. Chas. Peterson returned this week to their homes at Willmar after having attended the funeral of Miss Hulda Swanson. The former is a cousin and the latter an aunt of deceased.

Mrs. Martin Rude and Mrs. N. Johnson, both of Grand Forks, returned to their homes yesterday, after having received medical treatment here. They will return to this city for further treatment on Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Stevens, accompanied by her brother, George Larson, left yesterday afternoon for Plentywood, Mont., where they were called by the death of their sister, Mrs. K. Koike, who was formerly Miss Tena Anderson of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Whittemore and daughter Jean, who are making an auto tour of the state, camped here yesterday at Lovers' Lane. They left this morning for their home at Grand Rapids. Mr. Whittemore is a druggist at the latter named place.

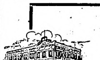

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THROUGH the Certificates of Deposit issued by the Citizens' State Bank it is possible for anyone living in Thief River Falls and vicinity to invest money locally.

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American Legion Corner

"With bowed heads we pause amid our usual avocations of life in silent tribute to our beloved dead, realizing the while that only through death may we, the living of our beloved country, be reborn to peace, democracy and freedom," said Dr. A. A. Van Dyke, as the bodies of seventy-nine comrades went past him in the St. Paul Union Depot the morning after his election as State Commander. The bodies were consigned to points throughout the Great Northwest. A blood-red Legion poppy was placed on every casket.

Among the distinguished visitors at the Legion National Convention in Kansas City this fall will be Stubby, hero of Seichprey, who recently was awarded a gold medal for bravery and faithfulness. The decoration was presented by General Pershing. Stubby has been invited to attend the convention as a guest of honor. He is a Boston bull terrier, wounded in the St. Mihiel Drive.

"The American Legion is one of the bulwarks of the world," said Marshal Foch of France in a recent interview with an American newspaper correspondent. Referring to the Paris post of the American Legion, the marshal said, "It is the American heart of France."

Convention Sidelights.

Approximately 1800 delegates attended the conventions of the American Legion and its Auxiliary in Winona, August 1, 2, 3, 1921. They came by boat, auto, airplane, on foot and by "box car special." And they brought with them an unbounded enthusiasm and an unlimited supply of pep, good nature, and determination to work as well as play while at the convention. Here are a few of the sidelights:

"The Flag is used for decorating and becomes common, and men stand with their hats on as if it were some rag passing down the street. When the flag goes by, take off your hat and stand at respectful attention, for it is the spirit of Washington, of Lincoln, of Roosevelt, of the heroes of Bunker Hill, of Gettysburg, of Santiago, of our own comrades who fell on the battlefields of France, that is passing by," declared F. O. Norton, of Des Moines, representing the National Americanization Commission.

"Minnesota Legionaires and the laboring man have no quarrel," said State Commander Vernon in his convention address, "Most Legionaires are men who toil. They know the Legion is for a better America and that labor is just as loyal and anxious to carry out this purpose as any other portion of the population." Later, the convention expressed its sympathy for, and desire to co-operate with labor on all matters for the public good.

"The women of the American Legion Auxiliary hold a sacred trust for coming generations," declared President Helen Hughes Hielscher. "We are laying the foundations for an organization which is destined to be world-reaching in its influence. We are the most democratic organization in existence, save and except the American Legion, of which we are proud to call ourselves Auxiliary. Our part is not to be told in a few words, but must be worked out in loyalty and toil and endurance."

"It is the duty and the object of the Legion to help every ex-service man who needs help," announced Commander Vernon in his convention address, adding, "Service is the watchword of the Legion and that service is for our country and for the men who served the colors of our country when the colors needed them. We must investigate the complaint of every service man, no matter how trivial. It is our duty to see that every buddy receives a square deal."

At the State Executive Committee meeting preceding the convention, the reports of Commander Vernon and those of two special investigating committees were considered, dealing with the newspaper controversy at Lamberton, Minn. The executive committee directed Department H q, to inform all Minnesota Legion posts that the Lamberton newspaper situation is a "personal, business and political controversy outside the province of the American Legion, no post of which should concern itself with the matter."

"If the fat boys of the East could see this convention they wouldn't try to stave off the bonus any longer," said State Commander Vernon when the delegates had cheered themselves hoarse in applauding Mayor Leach of Minneapolis, who declared that he was at the convention, and would be at every other Legion convention "to fight for the bonus until we get it."

There were mayors from every corner of the state attending the convention, as well as state and county officials, including Mayors Emple of Virginia, Quinn of Faribault, Mayor Maertz of New Prague, the Mayor of Rochester, Lt. Governor Louis Collins, Frank Cullen, secretary to Mayor Leach, and many others. The fighting "151st F. A." was well represented—by its colonel, George Leach, by its Chaplain, Father William Harrington, by one of its corporals, Louie Collins, and one of its sergeants, "Dad" Whitmore.

One of the first delegates met by Commander Vernon was Miss Ida E. Twedten of Crookston, who nursed him at Fort Snelling during the war when he broke his leg while in training there. She, with two Minneapolis and one Robbinsdale women delegates, flew by airplane from the Twin City to the convention, representing Robbinsdale, Crookston and Minneapolis posts.

"The Flag of our country shall not be used to drape the belt of any Jack Dempsey or be thrown over the saddle of a broncho to be ridden on by a cowpuncher," read part of the report of the committee on American Citizenship, before the American Legion Auxiliary convention. The report was enthusiastically received, especially the phrase above quoted.

The "Hook-Em-Cow" delegation from South St. Paul rode down via "Box Car Special," bringing with them the life-size image of a red-haired cow bearing the label "South St. Paul Hook-Em-Cow Legion delegation." Underneath were the words, "This is no bull." The South St. Paul boys gave a good account of themselves both in the fun-making and the more serious work of the convention.

The new Legion state officers are: Commander A. A. Van Dyke, St. Paul; Vice Commander, J. A. Gates of Kenyon; Vice Commander, H. E. Lamb of Worthington; Vice Commander Amy Robbins Ware of Robbinsdale; National Executive Committeeman, R. A. Rossberg, Crookston; Historian, Samuel Iverson of St. Paul and Chaplain Ezra Clemans of Owatonna. The new State Treasurer will be named by the Executive Committee and the Department Adjutant will be selected by the State Commander.

Shot by Unknown Assailant.

While walking along the Soo tracks, west of the Mississippi bridge late Friday night, Otto Voss, son of George Voss of 719 Twelfth street, was shot in the left shoulder above the heart by some unknown assailant. According to Voss, he had started for Nymore when he was shot by an unseen party. After crawling to the Union station, Voss made his way to an auto livery station and was taken to his home in a car. Upon arriving home he did not inform his family of his wound until it was discovered by his sister. A physician was summoned and the police department informed, but the police were unable to find any clue or motive for the shooting.—Bemidji Sentinel.

Pool Clover Seed.

Approximately 800,000 pounds of sweet clover seed were pooled by 12 farmers of Marshall county for sale to farmers of southern states through the local Farm Bureau at a meeting held in the Farm Bureau office last evening. The seed will be cleaned and scarified in Warren and then shipped in carload lots directly to the county Farm Bureau of the southern states to be distributed to the farmers. There is a great demand for sweet clover seed down south where the sweet clover is used for various purposes, such as pasturing and plowing under for enriching depleted soils, processes which do not produce for the farmers a seeded crop. Since it is necessary for the southern farmers to buy seed from another locality they prefer the northern grown seed which shows a vigor and vitality not found in southern grown seed. A. R. Rubinow, sales manager for the Sweet Clover Growers' exchange in Grand Forks, was present at the meeting and explained the system whereby the farmers of Marshall county may get together in disposing of their sweet clover seed in a way that eliminates the old peddling process of selling their seed as formerly employed.—Warren Sheaf.

Tractors on Street Work.

Four giant Holt caterpillar tractors and graders are at the present time working on the city streets and roads in this vicinity. The State Highway Department received fifty-six of these ten-ton Holts with service trucks and other equipment from the United States government following the armistice, and the department is using the entire fleet this summer for grading and general road work. Under favorable conditions the tractors can grade more than three miles of road a day and the difference in expense between tractor graded roads and those graded by large crews of men and horses will probably eventually result in a victory for the machines. The fleet has a crew of only twelve men and in addition to the tractors and graders carries a service truck and cook car. The crew started grading in Winona early in June, working their way through Park Rapids and Itasca park. After several weeks work in this part of the state the fleet will move on to International Falls. The department intends to gravel the sandy roads in this vicinity following the grading and give this territory roads that will compare favorably with the best in the country.—Bemidji Sentinel.

Notice to the Public.

As I will be absent from the city my photograph gallery will be closed for about ten days, beginning Sunday, Aug. 7.—A. J. Berry, the Photographer. n-4-11

ROSEWOOD

Ingrid Nordhagen and Ella Nelson spent Sunday at Viking visiting with Mrs. Johanna Styrlund and attending the Sunday school picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Severn Brandon and Mrs. Johanna Nybus of Thief River Falls, motored up last Friday evening for a brief visit with the Swen Swenson family.

Misses Gladys, Olivia and Geneva Swenson spent last week at Thief River Falls visiting with the S. Brandon family and attending the fair.

Jalmer Rafteseth and John Nakken are employed in the harvest fields near Angus.

Four young men from Holt went west on the Monday morning train from here with North Dakota as their destination, where they will seek employment.

Mr. Fevig, a Standard Oil man from Fargo, was in town last Monday on business with the local garage man, John Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson left on Saturday for a short visit with relatives at Gully.

Mesdames Sena Eggen and Tena Eggen arrived last Monday from Kelliher and will visit indefinitely with the Anton Gullseth and G. J. Nordhagen families.

Mrs. James Johnson and son Earl of Thief River Falls, spent a few days this week as guests of Mrs. Johnson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

Miss Viola Axelson spent a few days of last week visiting with her friends at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen of Anita has accepted a position as teacher at Rosebank the coming term, which commences on Tuesday, Sept. 6. The Board is arranging to install considerable new play equipment, as well as numerous inside renovations, including new seats, re-covering of blackboards, new instruction books, etc., and the term will start with every prospect for success.

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Nelson at their home last Sunday when 127 of their friends gathered at their home and showed them their estimation and respect by presenting them with a new gas table lamp. A delicious lunch, furnished by the ladies present, was served and the afternoon was pleasantly spent.

Victor Mosheck left last Tuesday for Park River where he will seek fall employment.

Henry Sagmoen of Minneapolis spent part of last week in town as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen and returned on Friday evening.

Mrs. Carl Mellem left on Saturday morning for Warren where she will spend Sunday with her mother, Mrs. O. M. Holson.

Ole Steen went to Edmore last Tuesday where he will be employed by Mr. Fosseen during the fall.

The Pennington County fair was well patronized by people from this place.

John Ranum spent Tuesday on business at Warren.

Miss Synneva Sorenson of Crookston is visiting with her father, P. Sorenson this week, and will later go to Angus where she will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Abe Stroble.

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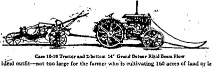

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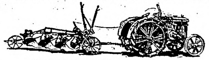

Case 15-27 Tractor and 3-bottom 14" Grand Detour Rigid Beam Plow
For the farmer who is cultivating from 200 to 300 acres or more this outfit will prove the most satisfactory.

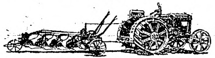

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If you are one of the many unfortunate persons who cannot eat without suffering afterward, if you are constipated, have bilious spells, headaches, coated tongue, bad breath, variable appetite, are nervous, losing energy and feel your health slipping away, take this advice and get a box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) right today and start taking it. Give it a trial for a week or two and just see how much better you feel. See how quickly your sluggish bowels will become as regular as clock work, how your coated tongue clears up and your good, old-time appetite returns. See how splendidly your food will digest and how your energy, "pep" and "ginger" revive. Just try it.

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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

Mrs. Theo. Tundberg of Thief River Falls was in town Thursday for a short while.

Miss Cora Nelson of Mahnomen who has been a guest of her friend, Miss Gretta Gulrud, the past few weeks, returned to her home Monday.

Prof. B. O. Norby left Sunday for Fosston to attend to business matters this week.

N. H. Dahl of Thief River Falls was in town several days last week attending to business.

P. O. Tvedt and Carl Christianson were visitors at the Red Lake Agency Wednesday.

Bert Kirkconnell of Spooner was a guest at the A. McLeod home, Friday and Saturday. He was enroute to his farm near Nervis. Stuart McLeod accompanied him for a few days.

Announcements were received by friends last week stating the arrival of a baby girl at the Everett L. Dahl home at Minneota, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son and Misses Eunice Tvedt and Jennie Rustad, were visitors at the county fair Friday afternoon.

Harvey Ferdinandsen left Saturday evening on his annual two week's vacation. He will visit two sisters in Minneapolis and spend the remainder of his time with another sister in Spencer, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christianson attended the Fair in Thief River Falls Thursday afternoon and evening.

Joe Christianson and Nick Bundlund each hauled an auto load of exhibits back home from the Fair Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Vaughan and children attended the Fair in Thief River Falls Friday afternoon.

The Goodridge ball team journeyed to Mavie Sunday afternoon and played a game with the Mavie team, the score resulting 6 for Mavie and 23 for Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son and Miss Jennie Rustad, were visitors at Erie Sunday afternoon.

Harry McDonald was in Thief River Falls Monday, having dental work done.

Morgan Christianson of Strathcona spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Sarah Vaughan returned home from Thief River Falls Thursday evening after assisting with the school booth for three days.

The German Lutherans celebrated their annual Mission Festival Sunday in the schoolhouse, a large crowd attending from the surrounding country and Thief River Falls.

Miss Vivian Thorson was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday, having dental work done.

Misses Sena and Hilda Christianson attended the Fair Fiday evening.

The four parishes of the Norwegian Lutheran church gathered in Goodridge Sunday and surprised the minister, Rev. G. A. Hanson. A picnic lunch was enjoyed by all and a purse of $154 was given the minister who has resigned and expects to leave for Wisconsin where he will rest and recover his health.

Mrs. A. McLeod, Stuart McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McLeod and children, attended the Fair in Thief River Falls Friday afternoon.

Stuart Ferdinandsen was in Thief River Falls Wednesday, attending the Fair.

School Board Meets.

The new school board held their first meeting Tuesday evening and they organized as follows:

Chairman—C. N. Urdahl.
Clerk—A. B. Mandt.
Treasurer—P. O. Tvedt.

The remainder of the board are Nick Bundlund, Carl Christianson, Peter Lovely.

The following teachers have been engaged for the coming school year: Prof. B. O. Norby, Misses Sarah Vaughan, Teresa Giefer, Jorand Hegland and Mildred Argall.

ST. HILAIRE

Mrs. Stuart Richards and children arrived the latter part of the week from their home at Mineral Center, Minn., for a visit at the home of Mrs. Richard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson.

Mrs. John Jackson returned Friday to her home at Grafton, N. D., after spending two weeks at the H. O. Jackson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobb and daughter Bernice returned Saturday evening via the Soo to their home at Minneapolis, after a week spent visiting at the home of Lars Loberg. They also attended the Fair at Thief River Falls, Mr. Cobb taking part in the auto races.

Walter Hatcher, the new superintendent of our school, arrived here from Minneapolis last week to begin putting his work in shape for the opening of school in September.

Mrs. John Moakrud returned home from Warren Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. A. F. Hall and daughter, Shirley, and the Misses Mable and Olive Patterson, went to Crookston Monday evening, returning home on Wednesday.

M. H. Jackson was in Thief River Falls between trains on Tuesday.

Mr. Dobel and son Floyd, who formerly lived in Black River, but are now farming near Erskine, visited here with old acquaintances on Tuesday.

James A. Amble of Grand Forks visited with his father and friends here on Monday.

Mrs. James Kinney and two daughters, Ellen and May, departed the latter part of the week for points in North Dakota, for an indefinite stay.

O. A. Opperud of Crookston attended to business matters here the fore part of the week and also made a short visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Adolph Satterberg.

Miss Bertha Olsen returned Tuesday to her home at Middle River, after a brief visit at the Peter Simonson home.

Jas. Andy Dahl left Monday for Montana to attend to various business matters connected with his ranch. He expects to be gone six weeks or more.

Mrs. Glenn Martz and son Burke arrived Friday of last week from their home at Litchfield, Minn., for a visit with Mrs. Martz' mother, Mrs. B. E. Burke.

Miss Blanche Hoff returned Monday evening from Roseau where she had been visiting for a week.

Mrs. Gust Fellman and daughter Mildred, departed Tuesday morning via the Soo for a visit with friends at Cass Lake.

Rudolph Grandbois returned Monday after a brief visit at Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Norander left on Saturday for Arneson, Minn., after spending a week visiting at the J. P. Nelson home.

Iver Lundie and son Conrad, motored here Sunday for a visit at the home of Mr. Lundie's sister, Mrs. L. Loberg, returning the same evening to their home at Crookston. They were accompanied by Mrs. Loberg and Miss Olga Lundie, the former to visit at the Lundie home, the latter having visited here since the week previous.

Miss Carrie Simonson, who has spent the past two months with her sisters, Mrs. Ittner and Mrs. Potwin at Cass Lake, returned home Monday. She was accompanied by Miss Selina Simonson and Miss Bertha Olsen of Middle River, who had visited for a week at Jesse Lake and Cass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dickenson, accompanied by Mrs. C. Swanson and daughters Elna and Linnea, motored here Tuesday from their homes at Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Dickenson will spend a short time here with Mrs. Dickenson's daughter, Mrs. J. Mortenson, before leaving for Winnipeg to visit, while Mrs. Swanson and children will remain here the guests of Mrs. Swanson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hoff.

Miss Grace Hall returned home the fore part of the week, after visiting with friends at Warren since Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lardy returned the latter part of the week from St. Thomas, N. D., Mr. Lardy having been employed there the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Richards are the happy parents of a baby boy born Friday, August 5.

The Misses Anna Stockestad and Bessie Avelson returned home Saturday evening, after having attended the Fair and visited with friends at Thief River Falls since Thursday.

Mrs. Ina Johnson left Friday for a week's visit with friends and relatives at Crookston.

Mrs. Ole Vigen and daughter Ida, arrived Saturday from Virginia, Minn., for an indefinite stay with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Richards.

Miss Amanda Benson left Thursday for Thief River Falls to attend the County Fair. While there she was a visitor at the Christ Peterson home returning here on Friday.

Miss Edith Lindquist, who is taking a course of nursing at the Swedish hospital in Minneapolis, returned Monday to resume her duties after a two week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist of Bray.

Mrs. John Borgen and children, accompanied by Miss Lydia Johnson, came Wednesday from Grand Forks for a visit at the Gust Johnson home.

MAVIE

Miss Beryl Brownlee left on Wednesday for Leech lake, where she will meet a number of friends and spend several weeks camping.

Miss Mayme Zavoral of Thief River Falls, was the guest of Miss Lillian Hincik several days last week.

J. J. Spieler, D. Schmitz and Joe Oski, were in Goodridge on business Saturday.

A number of Mavieites attended the fair last week.

Loretta Cousin spent Sunday afternoon with Florence Burns.

The local baseball team played the Goodridge "nine" on Sunday afternoon and lost by a score of 7 to 16.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Schei and family motored to Halma to visit friends and relatives on Sunday and returned the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oski and Mr. and Mrs. Casper Panek, were visitors at the Anton Danda home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fuller called on Mrs. S. Sanders Sunday afternoon.

The Mavie young folks pleasantly surprised Bob Oski at his home Sunday evening, the occasion being his sixteenth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lindobeja of Big Bend, visited at the latter's parental home here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berner Levos and children and Josephine Kjesbo visited at the Nestvold home near Steiner on Sunday.

The girls had their semi-weekly baseball practice at Tally's on Tuesday evening and scheduled a game with the Highlanding team at that place for next Sunday.

Legal Notices

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.
In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Anders L. Svendelle, decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil Ness.

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated July 21, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Estate.
A 11-18-25

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Eight hundred fifty-one and 75-100 ($1851.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 91, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1851.75 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 6th, A. D., 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which became due on the 11th day of April, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 11th day of April, 1918, and with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of April, 1918, at 8:20 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 on page 530 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: the sum of Forty-Eight Dollars ($48.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the time of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Forty-eight dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 11th day of April, 1918, and the further sum of Forty-four Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1920, and still a further sum of Forty-four dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1921, the latter two amounts being interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice is the sum of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27.)

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Lot No. Four (4) of Section No. Seven (7) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) and the South East Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to pay the said debt of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27) and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes if any on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated July 18th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN, Attorney for Mortgagee.
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Take notice that default has occurred and exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage bearing date the 28th day of July, 1919, made, executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee, and with the power of sale therein contained, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of August, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 on page 51 thereof, because of the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the interest which became due upon a prior mortgage December 1st, 1919, and subsequent installments, and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage first above described, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Five hundred Dollars ($500.00) and interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 28th day of July, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half of the South West Quarter and Lots No. Three (3) and Four (4) of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North, of Range 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt and interest, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 18th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN, Attorney for Mortgagee.
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75) which became due on the First day of November, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Guttorm T. Bo, unmarried, mortgagor, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1919, which mortgage with the power of sale therein contained was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at Nine o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 100 thereof; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75), with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum from the 11th day of December, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-five (35) and the North Half of the Southwest quarter of Section No. 36 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 39 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue to pay said debt of $160.75 and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars, according to the terms of said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 16th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN, Attorney for Mortgagee.
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FOR SALE—Six room modern house with four lots, also business lot next to the Tribune office; small fire-proof safe; check protectograph and some glass candy jars and square trays. Call Mrs. P. Gray, 313 Bridge St. 28

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FOR SALE—By owner, 5 room house, East side. Inquire Times office. 26tf

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FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One Threshing Machine. Will take in a good car or cattle. Outfit is located 9½ miles south of Thief River Falls, and consists of one Buffalo Pitts Engine and Advance Separator. See Emil Green, Thief River Falls, and he will show you the outfit. For particulars write the Green-Ehret Investment Co., Tyler, Minn. 27

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Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for housework on farm, small family, no children, good wages. Mrs. Will Bond, Fordville, N. D. 28

LOST

LOST—30x3½ tire with cover and rim west of Thief River Falls. Please leave at Times office. Emmanuel Nelson, Strandquist, Minn. 30p

LOST—One 33x4 tire rim and tire cover, west of Thief River Falls on road to Lilac Farm. Finder return to A. Anderson, 605 Main Ave. No., Thief River Falls. 27

MISCELLANEOUS

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BABCOCK MAKES GREAT RECORDS FOR ROAD WORK

Facts and Figures Show Rapid Progress on New Highway Development Program.

Excellent Results Obtained in All Parts of State Under Amendment No. 1.

Large Army of Employes Now Busy on Maintenance and New Construction Work.

Minnesota highway developments under the Babcock Plan are spreading benefits to every section of the state, according to the showing in a bulletin issued this week by the state highway department which reviews progress during the first 90-day period under the new highway laws.

The bulletin presents facts and figures from official records and while no comment is made, the key-lines indicate the achievements of that short period:

6,197 Miles Taken Over.

State designates temporarily about 90 per cent of the 7,000-mile trunk system for maintenance.

1,100 Patrolmen Employed.

Big army of road menders covers entire system to smooth surfaces and insure early benefits to every locality.

20 Big Fleets Assisting.

Heavy maintenance crews, equipped with 150 big trucks and 50 heavy tractors, rebuilt war machines, sent out to shape and build up poor stretches.

$8,000,000 Contracts Let.

About 75 new construction projects in as many scattered districts placed under contract for 1921 completion at prices from 15 to 50 per cent less than counties paid last year.

3,000 Employees Recruited.

Field and office forces increased from small nucleus to a working organization numbering nearly 3,000, exclusive of contractors crews, but administration expense is being kept under 7 per cent.

Fights For Federal Aid.

Seeking to include $2,225,000 more grading and graveling and $500,000 more paving in 1921 construction lists, Commissioner goes to Washington to continue fight for farm-to-market road funds.

"The figures speak for themselves," said Commissioner Babcock, "and the progress is due to the loyal and untiring efforts of members of this department. While the 7,000-mile trunk system cannot be permanently improved in a year, much less in 90 days, a good, business-like start has been made with fairness to every section. It is hoped that maintenance results will meet expectations and that funds will be forthcoming to further speed the movement to pull Minnesota out of the mud."

Handicapped at Start.

Advancement of the new good roads program in Minnesota, as indicated, has been in spite of the handicap of beginning only when the construction season was fairly on and the fact that a vast amount of preliminary and other organization work was necessary.

Commissioner Babcock was reappointed under the new laws shortly after April 25 when they took effect. Up to that time there was neither authority nor funds for any preparatory work—the start was with a clean slate.

The program well launched now, however, the commissioner expects that the highway administration will soon reach high efficiency and reports show that benefits already are spreading rapidly.

Aim for Early Results.

To get practical results in the shortest time this season and improve showings for each year in the future, is one of the important policies adopted by the highway department, as announced in the beginning by Commissioner Babcock.

A plan for effective maintenance work on the entire trunk system, accordingly, was worked out and put into operation. Then steps were taken to distribute new construction by improving first the poor stretches on long mileages of trunk routes in good condition otherwise.

Temporary designations were made of trunk routes enumerated in Good Roads Amendment No. 1 and then improvement plans were applied.

Speed Features Work.

Commissioner Babcock made a fast-schedule automobile tour of the trunk system with John H. Mullen, assistant commissioner and chief highway engineer, who has through long experience gained comprehensive, expert knowledge of Minnesota road conditions and needs.

Location and improvement designations were wired to headquarters in St. Paul. Trunk route sections were taken over and patrolmen hired to put and keep them smooth. Survey parties were rushed out to gather data on which to base plans for new construction.

By grouping contract projects in three lists of $1,000,000 each, Commissioner Babcock attracted a big field of bidders and secured low figures. Proposals on grading and gravel surfacing jobs were about 10 per cent and paving 15 per cent under those counties paid last year.

Special Work Advanced.

Trunk highway projects involving expenditures this year of nearly $5,000,000 of re-imbursement bonds by various counties also claimed the attention of Commissioner Babcock and his aids who assisted with plans and contract lettings.

The big job of marking trunk routes to guide tourists and other users was started. Yellow stars bearing the trunk numbers and turn arrows are now going up in every district.

Surveys and investigations of routes in doubt or controversy also were made, hearings were given and much correspondence handled, and other miscellaneous work disposed of.

New Records in Making.

Three months of strenuous work having fairly started the 1921 program, Commissioner Babcock left for Washington to join in the fight for a federal aid appropriation without delay to enable Minnesota to carry out the full plan.

In any event, Minnesota will break all highway improvements records this year with total funds aggregating $26,000,000 at its disposal. The available moneys will include nearly $6,000,000 of automobile revenue, $5,000,000 of county reimbursement bond money and $2,840,000 of federal aid, it is expected, for use on trunk routes, also $10,850,000 of local taxes and $1,650,000 of state aid, or nearly $12,500,000 at the disposal of county authorities for betterments on the feeder or local roads.

Water Tank Explodes.

The residents of Williams were awakened shortly after six o'clock Wednesday morning by a thundering noise and for a few minutes they were afraid that an earthquake had arrived in their midst. Investigation showed, however, that the big water tank of the C. N. R. had collapsed, flooding the surrounding scenery with thousands of gallons of water and scattering timbers and boards in all directions. Luckly nobody was close to the big tank at the time of the explosion, or whatever it might be called, and nobody was injured. The morning train had gone through about twenty minutes before, and a serious accident might have resulted had the tank exploded at the time, as the timbers were hurled a distance of a hundred feet. The cause of the accident is unknown. The tank was repaired last fall and appeared in excellent order.—Baudette Region.

Mrs. Hans Olson and daughter Mable, left yesterday afternoon on a two week's visit with relatives at Montevideo.

EX-LABORER GETS BANK POSITION

Of special interest is the employment of Walter True by the Farmers State Bank, Ottertail, Minn. Not long ago Mr. True was a railroad section hand. He wisely took a friend's advice to get a commercial education at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. The results speak for themselves.

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THREE JUDGES WILL GIVE SCHOLARSHIP

Announce Names of Men Who Will Read Essays Written in Good Roads Contest.

Three distinguished judges, each widely known in his individual field, will constitute a national committee to award the four years university scholarship offered for the best essay written on the subject "Good Roads and Highway Transport" in a national contest among high school pupils conducted under the auspices of the Highway and Highway Transport Education committee which has headquarters at Washington, D. C.

According to announcement of the committee, the judges will be Dean A. N. Johnson, Department of Engineering, University of Maryland, chairman; Harford Powell, Jr., editor of Collier's Weekly, and C. H. Huston, Assistant Secretary of the Department of Commerce and President of the Lee Highway association.

Upon the decision of these judges rests the hopes and ambitions of tens of thousands of high school boys and girls from every state in the union. During the last six weeks offices of high school principals and city and state superintendents of schools have been deluged with essays and manuscripts. These now are being sifted and sorted, the best from each state being chosen by a process of elimination. It is these essays that will be presented to the national judges, together with the best essay submitted from the District of Columbia, Porto Rico and Alaska respectively.

The scholarship is the gift of H. S. Firestone of Akron, Ohio, a member of the committee, offered at the request of his associates on the committee. The contest represents the first renewal of the Firestone scholarship, the first having been won by Miss Katherine Butterfield, of Weiser, Idaho, who attended school last year under its provisions. It is believed a similar contest will be held next year, the committee being urged by eminent educational authorities to repeat a contest that enlists the activities and sympathies of pupils and teachers alike. The 1922 contest will be announced in February, according to present plans, and closed prior to commencement exercises in the schools.

Arrangements are being made by the highway committee to have each of the fifty-one essays typed uniformly and given a serial number for the consideration of the judges. In that manner the judges will be unaware of the sex of the writer, or the section of the country from which the essay comes. They will, therefore, be swayed by no motives except the inherent qualities of the manuscripts themselves.

After the judges have eliminated all but the best of the fifty-one they will read, a meeting will be called at Washington, when they will again go carefully over the essays and make their final decision. It is believed the result will be known in time for the successful contestant to enter college the coming school year, if the winner is a senior student. In the event the national prize is given any pupil other than a senior in high school, the award of the scholarship will be deferred until the winner is ready to take advantage of it. The scholarship has a value of not less than $4,000.

Auction Sale.

I will sell at public auction, beginning at 1 o'clock sharp, on Thursday, August 18, all of my furniture and household goods, as follows: Rugs, 1 leather couch; 5 rockers; 1 round oak extension dining table; 4 dining chairs; 1 hall chest; 2 writing desks; 3 dressers; sewing machine; 1 chiffonier; beds; 1 sanitary cot; 1 single cot; kitchen range and all kinds of kitchen utensils; 2 good tents, a number of fine stencils for decorations, etc. Terms cash.

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LOWER COAL PRICE NOT VERY LIKELY

Alleged Buyers' Strike Said to Be Paralyzing Coal Trade in Minnesota.

Information that the "buyers' strike" seriously has paralyzed the coal business in Minnesota has been received by the state department of agriculture, which this week began *actively questioning wholesale and* retail coal dealers on the fuel situation.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner, said the "buyers' strike" cannot bring about reduced prices this season.

"There is no concerted action about the 'buyers' strike'" Mr. Hay said, "but the public seems to be waiting for lower prices. Reports from retail dealers show us in many cases practically no coal is moving out of their yards, though the customers' bins are empty.

"If the buyers are waiting for lower prices there is nothing to be gained by such tactics. Any rate reduction that may come will not affect this year's supply. The present wage scale for miners is fixed until April 1, 1921. The only thing accomplished by the failure to buy is to block the channels of distribution."

Several large concerns are being asked to make more complete statements than they had prepared for the hearing last week.

Other states are displaying interest in the Minnesota coal inquiry. A letter from the South Dakota department of agriculture expressed a desire to co-operate and said a meeting of their retail coal men would take place in a few days. Wisconsin is conducting a similar investigation and North Dakota is inquiring into conditions with the idea of supplying lignite to meet deficiencies in the shipment of coal by the lake.

Coal prices in Minnesota give no indications of going lower and there is little danger of a coal shortage in the state according to testimony given by A. H. Snyder, secretary of a coal company, at the investigation being conducted by N. J. Holmberg, state agricultural commissioner, at the request of Governor Preus.

Coal prices are governed almost wholly, Mr. Snyder said, by freight rates and as dealers look for no possible reduction in transportation costs from the mines to their yards there can be no appreciable difference in the prices of today and next winter.

Other witnesses representing the coal dealers in the twin cities are to appear before the commission this week.

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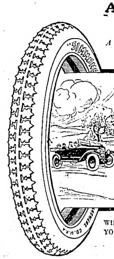

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VALUE SEEKERS WILL GATHER IN BARGAIN FEAST

Dollar Takes on Prewar When Exchanged for Goods Here Next Wednesday.

Third Regular Market Day Hailed With Delight By All Thrifty Shoppers.

Many Fine Features Offered to Attract Shoppers Who Wish To Save Money.

People in this section of the state who are interested in getting full value for their money when they go shopping, will hail with delight the announcement of another Market Day in Thief River Falls for next Wednesday, Aug. 24. This is the third event of the kind arranged by the Merchants' association of Thief River Falls for the summer and fall of 1921. The two previous market days proved successful beyond the hopes of the most optimistic and the selling event scheduled for next Wednesday—in the matter of unprecedented bargains in all lines of seasonable merchandise—bids fair to eclipse in all respects the two previous sale days.

Dollar Has Real Value.

To add variety to the proceedings, a number of the merchants are arranging "Dollar Day" specials for next Wednesday. A glance through the advertising sections of The Times this week should convince the most skeptical that the dollar has "come back"—in Thief River Falls at least. A dollar isn't much money these days, but the old silver cart wheel will have wonderful power when brought into play next Wednesday.

Each business establishment in the city is doing its share in cutting prices for next Wednesday and if real bargains appeal to the buying public, there should be a grand rush of bargain seekers on hand to take advantage of the unusual price reductions quoted.

The "Latch String" Feature.

One big feature has been provided at each market day, and next Wednesday is to be no exception to the rule. Instead of selling sugar, coffee or other staples at give-away prices, the merchants have evolved a plan by which visitors may secure a number of valuable articles, which are to be given away absolutely free.

Purchasers' certificates will be issued, one certificate with each 25 cent cash purchase and one with each payment of 25 cents on account. Twenty prizes are to be given away at the distribution, which will take place at 5:30 in the afternoon. Among the articles to be given away are listed a sewing machine, 100 pounds sugar, sack flour, box of soap, box soda crackers, five pounds coffee, box marshmallows, gallon maple syrup, case pork and beans, case corn, five pounds cheese, case syrup, five pounds tea and five merchandise certificates ranging in value from $1 to $5.

Merchants Co-operating.

The following merchants are co-operating in the prize distribution and purchasers' certificates may be obtained at their places of business all day Wednesday:

Lieberman Brothers, Chas. Lieberman, Simonson's Meat and Grocery, Mulry's Bazaar, Hermanson Hardware company, Larson Furniture company, The Kleanall, City Meat and Grocery, A. M. Langseth, Bottem Hardware company, Laird's Specialty Shop, Tessum company, Lambert's Drug Store, Jung's Bakery, Palace Clothing Store, Peoples' Co-operative company, E. O. Mogenson, Froseth's Shoe Store, Hall Brothers, Carl Christofferson & company, Loken Brothers, The Prichard company, Oen Mercantile company, The Supero company.

CREAMERY EXPERT TO HOLD MEETINGS

A. J. McGuire, organization manager for the Minnesota Co-operative Creamery association, has made out a schedule of meetings to be held in the state, with presidents and secretaries of each co-operative creamery. Other patrons or directors are also invited to attend. The schedule for Pennington county is as follows:

Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery, Thief River Falls, Aug. 26, day. President, Hans Anton, St. Hilaire; secretary, Peter Engelstad, Thief River Falls.

St. Hilaire Co-operative creamery, St. Hilaire, Aug. 26, evening. President, Olaf Larson, St. Hilaire; secretary, Fred Erdman, St. Hilaire.

Hazel Co-operative creamery, Hazel, Aug. 27, day. President, Anton Peterson, Hazel; secretary, O. J. Peterson, Hazel.

Goodridge Co-operative creamery, Goodridge, Aug. 27, evening. President, Stuart McLeod, Goodridge; secretary, Theo. Tandberg, Goodridge.

Mr. McGuire states that this will offer a splendid opportunity to give first-hand reliable information to a large number of people if efforts are made to have a good attendance of patrons at the meetings.

Pennington Roads Best.

C. W. Vorachek of the Citizens State bank returned last week from a motor trip which took him to Mahnomen, Fergus Falls, Ada and other points. Mr. Vorachek says that roads in Pennington county are better than in any of the other sections traversed with Red Lake county a close second. Crop conditions in Pennington also show up well when compared with those in neighboring counties, according to Mr. Vorachek.

Dr. Mellby to Return.

Friends of Dr. O. F. Mellby, who is at present doing post graduate work in the Chicago Eye and Ear hospital, have been advised that he expects to be back Sept. 1 to again take up his work with the Thief River Falls Clinic.

THEO. QUALE WINS IN ACTION STARTED TO RECOVER WAGE

City Must Pay For Year's Services as Attorney, Holds Judge Grindeland.

Judge Andrew Grindeland, in a decision rendered this week in the case of Theo. Quale against the City of Thief River Falls, awarded the plaintiff his claim in full, together with interest from the time the sum was due. The suit involved $600 claimed to be due for Mr. Quale's services as city attorney in 1919. In addition to this the plaintiff is allowed $32, representing expenses incurred on a trip to St. Paul, at which time Mr. Quale represented the city at a telephone hearing.

The suit grew out of a controversy between Mr. Quale and Dr. G. A. Penney, former mayor of Thief River Falls. Mr. Quale had been appointed city attorney and was acting in that capacity on Jan. 1, 1919, when he assumed the office of county attorney, to which office he had been elected at the previous election. The city council still retained Mr. Quale as its counsel, but when a warrant representing the first month's salary was presented to Mayor Penney for his signature, the latter refused to sign it and put up the claim that the office of city attorney automatically became vacant when Mr. Quale assumed the duties of county attorney. The city council, however, could not see matters in that light and continued to employ Mr. Quale as attorney. The latter went to court in an effort to force the mayor to sign the warrants, the case finally going to the supreme court, where it was dismissed for some technical reason without the merits of the case being considered.

A suit was then started in district court to recover salary alleged to be due, with the result that Mr. Quale was awarded $600 for his year's work, together with interest and traveling expenses, as above stated.

BOY BADLY BITTEN WHEN VICIOUS DOG POUNCES UPON HIM

Little Son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hoiden is Victim of Serious Attack.

The two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hoiden, 402 Duluth avenue north, was badly bitten about the face and head last Thursday evening, by a dog belonging to A. B. Remmem. The child was left on the walk in front of the Bredeson grocery store while the mother went into the store for a few moments. The dog came running between the buildings from the alley and pounced on the boy without warning, tearing several ugly gashes over the left eye and about the head.

Bystanders immediately came to the rescue and drove the dog away. The child was taken at once to a doctor and the wounds were given proper attention. Nothing serious is expected to result from the wounds, it being the opinion of physicians that the dog was not suffering from rabies at the time it bit the child. The animal was shot without delay and subjected to a thorough test for signs of hydrophobia, but none were found. The dog was a general favorite among children in the neighborhood and had never before been known to show ugliness towards anybody.

Elks to Hold Big Annual Picnic on Sunday, Aug. 28

Thief River Falls Elks are making preparations for their annual picnic, which will be held at Squaw Point on Sunday, Aug. 28. These outings are held every year and are looked forward to with much delight by lodge members and their families.

The picnic a week from Sunday will begin at 10:30 o'clock and will be a regular basket affair. All who attend are requested to bring sufficient in the way of eats for their own party and enough to take care of bachelors and visiting Elks who may come minus the necessary provisions. Coffee, ice cream and treats for the youngsters will be furnished.

The program for the day includes sports, games, boating and bathing. It will be a regular picnic in every sense of the term and everybody concerned will no doubt have a good time. Free transportation from the city to the picnic grounds will be furnished.

NEW APPEAL DELAYS PAVING START

One new development in the Thief River Falls paving controversy is taking place today. An appeal is being made to the supreme court by the plaintiffs in the Hamre case, and it is expected the evidence will be considered in conjunction with that submitted by the intervenor two weeks ago. The plaintiff first made application for retrial of the case in district court but this application was denied by Judge Grindeland.

While some advocates of paving are inclined to be discouraged over the turn events have taken, others contend that no serious delay will result. It is asserted by men in a position to know that unless the objectors make an effort to file their briefs and arguments without delay, the supreme court will render a decision in the intervenor's case, which it now has under consideration. In that event any further attempt of the plaintiff to get a hearing is likely to prove useless.

It is pointed out, however, that the supreme court wishes to consider all angles of the case and that therefore the decision will be delayed for a reasonable length of time to give the original plaintiffs an opportunity to be heard.

It is understood from good authority that the bonding company which contracted for the purchase of the city's certificates to cover the cost of paving is going ahead on the presumption that the money will be needed in a very short time. It is said the certificates have already been printed and other necessary arrangements made for carrying out the company's part of contract when called upon.

While the season is getting late, the contractors predict that a good share of the paving work can still be done this fall if they can begin operations soon. No time will be lost in getting to work the moment a solution of the legal tangle is forthcoming.

STAGE ALL SET FOR OPENING OF CITY'S SCHOOLS

Indications Point to Most Successful School Year—Large Enrollment Expected.

Work in Knox Building to Be Hampered Temporarily By Lack of Needed Room.

Teaching Staff Practically Secured and Organization Work Nearly Complete.

Vacation days will soon be over and Young America once more engaged in acquiring an education. The public schools of Thief River Falls will begin the new term on Tuesday, Sept. 6, when it is expected everything will be in readiness to start out "hittin' on all six." Supt. I. T. Simley, new head of the city's educational establishment, has been on the job for some weeks and appears to have the difficult phases of the organization work already accomplished.

Smaller Corps of Teachers.

Through a reorganization of several departments it has been found possible to reduce the teaching staff somewhat for this year. A total of 51 instructors will handle the work instead of the 56 employed during the past term. Economy has been the watchword with those having the schools in charge and expenses have been cut down wherever it has been possible to do so without impairing the work.

M. P. Rapacz, principal of the high school, has been here this week getting a line on his work and preparing for the opening of school. Upon the superintendent and principal fall the heaviest duties in advance of the opening of the term, it being up to these men to see that every wheel in the gigantic machine is ready to turn on the first day of school.

Advance Registration.

Tuesday and Wednesday this week were advance registration days for the members of the high school classes. A large number of prospective students presented themselves for registration on these days, it being estimated that about one-half of the total number to be enrolled have already gone through the formality of registration.

A meeting of all teachers will be held at the high school assembly rooms on Monday afternoon, Sept. 5, for the purpose of perfecting the organization of the teaching staff for the term.

Night School a Feature.

Among the new innovations planned by the superintendent is a night school. Should it be found that the schools can be of service to adults by giving certain night school courses, an effort will be made to arrange for it. Further announcement regarding this feature will be made later.

Mid-year promotions have been inaugurated. Thief River Falls has a large enough system to warrant this practice and there will be two divisions in each grade, approximately one-half year apart. These divisions are to be known as "B" and "A" respectively.

During the first half of the school year, kindergarten departments will be maintined in the Central building during the forenoon for all children residing on the west side. A church in the vicinity of the Knox school will likely be used for children on the side during the afternoon.

Half Day Sessions.

Until the new Knox building is ready, each grade in this building will attend school one-half day each day. Each half-day will be lengthened, however, the forenoon sessions lasting from 8 o'clock to 12 and the afternoon sessions from 1 o'clock until 5. To get in the required number of hours it may be necessary to hold school on Saturdays also.

This arrangement may prove somewhat inconvenient to some but it is the best that can be done under the circumstances.

ACCIDENT RESULTS FATALLY TO YOUTH

Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Koepp, farmers residing near Middle River, died Saturday evening as the result of an accident which occurred on the Koepp farm that afternoon.

Young Koepp was working about a threshing machine and in helping to move a portable grain bin with a crow bar to a position where the grain spout could reach it, the bar with which he was working caught in a belt on the threshing machine. The bar was torn violently from his hands and one end of it struck him on the back of the head with such force as to fracture the skull. The lad regained consciousness for a brief period but all efforts to help him failed and death came about four hours after the accident occurred.

Harold was a very active and energetic youth, large for his age, and was taking a man's place on the farm. His sudden death is a severe blow to his parents, doubly so because of the fact that he was an only son.

TAXABLE VALUE FOR THIS YEAR IS MUCH LOWER

Taking Automobiles From Personal Property Tax Lists Makes Difference.

Moneys and Credits Throughout County Show Up Well Considering Conditions.

Total Valuation of Property in Pennington $324,894 Less Than Year Ago.

The total assessment of personal property in Pennington county for the year 1921, from which taxes of 1922 will be derived, is $324,894 less than for 1920, according to the figures compiled by County Auditor T. P. Anderson from the assessment sheets of the different village, town and city assessors, and ready to be forwarded to the Minnesota tax commission.

A meeting of this commission is to be held some time this month for the purpose of equalization. They may deduct from or add to this assessment as they see fit, but it is not considered likely that any material changes will be made.

Big Reduction Noted.

Most of the reduction in the assessed valuation of personal property in the county this year is chargeable to the absence of automobiles from the assessment lists. Automobiles now pay a special tax under the Babcock law and are exempt from all other forms of taxation.

Low prices of live stock and farm products are chargeable with part of the reduction in assessed valuation.

Moneys and Credits Decrease.

A considerable decrease also is noted in the moneys and credits listed in the county. The total for 1920 was $1,010,721, while the assessors this year could find only $932,625 divided among the people of the different subdivisions of the county. This is a difference of $78,096 and is a good showing considering the general conditions prevailing everywhere at the present time.

Black River, Highlanding, Hickory, Kratka, North, Polk Centre, River Falls and Star are the only subdivisions in the county showing an increase in moneys and credits over last year. All the others register a substantial falling off, the comparison in the city of Thief River Falls being $658,835 in 1920 and $641,562 in 1921.

All Show Less Property.

Every subdivision in the county shows a reduction in the amount of personal property listed. The difference in the city of Thief River Falls is very marked, being $466,763 for 1920 as against $302,012 for 1921.

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PEAT PLOTS AT GOLDEN VALLEY BIG REVELATION

Visitors to Experiment Station Are Firmly Convinced of Peat Soil Value.

Phosphate Proves Ideal Fertilizer For Bringing Best Results at Many Trials.

Excellent Program Carried Out and State Soil Experts Give Good Talks.

Visiting day at the Golden Valley peat experimental station last Saturday proved a decided success in every way. Delegations were present from Crookston, Red Lake Falls, Goodridge, Grygla, Warren, Roseau, Middle River, Holt, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls, it being estimated that between four and five hundred people visited the grounds during the day.

A Splendid Program.

A fine program was carried out, with C. G. Selvig of Crookston as chairman of the proceedings. Andrew Boss, director of the farm management department of the university, A. C. Arne of the grain division, G. H. Nesom and F. J. Alway of the soils division, gave very interesting talks on the progress being made in Minnesota in developing the soil by the use of phosphate and other fertilizers which have proved to be a success on the various demonstration farms conducted by the state.

The plots at Golden Valley demonstrate the use of phosphate on peat soils and show in no uncertain manner what can be grown on peat when the proper fertilizing element is applied to the ground.

Revelation to Visitors.

There is no question in the minds of those who visited Golden Valley last Saturday but what excellent crops can be grown on peat soils. That fact was proved to the ample satisfaction of everyone. It is entirely a matter of providing the proper fertilizer, which peat soil in its natural state is lacking.

Phosphate in its various forms and in different quantities has been used exclusively in the experiments at Golden Valley and the results speak for themselves. Crops of all varieties compare very favorably with and in many cases surpass those grown on the best mineral soil in the state.

Other Experiments Tried.

This is only one of the many experiments carried on by F. J. Alway, chief of the soils division. In Pennington county Mr. Alway has tried out, with the co-operation of the farm bureau, the use of phosphate on mineral soils. This has met with as much success as its use on peat soils.

Many of the field in Pennington county where phosphate had been applied yielded two or three times as much as thoi fields where none had been used. Phosphate will be employed extensively on both mineral and peat soils during the coming year in Pennington and adjoining counties, for farmers are rapidly learning its value as a fertilizer.

State Convention of Elks At St. Cloud Next Week

St. Cloud is making great preparations to entertain the Elks next week, when the state convention of the order will be held in that city. Quite a number of local Elks, besides the regularly elected delegate to the convention, plan on making the trip. Most of these will likely make the trip by automobile if the roads and weather are favorable. The convention is scheduled to continue for three days, Aug. 24, 25 and 26.

Suffers Painful Accident.

Ed. Johnson, employed by the Rambeck & Stone company, got his fingers too close to the machinery while oiling a tractor the first of the week and is now carrying one hand in a sling. He came out of the deal with some badly lacerated fingers.

Suffers Peculiar Accident.

Fred Hincik, manager of the Winton-Nichols lumber yard at Mavie, was the victim of a peculiar accident last Sunday. He was out in his car with his family when one of his little girls requested that he cut a small sapling for her to use as a whip. Mr. Hincik stepped out of the car and proceeded to cut the sapling with his pocket knife, which happened to be very sharp and pointed. The knife slipped from the sapling and entered Mr. Hincik's leg just above the shoe top, the point cutting a deep gash and severing an artery. First aid measures were brought into use but it was with extreme difficulty and not until a physician reached the scene that the flow of blood was entirely stopped.

FORMER CREAMERY MANAGER HERE IN GOVERNMENT POST

L. Haslerud Appointed Butter Market Inspector With New York as Headquarters.

L. Haslerud, for some time manager of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery and later connected with the state creamery of North Dakota, this week entered upon his duties as butter market inspector for the bureau of markets, U. S. department of agriculture, and for the present his headquarters will be in New York city. This is a decided promotion and will be pleasing news to Mr. Haslerud's many friends in Thief River Falls and vicinity.

Mr. Haslerud recently returned from a trip to Norway, Sweden and Denmark, where he had spent several months visiting relatives and viewing the scenes of his boyhood. He also gained much valuable information concerning marketing and the butter industry generally while on the foreign trip.

For many years Mr. Haslerud has been regarded as one of the most successful creamery operators in the Northwest, and while in Minnesota he was a director in the Creamery Operators' and Managers' association and for some time secretary of District No. 3.

TEN FRAMES TAKEN FOR FATS TO BEAT LEANS ON DIAMOND

Base Ball Game Sunday Afternoon Proves Prowess of Big Men as Sluggers.

The fat men of Thief River Falls are better ball players than their lean brothers. There can be no question about it now. For haven't the heavy boys won two straight victories over their lanky opponents within a short time? Last Sunday afternoon at the fair grounds the leans went down to defeat for the second time, although it must be admitted they had no walk-away. The score stood 9 to 9 at the end of the ninth inning, and the fats managed to get over the winning run in the tenth.

Two umpires, each built along the lines of the team he was supposed to represent, officiated at the game. They were Judge N. W. Tarrant and O. L. Ihle, and they of course came in for the usual amount of abuse. Judge Tarrant is accused of favoring the fat men at bat, while Ole is said to have developed a blind spot in his eye for the shortcomings of the thin men on bases. But that is neither here nor there. It was a rattling good game and furnished no end of amusement for the spectators. The crowd was not as large as it should have been, and only about $30 was added to the swimming pool fund from receipts at the gate.

Whether another game between these teams will be played this season is somewhat uncertain. The fats figure they had better quit while their credit is good, and the leans on the other hand do not see how they can hope to win with the kind of umpires foisted on them by their opponents. And there you are.

Bonus Claims Soon to Be Acted on By Review Board

The board of review of the Minnesota soldiers' bonus board will hold a session in Thief River Falls in the near future, under the auspices of Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion, for the purpose of giving personal hearings to all bonus claimants whose claims were rejected or have not been passed on.

All soldiers having unpaid bonus claims, are requested to send their names and number of claim to G. Howard Smith, Thief River Falls, and they will then be duly notified as to the time the board will hold its meeting here.

This is the last opportunity to get these matters before the bonus board and all adjustments made at this time will be final.

Reports Poor Crops.

E. S. Wilcox arrived home last week from a trip through South Dakota. He reports all small grain in the eastern half of state as being little more than half a crop but says that section has a very good corn crop. Too much hot and dry weather in the growing season raised havoc with the small grain.

OPENING LARGE INDIAN TRACTS PROBABLE SOON

Strong Sentiment in Favor of Throwing Part of Reservation Open to Settlers.

Area Comprising 324,000 Acres Near Red Lake to Be Affected By Action.

Indian Commissioner Burke Favors Idea—Would Open Finest Farm Lands.

A movement started some time ago in this section of the state looking to the eventual opening for settlement of a large tract of land in the Red Lake Indian reservation is gaining ground daily, and prospects are growing bright that in the near future the government will see fit to take the desired action.

The tract proposed for settlement comprises approximately 324,000 acres and is situated principally south and west of the lower Red lake. In this territory is to be found some of the choicest land in this section of the state and progressive men everywhere agree that to leave it lie in its present state is an economic waste which is unpardonable.

The Drainage Question.

Most of the land in this area requires artificial drainage to fit it for cultivation, but those who favor throwing it open for settlement contend that the drainage problem will be simplified materially as soon as the work under way by the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board has been accomplished. The deepening of the Red river and the establishment of flood control devices at Red lake will make it possible to provide adequate drainage for the entire 324,000 acres through the construction of a local system of drainage ditches emptying into the river near the lake. The present capacity of the river is inadequate for carrying off the surplus water which would accumulate from a complete system of drainage ditches in this territory.

Commercial Clubs Active.

The commercial club at Clearbrook recently drew up and forwarded to Washington a set of resolutions asking that immediate action be taken in the matter. Bemidji also has been working on the proposition for some time and is doing everything possible to bring about the opening of this part of the reservation. Some weeks ago the question was brought to the attention of the Thief River Falls Commercial club and a committee was appointed to lend its aid in bringing the question to an early solution.

People generally all over this section of the state are waking up to the importance of getting this land opened for settlement and it is more than likely that action will be forthcoming at Washington within a very short time.

Indian Commissioner Here.

Charles H. Burke, commissioner of Indian affairs at Washington, paid this section of the state a visit last week. A conference was held at Red lake, at which time a proposal to establish a consolidated bureau of Indian affairs in Minnesota was considered. Mr. Burke is visiting the Indian reservations in Minnesota with particular reference to the proposed Indian headquarters and the distribution of the tribal funds of the Minnesota Chippewas. The Indian payroll in Minnesota amounts to about $3,000,000 annually, the number of Indians being given at 8,761.

The matter of opening the Red lake tract for settlement was called to the attention of Mr. Burke while here and he now has the proposal under consideration. It is stated by those in close touch with affairs that the Indian commissioner is entirely in favor of such a move.

Excellent Band Concert At Lovers' Lane Sunday

The Thief River Falls band will give a sacred concert at Lovers' Lane next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. This is to take the place of the regular Friday evening concert, which will be omitted this week. In addition to a well selected program of appropriate music to be rendered by the band, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher and Carl Sundahl have consented to sing several solos with band accompaniment.

Lovers' Lane is now one of the beauty spots of the city and it is to be hoped that a large crowd will be present Sunday afternoon to enjoy the band concert. It will prove a truly delightful way of spending an hour or two. The band is rehearsing an especially pleasing program for the occasion and this, together with the vocal selections, should make the occasion a most enjoyable one for all lovers of music.

Thrown From Automobile.

Chas. Carlson of Duluth, while driving up with two of his brothers to visit a sister living near Mavie, was accidently thrown from his car about four miles from Thief River Falls and suffered a fracture of the lower jaw and concussion of the brain. At last reports the young man is recovering from his injuries as rapidly as can be expected.

Society

Picnic Supper.

Dr. Froehlich, John Cronkhite, Herbert Fuller and families, Mrs. Groute and Mrs. Alberg, enjoyed a picnic supper Sunday evening near Rosewood.

Picnic Lunch.

Misses Tillie, Elsie and Esther Sundahl, Lola Jubb, Julia Brudvick and Alice Berg, enjoyed a picnic lunch in the Tourists' Park, on Monday evening.

Entertains.

Mrs. Otto Parbst entertained eight ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon, in compliment to Mrs. Inga Berg of Minneapolis, who is visiting relatives here.

Methodist Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained in the basement of the church on Wednesday, the 24th, by Mrs. Randall, Mrs. Gabrielson and Mrs. Christie.

Entertained.

Mrs. L. H. Lawrence entertained a number of ladies at her home Saturday afternoon in compliment to her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. B. Lawrence, of Boland, S. D., who is visiting here.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. Trine Aalberg entertained informally at her home on Tuesday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Groute, of Vermont, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich.

Dancing Party.

A delightful dancing party was given Friday evening by Mrs. N. K. Harris in compliment to her guest, Miss Marian McKusick, of Hudson, Wis. Dancing furnished the amusement for the sixteen guests who were present.

Reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson were hosts at an informal reception at their home on LaBree avenue Tuesday evening, following the piano recital given by their daughter, Miss Doris, assisted by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher and Mrs. O. F. Mellby.

Surprise Party.

On Monday afternoon 12 ladies surprised Mrs. M. A. Schmitt at her home. The hours were spent socially after which a nice lunch brought by the guests was served. Mrs. Schmitt was presented with a beautiful gift as a token of friendship and esteem.

Dinner Party.

Miss May Roberts was hostess at a six o'clock dinner given at her home on Knight avenue Saturday evening. The party was given in honor of Miss Verna Marcoe, who has been visiting here. Miss Marcoe was formerly of this city, but now resides at Superior, Wis.

McCarty-Reddin.

A marriage of interest locally, occurred yesterday at the bride's home in Minneapolis, when Miss Ruth Reddin became the bride of J. McCarty of this city. They will make this city their home. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Wm. BonDurant, of this place, while the groom is employed on the Soo.

Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt entertained 24 of their friends at their home Tuesday evening. The rooms were made attractive with mid-summer flowers and ferns. Before the departure of the guests a delicious lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. Schmitt will leave Monday morning for Duluth, where they will establish their home.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. G. W. Connell pleasantly entertained a number of little folks at her home Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Janet Connell, on the occasion of her sixth birthday. The hours were devoted to the playing of numerous games. The little guests included Rosine Dahlen, Helen and Jane Protzeller, Marjorie Fuller, Jean Mellby, Richard Ross, Janet and Geraldine Connell and Helen Johnson.

Informal Party.

Miss Florence Murphy entertained a few of her friends at her home on Monday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in needlework and conversation, after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Those who had the pleasure of the afternoon were: Mesdames Julius Knutson, Carl Norquist, Oscar Knutson, John Stangli, L. Crandall and Misses Edla Norquist, Ethel Pechie and Bertha Gangness.

Nurses Entertain.

The nurses of the Physicians' hospital here entertained at a picnic supper at their home on Knight avenue, Friday evening. Besides the nurses the guests included Misses Evelyn Tessum, Louise Erickson, Edla Norquist and Messrs. Ted McGinn, Louis Nelson, Reuben Hadrath, Rufus Barackman, P. J. Bevis, George Mostue, A. Williamson, Alfred Hermanson, Victor Norquist, Melford Sorenson, Allen Graden.

Dancing Party.

Among the social events last week was a dancing party given by Perry Johnson and Morlan Bishop, at the latters home on Saturday evening. A delicious lunch served by Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Johnson, concluded a most pleasant evening. Those present were: Mary, James and Charles Prichard, Merrian, Ella and Roy Miller, Guy and Perry Johnson, Morlan and Mirriam Bishop, Carl Sundahl. Misses Juanita and Marguerite Mathews of Minneapolis, who were visiting their sister, Mrs. Geo. Walker, were guests of honor.

In Honor of Miss DuVall.

Misses Adlyn LaBree and Agnes Oftedahl, were hostesses at a delightful party given at the former's home on Knight avenue on Tuesday evening. The party was given in honor of Miss Naomi DuVall of Fargo, N. D., who leaves this evening after visiting for three weeks in this city.

The evening was spent in dancing, playing cards and music. At midnight refreshments were served by the hostesses. Those present were: Misses Naomi DuVall, Myrtle Krohn, Violette Krohn, Ann Leimers, Helen Warner, Emma Pawling, Inga and Agnes Oftedahl and Adlyn LaBree.

Piano Recital.

The piano recital given by Miss Doris Halvorson on Tuesday evening was a revelation to the music lovers of the city. Miss Halvorson's choice of program was unusual and difficult but was played with the greatest of ease and brilliancy. Among the numerous desirable points in her playing particularly noticed were her easy manner and fine technique. This is Miss Halvorson's first appearance in public here since her graduation from Oberlin Conservatory of Music and a large and appreciative audience was present to show their respect. She was ably assisted by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, who sang two groups of songs which were well chosen and liberally applauded and Mrs. O. F. Mellby who played the second piano in the Concerto in A. Minor.

The Woman's club wishes to take this opportunity to thank the management of the Lyceum theatre for the use of the building and also for the free advertising put on the screen.

Many to Attend Aggie School.

Plans for the new school year at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston are rapidly being completed, according to Registrar A. H. Larson of that institution. Announcements are being sent to the former students regarding members of the teaching staff who will take up their duties there when the school opens Oct. 10. Henry P. Constans, a graduate of Carleton College, is the name of the new athletic director and debate coach. He will also coach the basket ball teams. A. K. Pierce, a graduate of Wisconsin university, is the business training instructor, and Miss Mildred Selicck will be preceptress and have charge of the domestic science work in place of Miss Ward, who is to be married this month.

Red Lake county proposes to be the banner county of the Valley in the number of students attending the agricultural school the coming year if the plans of L. M. Bond, county agent, are carried out. A reunion of alumni and former students is planned to be held Sept. 15. Red Lake county already has over 50 who have attended the school. The aim set is to have 50 more the coming year. In other counties a similar meeting is being planned.

Donald Miller, who is visiting with friends here went to Roseau where he will be the guest of relatives before returning to his home at Minneapolis.

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2c American Flags, Anniversary Sale	1c	2c Lead Pencils Anniversary Sale	1c	2c Scratch Pads, Anniversary Sale	1c
2c Pencil Eraser Tips, Anniversary Sale	1c	2c Erasers, pen and pencil, Anniversary Sale	1c	2c Colored Lead Pencils, Anniversary Sale	1c
3c Pen Holders, Anniversary Sale	2c	3c Scratch Pads, Anniversary Sale	2c	3c Box Colored Chalk, Anniversary Sale	2c
5c Ink Tablets, Anniversary Sale	3c	5c Erasers, Anniversary Sale	3c	5c Paper Pins Anniversary Sale	3c
5c Lead Pencils, Anniversary Sale	3c	5c Paper Clasps, Anniversary Sale	3c	5c Celluloid Dolls, Anniversary Sale	3c
5c Box Chalk, Anniversary Sale	3c	5c Paint Brushes, Anniversary Sale	3c	5c Key Rings, Anniversary Sale	3c
5c Box Crayolas, Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Roll Wax Paper, Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Note Books, Anniversary Sale	4c
5c Pencil Clips Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Rubber Bands, Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Package Envelopes Anniversary Sale	4c
5c Package of Gum, Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Birthday Cards, Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Doz. Paper Napkins, Anniversary Sale	4c
5c Candy Bars, Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Candles, 10 shades, Anniversary Sale	4c	5c Doz. Paper Saucers, Anniversary Sale	4c
8c Doz. Paper Pie Plates, Anniversary Sale	5c	8c Package Brass Pins, Anniversary Sale	5c	8c Lead Pencils, Anniversary Sale	5c
8c Candlesticks, Anniversary Sale	5c	8c Pen Holders, Anniversary Sale	5c	8c Paint Pans Anniversary Sale	5c
10c Pencil Sharpeners, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Pad Thumb Tacks, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Aluminum Cups, Anniversary Sale	7c
10c Bottle of Ink, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Ink Tablets, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Package of Envelopes, Anniversary Sale	7c
10c Bottle of Paste, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Venus Pencils, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Shelf Paper, plain, fancy, Anniversary Sale	7c
10c Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Combination Tweezers, Anniversary Sale	7c	10c Coin Purses, Anniversary Sale	7c
15c Roll Shelf Paper, Anniversary Sale	9c	15c Spindles, Anniversary Sale	9c	15c Package Envelopes Anniversary Sale	9c
15c Box Eversharp Leads, Anniversary Sale	9c	15c Package Preserve Labels, Anniversary Sale	9c	15c Box Mints, Anniversary Sale	9c
15c Tablet Drawing Paper, Anniversary Sale	9c	15c Ash Tray, Anniversary Sale	9c	15c Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	9c
15c Drinking Cups, Anniversary Sale	11c	25c Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	11c	20c Jointed Dolls, Anniversary Sale	11c
20c Roll Crepe Paper Anniversary Sale	14c	20c Package Envelopes Anniversary Sale	14c	20c Ball Colored Twine, Anniversary Sale	14c
25c Picnic Package Anniversary Sale	19c	25c Box Mints, Anniversary Sale	19c	25c Roll Toilet Paper Anniversary Sale	19c
25c Desk Blotters, Anniversary Sale	19c	25c Tourist State Maps, Anniversary Sale	19c	25c Tracing Slates, Anniversary Sale	19c
25c Typewriter Brushes, Anniversary Sale	19c	30c Pocket Tapes, Anniversary Sale	19c	25c Books of Cartoons, Anniversary Sale	19c
35c Roll Toilet Paper, Anniversary Sale	23c	35c Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	23c	35c Jointed Dolls, Anniversary Sale	23c
35c Glass Flower Vases, Anniversary Sale	26c	40c Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	26c	40c Artists' Pencils, Anniversary Sale	26c
40c Feather Dusters, Anniversary Sale	29c	35c Package Playing Cards, Anniversary Sale	29c	50c Ink Pads, Anniversary Sale	29c
50c Box Prang's Paints, Anniversary Sale	34c	45c Dice Boxes, Anniversary Sale	34c	50c Cribbage Boards, Anniversary Sale	34c
50c Pair Dividers Anniversary Sale	34c	50c Dictionary, Anniversary Sale	34c	70c Package Paper Towels Anniversary Sale	34c
45c Glass Candlesticks, Anniversary Sale	39c	50c Imitation Eversharp, Anniversary Sale	39c	60c Leather Day Books, Anniversary Sale	39c
60c Letter File, Anniversary Sale	39c	55c Wire Letter Tray, Anniversary Sale	39c	60c Boy Scout Books, Anniversary Sale	39c
60c Pencil Boxes, Anniversary Sale	44c	60c Half Pint Ink, Anniversary Sale	44c	60c Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	44c
75c Box Rubber Bands, Anniversary Sale	49c	75c ½-lb. Box Pins, Anniversary Sale	49c	75c Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	49c
95c Framed Mottoes, Anniversary Sale	59c	90c Bottle Mucilage, Anniversary Sale	59c	$1.00 Jewel Boxes Anniversary Sale	59c
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$1.00 Pint Bottle Ink, Anniversary Sale	74c	$1.00 Doz. Venus Pencils, Anniversary Sale	74c	$1.00 Robinson Reminders, Anniversary Sale	74c
$1.00 Fountain Pens, Anniversary Sale	79c	$1.25 Mahogany Bud Vase, Anniversary Sale	79c	$1.25 Bubble Books, Anniversary Sale	79c
$1 Popular Copyrights, Anniversary Sale	89c	$1.10 Playing Cards Anniversary Sale	89c	$1.35 Box Stationery, Anniversary Sale	89c
$1.25 Fountain Pens, Anniversary Sale	99c	$1.40 Photograph Holders, Anniversary Sale	99c	$1.50 Qt. Bottle Ink, Anniversary Sale	99c
$1.50 Portfolio Anniversary Sale	$1.23	$1.75 Scrap Books, Anniversary Sale	$1.23	$1.75 Waste Basket, Anniversary Sale	$1.23
$2.00 Cooking Recipe outfit, Anniversary Sale	$1.46	$2.00 Leather hand Bag, Anniversary Sale	$1.46	$2.45 Kodak Book, Anniversary Sale	$1.46
$2.00 Envelope Sealers Anniversary Sale	$1.59	$2.50 Eversharp Pencils Anniversary Sale	$1.59	$2.50 Pair Shears, Anniversary Sale	$1.59
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City News

Miss Lucille Burns, who had spent a greater part of the summer visiting Miss Lois Wold at Maple Lake, returned to her home here Monday. Miss Wold will arrive here the first of next month to take up her duties as teacher in the kindergarten.

W. H. Froehlich returned to his home at Paynesville, after a visit at the home of his son Dr. H. W. Froehlich.

Miss Ruth Knutson, who spent the summer with relatives in Minneapolis returned to this city on Monday morning.

Mrs. P. E. Pireth and Mrs. Harry Ives were in the city last week visiting friends. Mrs. Ives formerly resided here.

Mrs. Ben Christianson left Monday for Lengby where she will spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. C. A. Nason at her cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ebbighausen and children returned Monday morning from Crookston where they spent a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Margaret Wilkenson returned to her home at Red Lake Falls Monday, having spent a few days as the guest of Miss Agnes Tandberg.

William Froehlich left the first of the week for Brooks, where he will spend his vacation at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mattson.

Miss Mable Cook, who had spent two weeks visiting her parents in this city, returned to Minot, N. D., on Saturday to resume her employment.

Mrs. C. A. Nason and children came in from their summer home at Spring Lake, on Thursday, and spent a couple of days, returning on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hennings of Red Lake Falls drove up on Saturday to attend to shopping and visit friends.

Mrs. J. E. Mahoney and daughter Kathleen, were guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. LaCoe between trains on Monday.

Peter Mayhew is in the city renewing old acquaintances. He went to Holt on Saturday where he spent the time between trains attending to business matters.

Mrs. Earl Fox and little daughter, Margaret, returned to their home at Crookston Monday, having spent a week visiting at the home of her friend, Mrs. John Rolland.

Miss Anna Moran, who has been visiting friends at Grygla for a week, arrived in this city Wednesday for a few days' visit with friends, before returning to her home in Minneapolis.

Miss Ella Tomsrud of Bemidji visited with her friend, Miss Leesa Isaacson last week. Both ladies left Saturday morning for Kenora where they will spend several days with friends.

Among the candidates from Red Lake Falls for the postmastership, who took the civil service examinations here on Friday were Emil Sorterdahl, Peter Poullut, A. Reichart, Carston Mead.

Miss Margaret Eichammer and sister, Josephine, who had spent a couple of months visiting here, left on Tuesday for the latter's home at East Grand Forks. The former will remain for a week's visit.

Miss Ellen Brady of Red Lake Falls, a candidate for postmaster at that place, who was in the city on Friday, taking the civil service examination, was the guest of her friend, Miss Effie Hamry.

Ferdinand and Benno Schmitt arrived here Monday morning from Minneapolis for a brief visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt. They will return to the above named place next week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schrieter and niece, Miss Margaret Padden of Red Lake Falls spent a few days last week visiting at the home of Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar. Mrs. Kretzschmar and Mrs. Schreiter are sisters.

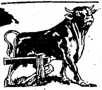

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Creamery butter	.35
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Pork, dressed, per lb	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
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Steers, per lb	.05
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Churches

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. No service next Sunday. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Services at St. Hilaire Sunday. At Black River 11 a. m.; East Side Schoolhouse 3 p. m. and at St. Hilaire 8 p. m.

First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Sunday School and Bible class at 10:30. The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society will hold the third quarterly meeting Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 24th, in the church basement. A cordial invitation is extended to all members and friends of the society.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Picnic at O. N. Olson's farm, Sunday, 2 p. m., given by the congregation and young peoples' society. Preaching at 2 p. m. in English. Refreshments with coffee, cake and ice cream at 3 p. m. All are welcome. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained Thursday, Aug. 25, by Mesdames Vignes and Hustedt.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Aug. 21 is opening day. The vacation period closes and full church operations begin. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship, "Co-operation." 8 p. m. evening worship. The C. E. conducts an Echo meeting. The great International Convention of over sixteen thousand delegates will be described. The Young Peoples' choir will provide special music for both services. Regular C. E. meeting 7 p. m. The Woman's Missionary society will meet on Friday, Aug. 19, at 3 p. m., with Mrs. Barackman.

Trinity Lutheran Church—Ladies' Aid in church parlors, Thursday, Aug. 18. Mesdames E. Helgeland, A. G. Greenseth, A. J. Oden and O. W. Carlson entertain. Semi-annual business meeting of the Young Peoples' League in the evening. Election of officers. Mesdames Lars Larson, Carl Larson, Olaf Ramstad and E. B. Bakke entertain. Meeting of the pastors and financial secretaries of the congregations in the Thief River Falls circuit Friday, Aug. 19th at 3:30 p. m. Address by Rev. O. H. Svare of Belgrade, Minn. Divine services in English Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. T. E. Sweger will conduct the services.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday morning, at 10:30. Sunday school 9:30. After the services the congregation will go to Squaw Point for an out-door dinner and Sunday School picnic. The members will bring their lunch and the ladies will serve coffee. The Sunday school teachers will have charge of a stand.

Market Day, Thief River Falls, Wednesday, August 24.

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A DESPICABLE PRACTICE.

This is the season of the year in Northwestern Minnesota when wild fruits are ripening in abundance. Such fruits as plums, blueberries, choke cherries, strawberries, etc., grow in profusion in all parts of this district and a large number of people gather them in quantities to be preserved for future use. This in itself is a commendable proceeding. So long as people do not trespass on private property, ruin the trees and bushes or otherwise make nuisances of themselves, it is perfectly proper that these fruits should be gathered and preserved for human food.

But the trouble is that many do not consider the other fellow's rights when they go berrying. They seem to have no consideration for the farmer upon whose land the berries are found, many instances having been brought to light where these parties have gone right into a farmer's garden and orchard to help themselves to fruit which looked good to them. The damage done to trees and vines is often greater than the value of the fruit taken.

One farmer near Rosewood reported the other day that while his family was away from home for a short time on Sunday afternoon, an automobile load of berry pickers drove right into his yard and proceeded to help themselves to some particularly choice cherries which grew on trees within a few yards of the residence. Upon being surprised by the return of the farmer and his family, the marauders cut down and tore off large branches of the trees and filled the car with them before making a hurried escape. Such conduct is reprehensible, to say the least, and farmers may be pardoned for being somewhat peeved.

Another farmer had a patch of plums on a piece of land situated some distance from his home. He had been watching the fruit all summer, knowing it was the best crop of plums raised on the tract for many years. Imagine his chagrin last Sunday morning when he went to gather some of the fruit and found that someone had ransacked every tree, breaking down a number of large branches, and that practically every plum had been taken.

Stealing fruit from another's property is nothing more nor less than larceny, and destroying trees and bushes makes the crime all the more reprehensible. And the further fact that many people in the habit of doing these things are prosperous citizens driving large touring cars does not make it any the less a misdemeanor. Farmers in the neighborhood are up in the air over the matter, and who can blame them?

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"Echo" Meeting.

Sunday evening, Aug. 21, the Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church will conduct an "Echo" meeting of the World's Christian Endeavor convention held in New York City.

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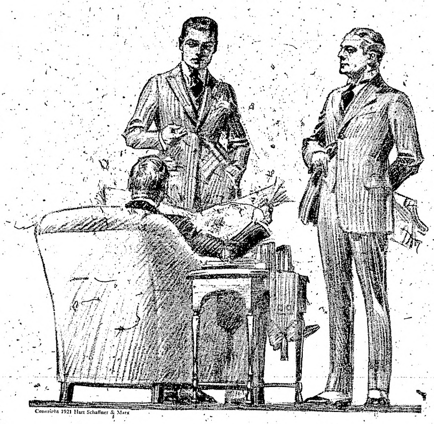

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City News

Baker Olson of Grygla attended to matters of business here on Monday.

Mrs. E. Isaacson of Plummer was the guest of friends here on Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Wold of Middle River spent Sunday in the city as the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Torkelson of Trail were in the city on Thursday visiting friends.

Misses Anna Sponheim of Northwood visited with friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. Audrey and Irma Iverson of Badger are visiting at the home of Mrs. Clarence Pope.

Wm. Bookmiller and Sam Gersman, both of Crookston, visited with friends here Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Gorsheim of Hatton, N. D., arrived here on Tuesday for a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. J. Jacobson of Plummer was in the city the first of the week attending to business matters.

Misses Lillian and Clara Anderson of Jelle visited with friends in this city on Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Lawrence and daughter Corrine, are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren.

Mrs. M. H. Strand of Leonard spent a few days the first of the week visiting with local friends.

Carl Erickson of Grygla was in the city on Monday visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Mrs. Olaf Cronstrom left yesterday morning for Holt where she spent a brief period visiting relatives.

Mrs. B. O. Linstad went to Holt yesterday to spend several days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rosland.

Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mrs. Gay Halvorson and son Lynn, drove to Argyle on Sunday to visit friends during the day.

Misses Clara and Lena Gullingsrud and Karen Knutson, who had spent a week at Warroad, returned here yesterday.

Miss Thora Hanson left yesterday afternoon for St. Hilaire where she will spend a few days sewing at the Patterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dolan and son Jack, motored to Union Lake on Saturday and were guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney.

Miss Rose Gunstad returned to her home at St. Hilaire yesterday afternoon, having spent the time between trains visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero and Miss Shirley Schein, drove to Plummer on Sunday where they visited at the H. F. Booren home.

Miss Naomi DuVall, who has spent a couple of weeks visiting her friend, Miss Emma Pawling, returned to her home at Fargo yesterday.

Mrs. Iver Skogen and daughter of Gonvick, are visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson.

Misses Hattie and Shirley Anderson, who had spent several days visiting with friends at Badger, returned to this city yesterday.

Miss Edith Hinchman of Cincinnati, Ohio, arrived here Sunday morning for a visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. Fred Gobler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wassgren and children left Monday afternoon for Seattle, Wash., where they will spend a couple of weeks visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston and children left Saturday for Minot and other points in North Dakota where they will visit relatives for two weeks.

Wm. Dixon and Fred Stromberg of Warren were the guests of friends here on Saturday. They left in the evening for Maple Lake where they visited friends.

Misses Juanita and Marguerite Mathews left Saturday evening for their home at Minneapolis, after a two weeks' visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. Geo. Walker.

Eight boys from the Boys' club, an organization from the Trinity Lutheran church, with their leader, Gynther Tessum, left yesterday morning for Middle River near which place they will camp for a week.

Mrs. Judith Dablow, who spent some time visiting relatives at Blackduck, returned here on Tuesday. She was accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Marie Becklow, of Seattle, Wash. They will both leave the first of the week for the above named place where Mrs. Dablow will remain this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Iverson of Badger, who returned yesterday morning from Neilsville where they had visited with relatives, were the guests of Mrs. Clarence Pope between trains, enroute to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McLane of Winnipeg, were guests at the home of local friends here on Sunday. They were enroute to Detroit and Park Rapids for an indefinite visit. Mrs. McLane will be remembered by many as Miss Lou Beard, who was formerly employed in the offices of the saw mill.

Mrs. Louise Pawling and daughters Emma and Pauline and son Clarence, left this morning by car for Faribault, where they will spend some time visiting friends. The Pawling's formerly resided at the above named place.

Miss Onata Stopple, who had spent some time visiting her parents at Alexandria and with friends in the Twin Cities returned to this city on Saturday. She will resume her work as trimmer at the millinery parlors of Mrs. Esta Barton, formerly the Dalquist millinery.

Mrs. Chas. Rolland and son Lawrence, formerly of this city, now of Hibbing, are in the city this week visiting numerous friends. At the conclusion of their visit here they will go to Rainey River, Ont., where they will be guests of her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Foley, before returning to their home.

Mrs. J. E. Murphy and baby, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. E. Boyden, who had been her guest, arrived here Monday afternoon from Middle River and were guests between trains of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, leaving on the flier in the evening for the latter's home at Minneapolis. Mrs. Murphy will remain to visit for a period of a week.

Prof. and Mrs. James A. Wilson and family of Stillwater, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop here on Sunday. Prof. Wilson was superintendent of schools in this city about 20 years ago, but during recent years has been engaged as dean of the agricultural extension work in the state of Oklahoma. They also visited his brother, who resides on a farm near St. Hilaire. The entire trip was made in a handsome new car.

Mrs. Earl Fox of Crookston was in the city last week as the guest of Mrs. John Rolland. Mrs. Fox was a Werstlein.

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A good solid school shoe, 8½ to 11 $2.00

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Good and comfortable, 3½ to 7 $3.95

LADIES' and GROWING GIRLS' GUNMETAL SHOES
A very good value, 3 to 8 $3.95

MISSES' KID and GUNMETAL SHOES
A Shoe that will stand hard wear 11½ to 2 $2.25

CHILDREN'S TENNIS SHOES 98c

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City News

Allan Fossum left Saturday afternoon for Lakota, N. D., where he will be employed.

Guy Hinton and A. E. Ekbom autoed to Maple Lake Sunday where they visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ohm and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Erickson autoed to Maple Lake on Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Neth and children returned to their home at Grand Forks Thursday after a week's visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlien.

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Miss Gertrude Soderberg left Friday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. T. O. Stageberg and son Lyle went to St. Hilaire Friday to visit at the home of the former's aunt.

Thos. Majeres returned to Crookston Sunday after spending several days visiting with his parents here.

Mrs. John Upland returned to her home at Moorhead Friday afternoon, having spent several days here with friends.

Miss Elizabeth Mulhull and mother of Crookston, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rolland this week.

Misses Emma Hudson and Julia Sigertson left this city Friday afternoon for Devils Lake where they will be employed.

Clement Haukaas returned to his home at Spooner on Thursday, having spent a few days visiting with relatives here.

Miss Selma Swenson returned to her home at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon, having spent the time between trains shopping.

Mrs. S. McKluskey and little son, Robert, went to Red Lake Falls Friday afternoon to visit with Mr. McKluskey for a few days.

Miss Margaret Jorgenson of Minneapolis is expected to arrive in this city the latter part of next week for a short visit with friends and relatives. She will also visit her mother, Mrs. S. Jorgenson, of Plammer.

Cash Market

for your poultry and eggs. I am sure you will be dollars ahead by selling your poultry at once. We are in need of poultry and will pay the highest market price. Call next door to the Court House.

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CHAS. FITERMAN

Morlan Bishop has resumed his work as deputy state bank examiner, after a two week's vacation.

Miss Marie Collins, who had been a guest of her cousin, Miss Marguerite Burns, for a week, returned to her home at Warroad on Friday.

Miss Clara Overby left Friday afternoon for Minneapolis via the Great Northern, making stops at Crookston and Grand Forks enroute.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson and sister-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Conner, returned Thursday morning from Minneapolis where they had been visiting friends.

Mrs. Wm. BonDurant left Wednesday evening for Minneapolis where she will attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Ruth Reddin to J. McCarty.

Misses Gustie and Irma Johnson returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis and St. Paul where they attended to their fall buying of millinery stock.

Miss Grace Mickelson and little niece left Monday morning for Gatzke where they will spend several days visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Mrs. Arthur Simonson of Steiner was in the city on Monday attending to shopping and also visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rupprecht.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm and children, accompanied by Mrs. Anna Dock, Mrs. Hoilman of Fosston and Peter Storholm of Grand Forks, motored to Maple Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Weatherhead of Ada spent the first of the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick. Mrs. Weatherhead and Mrs. Herrick are sisters.

Miss Ruby Anderson, who has completed a summer school course at Oberlin, following the regular term of school, returned to her home here last week to spend the remainder of her vacation.

Mrs. N. K. Harris and guest, Miss Marion McKusick, of Hudson, Wis., left Sunday for Spring Lake, near Lengby, where they will spend a few days as guests of Mrs. C. A. Nason, at her summer home.

Miss Edna Anderson of Wylie spent a few days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink. Miss Anderson made her home here with Mr. and Mrs. Brink last winter, while attending school.

Mrs. Ed. Bergstrom, who had visited relatives in the city for a couple of days, returned to her home at Crookston Friday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. F. Risberg and baby who will spend a week with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Doland and children of Grand Forks, N. D., left Thursday morning for Kenmare, N. D., for a few days' visit with Mr. Doland's two sisters, after which they will return to this city to spend the rest of their vacation with relatives and friends.

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Miss Esther Sundahl motored to Crookston and Grand Forks Sunday with friends from Bronson.

Mrs. Esta Burton, who spent a day visiting friends at Grand Forks, returned to this city on Friday.

Mrs. Fred Lloyd of Grygla was the guest of friends here Tuesday, enroute to Ada to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Majeres went to Red Lake Falls Tuesday afternoon to spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. John Gustafson left Saturday for Middle River to attend the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Ole Brenna.

Mrs. Wm. Warner and two children went to Holt Saturday and visited over Sunday at the home of her parents.

Miss Evangeline Burns left Monday afternoon for Fargo, where she spent a few days as the guest of friends.

Miss Ethel Oie returned to her home at Roseau Tuesday morning, after a brief visit with her friend, Miss Helen Strand.

We have on hand a limited amount of northern grown winter wheat for seed purposes, at a right price. Hanson-Barzen Milling Co. 28

Irving Reitan, who had spent two weeks as the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hermanson, returned to his home at Fargo the first of the week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jacobson and daughter returned *Monday night* from a six weeks' trip through a number of cities of the West. Before returning they stopped off at Duluth and spent four days.

Mrs. Anna Martz, accompanied by her son, Gordon and daughter, Miss Dorothy, arrived here Monday morning and spent a day visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker. They left Tuesday morning for Minneapolis, where they will make their future home.

ROSEWOOD

The 15-day-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sorenson died last Tuesday. Burial will take place at the Rindahl cemetery.

W. B. Fuller of Thief River Falls was in town last Wednesday on business for the Hanson & Barzen interests.

L. H. Aos of Gully and Ole Aos of Fergus Falls were guests on Wednesday at the Jas. Thompson home.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Westby left on Wednesday for Goodridge, where they will visit for a short time with their sons, Martin and Iver, Jr.

Mrs. Johanna Nyhus of Thief River Falls arrived last Wednesday for a day's visit with Swen Swenson and family. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Severn Brandon drove up in their car to escort her home.

A. Myrom, a former resident of this region, now of Thief River Falls, arrived Tuesday morning for a brief visit with his son, Harry Myrom.

Emil Mellem left last Thursday for Nekoma, N. D., where he will operate a grain separator this fall.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen left Monday evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit with her brother, Henry, and will later go to Slayton to spend the fall with her sister, Mrs. Martin Furan. Before returning home she may also go to Sanborn, N. D., where another sister, Mrs. J. Erickson, is residing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and family of Thief River Falls were in town last Wednesday for a brief visit with Mr. Carlson's mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Jalmer Rafteseth left on Wednesday for Yankton, S. D., where he will be employed as a dredging engineer this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schultz and daughter of Lester Prairie arrived last Wednesday for a few days' visit with the F. G. Dols family.

A shock threshing run will commence north of town the beginning of the week, with the Lewis Halvorson rig from near Viking.

G. L. Leisner, who is at present receiving medical treatment at Warren, was in town last Friday by car.

Albert and Lewis Alby are employed south of Thief River Falls by a contractor.

Misses Hazel Davidson and Julia Erickson of near Holt went to Oslo on Wednesday and expect to be employed there this fall.

According to advices received here, Dr. Oscar Johnson, a former teacher at Rosebank and a cousin of Joel E. Shoberg of this place, was on Aug. 10 united in marriage to Miss Hedvig A. A. Johnson at St. Paul. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will make their home at 1906 Feronia Ave., St. Paul. Mr. Johnson has of late been connected with the teaching staff at the University of Minnesota.

ERIE

There is some change in threshing operations in this end of the county this year. In previous years machines have been too scarce but now they seem to be too numerous and if weather stays dry threshing will not last long.

Rev. Hoyum will conduct religious services in the Clover Nook school house on Sunday at 3 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Eastern Star Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. T. Hovet on Wednesday and was well attended.

The following left last week for the North Dakota harvest fields: A. Lovrak, James Dahle, K. Danielson and G. A. Iverson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mostue and son, Amos, were visitors at H. A. Dahlen's on Sunday afternoon.

A special school meeting was held in Dist. No. 14 on Saturday evening, the 6th. County Superintendent Gunderson was present.

Aanond Gunlekson was at Thief River Falls last week to obtain his full citizenship papers.

A big bear, who made himself so much at home that he went to K. Danielson's well for a drink of fresh water, was rounded up by a few brave boys and became the victim of a bullet fired by G. A. Iverson.

Clara Bye, who has been employed at Warren during the summer, is at home on a three weeks' vacation. She is soon to leave for the same place to resume her duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Svaro have returned from Warren, where they were employed on a large farm, and expect to remain here to make their home.

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Mrs. S. W. Poindexter returned the latter part of the week to her home in Kansas City, Mo., after spending [illegible] weeks here at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shearer.

E. Klemsrude of Crookston attended to business matters here Thursday returning to his home on Friday. While here he was a guest at the T. M. Brevik home.

Miss Elesa Hendrickson departed Thursday for a two week's visit with friends at Shevlin, Minn.

Mrs. C. Swanson and children and Miss Blanche Hoff, shopped and visited between trains at Thief River Falls, Thursday.

Walter S. Hatcher left Thursday of last week for his home at Jacobson, Minn., to visit for a week or more, after which he will return here to begin his duties as principal of the local schools.

Miss Joanne Goebel, who has visited here for the past two weeks at the A. Nerdahl home, departed last Friday for her home at Mahnomen.

Mrs. William Olsen and son Harwood, accompanied by Miss Bessie Avelson, visited between trains at [illegible] River Falls, Monday.

Mrs. Jasper returned Friday to her home at Crookston, after a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Pearson.

Mrs. Carl Johnson is enjoying a two week's visit with friends and relatives at Fosston, Minn.

Mrs. Glenn Martz and son Burke, returned the latter part of the week to their home at Litchfield, Minn., after a week's visit with Mrs. Martz' mother, Mrs. B. E. Burkee.

Miss Selma Swenson visited at Thief River Falls Friday, returning again the same evening.

Wm. Ulrich of New Ulm, Minn., motored here last week for a visit at the C. G. and Fred Ulrich homes.

Harry Jackson, who is employed at St. Paul, arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

Mrs. Ed. Person shopped at Thief River Falls between trains on Monday.

Selvia Hesla of Spencer, Iowa, is visiting at the A. B. Odegaard home near Hazel.

Mrs. S. Stageberg of Thief River Falls, arrived the forepart of the week for a brief visit at the H. O. [illegible] home.

Mrs. L. M. Mitchell arrived Friday from Churches Ferry, N. D., for a visit at the M. McAndress home.

Miss Hannah Erickson returned the latter part of the week from a visit at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hutchinson arrived last week from their home at [illegible] Forks, N. D., for a visit with [illegible] Hutchinson's parents, Mr. and [illegible] J. Domstrand, residing near Wylie.

John Peterson of Bode, Ia., motored here on Saturday to attend to various business matters connected with his farm in Black River.

Miss Grace Hall departed Monday evening via the Soo for a brief visit with her sister Alice, and brother Albert, at Minneapolis and St. Paul, after which she will spend two weeks at Litchfield, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martz, before leaving for Colorado where she has been engaged to teach in the schools at Longmont.

B. T. Johnson left last week for points in North Dakota for a two week's vacation from his duties as rural carrier on Route 2. Mrs. Johnson is substituting during Mr. Johnson's absence.

Mrs. A. F. Nelson left Saturday of last week for a visit with relatives at Flaxton, N. D.

Mrs. Gust Fellman and daughter, Mildred, returned the latter part of the week after a week's visit with friends at Cass Lake.

Miss Esther Fricker is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Verner Nelson at Grygla this week.

Mrs. Ina Johnson returned home Tuesday after visiting with relatives at Crookston for the past two weeks.

Mrs. McAllister and daughter Muriel motored to their home at Grand Forks on Sunday, after visiting at the Hans Wilson home for several weeks. They were accompanied by Miss Louise Wilson, who [illegible] spend a week at the McAllister home.

Mrs. Anna Martz and daughter Dorothy and son Gordon left Monday evening via the Soo for Minneapolis, where they will visit with Mrs. Martz' daughter, Mrs. S. S. Benson. Mrs. Martz has stored her household goods here until she decides definitely where she will locate. The many friends of the Martz family regret their departure from our vicinity, but wish them well in their future home.

Rev. Alex Sand of Annandale, arrived this week to visit at the August Swenson home where his family have been spending the past month.

Axel Johnson, who went to Denmark early in the spring, was married while there and he and his bride returned here last week. They will make their home on the groom's farm east of town, but at present are staying with Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson.

Mrs. A. F. Hall delightfully entertained at her home on Monday afternoon the following ladies: Mesdames Beebe, Brantner, Bjerken, Sundholm, Patterson, Gunstad, Hooper, Swanson, Hed, Martz, Stephenson, Burkee, [illegible]llman and the Misses Mabel and Olive Patterson, Lilly Johnson, Nellie Follstad, Selma Hoff, Huldah Gigstad and Grace Hall. The afternoon was spent at fancy work and at six o'clock a delicious supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Holmes entertained a number of friends from town at dinner at their farm home on Tuesday evening.

The Geo. Bakko, Leo Holmes, Algot Ekstrom, S. M. Hoff and C. Swanson families and Mrs. H. Burkee, spent Sunday at the Gigstad farm, as the guests of the A. J. Hed and K. O. Gigstad families.

Mrs. M. McAndress entertained a number of the young people at her home Saturday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Rilla McAndress.

Mrs. Robert Jackson of Howick, visited at the H. O. Jackson home on Monday.

GOODRIDGE

Harry Halvorson was in Thief River Falls Monday on business.

S. H. Rossmon arrived Thursday from Minneapolis, where he now resides. He disposed of his building to Mike Tennick and after visiting friends here for a few days left on Monday for home.

Miss Ruby Jensen and her guest, Miss Leona Christianson, visited at Thief River Falls with friends a few days last week.

H. S. Dahlen and family of Thief River Falls were visitors in town on Wednesday evening.

County Agent Taylor of Grygla, was in town Thursday afternoon.

Bennie Thompson of Thief River Falls loaded a car of hay last week at Stop 14.

Stuart and Victor McLeod were at Thief River Falls on business last Thursday.

Mrs. C. Tooney returned Wednesday from Henry, Ill., where she was called on account of the serious illness of her father. He was out of danger when she left for home.

Ellard Iverson left Wednesday for North Dakota, where he will be employed.

Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son visited a few days at Erie last week.

J. M. Bishop and son, Morlan, of Thief River Falls, were business visitors in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wayne and children of Germantown were visitors at the Jay Payne home last Sunday.

Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Thief River Falls, was in town Saturday afternoon and evening, when she returned home with her husband by auto.

Prof. B. O. Norby and John Nystul arrived Monday from Fosston, where Mr. Nystul is selling insurance and Mr. Norby is attending to his farm interests. They returned the same evening.

Vivian Thorson was in Thief River Falls Thursday having dental work done.

Mrs. H. A. Halvorson and Mrs. M. T. Thorson will entertain the Norwegian Ladies' Aid Friday afternoon, Aug. 19, at the church.

H. A. Halvorson resigned his office of marshal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maney and Mrs. P. Maney of Grygla were in town Sunday evening a short time enroute to Thief River Falls, where Mrs. P. Maney left on the flyer for St. Paul to be with a brother who is very ill.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and daughter, Ruby, and son, Raymond, accompanied by Mrs. Jasperson and Leona Christianson, visited at Maple Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt attended the picnic at Grygla last Sunday.

Misses Sena and Hilda Christianson were Thief River Falls visitors on Monday.

M. Tennick transacted business at the county seat Monday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McLeod and Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McLeod and two children drove to Grygla Sunday afternoon for a pleasure ride.

Misses Myrtle and Belle Blair of Thief River Falls, accompanied by four friends, were in town Sunday evening for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLeod were very pleasantly surprised Thursday evening at their home west of town in honor of their 20th wedding anniversary. The evening was passed quickly with music and conversation. At 11 o'clock a delicious lunch was served and immediately afterwards Mr. and Mrs. McLeod were presented with a number of lovely gifts as tokens of remembrance, and many good wishes for years to come. The guests departed in the wee sma' hours for their respective homes. Those who enjoyed the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Conklin, and son Eben of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thompson and Mrs. Thompson, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Knute Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Osmond Urdahl, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Payne, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. A. McLeod and son, Stuart McLeod.

To Look After Soldiers.

The traveling board of the U. S. public health service and department of war risk insurance will hold a meeting in Thief River Falls in the near future. All claims for medical attention, compensation and vocational training should be called to the attention of the board at this time for adjustment. All new claims and old cases should be registered in advance with G. Howard Smith, Thief River Falls, to insure prompt attention.

Legal Notices

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Anders L. Svendsile, decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil Ness,

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the pub-

Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated July 21, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Estate.
A 11-18-25

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Eight hundred fifty-one and 75-100 ($1851.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 10th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 29th day of April, 1921, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., in book 66 of Mortgages, on page 91, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1851.75 and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 9th, A. D., 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A 11-18-25 S 1-8-15

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which became due on the 11th day of April, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee bearing date the 11th day of April, 1918, and with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of April, 1918, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 55 on page 590 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: the sum of Forty-Eight Dollars ($48.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the time of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Forty-eight dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 11th day of April, 1918, and the further sum of Forty-four Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1920, and still a further sum of Forty-four dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1921, the latter two amounts being interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice is the sum of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27.)

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Lot No. Four (4) of Section No. Seven (7) and lots No. One (1) and Two (2) and the South East Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to pay the said debt of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27) and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes if any on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated July 15th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Take notice that default has occurred and exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage bearing date the 25th day of July, 1919, made, executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee, and with the power of sale therein contained, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of August, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 on page 54 thereof, because of the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the interest which became due upon a prior mortgage December 1st, 1919, and subsequent installments, and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the said mortgage first above described, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Five hundred Dollars ($500.00) and interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 25th day of July, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half of the South West Quarter and Lots No. Three (3) and Four (4) of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt and interest, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 18th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75) which became due on the First day of November, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Guttorm T. Bo, unmarried, mortgagor, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1919, which mortgage with the power of sale therein contained was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at Nine o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 100 thereof; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75), with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum from the 11th day of December, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-five (35) and the North Half of the Southwest quarter of Section No. 36 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 39 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue to pay said debt of $160.75 and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars, according to the terms of said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 16th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

McGinn Block,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Office phone 383, Res. phone 280

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
25tf St. Hilaire, Minn.

FOR SALE—Six room modern house with four lots, also business lot next to the Tribune office; small fire-proof safe; check protectograph and some glass candy jars and square trays. Call Mrs. P. Gray, 313 Bridge St. 28

FOR SALE—A new modern 7-room bungalow, in very good location. Easy terms. M. A. Schmitt, 103 Duluth Ave. S. 27tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of George Leimers. 27tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Hupmobile, in first-class condition. W. E. Baker. 29p

FOR SALE—By owner, 5 room house, East side. Inquire Times office 28tf

FOR SALE—Two beautiful purebred Holstein heifers. Get started now at your own terms. Also have two bulls left to sell on easy terms. Come and see them. C. Wiener, Rt. 3. 28

FOR SALE—16-gauge Winchester. Inquire at Bishop's Dairy Lunch. 29p

FOR SALE—Dairy farm at a bargain if taken at once. ½ mile out of city limits. Inquire Albert Coyle. 29p

FOR SALE—Five room house with full basement, furnace and deep cistern, barn, poultry-house, auto shed, 2½ acres of land, orchard with 20 fruit trees and different kinds of berries. Located on east side close to city limits near Bridge street. Rev. Bot Nyborg, R3, Thief River Falls. Phone 4852. 29

HORSES FOR SALE—One team, can give choice of six, wt. 1300 to 1400. Jens Letnes, Thief River Falls. 29

FOR SALE—One truck grain body. Enquire at the Shooting Gallery. 28p

FOR SALE—Four big young work oxen. Inquire A. Westphal, Thief River Falls, Minn. 29p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Eighty acres land, two miles south of Viking. Will take Thief River Falls property in exchange. Write Joseph Morin, Argyle, Minn. 30-p

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

…ator, 22-inch cylinder, Kotlan Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 25tf

WANT TO BUY—A small farm with stock and machinery, from owner. No land man need answer. A. Carlson, City, Box 1124. 29p

WANT TO BUY—A few farms for cash and a six room modern house. Call at 408 Duluth Ave. So. 29pd

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm 8 miles east of Thief River Falls on State road. Well improved. Known as Aug. Lautenbach place. Capt. A. Hovland, Thief River Falls, Phone 313-J. 27tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FOR RENT—At once, 160 acre farm with good buildings, fenced, and with 115 acres in field. Also have 12 to 15 milch cows to rent with farm. Located southeast of Goodridge, in township of Star. Write John T. Homme, Highlanding, Minn. 22tf

FOR RENT—Modern room. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

ROOMS FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, rent reasonable. Enquire 417 Red Lake Blvd. 28p

Help Wanted—Male

HELP WANTED—To a man who is willing to work one of the most profitable sales opportunities ever offered is open. Market gardener or man acquainted with seeds, flowers and bulbs preferred. The Wing Seed Company, Mechanicsburg, Ohio. 27p

CLERKS—(Men, Women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $130 month. Examinations September. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars write J. Leonard (former Civil Service Examiner) 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 29p

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries, selling experience not necessary. One of the World's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 28p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl for housework on farm, small family, no children, good wages. Mrs. Will Bond, Fordville, N. D. 28

GIRL WANTED—For general housework, must like children. Call 301. 28

WANTED—A high school girl to work for board and room. Phone 324. 28

LOST

LOST—30x3½ tire with cover and rim west of Thief River Falls. Please leave at Times office. Emanuel Nelson, Strandquist, Minn. 30p

MISCELLANEOUS

CARPET WEAVING—50c per square yard. We furnish warp. Work in city called for and delivered. Phone 530, 116 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britten. 28p

WANTED—Modern room with board, or at least breakfast, by high school teacher. Please communicate with Miss H. Garmley, 1700 Dayton Ave., St. Paul, Minn. 28

EXCHANGE—Automobile or Tractor to exchange for horses, cattle or hogs. See J. J. Aga, Thief River Falls, Minn. Also have modern house for sale. 28-29

FOR TRADE—Will trade for city property—quarter-section 6½ miles east and ½ mile north of Goodridge and ½ mile north of Torgerson store, school and church. Well drained and located in a well settled community. Can give clear title. Karl Korstad, Highlanding.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

DEPARTMENT TO HOLD SERIES OE 'SPUD' MEETINGS

State Department of Agriculture to Aid Potato Growers in Marketing Crop.

Proper Methods of Grading and Loading to Be Discussed By Experienced Men.

Meeting to Be Held in Thief River Falls on Thursday, September 15th.

Improper grading and loading of potatoes and other perishables causes the Minnesota farmer and shipper a loss that runs well into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. This loss is largely due to lack of knowledge of what constitutes proper grading for marketing and to improper methods adopted in loading, also to careless and improper methods of billing and accounting.

Schedule of Meetings.

The state department of agriculture believes that the best way to offset these losses is to carry the story of how they may be avoided direct to the shipper prior to the opening of the heavy shipment season. It announces the following schedule of grading, loading and accountig meetings: North Branch, August 10; Cambridge, August 11; Elk River, August 12; Alexandria, August 29; Fergus Falls, August 30; Moorhead, August 31; Detroit, September 1; Wadena, September 2; Little Falls, September 3; Park Rapids, September 12; Ada, September 13; Crookston, September 14; Thief River Falls, September 15; Bemidji, September 16; Grand Rapids, September 17; Aitkin, September 19; Carlton, Duluth, September 20 and Moose Lake, September 21.

The aim of the department will be to demonstrate at each of these meetings the methods essential to proper grading, shipping and business accounting. The meetings will take on the nature of demonstrations and individual work with shippers. Difficulties that shippers have encountered in the past will be met and the manner of overcoming them will be explained.

Competent Men in Charge.

The department of agriculture party will consist of Hugh J. Hughes, director of markets, and George Wicker, special assistant in auditing and accounting, together with a competent corps of assistants including an expert in potato grading, loading and marketing. The party will also be accompanied by Prof. Paul Miller of the Minnesota university department of agriculture, and probably by a representative of the United States bureau of markets.

One-day stops will be made at each of the points named in the itinerary, and, unless otherwise definitely arranged, the grading, the loading demonstrations and accounting work will begin promptly at 9 o'clock and continue throughout the day. The director of markets in charge desires that each person attending these meetings bring his own particular difficulty and present it for explanation. Any special difficulty that may come up locally will be considered by the director of markets and his corps of workers.

Railroads Co-operate.

The railroads are lending their co-operation and will have freight and refrigerator cars on track and convenient to the places of meeting for purposes of demonstration. Arrangements are now being made with those locally interested as to the exact place of meeting, and announcement of such meeting place will be made through the local press.

While these meetings are designed primarily to assist local association managers, individual buyers and carlot shippers, to cut out their losses in grading, loading and forwarding, all who are interested in proper methods of grading, loading and handling of potatoes are invited to be present at these meetings. There will be no set program; there will be no long speeches. All are urged to bring their shipping troubles to the place of meeting, state them to the director of markets and the problems will be turned over to the person in the party best qualified to help solve them.

Excellent Band Concert At Lovers' Lane Sunday

The necessity of keeping country roads in good condition is shown by a report recently compiled by the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture, showing the extent to which they are used in hauling farm products to market. According to the report, which shows the tonnage of 11 products hauled on country roads, giving the yearly average for the period from 1915 to 1919, there were 27 tons of these 11 crops hauled for every 100 acres of land. The average tonnage of the 11 crops hauled on country roads each year for the period mentioned amounted to 86,560,000 tons. The 11 crops referred to in the report are corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, rice, flaxseed, cotton (including seed), tobacco, potatoes and cultivated hay.

Very Best Seed Corn Can Only Be Found Near Home

Only by selecting good seed corn at the right time and taking good care of it after it has been selected can the best results in growing be obtained. Farmers long ago found it was not advisable to depend on seedsmen for corn planting stock. In northern Minnesota only corn that matures there is suitable for seed.

The central zone has a somewhat longer season and can grow larger corn than the north, and, in an emergency, can use seed from outside states. Southern Minnesota can grow corn almost as large as corn raised in Iowa and Nebraska.

However, it has been the experience of farmers in all three zones of the state that home grown and adapted varieties of seed corn give far better results than can be obtained from imported seed. The movement for seed selection in corn producing districts should become general by Seed Corn Time, Sept. 5 to 15, as recommended by staff men of the division of agricultural extension and state experiment station at University Farm.

Improves Eating House.

E. M. Stanton, Jr., proprietor of the Thief River cafe, this week finished the job of repainting, remodeling and generally overhauling the interior of his popular restaurant. Besides adding to the convenience and capacity of the place, the eating house now looks a hundred per cent better to the eye.

TAXABLE VALUE FOR THIS YEAR IS MUCH LOWER

(Continued from Page 1.)

Goodridge shows $14,210 as against $65,630, while the comparative figures for St. Hilaire are $28,268 and $38,768.

Following is a table of the assessments in each township, village and city in the county for 1921 and the corresponding assessments for 1920:

Personal Property.

Subdivision.	1921	1920
Bray	$ 15,512	$ 22,412
Black River	15,794	20,168
Clover Leaf	19,134	20,576
Deer Park	14,512	19,468
Goodridge	7,005	8,783
Highlanding	24,796	37,620
Hickory	16,836	18,051
Kratka	19,279	24,800
Mayfield	12,840	17,201
North	32,681	38,207
Norden	16,924	26,850
Numedal	11,848	16,012
Polk Centre	10,423	15,254
Rocksbury	32,181	49,869
River Falls	28,317	37,032
Reiner	10,256	11,113
Sanders	26,218	35,376
Smiley	25,195	31,769
Silverton	18,161	24,108
Star	17,011	19,145
Wyandotte	16,067	25,652
St. Hilaire vil.	28,268	38,768
Goodridge vil.	44,210	65,630
T. R. Falls	302,012	466,763
Totals	$765,733	$1,090,627

Moneys and Credits.

Subdivision.	1921	1920
Bray	$ 13,800	$ 15,390
Balck River	12,650	11,700
Clover Leaf	4,669	6,176
Deer Park	2,625	4,000
Goodridge	306	1,960
Highlanding	17,775	16,918
Hickory	8,500	3,475
Kratka	21,345	20,675
Mayfield	105	750
North	35,025	26,745
Norden	14,950	20,135
Numedal	2,650	5,875
Polk Centre	15,200	14,100
Rocksbury	18,900	22,450
River Falls	23,110	16,625
Reiner	3,700	5,200
Sanders	17,237	21,225
Smiley	8,600	9,315
Silverton	8,440	13,835
Star	5,890	5,250
Wyandotte	3,965	6,499
St. Hilaire vil.	42,467	52,020
Goodridge vil.	9,154	51,559
T. R. Falls	641,562	658,835
Totals	$932,625	$1,010,721

Praises County Fair.

The Pennington county fair, held four days last week in Thief River Falls, was a great success as far as exhibits at least are concerned, and we judge financially also, judging by the crowds in attendance each day. Every department was well filled, the agricultural hall was a surprise as it was supposed that crops this year were nearly a failure. The outside attractions were fine. Especial interest was taken in the auto polo contests, which kept one holding his breath about half the time. The fireworks in the evening were the best ever shown in this part of the state. Many improvements have been made in the building and arrangements. It showed that the managers of the fair were all hustlers and boosters and deserving of much credit.—Grygla Eagle.

New Farmer Concern.

The American Farm Bureau Federation announced last week that the farmers' livestock marketing committee of fifteen, appointed by President J. R. Howard, has agreed upon the essentials of a co-operative livestock selling plan.

The farmers will organize a national livestock producers' association with headquarters in Chicago.

Membership in the national organization will be held by farmer owned and controlled commission companies at various terminal markets. It is expected that the livestock producer will join with his neighbors in forming a co-operative livestock shipping association, and the shipping association will be a member of the terminal commission association.

Band Had Good Trip.

The Baudette Booster Band arrived home Saturday morning from Thief River Falls, where they played a two-day engagement at the fair. They were splendidly treated and report a good time.—Baudette Region.

State Road Accepted.

The county board was here Monday after an inspection tour over the newly completed state road between here and Hazel. The work was accepted, and the contractors loaded their outfit here for shipment to Grant county, where they have another contract.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Buys Banking Interests.

B. Docken has purchased A. L. Halvorson's interests in the Holt State bank and now holds the controlling iterest in that institution. Mr. Halvorson's interests at Hillsboro and elsewhere need all of his time, so he decided to sell out here and will move back to Hillsboro as soon as he can get a house. Mr. Docken will move his family into the Bakke residence, vacated by the Halvorson family.—Holt News.

May Open Reservation.

A delegation from Grygla motored to the Red Lake Agency Saturday to meet with Mr. Burke, U. S. Indian Commissioner, and Harold Knutson, Congressman, relative to the opening of the reservation and the possibilities of a railroad, so as to give better transportation for farm produce from this country. Mr. Burke and Mr. Knutson both stated that as soon as the drainage system, which is under way at the present time, was completed, that the reservation would be opened. Twelve miles of railroad are being built at the present time running due west from the agency, which looks promising to the people in this country.—Grygla Eagle.

Will Exhibit at Bemidji.

D. C. Dvoracek, county agent for Beltrami county, has returned to Bemidji from Thief River Falls, where he judged fat cattle, dairy Shorthorns, hogs and sheep during the Pennington county fair there, and on his return to the city he announced that several of those who exhibited at the Pennington county fair will show their stock at the Northwestern Minnesota fair which will take place here next month.—Bemidji Sentinel.

What School to Attend.

Ignorance is the rope that hitches so many men and women to ordinary jobs. The possession of intelligence will not serve to break the rope that holds you down. But trained intelligence knows no bonds. Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., can help you. Twentieth Century Bookkeeping, Gregg Shorthand and Touch Typewriting. Write for our new catalog. a-18

Offices Closed.

The offices of Dr. Jennie M. Eastman will be closed Aug. 17 to Sept. 6, while Dr. Eastman is attending the post graduate course of lectures at the national convention held at the Palmer School of Chiropractic, Davenport, Ia. 29

Minister Discusses His Wife's Troubles

Rev. A. H. Sykes, former pastor of the Watkins Park Presbyterian church, Nashville, Tenn., says:

"After seing what Tanlac has accomplished in my wife's case, I am convinced that it is a medicine of great power and extraordinary merit. I do not think I have ever seen anything give such prompt results. Mrs. Sykes had been in delicate health for ten months, suffering from stomach trouble and nervous breakdown. "I frequently sought medical advice but Tanlac is the only thing that gave her any relief. After taking the medicine only a short time, she was able to sit up and help with the household duties. I think it only a short time until her health will be fully restored."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Dr. Spofford
OPTOMETRIST

will make regular visits to Thief River Falls as usual during the coming fall, winter and spring. Watch for dates later.

We wish to announce also that we have installed lens-grinding machinery at the Long Prairie office and can make most lenses in a few hours. Send us your broken glasses for quick repairs.

THE
HUB
RECREATION PARLOR

A pleasant place to meet and entertain your friends. All pool tables newly equipped and in perfect alignment. Select candies, cigars and soft drinks.

SHANAHAN & SHEEDY
Props.

Saturday at
The Lyceum

SATURDAY
George Walsh
in
NUMBER "17"

Also a Big V Comedy
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Special
SUNDAY and MONDAY

MARSHALL NEILAN
presents Randall Parrish's
Bob Hampton Of Placer

The frontier days brought back. Hundreds of real Indians and Scouts in thrilling prairie fights and a Regiment of U. S. Regulars in the thrilling climax
"CUSTER'S LAST STAND"
Sunday Matinee 2:30, 11c and 25c.
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BOTTEM HARWARE CO.
"The Winchester Store"
Hardware and Coal
Phone 23

Thief River Clinic
Citizens' Bank Building
Staff:
Dr. H. W. Froehlich
Dr. O. F. Mellby Dr. L. F. Fisher

HARDWARE
OL' TA TIME

Where Your Dollar Has More Cents

$1.00 will buy any of the following articles or group of articles:

1 40c pair Oak Tanned Half Soles.
1 10c Box Shoe Nails.
1 35c Pair Combination Pliers.
1 10c Box Assorted Copper Rivets and Burrs.
3 1-3c Mouse Traps.
2 15c Victor Rat Traps.

1 $2.00 Single Bit Axe, fully guaranteed.

1 $1.00 large size, No. 3 Galvanized Iron Wash Tub.
1 35c Pair of Combination Pliers, well made of best tool steel.

1 $1.00 Broom, made of extra quality broom corn.
3 10c Rolls of Toilet Paper.

1 Genuine Brass King Wash Board.
1 12-qt. Galvanized Water Pail.

1 $1.75 large size, battleship shape, O-Cedar Polish Mop.

1 60c Bottle O-Cedar Polish, cleans, dusts, polishes and brightens all at one time.
1 25c Knit Soft Wiping Cloth, softest wiping and polishing cloth made. Absolutely will not scratch.
1 10c pkg. Mendets, mend without heat, solder or cement, all leaks in enamel ware, aluminum ware, hot water bags, tin, copper and other cooking utensils.
1 30c pkg. (3 dozen) Hoyt's Patent Spring Clothes Pins. White basswood with spring of one piece of galvanized spring wire.
1 10c Nickle-plated, 3-arm Towel Rack, the same kind you intended to buy before the World war.

1 Gallon of boiled Linseed Oil.

2 pkgs. of genuine Alabastine. The sanitary Wall Coating. Regular price 75c, 80c and 95c a package.

4 35c Wicks for all kinds of Oil Cook Stoves.

3 45c Dry Batteries. A high amperage battery with a long life.

5 Boxes 22 short Cartridges.

1 $1.25 Spling Clothes Basket, American made, oval shape, double splints, making two thicknesses. Reinforced bottom, giving extra strength and rigidity. Good handles.

1 12-qt. Aluminum Water Pail; seamless, absolutely clean and sanitary.

1 45c 25 or 40 watt Mazda Electric Lamp.
1 45c Dustless Clothesline Reel.
1 30c 4-qt. Tin Bucket.

12 Articles which you may select from our ten cent (10c) Department.

Pyrex Baking Oven Ware saves food and fuel by baking better, browner and quicker. Will not break in oven. See our display of PYREX for Market Day Prices.

If the above assortments are not what you want, then you may select other articles of equal value and make up your own assortment.

Hall Brothers Co.
"A Good Place to Trade"
Hardware, Farm Machinery 315 Horace Ave. N., Phone 15

Keep Plenty of Our Milk

in the refrigerator. You'll have abundant use for it for drinking, for baking, for making all kinds of sauces, custards, etc. You'll find our milk gives a fine flavor to everything in which it enters. It is far richer than ordinary milk, though it costs no more. Better have us commence serving you today.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

A Small Payment Down and
One Dollar
A Week
WILL PUT A PHONOGRAPH
IN YOUR HOME

FULL PARTICULARS
Dollar Day

The price is no longer an obstacle to your having a phonograph in your home.

LAIRD'S

Thief River Falls Merchants' Association

MARKET DAY SPECIAL

Supplement to The Thief River Falls Times, Thursday, August 18, 1921

GREATEST OF ALL MARKET DAYS ARRANGED FOR NEXT WEDNESDAY

Thief River Falls merchants will feature Dollar Bargains on their Third Market Day---Wednesday, August 24---but the price reductions will extend to everything handled by them. Read every line in the following pages. By doing so you will be the better enabled to take advantage of the opportunity offered.

Credit; Its Use and Abuse

"The retail merchant extends credit to his customers, not as a means of helping them through financial difficulty by enabling them to buy goods for which they are unable to pay at the time of the purchase, but as one phase of his service to them. The theory of the thing, you know, is that when a customer buys goods on credit he should have available, at the time, the money with which to pay for what he's buying. Credit merely enables him to pay for his purchases at the time when it is most convenient for him to pay all of his bills, the first of the month.

"But the public, generally speaking, doesn't understand the thing. The public doesn't understand why merchants give credit. Besides—and there's the rub—the public, generally speaking, doesn't realize the importance of keeping its credit good."

"The retail merchant, in opening an account with you, has two thing in mind: First the convenience to you, and second the convenience to the store. It is intended to be a mutual arrangement. Your charge account allows you the privilege of paying once each month, rather than for individual purchases. This arrangement saves you the trouble and annoyance of writing a check or paying cash each time you buy.

"Your part of the bargain implies prompt payment of the account when the statement is rendered. When the merchant carries out his part of the agreement, is it not unfair for you to allow your account to become overdue? By so doing you impose an extra burden upon the merchant, which results in a loss of interest to him and adds materially to his cost of doing business. These extra costs invariably increase the prices of the goods he has to sell to you.

"If you account is paid promptly, a credit arrangement is a convenient and satisfactory way for the merchant to handle your business without extra expense. If your account is slow it places a burden upon the merchant which he should not be asked to carry. Aside from all this, your standing is injured and your good rating impaired. Isn't it better to plan your finances so that you can pay your bills promptly and do your part in making the credit arrangement mutually beneficial?"

Another observer differentiates between charge accounts one the one hand and installment and contract accounts on the other. He says:

"Have you formed the habit of making a partial payment on the account each month instead of liquidating the full amount owing, and, if so, have you stopped to consider how seriously you are impairing your credit by so doing?

"This practice denotes one of two things—either you do not understand the terms under which the account was opened or you have obligated yourself beyond your ability to pay promptly.

"Your charge privilege is a courtesy extended to you by the merchant in order that your shopping may be made more convenient and the only reciprocal return required of you is that your settlements be made promptly and in full on or before the 10th of the following month.

"An account not cared for in accordance with these terms becomes a liability rather than an asset, due to the expense entailed in its handling, and must eventually be discontinued."

The Salesman

"You will pardon me if we edge into the picture for a few moments and say a few words in behalf of the salesman," reads Foley's Folder, a house organ. "We are speaking now of the salesmen who represent good reliable houses, whose integrity and fair dealing cannot be questioned and whose merchandise can be relied upon. This chap comes to your place of business once a week, probably twice a month, as a personal representative of his house, and with two ideas uppermost in mind—he is there to sell you merchandise, and particularly is he there to sell you service, because he knows that the good-will engendered today has a distinct bearing on the business he may do tomorrow.

"An intelligent salesman is a business asset to the merchants that he visits. He brings merchandising information from reliable sources; his contact with other successful retailers is the means of bringing suggestions that are of value; he is acquainted with local conditions, enabling him to be of great assistance in arranging credit terms in the house—as a matter of fact when he visits the house he is the dealer's representative, and take it from us he renders mighty valuable assistance to his customers in this way.

"You may hear many superficial arguments to the contrary, but salesmen are the life blood of business. An overwhelming percentage of the nation's commerce is transacted through these good-natured, hard working chaps.

"Salesmen representing this type of house are primarily interested in constructive merchandising; they take more interest in your future success than they do in the immediate order. This has been demonstrated in your own store time and again. Salesmen can be a source of great comfort and service to you in trying times such as these. Encourage them and accept their advice and suggestions as a sincere effort to be of real service to you."

The Era of Jazz is Passing

Let those who have been cultivating sound principles be undismayed; the era of jazz and clap-trap is passing, warns a writer in Harp Square Dealer. The premium on incompetence is already being taken away. In manufacturing we are again paying attention to detail and fractional cost rather than to mere output.

In selling, the small order is no longer despised, and in our private lives there is a turning towards the things which make for stability rather than those which are a mere vent for exuberant feeling. Take heart, ye plodders, "This year's fool next year's Solomon's Seat."

Revenue derived by the state thru the Minnesota game and fish commission for the season of 1919-1920 totaled $298,638.67, while the disbursements for the period were $229,569.35, leaving a net profit to the state of almost $60,000 for the year, not taking into consideration the benefits of game propagation and regulation and supervising of hunting and fishing.

Jumping on the Retailer

It is always a popular game with the politicians, jumping on the retail merchant and calling him names. The manufacturers are always well organized, and when the politicians jump on them, they jump back. The producers are usually so numerous that by the very fact of their big voting power the politicians are led to respect them. But the retailer, well, he is not well enough organized to command the respect of the political forces, and he is not numerous enough in any one class to make his vote important, and anyway he is pretty likely to overlook the slaps of the politicians and vote straight after all.

So it happens that the politicians can condemn the retailers as profiteers, and claim that they are responsible for the failure in prices to come down, and, in short, make them the goats of the economic situation.

The fact that countless merchants did not raise a price to take advantage of the advancing market gets them no credit when they do not reduce prices and take a loss on every stock item now. The merchant, especially the retail grocer, is expected to take his losses both going and coming. Has anyone seen a noticeable tendency in that direction on the part of the manufacturers and big distributors of the country?

Let us, as grocers, take time to write to our congressmen and senators, when Washington goes into a paroxysm over the profiteering retailers, and tell those gentlemen in plain language, such as a politician can understand, that the retail grocers of their constituency are not bands of crooks, and that the big money in their districts is not being made by the men in the retail provision business. Congress does not hear enough direct from the retail grocers of the country. Lift up your voices and make a noise that can be heard in the legislative halls.

What He Was Trying to Do

The proprietor of a grocery store saw a small boy lingering round a barrel of apples that was exhibited on the pavement.

"Hey, there," he said, going to the door. "What are you doing?"

"Nothing," answered the boy, with his eyes still fixed on the barrel.

"Nothing eh?" doubtfully returned the man. "Aren't you trying to steal some of those apples?"

"No, sir," returned the youngster. "I'm trying not to."

High Brows and Low Heels

Traveling salesmen for shoe manufacturers say they sell more "sensible" shoes for women to retailers in Boston than to dealers in any other city of the same class in size in the country. It is a fact that observation on Boylston street, or Tremont street, or almost anywhere in Boston will reveal a surprising preponderance of low-heeled shoes on feminine feet. Inquiry in two directions developed two diametrically opposite theories as to the reason.

"Boston women wear 'sensible' shoes because they do a lot of walking," said a shoe retailer on Tremont street. "They have to walk because taxicab rates in Boston are so high—higher than in any other city of the same size."

"Yes," admitted the taxicab agent at one of the Copley Square hotels, "our rates are pretty high. But we have to make 'em high in order to live. The people of Boston—especially the women—do an awful lot of walking!"

And there you are.

Why Salesmen Have Wrinkles.

Mother was very keen on correct deportment and never lost a chance of instilling it into Mabel.

"There's one important thing, my dear," said she. "You must never point at anything."

"But, mama," objected the little girl, "suppose I am shopping and don't know the name of a thing?"

"Then let the assistant show you everything in stock until he comes to the article you desire."—St. Augustine Record.

Helping the Locomotive

Workers in business organizations who kick, growl and make trouble for the management during the reconstruction days when managers of business everywhere have problems confronting them that require every bit of energy they possess, remind me of the green brakeman who was making his first trip up the Sierras.

The train was going up a very steep grade, and with unusual difficulty the engineer succeeded in reaching the top. At a station, looking out of his cab, the engineer saw the new brakeman and said with a sigh of relief: "I tell you what, my lad, we had a job to get up there, didn't we?"

"We certainly did," said the brakeman, "and if I hadn't put on the brakes, we'd have slipped back."—Tom Dreier in Forbes Magazine.

SYRUP OF SWEET POTATOES.

The morning stack of buckwheats may soon be flavored with a delicious sweet potato syrup if it can be manufactured as economically as other syrups. The United States department of agriculture has established an experiment station at Fitzgerald, Ga., to find out about it.

Dr. H. C. Gore, of the bureau of chemistry, worked out the laboratory process of making the syrup. It is brown in color, rich in sugar, and is said to be easy to consume. But it has not yet been determined whether it can be produced cheaply enough to compete with cane, corn and other syrups.

Clothes may not make the man, but the man with clothes conspicuously unfit will lose confidence in himself and his clothes may be the cause of his failure.

Costly Economy

Motorists are warned against so-called "Gasoline Economizers" in a report issued by the national vigilance committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which declares such "economizers" have no effect upon gasoline efficiency, but are, in reality, nothing more than colored moth balls.

The report quotes the United States Bureau of Standards, Washington, with the statement that these moth-ball economizers have no appreciable effect in giving gasoline more "pep" and explains that the testimonial letters used by the many manufacturers of such tablets result from the fact that along with the tablets the maker sends instructions concerning the adjustment of the gasoline supply for the motor.

It is a well known fact, says the report, that motorists use a richer mixture of gasoline than is really necessary for the proper operation of the engine, using such a mixture because the car will start with greater ease with a carbureter adjusted for a rich mixture.

Doubtful Bargains

"Sugar, 5 cents a pound."

Advertisements headed in this manner will not be published by the Detroit newspapers again, as the result of an investigation by H. C. Dart, secretary of the Better Business Bureau of that city, according to a bulletin from the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World.

Mr. Dart bought one of those sample "bargain sale" offers from a Chicago mail order house, and compared the statements in the advertisements with the facts. He found:

1—That the prices which the advertisement said were being obtained by local grocers were untrue. No such prices were asked.

2—That the qualities described in the advertisement were exaggerated except where standard products were mentioned, in which, of course, only the name of the product was used.

3—That the statement that Detroit people could save money was untrue.

In connection with the third finding, Mr. Dart showed that when the price of a sample order was added to the express charges the price of the order was 70 cents higher than the total price asked by the highest priced Detroit grocer consulted, and $1 higher than the lowest priced Detroit grocer.

An Undeveloped Empire.

Northern Minnesota is an undeveloped empire.

There is a vast domain up there that will eventually prove to be a great dairying and farming region.

A policy of selfishness in this matter would be short-sighted indeed. We should not forget for an instant that we are all members of the same commonwealth.

They are pioneering up there now and our heart goes out to the brave men and women who are hewing and hacking homes out of the forest and making fertile places out of spots laid waste by forest fires.

It takes courage to do these things—the same sort of courage that sent our forefathers out into the wilderness of the west to build up the country, battling against heavy odds, and fighting beasts and still more savage men.

It is from the people with the pioneer spirit and instincts that our greatest Americans have come. Reared in poverty, struggling against privations, attending the district school in winter, working long hours under all sorts of conditions, these people were undaunted and unafarid and it is due to their valor and spirit that our country is what it is today—the foremost nation of the

And you will see the same sort of world.

virile courage in many portions of Northern Minnesota today. Many have been burned out of house and home by the red volcano of the forest fire, losing all their worldly possessions in the flames, but after the smoke had cleared away they renewed the battle—and today they are winning! It is a lesson for those of us whose lot is cast in softer places, and after seeing what we have seen we believe we would be false to the best interests of the state if we did not do all we can to aid these heroes of peace in their struggle for making of a better Minnesota.—F. E. Hadley in Winnebago City Enterprise.

IF YOUR HOUSE WERE ON FIRE

Would You Write a Letter Asking Some Mail Order Concern to Put Out the Blaze?

Not *you*. You'd jump for the nearest telephone and speed along a hurry-up call to your local fire department—and they would respond *instantly*. *Who* pays for that fire protection, anyway? Mail order concerns? Not much. Its running expense comes out of the city's taxes—and those taxes are paid by people who *live here*—citizens like you—*and merchants*.

That money must come out of the pockets of home people. Then spend your money with local dealers—keep it *in* circulation here, where it will buy not only fire protection, but better roads, better schools, better parks, better libraries—better *everything* that *must be* bought with money taken from the city's "coffer."

Not one penny of the money you spend with mail order concerns is passed along to anyone in this vicinity. You get the goods it purchases. You wear them out or eat them up. And that's the end of it. Who HERE, in *this town*, gains by it? Not a soul!

You may *think* you do. May be deluded with the *idea* that you saved money. A comparison of local dealers' prices and those of mail order concerns will prove *you're wrong*.

In return for your home-spent dollar the dealer delivers to you without cost *for* delivery the biggest quantity and quality worth that dollar can purchase. The profit portion of that dollar stays right here at home. A share of it finally finds its way into the pay of firemen and policemen—it helps foot the bills for *many* public improvements. It makes *your* town a better town. And buys goods that can't be bettered in quality at prices that can't be beat for real savings.

Don't clog the city's fire plugs, and throw stumbling-blocks in the way of more perfect public "service"—by sending your dollars to distant dealers.

You enjoy the benefits paid for largely by home business men—then *do* business *at* home.

The Calumet Baking Powder Co. Paid For The Preparation of This Article

The Old Reliable
LaLunda Cigar
Quality Hand Made

Thief River Falls Market Day, Wednesday, Aug. 24

Bring the Whole Family—Hear the Band—Make it a Holiday

DEPARTMENT TO HOLD SERIES OE 'SPUD' MEETINGS

State Department of Agriculture to Aid Potato Growers in Marketing Crop.

Proper Methods of Grading and Loading to Be Discussed By Experienced Men.

Meeting to Be Held in Thief River Falls on Thursday, September 15th.

Improper grading and loading of potatoes and other perishables causes the Minnesota farmer and shipper a loss that runs well into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. This loss is largely due to lack of knowledge of what constitutes proper grading for marketing and to improper methods adopted in loading, also to careless and improper methods of billing and accounting.

Schedule of Meetings.

The state department of agriculture believes that the best way to offset these losses is to carry the story of how they may be avoided direct to the shipper prior to the opening of the heavy shipment season. It announces the following schedule of grading, loading and accountig meetings: North Branch, August 10; Cambridge, August 11; Elk River, August 12; Alexandria, August 29; Fergus Falls, August 30; Moorhead, August 31; Detroit, September 1; Wadena, September 2; Little Falls, September 3; Park Rapids, September 12; Ada, September 13; Crookston, September 14; Thief River Falls, September 15; Bemidji, September 16; Grand Rapids, September 17; Aitkin, September 19; Carlton, Duluth, September 20 and Moose Lake, September 21.

The aim of the department will be to demonstrate at each of these meetings the methods essential to proper grading, shipping and business accounting. The meetings will take on the nature of demonstrations and individual work with shippers. Difficulties that shippers have encountered in the past will be met and the manner of overcoming them will be explained.

Competent Men in Charge.

The department of agriculture party will consist of Hugh J. Hughes, director of markets, and George Wicker, special assistant in auditing and accounting, together with a competent corps of assistants including an expert in potato grading, loading and marketing. The party will also be accompanied by Prof. Paul Miller of the Minnesota university department of agriculture, and probably by a representative of the United States bureau of markets.

One-day stops will be made at each of the points named in the itinerary, and, unless otherwise definitely arranged, the grading, the loading demonstrations and accounting work will begin promptly at 9 o'clock and continue throughout the day. The director of markets in charge desires that each person attending these meetings bring his own particular difficulty and present it for explanation. Any special difficulty that may come up locally will be considered by the director of markets and his corps of workers.

Railroads Co-operate.

The railroads are lending their co-operation and will have freight and refrigerator cars on track and convenient to the places of meeting for purposes of demonstration. Arrangements are now being made with those locally interested as to the exact place of meeting, and announcement of such meeting place will be made through the local press.

While these meetings are designed primarily to assist local association managers, individual buyers and carlot shippers, to cut out their losses in grading, loading and forwarding, all who are interested in proper methods of grading, loading and handling of potatoes are invited to be present at these meetings. There will be no set program; there will be no long speeches. All are urged to bring their shipping troubles to the place of meeting, state them to the director of markets and the problems will be turned over to the person in the party best qualified to help solve them.

Excellent Band Concert At Lovers' Lane Sunday

The necessity of keeping country roads in good condition is shown by a report recently compiled by the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates, United States Department of Agriculture, showing the extent to which they are used in hauling farm products to market. According to the report, which shows the tonnage of 11 products hauled on country roads, giving the yearly average for the period from 1915 to 1919, there were 27 tons of these 11 crops hauled for every 100 acres of land. The average tonnage of the 11 crops hauled on country roads each year for the period mentioned amounted to 86,500,000 tons. The 11 crops referred to in the report are corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, rice, flaxseed, cotton (including seed), tobacco, potatoes and cultivated hay.

Very Best Seed Corn Can Only Be Found Near Home

Only by selecting good seed corn at the right time and taking good care of it after it has been selected can the best results in growing be obtained. Farmers long ago found it was not advisable to depend on seedsmen for corn planting stock. In northern Minnesota only corn that matures there is suitable for seed.

The central zone has a somewhat longer season and can grow larger corn than the north, and, in an emergency, can use seed from outside states. Southern Minnesota can grow corn almost as large as corn raised in Iowa and Nebraska.

However, it has been the experience of farmers in all three zones of the state that home grown and adapted varieties of seed corn give far better results than can be obtained from imported seed. The movement for seed selection in corn producing districts should become general by Seed Corn Time, Sept. 5 to 15, as recommended by staff men of the division of agricultural extension and state experiment station at University Farm.

Improves Eating House.

E. M. Stanton, Jr., proprietor of the Thief River cafe, this week finished the job of repainting, remodeling and generally overhauling the interior of his popular restaurant. Besides adding to the convenience and capacity of the place, the eating house now looks a hundred per cent better to the eye.

TAXABLE VALUE FOR THIS YEAR IS MUCH LOWER

(Continued from Page 1.)

Goodridge shows $14,210 as against $65,630, while the comparative figures for St. Hilaire are $28,268 and $38,768.

Following is a table of the assessments in each township, village and city in the county for 1921 and the corresponding assessments for 1920:

Personal Property.

Subdivision.	1921	1920
Bray	$ 15,512	$ 22,412
Black River	15,794	20,168
Clover Leaf	19,134	20,576
Deer Park	14,512	19,468
Goodridge	7,005	8,783
Highlanding	24,796	37,620
Hickory	16,836	18,051
Kratka	19,279	24,800
Mayfield	12,840	17,201
North	32,681	38,207
Norden	16,924	26,850
Numedal	11,848	16,012
Polk Centre	10,423	15,251
Rocksbury	32,181	49,869
River Falls	28,367	37,032
Reiner	10,256	11,113
Sanders	26,218	35,376
Smiley	25,195	31,769
Silverton	18,161	21,108
Star	17,011	19,145
Wyandotte	16,067	25,652
St. Hilaire vil.	28,268	38,768
Goodridge vil.	14,210	65,630
T. R. Falls	302,012	466,763
Totals	$765,733	$1,090,627

Moneys and Credits.

Subdivision.	1921	1920
Bray	$ 13,800	$ 15,390
Balck River	12,650	11,700
Clover Leaf	4,669	6,176
Deer Park	2,625	1,000
Goodridge	306	1,960
Highlanding	17,775	16,918
Hickory	8,500	3,475
Kratka	21,345	20,675
Mayfield	105	750
North	35,025	26,745
Norden	14,950	20,135
Numedal	2,650	5,875
Polk Centre	15,200	11,100
Rocksbury	18,900	22,450
River Falls	23,110	16,625
Reiner	3,700	5,200
Sanders	17,237	21,225
Smiley	8,600	9,315
Silverton	8,140	13,835
Star	5,890	5,250
Wyandotte	3,965	6,499
St. Hilaire vil.	42,167	52,020
Goodridge vil.	9,154	51,559
T. R. Falls	641,562	658,835
Totals	$932,625	$1,010,721

Praises County Fair.

The Pennington county fair, held four days last week in Thief River Falls, was a great success as far as exhibits at least are concerned, and we judge financially also, judging by the crowds in attendance each day. Every department was well filled, the agricultural hall was a surprise as it was supposed that crops this year were nearly a failure. The outside attractions were fine. Especial interest was taken in the auto polo contests, which kept one holding his breath about half the time. The fireworks in the evening were the best ever shown in this part of the state. Many improvements have been made in the building and arrangements. It showed that the managers of the fair were all hustlers and boosters and deserving of much credit.—Grygla Eagle.

New Farmer Concern.

The American Farm Bureau Federation announced last week that the farmers' livestock marketing committee of fifteen, appointed by President J. R. Howard, has agreed upon the essentials of a co-operative livestock selling plan.

The farmers will organize a national livestock producers' association with headquarters in Chicago.

Membership in the national organization will be held by farmer owned and controlled commission companies at various terminal markets. It is expected that the livestock producer will join with his neighbors in forming a co-operative livestock shipping association, and the shipping association will be a member of the terminal commission association.

Band Had Good Trip.

The Baudette Booster Band arrived home Saturday morning from Thief River Falls where they played a two-day engagement at the fair. They were splendidly treated and report a good time.—Baudette Region.

State Road Accepted.

The county board was here Monday after an inspection tour over the newly completed state road between here and Hazel. The work was accepted, and the contractors loaded their outfit here for shipment to Grant county, where they have another contract.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Buys Banking Interests.

B. Docken has purchased A. L. Halvorson's interests in the Holt State bank and now holds the controlling iterest in that institution. Mr. Halvorson's interests at Hillsboro and elsewhere need all of his time, so he decided to sell out here and will move back to Hillsboro as soon as he can get a house. Mr. Docken will move his family into the Bakke residence, vacated by the Halvorson family.—Holt News.

May Open Reservation.

A delegation from Grygla motored to the Red Lake Agency Saturday to meet with Mr. Burke, U. S. Indian Commissioner, and Harold Knutson, Congressman, relative to the opening of the reservation and the possibilities of a railroad, so as to give better transportation for farm produce from this country. Mr. Burke and Mr. Knutson both stated that as soon as the drainage system, which is under way at the present time, was completed, that the reservation would be opened. Twelve miles of railroad are being built at the present time running due west from the agency, which looks promising to the people in this country.—Grygla Eagle.

Will Exhibit at Bemidji.

D. C. Dvoracek, county agent for Beltrami county, has returned to Bemidji from Thief River Falls, where he judged fat cattle, dairy Shorthorns, hogs and sheep during the Pennington county fair there, and on his return to the city he announced that several of those who exhibited at the Pennington county fair will show their stock at the Northwestern Minnesota fair which will take place here next month.—Bemidji Sentinel.

What School to Attend.

Ignorance is the rope that hitches so many men and women to ordinary jobs. The possession of intelligence will not serve to break the rope that holds you down. But trained intelligence knows no bonds. Anker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., can help you. Twentieth Century Bookkeeping, Gregg Shorthand and Touch Typewriting. Write for our new catalog. a-18

Offices Closed.

The offices of Dr. Jennie M. Eastman will be closed Aug. 17 to Sept. 6, while Dr. Eastman is attending the post graduate course of lectures at the national convention held at the Palmer School of Chiropractic, Davenport, Ia. 29

Minister Discusses His Wife's Troubles

Rev. A. H. Sykes, former pastor of the Watkins Park Presbyterian church, Nashville, Tenn., says:

"After seing what Tanlac has accomplished in my wife's case, I am convinced that it is a medicine of great power and extraordinary merit. I do not think I have ever seen anything give such prompt results. Mrs. Sykes had been in delicate health for ten months, suffering from stomach trouble and nervous breakdown. She frequently sought medical advice but Tanlac is the only thing that gave her any relief. After taking the medicine only a short time, she was able to sit up and help with the household duties. I think it only a short time until her health will be fully restored."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Dr. Spofford
OPTOMETRIST

will make regular visits to Thief River Falls as usual during the coming fall, winter and spring. Watch for dates later.

We wish to announce also that we have installed lens-grinding machinery at the Long Prairie office and can make most lenses in a few hours. Send us your broken glasses for quick repairs.

THE
HUB
RECREATION PARLOR

A pleasant place to meet and entertain your friends. All pool tables newly equipped and in perfect alignment. Select candies, cigars and soft drinks.

SHANAHAN & SHEEDY
Props.

BOTTEM HARWARE CO.
"The Winchester Store"
Hardware and Coal
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Saturday at
The Lyceum

SATURDAY
George Walsh
in
NUMBER "17"

Also a Big V Comedy
"PALS and PUGS"

Special
SUNDAY and MONDAY

MARSHALL NEILAN
presents Randall Parrish's
Bob Hampton Of Placer

The frontier days brought back. Hundreds of real Indians and Scouts in thrilling prairie fights and a Regiment of U. S. Regulars in the thrilling climax "CUSTER'S LAST STAND"

Sunday Matinee 2:30, 11c and 25c.
Evening 7:30, 20c and 35c

Thief River Clinic
Citizens' Bank Building
Staff:
Dr. H. W. Froehlich
Dr. O. F. Mellby
Dr. L. F. Fisher

Keep Plenty of Our Milk

in the refrigerator. You'll have abundant use for it for drinking, for baking, for making all kinds of sauces, custards, etc. You'll find our milk gives a fine flavor to everything in which it enters. It is far richer than ordinary milk, though it costs no more. Better have us commence serving you today.

Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

Where Your Dollar Has More Cents

$1.00 will buy any of the following articles or group of articles:

1 40c pair Oak Tanned Half Soles.
1 10c Box Shoe Nails.
1 35c Pair Combination Pliers.
1 10c Box Assorted Copper Rivets and Burrs.
3 3 1-3c Mouse Traps.
2 15c Victor Rat Traps.

1 $2.00 Single Bit Axe, fully guaranteed.

1 $1.00 large size, No. 3 Galvanized Iron Wash Tub.
1 35c Pair of Combination Pliers, well made of best tool steel.

1 $1.00 Broom, made of extra quality broom corn.
3 10c Rolls of Toilet Paper.

1 Genuine Brass King Wash Board.
1 12-qt. Galvanized Water Pail.

1 $1.75 large size, battleship shape, O-Cedar Polish Mop.

1 60c Bottle O-Cedar Polish, cleans, dusts, polishes and brightens all at one time.
1 25c Knit Soft Wiping Cloth, softest wiping and polishing cloth made. Absolutely will not scratch.
1 10c pkg. Mendets, mend without heat, solder or cement, all leaks in enamel ware, aluminum ware, hot water bags, tin, copper and other cooking utensils.
1 30c pkg. (3 dozen) Hoyt's Patent Spring Clothes Pins. White basswood with spring of one piece of galvanized spring wire.
1 10c Nickle-plated, 3-arm Towel Rack, the same kind you intended to buy before the World war.

1 Gallon of boiled Linseed Oil.

2 pkgs. of genuine Alabastine. The sanitary Wall Coating. Regular price 75c, 80c and 95c a package.

4 35c Wicks for all kinds of Oil Cook Stoves.

3 45c Dry Batteries. A high amperage battery with a long life.

5 Boxes 22 short Cartridges.

1 $1.25 Spling Clothes Basket, American made, oval shape, double splints, making two thicknesses. Reinforced bottom, giving extra strength and rigidity. Good handles.

1 12-qt. Aluminum Water Pail, seamless, absolutely clean and sanitary.

1 45c 25 or 40 watt Mazda Electric Lamp.
1 45c Dustless Clothesline Reel.
1 30c 4-qt. Tin Bucket.

12 Articles which you may select from our ten cent (10c) Department.

Pyrex Baking Oven Ware saves food and fuel by baking better, browner and quicker. Will not break in oven. See our display of PYREX for Market Day Prices.

If the above assortments are not what you want, then you may select other articles of equal value and make up your own assortment.

Hall Brothers Co.
"A Good Place to Trade"
Hardware, Farm Machinery
315 Horace Ave. N., Phone 15

A Small Payment Down and
One Dollar
A Week
WILL PUT A PHONOGRAPH IN YOUR HOME
FULL PARTICULARS
Dollar Day
The price is no longer an obstacle to your having a phonograph in your home.
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Thief River Falls Merchants' Association

MARKET DAY SPECIAL

Supplement to The Thief River Falls Times, Thursday, August 18, 1921

GREATEST OF ALL MARKET DAYS ARRANGED FOR NEXT WEDNESDAY

Thief River Falls merchants will feature Dollar Bargains on their Third Market Day---Wednesday, August 24---but the price reductions will extend to everything handled by them. Read every line in the following pages. By doing so you will be the better enabled to take advantage of the opportunity offered.

Credit; Its Use and Abuse

"The retail merchant extends credit to his customers, not as a means of helping them through financial difficulty by enabling them to buy goods for which they are unable to pay at the time of the purchase, but as one phase of his service to them. The theory of the thing, you know, is that when a customer buys goods on credit he should have available, at the time, the money with which to pay for what he's buying. Credit merely enables him to pay for his purchases at the time when it is most convenient for him to pay all of his bills, the first of the month.

"But the public, generally speaking, doesn't understand the thing. The public doesn't understand why merchants give credit. Besides—and there's the rub—the public, generally speaking, doesn't realize the importance of keeping its credit good."

"The retail merchant, in opening an account with you, has two things in mind: First the convenience to you, and second the convenience to the store. It is intended to be a special arrangement. Your charge account allows you the privilege of paying once each month, rather than for individual purchases. This arrangement saves you the trouble and annoyance of writing a check or paying cash each time you buy.

"Your part of the bargain implies prompt payment of the account when the statement is rendered. When the merchant carries out his part of the agreement, is it not unfair for you to allow your account to become overdue? By so doing you impose an extra burden upon the merchant, which results in a loss of interest to him and adds materially to his cost of doing business. These extra costs invariably increase the prices of the goods he has to sell to you.

"If you account is paid promptly, a credit arrangement is a convenient and satisfactory way for the merchant to handle your business without extra expense. If your account is slow it places a burden upon the merchant which he should not be asked to carry. Aside from all this, your standing is injured and your good rating impaired. Isn't it better to plan your finances so that you can pay your bills promptly and do your part in making the credit arrangement mutually beneficial?"

Another observer differentiates between charge accounts one the one hand and installment and contract accounts on the other. He says:

"Have you formed the habit of making a partial payment on the account each month instead of liquidating the full amount owing, and, if so, have you stopped to consider how seriously you are impairing your credit by so doing?

"This practice denotes one of two things—either you do not understand the terms under which the account was opened or you have obligated yourself beyond your ability to pay promptly.

"Your charge privilege is a courtesy extended to you by the merchant in order that your shopping may be made more convenient and the only reciprocal return required of you is that your settlements be made promptly and in full on or before the 10th of the following month.

"An account not cared for in accordance with these terms becomes a liability rather than an asset, due to the expense entailed in its handling, and must eventually be discontinued."

The Salesman

"You will pardon me if we edge into the picture for a few moments and say a few words in behalf of the salesman," reads Foley's Folder, a house organ. "We are speaking now of the salesmen who represent good reliable houses, whose integrity and fair dealing cannot be questioned and whose merchandise can be relied upon. This chap comes to your place of business once a week, probably twice a month, as a personal representative of his house, and with two ideas uppermost in mind—he is there to sell you merchandise, and particularly is he there to sell you service, because he knows that the good-will engendered today has a distinct bearing on the business he may do tomorrow.

"An intelligent salesman is a business asset to the merchants that he visits. He brings merchandising information from reliable sources; his contact with other successful retailers is the means of bringing suggestions that are of value; he is acquainted with local conditions, enabling him to be of great assistance in arranging credit terms in the house—as a matter of fact when he visits the house he is the dealer's representative, and take it from us he renders mighty valuable assistance to his customers in this way.

"You may hear many superficial arguments to the contrary, but salesmen are the life blood of business. An overwhelming percentage of the nation's commerce is transacted through these good-natured, hard working chaps.

"Salesmen representing this type of house are primarily interested in constructive merchandising; they take more interest in your future success than they do in the immediate order. This has been demonstrated in your own store time and again. Salesmen can be a source of great comfort and service to you in trying times such as these. Encourage them and accept their advice and suggestions as a sincere effort to be of real service to you."

The Era of Jazz is Passing

Let those who have been cultivating sound principles be undismayed; the era of jazz and clap-trap is passing, warns a writer in Harp Square Dealer. The premium on incompetence is already being taken away. In manufacturing we are again paying attention to detail and fractional cost rather than to mere output.

In selling, the small order is no longer despised, and in our private lives there is a turning towards the things which make for stability rather than those which are a mere vent for exuberant feeling. Take heart, ye plodders, "This year's fool next year's Solomon's Seat."

Revenue derived by the state thru the Minnesota game and fish commission for the season of 1919-1920 totaled $298,638.67, while the disbursements for the period were $229,569.35, leaving a net profit to the state of almost $60,000 for the year, not taking into consideration the benefits of game propagation and regulation and supervising of hunting and fishing.

Jumping on the Retailer

It is always a popular game with the politicians, jumping on the retail merchant and calling him names. The manufacturers are always well organized, and when the politicians jump on them, they jump back. The producers are usually so numerous that by the very fact of their big voting power the politicians are led to respect them. But the retailer, well, he is not well enough organized to command the respect of the political forces, and he is not numerous enough in any one class to make his vote important, and anyway he is pretty likely to overlook the slaps of the politicians and vote straight after all.

So it happens that the politicians can condemn the retailers as profiteers, and claim that they are responsible for the failure in prices to come down, and, in short, make them the goats of the economic situation.

The fact that countless merchants did not raise a price to take advantage of the advancing market gets them no credit when they do not reduce prices and take a loss on every stock item now. The merchant, especially the retail grocer, is expected to take his losses both going and coming. Has anyone seen a noticeable tendency in that direction on the part of the manufacturers and big distributors of the country?

Let us, as grocers, take time to write to our congressmen and senators, when Washington goes into a paroxysm over the profiteering retailers, and tell those gentlemen in plain language, such as a politician can understand, that the retail grocers of their constituency are not bands of crooks, and that the big money in their districts is not being made by the men in the retail provision business. Congress does not hear enough direct from the retail grocers of the country. Lift up your voices and make a noise that can be heard in the legislative halls.

What He Was Trying to Do

The proprietor of a grocery store saw a small boy lingering round a barrel of apples that was exhibited on the pavement.

"Hey, there," he said, going to the door. "What are you doing?"

"Nothing," answered the boy, with his eyes still fixed on the barrel.

"Nothing eh?" doubtfully returned the man. "Aren't you trying to steal some of those apples?"

"No, sir," returned the youngster. "I'm trying not to."

High Brows and Low Heels

Traveling salesmen for shoe manufacturers say they sell more "sensible" shoes for women to retailers in Boston than to dealers in any other city of the same class in size in the country. It is a fact that observation on Boylston street, or Tremont street, or almost anywhere in Boston will reveal a surprising preponderance of low-heeled shoes on feminine feet. Inquiry in two directions developed two diametrically opposite theories as to the reason.

"Boston women wear 'sensible' shoes because they do a lot of walking," said a shoe retailer on Tremont street. "They have to walk because taxicab rates in Boston are so high—higher than in any other city of the same size."

"Yes," admitted the taxicab agent at one of the Copley Square hotels, "our rates are pretty high. But we have to make 'em high in order to live. The people of Boston—especially the women—do an awful lot of walking!"

And there you are.

Why Salesmen Have Wrinkles.

Mother was very keen on correct deportment and never lost a chance of instilling it into Mabel.

"There's one important thing, my dear," said she. "You must never point at anything."

"But, mama," objected the little girl, "suppose I am shopping and don't know the name of a thing?"

"Then let the salesman take down everything in stock until he comes to the article you desire."—St. Augustine Record.

Helping the Locomotive

Workers in business organizations who kick, growl and make trouble for the management during the reconstruction days when managers of business everywhere have problems confronting them that require every bit of energy they possess, remind me of the green brakeman who was making his first trip up the Sierras.

The train was going up a very steep grade, and with unusual difficulty the engineer succeeded in reaching the top. At a station, looking out of his cab, the engineer saw the new brakeman and said with a sigh of relief: "I tell you what, my lad, we had a job to get up there, didn't we?"

"We certainly did," said the brakeman, "and if I hadn't put on the brakes, we'd have slipped back."—Tom Dreier in Forbes Magazine.

SYRUP OF SWEET POTATOES.

The morning stack of buckwheats may soon be flavored with a delicious sweet potato syrup if it can be manufactured as economically as other syrups. The United States department of agriculture has established an experiment station at Fitzgerald, Ga., to find out about it.

Dr. H. C. Gore, of the bureau of chemistry, worked out the laboratory process of making the syrup. It is brown in color, rich in sugar, and is said to be easy to consume. But it has not yet been determined whether it can be produced cheaply enough to compete with cane, corn and other syrups.

Clothes may not make the man, but the man with clothes conspicuously unfit will lose confidence in himself and his clothes may be the cause of his failure.

Costly Economy

Motorists are warned against so-called "Gasoline Economizers" in a report issued by the national vigilance committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which declares such "economizers" have no effect upon gasoline efficiency, but are, in reality, nothing more than colored moth balls.

The report quotes the United States Bureau of Standards, Washington, with the statement that these moth-ball economizers have no appreciable effect in giving gasoline more "pep" and explains that the testimonial letters used by the many manufacturers of such tablets result from the fact that along with the tablets the maker sends instructions concerning the adjustment of the gasoline supply for the motor.

It is a well known fact, says the report, that motorists use a richer mixture of gasoline than is really necessary for the proper operation of the engine, using such a mixture because the car will start with greater ease with a carbureter adjusted for a rich mixture.

Doubtful Bargains

"Sugar, 5 cents a pound."

Advertisements headed in this manner will not be published by the Detroit newspapers again, as the result of an investigation by H. C. Dart, secretary of the Better Business Bureau of that city, according to a bulletin from the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World.

Mr. Dart bought one of those sample "bargain sale" offers from a Chicago mail order house, and compared the statements in the advertisements with the facts. He found:

1—That the prices which the advertisement said were being obtained by local grocers were untrue. No such prices were asked.

2—That the qualities described in the advertisement were exaggerated except where standard products were mentioned, in which, of course, only the name of the product was used.

3—That the statement that Detroit people could save money was untrue.

In connection with the third finding, Mr. Dart showed that when the price of a sample order was added to the express charges the price of the order was 70 cents higher than the total price asked by the highest priced Detroit grocer consulted, and $1 higher than the lowest priced Detroit grocer.

An Undeveloped Empire.

Northern Minnesota is an undeveloped empire.

There is a vast domain up there that will eventually prove to be a great dairying and farming region.

A policy of selfishness in this matter would be short-sighted indeed. We should not forget for an instant that we are all members of the same commonwealth.

They are pioneering up there now and our heart goes out to the brave men and women who are hewing and hacking homes out of the forest and making fertile places out of spots laid waste by forest fires.

It takes courage to do these things—the same sort of courage that sent our forefathers out into the wilderness of the west to build up the country, battling against heavy odds, and fighting beasts and still more savage men.

It is from the people with the pioneer spirit and instincts that our greatest Americans have come. Reared in poverty, struggling against privations, attending the district school in winter, working long hours under all sorts of conditions, these people were undaunted and unafarid and it is due to their valor and spirit that our country is what it is today—the foremost nation of the world.

And you will see the same sort of virile courage in many portions of Northern Minnesota today. Many have been burned out of house and home by the red volcano of the forest fire, losing all their worldly possessions in the flames, but after the smoke had cleared away they renewed the battle—and today they are winning! It is a lesson for those of us whose lot is cast in softer places, and after seeing what we have seen we believe we would be false to the best interests of the state if we did not do all we can to aid these heroes of peace in their struggle for making of a better Minnesota.—F. E. Hadley in Winnebago City Enterprise.

IF YOUR HOUSE WERE ON FIRE

Would You Write a Letter Asking Some Mail Order Concern to Put Out the Blaze?

Not *you*. You'd jump for the nearest telephone and speed along a hurry-up call to your local fire department—and they would respond *instantly*. *Who* pays for that fire protection, anyway? Mail order concerns? Not much. Its running expense comes out of the city's taxes—and those taxes are paid by people who *live here*—citizens like you—*and merchants*.

That money must come out of the pockets of home people. Then spend your money with local dealers—keep it *in* circulation here, where it will buy not only fire protection, but better roads, better schools, better parks, better libraries—better *everything* that *must be* bought with money taken from the city's "coffer."

Not one penny of the money you spend with mail order concerns is passed along to anyone in this vicinity. You get the goods it purchases. You wear them out or eat them up. And that's the end of it. Who HERE, in *this town*, gains by it? Not a soul!

You may *think* you do. May be deluded with the *idea* that you saved money. A comparison of local dealers' prices and those of mail order concerns will prove *you're wrong*.

In return for your home-spent dollar the dealer delivers to you without cost *for* delivery the biggest quantity and quality worth that dollar can purchase. The profit portion of that dollar stays right here at home. A share of it finally finds its way into the pay of firemen and policemen—it helps foot the bills for *many* public improvements. It makes *your* town a better town. And buys goods that can't be bettered in quality at prices that can't be beat for real savings.

Don't clog the city's fire plugs, and throw stumbling-blocks in the way of more perfect public "service"—by sending your dollars to distant dealers.

You enjoy the benefits paid for largely by home business men—then *do* business *at* home.

The Calumet Baking Powder Co.
Paid For The Preparation of This Article

The Old Reliable
LaLunda Cigar
Quality Hand Made

Thief River Falls Market Day, Wednesday, Aug. 24

Bring the Whole Family—Hear the Band—Make it a Holiday

Can You Beat It?

The department store management denied it, and vehemently. The store detective himself, when questioned later, denied it, and loudly. The two New York newspapers that printed it admitted that the story couldn't be verified, officially. But both observed that it made a "good yarn" anyway. And here, boiled down, is the story:

A woman—well dressed, of course, for they always are well dressed in stories like this—entered the fur department of a big New York department store and let it be known that she purposed to buy some furs. She selected some, about $5,000 worth.

"Now," she told the department head, "I'd like to take these things home with me in my car, so that my husband can see them. He's an invalid. And, because you don't know me, I'd like to have you send one of your store detectives along."

That seemed fair enough. The furs—$5,000 worth—were loaded into the woman's sedan, along with her and her chauffeur, and a store detective was assigned to go with them. He went.

The car headed for a residence district. But, at a command from the woman, it stopped at the curb before a big brick building surrounded by much lawn and a high iron fence.

"I'd like to stop in here for just a moment and then we'll go on," the woman told the detective.

"Sure," he said, "go ahead. I'm enjoying the ride."

The woman went into the big brick building. What she *didn't tell the detective* was that the place was an institution for the incarceration of the insane. She went to the office of the superintendent.

"I have my husband out in my car," she told the superintendent. "He has gone suddenly and strangely insane. I want you to send a couple of men out and bring him in."

The superintendent hesitated and referred to "the necessary papers."

"I know," the woman conceded, agitatedly, "but this is an emergency, an extreme case. I haven't had time to get the papers. He may become violent at any moment. I have succeeded in bringing him here on a pretext and it's a good opportunity to place him where he can't do any harm until I can make the necessary legal arrangements. I want you to bring him in and just detain him until I can get the papers. Please do as I ask! I'm afraid of him. He has the delusion that he's a store detective. You will have to send a couple of strong men to bring him in, for he may resist. But, please help me, won't you?"

The superintendent consented. Reinforced by two of his huskiest guards, he went out to the car. One of the guards, in uniform, opened the limousine door and invited the store detective to "come on out."

"Eh?" said the detective.

"Come on out,' the guard invited, "we want to show you something."

"Nothing doing," the detective said. "Not any!"

But come out he did. He was dragged out, wild-eyed. He swore but the guards were complacent. To them it was old stuff. They headed him up the walk toward the big brick *building.*

"I'm a store detective at So-and-So's," the detective spluttered, and tried to trip one of his captors.

"Sure," said the guard soothingly, and kicked him on the shin, "sure, we know you are. But we've got Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson here, too. They'll be glad to see you."

The three of them went up the walk and into the building, the superintendent following, officially, behind, and the doors closed upon them. But why continue the story? Of course, the woman drove away in the limousine, and she hasn't been seen since. Neither have the furs.

Can you beat it? You can't even tie it!

An Unusual Stunt

Any sort of an advertising idea or "stunt" so very unusual that a man is wont to tell his friends about it is mighty good advertising without a doubt. Witness the case of a merchant in Atlanta, Ga., who mailed out as a souvenir to several hundred of his Atlanta customers what he termed a "Simplified Coat Hanger." Each hanger was inside a small envelope on the outside of which was the following message:

"This envelope contains a Simplified Coat Hanger, undoubtedly the most universally used coat hanger in the world. It is easy to attach wherever and whenever needed, and warranted for five years with ordinary usage."

Inside of this little envelope was an ordinary, every-day ten-penny nail.

Hotel Evelyn
European
Julien Provencher, Prop.
FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The
Brumund
Hotel
L. Garvey, Prop.
EUROPEAN
CAFE IN CONNECTION
SERVICE AND SATISFACTION

Structural Steel — Concrete Culverts
Reinforcing Rods — Corrugated Culverts
Well Curbing
Minneapolis Bridge Company
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Engineers and Contractors of
STEEL, WOOD and CONCRETE BRIDGES
— Also —
Dealers in Coal and Wood
The Famous "Ajax" Blacksmith Coal — Hard and Soft Coal Wood

Northern Baking Co.
"City Bakery"
SPECIALS FOR MARKET DAY ONLY
Fried Cakes per dozen 18c
Cinnamon Rolls, per dozen 15c
NO ORDER TOO SMALL—NONE TOO BIG
LUNCH—ICE CREAM
Dairy Lunches Served at All Hours

Small Payment Down

$1 a Day Buys a Ford

A Good Time on Time

McFARLAND AUTO COMPANY
Thief River Falls, Minn.

TOILET ARTICLE BARGAINS FOR MARKET DAY
75c Silver Pencil .... .50
50c Velvetina Freckle Cream .... .35
50c Velvetina Almond Cream .... .35
75c Velvetina Massage Cream .... .50
50c Velvetina Vanishing Cream .... .35
35c Peroxide Vanishing Cream .... .25
35c Albodon Tooth Paste .... .25
F. J. STEBBINS

More Friendly
Than Formal
FRIENDLINESS is the corner-stone of our service.
Some banking transactions require certain formalities—but we endeavor to weave into every contact between this Bank and its patrons a sincere spirit of cordiality—a friendliness that is an open invitation to "have you come again."
The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
Deposit Purchasers' Drawing Coupons Here
9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
MARKET DAY, AUG. 24, 1921

Why Cuss the Grocer?
The price of foodstuffs has tumbled at a remarkable rate the past year, and if you don't believe it, just look at the prices of last year and the prices of today:
LAST YEAR
1 sack sugar $30.00
1 sack flour 4.00
1 bushel of potatoes 6.00
Total $40.00
TODAY
1 sack sugar
3 sacks flour
1 sack meal
16 lbs. rice
5 dozen eggs
8 pounds coffee
3 pounds butter
4 pounds bacon
3 packages soda
1 box starch
1 package salt
4 tall cans milk
6 cans peaches
12 cans corn
3 cans lye
3 cans peas
6 cans cleanser
1 bottle blueing
5 cakes yeast
1 broom
1 sack graham flour
7 pound box crackers
1 bushel potatoes
5 large loaves bread
12 lbs. navy beans
3 boxes spaghetti
3 boxes macaroni
8 boxes corn flakes
3 large packages oats
24 bars laundry soap
3 bars toilet soap
12 cans tomatoes
6 cans pork and beans
7 tall cans salmon
3 packages coconnut
2 large cans hominy
2 cans kraut
2 one-half lb. cans cocoa
2 boxes toothpicks
4 dozen clothes pins
Total $40.00

Fall Hats
now on display
at
Johnson Millinery
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offers to Insurable Men and Women all forms of protection from ages 10 to 60.
PARENTS: Start a contract for your boy or girl.
EX-SERVICE MEN: I have on hand a supply of blanks for converting War Risk Term Certificates into one or more of the six forms offered by the Government. I will gladly assist any Ex-Service man, without charge, to convert his Certificate and give such other information as I can.
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The Life Insurance Man.
Phone 385.

It isn't taught at school
There is one thing, not taught in schools, that every boy and girl needs to learn. That is the proper way to handle money.
Start each of your boys or girls with a savings account and find ways for them to earn money about the home. Let each one save their earnings for a bicycle, a camera, a calf to raise, or garden tools.
During their vacation let them learn to save.
First and Peoples State Bank
"The older we grow
The better our Bank"
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.
Deposit Purchasers' Drawing Coupons Here
9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
MARKET DAY, AUG. 24, 1921

$ Dollar Day Specials at Lieberman Bros. $
Market Day Only, Wednesday August 24th
Men's soft Shirts, collar attached, white madras with woven stripes, values $1.50 and $1.75. Market Day Special $1.00
Boys' Summer Union Suits, 50c and 65c values. Market Day Special, three suits for $1.00
Heavy Work Shirts, 75c quality, Market Day Special, two for $1.00
Heavy Cotton Work Socks, two for 25c quality, Market Day Special, 12 pairs for $1.00
Men's Dress Socks, good 35c quality, Market Day Special, four pairs for $1.00
Men's Heavy Shirts and Drawers, 75c quality, Market Day Special, two for $1.00
Boys' Khaki Combination Suits and Little Major Play Suits, Market Day Special $1.00
All $1.50 Ties, Market Day Special $1.00
Black $1.50 Work Hats, Market Day Special $1.00
Men's Fancy Stripe Dress Shirts, Market Day Special $1.00

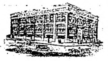

Few Changes in Fall Styles For The Menfolks

Little Change in Fall Styles.

There is consolation for the dealer in the fact that manufacturer's of men's clothing have gone slowly in the matter of fall styles and little more than slight lapel changes have been made. The manufacturers have confined themselves to creating interest in their lines through the fabrics used and novelty woolens are more in evidence in the various lines than for many seasons back.

In many lines quiet colors have given place to lively checks and outstanding stripes, to which the buyers have taken in the hope that the consuming public will favor the more snappy garments. Altogether, the evidence in the men's clothing line, is that clothing departments for the early fall will feature the color of fabrics rather than the styles. In this way the stocks on hand will move along with the newer goods and not be at a style disadvantage.

Somber Colors For Late Seasin.

For late fall and winter the more somber colors and designs will be the thing. Herringbones will not be good then, but probably will appear in the spring. It looked for a time in the larger cities as if the herringbone weaves were the only wear but in the smaller towns they hardly secured a nibble and will not come into general use before next spring. But while herringbones probably will have a diminishing demand as winter season advances, checks seem destined to remain good through the season. Brown will be the prevailing color. There is a rush of orders pouring into the piece goods mills.

Billowy Overskirts in Organdy.

Other organdies are made with billowy overskirts and short sleeved, surplice bodies, with sashes of self material or white organdy. Many dotted Swiss frocks are trimmed with white organdy or the white forms a large part of the dress inserted in the skirt in the form of wide bands or narraw bands alternating with strips of self material.

Organdy flowers are used to trim the more dressy numbers as in the case of a pink frock made in redingote style with flat roses of self material in the corners of the panels.

Chenille Motifs a Novelty.

Chenille motifs are still another unique trimming idea, and one that should be well received in view of many reports of chenille embroidered suits.

Large oval wooden beads, in studio style, are painted green and combined with tan silk to make a lavishly used border design on a brown waist.

Mohawk with bisque in a little less quantity makes an attractive combination, the bisque made into a vestee that runs down the full front of the blouse and shows through the Mohawk in the lower half: Collars and cuffs of the same bisque are trimmed with Valenciennes dyed to match.

New Combinations.

Rust colored Vampire with Canton crepe in gray is a good combination for both color and fabric. Another is Canton crepe in the new Yellowstone with collar and cuffs of dark brown satin.

For fall also are blouses of crepe de Chine and tricolette in brown and navy with trimmings of brushed wool in lighter shade, the latter applied in the form of collar and cuffs or both long and short sleeves. The shaggy fabric sometimes forms the only trimming; in other cases it is supplemented by a bit of embroidery.

The Times, only $2.00 per year.

GROCERS WANT TO HELP LOWER FOOD COSTS—ARE NOT TO BLAME FOR H. C. L.

The idea that the rank and file of grocers throughout the country are boosting prices for the sake of realizing exorbitant profits is absolutely false.

Retail prices have gone up because the retailer has been compelled to put them up. The grocer has to pay more for his goods, more for rent, more for clerks' salaries; consequently, must charge more.

Shortageof raw materials, of productive labor and a demand that has far outstripped production are the direct causes of present day prices. As a rule, the grocer is transacting business on the same percentage of profit as in the days of low selling prices.

Grocers depend upon you for a livelihood. They know just as you know that to cheat in any way, shape or form, would kill their trade outright. Common sense says that no intelligent grocer will attempt to "kite" prices beyond legitimate profits. He can't afford to.

Mr. Wigwag was reading the market reports. "I see there's a corner in eggs now," he snorted.

"I fail to see any advantage in that," replied Mrs. Wigwag. "I'm sure the old fashioned round eggs were quite satisfactory."

For
BARGAIN DAY
Only
Best home-made lard
14c
Brisket bacon, lb
22c
Narrow Bacon, lb
28c
Louis DeCremer

HERMANSON
Hardware Co.
Market Day
Dollar Specials
2 pkgs. of Kalsomine Wall Finish $1.00
3 Fork Handles $1.00
2 75c House Brooms $1.00
1 $1.45 Can Fly Spray $1.00
Enders or Keen Kutter Safety Razors and 10 blades $1.00
Hickory House Paint, ½ gal. cans. Only a few cans left $1.00
$1.15, $1.25 and $1.65 Swedish Hunting and Sticking Knives $1.00
1 lot of Pocket Knives, selling up to $1.60 .... $1.00
These are only a few of the many bargains you will find here on Market Day.

SPECIAL ON
PAINTS
We will make a price of $1.35 per gallon on Red Barn Paint in 5 gallon containers for one day only.
A ten per cent discount will be given on the balance of our paint line.
ASK FOR PURCHASERS' COUPONS.
The Prichard Company

Come in and see us when you have anything to sell such as butter, eggs, poultry and stock, and also when you want real good high-class meats and groceries, we have them. We pay the highest prices in cash or trade.
Simonson's Meat and Grocery
Phone 115 — Free Delivery

A Value That Will Make You Happy
For Market Day we are placing our entire stock of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery on sale at greatly reduced prices. The stock will be placed on our center tables and prices cut to the quick. With the opening of school but a short time away, the opportunity to secure good stockings at a mere fraction above cost should especially appeal to everyone.
The stock is all new and fresh and contains the best the market affords. Come and select your needs. We know you will be satisfied with the values we are giving and agree with us that the price is right.
We haven't the space to quote prices on our entire stock, and suggest that you call and determine for yourself the remarkable bargain in stockings we are offering for Market Day.
M. N. Benson, Dry Goods

Special For Market Day
One dozen 1-lb. Flat Salmon
$1.60
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Nortz Lumber Co.
(Incorporated)
Building Material
Coal :: :: :: Wood
See us before you build. We can supply your wants no matter how large or small.
H. C. JOHNSON, Manager
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Men's Overalls 89c 220 Blue Denim Union Made
Work Army Shoes Style $2.98
Men's Silk Sox 49c Black, Brown Grey
Men's Dress Shirts 98c Neckband Style or Collar Attached
Men's Heavy Sweaters 98c
Rockford Sox 10c
Dress Sox 2 for 25c
White Laundry Soap 6 bars for 25c
Palmolive Soap 5c

Honest Merchandise Truthful Advertising
This is good business. It makes for Prosperity for the Man who Sells and the Man who Buys. It is the Golden Rule applied to every transaction. In every J. C. PENNEY COMPANY store it means thirty-six inches to the yard; sixteen ounces to the pound; pure wool and pure silk when the materials are pure wool and pure silk; it is selling you a dollar's worth of merchandise for a dollar. It means that the Company's printed word is as good as its bond—Truthful advertising for Honest Merchandise. It means merchandise for all customers at One Price. It means the Value of what you buy today has equal value when you come to the store a week later. It means that every customer receives fair and equal consideration. There is no "class distinction" in a J. C. PENNEY COMPANY store.
J. C. Penney Co.

BOYS' OVERALLS
3 to 7 .... 69c
8 to 12 .... 79c
13 to 17 .... 89c
CAMP BLANKETS $2.98 Heavy weight Khaki or Grey
Boys' Blue CHAMBRAY SHIRTS 49c
Women's FLANNEL MIDDIES $2.98 Red or Blue Wool Flannel

White Outing 27 in. wide 10c
Women's Petticoats Silk Jersey $3.49 All the new colors.
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Bleached Muslin 10c
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Cotton Blankets $2.25 Full size Double Blanket
Ladies' Silk Hose 98c Fine quality Black, Brown, Grey, White

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Victory Bread
Sold by all grocers
Full line of Cakes, Cookies, Pies, Etc., at our Bakery
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Old Wheat Flour, special price
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Fall is getting near, are you prepared for cold weather? Do you need a Heating Plant? We have in our employ a man who has had many years of experience in the heating of all kinds of buildings and are in a position to give you expert advice, thereby giving you the most for your money. If you trust your heating job to someone who has had little or no experience, it is sure to prove very expensive for you in the long run.

We will have many good bargains again for Market Day. Watch our windows for specials.

Yours truly,

Bottem Hardware Company

The Winchester Store.

Hardware & Coal Phone 23

Bredeson & Co.

Market Day Specials

8 Bars Lenox Soap 25c

6 Bars Naptha Soap 25c

6 Bars Toilet Soap 25c

No Limit While It Lasts

Very Latest in Furnishings For Her Ladyship

Gingham at Home in Polite World.

The gingham dress has come up in the world. It has come out of the kitchen into the parlor, onto the porch and is accepted for all kinds of summer day wear. For this better wear imported ginghams are combined with organdy, dotted Swiss and occasionally voile. Even the all gingham dresses are redeemed from mediocrity by individual and distinctive style ideas in cut or trimming.

Checks are the favored gingham design this season though some pleasing plaids find ready purchasers. Yellow and white, lavender and white, brown and white, red and white, are some of the more popular color combinations. Some surplice fronts are seen with collars of organdy but as a rule the gingham bodice is more or less close fitting.

Always "In."

Fashions in beads vary greatly but there is some demand at all times and a tremendous demand a great deal of the time. They are now at the height of their popularity and it is an impossibility to enumerate all the uses to which they are put. One of the latest developments is the bead girdle, woven or braided, ending in fringes or tassels.

The necklace is at once the oldest and the best loved item of bead jewelry. It has been developed in a heretofore unheard of variety of *form and color, so that a single department store showing if at all representative, would be worth more than the loot of "The Forty Thieves"* were it real instead of imitation jewels. Every known gem is copied with the utmost skill.

Some New Bracelets.

Bracelets, too, are of very ancient origin but there are many modern developments, for example the long strands of tiny pearl beads which are wound 'round and 'round the wrist and fastened with an almost invisible clasp. Another style consists of many strands of small pearls held together dog collar fashion by tiny bars of yellow or white gold and with clasps of the same metal.

Pleated Ruffles of Self Material.

A favorite trimming for the all white frock is a narrow pleating of self material, edging the front opening, collar and cuffs and sometimes heading the deep hem that extends from the bottom of the skirt almost to the hip line. These deep hems are a feature of both organdy and dotted Swiss frocks. In home models the hem extends only a few inches above the knee though the hem to just below the hip line is frequently seen. In these cases the skirt is perfectly plain, the only decoration being a cording, narrow ruffle or pleating at the top of the hem.

Fancy Ulsters For Young Men.

For the conservative dresser there is the ordinary business like overcoat but the heavy ulster and the fancy ulsterette made of the fleecy surface, fancy plaid backed materials with both half and full belts will undoubtedly have the strong call with the younger men.

As a rule these novelty coats of soft fleecy materials have more style than staying qualities and it might be advisable for the merchant to explain to his customers that the cloth is not guaranteed. A little explanation and he would have no come-back if the garment failed to give him the service he would secure in a hard-surfaced cloth.

For between season use light weight top coats are being shown in gabardines, tweeds and other materials. Styles are varied and some models are water proofed.

Men's Clothing Styles.

The Joint Style Committee of the National Association of Retail Clothiers and of the International Association of Clothing Designers, in cooperative session at the 23rd semi-annual convention of the International Association of Clothing Designers held in Rochester, June 29 to July 2, do hereby declare that the type of clothing for male attire for the spring and summer season of 1922 will be along the lines that will contain sport and novelty effects.

The present era is distinctively toward outdoor life, necessitating clothing in conformity with ease and comfort.

The spirit of the times shows a trend toward the adoption, by men of all ages, of styles typical of, and accepted by, the younger generation.

There is a growing tendency in regular models toward a trifle looser bodies, a trifle wider shoulders, with narrower lapels and gorges on higher lines.

Boys' Clothing.

The tendency for boys' coats will be distinctly along fancy lines with a liberal use of yokes, unstitched pleats, pinch-pleat effects, and a display of pleated patches.

Trousers—The knickerbockers still predominate in the sizes eight and over. In the junior sizes, from three to eight, the straight leg will prevail.

Men, be comfortable from your waist up—have your trousers hang right. Wear suspenders.

Obvious.

The best fabrics can no more be made from shoddy than can a river rise above its source.

Only with Virgin Wool—"the genuine"—can there be highest fabric superiority.

Without Virgin Wool, however great the manufacturing skill, highest excellence of fabric is impossible.

It is Virgin Wool—combined with skill and conscience in manufacture—that produces, in fabrics, the best in the world.

Inset With Lace Medallions.

An exception to this rule is a dainty orchid organdy, trimmed at the top of the hem, which ends in this instance half way between the waist line and knee, with inserts of oval lace medallions set vertically at intervals of about twelve inches. The fluffy sash is of self material and the collar is of lace to match the medallions.

THIEF RIVER CAFE

SPECIAL 25c Dinner

Market Day

MEALS, LUNCHES, ICE CREAM AT ALL HOURS

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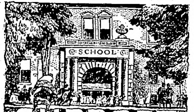

SUPPORT THE SCHOOLS

BY SPENDING AT HOME

Give Local Youngsters the Best Possible Start in Life

You would throw up your hands in holy horror, if anyone suggested that you swipe a bench from a school building or pilfer a single page from a book of the school's library.

But—are your dealings in public school affairs as honest as you think they are—or perhaps would like to have *others* suppose them to be? They are not—*absolutely not*—if you are spending your money for mail order merchandise. You can't send a *cent* of cash out of town for goods that can be bought *in* town and support to the greatest possible extent the public schools.

Every brick in the schools—every book in the schools' libraries must be purchased with school "taxes." The size of the taxation depends on the wealth of the community. And the wealth is governed largely by the earning capacity of the people who live *in* the community.

Money sent away *from* home doesn't pay for one minute of home town "labor." It doesn't fill the dinner pail of a single local worker. It doesn't enrich home dealers. It doesn't by one word broaden the knowledge of the children of this town—add to the attractiveness or comfort of school days.

Money spent *with* local merchants travels in a circle. It doesn't go out of circulation when rung up on the dealer's cash register—as do mail order dollars when you slip them into the mail box. The *dealer* spends it here. It pays the help back of the counter, who spend it in town for goods they use. It assists them in purchasing homes—that *can* be "taxed." It goes into more merchandise—and that merchandise is "*taxed*." And it is on *taxation*, remember, that your public schools depend.

The Calumet Baking Powder Co. paid for the preparation of this article.

The Sapero Co. INC.

CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

CLOSING OUT Every Wash Dress In This Store

Values to $25.00 in Organdie, Voile, Gingham, Crepe, regardless of cost, at the one price of

$5.00

Over 30 dresses involved in this sale for Market Day

Come and get yours for only

$5.00

The Sapero Co.

Here's why CAMELS are *the quality cigarette*

CAMEL
TURKISH & DOMESTIC BLEND CIGARETTES
CHOICE QUALITY

BECAUSE we put the utmost quality into this one brand. Camels are as good as it's possible for skill, money and lifelong knowledge of fine tobaccos to make a cigarette.

Nothing is too good for Camels. And bear this in mind! Everything is done to make Camels the best cigarette it's possible to buy. Nothing is done simply for show.

Take the Camel package for instance. It's the most perfect packing science can devise to protect cigarettes and keep them fresh. Heavy paper—secure foil wrapping—revenue stamp to seal the fold and make the package air-tight. But there's nothing flashy about it. You'll find no extra wrappers. No frills or furbelows.

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It's Camels for you.

Camel

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY, Winston-Salem, N. C.

"THE LATCH STRING"

Purchasers' Certificates will be issued by the following merchants on

MARKET DAY ONLY

Wednesday, August 24

One Certificate with each 25 cent *cash purchase* made on market day and one Certificate with each payment of 25 cents on *old accounts*

Pay your old account and receive Purchasers' Certificate

To be distributed among Market Day Visitors:

1 *Simons' Volo Rotary Sewing Machine*
2 One $10 Merchandise Certificate
3 Sack Granulated Sugar, 100 lbs.
4 One sack Vivo Flour, 100 lbs.
5 One $5 Merchandise Certificate
6 1 box White Naphtha Soap, 100 bars
7 One box Soda Crackers, 22 lbs.
8 One $3 Merchandise Certificate
9 Five pounds Red Label Coffee
10 One $2 Merchandise Certificate
11 Box Marshmallows, 400
12 One gallon Uncle John's Maple Syrup
13 One $1.50 Merchandise Certificate
14 Case Boka Pork and Beans, 2 dz. No. 2
15 Case Boka Fancy Corn, No. 2 cans
16 One $4 Merchandise Certificate
17 One 5-lb box Kraft Loaf Cheese
18 One case 6-10 Karo Blue Syrup
19 Five lbs. Boka Green Tea
20 One $5 Merchandise Certificate

Merchandise Certificates can be exchanged for their value in merchandise at any of the places of business named below. Distribution will take place at 5:30. Items will be forwarded to purchasers who are unable to be present at that time.

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Charles Lieberman
Simonson's Meat & Grocery
Mulry's Bazaar
Hermanson Hardware Co.
Larson Furniture Co.
The Kleanall
City Meat & Grocery
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Bottem Hardware Co.
Scott Laird
Tessum Company
Lambert's Drug Store
Jung's Bakery
Palace Clothing Store
Peoples' Co-Operative Store Co.
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Hall Bros.
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The Prichard Co.
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MARKET DAY
WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 24

Dollar Day Specials

MARKET DAY
WEDNESDAY
AUGUST 24

One Dollar Off

On all Shoes selling for $5 or more

All our Shoes are priced at replacement value.

One lot small sizes Shoes and Pumps. Also Misses' and Children's white lace shoes, sizes 8½ to 1. Choice,

$1.00

A. M. LANGSETH

The place to buy your Shoes

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

For Market Day

15 Ladies' Dresses, values up to $25.00, on sale at 10 a. m. Gingham, Organdie and Silk. Ready-to-wear Dep't. $1.00

Silk Georgette Crepe, value $3.65 yd., all figured patterns, Dry Goods Dep't., per yd. $1.00

15 BARS PALM OLIVE SOAP, Bargain Basement

Loken Bros. Department Store

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

Turn to our ad on page 8. See what One Dollar will buy at this store. You will be surprised.

Hall Brothers Company

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

SPECIALS FOR MARKET DAY

Pink Salmon
7 1-lb. cans for
$1

Fancy Red Salmon
3 1-lb. cans for
$1

Select Peaberry Coffee
4 lbs. for
$1

Condensed Milk
8 cans for
$1

Peoples Co-operative Store

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Dollar Day Specials

—AT—

Lieberman Bros.

Men's Soft Shirts, collar attached, white madras with woven colored stripes, values $1.50 and $1.75, Market Day Special $1.00

Boys' Summer Union Suits, 50c and 65c values, Market Day Special, 3 suits for $1.00

Heavy Work Shirts, 75c quality, Market Day Special, two for $1.00

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

Some Real Bargains

MUNSING UNION SUITS
Summer weight
Regular $15.00 value
$1

Armour Plate Pure
SILK HOSE
$1

One lot of
MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
Skirts, Chemise and Gowns
Values to $1.69.
$1

A Regular 10c
HAIR NET
15 for
$1

Children's
GINGHAM DRESSES
Values to $2.00
$1.00

THE SAPERO CO.

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

Why Not Trade Here?

We have the Store—Stock—Service and Price.

Kippered Salmon, ½ lb. cans, reg. 15c, 11 cans for $1.00
Tomatoes, large can, reg. price 25c, 6 cans for $1.00
Canned Soap, reg. price 15c each, 9 cans for $1.00
Cream of Barley, reg. 35c 5 pkgs. for $1.00
Pure Preserves, 16 oz., reg. 50c, 3 jars for $1.00
Lard, reg. price 18c per lb. 7 lbs. for $1.00
Cocoa, reg. price 50c per lb., 6 ½-lb. cans Waneta brand $1.00

Simonson Meat & Grocery Co.

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Dollar Day Specials at E. O. Mogensen

ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA.
If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good.

All Men's regular $1.50 Union Suits, Market Day only $1.00
All $1.50 Men's Neckties, Market Day only $1.00
$1.50 "Little Major" Suits, Market Day only $1.00
$1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 Tennis Shoes, Market Day only $1.00
$1.50 Work Gloves, Market Day only $1.00
3 pair Men's Lisle 50c Hose, for Market Day only $1.00
Renovated Army Breeches, for Market Day only 2 pair for $1.00

Read Our Ad in The Times for Other Bargains.

We Give Purchasers' Certificates.

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Dollar Day Specials

MARKET DAY
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Bargains

$4.00 Dictionary $1.00
$3.25 Portfolio $1.00
$1.50 Kodak Book $1.00
$1.75 Waste Basket $1.00
$1.50 Flower Basket $1.00
$4.25 Hand Bag $1.00
$1.50 Lampshade $1.00
$2.25 Bill Fold $1.00
$1.75 Collar Bag $1.00
$1.50 Fountain Pen $1.00

See Our ANNIVERSARY AD Elsewhere

LAIRD'S

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES.

Come to the Big Dollar Day Sale

Shoe bargains for everyone

Make your Shoe Bills Shrink on Wednesday Aug. 24th

$1

Your Dollars Will Have More Cents In Our Store On Dollar Day

Froseth's Shoe Store

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

Hudnut Toilet Water
$1

Fiance Face Powder
$1

Hot Water Bottles
$1

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

Lambert's Drug Store

Watch our windows for Dollar Day Specials on Market Day Wednesday, Aug. 24

Larson Furniture Company

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

See our display of Dollra Day Specials in our Show Windows on Market Day July 24th

Carl Christofferson & Co.

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

CHAS. LIEBERMAN
Market Day Specials

$1.00 OFF on any BOYS' SUITS	BOYS' UNION-ALLS $1.00	40c SOX 3 pr. for $1.00	$1.00 OFF on any MEN'S SUITS
$1.00 OFF on any OVERCOAT	Men's $5.00 LANPHER HATS $4.00	Boys' Heavy COTTON STOCKINGS 3 pair for $1.00	$1.50 & $2.00 TIES $1.00
75c TIES 2 for $1.00	Men's $1.25 & $1.50 SHIRTS $1.00	$1.50 & $2.00 CAPS $1.00	Men's $1.25 & $1.50 UNION SUITS $1.00

Every Day is Bargain Day at this Store.

WE GIVE PURCHASERS CERTIFICATES

Special

For Market Day ONLY

One lot Ladies' Shoes

$1.00 Per Pair

Oen Mercantile Company

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Specials for Market Day

Giant Cornflakes, 12 pkgs. for $1.00
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8 Cans Fancy Corn $1.00
8 Cans Fancy Peas $1.00
Brown Laundry Soap, 25 bars $1.00
6 lbs. Salt Bacon Pork $1.00
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5 lbs. Fancy Peaberry Coffee for $1.00

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Girls' Gingham Dresses, sizes 6 to 12 for	$1.00
Williams' Talcum Powder, 6 can for	$1.00
Blue and White Convex Kettle, with cover for	$1.00
Large Oil Mop for	$1.00
Huck Towels, 15x30 in., 12 for	$1.00
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There never will be a time (during our lives) when building material will be cheaper than it is today. Why delay building that new house or repairing the old one and take a chance on the market advancing to the old prices?

Shoe Department

The Philadelphia Footwear Exhibit which was held in the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel in that city on Monday and Tuesday of last week, marked the end of a series of shoe-style shows in various parts of the country and added its share of corroboration to the generally accepted theory that strap pumps and oxfords will play the leading roles during the coming fall and early winter.

But there are straps and straps, just as there is a wide variety of oxford patterns, and the Philadelphia manufacturers are trailing no one in their adoption of these two general types of footwear. They have evolved their own lasts, and their patterns vary enough from those produced in other high style centers to give them distinction.

Black to Have Innings.

Philadelphia manufacturers also subscribe to the coming vogue of black.

"If I were asked to give my opinion of what colors and materials will sell best this fall," said the representative of one prominent manufacturer, "I should head my list with black patent; second would be black satin; third would be black kid; fourth and fifth would be cloth of gold and cloth of silver; sixth would be fabrics colored to match the gown of the wearer.

"I am, of course, referring to dress shoes—shoes for afternoon and evening social events," he concluded.

Few Boots Other Than Staples.

Generally speaking, few boots were displayed, although dotted with the omnipresent black or brown kid boot with military heel and of rather a plain pattern—boots for which there is always a steady demand in many parts of the country.

The oxfords exhibited were mostly tans with a sprinkling of blacks. Both smooth and grain leathers were used, with the smooth tan calf in the very decided majority. Oxford heels were all of the military type, ranging from 8-8 to 12-8 and even 14-8 in height. There were wing tips, straight tips and saddle straps, both real and imitated with ornamental stitching. There were heavy soles and light soles; some of the heavier types had slip soles and a few had stitched heels. There were few men in the booths, however, who ventured to predict a very long life for the stitched heel. As one man—a prominent merchant—put it, "You can't fit light rubbers over a stitched heel, not even in men's shoes, and I am off 'em for life."

Smartly Shod!

What a lot that means. For, how can one be well dressed without being smartly shod. You may be sure, among strangers, you are measured by what you wear rather than what you are. Your friends alone know you. An ill-fitting shoe robs you of the charm of a graceful step. A shoe not in keeping with your costume is an absurdity in others' eyes. The better the gathering the bigger the care as to the niceties of dress.

Estimate of Demand For Colors in High-Style Footwear.

Black, 45%; brown, 25%; beaver, 10%; silver, 6%; taupe, 5%; gold, 4%; ivory, 2%; pink, 2%; sky, 1%, in a total of 100 pairs of shoes. Substitutes for sky and pink can always be made—but harmonizing evening attire warrants these proportions.

Strap Patterns Continue Leaders.

As predicted last season, strap pumps are in to stay for some time, for they have made a very favorable impression upon the consumer, and unless some sudden change affects the style situation retailers can safely buy straps for several months to come. Last season both the Louis and Cuban heels were seen in strap effects, but of late the Louis and covered Cuban heels have had the greater calls. Of course, there will be some business in the Cuban heel straps, mainly in sport and brogue effects. We feel that oxfords will play an important part in conjunction with the leather Cuban heels.

For afternoon and street wear we now have several styles to select from: the one, two, three and Grecian straps—the one and two strap will be featured mainly with Louis heels either trimmed, stitched with contrasting colors, or lightly perforated. The three straps that have lately come to life with the introduction of sandals will play an important part in the fall selling. These sandal effects call for center buckles and will be built mainly on semi-French toes with covered 12-8 or 14-8 heel. A good part of them will be sold with baby or high Louis heels, especially in patent leather and tan calf. Simultaneous with the introduction of the three-strap sandal we feature the Grecian effect, which is the one strap over the instep carrying another strap from the throat of the vamp to the strap.

Style With Foot Shape the Two Elements Necessary in Children's Shoes.

It would be a serious mistake to make any radical changes in the general shape of children's lasts. The foot-form last with plenty of toe room and ball room is undoubtedly the correct idea and should remain in vogue, but there is wide opportunity for the development of pattern and color combinations. Patent leather with piping of red would fill the bill excellently.

WHY NOT APPLY THE FOLLOWING PLAN TO MINNESOTA'S FARM MARKETING?

The Louisville Courier-Journal published the following editorial, which is self-explanatory.

"Of three patrons of clothiers in America one is a man or boy whose capacity as a purchaser is determined by farm welfare. About 35,000,000 Americans get their living from the soil, as proprietors or laborers. The Kentucky Retail Clothiers Association endorses the Shapiro system of cooperative marketing of tobacco because the clothiers see in the adoption of the plan increased farm welfare, augmented power to buy.

"A merchant who established himself in Fresno when raisins were being sold in the haphazard way in which tobacco is being sold by Kentucky planters, found that he could not sell clothes or other merchandise of good quality. The raisin growers did not make enough money to dress well, or to furnish their houses well or to live presentably in any way. He became an enthusiastic supporter of the cooperative marketing plan because as he expressed it, he was ashamed to show his friends in San Francisco his store and stock of goods, and because he regretted that his only opportunity to make money in Fresno was to loan money to needy landowners whose financial situation did not improve.

"The cooperative plan was adopted by the California raisin growers and Fresno became a prosperous town in which first quality merchandise of all varieties sold readily. The Kentucky clothiers would rather sell first class goods than second or third-class merchandise. Everyone who is in business takes pride in making his business creditable to the town or city in which he conducts it, and will carry first quality goods if his customers can afford to buy the best that can be offered.

"The clothiers, like the bankers, know that business-like methods may be depended upon to increase the value of Kentucky tobacco planters as customers of mercantile houses and customers of banks."

GROWERS GET BETTER RETURN FROM POOLED WOOL.

Eighteen states, of which three produce one-sixth of the annual output in the United States, have formulated plans for pooling the 1921 wool clip, according to C. J. Fawcett, director of the wool marketing department of the American Farm Bureau federation.

The success attending the cooperative wool marketing movement is indicated in the recent sales of pooled wools totaling about a million pounds in participating states, at prices ranging from 20 to 33 cents, according to grade, at a time when wool on farms has met no market and Boston firms are in the field bidding for the fleece wools of the 1921 clip at 12 to 18 cents a pound.

BUSINESS NOT A BED OF ROSES FOR MAN BEHIND COUNTER.

Because of a scant supply the grocer often has serious trouble in procuring merchandise. He has to stand the sharp cut of complaints from buyers because of high costs. He all too frequently is blamed when absolutely blameless, and is not, on the whole, making a wider margin of net profit than he did when coditions were normal, trade better satisfied and business transactions decidely more pleasant.

The grocer is your servant. He is in business to serve your requirements. He doesn't make you a slave to high costs. He is in exactly the same boat you are in. He sells goods you want and ask for. He must meet your demands or get out of business. He has no choice in the matter. He can't go contrary to your wishes.

The consumer can do more towards restoring prices to normal levels than the grocer can. This can be accomplished with positive certainty by buying only food products of sound value and proven economy. Careless buying and rank extravagance are unquestionable vital factors in maintenance of high costs.

When a consumer forces a grocer to sell a sixty-five cent article where a thirty-five cent article would answer the purpose equally well he is encouraging production of high priced goods of short value and hampering the manufacture of food products of sound value and fair prices. On the other hand, when the consumer insists on goods of inferior worth he is inviting inevitable waste that stands for loss rather than economy. In such occurrences the consumer, not the grocer, is at fault. For, remember, the grocer must give you what you want despite the fact that he would rather supply your requirements with goods of sterling value at a minimum cost.

TURN 'EM.

We've bought on a rising market,
We've used our wits to win,
In this pitch and toss of profit and loss
We've taken both with a grin.

Today there's a falling market,
It's a time when the best survive,
Our stocks must clear many times a year
If our business live and thrive.

It's a case of closest buying,
It's a case of selling fast,
We're off the rocks if we turn our stocks,
It's fight from first till last.

—A. Lauer.

SUCCESS "COMES" TO THOSE WHO GO AFTER IT.

Keep your mind filled with right thoughts about the business. When you limit your thinking you limit your capability. Don't waste time simply wishing for success to single you out. Go hunting for success. Adjust your mental machinery to success. When you do this, you'll be sure to find it. What will you do today to make your senses keener, your work more acceptable, yourself more adaptable? Don't let the day pass without strengthening your influence.

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Credit is the dynamo that generates the power for all business activity—the world's business cannot run without Credit.

Credit is the basis on which business and social life is built. It affords you the means to become rich, if it is properly used.

On the other hand, it has the power to ostracise you if it is abused—in that case your fellowmen will deal with you only on a "cash down" or "show me" basis.

Credit, in short, is the greatest convenience known to business, if it is not abused.

How is YOUR CREDIT? If it is good, keep it good. If it isn't good, make it good. You can do this by abiding by the simple custom of paying all bills of the previous month BY THE TENTH of the present month.

The tenth has been officially designated by Thief River Falls merchants for paying bills incurred during the preceding month, because by fixing a definite date a full month's "time" is accorded everyone.

Any Thief River Falls merchant will gladly grant you credit if you pay your bills promptly.

If you have not been meeting your obligations promptly now is the time to systematize your accounts and adopt this method of fair-dealing.

A man's reputation and his family's reputation frequently depend upon the manner in which his bills are paid.

Do your share toward keeping the wheel of business turning. Remember, if

You pay him—he'll pay me—and—I'll pay you.

Merchants Association of Thief River Falls
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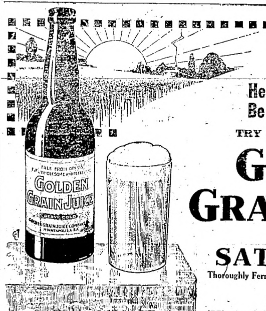

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BOARD REJECTS ASSESSMENT ON CITY PROPERTY

State Tax Commission Asked to Provide Reassessment of Personal Property.

City Council Protests Such Action in Communication Directed to Commission.

Gross Inequalities in Valuation Claimed as Basis For Request of Board.

The board of county commissioners last Thursday passed a resolution asking the state tax commission to order a reassessment of all personal property in the city of Thief River Falls. The resolution was at once forwarded to the commission by T. P. Anderson, county auditor, but what the result will be is not yet known.

This action on the part of the commissioners did not come wholly as a surprise, strong objection to the assessments in Thief River Falls having been voiced when the county board of equalization concluded its hearings several weeks ago.

Council Enters Protest.

The city council, at its meeting Tuesday evening, entered formal protest against the action of the county board and forwarded to the state tax commission a communication containing a number of facts tending to show that a reassessment is unnecessary and a useless expense. The assessment books were gone over by the city board of equalization before being turned over to the county board, and no serious discrepancies were discovered. The latter claim, however, to have discovered a number of cases where property was assessed far below its actual valuation and several cases where no listing whatever had been made. The commissioners also claim that inequality of assessment is the principal reason why the board desires to have the work of the assessor done a second time, it being asserted that a number of instances were discovered where valuations are obviously wrong.

One Previous Reassessment.

Several years ago a similar situation arose in Thief River Falls. At that time a man from outside the city was secured to do the assessing the second time and figures on the county tax books disclose that approximately $50,000 worth of property was unearthed by the new man which had been overlooked by the first assessor. Besides this, moneys and credits were nearly doubled. Whether such a result could be achieved in the present instance is, of course, problematical.

The cost of reassessing the city is variously estimated between $300 and $600, and many officials and business men feel grave doubt that sufficient additional property can be found to pay the expense. Those who take the view that present valuations are unjust claim that no matter how much money it costs, a reassessment should be made to force all to pay their just share of the tax burden, and this is what the county board desires more than any possible additional revenue which may be derived.

ROAD CENSUS WILL BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Highway Department Plans to Take Week's Census of Road Travel in District.

A traffic census is to be taken on all state highways during the week commencing August 28th and ending September 3rd, according to instructions received by District Maintenance Engineer B. W. Sewell. Men will be stationed at specified points, nine of them in the district under Mr. Sewell's charge. They will be on duty continuously between the hours of six a. m. and midnight, and will record all travel between these hours.

The record will include a statement of whether "light" or "heavy" traffic vehicles; whether home state cars or from other states; trucks; busses; horse drawn or tractors, and will show between what hours the traffic is heaviest.

Two men will be engaged for each checking station. The nine stations for this district will be as follows: One just north of Ada, one on the Maple Lake road east of Crookston, one just east of Grand Forks, one between Crookston and Red Lake Falls. One between Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls and Warren, one just south of Warren on the Crookston-Warren road, one between Humboldt and St. Vincent and the ninth between Badger and Roseau.

The purpose of the census is to provide the department with authentic information relative to the amount of travel over the various road sections and may be expected to have material bearing on what improvements are authorized.

While it will be necessary for the census takers to closely examine each vehicle passing, there will be no molestation of travelers, according to Mr. Sewell. After sun-down the inspectors will have a light stationed at their designated stations and will possibly also employ flashlights; but they will be instructed to employ every possible precaution to avoid causing alarm to passers-by. Slowing down and thereby faciliating the work of the checkers is urged by the Highway department.

This check has already been made by the county boards in counties in other districts and in showing the extent of the traffic has resulted in more activity on the part of the highway department when the check has shown that the traffic was heavy.

New Beacon Light.

Powerful lights have been placed on top of the water tank tower by the city water and light department and these can plainly be seen for a distance of several miles in all directions. This acts as a beacon light for people traveling in the vicinity at night and is an improvement well worth while.

SIX SOLDIER BOYS TO JOIN COMRADES AT GREAT REUNION

Camp Dodge is Mecca For Many Former Members of Famous Eighty-Eighth Division.

Six former service men from Thief River Falls, all members of the 352nd regimental band during the World war, left Wednesday evening for Des Moines, Ia., to be present at the annual reunion of the 88th division. The members of the party are H. S. Snyder, George Loken, P. C. Peterson, L. A. Hermanson, Perry Froseth and Arthur Granum.

and Arthur Granum. Sidney Studsvold, Fosston; Bob Robertson, Argyle and Clarence Bakke of Warren, joined the party here for the trip.

It is expected that nearly ten thousand members of the old 88th will be in attendance at the reunion, which will take place at Camp Dodge where the boys received their training previous to entering active service. A fund has been raised to pay the expenses of former members of the famous regimental band and the boys from this city accordingly will be cared for from the time they leave Thief River Falls until their return. The reunion will last for three days, and in addition all former soldiers at Camp Dodge during this time will be given a free trip to the Iowa State fair at Des Moines.

H. S. Snyder, director of the Thief River Falls band, has been signally honored by being chosen director of the regimental band during the reunion.

FAIR BOARD PLANS NEARLY COMPLETE FOR BIGGEST SHOW

Large Number of People From This Section Will Visit Great Exhibition.

The most stupendous program ever put on by any fair in the world will be presented to the Northwest by the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 10.

The entertainment features include attractions never seen in this part of the country before. Thriller of thrillers will be the passage of Lieut. Louis James, 19 years old, from a speeding automobile to a low-flying aeroplane each afternoon. This is an act never attempted until this spring, and a score of men have lost their lives trying it.

The automobile, with Lieut. James clinging to the back of it, will come racing down the track at sixty miles an hour. A low-flying aeroplane will come up from behind. From its landing gears will hang a rope ladder. As the ladder passes over the auto, Lieut. James will grab it, and swing himself off into the air. Among other things, he hangs by his teeth from a ladder attached to a plane.

The big head-on railroad collision between two engines will be staged one day only, Saturday, Sept. 3. A straight track has been laid inside of the mile track. One engine will be started from one end, the other will be started from the opposite end. ter throttles have been thrown wide tre throttles have been thrown wide open, and the two engines will rush to destruction in the center, in exact line with the middle of the grandstand.

Two stages of vaudeville, auto polo, pony polo, auto races, a dozen bands, a midway of two dozen shows, a gigantic fireworks spectacle and scores of lesser attractions will entertain the record-breaking crowds expected.

A fare and a half on all railroads will be given fair visitors from September 2 to 10, inclusive; return limit, Sept. 12.

Council Appoints Judges to Act at City Election

As a reminder that another election will soon be here, the council on Tuesday evening named judges to serve at that time. The officials appointed are as follows:

First Ward—Ed. Ness, M. V. Evenson and Emil Gribstein. Second Ward—S. B. Johnson, M. N. Benson and W. H. Akre. Third Ward—F. H. Mousley, P. J. Keating and Carsten Christensen. Fourth Ward—Elmer Klungness, Frank Cernoucek and Mrs. T. P. Anderson.

TWO TOWNSHIPS DESIGNATED AS GAME PRESERVE

Smiley and Rocksbury Decided Upon as Area For Protection of All Game.

Action Comes as Result of Petition By Residents of Territory Affected.

No Hunting Whatever to Be Allowed at Any Time Within Borders of Refuge.

Pennington county was on Tuesday awarded a state game refuge, when a public hearing was held at the court house in Thief River Falls following the circulation of a petition asking that the townships of Smiley and Rocksbury be so designated by the state game and fish commission.

Fifty property owners in the two townships were in favor of the game refuge and had signed the petition, while not one person appeared in opposition to the step, according to Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner for Minnesota. It is believed that practically every property owner and resident of the two townships, however, is in favor of the action and will co-operate with the state department and local officials in the enforcement of the rules.

New Refuges Established.

Roseau and Polk counties have had similar protected areas for game birds, game and certain animals, and Mr. Avery stated that all of the counties in the northwestern section of the state would have them before long. Hearings similar to the one held here have been scheduled for Kittson, Marshall and other counties in the Red River valley.

Prairie chickens, grouse, pheasants, and probably quail, will soon begin to increase quite rapidly in the two townships affected by the order of the state commission and it will be a pleasure to many to watch these birds as they go about unmolested from field to field and in the underbrush, which is prevalent along the Red Lake river in both townships.

New Birds Introduced.

In the southeastern part of the state, ring neck pheasants have been placed in the refuges by the state commission, and the birds are increasing at a satisfactory rate. Although not suitable for eating purposes, the ring neck pheasant is being grown extensively in may sections of the United States and is now much prized.

No pheasants have heretofore been found in Pennington county, but Fred Beerbower has sent for two birds and these will be placed on his river farm. Next year the state commission undoubtedly will make it possible for others to secure some of the birds. Other birds or eggs will also be sent here for the refuge and in a few years it is expected to have the area well stocked with fine specimens of the feathered tribe.

FIGHTING SOLDIER PUTS ON SLUGFEST AND PAYS PENALTY

Finds That Rules on French Front During War Don't Work in Thief River.

Henry Stensrud, formerly of Thief River Falls but now attending the government vocational training school at Fargo, came up in his Ford last week for a short visit. Saturday morning he appeared in municipal court and was assessed a fine of $25, which he paid.

The fracas which caused all the trouble occurred Friday evening. Henry, whom appearances would indicate had imbibed a little too freely in "hootch," suddenly became imbued with the idea that he was a fighter of no mean ability. He happened to spy A. B. Remmem and picked him as the victim on which to try out his skill. Without a word of warning, Stensrud pounced on Remmem and administered several telling blows before Night Policeman Brooten arrived to take a hand in the proceedings.

The "cop" grabbed Stensrud and started for the jail with him but in unlocking the door of the bastile it was necessary to release his hold on the prisoner for a moment. The latter broke away and started up the street as fast as his legs could carry him, paying no attention to several shots fired by the policeman in an effort to recapture his prisoner, and escaped in the darkness. The "cop" then went up town and placed Stensrud's car in a garage for safekeeping, figuring that the owner would show up sooner or later to claim his property. In this he was right, for it was not long until Stensrud appeared and ran right into the arms of the policeman, who this time landed his prisoner behind the bars without trouble.

Returns From Eastern Trip.

A. S. Sapero of the Sapero company has returned from points in the East, where he had been visiting the leading markets on a buying expedition for his store. Part of the journey was made on the Great Lakes and one of the points of interest visited was Niagara Falls.

Mr. Sapero found conditions very much improved in the manufacturing centers and was able to secure a large amount of very desirable goods at prices far below figures prevailing for the past few years. The new goods will soon be on display at the Sapero store and should prove of much interest to the ladies of Thief River Falls and vicinity.

New Library Board Members.

The city council on Tuesday evening approved the appointment by Mayor John Bratrud of Mrs. Emil Zeh and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard as new members of the library board. Mrs. E. O. Mogensen was named to take the place of Mrs. Gaston Ward, resigned, and Mrs. E. M. Stanton was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Agnes Wilson.

FORD CUTS CAPERS AND TURNS BOTTOM SIDE UP IN DITCH

Four Occupants Pinned Under Wreck But Miraculously Escape Injury.

Through the failure of the steering gear to work properly, a Ford touring car turned bottom side up on the road near the Aubol school house south of Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon. Four men in the car were extracted from the wreckage by passersby and with the exception of a few scratches and bruises, all escaped without serious injury.

The car was driven by John O. Huglele, who with Hans Gundvangen, Hans Paulson and E. D. Gustafson, were on their way from their home at Maple Bay to Thief River Falls. The accident was not due to speeding, it being stated by the driver that they were traveling between fifteen and twenty miles an hour when the car turned over. All of the men, with the exception of the driver, are well advanced in years and the latter is about 50 years old. That all escaped without serious injury is little short of a miracle. The four men were underneath the wreck when help arrived and those who turned the car back on its wheels were greatly surprised to find that all of the victims were able to get up and walk.

The men were taken to Thief River Falls and immediately secured what medical aid their injuries required. The wrecked car was hauled to a local garage for repairs and in the course of a few days the flivver will again be ready to hit the trail. The occupants of the car feel thankful to get out of the scrape as easily as they did.

Poultry Expert Gives Talks and Several Demonstrations

A. N. Chapman of the University farm, in charge of the poultry culling demonstrations held throughout the county last week, gave a very interesting talk at the Commercial club meeting last Thursday noon. The speaker stated that poultry in Minnesota is rapidly coming to the front as one of the dependable industries, and that purebred poultry is replacing the scrubs of former days.

While in the city Mr. Chapman, in company with a number of others interested in poultry raising, visited a number of local flocks for inspection and demonstration purposes. Much valuable information with regard to raising poultry for profit was disseminated by the recognized expert in such matters and his visit here no doubt will have a beneficial effect.

Band Receives Aid.

A tax levy of one-half mill was last year ordered for the benefit of the Thief River Falls band, and the organization on Tuesday evening received from the city council a warrant for $229.74, representing the second installment of funds derived from this source. The band was given $300 in May and a balance of $337.26 will be paid when the November tax settlements are made.

Heavy Truck Turns Over in Ditch; Driver Pinned Under

One of the large Reo trucks used on the freighting route between this city and Grand Forks, became unmanageable Monday afternoon on the hill just this side of Red Lake Falls. The driver killed his engine when near the top of the hill and the truck started backward, getting completely out of his control. The heavy machine plunged over the embankment into the ditch, turning completely over, with cosiderable damage to the body, top and other parts of the machine.

The driver was pinned under the wreck but was fortunate in escaping serious injury. After having a few bruises and cuts attended to by a physician at Red Lake Falls, he was able to proceed to his home at Grand Forks and is now none the worse for his experience.

Large Class Confirmed.

A class of about forty was confirmed at St. Bernard's church Sunday, with impressive exercises in charge of Bishop Corbett of Crookston. The church was crowded to capacity to listen to the very able sermon delivered by the bishop.

FARM BUREAU'S MEMBERS MEET SUNDAY IN CITY

Sessions Begin at Two O'Clock in Pennington County Farm Bureau Office.

Large Attendance of Farmers Expected at Most Important Meeting of Year.

Officers For Year to Be Elected and Complete Working Program Formulated.

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association will be held at the farm bureau offices in Thief River Falls next Sunday afternoon, Aug. 28, at 2 o'clock. This being a very busy season of the year among farmers, it was deemed advisable to hold the meeting on Sunday so as not to interfere with the work on the farm. It is expected a large delegation of farm bureau members will be present at the meeting to assist in formulating a working program for the year.

To Elect Officers.

The first important business to come before the meeting is the election of officers for the ensuing year. To insure the continued success of the farm bureau it is essential that officers who are in thorough accord with the movement be chosen.

Among other things to be taken up is the program of work for each township division. Nearly every township in the county now has its own farm bureau unit, with its own set of officers, all working in harmony with the county bureau, thus making it possible to act in unison with less conflict and wasted energy.

Bureau Self-Sustaining.

The finances of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association are in very good shape at the present time, considering that county aid was recently refused by the board of county commissioners. The work is somewhat curtailed, however, because of the fact that now only actual members of the association are given service. When the bureau was operated through county aid, every farmer in the county was entitled to free service whether or not he held a membership in the association.

County Agent J. J. McCann states that no trouble was experienced in securing the amount required for continuing the bureau. A solicitor secured pledges for one thousand dollars in the city of Thief River Falls in one afternoon and this, together with several subscriptions of one hundred, fifty and twenty-five dollars from a number of farmers, shipping associations, creameries, elevators, etc., throughout the county, soon made it evident that the farm bureau would not be discontinued for lack of support. Progressive farmers everywhere are supporting the farm bureau, realizing the benefits received through the institution.

STEENERSON PLAN TO MODIFY WHEAT GRADES APPROVED

House Agricultural Committee Reports Measure—Would Remedy Many Evils.

Chairman G. N. Haugen of the house committee on agriculture last Saturday submitted to the house a favorable report on the bill presented by Representative Halvor Steenerson of Minnesota to modify the spring wheat grades.

"The necessity for the legislation arises from the fact that five years' experience with the present standards and grades for spring wheat have proven that they are unsatisfactory and fail to indicate the real value of the wheat," the report says. "To the great loss of the farmers, especially those who have to sell at the country elevator where wheat is bought on grade only at terminal markets like Minneapolis, where there is a large milling demand, wheat is sold almost entirely on sample, regardless of grade, and on its real milling value."

The report then declares that the purpose of fixing standards and grades is to enable the seller and buyer at long range to "speak a common language" as to the quality and condition of the commodity dealt in. It quotes liberally from testimony presented by those who attended the hearings, indicating that through the administration of the present standards and grades, wheat that would ordinarily grade No. 1 is often lowered to No. 5 with a loss to the farmer of as much as 40 cents a bushel and sometimes even more. Prices are quoted also from the hearing, and it is declared that 14½ per cent of moisture seems to be reasonable and practicable.

Concerning the Canadian grades the report says that the Canadian grades are all prescribed by statute and are not as strict as ours, for they require of number one Manitoba hard wheat only 75 per cent hard kernels as against 95 per cent under our grades. Only 60 per cent of hard kernels is required in Canadian grade number two.

The proposal of the Steenerson bill to fix test weights at 57 pounds was not acceptable by the committee and it remains at 58 pounds. Concluding the report says:

"The committee believed that the enactment of this bill will go far to remedy the evils complained of."

Although the bill has been placed on the house calendar, it cannot be reached in the ordinary course of legislative procedure until sometime after congress resumes its duty after recess. It is intended to call it upon calendar Wednesday when the house committee on agriculture is reached which will not be for some weeks while the house is in session. This delay in the house will give Secretary of Agriculture Henry C. Wallace time to determine whether he will make changes that have been urged by the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission and the wheat producers of the northwest.

ELKS PLAN FROLIC AT ANNUAL PICNIC SUNDAY AUGUST 28

Antlered Herd Expect to Have Time of Their Lives at Yearly Outing.

Next Sunday will be a big day in the annals of the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks. This is the day of the picnic and every member of the order is making preparations to be there. The frolic will take place at Squaw Point and unless the weather man is unusually cruel there is every reason to believe it will be a hummer.

The committee in charge of arrangements is leaving nothing undone which might add to the success of the event. Amusements of all kinds have been provided, including an exceptionally complete program of sports. There will be foot races for the leans, for the fats, for the ladies and for the kids. And it's a fact that when the Elks put on a picnic the kids never run short of candy, ice cream and other good things to eat.

Free transportation will be provided from the city to the picnic grounds for those who do not have cars or other conveyances of their own. This leaves mighty little excuse for anyone who stays away next Sunday. All who can do so are asked to bring well filled lunch baskets, with enough eats for their own families and also a little for bachelors and visiting Elks who may be present but not provided with sufficient provisions for the day.

BAND BOYS RENDER BEAUTIFUL CONCERT

Large Crowd Gathers at Lovers Lane Suday Afternoon to Enjoy Sacred Music.

What was probably the largest crowd ever assembled at Lovers' Lane was present Sunday afternoon on the occasion of the sacred concert given by the Thief River Falls band. Everyone present spent a very pleasant afternoon in the beautiful park and thoroughly enjoyed the splendid program given by the band.

It was found impossible to give the full program as advertised, the failure of music to arrive making it impossible for Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher and Carl Sundahl, vocal soloists, to take part. Several additional selections by the band partially made up for the absence of these popular vocal artists.

Many people in Thief River Falls have heretofore failed to realize the beauty of Lovers' Lane as a park and expressed surprise at the extent of the improvements made during the summer under the auspices of the park board. It is now one of the beauty spots of the community and undoubtedly will grow in popularity both with auto tourists and with the people of Thief River Falls.

Ford Speed Demonstrator Grows Too Enthusiastic

Axel Anderson and George Aspelund were out on the Jefferson highway west of Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon taking a little joy ride in George's Ford. George grew tired of driving and turned the wheel over to Axel, who piloted the flivver successfully for a ways. Then it seems he got a notion to demonstrate to George just how fast a Ford can travel under proper supervision—and proceeded to "step on the gas."

A few minutes later the Ford lay bottom side up in the ditch, with a broken wheel, smashed top and windshield and numerous other breaks and bends. The driver and his companion found themselves scattered over the scenery along the road.

A few scratches and bruises was all the boys could find wrong with each other when they finally gathered themselves together and took inventory.

Building New Home.

Work was started yesterday afternoon on the new residence of J. E. Bloomquist, which will be located on Red Lake boulevard just north of the old Capt. McDonald place, now owned by Gynther Tessum. The Prichard company has the general contract for the building and will deliver it to the owner all ready to move into.

RECORD CROWDS SEEK BARGAINS AND FIND THEM

Third Market Day in Thief River Falls Attracts Large Number of Buyers.

People Crowd Stores to Take Advantage of Special Offerings For the Day.

Prize Drawing Proves Popular and Will Be Elaborated Upon Next Month.

The third regular monthly market day took place in Thief River Falls on Wednesday. In many respects it was the most successful bargain event yet staged and merchants in all lines report an exceptionally good business. Farmers and people from neighboring towns were here in large numbers, and they didn't come to celebrate—they came to buy merchandise. It is estimated that from 1,500 to 2,000 buyers from outside the city visited local stores during the day.

One instance may particularly be cited to show that when real bargains are offered, people are quick to take advantage of the opportunity to save money. Loken's department store had advertised a special on ladies' dresses, offering about thirty garments at one dollar each. The sale was advertised to begin at ten o'clock and when the time arrived the grand rush started. In about three minutes not a single one of the dresses remained to be sold.

Many other stores also report a rushing business on specials advertised in last week's special edition of The Times.

Coupon Feature Popular.

The coupons used in the free prize distribution were in great demand all day long. One of the coupons was given with each 25 cent cash purchase and also with each 25 cents paid on account, and very few customers failed to demand their tickets. One man paid $500 on account to the Prichard Lumber company and demanded coupons for the entire amount. His request was granted, and he went into the prize drawing with 2,000 coupons in the ballot box. That luck was not with him to any great extent, however, is indicated by the fact that he won only one small prize. The winner of the capital prize had secured coupons on a $5 purchase only.

The prize distribution proved a very popular feature yesterday and it is the intention to elaborate on this plan for future market days. When the drawing took place in the afternoon in front of the First National bank the streets for a block in all directions were crowded with people eager to hear their names called.

More Bargains Sept. 28.

The Merchants' association has decided upon Wednesday, Sept. 28, as the date for the next market day. While special prizes on all lines of staple goods will continue to be the feature of these bargain days, several new innoviations are contemplated for the purpose of inducing people from all parts of the territory to visit Thief River Falls on that day.

The free auction sale feature will be resumed next month providing a reasonable number of requests for it reach the secretary of the association. To make the sale a success it is necessary to register goods in advance in order that the list may be published in the market day edition of The Times on Thursday, Sept. 22.

List of Winners.

Following is a list of the prize winners at the drawing held yesterday afternoon:

Mrs. C. Sjoberg, city, sewing machine; Peter Engelstad, Rocksbury, $10 certificate; Edna O'Brien, city, 100 lbs. sugar; F. G. Dols, Rosewood, sack Vivo flour; Mrs. Emil E. Ness, Route 1, $5 certificate; Mrs. Henry Koop, St. Hilaire, 100 bars soap; E. A. Seeger, Red Lake Falls, case crackers; Ted Prichard, city, $3 certificate; Mrs. C. Toomey, Goodridge, 5 lbs. coffee; M. V. Evenson, city, $2 certificate; Pauline Parenteau, city, box candy; Mrs. R. J. Falk, city, gallon syrup; T. K. Rynestad, city, $1.50 certificate; Mrs. Bernhard Knudsen, city, case pork and beans; H. W. Lozier, city, case corn; L. H. Lawrence, city, $4 certificate; John E. Olson, Kratka, 5 lbs. cheese; Mrs. Paul Roy, St. Hilaire, case syrup; Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., 5 lbs. tea; Mrs. L. A. Johnson, city, $5 certificate.

Narrow Escape.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown, while returning from their summer home at Union Lake last evening, had a narrow escape near the Aubol school house south of the city when their Studebaker car skidded and turned over. The top and windshield of the car were badly smashed but the occupants escaped without a scratch.

To Take Postgraduate Course.

Dr. A. Shedlov of Gully is temporarily in charge of Dr. A. W. Swedenburg's practice in this city and will be here for several months. Dr. Swedenburg is now in Minneapolis and about Oct. 1st expects to take a post graduate course, after which he will return to resume his practice here.

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City News

Mrs. Henry Olson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Market Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Peterson of Crookston motored here yesterday to visit friends.

Miss Dorothy Miller, who has been visiting relatives at Roseau a few days returned here yesterday.

Miss Hannah Peterson left this morning for Holt where she will spend a few days visiting friends.

When you are ready to sell your poultry see Chas. Fiterman, next door to Court House, Tel. 301. a-24p

Mrs. W. G. Beck of Warroad was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. J. Bottem between trains on Friday.

Miss Sadie Favrow and sister of Red Lake Falls, were in the city between trains yesterday attending to shopping.

Miss Esther Gjertsen, cashier at aire was among the many from out of town who availed themselves of Market Day bargains here yesterday.

Miss Sather Gjertson, cashier at the Great Northern, left yesterday for her home at Sandstone, where she will visit her folks over Sunday.

A daughter was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foley of Rainy River.—Baudette Region. Mrs. Foley was formerly Miss Elsie Sinclair of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Freitag returned Monday from a week's visit at the summer home of Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Propp, of Ogemah, at White Earth Lake.

Miss Esther Stebbins has returned to Rochester after an extended vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins here. She will resume her work as nurse at St. Mary's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson, spent Sunday at Blackduck lake on a fishing expedition. They report excellent luck and brought home a nice string of pike and rock bass.

Miss Ruth Ringham, who is connected with the sales department of the Grand Forks Herald, visited with friends here this week. She left yesterday morning on a business trip to Holt, Middle River, Badger, Greenbush and Roseau.

Miss Lucille Brooks of Plummer is visiting with friends here this week.

Mrs. Henry Hansen and baby of Isanti and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Moss and Miss Elna Swenson of Minneapolis, spent the week end as guests of the former's sister, Mrs. P. J. Bottem.

Society

Young Peoples' Meeting.

Silverton Young Peoples' society will meet at the Barstad home, Aug. 28, entertained by the Hegreness and Barstad young folks. Everybody invited.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. G. W. Connell was hostess at an informal party given at her home on Tuesday afternoon, in compliment to her guest, Mrs. A. E. Spalding, of Luverne.

Elks' Dancing Party.

An informal party was given by the local Elks in their club rooms on Friday evening. About twenty couples were present to enjoy the program of dancing.

Party.

The Hotel Evelyn was the scene of a delightful children's party on Monday afternoon when Grace Provencher entertained 10 little girls in compliment to Marcella O'Neill.

Afternoon Party.

Mrs. Inga Berg of Minneapolis, was guest of honor at a party given by Mrs. Aug. Bredeson at her home on Friday afternoon. A delicious lunch was served before the departure of the guests.

For Miss Hermanson.

Mrs. A. N. Heggan delightfully entertained a number of ladies at her home Friday evening, honoring Miss Ella Hermanson of Minneapolis, who is a guest at the home of her brother, J. H. Hermanson.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. C. Frissell and daughter, Miss Maude Frissell, entertained a number of friends at a six o'clock dinner at their home in compliment to Mrs. Grout, who is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich.

Delightful Trip.

Messers. and Mesdames A. P. Robinson and Frank Hoppa motored to Grand Forks last Friday and were guests of friends at a sumptuous dinner. On the return trip they were entertained at supper by friends at Warren.

Swedish Lutheran Church Social.

There will be a social at the home of August Swenson on Sunday afternoon, August 28, given by the Swedish Lutheran church of St. Hilaire. Open air services will be held, after *which refreshments will be served.* A cordial welcome to all.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. J. H. Hermanson entertained at an afternoon party for her daughter Helen, in honor of her 6th birthday anniversary. Pink and white decoration predominated throughout the rooms and in the luncheon appointments. An attractive birthday cake centered the table.

Entertains.

Mrs. R. H. Ross entertained a few ladies at her home yesterday afternoon. Those present included Mrs. G. W. Connell and guest, Mrs. A. E. Spalding of Luverne, Mrs. Beatrice Heiber, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. Grout, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. L. G. Larson and Miss Gran.

Birthday Anniversary.

A number of girls were entertained by Miss Juanita Biddick at a picnic lunch in Lovers' Lane on Sunday afternoon in commemoration of her 14th birthday. The guests were Lois and Salome Wikel, Charlotte Korstad, Hilda Ness, Marian Laurent, Esther Ness, Shila Engel and Dorothy Haney.

Hobbs-Anderson.

Miss Bernice Hobbs and P. L. Anderson, both of Holt, were married at Warren by Rev. S. W. Swenson, at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage, on Saturday, Aug. 13. Mr. Anderson is well known locally and is one of the popular business men of the above named place, where they will establish their home.

Notice.

Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Albert Johnson, south of town, Friday afternoon. Those who have cars and can take others are requested to call at Laird's Specialty Shop. Those who desire to be taken out leave their names at Laird's. All members are requested to bring sandwiches or cake.

Birthday Club.

The Birthday Club was entertained by Mrs. G. W. Booren at her home on Friday afternoon at a five o'clock dinner. The club members were Mrs. Aug. Brown, Mrs. Anton Langseth, Mrs. Herbert Fuller, Mrs. Peter Myhrum, Mrs. Chas. Stewart, Mrs. Matt Barzen, Mrs. Louis DeCremer and Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar. Invited guests were Mrs. Aug. Booren and daughter, Miss Olive, of Stillwater, Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer, Mrs. F. J. Lawrence of Fargo and Mrs. Laura Stewart.

Entertains.

Twelve ladies were entertained by Mrs. E. Overland at her home, 801 Main Ave. N., on Tuesday afternoon. The hours were devoted to needlework and conversation. A delicious lunch was served at 5 o'clock. The guest list included Mesdames H. S. Dahlen, Lars Larson, T. E. Sweger, Olaf Ramstad, Wm. Michelet, Anna Langseth, Bernhard Knutson, H. W. Froehlich and mother, Mrs. Grout, O. C. Hanson, J. H. Hermanson, A. Anderson, Trine Aalberg, Lester Gesell, Howard Gesell, H. D. Keene and Miss Carrie Brown. Before the departure of the guests Miss Brown favored them with a vocal solo while Elnor and Gordon Overland each gave a piano selection.

Churches

Service in Bethlehem Church, Sunday at 11 oclock. Service in Thorvik at 2 o'clock. The confirmants will meet after services in Thorvik. O. I. Raaum, Pastor.

Swedish Lutheran Church—Services next *Sunday at 10:30. Sunday* school and Bible class at 11:45. Evening services at 8:00. The Willing Workers will be entertained by Mrs. R. Johnson.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Sunday school and Bible Class, 10 a. m. Services Zion church, 11 a. m. Sunday school picnic at Lovers' Lane, 2 p. m. Services at Goodridge 2:30 p. m., in the English language. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:45 p. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor. Sunday, Aug. 28. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. Enoch B. Swanson from Minneapolis will speak at both services. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday, 8 p. m. Rev. Swanson will also speak at St. Hilaire Sunday, 3 p. m. All welcome.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. In the afternoon the Ladies' choir will motor to Plummer to sing at the Mission Festival service of Rev. Leicke's congregation. Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Aug. Brown will entertain the Ladies' Aid in the church basement.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Divine services in Norwegian, Sunday at 11 a. m. Trinity Boys' club, church basement Monday at 8 p. m. Ladies' Aid society will be entertained Thursday afternoon, Sept. 1st, in church parlors by Mesdames Carl Larson, J. N. Nesse, Oscar Mosleth and Nels Myrin. Young Peoples' League meets the same evening. First session of the Sunday school and Bible class Sunday, Sept. 4th, at 9:30 a. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Aug. 28. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning worship, subject, "Enlargement of the Heart." Morning anthem, "I Will Praise Thee, O Lord," by J. S. Fearis. 8 p. m., subject, 1 Peter 1:8-9. Evening Anthem, "He That Dwelleth," Ira B. Wilson. C. E. 7 p. m., "The Ten Commandments in the Life of Today." The Ladies' Aid society meets on Friday with Mrs. Albert Johnson. For transportation report to Laird's Specialty Shop.

Obituary

Mrs. Margit O. Bergland.

On Friday afternoon occurred the death of Mrs. Margit O. Bergland. Mrs. Bergland had been ailing for a long time but seemed to have improved a great deal lately and her death came as a great shock to her family and friends.

Mrs. Bergland was seventy-nine years old at the time of her death. She leaves to mourn her death three sons: Soren, Aslak and John; four daughters: Mrs. John Skomedal, Mrs. Oscar Juppru and Ragnil Bergland, all of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. Hans Mittit of Bemidji.

Mrs. O. C. Brenna.

People of Middle River and vicinity were shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. O. C. Brenna which occurred shortly after an operation, for cancer at the Physicians' hospital, Thief River Falls, at 4:30 a. m., Wednesday, August 10.

Mrs. Ole C. Brenna was born at Spring Grove, Minn., September 30, 1870, and was married to Ole C. Brenna, January 29, 1890. To this union thirteen children were born of which nine of them are living, namely: Mrs. John Gustafson, Thief River Falls; Charles, Idaho; Olga, Olida, Calmer, Ole, Sanford, Morris and Tony, of this place.

The remains were brought up from *Thief River Falls* and funeral services were held Monday at 2 p. m., from the Norwegian Luth. church, Rev. Hanson officiating. Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery. —Middle River Pioneer.

Death of Former Soldier.

Rudolph S. Reierson died early Saturday morning at the home of his father, Ole Reierson, southwest of town. He had been sick since about the first of the year with pulmonary tuberculosis and medical skill and science could not overcome the disease contracted while in the army.

This young soldier was born on March 28, 1896, on the farm where he died, and lived there until he joined the army on Dec. 17th, 1917. He was sent to the Presidio training camp at San Francisco, Cal., and became a member of Park Battery B, Coast Artillery, Corps No. 52. He served with this battery until his discharge on May 16th, 1919.

They sailed for France June 15th, 1918, with the A. E. F., and he was in active service at the front on the St. Mihiel, Meuse, Argonne and Verdun sectors.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Mission church by Rev. Myhrer, assisted by Revs. Strom and Tustad.

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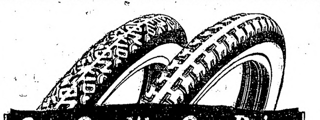

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Heavy Camp Blankets $2.98
Wool Nap Blankets $3.98
Large Cotton Blankets $2.25
Crib Blankets $1.25
Comforters $2.98-$3.98

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Boys Muleskin Outing $1.39-1.89
Boys' Elk-Outing $1.98 to $2.49
Brown Calf Dress Shoes $2.98 to $3.98
Girls' Brown School Shoes $2.49 to $2.98
Girls' Black School Shoes $1.98 to $2.98
White, Brown Tennis shoes $1.49
Boys' leather trim Tennis Shoes $1.98

Shoes for Women
Black or brown Oxfords $3.98 and $4.98
Black or brown Pumps $3.98 and $4.98
Brown Dress Shoes $4.98-$5.90
Black Dress Shoes $3.50 to $5.90
Black Comfort Shoes $2.49
Black Juliets ....$2.69 and $2.98
Strap Slippers rubber heels $1.98

MINNESOTA WOMEN IN NATIONAL WORK

Aiding in Country-Wide Effort to Bring Important Issues Before Women Voters.

innesota women connected with ork of the League of Women oters have found themselves nationally in demand this summer. Miss Marguerite M. Wells, President of the State League, has been called in consultation with national board women and has recently returned from Lyme, Connecticut, where she has been consulting upon League affairs with Miss Katherine Ludington, Regional Director for the district which includes Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island. The main subject under discussion was the furtherance of the interest in International Disarmament and in the new national department of Efficiency in Government.

Miss Emily Kneubuhl, than whom perhaps no one is better known to the women of Minnesota, as she has during the last year, worked as director of political education for the League in every county in the state, had the honor of conducting a school of citizenship at the national Chautauqua in New York State. The Citizenship Forum at Chautauqua is the [illegible] of its kind in that time-honored cultural center. Speaking with Miss Kneubuhl were Mrs. Maud Wood Park, Miss Mary Garrett Hay, Mrs. Percy Pennybacker and other national figures. Miss Kneubuhl's special subject was the Constitution of the United States, and she returns to Minneapolis filled with enthusiasm in regard to the manner in which women are interesting themselves in national affairs. Miss Kneubuhl will go for a much needed vacation to Colorado and California but says she will be eager to return to her work in her beloved Minnesota.

A third Minnesota woman who will take her place in national affairs this week is Mrs. Sumner T. McKnight, the chairman of the Fifth District League of Women Voters and National League treasurer. Mrs. McKnight has been chosen to accompany Mrs. Maud Wood Park and Mrs. Gifford Pinchot to carry the congratulations of the national and local Leagues of Women Voters to President Harding on his bringing to a successful issue the arrangements for the international conference on the reduction of armament. An audience had been granted by the president to the representatives of the League for Wednesday, August 17th at the White House.

It will be the supreme work of the Minnesota League of Women Voters this year to keep the eyes of the women of the state focussed on the proceedings of the International [illegible]ence which will convene in [illegible]ngton on Armistice Day. Plans [illegible]der way for the liberal dissemination of news to every part of the state in regard to the sittings of the conference.

Mail Clerk Examination.

An examination will be held at the Thief River Falls post office on Saturday, Sept. 17, for those who desire to qualify for positions in the railway mail service. The examinations are open to all citizens of the United States between the ages of 18 and 35 years, and those who are assigned to positions as mail clerks will receive an annual salary of $1,600 to begin with. There are several vacancies to be filled at the present time in Minnesota.

RAIL RATE FIGHT GOES TO CAPITAL

Farmer Bears Whole Burden of Rail Charges on Grain, Bureau Tells Government.

The farmers in every grain producing county in Minnesota are bearing the whole cost of high freight rates on grain from the farm to the terminal market, Thomas E. Cashman, representing the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, told the interstate commerce commission in Washington last week. The farm bureau cited, as an example, the fact that on July 15, this year, Minneapolis paid 35 cents a bushel for oats, while farmers at Milbank, S. D., got only 26 cents. Freight rates made up the difference in price, the bureau figures showed. Mr. Cashman testified in hearings on proposed reductions in rates on grain and hay.

Increases in freight rates on farm products, put into effect while values of most crops were rapidly decreasing, not only have wiped out the producers' profits, but have forced the farmers of the northwest to accept a wage cut greater than the pay reductions in almost any other line of industry, Mr. Cashman and F. W. Peck, director of agricultural extension work through the University of Minnesota, told the commission.

"An increase of even five cents a bushel in the cost of shipping grain is enough to cut the farmer's actual wages for his labor 50 per cent," Mr. Peck said. "Five cents a bushel is a relatively small part of the cost of producing an acre of wheat; but when the producer is operating on a narrow margin, as even the best Minnesota farmers are operating this year, a difference of five cents a bushel may mean a difference of 50 per cent in the return for the farmer's hour of labor. In figuring the results of high freight rates on the producers of food, the interstate commerce commission must use the same basis it uses in figuring the results of rate changes on the railroads; that is, it must take into consideration the effect on the wages of the men doing the work."

Even a politician says something worth mentioning once in a while. For instance a congressman says that his idea of a good business man is one who can buy goods from a Scotchman and sell them to a Jew at a profit.

Citizens Bowling Alleys Soon to Begin Business

A. P. Fox and Peter Morse closed a deal last week whereby they became owners of the Citizens bowling alleys and billiard hall. The new proprietors already have commenced making improvements in the place and expect to be ready to open up for business the latter part of this week.

The rooms are being thoroughly renovated all through, and new paint and kalsomine put on the walls. A man from the factory with the aid of a machine specially built for the purpose, is here to plane down and level the bowling alleys. New cloth and cushions for the pool tables also is being put in place. The boys plan on making of it a first class establishment in every particular and no doubt will receive their share of business.

City Scales Wanted.

Upon recommendation of Mayor John Bratrud, the city council on Tuesday evening appointed a committee to investigate the advisability of installing city scales in Thief River Falls. The plan of operating public scales has been tried out in several cities in this part of the state, including East Grand Forks, Crookston and Moorhead, and has been found of much value from a public standpoint. Whether or not the scales will be installed here depends upon the findings of the committee having the matter in charge.

Sapero Store Adopts New Policy.

The Sapero company this week announces a radical change in policy which will work a decided advantage to those who pay cash for their purchases. Their announcement states that in the future all cash customers will be given a discount of ten per cent from the regular purchase price. This is a step that has been taken by a large number of business concerns throughout the country and in every instance it has proven very satisfactory to all concerned. It makes it a distinct object to people to pay cash and the experiment will undoubtedly prove popular here.

Ford Kicks Back.

A. C. Simonson of Steiner is nursing a broken wrist, the result of a Ford "kicking back" when he tried to crank it. Mr. Simonson is now using his left hand in starting the flivver.

Artery Severed.

Nels Lian of Erie, while butchering a hog this week, accidentally cut a large artery in his hand. It was necessary to call a physician before the flow of blood could be stopped.

Child Run Over.

James, the five-year-old son of Albert Kolp of St. Hilaire, suffered a broken arm and fractured shoulder in an accident which occurred on Third street last Thursday afternoon. The little fellow darted across the street and under the wheels of a passing automobile, which passed completely over him. The driver of the car is not blamed for the acc'd nt as he was traveling on the right side of the street at a low rate of speed.

New Hospital Superintendent.

Miss Odelia Steinke, registered nurse, arrived last week to assume her duties as superintendent at the Physicians' hospital. Miss Steinke is a graduate of Emanuel hospital at Mankato and comes highly recommended. Miss Skeim, former superintendent has gone to Twin Valley for a vacation, after three years of highly satisfactory work at the local hospital.

Gets Coal Contract.

The Minneapolis Bridge company was on Tuesday evening awarded a contract to furnish all city institutions with coal for the coming winter. It is estimated that about six carloads will be required.

Boy Breaks Leg.

The two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoener suffered a fractured leg this week in a fall while playing about the yard. The fracture was reduced at once and the little fellow is doing nicely.

Land Clearing.

(Warroad Pioneer.)

Most every clearing in this section of the country increases a little each year. The brush line is pushed back a few rods, a little piece here and there is added to the field.

It is not particularly spectacular or exciting, but it is effective—it is the thing that is transforming this territory from a wilderness into a first-class farming district.

To those who live here this change is hardly preceptible, but once in a while one of the old-timers comes back, carrying in his mind a picture of the country as it was—and usually he is not able to place the scenes with which he was familiar. Usually they have changed and disappeared to such an extent that he has difficulty in locating the place where he had his homestead.

The old-timer likes to tell you how he spent three days getting over here from Roseau, leading his horses through the soft places and carrying the load over on his back piece by piece. He likes to take you out on some high and dry road grade and show you a spot where he lost a horse in the mud.

And the change has been accomplished mostly by the fellows who grubbed out a few acres of land each year and kept at it.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Osthy entertained a few friends at six o'clock dinner Sunday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dahlen and Mr. and Mrs. Loftman and Mr. and Mrs. Matson.

Dead of Appendicitis.

Arthur Melvin, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Olson of Carp, died under very sad circumstances last Friday. He was taken ill with appendicitis and it was decided to take him to Thief River Falls for treatment. The trip was made in an auto and the appendix broke while the young man was enroute and his condition was hopeless when he arrived at Thief River Falls. The body was shipped back to Baudette and the funeral was held at Carp. He was a bright young man and had a host of friends in the Carp neighborhood.—Baudette Region.

Notice.

Miss Doris Halvorson will begin teaching piano, harmony and ear training, Sept. 1. All who wish to begin lessons, should apply to Miss Halvorson at once at 515 LaBree avenue north.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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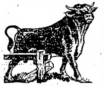

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As NEW uses for petroleum products are developed, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) immediately organizes its distribution system to supply the demand, whenever and wherever it may arise.

For example, during the past two or three years a number of devices which substitute kerosene for coal in heating the home have been perfected and put on the market.

A large number of these burners have been installed in the territory served by this Company. The result has been a heavy demand for Perfection Kerosene, which has proved to be an ideal fuel.

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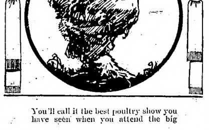

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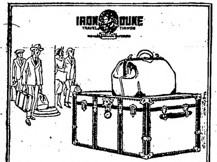

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There is bound to be an advance in the cost of building material before long. The wise person will take advantage of present conditions to procure what he is liable to need in the near future—and he will save money by so doing.

No matter what the price paid for materials, the public gets the best there is to be had when the order is placed with us. We have been satisfying the people of this section for a quarter of a century and have a reputation to maintain. We have plans of all kinds for the convenience of our customers.

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A PROGRESSIVE CITY.

Grafton, a little city of 3,000 just over the line in North Dakota, has just completed an extensive paving program and other improvements, which total in cost about $440,000. The improvements consist of 58 blocks of paving, ten blocks of ornamental lighting, two miles of sewer and water extension, and a power plant. The paving alone came to $375,000.

Compare this with Thief River Falls, a city of nearly 6,000 people, where not a square foot is paved. It is obvious that Thief River Falls is not in a position to boast of its progressiveness.

WORKS BOTH WAYS.

It is a recognized law of trade that when a certain article becomes too expensive, the general demand for it falls off because people find some way to get along without it. As soon as the price returns to normal, demand increases and quickly reaches a normal point.

Perhaps this law has something to do with the plight in which the railroads find themselves today. With freight and passenger rates placed at a point where they are practically prohibitive, the public is naturally doing everything in its power to cut down shipping and rail travel. This has the effect of reducing enormously the gross business of the roads and forces them to operate at a loss in spite of the high rates.

Henry Ford owns and operates a line of railroads in Michigan. Mr. Ford recently made substantial reductions in freight rates, working on the principle that it would increase business and thereby place his roads on a more prosperous footing. Other railroad managers in the country are of the opinion that Ford is working on the wrong theory, but this is not at all certain. The flivver manufacturer has demonstrated more than once that he is capable of conducting his own business and this particular instance is likely to prove no exception.

All authorities agree that something must be done, and who knows but what Henry Ford has hit upon the right idea?

ONE WAY TO GET IT.

While ways and means for securing a public swimming pool in Thief River Falls are being discussed, it might be well to consider the method followed by citizens of Glendive, Montana, recently, in providing the city with a public convenience of this kind.

All the people of Glendive are aiding in the work of constructing what is to be the largest public swimming pool in the state. Business men, professional men and boys of the city are busy with picks and shovels or running tractors to speed the work along. The project was launched by the chamber of commerce, which called a mass meeting to decide whether a swimming pool was wanted and to devise ways and means of obtaining aid. The swimming pool plan met unanimous endorsement and work was begun at once by volunteer workmen. It was decided that the structure should be built by volunteer effort rather than by the creation of a park district and the sale of city bonds. Everyone wanted the pool at once and the latter plan meant delay.

The Northern Pacific railway made an offer of sand and gravel. Others offered trucks, wagons, teams, men, cement, engineering service, piping and valves. Subscription blanks were quickly filled out. Within 36 hours after the mass meeting the work of construction was under way and has been going on from early morning until late at night with a rush. The light company strung its wires to the grounds and is furnishing light, so there will be no delay.

The pool will be circular in shape and 150 feet in diameter. Spring boards and other aquatic devices will be installed. It is situated in Lloyd park and adjoins the free tourists' camping grounds, thus making it available to autoists. No fee will be charged for use of the pool, and the city will bear the expense of maintenance. The chamber of commerce will supervise administration of the pool.

While this same plan in its entirety might not be practical in Thief River Falls, it contains many ideas which could be applied with success. The only way for people here to get a swimming pool is to join together and get one. It is an easy matter if everyone does his part.

When to Stop Advertising.

A certain trade journal once requested a number of its largest advertisers to give their opinions concerning the best time to stop advertising, and the following replies were received:

When population ceases to multiply and the generations that crowd on after you never heard of you, stop coming on.

When you have convinced everybody whose life will touch yours that you have better goods and lower prices than they can get anywhere else.

When you perceive it to be the rule that men who never advertise are outstripping their neighbors in the same line of business.

When men stop making fortunes right in your sight solely through the use of legitimate advertising.

When you forget the words of the shrewdest and most successful business men concerning the main cause of their prosperity.

When every man has become so thoroughly a creature of habit that he will certainly buy this year where he bought last year.

When you would rather have your own way and fail than take advice and win.

When nobody else thinks it pays to advertise.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

Another editor is suggesting that Minnesota be divided. Might just as well pour that idea back in the bottle.

Times may be hard in the cities, but the murder and divorce industries appear to be working overtime.

President Harding's father, aged 75, married his nurse yesterday. He doesn't need a nurse. He needs a guardian.

There are two kinds of moskeeters, an observing tourist told us the other day. Those that bite and those that bite twice.

Fashion journal says that men's clothes won't be so tight next year, and an exchange adds: "Neither will the men."

It's a shame the hardships our sailors have to put up with. Roy Williams writes that when his ship was at Christiania there was no water in the city, and the boys had to drink beer.

Cy Thompson is just another example of what chickens can do to a man, flippantly remarks Bess Wilson of the Redwood Falls Gazette.

"If there is no hell, as some people claim," asks an exchange, "where has business gone to?"

The ball players who last week were acquitted of throwing games are indeed in disgrace. Even the umpires won't have anything to do with them.

Who Puts Your Money in the Bank?

DO you spend all you earn?— Then some other man is adding your money to his own bank account. It's foolish to build success for another, and have nothing left for yourself.

Make part of your money work for you, by opening a Savings Account in this strong Bank. We'll protect your deposits and add interest to help them grow.

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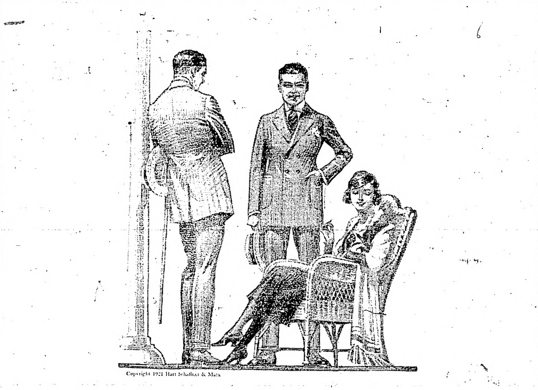

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Good Clothing— a Business Asset

The confidence inspired by correct attire is a tremendous asset to the man who has to make his own living. This season at the new low price range, good clothes cost little more than poor ones, and there is no question as to which are ultimately the most economical.

The Hart Schaffner & Marx styles we're showing for fall are good examples of extreme values

The prices are stabilized; they're as low as they can be made. You can't get more for your money anywhere.

We'll show you

Lieberman Brothers

The home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes.

City News

Leland Sether motored to Warren on Sunday to visit friends.

D. N. Winton of Minneapolis was a business visitor here on Friday.

Mrs. H. F. Booren and son spent a day here last week visiting friends.

Mrs. H. D. Keene is a guest of friends and relatives at Minneapolis.

Jordan Penney returned Thursday morning from Warren and Grand Forks.

Miss Mary Kassa went to Crookston Tuesday to spend a week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson and family drove to Crookston Sunday to visit friends.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster was here on Sunday visiting friends between trains.

Miss Bessie Avelson of St. Hilaire was in the city yesterday attending to shopping.

Miss Zelda Papermaster of Grand Forks spent Monday visiting with friends here.

A. S. Sapero left Monday evening for the Twin Cities where he spent a day on business.

Miss Avis Akre has accepted a position on the high school faculty at Bemidji this year.

Misses Mable and Olive Patterson of St. Hilaire shopped between trains here on Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson of St. Hilaire spent yesterday in the city shopping between trains.

F. E. McGinn returned Monday from the twin cities where he spent a week visiting friends.

Miss Beatrice Dale is spending the week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Mrs. Kittie Rayson, who had spent two weeks at Warren returned to this city Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Sinley drove to Ulen on Saturday to spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Mrs. John Gustafson left Monday morning for Middle River to spend a few days visiting her folks.

C. Von Rohr of Roseau and H. A. Von Rohr of Greenbush, were business visitors here on Friday.

Glenn Richardson of Bronson visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Richardson, over Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Lambert and son George left Monday evening for Detroit where they will visit relatives for a week.

Miss Jessie Barnett returned Monday morning from a two day visit with relatives and friends at Minneapolis.

Miss Linda Koglin returned to her home at Steiner Thursday morning, after a brief visit at the home of relatives.

Misses Eunice Peterson and Lulu Allen, both of St. Hilaire, were in the city on Thursday attending to shopping.

Miss Virginia Will returned here on Friday morning after spending two months at Lake Darling, Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, accompanied by Miss Shirley Schein, drove to Grand Forks to visit friends on Sunday.

C. Christopherson returned Monday morning from a two weeks' vacation spent at Fergus Falls and Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larson and Mr. and Mrs. John Ward and Miss Grace Wilson drove to Union Lake Sunday to visit friends.

Miss Frances Hov arrived this week from Hillsboro, N. D., and will spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. R. Knutson.

Miss Edith Cornforth, formerly of this city, now employed at Morris, is a guest of her friend, Mrs. S. J. Swanson this week.

B. O. Norby came down from Goodridge on Tuesday to visit friends. He left the same day for his home at Fosston.

Mrs. A. L. Walgren of Minneapolis arrived here yesterday morning for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Brumond.

Not luck but pluck is what wins. You win if you take a course in Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for catalog.

Harry Herschelb, who has been in the city the past week repairing the typewriters at the high school, left today for his home at Fargo.

Miss Olive Booren drove to Plummer Thursday to spend the day visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren.

Mrs. Inga Berg, who had spent three weeks visiting friends and relatives here, will return to her home at Minneapolis this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottleson motored to Blackduck on Sunday to spend a few days at the lake near there.

Mrs. Chas. Rolland of Hibbing and Mrs. E. L. Rolland of this city, went to Crookston Friday where they spent a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and three children left Tuesday afternoon for Fisher, where they will visit at the home of Mrs. McFarland's parents.

Ole Snustad, of the Snustad-Bredeson Grocery, is enjoying a two weeks vacation at Duluth. He is expected to return the latter part of this week.

Miss Florence Berg, who had spent three weeks visiting at the home of her friend, Miss Dorothy Bottleson, returned to her home at St. Paul on Monday morning.

Misses Hulda and Emily Fossum left Tuesday afternoon for Mitchell, Sioux Falls and Watertown, S. D., at which places they will visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. O. H. Field and daughter Agnes left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks where she will consult an eye specialist regarding her daughter's eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Doland and two sons returned to their home at Grand Forks Friday, having spent a few days visiting relatives here and at Kenmare, N. D.

Mrs. Wm. Laurent and children, who had visited her folks at Highlanding and with relatives here returned to her home at Grand Forks Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Booren and daughter, Miss Olive, who have been visiting relatives here for a few weeks returned to their home at Stillwater last evening.

Prof. and Mrs. G. L. Netteland and three children, who are moving from their former home at Strandquist to Holt, were guests of relatives here last week.

H. C. Durrin, Grand Sentinel of the O. E. S. for Minnesota, left Monday evening for Hawley, where he was called to assist the Grand officers organize a new chapter.

Mrs. Elmer Ohm, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Elnore Hoilman of Fosston, who had been her guest, left Saturday morning for Fairdale, N. D., to visit friends.

Lynn Lawton, surveyor, who spent the summer here attending to engineering work connected with the paving project, left Sunday evening for his home at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Larson and family of Marietta, arrived here the latter part of last week and are guests at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Ed. Korstad.

Miss Beatrice Warner and Miss Gladys Huartson returned to their home at Rollis Monday, having visited the former's sister, Mrs. Wm. Comstock, since Monday.

Mrs. Harold Provencher and daughter left Saturday for Grand Forks where they will spend several days visiting Mr. Provencher, who is employed at Hotel Dakotah.

Mrs. Chas. Moore and two children who had spent a few weeks visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Patten, returned to their home at Rainey River, Ont., Friday morning.

Mrs. Frank J. Lawrence and daughter Corinne, who had spent a week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Booren, returned to their home at Fargo on Saturday.

Ed. Brevig returned Saturday evening from Minneapolis and Black River Falls where he had visited relatives and friends for a few weeks. He made the trip in his Ford coupe.

Mrs. Iver Skogen and daughter left Tuesday afternoon for their home at Barnesville, after a week's visit at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Evenson and children of Baldwin, Wis., arrived here Friday evening for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Evenson and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Evenson.

Miss Clara Peterson of Faribault, who was called here last week by the illness of her mother, who has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Dena Evenson for a number of years, returned to the above named place last evening.

Miss Rose Syverson, who spent a two week's vacation visiting friends at Bemidji, returned to her home here Saturday evening. She resumed her work at Loken's department store on Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse had as their guests for a few days this week, Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Hinderlie of Detroit and Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Hanson of Larimore, N. D. Mrs. Hinderlie and Mrs. Hanson are sisters of Mrs. Nesse.

Miss Anna Moran left Saturday for Fargo where she will visit before returning to her home at Minneapolis. She accompanied the Mussey family of Grygla, at whose home she was a guest for a few days.

Miss Eleanor Rambeck, bookkeeper at the Clinic, returned Sunday morning from a three weeks' vacation spent in visiting at her home at Stevens Point, Wis., and with relatives and friends at Chicago.

Miss Ruby Jensen of Goodridge spent a few days this week as the guest of Miss Ruby Anderson here.

Miss Lena Evenson returned Saturday from a week's visit with relatives and friends at Grand Forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Skarstad of Argyle were guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum on Sunday. Mr. Skarstad returned to Argyle the same day while Mrs. Skarstad will visit for a week.

Miss Florence Aalberg, who has been relieving as dietician at the Northwestern hospital at Minneapolis is expected to arrive here next week for a brief visit before leaving for Winona where she has accepted a position to teach.

Frank Erickson, Esther Warner and Edith Skoglund, drove to Roseau Sunday where they visited at the home of Miss Cecelia Peterson. Miss Warner remained for a few days' visit, while the remainder of the party returned in the evening.

Mrs. S. Simonson of Ada arrived here Thursday morning for a visit at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson.

Andrew Bottleson left Wednesday morning for Blackduck where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. J. C. Middlemist and son, who spent a month visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan, returned on Monday evening to their home at Buffalo, N. Y. This was her first visit with Mr. Morgan in sixteen years.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Steppan of Faribault were guests the latter part of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fuller and their pupil, Herman Bischoff. Mr. Steppan is violin and piano tuning instructor at the school for the blind and Mrs. Steppan is the stewardess.

Miss Lylabelle Schuster, who had spent the summer visiting friends at points in Ohio, Pennsylvania and Illinois and also at Mayville, this state, returned to her home here on Sunday morning. Miss Schuster contemplates teaching in this vicinity this winter.

Mrs. C. M. Rolland and son Lawrence, who had spent a week visiting with relatives and friends here, left Monday morning for Rainy River, Ont., Can., where they will be guests of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foley, before returning home.

Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. W. H. Akre, Mrs. Thos. Way and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, motored to Crookston on Tuesday to visit friends during the day. They returned in the evening in time to attend the picnic given by the League of Women Voters in the Tourists' Park.

Mrs. O. F. Mellby left Thursday evening for Chicago where she will join her husband, Dr. Mellby, who has been taking a specialist's course. They will return together the first of next month. Enroute she visited with relatives and friends at Minneapolis for a few days.

Bernard Olson of Strathcona was a business caller here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamre and Mrs. Mae Rowan, motored to Argyle on Sunday where they visited at the home of Mrs. Rowan's mother. Returning they spent a brief time at Grafton, arriving here Monday evening.

Mrs. Judith Dablow, accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Marie Beckley, who spent a week as her guest, left Monday afternoon for the latter's home at Seattle, Wash., where Mrs. Dablow will remain during the winter. Before returning she will also make stops at several large cities in California.

Mrs. Harry Schuster and daughter left Tuesday afternoon for Milbank, S. D., where they will visit relatives later going to Big Stone Lake, near Ortonville, where they will be guests of her brother at their summer home. Mrs. Schuster will also visit her father at Minneapolis before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Johnson and family of Elmora arrived here Thursday evening and were guests at the homes of the former's sisters, Mrs. A. Bredeson and Mrs. E. O. Erickson. They left the first of the week for Orleans where they will visit friends, returning here the latter part of the week to complete their visit.

Miss Eleanor Rambeck and Miss Lola Jubb motored to Mavie Tuesday evening and spent the night as guests at the Talley home.

F. A. McKnight, formerly pharmacist at the Lambert Drug store, who has been a resident of Pittsburg, Pa., since leaving the city about two years ago, is visiting old friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Schmitt and family left Tuesday morning for Duluth where they will reside. Mr. Schmitt has been instructor of Manual Training in the local schools for a number of years.

E. F. Walker and daughter, Miss Merle, motored down from Cromwell, Minn., on Tuesday and were guests until Saturday at the J. S. Brown home southeast of the city. They encountered poor roads part of the way but made the trip in a day and a half. This was Mr. Walker's first trip to Thief River Falls and he was very enthusiastic over the city and surrounding country. Mr. Walker is a brother-in-law of Mr. Brown.

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Miss Cora Russell, who has been teaching in Montana the past summer, arrived here yesterday for a week's visit with Miss Effie Hamry. Miss Russell will be remembered by many as she was formerly instructor in the Normal department of the high school here. Before coming here Miss Russell spent some time in Glacier National Park enjoying its delights. At the conclusion of her visit here she will return to her home at Austin.

CUT PRICES

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The above are just a few examples of the gain in paying cash, therefore, we say **Pay Cash and Save 10 Per Cent.**

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Among Our Neighbors

GOODRIDGE

Mrs. V. C. McLeod was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday, having dental work done and shopping.

John Nystal returned Thursday from Fosston where he has been attending to insurance business the past week.

Miss Marie Knutson, county nurse, was in town a short while Thursday afternoon, enroute to Kratka for a visit.

Harvey Ferdinandsen returned on Saturday from a two week's vacation spent at Minneapolis and Spencer, Ia., where he visited relatives.

Vivian Thorson was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jake Kohler at their home at Audubon, Tuesday, August 16, a son. Mrs. Kohler is a sister of Mrs. Morgan Vaughan and formerly resided in this vicinity.

Carl Josephson left Wednesday for Park River, N. D., where he will be employed for some time.

John Peterson of Grygla was a business caller in town Thursday.

Mrs. O. S. Kirklie left Tuesday for Minneapolis where she will visit relatives for three weeks and will visit at Barnesville enroute home.

Miss Myrtle Erickson left Saturday for her home and Miss Kathleen Lang has taken her place at M. J. Stephenson's.

Knute Charleson of Grand Forks, was a guest at the O. S. Kirklie home Monday and Tuesday.

Noel Nelson of Brooten, Minn., was a guest at the Theo. Gilbertson home from Friday until Monday.

Miss Vivian Thorson returned on Monday from Thief River Falls where she visited over Sunday with relatives.

Prof. B. O. Norby returned Saturday from Fosston after a week's absence.

The Sunday school of the Norwegian Lutheran church held a picnic on Sunday at the Otis Ronkin farm northeast of town. Quite a crowd was in attendance and listened to a talk by Rev. Mostue. The Sunday school children rendered several songs and a good time was enjoyed by all.

Carl Christianson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

A number of friends and neighbors of Osmond Urdahl, gathered at the Urdahl home Saturday evening and helped him celebrate his birthday anniversary. A good time was enjoyed by all. A delicious lunch was served at a late hour.

Miss Marie Knutson was in town Tuesday enroute to Thief River Fall with a patient to be examined.

Ted Jeprud left on the electric car Monday evening for Thief River Falls.

Miss Agnes Tandberg of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday afternoon visiting her brother Theodore.

Rev. Lutz returned Monday evening from Thief River Falls with a new Ford.

Miss Carrie Urdahl was in Thief River Falls Tuesday, shopping and visiting friends.

Miss Louise Besancon was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

Morgan Christianson returned on Monday to Strathcona after spending the week end at home.

STEINER

Miss Katherine Riedl took the Great Northern train for Thief River Falls Saturday.

Steve Warring came down from Humboldt Sunday to hire a number of men for harvesting up north.

A number of the younger set of people surprised Marshall Slack on his seventeenth birthday, Saturday evening. Games and music formed the entertainment of the evening. At midnight a light lunch was served.

Paul Koglin called on the Meyer family Sunday.

Mrs. Lanska of Thief River Falls spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Koglin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dowacter transacted business in Steiner Monday evening.

Emmons Rogers went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening to attend to business matters.

A number of the Steiner boys autored to the Young Peoples' picnic at the H. Peterson home Sunday.

Mrs. M. O. Saugen was in town the middle of the week looking for a house which she expects to move into this coming winter.

ROSEWOOD

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Holten last Friday. Miss Viola Axelson is employed there, assisting with the housework.

John Farmen and family of Goodridge motored here last Sunday to visit with the J. E. Thompson folks.

Dr. C. M. Adkins of Thief River Falls was a professional caller here last Wednesday.

Herbert Carlson, Mrs. John Sagmoen and daughters Gladys and Verna, Mrs. Eva Carlson, Mrs. Charlotte Blomquist, Swen Swenson and daughters Olivia and Geneva, motored out to see M. G. Kirby last Thursday where several of the party received medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth motored to the town of Helgeland last Sunday where they were guests of the Andrew Olson family.

John Sorenson, Joel Shoberg, Serine Tanum and Esther Leyden motored to Maple Lake last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter Elsie of Thief River Falls and Miss Lilly Gunstad of St. Hilaire were in town on Thursday evening visiting among friends.

Miss Ida Sorenson left last week for North Dakota where she will be employed this fall.

One of the largest open scripture meetings this season was held at the Swedish church in town last Sunday evening, when the St. Hilaire and Bray Gospel teams, accompanied by speakers El Carlson and C. A. Beckman of Minneapolis, motored down and conducted evening services. Dozens of autos brought a large and attentive crowd and the church and hall was filled to the doors. The St. Hilaire choir was present and furnished the music.

Mrs. E. Lund of Thief River Falls spent a few days last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Westby.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Hellerud and Miss Annie Holm of Twin Valley and N. C. Holm of Flom, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm.

M. B. Rafteseth left last week for Hibbing where he will be employed this fall.

Miss Gladys Swenson, clerk at the Carlson store, spent Sunday at Thief River Falls visiting with Miss Carrie Nelson.

The Abe Stroble family and Miss Synneva Sorenson of Angus spent Sunday here as guests with P. Sorenson and the Haugen brothers.

Mrs. Christ Eggen returned on Monday from a few days stay with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Remmem at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Charlotte Blomquist of Middle River is spending this week as the guest of Mrs. John Bloom and Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stromberg and children motored to Angus last Sunday to visit among friends.

A carload of rye was shipped from the Hanson & Barzen elevator last Tuesday.

Ole Borgen, who is employed at Thief River Falls, came home on Monday morning for a visit with his home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Aos and Mrs. Ena Thompson of Gully and Ole Aos of Hazel, were Sunday guests of the James Thompson family.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson spent Sunday with friends at Thief River Falls.

Glazed Stage Best For Cutting Fodder Corn Crop

Maturity of the corn when cut affects both the quality and yield of silage. The corn crop gains rapidly in weight as the corn matures. All of the food element increase in total amount. The dry matter especially increases rapidly. When left to mature fully, portions of the plant become woody and indigestible and the total amount of nutriment available is difficult to recover because of indigestibility. Practically the total yield will be obtained if the corn is cut just when the ears are nicely glazed over. At this stage corn is at the maximum of digestibility also. Therefore, so far as total yield and yield of digestible nutriment is concerned, it is best to cut just at the glazed stage.

Corn silage keeps best when there is sufficient moisture in the corn to make it pack well and to overcome heating due to chemical changes in the plant tissue. Corn cut when very green contains so much moisture that it prevents these chemical reactions taking place and results in a sour silage, though it usually keeps very well. Corn cut when mature or dead ripe contains so little moisture that it cannot be packed firmly enough to keep out the air and moldy spots are very likely to occur. Ripe corn can be used for silage by running water into the silo as the corn is being cut. Even when water is added, however, it is difficult to secure as good quality of silage as when the corn is cut somewhat greener.

Corn cut at the glazed stage seems to have the advantage. It contains moisture enough to pack well and to prevent too high temperature in the curing process. All things considered the best silage so far as yield and quality are concerned, will usually be secured if the corn is cut when the ears are at the glazed stage.—Andrew Boss, vice director of Minnesota Experiment Station.

Hurt by Threshing Rig.

John Scheuring owes his life to the presence of mind that prompted him to catch hold of the friction lever to prevent his being thrown into the flywheel of a steam threshing engine on the A. Zins farm near Red Lake Falls one day last week after his clothing had caught on a set screw on the reverse gears and had thrown him between the flywheel and the boiler. Scheuring was badly bruised on the left leg and right shoulder and has a bad gash in his left knee.

GREAT STATE FAIR WILL SURPASS ALL FORMER ATTEMPTS

Greatest Event in History of Minnesota to Begin on Saturday, September 3.

The most stupendous entertainment and educational program ever put on by any state fair in America is staged for the Minnesota State Fair, Sept. 3 to 10.

The amusement bill is a thriller. It opens on Saturday, Sept. 3, with all the regular features of the week, plus a big railroad locomotive collision directly in front of the grandstand. A straight track is being laid inside of the mile track. The engines, with throttles thrown wide open, will be turned loose, one at each end of the track, and will rush head-on to destruction in the center of the track at terrific speed.

Each afternoon, directly in front of the grandstand, Lieut. Louis James will pass from a speeding racing automobile to a low-flying aeroplane—the most daring stunt ever attempted. A rope ladder hanging from the bottom of the plane will be grasped by Lieut. James as the airship goes over. Lieut. James will then climb up to the aeroplane. Ruth Law will loop the loop daily standing on top of an aeroplane.

Each evening the big fireworks spectacle, "Montezuma, or the Fall of the Aztecs," will be presented. With it will be a big open-air program of circus acts, signed up from all parts of the world. Auto polo, a dozen big bands and orchestras, and a score of other features will supplement the afternoon and evening programs. Auto racing will be put on Wedesday and Saturday, the 7th and 10th. Horse racing will be scheduled the other days. The fair gates will be closed to the public on Sunday.

The biggest live stock show in the history of the fair is assured. Every foot of space on Machinery Hill has been sold for two weeks. The eighty acres of space will be covered completely with every known kind of machinery. Several European government art exhibits will be displayed at the $500,000 art exhibition. Horseshoe pitching champions from all the states will compete for the national championship in the big tournament.

All children will be admitted free on Labor Day.

DISTRICT REPORTS ROAD WORK GOING ON IN FULL SWING

Superintendents Summarize Activities in Local Zone—Better Roads in Sight.

New construction and maintenance operations on state trunk highways under the Babcock plan in this locality are briefly set forth in current bulletins from district maintenance superintendents.

Policies of first providing good maintenance on all parts of the trunk route system and building up weak sections in long mileages of otherwise good roads have resulted in a general distribution of permanent improvement projects and early general benefits, official figures show.

A big grading and gravel surfacing project is under way on the Erskine-Crookston section and satisfactory progress on the work is reported. A new and betted detour has been opened and marked between Crookston and Maple Lake.

Traffic is being detoured also on the Crookston-Fisher section because of a ditch bank on the regular road. It is expected the county will require the ditch contractor to flatten the bank without delay, his contract time allowance having expired, and then the regular route will be reopened.

A tractor fleet has shaped up and improved the route from Thief River Falls northward through Middle River and it is in excellent condition, according to reports.

Highway betterments in this district are principally the result of two months of operations with outfits of heavy road equipment, but the maintenance forces also are making a favorable showing.

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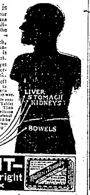

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GATHERING FACTS ON FARMER STATUS

County Farm Bureaus Compile Data on Machinery and All Improvements.

Two statewide surveys were begun this week by the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation to find out the exact effect of present economic conditions on the state's normal agricultural development.

At the request of the state federation, county farm bureaus began gathering information on purchases of farm machinery and on farm improvements made during the last six months.

"The great handicap of agriculture, in its fight for legislative relief and in its business developments, always has been a lack of accurate, specific information," farm bureau officers said. "One of the great services the farm bureau is doing for the farmer, and for the rest of the country as well, is the gathering of authorative data showing conditions as they actually exist in the production of the nation's food. The severity of the set back suffered by farmers because of the present conditions will be reflected in their ability or inability to make improvements on their farms, and to buy needed equipment."

A similar survey just completed showed that in 49 countries, farmers have to pay from 8 to 10 per cent interest on short time loans, and that in 32 counties a bonus was required on long term loans.

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Writing from Maxeys, Ga., A. J. Gillen, proprietor of a large department store at that place says:

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Staff in Charge of Local Schools For Coming Year

Following is a list giving names and home addresses of instructors and others who will have charge of the Thief River Falls schools this year:

Administration

I. T. Simley, Superintendent.
Doris Richter, Superintendent's secretary.
J. Kelly, Truant Officer.
Ruth Johnson, School Nurse.

Faculty

Lincoln

M. P. Rapacz, Argyle, Minn., Principal.
Maude Johnson, Red Wing, Minn., Music Supervisor.
Ruth Johnson, Washburn, Wis., School Nurse.
R. H. Stenhoff, Minneapolis, Minn., Coach, Phys. Tr. and General Science.
Clara Baumann, LaCrosse, Wis., Phys. Tr., Home Econ.
Ruth Soule, Grand Forks, N. D., Home Economics.
Dora Perry, Cresco, Ia. Teacher Training.
Mrs. Emma Shencup, Trenton, N. J., Teacher Training.
A. W. Jardine, Blackduck, Minn., Manual Training.
Clarence Pope, Thief River Falls, Trades and Industries
Bernadette Gormley, St. Paul, Minn., History.
Mrs. Blanche Korstad, Highlanding, Mathematics.
Goldie Stebbins, Thief River Falls, Latin, Geometry.
Agnes Stavig, Sisseton, S. D., Norse, Botany, English.
G. M. Harner, Cloquet, Minn., Science.
Minnie Leavitt, Thief River Falls, English.
Velma Webster, Minot, N. D., English.
Beulah Chamberlain, Yankton, S. D., English.
Alice Stapleton, River Falls, Wis., Commercial.

Kindergarten

Lois Wold, Grand Forks, N. D.
Frances Wengeler, Thief River Falls.

Central

Ida Tandberg, Thief River Falls, Principal History.
Maude Frissell, Thief River Falls, Arithmetic.
Josephine Weeks, Thief River Falls, English.
Lyda Batten, Rosewood, Arithmetic.
Minnie R. Mussa, Norway, Mich., Geography and Penmanship.
Lorna Dodge, Rock Lake, N. D., History.
Mrs. Tella Hill, Thief River Falls, English.

Knox

Olga Lindquist, Wylie, Minn., First grade.
Carolyn Melby, Thief River Falls First and Second grades.
Alma Harris, Twin Falls, Idaho, Second grade.
Emma Jorgenson, Leeds, N. D., Third grade.
Lucille Burns, Thief River Falls, Fourth grade.
Belva Foxen, Stevens Point, Wis., Fifth grade.
Esther Smith, Amherst, Wis., Sixth grade.

Northrup

Viola Nepper Eyde, Vulcan, Mich., First grade.
Rosamund Nordel, Staples, Minn., First grade.
Carrie E. Trogan, Enfield, Minn., Second grade.
Valborg Sandum, Thief River Falls, Third grade.
Lovina Adams, Laverne, Minn., Third and Fourth grades.
Emma Tandberg, Thief River Falls, Fourth and Fifth grades.
Gladys K. Ryan, St. Vincent, Minn., Fifth grade.
Aldora Berg, Rolette, N. D., Fifth and Sixth grades.
Kathryn O'Neill, Ironton, Minn., Sixth grade.

Washington

Florence Payne, Watertown, Minn., First grade.
Edna Ryff, Paynesville, Minn., Second grade.
Gladys Smith, Thief River Falls, Third grade.
Olga Murat, Stevens Point, Wis., Third and Fourth grades.
Mrs. Bertha Korwand, Thief River Falls, Fourth grade.
Edna Larson, Thief River Falls, Principal and Sixth grade.
Laura Jorgenson, Leeds, N. D., Sixth grade.

Janitors

Fred Holzknecht, Lincoln.
A. O. Sortland, Washington.
Otto Gerke, Knox.
John Reitz, Northrup.
Nels Larson, Central.

Lucky Escape.

While G. W. Hooper and Norman Patterson, accompanied by two others, were driving on the high grade north of Goodridge last Sunday morning, the steering apparatus gave way on their car and before they could gain control of it, it turned turtle into a deep ditch. None of the occupants were hurt to any extent, but the windshield, top, one fender and front axle of the car were more or less damaged.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Yeomen Attention.

Special meeting and Degree team work on Friday, Aug. 26, 8 p. m. Dance after meeting for members only.

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CREAMERY PATRONS GET GOOD RETURNS IN HOTTEST MONTH

July Business Surpasses Corresponding Month Last Year By About 31 Per Cent.

The report of the Thief River Cooperative creamery for July has been issued by Secretary Peter Engelstad. Cream receipts for the month were 31 per cent greater than for the corresponding month last year, and a total of 98,000 pounds of butter was turned out. Patrons received a total of $39,000 for the month, which is an excellent showing. A price of 41 cents for sour cream and 44 cents for sweet cream was paid to monthly patrons.

Following is a list of patrons receiving checks for $50 and over during the month of July:

Hans Anton, $231.72; P. Engelstad, $220.70; Jens Kierk, $193.16; S. E. Hunt, $131.20; C. M. Hoverstad, $122.00; Paul Engelstad, $121.67; S. Wiberg, $121.38; A. K. Haggy, $118.17; August Koglin, $117.00; O. S. Breiland, $116.98; Knut Solheim, $116.55; Waldie Christenson, $116.49; Mrs. Mosbeck, $115.33; R. M. Johnson, $114.71; J. A. Funnesdahl, $114.52; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $111.92; Silas Torgerson, $111.36; Andrew Hoverstad, $108.44; O. L. Skonovd, $107.95; F. M. Kline, $104.30; Peder Sabo, $103.97; Hans Sande, $102.95; Joe Oski, $99.75; John Holmgren, $98.97; N. A. Nelson, $97.48; John A. Sundt, $75.32; H. T. Waale, $94.42; A. C. Simonson, $93.75; Mrs. Katie Meyer, $93.40; C. A. Nelson, $92.90; Christ Nelson, $92.56; Fred Copp, $92.30; Will Smith, $91.70; P. Voldness, $90.40; O. J. Dahl, $88.21; Jacob Klungness, $85.89; Gunder Olson, $85.78; Fuller & Gordon, $84.58; J. H. Hardesty & Son, $84.34; Knut Finstad, $84.17; C. H. Swanson, $83.70; John Bloom, $82.40; John Sjolsvold, $81.37; L. O. Williams, $81.14; Henry Pope, $79.29; H. A. Matthees, $77.34; Albert Hanson, $76.28; Gustave Edman, $75.72; Ed. Edman, $75.11; Henry Koop, $74.37; Andrew Aanenson, $73.22; Carl Mellem, $72.75; J. H. Sannes, $72.61; Ed. Grundhous, $72.07; C. E. Oien, $72.06; Peder Hedeen, $71.78; O. E. Parnow, $71.42; Knut Ystesund, $70.31; P. Solom, $70.19; Oscar Vixie, $70.06; Gust Wilken, $69.31; Mrs. B. Overum, $69.08; John Hellquist, $69.01; Wm. Hohner, $68.32; C. Weiner, $67.52; Mrs. Bertha Saugen, $67.51; F. B. Conklin, $67.43; John Johnson, $67.23; C. Odegaard, $66.95; M. T. McFarland, $66.68; S. Hasby, $66.52; Hugh Best, $66.28; E. J. Akerlund, $65.93; Nels Rhodegaard, $65.30; F. G. Dols, $63.51; Mrs. Sigrid Sanders, $63.50; John Kellberg, $63.31; James Ramsey, $63.30; W. P. Willardson, $63.18; Nick Meyer, $63.01; R. Oen, $62.49; L. K. Hitterdahl, $62.46; H. A. Wiebe, $62.46; Even Anderson, $61.95; C. Liden, $61.71; August Carlson, $61.59; Henry Lindblom, $61.37; Simon P. Nabben, $60.86; Alois Srnsky, $60.81; August Johnson, $60.22; John B. Aandahl, $60.02; Louis Hamre, $57.23; Tarjus Larson, $57.14; Joel Shoberg, $57.06; Ludvig Larson, $56.62; P. Hornseth, $56.53; Andrew Feragen, $56.29; O. K. Lerol, $56.25; J. O. Waale, $56.09; A. A. Husby, $56.00; S. Sorenson, $55.82; Carl Erickson, $55.45; Olaf O. Omlid, $55.39; Per Sorenson, $55.40; Frank Kuinz, $55.26; H. H. Olson, $54.53; Mrs. Math Urschitz, $54.40; N. B. Swanson, $53.91; Ole Skoar, $53.49; Thomas Sanders, $53.39; John Stroberg, $53.34; C. Overum, $53.30; N. E. Muzzy, $52.63; Mrs. J. Axelson, $52.45; Gilbert Haave, $52.25; Martin Jeppson, $51.74; Gust Nokken, $51.50; Hans Fjeld, $50.63; A. Hammersten, $50.40; John Swanson, $50.36; T. K. Rynestad, $50.43; Fred Turnquist, $50.21.

Weekly Market Review.

(Quinn-Shepherdson Co.)

Wheat prices held comparatively firm during the fore part of the week but later the contagious weakness in coarse grains affected the entire list and resulted in lower prices for all grains.

The early movement to market of wheat and oats exceeds all records in large volumes. Likewise the demand for wheat has been remarkable. Absorption of over 120 million bushels of winter wheat alone at the primary markets and at the Gulf since July 1st, without great depression of prices sufficiently indicates the extent of foreign demand.

Corn and oats prices made new low marks even for many seasons in the pre-war period. The corn market is featured by continued export clearances and new export sales almost daily. The visible corn supply, though still quite large compared with other years, has been greatly reduced by our unusually heavy clearances for export, and stocks now cannot be called burdensome. Many important sections of the corn belt are reporting adverse effects from heat and drouth, so that a crop somewhat under last year is now generally anticipated.

The visible supply of oats to date is reported 52,893,000. The corresponding time a year ago the supply was about four million bushels. This tremendous load, most of which is unsold, has forced prices unbelievably low and discouraged new investment buying. The Canadian oats surplus is filling most of the European demands on account of heavier test weight and superior quality.

Despite rather bullish statistics, particularly in wheat, rye and flax, and the very low prices in coarse grains, no broad buying movement seems likely for the near future, but the markets appear to be entitled technically to some upward reaction and fair advances the coming week would not be unexpected.

LOWER PRICES ON ALL LIVE STOCK

Cattle Prices Steady to 25 Cents Lower—Hogs Break 25 to 75c; Sheep 25 to 50c.

Monday's Closing.

Cattle, 7,000. Market draggy. No corn feds offered. Grass cattle steady to 25c lower. Calves 700. Market strong to 50c higher, packer top $7.50, seconds $4.00. Hogs 4,300. Market unevenly 25 to 75c lower, bulk $7.50 to $8.50, top $9.00. Sheep 1,000. Market 25 to 50c lower.

South St. Paul, Minn., August 22, 1921. Although receipts here and elsewhere at the week's opening were considerably lighter than a week ago, the trend of the market for grass cattle continued downward, general trade today being steady to 25c lower. Corn fed cattle are quotable from $7.50 to $9.25, that class topping last week's trade at $9.00 on Saturday. Best grass beef steers are quotable around $7.00 or slightly better but nothing sold in load lots in today's trade over $6.50, bulk going from this price down to $5.00, with a few as low as $4.50. Butcher cows and heifers off grass sold largely from $3.00 to $4.50, with a few good to choice heifers on up to $6.00 or slightly above. Canners and cutters are selling from $1.50 to $2.75; bologna bulls from $2.75 to $3.75. Best light veal calves sold today to packers at $7.50, seconds largely $4.00. After remaining fairly stable all last week, stockers and feeders lost around 25c today. Heavy desirable feeders sell largely from $5.50 to $6.50 with a few choice kinds quotable to around $6.75. Stock steers go largely from $4.00 to $5.00, with a few of the choice kinds on up to $5.50 or $5.75.

After losing nearly $1.00 in last week's trade, hog prices broke sharply again today, registering fresh losses of 25 to 75c. Range $7.00 to $9.00, bulk $7.50 to $8.50. Good to choice pigs held steady to strong at $9.00 to $9.25. Native lambs opened 25 to 50c lower, bulk of better grades $8.00, with a few choice ones at $8.25 to $8.50. Good light ewes topped at $3.50 showing around a 25c loss.

New Improvements Cut in Two—Federal Aid Short.

The state highway department has been forced to postpone about half the permanent improvements planned this season under the launching of the Babcock plan. Failure of congress to make the expected federal aid apportionment available for use this season is responsible for the 1921 curtailment.

Commissioner Babcock, after investigating at Washington, is satisfied that Minnesota will receive for 1921 and 1922 the usual $2,840,000 apportionment of federal aid and, further, that no difficulty will be met in the government requirements.

Accordingly, steps are being taken to use the federal funds when credits are forthcoming, it was announced, and there will be no serious set-back. The main difference will be only the postponement of more than $2,225,000 of grading and gravel surfacing and $500,000 of paving on the Babcock program for the first year.

100 CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERIES UNITE

Statewide Service Agency Gets Members Producing 15,000,000 Pounds of Butter.

More than 100 co-operative creameries have joined the central marketing agency which is being organized throughout the state by Minnesota dairymen, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation announced today.

The co-operative creamery association is the second centralized marketing enterprise to be launched in the state this year. The first was the Central Co-operative Commission association, which is now handling livestock on the South St. Paul market for 300 co-operative shipping associations in Minnesota, Wisconsin and the Dakotas, according to farm bureau officers.

The first co-operative shipping unit formed by Minnesota co-operative creameries has voted to join the state-wide organization, John Brandt of Litchfield, secretary of the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, said today in St. Paul. This shipping unit is made up of 21 creameries in Meeker, Wright and Kandiyohi counties. It began operations in April this year, with 13 creameries as members, and already has shipped 45 carloads of butter to terminal markets, Mr. Brandt said.

The 100 Minnesota creameries now united in a state association produce more than 15,000,000 pounds of butter annually, H. B. Nickerson, president of the organization said.

The state creameries association plans to improve the market for Minnesota co-operative creamery butter by placing representatives on the principal eastern markets to superintend sales and by a national advertising campaign. It also will attempt to save money for the producers by arranging shipments in carload lots at lower freight rates and by purchasing supplies for the creameries in wholesale lots, Mr. Nickerson said.

Dr. Spofford

Optometrist

will be at Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Thursday, Sept. 1, from 1 p. m. to 8 p. m.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Crab apples at 10c per pound. Telephone 173-J. Mrs. S. J. Anderson, 522 Red Lake Blvd. 29

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For automobile, team of horses, eight and nine yrs. old. Geo. Kuzss, south of Greenwood cemetery, Rt. 3, City. 29pd

FOR SALE—One of my three teams of horses, weight about 2600. Sam A. Johnson, 3 miles southwest. 29p

FOR SALE—Used Fordson tractor in good condition. McFarland Auto Co. 25

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping or for school girls. Located near the high school. Inquire 407 Duluth Ave. N. 29tf

FOR SALE—My seven room house with three 50 ft. lots, barn and good well at 704 Conely Ave. S. Rev. M. S. Gjerde. 29p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
25tf St. Hilaire, Minn.

FOR SALE—A new modern 7-room bungalow, in very good location. Easy terms. M. A. Schmitt, 103 Duluth Ave. S. 27tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T. 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of George Lehners. 27tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Hupmobile, in first-class condition. W. E. Baker. 29p

FOR SALE—By owner, 5 room house, East side. Inquire Times office. 26tf

FOR SALE—16-gauge Winchester. Inquire at Bishop's Dairy Lunch. 29p

FOR SALE—Dairy farm at a bargain if taken at once. ¼ mile out of city limits. Inquire Albert Coyle. 29p

FOR SALE—Five room house with full basement, furnace and deep cistern, barn, poultry house, auto shed, 2½ acres of land, orchard with 20 fruit trees and different kinds of berries. Located on east side close to city limits near Bridge street. Rev. Rot Nylson, R3, Thief River Falls. Phone 1832. 29

HORSES FOR SALE—One team, can give choice of six, wt. 1300 to 1400. Jens Letnes, Thief River Falls. 29

FOR SALE—Four big young work oxen. Inquire A. Westphal, Thief River Falls, Minn. 28p

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Eighty acres land, two miles south of Viking. Will take Thief River Falls property in exchange. Write Joseph Morin, Argyle, Minn. 30-p.

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 40pd

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

WANTED TO BUY—Threshing separator, 22-inch cylinder. Kotlan Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 23tf

WANT TO BUY—A small farm with stock and machinery, from owner. No land man need answer. A. Carlson, City, Box 1124. 29p

WANT TO BUY—A few farms for cash and a six room modern house. Call at 408 Duluth Ave. So. 29tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two partially furnished rooms. Call at 305 Arnold Ave. N. Rev. Bredeson. 30

FOR RENT—Half Section farm, near town. M. G. Harlow. 29tf

FOR RENT—One nice bedroom for one or two men or boys, with use of front room. Inquire of J. L. Bean. 29tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, modern, 116 St. Paul Ave. South, Phone 3222. 29tf

FOR RENT—Farm 8 miles east of Thief River Falls on State road. Well improved. Known as Aug. Lautenbach place. Capt. A. Hovland, Thief River Falls. Phone 313-J. 27tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Maxie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 11 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FOR RENT—At once, 160 acre farm with good buildings, fenced, and with 115 acres in field. Also have 12 to 15 milch cows to rent with farm. Located southeast of Goodridge, in township of Star. Write John T. Homme, Highlanding, Minn. 22tf

FOR RENT—Modern room. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

Help Wanted—Male

CLERKS—(Men, Women) over 17, for Postal Mail Service, $120 month. Examinations September. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars write J. Leonard (former Civil Service Examiner) 450 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 29p

LOST

LOST—30x3½ tire with cover and rim west of Thief River Falls. Please leave at Times office. Emanuel Nelson, Strandquist, Minn. 30p

LOST—Thursday at M. A. Schmitt's auction, $30 in currency. Finder return to John Dahl, 421 1st street. 29

FOUND

FOUND—Automobile tail-light and license tag No. A-123-511, on road east of Thief River Falls. Owner may have same by calling at the Times office and paying for this ad. 29

MISCELLANEOUS

EXCHANGE—Automobile or Tractor to exchange for horses, cattle or hogs. See J. J. Aga, Thief River Falls, Minn. Also have modern house for sale. 28-29

TO TRADE—For Hardware stock, improved farm, 6 miles N. E. of city. Farmers' Co-operative Land Co. 29tf

Legal Notices

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie Hoard, also known as Mine Hoard, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to A. C. Matheson, Thora Shetler, John F. Matheson, Henry Hoard, Milton Hoard, Lily Hoard, Regna Matheson, Minnie Matheson, John Matheson, Alice Matheson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of August, 1921.

(Seal) LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate.

O. A. NAPLIN, Attorney for Petitioner. A-25-S-1-8

Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge.

In Bankruptcy, No. 1831.

In the Matter of George Knapper, Bankrupt.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States.

George Knapper, of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 2nd day of April, 1921, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 2nd day of August, A. D. 1921.

GEORGE KNAPPER, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On the 16th day of August, A. D. 1921, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1921, before said court, at St. Paul, in said district, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors, copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence, as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said district, on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1921.

CHARLES L. SPENCER, (Seal of the Court) Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSON, Deputy Clerk.
A-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Anders L. Svendelle, decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil Ness,

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his *estate in this Court, be, and the same* hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated July 21, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate
H. O. CHOMMIE Attorney for Estate.
A 11-18-25

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Eight hundred fifty-one and 75-100 ($1851.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., in book 66 of Mortgages, on page 91, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1851.75 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to *redemption at any time within one year* from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 9th, A. D. 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota
A 11-18-25 S 1-8-15

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Twelve Dollars, which became due on the 11th day of April, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee bearing date the 11th day of April, 1918, and with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of April, 1918, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 53 on page 530 thereof, and whereas pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage by reason of said default, the whole unpaid principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: the sum of Forty-Eight Dollars ($48.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the time of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Forty-eight dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 11th day of April, 1918, and the further sum of Forty-four Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1920, and still a further sum of Forty-four dollars with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since April 11, 1921, the latter two amounts being interest paid by said mortgagee under the terms of said mortgage upon a prior mortgage, default having been made in the payment of the same and in said amounts by said mortgagors; the total amount due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice is the sum of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27.)

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: Lot No. Four (4) of Section No. Seven (7) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) and the South East Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington, state of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to pay the said debt of One Hundred Fifty-eight and 27-100 Dollars ($158.27) and interest from the date of this notice, and taxes if any on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated July 15th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN, Attorney for Mortgagee, Oklee, Minn.
J21-28 A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Take notice that default has occurred and now exists in the condition of that certain mortgage bearing date the 28th day of July, 1919, made, executed and delivered by Bertha O. Swanson and William A. Swanson, her husband, mortgagors, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, a corporation, mortgagee, and with the power of sale therein contained was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of August, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 on page 51 thereof, because of the failure of the said mortgagor to pay the interest which became due upon a prior mortgage December 1st, 1919, and subsequent installments, and whereas, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the said mortgage first above described, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit, the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) became at once due and payable, and was and is hereby so declared by said mortgagee, and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of Five hundred Dollars ($500.00) and interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum since the 28th day of July, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit, The East Half of the South West Quarter and Lots No. Three (3) and Four (4) of Section No. 18 in Township No. 152 North of Range 40 West of the 5th P. M., being in Pennington County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to pay the said debt and interest, and taxes if any, and an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars as stipulated in and by said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 18th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN, Attorney for Mortgagee, Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75) which became due on the First day of November, 1920, and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Guttorm T. Bo, unmarried, mortgagor, to The Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Oklee, Minnesota, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1919, which mortgage with the power of sale therein contained was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of January, 1920, at Nine o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 100 thereof; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 75-100 Dollars ($160.75), with interest thereon at the rate of Ten per cent per annum from the 11th day of December, 1919.

And, whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings at law or otherwise having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first above described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-five (35) and the North Half of the Southwest quarter of Section No. 36 in Township No. 152 North of Range No. 39 West of the 5th P. M., being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State, on Saturday, the 3rd day of September, 1921, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public vendue to pay said debt of $160.75 and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, together with an attorney's fee of Twenty-five dollars, according to the terms of said mortgage, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of said sale as provided by law.

Dated July 16th, 1921.

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF OKLEE, Mortgagee.
NILS HAGEN, Attorney for Mortgagee, Oklee, Minn.
J21-28-A4-11-18-25

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2nd Street and Main Street

STANDARD OIL COMPANY
THIEF RIVER FALLS (Indiana) MINNESOTA

2500

American Legion Corner

A Growing Factor.
(Montevideo News)

There are some people in America possessed of an active but unfounded fear that the American Legion is a selfish organization—of, by and for service men only. They profess to see in such a tendency a menace to America. Had they been observers at the recent state convention of The American Legion of Minnesota held in Winona, they would have seen and heard much to allay their fears.

They would have learned that the Legion's interest in its own disabled, crippled, war-stricken members is not a selfish matter. It is not to the credit of the nation that the Legion had had to wage an active and persistent fight against heavy odds in order to secure for these men and women a slight measure of justice, a tolerable degree of decent treatment from the nation in whose behalf they incurred their disability. Without the Legion's fight the country would have been shamed before the eyes of the world.

These observers would have learned, too, that the young men and women of the American Legion give serious thought to other matters of general patriotic concern. Aside from the time and energy given to various lines of activity, perhaps the *most striking indication of a thoughtful interest* in matters of Americanism was the reception given an address by Dr. F. O. Norton of Drake University, DesMoines, Iowa. Mr. Norton is a member of the national Americanism Commission of the American Legion.

His address came at the close of a long day during which the attention of delegates had been riveted on numerous speeches and reports through two full sessions. Mr. Norton overcame this handicap, partly by his own powerful eloquence and charm of expression; partly because his audience was in hearty accord with him in his exposition of those principles which make Americanism a true, vital force. The attitude of the thousand Legionaires who heard him for an hour was a refutation of attacks upon the Legion and a challenge to forces that seek to undermine America.

The usefulness of the American Legion as a training school in public life was demonstrated by the convention. After three days of rather lively campaigning, officers were elected who are representative of the Legion in Minnesota, who typify the best the organization has, and who can confidently be relied on for able, devoted and instructive administration of the American Legion in the department of Minnesota. Under their leadership the Legion will continue to grow as an important factor in the worth-while activities of the state.

When Nathan Potak, a youth from Ukrania, gave his life in the service of the United States in the World War, he made a sacrifice which may save his father, mother and two brothers from deportation. The family arrived in Minneapolis nearly penniless and were taken in custody by immigration authorities as violators of certain immigration regulations. They then learned for the first time of their son's sacrifice. The American Legion is endeavoring to obtain for them the $10,000 government insurance, state bonus and dependents' allowance.

Joyce Lewis, member of the Legion at Long Prairie, Minn., was among the mourners at the funeral of his buddy, Corporal Robert Burns [illegible], at St. Paul recently. Lewis owes his life to the dead soldier. The latter dragged him out of a shell hole in No-Man's-Land and was later killed in action. Lewis, though crippled, returned to the United States. He lost all trace of his rescuer until he read in a newspaper that the body of his comrade would be brought back from France for reburial.

Membership in the Legion is proving valuable in more ways than one. To Arnold Hawkinson of Glencoe Post No. 95, Minnesota, it was worth the cost of a new Ford coupe. Last week, in Minneapolis, his car was stolen. A week later two women drove up to the Minneapolis police station to visit Oscar Jordan, who had been arrested previously. They arrived in a Ford coupe and when police, suspicious, examined it, they found underneath the seat a copy of the American Legion Weekly, bearing the name and address of "Arnold Hawkinson, Glencoe, Minn." The car was quickly returned to its owner.

George Boehmer, overseas veteran of Springfield, Ill., waited two years for the war risk bureau to adjust his claim for compensation. The award came eight hours after the veteran succumbed to tuberculosis. William McCauley, Illinois Legion Commander, who had been assisting Boehmer secure his compensation, wired to Washington as follows: "Boehmer received his reward this morning. Case now in hands of his Maker."

The Todd County Agricultural association will honor the American Legion August 26 by designating it American Legion Day at the Todd County Fair and admitting all paid-up Legionaires free. Todd County Legion posts at Long Prairie, Eagle Bend, Little Sauk, Bertha, Clarissa, Browerville, Staples and Bertram, as well as Osakis Post in Douglas county, will send delegates to Long Prairie to hear State Commander Van Dyke of St. Paul deliver his first public address following his selection as Department Commander.

In a little cemetery at Crystal Lake, Minneapolis, there was laid to rest last week, the body of Corporal Samuel Lundeen, U. S. Army. Thus ended the career of one of the war's heroes. Corporal Lundeen had been under treatment in a Minneapolis hospital. Heart disease, brought on by German poison gas, was his trouble. Last week, walking outside the hospital, he fainted, fell and never rallied. His relatives could not be located but on his person was a U. S. Army Discharge which showed that "for unusual bravery under heavy shell fire at Massy Aux Cois," he was cited in Army Orders. H. W. Abrahams, a former buddy now living in Minneapolis, declared: "Sam was a 'fighting fool' and the best buddy in the world. Other First Division men used to say that the Fifth Artillery was made up of 'fighting fools'—but few were as brave as Sam Lundeen." And so, when all efforts to locate his relatives proved unavailing, Sam's comrades of the Legion laid him gently to rest on the green hillside of Crystal Lake cemetery. His buddies of the First Division association furnished the pall bearers and fired the final salute over his grave. Somewhere, those dear to him may read these lines and feel comforted to know his grave will not be forgotten. The Legion stands on guard.

"As Legionaires and as Americans we are proud of America and of our great national organization," declares State Commander Van Dyke in a communication to Minnesota Legion posts, "but deep in our hearts there glows a special pride in our department and in the great state of Minnesota. Our greatest glory is our North Star state and all she stands for, and our greatest wish is to honor her, not only at home, but when the hosts of the Legion gather from the four corners of America in Kansas City next October. In that monster parade of surging Legionaires from every state in the Union, how many buddies from your town will march shoulder to shoulder with the buddies from our other 185 Minnesota towns when the bands start playing as General Pershing and Marshal Foch give the signal which will start the greatest parade in all history?"

Best Farming Method.

Those regions where dairying is the chief business, are the last to feel financial depressions and the first to catch the breeze of prosperity. The dairy cow returns a big dividend on the amount of money invested in her.—Winnebago Enterprise.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

LIQUOR SMUGGLING STUNT IS PLANNED FOR NORTH BORDER

Attempt Being Made to Transport Half Million in Liquor Across to Baudette.

More than half a million dollars worth of whiskey and beer is at Rainey River, all ready to be smuggled into the United States by way of Baudette and other points along the river, says the Baudette Region. It is composed of a carload of alcohol, one of Scotch, one of brandy, one of beer and one of rye. There is also a big consignment of essence of bourbon which, mixed with alcohol, is said to make a brand of bourbon whiskey—the kind that makes glad the soul of the American drinker. The owners of the stuff, the United Shippers of Winnipeg, make no secret of the fact that it is intended for shipment into this country. In fact when it was seized by the Canadian authorities recently, their defense was that it was intended for importation. In handing down his decision, giving back the shipment, Judge Hollands of Fort Frances states that he believes that it will get into the hands of blindpiggers and bootleggers on this side of the line, but the Canadian law does not prohibit exporting whiskey, so the company has the stuff in its possession legally. The liquor is now at Rainy River and is being guarded by several men. It is valued at six hundred thousand dollars.

Customs officials at Baudette expect the time of their lives in keeping the liquor from entering this country, and it is expected that the stuff will be increased until the danger has passed.

HUNTING LAWS FOR THIS SEASON MORE STRICT THAN EVER

Principal Points in Game Laws For 1921—Put Them Away For Future Reference.

The open season on prairie chickens runs from September 16 until October 1st. Nine birds may be taken in a day, but 18 birds is the full season limit.

Ducks, coots and geese may be shot from September 16 to December 31. The day limits are 15 ducks and coots and 5 geese. You may shoot 45 ducks, 45 coots and 5 geese as your season limit.

Partridge cannot be taken this fall, the season being closed until October 15, 1922.

Hunters must remember that it is unlawful to enter into any growing grain or to allow their dogs to do so, without permission of the land owner, and that it is unlawful to hunt on the land of another after having been notified not to do so.

Deer may be taken between Nov. 10 and Nov. 20, under practically the same other conditions as heretofore, except that a metal tag to be furnished by the county auditor at a cost of 25c must be attached to big game carcasses. The tag will be furnished with each license issued at the same time.

FORD CUTS RATES AND TILTS WAGES

Hard Times Hold No Terror For Manufacturer of Flivver. Now Owns Railroads.

Jokesmiths will continue to make "flivver" jokes, but the world no longer laughs at Henry Ford—particularly that small section of the world known as Wall street. It was about to enjoy a good laugh at the manufacturer's expense when something happened—but that part of the story comes later.

Today Ford is probably the most talked-of man in the United States, because he has increased the wages of workers when nearly every other employer is attempting to reduce them, and has decreased freight charges on his railroad, the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton, when every other railroad executive in the country has been protesting that this policy would be ruinous.

He has also made an offer to the government to take over the Muscle Shoals nitrate plant, finance it and produce fertilizer for the American farmer on conditions that have caused Big Business to gasp. The plan is to operate this great enterprise at a net profit of not to exceed 8 per cent per year, and to permit farm organizations to have supervision over accounts, that they may know that farmers are getting exactly what Ford promises them.

The result is that President Harding has received a petition signed by 400 fruit growers of Oceana county, Mich., asking that the railroads of the country be turned over to Ford. The petition states that present freight rates are taking most of the profits of farmers' crops, and point out that Ford recently reduced rates on his railroad and thus made conditions easier for those who use his carrier.

Cabinet officers are said to be swamped with messages from farmers and farm organizations urging approval of Ford's proposal to take over the Muscle Shoals plant. The manufacturer appears in the light of a benefactor to a majority of the farmers, according to the messages they are sending in to government officials. The approval by the government of his offer will save hundreds of millions of dollars yearly to agricultural interests.

Tallest Man in the World Passes Through Baudette

The tallest man in the world passed through Baudette Monday evening, and those who saw him didn't need to be told. He is over eight feet in height and when he stood on the station platform, his head came within a few inches of the top of the windows in the car. He was built in proportion, having exceptionally long fingers, feet that looked like violin cases and very broad shoulders. He must weigh six or seven hundred pounds. He recently came from Holland and was on his way to the Toronto Fair, where he is to exhibit himself.

The day after he passed through Baudette the big chap was married at Port Arthur to a Winnipeg stenographer, who must think a lot of him, or at least has a lot of him to think of. She also is a Hollander by birth.—Baudette Region.

Better Schedule Planned For Moving Stock Trains

A committee of shippers, farmers, stockyards and packing house representatives and railroad officials is at work this week on changes in train schedules for marketing of Minnesota livestock. Heavy losses are suffered by farmers because shipments are not properly distributed on the South St. Paul market, the committee has found. On some days the market is glutted, causing congestion and depressing prices, members said. The committee met yesterday at the state capitol and began planning changes in train schedules, so that an equal supply of stock will arrive on the market every day. The farm bureau and the Central Co-operative Commission association are represented on the committee.

Tilt With Jim Jam Jems Ends in Death of Woman

Mrs. Mary de Brito, a Chicago beauty prize winner, killed herself Tuesday, while mentally deranged. That is a news item of little interest until one reads the further statement that she is supposed to have had a controversy with Sam Clark's magazine, Jim Jam Jems, and through fear of reprisal committed the rash act.

She had read an article, "The Plumed Knight," in the August issue of the magazine, which she thought approved of tar and feathering parties. She, therefore wrote a letter of protest to Governor Frazier of North Dakota and urged suspension of Jim Jam Jems for advocating such a policy. The governor forwarded the letter of protest to the editor of Clark's magazine and it is said that the reply she got from him was what scared her. The editor in replying to Mrs. de Brito, said:

"If you are undergoing a reform phase your own city and state afford you boundless opportunities. We didn't start your intrusion into our affairs, but we'll guarantee to finish it good and plenty."

Girls, Unanimously.

The Roseau Times-Region of last week reported that of nine births occurring in the neighborhood during the preceding week, each of the newcomers was a girl. That section of the country has heretofore been populated with men largely in the majority but at the present rate this condition will not be for long.

Newspaper Advertising.

Important as are the factors of labor, raw material, production, marketing and organization, none of these is as significant today as advertising.—Dr. John J. Tigert, United States Commissioner of Education.

Piano Tuning.

I wish to announce that I will be in Thief River Falls on my regular Fall tuning trip, on and after Aug. 22nd. Leave orders at Lambert's Drug store.

A-25tf A. L. CAED

Upper and Lower.

He was no traveling man. That much was noticed by a clerk in the consolidated city ticket office at Main street and Court avenue.

"Let me have sleeping car accomodations on the train to New York," said the man, approaching the clerk cautiously.

"For a single passenger?" asked the clerk, smiling.

"No," replied the man. "I'm married, but I am not taking anybody with me. A single shelf will answer, I suppose."

"Upper or lower?" again asked the clerk.

"What's the difference?" inquired the passenger.

"A difference of about $1," answered the clerk.

The passenger paused, as he fumbled his money, and the clerk explained:

"You understand, of course, the lower is higher than the upper. The higher price is for the lower berth. If you want it lower, you'll have to go higher. We sell the upper lower than the lower. In other words, the higher the lower."

"Why do they all ask for the lower?" asked the man.

"On account of its convenience," replied the clerk hastily. "Most persons don't like the upper, although it's lower, on account of it being higher, and because when you occupy an upper, you have got to get up to your bed and then get down when you get up. I would advise you to take the lower, although it's higher than the upper, for the reason I have stated, that the upper is lower than the lower, because it is higher. You can have the lower if you pay higher; but if you are willing to go higher it will be lower."

For a time it seemed as though it would be necessary to call an ambulance and send the bewildered customer to a hospital.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

GIRLS IN BANKS ASSIST CASHIERS

"Women, properly trained, have fair chances of becoming bank officers," says F. L. Watkins, Pres., Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. "Many of our girls enter banks as stenos or bookkeepers and advance to official positions. Recently we sent Ellen Granlund to the First State Bank of Felton as asst. cashier, Selina Lindelien to a like position at the Merchants State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn."

About 700 banks employ D. B. C. graduates. "Follow the Successful." Write F. L. Watkins, 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., about Fall courses of study.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.13
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.08
Oats	.29
Flax	1.77
Barley	.30
Rye	.81
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	18-20
Spring Chickens	.16
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.23
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery Butter	.43
Creamery Butter	.40
Cow Hides, per lb.	.02-.03
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.10
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04-.05
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

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Supplied to the Great Northwest
DULUTH FLORAL CO.
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Extra Value in Emblems and Sprays for Funerals

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OPTOMETRIST
will make regular visits to Thief River Falls as usual during the coming fall, winter and spring. Watch for dates later.
We wish to announce also that we have installed lens-grinding machinery at the Long Prairie office and can make most lenses in a few hours. Send us your broken glasses for quick repairs.

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RECREATION PARLOR
A pleasant place to meet and entertain your friends. All pool tables newly equipped and in perfect alignment. Select candies, cigars and soft drinks.
SHANAHAN & SHEEDY
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It's Canning time!
Are you ready to put up Peaches, Pears and Plums?
WHAT a welcome task is fruit-canning, with all its delightful associations! Firm, white halves of pears; sun-tinted, downy-cheeked peaches; deep colored, glistening plums; newly washed Ball mason jars ready to fill; steaming kettles that spread a delicious fragrance of cooking fruit.
Put on your apron and begin! Don't put off this profitable work. Factory prepared fruits are extravagant.
After these popular fruits are on the market they soon disappear. Fill your shelves with home canned fruits and preserves and you'll rejoice all winter.
Nothing adds quite such a delightful taste to a meal as pickled peaches or pears. Try this tested recipe—
1 pint vinegar
4 pounds sugar
7 pounds peaches or pears
1 ounce cloves
Peel the fruit and stick 4 cloves into each. Cook for 15 minutes in syrup made of the vinegar and sugar. Place in hot Ball mason jars and seal.
PACIFIC N. W. GROWERS & JOBBERS ASSOCIATION
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says the Good Judge
A little of this real tobacco gives a man more satisfaction than he ever got from the old kind.
The full, rich, real tobacco taste lasts so long, you don't need a fresh chew nearly as often. That's why it costs you less.
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Put up in two styles
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Weyman-Bruton Company, 1107 Broadway, New York City

The biggest children's show ever held in these parts will be put on at the
MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
September 3 to 10

Auction Sale
The following will be offered at public sale to be held at my farm near Wylie on the 28th day of Sept., 1921:
Eight head of Registered Shorthorn Cattle, Bulls and Cows. None better ever brought into the Northwest.
Eleven head of grades of superior quality.
Four Horses.
My entire line of Farm Machinery nearly new
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ANTON TO LEAD FARM BUREAU'S WORK FOR YEAR

Hans Anton, Long Prominent in County, Chosen as President of Farm Bureau.

Comprehensive Plans For Next Year's Work Formulated at Annual Meeting.

Bureau Members Express Gratitude For Liberal Aid Given By Business Men.

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association was held in the rooms of the Thief River Falls Commercial club on Sunday, Aug. 28. The meeting was largely attended and very successful, there being representatives present from fifteen of the 21 townships in the county.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year from the directors of the fifteen townships represented, as follows: President, Hans Anton, St. Hilaire; vice president, Harry C. Woolson, Thief River Falls; secretary and treasurer, Stuart McLeod, Goodridge; county director, Paul Engelstad, Thief River Falls. The constitution and by-laws for the farm bureau organization were revised to conform with the new township unit plan recently inaugurated in all townships.

Working Program Discussed.

The program of work for next year was fully discussed at the meeting, and especial attention was given to the question how best to eradicate the sow thistle. It was generally agreed that the most effective way of combating the pest is through the growing of fall rye, sweet clover, alfalfa and similar crops, together with the keeping of live stock, following a rotation and the growing of cultivated crops.

Business Men Praised.

The attitude of the business men of Pennington county in helping to finance the farm bureau association was brought to the attention of the members at Sunday's meeting and many expressions of appreciation were given. This liberal attitude of the business and professional men is highly appreciated by the bureau members, many of whom feel that to have carried the entire financial burden among the farmer members would have been impossible.

The splendid co-operation shown among citizens of town and country has made it possible to continue the farm bureau organization in a very effective manner despite the fact that no county aid was forthcoming this year to assist in defraying expenses.

Proper Spirit Shown.

The meeting on Sunday was particularly noticeable for the optimistic spirit of the farmers in attendance. While many have been conducting farms during the past two seasons under decidedly adverse circumstances, it was very evident from sentiment expressed at the meeting that they are not by any means yet ready to give up the ship.

Pennington county farmers are improving the conditions under which they labor and a large majority is confident that the farm bureau association furnishes the best means for bringing about the desired results. As a general rule the best farmers in all parts of the county hold memberships in the bureau, and in some townships the membership is 100 per cent.

IMPORTANT TOPICS BROUGHT UP TODAY AT CLUB LUNCHEON

City Scales Question and Tax Levy For Park Questions To Be Considered.

A number of interesting subjects will be brought up for discussion at the noonday luncheon of the Commercial club today. It is understood the subject of providing public scales for Thief River Falls will be taken up and recommendations made to the city council in regard to the matter. Mayor John Bratrud is heartily in favor of such a move and has secured testimonials from a number of cities in the state where public scales are maintained.

Another matter which is being urged by Mayor Bratrud is the proposal to make a tax levy in the city for park purposes. The argument is set forth that a tax levy of two or three mills would hardly be noticed by the individual taxpayer and would provide funds which are badly needed by the park board for beautifying the city's play grounds. The mayor desires the sentiment of the Commercial club on this important subject before making recommendations to the city council.

At next week's meeting of the club, Game Warden Munch will be present to give a talk on the new state game and fish laws. This is a very seasonable subject at this time and the talk should prove of interest.

Making a Tour of State.

E. B. Lindsley, publisher of the Pine County Farmer at Willow River, was a caller at The Times office on Tuesday. Mr. Lindsley is making an automobile trip and expects to proceed to the Canadian border before starting back. This was his first visit to this section of the state and he expressed surprise at the stage of development found on every hand.

Dr. Mellby Returns.

Dr. O. F. Mellby returned yesterday morning from Chicago, where he had spent two months at the largest hospital in the city making a special study of eye, ear, nose and throat work under some of the most eminent specialists in the country. The doctor will hereafter specialize in diseases of these organs and will confine himself to office practice only. Dr. H. W. Froehlich and Dr. L. F. Fisher, the other two doctors in the Clinic, will take care of the necessary outside work.

Liberty Versus Freedom!

So it has come to this? To be a free man in a free country you must swim three miles away from the country with a $10 bill in your mouth!—Sugarman's Indicator.

WHOLESALE FRUIT CONCERN ACQUIRES TESSUM PROPERTY

Gamble-Robinson Company to Establish Branch Distributing Point Here.

A deal was closed this week whereby the Gamble-Robinson company, wholesale fruit dealers, purchased the Tessum building just across the tracks from the Soo depot. Part of the building will be retained for offices and storage purposes by the Tessum company, the new concern taking over the basement, first floor and part of the office space. The Tessum company will maintain its offices in the building as formerly, retaining the third floor and its old suite of offices on the first floor.

The old Tessum building on Third street has been opened for business but this will take care of the retail trade only and the wholesale business will be conducted from the building near the depot, where the main warehouse and office will be housed.

The Gamble-Robinson company is a large concern with a number of distributing points throughout the northern part of the state. The firm deals in fruits exclusively and picked Thief River Falls as the most advantageous point from which to serve the northwest counties of the state. A large stock will be carried and it is anticipated the new concern will enjoy a splendid business from the start.

GOOD ROADS AHEAD OF FAIR VISITORS

State Highway Department Orders Trunk Routes Smoothed For Extra Travel.

Conditions on trunk highways to St. Paul and Minneapolis are reported by the highway department this week for the information of parties planning to make automobile trips to the state fair. The reports are furnished by district maintenance superintendents, and barring bad weather, will be found fairly accurate, it is said.

Special preparations were ordered made by the highway department for the heavy traffic predicted from state fair travel. Orders were given all patrolmen to make special efforts to put smooth surfaces on their sections. Extra crews were added to speed marking of the trunk routes with yellow stars carrying the number of each. The big task is nearing completion in most districts, superintendents report.

Owing to the large amount of new road construction, there are many detours scattered over the state and in some cases it has been found difficult for various reasons to maintain them in satisfactory condition. The detours are marked.

NEW ASSESSOR TO BEGIN WORK SOON

Commission Grants Request to Reassess Thief River Falls Personal Property.

The state tax commission has evidently decided that it is necessary to reassess the personal property in the city of Thief River Falls, in accordance with a resolution recently passed and forwarded to that body by the board of county commissioners.

Information received by County Auditor T. P. Anderson from the commission indicates that the work will be started at once and will be in charge of L. R. Swift, a man appointed by that body. All necessary supplies for the reassessment arrived at the auditor's office yesterday and it is likely the new assessor will be here before the end of the week to begin his labors. Going over all the personal property in the city is a large undertaking and the task is likely to consume several weeks of time.

STATE AUDITOR GIVES NEW JOB TO LOCAL MAN

Wilhelm Michelet Named to Head New State Department Recently Created.

Exceptional Qualifications of Thief River Falls Man Fit Him For Place.

Michelet Family to Leave Saturday For Merriam Park to Establish Home.

WILHELM MICHELET

Wilhelm Michelet of Thief River Falls was on Monday appointed by State Auditor Ray P. Chase to be state superintendent of farm lands. This is a new position recently created to bring about more efficient handling of the state's land interests.

The mineral lands department will be continued with F. A. Wildes as head, while Otto Diercks will continue in charge of the timber lands department.

Activities Centralized.

All state land activities are henceforth to be centralized at the state capitol, it was announced by Auditor Chase. Mr. Wildes will move his offices from Hibbing and Mr. Michelet will take hold of the farm lands department as soon as he can close up his business affairs.

Mr. Michelet's new position carries with it a salary of $3,000 per year. He will be placed in complete charge of the department and it is expected will require the aid of several clerks and assistants to handle the large amount of details connected with the work. The proper supervision of state lands has grown to be a stupendous task, which is the reason the new department was found necessary at this time.

Michelet Well Qualified.

The new state superintendent of farm lands is well qualified to fill the position. Mr. Michelet has been a resident of Thief River Falls for the past 18 years, and for many years has served as U. S. Commissioner. He is a graduate of the college of law of the University of Minnesota, class of 1903. He served as city attorney of Thief River Falls in 1906 and 1907, as county attorney of Red Lake county before the formation of Pennington in 1909 and 1910, and as judge of probate of Pennington county from 1910 to 1919.

Mr. Michelet's long residence in this part of the state, where nearly all of the state agricultural lands are located, and the nature of his work during these years, has afforded him experience which should prove of great value in his new position.

Knows Needs of Section.

Mr. Michelet, through his work as United States Commissioner, is thoroughly familiar with the settlement of northern Minnesota; and will cooperate in his new post with the state immigration and agricultural departments. With J. H. Hay in the agricultural department and Mr. Michelet as superintendent of farm lands, this section of the state is well represented in the important departments at St. Paul.

Mr. Michelet is busy closing up his business affairs in Thief River Falls and expects to leave with his family for St. Paul the last of this week. He has secured a very desirable residence in the Merriam Park district, where the family will make its home.

On Familair Ground.

Returning to the Twin Cities seems almost like returning home for the Michelet family. Mr. Michelet was reared and educated there and Minneapolis was the home of his parents until their death during the past year. One sister still resides there. Mrs. Michelet also has one sister in Minneapolis and one in St. Paul, while her parents live at Black River Falls, Wis., a little more than a hundred miles away.

Better educational facilities for the children also are factors which influenced Mr. Michelet in his decision to accept the new post.

During their long residence in Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Michelet have enjoyed the confidence and respect of everyone with whom they have come in contact, and leave a large number of friends whose best wishes go with them to their new home.

AUTO LICENSE LAW WILL BE ENFORCED

Local Authorities Notified By Secretary of State to Prosecute For Violation.

Sheriff LaBree and local authorities have begun the strict enforcement of the new state motor vehicle license law, following notice from Mike Holm, secretary of state, that virtually all license applications are filled.

"Ample time has been given to comply with the requirements," said Secretary Holm, "and it is only fair to those who have paid their just share of the taxes that all should be required to do their part."

Misdemeanor charges are to be made against automobile owners who delay or neglect to register and pay the tax with intent to escape payment; operate a motor vehicle not properly taxed and registered, use a number plate or certificate on another car than that for which it was issued, or who fail to surrender the plates or certificates when required by law.

Letters "A" and "B" on the license plates indicate that the certificate is for a passenger car, bus or hearse, the first letter denoting the $12 minimum and the other the higher tax payment. Truck license plates carry the letters "T" and "X" and must be displayed on all machines carrying other things than passengers. Roadsters with boxes are taxed as trucks. Dealers' plates can be used on cars being demonstrated to prospective purchasers.

HITS DYNAMITE CAP AND HEARS REPORT

Boy Also Suffers Punctured Eye Ball and Seriously Lacerated Hands as Result.

Clifford, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Helgeland, farmers residing six miles east of Thief River Falls, had a narrow escape Monday when he exploded a dynamite cap with a hammer. The thumb and first finger of the lad's left hand were badly lacerated and a fragment of the cap punctured the ball of the right eye.

The boy was immediately taken to Thief River Falls for attention and the physician in charge believes that it will be possible to save the eye unless unlooked for complications arise. The lacerations on the hand, while extremely painful, are not serious and are not expected to result in permanent injury.

While playing about the granary, Clifford explored a shelf and discovered a dynamite cap left there by his father. Evidently getting a notion that a little noise would be the proper thing, the lad proceeded to pound the cap with a hammer. It was a close call and it is a safe bet the boy will never try the same experiment a second time.

MORE INTEREST IN JEFFERSON HIGHWAY

Many Memberships Secured and New Board of Directors For County Named.

The Jefferson Highway association for Pennington county was revived Wednesday afternoon by the election of five members out of the seven on the board of directors at a special meeting held in the Commercial club rooms, called by W. E. Dettmer of St. Joseph, Mo., representative of General Manager J. D. Clarkson.

Mr. Dettmer has been in the city the past three days renewing memberships in the association and after securing forty names called the meeting. The other two members will be chosen this afternoon at a special meeting held in St. Hilaire.

Math. Barzen, George C. Streeter, Carl Sundahl, V. C. Noper and F. F. Haynes were those elected yesterday to the county board, while L. A. Lampert and Math. Barzen were selected as delegates to the state convention to be held soon in the Twin Cities. A third delegate to the state convention will be named at St. Hilaire today, completing the county's quota.

It will be news to a large number here that the Jefferson Highway has been chosen by the special congressional committee on war department highways as the one great north and south transcontinental war department highway, and as soon as it is hardsurfaced by the various states will be taken over and cared for by the federal government. This will mean a 26-foot highway instead of an 18-foot road as at present contemplated by the Babcock system, and will mean the best north and south road in the United States. That this will mean much to this city and section of the state goes without saying.

Indians Get Money.

The house of representatives last Wednesday passed the Steenerson bill authorizing a $100 per capita distribution out of the principal fund to their credit in the United States treasury to the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota. It is estimated there are over 12,000 Chippewas in Minnesota at the present time.

YOUNG AMERICA BEGINS SCHOOL WORK TUESDAY

Everything Ready For Opening of Successful School Term Next Tuesday.

Splendid Faculty Has Been Secured By Board to Carry on Educational Work.

Lack of Room in Knox Building Makes Minor Changes in Program Necessary.

All preparations are now complete for the opening of the public schools next Tuesday morning. The janitors have been busy all summer going over the buildings and all necessary repairs have been made. The desks and furniture have been revarnished and the whole physical plant now looks and is spick-and-span. All details have been looked after and when school opens everything is expected to get into motion without friction of any kind.

An Efficient Faculty.

The board of education feels that it has been successful in getting together a strong faculty, and all indications point to a very successful school year. The roster of instructors is now complete and every teacher is well qualified for the position assigned.

To start the year right all pupils and students should be on hand promptly at 9 o'clock Tuesday, with the exception of the pupils in the Knox building, where the first, second, fourth and sixth grades assemble at 9 o'clock in the morning, and the third and fifth grades at 1:15 in the afternoon. Out of the first and second grades which assemble in the forenoon, certain children will be excused to come again for the afternoon, which will be their regular meeting time, there being more first and second graders than can be handled in two departments. This arrangement is temporary and will be changed as occasion demands.

Kindergarten Facilities.

Kindergarten departments are maintained in the Central building in the forenoon for all children residing on the west side of the river, and in the Swedish Baptist church, across from the Knox building, during the afternoon for all children residing on the East side.

All children becoming five on or before Nov. 7 may enroll for work in the first grade for the first semester. No first grade children, however, will be enrolled for the first semester after Sept. 19. Children who delay enrolling will be enrolled Jan. 23, which is the opening of the second semester. This will be fully explained in a bulletin that the board of education is having prepared. The bulletin is now in the hands of the printer, and it is hoped to have a copy in the hands of every patron of the district before school begins next Tuesday.

Immediate Attendance Urged.

The superintendent wishes to impress upon all parents and pupils the necessity of starting strictly on time. Many pupils have been failures in school simply because of a late start. This holds true in every department, but is particularly true in the high school. A late start will not only be a hindrance to the pupil who comes in late, but it will retard the work of the entire class as well as increase the teacher's burden.

In high school the text books will be sold at the building. Students should come prepared to buy the necessary books the first day. If all books have to be bought the cost will be between five and ten dollars, varying to some etxent with the year in which the student is working.

SOLDIERS' CLAIMS TO BE HEARD HERE BY SPECIAL BOARD

All Service Men Having Unsettled Grievances Urged to Appear Before Board.

Heretofore the U. S. War Risk bureau soldiers' compensation and insurance claims, the U. S. Public Health Service handled medical treatment and the Federal Vocational board handled vocational education. Each bureau worked independently. Much of their work overlapped. There was no single co-ordinating head. All claims had to be referred to headquarters at Washington with resulting delay, confusion and red tape. Many a disabled soldier gave up in despair.

And all this time the American Legion was urging congress to pass the Sweet bill, which would end these troubles. After two years congress passed it. How does the Sweet bill affect the disabled service man's chance for securing justice?

In many ways. Here are the two most important. The Sweet bill has amalgamated the three bureaus mentioned above. There is only one body, known as "The Veterans' Bureau," with one co-ordinating head over all. The other great victory was the clause in the Sweet bill which says that future claims need not be sent all the way to Washington for a decision. Awards may be made or changed by each district branch of the Veterans' Bureau. Minnesota is in the Tenth district, the headquarters of which is in the Keith-Plaza building, Minneapolis. Awards and changes now are made there, instead of Washington, D. C.

Commencing on Labor day in St. Paul, a traveling squad of the Veterans' Bureau will travel through Minnesota, stopping at 17 different points, at which former service men may appear and have their claims for compensation, vocational training and medical treatment adjusted. Service men should write to the Manager, Veterans' Bureau, Keith-Plaza Building, Minneapolis, and ask for a transportation application form on which to apply for free transportation and expenses in connection with the trip to the nearest point at which the traveling squad will appear to examine him.

The traveling squad will be in Thief River Falls from 9 a. m. Sept. 30, to 5 p. m. Oct. 1, and will care for all applicants from Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Red Lake and Pennington counties.

ELKS PUT ON FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT BIG ANNUAL PICNIC

Threatening Weather Holds Attendance Down But Everybody Has Good Time.

The threatening weather last Sunday morning no doubt kept many away from the Elks' annual picnic who otherwise would have attended, but despite this handicap the affair proved very successful in all particulars. The weather cleared up nicely and continued ideal throughout the afternoon.

Oodles of stuff to eat was provided by the visitors at the picnic and with the addition of coffee and other viands provided by the lodge, there was absolutely no reason for anyone going away hungry. The kids, especially, had the time of their lives—and what is a picnic for if it not to provide a good time for the kiddies?

The sports program in the afternoon was carried through without a hitch and provided a great deal of amusement for everyone. Taken all in all, it was a real picnic and one which will linger long in the memory of those present as one of the enjoyable occasions of the summer season.

WEDNESDAY TO BE FARM BUREAU DAY ON FAIR GROUNDS

President of National Federation on Tour of Minnesota. Three Sessions Planned.

Wednesday, Sept. 7, will be Farm Bureau Day at the state fair, according to a letter received by officers of the county farm bureau from headquarters of the state federation.

James R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau federation, and Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas have been invited to address a mass meeting of farm bureau members in the afternoon. Other speakers will review the work of the farm bureau in co-operative marketing and legislation. The mass meeting will be conducted in the livestock hippodrome, beginning at 12 noon, so that farmers will be able to attend the meeting without missing the livestock judging or the races.

Two other important farm bureau conferences are to take place in state fair week. On Thursday, Sept. 8, the directors of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, representing all county farm bureaus which are members of the state organization, will meet in the agricultural building for an all day business session. On Friday, a joint committee of farmers and bankers will meet at state headquarters of the federation, in the Old Capitol, St. Paul, to discuss organization of an agricultural finance corporation to provide additional credit for producing and marketing Minnesota crops.

These three meetings, farm bureau officers say, will mark the culmination of a year in which the farm bureau in Minnesota has grown from 12,000 members to more than 72,000.

President Howard is now on a tour of southern and central Minnesota, speaking at a series of county fairs. He was scheduled to speak at the Steele county fair at Owatonna on Aug. 30, at the Lyon county fair at Marshall on Aug. 31, and at the Traverse county fair at Browns Valley on Sept. 1. The Stearns county fair at Sauk Center Sept. 2nd is the last on this tour. Mr. Howard is going from Sauk Center to DesMoines, and is expected to return to address the farm bureau mass meeting at the state fair grounds on Sept. 7.

Mr. Howard is serving his second term as president of the American Farm Bureau federation, which now numbers a million and a quarter farmers in 47 states of the union. Senator Capper is one of the outstanding figures in the fight for legislation to improve agricultural conditions. In case either Mr. Howard or Senator Capper is unable to come, John G. Brown, president of the Indiana Farm Bureau federation, and one of the directors of the American federation, probably will speak.

GOOD PROGRESS BEING MADE ON DRAINAGE WORK

Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy Board Holds Important Meeting Tuesday.

Viewers Appointed to Appraise Benefits and Damages on Clearwater Project.

Greater Part of Surveying of Red Lake River and Red Lake Now Completed.

A meeting of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board was held at the court house in Thief River Falls on Tuesday afternoon. All members of the board were present, as follows: President C. G. Selvig of Crookston; directors, E. A. Aubol, St. Hilaire; Axel Nelson, Holt; Wm. Paskewitz, Grygla, and Andrew Johnson, Gully; A. O. Brevik, secretary, St. Hilaire and E. A. Boughton, Jr., attorney, Red Lake Falls.

Viewers Appointed.

Three viewers were appointed at Tuesday's meeting to have charge of assessing damages and benefits on the Clearwater project, where the surveying and other preliminary work has been brought to a stage where this step may be taken. E. A. Mostue, Thief River Falls; F. Erdman, St. Hilaire, and Andrew Christianson, Mentor, were chosen by the board to appraise the project above mentioned. All are well qualified to perform the exceedingly difficult task, and it is the intention to begin operations without delay.

A meeting of the viewers having in charge the Grand Marais section of the project will be held at Red Lake Falls next Thursday, when the final reports will be submitted to the board.

Rapid Progress Made.

Considering the magnitude of the Red Lake drainage and conservancy project, the reports submitted at Tuesday's meeting indicate that rapid progress has been made with the work. It is an undertaking requiring an almost unbelievable amount of detailed preliminary preparation, surveying and securing profiles of the area affected being a stupendous task in itself.

Surveyors have been at work all summer on the Red Lake river section of the drainage project, including the water controls at Red lake, and it is expected that profiles will be ready within a short time.

Complete Report Soon.

Consulting Engineer Adolph F. Meyer of Minneapolis, who has the entire surveying job under his supervision, is preparing an exhaustive report covering the drainage and water power phases of the proposed improvements, and expects to have the document ready for submission to the board in ten days or two weeks.

Bids for the construction of certain dikes near Crookston were opened and considered by the board on Tuesday. All bids received were far in excess of the engineer's original estimate for the work, and the proposals were accordingly rejected.

To Start Test Case.

In order to get a supreme court decision in the matter of assessing benefits to lands which lie a considerable distance from the drainage channels which are to be deepened and improved, and which naturally will be indirectly benefitted through the improved drainage facilities thus provided, the board has been advised by its attorney to institute a friendly suit covering certain cases in the Grand Marias section of the project. The work of the viewers on the remaining projects will thus be made more clear and the likelihood of future legal entanglements diminished.

The next meeting of the conservancy board will be held as soon as the engineer's report on the Red Lake river project has been submitted.

Important Meeting of Elks to Be Held Friday Evening

All members of the Elks lodge are urgently requested to be present at the meeting to be held on Friday evening of this week. Many important matters are to come up for consideration at this time and a good representation of the membership is therefore desired.

Among other things to be considered is a communication of unusual interest from the Grand Exalted Ruler, and a confidential report from the committees on charity and sickness.

Automobiles Collide.

Two big automobiles, one driven by a party from Starbuck and the other by a Viking man, locked horns at the northwest corner of the fair grounds Monday evening. One of the cars was proceeding from the east and the other from the north, both at high speed, and crashed together at the corner. The Starbuck car, a big Regal, was quite badly smashed and had to be hauled to a local garage for repairs, while the Viking folks were able to proceed on their way after disentangling themselves from the wreck. Fortunately no one was injured in the smashup.

WAS A LUCKY DAY FOR ME, SHE SAYS

Minneapolis Woman Was Right on Verge of Despair—Says Tanlac Restored Health.

"I have read a lot of wonderful things about Tanlac," said Mrs. Amelia Canis, 900 West Broadway, Minneapolis, Minn., but I don't believe anybody's experience is more wonderful than mine.

"Why, I have actually gained twenty-five pounds in weight and am like a different person altogether. When I began taking Tanlac I was almost a wreck but now everybody says I'm the picture of health, and that's just the way I feel.

"My digestion was so poor that I never dared eat anything but light foods like milk and toast, and even then I suffered from sour stomach and had such pains I could hardly keep from crying. I didn't much more than eat enough to keep alive and fell off in weight till it was alarming. I got to where I was right on the verge of despair and didn't know which way to turn for relief.

"Well, it was a lucky day for me when I got Tanlac, for I never in my life saw such a change as it has made in me. Every bit of indigestion and nervousness has left me; I sleep like a baby, and my appetite is so good that three meals a day are not enough for me. I have gained back all my lost weight and more besides, and feel as well as I ever did in my life."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Return From Vacation.

Judge and Mrs. A. Grindeland returned home Sunday after about a month's absence. The judge attended a meeting of district court judges held at Duluth in connection with the meeting of the State Bar association at Duluth the latter part of July. After that meeting the judge and Mrs. Grindeland made a tour of the principal towns of the iron range and then proceeded to the Spa, the famous health resort at Waukesha, Wis., where they remained for two weeks resting and recuperating. The judge is now in good physical and mental trim to tackle the many knotty legal problems that often confront him in his judicial position.—Warren Sheaf.

$15,000 Potato Field.

The biggest crop of potatoes ever to be taken from a single field in this district will be harvested soon on the Backus farm adjoining Baudette. The yield will be an exceptionally good one, and Mr. John [illegible], manager of the farm, states that the potatoes from one field alone will be worth at least fifteen thousand dollars. The crop will run better than 200 bushels to the acre.—Baudette Region.

Mayhew Returns.

Peter Mayhew, for several years proprietor of a barber shop on Third street, but during the past three years occupying a position as traveling sale man for a Minneapolis firm, has returned to Thief River Falls and expects to remain here permanently. He has accepted a position in the Benson barber shop, where he is being greeted by many old friends.

American Legion Corner

To be hurled through the door of a moving freight train by I. W. W. members was the experience of Legionaire Charles Rand of Malone, New York, when he refused to join the I. W. W. while on his way from Council Bluffs, Iowa to St. Paul to look for work. The train on which he was riding was going twenty-five miles an hour and good fortune alone saved Rand from death. On his arrival in St. Paul his brother Legionaires took care of him and helped secure work for him at the state fair grounds.

A tribute to the splendid spirit of co-operation existing between the Legion posts of Minnesota and South Dakota is paid by Legionaires of the Oscar Iverson Post, of Jasper, Minnesota, in a letter to Legion State headquarters, part of which reads: "Our post is named after Oscar Iverson, our fallen comrade. On August 21st when we conducted his military funeral we wanted to honor his memory as much as possible, so we asked the Legion boys at Pipestone, Trosky, Luverne and Beaver Creek in Minnesota, and at Flandreau, Dell Rapids and Garretson in South Dakota to attend. Every one of them responded, each local post coming in a body and in addition, the Flandreau boys brought their entire band. It was the largest funeral ever held *in this part of Minnesota. We hope* other Minnesota posts will make a special effort to hold similar funerals because we cannot too much honor those who gave all. We wish to thank St. Paul Legionaires for the wreath and emblems placed on the casket when enroute here."

"On a troop train from Camp Stewart to Camp Dodge about June 20th, 1919, was a captain from the Twin Cities who could help me secure payment of a just claim. I am not positive as to his name but believe it was Smith. He was traveling with Company F, 32d Engineers at the time. If any buddy knows his address, will appreciate receiving it," writes Legionaire Joseph Drew of Cascade, Ia., to Minnesota Legion News Service at St. Paul.

The world may forget, but a mother's heart never dies. And though Chris Kowalske has been reported "killed in action July 15th, 1918," his mother, who lives at 603 Ellis St., Peoria, Ill., cannot believe it, and recently she came all the way to St. Paul to see a buddy in the Aberdeen hospital, St. Paul, who remembered seeing Private Kowalske in a Fort Snelling Minnesota hospital in 1919, but has since lost trace of him. Kowalske served as a private in Co. F, 47th Infantry, 4th Division. He is 5 ft. 8, 145 pounds, has straight dark hair, heavy eyebrows, dark brown eyes, deep-set, and wears a signet ring with initials, "C. K." The American Legion is endeavoring to secure nation-wide publicity with the object of helping Mrs. Kowalske find her long-lost boy.

For Sale.

General Blacksmithing and Horseshoeing shop, located in a well settled country at Spooner, Minn. The above property consists of one lot 25 feet by 140 feet. Shop building 20 feet by 74 feet, fully equipped with wood-working machinery and general blacksmithing tools. Owner must sell on account of sickness. Will consider $4500.00; $2500.00 cash, balance on terms. Must act quick as this place must be occupied in 30 days to accommodate the trade. For further particulars write

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A Reliable Recipe for Blackberry Jam

One pound fruit (cut in food chopper), 1 pound granulated sugar; place in preserving kettle, boil slowly to jelly consistency. Cool and fill in dry sterilized glass jars. Cover with melted paraffine. Keep in cool place.

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THE materials in these Coats are Bolivia, Normandie and the new Sport Coatings. Well tailored in every detail, attractively lined, some fur trimmed and all with new belt and sleeve effects.

Dresses, $14.75 to $34.75

Tricotine, Satin, Charmeuse, Crepe Satin

THESE attractive Dresses show all the new Fall embroideries and braided designs. They exhibit the new style features in bell sleeves, in girdles, sashes and narrow belts, in trimmings of fringe, or beads or finishing of lace. All the new popular colors are featured including many models in all black, the most favored of the season's mode.

Other Fall apparel that meets the needs of all the family is now ready for your approval and selection at prices that meets both your desire for quality and economy.

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FARMERS' BUSINESS BIGGEST ON MARKET

New Co-Operative Livestock Sales Agency Sets Record in First Two Weeks.

The Central Co-operative Commission association, organized by Minnesota farmers to market their livestock, handled more business than any other company on the market here in its first two weeks of operation.

Records of the state railroad and warehouse commission show that in these two weeks, the farmer-owned company handled 11,789 head of livestock; its nearest competitor handled 6,947 head. Total receipts on the market, during the second week in which the farmer company operated, amounted to 68,250 head; the co-operative agency handled 7,608. There are more than 30 firms on the market.

W. A. McKerrow, manager, estimates that the new agency is handling 45 per cent of the stock shipped in co-operatively by farmers in Minnesota and Wisconsin. Stock also is arriving from South Dakota, consigned to the farmers' firm; three South Dakota shipping associations joined the Minnesota firm last week without solicitation, according to farm bureau officers.

The farmer-owned company is acting as the direct agent of farmers in several states in stocker and feeder trade, Mr. McKerrow said. During its second week of business it shipped 20 carloads of cattle from Minnesota farmers to other farms in this state, and also in Iowa, Illinois and Wisconsin.

FLAX TOW MILL TO BEGIN OPERATIONS

Red Lake Falls Company Repairs Plant and is Now Ready For Business.

The flax tow mill near the junction of the Clearwater and Red Lake rivers is rapidly being put in shape and is expected to open for business sometime next week, according to employees of the Fibre Products Co., the Twin City concern that recently purchased the plant from creditors of V. H. Blehdon of Buffalo, N. Y., says the Red Lake Falls Gazette.

E. Lappins, manager of the mill, went to Winnipeg Saturday to secure flax straw and when this arrives operations can be commenced. The machinery has been thoroughly overhauled, extensive repairs have been made, new belts, pulleys and carriers installed and everything put in first-class shape. Upwards of $2,000 has been spent in alterations and repairs.

A large straw-shed 32x40 feet has been erected on the north side of the mill and this will insure all the employees working under cover, a much better arrangement especially in winter, and the straw will be kept dry. The straw will be shipped in bales from Canada and the finished tow will be baled in the mill and shipped to the Twin Cities.

This revived industry will be a big benefit to Red Lake Falls as it will be operated the year around and provide work for from 8 to 10 men. Mr. Lappins is an experienced operator who has been in the business for many years and he will have charge of the local mill. In the past the mill depended upon local straw and the crop was light but with the unlimited supply of Canadian straw operation will be continuous.

Governor Preus Urges All to Attend Big Exhibition

All loyal Minnesotans are urged to attend the Minnesota State Fair, which takes place from Sept. 3 to 10, by Governor J. A. O. Preus. The governor, in a special proclamation, praising the great State Fair and pointing out the benefits to be derived from a visit to the fair, calls for a 100 per cent attendance from all parts of the state. The proclamation:

"The Minnesota State Fair is in may respects the greatest state fair in the country. Minnesota is rich in natural resources and her products excel both in variety and in quality; and the management of the fair, aided and directed by our state legislature, has assembled an exhibition which gives the visitor an excellent idea of the quantity and diversity of our state's products.

"Our fair annually shows growth and progress and even to the seasoned visitor there is something each year there that is new, interesting and educational. We count the State Fair as an important part of our educational system, because it gives to the people in every trade and profession new ideas and information about what the rest of the state is doing.

"Our fair, however, has a civic value because it brings together people from different communities, gives opportunity for exchange of ideas, and helps to make our commonwealth not a collection of counties, but one great unified state.

"For these reasons, I, J. A. O. Preus, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby urge upon the people of our state to attend the fair to be held Sept. 3 to 10, 1921. By so doing, they will not only benefit themselves, but they will make possible the continued expansion of this institution. The greater the number who attend, the greater will be the pleasure and profit each one derives.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed hereto, this 27th day of August, A. D., 1921.—J. A. O. Preus.

"Attest: Mike Holm, Secretary of State."

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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MINNESOTAN NAMED FOR DAIRY INQUIRY

President of New Co-Operative Agency Appointed on National Committee.

Minnesota will be represented on a national Committee of Eleven, organized by the American Farm Bureau federation to investigate dairy marketing conditions and extend co-operative enterprises among dairy farmers.

H. B. Nickerson of Elk River, president of the new Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, and also a director of the Twin City Milk Producers association, has been made a member of the Committee. His appointment had been recommended by the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation.

The Committee of Eleven was organized by James R. Howard, president of the American federation, with the advice and approval of the National Milk Producers association. Organization of the committee was authorized last May by a national convention of delegates representing dairy farmers in every section of the country.

The work of the Committee of Eleven will be similar to that of the Committee of Seventeen and the Committee of Fifteen, both of which have concluded intensive investigations into marketing conditions. The inquiry of the Committee of Seventeen resulted in plans for a national co-operative grain marketing corporation; the Committee of Fifteen has just completed its inquiry, and recommended establishment of farmer-owned terminal sales agencies for livestock, similar to the Central Co-operative Commission association which has been established by Minnesota farmers.

Farmers Take Notice.

We are now ready to buy any kind of grain that you have to offer; wheat, oats, barley, rye, flax, spelts, buckwheat and corn. Also small seeds; medium red clover, alsyke clover, sweet clover, alfalfa; millet and seed corn of any kind.

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OPTOMETRIST

will make regular visits to Thief River Falls as usual during the coming fall, winter and spring. Watch for dates later.

We wish to announce also that we have installed lens-grinding machinery at the Long Prairie office and can make most lenses in a few hours. Send us your broken glasses for quick repairs.

New Man Named Specialist in State Live Stock Work

H. G. Zavoral, until recently county agent in Nobles county, this week succeeded J. S. Montgomery as a specialist in state live-stock work for the agricultural extension division of the university. Mr. Zavoral was graduated from the Minnesota college of agriculture in 1915 and spent two years as an artilleryman in war service overseas. He has had experience as a high school teacher, and his services as a livestock judge at county fairs have been in great demand. Mr. Montgomery resigned the position to go with the new Central Co-operative Commission company at South St. Paul.

Take Many Prizes.

Mike McAndress and R. J. McKercher took practically all the prizes offered at the Pennington County Fair for the different classifications of Shorthorn cattle. The two herds mentioned have some of the finest strains in the country, so prize winning was not a difficult matter. Both the McAndress and McKercher herds contain some young stock that would be a credit to anyone going into the purebred stock business, or for building up a grade herd.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Fair Buildings Burn.

In a fire of unknown origin three horse and cattle barns were burned to the ground at the Polk county fair grounds, north of Crookston Tuesday of last week, entailing a loss of $4,000.

Water mains do not reach the fair grounds, and when the firemen arrived with chemical engines two buildings were practically burned to the ground and the fire at the third was beyond the possibility of control. The buildings were located at the south entrance to the grounds, and were a total loss, as no insurance was carried on them, on account of inadequate fire protection.

Millions For Advertising.

Wrigley, the gum manufacturer, spent $3,500,000 last year for advertising, according to his own story. And he says it pays. Without advertising his gum sales would shrink, eventually to almost nothing. Now the sales are enormous. It was done by buying newspaper space.—Adv. Index.

The Sun Still Shines.

(Bemidji Pioneer.)

In spite of all the great gobs of gloom which have been released by chronic mourners, little red parasites, incurable agitators and smoked glass wearers in the past six months, Old Sol still continues to shine with his usual brilliance and traditional heat. The grass is as green as usual, the rooster gets up just as early as usual and crows just as loud, and, from all outward appearances, everything is about as usual with the world. It has not ended yet, as many have foretold, and there are still lots of near human beings who are wearing their colored glasses and see the world in a rather billious condition, but don't let them sell you a pair of those specs. They will ruin your eyes and make you sick.

The money market is loosening up. A subscriber sent us $2 this week without being dunned.

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Hardware and Coal
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LIVING ROOM FURNISHINGS

Chosen by us because of their especial fitness, our offerings are worthy of your careful attention. Each and every item displayed is a happy combination of usefulness and beauty.

We are especially well prepared to supply your needs. From the more modernly priced to the better grades, you will see designs and finishes in exact accord with your requirements.

Rugs and Linoleums

A display of the most pleasing colors and patterns that we have been able to offer in some time. Call and inspect the line.

Larson Furniture Co

The same uniform high grade long filler. The same imported genuine Sumatra wrapper, And now the price is back to 2 for 15c.

LOOK FOR THIS BOX

SPANA-CUBA
MONARCHS
SPANA-CUBA YOCUM BROS.
YOCUM'S SPANA-CUBA

ACTUAL SIZE

Welcome News!

We have reduced the price of Spana-Cuba cigars to the old pre-war figure! Smoke up today and you'll notice the same fine quality is still there. AN EXCEPTIONAL VALUE.

YOCUM'S SPANA-CUBA 2 for 15c

Thief River Grocery Co.

WRIGLEY'S P-K'S PEPPERMINT SUGAR COATED GUM
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UNITED COUPONS
WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT
WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT
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"AFTER EVERY MEAL"

10 FOR 5¢

The new sugar coated chewing gum which everybody likes—you will, too.

A delicious peppermint flavored sugar jacket around peppermint flavored chewing gum that will aid your appetite and digestion, polish your teeth and moisten your throat. B122

THE FLAVOR LASTS

Get Ready for Canning

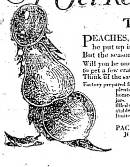

The Fruit is Here

PEACHES, pears and plums can be put up in so many pleasing ways. But the season is short!

Will you be one of the thrifty housewives to get a few crates for canning? Plan now. Think of the saving - one-third to one-half!

Factory prepared fruits are extravagant. Put up a plentiful supply of delicious pure, home-made preserves—in Ball mason jars. Then, when you look upon your filled shelves you'll realize what a palatable variety they will add to the limited fare of midwinter meals.

PACIFIC N. W. GROWERS & JOBBERS ASSOCIATION

General Offices
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Try this tested recipe for CANNED BLUE PLUMS

Prick the skin of each plum with a heavy needle. This will keep the skin whole and the skin will remain upon the plum. Pack into sterilized jars. Fill up the jars with boiling syrup made according to taste, that is, with the proportion of sugar to water, which is the best way. [illegible] cup of sugar to three cups of water is the usual proportion. Place rubbers in position and screw on caps, leaving the covers slightly loose. Sterilize [illegible] minutes by the cold pack method.

The threshing work will soon be brought to a close in northwestern Minnesota. Then will follow a season of making things snug for the winter. There may be repairs or improvements needed on the farm home; barns and other outbuilding need attention. The wise man will look after such matters early

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SOW THISTLE CONTROL.

When a person or community is afflicted with a growing ill it is natural to grasp at a suggested remedy. Among the most serious growing ills in this community is the perennial sow thistle. In twenty years of "free distribution" in the Northwest it has become thoroughly established in all Red River Valley counties, and can be found in every other county in Minnesota, western Wisconsin, northern Iowa, and eastern South Dakota. In many localities this weed has interfered with crop production to such an extent that farmers have actually sold out at a loss and moved to other localities, only to find that in a few years the pest is following close on their heels.

So serious have become the sow thistle, Canada thistle and other noxious weed pests that Minnesota passed a noxious weed law, with the hope of bringing the weeds under control. Thus far only a beginning has been made. Over one hundred local weed inspectors have been appointed and are working, principally in the northwestern part of the state.

A few facts have been established that point to control. Two, at this time, are worthy of mention and recommendation to farmers as a partial relief. These are the seeding down to grasses, clovers and alfalfa, and the planting of fall rye. Fall rye ripens early and is cut before the weeds get far enough advanced to produce seed. It starts early in the spring and gets on its way before the thistles get started. It is the one grain crop that can cope with the thistles and at the same time give a return for the labor incurred.

Proper cultivation, the raising of crops which tend to overpower the growth of thistles, and the cutting of all noxious weeds along roadsides and in other places where such growths are to be found, will go a long way toward eradicating the thistle evil. It has become a serious problem in this section of the state and farmers everywhere now realize that immediate and concerted action is necessary.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

Beggars can't be boozers, with liquor at its present price.

It's easy to tell good liquor from bad these days. Take a drink and if you fall on your face it's bad.

Tuesday we cleared thirty square feet of land at the "Wigwam" and came out of the battle with a combination of aches and pains that resembled a "before taking" testimonial in a patent medicine adv. Since then we've made up our mind that writing about land clearing is one thing, but clearing it is a mule with a different pair of ears. Our bonnet is off to the lads who cleared ten thousand acres in the Baudette district this year.

A St. Paul bandit tried to hold up a hotel the other day. He knew who to hold up all right.

We learn from various sources that Governor Preus will be a candidate for U. S. Senator and that he will not be. And there you are.

Put the soft pedal on the talk about hard times. Preach prosperity.

Styles are certainly changing. The girls used to wear hoop skirts, but now they don't care a whoop for skirts.

A spinster out west claims to be 104 years old. Probably she only thinks she has lived that long.

Did you ever see a lad help to move a piano by carrying the stool? Doesn't it remind you of the way some citizens work for their home town?

In these days of depression, doubt and pessimism it's refreshing to hear of an optimist. An Olivia man is advertising for a lost umbrella.

There is $600,000 worth of liquor anchored a mile north of Baudette *thirsts, and local lads are avoiding it* like a fly avoids sugar.

Baudette wives are due for their annual two months of widowhood with the hunting season just around the corner.

A doctor says that it's possible to get poison ivy twice in one year, but any victim will tell you that once is enough.

It is hard to tell whether or not prohibition will be a success. We'll have to wait until it comes.

Lower Coal Prices? Maybe.

(Minneapolis Journal.)

The Northern West Virginia Coal Association and other coal operators' organizations have protested to the Interstate Commerce Commission against coal rate reductions proposed by Henry Ford's railroad, stating it would bring down the rate structure in Ohio territory. It might reduce coal prices, and that, of course, is against the operators' policy.

Gets Big Position

Mr. Emil Rumstch another U. C. C. student was promoted to be Division Chief of the Internal Revenue Department (with headquarters in the Federal Building Grand Forks). This is a big job and only a young man schooled in the knowledge of accounts could handle it. It was the business knowledge we taught him that enabled him to advance to this big job. Miss May Whitson, a former school teacher, after taking our private secretary course went to a position paying $1320 a year at the very start. She earned back the first month more than her entire tuition. If you would like to do as well send for our free catalog and find out how easy it is.

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Grand Forks, North Dakota

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The First of the Month

THIS is a day of annoyance and inconvenience, when bills have to be paid in person. But the man with a Checking Account is finished with these details in a few minutes. His checks are in the mail—and every one will come back to him as a receipt for the payment made.

Put your personal affairs on a business-like basis. This bank welcomes your account.

The First National Bank

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$100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Camels are made for Men who Think for Themselves

Such folks know real quality—and DEMAND it.

They prefer Camels because Camels give them the smoothest, mellowest smoke they can buy—because they love the mild, rich flavor of choicest tobaccos, perfectly blended—and because Camels leave NO CIGARETTY AFTERTASTE.

Like every man who does his own thinking, you want fine tobacco in your cigarettes. You'll find it in Camels.

And, mind you, no flashy package just for show. No extra wrappers! No costly frills! These things don't improve the smoke any more than premiums or coupons.

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Was Your Last Suit Purchase Satisfactory?

Are you one of those, who, tempted by the glamour of a low price, bought a suit that was supposed to be "cheap"?

How did the investment pay?

Did you get the service that you should have had?

Was there a feeling of being well dressed while you were wearing the clothes?

Are you yet convinced of the truth of the old adage that "the best is the cheapest in the long run"?

Hart Schaffner & Marx

They're the kind of clothes that will make a man say a year from now, "this suit is the best I ever had, I'm going to get another Hart Schaffner & Marx suit".

You ought to see our new fall assortment of John B. Stetson Hats, Manhattan Shirts; they are sold exclusively by all the leading stores who like "quality" merchandise.

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Beads, over 100 strings, at each 39c

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Fall Opening Week Commences Saturday, Sept. 3

Our Opening means that we are completely ready with the handsomest new stock of Fall and Winter Merchandise that its been our privilege to lay before you. The result of 10 to 12 weeks of hard work is completed. And now in this one store you can with ease choose from a large, well-balanced, especially selected, high-grade quality stock, that has been gathered from the four corners of the world. Rare novelties from nearly every foreign country, and every department in the store does its mite towards helping outfit you neatly, plentifully, economically.

The New Coats for Women step out on Parade

Blue Ribbon winners at the Style Show. The most wonderful high-grade Coats we ever saw are here and ready for you to choose from. Special values at

$350, $295, $250, $195, $150, $100, $85.

There Are So Many Things to Learn About Young Women's Suits.

Really they are quite different this Fall and every Miss and youthful matron will be eager to see what has been developed in smart tailored apparel for her and exactly what the new season has in store for her.

So, now the Young Women's Suits are here!

You can see the new fabrics used—the new colorings that are favored—the new lines in Coats and Skirts—the new pockets and pleatings and every quirk of smart adornment.

See all these things right in the garments themselves, and then try the garments on and SEE JUST HOW THEY LOOK ON YOU.

And what a joy it is to be FIRST TO WEAR THE NEW THINGS!

$125, $100, $85, $75, $65, $58.50, $50, $35, $25 and a few at **$18.50.**

Who'd Believe There Could Be Such a Difference in Veils?

Why the old veils are quite obsolete, with the coming of the new meshes and patterns—especially in the pattern Veils. And it is such a satisfaction to find these little accessories early in the season, that will make the whole outfit seem new.

And now Veils promise to have a larger importance as well as greater beauty than ever.

85c, $1.00, $1.85, $2.50

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Where is the Woman Not Interested in the New Fall Styles?

Well, here is quite a goodly taste of those very Fall styles in Street Dresses.

Very much in evidence is the Coat Dress, and the long-waisted or Chemise Dress is close on its heels for popularity.

Rattail Braid has a way of lending a dress a well-tailored look and it does to this Coat Dress of a beautiful quality of navy tricotine. The main trimming is a wider silk braid of black.

Another striking Coat Style is the dress with embroidered panel trimming. The dress itself is a navy tricotine and the panels are of a pleasantly contrasting shade of broadcloth. The collar can be worn up or down.

A third style in this same type of dress is of navy poiret twill over a black satin foundation. The black silk braid trimming is uniquely stitched on with white thread. All are specially priced at

$25, $38.50 and $50

Clever New Styles in Blouses are Simply Wonders

You must see them now—yes very, very soon, now whenour selections are complete; now when a full range of all the colors in the Rainbow are here. The prices are easily HALF of what they were a year ago.

$2.95, $3.95, $5.95, $7.50, $8.95, $10., $12.50, $15.

Extra Special Wonder Values

Ladies' full-length, full fancy silk lined, fur collared Coats at **$25.00.** Over 50 of the cleverest new styles to choose from in the best all-wool materials; Bolivia, Normandy, Velour, Broadcloths. Full silk lined, large fur collars. Also 40 in. Salts Peco Plush Coats full silk lined, large fur collars and fur cuffs. The greatest Coat values in America. Here only

$25.00

Girl's New Winter Coats

Another Wonder Value.

$5.95

Think of it! Girls' heavy Fall and Winter Coats in 20 new styles and in sizes 4-6-8-10-12-14 years, at only ... **$5.95**

288 STRINGS OF IMPORTED BEADS

Jets, Jet and Cranberry Red, etc. Over 100 styles to choose from. Mostly $3.50 and $5.00 values. Here only at chain

98c

100 New Bolts of 5 and 6 inch Hair Bow Ribbon 19c

A big variety of fancy dark plaids, new square checks, stripes and a complete line of water-marked, plain and solid staple shades. The ribbon bargain of the town, at yard

19c

The New Woolen Dress Goods and the New Fall Silks are Here!

AND YOU'LL BE MOST PLEASANTLY SURPRISED WHEN YOU SEE THEM. SUCH LOVELY MATERIALS; SUCH PRETTY COLORINGS, AND TO THINK THEY COST LESS, YES MUCH MORE LESS THAN HALF OF LAST YEAR'S PRICES. $2.50 GOODS LAST YEAR ARE NOW A DOLLAR A YARD; $7.50 GOODS NOW $3.50; $8.50 GOODS ARE NOW $3.95, ETC., RIGHT ALONG THE LINE. LET US SHOW YOU, PLEASE—SOON.

Another Sale of Bags and Purses

Just purchased another 100 Leather Bags. More wonderful bargains than eevr offered before. Saturday in 2 big lots.

50 Orienal Egyptian Leather Bags, Boxes and Purses, all with fittings and fancy Brocaded Silk linings. They are original $12.50, $15.00, $18.50 values. Now your choice, here only

$5.95

50 Genuine Pin Seal Ladies' Hand Bags and Purses. Black, brown and grey. No finer purse values were ever offered. They are original $7.50 and $10.00 values. Here only

$2.95

And the Bargain Basement is Now Selling:

New Fancy **Outing Flannels** at yard	Plain and fancy **Chambrays** A Special Value at yard	65c Fine Mercer. Lisle **Ladies' Stockings** Brown and Black Special, pair	36 in. Floral **Sateen Linings** A Dollar Value, Basement only at yd	42 in. Linen Finish High-grade **Pillow Tubing** Special per yd.	Mercerized School Dress **Poplins** Black, Brown, Navy at yard	A new lot of large **Rag Rugs** A Wonder Value Now on Sale	Ladies' heavy **Union Suits** Last year $2.50. Basement val., only	Men's **Leather Gloves** See them, per pair
12½c	15c	25c	38c	35c	25c	$1.25	$1.00	25c

Loken Brothers Department Store, Thief River Falls

City News

George Christo left last evening for a few days' visit in Minneapolis.

G. Howard Smith was a Grand Forks business visitor on Saturday.

Miss Grace Thompson of Trail visited with friends here on Saturday.

Mrs. Oscar Peterson and daughter of St. Hilaire were shoppers here on Monday.

H. F. Booren of Pummer was in the city yesterday attending to business matters.

Miss Rose Gunstad of St. Hilaire shopped between trains here on Thursday.

Miss Olive Skramstad left Friday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit with friends.

Miss Myrtle Helgeland left Saturday afternoon for a visit with friends at Crookston.

Mrs. S. E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls was in the city on Monday attending to shopping.

John Sorenson, Joel Shoberg, Serine Tanem and Esther Leyden spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

Mrs. Victor Brink and daughter were visitors here on Tuesday and also attended to shopping.

Miss Cecelia Lubinski left Tuesday for Greenbush, near which place she will teach a term of school.

Miss Margaret Wilkenson of Red Lake Falls is in the city visiting her friend, Miss Agnes Tandberg.

Miss Margaret Kelley of Devils Lake is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen.

Miss Olive Skramstad, who had spent a few days at St. Hilaire, returned here yesterday morning.

Miss Esther Gjertson returned yesterday from a week's visit at the home of her parents at Sandstone.

Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son Stephen Jr., arrived Monday evening for a visit at the F. H. Herrick home.

Mrs. F. E. Thomas, Mrs. J. J. Padden, both of Crookston, were guests of Mrs. Nels Christianson last week.

Theo. Tandberg and B. O. Norby of Goodridge drove down Tuesday for a brief visit with relatives and friends.

Richard Mahey, who has been spending the summer with his grandparents at Lake City, returned this week.

Miss Gladys Hoium left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where she will spend a few days visiting her sister.

Misses Grace and Mary Johnson left today for Jasper, Mont., where they will engage in teaching school this year.

Mrs. John Gustafson returned Friday afternoon from Middle River, where she spent a few days visiting her folks.

E. J. Richards and Donald Snyder returned Friday from Red Lake Falls where they spent a few days with relatives.

Judge and Mrs. E. M. Stanton left Sunday night for a two week's visit with relatives and friends in the Twin Cities.

Miss Esther Warner, who had spent several days visiting relatives and friends at Holt returned here on Saturday.

C. L. Hansen and E. O. Mogensen left Monday by car for the Twin Cities, where they will attend the fair and also attend to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Miller and two children of Crookston, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McCarty arrived here Tuesday morning from a two week's honeymoon and will establish their home.

Perry Johnson left Tuesday evening with a carload of cattle for Minneapolis where he will remain during the fair.

Success comes—in "Cans"—I-can, you can attend Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for free catalog.

Misses Alvina Jonas and Nettie Ove will leave Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with friends at Minneapolis.

Mrs. E. S. Johanson and baby left Thursday morning for Williams where they will visit at the home of her parents.

Miss Margaret Patterson came up on Thursday morning and was an over-night guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen.

Miss Maxine Johnson returned on Friday morning from Fargo, where she spent a period of two months with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Sterns and daughter returned Friday afternoon from Holt where they had spent a day visiting friends.

Mrs. Harold Provencher and baby returned Friday morning from Grand Forks where they spent several days visiting Mr. Provencher.

Miss Mildred LaSalle, who is employed at the J. C. Penney store, left Tuesday morning for Mahnomen, to spend a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Anna Skeim, former superintendent of the local hospital, left last week for Twin Valley, where she will take up similar work.

Miss Ethelyn Rud returned to her home at Badger yesterday morning, having spent several days visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Hillard.

Miss Margaret Loftus returned to her home at Metiskow, Can., Tuesday morning, after a few days' visit at the home of Mrs. O. A. Naplin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herrick and daughter Marrian, returned Saturday from Grand Forks where they visited with relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Ben Dokken and Mrs. Otto Christianson of Seattle, Wash., who is her guest, arrived here Tuesday afternoon for a visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. John Hogland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Willis Akre, motored to Union Lake on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Curran, who spent two weeks at Gull Lake near Brainerd, returned to this city on Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Lambert and son George returned Monday from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Minneapolis and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Sterns and daughter, returned the latter part of last week from Warroad where they spent a few days visiting friends.

Oscar Paulson and Carl Gulrud returned Tuesday from an auto trip to St. Cloud and Duluth, where they spent several days visiting friends.

Miss Agnes Tandberg left the first of the week for Red Lake Falls where she will spend a few days as the guest of Miss Margaret Wilkenson.

Mrs. R. E. Fillmore, formerly of this city, now of Minneapolis, is spending the week as the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Frissell.

Miss Effie Christianson, who had spent several weeks visiting relatives at Fertile and with her sister at Superior, Wis., returned to this city on Friday.

Mrs. W. J. LaBree, who had spent a few weeks visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Horr, at Duluth, returned to this city on Monday evening.

Wesley Wilkenson, accompanied by his sister, Miss Margaret, drove over from Red Lake Falls Friday for a brief visit at the home of Miss Agnes Tandberg.

Miss Effie Christianson, who spent five weeks at her home at Fertile, returned here on Thursday morning to resume her work at Loken's Department store.

Mrs. A. Oskey of Moorhead and sister, Miss Esther Burkee of Tacoma, Wash., former St. Hilaire residents, are guests this week of Mrs. Anna Langseth.

Miss Dorothy Miller of Minneapolis, who is a guest at the Dr. G. A. Penney home, is spending this week visiting her friend, Miss Lois Wold, at Grand Forks.

Master Perl Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson, of Greenbush, arrived here yesterday for an over-Sunday visit with his friend, Edward Kiland.

Miss Cora Russell, who had spent a week as the guest of Miss Effie Hamry, left Monday afternoon for Austin, at which place she will teach the coming year.

E. P. Ahlbom, who for a number of years has been engaged in the tailoring business here, left Wednesday for Willmar where he will establish a tailor shop.

Mrs. Ole Torrison and children will leave on Saturday for their home at Minneapolis, after a month's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evenson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Naplin expect to leave Sunday evening for Minneapolis and St. Paul where they will attend the fair and also attend to matters of business.

Mrs. C. T. Christainson and two daughters, Gladys and Thelma, left this morning for Henning and New York Mills, where they will spend two weeks with friends.

Mrs. Emma Pawling and son Clarence and two daughters, Emma and Pauline, returned Monday from an auto trip to Faribault, where they spent a week with friends.

Mrs. C. C. Way of Mason City, Ia., arrived here Friday morning and will spend an indefinite time visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way.

Ole Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Keating and daughter Elizabeth, and Elmira Langseth, drove over to Crookston and Grand Forks on Monday and spent the day visiting with friends.

Miss Edith Cornforth returned to Morris Monday afternoon, having completed a brief visit with friends here. Miss Cornforth was formerly chief operator at the local telephone exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Thune and daughter, Inga, and Carl Mellby, motored to Grand Forks Sunday to spend the day with friends and relatives. On their return they were accompanied by Miss Alma Thune, who has been attending business college.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken returned last week from Minneapolis, where Mrs. Loken had remained while Mr. Loken continued to the East to do fall buying for the Loken Bros. department store.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson returned Monday morning from a six weeks' visit with relatives in the twin cities. At St. Paul she visited at the home of her father, Secretary of State, Mike Holm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hogland of Alvarado were in the city on Sunday as guests at the home of his brother, John Hogland and family. Mr. Hogland is station agent at the above-named place.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Burkness, Miss Gladys Hagen, Mrs. A. Risberg and Mrs. Ole Knutson, left Saturday morning for Holt where they attended the funeral services of Mrs. Burkness' nephew, Edward Nyberg.

Miss Agnes Peterson, who spent two days at Crookston with relatives, returned here Thursday morning. She left Saturday night for Tulsa, Okla., where she has accepted a position to teach in the public schools.

Lester and Blanche Laurent, who had spent a few weeks visiting their grandparents at Highlanding, were guests of their cousin, Miss Lottie Austin, on Monday. They left in the afternoon for their home at Grand Forks.

Glenn Richardson of Bronson went through on the flier Saturday enroute to the cities to meet Mrs. Richardson and children who were returning from a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends at points in Wisconsin.

Miss Martha Kleppe returned to her home at Newfolden Sunday, after a brief visit with Miss Effie Hamry. B. O. Norby, Misses Ida Tandberg, Effie Hamry and Cora Russell accompanied her. The trip was made in the former's car.

Misses Alice and Eloyda Paulson left Saturday afternoon for Minneapolis via the Great Northern. They visited with friends at Crookston, enroute. Miss Alice will remain at Minneapolis for the fair while the latter will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. A. C. McMelland, Harold McMelland and the former's sister, Mrs. Jens Haugen of Templeton, British Columbia, motored here on Sunday from Gatzke and spent the day at the home of Mrs. McMelland's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Naplin.

R. G. Rasmussen, who has been employed as bookkeeper at the First National bank for the past month, has resigned and will leave this week for his home at Roseau where he has been appointed assistant cashier of a bank. The vacancy here will be filled by Geo. W. Werstlien.

Mrs. John Dahl of Ashbey and daughter Mrs. Leo Voytilla, of Crookston, who had spent a week visiting at the home of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bothun, left Saturday afternoon for Crookston where Mrs. Dahl will visit her daughter for a short period before returning to her home.

Mrs. Ed. Erickson of Crookston was a guest last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. W. Carlson. Upon her return to Crookston Mrs. Carlson accompanied her for a short visit.

Mrs. Joe Perdzock and baby daughter, who have been visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlien, returned to their home last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ohm, motored to Warren on Saturday to attend the wedding of their cousin, Miss Myrtle Bengston to R. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hallen left on Monday for Gary, where they will visit at the home of the latter's parents for a week. They will also spend a day at the state fair before returning.

S. C. Coumbe, who was formerly connected with the Tessum-Coumbe company here, now a member of the Haverson Brokerage Co., at Minneapolis, arrived in the city Monday, to ship his household goods.

Miss Cora Hanson, who for the past three years has taught at Glenrock, Wyo., and who spent the past summer visiting points of interest in the west, arrived in the city on Saturday to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. J. C. Ross, accompanied by her grandson, Ross Halloran, arrived Tuesday morning from her home at Minneapolis, for a visit at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse motored to Crookston on Saturday to spend Sunday visiting relatives. They were accompanied by Miss Joyce Schlanbush of the above named place, who had spent a few days as their guest.

Mrs. A. L. Halvorson and children who had spent two weeks visiting relatives at Rollette, was in the city on Saturday, Sunday and Monday as guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Peter Hogland. She passed through from Holt on Tuesday afternoon enroute to her home at Hillsboro, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Anderson, who drove to the cities a week previous, returned to this city on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will return the middle of September where they will establish their home during the winter months, while he takes a course in accountancy at the University of Minnesota under the vocational training. They will be accompanied by Miss Harriet Anderson, who will remain with them for a period of two months.

F. I. Packard, manager of the Fargo division of the Standard Oil Co., and wife, accompanied by H. H. Hathway, Dist. Supt., were visitors here on Saturday. They are making the trip by car visiting all the stations in the Fargo division. Mr. Packard stated that the local station was the nicest appearing and best kept of all the stations in this division.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hinricks and family returned Friday evening from a two week's auto trip in the southern part of the state and Iowa. Enroute home they met with an accident just out of Iowa Falls, when a car coming from the opposite direction collided with their car, damaging it to such an extent that they were obliged to remain for a day at the above named place for repairs. All members of the family miraculously escaped injury.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Deitz of Ceylon were in the city last week and spent a day at Tourists' Park. They were returning from their cottage at Bemidji, where they spent the summer, to their home at Ceylon. Mr. and Mrs. Deitz, who travel in a late model Franklin car, have a complete camping outfit which enables them to make stops along the way, affording them all the comforts of home. While here they visited Mr. Deitz' son-in-law, R. Halvorson. They will leave today for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will sojourn during the winter.

Good Yield of Rye.

Rafteseth brothers, operating a farm north of Rosewood, received an exceptionally good yield of rye this year. Some of it went 23 bushels to the acre and was of good quality. A part of the ground on which the rye was grown has been seeded to rye for six successive seasons.

Poultry Demonstration.

The Rocksbury Farmers' club is making arrangements for a very interesting meeting next Saturday evening in Valhal hall, at which time a poultry demonstration will be held. The Rocksbury club is a live organization and is proving of much benefit to the people of that township.

A lad over in the wheat belt of the Red River claims to be the best shocker in the state. Evidently he hasn't visited any of the city bathing beaches.

M. E. Church—Sunday, 11 a. m., Labor day topic. 8 p. m., gospel service. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Ladies' Aid at the residence of Mrs. Damford on Wednesday at 3 p. m. A cordial invitation to the public to all these services.

STANDARD OIL CO. MAN PROMOTED

J. C. VanAuken, until recently working in the Standard Oil Co.'s Fargo office, has been transferred and promoted to a good position in the Grand Rapids branch. Mr. VanAuken is a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., from which school his company has secured over 100 employes. L. R. Jones, Chief Clerk of the Kansas City office was Dakota-trained. D. B. C. graduates are always in demand.

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AUCTIONEER

If you are planning on having a sale this Fall, why not get EVENSON & JENSEN to cry off your sale? Satisfaction guaranteed. Write or wire dates. 31p

Phone 7-F-31

AUCTION SALE!

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Olaf Ramstad farm, northeast quarter Section 15, Silverton township, seven miles east and two and one-half miles north of Thief River Falls, one mile north of Stop No. 7 on the Electric line, on

Tuesday, September 6, '21

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

Horses
- One grey gelding, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1600
- One grey gelding, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1600
- One bay mare, 9 yrs. old, wt. 1300
- One team well-matched sorrel geldings, wt. 2600
- One bay gelding, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1300

Cattle
- One Guernsey cow, 5 yrs. old, coming fresh Nov. 10.
- One red cow, 6 yrs. old, coming fresh Nov. 5.
- One red cow, 5 yrs. old, coming fresh Oct. 30.
- One Guernsey heifer, 2 yrs. old.
- One red cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh in July.
- One red cow, 3 yrs. old, calf at side.

Machinery
- One 3-horse Fairbanks & Morse Gas Engine.
- One 8-ft. Deering Binder, nearly new
- One 6-ft. Milwaukee Binder.
- One 20 double disc Monitor Drill, nearly new.
- One 14 double disc Van Brunt Drill.
- One 13 in. John Deere Gang Plow with five-horse equalizer.
- One 16 in. Moline Sulky Plow.
- One 16 in. John Deere Brush Breaker
- One 16 in. Prairie Breaker.
- One disc Harrow, 14 discs.
- One 1200 lb. Scale.
- One riding Cultivator, new.
- One 5 ft. Minnesota Mower.
- One 5-section Boss Harrow.
- One Columbus wide-tire Wagon with grain box.
- One wide tire Wagon with rack.

Household Goods
- One Writing Desk.
- One Columbia Grafonola, with 75 records.
- One Couch.
- One new 110 Egg Buckeye Incubator.
- One Cupboard.
- Ten tons Timothy and Clover Hay.
- 250 bu. Oats.
- Household Goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Miscellaneous
- Two set heavy Work Harness.
- One 6 in. burr Martin Feed Mill.
- One 20 ft. 6 in. Belt.
- One 22 ft. 2 in. Belt.
- One Power Emery.
- One Grindstone.
- One 25-35 high-power Rifle.
- One 12 gauge automatic Shot Gun.
- One Cow Dehorner.
- One Gas Barrel.
- 30 rods Hog Wire.
- One Road Scraper.
- Five Poland China Spring Pigs.

TERMS: All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1st, 1922.

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FRANK MACAK, Owner

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Labor Day
Sept. 5th

IT is fitting that once a year we should pay tribute to the workers of America. For ours is a nation of workers—more so than any other country in the world.

SETTLED through the toil of our colonial forefathers, welded as a nation under Washington, developed under the leadership of men of vision and courage—America stands today as the world's foremost example of what labor, shared in by all, can accomplish.

MONDAY, Sept. 5th, this institution will be closed all day.

Citizens State Bank

AUCTION SALE

HAVING RENTED MY FARM AND DECIDED TO MOVE TO THIEF RIVER FALLS, I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT MY PLACE, 1 MILE NORTH OF STOP 13, 3 MILES EAST OF MAVIE AND 3 MILES WEST OF GOODRIDGE, THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY, ON

Wednesday, September 14

7 Head of Horses
- One full-blooded Percheron Mare, 10 yrs. old, wt. 1400, with colt at side.
- Two gray Mares, 7 and 8 yrs. old, each weighing 1200.
- One yearling Belgian Stallion, wt. 1000.
- One Welch Pony, age 8, saddle and bridle.
- Two Spring Colts.

11 Head of Cattle

Nine full-blooded Holsteins.
- One 6-year-old cow, fresh Jan. 1.
- One 6-year-old cow, fresh in December.
- One 4-year-old cow, fresh last October.
- One 6-year-old cow, fresh in October.
- One 2-year-old cow, giving milk now.
- One 6-year-old cow, fresh in November.
- One 3-year-old full-blooded Guernsey, fresh the first of October.
- One 3-year-old full-blooded Guernsey, fresh in January.
- One yearling full-blooded Holstein bull.
- One 4-months-old bull.
- One 3-year-old Holstein bull, full-blood.

Hogs
- Two yearling sows, due to pig, full-blood Durocs.
- One yearling full-blood Duroc boar.
- Two full-blood Duroc spring sow pigs.

Farm Machinery
- One 3-horse pulverizer.
- One 2-horse riding cultivator.
- One Dane 5-foot mower.
- One 10-foot John Deere horse rake.
- One bob sled.
- One Northwestern manure spreader.
- One 3-horse Van Brunt drill.
- One 3-horse drag.
- One 3-horse 16 in. John Deere sulky plow.
- One John Deere wagon, complete.
- One fanning mill.
- One Fairbanks scale, capacity 1100 lbs.
- One grindstone.
- One walking plow with 3 lays.

The farm will be put to highest bidder on day of sale, with one reserve bid.

Household Goods
- One range cook stove, coal or wood.
- One wood heater block stove.
- One gasoline barrel.
- One kerosene barrel.
- One set tackle.
- A lot of tools.
- Two bedsteads.
- Ten chairs.
- Phonograph with 50 records.
- Household goods too numerous to mention.

Miscellaneous
- Three cords of stove wood.
- Two sets of double harness.
- One 3-seated spring buggy.
- 150 Chickens.
- 30 Turkeys.
- 4 Geese.
- Seven stands bees.
- One DeLaval Cream Separator No. 15.
- Fifty bushels potatoes.
- Five hundred or more bushels of oats.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 or under, cash; on sums over $10 one year's time will be given on bankable notes bearing 10 per cent interest.

Sale Commences at 10:00 o'Clock

Free Lunch at Noon

G. C. STEIN
OWNER

W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer Goodridge State Bank, Clerk

GOODRIDGE

Miss Myrtle Iverson was a Thief River Falls visitor Saturday.

Joseph Christianson was a Thief River Falls visitor Friday, having dental work done.

Genevieve Ferdinandsen returned Saturday from Pelican Rapids where she spent the summer at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Stephenson.

J. J. McCann was a business caller in town Thursday.

Mrs. Elmer Peterson was in Thief River Falls Wednesday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Tvedt and son and Mrs. Carl Christianson and Miss Eunice Tvedt, were Thief River Falls visitors Tuesday.

H. S. Dahlen and family of Thief River Falls were visitors in town on Saturday evening.

Prof. B. O. Norby spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. C. Toomey was a Thief River Falls caller Wednesday, shopping and visiting friends.

Ole Tollefson of Grygla was in town Saturday evening and sold one hundred and six quarts of Everbearing strawberries.

Theo. Tandberg spent Sunday with relatives in Thief River Falls.

Henry Johnson passed through town Monday afternoon enroute to Grygla from Council Bluffs, Ia. He was accompanied by friends and they had been just a week making the trip.

Mrs. A. McLeod and Mrs. V. C. McLeod and two children, were in Thief River Falls Wednesday, shopping and visiting friends.

Miss Christine Bundlund returned Wednesday afternoon from Thief River Falls where she had accompanied Mrs. O. S. Kirklie, who left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis.

The many friends of Miss Grace Day of Mavie will be sorry to learn that she left Sunday for Montana, where she will attend school this coming year. Grace will be missed by her school friends and teachers.

Miss Mildred Argall and her cousin, Harry McDonald, were visitors in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Christine Vake and little daughter returned Monday to her home here after visiting relatives at Erie and other places most of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mandt are the proud parents of a son born Wednesday, Aug. 24.

M. J. Lysbakken, Mike Tunick, and Knute Hegtvedt were business visitors in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Rachel Baker spent the latter part of the week at the home of her parents near Esplee.

Karl Korstad of Highlanding was a business visitor in town Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Bickley of Highlanding were in town Monday.

J. A. McNalley was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday, attending to business matters.

M. J. Stephenson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Monday.

M. G. Thorson and family motored to Thief River Falls Sunday and visited relatives.

Bennie Vigen of Thief River Falls spent Thursday in Goodridge.

L. W. Peterson of Grygla was in town Friday enroute home from Mahnomen, where he has been doing carpenter work for several months.

G. A. Galpin was in town Friday enroute to Illinois.

J. A. McCabe was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday.

L. P. Puppenhagen attended to business matters in Thief River Falls Friday.

John Bundy of Thief River Falls was a business caller in town Friday.

Al. Cummings was in town Saturday enroute to Sabin, Minn.

O. H. Olson and son were in town Monday enroute to Thief River Falls on business.

Charles Stein of Mavie was in town Monday between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McLeod and children, Mrs. A. McLeod, Stuart McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peterson and Miss Meta Hartman, were in Thief River Falls Sunday and enjoyed a picnic dinner at Lovers' Lane and also visited at F. B. Conklin's, south of Thief River Falls.

School Notes.

The school board held a meeting Saturday evening and John Nystal was hired again as principal of the high school. Mr. Nystal is no stranger to Goodridge people as he held the same position last year and was very well liked. The fourth year of high school has been added so we have the full high school course. Considerable discussion followed the appointment of Mr. Nystal as to the qualification of the applicants for the other positions, there being two vacancies left. School opens Tuesday, Sept. 6.

STEINER

Miss Mathilda Liden motored to Thief River Falls last Sunday evening, accompanied by her cousins, Elmer and Hjalmar Liden, and visited at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Dedrick Knutson. On the return trip she was accompanied by her brother, Julius, who arrived in Thief River Falls Sunday evening from a visit in various parts of the state.

The County Line school will re-open Monday, Sept. 5, with Miss Clara Sorenson of Thief River Falls as teacher.

Many of the farmers of this community motored and drove teams to Thief River Falls Wednesday to take in Market Day.

Messers. Elmer and Hjalmar Liden of Rocksbury township, south of Thief River Falls, came over last Sunday morning and spent the day visiting with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. Liden and family.

Ole Berg motored to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon where he attended to business matters.

G. L. Leisner, our former local merchant, who was seriously ill with cancer some time ago and received treatment at the Warren hospital, is so much improved that he is able to be up and around.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitman motored to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon where they attended to business matters.

Harold Berg motored to Thief River Falls Sunday morning.

The Roger threshing outfit was at the John Swanson and P. B. Malberg farms last week.

Messrs. Christ and Harold Berg hauled building material from Steiner last week.

Mrs. Martha Berg is having a silo erected on her farm a few miles southwest of Steiner.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1, Northern	$1.17
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.12
Oats	.20
Flax	1.70
Barley	.37
Rye	.81
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	5.00
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.16
PRODUCE	
Eggs	[illegible]
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery Butter	.40
Creamery Butter	.40
Cow hides, per lb.	.02-.03
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

ROSEWOOD

Arm Broken in Fall From Chair.

Lloyd Anderson, son of Mrs. Carl Blom, of this place, had the misfortune of falling from a chair and breaking one of the bones in his forearm and badly twisting the other, last Sunday. His was taken to Thief River Falls by his uncle, Carl Mellem, where the broken bone was set and the other straightened.

Christ Eggen arrived on Monday from Kelliher for a few days visit. He will be accompanied home by Mrs. Eggen, who has been visiting her brother, G. J. Nordhagen and other relatives for a few weeks.

Threshing is on in full sway, mostly from shocks. Olof Nordhagen is using his Titan rig south of town and Martin Jarshaw and L. Halvorson are using their steam rigs north and west. The small grains are somewhat below normal, both as to quality and quantity. About 400 bushels of rye were threshed at the Rafteseth brothers farm on Friday with an average yield of about 16 to 18 bushels per acre: Carl Mellem threshed a 13 acre field of oats averaging 30 bushels per acre and a five acre plot of wheat yielding 12 bushels. The barley runs on an average of about 15 bushels and is somewhat light in weight.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson spent Sunday at Gully visiting with Mr. Thompson's sister, Mrs. L. H. Aos and family.

Mesdames C. E. Hellquist and James Johnson, accompanied by their children, arrived on Wednesday morning from Thief River Falls and will visit for a few days with Mrs. Johnson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg returned on Tuesday evening to her home at Dakota Junction, after being guests during the day at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth.

A couple carloads of grain was shipped from the Hanson & Barzen elevator the first of the week.

Benhard Ranum is moving the residence of A. Opseth, which has been located on the east land, further west where Mr. Ranum built his new residence this summer.

Gladys Swenson went to Thief River Falls Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. S. Branden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson went to Thief River Falls on Thursday where Mrs. Thompson received medical treatment.

Victor Mosbeck came home on Monday evening from Park River, N. D., where he has been employed this fall.

John Cormican left on Saturday morning for Stephen after a visit with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hasby.

Miss Elsie Vorseth arrived here on Saturday morning to spend Sunday with her friend, Miss Gladys Sagmoen.

Garveld Benson of Thief River Falls spent the past week visiting with the John Sagmoen people.

Alec Hellquist Sundayed with friends and relatives at Thief River Falls.

Services in town Sunday evening, Sept. 4, at the Swedish church. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will speak.

Public school will open at Rosebank next Tuesday, Sept. 6. Mrs. R. Sagmoen of Anitu will teach.

Two fine specimen of the deer family, evidently a female with her young, were seen roaming on the prairie west of here the other day. Water being scarce it was without doubt the railroad ditches out west that brought them close.

Weed inspector W. F. Tullar of Warren was in this vicinity last Saturday visiting at several farms, questioning and giving instruction for the eradication of certain weeds.

Carl Bloom is ill with an infection of the chest and left on Monday for Thief River Falls for medical attention.

ERIE

Mrs. T. Loyland returned on Saturday from Thompson, N. D., where she spent a few weeks with relatives.

A girl was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Sunsdahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanson and Miss Hanson of Barnesville, this state, were over Sunday visitors at the K. Roysland home. Mrs. Hanson was formerly Helen Svare.

Relatives and friends of Mrs. K. Danielson very pleasantly surprised her on Sunday afternoon. A purse of money was given as a gift. Lunch was served by the ladies and everyone had a pleasant time.

Miss Emelia Rinda of Rhoda has been assisting her sisters, Mrs. Trontweth and Mrs. Komplien during threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baird were visitors of friends near Neptune on Sunday.

J. E. Hellquist spent Sunday at Thief River Falls visiting with his son, C. E. Hellquist and family on 811 Duluth avenue.

Churches

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Sept. 4. German Communion services at Esplee at 10 a. m. English Communion services at Grygla at 3 p. m.

First Ev. Luth. Church—Services Sunday morning in Swedish. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45. Services in English at 8:00 p. m. The Willing Workers society will meet at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Johnson, northeast of town on Friday evening.

Swedish Baptist Church—Services will be held Monday evening, Sept. 5th at eight o'clock. Rev. E. Bjorkquist, former missionary of Minnesota, now of Oregon, will preach.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—E. F. Seagren of Minneapolis will speak at the church on Friday, Sept. 2nd, at 8 p. m. Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m. Young Peoples' meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire next Sunday. At Black River, 11 a. m.; Eastside schoolhouse 3 p. m. and at St. Hilaire 8 p. m. All cordially invited.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sept. 4. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Please note the earlier hour. Morning worship 11 a. m., "Enlargement of the Heart, No. 2." Anthem, "Praise the Lord All Ye Nations." Evening hour, 8 p. m., "The Prison House Broken Open." C. E. 7 p. m., "Thy Will Be Done With My Mind." Ladies' Aid society meets with Mrs. Albert Johnson on Friday. Home Coming Day, Sept. 11.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Confirmation at Rindal church, Rosewood, 11 a. m. Services at Zion church, city, 7:45 p. m. Quarterly business meeting in church basement Monday evening, Sept. 5, 8 p. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid meets at Mrs. Ranum's Tuesday, Sept. 6th. Goodridge Ladies' Aid at church on Wednesday, Sept. 7th, 3 p. m. Mrs. Christianson entertains. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 8 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, Sept. 8th. Mrs. O. N. Olson entertains. Zion Y. P. S. meeting Thursday evening, Sept. 8th. Evangelistic meetings in Zion church by Augsburg Gospel team, from Sept. 16th to 18th.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon, Sept. 1st. Mesdames Carl Larson, Oscar Mosleth and Dr. J. N. Nesse entertain. Young Peoples' League the same evening, Mrs. Bernhard Knudson, Mrs. Nels Ostvolden, Miss Edna Larson and Miss Ida Tandberg entertain. Confirmation class enrolls for instruction Saturday at 10 a. m. First session of Sunday school and Bible class Sunday, 9:30 a. m. Prof. I. T. Simley will have charge of Bible study. Divine services in English, 11 a. m. Vocal solo, Dr. J. N. Nesse. Divine services in Norwegian 7:45 p. m. Trinity boys' club meets Monday at 8 p. m.

DR. A. W. SWEDENBURG
Physician and Surgeon
First National Bank Building
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Citation For Hearing on Final Account and For Distribution.

Estate of Fred Roth.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Fred Roth, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Emma Roth, Wilbur Roth, Louise Roth, Wesley Roth and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent. The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

THEREFORE YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 31st day of August, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
(Sept. 1-8-15)

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One of my three teams of horses, weight about 2900. Sam A. Johnson, 3 miles southwest. 30p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE. Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs, and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon. E. H. FALLMAN, St. Hilaire, Minn. 25tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, .T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of George Lelmers. 27tf

FOR SALE—One team horses. Buyer can have choice of three teams. John Bloom, Rosewood, Minn. 31

FOR SALE CHEAP—Grain box for either wagon or truck, 100 bu. capacity. Inquire at Shooting Gallery, evenings. 30p

FOR SALE—A good cow, coming in fresh the first part of September. O. J. Valsvik, City, Route 3, Phone 7-F-1110. 30p

FOR SALE CHEAP—Five passenger automobile, in excellent running order. Fred Protz, 201 Conely Ave. So. 30tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor and plow, nearly new. Box 1021 Thief River Falls. 31p

FOR SALE—Tractor, Titan 10-20 three bottom plows and extra breaker bottoms. Tractor is in A-1 condition. Will sell cheap. Henry Ruff, Radium, Minn. 31p

FOR SALE—One iron bed with spring and one sanitary cot. Inquire H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. 31

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Eighty acres land, two miles south of Viking. Will take Thief River Falls property in exchange. Write Joseph Morin, Argyle, Minn. 30-p.

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

WANTED TO BUY—Threshing separator, 22-inch cylinder. Kotlan Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 25tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two partially furnished rooms. Call at 305 Arnold Ave. N. Rev. Bredeson. 30

FOR RENT—Half Section farm, near town. M. C. Harlow. 29tf

FOR RENT—One nice bedroom for one or two men or boys, with use of front room. Inquire of J. L. Bean. 29tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, modern, 116 St. Paul Ave. South., Phone [illegible]. 29tf

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Legal Notices

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of [illegible] Hoard, also known as Mina Hoard, decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to A. M. Matheson, Thora Shetler, John E. Matheson, Henry Hoard, Milton Hoard, Lily Hoard, Ragna Matheson, Minnie Matheson, John Matheson, Alice Matheson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of August, 1921.

(Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner
A-25-S-1-8

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrea L. Svendslie, decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil Ness.

It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated July 21, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
H. O. CHOMMIE Judge of Probate
Attorney for Estate.
A 11-18-25

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Eight hundred fifty-one and 75-100 ($1851.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., in book 64 of Mortgages, on page 44, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1851.75 and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 9th, A. D., 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A 11-18-25 S 1-8-15

Society

Surprise Party.

Twelve girl friends surprised Fern Barnett at her home on Wednesday evening. Games and music furnished amusement for the guests. At the close of the evening a delicious lunch was served.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. H. W. Protzeller informally entertained a small company of women at her home on Saturday afternoon as a courtesy to Mrs. A. E. Spalding of Laverne, who is a guest at the G. W. Connell home.

Birthday Party.

Miss Lillian Johnston entertained a number of girl friends at a theater party on Saturday, in honor of her 13th birthday anniversary. The guests repaired to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston for refreshments.

Entertain at Dinner.

The members of the Legion basket ball team for the season of 1920-21, and their coach, G. W. Connell, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, at a 7 o'clock dinner, at their country home, Burr Oaks, on Saturday evening.

Entertains.

A number of ladies were entertained by Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, at her home on Monday afternoon, in compliment to Mrs. Grout, who is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich. The afternoon was spent in needlework and visiting. A delicious lunch completed the afternoon.

O. D. O. Club Entertain.

Mrs. Ole Torrison of Robbinsdale and Mrs. R. E. Fillmore of Minneapolis, who had been visiting here were guests of honor on Tuesday afternoon when the members of the O. D. O. club entertained at a picnic lunch in Lovers' Lane. Mrs. Torrison and Mrs. Fillmore were formerly members of this club.

For Mrs. Torrison.

A variety of late summer garden and wild flowers were used in decorating the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson when she entertained a number of women on Saturday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Ole Torrison of Robbinsdale, who is visiting relatives here. A two course luncheon was served at 5 o'clock.

Theatre Party.

Ten little boys and girls were guests of Mrs. M. H. Connelly, when she entertained at a matinee party in honor of her niece, Marcella O'Neill, of Minneapolis, who has been spending the summer here. Following the movies, the little guests were ushered to the home of Mrs. Connelly on Duluth avenue, where dainty refreshments were served.

Theatre Party.

Miss Meta Kiland informally entertained a company of young women at a theatre party on Tuesday evening. The guests were Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson, Avis Akre, Una Nelson, Goldie Stebbins, Mirriam Bishop, Dorothy Bottleson, Mary Prichard, Evangeline and Lucille Burns, Doris Halvorson, Theresa Giefer, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg and Mrs. A. L. Walgren of Minneapolis.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion announce the first meeting of the coming season next Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 7, at 3 o'clock, in the Commercial Club rooms. It is desired that all members of the Auxiliary and those eligible to membership, should be present at this meeting. The officers are looking forward to a year of much activity.

Theatre Party.

Miss Meta Kiland informally entertained a number of young women friends at a theatre party on Tuesday evening. Lunch was served at Black's Sweet Shop. Miss Una Nelson, who is to be a bride of September, was guest of honor. Other guests were Misses Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson, Avis Akre, Dorothy Bottelson, Goldie Stebbins, Mary Prichard, Doris Halvorson, Lucille and Evangeline Burns, Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren of Minneapolis and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

Reunion Party.

Miss Effie Hanry entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Richardson, in honor of Miss Cora E. Russell. The guests which numbered about 25, included former normal students whom Miss Russell had taught while here and a number of her friends. Among the out-of-town guests present was Miss Martha Kleppe of Newfolden. The hours were pleasantly spent in a social manner and a delicious lunch was served about 11 o'clock.

Trinity League Program.

The Young Peoples' League of the Trinity Lutheran church, will meet this evening at 8:30. The following program will be given:

Piano solo—Maybelle Osthy.
Reading.
Vocal solo—Carrie Brown.
Talk.
Vocal solo—Leland Sether.
Piano solo—Elnor Overland.

The hostesses are Mrs. Bernhard Knudson, Mrs. Nels Ostvolden, Miss Edna Larson and Miss Ida Tandberg.

Anniversary Hostess.

The 11th birthday anniversary of little Miss Eleanor Hoglin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoglin, was the occasion for a happy gathering of little folks on Wednesday afternoon at Lovers' Lane, where a picnic lunch and marshmallow roast was enjoyed. Among those present were Wilhelma Michelet, Marion Reynolds, Ione Loken, Mary Warner, Adlyn Palmer, Katherine Bakke, Gladys Weeks, Margaret Barton, Ruby Ihle, Agnes Quinlog, Lucille Hermans, Lucille Larson and Margaret Hoglin.

Parcel Shower.

Prominent among the social affairs this autumn was the pre-nuptial shower given by Miss Mirriam Bishop, at the home of her parents, 121 Duluth avenue, on Friday evening, in honor of Miss Una Nelson, who is to be a September bride. Twelve young women friends wer guests and the time was spent in hemming towels for the bride-elect. At 11 o'clock the guests were ushered into the dining room which had been tastefully decorated in yellow garden flowers, where a delicious two-course luncheon was served. The luncheon appointments were in yellow and white. A large yellow satin bow marked the guest of honor's place. Those present were Misses Una Nelson, Grace Wilson, Meta Kiland, Irma Johnson, Theresa Geifer, Edna Larson, Effie Hanry, Cora Russell, Mrs. Ted Tandberg, Mrs. C. W. Nelson and Mrs. A. L. Walgren of Minneapolis.

Birthday Party.

Little Audrey Yvonne Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson, Kendall avenue south, was three years old Thursday and several little friends and playmates were her guests at a merry frolic at her home. They played games on the lawn and then had a birthday lunch in the dining room. There was a birthday cake with candles and pink and white flowers decorated the table. The guests were Avis Fellman, Ardith Mellby, Verona and Delores Erdahl, Gynther Gunderson and Forrest Anderson.

Parcel Shower.

Miss Myrtle Blair entertained 12 young women on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson in honor of Mrs. Chas. Conner, an August bride. There was music and games to furnish entertainment. A delightful lunch was served, after which the guest of honor was presented with many pretty and useful gifts. Those present were: Misses Dora Holmes, Inez Johnson, Lillian Provencher, Caroline Mellby, Gena Legvold, Pearl Stageberg, Mrs. S. Salveson, Mrs. Leo Faye, Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Mrs. Bakken, Mrs. A. Stenberg, Mrs. Conner. —

For Miss Nelson.

Miss Theresa Giefer of 302 Conley Ave. So., entertained ten young women Monday evening at a 5 o'clock luncheon, as a pre-nuptial attention for Miss Una Nelson, who is to be the bride of Walter R. Patterson on Sept. 7. Pink and white were used in the luncheon appointments. Sweet peas in a crystal holder formed the centerpiece. The guest list included Misses Una Nelson, Irma Johnson, Meta Kiland, Grace Wilson, Christine Giefer, Mirriam Bishop, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, Mrs. A. L. Walgren of Minneapolis and Mrs. Joe Perdzock of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.

Methodist Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. Bamford, at the home of the latter, Sept. 7th.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen is entertaining at a 6:30 dinner at her home, 721 LaBree Ave. N., this evening in compliment to Miss Una Nelson.

Prenuptial Luncheon.

A very attractive affair of Wednesday was a 1 o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. H. A. Brumund and daughter, Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren, at the former's apartment in the Brumund, as a pre-nuptial attention for Miss Una Nelson. The guests surrounded four tables which had been prettily decorated in pink and white. Small crystal baskets containing annual larkspur and sweet clover with a pink tulle bow as a finishing touch, centered each table at which the guests were served. A large tulle bow of pink combined with dainty pink and white flowers, marked the guest of honor's place. A matinee at the Lyceum theatre followed. Among those present were Misses Doris Halvorson, Theresa Giefer, Meta Kiland, Irma Johnson, Una Nelson, Goldie Stebbins, Mirriam Bishop, Grace Wilson, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, Mrs. Joe Perdzock, Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, Mrs. John Bratrud, Mrs. Annie Menrow and Mrs. C. W. Nelson.

Garnes Boy Raises Peanuts.

Red Lake county merchants will have an opportunity this year to buy home grown peanuts. Last spring Joseph Foldoe, residing six miles northeast of Plummer planted two rows, about seventy-five feet in length of peanuts, and now has a crop that promises to be a hummer. Two vines each bearing more than twenty-five peanuts are now on display at the Healy Land office, where all who are interested can see them. —Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Y. P. S. Meeting.

The Black River Y. P. S. will meet at Lorentson's on Saturday evening, Sept. 3. Program will consist of music and reading. Lunch will be served.

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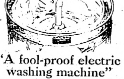
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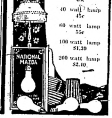

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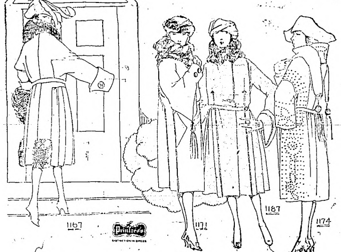

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Finally, is No. 1174, of Panvelaine with rich French embroidery.

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SUPREME COURT AFFIRMS DECISION DECLARING THE CITY HAS RIGHT TO PAVE

Judge Grindeland's Position Upheld on Appeal For Reversal Made by George L. Streeter, Intervenor. Hamre Case Not Affected by Judgment.

With Legal Restrictions Removed, Whether or Not Any Paving is Undertaken This Season Depends Upon City's Ability to Secure the Money.

The supreme court decision in the local paving case was filed today. The district court decision is affirmed and in a rather lengthy and complete document every step thus far taken by the city council in the paving matter is upheld and declared legal and proper. The contract with the Bitulithic Contracting company is referred to as a legal and binding obligation, and it appears that all other points in dispute have been satisfactorily disposed of by the court. From this it would appear that the only obstacle now in the path of immediately going ahead with the actual paving operations is the securing of the money. Whether this will be forthcoming at once or not remains to be seen. The city council has entered into contract for the sale of the bonds but the present condition of financial depression throughout the entire country may make it impossible to get the necessary money in time to start operations this fall. This is a matter that will undoubtedly be decided definitely within the next few days.

The supreme court decision is on the appeal of George C. Streeter in his case as intervenor and there still remains the appeal of T. P. Hamre, notice of which was filed with the court on August 20. If it develops that a decision on the Hamre appeal is necessary before the bonds can be disposed of there is no possibility of any work being started this fall as the usual court custom allows the interested parties sixty days in which to file their argument with the court and this would carry the matter to the latter part of October. However, inasmuch as the Streeter case involved the same identical points as the Hamre case it would seem that the pendency of the Hamre appeal would have no effect on the sale of the bonds. In any event the whole matter has now reached the final stage and the next few days will decide whether or not there will be any paving done in Thief River Falls this fall.

Following is the complete decision of the supreme court:

Pennington County, Holt, J.

Endorsed. Herman Mueller, Clerk.

T. P. Hamre, Plaintiff, vs. City of Thief River Falls, et al., Defendants and Respondents, and George C. Streeter, Intervenor and Appellant.

Syllabus.

A resolution to pave, passed by the city council on March 19, 1920, was approved by the mayor on March 23, 1920. The law forbids the mayor to sign the same within four days after its presentation to him, but provides that if not returned within ten days after presentation it shall take effect without being approved. It is held the approval was nugatory, and the resolution cannot be considered as returned, either approved or vetoed, and went into effect as for failure of mayor to act.

The offer to prove that the paving was undertaken when prices were the highest was rightly excluded.

If the plan proposed to be adopted in assessing the cost of the pavement is wrong the law gives a remedy in the assessment proceeding.

The condition of the city treasury is not a material question in this action.

No reversible error is found in the record.

Affirmed.

Opinion.

Suit by plaintiff, a taxpayer of Thief River Falls, a city organized under C. 8 L. 1895 and amendatory acts, to enjoin the performance of a paving contract made by the city with the Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited, a corporation. The city and its officers, the corporation named, and also another corporation which undertook to sell city certificates to finance the improvement, are defendants. The corporation last referred to has no longer any interest in the litigation and the matters relating to it need not be noticed.

Before coming to a consideration of the questions presented upon this appeal it is necessary to refer to some of the steps taken in court as to this paving proposition. The present appeal is by an intervenor, who came into the case as soon as the summons was served. Plaintiff's complaint is lengthy and alleges various grounds for challenging the proceedings leading up to the paving contract. The intervenor is like plaintiff a taxpayer, owning lots abutting the streets to be paved, and his complaint in intervention contains the very same allegations contained in plaintiff's complaint, with the addition of certain facts which the court found true in respect to other actions previously brought by other taxpayers and property owners, represented by the attorney who represents the present plaintiff. The latter facts are in short these: Immediately after the resolution to pave was adopted by the city and the bid of the Bitulithic Corporation accepted, M. V. Evenson and other taxpayers and abutting owners brought suit in behalf of themselves and other similarly situated to enjoin the paving. The complaint stated in substance the same grounds as in this action. When the plaintiffs therein applied for a temporary injunction, a demurrer to their complaint was heard also. June 8, 1920, the court denied the application and sustained the demurrer. An appeal to this court was perfected, but was by stipulation dismissed "with prejudice." In February, 1921, the same attorney in behalf of Oen Mercantile Co. began a suit against defendants substantially in the same form as in the Evenson and the present cases. It was set for trial June 30, 1921, but when reached the plaintiff, against defendant's objection, dismissed the suit, and on the same day started the present action. As soon as the intervenor herein served the complaint of intervention, he obtained an order to show cause why a temporary injunction should not issue. When this came up for hearing the court was requested by the intervenor and defendants to hear the cause on the merits. This was done over the objections and protests of plaintiff. The court concluded that there had been an effort to delay an adjudication, heard the evidence and made findings, in substance, holding valid all steps taken in ordering the pavement and executing the contract for the improvement. The intervenor appealed from the judgment entered on the findings and joined with defendants in a request for a speedy hearing. Plaintiff has taken a separate appeal. He was given the opportunity to submit his appeal with intervenor's, or to file a brief amicus curae. He chose the latter. We remark here that no assignments of error not available to the intervenor can be urged by plaintiff as amicus curae, such as the ones that the court could not hear the cause on its merits on the motion for a temporary injunction, for intervenor requested that to be done; or that there was error in dismissing plaintiff's complaint on the merits, for that does not affect intervenor. It is patent that there has been an effort to prevent the contemplated pavement by protracted litigation. It is also clear that intervenor came in to block such effort. We need say no more about the tactics pursued or intervenor's standing in court, except that the intervention is unquestionably proper. Intervenor occupies the same relation as plaintiff to the proposed paving, and stands to lose or gain by a determination of the issues tendered by plaintiff's complaint.

The main point relied on by the intervenor for a reversal is that the mayor acted prematurely when he approved the resolution ordering the pavement laid. If this resolution is invalid no subsequent action of the city council or mayor could give authority to proceed with the paving. The resolution was passed, by the city council on March 19, 1920, and the approval was dated March 23. The following sections of C. 8 L. 1895 are pertinent: "Every ordinance, order and resolution shall, before it takes effect, be presented to the mayor for approval. If he approves he shall sign the same, but if he disapprove it, he shall return it to the city council with his objections thereto." (59). "No ordinance, order or resolution shall be signed by the mayor within four (4) days after the same is presented to him, and if the same shall not be returned by him on the tenth (10) day (Sunday excepted) after it shall have been presented by him." (61). "The city clerk shall indorse upon each such ordinance, order and resolution the time when the same was delivered to the mayor, and the time when it was returned to his office by the mayor." (62).

The approval of the mayor was premature. If No. 61 be mandatory, the approval was nugatory and of no more effect than if some other person had undertaken to sign an approval thereon. There was then not a return of the resolution either duly approved or vetoed within ten days after its presentation, and it therefore became effective under the last clause of the section. That the resolution was presented to the mayor is indicated by his signature thereon, even though it has not the legal effect of an approval. The failure, if such there be, of the city clerk to comply with No. 62 could not invalidate the resolution. After the resolution was presented to the mayor he could prevent or hinder its taking effect in only one way, by returning it vetoed within ten days. That alone would have given rise to further action by the council. The law should not be so construed that by a premature approval of an ordinance or resolution and returning it within the ten days from its presentation a mayor could effectively tie the hands of the city council on the proposition, for such a premature approval cannot be held a veto.

The court rightly excluded proof offered that the improvement was undertaken when prices therefor were the highest. There was no averment nor offer of proof that the city council members were actuated by improper motives or exercised their judgment arbitrarily.

That the officials charged with the duty of assessing the cost to the abutting property intends to adopt some method that appellant considers illegal cannot be ground for injunctive relief right now. The law provides for a hearing when the time arrives for making the assessment, Chapt. 65, L. 1919. There is an adequate remedy at law, and the objection here made is premature.

That the financial condition of the city is not a material issue in this action seems to follow from the decision in Pike vs. City of Marshall, 178 N. W. 1006, for the abutting property owners and not the city will eventually pay nearly the whole of the cost. That decision also determines adversely to appellant other grounds alleged in the pleading for relief.

It is intimated that the direction or order to the city clerk, found in the minutes of the council meeting of Feb. 24, 1920, to publish the notice to property owners that the meeting of March 19, 1920, would be held to consider and determine whether this paving should be done, invalidated all subsequent proceedings because such direction or order was not approved by the mayor. This so called order does not come within the meaning of the words "ordinance, order or resolution" in the sections above cited. It is a mere direction to an agent or officer of the city to do a ministerial or administrative act, Fairchild vs. City of St. Paul 46 Minn. 540.

Judgment affirmed.

Brumund Hotel Sold.

A deal was closed last Friday whereby Louis Garvey sold the Brumund hotel to H. W. DeParcq of Mankato, Minn. Mr. DeParcq took immediate possession and Mr. Garvey and family left the following day on an extended trip, they not having definitely decided where they will locate. Mr. DeParcq has had a great deal of experience in the hotel business and will without doubt maintain the high standard of service which this popular place was noted for during the many years it was under the management of H. A. Brumund.

LIEBERMAN BROS. DECIDE TO SELL OUT BUSINESS

Entire Stock of Clothing Together With Fixtures and Building to Be Sold.

Albert Lieberman Will Locate on Pacific Coast as Soon as Stock is Disposed of.

Sale Will Mark Close of Ten Years' Successful Business Career in This City.

ALBERT S. LIEBERMAN

Announcement is made this week that Lieberman Brothers have decided to dispose of their business in Thief River Falls. The entire stock of clothing, shoes and furnishings is to be sold out at a gigantic sale which starts Saturday and will continue until all is sold. It is also announced that their fine building and store fixtures will be sold.

Will Locate in West.

Albert Lieberman, who has been in active charge of the business here for the past ten years, will leave for the Pacific coast as soon as the stock has been disposed of. He has not definitely decided just where he will locate or what line of business he will engage in but has several propositions under consideration.

Business Very Successful.

Mr. Lieberman located here about ten years ago and during the many years he has been engaged in business here has enjoyed a splendid and ever increasing patronage. He has at all times carried standard makes of high class merchandise and has enjoyed the reputation of being a first class, progressive business man, his customers always being assured of courteous and honest treatment. His retirement from business in Thief River Falls will be a distinct loss to the city and the removal of himself and family will be keenly regretted by their many friends.

Large and Seasonable Stock.

The stock to be disposed of is a large one, but with the decision of Mr. Lieberman to dispose of it at this particular season of the year it will undoubtedly be sold in a comparatively short time. Several parties have already expressed an interest insecuring the building and it is very likely that this will be sold as soon or before the stock is entirely closed out. The building is situated in a very desirable location and it is to be hoped that it will be secured by someone who will conduct a business along lines equally as progressive as those of Mr. Lieberman.

INSTRUCTOR WILL ORGANIZE CLASS IN COMMERCIAL LAW

Wm. C. Smiley of University Extension Service to Speak at Club Rooms Thursday.

Wm. C. Smiley of the University Extension service will be here next Thursday, Sept. 15, and at 8 o'clock in the evening will speak at the Commercial club rooms for the purpose of interesting a sufficient number to organize a class in commercial law.

These are not professional classes but are for the instruction of business men. They bear the same relation to law as instruction in hygiene bears to medicine. They are identical with the classes in business law given in the day school of the university and count for full university credits. But they do not count for credits in the Law school. These classes have proved very popular in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, particularly among the senior clerks and junior officers of banks. The enrollment exceeds the registration of any private college in the state. The university furnishes the material and conducts the courses, which are taught by lawyers. It is proposed to experiment with the establishment of classes in some of the smaller cities of the state, under local attorneys. If the experiment succeeds this feature will be extended. Thief River Falls has been chosen as one of the first experiment stations.

Mr. Smiley will be remembered by the older residents of the city as he at one time resided here. He came to Thief River Falls immediately after the Spanish-American war, in which he served in the same regiment with the Thief River Falls contingent. He was for a time publisher of the Thief River Falls Press and was later elected county surveyor. He also enjoyed the distinction of being secretary of the first local Commercial club, the organization which secured the opening of the Eleven Towns. He left Thief River Falls in 1903 and entered the law school of the state university. He practiced law in St. Paul for a while and for the past seven years has been connected with the University Extension service. He is now at the head of the staff of ten instructors in this department.

NEW CREAMERY AT ST. HILAIRE READY

Machinery Now Installed and Modern Plant in Shape to Begin Operations.

The new modern home of the St. Hilaire creamery, which is reputed to be the finest and most up-to-date plant in this part of the state, was completed this week, says the St. Hilaire Spectator. Electrical energy for both power and lighting is now being installed. Such machinery in the old plant as can be used will be moved over the last of the week, and it is expected the new outfit will be in operation soon. The building, which has concrete and steel reinforced basement, and is otherwise of brick construction, is about as fire proof as it can be made. One fine feature is the woman's rest room in front, which is equipped with conveniences such as are found in the most modern home. The whole plant is planned with a view of complete sanitation. A ventilating system keeps the air fresh and sweet in all parts of the building at all times. Concrete floors in all rooms does away with the cleaning problem—it being an easy matter to flush floors with a hose.

Electrical power will operate all machinery that requires power. For convenience of employes, a toilet and shower bath has been installed in the basement. A part of the basement in front has been partitioned off and will be occupied by E. Patnode with his barber shop.

It would take a volume to make special note of the numerous conveniences to be found in the new building. It will be time well spent for anyone to go through it after it is in operation to see the modern way of handling the product that has made this state famous.

Special Sunday Service.

There will be a praise service at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. The following program will be rendered:

Hymns No. 81 and No. 127.

Anthems:

1. "Unto the Hills"—J. S. Fearis.
2. "Bless the Lord, O, My Soul"—I. B. Wilson.
3. "Behold How He Loved Us"—N. P. Chandler.
4. "Oh, Clap Your Hands"—J. S. Fearis.
5. "Praise Him"—C. D. Lowden.
6. "Christ of Calvary"—F. B. Houlton.
7. "Jesus Shall Reign"—M. L. McPhail.

Solos:

Violin—Mrs. August Holmberg.
Soprano—Miss Lorraine Will.
Alto—Miss Ariel Kinghorn.
Mrs. August Holmberg, pianist.

NEW PEAT FUEL EXPERIMENT TO BE CARRIED ON

Minneapolis Company Begins Operations in Carlton County—Of Interest Here.

Concern Purchases Two Sections of Peat Bog on Which to Conduct Experiment.

Largest Practical Demonstration of Peat For Fuel Yet Tried in Northwest.

Pennington county, and in fact all parts of Northern Minnesota, will watch with interest the work of developing peat bogs as a definite fuel source. The first actual trial of peat on a commercial scale is to be made this season and work has already been started in Carlton county, where the *Northern Peat* company has purchased a large tract of land near Corona and is setting up machinery for use in cutting and preparing the peat.

The development work is being done by the Northern Peat company, a strong corporation with ample resources. The company has purchased about two sections of land on the bog and from soundings it is estimated the average depth of the peat deposit is 20 feet.

Modern Methods Used.

A large area has already been cleared of top roots and stumps and machines drawn by caterpillar tractors are digging saucer-like ditches through the bog. These ditches are 300 feet apart, are about 4 feet deep at the deepest point and extend east and west for a mile or more.

The cutting machines will work in these ditches, cutting the peat into four-inch cubes and depositing them out on the bog, where they will remain for two or three weeks to dry, during which time they will shrink to about two and one-half inches in size. They will then be shipped to a crusher plant at Minneapolis, where they will be pulverized and used as fuel in powdered form.

To Make Thorough Test.

The men back of this development are going to make a thorough test of the adaptability of peat for fuel and no expense will be spared in doing so. The machinery already purchased cost in excess of $50,000, and it was made to order for the company. With the equipment ordered, and which will be on the ground in a few days, they expect to be able to ship 50,000 tons of dried peat in a full season's work.

The reason that the peat is to be shipped to Minneapolis for the present is that in that city large consumers of soft coal have found in the past few years that it is more economical to crush their fuel and consequently there are a large number of plants ready to use the powdered peat. It is planned to erect a crushing plant at Duluth before next season's work is started. Powdered peat was used in Minneapolis successfully last winter and it has been definitely established that best results are obtained from the crushed product.

By-Products Not Wasted.

The company will also furnish peat to the University of Minnesota for experimental work, machinery and laboratory equipment now being installed there for the extraction of peat by-products, which consists of dyes, coal tar and chemicals. University experiments will also be carried on for the manufacture of peat gas for smelting iron ore.

The men behind this development have made a careful and exhaustive examination of all peat in the state and they found that the Corona bog not only had the greatest depth of any they examined, but that the structure of this peat is the best found. The only bad feature is that it contains a number of large roots which have resisted decay, and which may cause some trouble in working the deposit.

There is little doubt but that in the future peat will be largely used for fuel in Minnesota and that in a few years it is probable that peat plants will be a common sight in many parts of the state.

Evangelistic Meetings Held at Zion Church Next Week

Evangelistic meetings will be held at the Zion Lutheran church by the Gospel Team from Minneapolis. Four young men will sing and preach the old-time gospel, beginning Friday, Sept. 16, at 11 a. m. and lasting over Sunday.

The team will be at Goodridge on Monday, Sept. 19, all day; in Rindal church, Rosewood, Tuesday and Wednesday, beginning at 11 a. m. and continuing all day. English and Norwegian will be used. Everybody cordially invited to these meetings.

Hamre Residence Sold.

A deal was closed this week whereby the Physicians Hospital company became the owner of the T. P. Hamre residence property on north LaBree avenue. The place will be used for a nurses' home, for which use it is admirably adapted. The new owners will be given possession of the property on Oct. 1.

Society

Surprise Party.

Twelve girl friends surprised Fern Barnett at her home on Wednesday evening. Games and music furnished amusement for the guests. At the close of the evening a delicious lunch was served.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. H. W. Protzeller informally entertained a small company of women at her home on Saturday afternoon as a courtesy to Mrs. A. E. Spalding of Laverne, who is a guest at the G. W. Connell home.

Birthday Party.

Miss Lillian Johnston entertained a number of girl friends at a theater party on Saturday, in honor of her 13th birthday anniversary. The guests repaired to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnston for refreshments.

Entertain at Dinner.

The members of the Legion basket ball team for the season of 1920-21, and their coach, G. W. Connell, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, at a 7 o'clock dinner, at their country home, Burr Oaks, on Saturday evening.

Entertains.

A number of ladies were entertained by Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, at her home on Monday afternoon, in compliment to Mrs. Groat, who is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich. The afternoon was spent in needlework and visiting. A delicious lunch completed the afternoon.

O. D. O. Club Entertain.

Mrs. Ole Torrison of Robbinsdale and Mrs. E. E. Fillmore of Minneapolis, who had been visiting here were guests of honor on Tuesday afternoon when the members of the O. D. O. club entertained at a picnic lunch in Lovers' Lane. Mrs. Torrison and Mrs. Fillmore were formerly members of this club.

For Mrs. Torrison.

A variety of late summer garden and wild flowers were used in decorating the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson when she entertained a number of women on Saturday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Ole Torrison of Robbinsdale, who is visiting relatives here. A two course luncheon was served at 5 o'clock.

Theatre Party.

Ten little boys and girls were guests of Mrs. M. H. Connelly, when she entertained at a matinee party in honor of her niece, Marcella O'Neill, of Minneapolis, who has been spending the summer here. Following the movies, the little guests were ushered to the home of Mrs. Connelly on Duluth avenue, where dainty refreshments were served.

Theatre Party.

Miss Meta Kiland informally entertained a company of young women at a theatre party on Tuesday evening. The guests were Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson, Avis Akre, Una Nelson, Goldie Stebbins, Mirriam Bishop, Dorothy Bottleson, Mary Prichard, Evangeline and Lucille Burns, Doris Halvorson, Theresa Giefer, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg and Mrs. A. L. Walgren of Minneapolis.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion announce the first meeting of the coming season next Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 7, at 3 o'clock, in the Commercial Club rooms. It is desired that all members of the Auxiliary and those eligible to membership, should be present at this meeting. The officers are looking forward to a year of much activity.

Theatre Party.

Miss Meta Kiland informally entertained a number of young women friends at a theatre party on Tuesday evening. Lunch was served at Black's Sweet Shop. Miss Una Nelson, who is to be a bride of September, was guest of honor. Other guests were Misses Grace Wilson, Irma Johnson, Avis Akre, Dorothy Bottelson, Goldie Stebbins, Mary Prichard, Doris Halvorson, Lucille and Evangeline Burns, Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren of Minneapolis and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

Reunion Party.

Miss Effie Hanry entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Richardson, in honor of Miss Cora E. Russell. The guests, which numbered about 25, included former normal students whom Miss Russell had taught while here and a number of her friends. Among the out-of-town guests present was Miss Martha Kleppe of Newfolden. The hours were pleasantly spent in a social manner and a delicious lunch was served about 11 o'clock.

Trinity League Program.

The Young Peoples' League of the Trinity Lutheran church, will meet this evening at 8:30. The following program will be given:

Piano solo Maybelle Osthy.
Reading.
Vocal solo Carrie Brown.
Talk.
Vocal solo Leland Sether.
Piano solo Elnor Overland.

The hostesses are Mrs. Bernhard Knudson, Mrs. Nels Ostvolden, Miss Edna Larson and Miss Ida Tandberg.

Anniversary Hostess.

The 11th birthday anniversary of little Miss Eleanor Hoglin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoglin, was the occasion for a happy gathering of little folks on Wednesday afternoon at Lovers' Lane, where a picnic lunch and marshmallow roast was enjoyed. Among those present were Wilhelma Michelet, Marion Reynolds, Ione Loken, Mary Warner, Adlyn Palmer, Katherine Bakke, Gladys Weeks, Margaret Barron, Ruby Ihle, Agnes Quinlog, Lucille Hermans, Lucille Larson and Margaret Hoglin.

Parcel Shower.

Prominent among the social affairs this autumn was the pre-nuptial shower given by Miss Mirriam Bishop, at the home of her parents, 121 Duluth avenue, on Friday evening, in honor of Miss Una Nelson, who is to be a September bride. Twelve young women friends wer guests and the time was spent in hemming towels for the bride-elect. At 11 o'clock the guests were ushered into the dining room which had been tastefully decorated in yellow garden flowers, where a delicious two-course luncheon was served. The luncheon appointments were in yellow and white. A large yellow satin bow marked the guest of honor's place. Those present were Misses Una Nelson, Grace Wilson, Meta Kiland, Irma Johnson, Theresa Giefer, Edna Larson, Effie Hanry, Cora Russell, Mrs. Ted Tandberg, Mrs. C. W. Nelson and Mrs. A. L. Walgren of Minneapolis.

Birthday Party.

Little Audrey Yvonne Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson, Kendall avenue south, was three years old Thursday and several little friends and playmates were her guests at a merry frolic at her home. They played games on the lawn and then had a birthday lunch in the dining room. There was a birthday cake with candles and pink and white flowers decorated the table. The guests were Avis Fellman, Ardith Mellby, Verona and Delores Erdahl, Gynther Gunderson and Forrest Anderson.

Parcel Shower.

Miss Myrtle Blair entertained 12 young women on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson in honor of Mrs. Chas. Conner, an August bride. There was music and games to furnish entertainment. A delightful lunch was served, after which the guest of honor was presented with many pretty and useful gifts. Those present were: Misses Dora Holmes, Inez Johnson, Lillian Provencher, Caroline Mellby, Gena Legvold, Pearl Stageberg, Mrs. S. Salveson, Mrs. Leo Faye, Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Mrs. Bakken, Mrs. A. Stenberg, Mrs. Conner.

For Miss Nelson.

Miss Theresa Giefer of 302 Conley Ave. So., entertained ten young women Monday evening at a 5 o'clock luncheon, as a pre-nuptial attention for Miss Una Nelson, who is to be the bride of Walter R. Patterson on Sept. 7. Pink and white were used in the luncheon appointments. Sweet peas in a crystal holder formed the centerpiece. The guest list included Misses Una Nelson, Irma Johnson, Meta Kiland, Grace Wilson, Christine Giefer, Mirriam Bishop, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, Mrs. A. L. Walgren of Minneapolis and Mrs. Joe Perizock of Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.

Methodist Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. Bamford, at the home of the latter, Sept. 7th.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. E. O. Mogenson is entertaining at a 6:30 dinner at her home, 721 LaBree Ave. N., this evening in compliment to Miss Una Nelson.

Prenuptial Luncheon.

A very attractive affair of Wednesday was a 1 o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. H. A. Brumund and daughter, Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren, at the former's apartment in the Brumund, as a pre-nuptial attention for Miss Una Nelson. The guests surrounded four tables which had been prettily decorated in pink and white. Small crystal baskets containing annual larkspur and sweet clover with a pink tulle bow as a finishing touch, centered each table at which the guests were served. A large tulle bow of pink combined with dainty pink and white flowers, marked the guest of honor's place. A matinee at the Lyceum theatre followed. Among those present were Misses Doris Halvorson, Theresa Giefer, Meta Kiland, Irma Johnson, Una Nelson, Goldie Stebbins, Mirriam Bishop, Grace Wilson, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, Mrs. Joe Perizock, Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, Mrs. John Bratrud, Mrs. Annie Meurow and Mrs. C. W. Nelson.

Garnes Boy Raises Peanuts.

Red Lake county merchants will have an opportunity this year to buy home grown peanuts. Last spring Joseph Foldoe, residing six miles northeast of Plummer planted two rows, about seventy-five feet in length of peanuts, and now has a crop that promises to be a bummer. Two vines each bearing more than twenty-five peanuts are now on display at the Healy Land office, where all who are interested can see them. —Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Y. P. S. Meeting.

The Black River Y. P. S. will meet at Lorentson's on Saturday evening, Sept. 3. Program will consist of music and reading. Lunch will be served.

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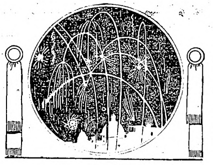

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SUPREME COURT AFFIRMS DECISION DECLARING THE CITY HAS RIGHT TO PAVE

Judge Grindeland's Position Upheld on Appeal For Reversal Made by George L. Streeter, Intervenor. Hamre Case Not Affected by Judgment.

With Legal Restrictions Removed, Whether or Not Any Paving is Undertaken This Season Depends Upon City's Ability to Secure the Money.

The supreme court decision in the local paving case was filed today. The district court decision is affirmed and in a rather lengthy and complete document every step thus far taken by the city council in the paving matter is upheld and declared legal and proper. The contract with the Bitulithic Contracting company is referred to as a legal and binding obligation, and it appears that all other points in dispute have been satisfactorily disposed of by the court. From this it would appear that the only obstacle now in the path of immediately going ahead with the actual paving operations is the securing of the money. Whether this will be forthcoming at once or not remains to be seen. The city council has entered into contract for the sale of the bonds but the present condition of financial depression throughout the entire country may make it impossible to get the necessary money in time to start operations this fall. This is a matter that will undoubtedly be decided definitely within the next few days.

The supreme court decision is on the appeal of George C. Streeter in his case as intervenor and there still remains the appeal of T. P. Hamre, notice of which was filed with the court on August 20. If it develops that a decision on the Hamre appeal is necessary before the bonds can be disposed of there is no possibility of any work being started this fall as the usual court custom allows the interested parties sixty days in which to file their argument with the court and this would carry the matter to the latter part of October. However, inasmuch as the Streeter case involved the same identical points as the Hamre case it would seem that the pendency of the Hamre appeal would have no effect on the sale of the bonds. In any event the whole matter has now reached the final stage and the next few days will decide whether or not there will be any paving done in Thief River Falls this fall.

Following is the complete decision of the supreme court:

Pennington County, Holt, J.

Endorsed. Herman Mueller, Clerk.

T. P. Hamre, Plaintiff, vs. City of Thief River Falls, et al., Defendants and Respondents, and George C. Streeter, Intervenor and Appellant.

Syllabus.

A resolution to pave, passed by the city council on March 19, 1920, was approved by the mayor on March 23, 1920. The law forbids the mayor to sign the same within four days after its presentation to him, but provides that if not returned within ten days after presentation it shall take effect without being approved. It is held the approval was nugatory, and the resolution cannot be considered as returned, either approved or vetoed, and went into effect as for failure of mayor to act.

The offer to prove that the paving was undertaken when prices were the highest was rightly excluded.

If the plan proposed to be adopted in assessing the cost of the pavement is wrong the law gives a remedy in the assessment proceeding.

The condition of the city treasury is not a material question in this action.

No reversible error is found in the record.

Affirmed.

Opinion.

Suit by plaintiff, a taxpayer of Thief River Falls, a city organized under C. 8 L. 1895 and amendatory acts, to enjoin the performance of a paving contract made by the city with the Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited, a corporation. The city and its officers, the corporation named, and also another corporation which undertook to sell city certificates to finance the improvement, are defendants. The corporation last referred to has no longer any interest in the litigation and the matters relating to it need not be noticed.

Before coming to a consideration of the questions presented upon this appeal it is necessary to refer to some of the steps taken in court as to this paving proposition. The present appeal is by an intervenor, who came into the case as soon as the summons was served. Plaintiff's complaint is lengthy and alleges various grounds for challenging the proceedings leading up to the paving contract. The intervenor is like plaintiff a taxpayer, owning lots abutting the streets to be paved, and his complaint in intervention contains the very same allegations contained in plaintiff's complaint, with the addition of certain facts which the court found true in respect to other actions previously brought by other taxpayers and property owners, represented by the attorney who represents the present plaintiff. The latter facts are in short these: Immediately after the resolution to pave was adopted by the city and the bid of the Bitulithic Corporation accepted, M. V. Evenson and other taxpayers and abutting owners brought suit in behalf of themselves and other similarly situated to enjoin the paving. The complaint stated in substance the same grounds as in this action. When the plaintiffs therein applied for a temporary injunction, a demurrer to their complaint was heard also. June 8, 1920, the court denied the application and sustained the demurrer. An appeal to this court was perfected, but was by stipulation dismissed "with prejudice." In February, 1921, the same attorney in behalf of Oen Mercantile Co. began a suit against defendants substantially in the same form as in the Evenson and the present cases. It was set for trial June 30, 1921, but when reached the plaintiff, against defendant's objection, dismissed the suit, and on the same day started the present action. As soon as the intervenor herein served the complaint of intervention, he obtained an order to show cause why a temporary injunction should not issue. When this came up for hearing the court was requested by the intervenor and defendants to hear the cause on the merits. This was done over the objections and protests of plaintiff. The court concluded that there had been an effort to delay an adjudication, heard the evidence and made findings, in substance, holding valid all steps taken in ordering the pavement and executing the contract for the improvement. The intervenor appealed from the judgment entered on the findings and joined with defendants in a request for a speedy hearing. Plaintiff has taken a separate appeal. He was given the opportunity to submit his appeal with intervenor's, or to file a brief amicus curae. He chose the latter. We remark here that no assignments of error not available to the intervenor can be urged by plaintiff as amicus curae, such as the ones that the court could not hear the cause on its merits on the motion for a temporary injunction, for intervenor requested that to be done; or that there was error in dismissing plaintiff's complaint on the merits, for that does not affect intervenor. It is patent that there has been an effort to prevent the contemplated pavement by protracted litigation. It is also clear that intervenor came in to block such effort. We need say no more about the tactics pursued or intervenor's standing in court, except that the intervention is unquestionably proper. Intervenor occupies the same relation as plaintiff to the proposed paving, and stands to lose or gain by a determination of the issues tendered by plaintiff's complaint.

The main point relied on by the intervenor for a reversal is that the mayor acted prematurely when he approved the resolution ordering the pavement laid. If this resolution is invalid no subsequent action of the city council or mayor could give authority to proceed with the paving. The resolution was passed by the city council on March 19, 1920, and the approval was dated March 23. The following sections of C. 8 L. 1895 are pertinent: "Every ordinance, order and resolution shall, before it takes effect, be presented to the mayor for approval. If he approves he shall sign the same, but if he disapprove it, he shall return it to the city council with his objections thereto." (59). "No ordinance, order or resolution shall be signed by the mayor within four (4) days after the same is presented to him, and if the same shall not be returned by him on the tenth (10) day (Sunday excepted) after it shall have been presented by him." (61). "The city clerk shall indorse upon each such ordinance, order and resolution the time when the same was delivered to the mayor, and the time when it was returned to his office by the mayor." (62).

The approval of the mayor was premature. If No. 61 be mandatory, the approval was nugatory and of no more effect than if some other person had undertaken to sign an approval thereon. There was then not a return of the resolution either duly approved or vetoed within ten days after its presentation, and it therefore became effective under the last clause of the section. That the resolution was presented to the mayor is indicated by his signature thereon, even though it has not the legal effect of an approval. The failure, if such there be, of the city clerk to comply with No. 62 could not invalidate the resolution. After the resolution was presented to the mayor he could prevent or hinder its taking effect in only one way, by returning it vetoed within ten days. That alone would have given rise to further action by the council. The law should not be so construed that by a premature approval of an ordinance or resolution and returning it within the ten days from its presentation a mayor could effectively tie the hands of the city council on the proposition, for such a premature approval cannot be held a veto.

The court rightly excluded proof offered that the improvement was undertaken when prices therefor were the highest. There was no averment nor offer of proof that the city council members were actuated by improper motives or exercised their judgment arbitrarily.

That the officials charged with the duty of assessing the cost to the abutting property intends to adopt some method that appellant considers illegal cannot be ground for injunctive relief right now. The law provides for a hearing when the time arrives for making the assessment, Chapt. 65, L. 1919. There is an adequate remedy at law, and the objection here made is premature.

That the financial condition of the city is not a material issue in this action seems to follow from the decision in Pike vs. City of Marshall 178 N. W. 1006, for the abutting property owners and not the city will eventually pay nearly the whole of the cost. That decision also determines adversely to appellant other grounds alleged in the pleading for relief.

It is intimated that the direction or order to the city clerk, found in the minutes of the council meeting of Feb. 24, 1920, to publish the notice to property owners that the meeting of March 19, 1920, would be held to consider and determine whether this paving should be done, invalidated all subsequent proceedings because such direction or order was not approved by the mayor. This so called order does not come within the meaning of the words "ordinance, order or resolution" in the sections above cited. It is a mere direction to an agent or officer of the city to do a ministerial or administrative act, Fairchild vs. City of St. Paul 46 Minn. 540.

Judgment affirmed.

Brumund Hotel Sold.

A deal was closed last Friday whereby Louis Garvey sold the Brumund hotel to H. W. DeParcq of Mankato, Minn. Mr. DeParcq took immediate possession and Mr. Garvey and family left the following day on an extended trip, they not having definitely decided where they will locate. Mr. DeParcq has had a great deal of experience in the hotel business and will without doubt maintain the high standard of service which this popular place was noted for during the many years it was under the management of H. A. Brumund.

LIEBERMAN BROS. DECIDE TO SELL OUT BUSINESS

Entire Stock of Clothing Together With Fixtures and Building to Be Sold.

Albert Lieberman Will Locate on Pacific Coast as Soon as Stock is Disposed of.

Sale Will Mark Close of Ten Years' Successful Business Career in This City.

ALBERT S. LIEBERMAN

Announcement is made this week that Lieberman Brothers have decided to dispose of their business in Thief River Falls. The entire stock of clothing, shoes and furnishings is to be sold out at a gigantic sale which starts Saturday and will continue until all is sold. It is also announced that their fine building and store fixtures will be sold.

Will Locate in West.

Albert Lieberman, who has been in active charge of the business here for the past ten years, will leave for the Pacific coast as soon as the stock has been disposed of. He has not definitely decided just where he will locate or what line of business he will engage in but has several propositions under consideration.

Business Very Successful.

Mr. Lieberman located here about ten years ago and during the many years he has been engaged in business here has enjoyed a splendid and ever increasing patronage. He has at all times carried standard makes of high class merchandise and has enjoyed the reputation of being a first class, progressive business man, his customers always being assured of courteous and honest treatment. His retirement from business in Thief River Falls will be a distinct loss to the city and the removal of himself and family will be keenly regretted by their many friends.

Large and Seasonable Stock.

The stock to be disposed of is a large one, but with the decision of Mr. Lieberman to dispose of it at this particular season of the year it will undoubtedly be sold in a comparatively short time. Several parties have already expressed an interest insecuring the building and it is very likely that this will be sold as soon or before the stock is entirely closed out. The building is situated in a very desirable location and it is to be hoped that it will be secured by someone who will conduct a business along lines equally as progressive as those of Mr. Lieberman.

INSTRUCTOR WILL ORGANIZE CLASS IN COMMERCIAL LAW

Wm. C. Smiley of University Extension Service to Speak at Club Rooms Thursday.

Wm. C. Smiley of the University Extension service will be here next Thursday, Sept. 15, and at 8 o'clock in the evening will speak at the Commercial club rooms for the purpose of interesting a sufficient number to organize a class in commercial law.

These are not professional classes but are for the instruction of business-men. They bear the same relation to law as instruction in hygiene bears to medicine. They are identical with the classes in business law given in the day school of the university and count for full university credits. But they do not count for credits in the Law school. These classes have proved very popular in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, particularly among the senior clerks and junior officers of banks. The enrollment exceeds the registration of any private college in the state. The university furnishes the material and conducts the courses, which are taught by lawyers. It is proposed to experiment with the establishment of classes in some of the smaller cities of the state, under local attorneys. If the experiment succeeds this feature will be extended. Thief River Falls has been chosen as one of the first experiment stations.

Mr. Smiley will be remembered by the older residents of the city as he at one time resided here. He came to Thief River Falls immediately after the Spanish-American war, in which he served in the same regiment with the Thief River Falls contingent. He was for a time publisher of the Thief River Falls Press and was later elected county surveyor. He also enjoyed the distinction of being secretary of the first local Commercial club, the organization which secured the opening of the Eleven Towns. He left Thief River Falls in 1903 and entered the law school of the state university. He practiced law in St. Paul for a while and for the past seven years has been connected with the University Extension service. He is now at the head of the staff of ten instructors in this department.

NEW CREAMERY AT ST. HILAIRE READY

Machinery Now Installed and Modern Plant in Shape to Begin Operations.

The new modern home of the St. Hilaire creamery, which is reputed to be the finest and most up-to-date plant in this part of the state, was completed this week, says the St. Hilaire Spectator. Electrical energy for both power and lighting is now being installed. Such machinery in the old plant as can be used will be moved over the last of the week, and it is expected the new outfit will be in operation soon. The building, which has concrete and steel reinforced basement, and is otherwise of brick construction, is about as fire proof as it can be made. One fine feature is the woman's rest room in front, which is equipped with conveniences such as are found in the most modern home. The whole plant is planned with a view of complete sanitation. A ventilating system keeps the air fresh and sweet in all parts of the building at all times. Concrete floors in all rooms does away with the cleaning problem—it being an easy matter to flush floors with a hose.

Electrical power will operate all machinery that requires power. For convenience of employes, a toilet and shower bath has been installed in the basement. A part of the basement in front has been partitioned off and will be occupied by E. Patnode with his barber shop.

It would take a volume to make special note of the numerous conveniences to be found in the new building. It will be time well spent for anyone to go through it after it is in operation to see the modern way of handling the product that has made this state famous.

Special Sunday Service.

There will be a praise service at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. The following program will be rendered:

Hymns No. 81 and No. 127.

Anthems:

1. "Unto the Hills"—J. S. Fearis.
2. "Bless the Lord, O, My Soul"—I. B. Wilson.
3. "Behold How He Loved Us"—N. P. Chandler.
4. "Oh, Clap Your Hands"—J. S. Fearis.
5. "Praise Him"—C. D. Lowden.
6. "Christ of Calvary"—F. B. Houlton.
7. "Jesus Shall Reign"—M. L. McPhail.

Solos:

Violin—Mrs. August Helmberg.
Soprano—Miss Lorraine Will.
Alto—Miss Ariel Kinghorn.
Mrs. August Holmberg, pianist.

NEW PEAT FUEL EXPERIMENT TO BE CARRIED ON

Minneapolis Company Begins Operations in Carlton County—Of Interest Here.

Concern Purchases Two Sections of Peat Bog on Which to Conduct Experiment.

Largest Practical Demonstration of Peat For Fuel Yet Tried in Northwest.

Pennington county, and in fact all parts of Northern Minnesota, will watch with interest the work of developing peat bogs as a definite fuel source. The first actual trial of peat on a commercial scale is to be made this season and work has already been started in Carlton county, where the Northern Peat company has purchased a large tract of land near Corona and is setting up machinery for use in cutting and preparing the peat.

The development work is being done by the Northern Peat company, a strong corporation with ample resources. The company has purchased about two sections of land on the bog and from soundings it is estimated the average depth of the peat deposit is 20 feet.

Modern Methods Used.

A large area has already been cleared of top roots and stumps and machines drawn by caterpillar tractors are digging saucer-like ditches through the bog. These ditches are 300 feet apart, are about 4 feet deep at the deepest point and extend east and west for a mile or more.

The cutting machines will work in these ditches, cutting the peat into four-inch cubes and depositing them out on the bog, where they will remain for two or three weeks to dry, during which time they will shrink to about two and one-half inches in size. They will then be shipped to a crusher plant at Minneapolis, where they will be pulverized and used as fuel in powdered form.

To Make Thorough Test.

The men back of this development are going to make a thorough test of the adaptability of peat for fuel and no expense will be spared in doing so. The machinery already purchased cost in excess of $50,000, and it was made to order for the company. With the equipment ordered, and which will be on the ground in a few days, they expect to be able to ship 50,000 tons of dried peat in a full season's work.

The reason that the peat is to be shipped to Minneapolis for the present is that in that city large consumers of soft coal have found in the past few years that it is more economical to crush their fuel and consequently there are a large number of plants ready to use the powdered peat. It is planned to erect a crushing plant at Duluth before next season's work is started. Powdered peat was used in Minneapolis successfully last winter and it has been definitely established that best results are obtained from the crushed product.

By-Products Not Wasted.

The company will also furnish peat to the University of Minnesota for experimental work, machinery and laboratory equipment now being installed there for the extraction of peat by-products, which consists of dyes, coal tar and chemicals. University experiments will also be carried on for the manufacture of peat gas for smelting iron ore.

The men behind this development have made a careful and exhaustive examination of all peat in the state and they found that the Corona bog not only had the greatest depth of any they examined, but that the structure of this peat is the best found. The only bad feature is that it contains a number of large roots which have resisted decay, and which may cause some trouble in working the deposit.

There is little doubt but that in the future peat will be largely used for fuel in Minnesota and that in a few years it is probable that peat plants will be a common sight in many parts of the state.

Evangelistic Meetings Held at Zion Church Next Week

Evangelistic meetings will be held at the Zion Lutheran church by the Gospel Team from Minneapolis. Four young men will sing and preach the old-time gospel, beginning Friday, Sept. 16, at 11 a. m. and lasting over Sunday.

The team will be at Goodridge on Monday, Sept. 19, all day; in Rindal church, Rosewood, Tuesday and Wednesday, beginning at 11 a. m. and continuing all day, English and Norwegian will be used. Everybody cordially invited to these meetings.

Hamre Residence Sold.

A deal was closed this week whereby the Physicians Hospital company became the owner of the T. P. Hamre residence property on north LaBree avenue. The place will be used for a nurses' home, for which use it is admirably adapted. The new owners will be given possession of the property on Oct. 1.

Society

Music Classes Have Picnic.

The members of the Junior and Senior classes in Mrs. C. O. Erickson's school of music enjoyed a picnic lunch in Lovers' Lane on Labor Day.

Labor Day Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained the employes of the Sapero store at a picnic at Aubol's grove on Monday evening following closing hours.

Sunday School Class Picnic.

The members of Rufus Barackman's class in the Presbyterian Sunday school, numbering ten, enjoyed a picnic on the banks of Thief river Monday afternoon.

Young People's Society.

The Silverton Young People's society will meet at the Nels Burkness farm on Sunday, Sept. 11. The hostesses will be Mrs. Nordahl and Olga Burkness. Everybody welcome.

For September Bride.

Among the numerous pre-nuptial events in honor of Miss Una Nelson, whose marriage to W. R. Patterson occurred yesterday, was a one o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. Daniel Shaw at her home on Tuesday. Garden flowers decorated the rooms. The guests included Mrs. A. L. E. Walgren of Minneapolis, Mrs. A. Lonson of Minot, N. D., Mrs. C. W. Nelson, Mrs. Annie Mearow, Mrs. John Bratrud and Miss Therese Giefer. Mrs. Dolan and Mrs. Herrick assisted the hostess in serving.

Wiener and Marshmallow Roast.

A company of 35 young people were entertained by the nurses from the Physicians hospital at a marshmallow and wiener roast at Lovers' Lane on Monday evening. Out-of-door games and music made up the evening's entertainment.

Dinner Party.

Miss Una Nelson was honor guest at a seven o'clock dinner given by Mrs. John Bratrud at her home on Monday night. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nelson, Rolfe Rasmuson, Mrs. A. L. E. Walgren, Miss Una Nelson and Walter R. Patterson.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Miss Myrtle Blair and Mrs. A. Stenberg were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower held at the former's home on Monday evening in compliment to Mrs. Alex Campbell (nee Alexandra Tharaldson), who with her husband recently returned from a month's wedding trip. The hours were devoted to visiting and hemming towels for the bride. Music also helped to furnish entertainment. The guests included Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. J. Nelson, Mrs. Olaf Thompson, Mrs. S. Salveson, Mrs. C. E. Halbert, Mrs. A. Dale, Mrs. Chas. Connor, Mrs. M. W. Brink, Misses Pearl Olson, Christine Clausen, Jeanette Oftedahl, Blanche Hoium, Emily Fossum, Ann Tharaldson, Dagny Tharaldson, Edna Larson and Selma Rustebakke.

Badger-Bradley.

Friends of Miss Ruth Bradley, formerly assistant superintendent at the Physicians hospital here, will be interested in knowing of her marriage on Aug. 19, to Dr. L. F. Badger at Helena, Mont. The wedding was a simple affair and took place at the Catholic parsonage. After the ceremony they were entertained at a banquet at the Fort, where Dr. Badger is stationed. He is a captain in the United States public health service.

Nelson-Patterson.

A beautiful wedding of interest to a host of friends of both young people in this city, was that of Miss Una Nelson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nelson, to Walter R. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson of Cooperstown, N. Y., which took place yesterday. The ceremony was solemnized at 10 o'clock at St. Bernard's church in the presence of about one hundred relatives and intimate friends. Rev. M. J. Noesen read the impressive service. Gladiolas, asparagus ferns and asters were used exclusively in the church decorations. Ropes of asparagus ferns decorated the chancel walls, between the windows on either side. The arch above the altar was wound with asparagus and autumn foliage, while asparagus ferns banked the walls of the altar. Tall cathedral candles and vases of red gladiolas were used on the altar. A large number of pink gladiolas in baskets were placed on the side altars.

The bride entered with her father, who gave her in marriage, and was met at the chancel steps by the groom and his best man, George W. Werstlein, of this city. Her gown was a lovely model of white duchess satin with simple bodice elaborated with shadow lace vestee. The skirt, of satin fashioned with three folds, was used over the lace underpart. She wore a veil of silk bridal illusion which fell from a cap arrangement caught with orange blossoms. Her flowers were a shower arrangement of lilies of the valley combined with maiden-hair fern. Mrs. A. L. A. Walgren of Minneapolis, a friend of the bride, was maid of honor. She was gowned in a charming yellow taffeta frock, the bodice of which was trimmed with a dainty white organdie and lace fichu. Little organdie and lace puff sleeves completed the bodice. The skirt was made full with medallion inset of lace. She carried a bouquet of pale pink roses and wore a picture hat of yellow tulle with ostrich trimming.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who was bridesmaid, wore a creation of pale pink satin with silver lace overskirt. The neck and sleeves of the bodice were edged with rosettes of tulle interlaced with pale blue and pink ribbon. A picture hat of pink tulle trimmed with ostrich and a bouquet of pink tea roses completed her costume. Little Jeanette Mogensen as the flower girl was dressed in a dainty pink and white organdie frock and carried a basket of pink roses. Thomas Protz carried the ring in a rose. Gregory Werstlein acted as usher. Miss Doris Halvorson, who presided at the organ, played "The Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin as the bridal party entered the church. During the service Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher sang, "O, Promise Me."

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the Brumund hotel, the bride and bridegroom receiving congratulations in the living-room, which had been decorated with a profusion of garden flowers.

Later the guests were ushered to the dining room, where an elaborate wedding dinner was served to about fifty guests. Crystal baskets containing sweet peas in pastel shades centered the long banquet table. A large and elaborate white wedding cake, surrounded by tiny crystal baskets holding dainty colored flowers, formed the attractive center piece. The handle of each basket was tied with a lover's knot of orchid tulle. Between the courses Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, contralto, Mrs. A. Holmberg, violinist, and Miss Doris Halvorson, pianist, gave several musical selections.

The bridal couple left in the evening for points in the East, where they will visit relatives. Among the many places to be visited will be Cooperstown, N. Y., where they will visit with the groom's parents, and also New York city, where they will be guests of his sister. The bride's traveling gown was a handsome suit of brown duvetyn, with which she wore a close fitting hat in corresponding shade.

The bride is an accomplished young lady who is highly respected by a large circle of friends. She was graduated from the Paynesville high school, later attending the Pillsbury academy at Owatonna and also the Northwestern university at Chicago, at which places she took courses in dramatic art. An accomplished reader, she has been prominent in club and social circles. Mr. Patterson has spent a number of years in this city, holding the position of engineer on the electric railway.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. Albert Lonson of Minot, N. D., and Mrs. A. L. E. Walgren of Minneapolis.

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Should there be a further slump the very stability of a large number of important industries would be endangered. This would be even worse than high prices as hundreds of thousands are dependent on the continual operation of these plants. For this reason if for no other it is next to impossible that either the manufacturers' or jobbers' prices can be reduced. So far as the retailer is concerned, he has cut the prices to a point that means business ruination if there is not a change soon. This works out to the advantage of the man who has building operations of any kind to carry forward at this time. He will pay less for material during the next three weeks than for a long time after that, unless all signs fail.

This is the opportune time

Just what kind of a structure is erected does not so much matter. On nearly every farm in the United States both repair and construction work has been neglected during the past five years. High costs of both material and labor have been responsible for this state of affairs. Both these obstructions are now removed and the man who has held off building because of them should at once renew his program.

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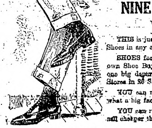

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English lasts in Tans and Blacks. A large assortment of styles.
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For the man who wishes the broader or more conservatives styles, we are showing the medium and real broad lasts.
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Very economical footwear for hard service, very necessary for bad wet weather.
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Men's Rubbers
Men's Dress Rubbers Price $1.25
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Mens's Arctics Price $2.49
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Sizes 2½ to 7. Low flat heels. These are a big feature in our Shoe Department.
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11½ to 2 $2.98

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Many beautiful new styles and lasts in black and mahogany leather. Military, Cuban and Louis heels.
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In Kid and Calf leathers, with the natty Cuban and military heels. They come in both the light turn and the heavier welt soles.
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Society

Anniversary Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nelson entertained about twenty of their friends at a seven o'clock dinner at their home last evening on the occasion of Mr. Nelson's birthday anniversary. Honored guests were their daughter, Una, and son-in-law, Walter R. Patterson, and their bridal attendants.

Koidahl-Swenson.

Louis Koidahl of this city and Miss Rena Swenson of St. Hilaire were united in marriage on Sept. 5, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, by Rev. T. E. Sweger. The witnesses were Miss Hannah Swenson and Oscar Koidahl. The young couple will make their home on the Rusmus Oen farm three miles south of Thief River Falls.

Social Season to Open.

Saturday evening, Sept. 10, will mark the opening of the social season for Minnesota Council No. 521 of the United Commercial Travelers of this city. Following the regular meeting at 8 o'clock at the Masonic hall there will be a social and dancing party for all members and their ladies at 9 p. m. Light refreshments will be served.

Theatre Party.

Miss Anna Quale entertained a few young women at a theatre party on Saturday, honoring Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, who leaves this week for her home at Goodridge. Later the guests repaired to Miss Quale's home, where delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Ida Tandberg, Edna Larson, Esther Gjerston, Lavida Hilson, Effie Hamry, Irma Johnson and Mrs. Tandberg.

Markuson-Grinde.

Miss Marie Markuson and Erling A. Grinde, both of Goodridge, were united in marriage at the Lutheran parsonage on Thursday, Sept. 8, Rev. T. E. Sweger performing the ceremony. The witnesses were Christine and Arne Markuson, sister and brother of the bride. The bridal couple Grand Forks, where they will spend a brief honeymoon. They will make their home at Goodridge on the groom's farm.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion met at the Commercial club rooms yesterday afternoon. There was a very good attendance and a spirited meeting resulted. Refreshments were served by Mrs. D. W. Robinson. The next meeting will be in the form of a social affair to be held on Tuesday, Sept. 20, at the Masonic hall. The members of Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion will be guests.

Anniversary Party.

Mrs. Barbara Fisher was pleasantly surprised at the home of her son, Frank, on Riverside avenue, on the occasion of her 76th birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent in visiting and at five o'clock a delicious supper was served. A large birthday cake with candles formed the center piece. Before departing the ladies presented Mrs. Fisher with many pretty and useful gifts. Those present were Mesdames J. J. Vorachek, A. Lamac, G. Becken, A. Kotlan, L. J. Cerney, Martin Bozdeh, J. Havel, J. Zavoral, J. Mickulecky, J. Dibble, J. E. Gustafson, A. Langevin, J. Moravec, J. Vorlicky and F. Cernoucek.

To Appear in Concert.

The following, taken from the Red Lake Falls Gazette, will prove of interest to many local people, a number of whom are planning to attend:

"The manager of the Lotus theatre has been fortunate in booking the first musical attraction of the season, the Halvorson-Fisher company.

"Miss Halvorson is a splendid pianist and a graduate of the conservatory of music at Oberlin, Ohio, and bids fair to become one of the foremost performers in the country. She will render compositions of Pierne, Gluck, Saint Saens, Liszt, Henselt, Rubenstein, Chopin and Grieg.

"Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher has a beautiful deep contralto voice which she controls skilfully as a result of careful training. She is a pupil of some of the prominent voice teachers of Chicago and Indianapolis and has sung much in the northwest. This concert will take place Friday evening, Sept. 9."

City News

Mrs. A. Grything left Monday for Moorhead to attend the Normal.

Sidney Schutt left Saturday night for the Twin Cities to attend the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston left Saturday evening for the Twin Cities to attend the state fair.

Miss Thilda Ihle left Monday afternoon for Moorhead, where she will attend the Normal this year.

F. J. Stebbins left Saturday evening for the Twin Cities, where he will spend a few days on business.

Miss Virginia Will left Monday afternoon for Moorhead, where she will begin her second year at the Normal.

Mrs. Joe Paquin and Miss Clare Cote of Red Lake Falls attended to shopping here between trains on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Hallen of Grand Forks motored over on Sunday and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Storholm.

Misses Jennie and Freda Johnson, who had visited with relatives at Holt for a few days, returned to their home here on Tuesday.

Miss Alice Stapleton of River Falls, Wis., arrived Saturday to take up her duties in the commercial department of the local high school.

Miss Mary Durick, who had spent several days visiting her friend, Miss Myrtle Williams, left Monday afternoon for her home at Grand Forks.

Harold Provencher came up from Grand Forks Monday and spent the day visiting his family here. He returned to Grand Forks on Tuesday.

Mrs. M. W. Brink, who had spent three weeks visiting relatives at Sac City and Storm Lake, Iowa, returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Reuben Teslow, of the class of '16 of the local high school, later completing a four year course at St. Olaf college, will leave next week for Morris, at which place he has accepted a position as dean at a large educational institution.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bothun left the latter part of last week for the cities, where they will spend a few days attending the state fair.

LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE

It's toasted

TO seal in the delicious Burley flavor

Once you've enjoyed the toasted flavor you will always want it

The American Tobacco Co.

SAFETY + SERVICE

Peace Army Modilizers

September will witness the mobilization of America's great army of peace—the youth of our nation returning to take up their studies in academy, college, and school-house.

America may well be proud of her educational system. The American boy or girl who takes the fullest advantage of an American education is well fitted for leadership and success.

Our best wishes go to the boys and girls of Thief River Falls and vicinity for a happy and successful school year.

Citizens State Bank

BASEMENT BARGAINS THIS WEEK
Fancy Outing Flannels, at per yard 12½c
36 in. Percales, at per yard 15c
Mercerized Cotton Poplins, at per yard 25c
Girls' Black Sateen Bloomers, age 2 to 12, each 25c

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

MAIN FLOOR BARGAINS
Clark's O. N. T. Crochet Cotton, all sizes, per ball 10c
Box of 12 for $1.00
Coats' Mercer. Crochet Cotton, all sizes, box of 10 balls $1
6 in. Fancy and plain Hair Bow Ribbons, at per yd. 19c
52 in. Storm Serges, at per yard $1

THREE of the new Fall Blouses now on display in our center Third Street show windows. Every one them is a blue pennant winner at the great Chicago Fashion Show and Pagent of Progress held on that city's three million dollar municipal August 1st to 11th, 1921

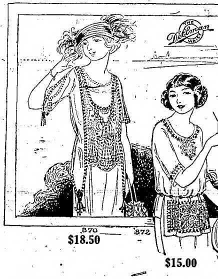

LOOKINK THROUGH THE DOOR OF AUTUMN

The new season approaches. You can feel it in the air. The days grow shorter, the evenings longer. Social doings are becoming more active. There is new interest in the INSIDE of every home.

Eyes of housekeepers are more observant. There are so many things they want to do, to brighten up the house—to add to its comforts and beauty. They know just where they want a new rug; they know just which windows are demanding new draperies. They see where a new piece of furniture is wanted—new dressings for bureaus and buffets—new utensils for the kitchen, new china and glass for the dining table.

We have been preparing through the summer months to be most helpful in these home refurnishing activities. All the wanted things are here—best obtainable kinds and so much lower in price than heretofore.

Housekeepers will find it so much easier and more satisfactory to solve their furnishing problems while looking at the actual goods on our floors.

Come when you will—take all the time you wish—no hurry—no obligation to buy—we'l thank you for the visit just the same.

H. O. Loken

Colorful Grace Characterizes the New Blouses for Women

Rich and radiant tissues are made to achieve the most delightful effects in these new Blouses.

But how impossible it is to picture their virtues in words. Lines are so simple; adornments are quite restrained. Their real beauty can only be appreciated when they are worn; for then only do they attain the graceful forms that they were designed to produce.

Yet every ambitious woman will want one or two of these new beauty-things, to wear before the styles become common.

Right now we are showing a wonderful selection of over 100 new Blouses and Waists, besides those above illustrated and described. We have them at

2.95 3.95 5.95 7.50 8.50 $10 12.50 $15 18.50

The Corset First For Graceful Beauty

Before the new suit is selected or the new frock fitted, the new Corset must be secured, of course.

Never so little in evidence—never more important—the new models are quite extraordinary.

All here and ready—of course.

Nemo, Warner's Redfern, P. N. and Newman's—five of the best quality known Corsets made in America. Prices are away down, easily half of last year's values.

98c 1.25 1.50 $2 2.50 $3 3.50 $4 4.50 $5 7.50

SILVER

Friendship's Privilege When Greeting the Bride

The gift may be as simple as a card tray or server—it may be as elaborate as a chest of silver; but it is correct and sufficient always, if it is Community or 1847 Rogers Bros.

Also, our collections enable you to pay just what you wish and yet give the right gift, sure to be highly appreciated—for it is just what the Bride is hoping to receive—if it's SILVER.

The new Ambassador and Grosvenor 1921 silverware patterns are now here and the prices are much less than asked for the same goods anywhere else.

Give a Thought to the Kitchenwares

Some of the greatest of home joys come out of the kitchen—MOTHER'S KITCHEN. No other cooking in the world compares with it.

And yet nobody but Mother knows what handicaps she puts up with every day because this vessel or that is not what it should be.

September is the month when we assemble the best of everything for the kitchen—for cooking, for cleaning, for serving.

Prices, too, are now at the lowest point, as an examination of our stock will demonstrate.

Aluminum Kettles, 6 qt., with covers, a special lot of only 24 kettles, only $1.98
Waffle Irons, size 9, a strong durable iron, and it bakes them so fast. $1.98
Aluminum Percolators, 7 cup. The only way to make good coffee. Special $1.29
Pan Cake Griddles, No. 9, made of iron, each 99c
Aluminum Double Boiler, 6 quart. Special $1.25
Aluminum Sauce Pan, 6 quart. A handy pan about the kitchen. 69c

Special Sale of Imported Pearls

A wonderful purchase of a quantity of fine Pearl Necklaces just came our way. There are seven styles, each and every one boxed in a large velvet box, satin lined. The cases alone are worth two dollars. The pearls are regular $15.00 to $18.50 values. While this assortment lasts, come take your choice, pearls, box and all, each

$3.50

The Tonic for Tired Feet!

ARCH-TONE SHOE

SMART STYLE. PERFECT COMFORT

Not a Line to Betray Its Special Comfort Features

With the same trig lines as a shoe fashioned just to be stylish, the Arch-Tone Shoe wholly conceals its big purpose in life, which is to bring perfect comfort to feet that tire and weaken and ache.

Three special features in the Arch-Tone Shoe insure its ease on the foot, and its lasting shapeliness in service.

An exceptionally strong yet light steel "bridge" is built into the shank of the shoe. It holds the arch of the foot always in natural, comfortable position, and preserves the shapeliness of the shoe.

Stronger counters keep the heel in place, and prevent unsightly bulging.

Then, too, many of the models of this shoe are built over Combination Lasts with a bit of extra room across the ball.

Come in and see the many smart models of this new type of shoe—"the tonic for tired feet."

Our showing is complete now and prices are moderate, ranging from [illegible]

LOKEN BROTHERS SHOE DEPT.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
LOOKING THROUG THE DOOR

DEFECTIVE PAGE

HOLSTEIN BREEDERS JOIN ASSOCIATION

J. H. Hardesty & Son Given Membership in National Holstein Society.

James H. Hardesty & Son of Thief River Falls have received word from Secretary F. L. Houghton of Brattleboro, Vt., that they have been elected to membership in the Holstein-Friesian Association of America. This is the largest dairy cattle association in the world, having a membership of over twenty thousand on its rolls, representing over five hundred thousand registered pure bred Holstein animals.

The black and white cattle are among the most popular with milk producers everywhere. Through the use of pure bred sires, common cows of little or no breeding have been made to produce progeny capable of great milk and fat production. So widely have these black and white sires been used for herd improvement that the large dairy sections of the East and the Middle West supplying the large cities depend upon 75 per cent of their milk supply from Holsteins, either pure bred or grade. Some of the biggest men in the country have an active part in improving the production abilities of this breed. Frank O. Lowden, former governor of Illinois, is president of the association.

Holstein cattle have broken all records for milk and butter fat repeatedly. Official tests of this kind are conducted under the supervision of the agricultural colleges.

The last record of note is that of a cow owned by the Carnation Stock farms of Seattle, Wash. Segis Pietertje Prospect, a seven year old cow, produced in 365 days 37,281 lbs. of milk and 1158.95 lbs. of butterfat, equivalent to 1448.7 lbs. of butter, an average yield of over 1½ tons of milk every month.

Wonderful Window Display.

Thief River Falls has for many years enjoyed an enviable reputation for the beautiful window displays of its many progressive merchants, and one that is particularly worthy of special mention is that of Loken Brothers which was put in this week. These windows have attracted a great deal of attention and have been the cause of much flattering comment. The displays are an exact reproduction of the windows of one of the largest stores in Chicago and their preparation has entailed a large expense as well as a vast amount of labor. The work was all done by George C. Loken and the result of his labor is an unqualified testimonial of his ability in this particular line of work.

RED LAKE FAIR WILL BREAK ALL RECORDS

Greatest Exhibition of Agricultural Products Ever Raised By Indians to Be Shown.

Picturesque as a pageant, but in reality an exact representation of a race of people which during the past 50 years has made a most remarkable advancement, the Red Lake Indian fair, which will take place Sept. 14, 15 and 16, will prove that the Indian is taking his place with other races and that the places where lithe and active braves once took their living from the woods and waters are rapidly undergoing agricultural development, and in the place of the sturdy huntsman a brown-skinned sturdy farmer may be found, says the Bemidji Sentinel.

The Red Lake Indian fair will present a picture which is almost unbelievable, but which only marks the progress of a few years during which the Chippewas of Minnesota have made remarkable advancement. At this fair old chiefs who still wear their tribal costumes and who make their abode in the lowly tepee, smoke their pipes peaceably as they watch their children taking part in the contests that are annually arranged as a part of the fair program. The old squaws with trained fingers may be found working many weeks before the fair on somepiece of fancy or bead work which they intend to show at the fair. These people with their primitive means take just as much interest in the fair as the younger Indians who, of course, pride themselves on their ability to raise big potatoes or other agricultural products.

The progress of the Indian along agricultural lines has been remarkable and the farm products which are shown at the Red Lake Indian fair each year could be entered in competition against those of the white man. With the development along agricultural lines as practiced by the men, the women are showing an interest in home work of all kinds, such as cooking and sewing, of which exhibits are made each year.

A feature of the Red Lake fair which is always of interest to visitors is the sports program. As usual the favorite Indian game of LaCrosse will be played and several interesting contests are assured. Other sports features will be foot races, horse races, ox team races, tepee raising contest, running races, potato races, and several tugs-of-war. Excellent music will be provided throughout the fair and on Sept. 15, the second day of the fair, which is also Bemidji day, it is expected there will be many visitors from this city at Red Lake.

In connection with the fair an Indian baby show will take place and much interest is displayed in this fair feature each year. Visitors from all parts of the northern part of the state are expected to attend the fair at Red Lake this year and it is expected that the fair this year will be greater than ever before. That the agricultural department will be a success is assured as five farmers' clubs, all of the members of which are Indians, will be in competition for honors at the Red Lake exposition.

Dr. Spofford

OPTOMETRIST

will make regular visits to Thief River Falls as usual during the coming fall, winter and spring. Watch for dates later.

We wish to announce also that we have installed lens grinding machinery at the Long Prairie office and can make most lenses in a few hours. Send us your broken glasses for quick repairs.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. [illegible] Treatment Parlors. j28tf

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"SAYS MRS. JONES"

Mrs. Jones—Where did you get that pretty dress?

Mrs. Brown—You'd never believe it but I bought that yesterday for one dollar.

Mrs. Jones—ONE DOLLAR? That can't be possible.

Mrs. Brown—Yes, yesterday was Market Day and I bought this dress at LOKEN'S for one dollar.

Mrs. Jones—And here I am one of their best customers and those clerks never let me know anything about it.

Mrs. Brown—Let you know about it? Don't you get THE TIMES?

Mrs. Jones—Yes, but I never read the ads.

Mrs. Brown—Then how can you ever expect to get any of the many good bargains advertised in THE TIMES every week?

Moral: (Turn to the ads now and read the many special values offered for this week.)

BLACK BEAUTY WILL BE SHOWN AT LOCAL THEATRE THIS WEEK

Unusual Attraction Is Heartily Endorsed By Prominent Minneapolis Educator.

Manager Brumund has booked a popular and unusual attraction for the Lyceum next Sunday and Monday, when "Black Beauty" will be reproduced on the screen. Million have read the intensely interesting story of "Black Beauty" and young and old alike will enjoy the screen interpretation of the popular story. It is a clean and wholesome picture throughout and has the enthusiastic endorsement of many prominent people. W. F. Webster, assistant superintendent of schools of Minneapolis, writes to Robert Cotton, manager of the Vitagraph company, as follows:

"I went last night to see "Black Beauty." It certainly was a pleasure to find the house jammed and standing room sought for. And the play deserves it. Every oldfellow who was brought up on a farm or near one will have memories of childhood recalled during the evening; and children who have never known the beauty and companionship of horses should go. This picture will leave its mark for a li efictmemfwypmfwyp mark for a life time. Then surely those persons who are asking for better movies, every one of them, should see this picture and show the producers that they will support a clean, beautiful thing when it comes to town. I hope that the success of this film will warrant your company doing more of this same high grade of work."

Dr. Elizabeth A. Roton, Licensed Optometrist of Grand Forks, will be at the Central hotel, Red Lake Falls, from 10:10 a. m. Sept. 28, until 10:10 a. m. Sept. 29. At the Brumund hotel, Thief River Falls, from 11:15 a. m. Sept. 29, until 8:15 a. m. Sept. 30. At Hotel Warren from 9:23 a. m. Sept. 30, until 10:22 Oct. 1. Have your own and children's eyes examined. Bright students are often made dull from eye strain. All work absolutely guaranteed.—Advertisement.

YOUNG LADY SECURES FINE POSITION

Miss Helga Koppang, after finishing a combined course at the Union Commercial College, was placed in an extra fine place with the Great Northern Life Insurance Co., of this city. Miss Butler was also placed with the same company. Both these young women have found that a business training enables them to earn big money. Victor Heen goes to a nice position with Gr. Forks Mercantile Co., and Henry Haugen with the Northern Elec. Co. Plenty of chances for young men and women with this training. Send for free catalog and find out how little it costs.

Union Commercial College
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WANTED—Girl for general housework. Inquire at McFarland's Garage. 31

FOR RENT — Modern furnished house for the winter, at a reasonable price. Centrally located, 719 Main Ave. N. 31

BUILDER HAS NOT SEEN ITS EQUAL

Victim of Rheumatism and Indigestion Regains Health By Taking Tanlac.

"Tanlac has not only gotten rid of the indigestion and rheumatism from which I had suffered for four years, but has made me feel like a young man again," said Frank Kernan, a prominent St. Paul builder and contractor living at 332 Sherburne Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

"I believe I suffered about as much as anybody ever did on account of indigestion and rheumatism. After every meal the pains in the pit of my stomach fairly doubled me up. I would bloat up with gas until I could hardly breathe, and I had pains in my shoulders, arms and legs nearly all the time. In damp weather my joints became so stiff that I could not bend them without suffering agony. I had no appetite and became so run down that I thought I would have to give up.

"I saw so many statements in the papers from people who had been benefited by Tanlac that I decided to try it, and have never known any medicine to give such remarkable results in so short a time. The first few doses gave me an appetite, and I soon found that I could eat anything I wanted without being troubled with the least sign of indigestion. After taking several bottles more I haven't an ache or pain of any kind, and all trace of the rheumatism has disappeared. I can honestly say that *I never felt better in my life than I do today.*"

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Churches

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Sunday school 10 a. m. Epworth League 7 p. m. Morning service 11 a. m. Subject of discourse, "Kultur, Cultchaw or Culture?" Evening service 8 p. m. Subject, "The Latest Song." Friday 8 p. m., fourth quarterly conference at parsonage. Everybody invited.

Thorvick—Services in Thorvick on Sunday at 2 o'clock. Confirmants to meet after service. Service in Bethlehem church at 3 o'clock. O. J. Raaum, Pastor.

The First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:15. Service in American at 8 p. m.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Sept. 11: German services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. English services at Germantown at 2 p. m. English services at Thorhult at 8 p. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m., and evening service at 8 p. m. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. The Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday, Sept. 14, at 2:30 p. m. at the church. Mrs. Gust Anderson will entertain. St. Hilaire: Rev. E. F. Seagren will preach next Sunday at the East Side school house at 11 a. m. and at Black River at 3 p. m., and at St. Hilaire at 8 p. m. All welcome.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at 11 a. m. At Norden 2 p. m. and in the city at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Evangelistic meeting by the Augsburg team beginning Friday, the 16th, at 11 a. m. and lasting over Sunday. Gospel meetings at Goodridge Monday, 11 a. m. and all day. Gospel meetings at Rindal church, Rosewood, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th and 21st, at 11 a. m. and all day. English and Norwegian languages will be used.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class meets in church basement Saturday at 10 a. m. Sunday, Divine services in Norwegian at 11 a. m. English at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:30 a.m. The Trinity Ladies' Aid will be entertained in the church parlors Thursday afternoon, Sept. 15, by Mesdames Carl Hillard, P. A. Kolden, J. T. Neseth and Knute Melby. Young People's League will meet the same Thursday evening, entertained by Mesdames Martin Evenson, Ed. Ness and Ed. Larson.

The auction sale season is here. Get your bills at The Times office.

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500 Young men and women to work in banks, wholesale and R. R. offices, in law and realestate offices. Also as Auto and Tractor Experts. Positions in garages and machine shops. Board and room $4.00 to $5.00 per week. If you want to find out how to get one of these positions address
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J. C. Sathre 108 6th St. Crookston, Minn.

AUCTIONEER
If you are planning on having a sale this Fall, why not get EVENSON & JENSEN to cry off your sale? Satisfaction guaranteed. Write or wire dates. 31p
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"The Winchester Store"
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of 40 Head Double Standard Shorthorn Cattle and 10 Head Belgian Horses
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Marshall County Live Stock Breeders Association Sale Pavillion
—at—
WARREN, MINN, SEPT. 14, 1921
Catalogue Furnished at Sale Showing Complete Pedigree of Each Animal
This sale conducted under the supervision of Fred S. Clark, Warren, Minn., Live Stock Specialist.
Auctioneer—N. B. Price, Farmington, Minn.
Assistant Auctioneers—Toby Scheie and Fred S. Clarke, Warren. Clerk—Warren National Bank, Aug. A. Johnson, Cashier.

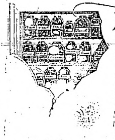

Done all your Canning?
An Old Favorite with all—
BLUE PLUM CONSERVE
Prepare the plums by washing carefully and removing the stones; cut in small pieces, add a little water and the same weight in sugar. If a slightly more tart conserve is liked, ¾ of the amount of sugar will suffice. This conserve may be varied by adding nuts and raisins shortly before taking from the fire. It is very delicious.
DON'T let summer slip by without putting up a big supply of peaches, pears and plums.
No thrifty housewife, no hostess, wants to find her cupboard bare of home preserves before the winter is half over. Plan now to put up peaches, pears and plums. You can preserve these fruits at home, in a delightful variety of ways, saving one-third to one-half. Factory prepared fruits are extravagant. Use Ball mason jars.
Many people are disappointed after the season is over—don't be one of them. Watch the fruit market and buy all you'll need at the first opportunity. Next winter you will be glad to have a good supply of delicious, pure, home-canned sauces, jams and conserves.
PACIFIC N. W. GROWERS & JOBBERS ASSOCIATION
General Offices, Minneapolis, Minn.

You'll enjoy the sport of rolling 'em with P. A.!
FIRST thing you do next—go get some makin's papers and some Prince Albert tobacco and puff away on a home made cigarette that will hit on all your smoke cylinders!
No use sitting-by and saying maybe you'll cash this hunch tomorrow. Do it while the going's good, for man-o-man, you can't figure out what you're passing by! Such flavor, such coolness, such more-ish-ness—well, the only way to get the words emphatic enough is to go to it and know yourself!
And, besides Prince Albert's delightful flavor, there's its freedom from bite and parch which is cut out by our exclusive patented process! Certainly—you smoke P. A. from sun up till you slip between the sheets without a comeback.
Prince Albert is the tobacco that revolutionized pipe smoking. If you never could smoke a pipe — forget it! You can—AND YOU WILL—if you use Prince Albert for packing! It's a smoke revelation in a jimmy pipe or a cigarette!
Prince Albert is sold in toppy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half pound tin humidors and in the pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moistener top.

PRINCE ALBERT
the national joy smoke

Imperfect Page

Announcement
Mr. Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Motor Company, gives out the following statement:
"Another reduction has been made in the list price of all types of Ford cars and the Ford truck, to take effect Sept. 2. The list prices, F. O. B. Detroit, are now as follows:
Touring Car $355.00
Runabout $325.00
Coupe $595.00
Sedan $660.00
Chassis $295.00
Truck Chassis $445.00
Tractor $625.00
"The big reductions last spring were made in anticipation of low material costs which we are now getting the benefit of, and this fact, together with increased manufacturing efficiency and the unprecendented demand for Ford cars, particularly during the past three months, permitting maximum production, have made another price reduction possible immediately.
"Ford business for April and May, 1921, was greater by 56,633 cars and trucks than for the same two months in 1920, in fact the demand has been even greater than the supply, so that our output has been limited, not by unfilled orders, but by manufacturing facilities.
"During May we produced 101,424 Ford cars and trucks for sale in the United States alone—the biggest month in the history of our company—and our factories and assembly plants are now working on a 4,000 car daily schedule.
"The Fordson tractor is still being sold at less than the cost to produce on account of the recent big price reductions and it is impossible, therefore, to make any further cut in the price of the tractor."
Can you afford to go without a car any longer when Fords are selling at these new low prices? There is no reason why you should delay purchasing a Ford car, Ford truck or Fordson tractor.
We will gladly advise you concerning the delivery of a Fordson tractor or the particular type of car in which you are interested. Just phone us or drop us a card.
McFarland Automobile Company

EARLY BUYERS ALWAYS GET THE BEST SELECTIONS. BE AMONG THEM.

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LIEBERMAN BROTHERS
DECIDE TO SELL OUT THEIR BIG STORE
Owners Going Out West

Having operated our store most successfully in Thief River Falls the past ten years, we have decided to sell out and go west. Every dollar's worth of merchandise to the bare walls has to be disposed of; fixtures, shelving and building can be bought separate.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, SEPT. 10

When our doors will be thrown open to the public with an overflowing store of the soundest, highest grade stock of dependable fall and winter merchandise ever brought to this city, at prices arousing widespread interest; meaning the biggest savings to you in dollars and cents ever offered!

Nothing charged during our going out of business sale, but to accomodate you further, as we always have tried to, we will hold any suit or overcoat for you with a small deposit.

Everything in the store must be sold as quickly as possible; nothing reserved—it all must go

Special appointments given to merchants for merchandise fixtures and building. Show cases can be bought separate.

Store Closed Tight Until Saturday, Sept. 10th
To Arrange and Mark the Entire Stock

On account of every dollar's worth of goods in the store being on sale, space does not permit us to list prices or itemize and explain how extraordinary low everything is marked. Columes of description could not do justice to the value giving, only the evidence of your own eyes can convey a proper idea of the amazing values.

Supply Yourself For Fall and Winter Now!
You Will Appreciate the Enormous Saving Later On
All We Can Say is That a Sale Like This Spells
B-I-G O-P-P-O-R-T-U-N-I-T-Y

In spite of the fact that this will be the Biggest Bargain Busy Bee Hive, we will follow our old motto of "Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Back." Goods can be returned or exchanged.

LIEBERMAN BROS.
The Big Store That Makes Your Money Show Best Results
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Bring your Sears & Roebuck orders to us. We will fill them and save you money

City News

A son was born to Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Sweger on Saturday, Sept. 3.

Ernest and Ambrose Zeh left this morning on a week's camping trip near Detroit.

Willis Warring and niece, Miss Pearl Warring, were shoppers in the city on Saturday.

Miss Gladys Anderson left the first of the week for Minneapolis to attend the state fair.

Morris Mabey, who had spent six weeks at Fort Snelling, returned to this city on Sunday.

Robt. McGinn left Wednesday evening for the Twin Cities to spend a few days on business.

Clayton Olson motored over from his home at Argyle and visited with friends, returning in the evening.

E. O. Mogensen returned on Saturday from Minneapolis, where he had spent a few days on business.

Miss Lena Evenson is spending the week in Minneapolis visiting friends and relatives and also attending the state fair.

Norbert Holzknecht returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where he had spent a few days visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean returned this week from Viroqua, Wis., where they had been called by the serious illness of the latter's aged mother.

Misses Nettie Ove and Alvina Jonas were over-Sunday guests of friends in Minneapolis. They returned to this city Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hermanson returned yesterday morning from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Minneapolis, Des Moines and Mahnomen.

Miss Margaret McCarten, who had spent several days visiting at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Geo. Nicholson, returned to her home at Fargo on Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. James Blake and daughters, Mary and Jeanette, returned to their home at Hopkins after a brief visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Crandall.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Anderson and son, Kermit, will leave this week by car for Detroit, Audubon and Lake Park, where they will visit friends. They will be absent for a week.

Mrs. J. J. Frickland and son, Lorin, of Roseau spent a few days last week visiting at hte home of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Anderson. Mr. Frickland motored down on Wednesday to get his family.

Mrs. S. A. Hanson, Miss Cora, Herbert and Herschel went to Grafton, N. D., to attend the funeral of Marvin Hanson, who died in service in France on July 27, 1918. They returned to this city Monday evening.

The W. C. T. U. meets next Wednesda yafternoon at the home of Mrs. Sigrud Aunstad, 503 LaBree avenue north, entertained by Mrs. H. L. Aunstad and Mrs. Sigrud Aunstad. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Misses Esther McGee and Hildur Anderson of Bemidji arrived Friday evening and were over night guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, leaving Saturday morning for Greenbush, where they will teach this year.

The Y. P. S. of the Swedish Mission church of St. Hilaire will be held at the East Side school house on Saturday evening, Sept. 10. Lunch will be served by Mesdames Hedlund, S. Swanson and Agnes Swanson. All are welcome.

Mrs. A. E. Spalding, who had spent a few weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Connell, returned to her home at Laverne last week. She was accompanied as far as Minneapolis by Mrs. Connell, who returned to this city Thursday morning.

Miss Nellie Farmeloe, who had spent the summer here at the home of her aunt, Mrs. H. C. Durrin, returned to her home at Minneapolis on Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Durrin, who will remain in the cities for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Cora Wold, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lois, and Misses Lillian Fee and Grace Emard, all of Grand Forks, motored to this city on Sunday. Miss Lois remained here to take up her duties as instructor in the kindergarten, while the others returned to their homes.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney, Arthur and Jordan Penney and Miss Dorothy Miller left yesterday morning in the Penney car for Minneapolis. Miss Miller had been a guest at the Penney home for a month. She will resume her studies at the University as a Sophomore this year.

Mrs. Beulah Grout, who had been spending a period of two months visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, left Monday evening on her return to her home at East Alburgh, Vt. She was accompanied as far as Minneapolis by Mrs. Froehlich, who will attend the district conference of the League of Women Voters, which will be held at the summer home of Mrs. Ueland at Lake Calhoun on Sept. 7.

Miss Florence Dahl of Middle River attended to shopping here on Friday.

Miss Hulda Fossum returned Saturday morning from points in South Dakota, where she had spent two weeks visiting relatives.

Grant Olum motored over from Bemidji on Sunday and spent the day visiting at the home of his parents, returning to Bemidji early Monday morning.

Miss Carrie Trogan, who had spent her summer vacation visiting at her home at Enfield, returned on Saturday to resume her duties as teacher at the Northrup school.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Flattum and son, Roy, will leave on Friday by car for Northfield, where they will establish their home. Roy will continue his studies at St. Olaf this fall.

Local friends will be interested in knowing that Jens Grothe, a former student in the local high school and member of the class of 1912, is now mayor of Charles City, Iowa, where he has practiced law since his graduation from college.

GERMANTOWN

Tharald Tharaldson of Erie was a guest of Henry Tharaldson on Sunday.

Mesdames Overby and Lindvick were calling on friends in this vicinity Monday.

Miss Synneva Lindvick, who has been employed at the dairy lunch at Thief River Falls, returned home recently.

Miss Lois Strubel visited with Miss Emma Ristau on Monday afternoon.

Misses Emma, Minnie and Lena Ristau left this week for Thief River Falls to attend high school.

Miss Emelia Rietz of Thief River Falls was a guest at the Klockman home Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Nettie and Silva Bendicksen have gone to Bemidji, where the former will do clerical work and the latter attend the state teachers' college.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Overby on Sunday, Sept. 11. Everybody welcome.

Salve Tharaldson returned recently from Starbuck, where he had attended to business matters in connection with his farm. He will teach school the coming year east of Germantown.

Mrs. Hans Dahl and Miss Esther Bendickson were business callers at Mavie on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Bendickson autoed to Thief River Falls on Sunday evening, accompanied by Misses Nettie and Silva Bendickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Dahl visited at the John Aandahl home on Sunday.

Miss Alice Haack and friend were calling on Esther Bendickson Sunday. Miss Haack will leave soon for Minneapolis to remain during the winter months.

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Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.
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BANKER CHOSE CAREER WISELY
When Mr. C. A. Christianson took up Commerce and Banking at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., he made his first stride in the path to success. It led to a minor position with the First State Bank of Wildrose, of which institution he has recently been made vice-president.
This is not an unusual record for Dakota Business College graduate. About 225 ex-students are now bank officers.
"Follow the SucceSSful." Enroll for Fall Term. Information gladly supplied by F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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Keep Plenty of Our Milk
in the refrigerator. You'll have abundant use for it for drinking, for baking, for making all kinds of sauces, custards, etc. You'll find our milk gives a fine flavor to everything in which it enters. It is far richer than ordinary milk, though it costs no more. Better have us commence serving you today.
Thief River Co-Operative Creamery Association

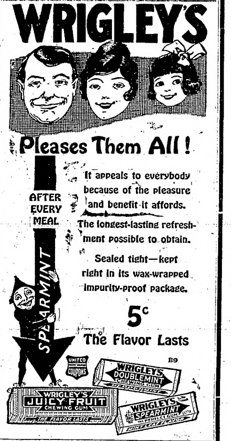

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AUCTION SALE

Having rented my farm, I will therefore sell all my personal property at public auction on my farm, the southeast quarter of Section 20, Town of Highlanding, being six miles south of Goodridge and adjoining the Higlanding Creamery on the north, on

Tuesday, September 20, 1921

Sale commencing at 11 o'clock sharp

Guernsey and Shorthorn Cattle

One red and white cow, 6 years old, will be fresh in Dec.
One red and white cow, 7 years old, freh in June.
One red cow, 6 years old, fresh in June.
One red cow, 7 years old, fresh in June.
One red and white cow, 6 years old, will be fresh in January.
One red and white cow, 7 years old, will be fresh in Dec.
One red cow, 6 years old, will be fresh in December.
One white cow, 7 years old, will be fresh in December.
One red cow, 4 years old, will be fresh in December.
One red cow, 6 years old, will be fresh in December.
One red heifer, 3 years old, will be fresh in October.
One red heifer, coming 3 years old, will be fresh in January.
One red and white heifer, coming 3 yrs. old, will be fresh in January.
Six yearling heifers.
One steer, coming 2 years old.
One 2-year-old bull, half Guernsey.
One 3-year-old bull, three-fourths Shorthorn.
Three heifer calves.

Two horses. Three work harnesses. One single buggy harness.
25 Rhode Island Red spring chickens.

Farm Implements and Machinery

40 Chickens.
One Moline gang plow, nearly new.
One 14-inch walking plow.
One 12-inch prairie breaker.
One 12-inch brush breaker.
One Deering mower.
One 3-horse Deering binder, good as new.
One 3-horse disc.
One 3-horse Keystone double disc drill, good as new.
One 10-foot McCormick self dump iron rake, nearly new.
One 2-horse cultivator.
One 3-horse drag.
One hay rack.
One bob sleigh.
One top buggy, nearly new.
One wide tire wagon, complete.
One 1000-lb. platform scale.
One grindstone.
One Hero fanning mill, new.
About 100 oak posts.
Some oats.
Some potatoes.
35 Grain sacks.
10-12 Tons mixed timothy and Red Top hay.
Forks, shovels and all kinds of farm tools too numerous to mention.

Household Goods

One kitchen range.
One coal stove, new.
One air-tight heater.
One 3-burner oil stove.
One kitchen table.
Four chairs.
One DeLaval cream separator.
One 10-gallon churn.
One Lakeside washing machine.
Two beds and springs.
One gas lamp.
One sewing machine and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums under $10, cash; over that amount, bankable paper due October 1, 1922.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Mrs. Barbara Overum, Owner

W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer. First and Peoples State Bank, Clerk.

Chiropractic Slogan:
"Service Absolutely"
"Not how little for how much, but how mnch for how little."
B. J. Palmer, D. C. Ph. C.

I want my friends to know that I have just returned from Davenport, Iowa, where I attended the National Lyceum and Homecoming of Chiropractors, in fitting myself for greater service. I wish to serve you.

Facts I Observed:

Eight thousand live, enthusiastic delegates enrolled. Every delegate's ideal was the betterment of humanity; the spirit of the throng was the marvel of every witness; men of national reputation spoke and pledged their good will and service to the spreading of the gospel of Chiropractic.

"All my life I have been fighting for natural methods of healing and I shall fight for Chiropractic as long as I am in the publishing business."—BERNARR McFADDEN, Editor Physical Culture Magazine.

"Building a life is not enough; you must give that away to others before you can truly live. You must sell yourself to others; your aim is to sell yourself through the science of Chiropractic—a most worthy aim and a most noble profession."—JAMES H. HARRON, Noted Business Lecturer.

"I want freedom of the press, of conscience, and the freedom to choose who should be my doctor."—LIEUT.-GOVERNOR HOWARD of Nebraska.

"There has been a housecleaning among traditions which have outlived their usefulness, and a new age is no longer content with the heirlooms of the past. That is why Chiropractic seems to be popular—it is the new child of the century."—MAJOR DENT ATKINSON.

"I do not claim that Chiropractic adjustments will cure everything; maybe they have not advanced that far, but they are going on. So for myself, this I do know absolutely, when I am sick I shall send for a Chiropractic practitioner, first, not last."—JAMES W. ELLIOTT, the Author of Man Messages.

"The thing thats ounds is results and the only way to achieve these results is to remove the base cause of the disease. The subluxation of this offending spinal vertebras—not the treatment of symptoms. The patient is interested primarily in getting well, not in knowing the technical name of the disease."—B. J. PALMER, D. C. Ph. C.

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ROSEWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson left Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with Mr. Thompson's brother at Greenbush.

Mrs. Peter Mellem went to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Carlson.

Mrs. Eva Carlson left the middle of the week for Thief River Falls to spend the week-end visiting with Mrs. [illegible] Stromberg and other relatives. [illegible] Stromberg and Garfield [illegible] returned to their home at [illegible] Falls on Saturday evening after a week's visit with the John Sagmoen yiung people.

Freddie Ranum went to Warren on Saturday to look after business matters.

[illegible] A. Whitmark arrived here [illegible] the Ford route from California last Tuesday and will spend some time visiting with friends and also with the Ole Skaar family in town of Norden.

Miss Ella Nelson left on Sunday for Norden, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Ole Skaar, and other friends.

Axel Kron, one of the most unfortunate of the typhoid patients this [illegible] and who spent over four [illegible] in bed, was in town for the first time last Saturday, accompanying a load of live stock shipped that day. While still far below his normal standard, Mr. Kron is very optimistic in his battle with unusually hard obstacles.

Nate Harris was down from Thief River Falls Saturday evening attending [illegible] some business with Herbert [illegible].

Mrs. Morris Halvorson of Viking and Mrs. James Johnson of Thief River Falls spent a few days the middle of the week assisting with the home work of their father, J. E. Hellquist, duging threshing.

Mrs. Erick Backlund, accompanied by two daughters from Thief River Falls, arrived on Wednesday and will visit with Mrs. Benhard Ranum and other friends for a few days.

Mrs. Christ Eggen returned to her home at Kelliher last Wednesday and was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Anton Gullseth, who will visit there during the week-end.

A mixed carload of stock was shipped through the local shipping association last Saturday, Manager Benhard Ranum accompanying the shipment. Mr. Ranum may also attend the state fair and visit with Roy Skinner in one of the suburbs before his return home.

Olaf Opseth, who is employed at Clearbrook, came home on Monday and will spend the week visiting his father, A. Opseth.

Gladys Sagmoen returned on Tuesday from Thief River Falls, where she had spent Sunday visiting Miss Elsie Vorseth.

L. L. Furan, Violet, Burton and Willard Furan, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Glenn and Verna Sagmoen, and Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen from this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday in a family reunion along Thief river near the Skomedal farm east of Steiner. The same party plans on spending next Sunday on a similar outing trip by car to Maple Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck and children and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg and daughters, Edna and Ruth, visited Holt and Newfolden in an auto tour last Sunday, and enjoyed supper with the Albert Hellquist family at the latter place.

The Willowdale school building is undergoing extensive repairs this week, putting it in shape for the coming school term. Chas. Sagmoen and Victor Mosbeck are doing the work.

Miss Goldie Renmem of Thief River Falls has spent several days this week visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Anton Gullseth.

Carpenters B. P. Sagmoen and John Sorenson have been at the Kellberg farm south of Steiner the past week doing inside finishing work in his new residence.

John Sagmoen has accepted a town contract for installing a new cement bridge across the main road north of the Frank Dolezal farm.

Ibsen Flann of Thief River Falls was here last Sunday visiting with friends at the Frank Dolezal farm.

Lewis Alby took Mrs. Enoch Nelson and Miss Myrtle Nelson to Thief River Falls last Tuesday, where they shopped and visited.

Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and children of Thief River Falls spent the fore part of the week as guests of Mrs. Ostrom's mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Miss Viola Axelson went to Viking last Sunday and will be employed at the Park hotel this fall.

Threshing, except flax, is pretty well finished in this community.

Pure-Bred Bulls.

(Bemidji Pioneer.)

The exchange of scrub bulls all over Minnesota for pure bred sires is a step being fostered by the Minnesota Holstein Breeders' association which will eventually mean much to the dairymen of Minnesota. Scrub sires may be turned in as a first payment on a pure bred sire.

The forming of co-operative bull associations will greatly facilitate the purchase of pure bred sires. One farmer, especially in this new country, may not have sufficient capital to purchase one for his own herd, but through the assistance of a club this may be done and the results will in this way be enlarged to the whole immediate neighborhood. It costs no more to keep pure bred stock than scrub stock and the returns are much larger.

Find That it Pays.

(Ely Miner.)

All over the country merchants are adopting the three per cent. method of advertising, and it is proving so profitable and satisfactory to them that we believe our business men would do well to give it attention. Actual tests in hundreds of cases have proved that an advertising appropriation of three per cent of the previous year's gross sales have increased the business 33 1-3 per cent. This increase doesn't happen the first week after the advertising starts but in the cumulative effect of a campaign carried on regularly each week for a whole year. If the three per cent were all spent in one grand blow-out it would be wasted. But distributed over an entire year it is the surest business builder in the world. Big city stores spend five and seven per cent but in towns like this three per cent will do as much, and even more, on the capital invested. There is one sure way to prove this, and you can't lose, either. And that is to try it out.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.26
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.21
Oats	[illegible]
Flax	1.73
Barley	.39
Rye	.88
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	1.50
Cracked Corn, 100-lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
[illegible]	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.23
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery Butter	.40
Creamery Butter	[illegible]
Cow Hides, per lb.	.02-.03
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
LIVE STOCK	
Hogs, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.03
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.02-.04

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE. Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20-in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon. E. H. FALLMAN, St. Hilaire, Minn. 25tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace Avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of George Leimers. 27tf

FOR SALE—One team horses. Buyer can have choice of three teams. John Bloom, Rosewood, Minn. 31

FOR SALE CHEAP—Five passenger [illegible]tomobile. In excellent running order. [illegible] Protz, 291 Conely Ave. So. 30tf

[illegible] SALE—Fordson tractor and plow, [illegible] new. Box 621 Thief River Falls. 31p

FOR SALE Tractor, Titan 10-20 three bottom plows and extra breaker bottoms. Tractor is in A-1 condition. Will sell cheap. Henry Ruff, Radium, Minn. 31p

FOR SALE—One iron bed with spring and one sanitary cot. Inquire H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. 31

FOR SALE—One Aspinwall potato digger, cheap, in good order. John Sevverson, St. Hilaire, Minn. R. 1. 31p

FOR SALE—One 18-in. hard coal stove and one 20-in. Round Oak stove. Call Phone 130 or at 719 Horace Ave. N. 32p

FOR SALE—Seasoned poplar cord wood. Write Nick Kulland, Strathcona, Minn. 32p

FOR SALE Large hard coal heater. J. W. Hendry, 324 Red Lake Blvd. 32

FOR SALE—Ford touring car with self-starter. Will sell cheap if taken at once. J. O. Eonning, City, Route 1. 32p

Kratka Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 25tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

[illegible]R SALE OR TRADE—40 acres un[illegible] land. Can be bought on easy [illegible]ments, or will trade for anything [illegible]. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

[illegible]OR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE, TRADE, or RENT—City [illegible] and farms. See Andrew Ness [illegible]ake a deal. 46pd

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 31p

WANTED TO BUY—Threshing separator, 22-inch cylinder. Kotler Bros., [illegible]

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Half Section farm, near town. M. C. Harlow. 29tf

FOR RENT—One nice bedroom for one or two men or boys, with use of front room. Inquire of J. L. Bean. 29tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, modern, 116 St. Paul Ave. South., Phone [illegible] 29tf

FOR RENT—Farm 8 miles east of Thief River Falls on State road. Well improved. Known as Aug. Lautenbach place. Capt. A. Hovland, Thief River Falls, Phone 315-J. 27tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FOR RENT—Modern room. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms, 502 Bridge St. 30tf

FOR RENT—Two heated rooms for light housekeeping or school girls. Inquire at Benson's Barber Shop. 30tf

FOR RENT—Fine steam heated office room at Loken's Harness Shop. 32p

FOR RENT—Good barn for one team, by Halvor Loken. 32p

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 624 Knight Ave. N. Enquire Nels Samuelson, Route 1. 31p

Help Wanted—Female

GIRL WANTED—At the Northern Baking Co. 31

WANTED—Young girl to assist with house work. Address Box 717. 31

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Man with car to sell low priced guaranteed tires. $75.00 per week and commission. Wolfe Tire Co., 1100 Graham, Benton Harbor, Mich. 31p

MEN WANTED—To Sell Groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the World's largest wholesale Grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 31p

LOST

LOST—Somewhere between the Knox school and the High School, on Tuesday, a small old-looking pocket book which contained six dollars in a one and five dollar bill. Call at Times office for reward. 31p

MISCELLANEOUS

TO TRADE—For Hardware stock, improved farm, 6 miles N. E. of city. Farmers' Co-operative Land Co. 29tf

TO EXCHANGE—We have good Montana farms (with oil and mineral rights) to exchange for Minnesota land. What have you? Selberg Land Co., Scandia Block. 35p

WANTED—To hear from parties who want to sell their lands. Give full particulars relative to distance to market, buildings, price, etc. Address Box 21, Cedar Falls, Iowa. 37p

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Tollef Loyland and Tina Loyland, his wife, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 25th day of January, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book 57 of Mortgages, on Page 175,

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 6th day of September, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book 11 of Mortgages on Page 601, and

Whereas, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of Three Hundred Fifty-eight and 28-100 Dollars, as follows: The sum of $110.60 thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgage upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgages is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage; the sum of $170.76 thereof being for taxes paid by said assignee of mortgage upon the premises securing said mortgage which premises are hereinafter described, and for which said assignee of mortgages is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $81.92 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Sixteen (16), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 22nd day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, to pay said debt of $358.28, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 7th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
S-8-15-22-29-O-6-13

BIDS WANTED

The board of directors of the St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association, St. Hilaire, Minn., will receive bids for the second-hand creamery equipment listed below, up to the time of meeting of the Board at 1:30 p. m., Monday, Sept. 19, 1921:

One 20 h. p. Cry. Pkg. horizontal tubular boiler.
One 12 h. p. Monkey steam engine.
One "Bulldozer" geared belt driven pump head, deep or shallow.
One 10 bbl. galvanized tank.
One 7 h. p. Alamo pump for deep or shallow well.
One 8x10x6 ft. Bohn refrigerator.
Frame building, size 24x60, 10 ft. posts.
30 Feet 1 15-16 shafting and nine drop hangers for same.

Certified check for 5 per cent of bid. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

ST. HILAIRE CO-OP. CRY. ASSN.,
F. S. Erdman, Sec.
8-8-15

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The School Board of Common School District No. [illegible], of Red Lake County, Minnesota, will receive bids for the furnishing of all labor and material, except gravel now on the site which will be furnished to contractor free of charge, for the construction of a school building on the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, in Township 152, Range 42, according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the undersigned clerk of said School Board. Such bids will be received by the undersigned clerk up to September 17th, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., when the bids will be opened and considered by the board, meeting for that purpose in the school house on the above site.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check, payable to the treasurer of said school district, for ten per cent of the amount bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated August 30th, 1921.

MATT GERARDY, Clerk.
8-8

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Eight hundred fifty-one and 75-100 ($1851.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 66 of Mortgages, on page 91, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1851.75 and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 8th, A. D., 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN
MILLING COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A 11-18-25 S 1-8-15

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie Hard, also known as Mina Heard, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to A. C. Matheson, Thora Sheller, John F. Matheson, Henry Heard, Minton Heard, Lily Heard, Emma Matheson, Minnie Matheson, John Matheson, Alice Matheson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 20th day of August, 1921.

(Seal)

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
A-25-S-1-8

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City News

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Mrs. P. L. Anderson of Holt was a visitor in the city the latter part of last week.

Miss Ruth Johnson of St. Paul arrived Monday morning to assume her duties as school nurse.

Miss Evangeline Burns of this city has accepted a position to teach in the junior high this year.

Miss Gaya Olson came down from her home at Middle River last Friday to attend to shopping.

Allison Stitt left Friday night for Minneapolis, where he will spend a few days at the state fair.

Purl Anderson, who had spent a week visiting Edward Kiland, left on Monday for his home at Greenbush.

Mrs. T. A. Rowan returned Friday morning from the Twin Cities, where she had spent a couple of days with friends.

Mrs. Scott Laird spent yesterday between trains visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren at Plummer.

Miss Cora Swenson left Saturday afternoon for Breckenridge, where she has accepted a position to teach this year.

Miss Lovina Adams of Laverne returned Monday to take up her former duties as teacher in the Northrup school.

Mrs. Bert Berg of Mavie was in the city on Saturday attending to shopping and visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. Tweeten and baby and Mrs. A. Williamson left last week for Minneapolis, where they will consult a specialist.

Misses Stella and Ida Lee, both of Spring Grove, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Storholm last week.

Miss Ruth Soule arrived Saturday evening from Grand Forks and will teach home economics in the Lincoln high school this term.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson has accepted a position as teacher in the school at Lancaster and left Sunday evening for that place.

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Misses Ella and Mirriam Miller left Sunday evening for Nashwauk and Breckenridge respectively, where they will teach this year.

Miss Lois Wold arrived the first of the week from Grand Forks to enter upon her duties as teacher in the kindergarten department.

Mrs. Ole Torrison and children returned to their home at Robbinsdale on Saturday after a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Evenson.

Miss Jeanette Oftedahl, stenographer at the Kiewel Products company, left Monday evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days at the state fair.

Elnor Overland, who had spent a month here visiting his parents, left Monday night for Northfield, where he will resume his studies at the St. Olof college.

Rufus Barackman, who had spent the summer vacation with his parents here, will leave next week for Minneapolis to enter upon his senior year at Macalester college.

Miss Clara Gullingsrud has resigned her position as bookkeeper and cashier at the Oen Mercantile company. The vacancy has been filled by Miss Betsy Ness.

Miss Sophie Krebechek, who has been employed at the Physicians hospital during the summer, left on Monday for Moorhead to enter upon her second year at the Normal.

Miss Myrtle Sunderland of Badger was in the city on Friday as the guest of Miss Shirley Anderson. She left Saturday morning for Adams to continue her visit with other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Rhodegaard and children, Violet, Opal and Eileen, returned last night from a two weeks' vacation spent with relatives and friends in Duluth, Bemidji and Mizpah.

H. F. Erickson and daughters, Elsie and Belle, left Saturday by car for Alexandria, near which place Miss Belle will teach. Mr. Erickson and Elsie returned to this city on Sunday.

Misses Ruth and Meta Keopp came down from their home at Middle River on Monday. The former left Tuesday morning for Bemidji to attend the Normal, while the latter returned to her home.

Mrs. Dena Evenson and sister, Miss Clara Peterson, who had spent a month here during the illness of her mother, who died this week, left yesterday morning for Battle Lake, where the funeral will take place.

Mrs. P. W. Mabey, who accompanied Miss Maude Johnson to the West this spring, returned to the city the first of the week. Mrs. Mabey spent most of the time with relatives at Santa Barbara, Cal., and also visited many other places of interest.

Wm. F. Wilde, executive secretary of the Minnesota Public Health association, formerly with the Rockefeller foundation in Mississippi, made this city a visit last week. Mr. Wilde is making a trip about the state in an endeavor to meet as many officers of the association as possible. He went from here to Mahnomen.

Miss Maude Johnson, who left last spring at the schools' close for an extended trip through the western states, returned on Monday to resume her duties as music instructor in the city schools. Miss Johnson enjoyed a most delightful trip and visited the most important cities in California, Washington and Oregon. Most of her time was spent at Los Angeles.

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Miss Velma Webster of Minot, N. D., arrived Monday and on Tuesday assumed her duties as instructor in English at the local high school.

Miss Bernadette Gormely of St. Paul, who has accepted a position as instructor in history at the local high school, arrived in the city Monday.

Miss Florence Erickson of Fergus Falls returned to her home on Monday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Dolan.

Miss Irene Lee of Gonvick returned to her home last week after having spent a few days visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Chris Storholm.

Miss Gertrude Holm, who spent Saturday and Sunday visiting her cousin, Mrs. Clarence Erickson, returned to her home at Roseau on Monday.

Mrs. Albert Lonson of Minot, N. D., arrived Saturday evening and will be a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, for several days.

Miss Lorna Dodge, who had spent her summer vacation at her home at Rock Lake, N. D., returned Saturday morning to resume her duties as teacher in the Central school.

Miss Effie Brunsberg and Miss Ruth Halen, who had spent a few days visiting with their cousin, Mrs. H. Hoard, returned Saturday afternoon to their homes at Fertile.

Miss Avis Akre, who had spent the summer vacation at her home here, left Monday morning for Bemidji, where she will teach mathematics in the high school this term.

Miss Lyda Batten, who had spent her summer vacation at her home near Rosewood, returned to this city Saturday evening to resume her duties as teacher in the Central school.

Miss Carrie Oftelie left Saturday afternoon for Cutbank, Mont., where she will spend some time visiting relatives, later continuing to Wenatchee, Wash., where she will be the guest of other relatives.

Morlan H. Bishop, deputy state bank examiner, left from Moorhead on Friday for the twin cities, where he attended a meeting of the state executive committee of the American Legion, of which is a member.

S. R. Robinson motored over from Oslo on Saturday evening to join his wife and son, Stephen, who had spent a few days visiting at the F. H. Herrick home. Mr. Robinson and family returned to Oslo Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Michelet and family, who had made this city their home for the past 18 years, left Saturday evening for St. Paul, where they will reside. Mr. Michelet was recently appointed superintendent of state lands.

Andrew Bottelson left Friday evening for Minneapolis, where he will spend a few days on business before proceeding to Albert Lea and Blue Earth, where he will visit relatives. Mr. Bottelson expected to be absent for two weeks.

Mr and Mrs. G. W. Walker and children left Friday evening for Minneapolis after spending the summer here. Mrs. Walker and children will remain in Minneapolis while Mr. Walker will return to look after his business affairs.

Miss Betsy Legvold and sister, Miss Gena, who had spent the summer vacation at their home here, left Friday afternoon for Brushvale, where they will teach this year. The latter went to Baker to visit over Sunday before going to Brushvale.

Miss Phyllis Dock, who had spent the summer visiting relatives and friends at Crookston, Grand Forks, Meckinock and Fergus Falls, returned to this city on Friday accompanied by her friend, Lavonne Duckworth, of Crookston, who visited here over Saturday.

Miss Edna Anderson arrived Monday morning from Wylie, where she had spent the summer vacation with her parents, and commenced her work at the local high school on Tuesday. Miss Anderson will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink while attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Korstad and family, who for the past five years have resided on a farm near Highlanding, returned to this city the latter part of last week to take up their residence in the house recently vacated by the Michelet family. Mrs. Korstad will teach in the local high school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bragg of Washington, D. C., who had spent a few weeks visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McCrum, left on Wednesday night for their home. Mrs. Bragg will be remembered by many local people as Miss Lulu McCrum, who formerly taught in the city schools. During the war she was in the government service.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop will leave this evening for Minneapolis, where she will attend a meeting of the state executive committee of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion. From that point she will drive to Hibbing with Mrs. Severance to attend the Minnesota state conference of Social Work, to be held from Sept. 10 to 13. Mrs. Bishop will be one of the speakers on the program. Tuesday afternoon she will give a talk on "The Relation of the Children's Bureau to the County Child Welfare Board as a Problem of Organization." Monday morning she will speak on "The Viewpoint of a Child Welfare Board Worker on the Unsupervised Small Town's Contribution to Delinquency." Mrs. Bishop is chairman of the Pennington County Child Welfare Board.

Obituary

Mrs. Andrew Peterson.

On Monday night occurred the death of Mrs. Andrew Peterson at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dena Evenson after a lingering illness. The deceased was born in Norway in 1830. After coming to this country, most of her life was spent at Battle Lake. For the past seven and a half years she had made her home with her daughter. Six children are left to mourn her death. Funeral services were held from the Larson chapel at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Rev. George Larson officiating. The body was shipped to Battle Lake for burial.

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PAPERS IN NEW CASE SERVED ON OFFICIALS AND BONDING COMPANY IN EFFORT TO STOP PAVING WORK

H. M. Hicks Appears as Plaintiff in Action Brought By Objectors to Paving Attacking Validity of Bond Issue and Asking Court For Restraining Order.

Construction Work is Now Under Way and City Officials Express Themselves as Confident That New Action Will Not Interfere With Present Plans.

The objectors to the carrying out of the present paving program are evidently determined to do everything within their power to upset the plans of the city administration. It was thought that everything possible in the way of legal obstacles had already been thrown into the path of the city officials by the opposition in its frantic efforts to prevent the paving of the city streets under the contract with the Bitulithic Contracting company, but the serving of papers in a new action on Tuesday was convincing proof that the objectors are determined to go down fighting.

H. M. Hicks Plaintiff.

The new action, in which H. M. Hicks appears as plaintiff, attacks the validity of the issuance of the certificates of indebtedness of the city and asks the court for a restraining order to prevent their sale and delivery at less than par. The complete text of the complaint is as follows:

The plaintiff complains and alleges:

"That the city of Thief River Falls now is and at all times hereinafter mentioned was a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of Chapter 8, Laws of Minnesota for 1895, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

"That John Bratrud and A. H. Akre now are and at all times hereinafter mentioned were the regularly elected, qualified and acting mayor and city clerk of said city respectively, and that the defendants Ole L. Ihle, H. A. Brumund, Carl Froseth, Sever Brandon, John Dahl and Andrew Ness now are the regularly elected, qualified and acting aldermen of said city.

"That the Drake-Ballard Investment company is a corporation organized and existing according to law.

"That the plaintiff is a resident, citizen and taxpayer of said city and has been such for many years last past; that he owns large amounts of property within said city and pays large sums in taxes on property within said city every year, and that he brings this action for and on behalf of himself and other taxpayers similarly situated.

"That on or about the 14th day of June, 1921, the city council of the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, at a regular meeting, adopted resolutions wherein and whereby they determined to raise the sum of $292,000.00 for the purpose of paying for certain improvements about to be made, and for that purpose to issue and sell the negotiable certificates of indebtedness of said city in the aggregate amount of not exceeding $292,000.00; that said certificates or bonds to be two hundred ninety-two (292) in number, numbered from 1 to 292 inclusive, and to bear date the first day of July, A. D. 1921, and be of the denomination of one thousand dollars ($1,000.00), and all of such certificates or bonds to bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, the first interest payment to be due on January 1, 1922, and thereafter semi-annually.

"That thereafter pursuant to said resolution and action had as aforesaid, the city clerk advertised for bids on said bonds to be received on the 8th day of July, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. at the council chambers in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, but at the time set for receiving bids the city council did not receive any bids for such bonds and the said bonds were not sold.

"That thereafter, without readvertising for bids and without requiring any bond or security for the performance thereof as required by law and as particularly required by Chapter 8, Laws of Minnesota for 1895, the charter of said city, the city council did on or about the 15th day of July, 1921, enter into a contract with the Drake-Ballard Investment company for the sale of said bonds at an agreed price of 98½ per cent of the face value thereof, and plaintiff alleges on information and belief, that the mayor and city clerk of said city have entered into a contract to deliver said bonds and have delivered said bonds to the said Drake-Ballard Investment company without the same being paid for in cash as required by law, and without requiring any bond or security whatsoever from said Drake-Ballard Investment company, and agreeing that said bonds may be sold at a discount as aforesaid and that payments may be made at various times in the future without interest and without any security to the city whatsoever. That the defendants, the city of Thief River Falls and its officers, intend to carry out such contract and to sell and deliver to the defendant, the Drake-Ballard Investment company, said bonds at a discount of four thousand three hundred eighty dollars, ($4,380.00) besides permitting said Drake-Ballard Investment company to have the use of the funds which shall be realized from the sale of said bonds for many months without interest and without other compensation whatsoever, and that the said Drake-Ballard company intend to purchase said bonds and make use of said money on said terms; that thereby the property of the city will be lost, dissipated and reduced, and the plaintiff and other taxpayers will thereby suffer great and irreparable damage and that the plaintiff has no adequate remedy at law or in equity other than by injunction.

"That the defendants, city and its officers above named, arbitrarily and without legal authority or right, intend to sell said certificates of indebtedness or bonds of said city at less than par as above set forth, and intend to permit the use of the funds for many months by the said Drake-Ballard Investment company without interest and without compensation whatsoever, and arbitrarily and unreasonably refuse to comply with the provisions of law governing said city and other cities for reasons which to this plaintiff are unknown.

"Wherefore the plaintiff prays judgment that the defendants and each and all of them be in all things forever restrained and enjoined from selling or attempting to sell or negotiating the certificates of indebtedness of said city hereinbefore described, and in any amount whatsoever, and from delivering, receiving or negotiating said certificates, and from in any manner, either directly or indirectly, permitting said certificates of indebtedness or bonds to be sold at less than par, either directly or by subterfuge; that to conserve the interests of the plaintiff and said city, a temporary injunction pending the outcome of this action be forthwith granted by the court to the same effect, and that plaintiff have his costs and disbursements herein and such other and further relief as to the court may seem just."

The city officials do not seem to be in the least disturbed or alarmed over this latest development, and express themselves as confident that it will have no effect whatever on the carrying out of the work as planned. In support of their viewpoint they cite the fact that the city's certificates of indebtedness have already been sold and delivered to the Drake Ballard company of St. Paul and that the city already has the money, a part of which is on deposit in the local banks and the balance in twin city banks.

Move Was Anticipated.

This latest move on the part of the opposition was anticipated by the city administration and for this reason all preliminary arrangements for the sale of the bonds had been attended to before the rendering of the decision in the Streeter case by the supreme court, the sale being completed the same day the decision was filed. This would seem to eliminate any possibility of interfering with the sale at this date.

However, the opposition contends that the bonds have not actually been sold to the Drake-Ballard company, but that that company is merely acting as the city's agent under contract to dispose of them.

Construction Work Proceeds.

In the meantime the actual paving construction work is now under way and will evidently continue. A crew of men with teams started Monday afternoon, working south from Sixth street on Main avenue. According to statements of the contractors the grader and power loading machines will be at work in the next day or two and the work will then progress very rapidly.

The contract for gravel was let by the contracting company on Monday to Chris Engen and he has already started loading and shipping it here. P. W. Roark has been engaged with his outfit to do some of the excavating and grading and now has a crew on the job. The carrying out of the work this fall is going to give employment to a large number of local men and it is certain to have a decided beneficial effect on business in general. The contractors state that they will be able to complete the work this fall if they have two months of favorable weather.

Thief River Houses Bar Fatty Arbuckle Pictures

No more Fatty Arbuckle films will be shown in Thief River Falls theatres. Manager H. A. Brumund of the Lyceum and Princess announced this morning that in common with the best show houses throughout the country his theatres would bar any pictures in which "Fatty" appears. The famous comedian is under indictment at San Francisco, being charged with having caused the death of Virginia Rappe, a film actress. It is alleged that the crime was committed during a carousal in Arbuckle's rooms. Until some disposition is made of his case it is certain that but few, if any, pictures featuring him will be presented.

NORTH MINNESOTA PUTS ON REAL FAIR

Annual Event at Bemidji Will Be Second in Importance to to State Fair Only.

The Northern Minnesota Fair, to be held at Bemidji, Minn., Sept. 20, 21, 22 and 23, promises to be the best Fair ever attempted by any County, and is advertised as "second only to the state fair," which is quite a claim—but from the amount of livestock and agricultural exhibits already entered, and the amount of money spent for a program of sports and amusements, the managers feel warranted in making such claims.

Permanent Improvements have been made that run into large sums, and a building program for next year is already under way, that calls for the expenditure of thousands of dollars.

The optimism shown by the Fair management in these large expenditures is warranted because they have prepared a program that is bound to bring favorable comment from all who attend, which will assure success in future years also. A new grandstand has been built that will accommodate the crowd that Bemidji expect to entertain. The track has been put into shape for the big racing events.

To date nearly 1,000 head of livestock have been entered for exhibit. The five railroads running the Bemidji have granted a one and one-half fare rate from Sept. 19 to 25, a concession heretofore given only to the state fair.

IMPROVEMENT FOR JEFFERSON VOTED IN MARSHALL CO.

Commissioners Authorize Construction of Bridge Over Middle and Snake Rivers.

The board of county commissioners in Marshall county has authorized the construction of two bridges along the route of the Jefferson highway. These will be built over the Middle and Snake rivers and will result in a great improvement to the highway.

The construction of the bridges will do away with the numerous detours that have heretofore been necessary in traveling over the Jefferson highway through Marshall county and will thus provide a continuous route that will be passable in all kinds of weather. It is an improvement that officials of the highway have long been desirous of securing and one that will be appreciated by tourists and the public in general.

BUREAUS PLAN OWN FARM CREDIT FIRMS

Farmers in Middle West Working on Finance Corporations Along State Lines.

Farm bureau federations including several hundred thousand farmers in the principal grain producing states of the middle west are taking steps toward launching co-operative finance corporations and co-operative grain marketing corporations along state lines, as the best means of advancing the American Farm Bureau federation's national marketing program, according to C. E. Gunnels, treasurer of the national federation, who has been touring Minnesota.

"The national grain marketing plan worked out by the Committee of Seventeen after eight months of investigation is absolutely sound and practicable, in the opinion of the American Farm Bureau federation," Mr. Gunnels said. "The farm bureaus of the grain producing states are determined that the farmer shall have his own corporation through which he can put his grain on the national and the world markets in an orderly manner, at the lowest possible expense. The U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., established as the first step toward putting into operation the recommendations of the Committee of Seventeen, has been confronted with tremendous obstacles. The organization of a finance corporation to provide credit for the marketing of the farmers' grain has faced even greater obstacles. Few states have passed legislation to put co-operative enterprises on an equal footing with other business projects.

"Many state farm bureau federations are taking steps to form their own farm credit corporations to provide better means of financing the production and marketing of farm products. Several are seriously considering the organization of the grain producers of their states into co-operative associations, so that these state organizations will be ready to fit into the national marketing program of the Committee of Seventeen as soon as it can be put into operation on a nation-wide scale.

"The co-operative marketing enterprise has been built from the bottom up. First came the local co-operative elevator, the local shipping association of live stock raisers, the local co-operative creamery. Then came state federations of these local units, such as the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has just launched for the marketing of live stock and dairy products.

"The farm bureaus of the grain producing states take the unalterable position that they have a grave obligation to the farmers. They are determined that the farmer shall not be asked to invest his money nor contract his grain in any project until the farm bureau, the organization that launched and financed the Committee of Seventeen and is responsible for its plans, knows that those plans are being put into operation on a sane, sound basis. It is better to go slowly, and be absolutely right, than to rush into any project blindly. The farm bureau is the farmers' business representative. Its duty is to protect his interests. When we go before the farmers of Minnesota with a grain marketing plan, we intend to be sure it is right, and has a fair chance of success."

There will be no attempt to organize Minnesota farmers to market the 1921 crop under the plan of the Committee of Seventeen, Mr. Gunnels said. Some grain will be moved by existing organizations which co-operated in the formation of the U. S. Grain Growers, he said, but farmers will not be asked to contract their 1921 crop to the national organization.

Home Town Paper Week

It is very rare that the average newspaper boosts its own business, but gives quantities of space in boosting the affairs of others.

Somebody suggested that it was time for the newspapers of the country to adopt a week in which their own business should be given precedent, and The Times thoroughly endorses the idea.

The date set is the second week in November, from the 7th to the 12th, including that great world event, Armistice Day.

The official title for the week will be "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week."

Thousands of papers will join in this event, and our readers will hear more about it as time goes on.

Ever ready to help in any cause that is in the interests of a better community, better living conditions, and better government, we now ask the readers and the advertisers of The Times to turn in and lend a hand during "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week," and boost for us.

COMMERCIAL LAW COURSE ORGANIZER AT CLUB TONIGHT

Wm. C. Smiley of University Extension Service Will Explain Proposed Classes.

At a meeting to be held at the Commercial club rooms this evening, Wm. C. Smiley of the University Extension service will appear for the purpose of organizing a class in commercial law.

These classes are for the instruction of business men and are identical with the classes in business law given in the day school at the university. They have proven very popular in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth and it is now proposed to experiment with the establishment of classes in some of the smaller cities of the state, under local attorneys. Thief River Falls has been chosen as one of the first experiment stations.

HOME PAPERS TO BE GIVEN REAL BOOST

Week of November 7th to 12th Set Aside For Nation-Wide Endeavor.

"Subscribe to your home town paper."

This is the slogan of a new nation-wide movement backed by the National Editorial association and other agencies.

The movement has back of it far more than a selfish desire on the part of newspapers to acquire increased circulation, for it is, in effect, a step toward the perfect unification of America by the strengthening of ties that bind everyone to his native soil.

The campaign is, moreover, an excellent opportunity to boost the home town. The men and women who were born and reared here have, some of them, been away for many years and many important changes have taken place—changes in which they would be greatly interested. It is more often the case than not that private correspondence overlooks these changes however carefully one might attempt to write "the news" in a letter.

The newspaper, on the other hand, prints all the items of interest, large and small, and is the ideal medium through which to keep in touch with the old home town.

In order to stimulate this movement we are this week offering an extra copy of The Times to every subscriber who calls or writes for it. This extra can be sent, with a special subscription blank which we will furnish, to any member of the family who is away from home. Or, if preferred, we will mail a copy free of charge to anyone you designate.

Do it now.

HIGH AWARDS WON BY CATTLE AT STATE FAIR

Pennington County Exhibit of Guernseys an Object of Interest to Visitors.

Secure Fourth Place in County Groups, Winning Over Goodhue, Following Freeborn.

Exhibit Was Taken From F. B. Conklin, Albert Johnson and H. C. Woolson Farms.

Pennington has received another boost as a dairying county by reason of the showing of Guernseys made at the state fair. The cattle were in charge of Perry Johnson, who was assisted in looking after them by Eddie and Elbert Franklin. Mr. Johnson reports that the exhibit created a great deal of interest among visitors, being of a class that would have attracted attention anywhere.

In the Minnesota county groups, where it was necessary for three exhibitors from a county to show a total of 10 head, Pennington was awarded fourth place, winning over such well-known dairying communities as Goodhue county. Anoka county was second and Freeborn third.

An Excellent Showing.

In the three-year-old or over bull class there were five entries and the third place went to Robert's Boy of Minnesota (41524) owned by Mrs. H. C. Woolson. Albert Johnson was awarded third in a class of five entries on his senior yearling bull, Burr Oaks May King (61770.)

Cows Score High.

Perhaps the best and most important showing was made by the famous cow, Cifs (45096,) shown in the mature class and owned by F. B. Conklin. This fine animal was awarded second place in 19 entries. In the same class fourth prize was taken by Imported Myra of Oakley (73,781,) owned by Albert Johnson.

There were seven entries of cows three years old and under four, F. B. Conklin winning fourth place on Governor's Lady of the North (80688.) On cows two years old and under three, Cif's Pearl (90009,) owned by F. B. Conklin, was awarded first place. Mr. Conklin also won fourth place in 13 entries in the junior heifer division, his exhibit being Cherub's Diamond of Chippewa (108-538.) There were 22 entries in the senior calf class, in which Mr. Johnson won seventh position with Noble's Valentine of Burr Oaks.

Produce of cow—11 entries, in which Mr. Johnson's Imperial Brickfield Pride (31972) won the fourth Minnesota and fifth open dam, Mr. Conklin's Cifs was put in sixth place.

Was First State Showing.

While some of these cattle have heretofore been exhibited at county fairs in both this and neighboring states, it is the first time they have entered into competition at the state fair. The showing made is so unusual as to prove greatly encouraging to the owners as well as to the Pennington County Bankers association, which assumed all of the expense in sending the exhibit to the fair.

EASTERN MARSHALL ASKS FOR RAILROAD

Delegates From Grygla Country and Western Beltrami Hold Meeting at Bemidji.

The Bemidji Sentinel gives the following account of a meeting held in that city for the purpose of discussing the possibility of the construction of a railroad from Grygla to Bemidji:

"Residents of the Grygla country on the west side of Red lake want a railroad, and at the annual meeting of the Red Lake Northern Railway and Construction company of this city, which was held Tuesday evening, a petition was read which had been signed by about 200 farmers of the Grygla territory, asking that a railroad be built from that territory to Bemidji that they might have an outlet.

"The petition of the Grygla people is a part of a concentrated effort of citizens throughout the northwestern part of the state who want part of the Red Lake Indian reservation opened for settlement and a railroad built from Bemidji into the great agricultural territory west of Red lake. The opening of this part of the reservation would mean that a railroad could be constructed which would pass through this region and would develop the great territory west of Red lake. On account of the present situation in the Red lake reservation the construction of a railroad from Bemidji to the territory west of Red lake is not likely, as it would have to pass through a large area of lands which are sparsely populated and which will not be developed unless they are thrown open to homemakers.

"At the meeting Tuesday evening the Red Lake Northern Railway and Construction company elected the following as directors: J. J. Opsahl, Leo Opsahl, John Moberg of Bemidji, and A. J. Anderson and Oscar Peterson of Grygla. J. J. Opsahl was named as president, Leo Opsahl as secretary and John Moberg as treasurer. A delegation of nine citizens of Grygla village and surrounding country was present at the meeting and presented the petition setting forth the desirability of opening up and developing the Red lake reservation, the drainage of lands near Red lake and the necessity of providing transportation from the Grygla country. The delegation was composed of Guy N. Potter, J. R. Brown, A. O. Findeland, E. M. Mussey, J. U. Taylor, J. T. Peterson, L. J. Bressley, Gilbert Benson and J. P. Wilson.

"The people of the Grygla country are anxious to secure a direct route to the Twin ports of Duluth and Superior and they believe that a railroad through the Red Lake reservation to Bemidji would take care of their needs. The Grygla Commercial club is co-operating with the citizens of the entire territory west of the lake and throughout northwestern Minnesota, petitions are being circulated which will be sent to Congressmen Halvor Steenerson and Harold Knutson asking for the opening of the Red Lake reservation.

"In speaking of the railroad situation, J. J. Opsahl, head of the Red Lake Northern Railway and Construction company, says that the president of the main railway systems passing through Bemidji has assured him that as soon as the Red Lake development project is well under way and that the road can be made a paying proposition that his company will be interested in building a line through the Grygla country from Bemidji."

NATIONAL MAGAZINE COMMENDS PLAN OF LOCAL MERCHANTS

Two Pages in National Retail Clothier Devoted to Write-up of Market Day.

"The September issue of the National Retail Clothier, a publication issued in the interests of retail merchants, contains a two-page write-up of the market day campaign of the Thief River Falls Merchants association. Two of the pages used by the association in The Times are reproduced and the idea in general is reviewed and very favorably commented on by the publication. Particular mention is made of the evident spirit of co-operation that exists among the local business men.

Inasmuch as the National Retail Clothier has a large circulation going to every part of the United States, this city will naturally derive benefit and receive much favorable comment as a result of this highly desirable publicity.

SCHOOLS OPEN WITH LARGE ENROLLMENT

Records For Opening Day Show 1369 Pupils Registered in Grades and High School.

The doors of the Thief River Falls public schools swung open last week for the usual nine months' term, after three months of vacation. Everything was in spick and span condition, the schools having undergone a complete cleaning and repairing during the summer months.

School Opening Facts.

The total registration for the five city schools on the opening day was 1369, an increase over the opening date last year. There are 63 "baby" beginners.

The enrollment in the various buildings is as follows: Knox, 247; Central, 195; Northrop, 323, Washington, 219; Lincoln, 322. There are 53 instructors in the schools besides Supt. Simley.

All of the rooms and the high school are comfortably filled and more pupils are arriving every day as the fall work on the farms is completed.

Superintendent Well Pleased.

Supt. Simley and the principals of the various schools have been busy outlining the programs for the first semester and everything is now running like clock-work. The new superintendent expresses himself as exceedingly well pleased with the enthusiasm shown by the teachers in their work and the excellent spirit of co-operation that prevails.

MORE BARGAINS THAN EVER FOR BIG MARKET DAY

Fourth Market Day in Thief River Falls is Set For Wednesday, September 28.

Special Bargains For Every Hour to Be New Feature of Merchants.

Coupons to Be Given With Purchases and Prize List Along Same Line as Before.

Wednesday, Sept. 28, has been designated by the Merchants association as the date for the fourth of the proposed series of market days to be sponsored by Thief River Falls business men during the summer and fall months. The first three have been such decided successes that it is the intention of the business men to continue the plan indefinitely, and the fourth big bargain day is scheduled to eclipse all previous efforts. Much valuable information has been gained from the first three events and this will be used to advantage in making the next one particularly attractive.

Bargain Attractions.

The basic idea underlying the whole undertaking is to draw trade to Thief River Falls and to prove to people in outlying districts that there is no need in sending away for goods which may be purchased to better advantage nearer home.

Visitors on the previous market days have found to their satisfaction that Thief River Falls merchants mean what they say when they advertise bargains. Local business men intend to go even further in the matter of price slashing on Sept. 28 and visitors that day will have the opportunity of a life time to secure reliable and seasonable goods at greatly reduced prices.

Special Hourly Bargains.

A new feature for Sept. 28 will be the giving of unusual bargains at specified hours throughout the entire day. A number of the business houses will co-operate in this new feature and each place will have some extra special bargain for one hour. With about ten business places participating in this feature, these special bargains will be found at some place for every hour of the day.

Coupons will be given on cash purchases along the same lines as at the last market day and a large list of prizes is being prepared for distribution. The Times next week will carry complete announcements concerning every detail of the big bargain day. The paper will be found a useful aid in locating special offers and also in obtaining necessary information concerning special events.

"FLYING FROLIC" AT LOCAL FAIR GROUNDS

Airplane Stunts and Auto Polo Will Provide Entertainment Saturday Afternoon.

What is termed as a "Flying Frolic" is to be staged at the fair grounds in Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon of this week. Airplane thrills and auto polo are scheduled to give the spectators an afternoon of real entertainment.

State Fair Attractions.

The promoters state that the feature attractions to appear here are some of the same that were at the state fair. "Daredevil Blackstone," advertised as "Locklear's only successor," is featured as a headliner. He will perform such stunts while in the air as standing on the upper wing while making a loop, hanging by his teeth and feet from a rope ladder beneath his plane, walking to the edge of the wings without the use of straps or hand-holds. Another feature will be a parachute leap from an airplane while traveling at the rate of 100 miles per hour.

Auto Polo.

Spectacular games of auto polo will be played between crack army and navy teams. This sport proved a great attraction at the county fair last month and it will undoubtedly prove a good drawing card for the event this Saturday.

ANNUAL MEETING OF FAIR ASSOCIATION

To Be Held at Commercial Club Rooms on Monday Evening, September 26th.

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Agricultural society will be held at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening, Sept. 26.

The report of the officers for the past year's activities will be received at that time and officers for the ensuing year will be elected. There will also be a general discussion of the progress made by the association and plans will be made for next year's fair, and the dates upon which it will be held decided upon.

ity News

ner Tandberg and sister, Miss 's, left Sunday evening for St. college at Northfield, to re- their studies.

E. Tawney of Winona called on ds here yesterday morning on ay to Roseau and Greenbush to after business interests.

. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston re- d Monday morning from Min- olis, where they had spent sev- days at the state fair.

UR ATTENTION is called to adv. elsewhere in this issue; it pay you to read it. Thief River Club, 102-Main Ave. S. s15

nest Zeh left Tuesday morning Forest River for Grand Forks, e he spent a day visiting friends. eturned yesterday morning.

me in and pick out your fall ent, and we will hang it away you are ready to wear it, pay- or it in several payments. SA- 'S.—s-15

. and Mrs. Arthur Simonson of er spent the first of the week ng at the home of the latter's ts, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rup- t.

. and Mrs. Albert Carlson and children left Monday evening Minneapolis, where they will re- for several days with relatives friends.

. and Mrs. Obert Volden left rday night for Erskine, where will spend several days visiting ives.

ss Eleanor Fosse arrived Satur- from El Paso, Texas, and will d the winter months with her and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert son.

. and Mrs. E. Webb of Chis- visited with friends here and at er the latter part of last week te to Winnipeg for a visit.

r. and Mrs. Peter Bakken and daughters of Erskine were visi- and shoppers here on Monday.

d Jopprue, Tom Senum and Ar- Senum, all of Holt, were in the over the week-end visiting with ds.

A. Hall, Jr., returned the first e week from Minneapolis, where ad spent a week attending the fair.

OU CANNOT AFFORD to throw good clothes when by sending n to us for cleaning and repair- they will be made to last an- reason. Thief River Dress Club, Main Ave. S. s15

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, who attended a meeting of the state executive board of the Auxiliary of the American Legion and also a conference of social workers, held at Hibbing from Sept. 10 to 13, returned to this city yesterday morning.

Miss Ruby Anderson, who had spent the summer visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, will leave this week for Oberlin, Ohio, to resume her studies at Oberlin college.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Poston and daughter, Mary, left on Monday for Minneapolis, where Miss Mary will continue her studies at Hamline university. Mr. and Mrs. Poston will spend some time visiting relatives. The trip was made by car.

Having secured the agency for the "Spirella" corset and taken a course in corsetry, I am ready to take orders. Also World's Star Knitting company underwear and hosiery for men, women and children. Mrs. P. L. Gray, Phone 325.—S-15

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Von Rohr of Roseau and Mr. and Mrs. J. Von Rohr of Greenbush were visitors in the city on Friday enroute from Winona, where they had attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John VonRohr.

Miss Ruth Sandstrom, who was formerly employed at the Benson store here and later taking a similar position at Plummer, has returned to the city and is now employed as a clerk in the J. C. Penney store.

Mrs. E. A. Johnson arrived yesterday morning from Minneapolis, where she had been visiting relatives for several days, and left on the Great Northern for her home at Holt. While here she was the guest of Mrs. O. E. Hegland.

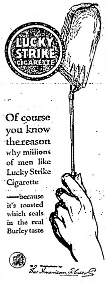
LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE
Of course you know the reason why millions of men like Lucky Strike Cigarette
—because it's toasted which seals in the real Burley taste
The American Tobacco Co.

ANY "FOLLOWING HE $UCCE$$FUL"

Knowing that hundreds of suc- ful business men and prominent kers were trained at Dakota iness College, it is no wonder ambitious boys and girls flock to model school at Fargo, N. D.

Good positions are usually ready new graduates. Edw. Krag was ntly employed by W. J. Lane l Estate Co., Miss Fanny Hess e 18th D. B. C. graduate with tol & Sweet Wholesale House.

"Follow the $ucce$$ful" now at opening of Fall School. Write L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front Fargo, N. D.

Furniture of Quality

When you purchase an article at this store you may rest assured that it is of standard make and the highest quality as concerns materials and workmanship.

WE ARE COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHERS

And our line of Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, Ranges and other household necessities is the finest to be found anywhere. Our prices are always right.

This is the season when stoves particularly interest the householder. We are prepared to furnish either heaters or ranges of the highest grade from the stock now on hand and a guarantee accompanies the purchase in every case. Come in if there is anything in this line you are in need of. We know we have what you want at the price you expect to pay.

Larson Furniture Co.

Featuring Fall Economies

At the J. C. Penney Company Store

The Store Where You Profit Most by Paying Less

Our Enormous Cash Purchasing Power for 312 Stores in 26 States
Enables Us to Supply You With Merchandise of Merit
at Prices That Mean Positive Savings

New Dress Fabrics For Fall

All the Wanted Weaves and Autumn Colors. Silks—Crepes—Taffetas

Our full assortment of Fall Dress Materials is now ready for your selection. It includes new and fashionable weaves and patterns, and a color range that features every new and desirable shade.

Bosseler Crepe	$2.69
Charmeuse Satin	$2.43
Tricollette, new shades	$1.85
XX J. C. Penney Co. Satin	$1.98
54 Inch All Wool Serge	$2.25
54 Inch All Wool Flannel	$1.98
Cotton Back Plaids	98c
Cotton Plaids, fine for school dresses, etc.	19c 29c 33c

Provide for Tomorrow's Needs by the Early Purchase of Warm Bedding B-l-a-n-k-e-t-s-!

Housewives will welcome this good news of our special purchase of warm blankets. A wide selection awaits them of plain and plaided styles in a pleasing assortment of colors.

Nashua Woolnap Plaid Blankets

60 x 80	$3.98
72 x 80	$4.50
72 x 84	$4.98
Crib Blankets	$1.25
Cotton Blankets, grey or tan, 72 x 80	$2.25
Bed Comforts, stitched, large size	$2.98 and $3.98
Heavy Camp Blankets, khaki or grey	$2.9

36 in. Bleached Muslin	10c
Hope Muslin	15c
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting	39c
42 in. Pillow Tubing	39c
Manchester Percales	17c
Red Rose Ginghams	19c
American Prints	10c
Apron Ginghams	12c
33 in. Romper Cloth	25c
Serpentine Crepe	29c
Duckling Fleece	23c
Canton Flannel	15c
Art Ticking	39c
A. C. A. Ticking	22c
220 Blue Denim	22c
Crash Toweling	19c
Linen Crash Toweling	25c
Boottee Absorbent Toweling	18c
Boottee Absorbent Towels, 18x36	23c
Huck Toweling	15c
19x35 Huck Towels	19c
Renfrew Table Damask	75c
Mercerized Table Damask	69c
Meritas Oilcloth	35c
Shelf Oilcloth	10c
Crown Window Shades	49c

Dresses $9.90 to $29.75

Tricotine, Satin, Charmeuse, Crepe Satin

These attractive Dresses show all the new Fall embroideries and braided designs. They exhibit the new bell sleeves; trimmings of fringe or beads or finishing of lace. All the new popular colors are featured including many models in all black, the most favored of the season's modes.

Other Fall Apparel that meets the needs of all the family is now ready for your approval and selection at prices that meet both your desire for quality and economy.

New Guimp Dresses $6.90

Curtain Goods

Sectional Net	$2.49 and $2.69
Filet Nets	69c to $2.25
Bordered Scrim	19c to 4
Fisher Curtain Swiss	39c
Rajah Terry Cloth	98
Arcola Drapery	89c

New Flowered Cretonnes
19c 22c 29c 39c 49c

Hosiery

Ladies' Silk Hose	98c
Ladies' Lisle Hose	39c
Mercerized Cotton Hose	25c
Cotton Hose	10c
Girls' Lisle Hose	39c
Girls' Rib Cotton Hose	25c
Boys' Rib Cotton Hose	25c

Flannel Gowns

Ladies' Flannel Gowns
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THIEF RIVER FALLS

ty News

Ted Tandberg of Goodridge the city on Monday attending ping. She returned to her n Tuesday morning.

Coats? SAPERO'S is a regu- recht Fur shop this fall. Get r coat from a reliable firm—

Thora Bergland had as her over Sunday Misses Amanda gnes Skomedahl of Silverton sses Thora and Helga Moe of

Elmer Gore of Stephen ar- last evening for a visit with ther, Mrs. Anna Wedmer, and ter, Mrs. M. O. Bakken.

Harriet Wedmer of Drayton, arrived Tuesday and is a guest home of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. . Miss Wedmer will spend inter here and will begin a in nursing at the local hos-

in Rolf of Jacksonville, Fla., last week visiting at the home and Mrs. M. O. Bakken; leav- r the South on Saturday eve- Mr. Rolf is a brother-in-law s. Bakken.

fall suits speak for themselves it comes to style and price. RO'S, of course.—s-15

. Viola Hummel and Miss yn Rolf, who had spent two visiting at the home of Mr. rs. M. O. Bakken, returned to homes in Minneapolis Saturday

. C. E. Peterson of Minneapolis d last evening to spend several as the guest of Mrs. G. C. er.

C. Streeter returned last eve- from Minneapolis, where he had a day attending to business af-

you know that SAPERO'S car- e best standard advertised lines e market—such as PRINTZESS and Suits, GOSSARD Corsets, SER Hose and Underwear, IRE- D Gloves?—s-15

l Kretzschmar arrived this ng from Minneapolis for a visit his mother, Mrs. Anna Kretz- ar.

in Holzknecht, who accompa- the Penney family on an auto to Minneapolis and Duluth, re- d this morning.

, yes, have you heard about the coats that are actually GUAR- EED for two years? These anted plush coats can only be ht at SAPERO'S.—s-15

e Misses Ruth and Nina Severt- left Friday evening for Thief r Falls, where they will attend l this winter.—Clearbrook Lead-

. and Mrs. Knu Jevne autoed to f River Falls Monday, where the r went to consult a doctor.— theona Star.

r little coats for girls, ages 2 4, are darling, and they, too, are easonably priced. Come into SA- O'S and see for yourself.—s-15

Mr. and Mrs. John Larson and Mrs. Matt Henrickson left Wednesday for Thief River Falls.—Baudette Region.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tanem are the proud parents of a daughter born to them last Friday.—Baudette Region. Mr. and Mrs. Tanem formerly resided in this city.

J. J. Hoglin of Alvarado was in the city on Saturday visiting with friends and attending to business affairs.

Henry Johnson came down from Badger on Saturday to attend to business affairs and also visit with friends.

O. H. Anfinson of Baudette spent a few days the first of the week in the city on business matters.

Baker Olson of Grygla spent Sunday here visiting with friends.

Hans Christianson and Martin Olson, both of Williams, were business callers here on Monday.

C. L. Hansen returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where he had spent a few days attending the state fair and looking after business matters.

C. H. Nordby took his wife and daughter to Thief River Falls by car last Friday, from which place the latter two went to the Twin Cities to attend the state fair. While at Thief River Falls he took the opportunity of having some dental work done.—Strathcona Star.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson, who is teaching at Erskine, arrived Friday evening and visited over Sunday with her parents.

Miss Tilda Brandrud left Saturday morning for Roseau, where she will teach in a rural school.

Mr. and Mrs. James Willner, who had spent several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn, returned by car to their home in Minneapolis the latter part of last week.

Lynn Lawton, civil engineer in connection with the paving project, returned the first of the week after an absence of two weeks, which was spent visiting his parents in Minneapolis.

K. A. Sundahl, manager of the Northwestern Auto company, is attending to business matters at several North Dakota points this week.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney and sons, Arthur and Jordan, returned this morning from an auto trip to Minneapolis and Duluth.

Misses Inez Johnson and Theone Walker left this morning for Baudette, where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dybvik until Monday. Miss Walker and Mrs. Dybvik are sisters.

Gust Gulseth and family of Thief River Falls autoed through here last Saturday on their way to Benwood, to visit at the home of his cousin, Alex Gulseth.—Strathcona Star.

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Thief River Falls, Minnesota

A. Tousley, who had spent the summer in the city, left yesterday for Duluth to spend a few days before going to Minneapolis to attend the University. Mr. Tousley is a brother of Mrs. C. E. Boughton, Jr., of Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whitman of Palisade are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Whitman near Steiner. They spent a few days the latter part of last week in this city visiting numerous friends. Mrs. Whitman will be remembered by many as Miss Vulda Cheeley. This is their first visit here since their removal twelve years ago.

Miss Josephine McClelland arrived here on Monday afternoon for a several days' visit with Miss Alice Bugge before leaving for Grand Forks, where she will be employed.

Does your little girl need a new sweater for school and play wear? We have them for $1.95 special at Sapero's.—s-15

Mrs. H. L. Schuster and daughter, who had spent three weeks visiting with relatives and friends at points in South Dakota and southern Minnesota, returned home this week.

Miss Lila Schuster left last week for St. Hilaire, where she has accepted a position to teach the third and fourth grades this year.

L. R. Johnston returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis, where he had been on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Harrison Dunlap of Grand Forks, who until his resignation recently represented the International Harvester company, with headquarters in this city, left Tuesday for Minneapolis, where he has accepted a position as sales manager for the Minneapolis Motor Truck company.

Mr. and Mrs. Amund Edmundson of Garretson, S. D., who had spent some time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Klungness, returned to their home on Tuesday. Mrs. Edmundson is an aunt of Mrs. Klungness.

Clarence Hesby left Tuesday afternoon for Neilsville, where he will be employed this fall.

Misses Tillie Flom and Anna Rud left Tuesday afternoon for Climax, where they have secured employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rausch returned this week from Austin, where they had visited a sister of the former, and McIntyre, Ia., where they visited the former's niece. Returning they attended the state fair.

Misses Lena Evenson and Gladys Anderson, who had spent several days attending the state fair, returned the first of the week.

L. Jacobson and O. H. Hanson of Gonvick made a business trip to this city on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Torkelson of Trail visited with friends here the first of the week.

A. Sunsten of Roseau was in the city on Monday attending to matters of business.

Thos. Majeres came up from Crookston on Monday and spent a short time between trains visiting friends. Mr. Majeres, who for three years has been employed as dispatcher at Crookston, left Tuesday night for Calgary, near which place he will be engaged in similar work.

Miss Gladys Grindeland of Warren visited with friends here between trains on Monday. She left in the evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. A. L. E. Walgren, who had spent three weeks here visiting her mother, Mrs. H. A., Brumund, returned to her home at Minneapolis on Saturday night.

Mrs. A. A. Thoreson returned on Tuesday from Clearbrook, where she had spent a couple of days visiting friends.

Miss Emily Fossum, who had spent three weeks visiting friends and relatives at Sioux Falls and Watertown, S. D., returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Farr, Jr., and son arrived Saturday morning from Grand Forks for a visit at the home of Mr. Farr's parents.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughter, Miss Olive, of St. Hilaire, were here between trains on Saturday attending to shopping.

Robt. McGinn and L. A. Lampert left Friday evening for the Twin Cities on a business trip.

P. W. Roark, who had spent a few days at Pine River on business, returned home on Saturday.

Julien Provencher left the latter part of last week for Dickinson, N. D., where he will spend several days looking after his farm interests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Enos of Minneapolis arrived the first of the week and will spend two months in the city while Mr. Enos attends to matters in connection with the paving.

Misses Lucille Benson and Ada Pratt, both of Decorah, Iowa, were in the city on Friday visiting friends.

Theo. Prichard will leave next week for Minneapolis to enter upon his Freshman year at the university.

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Mrs. Floyd Torgerson of Henning spent a couple of days the latter part of last week visiting friends here.

Chas. Hart, manager of a large department store at Long Prairie, accompanied by his wife and other relatives, visited the Loken department store on Monday, leaving with many new ideas for window decorating. They are making the trip by car, returning to their home by way of International Falls and Bemidji.

A. Overmoe, J. Overmoe, Josephina Overmoe and Agnes Klette, all of Hillsboro, N. D., arrived by car on Friday and visited with friends for a brief period.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Mebastad and Miss Alma Mebastad, all of Barnesville, were visitors in the city the latter part of last week.

Mrs. L. M. Norby and Geo. M. Norby of Barnesville spent a couple of days the latter part of last week visiting with local friends.

Mrs. Chas. Solberg, accompanied by Miss Ida Nelson, both of Mayville, N. D., were visitors and shoppers here on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Farr, Jr., and little son left Monday morning for Gatzke, where they will spend a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Farr's parents.

Chas. Munn returned Monday from Crookston, where he had made an over-Sunday visit with his folks.

Misses Hazel and Esther Lunsetter, accompanied by their brother, arrived here by car on Monday from their home at Gatzke. Miss Esther remained to take up her studies in the Sophomore year in the local high school.

Miss Irene Malberg of Steiner was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday attending to shopping.

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Mrs. O. H. Nelson will leave this week for Minneapolis to remain for some time on a visit to her daughters, Misses Amy and Gladys, who are employed there. Miss Amy has resumed her duties as teacher in a rural school near Minneapolis, and Miss Gladys will continue her studies at McPhail this winter.

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DEMONSTRATION OF ROAD MACHINE HERE

C. Gustafson & Son Will Show Advantages of Avery "Road Razer" in City Monday.

On Sept. 19, the Avery One-Man "Road Razer" will be publicly demonstrated on the streets of Thief River Falls for the benefit of all those interested in good roads.

C. Gustafson & Son, who have the sale of this wonderful machine, in telling of the work it does, said: "The Avery One-Man 'Road-Razer' is the best, most economical motor road maintaining machine that has yet been made for shaving rough roads smooth. It operates more easily and quickly, cuts more smoothly and does better work in less time than horse drawn outfits.

"By its use country roads and city streets can be kept smooth and in the best possible condition at all times.

"It is also an especially ideal machine where the road patrol system of continuous maintenance is in operation—a system which because of its merits is rapidly coming into use.

"With an Avery One-Man 'Road Razer' or motor road patrol, as it is sometimes called, you can accomplish for dollars the same work that will cost hundreds later. If the machine is used on the roads after each rain as it should be when the roads are in proper condition for maintaining, an immense saving can be effected each year in the cost of road work. And not only that, the farmers and the tax payers will get the real worth of their money for they will have a 'twelve months in the year' road at a minimum expense.

"The Avery One-Man 'Road Razer' will cover miles of country road or city streets in a day. Cutting off bumps and ridges here, shaving off high places there, and filling in the low places everywhere, it leaves behind it a smoothly finished road, all ready for traffic.

"The use of this machine is a real economy because of its greater speed and because it replaces two or three teams of horses and two or three men. It is operated by one man; any man capable of driving an automobile can, without previous experience, operate it successfully. The operator sits at the rear of the machine, the blade is in front and below him so that sitting in a comfortable and natural position, he can see exactly what work is being done.

"The blade attachment is swung at an angle beneath the machine on a subframe bolted to the main frame. The blade, made in three sections, is adjustable both to the curvature of the road and the depth of the cut. Springs are used at either end of the blade to absorb any shocks which might occur when the outfit is working on extremely rough, rutty roads or streets.

"This machine," says Mr. Gustafson, "may also be used for hauling loaded wagons, scrapers and other road machines used in highway maintenance. And it can be equipped with a belt pulley for operating a small rock crusher or other belt machines if desired."

The demonstration will be on Sept. 19, and all good roads boosters are invited.

We will eventually have all hard roads, but our job and the farmer's job is to boost the continuous system or road patrol maintenance to make our dirt roads twelve-months-in-the year roads.

50 NEW CREAMERIES JOIN CENTRAL BODY

Solid Organization in Twenty Counties Predicted Within Three Weeks.

Every co-operative creamery in at least 20 Minnesota dairying counties will be a member of the new state marketing and service association within the next three weeks, officers of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation predicted this week.

The farm bureau federation announced that every co-operative creamery in Mille Lacs and Brown counties had joined the central agency. In Pine county every co-operative creamery but one has joined, and many other counties are close to the 100 per cent mark, the federation said. One hundred and fifty creameries already are members of the central body.

"The Minnesota Co-operative Creameries Association, Inc., was organized to serve all the co-operative creameries in the state," H. B. Nickerson, president, said. "The time is coming when every co-operative creamery will be a member. The expense of maintaining a central service organization and terminal marketing agencies, as well as the cost of operation for the individual creamery, will decrease as the membership of the state organization increases."

POINTERS FOR THE HUNTING SEASON

Would Be Good Plan to Cut This Out and Paste in Your Hat—Season Open 16th.

This is the time of the year when the local nimrods are displaying interest in the open hunting season. New guns and hunting equipment are being purchased and old ones repaired and put in readiness for the annual hunt. Great air castles are builded and strings of ducks and chickens pass by the mental vision of the sportsmen varying in numbers in accordance with the enthusiasm of the individual hunter. Probably some will get out only a day or two during the season but the same plans are made, and the same amount of equipment purchased, as would be necessary if they were to be out every day in the season. In fact it looks as if the anticipation of what might happen brought about as much enjoyment as the actual time spent in the field.

The open season on prairie chickens this fall runs from Sept. 16 to October 1. Nine birds may be taken in a day but 18 birds is the full season limit. Ducks, coots and geese may be shot from September 16 to December 31. The day limits are 15 ducks and coots and 5 geese. The aggregate limit you may have in your possession is 45, of which not more than 5 shall be wild geese. Quail may be taken from October 15 to November 30, with 10 a day's limit and 30 for the season. Partridges cannot be taken this fall, the season being closed on this game bird until October 15, 1922. Squirrels may be killed after October 15, snowshoe rabbits also being protected until that date. Hunters must remember that it is unlawful to enter into any growing grain or to allow their hunting dog to do so, without permission of the land owner, and also that it is unlawful to hunt on the land of another after having been notified not to do so. Deer may be taken this year between Nov. 10 and Nov. 20 only, under practically the same other conditions as heretofore, except that a metal tag, to be furnished by the county auditor at a cost of 25c, must be attached to big game carcasses. The tag will be furnished with each license issued.

Young Duluth Pianist Scores Hit.

Recuperating from a strenuous season of study with Heniot Levy, the noted piano instructor of Chicago, Wyman Horr, whose professional name is Wyman Horr Carey, is home in Duluth for a rest.

Duluth has had every confidence in his future success, and it appears from his progress in Chicago that the confidence has not been misplaced.

His teacher, with whom he will continue to study another year before going abroad, expects much of him, and he has scored successes in several affairs. Notably he was accompanist on several occasions for Louis Kreidler, baritone, of the Chicago Opera company, and Mr. Kreidler urged him to continue in this capacity.

He was on the faculty of the Brail School of Music, in Kimball Hall, Chicago. He also won first scholarship out of a picked class of 12 musicians and refused two flattering offers to instruct in a well known institution as he desires to continue his own study before taking up work. Mr. Horr has appeared in concert in Kimball Hall and other places, with marked success.

Concerning a recent performance at a large event in Chicago, the Music News says of him: "He played with assurance, musicianship and style."—Duluth Herald.

Wyman Horr Carey is a nephew of Mrs. W. J. LaBree of this city and will be remembered as he played before two large gatherings under the auspices of the local Woman's club in 1919.

Picnic Postponed.

The picnic which was to have been given by the Maccabees has been postponed on account of weather conditions.

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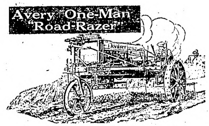

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Society

Afternoon Party.

Honoring her mother-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Ross of Minneapolis, who is a guest at the Ross home, Mrs. R. H. Ross entertained a number of ladies Saturday afternoon.

Ladies' Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mrs. Trine Aalberg and Mrs. I. Hall on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 21, in the basement of the church.

Reception For Teachers.

The board of education is making plans for a reception for the teachers to be given at the auditorium tomorrow evening. A short program will be rendered, followed by light refreshments. Parents of the district are invited to be present to become acquainted with the entire teaching staff.

Picnic.

A company of young folks from this city, chaperoned by Miss Lola Jubb, enjoyed a picnic on the road to Rosewood Monday evening. The party included Misses Rose and Amy Severson, Elsie Sundahl, Anna Majeres, Julia Brudvick, Alice Berg, and Messrs. L. Webster, Norden Legvold, Victor Norquist, John Mattson, Milton Lund and Francis Robinson.

"Kids'" Party.

This item is a special invitation to all Legion and ex-service men to attend the "kids'" party next Tuesday evening, Sept. 20, at the Masonic hall to be given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion. Plans are under way for an evening of real fun and it is hoped there will be a large attendance. All men are expected to come dressed so as to appear under the age of 16 years.

Birthday Anniversary.

Little Helen Antoinette Granum celebrated her third birthday anniversary by having a party at her home on Saturday afternoon. The little tots were entertained with various games and at five o'clock a birthday supper was served. Those present were Martha Storholm, Norman Noel, Malcolm Magnuson, Celesto Crown, Bernice and Margaret Granum, Irwin Vigen and Dayton Le Sage.

Winslow Chapter Meets.

The regular meeting of the Winslow chapter of the Eastern Star was held last evening at the Masonic hall. Owing to the fact that the interior of the lodge rooms was being redecorated, the assemblage took place in the club rooms, which afforded a very comfortable and cozy meeting place. A delightful social time followed the regular business session. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Trinity Luther League.

The Young Peoples Society of the Trinity Lutheran church will be entertained Thursday evening, Sept. 15, by Mesdames Martin Evenson, Ed. Ness and Ed. Larson. The following program will be rendered: Hymn, scripture reading and prayer; hymn, instrumental duet, Pearl Weeks and Lorraine Crandall; vocal solo, Reuben Teslow; address, H. O. Chommie; piano solo, Mildred Engen; vocal solo, Miss Brown.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid Society in church parlors Thursday afternoon, Sept. 15, entertained by Mrs. Carl Hillard, Mrs. J. T. Neseth, Mrs. P. A. Kolden and Mrs. Knute Melby. Young People's League in the evening, entertained by Mrs. Martin Evenson, Mrs. Ed. Ness and Mrs. Ed. Larson. Confirmation class meets on Saturday at 10 a. m. in the church basement. Divine services in English on Sunday at 11 a. m. Vocal duet. In Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school at 10 a. m. No service next Sunday. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Subject: "The Personality of the Holy Spirit." Job 14:26; 16:13. St. Hilaire next Sunday: Service at Black River next Sunday at 11 a. m. and at St. Hilaire at 3 p. m. All cordially invited.

Methodist Episcopal Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—The pastor will occupy the pulpit at 11 a. m., and Dr. Jenkins, the area secretary for the Centenary fund, will preach in the evening at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and Epworth League at 7 p. m. The newly organized male quartette will sing at both morning and evening services.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sept. 18: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., morning worship; 8 p. m., evening worship. The young people's choir provides music for both services. C. E. at 7 p. m. "Sins of the Tongue." The Women's Missionary Society meets on Friday, Sept. 16, with Mrs. E. M. Schutt, 211 Markley avenue south. Oct. 2 will be Rally Day for the Sunday school.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Evangelistic meetings Friday, Saturday and Sunday all day. Four young men from Minneapolis will sing and preach. Offering will be taken up on Sunday. In Goodridge on Monday, all day. In Rindal church, Rosewood, Tuesday and Wednesday, all day. Zion Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, entertained by Mrs. M. M. Johnson. Zion Y. P. S. will meet Thursday evening, entertained by Grace Skramstad and Borghild Wollen. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. A new confirmation class will start Saturday, the 24th at 2 p. m., in the church basement.

Obituary

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On Sept. 12 in this city occurred the death of Almar Lien from tuberculosis, at the age of 17 years, two months and 27 days. He was the son of Marius Lien, residing on a farm near Newfolden. Burial was made at the Bethesda cemetery.

City News

Elmer Smith of Lancaster was a visitor here over Sunday.

Fred Hoyez of Warroad is in the city this week visiting friends.

Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie was a visitor and shopper in this city on Monday.

LOST—Ring engraved with letter S. Finder please return to this office. 32

Rufus Barackman left the first of the week for Minneapolis to resume his studies at Macalester college.

Miss Lillie Gale returned to her home at Red Lake Falls yesterday after spending a week in this city.

Miss Dora Knott of Red Lake Falls arrived yesterday morning and will be employed here during the winter.

Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Sabo of Mavie spent Monday in the city visiting friends and attending to shopping.

Our chappie coats are so smart looking and, oh, so very warm! Don't wait too long before getting yours at SAPERO'S.—s-15

If you rest you rust. Keep going by attending Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for our beautifully illustrated catalog.

J. J. Richter returned Tuesday from Melrose, Minn., where he had been to attend the funeral of his father, who died last Wednesday. Mr. Richter's father was one of the old settlers of Melrose, having located there in 1869.

Clayton Olson and J. O'Gorman, both of Argyle, motored to this city Monday evening and visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Swanson are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby boy at their home Wednesday morning.

John Sorenson, Joel Shoberg, Serine Tanem and Esther Leyden were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Tanem at Esplee on Sunday.

REDUCED PRICES on dry cleaning suits, overcoats, etc. Read our adv. elsewhere in this issue. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Avenue South. s15

Harold Smithers will leave next week for Minneapolis, where he will enter the Freshman year at the university. He was graduated from the local high school this spring.

Do you need a dress for business wear, school wear, or social affairs? Whatever your need, you'll be pleased with our beautiful assortment and, oh, they are so reasonably priced. Where? SAPERO'S!—s-15

Miss Nellie Farmelo, who had spent the summer visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. H. C. Durrin, returned last week to her home in Minneapolis. She was accompanied by her aunt, who remained for a visit.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher, accompanied by Mrs. Gay Halvorson, Miss Doris Halvorson and Miss Meta Kiland, drove to Red Lake Falls Friday evening, where Mrs. Fisher and Miss Halvorson appeared in concert. The performance was of high order and was given before a large and appreciative audience. On Sept. 30 the Halvorson-Fisher company will appear at Bemidji.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health Is Worth Saving, and Some Thief River Falls People Know How to Save It.

Many Thief River Falls people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health—the slightest delay is dangerous. Use Doan's Kidney Pills a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers. Here is a Thief River Falls citizen's recommendation.

Ed. Stukke, prop. of shoe repair shop, First St., E., Thief River Falls, says: "My kidneys weren't acting just right, due to sitting for such long spells at my work. There was a dull, steady pain across my back and I tired easily. My kidneys were disordered and I was troubled by their weakness. The timely use of Doan's Kidney Pills checked the trouble and made me feel fine again, so I gladly recommend Doan's."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Spofford
OPTOMETRIST

will make regular visits to Thief River Falls as usual during the coming fall, winter and spring. Watch for dates later.

We wish to announce also that we have installed lens-grinding machinery at the Long Prairie office and can make most lenses in a few hours. Send us your broken glasses for quick repairs.

CUT FLOWERS, PLANTS and SEEDS
with a REPUTATION
Supplied to the Great Northwest
DULUTH FLORAL CO.
Duluth, Minn.
Extra Value in Emblems and Sprays for Funerals

BOTTEM HARWARE CO.
"The Winchester Store"
Hardware and Coal
Phone 23

Men's Tailoring for Fall

You are invited to inspect our new shipment of fine tailoring fabrics, just received from the mills.

Every cloth which is in good style is here —1000 of 'em—from the hard worsted to the soft-surfaced Tweed. Overcoatings, too, many with snappy plaid backs.

Every garment is strictly tailored to your order.

Cleaning and Pressing Neatly and Promptly Done.
We Always Lead in Low Prices.

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Ladies' and Gents' Tailors

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You will be money ahead by marketing your supply now. Do not wait for the entire crop to be dumped on the market. Sell now and get the top price. See us before selling.

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You've Struck it Right when you Light a CAMEL

Your taste will tell you that! For Camels have the flavor and fragrance of choicest tobaccos, perfectly blended. They're smooth and mellow-mild.

And there's NO CIGARETTY AFTER-TASTE.

We put the utmost quality into this one brand! Camels are as good as it's possible for skill, money and lifelong knowledge of fine tobaccos to make a cigarette.

That's why Camels are THE QUALITY CIGARETTE.

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TURKISH & DOMESTIC BLEND

R. J. REYNOLDS Tobacco Co.
Winston-Salem, N. C.

Camel

...ks as if Some Leaked Across. ...e Baudette Region tells of a half ...n dollars worth of liquor they ...rying to smuggle across from ...y River to Baudette, and in the ... column Editor Noonan tells of ...g a man in Baudette the other evening who was over eight feet tall and weighs six or seven hundred pounds. What do you make of it, Watson?—Shakopee Tribune.

Mrs. C. H. Norby of Strathcona attended to shopping here on Saturday.

NORTHERN MINNESOTA FAIR AT BEMIDJI
SEPTEMBER 20-21-22-23
BIG PROGRAMS EVERY DAY

BIG FLYING CIRCUS
Daring Aviators defy death in many thrilling acts thousands of feet above the earth. Loop-the-Loop, Barrel Roll, Tail Spin, Changing Planes, Wing Walking and Spiral Dive, concluding with sensational Parachute Jump.

VAUDEVILLE ACTS
Clever Vaudeville in front of the Grandstand every afternoon and evening.

FASHION DISPLAY
Thirty-five Young Ladies and nine Young Men in nightly Pageant, displaying costumes valued at $30,000.

FAST RACING EVENTS
A large string of Fast Horses in speedy events. Motorcycles, Running Horses and Sprinters take part in the race program.

FIVE BRASS BANDS
[illegible] ...ng and evening by outside bands from Gonvick, [illegible] ...ack and Kelliher. Afternoon program by Juvenile Band, an[illegible] ...ning program by Bemidji Union Band.

AUTO POLO GAMES
...to Polo each afternoon and evening in front of Grand-

LIVE STOCK SHOW
One hundred and fifty head of the most valuable Cattle in Northern Minnesota will be on display.

MANY AMUSEMENTS
Merry-Go-Round, Ocean Wave, booths of various kinds, refreshment stands and industrial displays with valuable souvenirs, will aid in providing plenty of entertainment.

SPECIAL RAILROAD RATES OF A FARE-AND-A-HALF GRANTED BY ALL ROADS GOOD FROM SEPT. 19 UNTIL SEPT. 25

Keep Plenty of Our Milk

in the refrigerator. You'll have abundant use for it for drinking, for baking, for making all kinds of sauces, custards, etc. You'll find our milk gives a fine flavor to everything in which it enters. It is far richer than ordinary milk, though it costs no more. Better have us commence serving you today.

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...ssified Want Ads

FOR SALE

...OR SALE—Buick auto for sale; 5 ...nger, model K45, year 1920. Scarce... Rear tires almost new, front ...s in fair condition, also 2 new Good...r cord tires, never been used. Equip... with a front Diamond bumper and ...t light. Car has had the best of ...e and is in number one shape. Can ...seen at the Brooks garage, Brooks, ...n. Price $1250. Mrs. F. J. Deyno... Brooks, Minn. 32

...OR SALE—Good milch cow, coming ...h soon. F. M. Klein, Rt. 1, Box 24, ...Hilaire. 33p

...OR SALE ... auto trailer in first ... condit... with complete camping ...it, two ... and mattresses, table, ... box. W... sale price $325.00, will ... for $150.0... Rev. T. E. Sweger, 211 ...race Ave. N. 32tf

...OR SALE—Six room house with three ...woodshed and garage. Ole Lia... 510 State Ave. N. 35p

...OR SALE—Monitor hard coal base ...ner, No. 318, 16-in. base, good as ... Emil Just, St. Hilaire, Minn. 35p

...OR SALE at a bargain or for rent, ... acres of land, nine-room house, full ...sement, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, ...ry bushes, strawberries, and several ...r buildings. Inquire Times office. 32tf

~~...OR SALE—Good 7-room house.~~ En... ...re 811 Knight Ave. N. 31tf

...OR SALE—800 bu. early oats at 35c ... bu. C. G. Garten, Box 1021, Thief ...er Falls. 33p

...OR SALE—Barn and lot. Enquire ... Main Ave. N. 34p

...OR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large ...-room house, four lots. Small pay...t down, balance small monthly pay... Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
...ctor outfit, consisting of Mo... ...or with extension lugs and ...ring device and clutch belt pulley; 3 ...m LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift ... 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. ... & O. brush breaker, also tanks and ...cks, all complete and in first-class ...ing order. This is a snap at a rea...able price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

...OUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, ... Horace avenue north. 4tf

...OR SALE—On easy terms, three ...ellings, two of them modern. Also ...iness property on LaBree Ave. C. W. ...rachek. 13tf

...R SALE—Auto tires and tubes, ... sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bar... Also auto trailer and paints and ...nish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

...E SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES— ...o, tractors, residence, merchandise, ... income, hotels, etc., to exchange for ...thwestern Minnesota farm lands. See ... Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River ... Minn. 4tf

...R SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of ...argo 1 ...ners. 27tf

...OR SALE CHEAP—Five passenger ...tomobile. In excellent running order. ...ed Protz, 201 Conely Ave. So. 30tf

...OR SALE—Fordson tractor and plow, ...irly new. Box 1021 Thief River Falls. 31p

...R SALE—One 18-in. hard coal stove ...-in. Round Oak stove. Call ... or at 710 Horace Ave. N. 33p

...R SALE—Seasoned poplar cord ... Write Nick Kolland, Strathcona. 32p

...R SALE—Large hard coal heater. ... Hendry, 321 Red Lake Blvd. 32

...R SALE—Ford touring car with ...rter. Will sell cheap if taken at ... J. C. Fournier, Rty. Route 1. 32p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 21tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

WANTED TO BUY—Threshing separator, 22-inch cylinder. Kotlan Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 25tf

FOR RENT

ROOMS FOR RENT—423 Main Ave. N. Mrs. Carl Sondreal. 31

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home. 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 596. 32

FOR RENT—One nice bedroom for one or two men or boys, with use of front ~~room. Inquire of J. L. Hoen.~~ 29tf

FOR RENT—Farm 8 miles east of Thief River Falls on State road. Well improved. Known as Aug. Lautenbach place. Capt. A. Hovland, Thief River Falls, Phone 313-J. 27tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FOR RENT—Modern room. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms, 502 Bridge St. 30tf

WANTED TO RENT—Piano, by responsible party. Apply at The Times office. 32

FOR RENT—Fine steam heated office room at Loken's Harness Shop. 32p

FOR RENT—Good barn for one team, by Halvor Loken. 32p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. Phone 321 or address P. O. Box 717, Thief River Falls. 32

WANTED—Good washwoman to work for family of three. Call 447-M. 32p

MISCELLANEOUS

EXCELLENT ROOM for storing piano. Will be well taken care of. Apply at The Times. 32

TO TRADE—For Hardware stock, improved farm, 6 miles N. E. of city. Farmers' Co-operative Land Co. 29tf

TO EXCHANGE—We have good Montana farms (with oil and mineral rights) to exchange for Minnesota land. What have you? Sollerud Land Co., Scandia Block. 35p

WANTED—To hear from parties who want to sell their lands. Give full particulars relative to distance to market, buildings, price, etc. Address Box 21, Cedar Falls, Iowa. 37p

CLERKS, 18 upwards, for Postal Mail Service. $120 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 139 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 33p

ROSEWOOD

Surprised on 65th Birthday.

In commemoration of her 65th birthday, Mrs. T. Mellem was the guest of honor at a birthday surprise party staged at her home last Monday evening, when about fifty of her friends and neighbors met and helped her to celebrate the event. The party was arranged chiefly through the efforts of Mrs. John Ranum, and a small sum of money donated by each partaker was presented to Mrs. Mellem, together with hearty congratulations. The ladies brought with them materials for a dainty luncheon, and the evening was very pleasantly passed in a social way. Among outsiders present were Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard and two sons from Viking and Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Nelson and family from Anita.

School Opens at Rosebank.

An eight months term of public school was opened at Rosebank last Tuesday morning with Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen from Anita as teacher. An enrollment of over twenty is reported so far and the total enrollment this winter will be about 35. Some new playground equipment has been installed and the term has every indication of being a success.

A two days' campaign of Norwegian religious meetings will open at the Rindal church on Tuesday, Sept. 20, opening at 10 a. m. the first day and continuing with three services daily over the 21st. Speakers H. P. Halvorson, John Peterson, Christian Olson and Thor Quambeck will be present and in addition good music will be furnished. Everybody is invited.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid had their monthly meeting, with good attendance, at the home of Mrs. K. Ranum on Tuesday afternoon.

Twenty-six head of cattle belonging to Dick Hall strayed last Sunday and were gone until Tuesday, when they were located near the Pembina trail west of Viking. Looks as if they were heading for the county seat, possibly to join the farm bureau in the praiseworthy attempt of raising their market value a trifle.

Confirmation services were held at Rindal last Sunday forenoon when five pupils, James Hasby, Julia Axelson, Gunda Mattson, and Bella and Oel Jarshaw were confirmed. Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls conducted the ceremony, which was largely attended despite the rainy weather.

L. L. Furan, Nonpartisan organizer for Marshall county, returned on Saturday from Grygla and Esplee, where he had spent a week at organizing work.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Aos and three children and Mrs. Ena Thompson of Gully and Ole Aos from Hazel spent Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson on their return trip from Greenbush, where they all had spent Sunday visiting at the John Aos home.

Nels Holm from Flom and N. C. Holm and Lars Jensen from Twin Valley were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm.

Mrs. Eva Carlson returned on Saturday evening in company with the Peter Stromberg family from Thief River Falls, where she had spent a week with relatives.

Violet and Willard Furan came home from Anita last Sunday after spending a few weeks at the Rudolph Sagmoen home.

School will open at the Willowdale school south of town on Monday, Sept. 26. Miss Ella Fellman from Thief River Falls will teach.

Mrs. Anton Gulbseth returned on Friday evening from Kelliher, where she had spent a week visiting her sisters, Mesdames E. and O. Eggen.

Miss Tena Westby came home last Sunday from Goodridge, where she had spent a month doing housekeeping for her brothers, Iver and Martin Westby. The boys accompanied her home and visited at home during the afternoon.

John Cormican arrived on Friday evening from Stephen and will visit and attend to business with the Sam Hasby folks for some time.

Albert Hellquist was down in his car from Newfolden last Monday on some business with the Hellquist Brothers here.

Joseph A. Whitmark came up on Wednesday from Thief River Falls to visit with Ingrid Nordhagen and Ella Nelson.

Miss Pearl Mellem went to Viking on Tuesday morning to spend a few days attending to shopping and visiting with friends.

Oliver Sjolsvold went to Stephen on Tuesday to be employed for some time at threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Blomberg and family and Mrs. Betsey Blomberg of Crookston spent Labor Day here as guests of the Emil Blomberg and Haugen families. Accompanying them home was Herman, eldest son of Mr. Blomberg, who had spent a part of his vacation with the Haugen families and now went to resume his school work.

Miss Lyda Batten went to Thief River Falls last Sunday after spending her vacation with home folks and will now renew her teaching duties at the Central school.

Miss Gladys Swenson spent Sunday at Norden as the guest of Miss Annie Blomberg.

The Carl Stromberg family of Dakota Junction spent Labor Day with relatives in town.

The Victor Mosbeck family moved last week from the Lars Lee farm to the old Ole Alby place, which they will occupy the coming winter.

Benhard Ranum returned from the cities on Thursday and reports a fairly satisfactory return from the carload of stock he accompanied.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson and Grain Buyer James Thompson spent Thursday afternoon on business in Thief River Falls.

Art Olson of Viking was in town briefly on Friday evening enroute to Thief River Falls.

Work on the state road one and one-half miles north of town is progressing rapidly and will soon connect from west with the road in north and south from here.

John Sorenson, Joel E. Shoberg, Serine Tanem and "Bud" Leyden motored to Beltrami county last Sunday, where they spent the day visiting with Miss Tanem's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Tanem.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. John Phillips accompanied her daughter, Edna, to Thief River Falls on Monday, where the latter will attend high school.

Mrs. John Aundahl visited at her parental home on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Boyce visited with Miss Bernice Strubble one day last week.

Mrs. Overby was a Mavie caller on Monday of last week.

Henry and Salve Tharaldson were callers at the O. G. Tharaldson home one evening this week.

Miss Hattie Klockman, who is employed in Thief River Falls, was a caller at her parental home on Tuesday.

Miss Stella Phillips visited with Hannah Weber on Tuesday.

Miss Esther Bendickson, accompanied by Mrs. Hans Dahl, transacted business at Mavie on Monday.

STEINER

The Steiner school opened Monday morning for an eight months term, with Miss Mabel Shefland as teacher.

S. R. Rogers and sons are back finishing their threshing in this community.

Paul Koglin called at the Slack home last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Gorman of Grand Forks is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Austonson are entertaining Mr. Austonson's sister and a friend from Minneapolis. They arrived Tuesday noon and expect to go to Canada to visit with Miss Austonson's parents.

John Riedl was in Thief River Falls one day last week.

Gus Hillyer, Edgar Ufer and Mr. Quammen called at the Riedl home Sunday.

Carl Steiner transacted business at Holt on Monday.

Mrs. Muzzy transacted business at Steiner on Tuesday.

Martin Kirch made a business trip to Holt on Sunday.

Willis Warring was shopping last Thursday at Steiner.

Ernest Slack spent Sunday evening at the Koglin home.

Louis Meyers was a Thief River Falls business caller Monday.

Dan Dowacter's team ran away on Tuesday while he was helping Aug. Koglin thresh, being scared by Emmons Rogers' automobile.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.32
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.27
Oats	.21
Flax	1.84
Barley	.37
Rye	.85
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.50
Cracked Corn	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	[illegible]
POULTRY	
Geese	.09
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.11
Turkeys, alive	.18
Spring Chickens	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.22
Dairy Butter	.30
[illegible]	.40
Creamery Butter	.41
Cow hides, per lb.	.02-.07
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August D. Schneider, a single man, Mortgagor, to Continental Land Company, (a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of October, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 232.

And Whereas, The said Continental Land Company, the Mortgagee and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Ninety-six and 41-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1196.41 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 13, A. D. 1921.
CONTINENTAL LAND COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
S-15-22-29-O-6-13-20

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.
In Bankruptcy.
In the matter of Frank Hakomaki, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Frank Hakomaki of Hazel, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1921, the above named Frank Hakomaki was duly adjudicated a bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the city of Crookston, in the county of Polk, in said district, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated September 8, 1921.
OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
S-15

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.
In the Matter of Johan B. Sture, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Johan B. Sture, of Silverton Township, in the County of Pennington in said District, Bankrupt, whose post office address is Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Kratka Route.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1921, the above named Johan B. Sture was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the city of Crookston, in the county of Polk, in said district, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend and prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated September 8th, 1921.
OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
S-15

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Tollef Loyland and Tina Loyland, his wife, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 25th day of January, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 425.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, by written assignment dated the 15th day of December, 1917, and duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 6th day of September, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages on Page [illegible]

Whereas, the said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of Three Hundred Fifty-eight and 28-100 Dollars, as follows: [illegible]

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Sixteen (16) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 22nd day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $358.28, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 7th, 1921.
FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
S-8-15-22-29-O-6-13

BIDS WANTED

The board of directors of the St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association, St. Hilaire, Minn., will receive bids for the second-hand creamery equipment listed below, at the time of meeting of the Board at 1:00 p. m., Monday, Sept. 19, 1921:

One 20 h. p. Cry. Pkg. horizontal tubular boiler.
One 12 h. p. Mankato steam engine.
One "Bulldozer" geared, belt driven pump head, deep or shallow.
One [illegible] galvanized tank.
One 7 h. p. Aloen pump for deep or shallow well.
One [illegible] Bohn refrigerator.
Frame building, size 20x30, 10 ft. posts, 30 feet [illegible] hangers for same.

Certified check for 5 per cent of bid. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

ST. HILAIRE CO-OP. CRY. ASSN.,
F. S. Erdman, Sec.
S-8-15

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Eight hundred fifty-one and 75-100 ($1851.75) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 19th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at 3:00 o'clock p. m., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 94, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz.:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of September, 1921, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1851.75 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 9th, A. D. 1921.
HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A-11-18-25 S-1-8-15

PUBLIC AUCTION

The undersigned will sell at public auction at his residence at 522 Main Ave. North, on the corner of Main Ave. and Sixth Street, on

Wednesday, September 21
at 1:00 o'clock p. m., the following property:

One good milch cow, part Guernsey, fresh July 1.	Two rockers.
Twenty chickens.	One Davis sewing machine.
One 2-seated canopy top buggy.	One rug, size 9x12.
About 40 bu. potatoes.	Three iron bed steads.
Some vegetables.	Three dressers.
About 4 tons timothy and alfalfa hay	One wash stand.
One sideboard.	One kitchen cabinet.
One writing desk and book case.	One ice box.
One library table.	Two kitchen tables.
One dining room table.	One Quick-Meal range.
Three dining room chairs.	One 3-burner oil stove with oven.
One leather couch.	And other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under $10, cash; over that amount bankable paper due in one year.

I also offer my house for rent. Will give immediate possession.

Ole Flattum
Owner
W. J. LaBree, Auct. Citizens State Bank, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction on my farm, the southeast quarter of section 34, town of Kratka, 10 miles due east of Hazel, north of state highway, on

Thursday, September 22
Commencing at 11 a. m.

Cattle and Horses	Machinery, Etc.
One red cow, 4 years old, fresh.	One Deering binder, 7 ft. cut, new.
One spotted cow, 8 years old, fresh in October.	One McCormick hay rake, 10 ft.
One red cow, 7 years old, fresh in October.	One John Deere gang, 14 in.
One black cow, 6 years old, fresh in November.	Two wide tire wagons with racks.
One spotted cow, 7 years old, fresh in December.	One wide tire wagon with double box.
One red cow, 4 years old, fresh in December.	One single buggy.
One spotted cow, 5 years old, fresh in December.	One 4-horse drag.
One red cow, 5 years old, fresh in December.	One manure spreader box.
One roan cow, 5 years old, fresh in January.	One 14 disc.
One roan cow, 4 years old, fresh in January.	One potato planter.
Two red heifers.	One Galloway cream separator, 750 lb. capacity.
One red bull, 3 years old.	One grindstone.
Two red bulls, 2 years old.	One Deering mower, 5 ft. cut.
Four steers, 3 years old.	One Champion mower, 4½ ft. cut.
Four calves, 1 year old.	One John Deere sulky plow, 14 in., with attachments.
Eleven calves.	One cutter.
One roan horse, 9 years old, wt. 1400.	One Kover spring tooth harrow.
One roan mare, 5 years old, wt. 1350.	One set bob sleighs.
One black horse, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1400.	One 18 disc Van Brunt drill.
One bay horse, 9 years old, wt. 1350.	One John Deere cultivator, new.
One black mare, 4 yrs. old, wt. 1350.	One John Deere 16 in. prairie breaker
One set brass trimmed harness.	One 10 gal. cream can.
One set harness, complete.	One 16 gauge shot gun.
One set harness, complete.	Blacksmith tools and carpenter tools.
One single harness.	One Ford touring car, 1919 model.
	Some hay.
	Fifty chickens and eleven geese.
	Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under, cash; on sums over that amount time will be given until October 1, 1922, on bankable paper.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

Dreng Roisland, Owner
W. J. LaBree, Auct. Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Clerk.

AUCTION SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on my farm, the southwest quarter of Section 21, Township of Highlanding, at Highlanding, Minn., six miles south of Goodridge, on

Friday, September 23, 1921
at 11 o'clock a. m.

One bay gelding, 6 years old, weight 1300 lbs.	Three high grade Holstein bull calves, 6 months old.
One bay mare, 10 years old, wt. 1300.	62 Head sheep.
One well matched team sorrel geldings, 4 and 5 years old, wt. about 2600 lbs.	One 5-10 Avery tractor.
One high grade Holstein bull, 3 years old.	One 20 single disc Monitor drill.
One high grade Holstein cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh in January.	One 18 single disc Thomas drill.
One high grade Holstein cow, 7 yrs. old, was fresh in July.	One Deering mower.
One high grade Holstein cow, 6 yrs. old, was fresh in July.	One Deering hay rake.
One high grade Holstein cow, 9 yrs. old, fresh in January.	One disc harrow, 14 discs.
One high grade Holstein cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh in December.	One potato digger.
One high grade Holstein cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in January.	One 14 in. Emerson gang plow.
One high grade Holstein cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh in December.	One potato cutter.
One Guernsey cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in December.	One 5-section Boss harrow.
One high grade Holstein heifer, 2½ yrs. old, fresh in January.	One Columbia wide tire wagon, nearly new.
One high grade Holstein heifer, 2½ yrs. old, fresh in January.	One Deere & Weber wide tire wagon, nearly new.
Two high grade Holstein heifers, 1½ yrs. old.	One double wagon box with spring seat.
Four high grade Holstein heifer calves, 6 months old.	Two hay racks.
	Two bob sleighs.
	One single buggy.
	One cutter.
	Three sets work harness.
	One single harness.
	One new 500-egg Queen incubator.
	One No. 3 Primrose cream separator, nearly new.
	200 Bushels oats.
	Some wild hay.
	Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—All sums under $10, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1922.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

William Korstad, Owner
W. J. LaBree, Auct. Citizens State Bank, Clerk.

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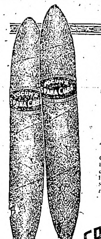

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ASK ROAD FUNDS TO HIRE MEN NOW IDLE

Highway Officials of Several States Plan Fall and Winter Operations.

In a nation-wide movement to relieve the unemployment situation, reported to be steadily growing more serious, by continuing extensive highway work during the fall and winter months, Charles M. Babcock, a state highway commissioner, this week issued a statement asking for the active co-operation of the public spirited men and women of Minnesota.

Both individually and through organizations, citizens are requested to petition their representatives in congress to double the 1921 federal highway aid appropriation to enable the state departments to enlarge the plans and meet the emergency. Like appeals for public co-operation are being made by highway executives in other states, it was announced, in an effort to register public sentiment on this important subject before congress.

Herbert C. Hoover, former food administrator and now secretary of commerce, recently urged state highway departments to push plans toward employing maximum numbers of workmen and preventing a winter of want for their families. Later he was directed by President Harding to arrange a national conference on the unemployment situation.

Anticipating that Secretary Hoover's proposal to continue public road operations will feature the conference findings and appreciating the need for funds, the state highway officials are campaigning to impress congress with the necessity of passing the desired legislation.

To emphasize the serious aspect of the matter, Commissioner Babcock pointed out that although lumbering and other like industries in Minnesota this winter will afford little employment, the pending proposal in congress is for a federal highway aid reduction of 25 per cent, which would cut the Minnesota apportionment to $2,120,000.

"The public apparently is looking to state and other public departments to take the lead in this important matter," Commissioner Babcock said of the winter highway employment plan. "Much road work can be done with economy and to advantage during cold weather, and the highway officials of the several states are uniting in an effort to do their part.

"Several hundred men of families will be employed on Minnesota highways this fall and winter if funds are available. The highway department some time ago made plans in that direction, expecting that at least the usual $2,840,000 apportionment of federal aid would be forthcoming and that it would be able to anticipate the collection of state funds.

"In spite of the unemployment situation and the public demand for highway improvements adapted to winter construction, however, advices from Washington were that a 25 per cent reduction in federal aid was proposed.

"Then this movement to obtain necessary funds was decided upon. Relying on the public to assist and believing that members of congress will realize the far-reaching effect of the relief plan, we are hopeful of the result.

"But the *first essential* is the prompt co-operation of every good citizen."

The commissioner said that a postal card giving brief reference to the unemployment situation and the fact that public necessity demands highway facilities much more adequate than are now provided, over the constituent's signature will answer so far as individuals are concerned but that a mighty flood of such petitions is expected. A suggestion was advanced that the appeals should be mailed to reach Washington just after Sept. 26, the end of the recess by congress.

Civic, commercial, farm labor and other organizations are expected to send resolutions to the same effect to senators and representatives from their respective districts. Stress was laid on the announcement that, because of the cry for economy and reduction of public expenditures a strong showing must be made.

"The highway officials believe that this movement is of such importance that it will rekindle the war-time spirit and being a ready response from all public-spirited citizens, men and women, housewives and all interested in public welfare and appreciative of the value of good roads," said the Minnesota commissioner.

New Produce Concern.

The Standard Produce company of Minneapolis has opened a place in this city, with C. Christenson as manager. They are occupying the building just north of the court house on Main avenue, formerly used by the Thief River Hide and Fur company. Mr. Christenson has a large acquaintance in the country tributary to Thief River Falls, which will be a decided asset to him in his new position.

Takes New Partner.

N. Reiter, formerly of Grand Forks, a tailor of many years experience in the making of garments for both ladies and gentlemen, has associated himself with Erling Dahl in the Kleanall establishment and will have charge of the tailoring department. Mr. Reiter is a high class workman and will add popularity and business to the place.

City News

Roy Flattum left by car Monday morning with some household goods for Northfield, where the family will take up its residence. Mr. and Mrs. Flattum will follow later. Roy was accompanied as far as Minneapolis by Leland Sether, who has secured a position as soloist in one of the leading theatres at Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. A. Anderson of Crookston, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Rose Anderson of Chicago and Miss Marian Engebretson of Nashwauk, a niece of the latter, returned the latter part of last week to Crookston after a brief visit at the home of Mrs. Anderson's daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Our coats selling for $16.50, $19.75, $22.50, $25.00 and other popular prices can't be beat anywhere in town. Also our 10 per cent off for cash makes them all the cheaper.—SAPERO'S.—s-15

Cancer in Lead as Cause of Deaths in Minnesota

Cancer has succeeded tuberculosis as the greatest curse in Minnesota and is the only important disease which is increasing year by year in the state, it was shown in the report of Dr. A. J. Chesley, executive agent of the state board of health on deaths from all causes in the state.

There were 2,285 deaths from cancer during the fiscal year ending July 1, and 2,054 during the corresponding period last year, Dr. Chesley announced. There were only 1,846 deaths from tuberculosis this year as against 1,861 last year.

Suicide is in the decrease with 252 in the last year and 315 the year before. There were 66 murders as compared with 72 the year before.

The automobile claimed 178 victims this year against 171 in 1919-20. In 1918, the fiscal year before prohibition went into general effect, there were 183 from this cause, although there were far fewer automobiles. In 1911, ten years ago, there were 23 deaths from this cause.

Fatal accidents of all kinds resulted in 1,444 deaths this year against 1,493 in 1919-20.

THREE MORE.

Mr. Clarence Thompson, Thelma Mork and Vera Urdahl were offered positions yesterday by Aaker's Business College, Grand Forks, N. D., showing the demand for trained help. A training in 20th Century Bookkeeping, Gregg Shorthand, Salesmanship, and Business Organization at the A. B. C. opens the door to first class positions. For free catalog write your

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STRONG UNDERTONE IN LAMB TRADING

Prices $1 to $1.25 Above Recent Low Spot—Cattle Trade Mostly Steady.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates and Minnesota Department of Agriculture.)

Monday's Closing—Cattle 5,500. Market slow, beef steers steady to 25c lower, other cattle mostly steady. Calves 800. Market steady. Good to choice lights $9 to $11. Hogs 4,000. Market around 25c lower. Bulk $6.50 to $8.50, top $8.75. Sheep 3,500, market strong to 25c higher. Best native lambs $8. Good light and medium weight ewes $3.50 to $4.

South St. Paul, Sept. 12—With lamb values $1 to $1.25 above the recent low time a strong undertone prevails in the market and several traders feel that the season's low spot has been passed. Medium to good native lambs sold today at $7.75 to $8, with choice westerns quotable around $8.75 to $9. Choice feeding lambs brought $6.50. Better grade ewes went at $3.50 to $4.

Most markets had a considerable increase in cattle receipts today and local packer buyers were out to lower costs, but with a moderate Monday run and a fairly good country demand for stockers and feeders, met with little success, the general market being steady although spots in the beef steer trade looked weak to 25c lower. Well fatted dehorned Dakota steers of choice breeding averaging 1033 pounds sold to city butchers at $7.50, topping the market. Best horned rangers sold at $6.25 to $6.60, with bulk of beef steers at $5 to $6.25. Best heifers sold up to $6 or better, best load lot of Dakotas $5.40, and bulk of the butcher she stock $3.25 to $5. Canners and cutters went mainly from $2 to $3, bologna bulls $2.50 to $3.50. Good to choice light veal calves opened steady at $9 to $11, bulk under $10. Best heavy feeders selling to $6.50, bulk of this class going from $5 to $6. More desirable stock steers sold from $5.25 to $5.50 or better, bulk $1 to $5.

Poultry Wanted

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CHARTER NO. 5901. RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 9
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT THIEF RIVER FALLS, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON SEPT. 6, 1921.

Resources.

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts	$575,320.80	
Total loans		575,320.80
Overdrafts, unsecured		730.78
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value	$50,000.00	
All other United States Government Securities	107,000.00	
Total		157,000.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		17,139.85
Banking House, $50,500.00; Furniture and Fixtures, $10,180.37		60,680.37
Real estate owned other than banking house		10,191.55
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		29,978.52
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		30,743.85
Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9 or 10)		3,286.[illegible]
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13	$34,030.41	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		[illegible]
Total		$886,552.41

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in		$50,000.00
Surplus fund		25,000.00
Undivided profits	$17,304.04	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	$9,452.01	7,851.03
Circulation notes outstanding		49,000.00
Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Item 21 or 22)		32,676.31
Certified checks outstanding		100.00
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		11,337.84
Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25	$44,114.15	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		124,301.24
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		71,068.00
State, county or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank		6,708.85
Other demand deposits		152.42
Total demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31	$203,820.51	
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		372,701.71
Other time deposits		37,265.05
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, Items 32, 33, 34 and 35	$411,966.76	
United States deposits (other than postal savings) including War Loan deposit account and deposits of United States disbursing officers		[illegible]
[illegible]		[illegible]
Total		[illegible]

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

I, W. H. Akre, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. H. AKRE, [illegible]

Correct—Attest: [illegible]
C. L. HANSEN,
[illegible]
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of September, 1921.
[illegible]
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires [illegible]

AMUSEMENTS

At The Lyceum

William Russell
in
"The Iron Rider"
and a Big V Comedy
Matinee 2:30—6c and 15c

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Anita Stewart
—in—
"Sowing the Wind"

Also a Mack Sennett Comedy
Sunday Matinee 2:30—11c and 25c

TUESDAY
Wanda Hawley
In
"Miss Hobs"
Also a First National Kinogram and a Ford Educational

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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FOURTH MARKET DAY TO BE BEST OF WHOLE SERIES

Hour Special Feature to Make Liveliest Sale Event Conducted Up to Date.

Stores Employing Extra Help to Handle Crowd That is Sure to Be There.

List of Prizes Includes Large Number of Expensive and Useful Articles.

Wednesday, Sept. 28, is the date set for the next big market day in Thief River Falls. The stage is all set and the merchants are prepared with the largest and best stocks that the people of Northwestern Minnesota have ever had the opportunity to make selections from. Prices are down to bedrock and nothing can prevent this from being the most remarkable sales event ever staged in the Northwest.

Hour Specials a Feature.

Eighteen business houses are cooperating in a new feature that promises to be one of real merit. Each of the eighteen stores is offering some exceptional bargain for one hour only and in order to make it a real attraction, costs have been forgotten by the merchants. The public will do well to study these hour specials carefully, decide just what they want and be at the stores where it is offered at the appointed hour.

One hour is a very short period of time and the number of patrons that it will be possible for each store to accommodate will necessarily be limited. It will be strictly a case of "first come, first served."

Attractive Prize List.

Purchasers' coupons are to be given by all stores with cash sales on the same plan that was used at the last market day and a large list of attractive prizes has been arranged. All should see that they get their coupons, deposit them in the boxes provided at the First National and First and Peoples banks, and then be present at the First National bank corner when the prizes are awarded. Following is a list of the offerings:

Wilton rug, 9x12; chest Community silver, 26 pieces; pair shoes; Stetson hat; lady's handbag; Domestic clothes wringer; aluminum roaster; case tomatoes; thermos bottle; half dozen pair socks; suit wool underwear; case sugar corn; case Mason jars, two-quart size; 50 lb. sack Gold Medal flour; case prunes; Boston bag; casserole; case corn flakes; 2A Brownie kodak; man's shirt.

All should read very carefully every advertisement in this issue of The Times and be prepared to take advantage of the exceptional offerings of the merchants. The paper is filled with ads of merchants in all lines of business and no matter what you may be in need of you are almost certain to find it listed at a special price. Read the ads and be here next Wednesday.

Old Settler Dies.

Ole H. Brevik, pioneer resident, died on Wednesday, Sept. 14, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Olava Anderson, from a stroke of paralysis. Deceased had made his home with his daughter for the past 13 years.

Mr. Brevik was a man of exceptional physical strength, never having known a day of illness until three weeks before his death. He lived to the ripe old age of 89 years, 3 months and 14 days. He had resided in the district for many years. On his arrival from his birthplace at Romsdal, Norway, 40 years ago, he settled near Crookston. Some years later he homesteaded in the vicinity of Thief River Falls and resided on the farm until taking up his home with his daughter since the death of his wife 13 years ago.

Funeral services were held from the Zion Lutheran church on Sept. 16, with Rev. George Larson officiating. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

Deceased leaves to mourn his death three daughters and one grandson. They are Mrs. Thomas Kjorsvik of Drayton, N. D., Miss Bessie Brevik, of Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. Olava Anderson of this city, and Alf. Anderson, also of this city. Miss Bessie Brevik was unable to be present at the funeral.

FARMER FIRM GETS DOUBLE THE TRADE OF NEAREST RIVAL

Co-Operative Commission Company Handles 31,000 Head in First Four Weeks.

Marketing twice the quantity of livestock handled by any other commission firm at South St. Paul, the Central Co-operative Commission association has conducted its first four weeks of business at a cost of 45 ness, the farmer-owned company according to W. A. McKerrow, general manager.

The co-operative selling agency, backed by the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, is charging commission rates 25 per cent below prevailing rates, he said, and has been able to pay 20 per cent of its earnings into a reserve fund.

Records compiled by the state railroad and warehouse commission and the bureau of markets show that in its first four weeks of business per cent less than current charges, handled 31,634 head of livestock while its nearest competitor handled 15,327 head. Companies doing the next largest business in this period handled 12,710 and 10,914 head respectively.

One of the most important services furnished by the new organization, according to farm bureau officers, is the transfer of stockers and feeders direct from farmer to farmer at a minimum cost. In four weeks the firm shipped 63 carloads of stockers and feeders.

Gymnasium Opens Oct. 1.

Manager G. A. Fallness announces that the gymnasium in the basement of the Citizens bank building will be open for the season on Oct. 1. It is necessary that those wishing to enroll see Mr. Fallness at once as only a limited number can be accommodated.

Auto Race Driver Killed.

The Minneapolis Journal on Monday carried the following news article: "Cy Cobb, Minneapolis, widely known dirt track driver, was fatally injured in a race at Kansas City today when the steering wheel on his car broke and the machine plunged through a fence. Cobb, still grasping the steering wheel, was picked up forty feet away. He was rushed to a hospital, where he died an hour later." Cobb will be remembered by local people as having participated in the auto races at the Pennington County Fair in August.

LOCAL BOY HOLDS FINE POSITION WITH STANDARD OIL CO.

Jorgen O. Nomland Represents Concern in Central and South America.

Jorgen O. Nomland, son of Mrs. Marie Nomland of Rocksbury township, is spending the week here visiting his mother and sisters. He is now located at Ancon, Panama Canal Zone, from which place he goes to all parts of Central and South America in the interest of the Standard Oil company. His duties include the inspection and purchase of oil lands for the company, a position of great responsibility.

Mr. Nomland spent the early part of his life in this county on the farm of his parents in Rocksbury township. After completing his education in the schools here he attended the university of North Dakota, being enrolled at the same time that Senator O. A. Naplin was a student there. After graduating from that institution he attended the university of California, where he received his Ph. D. degree. He later entered the employ of the Standard Oil company and the responsible position he now holds with that concern identifies him as being highly successful.

KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH HOME TOWN

National "Subscribe to Home Town Paper Week" From November 7 to 12.

If everyone born and reared in this town had remained here to make his permanent home, we should be a city of many thousands more population than we now number.

On the other hand, cities and towns elsewhere that have attracted our youth would never have been founded, perhaps, and America would remain as it was in pioneer days—a great continent with a few scattered cities—all too large, all over-congested.

But the opportunity that calls men away from their native homes keeps the great movement alive, with the result that practically every corner of America has in it a representative of Thief River Falls.

However the home town always has its interest for the people who heeded the call to go elsewhere, and the news of its progress and the doings of its people is welcome news to the native and former resident, wherever he many now be located.

Correspondence, however faithful, cannot cover all the news and gossip, and seldom deals with more than family affairs. The perfect medium, of course, is the home town newspaper, which prints all the news of all the people. Some of these items, while of limited interest to you, might be of great interest to one away from home.

There is now a nation-wide movement on foot, sponsored by the National Editorial association and other agencies, in which this paper is taking part, looking to a stimulation of interest in the Home Town Paper.

To do our part, we are this week offering an extra copy of The Times to every subscriber with the request that he send it to a relative or friend out of town, with a special subscription blank which we will provide. This extra copy is free for the asking by writing or calling at this office. Or, if preferred, we will send free copies to such former residents as you may designate.

TRIBUNE'S SALE TO ST. PAUL MAN IS ANNOUNCED

J. S. Arneson, New Owner, to Take Possession of Plant October 1st.

Is Well Known Politician, Having Been Active in Recent State Administrations.

Was Engaged in Newspaper Work For Years Before Entering Political Life.

Announcement is made this week of the sale of The Tribune of this city to J. S. Arneson of St. Paul. The new owner will take possession of the plant Oct. 1. He comes to *Thief River Falls* to engage in the newspaper business after a number of years of active service in the political life of the state.

Well Known Politician.

Mr. Arneson is a politician well known throughout the state. He has for many years been closely identified with the state administration, having served in various capacities under Governors Eberhart, Burnquist and Preus. At the time of his retirement from active work at the capitol he was commissioner of immigration.

The last issue of The Tribune gives the following account of the change in ownership:

"A deal was consummated last Saturday afternoon whereby J. S. Arneson of St. Paul becomes the publisher and proprietor of The Tribune, possession to be given October 1st. Mr. Arneson is well acquainted in Thief River Falls and the news that he is to reside in this city will be received with pleasure by his many friends.

"Mr. Arneson is well and favorably known the state over. He has been engaged in newspaper work in Minnesota for several years past and also has been actively connected with affairs around the state capital for several years. He was formerly auditor of Grant county, this state, and served as immigration commissioner during the administration of Governor Burnquist. He also served as clerk of the house of representatives and was otherwise prominently connected with state administration affairs in a general way. During the recent presidential campaign Mr. Arneson was selected as one of the campaign managers for General Leonard Wood, who was considered excellent timber for the honor. During this time Mr. Arneson had charge of organization work in Minnesota, North and South Dakota. He also was right hand man in the Preus governorship campaign and was in this city when the keynote speech of the campaign was given last fall.

"Mr. Arneson is well acquainted among the newspaper men of the state and is rated a top-notcher among the pencil pushers. He has operated successfully several papers, both in the southern half of the state as well as the northern part. He formerly owned a newspaper at Chisholm and is by no means a stranger to this particular section of the state. He has many warm friends in this city who will be glad to know that he is soon to be numbered among the business men of the city.

"Mr. Arneson is a brother of Mrs. Lars H. Larson and coming to Thief River Falls will be a distinct pleasure for the Arneson family in many particulars."

ALL IMPROVEMENTS SHOW BIG DECLINE

Deflation Cuts Machinery Purchases, Handicaps Production, Survey Shows.

Sales of farm machinery have fallen 50 to 95 per cent below in Minnesota this year, and improvements on farms and farm homes have decreased "almost to nothing," the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation asserted this week, in announcing the results of a state-wide investigation into the effects of deflation on agricultural progress.

The federation's review of conditions as reflected in machinery purchases and improvements on Minnesota farms is based on reports from 69 farm bureaus. The reports of the county bureaus, federation officers said, were based on inspections of a majority of the farms in the counties reporting and on statements obtained from retail dealers in lumber, tile, fencing and farm machinery.

Three of the 69 counties placed purchases of farm machinery at 50 per cent of normal; the other 66 declared that decreased buying power had compelled farmers to reduce the machinery purchases to 25 or even 5 per cent of normal.

Only Koochiching and Mille Lacs counties estimated machinery sales as large as in normal times.

In 38 counties, the farm bureau reports predicted, inability to buy equipment will be a serious handicap in the planting and harvesting of next year's crop. "In many of the other counties farmers said the lack of new machinery would not hamper them because they are exchanging both machinery and labor, and repairing every serviceable bit of equipment with parts taken from castoff implements.

While five counties reported sales of farm machinery normal or at least 50 per cent of normal, not one county reported its farmers making usual repairs and improvements on their buildings. Reports from 11 counties estimate upkeep expenditures at more than half of normal; 50 report such expenditures are from 50 to 95 per cent less than normal.

"Decreases and increases in the purchase of the equipment necessary to produce crops, and in the upkeep of farm homes and farm buildings reflect the agricultural progress of the state as nothing else can," the federation said in announcing results of its investigation. "The fact that improvements on farm homes virtually have ceased, and that in half the counties of the state purchases of machinery have fallen off to a point where the efficiency of production is seriously threatened, is due solely to the absolute inability of the farmer to buy. The farmer will not *deliberately curtail production.* Reduced production, except in rare instances, means reduced income for the individual farmer. But unless the deflation that has brought the farmers' products to pre-war prices operate as effectively on the supplies the farmer must buy, he will be forced by economic processes over which he has no control, to produce less. That eventually means much higher prices for the consumer."

CREAMERY MEETING PLANNED AT HAZEL NEXT SATURDAY

Matters of Importance to All Interested in Dairy Development to Be Discussed.

A meeting of the patrons of the Hazel Co-operative Creamery and others interested in the dairy development of that community will be held at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 24.

This is a very important meeting for all the dairymen in the vicinity of Hazel. The by-laws will be re-adjusted so as to overcome some of the difficulties that have been encountered in the past. Outside speakers will be obtained so as to give an explanation of better dairying and better creamery practice in general. Everyone interested in the development of his own vicinity is invited to be present and boost for a better creamery.

PENNEY COMPANY STORES HOLDING DISTRICT MEETINGS

E. W. Hinrichs Left Last Evening For St. Paul to Attend Gathering of Managers.

The first of a series of sectional conventions of managers of the chain of J. C. Penney company stores was held in St. Louis on Sept. 16 and 17. Over a hundred managers were in attendance. Other conventions will follow at St. Paul on Sept. 23 and 23, Portland on Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, and Salt Lake City on Oct. 7 and 8.

Manager E. W. Hinrichs of the local J. C. Penney company store left last evening for St. Paul to attend the convention of managers from the stores in this section of the country.

Prevailing conditions as they are generally understood to exist are not reflected in the financial report of this nation-wide institution, which shows that for the first eight months of this year the gross receipts were $4,700,735.76 in excess of the figures for the corresponding period of last year.

President E. C. Sams attributes this increase largely to the fact that the public nowadays is shopping around and buying merchandise of quality at the lowest possible price, which condition makes doubly effective the heavy advertising campaign consistently carried on by the Penney company stores.

SCHOOL INSPECTOR TO HOLD SEVERAL COUNTY MEETINGS

Will be at Goodridge, Mavie and District No. 54 to Meet School Patrons.

The state consolidated school inspector will be here next week for the purpose of conducting meetings at several places in the county, according to information received today by County Superintendent George M. Gunderson.

All meetings will be held at eight o'clock in the evening. On Wednesday evening he will speak in the Aubol school in District No. 54. On Thursday evening a meeting will be held at Mavie and Friday evening at Goodridge. All interested in the school work are urged to attend these meetings.

NORTHWEST WILL ASK MILLIONS TO FINANCE FARMS

Farmers and Bankers Join in Plan to Popularize the Farm Mortgage.

Wall Street Financiers Will Be Asked to Enlist in the Movement.

Salvation of Entire Agricultural Industry Rests on Success of Campaign.

Attraction of millions of dollars from the investment funds of the nation into agriculture by restoration of the popularity of the farm mortgage as a sound and profitable form of investment, is to be undertaken in a nation-wide movement, decided on at a conference of bankers and Farm Bureau federation leaders at St. Paul yesterday.

Confronted by terse declarations from experts that the salvation of the agricultural industry rested largely on the re-establishment of confidence in capital investment in farm lands, representatives of the Minneapolis Federal Reserve bank, the St. Paul Land bank, and members of the banker-farmer committee of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation pledged their full support to the undertaking.

Wall street financiers, in close touch with the investment market, are to be asked to enlist in the movement. The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation will ask J. R. Howard, president of the National Farm Bureau federation, to present the matter to the larger investment houses in Wall street.

Crisis Declared Near.

With more than $100,000,000 of farm mortgages maturing annually in the Northwest, and with investors reluctant to reinvest in farm lands when industrial issues of securities may be purchased at enhanced rate, representatives of the Federal Reserve bank and the St. Paul Land bank asserted that a crisis in farm credits of a serious character had arisen.

Stimulation of the farm mortgage market, together with the aid to be offered by the War Finance corporation, will bring about an immeasurable amount of relief to farming and live stock interests in their need for more credit, bankers agreed.

"Talk that the farmer is broke is driving investments out of the Northwest," declared Roy A. Young, governor of the Federal Reserve bank. "We are constantly receiving inquiries at our bank as to the solvency of the Northwest farmers. What we need is a restoration of confidence."

Dark Picture Painted.

E. G. Quamme, president of the Federal Land bank, painted an extremely dark picture of the financial condition of agriculture. Mortgage companies, in operation for nearly a century, are finding it difficult to sell farm mortgages, he said. There are farmers, he said, who are having mortgages mature this year, and find it impossible to have them renewed.

That funds for loans in Minnesota will soon be available, as soon as the War Finance committe in the Northwest is fully organized, was the statement made by Robert E. McGregor, vice president of the Northwestern National bank and chairman of the Minnesota committee.

Mr. Quamme questioned the advisability of this credit extension from financial standpoint.

"The farmers have gone behind and have been unable to pay their bills, that's all there is to it," Mr. Quamme asserted.

"The impression has gone abroad that the farmer hasn't been extended enough money. I believe the trouble has been that the banks have extended too much money.

"The farmers are helplessly in debt. Easy credit has almost ruined our farmers. They need money, but they must get it from the raising of crops, and not by borrowing more money. The most damnable thing that has come into the Northwest is the inflation of land values. It will take three generations to live it down.

"You can't hope to make up the credit losses the farmers have sustained by credit. No credit scheme in the world can save the man who has involved himself so deeply in debt on his farm that he cannot pay interest and current expenses.

"The banks are the trustees of the earning power of a community. No bank should loan beyond the earning power of the community, a fact that is plainly shown by the deposits. To loan more than deposits warrant is to borrow on future earnings, and this will bring difficulties.

Caution By Banks.

"I believe that banks, knowing this, will proceed very cautiously in obligating themselves in loaning funds, supplied them by the War Finance corporation."

The farmer is in need of a form of credit that is unobtainable either through the Reserve system or the Federal Land bank, Mr. Young said.

"It would seem," he said, "that the plan of the War Finance corporation will supply the agricultural and live stock interests with the very form of credit the farmers need. I think the War Finance corporation is going to provide an immense amount of relief."

Thos. J. Meighen, president of the First National bank of Preston, a member of the Farm Bureau committee, said that the principal financial difficulty of the producer was that while he could obtain credit for the planting, raising and harvesting of his crops, he is pressed to liquidate as soon as the crop is harvested.

"The inevitable result," he said, "is to throw the whole crop onto the market at once, and put it into the hands of men who buy at depressed prices."

Points Brought Out.

Points brought out by Mr. MacGregor, in regard to the plan of the War Finance corporation for loaning money, were:

Rediscount loans will be made banks for strictly agriculture purposes.

Loans will be made to extend up to one year, with renewal privileges not to exceed three years.

Agricultural purposes are defined as involving the production and marketing of live stock and crops, and not for improvements.

Small loans of from $100 to $200 will receive as careful consideration as applications for several thousand dollars.

The War Finance corporation will not advance money to any bank in excess of the loans actually made by the bank for agricultural purposes.

Twin City bankers attending the conference, in addition to Mr. Young, Mr. Quamme and Mr. MacGregor, were Curtis L. Mosher, assistant Federal Reserve agent of the Minneapolis Federal reserve bank; A. O. Nelson, vice president of the First National bank, St. Paul; and John Regan, president of the Citizens National bank, St. Paul, both representing the St. Paul Clearing House association.

Volstead is Present.

Others who attended were N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture; Representatives Andrew Volstead and Frank Clague, and Harry MacGregor of the City National bank of Duluth, representing the Duluth Clearing House association.

The farmer-banker committee of the Farm Bureau federation, which called the conference, is made up of Timothy O'Connor, president of the O'Connor Brothers' State bank of Renville, chairman; J. P. Cooper, vice president of the Southern Minnesota Joint Stock Land bank of Redwood Falls; Thomas J. Meighen, president of the First National bank of Preston; Thomas Cashman of Owatonna, president of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' association; R. A. Wilkinson, Washington county director of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, and H. B. Nickerson of Elk River, president of the Minnesota Co-operative creameries association.

LIEBERMAN BROS. RAPIDLY DISPOSING OF CLOTHING STOCK

Owners Feel That Entire Stock Will Be Sold Much Sooner Than Anticipated.

Albert Lieberman, active manager of the Lieberman Brothers Clothing store, states that from present indications their entire stock will be disposed of much sooner than was anticipated when they first decided to discontinue business in Thief River Falls.

During the first two weeks of their sale they have sold a large amount of their merchandise and Mr. Lieberman feels that if weather continues favorable it will take only a short time to sell out the complete stock.

Mr. Lieberman is now making his plans for moving to California and says that inasmuch as he is to make his home in that state he is anxious to get out there before the real cold weather sets in here.

RURAL SCHOOLS WIN FINE PRIZE AWARDS AT MINNESOTA FAIR

School District No. 59 Captures Three Awards in Competitive Contests.

Superintendent Geo. M. Gunderson is well pleased over the showing made by some of the rural schools of the county with their exhibits at the state fair. The school exhibits made from this county made a remarkable showing and were the cause of much favorable comment. School District No. 59 was particularly fortunate in the drawing of prizes, having three to its credit as follows:

Tillie R. Fort of Erie, District No. 59, was awarded first prize for her booklet on bread making. Second prize for the best bird house was won by Louis Hruby of Erie and Kelvin Fjeld with his entry of a carved match box drew fifth prize.

There were a number of other successful prize winners from the schools of this county, a complete list of which will be available for the next issue of The Times.

Ernest Zeh and Leland Schuster spent the week-end on a hunting expedition in the region around Thief lake.

ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH OUTLINES WORK

New Officers Elected at Meeting Held at Farm Bureau Office on Thursday.

Nutritional Clinics to Be Held at Goodridge, St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls.

County Agent J. J. McCann to Have Charge of Sale of Red Cross Seals.

The Pennington County Public Health association held a meeting in the Farm Bureau office on Thursday, Sept. 15, to outline the work for the coming year. Officers elected were: President, W. W. Prichard, Sr.; first vice president, Mrs. J. J. Richter; second vice president, Mrs. Thos. A. Way; secretary, J. J. McCann; assistant secretary, George M. Gunderson; treasurer, Miss Effie Hamry; state director, Mrs. J. M. Bischop; seal sale director, J. J. McCann; assistant seal sale director, Miss Ruth Johnson.

Nutritional Clinics.

It was decided to hold a nutritional clinic in Goodridge on Sept. 28, St. Hilaire, Sept. 30, and Thief River Falls on Oct. 1. These dates were arranged with the Marshall county schedule so as to use the same director from headquarters in both counties. Children from Marshall county are welcome to attend the clinic both at Thief River Falls and Goodridge as their county is assisting with the arrangement. Nutritional clinics are for the purpose of finding cases of malnutrition among children who are under weight. Children five years old or over will be examined free of charge during these days.

The nutritional clinics do for the elder children very much what the baby clinics do for the babies, particularly in determining unnoticed causes of general run down condition, "lifelessness" and weakness, lack of energy, and so on, that often are found in children who are nevertheless not definitely ill of anything in particular.

In the majority of instances the nutritional weakness can be overcome and the children restored to normal by judicious diet, sleep and exercise, provided of course, actual defects such as diseased tonsils, etc., are corrected.

The nutritional clinics, which are conducted by specialists, members of the Northwestern Pediatric society, are primarily for children from five to sixteen years of age who are underweight. It will be necessary to have the children weighed and measured a few days preceding the clinic. Those who are ten per cent or more underweight will be selected for examination. The county nurse will take care of this feature of the clinic.

Mothers Urged to Attend.

It is extremely important that the mothers of the children selected for examination be present at the clinic. Much more can be accomplished if the mother is at hand at the time her child is being examined. She is able to get answers to any questions which may arise in her own mind. The real value of the clinic is lost unless the mothers are present.

Red Cross Seal Campaign.

Plans were made for the seal sale for the years of 1921 and 1922. The money secured by this sale is used for the purpose of holding clinics in the county, carrying on health crusades in the city and rural schools, and for bettering the health conditions of the county in general. Last year a very successful health crusade was carried on in the city schools, conducted by Miss Ruth Johnson, the school nurse. Twelve hundred students were enrolled in the 33 rooms of the various schools. The room in charge of Miss Trogan in the Northrup building won first place with one of the best records in the state.

This year Miss Johnson will conduct a similar health crusade movement with an enrollment of 1,500 students. A room premium will be given at the close of the school year as well as individual prizes for students who carry out a certain number of health chores. Miss Johnson looks for a very successful year in the health crusade work and believes that the high standard of last year can still be maintained during 1921 and 1922.

Continue Fair Over Saturday.

The management of the Northern Minnesota Fair, which is being held at Bemidji this week, announces that the fair will be continued one day longer than was originally planned, thus extending it over Saturday. A special program has been arranged for the day, which will include all of the regular features.

M. C. Burns Out Again.

After being confined to his home for several months with a broken hip bone and numerous other injuries which he sustained in falling from a ladder, M. C. Burns has sufficiently recovered to be able to come down town and attend to some of his business matters. He is still using crutches but says that if he continues to improve as rapidly as he has been doing he will soon throw them away.

Society

Girls' Community Club.

A large and enthusiastic attendance marked the opening night of the Girls' Community club at the meeting held at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening. Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, nee Marie Nelson, former club president, presided, due to the resignation of Miss Esther Gjortson, newly elected president. Other officers for the ensuing year are as follows: Vice president, Miss Ida Tandberg; secretary, Miss Anna Quale; treasurer, Miss Volberg Sandum. No matters of business were brought up at this meeting, the majority of the club members feeling it advisable to postpone the election of a president until the new members, which includes most of the new teachers, became better acquainted. Mrs. Tandberg made a very fitting welcome speech, making the new members feel that they were already a part of the club. She also briefly explained the purpose and work of the organization. A short musical program was given, which consisted of a vocal solo by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, a piano solo by Miss Palma Langseth, vocal solo by Miss Thora Hanson, a piano solo by Miss Doris Richter and a vocal solo by Miss Meta Kiland. Light refreshments were served during the social hours which followed. The outline of club activities for the coming year has not yet been formulated, but with the aid of the efficient officers the success of anything undertaken is assured.

Lambert-Finberg.

Ed. Lambert, assistant cashier of the Citizens State Bank of Red Lake Falls, sprung a surprise on his friends Wednesday when he married Miss Rhoda Finberg of Thief River Falls, who was formerly employed at LaBissionaire's store here. The ceremony was performed at Warren at the Catholic rectory by the Rev. Fr. Lyons, at 5 o'clock.

The bridesmaid was Miss Effie Christelson of Thief River Falls and the best man was Dr. A. E. Lucian of this city. Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. E. Quist, of Warren. The newlyweds made a brief visit to Red Lake Falls Wednesday but left the same night for Thief River Falls.

Upon their return to Red Lake Falls they will make their home in the apartments in the Citizens State Bank building recently vacated by C. L. Funk. The groom is one of the city's promising young business men and stands well in the community. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Lambert. The bride made many friends while living in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert will have the best wishes of all.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Artists Give Fine Concert.

The Halvorson-Fisher company of Thief River Falls put on a fine recital at the Lotus theatre Friday evening and were well received by a good sized audience of Red Lake Falls music lovers.

Miss Doris Halvorson, pianist, is a graduate of the conservatory of music at Oberlin college and is an artist of merit. She has a very pleasing touch and is a thorough musician in every sense of the word. Her technique is excellent. She is unaffected and has none of that arrogance that detracts from the performance of so many musicians. Her renditions of difficult compositions by St. Saens, Gluck, Rubenstein, Chopin, Grieg and others indicate that she is a splendid pianist. Her numbers were enthusiastically applauded.

Vocal numbers were given by Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, who has a deep contralto voice, and her selections were likewise applauded by her audience. Mrs. Fisher is a pupil of some of the prominent voice teachers of Chicago and Indianapolis. Altogether the concert was high grade and those who attended showed their appreciation of it.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Frances Willard Day.

Preparations are being made for the observance of Frances Willard Day, Sept. 28, in the schools throughout Minnesota. The following, taken from Miss Rosette Hendrix's speech, which was read by Mrs. Josephine E. Sizer at the annual state convention at Crookston, will explain it more fully: "Two victories have come to us in Minnesota this past year, the closing of the state fair on Sunday and the legislature giving us a Frances Willard day in the public schools. This day is Sept. 28, Miss Willard's birthday. This day will give an opportunity to teach the children about our great chieftain and her work and what needs to be done now to carry out her vision of a world redeemed from the liquor traffic and the Golden Rule of Christ worked out in the customs of society and in the laws of the land."

Farewell Party.

Miss Sophie York, retiring chief operator at the local telephone exchange, was honor guest at a delightful party given by the operators, which was held in the Commercial club rooms on Friday evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed, which was followed by refreshments. The hostesses were Misses Catherine Thill, Olga Windness, Sophie Johnson, Olga Skaar, Marie Thill and Ethel Pechie. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Sterns, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ebbighausen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hallens, Misses Esther Soards, Jessie Barnett, Madeline Thill, Alma Thune, Mrs. J. S. Swanson, and Messrs. L. Fevig, Carl Gulrud, C. W. Vornchek, Chas. Munn, L. C. Nielsen and J. J. McCann.

Honoring Mr. Mix and Bride.

The following items taken from the Crookston Times will prove of interest to many local people as Mr. Mix, who formerly resided here, was prominent in musical circles: "Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Munch have issued invitations for a dinner at seven o'clock tomorrow evening, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mix, Jr., of Waukegan, Ill., who are spending a fortnight of their honeymoon with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mix, Sr. The guest list will number twelve." "Honoring their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mix, Sr., were hosts at a six-thirty o'clock dinner last evening at their home, 524 N. Ash St."

Informal Party.

The Misses Melvina Rupprecht and Gail Warner were hostesses at an informal party, given Saturday evening at the home of the former, 608 Duluth avenue north. The evening was spent in dancing and music. At twelve a dainty lunch was served. The invited guests were: Misses Margaret Melgaard, Rosq Flynn, Ersyl Anderson, Lily Gran, Lucille Roark, Margaret Klungness, Maverette Hilson, Ruth McGilvery, and Masters Herbert Keene, Kenneth Streeter, John Stewart, Robert McGinn, Allan Sorenson, Thomas Scanlan, William Stageberg, Richard Zeh, Donald Ritterman and Thomas Melgaard.

For Mrs. Ross.

A number of courtesies, in the form of social affairs, were extended Mrs. J. C. Ross of Minneapolis, who had been the guest at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross, for three weeks. The first was an informal afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. W. Connell on Wednesday. On Sunday noon Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross and two children and Mrs. J. C. Ross were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw at their home. On Friday afternoon Mrs. T. L. Melgaard entertained a few ladies at her home in compliment to Mrs. Ross. The latter returned to her home on Sunday night.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class meets in church basement Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services Sunday at 11 in the Norwegian language; English services at 7:45. Sunday school and Bible class 9:45. Trinity Ladies' Aid will hold a bazaar in the church parlors on Thursday, Sept. 29. A large number of useful as well as fancy articles will be for sale. Lunch will be served from 2 to 8 o'clock at a cost of 25 cents.

Reception For Teachers.

Plans for a reception for the teaching staff to be held at the auditorium on Friday evening of this week, are complete. Notice has been sent by the school children to their parents, but as many who may wish to attend cannot be reached in this manner, a general invitation is therefore extended to all to be present. A short program and light refreshments will be part of the evening's entertainment.

Surprise Party.

A number of the friends of Clifford Storholm went to his home unannounced on Friday for a party. The hours were devoted to dancing and cards, which was followed by a delicious lunch. The guests included Misses Nina and Ruth Severson, Elsie Granum, Twila Glines, Ruth Torkelson, Ersyl Anderson, Shirley Anderson, Ruth Hoppa, and Henry Mellem, Craig Halvorson, Herbert Johnson and Clifton Conner.

Farewell Surprise Party.

Mrs. O. Flattum was honor guest at a farewell surprise party given by 32 of her lady friends at her home on Monday evening. After hours of visiting a delightful lunch brought by the guests was served. Mr. and Mrs. Flattum, who have made this city their home for many years, will leave this evening for Northfield to take up their residence. Before the departure of the guests Mrs. Flattum was presented with a handsome gift as a token of their friendship.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 27, in the basement of the Trinity Lutheran church at two o'clock. Mrs. Thea Laver of Crookston, who was a delegate to the National convention held in San Francisco in August, will be the speaker and will give a report on that convention. It is earnestly desired that all be on time as Mrs. Lacer returns to Crookston on the afternoon train.

Anniversary Party.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich delightfully entertained a number of children at her home on Thursday in honor of her son, Clifford's, seventh birthday anniversary. Various games and contests furnished amusement for the little tots. During the afternoon a lovely birthday lunch was served, a feature of which was a large birthday cake with lighted candles.

Avelson-Thompson.

Adolph Avelson of this place was united in marriage to Myrtle Elizabeth Thompson, also of this place, on Thursday, Sept. 15, at the Zion Lutheran parsonage. Rev. George Larson, pastor of the church, officiated in the presence of Charlotte and George Larson.

Honoring Mrs. Hall.

In compliment to her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. A. Hall, of Rogers, Ark., who is her guest, Mrs. W. L. Hall entertained a few ladies at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Birthday Party.

A number of girls were entertained by Esther Hetlund at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hetlund, on Thursday afternoon, the occasion being her 12th birthday anniversary.

Entertains Sunday School Class.

Miss Mary Prichard entertained the members of her Sunday school class at a party in the church basement on Thursday afternoon. Various contests and games were enjoyed until the lunch hour, when light refreshments were served.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet on Friday, Sept. 23, at the home of Mrs. H. O. Loken. A cafeteria lunch will be given at the church on Friday, the 30th. Everybody welcome.

Auxiliary Party.

The first social meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion was held at the Masonic hall on Tuesday evening. Members of the Legion were guests. After a program of dancing and cards a delicious lunch was served.

Northrup Teachers Entertained.

Mrs. Henry Eide pleasantly entertained the teachers of the Northrup school at her home on Saturday afternoon. Included among the guests were Mrs. I. T. Simley and Miss Alice Stapleton.

Lodge Meeting.

The New Century Lodge No. 31 held its regular meeting on Saturday evening at the Odd Fellows hall, with a large attendance. During the evening a delicious lunch was served. The hostesses were Mrs. Gust Freitag and Mrs. Art Rambeck.

OPPORTUNITY FOR DISABLED VETERANS TO SETTLE CLAIMS

Former soldiers intending to appear before the "Clean Up" squad when it visits Thief River Falls on Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, should bear in mind the following:

Affidavits should be prepared by persons who know of your disability during service and who have been with you since your discharge. Affidavits are also helpful from one or more disinterested persons (employers if possible) who have known you since your discharge and are familiar with your physical disability. In place of formal affidavits those giving details of the situation with dates are of great value in aiding officials to understand your case.

Any disabled service man desiring vocational training, with allowance for living expenses, must in addition furnish a statement from a former employer giving his occupation previous to service with reference as to his ability to perform the work, together with a statement as to his present unfitness for the work. This statement should give the nature of present disability and that, according to the employer's opinion, it was incurred in the war or is the result of service.

If witnesses accompany ex-soldiers in person their testimony can be taken in affidavit form and sworn to before American Legion or Red Cross representatives with the squad.

When in doubt as to procedure ex-service men are requested to apply for information to the nearest Red Cross chapter or adjutant of the local Legion post. They will be glad to advise and help in every possible way to secure all the compensation, training or hospital treatment to which former service men are entitled.

McWilliams Family Leaves.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McWilliams and family will leave Sunday evening for Davenport, Iowa, where they will make their future home. Mr. McWilliams has been engaged as editor and manager of The Tribune for the past two years, severing his connection with that paper because of its sale to J. S. Arneson. He and his family enjoy the friendship of a large number of people here who will regret to learn of their removal from the city.

Paving Work Under Way.

Actual paving construction work is now well under way. A number of the big machines have been erected during the past week and a large force of men is at work on Main avenue. If weather conditions are favorable the work of putting in the crushed rock and concrete foundation will be started in a few days, and from that time on the work will progress very rapidly.

Big Labor Meeting.

A meeting of particular interest to members of the various labor unions in Thief River Falls will be held at the Lyceum theatre on Tuesday evening, Sept. 27. It is important that every man holding a union card be present at this meeting.

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5c Wax Crayons Market Day Special	4c	5c Lead Pencils No. 489 Market Day Special	4c
8c Penholders Market Day Special	5c	10c Pkg. Photo Corners Market Day Special	5c
10c Coin Purses Market Day Special	6c	10c Bottle LePage Paste Market Day Special	6c
10c Bottle Ink Market Day Special	7c	10c Venus Lead Pencils Market Day Special	7c
10c Box Checkers Market Day Special	8c	10c Ink Tablet Market Day Special	8c
25c State Road Maps Market Day Special	9c	15c Box Mints Market Day Special	9c
15c Ink Tablets Market Day Special	11c	15c Pkg. Napkins Market Day Special	11c
25c Pkg. Picnic Plates Market Day Special	13c	20c Ink Tablets Market Day Special	18c
25c Desk Blotting Pads Market Day Special	17c	25c Tracing Slates Market Day Special	17c
25c Box Mints Market Day Special	19c	30c Pocket Tape, 60 in. Market Day Special	19c
35c Flower Vases Market Day Special	23c	35c Box Stationery Market Day Special	23c
40c Feather Dusters Market Day Special	28c	50c Imitation Eversharp Market Day Special	28c
50c Compass Market Day Special	33c	50c Cribbage Boards Market Day Special	33c
60c Dictionary Market Day Special	38c	50c Box Stationery Market Day Special	38c
85c Phonograph Record Market Day Special	43c	75c Box Chocolates Market Day Special	43c
75c Box Stationery Market Day Special	48c	75c Framed Mottoes Market Day Special	48c
$1.00 Jewel Boxes Market Day Special	53c	$1.00 Pencil Boxes Market Day Special	53c
$1.00 Framed Mottoes Market Day Special	58c	$1.00 Robinson Reminders Market Day Special	58c
$1.00 Silver Baby Spoons Market Day Special	63c	$1.00 Fountain Pens Market Day Special	68c
$1.00 Stockinet Dolls Market Day Special	73c	$1.00 Box Stationery Market Day Special	78c
$1.25 Mahogany Bud Vase Market Day Special	83c	$1.25 Bubble Books Market Day Special	88c
$1.25 Playing Cards Market Day Special	93c	$1.25 Photo Holders Market Day Special	98c
$2.00 Recipe Outfit Market Day Special	$1.01	$2.00 Leather Handbag Market Day Special	$1.09
$2.25 Lady's Coin Purse Market Day Special	$1.17	$2.25 Leather Bill Fold Market Day Special	$1.28
$2.50 Kodak Book Market Day Special	$1.39	$2.50 Eversharp Pencil Market Day Special	$1.46
$3 Tib Auto Route Book Market Day Special	$1.52	$3 Univer. Dictionary Market Day Special	$1.63
$4.00 Fair Book Ends Market Day Special	$1.74	$3.50 Eversharp Pencil Market Day Special	$1.88

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LAIRD'S

City News

John Anderson of Roseau spent Sunday in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. C. J. Browne, who had spent the summer visiting relatives in Minneapolis, returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm and family drove to Grand Forks Sunday to spend several days visiting relatives.

Lee Ihle left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis and will attend the University of Minnesota this year.

Rev. J. B. Smith left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where he will attend the annual conference of the Methodist church.

Clarence Knudson left this week for Minneapolis to attend school this year.

Mrs. Will Bacon of Escanaba, Mich., arrived on Friday for a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stitt.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson, who is teaching at Lancaster, was a week-end visitor at her home here.

Wm. Hartfield, who has been employed at Glacier National Park during the summer months, arrived Friday for a week-end visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson. He left Sunday night for Minneapolis to attend the university.

H. C. Giese of Winona arrived on Thursday and will spend a few months visiting at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird.

John Remmem of Rosewood was a business caller here on Saturday.

Gunder Legvold, one of the clerks at the local post office, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation. He left Friday morning via the Wheat line for Grafton, N. D., where he will visit his sister.

Morlan Bishop and Carl Sundahl drove to St. Hilaire Thursday evening and were guests at a marshmallow roast given by the St. Hilaire school faculty.

Mrs. Kathryn Smith of Minneapo-

He who findeth knowledge findeth life. Get that knowledge at the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for catalog.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown left last week for Bronson, where they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. J. Engelbret, the parents of Mr. Brown and a company of other friends, and all will go to Caribou on a week's hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brunelle of Red Lake Falls were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Quist of Warren were in the city a few days last week visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg.

Mrs. O. Sjoberg, nee Clarice Finberg, and baby daughter returned to their home at Middle River last week after spending two weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke of Thief River Falls visited between trains at the Docken home Saturday. She took little Bernie Halvorson back with her and he is going to stay with his aunt, Mrs. Hoglin, for a while.—Holt News.

A. L. Carlson went to Thief River Falls Monday morning to meet his sister, Miss Amy, who arrived that morning from Minneapolis for a visit here with her brother and family.—Holt News.

George T. Hamery, A. F. LaBudde and M. M. Price spent Sunday in Crookston, making the trip there in Mr. Hamery's two cars, one of which was left there for use by his family, who have moved to that city to reside during the school year.—Gonvick Banner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt, W. O. Hunt, and Miss Rebecca Hunt motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday for a brief visit at the Ted Hunt home. Miss Hunt returned today but the others came back the same day.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

lis arrived the latter part of last week for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGinnity.

Miss Lois Wold left Friday for Grand Forks and visited over Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Cora Wold.

Miss Jennie Wing of Middle River arrived Saturday afternoon for an over Sunday visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley.

Mrs. J. O. Yetter and Mrs. J. N. Silk left Friday evening for Minneapolis, where they spent a day with friends.

J. M. Bishop and son, Morlan, Carl and Bernard Sundahl were among the numerous hunters who set out on Friday. They made their trip into fields near Strathcona and returned the same evening with a full quota of birds.

Miss Marie O'Brien of Greenbush arrived Friday afternoon and spent a short time as the guest of Miss Harriet Anderson. She returned to her home Saturday morning.

Misses Mabel McGinnity and Lilabelle Schuster, who are teaching at St. Hilaire, shopped between trains here on Saturday.

Misses Theone Walker and Inez Johnson returned on Monday from Baudette, where they had spent a few days visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Harry Dybvik.

Mrs. G. Fellman returned to St. Hilaire Thursday afternoon, having spent the time between trains shopping.

Mrs. Olaf Kragness and children, who had spent several days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Brekke, returned to their home at Halstad on Thursday.

Miss Tine Hoff of Battle Lake, who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. O. Bakke, at St. Hilaire, attended to shopping here on Thursday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Bakke.

Miss Hilma Johnson returned to her home at Greenbush on Thursday, having spent a day here shopping.

Ingvald Larson, Anton Johnson and Misses Bernice Julsrud, Bertha Julsrud and Luella Larson, all of Barnesville, motored here on Saturday and spent the day with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Nelson of Anita were over Sunday guests of local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dalton of Fordville, N. D., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melby.

Miss Louise Cosgrove left the latter part of last week for Middle River, near which place she will teach school.

Miss Elizabeth Allman of Litchfield, Ill., is spending several months visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Emma Orme.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie were over Sunday guests of local friends.

Miss Mabel Bystrom came down from Roseau on Friday to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. Englund of Roseau was a visitor here a few days the latter part of last week.

Martin Johnson returned to his home at Strandquist on Saturday after spending a couple of days here on business.

M. J. Strand of Trail was in the city on Friday attending to matters of business.

Ed Fiskwold came over from Goodridge on Friday to attend to business matters.

Olaf Norby of Fosston made a business trip to this city on Saturday.

Wm. Smith of Erie was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

Miss Lucille Olson, who had spent a few days visiting with friends here, returned yesterday to her home at Holt.

Harold Smithers left last evening for Minneapolis, where he will spend a few days visiting relatives and friends before beginning his studies at the university.

Lynn Halvorson returned Tuesday from Mahnomen, where he had visited since Sunday with friends.

H. O. Chommie returned Friday morning from the Twin Cities, where he had spent a few days on business.

The trunk highway between Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls is the best continuous stretch of its length in the northern part of Minnesota according to C. F. Johnson, a Minneapolis traveling man who covers the north half of the state by car every month. He says the only part of his long route which is any better is the concrete road north of Minneapolis. It is always a pleasure for him, he says, to drive between Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls, for the road is always in good condition rain or shine and the easy curves are always pleasant to take.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Miss Margaret DeCremer, class of '21, left last evening for Minneapolis, where she will begin her studies at the university.

Mrs. H. C. Durrin, who had spent a few weeks visiting with relatives and friends in the Twin Cities, returned to her home here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hanson of New York Mills, Mr. and Mrs. C. Christianson of Henning and Mr. and Mrs. Jens Paulson of Alexandria were guests at the home of Mr. nad Mrs. C. T. Christianson on Friday, enroute to the northern part of the state, where they will spend a few days on a hunting trip.

Miss Sophie York, who for the past year has been employed as chief operator at the local telephone exchange, has resigned her position and left on Saturday for Crookston, having accepted a similar position there. The vacancy here will be filled by Miss Marie Thill.

Miss Rose Hance, who had spent a few days visiting at her home, returned Saturday to Red Lake Falls, near which place she is engaged in teaching school.

Miss Augusta Larson, Edward Larson and Chas. Peterson, all of Roseau, motored over on Friday to visit friends.

Gust Norberg of Roseau spent Friday in the city visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Chris Peterson of Roseau attended to business matters in this city on Tuesday.

O. J. Vinji and Clifford White of Pine Creek spent Tuesday visiting with friends in this city.

Oscar Kopang of Winger was in the city on Tuesday visiting friends.

Albert Martin came down from Plummer on Tuesday and spent a couple of days on business.

C. S. Simonson left Tuesday evening for Superior, Wis., to spend a few days on business.

M. L. Swanson, former proprietor of the City Bakery, now employed in Minneapolis, spent a few days the first of the week attending to business matters here.

Miss Joyce Pederson, who had visited for several days at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Pederson, left Tuesday evening for her home at Fosston.

D. Collins of Warroad was in the city the latter part of last week visiting at the M. C. Burns home. Mr. Collins and Mrs. Burns are brother and sister.

Hugh McDaniel, who had spent the summer months in Minneapolis, arrived here the first of the week for a visit at the home of his parents.

Mrs. A. Shedlov and baby daughter, who had visited friends and relatives in Minneapolis, returned to this city the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer motored here on Sunday to visit friends.

Mrs. J. C. Ross returned to her home in Minneapolis Sunday night after a visit at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross. She was accompanied by her grandson, Ross Halloran, who had been visiting here.

Glenn Anderson and Ted Prichard left Tuesday morning by car for Minneapolis. They will attend the university this winter.

Isak Helseth of Thief River Falls, with the Minneapolis Bridge company, has been in town this week making arrangements for the construction of the bridge across the Wild Rice east of town on the Beaulieu road. It is expected that a lot of the material will be here next week and that work will then commence and force enough put on to push it to an early completion.—Mahnomen Pioneer.

Dr. A. W. Swedenburg left this week for Sioux Falls, S. D., where he will spend several months in the U. S. public health service. He will also take post graduate work.

Mrs. Glenn Anderson and daughter, Yvonne, Miss Harriet Anderson and Miss Ruth Kiland left Tuesday afternoon via the Great Northern for Minneapolis, where the former will establish her home while Mr. Anderson takes a course in accountancy. Miss Anderson and Miss Kiland will remain in the city indefinitely.

L. H. Lawrence left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston on a business trip.

Miss Midge Prichard, who had spent the summer at her home here, will leave Sunday night for Minneapolis to begin her senior year at the university.

Mrs. R. Noper, nee Blanche Johnson, of Good Hope, Ill., is expected to arrive next week for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson at Burr Oaks farm. This is her first visit to Thief River Falls since her marriage a year ago.

A. H. Carlson, who with his family went to the cities a week ago for a visit with relatives, returned yesterday morning. Mrs. Carlson and two children will remain for a week longer, their daughter Alvina having undergone a minor operation on one of her eyes.

Miss Olga Swendsgaard returned to this city on Sunday after spending a few days with her folks at Mavie. Miss Swendsgaard has accepted a position as stenographer in the office of Attorney W. J. Brown.

Miss Marie Hamre returned to her home on Monday after a two weeks' visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Rambec.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rambeck and sons, Laverne and Raymond, were guests of friends at Mavie over Sunday.

Roy Brown returned Tuesday night from Lancaster and Bronson, where he had been on a two-day hunting trip.

Phyllis Curtis, who had spent the summer at her home here, left last evening for Minneapolis, where she will enter the university. Miss Curtis had attended Carleton College the past two years.

Miss Marguerite DeCremer left last evening for Minneapolis to begin her Freshman year at the university.

Bernard Barzen returned last evening to Milwaukee to complete his studies at Marquette university after spending the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Math Barzen.

Clifford Sanden of the class of '21, left last night for Minneapolis to attend the university.

Tony Hornseth, who has been operating a vulcanizing shop at Roseau, has sold out his interests and arrived here yesterday to remain for an indefinite period.

E. A. Linder of Warroad was a business caller here on Friday.

Miss Margaret Jorgenson, who is visiting her parents at Plummer, was in the city yesterday visiting friends. She left on the Great Northern in the afternoon for Fisher and Grand Forks, where she will be the guest of friends before returning to her work in Minneapolis.

Miss Marie O'Brien of Greenbush attended to shopping here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Fevig of Ulen arrived Tuesday and are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermanson.

J. H. Griffin, of Grand Forks, division freight agent for the Great Northern, was a visitor in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Gunda Tweeten and Mrs. E. D. Morgan, both of Grygla, shopped and visited friends here yesterday enroute to Crookston, where the former will be employed and the latter will receive medical treatment.

H. C. Cunnington and H. C. Castle of Holt were business visitors here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rodekohn came down from Holt Tuesday afternoon and spent a day visiting friends.

Arthur Olson of Kennedy made a business trip to this city on Tuesday.

Nels Kofsta dreturned to his home at Warroad on Monday after spending a day here on business.

J. A. Jacobs of Middle River attended to matters of business here on Monday.

Mrs. Emma Heilman of Marshall arrived here Monday for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Bertha Harris of Grygla arrived on Saturday for an over Sunday visit with friends.

O. Hanson of Hallock was a business caller here on Saturday.

L. A. Gauthier, traveling freight agent for the Great Northern, was here on Tuesday. Mr. Gauthier was formerly agent at Warroad.

Math Barzen and sons, Ernest, Roy and Bernard, accompanied by friends from Minneapolis, spent Saturday and Sunday on a hunting trip near Warroad. The party returned the first of the week with 71 chickens to their credit.

J. Greenagle, agent at Strathcona, was a visitor here on Tuesday.

J. W. Nelson of Crookston was a business caller here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hallen spent the week-end visiting with relatives and friends at Grand Forks.

Misses Veleda and Esther Lindberg of Adams, N. D., were visitors and shoppers here on Monday.

H. E. Ives of St. Paul was a business caller here the latter part of last week.

Daniel Shaw returned on Monday from St. Paul, where he had attended a meeting of the state forestry board.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse left on Saturday for McIntosh to spend a few days with relatives.

V. Cardin and A. M. St. Marie of Crookston were business callers here on Tuesday.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sept. 25: 9:45, Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship, "The Presbyterian Church and Education." 8 p. m., evening worship. Special music will be provided by the choir for both hours. Juniors 3 p. m. Senior C. E. 7 p. m. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet on Friday with Mrs. H. O. Loken, 315 West Second street. Gentlemen are invited to the lunch.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services with communion in the city at 11 a. m. Services with communion at Rindal church, Rosewood, 2:30 p. m. Services in the city at 7:45 p. m. A new confirmation class will start Saturday at 2 p. m. in the church basement. English and Norwegian will be used. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening in the church basement.

Bethlehem Church, T. I. Raaum, Pastor—Services Sunday at 11 a. m. Services in Thorvick at 2:30 p. m. The confirmants will meet in Thorvick after services. The Ladies' Aid of Bethlehem will meet with Mrs. Forthun on Sept. 28. The Ladies' Aid of Thorvick will meet with Mrs. Jopperd on Sept. 29.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—English services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday school teachers' meeting Friday evening at 7:15. Mrs. Fox will entertain the Ladies' Aid in the church basement Wednesday afternoon.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sept. 25: German services at Germantown at 10 a. m. and Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. English services at Erie at 3 p. m. and at Goodridge at 8 p. m.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Sept. 25: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. All welcome.

Swedish Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Sunday school at 10:30; English services at 7:45.

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Its simply a crime that its necessary for us to take this big loss on our entire stock of new fall suits

Seven fine all wool Women's Suits, full silk lined; our special this season's $35.00 leaders. This sale your choice $24.98

Fourteen fine men tailored Women's Suits, all fancy full silk lined, some fur trimmed. They are wonderful $65.00 to $68.50 suit values. This sale take your choice at only $49.50

4 only, fur trimmed ladies' high grade suits, $85 value, this sale at suit $59.95

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50 Women's Coats; some are full length all wool cloth coats, full lined and large fur collars; other values up to $85.00 with large shawl collars; some are black plush coats, full silk lined, large black oppossum fur collars; remarkable valnes at our price of each $25.00

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Our entire stock of $50.00 to $35.00 values for this Market Day Sale only. They are the best styles, materials and workmanship. These ought to go lively at each $25.00

Zero Weather Coats

Chappie Coats, Suede Cloth, all wool heather mixture, chamois lined; others lamb lined.

Children's, sizes, 6, 8, 10	$16.50
Girls', sizes 12, 14, 16	$22.50
Women's, all sizes	$25.00 and $35.00

Blouse and Waist Specials

Lot 1—Silk Georgettes and silk crepe de chine blouses and waists. Each	$2.95
Lot 2—A beautiful big assortment of the finest new blouses and waists of the season. Remarkable values. Snappy styles. All at one price	$5.95
Voile and organdie waists, $2.50 and up to $3.95 values. This sale your choice	$1.95
Belding's guaranteed silk bloomers, in all new shades, in both knee and ankle length	$5.00
Children's gingham dresses, ages 2 to 6 yrs., a big variety of styles and the values will please you at	$1.00

The Nationally Known

"Mina Taylor" Aprons on this sale; entire stock, values up to $3.50, choice

$1.95

The season's clean-up on

Gingham Dresses

Misses' and women's sizes, 16, 18, 36, 38 and 40. They are $5.00, $5.95, $6.50, $7.50 and $8.00 values. This sale your choice

$3.95

White Middies, $1.50 and $2.00 values	99c
Entire stock of Rain Coats, choice	Just Half Price
Children's Rain Capes	$1.95
Rain Coats	$1.65

Market Day's Greatest Special Feature, Wednesday, September 28 Only

At 10 a. m. sharp we place on sale 2,000 boxes in a Grab Box Sale at 25c each

Grab Box Sale 25c

Commencing at 10 a. m. and continuing for the remainder of the day, or until the entire lot of 2,000 boxes are sold, this, the greatest Box Sale of all time, will be staged from a large especially built booth in our bargain basement. We guarantee that each and every box will contain not less than 25c worth of merchandise of some kind, which will consist of articles of every description from every department of this store, such as gloves, hosiery, ribbons, neckwear, hats, caps, shoes, handkerchiefs, toilet articles, perfumes, toys, tinware, glassware, etc., etc., and in this big lot of boxes there will be

Grab Box Sale 25c

50 Valuable Prizes Within 50 Boxes That will go to 50 Exceptionally Lucky People

If you have a weak heart, stay out of the basement.

A $25.00 dress for 25 cents.

Keep smiling and we'll make you happy.

Live ones only draw the plums.

Knockers and kickers will be sold, all of them, in package No. 2001, for 25 cents.

If you're not game for a good chance and a good time, come what may, stay out of the game.

If 25 cents will break you, keep it.

This will be the livest, biggest, greatest grab-box sale you ever had a chance at.

One Silk Dress, value	**$25.00**
One seven day clock, value	**$18.50**
One set 6 each Community knives and forks, Bridal Wreath ptrn, val	$7.50
One lady's tweed mixture coat, value	$10.00
One silk petticoat, value	$5.95
One child's cape, value	$5.95

- One Lady's Suit.
- One Silk Waist.
- One Wool Skirt.
- Two Aprons.
- Two Girls' Dresses.
- Five Girls' Middies.
- Two Kimonas.
- Two Girls' Raincoats.
- One Woolnap Plaid Blanket.
- One Pink Nainsook Nightgown.
- Two Leather Purses.
- One Alarm Clock.
- Five Pairs Ladies' Shoes.
- Two Silk Skirts.
- Two Ladies' Raincoats.
- Four Aprons.
- Six Ladies' Cotton Skirts.
- One Child's Kimona.
- Three Wool Sweaters.

See Window Display of This Merchandise

Exceptional Main Floor Values for This Four Day Sale Only

Flannelette Nightgowns, only each $1.00

The long sleeve, button front style; lovely, soft and warm quality of flannelette in pink, blue and tan stripes on a white ground.

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose 98c
in black, white, navy and cordovan brown.

Knit Underwear, Women's Suits $1.50

Jersey ribbed fleece lined, Dutch neck, elbow length sleeves, ankle length, and strictly tailored top. A very fine quality.

Fancy Brocaded $4.00 Corsets Only $2.50

A wonder direct-mill buy of a solid case of P. N. pink fancy brocaded corsets.

$2.50 Pink P. N. low bust corsets, in all sizes	Women's Heavy Wool Hose per pair	Girls' Heavy Home Knit Wool Hose Per pair	Girls' Heavy Knit Hockey Caps, Special Ea.	$2.50 Heavy Ladies' Green Hockey Hose at pair
98c	50c	65c	50c	$1.25

LOKEN BROTHERS, Thief River Falls' Greatest Store

You Can Always buy It For Less In Loken's Bargain Basement

Nashua Woolnap Plaid Blankets

72x80	$3.95
72x84	$4.95
Crib Blankets	65c
72x80 Cotton Blankets	$2.25

A COMPLETE SAMPLE LINE OF BLANKETS AT 66 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR

Spool Silk Thread, all shades, per spool	5c
150 yds. Cotton Thread, per spool	5c
O. N. T. Crochet Cotton, per spool	10c
36 in. Unbleached Cotton, per yard	10c
42 in. Bleached Pillow Tubing, per yard	35c
Standard Dress Ginghams, per yard	19c
American Prints or Calico, per yard	10c
Bleached Crash Toweling, per yard	15c
18x35 in. Huck Towels, each	15c
Girls' Knit Under Waists, each	15c

Buy your underwear and hosiery here and save money

Women's high lustre Lisle hose, brown and black, per pair	25c
Women's cotton hose, black, all sizes, at per pair	15c
Children's cotton hose, black, all sizes, at per pair	10c
Girls' cotton ribbed school stockings, at per pair	15c
Boys' heavy ribbed school stockings, at per pair	25c

Women's Good Quality Fleeced Lined **UNION SUITS** $1.50 garments everywhere, here only **$1.00**

Women's Fancy Outing Flannel Night Gowns, each	$1
Narrow Percales, per yard	10c
36 in. Standard Percales, per yard	15c
Dark or Light, 10 yd. cuts at	$1.35

Fancy Outing Flannels, per yard	12½c
Aluminum Table Spoons, 6 for	40c
Aluminum Tea Spoons, 6 for	20c
Aluminum 6 qt. Covered Kettles, each	$1.98
Aluminum Roasters, each	$1.25
Aluminum Rice Boilers, each	$1.19
Aluminum Percolators, each	$1.25
Boston Leather Bags for shopping, special each	$1.98
Dusting Caps, two for	25c
White Cups and Saucers	19c
Crepe Paper, all shades	4c
15 Bars Rose Queen Toilet Soap for	$1
No. 2 Heavy Galvanized Wash Tubs	89c
Blue Steel Roasters	59c
Leather Soles, per pair	10c

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes

Here Are a Few Very Special Numbers For Market Day:

LADIES' SHOES, brown calf skin, military heel, medium round toe; a $7.00 value. Market Day only **$5.45**

LADIES' SHOES, black kid, Cuban heel, medium round toe, Goodyear welt, a $7 value, Market Day only **$5.45**

GROWING GIRLS' OXFORDS in black calf, with flat heel, medium round toe; a $7.00 vaue, Market Day Special **$4.75**

1 Lot of **CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES,** sizes 8½, 9, 9½, 10 and 10½, an exceptionally good value at only **$1.85**

CHILDREN'S BED ROOM SLIPPERS 50c

GROWING GIRLS' SHOES, mahogany side leather, flat heel; Market Day Special **$3.45**

LADIES SHOES in black gunmetal, with flat heel. Market Day Special **$3.45**

LADIES' OXFORDS, brown calf with military heel, broque, stitched Goodyear welt; a $7.00 value. Market Day Special **$4.75**

1 Lot **MISSES' SCHOOL SHOES,** sizes 12, 12½, 13 and 13½; another exceedingly good value at **$1.95**

LADIES' MORNING SLIPPERS at **$1.00**

Dry Goods Department—Market Day Bargains

Offering a fine selection of imported real Irish linens, damasks, etc.

All New Goods, Priced to You at Nearly Half of Last Year's Linen Prices

One only pure Irish linen Damask table cloth, 70x70, special pattern	$10.00
One only handsome all linen cloth, exclusive pattern design, 70x70, at	$8.50
Five exclusive pattern lunch cloths, each	$5.00
Two exclusive pat. Damask lunch cloths, 68x68. Linen napkins to match.	$5.95
Three exclusive pattern lunch cloths, 54x54	$9.95
One scalloped pattern cloth, only	$5.00
Three 72 in. pattern cloths at each	$2.95
Three hemmed cloths, each	$1.65
One exclusive scroll tulip design, in the finest real Irish linen Damask cloth, size 70x88, at	$12.50
Napkins to match, each	85c
Three dainty pattern cloths, round, each	$3.50
Three scalloped 72 in. round pattern cloths, each	$3.95
Six scalloped 64 in. round pattern cloths, each	$2.85
Eight 58x58 linen finish cotton Damask scalloped and hemstitched pattern cloths, at	$1.50
New 72 in. real Irish linen Damask, by the yard, several very handsome patterns, at these prices per yard	$2.50, $3.95, $4.50, $5.00 and $5.50
Eighteen 20x38 hemstitched towels, each	65c
Eleven pattern cloths, scalloped and hemmed, ea.	$1.25

Also a complete stock of napkins to match; also all linen scarfings, huck towelings and 36, 45 and 54 in. art linens.

40 in. Silk Foulards, Georgette Crepe (flowered) and 36 in. Flesh Wash Satin, all at per yard	$1.00
Romper cloths for play suits at, yd.	19c
Winter plaids for school dresses	32c
Kimona cotton crepe at per yard	22c
Laces! Laces! Laces! A great big Special Lace Sale at per yard	5c
25c Face veils, with elastic, special each	15c
Ladies' handkerchiefs, each	5c
New neckwear, each	65c
A new assortment of Mantle Clocks, special each	$5.95

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Primrose and Bridal Wreath Patterns, guaranteed for 10 years.

Tea Spoons, set of 6	$1.50
Coffee Spoons, set of 6	$1.25
Table Spoons, set of 6	$2.85
Soup Spoons, set of 6	$2.95
Large Berry Spoons, each	$1.75
Gravy Ladles, each	$1.25
6 Salad Forks	$3.50
Cold Meat Forks, each	95c
Butler Knife and Sugar Spoon	$1.25
3-piece Child's sets	$1.15
6 Fruit Knives, set	$2.95
26-Piece with chest, 6 each dinner knives, forks, tea spoons, table spoons; 1 butter knife, 1 sugar spoon, entire set	$13.50
Knife and Fork sets, 6 each dinner knives and forks	$5.95

See Our Special Ad in the Market Day Section

1847 Rogers Bros.

HIGHEST QUALITY SILVERWARE

Old Colony, Cromwell and Ambassador Patterns

Tea Spoons, set of 6	$3.50
Dessert Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Table Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Soup Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Orange Spoons, set of 6	$4.95
Berry Spoons, each	$3.00
Gravy Ladles, each	$2.50
Salad Forks, set of 6	$6.50
Cold Meat Forks, each	$2.00
Pickle Forks, each	$1.50
Ind. Butter Spreaders, 6 at	$5.95
Butter Knife and Sugar Shell, each	$1.25
Knife and Fork Sets, consisting of 6 hollow handle knives and 6 flat forks, per set	$16.95
26 Piece Sets, with hollow handle knives and chest	$32.50

Postage paid to any address.

26-Piece Set in DeLuxe Chest with hollow handle knives, set $32.50

Another useful gift. This set has 6 hollow handle dinner knives, 6 flat handle dinner forks, 6 teaspoons, 1 butter knife and 1 sugar spoon. A very neat seal grained leatherette case with royal blue velvet lining. We pay all shipping charges.

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Grosvenor, Patrician and Adam Patterns Always in Stock

Tea Spoons, set of 6	$3.50
Dessert Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Table Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Soup Spoons, set of 6	$6.95
Orange Spoons, set of 6	$4.95
Berry Spoons, each	$3.00
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ONE MERCHANT'S VIEW.

The president of one of the largest merchandising houses in Thief River Falls does not regard the wheat failure this year as an unmixed evil. In fact, he is rather of the opinion that another season just like it might prove a good thing. And there will be such other seasons according to his way of thinking, until the farmers learn that this particular section is not a wheat producer in the same sense as the prairie lands of the Dakotas and Western Canada.

"During the past twenty-five years," said the merchant, "the seasons in which corn has been a good crop have been more numerous than the wheat years. A corn crop is never a total failure. Six years ago came the closest to it of any since I have lived here, and that happened to be an abnormal wheat season. You can always get something out of corn. If the ears do not ripen you still have the green fodder for ensilage. Feed this to cattle and the revenue is steady and growing all the time.

"A few years ago the conditions now confronting the Northwest would have spelled ruin to many farmers. Now it is different. They have learned that wheat is not to be depended on and have provided against a poor crop. It will take some time yet to break away from the old idea entirely, but it is surely coming."

And he is right. Go out into the country and the farmers you meet will tell you that their wheat crop did not turn out well, but they will tell you in such a way as to make you feel that they are through depending on it and are already changing their method of farming. Other more interesting and more profitable lines of work are taking up their attention and with many wheat is no longer the most important factor.

Herds of cattle, silos, fields of clover, fifty-acre plots of potatoes and corn, and other evidence of progress along the line of diversified farming are to be seen on all sides, convincing proof that this particular section of northwestern Minnesota at last is casting into the discard the "small grain" farming idea.

HOW ABOUT IT?

With the approach of time for the election of city officials comes the usual criticism of the present administration and the offering of suggestions for the betterment of civic conditions. With some it is merely an opportunity to express themselves as opposed to some particular official, against whom they have a personal grievance. The criticism of others is along constructive lines. The former should not even be accorded an audience, but the latter is the type of citizen who should be given a hearing.

With people who have given the matter of the city's business serious thought there seems to be a unanimous conclusion. That is that the charter under which the city is operating at the present time is entirely inadequate and does not in any particular fill the needs of the city as it is today. A different method of handling the business of the city seems to be imperative. Some favor the commission form of government, some the city manager, and other have still different ideas.

Wouldn't it be a good idea to give this matter serious consideration at this time and again make an effort at least to adopt a charter that will come nearer meeting the present needs of the city than to continue to labor along under the present arrangement?

And the paving work continues. With any kind of luck the contractors should be operating in front of the Hicks establishment in a few days.

Why all this noise from Twin City sources about replacing Senator Kellogg? Is it because of his record in congress or has the junior senator failed to serve the "interests" according to their wishes? What is the game? Who is their man? We are looking for information.

Governor Preus is quoted as feeling the immediate need of a state constabulary because of the alarming increase in lawlessness in the "smaller" communities of the state. The only thing we have to remind us of this lawlessness is the details of robberies, hold-ups, murders and divorce cases happening in the Twin Cities and other large centers which we get through the daily papers. We may need a state constabulary, Governor, but keep it in the Twin Cities.

Red River Valley Gets Good Boost in St. Paul Pioneer Press Editorial

(St. Paul Pioneer Press.)

An empire is awaiting development in the Red River valley country. More than 2,000,000 unused acres are to be found in this section of Minnesota, and there is a very great need of well directed effort looking towards the exploitation and proper development of these fertile lands.

For 30 miles eastward from the Red River of the North the valley is well settled and long has been famed for its production of wheat. This situation has led to the general belief that the whole territory has reached a high stage of agricultural development. This, however, is not the case. In Clearwater, Mahnomen and Roseau counties and in the eastern parts of Clay, Polk, Marshall and Kittson counties there is much waste land capable of being made productive with but little effort. All of it is adjacent to good markets and state highways rapidly are robbing the most distant sections of their former isolation.

The recently re-organized Red River Valley development association is doing a mighty good work in pointing out the needs and desires of the valley country. The association is composed of 11 county farm bureaus and 27 commercial clubs and has adopted a far-reaching and significant program. In addition to securing settlers for the vacant acres it proposes to stimulate the movement toward farm division. Up to very recently the Red River farms have been excessively large, and the operators were compelled to specialize on a single crop—wheat. Of late, however, there has been a tendency to split up the larger holdings, begun by the sale into smaller tracts of the great James J. Hill farm near Northome in Kittson county. With a smaller acreage to care for the farmer is enabled to diversify his income sources and to engage in such profitable lines as dairying and stock raising in addition to the growing of grains.

It generally is recognized that the day of the bonanza farm has passed. Large tracts under modern conditions cannot be economically operated by an individual, or even by a corporation. The larger the number of farms, and the consequent increase in intensive farming practices, the more prosperous the whole community. This has been demonstrated in Southern Minnesota, where the process of farm division is still going on, and now is fully appreciated in the valley country as well.

That this district is admirably suited for cattle raising has already been established. The Holstein herds at Warren and the Green Duroc pigs at Stephen are examples of what has been accomplished, and the winter livestock show at Crookston under the auspices of the Northwest school of agriculture will enlighten anyone who thinks that the valley is suited for wheat alone. The cheese made in Gentilly, Polk county, is nationally famous and dairying is rapidly coming to the front in other towns. Red Lake has many Guernsey herds and the inhabitants of this small county are advanced in their agricultural methods, and the same is true of Pennington county.

The problem of Roseau county is peat lands. However, the University of Minnesota experts are solving this satisfactorily as a visit to the Golden Valley peat farm, east of Holt, which the University operates, will demonstrate. By the simple addition of acid phosphates to this soil it can be made as profitable as any in the state. Corn nine feet high is not uncommon today in Roseau.

Those of us who are inclined to think of Minnesota as having reached its maximum in production should remember that the days of the pioneer have not yet ended in the great north country. In its efforts to make the unused valley acres productive and profitable, and contributors to the tax burden, and to modernize agricultural methods, the Red River Valley Development association is entitled not only to the thanks but to the co-operation and support of the state and nation. It is just such organizations which have led the way always towards community building and community prosperity.

Dr. Spofford
OPTOMETRIST

will make regular visits to Thief River Falls as usual during the coming fall, winter and spring. Watch for dates later.

We wish to announce also that we have installed lens-grinding machinery at the Long Prairie office and can make most lenses in a few hours. Send us your broken glasses for quick repairs.

Thief River Clinic
Citizens' Bank Building
Staff:
Dr. O. F. Mellby
Dr. H. W. Froehlich Dr. L. F. Fisher

American Legion Corner

It was at the conclusion of one of the sessions of the Spanish War Veterans National convention held recently in Minneapolis, which had just been addressed by the Minnesota Legion Commander, Dr. Arthur A. Van Dyke, that the chairman remarked: "Gentlemen, there are times when words will not express our sentiments. This is such a time. And so, in honor of the memory of our beloved former national commander, Carl C. Van Dyke, who died in the service of his people, and in memory of the men of the Legion who gave their lives in France, let us stand with bowed heads for one minute in silent remembrance." Carl C. Van Dyke died while representing St. Paul as congressman at Washington, D. C.

In addition to the ten obsolete rifles and equipment which are issued free to American Legion posts upon application on special blanks to be had from state Legion headquarters, they may purchase from the Chief of Ordnance, War Department, Washington, D. C., by sending request accompanied by postal of express money order, obsolete rifles at the following rates: Springfield rifle, $1.50; Krag rifle, $6; Springfield carbine, $1; Krag carbine, $5. These are suitable for use at the funerals of comrades or on patriotic occasions.

Among the posts which recently have had the honor of conducting military funerals at the final interment of buddies after whom their posts were named, are the Nels T. Wold Post, Crookston; the Austin F. Hanscom Post, Willmar; the Frank Indihar Post, Gilbert, the Luther I. Snapp Post, Marshall; the Arthur Calvin Post, Worthington, the William Roubideau Post, International Falls, and the Everett H. Hale Post, Spring Valley. Invariably they have reported that thousands have attended the services, the funerals being the largest ever held in the vicinity. At Willmar, six black horses pulled the caisson and 16 Legionaires fired the final salute. At Spring Valley the funeral of Everett H. Hale was attended, not only by Legionaires of the surrounding posts, but a delegation from the Everett H. Hale Legion Post of Chippewa Falls, Wis., named after the same veteran.

From every part of the state, Minnesota Legionaires are addressing state headquarters concerning reservations on the special train to Kansas City to attend the Legion National convention. Chisholm Post writes: "Keep places for 15 Legionaires from this burg." Willmar Post declares: "Members of our post plan attending the national convention in large numbers and are arranging for a special car, Willmar to St. Paul, to be attached to the Minnesota Legion Special from St. Paul to Kansas City." Second district officers expect to have one hundred or more in the second district delegation to join the special for Kansas City. All these buddies are going because of their interest, not as official delegates with votes, of which Minnesota expects to have 35 at the convention and about 25 at the Legion Auxiliary convention. While the regular fare to Kansas City is about $30, the low rate for the Legion convention is $10.61 from the Twin Cities, or 1c per mile from any point in Minnesota.

"Do it now!" was the slogan given to Minnesota employers at a meeting of state-wide importance Sept. 15, by State Commander Van Dyke, who is working night and day on plans to keep ex-service men employed during the coming winter. Already more than 50 per cent of all employes of the Minnesota highway department are ex-service men, and the department has promised Commander Van Dyke to give service men preference if plans for keeping road work in Minnesota going through the winter materialize. But the Legion is to give just as much attention to the small employers of labor, and if they can be induced to "do it now," thousands of service men will be kept busy until the emergency is over.

Fifty Legionaires from Duluth were among those who helped keep the forest fires under control in northern Minnesota until rain brought relief. Many other Legionaires were in the job in their capacity as National Guardsmen, among them being Legion State Commander Van Dyke and State Adjutant Stafford King. The latter with a little band of St. Paul guardmen was surrounded by a ring of fire, and only by covering their faces with handkerchiefs soaked with water from their canteens, and lying down in dense green foliage while the fire swept overhead, did they escape.

The big "Clean-up Drive" is on. Thousands of Minnesota veterans will soon be given the right to take vocational training. Many places will be needed in which to train these men. Legion posts are helping find such places by interviewing those in charge of county headquarters, where opinions in such lines as accounting, stenography, drafting, etc., are being found, and are reporting these to the district manager. Where the Legion has a county central committee, the committee is bringing the full influence of the county Legion body to bear along this line.

It is the hope of Minnesota's official Legion band from the David Wisted Post of Duluth to win both cash and honor for Minnesota at the Legion national convention, where a band contest will be staged, with a first prize of $1,000, second $500, third $250, in addition to many other prizes. The bands will be judged as they lead their home state delegations in the great convention parade. Legionaires of Minnesota will be proud to march behind their official band and are confident that it will come out on top, in spite of the fact that hundreds of Legion bands from every state in the Union expect to compete.

New Ulm is preparing to welcome delegates from the 75 Legion posts in the district Oct. 7 and 8, when the Second District Legion convention meets there. The second district has more than a thousand paid-up Legionaires, all actively interested in the welfare of their organization. State officers of the Minnesota Legion and its Auxiliary expect to attend. District officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

Same in Pennington.

(Bemidji Sentinel.)

Inflated values, which may truly be termed an economic curse, whether they be in a suit of clothing or in lands, have not affected Beltrami county as far as farm lands are concerned, but this part of the state with its rich agricultural lands offers to the prospective farmer real values at an exceptionally low price.

The fertility of northern Minnesota lands cannot be denied, and Beltrami county's record at the Minnesota State Fair is proof that no lands in the Northwest are more productive than the lands of this section.

Well knowing the fertility of the soil here, land men of this vicinity, contrary to the usual practice, have refused to boost land prices, which might mean greater commissions to them, but have endeavored to keep the price of land down that the development of this part of the state would not be retarded. The result has been that Beltrami county is now one of the few places where rich agricultural lands may be obtained at a moderate price and land men of the city believe this fact will help in inducing settlers to this part of the state.

The fact that land can be purchased here at a reasonable price means much to the prospective settler, who perhaps has no great amount of capital to place in an initial investment. A reasonable purchase price for the land also means that he will have a larger working capital with which he may clear his land or purchase stock and equipment.

Land men of this city are interested in developing the country and they believe that reasonable land prices will induce settlers to come here. Once settled, the land's fertility assures a rapid development of the agricultural resources here.

Railroad Rates.

(Crookston Times.)

It is said that the railroads intend to ask for permission to make another wage cut before long, and that if they get it, they will then lower rates.

If the roads are wise, they will reverse the process. It is not likely that the Interstate Commerce Commission, however generously inclined it may be, will consent to another wage cut while rates remain as high as they are. It is still less likely that the railroad employes would accept a second cut without a rate cut cut coming first, or that the public would support any such procedure.

The demand for lower rates is growing stronger right along. It has been given much impetus by the action of Henry Ford, in making big rate reductions on his railroad. It is observed that Mr. Ford not only did it without reducing wages, but accompanied the rate cut with a wage raise. There will be no general demand for the other railroad owners to follow Mr. Ford's spectacular business methods, but the lesson of his example is not lost on the public.

He is in the railroad business presumably to make money. He evidently expects to make more money from low rates, through increased volume of traffic. He is merely doing what many disinterested experts have long told the other railroads they ought to do, and what the public expects them to do.

As matters stand, they are holding back the country's prosperity by maintaining freight and passenger rates that act to a large extent as an embargo on business, and in doing so they are probably holding back their own prosperity.

Auction sale, Sept. 27, at Carl Talley's near Mavie. Horses, cattle, machinery and some household goods will be sold. S-22

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to take this opportunity of extending our heartfelt thanks to the kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved father and grandfather. Also the Zion Lutheran ladies for the beautiful floral offering.—Mrs. Olava Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kjorsvik, Alf. Anderson. S-22

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IT is characteristic of folks after they pass the allotted "three score years and ten," to look back over the days that are gone and thoughtfully live them over.

I find myself, at seventy-one, frequently drifting back a quarter of a century, when I see myself in the little drug store I owned at Bolivar, Mo., making and selling a vegetable compound to my friends and customers—what was then known only as Dr. Lewis' Medicine for Stomach, Liver and Bowel Complaints.

For many years while I was perfecting my formula I studied and investigated the laxatives and cathartics on the market and became convinced that their main fault was not that they did not act on the bowels, but that their action was too violent and drastic, and upset the system of the user; which was due to the fact that they were not thorough enough in their action, some simply acting on the upper or small intestines, while others would act only on the lower or large intestines, and that they almost invariably produced a habit requiring augmented doses.

I believed that a preparation to produce the best effect must first tone the liver, then act on the stomach and entire alimentary system. If this was accomplished, the medicine would produce a mild, but thorough elimination of the waste without the usual sickening sensations, and make the user feel better at once.

After experimenting with hundreds of different compounds, I at last perfected the formula that is now known as Nature's Remedy, which I truly believe goes further and does more than any laxative on the market today. The thousands of letters from users have convinced me I was right, and that the user of Nature's Remedy as a family medicine, even though he may have used it for twenty-five years, never has to increase the dose.

My knowledge of medicine and the results of its use in my own family and among my friends, before I ever offered it for sale, caused me to have great faith in Nature's Remedy from the very first.

And now as I find myself nearing the age when I must bow to the inevitable and go to another life, my greatest pleasure is to sit each day and read the letters that each mail brings from people as old or older than I, who tell of having used Nature's Remedy for ten, fifteen and twenty years, and how they and their children and grandchildren have been benefited by it.

It is a consoling thought, my friends, for a man at my age to feel that aside from his own success, one has done something for his fellow man. My greatest satisfaction, my greatest happiness today, is the knowledge that tonight more than one million people will take a Nature's Remedy (NR Tablet) and will be better, healthier, happier people for it. I hope you will be one of them.

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STEENERSON VISITS CANADA TO ACQUIRE GRAIN GRADE FACTS

Gives Out Interesting Information in Comparing System With That Used Here.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson made a trip to Canada last week for the purpose of securing first hand information relative to the grain grading system in use there. The following interview obtained from him by the Crookston Times contains a number of interesting facts:

"Congressman Steenerson, accompanied by two experts from the state grain inspection service, representing Mr. O. P. B. Jacobson, chairman of the Railroad and Warehouse Commission, spent yesterday in Winnipeg studying the Canadian methods of handling and grading grain with a view to using the information gained in support of the Steenerson grain grading bill pending in congress. He is much pleased with the result of the trip.

"Through a letter written by Dr. N. M. Watson, of Red Lake Falls, to his cousin, Lieutenant-Colonel Watson, of Winnipeg, Mr. Steenerson was accorded every courtesy by the mayor of Winnipeg and by dominion officials and was enabled to get information that would have otherwise been difficult to obtain.

"Mr. Steenerson's object in making the trip was to get information upon *the Canadian system of wheat grading* to be used in support of his grain grading bill now pending in congress. In discussing the matter today he said:

"'The two principal changes in grade requirements in the Steenerson bill are: First, all foreign material in wheat, except rye, shall be classed as dockage, and all dockable shall be designated on the grade certificate, but shall not affect the grade. Second, all moisture in excess of 14½ per cent shall be designated on the grade certificate, but shall not affect the grade.

"'With us, over one-half of one cent of such weed seeds as wild peas or king head, degrades the wheat to No. 2, and three per cent to No. 5, a loss of 40 cents per bushel, although the wheat is No. 1 in every other respect. In Canada all foreign material is called dockage and deducted from the total weight. On a 1000-bushel car, 3 per cent dockage would be 30 bushels deduction, which at $1.50 per bushel would amount to only $45.00, but the difference between No. 1 and No. 5 grade is about 40 cents per bushel or $400 on 1000 bushels, a loss to the farmer of $355 a car.

"'Both excessive moisture and weed seeds can be taken out with modern machinery at terminal elevators and mills at an expense of from two to five cents per bushel so there is no excuse for thus grading down perfect wheat for these reasons.'"

PRESSURE TO SELL OPPOSED BY HOOVER

Forty Per Cent of 1921 Wheat Crop Dumped in 30 Days, Statement of Secretary.

Forty per cent of the 1921 grain crop of the United States has been dumped on the market in the first 30 days of the harvest season and has depressed the prices received by the farmer far below the actual value of the grain, Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, says in a statement prepared for the American Farm Bureau federation.

"Farmers this year are marketing wheat at an absolutely unparalleled rate," Mr. Hoover's statement said, "receipts at western primary terminals showing over 130,000,000 bushels during the first 30 days of this harvest year, as compared with 68,000,000 in the same period last year out of a larger crop.

"The proportion of wheat reaching primary terminals to the total amount sold by farmers varies. Assuming the maximum ratio ever known for this period, the terminal figures indicate that at least 265,000,000 bushels have already been sold. On an average ratio, a total sale of about 330,000,000 bushels is indicated. In other words, after deducting seed, etc., at least 40 per cent of the crop already has passed out of the hands of the farmer in 30 days.

"This is overmarketing, and has undoubtedly depressed the price. There is complaint from some sections that the farmer is being forced to sell by his creditors.

"There can be no sound reason for any such pressure in view of liberal provisions for marketing credit, both by federal reserve board and war finance corporation."

TOTAL INCOME TAX FIGURES IN STATE SHOWN BY RETURNS

Minnesota, Compared to Other Parts of Country, Pays Liberal Share of Taxes.

Federal personal income tax returns filed in Minnesota in 1919 reached a total of 123,914, which was 2.32 per cent of the entire number filed in the United States. The total net income reported by these returns was $383,920,683, while the tax paid on them was $15,696,465, which was 1.24 per cent of the total personal income tax paid in the entire country.

In the nation at large 5.83 per cent of the people filed personal income tax returns, while in Minnesota 5.10 per cent filed them. The average net income per return for the United States was $3,724.05, and in Minnesota it was $3,098.28. The personal income tax per capita for the United States amounted to $11.98, and in Minnesota it was $6.58. The average amount of the personal income tax per return in the United States was $238.08, and in Minnesota it was $126.67.

Minnesota's position in the order of magnitude as to all the states and territories in the union, in the per cent of population filing returns was 25th, and 39th in the average net income per return. Its position as to per capita income tax was 22nd and 20th in the average amount of tax per return.

WARNING ISSUED IN WAR ON PARALYSIS

Many Cases of Dreaded Disease Reported From All Sections of State This Summer.

Many cases of infantile paralysis meningitis are being reported from various localities in this state and many deaths have resulted. As far as we know no case has yet developed in Pennington county. In view of the danger, however, the following valuable information regarding precautions which should be taken against the disease, has been prepared by specialists on the state board of health:

1. Keep the children off from the streets.
2. Do not let them play with any children or associate with adults who are not entirely well.
3. Keep them as quiet as possible and be sure they get a full amount of rest and sleep.
4. Keep the house properly screened and swat every fly that gets inside.
5. Keep sick persons who do not belong in your house out of the house.
6. Be careful as to what goes into the mouth. Wash children's hands frequently. Cultivate the habit of keeping fingers and things not to be eaten out of the mouth.
7. Be careful as to food. Make sure that hands are washed thoroughly just before eating. Avoid eating uncooked foods and vegetables that have been handled by unknown hands or that have been exposed to street dust or to flies. Make sure that all fruit consumed is ripe and not over-ripe or decayed.
8. Use individual drinking cups and do not use your cup for a dipper or a dipper for a cup.

If one of the children or an adult in your family appears sick or complains of not feeling well, separate that person from the rest of the family and call a doctor at once. Do not allow any visitor to enter your house.

After waiting upon the sick person be sure to wash your hands immediately and again before eating or preparing food for others.

Collect nose and throat discharges in paper napkins or in small pieces of old cloth and burn immediately.

Bowel and bladder discharges must be disinfected before depositing in sewer or cesspool or elsewhere. To disinfect use 5 per cent formalin solution, or a 5 per cent carbolic acid solution, or such other disinfectant as your physician or health officer shall advise. Always use as much of the disinfectant solution as there is of the discharges to be disinfected.

Obey directions of your doctor and your health officer.

One-fifth of all persons sick with poliomyelitis die and that many who survive remain more or less disabled throughout their life-time.

Three-fourths of all cases occur in children under ten years of age.

It pays to be careful, first to the children, secondly as to the grown-ups.

Auction Sale.

My entire farm equipment will be sold at auction on my farm near Mavie on Tuesday, Sept. 27. Carl Talley. S-22

Why Can't They Agree?

(Baudette Region.)

What is there about life on a homestead that so frequently makes people so bitter? One would imagine that with neighbors living at least a quarter of a mile apart they would be able to get along, especially in a new country, where co-operation means so much to everybody, but in many cases they fight like the well known Kilkenny cats. Take the Miller-Bowman case, for instance.

A year ago Robert Miller and Ellis Bowman, south of Baudette, quarreled over the ownership of a few dollars worth of hay, and note the events that have followed:

Archie Fenton, an innocent bystander, was killed, leaving a wife and child with no means of support.

Robert Miller is serving a life term in prison, leaving his wife and five children destitute.

George Miller had to undergo a gruelling trial for murder, which cost him hundreds of dollars.

Ole Hanson, another innocent bystander, was brutally beaten up, and Herb Hendry, who also had no interest in the original dispute, got a couple of black eyes out of it.

Ellis Bowman and his wife are out on bonds awaiting trial for assault.

And on top of it all, the taxpayers of Beltrami county have had to dig up thousands of dollars in court expenses.

And the end is not yet.

"Clean-Up Campaign" On.

An opportunity will be given every veteran of the World war in Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties to receive assistance in the settling of claims for compensation, advice as to hospitalization of vocational education or information relative to any problems arising from this war service, on Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, when the local "Clean-Up" campaign is on. The Red Cross and American Legion are participating in this work at the request of the government and a united effort is being made to help every ex-service man who needs assistance of any sort.

The "Clean Up" squad will make its headquarters in Thief River Falls. Its members include a medical examiner and a representative of the Rehabilitation Examiner, a Compensation and Insurance Claims Contact Examiner, and representatives from the Red Cross and the American Legion. They may be seen daily between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. Persons who have made previous claims which they believe were not satisfactorily adjusted may apply for a reopening of their cases, as well as men desiring vocational training or awaiting claim adjustments.

An especial effort is being made to get in touch with every man who is in any way entitled to assistance. Where it is not possible because of illness or disability to present claims in person, the local Red Cross workers will endeavor to assist in getting necessary information to members of the squad.

As this is the most intensive effort which has yet been made to locate all claimants and adjust their claims satisfactorily, the co-operation of every resident is asked in reaching these cases. Additional information may be secured at Red Cross headquarters.

THAT DULL ACHING

Don't worry and complain about a bad back. Get rid of it! For weak kidneys, lame and achy backs, your neighbors recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. Ed. Aga, 803 Horace Ave., N., Thief River Falls, says: "I had a spell of kidney trouble that put me in a bad way. My kidneys were weak and caused me all sorts of misery. I got very little rest and mornings I felt all tired out. During the day if I stood for any length of time, my limbs would swell and pain me. I had such a dull, bearing-down feeling, too, and a dull, steady ache across the small of my back. My back gave out before my work was half finished. I had to go to bed finally and not until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills was I rid of the trouble. Two boxes of Doan's *completely cured me and I have had no* return of it.

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GRAIN GROWERS PLAN CAMPAIGN FOR GRAIN POOL

Action Taken Despite Refusal of Farm Bureau Federation to Co-Operate.

Buying and Selling For Four States Will Be Directed From Minneapolis.

Organiganization is Preparing to Handle 25,000,000 Bushels—Starts Tuesday.

The United States Grain Growers, Inc., yesterday engaged a suite of offices in the Corn Exchange building, Minneapolis, for the establishment of headquarters for the Second district. Northwest directors announced that 40 organizers will be placed in the field in Minnesota next Tuesday to enlist grain growers in the grain selling organization.

This action, the directors said, followed determination to go ahead with plans to enlist Northwest farmers in spite of the refusal of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation to co-operate.

Headquarters For Four States.

The Second district, for which Minneapolis will be headquarters, will include Minnesota, Wisconsin, North Dakota and Montana. Organizers have already been obtained and trained by B. H. Critchfield, who will be in charge of the Minneapolis offices.

The plan under which the United Grain Growers is to work, R. L. Harmen, secretary to J. M. Anderson, declared, is known as the "one year voluntary pool" plan. This replaces the original idea of a five year compulsory pool, which has met with the opposition of the federal government.

J. M. Anderson, one of the Northwest directors, has left for Washington to confer with Eugene Meyer, Jr., head of the War Finance corporation, concerning funds to aid grain growers of the Northwest. The only stipulation Mr. Meyer is said to have made is that farmers who pool their grain with the United Grain Growers shall agree that their product may be sold whenever officials believe the time is suitable. This agreement the government is said to insist upon, so that individual farmers shall not withhold their grain from the market indefinitely in the hope of a rising market.

The move to enlist Northwest grain growers in the United States Grain Growers is to be directed by J. M. Anderson, W. F. Schilling and U. L. Burdick of Fargo, N. D., Northwest directors.

Hope For 25,000,000 Bushels.

In a statement issued, the directors indicated that their organization hopes to handle at least 25,000,000 bushels of grain during the next crop year.

The principal purpose of the organization, it was stated, is to prevent speculators getting control of the wheat crop and to prevent too rapid a sale of this year's crop, keeping the supply in excess of the demand.

Because of business conditions, it was stated that farmers are marketing their grain at an unparallelled rate, altogether too rapidly for absorption. The farmers must liquidate their crops, it was declared, and in order to give them that chance without compelling them to sell their grain to speculators, finances have been arranged so that they will get an advance of about 60 per cent on grain which they put in the Grain Growers' pool.

The statement calls attention to a telegram just received from Herbert Hoover, pointing out that 40 per cent of the crop has been marketed in the first 30 days, as evidence of the danger to farmers in the necessity for selling all their product to speculators while the market prices are low.

GREAT FEATURE AT LOKEN'S WEDNESDAY

Two Thousand Packages Assembled For Unusual 25c Grab Box Sale.

Loken Brothers this week announce *a big special attraction at their store* for Market Day, Wednesday, Sept. 28. Two thousand items of merchandise have been assembled in that many boxes and these are to be placed on sale in a big 25c grab box event at 10 o'clock on the morning of Market Day.

Each box will contain at least 25c worth of merchandise and a number will draw valuable prizes in addition to this. Coats, dresses, sweaters, shoes, waists, silverware, clocks, and numerous other items of many dollars' value will be given away in the packages. It is a novel undertaking and one that will make the big department store a popular place on Market Day.—S-22

CREAMERY REPORT SHOWS WONDERFUL BUSINESS INCREASE

Receipts For Month Forty-Six Per Cent Greater Than Same Period Last Year.

The monthly statement of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery for August reflects the steady growth of the dairying industry in this section. The amount of cream received shows an increase of 46 per cent over the same month last year, a condition which is highly satisfactory to the directors and patrons of this enterprising establishment.

The total amount of money paid to patrons of the creamery for the month was $30,529.11. This is practically $1,000 a day for every day in the month that farmers in this vicinity received for cream during the month of August.

Following is a list of the patrons who received $50 or over:

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McGinn Out For Team.

Sport writers on Twin City papers during the past week have mentioned Dennis McGinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McGinn of this city, as one of the promising candidates for a backfield position on the St. Thomas football team this season. Dennis has many friends here who will watch his athletic career at college with great interest.

DISABLED VETERANS HELPED BY AMERICAN RED CROSS

With the signing of the Sweet bill for the relief of disabled veterans of the World war, added impetus is furnished the "Clean Up" campaign being carried on by the national government with the co-operation of the American Red Cross and American Legion. In view of the fact that one of these "Clean Up" squads, which comprises a medical examiner, a compensation and insurance claims contact examiner, as well as a representative of the federal board of vocational education, also one from the Red Cross and the American Legion, will visit all the counties in every state, the work which the Red Cross is carrying on all over the country in behalf of the ex-service men is of especial interest.

Last year the American Red Cross spent approximately $10,000,000 in serving disabled ex-service men and their families. This one department of Red Cross activity cost nearly $4,000,000 more than the total receipts from last year's membership dues.

Of the men discharged from the army and navy and yet entitled to governmental medical treatment and aid, there are at present 26,300 men in government and contract hospitals throughout the country. This is eight times the number cared for in 1919 and the number of these cases needing treatment will undoubtedly continue to increase rapidly for several years. According to a statement from the surgeon general's office of the army, the peak of disability will probably not be reached before 1921 if it is then.

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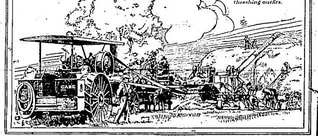

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Salutation.

Greetings, friends, one and all!

With this issue the High School Progress makes its debut for the school year 1921-1922. In making this bow of greeting we are mindful of the high standard set by our predecessors. We are mindful, too, of the work and responsibilities shouldered upon us, for to maintain the high standard referred to is by no means a simple task. Yet it is our aim, ambition and resolve to do so. Whether we shall succeed, time alone will tell. Our keen realization, however, of what has gone before, together with a clear conception of the magnitude of our responsibilities as well as our determination to "Sail on" ought to bring the desired results.

That the High School Progress has been a source of both pleasure and profit to those both in and out of Thief River High School admits of no argument. It is a factor of our high school of which everyone interested in our school in particular and education *in general is and ought to* be proud. It is up to us, therefore, to give it our best. Let it be one of the resolutions of each and every member of our high school body to give it his material and moral support.

Getting Started.

You are back to school again, but do you know why? Is it because you feel there is nothing else to do, or, is it because you have firmly in your heart and mind a desire to accomplish something worth while?

Have you ever thought what it really means to get started?" You know there are two ways of getting started. They are the right and the wrong way. Certainly you want to start in the right way, so your ambition should be to make the most of your school career. "Get behind and push" should be your slogan, not "hang on and drag."

The Thief River Falls High School has no time to waste on ambitionless students. She must give all her time to the ambitious and social students, students that co-operate in their work and play. Your attitude toward your work will depend upon the aims or desires which you wish to accomplish. "Am I getting started in the right way?"—M. S. '22.

To the Faculty.

It is the opening of another school year. There is practically an entire new faculty. The students and the faculty are yet to become acquainted and to learn to know and to understand each other. It is the desire of the students that this acquaintanceship that must necessarily follow from the association and relationship as students upon the one hand and the faculty members upon the other will develop an understanding that will bring about a real and lasting school spirit.

The student body welcomes the members of the faculty to this school and community and wishes to and will co-operate with them in making this a most successful school year.—M. M. '23.

High School Organization.

The importance of good organization in the high school cannot be overestimated. The success of the high school depends largely upon the proper organization of the work just as the success of an athletic sport, of a business, or of a war depends upon the kind of organization that is used. In our complex life of today we fail in the sports, business and wars that are poorly organized; and succeed in those well organized. A foot ball team that is poorly coached and poorly organized cannot win; a business man who cannot organize and does not have a system today, is doomed to failure from the beginning. The Allies turned the World war in their favor only after completing a more perfect war machine than Germany had through co-operation and subordination. Good organization means a high degree of co-operation. It meant placing two millions of our American soldiers under the supreme command of a French general, but it gave the Allies the organization that was lacking and the war was won. May we have the same high degree of co-operation from students, teachers and parents in effecting the best possible organization in our high school in order that we may do the most efficient work.

We are living in the midst of hard times when the dollar means more than it has meant for years, so boys and girls and fellow teachers, let us help spend every dollar appropriated for school purposes in Thief River Falls to the best advantage by using every minute of our school time profitably.

If we are making changes, some of which may not even be to your liking, their purpose is to better our organization. However, we are only aiming to keep our high school on the same high plane on which we find other high schools of our size. We expect no more from our students and teachers than is expected elsewhere, and our system is not to be very different from any other good system.

To accomplish our aims certain restrictions are necessary. School rules should be looked upon from the same point of view as laws. Laws in society and rules in school are made not to restrict freedom, but to give the greatest freedom to the largest number. Would we have freedom without our laws? No, because the majority of us would continually be annoyed, hampered and abused in our peaceful pursuits of life by the unfair and lawless element.

Most boys and girls come to school to work, but they cannot accomplish good results without favorable working conditions. It is rude and unfair for a few boys and girls to be permitted to disturb the great majority of the boys and girls who come to school to work and to accomplish something. Even in play we cannot have unlimited freedom. In football or basket ball each member of the team must play according to certain rules laid down for his particular position. A player who cannot co-operate must give way to someone else. The same is true in business. An employe who will not co-operate with his fellow employes and with his employer loses his job.

The Allies won the World war through co-operation and organization. Let us follow their example by getting out to win everything that pertains to the Thief River Falls High School through the same successful methods.—M. P. Rapacz, Prin.

First General Assembly.

The first General Assembly this year was held Wednesday morning *at 11:30. These meetings are to be* regular weekly events hereafter. Class periods will be shortened five minutes on Wednesday forenoons so as to provide for such a period. This will give the student body an opportunity to get together for convocation purposes. Worthwhile local talent will be invited to appear from time to time.

The students were fortunate in securing an address by Dr. H. W. Froehlich for the first meeting. Dr. Froehlich, who is president of the school board, brought to the students first the greetings of the board, expressing their good wishes and their expectation of fine things to be accomplished in the school this year.

He then spoke to them of the advantages to be gained from their working together and of the importance of making the most of their opportunities. Knowledge gained from books should not be the only aim, but rather complete by physical, mental and spiritual development. In connection with physical development he referred to the detrimental effects of tobacco and of late hours. He expressed the hope that the school nurse would note a steady improvement in health standards during the year. Dr. Froehlich then mentioned the need of higher moral ideals, especially those—so much neglected these days—of kindness to and respect for our parents. Closely connected with these ideals should be a desire for spiritual well-being. He deplored the indifferent attitude toward the church shown by most young people today. He emphasized the close relationship of all sides of character and the impossibility of high development of one without the others.

The students appreciated Dr. Froehlich's interest in them, and hope to hear from him again at some future meeting.

Music This Year.

We consider ourselves very fortunate in having with us again this year Miss Maude L. Johnson as our music supervisor. "There's music in the air" already, and every indication points to a very successful year in the music department. The students are enthusiastic in the work. Last week we organized a Girls' Glee club with a membership of 25. A Boys' Glee club of 16 members and a high school orchestra with a membership of 12 were also organized last week. We are looking forward to an increased membership of the orchestra, especially in the violin section.

The Girls' Glee club meets every Monday afternoon. During the foot ball season it will be necessary for the Boys' Glee club to meet Tuesday evening instead of Tuesday afternoon. Wednesday afternoon was decided upon as the most favorable time for orchestra practice. The purpose of these organizations is for the musical development of the high school students and during the year their progress may be noted by their appearance on the several school programs.

Aside from the vocal and instrumental classes, the high school program contains a class in harmony and musical history, which is open to all students. Friday forenoons we have our general chorus period.

Much pleasure is expressed over the manner in which the grades have started their work in music for another year. Visitors are welcome at any time and parents are urged to come and see what advancement is being made in music as it acquaints them with the work of their children and encourages those who are conducting the work. Too often it is thought that music is simply "play work" rather than one of the studies, but the work which was accomplished last year and is being continued this year has proven the contrary to be true. Though this success is due in part to the supervisor, it is due principally to the hearty co-operation she received from the grade teachers.

Seniors Organize.

The following officers were elected at the first regular meeting of the Senior class: Johanna Wedul, president; Nora Lindquist, vice president; August Langseth, treasurer; Ruby Bennes, assistant treasurer; Gregory Werstlein, secretary. Class dues for the term were decided upon and other business attended to.

Juniors Organize.

The Junior class organized Friday night with the election of the following officers: Craig Halvorson, president; James Votava, vice president; Nella Knutson, secretary; Allison Stitt, treasurer; Mr. Stenhoff, class advisor.

Teacher Training Dept.

Too long has the idea been prevalent that teachers are "born," not "made." In accordance with this theory many times our rural schools have been taught by teachers with no professional training and oftentimes with but a grammar school education. This condition of rural educational affairs has been unfair to the rural public and hence has placed a premium upon the chance of birthplace and worked disaster to the rural school system.

We do not expect anyone to make a success of the medical profession or of law or dentistry without previous training. Why expect a leader of children to gather all necessary professional training through inspiration? True it is that some have made a success in this profession, even though handicapped by the lack of professional training. But who can measure the success they might have attained or the added service they might have rendered to society equipped with this training?

Leaders in education, who have *been interested in giving to the boys* and girls of the rural districts of Minnesota the best education which society can afford, have realized a need for better trained teachers for they have felt the truth of the statement, "as teacher, so is the school." In an effort to meet this need Teacher Training departments have been established in several high schools throughout the state. Such a department is maintained in the Thief River Falls high school and in the past has rendered efficient service to the rural schools of Pennington and surrounding counties and present indications point to continued service along this line. Thirty-one girls are enrolled in the department for the present school year. Only seniors and post graduates are admitted to the department as the requirements for admission are at least twelve high school credits. Their entire time is devoted to the work of the department, which includes instruction in the academic subjects, such as geography, arithmetic, reading, history, grammar, hygiene, etc., and professional training in pedagogy, child study, rural school management and practice teaching. In the academic subjects, subject matter and method are taught side by side. Opportunity is afforded for practice teaching both in rural and city schools. The success of the professional work of the department has been in a great measure due to the co-operation received from rural school officers and teachers and the grade teachers of our city schools, which is deeply appreciated by the workers in the department.

An effort is being made in the department to develop within the students enrolled a professional attitude toward the work of teaching, an appreciation for the work that is now being done in the rural field, a high standard of academic and professional training, an insight into present day educational problems, and foster the rural spirit, so that as graduates they may render their full measure of service to the rural schools and communities. Our purpose is to train "rural" teachers for rural schools, not "city" teachers for rural schools.—W.

Norse in Our School.

Though the board of education has hired a teacher and made a place for the study of Norse in the high school curriculum, there seems to be little interest manifested in the subject. Not a sufficient number can be mustered for the second year's work to warrant a class. Only five asked for it. In accordance with the rules laid down by the board for the purpose of efficiency in administration, the second year's work had to be dropped for the present at least. Should there not be a revival of interest in the subject it appears it will drop out altogether. There are many patrons and pupils who would dislike to see this happen. This is the time, therefore, to become interested if the course is to be be reinstated next year. There cannot be a class unless there are students to take it. Should there be an adequate number of those starting Norse this year sufficiently interested to complete the two years course provided, classes can be combined next year so as to accommodate those who took Norse I prior to this year as well as those who are taking it this year. In this way only can the second year's work in Norse be reinstated and maintained. Pupils who take Norse I ought to take Norse II. It is clearly up to the parents and pupils. If Norse, or any elective subject for that matter, is to be offered, there must be not less than ten wanting it.

Football Prospects.

After nearly two weeks of real hard practice the football outlook has improved considerably and is now far from discouraging. The various candidates who have so far reported are out every evening working hard learning the fundamentals and conditioning themselves for the grueling contests to follow.

Captain Charles Herron, the fighting tackle, is determined to make a good showing and is setting a pace for his team mates to follow. Backfield men of one or more years experience who have reported are Russell Anderson, Craig Halvorson and Stanley Sorenson. Ernest Barzen is expected out this week. Captain Herron, Melford LaBree, John Hendry and Roy Holmgren are line men who played last year. The first year men who have reported are husky and deserve to be watched as they are out to give the experienced men a battle for their positions.

There are still a number of husky men in school who would make good football material if they would only get out and try. The student body admires a man who will give his best to uphold the honor of the school in the line of athletics. Let's raise the value of our football stock sky high. All together!

Class of 1921.

The graduates of last spring are by no means resting on their laurels. Many of them are assisting their parents in their homes or on the farms, while others are undertaking positions in stores and offices. We have been unable to learn about each one but the following items will be of interest:

Clarissa Hornseth is bookkeeper at The Times office.

Eileen Herron is assistant at Dr. Booren's office.

Lynn Halvorson is in his father's granite works.

Myrtle Krohn is assistant at Dr. Penney's office.

Betsy Ness is cashier at Oen's.

Olive Olson is a clerk at Penney's.

Vallierie Parenteau is a clerk at Mulry's Bazaar.

Doris Richter is high school secretary.

Esther Soards is clerk at Loken's.

Olga Svensguard is in W. J. Brown's office.

The normal girls are teaching in the various schools of the county.

Marshall Race attended summer school at Eau Claire and will teach in North Dakota.

Hugh McDaniel and Edward Fiterman have positions in Minneapolis.

Ruth and Esther Hadrath are student nurses in our local hospital.

Ernest Zeh will attend the University of North Dakota at Grand Forks.

The class will have three representatives at the University of Minnesota: Marguerite DeCremer, Clarence Knudson and Harold Smithers.

Jokes and Personals.

Mr. Jardine: "Are you a Freshman?"

Student: "No,—I am a Scandinavian."

Mr. Stenhoff, in General Science: "What are these spring balances used for?"

Student: "To weigh babies."

Miss Soule to Sewing Class: "I want you to supply yourself with a pair of scissors."

Freshman: "Why do we have to have two?"

Seen on an enrollment card: Address—West of the round house.

Mr. Jardine: "Have any of you pupils read 'Lorna Doone?'"

Student: "What! Lord o' Doom?"

Miss Johnson: "Is it raining?"

Small Grade Boy: "Yes, outside."

Teacher in Primary Room: "What is your father's name?"

Pupil: "I ain't ast 'im yet."

What happened to the happy romance between Sybil and Bernard?

Why did Buster come to school the other day without his raincoat? Raincoats are for rainy days, Buster.

Why the friendliness of Lillian and Nora?

Dramatic Club Organized.

A dramatic club with an enrollment of about 35 members which will take up the study of the modern drama and the great dramatists was organized last week by Miss Chamberlain.

Miss Chamberlain has taken special training in this line of work and she is very competent to make this course interesting and profitable.

In addition to the study of the drama, plays will be acted out. This will be good training and will make the selection of those who will take part in the class play easier.

A short business meeting was held Thursday at which it was decided that the club should meet every Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the high school auditorium, a suitable text book was decided upon and the following officers were elected: Helen Langseth, president; Milton Larson, vice president; Sybil McGinn, secretary; Paul Halseth, treasurer.

The club held its first meeting last Monday evening. The life of Oscar Wilde was studied and discussed.—M. L. '22.

Football Team Equipped.

At a recent meeting of the board of education the sum of $225 was appropriated for the purchase of football uniforms. When this action was announced to the high school, the applause fairly shook the building.

This greatly encourages the boys and a larger number is reporting for practice as a direct consequence. It will be a source of gratification to have one of the best dressed teams in the conference.

The entire high school thanks the school board for this contribution, especially the football players, who will show their appreciation by not only being one of the best dressed, but also the best playing as well as scholastically qualified teams in the conference.—F. E. R. '22.

First Annual Bulletin.

The intricacies of registration were materially lessened by the information set forth in the "First Annual Bulletin." Entrance requirements, a complete high school course of study, and the requirements for graduation were presented in such a way as to be of great assistance to the high school students.

A complete list of the members of the school board and the faculty facilitated the learning of so many new names.

General information on textbooks, report cards, home study, school funds, and compulsory school attendance all added interest to the bulletin.

"The First Annual Bulletin," we feel, was a success in giving the tax payers, parents, and pupils a slight acquaintanceship with their schools, and we hope that this meager acquaintanceship will instill the tax payers and parents with the desire for a more complete acquaintanceship to be gained only by personal contact with their schools.

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Administration's Corner

Under the above title it is planned to give readers of this paper from time to time information in regard to the schools that it is felt the public would like and ought to know.

A question that has been raised frequently of late is that of tuition for so called non-resident pupils in high school. For the information of both our own people and people who are not residents of this district but who would like to send pupils to our high school the tuition law as enacted by the last legislature is hereby given in full:

"For the tuition of non-resident high school pupils, the state shall pay to the school district furnishing *such high school instruction* at the rate of seven dollars ($7.00) per school month, or major fraction thereof, for each such non-resident pupil, for not to exceed ten (10) months in any school year; provided (1) that high school instruction shall mean instruction for pupils who have completed the eight years of the elementary course; (2) that such tuition shall be paid by the state only insofar as any pupil's residence district does not give high school instruction, but this provision shall not apply to non-resident high school pupils residing in unorganized territory; and (3) that the state apportionment for any such non-resident high school pupils shall be paid to the school district in which such non-resident pupils attend a high school. Provided that in all cases where such non-resident pupil is a resident of a state aided rural district, the amount provided by the provisions of this act shall by the disbursing board be deducted from the aid otherwise going to such rural district in all cases where such aided rural school does not levy at least four (4) mills or more upon the property of such district for school purposes."

A careful reading of the above law will disclose, first, that the tuition is to be paid by the state and not by the individual pupil; second, that the tuition will be paid only for pupils residing in districts that do not provide high school privileges; third, that in addition to tuition the state apportionment is paid to the district in which the pupil attends school and not to the district in which he resides; fourth, that in the case of a state aided rural district the amount provided by this act shall be deducted from the aid regularly going to the district unless the district levy is at least four mills for school purposes.

There should be no misunderstanding in regard to this law. It should be understood also that the tuition provided by this act does not pay the cost of maintenance in full per pupil in high school. The high school districts are not getting rich through this act. In fact it costs the district considerably more than $63.00 a year to educate a high school pupil.

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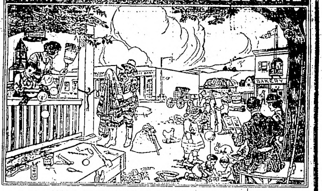

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37.45

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ROSEWOOD

A family by the name of Johnson and comprising Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and two children moved up this week with a carload of property from Mankato and will take up their residence on the old Lars Lee farm southwest of here, which they have purchased.

Misses Gladys Swenson and Annie Blomberg left Saturday evening for an over Sunday stay with friends at Thief River Falls.

Judge A. Grindeland of Warren was here Tuesday on business with Joel Shoberg concerning certain fencing matters.

The Oscar Blomberg family from Crookston came up last Saturday in their car and will spend a few days visiting and hunting in this vicinity.

Albert Stengelson, high school student at Thief River Falls, came up Saturday morning to spend the week end with his parents.

Nimrods are plentiful these days, and so is game.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson and Miss Gladys Swanson returned Sunday evening from Gully, where they had spent the day visiting with relatives. Accompanying them home was Mrs. Ena Thompson, James' mother, who came for a two weeks' visit at the Thompson home.

Chas. Sagmoen and Victor Mosbeck are employed at the Muzzy farm near Steiner doing carpenter work.

Mrs. C. Horton, accompanied by her five year old son, left Saturday for her home at Devils Lake after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gaerfe, near Holt.

Mesdames J. M. Phil of Duluth and Lloyd Crown and two children of Thief River Falls arrived here the fore part of the week and will visit for some time with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blom.

Joseph A. Whitmark and Miss Ella Nelson motored to Thief River Falls on Saturday to attend to business and shop.

Miss Laura Kron went to Viking on Tuesday morning in search of a position as teacher.

L. L. Furan and John Sorenson went to Thief River Falls on Tuesday to attend to matters of business. John remained over night to visit with friends and returned with the Manhattan oil tank on Wednesday.

John Remmem returned last Saturday from Adams, near which place he has been employed during harvest and threshing.

Frank Haider returned on Saturday evening from North Dakota, after having been employed there during the threshing season.

Misses Serine Tanem and Esther Leyden of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests of Mary Shoberg.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, arrived on Saturday and spent Sunday with her father, J. E. Hellquist. Mr. Johnson arrived on Sunday.

Mr. Baker of Thief River Falls is expected this week to take inventory of the John Remmem bargain store.

Benhard Ranum went to South St. Paul on Saturday with another mixed carload of stock for the local shipping association.

The rain is now plentiful and excellent for plowing but a nuisance for flax and other late small grain threshing.

STEINER

Henry Sande was a Thief River Falls caller last week.

Misses Jessie Rogers and Pearl Warring, who are attending high school at Thief River Falls, spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sorenson and Miss Esther Meyers spent Saturday evening at the John Riedl home.

Miss Amy Whitman, who is teaching school near Warren, spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitman.

Gust Hillyer is hauling a carload of potatoes, which he sold to a produce house at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Dan Downecter and Miss Kate Riedl spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Molstad.

Mrs. Agnes Warring called at the John Whitman home Saturday.

August Koglin and daughter, Olgo, made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Saturday.

George Baker was in Thief River Falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Biddick and Ed. Thorstad and family were callers at the Riedl home Sunday.

Nat Muzzy and family spent Sunday with Martin Kisch.

George Ufer made a business trip to Thief River Falls Friday.

Selmer Quammen made a trip to Thief River Falls on Thursday.

Willis Warring was a caller at Thief River Falls on Thursday.

O. Slack made a trip to Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mrs. Nick Baker is confined to her bed with pleurisy.

Ernest Slack and Dan Downecter helped Gust Hillyer haul his potatoes to Steiner.

Amie Whitman, who is teaching near Warren, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitman.

Hunters in this vicinity are about as thick as the chickens these days.

Arthur Simonson transacted business in Thief River Falls the last of the week.

Gust Austinson was a business visitor at this place last week.

August Koglin drove to Thief River Falls the last of the week.

Mr. Rogers finished cutting and shocking his fodder corn on Friday. He used Mr. Copp's binder.

John Whitman and wife drove the big Studebaker over west Sunday, taking their daughter, Amie, back to her school.

Kenneth Russell drove to Thief River Falls Friday.

John Sandie was a business caller at Thief River Falls last week.

We are glad to note the good news in The Times that paving has begun at last. The farmers will be glad to have a good place to park their flivvers.

Ervin Russell drove to Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon.

Pearl Warring visited the home folks over Sunday.

The Saugen girls came home from high school in Thief River Falls to visit their mother over Sunday.

Jessie Rogers is spending the week end at home.

Willie Meyer and mother and sister visited Friday at the home of Mrs. Ella Sorenson near Rosewood.

Rene Werner drove to Holt Sunday afternoon.

Henry Rogers was a Rosewood caller on Sunday.

Ole Berg transacted business at the county seat the last of the week.

Nathaniel Muzzy has been plowing the past week.

Stigen Brothers ground feed last week.

Harvey Copp has been plowing recently with his Fordson.

The rains of the past week were worth a good many thousands of dollars to the farmers of these parts. Rye and fall plowing will go ahead now with a rush.

AUCTION

As I have decided to quit farming I will sell at my farm, located 2½ miles north of Wylie and 6 miles west of St. Hilaire, in Sec. 7 in Town of Black River, Pennington County, Minn., all my personal property as follows, on

Wed., Sept. 28

Commencing at 10:00 A. M.

Reg. Shorthorn Cattle

Rose of Autumn Jr., No. 923794.
Roan Star, No. 923709.
Lady Grace 2nd, No. 923707.
These cows will have calf at foot on day of sale.
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Three heifers, 3 years old, just freshened.
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One heifer, 3 yrs. old, fresh Nov. 14.
One cow, 6 years old, will freshen before sale.
One heifer coming 1 year old.
Two grade bull calves coming 1 year old.
All cattle tuberculin tested.

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Four good work horses, ages from 9 to 14 years.

Hogs

Two shoats.

100 Purebred Rhode Island Red chickens.

16 Tons timothy hay.
160 Grain bags.
250 Bushels oats.

Old Trusty incubator and brooder.
DeLaval cream separator.
Maytag multimotor washing machine.
Power saw.

Machinery

John Deere binder, 7 ft. cut.
John Deere corn binder.
John Deere mower.
John Deere manure spreader.
John Deere surface cultivator.
John Deere shovel cultivator.
John Deere corn planter, No. 999.
John Deere disc, 8 ft.
Minnesota hay rake, 10 ft.
Potato digger.
Bucking pole.
Moline 16 in. sulky plow with breaker attachment.
New wide tire Moline wagon.
Wagon, nearly new.
Old wagon.
16 in. Stubble plow.
Jumper.
One set bob sleighs.
Cutter, cart, double buggy and single buggy.
Three rust-proof stock tanks.
Tank heater, feed cooker, galvanized hog trough, feeds 16 hogs at once.
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Numerous other articles.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE CHEAP—One mare colt coming 3 years next spring. Can be seen at J. W. Dahls' farm three miles east of Steiner. G. L. Leisner, Warren, Minn. 33

FOR SALE OR RENT—My dairy farm to reliable party if taken at once. Albert Coyle. 33p

FOR SALE—Good milch cow, coming fresh soon. F. M. Klein, Rt. 1, Box 21, St. Hilaire. 33p

FOR SALE—Curtis auto trailer in first class condition, with complete camping outfit, two springs and mattresses, table, ice box. Wholesale price $325.00, will sell for $150.00. Rev. T. E. Swenger, 211 Horace Ave. N. 32tf

FOR SALE—Six room house with three lots, woodshed and garage. Ole Linstad, 510 State Ave. N. 35p

FOR SALE—Monitor hard coal base burner, No. 316, 16-in. base, good as new. Emil Just, St. Hilaire, Minn. 35p

FOR SALE at a bargain or for rent, four acres of land, nine-room house, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, berry bushes, strawberries, and several other buildings. Inquire Times office. 32tf

FOR SALE—Good 7-room house. Enquire 811 Knight Ave. N. 31tf

FOR SALE—400 bu. early oats at 35c per bu. C. G. Garten, Box 1021, Thief River Falls. 33p

FOR SALE—Barn and lot. Enquire 423 Main Ave. N. 31p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of George Lehmers. 27tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Five passenger automobile. In excellent running order. Fred Protz, 201 Conely Ave. So. 30tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor and plow, nearly new. Box 1021 Thief River Falls. 34p

FOR SALE—One 18-in. hard coal stove and one 20-in. Round Oak stove. Call Phone 136 or at 719 Horace Ave. N. 33p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 30tf

FOR SALE, TRADE or RENT—City property and farms. See Andrew Ness and make a deal. 46pd

TO TRADE—Twenty-one thousand second mortgage on farm to trade for land or income property. Box 156, Windom, Minn. 33

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of farm or unimproved land for sale. O. K. Hawley, Baldwin, Wis. 33p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

WANTED TO BUY—Threshing separator, 22-inch cylinder. Kotlan Bros., Kratka Route, Thief River Falls, Minn. 25tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room, 307 Knight Ave. N. Phone 63. 33

FOR RENT—Furnished room for school girl. 221 First Street East, Upstairs. 33p

ROOMS FOR RENT—423 Main Ave. N. Mrs. Carl Sondreal. 31

FOR RENT—One nice bedroom for one or two men or boys, with use of front room. Inquire of J. L. Benn. 29tf

FOR RENT—Farm 8 miles east of Thief River Falls on State road. Well improved. Known as Aug. Lautenbach place. Cant. A. Hovland, Thief River Falls, Phone 313-J. 27tf

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FOR RENT—Modern room. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms, 502 Bridge St. 30tf

POSITION WANTED

STENOGRAPHER wants position. Some experience. Good references. Will consider other work also. 1013 Taft Street. 33p

LOST

LOST—Double barrel 10 gauge shot gun at boat landing near creamery. Finder return to E. M. Jaranson, 319 Atlantic Ave. N., for reward. 33p

LOST—Sept. 10, between Thief River Falls and Hegley, one brown and one light color suit case. Finder please notify Samuel Maxwell, Humboldt, Minn., for reward. 34p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To rent a six or seven room house, or suitable rooms for housekeeping. C. M. Talley, Mavie, Minn. 33

TO TRADE—For Hardware stock, improved farm, 6 miles N. E. of city. Farmers' Co-operative Land Co. 29tf

TO EXCHANGE—We have good Montana farms (with oil and mineral rights) to exchange for Minnesota land. What have you? Solberg Land Co., Scandia Block. 35p

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CATTLE AND SHEEP LOWER AT OPENING

Generally Increased Receipts Weaken Cattle and Sheep Trade This Week.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates and Minnesota Department of Agriculture.)

Cattle receipts at South St. Paul and elsewhere were the heaviest of any Monday for the present fall season to date, and prices at all markets showed moderate loss. The local run consisted principally of western ranged steers from Montana, the Dakota and Canada, and these sold on a mostly 25c or lower market. Best load lots were some Montanas that sold at $6.90. Very few grass steers suitable for beef purposes passed $6.25, bulk selling from this price down to $5, with a few of the commonest ones as low as $4.50. Butcher she stock was relatively scarce. A few of the best heifers sold up to $6 or better and a few of the best cows up to $5 or better, and these were practically steady, but the bulk of the butcher she stock selling from $3.25 to $5 was weak to 25c lower. Canners and cutters sold largely from $2 to $3.25, bologna bulls mostly $2.75 to $3.50, a few heavies at $3.75. Best light veal calves were steady, bulk $10.50 to $11. Best feeders today brought $6, 48 Dakotas averaging 1065 lbs. bringing this proce. Good and choice stockers and feeders were steady while common and medium kinds were weak to 25c lower.

With greatly increased receipts, lambs broke fully 25 to 50c, medium to good natives landing largely at $8.25, seconds $4, with some feeders at $4.50 to $5. Choice light ewes $4, bulk better grades of all weights $3.25 to $3.75. Hogs held out about steady on the average, bulk $6.50 to $8.25, good pigs $8.50 to $8.75.

Watch For Banded Ducks.

The Manitoba Trading company of St. Paul is asking all duck hunters to watch for leg and wing bands on ducks shot this fall. The request is sent out in ample time so that any hunters killing a duck with leg and wing bands may know where to send the required information.

Five hundred Saskatchewan ducks have been tagged for the purpose of ascertaining their migration routes to their winter homes. No one has ever definitely ascertained just which routes were taken by the migrating ducks or why. No one knows what influences a duck in his selection of a route from the north to the south. In an effort to ascertain this, 500 ducks have been captured, tagged with bands bearing the inscription, "Manitoba Trading Co., St. Paul, Minn.," and the birds released. Both leg and wing bands were used. The leg bands are on the right leg, the wing bands on the right wing, close to the body.

All hunters killing such a duck are asked to report the desired information, which includes date killed, kind of duck, and exact locality. The tagging was done under permit from the chief game wardens of the Province of Saskatchewan. Some interesting information is expected to result.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.29
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.24
Oats	.21
Flax	1.60
Barley	.30
Rye	.80
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.27
Dairy Butter	.30-.35
Creamery Butter	.42
Creamery Butter	.41
Cow hides, per lb.	.02-.03
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

Legal Notices

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Ole J. Nomland.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ole J. Nomland, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Marfa Nomland, Jorgen O. Nomland, Helene O. Buck, Oletta O. Loggans, Inga O. Omland and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Jorgen O. Nomland having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved, nor administration of his estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 20th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
8-22-29-O-6

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF GAMBLE-ROBINSON-THIEF RIVER FALLS COMPANY.

Know all men by these presents, that we, the undersigned, for the purpose of organizing a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, have agreed to and hereby bind ourselves together under the name hereinafter assumed by us, and do hereby adopt and sign the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be "GAMBLE-ROBINSON-THIEF RIVER FALLS COMPANY." The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation shall be the buying and selling of fruits, produce and other merchandise, handling the same on consignment and transacting any and all business incident thereto and the purchasing and selling of real estate. The general place of transacting said business shall be in the city of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, with the executive offices of the corporation in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be September 1st, A. D. 1921, and the period of its continuance shall be thirty (30) years.

ARTICLE III.

The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars, ($50,000.00), which shall be paid in at such times and in such amounts as may be ordered by the Board of Directors of said corporation.

ARTICLE IV.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which said corporation shall at any time be subject, shall be the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, ($100,000.00).

ARTICLE V.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this association for incorporation are as follows: Ross A. Gamble, Harry L. Robinson and David F. Gamble, all of whom reside in the City of Minneapolis, County of Hennepin and State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE VI.

The management of this corporation and the management of its affairs, shall be vested in a Board of Directors, not less than seven in number, all of whom, except the first Board of Directors, shall be stockholders of this corporation. Said Board of Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Stockholders each year and shall hold their offices until their successors shall be elected and qualified. When a vacancy occurs in the Board at any time, the remaining Directors shall appoint a successor, who shall hold office until the next annual meeting of the Stockholders. The Board of Directors shall elect a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers and agents as they may deem necessary. The office of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person. The first Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of Ross A. Gamble, Harry L. Robinson, David F. Gamble, Donald P. Gamble, George T. Freeman, Frank R. Thompson, and James A. Ridgway, Jr. The following named persons shall act as officers until the first annual meeting of the Stockholders of this corporation, to-wit:

David F. Gamble, President.
Harry L. Robinson, Vice-President.
Ross A. Gamble, Treasurer.
Donald P. Gamble, Secretary.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this corporation shall occur on the second Tuesday in January beginning with Tuesday, January 10th, 1922. The Board of Directors shall adopt by-laws for the due regulation and management of the business of this corporation.

ARTICLE VII.

The number of shares of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Five Hundred (500) and each share shall be for the sum of One Hundred Dollars, ($100.00).

In testimony whereof we have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed our seals this 31st day of August, A. D. 1921.

DAVID F. GAMBLE (Seal)
ROSS A. GAMBLE (Seal)
HARRY L. ROBINSON (Seal)

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of
EMILY M. VON KESTEN
L. McCULLOUGH

State of Minnesota, County of Hennepin, ss.

On this 31st day of August, A. D. 1921, personally appeared before me, a notary public, within and for said county, Ross A. Gamble, Harry L. Robinson and David F. Gamble, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

J. A. RIDGWAY, JR.,
Notary Public,
Hennepin County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires May 8, 1927.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book L-4 of Incorporations.

MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book J of Misc., on page 214.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
By GLADYS ANDERSON, Deputy.
8-22-29

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin K. Hogenson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Austin K. Hogenson, Andrew K. Hogenson, Anton K. Hogenson, Bessie K. Hamre, Tom P. Hamre, Bertha Hanson, Anna Nelson, Clara Hegg and United Deaconess Hospital, Grafton, North Dakota, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 10th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
8-22-29-O-6

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Fred Roth.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred Roth, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Emma Roth, Wilbur Roth, Louise Roth, Wesley Roth, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 31st day of August, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
8-22-29-O-6

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August O. Schneider, a single man, Mortgagor, to Continental Land Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 253.

And Whereas, The said Continental 17th day of October, 1916, at 8:00 o'clock Land Company, the Mortgagee and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Ninety-six and 44-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1196.44 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 13, A. D. 1921.

CONTINENTAL LAND COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
8-15-22-29-O-6-13-20

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank Hakomaki, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Frank Hakomaki of Hazel, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1921, the above named Frank Hakomaki was duly adjudicated a bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the city of Crookston, in the county of Polk, in said district, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated September 9, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
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IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In the Matter of Johan B. Sturre, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Johan B. Sturre, of Silverton Township, in the County of Pennington in said District, Bankrupt, whose post office address is Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Kratka Route.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1921, the above named Johan B. Sturre was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the city of Crookston, in the county of Polk, in said district, on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend and prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated September 8th, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Tollef Loyland and Tina Loyland, his wife, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota,) mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 25th day of January, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 435.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 6th day of September, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages on Page 601, and

Whereas, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of Three Hundred Fifty-eight and 28-100 Dollars, as follows: The sum of $116.60 thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage; the sum of $179.76 thereof being for taxes paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon the premises securing said mortgage which premises are hereinafter described, and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $61.92 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Sixteen (16), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 22nd day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $358.28, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 7th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
8-8-15-22-29-O-6-13

NOTICE OF LOSS OF FIRE INSURANCE POLICIES

To whom it may concern: Take notice, that certain fire insurance policies issued in blank by the Standard Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., Nos. 205,-332 to 205,350, inclusive, have been lost, misplaced or destroyed.

These policies are not negotiable and the company is not obligated thereunder, and any person who receives, purchases or holds any of the said policies does so at his own risk, inasmuch as no one is authorized to negotiate, execute or deliver said contracts of insurance for and on behalf of the Standard Fire Insurance Company.

(Signed)
STANDARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Hartford, Conn.
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Thief River Falls Merchants Association

MARKET DAY SPECIAL

Supplement to Thief River Falls Times, Thursday, Sept. 22, 1921

Prosperity For Smaller Towns

The year to date has been distinctly a "city" year as regards business. Retail business has been relatively better in larger cities than in smaller cities and towns, for the reason that after years of prosperity money gravitates to the business centers and is kept flowing longer than in small cities where retailers feel the pinch of depression and cut in the payroll more severely as a result of the lessened purchasing power of the consumer.

The great factor in slackened buying has been the farmer, large and small. In the spring and summer of 1920 he paid peak prices for his seed, fertilizer, nitrates, feed, machinery and supplies, and impossible prices for labor. After harvest came the slump and he was harder hit by the deflation process because he sold what he raised at far less than the cost of production and to him it was a loss out of his life-time of savings.

Too few people realize that the farming industry, as a whole, is our greatest in the number of people directly employed. Farmers and their families number 35,000,000 people, which means that all of them old enough to work are producers. As a class the farmer represents the greatest single buying power in the United States. During the past eight months, dating from the last harvest time, this buying power has laid dormant simply because the farmer did not have money to spend and this fact has hit the small city and town merchants in the agricultural sections hardest of all.

Government crop reports are most optimistic as to weather conditions and the size of this year's crops, produced under very much less expense on all important items of cost, and unemployment in industry has given the farmer ample labor at a fair price for the first time in years. This means a large flow of money into the farmers' hands from now on and hence we believe that from now on the small towns and cities will feel the effects of loosened purse strings in a lively retail business.

Thus one of the broken links in the chain of circulation of money will be forged again this fall and its effect will be quickly felt way back to productive industry in filling orders for depleted stocks of all sorts, in which shoes will be not the least.

Small merchants will have their innings this fall if they grasp their opportunity. Now, if ever, is the time for them to organize a "Buy-at-Home" campaign to keep the sales and prifits in the home town. It is no secret that our large mail order houses expect and are planning for a big revival in sales in country districts this coming season. Will the country merchants be ready for the trade that is surely coming?

Autumn Styles in Dress Colorings

Months ago we forecasted the longer skirt and the fate that many style outlines were to be changed with the coming season. As autumn approaches more headway is being made in supplementary details and more is known about the range of colors in dress for all occasions. Until recently all reports from Paris were that black would be the mode of the season, but this week's reports of the latest development in that city place less emphasis on black, one of the most fashionable creators predicting gray, brown, dark reds and navy blue as the favorites for street wear, while another equally prominent gives them in the order of black, brown, deep red and dark grey.

The younger element in America already has heard the rumblings of the longer skirt, and is unanimously in rebellion against it. If anyone doubts the feeling about it, just get three or four average Miss Americas together, bring up the subject and you will soon find out "what is what."

Hats always have some influence on footwear. For autumn the new millinery styles are largely in velvets, felt, cloth, in black, mauve, dark blues, altogether rather sombre and less colorful than usual with the trimmings of a simple order. For harmony these require black shoes of leather or colors in suedes or satins and high colors in footwear will have no place in the wardrobe of the well gowned woman.

Scenting opposition, many apparel manufacturers already have brought out a "two-skirt" compromise wherein there is the present length skirt of the main garment material as the under skirt while over this and much longer is draped an overskirt of lace or other transparent material. The effect is feminine and dressy, and will require footwear of dark or black materials, light in construction.

So far the strictly tailor-made suit of severe lines and on the rough and ready type seems to be out of the running. The materials that will predominate are soft draping solid color woolens and worsteds, crepes, duvetyn, mousseline and Jacquard satin faced weaves.

Evening gowns will be of brilliant colorings as high greens, bright reds and other scattering shades. This opens up possibilities for bright colors in satins, white kid and white satin, gold and silver, bronze kid for the greens, and patent as the only black that will fit in. Women who select red for a gown will have difficulty in their footwear selection. Should red become a favorite footwear must be black or white satin, silver or gold, with stockings to match the slippers.

In the large centers fashions will be of the clingy, draped type, and light appearing dressy footwear will be required in dark colors or all black. High grade makers already are working out new and fancy patterns in boots in subdued and dressy color effects and will endeavor to launch them for late fall selling.

Gleanings From Fashion's Review Of The Season

Tuxedo Sweater Leads.

As the Dry Goods Reporter has mentioned in previous issues, the tuxedo style in women's sweaters continues a leading favorite and bids fair to remain popular this Fall. Styles featuring a row of buttons down the front, collars of many different sizes and shapes as well as full or half belts of brushed wool, are included in the orders now being placed by retailers.

Black is continuing to be the most pronounced color, in not only sweaters, but scarfs as well. Many times brilliant shades of tomato or jade are used sparingly in narrow stripe effects on the cuffs or collars to brighten these otherwise sober garments. White is also used on a black sweater for the tuxedo fronts or cuffs.

Browns and navies are receiving a very strong call from many sections of the country. Other dark colors and the brighter shades of Kelly green, cardinal and jade are favored by many customers desiring the brighter shades.

Fast Fabrics Popular.

Sun-fast and tub-fast fabrics made from silk fiber are constantly growing in popularity and come in fancy weaves, in two-toned color combinations and an infinite lot of lovely patterns. These, combined with plain fabric, render a most satisfactory window treatment.

Cretonnes continue to sell in great quantities. In spite of the fact that they have been used for years, they adapt themselves effectively, and in some cases inexpensively, to every room in the house.

New patterns are constantly being printed and designed, and among these are noticed the floral effects and more and more of the large scroll patterns used generally in brocades. So successfully have these patterns been adapted to the cotton fabrics that across the width of a room it is almost impossible to distinguish between them and the more expensive productions of which they are copies.

Many of these are used as wall coverings combined with hangings of the plain colors.

Patent Leather Hats Latest Style.

Patent leather in white or black shines in all-over treatment for modish hats shown at the White House, being combined with such colorings as Indian red, apple green, firefly, Mohawk and cinnamon. Such hat styles are softly designed, light in weight and easily adjustable to any type of face. Models have brims, and crowns slightly bell, and are ideal for sports, steamer wear or outing.

Wool Hose to Run Strong.

Present indications are that wool hosiery is to have another good season. Buyers express themselves as having confidence in its possibilities and say that whereas it sold with difficulty last year, due to climatic conditions, and that it has now gone beyond the novelty stage, a steady demand may be expected.

Linings are very rich and are more often fancy silks than the one-time popular plain satin.

Coats.

The new fall coats promise to be universally becoming to the average woman. One style shows the bodice decidedly fitted to the waistline, supplemented by the rippling flaring skirt. Fur-banded and pocketed, and with great collar of fur standing high, and deep cuffs to correspond, the new model has made a favorable impression upon merchants buying the higher priced merchandise.

Then there is the straight-line coat with its smart line from shoulder to hem, and the big fur collar and cuffs. This type usually features large embroidered patterns, and the belt may, or may not, be worn with it.

Black, sorrento blue, and the browns are the dominant colors in winter coats.

The strictly tailored utility coat, however, must not be overlooked in speaking of coats. Some splendid motor garments are to be had in the fine imported Scotch materials with plaid backs. Great collars of racoon and other long-haired furs are used, while the deep cuffs and large flapped patch pockets are a characteristic feature.

The sleeves are raglan or straight set-in fashion.

These coats are invariably belted, either buckled or buttoned. The fine tailoring entering into the workmanship of these garments is typical of the entire line.

Suits.

The fall note indicates that suit coats are taking unto themselves the dignity of the top coat, in that they are to be quite long, and will likewise be heavily fur trimmed. Such lovely fabrics as duvetyn, evora, tricotine, veldyne, vel de cyne, and the various velours are effectively embroidered with self floss or contrasting embroidery. The slenderizing tendency is apparent here, also, and Directoire suggestion is frequently a determining factor with many designers. The skirts are perhaps a trifle longer than previously, but are plain.

Dresses.

Full appreciation of the silhouette mode is evidenced alike by stout and slender admirers. Modifications are noted, it is true, but popular acclaim reverts back to the straight-line type. A slight fullness over the hips is to permitted this season.

Tricotine, simply designed, and beaded and braided or embroidered, either elaborately or simply, is the most popular among woolen frocks. Where panel effects are used, the panels are frequently just a trifle longer when placed at the sides.

Special attention is devoted to sashes, belts and girdles as these are important accessories to the fall dress, and there is pleasing originality shown here.

Some really gorgeous effects have been achieved in the woolen frock lines, and in the medium priced stocks are picked up rapidly in the market.

Sleeves are either elbow-length or three-quarter length, and are set-in or kimono fashion.

Canton crepe and the soft satins comprise the main foundations for the afternoon and the semi-formal evening frock. Soft fringe, delicate embroidery and rich beadings are the means employed for bringing forth the dainty and alluring girlish grace of these charming models. Blacks, browns, tans and navy are the preferred colors.

Steel beads and crystal beads are popularly employed on the moderately priced numbers, as well as braid trimming.

Evening gowns of crepe de Chine, Georgette, and Chantilly lace are veritable creations of the designer's art, with the long slim line of course prevailing in these models as in the simpler frocks.

Effective treatment in crystal beaded patterns and soft gathers at the sides or shoulders emphasize the slender graceful lines of the chemise frock made fro mthe delicate fabrics. The pointed or scalloped overlapping tunic is a favorite feature of the lace frock.

Skirts and Blouses.

The wool skirt has become a firmly fixed integral of woman's wardrobe, and the fall models indicate no waning of their popularity. The chevron stripe, the small checks, plaids—they are all right on the job, so to speak, and the various novelty cloths are attractive. Prunella and velours are particlarly in demand.

Overblouses fashioned from Georgette and soft crepe de Chine are offered in pleasing variety. Dainty tucking, real filet lace, harmonious beaded patterns and lace edging, used individually and combined, produce exquisite numbers. Three-quarter length and elbow sleeves, either set-in or kimono fashion, are shown. Tailored blouses have the long set-in sleeve and convertible collar.

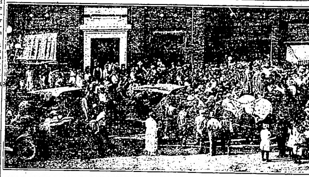

THIS PICTURE SHOWS THE CROWD ASSEMBLED WHEN THE PRIZES WERE AWARDED ON THE LAST MARKET DAY IN THIEF RIVER FALLS.

HOW BIG IS A DOLLAR?

What you get for a dollar determines its value. And the secret of economical buying is information. The man or woman who is best informed is the one who buys to the best advantage. Equip yourself to buy to the best advantage by reading the advertisements in this newspaper.

SALESMANSHIP IS INTEREST IN CUSTOMER

Salespeople who make friends and who succeed in the art of selling are those who take a personal interest in their customers and who try conscientiously to get for those customers the exact merchandise they desire. This is perhaps the corner stone of salesmanship, for around this particular phase of selling depends the entire success and future welfare of those engaged in retailing.

Complete.

A sufferer who lives close to a railroad yard in the suburbs wrote the following to the railroad company, complaining about the racket made by a switch engine:

"Gentlemen: Why is it that your switch engine has to ding and dong and fizz and spit and clang and bang and buzz and hiss and bell and wail and pant and rant and howl and yowl and grate and grind and puff and bump and click and clank and chug and moan and hoot and toot and crash and grunt and gasp and groan and whistle and wheeze and squawk and blow and jar and jerk and rasp and jingle and twang and clack and rumble and jangle and ring and clatter and yelp and howl and hum and snarl and puff and growl and thump and boom and jolt and clash and jostle and shake and screech and snort and snarl and slam and throb and crink and quiver and rumble and roar and rattle and yell and smoke and smell and shriek like hell all night long?"

BUY IT NOW

For The Prosperity of America

Does it sound selfish on our part to ask you to "Buy it Now" if there is anything you need that we have for sale?

Well, it is not all selfishness. This whole Nation needs your generous patronage right now.

There are many people out of work, who could be made busy and prosperous if everybody would simply buy the things they needed and had the money to pay for.

The more you buy, the more orders we can send along to the Nation's factories for more goods, and the more orders they receive, the more workers they can employ.

Then when we get everybody working again, the whole country will be back to prosperous, happy times again.

And the big way in which you can help this happy culmination is simply to BUY NOW the things that you want.

We have done our part—manufacturers have done their part. The new goods are ready for the new season and prices are vastly lower than they were last season. This gives a new pleasure to buying and enjoying the new things that everybody now wants.

Merchants Association of Thief River Falls

Entertainment Bargains

At The *Lyceum*

SATURDAY
Mary Miles Minter
in
"SWEET LAVENDER"
Also Big V Comedy—"The Rent Dodger"
Matinee 2:30—6c and 15c

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Norma Talmadge
in
"PASSION FLOWER"

Also a Sunshine Comedy—"The Hayseed"
Sunday Matinee 2:30—11c and 25c

TUESDAY
Earle Williams
in
"THE MASTER STROKE"
Also First National Kinogram and Ford Educational

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
William Christy Cabann's Eight Reel Special
"THE STEALERS"
Wednesday, Special Matinee 3:30—11c and 25c
Evening, 7:30—20c and 35c

FRIDAY
Charles Hutchinson
in
"DOUBLE ADVENTURE"
and
Tom Santchie
in
"LaRUE OF PHANTOM VALLEY"
Aesop's Fables, and Pathe Slow Motion, showing the first and last round of a boxing contest.

SATURDAY
Bebe Daniels
in
"DUCKS AND DRAKES"
(This picture ran for one entire week in the New State Theatre in Minneapolis.) Don't come unless your liver is in good condition for it will surely make you squirm from laughter.
Matinee 2:30—6c and 15c

Thief River Falls Market Day, Wednesday, Sept. 28

Bring the Whole Family--Hear the Band--Make it a Holiday

THE COST OF CREDIT

All modern commerce is so dependent upon credit in its various forms that we have difficulty in thinking of commerce except in credit terms. Indeed, we know that twistings and contortions of commerce are due largely to the violations of credit.

Credit is so common these days that we neglect to observe its principles and as a result of our ignorance suffer mishaps which need not have been.

When commodities are produced for trade the aim is to produce them at a proper cost in order to sell them at a fair profit. The cost of production includes the actual materials and labor plus the various items of overhead that inevitably enter into production. If the commodities were sold in exchange for other commodities or for money, the profit in general terms will be nothing more than a proper return on the capital invested. When the commodities, however, are sold on credit terms, the seller assumes the risk of failing to receive payment of the purchase price of the commodities at the time specified therefor, and in return for taking this risk he is entitled to some compensation in the way of interest on the capital represented in the credit and as a guaranty against average losses.

It thus stands to reason that credit carries a certain cost, that it is not merely a medium for the exchange of commodities, but a medium of carrying certain risks, and the taking of risks always is entitled to certain *compensation.*

Therefore, whenever we are talking about reduction of costs, this cost also should be reckoned with. Transferring capital in the shape of loans or commodities and in the form of credit carries the toll of interest and in mercantile business a contribution to the guaranty fund against average credit losses. Extending the credit period or time necessarily increases the cost. Abbreviating the period naturally decreases the cost.

We should aim, especially in these days, to wring the water out of everything, to thaw out every frozen item in credit affairs. The cost of credit should be liquidated with other costs. This liquidation can be accomplished by keeping credits within reasonable periods, avoiding undue risks in the granting of credit and bringing the cost of credit to a minimum. Nothing is more interesting in all the fields of business than credit. Its trends and currents, its rules and principles, form the most interesting study of the business field. Credit, while intangible, holds a position so important that its violations are responsible more than anything else for business eruptions.—National Association of Credit Men.

FOOD PRODUCTS OF UTMOST PURITY AND FOOD VALUE.

If you will consult your grocer regarding the true values of different grades of goods, you most assuredly will increase the purchasing power of your dollars and strike straight at one of the main roots of high costs by weeding out extravagance.

What the buyer demands more than any other one thing determines the market price of commodities of all sorts. If you demand full-value foods, insist upon having them, you will get them and at legitimate price. Persistent demand for top-price merchandise of questionable value will then be sharply curtailed and production stimulated in lines of maximum merit. And with this increased production will come lower costs, just as sure as day follows night.

The solution of the problem so far as the consumer is concerned is simply this: select only products of recognized value, sold at lowest prices permissible under present conditions—eliminate waste—don't encourage the production of price-heavy products—co-operate with your grocer—don't lose sight of the fact that he must cater to your wishes. Your demand for the right type of goods is the best means at your command to straighten out topsy-turvy conditions which are a burden to the conscientious manufacturer, the square-dealing grocer and the consumer who are putting forth every effort under the sun to reduce the high cost of production, high cost of merchandising and high cost of living.

Mr. John A. Ulman, president of the National Retail Grocers' association of the United States, an eminent authority on food values and intimately acquainted with manufacturing and marketing conditions, urges close co-operation between retailer and consumer and careful discrimination in the selection of merchandise—as a means of restoring prices to normal and promoting the distribution of the best grade of goods.

Blacks Have "Right-of-Way."

Retail shoe business in the Twin Cities is in that between-season, transitory stage where it is neither good nor bad, inactive or brisk. Summer merchandise, influenced by cut prices and earnest advertising effort, is still moving but with diminished speed. New season footwear is commencing to interest buyers without having attained the momentum that it will a fortnight or so hence.

Blacks appear to have the right of way all along the line, patents being especially popular although calfskins, kid and satin are evidencing their hold upon feminine fancy. Patent leather is to date the big noise in fall footwear, walking heel oxfords being especially strong right now. Buyers who are so fortunate as to have received deliveries of this type are finding them ready sellers. In the more dressy models for evening and formal wear, Louis heeled patents are also becoming active.

Hotel Evelyn

European

Julien Provencher, Prop.

FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Look! Look! Look!

Four Extra Specials For Market Day

Heavy brown and blue flannel shirts, all sizes

$2.19

Boys' all wool suits; pants are lined and full cut, sizes to 16

$5.95

Boys' corduroy knee pants, made of good heavy English corduroy, 6 to 17

$1.29

Men's corduroy pants, sizes to 44, real heavy material and made up good

$2.69

Big Special Values All Through the Store
Money Refunded if Not Satisfied

PALACE CLOTHING HOUSE
L. L. COHN, PROP.

The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

do not fail to visit this store Market Day

As we intend to make this Market Day a bigger value giving event than any previous one.

Read Every Bargain

Check the items that you intend to buy and bring this ad. here—and save money.

Gossard and C. B. Corsets, values to $6.00. Market Day Special **$2.95**

Women's all wool Tie-Back Sweathers, all colors and sizes. Market Day Special **$1.95**

Lovely Georgette Crepe Waists, Market Day Special **$2.95**

Women's pure Silk Hose, black and brown. Market Day Special **98c**

A 50c Rummage Table

We do not guarantee these bargains to last all day, but we think we have enough to go around—so come early. Over 250 articles on this table which will be sold away below cost. 75 Knit Tams in all colors, sold last season for $2.50; Knit Toques, Children's Flannel Petticoats, Childs' Play Suits, Women's Aprons, Middies for Girls and Women, regular $1.50 values, and many other articles too numerous to mention. While they last, choice only

50c

One rack of 25 Serge and Tricotine Dresses, values to $30.00. Market Day Special **$10.00**

One lot of all wool Plaid Skirts values to $11.50. Market Day Special **$5.95**

Children's Heavy Fleeced Unions, Market Day Special **98c**

Gingham Aprons, in new styles, special **$1.45**

many other bargains awaiting you here

"THE LATCH STRING"

Purchasers' Certificates will be issued by the following merchants on

MARKET DAY ONLY

Wednesday, September 28th

One Certificate with each 25 cent CASH PURCHASE made on market day and one Certificate with each payment of 25 cents on OLD ACCOUNTS

Pay your old account and receive Purchasers' Certificate To be distributed among Market Day Visitors:

1--Wilton Rug, 9x12
2--Chest Community Silver, 26 pieces
3--Pair Shoes
4--Stetson Hat
5--Lady's Handbag
6--Domestic Clothes Wringer
7--Aluminum Roaster
8--Case Tomatoes
9--Thermos Bottle
10--½ Doz. Pair Sox
11--Suit Wool Underwear
12--Case Sugar Corn
13--Case Mason Jars, 2 Quart Size
14--50 lb. Sack Gold Medal Flour
15--Case Prunes
16--Boston Bag
17--Caserole
18--Case Cornflakes
19--2A Brownie Kodak
20--Men's Shirt

Any item listed can be exchanged for other merchandise of equal value. Distribution will take place at 5:30. Items will be forwarded to purchasers who are unable to be present at that time.

ASK THE FOLLOWING MERCHANTS FOR PARTICULARS

Lieberman Brothers
Charles Lieberman
Simonson's Meat and Grocery
Mulry's Bazaar
Hermanson Hardware Company
Larson Furniture Company
The Kleanall Company
City Meat and Grocery
A. M. Langseth
Bottem Hardware Company
Laird's Specialty Shop
Tessum Company
Lambert's Drug Store
Jung's Quality Bakery
Palace Clothing House
People's Co-Operative Store Co.
E. O. Mogensen
Froseth's Shoe Store
Hall Brothers Company
Carl Christofferson & Company
Loken Brothers
The Prichard Company
Oen Mercantile Company
The Sapero Company
Johnson's Millinery
DeCremer's Meat Market
Olaf Neset

HOURLY SPECIALS

Exceptional Bargains Offered for One Hour Only

Market Day, September 28th, 1921

First Come, First Served **Get in on This Bargain Feast**

Every Article Advertised Here Sold at or Below Cost

9 A. M. to 10 A. M.

35 Bars Lenox Soap **$1**

Carl Christofferson & Company

Bargain in Tires

Simmons K K Fabric Rubber Tread Auto Tires; the tread is composed of three wide lines connected with a small line running from one wide line to another; clincher style; white tread with grey side walls; size 30x3, regular price $16.60, special while they last **$11.85**

Hall Brothers Co.

Ladies' Cluster and Fancy Set Rings

at Wholesale Prices and War Tax.

Olaf Neset

10 A. M. to 11 A. M.

One lot of men's and women's high grade **DRESS SHOES, OXFORDS AND PUMPS,** consisting of all leathers and styles; values to $10. Genuine bargains for one hour only

$4.35

Froseth's Shoe Store

6 Bars for... 25c

Swift's White Laundry Soap

OEN Mercantile Co.

11 A. M. to 12 M.

49c

Will buy a dollar box of Krafton Linen Stationery at

LAIRD'S

One Hour Special

WOOL UNION SUITS $1.88

Lieberman Bros.

12 M. to 1 P. M.

Ladies' or Gents' Suits Sponged and Pressed

50c

The Kleanall Co.

1 P. M. to 2 P. M.

Bredeson & Co.

15 lbs. Sugar **$1.00**

1 Solid Case, 600

85c Extra large bath towels, this one hour only, each

39c

One-half dozen $2.25
One dozen $4.50

Not over one dozen to any one family.

LOKEN BROTHERS

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

50 Men's and Young Men's SUITS

$18.50

CHAS. LIEBERMAN

5 lbs. Select Peaberry Coffee

$1.00

Peoples Co-Op. Store

3 P. M. to 4 P. M.

We Will Give

$10 Off

On any Electric Wash Machine or Range bought during this hour.

Hermanson Hdw. Co.

100

Women's and Misses' Coats, Suits and Dresses, values up to $50.00, 40 of which are heavy winter coats, 30 summer coats, and 30 wool and serge wash dresses.

For one hour only

$5.00

The Sapero Co.

These Exceptional Offerings Are Limited to One to Each Person

4 P. M. to 5 P. M.

Specials Extraordinary

Watch our Show Windows for Market Day Special Offerings, which our limited space will not permit us to enumerate here.

Bottem Hardware Co.

TRIMMED HATS

At $3.50

One Hour Only

See Our Window Display

Johnson Millinery

5 P. M. to 6 P. M.

For One Hour Only

About 50 pairs men's high grade dress shoes, three styles, worth to $12 per pair, for one hour only, 5 to 6 p. m., per pair

$3.45

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good"

Raisins 14c Per lb.

Can you beat it? While they last.

ONLY 500 POUNDS

Don't Miss This—for 1 hour only

Simonson's Meat & Grocery

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A KNOWLEDGE OF FABRICS IS NEEDED

A simple villager who was looked upon as scarcely more than "half-baked" by the more sophisticated residents of his community, nevertheless had great success in training his dog to do wonderful tricks. A smart city man chanced one day to see the dog being put through the paces and was so impressed that he asked the Simple Simonish master what was the secret of his success. He replied: "You gotta know mor'n the dog."

"Thrift does not consist alone in saving; judicious spending is as necessary as saving and if women would spend wisely they must know the four leading materials now used: silk, wool, linen and cotton," said Mrs. Martha French, of the Michigan State Normal College, addressing the Michigan Retail Dry Goods Association, on the subject of "Textiles."

Women are gradually being educated to know more about textiles through their own clubs, University extension, home economics, etc., and Mrs. French has done much along this line for the women of her own state. With this growth of textile knowledge on the part of the women, the merchant should keep abreast or a step ahead and must see that his clerks are similarly informed; in short to achieve conspicuous success "you gotta know mor'n the dog."

"Women must know something about the fiber of these materials," Mrs. French said. "Cotton and wool fiber are from one to three inches long; silk 300 to 1,400 yards long. Flax averages from 28 to 36 inches in the length of its fiber.

"Linen," Mrs. French continued, "has a smooth, cool feeling and is leathery when pulled. It is ragged and brushy on being torn and tears with a heavy sound. Cotton tears smoothly and has a very different sound."

Mrs. French referred to the shortage of linen resulting from the cessation of exports from Russia, a country which formerly produced three-fourths of our linen supply.

"Linen coming from that country is commonly known as grass linen," she said, "or, scientifically as ramie. It is of a more beautiful appearance and has more luster than ordinary linen."

In her reference to wollens, Mrs. French said: "Shoddy is made from the wool which was least twisted in the first making and is very good material. However, people should not be obliged to pay as much for it as for pure wool.

"Both wool and silk are often adulterated with cotton. This adulteration can be detected by the use of a 5 per cent solution of potassium hydroxide. Wool and silks are both soluble in this solution and will totally disappear, while any cotton threads will be left unharmed."

The weighting of silk is another process not sufficiently understood. Mrs. French explained that a small amount of weighting does not harm the silk, but is really necessary while heavy weighting ruins the material. The burning test is a good one to use on silks. Weighted silk does not burn readily and leaves the burnt part in shape. Pure silk burns easily and leaves an ash.

EX-SERVICE MEN, ATTENTION.

The Veterans' Bureau (formerly the Federal Board for Vocational Education, the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, and the U. S. Public Health Service) desires to clear up the cases of all men who have applied for the benefits which the government offers to disabled men. In order to accomplish this the American Legion of Minnesota and the Veterans' Bureau have united in the campaign to reach all men who were disabled by the war.

The Veterans' Bureau is going to send a Clean Up Squad of five men to travel throughout the state of Minnesota. This squad will have the power to make physical examinations, rate eligibility for training, or hospitalization, or treatment, and collect all necessary data for the rating of compensation claims.

Any man whose claim has not been settled to his satisfaction and any other disabled ex-service man who desires to make a claim for hospitalization, compensation or training, should see the squad while in Minnesota.

In this article you will find noted the place where and the dates when you should visit the squad. Bring with you all government papers from the army, the board, the Bureau, or the Public Health Service so that your case may be hurried through.

You cannot afford to miss the opportunity. Spread the news to all men who may be interested.

The board meets at Thief River Falls on September 30 and October 1 (two days only.) Service men from Kittson, Roseau, Marshall, Pennington and Red Lake notify the undersigned and transportation blanks will be forwarded to you.

Carl J. Gulrud, Adjutant, Elmer J. Eklund Post No. 117, American Legion, Thief River Falls, Minn.

(Space contributed by the Merchants Association of Thief River Falls.)

How to Fix Back Breaking Stove.

Kitchen ranges are often low—regular back-breakers, in fact. Mary L. Bull of the home management section of the office of extension work with women, University Farm, suggests that in such cases a frame of wood be made just the size and shape to fit the bottom of the range. The proper height can thus be obtained, and, in addition, the dread of accumulated dust under the range will be eliminated.

Pleasure Car Rates.

A circular on retail acceptance announces that "Automobiles for funeral purposes take the taxi or jitney bus rate—except hearses, which take the straight pleasure car rate."

RETAILERS PROTEST HIGH PRICE CHARGES

Herbert C. Hoover, secretary of the department of commerce, met in conference recently representatives of retail associations having a total membership of 20,000 merchants. The dry goods, wearing apparel and shoe industries were represented. The merchants vigorously protested against the reports sent out from Washington condemning retailers as holding back the progress of readjustment.

Mr. Hoover told the delegation that the majority of retail merchants had reduced their prices to properly correspond with wholesale levels. In fact, he stated the belief that in some cases reductions had been made below what he thought market conditions warranted. He added that investigations had shown there were cases where some merchants in given towns, and also instances where entire towns had not made proper reductions, and said that his recent statement to the public counseling them to shop around before purchasing was to caution them against the stores which had not properly reduced their prices. Mr. Hoover emphasized that it was not his intention to criticize the retailers as a whole and that his statements should not have been so construed.

Read the Ads. Save Money

FREE
on
Market Day

ONE TEN-POUND SACK OF WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR FREE WITH EACH 98-POUND SACK OF VIVO

WE MANUFACTURE AND GUARANTEE

Hanson & Barzen Milling Company

Just-Rite Double Mesh extra large hair nets, the highest grade 25c hair nets on the market, here only at each

15c

Loken Brothers

Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

STORE HOURS

Daily
8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Saturdays
8:30 A. M. to 10 P. M.

More startling bargains than ever before at Loken's for Market Day only, Wednesday, Sept. 28

Sanitol 50c tooth paste, our 39c special. Market Day Only 29c

Mavis toilet water, the $1.50 size. Market Day only, limit one bottle to a customer, at ____95c

Hinds 50c large bottle Honey Almond Cream, Market Day only, limit of one bottle, ea. __39c

Mary Garden Talcum, a fine 35c talcum powder. Market Day only, each can ____________22c

Special Direct Manufacturer's Sale of Superior P. N. Corsets

A Solid Case at Unheard of Values Just Arrived

Manufacturer's $4.00 value fancy brocaded pink Corsets, at each ____________2.50

Manufacturer's $2.00 Corsets in plain pink coutil, our wonder purchase value at ___ 98c

Children's white outing flannel sleeping garments, all sizes, at each only ____________79c

$1.00—NIGHT GOWN SPECIAL—$1.00 Women's full size fancy outing flannel night gowns. Special Market Day each _$1.00

Children's woolnap sleepers, a regular $1.50 and $1.75 value, Market Day __________$1.00

$1.50 Women's fine suede winter gloves, grey, brown, black, white. For Market Day, per pair 98c

Women's white silk gloves, a sensational special, at per pair 29c

$1.00 and 85c Warner's brassieres, a big full line of all sizes. Just for Market Day at each 69c

Children's heavy wool ribbed dollar hose, at per pair____________65c

Women's heavy ribbed top wool hose at, per pair 50c

Women's black and brown cotton hose, all colors and sizes, per pr. 25c

Women's pure thread silk hose, all colors and sizes, per pair only 98c

School girls' heavy ribbed hockey caps, in a full range of beautiful high colored combinations, for Market Day, special each ____________50c

200 Strings of last year's dollar value bead necklaces, now just for Market Day only per string ____________25c

Art Needle Work Department, Balcony Specials Now on Sale

Clark's O. N. T. Crochet Cotton, per ball ____________10c

Box of 12 balls ________$1.00

A big new line of 36 in. Cretonnes, last year's fine 65c grade, now on sale at yd __25c

New Curtain Goods
New Low Prices

SPECIAL FOR MARKET DAY

10,000 Skeins of Silk Floss, D. M. C. Boil Proof Cottons, etc., regular 5c, 8c and 10c skeins. Come, take all you want at this unheard of price of per skein only

2c each

Coats' Merc. Crochet Cotton, white and ecru, per box of ten balls, only ____________$1.00

One big lot of $2, $2.50, $3 and $3.50 articles of all kinds in last season's Stamped Goods. Market Day, your choice $1.00

Dry Goods Department Business Building Friend Makers

Coats' 150 yd. cotton thread,, per spool _______5c

Crowel's best sharp needles, paper ____________10c

40 in. Fine French Serges in all the new fall shades. Here only at per yard $1.00

50 in. Wool Storm Serges, black, navy and brown. Special here only at per yard $1.00

Stevens imported pure linen crash towelings, limit 10 yds. to a customer, at per yard 25c

Meritos first quality oil cloths, all patterns, including plain white, at per yard ____________35c

220 Blue Denim overall goods at per yard 20c

Surgeon's D Gauge 36 in. cheese cloths, 10 yds. only for 75c

Hope 36 in. fine muslins, good weight at per yard 12½c.

On Market Day, Wednesday, Sept. 28, we will stage the greatest 5c per yard lace sale that you ever saw. A total of 5,680 yards of all kinds of laces just received, imported from abroad direct through our Chicago office. The values are the best we have seen in our nearly 20 years of merchandising, at 5c per yard.

LOKEN BROTHERS
Thief River Falls' Finest Store

"Down to Common Sense"

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¶ We are not going back to normal—because there is no normal to go back to.

¶ We are going ahead to better conditions—better methods and better business.

¶ We live in a world of progress and cannot go back—there is nothing in the past to compare with the future.

¶ Let us get down to Common Sense for the solution of our problems—and throw the slogan "Back to Normal" into the discard.

¶ It has only created a mental laziness by suggesting that we wait for things to go back—to what?

¶ Let us go intelligently forward, not lazily backward.

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GIVING THE BEST

"Give the world the best you have, and the best will come back to you."

The bit of poetry quoted above is no less true today than when it was written. It may be said that the subtle secret of success lies in these homely lines. Success and good fortune are always near, waiting to be grasped. But we can not enjoy the two without hard work and really giving the best in us.

Getting started is the most difficult thing about success. Once this is accomplished, success becomes matter of fact. For example, some of the prominent writers of today began, years ago, by adhering strictly to the rules of story writing; revising and resubmitting their manuscripts until at last great pains were rewarded. Now that they are successful, anything from their pens is considered masterful, while they enjoy the privileges of coining new words, creating new grammatical forms, and modeling their stories as they wish. So it is in any pursuit of life.

So much for hard work and eventual rewards. Getting back to the original point, however, we appreciate what "giving the best" means. Haven't you noticed in your own business that if you give your customers the best you have, the best comes back in some way—profits, repeat sales, or new patrons? Surely you have!

"He's the Funny Bone of the Country and I Don't Know What We'd Do Without Him."

So spoke Gentleman Jeff, the polite crook created by O. Henry, one of America's most famous humorists. But while the urban residents of the country find it difficult to disassociate the real farmer from the straw-strewn characterization of him most frequently seen on the stage, the really big business men of the country are taking him mighty seriously.

They know that the prosperity of the country depends largely on the prosperity of the farmer; that collectively he represents approximately sixty per cent of the country's buying power; that his lack of money with which to buy the commodities which he does buy may easily bring industrial America to the verge of bankruptcy; and that bumper crops, sold at a profit, mean a one-hundred-league step in the direction of national prosperity.

We believe every word of this article. We believe it would be wise for the merchants to base their future buying on the facts set forth here.

THE "SPEEDY DOLLAR" HABIT

Every man who pays his debts promptly helps business for himself as well as for everybody else. This is a consideration well worth keeping in mind these days when money as well as labor has demanded higher wages—that is to say when interest rates have risen.

It is the active dollar that keeps business moving. The fact that the great bulk of business is done by check does not in the slightest degree alter the truth of the foregoing statement. The check must be backed by value somewhere. There must always be a tangible basis for the intangible commodity called credit.

It does not require any deeply-learned dissertation on finance to convince every practical person of this. Every business man knows the truth of it. It ought to be considered a duty, therefore, to keep money circulating as promptly as possible. If every merchant in the United States who does a credit business were to ginger up the collection department, to get "the active dollar habit" started in town, and then pass on the activity in the way of discounting his bills, or at least meeting them with absolute promptness, it would make a great difference in the general activity of business throughout the coming fall and winter.

You'll do better by trading in Thief River Falls--Read the Ads

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The Old Reliable

LaLunda Cigar

None Other Just as Good

Bredeson & Co.
Market Day Specials

Seven large package Jersey Corn Flakes ____________ $1

New Breakfast Brownies per package ____________25c

Particular People Eat

Victory Bread

It Satisfies

You

Will enjoy viewing the new modes for Fall.

A fresh stock more complete and more appealing than we have ever shown before is now ready to inspire you.

It is worth an early visit, whether you are ready to choose a hat or are just making up your mind. Come to

JOHNSON MILLINERY
312 LaBree Ave.

10% Discount on All Trimmed Hats Market Day

Small Payment Down

$1 a Day Buys a Ford

A Good Time on Time

McFARLAND AUTO COMPANY
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Closing Out

Entire stock of Phonographs and Records at Below Cost

F. J. STEBBINS
DRUGS JEWELRY

The Penalty For Slow Payment of Bills

There are two kinds of people living in this great big old world.
—The positive man and the negative man.
—One a SUCCESS, the other a failure.
—The first is the man who not only makes good commercially, but makes good his promises.
—His word is as good as his bond.
—His success commercially is dependent upon his ability to make his promises good—in other words, he does as he agrees.
—He is the type of man who would cut off his right hand rather than violate his "Pledge of Obligation."
—This man never fails to get CREDIT. The credit man knows that his promises are redeemed one hundred cents on the dollar.
—Not much can be said of the negative fellow. He is always a failure.
—He will contract almost any kind of a debt on a promise to pay—if he can get credit—and there is always this little word "if."
—But CREDIT being based on honesty, integrity and ability to pay PROMPTLY, Mr. Slow Pay, the negative man, finds it harder every day to secure credit for he is listed with every man in town as either "Slow Pay" or "Unworthy of Credit."
—And it is almost impossible to regain confidence after it has once been shattered by unredeemed promises.
—The fact that he has money will not save him. It's not what you are worth but how you pay that counts.
—Your CREDIT is a wonderful thing, a real buying power.
—Keep it so by always paying promptly.

Merchants Association of Thief River Falls

Watch our show windows for

Market Day Bargains

SOME OF THEM:

Three Boxes Stationery
$1.00

Six Boxes Aspirin Tablets
$1.00

100 lb. Keg Salvet Stock Tonic
$6.00

50 lb. Pail Salvet Stock Tonic
$3.25

Pay Your Account Market Day and Get the Coupons. We gave out the winner last Market Day.

LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

Read This Carefully

The latest hits in Sheet Music are here and we invite you to come in and hear them

Larson Furniture Co

Variety of Strap Designs.

It is invariably the thought in the trade that after a certain type of shoe has had the run of one season that it is well to watch it for the next season and to run away from it the third season. What is to be said about straps?

Straps are now entering their fourth season and are better than ever. One, two and three-strap patterns are being made for all sorts of wear. In welts we get the heavier street types, with buckles or buttons, and in turns the vening effects which permit the use of all sorts of materials and trimmings.

The latest fashion pictures from Paris show straps to the exclusion of all other types other than Colonial. What Colonials are in vogue are in the ratio of ten to one to the straps. In strap patterns every conceivable method of pattern making is being tried out. Some of the latest French shoes have but a little more than the sole, heel and straps to permit of the most extraordinary display of hosiery. The prettiest curve of the foot moulding under the instep is most fashionable.

Patents With Cut-Outs Displayed.

Patent leather strapped pumps with cut-out underlays are being prominently displayed by many of the Fifth Avenue retail merchants. Some of them have fairly long vamps in contrast to the general showing of short vamped shoes.

Patent Leather Selling Well.

Black seems to be the predominating note in the better grades of women's shoes, with patent leather in the lead. In the novelties the "Sally" sandal is going well and frequent re-orders have been placed. The junior Louis heel is selling about 75 per cent with a steadily increasing demand. With the advent of snappier styles the men's business is showing a decided improvement.

Strap Spats the Latest.

Novelty strap spats are now appearing on the market. These spats come in a variety of colors and are made in both kersey and satin. They are provided with an adjustable side buckle which makes it possible to fit them perfectly to the ankle without the necessity of shifting buttons or buckles. They may, however, be had with button or harness buckle fasteners if preferred. The spats are made in one, two, three or four strap patterns.

Shoe Ornaments in Strong Demand.

Shoe ornaments are coming back strong. The small buckles, either jeweled or cut steel with steel fringe pendants to slip over the straps on evening slippers, are selling extremely well. Another ornament that looks promising is the long narrow buckle that completely covers the strap on a one strap pump. Small lovers' knots in rhinestones and brilliants to go on the top of the vamp of strapped evening slippers also have come in. Thief River Falls merchants are showing these late styles.

Watch For Our Market Day Specials

The Tessum Company

The Brumund Hotel

H. W. DeParcq, Prop.
EUROPEAN
CAFE IN CONNECTION
SERVICE AND SATISFACTION

Your Farm Plans---

Let's talk them over together.

During this period of "getting back to normal," the far-seeing farmer is planning to meet present problems, and pave the way for future prosperity.

Come in—and talk over your farm plans with us. We are interested in your welfare—eager to be of service and, after all, very human.
Let's become better acquainted.

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits
$100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Deposit Purchaser's Drawing Coupon s Here

Oen Mercantile Co.

Special Lot Ladies' Dress Shoes.
50 Pairs, at per pair
$1.00

150 Pairs Men's Dress Shoes
$4.98
Values up to $10.00

50 Pairs Women's Dress Shoes
$3.48
Values up to $8.00

Oen Mercantile Co.

SPECIAL

Wrist Watches, 15 jewels, 20 year cases
$16.50
20 Per Cent off on All China

Olaf Neset
Jeweler and Optometrist

Watch our windows for Market Day Specials. A wonderful array of bargains

Carl Christoffrson & Company

MULRY'S BAZAAR

Middy Flannels, 56 inches wide, extra quality	$1.98
Middy Flannels, 56 niches wide	98c
Wool Serges, plain colors, 36 in.	89c
School Serges, in palids, 36 in.	50c
Same for everyday wear, 27 in.	22c
Bed Blankets	$1.48
Bed Blankets	$1.98
Bed Blankets	$4.65
Children's Sleeping Garments	50c
Children's Outing Flannel Slips	45c
Ladies' Night Dresses	98c
Ladies' Night Dresses	$1.10
Ladies' Night Dresses, extra size	$1.45

Our 10c Variety is more complete than it has been for years. Any of the following household articles can be purchased for 10 cents:

Dust pan, large or small strainer, quart measure, measuring cup, mixing spoon, pancake turner, stove cover lifter, knife, fork, paint brush, and many others.

We now have half-pound bars of toilet soap in glycerine, coconaut, buttermilk and witch hazel. Per bar 10c

Mulry's Bazaar

Your Dollar Here Brings Genuine Service

Why? Your dollar in a J. C. PENNEY COMPANY store is not paying for—

—Overhead expense on questionable reserve stock that is waiting to be "marked down."

—Deliveries, expensive or inexpensive.

—Doubtful accounts or uncertain collections.

—It is not being held by the merchant in order to give the "Cream" to "Credit Customers" and let You, a Cash Customer, take the "leavings" in advertised "Sales."

It is the people's confidence in this genuine service of the J. C. PENNEY COMPANY that keeps 312 stores in busy operation every business day of the year.

J. C. Penney Co.
A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION
Incorporated
312 DEPARTMENT STORES

27 in. White Outing	10c
27 in. Dark Color Heavy Outing	17c
27 in. Light Color Heavy Outing	15c
36 in. Heavy Outing	19c
36 in. Bleached Muslin	10c
Men's Nation-Wide Overalls 220 Denim	98c
Men's Leather Lined Moleskin Vests	4.98
Men's Flannel Shirts, Dark Gray	1.98
Nashua Wool Nap Plain Blankets 66x80	3.98
Bed Comforts, Stitched, full size 72x90	2.98 & 3.98

Men's Heavy Rib Union Suits	Men's Best Grade Jaeger Mottled Fleece Lined Union Suits	Boys' Silver Fleece Union Suits	Women's White Rib Union Suits	Women's White Fleece Union Suits
$1.69	$1.98	79c, 89c 98c Sizes 2 to 16.	98c	$1.25
Men's Best Grade All Wool 3 lb. Union Suits	**Men's Woolen Shirts and Drawers**	**Misses' Fleece Lined Union Suits**	**Women's Heavy Rib Fleece Lined Vests and Pants**	**Women's Cream Woolen Union Suits**
$4.50 white, grey, buck	$1.49	79c, 89c, 98c Sizes 2 to 16	98c	$2.98

For the greatest bargain offerings of the year, see Lieberman Bros.' advertisement in the regular section of The Times today

Their great Going-Out-of-Business Sale is attracting people from far and near. Are you getting your share of the bargains offered?

City Meat & Grocery

E. L. ROLLAND, Prop.

WE SHALL BE GLAD to fill your phone order for some of our choice meats and high class groceries. It will be filled promptly and just as you desire. We invite your special attention to our teas and coffees. They are unusually good and remarkably low priced. Can we not send you some today?
Phone 10.

Free Delivery to All Parts of the City.

MARKET DAY SPECIALS

Fancy Salt Pork, per lb.	15c	Hamburger, per lb.	15c
Beef Rib Stew, per lb.	10c	6 pkgs. New Jell for	49c
Beef Chuck Roast, per lb.	15c	4 pkgs. Sunbright Cleanser for	28c
Veal Rib Stew, per lb.	10c	National Assorted Crackers and Cookies, pkg.	8c
Veal Shoulder Roast, per lb.	15	6 pkgs. Giant Corn Flakes for	49c
Sausage, per lb.	15c	5 lbs. Fancy Peaberry Coffee for	$1
		5 pkgs. H-B Oatmeal for	95c

GIVE US A TRIAL

If our goods and service please you, tell others; if not, tell us.

A Few Shoe Specials For Market Day

Women's black, 8 inch, low heel	$3.00
Women's and Misses' black kid lace, sizes 8½ to 2	$2.50
Infants' button shoes, sizes 3 to 5	$1.00
Boys' and Children's smoke play shoes:	
Sizes 6 to 8	$1.75
Sizes 8½ to 12	$2.00
Sizes 12 to 2	$2.25
Men's kid lace shoes	$3.95
Women with small feet can get a pair of shoes at our bargain counter for	$1.00

A. M. Langseth
THE SHOE MAN

Market Day Specials

TEN PER CENT OFF ON ANY ARTICLE IN THIS STORE
For Example:

$25.00 Men's Suits	$22.50
$30.00 Men's Suits	$27.00
$10.00 Boys' Suits	$9.00
$5.00 Men's Shoes	$4.50
$7.50 Men's Shoes	$6.75
$10.00 Men's Shoes	$9.00
$2.50 Flannel Shirts	$2.25
$3.50 Flannel Shirts	$3.15
$4.50 Flannel Shirts	$4.05
$1.00 Men's Union Suits	90c
$1.50 Men's Union Suits	$1.35
$2.50 Men's Union Suits	$2.25

Special from 2 to 3 p. m.

50 Men's and Young Men's Suits $18.50

TEN PER CENT OFF ON ANY ARTICLE IN THIS STORE

Chas. Lieberman

THE WHY AND HOW OF BUILDINGS FOR THE HORSES

Farm buildings serve their purpose best when especially adapted to the specific use required of them. Horse barns should be different from any other building on the farm. The health and comfort of horses should be the first consideration, but convenience in attending to their wants and requirements makes a close second.

All horse stables should be well ventilated. Every farmer knows that there is a great difference in stables in this respect. Some stables are so built that you would rather keep out of them if possible, because they can not be kept clean. The smell of ammonia is always present and when the doors are shut it is very disagreeable. Imagine shutting a valuable horse up in such an atmosphere at night, and expect to find him in good condition in the morning. The horse is the most expensive animal on the farm and the most susceptible to disease; hence the first consideration in a stable should be to promote the health of the horses.

A horse stable should be cool and airy in summer and it should be warm and well ventilated in winter. The floor should be made in such a manner that it will not absorb the liquids from the manure, and there should be no cracks to let the liquids down underneath to ferment and destroy the air in the building. Stable ceilings must necessarily be sufficiently high to permit a horse to get his head up. Horses are warm animals; that is, they contain body heat enough to warm a stable when conditions are as they should be.

Before starting to build put a little time on the study of ventilation. Read up on the circulation of warm air. Don't depend on others, because they might not understand the particular conditions you are dealing with. It is well enough to ask advice, but get the information from different sources so that you may be able to sift the quality of your instructions sufficiently to keep the grain and discard the chaff. Don't blindly copy a stable that someone else has built without carefully considering whether or not it fits your requirements.

A horse stable that works all right for one farmer is all wrong for another, because his horses may be larger, or he may have more of them, or he handles them differently. Some farmers have a lot of horses that they press into service in the summer time and turn out in the yards and sheds to winter. Such farmers usually raise horses to sell and have more than they need at all times. Other farmers keep just what horses they need to do the work. They keep four or six horses the year round and they have no intention of altering their usual custom. But in either case a man can arrange a stable for

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Nortz Lumber Co.

(Incorporated)

Building Material
Coal - Wood

See us before you build. We can supply your wants no matter how large or small.

H. C. JOHNSON, Manager
123 So. Main Phone 110

K. A. SUNDAHL S. K. SUNDAHL

Northwestern Automobile Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

DISTRIBUTORS
Overland Willys-Knight
Republic Trucks

Coal Prices

TERMS: CASH

Hard Nut	$17.70
Youghiogheny Screened Lump	11.20
Hocking Screened Lump	11.20
Pochahontas Large Briquets	13.70
Pochahontas Small Briquets	14.20
Pochahontas Screened Lump	14.20
Stotts Briquets	18.20

These prices are for delivery from railroad car. Deliveries made from our sheds are 25c per ton higher.

Minneapolis Bridge Company
Coal Department
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.
Phone 482.

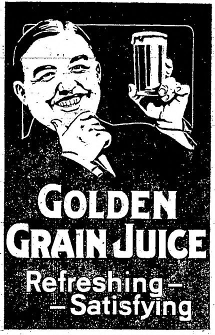

Thoroughly Fermented—the Real Lagered Brew
Order of the Local Distributor
Thief River Grocery Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Most Attractive Spot in Thief River Falls on Market Day will be M. N. Benson's Dry Goods Palace

It's going to be a lively corner and worth traveling 50 miles to see. You will find it both pleasant and profitable to visit the store.

NO ONE CAN AFFORD TO MISS IT

LEL'S ALL GO

The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company

offers to Insurable Men and Women all forms of protection from ages 10 to 60.

PARENTS: Start a contract for your boy or girl.

EX-SERVICE MEN: I have on hand a supply of blanks for converting War Risk Term Certificates into one or more of the six forms offered by the Government. I will gladly assist any Ex-Service man, without charge, to convert his Certificate and give such other information as I can.

I specialize in Life Insurance—I am at your SERVICE.

E. M. BENNES
The Life Insurance Man
Phone 385

Market Day Specials!

Rogers house paint, gal.	$2.95
Rogers floor paint, gal.	2.85
Twentieth Century house paint, per gal.	2.35

Also special prices on all barn paints for this day.

25% Off on Community Silverware.

Special prices on our entire line of Aluminum Ware.

Come in and look over our line of pianos. We are agents for the Baldwin Piano Company, handling the Baldwin, Monarch, Howard and Ellington Pianos and Player Pianos.

Hermanson Hdw. Co.

White Seal

Is Good For What Ails You

A COOL REFRESHING DRINK

It's the Real Lagered Brew—
Not an Imitation.
Nothing More Wholesome
Nothing More Satisfying

Serve it With Your Meals
Order a Case Today
On Draft and in Bottles

A KIEWEL PRODUCT

KIEWEL PRODUCTS CO.
Phone 116 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Need a Farm Loan?

There never has been a time—even during the past year—when this bank refused to make conservative loans on good farms.

We are making loans right along, the same as in the past. In fact, we have $100,000.00 to loan NOW on farms.

If your mortgage is due or if you need a loan, come in and see us.

First and Peoples State Bank
Capital and Surplus $90.000
Deposit purchaser's drawing coupons here.

THIEF RIVER CAFE

Special Chicken Dinner 50c

Market Day

MEALS, LUNCHES, ICE CREAM, AT ALL HOURS

E. M. STANTON, JR., Prop.

A complete stock of Lumber and Building Material always on hand

OUR PRICES MEET ALL COMPETITION

Call For Purchaser's Coupons

The Prichard Co.

MarketDaySpecials

GET YOUR COUPONS HERE

Home Rendered Lard, 7 lbs. for ---- 98c
Pickled Salt Pork, per lb. ---- 16c
Exelso Cake Flour, per package ---- 16c
Corn Puffs, per package ---- 11c
Grape Juice, per bottle ---- 32c
E. C. Corn Flakes, per package ---- 9c
Chase & Sanborn's Coffee, three pounds for ---- $1.00

The Best in the World—We Are Exclusive Agents in Thief River Falls

Simonson's Meat & Grocery

Phone No. 115

Free Delivery

Farmers: We pay the highest prices for Pork, Beef, Veal, Butter, Eggs, Poultry and Produce. See us before selling.

Shoe Specials

Market Day, Wednesday, Sept. 28

For this day we will have bargains in footwear for every member of the family. It will pay you to supply your requirements for Fall and Winter here.

Be sure to pay us a visit on Market Day. Make this store your headquarters while in town.

Froseth Shoe Store

Market Day Specials

One doz. 8 oz. packages Macaroni ---- 90c
One 10 lb. pail Dark Syrup ---- 56c
One 10 lb. pail White Syrup ---- 64c

Zeh & Curran

NORTHERN BAKING CO.

"City Bakery"

SPECIALS FOR MARKET DAY ONLY

Fried Cakes per dozen ---- 18c
Cinnamon Rolls per dozen ---- 15c

NO ORDER TOO SMALL — NONE TOO BIG

LUNCH — ICE CREAM

Dairy Lunches Served at All Hours

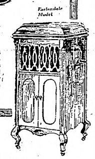

SPECIAL

MARKET DAY OFFER

Arwall

"The phonograph that speaks for itself"

Earlandale Model

SEVEN beautiful models; plays all makes of records. Has a long running, smooth winding motor, a perfected sound box and all other superior features. Come in and listen to it today.

ONE DOLLAR DOWN
ONE DOLLAR A WEEK

LAIRD'S

MARKET DAY SPECIALS

Home rendered lard 14c

Good lean bacon by the strip 28c

Louis DeCremer

THE WHY AND HOW OF BUILDING FOR THE HORSES

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a certain number of horses and build it accordingly.

In cold weather, a stable big enough for six horses will not be warm enough if only two are stabled. If, for any reason, the stable is too large, it is better to fill it up with cows in the winter, for the reason that you cannot have ventilation without heat. On general principles, it is more satisfactory to keep horses in a building by themselves, and it is but little extra expense to do so.

When possible a horse stable should contain a carriage room that is reasonably free from dust. Every man has, or should have the ambition to keep a rig for the road that is decently clean. He owes it to himself and his family to provide a respectable turnout. A farmer's family depends for a change and recreation on the opportunty to get away from home by means of the horses. They are judged to a very great extent by the appearance they make.

EDITORIAL BREVITIES

Give the Shipping Board credit for one thing: It was never accused of profiteering.

Some congressmen evidently had the notion that we should have a tariff for juggling only.

A college professor says men have a larger vocabulary than women. True, but they don't emit it all at one time.

Speaking of disarmament, would it not be better to teach humanity that war is an economic crime, rather than an attempt to remove the weapons? As long as men believe that fighting is the way to settle disputes there will always be war.

Tips From the Pep-tomist.

What class are you in?

The pessimist says, "It can't be done."

The optimist says, "It can be done."

The pep-tomist says, "Let's do it."

Never begin a job in a hurry and finish with an excuse.

You don't have to furnish security to borrow trouble.

Learn to laugh, it will tide you over many an ill, and make the world laugh with you.

Fitting Soft Toe Shies

"It may be," remarks a Lynn designer, "that a soft toe shoe can be fitted a size smaller than a hard toe shoe. There is no box in the soft toe and the box is a third of an inch thick and a third of an inch is a size. But if I were fitting shoes, I would give the customer the benefit of the ample measurements of the soft toe shoes, and fit her with the regular sizes. She will have more toe room and more foot comfort. Besides, when it comes to fitting shoes right, it pays to stick to regular sizes."

The auction sale season is here. Get your bills at The Times office.

Save the Easy Way

High prices make saving hard. Low cash prices coupled with the extra savings at this great sale, make it especially easy for you to save by buying here.

Big Specials in Groceries for Market Day!

Peoples Co-op. Store

Most Progressive Hardware Store in Pennington County

Extra Special Bargains

For display of articles and prices, see Bargain Table No. 1 in store; also south window, on Market Day—Wednesday, Sept. 28, 1921

Hall Brothers Co.

"A Good Place to Trade"

A Little Farther to Walk for Some—But it Pays

For Market Day

ONE DAY ONLY

Men's Heavy Woolen Socks, $1.00 value ---- 49c
Men's Heavy Cotton "Iron Clad" Socks, brown and black ---- 19c
Khaki Army Shirts each ---- $1.65
Children's heavy stitched down solid shoes, in brown, sizes 5½ to 13½, per pair ---- $1.95

U. S. ARMY O. D. WOOL BLANKETS, double size, for one day only ---- $3.85

Read our adv. in regular edition of The Times for other bargains.

E. O. Mogensen
ONE PRICE CLOTHIER
THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA.
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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OPPORTUNITY IS EXCEPTIONAL IN TRADES COURSE

Boys Interested in Gas Engineering and Automobiles Are Urged to Attend School.

Special One Year's Course of Study is Offered in This Department.

Any Eighth Grade Graduate Fourteen Years of Age is Eligible For Entry.

The attention of the farm boy who is interested in gas engineering and [illegible]biles is called to the trades [illegible] industries course offered in the Thief River Falls high school. There is room for a few more boys in this department and Supt. Simley will be glad to hear from parties interested. It is planned to organize a short course for the winter. This will start about Nov. 1.

Instruction Offered.

The course offers the following units of instruction:

No. A 1, Chassis; 2, body, 3, front axle; 4, transmission; 5, rear axle; 6, clutch; 7, universal joint; 8, steering mechanism; 9, engine; 10; lubrication; 11, cooling system; 12, fuel system; 13, vacuum tank; 14, carburetor; 15, lighting; 16, horn; 17, battery; 18, starting system; 19, generator; 20, ignition (battery); 21, ignition (magneto).

Daily Program.

The daily program of the full time automotive students is as follows:

Shopwork—9 to 9:40; 9:42 to 10:22; 10:24 to 11:04; 11:06 to 11:46. Trade Science—1:15 to 1:55. Trade Mathematics—1:57 to 2:37. Trade English—2:39 to 3:19; 3:21 to 4.

Practical Shop Work.

The forenoon is devoted to work in the shop upon representative makes of automobiles.

The science given in the course parallels the work in the shop as closely as possible. Among the numerous topics embraced in this subject, the following will give an idea of its scope: Magnetism, laws of magnetic a[illegible]on, molecular theory of mag[illegible] electromagnetism, terrestrial [illegible]gnetism, properties of selenoids, permeability, flux magnetmotive force, electromagnetic induction, self inductance, simple voltaic cell, Edison, Planto and Faure cells, electrolysis, Ohms law, thermodynamics, study of all leading electrical apparatus.

The mathematics given include the every day calculations needed to solve the problems which arise in the trade. Such subjects as calculation of horsepower, gear ratios, micrometer reading, threads, use of protractor, formulas, etc., are dealt with. The period given over to mathematics is used once a week to give practice in sketching of machine parts and reading of plates and specifications.

Eighth Grade Graduates Eligible.

Any person, fourteen years of age or over, who has completed the eighth grade, without further prerequisites, can enter the course of study. The Smith-Hughes law authorizes a limitation of the class to suit local conditions. The full time student, upon the successful completion of the year's work, receives four full credits which count toward graduation from the high school. The course is of one year's duration.

FOURTH MARKET DAY ATTENDED BY LARGE CROWD OF SHOPPERS

Business Houses Enjoyed Excellent Patronage Throughout Entire Day.

Reports of many of the business houses of the city indicate that the fourth market day held yesterday was the most successful of any yet conducted by the Merchants association. Large crowds of shoppers thronged the stores throughout the entire day and all seemed to leave well pleased with the offerings of the merchants.

At 5:30, the time set for the giving away of the prizes at the First National bank corner, the street and sidewalks were jammed with people eager to learn the result. The list of awards was announced by Secretary Smith as follows:

Evelyn Wegge, Thief River Falls, rug, purchase made at Lieberman Brothers.

P. N. Pederson, Holt, silver set, purchase made at Oen Mercantile Co.

Mrs. G. Nustvold, Germantown Route, pair shoes, purchase made at Oen Mercantile Co.

A. J. Berg, Thief River Falls, Stet[illegible] hat, purchase made at Loken Bros.

J. S. Roy, St. Hilaire, lady's handbag, purchase made at Sapero Co.

T. M. Thronson, Thief River Falls, clothes wringer, purchase made at Johnson Millinery.

Mrs. J. S. Roy, St. Hilaire, aluminum roaster, purchase made at Sapero Co.

Mrs. E. O. Sabo, Mavie, case tomatoes, purchase made at Sapero Co.

Mrs. G. Nustvold, Germantown Route, thermos bottle, purchase made at Oen Mercantile Co.

Wm. Furstnau, Thief River Falls, half dozen socks, purchase made at Oen Mercantile Co.

Mrs. O. Tessum, Thief River Falls, suit underwear, purchase made at Tessum Co.

George Baken, Thief River Falls, case sugar corn, purchase made at Sapero Co.

Hannah Peterson, Thief River Falls, case Mason jars, purchase made at Lieberman Bros.

P. N. Pederson, Holt, 50 lbs. flour, purchase made at Sapero Co.

Esther Soards, Thief River Falls, case prunes, purchase made at Loken Bros.

George Baken, Thief River Falls, Boston bag, purchase made at Sapero Co.

Alice Thompson, Thief River Falls, casserole, purchase made at Larson Furniture Co.

M. H. Connelly, Thief River Falls, case corn flakes, purchase made at C. S. Simonson's.

Mrs. A. N. Eckstrom, Warren, Brownie kodak, purchase made at Sapero Co.

Mrs. O. G. Storholm, Thief River Falls, shirt, purchase made at Sapero Co.

Orders have been mailed to all winners not present at the drawing.

CATTLE FROM THIS COUNTY WIN HIGH HONORS AT BEMIDJI

F. B. Conklin and Albert Johnson Get High Awards on Guernsey Showing.

Pennington county Guernsey cattle continue to win high honors wherever exhibited. At the Beltrami county fair, held at Bemidji last week, F. B. Conklin and Albert Johnson were among the exhibitors and carried off a large share of the prizes.

Among Mr. Conklin's awards was first prize on herd. He was also given first on aged bull on the showing made by Cherub's Yeoman of Sherman (56074), as well as first and sweepstakes on his cow, Kifs (45096). Two other first prizes fell to Mr. Conklin—in the two-year-old division on Kif's Beauty, and on the yearling, Cherub's Diamond of Chippewa (108538).

The first prize for the junior and grand champion bull went to Mr. Johnson on Burr Oaks May King (64770), together with the following: Second on aged cow, Imported Myra of Oakley (73781); second on two-year-old, Mabelle Rose (864230); third on yearling, Mollie of the Pines; first on heifer calf, Noble's Valentine of Burr Oaks (118514); third on heifer calf, Golden Noble's Pride of Burr Oaks. Mr. Johnson also won second place in the herd competition.

Among the other well-known exhibitors having herds at Bemidji were L. Jensen of Clearbrook; J. L. Spaulding of Warren, and Carlsons of Erskine, the latter showing Shorthorns. There was also a fine herd of Jerseys from Park Rapids.

Perry Johnson, who was in charge of the Pennington county exhibits, states that all present were very well treated by the people of Bemidji and the fair association officials. A fine banquet was a feature of the last evening of their stay.

SILENT MORATORIUM IN EFFECT, SAYS BANKER

The serious financial situation confronting Minnesota farmers has resulted in a "silent moratorium" in many rural districts, according to Timothy O'Connor, bank president of Renville, Minn. Mr. O'Connor is the chairman of a joint farmer-banker committee, organized by the farm bureau federation to lay the farmers' credit needs before city and federal bankers.

"Something must be done," Mr. O'Connor said at a credit conference last week, "to relieve the farmer who has contracted debts during the period of high prices and who is now trying to liquidate with the commodities produced during the past year, which under present conditions will not enable him to liquidate any debts except for threshing, twine, help and other expenses pertaining to production of the crop."

YOUNG MAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Damon Bergson Crushed to Death When Machine Goes Over Embankment.

Damond Bergson of Crookston was instantly killed last Thursday evening when the large Studebaker car he was driving plunged over the embankment on the Jefferson highway about three miles south of St. Hilaire.

The young man was alone in the car at the time of the accident. The exact cause of the tragedy is not known but the supposition of friends of the Crookston man is that he had fallen asleep while driving the car.

He had visited with friends in this city that evening and felt here on his return trip to Crookston about midnight. The body was brought to Thief River Falls and shipped to Crookston over the Great Northern Friday afternoon.

OFFICERS OF FAIR ASSOCIATION ARE ALL RE-ELECTED

Two New Directors Chosen, Increasing Board to Nine Members.

Annual Report of Secretary Shows Society in Excellent Condition.

August 2, 3 and 4 Decided on as Dates For Next Year's Attraction.

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Agricultural society was held in the Commercial club rooms Monday evening. The officers who conducted the affairs of the association during the past year so successfully were all re-elected, and the board of directors was increased to nine members by the addition of directors from St. Hilaire and Goodridge. The officers and directors elected are as follows:

Herbert Fuller, president; Albert Johnson, first vice president; Fred Beerbower, second vice president; L. A. Lampert, treasurer; Daniel Shaw, Emil Griebstein, V. C. Noper, R. J. McKercher and Morgan Vaughn, directors.

Fair Dates Set.

The dates for next year's fair were set for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 2, 3 and 4. This continues the policy followed by the fair association since its organization in holding the fair during the first week in August, a factor that has had a decided influence in establishing the Pennington County Fair as one of the most successful in the entire state.

Attendance This Year 14,000.

The annual report of the secretary showed the total attendance at this year's fair to have been 14,000. The receipts from all sources totaled $9,715.77 and the disbursements $10,928.02. Included in the disbursements is an item of $204.53 carried over from last year and $2,613.96 which was paid out for permanent improvement to the grounds. The last named item covers the cost of the new women's building, the new fence and repairs to the grandstand.

The detailed statement of receipts and disbursements is as follows:

Receipts.

Balance on hand	$ 866.25
State aid	1260.68
City aid	400.00
County aid	400.00
Gate and grandstand	4295.21
Concessions	1524.35
Entry fees	45.28
Space rentals	270.00
Miscellaneous	1520.38
Total	$10,582.02

Disbursements.

Labor and misc.	$1892.32
Bills and accounts	204.53
Buildings	2613.96
Premiums	1927.00
Pay roll	639.13
Music and attractions	3441.08
Race purses	210.00
Total	$10,928.02

It will be seen from this statement that the fair this year was highly successful from a financial point of view, something that can be said of but few county fairs in the state this year.

Society in Splendid Condition.

The statement of the assets and liabilities of the association reflects a sound and flourishing condition, the total indebtedness at this time being only $3824.01. The state aid money which will be received within the next month will amount to about $1700.00, which will leave the net indebtedness of the association a trifle over $2000.00. On the other hand, the association has assets to the amount of $23,000.00. The complete statement of assets and liabilities follows:

Assets.

Land	$ 9300.00
Buildings	13500.00
Personal property	150.00
Accounts receivable	45.00
Notes receivable	25.00
Total	$23,020.00

Liabilities.

Accounts payable	$ 324.01
Notes payable	3500.00
Total	$3,824.01

The total capital stock issue is $7525.00.

Not to Ask For Money.

President Fuller made an announcement that met with unanimous approval when he stated that business men who signed up an amount of money to guarantee the erection of the women's building at the fair grounds this year would not be called on to pay their subscription, according to a plan worked out by the board of directors. He stated that they proposed to borrow the amount of money that is necessary to take care of present obligations, using the guarantee of the business men as security. This loan can be carried until next year and if conditions are then favorable it can be paid out of the earnings of the fair.

WANTED BY RELATIVES

The relatives of Chas. Peterson, son of the late C. H. Peterson, are very anxious to locate him at once. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts will be doing him, as well as his relatives, a great favor by advising him that he is wanted in Thief River Falls.

FOOTBALL SEASON OPENS SATURDAY AT FAIR GROUNDS

High School Will Meet Red Lake Falls For First Gridiron Contest.

The high school football team will officially open the season Saturday afternoon when they meet Red Lake Falls at the local fair grounds. The game will be called at 3 o'clock.

The local boys have been going through some stiff practice every night and Coach Stenhoff has a large squad from which to pick the team that will represent the high school. It is likely that the line-up will be shifted many times during the game Saturday in order to select the best material for the various positions. The team will appear in their new uniforms purchased by the school board.

Red Lake Falls is reported to have an exceptionally fast team this year and they are coming, accompanied by a large delegation of rooters, determined to win the first game of the season. The local high school students are preparing to attend the game in full force. They say that if their team is defeated it will not be because of lack of support from the sidelines.

FALL FROM PLOW BREAKS NECK OF SANDERS FARMER

C. H. Peterson Dies as Result of Injury Received Last Friday.

C. H. Peterson, well known Sanders township farmer, had his neck broken last Friday when the sulky plow on which he was riding struck a large rock with such force that he was thrown violently to the ground. He was immediately taken to the Physicians hospital in this city where he died on Monday.

Mr. Peterson was one of the substantial farmers of the county. He came to this county about 30 years ago and settled in Sanders township, where he resided at the time of his death. He leaves a family of five grown children.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. O. J. Lundell Wednesday morning at the home and interment was made in the Sanders township cemetery.

DAIRY INQUIRY WILL BEGIN IN MINNESOTA

Minnesota, as the foremost butter producing state in the union, has been selected by the farm bureau dairy marketing Committee of Eleven as the scene of its first hearings.

The Committee of Eleven was appointed by J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau federation, with the advice of the National Milk Producers association, to work out improved methods of marketing dairy products. E. B. Henton, director of the dairy marketing department of the American federation, has notified the state farm bureau that the first general hearing conducted by the committee will take place at the state fair grounds on Oct. 12, during the National Dairy show. A preliminary meeting will be held in state farm bureau headquarters on Oct. 10 or 11, Mr. Henton said.

Minnesota dairymen are represented on the national marketing committee by H. B. Nickerson, president of the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, Inc.

Twenty other conferences are scheduled for the National Dairy show, Oct. 8 to 15. They include sessions of the National Cheese conference, Oct. 12; National Creamery Buttermakers association, Oct. 11 and 12; National Dairy association, Oct. 12; International Milk Dealers association, Oct. 13, 14 and 15; American Dairy Science association, Oct. 10; National Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers, Oct. 10 and 11; National conferences of Co-operative Creamery Men, Oct. 13; National Dairy Council; American Jersey Cattle club; Oct. 14; American Guernsey Cattle club, Oct. 12; Holstein-Friesian association of America, Oct. 11; Ayrshire Breeders association, Oct. 11; Allied States Creamery association, Oct. 12; North Central States Association of Dairy and Food Officials; Wisconsin State Cheese association; Wisconsin State Dairy Protective association; Brown Swiss Cattle Breeders association, Oct. 11; Minnesota Creamery Butter Manufacturers association; County Agents and state extension service, Oct. 12, and Milk Producers National convention, Oct. 14.

POTATO RAISER URGED TO STUDY CROP SITUATION

State Department of Agriculture Tells Farmers to Watch Market Conditions.

Estimated That Crop Will Be 50,000,000 Bushels Short of Country's Requirements.

Stock Should Be Graded Carefully and Quality Indicated on Shipping Bill.

The State Department of Agriculture this week issued a statement in which they warn the potato growers of the state that market conditions should be studied more carefully than ever before in order that they may contract for the sale of their crop to the best advantage. The statement contains many facts that should be of great interest to the farmers of this section and it should be read very carefully. It is prepared by Hugh J. Hughes, director of markets, and is as follows:

"The Minnesota State Department of Agriculture has recently completed a personal tour of the potato growing section of Minnesota, and in a number of cases has found evidence that dealers are contracting with farmers for the delivery of their crop at loading station, usually at prices considerably below the market for produce of good quality.

Should Study Crop Situation.

attempt to say that the farmer should not enter into a contract to sell if he sees fit to do so it does desire to call attention to the fact that he should, before making such contracts, be thoroughly conversant with the crop situation and with the price level on the market.

"The normal potato requirements of the country are something over 380,000,000 bushels per year. This crop falls short of that estimate by from 30 to 50,000,000 bushels. The best information obtainable by the Minnesota State Department of Agriculture is to the effect that the early crop throughout the country has been far below normal and that the market depending upon that crop is substantially cleaned up. The great potato consuming areas of the United States include, in addition to the large eastern cities, the agricultural regions from the Alleghanies to western Kansas and southward. The entire region must depend for its supply upon a shortened late crop in practically the potato producing areas outside of the far west.

"The facts of the situation lead the State Department of Agriculture to look for an active demand accompanied by a fairly good price throughout the crop moving season.

"The recent depression in potato prices has been due to ill-advised swamping of the large markets with immature, heating, ill-sorted and decaying potatoes, and instead of indicating a general weak market condition has merely resulted in the wasting of a considerable amount of material, taken from an already short crop. In considering the questions of the proper time to market and of the price that may fairly be expected, these basic facts should be kept in mind and the further fact also, that attention to grading and the exclusion from the crop offered of small, un-usable or diseased stock should be followed. The shipper should further protect himself by indicating the quality and condition of his shipment on his invoice, bill of lading or sales slip, and demand prices in line with such quality offerings on the terminal markets."

CROOKSTON MEN IN COAL BUSINESS RUN INTO MANY SNAGS

Experience Indicates That Huge Combine For Control of Prices Exists.

The experience of two men in the city of Crookston who made an effort to engage in the coal business discloses some astounding facts. The whole affair, as reported in the Tuesday issue of the Crookston Times, seems to bear out the contention of many that a huge combine for the control of prices exists. The article contains so many interesting facts that it is reproduced in full as follows:

"For a year or more there has been a conviction in the public mind that coal prices were being kept up far beyond what they should be, by a gigantic combination which involved all those engaged in the business, from the mine owners to the retail dealers.

"That this 'combination in restraint of trade' is not confined to the coal dealers alone, but that the railroads also have inserted a fat finger in the pie, would seem to be borne out by recent developments which have a local significance.

"The story of the experience of a couple of Crookston business men who formed a partnership to go into the coal business here, will be of interest in this connection.

"If their story is true, and they have backed their statements with written evidence which would seem to prove conclusively that it is, it reveals a most interesting chapter in the hidden mysteries of the coal situation, as showing why consumers are compelled to pay from a third to a half more for coal than this commodity is worth, as compared with the prevailing prices of other commodities in general use.

"These men are possessed of ample capital and naturally supposed there would be no difficulty in their entering the business. There were millions of dollars' worth of coal piled upon the docks at Duluth. This coal they naturally supposed was for sale. They had the money to buy such coal as they needed to carry on their business. Accordingly, one of the partners went to Duluth to arrange with a wholesaler for shipment of coal. But he did not meet with a very enthusiastic reception among the wholesalers. He found one concern, however, which promised to investigate the situation. It did not have a connection in Crookston, and if the investigation was satisfactory, it would be glad to open an account with the Crookston firm. A few days later a man was sent to Crookston. He found the credit standing of the local firm fully sufficient, but told them they would have to have a warehouse in which to carry a stock of coal. If this was done, he would recommend that his concern take them on. The Sundet coal shed on the N. P. right-of-way was available. The local firm got an option on a lease. They then took the matter up with the N. P. railway and were informed through a local representative that there was no objection to a transfer of the lease of the righ-of-way site if they got a lease of the sheds from Mr. Sundet. Accordingly they arranged for a lease from Mr. Sundet.

"So far everything was lovely. They reported the situation to the wholesaler at Duluth, and accompanied their statement with an order for several cars of coal. The coal was promptly shipped and delivered to the customers of the local firm at a price of about two dollars a ton less than that at which it had previously been sold here. Then the trouble began. The chill that pervaded the atmosphere surrounding the sturdy young coal business of the local firm, instead of being conducive to a further growth of the business, had just the opposite effect. There was no lack of orders, but there was a suspicious silence at the Duluth end after they were sent in. Letters and telegrams asking for hastened shipments met with no response.

"This continued for a few days only. Then the blow was struck that put this flourishing young coal company upon the everlasting blink.

"While the two partners sat in their office one cloudy morning, waiting for an acknowledgment of their orders for coal, and their urgent telegrams requesting shipment, a traveling agent of the N. P. dropped in on them, and proceeded artfully to strip their business hides from their business backs and hang them on the fence to dry when the sun came out.

"They were informed that the N. P. had inaugurated a new policy which would preclude them from renewing the lease for the ground along the right-of-way for the Sundet coal sheds.

"'But,' said one of the members of the firm, 'we have your telgram to the effect that you would lease us the site. On the strength of this we leased the Sundet sheds, and Sundet has sent in his lease to be transferred to us.'

"'Yes, I know, but we are not in a position to transfer the Sundet lease at this time,' said the railroad representative, and that is as far as he would go.

"Next day the wholesale coal dealers at Duluth came to life. A very courteous letter came from them, notifying the local firm that unless they could show a lease for their coal shed site on the railroad right-of-way they could not be considered as coal dealers, and therefore the Duluth firm would be unable to make further coal shipments to them. The orders then in their hands were being cancelled, and the incident closed.

"Here was a pretty kettle of fish. The local coal dealers with a leased coal warehouse on their hands, first class financial standing, a bushel of orders from local consumers, coal piled sky high on the Duluth docks, but not a pound available for them; and, in addition to that, the railroad company positively refused to spot cars at their leased sheds.

"Did the fact that this new firm had started to sell coal at a saving of $2 a ton to local consumers have anything to do with the joint action of the wholesale coal dealers and the railroad company to put them out of business.

"Was there a combination or secret understanding between those interests to control the price of coal to the consumers?

"Is there a gigantic illegal combination in restraint of trade affecting the coal business, whose ramifications extend out in all directions?

"The reader may judge for himself.

"In the meantime, the members of the defunct coal company have not ceased to fight. They may be butting their heads against a stone wall. But they want to feel for themselves just how hard the stones are, anyhow.

"It is said the matter has been referred to the State Railroad and Warehouse Commission, and to the State Agricultural Department for investigation.

"The outcome—well, that will be another story."

MAY RUN EXTRA CAR TO ST. PAUL FOR DAIRY SHOW

National Exhibition to Be Held at State Fair Grounds October 8 to 15.

Twenty-Five Passengers Necessary to Secure Special Car For Local Dairymen.

Trip, Including Sleeper Accommodations For Three Days, Will Cost Only $24.00.

The National Dairy Show is held at the Minnesota State Fair grounds Oct. 8 to 15. This show will afford an opportuity of a lifetime to people of the dairy industry and farmers of the Northwest to see the whole industry under one roof and meet their fellows from all over the United States and many foreign countries.

Five Breeds on Exhibit.

The farmer and breeder can get from this show accurate knowledge about the five leading breeds of dairy cattle by seeing the best specimens standing side by side in the ring, being judged on merits by experts of national reputation. He can talk to the judges, owners and herdsmen about breeding and feeding for best results at the pail. He can learn how to procure the blood of these high producing cattle to use on his own herd to reduce labor and increase his earnings, at a cost within his reach.

Mechanical Devices Demonstrated.

Every worth while milking machine and separator on the market; every device used in the farm dairy; the latest in barn equipment and farm machinery designed to lower feed costs, will be there. Meetings on natural market methods will be held.

Special Car Possible.

Wednesday, Oct. 12, is Guernsey day and Thursday, Oct. 13, is Holstein day. It is planned to run a special car from Thief River Falls to St. Paul, staying three days, providing 25 passengers can be secured. Quite a number have signified their intention of going. The railroads are offering a fare and a half rate, which will be $17.07 for the round trip. The special will be parked on the fair grounds with sleeper accommodations going down, coming back and during the time while there for $6 each, making a total of $24. No hotel bill need be paid while there as the special car will be used for that purpose. The people wishing to go should notify the Farm Bureau office before Saturday, Oct. 1, so arrangements can be made for getting the car.

FARMERS CALLED TO WATERWAY MEETING

State Conference Meets Oct. 7 to Push Lake-to-Ocean Channel Project.

The president and state director of every county farm bureau in Minnesota will be invited to attend a conference in St. Paul on Oct. 7, called to launch an intensive campaign in 16 states in support of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence ocean waterway project.

Trade organizations, women's clubs, civic associations and municipalities are being asked to send delegates. The conference was called by the governor at the request of the state's Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Tidewater commission. It will take place at the state capitol the day before the opening of the national dairy show.

Similar conventions are being arranged in other states interested in bringing the Atlantic ocean 1,000 miles closer to the northwest.

Deepening of the St. Lawrence channel to permit ocean-going vessels to come into the lake ports of the northwest will cut transportation costs on export grain almost in half, the state tidewater commission believes. The commission estimates that from Lake Erie to Atlantic ports, the lowest rail rate is 12 cents a bushel on grain, and that it costs 8 cents a bushel more to load that grain into ships.

The Minnesota commission estimates that the opening of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence route to ocean traffic would reduce this grain transportation cost 10 cents a bushel.

NEW POULTRY SPECIALIST JOINS EXTENSION STAFF

Miss Cora Cooke, a graduate of Cornell University, where she specialized in poultry work, has taken the position of poultry specialist in the office of extension work with women at University Farm. Miss Cooke will carry on the field and office work, which has been in the hands the past year of Miss Annabel Campbell.

McWilliams Family Leaves.

R. B. McWilliams, former manager of the Tribune, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Helen, left Friday evening for Davenport, Iowa, where he will take a course in chiropractic. Enroute to Davenport they will visit relatives at Hampton, Ia.

Society and Club

Teachers' Reception.

he teachers' reception held at the torium on Friday evening was ly well attended and a decided ess. The hall had been cleverly rated, due to the efforts of E. O. ensen and George Loken. Panels red, white and blue crepe paper suspended from the balcony with a large flag, forming a can- and making a circular reception a where the guests were received. the receiving line were Dr. and H. W. Froehlich, Supt. and Mrs. Simley, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. thy, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rayson, and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen. During the receiving hours a five-piece estra furnished a program of ex- nt music. Later in the evening a t musical program was given. Irma Mallory Fisher gave a l solo, and graciously responded an encore, which consisted of a l duet by Mrs. Fisher and S. Carl dahl. Miss Doris Halvorson gave pleasing piano solos and Mr. dahl gave a vocal solo, which was tily applauded. Light refresh- ts concluded a most pleasant eve-

To Appear in Concert.

ne music lovers of Bemidji will be red by a concert of unusual t at the Methodist church on ay evening, Sept. 30, when the orson-Fisher company, assisted the local Harmonick club, will er a program of master compo- ns. Miss Halvorson, a graduate e Oberlin Conservatory of Music, ist, will play numbers from g, Gluck, Saint Saens, Liszt, elt, Rubenstein, Chopin and oth- reat composers. She is an ar- of great ability.

iss Halvorson is an artist of t, has a pleasing touch, and is a augh musician in every sense of word. Her technique is excel-

Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher is rtist of the highest merit. The ity and range of her voice en- s her to sing many parts beyond usual powers of the contralto. has made a name for herself ever she has appeared. The local cal organization is too well n to require comment. Alto- er this concert will be a treat.— idji Sentinel.

Woman's Club Meeting.

e opening meeting of the Wo- s club for this year will be held londay, Oct. 3, in the Commer- club rooms. The teachers of the schools are honorary members it is the wish of the executive d that the announcements of the ing will be considered their invi- n to attend. The musical num- at this meeting will be unusual- ned, the club being fortunate in ing a piano solo by Miss Doris orson and a vocal solo by Mrs. Mallory Fisher. They are mu- s who have proven their ability high class entertainers. Miss ie Johnson, supervisor of music e public schools, will direct a unity sing. Miss Johnson has nstrated her ability as a leader always puts enthusiasm in her ence. A report of the biennial il of the Federation of Women's at Salt Lake City June 14-17, be given by Mrs. P. W. Mabey. ception by the executive board follow the regular business ses- and program.

ebekah Degree Anniversary.

e Rebekah lodge here enjoyed a l evening Sept. 22 at the I. O. hall in celebration of the 70th ersary of the degree. A short ram was followed by dancing cards. Those taking part in the ram were Miss Thora Hanson, Sundahl, Miss Will and Miss ts. During the evening lunch served. The hall had been at- ively decorated in the lodge col- f pink and green. Garden flow- n baskets added to the attrac- ess of the hall. A very large d was present and a splendid reported. During the evening a ction was taken which netted a of $30 to be sent to the Odd ws' home at Northfield.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The local Women's Christian Temperance Union held a very profitable and interesting meeting on Tuesday afternoon in the basement of Trinity Lutheran church. The attendance was exceptionally good. Mrs. Thea Lacer, delegate from the 14th district to the national convention of the W. C. T. U., held at San Francisco, gave a very interesting report of her trip. Mrs. Lacer is president of the Crookston W. C. T. U., which has made the largest net gain of any union in the state this year. During the afternoon a very fine lunch was served.

Honoring Mrs. Lambert.

Honoring Mrs. Ed. Lambert, who was recently married, Miss Effie Christianson entertained a number of her friends at the home of Mrs. Anna Langseth on Monday evening. The hours were spent in a social manner, followed by a delicious lunch. Mrs. Lambert was presented with three handsome pieces of silver, including salad forks, olive spoon and dessert spoon, as a token of their friendship.

Wing-Ristau.

Edward Ristau of Germantown and Miss Olive Wing of Middle River were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on Sunday, Sept. 25, in the presence of the immediate family and intimate friends. They left Monday night over the Soo for Minneapolis and points in the southern part of the state, where they will spend their honeymoon. Miss Wing is a sister of Mrs. C. B. Bradley of this city and attended the local high school.

Wed at Minneapolis.

Local friends received announcement this week of the marriage of Mrs. Anna Mortz to Mr. Lyman Haynes of Minneapolis, which event took place in that city a short time ago. Mrs. Haynes had been a resident of this village for many years up to her departure for Minneapolis a month ago, and she has a large circle of friends here who join in extending hearty good wishes to herself and husband.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Girls Take "Hike."

The Misses Elsie Sundahl, Esther Werner, Esther Soards, Julia Brudvick, Rose and Amy Severson took a seven-mile hike out to "Rest-Rite Cabin" early Sunday morning. They cooked their dinner over a camp fire and spent the afternoon hunting, returning home early in the evening. The girls were determined to make the hike both ways, so refused all offers of rides back to town.

Honoring Mrs. McWilliams.

Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., entertained ten ladies Thursday evening at her home in compliment to Mrs. R. B. McWilliams, who left Friday evening for Davenport, Iowa, where the family will make their home. The members of Mrs. McWilliams' class in Sunday school entertained at the home of Mrs. C. T. Christianson on Thursday from seven to nine, in her honor.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will be entertained by Mrs. Henry Eide at her home, 614 Knight avenue north, on Monday evening, Oct. 3.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid bazaar this Thursday afternoon and evening. Useful and fancy articles for sale. Lunch served from 2 to 8 at 25 cents. Choir practice at the church every Thursday evening at 7:30. Confirmation class meets in church basement Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services in English Sunday at 11 a. m. Solo, Miss Carrie Brown. Quarterly business meeting of the congregation at 2 p. m. Let there be a large attendance. Evening services in Norwegian. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud and Rev. E. O. Sabo will speak at this service. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 2: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school. Rally day exercises at 8 p. m. Special offering morning and evening. 11 a. m., morning worship. Holy communion. 8 p. m., The evening hour will be occupied by the Sunday school Rally day program. The evening will close with a series of lantern slides showing "The Presbyterian Sunday School Missionary on the Frontier." 3 p. m., Juniors. 7 p. m., Christian Endeavor. On Friday from 4:30 to 7:15 p. m. the Ladies' Aid Society will serve a cafeteria lunch and supper at the church.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Rev. J. E. Seth of Minneapolis, a noted speaker of the Anti-Saloon League, will conduct the services at 11 a. m. Young people's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire next Sunday. Services at East Side school house at 11 a. m. At 3 p. m. Rev. Seth will speak at St. Hilaire. All cordially invited.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services at Zion church 11 a. m. Services at Norden 2 p. m. Services with communion at Rindal church, Rosewood, 7:45 p. m. Confirmation class meets in church basement at 2 p. m. on Saturday.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 2: German and English services at Esplee at 10 a. m. and at Grygla at 3 p. m. English services at Thorhult at 8 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kroidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. English services at 7:30 p. m. Bible class meets Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Obituary

Mrs. Emma Henning.

Mrs. Emma Henning of June, this state, died in this city on Monday, Sept. 26, from tuberculosis, at the age of 42 years, 10 months and 23 days. Deceased was born in Sweden and had spent 31 years of her life in this country.

Peter Nykoloshen.

On Thursday, Sept. 22, in this city, occurred the death of Peter Nykoloshen, 22 years old, from tuberculosis. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery on Sept. 26.

Christian Nelson.

Christian Nelson of Grand Forks died in this city on Tuesday, Sept. 20, from heart trouble. Deceased, who was born in Denmark, was 52 years old at the time of his death and was a carpenter by trade. The funeral took place on Friday and interment made in Greenwood cemetery.

For Sale.

Household furniture consisting of two brass beds, one dresser, one chiffonier, two mission rockers, five kitchen chairs, one library table, one mission writing desk, one New Home sewing machine, drop head. Telephone 463-M, or call at 410 Riverside.

Lou J. Riegert.

Lou J. Riegert passed away at her home in Smiley township last Thursday, death coming after an illness of ten days duration.

Lou J. Shumway was born at Castle Rock, Minn., June 28, 1878. She was united in marriage to W. D. Riegert at Cannon Falls, Minn., Nov. 22, 1905. In 1907 she moved with her husband to Pennington county. She was the mother of six children, five of whom are living. They are Joseph, Wilbur, Myron, Donald, Forest and Lou. The oldest child is 13 years of age while the youngest is three. Besides her husband and children she is survived by five brothers: Oscar and Walter of Castle Rock, Minn.; Dwight, of Idaho; Elbert, of Minneapolis, and Marshall G., of Pennington county.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. George Larson at the home Friday afternoon and interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Riegert was a kind and loving wife and a devoted mother. She was loved and respected by a large circle of friends, all of whom will mourn her loss. Her death is a distinct loss to the community as well as to the sorrowing husband and family of little children.

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Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Thief River Falls. No Thief River Falls resident who suffers backache, or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice-told testimony.

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On Aug. 8, 1921, Mr. Krogstad added: "The cure I received by using Doan's Kidney Pills has been a permanent one. I sure think Doan's are a good remedy and I gladly confirm my former statement."

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City News

Ed. Bjerk of Hatton, N. D., spent Tuesday here on business.

Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie shopped in this city yesterday.

Dr. W. H. Monahan of Bemidji visited between trains here on Tuesday.

A. J. Anderson, banker at Grygla, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Miss Mabel Troland arrived yesterday from Gatzke and will attend the local schools this winter.

Miss Loretta Newman of Warren visited with friends here Tuesday and also attended to shopping.

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First National Bank Building
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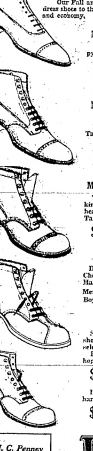

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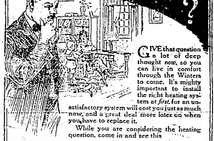

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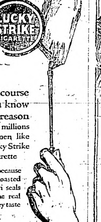

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City News

Misses Grace and Isabel Polly of Stevens Point, Wis., were in the city the first of the week visiting friends.

Mr. Arthur Simonson, of Steiner was in the city yesterday taking adva[illegible] of the market day bargains.

Coffee demonstration, Friday, Sept. 30, at Zellmer's East Side grocery. Coffee and cakes served free. S29

A. M. Haus and T. K. Wolavik of Hatton, N. D., attended to matters of business here Tuesday and Wednesday.

C. A. Meedahl returned to his home at Hatton, N. D., yesterday, having spent the day here with his friends.

Miss Hilma Peterson of Lengby was in the city a few days the first of the week shopping and visiting with friends.

Coffee demonstration Saturday, Oct. 1, at C. Christofferson & Co. Coffee and cakes served free. S29

Mrs. Oscar Berg and Miss Mabel Bjerk returned to Hatton, N. D., yesterday after having spent a couple of days visiting friends here.

J. V. Taylor, county agent, came down from Grygla on Tuesday to attend to matters of business.

C. L. Hanson returned the first of the week, having spent several days in the Twin Cities on business.

[illegible] Warring of Steiner [illegible]day here attending to shopping and visiting her mother, Mrs. [illegible]ane Olson.

Miss Mathilda Liden of Steiner was among the numerous shoppers here yesterday.

Henry Johnson of Badger spent Tuesday here attending to matters of business.

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Miss Esther Johnson, who is engaged in teaching at Fargo, was an over Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Harris. Miss Johnson was instructor in home economics in the local high school last year.

Miss Clara Hanson of Cass Lake arrived Thursday morning for a visit with friends. Miss Hanson will be remembered by many here as she formerly was pianist at the Lyceum theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. John Costello, Mrs. H. Costello and Bart Costello, all of Erie, were callers here on Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Jones and Mrs. J. B. Allen, both of Detroit, visited with friends here Friday and Saturday.

Miss Ila Reynolds arrived on Monday from Minneapolis and will spend a few weeks visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Ram[illegible]

[illegible] L. F. Fisher and two [illegible] and Frederick, left on Tuesday by car for Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Fisher's parents.

Mr. C. W. McDaniel and son, Hugh, and Mrs. Fred Holzknecht motored to Red Lake Falls Tuesday to attend the fair.

Mrs. A. Bottelson left Tuesday for Blackduck, where she will spend a few days visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bottelson.

Mrs. H. Adams, Mrs. J. Brennan and Mrs. M. Holmes, all of Minneapolis, were guests at the A. L. Carlson home on Sunday. They were called here the latter part of last week because of the death of their father C. H. Peterson, at St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer were in the city yesterday attending to shopping and visiting friends.

Honor lies in honest toil and the best toil for you right now is to attend the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for our catalog.—S-29

Big shipment of Tanlac just received at Lambert's drug store, local agents—S-29

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Miss Doris Halvorson and Mrs. L. F. Fisher will leave tomorrow morning for Bemidji, where they will appear in concert under the auspices of the Harmonick club, the same evening. They will return to this city on Saturday.

Miss Edna Mickelson of Glenwood is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Perry Froseth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Olson of Rhinelander, Wis., were in the city Tuesday as the guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gulbrandson of Hatton, N. D., spent Tuesday and Wednesday here visiting friends.

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Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, Mrs. Beatrice Hieber, Miss Goldie Stebbins and Miss Chamberlain drove to Grand Forks Saturday for a brief visit with friends.

J. McCarty, employed by the Soo out of Kenmare, was an over Sunday guest of his wife here.

Miss Mary Prichard left Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where she will enter her senior year at the university.

Tanlac, that wonderful medicine, sold in Thief River Falls by Lambert's drug store.—S-29

Miss Miriam Bishop, who had spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, left Sunday night for Minneapolis to resume her studies at the university. This is Miss Bishop's senior year in that institution.

T. A. Way left Sunday night for Minneapolis to spend a few days on business.

Mike Holm, secretary of state, who had made a business trip to Roseau, was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. O. Erickson on Sunday. He left in the evening for St. Paul.

Miss Sena Welo, who is teaching at Roseau, was an over Sunday guest of her parents.

T. P. Anderson left Monday afternoon for Crookston on a brief business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family drove to Fordville on Sunday, returning the same evening. The entire trip was made without the slightest difficulty.

Mrs. P. E. Strand left Saturday afternoon for Climax, where she will spend several days visiting friends and relatives.

Ed. Brevig, accompanied by Misses Lois Wold and Lucille Burns, drove to Warren Saturday afternoon. Returning they were accompanied by Norman Holen, who visited friends here over Sunday.

Miss Lily Hoard, who had visited at her home here during the summer, left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will attend the university. She was accompanied as far as St. Hilaire by Miss Mae Olson, who will spend a few days visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ordean Olson.

Miss Bessie Avelson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Monday between trains.

Miss Laura Larson of Hazel visited with friends and attended to shopping in the city on Saturday.

Chicken pie will be served at the Cafeteria lunch given by the Ladies' Aid Society at the Presbyterian church Friday evening. S-29

Mrs. A. L. Halvorson and two children, who had spent a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Hoglin, returned to their home at Hillsboro, N. D., on Monday.

Cafeteria supper Friday evening at the Presbyterian church. Chicken pie will be served. Everybody welcome. S-29

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left yesterday morning for Roseau to organize a Legion Auxiliary at that place. Mrs. Bishop is in charge of the organization work in this part of the state.

Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Mrs. Mae Rowan and Mrs. W. H. Akre drove to Crookston on Friday for a visit with relatives and friends during the day. Returning they were accompanied by L. H. Lawrence, who had spent a couple of days at that place on business.

Mrs. Emil Habedank and daughter, Luella, of Germantown, attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Andrew Bronson of Pitt arrived on Friday afternoon for a week-end visit with friends.

Miss Ruby Jensen of Goodridge spent Monday visiting with friends here.

Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge visited with friends here on Monday.

Miss Florence Nyberg of Gully spent a few days here last week visiting friends. She returned to her home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hullstrand of Park River, N. D., spent Monday in the city visiting with friends.

T. P. Hamre returned Sunday from a short business trip to Grafton, N. D.

Miss Claudine Rud of Portland, N. D., spent a few days here the first of the week visiting friends.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks and Valley City, where she will spend two or three weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Earl Bucklin and Mrs. Earl Hunt, both of Bemidji, were visitors here over Sunday.

Mrs. P. Engstrom, Miss Clara Norquist, John Norquist and Rudolph Johnson, all of Roosevelt, were visitors here on Saturday.

Miss Ethel Robbins of Crookston arrived Monday morning for a brief visit with friends.

Wm. Strom of Spooner spent a few days the latter part of last week on a visit with local friends. He returned to his home on Saturday.

A. J. Hilden of Baudette was a business caller here the latter part of last week.

Miss Betsy Ness left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Ellen Kulle left Tuesday afternoon for a visit with relatives and friends at Crookston.

Miss Josephine Beste returned on Thursday morning from Sauk Centre, where she had enjoyed a two weeks' vacation.

Conrad K. Swanson arrived here last week from his home at San Diego, Cal. He will visit for an indefinite time at the home of C. T. Swanson. The entire trip was made in his car, covering a distance of about 2,300 miles.

Miss Cecelia Peterson of Roseau is spending the week-end in the city with friends. Miss Peterson was until recently employed in Loken's department store.

For Sale—30 gov. Winchester 1903 12 gauge Remington automatic, ribbed barrel. Inquire at Dairy Lunch. O-6-p

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Orr of Leeds, N. D., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Streeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Streeter motored to Grand Forks Saturday.

John Ward, representative of the National Biscuit company in this territory, left Thursday evening on a business trip to Minneapolis.

Mrs. E. O. Mogensen left Sunday evening for St. Paul, where she will attend the wedding of a friend. She will also visit relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Chas. Erickson returned to her home at Spooner on Friday after a short visit at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Anton E. Erickson.

H. Hermanson, who has spent some time at Halstad, is expected to return this week.

Mrs. C. B. Bradley and two children left Saturday morning for Middle River to attend the wedding of Mrs. Bradley's sister, Miss Olive Wing. They returned Sunday by car with Mr. Bradley, who had been on a hunting trip in that district.

M. O. Sortedahl and daughter, Miss Mae, of Red Lake Falls, attended to shopping here between trains on Thursday.

Mrs. H. E. Findeison, accompanied by an aunt who is visiting her, were up from Red Lake Falls on a shopping tour last Friday.

Miss Martha Tanem, who had spent a few days here visiting her parents, returned on Saturday to International Falls to resume her position after a three months' vacation. Miss Tanem had recently returned from a trip to New York via the Great Lakes. Many points of interest were visited, including the largest cities in the East.

Dr. A. T. Ostendorf was a Thief River Falls visitor between trains on Tuesday.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Miss Hazel Hauzel visited relatives at Thief River Falls from Monday until Tuesday.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

M. L. Parsons of Thief River Falls is assisting at the Soo depot during the absence of Mr. Herrick. —Warren Sheaf.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Keller of Fargo were Crookston visitors today on their way to Thief River Falls on a pleasure trip. Mr. Keller is connected with the Western Newspaper Union at Fargo.—Crookston Times.

Miss Elin Lindberg, who returned to Thief River Falls several months ago from Venezuela, South America, where she had been engaged in missionary work for about two years, was a Warren visitor for several days, accompanied by her mother. Miss Lindberg formerly was a teacher in the Warren schools, and her many friends here were much interested in having her relate her experiences in the foreign field. She became a victim of malaria and typhoid fever and was compelled to give up her work there. While in this city Miss Lindberg and her mother were guests at the A. Bergstrom home. They returned to their home at Thief River Falls Monday evening—Warren Sheaf.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will serve a cafeteria supper in the basement of the church on Friday evening, Sept. 30. Serving will commence at 5 o'clock. Everyone is welcome. S-29

Miss Mabel Eystrom came down from Roseau on Friday to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. Englund of Roseau was a visitor here a few days the latter part of last week.

Martin Johnson returned to his home at Strandquist on Saturday after spending a couple of days here on business.

M. J. Strand of Trail was in the city on Friday attending to matters of business.

Miss Evelyn Tessum, who had spent the summer at her home here, left Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where she is a student at the university.

Olaf Norby of Fosston made a business trip to this city on Saturday.

Wm. Smith of Erie was in the city on Saturday looking after business affairs.

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The High School Progress has been published as a special department of The Times for the past two years. Number 2 of Volume 3 appears this week and it should be carefully read by parents as well as students. A high standard has been maintained by the school editorial staff since the very first issue of The Progress but indications this year are that the paper will be far superior to anything which has preceded it. Superintendent Simley and the faculty are taking a great interest in the publication and it is their intention to make The Progress a medium of close contact between the parents and the schools as well as a conveyor of news for the students. Many matters of utmost importance in the schools are thoroughly explained and the students are shown the wisdom of getting the most to be had out of their high school education by conducting themselves properly in the homes and on the streets as well as in the school room. The co-operation of the parents will add greatly to the good influence of The Progress.

The prevailing sentiment seems to be that the present mayor and councilmen should consent to serve the city for another term. The greatest improvement yet undertaken by the city has been started under their administration and the majority of the taxpayers feel that they should remain in office to see the paving of the streets completed according to the plans formulated by them when the work was first undertaken. The holding of any public office is a thankless job at the best and it is not surprising that the officials in office at the present time are reluctant to consent to enter upon another two years' grind. It is to be hoped that the public demand will be sufficient to overcome any objections they may raise.

The attention of our readers is called to the two-page supplement issued in connection with The Times this week. It contains a vast amount of information concerning the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston and gives an excellent idea of the educational work carried on at that institution. Under the direction of Superintendent Selvig the Northwest School of Agriculture has advanced to a formidable position among agricultural colleges of the country and the people of Northwestern Minnesota are proud of their school.

The farmers of the northwest are watching the moves of the directors of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, the Equity Co-operative Exchange and the U. S. Grain Growers with a great deal of interest. The differences of opinion that at times recently have indicated the possibility of an open rupture among these three organizations have caused the farmers to keep close watch of developments. They want to know just which officials are acting in the interests of the farmers and which are not. They may be depended upon to find out.

Weekly Market Review.

Although there were many depressing influences the past week, wheat prices declined only in a very stubborn manner and in fact, on any let up in selling, prices rapidly advanced.

Some excitement was caused by the publishment of August wheat exports, which were reported over 58 million, exceeding August sales of any former year. There is at present, however, a decided lull in export business, and with premiums lower for Canadian cash wheat, prices sagged off quickly on every advance.

Prolonged wet weather in the Northwest and Canada has been a *source of strength to wheat, especially* for the cash article. As usual the statistical position of wheat also is much advertised. Undoubtedly there will be some damage to spring wheat as a result of the excessive rains. Many sections have reported the wheat sprouting, and as there has been no surplus of good milling wheat in our current receipts premiums locally have remained very firm and higher for some of the grades. Clear weather from now on is promised. Improvement in the outlook for the new crops is also reported from Argentine and Australia.

With the certainty of a large new corn crop, old crop reserves have been more freely marketed of late. Supplies were quickly absorbed at an unchanged basis by elevator interests despite lower export bids, which to date have been the sustaining factor in corn.

SOW THISTELE FOUND. NEAR IOWA STATE LINE

That the dreaded perennial sow thistle continues to move southward is indicated by reports of county agents to their leader and assistant leaders at University Farm. The Freeborn county agent discovered the weed on three different farms in that county, and the Dakota county agent says the obnoxious weed has been located on six farms within his jurisdiction. The Scott county agent also identified three samples for farmers as sow thistle.

Big Sale at Mavie.

The Gilbert Sandum store at Mavie this week announces a big sale to start on Friday. The entire stock is offered at greatly reduced prices and the sale is certain to attract large numbers for many miles around. An experienced salesman is in charge of the stock and he has been busy all week arranging the merchandise so as to be able to handle the crowd.

City News

Mr. and Mrs. O. Fluttum, for many years residents of this vicinity, left Friday evening for Northfield, where they will take up their residence. Their son, Roy, is attending St. Olaf college.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, member of the state executive board of the Auxiliary of the American Legion, will leave Saturday for Detroit to attend a meeting of the Ninth district of the American Legion. Mrs. Roy Lambert, Mrs. L. H. Lawrence and Mrs. D. W. Robinson of the Elmer Eklund Post here, were elected delegates to this meeting.

H. C. Giese, who had spent a week at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird, left Saturday evening for his home at Winona.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Edgar left Saturday night for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will spend the winter. The change was made necessary due to the poor health of Mr. Edgar.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson returned Sunday morning from a three weeks' wedding trip, which was spent in visiting relatives of the former in New York state.

Mrs. Dena Evenson returned this week from Battle Lake, where she had accompanied the body of her mother for burial. She remained for a two weeks' visit.

Mrs. Albert Carlson and two children, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting relatives and friends in the Twin Cities, returned to their home here the first of the week.

The auction sale season is here. Get your bills at The Times office.

Ed. Eickwold came down from Goodridge on Friday to attend to business matters.

Miss Olive Patterson and Miss Peterson of St. Hilaire were visitors and shoppers here on Saturday between trains.

Clayton Olson of Argyle drove to this city one evening last week for a visit with friends. Mr. Olson reported the roads between Argyle and Thief River Falls in splendid condition in spite of the recent rains.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved wife and mother.—W. D. Riegert and Children. s29p

Farm Loans.

Does your Real Estate loan fall due this fall? If so, keep in mind that you get the lowest rate of interest and the quickest service at The First National Bank of Thief River Falls. —S-29-tf

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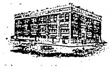

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Preface.

A number of the themes written for the regular class work in English I and II this week are offered to the public through the columns of The Progress with this issue. The Freshmen are taught by Miss Webster, while the Sophomores are in charge of Miss Leavitt.

Football Saturday.

Whom Are You Hurting?

"As ye sow, that shall ye also reap." If you sow a large amount of good seed, you reap a large amount of good grain. The quality of the seed is not the only thing necessary for a good harvest. The time you sow it must be considered. The seed can not be sown in the fall and then make a good harvest.

The efforts you put on your work may be compared to the seeds and harvest may be compared to the credits you receive. Your efforts can not be put on your work in the last two years of high school and then get your credits. Now is the time to put forth every effort.

A house which is built on a poor foundation will fall, so will your credits if you do not begin to study now. The Freshman year is the first stone to be laid for the foundation. So start it right by making four full credits.

Your teachers will be disappointed if you do not start right, but you are the one who suffers if you fail. So, Freshmen, do not waste your opportunity.—E. B. '25.

Football Saturday.

Why Waste Your Opportunity?

The world is full of people that have wasted their opportunity to attend school. Some never had the chance to go. Boys and girls of the school age, you have the chance. Are you going to waste your opportunity?

Your parents are paying taxes each year to build good schools for you to attend, to hire good instructors, and to give you the advantage of equipment.

The United States wants her citizens of the next generation to be educated and able to run the government that will be passed into their hands. What would our government come to if the next generation would not be educated? If every one would waste his opportunity to gotoschool? So it's up to each one to see that he grasp the opportunity to make good.

We cannot be good business men and women without a good education. Some of our prosperous men worked their way through school. They never had the chance most of the boys and girls have today.

If you have an opportunity to go to school, don't waste it. Think of the disappointment to your mother and father when you fail, the pleasure of seeing them happy when you succeed.

Boys and girls, grasp your opportunity and make good.—R. McG. '25.

Football Saturday.

From Freshman, On Up.

If you want to be a failure in high school, all you have to do is to sit in school, go to your classes and know nothing. During study periods read dime novels such as "Deadwood Dick," "Jesse James" and others. When the state examinations come just cheat and squeeze by on a low mark. Look at someone else's paper while you know nothing. In the evenings go home and eat. Then go up town, walk the streets, go to parties or movies seven days out of the week.

At the end of your junior course you decide you don't need to go to school any more. Then you seek a job. You succeed, but in a month the employer gives you your check and says he hasn't any use for a "non-high school graduate." And so time passes on and you go through life a failure. You repent of the unwise thing you did when you didn't finish school and study.

On the other hand, you, I think, would like to be a success instead of a failure. All you have to do is to work hard and do just the opposite of the boy who failed. It is up to you. If you fail, it is only your own fault and your own hard luck because you didn't try.—E. S. '25.

Football Saturday.

From Freshman, On Up.

Freshman and then, will it be Sophomore or Freshman again? It depends on you. What are you going to do with the opportunity that has been given you? Do you want to become an educated person and have opportunities in your life that uneducated persons do not have?

Think of your parents, who may be making many sacrifices to give you an education. Do you want to drag it out and make it necessary for them to continue sacrificing? Think also of the taxpayers who help keep the school and furnish the articles needed. They are interested in what you do. Do you want to squander their hopes and make your education a failure?

A certain boy started school very reluctantly and did everything he could to spite the teachers and his parents. He did not study at home but went to the movies or some such place nearly every night. By cheating in examinations and copying the work of other pupils he went through the eighth grade.

He failed in his first year of high school and quit school altogether. He went to work but failed there also and became, what they call, a constant street walker. He took his meals wherever they came in handy and was later arrested for robberies. He was sent to the reform school, on account of bad behavior, to the state prison for a couple of years. He spent the rest of his life in a poor house, where he lived in shame and resentment.

On the other hand, another boy, who was taught obedience when a small babe, started school with the idea of getting as much as he could out of his education. He made the required number of credits each year and graduated from college with high honors. He made a great success of his work when he finished school and is now working in one of the higher government offices.

What is your aim? To be a highly respected citizen who is helping your city and country, or are you going to be a slacker and pass through life a failure? It is for you to decide and it is the best time to do it now while you are a Freshman.—B. E. '25.

Football Saturday.

From Freshman, On Up.

Jack and Billy were twins. They were as much unlike each other as any two brothers could be.

This particular year they were very proud of the fact that they were to be Freshmen in high school. Jack was glad because he thought now he could have some "fun" in school; but Billy was happy because he could start on the road to some high honor when he graduated.

The first days of real work passed and Jack felt very smart because "the teachers had not made him hand in one paper." Billy was already classed as a "good student." The first examination came. As Jack knew nothing he cheated, and he "got away with it," as he expressed it. Billy, as usual, honestly earned one of the highest marks in the class.

The school year passed on. Jack roamed the streets every evening and never took a book home while Billy first did his work and then went out for some fun. At the end of their Freshman year, Billy had five credits. Jack barely made two.

This continued through their other three years in school. At the end of their Senior year, Billy was valedictorian and Jack, having only nine credits, did not graduate at all.

Next year Billy went away to college. Jack, thinking school was too much work, decided to quit. He secured job after job but could keep none of them. He always cheated or stole, merely because of the habit formed while in school. Billy finished college, secured an excellent position and kept working his way up until in a short time he was one of the wealthiest and best known men in town. Jack went all his way through life, doing little odd jobs and not earning enough money for a living.

There is a moral to this story. What are you going to do? What path are you going to follow? Choose for yourself, but in the end, I am sure you will wish you had followed Billy.—M. J. '25.

Get out and boost Saturday.

The Sophomore Class.

Sophomores, we should realize at the beginning of the year that we have taken one more big step in acquiring an education that will be useful to us in later life. We should determine to make this year a very profitable one so that when we are Juniors we can look back and say, "I made the most of my Sophomore year and am well equipped to take up the work again." We should also make it an enjoyable year by taking part in all class activities and attending all class doings. Not only have we taken a step farther in learning but in forming our characters and manners. We should be a good example for our smaller and less wise Freshmen friends. We realize now what is expected and required of a young man and young woman in high school. Let us all try to make the Class of 1924 the best that has ever attended or graduated from the Thief River Falls high school.—H. P. '24.

Red Lake Falls here Saturday.

Freshmen Versus Sophomore Ambitions.

The thought of entering high school always brings a lot of happy ideas to an eighth grade student's mind and cheers him along. It is a sort of goal to reach in his mind. A person entering high school thinks of what a good time he is going to have; that there will be all kinds of class parties and dances, that the teachers will be lenient and he will be able to skip school on nice days without much difficulty. The first class he goes to he intends to show the bigger boys that he is a "regular feller" by showing them that he isn't afraid of the teacher. He begins acting funny and everybody laughs at him and he thinks he is doing something real smart and he keeps on acting smart until he gets his report card and sees the marks on it. After he gets a couple of reports of this kind he usually sobers down a little and by the end of the term is working hard to make up for what he lost the first of the year.

A Sophomore comes back to school resolved to work hard and make up for the time he lost last year. He is in fact only a year older, but he feels ten years older in mind. He realizes how foolish it is to act up in class and doesn't do it much. He might act up a little the first day to show the Freshmen how smart he is, but after the teacher has asked him to stay after school and has talked to him, he quits it. He is larger and stronger now and if he has any sense of loyalty about him he will go out for football, basketball and other athletics. If he is a good player the school needs him on the team, but if he isn't very good they need him anyway to give the others practice. —H. K. '24.

We're going to win Saturday.

Two Types of Sophomores.

There are two distinct types of Sophomores, the one that won't succeed and the one that will. We all know the type that won't. He is the one who goes to his classes without his lessons prepared; he slams his books down on his desk, and is more than likely chewing gum. While the teacher is talking and giving assignments, he is the one who makes foolish remarks and asks unnecessary questions. Throughout the period he continues to act smart and is repeatedly asked to stop, until finally he is *sent out. In the assembly while* we are trying to listen to speakers, he is talking to his companions, throwing spit balls or otherwise making a commotion. None of us like to have a disturbance when listening to a speaker because it is sure to give him a bad and wrong impression of the school. There is also the type that hangs around the street corners in the evening, goes to the movies, or spends his time in the soft drink parlors or pool halls.

Then there is the type that will succeed. This one is just as familiar to us as the other as luckily there are more of them. He is the one that always has a well-prepared lesson, recites only when called upon, and pays strict attention to the teacher at all times. In the assembly, no matter how dry or uninteresting the talk may be, the speaker will receive the best attention from him. Though the teachers are sometimes criticised for being partial to some, who can blame them for distinctly showing a preference for the respectful, attentive type rather than the smart-alec, disrespectful one. Sometime, if you think you're not being treated right, just ask yourself what type you are. —M. M. '24.

Football Saturday.

Sophomore Class Work.

The Sophomores have completed their first year of high school very successfully and are started on their second, which means more work and less play, because the farther one gets the more is expected by the teachers. The Sophomores have nearly three years left before they graduate and in order to get the greatest returns from these few years they need to partake in all school activities and class work and to show the school and people that the Sophomore class has the real "pep." We all want to get our lessons well so none of us will be left behind. We all want to try and be on the honor roll especially in our Senior year. When our time comes to graduate we want to be all together and graduate the best class that has ever graduated from Thief River Falls high school.—E. L. '24.

You will see the new uniforms Saturday.

My Trip to the State Fair.

(By Myrtle Krause, '23.)

As winner of the Bread Club contest last spring, I won a free trip to the state fair. On Friday, Sept. 2, I started. There was a special car for all Northern Minnesota club members, and I boarded this. It was packed with club members and we had a jolly time. We reached Minneapolis at 9:30 and were taken to the Girls' Camp at the University Farm.

Saturday afternoon we were allowed to go to the fair grounds. In the evening club songs and stunts provided entertainment.

Sunday morning all the girls were taken to church and in the afternoon a trip was made to the Minneapolis Art Institute.

On Monday the demonstrating at the state fair was begun. The girls were taken over in a bus that came at different times during the day for different groups. Girls that did not demonstrate on Monday were divided into two groups, one group going to Minnehaha Falls and the other to the Soldiers' Home in St. Paul. I missed this trip as I baked on Monday at 1 o'clock. In the evening we held a big marshmallow roast, the boys from their camp being our guests. Club songs and humorous readings were given by some of the girls.

Tuesday afternoon about one hundred seventy girls were taken to the state capitol and from there to the Emporium store at St. Paul. A guide took us through the store. Before leaving we were given ice cream and wafers. Dayton's gave a similar reception for about one hundred girls on Wednesday. Wednesday a beautiful club pageant was given. After the pageant a moving picture was shown.

Thursday all of us went to the fair grounds as guests of the fair board. In the afternoon we went to the Women's building and other places of interest. A picnic supper was held on the grounds and in the evening we went to the grandstand. This was enjoyed by everyone.

Friday the girls were taken to Como Park. In the evening the reports of some of the demonstrations were given. The Mankato bread team won the state championship in bread and the Buhl team won second. The Ulen garment team won the state championship in sewing. The individual bread making report was not out, as many girls baked during the day.

There were two hundred ninety girls at camp this year. The camp of 1921 will be remembered by all who attended.

Rev. Bartholow Addresses Assembly.

A special assembly was called on Tuesday morning to listen to the Rev. Bartholow, district superintendent of the Minnesota Society for the Friendless. Rev. Bartholow spends his time visiting the prisoners in the different state institutions. In this way he comes into personal contact with the prisoners and is able to be of service to them.

He spoke to the high school about the St. Cloud Reformatory for boys. He first gave a picture of the grounds and buildings of this institution. He described the new cell house, which is not yet finished.

He told of the life of the boys, how some were able to learn a trade which would help them after their release. Others made uniforms for the inmates, and still others were employed in the kitchen and dining room of the institution. Those who had broken parole or who could not be trusted, were put to work in the stone quarry, where they crushed the rock which is used on some of Minnesota's highways.

Recreation is provided for all the inmates. Those who have proven that they can be trusted are granted many privileges. They are permitted to remain out later than the others and can play ball or any other game they desire. The institution has a very excellent band. In the summer they give open-air concerts.

Every inmate is expected to attend chapel. The ministers of St. Cloud alternate in preaching the services.

Rev. Bartholow concluded his remarks by appealing to the students to make the best of their opportunity. He said that many of the inmates of the reformatory were not really bad boys but they had developed bad habits which dragged them down.

The talk was very interesting and greatly appreciated by the high school students and faculty.

Big game Saturday.

High School Teachers Enjoy Party.

On Sept. 16 a delightful party was given for members of the high school faculty at the N. K. Harris home, the entertainers being Misses M. Johnson, R. Johnson, Leavitt, Perry and Richter, and Mr. Pope. A program of stunts and contests gave every one an opportunity to demonstrate his talents in various arts. Many unsuspected geniuses were disclosed and rewarded with appropriate prizes. Miss Soule as a musician, Mr. Stenhoff as a landscape painter, and Mr. Jardine as a champion sprinter showed especially brilliant gifts. A regular Virginia Reel worked up some good appetites for the delicious lunch of cake and ice cream that followed. After an enthusiastic song service everyone went home happy.

"Victory" Saturday.

Our New Course.

Political Economy, which was introduced in our high school for the first time this year, promises to become one of the favorite subjects, judging by the demand for the course and the interest shown in class work. This new subject is being offered to Juniors and Seniors. At present there are two sections of thirty pupils each with many more waiting to take the course at the first opportunity.

The political economy classes are taught by Mr. Rapacz, who specialized in political economy and government while attending the university. The course consists of regular text book work supplemented by current subjects dealing with such topics as banking, land, rent, labor, capital, luxury, liberalism, socialism, wealth, etc. All of these subjects are interesting and a knowledge of them comes closer to helping us solve our daily problems than a knowledge of many other things taught in our schools. It is the object of the course to teach us to recognize our social problems and then to do something towards solving those problems.

Football Saturday.

Bread Club Organizes.

Last Tuesday after school the Bread Club held its first meeting of the year. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Myrtle Helgeland; vice president, Viola Buringrud; treasurer, Eleanor Werstlein; secretary, Myrtle Myrin; club advisor, Miss Soule. A reception for all the new members will be held in the near future.—M. K. '23.

Let's go! Saturday.

Sophomores Organize.

The Sophomore class organized last Friday at 4 o'clock by electing the following officers: Class advisor, Miss Leavitt; president, Albert Stengelson; vice president, Elsie Blair; secretary, Hazel Krause; treasurer, Herbert Keene; sergeants at arms, Esther Lunsetter and Carl St. Onge.

Administration's Corner

There are a number of laws on our statute books that are entirely unnecessary so far as the large majority of our people is concerned. Such a law is the Compulsory School Attendance law. It is at the few that are careless or indifferent that the law is directed. It provides in the main that all children between eight and sixteen must attend school every day school is in session in the district in which a pupil resides. The board may, not MUST, excuse such a child, first, if he is physically or mentally unqualified and, second, if he has completed the work of the eight grades. Except in cities of the first and second class, a child over fourteen years of age may be excused between April 1 and Nov. 1 if his help is "required in any permitted occupation in or about the home of his parent or guardian."

The above facts cover the field pretty well so far as our patrons are concerned. A check is being made on all non-compliance with the above law. Any one who has failed to have his children in school so far will do well to have the matter taken care of at once, for the attendance law must be enforced without fear or favor.

Normal Notes.

Among the students taking teacher training this year, seven are graduates of the local high school. These are Ruth Mathew, Corinne Adsero, Amy Sorlom, Evelyn Saugen, Lois Struble, Maebelle Swanson and Alpha Bishop. Besides the above, two others are post-graduates, namely Cecelia Morrissey, a graduate of the Middle River high school, and Helga Ose, a graduate of the Oak Grove Seminary of Fargo.

Mrs. E. Lacy substituted during the first two weeks of school until the regular assistant was appointed for the year. It was a great pleasure to have Mrs. Lacy with us again. Miss Alice Stapleton, who to begin with had charge of the commercial department, took charge on Monday. Miss Stapleton has had eight years of teacher training work and comes to the department highly recommended.

Observation of drill work in third grade phonics and arithmetic was commenced in the Washington building last Monday. The girls find it very helpful and interesting.

The out-of-town students enrolled in the department this year are Myrtle Hanson of Strandquist, Marville Thompson of Angus, Mabel Myrold of Grygla, Lois Struble of Mavie, Maebelle Swanson of St. Hilaire, Johanna Wedul of Rhoda, Sarah Sanders of Kratka, Julia Langnas of Greenbush, Clara Oski of Mavie, Maybelle Bjorsness of Newfolden, Mata Koepp of Holt, Celia Morrissey of Gatzke, and Irma Marcoe of Malcolm.

The Teacher Training department enjoyed a picnic supper at Lovers' Lane Monday evening. The following were guests of the department: Supt. and Mrs. Simley, Mr. and Mrs. Rapacz, Miss Maude Johnson, Miss Ruth Johnson, Mrs. E. T. Lacy, and Miss Gormley.

First game Saturday.

Football Schedule.

Coach Stenhoff announces the following schedule for football. It is hoped that many outsiders as well as high school students will come out and support the team. We ought to make a good showing this year.

Oct. 1—Red Lake Falls. Here.
Oct. 8—East Grand Forks. Here.
Oct. 15—Crookston. There.
Oct. 22—Fosston. There.
Oct. 29—Bemidji. There.
Nov. 5—Stephen. Here.

A Correction.

In the last issue of The Progress, a mistake crept into the last sentence of the paragraph of "Music This Year." The sentence should read: "Though the success (the music work in the grades) is due principally to the supervisor, it is also due in part to the hearty co-operation she has received from the grade teachers."

Credit should be given where credit is due. Miss Johnson is doing "big things" in music and it is to her in particular that the credit belongs, though of course the teachers under her come in for their share.

Jokes and Personals.

Mr. Tripp, of last year's faculty, sends greetings to his many friends through a letter to the superintendent.

Mr. W. A. Ziegler, former superintendent of our schools, is at the University of Minnesota.

A sentence written by a little boy: "The ants are a very respectable people." Which kind, aunts or ants?

Miss Stebbins in Latin 1: "What English word sounds as though it may have been derived from the Latin word 'agricola'?"

D.: "A gorilla."

Shirley and her pillow are inseparable, you know.
Everywhere that Shirley goes
The pillow, too, must go.
It even goes to classes, carried under Shirley's arm.
And she carefully protects it
And keeps it from all harm.

Forest, while girl is writing: "I can't hear what she says."

Miss Stavig: "Please listen for a while then."

The Normal girls were going to have a picnic. One of the girls bought cream. She asked Miss Soule if she might put it in the ice box so it would keep sweet. Miss Soule said she could put it in the window as there was no ice in the box. While Miss Soule was speaking, the student was swinging the cream and the cap flew off.

Results: The cream stayed sweet.

By next week it is hoped to have the regular staff of the High School Progress take full charge.

Cutting Across the Campus.

With the opening of a new school term, there are always several questions that arise in connection with the upkeep and betterment of the physical school plant. One of these questions concerns the campus. Do you think you should be permitted to cut across the campus? No, you should not. We want to keep our campus looking as pretty, we want to keep it in as good shape as it was when school first opened. This cannot be done unless we all keep off *the grass.*

You hurry to school with only two or three minutes to go on. In your hurry, you "cut," saying to yourself, "Oh, it doesn't hurt just this once." And away you go. The next time you do the same thing and it soon becomes a habit and you do it every day. If you just stopped to think what it meant, you wouldn't do it. Make it a special point to remember this, therefore, and help us to keep our campus one of the beauty spots of our city.—M. M. '23.

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TO THE PUBLIC AND OUR CUSTOMERS:

Through the kindness of some of our customers we have learned that some people are slightly in doubt whether this is really a going-out-of-business sale or if we are just talking.

It is a sure and absolute fact that we, Lieberman Bros., are selling out and going out of Thief River Falls.

We would positively have no reason whatever to try to mislead you by telling you we were going out of business after ending 10 of the most successful years in our commercial career in your city. We have always advertised truthfully, treated you all fair and square, and we will continue to do so until the very last minute that we are here.

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Our big stock is moving quickly. Come in and share in one of the biggest value giving sales that have broken all records in the City and the Northwest.

Scores of Surprises in the Way of Slaughtered Prices Await You

Gigantic Going-Out-of-Business Sale of Lieberman Bros. at newly lowered prices, smashing all records in value giving, offering the public thousands of dollars of savings. Join the throngs, purchase your fall and winter needs

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LIEBERMAN BROS. -- THIEF RIVER FALLS

ROSEWOOD

Mesdames Jas. Thompson and Ena Thompson left on Tuesday morning for Warren, where they will seek medical attention. Mrs. Jas. Thompson returned home the same evening while Ena remained for several days.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking conducted regular Sunday evening services at the Congregational church in town. Commencing on Wednesday, Sept. 28, a week of revival meetings will be held at the same place when the two evangelists, Elmer Seagen and Carl Beckman, will have charge. Only evening services at 8 o'clock will be held during the week days. The public is invited to these services, which will be in both the American and Scandinavian languages.

Dan Lezzard and James Prichard of Thief River Falls came out on Monday to spend a few days at the J. Halgrim home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moline and family and Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and family of Thief River Falls motored up on Sunday afternoon for a visit with Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Henry Rogers and Lewis Meyers of Steiner were in town on Sunday visiting with friends.

John Sorenson of the local garage went to Thief River Falls on Friday evening to attend to business matters and visit over night.

Mrs. Victor Mosbeck and children, Lyle and Buddie, spent Tuesday in town visiting with Mrs. Mosbeck's mother, Mrs. E. P. Johnson.

Gladys Swenson went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to visit with Miss Skramstad and attend the Augsburg gospel team services.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cormican and children of Stephen arrived Wednesday evening for a visit with Mrs. Cormican's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hasby.

Misses Ruth Ranum and Cora Sevaldson went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to shop and visit between trains.

Elmer Dahlstrom of Wylie motored up on Sunday for a day's visit at the Axel Kron home.

School opened at Willowdale Monday morning, Sept. 26. Miss Ella Fellman of Thief River Falls is the teacher.

Mrs. Albert Paulson spent Wednesday at Viking visiting with friends and shopping.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at the Central school, and Albert Stengelson, a Sophomore, came home Saturday morning to spend the week-end with their folks.

Mrs. Margaret Wendt of Warren arrived on Saturday and will spend a few days here with friends and attending to business matters.

Alec Hellquist and Miss Clara Sorenson motored to Viking last Sunday and spent the afternoon. In the evening Miss Sorenson returned to her school work at the County Line school.

The following school officers went to Warren on Friday morning to attend the school officers' meeting that day: Selmer Sorenson and Christ Evenson from the Busy Bee district; John Batten and Martin Nelson from Edgewood; John Halvorson and Gilbert Grindeland from the Prichard district, and Alec Hellquist and Joel E. Shoberg from Rosebank.

A two days' series of evangelistic meetings by the Augsburg Gospel team was conducted at the Rindal church on Tuesday and Wednesday, and despite unfavorable weather conditions the meetings were quite well attended. Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls was present and led the meetings. The team comprised John Peterson, Christian Olson, Thor Quambeck and Mr. Halvorson, all students of the Augsburg Seminary of Minneapolis.

Peter Alby of Thief River Falls was up last Wednesday to hunt and to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Alby.

Adolph Haugen had the misfortune last Tuesday while working with a piece of cast iron of knocking loose *a small piece which lodged about two* inches deep in the thigh just above the knee. He was taken at once to the Thief River Falls hospital, where the fragment of iron was removed.

John Remmem spent a few days at Thief River Falls this week attending to business matters.

Benhard Ranum returned on Tuesday from St. Paul, where he had been with a carload of stock for the Rosewood Shipping association.

Joseph Whitmark and Ella Nelson motored to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

J. Sindelier, accompanied by two sons, left Thursday evening for his old home near New Prague after receiving a communication that his father was dead at that place.

Martin Furan, accompanied by two sons, arrived the latter part of the week from Slayton to receive medical attention. He will also spend some time visiting his brother, L. L. Furan.

A sister of Mrs. E. A. Silverness, accompanied by a daughter, arrived on Friday evening from her home at Oslo for an indefinite visit with the Silverness folks.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson spent Sunday visiting with friends and relatives at Thief River Falls

Miss Inga Gullseth of Benwood was a guest on Friday of the Gullseth people here.

Miss Gladys Swenson left on Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with friends and relatives at Thief River Falls.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Threshing has again commenced, after a two weeks' lay-off on account of the rain.

Targle Borgen was a caller at the Ose home Friday.

John Ose was visiting with some of the neighbors in this locality last week.

Miss Gladys Russell, who is attending high school at Thief River Falls, came home Friday to spend a few days.

John Keller is working for Albert Westphal while the latter is at St. Paul.

R. L. Muzzy shipped a mixed car of cattle, sheep and hogs to South St. Paul last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkins and son, Henry, were business callers at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Knute and Harry Knutson, Gunsten Skomedal and John Keller helped Albert Westphal drive 64 head of cattle and hogs to Steiner last Friday. From there Mr. Westphal shipped the stock to South St. Paul.

Henry Sande traded his Overland for an Oakland six last week.

Henry Sande has purchased a new potato digger and is busy this week harvesting his spuds.

Mrs. H. Paulson and daughter, Olive, spent Thursday afternoon at the Mrs. G. Nustvold home.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn, good well, three lots, located on corner of Fourth Street and Knight Ave. N., known as the Severson property, for sale cheap. Possession can be given Oct. 1. John Hrutrud. 34tf

FOR SALE—Three burner oil stove and a large sized crib. Phone 427-M. 34

FOR SALE—Monitor No. 218 hard coal heater, large size, practically new. N. J. Anderson. 34tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Building used as pool hall in village of Goodridge. Ole Sund, Goodridge, Minn. 36p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five room modern house for cattle, horses or machinery. Address 408 Duluth Ave. S. 34p

FOR SALE CHEAP—One mare colt coming 3 years next spring. Can be seen at J. W. Dahls farm three miles east of Steiner. G. L. Leisner, Warren, Minn. 33

FOR SALE OR RENT—My dairy farm to reliable party if taken at once. Albert Coyle. 35p

FOR SALE—Good milch cow, coming fresh soon. F. M. Klein, Rt. 1, Box 21, St. Hilaire. 33p

FOR SALE—Curtis auto trailer in first class condition, with complete camping outfit, two springs and mattresses, table, ice box. Wholesale price $325.00, will sell for $180.00. Rev. T. E. Swegar, 214 Horace Ave. N. 32tf

FOR SALE—Six room house with three lots, woodshed and garage. Ole Linstad, 610 State Ave. N. 35p

FOR SALE—Monitor hard coal base burner, No. 316; 16-in. base, good as new. Emil Just, St. Hilaire, Minn. 35p

FOR SALE at a bargain or for rent, four acres of land, nine-room house, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, berry bushes, strawberries, and several other buildings. Inquire Times office. 32tf

FOR SALE—Good 7-room house. Enquire 811 Knight Ave. N. 31tf

FOR SALE—600 bu. early oats at 35c per bu. C. G. Garten, Box 1021, Thief River Falls. 33p

FOR SALE—Barn and lot. Enquire 423 Main Ave. N. 31p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
25tf St. Hilaire, Minn.

HOUSE FOR SALE—See Hans Rustad, 422 Horace avenue north. 4tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Genell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of George [illegible]. 27tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Five passenger automobile. In excellent running order. Fred Protz, 201 Conely Ave. Sp. 30tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor and plow, nearly new. Box 1021 Thief River Falls, C. G. Garten. 34p

FOR SALE—One 18-in. hard coal stove and one 20-in. Round Oak stove. Call Phone 156 or at 719 Horace Ave. N. 33p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

TO TRADE—Twenty-one thousand second mortgage on farm to trade for land or income property. Box 166, Windom, Minn. 33

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of farm or unimproved land for sale. O. K. Hawley, Baldwin, Wis. 35p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house. 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 566. 33p

FOR RENT—Neat and warm 4-room house; rent reasonable; lease to May 1. Party must be reliable. 114 Kinney Ave. N., or Phone 263-J. 34p

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 307 Knight Ave. N. Phone 63. 33

FOR RENT—Furnished room for school girl. 221 First Street East, Upstairs. 33p

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Hrutrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—23tf.

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 502 Bridge St. 30tf

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 34p

FOUND

FOUND—Package containing some silk waisting and silk thread. Owner may have same by calling at Lieberman Bros. store. 34

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—Stenographer wants position. Some experience. Good references. Will consider other work also. 1013 Taft St. 34p

STENOGRAPHER wants position. Some experience. Good references. Will consider other work also. 1013 Taft Street. 35p

LOST

LOST—Between Manhattan oil station and creamery, brown leather purse containing lower plate of teeth, a check for $8 and $5 in currency. Return to Times office. 34

LOST—Double barrel 10 gauge shot gun at boat landing near creamery. Finder return to E. M. Jarnuson, 310 Atlantic Ave. N., for reward. 33p

LOST—Sept. 10, between Thief River Falls and Bagley, one brown and one light color suit case. Finder please notify Samuel Maxwell, Humboldt, Minn., for reward. 34p

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR PAINTING and paperhanging see Bakken & Sherstad. Prices reasonable. Phone 377-J or 331-M. 37p

WANTED—To rent a six or seven room house, or suitable rooms for house keeping. C. M. Talley, Mavie, Minn. 33

TO EXCHANGE—We have good Montana farms (with oil and mineral rights) to exchange for Minnesota land. What have you? Solberg Land Co., Scandia Block. 35p

WANTED—To hear from parties who want to sell their lands. Give full particulars relative to distance to market, buildings, price, etc. Address Box 21, Cedar Falls, Iowa. 37p

CLERKS, 18 upwards, for Postal Mail Service. $120 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 450 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 33p

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Thief River Clinic

Citizens' Bank Building

Staff:

Dr. O. F. Mellby

Dr. H. W. Froehlich **Dr. L. F. Fisher**

AUCTION SALE

Finding myself unable to continue farming, I will sell at public auction at my farm, northeast quarter, Section 1, Town of Highlanding, two and one-half miles south and three and one-half miles east of Goodridge; two and one-half miles north of Erie Post Office, on

Friday, Oct. 7, '21

at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

One bay horse, 10 yrs. old, wt. 1300.
One bay horse, 9 yrs. old, wt. 1600.
One bay mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1500.
One red cow, 7 yrs. old, fresh in Dec.
One light red cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in Nov.
One red cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh in Dec.
One red cow, 3½ yrs. old fresh in Dec.
One red cow, 3½ yrs. old, fresh in Dec.
One red cow, 5 yrs. old, fresh in May.
One dark red cow, 3½ yrs. old, milking.
One red cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh in Apr.
Two red heifers, 1½ yrs. old.
One red bull, 1½ yrs. old.
Three pigs, 5 months old.
Few Single Comb Brown Leghorn cockerels.
One Deering binder, 6 ft., good as new.
Two sets work harness.
One Light Draft 16 shoe Kentucky drill, good as new.
One sweep rake.
One Deering mower, 5 ft. cut.
One hay rake.
One disc harrow, 14 discs.
One four-horse drag.
One 16 in. Emerson sulky plow with breaking attachment.
One sleigh, 7 ft. runners.
One wide tired wagon.
One double wagon box with spring seat.
One good hay rack.
One brush breaker, 16 in.
One Hero fanning mill, new.
One grass seeder attachment, new.
One Martin feed mill, new.
One 3-horse Waterloo Boy engine, nearly new.
One pump jack.
One 1½ in. line shaft, 16 ft. long, with five pulleys on.
One good belt, 8 in. wide, 16 ft. long.
One good belt, 8 in. wide, 10 ft. long.
One good belt, 3 in. wide, 10 ft. long.
One good grind stone.
One 10 bbl. stock tank.
Thirty grain sacks.
4,000 Feet lumber.
About 100 oak fence posts.
Four 8x8 oak timbers, 18 ft. long.
About 50 tons wild hay.
One 25-36 rifle, good as new.
One extension dining room table.
One cupboard.
One dresser.
One coal and wood heater, No. 18.
One range.
One kitchen table.
One high chair.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount bankable paper due October 1, 1922.

Mrs. Ole Bratland, Owner

W. J. LaBree, Auct. **Citizens State Bank, Clerk**

Public Auction

The undersigned will sell at public auction on the NW¼, Section 27 Bray township, Pennington county, located 9 miles south of Viking, 11 miles west and 1 mile south of Thief River Falls, on

Monday, Oct. 3, '21

Commencing at 11 o'clock A. M., all the following described property, to-wit:

HORSES
One dapple gray gelding, 6 years old, wt. about 1400 lbs.
One dapple gray mare, 7 years old, wt. about 1400 lbs.
One iron gray mare, 4 years old, wt. about 1200 lbs.
One gray mare, 4 years old, weight about 1200 lbs.
One black mare, 3 years old.
One white mare, 14 years old.

CATTLE
One Holstein cow, milking now.
One Holstein cow, fresh soon.
One red and white cow, fresh soon.
Two red cows, fresh soon.
One Holstein bull.
One red bull.
One bull calf, 4 months old.
One heifer with calf.
One red heifer.
One roan heifer.

FARM MACHINERY, ETC.
One 8 ft. Deering binder.
One 10 ft. Van Brunt grain drill.
One 3 section harrow.
One harrow cart.
One 6 shovel cultivator.
One 4 horse disc harrow.
One Minnesota mower.
One hay rake, Deering.
One quack and wild oats digger.
One automobile trailer.
One anvil.
One vise.
One set of dies.
One 14 in. John Deere gang plow.
One 16 in. John Deere riding plow with breaker bottom.
One walking plow.
One wide tire wagon and hay rack.
One narrow tire wagon and triple box
One press drill.
One swill cart.
One No. 9 Galloway cream separator.
Three sets heavy work harness.
One oil barrel, grain sacks and other articles too numerous to mention.
About 125 bu. oats.
Chickens.
Some household goods.
Office desk.

USUAL TERMS OF SALE

Mervin Wood, Owner

Toby Scheie, Auct. **State Bank of Viking, Clerk**

Get Your Sale Bills at Times Office

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.26
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.21
Barley	.35
Rye	.76
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.80
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.55
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.28
Dairy Butter	.30-.35
Creamery Butter	.42
Creamery Butter	.41
Cow hides, per lb	.02
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb	.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb	.05
Calves, per lb.	.04
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by P. B. Gnass and Nettie E. Gnass, his wife, to J. A. Childs, bearing date the 15th day of August, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of August, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of mortgages, on page 44, given to secure the payment of the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1,500.00) and interest according to the terms of one certain promissory note described in said mortgage, dated August 15th, 1916, due August 15th, 1921, with interest payable at the rate of six per cent per annum, according to five coupon interest notes attached thereto; the fifth of which was for Ninety Dollars, ($90.00), due August 15, 1921; upon which coupon and principal note, there was default in the payment of both, which default has continued to the date of this notice by the failure and neglect of said mortgagors to make payment of said principal note and interest, to-wit: Fifteen Hundred and Ninety Dollars, or any part thereof.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixteen Hundred One and 13-100 Dollars, ($1601.13); and

WHEREAS, the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to cover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the same mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half (E½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and Lots Three (3) and Four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), also known and described as the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of said section, all in Township One Hundred Fifty Three (153), North, Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) acres more or less, according to Government survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt, of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1500.00) and interest, and Twenty-five Dollars, ($25.00) attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year of the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 27th, A. D. 1921.

J. A. CHILDS, Mortgagee.
GEO. B. EDGERTON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

TAKE NOTICE, That default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Milo G. Drake and Elsie F. Drake, his wife, as mortgagors, to Fred E. Hodgson, as mortgagee, dated July 15, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on December 4, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 530.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $90.93 and $350.00 for interest on a prior mortgage covering the mortgaged premises hereinafter described paid by said mortgagee on July 15, 1921, pursuant to the terms of the above described mortgage, and interest thereon since the date of said payment at the rate of 6½ per cent per annum, making the total amount due and payable on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of $305.18. The mortgaged premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4), and the South Half of the North Half (S½ of N½) of Section Five (5), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), of Range Forty-four (44), also the South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼ of SE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), of Range Forty-four (44), containing 468.91 acres, more or less.

Said mortgage will be foreclosed pursuant to the statute by a sale of said mortgaged premises, which sale will be made on the 11th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and the further sum of $420.00 secured by said mortgage, $50.00 attorney's fees, and the expenses of sale.

September 28, 1921.

FRED E. HODGSON, Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minnesota.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Nils Peterson, Charlie Peterson, Mrs. Ellen Adams, Mrs. Hilda Holmes, Mrs. Anna Bronson, Helga Grotness, Mrs. Gust Anderson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of C. T. Swanson being duly filed in this court, representing that C. H. Peterson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 25th day of September, 1921, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to C. T. Swanson. Now, Therefore, You, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of October, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 29th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
G. HOWARD SMITH,
Attorney for Petitioner.
S-29-O-6-13

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of Fred York.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred York, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth W. York, Wallace M. York, Thomas L. York and Jessie M. York, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of F. M. York being duly filed in this court, representing that Fred York, then a resident of the County of Douglas, State of Wisconsin, died on the 27th day of June, 1919, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Elizabeth W. York.

Now, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 23rd day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
GURDON H. WINSOR,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Superior, Wis.
S-29-O-6-13

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Ole J. Nomland.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ole J. Nomland, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Marie Nomland, Jorgen O. Nomland, Helene O. Huck, Oletta O. [illegible], Inga O. Onsland and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Jorgen O. Nomland having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 20th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
S-22-29-O-6

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF GAMBLE-ROBINSON-THIEF RIVER FALLS COMPANY.

Know all men by these presents, that we, the undersigned, for the purpose of organizing a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, have agreed to and hereby bind ourselves together under the name hereinafter assumed by us, and do hereby adopt and sign the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be "GAMBLE-ROBINSON-THIEF RIVER FALLS COMPANY." The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation shall be the buying and selling of fruits, produce and other merchandise, handling the same on consignment and transacting any and all business incident thereto and the purchasing and selling of real estate. The general place of transacting said business shall be in the city of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, with the executive offices of the corporation in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

ARTICLE II.

The time of the commencement of this corporation shall be September 1st, A. D. 1921, and the period of its continuance shall be thirty (30) years.

ARTICLE III.

The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be Fifty Thousand Dollars, ($50,000.00), which shall be paid in at such times and in such amounts as may be ordered by the Board of Directors of said corporation.

ARTICLE IV.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which said corporation shall at any time be subject, shall be the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, ($100,000.00).

ARTICLE V.

The names and places of residence of the persons forming this association for incorporation are as follows: Ross A. Gamble, Harry L. Robinson and David F. Gamble, all of whom reside in the City of Minneapolis, County of Hennepin and State of Minnesota.

ARTICLE VI.

The management of this corporation and the management of its affairs, shall be vested in a Board of Directors, not less than seven in number, all of whom, except the first Board of Directors, shall be stockholders of this corporation. Said Board of Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of the Stockholders each year and shall hold their offices until their successors shall be elected and qualified. When a vacancy occurs in the Board at any time, the remaining Directors shall appoint a successor, who shall hold office until the next annual meeting of the Stockholders. The Board of Directors shall elect a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and Treasurer, and such other officers and agents as they may deem necessary. The office of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person. The first Board of Directors of this corporation shall consist of Ross A. Gamble, Harry L. Robinson, David F. Gamble, Donald P. Gamble, George T. Freeman, Frank R. Thompson, and James A. Ridgway, Jr. The following named persons shall act as officers until the first annual meeting of the Stockholders of this corporation, to-wit:

David F. Gamble, President.
Harry L. Robinson, Vice-President.
Ross A. Gamble, Treasurer.
Donald P. Gamble, Secretary.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this corporation shall occur on the second Tuesday in January beginning with Tuesday, January 10th, 1922. The Board of Directors shall adopt by-laws for the due regulation and management of the business of this corporation.

ARTICLE VII.

The number of shares of the capital stock of this corporation shall be Five Hundred (500) and each share shall be for the sum of One Hundred Dollars, ($100.00).

In testimony whereof we have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed our seals this 31st day of August, A. D. 1921.

DAVID F. GAMBLE (Seal)
ROSS A. GAMBLE (Seal)
HARRY L. ROBINSON (Seal)

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of
EMILY M. VON KUSTEN
L. McCULLOUGH

State of Minnesota, County of Hennepin, ss.

On this 31st day of August, A. D. 1921, personally appeared before me, a notary public, within and for said county, Ross A. Gamble, Harry L. Robinson and David F. Gamble, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

J. A. RIDGWAY, JR.,
Notary Public,
Hennepin County, Minnesota.
My Commission Expires May 8, 1927.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book I-4 of Incorporations.

MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minnesota.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1921, at 9 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book J of Misc., on page 214.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds,
By GLADYS ANDERSON, Deputy.
S-22-29

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin K. Hogenson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Austin K. Hogenson, Andrew K. Hogenson, Anton K. Hogenson, Bessie K. Hanne, Toni P. Hanne, Bertha Hanson, Anna Nelson, Clara Hegg and United Deaconess Hospital, Grafton, North Dakota, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 10th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
S-22-29-O-6

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Fred Roth.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred Roth, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Emma Roth, Wilbur Roth, Louise Roth, Wesley Roth, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 31st day of August, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
S-22-29-O-6

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August O. Schneider, a single man, Mortgagor, to Continental Land Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 253.

And Whereas, The said Continental 15th day of October, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock Land Company, the Mortgagee and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Ninety-six and 44-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1196.44 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 13, A. D. 1921.

CONTINENTAL LAND COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
S-15-22-29-O-6-13-20

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Tollef Loyland and Tina Loyland, his wife, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota,) mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 25th day of January, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 485.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 6th day of September, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages on Page 601, and

Whereas, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of Three Hundred Fifty-eight and 28-100 Dollars, as follows: The sum of $116.00 thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage; the sum of $170.76 thereof being for taxes paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon the premises securing said mortgage which premises are hereinafter described, and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $61.52 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Sixteen (16), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 22nd day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $358.28, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 7th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
S-8-15-22-29-O-6-13

American Legion Corner

"The Legion map of Minnesota is rapidly turning from blue to gold," declared Miss Blanche Seallen, 900 Plymouth Building, Minneapolis, State Secretary of the American Legion Auxiliary, who graphically illustrates the organization of Legion Auxiliary Units by first representing the 485 Minnesota Legion posts with blue pins, and then changing to gold pins as fast as auxiliary units are formed. More and more Legion posts are recognizing the sterling work of the Auxiliary by establishing local units. Among the pins which recently "turned from blue to gold" are those representing Mapleton, Clearwater, Hills, Hibbing, Afton, Minnesota Lake, Comfrey, Deer River, Adrian, Russell and Osakis.

Quietly, the Legion Auxiliary is carrying on its mission of service and sympathy for our wounded comrades. September 17th in Minneapolis they collected and sold flowers which citizens bought on the streets, knowing that in buying they were doing their bit for sick and disabled soldiers. In another town they made and sold candy for the benefit of our sick buddies. All over the state they are making and sending little gifts to our comrades in the hospitals. And at Willmar they established a booth at the Kandiyohi county fair where hundreds of useful and ornamental articles made by disabled soldiers in hospitals, were sold, every cent of the money going direct to the buddies who made these articles.

Children of the Minnesota grade schools are to have an opportunity to help provide a temporary home for former service men who, when discharged from hospital, have no funds and no job in sight. The Minnesota Legion Auxiliary, of which Mrs. Sandy Hamilton of Minneapolis is state president, has decided to erect such a home before cold weather and will raise the funds through entertainments offered by the grade school children of the state.

"Sittin' on the world" is how Fairmont Legionaires felt last week when informed that the "City Dads" at their council meeting had unanimously voted the use of the former $20,000 electric light plant at an annual rental of $1, with the right to remodel the building to suit Legion needs. "We won't let any grass grow under our feet about fitting up cozy clubrooms," said Commander Allen Moore. "We have been given our nest. Now we will feather it!" Fairmont citizens are equally pleased by the action of the council.

"Where there's a will there's a way," was the slogan of the Mahnomen Minnesota Legionaires when extra post funds were needed for special projects. The Mahnomen County fair was at hand, so members of the post used their "Henrys" to form a Legion bus line from the depot to the fair grounds, and placed the following signs where folks could read and ride: "Remember, you don't have to walk even if you have no car. The Legion bus line will take you to the fair ground for fifteen cents. Cars will run until business is out of sight." Sure enough, the post now has money for all its pet hobbies.

Thomas B. Shaughnessy Post of Duluth believes it has established a record for receipts and disbursements for a post only three months old, having put on a dance, an Independence day celebration attended by ten thousand, and a boxing show attended by three thousand. During this time the post treasurer received $8,262, and disbursed $7,681. Thomas B. Shaugnessy is the second Duluth post to be formed, the older post being the David Wisted Post, which has more than twelve hundred paid-up members.

Two other Minnesota Legion posts have sounded the signal that will begin preparations for monster civic celebrations on Armistice Day, Nov. 11. Rodney Paine, newly elected commander of the David Wisted Post of Duluth, has named an Armistice Day committee to arrange a public parade, mass meeting, and othe suitable observances of the day which in Minnesota has been declared a legal holiday. A similar committee has been announced by Commander Allen Moore of Fairmont Legion post. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a recent proclamation, has urged all union labor men to participate in the Armistice Day celebrations of the Legion.

"One of America's Bravest," and of Minnesota's too, was laid to rest at Winger, Minn., Sept. 25. For Nels T. Wold was one of Pershing's One Hundred Heroes, and one of the four Minnesota soldiers to merit the Congressional medal of honor, for silencing four enemy machine gun nests, capturing 11 prisoners single handed, and saving the life of a comrade by killing his German assailant in hand to hand combat. Later, death came to this intrepid Minnesotan during his fifth attempt to silence another enemy machine gun nest. At his funeral, Legionaires of Nels T. Wold Legion Post of Crookston, in uniform, paid the last tribute to their comrade's memory.

Local posts, county gatherings and district conventions of the Legion in Minnesota are keeping the state commander and the state adjutant busy filling speaking engagements. Sept. 15 State Adjutant Stafford King addressed a Nobles County Legion meeting at Brewster, and on Sept. 20 he attended Dodge county "Legion Day" at what he describes as the best county fair he ever saw, held at Kasson. He will speak at Grand Rapids on Sept. 26 and at the Koochiching county fair at Northome on Sept. 27.

Among the Legion activities of State Commander Arthur Van Dyke was the bowling of the game which opened the first Minnesota Legion bowling league. Sept. 17 Eight District Legionaires honored him at the district gathering at Cloquet. He addressed Post No. 8 of St. Paul Sept. 21, while on Sept. 23 he witnessed the wonderful demonstration of the Giantvalley Boy Scouts as presented by the Giantvalley Legion Post of Minneapolis, which has reason to be proud of the troop it has trained so well. Later on the evening of the 23rd Commander Van Dyke met members of the Calhoun, Minneapolis Post at their regular meeting.

Sept. 26 found the state commander with Sixth District Legionaires at their district convention at Brainerd; Sept. 28 was spent at the Legion Day celebration of the Lac Qui Parle county fair at Madison, and Sept. 29 with the twelve hundred members of the Duluth David Wisted Post. On Oct. 3 Commander Van Dyke addressed the Merriam Park Post of St. Paul, and on Oct. 8 he will be with Second District Legionaires at their Second District convention in New Ulm.

In the meantime the state commander is working on plans to care for disabled comrades, to relieve ex-service unemployment, and for the functioning of the ten special state Legion committees recently appointed, together with plans for the big Minnesota pilgrimage of Legionaires to Kansas City on Oct. 31.

It was in the midst of the Legion State Executive Committee meeting Sunday, Sept. 4, that news of the forest fires in northern Minnesota came to the committee chairman, State Commander Van Dyke. On Monday he was due to undergo an operation for the removal of part of the jaw bone because of an abscess, but as a member of the national guard, he worked all Sunday night and Monday forenoon preparing the troops for entrainment, and on Monday noon walked to the operating table. Monday night, his face all swathed in bandages, he left for the north to direct the rescue work attending the destruction of White Pine. Shortly after his arrival he was made commander of all troops in the Selena sector.

Legion Standing Committees in Minnesota.

The following Legionaires will serve on the committees just named by the Legion State Executive Committee to serve until the convening of the 1922 Department Conveiton at Virginia, Minn., next year. In naming these committees, the executive committee member from each district selected the nominees to represent his district on the various committees. The chairman of each committee was subsequently named by State Commander Arthur A. Van Dyke. This information is of interest to all Minnesota Legionaires.

Finance Committee.

Chairman, Fred B. Wells, Mpls.
H. B. Lewis, Minneapolis.
Frank Delaney, St. Paul.
A. C. Black, Minneapolis.
A. H. Vernon, Little Falls.
William Laird, Luverne.
W. T. Mollison, Faribault.
Ralph S. Thornton, Alexandria.
R. A. Walsh, St. Paul.

Legislative Committee.

Chairman, J. A. Benson, St. Cloud.
R. C. Alderson, Austin.
George E. Gurley, Pipestone.
Albin Pearson, St. Paul.
James Carr, Minneapolis.
Henry G. Young, Willmar.
Gerald Barron, Cloquet.
R. B. Rathbun, Detroit.
Albert Johnson, Sandstone.

Athletic Committee.

Chairman, Jack Towgley, Jr., Fergus Falls.
J. F. Anderson, Preston.
George Barnes, Redwood Falls.
Thomas Quinn, Faribault.
George Olson, St. Paul.
J. E. Carnegie, Minneapolis.
P. M. Weyrens, Duluth.
Dr. Wm. P. Robertson, Litchfield.
Charles Stopnick, Biwabik.
F. M. Leahy, Buffalo.

Post Activities Committee.

Chairman, Ben Saunders, Wadena.
Harold Timberlake, Lake City.
N. S. Thayer, Worthington.
Dr. L. Cruttenden, Northfield.
T. J. O'Leary, St. Paul.
Walter U. Hauser, Minneapolis.
F. J. Patten, Grand Rapids.
Dr. A. C. Gottenborg, Detroit.
K. E. McIlhaug, Mora.
M. N. Carlton, Willmar.

Americanism Committee.

Chairman, E. C. Nicholson, Mpls.
F. C. Marbe, Albert Lea.
O. J. Nelson, Windom.
C. P. Deipenbrock, Red Wing.
E. R. Simons, St. Paul.
Hal Hoffman, Bemidji.
F. L. Hoagland, Marshall.
Judge C. A. Nye, Moorhead.
TIMES—THREE—
Glen Jackson, Minneapolis.

Sick and Disabled Committee.

Chairman, M. P. LaFleur, Two Harbors.
Dr. L. W. Scott, Janesville.
John Roberts, Worthington.
Dr. Wm. Maertz, New Prague.
Dr. N. G. Mortensen, St. Paul.
Dr. E. C. Oswald, New York Mills.
Miss Mercia Stewart, Minneapolis.
Andrew Garlette, Brainerd.
W. P. Quist, Minneapolis.
Irwin Harris, Granite Falls.

Education Committee.

Chairman, M. B. Hurley, Pine City.
Dr. A. M. Randall, Ashby.
Karl Victor, Lindstrom.
Paul O. Stone, Aurora.
Dr. C. A. Lester, Winona.
Dr. L. B. Wilson, Rochester.

Employment Committee.

Chairman, Victor Gies, St. Paul.
Victor Essling, Eveleth.
Jack Lamberton, Winona.
Edwin Lindell, Minneapolis.
F. E. Morse, Mankato.

Co-Ordination of Women's Auxiliary.

Chairman, Dr. J. A. Bielscher, Mankato.
Miss Margaret Halloran, Rochester
Miss Ida Twedten, Crookston.
Mrs. Amy Robbins Ware, Robbinsdale.
S. B. Swenson, Minneapolis.

In addition, a number of special temporary state committees were named, among them being one to investigate the advisability of establishing a Legion hospital for ex-service men at Rochester; and another to bring a test bonus case to determine whether or not Minnesota residents who served in the armies of our allies shall be paid the Minnesota state bonus. Another special committee is working out detailed plans for the big Minnesota pilgrimage of Legionaires to the Legion National Convention at Kansas City on Oct. 31.

FORCES COMBINE TO FIGHT GRAIN WEEVIL

A combination of carbon tetrachloride and carbon disulphide, which will comply with the rules and regulations regarding the use of such material for purposes of fumigation, is being worked out by entomologists at University Farm and is under trial in the Insurance Underwriters Laboratory in Chicago. A combination of 75 per cent of tetrachloride and 25 per cent of disulphide is proposed for a general gas attack on the granary weevil. Various official forces of the state, including the state department of agriculture, the railroad and warehouse commission and the fire marshal, are co-operating with station men and the farm bureau to eradicate the weevil. Many new reports of damage, some telling of the infestation of elevators, have been received at University Farm.

To Advertise Minnesota Roads.

The Herald carries at the head of its editorial column this week the words "Move to Minnesota, the State of Good Roads." These words will remain at the head of this column henceforth. Minnesota's roads are the talk of the nation. The writer has conversed with tourists from North and South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois and many other states and all have commented upon the splendid roads in this state. The roads in this state are a joy to our people and a drawing card to those outside of the state. Our roads are doing more to bring desirable farmers to the state than any other one thing. The Herald would like to see every other paper in the state carry the words above printed at the head of their editorial columns. It is a truth that cannot be contradicted.—Murray County Herald.

Farm Loans.

If your Farm Loan is due this fall, remember that you get prompt service and the best rate of interest at The First National Bank of Thief River Falls.—S-29-tf

POPE COUNTY JUNIOR WINS JUDGING HONORS

Glenn Peacock of Pope county won a position on the state dairy junior judging team, which will take part in the national contest at the National Dairy show in St. Paul. By an unfortunate error, due to the similarity of the names "Pope" and "Polk" when spoken, Master Peacock's address was given as Polk county in this news service a week ago.

Before he owned an automobile he said, "What beautiful scenery!" Now he remarks, "What fine roads!"—Levang's Weekly, Lanesboro.

The law should step on the speed fiend that steps on the accelerator.—Worthington Globe.

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O. D. Woolen Army Flannel Shirts, each	$2.00	Slipover Sweaters, each	$2.00
Army Jersey Long Knit Wrist Gloves, new, pair	15c	Army Ponchos (two make a pup tent) each	$1.50
U. S. Army Aluminum Canteens, new, each	65c	Men's Heavy Tan Shoes, per pair	$2.65
U. S. Army Messkits, Aluminum, new, each	65c	New U. S. A. Barrack Bags, each	75c
Army Bed Ticking, ready to fit in filler, each only	50c	U. S. Army O. D. Wool Caps, new, each	$1.50
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Promising Outlook Predicted for Fall Term of Northwest School

Many Enrolling For School Year Which Will Start October Tenth

Former Students and Members of the Faculty, Parents of Pupils and University Officials Join in Praise of Northwestern School of Agriculture. Teaching Staff Will Have Several New Members This Year.

Superintendent C. G. Selvig and his corps of assistants are busy making preparations for the opening of the Northwest School of Agriculture Oct. 10. A bright outlook for a large enrollment is predicted by Mr. Selvig who announces that enrollments are being received daily. "This indicates" Mr. Selvig declared, "that despite the business and crop depression the farmers are raising the money to send their sons and daughters to school. They realize that what may seem like a large expense now will soon prove a tremendous asset when the time comes when the son can employ the knowledge he gained at an agricultural school to the benefit of the farm."

The Northwest Monthly, the miniature newspaper issued by the school, contains a number of interviews from former students, ex-members of the faculty, parents of students and university officials which are unanimous in their approval of the Northwest School's activities and the benefits derived by young men and women attending that institution.

C. G. SELVIG
Whose Superintendency has Witnessed the Great Growth of the Northwest School.

PARENTS EXPRESS THEIR OPINION

The viewpoint of the parents is always of vital importance in estimating a school. For that reason, there appear in this issue of the Northwest Monthly, a number of statements from parents, that are of interest. Doubtless there are many others whose statements would emphasize different phases of the influence of the institution, while others, again, would point out ways for possible improvement. It is of utmost importance for the school to maintain a close contact with the homes from which the students come. To this end, all suggestions for remedying defects and strengthening the work are always welcome and will be greatly appreciated by the faculty.

From among a number of letters received, the following have been selected as representing different sections of our district. Being written by parents, thus giving their viewpoint, they should carry much weight to parents of prospective students:

Erick Anderson.

Erick Anderson, of Oak Park Farm, near Gonvick, has three boys who have attended the Red River Valley farm school. He gives an interesting statement:

"Being a parent of three boys who have attended the N. W. School of Agriculture, I feel that I can comment authoritatively upon the value of the school. I feel that this school is positively everything that a school of its kind should be. It is putting out many fine girls and boys with good, strong character as a result of its excellent instruction. I will assure anyone that wishes to send their boys and girls there that the best results will be obtained."

Peter Lindahl.

Peter Lindahl, of Red River Township, west of Hallock, writes:

"Too much can not be said regarding the value of the education as given at the Northwest School of Agriculture, as it is worthy of the greatest praise and support.

"Every young man or woman who has the opportunity will make no mistake in attending this school. The faculty is the best available and is not only capable but makes every effort to bring the school up to the highest standard for the benefit of those who come there to learn.

"Besides the public school, I have sent my children to six different institutions, but of all these, the Northwest School of Agriculture surely is superior along every line."

John N. Sather

From John N. Sather, a farmer living near Halstad, comes a convincing statement:

"I, for my part, feel that the Northwest School of Agriculture is one of the best schools in the state; first, it takes into consideration all phases of farm life; second, it is so located as to give the boys and girls of the Red River Valley an opportunity to attend school near home, and, third, the school terms are so arranged as to give the children a chance to stay home during the busy seasons. In addition, the boys and girls are well looked after while at the school, in charge of a well trained and capable faculty. I feel as if I have a right to say a few words in favor of the Northwest School of Agriculture, as I have had three of my sons there, and they have all benefited greatly by having attended the school.

Regis Huot

Regis Huot, of Huot, in Red Lake County, gives another viewpoint regarding the school that is of interest.

"I have had the pleasure of having a son and daughter complete a course at the Crookston farm school, and can justly say that the benefits derived by these students from an educational standpoint, and from a standpoint of cooperation and good fellowship derived from pleasant companionship, cannot be surpassed under any condition. I feel today, as they do, that it has been the most instructive period of their lives."

Sen. James Cumming

Senator James Cumming, of Mallory, Polk County, writes convincingly regarding agricultural education.

"Since the dawn of civilization, it has been deemed necessary to train people for certain vocations. The professional man has spent years in training and study. The experiences of others with reference to their particular professions have been carefully sought and treasured, and so along many lines. The business man and the professional man have received special training so as to be efficient in their chosen vocations.

But not until in recent years has it been deemed necessary that the young man and woman who contemplate making their homes on the farm, should receive a special course at some agricultural school. The fact that we have located in our midst a state institution for the purpose of giving special education and training to the boy and girl who expect to engage in the business of farming, should awaken a special interest in the subject. The Northwest School of Agriculture, located at Crookston, should hold the center of interest for every boy and girl who contemplate making farming their life work.

It has been amply demonstrated that boys and girls who have taken a course at this school have been repaid a hundred fold. It has been my privilege to come in contact with and observe the young men graduates of the school. They are invariably making a success, and to step into a home which is supervised by a graduate of the Northwest School, it is at once apparent that special thought and training bring results that are apparent in the arrangement of the home.

We would strongly urge every boy and girl in northern Minnesota who contemplate making farming their life work, to take a course at the Crookston School of Agriculture or some other good school of like nature, where the supervision is in the hands of high minded, clear visioned, efficient men and women. I would also urge parents, although it will be necessary to make sacrifices, to endeavor to obtain for their children this boon. It will be as casting bread upon the waters, which will return manyfold. Besides being a blessing to themselves, this special training will result in a great uplift to the community at large. Nowhere, to my mind, is special training more needed than in solving the problem of the farm, and nowhere can this be better done than in our School of Agriculture at Crookston."

SCHOOLS MAKE USEFUL CITIZENS

Perhaps in no instance is the school's purpose more clearly and convincingly presented than in a letter written expressly for this issue by A. D. Wilson, formerly director of agricultural extension in Minnesota, and himself a graduate of the Central School of Agriculture. In the following statement, Mr. Wilson expresses a life-time conviction based upon mature judgment, regarding education:

A. D. WILSON.
Whose Convincing Statement Carries Much Weight.

"Schools now generally offer the kind of education that equips people to be more useful citizens. The Schools of Agriculture, as we have them in Minnesota, offer particularly attractive opportunity for anyone planning to live on or operate a farm. The whole atmosphere of these schools is for better, more wholesome country life, and good citizenship. The courses not only give practical and useful information, but tend to dignify honest, efficient service.

There are two particular points of value in the Minnesota Schools of Agriculture not common to our splendid rural grade and high schools. First, these schools bring together from the whole state or from large districts in the state, splendid young men and women from the best farm homes. It is an education in itself to associate with these young people. The wholesome regulated dormitory and social life of these schools provides opportunity for broadening one's acquaintance and views, that is almost invaluable.

"The second particular advantage is the chance these schools offer to students who for any reason have gotten behind in their education. There are many (the writer is one) who have become 16 to 20 years of age with only a rural school education. Such students feel decidedly out of place in a high school, because of being older and larger than the other students. In the Schools of Agriculture these students feel at home because of the more advanced age of all the students, and because of the practical nature of the courses, the years of experience they have had enable them to compete successfully with those who have had more opportunity to attend school.

Dean Coffey's Message to Northwest School

I had the pleasure of visiting Crookston for an altogether too brief half-day in July. I saw more than I expected to see. The buildings, laboratory equipment, herds, flocks, and field crops most favorably impressed me and made Crookston stand out in my mind as a splendid place for farm boys and girls to go for training in the science and art of farming and rural home making.

The little country of Denmark has received world wide notice because it is one of the most progressive agricultural countries in the world. Its prosperity is due to cooperation amongst its farmers in the production and marketing of the best butter, eggs and meat to be found anywhere. Without cooperation Denmark would probably not succeed. Without the knowledge necessary to produce her very superior butter, eggs and meat, she would most certainly fail.

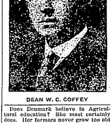

DEAN W. C. COFFEY

Does Denmark believe in Agricultural education? She most certainly does. Her farmers never grow too old to attend some one of her many special schools for farmers. The small farmer with his little one acre farm (some of the farms are so small as this) lays by his savings against the time when he can attend one of these schools for a term. And once he has attended, he looks back upon his stay at school as one of the most significant experiences of his life. Ninety per cent of Denmark's farms are operated by owners, and on those farms one finds homes that are prosperous, enlightened and happy.

That agricultural education has played a leading role in the prosperity, enlightenment and happiness that has come into the farm life of Denmark in the past forty years, is obvious. Crookston's doors are open to the farm boys and girls of the Red River Valley to play a similar role. For your own good and happiness, my earnest wish is that you come. If you do, like the Danish farmer who manages to attend a special school for a term, you, too, will look back upon your experience as one of the most significant of your life.

W. C. COFFEY,
Dean Dept. Agriculture.

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT CONGRATULATES STUDENTS

Three messages of inspiration to former students and graduates of the Red River Aggie School are given by our three University presidents, who have always been keenly interested in its welfare and progress.

President Lotus D. Coffman.

In extending greetings to this year's senior class, President L. D. Coffman writes of the training given by the school and its graduates:

"The training which you have had at Crookston should have given you a wider view and have made you more keenly sensitive to your responsibilities as citizens. We feel that we have a right to expect that you will discharge your obligations and duties and responsibilities as citizens in an intelligent and efficient manner, and that the communities in which you live will be better because of the education that they have provided for you."

PRES. L. D. COFFMAN
U of Minnesota

President George E. Vincent

Dr. George E. Vincent stated the aim of the Northwest school in the following greeting to the seniors of 1917:

"You have been preparing yourselves for life in the open country. May you go forth with high hopes and with courage accept the challenge which the country offers you. Resolve to face intelligently and pluckily the problem of scientific farming; of co-operative marketing; of school consolidation and community organization."

President Marion L. Burton

Dr. M. L. Burton touched upon the school spirit in his message to the seniors of 1920:

"Every one of you is to be congratulated heartily upon the privileges which you have enjoyed at the Northwest School of Agriculture. Your school has exerted a powerful influence over a large area of our state. It has stood for the highest ideals in scholarship and character. Your campus is permeated with a splendid atmosphere and an excellent school spirit."

DR. GEO. E. VINCENT

FACULTY MEMBERS EXPRESS VIEW POINT

This issue of the Northwest Monthly is a Northwest School Edition. In it are gathered up many items of interest to former students and to Red River Valley folks in general, from former faculty members. Others will be included in the next issue. They are unanimous in their estimate of the value of the Northwest School of Agriculture to this section of the state, and cite various phases of school life that appeared most valuable and lasting.

Grace B. Sherwood

"The state agricultural schools have the advantage of supervised dormitory life under the most favorable condition. This is much to be preferred to sending boys and girls away from home to board with no one who is particularly interested in them."

Arnold M. Christensen

"Boys and girls between twelve and eighteen years of age are in the impressionable stage. They readily grasp ideas then and become sympathetic to the idea of staying on the farm, especially when they see the possibilities ahead of them and get the vision which all receive at the state schools."

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Sewall

"The Red River Valley people have a school at Crookston to be proud of—to cherish, to love and to help—a school whose atmosphere fosters initiative, conscientious effort, truthful appreciation, and whose influence begets an undying desire among faculty and students to put forth every effort to make the Northwest School of Agriculture the fountain of inspiration and interest in the Red River Valley."

J. P. Bengtson.

"It is a privilege to be allowed, through the columns of the Northwest Monthly, to extend my greetings to the alumni and students of the Northwest School of Agriculture. As the time for school draws near, it brings a feeling of lonesomeness. Many pleasant memories come back, of happy days spent at the school. I feel that I shall never have a better opportunity to serve the public good than when it was my good fortune and privilege to be connected with that institution as an instructor.

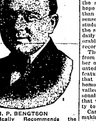

J. P. BENGTSON
Enthusiastically Recommends the Northwest School.

It is a unique type of school, and offers opportunities such as are possible in few other places. Besides a most practical vocational training, it offers opportunities for general culture and inspiration for good citizenship. It trains toward the farm and farm home rather than away from them, and I feel that in the direction of rural advancement lies a field for our greatest educational efforts today.

Farming has become a most complex science and success in this field of endeavor today demands a careful preparation and training, both theoretical and practical. Science and business principles have also been applied to the management of the home, so that the study of carefully prepared courses is an invaluable aid to the home maker. Rural life has, at all times, been the foundation to the welfare and prosperity of all nations, and if that was ever true, it is true today. We need trained leadership for the country. This, through carefully worked out courses of study in charge of trained specialists, such schools as the School of Agriculture are providing for.

The dormitory life has always appealed to me as a most valuable feature for young people who are obliged to leave home to secure an education. It supplies a wholesome home life that makes the time, outside of class hours, seem like the life of a big family. Where the faculty are associated so closely with the students in all their activities and where such high standards prevail among the student body, this is a wonderful advantage. Not only study hours, but leisure hours, as well, are carefully planned and used for the most complete development of strong manhood and womanhood.

"If I were to suggest the one big thing that could be done for a boy or a girl of the Red River Valley, I would say that it would be to interest him in securing an education such as is afforded in the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston.

"A boy or a girl can make no better investment for future happiness and usefulness than the time spent in completing such a course."

FORMER STUDENTS RECALL OLD DAYS

It has often been said that as are the alumni and students, so is the school. No institution can hope to attain greater prestige than its product justifies. In that sense, every alumnus and former student carries the reputation of the school with him in his or her daily work, creating for it a favorable standing, or breaking its record, day by day.

The first reminiscence comes from Louis O. Regnimbal, a member of the first class which graduated, in 1909, who writes: "The features of the Northwest School that appealed to me were the homelike atmosphere that prevailed at the school, and the personal interest and responsibility that was manifested by the faculty towards the students."

Carl Berg, '12, finds difficulty in making a selection of the principal theme to be included in his message. He writes: "I have observed all the time during the past twelve years what a wonderful thing it is to have dormitories and home supervision for the young folks, especially those of the age attending the Northwest School of Agriculture. In addition to the prescribed courses of study, I feel that the social activities at the school, including debating, athletics, glee clubs and others, provide an educational enterprise that every young man and woman of the Red River Valley should take advantage of by reason that it is complete. The school not only builds character and develops the mind and body, but imparts to the young man and woman the fundamental principles of agriculture and home making, which are the foundation of our great nation."

Gertrude Osterloh, of Angus, who is now a student nurse at Bethesda Hospital, Crookston, found somewhat the same difficulty in presenting her views as to the benefits she received. She states: "At the N. W. S. A., I received a great deal out of so many things that I would hardly know just from which I had the most benefit. My greatest interest was in nursing and consequently any courses that involved this branch appealed to me the most."

Nels Palm, '14, Alvarado, president of the N. W. S. A. Alumni Association, found in the regular agricultural work a very valuable training. In addition, he states: "The School has also such activities as athletics, music, Y. M. C. A., and debating societies, which are of great help to the students when they return to their respective communities."

Oscar Tunheim, '17, who is managing a farm near Newfolden, besides taking care of a fine chubby baby boy, between times, must have had in mind the fine moonlight evenings of school days, when he wrote: "The memory of the four years I spent at Crookston is more like a pleasant dream than anything else. It is a place that is just like Home, Sweet Home, with its staff of well trained teachers and fine spirit." No school can have a nobler ideal than such a one.

Guy Spokely, '18, in an unguarded moment, gave his verdict, which was very similar, when he stated "The happiest days of my life were those spent at the agricultural school, those spent in the dormitory." He added that, while the preceptors imposed the dictates of stern duty upon him once in a while, he did not mind, as he hardly expected to have his own way all the time.

Mrs. Harold H. Grandy (Blanche Morrison), '16, now living in Minneapolis, writes in no uncertain terms of the value of the home training work taken at the N. W. School. Harold Grandy, '15, also a graduate, states he is willing to present himself as unanswerable evidence in affirmation. She goes on to say: "During my three years study at the N. W. School of Agriculture, '13 to '16, I am sure that the most practical knowledge acquired by me was in the study of domestic science, especially in cooking and home management, which have been of great benefit to me."

Theodore Peterson, '19, of Fisher, is another alumnus who has a clear idea of the benefits he received at the school. He writes: "I do not think there is a better school for a person to go to if he plans to be a farmer, and if his plans change, he will have no loss. What I liked best at the Agricultural School is the way the students are looked after. They receive real home care. Debating, association with students and faculty, and horticultural work, benefited me most."

Captain Martinus Stenseth, '16, who won signal honors in France, and has the distinction of being Minnesota's highest "ace" in the A. E. F. air service gives his viewpoint:

"By attracting a class of students that would not otherwise secure further education, the N. W. S. A. is serving a very useful purpose. The school creates an initial ambition in such students and sends them back to their farms with new aspirations, or directs them to other positions of service."

From Roseau county, Clarence Lee, '18, takes pen in hand and expresses himself: "My opinion of the Northwest School is that the training given there is a very well balanced ration, and for a dual-purpose man, or woman, I believe no other school can beat it! I might say that the studies, Rural Sociology and Marketing, broadened my views of world economic affairs, which, I believe, has been beneficial to me."

Harold B. Schuck, '15, has expressed in beautiful language two great assets in his life that he gained at school:

"The two greatest and most distinct benefits, as I see them now, are—first, the friendship and happy acquaintance with my schoolmates, and, through them, the understanding and feeling of kinship with their folks, who, in their strength and vision, have made this country. Second, the knowing and having the benefit of associating with the faculty who, by their precept and practice, gave me an example of honest and loyal devotion to their fellow men. Having had this privilege, one would be a poor fellow who could not assimilate a lit-

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DR. M. L. BURTON

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NORTHWEST SCHOOL, CROOKSTON, HAS ENJOYED A REMARKABLE GROWTH SINCE 1906, WHEN IT WAS ESTABLISHED.

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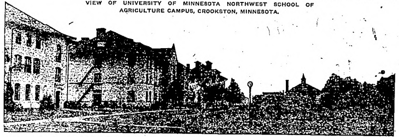

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T. M. McCALL
Horticulturist; teaches Plant Life, Garden Crops, Forestry and Potato Growing.

TEACHING STAFF IS APPOINTED

The staff of instructors at the Northwest School is complete in every department, and all the positions are filled, excepting that of school nurse. Because Miss Olga Hauson, who so acceptably filled that position last year may decide to return, this position is left open for the present.

Miss Clara Evenson, a graduate of North Dakota University, will have charge of the work in English, taking the position formerly held by Miss Burns, who was married shortly after school closed. Miss Kneeshaw returns to her former position as assistant.

Professor Ray Dunham, formerly a member of the University of Illinois Soil Survey staff, has joined the Northwest Station corps as field crops man. His experience as a soils expert, in addition to his training in farm crops work, will be especially valuable in northwestern Minnesota, with its many quite distinct soil types on which investigational work is needed.

Adolf K. Pierce, a graduate of Wisconsin University, will teach the business training work, including stenography and typewriting, taking the place of Miss Eleanor Bruem, who accepted a very desirable federal position early in the summer.

Herbert S. Hinrich, a graduate of the University of Illinois, will be the new farm motors instructor. Millard Peck, the former instructor, is now permanently employed by the Iowa Highway Commission. Severin Rishovd, a former instructor, is considering the position as assistant.

Upon Miss Lottie Ward's resignation as head of the home economics department, Miss Mildred Schenck, a graduate of Iowa State College, was appointed as her successor. Miss Ward is to be married soon. Miss Bernice Nolan will return as domestic art instructor.

The live stock position will be filled by O. M. Kiser, formerly live stock extension worker at the Northwest School. He is at the present time county agent in Goodhue county, one of the largest and best agricultural counties in Minnesota. Mr. Kiser assumes his work at the Crookston School sometime this month.

Misses Louise Pederson and Julia Aune will resume their work in the music department when school opens on October 10. Considerable new music has been ordered. Elmer F. Uggen, Crookston, has accepted the position of band leader. The prospects for a splendid year in music were never better.

Henry P. Constans, a graduate of Carleton College, and a member for two years of the Intercollegiate debating team, and an expert basket ball player, will join the staff on October 1 in the position of assistant preceptor, instructor and basket ball coach. He comes to the school with the highest recommendations possible as a man and teacher.

Harvey Hoberg, the Northwest Station poultryman, will continue in charge of the poultry department during the present year. Extensive improvements are being planned in this department. Mr. Hoberg has rendered valuable assistance in judging poultry at fairs during the past summer, and in training poultry demonstration teams, that has evoked favorable comment for his work. He is a very enthusiastic poultryman.

Professors T. M. McCall, A. M. Foker, A. H. Larson and E. R. Clark have spent a busy summer in charge of their respective departments. In order that everything will be in readiness when school opens, extensive supplies and laboratory material have been secured and all the equipment put in shape.

LOUISE PEDERSON

Music Instructor; Miss Julia Aune teaches Piano.

MILDRED SCHENCK

Domestic Science Instructor and Preceptress; teaches Foods and Cookery and Home Management.

A. H. LARSON

Registrar and Preceptor of Boys' Dormitories; teaches History.

BERNICE NOLAN
Domestic Art Instructor; teaches Sewing and Garment Making.

E. P. UGGEN

Band Leader

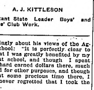

A. J. KITTLESON

Assistant State Leader Boys' and Girls' Club Work.

KATHERINE KNEESHAW

Assistant in English; Miss Clara Evenson also teaches English and Public Speaking.

R. S. DUNHAM

Field Crops and Soils Instructor; teaches Forage Crops, Soils Management, Elements of Soils and Farm Management.

E. R. CLARK
Pure Seed Specialist and Home Project Leader; teaches Cereal Crops and Farm Accounts.

FORMER STUDENTS RECALL OLD DAYS

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tle of their unselfish spirit and be inspired to an attempt to emulate them."

Ole A. Flaat, '16, of Fisher, emphasizes "learn to associate" in his estimate of the value of the training given at the Aggie School. He states: "Among the factors which contribute toward a modern education, the experience of meeting, mingling, and adapting oneself to the wishes, rights and methods of one's fellow men, is of great importance. This is not taught successfully through books; but by experience alone.

"I feel that the dormitory life I enjoyed at the N. W. S. A. was a unique experience, which in itself was entirely educational. I believe that the living together with a large number in a dormitory, under the guidance and with the companionship of competent instructors, is one of the large benefits derived by attendance at the N. W. S. A. This is a factor well worth the consideration, and should not be overlooked by one who wishes to get the most out of his school years."

Peter Ness, '17, of Ferris, writes interestingly about his views of the Aggie School: "It is perfectly clear to me that I was greatly benefited by my stay at school, and though I spent some hard earned dollars there, much needed for other purposes, and though I spent some precious time there, I have never regretted that I took the course.

"More valuable to me than any other training or knowledge I received at the N. W. S. A., was that of public speaking and debating. It has stood me in good stead on different occasions. Without this training I should have found it hard or even impossible to overcome that diffidence which would have prevented me from speaking in public.

"If I should say anything further, I would say that a dormitory school such as the N. W. S. A., gives a splendid opportunity for intimate acquaintance and friendship among students and teachers. We lived together the clock around.

"In addition, at the Aggie School we were given the opportunity to see and hear some really big men and women. People prominent in state and even national affairs, appeared there to speak."

O. M. KISER
Live Stock Instructor; teaches Animal and Dairy Husbandry.

A. M. FOKER

Agricultural Engineering; teaches Carpentry, Blacksmithing, and Farm Building Plans.

ALL THERE WAS IN 1906—THE BEGINNINGS OF A $15,000 BUILDING, AND HOPES

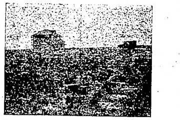

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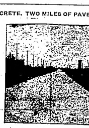

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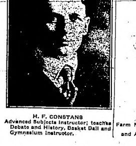

H. F. CONSTANS
Advanced Subjects Instructor; teaches Debate and History, Basket Ball and Gymnasium Instructor.

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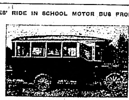

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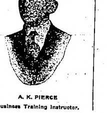

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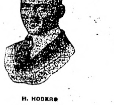

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CITY ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8TH

Mayor and Six Aldermen to Be Elected By the Voters Next Month.

Petitions Must Be Filed at Least Ten Days Prior to Election Date.

Effort Being Made to Induce Present Officials to File For Re-Election.

Election of city officials to look after the affairs of the municipality for the next two years will take place Tuesday, Nov. 8. It will at that time be up to the voters to select *a mayor and six aldermen.*

Petitions Must Be Filed.

The law requires that a candidate for office must file a petition, signed by not less than ten per cent of the voters of the precinct, with the city clerk at least ten days prior to the election date. The number of voters in the precinct is determined by the vote cast at the last general election.

Up to this time there has been very little interest shown in the forthcoming election, but it is likely that some activity will develop within a very short time. The next two years will without a doubt be exceptionally important ones in the progress of the city and all are interested in seeing Thief River Falls keep pace with other progressive communities of the state.

Present Officials Urged to File.

For the past two years the destinies of the city have been guided by Mayor John Bratrud and Aldermen H. A. Brumund, Ole L. Ihle, S. Brandon, Andrew Ness, John Dahl and C. Froseth. Under their administration the paving of the streets in the business section of the city has been started and it is only by remaining everlastingly on the job that it has been possible for them to accomplish this. For this reason and the fact that there is still a great deal of work to be done in the carrying out of this project a large number of the taxpayers feel that the present officials should consent to remain "on the job" until it is finished.

Most of them are reluctant to carry the burden for another two years but it is thought that the demand for their retention will be strong enough to overcome any objection they may be able to raise.

BUSINESS PROPERTY CHANGES OWNERSHIP

C. M. Evenson Sells Garage to W. H. Nichols of Akely, Minnesota.

A deal was closed Monday whereby C. M. Evenson sold his garage property on West Second street to W. C. Nichols of Akely, Minn. The sale included the garage equipment as well as the building.

Mr. Nichols took immediate possession of the business and will operate the garage with the assistance of his two sons. He is experienced in the garage and automobile business and announces that he contemplates a number of improvements to the property that will make it one of the finest garages in the northwest.

Mr. Evenson is undecided as to his future activities. Through the sale of the garage he becomes the owner of 240 acres of land in Hubbard county and he says that he may decide to go farming.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETING HELD AT DETROIT SATURDAY

Thief River Falls Selected For Second Convention in This District.

The first annual Ninth District convention of the American Legion Women's Auxiliary was held at Detroit on Saturday, Oct. 1, in the Li- opened at 2 p. m. with President Mrs. J. M. Bishop presiding.

The address of welcome was given by Mrs. A. C. Gottenburg on behalf of the Auxiliary of Detroit and was responded to by Mrs. T. L. Stickney of Crookston. Commander R. B. Rathbun also welcomed the convention on behalf of the John Bridges post of the American Legion.

During the afternoon Mrs. L. C. Weeks of Detroit gave a splendid and instructive talk on Americanization, and there was also a short talk by Mrs. E. A. Lewis. Mrs. Stewart [illegible] Mrs. Jones brought greetings [illegible] the Detroit W. R. C.

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[illegible] presented went into [illegible] following county [illegible] d: Polk—Mrs. C. [illegible]; Pennington—Mrs. Albert Johnson, Thief River Falls; Clay—Miss Alma Rushfeldt, Hawley; Becker—Mrs. L. C. Weeks, Wilkin—Mrs. W. E. Wray, Campbell; Otter Tail—Mrs. David B. Fisk; New York Mills. The president will select chairmen for the counties not represented and they will be announced later.

The Time and Place committee reported that the second district convention was invited to meet in Thief River Falls, and will be held some time before the third annual state convention.

The following officers were elected:
President—Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Thief River Falls.
Vice President—Mrs. T. L. Stickney, Crookston.
Secretary Treasurer—Miss Emma Holum, Barnesville.
Executive Committee—Mrs. E. O. Qualey, New York Mills; Mrs. E. J. Masterson, Barnesville; Mrs. A. C. Gottenborg, Detroit.
Reporter—Miss Emma Holum, Barnesville.
Historian—Miss Mary Johnston, Detroit.

The following towns were represented: Barnesville, 5 delegates; Hawley, 3 delegates; Thief River Falls, 3 delegates; New York Mills, 2 delegates; Detroit, 3 delegates, 12 guests; Crookston, 1 delegate. Mrs. E. A. Lewis of Long Prairie, 2nd state vice president, was also present and there was one guest from Frazee.

Following the afternoon session, the delegates and visitors were taken for an auto trip around the beautiful lake city, and entertained at dinner at the homes of Auxiliary members. In the evening a short and enjoyable program was rendered and delightful refreshments were served. The convention as a whole was a big success and the Detroit Auxiliary is to be congratulated for the splendid manner in which it was carried out, and for the hospitality and royal entertainment.

CLEAN-UP SQUAD IS DISAPPOINTING TO LOCAL SERVICE MEN

Claim Service Rendered of No Value to Applicants For Compensation.

Service men were very much disappointed in what was accomplished as a result of the visit here last Friday and Saturday of the "Clean-up Squad" of the United States service bureau.

From the advance notices sent out by the bureau the service men had been given to understand that definite action would be taken by the squad on all compensation applications. This understanding resulted in 127 service men being here on Friday and Saturday from all parts of this section of the state. According to information given The Times the members of the squad had very little or no authority or power to act on a single case. About all that was accomplished was the filing of applications and the assurance that they would be "forwarded to Washington."

FARM IMPLEMENT FIRM CUTS PRICES

Emerson-Brantingham is Second Company to Make Reduction—Others Plan Slashes.

According to a dispatch from Rockford, Ill., the Emerson-Brantingham company has announced a reduction of from 10 to 20 per cent in the prices of its entire line of farm machinery, including tillage implements, harvesters, tractors and threshers, the larger reductions being on tools most used by farmers. At the Minneapolis office of the company, it was said that such an order was expected, but had not yet been received. It will be the second reduction made by the company this year, officials said.

The International Harvester company late last week announced a 10 to 20 per cent reduction, effective Oct. 1. The Hudson Manufacturing company announced a reduction was contemplated Oct. 15 and the Deere-Webber company officials said a reduction was anticipated.

Kirby on War Path.

"Doc" Kirby rushed into the city yesterday afternoon very much excited and caused the arrest of one Jess A. Potar, whom he accused of stealing a bottle of his "magic" medicine. Potar was lodged in the jail for a short time but was soon released on bail furnished by a friend. At the hearing conducted this morning he was found not guilty. Kirby claimed that he met Potar, who is a chiropodist from Grand Forks, at the Park hotel Tuesday evening, where he visited with him for some time. He invited Potar to come out to his place the next day, which Potar did and assisted him in the treatment of some of his patients. During the afternoon Kirby discovered that some of his medicine was missing. Some of the patients claimed that Potar took it and then the fun started which terminated in the arrest of Potar.

Seeks New Location.

Theo. J. Hagen, formerly one of the proprietors of the Thief River Music company, left Tuesday night for Minneapolis and Davenport, Ia., where he will spend several days in a search for a new location.

FARM BUREAU'S FEDERATION IS LEADING NATION

Makes Centralizing Distribution Possible in Record Time, Committee Told.

275 Local Organizations Represented By State Shipping Association.

State-Wide Co-operative Creamery Association Now Being Perfected.

The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, with units organized in more than 1,200 townships, has enabled farmers of the state to accomplish in a single summer two undertakings that normally would have required years of work, E. B. Heaton, member of the national dairy marketing Committee of Eleven, told members of the committee in its first formal hearing, held in St. Paul last week.

The Committee of Eleven, appointed by the American Farm Bureau federation to investigate dairy marketing and recommend methods of centralizing and improving the distribution of dairy products, opened its hearings in Minnesota in order to study this state's work in co-operative marketing.

"State farm bureau federations," Mr. Heaton said, "are rendering service the value of which can hardly be appreciated, and which is often not appreciated as it should be by the farmers. Minnesota has one of the newer farm bureau federations. The farmers of this state have developed more co-operative work than any other state in the country in working out their marketing problems.

"The livestock shipping associations in the state began to see that it would be a good thing if they could federate into a state association and start a livestock commission firm of their own on the South St. Paul market. They found that it would be impossible to build up this association as quickly as they wanted to do it, if they undertook it themselves, so they called the biggest service organization in the state, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, and in a few weeks the federation and the new association had developed a statewide organization with some 275 local shipping associations, and a total of nearly 40,000 farmers. The managers of this commission firm tell me they are now handling more than twice as much stock as their nearest competitor. This is service worth while.

"In Minnesota there are over 600 co-operative creameries. Some of the leaders among these creameries conceived the idea that they could make great savings for the farmers and could develop a better product to sell if they could have a big, statewide association of these co-operative creameries. Again the farmers turned to their farm bureau federation and asked them to develop this creamery organization. They are working on it with splendid success. If it had not been for the finances and the organization of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, permitting it to go ahead and help do this work, it probably would have taken a good many years for the livestock shippers or the creamery co-operators to develop the work of which they have seen the need.

"This is not the only work the Minnesota federation has done. It has taken an active part in legislative matters in which the farmers were interested; it has an organization department used to help co-operative marketing projects and the county farm bureaus, and it has a publicity department which is spreading the story of the farmers' work, not only to the farmers, but to the people of the cities as well."

FARMERS' AGENCY SETS NEW RECORD

Co-operative Marketing Association Tops Market on Cattle According to Manager.

The co-operative livestock selling agency established on the South St. Paul market with the backing of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, has made a record "never before approached in the history of livestock marketing by farmers," according to an official statement sent out by the American Farm Bureau federation to county farm bureau officers.

The Central Co-operative Commission association has handled as high as 29 per cent of the business on the market in one day, its figures show. During its first seven weeks of business, it has handled 60,165 head of stock; its nearest competitor handled 24,307 in the same period, and the firm doing the next largest business handled 20,793 head.

"The central co-operative association has topped the market on cattle, selling a carload of 1,100 pound steers and heifers for $9 a hundredweight," W. A. McKerrow, manager, says in a report to local shipping associations.

"The livestock producers see an opportunity of building up their own marketing agency on efficient standards by assembling a large volume of stock of various classes, thus giving the buyer an opportunity to purchase in large quantities, and making it possible to supply the outside buyer direct from the farm."

BUREAU MEN CONFER WITH GRAIN GROWERS

Organization policies of the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., and the relationship of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation to the Grain Growers in organization work in this state were to be discussed by the directors of the national grain marketing corporation this week. J. D. Pyle and T. E. Cashman, members of the executive board of the Minnesota federation, conferred with the Minnesota directors of the U. S. Grain Growers and Sept. 26 and 28. The part to be played by the farm bureau, in case work of organizing the U. S. Grain Growers should be started in Minnesota, was discussed. No decision was reached. Another conference between Mr. Pyle and Mr. Cashman, representing the farm bureau, and W. F. Schilling and J. M. Anderson, representing the U. S. Grain Growers, will take place after the 21 directors of the Grain Growers decide what action to take in Minnesota. No steps will be taken to organize the U. S. Grain Growers in this state until after such a decision is reached.

GREAT NORTHERN TO PAVE ALONG TRACKS

Agent W. E. Baker Receives Instructions to Obligate Company For Improvement.

W. E. Baker, local agent for the Great Northern Railway company, today received instructions from the head officials to authorize the paving of the streets adjoining the tracks on Main and LaBree avenues. This definitely clears up a point that has been in controversy between the officials of the city and the Great Northern for over a year.

C. A. Manthe, division superintendent of the Great Northern, and District Engineer Seyton were here Monday conferring with the business men of the city and the members of the city council regarding the paving matter and the instructions received today by Mr. Baker are a direct result of that conference.

Local business men took advantage of the presence of the division superintendent in the city to put in another request for the building of a new station here by the Great Northern. The request was very courteously received and the business men promised that General Superintendent Gavin would visit Thief River Falls to go over the matter in detail. On Wednesday word was received that the general superintendent would meet with the business men at the Commercial club luncheon today. A message received this morning, however, stated that he had found it impossible to fulfill the engagement but carried the assurance that he would be here at a later date.

The matter of a new Great Northern station is one that has been uppermost in the minds of the people of this city for many years past and many assurances have been given that one would "soon" be erected. The business men are now determined that the issue shall be kept alive until it is satisfactorily disposed of.

HIGHWAY GRADING WORK PROGRESSING

Crew Working South From Holt Now Within Three Miles of Steiner.

Work on the state road between Holt and Steiner is progressing at a very satisfactory rate under the direction of the district superintendent. The crew is now within three miles of Steiner and the work to that point will be completed this fall if weather conditions are favorable.

With this done the highway from this city to Holt will be ready for graveling and the district superintendent states that it is his intention to have this done this winter. Petitions asking for the graveling of this road this winter have been sent to Commissioner Babcock from various places along the highway as well as from Thief River Falls, which should be of assistance to the district superintendent in getting authorization to carry out his plans.

MINNESOTA CLUB TEAM BEST IN MIDDLE WEST

Minnesota's champion bread making team, composed of Leona Peterson, Evelyn Cuddy and Myra Jones, all of Mankato, competed with junior club demonstration teams from nine othe rstates at the Sioux City Interstate fair and won the grand championship for the middle west. Prizes won by this team were a championship banner and a gold watch for each of the three. The Minnesota Juniors won a total of $44 for canning and sewing exhibits. Minnesota's poultry team, composed of Geo. Huselrud, Evelyn Brodin and Haven Sathre, all of Crookston, were given sixth place in the contest for livestock and crop division teams. Stephen Easter, Kittson county, was sixth in the livestock judging contest.

WILL PUBLISH ANNUAL REPORT OF COMMISSION

Report of Red Lake Drainage Board Now Being Prepared For Circulation.

Will Give in Detail Work Already Done and Plans For Future Activities.

Progress Highly Satisfactory to Those in Charge of Big Undertaking.

Engineer George W. Walker, Thief River Falls, and C. G. Selvig, president of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board, held a conference with the attorney of the board, Chas. E. Boughton, Sr., of Red Lake Falls, at the latter city Tuesday afternoon to go over the report made by the viewers appointed to report on the Grand Marais outlet project. They also took up the Clearwater river plans. The viewers in this project have also been appointed. The Clearwater river work includes deepening and widening of the river to afford an adequate outlet for a considerable area of land in Clearwater, Polk and Red Lake counties in addition to a large section of Red Lake Indian reservation land. Engineer Walker has completed the plans and specifications for this improvement, which involves the excavation of a large yardage.

All the surveying work has now been completed in the Red Lake river project. The board's consulting engineer, Adolf F. Meyer, Minneapolis, and the state drainage commissioner, E. V. Willard, St. Paul, are collaborating on this plan in co-operation with Mr. Walker. As this project involves the use of Red Lake as a reservoir to conserve water power as well as to regulate its level for flood control purposes, it is necessary to give thorough study to the complicated problems involved in all phases. It is expected that a preliminary conference of all interested parties, including the U. S. War and Interior departments, will be called very soon to go over the matter with the engineering staff of the board.

Mr. Selvig is engaged at the present time in preparing the first annual report of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board, which will be submitted to Judges Grindeland, Stanton and Watts of the district court as prescribed by law as soon as it is completed. This report will later be printed and sent to all who are interested. It will contain the vital facts dealing with the projects placed before the board since its organization.

"There have been many difficulties to overcome in bringing this work up to its present work," said Mr. Selvig. "The law under which the district is organized did not provide adequate funds for the survey of so large a district, for one thing, and the magnitude of the engineering features and the need of having absolutely correct data, have all taken time. After federal action necessary for the Red Lake and Clearwater projects was taken on February 21st last and adequate funds voted by the legislature on April 19, the work has gone forward with full force. Engineer Walker has had as high as three engineering crews out, as well as keeping assistants in two offices busy. Besides this Mr. Willard and Mr. Meyer have given of their time to various phases of the work."

Attends National Convention.

C. D. Gustafson of C. Gustafson & Son, left Sunday evening for Chicago, where he attended the National Implement Dealers convention as delegate from Minnesota.

AUTO LAW DRIVE TO START IMMEDIATELY

Wholesale Prosecutions Coming and Officials Must Enforce Motor Vehicle Law.

Reports of numerous violations of the motor vehicle license law in all parts of the state reaching the capitol in St. Paul, Clifford L. Hilton, attorney general, this week issued a statement to the effect that wilful neglect to enforce the law is ground for removal proceedings against offending officials as well as prosecution for those who violate the law.

Reports of more than 100 alleged violations in two small cities were among those on which Mike Holm, secretary of state, ordered immediate investigation, adding that drastic action will be taken where conditions demand.

General Hilton made an appeal for public support for the effective license law drive. "In justice to more than 300,000 Minnesota car owners who have paid proper motor vehicle taxes, and to encourage respect for the law, all good citizens will assist local officials by calling their attention to violations,' he said. "Efforts to collect the taxes should be given popular support. I am informed that several hundred thousand dollars more will be added to the state highway fund when delinquent licenses are paid. Every citizen of the state is interested in highway development and by proper vigilance on the part of the public at large and of the local officials the end desired will be attained."

Secretary Holm said that specific reports of violations sent to his office will be treated with confidence and promptly investigated.

Dr. Crandall Sells Practice.

Dr. C. R. Crandall this week sold his dental equipment and practice to Dr. R. Arnold of Montevideo, Minn. The sale also included his residence property on Bridge street. Dr. Arnold will move here and take over the practice about Nov. 15.

Dr. Crandall located in Thief River Falls in 1906 and has conducted his dental office here continuously since that time and has always enjoyed an excellent practice. He has no definite plans for the future but will take a much needed rest this winter at least. The many friends of Dr. Crandall and his family sincerely trust that his retirement from his dental practice will not result in their permanent removal from Thief River Falls.

Series of Dances.

J. R. Havlin was in the city this week and made arrangements for a series of dances to be given here throughout the winter. The dances will be given at the auditorium every two weeks commencing Thursday, Oct. 20. A five piece orchestra, playing eight different instruments, will furnish the music. Mr. Havlin has four such orchestras on the road.

Attend Father's Funeral.

Lars H. Larson and Carl B. Larson returned Sunday morning from Elbow Lake, where they were called by the illness and death of their aged father.

POSITION AS BANK CASHIER ACCEPTED BY ALBERT LONSON

Will Succeed L. A. Lampert at Farmers and Merchants, Here October 19.

Albert Lonson has accepted the position of cashier of the Farmers and Merchants State bank of this city and will enter upon his new duties Oct. 19. His services were secured to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of L. A. Lampert, who has held the position since the organization of the bank over three years ago.

Mr. Lonson is no stranger to the people of this county. For a number of years he held the position of assistant cashier of the First State bank here and at that time was recognized as one of the progressive and energetic business men of the city. He left here to become cashier of the Calloway State bank, which position he held until about a year ago when he disposed of his interests at Calloway to become state bank examiner in North Dakota. His resignation from the latter position will take effect Oct. 15.

Mr. Lampert is at present undecided as to where he will locate. He has several propositions under consideration but has made no definite decision.

STATE MARKETING SYSTEM ATTRACTS NATIONAL INQUIRY

Howard to Open Dairy Investigation in Minnesota and Speak at Show.

The success of Minnesota farmers in building up a tremendous dairy industry through co-operative creameries, and in uniting more that 200 creameries, within six weeks, into a state marketing and service organization, has attracted the attention of dairymen throughout the United States.

In recognition of Minnesota's achievements in co-operative marketing, James R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau federation, will open the federation's national dairy marketing investigation at headquarters of the Minnesota Farm Bureau in St. Paul.

The first hearing to be conducted by the Committee of Eleven, appointed to make the investigation, has been set for 10 a. m., Tuesday, Oct. 11, in the Old Capitol. A second hearing will take place in the convention hall at the National Dairy show, at 10 a. m., Wednesday, Oct. 12. It will be devoted to a study of the Twin City Milk Producers association, which handles 80 per cent of all the milk supplied to the Twin Cities, and to the work of the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, Inc. These two organizations probably will serve as models for co-operative associations to be organized in other states. Mr. Howard will address the crowd attending the dairy show, in the judging arena, at 2 p. m. the same day.

Attending Convention.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich is at Owatonna this week in attendance at the state convention of the Federation of Women's clubs. Mrs. Froehlich is chairman of the state thrift committee and on Friday will have charge of the part of the program devoted to thrift activities of the various clubs throughout the state.

BIG PROFIT FOR FARMERS FROM POTATO CROP

Over Two Hundred Thousand Dollars Will Be Received By County Farmers.

Fifteen Hundred Acres Devoted to Spuds With Average Yield 125 Bushels.

Lowest Price Received By Growers Association is $1.22 Per Bushel.

The potato crop of Pennington county this year is without a doubt one of the biggest money producers that the farmers have ever had. In fact it is the one branch of farming that is returning a profit this year. A conservative estimate places the amount of land in the county devoted to the rising of spuds at 1500 acres. The average yield is well over 125 bushels, which makes the total crop of the county 187,500 bushels.

Association Gets Good Price.

The members of the Pennington County Potato Growers association have 982 acres in their organization. They have already shipped thirty cars and are now shipping at the rate of three or four cars a day. The lowest price they have received is $1.22 per bushel and the highest $1.54. These prices are net to the shipper F. O. B. Thief River Falls. All of their potatoes are shipped to the Minnesota Potato Exchange at Minneapolis.

With the total yield of the county nearly 200,000 bushels, the returns to the farmers from their potatoes will be over $200,000.

Many Have Large Fields.

A number of farmers were fortunate enough to have large fields devoted to potatoes this year and in many instances the money they will realize will more than pay for their farms. Following are the names of a few with fifteen or more acres: T. Rynestad, 60 acres; Paul and Peter Engelstad, 30 acres; F. T. Satre, 25 acres; Ben Rosendahl, 40 acres; C. J. Barrett, 55 acres; Halvor Fodstad, 25 acres; Jens Letnes, 25 acres; Dan Johnson, 15 acres; Alfred Benson, 20 acres; R. J. McKercher, 30 acres; Martin Ballangrud, 40 acres; Paul Peterson, 20 acres; Carl Belswinger, 15 acres; Lloyd Crown, 62 acres; C. W. Correll, 50 acres; F. L. Comstock, 25 acres; Ole Amundson, 35 acres; Waldie Christensen, 20 acres; Bratrud & Thompson, 27 acres.

While the average yield is estimated at 125 bushels, many fields have gone away over this mark. A part of T. K. Rynestad's went 200 bushels, Peter Engelstad averaged 230 bushels on 15 acres, Ben Rosendahl's 40 acre field averaged 132 bushels, Jens Letnes had 12 acres that went 200 bushels.

Top Grade For All.

Of the thirty cars already shipped by the association not one has been rejected and the top price has been received for all of them. While some farmers will hold their potatoes for higher prices in the spring, the greater part of the crop will be shipped out this fall, thus bringing a large sum of money back into the county.

No More Wheat.

T. K. Rynestad, who has been a big wheat raiser, says he is through with that grain for all time to come. This year one three acre plot of potatoes that went 200 bushels to the acre brought him more money than he received for his wheat from a 100 acre field. He says that rye is the best small grain crop for this country and as proof of his contention he has put in 335 acres this fall.

LAND CLEARING FLEET BEGINS ANOTHER CRUISE

The university's land clearing fleet has been in action this week in Carlton county, and next week will sail for strategic points in Pine and Mille Lacs counties. The latest cruise opened Thursday, Sept. 29, and will close Oct. 14 at Hillman, Mille Lacs county. Demonstrations of the use of picric acid are being given by C. M. Fardy, a land clearing expert. The allotment to Minnesota of 744,000 pounds of the explosive has been taken and practically distributed, according to Prof. William Boss of the University Far. The original series of land clearing fleet demonstrations were held principally in St. Louis county and were a great success. The demonstrations were given in localities where the settlers had purchased picric acid and therefore had a real interest in learning how to use it. A. J. Schwantes of the University Farm was in charge of this expedition.

Mission Conference.

The Scandinavian Missionary Society of North Red River Valley will hold its annual conference at the Mission church, St. Hilaire, Oct. 12 to 16. All the ministers of the society and a number of laymen from the Mission churches of the valley will meet. The conference will commence Wednesday, the 12th, at 7:30 p. m. The following days the sessions will be at 10 a. m., 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. You are all cordially invited.

Society and Club

Girls' Community Club.

The popularity of the Girls' Com- unity club was attested at the sec- od meeting on Monday evening at e home of Mrs. Eide, Knight ave- ue, when about 75 young ladies ere present to enjoy the party, at hich the executive board and Mrs. ide were hostesses. A very inter- sting program of entertainment had een previously arranged and was arried out in a creditable manner. ne of the features of entertainment as a mock auction sale, each girl eceiving 50 navy beans, to be used s money. The early part of the eve- ing was devoted to the making of aper hats. Miss Ruth Soule delight- d the guests with a reading, to hich she graciously responded with n encore. During the course of the vening light refreshments were rved. Among the out of town uests present were Mrs. Ross V. oper of Goodhope, Ill., at one time resident of the club.

Mjeldd-Tanahill.

Miss Bertha Mjelde of this city nd Walter Tamhill of Cuba were arried on Sept. 15 at the Methodist arsonage at Grand Forks, with Rev. enry officiating. The bride is a aughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. jelde of this city and up to the me of her marriage was engaged dressmaking here. The groom is rancher in Cuba. The young cou- e have spent two weeks of their oneymoon here and will leave to- orrow evening for points in South akota to visit relatives before leav- g for Cuba to take up their resi- ence.

Entertain at Dinner.

The members of the Loyalty club, nsisting of the clerical force at Lo- n's department store, were guests a six o'clock dinner at the home Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken Tues- y evening. The honored guests ere Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dahl, who ere recently married. Places were ranged for twenty-three. Follow- wing the dinner the guests were af- rded entertainment by cutting pic- res from magazines and planning e future of Mr. and Mrs. Dahl. uring the evening the honor guests ere presented with handsome gifts a token of esteem and friendship.

Birthday Frolic.

Mrs. Gust Croveg was hostess at a lightful party at her home on Sat- day afternoon in honor of the third rthday anniversary of her daugh- r, Celeste. The hours, which were om 3 to 5, were pleasantly spent in aying children's games. Daintily fered nut baskets and place cards ere used in the luncheon appoint- ents and a large birthday cake rmed the attractive centerpiece. welve little tots were present at the rty.

Entertained.

A number of ladies were enter- ined by Mrs. P. G. Peterson at her me on Thursday afternoon. The fair was in the nature of a parcel ower for Mrs. Henry Froseth. Con- rsation and needlework made a easant afternoon and at 5:30 a de- cious lunch was served. The guests ere Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mrs. H. nyder, Mrs. Perry Froseth, Mrs. A. Johnson, Mrs. Mae Rowan and rs. F. E. Hunt.

Gangness-Lian.

On Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock the afternoon occurred the mar- age of Selmer Gangness to Miss agna Lian, both of this city. The edding took place at the Zion Lu- eran parsonage, with Rev. George arson officiating, in the presence of hn Gangness and Miss Nellie Wi- th. A reception was held at the me of the bride's parents, Mr. and rs. Lars Lian, immediately follow- g the ceremony.

Bjerk-Arnevik.

Albert Berg and Miss Marie J. rnevik, both of Holt, were married this city Saturday evening at the rinity Lutheran parsonage, with ev. T. E. Sweger officiating. The uple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. . Olson. The newlyweds left the me evening on a wedding trip to e spent in visiting relatives at Mc- tosh and Colfax, Wis., after which ey will return to Holt to make eir home.

Entertain at Game Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Julien Provencher ntertained a number of friends at game dinner at the Hotel Evelyn n Saturday noon. The guest list cluded Mrs. Ila Reynolds, Mrs. Vic- ria McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. apero, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Con- elly. On Monday noon they had as eir guests at a game dinner Mr. d Mrs. H. O. Loken and family.

Christian Endeavor Party.

The home of Miss Minnie Leavitt, iverside avenue, was the scene of a elightful party on Saturday evening hen the losing side of the attend- nce contest entertained the winners. bout twenty-five were present to njoy the various contests and games. efreshments concluded the evening's bilities.

Social Welfare Section.

The Social Welfare section of the Voman's club will meet at the home f Mrs. Andrew Craik on Horace venue Monday afternoon, Oct. 10. he hostesses will be Mrs. C. E. lines, Mrs. C. H. Jung and Mrs. raik. The meeting will be opened t 3 o'clock and a 15 cent lunch will e served at 4 o'clock.

Surprise Party.

About fourteen ladies gathered at e home of Mrs. J. H. McClelland n Monday evening to help her cele- rate her birthday anniversary. A vely lunch brought by the guests as served during the evening. The hours were spent in visiting and needlework.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The first meeting of the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms with a very good attendance. During the business session, which preceded the program, a decision was made that a tax of ten cents be imposed on each member, which sum was to be sent to the state federation as an endowment fund to be used to finance minor expenses. Mrs. P. W. Mabey gave a very interesting report of the convention at Salt Lake City in June, to which she was a delegate. A committee was appointed to draw up resolutions praising the work of Mrs. Geo. Allen, the retiring state president. The various sections of the club work for the coming year will be in charge of the following women: Musical section, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. O. F. Mellby and Mrs. Lucile Johnson; Social Welfare, Mrs. C. E. Glines; Sewing; Mrs. G. L. Sterns; cooking, Mrs. Louis Cohn; new memberships, Mrs. T. A. Way, Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. E. J. Richards. During the afternoon Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher sang "Mother O' Mine" and "An Old Fashioned Town," which were greatly appreciated. Miss Doris Halvorson favored the club with a piano solo, Greig's Sonata, Op. 7. The program was concluded by a community sing led by Miss Maude Johnson, followed by light refreshments served by the executive board. The next meeting will be held on Monday afternoon, Oct. 17. Mrs. C. O. Erickson and Miss Frances Wengler were appointed to take charge of the music and current events on national affairs will be led by Mrs. Scott Laird. The topic, "Belgium, the Brave," will have as leaders Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mrs. John Bratrud and Mrs. H. O. Chommie.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. C. H. Hallen and Miss Ruth Johnson informally entertained a few friends at cards Thursday evening at the home of the former. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Simley, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Rapnes, R. B. Stenhoff, Miss Maude Johnson, and Oscar Smith.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. E. T. Lacey entertained a few of her intimate friends at her home on Friday evening. The guests included Mrs. Viola Nepper Eide, Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, Miss Carrie Trogan, Miss Effie Hamry, Miss Lovina Adams and Miss Esther Motz.

In Honor of Mrs. Hall.

In compliment to Mrs. W. A. Hall of Rogers, Ark., who is in the city visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hall, Mrs. E. B. Bakke entertained a company of ladies at her home, 428 Riverside avenue, on Friday afternoon.

Entertains.

Mrs. A. B. Johnson of Two Harbors, who is a guest at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. S. Snyder, was honor guest at a party given by Mrs. L. A. Hermanson at her home on LaBree avenue north Saturday afternoon.

Dancing Party.

Miss Elsie Granum delightfully entertained a number of friends at her home on Knight avenue north Saturday evening. About fifteen guests were present to enjoy a program of dancing and cards.

Freshmen Have Party.

The members of the Freshman class of the Lincoln high school, with their advisor, Miss Velma Webster, enjoyed a picnic supper at Tourist's park on Tuesday evening.

Faculty to Have Picnic.

The members of the entire teaching staff of the local schools are planning a picnic to be given at Lovers' Lane this evening.

City News

Dr. Jennie M. Eastman spent Wednesday at Oklee on a professional call.

Hjalmer Nelson of Gatzke was in the city the first of the week on business.

Ed. Stovern of McIntosh was here Tuesday and Wednesday calling on friends.

Mae Johnson of Greenbush arrived on Monday for a brief visit with friends.

T. Olson of Crookston spent Tuesday in the city attending to business matters.

A. T. Anderson of Strandquist called on a number of local friends Tuesday.

R. A. Butler and Oscar Wilson of Williams were business callers here on Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Kleppe of Newfolden spent Tuesday in this city with friends.

Supt. and Mrs. I. T. Simley and children motored to Oklee on Sunday to visit friends.

Mrs. L. C. Hegstad of Haug arrived on Saturday and spent a brief time visiting friends, enroute to Grafton, N. D.

Dr. Bren and N. J. Black of Warren were in the city on Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. M. C. Westerlund of Drayton, N. D., was the gust of friends here on Monday.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who teaches at Goodridge, visited at her home here over Sunday.

John Sorenson and John Remmem of Rosewood were business callers in the city on Friday.

Martin Berg returned to his home at Badger Tuesday, having spent a day here on business.

Mrs. M. Anderson of Rainy River, Ont., was in the city on Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends.

Ole Larson of Grygla motored to this city the latter part of last week and spent a day on business.

Vern Hamilton of Inkster, N. D., returned to her home yesterday after a brief visit with friends here.

Chas. Munn, manager of the local Standard Oil filling station, spent the week-end visiting at Crookston.

Mrs. Richard Sjoberg of Middle River was among the many out of town shoppers here on Saturday.

Richard Hornseth, who had spent two weeks at Grand Forks, returned to this city on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. A. Johnson and Mrs. John Jevning of Pitt were in the city on Monday receiving medical treatment.

Harold Provencher, who had spent several days here with his family, returned to Grand Forks on Saturday.

E. H. Peterson and Melvin Larson of Baudette spent a couple of days the first of the week here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McCaffrey of Crookston spent Tuesday as guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. S. J. Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Johnson of McVille, N. D., spent a few days here the first of the week as the guests of friends.

Miss Marie O'Brien, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting friends here, returned to her home at Greenbush yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilson returned to their home at Clifford, N. D., yesterday after a two weeks' visit with friends here.

T. A. Way, who had spent a few days attending to business matters in the Twin Cities, returned the latter part of last week.

Berry's Studio is now open Sundays. As the holiday season is drawing near it will be well to start your Christmas photographs early. O-20

Miss Violet Johnson returned to her home at Rolette, N. D., yesterday, having spent a couple of days here attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Evenson of Albert Lea are in the city as guests at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Froseth.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and baby of Mavie were in the city yesterday as guests at the home of the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Mrs. G. Phillipson and daughter, Miss Marie, of Middle River, were guests at the home of their sister and daughter, Mrs. A. Burringrud, on Saturday.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. A. Shedlov drove to Plummer yesterday, where they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren.

G. P. Daily, state examiner of banks, spent last week in this city on business. He left last Friday for his home at East Grand Forks to spend the week-end.

H. W. Hinrichs, manager of the local J. C. Penney store, returned on Tuesday morning from the Twin Cities, where he had been in attendance at a district convention of Penney store managers.

Chas. and Geo. Diebel of Milton, N. D., were callers here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson and Mrs. Oscar Williams motored to Grand Forks on Saturday and spent a short time visiting at the home of the latter's daughter, Mrs. Ed. Doland.

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Miss Ruth Vik of Strandquist was here Saturday visiting friends.

E. H. Baker of Strathcona was a business caller here on Monday.

F. J. Hoyez of Warroad visited with friends here over Sunday.

H. F. Booren of Plummer was a business caller here on Tuesday.

Walford Swanson of Stephen was a business caller here on Friday.

Mrs. H. W. Ellis was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.—Holt News.

Theo. Hilleboe of Warren made a business trip to this city on Friday.

Emil Olson of Strandquist called on local friends Friday and Saturday.

Ben Fisher came down from Newfolden on Friday to transact business.

Jake Peters of Shelley was in the city on Friday attending to business matters.

Alvin Norton of Roosevelt called on friends here the latter part of last week.

I. A. Sunset of Roseau was a business caller here the latter part of last week.

C. L. Lundgren and W. H. Koss of Hallock spent Thursday in the city on business.

Miss Tillie Hobson of Steiner was the guest of friends here on Friday and Saturday.

Lars Kleppe of Newfolden attended to business affairs here Friday and Saturday.

Martin Sjostrand came down from Strandquist on Friday to attend to business affairs.

L. G. Houske of Halstad attended to business matters here the latter part of last week.

Allison Stitt left Friday night for Minneapolis, where he visited with friends over Sunday.

Mrs. Mae Rowan went to Argyle Thursday morning and spent the day visiting her parents.

James and F. J. Koranda, both of Pitt, were in the city on Thursday visiting with friends.

E. Fossum left Saturday afternoon for Fargo, where he visited with friends over Sunday.

Misses Clara Fellman and Irene Peterson of St. Hilaire were shoppers here on Thursday.

Miss Marie Thill returned Friday morning from a brief visit with relatives at Red Lake Falls.

C. E. Lundgren of Viking spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends here.

L. A. Lampert returned Sunday Sunday morning from a two days' business trip to the Twin Cities.

Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge spent Friday in the city attending to shopping and also visiting friends.

Miss Hilda Erickson left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend several days visiting with friends.

J. Eberstrom and Herbert Olson of Bronson were in the city on Friday attending to matters of business.

J. A. Lundgren of Williams spent Thursday in the city visiting friends and attending to business matters.

Julius Allen of Alvarado arrived here on Thursday to spend a couple of days attending to business matters.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton returned this week from Minneapolis, where she had spent some time visiting relatives.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer left on Tuesday for Grand Forks, where she will spend a week visiting at her home.

Rolfe Rasmuson left Tuesday evening for St. Paul, where he will attend the St. Paul School of Law this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen of Viking were in the city on Saturday, guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herron.

Miss Lois Wold, kindergarten instructor, spent the week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. Cora Wold, at Grand Forks.

Miss Ina Motz returned to Fargo Tuesday afternoon, having spent the week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. Emma Motz.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Garvey, formerly proprietors of the Brumund hotel, made a brief visit with friends here on Saturday.

Craig Halvorson returned Monday morning from Crookston, where he had spent the week-end as the guest of Lloyd Peterson.

Mrs. A. Skarstad of Argyle spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum.

Miss Esther Lindberg of Adams, N. D., returned to her home yesterday after a few days spent here attending to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer have as their guests Mrs. Booren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Malloy of Stillwater.

Atty. Ira Richardson was down from Thief River Falls for a brief visit with friends Tuesday evening.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Landahl of Little Falls are guests at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nielai.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hanson of New York Mills arrived Saturday evening for a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson.

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Miss Thelma Christianson returned Monday morning from Minneapolis, where she had spent a couple of days receiving optical treatment.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughters, Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, Mrs. C. F. Brantner and Margaret, were shoppers and visitors here on Saturday.

Mrs. Berg and the five lady teachers of the Middle River schools drove to Thief River Falls Saturday in the Berg Ford.—Middle River Pioneer.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mrs. W. H. Akre and Mrs. Ted Hunt drove to Crookston Wednesday for a brief visit with friends.

Kern Olson of Thief River Falls is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Olson, Ninth street and Park avenue, for a few days.—Bemidji Sentinel.

Ed. Ness and daughter, Miss Betsy, who had spent a few days visiting with relatives and friends at Grand Forks, returned to this city Friday morning.

Mrs. J. R. Herrick and two children of Warren were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn. Mrs. Herrick and Mrs. McGinn are sisters.

Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill., arrived Saturday morning for a month's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, at Burr Oaks farm.

Francis Burns, accompanied by Misses Lucille Burns and Edna Ryff, left on Saturday by car for Warroad, where they visited over Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan left last Thursday evening on a two weeks' vacation, which will be spent in visiting friends and relatives at Milwaukee, Chicago and Kenosha.

Miss Margaret Johnson, who had visited with friends and relatives at Fisher and Grand Forks, returned Friday morning. She left Saturday morning for her home at Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Christianson of Henning arrived Friday evening and spent several days as guests at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson.

Mrs. M. B. Knutson and daughter, Miss Betsey, of Fisher returned to their home on Monday afternoon, having made an over Sunday visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Ole Legvold.

Phillip Larson, who has spent the past year at Des Lacs, N. D., where he was employed in a bank, returned to this city last week. He has accepted a position with the First National bank here.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster, accompanied by Miss Dorothy Bottelson, who is teaching at that place, motored over here on Saturday. Miss Bottelson remained over Sunday for a visit at her home.

Miss Beatrice Derby of Red Lake Falls attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Mrs. Iver Ringdal and daughter, Marie, og McVille, N. D., were here on Monday seeking medical treatment for the latter. They left Monday for Roseau to visit relatives for several days before returning home.

M. Vaughan of St. Paul was a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Daniel Shaw, on Wednesday evening, leaving Thursday morning for Baudette to visit his sister Miss Marie, who is engaged in teaching at that place.

Ed. Lambert of Red Lake Falls drove here on Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting at the Finberg home. Mr. and Mrs. Lambert (nee Rhoda Finberg) left Monday for Red Lake Falls, where they will establish their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. VanHorssen and daughter, Marion, who had spent a week visiting at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. L. R. Johnston, returned to their home at Ayrshire, Ia., on Sunday. The entire trip was made by car.

Roy, Bernard and Math Barzen motored to Grand Forks Sunday morning for a visit with friends. Returning they were accompanied by Misses Lois Wold and Ruth Soule, who had spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Word has been received by friends here of the death of Helen, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Stauff from infantile paralysis. Death occurred on Sept. 6 at Everett, Wash. The Stauffs are former residents of this city.

Mrs. Trine Aalberg left Thursday evening for Winona, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Miss Florence, who is engaged in teaching there. Mrs. Aalberg has rented her house furnished to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gobler.

James E. Furr left Sunday night for Minneapolis, where he will remain for an indefinite period to receive treatment from the U. S. public health service in an effort to overcome physical injury incurred during serivce in the World war.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and Mrs. W. H. BonDurant motored to Grand Forks Sunday to visit the former's parents. Returning they were accompanied by Mrs. C. M. Horackle of Indianapolis, Ind., Mrs. Fisher's sister, who will spend two weeks as her guest.

Mrs. Betsy Miller left last week for Nashwauk, where she will spend some time visiting her daughter, Miss Ella, who is engaged in teaching at that place. Later she will go to Breckenridge, where Miss Merrian, another daughter, is teaching.

E. O. Mogensen left Sunday night for Minneapolis, where he spent several days attending to fall and winter buying of merchandise for his store. He made the return trip in C. L. Hansen's new car, recently purchased. Mrs. Mogensen, who had spent a couple of weeks in the cities visiting relatives, accompanied him home.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will serve another chicken pie supper in the basement of the church on Friday, Oct. 14, beginning at 5 o'clock. This supper is being given by request due to the fact that a great number of people could not be served at the last supper. The crowd was larger than was expected which accounted for the chicken supply giving out. The ladies guarantee that everyone who comes will get chicken on Friday.—O-6-13

Mrs. J. O. Yotter left Sunday for points in Missouri, where she will spend some time visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vorachek returned home Tuesday after having spent a week at Grafton and Fordville, N. D. At the latter place Mr. Vorachek looked after the threshing operations on one of his farms.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Ebert of Thief River Falls, who have been visiting E. N. Ebert and family for a few days, returned to their home Monday. Miss Josie Ebert of Charles City, remained in Bemidji for a longer visit.—Bemidji Sentinel.

Mrs. Cora Wold is expected to arrive by car today from Grand Forks for a brief visit with her daughter, Miss Lois, who teaches in the kindergarten. She will return on Saturday, accompanied by her daughter and Miss Lucille Burns, who will spend a day or two at the Forks.

Jules Ellingboe, Crookston's premier racer and fast becoming a nationally known auto driver, made a new world's record on a half mile track Saturday at Memphis, Tenn., when he drove one mile in one minute, one and two-fifths seconds. Besides making a new record he won all the races in an auto meet held there. Ellingboe also won second place at the Steel corporation at Indianapolis on Wednesday. His next big race is at Los Angeles on Thanksgiving Day.—Norman County Herald. Mr. Ellingboe is a cousin of Miss Lottie Aust of this city.

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Young men and women with a knowledge of bookkeeping, banking, business methods, shorthand, and typewriting are wanted. Wages are high and the chances for promotion are excellent. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out how little it costs to prepare.

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C. U. Penney,
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New "Kayser" Glove Silk Hose at per pair	$4.00

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SAVE SEED CORN NOW.

Northwestern Minnesota generally and Pennington county particularly are going to have the best corn crop in years. The season has been most propitious and the yield is perhaps the largest in the section's history as a corn producer. Even the seed drilled in for fodder is bearing ears of the finest quality, something rather unusual for this section.

Now is the time to secure that hardy, home-grown seed that is so desirable. The farmer who overlooks this opportunity to improve the quality and increase the quantity of native seed corn is not doing his full duty either to himself or the community.

When husking your corn, save out the best ears for seed. The others will do just as well to sell or for feed; nothing but the very best should be saved for propagation. In this manner there will in a very short time be developed a strain of corn that will stand the punishment during a summer when conditions for it production are not so good. This plan should be followed out year after year until northern Minnesota corn is a fixture—a product on which as much dependence can be placed as on the smaller grains.

The farmer who regards this as a matter of but slight importance is making a great mistake. There is at least one farmer in Pennington county who has raised corn during the past eight seasons, and he has only one failure to report, and that but partial. He accomplished this by careful seed selection. Others can do the same.

The Tribune is published this week by the new owner, J. S. Arneson. The first issue carries the announcement that Mr. Arneson as editor and publisher is to be assisted in the publication of The Tribune by S. V. Arneson, a brother, who is associate editor. The new publisher and his assistant are to be congratulated upon their first issue and The Times extends to them a cordial welcome upon their entry into the newspaper field of Thief River Falls.

Our streets are being paved—now the slogan is "A New Great Northern Station." With the training the "boosters" have had in the paving matter the securing of a little thing like a new depot ought to be easy.

AROUND THE STATE

The young men of this generation are burning the midnight oil—but it is cylinder oil. Bemidji Sentinel.

There are no pay checks issued to those who put in days and weeks of time to make the Chippewa county fair a success. It is a labor of love for which rewards are not expected. It is not out of the way, however, to let the members of the fair board and their assistants know their efforts are appreciated. Majority opinion has it that the fair which closed last Friday was a credit to the community. If you agree with that opinion wouldn't it be a good idea to tell the officials so?—Montevideo News.

Fame came quickly to F. Julian McGill, vice president of the Minneapolis Street Car company. He has $11,000 worth of booze seized in transit from Chicago by the prohib. probers. This should be made Exhibit "C" in the case to increase the street car fares. How can a mere v. p. exist on a beer [illegible]—St. Cloud Journal.

The eyes of the state will be on this case. Will position and wealth be shown any favors?—Fairmont Sentinel.

Young men and young women, if you think that these are hard times, talk to your father or your mother, or your grandpa and grandma about the time when they came out here and settled on these then barren prairies, and let them tell you what they went through. Let them tell you of the things that they went without, and the time that they had in getting the things that they actually needed—and, say, kid, if you do that you will find that you know about as much about hard times as a hog does about heaven!—Minneota Mascot.

Take it from us that when it comes to playing politics the wisest old fox in the state is Frank A. Day of the Fairmont Sentinel. He still possesses the cunning and the astuteness which made it possible for him to give Minnesota the best governor the state ever had, the late John A. Johnson. Right now Frank Day has a new trick up his sleeve—a plan to capture the United States senatorship in Minnesota for the democratic party next year. He suggests the nomination of Mrs. Peter Oleson as a candidate for U. S. senator. No woman in the state is better known in the game of politics than is Mrs. Oleson, and as Mr. Day says, "stranger things have happened than that she, running on the right kind of a platform, would sweep the state high and dry." Naturally, much would depend on who her republican opponent would be. So Mr. Day undertakes to prepare the way for Mrs. Oleson as the democratic candidate by in all seriousness advising the republicans to nominate Congressman Sidney Anderson for senator. If the republican party desires to bring about a landslide for Mrs. Oleson as candidate for senator, following Mr. Day's advice will surely do it.—Levang's Weekly.

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Churches

Christian Science services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock at the city auditorium. Subject Oct. 9, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. This room is open for a reading room on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Service in Thorvick at 11 a. m. The confirmants will meet after service. Service in the Bethlehem church at 3 p. m. Communion at both places. O. I. Raaum, Pastor.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—English services at 10:30. Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. Mrs. Aug. Krause will entertain.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday morning in Swedish. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. Services in American at 7:45 p. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Confirmants read every Saturday at 2 p. m. in church basement.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 9: 9:45 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship. 8 p. m., evening worship. The Young People's choir provides special music for every service. 3 p. m. Junior C. E. 7 p. m., C. E.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 9: German services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. English services at 3 p. m. at Germantown. English services at 8 p. m. at Erie.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Rev. E. F. Seagren will speak Friday (tomorrow) at 8 p. m. Next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11. Communion at 12:15. Evening service at 7:30. Eileen Lindberg will speak on mission work in Venezuela. Ladies' Aid will meet at the church on Wednesday, Oct. 12, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. E. Pearson and Mrs. Alf. Johnson will entertain. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. All are welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—The Young People's League entertains the teachers of the public schools in the church parlors Friday evening, Oct. 7. Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine service in Norwegian with communion Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Choir practice at the church every Thursday evening at 7:30 The Ladies' Aid Society meets in the church parlors Thursday, Oct. 13, entertained by Mesdames Nels Larson, Albert Engen, Hans Hermanson and Erling Dahl. The Young People's League holds a regular meeting the same evening.

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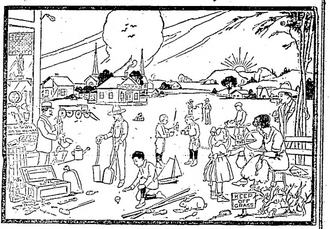

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6th "	10.00	75.00	150.00
7th "	7.50	40.00	80.00
8th "	5.00	30.00	60.00
9th "	3.00	20.00	40.00
10th "	2.00	15.00	30.00
11th "	2.00	15.00	30.00
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2. All answers must be mailed by Oct. 22, 1921.

3. Answers should be written on one side of the paper only and words numbered consecutively: 1, 2, 3, etc. Write your full name and address on each page, in the upper right hand corner. If you desire to write anything else, use a separate sheet.

4. Only words found in the English Dictionary will be counted. Do not use hyphenated, compound or obsolete words. Use either the singular or plural but where the plural is used, the singular cannot be counted, and vice versa.

5. Words of the same spelling can be used only once, even though used to designate different objects. The same object can be named only once; however, any part of the object may also be named.

6. The answer having the largest and nearest correct list of names of visible objects shown in the picture that begin with the letter "S," will be awarded first prize, etc. Neatness, style, or handwriting have no bearing on deciding the winners.

7. Candidates may co-operate in answering the puzzle, but only one prize will be rewarded to any one household; nor will prizes be awarded to more than one of any group outside of the family, where two or more have been working together.

8. In the event of a tie for any prize offered, the full amount of such prize will be paid to each participant.

9. All answers will receive the same consideration, regardless of whether or not a subscription for The St. Paul Dispatch or Pioneer Press is sent in.

10. There will be three independent judges, having no connection with The Dispatch or Pioneer Press, who will judge the answers submitted and award the prizes at the end of the puzzle game and participants agree to accept the decision of the judges as final and conclusive.

11. The judges will meet on Wednesday, Nov. 2, 1921, and the announcement of the prize winners and correct list of words will be published in The Dispatch and Pioneer Press just as quickly thereafter as possible.

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A Word of Greeting.

With this issue of The Progress the regular staff takes charge. The two issues that have been issued so far this year have been largely the work of the faculty. Many favorable comments have been heard on the merits of these issues, and it is with some diffidence that we, the students, take charge. We are permitted to assure our readers, however, that members of the faculty will continue to give The Progress their moral and material support. With this assurance on their part as well as our interest and determination we hope to maintain the high standard already established.

May we take this opportunity of soliciting contributions and kindly *criticism from* the high school students, both past and present? We invite your suggestion as to how we can be of maximum service to you. We similarly invite the suggestions of all patrons and friends. We feel our position is one of service and not one of dictatorship. Make known to us your wishes, therefore, and help us in this way to realize our aim and ambition as we have already pointed them out.

Too Many Absences.

During the month of September the number of absences was so great that it was a serious handicap to good work. On some days last week there were forty and fifty students absent. The law gives school authorities no means of compelling high school students to attend school. It is clearly up to the students and the parents to remedy the situation.

The absentees are not only injuring themselves, but they are a serious hindrance to the progress of other students who come regularly. When a student is absent for a day he is unprepared the following day and as a result class time is wasted in calling upon such students to recite. The teachers are always ready to help those who have been absent for a good reason, but with so many absent it is practically impossible to do effective make-up work. Consequently, from now on only those students will be permitted to make up their work who present satisfactory excuses from their parents immediately after being absent. Work should not be considered a legitimate excuse to stay out of school. If parents and students could only realize that each day of school work has a strong bearing upon the success of the student they would be more careful. Do you realize that a student who gets an average daily grade of 80 per cent for eighteen days and failures for just two days has his grade lowered to 72 per cent for the month? Just take a piece of paper and pencil and figure it out. Take eighteen grades of 80 per cent and two grades of 0 per cent and take an average. Just one absence lowers such a grade 4 per cent. The student who has been absent several times during the month is almost certain to fail in his examinations, which will lower his grade still more. We so often hear students and parents speaking of teachers failing the student. It would be far more correct to say that the student failed himself.

Failures soon discourage any boy or girl and it is only a matter of time when that boy or girl leaves school. We rarely have a boy or girl who is making good leave school. The parents can help their boys and girls succeed by giving them an opportunity to attend school every day.

Students and parents, may we have you hearty co-operation in improving attendance, thereby helping every boy and girl make a success of his or her high school years?—M. P. R.

Physical Training.

Physical training is an important factor in the development of the growing generation. This fact is, however, generally under-estimated. This can be readily understood by studying the effects which this training has upon the body. The space allotted to this article is far too small to take up this question in detail, so it will be discussed but briefly.

First of all, we ask what effect it has on the muscles, bones and nerves. Muscles comprise from forty to fifty per cent of the weight of the body. Under exercise the muscles gain in efficiency, change in function and structure and increase in number. Bones become larger and firmer and the muscular attachments become stronger. Nerves change in form but not in number, the cells branch out, and the nerves themselves transmit impulses more rapidly.

By stimulating the circulation, exercise not only builds up tissues but cleans waste products from the brain and nerve cells and therefore has a marked effect on the mental powers. In other words the mental alertness of a student is increased.

In performing a physical training exercise the respiration becomes faster and deeper and this draws the blood from the big arteries, and the contraction of the muscles forces the blood from the small veins into the large; thus the rate and volume of circulation is increased.

Rev. Barackman Speaks at General Assembly.

Rev. R. L. Barackman gave a very interesting talk before the general assembly last Wednesday. His subject was the life and work of Frances E. Willard, the eighty-third anniversary of whose birth fell on that day.

Rev. Barackman pictured very vividly the early years and struggles of this since famous woman, the adversities of poverty, and her thirst for knowledge. She had very few opportunities to attend religious services. The school she attended could not in any way compare with those of today, and a library was unknown to her. The only books she had to read were the Bible, Pilgrim's Progress and Shakespeare.

Life on the farm became irksome. One day she exclaimed to her sister, "I wonder when we can get out of here and learn something." Then came the opportunity to attend Evanston University. She plunged into her work with a will. At graduation she was valedictorian of her class.

At this critical time she was taken ill with typhoid and for days there was doubt as to her recovery. In the dark hours of her illness she had come to see that service to God was the highest ideal to be attained. That was the first great crisis of her life.

Her ability along educational lines was recognized and she became Professor of Aesthetics and Dean of Women at Evanston University.

The second great crisis of her life came in 1874 at the time of the crusade against drink. She received an offer of a lucrative position with a noted girls' school and a second offer to join the Women's Christian Temperance Union. She chose the roughest path and for years traveled the length and breadth of the country in a campaign against liquor. For six years she was president of the Union and her well directed efforts were a large factor leading to the eighteenth amendment. To her must be given the honor of being the first woman to influence to any great extent such political affairs as the passage of the equal suffrage law, the anti-drug law, the child welfare and anti-cigarette laws.

Frances E. Willard achieved a place in the history of her sex which will shine ever brighter as the years go by, and will be an encouragement to others who would follow the same road. Her success was due to one thing: She chose to serve instead of being served.—A. S. '24.

Pep Meeting.

Last Thursday afternoon at the close of school the students gathered in the assembly to "pep up" for the game with Red Lake Falls on Saturday. Coach Stenhoff took charge of the meeting. First he illustrated on the board and explained the main points of the game. This was done particularly for the benefit of such pupils as did not have sufficient knowledge of the game to follow it intelligently. That there will occasionally be found such a student is exemplified by the remark made by one of our girls at a game last year when she remarked: "How many times do they have to go down the field, anyway?"

After the principles of the game had been briefly explained, roll of the members of the team was called. Each player responded by rising. A hearty cheer was given each one. The meeting was brought to a close when Nora Lindquist, who was assistant yell leader last year, led the assembly in a few snappy yells.

Junior Class Meeting.

Miss Leavitt's room last Wednesday afternoon was the scene of a Junior class meeting, called for the purpose of electing a new class advisor. To fill this important office Miss Soule was unanimously elected. It was discovered that Miss Soule had served in this capacity on several former occasions with marked success. The Juniors feel, therefore, that they were very fortunate in their selection.

An assistant treasurer in the person of Olive Lonson was also unanimously elected, as was Lucille Curtis as class reporter for The Progress.

Freshmen Organize.

The freshmen held their first class meeting Sept. 26 at 4 o'clock. The following officers were elected: President, Emmett Shanahan; vice president, Katherine Barzen; secretary, Hilda Ness; treasurer, Maurice Holzknecht; sergeants-at-arms, Thomas Scanlan and Bernice Erickson; class advisor, Miss Webster.

Seniors Meet.

A meeting of the Senior class was held on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Miss Chamberlain's room. At the meeting it was decided to postpone the teachers' reception from Oct. 7 to Oct. 14 as a reception is to be given to the teachers by the Young Peoples League of the Trinity Lutheran church on the former date. The names of the members chosen for the Prowler staff were announced and approved by the class. Myrtle Myrin was chosen class reporter for The High School Progress.

Debate Club Organized.

The Debate Forum of the Thief River Falls high school, which was organized last year under the directorship of Mr. L. N. Pierce, has resumed activities this year with Miss Chamberlain as coach. The club, which thus far consists of left over members from last year's Forum, meets every Thursday evening to study the principles of debate and to acquire some practical experience in public speaking. Practice debates on various subjects are being engaged in until material on the state question arrives.

The state question this year is, "Resolved, That the United States government should regulate by direct control the price of fuel commodities in peace time, constitutionality granted." Debate enthusiasts will welcome this news as they will naturally be able to support their team more loyally when the issue is one of direct interest than if it but remotely affected them.

The first debate will be held the last Friday in October or later. The schedule has not yet been made out, but the time and place of the first debate will be announced as soon as possible.—O. H. '23.

East Grand Forks Here Next Saturday.

You have now had a taste of football and you have seen what our team can do. We are proud of our team. It ought to be the resolve of each one of us to give our boys all the help we can. Our presence at the games helps in a financial way. More than that, it gives our boys courage and spurs the men to maximum efforts. Let's be there again on Saturday, therefore, to help them win another victory.

Red Lake vs. Thief River.

Scoring six touchdowns, the Thief River Falls high school team opened the 1921 season by defeating the high school aggregation from Red Lake Falls last Saturday afternoon on the local grid-iron. The final score was 38 to 13. Red Lake Falls scored both its touchdowns on eighty yard dashes after intercepting the pig-skin on the kick-off. These were the only two spectacular plays of the game.

The playing was somewhat ragged as was to be expected so early in the season, but the local boys proved to the fans that they possess the makings of a first class team. The game was strictly clean throughout, both teams showing that they were clean, true sportsmen. Perry Johnson lived up to his reputation as an efficient official.

"Ernie" Barzen, "Rusty" Anderson and "Stan" Sorenson in the backfield gained ground consistently. "Stan" did particularly effective work. "Rusty" proved himself a bulwark on defense as well as on offense, while "Ernie" could always be relied upon for a gain in the line smashes. He also did good work on the punt. "Bob" McGinn at quarter used rare judgment for so young and inexperienced a player.

The ground gained by the backs, however, cannot be credited to them alone, for the line was always on the job opening up holes for their teammates. Capt. Herron and Roy Holmgren at tackles did creditable work for defense. LaBree's passing at center was good and proved that he was fast developing into a strong pivot man. Vorlicky, "Mat" Barzen and Craig Halvorson at guards kept the opponents from gaining ground through the center of the line, and with two exceptions the ends, Sether, Hendry and Bischoff, kept the opposing team from skirting the ends.

The exhibition was far from discouraging. It is now known that great things can be expected from the team before the season is over.

Annual Already Under Way.

Anything that is to be well done must not be done in too much of a hurry. In accordance with this principle a meeting of the Senior class officers has already been held for the purpose of electing a staff to publish the Annual which is put out by the Seniors each year. The personnel of the staff is as follows:

Editor in chief, Gregory Wertlein; associate editor in chief, Nora Lindquist; business manager, Lloyd Alness; literary editor, Milton Larson; associate literary editor, Mildred Loftness; Jokes editor, William Alexander; kodak and snapshots, Ruby Bennes; society editor, Sybil McGinn; art editor, Paul Halseth; assistant art editor, August Langseth; athletics editor, William McGinnity; assistant athletics editor, Pearl Sheller; music editor, Helen Langseth; alumni editors, Lillian Knight, Doris Richter, Miss Goldie Stebbins; compilation board, Miss Chamberlain, class advisor, Helen Warner, John Hendry and Forest Ralston.

This staff expects to organize similar sub-staffs in the other three classes. With their co-operation they are hoping to put out the best and most interesting annual ever published by any high school in the state. The preliminary work has already been started and the staff expects to have the annual on the market by the first of May. The business end of the undertaking will have particular attention.—G. W. '22.

Teacher Training Notes.

Various were the noises which escaped from Miss Perry's room last Tuesday when the girls initiated their pitch pipes in music class.

Selma Newton, Augusta Belswinger, Amanda Skomedal and Sarah Sanders spent the past week-end at their respective homes.

Observation work was commenced at the Northrop school on Tuesday last.

Johanna Wedul was hostess at a party at the R. H. Ross home Saturday evening. Girls from the training department were the guests.

Celia: (In geography class) "The sun strikes the earth at the equator." That must have been one of those hot days last summer, Celia.

Central Notes.

The following pupils of the seventh grade have been neither absent nor tardy last month:

Lena Amon, Alvin Arneson, Leona Bakke, Raymond Bakke, Earl Benson, Gladys Bergstrom, Earl Bessler, LeRoy Bidler, Alfred Cloutier, Ellen Crandall, Erling Dahlen, Luella Erickson, Theresa Fuller, Helen Griebstein, Julia Grolid, Luella Harris, Irene Hanson, Esther Helland, Elwood Hinrichs, Maverette Hilson, Harry Heglin, George Johnson, Lillian Johnson, Edmund Keene, Alice Kinsela, Charlotte Korstad, Jean Leach, Mabel Malafa, Ethel Myrin, Einar Nyborg, Edna Novak, Goldie Olson, Mabel Olson, Marie Olson, Ruth Quammen, Eleanor Quist, Marion Reynolds, Delton Rhodes, Evangeline Robarge, Eugene Richter, Arthur Sorlum, Henry Schwart, Selmer Severson, Mabel Stearns, Dorothy Swedenburg, Raymond Wengeler, Dorothy Webskowski, Lois Wikel.

The following eighth graders have perfect attendance for the last month:

Ruby Anseby, Galen Adkins, Mary Alexander, Verna Becker, Stella Borgen, Francis Conklin, Elva Effinger, Altha Gabrielson, Dorothy Haney, Leonard Helgeland, Mabel Hendrickson, Naomi Hinrichs, Sina Johnson, Julia Johnson, Mabel Johnson, Mary Kassa, June Knutson, Walter Larson, Grace Mostue, John Mostue, Loretta Mulry, Norton Nelson, Margaret Roark, Francis Shanahan, Nettie Sjoberg, Millicent Sweger, Sylvia Torkelson, Bella Vigness, Elsie Vorseth, Salome Wikel, Thorston Williamson.

Rev. Barackman and Superintendent Simley have spoken before the student body the last week.

Personals and Jokes.

Sybil McGinn and Bessie Elofson were excused from their classes Friday morning, and Grace Craik and Boletta Sanden were excused in the afternoon so that they might assist the War Risk board.

The English III classes were discussing the characteristics of an old friar who would borrow money from his friends and in return would pray for their souls.

Cleon to Lorrayne C.: "Hey, there, Lorrayne, gimme a nickel and I'll pray for your soul."

Bob and Margaret were holding an animated though whispered conversation.

Mr. Harner: "Hey, there, you two. What do you think you are doing anyway—going into the banking business together?"

Mr. Harner: "Sit up there, Cleon. It's better for your circulation and you won't go crazy half so soon."

Teacher: "What are the industries of Canada?"

Bright Student: "Gold mining, cattle grazing, fishing and moonshining."

A Junior: "I nominate Stenhoff for class advisor."

Marie L.: "What does she teach?"

Allison: "This seat is broken."

Teacher: "Why tell me? I'm not running an iron foundry."

Administration's Corner

School Statistics For the Month of September 1920 and 1921.

Figures and statistics are more interesting and mean more when given in comparison. Consequently we are giving figures for the month of September 1920 and 1921.

Enrollment.

	1920	1921
High school	352	352
Eighth grade	109	92
Seventh grade	101	127
Sixth grade	122	127
Fifth grade	130	123
Fourth grade	119	132
Third grade	120	140
Second grade	142	148
First grade	139	146
Kindergarten	64	77
Total	1398	1451

Employes.

	1920	1921
Teachers	56	51
Administration	4	4
Janitors	5	5
Transportation	1	1
Total	66	61

Pay Roll for Month.

1920	1921
$9,188.32	$8,411.59

Men's Tailoring
All wool and made to order.
SUITS or OVERCOATS
$29.50
Guaranteed Style, Fit and Fabrics.
J. B. SIMPSON
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The representative will be at the Evelyn Hotel all day Saturday, this week only. Inquire at desk.

Don't Lose Interest In Your Savings
HERE is the plan that nearly all successful savers follow. You can do it. And it works.
Instead of saving what is left at the end of the week or month, they take out a part of their earnings and put it into a Savings Account, then they manage on what is left.
Try this and make a nice deposit before October 10th. It will draw interest from October 1st.
The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Double your savings—it CAN be done.

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J. C. Penney Co. A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION Incorporated 312 DEPARTMENT STORES
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Ladies' Wool Golf Hose $1.25
Misses' Golf Hose 98c
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Ladies' Fleece Hose 29c
Heather Hose 98c to $1.69
Cream Wool Union Suits $2.98
Women's Fleece Union Suits 98c
Heavy Fleece Union Suits $1.69
Ladies' White Rib Union Suits $1.25
Fleeced Vests and Pants 89c
Misses' Union Suits 79c 89c 98c
Children's Heavy Cotton Hose 25c
Home Knit Wool Hose $1.25
Lady-Like Corsets 98c $1.69 $1.98 $2.49
Model Brassieres, all sizes 49c
FALL SHOES
Men's Dress Shoes, black or brown, medium or English toes 3.98 4.50 4.98 5.90 7.90
Men's Work Shoes 1.98 2.98 3.50 5.90 6.90
Women's Oxfords and Pumps 3.98 4.50 4.98 5.90
Women's Dress Shoes 3.49 3.98 4.98 5.90 6.50
Women's Comfort Shoes 2.49 2.98 3.50
Girls' School Shoes 1.98 2.25 2.49 2.98
Boys' School Shoes 2.25 2.69 2.98 3.50
Infants' Shoes 98c 1.19 1.39 1.69 1.98
Soft Sole Shoes 69c
Men's Mackinaws $8.90 $9.90 $12.50
Boys' Mackinaws $4.98 $6.90 $7.90
Men's Flannel Shirts 1.49 1.98 2.25 2.98
Leather Vests 4.98 5.90 6.90 7.90
Heavy Wool Hose 29c 39c 58c 79c 98c
Men's All Wool Union Suits $4.50
Men's Half Wool Union Suits $2.98
Men's Fleeced Shirts and Drawers 75c
Boys' Union Suits 79c 89c 98c
Boys' Home Knit Wool Hose $1.25
Jersey Sweaters 2.49 and 1.98
Heavy Sweaters 2.49 to 4.98
NEW FALL DRAPERIES
36 inch Colored Cretonnes 19c, 25c, 32c, 39c
Colored Madras Overdrapes 39c and 49c
Filet Nets 69c, 89c, $1.25, $1.69
Scrims and Voiles 25c, 39c and 49c
Marquisettes and Sursses 29c, 39c and 49c
BLANKETS AND COMFORTS
72x84 All Wool Blankets $11.50
Nashua Wool Nap Plaid Blankets $3.98 to $4.98
Cotton Blankets $1.98, $2.25, $2.49, $2.98
72x90 Bed Comforts $2.98 and $3.98
BEAUTIFUL NEW RUGS
9x12 Norwood Wilton Rug $37.50
9x12 Wilston Velvet Seamless $34.75
9x12 Seamless Velvet Rug $29.75
9x12 Seamless Axminister Rug $32.50
9x12 Liberty Axminister $24.75
9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs $14.75
9x10½ Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs $12.50
9x9 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs $10.90
9x7½ Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs $8.90
9x6 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs $6.90
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ROSEWOOD

Farmers Hold Flour Meeting.

special meeting of the Rosewood pera" club was called at Rose school building last Saturday ing to consider the co-operative hase of a carload of wheat flour feed. The only price estimate hand at the meeting was that of Hanson & Barzen Milling com ho offered through their local t, James Thompson, an attrac reduction in carload lots. The was laid on the table, however, Swen Swenson was appointed to her investigate the prices from ous concerns before an order is ed. Those present on Saturday ing subscribed for some over four tons of flour, which amount is expected to greatly increased before ordering.

School at Busy Bee.

School opened for an eight months term at the Busy Bee district Monday morning. Miss Ann Tharaldson of Thief River Falls will teach.

Services have been conducted at the Swedish church in town every evening since last Wednesday and will continue the coming week, by Rev. Carl Beckman and Rev. Elmer Seagren, who speak both the American and Swedish languages. Sunday evening a very impressive service was held, when the church was filled to capacity and about 50 persons from Viking were in attendance.

Service and communion was celebrated at the Norwegian church on Sunday evening. Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls delivered a fine sermon.

Mrs. Johanna Nylus of Thief River Falls is spending the week at the Swen Swenson home during the absence of Mr. Swenson in Ottertail county, where he had gone to meet his wife, who has been visiting relatives there for some time.

School is suspended at Rosebank this week, the teacher, Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen, being in attendance at the teachers' institute at Warren.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson and John Sagmoen went to Thief River Falls on Sunday afternoon.

Albert Alby motored to Viking on Monday to attend to business.

Frank Malachek left Monday evening for North Redwood, where he will be in attendance at the wedding of his brother, J. Malachek. The newlyweds expect to take up their residence on the Malachek farm north of town.

Almer Odin of Holt left Sunday evening for Warren to spend a brief period on business.

Miss Gladys Swenson went to Thief River Falls Monday evening to visit over night with friends.

Mr. Baker, a carpenter of Thief River Falls, was in town last Tuesday to look over the John Remmem building, which he will refinish inside in the near future.

Dr. G. H. Gahlen of Minneapolis, from the State Board of Health, who had supervision of the typhoid cases here last spring, was in town last Tuesday in conference with the town board of health, and later went to Newfolden and Foldahl on health missions.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Halvorson of Viking spent a day this week with Mrs. Halvorson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

Mrs. Gust Nakken and sons, Arnold and Simon, and Mrs. Severt Rafteseth motored to Dakota Junction, where they visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Carl Stromberg, and family on Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Nelson returned on Monday from Thief River Falls after spending a few days with her sister, Miss Carrie, who is employed at the Stanton cafe.

Martin Furan and sons, Wallace and Raymond, returned on Tuesday to their home near Slayton after a week's visit at the L. L. Furan and B. P. Sagmoen families here.

Theodore Nelson has been employed on the state road north of here the past week.

Oliver Sjolsvold returned on Monday to Stephen, where he is employed, after a short visit with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth motored on Sunday to Middle River, where they were guests at the Tom and Simon Gullseth homes.

Ingrid Nordhagen shopped and visited with friends at Thief River Falls a few days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson motored to Newfolden last Sunday to visit with Mrs. Anderson's brother, Albert Hellquist, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stromberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and family, of Thief River Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen and family of this place were entertained for supper at the Mrs. Eva Carlson home last Sunday evening.

John Remmem spent Sunday visiting at the Nels Nora home in town of Norden.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen and L. L. Furan and family were Sunday guests at the Severt Benson home at Thief River Falls.

Swen Swenson spent a few days the beginning of the week at Thief River Falls attending to business affairs.

Albert Peterson of Minneapolis, a relative of the Even Anderson folks, was in town Wednesday visiting the latter.

Mesdames Christ and Ingvall Eggen of Kelliher are spending the Gullseth and Olof Nordhagen families.

Teachers Mabel Rogers and Amy Whitman, who teach near Warren, arrived Friday evening to spend the week-end at their respective homes.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Alby last Monday.

John Ranum last week purchased the 80-acre farm formerly owned by the late John Rafteseth and located about one and one-half miles north of town. The consideration was $2,400.

J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls was a business caller with John Remmem one day this week.

Miss Viola Axelson of Viking attended the confirmation exercises at the Rindal church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie, of Thief River Falls were callers on Mary Shoberg last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stromberg and family of Dakota Junction arrived on Saturday afternoon to spend Sunday with Mrs. Stromberg's parents, Mr and Mrs. Severt Rafteseth, and to attend the Swedish services.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. Hulgrim, west of town.

Rosebank School Notes.

Friday, Sept. 30, marked the end of a very pleasant school month. Twenty-five pupils are enrolled and seven more are expected next month. Potato picking is the favorite excuse given for non-attendance. Those having perfect attendance for September are Gladys and Glenard Sagmoen, Violet, Barton and Willard Furan, and Gladys Nakken. A gold star is awarded pupils who attain five 100 marks in spelling and those leading in their respective grades this month are Myrtle Mellem, 8th grade; Willard Furan, 7th grade; Barton Furan, 5th grade; Violet Furan, 4th grade; Alma Axelson, 3rd grade; Gladys Nakken and Herman Axelson tie, 2nd grade.

Alice Blomberg has been absent the last week on account of illness. The Schankey children have been absent during the week attending parochial school at Thief River Falls. There will be no school the coming week as the teacher is required to attend the county institute at Warren.

Auction Sale

ing decided to quit farming, we will sell at public auc on our farm, the northwest quarter of section 26, town Excel, two miles east of Steiner, six and one-half miles th of Holt, seven miles north of Thief River Falls, on

Saturday, Oct. 15th

Commencing at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

- ding, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1100.
- y gelding, 4 yrs. old,
- n mare, 7 yrs. old, wt.
- n mare, 12 yrs. old, wt.
- y cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh
- brown cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh in nuary.
- brown cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh in nuary.
- brown cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in ebruary.
- brown cow, 5 yrs. old, fresh in ebruary.
- black cow, fresh in February.
- Guernsey cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh April.
- Jersey cow, 8 yrs. old, fresh in arch.
- Jersey cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in arch.
- One brown cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh in January.
- *One brown cow, 6 yrs. old, was fresh in June.*
- One brown cow, 5 yrs. old, was fresh in June.
- One Holstein cow, 6 yrs. old, was fresh in June.
- Two brown heifers, 2 yrs. old, will be fresh in January.
- Twenty-one 15-16 Duroc pigs, four months old.
- Thirty head sheep.
- good as new.
- One 14-in. prairie breaking plow.
- One 14-in. stubble plow.
- One DeLaval cream separator No. 15.
- One 6 bbl. stock tank.
- One tank heater, nearly new.
- One Van Brunt drill, 11 discs.
- One 5-section drag.
- One John Deere breaking plow, 16-in.
- One McCormick mower, 5 ft. cut.
- One fanning mill.
- Other articles too numerous to mention.

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FOR SALE

SALE—Six room house, barn, well, three lots, located on corner ourth Street and Knight Ave. N., as the Severson property, for p. Possession can be given Oct. Bratrud. 31tf

SALE—A hard coal stove. Call on Ave. N. 35

SALE—Ford roadster, 1919 model has new. Will sell cheap. Halvor n, Rt. 4, St. Hilaire. 36p

SALE OR RENT—Building used ool hall in village of Goodridge. Ole Goodridge, Minn. 36p

SALE—High grade mattress and Sagless spring, in first class condi Will sell very cheap. Call at Sa s residence. 35

R SALE—Dry and green pole wood, and stump wood. Blstad Bros., two s south and ten miles west of Thief Falls. 38p

R SALE—On account of having too other business to attend to I have ded to dispose of my meat market. ood business for a butcher. Max Ing Red Lake Falls, Minn. 35

R SALE—Good base burner stove. or Loken. 36p

R SALE—Property at 112 Knight S. Three rooms. See Ed. Sever 35tf

SALE—Six room house with three shed and garage. Ole Lin State Ave. N. 35p

E—Monitor hard coal base er, No. 316. 10-in. base, good as Emil Just, St. Hilaire, Minn. 35p

R SALE at a bargain or for rent, acres of land, nine-room house, full ment, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, y bushes, strawberries, and several dings. Inquire Times office. 32tf

E—Good 7-room house. Knight Ave. N. 31tf

LE—Most desirably located ghly modern home. Easy quire Hager Land Co. 35tf

ALE—A few hundred bushels white Russian oats; are on farm ion 1, Highlanding township. Jos. licky, Rt. 3, City. 35p

R SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large room house, four lots. Small pay t down, balance small monthly pay ts. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

gul tractor outfit, consisting of Mo tractor with extension lugs and ring device and clutch belt pulley; 3 on LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. O. brush breaker, also tanks and ks, all complete and in first-class ing order. This is a snap at a re able price if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN, St. Hilaire, Minn.

R SALE—Fine back bar; one team wt. 2700 lbs.; harness; wagon; Bishop. 35

SALE—On easy terms, three lings, two of them modern. Also ness property on LaBree Ave. C. W. cheh. 13tf

R SALE—Auto tires and tubes, sizes, 30x3, at 30x3½, at a bar Also auto trailer and paints and lish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES— tractors, residence, merchandise, income, hotels, etc. to exchange for western Minnesota farm lands. See ker-Gessell Land Co., Thief River alnn. tf

FOR SALE—Typewriter. Enquire of George Lehmere. 27tf

FOR SALE—New five room house, cheap if taken at once. Enquire 127 Tindolph Ave. S. 36p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Fordson tractor and 1918 Ford car. Would exchange for potatoes. C. G. Garten, Gen. Del., Thief River Falls, Minn. 36p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 41p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house. 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 596. 36p

FOR RENT—Modern room. Call at 719 Main Ave. N. or phone 467. Mrs. F. A. Golder. 36p

FOR RENT—Large front room, partly furnished. 316 Riverside Ave. 35p

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—At once, four men for potato harvest. T. T. Thompson, Angus, Minn. Call 1017. 35p

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—Young girl desires place to work for room and board. Inquire at Times office. 36p

LOST

ESTRAYED—From my farm Sept. 27, one Shropshire ram, ear tag 98, association No. 179505. Anyone knowing his whereabouts notify William Vaughan, Highlanding, Minn. 35

LOST—Sunday night in the Lyceum theatre, a pocketbook, containing a fountain pen and $12. Return to The Times office for reward. 35p

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR PAINTING and paperhanging see Bakken & Sjerstad. Prices reasonable. Phone 377-J, or 371-M. 37p

WANTED—Room and board for married couple. Inquire at Times. 35p

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WANTED—To hear from parties who want to sell their lands. Give full particulars relative to distance to market, buildings, price, etc. Address Box 24, Cedar Falls, Iowa. 37p

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If you are one of the many unfortunate persons who cannot eat without suffering afterward, if you are constipated, have bilious spells, headaches, coated tongue, bad breath, variable appetite, are nervous, losing energy and feel your health slipping away, take this advice and get a box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) right today and start taking it. Give it a trial for a week or two and just see how much better you feel. See how quickly your sluggish bowels will become as regular as clock work, how your coated tongue clears up and your good, old-time appetite returns. See how splendidly your food will digest and how your energy, "pep" and "ginger" revive. Just try it.
You take no risk whatever for Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is only 25c a box, enough to last twenty-five days, and it must help and benefit you to your entire satisfaction, or money returned.
Five million boxes are used every year—one million NR Tablets are taken by ailing people every day—that's the best proof of its merits. Nature's Remedy is the best and safest thing you can take for biliousness, constipation, indigestion and similar complaints. It is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.
NR TO-NIGHT—Tomorrow Alright Get a 25c Box
LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

Legal Notices

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA, SIXTH DIVISION.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Alfred O. Aubol, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Alfred O. Aubol of Eale, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1921, the above named Alfred O. Aubol was duly adjudicated a bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy in the City of Crookston, in the County of Polk, in said District, on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated October 1, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

H. A. CHOMMIE, Attorney for Bankrupt, Thief River Falls, Minn.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by P. B. Gauss and Nettie E. Gauss, his wife, to J. A. Childs, bearing date the 15th day of August, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of August, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of mortgages, on page 41, given to secure the payment of the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1,500.00) and interest according to the terms of one certain promissory note described in said mortgage, dated August 15th, 1916, due August 15th, 1921, with interest payable at the rate of six per cent per annum, according to five coupon interest notes attached thereto; the fifth of which was for Ninety Dollars, ($90.00), due August 15, 1921; upon which coupon and principal note, there was default in the payment of both, which default has continued to the date of this notice by the failure and neglect of said mortgagors to make payment of said principal note and interest, to-wit: Fifteen Hundred and Ninety Dollars, or any part thereof.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixteen Hundred One and 13-100 Dollars, ($1601.13); and

WHEREAS, the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to cover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the same mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half (E½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and Lots Three (3) and Four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), also known and described as the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of said section, all in Township One Hundred Fifty Three (153), North, Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) acres more or less, according to Government survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1500.00) and interest, and Twenty-five Dollars, ($25.00) attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year of the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 27th, A. D. 1921.

J. A. CHILDS, Mortgagee.

GEO. B. EDGERTON, Attorney for Mortgagee, 801 Pioneer Building, St. Paul, Minnesota

S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

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Lame every morning, achy and stiff all day, worse when it's damp or chilly? Suspect your kidneys and try the remedy your neighbors use. Ask your neighbor!
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

TAKE NOTICE, That default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Milo G. Drake and Elsie E. Drake, his wife, as mortgagors, to Fred E. Hodgson, as mortgagee, dated July 15, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on December 4, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 530.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $60.95 and $320.00 for interest on a prior mortgage covering the mortgaged premises hereinafter described paid by said mortgagee on July 15, 1921, pursuant to the terms of the above described mortgage, and interest thereon since the date of said payment at the rate of 8½ per cent per annum, making the total amount due and payable on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of $395.18. The mortgaged premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4), and the South Half of the North Half (S½ of N½) of Section Five (5), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), of Range Forty-four (44), also the South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼ of SE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), of Range Forty-four (44), containing 368.01 acres, more or less.

Said mortgage will be foreclosed pursuant to the statute by a sale of said mortgaged premises, which sale will be made on the 11th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and the further sum of $120.00 secured by said mortgage, $50.00 attorney's fees, and the expenses of sale.

September 26, 1921.

FRED E. HODGSON, Mortgagee.

N. F. FIELD, Attorney for Mortgagee, Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Nils Peterson, Charlie Peterson, Mrs. Ellen Adams, Mrs. Hilda Holmes, Mrs. Anna Bronson, Helga Grotness, Mrs. Gust Anderson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of C. T. Swanson being duly filed in this court, representing that C. H. Peterson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 25th day of September, 1921, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to C. T. Swanson. Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of October, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 29th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

O. HOWARD SMITH, Attorney for Petitioner.

S-29-O-6-13

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of Fred York.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred York, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth W. York, Wallace M. York, Thomas L. York and Jessie M. York, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of P. M. York being duly filed in this court, representing that Fred York, then a resident of the County of Douglas, State of Wisconsin, died on the 27th day of June, 1919, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Elizabeth W. York.

Now, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 23rd day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

GURDON H. WINSOR, Attorney for Petitioner, Superior, Wis.

S-29-O-6-13

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Determination of Descent of Land.

Estate of Ole J. Nomland.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ole J. Nomland, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Marie Nomland, Jorgen O. Nomland, Helene O. Buck, Olotta O. Loggans, Inga O. Omland and all persons interested in the determination of the descent of the real estate of said decedent: The petition of Jorgen O. Nomland having been filed in this Court, representing that said decedent died more than five years prior to the filing thereof, leaving certain real estate in said petition described, and that no will of decedent has been proved nor administration of his estate granted in this State, and praying that the descent of said real estate be determined by this Court.

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, this 20th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

O. A. NAPLIN, Attorney for Petitioner.

S-22-29-O-6

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Edwin K. Hogenson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Edwin K. Hogenson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Austin K. Hogenson, Andrew K. Hogenson, Anton K. Hogenson, Bessie K. Hanse, Tom P. Hanse, Bertha Hanson, Anna Nelson, Clara Hegg and United Deaconess Hospital, Grafton, North Dakota, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of September, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

THEO. QUALE, Attorney for Petitioner.

S-22-29-O-6

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

Estate of Fred Roth.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred Roth, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Emma Roth, Wilbur Roth, Louise Roth, Wesley Roth, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 31st day of August, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

O. A. NAPLIN, Attorney for Petitioner.

S-22-29-O-6

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August O. Schneider, a single man, Mortgagor, to Continental Land Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 253.

And Whereas, The said Continental 17th day of October, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock Land Company, the Mortgagee and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Ninety-six and 41-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1196.41 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 13, A. D. 1921.

CONTINENTAL LAND COMPANY, Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

S-15-22-29-O-6-13-20

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Tollef Loyland and Tina Loyland, his wife, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota,) mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 25th day of January, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 425.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 6th day of September, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages on Page 601, and

Whereas, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of Three Hundred Fifty-eight and 28-100 Dollars, as follows: The sum of $116.60 thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage; the sum of $179.76 thereof being for taxes paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon the premises securing said mortgage which premises are hereinafter described, and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $61.92 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Sixteen (16), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 22nd day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $358.28, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 7th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK, Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

S-8-15-22-29-O-6-13

City News

Tanlac, the celebrated medicine, is now sold by Lambert's drug store.—O-6

Miss Vern Olson came down from Greenbush on Monday to spend a day shopping.

Geo. T. Lancaster of Newfolden was a business caller here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. C. O. Ness and Miss Sophie Bye of Hatton, N. D., were visitors in the city on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown returned the first of the week from their cottage at Union Lake.

Mrs. C. C. Schuster and Mrs. J. F. Farr went to St. Hilaire on Friday to visit friends and relatives.

H. Hermanson, who had spent a month at Halstad, returned to his home here Saturday morning.

Miss Loretta Newman of Warren spent a few days the latter part of last week here visiting friends.

Sigurd Jevning of Middle River was a business caller here a couple of days the latter part of last week.

Miss Olive Patterson and Miss Peterson of St. Hilaire visited with friends and shopped here on Saturday.

Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, spent a few days last week at Greenbush on business.

J. Hemstad came down from his home at Plummer the latter part of last week to attend to matters of business.

Miss Grace Walker of Red Lake Falls arrived Monday morning for a brief visit with her friend, Miss Mabel Pechi.

Miss Florence Paine of Thief River Falls visited at the A. F. Hall home here last week-end.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baugh and Mr. and Mrs. M. McLaughlin of Warren visited at the C. O. Erickson home on Sunday.

Misses Lylabelle Schuster and Mabel McGinnity, who teach at St. Hilaire, visited over Sunday at their homes here.

Mrs. Wm. Warner and two children left Friday morning for Holt, where they visited with relatives over Sunday.

Miss Ina Motz arrived Saturday morning from Fargo for an over Sunday visit with her mother, Mrs. Emma Motz.

Mrs. Miles Housman and Mrs. Roy Checkley, both of Forest River, N. D., arrived here on Friday for a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. P. H. Thorson of Grand Prairie spent a few days this week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. P. Palmer.

P. P. Palmer, who had been confined in a Minneapolis hospital for some time, returned to his home in this city last week.

Mrs. Risberg came up from Thief River Falls last week Thursday for a short visit with old friends and neighbors.—Holt News.

Miss Shirley Schein left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Papermaster.

Mrs. R. A. Preston of Plummer, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. B. Johnston of Calloway, shopped between trains here on Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Solem, who is teaching at Newfolden, visited here Friday evening. She left Saturday morning for Steiner to visit her parents over Sunday.

Margarette Jorgenson of Plummer spent the first of the week with local friends. She leaves this evening for Minneapolis, where she will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Larson and three children left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where they will remain for a three days' visit with relatives.

The W. C. T. U. will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 10, by Mrs. C. M. Carlson and Mrs. Scott Laird at the home of the former, 1009 LaBree avenue north.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Dahl, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. K. Bolsta, who had visited them, drove to the home of the latter at International Falls on Friday, where Mr. and Mrs. Dahl will visit a son.

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The Misses Sallestine, Olga and Laura Strom of Thief River Falls visited Sunday with their grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. M. T. Strom. They were accompanied by Henry Tollefson of Goodridge.—Holt News.

Y. P. Society.

The annual meeting of the Silverton Y. P. S. will be held next Sunday, Oct. 9, at the church. Lunch will be served by Gylia and Amanda Fosholm and Inanda Hanson.

STEINER

Ervin Russell was a business caller at the county seat Saturday.

Willie Meyers hired out to Mr. Oie last week.

Bill Swanson went before the U. S. examining board in Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mabel Rogers came home Friday to spend Sunday with her folks.

Amy Whitman is spending the week-end with her parents.

Ole Berg has been plowing over east on the land he rented from the bank.

Mr. Rogers did some trading at Thief River Falls Saturday.

The county weed inspector was in these parts the past week.

We don't see so many hunters. What's the matter with them, anyhow?

Gus Hillyer loaded two cars of potatoes at this place last week.

Rene Werner has been stacking his buckwheat.

Ed. Werner of Thief River Falls visited with his son, Rene, on the farm last week.

Willis Warring transacted business at the county seat on Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Solem, who is teaching school near Newfolden, arrived Saturday noon for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem.

Mrs. Mathea Berg has erected a silo on her farm recently.

Mr. Johnson, who resides on the former Lars Lee farm near Rosewood, which he purchased recently, visited with Charley Swanson Sunday.

Christ Berg was a business visitor at Thief River Falls Thursday.

Arthur Bartleson and Eric Soderberg, who own a threshing outfit in partnership, threshed for the following in this community: Fred Copp, M. Rustebakken, Hugh Best, Charlie Swanson, P. Liden, Peter Solem and Mrs. Mathea Berg. This week they continued from the Berg farm to the farm of Mrs. Bertha Saugen.

Among others who attended to business at Thief River Falls Wednesday were Mrs. Mathea Berg, Mrs. Agnes Warring, the Berg boys, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simonson, and Mr. and Mrs. August Koglin.

Miss Ruth Solem and brother, Arnie, motored to Dakota Junction on Monday, where Miss Ruth took the train to Warren to attend a teachers' convention.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Ole and Arthur Jopprue spent Sunday at the Gunsten Knutson home.

Henry Sande was busy last week digging his potatoes. They averaged about 90 bushels to the acre.

Ole Johnson of Thief River Falls was up here last week superintending the threshing on his place.

Ivend and Lars Oie left Tuesday for Goodridge, near which place they have a large ditch contract.

There will be a rag ball social in the Riverside school house Saturday evening, Oct. 22. Girls, hunt up your rags, and boys your coin, and let us all be there and have a jolly good time.

Ole T. Oie and Ole Listol called at the G. J. Skomedal home Sunday.

Martin Kiseh is suffering from a broken rib, which injury he received when a pair of wild horses tipped a wagon over him.

Albert Westphal returned the latter part of the week from South St. Paul, where he had sold a car of hogs and cattle which netted him $1,172. He also made a trip to Wisconsin, where he visited with his mother and brothers. On the entire trip Mr. Westphal did not see a place that suited him any better than the locality around Thief River Falls.

Weekly Market Review.

All grains the past week were in a process of liquidation. Investment demand either for the cash article or the future was, according to the normal standard, notably absent.

Extreme weakness in foreign exchange, particularly the German mark, and nervousness in financial circles concerning foreign credits is an important factor in the decline.

German, French and Italian crop reports show an increase of 156 million bushels of wheat and 74 million increase in rye as compared to last year's yields.

Cables also report favorable crop conditions in the Argentine and Australia. Large quantities of American wheat consigned to European ports are reported sold at less than the replacement price.

A large Canadian wheat supply is accumulating and is in sharp competition with American wheat at a steadily lower basis.

Corn receipts from the old crop continue heavy at all markets and premiums have been gradually reduced, which with the lower options is making new low marks and distressingly low prices to producers. The new corn crop takes a position among the largest on record. The oats receipts, though not as large as corn, have the effect of continually increasing an already huge unsold visible supply.

Although the general run of news is almost unanimously against advancing prices and there is a superfluity of bearish reports and bearish sentiment, the probability of oversold markets should not be overlooked. Sharp rallies can be expected, but until something constructive develops to stabilize prices we still cannot commend the purchase of any commodity no matter how cheap the price may seem. It is being demonstrated that the price very seldom alters fundamental conditions and such conditions very easily alter a price.—Quinn-Shepherdson Co.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.12
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.07
Flax	1.50
Barley	.32
Rye	.81
Oats	.18
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	3.90
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.50
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.14
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.28
Dairy Butter	.30-.35
Creamery Butter	.35
Creamery Butter	.41
Potatoes, per cwt.	1.10
Cow hides, per lb.	.02
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

SECRETARIAL JOB BEATS TEACHING

Like scores of teachers, Miss Anna Samuelson forsook the schoolroom for the better opportunities open in business. To get the necessary training she took the Secretarial Course at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., and was recently sent to a $100-a-month situation with the North Dakota Industrial Commission.

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RE-ELECTION OF ENTIRE COUNCIL AIM OF BACKERS

Mass Meeting of Citizens Goes on Record as Approving the Present Administration.

Mayor and Councilmen Agree to to Again Make Race When the Request is Made.

Ward Chairmen and Assistants Appointed and Campaign Will Open at Once.

Mayor John Bratrud and every member of the present city council will be candidates for re-election this fall. While it is well known that certain of the councilmen would greatly prefer to retire, the expressions of confidence and appreciation heard at a mass meeting of representative citizens held at the municipal court room on Monday night caused them to change their minds.

There were in the neighborhood of 100 men present, called together for the purpose of discussing the forthcoming election and candidates for the different offices to be filled at that time. A more harmonious gathering it would be impossible to find. W. B. Fuller officiated as chairman and E. M. Stanton as secretary. After Chairman Fuller had stated the purpose of the gathering, opinions were asked for. These were forthcoming in abundance and were all of one tenor: The re-election of Mayor Bratrud and the entire city council. A large number of those present spoke briefly and the consensus of opinion was that the present is no time to change administration. Further, the men now in charge of city affairs have made a record that entitles them to re-election.

All Agree to Run.

After the meeting had expressed itself in a manner that left no doubt as to what was wanted, the officials themselves were asked to state their positions. All were present except Mayor Bratrud and Councilman O. I. Ihle. President H. A. Brumund, councilman from the Third ward, led off. He said that he felt satisfied he would be speaking for his colleagues as well as himself when he stated that they would again serve if called upon to do so, although some might prefer to pass the honor on to others. Mr. Froseth, followed by Mr. Dahl, Mr. Ness and Mr. Brandon, all expressed their appreciation of the confidence in their good intentions indicated by those present and said they would "stick." Each speaker was greeted with applause as he resumed his seat.

Ward Committees Formed.

It was a good time to take the preliminary steps for the carrying on of a campaign and the voters present from the different wards broke up in groups and proceeded to choose their local chairman and his assistants. In the selection of these committees the women voters were not forgotten, and there are three or four named in each ward. These committees will get to work at once and from now on a lively campaign for the election of the entire ticket will be carried on.

Two Tickets Certain.

That there will be two tickets in the field is certain. Those opposed to the re-election of the present administration have already started out with their petitions and it is expected that they will have a complete lineup to present to the voters.

Viewers' Final Meeting For Clearwater Project

E. A. Mostue, one of the viewers appointed for the Clearwater project of the Red Lake Conservancy District's program, left yesterday morning for Red Lake Falls, where a meeting of the viewers was to be held. Mr. Mostue stated that this meeting would without doubt clear up all the preliminaries and that actual work on the project would soon be under way and from now on carried forward with all possible speed.

AUTO AND TRACTOR SCHOOL FALL TERM OPENS NOVEMBER 1

New Enterprise Means Much to Owners of Automotive Machinery in This Seeciton.

An announcement of more than ordinary interest to the people of this section is that of the Northwestern Auto and Tractor School which opens the fall term in this city on Nov. 1. This school will be strictly up to date in every respect, giving a complete course in automobile and tractor repairing, ignition, starter, generator, magneto and battery repairing. Mr. Sundahl has associated with himself the best instructors to be found in these different branches.

The large garage of the Northwestern Automobile company will be devoted almost entirely to this purpose. The fine office room in the front part of the building will be used exclusively for the electrical work, the present repair section will remain as it is with the exception that a large amount of modern equipment will be added. This section will be devoted entirely to automobile repairing. At the rear end of what is now the storage room the tractor department will be housed. This will give the school three distinct departments under one roof and afford an opportunity for the student to give particular attention to the branch of work that interests him most.

A school of this kind has long been needed in this section. The growth of the automobile, truck and tractor business has been so rapid that competent mechanics have not been turned out in sufficient numbers to keep up with the demand. Besides nearly every farm now has a truck or tractor and the owners or their sons are desirous of having a thorough knowledge of the machines they are handling. This school will afford an excellent opportunity of obtaining such knowledge.

FORCED TO FLEE IN NIGHT CLOTHES WHEN HOME BURNS

Mrs. H. W. Millar and Daughter Have Narrow Escape From Death Tuesday Night.

Fire at the residence of H. W. Millar, 310 Riverside avenue, on Tuesday night caused a total damage to building and contents of about $2,300. The blaze was discovered at 12:30 o'clock and so rapidly did it gain headway that Mrs. Millar and her 10-year-old daughter barely escaped with their lives. Mr. Millar, who is employed by the Soo railroad, was absent at the time, as he is working for the company out of Fordville.

Mrs. Millar had only time enough to get her daughter out of the house, both being forced to leave in their night attire. All their clothing as well as household goods were totally destroyed, but damage to the building, owned by Mrs. Joe Becker, was only about $300, while the loss to the Millars is not less than $2,300, partially covered by insurance.

The fire department made a quick run in spite of the condition of our streets, it being impossible to reach the scene of the blaze without going for a considerable distance over places where the pavers have torn things up.

Defective wiring is supposed to have caused the fire.

BUSINESS LAW TO BE TAUGHT UNDER U. OF M. DIRECTION

Night Classes Will Meet Once a Week With H. O. Chommie as Instructor.

Thief River Falls has been selected as one of the points of instruction in the efforts of the extension service of the University of Minnesota to bring the activities of the institution to people residing in the smaller towns. Night instruction in business law has already been taken up by a class of 30, meetings being held on Wednesday nights at 7:30 at Lincoln high school auditorium. Two sessions have already been held and registration will be open until the evening of the fourth meeting. Ten additional students are expected before the registration closes.

Attorney Hans O. Chommie has been named as instructor, which classifies him as a member of the faculty of the university. Mr. Chommie is taking great interest in the work and anyone wishing complete information concerning this most important step can secure same by applying to him.

The course covers two years of two semesters each. Anyone finishing the course here may enter the University of Minnesota and will receive credit for the work done in working toward a degree.

Following is the enrollment to date:

Roy M. Barzen, R. W. Belcher, E. P. Brevig, Carl M. Carlson, Fred Erickson, Ingwald H. Fossum, Arthur G. Greenseth, Carl Gulrud, W. A. Hall, Jr., C. L. Hansen, Norbert H. Holzknecht, A. R. Kohn, A. M. Langseth, Philip R. Larson, H. O. Loken, George Loken, F. E. McGinn, T. L. Melgaard, George Mostue, L. C. Nielsen, H. A. Pratt, L. M. Rayson, Geo. L. Sterns, Theo. M. Thronson, C. W. Vorachek, Kenneth Wattam, Geo. W. Werstlein, Emil E. Zeh, Stanton Dahlen.

Soo Line to Give Series of Cut-Rate Excursions

The first of a series of excursions to be given by the Soo railroad this fall is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 15 and 16. Round trip tickets only will be sold and the fare from Thief River Falls is $7.65. These excursion tickets will be good on the following trains and dates: Going—For trains 104, 108 and 112 of Saturday, Oct. 15; for trains 106 and 110 of Sunday, Oct. 16. Returning, tickets will be good for passage leaving St. Paul and Minneapolis not later than by Train 111 of Monday, Oct. 17. Tickets on Trains 109 and 110 will be sold only from and to stations at which those trains are regularly scheduled to stop. No stopover privileges will be allowed.

SECOND TICKET PLACED IN FIELD IN COMING RACE

Two Complete Lineups Will Be Presented to the Voters in Citiy Election.

W. W. Prichard, Jr., For Mayor, and Other Well-Known Citizens on the List.

Pledge No Interference With Paving Program in Case of Their Eelection.

No time was lost in getting a second city ticket into the field. No sooner had a meeting been held endorsing the present administration and urging upon the men composing it the need of their again becoming candidates than those who disagreed with the first enthusiasts started out with their petitions. The result is that there will be two complete sets to choose from on Tuesday, Nov. 8. The one exception is in the Fourth ward, where Andrew Ness is the candidate of both factions.

Prichard For Mayor.

The opposition ticket is headed by W. W. Prichard, Jr., and made up of capable, well-known citizens throughout. For alderman from the First ward M. V. Evenson has been chosen to run against Carl Froseth; C. D. Gustafson is the candidate on the latest ticket in the Second against John Dahl; C. W. Vorachek will contest for the votes of the Third with H. A. Brumund, while in the Fourth Andrew Ness has no opposition. The candidates for aldermen at large are Fred C. Dablow and F. F. Haynes.

The Platform.

In another section of The Times today the men whose names appear on this ticket publish their declaration of principles. They will strive for a bigger and better city, for economical administration, for cleanliness and progress. They pledge themselves not to be dominated by any clique, class or faction, and if elected to give their best efforts to securing the welfare of all the people.

"Paving is not an issue in this campaign," says the declaration. The candidates on this ticket promise, if affairs are entrusted to them, to see that the present contract is carried out in all its provisions.

Another point upon which the declaration is explicit concerns the assessments for paving. These candidates deny that any attempt will be made by them to have the paving assessed to general taxation, but will carry out the plan of the present council in this respect.

Red Lake County Citizen Held on Murder Charge

Walter Westerlund, age 25 years, of Gervais, Red Lake county, was arrested at his home on Saturday by Sheriff Charles Fellman at the request of Sheriff Ed. Swanson of Becker county for the murder of an unidentified man near Detroit Wednesday.

Westerlund, it is said, has confessed to the shooting, stating that it occurred as the result of an altercation on the way to Lake Park. Both men had been working on farms in Becker county. Westerlund has been taken to Detroit to stand trial.

Officials at Red Lake Falls are of the opinion that Westerlund is not mentally balanced and it was expected that as soon as he arrived at Detroit that a medical examination would take place.

Council in Short Session.

Routine business occupied the attention of the city council at the short regular session held on Tuesday evening. Henry Holt was granted a plumber's license and the monthly reports of the different municipal divisions were read, after which the council adjourned.

COUNTY ASKED TO SAVE 11 ORPHANS FROM STARVATION

Pennington's Quota in Drive to Aid Famine Sufferers is 487 Bushels of Wheat.

Pennington county's quota in the nationwide drive launched to save the lives of children now facing death by starvation in southern Russia and Armenia is 487 bushels of wheat.

Eleven of the 3,500 orphans assigned to Minnesota for food and clothing depend on the generosity of the citizens of Pennington county for their lives, according to J. M. Davies, state director for the Near East Relief.

Practically every elevator in the state is helping to collect the 147,000 bushels of grain set as Minnesota's share of the 5,000,000 bushels being gathered as the gift of American farmers. Minnesota farmers may turn their gifts over to their local elevator when they haul in their usual loads of grain for sale. Nearly every elevator has agreed to receive, store and load the gift grain free of charge. The first gifts began coming in last week.

"We have been informed by our workers abroad that unless Minnesota provides food for 3,500 helpless boys and girls this winter, they will perish of hunger," Mr. Davies says. "Every child among the 3,500 for whom Minnesota fails to provide is doomed to die. We dare not fail."

Very Important Meeting of All Market Day Advertisers Called For Friday Evening

There will be a meeting of Market Day advertisers held at the Commercial club rooms on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. It is strongly urged that every merchant interested be present as the plan is to make the next Market Day the biggest and best yet held. Do not fail to be on hand.

EASTERN FARMERS' THIRD ANNUAL FAIR GOODRIDGE, OCT. 17

Display of Farm Products Will Be Largest and Best Ever Seen in That Section.

The third annual fair to be held by the farmers of eastern Pennington county will take place at Goodridge on Monday, Oct. 17. It is an event of much importance to the people of that section and they are working harder than ever to make it a success.

Two previous fairs held at the same place have proved eye-openers and have given the country about Goodridge a reputation as one of the best dairying and general farming regions in the northwest. Those in charge state that this year the exhibition will be the best thus far held.

Some of the finest dairy herds in this section are found in this part of the county and the showing of these will be a feature. Sheep also are strong favorites with the farmers there and the finest flocks in this section are to be seen in the neighborhood.

A particularly appropriate speaking and demonstration program has been arranged. L. M. McCall of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, will give a talk on "More and Better Corn Raising for the Northwest." H. E. Hoberg, poultry expert at the same school, will speak on the importance of poultry raising and give a culling demonstration, showing how to select the best layers. Mr. Hoberg will also have a sample carton of eggs to exhibit, showing the proper method of packing and marketing the different grades.

As has been customary heretofore, there will likely be a large delegation from this city visit the fair. The road to Goodridge is one of the best in the county and the trip and fair will both be found worth while.

LESSON IN RETAIL MERCHANDISING TO BE SHOWN IN FILM

Efficiency Expert Will Lecture Under Auspices of Merchants Association.

Announcement has been made by G. Howard Smith, secretary of the Merchants association, that he has arranged to bring to Thief River Falls an illustrated lecture on retail merchandising. The lecture, together with a feature film, "Getting the Most Out of Retailing," will be given Friday night, Nov. 4, at 9 o'clock, in the Lyceum theatre. W. H. Farley, representative of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio, will give the lecture.

The lecture deals with the value of newspaper advertising to the merchant, tells him how to prepare advertisements, and also explains in detail the best methods of window display, store organization, personal selling, and business control.

The film tells the story of a merchant who was discouraged and disheartened because he was not successful. The story shows the indifference of his clerks, his bad system, poorly arranged stock, and other causes of trouble. How he finally rose to success and prosperity through modern methods is shown in the film.

Many ideas of importance to merchants and clerks will be brought out. In other communities where it has been shown it has met great enthusiasm. It is expected that every business man and clerk in the city will attend. There will be no charge for admission. A special invitation will be extended to every merchant in northwestern Minnesota to hear this lecture and bring his clerks as guests of the Thief River Falls Merchants association.

McGinn Makes Team.

Dennis McGinn of this city had his first taste of college football last Saturday when he played right halfback for the St. Thomas college team in a game against St. Mary's college of Winona on the field of the first-named college. Gordon LaBree, who has been working out at center with the same team, did not play in Saturday's game. St. Thomas won, 7 to 0.

FIRST 35 CARS SHIPPED BRING $1.22 PER BUS.

This is Average Price Received By Pennington County Potato Shippers.

Complete Returns on Six Cars Show Top Price $2.59 With $1.72 as Bottom.

Certified Stock at Good Premium But is Generally Being Held For Seed.

Members of the Pennington County Potato Growers association continue to get the top price for their stock. To date 45 cars have been shipped, on 35 cars of which partial returnes have been received. The average net price to the farmer on the potatoes contained in these 35 cars was $1.02 per bushel or $1.70 per hundred pounds. Commission men in the city have questioned the prices quoted in The Times last week and extra care has therefore been taken to get these figures correct. County Agent J. J. McCann went through his records for the purpose of getting full details concerning the six cars on which complete returns have been received and has submitted the following. The prices quoted are per hundredweight:

Sept. 26—F. T. Satre, one car $2.59
Sept. 28—F. T. Satre, one car 2.05
Sept. 29—F. T. Satre, one car 2.20
Oct. 3—Jens Letnes, one car 1.80
Oct. 5—Arne Vik, one car 1.88
Oct. 5—Anton Johnson, one car 1.72

No certified potatoes entered into these shipments, these commanding an additional 50 cents per hundred pounds. While there is a fair quantity of this stock in the county, it is likely that but little will be shipped as this class of potatoes will command a much higher premium if sold for seed in the spring.

The reason that figures on a larger percentage of the cars shipped are not given is that while 80 per cent of their value is paid at the time of acceptance at the Minnesota Potato exchange, the other 20 per cent is withheld until until after grading. Mr. McCann said he could give the total for all cars, but preferred not to do so until the complete returns were in as the correctness of his figures seemed to have been questioned.

The potato crop is the money-maker for the Pennington county farmer this year. Particularly are the members of the growers' association well pleased with the returns they are receiving for their stock.

Dr. Milan Returns After Month's Visit in East

Dr. M. George Milan, medical director at Oakland Park sanatorium, returned the first of the week from a month's visit in the East. He first went to Columbus, Ohio, where he attended a conference of the tuberculosis specialists of the Mississippi Saranac Lake, New York, where one valley. From Columbus he went to of the largest tuberculosis sanatoriums in the world is located, and assisted in clinical work there and in other parts of the state for a short time. Following this he visited for a week in Montreal and spent four days at his old home in Boston. The doctor says he was so busy that the trip can hardly be called a vacation but he is glad to have had an opportunity to confer with other men in his profession concerning the fight they are making against the white plague.

Passed Worthless Check.

Jack Shipper, a young married farmer residing near Wylie, was on Monday arraigned before Judge N. W. Tarrant in Municipal court charged with having issued and passed a check on the First State bank of that place, without having any funds in said bank. The check was for $10 and was given to Aaseby & Burstad, garagemen of this city. He was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $500, which was furnished.

TRYING TO INDUCE DR. KIRBY TO STAY IN NEIGHBORHOOD

Delegation of Business Men Visiting Him This Afternoon For This Purpose.

S. R. Kirby, commonly referred to as "doctor," located about two miles southeast of the city, and whose methods of healing have been the subject of much comment, both complimentary and derisive, may leave this section of the country for good. As soon as this fact became established the business men of Thief River Falls felt that something should be done to induce him to remain, and a delegation is calling on him this afternoon. They figure that, without taking into consideration the merits or otherwise of his methods, he has without question helped a great many people and brought a large amount of business to this city which would not have come here had it not been for the steadily increasing reputation of his cures.

It seems that Mr. Kirby has offers to locate in other communities where he is promised freedom from criticism of his methods by those who know nothing whatever about him, as well as substantial bonuses of varying descriptions. The business men of Mayville, N. D., for instance, have offered to erect a suitable building for him in or near the city if he will move there, so it is alleged, and other places farther west have made more or less tentative advances.

The business men who are visiting him this afternoon are not particularly concerned with his "cure," but know that a great many people believe in it and seem to be satisfied with it. Under these circumstances it is the opinion of many that he should be encouraged to remain, and an effort will be made to have him do so.

Teachers Entertained.

The Young People's League of the Trinity Lutheran church entertained the members of the teaching staff at an informal reception in the church parlors on Friday evening. During the evening a short program was given, in which the following took part: Dr. J. N. Nesse, Miss Carrie Brown, Rev. T. E. Sweger, Mrs. A. Holmberg. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Help Us to Aid Crippled Children

"Children of Pain" is the title given to the crippled, yet smiling, inmates of the State Hospital for Crippled Children, St. Paul. There are 200 of them there now and more than 225 others in just as bad physical condition throughout the state waiting for admission.

During the life time of Michael Dowling, Olivia banker, who died recently from overwork in the interest of the crippled in body, work for and among crippled children was his avocation.

On his death, his closest friends, in casting about for a memorial, obtained a letter he had written in which he said: "The plight of the crippled child is beyond conception. Dumb with the agony of 'being different' they are apt to become crippled in the mind as well as the body and when that happens society has lost a valuable ally and gained a bitter enemy."

With that as a guiding star they have decided on an addition to the State Hospital for Crippled Children in St. Paul, and in order to permit the thousands of friends of "Mike" Dowling to add their mite to a memorial that would be "just what he would want," decided to open the subscription books Oct. 17.

The proposed addition will care for the children now in the state who need this care and will reclaim not only their poor maimed bodies but also their neglected minds.

Hundreds of children have been received at the hospital since its opening in 1911 and have since been discharged, cured of their physical ailments and educated in mind.

Thirty of the best orthopedic specialists in the state are on the staff of the hospital and when the memorial addition is built will take care of these patients also. They give their services gratis to these children.

To liven up their existence nearly every theatrical company that comes to St. Paul sends a part of its aggregation to the hospital to provide amusement.

Everything that can be done is being done to alleviate their condition and all the work is under the general supervision of the superintendent, Miss Elizabeth McGregor. Miss McGregor is "mother" to these children, many of whom are orphans or have lost one of their parents.

She knows everyone by their first name and always has a cheery word and a pat on the head for them. She is never too busy to stop and hear their childish confidences and her love, true mother love it is too, permeates the entire staff.

The Minnesota Editorial Association, the Minnesota Bankers' Association and the Elks of Minnesota have taken the fund into their hands and are to ask the people of the state for help.

"Dollars in themselves mean nothing, it is only the manner in which they are spent that gives them life," was a favorite plea of Dowling when asking for funds for various enterprises concerning the welfare of cripples.

If the people of the state will add their mite to the $25,000 already raised by private subscription, the $100,000 fund to be raised will care adequately for the hundreds of children who need help and need it now.

"Help us to help them," is the slogan.

The Thief River Falls Times has been designated as the collection agency for the money raised in Pennington county. If more convenient, hand your contribution to the editor nearest your home—it will reach its destination all right.

TAX LEVY FOR CITY PURPOSES CONTINUES LOW

Councilmen Figure That Only $3,500 More Than Last Year Will Be Required.

Five Thousand Dollars for Park Purposes Voted and Library Fund is Increased.

Postmaster Asks That Street Signs and Posts Be Replaced if Destroyed.

There will be an increase of $3,500 in the total amount levied for city purposes in Thief River Falls next year as compared with the present. This is only six per cent and is perhaps the lowest of any city of this size in Minnesota. The sum decided upon by the council is $55,500. Merely for the purpose of comparison it may be stated that the levy for Bemidji is $98,880.

A park fund was added to the general budget and $5,000 placed at the disposal of the park board. Scott Laird appeared on behalf of the board to urge the levy. Other changes from last year are increases in the current fund from $15,000 to $25,000 and a decrease in the local improvement fund from $15,000 to $5,000. One thousand dollars was added to the interest and library funds respectively, while the street lighting fund was reduced from $5,500 to $1,000. As the city owns the light plant this change signifies merely a change in bookkeeping.

Comparison in Detail.

Following is a comparison of the levy for the two years:

	1920	1921
Current fund	$15,000	$25,000
Local imp. fund	15,000	5,000
Auditorium fund	3,000	3,000
Sinking fund	1,000	1,000
Poor fund	3,000	4,000
Interest fund	3,000	4,000
Library fund	3,500	4,500
Cemetery fund	1,000	1,000
Hydrant fund	2,000	2,000
Street lighting fund	5,500	1,000
Park fund		5,000
	$52,000	$55,500

In addition to the above the one-half mill levy for band purposes initiated last year under the new state law was also directed for the coming year.

Wants More Street Signs.

The bill of the Bitulithic and Contracting Limited for $26,069.74 to cover the paving work thus far performed, was allowed less the 15 per cent held in reserve to guarantee the work, the total amounting to $22,159.28. The bill of the Bradley Engineering company of two per cent of the above sum, or $443.18, was also allowed.

Postmaster John Morgan presented a request that the city provide suitable posts and street signs where these are lacking at this time within the free delivery district. A survey was recently made by the mail carriers and it was found that on the East Side 50 posts and 100 signs were lacking, while the West Side was 122 posts and 244 signs short.

When free delivery service was established in Thief River Falls over a decade ago it was necessary that the street intersections be properly marked and this was done at that time. Later on the delivery service was extended but the additional signs were not placed, while some of those which were first erected have since been destroyed through various causes.

The matter was laid on the table for the present on account of the probable early freezing of the ground prohibiting any erection of posts at this time, but they will be installed early in the spring.

Big Waterway Proect is Moving Forward Rapidly

President C. L. Hansen of the First National bank returned the first of the week from St. Paul, where he attended the meeting of the Head of the Lakes-St. Lawrence waterways board. Mr. Hansen states that it was a most interesting session with every man present enthusiastic over the outlook for an early start on the gian propect. Canada, he says, is even more enthusiastic over the prospect than the people of the United States and the matter is progressing most satisfactorily in congress. The preliminary work will be under way before anyone realizes it, he says. Mr. Hnsen is one of the Minnesota representatives on the national board.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city was invited by Gov. Preus to attend the meeting as there were several ladies present, but was unable to make the trip at this time.

American Legion Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the local American Legion post on Tuesday evening, Oct. 18, at the Commercial club rooms. Lunch will be served at 6:45, to be followed by an important business meeting.

In New Offices.

H. O. Chommie this week moved his law office into the quarters recently vacated by Wilhelm Michelet in the Citizens Bank building.

Society and Club

Winslow Chapter Entertains.

The ceremonies at the meeting of the Winslow chapter of the Eastern Star, held at the Masonic hall last evening, surpassed anything of its kind ever before attempted by the local chapter. There was an attendance of approximately 125, with large delegations present from Crookston and Grand Forks chapters. Among the Crookston delegation present may be mentioned Mrs. Fredericks, present worthy matron; Mrs. Smiley, past worthy matron, and Mrs. Alden Braley, past grand worthy matron. The representation from East Grand Forks included Mrs. C. A. Newhouse, present worthy matron; Mrs. C. A. Rudd, past worthy matron, and Mrs. F. E. Stallman, Mrs. S. E. Hiler and Mrs. Arthur Hallen, also officers of the East Grand Forks chapter.

The chief feature of the evening was honoring the past worthy matrons of Winslow chapter. Those now living in the city and present were: Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Mrs. Ben Christianson, Mrs. G. L. Sterns, Mrs. W. Korstad, Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Mrs. A. Bottelson and Mrs. F. F. Haynes. Mrs. G. A. Penney, who is also a past worthy matron, was unable to be present at the ceremonies. Those out of the city include Mrs. Corson, Mrs. Cavanaugh, Mrs. McNevin and Mrs. Geo. Walker. The past worthy patrons of Winslow chapter introduced and presented were G. L. Sterns, F. E. Gobler, F. F. Haynes and H. C. Johnson.

The hall, which had been transformed into a *veritable fairyland* through the use of autumn leaves, flowers, plants and bitter sweet, over which was cast a soft glow from the candle light and illuminated star, formed a rare setting for the beautiful ceremonies, which were the same used by the Grand chapter last year. Those having seen both state that the ceremonies put on by Winslow chapter were fully as impressive. During the proceedings Mrs. A. N. Heggan, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., and Mrs. C. A. Nason sang, accompanied by Mrs. A. Holmberg at the piano. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher also gave a vocal solo. During the evening the past worthy matrons were presented with jewels by Mrs. C. R. Crandall in behalf of the chapter. Mrs. J. M. Bishop, in her usual pleasing manner, made a very appropriate acceptance speech for the matrons. In recognition of their work in the interests of this order and the high esteem in which they are held, Mrs. Alden Braley of Crookston, past worthy grand matron, was presented with a large bouquet of chrysanthemums, and Miss Effie Hamry, present worthy matron of the Winslow chapter, was presented with a beautiful bouquet of Ophelia roses.

The success of the event must be attributed to Miss Effie Hamry, worthy matron, and the following officers of the local chapter: H. C. Durrin, worthy patron; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, associate matron; Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, conductress; Anna Quale, associate conductress; Mrs. A. Bottelson, secretary; Mrs. C. R. Crandall, treasurer; Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, chaplain; Miss Ida Tandberg, Ada; Mrs. L. W. Manther, Ruth; Mrs. D. W. Robinson, Esther; Mrs. Kinghorn, Martha; Mrs. Borry, Electa; Mrs. Durrin, warder, and Ed. Brevig, sentinel.

A delicious lunch concluded an evening which will remain prominent in the memories of those who attended.

Local Musicians in Concert.

Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher and Miss Doris Halvorson, local musicians, were well received at Bemidji where they appeared in concert under the auspices of the Harmonick club on Friday night, Sept. 30. The following account is taken from the Bemidji Sentinel: "An enthusiastic reception was given the members of the Halvorson-Fisher company of Thief River Falls and the Harmonick quartet of Bemidji, who appeared in a joint concert in the Methodist Episcopal church of this city last Friday night. The concert was given under the auspices of the Harmonick glee club of this city. Miss Halvorson, pianist, is a graduate of the Oberlin conservatory of music and has received favorable press notice wherever she has appeared. Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, contralto, was encored several times by the audience. The Harmonick quartet was given a rousing reception, every one of their numbers being encored. A feature of their offerings was a character quartet in which Andrew Rood, baritone, appeared as soloist."

Kistler-Stoppel.

A wedding of particular interest to local people was solemnized at nine o'clock Saturday morning at the M. E. parsonage, when Miss Onata L'Elaine Stoppel, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Stoppel of Alexandria, became the bride of Willis J. Kistler, son of Mrs. Mary Kistler of Minneapolis. Rev. J. B. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church, read the service in the presence of Miss Belle Hermanson and W. G. Fiddes. The bride is a popular young lady, having made her home here with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, for a number of years. The groom is connected with the Fairbanks-Morse company of St. Paul. After a brief wedding trip spent in visiting the groom's mother in Minneapolis and the bride's parents at Alexandria, Mr. and Mrs. Kistler will return to this city to make their home.

American Legion to Entertain.

Members of the Legion Auxiliary and Elmer Eklund Post of the American Legion are looking forward with pleasant anticipation to the entertainment to be given in the form of a party by the latter organization on Friday, Oct. 21, at the auditorium. The affair, though informal, is to be marked by some unusual features and the committee is working diligently to make it one of the outstanding events of the year's social affairs. The party is not open to the general public but invitations will be sent to friends and admirers of the local post.

Children Have Frolic.

Little Jeanette Mogensen and Woodrow Craik were honor guests at a party given by their mothers, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen and Mrs. A. Craik, at the former's home on Tuesday afternoon in commemoration of their sixth birthday anniversaries. Various children's games and contests made up the entertainment for the little guests. A delicious lunch concluded the afternoon's activities. Those present were Clifford Froehlich, Edward Korstad, Robert White, George Biedermann, James Barnett, Esther Haynes, Ruth Loken, Ethel Richards, Ardith Akre, Grace Provencher, Palmer Aaseby. Mrs. Henry Eide assisted the hostesses.

Buffet Supper.

Mrs. H. W. Brink delightfully entertained a number of friends at a buffet supper at her home on Duluth avenue north on Friday evening. The hours following were spent in a social manner. The honor guest was Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill., who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, Burr Oaks Farm. Other guests were Mrs. W. R. Patterson, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, Mrs. C. E. Andrews, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, Miss Grace Wilson, Miss Myrtle Blair, Miss Meta Kiland, Miss Irma Johnson, Miss Hazel Conklin and Miss Effie Hamry.

Schmitz-Breznay.

On Wednesday morning at 9:30 at St. Bernard's church occurred the marriage of Philip C. Schmitz of this city to Miss Veronica Breznay of Mavie. Rev. M. J. Noesen was the officiating clergyman. The couple was attended by Miss Julia Bologna and Mr. Breznay. After a brief honeymoon the young couple will return to this city to establish their home.

Informal Dancing Party.

Miss Twila Glines was hostess on Thursday evening at her home to a number of her classmates. The guests enjoyed a program of cards and dancing, concluded by a two course luncheon served by Mrs. C. E. Glines, mother of the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. Elmer Ohm. Those present were Misses Elsie Granum, Ethel Erickson, Anna Froseth, Edna Norquist, Gale Warner, Ruth and Nina Siverson, and Craig Halvorson, Lloyd Lonson, Henry Mellum, Guy Oftelie and Clifford Storholm.

Woman's Club to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held Monday afternoon, Oct. 17, in the Commercial club rooms. It is hoped all members will be present. The following is the program for this meeting: Piano duet, Mrs. C. O. Erickson and Frances Wengler; current events on national affairs, leader, Mrs. Laird; Belgium, the Brave, leaders, Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mrs. John Bratrud and Mrs. H. O. Chommie.

Lady Firemen to Entertain.

The old members of the ladies' auxiliary of the local firemen will entertain the new members at a party to be given at Odd Fellows hall on Saturday evening. A social time and dance will make up the program for the evening, followed by refreshments.

Rebekah Initiation.

The Rebekah lodge will hold its regular meeting at the I. O. O. F. hall this evening, at which time a new class will be initiated. The regular ceremonies will be followed by a social time. *Refreshments will be* served during the evening.

Dinner Party.

Honoring Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill., Mrs. H. O. Loken will entertain at a six o'clock dinner this evening. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson and two sons, Perry and Guy.

Eastman-Jacobson.

George Eastman and Jennie Jacobson were united in marriage on Oct. 3 at the bride's home on Duluth avenue south. Rev. R. L. Baruckman officiated in the presence of immediate relatives and friends.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union was entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. C. M. Carlson at the home of the latter on LaBree avenue. During the afternoon about 50 guests were served.

Series of Parties.

Mrs. H. O. Loken was hostess on Friday afternoon at the first of a series of parties, the second occurring on Saturday afternoon. Twenty-four ladies were present each day.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Bethlehem church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Chas. Evenson on Wednesday, Oct. 19.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Baruckman, Pastor—Oct. 16, 1921, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, Rev. Cook superintending. 11 a. m., Morning worship. Rev. C. E. Cook will preach a gospel sermon. 8 p. m., Evening worship. Rev. C. E. Cook will preach an evangelistic sermon. The choir provides special selections at each meeting for worship. 3 p. m., Junior C. E. 7 p. m., C. E. The Woman's Missionary Society will meet on Friday, Oct. 21.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon, Oct. 13, in the church parlors. Mesdames Nels Larson, Albert Engen, Hans Hermanson and Erling Dahl entertain. Young People's League the same evening. Mr. H. O. Chommie will give an address. Mesdames C. M. Carlson, J. O. Sether and Elmer Klungness entertain. Choir practice every Thursday evening in the church at 7 o'clock. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m., in the church basement. Divine service in English Sunday at 11 a. m. Vocal solo by Miss Carrie Brown. Divine service in Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Oct. 16: English services at Grygla at 10 a. m. English and German at Esplee at 3 p. m. English at Thorhult at 8 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. No morning service. At 7:30 p. m. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will preach. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire: The conference will continue over Sunday. Saturday at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. Business sessions at 7:30 p. m. Gospel services Sunday. The services will be at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Come and bring your friends. Temperance lecture by Mrs. Ulrikka Bruun of Chicago on Thursday, Oct. 20, at 8 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German service with holy communion Sunday morning at 10:30. Confessional service at 10 o'clock. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. English services and holy communion 8 p. m. Confessional services 7:30 p. m. The pastor will give an illustrated lecture on "Luther and the Reformation." Everybody is heartily welcomed to attend.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Morning services (city) 11 a. m. Afternoon services, Goodridge, 2:30 p. m. Evening services, city, 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid meets Thursday, the 20th. Mrs. Martin Stageberg and Mrs. T. O. Stageberg entertain. Zion Young People's Society will be entertained Thursday evening, the 20th, at 8:30. The members are asked to meet at 7:30 for business meeting. Choir practice every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the church. The confirmants meet every Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church basement.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No service and no Sunday school on Sunday. Ladies' Aid and Luther League will meet Wednesday, Oct. 19, entertained by Mrs. P. B. Malberg and Mrs. R. Johnson.

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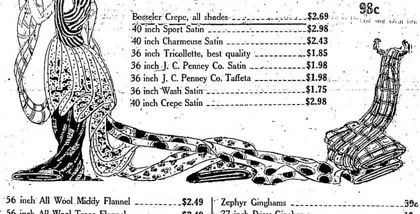

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

IOWA WRESTLER IS AFTER KOLN'S HIDE; CALLS HIM DODGER

Ralph E. Percaut of Spencer, Iowa, Sends Public Challenge to Greenbush Man.

Henry Koln of Greenbush, well known in this section because of his having been one of the principals in several wrestling matches in this city, is asked by Ralph E. Percaut of Spencer, Iowa, to defend his reputation. In a somewhat lengthy and unusual challenge, publication of which is requested by Mr. Percaut, the latter expresses his opinion of the Greenbush man in no uncertain language and makes an offer for a match that no first-class man is likely to overlook. After careful deleting, the challenge would appear about as follows:

"I would like to arrange a match with Henry Koln, champion of Greenbush, Minn., to take place at any time or any place he may select, Koln to name the terms.

"In 1917 I met Koln at my home town. It was my first year of wrestling and I was in no condition to go onto the mat at that time. As the matter had been arranged, and as the promoters as well as Koln stood to lose considerable money if I did not go on, I met him and was defeated. Ever since that match I have run after him all over the country for a match and have offered him all the inducements possible in order to get a return match, but to date have received no answer one way or another. I am forced to the belief that it is yellow jaundice that is keeping him from coming out of his hole and wrestling.

"I met him here in Iowa last spring for just a few minutes. Upon approaching him regarding a bout at Greenbush he put me off, saying it wouldn't draw a house. Well, maybe it wouldn't, but here is my proposition: I will bet anywhere from $100 to $5,000 and will send a certified check for $2,000 to any bank in his town to bind the deal, as a guarantee that I can floor him two out of three falls—or make him quit.

"I will weigh in at the ringside at 154 pounds, Koln to come as heavy as he wants to, money to be put in referee's hands before the match, referee to be some neutral party. This match is to take place at any time or place Koln wants it to.

"It has been six months since Koln promised me a bout and I haven't heard a word from him yet, so I am going to force him out of his hole. He has dodged around the bush for three years in order to keep away from me, so now I am going to call his hand. If no other way, I am coming up there and make him lay down the cards. There should be no argument about the weight. If anything, he has a little the best of it.

"I am ready and waiting for Koln to say the word. And if I lose I don't want a thing for my trouble. I will count the ties back home to dad, grasp the old fellow about the neck and repeat those noted words of Pershing's: 'Father, I am here.'

"Pull up the curtain, Henry, and let's give them some real wrestling. You have been picking off the soft stuff long enough."

GOOD ADVERTISING AS RESULT OF BANKERS' PROMOTION PROGRAM

Prominent Financial Paper Contains Article by Secretary of Local Association Giving Views as to Value of Movement.

The Minnesota Banker, a publication devoted to the banking interests of the state, has of late devoted almost as much space to livestock betterment as it has to financial matters. It is not surprising, therefore, that an article by Thos. H. Smith of the Farmers State bank of Mavie, secretary-treasurer of the Pennington County Bankers association, should be given a prominent place in the columns of The Banker for October. While the article deals primarily with the result of an attempt on the part of the bankers to aid the livestock industry, yet the other matters touched upon will give the county some good advertising. The article follows:

"The action of the Pennington County Bankers association in financing the exhibit of Pennington county Guernsey herds at the Minnesota state fair this year augurs well for both bankers and farmers of this county.

"For many years it has been almost a hobby with the bankers of Pennington county to urge upon farmers the purchase and raising of better dairy cattle. For some time efforts in this direction seemed to accomplish little, but while the reward was slow in coming it was nevertheless certain.

"At the time the bankers of this section first took up the better stock movement, the Farmers Co-operative creamery at Thief River Falls was a small and struggling institution. Today this same creamery is about the largest asset of the community, doing an annual business of about a million dollars.

"Other smaller creameries, some of no mean reputation, dot the county. All of these institutions have been distributing prosperity to the farmers patronizing them and incidentally the bankers have come in for their added portions of good things.

"Movements for community betterment are usually slow in getting started. This was the case with the better stock movement in Pennington county, but the impetus given it by the exhibit of Guernseys at the state fair cannot be overestimated.

"Pennington county bankers are very optimistic as to the results of their efforts. They see the benefits attained thus far many times multiplied in the near future. Nothing points to this with greater certainty than the expression seen on every hand of cordiality existing between farmers and bankers. The desire of both to assist each other is bringing about mutal co-operation which cannot help but bring added prosperity to our bankers."

GOVERNMENT TO MAKE MAIL BOX AND HOUSE NUMBER OVERHAULING

October 19 is Census Day and Citizens Are Asked to Have Their Properties Properly Equipped By That Date.

Postmaster John Morgan reports that in a recent order from the office of the Postmaster General, it is stated that if expeditious and efficient city delivery is to be accorded it is essential that all buildings to which mail is delivered be properly numbered and equipped with private mail receptacles. Without houses and buildings being numbered carriers are delayed in serving the routes and errors in delivery unavoidably occur, especially when substitutes are on duty. This condition, coupled with the lack of mail receptacles, inevitably impairs the efficiency and delays delivery, with a resultant public inconvenience and loss. To correct this evil it has been decided to conduct a nation-wide campaign with a view of having every building properly numbered and equipped with a suitable receptacle or a slot in the door.

As a preliminary step, on Oct. 19, the postmaster of every post office having city or village delivery service will require his carriers to report the address of every dwelling and place of business on their routes not so numbered or equipped.

In view of the foregoing it will be appreciated if all buildings, places of business and dwellings be numbered and mail receptacles provided to meet the above requirements so that when the national mail receptacle and house number census is taken by the carriers they may not find a dwelling or place of business to report which is not so equipped. If your number has been painted the same color as your house it is hard to see from the sidewalk. If the number is painted white it should be placed on a piece of board painted a dark color, or vice versa. Or perhaps your number could be moved so it could be more conveniently located.

Bazaar and Sale.

Tuesday, Oct. 18, the Daughters of Norway lodge will hold a bazaar and sale of fancy and useful articles of hand and fancy work of all kinds. Will also serve usual big lunch from 2 p. m. and all through the evening. All are cordially invited. To be held in the United church brick basement. O-13

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CATTLE RECEIPTS SHOW BIG GAIN

Cattle Supply Exceeds Demand. Prices Decline, Mostly 25c, Spots Off More.

Monday's Closing—Cattle 10,100, market closing mostly 25c lower. Best load lot of grass beeves $5.75. Calves 900. Closing mostly steady, bulk of best lights $9, few $9.50. Hogs 8,000. Market fully 25c higher, bulk $6.75 to $8, top $8.25. Pigs $8 to $8.25. Sheep 20,000. Killing lambs 25c lower. Best native and Dakota lambs $7.75. Feeding lambs closing steady to strong with best at $7. Sheep steady.

South St. Paul, Minn.—Cattle receipts at seven large markets were about 12,000 larger than last Monday, with the local run estimated at 10,000, showing practically 3,000 of the increase. The increased supply proved too much for the demand and prices declined mostly 25c, with spots off more, wiping out practically all of last week's advance. Best load lot of grass beeves sold to packers at $5.75, with bulk going from $4.75 to $5.50 and a few of the commonest ones down to $4. Best load of grass heifers sold at $5 with practically none higher. Bulk of butcher cows and heifers sold from $3 to $4.50. Canners and cutters were weak to 25c lower, selling at $2 to $3. Bologna bulls held steady, prices ranging from $2.75 to $3.75. No change was noted in the deal for veal calves at the week's opening, best lights going to packers at $9, a few $9.50. Good and choice stock steers held practically steady, with some sales being made at $5.25 to $5.60, but bulk of stockers and feeders were 25c or more lower, most of them selling from $5 down to $3.50.

Hogs opened fully 25c higher, the range being from $6.25 to $8.25, bulk $6.75 to $8: Desirable pigs $8 to $8.25. Desirable native and Dakota lambs sold as killers mostly 25c lower, bulk going at $7.75. Good to choice Montana and western South Dakota feeding lambs sold at $6.50 to $6.75 carrying wet fleeces, with some held at $7. Bulk of light and medium weight ewes were steady at $3.75 with good 102-pound western ewes at $4.

$1,500 IN JUNIOR STOCK CONTESTS

Calves, Pigs and Lambs Fed By Boys and Girls Enter Final Show November 16.

Fifteen hundred boys and girls on Minnesota farms have been feeding baby beef and dairy calves, hogs and sheep this summer in competition for Junior Livestock show honors, according to W. A. McKerrow, secretary of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders association.

The climax of their work will come on Nov. 17, when judging will begin at the fourth annual show at South St. Paul. The show opens on Nov. 16. The best animals raised by the boys and girls of each county in six to eight months of careful feeding have been selected through local competition to enter the final event of the year at the Junior Livestock show. Nov. 18, the last day of the show, will be devoted to an auction sale of beef calves, hogs and sheep. *Nearly $9,000 will be spent for prizes* and the expenses of the contestants.

In 1916 the Minnesota Livestock Breeders association decided to devote the major part of its income to promoting the work of boys' and girls' calf clubs and competitive junior shows. There were only 35 animals at the first state show; at the 1920 show there were 120 beef calves alone, while two boys from each of 15 counties exhibited dairy calves, and 40 pigs from 40 counties and 40 lambs from 20 counties were entered.

The 1921 show will be the climax of years of work by stockmen, club leaders, county agents and the livestock breeders' association.

Marriage Licenses.

Irving T. Rudd, Clay county, and Christine Lundberg, Pennington.

Willis J. Kistler and Onata Lillian Elaine Stoppel, both of Pennington county.

Arthur E. Johnson, Polk county, and Emma E. Bell, Pennington county.

Fred Hanson and Louise Wilson, both of Pennington county.

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction at my farm, the Northeast Quarter of Section 19, Town of Norden, 7 miles west and 2 miles north of Thief River Falls

Friday, October 21, 1921
at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

HORSES
- One bay mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1400.
- One brown mare, 9 yrs. old, wt. 1400.
- One bay mare, 11 yrs. old, wt. 1200.
- One bay mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1200.
- One gray mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1400.
- One yearling colt.

CATTLE
- One black cow, fresh in December.
- One grade Hereford, will freshen soon.
- Three red cows, fresh in December.
- Three red cows, coming fresh this winter.
- One red and white cow, was fresh in July.
- One dark cow, coming fresh in Jan.
- One red cow, coming fresh in spring.
- One red bull, 1 year old.
- Two steers, 1 year old.
- Two heifers, 1 year old.
- Four spring calves.
- Thirty-two grade Shropshire ewes.
- Three bucks.
- Two wethers.
- Sixteen pigs, 2 months old.
- One sow.
- Forty-two chickens.

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- One 12-25 Avery tractor.
- Five Moline plow bottoms.
- One 490 Chevrolet automobile, five passenger.
- One Deering binder.
- One Emerson gang plow.
- One Kentucky drill, 20 single disc.
- One Acme mower.
- One Acme rake.
- One McCormick rake.
- One 5-section harrow.
- One potato digger.
- One International cultivator.
- One Fosston fanning mill.
- One 7-in. feed mill.
- One John Deere double disc, 10-ft.
- One Emerson 4-bottom plow.
- One wide tire wagon with box.
- One truck wagon.
- One narrow tire wagon.
- Two sets bob sleighs.
- Two hay racks.
- One stock tank.
- One tank heater.
- Two sets work harness.
- One pump jack.
- One forge.
- One anvil.
- One drilling machine.
- One incubator.
- One DeLaval cream separator.
- Two hundred bushels oats.
- One hundred fifty bu. buckwheat.
- Other articles too numerous to mention.

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Wednesday, Oct. 19
at 11:00 o'clock A. M.

HORSES
- One white mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1250.
- One gray mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1300.
- One bay mare, wt. 1200.

CATTLE
- One red cow, fresh in December.
- One red cow, fresh in December.
- One grade Guernsey cow, fresh in June.
- One red cow, fresh in April.
- One red cow, fresh in April.
- One brindle cow, fresh in March.
- Two heifers, fresh in June.
- One bull, 1½ years old.
- One bull, 1 year old.
- Four calves.
- Twenty-five chickens.

MACHINERY
- One Moline binder, 6 ft. cut, nearly new.
- One John Deere gang plow, 14 in.
- One John Deere sulky plow, 16 in.
- One 14 in. Moline brush breaker.
- One Osborn disc, 16 discs.
- One Van Brunt drill, 16 discs.
- One 4-horse drag.
- One 1-horse cultivator.
- One set bob sleighs.
- One wagon with box complete.
- One truck wagon with rack.
- One Bull Dog fanning mill.
- One hay rack.
- One Deering mower.
- One Deering hay rake.
- One buggy.
- One set buggy harness.
- One set work harness.
- One set blacksmith tools.
- One Empire cream separator.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
- One soft coal heater.
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- One washing machine.
- One baby carriage, nearly new.
- Other articles too numerous to mention.

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During this month, the month of October, we wish to announce that we will again allow

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Discount on all dental work

It is not necessary for you to have the work completed this month in order to get the discount. All work contracted for during October entitles you to the same reduction.

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BRINGS UNIVERSITY NEARER.

Any man, properly qualified, who fails to take advantage of the general extension division evening business course of the University of Minnesota will be missing what might easily prove the opportunity of his life. The course, of which more extensive mention is made in another section of this issue, offers a two-year study period, divided into four semesters or sections. All instruction is under the direct supervision of one of the most competent local men available and conforms in every respect to the work done in the university proper. The plan is a part of the general extension work of that institution.

The subject to be taken up is business law, a knowledge of which is now almost an essential qualification no matter in what pursuit a person may engage.

It is hard to see where the university could have inaugurated a plan of greater value to those who will take advantage of it. To young men finishing the course it insures credits which will enable them to enter the university and continue their studies, should they so desire, while to the general run of business man it supplies exactly the knowledge he has long recognized as essential to his success.

The entrance requirements are very moderate and almost any man of ordinary education and intelligence may become a student. The result will more than justify any expenditure of time that may have proved necessary. It is an opportunity that should not be overlooked.

TAX COMPARISONS.

The most unpopular things in the world, with the possible exception of the kaiser, are taxes. There is not a community in the United States in which the people do not believe they are being abused and robbed by those whose business it is to see that they are properly governed. Sometimes the people are right, but it is safe to say that more often they are wrong. There is no way of figuring whether taxes are high or low except by comparison. If another community is getting more while expending less, it is certain that the home town is being poorly handled. And it is seldom admitted that the home town is being as well handled in this respect as is some neighboring burg. The tax rate is always high, no matter how low it may be. On the iron ranges where the mining companies pay about 90 per cent of what is collected under this head there is just as much kicking as anywhere else.

The city of Thief River Falls can hardly be called a low-tax town. Last year the total assessment amounted to 89.6 mills. This seems high until compared with some neighboring communities laying pretensions to city size. In Bemidji, for instance, the rate was 165 mills—nearly twice what our people had to pay. This does not prove much unless the valuation is taken into consideration but there is every evidence that the Bemidji valuation is higher in comparison than that at Thief River Falls. Perhaps we are not so grossly mishandled as we sometimes think. Taxes, even though regarded as an evil, are necessary and there is no getting away from them.

There are very few men who are not absolutely positive they could make a great reduction if given the opportunity, but they are mistaken. Some of the most proficient kickers ever developed have been elected to office on a tax-reduction platform. They undoubtedly meant well but found themselves as helpless as their predecessors when it came to the point of furnishing any real relief.

Changing or improving the system might help some. Advertising to the outside world that you are living in a tax-ridden community will only scare people away and make matters worse.

THE DOWLING MEMORIAL.

The editors of Minnesota have been asked to help perpetuate the memory of the late Michael J. Dowling of Olivia by raising a one hundred thousand dollar fund for a memorial hall for crippel children at Phalen Park, where the state home for crippled children is situated. No more fitting monument could be erected in honor of a truly remarkable man, and the editors will meet the request with enthusiasm.

While the work of securing this amount falls upon the newspaper men, the money must come from the citizens who realize the great importance of carrying the project to success.

Mike Dowling was a national character. His great aim was the saving of cripples to a life of usefulness at a time when the rest of the world was bent upon the destruction of as many human beings as possible. A cripple himself, he had faced the fact bravely and made a success of life in spite of his handicap. His own experience and the realization of the fact that others similarly situated might profit by a knowledge of how he had made good led him to become interested in cripples of every description and particularly in crippled children.

His memory is worth perpetuating and the editors of the state have set out to do so in the most fitting manner. In this work they will be enthusiastically assisted by the entire citizenry. The American Legion boys will get behind the movement, knowing of the splendid work the Minnesota man did for those who were crippled on the battle field. The bankers will help because Michael Dowling was one of their number and commanded their unstinted admiration and respect. The general public will help because the need for a home for cripples such as that proposed is recognized. The children will help because their assistance will go toward making the unfortunate among their number happy and useful citizens. Everybody will help.

The editor nearest your home has been appointed to receive your contribution. It need not and should not be large. The dates set for making this collection is from Oct. 17 to Oct. 31. Get behind this movement. It means happiness for thousands perhaps and a fitting memorial to a great Minnesotan.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region)

If Baudette gets any more dogs there won't be enough fleas to go around.

A southern Minnesota exchange complains that old maids and old bachelors are always advising married couples how to raise their children. And then it takes up ten inches of space in telling northern Minnesota how to prevent forest fires.

Magazines are full of advs about wood finish. The surest wood finish we can think of is wood alcohol.

A Northwest Angle girl got a good start on a musical career last week. She swallowed a phonograph needle.

Come on you Indians with your summer.

Looks as if New York will win the world's series.

Bemidji has one resident who should have no difficulty in making his way through life. His name is Otto Hurns.

We don't know who the next mayor of Baudette will be. All we know is that he won't have any sense.

"Prohibition will lengthen life four years," says a cold water speaker. It will seem that much longer, anyway.

STATE EDITORIAL OPINION

THE KLAN AND THE GANG.

Renville County Journal: The Ku Klux Klan is being likened unto the old state political gang during the Burnquist regime. If exposures now being made of the Klan are true it would be hard to decide which is most detrimental to society. Not having been unfortunate enough to have any Klan activities in this part of the country, we believe the gang had it on them.

CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE.

Le Sueur Herald: A fellow at Northfield writes the fair association that he lost some pop bottles at the late county fair, and would be glad to receive a check in payment for same. Such gross carelessness on the part of the officials should not be tolerated. The president and treasurer should go around with a basket and gather all the stray pop bottles and deliver them, with apologies, to the rightful and respective owners.

A DISAPPEARING RACE.

Worthington Globe: If any of you free American citizens think you are having a hard time, just cast your eyes over Europeward and see to what extent the king industry is in the dumps.

WHERE THE DIFFERENCE LIES.

Warren Register: A Kansas City editor was called as an expert in a lawsuit and asked to define the difference between news and scandal. His opinion as to which is which makes interesting reading, but is too technical and hair-splitting for reproduction here. In actual practice most of the big city dailies hold that if a matter concerns people of prominence in business, society or politics it is news, but if it relates to only common folks it is scandal and unfit to print.

LOOK ON THE BRIGHT SIDE.

Wabasha Herald: Maybe it will be a hard winter. Maybe the big railroad strike will take place. Perhaps the price of coal will be sky high, and very likely there will be any number of other disagreeable things in the next months, but just think of the bright sunshine of next spring; the chirp of the song birds and the laughter of the children, and get that old streak of gloom out of your system. Aren't you glad that you are alive

IT STANDS TO REASON.

Erskine Echo: It is useless to expect the people to do their Christmas buying early unless the merchants do their holiday advertising early. Smoke a pipeful of wisdom, gentlemen.

Five Children Burned to Death in Clearwater County

Five children of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, the eldest 14 years of age, were burned to death early Saturday in a fire at Pine Center, 15 miles from Bagley. The children were sleeping in rooms over a general store and post office, which was destroyed.

BUSINESS STUDY FOLLOWS COLLEGE

Ruth Hamilton—college bred, knows now that when it comes right down to getting a good position, no training equals that of a high grade commercial school. Such is the Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., which Miss Hamilton attended. Result: she now holds a fine secretarial position with the big Illinois Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago.

Over 40 women trained at Dakota Business College are now bank officers—tellers, cashiers, etc.

"Follow the Succe$$ful." Enroll now. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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Light up a SPANA CUBA. Compare its mild, cool richness with any other cigar of the same size. Now 2 for 15c. *You'll agree its an exceptional value.*

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TO
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From Thief River Falls

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RETURNING not Later than
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We worked on Camels for years before we put them on the market. Years of testing—blending—experimenting with the world's choicest tobaccos.

And now, EVERY DAY, all our skill, manufacturing experience and lifelong knowledge of fine tobaccos are concentrated on making Camel the best cigarette that can be produced.

There's nothing else like Camel QUALITY. And there's nothing else like Camels wonderful smoothness, fine tobacco flavor and FREEDOM FROM CIGARETTY AFTERTASTE.

That's why Camel popularity is growing faster than ever.

A better cigarette cannot be made.

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Declaration of Principles

We stand for progress; for a bigger and better city; for economical administration of city affairs; for a clean city, not dominated by any certain clique, class or faction, and if elected, we pledge ourselves to conduct a city administration of which no citizen need be ashamed.

We believe that every man and woman should go to the polls and vote. No one should allow their personal affairs to interfere with this privilege and duty. We desire to make a special appeal to the women voters of this city, because we expect to conduct an administration that will meet with their approval, and we ask them to earnestly and carefully consider the issues in this campaign and then vote their convicitions.

Do Not Fail to Vote

Paving is not an issue in this campaign. The paving controversy has passed into history. The matter is fully settled and the streets will be paved just as soon as the weather will permit the contractor to finish the work, and the candidates on this ticket are in favor of the present contract being carried out and fully completed as soon as possible.

Whereas, it has been unfairly stated that an attempt might be made to assess the cost of paving to general taxation, we solemnly pledge ourselves that if elected, we will make no attempt to assess the cost of paving to general taxation; that we will effectively resist any attempt to change the present plan of paying the cost of paving.

(Signed)

WILL PRICHARD, JR.
FRED DABLOW
F. F. HAYNES
MARTIN EVENSON
DAVE GUSTAFSON
C. W. VORACHEK
ANDREW NESS

City News

Remember the Daughters of Norge Bazaar. O-13

Wm. Poirier visited with friends at Radium and Stephen on Sunday.

Warren Lewis of Esplee made a business trip to this city on Monday.

Peter Olson returned to Oklee yesterday after a brief visit with local friends.

Mrs. E. F. Dann left Tuesday afternoon for St. Hilaire to spend several days.

R. Anderson of Plummer arrived Tuesday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Al Simmons of Minneapolis spent a few days this week visiting with local friends.

Misses Katie Reidl and Esther Meyers of Steiner were visitors here over Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad of St. Hilaire was a shopper here between trains on Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Rosland of Holt was the guest of friends here on Friday and Saturday.

County Agent J. W. Taylor of Grygla attended to business matters here on Monday.

W. A. Hall, Jr., left Saturday night for the Twin Cities to attend to matters of business.

J. Knutson and Peter Olson of Roseau were business visitors here the first of the week.

Miss Ragna Loberg of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Saturday between trains.

Misses Lolu Allen and Eunice Peterson of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Ed. Jordan of International Falls returned to his home Tuesday morning after a brief visit here.

Mrs. A. Burringrud left Friday for Middle River, where she will spend some time visiting relatives.

August Erickson and sister, Miss Mary, of Karlstad, visited friends in this city the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burtney and Mrs. F. J. Cook, all of Roseau, were shoppers in this city on Tuesday.

Miss Olive Patterson and Miss Peterson, instructors in the St. Hilaire schools, shopped here on Saturday.

Tanlac, the remarkable remedy that everybody is talking about, is sold by Lamberts' drug store.—O13

Mrs. J. O. Sether went to Steiner Monday morning for a brief visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Sande.

Mrs. A. Moreau and grandson, Tom Rowan, Jr., of Argyle, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. Mae Rowan.

Misses Karen and Marie Knutson left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo to enjoy a two weeks' vacation with friends.

Mrs. H. B. Newell left Thursday night on a two weeks' vacation to be spent with her parents at Conaton, this state.

Mrs. A. S. Supero and Mrs. A. Shedlov left Tuesday night for a few days' visit with relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

Miss Esther Koffman and Mrs. Norby of Newfolden attended to shopping and visited with friends in this city Saturday.

Miss Susie Smith returned to her home at Baudette Friday morning after spending a day here receiving medical treatment.

Ortiss Holmes arrived on Saturday from his home at St. Hilaire for an over Sunday visit with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Conner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Culbertson and Miss Marie Nelson went to Crookston on Friday afternoon to spend a few days visiting friends.

John and Mary McMilland returned to their home at Fargo yesterday after spending a few days here with friends.

Rudolph Leverson, Chas Knutson and Carl Olson, all of Grygla, were business visitors here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Sorrels returned to their home at Williams yesterday after spending a few days here visiting friends.

Tanlac is a splendid tonic and system purifier, now selling at the rate of almost Ten Million bottles a year. Lambert's drug store.—O-13

Miss Oleda Brenna of Middle River spent Friday visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Gustafson. She returned to Middle River Saturday.

Misses Gladys Black, Josephine Eichhammer and Stella Haus, all of Grand Forks, motored to this place Saturday to attend the football game.

Mrs. W. R. Patterson, Miss Irma Johnson and Mrs. Ross V. Noper spent Tuesday at Goodridge visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, operator at the Great Northern, left on Friday for Crookston and visited until Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Murphy.

Get rid of that nervous, fretful feeling. Brace up. Take Tanlac and you will look everybody in the face with a smile. Sold at Lambert's drug store.—O-13

Mrs. C. Erlandson of Stephen visited with friends here Thursday evening, leaving in the morning on the Great Northern for Middle River to visit other friends.

Misses Selma and Mabel Showland, who had attended the teachers institute at Warren, were the guests of friends here Friday evening enroute to their respective schools at Newfolden and Steiner.

Miss Mary Wing arrived Friday evening from Warren after attending teachers institute for a week and was an over night guest of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley, leaving the following morning for her home at Middle River, where she teaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Malloy of Stillwater and their daughter, Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer, at whose home they had visited for a week, were guests of friends here Thursday of last week.

Misses Ruth and Meta Koepp arrived on Friday evening from Warren, where they had spent a week attending teachers institute. They left Saturday morning for Middle River, near which place they teach.

Miss Maude Evanham of Moorhead, who teaches near Middle River, was the guest of friends here Friday evening enroute from Warren, where she attended teachers institute, to Moorhead to resume her duties.

Miss Ingaborg, mother superior of the Norwegian Deaconess hospital at Chicago, accompanied by her niece, Miss Inez Johnson, with whom she had visited for two weeks, left last Thursday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days with friends. Miss Johnson returned to this city Saturday morning, while the former continued to points in North Dakota to visit friends before returning to Chicago.

THIEF RIVER CLINIC

DR. O. F. MELLBY
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

DR. H. W. FROEHLICH
Surgery and Obstetrics

DR. L. F. FISHER
Internal Medicine and X-Ray

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When Prices Are Low

PERHAPS no two classes of our industries in this locality are so much dependent upon each other as are farming and banking.

When crops are light, or prices low, it calls for a rearrangement of the farmer's financial plans and the banker's business policy. It is not a time for either to travel about with his tale of trouble but a time for both to settle down to a closer and more intimate co-operation to "weather the storm" together.

Here, your problems are our problems, and will receive our considerate attention. Bank WITH us and you can bank ON us to give you a service intelligently planned with an understanding of your problems.

Citizens State Bank

There is Value in a Smile

It pays to smile when you telephone.

It is helpful in the good feeling, friendliness and co-operation it creates.

There is value for you in the telephone smile in the knowledge that by your cordiality you win the higher regard of friends and associates; in the fact that it makes the day run smoother for you and for others.

When you telephone, smile, always.

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Hundreds of dollars have been spent in entirely remodeling our Big Bargain Basement. The latest of new fixtures, the newest time saving devices and machinery, all in order to give you the Greatest Bargain Center this side of Minneapolis.

20 Thousand Dollars' Worth of New Merchandise

was bought at the new and lowest market prices just before the advance. These goods are arriving daily by freight and express. We want you to compare our new low Bargain Basement prices with all catalog competition, with all local competition, and with any competitor's prices in the United States. If you do you'll find our prices are by far the lowest.

Notions

Coats' 150 yd. Cotton Thread, 6 spools for	25c
50 yd. Silk Thread, 6 spools for	25c
Coats' Crochet Cotton, all sizes, per ball	10c
Children's Garters, all sizes, per pair	10c
Pearl Buttons, per doz.	5c
Double Mesh Hair Nets, each only	10c
Silko, per spool	10c
Fancy Jet and Cranberry Red Beads, wonder values at	69c
Hair bow 6 inch ribbons	19c

A Complete Stock of Silks at New Prices

36 in. all silk Tricollette, all colors
40 in. all silk Crepe de Chine, all colors
40 in. all silk Georgettes, all colors
36 in. all silk Messaline
36 in. all silk Satins
36 in. all silk Taffetas
36 in. all silk Plaids and Stripes, all colors.
1.39

New Basement Ready-to-Wear Wonder Values

Women's and Misses' heavy winter Coats, a big line of $18.50 and $25 values now ready at each	$13.95
New all wool plaids and Prunella stripe Skirts, you'll recognize them as $10 values, here only	$5.95
Silk Waists, Crepe de Chene, Georgette and Satin, a very special Basement Opening value	$2.95
Women's flannel night gowns	69c
Women's flannel petticoats	39c
Children's sateen bloomers	25c
Womens' sateen bloomers	69c
Women's percale aprons	69c
36 in. Curtain goods	15c
Baby Crib Blankets, Each	65c

Domestics

27 in. Outing Flannels, all fancy patterns, yd.	12½c
36 in. White Outing Flannel, per yard	18c
Pillow Cases, 42 x 36, ea.	25c
9-4 Bleached Sheeting, per yard	39c
42 in. Pillow tubing, yd.	35c
27 in. Stevens All-Linen Toweling, per yard	25c
47 in. Oil Cloth, plain or fancy, per yard	25c
36 in. Percales, light or dark, per yard	15c
36 in. good quality black Sateen, per yard	25c
Fine quality Bleached Nainsook, per yard	25c
Sanitol 50c Tooth Paste	29c

All wool Prosperity Yarns, ¼ lb. skeins, each	48c
2-oz. Balls, each	32c
Women's pink brocaded Brassieres, each	25c
Women's good $2 value pink elastic top Corsets, each	98c
Women's $3 quality pink Warner Corsets	$1.39
P. N. $1 Corsets, all sizes, special each	$1.95

Underwear

Women's fleece lined union suits, fine quality, good weight	$1.00
Girls' heavy Velastic union suits, each	95c
Infants' fine ribbed wool mixed shirts	39c
Women's separate garments, vests and drawers, at	50c

Hosiery

Womens' mixed wool and cotton heavy hose, pr.	39c
Women's all wool fine rib heather mixture sport hose	79c
Womens' cotton hose, per pair	15c
Boys' and girls' heavy fine and coarse rib hose	19c
Children's cotton hose, per pair	10c
Misses' fashioned fine rib cotton hose	29c

Specials

Palm Olive Soap, 15 bars for	$1.00
Swiss Rose Soap, 3 bars for	25c
4 qt. Aluminum Sauce Pan	49c
Aluminum Roasters	$1.25
Aluminum 6 qt. Kettles	$1.98
Aluminum 6 qt. Rice Boilers	$1.19
Heavy 10 qt. Tin Dairy Pails	49c

A Full Line of Fine China and Glassware at Special Prices.

LOKEN'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

City News

Nels Engstrom and Earl Boe, of Roseau, were visitors here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Huus, O. Erickson and Selma Huus, all of Hatton, N. D., were in the city Friday and Saturday visiting friends.

Chas. Miller of Baudette attended to business affairs here on Friday.

Fred Effinger of Devils Lake, N. D., was the guest of friends here on Monday.

Mrs. A. Jahr and Mrs. O. Jahr returned to their homes at Hitterdahl on Saturday after spending a few days with friends here.

Dr. H. Heddin of Twin Valley was here on Tuesday between trains.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer returned yesterday from Grand Forks, where she had spent a week visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Miller of Crookston were guests at the Rolland homes in this city on Sunday and Monday.

New fur coats, big reductions in prices, at Loken's. O-13

Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy and baby, of Steiner, were in the city yesterday visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. M. Horlacker of Indianapolis, Ind., who had spent a week visiting her sister, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, returned to Grand Forks Saturday to continue her visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mallory.

Mrs. A. Melville of Oslo visited friends here on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Kistler returned yesterday morning from a brief wedding trip to Minneapolis.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left Sunday evening for Laverne to attend a meeting of the Presbyterian Synod. Returning he will visit friends at his former home at Sioux Falls, S. D.

A. J. Anderson, cashier of the Citizens State bank of Grygla, made a visit to friends here Monday enroute to Minneapolis to attend the National Dairy show.

Chas. Ptacek of Mavie was in the city Monday attending to business matters.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson went to Holt yesterday morning to visit her parents.

Olga and Thordis Svensgaard were called to their home at Mavie Tuesday because of the serious illness of their brother.

Miss Eileen Herron expects to leave the latter part of this week for an over Sunday visit with friends in Minneapolis.

Mrs. J. M. Murphy and baby daughter came down from Middle River yesterday to attend the Eastern Star festivities last evening.

Mrs. I. L. Hall left yesterday afternoon for Fargo, where she will visit friends for several days.

Mrs. M. Hyland, who had spent six weeks in this vicinity visiting numerous relatives and friends, left yesterday afternoon for her home at Spokane, Wash.

Mrs. A. A. Hyland of St. Hilaire was in the city yesterday receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. Chas. Norby of Strathcona arrived yesterday for a brief visit with friends.

Karl Korstad, who has conducted a store at Highlanding for the past five years, was a visitor here on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Korstad will move in a short time to the Red Lake agency, where Mr. Korstad will engage in the mercantile business. Mrs. Korstad and son are at present guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Korstad.

Miss Therese Giefer, who teaches at Goodridge, spent the week-end visiting her folks here.

Mrs. Oscar Knutson and two children are spending the week at Goodridge visiting Mrs. Frank Pittman and Miss Kathleen Lang.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown and Roy Brown motored to Grygla Sunday and spent the day visiting relatives.

Rev. T. E. Sweger left Monday for Baudette to attend a church meeting opening on Tuesday and continuing to Thursday. About fourteen ministers are expected to be present.

N. Rippy of Baudette spent the week-end visiting friends here. He has secured employment here and expect to return soon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCarty and Mrs. W. H. Bob Durant left last evening for Minneapolis to spend ten days visiting the parents of Mrs. McCarty and Mrs. Bon Durant.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson and son, Harold, returned Monday morning from Detroit, where they had visited over Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. R. Gunderson of Detroit was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson on Monday.

Word has reached this city of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Swenson, who recently left here to make their home at Aberdeen, S. D.

Remember the Daughters of Norge Bazaar. O-13

J. M. Bishop returned this morning from St. Paul, where he had been for a few days on business. While there Mr. Bishop attended a meeting of the Royal Arch Masons.

Mrs. C. A. Newhouse, Mrs. F. E. Stallman and Mrs. S. E. Miller, all of East Grand Forks, were guests of Mrs. H. C. Johnson yesterday. They also attended the meeting of the Eastern Star held in the evening.

Mrs. Arthur Hallen and Mrs. C. A. Rudd of East Grand Forks were in attendance at the meeting of the Eastern Star lodge held last evening. While in the city they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Storholm.

The expected big drop in fur coats has arrived. Now about one-third less than 30 days ago. New fur coats at $50; fine beaveret fur coats $125; 40-in. seal coats, large black collars and cuffs, $150; beautiful Marmouth coats $100. See them at once. Loken Bros. O-13

Mrs. F. E. McKnight and little son arrived this morning from Pittsburgh, Pa., *and will make their home* here. Mr. McKnight came about a month ago and is employed at the Lambert drug store.

Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, returned yesterday from Badger, where he had spent a few days on business.

G. P. Daley, state bank examiner, of East Grand Forks, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop Tuesday evening.

H. B. Whittier, state parole agent, was in the city last evening on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren and son, Harry, drove over from Plummer last evening for a visit with friends.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich returned on Sunday from Owatonna, where she had attended the annual convention of the Federation of Women's clubs. She will leave this week for Minneapolis to attend the state meeting of the League of Women Voters. Other delegates attending will be Mrs. A. P. Fox, Mrs. W. R. Patterson and Mrs. Robert Vance.

Remember the Daughters of Norge Bazaar. O-13

J. J. Vorachek returned the last of the week from a visit with a daughter at Grafton. He also visited with friends at Grafton, Park River, Pisek, Fordville and Langdon. On his return he was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harazen of the last-named city, who visited friends here for a few days.

Lynn Halvorson, John Hendry and David Evenson motored to Crookston the first of the week ofr a visit with friends.

Mrs. H. L. Sande arrived the first of the week from Steiner for a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Lockland returned to their home at Rainy River, Ont., Tuesday after spending a few days visiting friends here.

Mrs. Robt. Bose of Grand Forks spent Saturday visiting with Miss Lottie Austin.

All those coming from east and wishing to go to the flour mill should drive straight on across the Soo tracks and continue west to Knight avenue, then drive down this street past the Catholic church and turn off when near the mill.—Hanson & Barzen Milling Co.—O-13

Mrs. W. R. Patterson, Mrs. Ross V. Noper and Miss Irma Johnson spent Tuesday at Goodridge visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

LOST—Friday, on the west road five miles out of town, an Oakland crank and light rim. Finder return to Rev. George Larson. O-13p

Miss Marie Knutson, for the past year county nurse of Pennington county, has resigned her position and left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo, where she has accepted a position in the City hospital. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Karen, superintendent at the sanatorium, who will spend two weeks visiting at Fargo and towns near there.

Miss Josie Halvorson left Tuesday afternoon for Fergus Falls, where she will spend several days.

Mrs. Theo. Salverson, who had spent several days visiting relatives here, left Tuesday afternoon for her home at Ada.

Clarence and Ruby Rice, students at the local high school, spent the week-end visiting at their home at Plummer.

Miss Minnie Schie, who is employed at Karlstad, visited at her home at Mavie and with friends here for a few days this week.

Miss Mamie Zavoral, who is teaching school near Mavie, spent the week-end visiting her folks here.

Miss Gertrude Peterson, who had spent some time visiting friends at Grand Forks, returned to this city on Saturday.

Miss Freda Ristau spent the week-end visiting with relatives at Mahnomen.

Fred and Ernest Ristau of Germantown were in the city on Monday, leaving on the Great Northern for International Falls, where they will be employed this winter.

Miss Emma Ptacek was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her parents near Mavie.

Miss Myrtle Erickson of Goodridge was the guest of friends here on Friday enroute to Devils Lake, N. D., near which place she will teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson and son, who had visited with relatives and friends in St. Paul, returned to this city on Saturday.

Miss Alma Thune, who had recently completed a course at the Grand Forks business college, has accepted a position as stenographer in Loken Brothers' department store.

Attorney J. M. Bishop left Sunday night for St. Paul, where he will remain for a few days on business.

E. L. Helgeland returned to this city on Monday, having spent a brief time at Crookston attending to business matters.

Miss Helga Quindlog returned to this city Friday evening from Warren, where she had spent a few days at the teachers' institute.

Miss Lena Gullingsrud, who is teaching at Gully, spent the week-end visiting at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Halgrim of Rosewood were in the city on Monday visiting Mrs. Halgrim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Miss Ann Tharaldson returned to Fosston Sunday evening after a brief visit with her mother.

Mrs. R. E. Carter of Grand Forks passed a few days the first of the week as the guest of her friend, Mrs. Harold Provencher, enroute to Bronson to visit other friends.

Mrs. A. Dybvik and son, Donald, returned Monday from Blackduck, where they had attended the funeral of the former's brother, who was accidentally killed.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Severson motored over from Crookston and spent the week-end visiting numerous relatives and friends. Mr. Severson until his removal from this city a year ago was engaged in the dray and transfer business.

Emil and Arthur Zinter of St. Hilaire were business callers here on Tuesday.

Mrs. R. E. Spink, Mrs. C. A. Berg and Miss Allison, all of Middle River, motored to this city on Saturday to meet Miss Adair, who had attended the teachers' institute at Warren. Miss Adair and Miss Allison are teachers in the Middle River school.

Geo. W. Walker left Sunday night for Minneapolis in response to a message that his household goods had been seriously damaged in a fire which threatened with complete destruction the flat in which the Walker family resides.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Quill and Mrs. O. L. Neste of Park River, N. D., motored to this city on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kemp and Miss Putnam, all of Pembina, visited with friends here Monday and Tuesday.

Misses Hazel Lunsetter and Mary Moberg, who had been employed at Langdon, N. D., visited at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. S. Leiran, on Friday, leaving Saturday morning for their home at Gatzke, where they will spend the winter.

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Can you ask more convincing proof of merit?

John Aase, farmer, Thief River Falls, says: "A cold settled on my kidneys and caused me some trouble when I was working. When I stooped my back was so stiff and lame it was hard for me to get up *again. I used to feel tired before* my work was half finished and I felt pretty mean. I bought a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Newell's Drug Store and in a short time they cured me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Aase had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

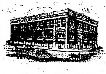

Keeping Step With Progress

THESE are days of rapid economic changes—and the intelligent man of vision, whether on the farm, or in the shop or office, grasps every opportunity to study business and keep abreast of the times. In matters of banking and finance, this Bank welcomes the chance to talk to you, and keep you advised with such information as we are continually receiving from our Correspondents in other sections.

You are under no obligation at all, for dropping in, and consulting with us about your plans.

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It is a mistake to continually dose yourself with so-called laxative pills, calomel, oil, purges and cathartics and force bowel action. It weakens the bowels and liver and makes constant dosing necessary.

Why don't you begin right today to overcome your constipation and get your system in such shape that daily purging will be unnecessary? You can do so if you get a 25c box of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) and take one each night for seven or ten.

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Better than Pills For Liver Ills.
GET A 25c Box

LAMBERT'S DRUG STORE

A Vision of the People's Good

IN his issue of September 22, Mr. H. A. Sturges, Editor of the Republic of Beresford, S. D., prints the following editorial:

"The Republic has carried for a long time a series of messages in the form of advertisements, ordered and paid for by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana). There is a notion on the part of many that everything that a corporation does is of a selfish nature, and that there never is a vision of the people's good. These messages have carried an entirely different tone, and we believe they are worth reading from week to week. The data this week is very interesting."

This recognition of the sincere effort which the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has put forth through these advertisements to inform the public as to its purposes, policies and ideals, is gratifying.

In the opinion of the seven Directors of this organization, the business of this Company should be, and is, an open book.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is an institution performing an essential service in a highly specialized branch of industry.

This Company is owned by 21,188 individuals, not one of whom owns as much as 10 percent of the capital stock.

The management of this Company centers about seven men, who constitute the Board of Directors. Each one is a specialist in one or more branches of the petroleum industry, and devotes all of his time to the business and affairs of this Company. Not one of the Directors has inherited his job; he has earned it.

Individually, and collectively, the Board of Directors believes that the business in which this Company is engaged is so vital, so important to the commercial and domestic life of all the people of the eleven states it serves, that they have caused to be published this series of advertisements, that the people may know how the business is being conducted.

Further, the 25,000 men and women who make up this organization are putting forth such enthusiastic, painstaking efforts to do a good job for the Company, and in turn, for the people, that the Directors are glad to tell the public what is being done.

Through these advertisements they are giving an account of their trusteeship to the people frequently, as they do to the stockholders annually.

This is the purpose of this campaign of advertisements, on which the publisher of the Beresford Republic has seen fit to comment favorably.

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The Surface of Every Plush Coat in Our Store Guaranteed for Two Seasons.
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CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN
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Our New Policy Ten Per Cent Off For Cash Anything in the Store Other Than Specials
Gossard Corsets

A Sale of Winter Coats

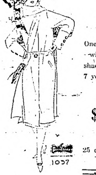

Girls' Coats

One lot of girls' heavy winter coats in all shades and sizes from 7 years to 14. Special at

$9.75

25 coats in this sale.

Ladies' Cloth Coats

In a sale that you should not miss. 35 Coats of Bolivia and Velour, all full silk lined; also some short Plush Coats. Special at

$15.00

Plush Coats

You'll delight in seeing the best line of Plush Coats in the Northwest. Every Coat guaranteed. We are featuring a 48 inch length full high lustre Venetian lined, sizes to 44, at only

$25.00

A new shipment of

Juniors' and Misses' Coats

and Misses Coats, in heavy coatings, full lined, at

$19.75

Lovely Serge Dresses

For the school girl, in Peter Pan and sailor

$5.95 $6.95 $8.75

Chappy Coats

A new shipment brings us some of the finest Chappies for girls and women. Specially priced at

$25.00 to $59.50

Get your Underwear here; better quality and prices the same as for the ordinary. "Munsingwear" Garments that wear and wash easily and keep their shape.

Children's Unions 98c to $2.25
Ladies' Unions $1.48 to $4.75
Ladies' Vests and Pants 89c to $2.25

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Values That Carry the Most Powerful Messages of Big Savings to Men and Young Men at

LIEBERMAN BROS.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS SALE

Compare our quality of merchandise and prices at other places, and you will convince yourself of the big savings you will gain here. Follow the crowds to this mammoth sale. Our big stock is going fast. Avail yourself of the greatest bargain feast ever known.

Genuine horsehide leather Vests, lamb lined.	Good grade leather Vest with big and roomy sleeves	All wool Mackinaw Coats, all sizes	Horsehide Mittens	Guaranteed pure wool Union Suits	Boys' fleece lined Union Suits	Men's heavy fleece line Shirts and Drawers	Mens' good fleece line Union Suits	Men's wool mixed Union Suits
$8.85	$5.87	$8.35	$1.22	$3.85	89c	58c	$1.18	$2.65

Boys' pure wool Mackinaws	$6.45	All Men's $5.00 Hats	$2.95	Men's and Boys' Jersey Gloves, 2 for	25c	Boys' All Wool Sweaters	$3.45
Men's heavy Army Shirts	$3.45	Heavy Canvas Gloves	9c	Boys' Cotton Union Suits	63c	Men's Heavy Wool Mixed Sweaters	$2.45

Great Savings on Suits and Overcoats

Regular $10.00 men's extra heavy pure wool worsted sweaters 6.65

BOYS' SUITS

Boys' fine tailored $15.00 suits with two pairs of pants; in beautiful patterns.

10.45

Blue serge suit with inverted pleated back. Regular $12.00 value.

8.35

The finest assortment of men's sheep, leather or lamb lined overcoats, with coon or oppossum collar, worth up to $45.00.

31.45

Young men's lamb lined suede upper and oppossum collar; big bargain.

24.45

Men's 52-inch sheep lined ulster

16.45

Children's school coats, leather lined, wombat collar.

11.85

Men's all wool voercoat, new fall merchandise in very attractive patterns.

23.45

Mart Schaffner & Marx fine all wool $50.00 overcoat.

38.85

The finest assortment of young men's overcoats, belted or plain.

26.45

Men's heavy ulsters, strictly all wool.

28.85

Men's and young men's guaranteed suits, in brown, blue and fancy mixtures, at

19.45

The very latest all wool suits, models that fit and are full of style.

27.45

The greatest and best values ever offered; all Hart Schaffner & Marx suits, values to $55.00.

38.75

Kaynee $1.00 Blouses 48c

SHOES SHOES

Fine grade vici kid high top leather lined, cushion sole. Regular $10.00 shoes.

7.85

$9.00 Leather lined vici kid cushsole.

6.45

Men's stripe Work Pants $1.38	Men's Dress Pants, big values $3.18 $4.85 $5.45 $6.35	Boys' Blue Serge Suits $6.48	Boys' Khaki Combination Suits, all sizes 98c	Fine grade of Flannel Shirts, regular $4.50 $2.85	Heavy Work Sweaters 87c	35c Fancy Collars two for 25c	All Men's $4.50 Dress Shirts $2.85	Heavy Canvas Gloves 9c 3 for 25c	A big lot of Men's Caps, values to $2 48c
Extra Heavy 65c Wool Socks, 3 for $1.00	Boys' Flannel Night Shirts 97c	Men's $1.50 Belts 63c	1 Lot dress Gloves in cafe and mochas $1.38	Boys' all wool Munsing Union Suits $2.37	$5.00 Pure wool Jersey Sweaters $2.95	Men's Dress Shoes in black or tan $3.45	Fine grade Men's Tan shoe, rbr. heel $5.45	Work Shoes $2.98	Boys' Elk Shoes $1.69

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Hello!

"HELLO!"

Hello! Isn't this great, saying hello to everybody. I never dreamed it was so much fun before. HELLO!

"Hello!"

"I really don't remember those boys' names, but I met them at the party Saturday night so I guess it's proper."

"Hello!"

"Oh, dear, that was one of the professors. I suppose I should have said 'Good Morning' to him. I wish this would become one of the traditions of Carleton. It's one of the nicest ways of getting acquainted with everybody."—Carletonian.

Prowler Pep Meeting.

The first Prowler Pep Meeting was staged last Wednesday morning at the assembly period. Gregory Werstlein, the editor-in-chief of the staff, opened the meeting with a promise that the Prowler of 1922 would be the best ever, if each student would lend his co-operation in putting it across. He then called upon Lloyd Alness to explain the financial side of the Prowler, which he did in his usual convincing manner. According to Mr. Alness, his department is the most important as the financing of an annual is after all the biggest proposition to tackle. The book, he said, will be a seventy-five page affair and, circumstances permitting, will appear on the market in March or April at the price of two dollars a copy. The subscription blanks are here now. With an urgent request to each student to sign up for an annual at the earliest possible moment, the financial manager made his bow. The third speaker, Milton Larson, as literary editor, made an excellent plea for his cause, extending a special invitation to the aspiring young poets and authors of the Freshman class to make use of his department this year. William Alexander is the joker of the class of '22 and judging by his Wednesday morning burst of enthusiasm doesn't mind advertising that fact as the simplest way of filling the joke box. In a few well-chosen words Lillian Knight, representing the Alumni department, appealed for pictures of former graduates of Lincoln High. Paul Helseth's words were especially directed to those of artistic ability to co-operate with him in making the art department a success. The kodak department narrowly escaped being overlooked. Thanks to a few thoughtful Seniors this was not the case, and we consequently benefited by Ruby Eennes' modest appeal for snap shots to make the Prowler more "snappy." A few more words from the editor-in-chief and an explanation on the part of Mr. Rapacz as to what an annual really is (this intended for Freshmen only) and the first Prowler meeting came to a close.—O. H. '23.

Everyone Interested in The Prowler.

The Seniors are not the only ones who have the welfare of the 1922 Prowler at heart. The annual will be a school annual directly in proportion to the amount of space taken up by the lower classes. They have elected sub-staffs to work in co-ordination with the Senior staff in collecting material and arousing enthusiasm within their respective classes. The annual to be a success in every way, must have the interest of every student in school. A person's interest will naturally be where his effort is expended, so if each student does some work or contributes in any way to the annual, the general interest which is so vital to the success of any undertaking will be realized and the 1922 Prowler will come that much nearer to reaching its goal.

Some Confidential Information Made Public.

The following item on "School Spirit and Tone," from the superintendent's report to the board preparatory to their meeting last Monday night was not intended for publication. At the suggestion of the board, however, it is offered to the readers of the Progress. Studens and parents alike will be glad to know they are impressing their teachers so well.

"I feel that the board should know that the teachers and I, personally, are much pleased with the attitude of the student body in general. We are particularly pleased with the way pupils are taking hold. I know you will be as pleased to receive this information as I am to give it. There is only one thing with which we are not satisfied and that is the great amount of absence and tardiness. Though we are doing what we can to remedy the situation, it is nevertheless far from satisfactory. Some of the reasons given by pupils and parents for non-attendance may be anticipated, it seems to me, another year and the recurrence of this experience thus precluded.

"An incident that pleased me very much occurred at the Central building Sept. 29. Some boys by accident broke a window light. They voluntarily reported to Miss Tandberg, took the sash to the mill, had the glass replaced, and paid for it out of their own pockets. Such manliness is worthy of special notice."

Rainbow Valley.

Half way up the hill we turned and looked back over a beautiful valley. Our attention was immediately attracted by a small lake which lay like an emerald shield. In the mirror of its peaceful flood a second town, the counterpart of that upon the bank, appeared to be inverted in a sea of color. In the sunset sky so many glorious hues were visible that a great treasure-house of Nature filled with materials for a million rainbows appeared to have been broken open and its prismatic colors scattered broadcast. Beyond the lake a river flowed between limitless expanses of variously colored cultivated fields which were dotted here and there with white-walled buildings that in the distance looked like mere playthings.—Lois Nicholson, 8B.

The Freshman Picnic.

Immediately after school on Tuesday, the Freshmen started for Lovers Lane, happy over the thought that they were to enjoy their first "class affair." Upon reaching their destination, Miss Webster, their class advisor, and some of the boys and girls started a fire while the rest played games.

Soon most of the guests who were able to come arrived. They were Mr. Simley, Mr. Stenhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Jardine, Mrs. Korstad, Miss Soule, Miss Stebbins, Miss Leavitt, Miss Bauman and Miss Johnson.

About six o'clock lunch, which consisted of sandwiches, pickles, salad, cake and coffee, was ready. After lunch the lights were turned on, Marshmallows were toasted, games were played and stories were told.

About half-past eight, the picnicers started for home, all feeling that their first Freshman class affair had been a great success.—A Freshman.

Special Music Friday.

Last Friday at "music hour" we were favored with a saxophone duet by Kermit Anderson and John Hendry, accompanied by Miss Johnson. They played three pieces: "Happy Days," "On the Banks of Tripoli," and "My Alice Blue Gown," all of which were thoroughly enjoyed.

We are looking forward to some special music every Friday since we have several talented musicians in high school. It is a benefit to the budding talent to have the opportunity to appear in public and it is an inspiration and enjoyment to the listeners. We can stand a lot of it.

Valley of Evergreens.

Half way up the hill we turned and looked around. On all sides of us were huge evergreen trees, their straight, upright trunks, standing side by side, reminding us of a great army of soldiers. We looked towards the bottom of the valley and saw still more evergreens, very tall, but each one a trifle shorter than the one growing uphill from it. So we could, if we climbed the trees, look straight down the hill, our eyes just glancing over the tops of the trees. Away down at the bottom was a small lake by which stood a young deer drinking the pure water which the evergreens helped cool with their thick, outspreading branches.—Richard Zeh, 8A.

Faculty Have Outing.

On Thursday of last week, the faculty of grades and high school left their dignity at school when 4 o'clock came and betook themselves to Lover's Lane for a picnic. Mr. Harner carried with him a sack resembling that associated with Santa Claus, with interesting knobs and bumps, which upon investigation proved to be merely kindling. Everyone was loaded down with boxes and bundles, kettles and pans.

Mr. Pope and Mr. Jardine proved themselves experts at the art of fire-making and in a very short time the aroma of coffee was drawing everybody to the fire where wieners were being roasted. Sad inroads were made on pots of beans, bowls of salad and piles of rolls, to say nothing of cake and marshmallows.

When everything was gone and the fire had died down to a gray, ashy bed, the picnicers scattered because the weather man had sent too cold a day to play "Ring Around the Rosy" or "Drop the Handkerchief."

Thief River Falls Got East Grand Forks' Goat.

The fore part of last week was darkened by the temporary ineligibility of one of our stellar half-backs and pessimism was inclined to reign. Before the week had drawn to a close, however, the dark cloud had been dispelled and everything was lovely. Why? Thief River trimmed East Grand Forks by a score of 13-0.

The game was very exciting, being filled with numerous long passes, long runs, and real midseason defensive playing. East Grand Forks had a good team and deserve a lot of credit for the fight they put up against the smashing Thief River Falls team. They were exceptionally good on open-field work, completing successfully three long passes, each resulting in good gains. East Grand Forks should at the same time be commended for their gentlemanly and sportsmanlike attitude throughout the game and afterwards. It takes a good team to win but a better team to be a good loser.

Generally in a football game the man carrying the ball is given the credit for the long gains and the work of the forwards who made it possible for him to make the gain is forgotten. The line deserves a great deal of credit for the way they played both offensively and defensively. At one period of the game the East Grand Forks team was held on the five yard line for four downs.

In the backfield Barzen was the most consistent ground gainer. His plunges resulted in both touch-downs. R. Anderson played the strongest game on the defense but was not lacking on offense. Bernard Bischoff proved himself to be a backfield man of ability when subsituted in Sorenson's place. McGinn at quarter showed wonderful improvement over last Saturday. Borchers of the opposing team was easily their star, directing their attack and at the same time doing the bulk of the work on offense and defense.

Line-up.

E. G. F.		T. R. F.
Purcell	c	LaBree
Driscoll	lg	Vorlicky
Vossler	rg	Barzen, M.
Katterer	rt	Herron
Sullivan, L.	lt	Holmgren
Carney	re	Hendry
Jacobs	le	Sether
Anderson	rh	Bischoff
Kirk	lh	Anderson
Sullivan, C.	f	Barzen, E.
Borchers	q	McGinn
	Subs.	
Kingman		Paulson
Jens		Rice, C.
Driscoll, Lk		Halvorson

Crookston There Next Saturday.

Our pigskin artists leave the city for their game on Saturday to lock horns with the fast Crookston team. Local supporters are looking for another victory and base their prophecy on the fact that East Grand Forks copped one from Crookston and our boys in turn made East Grand Forks bite the grass. Our boys, however, are not looking for an easy victory. Crookston has a good team and we recognize it. Coach Stenhoff is, therefore, putting his men through some of the hardest drilling if the season.

Teacher Training Notes.

The girls of the training department started their practice teaching Monday in the Northrop and Washington buildings.

Miss Stapleton: "When do we have fall latest in the spring?"

The fall course of nature study and agriculture will be finished at the end of this week.

Constance Klungness, Thea Gutterud, Thora Moe, Helga Ose and Amanda Skomedal spent the week-end at their homes near Steiner.

Miss Stapleton: "Where did Columbus land when making his first voyage?"

Meta Koepp: "On Plymouth Rock."

Johanna: "The lava that flows from the volcano makes the land fertile."

Personals and Jokes.

Ralph Shetler and Norman Mellum are new members of the Trades and Industries course. This makes an enrollment of seven.

Miss Gormley: "What are the people in Moravia called?"

Sybil M.: "Czecks."

August L.: "Are you a banker's daughter?"

Grace McCrum and Louise Erickson, graduates of the class of '19, and Esther and Ruth Hadrath of the class of '21, visited the high school this week.

All girls interested in the Bread club should join now as they want to organize as soon as possible.

August Langseth says he's going to join the Ku Klux Klan but he has to make the raise of $10 first.

Miss Gormely: "When did we hear of the Ku Klux Klan first?"

Herschel H.: "Before the Civil War."

The Prowler subscription books are out now. Don't wait to be asked to sign. Sign now and get a Prowler.

Mr. Rapacz: (At Pep meeting) "We'll now have our new yell master, (Kermit Anderson, on stage) lead us in a few yells. Let's all get behind him now and yell."

Kermit: (Subdued) "There really is very little room behind me."

Mr. Rapacz, to his Political Economy Class: "Have all of you got arms?"

Miss Florentine Hance, after a siege of the small pox which has confined her to her home for the past month, again resumed her duties in the high school, this time as a Junior.

"Chuck" Herron, in American History: "The difference between the paper money of those days and these is that the paper has gone up and become more valuable."

Ole Hello: (To wireless bug who was winding a "honey comb" coil) "What are you making, a condensed aerial?"

The fourth period Modern History class had some lively discussions on Current Event topics on Friday.

Miss Gormely: "What political party is in power now?"

Craig H.: "The senate."

Mr. Rapacz after Wednesday morning chapel: "Well, now we've had our annual meeting."

Notice: Watch the case between Stephen Arneson and Pearl Weeks develop, especially in American History. They say it's the worst in high school.

Morris: "Who told you I'd dropped Stenography?"

Ruth K.: "Oh, I just heard it."

Morris: (Indignantly) "I tell you it's a lie. I just dropped shorthand."

Norma Babcock is leaving in about a week for the "Wild West." We're sorry to lose her.

We've missed Ivan Larson's smiling face for several days. What's happened?

Mr. Rapacz: (At Pep Meeting) "We will have some speeches by some of the talent we have on the stage. I'll get off in a minute."

Albert Stengelson spent the latter part of last week at his home near Rosewood.

In Modern History class, in a discussion of Disarmament, Miss Gormely asked who were the representatives of the United States at Washington at the conference.

Miss Gormely: "Have you heard of this man, Ruth?"

Sybil: (meekly) "Babe Ruth?"

Kindergarten has been transferred to high school. Alice Gobler brings all her playthings to school.

The instrumentation of the high school orchestra is as follows: Miss Chamberlain, Lorrayne Will, Allison Stitt, violins; August Langseth, Clarence Rice, Sylvester Wingler, Matt Barzen, cornets; Alfred Dybvik, Lloyd Bennes, drums; John Hendry, Halbert Evenstad, Kermit Anderson, saxophones; Craig Halvorson, clarinet; Pearl Weeks, piano.

The members of the high school girls' glee club are Margaret Melgaard, Lorraine Will, Mamie Pederson, Martha Fallness, Mildred Loftness, Ella Krohn, Ruth Knutson, Esther Longren, Sophie Solheim, Edith Novak, Helen Vance, Camille Warner, Myrtle Krause, Clara Thompson, Myrtle Myrin, Hilda Pederson, Hazel Krause, Pearl Weeks, Lorrayne Crandall, Florence Haney, Alice Mulry, Shirley Anderson, Annie Froseth, Inga Oftedahl, Mertle Williams, Adlyn LaBree, Jeanette Solheim, Aeriel Kinghorn, Helen Langseth, accompanist.

Gladys Maland spent the week-end at her home near St. Hilaire.

The Prowler sub-staffs are being organized. Their personnel will be published in next week's issue.

The following comprise the membership of the boys' glee club: Russell Anderson, Kermit Anderson, Bernard Bischoff, Matt Barzen, Cleon Bottelson, Halbert Evenstad, John Hendry, Craig Halvorson, Charles Herron, Lloyd Lonson, Ivan Larson, Morris Mabey, Rudy Rice.

The students of the Central schools attend physical training exercises at the high school every week.

Administration's Corner

REPORT CARDS.

This week brings to a close the first six weeks period of school. Early next week report cards will be given to all pupils in both grades and high school. The purpose of the report cards is to give pupils and their parents information as to what the pupils are doing in their respective grades. The reports should, therefore, be carefully studied. Particular attention should be given the grading in application and deportment. All parents would rather that their children be good and industrious than clever.

On the other hand, the grades earned in the formal subjects should by no means be overlooked. If grades fall below C, the pupil is not getting as much out of his schooling as he should. Grades of D and below mean the pupil is in danger of not passing. Early and consistent attention should therefore be paid to the reports. If this is done, most pupils can and will get more out of their schooling and in many cases failures can be prevented. This is the time to take care of this matter. Let's all get together and work for the best interests of all concerned.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Health Meeting at Rosebank.

A health meeting under the auspices of the Marshall County Red Cross and the Child Welfare board will be held at the Rosebank school on Wednesday, Oct. 12, at 11 a. m. These meetings will be held at several places throughout the county.

A new Russell elevator grader was shipped up this week and will be placed for immediate work on road construction north of here. It is a large modern machine and will make speedy work of cutting down the sand ridges, which must be leveled out and hauled to lower places. The road is now open for use from west and connecting with the Rosewood road north. This road will eventually become a Babcock road and will be paved. It connects with the Babcock road north from Thief River Falls and goes through Viking. The town board is contemplating grading the Rosewood road north about four miles.

A new implement shed for the town has been erected this fall on the P. Sorenson farm.

Mrs. Nyhus returned Wednesday evening to her home at Thief River Falls after a stay at the Swen Swenson home.

Albert Stengelson came home from high school at Thief River Falls on Wednesday morning for a brief stay with his home folks.

Andrew Gullseth of Thief River Falls and Thom Gullseth of Middle River were in town Monday visiting with their brother, Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson spent Sunday visiting with the father's parents at Gully.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aos and family of Greenbush spent Friday night as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thompson on their way to Hazel and Gully to visit over Sunday.

F. G. Dols returned on Thursday from Lester Prairie, where he had been to attend the funeral of his father, who died last week.

Clarence Benson of the Thief River Produce company was in town this week loading a carload of potatoes from the Ole J. Dahl farm.

Miss Ann Tharaldson, teacher at the Busy Bee, spent Sunday at Thief River Falls with her parents.

Teachers Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen, Miss Myrtle Roseland and Miss Nelson returned Friday evening from Warren, where they had attended the teachers institute.

O. A. Flom, a former farmer near this place and now a resident of Thief River Falls, was in town Tuesday attending to business matters and renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg and children of Dakota Junction spent Tuesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth.

Miss Clara Sorenson, teacher at the county line school south of Steiner, attended Sunday evening serivces at this place and visited friends.

Rev. Elmer Seagren, who assisted in the Evangelistic meeting at the Swedish church here, left Friday for Thief River Falls, from where he will go to Roseau to continue his work.

Miss Gladys Swenson left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to spend Sunday with relatives.

Ole Borgen, who is employed as a clerk in Thief River Falls, was in town Tuesday visiting his folks.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid had their last monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Nels Johnson on Tuesday. Rev. and Mrs. George Larson of Thief River Falls were in attendance. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Benhard Ranum on Tuesday, Nov. 1.

The last of a two weeks' series of evangelistic meetings at the Swedish church occurred Sunday evening, and the building was crowded to capacity. Rev. Beckman and Walter Lindquist of Viking were the speakers. The choirs of St. Hilaire and Viking were present and rendered several beautiful selections.

Gust and Olof Opseth, who have been in the vicinity of Gonvick and Clearbrook all summer doing carpenter work, have taken a contract for erecting a basement barn 32x50 on the George Williams farm southeast of town, now operated by Dick Hall. Work will be started immediately and rushed to completion.

Benhard Ranum and Theo. Thompson have accepted a contract to move what is known as the old Setness hall to the north side of the railroad and remodel it for residence purposes.

Emil Mellem returned Friday from Nekoma, N. D., where he had employed during the threshing season.

Mrs. James Thompson went to Warren Friday to seek medical attention.

Miss Esther Thoreson, who has been employed at Thief River Falls, came home this week for a stay with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Stroble and family and Percy Hanson of Angus motored up Sunday for a visit at the P. Sorenson and Haugen brothers homes.

Miss Synneva Sorenson left last week for Warren to stay with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Anderson.

The Carl Stromberg family of Dakota Junction and the Peter Stromberg family of Thief River Falls motored up last Sunday to visit relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, in company with two friends, motored to Holt last Sunday.

Joseph Whitmark, Ella Nelson and Ingrid Nordhagen were Sunday visitors at the Ole Skaar home in town of Norden.

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnson and Mrs. Betsy Blomberg of Crookston visited with friends in town of Norden last Sunday.

Miss Pearl Mellem, who has been employed at the Viking hotel this fall, came home on Tuesday and will take up school work at Rosebank.

T. A. Way of Thief River Falls was a business caller in Rosewood the other day.

Theodore Benson, Clarence Benson, Floyd Greely and Opris Halvorson of Viking were Sunday callers in this vicinity.

NORDEN

Mrs. Johnston of Detroit, this state, spent several days visiting at the home of her brother, John Bergquist, Sr., this week.

C. Aas and son, Martin, transacted business in Thief River Falls Saturday.

William Wagner visited friends at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Miss Rose Oski called on Bertha Ordal Sunday afternoon.

Daniel Snyder spent Sunday at his parental home here.

Mrs. Slater and son, Roy, who spent the summer at the home of the former's daughter, Mrs. George Shepherd, returned to their home at Decorah, Iowa, last week.

J. A. Bergquist was a business caller in Thief River Falls on Monday of this week.

Peter Mossestad called at the Ordal home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sorenson and family were Sunday visitors at the Bergquist home.

STEINER

Willis Warring attended the potato growers' meeting at Holt Friday evening.

Kenneth Russell had an attack of appendicitis Thursday. He was taken to the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls, where an operation was performed. He is doing nicely at this writing.

Mr. Sande was in Thief River Falls on business the past week.

The road grading crew between here and Holt is progressing rapidly these days.

John Simonson transacted business at Holt the last of the week.

Gladys Russell visited the home folks over Sunday.

Gust Austinson has been building a new horse barn this week and also moved his house onto the new basement he built this summer.

Jessie Rogers came out Friday to spend the week-end with her parents.

Emmons Rogers made a business trip to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Willie Swanson has been plowing with the tractor on their farm near the junction.

The daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slack arrived Friday from Iowa to visit the old folks for a week or two.

Arthur Simonson is rushing the plowing these days, running a tractor and a six-horse gang.

The potato growers north of this place organized an association at Holt, we are told, from which they hope to derive a benefit in the sale of their potatoes this fall and in the future.

S. R. Rogers has been hauling lumber from Thief River Falls. He will build an addition to his barn and winter his stock instead of selling at the present low prices, he says.

Ole Berg has been stacking his grain crop the past week.

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TO THE COUNTY TEACHERS

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The week of Oct. 17-21 has been designated by the State Department of Education as Teachers Institute week for this county. This institute will be held at the Lincoln high school of this city and will commence promptly at 9 a. m., closing at 4 p. m. of each day.

All teachers are urged to attend as they are paid for full time for the days they are in attendance. Certificates will be forwarded to all teachers following the closing of the institute, which, when presented to the clerk, is a valid claim against the district for time spent at the institute. They will be enrolled the first day and roll call will be taken twice every day by the state instructors in charge. Teachers of course know that perfect attendance at institute certificates are necessary for the issuance, renewal or extension of their teachers' certificates. For this reason, if for no other, they should attend institute and try to obtain institute certificates.

In past years the libraries of our elementary schools have been greatly neglected. The department is aware of the fact and this year are planning on remedying this condition by special instruction at teachers' institutes. A whole period a day will be given to this work, which is in charge of Miss Coral Osborn. Every teacher is asked to take with him or her the school's latest copy of the state library list (together with supplements if there are any) and two library books (not fiction) from the school's library. One of these books should be in need of mending. If you cannot locate a copy of the Minnesota library list (blue paper covers) inquire at the clerk's office as this list has in the past been supplied to all schools of the county and is therefore the property of the district and should be kept as such.

The last two days of the institute will be convention days. The Northern Minnesota Educational association hold their annual convention at Crookston. The convention provides for a rural or elementary sectional meeting where the rural teachers of eight counties will assemble and discuss rural educational problems of the day. The institute instructors from some of these counties will also attend this convention. In past years the rural or elementary teachers have been paid salaries equal to those of grade teachers. The present year finds several teachers less fortunate. Grade teachers and high school teachers' salaries remain practically unchanged. Now you may wonder why the difference? This may answer the question. The last named class of teachers are nearly all members of some district educational association and the Minnesota Educational association. They show progressiveness by attending the conventions of the associations to which they belong and keep informed on all new questions in regard to the work of their profession. All progressive people of today, either in trades or professions, belong to an organization of some kind. Is it not time that rural or elementary school teachers "wake up to the fact" and join some organization that looks after their interests?

A special car will be at the disposal of all the county's teachers. We will all leave Thief River Falls in a body; rural, grade and high school teachers. We will all have an opportunity to listen to lectures of the leading educators of the Northwest, which will be a feature of all general sessions of this convention.

Programs covering the N. M. E. A. convention will be distributed at the institute.

The following program will be observed:

Forenoon session—9 to 9:15, opening exercises, Mr. H. H. Fuller; 9:15 to 10, library work, Miss Coral Osborn; 10 to 10:15, recess and games; 10:15 to 11:15, industrial arts, Mr. Fuller; 11:15 to 12, reorganization of T. P. league; 12 to 1:45, noon intermission.

Afternoon session—1:45 to 2:30, opening exercises, Miss Osborn; 2:30 to 2:45, psychology, Mr. Fuller; 2:45 to 3:20, story telling, Miss Osborn; 3:20 to 3:30, recess; 3:30 to 4, county superintendent or local speaker.

GEO. M. GUNDERSON,
Co. Supt. of Schools.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, INCORPORATED, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 6, 1921.

Resources.		
Loans and Discounts		$335,232.52
Overdrafts		185.09
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		7,626.84
Other Real Estate		6,870.13
Checks and Drafts in Transit		2,984.03
Due from other Banks		22,236.74
Cash on Hand:		
Currency	$5,821.00	
Gold	470.00	
Silver	2,168.66	
Other	11.05	
Total Cash Assets		8,470.71
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings		1,696.81
Total		$385,302.87
Liabilities.		
Capital Stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		5,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable		38,803.76
Deposits Subject to Check	$137,105.97	
Cashier's Checks	11,582.54	
Due to Banks	362.41	
Savings Deposits	23,047.37	
Time Certificates	144,400.82	
Total Deposits	$316,499.11	316,499.11
Total		$385,302.87
Amount of Reserve on hand	$33,691.48	
Amount of Reserve Required by Law	26,258.51	

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss

We, R. McGinn, President, and Effie Hamry, Assistant Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. McGINN, President,
EFFIE HAMRY, Asst. Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors:
A. S. LIEBERMAN,
LOUIS DeCREMER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of October, 1921.

THEO. QUALE,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission expires Feb. 23, 1928.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 6, 1921.

Resources.			
Loans and Discounts			$688,651.71
Overdrafts			52.10
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			35,750.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			25,210.00
Other Real Estate			49,540.00
Checks and Drafts in Transit			224.90
Due from other Banks		$ 30,450.02	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$ 9,171.00		
Gold	905.00		
Silver	2,514.15		
Other	85.87	12,675.02	
Total Cash Assets			43,125.04
Checks and Cash Items			4,355.08
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			18,454.21
Total			$861,083.13
Liabilities.			
Capital Stock			$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund			10,000.00
Reserved for Depreciation on Bonds			53.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)			75,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check		$134,969.59	
Demand Certificates		1,837.84	
Certified Checks		53.06	
Cashier's Checks		9,239.28	
Due to Banks		13,227.34	
Total Immediate Liabilities		$159,327.11	
Savings Deposits		41,539.95	
Time Certificates		525,163.07	
Total Deposits		$726,030.13	726,030.13
Total			$861,083.13
Amount of Reserve on hand		$52,821.62	
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		49,934.40	

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss

We, A. M. Langseth, Vice President, and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A. M. LANGSETH, Vice President,
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors:
RASMUS OEN,
C. W. VORACHEK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of October, 1921.

(Seal)
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota,
My Commission expires May 29, 1927.

BANK NO. 121

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF HAZEL, MINNESOTA, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 6, 1921.

Resources.			
Loans and Discounts			$ 98,058.81
Overdrafts			80.08
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. Obligations			103.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,200.00
Other Real Estate			2,298.84
Checks and Drafts in Transit			1,215.34
Due from other Banks		$ 10,691.33	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$ 1,558.00		
Gold	52.50		
Silver	219.15		
Other	37.11		
Total Cash Assets			12,558.09
Checks and Cash Items			312.10
Paid out for Expenses, etc., in Excess of Earnings			3,488.46
Total			$122,731.69
Liabilities.			
Capital Stock			$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund			2,000.00
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)			8,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check		$ 20,268.32	
Cashier's Checks		962.79	
Total Immediate Liabilities		$ 21,231.11	
Savings Deposits		2,377.10	
Time Certificates		79,123.48	
Total Deposits		$102,731.69	102,731.69
Total			$122,731.69
Amount of Reserve on hand		$12,690.00	
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		6,822.11	

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss

We, Paul Borgie, Vice President, and E. C. Karwand, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President,
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors:
OLE ODEGAARD,
C. W. VORACHEK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of October, 1921.

(Seal)
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota,
My Commission expires May 29, 1927.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Radiant Home hard coal heater, large size. Wm. Korstad. 37

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn, good well, three lots, located on corner of Fourth Street and Knight Ave. N., known as the Severson property, for sale cheap. Possession can be given Oct. 1. John Bratrud. 34tf

FOR SALE—A hard coal stove. Call 622 Horace Ave. N. 38

FOR SALE OR RENT—Building used as pool hall in village of Goodridge. Ole Sund, Goodridge, Minn. 36p

FOR SALE—High grade mattress and Way Sagless spring, in first class condition. Will sell very cheap. Call at Sapero's residence. 38

FOR SALE—Dry and green pole wood, cord and stump wood. Ristau Bros., two miles south and three miles west of Thief River Falls. 39p

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, 1919 model good as new. Will sell cheap. Halvor Odellen, Rt. 1, St. Hilaire. 36p

FOR SALE—Good base burner stove. Halvor Loken. 36p

FOR SALE—Property at 112 Knight Ave. S. Three rooms. See Ed. Severson. 35tf

FOR SALE—Good 7-room house. Enquire 811 Knight Ave. N. 31tf

FOR SALE—Most desirably located and thoroughly modern home. Easy terms. Inquire Hager Land Co. 35tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

23tf

FOR SALE—Fine back bar; one team horses, wt. 2700 lbs.; harness; wagon; plow. W. A. Bishop. 38

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto troller and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—New five room house, cheap if taken at once. Enquire 123 Tindolph Ave. S. 38p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One business lot near First National bank; thirteen dwelling lots on Arnold north; house and two lots near hospital; three automobiles. Inquire Hager Land Co. 36tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 34p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern room. 510 Bridge St., Phone 610. 38

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house. 237 Kendall Ave. N. Phone 596. 36p

FOR RENT—Modern room. Call at 719 Main Ave. N. or phone 467. Mrs. F. A. Gobler. 36p

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 11 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished room where some light housekeeping can be done. Inquire at Times office. 36p

WANTED TO RENT—A five or six room house. Inquire at Times Printing Co. 36tf

POSITION WANTED—Young girl desires place to work for room and board. Inquire at Times office. 38p

LOST

LOST—By working girl. Will the party who picked up package at Mulry's Bazaar store by mistake on Saturday afternoon kindly return same to The Times office. Contents yell stockings, material, etc. 36p

LOST—On street north of Soo Cafe on Monday evening a package containing four caps, two pairs stockings and two pairs unionalls. Finder please return to Times office. 36

LOST—Sunday night in the Lyceum theatre, a pocketbook containing a fountain pen and $12. Return to The Times office for reward. 36p

MISCELLANEOUS

BACK AGAIN ready for weaving. Bring in those carpet rags to 116 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britton. 11p

GIRL WISHING ROOM for the winter can have same free of charge. Inquire at 113 Knight Ave. N. 38p

FOR PAINTING and paperhanging see Bakken & Sherstad. Prices reasonable. Phone 377-J or 371-M. 37p

WANTED—To hear from parties who want to sell their lands. Give full particulars relative to distance to market, buildings, price, etc. Address Box 24, Cedar Falls, Iowa. 37p

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Legal Notices

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA, SIXTH DIVISION.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of George W. Shearer, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of George W. Shearer of St. Hilaire, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1921, the above named George W. Shearer was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the City of Crookston, in the County of Polk, in said district, on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly become before said meeting.

Dated October 11, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Bankrupt,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA, SIXTH DIVISION.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Alfred O. Aubol, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Alfred O. Aubol of Erie, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1921, the above named Alfred O. Aubol was duly adjudicated a bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the City of Crookston, in the County of Polk, in said District, on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated October 1, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Bankrupt,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by F. H. Gauss and Nettie E. Gauss, his wife, to J. A. Childs, bearing date the 15th day of August, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of August, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M. in Book 57 of Mortgages, on page 62, given to secure the payment of the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1,500.00) and interest according to the terms of one certain promissory note described in said mortgage, dated August 15th, 1916, due August 15th, 1921, with interest payable at the rate of six per cent per annum, according to five coupon interest notes attached thereto, the fifth of which was for Ninety Dollars, ($90.00), due August 15, 1921; upon which coupon and principal note, there was default in the payment of both, which default has continued to the date of this notice by the failure and neglect of said mortgagors to make any payment of said principal note and interest, to-wit: Fifteen Hundred and Ninety Dollars, or any part thereof.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixteen Hundred One and 15-100 Dollars, ($1601.15); and

WHEREAS, the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the same mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half (E½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), also known and described as the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of said section, all in Township One Hundred Fifty Three (153), North, Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) acres more or less, according to Government survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of November, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1500.00), and interest, and Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 28th, A. D. 1921.

J. A. CHILDS, Mortgagee.

LEO. B. EDGERTON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

TAKE NOTICE, That default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Alfo G. Drake and Elsie F. Drake, his wife, as mortgagors, to Fred E. Hodgson, as mortgagee, dated July 15, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on December 4, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 530.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $80.95 and $230.00 for interest on a prior mortgage covering the mortgaged premises herein described paid by said mortgagee on July 15, 1921, pursuant to the terms of the above described mortgage, and interest thereon since the date of said payment at the rate of 6½ per cent per annum, making the total amount due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of $335.18. The mortgaged premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4), and the South Half of the North Half (S½ of N½) of Section Five (5), of Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), of Range Forty-four (44) and also South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), of Range Forty-four (44), containing 463.9 acres, more or less.

Said mortgage will be foreclosed pursuant to the statute by a sale of said mortgaged premises, which will be made on the 11th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and the further sum of $120.00 secured by said mortgage, $50.00 attorney's fees, and the expenses of sale.

September 28, 1921.

FRED E. HODGSON, Mortgagee.

N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minn.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Nils Peterson, Charlie Peterson, Mrs. Ellen Adams, Mrs. Hilda Holmes, Mrs. Anna Hesman, Helga Grefsnes, [illegible] and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of C. T. Swanson being duly filed in this court, representing that C. H. Peterson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 25th day of September, 1921, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to C. T. Swanson. Now, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 29th day of September, 1921.

(Court Seal)
LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.

G. HOWARD SMITH,
Attorney for Petitioner.
S-29-O-6-13

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

Estate of Fred York.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred York, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Elizabeth W. York, Wallace M. York, Thomas L. York and Jessie M. York, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of U. M. York being duly filed in this court, representing that Fred York, then a resident of the County of Douglas, State of Wisconsin, died on the 27th day of June, 1919, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Elizabeth W. York. Now, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of October, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 23rd day of September, 1921.

(Court Seal)
LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.

GURDON H. WINSOR,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Superior, Wis.
S-29-O-6-13

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August O. Schneider, a single man, Mortgagor, to Continental Land Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 55.

And Whereas, The said Continental [illegible] 7th day of October, 1916, at 8:00 o'clock [illegible] Land Company, the Mortgagee and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Ninety-six and 44-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State, on the 29th day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1196.44 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 13, A. D. 1921.

CONTINENTAL LAND COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
8-15-22-29-O-6-13-20

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas, Defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Thief Loyland and Tina Loyland, his wife, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Thief River Falls, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota,) mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 25th day of January, 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 55 of Mortgages, on Page 425.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First State Bank of Thief River Falls, mortgagee, to First And Peoples State Bank, by written assignment dated the 17th day of December, 1917, and duly recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 6th day of September, 1921, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages on Page [illegible]

And Whereas, The said First And Peoples State Bank, the assignee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained,

And Whereas, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of Three Hundred Fifty-eight and 28-100 Dollars, as follows: The sum of $116.00 thereof being for interest paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon a prior or existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage; the sum of $170.76 thereof being taxes paid by said assignee of mortgagee upon the premises securing said mortgage which premises are hereinafter described, and for which said assignee of mortgagee is entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $61.52 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the said mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Sixteen (16), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 22nd day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $358.28, and interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 7th, 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
8-15-22-29-O-6-13

BOYS ARE OFFERED SHORT COURSE IN GAS ENGINEERING

Class Will Be Organized at Lincoln High School If Interest is Sufficient.

A short course in automobile mechanics and general gas engineering will be given this winter in the trades and industries department of the Thief River Falls high school, providing there is sufficient call for it. The course will open Monday, Oct. 17, and will continue for six months.

The program will consist of shop work together with formal study of trade science, trade mathematics and trade English. The shop work will consist of repairs, adjustments and replacements on standard cars, the work being rounded out with soldering, babbiting and forge practice. The class work in science and mathematics will pertain only to such matters as is related to the shop work.

The course is organized and given with the intention of offering the farm and city boys an opportunity for self improvement in work of a practical nature. The only requirements necessary for entrance are that the applicant be fourteen years or more of age and a graduate of the eighth grade.

All students who take and successfully complete the course of study *will be given credit toward graduation* from high school. Each subject pursued will count as two-thirds credit.

Those desiring to enroll for the short course are advised to communicate with or see Superintendent Simley or Mr. Pope immediately.

Michelet Busy on New Job; Boosting For Sale of Lands

Wilhelm Michelet, until recently of this city but now superintendent of state farm lands, is busy working at his new job. In a letter to County Auditor T. P. Anderson he calls attention to the fact that there will be four special land sales held this fall in the following counties: Hubbard, Lake, Becker and Clearwater, at the following places: Two Harbors, Nov. 3, 11 o'clock a. m.; Detroit, Nov. 8, 10 a. m.; Park Rapids, Nov. 9, 11 a. m.; Bagley, Nov. 10, 9 a. m.

Mr. Michelet asks that publicity be given these sales in order that anyone who may wish to attend will be made acquainted with the dates. He states that approximately 17,000 acres will be put up for sale, the terms being 15 per cent cash at at time of sale, balance on or before 40 years at 4 per cent interest, payable annually.

Women of City Preparing to Work For Disarmament

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. Daniel Shaw and Mrs. L. G. Larsen have been named by the executive committee of the League of Women Voters as a publicity committee on disarmament, and they will shortly furnish the women of this city and county with plenty of information on this subject, which is one of the big questions of the day.

The National League of Women Voters in April sent the first formal deputation to President Harding asking that our country take the initiative in calling together the nations of the world to confer upon finding a way to limit armament and prevent future wars. This noteworthy gathering will be held soon in Washington.

Preparatory thereto will be the annual convention of the Minnesota League of Women Voters on Oct. 18 to 20 in Minneapolis, and to which the local executive committee has named as delegates Mrs. Robert Vance, Mrs. A. P. Fox and Mrs. W. R. Patterson.

Will Test More Cattle For Tuberculosis Soon

Dr. W. J. Fretz, inspector in charge of tuberculosis eradication, has notified the farm bureau that considerable work in testing cattle will be done within the next 60 days in Pennington county. This will make Pennington one of the cleanest counties in the country as far as tuberculosis eradication is concerned.

Anyone wishing this work done should sign an application at the farm bureau office, as no herds will be taken until this application is filed.

Agent Is Now Employed in Nearly Every County

Since July 1 of the present year every county in the state save Grant, Douglas and Swift has employed a county agent. Two agents are employed in each of three of the larger sized counties—St. Louis, Ottertail and Marshall. Clay, Dakota, Martin, Morrison, St. Louis and Waseca have home demonstration agents, and the cities of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth have urban home demonstration agents. A full time county club leader is employed in Blue Earth county. County club leaders have also been employed part time, or during the summer in Benton, Blue Earth, Faribault, Goodhue, Itasca, Jackson, Kanabec, Kittson, Lac qui Parle, Le Sueur, Marshall, McLeod, Morrison, Ottertail, Polk, Pine, Redwood, St. Louis, Todd, Stevens, Washington, Watonwan and Winona counties.

Clarence and Rudy Rice, who are attending high school here, visited at their home at Plummer over Saturday and Sunday.

A Good Salary

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STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of Thief River Falls Times, published weekly at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, for October 1, 1921.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared R. H. Ross, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the manager of the Thief River Falls Times, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in Section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager are:

Publisher, Times Printing & Manufacturing Co., Thief River Falls, Minn.

Editor, Thos. J. Austad, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Managing Editor, R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Business Manager, R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

2. That the owners are: (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and the *names and addresses* of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock.)

Times Printing & Manufacturing Co., Thief River Falls, Minn.

R. H. Ross, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Thos. J. Austad, Thief River Falls, Minn.

G. W. Werstlein, Thief River Falls, Minn.

O. A. Naplin, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Math. Barzen, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Louis Hanson, Minneapolis, Minn.

P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dr. O. F. Melby, Thief River Falls, Minn.

J. P. Curtis, Thief River Falls, Minn.

J. R. Brown, Green Bay, Wis.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are:

Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls, Minn.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company, but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

R. H. ROSS, Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1921.

DANIEL SHAW,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 31, 1924.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.15
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.10
Flax	1.60
Barley	.32
Rye	.65
Oats	.17
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.50
Cracked Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.50
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bags	1.50
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.06
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.11
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens	.11
PRODUCE	
Eggs	.25
Dairy Butter	.30
Creamery Butter	.43
Cow hides, per lb.	.02
Horse hides	.75-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.04
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.04-.05
Cows, per lb.	.03-.04

Dr. Spofford

OPTOMETRIST

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

FIRST BLOCK OF NEW PAVEMENT IS TESTED OUT

Five Thousand People Gather to Celebrate Great Event in City's History.

Parade Marks Opening of Evening's Festivities, Which Last Until Midnight.

Good Addresses and Free Refreshments Add to Enjoyment of Occasion.

"Thief River Falls, 1925; population, 10,000."

The above slogan was the keynote of an excellent address delivered by Mayor John Bratrud at the celebration in honor of opening the first block of pavement in the city on Monday evening. The remark caught the crowd and his honor was cheered.

It was without any exception the largest gathering of people ever seen in the city. Not even wartime enthusiasm was able to bring so many together. A conservative estimate places the number crowded into the one block between Fifth and Sixth streets on Main avenue at 5,000, while others who claim to be in a position to judge put the figures even higher.

An Impromptu Parade.

Headed by the band, a long procession started from the corner of Third street and LaBree avenue shortly before 8 o'clock. Banners bearing appropriate inscriptions were carried aloft by enthusiastic citizens and red flares lit up the line of march for the entire distance. It was a happy crowd and if there were those present who did not enter into the spirit of the occasion they were careful not to let the fact become known.

Seats had been erected on both sides the entire length of the block by order of the city council and these were nearly all filled by the time the marchers arrived on the scene. That made no particular difference as standing around on the nice new pavement did not prove much of a hardship.

Short Addresses Made.

W. B. Fuller, as officer of the day, introduced Dr. G. A. Penney, former mayor, who very efficiently officiated as chairman. A platform had been erected in the center of the block on the west side of the street and this was occupied by the speakers, members of the city council and outside visitors. Dr. Penney gave a short, snappy booster talk and then introduced Mayor Bratrud. The head of the city government thanked those present for having turned out in such numbers and said that he hoped this paving undertaking would prove only the beginning of a program that would place Thief River Falls where it belonged—in the very forefront of northwestern Minnesota cities. The mayor laid stress upon the fact that the city was only made possible by the fact that the surrounding country was rapidly filling up with prosperous farmers and hoped that a spirit of co-operation would at all times influence whatever dealings the people of the town might have with their neighbors, whether these lived in another town or were residents of a farming district.

The opinion was unanimous that the mayor had never appeared to better advantage. He spoke easily and convincingly, common sense and good feeling toward all being the outstanding features of his remarks.

Friendly Visitor Speaks.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie was next called upon. He stated that the event which was being celebrated marked an epoch in the history of Thief River Falls. It would, said the speaker, prove the dividing line between a large village and a small but enterprising city. Communities, like individuals, find it impossible to stand still, said Mr. Chommie. They must go either forward or backward. Thief River Falls has now set itself for a progressive forward movement and he looked to see great things accomplished by its people if they will only work together. Co-operation and confidence are all that is needed to place the city in the front ranks among Minnesota municipalities, he said, and this co-operation he hoped would manifest itself without delay.

Mr. Chommie's remarks were exactly in line with the feelings of his audience, apparently, and he was roundly applauded.

Dr. N. M. Watson of Red Lake Falls, who was the chaperone in charge of a sizable delegation from that city, was next called upon. The genial doctor has always been a strong favorite with the people of Thief River Falls and he lost nothing in popularity by his address on Monday night. He started out by congratulating the town and citizens upon the fine appearance of the paved street and said that from no section would more hearty approval come than from our neighbor to the south. The speaker referred to the time when there was no Thief River Falls—or very little of it, at any rate—and said it was astonishing to note the progress that had been made. There were no roads when he first came to this section, he said, and the present generation has but a faint conception of what the pioneers went through. It is largely due to the hardihood and courage of these early settlers that cities such as Thief River Falls have sprung up all over this great section, continued Dr. Watson, and in congratulating themselves upon the achievements of the present day it would be well for our people to give a thought to those who displayed their faith in the future of the section at a time when paved streets and all other modern conveniences were so far in the future that they could not even be imagined. Dr. Watson made a great hit with the crowd and was cheered.

Dancing on the Pavement.

While all this was going on, a few enterprising young men had been scattering cornmeal all over the pavement in preparation for dancing. No sooner was the speaking program concluded than the band struck up and the street was filled with whirling couples. Coffee, ice cream and doughnuts had been provided by the paving company as its share towards the evening's festivities and these were freely partaken of. Dancing continued until after midnight, when the crowd dispersed, voting the affair one of the most enjoyable they had ever attended.

$136,211 GAINED IN PERSONAL TAX BY SPECIAL ASSESSOR

Additions to List Number 180. Commission Sits as Board of Review Oct. 28.

The entire membership of the Minnesota Tax commission will be in Thief River Falls on Friday, Oct. 28, for the purpose of sitting as a board of review on the report of Special Assessor L. R. Swift. The latter has finished his labors and will have his report ready when the board meets.

Mr. Swift was sent here by the commission upon the recommendations of the board of county commissioners, the members of which were not satisfied with the figures turned in by the city assessor.

Mr. Swift went about his task systematically and found that a considerable number of those who should pay taxes on personal property or moneys and credits had been overlooked. The original assessment list contained 449 names, while that to be presented to the commission at review sittings has a total of 629. This added number is largely responsible for the increase in the amount of taxes to be collected, there being few if any changes made in the original figures.

The total gain in the city is $136,211. Of this amount $68,853 is represented by additional personal property and $67,358 by additional money and credits.

Mr. Swift says that those previously assessed are not in any way affected by the reassessment, the gain simply representing additional taxpayers and a larger amount of property. He also states that the amount of moneys and credits disclosed is a surprise to him and he doubts if there is another city in Minnesota of the same population making an equal showing in this respect.

CITY'S OLDEST MAN IS LAID TO REST

Resident of Northwest Since His Arrival From Norway Sixty-Three Years Ago.

Torjus Haraldson, 91 years of age, died Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anna Aaland, 309 Main avenue north, from complications incident to old age. The funeral was held from the Trinity Lutheran church on Sunday, Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. Deceased was a veteran of the civil war and a firing squad from the local post of the American Legion paid the last honors to his memory by firing a salute over the grave.

Mr. Haraldson, who was perhaps the oldest man in Thief River Falls at the time of his death, was born on a farm at Uteguard, Byrte, Moe Parish, Telemarken, Norway, on July 17, 1830. He emigrated to America in 1858, the trip from Drammen, Norway, to Quebec taking eight weeks and four days. Having relatives in Northwood, Iowa, he traveled there from McGregor, in that state, 130 miles, on foot. He later took up a homestead at Round Prairie in Freeborn county, Minnesota, where he was married to Miss Aase Graver. To this union six children were born, five sons and one daughter, two of the sons dying in infancy. Haraldson had been in this country but a few years when the civil war broke out and he enlisted early in the conflict and served to the end.

The wife died in 1910 and shortly thereafter Mr. Haraldson came to Thief River Falls to make his home among his children. Besides Mrs. Aaland there are Alex, Edwin and Harold, all residing here. He was blind during the last 27 years of his life but otherwise retained his faculties to the end.

In the Candy Business.

B. J. Bakke came up from Minneapolis this week on a visit to his family. He is now the owner of the Roof Garden Candy company, 21 North Sixth street, Minneapolis, and manufactures a high grade of confectionery. He says that since buying the business he has enjoyed a very good trade and that his business is being steadily extended.

ANOTHER GREAT BARGAIN EVENT BEING PLANNED

Fifth Market Day of Thief River Falls to Eclipse All Previous Efforts.

Array of Bargains in All Stores Offer Exceptional Money-Saving Opportunities.

Aeolian Vocalion to Be Grand Present in Free Distribution in the Afternoon.

The fifth monthly Market Day of the Thief River Falls Merchants association will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 26, and the intention is to make it the greatest bargain-giving event of the entire series. That such is the *case is borne out* by the exceptional offerings announced in the section of The Times devoted particularly to Market Day advertising. In addition there are several interesting offers made in the regular advertising columns of the paper and these should be looked over with as much care as those dealing with Market Day exclusively.

A Great Success.

These Market Days have been a great success, particularly from the point of view of the buying public. Opportunities have been presented whereby merchandise of every description and of the highest quality has been bought at prices never before equalled in this section. Thousands have taken advantage of the offerings on the four Market Days already held, each of which has shown a decided gain over the preceding month in the volume of business transacted.

Come Long Distances.

One of the most noticeable facts connected with this venture on the part of Thief River Falls merchants is the gradual extension of their trade territory. While the first Market Day brought a large crowd to the city it was noted that the immediate neighborhood furnished the bulk of visitors. Each succeeding Market Day has seen the circle extended until now the event is looked for by thousands residing as far north as the Canadian border and for a considerable distance into Dakota. Toward the south and east the same thing is true, and it is safe to say that never has a plan been inaugurated by the merchants of a community which has come so near to accomplishing just what was intended. The business men wished to make Thief River Falls known as a trade center and were willing to pay for the service. They have been more successful than the most optimistic dared hope.

The Free Distribution.

The coupon plan for a free distribution of desirable articles will be continued, this having in the past proven most popular. The big prize this time will be an Aeolian Vocalion of the latest model and valued at $90. Other articles to be disposed of under the same plan are: Set of Community silver, one Stetson hat, pair lady's shoes, pair men's shoes, one Gossard corset, one fountain pen, one Hatter's plush sailor hat, one $4 Everready pencil, and one lady's writing portfolio. One certificate entitling the holder to share in this distribution will be given with each 25 cent cash purchase. It has been decided not to give certificates where money is paid on old accounts. The certificates must be deposited either at the First National bank or at the First and Peoples State bank, and the articles will be distributed at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the corner of Third street and LaBree avenue. The 22 business men whose names appear at the bottom of an announcement in another part of The Times today are buying these articles outright and presenting them, one to each of ten persons present and making a purchase of 25 cents or more in the city on Market Day.

The Main Attractions.

While this free distribution is intended to add interest to the day's proceedings it is by no means the outstanding feature of the occasion. This will be found to be the hundreds of unusual bargains offered in the stores of the merchants. The particular articles on which reductions will be made are announced in the advertisements, but there will be hundreds of exceptional buying opportunities of which no mention is made. It will be a general price-reduction day and the wise buyer will take advantage of the fact.

Come to Thief River Falls on Wednesday, Oct. 26. It will be worth your while.

Elks to Usher in Season With Big Party on Nov. 4

Members of Thief River Falls lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E., will enjoy the first dancing party of the fall season at the lodge rooms on Friday evening, Nov. 4. There will be a regular supper served at 8 o'clock, after which there will be cards and dancing.

This party will usher in a new series of entertainments for the Elks and special pains have been taken to insure a great success. The plan makes it a little late for those who have been in the habit of getting their supper shortly after 6 o'clock, but it is figured that the wait will make them just that much more hungry and they will thus be able to do justice to the many good things provided. The committee wants it understood that this is to be no mere dance lunch, but a genuine supper such as mother used to cook. A charge of $1.50 will be made—50 cents per couple for the dance and 50 cents per plate for the supper. All Elks are asked to be on hand and give the new season a good start.

Improving Elks' Grounds.

The river bank site purchased by Thief River Falls lodge of Elks at the foot of Third street is being improved by having the overburden removed by the pavers from some of the city streets deposited in the low places. Already the plot presents a much better appearance and by the time all the dirt that is to be removed on Third street is dumped there the place will have been raised to a considerable height. The Elks intend some time in the future to erect a club house and lodge room on the site and are gradually getting the grounds in shape.

YOUNG MEN DROWN IN WARROAD RIVER; JOHN STEEN IS LOST

Survivor Tells of Accident in Which Former Thief River Falls Boy Lost Life.

John Steen, 24 years old and a graduate with the '18 class of Thief River Falls high school, was drowned in Warroad river last Saturday afternoon. With two companions, Garfield and Arthur Franson of Warroad, he was in a boat about four miles up the river when the craft in some manner capsized. This happened about five o'clock in the afternoon, according to Arthur Franson, the only survivor, and the men managed to get the boat righted. About dark the same thing happened again and Steen and Garfield Franson were unable to reach the shore. Arthur Franson managed to get to land and spent 13 hours wandering around in a muskeg before being found by rescuing parties sent out from Warroad when no news of the missing men was to be had. He was in a bad way from cold and exposure but is getting along all right according to reports. He told of what had happened and the river was dragged in all directions in the hope of recovering the bodies, but persons acquainted with the stream say there is little likelihood of their ever being found.

Young Steen was well known and very popular here, where the family lived for many years before moving to Warroad. He was on the honor roll at the time of his graduation and was prominent in athletics, particularly football. The Steens have resided in Warroad about four years.

BOTTEM HARDWARE BUSINESS SOLD TO SOUTH DAKOTA MEN

Christensen & Voelz, the New Owners, Men of Long Experience in the Trade.

A deal was this week consummated whereby the stock of the P. J. Bottem Hardware company became the property of F. L. Christensen and F. L. Voelz, formerly of Aberdeen, S. D., who will continue the business under the firm name of Christensen & Voelz.

The new owners of the oldest hardware store in this section are both men of long business experience, Mr. Christensen having for 15 years been connected with the Jackson Hardware company of Aberdeen, while Mr. Voelz has been a resident of the same city for a similar length of time. The former particularly knows the hardware business from the bottom up and is equipped in every way to render service of the very highest order.

"We decided to locate in Thief River Falls after investigating conditions in many other cities," said Mr. Christensen. "We are here to stay and will do our share toward helping make the city the best in the entire northwest. You have a fine town and a progressive class of people and we are going to do our best to merit their confidence." Both Mr. Christensen and Mr. Voelz have their families here.

Mr. Bottem will remain in the city for the present in order to close up his affairs. He has made no definite arrangements for the future but is considering moving west.

Poultrymen's Annual Feed, Club Rooms Monday 6 P. M.

The annual banquet of the Pennington County Poultry association will be held in the Commercial club rooms at 6:15 p. m., Monday, Oct. 24. A good chicken supper will be prepared, with plenty of other things to make it a fine feed. All poultry boosters as well as any others are cordially invited to attend. A program of music and short talks will be held immediately after the supper. A business session will also be held to discuss the plans for the poultry exhibit which will take place Dec. 6, 7, 8 and 9.

STRIKE ORDERS RECEIVED HERE BY UNION HEADS

Unless Settlement is Reached 300 in This City Will Quit Work on Nov. 3.

Train Service Group Has Received Instructions But Action of Other in Doubt.

Meeting at Chicago This Week Will Try to Effect Compromise to Avert Ticup.

There is little change in the railway strike situation. The train service group of unions seem determined to go out beginning next Monday morning, but the action of the 11 other *unions is not so certain*. No definite strike orders have been issued by these latter and conferences to be held in Chicago from Friday morning until Sunday evening will determine the final outcome so far as the million and a half members of these organizations are concerned. The yardmasters, numbering 8,000 men, have voted to stick to their posts. Up to date dispatchers and linemen have not been included in the strike order. Unless a settlement is reached before that time, the Big Four brotherhoods, comprising the trainmen, engineers, firemen and conductors, will begin striking on Oct. 30, on which date the first group will be called out. The men on the Soo are scheduled to stop work on the morning of Nov. 3, being in the third group to be called.

Trying to Avert Trouble.

Every agency of the government is at work trying to effect some kind of a compromise. One basis for consideration at the Chicago conference will be the suggestion that the railroads do not put into effect the threatened wage cut of ten per cent announced some time ago and grant a reduction in freight rates on the necessities of life equal to the reduction alread ymade in the wages of the men. President J. R. Howard of the Farm Bureau Federation has filed a petition on behalf of 1,250,000 farmers asking that these rates be immediately reduced from 10 to 20 per cent.

300 Affected Here.

If a general strike of railroad men is ordered about 300 men will be thrown out of work in Thief River Falls and between 900 and 1,000 on the Winnipeg division of the Soo. There are 92 section foremen on the division and 300 section laborers, 15 towermen, 92 station employes, etc., 40 clerks, 120 trainmen and conductors, 80 engineers and firemen and about 150 members of the shop crafts. Besides these the 40 men employed in the bridge and building department will probably go out with the others. These figures are for the Soo line only and do not include the Great Northern employes.

Hopeful of Settlement.

While railroad officials in this city admit that the outlook is grave, they are still hopeful that a settlement of some kind will be reached before the strike is called. Union officials admit having received the walkout order for the morning of Nov. 3 and that it will be generally obeyed unless some agreement is reached before that time.

In many of the larger cities motor transport lines are being established in anticipation of the rail tieup. In the meantime every agency working in the public interest is trying to avert the strke.

Legion Dancing Party.

Eklund Post, American Legion, will give a dancing party for members and ladies of the auxiliary at the auditorium on Friday evening. Supper will be served at Hotel Evelyn and the boys have made arrangements for one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season. Admission is by invitation and it is expected that a hundred couples will be present.

ANOTHER HIGHWAY NORTH AND SOUTH THROUGH THE CITY

Mississippi River Scenic Road Officials Coming to Look Over Situation.

There is every probability that Thief River Falls will be made an important point on another international thoroughfare. General Manager Pierson of the Mississippi River Scenic highway is expected in the city today or tomorrow for the purpose of taking the matter up with the local good roads boosters.

The Mississippi River Scenic highway was primarily intended to extend from Port Arthur, Texas, to Port Arthur, Ontario, and this is still the main object. The route will follow the Mississippi river as closely as possible to a point a short distance north of the twin cities, where it will form two branches, one going through Duluth to Port Arthur and the other northward to Winnipeg. The last mentioned leg will in all probability pass through Detroit, Mahnomen, Brooks, Red Lake Falls, thence over the state highway to Thief River Falls and westward to Warren. From there the route as now planned goes through Argyle, Stephen, Donaldson and Hallock, to Winnipeg.

While at Grand Marais recently attending a meeting of the state forestry board, Daniel Shaw of this city met Manager Pierson of the Mississippi river highway project, and urged upon him the advisability of investigating the route as above indicated. This has apparently been done as the letter received announcing the coming of the officials of the road contains this paragraph:

"The writer is accompanying General Manager Pierson on an inspection trip over the northern lines of the Mississippi River Scenic highway and we are considering making a change in the routing so as to include Thief River Falls, which we believe will furnish a much more satisfactory route than that at present planned through to Winnipeg."

It is possible that R. S. Dewar, traffic manager, and Herman Bryan, international vice president for Canada, will be with the party visiting Thief River Falls.

AMPLE SUPPLY OF DEEP WELL WATER SOON AVAILABLE

Tank Cleaned, Mains Flushed in Readiness For Experiment When Repairs Are Made.

Unless Supt. O. L. Legvold is badly mistaken as to the capacity of the deep well from which the city has been taking a part of its water supply, the flow is sufficient to meet all demands, while the quality seems to be of the very best. Water from this source would now be filling the mains were it not that an accident put the pump temporarily out of commission. Repairs will be made on Friday, after which all the river water will be let out of the mains and a supply from the well exclusively substituted.

The pressure tank has been cleared of all sand and other accumulations and everything is in readiness for another attempt to get pure water for the citizens of Thief River Falls. Supt. Legvold has had all the mains flushed and was surprised at the small amount of sediment and other matter found. When the water from the well has been pumped into the reservoir and from there to the tank, whatever of sand may have been pumped up will be entirely eliminated. Thereafter it is the intention to run about two tanksful through the mains for the purpose of a final flushing, after which it is believed the water will be as pure as any to be found in the state.

The new reservoir has a capacity of 450,000 gallons, or six times that of the pressure atnk. The reservoir will be kept full at all times so that practically an unlimited supply of water will be available, no matter what the emergency. That the well is amply able to supply the requirements is evidenced by the fact that it has been tested thoroughly and showed no signs of giving out even under the most severe strain.

FINE CORN DISPLAY FEATURES FAIR OF EASTERN FARMERS

Potato Exhibit Also Attracts Wide Attention Among Goodridge Visitors.

The third annual fair for eastern Pennington, southern Marshall and western Beltrami counties held at Goodridge on Monday was in many respects the best ever attempted by the people of that section. It was the intention of the management this year to lay special stress upon corn and potato displays, the result being that the show was devoted largely to these staples. Everyone who attended the fair is of the opinion that no finer corn will be shown any place in the state this year, this also being the verdict of L. M. McCall of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, who officiated as judge. The potatoes shown were also of exceptional quality, being largely grown from certified seed. The potato crop in the eastern end of the county this year will prove the farmers' mainstay, providing the prices keep anywhere near where they are at present.

There were displays of grains and grasses of very high grade but these were not shown in such profusion as in former years. The vegetable, garden and horticultural exhibits were very fine, while that of the school children was up to its usual high standard. The boys' and girls' calf club exhibited ten calves cared for by members of the club and every one showed the effect of intelligent handling and care.

The fair managers are more than pleased with the result of their efforts and believe that the exhibit is more firmly established than ever as an annual event. The attendance was good and the speaking program greatly enjoyed. The poultry demonstration by H. E. Hoberg was one of the interesting features of the fair and the display of chickens one that would be a credit to many county exhibits.

BOOSTERS FROM BEMIDJI COMING TO ASK OUR AID

Would Enlist Interest Here in Securing Opening of Red Lake Reservation.

Making Tour of All Towns in District to Work Up Enthusiasm For Project.

Railroad to Grygla and Red Lakes One of Subjects Certain to Be Discussed.

A delegation from the Bemidji Civic and Commerce association will be in Thief River Falls on Friday afternoon for the purpose of discussing with our people some of the problems in which Thief River Falls is as vitally interested as is Bemidji. A letter from the managers of the trip states that the objects of the expedition are co-operation, getting acquainted, and working together for the speedy carrying out of the drainage undertaking, the alloting of Red Lake reservation lands to the Indians and the opening of the surplus lands on the west side of the reserve for settlement when drained, giving the world war veterans the first chance to select lands after the Indians have secured their share.

Want Railroad to Grygla.

The Bemidji boosters will also ask that the people of Thief River Falls assist them in working up sentiment and providing enough traffic so that the Soo, Northern Pacific or Great Northern railroad will find it of advantage to extend their lines so as to furnish the Red Lake and Grygla district with the most direct transportation facilities to the primary markets south and eastward, and for fuel and other forest products westward.

The announcement goes on to say: "The opening and development of the 325,000 acres of Indian lands is a big project, through drainage and practical farm development by the Indians and others, and Bemidji asks for your very best thought and effort to speed this development along."

Must Move Fast.

In case of inclement weather the trip will be postponed to a later date. The party expected to leave Bemidji at 7:30 o'clock this morning, making the first stop at Solway. Short stops will also be made at Shevlin, Bagley, Clearbrook, Gonvick, Gully and Trail, arriving at Oklee at 12:30. This town is the dinner control. Leaving Oklee at 1:30 the party expects to arrive at Highlanding at 2:30, Goodridge at 3:15 and Grygla at 4:30, where the night will be spent.

Leaving Grygla at 7 o'clock Friday morning the excursionists aim to arrive at Gatzke at 8:30 and Wannaska an hour later. Roseau will be reached at 10:30 and the trip to Thief River Falls begun half an hour later. According to schedule the delegation should reach Thief River Falls at 1 o'clock, but it will take some rather sensational driving to accomplish this feat. This city will be made the dinner control on Friday and a meeting with the Commercial club members and others is requested at 2 o'clock, the session lasting one hour. From here the party will go to Red Lake Falls and on home to Bemidji.

Notice is Short.

Very little time is allowed in which to formulate any kind of a program for the meeting, but our people will be glad of the opportunity to talk over these matters with the Bemidji representatives. Secretary G. L. Sterns of the Commercial club has notified all the members he could reach and many have promised to be present.

YOUNG RAILROADER CRUSHED BY TRAIN

Glenn Bennett Caught Between Cars and Almost Instantly Killed at Calloway.

Glenn W. Bennett, 23 years of age, a brakeman on the Soo foremrly residing in this city, was killed at Calloway last Friday by being caught between two cars of a freight train. The young man had been on a leave of absence and had only returned to work the day previous

A train of freight cars had been cut in two and the rear section started moving. While reaching down to turn the air cock so as to set the brakes the front section moved down on him without the young man noticing it and he was caught between the bumpers and so crushed that death ensued within 15 minutes. Deceased is survived by his father, two brothers and two sisters.

Bennett was a young man with many friends in this city, where he was highly regarded. He was a member of the local lodge of Elks and representatives of that organization attended the funeral at Glenwood on Tuesday.

Salvation Army Social.

The Salvation Army will give a fish pond social on Thursday evening, Oct. 27. Coffee and cake will be sold for 15 cents. Everybody come and bring a friend.

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Society and Club

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club met in the Commercial club rooms Monday evening. Owing to the important festivities in celebration of the first completed block of paving held the same evening, the attendance was considerably smaller than usual. During the evening a short program was given. Miss Carrie Brown offered a vocal solo, accompanied by Mrs. A. Holmberg, which was very much enjoyed. Miss Beulah Chamberlain gave a reading which was well received. Lunch was served at nine o'clock. The hostesses were Misses Lyda Batten, Gladys Anderson, Myrtle Blair, Clara Bauman, Lena Evenson, Lois Wold, Lucille and Evangeline Burns.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A very interesting meeting of the Woman's club was held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, with a fairly large attendance. The meeting opened with a short business session. Mrs. Scott Laird led the current events on national affairs. She was assisted by Mrs. O. A. Naplin and Mrs. G. L. Sterns. They chose as their topic the "New Woman Voter." Mrs. Daniel Shaw gave a splendid paper on the country of Belgium. Mrs. H. O. Chommie gave a paper on the various rulers of that country, and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich gave a paper on the artists of Belgium. A feature of the program was an instrumental duet by Frances and Winifred Wengeler.

Series of Parties.

Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite and Mrs. C. R. Crandall shared honors at two delightful parties held at the home of Mrs. Crandall on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Twenty-eight ladies were present each day. On the first afternoon the hours were spent in needlework, while the second was devoted to cards. Mrs. L. G. Larsen won high honors while Mrs. T. A. Way carried away the consolation prize. The rooms were made attractive by the use of yellow and white decorations, while the same colors predominated in the luncheon appointments. The hostesses were assisted in serving by Miss Ann Quale and Miss Effie Hamry.

Surprise Party.

A number of high school boys and girls went to the home of Miss Thelma Christianson unannounced on Thursday evening to assist her in celebrating the 14th anniversary of her birth. Music and various games were the evening's diversion's. The guests included Muriel Loken, Melvina Rupprecht, Gail Warner, Ellen Crandall, Margaret Klungness, Lily Gran, Pauline Pawling, Esther Bennes, Maxine Johnson, John Stewart, Kenneth Streeter, Emmett Shanahan, Thomas Scanlan, Robert Halvorson, Francis Ohm, Morris Holzknecht and Clifton Conher.

Honoring Mrs. Noper.

As a social courtesy to Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill., Mrs. L. F. Fisher entertained a number of friends at a seven o'clock dinner at her home on Monday evening. Covers were laid for fourteen. The table and rooms were made very attractive by the use of Hallowe'en decorations. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Miss Irma Johnson, Miss Grace Wilson, Miss Doris Halvorson, Miss Meta Kiland, Guy Johnson, Carl Sundahl, Ed. Bervig, Norman Holen and Perry Johnson.

Farewell Party.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. Otto Geske delightfully entertained at a farewell party at her home in honor of Miss Norma Babcock, who left on Monday with her parents for Washington to establish her home. After an evening of games and music, delicious refreshments were served. The guest list included Misses Bertha Borgen, Selma Fellman, Gladys Kolden, Ella Johnson, Agnes Johnson, Verna Becker, Gladys Bergstrom, Elsie Johnson, Ellen Johnson, Stella Borgen and Florence Borgen.

Birthday Surprise.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Geske was the scene of a surprise party last Friday evening, about 40 friends having gathered to assist Mrs. Geske in celebrating her birthday anniversary. Music and games furnished the evening's entertainment. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Geske, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Geske, Mr. and Mrs. John Engelbert, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clemnes, Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Wilkens, Mrs. Lautenbach, Mrs. A. Hovland, Oscar Anderson and Fred Koop.

First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday in Swedish at 10:30 a. m.; in American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Hanson-Wilson.

A marriage of interest to local people is that of Miss Louise Wilson and Fred Hanson, both of St. Hilaire, which was solemnized in this city on Saturday evening, Oct. 15, at the Zion Lutheran parsonage by Rev. George Larson. The witnesses were Miss Tomina Hanson and Arthur Hanson. The young couple will make this city their home. Mrs. Hanson is well known to local people, having been employed at the Loken department store about two years ago.

Teal-Forsythe.

The marriage of Miss Cora Marie Forsythe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Forsythe of Dugdale, and Otis J. Teal, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Teal of this city, will be of interest to local friends. The ceremony was performed on Monday afternoon at four o'clock at the Methodist church at Crookston. Mr. and Mrs. Teal will make their home at Fargo, at which place the groom is attending the farm school.

Anniversary Party.

Mrs. Knute Swanson entertained several little tots at her home Sunday in observance of the birthday anniversary of her son, Arthur. After an afternoon spent in playing games a lovely birthday supper was served. Those present were Arda and Douglas Adkins, Margaret Bjorkman, Ruby Ihle, Elizabeth and Evangeline Baker, Alvina Carlson, Harold Black, Harvey, Roy and Stanley Swanson.

Lastgaard-Ferrand.

Agnatta Lastgaard of Spring Brook, N. D., and Marvin Ferrand of Rothsay were united in marriage last evening at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, with Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. Only a few intimate friends were present at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ferrand will make their home on the Saugen farm near Steiner.

Legion Auxiliary Meeting.

The auxiliary of the Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. M. Bishop on Tuesday evening. The time was devoted to making plans for armistice day. During the evening a delightful lunch was served by the hostess.

Birthday Party.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. D. E. Mathewson entertained fifteen young people in honor of the fourteenth birthday anniversary of her son, Ward. The honor guest was the recipient of a number of gifts. A feature of the lunch was a large birthday cake topped with candles.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mrs. A. H. Carlson was hostess at a six o'clock dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of her sister, Miss Maybelle Swanson, on the occasion of her birthday anniversary. The guests were Miss Clarissa Hornseth, Miss Rose Struble, Miss Mae Olson, Miss Ida Swanson and Arthur Boos.

W. C. T. U. to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 25, at the home of Mrs. S. Benson, 719 Knight avenue north. Mrs. Benson will be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Erling Dahl.

Honoring Mrs. Noper.

Mrs. G. C. Streeter is entertaining at a six o'clock dinner at her home this evening in compliment to Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill. The decorations and favors will be suggestive of Hallowe'en. Covers will be laid for ten.

M. E. Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Sunday school 10 a. m. Epworth League 7 p. m. Divine services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Boy Scouts 8 p. m. Tuesdays. All welcome to these services.

Entertains Informally.

Burr Oaks farm was the scene of an informal party Saturday evening when Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill., who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, delightfully entertained a few of her friends.

Social Welfare Meeting.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Oct. 27, and will be entertained by Mrs. E. M. Schutt and Mrs. Geo. Biddick.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Conklin had as their guests at dinner Sunday noon Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson and sons, Perry and Guy, and daughter, Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill.

Entertains.

Mrs. L. A. Hermanson is entertaining a number of ladies at her home, LaBree avenue north, this afternoon in compliment to Mrs. H. E. Froseth.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Choir practice at the church every Thursday evening at 7:30. Confirmation class meets in church basement Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine service in Norwegian Sunday at 11 a. m. Song choir. Divine services in English at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Ladies' Aid meets in church parlors Thursday, Oct. 27. Mesdames E. K. Ansen, O. C. Evenson, Gaston Ward and Andrew Buringrud entertain.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Morning service at Zion church 11 a. m. Afternoon services Rindal church 2:30 p. m. Evening services Zion church in the English language 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings. Choir practice Friday evening in the church at 8. Confirmants meet Saturday at 2 p. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid have their sale Saturda yevening, the 29th.

Noted Lecturer Coming.

Fru Ulrika Bruun, a noted Norwegian writer and lecturer, will lecture in the basement of the Trinity Lutheran church, Friday, Oct. 21, at 3 o'clock. It is hoped that every man and woman in Thief River Falls will attend this lecture, which will be in the English language. Subject, "Morals and Law Enforcement."

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium. Subject Sunday, October 22, "Probation After Death." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meetings at 7:45 p. m. This room is also open for a reading room on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services next Sunday. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. At St. Hilaire Revs. Beckman and Seagren conduct services Friday and Saturday at 8 p. m. Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Mrs. Ulrikka Feltman Bruun will speak in the church Friday at 7:30 p. m. The lecture will be in Norwegian. On Sunday, the 23rd, there will be services at the church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Sunday school is at 10 a. m.

Rev. Raaum's Call, O. I. Raaum, Pastor—Service in Bethlehem church Sunday at 11 a. m. Service in Thorvick 2:30 p. m. At Nels Sordal's place in connection with the Y. P. S. *Confirmants will meet at Sordal's.* The Ladies' Aid of Thorvik will meet with Mrs. John Skomedal Oct. 26.

League of Women Voters

Collier's has invited Mr. A. G. Gardiner, for many years editor of the London Daily News, to speak for Great Britain. He says:

"All the old war cries have gone like the snows of yesteryear. We have two missionaries in our midst—Unemployment and the Tax Gatherer. The former is preaching to the poor and the latter is preaching to the rich. The white races must combine to break the power of the sword. That lesson is being learned very thoroughly in England. I do not doubt that America is learning it too. If so, the Washington conference should be the beginning of a new and happier era."

"Times are hard because the world refuses to return to a peace basis." Instead of trying to revive industry, the nations are trying to continue war. Resources, including money and men, that ought to be devoted to tasks of reconstruction are being poured down the sluice of destruction.

Science and invention are still so busy searching for bigger bombs, deadlier gases, ways to use germs in warfare, and all the rest of it that they have no time to hunt for keys that will open the new doors to human progress, human happiness.

Too much of the money that could restore life to trade, kindling to fires in smokeless factories, goes into warcraft and munitions. And this employment of money and men is not of the slightest value as an accelerator of good times.

Energy devoted to the production of waste is lost energy. What is additional armament but waste? Dedicated, frankly, to destruction, it is headed for the junk pile from the start. Every hour that goes into its creation is time taken away from the making of something with social value. Every dollar that it costs is money taken out of the decent and vivifying channels of necessary production.

A battleship costs between thirty and fifty million dollars. Spending that money forces Great Britain and Japan to similar expenditure. Then it is up to us to meet their raise. If you wish, figure out for yourself how much arid acreage could be irrigated for the cost of one ship—how many swamps could be drained—how many miles of hard roads built.

A man cannot serve two masters. His choice lies today, as always, between Construction and Destruction.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to our friends and neighbors who so generously and lovingly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved son and brother. Also the American Legion and for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Carrie Svensgaard and Family. 0-20

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors, the Yeoman lodge and Lady Maccabees, who so generously helped us in the death of our infant child.—Mr. and Mrs. Alec Strom and family.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our deepest appreciation to the B. P. O. E. and all of Glenn's friends for the beautiful floral offerings sent in loving sympathy at this time.—James Bennett and family.

City News

Mrs. C. E. Hellquist left Friday for Shelley to spend several days on a visit to her parents.

Mrs. C. Larmoe and daughter, Miss Esther, of Middle River, attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Mrs. S. M. Poston returned Friday evening from Hibbing, where she had spent several days visiting friends.

Misses Gertrude and Lucille Blaska of St. Hilaire were shoppers here on Saturday.

Mayors, bankers, lawyers, prominent government, state and county officials, prominent business and professional men and Ministers of the Gospel have endorsed Tanlac. For sale at Lambert's drug store. o-20

H. E. Ives, member of the state board of control, was a business visitor here on Saturday, leaving in the afternoon for Red Lake Falls.

Harold Smithers, who is attending the University of Minnesota, was a week-end visitor at the home of his parents.

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We have plans that will help you out if you wish to use them. Our experts will advise you on any subject concerning which you may be in doubt. Service is as much a part of our business as selling material.

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LUCKY STRIKE
CIGARETTE

It's toasted

Notice this delicious flavor when you smoke Lucky Strike—it's sealed in by the toasting process

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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NOTICE

Having disposed of our hardware business to Messrs. Christensen & Voelz, it is necessary that all who know themselves to be indebted to us call and make a settlement. We wish to close up our affairs as quickly as possible and an early compliance with this request will be greatly appreciated.

We also wish to thank the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity for the liberal patronage we have received while in business here and bespeak for our successors the same cordial treatment.

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Men's 8-inch Top Brown Elk Shoes $3.98
Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits 98c
Ladies' Silk and Wool Union Suits $3.98

Ladies' Wool Union Suits $2.98
Children's Fleeced Union Suits 79c 89c 98c
Boy Scout Hose 39c
Good Quality Sheets 98c
56-in. All Wool Treco Flannel $2.49 Blue, Brown, Black, Wine
Turkish Towels 15c
Men's Velour Hats $4.98 Latest Styles and Colors

Scotch Caps $1.35
Men's Sheep Lined Ulster 52 inch $22.50
Girls' Sateen Bloomers 49c to 98c
Ladies' Outing Flannel Gowns 98c
Children's School Dresses $1.19
Ladies' Muslin Night Gowns 69c
Men's Leather Vests $4.98

Boys' Corduroy Suits $6.90
Ladies' Pure Silk Hose 98c Cordovan, Black, Navy, Russian Calf
Boys' Sheep Lined Coats Belted Models $9.90 to $14.75 Furr Collars
Boys' Mackinaws $4.98 Fancy and Plain Colors
Railroad Men's Mackinaws 40 inch, 32 oz. Plain Grey Mackinaws $8.90
Men's 4-Buckle Overshoes $3.50 Grey Sole—Rolled Edge

Dr. Denton Sleeping Garments 98c $1.19 $1.39 $1.49
Ladies' Cotton Petticoats Fancy Colors 49c
Boys' Knickerbocker Pants 98c to $1.98
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Ladies' Fur Trimmed Plush Coats $16.50 to $42.50
Ladies' Cloth Coats $19.75 to $39.75
Ladies' Wool Dresses $8.90 to $27.50
Ladies' Silk Dresses $9.90 to $34.75
Ladies' Tuxedo Sweaters $4.98
Ladies' Wool Skirts $4.98 to $12.50
Ladies' Waists $2.98 to $9.90
Ladies' Silk Petticoats $3.49
All Wool Flannel Middies $3.98
Jumper Dresses $6.90
Ladies' Hats $2.98 to $4.98
Ladies' Bath Robes $4.50 to $7.90
Children's Fur Sets $5.90 to $14.75
Fur Scarfs $8.90 to $49.75

Outing Flannels For Cool Days

Plain and Fancy Patterns

Woven firmly, with soft nap and in many assorted colors, fancy and plain material. Just the right weight.

27 inch Outing Flannel, white only	10c
27 inch Heavy Light Color Fancy Outings	15c
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27 in Bathrobe Flannel	69c
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THINK of your opportunity to buy your Shoes in a SHOE DEPARTMENT that will sell this year approximately

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Worth of Good Shoes!

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Fine Nashua Woolnap Blankets in gray, white and tan, fancy plaids.

Nashua Woolnap Plaid Blankets, 64x76	$3.98
Nashua Woolnap Plaid Blankets, 68x90	$4.50
Nashua Woolnap Plaid Blankets, 72x84	$4.98
Best Quality All Wool Plaid Blankets, 72x84	$11.50
Chase All Wool Steamer Rugs	$9.90
Cotton Bed Blankets, 64x76	$1.98
Cotton Bed Blankets, 68x80	$2.49
Cotton Bed Blankets, 72x84	$2.98
Comforters, 72x90	2.98 to 3.98
3 lb. Wool Batts, 72x90	$2.49
3 lb. Cotton Batts, 72x90	75c
12 oz. Cotton Batts	18c

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BEMIDJI IS COMING.

Friday afternoon sometime—the exact hour cannot be stated—a large delegation of boosters from Bemidji will invade the city for the purpose of talking several matters over with our people. There are a whole lot of things the two towns have in common and a discussion of such subjects as interests both should prove of some value.

It seems that first and foremost the Bemidji people are anxious for the opening of certain portions of the Red Lake reservation to settlement. In this they will be heartily seconded by the citizens here. There is more land on the reservation than the Indians can ever put to any kind of use, leave alone develop to its full possibility, and this should be turned over to those who are willing to put in the time, money and work necessary to place the vast tract among the producing regions of the country. The Indians would lose nothing by such a move. By treaties all their rights would be safeguarded and whatever was paid them for the land would be clear gain as they are now making no use of it whatever.

Thief River Falls can also back Bemidji most enthusiastically in its effort to secure a railroad to tap the Grygla and Red Lake districts. Such line will eventually be built, but just at the present time there is not much satisfaction to be gained from urging railway construction. However, a vigorous demand will help matters along when the time comes for taking such things up in earnest again.

We also agree with Bemidji as to the necessity for drainage. This problem is being well taken care of by the Red Lake Conservancy commission and anything in the way of further effort in this direction just now might only serve to confuse the issue and retard operations. We shall be glad to hear what the Beltrami county men have to suggest, however, and if their plan looks better than anything upon which we are at present working from this end, shall no doubt be willing to adopt it.

At any rate, Bemidji will be made welcome. The managers of the trip should have so arranged matters that a longer period than one hour could be spent in the city, but a whole lot of things can be said and done in an hour—particularly when people know what they want and what they are talking about.

A HIGHWAY CENTER.

It is to be hoped that the managers of the Mississippi River Scenic highway will become convinced that routing their road through Thief River Falls will prove the most feasible way of reaching Winnipeg, one of the objectives of the thoroughfare. This additional road can be secured if our people go after it in the right spirit, as the officials in charge are already strongly predisposed in favor of such routing.

This road will run from Port Arthur, Texas, to Port Arthur, Ont., as a main line, but will branch off just north of the Twin Cities, one branch going through Duluth and the other northward to Winnipeg. It is this latter project in which Thief River Falls is principally interested. It would mean a large tourist travel from the southern sections lying to the west of the present Jefferson Highway and would bring Thief River Falls into closer communication with Detroit, Mahnomen, Brooks and other enterprising towns in the eastern part of the Red River valley. For the people of these latter communities such a highway would not only afford an all-year route to Winnipeg, but by utilizing the excellent laterals would give them access by the easiest route to the Lake of the Woods. Citizens of Warroad and Baudette should be interested in having this important arterial thoroughfare run through Thief River Falls as it would be bringing their attractions to the notice of people residing on the west side of the Mississippi clear to the Gulf of Mexico.

By all means let us get the Mississippi Scenic if we can. We know what the Jefferson has meant to the city. The Scenic will prove just as important.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING
(Little Falls Herald)

An enumeration of the reasons for advertising has recently been given out. There are eight reasons advanced, but there are many others, of course. However, here are eight that are very splendid and highly convincing, as given in a southern newspaper:

Newspaper reading is a universal habit; newspaper advertising, therefore, reaches virtually all who buy.

Newspaper advertising is the life blood of local trade because it touches all consumer sources in every community. It gives the national advertiser the same opportunity for complete consumer appeal in any locality.

Newspaper advertising cuts selling costs because it entails no waste in locality of circulation. Manufacturers use it to cover markets where it is profitable to do business.

Newspaper advertising insures a quick, thorough and economical dealers' distribution and dealers' good will, because retailers are willing to sell products advertised direct to their own consumers.

Newspaper advertising enables manufacturers to tell where their products may be bought.

Newspaper advertising may be started or stopped over night, can be prepared between days to meet certain developments and to obtain immediate results.

Newspaper advertising enables manufacturers to check advertising results and costs in every market which they enter.

Newspaper advertising costs less than any other kind.

The merchant or other business man who is not taking advantage of the opportunities offered by newspaper advertising to boost his business now will still be facing readjustment problems when his competitor is back on a normal business plane.

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HOW AUTO LICENSE MONEY IS USED.

(St. Cloud Journal-Press)

The report of State Treasurer Rines on the money paid out in the month of September in the Trunk Highway fund, which is a correct index for the other months of the year, shows how it is being expended in Commissioner Babcock's department.

Administration, $4,788.45; construction, $858,874.47; maintenance, $287,885.57; equipment, $51,963.32.

The total is near a million and a quarter dollars, and of this amount less than five thousand goes to the administrative officers, which included commissioners, engineers and clerks. Most of the million dollars went to labor in building permanent highways, building and care of other trunk highway roads.

There seems to be an impression that only a small part of the money goes into actual road work, and the statement has been made and repeated that only 25 cents of every dollar is actually used for road building. The absurdity of this is hown by the above figures. Less than five thousand dollars in an expenditure of a million and a quarter for "overhead" is a better showing than is made by any business or manufacturing concern in the country. The highway commission is one branch of public service that is conducted on strictly business principles.

BIG CATTLE RUN IN GOOD DEMAND

Heaviest One-Day Run for Year on Monday When 12,000 Cattle Arrive.

(By U. S. Bureau of Crop Estimates and Minn. Dept. of Agriculture.)

South St. Paul—While cattle receipts at seven markets showed a loss of about 7,000 compared with last Monday, the local run of 12,000 was heaviest for a single day this year. The supply was in fairly active demand, however, killing classes selling generally steady to strong. Best fat steers here were some good Montana grassers that were bid at $6.75, being unsold at a late hour. A few loads sold at $6, with bulk from this price to $5. Best young butcher cows and heifers are quotable from $5 to around $6 or above, with bulk here selling from $3.25 to $4.75. Canners and cutters are selling mostly at $2.25 to $3, bologna bulls largely $2.75 to $3.50. Bulk best light veal calves $9. Stockers and feeders opened at strong prices, bulk selling from $4 to $5.50, with a few loads of good fleshy feeding steers averaging 1,000 to 1,200 pounds at $6.

The hog market opened steady to strong. Range $6 to $8, bulk $6.75 to $7.90. About 1,600 pigs here, bulk desirable kinds $8.25. With a liberal run here and a lower market at Chicago, sheep and lambs dropped about 50c, bulk good lambs $7.50, ewes mostly $2.75 to $3.50 according to weight, and good 54-pound feeding lambs at $6.65.

SLOAN'S RELIEVES NEURALGIC ACHES

FOR forty years Sloan's Liniment has been the quickest relief for neuralgia, sciatica and rheumatism, tired muscles, lame backs, sprains and strains, aches and pains.

Keep Sloan's *handy* and apply freely, *without rubbing*, at the first twinge.

It eases and brings comfort surely and readily. You'll find it clean and non-skin-staining.

Sloan's Liniment is pain's enemy. Ask your neighbor.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment (Pain's enemy)

Stops Itching Skin Troubles

The torture of skin itch will quickly be relieved by applying before retiring, Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. One of Dr. Hobson's Family Remedies.

Dr. Hobson's

Royal Neighbors Initiate Large Class; Many Visitors

Three hundred members of Royal Neighbor camps in this neighborhood were present to witness the initiation into the order of two large classes by Dewey camp No. 1025 of this city yesterday afternoon and last evening. The work was in charge of Mrs. Alice Nash, supreme manager, Minneapolis, and was most impressive and interesting throughout. Nine members were initiated in the afternoon and 13 in the evening. Supper was served for visitors and local members in the Presbyterian church and a fine lunch followed the ceremonies in the evening.

Neighboring towns sent large delegations to the meeting, there being 28 from Crookston, 25 from Red Lake Falls, 10 each from Grygla and Argyle, six from Hallock and one from Mahnomen. The fancy drill by the Crookston degree team in the evening was one of the features of the gathering. There were also drills by members of the different camps in the afternoon, all executed with grace and precision.

It was a great occasion for the members of Dewey camp as well as the visitors, all of whom were greatly pleased with the success of the meeting as well as with the interesting entertainment provided.

Voters, Attention!

(Prepared and ordered published in behalf of Will Prichard, Jr., Fred Dablow, F. F. Haynes, Martin V. Evenson, Dave Gustafson, Charles W. Vorachek and Andrew Ness, by P. J. Reierson, Thief River Falls, Minn.; for which $3.60 is to be paid.)

It is being unfairly stated by some of those who oppose the Good Government Ticket, that were the candidates on this ticket elected, an attempt would be made to charge the cost of paving to general taxation.

We wish to call the attention of the voters to a statement appearing elsewhere in this paper, covering this point and signed by all the candidates on the Good Government Ticket. We wish also to submit the following facts for your consideration:

Martin V. Evenson, one of the candidates on the Good Government Ticket, owns one 75 foot lot in the present paving district; outside of the paving district he owns 12 houses and lots. Fred Dablow owns no property in the paving district, but he does own a home and lots outside of the paving district. Andrew Ness owns no property in the paving district, but owns six houses and lots outside of the paving district.

Is it conceivable by any line of reasoning that these men would want the cost of paving to be paid by the city at large? Do you think that these men, owning little or no property in the paving district and owning much property outside of the paving district would be in favor of assessing the cost to all of the city, so that they themselves would have to pay a great deal more than they will under the present arrangement? Certainly not! The statement that the candidates on the Good Government Ticket, if elected, would attempt to assess the cost of paving to general taxation is just campaign dust being thrown around with the hope that it will blind the eyes of some people, who will not take the trouble to investigate and find out the facts.

The plan for paving assessments has already been made and as a matter of law no one could change it now. It would be impossible.

Again we call your attention to the signed pledge in another column of this paper.

Public Forum

A Tribute to a Leading Citizen.

Before this goes to press, Mr. Kirby has left this section for other localities and many others have left with him—and so have a lot of other things. It is to be regretted that Mr. Kirby should find himself in such a situation that he had to accept an offer from some other point rather than establish himself for good right here.

That Mr. Kirby has been one of the best assets of the community the past year nobody can deny. With the exception of a handful of men—half a dozen at the most—he has not hurt anybody's business or interest. This never-ending stream of humanity which was winding its way to Thief River Falls from all directions—not by the hundreds but by the thousands—this summer, certainly could not help but afford a handsome revenue for many a business in town. These people stayed days, they stayed weeks many of them, and inasmuch as they did not have to spend so much for doctors' services, they spent it for other purposes. As for Mr. Kirby's methods, there is no use denying that he has performed some wonderful cures which would surprise the medical profession if they would step down from their high horse and make an impartial investigation.

There is a question as to whether he hurt the business of the local doctors very much, as his patients were mostly outside people who would not *have come here for* treatment anyway. As for local people, many a one who sought Kirby would not have consulted other doctors anyway. His charges were nominal, and when such is a small matter, anybody would be apt to make an investment. When a person can have his troublesome tonsils cured efficiently for a dollar he is likely to have it done. At least I would if I needed it. Anyone who has been afflicted with sickness of some sort knows by experience how much medical service he is apt to get for half a dozen dollars.

Another thing I would like to call attention to in regard to Mr. Kirby's cures is this: That in many instances he has had hopeless cases, that is, many who had consulted doctor after doctor in different localities without relief have been helped by Mr. Kirby's methods.

As I said before, I regret to see Mr. Kirby leave this locality. But it might have been a little different if it hadn't been for the raw deal he was accorded in municipal court recently, along with that notorious write-up in The Tribune, which was enough to arouse any man's temper. At least it did mine. The misguided gentlemen who wrote that article will find out that they made one great mistake.

When it was rumored that Mr. Kirby was going to leave this community to go to a locality where his medical practice would be more appreciated, then his own home town, then the people awoke to the realization that something was at stake. But too late, as Mr. Kirby had already decided to leave when a delegation from the city waited on him.

Community boosters have talked and tried time and again to encourage some industry to locate here. And right here we had one of the most flourishing businesses, established without the effort or expense of a single cent either from the Commercial club, Merchants association, or anybody else. And to cap the climax, this man was held up as a fool and his business as a joke, although there never has been a single individaul in the history of the city who has brought as many people and as much traffic to this locality as Mr. Kirby has the last year. Many call his business a big graft. Suppose a person pays six dollars to get his throat painted for T. B. or any other ailment and can have the process repeated as many times as is necessary until a cure is effected without extra charge—and consider that the medicine cost something. I fail to see where the graft comes in.

Again, somebody called his business a big joke. Let us look at it a little. Without advertising with glowing headlines, without the least solicitation on his part, this stream of people comes silently and slips away as quietly, with confident hopes of recovery, with the exception of a few who are too late. Why do they come and how do they come? Some person who has been relieved of a long standing sickness relates it to a friend, neighbor or relative. Does it stand to reason that this person would have advised his friend, neighbor or relative to consult Mr. Kirby if he himself hadn't been helped to a certain extent?

One thing I wished Mr. Kirby would have taken into consideration before he made his final decision to locate elsewhere, and that is: He didn't seem to consider his many friends here, or probably he didn't know he had as many friends and sympathizers as he really has. Mr. Kirby may still be persuaded to locate here again and there are several reasons why he should do so: Thief River Falls is a beautiful, good-sized city located in one of the best section of the Northwest; it has good hotel accommodations; its railway connections are second to none. The people both in the city and surrounding country are as good and progressive a set of people as can be found anywhere, and with the existing misunderstanding cleared away, I believe this is the ideal place for Mr. Kirby.

P. ENGELSTAD.

BE RID OF THAT ACHE

If you are a sufferer with lame back, backache, dizziness, nervousness and kidney disorders, why don't you try the remedy that your own neighbors recommend? Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. Peter Eberhardt, 211 Atlantic Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "I suffered with my back and kidneys. My back was weak and lame and ached badly. When I would wash or do any heavy work I suffered the worst. My kidneys were weak and annoyed me. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and it wasn't long before they rid me of all the trouble."

Mrs. Eberhardt gave the above statement Jan. 16, 1914, and on Aug. 6, 1921, she said: "I think Doan's Kidney Pills are the best remedy for kidney trouble. I recommend Doan's for the cure I received years ago and I gladly confirm that statement."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Spofford
OPTOMETRIST
Will be at Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Thursday, Nov. 3, from 1 p. m. to 8 p. m.

FOR PIANO TUNING
and Repairing call Phone 199 or see
F. S. EBERT
Thief River Falls - Minn.

SPANA-CUBA
YOCUM'S SPANA CUBA
MONARCHS
SPANA-CUBA YOCUM BROS.
ACTUAL SIZE

Back Again!

FIRST, you'll like its looks—the imported Sumatra wrapper. Then when you light up, you'll realize it's the same good old quality! An exceptional value again at the old price.

YOCUM'S SPANA-CUBA
2 for 15c
THIEF RIVER GROCERY CO.

Don't Buy Hard Coal

except for magazine or self-feeder stoves. For every other kind of heater, for range, cook stove, furance or fire place buy

Blue Star Semi-Anthracite

the ideal sootless coal. High in heat units, low in ash, it contains no stone or slate and it positively will not clinker. It will hold fire over night as well as hard coal. We consider this coal to be the best value in the coal trade. For fuel economy buy more heat and less ash. Buy Blue Star.

We are taking orders now.

THE PRICHARD CO.

WOOD

POPLAR Per Cord Sawed and Delivered $7.50

A car of Soft Coal at Per ton $10.50

City Dray & Fuel Co.
Phone 176 313 Main Ave. N.

During this month, the month of October, we wish to announce that we will again allow

15%

Discount on all dental work

It is not necessary for you to have the work completed this month in order to get the discount. All work contracted for during October entitles you to the same reduction.

EXTRACTIONS 50 CENTS

Gas Scientifically Administered with the Latest Appliances.

Fillings as low as $1.00
22k Gold Crown ---- $7.00

EXAMINATIONS FREE

A clean mouth with clean teeth win with a smile

Union Dentists
Thief River Falls.

Scandia Building Above First and Peoples Bank.

A Pleased Patient is Our Best Advertisement

Hours Daily 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Evenings and Sundays by Appointment.

FREE Souvenires to Every Woman Attending This Bargain Basement Opening

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Store Hours Daily 8:30 a. m. to 6 p. m. Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 10 p. m.

GRAND OPENING

of the

Bargain Basement Dry Goods Department

Saturday, October 22nd 1921

Thief River Falls' Bargain Center---Largest New Dry Goods Store in Town

Hundreds of dollars have been spent in entirely remodeling our Big Bargain Basement. The latest of new fixtures, the newest time saving devices and machinery, all in order to give you the Greatest Bargain Center this side of Minneapolis.

20 Thousand Dollars' Worth of New Merchandise

was bought at the new and lowest market prices just before the advance. These goods are arriving daily by freight and express. We want you to compare our new low Bargain Basement prices with all catalog competition, with all local competition, with any competitor's prices in the United States. If you do you'll find our prices are by far the lowest. Here and here only we are back to 1914 prices, as investigation will convince you.

A Complete Stock of Silks at New Prices

NOTIONS

Coats' 150 yd. Cotton Thread, 6 spools for	25c
50 yd. Silk Thread, 6 spools for	25c
Coats' Crochet Cotton, all sizes, per ball	10c
Children's Garters, all sizes, per pair	10c
Pearl Buttons, per dozen	5c
Double Mesh Hair Nets, each only	10c
Silko, per spool	10c
Fancy Jet and Cranberry Red Beads, wonder values at	69c
Hair Bow 6 inch ribbons	19c

36 in. all silk Tricolette, all colors	1.39
40 in. all silk Crepe de Chine, all colors	
40 in. all silk Georgettes, all colors	
36 in. all silk Messaline	
36 in. all silk Satins	
36 in. all silk Taffetas	
36 in. all silk Plaids and Stripes, all clrs	

The Greatest Silk Value of Them All

40 in. Beautiful high grade quality all silk Charmeuse, in brown, black and navy, at per yard

$1.69

Saturday, Oct. 22, 1921, Loken Brothers open another very important addition to the mercantile world of the Great Northwest. Since 1912 Loken Brothers' has always stood first as the leading progressive department store of Thief River Falls. We were the first and are today the largest advertisers. We were the first and only store to issue here a retail mail order catalog. Right now we are advertising in 17 newspapers every week. We have drawn trade for over 100 miles to Thief River Falls, which has been a very material help to every business house here as well as ourselves. We have here a mercantile institution that will compare very favorably with the best stores of Crookston, Grand Forks or Fargo. We want every man, woman and child to see this institution now since so many important improvements have been completed. You'll be pleasantly surprised when you see how we've grown. And why? Because we have always shown better goods, better variety, given better service, and sold at lower prices. Furthermore, here is our guarantee that goes into effect now:

We will sell you at any time or any day of the week any known merchandise that you desire at as low a price as any other store that you know of. Besides you will receive better service and better selection.

And remember, this is a genuine home owned and controlled Thief River Falls institution, and we are here to do our part to make this the greatest town in this section of Minnesota. We could very easily make this the GREATEST COUNTRY STORE IN AMERICA if you would all do the greater part of your shopping here instead of scattering it a little everywhere, doing no good anywhere. Why not have one or two REAL GOOD BIG STORES instead of half a dozen, all poor ones. Which is best for you and Thief River Falls? Think it over and let me know.

H. O. LOKEN.

New Basement Ready-to-Wear Wonder Values

Women's and Misses' Heavy Winter Coats, a big line of $18.50 and $25.00 values, now	13.95
New all wool plaids and Prunella stripe skirts, you'll recognize them as $10 values	5.95
Silk Waists, Crepe de Chine, Georgette and Satin, a very special Basement opening value	2.95
Women's flannel night gowns	69c
Women's flannel petticoats	39c
Children's sateen bloomers	25c
Women's sateen bloomers	69c
Women's percale aprons	69c
36 in. Curtain goods	15c

25 New Misses' and Women's Tricotine and Serge Dresses, all colors, all sizes. You'll be surprised at these values. Each

$5.95

DOMESTICS

27 in. Outing Flannels, all fancy patterns; yd.	12½c
36 in. White Outing Flannel, yd.	18c
Pillow Cases, 42x36, each	25c
9-4 Bleached Sheeting, per yard	39c
42 in. Pillow Tubing, per yard	35c
27 in. Stevens All-Linen Toweling, per yard	25c
47 in. Oil Cloth, plain or fancy, per yard	25c
36 in. Percales, light or dark, per yard	15c
36 in. good quality black Sateen, per yard	25c
Fine quality Bleached Nainsook, per yard	25c
Sanitol 50c Tooth Paste	29c

All wool Prosperity Yarns, ¼ lb. skeins, ea.	48c
2 oz. balls, each	32c
Baby Crib Blankets, each	65c
Women's pink brocaded Brassieres, each	25c
Women's good $2 value pink elastic top Corsets, each	98c
Women's $3 quality pink Warner corsets	$1.39
P. N. $4 Corsets, all sizes, special each	$1.95
Challies, in many pretty patterns, yard	18c
Fancy Linings, 36 in., per yard	38c
Waists, one lot, choice	69c
Men's Wool Stockings, sizes 9 to 11	25c

Coat Buttons, per card	10c
Hair Nets, cap shape	5c
Garters, all sizes	10c
Laces, per yard	5c
Dressing Combs	10c
Tape, 4 yd. package	5c
Elastic, black and white	5c
Ladies' Silk Handkerchiefs	10c
Snaps, per card	5c
Fancy Dress Buttons, per card	10c

Hosiery

Women's mixed wool and cotton heavy hose, pair	39c
Women's all wool fine rib heather mixture sport hose	79c
Women's cotton hose, per pair	15c
Boys' and girls' heavy fine and coarse rib hose	19c
Children's cotton hose, per pair	10c
Misses' fashioned fine rib cotton hose	29c

Fall and Winter Underwear

Women's fleece lined union suits, fine quality, good weight	$1
Girls' heavy Velastic union suits, each	95c
Infants' fine ribbed wool mixed shirts	39c
Women's separate garments, vests and drawers, at	50c

Specials

Palm Olive Soap, 15 bars for	$1.00
Swiss Rose Soap, 3 bars for	25c
4 qt. Aluminum Sauce Pan	49c
Aluminum Roasters	$1.25
Aluminum 6 qt. Kettles	$1.98
Aluminum 6 qt. Rice Boilers	$1.19
Heavy 10 qt. Tin Dairy Pails	49c

A Full Line of Fine China and Glassware at Special Prices.

Crash Toweling, a good value at per yd.	15c
Table Padding, 56 in. wide, per yard	$1.50
Colored Sateens, ping, blue, rose, yd.	38c
Wash Cloths, each	5c
Feather Pillows, per pair	$3.50
Men's Gauntlet Gloves, split leather, pair	25c
Canvas Gloves, per pair	10c
Men's Suspenders, heavy, per pair	25c
Boys' Suspenders, per pair	19c
Boys' Rah-Rah Hats, each	39c

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Miss [illegible] Hatley of Fertile arrived Saturday for an over Sunday visit.

Walter Anderson of St. Hilaire was a business caller here on Saturday.

Miss Thora [illegible] of Steiner spent yesterday in the city visiting relatives.

Ed. Gateson of [illegible] was a business visitor here the latter part of last week.

Miss Vivian Thoreson of Goodridge spent Thursday and Friday visiting with friends here.

Miss Hilda Peterson arrived Friday from Badger and spent a short time visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. [illegible] of Warroad spent Thursday in the city visiting with friends.

Carl Olson and Rudolph [illegible] of Gonvick were in the city Saturday on matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haugh of Park River, N. D., spent Saturday and Sunday with local friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. [illegible] of Park River, N. D., arrived here Friday for a [illegible] visit with friends.

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Miss Edith Olson arrived Tuesday from Fargo for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Shirley Sche'n left Monday morning for Minneapolis to visit friends.

N. Bamiband and H. B. Rockne of Goodridge were visitors here Wednesday.

Fred Hoyez of Warroad was the guest of friends in this city over Sunday.

Misses Eunice and Irene Petersen of St. Hilaire shopped in this city on Monday.

G. H. Griffith of Grand Forks attended to business matters here on Monday.

Roy Halseth left Saturday night for St. Paul to spend a few days on business.

Miss Juliet Ask of Lancaster is in the city this week as the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Aug. Shaffer of Warroad was here Friday and Saturday attending to shopping.

Miss Marie Bjorkman of Roseau spent Thursday in the city visiting with friends.

Miss Ann Thoraldson, who teaches at [illegible], was a weekend guest at her home here.

Mrs. Geo. Covert of Middle River was in the city Monday attending to matters of business.

The only explanation of Tanlac's great success is Tanlac's true worth. Lundgren's drug store. o-20

Miss Alma [illegible] of Little Falls is spending the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Isak Helseth.

Al. Dalton, auditor on the Soo, left Monday afternoon for Minot, N. D., on matters of business.

Wm. Herrick was among those who attended the football game at Crookston last Saturday.

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Miss Tillie Norden of Hallock and Miss Esther Hedlund of Lancaster were in the city on Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Silk and children, accompanied by Misses Irma and Gertie Johnson, motored to Oklee on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren and son, Harry, of Plummer, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird on Sunday.

Miss Thelma Christianson went to Plummer on Saturday and spent the day as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren.

Mrs. J. Woods and Miss Beth Parker, both of Forest River, N. D., were over Sunday guests of friends in this city.

Tina Johnson returned to her home at Park River, N. D., on Saturday after spending a few days visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Olen returned to their home at Cooperstown, N. D., Sunday after a few days' visit with local friends.

Mrs. Anton Johnson of Warroad arrived Thursday afternoon for a week's visit with her friend, Mrs. Richard Olson.

Mrs. Frank Williams returned to her home at Grasston Saturday after spending a few days here receiving medical attention.

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Miss Jessie Rankin returned to her home at Badger on Saturday after spending a few days visiting friends here.

Miss Lucille Fosholm, who has been employed here, left Friday for her home at Holt to remain indefinitely.

Theo. J. Hagen returned last week from Minneapolis and Davenport, Ia., where he had spent several days on business.

C. M. Munn, manager of the Standard Oil station here, was an over Sunday guest of friends and relatives at Crookston.

Miss Eileen Herron returned Monday from Minneapolis, where she had spent a couple of days as the guest of Miss Ruth Eiland.

Mrs. John Alm returned to her home at Roosevelt Friday morning, having spent a few days here receiving medical treatment.

Miss Ida Moen and Miss Mabel Thompson returned to their homes at Cummings, N. D., on Saturday after a brief visit with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Holbrook and Mrs. B. O. Sampson of Crookston motored to this city Thursday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto [illegible] and children motored over from Grand Forks Sunday for a visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich.

Mrs. A. Vigen left Friday afternoon for Marshall to visit relatives and also to attend to business matters. She returned home yesterday.

Misses Laura and [illegible] Jorgenson were among the teachers who left yesterday for Crookston to attend the meeting of the N. M. E. A.

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...all of Federal Dam, spent a few days the latter part of last week as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bergstrom.

Mrs. Emma Aarness, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Shaw, for several days, returned to her home at Crookston Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Funnel and daughter of Glenwood arrived Monday evening for a visit at the home of Mrs. Funnel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leimers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horn and Mr. and Mrs. Tininko, all of Ada, motored to this city on Saturday and were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jones.

Misses Lottie Mogen and Minnie Espelin returned to their homes at Park River, N. D., on Monday, having spent a couple of days here visiting friends.

Elmer Zeh, who is employed at Crookston, came up on Saturday and visited between trains with his father, Phil Zeh, and brothers, Richard and Ambrose.

Mrs. A. Isberg and Mrs. A. Peterson of Rainy River, Ont., returned to their homes Friday after having received medical treatment here for a couple of days.

Mrs. J. Elton, who had spent several days visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Selton, returned Tuesday morning to her home at Pine Creek.

Miss Maude Johnson left Wednesday afternoon for Crookston to attend the N. M. E. A. Miss Johnson will appear on the program Friday, giving a paper on music.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Biddick, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson, motored to Roseau on Sunday and were guests at the home of Mrs. Erickson's uncle, John Holm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Babcock and family, who have made this city their home for several years, left Monday afternoon for Seltan, Wash., where they will reside in the future.

A. J. Anderson, who had spent a few days attending the National Dairy show at Minneapolis, arrived here Sunday morning and left the same day for his home at Goodridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lawson arrived Tuesday from Minot, N. D., to establish their home. Mr. Lawson has accepted a position as cashier of the Farmers and Merchants State bank.

Mrs. J. H. Murphy and baby daughter, who had spent a couple of days [illegible] at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Quale, returned Friday morning to their home at Middle River.

Miss Florence Payne, instructor in the local schools, spent the weekend visiting her parents at [illegible]. She left yesterday afternoon to attend the teachers' convention at Crookston.

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...ers, letter carriers and other postal employes, which will be in session in the capital city this week. She intended to visit with Dr. and Mrs. C. Swanson in Minneapolis and with friends in Chicago while enroute.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gustafson had as their guests this week Mrs. Anderson and two children of Roseau. They returned to their home this morning.

Miss Lyda Batten, Miss Lorna Dodge, Miss Emma Tandberg, Miss Ida Tandberg, Miss Edna Larson, Miss Volborg Sandum and Mrs. Bertha Knewand, all teachers in the local schools, went to Crookston yesterday to attend the convention of the N. M. E. A.

Good Government Ticket

For Mayor
WILL PRICHARD, JR.

Alderman at Large
FRED DAHLOW

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F. F. HAYNES

[illegible] Ward
MARTIN EVENSON

Alderman Second Ward
DAVE GUSTAFSON

Alderman Third Ward
CHARLES W. VORACHEK

Alderman Fourth Ward
ANDREW NESS

Declaration of Principles

We stand for [illegible]

[illegible]

(Signed) WILL PRICHARD, JR.
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MARTIN EVENSON
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Our Eighteenth Anniversary!

On October 24th, the Citizens State Bank celebrates its 18th Anniversary.

For 18 years it has been the aim of this bank to offer the community helpful, friendly and comprehensive banking service and the consistent growth which we have enjoyed proves the measure of our success.

In looking ahead to another year we pledge ourselves to continue the same dependable service, the same personal interest in each and every depositor, the same consideration and courtesy.

The Citizens State Bank courteously invites your account.

Citizens State Bank
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

"A bath a day keeps you fit every way."

We Are Again in Business

in Thief River Falls and prepared to take care of all kinds of

PLUMBING, HEATING AND REPAIR WORK. PROMPT SERVICE.

HOLT & GEORGE COMPANY
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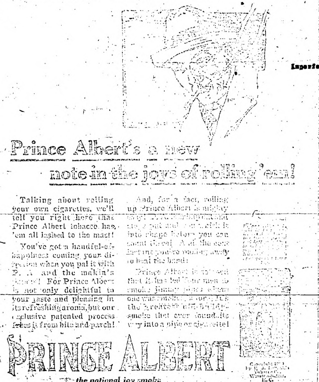

Prince Albert's a new note in the joys of rolling 'em!

Talking about rolling your own cigarettes, we'll tell you right here that Prince Albert tobacco has 'em all lashed to the mast!

You've got a handful-of-happiness coming your direction when you pal it with P. A. and the makin's papers! For Prince Albert is not only delightful to your taste and pleasing in its refreshing aroma, but our exclusive patented process frees it from bite and parch!

And, for a fact, rolling up Prince Albert is mighty easy! [illegible] into shape before you can count three! And the core [illegible] you're rolling away to beat the band!

Prince Albert is so good that it has led four men to smoke jimmy pipes where one was smoked before! It's the greatest [illegible] smoke that ever found its way into a pipe or cigarette!

PRINCE ALBERT
the national joy smoke

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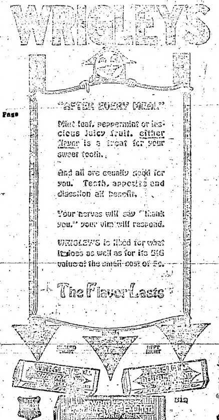

WRIGLEY'S

"AFTER EVERY MEAL"

Mint leaf, peppermint or luscious juicy fruit, either flavor is a treat for your sweet tooth.

And all are equally good for you. Teeth, appetite and digestion all benefit.

Your nerves will say "thank you," your vim will respond.

WRIGLEY'S is liked for what it does as well as for its BIG value at the small cost of 5c.

The Flavor Lasts

LIEBERMAN BROS.

Mighty Merchandise Slaughter --- Terrific Reductions

The biggest sale ever known of at Lieberman Bros.' store for the next 10 days, presenting the greatest outpouring of highest grade merchandise for fall and winter at the most unheard of price cuts ever known.

10 Days Sale Offering Mammoth Values

The very low prices mentioned below are by no means an indication of their worth. An inspection and comparison will convince you that it is the biggest saving event in dollars and cents in many seasons.

COME AND SAVE HERE ON MARKET DAY

You will find the most remarkable savings in everything.

All Wool Mackinaw Coat	Men's heavy sheep lined driving coat, 50 inches long	Young men's belted coats, lamb or leather lined, values to $35	Men's sheep lined vests, leather sleexes	Extra quality heavy weight strictly pure wool men's suits	Men's fleece lined union suits	Boys' fleece lined union suits
7.95	14.95	21.95	6.95	3.85	98c	78c

Wonderful values in men's and young men's high grade suits, worsteds, cassimeres and blue serges.

27.45

One lot of men's suits with two pairs of pants. Extra value at

32.45

Hart Schaffner & Marx suits at big savings.

32.45

Boys' Blue Serge Suit	Boys' Fine Quality Blue Serge Suits	Boys' strictly pure wool Mackinaws	Boys' wool Union Suits
6.45	8.35	6.45	2.37

Men's Wool Mixed Pants	Men's Pure Wool Jersey Sweaters	Men's leather lined cushion sole shoes	Men's leather lined Winter Caps	Extra good leather Work Mittens
$3.45	$2.68	$6.45	$2.65	$1.22
High Grade Flannel Shirt	Heavy Wool Mixed Shirts	Pure Wool Socks	Men's Heavy Cotton Sweaters	Boys' Elk Shoes
$2.65	$1.38	45c	78c	$1.69
Men's Canvas Gloves, 3 for	Work Shoes	Gordon $5.00 Hats	Men's All Wool Sweaters	Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers
25c	$2.95	$2.88	$4.45	$1.38

Men's and young men's sheep lined overcoats, coon or oppossum collar, worth $45.00.

31.45

Brown, blue and dark green shade overcoats, lamb lined, nutria collar.

28.85

Fine Kersey men's and young men's eautiful overcoats.

22.45

Hart Schaffner & Marx finest grade of overcoats.

38.85

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Prince Albert's a new note in the joys of rolling 'em!

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City News

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J. M. Ryan and daughter of Holt were visitors here on Monday.

J. P. Jensen of Goodridge was a business visitor here on Friday.

A. T. Bustad of Wheaton was a visitor in this city on Saturday.

Miss Gladys Thompson of Newfolden was a visitor here on Friday.

C. R. Thompson of Strathcona was a business caller here on Friday.

Allison Stitt attended the football game at Crookston on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of Baudette were visitors here on Monday.

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City Government

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C. W. VORACHEK
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HARALD SALTVEIT

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Miss Shirley Scheln left Monday morning for Minneapolis to visit friends.

N. Bundlund and H. B. Ecklund of Goodridge were visitors here Wednesday.

Fred Hoyes of Warroad was the guest of friends in this city over Sunday.

Misses Janice and Irene Peterson of St. Hilaire shopped in the city on Monday.

G. H. Griffith of Grand Forks attended to business matters here on Monday.

Ray Halseth left Saturday night for St. Paul to spend a few days on business.

Miss Juliet [illegible]

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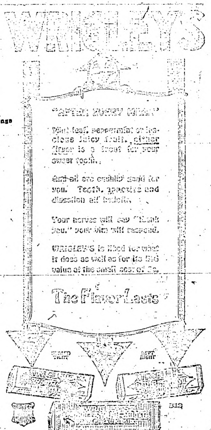

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Prince Albert's a new note in the joys of rolling 'em!

Talking about rolling your own cigarettes, we'll tell you right here that Prince Albert tobacco has 'em all backed to the mat!

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Retro- and Pro- Spect.

Six weeks of the school year is now past and gone. Our report cards will tell, as closely as the teachers have been able to ascertain, just what we have accomplished in the first six weeks. Although it is essential that we satisfy our teachers with our attitude toward our school work, it is more necessary that we are ourselves satisfied with the results of the time we have already spent in school. Can we truthfully say to ourselves that we have used our time and energy to the best advantage? Have we used every minute of our time for attaining our ideal? There is a limit to every person's development, and our ideal should be to reach that limit. Each one of us has been endowed with a certain mental capacity, and the aim of our school life should be to develop our faculties, whatever they may be, to the fullest extent possible.

Let us not confuse the issue by imagining it is only our formal studies that need to be looked after. There must be a complete social development. The perusal of books is only a part of this development. The good that comes from proper mingling in proper school society is as well a part of this development and needs our individual attention. This is a good time to analyze the situation and to make any alterations that seem advisable.—O. H. '23.

Going to School.

Dear little child, with the wide, round
eyes,
Careless of lessons, rebellious to rule,
How can you ever be happy and
wise?
Only by going to school.
Only by learning what grown-ups
have found
About the great earth, with its flowers and brooks,
And forests and people, and printed
and bound
In wonderful, wonderful books!
—Ex.

Regarding the First Annual Bulletin.

We have on hand a few extra copies of the First Annual Bulletin. If anyone failed to receive a copy, he will confer a favor by leaving notice at the superintendent's office. The bulletin contains a lot of useful information and is a fitting souvenir to preserve.

Thrift.

In teaching thrift and helping the pupils to develop the habit of thrift, pupils are urged to think, write, speak and finally practice in thrift. The following three compositions represent some of the work done in this line in the Central school. They are the product of the work in English which is so ably taken care of by Miss Josie Weeks.

The Man Who Spent it All.

Broke—and yet by laying aside a small part of his past earnings he might have had a reserve fund to carry him through his time of need. And you—are you living up to the last penny of your income? Then let us tell you how a small part of your salary can be laid aside to help prepare you for the future. The banks of Thief River Falls pay five per cent interest on savings, compounded quarterly. A new quarter began on Oct. 1.

"Double your savings; it can be done."—Naomi Hinrichs, 8B

Community Dollars.

You have some of them. Your neighbor has some of them. Every one of us has a vital interest in every one of them. They're Community Dollars, that's why! Gathered in bank deposits they go out to help our farmers, business men, you! The more of them at work the better for Thief River Falls Community.

Keep every spare dollar busy—through the bank. Avoid outside investment, be thrifty in a co-operative manner and thus safeguard home business.—Loretta Mulry, 8B

Skipping School.

(Note—An incident like this really happened in Kansas City a short time ago.)

"I'm not going to school any more," said John to Sam, Henry and Tom. "Let's go and have a good time instead of going to school all the time."

"Yes, let's do that," said the other boys.

"Nobody will know anything about it, anyway," said John. "I'll never learn anything going to school, so why not spend our time in a useful way?"

About two weeks of school has passed with the absence of these four boys.

"I like this life ever so much better than going to school," said John. "I never had so much fun in all my life as I have had these two weeks."

"I have seen you four boys roaming around town for about two weeks. I believe you should be in school instead of here," said the sheriff one day. "You come along with me and I'll show you what is good for you."

The sheriff took the boys to the court house under the care of the judge.

"We have not been in school for a few days," said John. "The teacher does not mind if we stay out once in a while."

"You boys know that the place for you is in school," said the judge. "Your parents think you are in school and here you are fooling away your time around town and neglecting your school work."

"But wouldn't you send us to the county home for correction?" asked John in a shaky voice.

"No, I'll show you what is good for you," said the judge, taking off his shoe. "You need some of this."

Laying John down over his knee he gave him a sound spanking. The other boys also had their turn.

When the judge was through the boys said, "We are glad to go back to school." This they did, though they were very uneasy the first day. The afterward went to school very regularly and they got their lessons, too.—G. J. '24.

Freshman Class Spirit.

Spirit is the most important factor in our classes. This does not mean that we should be up to all sorts of mischievous stunts. It means we should show the right kind of mettle at the right time.

In the first place we should attend class meetings. Our class spirit is derived from these. They are not only beneficial but interesting. Of course there are a few, like those from the country, who cannot possibly attend. But most of those who live in town are able to spend fifteen or thirty minutes after school if they really want to. These meetings are a get-together of the students so that they may co-operate and have a good class.

Also boost your class; try to help in everything which it undertakes to do. A good time to start would be now—help sell the annuals. It would be nice to have a fellow student win the personal banner and the class obtain the larger one.

Advertise your class by submitting jokes, pictures, literary work and cartoons to the annual. "It pays to advertise." We do not want the annuals to contain only pictures and jokes of the Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. We want our class represented in it, too, so that in 1925 we can look back upon our perfect Freshman class of 1921.

Let us not only have perfection in our meetings and everything outside of school. Let us try to keep a high standard in our school work. Let us do our own work every day and do it well. Never stoop to do anything dishonest, for if we do so in school we shall do it without. "Meddle not with dirt—some of it will stick to you." Let us make our department as good as possible. The teachers are fair to us by giving us privileges which other schools do not have, so let us be fair to them and show every one that the Freshmen are trying to be right.

We must pull together. "Where there is much smoke there must be some fire." If we all boost and work for our class we cannot help but accomplish great things.—G. W. '25.

Be Proud of Your School Building.

Our high school building is named after one of the greatest men in history, Lincoln. It is located in the southwestern part of Thief River Falls and is one of the biggest and best high schools in the northwest. The initial cost of the high school was great. Its upkeep, including the salaries of the teachers and other employes, without saying anything about the money it costs to varnish, paint and repair everything every summer, runs into thousands of dollars. It costs money to keep it in fuel, light and water.

The Lincoln high school has electric lights, drinking fountains, and other equipment. It is also very pleasant as it has many windows so the pupils can get plenty of fresh air and sunshine. The pupils are comfortably seated and everything is all clean and neat.

Would you like to have your friend John or Bill come come into your mother's sitting room and carve his initials on the big rocking chair? No, indeed, you wouldn't like to see him do it. Yet, would it be any worse than to carve initials on your desk or any other person's desk or chair? You are in school as much as you are home, and probably more. Would you think of breaking a chair purposely at home? No, you wouldn't. Then don't break chairs or desks at school. If a desk is broken a new one will have to be put in its place. If the desk was not broken the money could be used to buy pictures, statues and other things.

Don't tear the books in the school library, even if you can't use them. Some boys and girls think that when they can't use a book or a magazine no one else can use it, and they tear them. Don't leave paper lying on the floor. What if no one picked up paper and let it lie where it was? It would look dreadful and people would think us very untidy.

Are you ashamed of the high school when we have visitors? If so, help keep it clean and tidy. Clean your desk at least once a week and keep your books neatly arranged in your desk. If your books fall out of your desk onto the floor, it looks very untidy and it soils your books. Everyone help to make Lincoln high school better.—R. L. '25.

The Senior Reception.

On Friday evening occurred an annual event, the reception given the faculty and school board by the Senior class. Between four o'clock and eight in the evening, an almost incredible transformation had taken place in the business-like school building. As one entered, he beheld flowers everywhere; and easy chairs and divans, with more flowers, converted the prosaic commercial rooms into a charming reception hall.

After a half hour or so of informal conversation, a very enjoyable program was presented on an improvised stage in the hall:

Address of Welcome—Johanna Wedul, class president.

Piano duet—Ruby Bennes, Palma Langseth.

Vocal solo—Myrtle Williams.

Violin solo—Lorraine Will.

Musical reading—Beulah Chamberlain.

Saxaphone duet—John Hendry and Kermit Anderson.

A one-act play, "The Florist Shop," was the event of the evening. It was the story of an engagement which had lasted too long, and of a spur to the delinquent fiance in the form of orchids sent to the lady fair by the florist's clerk but supposed to have come from a most ardent lover. Needless to say, the scheme worked admirably and a speedy marriage was promoted.

Lloyd Alnes as Mr. Slovsky made a most convincing Jew, even to the cast of feature. Helen Warner as Maud was properly sentimental and decidedly clever as well. Kermit Anderson, representing Henry, furnished a good bit of comedy with his soprano voice. Mildred Loftness as Miss Wells mixed dignity with pathos in a convincing manner, and Gregory Werstlein played the part of Mr. Jackson, the delinquent fiance, very creditably.

When the fortunes of the engaged pair had been safely brought to a close, Miss Johnson conducted a song service in which even the most unmusical joined. Delightful refreshments were served at the close of the evening. A lusty three cheers by board and faculty members bade the Seniors good night and bespoke the appreciation of the guests.

In every respect, the Senior reception was worthy of the class of 1922 and of their advisor, Miss Chamberlain.

Seniors Meet.

On October 11 the Senior class had a meeting after 4 o'clock assembly. The purpose of the meeting was to make final preparations for the teachers' reception.

Another topic discussed was the choosing of a design for the class ring. The students looked at different designs and were spoken to by Mr. Neset concerning his rings. The matter, however, is to be settled at some future meeting.

Be There!

On Tuesday, October 25, the play, "The Florist's Shop," which was given at the Senior reception, will be given again at the Leceum theatre in connection with the regular moving picture program. There will probably be a matinee with reduced prices, besides two evening performances. The high school will receive 40 per cent of all money from tickets. Here's a chance for every pupil to see this lively comedy and at the same time help out the high school. Be there!

Dr. Mellby Addresses School Assembly.

Dr. O. F. Mellby, vice president of the board of education, appeared before the general assembly last Wednesday with an interesting and inspiring address.

Dr. Mellby spoke first of the different classes or gradations of mental capacity. These ranged from the lowest type of imbeciles to the superior adult. He then interestingly brought out the fact that boys and girls who had been able to meet the requirements for successful high school work were in the upper groups. It showed that they had the "gray matter." It was up to them to develop it. No one could tell to what extent the intellect might be used. Schools are maintained, however, to contribute to maximum development.

Dr. Mellby expressed himself as well pleased with conditions as he found them in the schools. He spoke in the capacity of both parent and board member. This, of course, was good news to students as well as teachers. It will stimulate all of us to greater efforts and will strengthen our determination to meet every requirement.

Thief River Falls Tickles Crookston.

Last Saturday our football team journeyed to Waterloo and won another victory—but this time for Crookston. In suffering this vistory, however, we discover we were automatically elevated to upper society in footballdom. Truly this coincidence is significant that the University of Minnesota, Northwestern University and Thief River Falls high school all romped away with the small end of a 27 to 0 score against Ohio State, Wisconsin University and Crookston high school respectively. We're happy, though, for we rather enjoy the company of Minnesota and Northwestern. We couldn't all win, and, in fact, when we saw how the score went to the heads of the Crookstonites, we couldn't refrain from reconfirming in our minds the fact that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

Our team was greatly handicapped for the fray, but, even so, we might have won if we had not played such Rotten (note the capital R) game. In the first place "Bob" McGinn at quarter had a toothache which interfered with the use of his tongue to an extent that made him unable to signal for our best plays; John Sether broke a spring on the right end which compelled him to cut down his speed materially, and Superintendent Simley, who played side lines, had a rund down battery. On top of all this, Coach Stenhoff ran along the sides of the field and talked Swedish or some other outlandinsh language until "Kip" LaBree became confused on the signals and pounded the ball into the wrong stomach, nearly knocking the poor victim's wind out. To cap the climax, Captain Herron had a bad sore on his lip. No wonder, therefore, that we lost.

But, we've made our contribution now! We're going to "help ourselves to the gravy" next time! Just watch us dive into Fosston next Saturday.

By the way, anyone interested in the lineup of last Saturday's game may inquire of any of the players. It is strongly recommended, however, that you equip yourself with a catcher's mask and breast protector before you make the venture.

Northwestern Minnesota Educational Association.

The city schools have been closed for Thursday and Friday to enable the teachers to attend the convention of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association, which is holding its meeting in Crookston.

Our teachers are contributing liberally to the various programs. Miss Maude L. Johnson speaks before the Primary Section on "Music in the Primary Grades," and before the Music Section on "The Aim of Public School Music." Miss Ryff will discuss "Seat Work" before the Primary Section. Mr. Rapacz will address the High School History Section on "Political Economy as a High School Subject." Miss Ruth Soule will appear on the program of the Home Training Section with a paper on "Cooking as Taught in Our School," while Miss Stebbins will discuss "English Benefited by the Study of Latin, and How to Bring These Benefits Home to the Student," before the Language Section. Mr. Jardine will lead a discussion on "Shop Equipment," on the program of the Agricultural and Manual Training Section. Miss Ida Tandberg will appear on the program of the Elementary Section with a discussion of the topic, "Teaching Poetry in the Grades." Miss Alma Harris is at the head of the Primary Section, Miss Edna Larson at the head of the Intermediate Section and Mr. Simley at the head of the Secondary.

An invitation is to be presented by the Commercial club and the school board of Thief River Falls to hold the convention here next fall.

Memorial to France.

At the invitation of Honorable J. M. McConnell the various city schools made a contribution to a fund raised by America's school children with which to build and equip two fine high schools in the devastated areas of France. These schools are to be known as the "Washington-LaFayette" and the "Foch-Pershing" high schools. The money collected is being presented to General Foch on his visit to our country. The amount contrubuted by each building was as follows:

Central, $3.81; Knox, $2.81; Lincoln, $2.14; Northrop, $1.91; Washington, $4.20. Total, $14.87.

Teacher Training Dept.

The students of the Teacher Training department are having the privilege of attending the Rural Teachers Institute, which is being held in the high school gymnasium Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Next week we shall begin "Primary and Intermediate Construction Work." This follows the fall course in Nature Study and Agriculture, which has just been completed.

Two sand tables, a book shelf and a construction table have recently been added to the equipment of the training department. The members of the department take this means of expressing their appreciation for the much needed equipment.

Washington Notes.

These children in the Washington school have been neither tardy nor absent for the first six weeks of school:

First Grade—Harvey Egenes, Paul Dahl, Larenz Krauze, William Omundson, Gretchen Simley, Ronald Sponheim, Roy Swanson.

Second Grade—Stanley Arneson, Stanley Egenes, Pearl Husted, Lester Ihle, Hartman Larson, Arthur Myrom, Irene Nicholson, Russell Patten, Luverne Roland, Leo Sheedy, Donald Sorenson, Bernadette Waldorf.

Third Grade—Norman Bakke, Harold Black, Ellery Carlson, Marguerite Eastman, Violet Jacobson, Helen Langevin, Clarence Offerdahl, Agnes Stageberg, Margaret Thill, Frances Vignes, Gordon Weflen.

Third and Fourth Grades—Amanda Arneson, Morris Brenna, Vernon Dibble, Mildred Egenes, Irving Hoglin, Clara Vignes, Margaret Hoglin, Bessie Carlson, Dennis Longevin, Karen Langseth, Ruth Remmem, Yvonne Vaudrin.

Fourth B—Eunice Carlson, Edward Eastman, Agnes Field, Pauline Hauber, Gladys Jacobson, Ruth Jacobson, Charles Parenteau, Donald Snyder, Irwin Sponheim, Victor Stageberg, James Warner.

Fifth Grade—Theresa Amon, Katherine Bakke, Mildred Bidler, Agnes Bjorge, Viola Bredeson, David Fallness, Bernard Leimers, Iona Loken, Edwin Soderberg, Lucy Warner.

Sixth Grade—John Barzen, Margaret Barzen, Margaret Bjorkman, Ethel Carlson, Eleanor Hoglin, Ruby Ihle, Earnest Krauge, Delphine Louee, Evelyn Palmer, Annette Parenteau, Agnes Quindlog, Louise Roth, Wesley Roth, Harlon Sponheim, Alfred Stokke, Gladys Weeks.

The pennants for marching were won this last week by Miss Ryff's second graders on the first floor and by Mrs. Karwand's sixth graders on the second floor.

Jokes and Personals.

Miss Cormely: (in Modern History Class) "What was the condition of the peasants' farm implements?"

Martha F.: "They had to cut wheat with a chisel."

Stephen: "Mr. Harner, where do you want me to sit?"

Mr. Harner: "Where no one else is sitting."

Lloyd A.: "Before Shakespeare began his career as an author, he was chambermaid to horses."

Much interest was aroused during the discussion of the Whiskey Insurrection in the American History class last Wednesday.

"Buster:" "The people rebelled against the tax on whiskey. They made it out of corn."

(Titter from class.)

Hank: "Did each man make for himself?"

Bill: "No, he made for himself and the whole family. But the question is, where did they make it?"

Morris: "That's easy. In private homes as they do now."

Miss Stavig and Henry Vorlicky were having quite a debate as to the party to which Washington belonged. They had reached the climax and a deep silence ensued, broken only by Forrest when he casually observed: "I see now why Henry painted that car red."

Mr. Rapacz: "First hour classes pass."

Mildred: (to another student) "You better pass now, he may not let you in at the end of the year."

Clarence and Rudy Rice, students of the high school, spent Sunday at their home in Plummer.

When "Bob" was down in Crookston
With a woman he dod flirt,
She had a picture hat on
And her fact was black as—?

Nora Lindquist spent Sunday at her home in Wylie.

Mr. Harner says he'll never answer the 'phone again.

Why, Helen??

Helen says to ask Bill A.

Mr. Rapacz announced that some books had been found: Hamlet, an Algebra and—Julius Shakespeare.

Freshamn: (to two Juniors in library) "Do you know where I can find a dictionary?"

(So near and yet so far.)

Chuck Herron: (in American History) "So they set a day and had a big feed."

Miss Stavig: (sarcastically) "To those who live on a farm a feed is oats and barley. What do you mean?"

Rudie Rice: (just waking up in American History) "They a— they a— were— a why they-a-er—I didn't get your question."

Wanted: Another pronoun.

Miss Stavig: "They didn't know who they were so they were called x, y, z."

Irvin Myrin: (struggling with a bit of old English literature) "To where can I go to make my moon?"

(Old English word for moan.)

Who'll be the beast?

Miss Chamberlain: (giving out character parts) "Well, 'Beauty,' Lloyd Lonson."

It tooks "Weeks" to develop the Arneson case.

Found in Sophomore note book: "The ones who settled on the steppes of the Caspian sea formed a people and called themselves Aryans."

Helen L.: (in Modern History) "The colonies began to make manufacturers."

What do you mean, "we."

Miss Chamberlain: "Name some prose or poetry we have studied, Stephen."

Stephen: "'The Lady of the Lake,' 'Canterbury Tales,' and—"

Miss C.: "We haven't studied 'The Lady of the Lake' yet."

Stephen: "Yes, we have. We studied 'The Lady of the Lake' last year."

Mr. Harner: "Did Myrtle help you, Anna?"

Anna: "No, sir."

Mr. H.: "Did you do it yourself?"

Anna: "No, sir."

Mr. Harner: "Who helped you then?"

Anna: "Ole."

Bernard: "How does the Girls Glee Club sing?"

Violette: "I haven't seen it."

Administration's Corner

Herewith is submitted the report of our school nurse for the month of September. A reading of this report will show the importance of this work.

Physical inspection	52
Pupils sent home	8
Notices sent out	12
Room inspection	59
Home calls	155
Telephone calls	101
Children accompanied to doctor	2
Quarantined for small-pox	3
Communicable diseases:	
"Pink" eye	3
Impetigo Contagiosa	2
Ring worm	1
Scabies (itch)	2
Diarrhoea	1
Eczema	2
Headache, high fever	27
Typhoid fever	1
Cold	8
Def. knee, injury	2
Health meetings attended	3
Small pox	3

The Pennington County Public Health association under Mrs. J. J. Richter's direction conducted a nutritional clinic at the high school for school children who were underweight. Ninety-one children were examined and given free medical advice by Dr. Stewart.

Respectfully submitted,
RUTH J. JOHNSON, R. N.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

A special school meeting was called at the Willowdale school Monday evening for the purpose of voting on additional $600 within the district to defray the expenses connected with the repairing and remodeling of the school building. County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson of Thief River Falls was present. The work of remodeling has just been completed by Chas. Sagmoen and Victor Mosbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, in company with two friends, motored to St. Hilaire last Wednesday evening to attend the R. R. V. S. M. Society annual conference.

Miss Laura Kron returned Wednesday from Thief River Falls, where she had been shopping and visiting.

O. J. Dahl has recently sold his Fordson tractor to the Myrom brothers.

Miss Nina Westby, who has been employed in Duluth the past summer, came home Wednesday for a stay with her parents.

Mrs. Albert Paulson returned on Wednesday from Bemidji, where she had spent a week with the John [illegible] family.

Wednesday's health meeting at the [illegible] school drew a fair audience [illegible] mothers and sisters of the pupils, [illegible] an educational meeting was held. Miss Margaret Sheridan, state health inspector of public schools, was the principal speaker, and was assisted by Miss Loretta Newman of the county child welfare board, and the county nurse, Miss Hanson. Considerable interest was aroused during the meeting.

Anton Baker, a carpenter from Thief River Falls, has been in town the past week doing interior finishing work on the John Remmem store.

Ted Samuelson and Oswald Nora from town of Norden were Sunday guests of John Remmem.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and children of Thief River Falls motored up last Sunday to visit Mrs. Benson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

Mrs. T. Mellem spent a few days last week at Viking visiting with her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard.

Mrs. Erick Backlund, accompanied by a daughter from Thief River Falls, arrived Friday morning for a short visit at the Ingrid Nordhagen and Anton Gullseth homes.

Mrs. George Anderson and daughter, Clarissa, and Miss Synneva Sorenson of Warren were visitors last Friday at the P. Sorenson and Haugen brothers homes.

Swedish services at the church in town next Sunday evening, Oct. 23, when Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will speak.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at Thief River Falls, spent the week-end with her folks north of town.

~~Richard Ranum and Selmer~~ Sorenson went to South St. Paul last Saturday with two carloads of livestock for the local shipping association.

Christ Rhodegaard and Albert Johnson, two of Norden's prosperous farmers, drove in a large bunch of stock for Saturday's shipping.

Miss Laura Kron went to Crookston last Friday to attend the teachers' convention this week.

Roy G. Erickson and P. O. Landen came over from Warren last Friday on a business call with the state road contractors.

Benny and Otto Ranum came home from Park River, N. D., last Sunday after having been employed there this fall.

Misses Rose Dolezal and Carrie Nelson, employes at the Stanton cafe at Thief River Falls, came out on Tuesday for a short visit with their folks.

J. E. Hellquist went to Newfolden on Monday with a team of horses for his son, Albert, to be used in marketing the latter's large potato crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Olson, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Ryan and daughter, Lorraine, of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson.

Clifford Schantzen and Daniel Parenteau of Thief River Falls were in town on business last Tuesday.

Benny Ranum left Tuesday for Warren, where he will visit friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hellerud from Twin Valley were Sunday guests of Cashier and Mrs. A. S. Holm.

Mrs. A. A. Lindstrom of Twin Valley arrived here on Thursday and will visit until Sunday with the Jas. Thompson family.

Misses Gladys Swenson and Esther Thoreson went to Thief River Falls on Monday evening to attend the paving celebration and to visit among friends.

Teacher Annie Tharaldson of Busy Bee spent Monday evening with her folks at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson were hosts to the following relatives and friends last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ohm of Gully, Mrs. Ena Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Aos and two children of Gully, Ole Aos of Hazen, and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lindstrom of Twin Valley.

J. E. Hellquist went to Thief River Falls last Sunday in company with the Albert Hellquist family of Newfolden and spent the day visiting at the August Hellquist home.

Andrew Gullseth of Thief River Falls was in town Tuesday visiting his cousin, Anton Gullseth, and attending to matters of business.

Henry Rogers from Steiner visited with friends north of town Monday evening.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

John Bergland, who has been employed near Loma, N. D., since last spring, returned home last Sunday.

Morris Martinson and Sven Englund called on the Skahl boys Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Oscar Joppru and Miss Thora Skomedal called at the Nils Soredahl and Albert Klungness homes the fore part of last week.

A large number of farmers from this vicinity attended the Ose sale last Saturday.

John Dahl and Gunsten Skomedal called on John ~~Easthouse last Sunday~~.

Soren Bergland was a visitor at the G. J. Skomedal home Sunday.

~~Kenneth Russell~~, who was operated on for appendicitis at the hospital in Thief River Falls, is reported as getting along fine. We all hope to see him around soon as spry as ever.

Andrew Skahl is working for Peter Anderson these days, repairing his barn.

Carl and Otto Keuhny will move this week with their stock and machinery to Alexandria, where they have rented a farm.

Everybody welcome to the Hallowe'en ball social in the Riverside school house Saturday evening, Oct. 29, instead of the 22nd as stated in the last issue of The Times.

REINER

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wells are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Gussie Halvorson was a Goodridge caller on Monday.

Bennett Johnsrud recently returned from Adams, N. D., where he has been employed.

Miss Florence Burns, teacher at the Pershing school, left Saturday for Thief River Falls to attend the teachers' institute this week.

Henry Halvorson was a caller at Goodridge on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will of Erie are still living with Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Hollen.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson were visitors at Emil Sigurid's on Sunday.

Abe Johnsrud of Thief River Falls visited with Andrew Wells on Sunday.

Henry Halverson and sister, Helen, and Mrs. Alfred Olson and son were Thief River Falls shoppers last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson recently moved from their farm to the Edwin Brekke farm, where they will make their home for the winter.

Emil Sigurid and daughter, Mrs. Soren Hermanson, and sons were visitors at Thief River Falls last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McEnelly were callers in Goodridge one day last week.

Mrs. A. Wells returned home from Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mr. Leslin and sons, Dwain and David, were visitors at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

John Hermanson arrived here last week from North Dakota and is visiting at the Emil Sigurid home.

Halvor Helle is attending high school at Thief River Falls.

Harry and Johnnie Erickson arrived home Friday from Adams, N. D., where they had been employed through the summer.

~~Frank Race~~ was a caller at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Berg and children, Arthur, Thelma and Verna, were Sunday visitors at the E. Grimley home.

Mrs. Numland and son, Ole, of Grygla, were visitors at the T. G. Helle home this week.

Martin Johnson finished his threshing this week.

Misses Cora McEnelly and Olga Grimley left Monday for Goodridge, where they will attend high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kotlan from near Mavie were calling on friends in Reiner last Sunday.

Mr. Dahl and mother were callers at O. K. Olson's on Sunday.

Miss Olga Grimley arrived home last Saturday from the Andrew Wells place, where she had been assisting Mrs. Wells with her work.

Miss Olga Sigurid visited at home last Sunday. She is employed at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Johnson will move their household goods and live on the Ole Bratland place in the near future.

Oscar and Ruben Stenvick were Thief River Falls visitors on Monday.

Oscar Stenvick and Louie Grimley are out gathering a carload of sheep.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by P. B. Ganss and Nettie E. Ganss, his wife, to J. A. Childs, bearing date the 15th day of August, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of August, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of mortgages, on page 44, given to secure the payment of the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1,500.00) and interest according to the terms of one certain promissory note described in said mortgage, dated August 15th, 1916, due August 15th, 1921, with interest payable at the rate of six per cent per annum, according to five coupon interest notes attached thereto; the fifth of which was for Ninety Dollars, ($90.00), due August 15, 1921; upon which coupon and principal note, there was default in the payment of both, which default has continued to the date of this notice by the failure and neglect of said mortgagors to make payment of said principal note and interest, to-wit: Fifteen Hundred and Ninety Dollars, or any part thereof.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixteen Hundred One and 13-100 Dollars, ($1601.13); and

WHEREAS, the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to cover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the same mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half (E½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and Lots Three (3) and Four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), also known and described as the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of said section, all in Township One Hundred Fifty Three (153), North, Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) acres more or less, according to Government survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1500.00) and interest, and Twenty-five Dollars, ($25.00) attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year of the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 27th, A. D. 1921.

J. A. CHILDS, Mortgagee.
GEO. B. EDGERTON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

TAKE NOTICE, That default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Milo G. Drake and Elsie F. Drake, his wife, as mortgagors, to Fred E. Hodgson, as mortgagee, dated July 15, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on December 4, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 530.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $60.95 and $330.00 for interest on a prior mortgage covering the mortgaged premises hereinafter described paid by said mortgagee on July 15, 1921, pursuant to the terms of the above described mortgage, and interest thereon since the date of said payment at the rate of 8½ per cent per annum, making the total amount due and payable on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of $395.18. The mortgaged premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4), and the South Half of the North Half (S½ of N½) of Section Five (5), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), of Range Forty-four (44), also the South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼ of SE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), of Range Forty-four (44), containing 408.91 acres, more or less.

Said mortgage will be foreclosed pursuant to the statute by a sale of said mortgaged premises, which sale will be made on the 14th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and the further sum of $120.00 secured by said mortgage, $50.00 attorney's fees, and the expenses of sale.

September 26, 1921.

FRED E. HODGSON, Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minnesota.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August O. Schneider, a single man, Mortgagor, to Continental Land Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 17th day of October, 1916, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 233.

And Whereas, The said Continental Land Company, the Mortgagee and Holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Ninety-six and 44-100 Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of October, 1921, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1196.44 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, being statutory Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 13, A. D. 1921.

CONTINENTAL LAND COMPANY, Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
S-15-22-29-O-6-13-20

Mike Holm Proposes Tax On Gas Instead of Cars

Secretary of State Mike Holm proposes that instead of the present tax on automobiles, a tax of $5.00 on small cars to $10.00 on large cars, with a levy of one cent per gallon on gas be instituted. The secretary believes this would be fairer than the present law as the man who travels them most gets the most use out of the roads of the state and so should pay more. The large cars use more gas than the smaller ones and would consequently pay more, which is fair as the larger ones are harder on the roads.

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"The Winchester Store"
Hardware and Coal
Phone 23

Sale bills printed by The Times.

SKUNK

This is the only fur bearing animal that can be trapped soon. There are thousands in this country and we want all of them at a good market price.

Bring in your poultry, eggs, hides and wool and receive the highest cash price.

Next door to Court House.
NORTHERN TRADING CO.
C. Christianson, Manager

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Radiant Home hard coal heater, large size. Wm. Korstad. 37

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn, good well, three lots, located on corner of Fourth Street and Knight Ave. N., known as the Severson property, for sale cheap. Possession can be given Oct. 1. John Bratrud. 34tf

FOR SALE—A few hundred bushels good white Russian oats; are on farm, Section 1, Highlanding township. Jos. Vorlicky, Rt. 3, City. 37p

FOR SALE—At a bargain or for rent, four acres land, 9 room house, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, berry bushes, strawberries; several other buildings. Inquire at Times Office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Fresh cows. Inquire of T. Satre. 40p

FOR SALE—Dry and green pole wood, cord and stump wood. Ristau Bros., two miles south and three miles west of Thief River Falls. 38p

FOR SALE—Property at 112 Knight Ave. S. Three rooms. See Ed. Severson. 35tf

FOR SALE—Most desirably located and thoroughly modern home. Easy terms. Inquire Hager Land Co. 35tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

FOR SALE—Fine back bar; one team horses, wt. 2700 lbs.; harness; wagon; plow. W. A. Bishop. 38

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, odd sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

TO EXCHANGE—Land for good automobile. W. A. Bishop. 37tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One business lot near First National bank; thirteen dwelling lots on Arnold north; house and two lots near hospital; three automobiles. Inquire Hager Land Co. 30tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

Help Wanted—Male

MEN WANTED—To sell Groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 37p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Girl as bookkeeper and cashier. 207 Main Ave. N. 37

WANTED—A cook on the P. Frost Spaulding farm by Nov. 1. Walking distance to town. Inquire of Mrs. G. T. Peterson, Warren, Minn. 40

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Job to plow with Fordson or small tractor. W. F. Kane, Thief River Falls. 37p

BACK AGAIN ready for weaving. Bring in those carpet rags to 116 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britten. 41p

FOUND—Pitchfork. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 37

FOR PAINTING and paperhanging see Bakken & Sherstad. Prices reasonable. Phone 377-J or 331-M. 37p

WANTED—To hear from parties who want to sell their lands. Give full particulars relative to distance to market, buildings, price, etc. Address Box 24, Cedar Falls, Iowa. 37p

Auction Sale

Having quit farming, I will sell at my farm, described as the Southeast Quarter of Section 7, Towship of Silverton, situated 4 miles east and 3 miles north of Thief River Falls, and 1½ miles north of Stop 5 on the Electric Line

Tuesday, Oct. 25
Commencing at 10:00 o'clock sharp

HORSES
One bay horse, 9 yrs. old, wt. 1300.
One chestnut sorrel horse, 3 years old, wt. 1400.
One brown horse, 4 yrs. old, wt. 1250
One bay horse, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1100.

CATTLE
One roan cow, 5 years old.
One red and white cow, 5 years old.
One red and white cow, 4 years old.
One red cow, 3 years old.
One red cow, 3 years old.
All of the above will freshen in January or February.
One red and white heifer, 2 years old, fresh now.
One red heifer, 2 years old.
One roan heifer, 1 year old.
One red bull, 3 years old.
Three spring calves.
Thirteen shoats, 4 months old.
About 100 chickens, young and old.

MACHINERY, ETC.
One 8 ft. John Deere binder.
One 20-disc Kentucky drill.
One Osborn 16 disc.
One 20 ft. flexible harrow.
One 7½ ft. International cultivator.
One 5 ft. Deering mower.
One 10 ft. Deering rake.
One Rock Island gang plow.
One John Deere sulky plow.
One walking plow.
One potato digger.
One John Deere corn planter.
One wagon, complete with triple box.
One narrow tire wakon.
One grain tank.
One surrey.
Two sets of sleighs.
ONE FORD AUTOMOBILE.
One single buggy harness.
Three sets work harnesses.
One Hero fanning mill.
One 1000 lb. scale.
One grindstone.
One set blacksmith tools.
Sixty rods 26 in. woven wire.
One 7 bbl. galvanized stock tank.
One wooden stock tank.
Two barrels.
One power washing machine.
One 1½ H. P. gas engine.
One DeLaval cream separator No. 15
One Index cook stove.
One 2 burner oil stove with oven.
Ten tons timothy hay.
Hay slings.
Some oats.
Many other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1922.

John Klungnes, Owner
W. J. LaBree, Auct. First National Bank, Clerk

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction at the George Kassa farm, northwest quarter Sec. 19, Town of Reiner, four miles east of Goodridge, two milee west and one-half mile north of Torgerson Store

Thursday, Oct. 27
at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

One bay horse, wt. 1250 lbs.
One white horse, wt. 1250 lbs.
One bay mare, 9 yrs. old, wt. 1400.
One bay horse, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1400.
One grade Guernsey cow, 3 yrs. old, coming fresh in March.
One red cow, 6 yrs. old, coming fresh in February.
One red cow, 4 yrs. old, coming fresh in January.
Two red cows, 3 yrs. old, coming fresh in January.
One red and white cow, 7 yrs. old, coming fresh in April.
One red cow, 3½ yrs. old, coming fresh in December.
One red cow, 5 yrs. old, coming fresh in January.
One heifer, 1½ yrs. old, coming fresh in March.
Two pigs, 6 months old.
Fifty Leghorn chickens.
One 5 passenger Chevrolet automobile, 1920 model.
One McCormick binder, 6 ft.
One 18 shoe Monitor drill.
One Moline sulky plow, 16 in.
One John Deere sulky plow, 16 in.
One Plano mower, 5 ft. cut.
One Deering mower.
One 3 section wooden harrow.
One walking plow, 14 in.
One wide tire wagon, with rack.
One wide tire wagon with box.
One set work harness.
One set bob sleighs.
One Great Western cream separator, 600 lb. capacity.
One kitchen range.
One hard coal heater.
One soft coal heater.
One Singer sewing machine.
One side board.
One kitchen cabinet.
Rocking chairs.
Dining room chairs.
Beds, springs and mattresses.
Other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount bankable paper due Oct. 1, 1922.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

George Kassa, Owner
W. J. LaBree, Auct. Citizens State Bank, Clerk

Auction Sale
Largest of the Season

Having decided to go into registered cattle exclusively, I will hold a regular clean-up sale on my farm, 2 miles west and 1 mile north of Thief River Falls, on

Monday, Oct. 24
the following property:

Cows
One registered Holstein bull, by a well-bred registered dam and a splendid 26 lb. bull.
One grade roan Shorthorn, fresh in Dec.
One grade Guernsey, fresh.
One grade Guernsey, milking.
One grade Guernsey, fresh in Nov.
One grade Guernsey, fresh in Jan.
One grade Guernsey, milking.
One grade Guernsey, fresh.
One Red Poll, fresh.
One red cow, milking.
One red cow, fresh in Jan.
One grade Holstein, fresh.
One Red Poll, fresh in Dec.
One grade Guernsey, calf at side.
One black and white cow, fresh in Feb.
One black and white cow, fresh in April.
One black and white cow, fresh in Jan.
Five 3-year-old cows, pasture bred, to freshen soon.

Horses and Mules
One black mare, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1500.
One bay mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1500.
One black mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1100.
One team grey mules, 7 yrs. old.

Sheep & Chickens
Thirty head breeding ewes.
Five buck sheep.
About 100 Rhode Island Red chickens.

Machinery
Two Deering Mowers.
One Stoughton wagon.
One Boss 26 ft. drag.
One Van Brunt drill.
One walking cultivator.
One 2-row cultivator.
One buggy.
Two sets heavy harness.
One 3-section drag.

Cars, Trucks and Tractors
One Ford 1-ton truck.
One 1920 Ford touring car, with starter.
One 1919 Ford touring car, without starter.
One 1920 Ford touring car, without starter.
Two Fordson tractors.
One Oliver No. 7 plow.
One 16-in. Rock Island sulky plow.

As this is an unusually large sale, it will start promptly at 10 o'clock.

Hot Lunch at Noon. Usual Terms

Waldie Christensen, Owner
W. J. LaBREE, Auct. FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK, Clerk

DR. KIRBY MOVING TO NORTH DAKOTA

Efforts on Part of Citizens to Make Him Change His Mind Are of No Avail.

"Doc" Kirby is going to leave the neighborhood, and strange to say there is no very noticeable jubilation over the fact. On the contrary there is a general feeling of actual loss. A decided change in the attitude of the people toward "Doc" Kirby has of late become noticeable, but the change came too late.

On Friday afternoon thirty or forty automobile loads of representative Thief River Falls citizens, accompanied by the band, visited Kirby's place for the purpose of expressing their regret at his decision to leave the section. After having been serenaded by the band, Mr. Kirby came out and made a short address to the crowd. He said that while he appreciated the good will indicated by the visit, he regretted that nothing could now be done to make him change his mind. "I have given my word to the people of that Dakota town that I will move there," he said, "and I have never yet broken my word." He spoke of having traveled all over this country and in many foreign lands, and how he had finally decided to settle near Thief River Falls. The attitude of some of the citizens toward him proved such, however, that he considered it best for all concerned that he should move away, at least for the present. He paid his respects in no uncertain terms to certain of our officials and then squared matters by saying that there are a lot of very fine people here.

It is understood that Mr. Kirby will retain his Pennington county property and that he may return in the near future. He leaves for Mayville this week.

BEET HARVEST ON; SPUD PRICES OFF

Beet Acreage Yielding Well; Potato Movement Slackens When Price Drops.

The sugar beet harvest is on in Pennington county, three carloads of about 80,000 pounds each having been shipped out this week. Harvesting is going forward rapidly on all farms where any amount of beets were planted and in every instance there are reports of excellent yields. On the Barzen farm adjoining the city 16 tons to the acre were secured. Ed. Grundhaus southeast of town has four acres which are yielding particularly heavy. Alfred Flattum with three acres is another farmer who is making the sugar beet crop pay him a good profit.

The beets are all shipped to the Minnesota Sugar company at Chaska and the price is expected to be not less than $7 per ton and may be considerably more.

While last week's slump in prices somewhat affected the potato movement in the county, 14 cars were shipped, with three more loading to go out today. The bulk of this supply came in over the Minnesota Northwestern electric line from the eastern end of the county and the territory around Grygla.

The price during the week has hovered around $1.40 per hundred for red stock, with the white tubers in greater demand and bringing $1.50.

Fifty-eight cars had been shipped through the Pennington County Potato Growers association up to yesterday noon and it is expected that there will be even a heavier movement should the price stiffen somewhat.

Change in Loken Store Aims at Better Service

In another place in The Times today will be found the announcement of the opening of Loken Brothers' Bargain Basement dry goods department. This will be a complete dry goods store in itself in which will be handled such goods as it has been impossible to find room for on the main floor. The advertisement tells of the extraordinary bargains that are to be found by walking down the broad stairway in the center of the big store. A considerable sum of money has been spent in making the place attractive to buyers and the formal opening will be held on Saturday, Oct. 22. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend. Exceptional price reductions have been made for this opening day and the careful buyer will do well to look the advertisement over carefully.

Loken Brothers have again demonstrated their faith in the future of Thief River Falls by making this extra expenditure. It has been done solely in the interest of better service and to make possible the handling of a larger variety of goods.

Visit this basement emporium on Saturday, Oct. 22. You will be surprised at the completeness of the department. In fact, it is more than a department—it is a store within a store. You will be made welcome whether you come as a purchaser or merely as a visitor.

BANKERS' ADVICE PROVES WISE

Two more young men are glad they took advice from bankers and attended Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., in order to qualify for bank positions. They are Ed Gregerson, recently made asst. cashier of the Burke Co. State Bank of Bowbells, and Leonard Miller, in the auditing department of the Bank of North Dakota.

About 220 D. B. C. graduates have been promoted to official positions in banks.

"Follow the SucceSSful" to the right school to get right training. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Albert Lonson New Cashier at Farmers and Merchants

Albert Lonson, for eight years connected with the old First State bank in this city and later cashier of the Calloway State bank, on Monday assumed his duties as cashier of the Farmers and Merchants State bank in this city. During the past five months he has been examiner for the state banking department of North Dakota, with headquarters at Minot.

Mr. Lonson is almost a Thief River Falls product, having grown up in the city and graduated from the high school here. He has a wide circle of friends and acquaintances who are greatly pleased at his again becoming associated in a business way with the life of the city. His varied experience since leaving Thief River Falls has had the effect of broadening his already wide banking knowledge and he will be found better equipped than ever to serve the customers of the institution with which he has become associated. He is a genial and thoroughly competent man whom all will find it a pleasure to meet.

Mrs. Lonson returned with her husband and they have gone to housekeeping on Knight avenue north.

McGinn Continuing His Excellent Gridiron Work

Denis McGinn of this city was one of the bright particular stars in the St. Thomas-Gustavus Adolphus college football game at St. Peter last Saturday. The Minneapolis Tribune's account of the game has the following to say concerning the playing of the Thief River Falls lad:

"St. Thomas went over the line after a series of line plunges, McGinn making the touchdown and Ward kicked goal.

"In the second period St. Thomas' touchdown came on McGinn intercepting a forward pass and running 55 yards through a clear field.

"Stabley went in for McGinn in the third quarter and was worked for a number of long end runs, averaging about 20 yards. With the ball on the home team's 10-yard line, Stabley passed to Gilham, who made the touchdown. Ward kicked goal."

The final score was St. Thomas, 42; Gustavus Adolphus, 6. This is the second game in which McGinn has starred, the first being against St. Mary's college the week previous.

Norway Lodge to Stage Leif Erickson Festival

The Sons and Daughters of Norway residing in Thief River Falls and vicinity will hold a Leif Erickson celebration on the evening of Thursday, Oct. 27, to commemorate the discovery of America by that Norseman about the year 1000. These celebrations are being held all over the United States this year and are creating considerable interest. The affair will take place at the lodge room in Masonic hall and the attendance is limited to members and their families.

There will be a program of vocal and instrumental music and short addresses will be made by Supt. I. T. Simley and others. Lunch will be served, after which the usual games and amusements will be staged. Adult admissions have been placed at 50 cents; children over 10, 25 cents.

School Records Destroyed As Farm Residence Burns

Fire last Friday morning destroyed the farm home of Ben Sumner in Numedal township, 14 miles west of the city on the Jefferson highway. The threshermen had gone to the field and Mrs. Cort, who is cooking for the men, was home alone. Fire caught from a defective chimney and before help could arrive the flames little of the furniture could be saved. Mrs. Cort managed to get out with some clothing and a few of the smaller articles, including a number of keepsakes belonging to the Sumner boys. A man plowing in a field near by came to her assistance and between them they pulled the piano as far as the door, where they were forced to abandon it. Mr. Sumner is clerk of school district No. 7 and all the records of the board went up in flames. The loss falls heavily upon the family as no insurance was carried.

LYCEUM Theatre

Sunday and Monday

Samuel Goldwyn Presents

PAULINE FREDERICK

in

MADAME X

Adapted from the French of
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by arrangement with
HENRY W. SAVAGE

Directed by
FRANK LLOYD

City News

Miss Betty Johnson, who had spent three months visiting visiting friends in California, was the guest of local friends Monday evening enroute to her home at Holt. Miss Johnson will go to Minneapolis soon to remain for an indefinite period.

Misses Lois Wold and Lucille and Evangeline Burns, teachers in the local schools, left Thursday morning by car for Crookston to attend the meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association held on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. Albert Johnson and Mrs. Ross V. Noper motored to Crookston Saturday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Miller. They also attended the Crookston-Thief River Falls football game.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Evenson, who had been visiting at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Froseth, left Friday for Gonvick to continue their visit before returning to their home at Albert Lea.

A number of women from this city enjoyed a motor trip to Goodridge on Friday afternoon, stopping enroute for a picnic lunch. Included in the party were Mrs. L. G. Larsen and daughter, Alice; Mrs. Ila Reynolds, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. Julien Provencher and Mrs. E. M. Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Solem and family of Holt arrived here last week to establish their home. They have purchased the H. Mathew residence on Arnold avenue and took immediate possession. Mr. and Mrs. Mathew and daughter, Miss Ruth, have rented a suite of rooms in the Evenson flats.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Niclai and baby daughter drove to Plummer yesterday, where the latter remained for a day's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren. Mr. Niclai continued to adjacent towns on matters of business, while Mrs. Niclai and the baby returned by train last evening.

Mrs. M. W. Brink left Monday for Fresno, Cal., accompanied by A. Anderson, an uncle of Mr. Brink and a pioneer of this county, having made his home in Black River township for the past 40 years. Mr. Anderson, who is 90 years old, has decided to spend the remainder of his days with relatives who own a ranch near Fresno. Mrs. Brink will be absent for three weeks or more.

Miss Meta Koepp, a student in the local high school, went to her home at Middle River this morning to spend the remainder of the week at her home.

Mrs. F. E. Hunt, who had spent a couple of days visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hunt, returned to her home at Red Lake Falls on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, son Lee and daughter Margaret, and Harriet Morgan motored to Crookston Saturday to witness the football game.

734 VEHICLES ENTER CITY EVERY DAY OVER TWO TRUNK HIGHWAYS

There is an average of 734 vehicles of all descriptions passing over the two trunk highways through Thief River Falls every day. This fact was ascertained by the state highway department in a seven day test, the results of which have just been made public. On Trunk Highway No. 32, running from south of Red Lake Falls north to Warroad, the number of automobiles, trucks and horse-drawn vehicles averaged 408 for each 24 hours, a decrease of six as compared with the year before. On Trunk Highway No. 33, which is the Jefferson Highway westward, the average number for the seven days was 326, an increase of 80 since the date of the last previous computation.

Following is a detailed report of the class of vehicle used and the number in each class:

Automobiles:	32	33
Minnesota, light	172	132
Minnesota, heavy	180	124
Other states	17	31
Transportation Lines:		
Freight trucks	0	1
Miscellaneous trucks:		
Light (2-ton or less)	7	8
Heavy (more than 2-ton)	5	2
Horse Drawn Vehicles:		
Wagons	18	19
Buggies	9	6
Grand total	408	326
Grand total 1920	414	246

Will Sell Fine Grade Cattle at Public Auction

Waldie Christensen, one of the best known farmers and dairymen in Pennington county, will hold a clean-up sale of grade cattle as well as horses, sheep, chickens and farm machinery, on Monday, Oct. 24. As this is one of the largest sales of the season it will start promptly at 10 o'clock. Lunch will be served at noon.

Mr. Christensen intends going into the purebred business exclusively and for that reason is selling off his present stock, which includes one registered Holstein bull. This animal is out of a registered dam with a 26 pound record. There are also seven grade Guernsey cows, one grade Holstein and a Red Poll, together with others. Three horses and a team of seven-year-old grey mules will be sold. Also 30 head of breeding ewes, five buck sheep, and 100 Rhode Island Red chickens. The machinery includes two Deering mowers, a Stoughton wagon, Boss drag, Van Brunt drill, walking cultivator, two-row cultivator, one buggy and a three-section drag. There are three Ford automobiles, two Fordson tractors and a Ford truck, together with other articles too numerous to mention. The usual terms will be given. W. J. LaBree is auctioneer and the Farmers and Merchants State bank, clerk.

Alexander Svendsgaard.

On Thursday, Oct. 13, occurred the death of Alexander Svendsgaard at the home of his mother, Mrs. Carrie Svendsgaard, in Clover Leaf township, at the age of 26 years, 11 months and 24 days from pulmonary tuberculosis. Funeral services were held from the home on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Rev. Sabo of Mavie conducted the services and Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion of Thief River Falls formed a guard of honor. The deceased was an ex-soldier and served in the world war. The remains were laid to rest in the Zoar cemetery south of Mavie. He leaves to mourn his death his mother and eight brothers and sisters, all of whom reside near Mavie. They are Julius, Louis, Mrs. Walter Lendobeja, Charles, Adelaide, Olga, Thordis and Edward.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that a member of the tax commission will be at the city hall in the city of Thief River Falls on Monday, Oct. 24, 1921, at 10 a. m., at which time anyone having any complaint to make relative to personal property and money and credits valuations as reassessed in 1921 by the special assessor of said city, will have an opportunity to be heard.

Minnesota Tax Commission,
0-20 SAMUEL LORD, Chairman.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.01
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	.99
Flax	1.50
Barley	.25
Oats	.30
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.30
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.10
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.10
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.07
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.13
Hens, light	.09
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.55
Dairy butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery butter, per lb.	.41
Cow hides, per lb.	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

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Free Delivery to All parts of the City.

MARKET DAY SPECIALS

Beef Stew, per lb.	8c	Syrup, five lbs. for	30c
5 lbs. Lard, in pail	75c	Fancy Salt Pork, per lb.	15c
Parlor Brooms, each	55c	Veal Shoulder Roast, per lb.	15c
New Jell, four for	28c	Hamburger, per lb.	15c
Northfield Milk, eight for	$1		

GIVE US A TRIAL

If our goods and service please you, tell others; if not, tell us.

Market Day Specials

Our store will be full of specials, ranging from 1c up. All the goods will be plainly marked to facilitate easy buying. We list below only a few of the many bargains:

5c Package Morton's Gum, Market Day Special	3c
10c Bottle LePage's Paste, Market Day Special	6c
15c Ash Trays, Market Day Special	9c
20c Candle Shade Holders, Market Day Special	12c
25c Box U-All-Know Mints, Market Day Special	15c
30c Propel-Repel Pencil, Market Day Special	18c
35c Pack Steamboat Cards, Market Day Special	21c
40c Leather Dice Box, Market Day Special	24c
45c Book of Paper Dolls, Market Day Special	27c
50c Perpetual Point Pencil, Market Day Special	30c
60c Books for Boys and Girls, Market Day Special	39c
80c Leather Pencil Box, Market Day Special	49c
$1.00 Fountain Pens, 14k, Market Day Special	59c
$1.25 Perfect Point Pencils, Market Day Special	69c
$1.50 Box Crane's Stationery, Market Day Special	79c
$3.00 9 States Auto Book, Market Day Special	99c

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Thief River Falls Merchants Association

MARKET DAY SPECIAL

Supplement to Thief River Falls Times, Thursday, Oct. 20, 1921

Noted Business Lecturer Coming

Arrangements have been made by the Merchants association of Thief River Falls to bring to this city on Friday, Nov. 4, at 9 o'clock in the Lyceum theatre the most famous American business lecture on the platform, "Getting the Most Out of Retailing."

Under this head, Mr. W. H. Farley, well known business expert and organizer, will discuss the various questions that are of special interest to merchants and business men everywhere. He will show how co-operation and organization will make for a better community or city. He will show practical improvement in service and store organization that will please the general public and draw trade. He will show how proper advertising will change losses to profits, how systematic, continuous, newspaper advertising pays the largest dividends of all, how system enables a merchant to know at all times the conditions of his business instead of guessing.

With the aid of several thousand feet of moving picture film, Mr. Farley will give a most interesting and timely discussion.

It isn't theory. It isn't over the heads of people. It is solid horse sense applied to merchandising. Practical, every day, solid experiences, given in this way with lecture and pictures make a double impression—through the eye and the ear—that is sure to be of lasting benefit to every business man or sales person who attends this lecture.

Every merchant or wife of a merchant, every salesman or clerk, every business man, and all those interested in seeing this part of the state become a better business center should not fail to hear Mr. Farley.

A glance at this outline of the lecture is sufficient to show its great value:

- Retail Failures and their Causes.
- Store Organization.
- Newspaper Advertising.
- Window Displays.
- The Business of Clerks.
- Salesmanship.
- System.

HOW EVERYBODY DOES ENJOY COMING TO THE STORES OF THIEF RIVER FALLS IN OCTOBER!

For they are filled with everything new!

The windows are such a delight—filled with new fashions and new fabrics.

The store aisles are exhibits in a great autumn merchandise exhibition.

Everywhere the eyes see things to fascinate them. How the new colors glow—how charming the new patterns—what a delight to feel the touch of the new tissues that give promise of such radiant apparel for the new season.

The very atmosphere of October gives everyone new life and ambition. One must have new apparel for what seems like a new existence. Then the home calls for new things—new adornments—new comforts—new necessaries of so many kinds.

That is why every step you take through our stores these October days is so stimulating—so suggestive of possibilities for the changes that everyone desires to make—so helpful in ideas of exactly how to meet all these desires in the most gratifying manner—and now for so much less cost than in recent seasons.

Each day brings forward many things you have not seen before. Come Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26, for a visit that you will be sure to enjoy.

WHY NOT HAVE UNDERWEAR THAT IS THOROUGHLY COMFORTABLE?

It is so exasperating to have under-garments that pinch and bind, or that sag and are bulky.

And it is so easy to get the right kind, that protect so comfortably, and yet one never knows a moment's annoyance from them.

That is because some manufacturers make garments to make money, while others make garments as they should be made—to give satisfaction and make customers for life.

Our part is to bring here the good-fitting kinds that give perfect satisfaction.

Thief River Falls merchants can satisfy your desires on Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

SEEMS AS THOUGH THE WHOLE WORLD IS KNITTING NOW

Keeps us busy keeping up with everybody's knitting needs, but we like to keep busy and we haven't been caught out of yarns and needles yet.

Everything that expert knitters need, and plenty of advice and help for beginners.

So many lovely things are now being knitted. If you don't know, let us tell you about them.

Supply your needs at Thief River Falls on Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

WHY EVERY WOMAN KNOWS THIS IS A COAT YEAR

Every autumn coat is a reason. Never had fall coats a stronger appeal. So graceful of line. So rich in fabrics and colorings. So adorable—most of them—in the snuggling collars that are so becoming to every face.

Then so many of the new coats have that "wrappy" effect that makes each one seem as though it was made just for the woman who wears it—so individual, so distinctive, so smart and thoroughly protective. See the offerings of Thief River Falls merchants Market Day, Oct. 26.

Novelties in Women's Wear

Dainty corsages to wear on the fur coat or the evening gown are made of a wide variety of flowers combined in lovely color schemes. There are violets, forget-me-nots, gardenias and other flowers in the combinations. They are put up in little flowered boxes, making delightful gift articles.

The Polly Prim Tie is one of the novelties offered by the neckwear designers for the smart jersey dresses that will be worn this winter. It is made in different plaid silks and worn tied in a knot at the throat, from which it hangs to tasseled ends and lends a bright touch of color.

Girdles made of links of celluloid are about the newest thing offered in the market. The chains are of different patterns, some with links and others with long disks in many interesting color combinations. The predominating colors, however, are jade, red, white, amber and black. In some of them the disks are pressed into scarab and other designs forming interesting medallions. Some of these girdles hook about the waist line; others slip up on themselves to fit in place.

New Effects in Women's Dresses.

Following a tendency to sparkle with their own brilliancy, many gowns are made entirely of sequin embroidery nets in the most vivid and striking colors. Some of them are trimmed with girdles of velvet, caught in a soft bow at one side or with side draperies of tulle in the same color, caught with the fantastic corsage.

Gowns made of silks and velvets depend upon jeweled girdles for their bit of sparkle and many new and fascinating designs have been developed for evening wear.

The Less Formal Dress.

The less formal evening or dinner dress continues to some extent on its way in black and has many variations in lace and tulle, draped over black satin and brightened with vivid girdles and corsages.

On a par with these are the chemise dinner gowns made of brocaded chiffons in taupe, browns, pheasant shades and jade. These have no sleeves, but boat-shaped necklines and tight-fitting arm holes, and while the waist falls straight, the skirt is often elaborately draped. These are made over slips of contrasting shades of silk, or over metal cloth.

Fads and Fancies.

Heavy Scotch flannel nightgowns, cut with a yoke effect, scalloped and embroidered in silk to match the dominating color in the striped pattern of the material, are selling at a very reasonable figure. These garments are very comfortable. The Scotch flannel is the popular fabric for them.

A dressy girdelier is of Skinner's satin trimmed with a lace top. It has an elastic belt and elastic inserts at the side hips, and fastens to the stocking with four garters. Women will want this accessory and will buy them if they are attractively displayed in the store.

Tassels for trimming are made up in all kinds of beads and all kinds of colors, alone and combined. These are an interesting figure for the trimming department. Tassel trimming is a very popular form of embellishment to the dress made at home.

A celluloid jewel case is an item for the Christmas holiday trade that one of the novelty houses has offered. The case is lined with velvet in dainty shades. This will be attractive on any dressing table, but it is not to be sold by itself. It is sold as a container for a dozen hairnets which will prove a very practical present, and the jewel case will be a charming permanent remembrance.

New Furnishings For the Menfolks

The "Tied-and-Dyed" muffler for men is a beautiful item of haberdashery offered the holiday trade by a large Chicago manufacturer of men's furnishings. To say the least, this muffler of all-Italian silk is bizarre, but no one can deny that it is beautiful. It gains its name from the fact that the decorative motifs are secured by pinching up spots of the material, tying them, and dipping the knotted sections of cloth in vari-colored dyes. These resultant designs are of a lovely mottled color and are always of colors contrasting to the ground material of the muffler. These mufflers come in ground colors of browns, greens, blues and purples.

Another muffler for men comes in attractive brushed silk—a new note in the vogue for brushed materials. One Chicago wholesaler of men's furnishings is showing this brushed silk muffler in figured patterns, square blocks and large checks on ground shades of green, lavender, blue, tan and gray. These brushed silk mufflers are very distinctive.

Men's Working Clothing Now Lower in Price.

In work clothing lines, sheepskin coats have been purchased by most retailers through the mid-west as more of a favorite than the once-popular mackinaw and the recent greatly demanded leather coat. The prices on these lines of work clothing are about one-third below their peak. The prices are believed to be low enough to cause a broad distribution as soon as seasonable weather arrives.

In work vests, corduroys with sheep linings and mole cloth sleeves have been purchased by retailers in quantities sufficient to take care of opening needs. Further business is expected to be forthcoming from retailers when they feel a quickening of demand for these lines. Moleskin vests are expected to prove a bigger seller than the corduroy numbers because of the longer wear the moleskin variety gives.

Mackinaw coats as well as those of leather are not expected to occupy the important position they had in years past. In many localities they are less popular for real work garments and among the younger fellows, who bought them in seasons past for sports and even dress wear, are passing them up for the sheep-lined mole or corduroy coat.

Style effects such as large pockets, plaited backs with large collars of raccoon or other medium-priced fur, no doubt are making this kind of coat much more attractive to the younger man who wears such a garment as an all-around coat.

Men's New Shirts For Spring to Be Very Conservative.

The spring lines of men's shirts are on display in the big wholesale houses and inspection of them reveals that the season is to be a semi-conservative one. The well dressed masculine will not be striped like a hyena next spring, but will be soberly shirted. He will not be gaudy-colored like a sheik of the desert, but will appear in a modest shirt of solid white or tan. If he does take to stripes they will be of the "pencil" or "candy" description.

Following their wide popularity of last summer and the present fall, the collar-attached shirt of either solid white or tan is slated for a leader in spring. It is far and away the most popular of shirts now and indications are, say the wholesalers, that it will retain its lead in the spring. The closest runner-up is the madras shirt with a fine stripe.

With the exception of whites and tans, solid colors in shirts are definitely dead. There are no solid purples, sky blues, or yellows to dazzle the eye of the pedestrian as he goes by the haberdashery shop. The trend toward conservatism that hit the male sex shortly after the war left its stamp on shirts, if it did not on the suits.

The nearest approach to the extreme is a plaid figure on some madras shirts and a white jaquard design on white. The latter, by the way, has been greeted quite well by buyers inspecting the new spring lines.

The most popular materials in the spring shirts are poplins and pongees which are used to make up the voguish solid white or tan, collar-attached shirts. The poplin is the dressier of the two. It has a utility pocket on the breast and is practical for both sports and dressy wear. College students, especially, have taken to it.

Silk shirts are definitely back in the running, but due to the not-too-plethoric state of the young man's pocketbook, they are being exceeded in sales by the silk and cotton mixed, madras, pongee, Russian cord, cotton crepes and other cheaper shirts. While silk shirts are much lower in price than during the inflation period, the careful spender prefers to put his money into a good madras or mercerized cotton shirt.

The silk shirts that are shown, however, are very neat and pleasing in appearance, being all embellished with fine stripes. The stripes can be classified, in the order of popularity, as follows: First, pencil stripes; second, candy stripes; third, wide stripes. The widest stripe, however, does not exceed a quarter of an inch. The stripes come in purples, reds, blues and greens on white grounds.

A distinct novelty in shirts is the non-ironable, non-starchable shirt of cotton crepe. It is what its name implies—it does not require ironing or starching. It is of a crinkly texture and is very popular with the traveling man who at times is obliged to do his own laundering in his hotel room. One might suspect that these shirts would present an untidy appearance, but the reverse is true.

Men's Neckwear for Fall and Winter Season to Be Narrow.

Mens' neckwear for the fall and winter seasons will be of the rich, darker variety in narrow widths. As a whole, the scarves will be conservative, but rich in appearance. There is nothing "loud" seen in the fall and winter lines.

Leading colors will be dark blues, browns, greens and lavenders. Stripes, when very fine and subdued, are good. Small figures on foulards will be seen.

As the fall advances and winter gives indication of coming, the narrow scarve appears more and more predominant. It will appear to quite an extent in the retail holiday showings, but the wider ties will not be entirely backed off the boards. The popular width for ties is 1¾ to 2 inches. Anything wider is held by far-seeing factors to be passe.

Knitted ties, wholesalers of men's furnishings say, have just about seen their day. Quantity production and flooding of the market have so cheapened them that the man desiring exclusiveness has turned to silks, it is declared. However, some knitted ties are still shown in the darker colors of burgundy, emerald and other shades.

But ties are very quiet. The shirt with soft collar, in which the bow tie did not form very well and did not retain its knot, has made the bow somewhat of a back number. Few bows are seen in advance winter lines. Of the bows shown, however, the polka dot leads in the selling.

A novelty in four-in-hands shown by one maker is a French fold, 1¾ inches wide, in two-color Repp. It carries a very fine contrasting stripe and comes in all the popular dark shades.

SO MANY NEW BOOKS SO IMPORTANT TO READ

Many you'll want to read for the sheer delight of them. Most of them will be so much talked about that you will want to be familiar with them.

The world steps along quickly these days and one soon gets behind if the right books are not faithfully read. The latest in fiction will be found in the stocks of Thief River Falls merchants on Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

FAIR PLAY

If you work for a man, in heaven's name work for him. If he pays wages that supply you your bread and butter, work for him, speak well of him, think well of him, stand by him and stand by the institution he represents. I think if I worked for a man I would work for him. I would not work for him a part of the time, but all of the time. I would give him an undivided service or none. If put to a pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness.

If you must vilify, condemn, and eternally disparage, why, resign your position and when you are outside, damn to your heart's content. But, I pray you, so long as you are a part of the institution, do not condemn it. Not that you will injure the institution—not that—but when you disparage the concern of which you are a part, you disparage yourself.—Elbert Hubbard.

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ON DRAUGHT AND IN BOTTLES

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That's what they all say after drinking a glass.

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

Thief River Falls Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26

Bring the Whole Family--Hear the Band--Make it a Holiday

LIFE AS A BUSINESS PROPOSITION

(By Dr. Frank Crane)

Life has been called all sorts of things. Life is a dream, a gambling game, an opportunity from which to get all the fun and the least pain possible, a probation preparatory to the next life, a vale of tears, and so on.

Suppose we consider life as a business proposition. Look at it from a practical, profit-and-loss, shrewd and commonsense viewpoint.

Very well. First, what can we get out of it? Only wages. There are no endowed and privileged ones, all are day laborers, for every one, when the work's over, must leave all he has gained and go back to that nothingness from which he came, as stark naked and poor as when he arrived. All the billionaire gets out of life is exactly what the bricklayer gets—his board and clothes and amusements.

What is the wage of Life? Life's pay is happiness. On Life's book happiness is credit and unhappiness is debit.

It's happiness we all strive for, of one kind or another, whether beer and cakes or turtled feasts, overalls or dress suits, pinochle on a cracker box, or stock gambling on the market, social distinction, wealth, display, political success, intellectual achievement—it's all happiness according to taste.

How is happiness to be secured, how can one be sure to get his pay? By finding out what he really wants. This is not so easy. Most people work a lot for what they think other people think they want.

How can one find out? By experiment, trying out various activities until he finds the one in which he can most enthusiastically express himself.

Also ascertaining those forms of pleasure that are frauds and bring on misery. The conclusive argument against drunkenness, licentiousness, and the like, is that they are swindles and gold bricks. They promise joy and pay suffering.

How should one get his pay? Every day. Not at the end of the task. Unless every day brings its satisfaction you are cheating yourself.

How can one tell what sort of things pay and what sort do not pay? By the collective experience of mankind, and by accepting the guidance of reliable teachers.

What does the cumulative experience of mankind show? That only those acts which are fundamentally just, fair, honest and kind are the ones that invariably pay.

Why work? If it's happiness that is our wage, why not eat, drink and be merry? Why not loaf and play? Because human beings are so constituted that they secure the maximum of satisfactory self-expression only by doing some part of the world's work. What we call goodness more than pays every day. It leaves something over, a deposit in the happiness bank which becomes a reserve fund from which we draw dividends. The good are the happiness capitalists. The bad are the happiness spendthrifts.

Why not approach this matter of good and bad, conscience and self-indulgence, as a business proposition?

"LADDER PLEATED" BLOUSES PROVIDE A CHARMING NEW EFFECT.

Perhaps you'd call it criss-cross pleating, but you'll never know just how fetching it is until you see the blouses in which it is introduced. The effect secured is a checked puffiness that is most alluring.

Some of the blouses have a double front fastening with group tucks; some are finished with pleated ruffles. There is newness and charm to every one of them. Pinafore collars are largely favored. They're wonderfully becoming. You'll be delighted when you try them on at Thief River Falls on Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

EVERYBODY IS STEPPING INTO NEW APPAREL

What a joyous time it is. How one loves to lay aside the used things and wear something supremely, delightfully new. And now our stores are filled with the handsomest materials obtainable. It is waiting for your inspection. Come Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

HOW EAGER WOMEN ARE FOR THEIR NEW HATS

Never with greater reason. It does not seem possible that styles were ever quite so beautiful before. And yet the hats are quite simple, for the most part, but many are in those large picture shapes with wonderful lines, and so gracefully trimmed with striking plumes or unexpected adornments of flowers or ribbons.

So becoming to most women. But no less exquisite are the smaller hats that other women require. All are here. Ready at Johnson's Millinery, Market Day, Oct. 26.

A MARKED DRESSINESS DISTINGUISHES THE NEW SUITS FOR WMEN.

So effectively expressive of feminine charm. Suit coats are neither long nor short—neither in straight lines nor flared. In both ways they show a delightful compromise.

Only in color is there marked favoritism. Malay brown, volnay red, and black seem to be in the lead. Waistlines are low; sleeves are wide, and most shoulders droop most fetchingly. Every woman will realize how new such effects must be, and how eager each one will be to try on one of these new models the moment she sees them.

Come and select your Market Day, Oct. 26, and be the first to wear the style.

Market Day Oct. 26.

SPECIAL

Wrist Watches, 15 jewels, 20 year cases

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20 Per Cent off on All China

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Exceptional Bargains Offered
For One Hour Only

Market Day, Oct. 26th, 1921

First Come, First Served Get in on This Bargain Feast
Every Article Advertised Here Sold at or Below Cost

9 A. M. to 10 A. M.
500 Yards
36 in. all silks, messalines, satins, fancy stripes and plaids, georgettes and crepe de chines
ONE HOUR ONLY
98c
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Loken Bros.

10 A. M. to 11 A. M.
Infants', Children's and Ladies'
PURE WOOL SWEATERS
Values to $3.50
Market Day only—10 to 11 o'clock
$1.00
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One assortment of Aluminum Ware. Your choice ----- 98c
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11 A. M. to 12 M.
65c
We have just 100
Popular Copyright Novels
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LAIRD'S

12 M. to 1 P. M.
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1 P. M. to 2 P. M.
Picnic Ham.. 14c per lb.
City Meat & Grocery
E. L. ROLLAND, Prop.
Trimmed Hats
$3.00
One Hour Only
Johnson's Millinery

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.
J. & T. Oatmeal
7½ lb. Package
25c
Oen Mercantile Co.
65c off
on all
COFFEE PERCOLATORS
Hermanson Hardware Co.

3 P. M. to 4 P. M.
We will place on sale for one hour
CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' TAMS
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Varied styles and colors.
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See them in our windows.
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5 P. M. to 6 P. M.
SIMONSON'S Meat and Grocery
Toilet Paper
Large Rolls
5c a Roll
Don't ask for too many

Footwear

The past few weeks have brought forth black footwear in women's lines to the fore, with patents holding the leading position. This material is [illegible] brought out in models which vary widely in range. The range includes both the lighter appearing styles shown with Louis heels and the heavier and more stocky types of oxfords with Cuban heels.

Two of the latest creations in Mylady's footwear are sandal and moccasin types. These are now popular with women in the larger cities, who are quick to follow a new trend.

Both these styles are shown in patent leathers, although they are also appearing in kid. The moccasin type—as its name implies—was inspired by an Indian moccasin. The sandal also deserves its name, in that it is fashioned along the lines of the footwear of the ancients. Low block heels, similar in appearance to the heels appearing on many models of children's shoes, are a notable feature of both the "moccasins" and the "sandals." The toes are broader and on many models are very blunt, which is in keeping with the low heels.

Proves Fashion Fickle.

This abrupt departure in women's footwear emphasizes the fact that women's shoe fashions are apt to change almost over night. To keep abreast of the times and the demand of the more fashionable woman, stocks of the more extreme lines of footwear should be merchandised closely and kept moving from the time they are unpacked from their casings until satisfactorily fitted on the feet of a customer.

Many merchants are finding that no matter how much merit a certain style may have, or how popular it may be, it is easily replaced by some new fashion idea which happens to meet the approval of the fair sex.

In the dressier lines of women's footwear the full Louis heel of about the 17-8 height are a great favorite, as are also the Junior Louis models. These heels are wanted by the woman who does not desire the extreme full Louis heel. Such heel styles on slippers which feature a medium toe no doubt will continue in greater demand for dressier wear in the medium and smaller cities and towns.

Strap Models Prominent.

Strap models featuring the graceful Louis heels and medium toes are very prominent in the displays of many stores. The variations of strap treatments continue a feature making these models attractive.

On such models added touches of color many times are supplied by designs of colored or silver beads or even silk stitching of curious threads. Inlays of white or colored kid are noticeable on these dressier models to break the monotony of an otherwise plain slipper or pump.

Materials favored for such models find a wide range for choice.

Patents are perhaps the leader for the moment in these materials. However, [illegible] are still in vogue, as are light weight kid and suedes. Black is the predominating color in the above materials, although there are many models shown and worn in the darker, richer tones of autumnal browns favored for wear with a costume of that color.

Oxfords Are in Demand.

There seems little doubt in the minds of many shoe men but that oxfords have a strong position which they will retain for street and afternoon wear during the winter months. The interest shown by many retailers in lines of woolen hose also emphasizes the fact that oxfords are expected to play a very important role in the shoe field this fall and winter.

Heavier leathers such as Scotch grains are in good demand at the present time by the woman who desires a sturdier appearance in her shoes for sports or street wear. Black and tan calf are also very popular in this type of footwear.

The appearance of several blucher models in many oxford lines gives still a wider variety for selection in these lines, and may develop into a tendency which is well worthy to consider in placing orders for future delivery.

TEREST IN CHILDREN'S SHOES

With the ringing of school bells all over the country, more interest in children's shoes has been aroused among consumers. Trading in this line of shoes, as in many others, developed quite suddenly in some sections. Mothers delayed buying footwear for their small sons and daughters until shortly before the teachers rapped on the school desks for the fall session.

A NEW SHOE LACE

The adjustable shoe lace is a new creation. This invention is designated as the "Screw Tip Adjustable Shoe Lace," and the title is surely descriptive.

Should one purchase a pair of shoe laces, and discover that they are too long, they may be easily adjusted by unscrewing the metal tip only, and pulling the lace through the metal sleeve. The lace is then cut to the required length, the screw tip put back in place and the lace is then perfect and at the right length. The screw tip cannot flatten or pull out. The new laces are put up attractively in glassine packages, and advertising literature is furnished to distributors.

DELIGHTFUL NEW MODELS IN WOMEN'S UNDERSILKS

The most refined of the new silk undergarments are tailored to fit the lines of the figure, so that all bulkiness is eliminated where it is not desired and charming fullness is provided where it is required.

Crepe de chine, as usual, is the leading tissue, though many satin garments are here.

Smart three-inch double-top hems adorned, perhaps, with two-toned ribbon, give finish to the simpler models. The more elaborate styles show tactful use of Cluny and Venise laces. The new styles and shapes are so different from those you've seen before that you'll be eager to posses a new handful of these exquisite garments, shown at Thief River Falls on Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

NEVER WERE THE NEW GOODS MORE FASCINATING THAN NOW—NOT IN YEARS HAVE PRICES BEEN SO MODERATE.

Never before have we been quite so proud of our stores and their merchandise, and yet fine as are the new things, excellent as are the staple things, we are proudest of all to be able to present the new fall collections at prices that will be so gratifying to customers.

And now the stocks attain the season's fullness of variety, with freshness and originality of style that makes the wearing or using of new things so enjoyable.

Your visit to Thief River Falls on Market Day, Oct. 26, will be like an afternoon stroll into the new season. Come and welcome, whether you are ready to make purchases or not. Each hour you spend here will help you toward the important decisions which should never be made in haste.

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Right now this store is loaded with hundreds of remarkable values in the best of merchandise.

Greater Values Than Ever For Market Day

Splendid New Winter Coats of Cloth, Fur, Also Plush

69 Women's Cloth Coats
A special lot of Higher Priced Coats. Market Day only, each
$17.95

Full Length Plush Coats
Special $40.00 and $35.00 values. For Market Day only, come early, each
$24.95

Miss Manhattan Creation

Only 15 Splendid New Winter Suits Left For Market Day at Less Than Wholesale Cost
$65.00 Suits at ---------- $49.50
$35.00 New Winter Suits at --- $25.00
$85.00 New Winter Suits at --- $59.95
$100 New Winter Suits at --- $79.95

50 Wonderful $25 Coats, a full line of colors, sizes and styles. Market Day only ------ $21.95

52 Women's and Misses' Brand New Coats, Now $25.00
Rushed in from New York to give you the best possible values for this October Market Day. Bolivar, Pollyannas, Velours, Polos—all full silk lined, and most of them with splendid muffly collars of Raccoon, Mole, Oppossum and Beaverette. There is a complete choice of the warm, soft winter shades, and all the newest styles.

New Toilet Goods at Remarkable New Low Prices

FACE POWDERS
Java Rice face powder 48c
Azura face powder --95c
Lo Trefle face powder 95c
Floramye face powder 95c
Coty's L'Origan face powder ---------95c
Mary Garden face powder ---------95c
Melba face powder --25c
Djer Kiss face powder 48c

TOOTH PASTE
Pepsodent tooth paste 39c
Pebeco tooth paste --39c
Colgate's tooth paste -10c
Sanitol tooth paste --29c
Dr. Lyons tooth powder ---------22c
Mentholatum jar ----22c
Mennen's Talmuc ----22c
Colgate's Talcum ----19c

SOAPS
Woodbury's soap ----19c
Cuticura soap ------22c
Resinol soap -------22c
Packer's Tar soap ---22c
Mulsified Cocoanut Shampoo Oil --- 39c
Hind's Honey Almond Cream - 39c

CREAMS
Pond's Cold Cream --25c
Pond's Vanishing Crm 25c
Melba Greaseless Cream ----------50c
Madam Isabelle cream 65c

TOILET WATER
Melba, all odors bottle 95c
Mavis " " " 95c
LaTrefle " " " 2.50
Azurea " " " 2.50
Palmolive " " 1.00

SHOES

The Greatest Market Day Values in the City
These Shoes are Out of Our Regular Stock and are All High Grade Numbers

25 Pairs of Children's Patent, Gun Metal and Kid Shoes, Sizes 9 to 13, one day only ---------- 1.45
35 Pairs of Ladies' and Growing Girls' Shoes in Kid, Calf and Gun Metal Leathers, with high, medium and low heels, all sizes in the lot. Market Day only ------ 2.95
50 Pairs of Ladies' Pumps, Oxfords and Ties, in Kid, Patent and Calf Leathers, black and brown, high and medium heels; all sizes in the lot. Market Day only ---------- 5.00
15 Pair of Ladies' Dark Brown Munson last Hiking Shoes. All sizes. Market Day only ---------- 5.00
Ladies' Low Overshoes, in all sizes, medium and low heel. Market Day only ---------- 1.45

You Can Save From 35 to 50 Per Cent by Buying Your Shoes Here on Market Day

Loken Brothers, Thief River Falls

SOME REASONS WHY CLOTHES WEAR OUT

Clothes Not in Use Should Be Stored in the Dark, Says Expert.

In discussing the wearing qualities of various fabrics, a London textile chemist has the following to say in the London Daily Mail:

"Some time ago I told my friend Johnson that there was little difference between a cotton fabric and the fibrous matter in a cabbage stock. Both are made of the same substance—cellulose.

"But since then Johnson has turned up an old cabbage stump in his allotment. It is in good condition. Yet it must have lain buried in the earth for quite four years. That being so, he now asks, 'Why do clothes wear out?'

"Had anyone else asked me this question I should have been surprised. 'Most people consider the 'wearing out' as something which is unavoidable, inconvenient, but not worthy of attention. Yet the why and wherefore of this 'wearing out' are full of interest.

"All clothes wear out through exposure to sunlight, air, rain, mechanical strain and bacterial action. Of these, sunlight is by far the most harmful. Hence, clothes not in use should be stored in the dark.

"But light is selective in its action. A dark fabric is less affected than one which is brightly colored. So that a Briton's love for drab colored clothing cannot entirely be condemned.

"Moreover, red and yellow light are less destructive than the blue, violet and ultra-violet light.

"Not all fabrics are affected alike, for while wool and silk readily deteriorate in strong sunlight, cotton and linen are much more resistnat.

"In spite of this, however, it would not be economical to use all-cotton clothing, since colors fade more rapidly on cotton than on wool. When a dyed woolen fabric is exposed to sunlight, the fabric is attacked first, and the dye is thereby partly protected. In the cotton fabric the dye protects the cotton. A coarse dress material is more resistant than a fine one to sunlight. . Clothes are not much affected by pure rain and air. In manufacturing towns, however, the atmosphere is often slightly acid and it is the particularly destructive to wool.

"Some fabrics are most susceptible to certain kinds of microbes, and these flourish best under warm and moist conditions. Clothes wear better when they are frequently brushed free from dust.

"Cotton and woolen fibres are very elastic and strong. They can withstand a great deal of rubbing. So that generally it is not until clothes have suffered from exposure to sunlight that they fail to resist strains caused by ordinary wear.

"It pays people to notice how their clothes wear. But dyers are even more concerned, since the fastness of the dyes used must be appropriate to the 'life' of the fabric."

GLORIOUS NEW SILKS

Hold an Autumn Reception in Thief River Falls stores on Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

All fashion authorities agree that this is to be a season of dresses—exquisite silken frocks, over which will be worn the clever new coats, or perhaps a sumptuous wrap of fur.

And how wonderful the new silks are!

How radiant the colorings—how rich and supple the textures—how original and fascinating the patterns!

A real treat for beauty-loving eyes now fills windows, display cases and counters..

Wonderful how the clever woman visualizes modish gowns as she looks at a beautiful piece of silk. That's why this exhibition means so much more to a woman than it does to a mere man who appreciates rich silks most when they are worn by tasteful women.

Bredeson & Co.

When in town on Market Day
See
BREDESON & CO.
For Bargains

THE PRICHARD CO.

Thief River Falls

Building Materials
of Every Description

15
Pounds of Sugar
For
$1

Oen Mercantile
Company

Market Day Specials

Soft, flexible, padded sole, spring heel comfeys, different colors. Just what you will enjoy putting on your feet after a hard day's work. 100 pairs only. First come, first served. For men, women and children.

EXTRAORDINARY BARGAIN

$1.00

Do not overlook our Bargain Counter Specials for Market Day.

Anton M. Langseth
The Place to Buy Your Shoes

Trimmed Hats
For Market Day

FINE QUALITY—RICHEST MATERIALS—NEWEST COLORS—SMART STYLES—COURTEOUS SERVICE FINE WORKMANSHIP

Millinery to Please the Most Particular and the Most Economical Dressers

Johnson's Millinery
312 LaBree Avenue

*"Honor---
Glory---
Country"*

(the motto of a famous French military school)

Honor—Glory—Country. The greatest of the three is honor; personal and business honor.

Honor—the self-respect and faithfulness to your fellows that will not allow you to neglect your debts.

The square, sportsmanlike man or woman pays his or her charge accounts promptly. To pay by the tenth of the month at least is imperative under the obligation you assume when you accept credit accommodation.

When you delay you dishonor yourself!

Merchants Association
of Thief River Falls

36 in. Bleached
MUSLIN
10c

Men's Heavy Ribbed
UNION SUITS
1.69

Heavy White
OUTING
10c

WORK SHIRTS
Blue Chambray
58c
Sizes 14½ to 17

MEN'S OVERALLS
220 Blue Denim
Union Made—Full Cut
98c
Sizes from 32 to 50

Men's Heavy Khaki
MOLESKIN PANTS
1.98

Women's Felt
COMFY SLIPPERS
1.49
Blue, brown, maroon, grey
Leather or padded soles.

LADIES COTTON HOSE
10c
Black, brown, white

Patent Leather Belts
10c
Black, red, grey, white

Ladies' White Fleece
UNION SUITS
98c

J. C. Penney Co.
A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION
Incorporated
312 DEPARTMENT STORES
THIEF RIVER FALLS

For the greatest bargain offerings of the year, see Lieberman Bros.' advertisement in the regular section of The Times today

Their great Going-Out-of-Business Sale is attracting people from far and near. Are you getting your share of the bargains offered?

"THE LATCH STRING"

Purchasers' Certificates will be issued by the following merchants on

MARKET DAY ONLY

Wednesday, October 26th

One Certificate With Each 25 Cent
CASH PURCHASE ONLY

NOTE: Coupons will NOT be given for payments made on account or for purchases of fuel.

To Be Distributed Among Market Day Visitors

1---One Aeolian Vocalion Phonograph. Value $90.00.
2---One Set Community Silver, 26 pieces.
3---One Stetson Hat.
4---One Pair Ladies' Shoes.
5---One Pair Men's Shoes

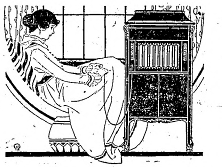

6---One Gossard Corset.
7---One Five Dollar Fountain Pen.
8---One Ladies' Hatters' Plush Sailor Hat.
9---One Four Dollar Eversharp Pencil.
10---Ladies' Writing Portfolio.

Only One Article to Any One Participating

Deposit Coupons at First National Bank and First & Peoples State Bank. Distribution will take place at 5:30. Items will be forwarded to purchasers unable to be present at that time.

ASK THE FOLLOWING MERCHANTS FOR PARTICULARS

Lieberman Brothers
Simonson's Meat and Grocery
Mulry's Bazaar
Hermanson Hardware Company
Larson Furniture Company
The Kleanall Company
A. M. Langseth
City Meat and Grocery
Laird's Specialty Shop
Palace Clothing House
E. O. Mogensen
Froseth's Shoe Store
Hall Brothers Company
Carl Christofferson & Company
Loken Brothers
The Prichard Company
Oen Mercantile Company
The Sapero Company
Johnson's Millinery
DeCremer's Meat Market
Dalquist's Millinery

HAT APPETIZING SMELL OF THE TOAST!

Browning there right on the table given to you straight from the ectric toaster—to be buttered and ten while crisp and hot. Oh boy!

Electric toasters, all ready to put the pocket. Everything else elecical, so convenient, so helpful.

Thief River Falls hardware merants offer a complete line of elecical equipment Market Day, Wedesday, Oct. 26.

XTRACTS FROM "HOW TO LIVE ON 24 HOURS A DAY."

(By Arnold Bennett)

"Time is a great deal more than oney. If you have time you can et money—usually."

"You can only waste the passing oment. You cannot waste tomorow. It is kept for you. You canot waste the next hour. It is kept or you."

"You have to live on this twentyour hours of daily time. Out of it ou have to spin health, pleasure, oney, content, respect, and the evoution of your immortal soul. Its ight use, its most effective use, is a atter of the highest urgency and he most thrilling actuality. All deends on that."

"We shall never have any more ime. We have, and we have always ad, all the time there is."

"No object is served in waiting ntil next week, or even until toorrow."

"You may fancy that the water ill be warmer next week. It won't. t will be colder."

"Employ an hour and a half every ther evening in some important and onsecutive cultivation of the mind."

"Keep going day in and day out."

"Concentrate on something useful. don't care what you concentrate on o long as you concentrate. It is the ere disciplining of the thinking mahine that counts."

"Having once decided to achieve a ertain task, achieve it at all costs."

"The gain in self-confidence of having accomplished a tiresome labor is immense."

"Minutes are to hours what pennies are to dollars—and he who wins saves both."

SMALL FURS THAT GIVE BEAUTY AND BECOMINGNESS TO EVERY WOMAN.

What woman does not look more fascinating when her chin is hidden in the witchery of furs?

You may choose martin, mink, fox or squirrel, according to your complexion, your taste or pocketbook. All are beautiful—each in its own way. Foxes as usual promise highest popularity—black fox, taupe fox, red fox, or silver fox.

So convenient, so comfortable, so lovely, and so much lower than heretofore in price. Place your orders with Thief River Falls merchants on Market Day, Wednesday, October 26.

LOOKING AT THE WORLD THRU COB-WEBBY CURTAINS

How harsh the windows look in summer when the draperies are absent. But then how disappointing may be the old draperies when they are faced again this fall.

What a delight to have new dresses on the windows—for after all they are part of the beauty picture—the pride of the mistress of the home and the man of the house as well.

We have so many new and beautiful sorts to show you. It will be a real pleasure for you to see them. Market Day, Wednesday, Oct. 26.

You have heard of the man who had money in both pockets. Well, he had nothing on the turkey raffled at a smoker given by Osakis Legionaires. The gobbler had a five dollar bill on each foot. The Legionaire who got the turkey and the ten dollars paid seventeen cents for his chance. Lucky Legionaire!

NORTZ LUMBER CO.

(Incorporated)

Building Material
Coal - Wood

See us before you build. We can supply your wants no matter how large or small.

H. C. JOHNSON, Manager

123 So. Main Phone 110

An Invitation is Extended By the Merchants Association of Thief River Falls to Hear

W. H. FARLEY

in his six reel motion picture lecture on Better Business Methods

"Getting the Most Out of Retailing"

To All Business Men and Clerks in Northwestern Minnesota

This picture will not be shown north of Thief River Falls

AT LYCEUM THEATRE, THIEF RIVER FALLS
FRIDAY, NOV. 4, 1921, AT 9:00 P. M.

An invitation is extended to all traveling salesmen who will be in Thief River Falls on that date, to hear this lecture on modern methods of retailing.

This picture and lecture cost $50,000.00 to prepare and is shown without any admission charge through the Merchants Association of Thief River Falls.

Ask some of the many merchants who came 50 miles to hear Mr. Farley a year ago and you will determine that it will be worth while to visit Thief River Falls Nov. 4, 1921.

Merchants Association of Thief River Falls

Market Day BARGAINS

Get Your Coupons Here

Bacon Ends, per lb.	15c
Bacon by the Slab, per lb.	21c
Fancy Skinned Smoked Hams, by the ham, per lb.	34c
Fancy Peaberry Coffee, regular 30c value, 4 lbs. for	98c
Grape Juice, quart bottles, one to customer, each	72c
Large cans Tomatoes, 5 cans for	98c
Fancy Preserves, 16 oz. jars, 2 to customer, each	36c
Fancy Jelly, 16 oz. jars. 2 to customer, each	29c
Transcendent Crab Apples, per box	$2.28

Butter and eggs taken in on these specials as cash. Highest prices paid for all produce at all times. See us.

Simonson Meat and Grocery
Free Delivery—Phone 115 For Service

We are the exclusive dealers in Bickley's Home Made Pure Cane Sorghum, manufactured by O. J. Bickley, Thief River Falls.
NONE BETTER

Small Payment Down

$1 a Day Buys a Ford

A Good Time on Time

McFARLAND AUTO COMPANY
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

FREE
on
Market Day

ONE TEN-POUND SACK OF WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR FREE WITH EACH 98-POUND SACK OF VIVO

WE MANUFACTURE AND GUARANTEE

Hanson & Barzen Milling Company

AMUSEMENTS

At the Lyceum

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Pauline Frederick in **"Madam X"**

"Madam X". presents Pauline Frederick in the most remarkable performance of her career. It is more than a special star picture. It is a story so human, so pathetic, so real, that there is not an audience anywhere in the world that can look upon it without feeling moved to its very depths.

Sunday Matinee 2:30—11c and 25c

TUESDAY
MADGE KENNEDY
in
"The Highest Bidder"
Also a First National Kinogram and

A Ford Educational

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY
TOM MOORE
in
"Made in Heaven"
It's Tom Moore's jolliest picture. He is supported by Helene Chadwick and a cast of well-known players.
Wednesday Matinee 3:30—6c and 15c

Tom Moore in Made in Heaven
by William Hurlbut
directed by
VICTOR SCHERTZINGER
A GOLDWYN PICTURE
A-4—1 Col.

EAT

Jung's Victory Bread

Sold by

All Grocers

Chas. Lieberman

Market Day Specials

MEN'S LEATHER VESTS

$6.50 Vest at	$5.50
$8.00-$9.00 Vest at	$6.50
$10.00 Vest at	$7.75

10% OFF ON ALL FLANNEL SHIRTS	10% OFF ON ALL CAPS
1 Lot Men's All Wool UNION SUITS at $3.75	MEN'S UNION SUITS 50% wool, at $2.75
1 Lot Men's Fleece lined UNION SUITS at 95c	10% OFF ON ALL MEN'S AND BOYS' OVERCOATS
Wilson Bros. Chain Knit Hosiery Special at 45c	10% OFF ON ALL BOSTONIAN SHOES

THE PIANO

ITS MUSIC HAS CHARM FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY

SEE OUR DISPLAY FIRST

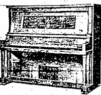

SOLD ON PAYMENT PLAN

So important is the purchase of a piano that it should never be undertaken unless one has a vivid conception of the qualities that make for piano construction.

Bush & Lane, Cecilian, the Victor and Ferrand provide the utmost in piano value.

A selection based on quality and excellence will result in our selling you.

WE SELL EVERYTHING IN THE LINE OF MUSIC

Thief River Music Company
"The One Price House"

Market Day Special

4 lbs. 35c Coffee For
$1.00

1 Gal. Syrup . .	50c
½ Gal. Syrup . .	25c

Carl Christofferson & Co.

American Legion Corner

"We are a musical outfit, but—we gotta get organized!" declares a letter to all members of the Minneapolis Mark Hamilton post, which adds, "All musicians, song-birds, vaude-villians and actors belonging to the Mark Hamilton post will meet Sept. 29 to organize a band and orchestra, a glee club and quartet, a vaude-villian company, and a dramatic outfit. We don't care how rotten you are. The good ones are probably too good for us anyway. If you can play anything from a bugle to a Jew's harp, if you can do any sort of stunt from card tricks to imitations of Gertrude Hoffman, we want you. Even if you can't do these things, come anyway, for we can teach you, or you can carry the bass drum, or take tickets, or shift the scenery. And we need some top sergeants to act as stage managers and directors."

A year ago, Legionaires of the Giantvalley Legion Post, Minneapolis, helped the boys of the community to form Troop No. 60, Boy Scouts of America, and since then have helped them to be good Americans. Sept. 23 the post gave a "birthday party" for its troop, at which the boys gave demonstrations of their expert knowledge, including an exhibition of handicraft work. So impressed was Legion Commander Van Dyke that he declared he would appeal to all Minnesota Legion posts to adopt boy scout troops and help finance and train them. "Nothing which Legionaires can do is of more value to the country," said Commander Van Dyke.

Biwabik Minnesota Legionaires recently appointed a post club room committee. So energetically did the committee work that it soon had club rooms. Then it appealed to citizens for equipment and soon had enough chairs, tables, a stove, a desk, and even a pool table and piano were installed to make the members cozy for the winter. A second committee which was to help the women organize an auxiliary unit, quickly reported that this had been accomplished. Another committee has plans for dances, plays and other winter entertainments "up its sleeve" and promises to make things merry in Biwabik during the winter season.

The school board at Nashwauk is arranging to turn over the old village school building to local Legionaires for use as a meeting place, club room, and Legion Auxiliary doings. The plan contemplates the furnishing of a caretaker by the township board, and heat and light by the village council. The school contains a fine auditorium which will be just the thing for home talent plays, entertainments and dances.

National Headquarters of the Legion have honored Minnesota Legionaires by choosing State Commander Arthur A. Van Dyke to act as chairman of a Legion National delegation consisting of the state commanders of the departments of Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois and Minnesota, to attend the national convention of the Great War Veterans of Canada at Port Arthur, Ont., which meets Oct. 17. William T. Mollison of Faribault is the Legionaire who will represent Minnesota department at Washington, D. C., when the body of America's Unknown Soldier is laid to rest in Arlington Cemetery on Armistice Day.

Legionaires at Delano and Herman report that they have adopted the Minneapolis plan of honoring their hero dead. At Delano five tree were planted in honor of the boys who did not come back, while at Herman three trees have been planted in their memory. Other Minnesota Legion posts are planning to carry out this beautiful plan of remembering those who made the supreme sacrifice.

Two citizens of Lafayette, Minn., recently went out and raised funds which they turned over to the local Legion post for the express purpose of purchasing an American flag and an American Legion post banner. Everybody chipped in and Lafayette Legionaires were very pleased with the gift and especially with the good will which prompted it.

One of the most important actions of the 1920 Minnesota legislature from the American Legion point of view was the law which authorized each Minnesota county board to furnish $25 to each Legion post to help defray Memorial Day expenses. In an effort to learn how this law was observed, Minnesota Legion Headquarters has asked its posts whether or not their requests for this fund were granted. Of the replies so far received, the posts at Stillwater, Wabasha, Cambridge, Albany, Buffalo, Jordan, Lake City, Raymond, Wells, Emmons, Herman, say their county boards furnished the money, while posts at Holt, Staples, Eagle Bend, and the Gianvalley Post of Minneapolis declare that their requests were denied. The $25 was to be paid to each Legion post by its county board on the request of the post officers.

"Every time the American Legion boys don their uniforms to take part in our public demonstrations, the realization of what these uniforms stand for is brought home to every one of us," says the Tri-County Record of Rushford, Minn. "There is a dignity and bearing to the man in his country's uniform not possessed at other times. Deep in every man's heart, beneath the human weakness and bravado, is the spirit of the true soldier, the spirit that bound our boys together through all the horrors of the great war. The past associations and comradeships of our boys will never wear out nor be outgrown, and whether uniforms are available or not, it should not keep ex-soldiers from taking part in honoring the memory of our heroic dead. Civilians will take off their hats as the flag and boys go by."

Dr. H. Hedin of Twin Valley spent yesterday visiting friends here and attending to matters of business. He left this morning for Goodridge on a business mission.

E. M. STANTON, Prop.

Thief River Falls Cafe
Phone 232

A Good Place to Eat

After theatre and dance lunches a specialty

Good cooking is our motto. Open day and night.

K. A. SUNDAHL S. K. SUNDAHL

Northwestern Automobile Co.
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

DISTRIBUTORS

Overland Willys-Knight
Republic Trucks

What are you going to do about it?

There are lot of things you'll need for this Fall and the long cold Winter.

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO ABOUT IT?

You are not going to wait until after Benson's Closing Out Sale is over and then scold yourself for waiting too long. You can get the goods you want at Benson's Sale for half price and even less. Go right straight to Benson's Sale and find out the truth about it. Go right NOW—don't put it off another minute. While you're at the sale get your Grab Bags. They cost only

21 Cents Each

and they contain useful and valuable articles worth from 40 to 50 cents and up to $1.00, at

BENSON'S SALE

50c White Pine Cough Syrup	35c
35c Merco Shaving Cream	25c

20 Per Cent Discount on McNulty's Candy

SPECIAL ON RUBBER GOODS

F. J. Stebbins

"OUR COAL MAKES WARM FRIENDS"

When you buy COAL from us you are certain of getting the highest Quality and Service, and the LOWEST Prices.

Minneapolis Bridge Company
Thief River Falls, Minn.
COAL DEPARTMENT
Phone 482

Special
for
Market Day

Home rendered Lard, per lb. . .	14c
Bacon Squares, per lb.	20c
Rib Boiling, per lb.	9c

Louis DeCremer

Come in the morning before the bargains are all picked over.

The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

Seven of the 20 prizes won last Market day, the purchase was made here.

You Always Find the Biggest Bargains Here

WE HAVE THE BIGGEST CROWDS MARKET DAY AS WELL AS ANY OTHER DAY

This Market Day we are offering 75 Garments—Winter Coats for Women, Silk and Serge Dresses, Children's Winter Coats—Values up to $59.50. All day Market Day, until sold, Special Each

$10.00

For One Hour Only 10 to 11 o'clock Infants', Children's and Ladies' **Pure Wool Sweaters** Values to $3.50 Market Day Only from 10 to 11 o'clock **$1.00**	For One Hour Only 2 to 3 o'clock Heavy Quality **Sateen Bloomers** Regular $1.25 value in all colors and sizes. Special for 1 hour only 2 to 3 o'clock, each **75c**

20% off on any Coat or Suit in our store for Market Day only. Think of it! One-fifth off!

Many more Bargains awaiting you too numerous to mention for lack of space. But come—you'll not be disappointed.

Big Market Day Sale

Every Market Day Shopper should take advantage of the 20 per cent discount on all pattern hats in our stock, making all

20.00 HATS 16.50 16.00 HATS 12.80
18.00 HATS 14.40 15.00 HATS 12.00
12.00 HATS 9.80 And so forth.

Including beautifully trimmed hats that are handsome in appearance, charming in coloring. They are well made and make an instant appeal.

Dalquist Millinery
MRS. ESTA BARTON, Prop.
211 Third Street East

Special For Market Day

Two quart Wearever Aluminum Sauce Pan 49c

Mulry's Bazaar

Winter Is Coming

It's always the part of wisdom to be ready with a well provisioned cellar and pantry. Buying now at our Special Market Day Sale Prices means big savings.

People's Co-Operative Store

Hotel Evelyn
European
Julien Provencher, Prop.
FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT
Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Brumund Hotel
H. W. DeParcq, Prop.
EUROPEAN
CAFE IN CONNECTION
SERVICE AND SATISFACTION

The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company

offers to insurable men and women all forms of protection from ages 10 to 60.

PARENTS: Start a contract for your boy or girl.

EX-SERVICE MEN: I have on hand a supply of blanks for converting War Risk Term Certificates into one or more of the six forms offered by the Government. I will gladly assist any Ex-Service man, without charge, to convert his certificate and give such other information as I can.

I specialize in Life Insurance—I am at your SERVICE

E. M. Bennes The Life Insurance Man
Phone 385

RETURN TO EXTREME IN SUITS FOR YOUNG MEN

"Back to the extreme!"

This is the way the up-to-date Chicago designers of men's clothing describe the tendencies of the apparel the stylish young man will wear in spring. The novel and sporty, it is evident, will characterize the youth's suit for spring wear. Regardless of the state of his pocketbook, which was sorely hit by post-war depression, the young man was never satisfied with conservatism, clothing factors say, and his desire for smartness in clothes obtruded intself into the fall lines, which were intended to be conservative.

In view of this leaning of the country's youth toward the ultra, Chicago clothing maunfacturers have prepared an extensive line of suits for spring that will meet the demand. Without going too far into the extreme, the new spring suits are cut along lines distinctive enough to satisfy the most fastidious young man.

Older Men's Suits.

Of course, all this does not apply to the suits of middle-aged and older men. These are still more or less conservative, although even in them can be noted departures from the strictly sedate. But the young men's suits are radical departures from the staid sobriety which it was thought would be wanted.

For spring they are mostly high-waisted, with pinch backs. However, it must here be said that the tightness that once characterized the young man's smart suit is absent from the spring 1922 lines. They are soft and comfortable—a quality that has been chiefly secured by the use of worsted, Saxonies and other soft-surfaced fabrics. But more of materials later.

The jacket of the youth's spring 1922 suit will be from medium to long in length, with a sweeping, shirt-like effect. The short, military appearing jacket never was very popular, giving the youth's figure a lack of grace.

Lapels are narrower and a new effect in them is the "fish-mouth" lapel which is the notched effect carried to the extreme. Flaps of pockets are smaller, being generally 1½ inches wide. The regulation flapped straight pocket predominates, although on some novelty Norfolk suits, patched pockets and belts appear. These suits follow the dictates of the golf influence, which has turned out not to have such a great bearing on the styles as expected.

Vests Cut Lower.

Vests will be cut lower in front and will be some shorter in lengths—a waist effect being the guiding light. The U-shape of vests, launched somewhat successfully this fall, gives way to the old reliable V-shape. The longer point of the V gives the desired touch of the extreme. Most of the vests are single-breasted with fewer buttons because of the shorter length.

Trousers hang straight from the knees, and are still loose, per the English influence. Bell bottoms, described as an inconsequential fad—are replaced by the straight cuff. A distinct novelty in trousers are the "crease-pleats" at the front. These pleats continue the crease of the trousers from below the thigh to within an inch or two of the belt, and being worked into the cloth serve to preserve the crease. More than that, they are an exact guide to the position of the crease when pressing the trousers. The crease-pleats are an ingenious and practical touch, and one that will be appreciated by the well-dressed young man.

Gray will be the predominating color in the young man's spring 1922 suit, and Scotch plaid effects the predominating pattern. Checks will also be big. Pin stripes are not so much noted. In addition to gray, cool shades such as lovets and greens will be in the fore. Few blues or browns, it appears, are slated to go big.

Materials, as before remarked, are mostly soft-surfaced. They will come in all the varieties of the Saxonies—Scotch worsteds, urquhart plaids, flannels, and so on. Very few hard-surfaced materials are seen in the new lines for young men for spring.

Ulsters and Ulsterettes Lead in Men's Overcoats.

The ulster and ulsterette continues the ranking leader in the men's overcoats. The many effects which have been developed in ulsters and ulsterettes, such as large plaited pockets, half or full belts and smaller collars, add materially to the attractiveness of these coats.

The heavy, rough finished fabrics, many of which feature plaid backs, are regarded as the favored materials for making up ulsters and ulsterettes. Many lighter shades of tan and gray are included in the retail showings. But the darker and more practical colors of brown, gray and mixtures are expected to have the greatest vogue when the retail selling season opens in earnest.

Conservative Overcoats.

For the man who wants an overcoat more conservative than the ulster or the ulsterette, the form-fitting and semi-form-fitting styles are offered. This type of coat is regarded as part of the "bread-and-butter" class of stock by merchants who get a good call for this coat year in and year out. Both double and single-breasted effects are shown in the form-fitting and semi-form-fitting overcoat. Both will prove good in this field.

In spite of the fact that the weather has retarded the demand for overcoats or heavy work clothing at retail, many merchants have a good part of their advance orders now on display.

However, so far the consuming public has failed to respond to any broad degree, and some snappy weather will have to be experienced before the prospective customer will become a purchaser. This attitude of the public is not confined alone to overcoats, as in many other lines of seasonable merchandise the consumer seems little inclined to anticipate his wants very far in advance of actual need.

All of your favorite kinds are here, of course—deliciously fresh, wholesomely good. Who will be delighted most to see the candy box opened on Market Day?

Subscribe for The Times and keep posted on all neighborhood news.

We Back Up Our Advertising

WE advertise—to tell the people of our community how we can be of help in any matters of banking or finance—and to explain the policies which guide this institution. But the real proof of our statements is found in the courteous, cordial and wholehearted manner in which we practice them in the daily service we render our customers.

Distinctly—this is a friendly Bank!

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Deposit Purchasers Coupons at This Bank

$5 **Buy a Good Pair of Shoes on Market Day for $5** $5

We place on sale for this day only several lots of high grade Men's and Women's Shoes at big savings.

Women's Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords, with high or low heels, in all leathers	Men's Shoes and Oxfords, in black or brown, calf and kid leathers, in all styles
$5.00	$5.00

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Froseth Shoe Store
$5 $5

It's Up to You

An influential friend may get you a good job but it's up to you to hold it down.

You may receive a good income but it's up to you to salt it down.

And when you salt it down here, we consider it's up to us to give you the best information obtained on any financial subject you may bring us.

First and Peoples State Bank
The Older We Grow
The Better Our Service
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Deposit Purchasers Drawing Coupons Here

Special! Boys' All Wool Suits Extra Pair Pants. All sizes and colors.	WORK SHOES Regular $4.00 and $5.00 values.
8.95	2.95
BOYS' SUITS All sizes and colors. Market Day only	MEN'S JERSEY SWEATERS All wool. Your choice for Market Day only
4.95	2.95

Palace Clothing House
L. L. COHN, Prop.

There's Lasting Satisfaction in Owning a Victrola

Because—
- the Victrola is specially made to play Victor records;
- the greatest artists make their Victor records to play on Victrola instruments;
- you hear these artists exactly as you expected to hear them—they themselves tested and approved their own records ON THE VICTROLA.

Victrolas $25 to $1500. New Victor Records on sale at all dealers in Victor Products on the 1st of each month.

Lambert's Drug Store

Market Day Bargains

15 Per Cent Discount
on our entire line of
Heating Stoves, Ranges
Automobile Casings
Inner Tubes

10 Per Cent Discouut
on all
Wash Machines
House and Barn Paint
Aluminum Ware

We have a nice useful souvenir for you. Come and make a purchase and get one of them.

HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.

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RECORD BROKEN IN CITY'S FIFTH BARGAIN EVENT

Volume of Business Transacted Greater Than For Any Preceding Market Day.

Visitors From Long Distances Here to Take Advantage of Unusual Opportunities.

Free Distribution of Merchandise Continues to Hold Special Interest For Crowd.

"The most successful Market Day of the entire series."

This is the unanimous verdict of Thief River Falls merchants when discussing the fifth event of the kind to be held under their direction. *While it is admitted that the crowd* may not have been as large as on one or two previous occasions, the amount of business transacted on Wednesday far surpassed that of any other Market Day. The forenoon was comparatively quiet, people evidently not liking the looks of the weather, but shortly after noon things began to hum. A number of merchants complain of not having a sufficient clerical force to take care of the trade. Wives of proprietors and former clerks were pressed into service and even then the crowds were forced to exercise patience in order to have their wants attended to.

The fame of these bargain days in Thief River Falls has traveled far and wide, many being present from points as far distant as Warroad on the north and Mahnomen on the south.

So well has Market Day now become established as a great bargain giving event in Thief River Falls that but little more than the price announcements for the day is necessary in order to bring record crowds. The advertising the city has received by reason of these price-cutting campaigns has been worth all the cost—and this has been considerable. Traveling men returning from their runs tell of hearing the subject discussed in nearly every town visited by them, the comments invariably being of a complimentary nature and full of praise for the enterprise and public spirited attitude of the merchants in this city. That the campaign will in the end prove to have been a most profitable investment for both buyer and seller is an absolute certainty.

As usual a large share of the general interest centered about the free distribution of goods which took place at 5:30 in the afternoon. Every purchaser of 25 cents worth of merchandise was given a ticket entitling the holder to participate in this distribution. Ten high grade articles were given away, the winners being as follows, together with the stores at which the lucky purchase was made. The donations were made by the Merchants association and no condition whatever outside of the 25 cent purchase attached to the proceedings:

Mrs. O. Erickson, phonograph, Mulry's Bazaar.

Mrs. C. H. Jung, set Community silver, Loken Bros.

Andrew Craik, Stetson hat, E. O. Mogenson.

W. J. Brown, pair lady's shoes, E. O. Mogensen.

Mrs. J. Borgen, pair men's shoes, Oen Mercantile Co.

Mrs. F. T. Satre, Gossard corset, A. M. Langseth.

F. G. Dols, fountain pen, The Prichard Co.

Earl Bessler, lady's hat, Oen Mercantile Co.

R. O. Ness, Eversharp pencil, The Sapero Co.

C. P. Thompson, lady's writing portfolio, Hall Brothers.

One More in Series.

Secretary G. Howard Smith of the Merchants association is very much pleased over the success of these Market Days and has worked unremittingly to make the events outstanding features in the business history of the city. He announces that for the last day of the series, which will be Wednesday, Nov. 23, something entirely new will be presented to the buying public. He does not wish to divulge his plan at the present time, but states that it will create a sensation.

POULTRY FANCIERS HAVE GREAT FEED

County Association Serves Supper to 140 Diners at Auditorium Monday Evening.

The annual banquet of the Pennington County Poultry association given at the auditorium Monday evening prover very popular, about 140 diners being served with a chicken supper of such excellence that it has been the subject of much comment ever since. The proceeds will be used in helping defray the cost of the new poultry coops used at annual exhibitions, these costing the association $350. This Keiper cooping system is the finest thing of its kind made and adds much to the attractiveness of the annual shows.

The fowls were all donated by members of the association in order to minimize the expense. Those contributing fowls were as follows: Casper Wiener, 2; Philip Amon, 1; R. J. McKercher, 2; L. Westphal, 3; Bot Nyborg, 2; N. Newman, 2; Ed. Hance, 2; C. M. Buoen, 2; Fred Beerbower, 2; George Leimers, 2; Scott Laird, 2; F. B. Conklin, 2; H. C. Durrin, 2; H. L. Schuster, 3; C. D. Gustafson, 2; Olaf Neset, 2.

Six pounds of butter and six quarts of cream were donated by the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery. The music was contributed by H. S. Snyder and Miss Theone Walker of this city and added much to the enjoyment of the banqueteers.

Preparations are being made for the fifth annual poultry show, which will be held in the auditorium on Dec. 6, 7, 8 and 9. This will be the largest and best show in northern Minnesota. Entries will be made both in the farmers' and professional class so that no beginners need stay out on account of being compelled to compete against high priced birds.

ADMITS SWANSON WILL TO PROBATE; HEIRS MAY APPEAL

Court Holds That Wylie Farmer Was Responsible When Document Was Drafted.

Judge of Probate Lars Backe has denied the application of the heirs at law of the late C. H. Peterson of Wylie, for the setting aside of his will. This decision was reached by the court yesterday after a hearing lasting two days. Judge Backe announced last night that he had decided to admit the will to probate.

Peterson died on Sept. 25, 1921, from injuries received in falling from a plow. Before his death he made a will whereby his housekeeper, Mrs. Helga Grefsnes, was left about $10,000 in Liberty bonds and other negotiable securities. The remainder of his property, consisting of a fine farm and considerable personal effects, was left to his five children—two sons residing near St. Hilaire, and three married daughters who live in St. Paul.

The children, through their attorney, Chas. E. Boughton of Red Lake Falls, protested the probating of the will, maintaining that their father at the time of his death did not have a testamentary capacity and that undue influence had been brought to bear on him in naming Mrs. Grefsnes for any such amount in his will. Theo. Quale appeared for Mrs. Grefsnes and G. Howard Smith on behalf of the estate, represented by C. T. Swanson, named in the will as executor.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich, who attended Peterson when he was brought to the Physicians hospital in this city after his accident, and Miss Odelia Steinke, superintendent at the hospital, testified that deceased was in a normal state of mind at the time the contested will was made and that they signed the document as witnesses. They further testified that the injured man continued to retain his faculties until a short time before his death.

Dr. Bjerken of St. Hilaire, who was called to the home of Peterson immediately following the accident, testified that deceased had attempted to make a will before being taken to this city, and two neighbor boys were called in as witnesses. The doctor further stated that the contents of this first will were practically the same as those of the instrument before the court.

Mr. Boughton presented no evidence for his clients and the expectation is that the case will be appealed.

Big Game Licenses Cost Hunter $2.25 This Year

Big game hunting licenses for the 1921 season were received by County Auditor T. P. Anderson the first of the week. There are one or two changes of importance in the regulations this season, the principal one being that the cost to the hunter will be $2.25 instead of the $1.00 paid in former years. Two dollars of this amount is for the license proper and 25 cents for a metal seal, very much like those used on box car doors, which must be attached to the carcass of the deer or moose before it can be shipped. These seals must be numbered to correspond with the license carried by the hunter or he will find himself in difficulties with the state game and fish department. The season for deer and moose opens on Nov. 10 and closes on the 20th, with five additional days allowed the hunter to get his game out of the woods.

Firemen and Enginemen to Give Hallowe'en Dance

The Hallowe'en ball to be given by Local No. 103 of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen at the auditorium on Monday evening, Oct. 31, will be one of the really big parties of the season if the committee in charge can make it so. The dances given in the past by this organization have always been among the most popular of the year and this time special efforts have been made to eclipse anything previously attempted. Music will be furnished by Havlin's Jazzadours. This should prove a peppy organization if the name signifies anything. The admission, including the war tax, will be one dollar, with 25 cents for extra ladies and spectators.

LARGE DITCH JOB IS AWARDED TO CROOKSTON FIRM

New Outlet For Ditch 20 Across North and Silverton Townships Finally Assured.

Proposition Has Been Subject of Much Controversy During Past Four Years.

Cost of Excavation and Bridges Considerably Below Estimates of Engineers.

Contracts for the construction of a judicial ditch through the full length of Silverton and a part of North townships were let at Warren on Tuesday. This is the enterprise over which there was so much controversy about four years ago, it being at that time strongly favored by some and as energetically opposed by others. The matter has been before the courts in one form or another ever since first proposed, the final decision favoring those who consider the additional outlet a necessity.

The ditch starts at the northeast corner of Section 13 in Silverton township, runs westward one-half mile and cuts across the southwest corner of Section 11. From this point the route is straight west on the quarter line through Sections 10, 9, 8 and 7 in Silverton township, and through Sections 12 and 11, to the center of Section 10 in North township. Thereafter a coulee is followed in a southwesterly direction, the ditch discharging into the Thief River.

Cost Below Estimate.

The excavating contract was let to the Union Drainage company of Crookston, the price being 11 cents per cubic yard. The total cost of the 10 bridges to be erected across the ditch at different points was estimated at $35,000 by the engineers, but the entire job was sold to the Minneapolis Bridge company of Thief River Falls for $26,000.

To Relieve Ditch 18.

The bidding for these jobs was the most spirited witnessed in this section for a long time, 30 concerns being present and submitting figures.

The construction of this ditch is made necessary in order to relieve the pressure on No. 18, which is unable to take care of the water coming out of the large tributary, particularly during the early spring months. As at present arranged, all water flowing through No. 20 from the east is forced into No. 18, a right angle being formed where the waters are deflected northward. This causes serious overflows because of back water all along the course of both ditches and it is to relieve this situation that the more direct route to the final outlet has been chosen. Farmers in Silverton and Cloverleaf townships particularly have sustained heavy losses in the past by reason of the water backing up onto their fields.

Cost is Equalized.

Pennington county will have to stand by far the greater amount of the cost of this ditch as but a short stretch enters Marshall county. The cost will be assessed according to the benefit to all property influenced by the improved drainage artery, this involving practically all lands between the county line and state road and as far eastward as the Beltrami county line.

The bids were let by the county auditors of Pennington and Marshall counties, the chairman of the county board and clerk of court of the latter county.

Auto Trip to Sioux Falls.

Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, who has been here for the past few days on account of the illness of his little son, will leave tomorrow by auto for Sioux Falls, S. D. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Swedenburg and the baby, who will remain with him at Sioux Falls for an indefinite period.

FINISH CONCRETE WORK THIS WEEK

Short Spell of Good Weather Will See Entire Street Paving Job Completed.

The street paving contractors are praying for about three weeks more of this wonderful weather. If this is granted them they will have the entire contract completed this fall. The concrete base will all be in place by Friday night, after which the surfacing with bitulithic will go forward with greater speed as a considerable number of additional trucks will be released for hauling the "hot stuff." The machinery of the Bitulithic Contracting Limited, the concern doing the work, will be left here during the winter whether the job is completed or not as it is expected that there will be a demand for more paving in the spring. Already there is talk among the residents of Bridge street, North LaBree avenue and Knight avenue of presenting petitions for paving to the council this fall in order that all the preliminaries may be attended to in time to get the work started early in the spring. The experience of other cities is evidently going to be repeated in Thief River Falls. When paving is once started and the people see its advantages the demand continues year after year until all the principal thoroughfares, those in the residence sections as well as the business blocks, are permanently taken out of the mud.

MEETING OF RED CROSS ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON

There will be a meeting of the executive committee of Pennington County Chapter, American Red Cross, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Commercial club rooms. It is the time for the annual election of officers and other business of importance is expected to come up for consideration. All members of the committee are requested to be present.

12 LOTS SECURED AT LOVERS' LANE AS PARK NUCLEUS

Council Ready to Close Deal as Soon as Abstracts Are Brought Up to Date.

The city council has decided to purchase 12 lots fronting on the river in Porter's addition at the point known as Lovers' Lane, for park purposes. The price placed on the entire tract by Rev. Father Carlo Pinski, the present owner, is $651, which is very reasonable. The deal would have been closed at the council meeting Tuesday evening but it was thought best to have City Attorney H. O. Chommie look into the title and also find out whether or not any back taxes are charged against the plot. This is an ideal site for a small park right at the edge of the city and the purchase will be approved by the public generally.

Math Barzen appeared before the council and asked that the bridge connecting the island in the Red Lake river with the mainland a short distance above the proposed park site be repaired as it is the intention to construct a swimming pool at this point, providing satisfactory arrangements can be made with the owners. The island can be converted into a beauty spot at very small cost and as this is in line with the program outlined by the park board the members of that body hope arrangements for going forward with the work can be made without delay.

Mr. Barzen was also one of a committee with P. J. Keating appearing to enter an objection against making a dumping ground for worn-out machinery out of the vacant lots to the rear of the auditorium. St. Bernard's church faces this property, the condition of which is a constant eyesore to the parishioners as well as to the general public. The owners of the lots as well as the machinery will be notified to clean the place up without delay.

City Attorney Chommie was instructed to draw up a new ordinance covering the parking of automobiles on the city streets, the present statute being inadequate now that the city is paved.

SIX REEL PICTURE ON MERCHANDISING TO BE SHOWN FREE

Interesting Lecture Under Auspices of Merchants Association Here November 1.

The six reel feature film, "Getting the Most Out of Retailing," will be presented for the first time in Thief River Falls on Friday night, Nov. 4, at 9 o'clock, in the Lyceum theatre. In connection with the film, a lecture on retail merchandising will be given. All merchants and sales people in the city are invited to attend. No charge will be made for admission.

G. Howard Smith, secretary of the Merchants association, has secured the film and lecture through the courtesy of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio. W. H. Farley, expert lecturer of the Dayton company, will be the speaker. The lecture has been highly commended. Causes for losses and failures in retail business are shown, and their remedy is told in the lecture, which has been prepared from the experience of that company in its 36 years of dealing with merchants in all parts of the world.

A prominent place in the lecture is given to the value of newspaper advertising. Mr. Farley will tell how to prepare newspaper copy, how to secure best results, and why a merchant should advertise continually. Window display, efficiency of clerks, selling methods, and other topics of interest to merchants will also be discussed.

The film tells in a vivid manner the story of a merchant who is near failure. As the film progresses, the reasons for his lack of success become plain. Poor arrangement of goods, an unattractive front, and most of all, out-of-date business methods, all contributed their quota of loss. Finally a change comes in the career of the merchant. He remodels his store, installs a modern system, does more advertising, and rapidly rises to success.

POTATOES SOLD TO DATE TOTAL 75,000 BUSHELS

Estimated That 60 Per Cent of the Crop Has Been Disposed of at This Time.

Quarter of Aggregate Yield Will Be Retained For Seed and Home Consumption.

Pennington County Output Will Exceed 150,000 Bushels of High Grade Stock.

Potatoes still continue as the main stay of the Pennington county farmer. He has no grain to speak of and can secure no price for what he has. Beef will not pay the cost of shipment and handling, which leaves hay, potatoes and sugar beets as the stapels to fall back on. Whatever he may have had in the way of a hay surplus has likely been disposed of, which narrows his money crop down to the beet and the tuber.

Sixty Per Cent Shipped.

Reports from three shipping points in the county show that to date 125 carloads of potatoes have been sent out. Fifty-five of these have been handled over the Soo, 26 over the Great Northern and 22 over the Minnesota Northwestern. These figures are for the city of Thief River Falls alone. St. Hilaire reports having shipped 17 cars and Hazel 5. Besides this there must have been a considerable quantity of Pennington county potatoes shipped from Wylie, just across the line in Red Lake county.

Persons who have watched the potato movement closely are of the opinion that about 60 per cent of the total yield of the county has been disposed of and that in the neighborhood of 15 per cent more remains to be shipped. This leaves 25 per cent of the total which will be taken care of by local consumption in part and the remainder saved for seed. All told the output of the county is conservatively placed at 150,000 bushels.

Shipments Fall Off.

The threatened strike of railroad men is already having its effect upon produce shipments from this section. The potato movement during the past week from this point has been almost at a standstill, the reason given being that buyers do not care to take the risk of having the shipments hung up in transit in case of a general walkout. There would be no danger as yet between this city and the warehouses of the Minnesota Potato exchange at Minneapolis, but the potatoes remain at the latter place only long enough to be resold and transferred to other lines, when they are sent to their final destination. A large part of the Pennington county crop eventually finds its way to southern and southwestern points and it is during this longer trip that the tieup might take place.

Prices are still holding up in a very satisfactory manner and it is predicted that these will go no lower as the heavy shipments which always follow the early digging season are now pretty well out of the way.

Doc Kirby's Fame Reaches City Newspaper Sanctums

The St. Paul Pioneer Press of Sunday contains two scenes taken near the farm home of "Dr." S. R. Kirby a short time ago. In one is shown the house and a large number of persons and automobiles in the yard, while in the other the tents used by many of the patients at the Kirby place are pictured. The cuts appear under the caption, "Thousands Seek Relief From Ailments at Hands of Farmer Healer." The accompanying article aims to tell something of Kirby's methods but does not follow facts very closely, one of the assertions being that Kirby "has a number of assistants," whereas it is well known that he worked almost entirely alone. The article is good advertising for Kirby, but its value is much diminished now that he has left the neighborhood.

Delegates to Conservancy Meeting Held at Bemidji

Math Barzen and Daniel Shaw leave tomorrow morning for Bemidji as delegates from Thief River Falls to the meeting of those interested in the work of the Red Lake Conservancy commission, which will hold a session in that city. These citizens were appointed by Mayor John Bratrud upon a request from Chairman C. G. Selvig of Crookston that this city be represented. It is expected that matters of importance to all water power users, municipal and private, will come up for discussion and other matters connected with the huge undertaking gone over. The delegates expect to return Friday evening.

65 Bushels Fully Matured Corn is 14-Acre Average

One of the finest corn fields in this section is that on the farm of Herbert Siems just west of the fair grounds. He has two acres in one plot near his home and 12 acres more a short distance farther west on the Jefferson. The corn is the Minnesota 13 variety and is husking out 65 bushels of fully matured ears to the acre. Corn experts who have viewed this crop say it is without question one of the finest grown in the section this year. There are ears 10 and 12 inches long, covered to the tip with kernels of uniform size and apparently of the very highest quality. Mr. Siems has been advised not to feed this crop but but to save it for seed next spring as it is of a quality that is bound to command a high price. This he intends doing after making a careful sorting of the entire crop.

Mr. Siems also had exceptional luck with his sweet corn, securing 40 bushels off three-quarters of an acre. This will also be saved for seed. In common with many others who have gone extensively into corn of late years he is convinced that, taking one season with another, corn offers the farmer a much surer return than does wheat.

THIEF RIVER FALLS GETS 1922 MEETING OF N. W. TEACHERS

Supt. I. T. Simley Elected Vice President of Organization at Crookston.

The Northwestern Minnesota Educational association closed a very successful session at Crookston on Friday evening. All the superintendents and a large number of teachers from the different counties in the district were in attendance. Thief River Falls was selected as the point for holding the 1922 meeting. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: G. Holmquist, superintendent of the Warren schools, president; Miss Ella Pouliot, county superintendent of Red Lake county, vice president; I. T. Simley, superintendent of city schools, Thief River lowing were appointed members of the M. E. A. standing committees: Legislation, F. B. Anderson, superintendent of the Ada schools; finance, Geo. M. Gunderson, superintendent Pennington county; resolutions, A. C. Peterson, superintendent, Argyle.

The Athletic committee, to have charge of the athletics in this district, which includes the towns of Ada, Argyle, Bagley, Crookston, East Grand Forks, Fertile, Fosston, Hallock, McIntosh, Red Lake Falls, Stephen, Thief River Falls, Warren and Warroad, were elected as follows: I. T. Simley, superintendent of schools at Thief River Falls, chairman; A. C. Pederson, superintendent of schools at Argyle, and O. L. Troxel, of Fosston.

CITIZENS ASKED TO AID IN OBSERVANCE OF ARMISTICE DAY

Request Made That All Stores Close at 11 Minutes After 11 on November 11.

Friday, Nov. 11, is Armistice Day and the anniversary will be fittingly observed in Thief River Falls. Geo. L. Sterns is at the head of a committee having the arrangements in charge and these will be of a most interesting character.

All business houses in the city will be asked to close their doors at 11 minutes after 11 o'clock on the 11th day of November and keep them closed for the remainder of the day. This will not only be a mark of respect to the ex-service men but will give store employes, many of whom served during the war in some capacity, an opportunity to join in the observances. Farmers and others are asked to do their shopping in the forenoon of that day in order to cause as little trouble to the merchants and salespeopel as possible as well as protect themselves against disappointment.

The auditorium will be open all day and will be headquarters for home folks and visitors alike. A parade will form there at 1 o'clock and will march through the principal streets of the city. The afternoon program will begin at 2 o'clock and will consist of speaking, singing and music by the band. An effort will be made to secure an out-of-town speaker of note to deliver the principal address of the day, but he has not as yet been selected. Following the afternoon program it is the intention to stage a two-ring circus. There will also be a football game and other sports, to be followed by a moving picture at the auditorium which is expected to take up the time until 6 o'clock.

There will be no charges of any kind for any of this entertainment. The band donates its services as do practically all those who take any part in the proceedings.

There will doubtless be one or more dances given in the evening but the legion has nothing to do with these, the members believing that their efforts should be devoted to making a success of the anniversary without any thought of profit.

Celebrates 86th Birthday.

Mrs. Elsie Davidson celebrated her 86th birthday at her home in this city Saturday. A number of lady friends spent an enjoyable afternoon with her and before their departure presented her with a coffee percolator as a token of their esteem and friendship.

M. R. S. HIGHWAY OFFICIALS HERE; CITY SELECTED

To Become Important Point on Route From Port Arthur, Texas, to Winnipeg.

All Requirements Met and Necessary Funds Raised Quickly and Without Trouble.

Maps Will at Once Be Changed and Metal Road Signs Placed Throughout County.

Thief River Falls will be one of the important points on the Mississippi River Scenic Highway. The people of the city now hold the signed contract of the managers and nothing but a violation of the stipulations therein contained can alter the situation.

Truman Pierson of Minneapolis, general manager and vice president of the system, accompanied by J. C. VanHul, Jr., of Clinton, Iowa, secretary, were in the city last week and all arrangements for including Thief River Falls among the cities through which the road is to pass were perfected.

Money Quickly Raised.

After the officials of the highway had met with a number of our business men Friday evening it was unanimously voted to join the association if the requirements could be met. Another meeting was called for Saturday forenoon at the Commercial club rooms at which a larger number were present. Math Barzen, elected president of the unit the previous evening, asked Mr. Pierson to again set forth the proposition for the benefit of those who were not at the previous meeting. This he briefly did, showing how a road from the southwest and southeast, following the Mississippi river along the western bank, would prove of great benefit to those residing in this section. Particularly did he dwell upon the large number of people from Canada who every year spend the summer at the lakes near Detroit. These would pass through Thief River Falls both going and coming and alone would provide a considerable traffic during the summer months. A well-marked highway from the south, passing through Mahnomen, Brooks and other towns cannot help but be of benefit to the business people of Theif River Falls, Mr. Pierson said. Mr. VanHul also spoke briefly on the benefits to be derived from a road traversing the western side of the great river and branching off southeast to Florida and southwest to Port Arthur, Tex.

Money is Deposited.

Some slight objection was voiced at the meeting over handing the required sum over to strangers with no guarantee of the provisions of the contract being carried out, but when Mr. Pierson offered to leave the money right in the city in escrow until such time as every provision in the contract had been met, this almost entirely disappeared. A committee started out to secure funds and by evening the amount had been pledged and the promoters were on their way to Red Lake Falls, where they were enthusiastically received and where the necessary arrangements were quickly made.

Hits Jefferson at Brooks.

The new line will follow the present Jefferson road from Brooks to the point where this highway is joined by the road from Warren. The route is then laid out westward to the latter city and north to Winnipeg. This is the only place on the entire line that the Jefferson is touched, these arteries being far apart for almost the entire distance. The Jefferson, for instance, passes through Kansas City while the Scenic hits St. Louis. At Clinton, Iowa, connection is made with the Lincoln highway, which forms a direct line eastward to Chicago.

Officers Are Chosen.

Officers for the Thief River Falls unit were elected as follows: Math Barzen, president; F. J. Stebbins, first vice president; T. L. Melgaard, second vice-president; Daniel Shaw, treasurer; George L. Sterns, secretary. Mr. Shaw was also named as one of the international vice presidents, while Mr. Stebbins and T. J. Austad were appointed on the international publicity committee.

Maps Will Be Changed.

Another city in this section had been selected as the point through which this highway should pass before the advantages of Thief River Falls were brought to the attention of the promoters. The new arrangement will necessitate the changing of all maps and reading matter so as to include this city. This will be done before tourist traffic becomes heavy in the spring. Road markers will also be furnished by the association and put in place by the local unit.

Officers of the highway in this city have also been notified that a large sign, 8x12 feet, will be placed at some important junction on the highway with the name Thief River Falls appearing conspicuously, together with the distance from town and direction. There will also be a number of fine porcelain signs furnished, to be located at such points as may be decided by the local men in charge.

Society and Club

Silver Wedding Anniversary.

On Sunday afternoon friends numbering about 75 gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ostby unannounced, the occasion being their 25th wedding anniversary. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in conversation and extending congratulations to the honored couple, who have made this city their home for many years. At five o'clock a bounteous lunch, brought by the guests, was enjoyed. Rev. T. E. Sweger, in behalf of the guests, presented Mr. and Mrs. Ostby with a handsome gift of silverware as a token of the esteem in which they are held. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. A. J. Gronna of Lakota, N. D., a sister of Mr. Ostby; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kjos of Spring Grove, the latter a sister of Mrs. Ostby; Mr. and Mrs. E. Trehus and daughter, Lorraine, Spring Grove; Mrs. Trehus is a niece of Mrs. Ostby; Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Thoreson and daughters, Vivian, Eunice and Hazel, of Goodridge. Mrs. Thoreson is a sister of Mrs. Ostby.

Maccabee Banquet.

On Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall the losers of a recent membership drive for the Lady Maccabees entertained the winners at a banquet. The table, at which a three course dinner was served, was very attractively decorated with Hallowe'en motifs. A corn shock holding a double faced pumpkin formed the center piece. Streamers of orange and black were the decorative features of the hall, while shaded lights added to the attractiveness of the occasion. Mrs. Oscar Melby, captain of the losers, and Mrs. Joe Holmes, captain of the winning side, each gave an interesting toast. Following the banquet the remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in dancing, cards and music. The out-of-town guests present were Mrs. Faye Kenyon and Mrs. Ole Clausen of Fordville, N. D., both of whom were obligated that same evening. Everyone attending voted this one of the most elaborate and enjoyable social events of the season.

Series of Parties.

Mrs. F. F. Haynes, Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mrs. Andrew Bottelson will share honors as hostesses at a series of three parties to be given today and tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Haynes. This afternoon invitations have been issued to thirty ladies and the hours will be spent in needlework. In the evening twenty ladies and gentlemen will be their guests. Five tables of whist will be in play. On Friday afternoon twenty-eight ladies will be entertained at whist. For these occasions the rooms of the Haynes home will be becomingly decorated with an elaborate arrangement of Hallowe'en novelties. Black cats, witches and goblins will be much in evidence. Light refreshments will be served each day.

Hallowe'en Party.

On Saturday afternoon Gladys Christianson was hostess at a matinee party. Twenty boys and girls were her guests. Following an afternoon at the movies they repaired to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson, where a delightful lunch awaited them. Appropriate decorations of orange and black carried out the spirit of Hallowe'en. Those present were Irene Hanson, Gertrude Bartlett, Ione Loken, Dorothy Swedenburg, Elaine Korstad, Mayverette Hilson, Marion Reynolds, Lucille Hermanson, Frances Rounds, Robert Erickson, Richard Mabey, Ned Biedermann, Carl Benson, Ronald Kinghorn, Leonard and Elmer Helgeland, Arthur Lufkin, Carl Swedenburg and Randall Noper.

Mrs. Bishop is Hostess.

As a social courtesy to Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill., who is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, Mrs. J. M. Bishop delightfully entertained a number of young people at her home Friday evening. The hours were devoted to music and dancing. At midnight a delicious buffet lunch was served. The guests included Mrs. Ross V. Noper, Mrs. Albert Johnson, Miss Irma Johnson, Miss Grace Wilson, Miss Ingaborg Dale, Miss Meta Kiland, Miss Olive Patterson and Miss Peterson, the two latter of St. Hilaire; Guy and Perry Johnson, Carl Sundahl, Ed. Brevig, Morlan Bishop, Norman Holen and W. A. Hall, Jr.

Hallowe'en Party.

Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht entertained at a Hallowe'en and birthday party at her home, Duluth avenue north, on Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being the ninth birthday anniversary of her son, Ardell. Various games and contests in keeping with the spirit of Hallowe'en furnished entertainment. Black witches and goblins were very much in evidence throughout the rooms, while little Hallowe'en baskets marked the place of each guest at the table. Those present were George Lambert, William Frederick, Jr., Gordon Storholm, Myles Warner, Donald Lane, Wallace Benson and Melford Haugen.

Legion Entertains Auxiliary.

One of the most delightful social affairs of the season was the entertainment given by the local post of the American Legion for the members of the Auxiliary and their friends at the auditorium on Friday evening. Cards and a program of dancing were the evening's diversions. All present are looking forward to other events of a similar nature during the winter months. At midnight an excellent lunch was served by the Evelyn hotel caterers.

League Holds Rummage Sale.

One of the interesting features of market day was the rummage sale put on by the League of Women Voters at the Commercial club rooms for the purpose of raising funds for the local organization. Refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. W. J. LaBree, chairman, Mrs. P. W. Mabey and Mrs. Geo. Curran. The West side solicitations were in charge of Mrs. Scott Laird, while Mrs. C. R. Crandall had charge of the East side.

Entertains.

Mrs. Albert Johnson entertained a number of ladies at her home, Burr Oaks farm, Saturday afternoon in compliment to her daughter, Mrs. Ross V. Noper, of Goodhope, Ill., who is her guest. The hours were spent *in a social manner. During the af*ternoon a two course luncheon was served, places being arranged for twelve. The favors and place cards were suggestive of Hallowe'en.

Entertains.

At the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., Charles Prichard informally entertained a small company of young people Tuesday evening. The guests included Miss Velma Webster, Miss Ruth Soule, Miss Aldora Berg, Mrs. Ross V. Noper, Mrs. Albert Johnson, Roy Brown, Roy Miller, Guy and Perry Johnson and Ed. Brevig.

U. C. T. Dance.

One of the outstanding events on the year's social calendar will be the dance given tomorrow evening by the United Commercial Travelers at the auditorium. The popularity of these dances is attested by the large attendance at former similar events. Some unusual Hallowe'en features will be part of the evening's program.

Woman's Club to Meet.

The Woman's club will meet Monday afternoon, Oct. 31, in the Commercial club rooms. The program will be as follows: Vocal duet, Mrs. C. A. Nason and Mrs. A. Bottelson; Current Events, Leader, Mrs. Jung; National Galleries, Leader, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, assisted by Mrs. R. M. Sheldon and Mrs. Beatrice Hieber.

Methodist Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will meet in the church basement on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 2, from 3 to 7 o'clock, entertained by Mesdames Fred Gobler, V. C. Noper, W. W. Prichard, Jr., and W. H. Wikel. A cafteria lunch will be served and all made welcome.

Mosbeck-Sorenson.

David Mosbeck and Miss Synneva Sorenson, both of Rosewood, were married in this city Monday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran parsonage by Rev. George Larson, pastor of the church. The witnesses to the ceremony were Perry Hanson and Agnes Mosbeck. Mr. and Mrs. Mosbeck will reside at Crookston.

Entertains For Mrs. Noper.

In compliment to Mrs. Ross V. Noper, Mrs. F. E. Hunt entertained a number of ladies at her farm home on Friday afternoon.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will hold its regular meeting at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, Oct. 31. Hallowe'en features will predominate and an unusually good time is anticipated. All members are urged to be present.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet this afternoon in the church basement. The hostesses will be Mrs. E. K. Aasen, Mrs. O. C. Evenson, Mrs. Gaston Ward and Mrs. Andrew Burringrud.

For Mrs. Noper.

In compliment to Mrs. Ross V. Noper of Goodhope, Ill., Mrs. George Nicholson entertained a small company of friends at dinner at her home Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for eight guests.

Surprise Party.

A number of ladies surprised Mrs. Gilseth at her home on Tuesday afternoon. As a token of their friendship and esteem, Mrs. Gilseth was presented with a purse of money.

School Entertainment.

A program and shadow social will be given at the Washington school house in District No. 221 on Friday evening, Oct. 28, beginning at 8 p. m. A general invitation to the public is extended.

Ladies' Auxiliary.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion will meet on Nov. 2 at the home of Miss Gladys Anderson, 804 Horace avenue north.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mrs. T. L. Melgaard entertained a company of friends at dinner at her home Friday evening.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid Thursday afternoon, Oct. 27. Choir practice Thursday evening at 7:15 at the church. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services in English Sunday 11 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45. Special Reformation program by the Luther League Sunday evening at 7:45. Following is the program: Hymn, audience. Scripture reading and prayer, pastor. Hymn, audience. Vocal solo, Miss Dora Holmes. "The Life of Luther," Miss Agnes Stavig. Pipe organ solo, H. O. Chommie. Song, choir. Reformation address, Theo. Quale. Vocal solo, Mrs. O. F. Mellby. Offertory. Closing hymn. Benediction.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Services at Norden 2 p. m. Services 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. Choir practice Friday evening at 8. Confirmants Saturday at 2 p. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid auction sale at Rindal church Saturday at 7 p. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. Benhard Ranum on Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 1. Goodridge Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 2. Zion Ladies' Aid meets on Thursday, Nov. 3. Mrs. Ole Finberg will entertain. Zion Young People's meeting Thursday evening, Nov. 3. Dina Evenson and Mrs. Martin Stageberg entertain.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Oct. 30, 9:45 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship. The morning theme, "Law Enforcement," will be appropriate for the day, "The Wold's Temperance Sunday." 8 p. m., evening worship. The evening theme will be taken from Lu. 1:15-45. "A Personal Impression of Jesus Christ." The young people's choir provides attractive and popular special numbers for each service. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. "How Can We Apply the Golden Rule Today?" Matt. 7:12.

Christian Science—Services held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the city auditorium. Subject Oct. 30, "Everlasting Punishment." Sunday School at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. This room is also open for a reading room on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire church: Services at Black River at 11 a. m. and at St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. Come and bring your friends.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—English services and Sunday school at Thorhult at 10 a. m. German and English services and Sunday school at Esplee at 3 p. m. English services at Grygla at 8 p. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church—English services Sunday morning 10:30. Sermon topic: "Martin Luther, the Angel of Rev. 14, 6:7." Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

The First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Services in American at 7:45 p. m.

Bazaar and Auction Sale.

The ladies of Bethlehem congregation will hold an auction sale Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Sam Groven school house. Sale starts at 11 a. m. Refreshments will be served and everybody made welcome.

Next Meeting in Thief River.

Rev. T. E. Sweger returned last week from Baudette, where he attended the quarterly meeting of the Thief River Falls circuit of the Lutheran church. It was a well-attended session, pastors from nearly all of the churches in the circuit being present. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Rev. Olson, Greenbush, president; Rev. Sweger, Thief River Falls, vice president; Rev. Ursin, Spooner, secretary-treasurer. The next meeting of the circuit will be held in Thief River Falls in March.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our sincere thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our wife and mother, and particularly for the many beautiful floral offerings at the funeral.—N. B. Swanson and Family. o-27-p

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. Ben Christianson and sister, Miss Carrie Urness, left yesterday afternoon for Wallace, S. D., for a visit.

MANY WOMEN ARE BANK OFFICERS

Promotion in Northwestern banks isn't a matter of sex but of training; the kind oftenest secured at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. This school has kept track of at least 40 women graduates who have become bank executives. The latest is Miss Eleanora Veden, asst. cashier of the Farmers State Bank of Deer Creek.

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A Sale of High Grade Garments

Do not come here to find a sale of cheap goods bought for sale purposes, but come here prepared to find our entire stock of High Grade Wearables for Women and Children at away below regular prices. Every garment marked down and you'll delight with the bargains as you well know when Sapero's give a sale they give you bona fide bargains of high grade merchandise. Come! You'll not be disappointed. If you have been putting off buying that dress, suit or coat, here is your opportunity!

NEW FALL APPAREL $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ OFF

We prepared for a big fall business, but we didn't get it—the unseasonable weather and crop conditions are responsible—so to meet this emergency we have determind to adopt emergency tactics—in a word, we are offering values at the beginning of the season that would be sensational next January. We have startled the public on a great many occasions; we have launched sales that have been the talk of the city, but this event tops them all.

PURE SILK JERSEY BLOOMERS
in all shades, a $4.50 value, on sale
$2.95

BEADS AND NECKLACES
Values to $3.50, on sale at
95c

Sale of "MUNSINGWEAR" for Women and Children
This gives you a good opportunity to stock up for the winter.
Children's Unions
98c
Women's Unions
$1.39

All Underwear in our store goes at
15%
Discount.

Sateen Bloomers
all colors and sizes
89c

"Everwear" Pure Silk HOSE
Black and brown, pair
95c

Newport Pure Silk HOSE
$2.00 values
$1.45

GINGHAM APRONS
$1.50 values, dainty styles, on sale
$1.19

Women's Fall SUITS

A finer collection could not be found anywhere—Suits with big fur collars, others trimmed in fur, and untrimmed suits that could be worn in the spring—Tricotine, Velour, Valdyne—trimmed in Mole, Beaver and Australian Opposum, all go at the one price of

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Every dress in our stock goes. You'll find dresses for every size and price. All reduced from 20 to 50 per cent.

EXTRA SPECIAL—A Special Group Will Be Sold at

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Values to $29.50

Beautiful Plaid Skirts
of All Wool Plaids
One lot of 15 Skirts at
$5.00
One lot of 20 Prunella and Velour Plaids at
$9.75
All Other Plaid Skirts Reduced 20 Per Cent.

WOMEN'S CLOTH COATS

Your choice of any Cloth Coat in our stock at
20 Per Cent Off
Think of it! One-fifth off regular prices!

EXTRA SPECIAL
One lot of coats, values to $27.50, at only
$16.95

SALE OF CHAPPY COATS

Come here and choose from the finest stock of Chappy Coats this side of the cities, in the newest styles and materials, every fur trimming, Chamois lined and heather lined sleeves.

Suede like shell, Chamois lined, Wombat collar and cuffs, in all sizes. Special at only

$28.75

Yes, there are cheaper Chappies, but compare the quality. Others at
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Clever Blouses and Waists

Every Waist in our big stock goes at one-fourth, one-third and one-half off. Each waist bears a sale price ticket.

EXTRA SPECIAL
One lot of Georgette Crepe Waists, values to $5.00, on sale at
$1.95

SALE OF FUR COATS

One Chinese Marmot Coat, 36 inches long, a regular $185.00 value, for
$98.50

One Chinese Marmoth Coat, with big Raccoon collar and cuffs, 40 inches long, regular $175.00 coat. This sale
$129.50

One choice Wombat Coat 36 inches long, a regular $135.00 value. This sale
$98.50

One Raccoon Coat, 40 inches long, big sweep, good quality, regular price $310.00. This sale only
$259.50

One Muskrat Coat, 40 inches long, finest quality, Raccoon collar and cuffs, regular $275.00 value. This sale only
$219.50

One Albrecht Special Selected Hudson Seal, 40 inches long, beautiful collar and cuffs of Martin. Regular $500.00 value. This sale only
$419.50

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Every wanted shade and material; every dress new. Canton crepe, crepe, black satins, crepe de chine; sizes for all, 16 to 44, and then we have stout sizes for the larger women. All go at greatly reduced prices.

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$29.50
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While They Last!
Sale of DRESSES, WINTER COATS and SKIRTS
Odd lots, involving over 50 garments, values just like we gave during the September Market Day. All day during first day of our sale. You better come early as they will be gone before the day is over. First come, first served. My, what a scramble!

Jack Tar and Bonnie Brig Flannel MIDDIES
All styles and sizes, on sale at
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Sale of Women's Pure WOOL SWEATERS
All day Saturday. Many more added to those we had Market Day
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Sale of FUR SCARFS and MUFFS
Choice of over fifty pieces of "Albrecht" Furs will all go at
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$13.75
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Muff and Scarf of Manchurian Fox, in black, brown and natural, as well as other pieces, such as Raccoon, Oppossum, etc.

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THE SURER CROP.

Again it has been most thoroughly demonstrated that the growing of wheat as the principal product of this northwestern section of Minnesota is a mistake. Not only did the yield of the past season prove decidedly unsatisfactory, but the price has been driven down to a point where it would not have paid the farmer to produce the cereal even if he had raised a bumper crop. Wheat production as the main aim of our farmers will have to be abandoned and the sooner this fact is recognized the better for the farmer, the section and the country.

Five years out of every six corn has proven a better paying crop than wheat for the Pennington county farmer who employed modern methods and safeguards in its production. Native seed, careful germination tests and the proper preparation of the soil have shown him that corn of the best quality can be ripened here and that the prospects of his securing a crop are much better than is the case with wheat. Yields of 65 to 70 bushels of fully matured corn are common this year, and while this is not remarkable when compared with results in sections farther to the south, yet it provides a surer and greater return than will wheat at any price liable to prevail under normal conditions.

Rye, corn, potatoes and sugar beets are rapidly replacing wheat as leaders in northwestern Minnesota and the quicker the change takes place over the entire region the better it will be for everybody. Nothing can stop the forward movement of dairying as a main pursuit on the part of our farmers and this greater diversification of field products will fall right in line with this development. The producer who early realizes this fact will soon have his farming operations on a business basis.

THE MISSISSIPPI SCENIC.

This is not a particularly favorable time for asking people to contribute money toward anything not absolutely needed, but more and better highways come under the head of such necessities. That is the reason why the business men of Thief River Falls jumped at the chance of having the Mississippi River Scenic highway routed through this city. The returns on this investment may not be immediate, but experience has proven that they are certain.

There is perhaps no way in which the value of the Jefferson Highway to the city of Thief River Falls can be computed. All anyone knows is that thousands of people have traveled through the city over the route and that very few of these tourists have failed to leave something in the way of substantial evidence of the fact that they had been here. As the last night control on the Jefferson on the way to Winnipeg the city has benefited much more than the towns through which the road merely passes, although these also have secured a large increase in business from a highly desirable class of trade.

That the Mississippi Scenic highway will prove as popular as has the Jefferson is certain. It covers an entirely different section of country for the greater part of its length and taps a region immediately to the south of us which should be Thief River Falls trading territory. There are those who doubt the value of these organized highways and trails, but the fact remains that they are business producers for all the towns along their course, small as well as large.

Thief River Falls is fortunate in being selected as one of the principal points on the route to Winnipeg and it will take only one summer season to demonstrate the fact.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.

Giving grain to save the lives of famine sufferers in foreign lands is the most effective advertising work ever done to build up new markets for American farm products, according to N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture.

Gifts of grain shipped by farmers of Minnesota and nine other midwest states this summer have resulted in the purchase of 17,800,000 pounds of corn products by the Polish government. All these products were milled from corn grown on American farms. Poland made the purchase soon after the first gift corn from the United States reached the Polish famine sufferers and the government found that it made excellent food. A report by the American Farm Bureau federation, showing that Poland bought 8,900 tons of corn products, nearly three times the amount of Minnesota gifts, as a direct result of the farmers' grain relief campaign, has been received by the Near East Relief committee in Minnesota. It is being sent out to elevators and farm organizations in the 68 counties in which farmers have been asked to make small gifts of grain to fight another famine, this time in southern Russia and Armenia.

Gifts may be turned over to practically any country elevator. Almost without exception, country elevators are giving their services free in receiving and shipping the grain.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

Thief River merchants are beseeching "Dr." Kirby not to leave. They have been afflicted with overweight of the bankroll ever since Doc arrived, and they don't want to be cured.

Aesop put over his fable in grand style several hundred years ago, but he would have trouble putting it over on some Baudette wives.

The primary election in Minnesota is months away, but the politicians are already tossing the cow's husband hither and yon.

Perhaps we are due for an open winter, but it won't be in Baudette if the prohibition agents make many more raids.

It's a tough job trying to manufacture editorials with the ducks calling.

We saw a blindpigger driving a dark brown car the other day. His taste resembles that of his customers the morning after.

This is great weather to take your germs out for an airing.

Many thanks to the Indians for this second helping of Indian summer.

Now it is said that jazz music is to be eliminated. They must have discovered something worse.

Opinions of Other Editors

AND THEN QUIT KICKING.

Minneota Mascot: Young man and young woman, if you think that these are hard times, talk to your father or your mother, or your grandpa and your grandma about the time when they came out here and settled on these then barren prairies, and let them tell you what they went through. Let them tell of the things that they went without, and the time that they had in getting the things they actually needed—and, say, kid, if you do that you will find that you know about as much about hard times as a hog does about heaven!

PEAT AS AN ASSET.

Bemidji Pioneer: While it has been generally known for some time that there was a possibility of some day realizing a fortune out of the peat beds of Beltrami county and neighboring counties in Northern Minnesota, it was considered a remote possibility. The possibility has become a very real probability of the near future. The presence of such large quantities of peat near the huge volume of iron ore which is also contained in Northern Minnesota, makes the possibility of commercializing the peat beds still more interesting. Peat for fuel, in blast furnaces, may be a possibility of the near future. The demonstration held at Corona last week to determine the possible value of peat and the methods best suitable to utilize the peat in the vast peat beds will have a direct bearing upon the exploiting of the peat industry. It is known that a considerable quantity of peat lands has been purchased in this county by parties intending to develop them in the future. If the peat can be developed into fuel economically, the peat lands of the country may yet prove to be a very valuable asset.

WHY MENTION STATESMEN?

Sleepy Eye Herald-Dispatch: A Vermont editor declares that a good many statesmen would rather be tight than be president.

TOO MUCH LICENSING.

Browns Valley Tribune: This is the day and generation of regulation under the law. The man who attempts to do anything now-a-days, in a business way, must first arm himself with a pocket full of licenses. A good story is told of a gentleman who recently visited the state capitol. One of the guides who met the stranger at the door, asked what department he desired to visit first. He replied: "Don't make much difference which one I go to first, for I've got to get a license from each one of them." The matter of regulating and licensing under the law has grown to such an extent that a great many are beginning to wonder if we are not carrying this thing to a ridiculous extreme.

WATCH HENRY'S STAR.

Princeton Union: Henry Ford is doing more, we believe, than any other man in the country to better the employment situation. A report now comes from Iron Mountain, Mich., which appears to be authentic, that Mr. Ford intends constructing an electric railway from there to Stephenson, 36 miles distant, for the transportation of farm and dairy products to the first-named place, where he will shortly have hundreds of men employed getting out ore for his Detroit factory.

Martin County Sentinel: Watch Henry Ford's star. He is in the hearts of more people today than any other American. Will he ever be president? Ask us something easy.

CORRECT YOU ARE.

Martin County Sentinel: Even the Minneapolis Journal has soured on the Fordney tariff bill. If newspapers all had the courage of their convictions the Fordney bantling would not have a supporter among the press of Minnesota, and Minnesota congressmen in the lower house would be apologizing for having voted for it.

EVENTUALLY—WHY NOT NOW?

Faribault News: Increasing pressure is being brought to bear upon congress in behalf of the Great Lakes-Tidewater waterway, which is so greatly needed for the proper development of Minnesota and other Mississippi Valley states. As Charles P. Craig said at St. Paul the other day, the waterway will be open for ocean-going vessels in 25 years—conditions will force it—why not start now and have it ready in five years? It can be done and should be done without further delay. Only the self-interest of New York and possibly a few other Atlantic seaports stands in the way.

THE SPEED LIMIT SHOULD WORK BOTH WAYS.

Little Falls Transcript: The authorities are endeavoring to hold motorists on the paved highway down to at least 30 miles an hour. This is believed to be a safe and sane gait. The pavement, especially on nice afternoons and evenings, is crowded with cars and it is almost impossible to pass a car ahead owing to the great number of automobiles going in the opposite direction. Why shouldn't traffic rules of the cities be applied in the country and force those using the pavement to drive at least 25 miles per hour. Motorists who wish to make fair time are often held behind a long procession because some driver ahead wishes to saunter along at 12 to 15 miles per hour.

Dr. Spofford
OPTOMETRIST

Will be at Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Thursday, Nov. 3, from 1 p. m. to 8 p. m.

A TALK WITH A THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN

Mr. R. J. Halvorsen, Printer, of 410 Riverside Ave., Tells His Experience.

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We, therefore, give here an interview with a Thief River Falls man:

"My kidneys gave me quite a bit of trouble," says Mr. Halvorsen. "They didn't act normally and bothered me quite a bit by this irregularity. I was feeling pretty mean and easily tired. I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and it was only a short time before I noticed a change in my condition. My kidneys again acted normally and I was benefited a great deal."

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Chain Store Gains 25 Per Cent;

Mail Order Houses Lose 37 Per Cent.

J. C. Penney Company, the operators of a country-wide system of chain stores, did 25 per cent more business during the first seven months of this year than during the corresponding months of 1920, while Sears, Roebuck & Co. and Montgomery Ward & Co., the two leading mail order houses of the country, suffered a loss of 37 per cent in the same period, according to figures obtained by the Daily Garment News.

E. C. Sams, president of the J. C. Penney Company, when asked why it was that in that period of depression the Penney stores had increased their sales so tremendously while the business of the catalog house had so greatly fallen off, ascribed the fact in part to the poor business conditions.

"When business is flush," he said, "people are not so particular where they buy and do little shopping around. When business is bad they are anxious to find out where they can obtain what they want at the lowest price. Because we have pursued policies which permit us to sell at rockbottom prices J. C. Penney Company has prospered through the depression.

The chief points in the policies of the Penney stores that brought this about he said were:

1. That the Penney stores on January 1st took a $3,000,000 loss on their inventory to make it possible to base selling prices on replacement values.

2. That the Penney stores have devoted an increasing amount of money to arouse interest by the public in the values offered them.

3. That the executives of each of the Penney stores is interested in the business and for that reason have the same personal interest in their stores which the man who owns a single store possesses. This, Mr. Sams points out, is an element which is entirely lacking in the big mail order concerns.

4. The Penney stores sell for cash only.

5. The Penney stores do not deliver any merchandise to their customers.

6. The Penney stores derive all the benefits that are obtained through large scale buying.

Mr. Sams declared that the man owning a single store should be able to benefit in the same way, whenever he is able to put the same principles into practice. He doubted very much whether this was entirely possible but in any case that is possible such principles should have the same results.

For the small man to put his business on a cash-and-carry basis might often be difficult, he said, but if that were done the benefits to be derived through the resultant reductions in prices should be great.

The element of personal interest is not an exclusive feature but is one that is shared by any man who operates his own store.

Mr. Sams doubted whether the small merchant has been able to write off his losses on his inventory with the ease that a large concern like his has been able to do, but where it can be done, he said, sales simply must be increased.

Advertising is a medium which the one-man store can use as well as the largest chain store operator in the country.

And although Mr. Sams did not comment on this particular point, it has been said time and again by experts in the retail field that the one man store can share in many of the benefits of collective buying with the chain stores through being represented in the New York market by a competent resident buyer.

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City News

C. Vinje left Monday afternoon for Fargo on a business trip.

Don't forget Hallowe'en is Oct. 31. Oh, yes, a dance. o-20

John Overson of Oslo was a business visitor here on Thursday.

C. T. Christianson of Duluth spent Sunday visiting his family here.

Rev. Clinton Cook left Monday for East Grand Forks on a clerical call.

Miss Hilda Jorgenson of Grygla visited with friends here over Sunday.

Mrs. Nels Larson left Friday afternoon for Crookston on a brief visit.

J. C. Penney Co. have just received a shipment of new Brouge Oxfords at $4.98. o27

Miss Betty Johnson of Holt was a guest of friends here between trains on Tuesday.

J. M. Bishop spent Saturday attending to business interests at Strathcona.

Miss Cecelia Peterson of Roseau arrived Monday for a few days' visit with friends.

Miss Phyllis Dock left Thursday for Crookston to visit over Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson of Grygla were in the city yesterday visiting friends.

Stanton Dahlen and Reuben Hadrath spent Saturday at Grand Forks visiting friends.

S. Hofto of Okiee was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nelson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson of Wingar were visitors at the S. Brandon home on Sunday.

Ira C. Richardson spent a few days last week on a business trip in the vicinity of Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Kaiser of Karlstad were over Sunday guests of Miss Eleanor Harms.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dann of Baudette visited here a couple of days the latter part of last week.

B. O. Norby, superintendent of the Goodridge school, spent Sunday visiting with friends here.

Chas. Habedank of Germantown was in the city on Saturday attending to business matters.

Oscar Evenson left Monday night via the Soo for Larimore and Fargo on a few days' business trip.

Miss Eleanor Weratlein spent the week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. Peter Neth, at Grand Forks.

Tanlac is made of roots, herbs and barks and contains no minerals or opiates. Lambert's drug store. o27

On Monday, Oct. 24, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Axel Risberg, 230 Markley avenue north.

D. L. Hanson of Middle River returned to his home on Tuesday after spending a day here on business.

Misses Ida and Amanda Englund of Grygla visited with friends here Tuesday enroute to Grand Forks.

J. C. Penney Co. have just received a new shipment of charmeuse satin, all colors, 40 inches wide, at $1.98. o27

Mrs. R. Soley returned to her home at Warroad Saturday after a visit at the home of her friend, Mrs. Hannah Prestebak.

Miss Lottie Austin left Thursday for Fosston to spend several days visiting her mother.

Miss Pearl Warring, who attends the local high school, spent the week-end at her home at Steiner.

G. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, was a business caller at Greenbush on Monday.

Miss Meta Koepp, who attends the local high school, spent the week-end at Middle River with her parents.

The only explanation of Tanlac's great success is Tanlac's true worth. Lambert's drug store. o-20

Mrs. Roy Thuse and two children left Monday morning for Gatzke to spend a few days with her parents.

J. C. Penney Co. just received a new shipment of Nashua Wool Nap Blankets, 72x84, at $3.69. o27

Miss Ingaborg Dale, who is teaching near here, visited over Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rustad returned to their home at Holt on Thursday morning after a brief visit here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson and F. H. Herrick were business callers at Goodridge the latter part of last week.

Dr. A. W. Swedenburg arrived the latter part of last week from Sioux Falls, S. D., owing to the illness of his little son.

Mrs. George Leimers and son returned Saturday from Middle River, where they had spent a few days visiting relatives.

Mrs. H. Peterson and two children, who had visited relatives here for a few days, returned to their home at Holt on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Conner left last week for Forest City, Iowa, where they were called by the death of Mr. Conner's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wagner of Middle River were here Saturday as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Knute Swanson.

Hallowe'en is a big night at the auditorium for everybody. o-20

Jordan Penney, Alvin Holzknecht, Rolf Rasmuson and Kenneth Wattam motored to Grand Forks on Saturday to visit friends.

Miss Phyllis Dock returned Monday evening from Crookston, where she had visited friends since the previous Thursday.

Children's heavy fleeced union suits, size 6 to 16, 98c.—J. C. Penney Company. o27

Miss Aldora Berg returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where she had visited friends over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Gronna of Lakota, N. D., was an over Sunday guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ostby.

Miss Amanda Vraa arrived here Saturday morning from Fargo, where she is employed, to spend a short time visiting her parents.

Miss Laura Hanson of Washington, D. C., is spending a few days visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hanson.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and children, who had spent a few days visiting her parents at Fisher, returned to this city Tuesday morning.

Miss Eleanor Anderson returned to Warroad Saturday morning after a brief visit with friends here. Miss Anderson is teaching at Warroad.

Berry's Studio is now open Sundays. As the holiday season is drawing near it will be well to start your Christmas photographs early. O-27

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Rud left last Thursday afternoon for Fargo for a visit with the former's parents before going to Minneapolis, where they will reside.

Mrs. Lillian Moran and son, Clifford, who had spent some time here receiving medical treatment for the latter, returned on Monday to their home at Grygla.

81x90 Seamless good quality bed sheets at $1.39.—J. C. Penney Company. o27

Mrs. A. S. Sapero and Mrs. A. Shedlov returned the first of the week from the Twin Cities, where they had spent two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher and two sons, Frederick and Gerald, returned the first of the week from Grand Forks, where they had spent a week visiting Mrs. Fisher's parents.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud visited over Sunday at the home of his parents in Gary, Norman county. He returned Monday morning, making the trip before breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg motored over from Goodridge Saturday evening and were over Sunday visitors at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Julia Tandberg.

The women are making great plans for the dance to be given by the Auxiliary on Armistice Day. o27tf

Misses A. Gagnon, Olive and Adelaide Lafond, Fred Crummy and John Wagner, all of Argyle, were in the city Sunday as the guests of Miss Martine Cloutier.

Miss Sophie York returned to her home at Crookston on Saturday after a brief visit with Miss Marie Thill. Miss Thill accompanied her home and remained over Sunday.

Miss Alice Langseth arrived Monday from Warren to spend a few days as the guest of her sister, Miss Edith Langseth, a nurse at the Oakland Park sanatorium.

Mrs. S. Trandon and Mrs. August Trandon and little son returned to their homes at Erskine Friday morning after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Olson, former residents of this city, arrived Saturday from Poplar, Mont., where they have resided since their departure, and will spend the winter here.

Miss Evangeline Burns and Miss Lois Wold, who had attended the teachers' convention at Crookston on Thursday and Friday and visited Mrs. Cora Wold and Marguerite Burns at Grand Forks on Saturday and Sunday, returned to this city on Monday.

Don't forget the dance to be given by the Auxiliary at the auditorium Armistice Day, Nov. 11. o27tf

Edna Miller left Thursday afternoon for Crookston to spend some time visiting her grandparents.

Misses Clara and Vivian Olson and brother Marcus went to Grand Forks the latter part of last week to visit relatives.

People who have been helped by Tanlac are always anxious and willing to tell others about it. Lambert's drug store. o27

Miss Marie Winson, who is employed here, left Saturday for Gatzke to spend an indefinite time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Vinson.

Mrs. W. A. Pulman of St. Marie, Idaho, arrived Friday evening for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Walker. She will leave this week for points in eastern Canada.

Mrs. G. Thoreson and daughter, Miss Hilma, left Friday morning for Roseau to spend several days visiting at the home of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morgan, all of Cedar Falls, Iowa, were visitors at the Charles Schnabel farm home west of the city for a short time last week.

Carl Melby, Miss Caroline Melby and Mrs. Knute Melby motored to Warroad on Friday. Miss Melby remained for an indefinite visit while Mr. Melby and sister-in-law returned Monday.

Mrs. Fred Leimers and two children returned to their home at Middle River Monday morning after having spent a couple of days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Leimers.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Larson motored to Crookston on Friday for a visit with friends. Returning they were accompanied by their daughter, Miss Edna Larson, who had attended the teachers' convention.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson and children, who had spent five weeks visiting at the homes of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Rupprecht, of this city, and brother, H. Simonson, at Goodridge, returned yesterday to their home at Spokane, Wash.

Armistice Day dance at auditorium Nov. 11. o27tf

Mrs. A. Youngberg, who had been in this city since Aug. 1 receiving medical treatment, returned on Tuesday to her home at Rainy River, Ont. While here she visited at the home of Mrs. Stenberg.

A. H. Dorn, representative of the Swift Packing company in this section with headquarters in this city, was called to Nicollet, this state, on Monday evening by the sad news that his mother had died at the family home in that town.

Dr. and Mrs. G. I. Badeaux of Brainerd, accompanied by Mrs. Badeaux's mother, Mrs. T. C. Bratrud, arrived here Saturday evening and visited until Tuesday at the home of Mayor and Mrs. John Bratrud.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Shedlov and daughter, Shirley, returned Monday morning from Minneapolis, where Mrs. Shedlov and daughter had visited relatives while Dr. Shedlov attended the Soo surgical convention at Chicago.

Andrew Trovaton arrived Saturday from Scobey, Mont., where he had spent the summer. He will visit here for a few days before continuing to Wisconsin to spend the winter. Mr. Trovaton is a well remembered former resident of Thief River Falls.

All are invited to attend the big dance at the auditorium Nov. 11. 27tf

H. Hadrath left yesterday morning for Roseau on a business trip.

Miss Ruth Soule, who had attended the teachers' convention at Crookston and visited at her home at Grand Forks on Saturday and Sunday, returned Monday morning to resume her work.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Kongelf had as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Olson and family, Mrs. Christine Olson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dicken, Oscar Olson, O. Norby, Kathleen and Jeanette Jenson and Anna Mithun, all of Grand Forks, and Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hovde of Hillsboro, N. D.

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Basket social in Dist. No. 41, Kratka, on Nov. 5. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rasmussen, and Henry Mellby of Grand Forks motored to this city Sunday afternoon and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns. They were accompanied by Misses Evangeline Burns and Lois Wold, who had spent Saturday and Sunday visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Cora Wold, at Grand Forks.

You can't have good health with a disordered stomach. Correct your stomach disorders with Tanlac and you will keep well and strong. Lambert's drug store. o27

County Auditor T. P. Anderson was at Warren on Tuesday as the Pennington county representative on the board having the awarding of contracts in connection with the construction of the large ditch through a part of Silverton and all of North townships. Another trip to the Marshall county seat will be necessary when the costs of the improvement are assessed.

Oscar C. Smith, commander of the Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion, received a message the first of the week from Stafford King, state adjutant, requesting him to act as alternate in place of official delegate Rodwell of Mahnomen, to the national convention of the American Legion at Kansas City for four days *beginning Oct. 31. Mr. Smith leaves* for Kansas City tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellam of Grand Forks, accompanied by Mrs. Lucy Ures and daughter, Kathleen, and Miss Marguerite Burns, motored over on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Kellam are former residents of this city, Mr. Kellam having conducted a barber shop here about four years ago. While here they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite. Mrs. Ures and Miss Kathleen visited at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Wm. Warner, while Miss Burns spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich returned on Sunday from Minneapolis, where she attended a state convention of the League of Women Voters, and reports a very enthusiastic meeting. Mrs. Froehlich, chairman of this district, and Mrs. E. M. Stanton, county chairman, spent Tuesday at St. Hilaire making preliminary arrangements for the organization of a league. Several other places throughout the northern part of the state will be visited by Mrs. Froehlich. Mrs. Albee Ladd of Minneapolis, state organizer, will spend the first ten days of November in the Ninth district organizing in the places where there are prospective leagues. Mrs. Ladd is well known to many of the older residents, having at one time resided here. Her visit is being looked forward to by many local women.

Pie social at Wiener school, Dist. No. 4, on Oct. 29. Everybody welcome. o27p

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New Jell, four for	28c	Hamburger, per lb.	15c
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Warner's Pink Corsets, each	98c
Double Mesh Hair Nets, each	10c
Laces, all kinds, at per yard only	5c
Bone Hair Pins, per package	10c
Needles, all sizes, per paper	5c
Belting, black or white, at per yard	5c
Common Pins, two packages for	5c

Large heavy bath towels, a wonder value at each	39c	Coats' 150 yard spool Cotton Thread, 6 spools for	25c
Blankets, big ones, here only each	$2.25	Women's good heather mixture wool hose, pair	79c
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Eh-He!

Some pupils figure they have the best reasons in the world for being a few minutes late. Is not the grandest and most glorious operation that Thief River Falls ever has seen or will see going on but a few blocks from the school house? Sure, it's the paving! Can you blame a student, who is accustomed to come to school witnessing cars and miscellaneous objects propelling themselves slowly through the muddy streets, for stopping to gaze in amazement at the marvelous change going on? Soon our streets will be paved, and then won't we skip along light-heartedly to school? We'll be going to the finest little old high school in the finest little old town in the world! *Ain't it a grand and glorious feeling?*—O. H. '23.

Government Regulation of Fuel Prices.

One of the criticisms against the question for debate this year is that the issue—government regulation of fuel prices—is not a live one. That may be true—little has been said, either by the magazines or by authorities, but that shall not be a hindering factor against a successful year in debate. We will MAKE it a live issue; discuss it, argue it, in school, at debate club meetings, and finally, in the interscholastic contests. In the hands of our ductile philosophers the fuel industry will become the chief source of interest to all humanity; civilization itself will be in the balance; and we will make of the great captains of industry who are responsible for it all—the coal barons and oil magnates—philanthropic benefactors of humanity or incarnate fiends, public spirited human beings or pillagers of the destitute poor—as our position requires. Our national government will also come in for its share of noble praise and wholesale condemnation. But this does not mean that we will jeopardize the stability of our democratic self-government, nor that we are fostering revolution. It shall not be mere hypocricy, either, but only the straight representation or misrepresentation of facts, on both sides of the issue. For every issue has two sides—a right side and a wrong side—and it is chiefly for this reason that debating is fostered, that we may be better able to distinguish between arguments for right and wrong. We must learn to see through and discard unsound arguments, and make others see that ours are sound, in order to be successful debaters.

But it will help us a great deal if we have the public interest. Will you, dear school-mates, help us in our campaign? It is really to your interest and the interest of the school that we place Thief River Falls on the map as the storm center of forensics this year, so emphasize DEBATE. Talk it at home, at your social gatherings, and at school, and finally, let people know that they may have the privilege of hearing some real debating one of these days, if any of the debates are held at home.—O. H. '23.

Why Athletics?

While selling tickets for the last football game, some of the boys ran up against some "stiff" opposition from local business men. Their main argument was that students now days are spending too much time on athletics and paying too little attention to studies. Although this might sound like an argument, they had no facts to back this statement. Their second point was that years ago students did not "waste their time" playing football and basketball.

In answer to their arguments we would like to ask a few questions:

1. If a few years ago there were no athletics in the schools, why has this "waste of time" increased so much in the last few years?
2. Why do all the big universities throughout the country back up sports so strongly?
3. What made the American soldier so "fit" and "full of pep" with so little training?

In answer to their first argument we would say that if athletics are not a factor which aided the students in some way, it would soon be dropped. There is no college or university of any size in this country that does not have athletics of some form. These different sports built up the American men so that they could "pull together" with hardly any training.

In our school, athletics is not primary but secondary. The studies come first every single time! No student can participate in athletics until he has met certain scholastic requirements as well as other requirements. These requirements are printed in this week's issue of The Progress. They ought to be read by everyone. It will be seen that athletics are an aid to good work both in and out of school, rather than a hindrance.

Their second question is easily answered. Years ago we did not have many things that we have today, and as the world is constantly changing it is foolish to compare present days with the past. Anything that is good for the public is bound to grow and this is the reason for the rapid growth of athletics.

In ending this little discussion we are glad to say that most of the local people are behind our school in any contests we have with other schools. We hope that those who "buck" these contests will think over both sides of this question before "jumping to one side and anchoring there." Our athletic teams help to keep Lincoln high on the map.—A Senior.

Eligibility Rules For Athletics

(From the Rules and Regulations of the Minnesota State High School Athletic Association.)

Section 3—To be eligible to play in any contest in the association, a student must conform to the following conditions:

(a) He must have been enrolled in the high school not less than two weeks before the contest or from the beginning of school.

(b) He shall be making grade in at least four subjects for which he is enrolled. If a grade student, he shall be up to grade in the regular amount of work.

(c) He shall not participate in any interscholastic contest in such branch of athletics for more than four years in high school.

(d) He shall not have been, at any time, a member of a team representing a school higher than a *secondary school.*

(e) He shall not be a graduate of a four year high school or of any secondary school.

(f) After his first semester in high school he shall have made at least three half-year credits in his preceding semester's attendance. The same principle shall apply to all other students certified as eligible to play.

(g) He shall not use tobacco nor intoxicating liquors during any part of the school year.

(h) He shall not play on any similar team during the school season.

(i) He shall be under twenty-one years of age.

(j) He shall, before participating in any interscholastic athletic contest in any branch of athletics sign an official "information card" declaring himself familiar with the rules of the association, that he has not used tobacco since the opening of the school year, and that there is no rule which to the best of his knowledge he would violate if permitted to play. These cards, witnessed by the principal or superintendent, shall be sent to the chairman of the district committee, who shall send copies of the names of those having so signed to all the schools of the district.

Gets Offices.

At the meeting of the Northwestern Educational association held at Crookston the latter part of last week, Superintendent Simley was elected chairman of the District Athletic committee. Superintendents A. C. Pederson of Argyle and O. L. Troxel of Fosston are the other members of this committee.

In accordance with the custom of the association of electing a secretary from the place where the convention is to be held, Mr. Simley was also elected to this important position for the coming year, the association having instructed its executive committee to declare Thief River Falls the convention city for 1922.

The city schools will welcome the teachers of the Northwest to Thief River Falls next year. We are proud of our schools and know we can make a good showing and appeal to all who may come.

Press Association to Hold Convention.

The Minnesota high school press association which was organized last winter at the invitation of Carleton College will hold its annual meeting Nov. 4 and 5 at West high school in Minneapolis.

Invitations have been extended to all high schools who publish or desire to publish a paper or magazine to send delegates. These delegates will be entertained in the homes of the studnts of Miennapolis schools.

The executive committee has worked out an excellent program which will be both interesting and of practical value in publishing a snappy newspaper.

The first meeting will be held at 8 o'clock Friday evening. Saturday morning the election of officers will take place and talk on subjects pertaining to the makeup and publishing of school papers and magazines will be given. In the afternoon the Round Table discussion will be held. The latter part of the afternoon will be given over to trips through the large industrial centers of the city. In the evening the closing banquet will be given through the courtesy of the Minneapolis Journal to the delegates. At this time awards for the convention content will be presented by the Minneapolis Tribune, and the final speeches of the convention will be made.

It would be well if The Progress might have representation at this meeting. At the present time, however, the money with which to send a representative is not in sight.

Do Your Own Work!

Report cards were handed out last Wednesday. Were we satisfied with our marks? Yes, some of us were—but some were not. The latter asked themselves why they were not. In some cases they admitted that they hadn't tried to get their lessons, and of course they deserved no better marks.

Others said, "I handed in all my written work and certainly that would have kept my mark up. I guess I failed in my examination and come to think of it, I believe that counts one-third. Oh, well, she could have given me a better mark anyway."

Why did they fail in their examination if they kept up their written work? Probably because they copied somebody else's work. Is not letting the other fellow do your work the cause of many failures in this world? Yes, and it applies to some students right here in school. Day after day they copy their neighbor's work and then expect to pass in that subject. How can they? They have not studied any of their lessons, probably won't even remember what they copied. It hurts the "copier," not the "copied."

Don't expect passing grades if you don't do your own work.—A Student.

Famous Sayings.

Mr. Harner: "Now, now, I didn't mean that!"

Miss Stebbins: "Say it in Latin."

Mr. Rapacz: "Somebody else's."

Mrs. Korstad: "Don't you?"

Miss Heilman: "That's wrong, absolutely."

Miss Gormely: "Now do you see why?"

Miss Chamberlain: "Let's not have any more foolishness."

Jokes and Personals.

Johanna Wedul spent Sunday at her home at Rhoda.

Louise Besancon has been unable to attend school for about a week on account of illness.

Mildred Peterson spent the latter part of last week at her home near Silverton.

Reva Kimbrough spent the week-end at her home near Karlstad, returning Sunday.

Loretta Cousin visited with her sister at Regal, Minn., during Friday and Saturday of last week.

Thordis Svensgaard spent the week end at her home near Mavie.

Information wanted by Mr. Stenhoff:

Where is the rest of "Steve's" apple?

Why not ask Helen Langseth?

Miss Chamberlain: (in English III) "Select one from each row to put his outlines on the board."

Myrtle H.: "Russell Anderson."

Miss Chamberlain: "Let's not have any foolishness."

Found on English III paper: "The Normans gave England a sterilized government."

Stephen: "Say, Mr. Harner, in rust are the molecules red headed that make the rust red?"

Miss Gormely, giving out names of men to be studied: "I'll tell you where to find these men in a little while."

Miss Stavig: "What about religion in the colonies by 1800?"

Ella: "It was no longer connected with the church or the government."

"Big Fete in Hall Monday," or "Them's My Sentiments. Too."

Lorrayne C.: "This rush at noon is disgusting. I hardly dare to pick my feet off the floor for fear there won't be any room left for them when I come to put them down again."

Miss Chamberlain: "Whom would you rather have for a personal friend, Lucile, Chaucer or Spenser?"

Lucile: "Chaucer. He'd be more interesting and interested, I think. Er-er-I didn't mean quite that."

Miss Stavig: "How did the pioneers influence the United States of today, Eileen?"

Eileen: "Well, the pioneers were so simple that they laid a firm foundation for the nation of today."

Past and Present.

Miss Stavig: (In American History) "How was the transportation at this time, Forrest?"

Forrest: "The transportation was, er—what centry is this?"

Right (?) As Usual.

Miss Stavig: "What did we gain by the Lewis and Clark Expedition, William?"

William: "The United States opened a fish hatchery at the mouth of the Columbia? Am I right?"

Wanted by Margaret Melgaard: Some more big words for her vocabulary.

Thief River Trims Fosston.

Thief River Falls humbled the Fosston high school football team in a one-sided game at Fosston last Saturday. The ball was in Fosston's territory most of the time and the score would have been larger but for poor head work on the part of Thief River Falls. The defense of Fosston strengthened in the pinches and kept the local boys from scoring a couple more touchdowns. Fosston's only touchdown came after intercepting a forward pass which placed them in a position to score. Two of Thief River Falls' touchdowns were made by Sorenson and Barzen after intercepting forward passes and running forty yards to the goal line.

Fosston should be commended for their spirit of fair-play, always striving to give the local boys a square deal.

Barzen was easily the star of the game, smashing through the opponents' line time after time for good gains. Holmgren played his usual strong game on the defense and Halvorson, substituting for Captain Herron, proved himself to be a worthy man. Bob McGinn did some good work on the defense when, being the only man left between our goal and the ball, nailed his man by clean tackles. Math Barzen intercepted one of Fosston's forward passes, showing that the line men as well as the backs were on the job watching for just such chances to secure the ball. Although our team lacked the snap that they should have, they at times showed spurts of real football ability.

Our Citiy's Administration.

The city of Thief River Falls has a mayor-council form of government, that is, we have a mayor to enforce the laws and a law-making body to make the laws. The law-making body consists of one councilman elected from each of the four wards, and two councilmen at large. The mayor and councilmen are elected by the voting members of the city for a term of two years, and may come up for reelection for a number of terms. Thief River Falls does not have a city judiciary since the county court house is located here.

—Ruby Anseby, 8B.

A Bit of History.

On Sept. 1 and 16, 1896, the board of county commissioners certified that the election had carried and declared the city incorporated under the name of Thief River Falls. The city officials were F. H. Kratka, mayor; C. J. Knox, John E. Burkee, P. O. Bergh, Chas. A. Robbecke and O. T. Tandberg, aldermen, and J. W. Walkin, treasurer. The new city council was organized and went into effect on Nov. 4, 1896. The former village recorder, Lars Backe, who at this meeting appointed city clerk of the new city.

The city council consists of the mayor, two aldermen at large and one alderman elected from the ward in which he resides. Aldermen at large, mayor and treasurer are elected by the voters of the city at large. The regular city election is held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of each odd numbered year. When the mayor vetoes an ordinance, order or resolution it shall be filed with the city clerk with his objection thereto and shall then again be put to passage of the same by the city council. If three-fourths of all the members of the council vote to pass the measure, it shall have the same effect as if approved by the mayor. The mayor is the chief magistrate of the city and has command and control of its entire force of police and patrolmen.

—Mabel Sterns, 7A.

Central Notes.

The total enrollmen in the Central school is 266.

Miss Dodge expects to attend the M. E. A. at Minneapolis next week.

The kindergarten room is being appropriately decorated for Hallowe'en with black cats and pumpkins. Miss Wold is also planning a Hallowe'en party for her pupils.

The Eighth B history class is studying the Industrial Revolution of the United States. Consequently they have been interested in bringing pictures to class showing the improvement in machinery.

The English classes of Central school are proud of their contributions to The Progress.

The Eighth A arithmetic class is taking a rapid review of "Area of Surfaces," and will this week begin the study of "Bank Checks and Deposits." The work will be made as practical as possible.

Washington Notes.

Enrollment in the Washington to date is 226.

Robert Poston of Hibbing enrolled in the fourth grade Monday morning. He is making his home with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Poston.

The Normal Training girls are doing practice teaching in the second, third and fourth grades.

The exchanges so far that have been secured from different high schools in the state are few, but more will be had. They are "The Hematite" from the Hibbing high school; the "West High Weekly" from the West high school in Minneapolis; the "Southerner" from the South high school in Minneapolis; "The Otakman" from the Mankato high school; the "Polaris Weekly" from the North high school in Minneapolis, and "The Rah! Rah!" from the Two Harbors high school.

American Legion Corner

For every Minnesota Legionaire wore over his heart the emblem of the state he is so proud to call his own. All over Kansas City hundreds of Gopher badges might be seen. Each badge was four inches high. On a maroon background sat bolt upright a three-inch Minnesota gopher in gold, with the word "Minnesota" in big letters across the face of the badge. No quainter or more appropriate badge was to be seen at the big Legion convention.

Legionnires of Ellendale, Minnesota, cannot say enough good things about the village council, which has given them the use of the village hall for post club rooms. They are busy furnishing their new home, and each member will have a key. They celebrated the opening of their new club rooms by putting on a chicken supper after the regular business session.

In the cemetery at Belleau Woods, France, Dr. Charles Pace, pastor of the First Methodist church of Duluth, *recently picked poppies and placed* them on the grave of David Wisted, the first Duluth buddy to die in battle, after whom David Wisted Legion Post No. 28, Duluth, is named. Dr. Pace just returned from a trip to France.

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Sorenson-Mosbeck Nuptials.

On Monday afternoon occurred the marriage of Miss Synneva Sorenson and Dave Mosbeck, the ceremony being performed by Rev. George Larson at Thief River Falls. Both parties are local young people and highly respected by a large circle of friends. The bride is the youngest daughter of P. Sorenson and has grown to womanhood in the community. The groom came here a few years ago from Wylie and in company with his brother has been engaged in several undertakings here. The past summer he has been employed at Crookston. Miss Agnes Mosbeck of Thief River Falls and Percy Hanson of this place attended the couple. On Monday evening a number of the local young folks tendered the newlyweds the usual charivari, and wished them happiness on life's journey.

Soo May Make Improvements.

John Remmem, one of our local live wires, made a trip to Thief River Falls last Thursday and among other missions was one to the division superintendent of the Soo, asking for the laying of a cinder sidewalk from the passenger platform to connect with the cement walks laid past Mr. Remmem's place of business. According to reports the outcome was very satisfactory as the superintendent was agreeable to this improvement and it will likely be made in the near future.

Church Will Hold Sale.

The annual auction sale of fancy articles, together with the serving of lunch, as held by the Rindal congregation every fall, will take place in the church next Saturday evening, Oct. 29, and to which the public in general is cordially invited. Rev. Larson of Thief River Falls will cry the sale and it is hope dthe event will prove as satisfactory as in former years.

S. S. Nordgaard, the Viking merchant, was in town Monday visiting the T. Mellem folks and attending to matters of business.

John Funnedahl of town of Norden was among the Sunday visitors of John Remmem. Mr. Remmem is a strong agitator this fall for a farmers' potato warehouse at this place and we understand John is with him. The undertaking is praiseworthy and should not lack support. A special meeting of the local farmers' club may be called soon to consider the project further.

Iver Westby, Jr., of Goodridge spent a few days last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Westby.

Miss Viola Axelson was a Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. Viola Axelson.

The Haugen brothers purchased a potato digger at the Aaseby sale last Friday.

Selmer Sorenson and B. Ranum returned on Friday from St. Paul.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm last Thursday at the Thief River Falls hospital. This is their first born and they are receiving the hearty congratulations of numerous friends.

A carload of flour and feed ordered through the local farmers' club from the local milling company arrived on Wednesday and is being unloaded.

A carload of bulk corn for feeding purposes will arrive from the southern part of the state next week, having been purchased by local farmers. Oats and barley are unusually short here this year, which makes the importation of feed necessary.

A carload of potatoes and a car of mixed livestock will be shipped from the R. Oen farm this week. The local shipping association has charge of the shipment, which will be under the care of Benhard Ranum.

Roscoe Batten returned on Tuesday to Minneapolis, where he is receiving medical attention for a nervous affection. He had been here on a visit to his father, John Batten.

John Hellquist sold five head of grade Holstein cattle to Olof Green and Martin Saugen, farmers near Newfolden, last Thursday.

Olof Nordhagen and Axel Larson commenced with their well drilling again this week after finishing a long threshing run. The first job was completed Wednesday at the Gust Nukken farm, where an adequate water supply was reached at 56 feet. The rig was moved the same day to the Peter Mellem farm.

Mrs. O. S. Hellerud, a sister of A. S. Holm, of Twin Valley, is taking care of the housework at the Holm home during the absence of Mrs. Holm.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Benhard Ranum on Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson and Miss Gladys Swenson attending the paving celebration at Thief River Falls last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson motored over last Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Julia Axelson

Mrs. John Sagmoen has been ill for about a week but as yet no certain diagnosis has been made. It is feared, however, that she is suffering from typhoid fever.

Jens Johnson, an old timer of this place, is dead at his home in Iowa. His son, Palmer Johnson, in company with his uncle, Ole Johnson, of Warren, motored up last Sunday for a visit with the B. Sevaldson folks and to bring home a young Johnson boy who had been visiting there for a week.

A farmers' meeting was called at the Sunshine school house last Friday evening but was cancelled owing to small attendance.

John W. Taylor, county agent for eastern Marshall county, was a guest last Friday of his old friend from army days, A. S. Holm.

Mr. and Mrs. Severt Benson and two sons of Thief River Falls spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. Benson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

Adolph Borgen came home Saturday evening from Park River, N. D., where he had been employed during the fall season.

Miss Rose Dolezal, who has spent the past year here with her brother, Frank, left Monday morning for her home at Great Falls, Mont., to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hellquist and family and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, spent Saturday at the J. E. Hellquist home here. On Sunday the C. E. Hellquist family and Alex Hellquist motored to Viking and visited at the Morris Halvorson home during the day. Mrs. Halvorson is a sister of the Hellquist boys.

O. A. Flann of Thief River Falls has been in town the past week hauling up building material for repairing his farmhouse north of here, and hauling back hay.

Mrs. Siri Nordhagen of town of Norden has spent the past week here as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Gullseth.

Miss Gladys Swanson, clerk in the Carlson store, visited over Sunday at Thief River Falls with friends.

Postmaster H. Carlson went to Thief River Falls Sunday afternoon to visit friends and relatives.

STEINER

Arnie Solem, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem, left recently for Crookston, where he enrolled as a student at the Northwest School of Agriculture.

Nat Muzzy was a business visitor at Steiner one day last week.

Louis Meyers and Robert Sauter were assisting with the fall work at the Warring farm last week.

Mrs. Bertha Saugen and son, Otto, motored to Thief River Falls last Friday on business.

The Warrings were business visitors at Holt last week.

The Steigen family motored to the Pennington county seat last Thursday to visit and attend to business matters.

Cyrus Malberg was a business visitor at Thief River Falls last Tuesday forenoon.

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(Holt Weekly News.)

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Warning to Speeders.

Notice is hereby given that the speed laws of the city of Thief River Falls will be strictly enforced from this date. Within the city limits the speed limit is fifteen miles per hour; the ordinance prescribes ten for the streets and four for the crossings. No reckless driving will be permitted in the future and drivers are asked to govern themselves accordingly.—E. O. Erickson, Chief of Police.

Loftsgaard-Felland.

Agnetta Loftsgaard of Spring Brook, N. D., and Melvin Felland of Dothsay were united in marriage last Wednesday evening at the Trinity Lutheran church, with Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. Only a few intimate friends were present at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Felland will make their home on the Saugen farm near Steiner.

Classified Want Ads

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FOR SALE—Aeoli phonograph with 20 records, and Singer sewing machine. Both practically new and in good condition. See same at 318 Knight Ave. N. If interested write Amanda Hanson, 314 North 5th St., Grand Forks, N. D. 38

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Registered roan Shorthorn bull, Brave Lad No. 494113. Albert Hammarsten, Kratka, Minn. 40p

FOR SALE—One Chandler six cylinder 7 passenger car. For prices and terms see Hall Bros. Co. 38

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 360. 41

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FOR SALE—Fresh cows. Inquire of F. T. Satre. 40p

FOR SALE—Dry and green pole wood, cord and stump wood. Ristau Bros., two miles south and three miles west of Thief River Falls. 39p

FOR SALE—Property at 112 Knight Ave. S. Three rooms. See Ed. Severson. 35tf

FOR SALE—Most desirably located and thoroughly modern home. Easy terms. Inquire Hager Land Co. 35tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms, three dwellings, two of them modern. Also business property on LaBree Ave. C. W. Vorachek. 13tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 6tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE, my Beltrami county farm for Thief River Falls city property. Inquire at Times office. 24tf

TO EXCHANGE—Land for good automobile. W. A. Bishop. 37tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One business lot near First National bank; thirteen dwelling lots on Arnold north; house and two lots near hospital; three automobiles. Inquire Hager Land Co. 36tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two rooms at 522 Dewey Ave. Furnished for light housekeeping or unfurnished. Call and look them over. 38p

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

Help Wanted—Female

GIRL WANTED—Apply at Black's Sweet Shop. 38

COMPETENT GIRL WANTED — On farm for winter. Write Mrs. Frank Quigley, Climax, Minn. 38

WANTED—A cook on the P. Frost Spaulding farm by Nov. 1. Walking distance to town. Inquire of Mrs. G. T. Peterson, Warren, Minn. 40

MISCELLANEOUS

BACK AGAIN ready for weaving. Bring in those carpet rags to 116 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britten. 41p

STRAYED—Eight calves from my place near Highlanding about four weeks ago. Anyone taking them up will please notify the undersigned. Anton Horachek, phone through Goodridge. 41p

CIVIL SERVICE examinations in November. Positions $1400-$1600. Age, 18 upward. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, instruction, write, J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 40p

Estate Hot Storm

The greatest achievement in heating devices of the past twenty years. The Estate Hot Storm equalizes the heat all through the house without the bother and inconvenience attached to the furnace.

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Scientifically Correct
Fully Guaranteed

We will deem it a privilege to be permitted to explain the many advantages of this stove to you. The word "stove" does not strictly apply to this incomparable heating unit, but it looks like a stove, takes up no more room and yet has triple or quadruple the heating capacity of any stove on the market.

Larson Furniture Co.

Legal Notices

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Ida Trickel.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Rose Trickel, Lee Trickel, Claude Trickel and Gladys Trickel, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Theodore Bundy having been filed in this Court, representing that Ida Trickel, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of August, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theodore Bundy, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of October, 1921.

LARS BACKE, Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE, Attorney for Petitioner.
O-27-N-3-10

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by P. H. Gauss and Nettie E. Gauss, his wife, to J. A. Childs, bearing date the 15th day of August, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of August, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of mortgages, on page 41, given to secure the payment of the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1,500.00) and interest according to the terms of one certain promissory note described in said mortgage, dated August 15th, 1916, due August 15th, 1921, with interest payable at the rate of six per cent per annum, according to five coupon interest notes attached thereto; the fifth of which was for Ninety Dollars ($90.00), due August 15, 1921; upon which coupon and principal note, there was default in the payment of both, which default has continued to the date of this notice by the failure and neglect of said mortgagors to make payment of said principal note and interest, to-wit: Fifteen Hundred and Ninety Dollars, or any part thereof.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixteen Hundred One and 13-100 Dollars, ($1601.13); and

WHEREAS, the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to cover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof:

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the same mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half (E½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) and Lots Three (3) and Four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), also known and described as the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of said section, all in Township One Hundred Fifty Three (153), North, Range Forty-five (45), West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) acres more or less, according to Government survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1500.00) and interest, and Twenty-five Dollars, ($25.00) attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year of the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 27th, A. D. 1921.

J. A. CHILDS, Mortgagee.
GEO. H. EDGERTON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
8-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

TAKE NOTICE, That default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Milo G. Drake and Elsie F. Drake, his wife, as mortgagors, to Fred E. Hodgson, as mortgagee, dated July 15, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on December 4, 1918, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 530.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $60.55 and $330.00 for interest on a prior mortgage covering the mortgaged premises hereinafter described paid by said mortgagee on July 15, 1921, pursuant to the terms of the above described mortgage, and interest thereon since the date of said payment at the rate of 8½ per cent per annum, making the total amount due and payable on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of $395.18. The mortgaged premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4), and the South Half of the North Half (S½ of N½) of Section Five (5), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), of Range Forty-four (44), also the South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼), and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼ of SE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), of Range Forty-four (44), containing 468.91 acres, more or less.

Said mortgage will be foreclosed pursuant to the statute by a sale of said mortgaged premises, which sale will be made on the 14th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and the further sum of $420.00 secured by said mortgage, $50.00 attorney's fees, and the expenses of sale.

September 26, 1921.

FRED E. HODGSON, Mortgagee.
N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Fergus Falls, Minnesota.
8-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

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HOLT & GEORGE COMPANY
313 Main Ave. N.

NOTICE

Having disposed of our hardware business to Messrs. Christensen & Voelz, it is necessary that all who know themselves to be indebted to us call and make a settlement. We wish to close up our affairs as quickly as possible and an early compliance with this request will be greatly appreciated.

We also wish to thank the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity for the liberal patronage we have received while in business here and bespeak for our successors the same cordial treatment.

BOTTEM HARDWARE COMPANY

Lights and Shadows

Mr. A. P. Johnson, Publisher of the News, Grand Rapids, Michigan, in his issue of Oct. 13, prints the following:

PRODUCTIVE ADVERTISING

There are three "bewares" in the primer of every editor, reporter and aspiring newspaper worker. Where they came from we don't know and we know less of what they mean to convey. They are, "Beware of religion; beware of saying anything good about big corporations; beware of mentioning advertisers except when they pay for it." Readers of this newspaper know where it stands on religion and corporations. We are for them when they do more good than harm. We oppose them when they oppose human progress and retard human happiness.

This is about both a corporation and an advertiser—a big advertiser, the Standard Oil Company. A great change has come over the Standard Oil Company in recent years. It is no longer afraid of its own shadow. It is no longer afraid to tell who owns it, what its business methods are, what its products are and what it hopes to do. The story is being told in friendly and unfriendly papers without fear or favor, embarrassment or compunction in paid advertising space.

Of course a newspaper would naturally agree to this method of publicity. But we are not thinking of the dollars just now. We are thinking of how much further we would have progressed in the solution of many of our economic and industrial difficulties if more light had been thrown upon the inner workings of the offensives and defensives in such disputes as involve the public at large.

The series of advertisements which have been and are being published by the Standard Oil Company have become economic arguments which carry a message. We are not so pleased with them but what we realize that they put the company's best foot forward. To what extent they have sold gasoline is a matter for their advertising department to decide, but it is certain that they have sold to the public a large measure of good will which the Standard Oil Company did not possess not so very long ago.

Having committed this breach of saying something good about an advertiser, we will now shut our eyes and wait for the catastrophe that is bound to occur according to the law of primeval journalism.

THE above editorial is refreshing to those who are responsible for the policies of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana).

When in October, 1918, the present management of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) took charge of the business, one of the first things it decided was that the public should be given intimate information regarding the Company and its affairs. Those responsible for the management knew that the policies that had animated this organization for many years were policies which benefited stockholders, employes, and the public, and that these policies could not but meet the approval of the people generally, for they were based on fair dealing, justice and equity.

The result of this decision was the authorization of a widespread publicity campaign, which has been carried on for about three years, and the proof of its effectiveness is to be seen not only in the not infrequent mention being made by the newspapers of the country in editorials such as the one written by Mr. Johnson, quoted above, but in the better understanding on the part of the public of what the Company is trying to do.

The basic principle upon which the business of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is built is to provide the individual, wherever he may live in the 11 states served by this Company, with such products of petroleum as he may need, and to get them to him when he wants them and at a price which is fair alike to the stockholders, the public, and the competitor.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago

2603

MANY TEACHERS ATTEND DURING INSTITUTE WEEK

One of Best Sessions in History of County Closed in This City Friday Night.

Discussions and Lectures By State Instructors Prove Particularly Interesting.

Teachers' Progressive League Prepares For Greater Extension of Work.

The teachers' institute for the teachers of Pennington county was held at the Lincoln high school last week, closing on Friday evening. It was a success in every respect, the attendance being very large and everyone showing a predominating spirit of co-operation throughout the session.

The work was under the able direction of Miss C. L. Osborn, institute worker and formerly connected with Moorhead State Teachers' college, H. H. Fuller of Mankato State Teachers' college, now director of the rural department, and Geo. M. Gunderson, superintendent of schools of Pennington county.

Discussions and Lectures.

The first three days consisted of sessions of discussions and lectures by the state instructors, and explanations of various matters relative to rural schools by the superintendent. The subjects which were given special attention and consideration were: General methods of teaching based on LaRue's "Psychology for Teachers," and library organization.

Methods and ideas concerning the teaching of manual arts or industrial work in rural schools was also discussed.

Miss Osborn and Mr. Fuller are very interesting speakers and those in attendance showed keep interest in their lectures and discussions.

Tuesday afternoon Supt. I. T. Simley of the city schools gave an address on "The Teaching of Poetry in the Grades," which was well received and appreciated by the teachers.

Attended Crookston Meeting.

The institute closed Wednesday afternoon owing to the fact that the remaining two days were convention days. The Northwestern section of the Minnesota Educational association held its annual convention Oct. 20-21 at Crookston. The rural teachers, together with the grade and high school teachers, left in a special car Wednesday afternoon, almost 100 per cent strong, largely due to the untiring efforts of Supt. Gunderson.

The Teachers' Progressive league of Pennington county held its annual business meeting and reorganized during the institute week. The work was planned for the ensuing year, Reading Circles being established, the object of which is self-improvement of the teachers through study and discussions of various subjects relative to teaching. The subject particularly recommended were "Psychology for Teachers" and "Health Through Will Power."

Election of officers was held, the following being elected:

Executive Committee— President, O. R. Sande, Hazel; vice president, Ida Legvold, Thief River Falls; secretary, Ward Long, Plummer; treasurer, Mabel Engen, Thief River Falls.

Committee Chairmen—Health, Jas. Dahl, St. Hilaire; patriotic, Hattie Anderson, Thief River Falls; citizenship, Clara Sorenson, Thief River Falls; educational improvement, Dora C. Perry Thief River Falls.

Sectional Leaders Chosen.

The county was divided into sections and a leader selected for each section, as follows:

Section 1, Sanders—Lillian Anderson, Thief River Falls, Districts 147, 64, 127, 7, 149.

Section 2, Wylie—Mrs. Sam Lorentson, Wylie, Districts 94, 69, 106, 99, 43J, 17J, 124J, 1J.

Section 3, St. Hilaire—Ruth Lonson, Thief River Falls, Districts 194, 54, 166, 108J, 227J, 178J.

Section 4, Hazel— Frances Holzknecht, Hazel, Districts 148J, 6, 133, 154, 221.

Section 5, Thief River Falls—Ethel Conklin, Thief River Falls, Districts 73, 165, 26, 29.

Section 6, Rosewood— Ellen Fellman, Thief River Falls, Districts 25, 2, 219J, 135.

Section 7, Silverton—Celia Saugen, Kratka, Districts 42, 55, 28, 53, 30, 31.

Section 8, Wyandotte—Louise Shefveland, Plummer, Districts 51, 4, 125.

Section 9, Kratka—Selma Zakariason, Hazel, Districts 11, 41, 60, 35, 13, Un. 60.

Section 10, Mavie—Stella Thompson, Kratka, Districts 46, 66, 44.

Section 11, Goodridge—Tellef Tellefson, Goodridge, Districts 57, 48, 70J, 37, 38.

Section 12, Erie—Mrs. A. Baird, Erie, Districts 50, 59, 5, 65, 56, 47, Un. 14.

Section 13, Rudell—Dreng B. Bjornaraa, Wanke, Districts 10, 67, 62, 3, 9.

Section 14, Rhoda— Anna Kilen, Erie, Districts 34, 58J, 39.

RESERVE OPENING PRINCIPAL AIM OF BEMIDJI BOOSTERS

Impressed With Possibilities of Development Found in Eastern Section of County.

The booster party from Bemidji arrived as advertised, although not exactly according to schedule. They were to be here on Friday noon but some arrived on Thursday night and the rest on Friday night.

No regular meetings with our citizens were held, the visitors preferring to talk over matters of interest to the two cities informally with our business men. The primary object of the visit was to get an understanding relative to boosting the opening of certain sections of the Red Lake Indian reservation to settlement at as early a date as possible. They were assured that every assistance would be forthcoming from this end whenever there seemed to be a possibility of the effort resulting in success. No program of action was mapped out but all were agreed that the throwing open of the agricultural lands on the reservation to settlement would prove a good thing for all concerned, including the Indians themselves.

The party came here by way of Grygla and Roseau. They were very much impressed with the possibilities of the eastern portions of Pennington and Marshall counties and admitted that the only drawback to the rapid development of the section is the absence of railroads. They were convinced, however, before leaving this city that the present is a poor time to boom railroad construction in this country and that while it might be well to keep the matter alive by judicious agitation, there is but slight hope of anything being accomplished for a year or two.

The party had a very pleasant trip and enjoyed every mile of the long drive. They were well received in the different communities and satisfied with the results of their mission. In the party were the following representative Bemidji business men: J. J. Opsahl, L. J. Jerdee, R. A. Hannah, A. A. Richardson, Earl Baker, John Moberg, A. T. Carlson, Abe Grossman, all of Bemidji, and Chas. Carter of Hinds.

Mrs. Ida Swenson.

Mrs. Ida Swenson, wife of Nels B. Swenson, residing on a farm west of this city, died at the Warren hospital on Tuesday, Oct. 18, at the age of 34 years, 10 months and 9 days. Death followed an operation for appendicitis. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon from the Zion Lutheran church, with Rev. George Larson officiating. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery. Deceased is survived by her husband, two sons, Ernest and Clarence, her mother, Mrs. B. Wold, and a number of brothers and sisters.

Petitions of Candidates For City Offices Filed

Filing papers for all candidates on what is known as the Good Government ticket were presented to City Clerk A. H. Akre on Tuesday. In each case a greater number of signers than is required by law had attached their names to the various petitions. The candidates are: Mayor, W. W. Prichard, Jr.; aldermen-at-large, F. C. Dablow and F. F. Haynes; First ward, M. V. Evenson; Second ward, C. D. Gustafson; Third ward, C. W. Vorachek; Fourth ward, Andrew Ness. The latter is on both tickets to be presented to the voters on Nov. 8. No petitions have as yet been filed for candidates for special municipal judge or city treasurer. Petitions for the re-election of the present city officials were filed some time ago.

The following have been named as judges of election: First ward, Ed. Ness, Emil Grielstein, C. E. Glines; Second ward, S. T. Johnson, M. M. Benson, W. H. Akre; Third ward, F. E. Mousley, P. J. Keating, Carsten Christensen; Fourth ward, Elmer Klungness, Mrs. T. P. Anderson, Frank Cernoueck.

Sapero's Announce Big Sale.

The Sapero company this week announces a big sale to start Saturday. Everything in the store is being placed on sale at radical reductions in price and it is certain that the exceptional offerings will attract large crowds. A surplus of stock caused by the unusual fall weather is cited as the reason for giving the public the benefit of the unusual sale at this time of the year.

Mains and Tanks Cleaned; Pure Water is Promised

The flushing of the water supply tank and street mains was completed on Wednesday and fresh water from the deep well near the power house run through in place of the supply from the river heretofore used. Repairs to the pump were made early in the week and the work of making a general cleaning at once began. Supt. O. L. Legvold says that all that is now required is a statement from the state board of health to the effect that the water is free from germs or other deleterious matter and he believes this will be issued as soon as an analysis can be made. It is expected that officials from the department will be in the city for the purpose of making the necessary tests within a few days. In the meantime it may be the safest plan not to use the water from the mains. While it is almost certain that the supply will meet all requirements, the authorities are taking no chances. There is no question but that the well will furnish an ample supply.

Supper, Cards, Dancing on Elks' Party Program

Preparations are going forward for the big Elks party to be given on the evening of Friday, Nov. 4, at the lodge rooms. This party is for Elks and their ladies only and will be of rather an unusual order. A regular full-grown man's supper will be served at 8 o'clock. This will be followed by cards and dancing. Those who do not care to dance can play cards to their heart's content, continuing until 1 o'clock, when the party is scheduled to break up.

This will be the first social event of the present season for the Elks and special efforts are being made to have all the appointments of the highest order. A large number of members of the lodge residing outside the city are expected to be on hand and the committee has been ordered to see to it that these are particularly well taken care of.

USE SLOAN'S TO WARD OFF PAIN

LITTLE aches grow into big pains unless warded off by an application of Sloan's. Rheumatism, neuralgia, stiff joints, lame back won't fight long against Sloan's Liniment.

For more than forty years Sloan's Liniment has helped thousands, the world over. You won't be an exception. It certainly does produce results.

It penetrates without rubbing. Keep this old family friend *always handy* for instant use. Ask your neighbor.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment (Pain's enemy)

Knox School Ready For Occupancy About Jan. 1

A. B. Dunham of the firm of Sund & Dunham, architects, Minneapolis, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of looking over the work thus far done on the Knox school building. He expressed himself as well satisfied with progress made by the Prichard company, general contractors, and stated that the job was moving along at a very rapid rate. He predicted that the general construction work would be completed by the middle of December and that the building would be ready for occupancy shortly after the first of the year. W. W. Prichard, Jr., who has personally supervised the job, is much pleased over the verdict of the architect.

No Objectors Appear to Question New Assessment

Samuel Lord and Odin Haldin of the Minnesota Tax commission, were in the city on Monday for the purpose of sitting as a board of review on the special assessment of the city made by L. R. Swift at the request of the board of county commissioners. The board was in session all day but no objectors to the new assessment appeared to complain and the figures as submitted by Mr. Swift will stand. These do not increase the amount levied against those appearing on the previous tax roll, but a considerable number of omissions were found which, when added, increased the total valuation on which taxes are to be collected by over $136,000.

The members of the commission took the books with them to St. Paul for the purpose of making a more careful examination and correcting any minor errors that may be found.

Townley Loses Two-Year Fight Against the Courts

A. C. Townley, president of the National Nonpartisan league, on Monday lost his "last ditch" fight against the jail sentence imposed on him in Jackson county more than two years ago. The United States supreme court refused to review the case, according to a dispatch from Washington.

"The refusal of the court to consider the case was stated by Chief Justice William H. Taft, who gave no explanation," the dispatch says. "It is one of the numerous cases in which the court today refused to permit an appeal."

Mr. Townley will begin serving his 90 day sentence as soon as the machinery of the courts grind out the necessary commitment papers.

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Good Government Ticket

For Mayor
WILL PRICHARD, JR.

Alderman at Large
FRED DABLOW

Alderman at Large
F. F. HAYNES

Alderman First Ward
MARTIN V. EVENSON

Alderman Second Ward
DAVE GUSTAFSON

Alderman Third Ward
CHARLES W. VORACHEK

Alderman Fourth Ward
ANDREW NESS

Declaration of Principles.

We stand for progress; for a bigger and better city; for economical administration of city affairs; for a clean city, not dominated by any certain clique, class or faction, and if elected, we pledge ourselves to conduct a city administration of which no citizen need be ashamed.

We believe that every man and woman should go to the polls and vote. No one should allow their personal affairs to interfere with this privilege and duty. We desire to make a special appeal to the women voters of this city, because we expect to conduct an administration that will meet with their approval, and we ask them to earnestly and carefully consider the issues in this campaign and then vote their convictions.

Do Not Fail to Vote.

Paving is not an issue in this campaign. The paving controversy has passed into history. The matter is fully settled and the streets will be paved just as soon as the weather will permit the contractor to finish the work, and the candidates on this ticket are in favor of the present contract being carried out and fully completed as soon as possible.

Whereas, it has been unfairly stated that an attempt might be made to assess the cost of paving to general taxation, we solemnly pledge ourselves that if elected we will make no attempt to assess the cost of paving to general taxation; that we will effectively resist any attempt to change the present plan of paying the cost of paving.

(Signed) WILL PRICHARD, JR.
FRED DABLOW
F. F. HAYNES
MARTIN EVENSON
DAVE GUSTAFSON
C. W. VORACHEK
ANDREW NESS.

Voters, Attention!

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It is being unfairly stated by some of those who oppose the Good Government Ticket, that were the candidates on this ticket elected, an attempt would be made to charge the cost of paving to general taxation.

We wish to call the attention of the voters to a statement appearing elsewhere in this paper, covering this point and signed by all the candidates on the Good Government Ticket. We wish also to submit the following facts for your consideration:

Martin V. Evenson, one of the candidates on the Good Government Ticket, owns one 75-foot lot in the present paving district; outside of the paving district he owns 12 houses and lots. Fred Dablow owns no property in the paving district, but he does own a home and lots outside of the paving district. Andrew Ness owns no property in the paving district, but owns six houses and lots outside of the paving district.

Is it conceivable by any line of reasoning that these men would want the cost of paving to be paid by the city at large? Do you think that these men, owning little or no property in the paving district and owning much property outside of the paving district would be in favor of assessing the cost to all of the city, so that they themselves would have to pay a great deal more than they will under the present arrangement? Certainly not! The statement that the candidates of the Good Government Ticket, if elected, would attempt to assess the cost of paving to general taxation is just campaign dust being thrown around with the hope that it will blind the eyes of some people, who will not take the trouble to investigate and find out the facts.

The plan for paving assessments has already been made and as a matter of law, no one could change it now. It would be impossible.

Again we call your attention to the signed pledge in another column of this paper.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.09
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.04
Flax	1.58
Barley	.30
Oats	.18
Rye	.57
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.30
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.40
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.40
Oil Meal	3.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.07
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.14
Hens, light	.09
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.35
Dairy butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery butter, per lb.	.44
Cow hides, per lb.	.02
Horse hides	.50-1.00
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

Saturday Specials

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Hind's Honey and Almond Cream 39c
Camphor Ice, per stick, here only 15c

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About 200 pair of extra good selected U. S. Army Breeches.

O. D. WOOL BREECHES $2.50
Sizes 29 to 38

Get your O. D. Wool Breeches now for skating time.

These breeches are used by men, women, boys and girls. They're the regular government reissue breeches and are good looking, warm, serviceable, and the pirce is reasonable.

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VOTER OFFERED TWO COMPLETE CITY TICKETS

Mrs. Beatrice Hieber Files as a Candidate For Treasurer at Last Minute.

With But Five Days of Campaign Remaining, More Interest is Being Shown.

Mayor Bratrud and the Present Council Making Race on Records as Officials.

NESS RESENTS USE OF HIS NAME TO INJURE COUNCIL COLLEAGUES

To the Voters: I wish to say to the voters that any use of my name in connection with the present attempt to blacken the reputation and discredit the administration of Mayor John Bratrud, is absolutely unauthorized by me. I stand unqualifiedly for the re-election of Mayor Bratrud. We would have to hunt far and wide to get a better man for the office.

(Signed) ANDREW NESS,
Alderman Fourth Ward.

With the city election only five days distant, candidates generally are putting forth their strongest arguments in trying to prove that the city will best be served by their selection to fill the various offices.

But one change in the lineup has been made during the past week, this being the filing of Mrs. Beatrice Hieber as a candidate for treasurer on the Citiy Development ticket, headed by Mayor John Bratrud, entering her name just before the list closed. She is the only woman candidate on the ballot and as there is no question concerning her ability and qualifications it is certain that she will make a strong race with every indication pointing to her election.

Make Thorough Canvass.

While no public meetings have been held to boost the fortunes of those on either side, much quiet work has been done, particularly by those appearing on what is known as the "Good Government" ticket. The city has been systematically canvassed by supporters of these candidates, reports stating that a special effort has been made to interest the women voters. The line of argument employed revolves around the alleged laxity of the present authorities in not suppressing bootlegging and blindpigging. In reply the latter come forward with an offer of $100 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of anyone engaged in the traffic of handling the proscribed booze. No attempt is made to deny that there may be violations of the laws in this particular respect, but it is contended that it is the duty of any good citizen who knows of such cases to notify the porper authorities. If this is done and the evidence is produced there will be no fault to find with the manner in which the cases are handled, according to the statement. One hundred dollars is also offered to anyone who will produce evidence that will result in a conviction.

Is Now Main Issue.

The issues have narrowed down practically to this one—the suppression of illegal liquor handling. Every community in the United States faces the same situation, the only difference being that in most places conditions are ever so much worse. The police department is admittedly doing all in its power to keep the town free from the stuff but it is almost a hopeless task with the machinery at hand and while there is sufficient demand for the liquor to make bootlegging a profitable venture for those willing to take the chances. This is the reply of the members of the city administration to those who find fault with conditions. Just what plan the critics would employ to rid the town of an evil that prevails everywhere is not announced, but the "Good Government" candidates promise to make the attempt if given the chance.

Mayor Bratrud and the present council simply present their records as the only campaign argument they care to make, and to an impartial observer it would seem as if they were on perfectly safe ground in so doing.

WILL SPEAK HERE ON DISARMAMENT

Women Voters' State Organizer to Deliver Address at Club Room Saturday Night.

Mrs. Albee Ladd of Minneapolis, state organizer for the League of Women Voters, will deliver an address at the Commercial club rooms on Saturday evening. Her topic will be "Disarmament," a most interesting and important subject at any time but particularly so just now when the international disarmament congress is about to meet in Washington. Interest also attaches to the visit of Mrs. Ladd here as she was formerly a resident of Thief River Falls.

While this address will be delivered under the auspices of the local branch of the League of Women Voters, it is particularly desired that the men be present. Mrs. Ladd is a speaker of note and has a message of the greatest importance to all. No subject is more worthy of serious consideration by the American people and fro mevery section of the country come reports of action being taken urging upon President Harding and this country's delegates to the conference the necessity of doing everything in their power to secure at least an agreement for the limitation of armaments in the interests of humanity in general. This will be the first address of its kind delivered in Thief River Falls and the speaker should be greeted by a capacity audience.

A 15 cent lunch will be served at the close of the address.

$853 RECEIVED AS FEDERAL AID FOR VOCATIONAL WORK

This Sum is Pennington County's First Share Under Smith-Hughes Law.

R. P. Chase, state auditor, has directed the distribution of $70,777.42 among those school districts complying with what is known as the Smith-Hughes vocational training act. Vocational training includes agriculture as taught in a number of high schools in the state and the state university, and the Smith-Hughes act has thus been of very material benefit to the agricultural interests of Minnesota.

In all, 42 counties benefit this year, and the individual checks being mailed out by Mr. Chase range in amount from $111.35 to $18,226.97. The latter is the share of the university and is aid for vocational instructors graduated and supplied by that institution.

Pennington county is number 18 in the list of 42 schools having complied with the requirements necessary in order to secure this aid, the amount received being $853.13. This is more than was received by such populous counties as Lyon, Martin, Morrison, Olmstead and Pipestone. Pennington is also the only county in the northwestern section of the state included in this distribution. Beltrami county receives $826.

Mississippi Scenic Maps Are Now Being Corrected

A letter received by officers of the local unit of the Mississippi River Scenic from Rand, McNally & Co., publishers, Chicago, states that the concern has instructions to change maps of the route traversed by the highway through this section so as to include Thief River Falls. These new maps may not be available until some time during the coming winter, but will be out for distribution before the tourist season opens in the spring.

According to the new plan the route will take the following course after leaving Detroit: Calloway, Ogema, Waubun, Mahnomen, Bejou, Winger, Erskine, Brooks, Terrebonne, Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls. After leaving this city the road will pass through Warren, Stephen, Argyle and on to Winnipeg.

TWO BADLY INJURED WHEN BRAKES FAIL

Automobile Containing Father and Son Hit By Great Northern Train Friday.

An automobile containing J. A. Russell and his 19-year-old son, Irvin, was struck by the Great Northern southbound passenger tran at the Sixth street crossing on Friday afternoon and both men seriously injured. The father had three ribs on the right side fractured, received a bad cut on the right loin and a severely sprained back. It is also feared that there may be internal injuries. Irvin sustained a fractured collar bone and has a cut about an inch long over the right eye. While the condition of the elder man was for a time considered serious, the doctors are now hopeful of his recovery.

The men saw the approaching train in time to stop and attempted to do so. They claim that the brakes failed to work and the only thing left to do was to apply the gas in the hope of being able to get over the crossing ahead of the locomotive. They missed their calculations by inches, the train hitting the rear end of the car and overturning it in the ditch.

The men are farmers residing in Section 27 of Excel township.

Inspected Ditches.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson and all members of the county board, with the exception of Commissioner McGinn, who was absent from the cit, made an inspection of the ditch work being done in the eastern part of the county on Tuesday. They found everything progressing in a satisfactory manner. A number of contracts for bridges across judicial ditch 13 were let on the ground, the jobs going to farmers residing in the neighborhood.

THE NEW KNOX SCHOOL, THIEF RIVER FALLS

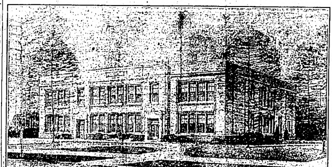

This fine modern building will undoubtedly be ready for occupancy when school work is resumed after the Christmas vacation. Below is given a description of the building by A. B. Sundham, member of the firm of Sund & Dunham, architects having supervision of the work:

"Thinking that it might be of interest to your readers, we wish to explain one or two of the features of this building which presented a peculiar problem in its construction. In placing the new building on the site of the former Knox school, it was at first thought that it would be necessary to tear down the old building, but after considerable study it was found possible to use practically three sides of the old structure to form portions of the walls of the new building, and at the same time make this fit into a modern type, two-story grade building. It was also necessary, of course, to make the front of the new building center on the school property, but this was at last accomplished by some adjustment of the plan so that we would be able to conserve as much as possible of the former building. The new building is of the modern type, combining a large assembly room for community gatherings, as well as all of the features of an up to date grade school. There are thirteen classrooms and a large library, the capacity of the school being 440 pupils.

"The first story is entirely fireproof, protecting the building against any possible danger from the boiler room or other parts of the basement. The wiring is run in conduit, which further lessens the fire risk. The total cost of the building is approximately $75,000. The Prichard company, Thief River Falls, are the general contractors, and we wish to say that their work has been very satisfactory, as they have shown forethough in providing men and materials when needed so that there has been no delay whatever on their part. Their workmanship, likewise, has been of consistent, high quality."

Federal Loan to Farmers Will Soon Be Available

Robert McGinn, president of the Farmers & Merchants bank, returned this morning from a short trip to St. Paul, where he conferred with government officials concerning the loan to agricultural districts recently placed in the hands of the war finance committee by the federal government. Mr. McGinn says that the money will doubtless soon be available and that some of it will be handled through local banks.

It was disclosed at the meeting that loans aggregating $2,322,500 to be alloted to Minnesota banks have been approved by the committee. It also became known that bankers generally are not taking advantage of the opportunity presented to secure needed funds to assist agriculture, fearing red tape and delays. It was explained, however, that every effort would be made to simplify matters and to get the money to the districts.

BUSINESS LECTURE AT LYCEUM FRIDAY

W. H. Farley of Dayton Will Speak Under Merchants Association Auspices.

"Getting the Most Out of Retailing" is the subject of a new business lecture to be given at the Lyceum theatre Friday evening, Nov. 4, at 9 o'clock.

The lecture will be given by W. H. Farley, a business expert, who will speak under the auspices of the Merchants association. Mr. Farley represents the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio.

Six thousand feet of moving pictures will be used to illustrate the lecture. No charge will be made for admission and all interested in the big question of retailing are invited. A special invitation is extended to merchants and their families, clerks, wholesalers, bankers, and other business people.

The lecture will cover store organization, advertising, window display, personal selling, and business control.

Library Board to Extend Usefulness of Institution

The library board is about to inaugurate a plan whereby a larger amount of reading matter will be placed at the disposal of people living in the country. There is a vast quantity of magazines, books and other publications being destroyed every day in the year and these might be made to serve an excellent purpose if an efficient plan of distribution could be devised. The library board has solved the problem of getting this reading matter onto the sections where it will be most appreciated and request the help of citizens generally in carrying out the idea. To this end they ask that anyone having books, magazines or periodicals for which they no longer have any use bring them to the library and the board will see that good use is made of them.

Elks' Party Tomorrow.

Thief River Falls lodge of Elks will give the first party of the season for members and their ladies at the lodge rooms tomorrow evening. Supper will be served at 8 o'clock, after which there will be cards and dancing. Arrangements have been made for taking care of a large crowd as it is expected that a number of members residing outside the city will be on hand.

MILAN ELECTED CHAPTER HEAD OF RED CROSS

Medical Director at Oakland Park Sanatorium Succeeds Mrs. H. W. Froehlich.

W. A. Barnard Appointed to Have Charge of Fourth Membership Roll Call.

Directors For Three Year Are Elected—Work For Ensuing Year Mapped Out.

Dr. M. George Milan was elected chairman of the Pennington county chapter, American Red Cross, at a meeting held at the Commercial club rooms on Saturday afternoon. Other officers elected for the year were as follows: T. P. Anderson, vice chairman; T. L. Melgaard, treasurer; Mrs. E. M. Stanton, secretary.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, the retiring chairman, asked to be excused from further service in that capacity. During her incumbency the chapter has steadily advanced in growth and usefulness until at the present time it is one of the most progressive and energetic organizations in the state. The new chairman, Dr. Milan, by reason of his position as medical director at Oakland Park sanatorium, and his interest in the work being carried on by the Red Cross, is peculiarly fitted for the place with which he has been honored.

Conference Delegates Chosen.

Following the election of chapter officers, directors for three years were selected, the choice falling upon the following: Mrs. Andrew Craik, John Morgan and I. T. Simley, of Thief River Falls; Mrs. Peter Engelstad and Mrs. O. B. Gunderson of the Rocksbury branch. Mrs. Craik and T. P. Anderson were chosen as delegates to the Red Cross regional conference to be held at Fargo on Nov. 1. At this meeting ways and means for carrying on the work for the coming year will be discussed, with particular attention given to best methods of conducting a successful roll call. The dates for this call are Dec. 11 to 24 inclusive, and W. A. Barnard of Thief River Falls has been named as chairman. He will be assisted in the work of solicitation by members appointed by the different branches throughout the county and b ythe Girls' Community club in the city.

Bargain Excursion Over Soo Line to Twin Cities

The Soo railway will run its second bargain excursion of the fall season from points in Minnesota, North Dakota and Wisconsin to the twin cities on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 4 and 5, at a cost of one fare for the round trip. Returning, passengers must arrange to reach original starting point not later than midnight on Nov. 7.

Passengers from Thief River Falls and points on the line in this neighborhood can leave here on the local Friday morning or on 110 Friday night and return on the local again Monday. The time limit does not permit returning on train 109 Monday night. City Agent H. A. Pratt will be pleased to furnish any further information desired.

New Meat Market Added to City's Business Houses

Axel Olson and Walter Corbett have opened a general meat market at 221 First avenue east, just west of the bridge. Mr. Olson is a butcher of long experience and was previously engaged in business at Crookston and Warren. Mr. Corbett has been farming south of St. Hilaire for some years but has decided to move to the city and engage in business. The firm, which will be known as Olson & Corbett, intends later on to add a stock of groceries, but for the present will confine themselves exclusively to meats, of which they will carry a full stock at all times.

A very good location has been selected for the store, there being a great deal of travel along First street at all hours of the day. The new enterprise will, as far as possible handle home-grown stock and will be in a position to make a strong bid for a share of the trade.

TWO COSTLY FIRES IS WEEK'S RECORD

New Residence of W. H. Hartje Near St. Hilaire Destroyed. Ed. Timm Loses Barn.

Fire of unknown origin on Monday night destroyed the new residence of W. H. Hartje just north of the village limits of St. Hilaire. The building had recently been completed and was not yet fully occupied. The loss is in the neighborhood of $6,000 with $4,000 insurance.

Mr. Hartje had been attending the firemen and enginemen dance in this city and returned home about two o'clock. The weather being chilly he built a fire in the furnace before going to bed. Being awakened by the reflection of a fire against the wall of his room he found that flames were pouring out of the basement windows. An alarm was quickly turned in but members of the village department say they thought someone was playing a hallowe'en prank and paid no attention to the summons. The building was burned to the ground without any attempt being made to save it.

On Monday afternoon fire destroyed the barn on the Edward Timm place a short distance west of the city. A quantity of hay, valued at about $600 was also consumed, bringing the total loss up to about $4,500 with $1550 insurance. This is the second time Mr. Timm has lost his barn by fire, a structure on the same site having burned down about two and a half years ago.

STOCK FIRM SAVES SHIPPERS $15,000

Co-Operative Selling Agency Pays For Capital Stock Investment in 11 Weeks.

The co-operative livestock sales agency established by Minnesota producers on the South St. Paul market a few weeks ago has saved the farmers, in actual cash, more than the total amount of money they invested in its capital stock.

That is the report issued by the investigation department of the Minnesota farm bureau federation. Since the Central Co-operative Commission association opened for business Aug. 8, it has saved its patrons $9,600 by handling their livestock at reduced commission rates, the report said. Besides reductions in commission charges amounting to more than $9,000 in 11 weeks the central agency has been able to set aside approximately 20 per cent of all commissions received. The farm bureau statement estimates this surplus at $5,800.

"The Central Co-operative Commission association has handled the largest business done by any firm on the market, at an operating cost at least $15,000 less than the farmers of the northwest would have had to pay for an equally large volume of business without a co-operative sales company," the statement said.

"The co-operative agency is charging the commission rates fixed by the state railroad and warehouse commission, although an appeal to the courts on behalf of private dealers have prevented general enforcement of the new schedule of rates. The charges put into effect by the farmer controlled company are estimated to be 20 to 35 per cent less than the prevailing rates."

STUDY COURSES IN NIGHT SCHOOL ARE EASILY AVAILABLE

Many Subjects May Be Taken Up By Adults in Term Covering Four Months.

A night for school for adults will be organized in Thief River Falls if there is sufficient interest manifested in the subject. Supt. I. T. Simley of the public schools, stated in the annual bulletin distributed to school patrons that such move would be made, and the time has now arrived for putting the matter to a test. Anyone interested is asked to either write Supt. Simley or call him up on the phone, stating the particular branch of study the applicant is thinking of taking up.

Merely as a suggestion a number of subjects have been presented in the hope that they may assist prospective students in making a choice. Reading, writing and speaking English for foreigners should be of particular value and anyone knowing of persons in need of such instruction will confer a favor by calling their attention to this opportunity and at the same time notifying the school authorities. Courses in citizenship should also have a wide appeal. Academic courses will be given providing there is a demand for them. In this connection it is thought that many may wish a good systematic review of arithmetic. Commercial subjects are expected to be in particular demand by night school patrons, the same being true of courses in home economics for women. The latter will include sewing, cooking and millinery. For men there will be an opportunity to study the scientific principles involved in the construction and operation of gas engines and automobiles. In fact, the variety of subjects in which instruction may be given is almost unlimited.

It is thought that two evenings a week for three or four months will give the best results. This, however, is a matter that has yet to be decided upon.

McCann Attends Conventions.

County Agent J. J. McCann left last evening for a two weeks' business trip to St. Paul. Next week he will attend the meetings of the State Public Health association as the delegate from Pennington county. Later there is an important conference of county agents of the state. Next week comes the Junior Live Stock show, which he will attend and look after the exhibits from this section.

FEDERAL ROAD ACT EXTENDS TO INDIAN RESERVE PROJECTS

Congressman Steenerson Says Measure Will Mean Much to State and District.

A special from Washington to The Times yesterday states that when Congressman Steenerson was interviewed regarding the Federal road act, which has just passed congress, he said:

"This act is a great step forward in a rational system of co-operation between the states and the federal government in road building. It preserves the rights of the states, which some of the measures proposed took away, and in fact increases them over the interstate roads.

"There is one clause in the bill which is of considerable importance to my state and my district. It reads as follows: 'The secretary of agriculture is authorized to co-operate with the state highway departments and with the department of the interior in the construction of public highways within Indian reservations and to pay the amount assumed therefore from the funds alloted or apportioned under this act to the state wherein the reservation is located.'

"This will enable us to build roads to Red Lake and other points on that reservation which heretofore has been practically impossible. The enactment of this measure will stimulate road construction throughout the whole country and give employment to great many idle people. It will also lessen the danger from railroad strikes, as improved highways will make us less dependent on railroad transportation."

LEGION HOST AT CELEBRATION OF ARMISTICE DAY

Provides Free Entertainment For All Who Come to Thief River Falls That Day.

Parade, Address, Music and Free Movie Pictures Among Attractions Held Out.

Ex-Service Men and Citizens of Neighboring Towns Invited to Participate.

Armistice Day—Nov. 11—is going to be appropriately celebrated in Thief River Falls. From 11 minutes after 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day until 6 o'clock in the afternoon Elmer J. Eklund post will be host to the people of this neighborhood. A variety of excellent attractions have been provided and there is to be no charge of any kind assessed against those who come here to celebrate the closing of the war and honor those who played such important part in the conflict.

The parade will start from the auditorium at 1 o'clock sharp and disband at the same point an hour later. The program for the day will be begun at once and consists of patriotic songs by the audience, band selections, numbers by a mixed quartet composed of Miss Maude Johnson, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Carl Sundahl and E. M. Bennes. City Attorney Hans O. Chommie, himself an ex-service man, will deliver the address of the day and the choice could not have fallen upon one more capable of meeting the requirements.

Unknown Hero Honored.

Sometime between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock an unknown soldier who died in the great war will be buried at Arlington cemetery near Washington, the ceremony being attended by President Harding and a large concourse of high government dignitaries. This unknown will be laid to rest with full military honors as a mark of appreciation and respect to the thousands of nameless men who are buried near the battlefields of France and Flanders. All over the land audiences gathered to take part in Armistice Day celebrations will arise and stand in silent contemplation for the space of two minutes in honor of these unknown dead.

At the close of the indoor observances the sports program will be begun. A football game between the Thief River Falls team and elevens from either Cavalier or Grafton, N. D., will be one of the big features of the day. There will also be a race between an automobile and a motorcycle. A broncho that has never before felt the pressure of a saddle or the touch of a bridle will be broken by one of the best-known wild horse trainers in this section. There will be games and races of all kinds and descriptions.

Free Moving Pictures.

A moving picture show will be run at the auditorium from 11 o'clock until 1, and again after the conclusion of the program at the fair grounds in the afternoon. In the evening the Legion will put on the famous picture, "Georges Carpentier, the Wonderman," at the Lyceum theatre. A two reel Mack Sennett comedy will also be part of this entertainment, for which a charge of 35 cents will be made. The eight reel Carpentier film has been shown in all the larger cities to packed houses at one dollar per seat. The Legion members do not wish to make any money out of this celebration, however, and have placed the price at a figure that will barely cover the expenses.

It is particularly desired that all ex-service men appear in uniform as this will assist the committee in charge in keeping things in hand. A large crowd is expected and all former soldiers, sailors and marines are hosts to the visitors and citizens, no matter from what section of the country they may come. Ex-service men from other parts of the country who may be in the city on Armistice Day are particularly invited to join Eklund post in this celebration.

All business places in Thief River Falls will close at exactly 11 minutes after 11. It is therefore hoped that those from a distance who have trading to do or other business matters to attend to will come sufficiently early to have their needs supplied before that hour. The auditorium will be open all day and will be general headquarters for visitors and townspeople alike.

Chairman Geo. L. Sterns of the general committee wishes to impress upon the public that there will be no charges of any kind connected with this celebration except for the moving pictures in the evening. The Legion auxiliary has made arrangements for a dance at the auditorium in the evening for which the regular admission price will be charged.

Lampert Secures Appointment.

L. A. Lampert of this city has been appointed a deputy state bank inspector and left Wednesday night for St. Paul to enter upon his duties. It is understood that he will be alloted territory in this neighborhood and that he will continue to make Thief River Falls his home.

Society

Community Club Meeting.

Among the many delightful parties given by the Girls' Community club since its organization three years ago, was the affair given at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening. Each guest gained admittance by walking on a mysterious contrivance placed at the entrance. The interior was dimly lighted by numerous candles in holders, which were tied with cunning bows of orange and black crepe paper. All the emblems of the day, including black cats, goblins and ghosts, added to the mysticism of the occasion. Hallowe'en games and jokes were part of the evening's gaieties. During the usual business session, Miss Effie Hamry, chairman of the county committee of republican women, read a letter written to her by Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, member of the executive committee of the National Republican committee, urging all clubs and societies to raise a protest against the recent decision of Secretary of the Treasury Mellen, regarding the 18th amendment. The local club responded by voting to send a telegram to President Harding protesting against this order. After minor business proceedings, a musical program was given. Miss Muriel Loken favored the club with a piano solo. Miss Dora Holmes gave two vocal numbers. During the hour of refreshments Miss Theone Walker, pianist, and Mrs. A. Holmberg, violinist, offered a program of delightful music. The success of the party is due to the committee on arrangements, including Misses Thora Hanson, Christine Clausen, Effie Christianson, Selma Rustebakke, Laura Brown, Gilma Ostvolden, Agnes Oftedahl, Barbara Votava, Goldie Stebbins, Beulah Chamberlain and Mrs. Olga Halbert. Before the guests dispersed an announcement was made by Miss Tandberg of the winning side in the recent membership drive. At the next meeting of the club the losers will entertain the winners.

Reception For Bride.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rolland was the scene of an informal reception Saturday evening, given by Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Miller of Crookston in honor of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Ware, whose marriage occured Oct. 1 at Crookston. Mrs. Miller is a sister of Mr. Rolland. About 35 relatives here were the guests. At six o'clock a three course dinner was served at a large table attractive with decorations of pink and white carnations and ferns. Candlesticks with burning tapers and pink flowered shades also adorned the table. The favors were miniature cupids, while cupid place cards were used to indicate each guest's place. John Rolland and Miss Marie Rolland, uncle and aunt of Mrs. Ware, gave fitting talks. Mrs. Eli Rolland gave a reading. During the reception which followed the dinner, Mrs. C. O. Erickson rendered a fine program of music. A feature of the event was a large basket made attractive with pink and white crepe paper, containing lovely gifts, which was brought in and presented to Mr. and Mrs. Ware by two little girls, Ione Hanson and June Rolland. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gust Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rolland, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rolland, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rolland, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rolland, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Carlson, and Miss Marie Rolland.

Jorgenson-Franceschelna.

A marriage of local interest is that of Miss Margaret Jorgenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jorgenson of Plummer, who formerly resided here, to Ray Franceschelna, son of Mr and Mrs. D. Franceschelna of Minneapolis. The wedding occurred in Minneapolis on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at the home of the groom's brother, C. Franceschelna, before a company of close relatives and friends. The bridal pair entered the living room, which had been attractively decorated with autumn foliage, to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Mrs. C. Post, and took their places before the fireplace, where the nuptial vows were exchanged. Rev. J. Bushnell of the Westminster church read the impressive service. Miss Stella Moran, formerly of this city, was bridesmaid, and C. Franceschelna acted as best man. Remona Franceschelna was the ring bearer. The bride is well known here, having attended the local school and graduating with the class of 1918. The groom was at one time employed here. Mr. and Mrs. Franceschelna will make their home in Minneapolis.

Jorgenson-Franceschina.

A wedding of interest to local people is that of Miss Margaret Jorgenson of Plummer and Ray Franceschina of Minneapolis. The ceremony was performed on Oct. 11 at Westminster Presbyterian church in Minneapolis. Rev. Bushnell read the service. Miss Stella Moran, formerly of this city, was bridesmaid, while a brother of the groom acted as best man. The bride wore a charming gown of black charmeuse and georgette trimmed with steel cut beads, with satin beaded slippers to match. The bride is well known here, having attended the local schools and was graduated with the class of 1918. The groo mwas at one time employed in this city. The young couple will make their home in Minneapolis.

Hallowe'en Surprise Party.

Miss Lorna Dodge, teacher in the Central school, was honor guest at a surprise costume party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Chittick on Saturday evening by a number of girls in her class. The guests came dressed in bewitching costumes suggestive of the spirit of Hallowe'en. Games and stunts in keeping with the day were the evening's enjoyments. A delicious lunch brought by the guests concluded the party. Those present were Miss Lorna Dodge, Miss C. Bauman, Miss Edna Ryff, Mrs. Tillu Hill, Gladys Remmem, Goldie Remmem, Bernice Hoppa, Viola Baker, Gena Amon, Helen Griebstein, Rita Fiterman, Rognhild Klopp, Charolette Korstad, Georgine Lundberg, Mary DeVelling, Edith Ecklund, Dorothy Shirley, Ruth Larson and Ticha Christo.

Epworth League Entertains.

A delightful affair in the nature of a "Topsy Turvy" party was given by the Epworth League of the Methodist church in the church basement on Friday evening. All the emblems of All Saints day were used in decorating. Hallowe'en games and stunts furnished entertainment. Among the features of the event was the topsy turvy style of dress in which the guests were supposed to appear, and those failing to fulfil these requirements were subject to a forfeit by performing specified stunts to redeem themselves. During the evening Miss Lucy Nason sang a Hallowe'en song and Miss Alice Gobler gave a ghosty reading. Last but not least, a simple lunch was served in topsy turvy style.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Oct. 31. The session opened with a vocal duet by Mrs. Nason and Mrs. Harris. Current events followed, led by Mrs. Jung, who was assisted by Mrs. Briggs and Mrs. Durrin. An interesting report of the convention held at Owatonna was given by Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, delegate from the local club. Supt. I. T. Simley favored the club with an address. Mrs. E. M. Stanton and Mrs. Geo. Curran will entertain the Social Welfare section at the home of the former on Monday afternoon, Nov. 7.

Anniversary Party.

A few of the intimate friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw gathered at their home Sunday evening during their absence for the purpose of surprising them on the twentieth anniversary of their marriage. Upon their return a delightful dinner awaited them. Following the repast a social time was enjoyed. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dolan, and Mrs. Bratrud of Brainerd.

Delegate to National Convention.

Among a group of photographs of women delegates to the first annual convention of the National Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion, printed in the Sunday edition of the Minneapolis Tribune, was that of Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city, member of the state executive board. Mrs. Bishop was elected delegate from the Ninth district but was unable to attend and her place was taken by Mrs. M. J. Masterson of Barnesville, alternate. The convention opened Monday at Kansas City and continued until last night.

Kindergartners Frolic.

Everything that could be used to make a delightful party was in evidence in the kindergarten rooms at the Central and Knox schools Friday morning and afternoon, respectively. Hallowe'en novelties, miniature pumpkins, which were lighted, black cats, witches and goblins added to the festive spirit. Apples, candy, nuts and cake made up the refreshments. The favors were little pumpkin bedecked nut baskets. The success of the party is due to the efforts of the instructor, Miss Lois Wold.

Entertains.

Mrs. Oscar Mellby entertained a few friends at her home on Saturday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Frank Voelz and Mrs. F. L. Christensen, who recently moved here from Aberdeen, S. D. The hours were devoted to needlework and cards. At five o'clock a three course luncheon was served. The guests were Mrs. J. H. McClelland, Mrs. John Wassgren, Mrs. J. L. Stitt, Mrs. I. G. Lane, Mrs. T. P. Anderson, Mrs. G. H. Frissell and Mrs. Frank Hoppa.

Surprise Party.

Miss Evelyn Palmer was honor guest at a surprise party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole L. Ihle on Saturday evening by a number of her classmates. Games and music furnished entertainment for the assembled guests, who included Ruby Ihle, Margaret Barzen, Eleanor Hoglin, Margaret Bjorkman, Catherine Barzen, Gladys Weeks, Mabel Trolan, Margaret Hoglin, Nieland Frielan, Ethel Carlson and Agnes Quindlog.

Entertains at Luncheon.

Mrs. E. F. Dolan was hostess at a one o'clock luncheon at her home on Thursday in compliment to Mrs. Betsey Bratrud and Mrs. G. I. Badeaux, both of Brainerd, who were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud, and Mrs. Liggett of Winnipeg, who was a guest of Mrs. Daniel Shaw. Places were arranged for twelve. Norwegian whist formed the diversion during the hours which followed the luncheon.

Party at Nurses' Home.

The medical men, the druggists and their wives, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Larson were guests at a Hallowe'en party given by the nurses at their home on LaBree avenue last Thursday evening. The spirit of Hallowe'en was everywhere in evidence and the usual games and stunts furnished amusement for the occasion. A delightful lunch completed a most pleasant evening.

Special Meeting.

The executive board of the Girls' Community club calls a special meeting of the club on Thursday evening, Nov. 10, at 8 o'clock, at the Commercial club rooms to plan and to receive the materials for the Red Cross membership drive. It is imperative that every member should come.

Storhaug-Windness.

On Saturday, Oct. 29, occurred the marriage of Haakon Storhaug and Olga Windness, both of this city, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, by Rev. T. E. Sweger. The witnesses were Christ Windness and Miss Carrie A. Glende. Mr. and Mrs. Storhaug will make this city their home.

Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. C. T. Christianson on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 10. The date of the regular meeting day, which is Friday, was changed because of Armistice Day on Friday.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. W. J. Brown entertained a few ladies at whist at her home yesterday afternoon. Two tables were in play. Mrs. F. F. Haynes won high score. During the afternoon a dainty lunch was served.

Messrs. Scott Laird and H. F. Booren were honor guests at an anniversary party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laird on Sunday. The guests included the members of the Birthday club.

Young People's Society.

Silverton Young People's Society meets at the O. E. Grinde home next Sunday, Nov. 6, entertained by Rena and Melvin Grinde.

St. John's Ladies' Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of St. John's Lutheran will meet next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. Hoveland.

Basket Social and Dance.

A basket social and dance will be given at the Germantown school house on Saturday evening, Nov. 5.

League of Women Voters

To the President of the United States,
The White House, Washington.

Dear Mr. President: "As a citizen I heartily endorse your action in calling the Conference on Limitation of Armament. I ask that it be opened by a definite proposal on the part of the United States to all nations to stop building warships at once, and I ask that the conference be public, so that all peoples will have the right to see and hear and judge.

Signature ____________________

Address ____________________

Turn on the Light.

"The destiny of every American and his children and his grandchildren is bound up in the outcome of this conference. His taxes, his food, his standard of living, his life itself, are to be determined. What right have any four American commissioners, however wise they may be, to sit in such a council behind closed doors with the gamblers of Europe and hazard our destiny?"

Who is interested in the Washington conference?

Business men the world over are eager for some pledge that rivalry in armament among the nations, with a constant threat of war and its attendant unendurable burden of taxation, shall cease.

The cost of taxation must be reduced. The nation cannot continue to expend so large a part of their revenues in preparation for war if industry and commerce are to flourish.

The business man's interest in the limitation of armament is the same as that of every citizen. It is perhaps true, however, that business men have been made more keenly aware than others of the vital need of some promise of international constancy.

Organized labor? The American Federation of Labor has ordered demonstrations on Nov. 11 so that the Washington conference shall not "forget its purpose to relieve productive civilization of the waste growing out of competitive armament."

The churches? If ever there was a practical summary of the reasons why people who go to church, and people who do not, should be interested in any prospect of lessening taxes and increasing productive industry, you can find it in these figures, published by the thirty denominations that compose the Federal Council of Churches:

United States expenditures, 1920, $4,582,000,000.

Past wars, $2,890,000,000, or 63.1 per cent.

Civil departments, $220,000,000, or 4.8 per cent.

Future wars, $1,348,000,000, or 29.4 per cent.

Public works, $65,000,000, or 1.4 per cent.

Research, public health, education, and development, $39,000,000, or 1.3 per cent.

American women? The National League of Women Voters and the General Federation of Women's Clubs both demand that America take the lead in reducing competitive armament as a first step toward international peace.

Have YOU a Home Bank?

Some folks think that home banks are only for children. They would be surprised if they knew how many grown-ups in our Savings Department have and USE a home bank.

To help Mother save a dime or a quarter now and then, for Father's spare change, as well as for the children's earnings—one of our attractive home banks is just the thing.

Why not come in and get one the next time you are going by the bank?

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Beautiful Fur Collared Silk Lined Coats in styles for the Miss as well as the Matron.
$24.75
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Your Choice of Any Suit in This Store
$39.50
Think what this means—you can buy a suit that sold as high as $110.00 for $39.50

COATS COATS
No matter what kind of a Coat you are planning on, we have it, and the best part of it is that they are all on sale.
$16.95 $22.50 $24.75
$28.75 $33.75 up

Get Your Suit
from a store that puts style above all else. Our dresses are different. We know a good looking dress from the ordinary kind and our customers feel confident in our judgment.
DRESSES FOR EVERY OCCASION
$15.95 $19.75 $24.75 $34.75 and up
All Bear Sale Price Tickets

Saturday is the Last Day of the
$5.00 Rack
Over 50 Garments left at this price. Some good warm coats left and good wool dresses. Better come in the morning.

Pure Thread Silk Hose "Everwear" Brand	Sateen Bloomers	Beautiful Beads	"Munsing" Union Suits	Sweaters	Girls' Coats Sizes to 14	Georgette Waists
95c	89c	95c	98c	$1.00	$8.95	$1.95

FORCED TO SELL

At Least $10,000 Worth of High Grade Clothing and Furnishings Within the Next 10 Days

Sale Starts, Saturday, November 5

Owing to the extremely mild weather this fall, we are caught with a heavy stock of winter goods and WE MUST UNLOAD regardless of what we paid for them, as we must get the cash out of the stock at once. Never have we had such a large assortment of good men's clothing and furnishings on our shelves and it's going to be marked extremely low, so it will move in a hurry. As we handle nothing but the best lines in the country, a trip to this store will be money in your pocket, as it's going to be a real sale while it lasts.

Heavy cotton gloves and mitts 7c

Soft collars White and colored 19c

Heavy moleskin pants, union made, regular $4.00 and $5.00 values. $2.89

One lot of leather lined coats, oppossum collars, Suede shell. 44 inches long. While they last $24.95

One lot of heavy corduroy pants, about 65 pairs, dark and light shades. They go at $2.49

Men's Signal shirts, plain and polka dot. While they last $1.69

Please Read This

You know and I know that that this has been a real mild fall. I am overstocked and must get the cash out of this merchandise, so I have marked it down dirt cheap. Come. You won't be disappointed.
L. L. COHN.

Boys' suits, made up in the latest styles, pants fully lined. $4.95

Boys' all wool 2-pant suits, pants fully lined, sizes to 17. $7.95

Men's Dress Shirts
Newest patterns, worth up to $4.50
$2.45
A few slightly soiled silk shirts included in this lot; have been in the window.

EXTRA SPECIAL!
Men's all wool mackinaw pants and stag shirts, also stag pants, the best made Canadian brand. Your choice for shirt and pants, a suit
$11.95

Heavy work shoes, solid leather. All sizes. $2.49

One small lot of boys' up-to-the-minute overcoats, all wool and good heavy weight. Sizes 5 to 10, only $6.95

Heavy Woolen Socks, all colors ---- 39c
Men's Dress Shoes, all colors, while they last ---- $3.95
$1.50 and $2 Ties, knit ties included; they go at ---- 95c
Men's Caps, worth up to $2.50 ---- 95c

Our line of Suits for fall is the latest in style and workmanship and is going to be priced in three groups, so help yourself. Money will be cheerfully refunded if you are not satisfied in every way.

Lot 1
Consists of about 75 suits which sold up to $35.00. All styles and colors. During this sale take your choice for
$18.95

Lot 2
Consists of all suits, standard makes, which sold up to $40.00 and $45.00. All new merchandise, latest styles, single and double breasteds.
$28.95

Lot 3
Our very best suits, including our 16 ounce serges. These suits are hand tailored and sold up to $60. Farshion Park Suits.
$38.95

OUR OVERCOATS
Our Overcoats are all marked way down for this sale but must be seen to be appreciated. Coon collars, leather lined ulsters, double breasted and lamb lined.
18.00 to 37.50

Hundreds of other values on display, including sweaters, underwear, silk hose, dress shoes, leather bags, gloves and mittens, etc. Come early as some of these lots are small and won't last long the way they are marked.

Sale Starts Saturday Morning. Extra Clerks Wanted for This Sale

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A CREDITABLE RECORD.

On the eve of another city election the voters of Thief River Falls are given two distinct tickets from which to make their choice. All members of the present city administration are candidates for re-election and are asking that in coming to a decision only their records as public servants be considered by the voter, leaving out of the calculation anything of a personal nature. The people as a whole are not concerned with personalities, their aim being solely the election of a mayor and council having the requisite ability, confidence, courage and foresight to give Thief River Falls the kind of administration that will maintain its place as the most enterprising and progressive community in this section.

That there is a record of actual accomplishment to be placed to the credit of the men at present in charge of city affairs can hardly be disputed. It is no reflection on previous administrations to say that more has been done in the past two years to place the city on a higher plane among the municipalities of the state than during its entire previous history. As proof of this a few outstanding facts may be pointed out.

First and foremost, perhaps, comes the matter of street paving. This improvement has been under consideration at different times during the past ten years but objections were heretofore raised which to previous councils seemed sufficiently weighty to force postponement of the matter. These same objections faced the present council but, backed strongly by public demand, the work was undertaken and the first 22 blocks of paving in Thief River Falls is now rapidly nearing completion.

Another matter of the greatest importance to the safety and prosperity of the citizens is pure water. This subject has engaged the interest of the council from the time the present members took office. Many plans have been investigated, only to be abandoned as not meeting the requirements. Now, however, the problem seems to have been solved—and at a cost of not more than $1,000. The deep well from which a part of the supply has heretofore been taken has been improved until now it has a capacity sufficient to meet the needs of the city for many years to come. This is one of the really big items to be placed to the credit of the present administration.

Five thousand dollars has been appropriated for the use of the park board—the first time in the city's history that any such action has been taken. A part of this money will be used in the purchase of what is known as Lovers' Lane on the river bank at the south edge of town. Considerable work in the way of improvement has already been done on this plot, much of it by volunteer labor, and the cost of converting the place into one of the most beautiful natural parks in this section will be slight.

No city can lay claim to being up-to-date unless it has a parking place for tourists. The present council has provided such a place, and for scenic beauty as well as for convenience it has no superior in northern Minnesota.

The block owned by the city on the East side has been converted into a children's play ground after having represented nothing but a bill of expense for maintenance for a long term of years. The plot has been seeded down and trees set out, paraphernalia for amusing the youngsters will be installed in the spring and every effort made to equip the spot as a community gathering place. The cost of the work done thus far has been practically nothing and the expense of carrying out the entire plan will be very light.

When these things in the way of park projects have been attended to there will still remain enough money out of the appropriation made by the council to provide a sizable playground site for the people residing in the northwest section of the city.

Music for the people during the summer months has been provided by the levy of a one-half mill tax for the benefit of the band.

The auditorium has been made liberal use of, the plan being rather to secure conventions and meetings than to make the building a revenue producer. Many conventions have been held here, bringing a large number of visitors to the city, and many more are scheduled to come here next summer.

Civic organizations, notably the Commercial club, Woman's club, the American Legion, and Girls' Community club, have been assisted and encouraged in their work in every way possible.

The present is the first city council that has taken an active interest in matters not directly connected with municipal affairs. Realizing that a city prospers only in the same degree the surrounding country prospers, it has been the aim to aid and support anything that made for a better farming community. Road building has been encouraged and many other enterprises helped.

The contractors having charge of the paving job were required to file a five-year maintenance bond under which they agree to make good any defect that may develop in the work. The amount of this bond is one-fourth of the contract price.

The above are a few of the things presented by the present administration as a record of their stewardship. There is nothing startling about it, perhaps. It simply proves that the men have had the best interests of the city in mind at all itmes and have acted in accordance with the wishes of the people.

The Times believes that when all the facts are considered the average voter will come to the conclusion that the present city administration should be permitted to finish the projects inaugurated. They have given time and study to working out the details and are certainly in a better position to move forward without loss of either time or money than would be a new set of men, no matter how capable or conscientious these might prove. There is nothing others can at this time promise that cannot better be performed by those now in charge and who have the experience of years to aid and guide them. No person has yet been able to point out where these men have been remiss in their duty to the public in a single instance, or in what respect another set of officials may be expected to improve on their records.

This is not the time to change officials unless there are well-defined reasons why those now holding positions of trust should be removed. No such reasons exist in this case. On the contrary, a hundred arguments of the most convincing kind might be presented to show why these men should be retained.

NEED IS STILL GREAT.

December 11 to 24 inclusive is the time set for the fourth annual roll call of the American Red Cross. The campaign in Pennington county will this year be carried on under the direction of W. A. Barnard of Thief River Falls as chairman.

Quite a number of people seem to think now the war is over there is no longer a demand for Red Cross activities, when as a matter of fact the need never was greater. Right here in the United States the situation is such as to cause grave concern for the welfare of thousands during the coming winter, while in other sections of the world conditions are a hundred times worse. The Red Cross simply cannot stop its good work now. The demands of humanity upon its sympathies and resources are too great.

Were it not for American charity Austria must have gone down to irretrievable ruin and its people subjected to suffering such as has seldom if ever been equaled in the world's history. Had not the Red Cross and other American agencies come to the relief of the people of Russia the situation there would have become a blot upon civilization—and as matters stand the misery is so great that one shudders in reading the accounts. Thousands of children have been saved from starvation in southeastern Europe. Millions in China owe their lives to the activities of the American Red Cross. Wherever there is need, wherever great suffering exists, wherever conditions are such that the local governments and populations are no longer able to avert a calamity the Red Cross is found on the job, ready to take up the burden where others have been forced to drop it. The organization is never idle. At home or abroad there is always work for it to do. Just now the demand is particularly great. Not even during the years that the world was at war was suffering so widespread or so poignant. There is but one organization now equipped and in a position to furnish relief. That is the American Red Cross.

The dollar you give as a pledge of membership is not a matter of very great importance to you, even in these somewhat dubious times. When added to the dollars contributed by a few neighbors, however, it means the saving of lives and the amelioration of suffering. For your own peace of mind you cannot hold back when asked to contribute your mite.

The work of solicitation will be taken over by the Girls' Community club of Thief River Falls, while the method to be employed in the country will be left largely to the local Red Cross branches. All the agencies at the command of the organization will be put in motion to enroll the name of every man and woman in the county on the Red Cross roster before Christmas.

SENSIBLE RELIEF MOVE.

In case the Federal government passes the bill now pending providing for an appropriation for the construction of highways it will mean a great deal to the people of Minnesota. A program of winter work has been mapped out by the state highway department providing for the employment of a large number of men in the construction of roads as soon as the government money is available. The state stands ready to match this appropriation dollar for dollar and the attorney general has stated that this can be done without further legislation or authorization.

The plan is one to be most highly commended. The state needs the roads and the people need the money to be paid out for building them. While the unemployment situation is not as serious in Minnesota as in some states, yet there is no denying the fact that there are large numbers of men out of a job. Federal, state and local authorities are working together in an attempt to furnish as much employment as possible during the winter and it begins to look as if their efforts will meet with a large measure of success. This road building program will help immensely even if it does not solve the whole problem. If some plan could now be devised for building the houses for which there is such great need all over the country the outlook for the immediate future would be much brighter. The housing problem is even more acute than the unemployment situation and in remedying the former trouble the latter would in a large measure automatically be taken care of.

But this road building program will help greatly if gotten under way at once. The state is doing everything possible to rush things along and it now looks as if congress is fully awakened to the necessity of acting without delay.

THE NORTH DAKOTA RESULT.

In the first recall election involving a governor and other state officials ever held in this country, the ticket of the petitioners won out and Governor Frazier, Attorney General William Lemke and Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor John S. Hagen of North Dakota have been ousted from office by the voters. Their successors, R. A. Nestos for governor, Sveinbjorn Johnson for attorney general, and Joseph A. Kitchen for commissioner, were elected last Friday a majority of about 5,000 votes.

This, for the time being at least, ends the Nonpartisan control of the state so far as the principal executive officers are concerned. They have been in office for five years and their experiments in fostering state-controlled enterprises has attracted the attention of the entire country. That somewhere they have failed in fulfilling expectations is evidenced by the fact that since 1916, when they were first placed in control, the vote for their ticket has steadily dwindled. The majority for Lynn J. Frazier in his first campaign was in the neighborhood of 55,000. This dropped to 15,000 in 1918, to 4,600 in 1920, and now his disappeared altogether. The total number of votes cast was about 200,000.

The vote in the larger cities was not far different proportionately from that of previous campaigns, the Independent ticket coming out in each case with substantial majorities. The defection was in the farming districts, particularly in the western section of the state. Many explanations of this fact are presented, but the high tax rate made necessary in order to carry out the administration's program of public ownership of elevators, Mills and other industries, undoubtedly could not be explained to the satisfaction of the farmers and these failed to stick to the party they themselves had placed in power less than five years ago.

No easy task confronts the new administration. The program will undoubtedly include the undoing of many things started by the Nonpartisans, and this policy may easily be carried too far. It is generally admitted that much progressive legislation has been placed on the books of the state during the time the Nonpartisans have been in control and it remains to be seen whether or not the new administration will repeal these measures in its effort to wipe out all trace of its predecessor's work. The lower house of the legislature still contains a heavy Nonpartisan majority, while the senate is about a standoff. A general election takes place a year from now and the primaries early this coming spring. There are likely to be some interesting developments in the interim.

A CALAMITY AVERTED.

There will be no railroad strike at this time and the entire country, including railroad executives and brotherhood members, feel easier. The action taken at the joint meeting in Chicago last week is one for which all have cause to be thankful.

It is freely admitted by the officials of the five big railroad unions that the strike would have been unpopular with the people and the government and the possibility of their winning out therefore very slim. While maintaining that their cause was just and that they are entitled to everything asked for, yet they felt that to tie up the transportation systems of the country at this time was a step of such far-reaching possibilities for disaster that they did not care to take the responsibility. They have not backed away from their position, they say, but cancelled the strike order at this time solely in the public interest. For this they should be given proper credit.

The public has shown little disposition to go into the merits of the controversy between the men and the roads, the general feeling being simply that the strike must not be allowed to take place at this time. It would have been a calamity which in money-cost might approach that of a small war. If both sides had remained determined to fight to the end it would have meant untold suffering to thousands and the loss of enormous sums to the business interests of the country. This was fully realized by the union heads and is given as another reason for rescinding the strike order. The unions maintain that they were not fighting the people or the government, their differences being with the railroads only, but as it looked as if the country at large would be the main sufferer if their intentions were carried out they considered it the part of both patriotism and wisdom to back away from their position for the present at least.

As is the case when any serious strike is threatened or actually carried out, there is a general demand on the part of the press and public that some plan be devised whereby it will be impossible to subject the country to such danger in the future. All kinds of suggestions are made, but it will be a hard matter to prevent men from stopping work if they feel so inclined and almost as hard to make employers submit to terms which they consider it impossible to meet without endangering their business.

Opinions of Other Editors

KEEP IN THE HIGH ROAD.

Dassel Anchor: The thing that keeps a small town small is the tactics of some of its business men. Some of them are fearful of competition when it is a fact that competition would be their own salvation. The thing most to be feared in a small town is dusty brains and moss-grown methods. The rut is long and deep and hard to get out of when you are once in. Keep in the high road of progress and prosperity.

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The greatest achievement in heating devices of the past twenty years. The Estate Hot Storm equalizes the heat all through the house without the bother and inconvenience attached to the furnace.

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We will deem it a privilege to be permitted to explain the many advantages of this stove to you. The word "stove" does not strictly apply to this incomparable heating unit, but it looks like a stove, takes up no more room and yet has triple or quadruple the heating capacity of any stove on the market.

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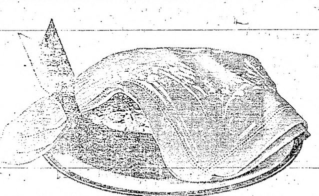

A Mystery Cake
Can you name it?

Here is another new Royal Cake, so delicious and appetizing that we have been unable to give it a name that does justice to its unusual qualities. It can be made just right only with Royal Baking Powder. Will you make it and name it?

$500 for the Best Names

For the name selected as best, we will pay $250. For the second, third, fourth, and fifth choice, we will pay $100, $75, $50, and $25 respectively.

Anyone may enter the contest, but only one name from each person will be considered.

All names must be received by December 15th, 1921. In case of ties, the full amount of the prize will be given to each tying contestant. Do not send your cake. Simply send the name you suggest, with your own name and address, to the

ROYAL BAKING POWDER COMPANY
149 William Street, New York

How to make it
Use level measurements for all materials
½ cup shortening
1½ cups sugar
Grated rind of ½ orange
1 egg and 1 yolk
2½ cups flour
4 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1 cup milk
1½ squares (1½ ozs.) of unsweetened chocolate (melted)
¼ teaspoon salt

Cream shortening. Add sugar and grated orange rind. Add beaten egg yolks. Sift together flour, salt and Royal Baking Powder and add alternately with the milk; lastly fold in one beaten egg white. Divide batter into two parts. To one part add the chocolate. Put by tablespoonfuls, alternating dark and light batter, into three greased layer cake pans. Bake in moderate oven 20 minutes.

FILLING AND ICING
3 tablespoons melted butter
3 cups confectioner's sugar (Powdered sugar may be used but does not make as smooth icing)
Grated rind of ½ orange and pulp of 1 orange
2 tablespoons orange juice
1 egg white
3 squares (3 ozs.) unsweetened chocolate

Put butter, sugar, orange juice and rind into bowl. Cut pulp from orange, removing skin and seeds, and add. Beat all together until smooth. Fold in beaten egg white. Spread this icing on layer used for top of cake. While icing is soft, sprinkle with unsweetened chocolate shaved in fine pieces with sharp knife (use ½ square). To remaining icing add 2½ squares unsweetened chocolate which has been melted. Spread this thickly between layers and on sides of cake.

Women's $4 Union Suits
They're made of silk and wool and worsted and cotton mixtures—cream color—in half low neck, elbow sleeve and low neck styles, ankle length. A very high grade suit—regularly $4—special, November sale, $2.50. $2.50
Women's Glove Silk Bloomers $3.75
A very good weight of glove silk in these flesh colored bloomers, made and cut to full size, November sale, $3.75. $3.75
Loken Brothers—Main Floor

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women Misses and Children

The Beautiful Wide Tapestry Ribbons—$2.50 Quality
A wonderful value. Handsome wide tapestry ribbons—so much in demand for girdles, vestees, bags, etc. Several beautiful color combinations. Regular $2.50 value—very special, $1.69. $1.69
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Beginning Friday Morning. A Remarkable Sale!
"Making November the Biggest Ever!"

A year ago we made a drive for business that resulted in the largest November sales we ever had. This year, we've determined to break that record—and to do this we're offering the most unusual values in every department. Thousands of dollars worth of dependable merchandise at remarkably low prices.

We are sure it would pay you to come a hundred miles or more to get your share of the values here offered. Come down tomorrow—share in the wonderful savings! We are prepared with the most exceptional line of merchandise we have ever displayed.

Flanelette Gowns $1.00
Gowns of flannelette—long sleeves, double yoke with collar. Pink, white and blue and white stripes, at $1.00
Silk Gowns $5.95
Gowns of crepe de chine and satin—flesh color—with sleeve or strap. Lace, gorgeous, hemstitching, trimmings. Special at $5.95
Chemise $3.95
Chemise of crepe de chine, lace, georgette and stitching trimming. Built up shoulder and bodice top. Special at $3.95
Bloomers $1.00
Ankle length bloomers of good quality sateen—navy, black, emerald, purple, brown and King's blue. Special at $1.00
Silk Petticoats $4.95
Petticoats of the finest silk, in all the leading shades. Sale at $4.95
Kimonos $2.50
Serpentine crepe kimonos—figured. Plain color trimmings. Gray, copen, rose and lavender. Special at $2.50
Loken Brothers Main Floor

EXTRA SPECIAL!
$3.95 Corsets Wednesday at $2.50
$3.95 was a special price before—they're really worth more than that. High grade makes—brocaded materials—low and medium bust styles. All sizes in lot. Come early; they're such remarkabe values. Wednesday at $2.50
Loken Brothers—Main Floor

Jumper Dresses
$5.95
The popular jumper frocks of wool jersey. Youthful and pretty, to be worn with side blouses—splendid for school wear. In navy, copen, taupe and tan. Special at $5.95.
Loken Brothers—Main Floor

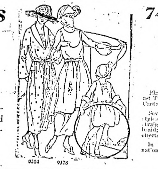

74 Beautiful New Dresses
Made to sell at $35 to $50—November Sale
$25.00
Black Satin, Chiffon and Lace, Crepe de Chine, Poiret Twill, Crepe Faille, Satin, Taffeta, Tricotine, Velvet, Canton Crepe, Georgette.
Seventy-four beautiful dresses—in about fifty new styles—smart and good looking! Blouse effects; straight line; side drape tunics; ruffles; lacquered braid; embroidery; novelty sashes with tassel; beaded effects, etc.
In black, navy, reindeer, gray, brown, and combinations.
Very Special at $25.00

Our Entire Stock of Celluloid Ivory Ware at 20% off
Now is the time to buy for Christmas giving or to complete your own ivory set. Our entire stock of celluloid ware—including the Pyralin ware—known for its beautiful quality and grain, in plain and DuBarry patterns—at 20 per cent off.
Combs, Brushes, Mirrors, Hair Receivers, Puff Boxes, Jewel Boxes, Files, Buffers, Perfume Bottles, Trays, Cream Jars, Clocks, Clothes and Hair Brushes and many other articles. Very special—at 20 per cent off.

Basement Ready-to-Wear Bargains
All Wool Coats, Women's and Misses' sizes, 16 to 44; over 100 garments to choose from; values to $35.00. Here only, choice $9.95
Silk Waists $2.95
Georgette, Satin, Crepe de Chine, all colors, all sizes. Each $2.95
All Wool Plaid Skirts $4.50
A very nice assortment of new patterns at each $4.50
Kimonos $1.49
Flannelette, in pretty new colorings, designs and styles, all sizes. Each $1.49
All Wool Plaid $10.00 Skirts $5.95
Wonderful values. You'll say so, too. Come and see them. Choice $5.95
Heavy Bath Robes $3.95
All sizes, beautiful new dark shades. A wonder value at $3.95
Women's Sateen Bloomers, all colors 69c
All Wool Flannel Middies $3.95
All sizes, in red or navy blue; beautifully gold and white trimmed. Each $3.95
Beautiful ready made Aprons. You'll be surprised at these values 69c

Dress Goods Remarkably Low
Dress Goods, Yd. $1.00
Fifty inch storm serge in brown, black, navy. Forty inch serge in navy and wine. A wonder value at $1.00
Wool Coatings $5.95
Fifty-six and fifty-eight inches in width in navy, brown, dark and Copen. Good weight for coats and suits. Special, yard $5.95
$2 Crepe de Chine $1.39
Forty inch heavy all silk crepe de chine in ivory, black, light and dark colors—for lingerie dresses, blouses, etc. Very special, yard $1.39
$3 Satin Charmeuse $1.69
Forty inch real charmeuse, much in demand for street and evening wear. Plenty of navy blue, dark brown and black. Extra special, yard $1.69
Plaids and Stripes $2.95
Fifty-four inch all wool stripes and plaids—much in demand for skirts. Very desirable colors and patterns. Extra special, yd. $2.95
$3.50 Men's Wear Serge $2.50
Fifty-six inch firm fine quality all wool men's wear serge—good wearing. Splendid weight and in navy blue. Special per yard $2.50
$8.50 Chiffon Velvet $5.95
Forty inch colored chiffon velvets, much in demand for dresses, wraps, etc. Very handsome quality, in navy blue, dark brown, black, taupe, plum. Very special, yard $5.95
Tricotines $5.95
Fifty-four inch extra fine quality tricotine—perfect colors, very desirable for suits, coats, etc. Special per yard $5.95
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Toilet Article Specials
That S-A-V-E You Money
Hind's Honey Almond Cream at 39c
Mulsified Cocoanut Oil 39c
Woodbury's Toilet Soap 19c
Mentholatum, jar 22c
Pebeco Toothpaste 39c
Pepsodent Toothpaste 39c
Krank's Lemon Cream 95c
Ayurea Face Powder 95c
LeTrefle Face Powder 95c
Coty Le Origan Face Powder, jar 95c

500 Pin Seal Leather Purses $2.95
A special selection of Women's Finest Purses at a remarkably low price. Special here only $2.95
Imported Oriental Egyptian Leather Purses—A special purchase brings in 50 of these high grade $10 and $15 purses that we can sell you at choice $5.95

Basement Notions
Coats' Spool Cotton Thread, 150 yard spools, all numbers; black or white, per spool 5c
50 yd Silk Thread, all colors, spool 5c
1½ in. Belting, blk. or white, yd. 5c
Common Pins, 2 papers for 5c
5-yd. quality Bias Tape, bolt 10c
Hooks and Eyes, all sizes, 2 doz. 5c
Trimming Beads, bottle 10c
Steel Knitting Needls, 4 for 5c
Bone Hair Pins, 6 for 10c
Bone Knitting Needles, 4 for 5c
Silk Darning Cotton, ball 5c
Double Mesh Hair Nets 10c
Fine Pearl Buttons, 1 dozen 5c
Big Coat Buttons, 1 dozen 10c
Fancy Trimming Buttons, 1 doz. 10c
Wire Hair Pins, a big box at 5c
One-half inch Elastic, at yard 5c
Hair Bow Ribbons, yard 10c
BASEMENT HOSIERY
Extra Values!
Misses' Shaped Hose, fleece, black, good quality 15c
Infants' Fine Rib Black Hose, Monday value 15c
Women's Fine Cashmere Black Hose, per pair 69c
Women's Heavy Fleece Lined Black Hose, per pair 25c
Women's Medium Weight Black Fleece Lined Hose, pair 19c

Crepe Knot, All Silk—$4.00
The newest in de luxe Silk; black, brown and navy. 36 in. wide. A very handsome new material for dresses, blouses and wraps. Special the yard here only $4.00
Wool Jersey Tubing—$3.95
Extra heavy heather mixture, 56 in. all wool Jersey, a remarkable cloth at per yard $3.95

A Wonderful Sale of Stamped Pieces
A Special Purchase—Just Arrived!
An opportunity to purchase all the stamped things you'll need for your personal use or for Christmas giving at a splendid saving! Come early!
Stamped Luncheon Cloths $1.65
Stamped luncheon cloths, 44 inch, made of very good quality white indian head—stamped in the newest designs and all hemstitched for crochet edge. Isn't it remarkable, a 44 inch cloth for only $1.65
Stamped Bath Towels
Colored borders; value $1.85, size 18x45 inches. Special $1.00
Children's Unbleached Muslin Stamped Aprons
Sizes 1 to 5 years $1.00
Ladies' Stamped Gingham Coverall Aprons
Sizes 38, 40 and 42 $1.00
Linen Dresser Scarfs
18x45 inches. Stamped. Newest patterns at $1.85
Linen Towels
Stamped. 18x36 inches.
65c 85c $1.35

Beautiful Silk at Savings!
Kimono Silks $1.39
Four beautiful patterns in new flowered and oriental kimono silks. Special here only, yd. $1.39
36 in. Tricolette $1.39
A wonder silk value; plenty of black, white and all colors. Per yard $1.39
Silk Taffeta $1.69
Good quality, heavy black taffeta, special yard $1.69
Dutchess Satin $1.69
36 inch heavy black Dutchess satin. Special here only at per yard $1.69
$3.00 Mill End Silks $1.39
A big selection of sport lengths. Run of the mill silks of all kinds; $3.00, $2.50 and $2.00 values, at per yard $1.39
Georgette Crepe $1.39
Forty inch extra heavy all silk crepe de chine—a fine quality with weight. Full line of colors; also black and ivory. Special $1.39
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Basement Dry Goods
36 in. Percales 15c
Scoutes high grade yard wide Percales in over 100 patterns to choose from. Dark or light patterns at per yard 15c
Apron Ginghams 12½c
A big variety of patterns to choose from. Buy now at this price 12½c
Outing Flannels 12½c
Hurry before we are sold out. Outings have gone up 2½c wholesale. This week only 12½c
Sateen Linings 25c
Fine heavy lustre 36 in. black Sateen Linings. A wonder value at yard 25c
All Wool Serge 85c
36 inch good quality Serge in all colors; Dollar Scotch Plaids, 36 inch Dress Goods; limited quantity only, at yd. 85c
Wool Touch Plaids 58c
A real value at our price, per yard 58c
Towels 39c
Big heavy Turkish Towels, a year ago 85c values. Some leader at each 39c

A November Sale Feature
New Fur Trimmed Winter Coats
Made to sell at $35.00 to $50.00—November Sale

Mlle Manhattan Creation 465th

$24.95
The winter coat, the most important thing in the minds of most women—and this opportunity to purchase at a saving will be of the utmost interest!
Many new coats have arrived—so selections are unusually good. For $24.95 you can buy a handsome coat—qualities made to sell at $50.00, $48.50 and $35.00. Choose from Normandy, Bolivia, Rivoli, Pollyanna, Normandie, Cordoma.
Stunning models—featuring the newest effects; belted ideas; a few loose models. Bell cuffs, mandarin sleeves, beautiful embroidery, etc. Lined with plain and fancy silk materials. Many have fur trimmings of Molo, Sylox, Nutria, Raccoon, Seal and Beaver.
Very Special at $24.95

Chin Chin Dresses
For the Children
$1.95
The cutest style for the little ones—for the 2 to 6 year olds. Of chambray; chin chin effects with bloomers to match. Trimmed with bands of pink poplin. Special at $1.95

SPECIALS IN Handkerchiefs
Women's Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs
With embroidered corners. A large variety of patterns. Special 25c
Women's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs
With fancy spoke stitch borders, 39c to 50c values. Special each 25c
Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs
With woven borders. Good 25c values. Special each 16c
Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs
Good size and narrow hems. Some have very slight imperfections, no holes. If perfect they'd be 8c to 20c. Special each 5c
Loken Brothers Main Floor

City News

Ed. O'Hara of Holt was a business caller in this city on Monday.

D. L. Hanson of Middle River was in the city Tuesday on business.

Wm. Paskewitz of Grygla was a business caller here on Thursday.

Carl Anderson of St. Hilaire was a business caller here on Saturday.

Wm. Moravec of Minneapolis was a business caller here on Saturday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Davidson on Saturday, Oct. 20.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald of Goodridge attended to shopping here yesterday.

Herbert Hanson of Bemidji was an over Sunday guest of his parents here.

J. O. Herrick of Warren was a business visitor here Thursday evening.

Carl Erickson of Gully visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Axel Nelson came down from Holt Thursday for a brief visit with local friends.

Robert Higgens of Baudette was an over Sunday guest of friends in this city.

Jordan Penney went to Crookston yesterday for a short visit with friends.

Miss Elizabeth Harder spent the week-end at St. Hilaire visiting her parents.

Wm. Webster of Rollis arrived on Monday afternoon to spend a day on business.

Miss Gudrun Rice of Plummer was in the city Tuesday attending to shopping.

Francis and Albert Crummy of Argyle visited with friends in the city over Sunday.

Miss Eloise Atwood of Fargo was a week-end guest of her friend, Miss Lylabelle Schuster.

A number of local people went to Grand Forks Tuesday evening to hear Fiske O'Hara.

Mrs. Oscar Fellman of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Saturday between trains.

Al Johnson left yesterday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days with his folks.

Mrs. L. Crown left Thursday for St. Hilaire to spend a week visiting relatives and friends.

Misses Lenore and Sadie Favrow of Red Lake Falls attended to shopping here on Tuesday.

A. Lufkin left Friday morning for Warroad, where he will be employed by the Great Northern.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Burtness left Thursday morning for Holt to visit for an indefinite period.

Mrs. C. H. Peterson left Friday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit a short time with friends.

Mrs. R. G. Cook left Saturday for Roseau, where she will spend a few days visiting her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wraa left Thursday afternoon for Colgate, N. D., to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. T. O. Stageberg left Saturday afternoon for St. Hilaire to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Rev. R. L. Barackman left Tuesday evening for a trip south which will cover a period of two weeks.

Mrs. P. G. Peterson went to Bemidji Thursday morning to spend a few days visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Conner returned Saturday from Forest River, after visiting relatives for two weeks.

Miss Caroline Mellby, who had visited for a week at the Steen home at Warroad, returned on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Mosbeck left Thursday afternoon for Crookston, where they will make their home.

Miss Inez Johnson went to Crookston Tuesday afternoon for a brief visit, returning yesterday morning.

Miss Florence Petrie left Saturday afternoon for Jamestown, N. D., to visit her parents for a few days.

Al. Johnson, employed at the Standard Oil station here, spent Friday visiting at his home at Crookston.

Mrs. I. Oftedahl and daughter, Miss Anna, of Crookston, were visitors here between trains on Tuesday.

Otto Gullingsrud of Grand Forks was a business visitor here last week. He returned to his home on Friday.

Miss Laura Rasmussen left Thursday afternoon for Fargo, where she will be the guest of her two sisters.

Miss Lillian Aase of Roseau spent a few days this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dicken.

Mrs. H. S. Findeisen and a company of lady friends from Red Lake Falls were shoppers here on Tuesday.

Miss Mae Johnson returned to her home at Greenbush on Tuesday, after spending a day in the city shopping.

Henry Melby and Leo O'Gorman of Grand Forks motored here Sunday and were guests at the M. C. Burns home.

Mrs. L. M. Lundgren left Saturday afternoon for Janesville, Montana, where she will spend the winter with relatives.

Mrs. Ida Kinsela, who had spent two weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Phelps, returned to Crookston on Thursday.

Al. Simmons of Minneapolis was in the city over Sunday as the guest of friends. He left Monday for Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Anna Thompson and Miss Anna Oberg left Saturday morning for Roosevelt to spend several days visiting friends.

Mrs. L. Williams, who had spent a week visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Steen, at Warroad, returned to this city on Monday.

Thousands of weak, run-down men and women have reported astonishing gains in weight from the use of

Mrs. Fred W. Johnson and daughter, Doris, returned Sunday morning from Minneapolis, where they had been on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Simonson and two children motored to Ada on Sunday and visited at the home of the former's parents.

Mrs. John Olson, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon, left Saturday afternoon for Crookston.

Miss Ida Legvold returned to Hazel Monday to resume her school duties after an over Sunday visit at her home here.

John Nystol, delegate to the Junior Red Cross convention held at Fargo, this week, was a visitor here this week enroute to Fargo.

Mrs. O. Finberg left Thursday afternoon for Wallace, S. D., where she was called by the illness of her sister, Mrs. S. Gjermstad.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Eoken, accompanied by Misses Effie Christianson and Katherine Jonas, motored to Grand Forks on Sunday.

Mrs. C. Motvedt, who had spent a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. Godfrey Carlson, returned on Saturday to her home at Greenbush.

Misses Mabel and Myrtle Sather, who teach near Crookston, were week-end guests of their parents, residing on a farm near this city.

Tanlac has been an unfailing source of comfort to millions throughout the length and breadth of this continent. Have you tried it for your troubles? Lambert's drug store.

Alva, Jean and Lena Nelson, all of Gatzke, were visitors here Wednesday, leaving that night for Los Angeles, Cal., to spend the winter.

Mrs. M. W. Brink, who had spent two weeks visiting with relatives at Fresno, Cal., is expected to return home the latter part of this week.

Mrs. L. A. Gilhausen, who had spent a week visiting with friends and relatives in Minneapolis, returned to her home here on Thursday.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, accompanied by Misses Ruth Soule, Velma Webster and Carrie Trogan, motored to Warren Sunday and visited friends.

Mrs. Victoria McKinney left the latter part of last week for Ottawa, Ill., where she was called by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Berg.

Robt. McGinn left Tuesday evening for St. Paul to attend a meeting of the Minnesota War Finance board, which met yesterday to consider loans.

Miss Nellie Wiseth of Goodridge left yesterday afternoon for Grand where she will be employed at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. Kjorvestand.

Mrs. Fred Lambert (nee Rhoda Finberg) of Red Lake Falls, arrived yesterday for a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg.

Miss Amanda Clementson of Hazel and Miss Ella Halvorson of Wanke visited friends here yesterday enroute to Moorhead, where they will be employed.

Miss Anna Erickson, who had visited at the J. Stensrud and G. Erickson homes since the previous Thursday, returned on Saturday to her home at Holt.

Mrs. Martin Landgren and children returned to their home at East Grand Forks on Saturday after a two weeks visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Aaseby.

Paul Kierman, who had spent the summer at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mayhew, returned last evening to his home at Sioux City, Iowa.

Miss Karen Knutson, superintendent at Oakland Park sanatorium, returned Thursday from Fargo and Marion, N. D., where she had spent two weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Carrie Meyer of Minneapolis, who had spent three weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Onstad here, left Monday afternoon for East Grand Forks to continue her visit.

Mrs. Rosa V. Noper, who had spent a month visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson, Burr Oaks farm, returned on Friday to her home at Goodhope, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Kjos and Mr. and Mrs. E. Trehus and daughter, Lorraine, returned to their home at Spring Grove after a two weeks' visit at the O. D. Osthy and E. M. Bennes homes here.

Jack Thomas, Harry Floto and Theodore Thoreson, who have been employed here for the past two months as truck drivers for the paving company, left Monday morning for their homes in Minneapolis.

Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby had as their guests over Sunday, Judge and Mrs. Andrew Grindeland and daughter, Mrs. S. Swenson, Mr. and Mrs. John Halvorson and daughters, Gertrude and Louise, all of Warren.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson, who is engaged as teacher at Lancaster, spent the week-end visiting her parents here. She left the first of the week for Minneapolis to attend the convention of the Minnesota Educational association.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rouglie and daughter, Amy, and Mrs. N. O. Strommen, all of Halstad, and Miss Clara Reitan of Fargo, motored here on Saturday and were guests over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hermanson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family, accompanied by Misses Katherine Jonas and Effie Christianson, motored to Grand Forks Sunday for a visit with friends. They returned in Mr. Loken's new seven passenger Nash sedan.

Conrad Vinji returned Saturday morning from Grand Forks. Mr. Vinji had the misfortune of having his car stolen at Fargo about two weeks ago but it was later located at Carrington, N. D. He left the car at Grand Forks, returning here by train.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president of the local board of education, left yesterday for Minneapolis to attend a meeting of the State Educational association. While there he will also attend a health clinic. He expects to return on Saturday.

Mrs. Martin and two children, who had spent some time visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Davidson, returned to their home at Randeen on Friday. Miss Hazel Davidson, who had also visited the Davidson family here, accompanied them as far as Holt.

Miss Olga Granum, who had spent a couple of weeks visiting friends at Crookston, returned to this city on Saturday.

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Mrs. Albee Ladd, state organizer of the League of Women Voters, will arrive Friday evening from Warren, where she spends the day on official business. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ladd will visit Goodridge, while Saturday evening will be given over to Thief River Falls, the meeting to be held at the Commercial club rooms.

Dr. M. George Milan, medical director at Oakland Park Sanatorium, left this week for Minneapolis where he will attend an important meeting of doctors, superintendents and officials connected with the different health bodies of the state. Dr. Milan is an associate medical director of the state association. The meeting is called for the purpose of discussing plans for closer co-operation between the different agencies and institutions working under the general head of health promotion.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, who was chosen by the State Board of Control to represent this district in the extension of welfare work, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to attend a state conference held there on Wednesday. On Thursday and Friday she will attend a public health meeting to be held on the university campus. Mrs. Bishop will return Saturday morning and will leave the same day for Grygla, where she will be the principal speaker at a community gathering. She has chosen as her subject "Young People in the Community."

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Choir practice on Thursday evening at the church at 7:30. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services in Norwegian at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Special music. Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Ladies' Aid is to be entertained in the church parlors Thursday, Nov. 10, by Mesdames Olaf Storholm, Martin Evenson, Ed. Ness, and E. P. Burstad. An event of interest is the Lutefisk supper to be given by the men of the congregation Friday, Nov. 11. Supper served from 5 p. m. on. Sunday, Nov. 13, Rev. Wm. Trygstad, professor at the theological seminary on the mission field of Madagascar, will speak at both morning and evening service. The budget of the congregation toward home and foreign missions, charities and education is to be raised this day. Young People's League Thursday, Nov. 10, 8:30 p. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services morning and evening conducted by the deacons. Rev. Larson will attend the Fosston district meeting and dedication of the Lutheran church of Nevis, Minn., on Monday and Tuesday. Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained Thursday by the society. Zion Young People's Society will be entertained Thursday evening by Mrs. M. Stageberg and Mrs. Dina Evenson. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Choir practice every Friday evening in the church.

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 6, 9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship. 8 p. m., evening worship. Good music is a special feature of both these public services. Junior C. E. 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m. Choir practice Tuesday evening. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet Thursday, Nov. 10. Note change in day. Lunch will be served at 4 o'clock. The hostess will be Mrs. C. T. Christensen, 415 Main avenue north.

Christian Science—Services are held each Sunday forenoon at 11 at the auditorium. Subject, Sunday, Nov. 6, "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Also open for a reading room Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. English services 7:45 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. The Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Andreas Hoveland, one block east of the Soo shops. Bible class meets on Thursday at 8 p. m.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Services next Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Mornin service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. All cordially invited.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—German services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. English services at 3 p. m. at Germantown. English services at 8 p. m. at Erie.

The First Ev. Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services next Sunday morning in Swedish at 10:30. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

A Retraction.

The report circulated by the undersigned to the effect that Mrs. Severn Brandon has a still in her house is a falsehood.

(Signed) MRS. DINA EVENSON.

"Eye" Social.

An "eye" social will be held in the Aubol school, District 54, on Friday evening, Nov. 11. Girls bring lunch for two. Welcome. Adelia Moland, Teacher.

Indians Needed Rest.

A buck Indian and his squaw added their mite to the festivities of Hallowe'en night in this city. They were on their way to the Fort Totten reservation in North Dakota after having visited with friends down the line. Somewhere in their travels they had managed to secure a quantity of Jamaica ginger, benzine or other explosive, and both were considerably under the influence when they came off the train. Night Police Brooten and Special Officer Long took them in charge and lodged them in the cooler for the night. As there was nothing to be gained by preferring charges against the pair, they were put aboard the train and sent forward to their destination the following morning.

New Enterprise Predicted.

Miles Bernstein, sales manager for the farm machinery department of the Minnesota state prison, was in the city the first of the week looking after business matters. Mr. Bernstein stated that it is probable that a concern handling the prison-made machinery exclusively may be located in Thief River Falls.

MAKES THE EDITOR MAD.

LeSueur Herald: When the editor of the Herald lands in congress the first bill he introduces will be one to abolish those drinking scenes in the movies. Most any audience can stand a poor play but to ask anyone to sit quietly and see those fellows lapping up the good stuff is too much for normal man to endure in this drouth stricken country.

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STRAIGHT line Coats are featured in these new styles, while embroideries and fur collars enrich the models. The materials are durable Serges, Twills, Tricotines and Velours.

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FUR is a trimming on these new Coats that is greatly favored. Every Coat is cut on generous lines, giving the appearance of a loose wrap. The linings are attractive in texture and design. The colors are Grey, Pekin Blue, Brown and Navy, and the materials are Bolivia Cloth, Sport Coatings, Velours, and the newest Normandie materials.

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FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE RED LAKE DRAINAGE AND CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

INCEPTION OF THE PROJECT

On July 22, 1919, following the historic floods which had laid waste the lands adjacent to the Thief, Red Lake and Clearwater Rivers during the early days of that month, a mass meeting was held at Thief River Falls, called for the purpose of considering ways and means for the prevention of the recurrence of such floods in the future. From the minutes recorded by A. H. Larson, acting secretary of this meeting, are gathered the chief facts regarding the inception of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District:

"At a mass meeting held at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on July 22, 1919, the first steps were taken looking to the organization of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District. This meeting was called by C. G. Selvig, superintendent of the University of Minnesota, Northwest School of Agriculture and Experiment Station, Crookston, Minnesota, in cooperation with the officers of the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association, in a notice sent out early in July, 1919, suggesting that consideration should be given, first, to the immediate steps necessary to relieve settlers in the flooded regions of the Red Lake River and tributaries who sustained heavy losses from the flood of July 2 and 3; and second, action to be taken looking to permanent flood control. About three hundred attended the meeting, of which Mr. Selvig was elected chairman. The first action taken was the appointment of a committee to consider the matter of immediate relief. This committee later expended a considerable sum of money secured from local, county and state sources during the fall of 1919 and the winter following, and rendered effective service thereby.

"Mr. Selvig advocated as a means to secure permanent relief that a drainage district be organized under Chapter 422, Laws of 1917, known as the Cliff Act. E. V. Willard, Commissioner of Drainage and Waters, St. Paul; H. A. Bard, Drainage Commissioner of North Dakota, and several others spoke in favor of taking this action. S. M. Sivertson, Crookston, offered the following resolution, which was unanimously passed:

> "Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that steps be taken to organize a drainage district comprising the territory contained within the watershed of the Red Lake River, including Thief and Clearwater Rivers and their tributaries;
>
> "That the present committee, of which the chairman of this meeting is chairman, is hereby instructed to confer with attorneys to see that all be done in compliance with the laws of Minnesota and to prepare and circulate necessary petitions.
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> "It is understood that this will include the project of the improvement of the Red Lake River, the improvising of reservoirs and other means that will aid to *regulate flood control.*"

"The chairman, upon the recommendations of persons present from the various counties, appointed the following committees to circulate the necessary petitions for the establishment of the district: C. C. Lake, W. B. Torgerson and A. P. Toupin, of Red Lake county; H. K. Rude, Andrew Johnson and Theodore Torgerson, of Clearwater county; Axel Nelson, P. A. Reosberg, A. O. Fladeland, S. G. Tharaldson, and Lewis Larson, of Marshall county; the county commissioners of Beltrami county; O. J. Peterson, R. M. Johnson, Elev Aakre, O. Ramstad and A. McCormick, of Pennington county, and J. A. Dahl, E. J. Tagley, E. H. Oftelie, J. E. Morrisey and N. J. Nelson of Polk county.

"Thereupon the chairman announced that Senator F. L. Cliff, the author of the drainage district law, would be requested to prepare the necessary petitions and that they would be sent to the respective chairmen as soon as possible. Meeting adjourned."

HEARING ON PETITION AND ORDER ESTABLISHING DISTRICT

The petition for the organization of a drainage and flood control district authorized by the mass meeting of July 22nd, was circulated and duly filed according to the provisions of Chapter 442, General Laws of 1917, and the first hearing on the petition was held at the Pennington County court house on November 7th, 1919, before Judges Andrew Grindeland and C. W. Stanton. This statute was enacted primarily for the purpose of furnishing an instrument for the organization of flood control districts along streams forming the boundaries between adjacent states. The Legislature during the Extra Session of 1919 had enacted a somewhat similar drainage district law (Chapter 13, Extra Session Laws of 1919) which provided for the organization of drainage districts lying wholly within the state. At the hearing on November 7th the advisability of initiating proceedings under this new enactment was considered, with the result that the petitioners decided to reduce the area of the proposed district and to circulate petitions for the establishment of the district under Chapter 13, Extra Session Laws of 1919, and the court continued the hearing until January 29th, 1920.

This hearing was held at Thief River Falls on the date noted and a large number of persons interested were in attendance and gave information relative to the need of organizing the district.

On February 13th, 1920, Judges Grindeland and Stanton filed an order establishing the district.

PROJECT FIRST OFFICIALLY PROPOSED IN 1892.

The Red Lake project is at the time of this writing over 29 years old.

(a) On February 6, 1892, in House of Representatives Document No. 127, 52nd Congress, 1st session, an unfavorable report was submitted. The plan of improving the river included locks and dams and the use of Red Lakes as a reservoir.

(b) On February 28, 1895, the Chief of Engineers, War Department, suggested a plan of improvement, and on June 3, 1896, an appropriation of $5,000 for removing boulders from the river between Highlanding and Thief River Falls was made.

(c) On February 18, 1897, a report on preliminary examination of Red Lake and Red Lake River was printed. A survey was made and on May 5, 1890, a progress report was made. On February 10, 1904, the final report was made. It was unfavorable.

(d) On January 21, 1907, the Department of the Interior preliminary report on survey for reclamation and drainage of the swamps in the lands used by the Chippewa Indians was submitted without recommendation followed on May 13, 1909, by this report in final form.

(f) Two reports dated November 11, 1909, and March 9, 1912, relate to this project, followed by a drainage survey made by the Department of Interior on April 20, 1914.

(g) The final report was made by the War Department on May 27, 1919, and on May 28, 1919, it was referred to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed. It contains a mass of information relating to the Red Lake project. This report and the detailed maps of the Red Lake survey were turned over to the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District engineers for study and use.

From this brief historical summary it may be said that the Red Lake project has been subject to much legislation, many surveys, and frequent delays, with corresponding disappointment to the settlers and others involved, covering a period of nearly 30 years. The difficulties involved, the magnitude of the undertaking, the absence of federal legislation needed and the lack of a district organization legally empowered to take over this project, prevented anything effectual being done until the enactment of the Cliff Act providing for the organization of flood control districts, resulting in the establishment of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District, on January 29, 1920, the date of the establishment of this district. Since that time events have moved along as rapidly as the time required for surveys and a comprehensive study of the problems involved have permitted. The activities carried on under the direction of the board subsequent to its organization are reported in the minutes of the regular meetings of the board, abstracts of which follow:

MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF RED LAKE DRAINAGE AND CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

The members of the Board of Directors were appointed on February 13, 1920. On March 23, 1920, they met to qualify by taking the oath of office and filing the proper bonds required by law. Adolf Eklund, Thief River Falls, was elected temporary secretary of the board. C. G. Selvig, Crookston, was elected president of the board. At that meeting it was voted to attend the preliminary hearing on Marshall County Consolidated Ditch No. 1 on March 30, 31, and April 1, 1920, at Warren.

On March 31, 1920, the Board met and elected George W. Walker, Thief River Falls, engineer; Adolf F. Meyer, Minneapolis, consulting engineer of the district; S. E. Hunt, Red Lake Falls, treasurer, and Chas. E. Boughton, Sr., Red Lake Falls, attorney. State Commissioner of Drainage and Waters, E. V. Willard, St. Paul, was invited to attend this session of the board to advise with the members and staff with reference to the Red Lake and Clearwater projects.

On April 1, 1920, the attorney was instructed to draw up petitions for the improvement of the Red Lake and the Clearwater rivers. Bonds were fixed in the amount of $2,500 for each project.

On June 23, 1920, the Board met at Thief River Falls and approved the Clearwater and Red Lake petitions, which with the necessary bonds, had been filed, and instructed the engineer to proceed at once with the surveys and to make his report to the board. A petition for a preliminary fund of $5,000 for the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District was ordered prepared and filed with the district court. A. O. Brevik, St. Hilaire, was was elected secretary of the board.

On July 2, 1920, the board met at Red Lake Falls and proceeded to inspect and examine Red Lake, Red Lake River outlet and the Clearwater River. On July 3, 1920, at the close of the inspection trip, a meeting was held and the treasurer's bond of $5,000.00 was approved.

On July 12, 1920, a hearing was held before Judge Andrew Grindeland at Thief River Falls on the matter of establishing a preliminary fund of $5,000.00 as provided by law. An order dated July 12, 1920, was issued by Judge Andrew Grindeland establishing this fund and apportioning the amount to be provided among the seven counties in the district.

On August 23, 1920, the Board met at Red Lake Agency. The president reported the proceedings of a meeting of the Chippewa Indian Council at Bemidji that he had been requested by the Council to attend. The engineer's bond of $5,000.00 was approved. The Crookston Dyke petition and bond of $2,000.00 were approved and the engineer was instructed to proceed with the surveys. See description of Crookston Dyke project on page 20 of this report.

On August 26, 1920, the Board, together with Judges Grindeland and Stanton, met at Washkish on the Tamarac River at the northeast end of upper Red Lake and proceeded to inspect the river with reference to the relation of its level to the elevation of Red Lake and the effects that any changes made in the latter might have on it.

A large delegation of members of the Bemidji Commercial Club organized an automobile party for a tour from Bemidji to the outlet of Red Lake River, thence to Baudette and from Baudette to Washkish and Bemidji. The Board of Directors were members of this party and are grateful to the members of the Bemidji Commercial Club for the opportunity presented to inspect this territory.

On October 21, 1920, the Board met at Thief River Falls and voted to petition the district court for additional territory to be included within the limits of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District. The engineer reported progress regarding both the Red Lake and Clearwater surveys. The president and attorney were authorized to confer with the state public

Mellen's New Beer Order Raises Storm of Protest

Women's organizations all over the land are sending letters and telegrams to President Harding protesting against the action of Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellen in making beer a medicine. Mrs. David Simpson, chairman of the Republican State Prohibition committee, has asked Miss Effie Hamry of this city, county chairman of the Republican women's organization, to send the following night letter to the president this evening:

"Republican women protest Secretary Mellen's order making beer a medicine as defeating the intent of the eighteenth amendment and putting in peril the future of the Republican party."

A letter from Mrs. Manley L. Fosseen, joint chairman of speakers of the Republican national committee, of which Mrs. J. M. Bishop of this city is assistant chairman, has sent broadcast a communication requesting the women to take a stand against the carrying out of the Mellen order. She urges that public meetings be held in every county in the United States to follow the lead of the women of Minnesota in demanding that the order be rescinded.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

(Ordered published and circulated by Jerry O. Yotter, Thief River Falls, on behalf of candidates on City Development Ticket. Amount to be paid, $4.80.)

To the Voters.

As a candidate for mayor of Thief River Falls for the second time I deem it proper to discuss openly and frankly the real issues of the campaign, and in doing so I shall not evade the issues raised by the opposition which seeks control of the city government.

The real issue of the campaign presents itself as follows: Shall Thief River Falls take its place as a city serving an area comprising nine or ten counties, or shall it be content to stand, Micawber-like, waiting for something to turn up.

The decision rests with the people themselves.

The civic requirements of a city which would attract widespread attention are first of all, good streets. The progressive town must have good lighting facilities, it must have good water. It must have public parks and provide clean recreation for its citizens.

These things all cost money and it is natural that some taxpayers should oppose all such public improvements. But I repeat, a town must choose between a progressive spirit and utter stagnation.

It is so easy to talk glibly of "law enforcement and a cleaner city."

I yield to no man in this city in the desire for a cleaner city—for better law enforcement.

The illegal manufacture and sale of liquor is a serious problem in this city, as it is in every other community in the state. The chief of police has made every effort to apprehend offenders against the liquor laws. Some convictions have been obtained but many more of the culprits could be brought to the bar of justice if all citizens would give conscientious aid to the officers in securing evidence. It is my belief that liquor is being brought in from outside sources, but if liquor is being illegally handled in the city, it is suggested that those who would hold the mayor responsible for such conditions are not barred from making known any information they may possess. No one is being protected and I promise to invoke all the power possessed by the city government in the prosecution of all offenders.

An awakened public conscience, which is now being aroused in all the land, is the only agency that can drive from our midst the moonshine maker and the booze peddler. I stand ready to do my part in putting them where they belong.

Yours truly,

JOHN BRATRUD.

American Legion Corner

The most popular little fellow at the American Legion National convention was the Minnesota gopher. All over the city he went, perched on the coat lapels of hundreds of Minnesota Legionaires, sitting upon his little hind legs with his cute little head cocked sidewise, quaintly eyeing buddies from all over the world, and doing his bit to advertise the state which is best known by his name. He even took a big long look at Marshal Foch and General Pershing, as much as to say, "You're welcome to visit me in the Gopher State any old time."

Scores of Minnesota Legion posts are reporting plans for making Armistice Day, 1921, a day of unusual rejoicing. In some cases one or more posts will combine their celebrations. For instance, in Benton county the posts at Rice, Foley and Sauk Rapids are to hold one joint county Armistice day celebration and members of the W. R. C. will help them make it a success.

When the new pavement between St. Cloud and Sauk Center is opened early in November, Legionaires of Sauk Center and St. Cloud, in uniform, accompanied by a Boy Scout troop, will march over the route as guards to a long line of prairie schooners, typifying the manner in which travel across Minnesota was accomplished in pioneer days. To make the celebration more realistic, a battle between Legionaires and real Indians from Mille Lacs lake will be staged.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. J23tf

McGinn Block, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Is Rushing Road Work.

State Road Engineer B. F. Umland with a considerable crew is busy graveling the four and one-half mile stretch of highway between the St. Hilaire road and Hazel. This highway will connect with the road running eastward from Hazel for a distance of six miles, which is already graveled. Mr. Umland has had 76 teams on the job during the past two weeks and is rushing the work in the hope of having it finished before the snow flies.

Basket Social.

There will be a basket social at the Sordal school house on Saturday evening, Nov. 12. A general invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

Buys Partner's Interest.

Wm. Sheedy closed a deal Saturday whereby he became the sole owner of the Hub Billiard hall, purchasing the interest of his partner, F. M. Shanahan. Mr. Sheedy announces that the place will be conducted along the same high class lines as heretofore and that it will be his constant aim to merit the patronage of particular people. Mr. Shanahan is undecided as to what he will engage in but his many friends will be pleased to learn that he will continue to make his home in this city.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors, Daughters of Norway, and the Yeomen lodge, Trinity Lutheran Ladies' Aid, and the American Legion, for their assistance and beautiful floral offerings at the death of our father and grandfather.—Mrs. Anna Aaland, Olive Aaland, Harold Haroldson, Alex Haroldson, Edwin Haroldson. n-3

Voters, Attention!

(Prepared and ordered published in behalf of Will Prichard, Jr., Fred Dablow, F. F. Haynes, Martin V. Evenson, Dave Gustafson, Charles W. Vorachek and Andrew Ness, by P. J. Reierson, Thief River Falls, Minn., for which $3.60 is to be paid.)

Declaration of Principles.

We stand for progress; for a bigger and better city; for economical administration of city affairs; for a clean city, not dominated by any certain clique, class or faction, and if elected, we pledge ourselves to conduct a city administration of which no citizen need be ashamed.

We believe that every man and woman should go to the polls and vote. No one should allow their personal affairs to interfere with this privilege and duty. We desire to make a special appeal to the women voters of this city, because we expect to conduct an administration that will meet with their approval, and we ask them to earnestly and carefully consider the issues in this campaign and then vote their convictions.

Do Not Fail to Vote.

Paving is not an issue in this campaign. The paving controversy has passed into history. The matter is fully settled and the streets will be paved just as soon as the weather will permit the contractor to finish the work, and the candidates on this ticket are in favor of the present contract being carried out and fully completed as soon as possible.

Whereas, it has been unfairly stated that an attempt might be made to assess the cost of paving to general taxation, we solemnly pledge ourselves that if elected we will make no attempt to assess the cost of paving to general taxation; that we will effectively resist any attempt to change the present plan of paying the cost of paving.

(Signed) WILL PRICHARD, JR.
FRED DABLOW
F. F. HAYNES
OLUF TESSUM
DAVE GUSTAFSON
C. W. VORACHEK
ANDREW NESS

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Wheat, No. 2 Northern	.98
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Barley	.30
Oats	.18
Rye	.51
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.10
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.30
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.30
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.08
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.13
Hens, light	.09
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.16
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.35
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.45
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07
LIVE STOCK	
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Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

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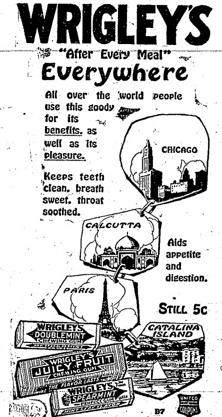

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treasurer. The depositary bond of the Citizens State Bank of Red Lake Falls was approved.

On January 25, 1921, the Board met at Thief River Falls and adopted a resolution approving the engineer's report on the Crookston Dyke project and appointed as viewers for that project, Messrs. L. S. Miller, John Wyand and J. D. Ball of Crookston. The engineer reported regarding the progress made in the Red Lake and Clearwater surveys. The president reported on the progress being made in securing federal legislation, stating that the House of Representatives passed H. R. 14311 providing for federal cooperation with the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District on January 17, 1921, and Senate action was expected soon. He also reported on proposed amendments to the drainage and conservancy act (Chapter 13, Special Session Laws of 1919) under which the district was formed, which amendments had been introduced in the Minnesota legislature and which would materially change the law, if passed as introduced. He was authorized to present objections to amendments that would adversely affect the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District.

On April 19, 1921, the Board met at Thief River Falls. The board's attorney reported that on April 2 Judge Grindeland issued an order including certain lands within the district as petitioned for and on which a hearing was held before Judge Grindeland on February 16, 1921. The petition for the Grand Marais outlet project, with bond of $2,500, was approved, and the engineer was directed to make the survey. See description of Grand Marais project on page 19 of this report. The president reported that he had attended several legislative conferences relative to proposed amendments to Chapter 13 and that at the final conference, attended also by the board's attorney, the amendments as finally agreed to were satisfactory to the district. State Drainage Commissioner E. V. Willard was present and discussed the necessary work left to be done to complete the Red Lake and Clearwater surveys. It was decided that it was necessary to complete both simultaneously.

In connection with drainage legislation considered by the state legislature the defect in the flood control law with respect to needed funds for engineering work in so large a project had been called to the attention of the House and Senate Drainage Committees by the president of the board. The inability of banks to advance funds on drainage warrants due to the existing conditions of the money market made the matter of securing adequate funds for prosecuting vigorously these large surveys an acute matter. Through a bill introduced by the Joint Committee on Drainage $25,000 was provided for the Red Lake and Clearwater surveys to be expended through the State Department of Drainage and Waters. A telegram was received during the progress of the meeting on April 19, 1920, stating that both houses had passed the bill providing for this appropriation.

A communication was read stating that the United States Senate had passed H. R. 14311, giving authority to improve the Red Lake River and that the bill became a law on February 21, 1921.

The matter of publishing the annual report as required by law was discussed. Weather stations were ordered established at Washkish, Gonvick and Gryggla.

On April 29, 1921, the Board met at Crookston to receive the report of the viewers on the Crookston Dyke project. This report was accepted and a petition to the court for a hearing was adopted. The hearing on this petition was held on June 25, 1921, at Crookston.

On July 28, 1921, the Board met at Thief River Falls. The Crookston Dyke No. 1 having been ordered constructed following the hearing of June 25, 1921, the board designated August 30, 1921, as time for opening bids for this work and instructed the secretary to advertise for bids in accordance with the law.

At the same meeting the Grand Marais project plans were approved and the following, Andrew Christianson, Oliver Moen and O. H. Koppang, all of Polk county, were appointed as viewers.

On August 30, 1921, the Board met at Thief River Falls and proceeded to open bids for the Crookston Dyke work. Two bids were received but both were on motion rejected as being too high, being in excess of the engineer's estimate. The engineer was instructed to confer with the city engineer of Crookston relative to this matter and to report at the next meeting of the board. The Clearwater project plans were presented by the engineer and on motion ordered approved, and Andrew Christianson, Mentor; E. A. Mostue, Thief River Falls, and F. S. Erdman, St. Hilaire, were appointed as viewers of the same.

STATEMENT BY E. V. WILLARD, STATE COMMISSIONER OF DRAINAGE AND WATERS

The water resources of the state is one of its chief assets whether considered in connection with the healthful recreation it affords the people, by the playgrounds it furnishes, through its thousands of lakes and streams, its potential value as a power producing element, its source of supply for domestic purposes or its value as a means of navigation, we recognize the important place which this resource occupies whenever the economic development of the state in any of its aspects comes up for consideration.

Whenever water can be controlled and harnessed to serve man, it becomes his humblest servant. Unharnessed and uncontrolled it becomes in times of floods a most cruel master before whose onslaughts human efforts are unavailing. Where natural conditions permit of the detaining of floods the waters which prove the most destructive when uncontrolled can, when stored, be made to serve the most beneficial purposes as a means of improved domestic water supply, increased regulated flow for power producing purposes and in an increased stage for navigation.

The drainage laws of the state under which the reclamation of marsh and overflowed lands have been accomplished in the past have all been founded in the theory that water is a destructive enemy to be gotten rid of by any means at hand. The storage of the waters which are taken off the low sloughs and marshes by the construction of drains, to maintain nature's equilibrium along the outlet channels received little consideration at the hands of the original framers of our drainage acts. As drainage of low and marshy lands progressed the situation along the main outlets became more and more acute until the legislature, recognizing a need for some instrument whereby the outlet could be given consideration, enacted the so-called Cliff Flood Control Act. (Chapter 13, Extra Session Laws of 1919.)

The most radical departures from the old county and judicial laws may be referred to briefly as follows:

1. It provides for the organization of the entire drainage area of a stream into one district as against the isolated, piecemeal, disconnected practice possible under prior existing laws under the provisions of which one or more property owners could petition for and construct a ditch or drain outletting into the nearest creek or coulee without regard to the effect that such construction might have by way of increasing the flood menace on owners living along the lower portions. This provision merely puts legal approval upon a practice which every competent and conscientious engineer must follow in the design of drains regardless of the provisions of law if the improvements he sponsors are to be effective. In practice the engineer who would provide a drain with a proper capacity to handle the water from a given area does not base his design on the number of acres of marsh land he is to reclaim, but on the number of acres of every kind of land the runoff waters from which are to be carried away to a sufficient outlet.

2. The law provides for a board of directors to have charge of all the improvements to be carried on within the district. This gives jurisdiction to one organization, making it possible for the landowners, if they so desire, to have all improvements executed under the direction and supervision of the board and its chief engineer planning all improvements with a view of correlating and coordinating the work in such a way that a definite end may be accomplished. The advantage of having the jurisdiction of all improvements in a given basin placed in the hands of one organization as compared with having the improvements constructed by numerous small proceedings in charge of different authorities of divergent views, need not be argued.

3. The law authorizes the board of directors of the district to construct and maintain reservoirs for the control of flood waters whenever such a plan is found feasible and advisable. Whenever the waters stored within a reservoir can be released to benefit potential or actual power sites located on the streams below, the board has the right to assess benefits against the owners of such powers. The board may also construct dams and power units and create power of their own initiative as a district enterprise and lease said powers.

The Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District a Pioneer.

The Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District may be said to be pioneering under this act. There are other districts within the state organized under its provisions but none have advanced as far in their activities as this district. The ideal natural conditions which prevail within this district for combining all the beneficial purposes provided by the law under which it has been created give assurance that much good will be accomplished by the organization. The Red Lake basin is probably the only basin in Minnesota which offers such ideal natural facilities for combining the storage of flood waters both in the interest of power production and flood control. The Red Lake River is the only stream in the entire northwest section of Minnesota on which are located valuable sites for water power for commercial purposes. The board of directors of the district are given the unusual opportunity of serving future generations not only by the drainage and making productive areas of agricultural lands but also of increasing the amount of water power, so sorely needed by this section, for all time.

Extent of Drainage Investigations.

The Legislature of 1921 appropriated $25,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Department of Drainage and Waters on engineering investigations and designs of structures for the relief of floods in the Red River basin. The board of directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district had an organization at work making investigations of their own at the time this appropriation became available. The aim of the department has been to maintain this organization as far as practicable and it has attempted in every way to so conduct the investigations that the board of directors, if they so desire, can adopt the work of the department for its own purposes. With this aim in view, Mr. Geo. W. Walker, the Chief Engineer of the district, was engaged by the department to have supervision over the field investigations and has been acting in that capacity since the state appropriation became available. It is planned to maintain this cooperation until after the investigations and plans have been perfected.

The investigations in the field have practically been completed. There remains, however, the details of adopting the proper levels for the Red Lake and the design of structures required to accomplish the purposes in view. The balance remaining in the appropriation made by the legislature for the use of the department will be sufficient to cover the expenses of completing the engineering problems within the district.

Acknowledgement.

I desire to express my appreciation of the assistance and hearty cooperation rendered the department by the Board of Directors, the Chief Engineer and the staff of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District; to the U. S. Engineers who have given generously of their data compiled from their own investigations on the Red Lake River, and to all others who have cooperated with the department in its investigations on these projects, all of which is gratefully acknowledged.

ENGINEERING WORK DONE

The engineering features of the four projects that have been brought before the board are described by Engineer George W. Walker, as follows:

Red Lake Project.

The Red Lake River project is a combination conservancy and drainage problem. The construction part of the problem involves the most important engineering features. The area comprising the watershed, from the headwaters to a point in the Red Lake River near Kratka about 15 miles east of Thief River Falls, is about 2,400 square miles. Of this area, about 440 square miles is lake surface. About 90 per cent of this area was covered by a topographic survey which eliminated much of the preliminary work. The detailed survey of the Red Lake River made by the U. S. War Department was furnished the board through the courtesy of the War Department.

With the above data at hand, the field work necessary was a final location of the channel to be dredged in the Red Lake River from the lake for about 40 miles down stream, and the work to be done in the Tamarac basin. This work has been done and the final design of this channel is now dependent upon the levels to be agreed upon for the Red Lakes. Mr. Adolf F. Meyer, consulting engineer for the district, is working on this problem.

To sum up the Red River project, the essential points are as follows:

(1) To so fix the points between which the elevations of the Red Lakes shall be permitted to fluctuate so as to best conserve and protect all the in-

drainage and protection against overflow while the run off waters will be so controlled that a maximum amount of power may be developed by a uniform and continuous flow through the Red Lake River channel.

The Clearwater River Project.

The Clearwater River project involves the improvement of the channel to act as a better outlet for drainage. The area involved in this watershed from its headwaters to a point near Plummer consists of about 500 square miles. The greater portion of this watershed has also been covered by a topographic survey, which greatly simplified the work of determining the watershed boundaries. There is no available information on the river itself, however, and during the summer of 1920 a preliminary survey was made covering the river from Plummer to a point just below the Clearwater Lake. During the summer of 1921 the final survey for location of the channel was made, the work on final design completed, and the plans placed in the hands of the viewers. The construction work will involve excavation of the channel together with the construction of a few bridges. If the work is established, it should be possible to let contract during the winter of 1921-22.

Grand Marais Project.

The Grand Marais project consists of providing a cut-off outlet from the Grand Marais in western Polk county to the Red River of the North. The watershed consists of about 250 square miles and the problem is one of excavation to enlarge a ditch constructed some years ago, but which does not provide an adequate outlet. The engineer's report is complete on this work, and viewers have been appointed. If work is established, the contract should be let this fall.

Crookston Dyke Project.

The Crookston Dyke project consists of the building of four earth dykes in the city of Crookston. The matter has been brought to a final hearing before Judge Watts and three of the dykes were ordered continued and one ordered constructed. The dyke project involves the building of earth dykes to protect the residence section from flood. It was referred to the board of this district on account of insufficient laws by which the city itself could do the work.

Drainage District Map.

In addition to the engineering work done on the above four projects, Mr. Walker has made a very accurate map of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District.

TRIP OF INSPECTION ON RED LAKE RIVER

On July 19 and 20, 1921, Adolf F. Meyer, consulting engineer; E. V. Willard, state commissioner of drainage and waters; George W. Walker, the district engineer, and the president of the board spent two days on the Red Lake River and Red Lake to study the topography of the area at first hand. The journey from Neptune to the outlet of Red Lake River was made by motor boat. The outflow of Red Lake River at the outlet was measured and observations were taken of the lake level. On August 31 and September 1, Mr. Willard, Walker Olson and Director Johnson measured the outflow at the outlet and proceeded from there to inspect the work of the survey crew at work in the Tamarac River basin.

At the conclusion of the July trip, Mr. Meyer submitted a preliminary statement regarding the Red Lake project for consideration by the board. His statement follows:

Statement Re Red Lake Project.

After a rather careful study of the problem of utilizing the outflow from Red Lake to best advantage, I have reached the following conclusions:

1. Flood water which is available only once in ten or fifteen years has no commercial value and must be sent back to the ocean through the river channels with the least possible damage to lands and other properties.

2. To permit the wasting of flood water from Red Lake during times when the channels below are not filled with run off from their own tributary drainage areas, it is necessary to hold these waters in Red Lake longer than in a state of nature.

3. A storage space of one foot is necessary on Red Lake for occasionally holding back the flood waters which run into this lake, until such time as they can be discharged safely through the improved outflow channel. This storage space may be considered as the Flood Prevention Reservoir.

4. In order to make it possible to discharge the flood waters from the lake during a series of wet years, such as 1904, 1905 and 1906, the outflow channel must be made sufficiently large to safely carry 1000 cubic feet per second at all times of the year.

5. The area of Red Lake is so large in comparison with the drainage area which sends its run-off into this body of water, that the lake acts as a natural reservoir with a tremendous equalizing effect upon the outflow. During early spring, for example, only about one quarter as much flood water flows down Red Lake River above Thief River Falls as would pass except for the natural retarding effect of Red Lake.

6. In order to best utilize the outflow from Red Lake for water power purposes, it is desirable to provide for a storage capacity for this purpose of not less than three feet in depth. Regulation of outflow from the lake should be with a view to maintaining a minimum flow at Crookston, for water power purposes, of 600 cubic feet per second.

7. The same reservoir space cannot be used for holding back water to prevent floods on the outflow channel below the lake and also for storing water which is to be released during dry years for beneficial use in power development in the river below. The flood prevention reservoir must always be kept as EMPTY as possible. The water power reservoir must always be kept as FULL as possible. Flood inflow into the reservoir cannot be predicted more than a few months in advance of the spring break-up. Summer floods cannot be predicted at all; neither can dry years.

8. During a series of dry years, such as 1910 to 1916, the release of stored water from Red Lake for power purposes would be of tremendous benefit. During a series of wet years, such as 1899 to 1906, the regulation of Red Lake would be of less than one-tenth the value to water powers that it would be during the later dry years.

9. The total volume of water which passed down the Red Lake River at Crookston between the middle of June, 1910, and the 1st of April, 1916, was substantially 100 billion cubic feet. One-third of this amount came from Red Lake and its tributary drainage basin. Of the total flow at Crookston during this period, water power plants equipped to use up to an average of 600 cubic feet per second could have utilized exactly two-thirds, or 66 2-3 billion cubic feet. The total volume of water equivalent to 600 cubic second feet continuous flow from the middle of June, 1910, to the 1st of April, 1916, is 110 billion cubic feet. Regulation of the outflow from Red Lake as above indicated would have provided such a continuous flow. In other words, the regulation of the outflow from Red Lake would have furnished the water power plants 43 1-3 billion cubic feet more water during this period of years than they could have utilized in a state of nature. This amount of water represents nearly 8 billion cubic feet a year for six years, equivalent to 6 million kilowatt-hours of power developed by the existing plants utilizing about one-fourth of the total average fall. At one cent per kilowatt-hour, this amount of power is worth about $65,000 a year. Assuming all the available water utilized and all the fall developed, the annual benefit during these dry years would be a quarter million dollars. Considering both dry and wet years the annual benefit of regulation to present power plants on the Red Lake River computed on the same would be about $15,000.

10. The most important factor of uncertainty involved in arriving at the value to water power development of regulating the outflow from Red Lake is the market available for the power. Apparently the market readily reached by existing transmission lines or minor extensions thereof can be more than satisfied with the power which can be developed by existing plants enlarged to utilize 600 cubic feet per second continuous flow at the prevailing load factor. Further market must be sought by transmission over long distances.

LEVELS OF RED LAKE

Taken by A. O. Goddard, Red Lake Agency, Minnesota

Date of Observation is First of Month.

Year	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1908	1174.03	1174.05	1174.09	1175.04	1176.00	1176.07	1176.06	1176.08	1175.05
1912	1176.02	1176.06	1176.00	1176.05	1175.04	1175.05	1175.06	1175.00	1174.02
1913	1174.00	1173.08	1173.03	1173.05	1173.03	1173.01	1174.01	1175.00	1174.01
1914	......	1173.06	1173.01	1173.08	1176.08	1176.07	1176.07	1176.09	1176.03
1915	......	1174.02	1175.03	1177.01	1176.03	1176.01	1176.02	1175.07	1175.03
1916	......	1175.04	1175.09	1177.00	1175.08	1176.07	1175.09	1175.01	1174.02
1917	......	1175.00	1173.08	1174.02	1173.07	1173.03	1173.08	1173.00	1172.08
1918	......	1173.03	1174.00	1174.07	1176.09	1176.09	1175.05	1175.01	1174.09
1919	......	1174.03	1175.03	1176.03	1177.03	1177.00	1176.04	1175.07	1175.06
1920	......	1175.02	1174.08	1175.08	1175.01	1175.01	1174.07	1174.03	1173.00
1921	1174.00	1173.08	1174.05	1175.02	1174.08	1174.06	1174.04	......	......

SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District:

Gentlemen: I submit herewith statement setting forth appropriations by counties and the state, expenditures of the district, and reimbursements made by the Department of Drainage and Waters of the State of Minnesota, and showing the final status of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District of Minnesota for a period beginning with its organization and ending September 13, 1921.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Showing disbursements of Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District from its organization, March 23, 1920, to September 13, 1921.

Expended for—	Red Lake Project	Clearwater Project	Crookston Dyke Project	Grand Marais Project
Salary, subsistence and travel of engineer and assistants for surveys	$ 733.29	$4,826.12	$179.25	$168.49
Per diem and expenses of directors, attorney fees, salary of staff, publishing notices, etc	883.45	1,029.50	283.62	232.51
Total	$1,616.74	$5,855.62	$462.87	$401.00
Amount expended by district	$ 870.46	$1,368.38	$373.43	$401.00
Amount expended by state	3,696.64	7,434.38	89.44	
Total	$4,567.10	$8,802.76	$462.87	$401.00

In addition, $1,432.83 was expended in getting the work started, of which $36.40 was reimbursed by the state. Of the balance, $1,396.43, $41.58 is chargeable to Polk County Ditch No. 130; $27.50 to Marshall County Consolidated Ditch No. 1; printing and stationery, $168.96; legal services, $100; fees for bonds, $77.00; per diem and mileage of directors, expenses and salary of staff which have been advanced from the preliminary fund to be charged to projects when ordered, $990.00.

Total of all disbursements by district	$ 4,418.61
Total of all disbursements by state	11,247.92
Total	$15,666.53

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) A. O. BREVIK, Secretary.

St. Hilaire, Minn., Sept. 13, 1921.

TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District of Minnesota.

Gentlemen: I submit herewith a statement of receipts and disbursements from date of organization, March 23, 1920, to September 13, 1921, and the balance on hand at the latter date:

Receipts.

Preliminary fund from counties as per court order:	
Beltrami	$1,766.19
Clearwater	521.03
Koochiching	359.82
Marshall	507.58
Pennington	470.22
Polk	1,082.15
Red Lake	350.84
Reimbursement from state appropriation for surveys	2,601.79
Reimbursement from state appropriation for surveys	238.09
From Farmers State Bank of Gonvick	153.65
Total	$8,051.36
Warrants paid out to Sept. 13, 1921	7,121.90
Balance on hand	$ 929.46
Total warrants paid	[illegible]
Warrants issued by secretary and not cashed	[illegible]
Total expenditures by the district	[illegible]

Respectfully submitted,

GOOD NEWSPAPER IS A CIVIC ASSET AND COMMUNITY BUILDER

By W. L. WARD

Lecturer on Town and Country Development.

A country weekly newspaper doing a business of five thousand dollars a year is worth fifty thousand dollars to the business and professional men of the community, and can be made worth one hundred thousand dollars a year to them. If you don't believe that statement try to get along without your paper.

To talk of "supporting" your newspaper is about as damphoolish as to talk about supporting a store, a bank, or a manufacturing enterprise. You would not be much in the world if you didn't trade in a store, have a bank account and have some outlet for the energy of the citizens.

Too many business men look upon the local newspaper as an incubus, a sort of charity. Yet the local paper is as much a public institution as the public library, the churches, the hospital, or even the commercial club—with the difference that it gives more direct returns in dollars and cents to the individual and to the community at large.

When a business man advertises in his local newspaper, it is with avowed intention of building up his business; but he really also helps to build up the town and everything in it. The professional man does more, because his advertising helps the town more than it does him—directly. The man, business or professional, who does not pay his share of the town's publicity is a parasite, taking advantage of his fellow men.

Can't you tell what sort of a town a place is from the looks of its newspaper? If the paper is of the boosting sort, and is backed up by the business and professional men, doesn't the town get a reputation for being progressive?

The newspaper's stock in trade is publicity. You would not go into a store and ask the proprietor to give you a pair of shoes, for instance; yet too often the publisher is asked to give his stock in trade—advertising for the individual or the city—or sell it for less than cost. If you could keep count of the demands of this sort made on your publisher every week you would laugh.

In proportion to the benefits, individual and general, advertising is one of the cheapest things in the world. There are men who will tell you they do not believe in advertising. Do you know why? They are content to gather up the crumbs that fall from the table of the progressive merchant who advertises his business and his town; their buying instinct is aroused, and they visit other stores. The advertiser gets direct returns, but the others take advantage of his expenditure without a cent of cost.

You expect your publisher to boost your town as one of the best on God's green earth. He is asked to do things for which nobody will father the responsibility. Every time there is a civic opportunity, you call on him for help. You know the functions and value of your newspaper as well as I do; so why elaborate?

Let me tell you, positively, that even a mediocre newspaper is a great factor in the growth and advancement of a community. There is never a time when advertising will not pay. If you do not owe a debt of obligation to your newspaper, you owe it to your community. The community has a right to expect your co-operation in making the newspaper representative in your community.

Every time your name is published in a list of contributors to some charity that is advertising—free advertising that the publisher gives cheerfully, because it boosts the town.

Every bit of publicity produces direct and indirect results for the man who pays for it; it produces results for every other business and professional man in the town whether or not he evades his responsibility. It produces results for every man, woman and child of the community.

Or, do you think that a few business and professional men should carry their share of the town publicity, while some others evade their responsibility?

The newspaper is a civic asset and a civic responsibility. That burden of responsibility should be borne by the business men of the town as they are the ones who benefit most. And that burden should be divided in strict proportion to the benefit possible of attainment.

Opportunities

Banks, wholesale houses and business concerns of all kind want young men and women with a business education. To qualify for a good position takes but a short time and costs but little. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog, and find out what this successful school can do for you.

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Also a good assortment of hats from $3 to $5
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(Prepared and ordered published in behalf of Beatrice Hieber by Jerry O. Yetter, Secy., Thief River Falls, Minn. Amount to be paid $2)

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Place your order now and you are assured a good selection, neat engraving and prompt delivery.

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6 Dessert spoons	$5.00
6 Teaspoons	$3.50
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Berry spoons	$2.85
Cold meat forks	$1.35
Pickle forks	95c

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Stroble and family of Angus visited last Sunday with Mrs. Stroble's father, P. Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson left Saturday evening for Gully to spend Sunday with relatives.

Albert Stengelson and Miss Lyda Batten, student and teacher from the Thief River Falls schools, spent the week-end at their respective homes here.

Miss Anna Tharaldson returned on Monday to resume her teaching at Busy Bee after spending Sunday at Thief River Falls with her folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mosbeck left the middle of the week for Crookston to make their future home.

Mrs. A. C. Vorseth of Thief River Falls arrived Tuesday to spend a few days with former neighbors.

John Sorenson and Joel Shoberg motored to Goodridge last Sunday.

Mr. Shorts and family, who have been operating the old Rux farm near Holt the past year, returned to Kenmare last Wednesday.

Peter Mellem was at Viking between trains last Thursday attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stromberg and family and Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and family of Thief River Falls were Sunday guests of Mrs. Eva Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen.

Miss Gena Aos of Thief River Falls and Miss Agnes Mosbeck of Wylie arrived this week and will be employed at the L. L. Furan and A. S. Holm homes respectively.

L. L. Furan left last Wednesday for Minneapolis to attend to business for a few days. He will later go to Slayton to visit his parents and a brother until next week.

Aslak Bergland of Bemidji, formerly a farmer south of town, came up last Sunday for a brief visit with A. O. Bergland.

Enoch Nelson and Lewis Alby motored to Rapid River on Sunday.

A large assemblage met at the Ole Alby home last Sunday in a surprise party and left as a remembrance a beautiful oak rocker. The visitors came equipped with luncheon for the entire party.

Miss Esther Thoreson, who had been employed at Thief River Falls for some time, came home last week.

A new 34-foot flag pole has been erected on the Rosebank school grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gullseth motored to Benwood on Sunday to visit at the Alec Gullseth home.

Mrs. Morris Halvorson of Viking spent Saturday at the home of her father, J. E. Hellquist.

John Hellquist spent Saturday at Warren attending to business matters.

Mrs. Carl Stromberg of Dakota Junction arrived on Wednesday for a day's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth.

Rudolph Sagmoen is on the next grand jury at Warren and has been summoned for Nov. 28.

Mrs. A. S. Holm and daughter arrived home Saturday from the hospital at Thief River Falls.

The attendance at Rosebank has reached 31. Those having perfect attendance records during October are Willard, Barton and Violet Furan, Gleanard Sagmoen, Herman, Emil and Alma Axelson, Gladys Nikkins, Genevieve Swanson, Clarence and Myrtle Hellem and Clara Thoreson. The school has become an auxiliary of the Red Cross and the enthusiasm to help the great cause is wonderful. A candy and lunch sale for the benefit of the Red Cross will be held at the school house Saturday evening, Nov. 5. Come and bring all of your friends.

About 100 people attended the annual Ladies' Aid auction and lunch at the Rindal church Saturday evening and everything went off in a very satisfactory manner.

The annual meeting of the Wildwood Cemetery association will be held at the home of John Bloom on Monday evening, Nov. 7. Election of officers and other business.

Swedish services at the church in town next Sunday evening at 8. Rev. Brotts of Viking will preach.

Mrs. Per Person arrived Wednesday from Harding, Mont., for a visit with her brother, Ben Peterson, and family. Ben had not seen his sister since he left Sweden about 30 years ago and the meeting was a pleasant one for both.

Benhard Ranum returned on Tuesday from St. Paul, where he had been with a shipment of stock. Another car will be shipped next Saturday.

Geo. W. Babb of Cambridge was in this vicinity a few days this week looking after some real estate north of town which he owns.

Several members of the Mrs. Axelson family motored to Warren last Friday to attend the funeral of John B. Nelson, an uncle of Nels Axelson, who died on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melachek arrived Wednesday from New Prague and had with them a carload of stock, machinery and supplies which will be used on their farm north of here. John left a few weeks ago for New Prague a single man and now returns with a wife, who is a sister of J. J. Serbus of this place.

O. J. Dahl shipped another carload of potatoes from his farm on Wednesday.

Miss Viola Axelson, who has been employed at the Viking hotel, came home last Thursday.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Arno Steinhauer were business callers at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Ingvard Peterson called on Alfred Skahl Wednesday of last week.

Jacob Klungness is hauling lumber from Thief River Falls to build an addition to his barn.

Torkel Ose was busy last week husking corn which he bought at the Penaluna sale.

The rag ball social in the Riverside school house last Saturday evening was well attended. Over $22 was taken in and everybody had a good time.

Carl Guttrue last week traded off his Ford attachment for an Overland truck.

There will be a basket social in the Soredahl school house Saturday evening, Nov. 12.

J. A. Russell and son, Irvin, were taken to the hospital at Thief River Falls Friday. Their car was thrown off the crossing by the Great Northern train. Mr. Russell had three ribs broken and a fractured hip bone, and Irvin received a bad cut above one eye. Both men are on the road to recovery.

The Saterdahl Ladies' Aid will hold their annual sale at the Riverside school house, Saturday, Nov. 19, beginning at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Dinner and lunch will also be served by the ladies. Everybody welcome.

STEINER

Steve Warring went to Hibbing with a shipment of poultry last week.

J. A. Russell and son, Irvin, were quite badly injured when their auto was struck by a Great Northern passenger train on a crossing at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Arthur Muzzy, who has a road contract a mile north of this place, is getting along fine. With a few more days of this weather he will have it completed.

John Swenberg has been hauling wood out west.

Arthur Simonson helped Henry Rogers load Mr. Russell's car onto a wagon and Mr. Rogers hauled it out to the Russell farm. It will require considerable repairing before it runs again.

Willis Warring has bought a feed cutter and will cut his fodder up into ensilage for his cows.

Ernest Slack made a business trip east of Thief River Falls the last of the week.

Mrs. Rogers and daughter, Jessie, called at the Frank Slack home Sunday afternoon.

Gladys Russell visited over Sunday with her sister, Grace, returning to her school work in Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Rene Werner is getting his fall plowing well along.

Ole Berg has been plowing for Mr. Olson east of Holt with his tractor.

A social was given at the Russell school house Saturday evening. A good crowd and a fine time are reported.

Will Meyers is visiting at home this week. He has been working out east on ditch work.

Mrs. Henry Sande was shopping in Thief River Falls last Friday.

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Approves Beer Bill.

Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellon on Monday approved and signed regulations providing for the manufacture and sale of beer for medicinal purposes. The regulation has been held up for months pending action by congress on the Willis-Campbell beer bill. Secretary Mellon came to the conclusion that his department has no longer the right to withhold regulations that were required by existing law, it was stated.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four piece mahogany living room set. Call phone 85. 39p

FOR SALE—I have three good self feeder stoves for sale at $15, $18 and $20 each, including pipe and damper. J. L. Bean. 40p

FOR SALE—Upright piano, $175. Call 1209 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 338. 41

FOR SALE—Milch cow. Inquire of John Borgen, Rt. 3, City. 39p

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—Good farm horses and fresh milch cows. D. G. Brownlee, Mavie, Minn. 41

FOR SALE—Household goods consisting of furniture, cook stove, heating stove for both coal and wood. For particulars see Bottem Hardware Co. 39

FOR SALE—Fine quality steam evaporated sorghum syrup in 5, 10, 15, 30 gal. containers or six pail case, $1 per gal. Fred Wolfram, Rt. 1, Belle Plaine, Minn. 39p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Registered roan Shorthorn bull, Brave's Lad No. 404113. Albert Hammarsten, Kratka, Minn. 40p

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 303. 41

FOR SALE—Buffalo coat with otter trimmings. Excellent condition. Price $300.00. E. T. Lacey, 725 Kendall Ave. N. 38tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn, good well, three lots, located on corner of Fourth Street and Knight Ave. N., known as the Severson property, for sale cheap. Possession can be given Oct. 1. John Bratrud. 34tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain or for rent, four acres land, 9 room house, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, berry bushes, strawberries; several other buildings. Inquire at Times Office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Fresh cows. Inquire of F. T. Satre. 40p

FOR SALE—Dry and green pole wood, cord and stump wood. Ristau Bros., two miles south and three miles west of Thief River Falls. 39p

FOR SALE—Property at 112 Knight Ave. S. Three rooms. See Ed. Severson. 35tf

FOR SALE—Most desirably located and thoroughly modern home. Easy terms. Inquire Hager Land Co. 25tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
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FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

TO EXCHANGE—Land for good automobile. W. A. Bishop. 37tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One business lot near First National bank; thirteen dwelling lots on Arnold north; house and two lots near hospital; three automobiles. Inquire Hager Land Co. 36tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT

FARM FOR RENT, sale or trade. About 8 miles east of Thief River Falls. H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Nebr. 39

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 34 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

WANTED—A part time job. Can work from 9 to 11:30 and 1 to 5. Phone 545-W 40p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. F. C. Nickel, 503 Arnold Ave. N. 39

WANTED—Woman to help with washing at house one day each week. D. C. Paine, 111 Main Ave. S., Phone 432. 39p

WANTED—Man to do chores and take care of stock on farm near city during winter. No cigarette smokers need apply. T. K. Rynestad. 39p

WANTED—A cook on the P. Frost Spaulding farm by Nov. 1. Walking distance to town. Inquire of Mrs. G. T. Peterson, Warren, Minn. 40

LOST

LOST—Sunday morning between M. E. church and East Side drug store, one Past Matron's pin, Order of the Eastern Star. Finder will please leave at East Side drug store and receive reward. 39

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—One second hand set of Encyclopedia Britannica, late edition. Phone 78. 40

TAKEN UP—At my place about one month ago, red steer calf. Aug. Carlson, Rt. 1, Town of Sanders. 40p

BACK AGAIN ready for weaving. Bring in those carpet rags to 110 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britton. 41p

STRAYED—Eight calves from my place near Highlanding about four weeks ago. Anyone taking them up will please notify the undersigned. Anton Horachek, phone through Goodridge. 41p

CIVIL SERVICE examinations in November. Positions $1100-$1500. Age, 18 upward. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, instruction, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 40p

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Legal Notices

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Ida Trickel.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Rose Trickel, Lee Trickel, Claude Trickel and Gladys Trickel, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Theodore Bundy having been filed in this Court, representing that Ida Trickel, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of August, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theodore Bundy, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of October, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
O-27-N-3-10

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by F. B. Gaass and Nettie E. Gaass, his wife, to J. A. Childs, bearing date the 15th day of August, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of August, 1916, at eight o'clock A. M., in Book 57 of mortgages, on page 41, given to secure the payment of the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1,500.00) and interest according to the terms of one certain promissory note described in said mortgage, dated August 15th, 1916, due August 15th, 1921, with interest payable at the rate of six per cent per annum, according to five coupon interest notes attached thereto; the fifth of which was for Ninety Dollars, ($90.00), due August 15, 1921; upon which coupon and principal note, there was default in the payment of both, which default has continued to the date of this notice by the failure and neglect of said mortgagors to make payment of said principal note and interest, to-wit: Fifteen Hundred and Ninety Dollars, or any part thereof.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice, the sum of Sixteen Hundred One and 13-100 Dollars, ($1601.13); and

WHEREAS, the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to cover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the same mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The East Half (E½), of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and Lots Three (3) and Four (4), of Section Nineteen (19), also known and described as the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of said section, all in Township One Hundred Fifty Three (153), North, Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth P. M. in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing One Hundred Fifty-eight (158) acres more or less, according to Government survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Fifteen Hundred Dollars, ($1500.00) and interest, and Twenty-five Dollars, ($25.00) attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year of the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated September 27th, A. D. 1921.

J. A. CHILDS, Mortgagee.

GEO. B. EDGERTON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
901 Pioneer Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said County at his office in the court house at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscribers at their offices in the City of Alexandria, Douglas County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the day of such service, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to answer your answer to said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Dated October 17th, 1921.

GUNDERSON & LEACH,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Alexandria, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, the object of which action is to have the Court adjudge and determine by its decree and judgment that the Plaintiff Martina Peterson is the owner in fee of the premises described herein and that the Defendants have no right, title, estate or interest in, or lien on the said premises or any part thereof.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41, Block 3, of the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, now a part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat of said Townsite on file, and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage given by Christ Nissen and Sarah Nissen, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 2nd, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of January, 1918, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on Page 554.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $153.08 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $157.38, a total of $310.46 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) of Section No. Six (6), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney's fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 27th day of October, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-3-10-17-24-D-1-8

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Knut T. Roisland and Meranda Roisland, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated December 12th, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of January, 1918, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 550.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $46.31, and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $94.50, a total of $140.81 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼SE¼) of Section No. Fifteen (15) and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½SW¼) and the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SW¼SE¼) of Section No. Fourteen (14) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action at law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1921, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 28th day of October, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-3-10-17-24-D-1-8

BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota.

In Bankruptcy, No. 1791.

In the matter of B. Theo. Johnson, Bankrupt.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota.

B. Theo. Johnson, of St. Hilaire, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 19th day of November, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts, provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 29th day of October, A. D. 1921.

B. THEO. JOHNSON,
Bankrupt.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On this 29th day of October, A. D. 1921, on reading the foregoing petition, it is Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1921, before said Court, at St. Paul, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their place of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1921.

(Seal of the Court)

CHARLES L. SPENCER,
Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSON,
Deputy Clerk.
N-3

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

TAKE NOTICE, That default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Milo G. Drake and Elsie F. Drake, his wife, as mortgagors, to Fred E. Hodgson, as mortgagee, dated July 15, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on December 4, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on page 536.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $60.95 and $330.00 for interest on a prior mortgage covering the mortgaged premises hereinafter described paid by said mortgagee on July 15, 1921, pursuant to the terms of the above described mortgage, and interest thereon since the date of said payment at the rate of 6½ per cent per annum, making the total amount due and payable on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of $395.18. The mortgaged premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and are described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4), and the South Half of the North Half (S½ of N½) of Section Fifty-five (5), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), of Range Forty-four (44), also the South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S½ of SW¼) and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Thirty-four (34) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼ of SE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), of Range Forty-four (44), containing 469.91 acres, more or less.

Said mortgage will be foreclosed pursuant to the statute by a sale of said mortgaged premises, which sale will be made on the 11th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, and the further sum of $420.00 secured by said mortgage, $50.00 attorney's fees, and the expenses of sale.

September 26, 1921.

FRED E. HODGSON, Mortgagee.

N. F. FIELD,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Fergus Falls, Minnesota.
S-29-O-6-13-20-27-N-3

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, no buttons or ... Highest price paid—The Times.

STRAWBERRY OUTPUT BREAKS ALL RECORDS HERE THIS NOVEMBER

Fruit of Exceptional Quality and Unusual Size Still Being Gathered by Pennington County Growers—Fruit Makes Ideal Side Line.

Persons who are still picking sweet pea blossoms in their gardens will have to look to their laurels. The strawberry growers are hot on their trail and bid fair to capture the blue ribbon for late crops.

Mrs. A. Hovland, residing southeast of the roundhouse, has a patch of Everbearing strawberries that is proving a very profitable possession. The plot is only about 21x200 feet in extent, and has perhaps any tract of similar size in the county beaten for productiveness. As a matter of fact there is no telling just how great a crop must be credited to the season as Mrs. Hovland is still picking ripe strawberries from the patch. She has sold over 200 quarts and is still marketing considerable quantities. Besides this she has put up enough of the fruit to last her own household until another crop is ready for gathering next spring. The berries now being picked are from plants put down as late as last June, which gives this enterprising lady another record. The berries ripening at present are as fine in flavor and as large as those grown earlier in the season.

E. F. Franklin of Smiley township is another Pennington county citizen who believes this section is peculiarly adapted to the raising of strawberries. He set out a small tract of the Everbearing variety in May and is still gathering the fruit. The plants began bearing in July and have kept it up ever since. Mr. Franklin brought a handful of samples to town with him on Tuesday. One of the berries in the lot measured four and a quarter inches in circumference when picked. And this is the first of November.

Strawberries grown in this locality will make an ideal sideline for anyone who has the time to devote to their care. Coming onto the market at a time when there is not a fresh strawberry to be had from any other source the fruit should command a premium price.

Home Talent Production of Musical Extravaganza

"Fi-fi of the Toy Shop," a well known and popular musical extravaganza, will be presented at the auditorium on or about Nov. 22. The production will be given under the management of the John B. Rogers Producing company of Ohio. Mr. Rogers and his associates are known from coast to coast as successful producers of amateur theatricals. Their offerings are unusual, combining all of the qualifications which distinguish the best attractions on the road. "Fi-fi," which is one of their best productions, has been presented with amateur talent more than 1,200 times. Repetitions have been necessary in many communities because of the enormous demand for seats. It will be given here with a wealth of pretty costumes, special stage equipment and spectacular effects.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Bernard's church will sponsor the production. Committees have been formed and all who are to have anything to do with the coming event are most enthusiastic. Talent drawn from the musical and histrionic ranks of the city is to be selected at once. Many well known people will take part in the cast and choruses, which are quite large.

GUSTAFSON VISITS GRAIN GROWERS OF RED RIVER VALLEY

President of New Organization Will Speak at Crookston on Monday Evening, Nov. 7.

Grain producers of the Red River Valley will hear C. H. Gustafson, president of the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., explain this nation-wide co-operative grain marketing organization at a meeting to be held in Crookston on Monday evening, Nov. 7, at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the Commercial club hall.

Mr. Gustafson is in Minnesota to assist J. S. Jones, organization manager, in starting active organization work. This meeting will give northwest Minnesota farmers an opportunity to get first-hand information about the Grain Growers, Inc., and to meet the man who, as president, is doing much to make it a success.

The U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., is developing rapidly. Over 20,000 farmers have already signed growers' contracts to market their grain through this organization. Over 600 farmers' elevators have joined this movement. The members to date control over 40,000,000 bshels of grain and it is confidently expected that by the first annual meeting this winter 100,000,000 bushels will be controlled by members. All grain producers in the Red River Valley are being urged to attend this meeting.

Commercial Travelers on Visit.

A large delegation from Minnesota Council, United Commercial Travelers, of this city, will go to Crookston on Friday to assist the council in that town in the initiation of a large class. The secret work will be put on by the degree team from this city. The senior chancellor of the order in Minnesota will also be present for the purpose of delivering an address. On Friday, Nov. 11, the Crookston lodge will return the compliment by sending a delegation to a similar meeting to be held in Thief River Falls.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Lyceum

FRIDAY
Charles Hutchinson
In
"DOUBLE ADVENTURE"

Edgar Jones
In
"SINGLE HANDED SAM"

Pathe Slow Motion, showing the Headlock in a Wresling Match, and Aesop's Fables.
Matinee 3:30—6c and 15c

SATURDAY
Elaine Hammerstein
in
"POOR DEAR MARGARET KIRBY"

From the story by Kathleen Norris. A photoplay that possesses all the power of the original story plus a charm all its own.
Matinee 2:30—6c and 15c

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Constance Talmadge
in
"WOMAN'S PLACE"

This is Connie's latest and best picture and it is very appropriate at this time. Connie is a candidate for Mayor on the People's Ticket. All local candidates are invited to see this picture. Connie can give you the dope that will show you how to beat the other fellow. As added attractions we present

Clyde Cook
in
"THE GUIDE"

Sunday Matinee 2:30—11c and 25c

Hallowe'en Prank Brings Trouble to School Boys

There is a general disposition on the part of the public and authorities to allow youngsters quite a lot of leeway on Hallowe'en, but they are very apt to take advantage of the leniency and carry things too far. This was the result in Thief River Falls.

A lot of boys with a rather abnormal notion of what constitutes fun took 350 chairs out of the assembly room of the Lincoln high school and carried them up onto the roof. According to their own statement the job took two hours.

The next morning Supt. Simley had little difficulty in discovering who the culprits were and brought them onto the carpet. He gave them a severe talking to and then marched them to the office of Mayor Bratrud, where they were put through a course of severe questioning. Upon promising to replace all chairs and promising not to let their exuberance take such violent form another time, they were permitted to depart. The boys promised to pay for any damage that may have resulted to the furniture.

Lloyd Zeh a Benedict; Is Surprise to Friends

A letter from Lloyd L. Zeh, who is now a resident of Flint, Mich., to friends in this city, conveys the information that the former Thief River Falls boy was married on June 14, to Miss Geraldine Rogers in the Michigan city. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rogers, the former being a member of the firm of Congleton & Rogers, clothing and shoe merchants. Mr Zeh says he is in charge of the clothing department of this store. He has been with the concern for two years and is evidently making good.

While his wedding took place some months ago, it will likely prove news to most of our citizens, many of whom have known the young man since boyhood and who will be glad to hear of his success.

When Can Corn Be Used With Profit For Fuel?

The advisability of burning corn for fuel depends upon so many things that no hard and fast rule can be laid down to meet conditions in all localities. In Iowa, where large quantities of coal are mined and can be delivered without long hauls, state college investigators say that nothing is to be gained by burning corn for fuel.

But Prof. E. A. Stewart, of the agricultural physics section of the University of Minnesota, believes that with the price of corn at 25 cents and less a bushel, and when it requires from 70 to 80 pounds of corn on the cob to make a bushel, some farmers can better afford to burn their corn than market it.

"When corn is used for burning," he says, "it gives between 5,600 and 6,000 British thermal units of heat a pound, while coal gives 10,000 to 13,000 B. T. U. for each pound. According to that it would require two tons of corn on the cob to give as much heat as one ton of coal. Coal prices now range from one-half to one cent a pound. Corn at one-fourth cent a pound might profitably be used for fuel."

Corn, however, Prof. Stewart emphasizes, has some speculative value which may be higher than 20 cents a bushel, whereas coal has none. If corn must be sold because of lack of storage capacity or lack of funds, and coal must be bought, it is better to burn the corn, with its price at 25 cents a bushel or less, than coal at the prevailing price of coal, he says. The cost of hauling the corn to town and taking the coal back must be considered, he explains, in deciding what to do.

"The man who has wood to cut should never burn corn," Prof. Stewart says. "Labor on the farm is too cheap to make this profitable."

"Indian John" of Stillwater, famous for his ability in finding the bodies of those who have been drowned, arrived in Warroad Tuesday and left immediately for Elm Point in an effort to find the bodies of John Steen and Garfield Fransson, who were drowned while duck hunting about two weeks ago, says the Baudette Region. "Indian John" seldom fails and it is confidently predicted that he will find the bodies.

Saturday Specials

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SPECIALTY SHOP

Phone your order in; we'll do the rest

"Wear-Ever"
seven-inch
Aluminum HARD THICK SHEET Fry Pan

LIMITED
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This handy "Wear-Ever" Fry-Pan—seven-inch size—will be sold at the special price for a limited time only.

"Wear-Ever" utensils are made from hard, thick, cold-rolled sheet aluminum—metal which again and again has been passed through gigantic rolling mills and subjected to the pressure of huge stamping machines.

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Get Your Fry Pan TODAY!
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HALL BROTHERS CO.

An Answer

To the full-page Political Advertisment Appearing on Another Page in This Paper

The present city administration insists that "Paving is an issue" in this campaign. This is a weak statement, not grounded on fact. The paving is practically completed. The controversy is a thing of the past. Let's forget it and set our face to the future.

We defy anyone to prove that any candidate on the Good Government ticket ever advocated or favored in the least a plan that would put the cost of paving on all of the city, instead of the abutting property owners. This claim by our opposition is preposterous and made by them for the express purpose of clouding the issue.

The candidates on the Good Government ticket with their first announcement made a signed declaration against any suggestion to assess cost of paving to the city at large. This everyone knows. Hence, where is their justification for the headline: "A Tardy Declaration."

In the paragraph of their advertisement under the headline, "A Tardy Declaration," the present city administration fully admits the impossibility of anyone making any change in the paving tax.

We now come to the one serious real issue in this campaign, law enforcement.

The present city government has done all it can to suppress bootlegging and other law violations. They say so themselves. Do you think they have done a good job? Don't you think it is possible to elect a mayor and set of men who can accomplish more along this line?

They say: "Seldom is a drunk person seen on our streets." Such a statement is a joke and is disgusting to every decent law-abiding citizen in this city who knows anything at all about the conditions that have prevailed here the last six months.

Certainly few arrests have been made. Don't we all know it?

Of course the police court records are clear. When there are no arrests the police court has nothing to do.

No arrests, no police court records. This is exactly what the citizens are complaining about.

Poor, blind police force. How they are misunderstood!

If re-elected, the present city government promise to continue their best efforts at law enforcement with the same result they have obtained in the past. VOTERS, DOES THIS SATISFY YOU?

Had the $100 reward by the city administration been posted three or four weeks ago, we apprehend there would have been a rush of claimants for this reward. But now, one week before election, certain lines of business will probably be suspended until after election.

Another point: This reward offer demands conviction. We all know that arrest, trial and conviction would be impossible in the limited period between now and election.

Referring to the advertisement signed by the Mayor in another column of this paper, does he mean that in spite of the very high tax rate now prevailing, that he thinks the city ought to be taxed within the next two years for the very great expense of changing our electric light plant from a direct to alternating current? This improvement has been suggested.

COMMITTEE GOOD GOVERNMENT TICKET.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT
(Inserted on behalf of candidates on Good Government ticket by T. J. Reierson, Secretary, Good Government Committee, Thief River Falls, Minn. for which $30.80 is to be paid.)

MINN. HISTORICAL SOCIETY (2)

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT.
Inserted on behalf of John Bratrud, Carl Froseth, John Dahl, H. A. Brumund, Andrew Ness, Severn Brandon and Ole L. Ihle. J. O. Yotter, secretary of campaign committee, Thief River Falls, Minn. Amount to be paid $61.00.

FACTS ARE STUBBORN THINGS

The issues in the present city campaign are so clearly defined that any person who will impartially view the contentions of both sides should have no difficulty in coming to a conclusion as to which ticket it is to his interest to support. No amount of misleading statements or ambiguous insinuation can change the records of the two sets of men who are asking for the suffrages of their fellow citizens.

The present city administration, all members of which are candidates for re-election, ask the voters to consider their case alone on its merits, leaving the outcome entirely in their hands.

They ask, however, that they be permitted to present a few facts in connection with the administration of city affairs during the past two years, particularly as the candidates on the so-called Good Government ticket have seen fit to raise the issues.

PAVING "IS" AN ISSUE

The statements given out for publication and circulation by the opposition lays particular stress upon the assertion that "Paving Is Not an Issue." The candidates pledge themselves to carry out the present contract if elected, and further disavow any intention of changing the plan inaugurated by the present council in the slightest detail.

While it may be true that it is NOW the intention of these men to go through with the paving undertaking as begun by the present council, it is certain that a majority of them did not always feel that way. As a matter of fact all but two of the men whose names appear on the Good Government ticket as candidates have been among the most consistent and persistent objectors to the paving of our streets. Now that the matter is settled and no longer a subject for discussion they come forward with the promise that in case of their election they will carry out the present contract—something they canno help doing in any event.

People would, however, have greater faith in the sincerity of their protestations if they now devoted some part of their energies to dropping two cases pending in the courts and aimed at preventing the city from proceeding with this improvement. One of the cases is that of T. P. Hamre against the city and follows closely the arguments for an injunction presented in the Oen and Evenson cases. The other is brought by H. M. Hicks and seeks to enjoin the city from selling its certificates of indebtedness for the purpose of raising money to meet paving expenses. While it is true that these actions will perhaps amount to nothing in the end, yet the fact remains that they are on the court dockets and no one except the parties bringing them can cause their removal therefrom at this time.

A TARDY DECLARATION

The denial of any intention on the part of the candidates on the Good Government ticket to assess the paving against all the property in the city, instead of against the property abutting the paved area only, is timely. It is a well known fact that these same men—or most of them—have at different times asserted that the city as a whole should be assessed to pay for this improvement and that all their objections to going ahead with the work would then be withdrawn. Now that the impossibility of any such proceeding has been made clear, these same men come forward and loudly acclaim that they have no intention of making such distribution of the costs.

One thing in connection with this matter should not be forgotten. The city has been put to a very heavy expense in defending itself in the cases brought in the courts by those opposed to paving. They have spurned every attempt on the part of the city council to adjust the matter by some kind of compromise, preferring a policy of costly and vexations delays to gain their ends. In the interest of harmony the present council has at all times stood ready to meet them better than half way on any proposition they might advance, even offering to largely curtail the original paving program if they would stop wasting their own and the people's money in futile attempts to prevent making an improvement demanded by 95 per cent of the citizens. It seemed, however, as if nothing short of a total abandonment of the project would meet their requirements. To have yielded to their demands meant that the city would be forced to stand costly damage suits for breach of contract, would have advertised to the world that the city of Thief River Falls does not live up to its solemn obligations and would in all likelihood let the taxpayers in for the payment of heavy damages.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

There is but one other issue. The claim is made that intoxicating liquors are being illegally distributed in the city and that "blindpiggers" are doing a flourishing business. The Good Government candidates pledge themselves to see that all such places are closed without delay and the proprietors forced to pay the penalty of the law. In reply to this statement Mayor John Bratrud and the present city council make the folowing offer:

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS WILL BE PAID TO ANY PERSON WHO WILL FURNISH THE COUNTY ATTORNEY OR CITY ATTORNEY WITH INFORMATION LEADING TO THE ARREST AND CONVICTION OF ANY PARTY GUILTY OF ILLEGALLY HANDLING, MANUFACTURING OR SELLING INTOXICATING LIQUORS IN THE CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS.

There are no strings to this offer and no one is barred from its provisions.

The probabilities are that there is more or less "blindpigging" and bootlegging going on in the city and neighborhood. In this respect Thief River Falls is perhaps neither better nor worse than other sections of the state and country. The facts remain, however, that there is less of this evil encountered here than in any neighboring community. Seldom is a drunken person seen on our streets and but few arrests have been found necessary on this score. The police department is efficient in keeping the traffic checked, so far as it lies in the power of the law officers to do so. In comparison with neighboring communities the city of Thief River Falls is clean, as our police court records will prove. For any man or set of men to claim the contrary not only leaves their sincerity open to question, but it proves them to be poor observers.

When a prohibition enforcement agent appointed for the state of Minnesota resigns after holding the office for six months because he finds it impossible to cope with the problem presented in attempting to prevent the illegal sale of liquor, is it not asking a great deal of a community with two police officers to rid iself entirely of those who profit by the traffic?

We pledge our continued efforts toward making Thief River Falls a clean, law-abiding city. We stand for a sane, progressive administration of the municipality's affairs and will give our best endeavors to seeing that the money of the taxpayers is economically and judiciously employed. No further paving will be undertaken unless demanded by the taxpayers themselves, it being fully realized that they should have the entire say as to how their money should be spent.

We believe that the liberal minded citizens can find nothing in our records as public servants for which apologies need be made. We have endeavored to give the city a clean, progressive, business-like administration and can only promise in case of election to continue along this line. We shall make no promises before election that will be found impossible of fulfillment after election. The people of Thief River Falls know us and their verdict will be satisfactory, no matter what it may be.

JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor
CARL FROSETH, First Ward
JOHN DAHL, Second Ward
H. A. BRUMUND, Third Ward
ANDREW NESS, Fourth Ward
OLE L. IHLE, At Large
SEVERN BRANDON, At Large

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The Honor Roll.

The requirements for the honor roll are ten honor points. The number of honor points is determined as follows: An A grade counts three points, a B grade counts two points, a C grade counts one point, and grades below C have no value. To be eligible for the honor roll the student must also have an A or B grade in deportment.

The following are the honor students for the first six weeks period:

Freshmen—Katherine Barton, Bernice Erickson, Maxine Johnson, Sara Martinson, Lena Ristau, Evangeline Umland, Liv Vistaunet.

Sophomores—Norma Babcock, Esther Lunsetter, Margaret Melgaard, Hilda Peterson, Gladys Russel, Albert Stengelson.

Juniors—Ole Helle, Esther Larson.

Seniors—Myrtle Myrin, Clara Orzechowski, Bertha Hastad, Alice Bredeson.

Post Graduates—Celia Morrissey, Ruth Matthew, Alpha Bishop.

The Report Card Talks.

Hurrah for the Freshmen! In the last six weeks period the Freshman class was ahead of all the other classes in deportment marks. They didn't have a single "E" or "F" and only two "D's" and nine "C's." The Freshman class is the largest class in high school, but not another class can equal them in deportment even figured in numbers.

Freshmen, let's keep our record clean. Let's not have a single red mark in deportment this year. You have made a good start—keep it up.

Although the Freshmen are green, the other classes can learn some lessons from them anyway. "It is right to learn, even from a Freshman."—Emmet Shanahan, President.

Dramatic Art Play.

A one act comedy, "The Florist shop," was given by the dramatic art club at the Lyceum theatre on Tuesday afternoon and evening. Both performances were well attended, and according to reports we feel sure that it was well liked by the majority of the people who saw it.

The cast of characters was as follows:

Mr. Jackson	Gregory Werstlein
Miss Wells	Mildred Loftness
Mr. Slovsky	Lloyd Alness
Maude	Helen Warner
Henry	Kermit Anderson

The characters took their parts well, Gregory Werstlein taking the part of Mr. Jackson with ease. Mildred Loftness in a very pleasing manner took her part as an old maid who had been engaged to Mr. Jackson. Lloyd Alness as Slovsky and Kermit Anderson as the office boy were the life of the play. Helen Warner as Maude, the office girl, with gum 'n everything, made a decided hit.

The proceeds, which amounted to about fifty dollars, will go to the treasury of the dramatic club.

Our Electric Line.

What is known as the Electric Line is a railway running east from Thief River Falls twenty miles. The stations along the line are Mavie and Silverton. Its eastern terminus is the village of Goodridge.

The trains on this road are run by electricity. Carloads of merchandise, grain, hay, potatoes, etc., are hauled back and forth daily. Two trains for passengers are also run each day.

This electric railway is of great benefit to the farmers living east of town as they can now market their grain and other produce at stations along the line instead of having to make a long day's trip with a load into Thief River Falls. The farmers' wives can take the electric car, come into town, do their shopping and get home again in a few hours, thus saving much time that is valuable to every farmer.—Theresa Fuller, 7A

Our Water Power.

Few if any cities in the northwest can boast of better facilities for power than Thief River Falls. The city is situated on the Red Lake river which is fed from the Red lake. The river supplies an abundance of water. At a point in the center of the city a fall of fifteen feet develops over two thousand horsepower. Part of this power is used to furnish the light at night and power during the day. Thus electric power is furnished for every industry. It is used to drive the large pumps of the city water works. The plant's engineering makes it practically free from destrutive floods in the spring or any time of the year.—Margaret Roark, 8B

Dramatic Club Contest.

The Dramatic club held two meetings on Oct. 26 and 27, respectively. A contest was held each evening for the purpose of choosing six girls of the best ability in dramatics. The girls were divided into two groups of about ten each. The girls of the groups each gave a dramatic poem. They were judged by Miss Soule and Mrs. Korstad of the high school faculty. Three girls were chosen from each group. Those chosen in the first group in the order given: Ruth Knutson, Ella Krohn and Nora Lindquist. Those chosen in the second group were Lucile McGinnity, Shirley Anderson and Lillian Knight. Another contest will be held later at which these six girls will compete against each other and the one chosen as the highest will represent the club in the district contests. The boys will soon hold their contest.—M. M. '22.

Dramatic Club Gives Hallowe'en Party.

Last Saturday night the high school was the scene of a Hallowe'en party.

The evening was spent in playing games, diving for apples and other amusements. A mock trial was given which furnished fun and laughter for everyone present.

Miss Stebbins was the only guest outside of the club itself.

At a late hour a delightful chicken dinner was served after which toasts were given. After this the party ended and everybody went away well pleased.—M. M. '23.

Former Editor of Progress Visits.

The high school students and faculty were pleasantly surprised last week when Dreng Bjornaraa, who graduated last spring, visited us to talk over old times. Incidentally he attended a meeting of the High School Progress staff, of which he formerly was editor-in-chief.

He complimented us very highly on the publications of this year, and encouraged the "Prowler" staff to keep up to the old standard.

Dreng took a very active part in high school activities last year. In addition to being editor-in-chief of the High School Progress he was president of the Senior class and editor-in-chief of the "Prowler."

We regret to say that we have had very few visits from members of the Alumni so far this year. Of course we understand that many are not in the city, but we would like to keep in touch with them and if possible devote a column in this paper to them and their affairs.—M. L. '22.

Simley Speaks.

Superintendent Simley addressed the general assembly last Wednesday at the regular chapel period. He spoke of the common interest that all have, namely that Thief River Falls high school be the best possible, and, as such, the best in the Northwest. To realize this common aim, Mr. Simley pointed out the most important points to observe, the first of which was to systematize the work as far as possible so that the least possible amount of time and energy is wasted. Since school opened in September, the factulty have been striving to reach the greatest efficiency, and the results are shown in the classwork which is being accomplished.

The second point Mr. Simley emphasized was environment, and the third the necessity of the right kind of work. Some have the ability of working harder than others, he explained, but, even so, everyone could expend a little more effort than is being done at present. One of the differences between an ordinary and an extraordinary person, between an average man and a genius, is that the latter has the ability of concentrating his whole self on what he is doing. This makes him capable of accomplishing a greater amount of work. It is the same at school: He who does the best work is he who can work hard when he does work, who is not afraid of each day's tasks but meets them with the only defense possible—work, real honest effort to accomplish something.—A. S. '24.

Washington Notes.

The first, second, third and fourth graders had Hallowe'en parties on Friday and Monday afternoons. Entertainment consisted of peanut races, guessing contests, apple and candy eating contests, making Hallowe'en caps and telling Hallowe'en stories. Refreshments were apples, candy and peanuts.

Pupils of the second grade were favored with a Hallowe'en basket from Mrs. Strupp. Each child received a dainty orange package tied with black, containing sandwich and cookies.

The marching pennants for this week went to the second grade on the first floor and to the sixth grade on the second floor.

Northrop News.

The total enrollment of the Northrop is 341.

Elaine Evenson has re-entered school after an absence of several weeks due to illness in the family.

Carolyn Voelz entered the fourth grade on Monday, Oct. 24.

The pennants for marching were won last week by Mrs. Eyde's first grade pupils on the first floor and by Miss Sandum's third grade pupils on the second floor.

Central Notes.

The 7B history classes are preparing an "Indian Corner." This is to be a collection of interesting Indian relics, most of which have been found in this vicinity.

The past week the seventh geography classes have been making a special study of products of the Atlantic States, such as cotton, tobacco, coal and petroleum.

The pupils of the seventh grade arithmetic classes are taking a keen interest in the diagrams which they spend the twenty-four hours of the day.

All pupils have been given health crusade cards on which they are to keep a daily record of their health chores.

Knox News.

Mrs. H. W. Protzeller visited the third grade Friday afternoon.

The Health Crusade cards were handed out on Friday, and the pupils began the fifteen weeks' contest on Sunday. All are anxious to secure an honor score of 78 points a week, so as to earn gold stars.

The pupils of Miss Jorgenson's room had a very pleasant little Hallowe'en party on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. G. W. Nicholson visited the fifth grade on Thursday of last week.

Work on the new Knox building is progressing rapidly. The plastering in the rooms on the second floor has been completed, and work on the first floor rooms has been begun. A cement walk is also being laid on the north side of the school grounds.

Normal Training Notes.

Amanda Skomedal, Thea Gutterud, Constance Klungness, Thora Moe and Helga Ose spent the week-end at their respective homes near Steiner.

Selma Newton spent the week-end at her home near Thief River Falls.

Myrtle Hanson spent the vacation days last week at her home at Strandquist.

Miss Stapleton: "Give the sounds of 'o,' Selma."

Selma: "I can't."

Miss Stapleton: "You better dissolve partnership with 'can't' and become 'can's' partner."

Miss Stapleton: "Myrtle, give the sounds of 'a.'"

Myrtle, rising: "What, where, oh, I see."

Miss Stapleton: "Borghild, give the rules for marking 'a' and 'e' in pale."

Borghild: "When two vowels are separated by a consonant the first is short and the last long."

Miss Stapleton: "You may pronounce the word as you have marked it."

Borghild: "Pal-lee."

Favorite Expressions.

Miss Perry: "Girls, I want you to be specific, and think!"

Miss Stapleton: "Now, that's the kind of recitation I like. You can't pick a flaw in that."

Jokes and Personals.

Rudy Rice: "Wasn't that the bank that became a State Bank at Philadelphia in 1837? I'm not sure—I can't remember that far back."

Miss Stavig: "Well, now, I'm not quite sure I can remember that far back myself."

Roy Feels Better.

Roy H.: "Say, Steve, I see you've got a new girl you've been flirting with over there."

Steve: "You boob! That's my sister."

Alfred C.: (Translating in Norse) "There are three Mondays in three days—"

Miss Gormley: "Rosseau believed people should go back to nature and lead the simple life."

Bessy: "Back to the farm?"

Miss Stavig: "The third row will now give their reports."

Friedolph: (Moving to back row) "I believe I must have taken the wrong seat today."

Miss Chamberlain: "Russel, why haven't you a Newcomers-Andrews book?"

Russel: "No one has left one on his desk yet."

The assembly room had a visitor the fifth period on Friday in the person of Miss Kitty Catt. When her visit had come to an end she told Mr. Rapacz, "Let me-ow," which he very graciously did.

Miss Gormley: (Dictating) "Egyptian calendar made 4241 B. C."

Cleon B.: (Just waking up) "Is that their license number?"

Miss Gormley: (Giving spelling test) "Peninsula of Sinai."

Herbert Keene: (To himself) "That's where we got the ten commandments."

Mr. Harner: (Speaking about attendance). "Some people stay home to weep over it when the old cow dies."

Miss Esther Hudrath of the class of '21 was a visitor at high school Friday.

Gladys Moland visited with her parents at her home at St. Hilaire over Sunday.

There were only two cases of tardiness in high school on Wednesday. This is good work. Keep it up.

Mr. Harner: "How much would you weigh on the moon, Rudy?"

Rudy: "I don't know."

Mr. Harner: "You've never been there, eh?"

Miss Gormley: "Is there anything more about Rosseau, Henry?"

Henry: "Not just now."

At the fire drill last Thursday the building was cleared in one minute.

Administration's Corner

Night School.

In the First Annual Bulletin of the Thief River Falls Public Schools that was published and distributed shortly before the opening of school last fall, announcement was made that a night school for adults would be organized in case there was sufficient call for it. Plans for the undertaking are now being laid. Before the plans can assume definite form, however, it is necessary to know just what kind of courses are wanted as well as the number wanting each course. The superintendent, telephone number 52, will be glad to hear from anyone interested.

By way of suggestion, the following courses, it is thought, ought to be popular: Reading, writing and speaking English for foreigners. Anyone knowing of persons in need of such instruction will confer a favor by speaking to them and by notifying the school authorities. Courses in citizenship ought also to make extensive appeal. Courses in any academic or regular subject of either grade or high school standing can easily be arranged for. There are many, for instance, who would appreciate a good systematic review of arithmetic. Don't hesitate to call for such a course if you wish it. You will not be the only one wanting it! Commercial subjects have always been in big demand by night school patrons. The same is true of courses in home economics. Sewing, cooking, and millinery might be suggested here. A study and understanding of the scientific principles involved in gas engines and automobiles ought to be of interest to gas engine and automobile owners. So on we might enumerate indefinitely.

In one night school with which the writer is well acquainted, many local business and professional men had charge of courses. The manager of a wholesale house gave a course in salesmanship. The window trimmer in one of the large department stores gave a course in window trimming. A course in sign painting was in charge of a person who had actual charge of this work in one of the business houses of the city. This, again, is mentioned by way of suggestion.

If you can think of anything you want, let us therefore know of it. Try to interest some friend. Two evenings a week for three or four months would probably be the most satisfactory time allotment. This is a detail which is yet to be worked out, however.

T. R. F. Loses to Bemidi.

In one of the hardest fought games of the season our football team lost to Bemidji last Friday afternoon. Both teams played on excellent brand of football, but fate decreed that Bemidji should come out the victor. Their team was much heavier than ours. At the end of the first quarter the score was 6-0 in favor of Bemidji. They failed to kick goal.

The second quarter Thief River came back determined to win, Barzen, Anderson and Holmgren playing in their usual good form. The second quarter ended in a score of 12-0 in favor of Bemidi, but this in no way discouraged the boys, who fought even harder than before.

The third quarter ended in a score of 19-0, Bemidji kicking goal at this time.

The fourth quarter the locals held their own and played much better, not letting Bemidji score.

It should be remembered that Bemidji is not in our district and hence the game with them does not in the least affect our district standing. The only team we have lost to in our district so far is Crookston. Having defeated East Grand Forks, however, and they in turn having won over the Crookston aggregation, gives us as much title to district honors as anyone.

Stephen Here Tuesday.

Next Tuesday will probably be the last time the local supporters of our team will have a chance to see them *in action. A game with the Stephen* high school football team has been scheduled for that date and everyone who is at all interested in football ought to come out and show our team his appreciation of what they have done this fall. We have a very creditable team, one that will do credit to any high school any place. Dope has it that it is going to be another victory for the local team. You can't afford to miss it. Watch for further particulars and in the meantime plan to take time off next Tuesday afternoon to see the game.

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Dr. Spofford

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CREAM RECEIPTS 55 PER CENT OVER LAST SEPTEMBER

First Nine Months' Business is Greater Than For Entire Year of 1920.

The tremendous strides being made by dairying in this section as well as the strong bid for the business of the milk and cream producer made by the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery is shown by the surprising figures given out by Secretary Peter Engelstad covering receipts for the month of September. The increase in the amount of cream received at the institution over the corresponding month a year ago was 55 per cent, the best record yet made. During the first nine months of the present year the receipts at the creamery have been 24,000 pounds greater than for the entire year of 1920.

Many contributing factors are responsible for this result. In the first place the price paid for butterfat at the Thief River Falls creamery is very nearly the highest in the state, according to the report of the dairy and food commissioner. Tests are conducted by persons of long experience in the business and the producer invariably given as high a marking as possible. Returns are promptly made and any advance in the market instantly noted in order that the man who does the milking shall at all times have the best service possible. The Thief River Falls creamery is rapidly becoming one of the really big butter-making plants of the state and its circle of patrons is steadily being widened.

Fifty-eight producers received more than $50 for the products of their herds for the month of September, two of these being in the $200 class while eight others received checks for larger amounts than $100. The average for these 58 top-notchers was just a trifle under $72.

Following is a list of those who received more than $50 for their butterfat during the month:

Hans Anton, $207.93; P. Engelstad, $207.91; Jens Kierk, $143.70; M. T. McFarland, $140.67; Henry Koop, $136.82; C. M. Hoverstad, $135.71; Paul Engelstad, $120.70; Andrew Hoverstad, $118.25; N. A. Nelson, $114.54; S. E. Hunt, $113.19; Mrs. Mosbeck, $92.05; K. Solheim, $87.67; O. S. Breiland, $83.36; C. H. Swanson, $81.61; John Sjolsvold, $80.26; S. Wiberg, $78.99; Joe Oski, $78.17; Gunder Olson, $76.13; A. J. Funnesdahl, $75.86; J. H. Hardesty & Son, $75.04; F. M. Kline, $73.52; Henry Pope, $72.85; Katie Meyer, $71.43; Gust Wilkin, $70.30; Fred Copp, $69.82; Aug. Johnson, $69.12; Silas Torgerson, $68.58; Waldie Christensen, $67.59; R. M. Johnson, $67.15; Aug. Koglin, $66.77; Andrew Aanenson, $66.13; A. K. Haggy, $65.96; Hans Sande, $65.57; Martin Jeppson, $62.56; O. N. Anderson, $62.49; Ole Dahl, $61.39; E. J. Akerlund, $61.31; A. C. Simonson, $61.10; John Johnson, $60.67; John Hellquist, $60.44; Wm. Halber, $60.42; Frank Kainz, $59.89; John A. Sundt, $59.77; Oliver Molstad, $58.95; C. A. Nelson, $57.56; K. Ystesund, $56.84; J. Klungness, $56.31; Ed. Grundhouse, $55.56; Gust Edman, $55.29; Will Smith, $55.05; C. E. Oien, $54.92; O. Odegaard, $53.09; John Kellberg, $53.08; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $52.81; K. Finstad, $52.52; Aug. Carlson, $51.60; Albert Hanson, $51.28; John B. Aandahl, $51.25.

CONSIGNMENT SALE TO BE HELD NOV. 23

Grade Milch Cows, Sheep and Hogs to Be Offered at Crookston Nov. 23.

At a meeting of prominent leaders of the Red River Valley Livestock association held at Crookston last week plans were made to hold a consignment sale of pure bred sheep and hogs and 50 grade milch cows—"springers"—that will freshen soon after the sale. The cows should be from 4 to 9 years old. There is a growing demand through the valley for close springer grade cows. This demand is brought about by reason of the good prices for butter fat and in view of the fact that there is an abundance of cheap feed. Farmers in the valley have come to the right conclusions when they realize that the best money making proposition on the farm this winter will be good milch cows and that the best market for the cheap grain and roughage is in the form of butter fat. This demand for good close springer grade cows is creating a local demand, a demand whereby a farmer who has cows soon to freshen that must be disposed of can realize better values than by shipping to the market. The fact is good milch cows should not be sold on the market this fall.

To bring the best price at a sale of this kind, cows should be in good condition and have evidence of being good milkers. Whenever possible to give, the approximate date of calving will assist in making a good sale. Farmers who desire to consign good grade cows soon to freshen to the Nov. 23 sale are asked immediately to notify O. M. Kiser, secretary of the Red River Valley Livestock association, Crookston, giving number, age, breed and date of calving.

GRAIN GROWERS TO MAKE STATE DRIVE

Co-Operative Marketing Agency to Open Minnesota Office and Sign Up Members.

The U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., will open Minnesota headquarters in St. Paul and begin its membership drive early this month.

J. S. Jones, organization director for the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, has accepted the management of the U. S. Grain Growers' organization campaign in this state. The directors of the farm bureau federation authorized him to conduct the membership drive for the national co-operative grain marketing corporation, while retaining his position as director of the farm bureau's organization department.

Mr. Jones planned to conduct a school for organizers in St. Paul this week.

"We are going to start on a small scale and grow as we go along," he said today. "We are going to present the national marketing plan of the Committee of Seventeen absolutely on its merits, and see that every farmer who becomes a member of the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., understands the plan thoroughly and knows exactly what the marketing contract he signs means.

"The contracts will be the regular five-year contracts of the U. S. Grain Growers, giving the farmers the choice of three methods of selling their grain through the central marketing agency—direct sale, consignment and pooling."

FREIGHT RATE CUT A FARMER VICTORY

Charges on Grain and Hay Ordered Lowered — Bureau Seeks Reductions.

Organized farmers have won a decisive victory in their fight for lower railroad rates, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation says in a report prepared to inform its members that the Interstate Commerce commission has ordered sweeping reductions in rates on wheat, coarse grains and hay.

Following hearings in Washington, at which Thomas E. Cashman of Owatonna testified as the official representative of the Minnesota farm bureau, the commission ordered the rates reduced not later that Nov. 20. The order directs that rates on wheat and hay be cut half as much as they were increased in August, 1920, and that rates on coarse grains be set 10 per cent below the new rates on wheat. It is estimated that the order means a reduction of 25 per cent on coarse grain, and that the average reduction on all commodities affected amounts to 16 or 18 per cent.

The rate slash came just after the American Farm Bureau federation took legal action to force reductions, by filing a formal petition with the Interstate Commerce commission asking that successive cuts be ordered until the whole rate increase of 1920 is wiped out. The farm bureau will continue its fight for lower rates, officers of both the state and national organizations assert.

Too Few Civil Service Applicants.

The Civil Service commission invites special attention to the fact that in examinations held recently in Thief River Falls and other cities throughout the United States for assistant observer, weather bureau, and matron, Indian service, applicants were not secured in the number desired and that these examinations will again be held on Nov. 16 and Dec. 7, respectively.

Persons interested in these or other examinations should apply to the secretary of the U. S. Civil Service board at the local post office for detailed information and application blanks.

A Word of Appreciation.

The members of Minnesota Council No. 521, United Commercial Travelers of America, of Thief River Falls, Minn., hereby extend to the people of Thief River Falls and vicinity their appreciation for the splendid co-operation and patronage at our Annual Benefit Ball on Friday evening, Oct. 28. We are all boosting Thief River Falls.

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Public Forum

Concerning Judicial Ditch No. 1.

Editor Times. Dear Sir:

Your paper being extensively read throughout eastern Marshall and western Beltrami counties, I hope that you will be kind enough to give space for a few words in regard to Consolidated Judicial Ditch No. 1 of said counties. A good many people have an idea that this proceeding was dismissed or "killed" at the June hearing. This is not so and the impression is based upon a misunderstanding. The proceeding was simply continued until the fall term of court and will come up again on Nov. 28. Neither was there any order made to confine or limit this proceeding to the Thief Lake territory as some think there was. As I understand it the matter stands just about exactly the same as it did before the hearing last summer. There is nothing decided one way or another.

I am simply calling attention to this so that there may be no misunderstanding or confusion. Of course it is possible that an understanding may be reached before the hearing this fall by the petitioners and objectors and their attorneys. In any event it is up to the people affected to keep in touch with what is going on from now on until the hearing, and unless they find that a definite settlement or understanding has been reached before that time, all interested parties should be present at the hearing in Warren. Now is the time to be present and have your say; not after the matter is all disposed of. It is just as important to be present at the coming hearing as it was last summer, because the matter will likely be decided one way or another this time.

I do not wish to be understood as urging the people of eastern Marshall county to take any particular stand on this proceeding. Personally I am not in favor of this ditch undertaking. I believe it is the wrong time and could better wait for some years. However, the people of eastern Marshall county have lived there as long as I have and understand the conditions and know the needs of the territory. They are fully competent to decide for themselves what is best and what they want. Find out what the assessments are and consider all sides to the question. I do, however, want to urge the people affected to make their wishes known, in order that the court may have all the facts and be fully advised as to the necessity and desirability of the undertaking, as well as the damages and benefits thereof.

Yours very truly,
H. O. BERVE.

Germantown, Nov. 2.

D. P. O'Neill, member of the state board of grain appeals, came up from Minneapolis last week on business. He gave a very interesting talk at the Commercial club luncheon Thursday noon.

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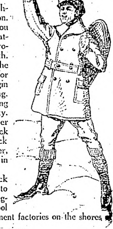

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LEGION INVITES ALL TO ASSIST IN CELEBRATION

All Business Houses in the City Will Close at 11:11 O'Clock Tomorrow Forenoon.

Big Parade Scheduled to Start From Auditorium Promptly at 1:00 O'Clock.

Football Game and Sports Program at Fair Grounds to Follow Exercises.

All business houses in Thief River Falls will close at 11:11 Friday forenoon and will not reopen until the program at the fair grounds has been completed. The people are urged to do their trading before that hour as merchants and clerks will all be wanting to attend the celebration.

Everything is now in readiness for the Armistice Day celebration on Friday. From 11 minutes after 11 in the forenoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon the people of the city will join with the American Legion and Auxiliary in observances honoring those who took part in the late war and also a jollification to celebrate the signing of the armistice.

One of the big features of the event will be the parade, which is to start from the auditorium at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and disband at the same point one hour later. Here the observances in honor of those who died in the service of their country will take place, the program being as follows:

March	Thief River Falls Band
"Star Spangled Banner"	Audience
Quartet—"Ring Out Sweet Bells of Peace." Miss Maude L. Johnson, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Carl Sundahl, E. M. Bennes.	
Requiem	Quartet
Solo—"Mother of Pearl"	Carl Sundahl
Overture	Band
Solo—"Flag of Mine"	Mrs. Fisher
Address	H. O. Chommie
Song—"America Triumphant"	Quartet
"America"	Audience

Fair Ground Exercises.

The sports program at the fair grounds will begin at 2 o'clock. The big feature of this entertainment is expected to be the football game between the local Legion eleven and the team from Cavalier, N. D. The last-named team is one of the best in this section of the country, having defeated the fast Grafton aggregation in a recent game.

Both the auditorium exercises and the fair ground program are free to the public, no charge of any kind being made. Chairman G. L. Sterns of the committee on arrangements hopes that every citizen of Thief River Falls will come out and help the former service men make a success of the undertaking.

Dance in the Evening.

In the evening the famous picture, "Georges Carpentier, the Wonder Man," will be shown at the Lyceum theatre under the auspices of Eklund Post, American Legion. This is an eight-reel film production of the very highest character and shows the famous Frenchman in a four-round bout with an American opponent. An admission charge of 35 cents will be made which it is hoped will cover the actual expenses. This picture has been shown in the larger cities of the country at from one to two dollars per seat.

The day will wind up with a big dance at the auditorium, given by the ladies of the auxiliary. For this the regular charge will be made.

Outsiders Invited.

Eklund Post and the Women's Auxiliary extend a cordial invitation to all service men in the city to take part in these observances. It is also desired that all secret and civic organizations in the city join in the parade, being ready to start at 1 o'clock so as not to delay the proceedings. A large part of the success of this undertaking will depend upon its being carried out according to schedule.

MORE ROAD WORK TO HELP JOBLESS

Highway Department to Continue Operations on Large Scale During Winter.

Gravel surfacing of 18 miles on the Bejou-Waubun section of Minnesota trunk highway No. 30, estimated at $75,000, is part of the big winter program of highway construction announced by Charles M. Babcock, commissioner of highways, following action by congress to provide funds to carry out the "more work—better roads" plan to cut idleness and build needed roads. Five miles of graveling by team is also ordered done on the Holt-Middle River road, at a cost of $12,000.

The first list of 27 winter jobs—25 miles of paving and 274 miles of gravel surfacing estimated to cost $1,687,000—is to be followed soon by others of grading and bridge work, also special team jobs to further relieve unemployed and especially the settlers and farmers of some districts, according to John H. Mullen, assistant commissioner and chief engineer. The tentative plan is to use about $4,500,000 this winter for the dual purpose of reducing idleness and improving roads.

Special efforts are being made to spread the work that many sections may share in the benefits. Several proposed undertakings were postponed until next year because not adapted to cold weather operations. Work is expected to start about Dec. 1. The state law requiring three weeks of advertising, first bids are to be opened Nov. 29 and 30. Then the successful bidders will be made public that job seekers may apply direct to them. The highway department will have no jobs to fill.

THEO. CHITTICK IS ACCIDENT VICTIM

Former Thief River Falls Boy Killed While Hunting Ducks in Vicinity of Duluth.

Theodore Chittick, brother of T. H. Chittick of the local postoffice force, was instantly killed by the accidental discharge of a gun while he was out hunting with a companion on Sunday evening. The boys, both of whom were about 18 years of age, were after ducks at Rice Lake, 30 miles northwest of Duluth. A flock of birds was sighted and Chittick reached back of him for his gun, pulling the weapon forward by the barrel. The hammer caught and the load struck him in the back, causing almost instant death.

T. H. Chittick left this city for Duluth on Sunday night immediately upon being notified of the accident. Miss Blanche Chittick, a sister, who is now a resident of Oregon, passed through here yesterday and was joined by Mrs. Chittick on her way to Duluth.

Deceased was raised in Thief River Falls and lived here until the family moved to the head of the lakes about three years ago.

The family is well known here, where news of the young man's death will cause general sorrow.

Theo. Quale Chairman of Salvation Army Campaign

The Salvation Army will put on a drive for funds with which to carry on the work in Pennington county during the coming year, the dates for the campaign being Nov. 21 to 28 inclusive. An officer from state headquarters was in the city yesterday for the purpose of perfecting the arrangements.

Theo. Quale has been made chairman of the campaign, and will be assisted by Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant and County Auditor T. P. Anderson. All moneys collected will be spent right here in the county and it is probable that much more than is secured will be needed. Last year the collections here amounted to $700 and an additional $1000 was found necessary in order to maintain the branch. This was taken from the funds of other army units in the state having a surplus.

It is deemed better to make one yearly drive in this way rather than depend upon promiscuous solicitation throughout the season for sufficient funds to carry on the work. The Salvation Army is doing a vast amount of good and asks only that sufficient funds be made available for it to continue its program.

No specific sum has been set as the amount to be raised in the county, everyone being asked to donate according to his or her means.

Noted Norwegian Violinist Appears Here in Concert

The famous Norwegian violinist, Daniel Aakhus, assisted by Madam Aakhus, will give a concert in Trinity church on Tuesday evening, Nov. 15. The program consists of violin, piano and vocal solos and readings.

Mr. Aakhus is a scion of one of the best-known musical families in the Scandinavian countries. His father was a violinist of renown and the younger man is said to have inherited much of his wonderful ability. He has appeared in many European capitals as well as some of the larger cities of this country and has everywhere been hailed as a master.

Gravel at Paving Ends.

The city council has directed the graveling of all streets adjoining the paved area during the coming winter. This is thought to be necessary in order to protect the paving from becoming covered with mud in wet weather. A complete street cleaning outfit is also being considered but it is figured that this will not be greatly needed until spring.

ELKS, TAKE NOTICE

It is desired that all members of Elks lodge No. 1308 take part in the Armistice Day celebration by joining in the parade as a body. All members are requested to meet at the lodge room at 12:30 tomorrow in order that the lodge may be fully represented in the parade, which is to start from the auditorium at 1 o'clock.

CITY MERCHANTS TO OPEN STORES ON EXTRA NIGHT

Will Specialize in Accommodating Outside Trade Every Wednesday Evening.

Plan Goes Into Effect Nov. 16 and Is to Be Continued Until Dec. 21.

Gives Those Residing at a Distance Additional Opportunity to Trade Here.

Beginning on Nov. 16 and continuing up to and including Dec. 21, the merchants of Thief River Falls will keep their stores open every Wednesday evening for the particular accommodation of out-of-town trade. This move has been decided on as necessary in order to efficiently serve the people of the section through the early winter. It will also cover the period of holiday shopping and relieve the rush on Saturday evenings, the only night the stores have been open through the summer.

In deciding to keep open two nights a week instead of one, the merchants of the city are complying with a demand that has become very general. There are many persons who find it next to impossible to do their trading during the day who would be glad to visit the city in the evening, provided their wants could be supplied at that time, but who often find it impossible to wait until Saturday nights for the wares needed. It is to meet this demand that the new plan is being put into practice and from the favor with which it is being received there is no doubt but that a popular move has been hit upon.

Most Conveniently Arranged.

With any kind of good luck it should be possible to run autos for another month at least and for those so situated that this class of transportation can be employed the new plan only means another shopping opportunity in the evening. Anyone who must take the trains, however, will be particularly benefited. Those residing at points south on the Soo will be enabled to come up on the local, arriving here at 6:30 and thus be given an hour and a half for their shopping. The night will have to be spent here and the return trip started at 6 o'clock the next morning unless they can finish their business in time to catch the 9:50 train back home. This would mean a minimum loss of time. The same schedule practically would hold good for residents along the Wheat line of the Soo, the only difference being that they would not start for home until TWENTY—8:15 the next day. Passengers coming over the Duluth line will get here at 8 o'clock and leave at 7 the next morning.

Fare Easily Saved.

Thief River Falls merchants intend to make special inducements in order to get the people into the habit of coming to the city Wednesday nights. It is no part of the plan to attempt taking legitimate business away from the country merchant, but there is a large amount of trade now going to mail order houses or to merchandising establishments in the larger cities and it is this business merchants here are going after. Circulars and catalogues announcing special bargains will frequently be sent out, the aim being to convince people living at a distance that they can save time and money as well as secure better service by coming to this city for such of their necessities as cannot be supplied by the home merchant.

Stocks Most Complete.

The merchants of Thief River Falls were never better prepared to meet the demands of the early winter and holiday trade. New goods of every description are arriving daily and a large quantity has already been unpacked and placed on the shelves. One visit to the city by persons who have never inspected these stocks will convince them that they can do better by trading here.

3 MORE CREAMERY UNITS ORGANIZED

Plants Producing Half of State Co-operative Output Join New Association.

Creameries controlling more than half of all the co-operative creamery butter produced in Minnesota have joined the new statewide service organization, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation announces.

The annual output of co-operative creameries which have joined the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, backed by the bureau, amounts to more than 50,000,000 lbs. of butter. The central association, organized to assist the co-operative creameries in improving, shipping, advertising and selling their product and buying their supplies at wholesale prices, now includes 250 creameries, according to A. J. McGuire, organization manager.

Co-operative creameries in two districts already are completely organized for marketing in carlots. Three more districts are ready to organize. These are Districts No. 10, covering Brown, Faribault, Watonwan and Martin counties; District No. 11, Otter Tail, Wadena and Becker counties, and District No. 14, Polk, Norman, Clearwater, Clay, Mahnomen, Red Lake, Pennington, Marshall, Kittson and Roseau counties.

Granted a Divorce.

Judge Andrew Grindeland held a special term of court here on Monday evening, hearing the evidence in the divorce suit brought by Louis Lund against his wife, Ruth M. The plaintiff claimed that the wife deserted him for no valid reason while they were living together at Bayn Falls, Idaho, and is now living at Battle Creek, Mich., under another name. No answer to the complaint was submitted and the decree was ordered entered.

WELFARE BOARDS' REGIONAL MEETINGS

Important Sessions to Be Held in This City Latter Part of November.

Some time during the latter part of this month, the exact date to be announced later, there will be a regional conference of child welfare boards held in Thief River Falls. These conferences will be held in different parts of the state at about the same time and are for the purpose of discussing plans for carrying on the work in behalf of the state's children. Red Lake, Roseau and Marshall counties will be represented at the meeting and members of the committee on arrangements have already been appointed, as follows: Roseau, Mrs. Geo. M. Stebbins; Marshall, Rev. A. T. Tollefsen; Pennington, Mrs. L. G. Larsen; Red Lake, L. E. Healy.

These regional conferences were decided upon by the officials in charge of the enforcement of laws relating to children. Five women in the state were appointed to look after the details by the state board of control, Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls being the chairman for this district. The meeting here will be one of the first to be held and it is expected that attendance will be large and the interest keen.

Besides Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Larsen, the members of the Pennington county board are County Commissioner O. J. Peterson and Peter C. Wold.

There will be two sessions daily during the conference. At the morning meeting only board members, probate judges and county attorneys will be present. Evening sessions will be open to the general public. William Hodgson, director of children's bureaus, will be here, and it is expected that one member of the board of control and one from the state university will attend the meetings to give instructions on child welfare.

Federal Veterinarian to Make Headquarters Here

Dr. O. B. Peterson of St. Paul, a member of the Federal Livestock Sanitary board, will arrive in Thief River Falls in a day or two for the purpose of making his headquarters here. Dr. Peterson will have charge of the testing of cattle for tuberculosis, his district extending from the southern boundary of Pennington county northward to the Canadian line and including the western section of Beltrami county. Office space will be provided for the new department with the farm bureau.

Farmers may now make applications for tests at any time and the same will be conducted without delay. The service is free to farm bureau members and there is constant demand for tests of this kind. It has been proven that tuberculosis will spread to human beings using the milk of infected cows and this cattle testing campaign is to a certain extent a part of the program of tuberculosis control now being carried on by state and nation.

Pennington county already has the greatest number of tested and accredited herds in the country and with a resident veterinarian within easy reach it is thought that all danger from infection through this source will have been removed within a short time.

Attending Reunion.

T. J. Rowan leaves for St. Paul tonight to be present at a reunion of of members of the Russian Railway Service corps which served in Siberia and Manchuria during the war. Friday, also being Armistice Day, will mark the fourth anniversary of the date upon which the corps left St. Paul on their long journey across the Pacific. G. P. Hinton, train dispatcher, and A. G. Greenseth, roundhouse foreman, also members of the Siberian expedition, are not yet certain as to their ability to get to the reunion.

ATTENTION, ODD FELLOWS

Members of Young Pine lodge, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at the lodge rooms at 12:30 on Friday for the purpose of taking part in the Armistice Day parade. It is earnestly desired that every member be present as a mark of respect for the men who gave their lives for their country in the great war.

MAYOR BRATRUD RE-ELECTED; ALL MEMBERS OF OLD COUNCIL RETURNED BY BIG MAJORITIES

People Indicate Approval of Present Administration by Most Decisive Vote in City's History—Ed. M. Evenson For Treasurer Only Successful Opposition Candidate—More Ballots Cast Than at Presidential Election a Year Ago—Women's Vote Large Factor in Result—Outcome in Neighboring Cities.

Mayor John Bratrud and members of the present city council were re-elected on Tuesday, Mr. Bratrud's vote being nearly three times that of his opponent, W. W. Prichard, Jr., candidate on the Good Government ticket. The councilmen running with him on a city development issue were all returned by substantial majorities. Ed. M. Evenson, present treasurer, was re-elected, being the only man not on the ticket headed by Mr. Prichard to make the grade.

Mrs. Beatrice Hieber, who was brought out by the city development people at the close of the campaign as an opponent to Mr. Evenson, made a good run but could not quite keep up to her team mates. It was the first time a woman was presented as a candidate in a municipal election in this city.

Councilmen Easy Winners.

The victory was even more complete than the most sanguine among the supporters of the city development advocates hoped for. A sharp campaign had been made against the men now in charge of municipal affairs and alleged laxity in the enforcement of law was made a leading issue. That the voters did not consider the claims put forth by the opposition as particularly valid is evidenced by the result.

"It has been generally understood that the result of this election would indicate whether or not the people as a whole approved the council's action in undertaking the paving of the city streets at this time. The council has been under fire from certain quarters for not postponing or abandoning this improvement and the verdict of Tuesday was regarded as a sort of test as to the popularity of their action. If such was the case there can no doubt remain but that the steps taken to insure paving at once was most popular.

Following is the vote on mayor by wards:

	Bratrud	Prichard
First ward	357	154
Second ward	325	138
Third ward	241	71
Fourth ward	372	111
Total	1295	474

The largest vote was cast in the First ward, where Carl Froseth is returned by a majority of 205 over Olaf Tessum, who was placed upon the ticket upon the withdrawal of M. V. Evenson after the latter had filed his petition. John Dahl in the Second leads C. D. Gustafson by considerably better than two to one. Practically the same ratio holds good in the Third, where H. A. Brumund received a majority of 77 out of 291 ballots cast. Andrew Ness had no opposition in the Fourth.

Ihle and Brandon Win.

The two councilmen-at-large, O. L. Ihle and Severn Brandon, made exceptional runs, the former getting 1031 votes and the latter 973, as compared with 576 and 573 for F. F. Haynes and F. C Dablow respectively.

Following is the vote by wards for the four candidates, two of whom were to be chosen:

	Brandon	Ihle	Haynes	Dablow
First	275	300	162	171
Second	237	117	187	185
Third	166	204	91	76
Fourth	298	290	136	141
Total	976	1031	576	578

The vote for councilmen in the different wards was as follows:

First ward:	
Carl Froseth	352
Olaf Tessum	147
Second ward:	
John Dahl	313
C. D. Gustafson	136
Third ward:	
H. A. Brumund	184
C. W. Vornchek	107
Fourth ward:	
Andrew Ness (unopposed)	427

Heavy Vote Cast.

The total vote cast on Tuesday was the heaviest in the history of the city. There was a large woman's vote but even with this deducted the showing would have been exceptional. Two years ago, with only the men voting, there was a total of 665 votes cast for the two mayoralty candidates as compared with 1770 on Tuesday. In the presidential election last year, when women voted for the first time, the total vote cast was 1702, or 68 less than on Tuesday.

Booth Winner at Crookston.

Charles P. Booth was elected mayor of Crookston on Tuesday, receiving 971 votes to 819 for his opponent, F. A. Grady, present mayor. Other officers elected were as follows: Municipal judge, J. A. Hendricks; city clerk, Miss Bergetta Loken; treasurer, E. E. Rossberg; assessor, S. L. Collins; alderman-at-large, O. Merell, Jr.; justices of the peace, S. K. Sorenson, J. D. Ball; aldermen—First ward, Wm. Kohler; Third ward, J. J. Padden; Fifth ward, C. R. Decker; Seventh ward, John Saugstad; constable, John Carter.

Result at Red Lake Falls.

G. J. Marchildon was elected mayor of Red Lake Falls, defeating L. E. Healy by about 100 votes. Mrs. Anna Jensen was elected treasurer over Gilbert Huot by a very narrow margin.

Aldermen were elected as follows: Third ward, Dan Guerin over S. C. Shockley; First ward, J. S. Draeger, without opposition Second ward, Leo Steinert, without opposition; at large, Fred E. Cyr and E. A. Nelson, without opposition. W. H. Fisher was elected assessor over Franz Freund by about 25 votes. About 500 votes were cast in the election.

MAYOR THANKS VOTERS

To the Voters:

I want to thank the voters of the city for the splendid support and vote that was given me in the election which has just been brought to a close.

I regard the result of the election as an endorsement, not so much of myself personally, as of the administraiton of the affairs of the city for the past years.

I appreciate keenly the honor that the public has again conferred upon me and desire to say that I shall be proud and glad to serve the community to the best of my ability. I bespeak the wholehearted co-operation of every citizen to the end that the entire community may prosper in its endeavors and that the city of Thief River Falls may in earnest step out on the road of progress which is now open before it.

Respectfully,
JOHN BRATRUD.

VICTORS APPRECIATIVE

The undersigned wish to voice their deep appreciation for the confidence in them indicated by the voters on Tuesday last. We do not regard the result in the light of a personal triumph but rather as an endorsement of the policies we have endeavored to carry through.

We wish to assure the people of the city that we shall continue to serve them to the best of our ability, having at all times in mind the greatest good to the greatest number. We shall always be thankful for any suggestion or assistance that will help us to better serve the people who have again honored us with their confidence.

CARL FROSETH,
JOHN DAHL,
H. A. BRUMUND,
ANDREW NESS,
O. L. IHLE,
SEVERN BRANDON.

Former Plummer Merchant Engages in Business Here

Alcid Morrisette, for many years engaged in the general merchandise business at Plummer, has rented the Halseth building, 221 Second street east, and will within a few days open with a full line of staple and fancy groceries. Mr. Morrisette has had many years experience in the business and will put in a high grade stock.

The building has been remodeled and repainted throughout. The partition formerly extending through the center has been removed, providing a floor space 20x40 feet.

The new store will be conducted strictly on the cash-and-carry plan, Mr. Morrisette believing that this will prove the most satisfactory to all concerned, permitting close selling because of lower overhead.

Tax Payment Better Than At Same Period a Year Ago

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud has just completed the work of tabulating the tax receipts for the last day on which the payment of taxes was allowed without penalty—Oct. 31. He finds that the total amount paid in at his office on that day was $87,360.34, divided as follows:

Currnet tax	$67,210.67
Interest and penalty	308.29
Delinquent taxes	443.42
Private redemption	253.21
Mort. Reg. tax	89.90
Misc. road collections	19,041.85
Inheritance tax	3.00

The collections for the half year ending on March 31 were considerably higher, totaling $103,693.96, it always being the case that the first half-year payment is the largest. The receipts on Oct. 31 a year ago were $59,324.21.

Numerous Attractions for Market Day at Goodridge

A market day, patterned after those inaugurated by the merchants of Thief River Falls, will be an event at Goodridge on Saturday, Nov. 12. The business men of the [illegible] part of the county have joined hands in an attempt to stimulate trading and are making some particularly interesting offers. The Thief River Falls plan of free merchandise donations will be followed and the day will be made a general outing event for the entire neighborhood. The excellent Goodridge band will furnish music all day and everything possible will be done for the entertainment of the visitors.

President Will Be Heard By 3 Audiences at Once

Thousands of people gathered together in two vast audiences, one at New York and the other at San Francisco, will hear President Harding's address and the fuenral service over the body of an unknown American soldier at Arlington National cemetery, Washington, D. C., on Armistice Day, Friday. Telephone equipment will be installed in front of the president's stand in the huge Arlington amphitheatre, which will carry the president's voice over wires to New York and San Francisco, where it will be transmitted to audiences through loud speaking devices recently perfected by the engineers of the Bell System. Through "loud speakers" installed at Arlington, the president's words will be carried to the thousands of United States troops and civilians assembled about him on the hillsides who otherwise would not be able to hear.

Councilman Improving.

Councilman Severn Brandon, who has been confined to his home with a severe attack of blood poisoning during the past ten days, is slowly recovering and the doctors now consider him out of danger.

MAYOR'S ARMISTICE DAY PROCLAMATION

TO THE CITIZENS OF THIEF RIVER FALLS:

Friday, the 11th day of November, being the third anniversary of the cessation of hostilities in the World war and also the day on which will be gathered in conference at Washington representatives of the leading powers of the world in an endeavor to supplant the instruments and burdens of war with the privileges and blessings of peace, I, as Mayor of the City of Thief River Falls, call upon the people of this city in recognition of the serenity and world-wide importance of the occasion, to refrain during said day after 11:11 o'clock A. M. from all business activities and to assemble at the Auditorium at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of said day to partake of the general Armistice day program given under the auspices of the American Legion and which will be the general public meeting of the day, and upon each and all to implore the blessings of the Supreme Being on the deliberations of all conferences whose conclusions at Washington will be fraught with the greatest of all consequences to all people for all time and over all the earth.

And especially do I call on all citizens of our city to stand in response to the request of the president of the United States in due observance of the sacredness of the ceremony in reverential prayer for the full time of two minutes from and after the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M. on that day, while there shall be laid to rest in our national cemetery the mortal remains of the unknown soldier who gave the last and fullest measure of devotion to his country and to his God.

Also, all those who can, fly at half mast the American flag during the entire day.

Given under my hand and seal this 7th day of November, 1921.

JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.

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ONE DAY SALE AT LOKEN BROTHERS

One Day Only SATURDAY NOVEMBER 12 **One Day Only**

We have determined to make Saturday, November 12th, the biggest day in the history of our store and we have arranged the greatest list of special offerings that have ever been presented to the people of this vicinity. Every department has a large list of specials for this one day. In fact everything in the store will be marked at a price Saturday to make it sell and sell fast. We must break all records and we are going to do it. Read the specials listed on these two pages and then be at the store early Saturday morning to get first choice.

The New Bargain Basement Offers 350 Blankets on Sale

This sale comes just at the right moment. Here are Cotton, Woolnap and Wool Blankets, any size in pretty plaids and checks.

A JUMBO SIZE BLANKET 74x80

A pure cotton blanket with a soft nap, with stitched edges. Pair.

$2.49

Nashua Woolnap Blankets

$3.69

Size 70x80. A long, fleecy nap, soft, warm and comfortable blanket, in many patterns, plaids and checks. Special sale price, per pair

THE PLAID BLANKETS Size 66x80

In all the delicate colors, pinks, blues and tans, and feels just like wool. Buy two or three at this low price. Pair

$2.98

DAINTY CRIB BLANKETS

In all the baby colors and especially soft and nappy.

49c

BLANKETS, Lot 1, size 72x80, a large size, in light and dark colors, pair **$3.49**

BLANKETS, Lot 2, size 45x60, a pure cotton blanket for a single bed. Pair **89c**

BLANKETS, Lot 3, size 72x80, a heavy warm blanket at this bargain price. Pair **$3.79**

BLANKETS, Lot 4, size 72x80, an extra value in a wool nap blanket. Pair **$4.98**

BLANKETS, Lot 5, size 60x80, a wool mixed in plaids and stripes. Pair **$5.95**

LARGE CRIB BLANKETS

A larger blanket and made up so new in design, with so much warmth.

99c

All Wool Coats

$9.95

All Wool Coats, Women's and Misses' sizes, 16 to 44, over 100 garments to choose from; values to $35.00. Here only, choice

$9.95

SATURDAY ONLY

36-in. Percales 15c

Scoutes high grade yard wide Percales in over 100 patterns to choose from. Dark or light patterns, at per yard

15c

Loken Brothers—Basement

SATURDAY ONLY

Outing Flannels 12½c

Hurry before we are sold out. Outings have gone up 2½c wholesale. This week only

12½c

Loken Brothers—Basement

SATURDAY ONLY

All Wool Serge 69c

40 and 36 in. Good quality Serge in all colors, such as brown, navy, black, wine, etc; limited quantity only, at per yard

69c

Loken Brothers—Basement

SATURDAY ONLY

Towels 39c

Big heavy Turkish Towels, a year ago 85c values. Some leader at each

39c

Loken Brothers—Basement

Basement Ready-to-Wear Bargains

Silk Waists $2.95

Georgette, Satin, Crepe de Chine, all colors, all sizes. Each **$2.95**

Kimonos $1.49

Flannelette, in pretty new colorings, designs and styles, all sizes. Each **$1.49**

Heavy Bath Robes $3.95

All sizes, beautiful new dark shades. A wonder value at **$3.95**

All Wool Flannel Middies $3.95

All sizes, in red or navy blue, beautifully gold and white trim. Each **$3.95**

Girls' Bath Robes $2.95

Girls' Beacon Heavy Indian pattern Bath Robes, wonderful patterns; $5 values, Saturday **$2.95**

All Wool Plaid

$10.00 Skirts $5.95

Wonderful values—You'll say so, too. Come and see them. Choice **$5.95**

Beautiful Silk at Savings!

Kimono Silks $1.39

Four beautiful patterns in new flowered and oriental kimono silks. Special here only, yd. **$1.39**

36 in. Tricolette $1.39

A wonder silk value; plenty of black, white and all colors. Per yard **$1.39**

Silk Taffeta $1.69

Good quality, heavy black taffeta, special yard **$1.69**

Dutchess Satin $1.69

36 inch heavy black Dutchess satin. Special here only at per yard **$1.69**

$3.00 Mill End Silks $1.39

A big selection of sport lengths. Run of the mill silks of all kinds; $3.00, $2.50 and $2.00 values, at per yard **$1.39**

Georgette Crepe $1.39

Forty inch extra heavy all silk crepe de chine—a fine quality with weight. Full line of colors; also black and ivory. Special **$1.39**

$2 Crepe de Chine $1.39

Forty inch heavy all silk crepe de chine in ivory, black, light and dark colors—for lingerie dresses, blouses, etc. Very special, per yard **$1.39**

Loken Brothers—Basement

Dress Goods Remarkably Low

Dress Goods, Yd. $1.00

Fifty inch storm serge in brown, black and navy. Forty inch serge in navy and wine. A wonder value at **$1.00**

Wool Coatings $5.95

56 and 58 inches in width in navy, brown, dark and Copen. Good weight for coats and suits. Special, yd. **$5.95**

Plaids and Stripes $2.95

54 inch all wool stripes and plaids—much in demand for skirts. Very desirable colors and patterns. Extra special yd **$2.95**

$3.50 Men's Wear Serge $2.50

56 inch firm fine quality all wool men's wear serge—good wearing. Splendid weight and in navy blue. Special per yard **$2.50**

$8.50 Chiffon Velvet $5.95

40 inch colored chiffon velvets—much in demand for dresses, wraps, etc. Very handsome quality, in navy blue, dark brown, black, taupe, plum. Very special, yd. **$5.95**

Loken Brothers Main Floor

Chin Chin Dresses

FOR THE CHILDREN

The cutest style for the little ones—for the 2 to 6 year olds. Of chambray; chin chin effect with bloomers to match. Trimmed with bands of pink poplin. Special at **$1.95**

Loken Brothers—Main Floor

Basement Notions

Coats' Spool Cotton Thread, 150 yard spools, all numbers, black or white, per spool	5c
50 yd Silk Thread, all colors, spool	5c
1½ in. Belting, blk. or white, yd	5c
Common Pins, 2 papers for	5c
5 yd. quality Bias Tape, bolt	10c
Hooks and Eyes, all sizes, 2 doz.	5c
Trimming Beads, bottle	10c
Steel Knitting Needles, 4 for	5c
Bone Hair Pins, 6 for	10c
Bone Knitting Needles, 4 for	5c
Silk Darning Cotton, ball	5c
Double Mesh Hair Nets	10c
Fine Pearl Buttons, ½ dozen	5c
Big Coat Buttons, 1 dozen	10c
Fancy Trimming Buttons, 1 doz.	10c
Wire Hair Pins, a big box at	5c
One-half inch Elastic, at yard	5c
Hair Bow Ribbons, yard	10c
Women's Heavy Fleece Lined Black Hose, per pair	25c
Women's Medium Weight Black Fleece Lined Hose, pair	19c

BASEMENT HOSIERY

Extra Value!

Misses' Shaped Hose; fleece, black, good quality	15c
Infants' Fine Rib Black Hose, Saturday	15c
Women's Fine Cashmere Black Hose, per pair	69c

Crepe Knit, All Silk—$4

The newest in de luxe silk; black, brown and navy. 36 in. wide. A very handsome new material for dresses, blouses and wraps. Special the yard here only **$4.00**

Main Floor

Wool Jersey Tubing $3.95

Extra heavy heather mixture, 56 in. all wool Jersey, a remarkable cloth at yd. **$3.95**

Main Floor

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99 Beautiful New Dresses

Made to Sell at $35.00 to $50.00—Saturday Only

$21.95

Black Satin, Chiffon and Lace, Crepe de Chine, Poiret Twil, Crepe Faille, Satin, Taffeta, Tricotine, Velvet, Canton Crepe and Georgette.

Ninety-nine beautiful dresses—in about fifty new styles—smart and good looking! Blouse effects; straight line; side drape tunics; ruffles; lacquered braid; embroidery; novelty sashes with tassels; beaded effects, etc.

In black, navy, reindeer, gray, brown, and combinations.

Saturday Only—$21.95

$2,000 Stock of Furs, Neckpieces, Scarfs and Muffs

Saturday, this one day only, Saturday, Nov. 12, 1921

Your Choice at 65c on the Dollar

You save 35c on every dollar

Main Floor Silk Sensation

At almost give-them-away prices. 1,000 yards of all kinds of SILKS, THIS ONE DAY ONLY **Only One Dollar the Yard**

25 French Serge Dresses, guaranteed all wool

All sizes. Just arrived by express from New York. Saturday only, your choice **$16.95**

SATURDAY ONLY

Satin Charmeuse $1.69

Forty-inch real charmeuse, much in demand for street and evening wear. Plenty of navy blue, dark brown and black. Extra special, per yard

$1.69

Loken Brothers—Basement

SATURDAY ONLY

Jumper Dresses

$5.95

The popular jumper frocks of wool jersey. Youthful and pretty, to be worn with side blouses—splendid for school wear. In navy, copen, taupe and tan. Special at $5.95.

Loken Brothers—Main Floor

SATURDAY ONLY

Extra Special!

$3.95 Corsets at $2.50

$3.95 was a special price before—they're really worth more than that. High grade makes—brocaded materials—low and medium bust styles. All sizes in lot. Come early; they're such remarkable values. Saturday at

$2.50

Loken Brothers—Main Floor

SATURDAY ONLY

New Fur Trimmed Winter Coats

Made to Sell at $35 to $50—Saturday Only

$24.95

The winter coats, the most important thing in the minds of most women—and this opportunity to purchase at a saving will be of the utmost interest!

Many new coats have arrived—so selections are unusually good. For $24.95 you can buy a handsome coat—qualities made to sell at $50.00, $48.50 and $35.00. Choose from Normandy, Bolivin, Rivoli, Pollyanna, Cordonna. Stunning models, featuring the newest effects; belted ideas; a few loose models. Bell cuffs, mandarin sleeves, beautiful embroidery, etc. Lined with plain and fancy silk materials. Many have fur trimmings of Mole, Sylnx, Nutria, Raccoon, Seal and Beaver.

Very Special at $24.95

Flannnelette Gowns $1.00

Gowns of flannelette—long sleeves, double yoke with collar. Pink, white and blue and white stripe, at **$1.00**

Silk Gowns $5.95

Gowns of crepe de chine and satin—flesh color—with sleeve or strap. Lace, gorgeous, hemstitching, trimmings. Special at **$5.95**

Chemise $3.95

Chemise of crepe de chine, lace, georgette and stitching trimming. Built up shoulder and bodice top. Special at **$3.95**

Bloomers $1.00

Ankle length bloomers of good quality sateen—navy, black, emerald, purple, brown and King's blue. Special at **$1.00**

Blue Petticoats of the finest silk, in all the leading shades. Sale at **$4.95**

Serpentine crepe kimonos—figured. Pink color trimmings. [illegible] rose and lavender. Special at **$2.50**

Loken Brothers Main Floor

Toilet Article Specials That Save You Money

Hind's Honey Almond Cream	39c
Mulsified Cocoanut Oil	39c
Woodbury's Toilet Soap	19c
Mentholatum, jar	22c
Pebeco Toothpaste	39c
Pepsodent Toothpaste	39c
Krank's Lemon Cream	95c
Ayurta Face Powder	95c
Coty LeOrigan Face Powder	95c

600 Pin Seal Leather Purses **$2.95**

A special selection of Women's Finest Purses at a remarkably low price. Special here only **$2.95**

Imported Oriental Egyptian Leather Purses. A special purchase brings in 50 of these high grade $10 and $15 purses that we can sell you at, choice **$5.95**

Loken Brothers Main Floor

A Wonderful Sale of STAMPED PIECES

A Special Purchase—Just Arrived!

An opportunity to purchase all the stamped things you'll need for your personal use or for Christmas giving at a splendid saving! Come early!

Stamped Luncheon Cloths $1.65

Stamped luncheon cloths, 44 inch, made of very good quality white Indian head—stamped in the newest designs and all hemstitched for crochet edge. Isn't it remarkable, a 44 inch cloth for only **$1.65**

Stamped Bath Towels

Colored borders; value $1.85, size 18 x45 inches. Special **$1.00**

Children's Unbleached Muslin Stamped Aprons

Sizes 1 to 6 years **$1.00**

Ladies' Stamped Gingham Coverall Aprons

Sizes 38, 40 and 42 **$1.00**

Linen Dresser Scarfs

18x45 inches. Stamped. Newest patterns at **$1.85**

Linen Towels

Stamped. 18x36 inches.

65c 85c $1.35

Loken Brothers Balcony

The Beautiful Wide Tapestry Ribbons—$2.50 Quality

A wonderful value. Handsome wide tapestry ribbons—so much in demand for girdles, vestees, bags, etc. Several beautiful color combinations. Regular $2.50 value—very special $1.69.

$1.69

Women's $4 Union Suits

They're made of silk and wool and worsted and cotton mixtures—cream color—in half low neck, elbow sleeve and low neck styles, ankle length. A very high grade suit—regularly $4—special, November sale, $2.50.

$2.50

Loken Brothers Main Floor

Women's Glove Silk Bloomers $3.75

A very good weight of glove silk in these flesh colored bloomers, made and cut to full size. Saturday only, $3.75.

$3.75

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THE CITY ELECTION.

The result was pretty generally expected long before the ballots were counted, yet it is doubtful if anyone thought that the verdict would be quite so emphatic. The people by their votes have emphatically indicated that they are satisfied with the manner in which the city has been run during the past two years—or at least sufficiently so to cause them to hesitate in making a change.

Mayor John Bratrud has been reelected by one of the largest votes ever given a candidate for office in this city and he will have as working partners the same councilmen who have made such excellent records in the past.

The defeat of the so-called "Good Government" candidates is not to be taken as a reflection on their worth as citizens nor on their ability to *creditably administer the affairs of* the different offices to which they aspired. The people simply could not see any great difference between the aims and policies of the two sets of men and voted for those who in the past have proven themselves both willing and able to give of the best there is in them toward the community's welfare.

It is as well that the verdict was decisive. The administration can now go ahead with the plans on hand for further improvement of the city with full knowledge that the citizens are behind them. A part of their program was stated in detail before the votes were cast and it must have met with general approval. These men can now proceed almost under orders to carry out their ideas, and this must be a source of great satisfaction to them.

Being mayor or councilman in a city like Thief River Falls is no sinecure. The official is liable to be caught between those who are unable to understand that in order to prosper the city must show a progressive spirit, and those who lose sight of the circumstances in which we are placed and want to travel forward too fast. It takes nice balancing to do the right thing at all times. The present council has managed to maintain the equilibrium in a decidedly creditable manner.

The Times believes that it is for the best interests of all concerned that things turned out as they did. There are so many things with which the men on the present council have had to do that it would be a mistake not to allow them to finish up. This fact was reason enough for their retention—and there were others.

A number of the things said and intimated during the campaign had now better be forgotten. There is work enough ahead of us all even if we pull together, while we certainly will never get anywhere by hauling in different directions.

The result of the election doesn't indicate anything except that the majority of our people are satisfied with the record made by Mayor Bratrud and his present council and want them to continue along the same line.

ARMISTICE DAY.

When in the afternoon of Nov. 11, three years ago, the news reached the people of this land that an armistice had been signed, practically ending a war of more than four years, [illegible]. Here was great [illegible] joined [illegible] country had played a very [illegible] role in bringing about the [illegible] quit [illegible] in a [illegible] of pride to the [illegible] of every true American. Many [illegible] the [illegible] they had rendered [illegible] never be forgotten.

Tomorrow you will have an opportunity to prove that you mean it all. You are asked to lay aside your work or business for the day, beginning at 11 minutes after 11, and join the American Legion and Woman's Auxiliary in a celebration lasting until 6 o'clock.

This anniversary celebration will be of a dual nature. There will be solemn ceremonies in honor of those who laid down their lives in the great struggle and a program of amusements to celebrate the signing of the armistice. It will be a great day in Thief River Falls and every citizen should have a share in making it a success.

As a mark of respect for those who died in the service you are asked to devote two minutes to silent devotion while standing, this being done in every place in the country where Armistice Day is being observed. It is merely a tribute to those who did so much for you and represents your part in the ceremonies at Arlington cemetery, where an unknown soldier of the United States will be laid to rest at about the same time.

Come to Thief River Falls tomorrow if there is no Armistice Day celebration in your community. The Legion and Auxiliary invite all people residing in the neighborhood to join in this observance.

TOO MUCH HERO STUFF.

It is probable that a certain amount of hero worship is necessary to our general well-being, but it must seem to many as if singling out some certain soldier in the late A. E. F. as the subject of general and continued adulation is not going to serve any particularly good purpose. People became just a little tired of the fuss that was made over Alvin York even though willing to admit that he was entitled to all the notice he received. Now there is another super-hero brought forth and placed on exhibition.

All this is well enough so far as the general public is concerned, but one cannot help wondering just how the ordinary run of returned doughboy, leatherneck or gob looks upon the proceeding. Is there not a possibility he may feel that too much notice is being bestowed upon an individual and not enough given to the mass?

Picking out the greatest hero in an army of three million men, all doing the very best they know how and willing to make whatever sacrifices are necessary in order that the organization to which they are attached may carry out its alloted work to the credit of the entire army, is something of an undertaking. The man or men making the selection cannot possibly know they are hitting upon the right party, no matter how careful they may have been in gathering their data. The probabilities are that the ex-soldier fully realizes this and rather regards the whole proceeding as a farce.

The greatest hero is not always the most spectacular performer. It is not at all necessary that he should be one of those who went over the top first or whose fearlessness in the face of fire was particularly conspicuous. Perhaps the man entitled to as much credit as any was a member of an engineering corps far in advance of the actual firing line. Perhaps the plum should go to some nurse who daily risked her life by bullet or disease in one of our hospitals. Again it may have been one of those wonderful women who braved death in the typhus-infected districts of Serbia and never came near the battle lines at all to whom this honor should go. Heroic performances all, the more so as those who faced these dangers fully realized the risk they ran, yet never hesitated. They were not buoyed up by the excitement of battle but forced themselves to undertake the most repugnant tasks without any thought of other reward than the consciousness of duty well performed.

There were a lot of heroes and heroines attached to the American army in one capacity or another and it is a mistake to make so much fuss over the exploits of any one of them. The others can hardly be blamed if they feel somewhat slighted.

THE FIFTH ROLL CALL.

You probably have a place for every dollar in your possession, in which respect you are no different from the rest of us. There is one enterprise for which we will all have to raise a single simoleon, however, and that is our Red Cross membership. You are going to be asked to continue as a member if you already are one, and to join the organization if you have not already done so. It is going to cost you a dollar but you or no one else ever spent a similar sum for a more worthy purpose.

In another part of The Times today is given a short account of some of the things being done by the Red Cross at home. Next week this paper will have something on the work now carried on in foreign lands. The reports give but a faint idea of the scope of Red Cross activities, but are sufficient to show the importance of maintaining the organization and providing the funds necessary in order that the good work may proceed without interruption.

It may seem strange, but the fact is that the peace-time work of the Red Cross is even of greater importance than its war activities. The plans being carried out for helping disabled soldiers alone takes a greater amount of cash than was secured altogether through the roll call a year ago. Large donations from people of wealth have made it possible to continue operations on the vast scale necessary in order to even partially meet the requirements. And soldier relief is only one item in a long and steadily growing list.

There is no question about the necessity for raising this money and doing it quickly. We are all aware that there is not a surplus of cash among the people at this time, but the sum required is so small that it can certainly be spared in a cause of this kind.

Pennington county must not fall down on this proposition. We have always met the Red Cross requirements in the past and must somehow do it again.

SOUNDS SENSIBLE.

An attempt will be made at the next session of the legislature to have enacted a law compelling automobile drivers to carry insurance against accidents. This protection would doubtless be in the form of an indemnity policy and would protect the driver as well as the person who might be injured. Such insurance could even be made compulsory, in which case it would do much to cut down the number of accidents due to careless driving. A person injured by being struck by an auto now has no redress unless it be the bringing of a damage suit against the driver, and this has proven a most unsatisfactory proceeding.

Under the present law a reckless autoist can be put in jail or fined, but this is small satisfaction to the fellow who is in the hospital with a few broken bones and generally bruised up as a result of the driver's carelessness. Insurance would prove a protection to both and the expense would be very light.

DANGEROUS SYMPTOMS.

(Western Christian Advocate.)

A contemporary gives the following advice to its delinquent subscribers: "If you have frequent fainting spells, accompanied by chills, cramps, corns, bunions, chilblains, epilepsy, and jaundice, it is a sign that you are not well and liable to die any minute. Pay your subscription in advance, and thus make yourself solid for a good obituary notice." We pass the advice along for any of our subscribers who may have observed these symptoms, or any of them, in themselves.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

An exchange says there is plenty of raw material for the next legislature. And some of it is exceedingly raw.

Instead of getting his Crown back Ex-Emperor Charles merely got thrown back.

Candidates for office will soon be interviewing you again, and it will be another case of the [illegible] and the lamb.

The landing [illegible] are surely playing Santa Claus to themselves these days, judging by the [illegible] to $22 a month [illegible] to work [illegible] the word.

Break colds with vapors
The favored treatment now is a salve rubbed on, that gives off penetrating, healing fumes.

Try the vaporizing treatment for colds—Vicks VapoRub.

At the first sign of a cold, apply Vicks over throat and chest. Rub well in. Lay on a flannel cloth. Apply again at night and arrange the bedclothes like a funnel, so that the vapors, released by the body heat, will be freely inhaled.

This is the treatment favored today by doctors and nurses for colds, bronchitis, tonsilitis, spasmodic croup, sore throat and, in modified form, for catarrh and asthma.

Vicks contains the old, time-tested remedies—Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, etc.—combined by special process, so that while they penetrate and stimulate the skin, the ingredients are also released as vapors by the body heat and are breathed right into the lungs.

Just rub it on and
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Uncle Sam's Delivery

WE are always glad to transact banking business by mail. Your letters will receive prompt and careful attention—and you can make withdrawals or send remittances by letter with the assurance that they will be properly taken care of by this Bank.

We have a growing list of satisfied "Bank by Mail" Patrons.

The First National Bank
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Thief River Falls, Minn.

DOUBLE your savings—it CAN be done.

Your Red Cross Dollar Accomplishing Wonders

During the last year 2,397 American Red Cross chapters, in as many communities, carried on organized work for the service and ex-service men of the American army and navy and their families.

On July 1, 1921, there were 11,690 men under medical and surgical care in army and navy hospitals and posts. In these establishments were 280 Red Cross workers who made an average of 83,095 service visits each month during the year.

In 1,692 U. S. Public Health service, contract and government hospitals and soldiers' homes there were 26,300 disabled ex-service men. In these establishments 448 Red Cross workers rendered the same aid given the patients while they ewre in active service.

Every month during the last year the American Red Cross has been in touch with an average of 129,215 ex-service men and their families.

It rendered home service every month to the families of 14,574 men of the peace-time army and navy.

It made 32,495 loans of money to men entering federal voactional training, pending the arrival of their compensation checks.

For the veterans of the world war the American Red Cross is providing service costing $10,000,000 a year. This is more than all the membership fees paid to the Red Cross during the last roll call.

Your membership dollar will help keep this work going until the need is over.

The Nursing Service.

The American Red Cross nursing service, at the request of the government, provides the reserve out of which nurses are furnished for the army and navy nursing corps and the U. S. Public Health service.

19,877 Nurses were furnished by the Red Cross during the world war.

37,787 Nurses are now registered and subject to call.

4,794 Nurses were in active service July 1, 1921.

1,163 Nurses have been furnished to the U. S. Public Health service.

1,036 Chapters last year employed 1,335 public health nurses.

1,726 Instructors have enrolled 258,710 students in home hygiene and care of the sick; during the last year 86,570 persons completed the course and received certificates.

During the year 500,445 children have been inspected for physical defects, and means of their correction recommended.

Red Cross nutrition service is giving instrutcion to 22,006 children and 163 classes in food selection have been inaugurated.

In 260 health centers 90,252 attended public health clinics, 4,015 health lectures were given and 780 health exhibits held in these centers.

Your membership dollar will help to strengthen America.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

American Legion Corner

Commander Oscar R. Smith of Eklund Post, American Legion, Thief River Falls, returned last week from Kansas City, where he attended the national convention of the organization. He says that the boys were given a rousing welcome by the people of the Missouri city and that everything possible had been done to insure their comfort while there. Many of the men who played important roles in the late war were present, including Gen. Foch, Gen. Diaz of the Italian army, and a whole army of American military men.

All over Kansas City were booths in which "Ask Me" girls furnished convention visitors with such information as they might desire. One gay Legionaire inquired the names and locations of the theatres. None of the names recommended suited him until the "Ask Me" girl mentioned "The Globe," whereupon he exclaimed, "Well, I'm a globe trotter! Guess I'll go there!"

Boy Scouts on duty at the convention hall as couriers and ushers won the affection and admiration of all who saw them. These khaki-clad youngsters worked efficiently and courteously with a maximum of results. They were always "on the job" to perform any service for delegates and visitors. Newspaper writers said they could not have gone through the convention without their help as couriers. The convention thanked their "little buddies" and urged every American Legion post to adopt and help train and finance a local Boy Scout troop.

Among those who enjoyed the doughnuts and coffee dispensed at half a dozen street corner "dugouts" by the Salvation Army lassies, was a former doughboy proudly holding his two-year-old baby in his arms. The baby was enjoying the treat as much as her father was in France.

Hundreds of thousands of doughnuts and cups of coffee were distributed.

Three tons of candy and 200,000 cigarettes were brought to Kansas City by the Knights of Columbus and distributed to the Legionaires. The K. C. club rooms bore a "Welcome" sign for all the boys who wore their country's uniform.

In the big Legion parade, Private Joseph Semtich, minus one leg, walked the entire distance of seven miles at the head of his regiment. He lost his leg in the Argonne and get around with the aid of a crutch. His home is in Shelbina, Mo.

Duluth's Legion band, the official band of the American Legion of Minnesota, did itself proud. Some idea of the snap, appearance and musical ability of the Duluth boys may be gained by considering that out of 56 Legion bands from all over America which marched in the parade, Minnesota's official Legion band, leading 1,200 Minnesota Legionaires, won the first prize of $1,000 and all the honor that the title implies. With this band leading, with more post colors than any other state except Illinois, with a "Gopher" badge pinned on every man's shoulder, the impression left by Minnesota's delegation was second to that of no other delegation in the parade.

Is That Cold and Cough Hanging On?

You will be convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery does just what it is meant to do [illegible]

Dr. King's New Discovery [illegible]

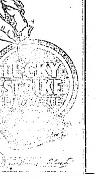

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For more than forty years Sloan's Liniment has helped thousands, the world over. You won't be an exception. It certainly does produce results.

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Sloan's Liniment
Pain's enemy

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—with this Warm-Air Furnace in Your Parlor!

Here, we believe, is the final solution of the heating problem for small homes—with or without basements. Estate Heatrola is not a stove, but a practical and efficient pipeless furnace that offers all the comforts of warm air heating at very low cost.

Estate Heatrola supplants stoves and fireplaces! It heats 3 to 6 connecting rooms, and heats them better than an ordinary stove heats one.

Estate HEATROLA
—the Parlor Pipeless Furnace

Finished in rich grain mahogany, to harmonize with finest home furnishings, it looks like a handsome cabinet phonograph. You can rub it and dust it with a cloth, just as you do your furniture. Burns any grade of coal—hard or soft, lignite or slack. Guaranteed to keep fire 50 hours on one charge of coal.

Come and see the Heatrola. Don't delay, as the factory will be many times oversold this season.

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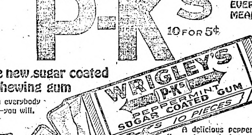

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10 FOR 5¢
The new sugar coated chewing gum which everybody likes—you will, too.
A delicious peppermint flavored sugar jacket around peppermint flavored chewing gum that will aid your appetite and digestion, polish your teeth and moisten your throat.
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THE FLAVOR LASTS

City News

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Fred Hoyez of Warroad was a visitor here over Sunday.

Geo. Johnson of Grygla was a business caller here on Friday.

George Mostue visited with friends in Minneapolis over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Ed. Bren of Warren visited with friends here on Sunday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson on Wednesday, Nov. 2.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie were shoppers here on Thursday.

Hemstitching by Elizabeth Giefer, 302 Conley avenue south. Phone 39. N-24

Thomas Majeres came up from Crookston on Sunday to visit his folks.

A. S. Sapero left Sunday night for the Twin Cities on a three days business trip.

Miss Gustie Johnson spent Tuesday visiting Mrs. Theo. Tandberg at Goodridge.

Mrs. E. M. Stanton is in the Twin Cities this week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. F. J. Stebbins left Friday for Minneapolis to spend several days on a visit to friends.

Dr. A. Shedlov left Saturday for Minneapolis to spend a few days on professional business.

Olaf Ramstad left yesterday afternoon for Poplar, Mont., to attend to matters of business.

Mrs. T. Solem of Holt arrived yesterday afternoon for a visit at the home of Mrs. Ole Moen.

Oscar Paulson returned Monday morning from a two-day visit with friends in Minneapolis.

Plenty of vaudeville between acts when you see "Ole" next Wednesday, Nov. 16, at the auditorium. n-10

Mrs. A. Eckerdalen of Holt was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday receiving dental treatment.

C. L. Hannen, president of the National bank, was a visitor in Minneapolis over the week-end.

Misses Lottie and Margaret Eichhammer left Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit over Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Aug. Bredeson went to Holt Saturday morning to attend a silver wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Emil Siggerud of Erie is in the city this week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Oftelie returned Friday from Climax after spending several days with relatives.

Norman Holen will arrive this evening from Argyle to visit over Sunday at the T. L. Melgaard home.

Mrs. O. Thune and Mrs. J. Sheggrud, both of Hazel, spent Thursday in the city attending to shopping.

The most welcome and inexpensive gift is a photo from Berry's Studio. One dozen make 12 gifts! n-24

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Harry Booren, Jr., of Plummer was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Christianson on Saturday.

Mildon Boreen came up from his home in Minneapolis on Saturday and visited with friends here over Sunday.

Miss Molly Hermanson, probation nurse at the Physicians hspital, visited with friends in Minneapolis over Sunday.

Oscar R. Smith, delegate to the National convention of the American Legion, held at Kansas City, returned on Saturday.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall of St. Hilaire were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schuster on Sunday.

Mrs. H. L. Sande of Steiner is spending a few days this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Prices for "Ole and the Newsboy" are 25c and 55c—no higher. Wednesday, Nov. 16, auditorium. n-10

Miss Merrian Miller, who is teaching at Breckenridge, spent the week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. Betsey Miller.

Misses Olga Dahl and Selma Strom left Monday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting with friends.

Mrs. P. G. Peterson, who had spent two weeks visiting at Bemidji with her parents, returned to this city on Monday.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Mrs. Chas. Nelson of Newfolden was an over Sunday guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Linstad.

See "Ole" at the auditorium Wednesday, Nov. 16. n-10

Miss Mamie Evenson returned to her home at Holt Saturday morning. She had been employed here for several months.

Miss Esther Wedger returned to her home at Plummer Saturday night after attending to shopping here between trains.

A. Erickson, who had spent a few days attending to matters of business at Northwood, N. D., returned to this city on Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. C. Streeter, who had spent a week visiting with friends at Grand Forks, returned to this city Thursday morning.

Rev. George Larson returned Tuesday evening from Nevis, where he had attended the dedication of a new Lutheran church.

Mrs. W. H. Halbert, who had visited at Overley, N. D., with her husband for several days, returned to this city Tuesday evening.

Jordan Penney returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where he had been for a few days attending to business matters.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Mrs. C. F. Brantner and sister, Miss Margaret Patterson, came up from St. Hilaire and attended to shopping on Monday.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer left Tuesday afternoon for East Grand Forks, where she will visit her parents until tomorrow.

Mrs. Chas. Gustafson and daughter of Strathcona attended to shopping here on Friday, returning to their home Saturday morning.

Wm. Blanchard, who has been employed by the paving company as a truck driver, returned to his home in Minneapolis on Monday.

Harold Smithers, a freshman at the University of Minnesota, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smithers.

Miss Lois Wold, instructor in the kindergarten department, left this afternoon for her home at Grand Forks to spend the week-end.

J. J. Vornchek returned on Sunday from Mahnomen, where he had spent three weeks visiting relatives and looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Hetland and daughter, Esther, of Hillsboro, N. D., arrived on Tuesday for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

H. S. Dahlen, vice president of the First and Peoples State bank, returned Sunday morning from a three-days' business trip to Minneapolis.

Supt. I. T. Simley returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where he attended a meeting of the Minnesota Educational association.

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Misses Alma and Selma Swanson and Esther Mosbeck left Thursday afternoon for Kalispell, Mont., where they will be employed this winter.

B. B. Stenhoff, athletic coach at the high school, returned Monday morning from Minneapolis, where he had attended the meeting of the M. E. A.

Mrs. E. O. Erickson left Tuesday evening for Henning, where she will attend the funeral of a nephew who died recently in Minneapolis.

Miss Elsie Koglin, who had spent several days visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Lanska, returned to her home at Steiner on Monday.

Mrs. Dan Patterson and daughter, Margaret, Mrs. Oscar Gunstad and Miss Blanche Robinson, all of St. Hilaire, were shoppers here on Monday.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Mrs. Chas. Johnson and two children left yesterday morning on a trip to Graceton, where they will spend several days visiting relatives.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Miss Agnes Stavig, nurse instructor in the high school, attended the Minnesota Educational association convention held in Minneapolis last week.

Miss Maude Johnson, instructor of music in the public schools, returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where she had attended the M. E. A.

Mrs. Beatrice Hieber left the latter part of last week for Anoka, being called there by the illness of her grandmother. She expected to be absent for three weeks.

Mrs. B. N. Granning of Minneapolis arrived Sunday and will spend the winter at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Odin.

Miss Frances Holzknecht, who is engaged in teaching school at Hazel, arrived last evening for a brief visit at her home. She returned to Hazel this morning.

Capt. Florence Petri of the Salvation Army, who had spent several days visiting at her home at Jamestown, N. D., returned the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Jessie Lufkin left Saturday morning for Warroad, where she will spend the winter. Mrs. Lufkin will keep house for her son, who is employed there.

Misses Myrtle and Ella Anderson, who had spent a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gustafson, returned to their home at Viking on Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. McMellan arrived Friday from Gatzke to spend several days visiting at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Senator and Mrs. O. A. Naplin.

Miss Hazel Davidson, who had spent a few days at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Davidson, returned to her home at Holt on Tuesday.

Misses Lorna Dodge and Florence Payne returned Monday morning from Minneapolis, where the had attended a meeting of the Minnesota Educational association.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Palmer, who had made this city their home for the past two years, left Tuesday afternoon for Portland, Ore., where they will reside in the future.

C. M. Rolland, formerly of this city but now located at Hibbing, arrived Tuesday morning to look after business matters and visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rolland.

Eunice Peterson, who is employed at Inkster, N. D., visited with local friends last evening, leaving this morning for Middle River to spend two weeks with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren arrived Friday evening from Plummer to attend the Elks' dancing party. While in the city they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero.

Carl Berg of Oklee, ex-service man, was taken to St. Paul Saturday evening to receive treatment at the Aberdeen hospital. He was accompanied by Oscar Paulson of this city.

Miss Dora Perry, instructor in the Normal department, was among the local teachers who attended the convention of the Minnesota Educational association at Minneapolis last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clynch of Seattle, Wash., on Oct. 22, a son. Mrs. Clynch was formerly Miss Bertha Leimers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Leimers of this city.

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Mrs. S. Torgerson of Rochester is expected to arrive this week from Clearbrook, where she is spending the winter, for a visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thoreson.

Mrs. Minnie Mott, who had spent some time visiting at the home of Mrs. G. L. Randall, left yesterday afternoon for Glasgow, Mont., where she will visit other relatives and friends.

John Ward, E. M. Bennes, A. Anderson, L. G. Larsen and Ferdie Brown were among the members of the U. C. T. lodge who attended the festivities at Crookston on Friday evening.

Mrs. Theo. Salveson, who had spent several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson, returned to her home at Ada yesterday. Mrs. Salveson and Mr. Nelson are sister and brother.

Miss Louise Erickson came over from Erskine on Friday evening and spent the week-end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson. She returned to Erskine Sunday night to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mrs. G. Halvorson and daughter, Miss Doris, motored to Crookston on Saturday. Mrs. Fisher and Miss Halvorson gave a program of vocal and instrumental music at the agricultural school.

Mrs. Irene Miller arrived Saturday morning from Spokane, Wash., and will spend the winter at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. Mrs. W. H. Kline. Mrs. Kline has accepted a position to teach a six months' term of school near Gully.

Miss Doris Halvorson returned on Monday from Crookston, where she had gone on Saturday to appear in concert with Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher under the auspices of the agricultural school, remaining over Sunday as the guest of Mrs. H. P. Miller.

Mrs. Ole Olson of Middle River arrived Tuesday evening from Warren, where she had spent a day with her husband who is in the hospital at that place. She remained over night here as the guest of Mrs. K. O. Burtness, returning to her home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and family, accompanied by Miss Kathryn Jonas and Miss Effie Christianson, drove to Crookston on Sunday in the former's new Nash sedan and spent the day as guests at the home of Miss Christianson's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Christianson.

Mrs. Jos. Turnball of Goodridge, accompanied by her mother, was a shopper here on Monday.

Casper Paulson, insurance agent, who had spent a few months in the northern part of the state and Canada, was in the city last week visiting friends. He also spent two weeks with his uncle, Peter C. Wold, near Highlanding. He left Wednesday for his home in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Way left Saturday by car for points in South Dakota, where they will visit relatives before going to Arizona to spend the winter.

"Ole and the Newsboy" in four big acts, Wednesday, Nov. 16, auditorium. n-10

F. H. Herrick, secretary of the Thief River Grocery company, returned Sunday from Grand Forks, where he had attended a reunion of the family in honor of his mother's birthday. The latter is Mrs. H. B. Herrick and was 85 years of age on Saturday. In spite of her advanced years Mrs. Herrick is in excellent health and as spry as many another woman thirty years her junior. Besides Mrs. Herrick there were present two daughters of the octogenarian, Mrs. Ed. Olson of Grand Forks, and Mrs. Jas. M. Bain of Ardoch, N. D.

Odd Fellows Pay Visit.

A delegation representing Riverside Encampment of the Odd Fellows lodge of this city, went to Grand Forks on Friday as guests of the encampment in that city. A large class was initiated, the work being witnessed by grand lodge officers from Minnesota, North and South Dakota. The visitors report having had a most enjoyable time. Those making the trip were Adolf Eklund, B. F. Umland, George Swanson, Henry McMahon, Hans Heckney, C. F. Erickson, Fred Moen, Percy Favrow, V. T. Robarge, Fred C. Dablow, Albert Carlson, Leonard Hanson and Arthur Berg.

Paving Nears Completion.

About ten days more of good weather will see the paving schedule for the year completed. The crew is at present working west on Third street, having reached Horace avenue yesterday. The company was on Tuesday evening granted an extension of 30 days in which to complete the job, the time limit terminating according to the contract on Nov. 1. Delays for which the contractors were in no wise to blame, however, prevented a start being made on the date agreed upon and even with the granting of this extension the work will be completed in less actual working time than at first agreed upon.

Serve Free Coffee.

There will be a coffee demonstration at the store of Carl Christofferson & Co., all day Saturday, Nov. 12. Coffee, cookies and sandwiches will be served free and the public is cordially invited. Here is a treat that no one should miss. n-10

Marriage Licenses.

But one wedding license was issued during the week from the office of Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund, the parties being Willie C. Bothman of Pennington county, and Anna L. Schlichting of McLean county, N. D.

"HIGHWAY SAFETY" IS CONTEST TOPIC

Local Teachers and Pupils to Try For Valuable National and State Prizes.

Thief River Falls girls and boys and their teachers may win cash prizes, free trips to Washington, and gold and silver loving cups and medals in new contests announced by the Highway and Highway Transport Educational committee, Washington.

Charles M. Babcock, state commissioner of highways, indorsed the plan to promote safety on public highways and the school features have been approved by J. M. McConnell, Minnesota commissioner of education.

All girls and boys under 14 years old in Minnesota schools may try for the grand national awards and eleven are sure to share in the state prizes for the best essays of about 500 words on "How I Can Make the Highways More Safe." The three national prizes are: First, a gold watch and a trip to Washington with all expenses paid; second, a gold loving cup; third, a silver loving cup. In addition there are eleven Minnesota prizes: First, a gold medal and $15 in cash; second, a silver medal and $10 in cash; third, nine awards, bronze medals and $5 in cash with each.

School teachers submitting the three best model lessons teaching children safe behavior on the highways will receive the following prizes: $500 in cash and a trip to Washington with all expenses paid; second, $300 in cash; third, $200 in cash.

Circulars giving the rules for each contest and other details are being mailed to all local school superintendents and they and the principals will give full particulars, the committee announces. Inquiries about the contest should be addressed to the Highway Transport Educational committee, Willard Building, Washington, D. C. Essays should be in the hands of school principals by Dec. 10 and announcement of the winners is to be sent to state and local superintendents of education and to The Times.

BANKERS MEET TO STUDY CREDIT LAW

No Red Tape About It, War Finance Official Tells Farm Loan Conference.

The billion dollar farm credit law authorizing the United States government's War Finance corporation to loan money for agricultural purposes was passed "to relieve country bankers of the necessity of compelling farmers to sell their products at prices which will not even pay their debts, and to permit farmers to buy young livestock."

That was the explanation of the new federal credit law, made by the members of the War Finance corporation northwest agricultural committee, to country bankers at a conference in Minneapolis last week called to study methods of obtaining loans under the new law.

The speakers at the conference emphasized the fact that the federal loan does not mean "easy money." It does not provide for additional credit to farmers except upon adequate security; and speakers indicated that the War Finance corporation will be more liberal with loans to permit the purchase of livestock to consume the cheap feed now on farms in the northwest, than with loans for most other purposes.

The greatest benefit of the agricultural credit act to the farmers, it was said, will come as result of the financial relief to country banks, by enabling them to renew loans instead of being compelled to insist on liquidation. Loans amounting to $300,000 have been approved for Minnesota and the Dakotas by the Washington

MUST GIVE BONDS FOR STORED GRAIN

Millers Demand That Absolute Ownership of Grain Bought Be Guaranteed.

Orders were sent on Saturday by the railroad and warehouse commission to all warehouses and grain dealers in the state, first, forbidding the storage of grain unless a bond in the amount of about the value of the grain is filed with the commission; and, second, the request that warehouses and elevators which are not bonded reduce the amount of grain stored as rapidly as possible.

A serious situation in regard to the marketing of grain in this state has arisen, according to Henry C. Flannery, assistant attorney general in charge of the commission's legal affairs.

The Washburn-Crosby and Pillsbury Milling companies of Minneapolis have refused to buy grain from commission firms and agents unless absolute ownership of the grain is guaranteed. In some cases shipments of grain have been made from warehouses and later it developed the shippers and salesmen did not have the ownership, and the farmers, by proving ownership and lien rights, were entitled to payment.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Auxiliary Meeting.

The meeting of the Auxiliary will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Wednesday evening.

A St. Paul paper states that there are infractions of the prohibition law in Minnesota. Next thing we know someone will discover that there is water in the Lake of the Woods.

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The torch ye threw to us we caught!
Ten million hands will hold it high,
And Freedom's light shall never die!
We've learned the lesson that ye taught
In Flanders' fields.
- Lillard.

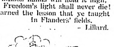

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Geese, lb.	12c	Ducks, lb.	20c
Turkeys, 8 lbs. and up, lb.	22c	Turkeys, heavy, lb.	27c
		(Do not draw them.)	

The dressed poultry will have to be brought in on Wednesday and Thursday only.

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Society

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Nov. 14. The following interesting program has been arranged: Piano solo, Miss Palma Langseth. Vocal solo, Carl Sundahl. Current Events, Mrs. C. T. Christensen, leader. Address, Supt. I. T. Simley. Public Health, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, leader. Mrs. Bishop has secured Miss Margaret Hughes, supervisor of institutions for children's bureau, formerly chairman of state conservation in Montana, who will talk on "Relation of Helath Agencies to Child Welfare Boards." Mr. McCann, county chairman of the Red Cross Seal sale, will also give a talk. Dr. Milan will speak on "The Life of Dr. Trudeau."

Holzknecht-Gangness.

On Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Tolland occurred the marriage of Miss Eleanor Holzknecht to Joseph Gangness, both of this city. Rev. E. H. Kreidt performed the ceremony in the presence of only close friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Olson were the only attendants. A wedding dinner was served following the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Joe Becker and is well known here, having attended the local schools and graduating from the high school. She has for some time been employed at the creamery, at which place Mr. Gaugness also is employed. The newlyweds have taken up their residence in the Evenson flat.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The Auxiliary of the American Legion will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening. At present the members are busy making pajamas for the ex-service men who are confined in the Aberdeon hospital at St. Paul and the Asbury hospital at Minneapolis. Several boxes have already been prepared and sent to local boys. At the last meeting of the Auxiliary the members voted to send flowers to the Gold Star mothers and wives in Pennington county. Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. D. W. Robinson were appointed to arrange for this.

Entertains For Mrs. Klungness.

Honoring Mrs. Elmer Klungness, who leaves in a short while for Madison, this state, where the family will reside, Mrs. L. M. Rayson delightfully entertained a small company of ladies at her home on Tuesday afternoon. During the hours, which were from three to six, the ladies busied themselves with needlework, later enjoying a lovely lunch. The table decorations and favors were in yellow and covers were laid for ten.

Delightful Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., was the scene of an informal gathering of young people Saturday evening. Music and games afforded entertainment. Delicious refreshments served near midnight concluded the party. The guests included Misses Ruth Soule, Velma Webster, Aldora Berg, Merrian Miller, Olive Patterson, Messrs. Morlan Bishop, Ed. Brevig, Guy and Perry Johnson, Roy Brown, Roy Miller and Chas. Prichard.

For Mrs. Provencher.

Honoring Mrs. Harold Provencher, who left Tuesday morning for Devils Lake to reside, Mrs. Julien Provencher entertained a few ladies at the Evelyn hotel on Saturday afternoon. The pastime was needlework and at six o'clock a delicious three course lunch was served. The guests were Mrs. Geo. Charboneau, Mrs. J. A. Bloomquist, Mrs. J. Biedermann, Miss Anna Aspelund, Miss Louise Majeres and Miss Lillian Provencher.

Bridge Club Meets.

The Tuesday Night Bridge club was entertained at a 6:30 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson this week. The members of the club include Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mrs. Beatrice Hieber, Miss Maude Johnson and Dr. M. G. Milan.

Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gustafson entertained a few friends at their home Thursday evening in honor of their guests, Misses Ella and Myrtle Anderson of Viking. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rausch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ebbighausen, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Chaplain, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson, Misses Alma and Inga Thune, Albert Erickson, Carl Melby and William Blanchard.

Entertains at Cards.

A small company of ladies was entertained at cards at the home of Mrs. H. L. Schuster Tuesday evening. Light refreshments were served. Among the guests were Mrs. M. A. Mattison, Mrs. J. F. Kielty, Mrs. Ferdie Brown, Mrs. Paula Gray, Mrs. Fred Protz, Mrs. John Ward and Mrs. O. J. Erickson. Miss Lylabelle Schuster assisted in serving.

Girls' Community Club.

The winners of the recent membership drive of the Girls' Community club will be entertained by the losers on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. Plans as to the nature of the entertainment are incomplete but the committee in charge insures a good time. All members are urged to be present.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. L. M. Rayson arranged a pleasant surprise party at her home Tuesday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Klungness, who leave this city soon to make their home at Madison. Three tables of whist were in play. At twelve o'clock a supper was served by the hostess.

Buffet Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Aure were hosts at a delightful buffet supper at their home Tuesday evening. The guests included the members of the Loyalty club. Following the supper a very pleasant evening was spent in games and music.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Noper were hosts at a midday dinner at their farm home on Sunday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie, Mr. Conklin, Miss Hazel Conklin, and Miss Irma Johnson.

Entertains at Carhs.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund entertained about thirty ladies and gentlemen at her apartments Tuesday evening. Cards formed the chief diversion and during the hours lunch was served.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall of St. Hilaire and R. C. Pearson of Mankato were guests at dinner at the home of Miss Lylabelle Schuster on Sunday.

Sjolsvold-Ameren.

Henry Sjolsvold and Miss Anna Ameren, both of Thief River Falls, were married Saturday evening, Nov. 5, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. T. E. Sweger. They will make their home on a farm near this city.

League of Women Voters

The League of Women Voters in every community in the state is being urged by Miss Marguerite Wells, state president, to heed the proclamation of Governor Preus in regard to the observance of Armistice Day with the reverent appreciation of the sacrifices of the past and hopes for the future which the day symbolizes. Particularly are the various league groups of the state being urged to see that the churches are open on Armistice Day, as this feature was incorporated in the governor's message at the request of the league.

Leagues everywhere will join with other organizations in appropriate celebrations. In Winona 42 organizations are joining in the project of a great community mass meeting to be held on the afternoon of Armistice Day.

In Minneapolis, civic and social organizations are working together in the production of the beautiful pageant, "Shadows," to be presented at the auditorium. In other cities plans for community meetings of various kinds are reported under way.

There is one special thing League of Women Voters members are being urged to do without fail on Armistice Day. It is to see that some message of confidence and encouragement goes on that day to the three American commissioners at the Washington conference: Hon. Elihu Root, Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge and Hon. Oscar E. Underwood, and to Secretary Hughes.

During the months or weeks of the conference it is stated at league headquarters that every effort will be made to keep all members in touch with the progress and problems of the conference at Washington. The business of the conference will be carefully and simply reported, and statistics, references and suggestions for study will be included in all bulletins issued by the league.

Miss Gladys Harrison, executive secretary of the league, is also offering the fullest assistance to league groups in the state in arranging lectures or intensive schools of two or three days on international relations, with the best speakers the state offers on these subjects. In this offer the extension department of the university is working with the league.

In short, intelligent co-operation with the president in his desire to make the Washington conference the foundation of permanent peace for the world is to be the aim of the State League of Women Voters for the coming months.

Minnesota Stands First Among States for Laws Protecting Its Children

By MRS. L. G. LARSEN
Secretary Pennington County Welfare Board.

Minnesota stands first among the states of the union in its laws for the protection of children, a fact of which every citizen should be justly proud. A study of legislation along these lines shows that measures have been passed periodically, but lacked uniformity of purpose with no idea in mind of correlating the subject in a clear, comprehensive manner.

In 1916 Gov. Burnquist appointed a commission headed by Judge E. F. Waite to revise and formulate new measures as he thought best. This commission submitted 41 bills to the legislative session of 1917, which enacted 35 of these measures into sound, liberal laws, which touch morally, mentally and physically the life of every child in the state.

In order that these laws may be efficiently interpreted and intelligently applied where necessary, the state board of control has established under its jurisdiction county welfare boards. Pennington county's Child Welfare board finds that the great amount of work it has to do might be lessened were many of these laws made more public, and for this reason decided that from time to time important laws might be made known through the county papers.

During the era of the saloon many laws were passed pertaining thereto, as well as those of pool rooms and public dance halls. All minors under the age of 21 are prohibited from playing pool or billiards in any restaurant or public place of amusement in which tobacco, confectionery or drinks of any kind, except water, are in any manner disposed of. Every keeper of such place is subject to fine or imprisonment. This also applies to persons under 18 years of age or who is a minor, in any school, college or university. In this case the party guilty of the misdemeanor being punishable by fine as well as the keeper of such place.

By public dance hall is meant any room, place or space open to public patronage in which dancing is carried on, and to which admission may be had by the public by payment either directly or indirectly, of an admission fee or price for dancing. Strict regulations are made regarding location of such places, manner of lighting same, proper passage ways or stairways. No license shall be issued for any such place unless health commissioners have certified that said place complies with all requirements and regulations as to ventilation, toilet conveniences and all other questions relating to public health. No person in charge of such hall shall permit immodest dancing, boisterous conduct or permit to be or remain therein any unmarried person under 18 year of age. Such proprietor or keeper in charge may be punished by a fine not to exceed $100 or 90 days imprisonment.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid Society meets Thursday, Nov. 10, and is to be entertained by Mrs. Olaf Storholm, Mrs. Martin Evenson, Mrs. Ed. Ness and Mrs. E. P. Burstad. The following program is to be given by the Luther League Thursday evening: Scripture reading and prayer. Instrumental solo, Pearl Weeks. Mission reading, Beatrice Sandum. Vocal solo, Thora Hanson. Talk, Dr. O. F. Mellby. The League is entertained by Mesdames H. S. Dahlen, Severt Benson and John Gullingsrud. Lutefisk and goose supper served by the men of the congregation Friday, beginning at 5 o'clock. You can't afford to miss this. Tickets 50 cents. Confirmation class Saturday at 10 a. m. Sunday is to be the big day of the year. We hope to raise the entire budget for foreign missions, home missions, charities and education. Rev. William Trygstad of our foreign mission force will be the speaker. English 11 a. m. Norwegian 7:45. Graded Sunday school and Bible class meets 9:45. Choir practice every Thursday evening at the church.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m. Young People's meeting next Tuesday at 8 p. m. The Ladies' Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Beckman, 413 Crocker Ave. N., next Wednesday, Nov. 16, at 2:30 p. m. Rev. I. W. Jacobson, missionary from China, will speak in the church on Friday, Nov. 11, at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire chuch next Sunday: Services in East Side school house at 11 a. m. At St. Hilaire church 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

Christian Science—Services held in the city auditorium each Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock. Subject Sunday, Nov. 13: "Mortals and Immortals." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Also open for reading room Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Services at Goodridge 2:30 p. m. Services 7:45 p. m. Sewing circle Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid on Thursday at 2 p. m., entertained by Mrs. Ole Finberg. Zion Young People's society entertained Thursday evening by Oscar and Albert Pederson.

First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—English services on Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school at 9:30. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hochner. Bible class Thursday at 8 p. m.

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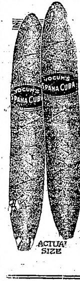

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Society

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Nov. 14. The following interesting program has been arranged: Piano solo, Miss Palma Langseth. Vocal solo, Carl Sundahl. Current Events, Mrs. C. T. Christensen, leader. Address, Supt. I. T. Simley. Public Health, Mrs. J. M. Bishop, leader. Mrs. Bishop has secured Miss Margaret Hughes, supervisor of institutions for children's bureau, formerly chairman of state conservation in Montana, who will talk on "Relation of Helath Agencies to Child Welfare Boards." Mr. McCann, county chairman of the Red Cross Seal sale, will also give a talk. Dr. Milan will speak on "The Life of Dr. Trudeau."

Holzknecht-Gangness.

On Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Tolland occurred the marriage of Miss Eleanor Holzknecht to Joseph Gangness, both of this city. Rev. E. H. Kreidt performed the ceremony in the presence of only close friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Olson were the only attendants. A wedding dinner was served following the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Joe Becker and is well known here, having attended the local schools and graduating from the high school. She has for some time been employed at the creamery, at which place Mr. Gaugness also is employed. The newlyweds have taken up their residence in the Evenson flat.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The Auxiliary of the American Legion will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening. At present the members are busy making pajamas for the ex-service men who are confined in the Aberdeen hospital at St. Paul and the Asbury hospital at Minneapolis. Several boxes have already been prepared and sent to local boys. At the last meeting of the Auxiliary the members voted to send flowers to the Gold Star mothers and wives in Pennington county. Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. D. W. Robinson were appointed to arrange for this.

Entertains For Mrs. Klungness.

Honoring Mrs. Elmer Klungness, who leaves in a short while for Madison, this state, where the family will reside, Mrs. L. M. Rayson delightfully entertained a small company of ladies at her home on Tuesday afternoon. During the hours, which were from three to six, the ladies busied themselves with needlework, later enjoying a lovely lunch. The table decorations and favors were in yellow and covers were laid for ten.

Delightful Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., was the scene of an informal gathering of young people Saturday evening. Music and games afforded entertainment. Delicious refreshments served near midnight concluded the party. The guests included Misses Ruth Soule, Velma Webster, Aldora Berg, Merrian Miller, Olive Patterson, Messrs. Morlan Bishop, Ed. Brevig, Guy and Perry Johnson, Roy Brown, Roy Miller and Chas. Prichard.

For Mrs. Provencher.

Honoring Mrs. Harold Provencher, who left Tuesday morning for Devils Lake to reside, Mrs. Julian Provencher entertained a few ladies at the Evelyn hotel on Saturday afternoon. The pastime was needlework and at six o'clock a delicious three course lunch was served. The guests were Mrs. Geo. Charboneau, Mrs. J. A. Bloomquist, Mrs. J. Biedermann, Miss Anna Aspelund, Miss Louise Majeres and Miss Lillian Provencher.

Bridge Club Meets.

The Tuesday Night Bridge club was entertained at a 6:30 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson this week. The members of the club include Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Melby, Mrs. Beatrice Hieber, Miss Maude Johnson and Dr. M. G. Milan.

Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gustafson entertained a few friends at their home Thursday evening in honor of their guests, Misses Ella and Myrtle Anderson of Viking. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rausch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ebbighausen, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Chaplain, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson, Misses Alma and Inga Thune, Albert Erickson, Carl Melby and William Blanchard.

Entertains at Cards.

A small company of ladies was entertained at cards at the home of Mrs. H. L. Schuster Tuesday evening. Light refreshments were served. Among the guests were Mrs. M. A. Mattison, Mrs. J. F. Kiolty, Mrs. Ferdie Brown, Mrs. Paula Gray, Mrs. Fred Protz, Mrs. John Ward and Mrs. O. J. Erickson. Miss Lylabelle Schuster assisted in serving.

Girls' Community Club.

The winners of the recent membership drive of the Girls' Community club will be entertained by the losers on Monday evening at the Commercial club rooms. Plans as to the nature of the entertainment are incomplete but the committee in charge insures a good time. All members are urged to be present.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. L. M. Rayson arranged a pleasant surprise party at her home Tuesday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Klungness, who leave this city soon to make their home at Madison. Three tables of whist were in play. At twelve o'clock a supper was served by the hostess.

Buffet Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Aure were hosts at a delightful buffet supper at their home Tuesday evening. The guests included the members of the Loyalty club. Following the supper a very pleasant evening was spent in games and music.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Noper were hosts at a midday dinner at their farm home on Sunday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Mavie, Mr. Conklin, Miss Hazel Conklin, and Miss Irma Johnson.

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Sjolsvold-Ameren.

Henry Sjolsvold and Miss Anna Ameren, both of Thief River Falls, were married Saturday evening, Nov. 5, at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. T. E. Sweger. They will make their home on a farm near this city.

League of Women Voters

The League of Women Voters in every community in the state is being urged by Miss Marguerite Wells, state president, to heed the proclamation of Governor Preus in regard to the observance of Armistice Day with the reverent appreciation of the sacrifices of the past and hopes for the future which the day symbolizes. Particularly are the various league groups of the state being urged to see that the churches are open on Armistice Day, as this feature was incorporated in the governor's message at the request of the league.

Leagues everywhere will join with other organizations in appropriate celebrations. In Winona 42 organizations are joining in the project of a great community mass meeting to be held on the afternoon of Armistice Day.

In Minneapolis, civic and social organizations are working together in the production of the beautiful pageant, "Shadows," to be presented at the auditorium. In other cities plans for community meetings of various kinds are reported under way.

There is one special thing League of Women Voters members are being urged to do without fail on Armistice Day. It is to see that some message of confidence and encouragement goes on that day to the three American commissioners at the Washington conference: Hon. Elihu Root, Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge and Hon. Oscar E. Underwood, and to Secretary Hughes.

During the months or weeks of the conference it is stated at league headquarters that every effort will be made to keep all members in touch with the progress and problems of the conference at Washington. The business of the conference will be carefully and simply reported, and statistics, references and suggestions for study will be included in all bulletins issued by the league.

Miss Gladys Harrison, executive secretary of the league, is also offering the fullest assistance to league groups in the state in arranging lectures or intensive schools of two or three days on international relations, with the best speakers the state offers on these subjects. In this offer the extension department of the university is working with the league.

In short, intelligent co-operation with the president in his desire to make the Washington conference the foundation of permanent peace for the world is to be the aim of the State League of Women Voters for the coming months.

Minnesota Stands First Among States for Laws Protecting Its Children

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Secretary Pennington County Welfare Board.

Minnesota stands first among the states of the union in its laws for the protection of children, a fact of which every citizen should be justly proud. A study of legislation along these lines shows that measures have been passed periodically, but lacked uniformity of purpose with no idea in mind of correlating the subject in a clear, comprehensive manner.

In 1916 Gov. Burnquist appointed a commission headed by Judge E. F. Waite to revise and formulate new measures as he thought best. This commission submitted 41 bills to the legislative session of 1917, which enacted 35 of these measures into sound, liberal laws, which touch morally, mentally and physically the life of every child in the state.

In order that these laws may be efficiently interpreted and intelligently applied where necessary, the state board of control has established under its jurisdiction county welfare boards. Pennington county's Child Welfare board finds that the great amount of work it has to do might be lessened were many of these laws made more public, and for this reason decided that from time to time important laws might be made known through the county papers.

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By public dance hall is meant any room, place or space open to public patronage in which dancing is carried on, and to which admission may be had by the public by payment either directly or indirectly, of an admission fee or price for dancing. Strict regulations are made regarding location of such places, manner of lighting same, proper passage ways or stairways. No license shall be issued for any such place unless health commissioners have certified that said place complies with all requirements and regulations as to ventilation, toilet conveniences and all other questions relating to public health. No person in charge of such hall shall permit immodest dancing, boisterous conduct or permit to be or remain therein any unmarried person under 18 year of age. Such proprietor or keeper in charge may be punished by a fine not to exceed $100 or 90 days imprisonment.

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Page Edison! "Tips From South High."

What do you know that you don't know?

Here are some of the answers the South high school students gave recently to a series of questions asked in a test of current affairs. The questions were of the "who is" and "what is" type.

Samuel Gompers? Secretary of Labor.

Lloyd George? King of England. Premier of England.

Charles Evans Hughes? Unknown.

DeValera? King of Ireland. King of France.

Parliament? Where congress makes laws.

London? The place where English and Irish delegates are conferring. Also, the United States government.

More knew the right answers as to Sinn Fein, Lloyd George and Herbert Hoover than to other questions.—Minneapolis Journal.

An Oversight.

In publishing the names of the honor students in the last issue of The Progress, the report card of Clara Olen was inadvertently overlooked. Her name should be added to the list of honor students for the first six weeks period. This gives the Junior class one more honor student.

Sundahl Sings.

Owing to the absence of Miss Johnson, our music teacher, a special music program was arranged for the regular singing period last Friday. Mr. S. Carl Sundahl was prevailed upon to favor the high school with several vocal selections, which were thoroughly enjoyed as shown by the hearty applause after each number.

This is not the first time that Mr. Sundahl has appeared before the pupils, and he is to be highly complimented upon the splendid attitude he is showing toward the school. In the popular mind, this is a place for books and studies, but each year it becomes more evident that education is a thing which cannot come entirely from books, and that outside sources must be called upon to supplement the school work. Speakers and entertainers are always welcome, especially if they have something as much worth while as Mr. Sundahl.

Choosing Class Ring.

A matter of great interest to the Senior class has been the choosing of a suitable class ring. It is a custom among the Senior classes of the high schools to have a class ring or pin. These serve as a souvenir of school days. Each ring is the same, with the initials of the school and the year engraved upon it. The pin is made to match the ring and a student may take either.

This year the class decided to get the rings as soon as possible, each one being anxious to have his ring. Samples were sent for and voted on by the members of the class. Our local jewelers displayed several samples and finally the class decided upon two rings. One was a black Onyx stone costing about ten dollars and the other a gold initial ring costing six dollars and a quarter. When it came to choosing one of these rings it was impossible to decide the matter. The class was divided into two groups and in each case it was declared they would not have the other ring. The points considered were style, beauty, durability, cost and value.

All realized that if the class divided they would not be getting a true class ring, so it has been decided to drop both rings. At a class meeting held on Friday, Nov. 4, the president of the class nominated a committee of three students to select two rings. These will be voted on and the one carrying the most votes will be the senior class ring. No objections were raised to this plan and as the matter is considered nearly settled. Those chosen for the committee were Nora Lindquist, Sybil McGinn and Lloyd Alness. No more trouble is expected as the students are now willing to compromise so as not to cause a further delay.

Bread Club Reception.

Last Friday evening, Nov. 4, the Bread Club held their annual reception for the new members. At eight o'clock a short program was given, consisting of an address by the president, Myrtle Helgeland; piano solo, Maxine Johnson; comic poems, Shirley Anderson; piano solo, Ruth Melby; reading, Miss Chamberlain; Hawaiian guitar selection, Myrtle Williams.

We next ducked for apples and played games. At ten o'clock a delicious luncheon was served, after which Mr. Rapacz gave a short talk. We all left with a feeling that our first Bread Club gathering had proved a success.

The new members are: Ruth Melby, Beryle Anderson, Rose Flynn, Esther Rennes, Ariel Kingham, Esther Granum, Marjorie Hayes, Mac-

The Chief Industry of Our Town.

The chief industry of our community is agriculture. This industry is carried on extensively and the chief products are wheat, oats, barley, flax, potatoes, garden vegetables and some corn and sugar beets. These products find a ready market through our four elevators and flour and feed mill. Also the produce house where the farmers dispose of their eggs, potatoes and garden vegetables. The farmers' co-operative creamery is about the largest asset of the community, doing an annual business of about half a million dollars. The three foremost breeds of stock are the Guernsey, Shorthorn and Holstein. Poultry, hogs and cattle are also shipped to large cities from here.—E. V. 8B

Our Soo Railroad.

By far the most important industry of this city is railroading. The city being a center or division point for the Winnipeg line, which is the most important, the Duluth line, or Superior division, and the Wheat line, a minor branch, the former extending from this city to Duluth and the latter from this city to Kenmare, N. D. The shops, which are in the northeast part of the city, employ about 250 men. Near the center of the city is the freight depot, where freight is loaded and unloaded. On the east side of the river is the land known as the mill grounds, which has been purchased by this company for the purpose of building a new and better shop some time in the future.—T. W. 8B.

Latin Clubs Organize.

Latin clubs are being organized under the leadership of Miss Stebbins, in which all Latin students who get a mark above D may become members. The purpose of the clubs is to study the practical side of Latin and to stimulate interest in the subject. Latin games will be played and some of these may be staged and presented to the public.

The first meetings were held Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. For the boys' section the following officers were elected: Consuls, Thomas Melgaard and Herbert Keene; censors, Robert Halvorson and Emmett Shanahan; quaestors, Orrin Storholm and Orden Ihle; aediles, Albert Stengelson and Ole Helle. The girls' section will be officered by Katherine Barzen and Evelyn Buringrud, consuls; Muriel Loken and Birdie Pierson, censors; Elizabeth Keating and Hilda Ness, quaestors; Lily Gran and Annie Amun, aediles.

The consuls are alternately in charge of the club. Censors keep roll and attendance and appoint committees for social gatherings. Quaestors collect dues and fines, pay bills, etc. The aediles are secretaries and reporters.

The name of the clubs, which will undoubtedly be Latin, has not yet been determined. A fine of ten cents will be imposed for each absence and one cent a minute for tardiness.

M. E. A.

According to reports brought back from the Minnesota Educational association some of the most important problems that confront the schools today are proper attention to physical training and the equalization of educational opportunities by giving boys and girls of the rural districts the same chance as boys and girls of the city. Dr. Maroney, physical director of the schools of Trenton, N. J., gave some powerful addresses on the importance of proper physical development. Nearly all the speakers discussed the second problem referred to, Commissioner McConnell in particular. Dr. Lovejoy Elliott pleaded for more specific attention to the moral and ethical development of the child. The average child of today, he said, has not he proper respect for authority, nor does he realize and appreciate the true purpose of life—service. Among other notable speakers were Dr. Arthur H. Chamberlain, executive secretary of the California State Teachers' association, and Miss Chari Williams, president of the National Educational association.

Central Notes.

Miss Dodge is attending the M. E. A. this week. Mrs. Lacey is substituting for her.

The members of the seventh arithmetic class have been putting their work into practical use by making out inventories of their propery.

The eighth grade won the marching banner in Central school last Tuesday.

The seventh grade English classes are busy with their themes on "Improvements in Thief River Falls."

Knox Notes.

The next change of sessions occurs Monday, Nov. 7.

Rich, black smoke poured out of our new building Thursday afternoon thereby assuring us that the building will soon be livable.

Palmer Method manuals were purchased by the children of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades, and work in that direction will be carried on in full force.

The teachers of the Knox school were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen. A bounteous chicken dinner was served at six o'clock. The balance of the evening was spent in music and playing cards.

Washington News.

Miss Florence Payne left Wednes-

turned Monday morning, having spent Sunday with relatives at Paynesville.

Mrs. Froehlich did substitute work in the first grade on Thursday and Friday.

The Washington football boys played the Northrop boys Thursday afternoon. Neither wished to claim a defeat so they settled on a tie to be played off later.

Normal Notes.

The normal rooms were closed Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week due to the absence of Miss Perry and Miss Stapleton, who were attending the Minnesota Educational association convention held at Minneapolis at that time. The school work went on just the same, the normal girls doing their practice teaching at the several buildings.

Lois Struble and August Beiswinger are not attending school this week due to illness.

Clara Orzechowski spent the week-end at her home near Mavie.

The Misses Thea Gutterud, Thora Moe, Constance Klungness, Helga Ose and Amanda Skomedal spent Saturday and Sunday at their respective homes.

Jokes and Personals.

Miss Gormley: "Tell us something about George III, Helen."

Helen L.: "Well, George II was brought up by his mother."

Bright Boy.

Miss Stavig had just finished reading an account of the early railroads to her American History class.

Friedolph: "They must have used calendars instead of watches in the trains in those days."

Lorrayne C.: "Owen Moore was a leader of Socialism in England at that time."

Mr. Rapacz: (In Political Economy) "Ella, answer the next question."

The question: "Is your country dry or wet?"

Ella: "It is supposed to be dry."

Mr. Rapacz: "The question has reference to the amount of rainfall."

Ella: (With a deep sigh) "Oh!"

Miss Stavig left last Tuesday evening for Minneapolis, where she attended the M. E. A. Mrs. Ed. Battenfeld very ably took her place as American History and Botany instructor.

The Norse classes have for the past three days been conducted by Clara Oine, Naome Peterson and Rudolph Sjerstad, respectively.

Mr. Simley and Miss Maude Johnson, music instructor, left Tuesday for Minneapolis to attend the Minnesota Educational association. They returned the first of the week.

Student: (In English IV) "The peasants walked along the road leading, by a rope, a cow or a horse and their wives!"

Rusty Anderson came to school Friday morning with his hair combed.

After the tardy bell had rung, the students in botany class were unusually noisy, when Miss Stavig exclaimed: "Let's have it quiet; the zeros begin about now."

Miss Stavig: "Where is the midrib of a leaf found?"

Emma R.: "On the top of a tree."

Miss Stavig: "How do leaf hairs protect the leaves?"

Sidney S.: "The leaf hairs protect the leaves because the hairs probably tickle the bugs and scare them away."

Signs of spring: Pearl Weeks has taken off her storm windows.

To stimulate interest in the Prowler, the Juniors are offering annuals to the two people submitting the best literary and artistic productions.

Mrs. Battenfeld substituted for Miss Stavig during the latter's attendance at the M. E. A. in Minneapolis last week.

Mrs. Rapacz substituted for Mr. Stenhoff in General Science during the latter's absence on account of the M. E. A.

Mr. Rapacz: "Mrs. Battenfeld, how did your classes behave?"

Mrs. Battenfeld: "Fine, except that the botany class ate up the specimens."

The basket ball boys have been reminded by Mr. Rapacz that their work must be strictly up to grade in order to be eligible when the season opens.

The eligibility axe cut down one of our star performers for the Stephen game.

Some of the upper classmen who were permitted to enroll for extra work at the beginning of the year have had their programs reduced to four subjects because of poor work. The same fate awaits several other students unless they show a marked improvement in their work during the present period. The Seniors who have no credits to spare should particularly be studious.

Friday, November 11, will be Armistice Day. It is a legal holiday in Minnesota so the schools will be closed.

Carrying more than four subjects

of doing extra work and whenever a student shows lack of ability to do this extra work he loses that privilege.

Judging from the sentence imposed upon one of our classmates it does not pay to appropriate the property of others for our own use.

Mr. Rapacz has made a check of all students who are delinquent in their studies. Each assembly room teacher has been given a list of the delinquent students with instructions to see that those students use all their time profitably while in the assembly.

Administration's Corner

Survey Discloses Necessity of Co-operation Between Parents and School Authorities.

A few weeks ago a survey was made to determine the chief causes of delinquency and inefficiency in the high schools of Minneapolis. It was the general opinion of high school principals that the high school students of today were less efficient than the high school students of 15 or 20 years ago. The survey showed that lax discipline in the average home and the habits of irresponsibility acquired there was the greatest single cause affecting the capability of the students. Parents failed to interest themselves in the students' recreational activities with the result that those activities infringed upon the time for study.

Some of the other causes as disclosed by the survey were:

1. Parents too deeply engrossed with their own pleasures to be interested in their children's welfare.
2. Too many mothers engaged in welfare work, thus neglecting their own children at home.
3. Too much going to movies.
4. Too free use of the automobile.
5. No guidance in the home.
6. Failure of parents to make their boys and girls account for the time between school hours and the time to retire for the night.
7. Lack of co-operation on the part of the parents.

Absences for trivial reasons, one of the most serious problems in the high school, is regarded essentially a home problem. It is the greatest contributing factor to inefficiency and failures.

The following table shows how the chances of failure are increased by each day of absence:

Days absent.	Chance of Failing
1	1 out of 16
2	1 out of 14
3	1 out of 12
4	1 out of 11
5	1 out of 7
6-10	1 out of 8

Investigations also invariably showed that breaches of discipline, truancy and other difficulties were generally traceable to home conditions. Some parents not only failed to co-operate, but actually manufactured excuses for the students. It was the general agreement that the incentive to study must come from within, its foundation being found in the habits acquired in the home. At least two hours of study in the home was suggested as the minimum to be required by the parents.

Crowded conditions was given as the next most important contributing factor to inefficiency.

A survey of the high school grades in our own high school for the first six weeks disclosed that 87 out of 860 students are delinquent in one or more subjects. This means that approximately 25 per cent of our boys and girls are not doing the grade of work that is expected of high school students.

In many instances the failures are due to the irregular attendance of the student. Our problem is much the same here as it is in Minneapolis. What are we going to do to remedy the situation?—M. P. R.

STEPS TAKEN FOR IMPROVED POTATO MARKET PRACTICE

More Efficient Grading, Frost Proof Warehouses Among Recommendations Made.

An active campaign looking forward to the improvement of potato marketing practices in the Red River valley was agreed upon as imperative by representative potato growers and shippers who met at Grand Forks Nov. 5, at the call of O. K. Borget, Crookston, secretary of the Red River Valley Certified Seed Growers association.

Intelligent interpretation of market statistics and crop reports, organization of local co-operative associations to provide efficient grading and handling facilites, the erection of frost proof warehouses throughout the valley, and the inauguration of an extensive campaign to develop the use of better marketing practices, were the essentials decided upon as necessary to provide means for more efficiently and economically handling the crop, which is increasing rapidly in acreage and importance, and thus insuring the most satisfactory financial returns to the grower.

The active prosecution of the program was commended to the attention of the county farm bureaus and the state federations serving the territory interested.

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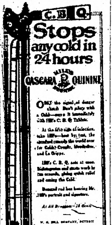

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In the old days when a drunken man took two sidewalks wobbling home the people used to pity him. Now they try to find out where he got it.

After soaking up the chilly weather on several duck hunting trips we can't decide whether we're sportsmen or whether we don't know enough to come in out of the cold.

An expert has written an article on the best duck hunting shot he ever saw. From our experience with duck hunters we would say that the best shot is a shot of Scotch.

Dry Congressman wants several amendments to the Volsted Act. It will soon be a crime to even think about taking a drink.

Leo Kelly, Minneapolis, Hennepin County Legion Adjutant, was elected national commander or "chef de gere" of the Legion's Playground, the Forty and Eight. Members of the organization had a convention and a good time all their own.

Legal Notices

In the District Court of the United States For the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of John Schulz, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of John Schulz, of St. Hilaire, in the County of Pennington, in said District, Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of November, A. D. 1921, the above named John Schulz was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the city of Crookston, in the County of Polk, in said district, on the 23th day of November, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated November 7, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

J. M. BISHOP,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Attorney for Bankrupt.
N-10

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Ida Trickel.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Rose Trickel, Lee Trickel, Claude Trickel and Gladys Trickel, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Theodore Bondy having been filed in this Court, representing that Ida Trickel, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of August, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theodore Bondy, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of October, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
O-27-N-3-10

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage given by Christ Nissen and Sarah Nissen, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 2nd, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on Page 534.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $153.08 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $157.38, a total of $310.46 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) of Section No. Six (6), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 27th day of October, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-3-10-17-24-D-1-8

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 ($1012.35) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August A. Schmitt and Lilah Schmitt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of September, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of October, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 60.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to C. W. Nelson by written assignment dated the 10th day of April, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 28th day of October, 1921, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 161, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half (N½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-three (33), and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼), and Lots numbered respectively One (1) and Two (2) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred-fifty-three (153) North of Range numbered Forty-three (43) West of the 5th P. M., in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of December, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, A. D. 1921.

C. W. NELSON,
Assignee and present owner of mortgage.

J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
N-10-17-24-D-1-8-15

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said County at his office in the court house at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscribers at their offices in the City of Alexandria, Douglas County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the day of such service, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to serve your answer to said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Dated October 17th, 1921.

GUNDERSON & LEACH,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Alexandria, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, the object of which action is to have the Court adjudge and determine by its decree and judgment that the Plaintiff Martina Peterson is the owner in fee of the premises described herein and that the Defendants have no right, title, estate or interest in, or lien on the said premises or any part thereof.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41, Block 3, of the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, now a part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat of said Townsite on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated October 17th, 1921.

GUNDERSON & LEACH,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Upright piano, $175. Call 1209 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 338. 41

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—Good farm horses and fresh milch cows. D. G. Brownlee, Mavie, Minn. 41

FOR SALE—Ice by the load; dry pole wood, $5 per load. Upland and timothy hay. Ben Thompson, phone 486W 41p

FOR SALE—Two young pure bred Poland China boars, cheap. One mile north of Silverton. L. W. Knadle. 40

FOR SALE—I have three good self feeder stoves for sale at $15, $18 and $20 each, including pipe and damper. J. L. Bean. 40p

FOR SALE—Fine quality steam evaporated sorghum syrup in 5, 10, 15, 55 gal. containers or six pail case. $1 per gal. Fred Wolfram, Rt. 1, Belle Plaine, Minn. 39p

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FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 183. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn, good well, three lots, located on corner of Fourth Street and Knight Ave. N., known as the Severson property, for sale cheap. Possession can be given Oct. 1. John Bratrud. 34tf

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TO EXCHANGE—Land for good automobile. W. A. Bishop. 37tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One business lot near First National Bank; thirteen dwelling lots on Arnold north; house and two lots near hospital; three automobiles. Inquire Hager Land Co. 38tf

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WANTED TO TRADE—5 room house for 80 or 160 acre good improved farm close to town and school, with fair buildings on it. No land man need answer. Will pay cash for difference in trade. Answer, giving complete description and price on land. Write No. 114 in care of The Times. 41p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 16. 801 Main Avenue North. 41tf

FOR RENT—Rooms convenient and suitable for school students, at very reasonable rate. Bertha Saugen, 311 Arnold Ave. S. 40p

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 8 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

WANTED—A part time job. Can work from 8 to 11:30 and 1 to 5. Phone 545-W 40p

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AGENT WANTED—Live agents wanted to handle city trade for the genuine Watkins Products. A real opportunity. Write for free sample and particulars. J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. 70, Winona, Minn. 41p

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 40p

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. F. C. Nichol, 303 Arnold Ave. N. 40

WANTED—A cook on the P. Knott Spaulding farm by Nov. 1. Walking distance to town. Inquire of Mrs. G. T. Peterson, Warren, Minn. 40

LOST

LOST—Rim with spare tire on east state road. Reward if returned to Hall Brothers' store. 41

LOST—A bar pin, set with brilliants, on Saturday afternoon. Finder please notify 112 Kendall Ave. S. Reward. 40

LOST—Some place between 429 Riverside Ave. and Trinity church, a shoulder mink fur. Finder return to Times Prtg. Co. 40

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—One second hand set of Encyclopedia Britannica, late edition. Phone 78. 40

TAKEN UP—At my place about one month ago, red steer calf. Aug. Carlson, Rt. 1, Town of Sanders. 40p

BACK AGAIN ready for weaving. Bring in those carpet rags to 116 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britten. 41p

STRAYED—Eight calves from my place near Highlanding about four weeks ago. Anyone taking them up will please notify the undersigned. Anton Hovnchek, phone through Goodridge. 41p

CIVIL SERVICE examinations in November. Positions $1400-$1600. Age, 18 upward. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars, instruction, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examin-

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Men's Wool Canadian Mackinaw Stag Shirts	$4.45
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Men's Sheep Lined Leather Vests	$7.85
Best Grade Leather Vests, sizes 36 to 52	$6.85
Leather Lined or Sheep Lined Overcoats, suede shell or best grade mole, belt all around or half belt.	$23.45
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Men's Pure Wool Ulster Overcoats.	$24.45
Men's Duck Coats	$2.38
Men's Lamb Lined Mittens	$1.38

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Willowdale School Notes.

Our first school month has come to a close. Fifteen pupils have been enrolled. Miss Ellen Fellman of Thief River Falls is teacher. Those receiving perfect attendance certificates for the month are Viola, Vera and Herman Peterson and Edna Sagmoen. The school has been supplied with new world maps, a new dictionary, a globe, drinking fountain, and a new modern heating plant will be installed soon. All pupils enjoyed a week's vacation the latter part of the month while Miss Fellman attended the county institute at Thief River Falls and the N. M. E. A. at Crookston. Calls during the month were received from Mrs. John Bloom, Mrs. Ben Peterson, Axel Kron, Geo. Selke, state rural school inspector. Geo. M. Gunderson and Miss Edith Peterson. Monday afternoon teacher and pupils enjoyed a Hallowe'en party. Friday evening, Nov. 18, a Thanksgiving program and rag ball social will be given at the school.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

John Rommanis and Emil Anderson spent Friday touring Norden and North townships in the interests of a potato warehouse in Rosewood. A special meeting has been called at the Rosebank school building for the evening of Nov. 12 to discuss the matter. Several good speakers have been secured.

Mrs. Nels Holm of Twin Valley has spent the past week as the guest of her son, A. S. Holm.

Mrs. Peter Mellem spent Thursday at Viking visiting her daughter, Miss Pearl, and the S. S. Nordgaard folks.

Mrs. James Thompson left Thursday evening for Thief River Falls to meet her sister, Mrs. M. Sorby, who arrived from Fosston for a few days' visit.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Rev. Allison of Minneapolis was in town on Tuesday and spoke in the evening at the Swedish church in behalf of the Swedish tuberculosis sanitarium at Denver.

Benny Ranum is spending the week as the guest of his brother, Bernhard Ranum, east of town.

Mrs. Julia Axelson, accompanied by a friend, spent Sunday at Wannaska to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jacobson.

About $22 was realized at the Red Cross Auxiliary social staged by the teachers and pupils at Rosebank last Saturday evening. Lunch and candy were sold.

Viola Axelson has gone back to Viking to resume her position.

Palmer Johnson of Warren is visiting this week with his friend, Thor Sevaldson.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

John and B. P. Sagmoen have been employed by the township the past week grading and graveling a recently laid out road from Rosewood and east.

A number of the local young folks spent Hallowe'en eve on a chrivari party for Mr. and Mrs. John Malacheck, while a few others engaged in the usual pranks.

Rudolph Sagmoen has purchased Lewis Alby's Chevrolet automobile.

Misses Pearl Mellem and Viola Axelson of Viking motored over last Thursday for a brief visit at their parental homes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls spent Saturday and Sunday visiting with Mrs. Johnson's father, J. E. Hellquist.

Arthur Bloom, who has been employed near Moosejaw, Canada, arrived home the first of the week.

The annual meeting of the Wildwood cemetery association was held at the John Bloom home Monday evening. As president for the next three years Alec Hellquist was elected, and as secretary and sexton, Joel E. Shoberg. Alec Hellquist and John Bloom will have charge of the cemetery upkeep for the coming year.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Martin and Iver Westby were down from Goodridge last Monday for a brief visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Iver Westby.

Swen Swenson spent a few days the first of the week at Newfolden on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Halvorson and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Halvorson of Viking were Sunday guests at the J. E. Hellquist home.

Rev. Strom of Holt, assisted by a theological seminary student, conducted Sunday afternoon services at the Rindal church.

Serne Tanem and Bud Leyden of Thief River Falls were Sunday evening visitors at the Mrs. Bella Sorenson home.

Swen Swenson visited at Thief River Falls from Friday until Sunday.

REINER

Anton Lian of Goodridge visited at the E. Grimley home Sunday.

Miss Dena Wold, teacher in district 57, resumed her school duties after a week's absence at Colgate, N. D.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Halvor Holen completed his ditch contract last week.

T. G. Helle made a trip to Goodridge Saturday, taking with him a load of grain.

Constance and Agnes Aakre gave a Hallowe'en party Monday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vraa, Misses Edith Shosten, Annie Ose, Christine Johnsrud and Lena Tangen, Messrs. Gunder Tveit, Will Myers, Theodore Rustad, Edwin Ose, Selmer and John Erickson, Bennett Johnsrud and Hubert Malberg. The evening was spent in various Hallowe'en amusements. Lunch was served at 11 o'clock. The season's decorations were used.

Oscar Quam left last week for Erskine, where he will visit with relatives and friends.

Ellef Halvorson has had charge of the confirmation class during the absence of Rev. Hoyum.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Mrs. Tilla Bratland was pleasantly entertained Sunday afternoon when twelve of her friends gave her a surprise. Those present were Mesdames E. Hanson, P. Lovely, O. Olson, Geo. Vraa, E. Kime, J. Dahlen, E. Aakre, G. Vraa, C. Vake, P. Olson and E. Vraa. The ladies brought a delicious lunch and a useful gift as a token of their esteem.

One Day Sale at Loken's Saturday. n-10

Roy and Guy McEnelly, Louis Grimley, Jessie Tanner and Oscar Stenvick attended the wrestling match and dance at Grygla Saturday night.

MILLION DOLLARS TAKEN BY FARMERS OF FOUR STATES

Pledges to Equity Grain Growers Pool For That Amount of Government Loan.

More than one million bushels of grain have already been pledged by the farmers of four states and about one million dollars of the War Finance Corporation loan to the Equity Co-operative Exchange is already taken up. As the farmers learn that they do not have to sell their grain on the present disastrously low market, the demand for information and for a share of the loan is steadily increasing. Thirty-seven field men are at work in Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana and can hardly keep up with the requests for literature and contracts.

A representative of the pool working at Veblen, S. D., pledged over 8,000 bushels in two days from individual farmers. Work has just started in Cavalier county, where the first farmer to pool his grain with E. L. Haaven, who pledged 7,500 bushels.

From Raymond, Mont., a field man secured pledges from seven farmers totaling 6,500 bushels on Oct. 29. Charles Sheals of LaMoure county has pledged his entire 1920-21 crop—over 20,000 bushels. Of 13 farmers called on at Minneota, Minn., in Yellow Medicine county, 12 pledged their total wheat crop of 2,650 bushels. The small Minnesota farms have produced a large amount of wheat and it is expected that most of it will go into the pool to help the Northwestern farmer, who must have immediate action or sell his grain at a loss.

Business Men Back Pool.

Bankers and business men of the Northwest are fully alive to the marketing crisis that faces the farmers who must have money to pay their obligations and are helping the farmers to meet this crisis by co-operating with them in pooling their grain. The sentiment is expressed in a letter from C. F. Peterson, cashier of the Farmers Bank at Ray, who wrote:

"The farmers here are holding their grain and would welcome an opportunity to join the pool."

This is one of a score of such letters received by the organization office of the Equity at Fargo, according to B. H. Critchfield, field manager of the pool. Business men have awakened to the fact that the pool will bring a big amount of government money into the territory, and at the same time protect the farmer from being forced to sell at present prices. With the farmer they have learned, says Mr. Critchfield, that the Equity-Grain Growers pool affords a genuine storage, prevents dumping the wheat on the market and keeps within the state and in the farmers' hands the money his crop should bring.

County Agents Help.

Surveys are now being made by many of the county agents in the four states to ascertain the amount of grain in the hands of the farmers and information is being sent to every farmer so that he may take advantage of this orderly method of marketing, made possible through the government loan.

EYES

Dr. Elizabeth A. Roton will visit Thief River Falls December 5. Office at Brumund Hotel. Eyes carefully examined and glasses fitted.

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CHANGES SCHOOLS FINDS IT PAYS

Lee Kenyon, recently employed by the Northern Trust Co., does not agree with people who say, "Schools is schools." He owes his position to the superior training he received at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., after leaving another business school. 8 Dakota-trained people have been employed by this big bank and its branches. Graduates are working in 600 other banks. 226 have become officers.

Don't hesitate about deciding which school to attend. "Follow the Succe$$ful"—to success. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

FARMERS DECIDE SALES POLICIES OF NEW AGENCY

Local Selling Facilities of Equity Will Be Made Satisfactory to Membership.

Producers All Have Opportunity to Express Preference as to Handling Method.

Organization Has 22,000 Members and 45,000,000 Bushels of Grain Contracted.

Farmers of Minnesota who become members of the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., will determine the question of permanent sales facilities as well as other matters of policy relative to local problems, declared C. H. Gustafson, president of the farmers' national co-operative grain marketing company in six addresses in this state, the last of which was delivered at Fergus Falls on Tuesday.

Special significance was attached to Mr. Gustafson's address in view of the many difficulties that have been encountered in getting the Minnesota drive under way. Mr. Gustafson, Secretary Frank M. Myers and Treasurer Wm. G. Eckhardt are now in direct charge of the Minnesota campaign. J. S. Jones, organization director for the state, is working entirely under their direction.

"The U. S. Grain Growers, Inc.," said Mr. Gustafson, "is purely democratic. Our membership will hold local, sectional and finally a national convention, this last to meet in Chicago in March, before another crop begins to move. At that time, every producer who signs one of our contracts will have the right and the opportunity to express his preference as to the channels through which his grain shall pass."

Plan For Minnesota.

"We farmers have been disorganized for too long and the time is now at hand when we must combine our efforts, forget our local differences and go along together," Mr. Gustafson said. "When farmer organizations in any local county, district or state have differences or even an actual fight and one of them comes out the victor, about the only result that can be shown in the long run is personal satisfaction on the part of the leaders who came out ahead.

"But what about the man on the farm—has he gained anything? Can he show any more profits at the end of the year? If only all of these little parades can be combined into one, we farmers can put on a show that will be well worth the effort."

With particular reference to the situation in Minnesota, Mr. Gustafson declared that the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., would set up sales connection in the Twin Cities that would be satisfactory to the farmer membership of the national grain marketing company. "It would be presumptious for me or any other officer of this farmers' company to dictate to the farmers of Minnesota what they shall do and what they shall not do with reference to local arrangements," Mr. Gustafson said. "This is a farmer-owned and farmer-controlled company and every grain grower who becomes a member will assist in determining our policies and the course which we will pursue.

Carry Out Drive First.

"One of the first principles adopted by the Committee of Seventeen was that the management of the local farmers elevator and the perfecting of local arrangements in each community for handling grain from that shipping point would not be disturbed by the national association. The same policy must be applied with reference to district sales connections and especially is this true where there is a wide difference of opinion relative to terminal agencies.

"The only thing which we can do is to proceed with our membership drive and then allow the grain growers themselves to solve the local problems for each district. When the farmers of Minnesota do make their decision, I hope that they will not allow anything to stand in the way and prevent them from making the decision that will be the best for all Minnesota farmers.

"Most of all, farmers should not lose sight of the fact that this movement must go far beyond district sales agencies or terminal elevator associations if it is to accomplish the purposes which the Committee of Seventeen outlined as our national marketing plan. We have farmers' terminal marketing associations at several points which have been quite successful—at Cleveland, O., Hutchinson, Kans., Kansas City, Mo., Omaha, Nebr., and at your own market, St. Paul. They have been successful in a degree but to obtain the results that all farmers are demanding we must go much further.

Build For Permanency.

"It was the idea of the Committee of Seventeen to use these agencies already established as a foundation for their ultimate development and that policy will be pursued so far as the existing agencies are willing to work and fit into the national marketing program. We want to cooperate with all existing farmers' marketing agencies. We plead in the name of co-operation that we may be the big brother of them all. That is the policy which we must pursue because if we take the broader view of what is best for all farmers, that is the only logical policy.

"Permanency is the one big thing which we, as your servants in starting off this national farmers' company, are keeping continually in our minds. Some of our very best friends have criticized us most severely for being too slow. We have been making haste—slowly. We have been trying not to take a step or determine a policy until we could be sure it was right. We did not want to go back and build over again. Furthermore, when it comes to the first annual meeting, we want the structure to be in such shape that we can say, 'Here it is. It has been built solid and safe. You won't have to waste time in tearing down a part and rebuilding.'

50,000 Members By March.

"There have been many differences of opinion in some states. It has been our aim to find out what the wishes of the grain growers really are before we decide what should be done in any such case. Whenever we are sure what the rank and file of grain growers want, then we know what to do. We believe it is better to go slow in those cases than to act too hastily and make a serious mistake. Our efforts have been rewarded and it is with considerable pleasure to me that I am able to tell you that in the states of Oklahoma, Colorado, Nebraska, South Dakota, Missouri and Indiana, every farmers' organization is out in the field and giving active support to organization work of the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc.

"We are just getting started in our organization work. So far we have just learned how to go about it and [illegible] we have more than 22,000 members and something like 45,000,000 bushels of grain under contract. When our first annual meeting is called in March we are certain to have a membership of more than 50,000 and more than 100,000,000 bushels of grain to market in 1922. And if Minnesota farmers give this organization the support which I believe they will, we will have a great deal more than that.

Is Practical Farmer.

"Our organization work in Minnesota will be conducted under the direction of the president, secretary and treasurer of the U. S. Grain Growers. We wish to be friendly with every farmers' organization in the state as well as in the nation and we trust that they will recognize that our policy of what is best for all farmers' organizations will induce all of them to give us their active support."

President Gustafson is a Nebraska farmer who has attained national prominence as a farmer leader and who has gained the name among farm paper editors of "a co-operator who is willing to co-operate." He organized, was elected president of and developed the Farmers' Union co-operatives in Nebraska, including the Farmers' Livestock Commission company of Omaha, which is now doing more than $40,000,000 business annually and returning more than 80 per cent of the commission charges to its patrons. He stated that he believes in a gospel of co-operation as between co-operative organizations and declared that the test of a co-operative was; first, does it help farmers? second, will it work with other farmers' organizations who are trying to do the same thing? third, is it built on a safe and sane foundation?

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GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.04
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Oats	.18
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Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.10
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.09
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.35
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.43
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.10
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07
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Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
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Obituary

Gustaf Ludvig Leisner.

Gustaf Ludvig Leisner, well known resident of this vicinity, died at the Warren hospital on Saturday, Nov. 5, from cancer of the stomach. The 1872, and came to America as a child. The early part of his life was spent at Augsburg. In recent years he conducted a store at Steiner and also acted as manager of the Hanson & Barzen elevator at the same place. About a year ago failing health forced him to retire, at which time he moved to this city. Funeral services were held in the First Lutheran church on Sunday and interment made at Highland cemetery. Rev. P. J. Carlstedt and Rev. A. A. Larson conducted the services. The only surviving relative is a brother, John A. Leisner of Bovey, who was present at the funeral.

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Cost For Full-Width in Business Section is $411.26 For Each 25 Foot Lot.

Hearing on Assessments Will Be Held at 8 O'clock Friday Evening, Nov. 25.

The total cost of paving twenty-two blocks in the business section of Thief River Falls is $261,305.62, according to the final figures submitted by M. L. Lawton, engineer directly in charge of the work, and R. A. Borrowman of the Bradley Engineering Service, St. Cloud, the firm having general supervision. This is an average cost of $11,877.53 per block when taking the job as a whole, but does not represent the figures actually charged against each property owner, these varying according to the width of the pavement. These figures include everything—excavating, paving, storm sewer assessment, curbs, gutters and the removal of crosswalks.

Cost Per 25 Foot Lot

On LaBree avenue from First street north to Fourth, Second street from Knight to Horace, Third street from the Soo tracks to Knight, First street from Knight to the bridge, and Main avenue from the Great Northern tracks to Fourth are all paved with bitulithic to a width of 48 feet, which, with the concrete gutters, makes a paved surface 52 feet wide. The cost in this district is $411.26 for each 25 foot lot. On LaBree avenue between First street and the Great Northern tracks the bitulithic pavement is 28 feet wide and the cost $271.34 for each 25 foot lot. On Main avenue from Fourth to Fifth streets each lot is assessed $257.32, and from Fifth to Sixth $218.69. The difference in the assessment is accounted for by the fact that no storm sewer charge is placed against the lots in the last named block. Horace avenue lots carry the storm sewer assessment, bringing the cost against these up to $355.30, the bitulithic paving being here 40 feet wide.

Notice of these assessments are this week being sent out from the office of City Clerk A. H. Akre and the time for hearing objections set for Friday evening, November 25th, at 8 o'clock in the council room.

City's Share Considerable

It is to be expected that there will be a number of demands for changes in the figures submitted. For instance, the engineers have assessed the city's share of the costs at about $62,000, or practically one-fifth of the entire contract price. This is for street and alley intersections, engineering work and storm sewers. The council's original estimate of the amount to be charged to general taxation against the entire city was about $30,000 and the matter will have to be threshed out. In this estimate of the city's share is not included the cost of paving the streets on which the auditorium and library are situated, covering a frontage of 430 feet of full-width pavement, which will increase the total by $6,664.76.

Nearing Completion

The paving crew completed the surfacing of Third street yesterday and now have only six blocks left in order to finish the contract. With good weather for another ten days the contractors expect to have the job off their hands. They have made remarkable progress since getting under way, there being slight hope in any quarter when work was begun that they would get through this fall.

Is Excellent Job

Those in charge of the work say that Thief River Falls will have one of the best paving jobs on which they ever engaged. M. D. McLarty, representing Warren Brothers of Boston, owners of the patented process employed here, has been in the city during the past week for the purpose of inspecting the work, while R. R. Collard, general superintendent for the Bitulithic and Contracting people has been steadily on the job since it was first started. Theodore Shoemaker of the Warren Brothers force of inspectors, has been looking after operations at the heating plant, this latter adjunct being in charge of J. R. Brown, and has passed upon every load of mixture before it was applied to the streets. J. B. Mathews superintended the laying of concrete, giving way to Linn Nesmith, who is "top foreman" and has charge of the pavement layers. Another man who has been on the job steadily since work was begun is H. R. Boyle, cashier for the those mentioned is a specialist in his line, has had long experience in paving matters and has given the job here his most careful attention.

Local Labor Employed

The work of excavating and concrete pouring required a considerable force of men and teams. These were secured locally wherever possible, a large amount of money having thereby been distributed among the people of the city. A crew of negroes was imported by the company when it came time to apply the "hot stuff," but nearly all these have now been turned off by Mr. Nesmith and their places given to men residing here in the city.

Warrenite Formula Used

The pavement has been laid according to Warren Brothers specifications, which require that three different grades of asphalt be used in the mixture. This is placed on top of a six inch concrete base, composed of limestone dust, secured at Minneapolis, crushed granite from the St. Cloud quarries, and native sand.

More Paving In Prospect

The entire mixing and heating equipment of the contractors will remain in Thief River Falls over the winter, the principal reason for this being that a demand for more paving is expected in the spring. Residents along Bridge street and La Bree avenue north have the matter under consideration and it would not be surprising to find that they have filed a request before it is again time to engage upon work of this kind.

PARENTS-TEACHERS FORM ORGANIZATION

Elect Officers and Prepare For Active Work During Coming Winter Season.

A meeting was held in the assembly room of the Lincoln high school last evening for the purpose of organizing a Parent-Teachers association in Thief River Falls. Mrs. Cardury, representing the National Congress of Mothers and an organizer of parent-teachers' associations, delivered an address calling attention to the importance and value of the work being carried on. Mayor John Bratrud, Supt. I. T. Simley, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and others, expressed themselves as greatly in favor of the organization as it would bring into co-operation the homes, churches and schools in the campaign for child betterment.

The constitution and by-laws of the National Parent-Teachers' association were adopted and the following officers elected: Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, president; M. P. Rapacz, first vice president; Mrs. C. A. Nason, second vice president; Mrs. E. J. Richards, secretary; W. A. Jardine, treasurer.

Another meeting will be held in the near future and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance present.

ASKS SUPPORT FOR HOME TOWN PAPER

Country Press Deserves Co-operation of Farmers, Says State Federation.

The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation observed "Home Town Paper Week" last week by urging county farm bureaus and their 1,200 township units throughout the state to co-operate with the newspapers in their communities.

"It is only fair to say that the kind of support given to the farm bureau movement by the country newspapers of Minnesota merits real support for the 'home town paper' by the farmers," the Farm Bureau News service says in a letter received by the county farm bureau.

"Farm news is printed because it's news, and of interest to readers. It doesn't mean charity. But it does mean that the home papers, in almost every case, are giving their farmer readers accurate news of the big farmers' organization in Minnesota—the farm bureau federation with its 73,000 members.

"It means, too, that through this support the home town papers are making it easier for the farm bureau to do work of real benefit to agriculture and therefore to the state as a whole."

Weed Inspection Meeting at Court House on Friday

A meeting of town and village officials will be held at the court room in this city on Friday, Nov. 18, at 4 o'clock. R. L. Boyd, state weed inspector, will be present for the purpose of explaining the workings of the state weed law to these officials as well as instruct them as to the manner in which it is to be enforced. Mr. Boyd will conduct a questionaire, his aim being to have his hearers ask for information concerning the matters they do not understand rather than make a lengthy explaination of the entire matter, the general purpose of which is already understood. It is very much desired that township and village officials attend this meeting.

A tour of all northwestern counties is being made by Mr. Boyd, with meetings at all central points. He will be at Greenbush on Nov. 17 at 2 o'clock, and at Plummer on Nov. 19th.

Move to Rainy River.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson will leave next week for Rainy River, Ont., where they will make their home with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Frazier. Mr. and Mrs. Hanson are pioneer residents of this vicinity, having farmed southeast of St. Hilaire for forty years. They have rented their farm to Otto Johnson.

PAY TRIBUTE TO HEROES OF WAR, LIVING OR DEAD

Large Crowds Attend Armistice Day Observances in This City on Friday.

Entire Audience Stands in Silen Prayer For Space of Two Minutes.

Hope Expressed That Disarmament May Result From Conference of Statesmen.

The weather on Armistice day was not ideal for a celebration, being cold and raw. For this reason the parade was not as large as expected but nevertheless an excellent showing was made. The remainder of the program for the day was carried out most successfully, although the cold had the effect of cutting down the attendance at the fair ground entertainment in the afternoon.

The meeting at the auditorium after the parade was the big event of the day. Seldom has a larger crowd gathered in the big assembly room for any purpose, a part of the audience being forced to stand during the rendition of the program.

Gold Star Mothers Honored

The invocation was delivered by Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church, after which Chairman Sterns invited the gold star mothers in the audience to a seat of honor on the platform. He then requested that as a special mark of respect to the dead soldiers the audience stand in silent prayer for two minutes, at the end of which time the choir sang a requiem. Miss Maud Johnson lead the audience in singing the "Star Spangled Banner" and Mr. Stearns took the opportunity to call attention to the Red Cross drive opening on that day. This was followed by a selection by a quartet composed of Miss Johnson, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Carl Sundahl and E. M. Bennes.

Mayor Speaks Briefly

Mayor John Bratrud was then called upon for a few remarks. He said that for Americans the day held a three-fold significance. Reverence for the dead and respect for the living were no doubt the subjects uppermost in the minds of the millions gathered at different points throughout the land, but sharing these was without question the hope that the disarmament congress meeting for the first time in Washington on that day might find a way to forever prevent a recurrence of the misery and suffering incident to the conduct of a war. "This is not an occasion for sorrow," said the mayor, "but rather one of hope and thankfulness that there now appears some probability of the world hereafter being spared the horors of war."

Chommie Principal Speaker

After a song, "Flag of Mine," feelingly rendered by Mrs. Fisher, Chairman Sterns introduced Hans O. Chommie as speaker of the day. Although under the handicap of a heavy cold, Mr. Chommie delivered an excellent address, not only paying a fine tribute to the men who offered themselves without hesitation when the call came, but emphasizing the fact that the cause for which they fought is in a large measure still to be won. While the observances of Armistice Day were being held for the purpose of honoring the men who went out to battle, said the speaker, it seemed as if the country at large, perhaps unconsciously, is forgetting the services they rendered and the sacrifices they made. It was fitting, therefore, he maintained, that the people should pause and contemplate these things.

Cause Not Yet Won

Referring to the unknown soldiers buried that day at Arlington, Mr. Chommie said: "These young men died for a cause which is still to be won. In them and the sacrifice they made we see the connecting link between the old idea of settling controversies by war and the meeting of the disarmament conference at Washington. That conference must result in something of a tangible nature looking toward the ending of all wars or the sacrifice of these young men will have been in vain," continued the speaker.

Only the Beginning.

Mr. Chommie stated that he doubted very much if anything of a concrete nature would result from the deliberations of the men around the council table at Washington, but the meeting will help crystalize the opinion of the world on the necessity for nations to finally get together on some plan of procedure that will forever banish wars.

"Men no longer fight duels to vindicate their honor," said the speaker, "but nations still continue the practice. This is as indefensible in one case as the other—in fact more so on the part of the nation."

The trouble with all governments is that they are too jealous of their soverignty and honor, he continued, and as long as this attitude prevails, with all the openings it leaves for misunderstandings and quarrels, it will be next to useless to expect that a disarmament program will be successful.

Mr. Chommie's address was listened to with the closest attention and at its termination the large audience gave unmistakable evidence of its approval.

Another song by the quartet and the singing of "America" by the audience closed the exercises.

Afternoon and Evening.

Those who witnessed the sports at the fair grounds were well pleased with the program, which lasted until 6 o'clock. In the evening there was a feature film presented at the Lyceum under legion auspices, the house being packed for both shows. A well-attended dance by the Women's auxiliary of the legion closed the day.

Named Railway Mail Clerk.

Clarence A. Vevea of this city is one of 19 applicants passing the examination for railway mail clerks in the competitive tests held some time ago and has been named as a substitute clerk. The position pays at the rate of $1400 per year for the time actually put in.

$27,000 IS COUNTY SHARE OF SPECIAL STATE SCHOOL AID

Total Distribution Amounts to $3,387,129, Largest Sum in History of State.

R. P. Chase, state auditor, this week distributed $3,387,129.75, the largest amount of special public school aid ever appropriated by a Minnesota legislature. The distribution is in accordance with Chapter 473 of the laws enacted by the last legislature.

The money is in aid of the various public schools and is distributed on certification of the state board of education under provision of Chapter 467, Laws 1921. Every county in the state is participating, 242 high schools and special departments receiving $1,334,566, while 269 graded schools receive $440,301, consolidated school districts $756,294, and rural schools $855,968.75.

Pennington county's share of this money is $26,941, and the apportionment among our several public school units is:

High schools, $10,204; consolidated schools, $6,969; graded schools, $4,122; class "A" rural schools, $3,846; class "B" rural schools, $1800.

In the distribution of this special legislative aid, St. Louis county heads the list, with $153,580. Itasca county is second with a total of $99,311, and Hennepin third with $96,292. Ramsey county's allotment is $34,025.50. Cook county receives the smallest amount, $6,036.

Amounts received by neighboring counties under the distribution are as follows: Beltrami, $71,621; Clearwater, $19,962; Mahnomen, $19,508; Marshall, $47,747; Polk, $82,802; Red Lake, $13,240; Roseau, $31,459.

Arranging For Regional Child Welfare Meetings

A meeting of chairmen of Child Welfare boards for the counties of Roseau, Marshall and Red Lake was held at the commercial club room last Thursday evening. The meeting was called by Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Pennington county chairman and head of the work in the Ninth district, for the purpose of making arrangements and planning the program for the regional conference of welfare boards to be held in this city later in the month. A communication was received from the Thief River Falls Woman's club endorsing the plan and a letter from Mayor John Bratrud invited the delegates to meet here.

It has been suggested by Commercial club officers that the meetings be so arranged as to include Thursday in order that an address by one of the delegates or local officer may be delivered at the week-day luncheon on that day.

Washington Conference of Drainage Commission

Representatives of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district, and E. V. Willard, commissioner of drainage and waters, will confer with the U. S. Bureau of Indian affairs and members of the U. S. war department at Washington, relative to drainage problems in the Red Lake district, Tuesday.

Specific problems relating to the fixing of lake levels and control of the outflow of the lakes, and improving Red Lake and Clearwater rivers, will be discussed at the conference, Mr. Willard said. The work of drainage is carried on by the district with the co-operation of the Bureau of Indian affairs and the war department.

Samples of City Water Are Taken For Analysis

A representative of the state board of health was in the city the first of the week for the purpose of taking samples of the water now being secured from the deep well at the power house. In order to make certain of the condition of the mains the samples were taken at different points in the city. One was secured at the Lincoln school, one at the Kiewel Products company's plant and one at the Evelyn hotel. These were taken to the university laboratory for analysis and a report promised at the earliest possible date. Samples of the river water were also taken and will be analyzed.

WILL GIVE AWAY FINE FORD CAR ON MARKET DAY

Presentation to Mark End of Solid Week of Sensational Bargain Giving.

Practically Every Business Establishment in City to Help in This Great Windup.

Big Market Edition of The Times Next Week Will Be of Unusual Interest.

One Ford touring car given away free.

Six days of continuous price-slashing.

Every business house in Thief River Falls included in the list of bargain-givers.

Season's latest and most attractive goods offered at cut prices just before the holidays.

That is the program of the Thief River Falls Merchants association for the week beginning Monday, Nov. 28, and continuing until closing time on Saturday, Dec. 3.

No such selling campaign was ever before attempted in this state. Fifty-five stores, covering every line of goods needed by the public, are behind this movement to give the people of this section an opportunity to save money and are doing everything in their power to let the fact be known.

The big feature of this Market Week will be the presentation to some person of a Ford touring car absolutely free of charge. Full details of this remarkable offer will be found on the "Latch String" page of The Times next week. It may be stated at this time, however, that all necessary in order to become a contender for the ownership of this automobile is that a cash purchase amounting to one dollar be made at one of the stores in the city indicated by the "Latch String" page. A coupon showing that the sale has been made will be presented to the purchaser, who will then deposit it either at the First National or First and Peoples State bank. The machine will be given away at 5:30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 3. There are no strings or conditions. The coupon holder does not necessarily have to be present when the award is made. He or she will be notified in case the car should be alloted to them.

Next week The Times will contain the announcements of these different merchants. The offerings cover everything from the materials necessary to build a house to a paper of pins.

This will be the last big Market Day announcement of the present season. The preceding five have proved successful far beyond expectaitons, a fact which goes to show that people will take advantage of bargain offerings when these are presented in the proper way.

Do not miss reading every line in The Times next week. Every word will be of interest to those who are anxious to make their dollars go as far as possible. All records for price-cutting will be smashed and no limit will be placed upon the amount of goods anyone may secure at the figures quoted.

Make your arrangements now for coming to Thief River Falls at least for one day during the week beginning Nov. 28.

Big Sale at Mogensen's Opens Saturday Morning

As will be seen by the page advertisment in another part of The Times today, there is going to be an unusual sale of clothing, hats, caps and furnishing goods at the E. O. Mogensen store beginning Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Twenty thousand dollars worth of goods will be offered at greatly reduced prices. The stock is one of the very best in this part of the country, comprising many of the leading lines in every department. The price reductions are most attractive and should make an appeal to the buyer who is anxious to make his dollars go as far as possible. It will pay anyone to read the announcement carefully.

Brink Elected Judge

While no formal filing for the office of special municipal judge was made at the city election, it seems that no one was to have been chosen. The names of several citizens were written on ballots, Charles A. Brink receiving a total of fifteen in this manner, which elects him. Herman Ohm received eight votes and Senator O. A. Naplin six, while others trailed along as follows: S. T. Johnson, three; Milton Forder, two; G. Howard Smith, one; E. M. Stanton, one; Mrs. E. Bakke, two.

Montevideo Dentist Buys Dr. Crandall's Practice

Dr. R. Arnold, D. D. S., formerly of Montevideo, Minn., has purchased the office equipment and practice of Dr. C. R. Crandall and will continue the business carried on by the latter in this city for many years. Dr. Arnold is a man of long experience in the profession, as will be noted from the following from the Montevideo News:

"Dr. and Mrs. Arnold and children will leave Monday for Thief River Falls, where they will make their home. Dr. Arnold will practice dentistry there. He engaged in the practice of his profession here for a number of years and was also prominent in financial affairs, having been connected with the telephone company when it was a local concern and also an officer of the Farmers and Merchants State bank. For several years he served as a member of the city council. Mrs. Arnold has been a worker in women's organizations of the city and her ability as a reader has been of enjoyment to Montevideo audiences on many occasions."

The Crandall home on the East Side is also included in the deal and Dr. Arnold and family have already moved in. Dr. and Mrs. Crandall and children are residing for the present in the Sharp flats on Atlantic avenue. It is understood their intention is to locate on the Pacific coast later.

STOP ADVERTISIG MERELY TO DONATE

Merchants Opposed to Publicity Offered Through Premium Lists and Programs.

The members of Thief River Falls Merchants Association enjoyed an excellently served banquet at the commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening. Turkey and all the things that help make up a banquet in which this bird forms the chief topic of interest were there in abundance. Following the banquet matters of interest to the association were discussed, particular attention being given to the arrangements for the Market Week which opens on Monday, November 28.

Those present also went on record as opposed to any member purchasing advertising space in programs of any kind, premium lists or the "feature" matter at times foisted on the public by itinerants. They were asked to steer clear of all such things until after the censor board of the association had given them approval. It developed during the discussion that a large sum of money was every year being paid out for a class of advertising serving no good purpose and the unanimous opinion was that a halt should be called in the interest of economy and good business. Rather than cheapen their places of business by having announcements appear under these conditions it was the general verdict that they might better make a donation outright.

GOING SOUTHWARD ON WINTER CRUISE OVER SCENIC ROAD

Many Letters From Northern Mayors to Those in South Will Be Carried.

According to word received in Thief River Falls from Truman Pierson of Minneapolis, founder and general manager of the Mississippi River Scenic Highway system, "Port Arthur to Port Arthur" and "Winnipeg to Florida Routes, started his annual winter cruise from Port Arthur, Ontario, to Port Arthur, Texas, New Orleans, Houston, Galveston and Florida points Armistice Day. This time he will travel in Scout Car No. "13" and will be accompanied by Dr. Herman Bryan, Canadian vice president of the organization and also president of the Ft. William-Port Arthur Kiwanis club. The trip from Thunder Bay on Lake Superior to Sabine Lake on the Gulf of Mexico will be made in record time, according to plans. Stops will be made at various cities and the program includes visits to 36 Kiwanis clubs, to all of whom Dr. Bryan will present a miniature Canadian flag and a message of good will from Kiwanis in Canada.

Account of the actual running time will be kept and after deducting time for official calls on Kiwanis, Rotary and commercial clubs, chambers of comerce, mayors, etc., it is expected by the time that Scout Car No. 13 arrives at Port Arthur Texas, it will have made a speed record.

Letters to Mayor John Bratrud of Thief River Falls, Mayor Andrew J. McShane of New Orleans, Mayor Oscar Holcomb of Houston, Mayor C. E. Keenan of Galveston, and Mayor John P. Logan of Port Arthur Tex., from Mayor C. I. Mathews of Port Arthur, Canada, Mayor C. W. Snively of Duluth, Mayor L. C. Hodgson of St. Paul, and Mayor George Leach of Minneapolis, will be carried.

On his up trip from the Gulf of Mexico in Scout Car No. 1, Mr. Pierson carried a letter from every Rotary Club from Texas to Canada to Dr. Crawford C. McCullough, president of the International Rotary at Ft. William. Replies to these letters will be carried on the down trip.

The "hoodoo" 13 does not bother Dr. Bryan or Mr. Pierson. Both are "hoodoo" proof, but just the same Scout, the regular Scenic highway mascot, who has traveled some 44,000 miles with Mr. and Mrs. Pierson since he first saw the light of day in Montrose, Iowa, two years ago, will have an assistant mascot in the shape of an Airdale pup named "Prince Arthur," in honor of the Canadian city of Port Arthur.

15-MILL BOOST IS APPLIED TO CITY TAX RATE

Total For Present Year is 104.1 Mills as Compared With 89.2 Mills in 1920.

State Reduced Tax While Levy For County Purposes is Slightly Increased.

Schools Responsible For Higher Rate, Getting All But 3.8 Mills of Advance.

The tax rate for the city of Thief River Falls will be 14.9 mills higher than in 1921, the total being 104.1, as against 89.2 a year ago, according to figures given out at the office of County Auditor T. P. Anderson.

There is a reduction of 1.19 mills in the state tax, which has moved downward from 5.42 to 4.23 mills. Last year the levy for county purposes was 11.58 mills, which has been increased to 12.17, or fifty-nine one-hundredths of a mill.

School Tax Responsible.

The school tax for District No. 18, in which Thief River Falls is located, has increased from 40.6 mills a year ago to 51.7 mills at the present time. This accounts for 11.1 mills of the total tax increase for the city, leaving an advance of only 3.8 mills for all other purposes. The general impression has been that the increase would be considerably greater than this, even the school tax being somewhat lower than was expected.

Rate in the Villages.

St. Hilaire village has a tax rate of 111.7, of which 70.4 mills is represented by the levy for school purposes. A year ago the total for that municipality was 97 mills, the increase being 14.7 mills, or just two-tenths of a mill less than in Thief River Falls.

Goodridge advanced from 92.3 mills a year ago to 120.1 mills at this time, a raise of 36.8 mills—perhaps the heaviest increase in the county. Both in the case of St. Hilaire and Goodridge the advance is caused by increased school expenses, the former municipality having just completed a new consolidated building.

Throughout the townships but little change from a year ago is noted. Where new school houses have been constructed the fact shows up on the tax records, but outside of this nothing of a particular nature has transpired to bring taxes up.

Ex-Soldier to Study Law; Among First to Enlist

Fred T. Scanlan left on Tuesday evening to begin a four-year course of study in the St. Paul College of Law. Mr. Scanlan was assigned to this school under the provisions of the soldiers' vocational training act, his health having been impaired while in the service overseas.

This young man was one of the four who enlisted immediately following the declaration of war and he staid with the army until after the armistice was signed. After putting in the required time training in camp he was promoted to corporal and ordered to the front. In his first engagement he was badly gassed and had to abandon active participation in actual field work. He was given a post with the army administration forces at Paris and remained in that service until sent home.

WARNING AGAINST USE OF STRAW AS LINING FOR CARS

Practice Tends to Spread Sow Thistle and Other Noxious Weeds Broadcast.

Attention has been called to the fact that potato shippers are using straw to line cars in which potatoes are bing shipped, by C. P. Bull, state weed inspector. This does not seem to be worth public mention, but owing to the fact that straw thus shipped from the Red River Valley is quite likely to contain sow thistle seeds, the matter is of importance. The result is obvious. These cars are billed to various parts of Minnesota and to parts in other states. The straw is scattered from the car at the unloading points and the burlap bags are likely to harbor thistle seeds. The thistle seeds become scattered and produce plants for new infestations.

This practice should not continue. The potato shippers should use marsh hay, which is usually about 100 per cent free from weed seeds.

The state is now trying to control the spread of noxious weeds. The work necessarily incurs expense. Let us not enhance the spread of weeds and add to the expense by thoughtless methods. The county agents, school teachers, bankers and all others interested or who shall be interested should call attention to this practice and advise shippers against the use of straw and urge the use of hay.

Society and Club

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club met on onday evening, with an exceptional ondance. The meeting was in arge of the losers of the recent mbership drive, who entertained winners. Miss Margaret Hughes, pervisor in institutions for the ildren's bureau; Miss Elizabeth nson, Marshall county nurse, and s. J. M. Bishop, county chairman the Child Welfare board, were ests of the club. Miss Hughes nded the program by giving a very eresting and instructive paper on elation of Health Agencies to Child elfare Boards." Miss Hanson ad- essed the club on health work in rshall county, citing many inter- ting features regarding her work. s. Bishop spoke to the girls about ild welfare work in Pennington nty, showing the necessity of co- ration from all civic organizations promote success. She lauded the for work it had done along lines charity and expressed her appre- tion. Miss Lorraine Will gave a lin solo, to which she responded th an encore. Miss Pearl Weeks accompanist. The remainder of evening was given over to the ertainment committee, during ich a program of contests and neral fun was enjoyed, followed by icious refreshments.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Wo- n's club was held on Monday af- noon at the Commercial club ms. A short business session pre- led the interesting program. Cur- nt events were led by Mrs. C. T. ristianson, assisted by Mrs. R. C. pprecht and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite. e remainder of the program was charge of Mrs. J. M. Bishop, state ector of public health and and nty chairman of the Child Wel- e board, who had enlisted the ser- es of Miss Margaret Hughes, su- rvisor of institutions for the Chil- n's bureau, and Dr. M. G. Milan. ss Hughes read a very interesting per on "The Relation of Health encies to Child Welfare Boards." . Milan, medical director at Oak- d Park sanatorium, addressed the b on "The Life of Dr. Trudeau." ss Palma Langseth favored the b with an instrumental solo, "But- flies."

Birthday Party.

Mrs. K. O. LaCoe, 517 St. Paul ave- south, entertained a number of le folks Tuesday afternoon at her me, the occasion being the third thday anniversary of her son, Lau- ce. Much merriment prevailed ring an afternoon spent in playing rious games. At five o'clock light reshments were served. A large thday cake topped with candles med the centerpiece. The little sts were Coyla Rossman, Olga Ol- , Biddie Novak, Evelyn Welch, th and Adeline Erickson, Margaret setta Stanton, June and Ellsworth land, Ward Votava, George Con- and Donald LaCoe. Mrs. Duncan nton assisted the hostess in serv- . Mrs. R. Olson and Mrs. J. No- also were present.

Trainmen's Dance.

The social event of the Thanksgiv- season will be the dance given on dnesday evening, Nov. 23, by dge No. 436, Brotherhood of Rail- y Trainmen, at the auditorium. Every arrangement for taking care of a large crowd has been made and the success attending previous dances given by this organization is sufficient assurance that a good time will be had. Music will be furnished by Snyder's orchestra.

U. C. T. Banquet.

The regular meeting of the U. C. T. lodge was held on Friday evening at the Masonic hall, at which Mr. C. Final, grand counselor, was present. At this time a number of new members were initiated. About fourteen members from the Crookston lodge were guests of the evening. Cards formed the entertainment for the ladies during the business session. Immediately following the lodge ceremonies a sumptuous banquet was served, after which a program of dancing was enjoyed.

Entertains at Bridge.

Guests numbering sixteen responded to invitations to a theatre party last evening, which is the first of a series of parties to be given by Mrs. Geo. G. Johnson. The theatre hour was followed by bridge at her home. Mrs. E. F. Dolan won high score, while Mrs. F. H. Herrick finished low. During the evening a delicious lunch was served.

Maccabees Meet.

The Maccabees met at the I. O. O. F. hall Monday evening. Following the regular business session a social time was enjoyed. Mrs. J. H. Hermanson and Mrs. C. M. Carlson were guests of honor and were presented with sherbet glasses as a token of esteem and friendship.

Entertains.

Mrs. A. H. Akre entertained a number of ladies at her home Thursday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. A. Anderson of Crookston, who spent a week visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre. The afternoon was spent in needlework and delicious refreshments were served at five o'clock.

Theatre Party.

Miss Stella Nelson entertained the nurses at the Physicians hospital at a theatre party Monday evening in compliment to Miss Anna Evenson, who left this week for Minneapolis. They were taken to the nurses' home for refreshments.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. A. Anderson pleasantly entertained ten ladies at her home Saturday afternoon, honoring Mrs. R. R. Collard, who left Sunday night for her home at Winnipeg.

Ladies' Auxiliary Meets.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion was held last evening in the office of Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant.

Bridge Club Meets.

The Tuesday night Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. T. L. Melgaard this week at her home, 105 St. Paul avenue south.

Notice.

The Methodist Ladies Aid will hold a sale of fancy and useful articles and also serve a supper in the basement of the church Dec. 14.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barack- n, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 20: There ll be a joint morning meeting of Sunday school and church at ten lock for a special Thanksgiving gram and offering. The choir will d the music and will provide the ecial musical features. The pro- am will be as follows:

Exercises by the Primary.
Recitation, Mr. Green's class.
Recitation, Mrs. H. C. Johnson's class.
The offering. (Special feature.)
Exercise, "Who Should be Glad," Miss Hamry's class.
Exercise, "An Old Fashioned Thanksgiving," Mrs. Christenson's class.
Playlet, "Conundrums," Miss Hilson's class.
Playlet, "The Gift of the Book," Miss Leavitt, director.

The evening service of worship at p. m. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. On Thursday, Nov. 24, the Union anksgiving day service at 10:30 a. The speaker of the day will be v. J. B. Smith, pastor of the Meth- st Episcopal church.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lun- l, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 20: Sun- school at 10 a. m. The morning vices at 11 a. m. and evening ser- es at 7:30 p. m., will be conducted Rev. C. A. Beckman. Thanksgiv- service Thursday at 8 p. m. ung people's meeting Friday at 8 m. At St. Hilaire: Services con- cted by Wm. Englund at the east e school Thursday and Friday at . m. Sunday at St. Hilaire at 11 m.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. tz, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 20. Ger- n services at 10 a. m. Sunday ool at 11:30 a. m. at Germantown. glish services at 3 p. m. at Erie. at 8 p. m. at Neptune. Tuesday, v. 22, English services in Good- ge at 8 p. m. Thanksgiving day, v. 24, German services at Esplee 10 a. m. English services at ygla at 3 p. m. and at Thorhult at . m.

The First Evangelical Lutheran urch, Albin A. Larson, Pastor— vices in the Swedish language at 30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday ool at 11:45 a. m. Services in the erican language at 7:45 p. m. On dnesday afternoon and evening, Nov. 30, the Ladies' Aid and the Willing Workers' societies will hold a joint bazaar in the church basement.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services on Sunday, the 20th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. On Wednesday, the 23rd, a series of special meetings will begin at 7:30 p. m., with two meetings each day the following days until Sunday, the 27th. The speakers will be Rev. C. Keldgaard and Rev. Th. Lunde.

Christion Science Services will be held on Sunday, Nov. 20, and each Sunday thereafter at the church edifice on First and Bridge streets at 11 o'clock. Subject Sunday, Nov. 20, "Soul and Body." Sunday school at 10 a. m. All services after Nov. 20 to continue as usual. The public is cordially invited.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—No meeting of confirmation class Saturday. Divine services Sunday in Norwegian at 11 a. m. In English at 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m. Divine services in English on Thanksgiving day at 11 a. m. Choir practice every Thursday evening in the church.

M. E. Church, Jno. B. Smith, Pastor. Corner of Bridge street and Conely avenue. Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school 10 a. m. Epworth League 7 p. m. All are invited to these services.

Zion Lutheran Church, Geo. Larson, Pastor—Services 11 a. m. Services at Rosewood 2 p. m. Services 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Choir practice Friday evening. Confirmants Saturday at 2 p. m. at the parsonage.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. English services 7:45 p. m. There will be German services Thanksgiving day at 10:30 a. m.

Silverton Ladies' Aid.

The Silverton Ladies' Aid will hold its annual sale and Thanksgiving dinner Thursday, Nov. 24, at the home of Jacob Klungness.

American Legion Corner

Our Flag.

Back of the rocking cradle
Back of each mother's dreams
Back of the brawny arms of men,
And of boyish youth that beams.
Back of our factories, fields and
schools,
Back of our laws and creeds and rules
Back of our Nation's freedom true;
Stars and Stripes, Red, White and
Blue.

"The foundation of every state is the education of its youth." That is why the American Legion and the National Educational association have joined together to hold an American Education Week, Dec. 4-10, 1921. Eleven thousand Legion posts thruout America will urge ministers of all denominations to preach upon Education on Sunday, Dec. 4. Merchants will be asked to contribute advertising space and window displays appropriately featuring American Education Week. Newspapers and motion picture theatres will be urged to drive home to the people the value and necessity of education to the individual, the community, the state, and the nation. Thousands of Legion speakers will do their part.

"The School and the Nation," "Immigration and the Nation," "The Value of Education," will form some of the subjects which Legion speakers will discuss during American Education Week. Kindred subjects will be dealt with too, such as "Our Flag," "American Ideals," "American Patriotism." American Patriotism, for which so many of our comrades died; the wearing of the Flag in our hearts as well as in our buttonholes; being good citizens from day to day; always striving as citizens to reflect honor and respect upon the Nation.

THAT DULL ACHING

Don't worry and complain about a bad back. Get rid of it! For weak kidneys, lame and achy backs, your neighbors recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor!

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DOLL CHARACTERS ARE PRINCIPALS IN HOME TALENT PLAY

Beautiful Musical Extravaganza to Be Presented By Young Ladies' Sodality.

"Fi-Fi of the Toy Shop," a musical extravaganza, is to be staged at the auditorium Friday, Nov. 25, at 8:30, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Sodality. This is a strictly home talent production with a cast of 100 people, many of whom have taken part in former home talent plays in the city.

The story in brief is that of Bonnie, the toymakers daughter, who wanders into the woods at the close of day and is overtaken by the Sandman, who casts her into a magic sleep. She dreams a wonderful dream wherein the bisque and wooden creatures of her father's shop come to life and indulge in a night of revelry. Strange things befall the toys and dolls transplanted into the world of life and motion for the first time, until Bonnie awakens from her sleep at break of day with the strains of fairy music ringing in her ears.

The following is an extract from a write-up of the production: "There is a plot which moves consistently to a happy ending. The situations which arise when the dolls find themselves for the first time in the world of life and motion are ludicrous in the extreme. An evening of such diversified amusement is, in fact, so well supplied that the audience wonders that one production can contain so many good features and can be so ably handled by amateurs. The elaborate costuming and scenic equipment give a finish and tone to the production that places it in the professional class."

Principal Characters.

Bonnie, daughter of Tackhammer	Mary Vance
Fi-Fi, a French doll	Katherine Thill
Ink Spot, a black doll	Mayme Votava
Loosey, a rag doll	Martine Cloutier
Prince Lollipop, a gentleman doll	Norbert Holzknecht
Lieut. Tin-Heart, a soldier Doll	G. W. Connell
Captain Barnacle, a sailor doll	Roy Barzen
A-a-lta, a fairy queen	Esther Sourdo
Aurella, the witch	Valeria Parenteau
Tackhammer, the toy maker	F. E. McGinn
The Sandman	Carl Sundahl
The Man-in-the-Moon	Joseph Cloutier
Bo-Peep, a singing doll	Thelma Christianson
Japanese doll	Alva Effinger
Talking doll	Florence Baker
Miss Puddinhead	Jessie Barnett
Clowns	Morris Mabey, Harry Sullivan

Live Letter Blocks, China Dolls, Jumping Jacks, Christmas Fairies, Bride's Maids, Paper Dolls, Animals, Flower Girls.

Thos. H. Smith, cashier of the Farmers State bank of Mavie, was in the city Tuesday enroute home from Minneapolis, where he had spent two days on business.

St. Thomas Defeats St. Olaf

The St. Thomas college won over St. Olaf in the football game played on the St. Thomas field on Saturday, the score being 7 to 2. The first quarter of the game was played in a blinding snowstorm which left the field in very bad condition for the remainder of the set-to, and a successful attack of any kind of play was made impossible.

Dennis McGinn of this city played left end for the victorious team, this being the third major engagement in which the Thief River Falls boy has taken part since entering college. More than the usual interest was also taken in this game here by reason of the fact that a number of students at St. Olaf are from this city.

Senator Kellogg Has Eye Removed; Was Sightless

Senator Kellogg of Minnesota is recovering in a Washington hospital from an operation in which his left eye, sightless for several years, was removed. The operation was advised, it was said, because of the fear that the sight of the other eye, which is now unimpaired, might become affected. The senator is reported in good condition, with the prospect of leaving the hospital in a few days.

Norwegian Bank to Open Branch in Minneapolis

Otto P. Hoff, who a short time ago paid a visit to friends in Thief River Falls while on one of his frequent trips to this country as the representative of Den Norske Handelbank, arrived recently from Christiania and will have charge of a branch of the Norwegian financial institution to be opened shortly in Minneapolis. Mr. Hoff has been in Norway for some time for the purpose of organizing American department of the Christiania bank.

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Mutton Shoulder Roast, per lb.	13c
Choice Steaks, per lb.	18c to 22c

PHONE 479

Save Money
Here's Your Chance!

Women's full size outing flannel Night Gowns, each	69c
Women's heavy fleeced Union Suits, a good $1.50 value, at, suit	$1.00
Women's fancy flowered Sateen Petticoats, special each	$1.00
Silk Jersey Petticoats, all leading shades, at each	$3.50
Prosperity all wool Yarn, ¼ lb. hanks, each	48c
Bath Robes, heavy ones, all colors, each	$3.95
Waists, Silk Georgette, Silk Crepe de Chine, each	$2.95
Charmeuse, 40 in. heavy all silk, brown, black and navy, at per yard	$1.69
Percales, dark or light, all 36 in. wide, at per yard	15c
Outing Flannels, wonderful value, light or dark, per yard	12½c
Ribbons, 1914 prices prevailing, a big line at only, per yard	10c
Babies' Rubber Pants, each	25c
Children's Bloomers, each	25c
Baby Bibs, special, each	10c
Warner's Pink Corsets, each	98c
Double Mesh Hair Nets, each	10c
Laces, all kinds, at per yard only	5c
Bone Hair Pins, per package	10c
Belting, black or white, at per yard	5c
Large heavy Bath Towels, a wonder value at each	39c
Children's heavy 35c quality Hose, at per pair only	19c
36 in. All Silk Tricolette, in all colors, at per yard	$1.39
36 in. Kimono Silks, extra special ta per yard	$1.39

The New Bargain Basement Offers 350 Blankets on Sale

This sale comes just at the right moment. Here are Cotton, Woolnap and Wool Blankets, any size, in pretty plaids and checks.

NASHUA WOOLNAP BLANKETS

Size 70x80. A long fleecy nap, soft, warm and comfortable blanket; in many patterns, plaids and checks. Special sale price, per pair

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A JUMBO SIZE BLANKET, 74x80. A pure cotton blanket, soft nap, stitched edge, pair	$2.49
DAINTY CRIB BLANKET, in all the baby colors and especially soft and nappy	49c
BLANKETS, LOT 1—Size 72x80, a large size, in light and dark colors, pair	$3.49
BLANKETS, LOT 2—Size 40x60, a pure cotton blanket for a single bed. Pair	89c
BLANKETS, LOT 3—Size 72x80, a heavy warm blanket at this bargain price, pair	$3.79
BLANKETS, LOT 4—Size 72x80, an extra value in a wool nap blanket, pair	$4.98
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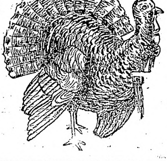

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90 sheets, large size	9c
80 sheets, large size	5c
50 sheets, large size	5c
95 sheets, large size	5c
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Jap Rose Toilet Soap	9c
3000 sheets 1921 Economy Toilet paper	5c

Ladies' Coats

ALL WOOL POLAR COATS AT EXCEPTIONALLY LOW PRICES

Lot 1 consists of a good assortment of brown Bolivia Cloth, Electric Blue Velour, Navy Broadcloth; grey Chinchilla with large fur shawl collars; black Fox, Astrican and Beaverettes. Very good values at
$22.50

Lot 2—Plush Coats; a fine assortment of 40 in. Peco Silk, Plush with Raccoon, Oppossum and Lynx; large shawl collars; also full length Silk Plush Coats with large shawl collars. All at
$29.75

Lot 3—a good range of Coats, Tweeds, Silvertones, Broadcloths. Full lined, large shawl collar.
$19.75

Lot No. 4—Good Chappie Coats, dark brown all wool Velour with Chamois lining and Beaverette shawl-collar.
$24.75

Women's Dresses

Black and navy Velveteen Guimps, neatly trimmed,
$6.90

Heavy nobby blue Tricotine, neatly trimmed
$9.90

Heavy navy blue Serge and Tricotine Dresses, fancy embroidered and bead trimming.
$12.50

Navy Poiret Twill, Tricotine and Serge, neat styles, fancy embroidered trimmed.
$16.75 $24.75

Brown and navy Taffeta, Crepe Satin and Charmeuse Dresses, embroidery and beaded designs, with fancy girdles and vesties.
$16.75 to $24.75

Girls' Serge Dresses, fancy trimmed, in navy blue and fancy weaves
$6.90 to $12.50

Ladies' and Misses' Skirts

Sport Skirts were never more popular. These are exceptional in style and finish.
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Navy and black serges in extra sizes, at
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Ladies' Genuine Red Fox Scarf	$37.50
Ladies' Medium Wolf Scarf	$27.50
Ladies' Medium Wolf Muffs	$16.50
Children's Coney Sets	$2.75
Children's Red Fox Sets	$14.75

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Ladies' Georgette Blouses, ingay colors and style. Some with girdles, belts and all richly embroidered designs	$2.98
Ladies' Crepe de Chine Blouses, in navy, black and popular shades. Plain and embroidered	$3.98

Ladies' White Fleeced Union Suits	$1.69
Ladies' White Fleeced Vests and Pants	73c
Children's White Fleeced Union Suits	98c
Child's Heavy Fleeced Vest and Pants	58c
Ladies' Cotton Hose	10c
Children's Ribbed Fleeced Hose	25c
Boys' Heavy Ribbed Cotton Hose	25c
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Misses' 2 buckle Jersey top arctics	$1.98	Boys' 1 buckle cloth top arctics	$1.75
Misses' 1 buckle Jersey top arctics	$1.39	Youths' 1 buckle cloth top arctics	$1.49
Child's 2 buckle Jersey top arctics	$1.75	Boys' 2 buckle cloth top arctics	$2.39
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Black kid blucher, round toe	5.90
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Men's heavy wool socks	98c
Men's white handkerchiefs	5c
Men's heavy 220 denim overalls and jackets	$1.25

Boys' Heavy 220 Denim Overalls

3 to 7	75c
8 to 12	85c
13 to 17	95c

Black and brown dress socks
10c
Paris Garters
25c
Men's Dress Shirts
$1.49
Men's Unlined Horsehide Mitts
98c
Men's Unlined Buckskin Mitts
$1.98
Men's Red and Blue Handkerchiefs
10c
Men's Heather Wool Dress Socks
49c

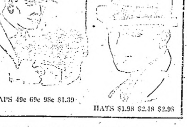

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Men's suits in conservative models, made of cassimeres, worsteds, grey and blue serge, at	$24.75
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Quilts, 72x84, Silkoline covering, fine fluffy cotton filling	2.98 and 3.98

Girl's Felt Hats

New Nobby Felt Hats for girls, in tomato, brown, tan.
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Men's heavy silk warp Corduroy pants
$3.98

Men's heavy Chambray Work Shirts
69c

Men's Wool Two-piece Underwear
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BOYS' SUITS

Oliver Twist Blue Serge, a full line	$4.98
Knickerbocker Tweeds and Cassimeres	$6.90
Penney Juniors, 2 pair pants, all wool	$9.90
Corduroy Pants, full lined	1.49 and 1.69

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A PROMISING START.

The disarmament conference at ashington has already arrived at point not expected to be reached til after long and tedious deliberan. The proposal of Secretary ughes that a halt be called in naval nstruction for a period of ten years ems to have met with unexpected proval on the part of the delegates England and Japan, the two wers besides the United States ost directly interested in the subct. The plan is accepted by them spirit, only the details remaining be worked out.

This country is deliberately assig g to itself the larger share in this rapping program, thus proving the ncerity of its intentions. Of the resent war fleet only enough ships ill be retained to properly police its aters and no more will be built for n years at least. Should England d Japan finally agree to this prosal there is nothing left for other tions to do but fall in line.

It is abundantly evident that the eoples of the different countries reresented at Washington are deterined to throw off the enormous urden with which they are now ddled by reason of the competition the building of warships and that ese delegates are only voicing the esires of those who in the last nalysis must pay the bills. Seldom ever has public opinion throughout e world been so united on any one roposal, and when to this fact is dded the evident desire on the part f the delegates themselves to reach n agreement on the subject, someing of value should result.

The action of Secretary Hughes in resenting without unnecessary delay concrete plan for consideration was dmittedly a masterstroke. It eliminated the possibility of a long-drawn ut discussion and hit squarely at the eart of the subject. Instead of pending much valuable time in trying to reach an agreement as to the best method of procedure, giving everyone interested an opportunity to voice diverging opinions, a complete nd carefully worked out program was presented, which, if accepted by Great Britain and Japan, leaves only minor matters to be adjusted. The action was so sudden that it jarred he staid and steady diplomat from across the water for a time, but they have most enthusiastically endorsed t as the plan promising the most effective and immediate relief.

The press and public opinion in England and Japan are overwhelmingly in favor of accepting the American government's proposition and it is not likely that statesmen will long hold out against this pressure, even though they might wish to do so.

Ten years may not seem like a very long time, but it is certain that if naval construction can be halted for that period of time it will never again be resumed on any such scale as at present. People have come to realize that there must be a curtailment in naval and military expenditures or the world will be bankrupt. In the United States it is claimed that 94 cents out of every dollar collected as federal taxes goes to meet costs incurred in past wars or in making preparations for wars of the future. In many countries the situation is even worse. It cannot continue. The disarmament conference must find a way to relieve the world of this intolerable and unnecessary burden.

THE LAST MARKET DAY.

The last three days of November and the first three days of December will mark the wind-up of a series of monthly market days held under the auspices of the Thief River Falls Merchants association. This final event is scheduled to eclipse anything and everything previously attempted in the way of a trade-boosting campaign and if it does not prove an unequaled success it will certainly not be the fault of the merchants.

It has been decided to make someone an outright present of a Ford touring car, the idea being to make this the most interesting event of the series. In addition there will be still greater cuts made in the price of commodities.

This will be the greatest selling campaign ever launched in this section and next week The Times will tell all about it. The customary Market Day edition will be printed setting forth just what each merchant has to offer. The aim is for every business house to offer some one thing at a great reduction, care being taken to avoid duplications. In this manner purchasers can, by visiting a sufficient number of stores, supply their every want at a cost very much below that which they would otherwise have to stand. In fact that has been the idea of the whole campaign—getting people to visit the different stores in order that they might become convinced of the ability of Thief River Falls merchants to supply their needs at all times.

The Market Days have been a success so far as their original intention is concerned. People have come to the city on these days from points many miles away and have found that our business men stand ready to meet their requirements at all times, while the prices have convinced the most skeptical that the era of deflation has not only set in but has progressed farther in this city than at other points.

Be sure to secure a copy of The Times next week. There will be money-saving opportunities presented by every line in its columns.

IS HOLDING ITS OWN.

For some reason there seems to be an impression prevalent that the region to the north and east of Thief River Falls, comprising parts of Pennington, Marshall and Beltrami counties, has not kept pace with the development in other parts of the Northwest. Were this a fact it would be a matter of considerable importance to business interests here, the region being in this city's trading territory.

Census figures, however, show that there has been a steady if not rapid growth in the population of these townships. It must be remembered that during the past six years there has been no great movement of settlers toward unoccupied lands, the war and events subsequent thereto having had a depressing effect on land settlement in general, this condition being no more noted in northwestern Minnesota than elsewhere. When the figures of the census report are compared it will be seen that instead of going backward the section drained by the Red Lake and Thief Rivers has increased in population in a highly satisfactory manner. The total increase in the townships referred to during the decade was 2,277. Of this number 1,055 settled in eastern Pennington, 605 in southeastern Marshall, and 517 in western Beltrami counties. In the first-named county Hickory and Star townships make the best showing, having gained 163 and 217 inhabitants respectively. In Beltrami county, Lee township with a gain of 99 and Spruce Grove with 116 increase over ten years ago are the leaders. In Marshall county Mayton with 122 increase and Mud Lake with 127 head the list.

It must be remembered that these localities for the most part are as yet cut off from direct railroad communication and that the highways are not always of the best. These defects will soon be remedied and then a regular influx can be looked for. The territory is highly productive and possesses every requisite except transportation for becoming a prosperous agricultural region. The fact that it has been able to better than hold its own in times like the recent past in spite of the transportation handicap is evidence that it possesses attractions that make a strong appeal.

THE SEASON'S BIG SHOW.

It is none too early to begin reminding folks that the biggest chicken show to be held in Minnesota this year is scheduled for Dec. 6, 7, 8 and 9 at the auditorium in Thief River Falls. On these four days members of the Pennington County Poultry association will exhibit the prize specimens of their flocks—and there are none finer.

Poultry raising has become something more than a minor industry and sideline in this section, and particularly in this county. There are numbers of fanciers who are in the specialist class and their stock not only carries off the highest award at neighboring shows, but there is a steadily growing demand from other parts of the state for young birds and eggs for hatching. When poultry raising arrives at this stage it ceases to be a fad and becomes an established business of recognized importance.

Prospective exhibitors should begin getting their entries into the best possible shape right now. It takes very little in the way of a defect to lower the scoring percentage of an otherwise perfect bird and too much care cannot be exercised in getting them into prime condition. This extra conditioning will pay big dividends when an expert comes to look over the results.

While chickens are the big feature of the show they are by no means the only things of interest or value to be exhibited. There will be turkeys, of which there are many fine flocks in the neighborhood, geese, ducks, guinea and pea fowl—an array of which any section in the country might well be proud. From present indications the show will be the largest yet held, which means that there will be at least 500 coops on the floor, each coop containing three birds.

Experts have stated that the Pennington county poultry show is better than that at the state fair. If such has been the case in years past the association should be crowding toward the top of the national honor list before long.

Good Will for the Red Cross

MESSAGES FROM EVERYWHERE

From Cardinal Dougherty

His Excellency, the President of the United States, having declared by proclamation that the annual membership roll call of the American Red Cross shall begin on Armistice Day and continue until Nov. 24th, I deem it a duty to exhort all our citizens to enroll themselves in this admirable organization, which, for many years past, and especially during the World War, has rendered to mankind such noble services and benefactions.

In times of peace, it has come to the rescue of the victims of pestilence, famine, fire, floods and other great calamities; and it strives to devise and carry on measures for preventing the causes of suffering.

In war, it has been a medium of communication between the American people and their army and navy; and it has cared for the sick and wounded throughout the world, irrespective of race and creed.

I bespeak for it a wide membership.

D. CARD. DOUGHERTY.

The Presiding Bishop

"Words to commend the Red Cross are not needed. Deeds more than suffice to spread the story of its achievement. Where there are war and wounds, fire and flood, famine, disaster and need there look for the Red Cross and you do not look in vain!

"May God guide, guard and bless the Red Cross and its workers always!"

DANIEL S. TUTTLE.

The Secretary of Labor

It is a pleasure for me to endorse the work and appeal of the American Red Cross. During the war it was my privilege to observe personally the wonderful accomplishments of your organization. The work that it did on the battlefields and behind the lines was certainly an inspiration to me. I have since observed the great relief which it has undertaken from time to time.

You can count on me for always advancing the cause of this noble patriotic organization for the relief of distress among mankind.

JAMES J. DAVIS.

OBSERVATIONS.

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

"The best way to spend money," begins a newspaper article, and we stopped right there.

Better hide the youngsters' skates for a few more days.

The undertakers are predicting a very successful hunting season.

The hunting season opened yesterday and will continue all winter in the Rex lobby.

"Bachelors are fools," says a woman lecturer. We admit it, but they are not reminded of it as often as the married lads are.

The timber situation is all right these days except for two minor details. The price is low, and there is no market for it.

Don't get too chesty. Take a look at the turkey strutting around and then think of what will happen to him the day before Thanksgiving.

You can't keep a good man down, but in these times his creditors can keep him hustling like the dickens.

The average homesteader in Northern Minnesota is a peaceful lad, but he could be arrested for what he thinks of city hunters.

Minnesota is the most prosperous state in the Union right now. As a bank account fattener the dairy cow is in a class by herself.

A lot of Baudette loafers want a living but evidently they don't want it bad enough to work for it.

Wear red coats, you big game hunters, if you don't want your insurance companies to get sore at you.

Pound Social and Dance.

A pound social and dance will be given on Saturday evening, Nov. 19, at the school house in District No. 76 of Marshall county, Miss Lillian Hineck, teacher. Ladies are requested to bring lunch for two. Everybody made welcome. n-7-p

Opinions of Other Editors

THEIR COMPARATIVE VALUES.

Ely Miner: Prospective murderers will please take notice. An editor was murdered in Arkansas the other day and the murderer was sentenced to ninety-nine years in prison, while a fellow that killed a lawyer got off with seven years.

ALWAYS SOMETHING TO BLAME.

Wadena Pioneer Journal: If moving pictures cause all the trouble, asked a Wadena man yesterday, what caused it before we had moving pictures?

PROVIDE ANOTHER OUTLET.

Dassel Dispatch: We cannot blame the boys much for Hallowe'en pranks when they do more or less damage and a perverted sense of humor leads them into "roughneck" ways, when there is absolutely nothing provided either in the home or in public to occupy their time and attention. A nice party at home or a Hallowe'en event of some kind of a public nature will prevent many an act of vandalism perpetrated under the guise of a Hallowe'en "joke."

IT SHOULD BE READ.

It is said that the Congressional Record is not decent. Anyway Congressman Blanton of Texas was nearly expelled by the house of representatives for putting into the Congressional Record material which was declared to be obscene and indecent. As a matter of fact, the Congressional Record isn't decent anyhow. It isn't a record of what is said on the floor of congress; it is what somebody in congress desires to have put in for the benefit of his constituents or the future generations which will never read what he said. The practice of "extending remarks" into the Record is one which is useless and wasteful. When we receive excerpts from the Congressional Record stating what our congressmen or senators said, we like to know that they really said it. The Congressional Record should be a real record of what has actually been stated on the floor of congress.

A BAD COMBINATION.

Dawson Sentinel: Jazz, moonshine and a fast automobile are a combination that spells ruin to many promising young people. Folks can go to the devil much faster since the advent of the benzine buggy.

ONE REDEEMING FEATURE.

Ivanhoe Times: Every time we try to lay up something for a rainy day a premature rain comes along and washes it all away. This business of continually starting all over again [illegible] merits, though. It prevents us good men from contracting those vicious habits of the idle rich.

MORE GOOD ADVICE.

Wabasha Herald: Don't worry. There never was a tide went out but what it went back again. The hard times will as sure be replaced by the good old times as the tide will come back that has gone out.

SEASONABLE EXCHANGE.

Redwood Gazette: These are the days when a fellow begins to wonder if he can't pawn his electric fan for enough cash to buy himself a ton of coal.

KINDNESS NOT APPRECIATED.

Glencoe Enterprise: Some people don't appreciate real kindness. A man tried to kill another fellow because he sold him a bottle of water for moonshine.

GETS PLENTY OF ADVICE.

Shakopee Argus: When Congressman Sidney Anderson declares that "farming is 30 years behind other American industries" in modern methods, he probably voices the belief of a majority of town folk who give rural life a hasty once over. To the casual visitor from the city, agricultural undertakings seem inefficiently and ineffectively carried on. The most uninventive of store clerks or office employes or school teachers watching the crop grower for a few hours, will insist that his work could be done better by the use of other equipment.

HAVE SOMETHING COMING.

Lake City Graphic: Somebody with a head for figures has it doped out that the American housewife earns $4,001 a year. And what is more, most of them collect it with the exception of the $4,000.

TOO MANY NEW FLAVORS.

Staples World: Most of us are glad that we lived in the old days when you could kiss a girl and not taste anything but the girl.

IT'S THE ONLY WAY.

Redwood Falls Gazette: Forget low prices for awhile and think about putting folks back to work, about getting goods to moving and about getting fair prices for everybody. The U. S. treasury contains as much money now as it ever has in the history of the country, according to the statement of officials. Hard work and a return to normal processes of buying and selling is the only thing in the world that will ever get that money started again in a good healthy circulation. Let's go!

Kiddies' Colds Can Be Eased Quickly

Dr. King's New Discovery will do that very thing, easily and quickly. Don't say, "Poor little kiddie, I wish I knew what to do for you!" When the cough first comes, give a little Dr. King's New Discovery as directed, and it will soon be eased.

It's a good family cough and cold remedy, too. Loosens up the phlegm, clears up the cough, relieves the congestion. No harmful drugs. For fifty years a standard remedy for colds, coughs, grippe. At your druggists, 60c. a bottle.

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It penetrates without rubbing.

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Keep Sloan's handy for neuralgia, sciatica, lame back, stiff joints, sore muscles, strains and sprains.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment Pain's enemy

Makes Sick Skins Well [illegible]

E Y E S

Dr. Elizabeth A. Rotop will visit Thief River Falls December 5. Office at Brunund Hotel. Eyes carefully examined and glasses fitted.

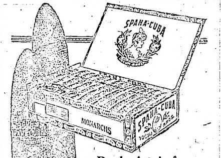

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Sale Starts Saturday Nov. 19

Of High Grade CLOTHING, SHOES, UNDERWEAR

Entire Stock on Sale

Owing to the mild weather this season I find myself with a large amount of winter wearables on hand. I wish to turn my surplus stock into cash and in order to do this I offer for CASH ONLY $20,000 worth of high grade men's and boys' merchandise at greatly reduced prices. Every price a real reduction. Bring the cash—the price will be low enough to suit you. When we have a sale it is genuine.

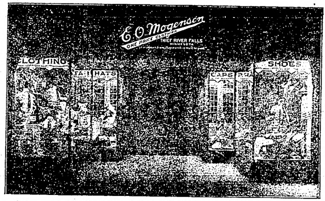

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$20,000 Worth of Merchandise to Be Sold Regardless of Cost Commencing on Saturday, November 19th, at 9 A. M.

The sale that will not disappoint you. The original prices remain on all goods. The reductions will be based on this season's market price. Be on hand early every day. We guarantee absolute satisfaction with every purchase.

Your choice of any $60 **"Kuppenheimer"** suit in the store ---------- **47.50**

Your unrestricted choice of any $50 suit in the store ---------- **34.50**

All $35 and $40 Men's Suits, at your choice ---------- **27.50**

ALL OTHER SUITS 20% to 50% OFF

MEN'S PANTS

3 Pants	$2.35	$7.50 Pants	$5.85
4 Pants	$2.95	$8 Pants	$5.95
5 Pants	$3.85	$9 Pants	$6.95
5 Pants	$4.75	$10 Pants	$7.45

A Pyramid of Bargains

Men's Heavy Wool Sox per pair 35c

Men's 4 buckle Rubber Overshoes, pair $2.65

Jersey Gloves, per pair 12½c

Railroad Gauntlet Gloves, pair 15c

"Ironclad" Sox, hvy, blk. or brown, pr 19c

For Saturday—U. S. Army Oxford Color Wool Blankets, each ---- $2.85

For Saturday—U. S. Army O. D. Wool Blankets, each ---- $3.65

Boys' Buster Stockings, 45c value 29c

BOYS' SHOES Boy Proof High Grade Dress Shoes, per pair $2.95

Men's Dress Shoes just arrived, val. to $7.50 $4.95

"Patrick" and "Kuppenheimer" Overcoats

$45 Overcoats	$50 Overcoats	$60 Overcoats
$34.50	$39.50	$47.50

These are the best Overcoats in the store.

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Overcoats 16^{50} 19^{50} 27^{50}

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"Little Major" Suits, each 95c

There is nothing misleading about this sale—no ifs, no ands, no buts. Come into our store and pick out anything. Regular selling prices will be greatly reduced. Your unrestricted choice of anything in the store. Everything on sale.

CAPS

$1.00 Caps now	$ .65
$1.50 Caps now	$ .95
$2.00 Caps now	$1.35
$2.50 Caps now	$1.75
$3.00 Caps now	$1.95
$3.50 Caps now	$2.45
$4.00 Caps now	$2.75
$4.50 Caps now	$2.95

Scotch Caps $1.25

HATS

All Hats Must Go Now

$12.00 Hats now	$7.95
$ 9.00 Hats now	$6.50
$ 8.00 Hats now	$5.95
$ 7.00 Hats now	$4.65
$ 6.00 Hats now	$3.95
$ 5.00 Hats now	$2.95
$ 4.00 Hats now	$2.65
$ 3.00 Hats now	$2.25

Men's Socks

25c Socks	19c
35c Socks	27c
c Socks	35c
c Socks	49c
.00 Socks	73c
.50 Socks	$1.15

Shoes! Shoes!

ALL SHOES AT SPECIALLY REDUCED PRICES

$ 3.50 Shoes now	$ 2.65
$ 4.00 Shoes now	$ 2.95
$ 4.50 Shoes now	$ 3.45
$ 5.00 Shoes now	$ 3.85
$ 6.00 Shoes now	$ 4.75
$ 7.50 Shoes now	$ 5.95
$10.00 Shoes now	$ 7.75
$12.00 Shoes now	$ 9.45
$13.50 Shoes now	$10.45

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Leather Top Rubbers

Men's "Bullseye" white sole leather top rubbers; these are the best made and are sold regularly at $4.50 to $5.50. All sizes. While they last ---------- $2.95

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Ladies' Lamb lined Fur Collared Fine Coats

"Stevenson" high grade all fine lamb lined Coats

$80.00 Coats	$59.50
$75.00 Coats	$53.50
$65 and $63.50 Coats	$47.50

These are made full lamb lined and have oppossum, coonskin or nutria collars.

All Kinds of Sweaters, All on Sale at 20% to 33 1-3% off

All Gloves and Mittens Reduced

Men's Dress Shirts

All On Sale!

$1.50 Shirts	$1.15
$2.00 Shirts	$1.45
$2.50 Shirts	$1.85
$3.00 Shirts	$2.25
$3.50 Shirts	$2.65
$4.00 Shirts	$2.95
$5.00 Shirts	$3.65

NECKWEAR

$ .50 Neckties	$ .37
$ .75 Neckties	$ .50
$1.00 Neckties	$ .65
$1.50 Neckties	$ .95
$2.00 Neckties	$1.55
$3.00 Neckties	$2.35
$3.50 Neckties	$2.65

All Handkerchiefs at Special Prices

Sampson Guaranteed Suit Sases 3.95

Remember the Opening Day, Saturday, November 19th

City News

Al. Barten, auditor on the Soo, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. K. O. Gigstad of St. Hilaire was a shopper here Saturday.

Otto Causin of Hazel was in the city Friday visiting friends.

Baker Olson of Grygla was a business visitor here Saturday.

V. C. Noper left Monday morning for Crookston on business.

J. T. Peterson of Grygla was here Tuesday on business.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald of Goodridge was here Saturday attending to shopping.

Ernest Nelson arrived on Monday from Kennedy to spend a few days on business.

Mrs. E. P. Modin of Middle River arrived Tuesday afternoon to attend to shopping.

Ole Bakke came down from Pinewood Tuesday to spend a few days looking after business matters.

B. O. Norby, superintendent of the Goodridge schools, visited with local friends over the week-end.

Miss Anna Wickum of Gully arrived Thursday evening for a brief visit with friends.

C. A. Kimball and Ed. Abbott of Grygla were in the city Saturday attending to business matters.

H. Cohn of Minneapolis was a guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn, Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. M. Wilson left last evening for Chicago to make an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Aug. Carlson left the first of the week for St. Paul, where will spend a few days on business.

Mrs. A. Bilden and Mrs. B. Burstad, both of St. Hilaire, attended to shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. P. J. Bottem and two children went to Greenbush Friday to visit over Sunday with Mr. Bottem.

A. Bjerkoel, a former resident now located at Minneapolis, was a business caller here Monday.

Mrs. Emma Orme left the first of the week for Lancaster to spend several days visiting a daughter.

Miss Eunice Peterson of Crookston visited with friends here Friday evening.

Geo. Bourden of Brooks was the guest of Morlan Bishop Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge visited with relatives and friends here Friday and Saturday.

Misses Elevera Peterson and Ruby Hilde of Crookston were visitors here Friday evening.

Mrs. A. Sheldrew of Grygla was a visitor and shopper here on Saturday.

K. A. Sundahl and son, S. Carl Sundahl, were business callers at Schilling on Wednesday.

Miss Andine Newton returned on Monday from Ramsey, N. D., where she had spent the summer.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who teaches at Goodridge, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. Lillian Moran and mother, Mrs. H. E. Mussey, of Grygla, were shoppers here on Monday.

Willis J. Kistler is spending the week in Minneapolis on matters of business.

Mrs. F. J. Stebbins, who had spent a week visiting with relatives in Minneapolis, returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist left Saturday night for Minneapolis to spend a few days visiting friends.

Miss Freda Lloyd of Grygla visited friends here Saturday and also attended to shopping.

Tanlac now has the largest sale of any medicine in the world. There is a reason. At Lambert's drug store. —N-17

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bourdon and daughter, Elsie, of Red Lake Falls, visited friends and attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Durrin have as their guest Mr. Durrin's mother, of Minneapolis, who arrived Saturday morning.

Dr. C. R. Crandall and family, who have sold their home to Dr. Arnold, have secured a temporary apartment in the Sharp flat on Atlantic avenue.

Miss Emma Ptacek, who is employed at Black's Sweet shop, left Tuesday morning for her home at Mavie to spend two weeks.

Lester Berg, representing the Pyramid Oil company, was a business caller here Monday, enroute to Warroad.

Wm. Wadell, a representative of the Pyramid Oil company, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city visiting his niece, Mrs. Al. Barten.

S. Hetland, who had spent a few days here on business, returned to his home at Hillsboro, N. D., on Monday.

John Sorum, a former farmer of this vicinity, now residing at Hillsboro, N. D., was a visitor here last Saturday.

P. J. Soards, who had been employed in the vicinity of Warren for some time, returned to his home here Thursday evening.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ole K. Bakke on Monday. A girl baby also arrived at the Ed Longman home on Friday.

Miss Agnes Peterson returned to her home at Plummer Saturday evening, having spent the day here on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Goshen, Mrs. Doten and Miss Bessie Tyson, all of Rollis, were in the city Saturday doing some shopping.

Hjalmer Nelson arrived Saturday afternoon from Gatzke and spent a few days attending to business matters.

Leon Harz returned to his home in St. Paul Tuesday after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn.

Carl B. Larson returned the first of the week from Valley City, N. D., where he had attended the silver wedding anniversary of a brother.

Evangelist L. T. Virak arrived yesterday from Roseau and will conduct meetings at the Pentecostal Mission.

Geo. Loken and G. C. Streeter returned yesterday from Bemidji, near which place they had spent five days hunting big game.

Mrs. F. F. Protz and children returned last evening from Argyle, where they had spent ten days visiting Mrs. Protz's parents.

Mrs. A. F. Hall and daughter and Mrs. G. Fellman of St. Hilaire were shoppers here between trains Saturday.

Miss Alma Thune returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where she spent a few days visiting friends.

Miss Olive Patterson, Miss Ruth Oen and Miss Peterson, all of St. Hilaire, were shoppers here on Saturday.

Elmer Bython, instructor in the school at Goodridge, was in the city Friday and Saturday visiting with friends.

Miss Margaret Eichhammer, who had spent a week visiting her parents at East Grand Forks, returned to this city Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Agnes Warring left Tuesday morning for Steiner to spend a few days visiting at the S. Warring and John Whitman homes.

Tanlac has made life worth living for millions of people who had almost given up hope. It will do the same for you. Lambert's drug store. store.—N-17

Miss Marguerite Burns, who had visited at her home here since last Thursday, returned to Grand Forks Sunday night to resume her work at the university.

Miss Agnes Rolandson, who had visited at her home at Oklee over Sunday, returned to this city Monday night. Miss Rolandson attends the local high school.

The Hicks Undertaking Parlors have been completely remodeled throughout. Day and night calls given prompt attention. Modern hearse. Telephone No. 30. N-17

Mrs. Emil Siggerud, who had visited for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Anderson, returned the first of the week to her home at Erie.

Miss Irma Johnson went to Goodridge Monday and spent the day as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg. She returned Tuesday morning.

Dr. Arnold and family are expected to arrive here today. Dr. Arnold has purchased the practice and home of Dr. Crandall and will take possession immediately upon their arrival.

Mrs. J. H. Brown of Grygla spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Engelbert and children returned to their home at Bronson on Monday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown since Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Millar left Monday for Crookston to spend several days visiting her mother. She was accompanied as far as St. Hilaire by Miss Mildred LaSalle.

Mrs. A. Anderson, who had spent several days visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Akre, returned to her home at Crookston on Saturday.

Leonard Stopple spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting his sister, Mrs. Willis Kistler, enroute from Grafton, N. D., to his home at Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brumund left Monday night for Minneapolis and will spend several days visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren.

Miss Mabel Husted, who has been employed at the office of the Union dentists, left Saturday afternoon for Crookston, where she will be employed.

Miss Mary Flynn returned to her home in Minneapolis Saturday night after a day's visit with her sister, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, enroute from Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Olson and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kvennes, all of Middle River, were here on Friday attending the Armistice Day celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Borgen returned to their home at Grand Forks the first of the week after spending a few days visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Elizabeth Hanson, Marshall county nurse, was in the city on professional business Monday and Tuesday. While here she was the guest of Mrs. Esta Barton.

O. A. Rambeck of the Rambeck & Stone company, returned Monday from Rapid River, near which place he had spent a few days hunting deer.

Mrs. Geo. M. Stebbins will arrive this afternoon to attend a meeting of the Child Welfare board. While here she will be the guest of Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Rev. A. T. Tollevs of Warren is expected to arrive this evening to attend a meeting of the Child Welfare board, to be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Come Tuesday evening, Nov. 22, and partake of one of the famous chicken dinners served by the ladies of St. Bernard's church, in the basement. n-17

Mrs. Ole C. Isaacson and daughter, Miss Henrietta, are spending several weeks visiting the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hendrickson.

Miss Anna Evenson, who has been in training at the Physicians hospital, will leave this evening for Minneapolis to complete her course at the General hospital.

Mrs. Elmer Ohm and two sons Kenneth and Floyd returned Monday morning from Alexandria and Osakis, where they had visited since Friday.

Mrs. Louis Rosland and sister-in-law, Miss Myrtle Rosland, returned to their respective homes at Holt Saturday having spent a brief time visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Clyde Baker, who had spent a few days visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Clarence Pope, returned to her home at Red Lake Falls Saturday afternoon.

Morlan H. Bishop left Saturday for Minneapolis to attend a meeting of the state executive committee of the American Legion, of which he is a member. The meeting was held on Sunday.

Miss Margaret Burns, who attends the University of North Dakota, arrived here Friday morning for an over-Sunday visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Earnest Zeh, a student at the University of North Dakota, arrived Friday morning for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh. He returned Sunday evening.

Ernest Zeh and "Bim" Powel, both students at the North Dakota university, returned to Grand Forks on Sunday night after a few days' visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Miss Pearl Olson, who has been employed at Benson's store for some time, left Saturday for her home at Trail to spend a few days. She will return this week to take up her work as clerk at Mulry's Bazaar.

Mrs. Ed Davidson and baby left where they will spend some time visiting at the home of her parents, to her home at Roseau Saturday after spending three weeks in this city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Risberg.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Robinson and son, Stephen, and the former's parents, all of Oslo, motored to this city on Friday for a visit at the F. H. Herrick and L. G. Larsen homes. They returned to Oslo the following day.

Miss Ella Pelto and Eleanor Bauer, instructors in the public schools at Bemidji, arrived last evening to spend their Thanksgiving vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson. Miss Pelto taught here last year, while Miss Bauer was at Goodridge.

Mrs. T. M. Thronson returned on Wednesday from Hawarden, Iowa, where she spent several weeks visiting her parents, and Minneapolis, where she visited other relatives for two weeks. She was absent for six six weeks.

Mrs. R. R. Collard and little daughter, who had spent the past three months here with Mr. Collard, superintendent for the Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited, which had the local paving contract, returned to their home at Winnipeg on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Voelz have rented the Geo. M. Wilson residence on Knight avenue and took possession yesterday. Mrs. Wilson will spend the winter with relatives in Chicago and Mr. Wilson will remain on their ranch near Goodridge.

Mrs. Cora Wold motored over from Grand Forks Thursday afternoon and spent a short time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns. Returning she was accompanied by her daughter Miss Lois who remained over Sunday at the Forks.

Mrs. H. F. Booren and son, Harry, came over from Plummer Friday evening. They remained over Sunday as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero. While here little Harry underwent an operation for removal of his tonsils, the operation being performed at the Physicians hospital.

Serine Tanem, Bud Leyden, John Sorenson and Joel Shoberg visited at Goodridge with friends Wednesday evening. Miss Tanem, who had been employed at the F. F. Haynes home here, remained for a few days' visit with her cousin, Mrs. C. Vake, after which she will visit relatives near Erie.

"Tanlac made me feel younger." "It put me back on the payroll." "I can eat whatever I want now." "I no longer suffer from indigestion." "I gained weight rapidly." These and many more expressions are now heard daily as people tell their experience with Tanlac. Lambert's drug store. —N-17

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brumund of the Lyceum and Princess theatres, left Monday evening for Minneapolis to attend a meeting of First National exhibitors in that city on Tuesday. While away they will make arrangements for booking a number of the latest film features released under the First National trade mark. While in Minneapolis they will visit at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren.

Attributes Success to Advertising.

Aaron Lutz of Mitchell, S. D., attributes his financial success as a grower of vegetables on a large scale to newspaper advertising. He went to Mitchell four years ago with $250 which he used to rent a farm and start in a small way. Today he is transacting business over an area of thousands of miles, making frequent use of the telegraph and telephone, as well as the mails. This year he raised 12,000 bushels of potatoes from certified seed planted on 53 acres, 4,000 celery plants, of high quality, 50 acres of melons, 25 acres of navy beans, 10,000 sweet potato plants and a large quantity of cabbage. "I have been able to sell my vegetables simply because I have advertised," says Mr. Lutz.

Help Your Local Paper.

(Southland Farmer.)

Don't make fun of your local paper. It has possibilities of being as good as any in the country—and remember that it reflects the community in which it is published, and it is the one product that goes to far places bearing the town trade mark. It deserves the best you can give of active support and sympathetic understanding.

Give the editor news, whether it benefits you or not.

Don't ask him to print it on the front page and just the exact way you handed it to him.

Don't worry lest the editor makes too much money. If he's prosperous, he'll be foolish enough to give his community a better paper; that's an editor's ambition—that's why he engages in the publicity business.

Tell him when he has a good paper. You are willing to congratulate your preacher on a good sermon, and your merchant on an attractive window display. The editor is no less grateful for a word of praise.

Make it a point to visit the print shop and learn of its difficulties and complexities. At least that will give you a more charitable attitude. The paper should not be the product of the editor solely, but of all those who are interested in it as friends, contributors, readers or advertisers.

Be a Times reader—it pays.

DAKOTA COLLEGE GIRL HONORED

Lillian Grinley, who won the silver medal as North Dakota's most rapid typist, is now official stenographer for the Federal Prohibition Director. She studied stenography at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. Other graduates of this school recently honored, are: L. R. Jones, new head of the Standard Oil Co's. Kansas City office and O. W. Fode, promoted to cashier of the Logan County Bank of Gackle.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Attend the school that has turned out capable, trustworthy graduates for 30 years. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

We Will Not Forget!

As Americans we can never forget the favor of Providence so abundantly poured out upon this, our country, since our forefathers celebrated the first Thanksgiving three hundred years ago.

The prayers of the first Thanksgiving uttered by them for the preservation of their lives will re-echo from generation to generation even to the end of time!

We cannot forget! We will not forget! We will keep faith with them that the structure whose cornerstone they laid will never crumble or fall!

In honor of Thanksgiving Day, November 24th, this institution will not be open.

Citizens State Bank
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

That Tooth May Ache Any Time

Don't neglect the small cavities. They can be permanently repaired if you will come to us as soon as they make their appearance. Delay, and you are bound to have serious trouble for tooth decaying bacteria never lay off, but continue their destructive work 24 hours a day.

Come in and see us now. There is nothing like keeping ahead of trouble.

We give free examinations and quote you the lowest prices on dependable dental work. A positive guarantee given with all our work.

EXTRACTIONS
FIFTY CENTS

UNION DENTISTS
Scandia Building
Thief River Falls

When Languid, Dull and Heavy—

the most trifling task becomes a mountainous endeavor. Yet, how simple and easy would be its accomplishment were your system fortified with

Force

A natural strength maker, FORCE will infuse new life and new energy into your flagging, drooping body; bring to you the power, the capacity and the inclination to do things, putting you on edge and keeping you keen for each day's labors. Sold by reliable druggists everywhere, and equally good for men, women and children.

"It Makes for Strength"

Sole Manufacturers
UNION PHARMACAL CO.
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CUT FLOWERS, PLANTS and SEEDS

with a REPUTATION
Supplied to the Great Northwest
DULUTH FLORAL CO.
Duluth, Minn.
Extra Value in Emblems and Sprays for Funerals

LIGNITE COAL

Expect car of Lignite Coal to arrive here latter part of week. Anyone wishing any of this coal can save money by making arrangements to take it right off the car.

Hard and Soft Coal of All Kinds on Hand

Nortz Lumber Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Building Materials of Every Description

We are never "just out" and never offer our customers something "just as good." We can be depended on to supply anything in the way of building material from the large stock constantly on hand at our different yards in this section, and at the lowest prices at which GOOD material can be secured anywhere.

Small orders promptly attended to

You will receive the same courteous treatment at our offices whether you require the material necessary for a large dwelling or only need a bundle of shingles. We are here to serve and the size of the order makes no difference in our attitude. Whether your order is large or small, you are assured of the best at the price when dealing with this concern.

WINTON-NICHOLS LUMBER COMPANY

Getting Acquainted

In the issue of October 27, Mr. Ed. F. Summers, of the Advocate-Democrat of Marysville, Kans., says:

> **HAVE MADE FRIENDS**
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> About three years ago the Standard Oil Company began a campaign of publicity which covered the whole country. No attempt was made to pay any attention to what had been charged up against the organization in that distant past, but a plain statement was sent out showing the attitude of the company, the diversity of its ownership and its policy in dealing with the public. And that campaign has been effective. No longer do you hear Rockefeller and the Standard Oil continuously roasted by the general public. Other "goats" have been picked up and in every section you will hear the admission made that the Standard Oil Co. gives service and piles up profit by being content to work on a small margin and develop a bigger business.
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> The experience is well worth thinking over for it goes to show what we have always contended and that is that the average man is fair and only wants to be shown. Take him into your confidence if your business is legitimate and you silence knocking. The Standard Oil has won favor by its policy of publicity and the favor is deserved.

THE spontaneous response which the announcements of this Company have received from many of the newspapers of the country has been most gratifying. That such a response has come from a better understanding of the Company, its purposes and its policies goes without saying. It is purely a matter of getting acquainted.

Those we do not not know we are apt to suspect. Those we do know we respect if respect is deserved.

The Board of Directors intend that this Company shall deserve the respect of its customers, its employes, its stockholders and its competitors by maintaining a policy of fair dealing.

The operations of this Company are carried on with a straightforward directness, and with the deep conviction that bigness is possible only through service; that through service comes volume, and through volume come profits.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2634

MEN! NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY!

To buy your winter supply of Suits, Overcoats, Mackinaws, Pants, Shoes and Shirts at a saving of 33 1-3 per cent.

Prices Just Like 1913

That is the verdict of the people who so far have attended this sale.

Signal Shirts
Plain and polka dots
$1.65

Corduroy Pants
Just the thing for rough usage. Sale price
$2.69

Union Suits
Splendid quality. They are heavy, warm and should last two seasons. Regular $2.50 and $3 values. Sale price
$1.49

Heavy Woolen Sox
All colors. Well made and extra long.
39c

Men's All Wool Suits
Blue serges included. Latest styles.
$24.95

Sale Now On

Money Refunded
Every article sold is guaranteed to be of dependable, standard quality. We stand back of each thing sold. If you get it and don't wish to keep it, just return it. Mail orders filled.

Sale Now On

Blue Serge All-Wool
Pants For Boys
Lined and made just like dad's. Sale price
$1.95

Boys' Suits
Made in the latest styles. The pants are lined. All sizes and well tailored.
$4.95

Men's Mackinaws
Each and every garment is guaranteed ALL WOOL
$8.95 - $11.95

Plaid Back Overcoats
The season's latest, with belt all around. Values to $50.
$29.95

Canvas Mitts
A 25 cent value. While they last
7c

Fleece Lined
Union Suits
Standard brands, highest quality. Sizes to 50. Sale price
$1.49

High Top Shoes
6 in. High Top Shoes, double tip. The best that $12 should buy. Our sale price for these are
$8.45

Men's Dress Pants
All wool, well made. We can match that coat and vest. Values to $8.50. Sale price
$4.45

Shoes
Work shoes. Work men, now is your chance to get a real good pair of work shoes for
$2.59

Lamb Lined Vests
With leather sleeves, 26 in. long, extension back.
$8.45

Men's Dress Shoes
Men's $7.50 velour bluchers, made of splendid quality calf skin. The styles are medium toe with much style. Cordovan and black.
$4.95

$7.50 All Wool
Mackinaw Pants and Shirts
Canadian brand, very special at
$5.95

Solid leather 18 in. cow hide
BAGS
Just the thing for your next trip. Sale price
$6.45

Many Unadvertised Bargains Piled On Tables Thruout The Store

Peoples' Benefit Sale Now On

PALACE CLOTHING HOUSE

L. L. Cohn
Proprietor

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The Slacker Student.

In the Sunday Journal several Minneapolis educators recently gave expression to their feelings concerning a problem of school administration—the problem of the slacker student. For the most part these educators pointed out failure of parents to instill in their sons and daughters a proper sense of responsibility, although they dwelt as well upon the effort of teachers to cope with student inefficiency.

The Board of Education has now adopted a rule directed at this problem. It seeks to inculcate fundamentals of personal responsibility in the high school boys and girls over sixteen—those boys and girls, increasing alarmingly in numbers of late, who shirk every school obligation, consuming more than their share of teacher attention, to the disadvantage of the whole school body.

Though it is an economic evil, in that it draws unnecessarily upon the tax revenue which supports the schools, it is of far greater moment in its bearing upon the individual character, both of the slacker and the honest student. High school principals say there are students in the high schools who are content to "pass" in one or two subjects, and even see a joke in complete failure. And they have been going on thus, from year to year, from semester to semester, acquiring habits of slackerism and irresponsibility; enjoying, meanwhile, the pleasures of the social side of school life.

Now the principals and the Board of Education propose to call a halt on this kind of imposition on the public. A rule has been adopted, intended to compel these loafers to do their work or quit school. "Their room is better than their company," if they persist wilfully in inattention. Henceforth they must work—and not only work in school, but put in reasonable hours in study at home, thus bringing parental responsibility into the situation.

The Board and the principals have taken an interesting step—one which should, if applied with due consideration of the individual, work out to the distinct gain of all concerned—the slackers, their fellow students, the parents and taxpayers, and the teaching force. Administered with judgment and discretion, the rule should redound to the credit of the Board and the school administration, and gain the hearty support of all who are constructively interested in the welfare of the city's high schools.—Minneapolis Journal.

Armistice Day, 1921.

Armistice Day, 1921! What does it mean to us? To all humanity it means a milestone in the course of civilization as the world goes ever onward: "The old order changeth, giving place to new." One phase of the observance of Armistice Day this year was the reverence to those who died in the faith that their death would help in ending forever that greatest curse upon mankind, human warfare. The other memorable event was the opening of the disarmament conference, which marks a distinct change in the ideas of men from a recognition of war as the right method of settling national disputes to an attempt to substitute something more in keeping with civilized standards.

But to us, the students of today, it has a special significance. We hope to live to enjoy the fruits of the sacrifices of those who died for humanity in the great war and the efforts of our far-seeing statesmen to bring about a more desirable state of world affairs. But alongside of this privilege and advantage will come added responsibility to us who are receiving our education today. We will be the national, yes, the international, leaders of tomorrow, and we must carry on the work which our fathers are now so nobly advancing. For the change must be gradual; we can not hope for a sudden abolishment of human warfare as a direct result of the Washington conference. The change must come through the minds of the people. From experience of the past we realize obstacles, seemingly unconquerable, at times must be overcome before any definite advance in civilization can take place.

Are we willing to accept this responsibility? It will come to us when those who are now giving their best to it have passed on. We will either have to accept the opportunity to be of lasting service to humanity or let the movement for universal peace receive a mortal set-back because of our negligence. We can not, we must not fail in the task so unmistakably set before us. Let us show the world at the same time as we are preparing ourselves for the part we are to take by our application and accomplishments in school that we can be depended upon to make effective the efforts and sacrifices of our predecessors.—O. H. '23.

Mr. Chommie Speaks.

H. O. Chommie addressed the high school pupils last Wednesday at to start on the day following Armistice day. Mr. Chommie showed the reason for the conference and what has led up to it. He showed how, a long time ago, people went about their business armed and ready to fight on the slightest pretext to settle any real or imagined injury. But, as he explained, such conditions have passed. People have learned that disputes cannot be settled satisfactorily by personal encounter, but nations have not yet learned any other method of settling their quarrels.

The Disarmament Conference is what the name implies, a conference to discuss the possibility of getting rid of some of this vast load that is such a burden to the world. Mr. Chommie gave some startling figures on the cost of armaments here in the United States. Ninety-two per cent, he said, of the federal income goes to pay for our armies and navies of the past, present and future. This leaves eight per cent for other purposes, and of this only one per cent is spent for education.

He explained how, in our army, one man out of four could not read or write, and the great educational facilities that could be established by stopping the flow of money into armaments. He appealed to the high school pupils to do all in their power in influencing public opinion for world disarmament, for public opinion is a very great power. "It is the fact that public opinion rules," said Mr. Chommie, "that makes a democracy. If world opinion demands disarmament, we'll have it. If we are asleep, those who have reasons for arms will have them."

We Are Proud of Our Football Team.

By defeating the powerful Cavalier, North Dakota, team on Armistice Day the local boys surprised the football fans of Thief River Falls and other schools in our district. By decisively defeating a team which has just nosed out of the district championship of the Northeastern district of North Dakota, which is a strong contender for state honors in that state, our boys proved that they have a machine capable of taking into camp any team in our district. The Cavalier team won all its games except the one with Grafton. Grand Forks went down to defeat at their hands by a score of 51 to 0.

We have a right to be proud for two reasons. First, our team has made a good record. Second, our team has made a clean record. To start with it was felt the team suffered a hard blow through the strict enforcement of the eligibility rules, a strong contender for quarter-back position being lost to the team for the entire season in this way. During the remainder of the season members of the team were occasionally ineligible because of scholastic difficulties, but the boys kept right on doing their level best. The results of their efforts as well as the work of their coach were ably demonstrated last Friday.

More than once pressure was brought to bear to permit this or that player to enter a game regardless of eligibility. This was particularly true in regard to Friday's game. However, a firm stand was taken to allow no one but eligible players on our athletic teams. It often seems hard on the boys, but just think of the pleasure of a victory like the one Friday. Now, boys, are you not glad that this stand was taken? Is it not better to give the good, honest, hard working student the first chance on the team? It is that class of atheletes who make our powerful college teams nowadays. Why won't the same thing hold true in regard to high school athletics?

Hoping that both students and parents can look upon athletics from our point of view, there is now asked your hearty co-operation during the basketball season.—M. P. R.

Football Prospects For Next Year.

Last Friday's game with Cavalier closed the football season for the Thief River Falls high school team. Now let us see what prospects we have for next year.

Our entire backfield, composed of Ernest Barzen at the fullback position, Robert McGinn at quarter, and Russel Anderson and Stanley Sorenson at the half back positions will be back. Craig Halvorson, Charles Herbst, Roy Holmgren, Milford LaBree, Henry Verlicky, Mark Barzen and John Sether will be back to bid for the line positions. This will give us a team composed entirely of veterans of this season. Besides, there are a number of second string men who can lay strong claim to berths on the eleven next year.

The only active members of this year's team who will be lost through graduation are Bernard Bischoff, John Hendry and Fred Paulson. The prospects for next year are therefore indeed bright. Of course, much depends upon the attitude of the boys towards their school work. However, the boys realizing that work comes before play, all will put forth their best efforts in their studies in order to be ready to take their place when the first whistle blows in the fall of 1922.

Having given the boys due credit for their part, the excellent work of Mr. Stenhoff, our able coach, must also be remembered. He has spared neither time nor effort in whipping the team into its present excellent shape. The good will and gratitude of players, school and city is extended him. A word of thanks is also due Mr. Perry Johnson for his will-

T. R. F. H. S. Has Large Non-Resident Enrollment.

Out of 369 students enrolled up to date, 123 are non-resident students. Exactly one-third of the students are boys and girls who have come to Thief River Falls to obtain the advantages offered by an up-to-date high school.

The girls seem to be more desirous of obtaining a high school education than the boys, for out of the 123 non-resident students, only 19 are boys and 104 are girls. Many of the boys and girls have been able to find work to help them along financially. In fact, every high school girl who wished to work for her room or board has succeeded in finding a desirable place.

Following is a list of names and addresses of our non-resident students:

Non-Resident Pupils Taking Regular High School Work.

Theresa Aakre, Goodridge.
Edna Anderson, Wylie.
William Anderson, Wylie.
Anna Antonson, Kratka.
Caroline Aspeline, Randen.
Signa Austad, Thief River Falls.
Norma Babcock, Bronson.
Grace Bakke, St. Hilaire.
May Ballangrud, Thief River Falls.
Clara Berg, St. Hilaire.
Louise Besancon, Goodridge.
Lawrence Best, Thief River Falls.
Alvin Bjorge, Thief River Falls.
Freda Blackberg, Newfolden.
Nellie Boerger, Thief River Falls.
Clara Brevold, Wanke.
Clara Bucholz, Grygla.
Bertha Christenson, Strathcona.
Loretta Cousin, Hazel.
Beado Elfson, Ardoch, N. D.
Melvin Engelstad, Thief River Falls.
Edwin Engen, Thief River Falls.
Hilda Engen, Thief River Falls.
Hazel Evenson, Germantown.
Lydia Evenson, Germantown.
Malva Gausen, Thief River Falls.
Joseph Gaven, St. Cloud.
Rudolph Gjerstad.
Anna Groven, Wanke.
Erma Gunderson, Thief River Falls.
Helen Halvorson, Thief River Falls.
Rebecca Halvorson, Thief River Falls.
Annie Hansen, Thief River Falls.
Anna Harder, St. Hilaire.
Harvey Helle, Erie.
Ole Helle, Erie.
Bertha Holthausen, Thorhult.
Mabel Jacobson, Thief River Falls.
Martha Jelle, Thief River Falls.
Adele Jensen, Thief River Falls.
Agnes Johnson, Radium.
Elizabeth Johnson, Goodridge.
Ella Johnson, Radium.
Gladys Johnson, Thief River Falls.
Harley Kast, Thief River Falls.
Hattie Kaushagen, Thief River Falls.
Selma Kleson, Goodridge.
Elva Klmbrough, Strandquist.
Harold Knadle, Thief River Falls.
Agnes Koglin, Thief River Falls.
Linda Koglin, Thief River Falls.
Violette Krohn, Viking.
Ida Lee, Highlanding.
Josie Lendobeja, Kratka.
Nora Lindquist, Wylie.
Judith Lockrem, Thief River Falls.
Mildred Loftness, Thief River Falls.
Esther Lunsetter, Thief River Falls.
Gladys Maland, St. Hilaire.
Sara Martinson, Esplee.
George Matzke, Thief River Falls.
Raymond Muzzy, Thief River Falls.
Myrtle Myrold, Grygla.
Constance Nelson, Thief River Falls.
Tina Nelson, Thief River Falls.
Theresa Newton, Thief River Falls.
Harvey Norby, Plummer.
Anna Nygaard, Grygla.
Clara Olen, St. Hilaire.
Evelyn Peterson, Hazel.
Mildred Peterson, Thief River Falls.
Edna Phillipp, Germantown.
Birdie Pierson, St. Hilaire.
Clarence Rice, Plummer.
Rudy Rice, Plummer.
Emma Ristau, Mavie.
Lena Ristau, Thief River Falls.
Minnie Ristau, Thief River Falls.
Jessie Rogers, Thief River Falls.
Agnes Rolandson, Plummer.
Gladys Russel, Thief River Falls.
Eleanor Sanders, Kratka.
Melvin Saugen, Thief River Falls.
Donald Stein, Goodridge.
Nina Severtson, Clearbrook.
Ruth Severtson, Clearbrook.
Myrtle Shane, Oslo.
Agnes Skomedal, Thief River Falls.
Jeanette Solheim, Kratka.
Sophie Solheim, Kratka.
Albert Stengelson, Newfolden.
Lillie Stenseth, Kratka.
Thordis Svenngaard, Mavie.
Ida Swanson, St. Hilaire.
Annie Syetvelt, Plummer.
Evaline Thompson, Angus.
Ruth Torkelson, Hazel.
Hilda Waale, Kratka.
Pearl Wareing, Thief River Falls.
Esther Williams, Thief River Falls.
Bergliot Zakariasen, Jane.

Non-Resident Students in Normal Training Department.

Augusta Beiwinger, Kratka.
Mabel Bjornes, Newfolden.
Thea Gutterud, Thief River Falls.
Myrtle Hanson, Strandquist.
Constance Klungness, T. R. Falls.
Mata Koepp, Holt.
Julia Langaas, Greenbush.
Irma Matvoe, Malcolm.
Thora Moe, Thief River Falls.
Celia Morrissey, Gatzke.
Mabel Myrold, Grygla.
Selma Newton, Thief River Falls.
Clara Orzechowski, Mavie.
Helga Ose, Thief River Falls.
Sarah Sanders, Kratka.
Evelyn Sangen, Thief River Falls.
Amanda [illegible], Thief River Falls.
Amy Solberg, Thief River Falls.
Lela Strubels, Mavie.
Mabelle Swanson, St. Hilaire.
Marville Thomp[illegible].
Johanna Wedul, Elbow.

The Tardy Student.

We all know that accidents will happen and that is why some high school students are tardy. However, only a small percentage of tardiness is due to unavoidable causes. We do not wish to criticise the people who are tardy for good reasons. Their excuses are accepted with good grace and they are forgiven with a smile. But how about the student who is tardy several times during the month? There is no such thing as a good excuse for each such tardiness. The fault is with the student. It is a sign of laziness, slovenliness, and irresponsibility. When you are out in the business world you will have to learn to be prompt. Why not get the habit now? Come on now, especially you upper classmen, and show that you have some spunk and pride.

Exchanges.

We acknowledge receipt of the following exchanges: The Hematite, Hibbing High; The Otaknam, Mankato High; The Rah, Rah, Two Harbors High; The West High Weekly, West High, Minneapolis; The Southerner, South High, Minneapolis; Star of the North, Virginia High; The Polaris Weekly, North High, Minneapolis.

Jokes and Personals.

Louise Besancon is back to school after having been confined to her home with a case of small pox.

Notice: Howard Doland and Stephen Arneson are both sporting girls' rings. Whose can they be?

man in St. Paul who married a white man."

Rusty: "You know that's one thing I wouldn't do."

Not a Safe Bluff.

Miss Stavig: (In Am. Hist. class, which is studying the Civil war period) "What is an underground railroad, Forrest?"

Forest: "An underground railroad is a railroad that runs under the ground through tunnels, etc."

Wm. D.: "Let him go on, let him go on. He's good!"

Last Thursday noon Henry Arneson and his sister Eileen entertained the Comercial Club with music. We hope to have them favor us with their musical program soon.

Miss Stavig: "When was slavery introduced?"

Morris: "1618."

Miss Stavig: "Not quite, one year more."

Morris: "1620?"

Gladys Maland visited at her home in St. Hilaire over Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Stavig: "I don't like the action of this class, you must study! This is an important part in history so prepare yourself for slavery."

Meet Sophie Anderson

Miss Gormely: "Sophie, what was the date of Washington's administration?"

As Sophie didn't seem to know, Rusty, raising his hand, said, "I'm Sophie the second."

Mr. Rápacz: "All sure be at the game tomorrow."

Anna: "I can't though. I gotta wash my head tomorrow."

Mr. Rapacz: "There'll be free coffee on the grounds tomorrow."

Cleon: "It won't do us any good if its on the ground, will it?" (As an afterthought) "Oh yes, ground coffee is all right."

Central Notes.

The marching penants were awarded by Miss Johnson to the pupils in Miss Tanberg's room in the eighth grade and to the pupils in Mrs. Hill's room in the seventh grade.

The teachers and pupils of the Central school enjoyed a very instructive program last Wednesday at 11:15. Mrs. Halmberg accompanied by Miss Theone Walker rendered several violin selections.

Dr. Milan delivered an instructive address on the importance of the "Red Cross Roll Call Drive" which is being conducted from Novemver 11th to November 24, 1922.

A piano solo was played by Elsie Vorseth, an eighth grade pupil.

Knox Noes.

Robert Mattison and Linnea Backlund are being given a trial in the third grade.

Thelma Qualey has left school to work at one of our stores.

The following children were transferred from the Knox school to the Washington because of crowded conditions: Roy Lonson, Marion Gray, Mae Rausch, Glen Brokke, Justus Larson.

Clara Klungness has left our schools. She departs for Madison, Minnesota this week.

Our health crusade work is progressing rapidly. We hope to boast the most perfect citizen of the future.

The pupils and teachers of the Knox are eagerly watching the progress of the new school. Old Jack Frost and Father North Wind are none too welcome.

The Modern Health Crusade.

The attempt to teach hygene fails as many a teacher can testify because children as a rule are not interested in health or in its future health rules, but they take no interest in putting them into practice. Their will to do has not been aroused.

The Modern Health Crusade is the most successful method yet devised of arousing children to a real interest in health and the actual formation of health habits.

"Learning by doing" is the principle on which the Modern Health Crusade is based. It introduces the play element into the practice of hygene. It transfers the romance of the medieval crusade to a vital present-day quest. It holds up to children the chivalry of health. The results of the Modern Health Crusade are physical and moral improvements of children and the prevention of disease.

Cleanliness is a Life Preserver. Dirty streets and garbage filth breed flies and disease carriers. Streets should be sprinkled and swept nearly every day. Garbage should be kept in covered cans and removed frequently.

We want healthy and respectful citizens in the United States. "The strength of a nation depends upon the health of its people."

Melvina R.—8B

Health.

Health is one of the really great assets of life. It is the very basis of practically all that makes for happiness and success. Without it all the activities of life are handicapped while after it follow innumerable blessings. Good conduct is influenced by its presence or absence and we are beginning to see and appreciate that many people who sin against the laws of society ought to be treated as sick instead of as criminals.

The body is not an isolated and thousand ways upon nature around it. If it fails at any point in a very serious way, the health and maybe the life of the entire body is in danger. Health is therefore possible only in the good observance of all laws that affect life.

The human body is made of very small cells. The cells are alive but when the cells are in health, the body is in health, and when the cells are dead the body is dead. The cells must have food and oxigen, and must not be injured or poisoned or they will die. Disease germs cause sickness and death by poisoning the cells.

To prevent disease the government should quarantine all epidemic diseases. It should build hospitals and sanitoriums where victims of infectious disease may be cared for. It should collect vital statistics. It should carry out such other measures as may be necessary to protect its citizens from preventable diseases. "Health is wealth," whether in the life of a single individual or in the life of the entire community.

Altha Gabrielson—8B

The School's Health Obligations.

If all parents were wise in regard to health matters, it would not be necessary for the schools to make a special study of the physical condition of the children entrusted to their care. All that could then be fairly required would be the guaranty of a healthy school environment including such things as good ventilation, correct methods of lighting and heating, sanitary plumbing, the control of contagious diseases, frequent recesses and sufficient physical training.

It is indeed a deplorable fact that all parents do not have the special knowledge which is very necessary for caring for the physical and mental good of their children. Even intelligent parents may be unable to detect the early symptoms of physical disorder just as they may be unable to decide upon the methods of correcting them. They do not see the defects of their own children because they are used to their children. Many are so superstitious as to prefer to treat adenoids by suggestion. Plainly, therefore, it becomes the duty of the school to furnish not only a healthful school environment but also a healthful guardianship over its pupils.

John Mostue—Central School

On Wednesday evening, November 9th, the boys of the Dramatic Club held their oratorial contest. About eight boys took part. Each gave a short dramatic poem. The two boys chosen were Herschel Hanson and John Hendry. The judges were Mrs. Korstad and Miss Soule. These two boys will have a tryout later and the one showing the best ability will represent the school in oratory. Miss Chamberlain, the advisor of the Dramatic Club, will coach the boys and girls in oratory and dramatics and soon these people will be working hard on the pieces they will select.

Northrop Notes.

Miss Nordvi has resumed her school work after a week's siege of tonsilitis. Mrs. Skeg substituted during her absence.

The following pupils have enrolled within the past two weeks: John Myhrer, Oscar Krogstad, Arnold and Ernest Cork and Harriet Engebretson.

William Froelich has re-entered school after several day's absence due to illness.

Miss Tanberg with an enrollment of forty pupils would have had perfect attendance during the past week had it not been for Wilmar Hoyum's absence.

The marching penants were won by Mrs. Eyde's first grade pupils, and by Miss Sandum's third grade pupils.

Washington News.

The Washington children were exceedingly delighted when they succeeded in winning the marching pennant from the other schools.

The marching has become so uniform in the Washington school that the downstairs pennant was given to Miss Payne's pupils for a half week and to Miss Smith's for a half week. The upstairs pennant was shared by Miss Larson's and Mrs. Karwand's pupils.

Miss Payne and Miss Ryd spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hall of St. Hilaire.

Mrs. Karwand is to give a demonstration lesson of the socialized recitation for the fifth grade teachers Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Wilfi Alme substituted on Tuesday for Miss Smith who was ill.

Administration's Corner

School Nurse's Report For October.

Physical inspections	212
Pupils sent home	31
Notices sent out	75
Room inspection	48
Home calls	114
Telephone calls	159
Miscellaneous calls	11
Pupils accompanied to doctor	7
Cases reported to Child Welfare Board	5
Cases reported to health officer	17
Communicable diseases:	
Small pox	14
Chicken pox	7
Conjunctivitis (pink eye)	6
Scabies (itch)	4
Impetigo Contagiosa	6
Typhoid fever	1
Tonsilitis (sore throat)	53
Pediculosis (head lice)	9
Tuberculosis of eyes	1
Physical defects:	
Throat and nose	60
Teeth	[illegible]
Vision	[illegible]
Ears (suppurating)	[illegible]

The Northwestern Teachers' convention held in Crookston was attended by the nurse.

A nurses' conference was included in their program for the first time and all public health nurses representing this district were present.

The need of a more ample but nourishing diet for the school child; the serving of hot lunches to school children in the school, and correct posture of the child were the principal subjects discussed and emphasized.

All those present read a paper to the chairman of the convention that the next annual meeting of the convention include a physician who will speak on "Health Problems."

Respectfully submitted,
RUTH J. JOHNSON,
School Nurse.

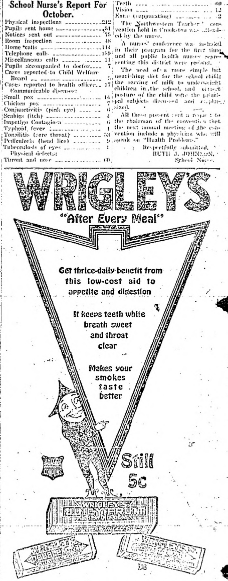
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Admission:
Evening Performance (including war tax) 75c
Children's Matinee, 3 o'clock (including war tax) 11c
Reserved Seats at Lambert's Drug Store

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL — By Charles Sughroe — In Which Our Hero Utters no Word

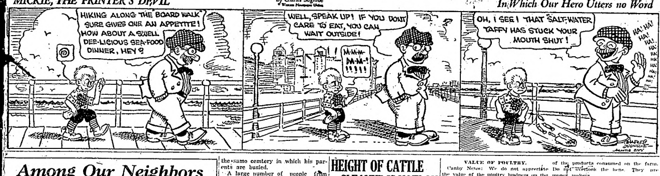
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M-M-M-M-M-! !!!!!
OH, I SEE! THAT SALT-WATER TAFFY HAS STUCK YOUR MOUTH SHUT!
HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA! HA!
CHARLES SUGHROE

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Bee School Notes.

nie Tharaldson of Thief alls is teacher at this school, now has an enrollment of 23 ils. The perfect attendance record for the last month includes the ollowing: Annie Evenson, Mildred Clifford Johnson, Mamie Even ennora Nelson, Leonard John and Mildred Solbak. A basket ocial will be given at the school on Thursday evening, Nov. 17. The eacher left Thursday evening for Thief River Falls to spend Armisice Day and the week-end with her home folks.

A necktie social will be given at he Sunshine school next Saturday evening, Nov. 19, and a rag ball social at the Willowdale school on Friday evening, Nov. 18.

The spinning circle met at the home of Mrs. Thom Holten and the spinning was followed by a dainty luncheon. Eight spinning wheels were in operation.

The potato warehouse meeting called at Rosebank last Saturday evening was cancelled owing to lack of attendance due to the inclement weather.

Sale, on Wednesday, Nov. 23 and 30 only. I will give special reductions on leggings, barn paint, men's and ladies' caps and children's sweaters. It will pay you to make your purchase here. John Remmem's Bargain Store.—Advertisement.

John Remmem spent a couple of days the latter part of the week on business at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. A. C. Vorseth and daughter, Elsie, arrived last Thursday afternoon and spent the week-end with former neighbors.

Gena Aas and Agnes Mo[illegible] left Tuesday evening by car for [St.] Hilaire to attend an entertainment. On the return trip their car was stalled and they had to be taken home by a car from here.

Willard, Burton and Violet Furan to Thief River Falls Thursday to spend Armistice Day at vert Benson home.

a Sorenson and Joel Shoberg to Goodridge last Wednesday to operations at the flour mill.

artin Rast went to Warren Tuesday morning to see his wife, who is receiving medical treatment there.

Miss Gladys Swenson left Thursday evening for Thief River Falls to visit until Monday with her sister, Mrs. Sovern Brandon.

Miss Delma Dols, who attends the Central school at Thief River Falls, came home Thursday for a week-end stay with the folks.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at Thief River Falls, arrived Friday to spend a few days with her father, John Batten.

A few auto loads of local people attended the Armistice Day celebration at Thief River Falls.

Benhard Ranum went to St. Paul Sunday morning with another car of stock for the local shipping association.

Mrs. John Sagmoen went to Thief River Falls on Thursday to visit for a few days with her brother, Henry son, and other friends.

latest styles in men's, women's, children's handkerchiefs, from New York, in holiday boxes containing from one to six handkerchiefs, suitable for Christmas presents, at attractive prices ranging from 10 cents to $1.50. Also a complete line of holiday toys will arrive Remmem's Bargain Store. sement.

Mrs. Arthur Hanson of St. nt Sunday at Rosewood as Mrs. Hanson's sister, Miss nosbeck. On returning they stalled near Thief River Falls had to be pulled home.

Ned Hanson of Rocksbury was in town last Sunday visit friends.

L. L. Furan, who had spent two weeks visiting at Slayton and Minneapolis, returned home last Sunday.

Howard Carlson, who has been employed at Bemidji, International Falls, Fargo and other places this summer, came home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sovert Benson and family of Thief River Falls spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Sagmoen.

Simon Gullseth of Middle River was in town one day this week calling on his brother, Anton Gullseth.

sister-in-law of E. A. Silverness, has been visiting here, returned Alvarado last Saturday to visit a sister before returning to her home in Saskatoon, Can.

Adolph Haugen, Victor Mosbeck and Emil Blomberg spent a day in Excel the first of the week on a wolf hunting expedition.

Alec Hellquist spent Sunday visiting at the John Sorenson home at Thief River Falls.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Soredal were visitors at the Oscar Joppru home Sunday afternoon.

John Bergland made a business trip to Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the basket social in the Soredal school house. Twenty-six dollars were taken in and everybody had a good time.

Ivend Ose and Theodore Joppru made a business and pleasure trip to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Miss Lilly Holson called on Miss Ragnil Bergland Sunday afternoon.

John Dahl was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Olaf Skomedal and John Bergland spent Sunday evening at the Ose home.

Don't forget the Ladies' Aid sale in the Riverside school house Saturday, Nov. 19, beginning at 11 o'clock. Dinner and lunch will be served.

J. A. Russell and son, Kenneth, returned home from the hospital Friday evening. Both are up and around again.

There will be a basket social in the Groven school house Saturday evening, Nov. 19.

DEER PARK

Lars Hyland of Hickory was here last week and gathered up geese and turkeys for Thanksgiving shipments.

Carl Olson transacted business at Goodridge last Monday.

Nels Syverud took over a load of wheat to be ground into flour at the Goodridge flour mill last Wednesday.

Ben Szymansky transacted business at Plummer last week.

Prof. J. R. Jones called on Erie friends last week and also attended to business matters at the same time.

Knut Lintvet and Martin Johnson, two of our jolly old Deer Park bachelors, made us a call the other evening.

The Oak Park Ladies' Aid will hold an auction sale on all their goods, consisting of socks, shirts, aprons and dresses, and also all kinds of fancy work, on Thanksgiving day in the Deer Park church, Nov. 24. It will be an all day affair, and the ladies will also serve dinner. The sale will take place at 1 o'clock p. m. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

REINER

The little son of A. Wells was seriously injured Sunday and was immediately taken to the Thief River Falls hospital for treatment.

Tom Belland and J. Stenvick were business callers at Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Co. Supt. Gunderson motored from Thief River Falls to visit our school, but it was closed on account of the absence of Miss Burns. We hope to see Mr. Gunderson when school is again in session.

Mrs. Hoyum made a call at the R. Johnsrud home Tuesday.

Oscar Stenvik and F. Race have completed their bridge work one and one-half miles west of the Reiner store. This, together with the road work previously done this fall, is a great improvement in the community.

Miss Inga Olson, who has been employed at Reynolds, N. D., returned to her home last week to spend the winter.

Harry Vraa is staying at the Ole Vraa home. He has been employed in various parts of the state for the past year.

Friends of O. A. Olson and family motored out from Grygla and spent Sunday at the Olsen home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Race, Jr., have moved into their new home one-half mile south of the Reiner store.

STEINER

There will be a dust cap social given at the County Line school, District No. 72, on Friday evening, Nov. 18th. Preparations are under way for a particularly good time. The general public is invited.

The sad news was received here C. A. Swanson made a trip to Viking last Wednesday, making a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Uland near that place.

Peter Solom was a business visitor at Thief River Falls one day last week.

last Saturday that G. L. Leisner had passed away at the home of Mathias Aga at Warren, at the age of 48 years. He was born at Karlskoga, Wermland, Sweden, and emigrated to this country when ten years of age. He was unmarried and is survived by a brother and distant relatives. Never has a man lived in our community who so won the love and friendship of everyone with whom he came in contact. The funeral was held at the Swedish Lutheran church at Thief River Falls, and the remains shipped to England, Minn., for interment in the same cemtery in which his parents are buried.

A large number of people from this community attended the funeral services of G. L. Leisner at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Mr. Johnson, who purchased the Lars Lee farm near Rosewood, has secured hay at the C. A. Swanson farm and was busy last week hauling it home.

Alfred Solem called at the Liden home Sunday afternoon.

Julius Liden and C. A. Swanson motored to Thief River Falls Thursday to attend to business matters.

CONFERENCE SEEKS MORE RELIEF FOR FARMERS OF STATE

State Convention Studies Ways to Give Individual Farmer Greater Influence.

How to give the man and woman on the most distant Minnesota farm a real voice and increasing influence in agricultural and public affairs was the problem studied by county representatives who met at St. Paul last week in the ninth annual state extension and farm bureau conference.

"Strengthen the township unit—foundation stone of the farm bureau movement—and make it a real factor in the life of every rural community," was the convention's answer to the problem.

Every county in the state was invited by F. W. Peck, director of agricultural extension at University farm, to have representatives at the conference. Agricultural and home demonstration agents, the president and secretary-treasurer of county farm bureaus and county commissioners were especially invited. In addition to studying methods of bettering farm conditions by economic measures, carried out by the organized farmers themselves, the conference took up production and marketing, livestock feeding, land clearing, soil improvement, boys' and girls' club work, and the business problems of the farm and the farm home.

Representatives from various counties, who were on the program as leaders in the discussions, included many county agents: L. E. McMillan, Blue Earth county; W. E. Watson, Dakota; Mark Abbott, Koochiching; B. R. Houser, Marshall; C. L. McNelly, Dodge; W. K. Dyer, Renville; P. W. Huntemer, Stearns; A. A. McPheeters, Rice; William Dietrich, Fillmore; L. M. Bond, Red Lake; J. B. McNulty, Winona; J. J. McCann, Pennington; C. C. Turner, Houston; R. F. Crim, Cottonwood; W. V. Longley, Kittson; E. M. Torblan, Chippewa; August Nebauer, St. Louis; D. C. Dvorneck, Beltrami; O. G. Shaefer, Steele; Fred Idste, Pine; L. O. Jacob, Anoka, and W. A. Peterh, Wadena.

John August Blomberg.

John August Blomberg, one of the oldest settlers in Numedal township, passed away on Nov. 5. Mr. Blomberg was born in Sweden Jan. 14, 1853, and came to the United States in 1882. He spent one year at Lansing, Mich., and then came to Warren, where he resided on a farm until April, 1900, when he moved with his family to Numedal and lived there until the time of his death. Mr. Blomberg had suffered with rheumatism for the past 18 years. Funeral services were held from the home and interment made in the family lot at Viking cemetery. Rev. Werner Drotts conducted the services.

Mr. Blomberg is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. E. O. Peterson and Svea, also five sons, Herman, Hjalmer, Thure, Elmer and Edward. His children were all present at the funeral. Deceased was a good citizen and neighbor and well liked by all who knew him.

HEIGHT OF CATTLE CLEANUP IS NOW ON

Largest Run of Year to Date, Estimated at 15,000, Arrived on Monday.

With snow and colder weather general throughout territory tributary to the St. Paul market, the annual fall cleanup of cattle on farms is at its height, the largest run of the year to date estimated at 15,500 arriving for Monday's trade.

The supply of cattle proved somewhat in excess of the demand and the market was for the most part around 25c lower, although good and choice stockers and feeders selling from $5.25 to $6 were about steady. Receipts included one load of fed Angus yearlings averaging around 800 lbs. and these had bids up to $9.50 but were shipped on to Chicago. Some shortfed Herefords weighing around 1,100 lbs. brought $7.50. Best grass beeves here brought $6, packers paying the price for some 1,250 lb. Montanas. Bulk of the grass beeves sold from $4.50 to $5.50. Butcher cows and heifers went largely from $3 to $4.50, with a few of the best young cows and heifers of handy and light weights up to $5.50. Practically no fed she stock was included. Canners and cutters were weak to 25c lower, selling at $2 to $2.75. Bologna bulls brought $2.50 to $3 for the most part, a few $3.25. Practical packer top for best light vealers was $7.50, a few extra choice ones up to $8. Bulk of stockers and feeders sold from $4 to $5, commonest kinds from $3.25 to $3.50.

Hogs opened 10c to 25c lower, the range being $5.75 to $6.75, bulk $6.25 to $6.65. About 5,000 pigs here, bulk good kinds $7.50 to $7.75. Bulk good fat lambs $8 to $8.25, good fat ewes $3 to $3.50, feeding lambs $5.75 to $7.25.

Basket Social.

A basket social will be held in the Groven school, District No. 121, on Saturday, Nov. 19. A general invitation to the public is extended.

Moonshine in Marshall.
(Warren Sheaf.)

Deputy Sheriff J. P. Bordewick has rounded up three more moonshiners in the county. Last Saturday Elling Ellingson, of Moose River, was arrested. A still, some mash and some moonshine whiskey was found in his possession. The same day Erick Knutson, of Thief Lake, was caught. He also had a still, some mash and some booze. A man named Lier, of East Park, was arrested Monday, a still, mash and some booze being found on his premises. The violators of the dry law were brought to Warren, where they will appear before the court in due time to make answer to the charges brought against them.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.03
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	.99
Flax	1.40
Barley	.30
Oats	.18
Rye	.54
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.20
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.10
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.00
POULTRY	
Geese	.09
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.35
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.44
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.09
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08-.09
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07-.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

A new way to treat croup
Spasmodic croup relieved or warded off by rubbing on a vaporizing salve.

The old method of treating spasmodic croup with nauseating drugs is out of date. So is the vapor-lamp scheme that required the bedroom windows to be kept closed. Now mother rubs the little one's chest and throat with Vicks, arranges the bedding so that the arising vapors will be inhaled all night long, opens the windows to let in the blessed fresh air, and retires—confident of a good sleep.

Vicks has come to be the almost universal treatment for children's cold troubles, because it does away with dosing. Vicks contains the old, time-tested remedies—Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, etc.—combined by special process, so that while they penetrate and stimulate the skin, the ingredients are also released as vapors by the body heat and are breathed right into the lungs.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

VALUE OF POULTRY.

Canby News: We do not appreciate the value of the poultry business on the farm they way we ought to. A recent Department of Agriculture bulletin said that the value of poultry products in 1920 brought farmers twice as much as did cotton, three times as much as did potatoes, five times as much as did tobacco and twelve times as much as did wool. This did not take into account the value of the products consumed on the farm. Do not overlook the hens. They are money makers.

AS A GENERAL RULE.

Mahnomen Pioneer: Down at Northfield, where they raise so many Holstein cattle, one breeder lost two large barns, and is now short of room. Consequently he is advertising a "fire sale of bulls." There is a lot of that about any big fire sale.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Upright piano, $175. Call 1200 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 338. 41

FOR SALE—Gray baby carriage, looks like new. Cheap if taken at once. D. Knutson, 524 Riverside Ave. S. Phone 353. 41

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—Good farm horses and fresh milch cows. D. G. Brownlee, Mavie, Minn. 41

FOR SALE—Ice by the load; dry pole wood, $5 per load. Upland and timothy hay. Ben Thompson, phone 486W 41p

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 303. 41

FOR SALE—Buffalo coat with otter trimmings. Excellent condition. Price $200.00. D. T. Lacey, 225 Kendall Ave. N. 38tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn, good well, three lots, located on corner of Fourth Street and Knight Ave. N., known as the Severson property, for sale cheap. Possession can be given Oct. 1. John Bratrud. 34tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain or for rent, four acres land, 9 room house, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, berry bushes, strawberries; several other buildings. Inquire at Times Office. 37tf

FOR SALE—Property at 112 Knight Ave. S. Three rooms. See Ed. Severson. 35tf

FOR SALE—Most desirably located and thoroughly modern home. Easy terms. Inquire Hager Land Co. 35tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN, St. Hilaire, Minn. 23tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One business lot near First National bank; thirteen dwelling lots on Arnold north; house and two lots near hospital; three automobiles. Inquire Hager Land Co. 35tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

WANTED TO TRADE—5 room house for 80 or 160 acre good improved farm close to town and school, with fair buildings on it. No land man need answer. Will pay cash for difference in trade. Answer, giving complete description and price on land. Write No. 114 in care of The Times. 41p

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework in town. $5 per week. Apply at once. Mrs. A. R. Johnson, Brooks, Minn. Phone 36J2. 41p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 16. 801 Main Avenue North. 41tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 11 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn. 22tf

AGENT WANTED—Live agents wanted to handle city trade for the genuine Watkins Products. A real opportunity. Write for free sample and particulars. J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. 70, Winona, Minn. 43p

LOST

LOST—Six inch black leather pocketbook containing about $35.00. Finder return to Times office or Brummund Hotel for reward. C. L. Hoggatt. 41

LOST—Horse blanket, one mile south and three miles west. Finder return to Times Printing Co. 41p

LOST—Rose color taffeta dresser scarf between Cosgrove's pool hall and post-office. Finder please return to Dalquist Millinery. 41

LOST—Rim with spare tire on east state road. Reward if returned to Hall Brothers' store. 41

BACK AGAIN ready for weaving. Bring in those carpet rags to 116 Knight Ave. S. E. M. Britten. 41p

STRAYED—Eight calves from my place near Highlanding about four weeks ago. Anyone taking them up will please notify the undersigned. Anton Hrachek, phone through Goodridge. 41p

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM AND BOARD by the week or month. 811 LaBree Avenue North. Phone 303. 43

Subscribe for The Times and keep posted on all neighborhood news.

Legal Notices

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of John Frederick Meier, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil Meier and Walter Starkey, It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, once each week for three successive weeks, as provided by law.

Dated November 16th, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE, Attorney.
N-17-24-D-1

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Michael Lehtimaki, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Sophia Lehtimaki, It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

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LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE, Attorney.
N-17-24-D-1

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Charles O. Stephenson and Alma Stephenson, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 23rd, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of December, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 391.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $67.20 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $204.81, a total of $272.01 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this foreclosure, including twenty-five dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 15th day of November, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-17-24-D-1-8-15-22

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to C. W. Swenson, It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday, the 5th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated November 3rd, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
N-[illegible]

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Ida Trickel.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Rose Trickel, Lee Trickel, Claude Trickel and Gladys Trickel, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Theodore Bundy having been filed in this Court, representing that Ida Trickel, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of August, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theodore Bundy, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of October, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
O-27-N-3-10

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage given by Christ Nissen and Sarah Nissen, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 2nd, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on Page 554.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $153.08 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $157.38, a total of $310.46 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) of Section No. Six (6); in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes, if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney's fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 27th day of October, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-3-10-17-24-D-1-8

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE:

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 ($1012.35) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August A. Schmitt and Lilah Schmitt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hanson, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of September, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of October, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 60.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hanson, Mortgagee, to C. W. Nelson by written assignment dated the 16th day of April, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 26th day of October, 1921, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages, on page 143, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice Is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half (N½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-three (33), and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼), and Lots numbered respectively One (1) and Two (2) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred-fifty-three (153) North of Range numbered Forty-three (43) West of the 5th P. M., in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of December, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, A. D. 1921.

C. W. NELSON,
Assignee and present owner of mortgage.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
N-10-17-24-D-1-8-15

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said County at his office in the court house at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscribers at their offices in the City of Alexandria, Douglas County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the day of such service, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to serve your answer to said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Dated October 17th, 1921.

GUNDERSON & LEACH,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Alexandria, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, the object of which action is to have the Court adjudge and determine by its decree and judgment that the Plaintiff Martina Peterson is the owner in fee of the premises described herein and that the Defendants have no right, title, estate or interest in, or lien on the said premises or any part thereof.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41, Block 3, of the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, now a part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat of said Townsite on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated October 17th, 1921.

GUNDERSON & LEACH,
Plaintiff's Attorneys,
Alexandria, Minnesota.
N-3-10-17

DEFECTIVE PAGE

President Harding's Armistice Day Address at Arlington Cemetery

President Harding's Address at the Arlington National Cemetery on Armistice Day, Friday, Nov. 11, in honor of the Unknown Soldier, is herewith given in full.

We are met today to pay the impersonal tribute. The name of him whose body lies before us took flight with his imperishable soul. We know not whence he came, but only that his death marks him with the everlasting glory of an American dying for his country.

He might have come from any one of millions of American homes. Some mother gave him in her love and tenderness, and with him her most cherished hopes. Hundreds of mothers are wondering today, finding a touch of solace in the possibility that the nation bows in grief over the body of one she bore to live and die, if need be, for the republic. If we give rein to fancy, a score of sympathetic cords are touched for in this body there once glowed the soul of an American, with the aspirations and ambitions of a citizen who cherished life and its opportunities. He may have been a native or an adopted son; that matters little, because they glorified the same loyalty. They sacrificed alike.

We do not know his station in life, because from every station came the patriotic response of the five millions. I recall the days of creating armies, and the departing of caravels which braved the murderous seas to reach the battle lines for maintained nationality and preserved civilization. The service flag marked mansion and cottage alike, and riches were common to all homes in the consciousness of service to country.

We do not know the eminence of his birth, but we do know the glory of his death. He died for his country, and greater devotion hath no man than this. He died unquestioning, uncomplaining, with faith in his heart and hope on his lips, that this country should triumph and its civilization survive. As a typical soldier of this representative democracy, he fought and died, believing in the indisputable justice of his country's cause. Conscious of the world's upheaval, appraising the magnitude of a war the like of which had never horrified humanity before, perhaps he believed his to be a service destined to change the tide of human affairs.

In the death gloom of gas, the bursting of shells and rain of bullets, men face more intently the great God over all. Their souls are aflame and consciousness expands and hearts are searched. With the din of battle, the glow of conflict and the supreme trial of courage, come involuntarily the hurried appraisal of life and the contemplation of death's great mystery. On the threshold of eternity many a soldier, I can well believe, wondered how his ebbing blood would color the stream of human life, flowing on after his sacrifice. His patriotism was none less if he craved more than triumph of country; rather, it was greater if he hoped for victory for all human kind. Indeed, I revere that citizen whose confidence in the righteousness of his country inspired belief that its triumph is the victory of humanity.

This American soldier went forth to battle with no hatred for any people in the world, but hating war and hating the purpose of every war for conquest. He cherished our national rights, and abhorred the threat of armed domination; and in the maelstrom of destruction and suffering and death he fired his shot for liberation of the captive conscience of the world. In advancing toward his objective was somewhere a thought of a world awakened; and we are here to testify undying gratitude and reverence for that thought of a wider freedom.

On such an occasion as this, amid such a scene, our thoughts alternate between defenders living and defenders dead. A grateful republic will be worthy of them both. Our part is to atone for the losses of heroic dead by making a better republic for the living.

Sleeping in these hallowed grounds are thousands of Americans who have given their blood for the baptism of freedom and its maintenance, armed exponents of the nation's conscience. It is better and nobler for their deeds. Burial here is rather more than a sign of the government's favor, it is a suggestion of a tomb in the heart of the nation, sorrowing for its noble dead.

Today's ceremonies proclaim that the hero unknown is not unhonored. We gather him to the nation's breast, within the shadow of the capital, of the towering shaft that honors Washington, the great father, and of the exquisite monument to Lincoln, the martyred savior. Here the inspirations of yesterday and the conscience of today forever unite to make the republic worthy of his death for flag and country.

Ours are lofty resolutions today, as with tribute to the dead we consecrate ourselves to a better order for the living. With all my heart I wish we might say to the defenders who survive, to mothers who sorrow, to widows and children who mourn, that no such sacrifice shall be asked again.

It was my fortune recently to see a demonstration of modern war. It is no longer a conflict in chivalry; no more a test of militant manhood. It is only cruel, deliberate, scientific destruction. There was no contending enemy, only the theoretical defense of a hypothetic objective. But the attack was made with all the relentless methods of modern destruction. There was the rain of ruin from the aircraft, the thunder of artillery, followed by the unspeakable devastation wrought by bursting shells; there were mortars belching their bombs of desolation; machine guns concentrating their leaden storms; there was the infantry, advancing, firing and falling like men with souls sacrificing for the decision.

The flying missiles were revealed by illuminating tracers so that we could note their flight and appraise their deadliness. The air was streaked with tiny flames marking the flight of massed destruction, while the effectiveness of the theoretical defense was impressed by the simulation of dead and wounded among those going forward, undaunted and unheeding. As this panorama of unutterable destruction visualized the horrors of modern conflict, there grew on me the sense of the failure of a civilization which can leave its problems to such cruel arbitrament. Surely no one in authority, with human attributes and a full appraisal of the patriotic loyalty of his countrymen, could ask the manhood of kingdom, empire or republic to make such sacrifice until all reason had failed, until appeal to justice through understanding had been denied, until every effort of love and consideration for fellow men had been exhausted, until freedom itself and inviolate honor had been brutally threatened.

I speak not as a pacifist fearing war, but as one who loves justice and hates war. I speak as one who believes the highest function of government is to give its citizens the security of peace; the opportunity to achieve and the pursuit of happiness.

The loftiest tribute we can bestow today—the heroically earned tribute—fashioned in deliberate conviction, out of unclouded thought, neither shadowed by remorse nor made vain by fancies, is the commitment of this republic to an advancement never made before. If American achievement is cherished pride at home; if our unselfishness among nations is all we wish it to be, and ours is a helpful example in the world, then let us give of our influence and our strength; yea, of our aspirations and convictions to put mankind on a little higher plane, exulting and exalting; with wars, distressing and depressing tragedies barred from the stage of righteous civilization.

There have been a thousand defenses justly and patriotically made; a thousand offenses which reason and righteousness ought to have stayed. Let us beseech all men to join us in seeking the rule under which reason and righteousness shall prevail.

Standing today on hallowed ground, conscious that all America has halted to share in the tribute of heart and mind and soul to this fellow American, and knowing that the world is noting this expression of the republic's mindfulness, it is fitting to say that his sacrifice and that of the million dead, shall not be in vain. There must be, there shall be, the commanding voice of a conscious civilization against armed warfare.

As we return this poor clay to its mother soil, garlanded by love and covered with the decorations that only nations can bestow, I can sense the prayers of our people, of all peoples, that this Armistice day shall mark the beginning of a new and lasting era of peace on earth, good will among men. Let me join in that prayer—

Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Letters to The Times

Pleads For the Farmer.

Editor Times:

Our attention has been called to the fact that one of your prominent citizens has taken upon himself the burden to present to congress a petition or resolution demanding congress to set the price on wheat or all farm products, a thing that we advocated over a year ago and which no doubt in the end will be the only way to protect the producer and agricultural interests. In our write-up a year ago we said, "There is no earthly reason why the farmers should not have the same assurance of protection as all other industries of business. The farmer should know in the spring what his products should net him after harvest. Let it be by the establishment of a set schedule or by a method of cost plus a reasonable profit. The farmer has a right to receive, upon the basis of justice, a fair return for his labor."

The farmers must be protected if our country is to prosper, as they are the main spokes in the wheel. Yet the farmer is most neglected and abused human creature in existence today. He is without protection or sympathy—no one cares whether he lives or can provide for himself and family. He is cursed and damned for not being able to pay his bills, and he is looked upon as a dead-beat in the business world, just because someone else under cover of law has been cute enough to rob him of the fruits of his labor.

Yes, the farmer surely needs protection—and not only that, but he needs both sympathy and and encouragement at this very time if he is going to be able to perform his task of keeping the bread basket of the world supplied.

It is high time that the business man begins to realize the position the farmers are in today. The average farmer is having a hard time of it. Every dollar that he hands over at this time to apply on old debts, taxes or interest, is sacrifice money. It represents what should have been used for little shoes and stockings, dresses and family clothing, and for life sustenance for the oncoming winter. That is the kind of money the average farmer is called upon to part with just now. Yet he complies as long as his limited means hold out.

It perhaps would not be out of place if our bankers would bear this in mind when they send out their full invitation to call at the bank and settle up. From present indication of things, it appears to us that it would be a more justifiable policy for them to adopt a "new form" of invitation to the farmers in reminding them of their obligations and apply the salve of sympathy and brotherhood instead of "planting a thorn into a bruised heart" by reminding the poor, helpless people of all the terrible things that are going to happen if they can't come in and pay up. Such a method should not be resorted to in a time like this, as neither can profit by it. The thing to do is to try and adjust matters so that the farmers can exist and be given another chance to plant next year's crop. This, under normal conditions, would assure all concerned a more hopeful future.

Let us be guided by the vision of a better day coming.

W. A. SWANSON.

Rhoda, Minn.

Dr. Kirby Writes.

The following letter has been received by Peter Engelstad of this city, from Dr. S. R. Kirby, now located at Northwood, N. D.:

"Dear Mr. Engelstad: After reading your letter in the paper I wish to say that in my travels and while settled near Thief River Falls I received much kindness from both men and women to whom I shall never have any opportunity of making the least direct return, and I have also received numberless mercies from God, who is infinitely above being benefited by my services. Therefore, since I can not return the kindness to those I have received it from, I can only show my gratitude to God and my fellow men by my readiness to help others of God's children who are my brethren, for I don't think that thanks and compliments, though repeated weekly, can discharge our obligations to our Creator nor to each other.

"You will see by this my opinion of good works, that I am far from expecting to merit heaven by them. By 'heaven' I understand a state of happiness infinite in degree and eternal in duration. I can do nothing to merit such a reward. He that for giving a draught of cold water to a thirsty person expects to be rewarded with a good plantation, would be modest in his expectations compared to those who, for the little good they do in this life, think they deserve heaven for it. Even the mixed, imperfect pleasures we enjoy in this world are from God's goodness rather than from our merit; how much more such happiness from heaven. I have not the vanity to think I deserve heaven, the folly to expect it, nor the ambition to desire it, but I submit myself to the will of God who made me and who has hitherto preserved and blessed me, and in whose fatherly care and goodness I can well confide, being assured that He will never make me miserable, and even the afflictions I may at any time suffer shall tend to my benefit.

"I tell you, Peter, I am working hard every day, including Sundays, doing all I can for those who need my services, and my office is packed to its limit. Since I came here the Northwood hotels have been overloaded so we have had to send many to private homes where the owners seem willing to receive them. Thief River Falls people who have been here can tell you it is so.

"Delegates, besides letters, have been sent from other places trying to induce me to move to their town.

"Wishing you everything that is for your good, I am, very respectfully,

Your friend,

"DR. SAM R. KIRBY."

"Northwood, N. D."

GIFT GRAIN BEING TRANSPORTED FREE

Minnesota Farm Bureau Relief Corn Saving Hundreds of Lives in Russia.

Free transportation is guaranteed for every bushel of grain given by Pennington county farmers to save the lives of children now starving in southern Russia.

The Near East Relief, which is appealing to farmers of this county for 487 bushels of grain for the famine sufferers, sent this announcement to the county farm bureau this week.

"All the food made from the farmers' gift grain is being hauled from the mills to the seaports free of charge by the railroads," the letter says. "In addition to this service, equal to tens of thousands of dollars, many railroads have offered to haul the corn and wheat, without one cent of pay, from the country elevators to the mills. Even where free transportation has not been arranged, friends of the Near East famine victims have guaranteed to pay the freight. This means that every bushel of wheat or corn given by farmers in your county, or its full equivalent in corn or wheat products, will reach the starving women and children.

"Food milled from the corn donated by Minnesota farmers through the farm bureau last spring has already saved hundreds of lives. It is being eaten today by villagers in Transcaucasia and Armenia who would have died if it had not arrived."

University Plans 100 Farm Business Schools

The university, co-operating with many farm bureaus, is planning a series of about 100 "farm business schools" in country districts of Minnesota the coming winter. The university will be represented by W. L. Cavert, farm management specialist, and C. G. Worsham of the farm management department. Not more than three schools will be allowed any county until all the counties have had opportunity to secure the work.

More than ever, in view of prevailing low prices, farmers need to study their business. Costs of production must be trimmed and the farm business in general adjusted to meet prevailing conditions. Studies to be taken up at these schools will concern the costs of production of wheat, corn, butterfat, potatoes, hogs, cattle, etc., and the means by which the farmer may increase his net return.

New Auto School Opens at Northwestern Garage

The school in automotive engineering for the winter months was opened at the Northwestern Auto company's garage on Tuesday, there being about 20 members in the class enrolled. A complete course in gas engineering is offered, competent instructors for each branch being secured. The course includes instruction in automobile, truck and tractor building and repairing and a department devoted exclusively to battery work and electrical accessories. The large office room has been converted into a workshop for those who take up this last named study, while the rear end of the present general garage building will be devoted to instructions in automobile and tractor running and repairing.

Considerable interest has been shown in this school, which is the first of its kind in this section, and it is the intention to make it a regular feature of the Northwestern's business during the winter months hereafter.

There is still opportunity for enrollment and anyone interested should address K. A. Sundahl, general manager.

BIG PAY

Students of the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. D., earn big pay. You can do the same. There is no education that costs so little and pays so much as a business education. Write for free catalog and find out what this big, busy school can do for you.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Lyceum

FRIDAY
Charles Hutchinson
in
"DOUBLE ADVENTURE"
Also
Edgar Jones
In
"THE TIMBER WOLF"
Pathe Slow Motion and Aesop's Fables
Matinee 3:30—6c and 15c

SATURDAY
May McAvoy
in
"A PRIVATE SCANDAL"
(Her First "Realart Special")
Also a Reelcraft Comedy,
"SWEET DADDY".
Matinee 2:30—6c and 15c

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Constance Talmadge
in
"LESSONS IN LOVE"
FIRST NATIONAL EXHIBITORS CIRCUIT
and
Larry Semon
In
"THE BAKERY"

All bashful lovers are especially invited to see "Lessons in Love." Girls who've had a bashful "steady" since 1916 admitted free.

Sunday Matinee 2:30—11c and 25c

The Shadow of Success

THE small savings account which is growing systematically is sure to throw a shadow of future success.

Some people have gotten rich "over night"—but the only safe way, which this bank can advise, is to open a savings account and by regular deposits build that account into a substantial capital. We will add interest to help the account grow.

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

DOUBLE your savings—it CAN be done.

Some One Will Win This Beautiful Brunswick

It May Be You

We are giving away absolutely free to our customers in a new contest inaugurated by our store $200 in prizes. First, $150 Cabinet Brunswick; second, high grade violin, and third, choice of ten 10-inch Columbia Records.

One ticket will be issued for every dollar spent in trade at our store, including money paid on accounts.

Thief River Music Co.
"THE ONE-PRICE HOUSE"

FEET WET? Time to Take HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE And Prevent a Cold

AFTER exposure—when your feet are wet or your body chilled—the "ounce of prevention" is Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine Tablets. They fortify you against Colds and La Grippe.

Having Hill's handy and using it promptly enables thousands of men and women, exposed to the elements daily, to be free from Colds, Headaches and La Grippe throughout the entire winter season.

Hill's is sure—the quickest acting, most dependable remedy for colds.

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W. H. HILL COMPANY, DETROIT

CHICHESTERS PILLS
DIAMOND BRAND
Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.
LADIES!
Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for twenty-five years regarded as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE
TIME TRIED WORTH TESTED

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

Thanksgiving!

Many of us cannot get home to sit down at the big Thanksgiving dinner.

But we can travel home quickly by telephone, and we can talk to all the family, recognizing their voices and their laughter.

A telephone talk will relieve the disappointment of not being there in person.

It is our wish that your Thanksgiving may be filled with joy and plenty, and that it may continue throughout the coming year.

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Historical Society
MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

TO INAUGURATE SOLID WEEK OF PRICE SLASHING

Most Remarkable Sales Campaign Ever Announced by Business Men Anywhere.

Public Will Save Thousands of Dollars by Making Purchases at This Time.

Automobile to be Given Away as Added Inducement to Purchasers For Cash.

When the idea of a monthly Market Day to be carried on over a period of half a year first presented itself to the merchants of Thief River Falls the subject was looked upon as a dubious undertaking by a few, although they were willing to take a chance on the outcome. Now all are glad they did so. As the last market day of the series approaches every one is satisfied that the purpose of the plan has been achieved, and that was all expected of it.

The public has been the gainer by many thousands of dollars because of the action taken by the merchants. The market days were not intended to be money-making events—and they certainly have not been, for the merchants at least. While the volume of business transacted on these days has been gratifyingly large, the prices quoted were such as to preclude any possibility of profit for the retailer, while sales have very often represented an actual loss. This he has been willing to stand, however, in order that the fame of his store and city might be more widely scattered. For this reason the market days have been a success. The merchant made his store and his home town known far and wide while the buyer secured goods of the highest quality at prices such as could not have been duplicated any place in the country.

The Biggest and Best.

Instead of one market day for November an entire week will be given over to the purpose. Beginning next Monday and continuing until Saturday night practically every store in Thief River Falls will make inducements such as have never before been equaled, even on previous market days. A glance through the columns of The Times today will convince the most skeptical of this fact. And not only in the Market Day section will announcements of these bargains be found, but they are scattered all through the paper. Every need is met and at prices that defy competition and fear no comparison, no matter to what test they may be put.

An Automobile Free.

While the bargains themselves are such as to bring to the city during the week everyone who is anxious to save money on his purchases, the merchants have decided to add another inducement. A Ford auto will be given away absolutely free of charge to some person who has made a purchase amounting to one dollar at a Thief River Falls store during the week. The presentation will be made on Saturday afternoon and it will not be necessary for the purchaser to be present. The plan is so arranged that due notice will be given the person to whom the auto goes whether he is present or not. This will add interest to this last great bargain demonstration of the series.

Stores All Ready.

Seldom have all the merchants in a community the size of Thief River Falls united on a campaign of this magnitude and never have they been more entitled to success. Every pricecut has been genuine and deep. Persons who have visited the city on these occasions in the past will gladly verify this statement. Every advertisement has been carefully censored and the merchant held strictly to the letter of his advertising. Not that any have attempted to evade complying with his word, but simply to make certain that there should be no cause for complaint afterwards, every safeguard has been thrown around the buyer. This action has made many friends for the merchants, even though the precaution was not necessary. There has not been a single attempt to do otherwise than agreed.

A market week at this time of year presents an exceptional opportunity to the shopper. The holidays are approaching and many things will be needed. There will be no other such opportunity to secure them.

Be wise and take advantage of the Market Week offerings by Thief River Falls merchants.

Fewer Licenses But More Deer Than in Past Years

According to County Auditor T. P. Anderson there were 114 big game licenses issued to Pennington county hunters this year. This is considerably below last year's record, the added cost of $1.25 for each permit issued undoubtedly having something to do with the slump.

A large number of deer has been brought in by the hunters, their success having seemingly been greater than for many years past. One moose was also among the victims, the brute falling before the prowess of Julien Provencher and Leonard DuChamp, who did their hunting in the region of Schilling in the early part of the season.

Fifth Roll Call Closes Tonight; No Reports Yet

The fifth annual roll call of the Red Cross closes this evening. So far as Thief River Falls in concerned, the drive is reported to have been very successful, although no figures will be available until after all the workers have sent in their finals. But little has been heard as to the progress of the work in the outlying districts, but it is felt that the result will be fully up to last year. It is certain that the city will far exceed its previous record. A check for $25 was last week sent to Chairman W. A. Barnard by the local Elks lodge and it is probable that other organizations have taken similar steps. Members of the Girls' Community club have been very thorough in soliciting dollar memberships and there has been quite a sale at the hotels and in the post office lobby.

Anyone who has been overlooked in the campaign just closing still has time to join this great organization. Send your name and one dollar to W. A. Barnard, chairman, Thief River Falls, and he will see that you are given proper credit.

BASKETBALL TEAM READY FOR SEASON OF ADDED LAURELS

With Carlson Back and Plummer Added the Outfit Should Prove Invincible.

Thief River Falls is going to have a basketball team of championship calibre this winter. Most of the players composing the invincible Legion quintet of last season are on the ground ready for practice and there will be at least one valuable addition. G. W. Connell will again have charge of the outfit and promises something in the way of indoor sport that will bring the folks up standing.

The city council on Tuesday night voted unanimously to grant the use of the auditorium floor for games at a price that will just about cover the cost of the lights. A committee composed of F. J. Stebbins, G. C. Streeter and H. C. Johnson waited on the council with the request that the boys be given the use of the hall at the lowest possible cost, explaining that the expense would this year be considerably greater than last as it would be necessary to provide new uniforms and other paraphernalia.

Irvin Carlson, the star of last year's aggregation, will again be in the lineup, as will Holzknecht, Hadrath, Kiland, Brown, Hermanson and Penney, together with one or two new arrivals who have not before been seen in a Thief River uniform. Plummer, the red-headed forward who last year was the mainstay of the Bemidji team, has secured a position in this city and will be in the line-up. Taken as a whole it is doubtful if a more promising bunch will appear on the floor at any basketball game in the state. If the support is equal to last year the season should prove most successful.

LAMBS FROM THIS COUNTY AT ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK EXHIBIT

Helen Satre Wins Fifth Prize in Statewide Field of More Than 200 Entries.

Helen Satre of Pennington county won fifth prize on her lamb at the junior live stock show held at St. Paul last week in a field of over 200 entries. Other exhibitors from this section in the sheep division were Marion Hunt of this city, Arthur La Vaug and Wesley Sheldrew of Grygla, and Daniel Vaughan of Goodridge. Donald Hardesty of Thief River Falls exhibited a fine Holstein calf. Misses Satre and Hunt attended the show in person.

Four hundred Minnesota farm boys and girls wound up the summer months' work by an excellent exhibit at the show. Calves, sheep and hogs raised by the club members were shown for two days and afterwards auctioned off to the highest bidder. The grand champion exhibited by Miss Virginia Scanlon of Belview, sold on Friday afternoon for 50 cents a pound. The animal was a grade Angus weighing 1350 pounds. The price was 20 cents a pound over that brought by the Wisconsin junior champion at the Madison show.

Following the show a banquet was given to all members in attendance. The club members were photographed by motion picture camera men, whose films will be displayed all over the country. Mayor Hodgson of St. Paul presented the silver cups to the winners after declaring that their triumphs were not complete in themselves but that they should lead the juniors to even greater endeavor. He urged them to co-operate with their associates in promoting not only good animal husbandry but better citizenship.

GREAT SHOWING BY PENNINGTON IN PAST DECADE

County Now Surpasses 18 in State of Minnesota in Point of Population.

Passes Kittson and Crowds Roseau Hard for Second Place in Northwest.

Increase in Persons of American Birth Most Remarkable Feature of Report.

Pennington is one of the youngest counties in the state as well as one of the smallest in area. It is also generally regarded as among the smallest in population, the prevailing impression even among the people residing within its borders being that in number of inhabitants it probably exceeds only Red Lake, Clearwater, Mahnomen, Lake and Cook counties.

As a matter of fact Pennington is eighteenth from the bottom, according to the figures given out by the census bureau, being larger than most of the closely settled counties in the southern part of the state and having a considerable edge over a number of its neighbors, most of which are larger in area.

Interesting Comparisons.

Pennington county with its 12,091 population is topped by Dodge with 12,562 and followed by Pipestone with 12,050. A glance over the list of communities having a smaller population than Pennington is liable to provide something of a surprise, very few persons, even among those who keep well posted on the development within the state, having stopped to realize that Pennington is more populous than such well-settled communities as Hubbard, Kittson, Rock, Wadena and Stevens counties. The following comparison will prove of interest:

Pennington	12,091
Pipestone	12,050
Lincoln	11,268
Rock	10,965
Wadena	10,699
Kittson	10,638
Wilkin	10,187
Hubbard	10,126
Grant	9,788
Stevens	9,778
Big Stone	9,766
Sherburne	9,651
Kanabec	9,086
Clearwater	8,569
Lake	8,251
Traverse	7,943
Red Lake	7,263
Mahnomen	6,197
Cook	1,841

Among the Leaders.

Among northwestern counties Penningtons' increase is only exceeded by that of Marshall in numbers and stands as leader in the percentage column. The following table gives the population of the seven counties in this immediate district for the years 1910 and 1920, together with the increase in population during the decade:

	1920	1910	Inc.
Clearwater	8,569	6,870	1,699
Marshall	19,443	16,338	3,105
Pennington	12,095	9,378	2,719
Kittson	10,638	9,669	969
Polk	37,090	36,001	1,089
Red Lake	7,263	6,564	659
Roseau	13,305	11,338	1,667

Gain in Native Population.

Out of the total population of 12,095, 9,544 are classified as "native white." Of this number 4,905 are males and 4,639 females. There are 3,069 persons in the county of native parentage, 4,217 of foreign and 2,251 of mixed parentage. Of the foreign-born population 1,484 are males and 1,060 females. There are three negroes residing in the county—all males. The per cent of native whites is 78.9 and that of the foreign born 21.0. There has been a steady increase in the proportion of natives making their home in the county during the past ten years. In 1910 there were 6,603 persons coming under this classification while at the present time the number is 9,544. On the other hand, the foreign born population has decreased, being 2,759 in 1910 and 2,544 in 1920.

There were 3,382 males 21 years of age and over at the time of taking the census, classified as follows: Native, 436; foreign or mixed parentage, 1,511; foreign born, 1,432. The civil status of these latter was: Naturalized, 1,191; first papers, 104; alien, 67; unknown, 70. There were 2,374 males between the ages of 18 and 44 years, and 2,237 females.

Few Are Illiterate.

The total number of persons 10 years old and over was 9,075 and of this number 63, or .07 per cent, were found to be illiterate. The percentage ten years ago was 1.4 per cent.

But two illiterate persons were found in the entire 1,242 in the county between the ages of 16 and 20 years.

There are on an average nearly five persons to a family in Pennington county, the number of these latter being given as 2,484. The number of dwelling houses is given as 2,372.

Gymnasts Will Meet.

The Thief River Falls gymnasium, under the direction of G. A. Fallness, is now in running order and has a steadily growing membership. The winter's program of work has been mapped out and will be ushered in with a get-together meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 1. All those desiring to join the class are requested to make application previous to that date and be on hand for the lunch and smoker that is to follow the meeting. Men's classes only will be taken this year and none but actual members will have the privilege of the rooms.

Hearing on Assessments For Paving Friday Night

There will be a hearing on the paving assessment before the city council at a special meeting tomorrow evening. Notices have been sent to all property owners affected and it is expected that there will be a large attendance.

The plan of assessment followed by the council is the same as that employed in nearly all Minnesota cities and while it is likely that there will be more or less objection develop there is slight likelihood of a change being made.

The city of Luverne is having difficulty over its paving assessment for the reason that the intersections were charged against the abutting property. In Thief River Falls this part of the cost is borne by the city at large so there should be no objection on this particular score.

REV. BARACKMAN RESIGNS AS PASTOR OF LOCAL CHURCH

Has Accepted Call From First Presbyterian Congregation at Lincoln, Kan.

Rev. Rufus L. Barackman, for six years pastor of the Twentieth Century Presbyterian church in this city, will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday and will leave shortly thereafter for Lincoln, Kan., where he has accepted a call as pastor of the First Presbyterian church. He expects to take up his duties at his new home on the second Sunday in December.

The decision on the part of Rev. Barackman to resign from the pastorate here came as a surprise to the many friends of the family, no previous intimation of such intention having been given. The state of Mrs. Barackman's health, however, makes it advisable for them to move to a warmer climate and the call issued by the Lincoln congregation was therefore accepted.

During the six years that Rev. Barackman has occupied the pulpit of the local church the congregation has grown from a total of only 64 to one of 164, while all other activities in which the members were engaged have grown correspondingly. This increase has been made in spite of the fact that 15 families have moved away from the city in that time. Rev. Barackman states that the cooperation he has received from the people with whom he worked has been of the most satisfactory character and regrets deeply that circumstances are such as to make a change of field necessary.

The departing pastor has taken a deep interest in civic affairs and has frequently been called upon to assist in carrying out measures for the betterment of the community. He enjoys the confidence and respect of the people of the entire city regardless of their church affiliations and his influence and counsel will be missed in many matters.

A public reception in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Barackman will be held in the church parlors on Tuesday evening, to which the general public is invited in order that they may have an opportunity to bid farewell to the popular couple.

No arrangements for filling the local pulpit have as yet been made by the congregation.

DEMPSEY-CARPENTIER BIG FIGHT PICTURES COMING TO PRINCESS

Greatest of All Fistic Battles Will be Shown in Films at Popular Prices Saturday Afternoon and Evening.

The most talked-of picture ever filmed will be shown at the Princess theatre on Saturday afternoon and evening, Nov. 26. It is the authentic Tex Rickard film exhibition of the Dempsey-Carpentier fight at Jersey City on July 2, and is said to be the best picture of a prize fight ever filmed. Every movement made by either man in the great bout is depicted faithfully and clearly, the cameras having been so placed that nothing would be missed.

Not only is the fight itself faithfully portrayed, but all the interesting scenes connected with its staging are shown, the work being under the personal supervision of Mr. Rickard. Fistic celebrities from all over the world are shown and every detail of a match which caused more comment than a presidential election is reproduced.

This picture has been shown at all the larger theatres of the country, the admission price running in many cases up to two dollars. Manager Brumund announces that the price of admission in Thief River Falls will be 50 cents for the evening performance and 25 cents for the matinee.

LEAVE TO URGE DRAINAGE PLANS AT WASHINGTON

Officials of Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy District on Important Mission.

Will Lay Matter Before Indian and Interior Departments For Consideration.

Geo. W. Walker of this City Chief Engineer of Project, Member of Party.

The following article, taken from the Minneapolis Journal of Sunday is of particular interest to the people of Pennington and surrounding counties:

Plans for the early development of the big Red Lake drainage and waterpower project will be considered at Washington next week. C. G. Selvig of Crookston, president of the board of directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district, left Minneapolis last night for Washington with three engineering experts, who, with him, will lay the subject before the secretary of the interior. His associates on the trip are E. V. Willard, state commissioner of drainage and waters; George W. Walker of Thief River Falls, chief engineer of the project, and Adolf F. Meyer of Minneapolis, consulting engineer.

The Red Lake drainage and conservancy district was organized under a state law passed at the extra session of 1919, and works under authority of the district court. It was officially recognized by act of congress last February and given power to put through the big project, which is a combined drainage and waterpower enterprise. When completed, it is expected to bring the following benefits:

Relieve from periodical floods 236,800 acres of land in the Red Lake Indian reservation, making available for agriculture some of the richest lands in the state.

Protect 248,500 acres outside the reservation from floods.

Make Red lake, with its 441 square miles of water area, a great reservoir, regulating flow of the Red Lake river and preventing its overflow.

Provide a constant flow of water in the Red Lake river, making development of its great waterpower possibilities practical, with a minimum flow of 600 cubic feet a second insured all the year around, supplying cheap power for Grand Forks, Fargo, Crookston and other Red River valley cities.

The main task in deepening and straightening the Red Lake river, which for the first 40 miles has a very slight fall and runs through a flat, swampy region. After that, the river has a rapid fall until it reaches Fisher, near the Red river. The plans call for payment of part of the cost by waterpower interests. The rest would be assessed against benefited land. Under the federal act, Red Lake Indian tribal funds may be drawn upon to meet assessments against the Indian land, which later will be charged to the land after it is patented.

Success of Project Forecast.

Mr. Selvig, who is principal of the branch state agricultural school at Crookston, has been a leader in the movement for several years. He predicted last night that the success of the project will make one of the richest agricultural section of the state. Lands east of Red lake now overflowed at high stages of water will be reclaimed, and settlers from that district attended a conference on the project at Bemidji, Oct. 28.

"The regulated level of the lake under the present plan will be two feet or more below the unregulated high stages of water," said Mr. Selvig. "Dams at the outlet of the lake will provide for a three foot storage.

660 Cubic Feet a Second.

"That amount of water, over an area of 441 square miles, will afford a continuous minimum flow of 600 cubic feet a second for three years. This does not allow for evaporation, but rainfall ordinarily is sufficient to take care of that factor.

"Waterpower now developed on the Red Lake river is available now only seven months in the year. When it is assured 12 months in the year, waterpower companies will spend millions of dollars on development. The fall in the river between Thief River Falls and Fisher is so rapid as to make waterpower plants every six miles practical, we are assured."

U. S. Approval Required.

The federal law provides that detailed plans for the project must be approved by the secretary of war and the chief of engineers. All work within the Red Lake reservation must be approved also by the secretary of the interior.

"Before acceptance of the plans," the law says, "the Red Lake drainage and conservancy board and the secretary of the interior shall ascertain and agree upon the maximum and minimum levels between which the water in Red lake shall be permitted to be fluctuated."

Agitation for this improvement has been under way since 1892, or 29 years. Only within the last two years, however, has it made any headway. The last legislature allowed $25,000 for survey work, which is now under way.

May Erect Storage House For Pure Seed Potatoes

A meeting of the Red River Valley certified seed potato growers is called for Monday of next week to be held in Crookston, at which time a matter of considerable importance is to receive attention, according to the announcement made by O. K. Berget, secretary of the association.

The storing of seed potatoes in quantities sufficient to fill any orders has been a problem confronting the association and the matter of erecting a storehouse to be owned and used by the association members for seed potatoes only is to be considered.

Storage structures owned by similar organizations in other states have been studied and reports as to the results obtained by the construction of frost proof houses. These will be presented at the meeting Monday, and if the plan meets with favor a building will be erected during the coming year.

This building, according to tentative plans, will have facilities for the handling of potatoes in any quantity, and it is probable that storage facilities will be provided as the need may be developed for potatoes of all kinds, common marketing varieties as well as certified seed stock.

YOUNG MEN BOUND OVER ON CHARGE OF MAKING MOONSHINE

Eddie Gesselquist and James Iverson Held to Grand Jury in $500 Bonds.

Eddie Gesselquist and James Iverson were bound over to the grand jury by Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant on Friday, charged with operating a still for the manufacture of intoxicating liquors in Hickory township. Bail was fixed in the sum of $500 and the accused were released upon its being furnished.

Both are young men and were arrested by Sheriff W. J. LaBree on Wednesday of last week. Sheriff LaBree, in company with Leonard DuChamp, went to the house occupied by the two men for the purpose of conducting a search. According to the sheriff's testimony on the witness stand, they entered the place and found Iverson sitting near the stove reading by the light of a lamp. Gesselquist went upstairs and was followed shortly by the sheriff, but not before he had time to throw a 15-gallon jug out of the window. This jug, according to the witness, contained malt or mash. The searchers also found a number of bottles and jugs scattered about the room. Gesselquist later went out to the woodpile, where he secured a gallon bottle filled with a liquid and proceeded to smash it with an ax. The bottle smelled of whiskey, the sheriff stated.

Gesselquist on the stand swore that he does not know what "mash" is and that the stuff found was grain they were soaking for horse feed.

County Attorney Theo. Quale carried on the examination for the state while the accused were not represented by counsel.

SCHOOL ANNUAL TO BE BEST OF SERIES

Publication to be Financed Entirely Through Subscriptions This Year.

The 1922 Prowler, annual publication of students of the Thief River Falls high school, is now in the making and will be one of the finest issues ever turned out in this section, if all plans of the managers and editors are carried out. In certain respects it will be different from any of its predecessors.

In the first place the book will contain no advertising matter. The school authorities have forbidden the soliciting of business of this kind for the purpose of meeting the expense, and this will have to be taken care of solely through subscriptions to the book. The action of the Merchants association in deciding to turn down advertising in all programs, annuals, etc., would make it a difficult matter to finance the undertaking in this manner.

In order to proceed with the publication of The Prowler it will be necessary to contract in advance for the sale of 350 copies at $2 each. This should not be a difficult matter, practically every business man in the city having pledged himself to take one or more copies in lieu of an advertising outlay. The book will easily be worth the sum asked.

The Prowler is a complete history of the school's activities during the year and should be in every home in the city. The work will be profusely illustrated and contain the photos of the faculty members and the graduating seniors. The undertaking is worthy of support and it would be regrettable if it were to fail through lack of this.

Misses Laura and Emma Jorgenson, teachers in the local schools, left Wednesday afternoon for Fargo to spend Thanksgiving.

1000 ENTRIES OF PRIZE POULTRY AT FIFTH SHOW

This is Number Expected at Annual Exhibition on Dec. 6, 7, 8 and 9.

Interest Evinced is Greater Than For Any Previous Show of the Kind.

Ordinary Fancier Will Have Opportunity in Special Class Now Added.

The fifth annual exhibition of the Pennington County Poultry association will be held at the auditorium, Thief River Falls, on Dec. 6, 7, 8 and 9. Premium lists will be distributed this week and fanciers from all over this section are preparing their prize birds for entry.

More interest is being evinced in this show than in any previous similar event, both by residents of the county and those residing at a distance. Inquiries have come from Wisconsin, Iowa and the Dakotas, besides a large number from other points in this state, requesting that premium lists be sent and stating that it was the intention of the writer to enter one or more coops of chickens at the exhibition.

Farmer Class Added.

In order to make the exhibit more interesting to the farmers who do not particularly specialize in poultry raising, a class has been added for their particular benefit. This will give them an opportunity at the prizes without bringing their stock into direct competition with that of the professionals. It is particularly desired that farmers bring in their best birds for entry in this class as it will stimulate interest and encourage them in the breeding of a higher class of poultry. Experts will be on hand to point out the advantages of breeding blooded stock and in this manner a greater stimulus will be given the industry.

1,000 Birds Expected.

The first annual show of the Pennington County Poultry association was held five years ago, when 200 entries—many of the scrub variety—were exhibited. Last year there were 800 birds shown and the effort toward improvement was most marked. A large share of the coops contained thoroughbreds, the strains being about equally divided between the famous layers and the heavier table bird. Officials of the association believe there will be 1,000 chickens alone exhibited at the coming show and that the exhibits of ducks, geese, turkeys, guinea and pea fowl will be greater than ever before.

Breeders, feeders, fanciers and all others interested in the poultry game should make it a point to attend this show and to become exhibitors. This affair will be one of the biggest and best in the state and by far the largest and most important to be held in the north section.

First Indoor Concert by Band to be Given Dec. 11

The first free concert of the winter season will be given at the auditorium on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 11, beginning at 3:30 o'clock. Leader H. S. Snyder has in preparation a program that is sure to please, being composed of a judicious mixture of the classic and popular.

It is the intention to make these concerts a monthly feature throughout the winter if arrangements for practicing can be made. The band has been meeting in the Commercial club rooms on Monday evenings in the past but this plan will have to be discontinued unless a compromise can be affected. The Community Girls now use the club room for their meetings every other Monday night, which throws the band boys out of very essential practice on two nights every month. It is very much desired that the two organizations can so arrange their meetings as not to conflict with one another and the matter will no doubt be taken up for discussion by both at an early date.

Winter concerts have always proved popular in the past and it is to be hoped that the citizens will not be deprived of them this year.

Council Buys Additional Lots For Park Purposes

The city council at its meeting on Tuesday evening authorized the purchase of lots 12 and 13 in block 19 and lots 9 and 10 in block 25 of Porter's addition for park purposes. These plots abut the 12 lots recently acquired for the same purpose and will make quite an addition to the tract. The tract is situated at the southern limits of the city and reached by what is known as Lovers' Lane. It lies along the bank of the river and constitutes an ideal property for the purpose intended. Two of the lots were the property of Augusta Chelstrom and the others were owned by W. H. Lee of Snohomish, Wash. The price paid to each of the former owners was $100.

City News

Atty. W. J. Brown was a business allor at Warren on Thursday.

Miss Clara Kolstoe of Plummer, vas a shopper here on Saturday.

Miss Katherine Jonas spent Sunay visiting with relatives at Ada.

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F. S. Ebert left Tuesday morning or Greenbush on matters of busiess.

Mrs. Emma Motz left last week or Fargo where she will spend the inter.

Wm. Comstock left Saturday afernoon for St. Hilaire on matters of usiness.

Mrs. Walter Corbett left Monday fternoon for St. Hilaire for an over ight visit.

Misses Amanda and Helga Kalland f St. Hilaire attended to shopping ere on Friday.

J. H. Hermanson left Saturday for lemidji and adjacent points on maters of business.

Mrs. Wm. Comstock, has as her uest this week, her mother, Mrs. Varner of Rollis.

H. Dahlsing left Sunday night for dmore, N. D., where he will be emloyed this winter.

Dr. C. R. Crandall returned Sunay morning from a few days busiess trip to Minneapolis.

Miss Hilma Liden is spending the eek visiting her parents here. She s employed at Duluth.

Miss Therese Geifer, instructor in he school at Goodridge, spent the eek end at her home here.

Mrs. J. E. Erickson returned to her ome at Holt on Monday, after a rief visit with friends here.

Mrs. J. Johnson returned to her ome at Roseau Monday after spendg a few days visiting friends here.

We deliver potatoes to any part of he city at $1 per bushel. Phone 102 lower Shop. N-24

Mrs. Thyra Snyder returned Monay afternoon from Warroad where he spent the week end visiting with iends.

You need potatoes—we need mony.—Let's trade. Phone 102, Flower hop. N-24

Mrs. Ferdie Brown left Monday fternoon for St. Hilaire where she ill spend two days visiting relaves.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen reurned Monday evening from a week d visit with friends at Fergus alls.

B. J. Polinske of Duluth was in e city on Saturday and Sunday as e guest of his sister, Mrs. Esta arton.

Miss Cora Skordahl returned to r home at Strathcona Tuesday orning after a brief visit with iends.

Mrs. A. Morrissette who had spent few days here visiting friends, rerned to her home at Plummer on aturday.

Miss Aldora Berg, teacher at the orthrup, is spending the Thanksving holidays at her home at Roltte, N. D.

Rev. T. E. Sweger returned Satury morning from Cooperstown, N. , where he had spent a few days business.

Miss Geneva Huseth of Grygla visd with friends here on Tuesday enute to Minneapolis where she will employed.

Miss Rose Rux returned to her ome at St. Hilaire Friday afternoon fter having spent the time between ains shopping.

Miss Ruth Soule, home economics acher at the high school, is spendg the Thanksgiving vacation with iends at Rugby.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herron have as eir guests this week their son-inw and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. enson of Viking.

Mrs. Rose Johnson left Thursday orning for Trail where she has acpted a position as stenographer in ne of the banks.

Mrs. W. H. Halbert left Saturday orning for Winnipeg, where she ill remain over Thanksgiving as the uest of her sister.

Friday, November 25th, Auditorim, 8:30 p. m., "Fi-Fi of the Toy hop," home talent production. Chilen's matinee 3 p. m. N-25

Mrs. P. Burstad and daughter, live, were in the city on Monday, etween trains, while the former reived dental treatment.

Miss Vivian Thoreson of Goodidge arrived here Friday evening or a brief visit at the home of Mr. d Mrs. E. M. Bennes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Milsten of osston arrived here Saturday eveng for a visit at the home of Mr. d Mrs. A. J. Sanden.

Mrs. T. Heden and Miss Tillie undsten, who had visited here over unday, returned to their home at oseau Monday morning.

Chas. Munn, manager of the local tandard Oil Station, left Saturday fternoon for an over Sunday visit ith friends at Crookston.

Miss Christine Pederson, who had pent a few days visiting her parnts here, left Monday afternoon for da where she teaches school.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Klungness and wo daughters left Thursday afteroon for Madison, this state, where ey will make their future home.

Mrs. Ed. Lambert of Red Lake alls spent Thursday and Friday in e city visiting at the home of her arents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg.

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Lt. Emily Campbell of the Salvan Army, who has made her home ere for a couple of years, left last eek for her home at Superior, Wis., where she was called by the serious illness of her mother. Miss Campbell will remain at her home for an indefinite period.

Atty. E. C. Logan of Sioux City, Ia., spent Tuesday in the city visiting friends. He left Wednesday for Grand Forks and Cando, N. D., on matters of business.

Miss Myrtle Gigstad returned to her home at St. Hilaire, Monday afternoon, having spent the time between trains receiving dental treatment.

Miss Avis Akre, who is teaching in the high school at Bemidji, arrived here last evening for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson have as their guests over Thanksgiving, Misses Eleanor Bauer and Ella Felto, teachers in the Bemidji schools. Miss Felto taught in the local schools last year while Miss Bauer was at Goodridge.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, Miss Olive Patterson, Mable McGinnity, Ruth Owens and Miss Peterson, all of St. Hilaire, shopped between trains here Saturday.

Mrs. Leo Fahey, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. T. Christianson, left Monday night for Minneapolis where they will spend a few days visiting friends. They expect to return here this morning.

Order your hard and soft coal from Christenson & Voelz Hardware Co. Phone 23. N-24

W. E. Powers of Minneapolis, was a business visitor in the city the first of the week. He left last evening for his home where he will spend Thanksgiving.

Miss Lois Wold left yesterday for Grand Forks, where she will remain as the guest of her mother, Mrs. Cora Wold, over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Al. Johnson, who has been employed by the Standard Oil Station in this city, has resigned his position and left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend a brief period visiting relatives after which he will leave for Detroit, Mich., where he has secured a position.

Miss Lena Gullingsrud, who had spent two weeks visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Gullingsrud, left on Monday night for Plummer where she will spend a few days before returning to her home at Gary.

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90 sheets	9c
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Sable Fox Scarf	$35.00
Badger Scarf	$19.75
Lynx Scarf	$35.00
Lustrolynx Muff	$13.75
Lustrolynx Muff	$14.75
Jap Cross Scarf	$19.75
Brown Coney Chocker	$6.90
Stone Oppossum Chocker	$8.90
Squirrel	$11.90
Fitch	$12.75
Jap Cross Muff	$19.75
Taupe Fox Chocker	$12.75
Brown Fox Chocker	$12.75

Outing Flannel Sleeping Garments

Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts	$1.49
Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts	$1.39
Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts	98c
Men's Outing Flannel Pajamas	$1.49
Boys' Outing Flannel Pajamas	$1.39
Boys' Outing Flannel Pajamas	98c

Women's and Misses' Outing Flannel Sleeping Garments

Women's Outing Gowns	98c
Women's Outing Gowns	$1.25
Women's Outing Gowns	$1.49
Women's Outing Gowns	$1.69
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40 in. Brocade Canton Crepe	$1.98
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36 in. Chiffon Taffeta	$1.98
36 in. Heavy Satin	$2.49

COATS

Silk Plush Coats
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Chappie Coats, Raccoon Collar
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Men's Mahogany Kid Bals	$7.90
Men's Mahogany Calf Eng. Bals	$5.90
Men's Mahogany Calf Eng. Bals	$4.98
Men's Mahogany Calf Med. Eng.	$4.98
Women's Mahogany Kid, military heel	$5.90
Women's Mahogany Kid, military heel	$4.98
Women's Mahogany Lined Broags, military Heel	$4.98
Women's 4-buckle Arctics	$2.98
Women's 2-buckle Arctics	$2.49
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Men's brown and grey mixture	$1.98
Men's black leather caps	$1.69
Men's Scotch heavy cap	$1.19
Boys' brown and grey caps	98c
Boys' hockey caps	75c 1.25
Boys' navy blue and grey Eagle caps	$1.19

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Market Week

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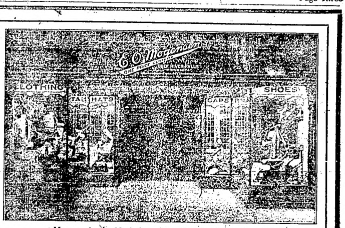

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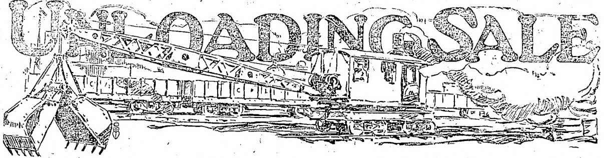

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$20,000 Worth of High Grade Men's and Boys' Overcoats, Suits, Pants, Shoes, Shirts, Sweaters,
Overshoes, Rubbers, Hats and Caps, Gloves and Mittens, Mackinaws, Sox and all kinds of U. S. Army and Navy goods, such as O. D. Wool Blankets, O. D. Wool Breeches, Shirts and Drawers, etc.

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YOUR CHOICE OF ANY $50 OVERCOAT
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$22.50 Overcoats	$16.50
$27.50 Overcoats	$19.50
$35 and $40 Overcoats	$27.50

Boys' Buster Stockings, 45c value	Jersey Gloves per pair	Railroad Gauntlet Gloves, pair	"Ironclad" Sox, hvy, blk. or brown, pr.
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1st quality pair $3.49

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About 75 BOYS' SUITS All to go at 25% OFF

$10 Suits at	$ 7.50
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SHOES! SHOES!
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$4.50 Men's Shoes	$3.45
$5.00 Men's Shoes	$3.85
$6.00 Men's Shoes	$4.75
$7.50 Men's Shoes	$ 5.95
$10.00 Men's Shoes	$ 7.75
$12.00 Men's Shoes	$ 9.45
$13.50 Men's Shoes	$10.45

ALL OVERSHOES REDUCED

CAPS

$1.00 Caps now	$ .65
$1.50 Caps now	$ .95
$2.00 Caps now	$1.35
$2.50 Caps now	$1.75
$3.00 Caps now	$1.95
$3.50 Caps now	$2.45
$4.00 Caps now	$2.75
$4.50 Caps now	$2.95

Scotch Caps $1.25

HATS

All Hats Must Go Now

$12.00 Hats now	$7.95
$ 9.00 Hats now	$6.50
$ 8.00 Hats now	$5.95
$ 7.00 Hats now	$4.65
$ 6.00 Hats now	$3.95
$ 5.00 Hats now	$2.95
$ 4.00 Hats now	$2.65
$ 3.00 Hats now	$2.25

Men's Socks

25c Socks	19c
35c Socks	27c
50c Socks	35c
75c Socks	49c
$1.00 Socks	73c
$1.50 Socks	$1.15

Men's Dress Shirts

All On Sale!

$1.50 Shirts	$1.15
$2.00 Shirts	$1.45
$2.50 Shirts	$1.85
$3.00 Shirts	$2.25
$3.50 Shirts	$2.65
$4.00 Shirts	$2.95
$5.00 Shirts	$3.65

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$ .50 Neckties	$ .37
$ .75 Neckties	$ .50
$1.00 Neckties	$ .65
$1.50 Neckties	$ .95
$2.00 Neckties	$1.55
$3.00 Neckties	$2.35
$3.50 Neckties	$2.65

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MEN'S PANTS

$3 Pants	$2.35
$4 Pants	$2.95
$5 Pants	$3.85
$6 Pants	$4.75
$7.50 Pants	$5.85
$8 Pants	$5.95
$9 Pants	$6.95
$10 Pants	$7.45

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SELVIG FOR CONGRESS?

Charles B. Cheney, political writer on the Minneapolis Journal, professes to have information tending to show that C. G. Selvig of Crookston is to be brought out as an opponent of Congressman Steenerson for the Republican nomination in the coming primaries. Ever since Steenerson entered congress twenty years ago the Journal has been fearful of his overthrow a few months before election, but the veteran has always upset the dope. It must be admitted, however, that seldom if ever has a candidate of the calibre and standing of Mr. Selvig been brought out against Mr. Steenerson and if the former should enter the campaign in earnest it would mean one of the hottest primary fights ever witnessed in the district.

The Journal writer goes at some length into the political history of the Ninth and professes to have discovered considerable opposition to Mr. Steenerson within the ranks of his own party. The article follows:

"C. G. Selvig, principal of the state school of agricuture at Crookston, may be brought out as a candidate for congress in the ninth district. Leading republicans of the district have been talking about it. There are predictions that his name will come up before the republican district convention next March.

"The Steenerson organization was against the convention bill, and influenced several votes in the house against it, on the ground that it would be possible for the Nonpartisan league to capture the republican convention. Now that it is a law, Mr. Steenerson's name probably will be presented to the convention. There have been reports, however, that he would not be a candidate next year.

Mr. Steenerson has been in congress since 1903 and his present term will make 20 years' continuous service. He has had some rather narrow escapes at times, but generally has gone through elections with colors flying. In the last two elections he has been fortunate in having the solid backing of all anti-radical forces in the district, in opposition to the Nonpartisan league. In the 1918 primary election, he defeated F. M. Burton, a socialist railroad engineer, 3,800 margin. In 1920 he had a close call in the primaries, defeating N. E. Thormodson by 713 votes, but the swing toward sound government landed him an easy winner in November.

"There has been considerable latent opposition to Mr. Steenerson among republicans and the antis have been looking around for a candidate. Mr. Selvig has been proposed because of the work he has done in the district, which has made him one of the best known men in that section of the state. He has many former students scattered through the valley counties. He has been one of the main workers in the Red River Valley Development association, and is president of the board of directors of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district, which has charge for both state and federal governments of the big Red Lake river project."

A COMMON SENSE SOLUTION.

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... to stand for a cut in wages averaging 8 per cent for piece workers and for 3 to 7½ cents an hour for others. This conclusion was reached after a committee of union men had examined the books of the companies. The cut goes into effect Nov. 28 and it is expected that 125,000 workers in the industry will agree to the new scale.

This satisfactory outcome proves what can be accomplished when employer and employe get together with the intention of doing just what is fair toward one another. The packers threw open their books and records to inspection by the workers and the latter were convinced that it would be to their own and the industry's best interests to accept a lower rate of pay. They were practically permitted to fix the amount of the reduction themselves.

While such proceeding is rather unusual its success should encourage others in trying the plan. That the men surrendered nothing in the way of essential rights is evidenced by the attitude of Chairman A. S. Triplett of the employes' organization, who gave the following decidedly succinct statement of their position:

"A wage cut had to be made and we made it. We saved the cardinal principles for the men, however."

INTERESTING FIGURES.

Pennington county has every reason to be proud of the showing made in population and material gain during the past ten years. The figures just published by the census bureau show that we have more than held our own with neighboring counties during the decade in these respects, while the details furnish many other items of much interest.

While an increase in population of some 26 per cent is in itself a highly satisfactory showing, the fact that those who have arrived during the past ten years are nearly all native Americans is ground for congratulation, even though there is no fault to be found with the class of immigrants that have selected this section as the place in which to build their homes.

The figures show that the addition of a very small fraction would make our population average five to the family, there being 2,481 of the latter in the county. There are not quite dwellings enough to go around, these numbering 2,372, but even that is a very good showing.

The percentage of illiterates in the county is so small as to be negligible, while the population is almost pure white, Negroes, Asiatics and Indians hardly being found in sufficient numbers to make it worth their being counted. It would seem as if we are just a little short of womenfolks, there being 3,382 males in the county to 2,798 females.

An article in another part of The Times goes more into details as regards this interesting showing and will be found worth careful perusal by everyone.

SOUNDS GOOD, ANYWAY.

It was naturally expected that any serious objection to carrying out the disarmament program proposed by the American government would be interposed by the interests generally believed to profit most through the waging of wars, and the big steel companies of the county were uppermost in people's minds when this thought was given [illegible]. If the men at the head of these enormous enterprises are to be [illegible], however, they are [illegible] of us to have [illegible].

Charles M. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel company, for instance, has [illegible] an unqualified endorsement of the program announced by Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes. He said in an address delivered [illegible] in New York:

"The carrying out of that plan [illegible] quarters, but such a thing as financial loss can be of no consideration when compared to the inestimable boon to mankind which would be involved in the realization of that magnificent plan.

"If disarmament inflicts a money loss upon us, the American iron and steel industry will accept it gladly. We will not do so in a spirit of mere idealism and self-sacrifice, but in a belief that the greatest permanent, material prosperity would be brought about by the concentration of the energies of mankind upon constructive activities; upon means for well-being and not for the destruction of civilization."

Judge Gary, head of the United States steel corporation, speaking on the same subject in another city, said:

"It is true that most of the sixty thousand workmen will be thrown out of employment at first. Some method of taking care of them and finding new work for them can be found. Dependent industries will likewise be affected, as well as the business of cities where they and the navy yards are situated. That is a temporary evil to be borne as part of our contribution to peace and lower taxes."

All of which sounds fine and patriotic and must be taken at its face value. There is no more reason for doubting the sincerity of these men than there is for questioning the motives of any person who is unreservedly backing up his government in this disarmament proposal. There are those who will refuse to look at the matter in this light, but they would be unable to find anything to commend in the attitude of Gary or Schwab, no matter what the proposal happened to be. To most people, however, the support given the government's program by these men will be welcomed as sincere and highly important.

The Common Cause.
(Duluth Herald.)

A beautiful thing happened at the annual meeting of the Associated Charities of Duluth.

Among the speakers were a priest of the Roman Catholic church, a Jewish rabbi, a Congregational minister and a Unitarian minister.

And each, in his different way, spoke from the same text: "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." All spoke in the heartiest spirit of earnest co-operation in the common cause of mercy and relief. All barriers of sect and creed were swept away, and Jew and Gentile, Catholic and Protestant, appeared shoulder to shoulder in the spirit of human brotherhood under the fatherhood of God which will be the salvation of a world that needs that salvation so much.

It was only a little place. It was only a little group that was gathered there. But the spirit that prevailed there is mighty—mightier than all the forces of evil. And it is a spirit that is working in the hearts of men these days, a leaven that will break down the barriers which set men apart and that will yet bring them together in a unity of love against which the storms of evil in this world will beat in vain.

The Golden Age.

Pretty little sowthistle standing in the sun,
How many thistles when your work is done?
Some for my master, some for your damp,
Some for your neighbor that lives down the lane.

A mightier fellow, though covered with yellow,
The wind is at his command
To speed him around all over the ground,
His progeny seizes the land.

Little Bo-Peep will pasture her sheep
And sleep 'mid its glorious bloom.
The quail and the rabbit will all get the habit;
Oh, boy, for the sowthistle boom!

Its value as feed, and plenty of seed,
The stems for fodder or silk;
And after it's seized and thoroughly squeezed,
It will amply supply us with milk.

So why should we worry when it's in a hurry
To spread its relief each fall?
For yearly taxation and all that relation,
We'll need no money at all.

—A. G. Anderson.

What Other Editors Think.

WE'VE NOTICED IT, TOO.

Montevideo News: *A news item from the U. S. mint states that silver dollars are being manufactured again, as "there has been a genuine shortage of silver dollars."* Now that our attention is officially called to it we do recall having noticed the shortage of whatever silver dollars ever drifted into our casual and very fleeting possession.

DON'T THEY?

Sleepy Eye Herald-Dispatch Speaking of love, how does it come that in real life their cheats never go up and down like they do in the moving pictures.

WE CAN'T KEEP OUT.

Ivanhoe Times: The indifference with which many people view the disarmament conference at Washington indicates that they do not fully realize that the future of this country may be swaying in the balance. If the conference accomplishes definite results we probably will enjoy a long period of peace. If they fail, another world war is inevitable in order to adjust the political and commercial differences that are exasperating Europe and Asia with every setting of the sun. In such an event the United States can not hope to escape. The day is past when we can sit calmly on the fence and watch the other fellow "go to it." Some nation will be sure to kick the fence from beneath us, as the kaiser did in the last war.

MINNESOTA AGAIN LEADS.

Little Falls Transcript: Minnesota again was in the lead in the number of new settlers for October. During that month 57 car loads of stock and household goods came into the state owned by prospective settlers. Wisconsin got 22 and Iowa 18.

TIME TO BEGIN CAMPAIGN.

Dawson Sentinel: It is none too early to begin the campaign for the adoption of Amendment No. 1—the Rural Credits Amendment—which has been submitted to the people of Minnesota, and which will be voted on at the general election a year hence. It would have been well if the farmers of the state could avail themselves of a rural credit system at the present time. They cannot, but they should see to it that one is provided as soon as possible. Tell your neighbor about the Rural Credits Amendment.

USED POOR JUDGMENT.

Minneapolis Journal: Two gentlemen at Crookston picked out an express train to run into, head on. It is annoying to slow up, but a fast train should be given the right of way. Always.

GETS FIRST HAND KNOWLEDGE.

Murray County Herald: Mayor Hodgson of St. Paul was last week forcibly ejected from a street car in the Capitol city, of which he is mayor, for refusing to pay two fares for riding one block, to an outsider the episode smells of high handedness. If the mayor of St. Paul would be accorded such treatment, we just wonder what we poor country "hicks" would get for a similar offense.

THERE'LL BE A CROWD.

St. Paul Pioneer Press: Carl Eastwood of the Le Sueur Herald tells the anti-tobacco reformers that we will all smoke some day. Knowing which way he is headed, Carl hopes for a lot of company.

SHOULD BE BORNE IN MIND.

Dassel Dispatch: The state Farm Bureau federation sends out a news article this week which acknowledges the great debt that the farm bureau owes to the newspapers of the country. Without the support of the newspapers, always given freely and most of the time at a great expense, the farm bureau would have consumed ten years of time and a lot of money in making the progress that it has made in the past three years. This is not a boast but just a simple statement of fact which is all too easily forgotten by those who have benefited.

BETTER NOW THAN LATER.

Hibbing Tribune: It's pretty late to do your Christmas shopping early but you can do it today, which is apt to prove more satisfactory than Christmas eve.

BE LOYAL TO YOUR TOWN.

Norman County Herald: Why not be fair to your home town? Do your buying with the merchant who is your neighbor and friend, who, when you need it, will give you accommodations you could not get away from home, who helps keep Ada going and growing by paying taxes and licenses here, paying store rent here, paying wages to employes here, buying his own household supplies here. The home business man is a big factor in the growth and development of the city. When it is necessary to raise funds for church or charity he is the first to give, and he gives liberally. The question is largely one of town loyalty and of good business practice. It is not loyalty to a town to buy goods in other towns that could be bought as cheap and as well as home, and it is poor business policy to pay merchants in other cities more for goods than home merchants charge for them.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

UNSHAKEN TESTIMONY

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Thief River Falls. No Thief River Falls resident who suffers backache, or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice-told testimony.

E. L. Krogstad, railroad brakeman, 523 State Ave., N., Thief River Falls, gave the following statement Nov. 30, 1917: "When I was living up in the Roaring River district, the hard water disordered my kidneys. Every morning I woke up with a terrible pain through my kidneys and my back became weak and lame. It hurt me to stoop or bend in any way and my kidneys acted irregularly. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they fixed me up in such good shape that I haven't been troubled since."

On Aug. 8, 1921, Mr. Krogstad added: "The cure I received by using Doan's Kidney Pills has been a permanent one. I sure think Doan's are a good remedy and I gladly confirm [illegible] statement."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Rendering a Positive Service

The Daily News, Minneapolis, Minnesota, prints the following editorial in its issue of November 14:

When Magnitude Discards Mystery

Frankness is being better recognized a big asset in all human relations, including business.

The bigger the business, the greater the need for frankness.

It wasn't always so; in fact, until only a few years ago, the reverse was true so far as actual practice was concerned and magnitude paid a penalty for the mystery in which it chose to cloak itself.

As one of the biggest of the big industrial and commercial organizations, the Standard Oil Co. used to exercise its full proportionate share of mystery. That this policy has been changed—deliberately and conspicuously—is a development that is as radical as it is interesting to students of publicity.

For three years, Standard Oil has been out of its shell telling the public exactly how it was doing things, why it was doing things and what it was driving at. It has made large use of advertising space in newspapers without regard to their attitude toward itself. It has conspicuously evidenced its desire to talk to the people and to put out its products for a price that included good will.

Today, instead of merely making its products available to those who MUST buy, Standard Oil is employing extensive publicity to make people WANT to buy. There is a very great difference, just about the difference between the exaction of tribute in one case and the rendering of positive service in the other.

Entirely aside from commercial considerations, a policy of frankness and service will tend to iron out some disagreeable wrinkles in the things that are. And the benefits will go to both sides of the equation.

To render a positive service is not alone the desire of those responsible for the management of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana). It is a well-formed, clearly-understood determination.

This determination to render a positive service is expressed in the multitude of products manufactured by this Company from crude petroleum. The housewife, the motorist, the farmer, the physician, the fabricator of raw materials, almost every special branch of human endeavor, has been considered and that part of the petroleum which will render to each the greatest service, has been segregated and made instantly available.

This is the method chosen by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) to make tangible the positive service it is endeavoring to render.

The campaign of advertising which is being carried on has as its object a frank discussion of the ways and means used by the Company in delivering this service, a discussion which tells what it is doing and how it is doing it, and why.

That there is a better understanding of the motives of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) and a feeling of increasing confidence in its integrity and straightforward frankness is indicated by the number of favorable comments which the campaign has elicited from the editorial departments of newspapers, big and little, throughout the eleven states served.

Justice, equity, frankness, a basic desire to render a positive service, and a determination to take all of the people into its confidence are the underlying principles governing this organization.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2637

Functional Derangement Of the Nervous System.

A disturbance in the nervous system is most commonly due to shock, worry, care, excessive physical or mental strain or sickness. Susceptibility is not confined to age; old and young being equally affected. Relief is to be found in the use of a good reconstructive tonic, such as

[illegible]

Imperfect Page

APPLES!

I have a car load of [illegible] Apples—Jone[illegible]

[illegible]

C. H. [illegible]

[illegible]

E. L. [illegible]

Evenings 7:30 to 9.

A Brand New Five-Passenger Ford Touring Car Given Away Free To One Lucky Customer

The Greatest Offer of
MARKET WEEK BARGAINS
We Have Ever Attempted

And this will positively be our last cut-price sale of the year. Buy all your requirements now as prices are absolutely down to rock bottom. Buy now and buy liberally.

THIS STORE WILL BE OPEN EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHT FROM NOW UNTIL CHRISTMAS UNTIL 10 P. M. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS TIME TO DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY.

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

FREE—A COUPON WITH EVERY DOLLAR PURCHASE GOOD FOR THE AUTOMOBILE CONTEST TICKETS GIVEN ON EVERY DOLLAR SALE FROM MONDAY, NOV. 28, TO SATURDAY, 5 P. M. DEC. 3.

Our Great January Clearance Sale Willl This Year Be Our Market Week Sale

We have decided in order to make this last Market Day Sale the greatest ever, 30 days early, to give you our entire January Clearance Sale prices. This will give you the advantage of possession now when you need it most. Remember this sale will hold good Market Week only, Nov. 28 to Dec. 3.

End of the Season Clearance Sale of Our Entire Stock of Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

Startling Losses Will Be Taken in Order to Turn This Stock Into Cash at Once

76 Wonderful New Dresses

All new arrivals with the past month—everyone of them a bargain at $25.00. For Market Week only, choice

$16.95

54 of these are all silk and silk and lace Dresses. 22 of these are all Wool Tricotine and fine Imported Serge Dresses. All sizes included and all leading shades and the snappiest of styles.

25 Brand-New Wool Dresses

Just arrived from our New York buying office. They are guaranteed all-wool, fine French Serge. A few all-wool Tricotines, all in navy blue, assorted styles. Everyone of them made to sell as a leader at $18.50 each. You'll be surprised at the high grade workmanship. For Market week only, your choice, each

$9.95

Our Entire Stock of Fine Lanpher Furs—For Market Week Only Just Half Price

CHILDREN'S AND GIRLS GINGHAM DRESSES JUST HALF PRICE

ONE SMALL LOT OF WOMEN'S WOOL SKIRTS JUST HALF PRICE

ALL GIRL'S COATS Sizes, age 10, 12, 14. $12.50 to $25.00 Values. HALF PRICE

CHILDREN'S COATS Ages 4, 5, 6. $8.50 to $15.00 values AT JUST HALF PRICE

Entire stock $25.00 to $35.00 Plush Coats 36-40-48 inch lengths full lined high grade garments, each $18.50

Department H
SPECIAL MARKET WEEK VALUES

Women's fine all-wool Union Suits in high-neck, long sleeves; also in dutch neck, elbow sleeve. Our special $5.00 value for Market Week at Suit	$3.98
Women's fleeced underwear, separate garments Market Week Special, each	89c
Women's extra quality high grade $2.00 Night Gowns, made up of fancy outing flannel, each	$1.49
Women's Silk Gloves, sued-lined, white only, large sizes Market Week leader, pair	89c
Imported fine quality Kid Gloves, for Market Week shoppers $3.50 quality Kid Gloves at pair	$2.95
$6.00 and $3.95 quality Kid Gloves pair	$3.50
Women's black and brown Hose, slightly imperfect 25c values at pair	19c
Panama and Bearskin Children's black Hose 35c values at pair	22c

ALL OUR HIGH GRADE FUR-TRIMMED COATS ON SALE

2 beautiful Beaver-trimmed Cloth Coats $150.00 values at each	$100.00
4 beautiful Beaver-trimmed Cloth Coats $100.00 values at each	$68.50
5 beautiful Cloth and Plush Coats $85.00 values at each	$59.75
2 beautiful Cloth and Plush Coats $75.00 values at each	$49.95
8 beautiful Cloth and Plush Coats $65.00 values at each	$42.50
2 beautiful Cloth and Plush Coats $58.50 values at each	$39.95

Surely an opportunity to buy a high grade Coat at a remarkable, below value price.

We also shall offer 24 high-grade full length Ladies' fine Cloth Coats, values $35.00 to $50.00, all full fancy silk lined, with handsome fur collars, choice each

$24.95

Dry Goods Department
MARKET WEEK SPECIALS

56 inch all-wool plaids and Prunella striped Skirtings. Last year we sold this same quality for $7.50 and $8.50 per yard. Think of it—we just purchased 50 pieces and are able to offer it to you at yard only	$2.95
Another shipment of RUN-OF-THE-MILL short lengths in all kinds of high grade SILKS, about 500 yards for Market Week. This will go fast. Wonderful $2.00 and $3.00 values, your choice yd. This lot of silks consists of every kind of Silks	$1.00
50 inch half-wool storm Serge, a good serviceable dress cloth. 40 inch half-wool French Serge, a splendid fine serge. Both cloths come in brown, black, navy and wine, a wonder value in 1914. Now only yd.	$1.00
One bolt only of a new imported fine quality 56-inch all-wool French Serge for Market Week, at yard	$2.50

Our Main floor Notion Department carries only the highest grade of QUALITY NOTIONS that money can buy, and sells them right. For cheaper notions our basement carries a complete line of Notions made to sell at a price of such goods as carried by catalog houses, cheap stores and 5c and 10c stores. Our prices on this class of Notions you will find are the lowest. Read our prices on those in our Big Basement ad elsewhere in this issue.

Loken Brothers Department Store *Thief River Falls Minnesota*

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Thanksgiving

Three hundred years ago, a day was set aside for the first Thanksgiving, a day when all people should put away their daily toil and give thanks to God that their lives had been spared and provision made for the coming winter. How little they had, compared with the present, for which to be thankful. How great were the dangers and hardships which they faced daily. Yet they were truly and sincerely thankful for what they did receive and saw fit to express their thanks to the Giver of all our blessings.

Three hundred years have passed since that first Thanksgiving day and with the passing of each year our blessings have increased and our dangers and hardships have been lessened. And so in turn we, too, set aside a day to offer our thanks in a similar way and to the same God as did the Pilgrim Fathers long ago. Then there were but few, today there are millions; then, their blessings could be counted on the fingers of one's hands, today our blessings are legion. They lived in constant danger and hardship; we live in safety and comfort. Should not our thanksgiving be in proportion to our blessings? Should we not, each and every one, seek to show our appreciation in a larger, broader way? Can we not let this one day, which we have set aside, be but a beginning in our giving thanks? Let each one on this day not only offer thanks for our many blessings but also seek some way in which to show during the days to come our gratitude and appreciation. Let each one, as we sum up these blessings of ours, endeavor to pass them on to others who are less fortunate. Let each one strive to make this Thanksgiving Day as joyous and sincere as did those few determined settlers so many years ago.—A. J.

A Thanksgiving Story

"Thanksgiving day tomorrow. Thanksgiving! Huh! What have I got to be thankful for, I'd like to know. We've got just barely enough food and clothes. Of course, there's a roof over our heads. The way we work, too. Yes, we'll have a turkey, won't we? Six or seven of 'em. Oh, well! Now let me see. Corn bread for supper (same as yesterday.) It's about time the boys were getting home. My boys—Roy and Clark. Why, why, they're something to be thankful for. I never thought of them in that way before. They're regular little blessings, that's what they are!" These were the thoughts of the Widow Jenkins as she prepared a meagre evening meal for herself and her children.

A brisk knocking, followed by the immediate opening of the door, interrupted her thoughts.

One glance revealed the unconscious form of a boy about twelve years old in the arms of a traffic officer. Behind them was Roy and a doctor.

The mother did not say a word. She opened the door leading into the bedroom, with a hard, sullen look in her eyes. While the doctor worked over Clark the policeman told Mrs. Jenkins what had happened.

Roy and Clark had been selling papers and had had good luck. They were hurrying home to show their mother.

A girl of about five or six came out of Benton's with her mother and began crossing the street. The child saw someone she knew and began running. Her mother called to her but she did not hear.

No one knew just exactly how it but Clark saved the child and he himself was very badly injured. He was dying.

After the policeman left, there began a night of waiting and praying for the mother.

Her boy, her eldest son, was on the point of death. By the side of his bed she knelt. The doctor told her he could do nothing more. But—God. The Ruler!

"Oh, God, don't let my boy die! My hero boy! My Clark! If he should die, God—but don't let him die! I trust you, God! I believe in you!"

Then came dawn—Thanksgiving morn; and in the Jenkins' small bedroom was the dawn of a wonderful love and thankfulness. God had saved her boy. Mrs. Jenkins had a great many things to be thankful for. Greatest of all was the help of God. —L. R. '25.

Get Acquainted With the Teachers and Their Work.

Dec. 5 to 10 is Education Week. This is a good time for the parents to meet the teachers. In my teaching experience I have never worked with a group of men and women who had the welfare of the students so much at heart as the high school teachers of Thief River Falls. Neither have I ever worked with teachers who were more agreeable and so willing to co-operate for the good of the school. Come and get acquainted. I know that you will like them.

The week of Dec. 5 to 10 has

We are not going to "show off." We want you to see and learn to know us just as we are. Find out what your children are doing in school, from kindergarten to high school, and find out first hand how they do it. Our schools are your schools.

Monday evening, Dec. 5, the Parent-Teachers association meets at 8 o'clock in the Lincoln high school building. We shall be glad to welcome you to this meeting.—M. P. R.

Shall He Die?

Sick? Yes! Seriously? Very!! Will he die? In all probability!!

Is there nothing we can do? Certainly, surely, positively, unquestionably, of course! But if you don't, and don't do it right away quick, then overtake the undertaker and have him undertake to take over the undertaking.

Well, vot iss los? It's the 1922 Prowler, that's what it is! The 1922 Prowler, I said! Can you hear me? Can you HEAR me? The Prowler! The Prowler!! The P-r-o-w-l-e-r!!! Are you going to let the 1922 Prowler die? Well, he will, will, will—unless you help! Can't you see, hear, taste, smell, feel that I am serious? Then you have no senses! But if you have no senses, maybe you have cents? Ah, that will help! That's what we need!! No, we need both: Sense enough to realize that NO Prowler would be a calamity to our students, school and city, and cents enough to buy one! Students, parents, business men, citizens, we MUST have your subscriptions right away. Three hundred fifty as a very minimum must be subscribed for before Dec. 1 four hundred ought to be subscribed for. Only one hundred seventy-one have been subscribed for to date. We have one hundred seventy-nine to go.

What greater asset has a city than its schools? What more effective advertisement has a city than its schools? What more effective advertisement have the schools than a snappy, happy, peppy annual? If you would advertise your city, not your individual business, make it possible by your subscriptions for a liberal number to go through with the 1922 Prowler and send them to your relatives and friends. Call us by telephone and tickle our ears with a "Send someone over to take my subscription." Oh, that's fine! Now you're talking! That's great! "Ain't we got fun!" There'll be no funeral after all. Yes, there will be if you don't subscribe. No, there won't. Yes, there will. No, there won't. Well, let's see! Tell you for sure Dec. 1.—S.

How I Earned Money to Buy An Annual.

"We must have 350 subscriptions by Nov. 30 or we can't publish an annual."

I hadn't been planning on buying an annual (my pocketbook was rather empty) but that woke me up. Why, we just MUST have an annual. The school year wouldn't seem complete without one. Then the superintendent spoke of earning money. That's just what I would do. So I began immediately to try and earn some money. Fifty cents wouldn't be hard to earn before the end of the month. I was going to help put over the annual!

Once in a while I had taken care of Mrs. Blake's children and how I wished that she would call me up. She didn't, though. But Wednesday afternoon I met her near the auditorium and asked her if she was going to see "Ole and the Newsboy." No, she wasn't going. She had been to a party last night, etc., etc.

When I got home Thursday after school mother said to me: "Mrs. Arnold called up and wanted to know if you would take care of Burton. As you weren't home I told Elsie to go."

"Oh, mother!" I exclaimed. "If only I'd have been home!" and I told her all about it.

She laughed but grew sober again as she said, "I'd like very much to be able to give you the money, but as it is—"

"You aren't going to give me any of that money. I know just how it is. About four days from now I'll be showing you my subscription. This will be great fun because I've never earned myself anything yet."

Who says Friday is unlucky? It sure was my lucky day. After school I asked Mrs. Grand if she needed anyone to clean her house. She usually gets Alva Benson and Alva gets thirty-five cents for just cleaning downstairs. It took quite a good deal of nerve to ask her but didn't we have to have an annual? Mrs. Grand is an invalid, you know.

"Well, you're only twelve but I'll try you out. I'll try you out," she said.

There wasn't much to do and I wasn't a bit tired, and she gave me thirty cents. As I was leaving she called me back and said, "Is your brother home? I'd like to have him clean off the sidewalk."

I told her he wasn't home but I'd be very glad to do it. I'm a pretty strong girl and anyway that annual. She gave me fifteen cents. I told her that she helped me get my annual. She was very pleased.

Well, that other five cents wasn't hard to get and then I had my fifty. They only need three hundred and forty-nine subscriptions now!—Lucille Roark. '25.

Red Cross Drive.

The Girls' Community club contributed its services to the Red Cross to carry on the local drive, which began Armistice Day, Nov. 11, and citizens and business men have already responded generously.

The Red Cross is a worthy organization deserving the aid of all the people. Its work is carried on in every part of the world, and there is no nation that does not respect its sacred position.

The annual report declared that an increasing effectiveness on the part of the Red Cross to deal with emergencies was manifest during the last year. "Through its chain of chapters linking virtually every county in the country with headquarters at Washington, the Red Cross has established a network of communication through which instantaneous relief may be dispatched to any part of the United States.

"Through its nursing service, its home hygiene and care of the sick, nutrition, first aid and life saving numerous other ways designed to acquaint the masses of citizens with proper methods of living, the Red Cross carried its message of health into all parts of the country."

Red Cross relief was extended upon forty-three occasions during the year. Disasters ranged from the grasshopper plague in Dakota to the Chinese famine. Famine threatens many parts of the world today. In this great universe there are always devastating fires, earthquakes or other forms of destruction causing mysery. Who is always first on the field? The Red Cross. Who knows but what Thief River Falls may next need the help of the Red Cross?

It is up to you who are safe and sound to supply aid. If you have not already done so, answer the roll call now with your contribution.—C. B.

The Commercial Department

The course of study in the Commercial department this year varies from that of previous years since one instructor has all of the work.

The subjects offered are: Bookkeeping, open to Sophomores; Stenography I, Typewriting I and Commercial Arithmetic to Juniors; Stenography II and Typewriting II to Seniors. The second semester a course in Office Training will probably be offered. This will be open only to Seniors who have completed Typewriting I and II and are taking either Stenography I or II this year. This course aims to present the routine of office work in a practical manner and thus familiarize the student with the many duties he may be called upon to perform.

The enrollment by classes this semester is as follows: Bookkeeping 26; Typewriting I 24; Typewriting II 16; Stenography I 24; Stenography II 20; Commercial Arithmetic 28. Bookkeeping, Typewriting I and II are all double period subjects, or 80 minutes of class work required instead of the usual 40 minutes.

The aim of the department is to train the young men and young women so that when they are graduated, they may accept positions as bookkeepers, typists or stenographers and make good in the eyes of the business world. A successful graduate of the business department must have a knowledge of the particular allied subjects as economics, commerce, history, English, correspondence and mathematics. The cultural side as well as the technical side of an education must be given special attention. More than this, the business course should so equip a Senior with college entrance credits that he can pursue his work in college, if he prefers this to immediate entrance into business. More co-operation between the universities and high schools will make the business course meet this two-fold demand. The business department must train students to live happier lives and more useful lives and if in so doing it requires them to be proficient in a few clearly defined subjects, we may properly understand a business course.

The business world demands faithfulness, promptness, determination in addition to ability. In order to meet these demands the student needs to pa ythe price—and the price is not to be paid in dollars and cents, but in hard, conscientious work.

Are you students in the Thief River Falls high school going to pay the price in hard, conscientious work —well done—E. H.

Two Modern Motorists

Pete: "'Lo, Bill."

Bill: "'Lo yourself. Where yo goin'?"

Pete: "Goin' down ta buy a new tire for my benzine buggy. Comin' up from St. Hilaire the other night I heard an awful noise from the rear and at first I thought the sheriff of Red Lake county was trailin' me. On second thought, I was glad he missed if he was shootin'. Soon found I had a blow out in the left hind tire, so I wheeled in on the rim and noticed I beat the passenger, too, for that day."

Bill: "That's nothin' unusual for a bus like yours. Why don't ya get a car like mine that's easy on tires—a real road eater? Suppose you had a well behaved, classy lookin', smooth runnin' 'Lastwell' like mine. Say, Pete, you don't know how it feels to pilot a real, honest-to-goodness steamer like mine—all 'go'—and and rarin' for more."

Bill: "Never mind, Bill, talk is cheap, like air at the fillin' station. You say I don't know how it feels to drive a real substitute for the horse? Get out! Why, last summer, when I was out West climbin' mountains that looked like they went straight up and shook hands with the moon, that little old haywire of mine slid up those snarly roads like greased lightn'n' never for a minute hesitatin' to spit back into the carbutor nor speculatin' about turnin' back. No, sir, Bill, no signs of anything but gladness to work in its iron heart. Why, Bill, that little pile of tin cans I keep in the shed behind the house can go 57 miles per hour and not turn a hair, give for an average 28 miles to the gallon of gas, and oil—well, I put some in the crank case about twice a year out of force of habit."

Bill: "Some mustang you've got, Pete. Lives like an air fern, eh? You want to tell that gas and oil story to the Oil Trust when they send you their bill. I'll have to admit my wheelbarrow does use some oil and gas occasionally but it is very easy on air. By the way, Pete, how does it feel to 'fliv' through the air on wings of tin, 57 miles an hour, with thirty by threes under ya, no springs present but those in your watch, and the engine shimmyin' to and fro between the frame and your lap and back? How does it feel, I say?"

Pete: "I can plainly see your little ice wagon never carried you over 30 per hour, so I can sympathize with you, Bill. Every nerve in your body tingles and vibrates with—"

Bill: "The car?"

Pete: "No, no. With the thrill that only comes once in a while."

Bill: "Yeh, I'll bet. By the way, Jake Poordriver was tellin' me about his new car the other day. Says he, 'Say, Bill, I've got some boat now; hot and cold runnin' water, steam heat, electric lights, self stopper and unmountable rims, yep, some scow.' 'Well,' sez I, 'what kind of a horn have ya got?' 'Horn?' sez he. 'Don't need any.' Sez I, 'How's that—don't need a horn?' Sez he, 'I've got a little sign painted on the radiator which knocks 'em cold and says Dodge Brothers.'"

Pete: "Har! Har! Say, Bill, d'd ya ever see his old 'expense account'? Well, I reckon ya have but you'll see her no more 'cause she's headed for the museum."

Bill: "In other words, you mean to say if he would jack up the horn button and put a new car under, he would have a new car, eh?"

The Psalm of Lincoln High

Tell me not in mournful numbers
School life is an empty dream,
Eight hours only do we slumber,
And things are just what they seem.

Life is real, life is earnest,
To be Seniors is our goal.
Use your barins and use them plenty
and an "A" you'll get at roll.

Some enjoyment and some sorrow
Come to greet us on our way,
You must act that each tomorrow
Finds you keener than today.

Talk is cheap and time is fleeting;
And our students strong and brave
Must arise and speak out clearly
Or sit still and just behave.

In our rooms so bright and cheerful,
Tho some seats are small and tight,
Whisper not lest all too tearful
You may sit at teacher's right.

Trust no future howe'er pleasant,
Come today and don't be late,
Don't pretend you're sick and ailing,
Present always, you're first rate.

Lives of great men all remind us
We must not forever smile
And departing leave behind us
Far less paper in the aisle.

Paper which, perhaps, another
With his back all sore from "gym"
May be told in accent bitter,
"Clear that aisle up neat and trim."

Let us then be up and doing!
Things will happen sure as fate.
Keep achieving, keep perusing,
Lessons learn ere it's too late.

—B. K.

Debate

There has not been as much interest shown in debate this year as we should like. This is probably due to the fact that classes in Journalism and Public Speaking are not offered and also that all of the experienced debaters were graduated last year. Also the question, government regulation of coal prices, is not one which easily secures interest.

Because of the small number of contestants, it has been decided to eliminate the preliminaries, and the coach has chosen the following boys to make up the team: Ole Helle, Lloyd Alnes, Albert Stengelson. Although they are all inexperienced, they are doing very good work and give promise of making a strong team.

The question in spite of its seeming "dryness" is a fine one for debate, as it has two well-balanced sides and arouses little prejudice.

The first debate is to be held with Roseau early in December. Sides and places of meeting have not yet been selected.

Ruth in a Rush.

The greatest bugbear which confronts the Junior class each year is a lack of funds for the heavy expenses incident to the Junior-Senior banquet and for the work on the annual at the beginning of the following year. As a result, Juniors are usually associated with "after-the-game" lunches, candy sales, bazaars, and the like. The Junior class this year have decided to swell their bank account by presenting a play. They have selected a three-act comedy, "Ruth in a Rush," which they plan to present shortly before Christmas in the auditorium of the high school. A summary of the play and a list of

Miss Chamberlain Gives Inspiring Talk.

Last Wednesday Miss Chamberlain delightfully entertained the high school students with a talk on poetry. Ordinarily it is difficult to interest folks in poetry, to say nothing of entertaining. Miss Chamberlain, however, handled the subject so skilfully that everyone showed a keen interest.

Miss Chamberlain first explained the origin of poetry. Then she pointed out how expressive poetry was compared to other forms of expression. After a short talk on poetry in general, she read the following poems, which were enjoyed very much:

Trees—Joyce Kilmer.
After Sunset—Grace H. Conklin.
Good Company—Karl W. Baker.

These three poems served to illustrate how nature lovers found poetry useful. Then by reading "Mystery," by Ralph Hodgson, "Feet," by Mary Carolyn Davis, and "Gen. William Booth Enters Heaven," she pointed out how poetry was a means of expressing intense religious feelings. "Mother o' Mine," by Flora S. Rivola, and "Music I Heard," by Conrad Aiken, served to illustrate how love gained expression through poetry. Finally, character of different types of people was described thru poetry in "Richard Carey," by Edwin A. Tobinson, "The Man With the Hoe," by Edwin Markham, and "The Awakening," by Flora S. Rivola.

Central Notes

The seventh grade geography examinations were held Thursday morning.

Twenty-three pupils in the Seventh A classes received a gold star in the Health Crusade this week.

Herbert Meyers has returned to school after an absence of several days.

Division B has the seventh grade banner for marching this week.

Esther Rustad has been absent from school for the last three weeks because of sickness.

Alice and Bernice Moen of Arnold Ave. N. have entered the Eighth grade.

Mrs. Lampert, Mrs. Heggen, Mrs. Larson and Mrs. Biddick were guests of the kindergarten room.

Richard Thronson has returned after a five weeks' absence with relatives.

The kindergarten children are keeping the Thanksgiving spirit by appropriate songs, games and decorations for Thanksgiving.

The arithmetic classes have made graphs to show their progress and accuracy in ten tests of thirty problems each.

Miss Johnson, music supervisor, has been training the pupils to recognize and appreciate good music by playing each week selections from the noted composers.

Better Speech Week has been observed at the Central by all the English classes of the eighth grade. To stimulate an active interest in this work, slogans such as "Good English is largely a matter of habit. 'Get the habit!'" have been placed on all the blackboards, and pleasing posters have been hung in the English room. All errors of speech have been listed and a contest, which will not interfere with the regular class work, is being carried on whereby they hope to check the use of any bad English. The students have written short themes on Better Speech, given dialogues contrasting the use of good and bad English and learned a pledge promising to improve their oral and written English. Improvement of speech, if it is to be effective, must be practiced in the home. We would appreciate your co-operation.

Knox Notes.

Ina McMahan enrolled in the sixth grade on Wednesday. Her former home was at Red Lake Falls.

Due to the crowded condition in the third grade the following pupils were transferred to the Washington school: Junior Prichard, Jerome Gray, Leota Rounds, Roy Pearson, Vera Randall and Laura Nelson.

Last Monday Kenneth Bakke, formerly of Emerado, N. D., enrolled in the third grade.

Twelve packages have been brought this week by the pupils for the Christmas barrel.

Earl Turnwall is absent from school due to small pox.

Robert Gray has been ill for several days.

Ruth Turnwall has been absent on account of sickness in the family.

James Stewart has been absent owing to trouble with his eyes.

The children of the second grade have decided to bring a donation of food to be sent to the needy as their Thanksgiving offering.

The sixth grade pupils had a party last Friday. Games were played. Records were brought by the pupils and music was enjoyed. Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, cake and cocoa were served.

Ruth Hagen, who has been attending the fourth grade, moved to Bemidji last week.

Northrup School Notes

Ray Conklin enrolled in Miss Berg's room Monday, Nov. 14.

In order to equalize the enrollment in the fifth and sixth grade rooms eight pupils were transferred to Miss Ryans fifth grade from Miss Berg's fifth grade, and four pupils were in turn transferred from Miss O'Neill's sixth grade to Miss Berg's. The enrollment in each room is now 36.

As a reward for their good behavior during the week, Miss O'Neill's room enjoyed a Victrola concert Friday afternoon.

Harriet Engebretson enrolled in the second grade here, being transferred from the Knox.

The Normal Training girls will begin practice work on Monday morning in grades two, three and four.

Arvid Pederson has been transferred from the Northrop to the Washington school.

Ione Halldén has returned to school after being ill with chicken pox.

The marching pennants were this week awarded to Mrs. Eyde's first grade pupils and to Miss Trogan's second grade pupils on first floor and to Miss Tandberg's fourth grade pupils on second floor.

The beautiful blackboard drawings in Miss Trogan's room are delighted in by pupils, teachers and parents.

Washington Notes

Alma Bjorgo returned to school on Monday after a two week's absence due to illness.

The pupils of the Sixth grade are having a contest in map drawing this week.

Junior Prichard and Roy Pearson have been transferred from the third grade at the Knox to the Washington this week.

Gretchen Simley, Laurette Vandeventer and Morris Vaudrin returned to school this week after being absent several weeks on account of illness.

Evelyn Nichols and Arvid Peterson were transferred to the first grade this week.

The third and fourth grade room won the marching pennant for the first floor this week.

The normal girls have successfully completed their six week's teaching in the second, third and fourth grade rooms.

The attendance in the fourth grade has been perfect for two days this week.

The best stories of "The First Thanksgiving" were written by Eunice Carlson and Donald Snyder of the fourth grade.

Mrs. Eagler and Mrs. Stitt visited the fifth grade Thursday afternoon.

The upstairs marching pennant was won by the fourth and fifth grades this week.

Jokes and Personals

Mr. Rapacz has lately assumed the duties of a detective. If he suspects that a student's excuse is forged he uses the telephone to check up with the parents.

Henry Arneson, accompanied by his sister Eileen, entertained us with a violin solo last Friday.

Orrin Storholm has changed instructors in Ancient History. Orrin has a class of his own with Mr. Rapacz.

There is considerable rivalry among the three sections of Sophomore English over their standing in dictation exercises. The third section, which consists entirely of girls, is ahead most frequently; lately, however, the other sections have been gaining on them and sometimes have passed them.

Eleanor Sanders will be absent two weeks or more in order to take care of her aunt, Mrs. Barlow, who is ill.

Citizen meeting boy from Northrup school (grade made known upon application): "Who was the first president of the U. S.?"

Boy: "John Bratrud."

The Senior class is seriously considering the use of Bitulithic in their class rings instead of Onyx. The terms of the contract are being gone over with Superintendent Collard.

Taken from a composition: "When Galli Curci sang in the auditorium in Chicago lately, the house was packed full of people who came to hear the wonderful soprano. Five hundred people were seated on the stage and all the Nigger heavens were filled besides the seats below the stage."

Administration's Corner

Our Parent-Teacher Association.

Thief River Falls has organized a Parent-Teacher association. Thief River Falls is going to have a live, snappy and active Parent-Teacher association. You should belong to the Parent-Teacher association of Thief River Falls. At any rate, come to the meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of Thief River Falls Monday evening, Dec. 5, in the Lincoln high school building. You ought to be acquainted with the many fine parents we have in Thief River Falls. You certainly ought to know the up-and-doing teachers we have in Thief River Falls. Your attendance and active participation will make the Parent-Teacher association of Thief River Falls a success.

"A successful Parent-Teacher association offers to the parents—

A MEANS of securing definite information about the course of study, the recreation facilities, the opportunity for vocational training, the health standards of the school, and the home conditions of the children whose parents are not members of the association.

AN OPPORTUNITY to meet the teachers to whom a large proportion of their children's time is entrusted, and to meet also the parents of their children's playmates.

AN AVENUE through which they may secure the educational methods and equipment they desire and create the school atmosphere with which they desire to surround their children's school days.

A successful Parent-Teacher association offers to the teachers—

AN ASSURANCE that the parents are "behind" them in their efforts to improve the school as much as possible.

AN OPPORTUNITY to meet the parents of their pupils so that they may judge them more fairly and sympathetically and so that they may have an opportunity for frank, fair criticism of the children's individual and collective needs.

AN AVENUE through which needed improvements and equipment may be brought to the attention of the voters and the School Board."

The New Cash & Carry Grocery Store

We are now open for business and being that we are not acquainted with the public as we would like to be, we wish that any time you happen to be up town, you would come in and get acquainted, as you will never regret coming in after you see what wonderful bargains we have to offer, such as:

Coffee
Sugar
Syrups
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Cereals
Jams and Jellies

Dried Fruits
Apples, Etc.
Cranberries

We are not only anxious to have you patronize us but our main aim is to please everyone and give the very best goods for the very least money. Thanking you for a call, Respectfully,

A. MORRISSETTE

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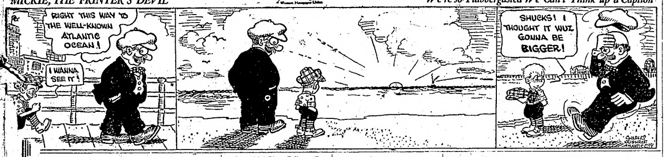
RIGHT THIS WAY TO THE WELL-KNOWN ATLANTIC OCEAN!
I WANNA SEE IT!
SHUCKS! I THOUGHT IT WUZ GONNA BE BIGGER!
CHARLES SUGHROE ATLANTIC CITY

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

A wedding of more than usual interest took place at Thief River Falls last Thursday, when Miss Ella Nelson of this place became the bride of Joseph A. Whitmark, a former resident of California. This marriage is unusually novel in that the couple [illegible] been personally acquainted [illegible] last September, although correspondence had been carried on for some time. The ceremony was performed by Lars Backe, judge of the probate court. The newlyweds will reside for the present at the Ingrid Nordhagen home, where the bride has lived since she was a young girl. On Monday evening a delegation of young folks met and tendered Mr. and Mrs. Whitmark the customary charivari greetings, together with best wishes for a happy and sunny journey through life.

Services at the Swedish church in [illegible] next Sunday evening, Nov. 27. Werner Drott and E. Seagren [illegible].

[illegible]ve a fine and complete line [illegible], and men's handkerchiefs [illegible] holiday boxes at attractive prices ranging from 10 cents to $1.50. Also a fine line of dolls and toys for the holidays will arrive shortly. Come and have your early choice. Remmen's Bargain Store.—Adv.

Mrs. Carl Bloom returned on Tuesday from Bemidji, where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Bergland, and family.

Alec Hellquist attended a dust cap social at the county line school last Friday evening, and also enjoyed a brief visit with Thief River Falls friends.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls, arrived Saturday [illegible] short visit with Mrs. John[illegible] J. E. Hellquist.

[illegible] Emil Anderson and daughter, [illegible], spent several days the latter part of the week with relatives at Thief River Falls.

L. L. Furan and John Sorenson returned Tuesday from Thief River Falls, where they had spent a few days on business.

Miss Gena Aos went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to attend "Ole and the Newsboy" at the auditorium.

Bonhard Ranum returned on Tuesday from St. Paul, where he had accompanied a carload of stock for the local shipping association.

Mrs. Carl Mellem, accompanied by her youngest daughter and Emil Mellem, spent the first of the week at Viking visiting at the Nordgaard and Nelson homes.

Martin Evenson from near Holt visited with the T. Mellem folks last Saturday and Sunday.

Victor Mosbeck and Selmer Haugen went to Crookston by car last Friday to attend to business and to visit with the Dave Mosbeck and Oscar Blomberg families.

Peter Stromberg and Howard Carlson of Thief River Falls were in town last Tuesday, the former on business in connection with his farm, which is leased by Thor Sevaldson.

Sunday afternoon services were conducted at Rindal church by Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson spent Sunday afternoon visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris at Thief River Falls.

A special sale of barn paint, men's and women's headwear, children's sweaters and leggings on Wednesdays, Nov. 23 and 30. Make your purchase here. Remmen's Bargain Store.—Adv.

The Busy Bee basket social Thursday evening was well attended and netted about $28, which will be used for a Christmas tree festival. The necktie social Saturday evening at Sunshine and the rag ball social Friday at Willowdale were also well attended.

A carload of wood is being shipped out by the Mellem brothers this week.

Christ Engen went to Stephen last Monday on business.

NUMEDAL

Numedal is again coming back with a line or two after a long lapse of silence.

Miss Svea Blomberg left on Thursday for St. Cloud after a two weeks' stay with her home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and Mrs. Olaf Larson were Thief River Falls shoppers Friday.

Albret Forslund was busy baling several carloads of hay for J. Joringdal last week.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hope, who had been employed at the Soren Knutson farm the past summer, left Saturday for Thief River Falls.

Peter Bugge and son, George, called at the Blomberg home last Thursday.

Soren Knutson was a Viking caller Saturday.

Herman and Ed. Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Most everybody is busy hauling home their winter supply of hay and wood these days.

Thure Blomberg was a Sunday visitor at the Duis brothers home.

John and Mrs. G. Ronning were Viking shoppers Monday.

Carl Brink is busy cutting up corn into silage for a number of farmers in this locality.

Herman Blomberg transacted business at Thief River Falls Monday.

J. O. Ronning and J. J. Bugge motored to Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Hjalmer Blomberg, who has been employed on the Soo line the past summer, has been laid off and returned home on Tuesday.

DID PAIN DISTURB YOUR SLEEP?

THE pain and torture of rheumatism can be quickly relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment. It brings warmth, ease and comfort and lets you sleep soundly.

Always have a bottle handy and apply when you feel the first twinge. It penetrates without rubbing.

It's splendid to take the pain out of tired, aching muscles, sprains and strains, stiff joints, and lame backs.

For forty years pain's enemy. Ask your neighbor.

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Sloan's Liniment Pain's enemy

American Legion Corner

The end of the war meant the end of many of the comradeships that grew strong in the service of God and Country. But for thousands of former service men the end of the war has not meant the end of comradeship and service. Today, many are members of an organization whose platform is "Service to God and Country." Many buddies, who served their country bravely in war have neglected to join this great organization. The time is ripe for all buddies of the great war to unite under the banner of The American Legion. Dues for 1922 are now being collected by eleven thousand posts throughout the nation. There is no initiation fee. See the nearest post adjutant. You will feel prouder and better once you belong to a great organization, pledged to a great cause.

Just as there is a bond between all former service men, so too there is a bond between the service men and the women back of them during the dark days of the great war. That is why the American Legion Auxiliary has been organized, to help carry out in peace the ideals for which their men served in war. For men are at their best when their women are behind them, not driving, but cheering, encouraging, helping—believing as only women can. The Auxiliary is the Big Sister of the American Legion. Every mother, wife, sister and daughter of every Legionaire should join it and help "carry on."

Rev. Christian Reissner of the Chelsea Methodist church of New York tells of an American doughboy who, during the dark days of 1918, wandered into a French cathedral to sight-see. He noticed a distinguished military man enter, seek a secluded spot and kneel in prayer. With American curiosity, the doughboy watched the officer and saw that he remained on his knees for one hour. The American followed him out—to find that it was Marshal Foch.

A fat negro woman watching the parade had the right spirit. Her husband started ambling down the street out of the parade, as he was passing her vantage point. When he told her he was getting tired, she waved her two flags vehemently and stepping time to the band music, exclaimed, "Lan' sakes! Yo' all's too stiff. Limber yo'self up and get back in de parade!"

Iowa had probably the longest line of marchers in the parade, with the exception of Missouri and Kansas, but Illinois and Minnesota had more post banners in line than other states. Minnesota had forty, backed up by one additional, the colors of the Giantvalley Boy Scout Troop of Minneapolis Giantvalley Post, which will also receive the "Bar of Honor" to be awarded all banners carried in the parade.

WRIGLEY'S P-K'S "AFTER EVERY MEAL" 10 FOR 5¢

The new sugar coated chewing gum which everybody likes—you will, too.

A delicious peppermint flavored sugar jacket around peppermint flavored chewing gum that will aid your appetite and digestion, polish your teeth and moisten your throat. B122

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Obituary

Mrs. Maria Jacobson.

On Sunday evening, Nov. 20, occurred the death of Mrs. Maria Jacobson, wife of J. J. Jacobson, the cause of death being a cancer of the stomach from which she had suffered for three years. Maria H. Kaushagen was born Sept. 15, 1864, in Fillmore county. Nov. 15, 1883, she was married to John Jacobson, the couple removing the Clay county two years later. They resided at Moorhead for 13 years, coming in 1905 to Thief River Falls and residing here since. Deceased leaves no children. Besides her husband she is survived by a foster daughter, Mrs. Andrew Berg of Twin Valley; two brothers, Hans Kaushagen of Twin Valley and Erick Kaushagen of Lamberton; four sisters, Mrs. Lars Lian, Watertown; Mrs. Ole Dokken, Sacred Heart; Mrs. Ronaug Spelhaug and Mrs. Amund Olson, both of Fountain.

Funeral services will be held from the Trinity Lutheran church at two o'clock this afternoon and interment made at Greenwood.

Churches

Presbyterian Church, R. L. Barackman, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 27: Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Evening worship 8 p. m. The choir will provide special music for both these meetings. These will be the last services that Rev. Barackman expects to conduct in his pastorate in Thief River Falls. Juniors 3 p. m. C. E. 7 p. m.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—The special Gospel meetings this week will continue until over next Sunday, with meetings at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. on weekdays and on Sunday, the 27th, three meetings, at 11 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. C. Kjeldgaard and Rev. Thorleif Lunde will be the speakers at all these meetings. You are cordially welcome.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Nov. 27: German services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. English services at Erie at 3 p. m., and at Neptune at 8 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Confirmation class on Saturday at 10 o'clock. Divine services Sunday in Norwegian at 11 a. m. English services at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m. Choir practice Thursday evening at the church at 7:30.

First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—No services Sunday. Sunday school at 10:30. Services Thanksgiving day at 7:45. Social hour after services. Lunch will be served. Bazaar and lunch on Wednesday afternoon and evening, Nov. 30.

Bethlehem, Thorvick, O. I. Ranum, Pastor—Service in Bethlehem church Sunday at 11 a. m. In Thorvick at 2:30 p. m. Confirmants will meet after services at Thorvick. The Ladies' Aid of Thorvik-Saterdal have postponed their sale until next Saturday, Nov. 26, beginning at 11 a. m. at the Riverside school house. Dinner and lunch will be served by the ladies. Everybody welcome.

Christian Science Services are held each Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock at the church edifice on the corner of First St. and LaBree Ave. Subject Sunday, Nov. 27, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism Denounced." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open for reading room on Wednesday afternoon 3 to 5 o'clock. There will be a Thanksgiving service at 11 a. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor— Thanksgiving services with offer to the Home Mission 10:30 a. m. Zion Young Peoples Society will give a supper and bazaar Saturday evening commencing at 6 o'clock. Zion Ladies' Aid serve lutefisk supper Thursday evening, Dec. 1, beginning at 6 o'clock. Services Sunday in the city at 11 a. m. Afternoon services at Norden, 2 p. m. Evening services in city, 7:45 p. m. Confirmants meet Saturday at 2 p. m. at the parsonage.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Charles O. Stephenson and Gina Stephenson, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 23rd, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of December, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 391.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $67.20 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $204.84, a total of $272.04 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this cation, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 15th day of November, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY, Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-17-24-D-1-8-15-22

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Standing timber in any size tracts to suit buyer. E. F. Franklin, 6 miles southeast of Thief River Falls on Route No. 3. 43p

FOR SALE—Ice by the load. Phone 456-W. 44p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE—A base-burner hard coal stove, good as new, at one-third the price of a new stove. Loken's Harness Shop. 43p

FOR SALE—Barn and lot or barn alone. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. No.

FOR SALE—Cordwood. Enquire of Henry Wilken, Rt. 2, Box 31. 43p

FOR SALE—One purebred Duroc Jersey boar, old enough for service. Cheap if taken at once. Elias Peterson, Hazel, Minn. 43p

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE—Six room house, barn, good well, three lots, located on corner of Fourth Street and Knight Ave. N., known as the Severson property, for sale cheap. Possession can be given Oct. 1. John Bratrud. 34tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain or for rent, four acres land, 9 room house, full basement, 90 bbl. cistern, fruit trees, berry bushes, strawberries; several other buildings. Inquire at Times Office. 31tf

FOR SALE—Most desirably located and thoroughly modern home. Easy terms. Inquire Hager Land Co. 23tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang, self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn 41f

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One business lot near First National bank; thirteen dwelling lots on Arnold north; house and two lots near hospital; three automobiles. Inquire Hager Land Co. 50tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished modern rooms. Mrs. T. E. Brokke, 116 St. Paul Ave. So., Phone 332J. 42tf

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 18, 801 Main Avenue North. 41tf

FOR RENT—Seven room house. Enquire 801 Duluth Ave., No. 42p

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

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BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

In the matter of Johan B. Sturre, Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy, No. 1855.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States, for the Sixth Division District of Minnesota.

Johan B. Sturre, of Silverton township, in the county of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in said district, whose postoffice address is Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Kratka route, respectfully represents that on the 8th day of September, 1921, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 20th day of October, A. D. 1921.

JOHAN B. STURRE,
Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On the 18th day of November, A. D. 1921, on reading the foregoing petition, It is ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 9th day of January, A. D., 1922, before said court, at St. Paul, in said district, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors, copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said district, on the 18th day of November, A. D., 1921.

JOEL M. DICKEY,
(Seal of the Court) Clerk,
By L. A. Levorsen, Deputy Clerk.
(N-24)

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Michael Leithmaki, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Sophia Lehtimaki, It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, once each week for three successive weeks, as provided by law.

Dated November 16th, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE, Attorney.
N-17-24-D-1

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of John Frederick Meier, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil Meier and Walter Starkey, It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

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THEO. QUALE, Attorney.
N-17-24-D-1

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Theodore J. Bundy.

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday the 30th day of May, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney.
(N-24-D-1-8)

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to C. W. Swenson, It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday, the 8th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated November 3rd, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
N-17-24-D-1

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Ida Trickel.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Rose Trickel, Lee Trickel, Claude Trickel and Gladys Trickel, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of Theodore Bundy having been filed in this Court, representing that Ida Trickel, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 8th day of August, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theodore Bundy, and the Court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition: Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of November, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of October, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
O-27-N-3-10

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage given by Christ Nissen and Sarah Nissen, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 2nd, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on Page 554.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $153.08 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $157.38, a total of $310.46 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) of Section No. Six (6), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes, if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney's fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 27th day of October, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-3-10-17-24-D-1-8

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 ($1012.35) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August A. Schmitt and Lilah Schmitt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of September, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of October, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 69.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to C. W. Nelson by written assignment dated the 10th day of April, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 26th day of October, 1921, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages, on page 113, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half (N½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-three (33), and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼), and Lots numbered respectively One (1) and Two (2) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred-fifty-three (153) North of Range numbered Forty-three (43) West of the 5th P. M., in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of December, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, A. D. 1921.

C. W. NELSON.
Assignee and present owner of mortgage.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
N-10-17-24-D-1-8-15

SUMMONS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the Complaint herein, Defendants.

The State of Minnesota, to the above named Defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby summoned and required to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said County at his office in the court house at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscribers at their offices in the City of Alexandria, Douglas County, Minnesota, within twenty days after the day of such service, exclusive of the day of such service, and if you fail to serve your answer to said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded therein.

Dated October 17th, 1921.

GUNDERSON & LEACH,
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Alexandria, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Martina Peterson, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles E. Bush, Perry Tindolph, Tilda Peterson, Daniel Johanneson, and all other persons unknown, claiming any right, title, estate or interest in or lien on the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendant, the object of which action is to have the Court adjudge and determine by its decree and judgment that the Plaintiff Martina Peterson is the owner in fee of the premises described herein and that the Defendants have no right, title, estate or interest in, or lien on the said premises or any part thereof.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40 and 41, Block 3, of the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, now a part of the City of Thief River Falls, according to the plat of said Townsite on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota.

Dated October 17th, 1921.

GUNDERSON & LEACH,
Plaintiff's Attorneys,
Alexandria, Minnesota.
N-3-10-17

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CREAMERY RECEIPTS 65 PER CENT OVER THOSE A YEAR AGO

One Thousand Dollars Was Paid Out to Producers Every Day During October.

Cash receipts at the Thief River Falls co-operative creamery for the month of October averaged $1,000 per day, while receipts of butterfat during the same period showed an increase of 62 per cent over last year. The total receipts amounted to $24,000 and the price paid averaged 43 cents per pound for butterfat in sour cream and 46 for that in sweet cream. The showing is considered by Secretary Peter Engelstad as particularly good for this time of year.

Out of a total of about 200 patrons, 36 received sums greater than $50 for the product of their herds during the month, these top-notchers being as follows:

Hans Anton, $283.14; M. T. McFarland, $189.55; P. Engelstad, $185.41; Jens Kierk, $148.10; Henry Koop, $120.23; Paul Engelstad, $101.15; Fred Copp, $96.31; Henry Pope, $86.41; S. Wiberg, $80.16; Gust Wilkin, $74.60; S. E. Hunt, $73.50; E. J. Akerlund, $70.36; Mrs. Modbeck, $69.38; Carl Peterson, $69.30; O. E. Parnow, $66.36; J. H. Hardesty, $65.11; F. M. Kline, $62.54; Ole Homme, $62.18; Joe Oski, $61.41; C. M. Hoverstad, $60.73; I. E. Howick, $60.17; O. N. Anderson, $60.06; T. Skatberg, $59.77; And. Hoverstad, $58.43; Waldie Christenson, $58.39; E. Edman, $57.92; Ed. Grundhaus, $56.91; C. Overum, $56.85; Ole Dahl, $55.30; R. M. Johnson, $54.76; C. Beiswinger, $54.89; K. Solheim, $52.65; C. Odegaard, $51.27; Aug. Johnson, $50.46; A. J. Funnesdahl, $50.20; Frank Kaing, $50.09.

STOCK RUNS FALL OFF; MARKET FIRM

All Classes of Stock Move at Steady to Slightly Higher Rates at St. Paul.

South St. Paul—Producers are taking the proper course this week in cutting down receipts, as this is usually a week of dull live stock markets on account of the Thanksgiving holiday. The falling off in receipts acted as a tonic in all branches of the trade and all classes sold on a steady to strong and in some cases slightly higher basis.

Part loads of best grass beeves sold from $6.70 to $6, with a seven-load string of South Dakotas averaging around 1190 pounds going to packers at $5.50, bulk between this price and $4.75, and a few commoner ones down around $4.25. Butcher she stock sold largely from $3 to $4.50, load lots up to the latter price, a few of the best offerings up around $5. Canners sold largely at $2 and $2.25, cutters $2.50 and $2.75, bologna bulls $2.25 to $3. The market for veal calves opened steady with last week's close, bulk best lights to packers at $6.50, a few extra choice vealers 25 to 50c higher. Comparatively few stockers and feeders were good enough to sell at $5.25 to $5.75, bulk of the trade being from $5 down to $3.50, some of the commonest kinds slightly less.

Hogs opened strong to 15c higher than Saturday's average, range $5.75 to $6.75, bulk $6.15 to $6.75, bulk desirable pigs $7.25, few $7.50. Fat lambs mostly $8, some Dakotas $8.10 to $8.50. Bulk best light and medium weight ewes $3.

Sale of Christmas Seals Next Important Campaign

The fourteenth annual sale of Christmas Seals conducted by the Minnesota Public Health association, of which Mrs. J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls is a vice president, will soon be inaugurated and it is expected that the state will improve on its previous excellent record in the sale of seals.

The proceeds from this sale all go toward the fight being made on tuberculosis and a wonderful work is being accomplished. Statistics show that in the United States 114 persons out of every 100,000 died of tuberculosis in 1920, while in Minnesota the toll was 90 out of every 100,000 population. The percentage has been steadily cut down since means were first provided through the sale of Christmas seals for waging a state-wide fight against the disease and those who have made a study of the subject are convinced that a vigorous campaign will eventually stamp out the scourge entirely.

The campaign in Pennington county will again in all probability be placed under the direction of County Agent J. J. McCann, secretary of the county board of health, who has successfully conducted two previous sales.

CLOVER SEED MEN OF STATE TO FORM MARKETING UNIT

Warehouses for Collecting and Scarifying are Part of Plans Considered.

With plans well outlined for marketing the sweet clover and other farm seeds of its members, the Minnesota Seed Growers association, Incorporated, a state wide farmers co-operative organization, was organized at Crookston on Monday. The new association is the outgrowth of a movement that has been under way for several months among the seed growers of Minnesota and was crystallized at a meeting called by H. J. Hughes, director of markets of the state department of agriculture. Representatives from practically all counties of northwestern Minnesota were present.

The immediate plans of the association are to collect, clean and scarify sweet clover seed at convenient shipping points or at one central point and to market through the central organization. Arrangements are being perfected to establish a warehouse and cleaning station where large quantities of seed may be assembled, cleaned and loaded on cars.

Among the incorporators are leading seed growers of Minnesota, including P. B. Gaas, Crookston, president; W. E. Casselman, Ada, vice president; E. R. Clark of the Northwest Experiment Station, secretary-treasurer; Chas. Franks, Warren; Thos. Ryan, Mentor; H. M. Femrite and R. F. Quaintance, Crookston.

The selection of a business manager is being taken up by the new directors and locations for warehouses and cleaning stations are being considered.

S. G. Rubinow of the Red River Valley Sweet Clover Growers Exchange, a North Dakota association which has headquarters at Grand Forks, conferred with the growers in regard to the possibilities of co-operation among the state organizations of Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Idaho, through an interstate agency. W. R. Porter of the North Dakota department of markets also addressed the meeting and emphasized the necessity of adequate warehouse and cleaning facilities.

Phonograph Sells Stoves; Relieves Tired Salesman

Selling stoves by phonograph is a novel wrinkle but it seems to be successful. The Larson Furniture company this fall secured the agency in this section for the Estate Heatrola, something entirely new in heating devices, for which there has been an unusual demand. When it comes to explaining the merits and operating plan of the "stove with a furnace in it," the salesman puts a record on the talking machine and stands to one side while the spiel is being made. As the manufacturers themselves have adopted this means of telling about the good points of their product nothing is left out and the entire story is told at once. The idea has proved a good one, the Larson company being hardly able to keep up with the demand for the stoves.

Notice.

I wish to announce that I have again begun work doing shoe repairing at Loken's harness shop and will be glad to see all my old customers, and also new ones. First class work guaranteed. KNUT KOLSTAD.
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RE-ELECT HOWARD FARM BUREAU HEAD

Membership at Present 1,500,000 With Organizations in Forty-seven States.

J. R. Howard was unanimously re-elected president of the American Farm-Bureau federation on Tuesday at the third annual convention of the organization, held at Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Howard, in discussing the convention, reviewed the activities of the federation in the past year, devoting particular attention to the plan for handling crops through the United States Grain Growers, Inc., with a membership of 25,000. The proposed co-operative marketing of live stock will be in effect Jan. 1, he said. He declared that largely through the efforts of the organization, farmers have been saved more than fifty million dollars in freight rates alone, and declared the American Farm Bureau federation is responsible for the recent enactment of the packer control legislation at Washington.

The report of J. V. Coverdall, executive secretary, showed a total membership of 1,500,000 in forty-seven states.

Legion Meeting Tuesday.

There will be a special meeting of Eklund Post, American Legion, held at the commercial club rooms Tuesday evening, Nov. 29. Plans for the annual New Years dance will be discussed and other matters of importance are expected to come up for consideration.

Public Forum

More Objections to Ditch.

Editor Times: Parties who own land in Marshall county and are familiar with values and conditions there tell me that when the project of the new drains (Consolidated No. 1) in northern and eastern Marshall county was brought up six months ago, that there was so much opposition that the court decided to postpone the matter until Nov. 28. If carried through at this time the effect of this additional taxation for drainage will destroy the small value the land now has and means confiscation, because the owners cannot keep on paying taxes for from 15 to 25 years when the land to be drained is unsalable, being too far from the railroads to cultivate profitably.

As a matter of fact, the land is now too heavily taxed and many owners are making up their minds to let the land revert to the state. Parties having experience know that it does not pay to hold non-producing lands for very many years, even tho the original price was very low.

This new project may be forced through in spite of the settlers' protests, by parties who are to derive a benefit. All this is manifestly unjust to a new section and to lands not now in demand for either investment or settlement. Besides the low prices at which bonds would probably sell on the money market would work a further hardship and loss in financing the work.

There should be a determined and strong protest by all land owners in Marshall county against draining lands far removed from railroads and assessing any part of the cost on the lands already paying a drainage tax, as well as by owners struggling to get buyers and settlers to locate in districts that have been drained for several years.

This new drainage (Consolidated No. 1) should be postponed for at least five years, or until such time as the land already drained has been settled and made to produce crops. Then, and not until then, would there be a reasonable demand for the drainage of land much farther away from a railroad, and by that time there might be extensions of railroads which would reach the new territory.

Respectfully yours,
E. M. HINCHMAN.
Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 21.

And Still They Come.

To the Editor: I read Representative Berve's letter in regard to Judicial Ditch number one, in a recent issue of your paper with a good deal of interest and hope you will permit a few observations in connection therewith, and in regard to drainage matters in general. It is no doubt true as he says that people interested should make it a point to be present at the hearing and at least state their position in regard to the matter. It can do no harm and may do some good, and it is a cinch that unless the people affected speak up, the proceeding will go through.

The great trouble now is that the people of eastern Marshall county and Beltrami, like everywhere else, are too sick and tired of drainage matters to turn out. The matter could just as well have been disposed of at the June hearing instead of bringing it up now again late in the Fall when it will be hard for many people to get there unless they go to a great deal of expense and take about three days for the trip. There were hundreds of people at the June hearing. Not one out of fifteen or twenty favored the ditch. Then why continue the hearing? Why force all the extra expense on the people? Was it hoped there would be another flood, or was it a plan to slip the ditch through?

The writer has very little confidence in the ditch hearings, especially in Judicial Ditch matters. The ditch is generally steam-rollered through, even if three-fourths of the tax payers are against it. The writer happened to be present at the hearing in regard to Judicial Ditch number 30, (extension of 18) Pennington county. There was solid opposition. Probably not one out of ten favored the undertaking. Still the court ordered the ditch established. When the farmers came in and objected the attorney for the ditch felt quite huffy, and during the recess said they were nothing but a "set of damned Bolsheviks" anyway.

The people of Marshal and Beltrami counties have had a great deal of experience with ditch matters hearing and but little or nothing was. They have gone to hearing after hearing, but little or nothing was accomplished. As soon as a handful of people sign up a ditch petition, through it goes regardless of the wishes of the tax payers. It has got so now that one can frequently hear it said that "even the judge has gone ditch crazy." All authorities seem to be decidedly hard of hearing when the plain people speak. This has been the experience of all who have had occasion to fight ditches, particularly judicial ditches, during the last ten years.

There are too many of our public officials, supposedly servants of the people, who want to play an autocratic part in ditch affairs. They are unwilling to let the people think and decide for themselves, and so they try to play the role of the good "papa" to their children. Even our courts have become infested with that sort of public officials.

Yes, by all means, let as many as can go to the hearing on Judicial Ditch number 1. Let us fill the city of Warren and have our say once more. Particularly should those who were not present at the June hearing try to be present now.

Let us take a little more note of the actions of our public officials and remember some at election time. That is one time when we can take things into our hands and have an effective word of our own.

This letter may seem strong but it is written intentionally so by one who feels that he knows something of what is going on, having lived in northern Minnesota for ten years or more. People have been called to ditch hearing after hearing, all to no purpose. When things reach the state where a ditch is ordered established against the wishes and over the protest of three-fourths of the taxpayers it is going pretty far. It is time we begin to have a little publicity on the work of the various ditch authorities. What is the use of having hearings in ditch matters if the outcome is to be decided, not by what people think and want, but by what some public official may happen to think and want?

Marshall and Beltrami counties already have extensive ditch systems. Up to this time ditching has been a necessity. It is now time for those of us who are living here to find out if this territory shall continue to be the milking ground of engineers and ditch contractors, or if we shall be permitted to work out our future free from the domination of the drainage autocrats.

Yours very truly,
W. P. JACKSON
Carmel, Minn.

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ON "HONOR ROLL" OF OLD COLLEGE

Another name goes on the "honor roll" of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. L. B. Lockhart, a former student, has been elected president of the State Bank of Belt and the Miners State Bank of Gouler, both in Montana. He is the 226th bank officer who came from this 30-year-old school. These big men and hundreds of other ex-students now employ D. B. C. graduates.

It is easier to get a good position if you attend this well-known old college. "Follow the SucceSSful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

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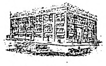

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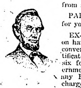

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY

City News

O. C. Listoy of Salol spent Thursday and Friday here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Sorneson of Roseau were visitors here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Barton will spend Thanksgiving with relatives at Bertha, this state.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Meyers of Rosewood spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Mrs. Willis Kistler left yesterday for Crookston to spend her Thanksgiving vacation.

Arthur Gustafson of Viking spent a short time here the first of the week visiting friends.

Mrs. O. J. Dahl and little daughter left Tuesday afternoon for Holt on a visit with friends.

Wm. Christianson came over from Middle River the latter part of last week to transact business.

Lars H. Larson of the Thief River Music company spent Tuesday at Holt on matters of business.

Miss Agnes Ekerdahl and Miss Myrtle Johnson of Holt were in the city on Friday visiting friends.

Miss Edna Ryff left yesterday for her home at Paynesville to remain over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Phyllis Dock left yesterday afternoon for Greenbush to visit with friends over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Caughlin of Federal Dam were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mellby.

Mrs. Robt. Carlson, who had spent a few days here receiving medical treatment, returned to her home at Rollis yesterday.

Miss Gustie Johnson went to Goodridge Tuesday morning for a day's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

Miss Elizabeth Harder, who attends the local high school, went to her home at St. Hilaire yesterday to spend Thanksgiving.

Friday, November 25th, Auditorium, 8:30 p. m., "Fi-Fi of the Toy Shop," home talent production. Children's matinee 3 p. m. N-25

Freddie Nelson of Gatzke, Wesley Sheldrow and Palmer Lenang of Grygla visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Adolph Lanska and two children left yesterday afternoon for Steiner to visit at the Aug. Koglin home over Thanksgiving.

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Miss Meta Koepp, who attends the local high school, left yesterday for her home at Middle River to remain over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Edith Skogland, accompanied by Miss Hannah Gustafson, left yesterday for the former's home at Roseau to visit over Thanksgiving.

Tony and Morris Brenna, who attend school here, left yesterday for their home at Middle River to visit over the Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Lavida Hilson has accepted a position as cashier with the J. C. Penney company, following the resignation of Miss Madeline Thill.

Miss Olga Murat left last evening for Minneapolis, where she will visit over Thanksgiving. Miss Murat is instructor at the Washington school.

Miss Blanche Hoiren, who had visited for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thoreson, returned to her home at Holt yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. J. Skog left this morning for Bronson, where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Richardson.

G. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, spent the first of the week at Warroad and Roseau on business. He returned here Monday afternoon.

H. W. Peterson, formerly with the McFarland Auto company of this city but later employed by the Standard Oil company at Grand Forks, is calling on friends in the city this week. He intends leaving soon for the Pacific coast with the expectation of settling in that section.

Miss Avis Akre, who is teaching in the high school at Bemidji, arrived last evening to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre.

Miss Olida Brenna of Middle River, who had spent several days visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Gustafson, left Saturday afternoon for Crookston.

Mrs. Albert Halverson, who was returning to her home at Goodridge from EauClaire, Wis., where she had spent a couple of weeks, visited with friends here Saturday.

Miss Pearl Olson, who had spent a few days visiting her parents at Trail, returned to this city on Monday evening. Miss Olson has accepted a position at Mulry's Bazaar.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund, who had spent several days visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. E. Wallgren, in Minneapolis, returned to this city this morning.

The Hicks Undertaking Parlors have been completely remodeled throughout. Day and night calls given prompt attention. Modern auto hearse. Tel. No. 30. N-24

Local friends will be interested to know that Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perdzock, who have been making their home at Wisconsin Rapids, are spending the winter at Paragould, Ark.

Miss Mable Satre arrived here on Saturday morning from Crookston, near which place she teaches school, to remain over the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of her parents, who reside on a farm near here.

H. A. Brumund, manager of the Lyceum theatre, returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis, where he had gone earlier in the week, accompanied by Mrs. Brumund. The latter remained for a visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Walgren.

Miss Lena Robertson left Monday night for Osseo, where she will reside in the future. Her mother, Mrs. Mary Robertson, will join her daughter as soon as proper residence quarters are secured. Miss Robertson has a host of friends who will regret to learn of her departure.

Doris Provencher arrived yesterday morning for a visit of a few weeks with relatives in this city. This young man, who was with the American army in France during the war, has been at Asbury hospital in Minneapolis undergoing treatment for disabilities contracted in the service. He is feeling much improved but will return for further observation.

Dr. R. Arnold, who recently purchased the dental practice of Dr. C. R. Crandall, returned yesterday from a trip to his old home at Montevideo, making the trip by auto. Dr. Arnold states that he bucked snow, which in some places was 18 inches deep, until reacing the vicinity of Detroit, after which he found the roads in excellent condition all the way to Thief River Falls.

Supper and Bazaar.

The Ladies' Sewing circle of the Zion church will hold a bazaar and serve supper in the church basement on Saturday evening, Nov. 26, beginning at 5:30 o'clock. All are invited. n-24

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When you bank here, you are assured of a service of courteous, willing helpfulness, mindful always of sound banking principles.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA

Some of the Things the Red Cross is Doing to Help Afflicted Humanity

In the United States last year 75,432 people were killed by accidents and there were 3,500,000 disabilities due to industrial accidents.

Over 300,000 were injured in railroad accidents alone.

To try to prevent this waste of life and labor 437 Red Cross chapters last year conducted 5,100 First-Aid classes with an enrollment of 104,496 students.

During the year 20,172 persons completed the course and received their certificates.

In the United States last year 7,000 people were drowned.

Under 1,276 examiners 6,096 life-saving certificates were issued during the year. One hundred and sixty Life-Saving Corps have been organized to date.

During the last year 177 Red Red Cross Chapters rendered relief in emergencies caused by 70 disasters in the United States.

There are 328 Chapters now organized to deal with disasters.

During the year the amount expended for Red Cross disaster relief totaled $1,600,000. Since 1881 the American Red Cross has dispersed $14,052,734 for disaster relief.

The fact that the American Red Cross stands equipped and ready to cope with disaster is alone sufficient to justify its existence.

Your membership dollar will help to keep it always ready for traditional duty.

In answer to the appeal for the starving children of Europe, the Cross contributed $5,000,000. Chapters contributed to the European funds.

The American Red Cross is now entrusted with the expenditure of $10,000,000 for medical aid to the children of central and eastern Europe from the fund of $30,000,000 raised by the European Relief Council for food and medical aid.

In answer to the call for clothing, 1,613 Red Cross Chapters are now carrying on production on reconstructed garments, layettes and hospital supplies for use both at home and abroad, but particularly in aid of destitute children oversea.

With the first tidings of need the American Red Cross appropriated $600,000 for relief in famine-stricken China and later another $500,000. 611,000 native workers and their families have been fed and cared for by the American Red Cross and 903 miles of perminent roads, built by labor paid for with food, stand as a barrier against future famine.

In all of this work the American Red Cross invites you to take part.

YOUR Red Cross membership will help to strengthen the organization.

YOUR Red Cross Membership Dollar will help to make possible the accomplishment of its duty—

"The Union of all who Love,
In the Service of all who Suffer."

Finds Big Tooth

Red Lake Falls Gazette: While operating the gravel loader at the Paradis gravel pit three miles west of Brooks last week Pril Gother of this city found a tooth of such proportions that it is evident that it came from some prehistoric animal. The tooth is petrified and in such good state of preservation that the enamel on it is still visable. The surface of the tooth measures two and one-half by three inches from the top to the tip of the longest prong, of which there are six, measures two and three-fourths inches. The member was taken from the gravel pit between seven and eight feet below the surface of the earth. The specimen is now on display at Spillanes.

Railroad Man, Well Known Here, Dead at Minneapolis

Ernest H. Taylor, traveling claim agent for the Soo railway, died at his home in Minneapolis on Tuesday morning, after a lingering illness. Deceased has been a sufferer for many years but did not give up active work until six months ago. He was about 40 years of age and leaves a wife and three children. Mr. Taylor at one time made his headquarters in this city and was a member of the local lodge of Elks. He enjoyed a wide acquaintance over the entire Soo system and was a most highly respected citizen. The funeral was held from the family home on Wednesday.

This is the season of the year to look about for the best place to do your holiday shopping. Read the advertisements in this issue and learn where the bargains are.

Sufferers, Take Notice!
Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf
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DULUTH FLORAL CO.
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At the house of mourning, begins when the final word is spoken, and the last loving ministry in life gives place to the proper care and preparation for the burial.

To the grief-stricken it is a great comfort if they can be sure that their loved ones, during the intervening hours, will be in safe hands, treated with respect and tenderness and prepared according to latest approved methods for their final resting place.

Then, too, it is often appreciated, when from experience and observation the undertaker is able and willing to aid by suggestion of casket, trimmings and furnishings in one harmonious whole.

It is our aim to make our service complete in every detail.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hicks
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NESET'S CLEARANCE SALE
of
Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Silverware
Cut Glass and Diamonds
FOR ONE WEEK ONLY
Beginning Saturday, Nov. 28, Closing Saturday, Dec. 3

Here is an exceptional opportunity to secure the most appropriate Holiday Gifts at greatly reduced prices.
Below are listed only a few of the bargains to be found in this store during Market Week:

Ladies' Wrist Watches

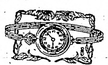

15 Jewels, 20 year guaranteed cases 15.78
15 Jewels, 14 karat white gold 23.78

Ladies' Reconstructed Ruby Rings
A fine assortment in solid gold.
2.98 to 7.79

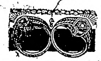

GENT'S SOLID GOLD CUFF LINKS, $2.98 up
GENT'S GOLD FILLED WATCH CHAINS, $1.28 up

Gents' Watches — 16 Sizes

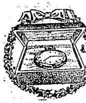

17 Jewel Elgin, 20-year guaranteed cases 24.59
17 Jewel Illinois 20 year guaranteed case 24.59
17 Jewel South Bend, 20-year guaranteed case 24.59

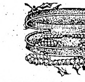

LaTuska Pearl Neck Chains $6.98 to $12.78
Other Pearl Neck Chains $2.79 to $12.98

Manicure Sets
$1.98 up

IVORY BRUSHES, $1.98 to $4.98
IVORY MIRRORS, $4.95 to $7.98
ELECTRIC PERCOLATORS $10.00

Silverware Bargains
4 PIECE TEA SET $12.98
6 Solid handle Knives and Forks $6.78
Desert Spoons 5.28
6 Tea Spoons $2.98
6 Soup Spoons 5.00
1 Pickle Fork .91

Cut Glass Water Set
4 pieces
$5.00

Remember, This Sale Is for One Week Only
OLAF NESET
Jeweler and Optometrist
Thief River Falls, Minn.

MARKET WEEK BIGGEST SALE!

Lieberman Brothers Entire Stock to Be Cut in Half During Market Week

Men's 52 inches Sheep Lined Ulsters

$4.85

We have revised, remarked and rearranged our entire stock to be sold during Market Week at prices that will prove conclusively the sharpest price cut sale in town. Here are savings that everybody needs now. A dollar spent here means a dollar saved.

$1 — Ford Bargain Tables — $1

BIGGEST BARGAIN EVENT OF ALL WILL BE THE FORD BARGAIN TABLES. WE WANT EVERYBODY TO HAVE A CHANCE OF WINNING THE FORD, THEREFORE WE HAVE SELECTED HIGH GRADE, DESIRABLE MERCHANDISE FROM EVERY DEPARTMENT, SUCH AS SHIRTS, NIGHT SHIRTS, PAJAMAS, UNDERWEAR, TIES, SOX, COLLAR BAGS, BOYS' WASH SUITS, GLOVES and MITTENS ETC. VALUES FROM $1.50 to $3.00 AT YOUR CHOICE, $1.00. BE SURE TO ASK FOR THE FORD COUPONS.

Men's Mackinaws Heavy Weight Good Quality

$8.35

Heavy Wool Kersey Pants

$3.85

Not merely lower prices but a radical disposal of the entire stock at prices that won't be duplicated for some time. Read every line of this ad, and be here every day during Market Week. It is your chance to save on everything you buy.

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Men's Leather Sheep Lined Vests

Genuine horsehide sleeves

$8.85

Sweaters

Here are plenty to choose from—in solid colors or striped cotton, or strictly pure wool. All go at about half price.

$1.50 Button style Sweaters	69c
$2.50 Sweaters	$1.38
$3.50 Sweaters	$2.19
$7.50 All-wool Sweaters	$4.45
$10 and $12 Sweaters	$6.75

Men's Leather Mittens Sheep-lined **$1.35**

Men's Extra Quality Leather Mittens **85c**

Men's Extra Heavy Wool Mittens, $1 values **68c**

Men's Kersey Winter Caps Leather-lined, $3.50 values **$2.45**

Men's heavy Winter Caps All styles **58c to $1.45**

Boys' Wool Hockey Caps regular $1.75 values **48c**

Boys' Jersey Gloves **95c**

Boys' Winter Caps Also Hats with inside ear laps **9c**

Signal Shirts With 2 detachable collars Plain and Polka Dots **$1.49**

Men's Scotch Caps **$1.18**

Men's Heavy Wool Sox **29c**

Extra heavy Mackinaw Shirts **$3.45**

Boys' fleece-lined Union Suits **88c**

Men's fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers **58c**

Men's extra heavy Cotton Shirts and Drawers **58c**

Men's fleece-lined Union Suits **$1.18**

Boys' heavy lambs-down Union Suit **$1.15**

Chippewa Work Shoes **$2.48**

Mackinaw Shirts Canadian Brand **$4.45**

Men's Corduroy Pants Sizes to 48 **$2.48**

Underwear

Men's and Boys' high grade Union Suits, such as Lewis and Munsing, at extra special savings.

Men's wool mixed Union Suit	$1.98
Munsing wool mixed Union Suit	$2.48
Strictly pure wool Union Suit	$3.85
Men's pure Munsing Union Suit for indoor wear	$3.45
Extra heavy Munsing Union Suit	$5.45

PANTS

Men's Work Pants **$1.35**

Men's heavy wool Kersey Pants **$3.85**

Men's Wool-mixed Dress Pants **$3.19**

Medium weight Serge Pants **$4.19**

Men's Corduroy Pants Big sizes **$2.48**

Boys' long Pants Tunnel loops and cuff bottoms **$2.65**

Hart, Schaffner & Marx Extra quality Pants **$6.35 $8.35 $9.45**

Boys' Knee Pants **79c**

Boys' Wool Knee Pants **$1.69**

Boys' Leather-top RUBBERS **$2.45**

Boys' Water-proof SHOE PACS **$1.38 to $3.45**

Market Week Greatest Offer on Suits

We grouped all of our high-grade Suits, values to $55.00, in three groups, $15.00, $25.00 and $35.00. Without exaggeration these are wonderful values and you cannot afford to pass them up.

GROUP 1 consists of Men's and Young Men's Suits in blue, brown and mixtures. Sizes 31 to 42. Values to $30.00. Market Week only

$15.00

GROUP 3 consists of men's and young men's suits in fine cashmeres and worsteds. Single or double breasted. Values to $46.00.

$25.00

GROUP 2—These Suits comprise the very latest and best suits, Hart, Schaffner & Marx, young men's and conservative styles for men, including stouts, longs and long stouts. Values to $55.00. Market week

$35.00

Boys' Suits

The biggest values you have ever had are these Boys' Suits. We grouped them all in three lots, sizes from 6 to 18, at remarkable low prices.

$4.45, $6.45, $8.95

DON'T FORGET TO ASK FOR THE FORD COUPONS.

Useful Christmas Gifts on Sale

Now is your opportunity to make your Christmas money go the farthest. Buy during Market Week and save.

Children's bath robes, in pink, blue, grey or tan	$1.78
Men's bath robes, good quality and attractive patterns. A very useful gift	$5.45
Extra fine quality nicely tailored bath robes	$7.45
A very nice assortment of men's collar bags	$1.19
Ladies' fancy comfort slippers, in beautiful shades	$1.48
Boys' Cavalier style slippers	$1.38
Men's felt slippers	$1.48
Mens' extra fine quality comfort slippers	$2.48

Overcoat Week at Lieberman Bros.

The finest selection of men's and young men's overcoats, Hart, Schaffner & Marx, Club and other good makes, in beautiful patterns and many nifty as well as conservative styles. All on sale at big savings.

Young men's fine double breasted body tracing overcoats in blue, brown and brown mixed. Values to $40.

$26.45

Young men's sheep lined snappy overcoats

$19.85

Chippewa strictly pure wool overcoats

$23.45

Useful Christmas Gifts on Sale

Buy your Christmas things during Market Week, and make your money go the farthest.

Men's pure silk knitted mufflers, a highly appreciated gift	$4.35
Men's plain and fancy [illegible]ufflers	79c to $2.45
[illegible] silk striped shirts, a gift [illegible]body likes	$4.85

New and up-to-date patterns and a big assortment to chose from at sale prices.

$1.50 Ties	89c	50c Ties	29c
$2.00 Ties	$1.39	$1.00 Ties	63c
$2.50 Ties	$1.65		

Interwoven silk sox in tan, black, blue gray and cordovan on sale.

HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX
STYLISH OVERCOATS
NONE BETTER MADE

$39.45

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Here you will find the best lines of Dress Shirts, Manhatten, Wilson and Emery, at prices that are worth buying

$1.50 Shirts	.98	Manhattan $3.50 Shirts	$2.45
$2.50 Shirts	$1.45	Manhattan $7.00 Shirts	$4.85
$3.50 Shirts	$1.98	Emery $6.00 Shirts	$3.85
$5.00 Shirts	$3.28		

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SNAPS

Genuine MOCHA DRESS GLOVES **$1.95**

One lot of odds and ends DRESS GLOVES **$1.45**

Men's lined DRESS GLOVES **$1.95**

One lot of DRESS GLOVES Sizes to 8½ **$1.19**

BOYS' SHOES **$1.45 to $2.65**

Men's fine DRESS SHOES Leather-lined—Cushion sole **$6.45**

Florsheim black English SHOES **$5.45**

MEN'S FELT SHOES **$1.45 to $3.00**

Men's and Boys' best grade of GERMAN SOX **79c to $1.35**

MEN'S DUCK COATS **$2.45**

BOYS' HIGH-TOP SHOES **$3.45**

Boys' Flannel NIGHT SHIRTS **79c**

LIEBERMAN BROTHERS

Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Society

Birthday Anniversary.

Miss Adlyn LaBree delightfully entertained a number of young ladies at cards at her home Friday evening, the occasion being her seventeenth birthday anniversary. Miss Inga Oftedahl won high score. At midnight a delicious lunch was served. The table was centered with a large birthday cake topped with burning tapers. The guests were Misses Eileen Arnesoń, Mary Vance, Inga Oftedahl, Agnes Oftedahl, Jessie Barnett, Bernadette Gormely, Lulu Cook, Violatte Krohn, Ann Leimers, Myrtle Krohn, Ruby Beanes and Dagny Tharaldson.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to the American Legion Auxiliary, who so kindly remembered me with a beautiful bouquet of carnations for Armistice Day in honor of my husband, who gave his life for his country.—Mrs. Christine Vake and daughter, Clara, Goodridge, Minn.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The next meeting of the Woman's club will be held on Monday afternoon, Nov. 28, at the Commercial club rooms. A Thanksgiving program has been arranged. Mrs. Oscar Mellby will lead the Current Events, and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., will have charge of the lesson, "The Story of the Pilgrims." At this time Mr. McCann will present the silver loving cup to the street which has made the most improvement during the summer months. A ladies' trio, composed of Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Geo. Johnson and Miss Meta Kiland, will conclude the meeting. It is desired that all members who have subscribed for the Federated club paper send their remittance to Mrs. E. C. Richards at the earliest possible moment.

Birthday Frolic.

Eleven boys and girls were guests of Richard Mabey at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mabey, on Friday evening, when he entertained at a party on the occasion of his 12th birthday anniversary. Various games and contests furnished merriment. Those present were Gladys Christianson, Faith and Lucy Warner, Elaine Evenson, Madge LaBree, James Warner, Billy Froehlich, Gordon Storholm, Donald Snyder, Ned Beiderman and Rueben Johnson.

Surprise Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kielty was the scene of a surprise party Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Paula Gray on the occasion of her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing cards. The high score was awarded to Mrs. H. L. Schuster, while Mrs. John Rolland carried away the consolation prize. Mrs. Gray was presented with a handsome gift as a token of friendship.

Rice-Himley.

On Tuesday, Nov. 22, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, occurred the marriage of Olaf Rice and Miss Ida Himley, both of Plummer. Rev. T. E. Sweger was the officiating clergyman. The witnesses were Miss Gudrun Rice and Ralph Rice, also of Plummer. After a brief honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Rice will be at home at Plummer.

Teachers Entertain.

The members of the board of education and their wives and Supt. and Mrs. I. T. Simley were guests of the Northrop faculty at a 6:30 o'clock dinner Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eyde. Favors and decorations were in keeping with the Thanksgiving season. The dinner hour was followed by cards.

Entertains.

John Brumund was host Friday evening when he entertained a number of friends at a theatre and dinner party. Places were arranged for ten. The guests included Misses Lois Wold, Aldora Berg, Ella Gran, and Derby Anderson, Rolf Rasmuson, Chas. Van, Mrs. Mae Rowan, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lonson.

Baker-Lindgren.

Arthur W. Baker of Strandquist and Miss Selma V. Lindgren of Karlstad were married on Wednesday, Nov. 23, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, with Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Gust Hallborg. Mr. and Mrs. Baker will make their home on a farm near Strandquist.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, Nov. 28. The affair will be in the nature of a Thanksgiving party. All members are urged to be present as plans for Christmas will be discussed at this time.

Six O'clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mellby were hosts at a six o'clock dinner on Sunday evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Caughlin of Federal Dam. Covers were laid for eight.

Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Carlson informally entertained a few friends Sunday evening at their home. The hours were spent in a social manner. During the evening a delightful lunch was served. Covers were laid for ten.

Thanksgiving Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Streeter will entertain at a two o'clock dinner at their home today. Places will be arranged for eight guests.

Cafeteria Supper.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will hold their Christmas sale and cafeteria supper at the church on Friday, Dec. 9. Open both afternoon and evening.

Undertaking Parlor Remodeled.

The Hicks undertaking parlors have been undergoing a remodeling and now present a greatly improved appearance. The room has been repainted and refurnished, a new late model automobile hearse has been purchased and a number of other modern conveniences installed. An automobile pall-bearers car has also been purchased, but this has not arrived yet, although it is expected most any day. This will give the establishment one of the finest equipments of its kind in the county.

A Timely Sale.

As will be seen by the announcement of Olaf Neset in another part of The Times today, an opportunity is presented for the saving of money on the purchase of jewelry, watches, glassware and diamonds. Mr. Neset has made heavy reductions in all lines carried by him and it will be to the advantage of anyone wishing goods of this kind to make their purchases now. It is a particularly good opportunity to secure the appropriate things for Christmas gifts.

Has Responsible Position.

Miss Anna Brokke, formerly of the local posoffice force, who left about a year ago to make her home at Little Rock, Ark., must be making good in her new position. According to word received by relatives in this city she has been appointed private secretary to the postmaster in the southern city.

Cost of Raising Potatoes Is Placed at $53 Per Acre

(Grand Forks Herald)

Farmers interested in potato growing have made interesting estimates of the cost of raising potatoes per acre and per bushel. Their standings are substancially that under the average conditions of yield, the costs of labor and material prevalent in this locality, the cost of raising an acre of potatoes is about $53.00, and with the average yield of 130 bushels per acre, about 41 cents per bushel. As in all such cases the cost per bushel depends very largely on the yield per acre. Weather conditions influence yields, but aside from weather conditions the chief factor in the production is labor. Upon the amount of labor intelligently expended upon an acre of ground depends very largely the yield from that acre. One hundred and thirty bushels per acre may be considered a fair yield under ordinary conditions of weather and cultivation. It is very far from being the maximum possible yield under farming conditions. The small plot intensively cultivated may yield 500, 600 or more bushels per acre. These figures have often been exceeded. Yields of 200 bushels per acre on large areas are not at all uncommon. The cost per acre is increased slightly by additional labor, but there are certain costs which are stable. The seed cost, which is one of the most important items, is exactly the same whether the future treatment be good, bad, or indifferent. Planting cost is identical, and the cost of spraying is the same whether the crop be good or poor. The additional labor which may be expected to yield additional results consists in better plowing and more frequent and more thorough cultivation. These things add somewhat to the cost per acre, but this slight additional cost per acre can be made to increase the yield very materially, if the labor is well expended, and it is upon this theory that the most successful potato growers proceed. No labor is considered too much which will yield more than it cost in additional bushels of potatoes, and while this theory works out in a larger way perhaps in the potato industry than in most others, it applies in principle to the growth of every crop raised. More labor and better crops increase cost per acre and decrease cost per bushel.

HUB
RECREATION PARLOR
RECREATION HALL
A Strictly Up-to-Date Establishment in Compliance With City Ordinances.
YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED
WILLIAM SHEEDY
Proprietor

THIEF RIVER CLINIC
DR. O. F. MELLBY
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
DR. H. W. FROEHLICH
Surgery and Obstetrics
DR. L. F. FISHER
Internal Medicine and X-Ray
OFFICE
CITIZENS BANK BLDG.

EYES
Dr. Elizabeth A. Roton will visit Thief River Falls December 5. Office at Brumund Hotel. Eyes carefully examined and glasses fitted.
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Help Wanted
Young men and young women with a knowledge of bookkeeping, banking, business methods, shorthand and typewriting are wanted. Wages are high and the chances for promotion are excellent. Write the Union Commercial College, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for their free catalog and find out how little it costs to prepare.

New here—old in Dixie
Land of the long leaf pine gives the world a famous vapor rub for all cold troubles.
The famous healing odors of the long-leaf pine are to be had, even if you can't go South. For people subject to colds, a North Carolina druggist some years ago worked out a vaporizing salve, containing the very essence of pine sap, together with other healing penetrating vapors. This wonderful preparation, Vicks VapoRub, has been the standby for years in Southern homes. Year by year and State by State its reputation has grown until today Vicks is the favorite treatment throughout the country for all cold troubles, croup, catarrh, neuralgic pains, skin hurts and itching skin troubles. Druggists are stocked now. Get a good supply at once.
Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

TAKE THE TIME ON MARKET DAY to come in and see us about that order for
LUMBER
or other building material you have been thinking of placing. We shall be glad to give you the benefit of our experience in these matters and you will be surprised at the extremely low price at which these goods are now quoted.
A quarter of a century right in this neighborhood has taught us what the public demands and we make our purchases accordingly.
Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

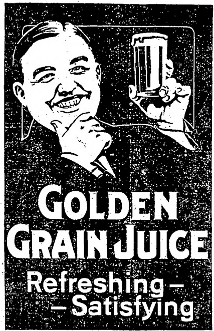

Thoroughly Fermented—the Real Lagered Brew
Order of the Local Distributor
Thief River Grocery Co.

THE TIMES
carries
More Advertising
than any other paper in this section
Why?
For the simple reason that is has
More Readers
Than any other paper
The medium of proven worth to advertisers because it is a favorite with the readers
The biggest and best two-dollar paper in the state

Let's Go!
To Thief River Falls during Market Week
Nov. 28 to Dec. 3
Bargains in every department of every establishment in town
Don't Miss This Opportunity
Optimism + Confidence + Work = Prosperity

Bredeson & Co.

When in Town Market Week See

Bredeson & Co.

For Bargains!

The Brumund Hotel

H. W. DeParcq, Prop.

EUROPEAN
CAFE IN CONNECTION
SERVICE AND SATISFACTION

E .M. STANTON, Prop.

Thief River Falls Cafe

PHONE 232

A Good Place to Eat

After theatre and dance lunches a specialty.
Good cooking is our motto.
Open day and night.

COUPONS FOR THE FORD WITH EVERY DOLLAR'S PURCHASE.

Market Week

Six Big Days
--- *at* ---
Mogensen's

$20,000 worth of high grade Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Shoes being unloaded at tremendous reductions. EXTRA SPECIAL REDUCTIONS FOR MARKET WEEK.

Overcoats
"Kuppenheimer" and "Patrick" $60 Overcoats for
$44.50
All $50 Overcoats Market Week
$33 50
All Other Overcoats Equally reduced.

Grey and Tan Jersey **Gloves** per pair
10c

Suits
"Kuppenheimer" $60 Men's Suits For Market Week
$44.50
All $35 and $40 Suits
$27.50

Entire stock on sale Market Week. Readour ad in the regular edition of The Times.

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5 Coupons on the Ford Touring Car go Free With Every Pair.

Market Day Specials!

Brown Brogue Calf Skin Shoes Low Heel

Your Choice of any **SHOE** listed in this ad. —for— **$5.00**

Brown Kid Oxfords Military Heel

BROWN CALF SKIN SHOES MILITARY HEEL

BLACK CALF-SKIN OXFORDS FLAT HEELS

BROWN CALF SKIN SKATING SHOES

BLACK KID SHOES—LOW HEEL

BROWN SIDE LEATHER HEAVY SHOES—LOW HEEL

BLACK KID SHOES CUBAN and MILITARY HEEL

Ladies' Low Overshoes $1.45

Loken Brothers Shoe Dept.

HIBBING, MINN. THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN. CHISHOLM, MINN.

"Style and Quality Considered We Sell For Less"

The Surface of Every Plush Coat In Our Store Guaranteed For Two Seasons

The Sapero Co. INC.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN & CHILDREN

Our New Policy Ten Per Cent Off For Cash Anything in the Store Other Than Specials Bring Your Cash Here

Albrecht Furs — Printzess Suits and Coats — Gossard Corsets

Thief River Falls, Minnesota

You Always Find the Biggest Bargains Here!

WE intend to make this MARKET WEEK the big event of the season. Come every day. You'll find many bargains not advertised awaiting you.

EXTRA SPECIAL	EXTRA SPECIAL	EXTRA SPECIAL
Flannel Middies Regular $6.95 values. For Market Week Only **$3.95** Sizes to 44 "Jack Tar and Bonnie Brig."	**Pure Silk Hose** Everwear Brand Black and Brown Market Week Only Pair **85c** Limit only 2 pair to a customer.	**A Coat Bargain** that should bring you for miles. Coats of Velour, Bolivia, with fur collars; also long plush coats. Values to $39.50. All new Fall styles. **$19.75**

Our $2.00 Rack Consisting of 50 Dresses

Dresses of Gingham that would make neat house dresses. These were carried over from summer and are worth up to $10.00. Included in this lot are dresses for girls from 6 to 16 years also. Come—be prepared for a surprise. While they last only

$2.00

We can't promise that they will last the entire week so first come first served.

Many Bargains Not Advertised Will Be Found Every Day During Market Week.

Market Week Specials

Get Your Tickets Here to Win the Ford.

Flour, 98 lb. sack	$3.80
Domino pure cane Syrup, none better, per gal.	68c
Domino pure cane Syrup, none better, ½ gal.	38c
XXXX Coffee, the old stand-by, none better, 6 pkgs.	$1.00
Peaberry Coffee, fancy, reg. 35c, none better 5 lbs. for	$1.38
Peaberry Coffee, reg. 30c, none better, 4 lbs. for	98c
Canned Corn, none better, reg. 15c, 6 cans for	72c
Canned Peas, none better, reg. 15c, 6 cans for	72c
Canned Tomatoes, none better, reg. 25c, 5 cans for	$1.00
Corn Puffs, none better, reg. 15c, 4 pkgs. for	25c

Meat Specials

Bacon, fat per lb.	15c
Bacon, lean per lb.	27c
Picnic Hams per lb.	14c
Skinned Hams per lb.	27c
Salt Pickled Pork per lb.	14c
Veal Stew per lb.	8c
Lamb Stew per lb.	9c
Beef Stew per lb.	9c
Beef Roasts per lb.	12c
Beef Steaks, all kinds per lb.	15c
Home-made Bologna per lb.	15c
Home-made Liver Sausage, per lb.	14c

Special Prices Paid For Butter and Eggs This Week

SEE US BEFORE SELLING

Free Delivery Service Phone 15

With Every Dollar Purchase You Receive One Coupon on the Ford

Simonson's Meat & Grocery

BARGAINS
FOR
Bargain Week
Shoppers

Our Entire Stock is to be MARKED DOWN For This Event

Come in and be convinced that we are the

Bargain Givers For The Week

Chas. Lieberman

OUTFITTER FOR MEN AND BOYS FROM HEAD TO FOOT.

SPECIAL
For Market Week

25% Discount on

ROUND OAK
Base Burners and Heaters

Don't let this opportunity slip by you. Everything in

Hardware
Tinware
Enamel and
Aluminum

Come in and get acquainted.

Christenson & Voelz Hardware Co.

(Successors to Bottem Hardware Co.)

BUY IT NOW

and take advantage of

Market Week Coupons

Come in and look over our Holiday Line. Everyone is planning to revive the Christmas Spirit.

We have on display a carefully selected line of the

Best Values

in

Holiday Goods

Make your selections before our stock is broken.

Lambert's Drug Store

Market Week Specials

Below are a few of our bargains for this week. Many more to be found here. Be sure to come in.

15% Discount on all Ladies' SHOES, PUMPS, and OXFORDS

Men's 4-buckle all-rubber Overshoes $2.45

Ladies' Spats in all colors $1.69

14 in. U. S. 1st. quality Leather-top Rubbers $3.75

One lot Men's and Women's Felt Slippers all sizes 75c

Work Shoes in all sizes $2.65

Genuine Leather Boston Bags
The Bag of a thousand uses, black or brown, all sizes.
SPECIAL $2.85

A Coupon for the Ford with each purchase of $1.00

FROSETH SHOE STORE

EAT
Jung's Victory Bread

SOLD BY ALL GROCERS

Specials For Bargain Week

Monday, Nov. 28—Ladies' plain tailored Suits, dry cleaned and pressed	$1.25
Tuesday, Nov. 29—Men's Suits dry-cleaned and pressed	$1.00
Wednesday, Nov. 30—Ladies' plain Serge Dresses (colors) dry-cleaned and pressed	$1.00
Thursday, Dec. 1—Men's Felt Hats cleaned and blocked	.75
Friday, Dec. 2—Ladies' plain cloth Coats dry-cleaned and pressed	$1.25
Saturday, Dec. 3—Men's Cloth Overcoats dry-cleaned and pressed	$1.25

In addition to these daily specials we will also, during the entire week, give a discount of 20% on any other articles you may have dry cleaned, pressed or repaired.

Thief River Dress Club

"Cleaners That Clean"

102 Main Ave. So. Phone 42

Christmas Boxes

of

La Lunda Cigars

Packed 10, 25 or 50 to the box.

A gift always appreciated by the man who smokes.

Market Week Specials!

Four pounds 35c Coffee

$1.00

Ten pound pail Syrup

48c

One pound bulk Cocoa

25c

Seven bars Tar Soap

25c

Carl Christofferson & Company

The Santa Claus Basement

THESE Specials are actual savings for the early shopper, and it is so much easier to select now. Early purchasers get the best of everything.

A Xmas Sale of Dinnerware Sets

Here are six sets to choose from:

Free Coupons—One on Every Dollar Sale—Win an Automobile.

Coin Gold	Gold Stripe	Breakfast Blue
(Set 42 Pieces) 6 Teas (12 pieces) 6 Pie Plates, 5 in. 6 Dinner Plates, 7 in. 1 Baker 6 Ind. Butter 1 Dish or Platter, 8 in. 6 Fruits 1 Sugar (2 pieces) 1 Creamer 1 Nappie **$17.95**	(Set 42 Pieces) 6 Teas (12 pieces) 6 Pie Plates, 5 in. 6 Dinner Plates, 7 in. 1 Baker 6 Ind. Butter 1 Dish or Platter, 8 in. 6 Fruits 1 Sugar (2 pieces) 1 Creamer 1 Nappie **$12.95**	(Set 42 Pieces) 6 Teas (12 pieces) 6 Pie Plates, 5 in. 6 Dinner Plates, 7 in. 1 Baker 6 Ind. Butter 1 Dish or Platter, 8 in. 6 Fruits 1 Sugar (2 pieces) 1 Creamer 1 Nappie **$12.50**
Gold Etching Band	**Green Gold Band**	**Pink Flowered**
(Set 42 Pieces) 6 Teas (12 pieces) 6 Pie Plates, 5 in. 6 Dinner Plates, 7 in. 1 Baker 6 Ind. Butter 1 Dish or Platter, 8 in. 6 Fruits 1 Sugar (2 pieces) 1 Creamer 1 Nappie **$8.50**	(Set 42 Pieces) 6 Teas (12 pieces) 6 Pie Plates, 5 in. 6 Dinner Plates, 7 in. 1 Baker 6 Ind. Butter 1 Dish or Platter, 8 in. 6 Fruits 1 Creamer 1 Sugar (2 pieces) 1 Nappie **$8.95**	(Set 42 Pieces) 6 Teas (12 pieces) 6 Pie Plates, 5 in. 6 Dinner Plates, 7 in. 1 Baker 6 Ind. Butter 1 Dish or Platter, 8 in. 6 Fruits 1 Sugar (2 pieces) 1 Creamer 1 Nappie **$7.50**

$1 Aluminum Sale $1

Any Item Listed For $1

5 qt. Seamless Tea Kettles
6-cup Coffee Percolators
5 qt. 18 ga. Viko Preserve Kettles
1½ qt. Double Boilers
Good size round Roasters
3-pc. Sauce Pan sets, 1, 1½, 2 qts.
3-pc. Pudding Pan sts, 1, 1½, 2 pt.
5 qt. Handled Sauce Pans
3 qt. Covered Sauce Pans
6 in. Dripless Syrup Pitchers
9¼ in. Sun-ray finished Colanders

Nashua Woolnap Blankets

Size 70x80. A long, fleecy nap, soft, warm and comfortable blanket, in many patterns, plaids and checks. Special sale price per pair

$3.69

Jumbo Blankets

Size 72x80. A heavy, large fleeced blanket for these cold, snappy winter nights, at a bargain price. Per pair

$3.79

Men's Army Wool Gloves, with wristlets. A regular $1 seller. The biggest bargain in the basement **25c**

Extra Special! Pauleann Double Mesh real imported hair nets. Each **10c**

Xmas Waists

In Silk, George, Crepe de Chine. A pleasing gift for any woman.

$2.95

Shop Early

Bath Robes

For Xmas Gifts. In attractive shades of heavy material.

$3.95

Shop Early

Charmeuse

40 in. A Christmas dress pattern in brown, black & navy. A beautiful dress for a gift at yd.

$1.69

The Basement for Notions That Save You Money

Coats Mercerized Crochet Cotton Ball	10c
Silk Thread, spool	5c
1½ in. B[illegible] yd.	5c
1 Dozen Snaps	5c
2 Dozen Hooks and Eyes	5c
Pins, 2 papers for	5c
Safety Pins, dozen	5c
[illegible] pair	5c
[illegible] Cotton	39c
Coats 150 yd. Sewing Thread, spool	5c
5 yds. [illegible] Tape for	[illegible]
3 yds. Ric Rac for	[illegible]
Combs, good ones, each	[illegible]
Steel Knitting Needles, 4 for	[illegible]
Tooth Brush	[illegible]
Embroidery Military Emblems card of 4 pieces	[illegible]

[illegible] Warner [illegible] Corsets, [illegible] to close out 3c

All Wool Knitting Yarn [illegible] all colors [illegible] only .... 4[illegible]c

[illegible] yds. of Silks, 36 and 50 [illegible] to close out at once, for Market Week, Basement Special at yard 95c

Santa Claus is coming soon to [illegible] Basement. Watch [illegible]

Loken Brothers

Bargain Basement

Thief River Falls - - - Minnesota

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World's Championship Pictures

The world's championship boxing contest between Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier, held in Jersey City on [illegible] will be shown in motion pictures at the

Princess Theatre

Saturday November [illegible]

These [illegible]

MATINEE, 2:30, Admission [illegible]
EVENING, 7:30, Admission [illegible]

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Market Week Specials

[illegible] $31.50

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[illegible] Co.

"THE LATCH STRING"

Purchaser's Certificates will be issued by the following merchants during

MARKET WEEK ONLY

Monday, Nov. 28, 1921 to Saturday, Dec. 3, 1921, Inclusive

6—Gigantic Bargain Days—6

One Certificate With Each One Dollar

Cash Purchase Only

NOTE: Coupons will NOT be given for payments made on account or for purchases of fuel.

Merchants who give coupons, members of their families, or their employes, are not entitled to participate.

FORD TOURING CAR
Presented To One
Market Week Visitor
Why Not You?

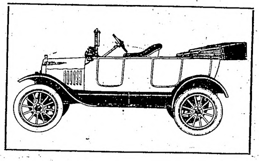

Coupons Given On
CASH PURCHASES
During Entire Six
Days

DEPOSIT COUPONS AT FIRST NATIONAL OR FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK BEFORE 5:00 O'CLOCK P. M., ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1921. CAR WILL BE GIVEN AWAY AT CORNER OF THIRD STREET AND LaBREE AVENUE, THIEF RIVER FALLS, AT 5:30 P. M., DECEMBER 3, 1921.

You Do Not Have To Be Present

ASK THE FOLLOWING MERCHANTS FOR PARTICULARS

HALL BROTHERS
LOKEN BROTHERS
A. S. LIEBERMAN
THE SAPERO COMPANY
E. O. MOGENSEN
CHRISTENSON & VOELZ

CHARLES LIEBERMAN
LAMBERTS' DRUG STORE
LAIRD'S SPECIALTY SHOP
PEOPLES' CO-OP. STORE CO.
PALACE CLOTHING HOUSE
TESSUM SEED, GRAIN & SUPPLY CO.

HERMANSON HARDWARE CO.
LARSON FURNITURE CO.
DeCREMER MEAT MARKET
F. J. STEBBINS
M. G. STAGEBERG
A. M. LANGSETH

ROLLAND'S MEAT & GROCERY
FROSETH'S SHOE STORE
JOHNSON'S MILLINERY
MULRY'S BAZAAR
C. S. SIMONSON
THE PRICHARD CO.

The stores of Thief River Falls are open every Wednesday Evening for the accommodation of out-of-town customers—

Make it a point to do your shopping Wednesday evening if you cannot come in during the day

35

stores await you with the largest and finest lines in the Northwest

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Puritas Ice Cream

The Easy Treat

THE unexpected guest holds no terror for the hostess who realizes the universal appreciation of Our ICE CREAM

A KIEWEL PRODUCT

In Bulk and in Bricks

For Sale by All Dealers

Kiewel Products Co.

Phone 164 Thief River Falls, Minn.

"Our Coal Makes Warm Friends"

When you buy COAL from us you are certain of getting the highest Quality and Service, and the LOWEST Prices.

Minneapolis Bridge Company

Thief River Falls, Minn.
COAL DEPARTMENT
Phone 482

Oen Mercantile Company

Market Week Specials

Bundle 'em up for winter at these special prices. We haven't had much winter yet that's certain; but we all know what to expect when it does come. Now is the time to get all your things; new underwear, perhaps a coat or a suit, some stockings and mitts and so on. Oen's is all ready to serve you best, with just the things you need at the lowest of low prices. Here are some of our bargains.

A Clean-up on
Boy's Suits
Only
$7.50 and $8.50
It would be good boy economy to get him one for every day wear. The patterns are dark; they won't readily show the dirt.

Shoe Bargains
One Special Lot of Ladies' Shoes at per pair.
$1.00

One lot of
Children's Shoes
Sizes 8½ to 2, at a Clean-up Price. Special at
$1.98

Market Week Special
¼ OFF on all MEN'S TROUSERS.

All-wool
Mackinaws
Extra heavy quality. Special
$9.90

Leather-lined Vests
Lined with Chamois, covered with Corduroy, extra large, Bostwick make. Special at
$8.75

One lot of Ladies' high grade DRESS SHOES, Helmering McKenzie make, Louis heel. Special at
$4.98

Do not leave town on Market Day without having visited this big, modern store---

We handle everything in the line of house-furnishing goods and our stock is the most complete to be found in this section.

- Furniture
- Carpets
- Rugs
- Stoves
- Ranges

A cordial invitation is extended to all to visit this store—Market Day or any other day. Careful attention to the needs of the public at all seasons of the year enables us to meet the requirements for anything in our line at any time. Our prices are as low as can be found in any establishment where quality is a factor.

Larson Furniture Company

"Oh Boy!"

One Week of Bargains

Gents' Suits Cleaned and Pressed
$1.00

Ladies' Plain Suits and Dresses
$1.00

SPECIAL DISCOUNTS ON TAILOR MADE SUITS

Bargain Week at

The Kleanall Co.

TAILORS

Thief River Falls - - - - - - Minn.

Nortz Lumber Co.

(Incorporated)

Building Material
Coal - Wood

See us before you build. We can supply your wants no matter how large or small.

H. C. JOHNSON, Manager

123 So. Main Phone 110

For the greatest bargain offerings of the year, see Lieberman Brothers' advertisement in the regular section of The Times today.

Their great going-out-of-business sale is attracting folks from far and near. Are you getting your share of the bargains offered?

Peoples Co-op. Stores

Specials

For Market Week

2 Large cans Baking Powder	39c
2 No. 1 cans Sliced Pineapple	35c
3 Large cans Tomatoes	55c
6 Packages Jelly Powder	50c
10 Bars White Soap	49c
Mixed Candy, per lb.	18c
5 lbs. Nugget Peaberry Coffee	$1.20
5 lbs. select Peaberry Coffee	$1.40
5 lbs. Barrington Hall Steel Cut Coffee	$2.25
Parlor Brooms	50c
Wilson's Lamb Tongue, per jar	55c
Wilson's Corned Beef, med. tins, per can	20c
Wilson's Sausage, large tins, per can	50c

DO these prices appeal to you? If so come in or call us up.

Phone No. 450.

Bring your eggs. We take 'em.

Peoples Co-op. Store

We Give Purchasers' Certificates.

Fresh Candy Just Received

Fresh Salted Peanuts, Special, per lb.	15c
Fresh Roasted Peanuts per lb.	20c
Jelly Beans per lb.	20c
Molasses Kisses per lb.	15c
Peanut Butter Kisses per lb.	20c
Creams, mixed per lb.	30c
Jap Squares per lb.	30c
Chocolate Drops per lb.	30c
Chocolate Covered Peanuts per lb.	30c
Lemon Drops per lb.	30c
Orange Drops per lb.	30c
Peanut Brittle per lb.	30c
After Dinner Mints per lb.	30c
Boston Baked Beans per lb.	30c
Red Rasberries per lb.	30c
Peppermint Pillow per lb.	30c

Mulry's Bazaar

The Johnson Millinery

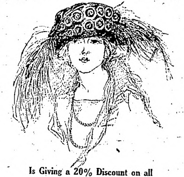

Is Giving a 20% Discount on all TRIMMED HATS

Buy one and get Coupons on the Ford Car to be given away Market Week, Nov. 28 to Dec. 3.

Winter Building

More people each year the country over are favoring the idea of building during the winter months.

Our summers are short enough and with plowing, planting, haying and harvest your time is well taken up. Make your chicken coops warmer. EGGS are worth money in the winter—double wall the barns—sometimes even the home is not entirely finished. All of these repairs can have your attention during the long months ahead. During Market Week we will offer some real bargains and with every dollar's worth purchased for cash, a coupon on the Ford Touring Car to be given away by the merchants of this city, is yours.

The Prichard Co.

Patronize Us Market Week and Get More Than Your Money's Worth

Our Regular Stock
and
Our Christmas Stock
at
10 Per Cent Discount
Plus
Coupons on Ford Car
Is Our
Thanksgiving Offering

LAIRD'S

The Ideal Xmas Gift

Brunswick
PHONOGRAPHS AND RECORDS

Made in Three Models

The home that is without music at Christmas time assuredly misses one of that happy season's most essential things. What could add more to the enjoyment of the holiday?

Make Your Christmas Gift to the Family a Brunswick

When you are buying a phonograph, don't make the mistake made by many of purchasing a machine of unreliable and unproven merit. You pay no more for a phonograph with a name.

$200 in Prizes Given Away

With every dollar purchase made in our store we issue a coupon that entitles the holder to an opportunity to win any one of three prizes:

First—$150 Cabinet Brunswick
Second—High-grade Violin
Third—Choice of Ten Columbia Records.

This contest is now on and you should not fail to ask for coupons when making purchases.

Thief River Music Company

"The One-Price House."

BARGAINS

Cut Glass Sugar and Creamer
$1.00

Woodbury Facial Soap
20c

Tanlac 90c

Cocoa Toilet Soap 8c

Merco Shaving Cream 20c

F. J. Stebbins

Small Payment Down

$1 a Day Buys a Ford

A Good Time on Time

McFARLAND AUTO COMPANY
Thief River Falls.

Market Week

Nov. 28 to Dec. 3

It will be worth your while to look over our offerings during Market Week.

At this time we are quoting no prices, but our show windows and store during the week will prove that we make it worth your while to trade here.

All goods on which reductions are quoted, strictly cash

A. M. LANGSETH

The Place to Buy Your Shoes

FREE!

DURING MARKET WEEK

One Ten-Pound Sack of Whole Wheat Flour Free With Each 98-Pound Sack of Vivo

We Manufacture and Guarantee

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING CO.

Some Real Specials For Market Day

We have a "hunch" the lucky coupon will be given out here.

Canvas Mitts 7c

Heavy Woolen Sox
Cashmere
23c

All-Wool Sweaters
Latest styles
$4.95

Boys' Leather Mits
43c

HEAVY FLEECE LINED
Union Suits
$1.29

MEN'S ALL WOOL
Cashmere Hose
All colors
43c

Men's heavy all wool pants, "Canadian" brand. The best on the market.
$5.95

You can always do better at the

Palace Clothing House
L. L. COHN, Prop.

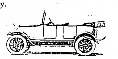

City Meat and Grocery

E. L. ROLLAND, Prop.
"Choice Meats and Fancy Groceries"
Phone 10

With every $1.00 cash purchase at our store during Market Week we will give one Ford car coupon, the car to be given away free on the last Market Day.

SPECIAL REDUCED PRICES FOR MARKET WEEK

Sugar, 15 lbs. (For 1 hour each day, 1 to 2 p. m.)	$1.00
Parlor Brooms, each	55c
Nu-Jell, 4 pkgs	28c
Kismet Syrup, 5 lb. pails	28c
Fancy Santos Coffee, 5 lbs.	$1.15
Fancy Peaberry Coffee, reg. 30c, 5 lb	1.25
Fancy Bacon, by the strip, per lb.	23c
Fancy Skinned Hams whole or half, lb.	23c
Gian Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs.	25c
Beef Stew, per lb.	6c
Veal Stew, per lb.	6c
Lamb Stew, per lb.	6c
Pork Sausage, per lb.	12½c
Hamburger, per lb.	12½c
Lutefisk, per lb.	8c

SPECIAL MIXED COOKIES

We will have unpacked a fresh supply of N. B. C. Cookies in one and two-pound packages.
1 lb. pkg. 30c 2 lb. pkg. 35c
These consist of our best sellers; the price is right.

Leave your orders with us for baby beef by quarters, and young hogs, whole or half.

Other reduced prices in our line for Market Week

Just received a large assortment of Christmas Candies, Nuts, Candles, Candle Holders, and other Christmas Goods.

Free Delivery to All Parts of the City

Stop!

We give satisfaction with each transaction.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY
HARDWARE

Prices Cut on Our Entire Stock for Market Week. Nothing Reserved. Every Article Tagged and Marked With Plain Figures.

We're Noted at All Times For Our Fair Prices. During This Sale—This Big Sale—Our Prices Will Be the Lowest That You'll See For Many a Long Day.

THAT'S A FACT—AND HERE'S THE EVIDENCE:

Clothes Lines, 50 ft. Sisal rope. Each	10c
$6.85 Tool Grinders, for home or shop use, equipped with 6 inch wheel. Each	$4.95
25c Paring Knives, best quality, assorted shapes and sizes	10c
Val-par Floor Varnish, a regular $7.50 quality. Per gallon	$4.90
40c Dry cells for door bells, buzzers, lanterns, etc., good strong test	29c
60c Bottle O'Cedar Polish	37c
30c size	19c
$1.50 Enameled Acid Proof Dish Pan	95c

When You Go Fishing For Bargains, Visit Hall Bros. Hardware Store.

Begin by looking at what we have to offer you. Compare the quality and prices of our goods with what you find elsewhere. Others have profited by doing so.

We Give Coupons For the Ford Touring Car to Be Given Away Free.

THE PROFIT SHARING STORE
Hall Brothers Co.
"A Good Place to Trade"
HARDWARE—WOOD
315 Horace Ave. North.

Market Week Specials

Pure Lard
12c

Beef boiling
9c

Beef pot roast
14c

Veal shoulder roast
40c

DeCremer's
Sanitary Meat Market

Hotel Evelyn
European

Julien Provencher, Prop.

First Class in Every Every Respect

Thief River Falls, Minn.

K. A. SUNDAHL S. K. SUNDAHL

Northwestern Automobile Company

Thief River Falls, Minn.

DISTRIBUTORS

Overland
Willys-Knight
Republic Trucks

We Are Growing

The policy of this bank is always toward the finding of new and better methods for serving this community.

In saying that we are growing—we are only expressing the fact that our patrons are showing an increased confidence in this Bank and its officers and directors. Our growth is dependent on yours—and we are here to help you grow.

The First National Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Deposit Purchasers' Coupons at This Bank

It's Up to YOU

An influential friend may get you a good job but it's up to you to hold it down.

You may receive a good income but it's up to you to salt it down.

And when you salt it down here, we consider it's up to us to give you the best information obtained on any financial subject you may bring us.

First & Peoples State Bank

The Older We Grow
The Better Our Service

THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

Deposit Purchasers Drawing Coupons Here

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FINISH PAVING, WINNING RACE AGAINST SNOW

Shoveled Way Through Last Half Block But Completed Job Tuesday Evening.

Amount Paid Out in Wages Totals $85,000—Everything Possible Bought Here.

Exceptional Record Was Made Throughout Entire Job Considering Season.

The paving work for the present season in Thief River Falls was completed on Tuesday evening, the Bitulithic and Contracting, Limited, of Winnipeg, having put the finishing touches on the last yard of the 23½ blocks included in the contract. They were just one jump ahead of the weather man as the first snow of the season to amount to anything had fallen on Monday night. Only a half block remained to be completed, however, and scrapers and shovels soon cleared the way for the surfacers.

The first shovelful was excavated under the contract on Sept. 12, but weather conditions were such that the work was not properly gotten under way until the 21st. From that time on rapid progress was made, 42,500 yards of overburden being excavated and the concrete base laid in 23 days. As soon as the cement on the first block poured had sufficiently dried, the surfacing crew followed, the first completed block being opened to the public on Oct. 17. The contractors have been fortunate throughout, the weather being ideal during the greater part of the time while there have been but few lay-ups from other causes. Snow has bothered but little and cold weather delayed the work hardly at all. There are those who fear that putting on bitulithic surface with the thermometer below zero may not give the best results, but the contractors maintain that the same pavement has been put down in the city of Winnipeg when it was 20 below, and has turned out entirely satisfactory.

Large Sum Spent Here.

Roughly speaking, the contractors have distributed $160,000 locally in a little over two months. Eighty-five thousand dollars of this sum has been paid for labor alone, by far the larger part going to citizens of Thief River Falls and vicinity. Besides this there were 500 carloads of gravel and sand used at a cost of $14,500. One local concern furnished the cement, which cost $27,000, and another provided the coal used at the heating plant and for steam rollers, totaling 300 tons and costing $3,300. Three thousand dollars were spent locally for repair work, while the purchases of lumber, hardware and other miscellaneous items footed up $4,000 more. The Soo railway was paid $21,000 for freight handled and the Great Northern $2,000. The quantity of asphalt used for surfacing totaled 450 tons.

Upset All Predictions.

It is doubtful if a better paving record has ever been made in this state for this time of year. It was freely predicted that it would be impossible to complete the job before winter stopped operations, but it has been done and citizens as well as contractors are highly pleased.

Mr. Collard and Mr. Boyle will leave about the end of the week for Winnipeg, while Linn Nesmith, surface foreman, will leave today for his home in the state of Oregon.

NO CHANGE MADE IN ASSESSMENTS FOR PAVING COST

Very Little Objection Develops at Hearing of Taxpayers on Tuesday Evening.

A public hearing on the final estimate of the paving contractors will be held at the council rooms on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The bill for the balance due submitted last Tuesday evening was held up in order that any objectors or persons with claims against the contractors might have a chance to be heard.

Last Friday was the time set for hearing objections to the assessments levied against property affected in the paving district. R. A. Dorrowman of the engineering firm in charge of the work, was present and explained matters to the rather small crowd of interested citizens present. He said that no other plan of assessment was possible under the city's present charter, although other cities, operating under home rule charters, might employ a different system of providing for the payment of the improvement.

City Attorney H. O. Chommie said that the only way in which any different system could be employed would be by the assessment of benefits. This would require that the entire plan under which the work has been carried out be altered and would involve endless controversy as it would be impossible for any two men to agree as to just how much the assessment in a number of given cases should be.

Some objections being raised by owners of corner property for being compelled to pay the entire cost of paving along the long side of their lots, it was again pointed out that no other plan of distribution was permissible under the law.

Residents of South LaBree avenue and North Main avenue between Fifth and Sixth objected to being assessed for storm sewer benefits when the additional drainage did not in the least help their property. After considerable discussion and careful inquiry as to what could legally be done in the matter, the assessment in the regions referred to was reduced one-third.

Mayor Bratrud objected to the city being assessed for storm sewers at the intersections but as it had previously been decided that the cost of paving at these points should be charged against the municipality as a whole it was decided to let the matter drop.

The session produced no fireworks of any kind, those present being on hand more for the purpose of gaining information than anything else.

SENSATIONAL CLOSE IS PREDICTED FOR MARKET CAMPAIGN

Ford Automobile to Be Given Away as Windup of Great Merchandising Week.

The greatest Market Week in the history of this section will close at 6:30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon with the giving away of a Ford car. This automobile will become the property of some person who has purchased a dollar's worth of merchandise at a Thief River Falls store during the week.

While the weather had a tendency to slow down business during the first two days, a steady increase has been noted and it is expected that by the end of the week all trading records will be broken. Every store reports an unusual volume of business for this time of year, showing that the public is taking advantage of the price reductions offered and at the same time standing a chance of becoming the owner of a Ford car without its costing them a cent.

The present series of Market Days will end with the presentation of this car on Saturday afternoon, but nearly all merchants have arranged to carry the bargain-giving period over the holidays. If low prices can bring it about, it is the intention of practically everyone to clean up on all reasonable goods as there is always a considerable loss connected with carrying these wares over to another season.

What the merchants at this time wish to impress upon their customers is the fact that it is a mistake to hold off on holiday buying until the last minute. Stocks at this time are complete while later on the assortment will be more or less picked over. Prices cannot be made lower than those quoted for Market Week and many of the inducements now held out to the buyer will be withdrawn after Saturday night. While it is not likely that any increase in prices will be made after that time there will be no opportunities to secure an automobile free with a dollar purchase.

The merchants wish to express their appreciation for the excellent patronage they have received during the time these Market Days have been held. They hope it has been demonstrated that they are at all times willing to do their part in keeping things going and standing their share of the losses incident to changing conditions. The public has been the beneficiary in this campaign of price-cutting and will benefit still more if advantage is taken of the great final slash made during the remainder of the week.

From now until Saturday night all roads leading to Thief River Falls should be crowded. The city will be the bargain center of the north part of the state.

Arm Broken in Fall.

Mrs. E. O. Erickson, wife of the chief of police, met with a painful accident on Saturday evening while at the Soo depot. She was walking across the floor in the general waiting room when she slipped and fell in some manner, breaking her right arm above the wrist.

Basket Ball Aspirants in First Tryout For Season

The basket ball team had its first try-out of the season on Tuesday evening at the auditorium. All the old-timers were on the job when Coach G. W. Connell began tossing the pill around, and every last one gave promise of whipping back into shape in short order. A number of requests for games have already been received but it is not likely that any outside team will be taken on before the middle of next month.

Myrum Plummer, the new member of the outfit, who last year starred for Bemidji, appeared in a Thief River uniform for the first time. He has secured a position as salesman for L. L. Cohn of the Palace Clothing house and as he has had considerable experience in this class of work he will be right at home.

There will be a hard practice grind before much actual playing is staged, but when the boys once do get started it is expected that they will improve on last year's exceptional record.

GUNS IN CHURCH NOT PERMITTED; PASTOR UPHELD

This is Reply of Gen. Rhinow to Question Submiteed By Thief River Minister.

Rev. Carlstedt of Strandquist Right in Position Taken at Funeral of Soldier.

No Disrespect to Legion Members or Gold Star Mothers Offered, Says General.

A rather heated controversy has arisen in a number of towns to the north of Thief River Falls over the refusal of Rev. P. G. Carlstedt of the Swedish church at Strandquist to permit members of the American *Legion to carry arms into a church* at Salem during a military funeral. Rev. Carlstedt has been attacked, not only by Legion members but also by a number of newspapers in the district, the claim being made that his attitude is "un-American," and particularly offers an insult to Gold Star mothers.

Other clergymen, regardless of denomination, have very generally supported the stand taken by the Strandquist pastor and a rather deplorable controversy has arisen. This has been made more acute by the thoughtless stand of newspaper editors who ewre not very sure of their position but took it for granted from reports at hand that Rev. Carlstedt had issued an arbitrary ruling and that it was his intention in some manner to reflect upon the rights of the American Legion.

Appeals to Adjutant General.

In order that clergymen might be set right on the subject and know what position to take when asked to conduct funeral services for former soldiers, Rev. Albin A. Larson of the Swedish Evangelical church of Thief River Falls, applied to Adjt. Gen. W. F. Rhinow of St. Paul for information, quoting the Strandquist incident, which was substantially as follows:

Rev. Carlstedt was asked to conduct services over the remains of a former soldier named Quarnstrom, who lost his life while serving with the army in France and whose body had been sent home for reburial in the cemetery of the Salem church in Marshall county. Members of the Stephen Gust post of Strathcona autoed to Salem for the funeral to pay their respects to their comrade. They arrived in uniform but had no other regular equipment, being armed with shot guns in lieu of rifles. Rev. Carlstedt did not object to the presence of the boys in uniform and simply requested that the firearms be stacked outside the church. The Legion boys maintained that a soldier's gun was a part of him when on duty and, refusing to enter the church unless permitted to do so under arms, elected to remain outside. Rev. Carlstedt was severely censored for his stand by Legionaires and newspapers.

Rhinow Upholds Pastor.

Gen. Rhinow's reply to the question of Rev. Larson upholds the stand taken by Rev. Carlstedt in every particular and will prove of value in preventing similar misunderstandings in the future. The general says:

"I have for acknowledgement your communication of the 21st, relative to a difficutly which has arisen between members of the Stephen Gust post of the American Legion and Rev. P. G. Carlstedt of Strandquist, Minn.

"In the particular case which you mention Rev. Carlstedt was certainly in the right when he forbade the carrying of guns into the church. A church is a sacred edifice and one place into which arms or men under arms should not enter. The authority for this statement is the Customs of the Service of the United States Army.

"In the event that there is an armed escort at the funeral, they remain outside during the services or stack their arms and enter unarmed, and should it so happen that a guard of honor is detailed where a body lies in state within a church, the guard of honor is unarmed.

"There has been no insult to the Gold Star Mothers or to the American Legion by Rev. Carlstedt.

"Trusting that this communication will serve to clear up the unpleasant feeling which you state has prevailed, I am very truly yours, W. F. Rhinow, The Adjutant General."

VALLEY DAIRYMEN MEET AT DETROIT

Eighteenth Annual Convention to Be Held Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 7-8.

The eighteenth annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association will be held at Detroit on Dec. 7 and 8.

There has at no time been a greater interest in dairying in this section of the state than at present, which no doubt will bring the largest attendance ever to the Detroit convention.

A splendid program has been prepared. Many of the best authorities on dairying will address the convention.

Detroit farmers have just opened a new modern creamery which in itself is worth the trip to see. This new and progressive creamery association offers a $25.00 silver trophy to the creamery having the largest number of its patrons in attendance at this convention. Detroit creameries are barred from competition.

Having splendid hotel and railroad facilities makes Detroit an ideal place for this convention.

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the week of Dec. 4 to 10 has been designated by the National Educational association, the American Legion and other organizations co-operating, as American Educational Week;

And Whereas, the city schools of Thief River Falls are preparing to observe the week of Dec. 4 to 10 as such by being at home to all parents, patrons and friends of education;

Now, therefore, I, John Bratrud, mayor of the city of Thief River Falls, do hereby officially proclaim the week of Dec. 4 to 10 as Educational Week for Thief River Falls and do hereby urge upon all our people to visit the city schools as invited by the school authorities.

JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.

DITCH HEARING ON JUDICIAL NO. 1 IS AGAIN POSTPONED

Will Next Come Up at Thief River Falls July 18—Opposition Very Strong.

More than 150 interested farmers were present on Tuesday when the hearing on a petition for the establishment of judicial ditch No. 1 in Pennington and Marshall counties was held at Warren. Nine-tenths of those present are said to have been opposed to the project and these represented about 500 more whose names were on petitions presented to Judge Grindeland, asking that the ditch be not established.

At the close of the hearing the matter was again postponed, the next hearing to be held at Thief River Falls on July 18, the date of final hearing being set for July 25 at Warren.

There is a feeling prevalent that the court would set aside the petition without further delay, as objection against the project has developed to such an extent that its granting would be diametrically opposing the wishes of a large majority of those most interested, but there are certain contingencies that must be taken into consideration. The expense already incurred is so heavy that the total abandonment of the undertaking would fall with great severity on the bondsmen. It would mean the ruination of these parties were they compelled to foot the cost of the preliminary work already accomplished. The probabilities are that by the time the next hearing is held some way will have been found out of this difficulty.

The petitioners presented a modified proposition involving the construction of two ditches, but Attorneys James Manahan and H. O. Berve, for the objectors, argued that the court had no jurisdiction to consider such a modified plan.

Never has a ditch proposal in either Marshall or Pennington counties met with such determined opposition. The farmers against whom the cost will be assessed should the ditch be constructed say that the increased taxation will mean the virtual confiscation of their lands.

Road Work Proving Boon to Neighboring Farmers

State Road Engineer B. F. Umland has just completed graveling the highway between Hazel and St. Hilaire, this being federal aid project No. 83. The stretch is four and seven-tenths miles in length and was completed in less than a month. At one time there were 80 teams employed on this project, which furnished a good deal of work for the farmers of the neighborhood. Exceptional time was made in surfacing this highway and an excellent job has been done.

The surfacing of state road No. 7 running north and south past Goodridge has been begun and will be completed during the winter. This stretch is three miles in length and all local teams will be employed. With the completion of this highway the state road program for the present season will be completed.

As part of next year's undertaking the graveling of Road No. 4 west of St. Hilaire will be taken up, as will similar treatment of No. 5, known as the Angle road, southeast of Thief River Falls.

Executive Board Meets.

Rev. S. W. Swenson and August Lundgren of Warren, and Rev. A. F. Nelson of St. Hilaire, executive committee of the mission board of the Red River Valley conference, Swedish Augustana synod, were in the city yesterday for the purpose of holding a business meeting, this being the most convenient point at which to gather. Routine business took up the greater part of the committee's time and the members returned to their homes last evening.

905 RESIDENCES IN CITY HARBOR 1,002 FAMILIES

Present Population of Thief River Falls About Equally Divided as to Sexes.

Natives Outnumber Those Born in Foreign Countries More Than Five to One.

City Shown to Be Larger Than Two Harbors, Fairmont, St. Peter or Hastings.

There are 905 residences in the city of Thief River Falls housing a total of 1,002 families. This is about the average for cities of this class throughout the state. Bemidji has 1,440 dwellings for 1,515 families, while in Crookston the ratio is 1,351 dwellings to 1,533 families. The percentage of families and residences in the three cities corresponds very closely to the difference in population.

Out of a total population in the city at the time the census was taken of 4,685, 2,377 were males and 2,308 females. Of this number 1,426 were of native parentage, 2,363 of foreign or mixed parentage, and only 895 were foreign born. One lone negro was found and no Chinamen, Japs or Indians.

There were 808 children in the city under seven years of age. The number from seven to 13 years inclusive was 699 and of these 681 attended school. Out of a total of 178 who were 14 and 15 years old, 163 were enrolled in the schools. The city had 454 youths and maidens between 16 and 20 years of age and 193 of these were still pursuing their studies. Of the total foreign-born population 373 were naturalized citizens of the United States.

Persons 10 years old and over in the city when the enumeration was made numbered 3,563 and of these 44 were classed as illiterate. Of the native whites coming under this classification there were 2,073, with but six illiterates, while among the foreign born 38 out of 889 were found to be illiterate. A total of 16 males and 27 females over 21 years of age were illiterate.

In the 4,000 Class.

Ely is the only city in the 4,000 class with a larger population than Thief River Falls, the St. Louis county town having 4,902. Out of this number, however, 1,060 are foreign born. Following is a list of municipalities in this class, together with the population of each:

Thief River Falls	4,685
Fairmont	4,630
Hastings	4,571
Two Harbors	4,546
Montevideo	4,415
St. Peter	4,335
Anoka	4,287
Northfield	4,023

Detroit has a population of 3,426, while that of Alexandria is 3,338.

Norwegians in Lead.

The census report does not give the the place of birth of the foreign born residents of Thief River Falls, but the table for the county shows that almost every civilized nation is represented. The only omissions seem to be Italy and Jugo-Slavia. The total number of foreign born in the county is 2,544, the place of nativity and number in each case being as follows:

Austria, 19; Canada, French, 25; Canada, other, 89; Czecko-Slovakia, 67; Denmark, 73; England, 21; Finland, 14; Germany, 122; Greece, 3; Hungary, 9; Ireland, 6; Netherlands, 1; Norway, 1,511; Poland, 29; Rumania, 4; Russia, 10; Scotland, 10; Sweden, 509; Switzerland, 1; all others, 21.

RED LAKE PROJECT HAS APPROVAL OF DEPARTMENT HEAD

Further Details of Plan to Be Placed Before Officials at Later Date.

The delegation of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission which has been in Washington during the past week to lay details of the flood control and conservation project before government officials are expected to return this evening. The mission has been most successful, according to all reports. Harry C. Stevens, representing the Minneapolis Journal at the capital, states that a full understanding has been reached between officials of the Red Lake drainage and conservancy district and of the Indian bureau relative to the proposed project for drainage and flood control in that district.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs Charles H. Burke has not given final approval to the plan of the district officials and he will withhold action until more complete data has been presented by the engineers of the conservancy district.

"The conference with Commissioner Burke and other officials of the Indian bureau have resulted favorably," C. G. Selvig, president of the conservancy district, said. "The preliminary plans placed before them by our delegation have been commended by Mr. Reed, engineer of the bureau, and an understanding has been reached on further information to be placed before the bureau later.

"Upon our return to Minnesota the engineers of the state and of the district will amplify the preliminary data placed before the bureau, and they will be submitted at another conference to take place here the latter part of December."

Several years ago the army engineers made a survey of the proposed improvement and made a favorable report on it, stating that it was practicable and feasible. Approval of the chief of engineers and the secretary of war will be required before construction can be begun.

The members of the delegation paid their respects to President Harding. Those in the delegation were Mr. Selvig, E. V. Willard, state drainage engineer; George W. Walker, Thief River Falls, and Adolph F. Myer, Minneapolis, engineers of the district.

WELL WATER NOT SATISFACTORY TO STATE'S CHEMISTS

Objections Are Such, However, as Would Seem to Be Quite Easily Overcome.

Reports of the state board of health on the quality of water secured from the deep well at the power house are not exactly satisfactory but it would seem as if most objectionable features might be eliminated without much trouble. The bacterial content is found to be relatively high, the water of low turbidity, high color, relatively hard and free from encrusting material. The iron content is high and chemists also found indications of contamination. Whether or not this condition is one that constitutes a danger to users the report does not state.

Among the recommendations made is the cleaning out of the drain at the top of the well so that the waste water does not collect there. This water now stands around the pipe casing and a drain should be provided for leading it out onto the ground. The cover on top of the underground reservoir is unsatisfactory in that it permits the drainage of water into the big container. The emergency cross connection with the Red Lake river should also be removed. Certain changes are advised in the manhole opening of the reservoir, and other minor defects should be looked after.

The verdict of the health authorities is that the water at the present time is unsatisfactory from a sanitary point of view in spite of the fact that it is taken from a well 264 feet in depth.

Just what the next move will be is not known but it is probable the council will instruct Supt. Legvold to make the changes recommended in the hope that the board's objections may be overcome. The water from the well has been very generally used since the supply from the river was cleaned out of the mains and no evil effects have been reported. The authorities are yet hopeful that the water will pass inspection as this would obviate the necessity of installing an expensive filtering plant at this time.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR ELKS SUNDAY

Public Invited to Witness Observances—F. X. Gravel of Duluth to Speak.

Memorial services for departed Elks will be conducted by Thief River Falls lodge No. 1308 at the lodge room on Sunday afternoon beginning at 3 o'clock. Frank X. Gravel of Duluth, one of the foremost Elks in the state and an orator of renown, will deliver the address of the day.

These annual memorial services of the Elks are impressive and beautiful, being instituted for the purpose of exemplifying that tenet of the order which proclaims that "Living or dead, an Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken," and the motto: "The faults of our brothers we write upon the sands; their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory."

The public is cordially invited to attend these memorial services, for which an appropriate program has been arranged, as follows:

Introductory March, Orchestra.
Service, Officers Elks Lodge.
Requiem, Quartette. (Miss Maude Johnson, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Mr. E. M. Bennes, Mr. Carl Sundahl.)
Service, Officers Elks Lodge.
Song, "Vacant Chair," Quartette.
Service, Officers Elks Lodge.
Solo, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher.
Memorial Address, Bro. Frank X. Gravel, Duluth.
Solo, Carl Sundahl.
Closing Service, Elks Lodge.
March, Orchestra.

There are twelve former members of No. 1308 who have died since the lodge was instituted and whose memory will be perpetuated by the services on Sunday, they being W. W. Pierce, M. C. Cutter, K. O. Dock, H. L. Anderson, A. J. Gorman, Geo. G. Johnson, C. A. Pitkin, H. G. Hieber, Glen Blawd, J. H. McKinney, G. W. Bennett and E. H. Taylor. The last-named two have died during the past year.

STATE'S FINEST POULTRY SHOW OPENS TUESDAY

Prize Stock of Hundreds of Noted Bird Fanciers to Be Put on Display Here.

Many Liberal Prizes Arranged For Exhibits Entered in General Farm Class.

Now Certain That Event Will Be Most Successful in History of Organization.

The farmer with his general utility flock is going to be the favored individual at the annual exhibit of the Pennington County Poultry association on Dec. 6, 7, 8 and 9. The board of managers realizes that while it is *highly desirable* when general results are sought that all fanciers, whether they are raising birds for show or profit, should aim toward securing thoroughbred stock, yet it is admitted this takes time and that in the meantime the farmer who earnestly strives toward better results should be encouraged in every possible way. For this reason the man who has not yet arrived at the point where he can show coops of thoroughbreds has been given a place in the premium list and his efforts will be properly rewarded.

Olaf Neset, whose Rhode Island Reds are consistent prize winners at all poultry shows in this section, will make a special award of one $10 cockerel to the farmer bringing in the largest display of birds of this breed to the show. This will prove to be a prize worth winning as Mr. Neset is perhaps the most particular expert where this breed is concerned to be found in this section. He recently purchased a high priced bird from the poultry division at the university farm. This cock was scored as being the best Rhode Island Red in this part of the state by H. E. Chapman, poultry specialist connected with the extension division of the university.

Leghorns as Prizes.

C. D. Gustafson and H. L. Schuster, breeders of Barred Rocks and White Leghorns respectively, make offers similar to that of Mr. Neset. The birds they offer for the best displays in their respective divisions will make valuable additions to the flock of any farmer.

Indications are that the farmer class will be far larger than was at first anticipated by the management. Secretary J. J. McCann is daily in receipt of requests for premium lists and entry blanks from persons who would like to become exhibitors under this head. It is the department of the show to which special attention will be paid.

Season's Big Show.

The Pennington county poultry show has for years been the premier exhibition of its kind in this section of the state and the 1921 display bids fair to eclipse all its predecessors. In the first place there is at the present time a larger number of fine flocks in the region than ever before and the interest is much greater for another thing. Not only are the people living in the immediate vicinity keenly alive to the importance of this show, but its fame has been spread far and wide. Other counties in this state will be more widely represented than at any former exhibit and a large number of entries from other states are now assured.

J. C. Brown of the Northwest Experiment station, Crookston, one of the most widely known poultry experts in the Northwest, will be the judge.

Will Hold Dairy School in County For Two Days

L. V. Wilson of the dairy extension division will hold dairy schools in Pennington county on Dec. 15 and 16. The afternoons will be devoted to the health department, when a film will be shown on the value of dairy products free from tuberculosis and other contagious diseases. This course should be largely attended by both rural and city folks, as the general health of the community depends much on the cleanliness of the dairy products consumed. Meetings will be held at St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls, the exact days to be arranged for next week.

To Open New Grocery Store Here About January First

F. N. Shanahan, who a short time ago sold his interest in the Shanahan & Sheedy billiard parlor to his partner, will again engage in business in this city, having rented the Eide building on Third street, which is to be vacated by Scott Laird in the near future. Mr. Shanahan will put in a full line of staple and fancy groceries, specializing in goods of the highest quality obtainable. He is a business man of long experience and will make a strong bid for his share of the trade. The new store will be opened shortly after the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stebbins were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lamberson at Warren on Thanksgiving.

RATE OF TAXES FOR YEAR SHOW UPWARD TREND

State Rate Reduced Slightly But is More Than Offset in Other Directions.

Levies For General County and Township Purposes Are But Little Changed.

School Cost Increase Responsible For Advance in Practically Every Case.

The inclination of tax rates are upward in every department except one. The state rate has been reduced a total of 1.19 mills, from 5.42, which was the levy in 1920, to 4.23 for the current year. The county rate is up a trifle, being at this time 12.17 against 11.58 a year ago. The increase for township, city and village purposes is in most instances very slight, which leaves the greater part of the advance chargeable against the schools. This condition holds good generally throughout the sate.

Very few disricts have escaped an increase in the cost of maintaining their educational department. The advance is in certain cases very marked and is responsible for the fact that in spite of the state's reduction taking up almost all of the county advance there is an increase to record for almost every district. Where a reduction is noted it is so slight as to make but little difference nhe general result. The school districts managing to force a reduction in the general result. The school dist-58, 94, 108 and 127.

Higher Than in City.

District No. 18, comprising the city of Thief River Falls, has a rate of 51.7. A year ago it was 40.6. This is not the highest assessment in the county, however, the villages of Goodridge and St. Hilaire both being hit considerably harder. The former has a rate for school purposes alone of 68.5, while that at St. Hilaire for the same purpose is 70.4. Last year the tax was 60.7 and 51.7 respecively.

In the following table the state and county rates have been added to the school rate for the two years. In order to arrive a the total for each district the levy for he township, city or village must be added. This will be found in another table forming a part of this article. For instance should it be desired to find the total tax rate for School district No. 1 the combined rate for state, county and school, given in the first table, should be added to the rate for the subdivision in which the district is located. Thus the school, county and state rate for District No. 1 is seen to total 38.7 mills while the rate for the township of Polk Center in which the district is located is 4.9 mills, making the total rate for all purposes in his particular school district 43.6 mills.

Following is a comparison for the two years of the taxes in each district for school, state and county purposes:

Dist.	School	Total 1921	Total 1920
1	22.3	38.7	26.
2	43.6	59.9	32.2
3	29.3	47.7	33.
4	31.	47.4	33.
5	33.5	49.9	35.4
6	25.2	41.6	38.8
7	18.1	34.5	22.5
8	68.5	84.9	77.7
9	41.2	57.6	38.7
0	40.4	56.8	46.2
1	28.5	44.9	36.5
2	22.3	38.7	36.5
3	25.8	42.2	33.
4	31.	46.4	
5	40.4	56.8	
6	4.4	20.8	
7	5.4	21.8	21.1
8	51.7	68.1	57.6
5	20.5	36.9	30.6
6	10.2	26.6	27.9
8	12.8	29.2	27.1
9	5.8	22.2	21.5
0	28.4	44.8	34.2
1	15.3	31.7	29.4
3	9.6	27.	27.4
4	12.5	28.9	23.8
5	24.8	41.2	37.3
7	20.7	37.1	33.
7	15.6	32.	28.4
9	31.5	47.9	16.3
1	13.6	30.	29.4
3	16.3	32.7	25.
4	10.8	27.2	18.4
6	8.6	25.	37.2
7	19.1	35.5	25.6
8	27.4	43.8	35.6
0	20.3	36.7	31.4
1	23.7	40.1	33.
2	20.3	36.7	30.1
3	23.4	39.8	35.
4	14.1	30.5	25.6
5	17.7	34.1	36.
6	26.6	43.	40.4
7	31.	47.4	35.4
8	5.7	22.1	29.
9	38.	54.4	44.
0	31.	47.4	33.
1	11.1	27.5	26.5
5	37.8	54.2	33.6
6	15.6	32.	24.3
67	39.	65.4	40.7
68	11.	27.4	24.3
69	11.6	28.	26.7
70	35.8	52.2	42.5
73	31.2	47.6	33.2
94	10.8	27.2	27.4
99	9.2	25.6	21.7
102	70.4	86.8	71.7
106	12.1	28.5	25.9
108	9.5	25.9	32.4
124	10.3	26.7	21.1
125	13.4	29.8	26.6
127	12.8	29.2	30.
133	9.	25.4	21.2
135	12.3	28.7	25.2
147	12.3	28.7	28.2
148	14.3	28.7	
149	13.3	29.7	25.3
164	14.1	30.5	24.3
165	8.2	24.6	25.9
166	9.7	27.1	25.
178	24.4	40.8	33.
180	10.	26.4	22.5
194	18.2	34.6	30.6
219	13.3	29.7	27.5
221	24.4	40.8	36.8
227	12.1	28.5	25.4
228	42.2	58.6	
Unorg.	26.	36.4	36.1

Slight Advance in Towns.

While the general tendency of taxes for purely township purposes is also upward, the advance is so small in most instances as to cause little comment. Bray, Kratka, Sanders, Wyandotte and the village of St. Hilaire have managed to lower this tax a trifle during the year, as will be shown by the following comparison:

	1921	1920
Bray	4.9	5.1
Black River	11.6	8.1
Cloverleaf	10.8	9.5
Deer Park	20.9	15.4
Goodridge	9.8	9.
Highlanding	14.4	13.5
Hickory	19.7	14.1
Kratka	10.9	12.3
Mayfield	14.3	12.3
North	10.8	8.7
Norden	8.8	8.6
Numedal	9.7	7.1
Polk Center	9.	6.8
Rocksbury	9.6	9.
River Falls	8.5	7.6
Reiner	24.1	23.1
Smiley	12.2	6.1
Sanders	7.9	8.7
Silverton	13.8	13.5
Star	10.	9.4
Wyandote	11.7	11.9
St. Hilaire vil.	24.9	25.3
Goodridge vil.	44.2	27.8
Thief River Falls city	36.	31.6

YEAR'S SENSATION IN MOTION PLAYS AT TWO THEATRES

Newest Rupert Hughes Production Will Be Shown at Both Lyceum and Princess.

"The Old Nest," the Rupert Hughes picture which will be shown at both the Lyceum and Princess theatres on Sunday night and at the Lyceum only on Monday night, is one of the big screen productions of the year. Its fame has been heralded far and wide and for this reason Manager Brumund fears that it will be impossible to accommodate in one theatre all who wish to see it. He has therefore decided to show it at both the Lyceum and Princess, beginning the show at the former house at 7:15 and at the Princess at 8 o'clock.

This great picture is different from any heretofore shown in this city. There is no plot connected with it, as the term is generally understood, the aim being to tell a simple story of an American home, striking a note of sincerity that has an unusual appeal. Rupert Hughes in this story has struck a responsive note of realism and earnestness which fills the eyes of the spectator with tears. It is a plea to thoughtful younsters to honor their mothers, beautiful in conception and incomparable in execution.

"The Old Nest" is one of the few pictures that will never grow old. It is different from any film, yet produced and will be popular for its human appeal long after its novelty has worn off. Manager Brumund is to be congratulated on being able to secure this great picture so soon after its release at a figure that permits him to show it to his patrons at no advance in prices.

Christmas Sale.

At the Presbyterian church, Friday, Dec. 9, afternoon and evening. Articles include hand made fancy aprons, work aprons, handkerchiefs, fancy gifts for Christmas, and candy. Cafeteria supper will be served.

REGIONAL MEETING OF CHILD WELFARE BOARD ON DEC. 15

Speakers Famed in State and District Will Attend Sessions in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman for this district for the regional meetings of child welfare boards, announces that the program for the session to be held in Thief River Falls on Thursday, Dec. 16, has been perfected and will be participated in by some of the best known welfare workers in the state and district. There will be three sessions, those during the day convening at the court house while the evening meetings will be held at the high school auditorium. The first meeting will begin at 9 o'clock a. m., with Rev. A. T. Tollevs of Warren, president of the Marshall County Child Welfare board, presiding. The following program will be presented, the arrangement being subject to slight changes:

"Aims of This Conference," William Hodgson, state director children's bureau.

"Investigation and Treatment of Child Problems," Mrs. Mildred D. Mudgett, department of sociology, University of Minnesota.

"Case Work From the Viewpoint of the Rural County," Miss Loretta Newman, social worker, Marshall county.

Ten minute talks. Discussion led by Lucile Quinlan, district representative, children's bureau.

"The Social Consequences of Illegitimacy," Mrs. L. G. Larsen, child welfare board, Pennington county.

"Delinquent Children; Delinquent Parents—Which?" Mrs. G. M. Stebbins, child welfare board, Roseau county.

Noon luncheon with Commercial club. Mr. Hodgson, speaker.

At the afternoon session, beginning at 2 o'clock, L. E. Healy, of the child welfare board of Red Lake county, will preside. The program follows:

"The Enforcement of Laws Relating to Children," Theo. Quale, county attorney, Pennington county.

"Juvenile Court Work in the Unorganized County," George Baker, judge of probate, Kittson county.

Ten minute talks. Discussion opened by Mrs. Geo. M. Stebbins, child welfare board, Roseau county.

"The County Commissioners and the Child Welfare Board," Oscar J. Peterson, chairman board of county commissioners, Pennington county.

"The School and the Child Welfare Board," I. T. Simley, superintendent of schools, Thief River Falls.

"The Rural Schools and Child Welfare Problems," Miss Irba E. Pouliot, county superintendent, Red Lake county.

"The County's Responsibility," P. G. Wold, child welfare board, Pennington county.

"Value of Publicity in Child Welfare Work," David Johnson, county superintendent, Marshall county.

Discussion—"Co-operation Between the Public Health Nurse and Child Welfare Board."

Conference dinner at Evelyn hotel at 6:30.

The evening session at Lincoln school auditorium will be presided over by Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman of the Pennington county child welfare board, the following being the order of business:

Community singing led by Miss Maude Johnson, music supervisor, Thief River Falls schools.

Address of welcome by Mayor John Bratrud.

"The Duty of the State Toward the Handicapped Child," Caroline Crosby, state board of control.

"How the State is Prepared to Help the Handicapped Child," Mr. Hodgson.

"Standard and Limitations in Rural Child Welfare Work," Rev. Tollevs.

Musical numbers will intersperse the above program.

Quists Try Asbestos Mining.

John Oski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oski of Mavie, recently returned from a trip through the West. While in the Grand Canyon of Arizona he ran across Herbert Quist, former editor of the extinct Thief River Falls News Press, and his brother, Ernest. These two former residents of Thief River Falls were then interested in asbestos mining in the southwestern state and Mr. Oski brought photographs showing them standing at the mouth of their mine and also transporting the mineral to the landing on Colorado river on their backs. The Quists are now in California, but whether or not the asbestos mine has been abandoned for good is not known.

Bonus Board Coming.

The state bonus board of review will be in Thief River Falls on Tuesday, Dec. 6, for the purpose of hearing bonus claims of former service men. The meeting will begin at 9 o'clock in the morning in the Commercial club rooms.

Announcement

The J. C. Penney Company are not contributors to the so-called premium schemes, special sales, lottery bargains, or in arousing the public's desire to buy merchandise in advance of their needs, but offer first grade merchandise on today's market values or replacement prices every day in the year.

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PREVENTING FAKES FROM PLYING TRADE AIM OF ORDINANCE

Merchants Association Requests Passage of Regulations For Protection of Public.

Transient merchants will find a hard row to hoe in Thief River Falls if an ordinance given its first reading on Tuesday night passes through the stages necessary to make it effective. The new law is sponsored by the Merchants association and aims at protecting the public from being defrauded by fly-by-night concerns without commercial standing of any kind and no interest in the city or its people.

The ordinance provides a license fee for vendors of all kinds, except such as handle agricultural products. Any person wishing to open a place of business in Thief River Falls for the disposal of "fire stocks," the holding of auction sales or the handling of so-called bankrupt stocks will be compelled to pay a license fee of $200 for each 30 days. They must state the length of time they intend remaining and give a complete inventory of the stock to be handled. In lieu of the $200 license fee they must pay two per cent of the inventory value of their stock for the privilege of doing business the same length of time. In case they intend conducting more than one place of business a separate license must be taken out for each such place at a cost of $200. They will also be required to give a bond for an amount covering at least 25 per cent of the total value of the stock to be sold, as a guarantee that the ordinance will in all details be lived up to, said bond in no case to be less than $200.

Previous to the presenting of the ordinance it was explained that there was no intention on the part of anyone to keep out legitimate business men who wished to come here, engage in trade and meet the obligations of citizenship exacted from other persons. It was maintained, however, that the competition of certain classes of itinerants and peddlers was detrimental to legitimate trade and injurious to the public at large.

PARENT-TEACHERS' MEETING TO OPEN EDUCATIONAL WEEK

Interesting Program Monday Evening to Mark Association's First Session.

The first regular meeting of the Thief River Falls Parent-Teacher association will be held in the Lincoln building at 8 o'clock sharp Monday evening, Dec. 5. All parents and others interested in education are urged to be present. After the program lunch will be served by the home economics department.

The following program will be given:

Singing — Audience
Music — Girls' Glee Club
Talk, "Facts and Figures" — I. T. Simley
Solo — Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher
Address, "The Home's Part in the Care of Young People Today" — Rev. M. J. Neesen
"America" — Audience

This meeting of the Parent-Teacher association will usher in American Education Week, to be observed throughout the country under the auspices of the American Educational association and the American Legion. Every school room in Thief River Falls will be "at home" to patrons and friends from Monday morning until Friday afternoon.

Education Week has been instituted for the purpose of getting the general public better acquainted with the schools, their work and porgress. About all the ordinary citizen now knows about the schools he is supporting is that they cost a lot of money. Concerning the program followed or the ultimate aim of modern education he very often has but a hazy idea, never perhaps having stopped to realize the vast strides made in this highly important department since the days when he went to school.

The teachers and students unite in inviting citizens generally to pay a visit to the schools during this particular week. They are asked to come and learn at first hand to what uses their money is being put and what is being done to give their children the proper start toward a useful and honorable career. An hour or two spent in visiting the different school rooms will prove of value to visitor, teacher and pupil.

Breeders Honor Minnesotan.

Thomas E. Cashman of Owatonna, president of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders association, and a member of the executive board of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, was elected vice president of the American Hereford Breeders association at the American Royal livestock show at Kansas City.

Churches

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 4: English services at Esplee at 10 a. m., and at Grygla at 3 p. m. In Thorhult at 8 p. m.

The First Ev. Luth. Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services Sunday in Swedish at 10:30 a. m. In American at 7:45 p. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45.

St. John's Lutheran Church, E. H. Kreidt, Pastor—German services on Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Illustrated sermon in the English language at 7:45 p. m. Topic, "What Think Ye of Christ?" Everyone welcome.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 4: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning services at 11 a. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Young People's meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All welcome.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The theme in the morning will be "The Last Sign of the Times at Hand," and in the evening, "To Seem to Come Short." In the afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be communion service. Sunday school at 10 a. m. You are welcome.

Christian Science Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the church edifice on the corner of LaBree avenue and First street. Subject Sunday, Dec. 4, "God, the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Open for reading room Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is invited to attend these services.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in city at 11 a. m. Services at Goodridge 2:30 p. m. Services in city at 7:45 p. m. Trustees meeting Monday evening at the J. L. Bean home at 8 p. m. Rindal congregation and Ladies' Aid have their yearly business meeting Tuesday, Dec. 6, at 2 p. m. sharp. Rev. O. M. Bakke of Battle Lake will hold evangelistic meetings beginning Tuesday, the 6th, at 2 p. m., and lasting over Thursday. Choir practice every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the church. Dr. Vistaunet leader. Confirmants meet at the parsonage every Saturday at 2 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class every Sunday morning at 9:45.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Swegger, Pastor—Confirmation class meets Saturday at 10 o'clock at the parsonage. Divine service in English Sunday at 11 a. m. Solo by Miss Thora Hanson. In Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Trinity Ladies' Aid meets in the church parlors Thursday, Dec. 8. Mesdames Carl Sjoberg, J. E. Nelson, Nels A. Nelson and John Jordahl entertain. The Young Peoples League meets in the evening. Choir practice at the church every Thursday evening. Business meeting of the congregation Monday evening, Dec. 5, at the church, 8 p. m., to consider the sale of the property on LaBree and First.

Public Forum

To the Editor of The Times:

It has been the painful duty of the undersigned to scan some of the second class newspapers of the northern counties to find a man's statement expressed in an American manner regarding the controversy between the Rev. Mr P. G. Carlstedt of Strandquist and the members of the Stephen Gust post of the American Legion at Strathcona. Several "well-posted" editors have expressed their views on the matter, a fact their readers are painfully conscious of. These second-class editors of the second-class newspapers just referred to, have done their utmost to show that the reverend gentleman did wrong when he took a firm stand for American ideals. In this effort they have betrayed in a heart-rending manner their flagrant ignorance of American ideals and institutions. They have displayed their "zero Americanism" by offering their readers to feast on their own sick imagination rather than leading them to the fresh waters of information. Gentlemen, the American people are ever ready to learn, but they want to learn from folks who know facts.

What is a military funeral? Is it a funeral of an American soldier where former comrades come, attired in uniform and equipped with arms-of-war, to honor the memory of the dead? Is it a funeral where these comrades move about in a systematic and sympathetic manner according to well-defined commands and rules? Or, is a military funeral "military" just because some comrades come, attired in uniforms, equipped with shotguns, and move about without regard for system, sympathy, rules or regulations? The undersigned, for his humble part, prefers the first expressed ideal. He is bold to think that there are others that share his views.

Now, for the consolation of Gold Star mothers and relatives, for the edification of interested fellow-Americans, for the education of the above-mentioned ignorant editors, and for the enlightenment of inexperienced ex-service men, the undersigned has consulted Adj. Gen. W. F. Rhinow, who is an authority on the subject. I beg leave to submit the following letter:

"I have for acknowledgement your communication of the 21st, relative to a difficulty which has arisen between *members of the Stephen Gust post* of the American Legion and Rev. P. G. Carlstedt-of-Strandquist, Minn.

"In the particular case which you mention Rev. Carlstedt was certainly in the right when he forbade the carrying of guns into the church. A church is a sacred edifice and one place into which arms or men under arms should not enter. The authority for this statement is the Customs of the Service of the United States Army.

"In the event that there is an armed escort at the funeral, they remain outside during the services or stack their arms and enter unarmed, and should it so happen that a guard of honor is detailed where a body lies in state within a church, the guard of honor is unarmed.

"There has been no insult to the Gold Star mothers or to the American Legion by Rev. Carlstedt.

"Trusting that this communication will serve to clear up the unpleasant feeling which you state has prevailed, I am very truly yours, W. F. Rhinow, The Adjutant General."

Now, listen ye that are concerned: If your Americanism is genuine, prove it by coming forth like men and asking your readers' pardon for misusing their patience.

ALBIN A. LARSON.

Try This Simple Test

One Reason Why HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE Acts On The Spot

HILL'S C. B. Q. Tablets are best by test. Try this simple experiment:
1. Drop a C. B. Q. Tablet in a glass of clear water.
2. Instantly the tablet begins disintegrating or "breaking up."
3. In 10 seconds the medical properties are thoroughly mixed with water.
Thus, Hill's C. B. Q. Tablets act immediately, give relief without delay and begin checking Colds and La Grippe long before ordinary tablets, by actual test, are absorbed by the stomach juices. To prove this, subject other than C. B. Q. Tablets to the test, and observe that in most instances an hour or more is required for complete disintegration.
Demand C. B. Q. Tablets in red box bearing Mr. Hill's portrait and signature.
At All Druggists—30 Cents
W. H. HILL COMPANY, DETROIT

Notice to the Public

Notice is hereby given that the Engineer in charge has filed with the city clerk a final estimate for work performed under the current paving contract, and that the same is now on file with the undersigned and is open to inspection by the public. The city council will meet on Dec. 6. 1921, at 8 o'clock p. m., at the council chambers in the Auditorium building, for the purpose of passing upon said estimate, hearing and passing upon all claims and objections, prior to voting upon a resolution for the adoption of said estimate and the payment to the contractor of the amount appearing to be due thereon. All persons having claims against the city or contractor for work, materials, or otherwise, are requested to present the same on or prior to said meeting of the council.

By order of the City Council.
A. H. AKRE, City Clerk.

Dated November 29, 1921.

MORE MONEY
If You Ship Us Your HIDES - FURS
Write Us FIRST For Special Information
Established 1907
DEAL DIRECT with the LARGEST and OLDEST HOUSE IN THE WEST
HIGHEST PRICES and IMMEDIATE CASH RETURNS.
Write for price list, tags and full information
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Going on at Full Blast

Overcoats, Suits, Mackinaws, Shoes, Overshoes, Underwear, Hats and Caps, Gloves and Mittens, all kinds of wearable for men and boys

Profits Forgotten! A Genuine Sale!

Original prices remain on goods—see the reductions for yourself. Entire stock on sale. Headquarters for U. S. Army Goods. The very best goods made in America are being sold at this sale at prices that leave no profit for us. We must unload! Come and share in this wonderful sacrifice sale! We guarantee satisfaction with every sale or your money back.

Overcoats

"KUPPENHEIMER" and "PATRICK"

"Kuppenheimer" and "Patrick"—Finest of Overcoats none better made. We must unload these Coats now and the reductions are genuine. Your choice of any $60 or $65 MEN'S OVERCOATS at

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YOUR CHOICE OF ANY $35 or $40 OVERCOAT
27.50

YOUR CHOICE OF ANY $50 OVERCOAT
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YOUNG MEN'S OVERCOATS WITH FUR COLLARS
Now Selling at

$22.50 Overcoats	$16.50
$27.50 Overcoats	$19.50
$35 and $40 Overcoats	$27.50

Boys' Buster Stockings, 45c value	Jersey Gloves per pair	Railroad Gauntlet Gloves, pair	"Ironclad" Sox, hvy, blk. or brown, pr.
29c	10c	15c	19c

Suits

Our entire stock of Men's Suits must go and prices are cut to the core. EXTRA SPECIAL for Market Week

"KUPPENHEIMER" SUITS

That sell regularly at $60 and $65, take your pick for Market Week at only

$44.50

YOUR CHOICE OF ANY $45 or $50 MEN'S SUITS
34.50

ALL OF OUR FINE $35 and $40 MEN'S SUITS
27.50

ALL OF OUR SHOES
FINE MEN'S
Now Selling at Extra Big Cut in Price
One lot $7.50 Men's Dress Shoes $4.95

SHOES! SHOES!
All Shoes at Specially Reduced Prices

$3.50 Men's Shoes	$2.65
$4.00 Men's Shoes	$2.95
$4.50 Men's Shoes	$3.45
$5.00 Men's Shoes	$3.85
$6.00 Men's Shoes	$4.75
$7.50 Men's Shoes	$ 5.95
$10.00 Men's Shoes	$ 7.75
$12.00 Men's Shoes	$ 9.45
$13.50 Men's Shoes	$10.45

ALL OVERSHOES REDUCED

CAPS

$1.00 Caps now	$ .65
$1.50 Caps now	$ .95
$2.00 Caps now	$1.35
$2.50 Caps now	$1.75
$3.00 Caps now	$1.95
$3.50 Caps now	$2.45
$4.00 Caps now	$2.75
$4.50 Caps now	$2.95

Scotch Caps $1.25

HATS

All Hats Must Go Now

$12.00 Hats now	$7.95
$ 9.00 Hats now	$6.50
$ 8.00 Hats now	$5.95
$ 7.00 Hats now	$4.65
$ 6.00 Hats now	$3.95
$ 5.00 Hats now	$2.95
$ 4.00 Hats now	$2.65
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All Handkerchiefs at Special Prices

GLOVES and MITTENS

Our stock of Gloves and Mittens is of the very best. We have a great assortment and are determined to sell them now. The reductions are unusually big. Lined and unlined Gloves and Mittens at

39c, 49c, 75c, 95c, $1.15, $1.49

OVERSHOES "BALL BAND" and U. S. 4-BUCKLE OVERSHOES
1st quality pair — $3.49

"Headlight" Overalls
Best grade For Market Week only per pair — $1.65

About 35 Traveling Bags to be sold at 20% to 33 1-3 off. Buy a Bag now.
NAUGAHIDE BAGS, each — $8.50
Men's Dogskin Driving Overcoats, worth $60 While they last — $37.50

Men's Dress Shirts

All On Sale!

$1.50 Shirts	$1.15
$2.00 Shirts	$1.45
$2.50 Shirts	$1.85
$3.00 Shirts	$2.25
$3.50 Shirts	$2.65
$4.00 Shirts	$2.95
$5.00 Shirts	$3.65

NECKWEAR

$ .50 Neckties	$ .37
$ .75 Neckties	$ .50
$1.00 Neckties	$ .65
$1.50 Neckties	$ .95
$2.00 Neckties	$1.55
$3.00 Neckties	$2.35
$3.50 Neckties	$2.65

Men's Socks

25c Socks	19c
35c Socks	27c
50c Socks	35c
75c Socks	49c
$1.00 Socks	73c
$1.50 Socks	$1.15

Genuine Reductions on all Winter Goods A large Selection to Choose From

U. S. Army Oxford Grey BLANKETS
They are double bed-size and weigh about 4 lbs. ea. $2.85

O. D. Wool U. S. Army BLANKETS
These are the best kind. A great value each — $3.65

OVERSEAS CAPS
These are new ones, never been used. Fine for Boys and Girls to wear. Each — 35c

A Blaze of Bargains — Get Your Share

All Sales Are for Cash
A Reduced Price on Everything—Nothing Reserved

WE MUST HAVE THE MONEY!
PROFITS FORGOTTEN TO GET CASH!

A Sale for Cash

Store Open Until 9 O'clock Evenings. Wednesdays Until 10 p. m.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA.
"If it comes from Mogensen's it must be good."

Everything in the Store Must Go, and Prices Will Be Made to Get the Cash!

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BREAKING ALL RECORDS

Those who were fearful that an entire week of bargain days would not turn out satisfactorily have been proven mistaken in their surmise. The present week in Thief River Falls is one of the best ever experienced in a business way for this time of year.

This only goes to prove that there is business to be had if it is gone after in the right way. Had the merchants of Thief River Falls folded their arms and waited for better times to arrive, doing nothing in the meantime to help bring about a resumption of trading, they would still be standing in that position waiting for the tide to turn. They figured, however, that people would need their wares at this time the same as ever and decided to make it an object to buy now.

The most unusual advertising campaign ever seen in the state was inaugurated. Intelligent and persistent efforts were made to extend the city's trading territory. Prices were cut to the bone and stocks kept at a point where they would meet every demand. The convenience of the city as a trading center was pointed out. Everything, in fact, was done that would draw the attention of the public to the advantages of buying in Thief River Falls.

The end of the present week will see the campaign closed. It is the intention to make these remaining days the best of the entire series. Still greater price cuts have been resorted to in order to induce the public to make their purchases at this time. Unusual inducements of different kinds are held out to those who will do their trading now instead of waiting for the holiday rush. The same goods as will be offered later in the season are on display at this time and the prices are even lower. It is also certain that the range and variety is greater now than will be the case later on.

Every inducement has been made to convince the public that this is the time to buy. Nothing is to be gained by waiting, while a great deal may be lost through not taking advantage of present conditions.

SHOULD REDISTRICT CITY.

While there is perhaps no great rush about the matter, it might nevertheless be well for the city council to begin looking into the matter of redistricting the city in such manner as to provide more voting precincts. Nineteen twenty-two is general election year and there will be more balloting than ever. New laws make the counting of ballots slower work than formerly and things should be so arranged that the matter can be expedited as much as possible. During the past two years it has been noticeable that the work of election boards has steadily increased in volume, on numerous occasions extending far into the day following the balloting.

Even though it is considered inadvisable to add more wards at this time, there should be nothing to prevent the establishment of two voting precincts each for the First and Fourth wards. This would relieve the situation and serve the purpose.

At the present time there are two aldermen-at-large elected in the city and there is no very good reason apparent why these could not be transferred to wards. Such action would not add to the size of the board and it is probable that all sections of the city would get even better representation than at present. It is customary to retire the aldermen-at-large as soon as there are a sufficient number of voters to form a new ward and it would seem that the plan might be followed in this city with profit. Six wards, with an alderman from each ward, would in many respects be an improvement on the present method. But if this is not desirable or feasible there can surely be no objection to dividing the two largest wards into precincts if for no other reason than added convenience at election time.

GOOD WORDS FOR SELVIG.

As was to be expected, the article appearing last week in the Minneapolis Journal intimating that C. G. Selvig of Crookston might come out as a candidate for the Republican nomination for congress, has caused quite a lot of speculation among the newspapers of the district. No instance has as yet come to light in which the retirement of Congressman Steenerson in favor of Mr. Selvig is advocated, but the opinion is quite unanimous that if the former is to be replaced at the next election, no better man than the present head of the Northwestern Agricultural school could be found as his successor. Evidently no one has heard from Mr. Steenerson himself on the subject and until he has made some kind of a declaration it is not likely that any other man will be seriously considered.

The following article, taken from the Warren Sheaf, is a fair sample of the general comment on the subject among the newspapers of the district.

"The political editor of the Minneapolis Journal says that C. G. Selvig, principal of the state school of agriculture at Crookston, may be brought out as a candidate for congress in the Ninth district and that his name is likely to come up before the Republican district convention next March. Mr. Selvig's candidacy will probably depend upon whether or not the people of the district wish to retire Halvor Steenerson, who has served them well for twenty years and has become one of the most influential men in congress from the Northwestern states. Mr. Selvig would no doubt make a good congressman if chosen. He is well known from his connection with the Red River Valley Development association and the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district. But the campaign is still young and there may be other counties heard from in due time."

GIVES UP THE FIGHT.

The Bagley Herald, for fifteen years one of the leading papers of Clearwater county, has given up the ghost and retires from the field. The subscription list and business generally has been merged with the Farmers Independent and Bagley will for the present at least have but one paper. According to the retiring editor, A. O. Peterson, one is all there should have been at any time.

Mr. Peterson does not waste time in vain regrets nor does he even pretend that he is pleased over the fact that he must give up the business. He quite frankly states that the Herald has found the going too heavy and must yield the place it has filled to some other paper. He says: "No one has rallied to our support to keep the ship afloat, and depending only upon the revenue received from rendering service and producing goods we have found that we would profit the most by throwing up the sponge and parking the office towel in its respective corner."

The Herald was a good newspaper and covered its field most acceptably. The support was not there, however, and the business me nof the place deliberately allowed the publication to die.

What Other Editors Think.

THE WORST IS OVER.

Shakopee Argus: Herbert C. Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, in a resume on the business situation, in substance says that we have weathered the storm and that we have fundamentally turned the corner. Mr. Hoover by virtue of the position he occupies has his fingers on the pulse of commerce and he ought to know.

IT'S NOT SURPRISING.

Princeton Union: If you but take observation you will find that a locomotive engineer, when his engine is running, invariably has his hand on the throttle and his eyes on the track. You will also find that many an automobile driver has his eyes almost anywhere and, maybe, one hand on the steering wheel—the latter depending on who is riding beside him. Then is it any surprise that more accidents happen on the highways than on the railroads?

THE HOME TOWN.

Now and then, you hear some stripling say: "This town's too slow for me. I'm going to the city to live."

And so he leaves the home town for the bright lights of the metropolis. Often he makes good in the larger center of activity, but more often he becomes one of that vast multitude who eke out a mere existence.

The old home town may be slow, and it may lack glitter and tinsel, but it is a pretty good place after all. It is a friendly spot, and a neighborly one, rich in human association, and although it may not travel at the speed of the big city, it is a place where the glad hand is always out for those who wandered into far fields and failed to reach the goal of their aspirations.

MAKE ONE JOB OF IT.

Anoka Union: It is being suggested by a number of Anoka citizens that instead of so many drives as we are having, that all the drives be consolidated into one community fund, and thus have the agony all over with at one time. There are three drives this month, the Armenian, Salvation Army and Red Cross.

HELP HOME INSTITUTIONS.

Ely Miner: The free-will offerings to Billy Sunday in Sioux City after a six-weeks' revival campaign amounted to $13,594, or more than $2,000 a week. At the same time Sunday was getting this handsome little nest egg, the local preachers were drawing the munificent (?) salaries of $1,000 or perhaps $2,000 a year and will continue to do so for the good of the community while Billy goes to the next town for another drag, and if not guaranteed, salvation will be a missing commodity in that place. Moral: Trade with home institutions and help those who help you.

THE DOWLING MEMORIAL.

Worthington Globe: If you have a little money you desire to invest, put it in the Michael J. Dowling Memorial Fund, where it will give the biggest returns you can imagine. This fund is to go to erect a hospital for crippled children. Can you give to a more worthy cause? And will not the returns be immeasurably great? Think it over and then give to the extent of your ability.

DANGEROUS PLAYTHINGS.

Little Falls Transcript: A small boy found a three-pound explosive shell among some war souvenirs in his home. He put it on the floor, sat down by it and began pounding it with a roller skate. It is said at the hospital that he will recover. His arm and hand are badly lacerated and his face and arms burned. He happened to be sitting, and at a fortunate angle. Had he been standing over it he undoubtedly would have been killed. All guns are loaded, and no shell is a dud. It takes people a long time to learn that dangerous things are dangerous and that children are children.

TOO MANY INSPECTORS.

Dawson Sentinel: The state is cursed with eighty-eleven different kinds of inspectors, most of whom do nothing except lie awake nights devising ways and means to justify their jobs. The next legislature could do no service that would be more appreciated by the people than that of separating some of the parasites from their meal tickets. No good reason has ever been advanced why one live man in every senatorial district could not satisfactorily inspect everything from oil cans to old maids and still have enough idle time on his hands to help mother with the wash on Monday mornings.

THIEF RIVER CLINIC

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Surgery and Obstetrics

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Internal Medicine and X-Ray

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Vapors reach deep colds
When the cold "goes down" get after it by the rubbing and vapor method.

Obstinate colds that go down into the chest can be reached by the combination rubbing and vapor-inhaling method with Vicks VapoRub.

Apply Vicks over throat and chest. Rub well in, spread on thickly and cover with two thicknesses of flannel. At night arrange bedclothes loosely, like a funnel, so the arising vapors will be breathed all night, right into the lungs.

Quick relief should be had from the tightness, soreness and cough with rapid loosening of the phlegm, abating danger of pneumonia or influenza.

Vicks contains the antiseptic, healing vapors of Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, Thyme and Oil of Turpentine and is the standby in millions of homes for congestions of nose, throat, and chest; skin hurts and itchings, and various bodily pains.

Once tried, Vicks becomes a stand-by in the medicine cabinet.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

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Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

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BUY HERE
Save Money

The building in which we are now located has been leased to other parties and we have to move. This means that we must reduce our stock as much as possible in the next few days, and to accomplish this we have decided to sell everything we have in the line of

STATIONERY, SCHOOL AND OFFICE SUPPLIES
GENERAL MERCHANDISE, CHRISTMAS GOODS, ETC.

15 per cent off
ON ALL CASH SALES UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

We also give Ford Coupons on every dollar's worth of goods bought this week. Get the coupons of us and win the Ford Touring Car.

LAIRD'S

WHEN EVERY MOVE HURTS

Lame every morning, achy and stiff all day; worse when it's damp or chilly? Suspect your kidneys and try the remedy your neighbors use. Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. C. E. Cruzan, 610 Knight Ave., W., Thief River Falls, says, "My kidneys weren't acting properly and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I was also in misery with my back. At times it was so sore and stiff that when I stooped it was about all I could do to straighten again. I easily tired and it seemed my housework was a burden. I became somewhat discouraged because of this condition and not until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills did I begin to feel like myself again. Three boxes of Doan's restored me to good health and strengthened my kidneys."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Cruzan had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Do Your Christmas Mailing Now

In order that the usual holiday congestion at the postoffice may as far as possible be avoided and the delivery of mail expedited, Postmaster John Morgan asks the patrons of the Thief River Falls office to read the following over carefully and make every effort to carry out the suggestions it contains:

The co-operation of the public in handling Christmas mail is requested.

Uncle Sam's mail service is the samest, quickest, cheapest and best way to send your Christmas parcels.

Shop early, mail early, and avoid disappointments.

Pack articles carefully, use a strong pasteboard box (corrugated preferred) wrap and tie securely, but do not seal. (Sealed parcels are subject to letter rate postage.)

Always inform the receiving clerk if the contents of your parcel are either fragile or perishable so that your parcel may be properly marked. (If the contents of your parcel are perishable a special delivery stamp will expedite delivery at office of destination.)

Always place sender's name and address in upper left hand corner of all parcels and letters.

Exercise care in writing addresses, use ink, write plainly, and always give street and number, or rural route number.

Always place your own name and address on a card inside the parcel.

Postage must be fully prepaid.

Insure parcels. The cost is slight.

Red Cross and Christmas seals may be used, but do not place them on the address side.

The words "Do not open before Christmas" or like inscription is permissible.

Written inscriptions such as "Merry Christmas," "Happy New Year," "With best wishes," and numbers or names for the purpose of description are permissible additions to fourth-class (parcel post) mail. Books may bear simple dedicatory inscriptions not of a personal nature, other written additions subject parcels to letter postage.

Communications prepaid at first-class rate may be sent with parcels prepaid at fourth-class rate, provided they are placed in sealed envelopes securely attache dto outside of parcels.

Please bear in mind that the postal service is your service, and that this office will put forth every effort to promptly dispatch and deliver your mail. With the intelligent co-operation of all patrons greater efficiency can be obtained.

Dr. King's New Discovery

This will fix my cold

I ALWAYS keep Dr. King's New Discovery handy. It breaks up hard, stubborn colds and stops the paroxysms of coughing. No harmful drugs, but just good medicine. All druggists, 60c.

Dr. King's New Discovery For Colds and Coughs

Stubborn Bowels Tamed. Leaving the bowels unmoved results in health destruction. Let the gently stimulating Dr. King's Pills bring you a regular, normal bowel functioning. 25 cents. All druggists.

PROMPT! WON'T GRIPE
Dr. King's Pills

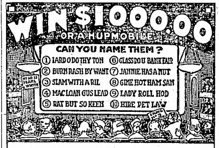

Can You Solve This Puzzle?

Here is a puzzle that everybody should try. The other night at the "Movies" the operator wanted to try a new "stunt," so he rearranged the names of some of the famous actors and actresses and threw them on the screen like you see in the picture. Everybody had "loads" of fun figuring out the correct names. See if you can do it yourself. No. 1 is Dorothy Dalton. If you can solve them all you can win $1,000 or a Hupmobile.

Though you probably know the names of all the popular actors and actresses we'll name a few of them just to refresh your memory:

Mary Miles Minter, Douglas Fairbanks, Mary Pickford, Juanita Hansen, Buster Keaton, William S. Hart, Clara Kimball Young, Tom Mix, Mabel Normand, Thomas Meighan, Douglas MacLean, Bryant Washburn, Dorothy Dalton, Harold Lloyd, Pearl White, Jackie Coogan, Gloria Swanson.

110 Points Will Win First Prize

For each name you can arrange correctly you will receive five points or fifty points if you solve them all. You can earn 25 more points by qualifying your answer. That is, by proving that you have shown a copy of The St. Paul Daily News to five people. The final 25 points will be awarded by the judges, who will be three well-known St. Paul business men.

The best correct answer will be awarded First Prize and the second best correct answer Second Prize, and so forth. In case of a tie both winners will be awarded full amount of the prize. Send in your answer TODAY and a sample of the paper will be sent you at once to help you qualify.

IT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO TRY

You do not have to subscribe to The St. Paul Daily News nor spend a cent of your own money to win a prize. We have given away a great many wonderful things and you can be the next winner if you send in your solution to this puzzle at once. Be sure your own name and address is on your solution to the puzzle and don't forget—YOU CAN WIN. Get the family together, solve the puzzle and mail your answer NOW.

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THE BARGAIN SALE
At Charles Lieberman's

will be continued AFTER MARKET WEEK.
A few of our specials will be found below and there are hundreds of others.

Men's Suits
Formerly selling for $32.50. For this sale
$24.75

Suits formerly selling at $22.50 and $25.00, now
$18.75

2-PIECE WOOL UNDERWEAR
Each
$1.29

MEN'S Overcoats
$19.75

Lanpher-Skinner Fur Collared Coats
$32.75

Full line of Lanpher-Skinner lamb Coats at Bargain Prices.

Boy's Suits
Some with two pairs of pants
$8.75

Good Weight BOYS' STOCKINGS
All sizes, khaki only, per pair
19c

SIGNAL FLANNEL SHIRTS
Two pockets
$3.15

CHAS. LIEBERMAN

Society and Club

Satre-Holkesvig.

A prettily appointed wedding was solemnized at high noon Thursday, Nov. 24, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Satre, residing near this city, when their daughter, Miss Mabel, became the bride of A. Holkesvig, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Holkesvig of Crookston. Yellow was the predominating color used in the house decorations and yellow chrysantemums were the flowers. Preceding and during the ceremony, a program of nuptial music was played by Miss Selma Sorum of Detroit, a cousin of the bride. The service was read by Rev. Schuett of Crookston before a company of close friends and relatives. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Myrtle Satre, who wore a brown chantilly lace dress. She carried a bouquet of roses. David Wigand of Minneapolis, a friend of the groom, acted as best man. The bride was attired in a charming gown of brown satin combined with Spanish lace. She carried a bride's bouquet of Killarney roses. Among the out-of-town guests were the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Holkesvig of Crookston, his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kiel, also of Crookston, David Wigand of Minneapolis, Leonard Wanous and R. B. Smith of Crookston, and Miss Selma Sorum of Detroit. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. The bride is a gradute of the local high school, a member of the class of 1016. Since that time she has taught school in this vicinity. Mr. Holkesvig is a gradunte of Luther college, Decorah, Iowa, and is at present engaged in farming near Crookston. After a brief honeymoon spent visiting with friends at Winnipeg the young couple will be at home on their farm near Crookston.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club held its regular meeting Monday afternoon, at which an exceptionally fine program was given. J. J. McCann, a member of the committee chosen to judge the greatest number of improvements made on the various streets the past summer, was present to deliver the silver loving cup to LaBree avenue, which was the winning street. This is the second time the cup has been awarded to this avenue. Mr. McCann commended the club for the interest it displayed along these lines. Mrs. B. W. Briggs read the pledge of the retiring president of the State Federated clubs, Mrs. Emma V. Allen. Mrs. Daniel Shaw read a very interesting article on the Sheppard-Towner act. In behalf of the Parent-Teachers association, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich asked the co-operation of the Woman's club and extended a special invitation to the first meeting of the association to be held on Monday evening, Dec. 5. The club unanimously voted to co-operate with the regional conference of child welfare workers to be held here this month. Mrs. Oscar Mellby was leader of the current events, and was assisted by Mrs. J. H. Hegmanson and Mrs. O. W. Carlson. A ladies' trio composed of Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. Geo. Johnson and Miss Meta Kiland sang "Good Night" from the Opera "Martha." Mrs. G. Halvorson was accompanist. The remainder of the program was in charge of Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., who read a very interesting paper on "The First Thanksgiving." Mrs. B. W. Briggs gave a brief outline of the lives of three of the leaders of the Plymouth colony, closing her account by quoting from "The Courtship of Miles Standish."

Public Reception.

The reception given at the Presbyterian church parlors on Tuesday evening was in the nature of a farewell party for Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman, who will leave the city Friday night to make their home at Lincoln, Kansas. A large delegation of local people was present to pay respects for the former pastor and his wife, who have lived here for the past six years. G. L. Sterns, F. F. Haynes, H. C. Johnson, Albert Johnson, H. O. Loken, E. O. Mogensen and Rev. Cook gave brief talks. Mrs. J. M. Bishop also gave a very interesting talk. An atmosphere of friendly informality marked the occasion as one which gave the guests of honor a pleasing remembrance of their Thief River Falls friends. During the years Rev. and Mrs. Barackman have resided in the city they have made many warm friends, the best wishes of whom go with them to their new home. As a token of the high esteem in which they are held by the congregation, F. F. Haynes, in behalf of the members, presented Mrs. Barackman with a wrist watch, while Rev. Barackman received a handsome sum of money with which to purchase a chair for his study.

For Rev. and Mrs. Barackman.

A number of social courtesies have been extended Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman during the past week.

On Wednesday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes entertained them at dinner at their home, Duluth avenue north.

On Saturday evening Misses Effie Hamry, Theone Walker and Gladys Anderson entertained Rev. and Mrs. Barackman and Miss Minnie Leavitt at dinner at the Evelyn hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich were hosts at dinner Tuesday evening, when they entertained Rev. and Mrs. Barackman and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink.

This noon Rev. and Mrs. Barackman and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink will be guests at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, while this evening Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken will be hosts at dinner to Rev. and Mrs. Barackman.

Parcel Shower.

Mrs. L. S. Champlain and Mrs. H. C. Gustafson were hostesses to twenty-four ladies at the latter's home, 312 Riverside avenue, yesterday afternoon at a parcel shower in honor of Mrs. John Baker. Lunch brought by the guests was served. Those present were Mrs. Emil Rausch, Mrs. Ole Mellem, Mrs. Art Williams, Mrs. Omer Williams, Mrs. Geo. Williams, Mrs. Carl Carlson, Mrs. Martin Carlson, Mrs. A. H. Carlson, Mrs. W. A. Bishop, Mrs. Knute Swanson, Mrs. H. Holzknecht, Mrs. H. C. Johnson, Mrs. E. Griebstein, Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom, Mrs. K. O. Burtness, Mrs. E. W. Hinrichs, Mrs. P. J. Keating, Mrs. John Wengler, Mrs. E. L. Helgeland, Mrs. B. Dan Bjorkman, Mrs. Nels Fontaine, Mrs. H. Ebbighausen, and Miss Ella Anderson.

Social Welfare Meeting.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Dec. 5. The big demand for old clothing by the poor people of the city makes it imperative that every woman who has the least interest in social welfare work come out Monday afternoon and assist in this work. Officers of this section urgently request a large attendance so that a great deal of work may be accomplished. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich will serve lunch.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club met at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening. After the usual business meeting, at which time plans for Christmas were made, the evening was given over to the entertainment committee, which provided games, music and dancing. Miss Emily Fossum was chairman of this committee. Miss Theone Walker favored the club with several piano numbers, and a delicious lunch concluded the activities. The next meeting will take the form of a Christmas party.

Surprise Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Knute Swanson was the scene of a surprise party on Sunday afternoon in honor of Arthur Boos, who left in the evening for St. Cloud to accept a position. Mr. Boos until his departure was employed as cigar maker at the Thief River Cigar factory. The afternoon was spent in a social manner and at five o'clock a delicious lunch was served. About fifteen guests were present. Mr. Boos was presented with a handsome gift as a token of friendship.

Paulson-Reitz.

Roman H. Paulson and Amelia C. Reitz were married on Wednesday evening, Nov. 23, at the Presbyterian manse in the presence of a few friends. Rev. R. L. Barackman officiated. The young people, after a few days on their wedding trip, will be at home on the corner of Eighth street and Horace avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Paulson are popular young people and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Eastern Star Meets.

A special meeting of the Eastern Star lodge was held at the Masonic hall last evening. An exceptionally large number of members were in attendance, and several from out of town also were present. At this meeting seven were initiated. The business hour was devoted to outlining the work for this year. The officers of the chapter, numbering eighteen, served an elaborate spread.

Dinner Party.

On Saturday evening at her home, 123 St. Paul avenue north, Mrs. F. H. Herrick entertained a group of friends at dinner. The hours following were devoted to cards. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud, Mr and Mrs. Daniel Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Chommie, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, and Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Penney.

Maccabees to Have Social Time.

Following the regular meeting of the Maccabees on Thursday evening, Dec. 8, a social time will be enjoyed. The committee in charge is making big preparations for a most entertaining evening. A good program of dance music has been procured. During the evening lunch will be served, for which the small sum of 15 cents will be charged.

Honoring Miss Evenson.

In compliment to Miss Lena Evenson, who will leave Monday evening for Webster, S. D., to accept a position, Miss Gladys Anderson entertained at a party at her home, 804 Horace avenue north, Monday evening.

Thanksgiving Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre had as their dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre and daughter, Ardith, and Miss Avis Akre, who teaches at Bemidji.

Theatre-Bridge Party.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson will be hostess at a theatre-bridge party this evening. This is the second of a series and invitations have been issued to twenty ladies.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will be entertained by Mrs. J. M. Bishop at her home, 121 Duluth avenue north.

Birthday Club Meets.

The Birthday club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. G. W. Booren at her home on Saturday afternoon.

Picture Puzzle Game.

Elsewhere in today's issue will be found a large advertisement announcing a picture puzzle game arranged by the St. Paul Dispatch, which will, no doubt, prove very interesting for our readers, and especially for the little folks. The contest consists in ascertaining how many objects or articles in the picture start with the letter "C," and prizes are awarded to those finding the largest number. Our readers have already won liberal prizes as a result of competing in similar contests and there is no reason why some of the awards in this new picture puzzle game should not come to residents of this vicinity. Anyhow, there's nothing like trying.

Elks Meeting Friday.

The regular meeting of the Thief River Falls lodge of Elks to be held on Friday evening will be of unusual interest. Final arrangements for the memorial day program next Sunday will be made and there are a number of other matters of interest to the members to be taken up. The officers are particularly desirous that there be a good attendance at this meeting.

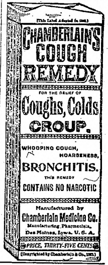

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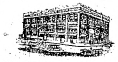

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AN expert detects the risky features of investments which to the inexperienced may seem perfectly safe.

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$100,000.00.
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The Quality Bargains of Market Week

Are found in abundance in this Thief River Falls' Greatest Store

Free with every dollar purchase this week only, a coupon on the new Ford Touring Car

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Do not buy a cent's worth of goods from any store here which will not give you a coupon on the new Ford Touring Car Saturday. We gladly give free coupons on every dollar cash sale on everything purchased here this week.

Market Week Greatest Bargain!
Full Fashioned Glove Silk Hose

A wonderful quantity purchase of a solid case—Five Hundred Dollars worth—of Ladies' Fine All Silk De Luxe Full Fashioned Glove Silk Hose places them in our hands at the lowest price that such quality hose have ever been bought at. This big bargain we are passing on to you. They are positively the finest Pure Thread Silk Hose we ever saw. Double Pointex heels, double toes. Come in black, brown and white. Sold everywhere right now at $4.00 to $5.00. Now on sale in our hosiery department at this remarkably low price, at per pair ---------- $2.95

Special Market Week Sale of Ladies' Kerchiefs

10c values, now	15c values, now	18c values, now	25c values, now	35c values, now	50c values, now
5c	10c	10c	18c	25c	35c

Buy Your Coats, Dresses, Waists and Furs Now and Here

FURS
Take your choice of our entire stock and pay only
HALF PRICE!

All Our Girls' Coats
Ages 4, 5, 6, 10, 12, 14. This week only, choice
HALF PRICE!

76 Wonderful New Dresses
All new arrivals within the past month—every one of them a bargain at $25. For Market Week only, choice
$16.95
54 of these are all silk and silk and lace dresses. 22 of these are all wool Tricotine and fine imported serge dresses. All sizes included and all leading shades and the snappiest of styles.

25 Brand-New Wool Dresses
Just arrived from our New York buying office. They are guaranteed all wool, fine French serge. A few all wool Tricotines, all in navy blue, assorted styles. Every one of them made to sell as a leader at $18.50 each. You'll be surprised at the high grade workmanship. For Market Week only, your choice, each
$9.95

A Great Special Sale of Silverware
Just in Time for Christmas Gift Savings and a Chance to Win a Touring Car.

Primrose and Bridal Wreath Community Plate
SILVERWARE
Prices good this Market Week only.

Set of 6 Teaspoons, Per set	$1.19
Set of 6 Dessert Spoons, Per set	$1.95
Berry Spoons, Each	$1.45
Cold Meat Forks, Each	85c
Gravy Ladles, Each	95c
Sugar Shells, Each	95c
Butter Knives, Each	95c
Salad Forks, 6 in set, Per set	$2.95
6 Knives and 6 Forks, Per set	$5.00
A BEAUTIFUL SILVER CHEST—26-piece set; oak chest, 6 teaspoons, 6 tablespoons, 6 dinner knives, 6 dinner forks, 1 sugar shell, 1 butter knife. Complete, per chest	$12.50

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In Tea and Coffee Sets, Bread Trays, Sandwich Trays, Etc., All Priced to Save You Money.

Special—$18.50 Pearl Neclaces in velvet silk lined cases, at only ---------- $3.50

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—This is your opportunity to buy—and now!

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Dessert Spoons, set of 6, Per set	$5.95
Table Spoons, set of 6, Per set	$5.95
Coffee Spoons, set of 6 Per set	$2.95
Orange Spoons, set of 6, Per set	$4.50
Soup Spoons, set of 6 Per set	$5.95
Oyster Forks, set of 6, Per set	$3.95
Salad Forks, set of 6, Per set	$5.95
Butter Spreaders, set of 6, Per set	$5.00
Berry Spoons, each in a gift box, Each	$2.50
Sugar Shells, each in a gift box, Each	$1.00
Butter Knives, each in a gift box, Each	$1.00
Cold Meat Forks, each in a gift box, Each	$1.95
Gravy Ladles, each in a gift box, Each	$1.95

KNIVES AND FORKS IN SETS

Six medium modeled handle knives and 6 medium flat handle forks. Per set	$12.50
Six medium hollow handle knives and 6 medium flat handle forks. Per set	$15.95
Six medium hollow handle knives and 6 medium hollow handle forks. Per set	$18.50
Six dessert size hollow handle knives and 6 dessert size flat handle forks. Per set	$15.00

CHESTS

26-Piece Set, in solid mahogany, velvet lined chest; 6 hollow handle medium size knives; 6 flat handle forks, 6 tea spoons, 6 table spoons, 1 sugar shell, 1 butter knife. Per chest	$35.00
45-Piece Set, in solid mahogany chest; with drawer; velvet lined, brass lock and key; 12 tea spoons, 3 table spoons, 6 medium flat handle forks, 6 medium hollow handle knives, 6 soup spoons, 6 butter spreaders, 1 butter knife, 1 sugar shell, 1 cold meat fork, 1 berry spoon, 1 gravy ladle, 1 pickle fork, complete in chest. Per set	$50.00

City News

A. P. Nyman of Randeen spent Saturday here on business.

Stuart McLeod of Goodridge was a business caller here Friday.

Carl Loen of Radium visited with friends here Wednesday evening.

I. E. Quist of Warren spent Tuesday here on business matters.

A. W. Brink of St. Hilaire was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Dr. R. E. Spinks of Middle River was in the city Monday and Tuesday on business.

Miss Myrtle Gigstad of St. Hilaire was in the city between trains on Monday receiving dental treatment.

Mrs. O. Helgeland left Tuesday for Holt to spend several days with relatives.

Twenty million people have taken Tanlac with the most gratifying results. Lambert's drug store. d-1

Miss Ida Legvold, who teaches near Hazel, visited here with her mother over the Thanksgiving holidays.

Conrad Swanson of St. Hilaire was in the city on Friday visiting relatives.

Miss Adeline Christensen of Greenbush spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting local friends.

Mr and Mrs. F. H. Bovee of Roseau spent Friday and Saturday in the city on a shopping expedition.

J. H. Johnson of Clearbrook was in the city the latter part of last week on business.

Miss Mildred LaSalle, who is employed at Argyle, was in the city over Sunday visiting her parents.

Miss Elizabeth Muus arrived from Warren Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with local friends.

Tanlac's best advertising comes from people who have actually used it. Lambert's drug store. d-1

John Nystul, instructor in the school at Goodridge, was an over Sunday guest of friends here.

Mrs. Joe Johnson left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days with friends.

Misses Ellen Hoglin and Esther Wiberg, both of Lancaster, were visitors here on Sunday

E. J. Evenson of Middle River attended to business matters here on Monday.

Ed. Abbott and G. N. Potter of Grygle were callers here the first of the week.

Lester Hudson of New Rockford, N. D., was a week-end guest of Miss Marrian Miller.

Miss Therese Giefer, who taeches at Goodridge, spen the Thanksgiving holidays at her home here.

Wm. Moravec, traveling salesman, spent Thanksgiving visiting his parens here.

Lloyd Satre, who attends the Grand Forks business college, spent Thanksgiving at his home here.

Mrs. Wm. Kline, who teaches at Gully, spent Thanksgiving at her home here.

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire shopped here between trains on Saturday.

Misses Mattie Rossignol and Aurora Repelle of Red Lake Falls were shoppers here on Saturday.

N. E. Bergstrom came down from Roseau on Tuesday to attend to business affairs.

Misses Inga and Cora Newton left yesterday afternoon for Northwood, N. D., where they will be employed.

J. J. Hoglan of Alvarado spent Saturday here attending to matters of business.

Gust Ruud, A. D. Nordstrom and Gus Berg, all of Gatzke, were visitors here on Saturday.

G. L. Biddick, manager of the Peterson-Biddick Produce company, is in Roseau and surrounding territory on business this week.

F. C. Niclai, manager of the Thief River Cigar factory, is spending the week at Baudette and surrounding towns on business.

Ready to wear, shell frame spectacles, large eye, good lenses, $6.00. Nothing but spectacles. See Dr. Almy at Hotel Central, all this week. d-1-p

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bottelson of Blackduck spent Thanksgiving with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson.

Miss Lois Wold returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where she had spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Cora Wold.

Miss Edna Ryff, who had spent the Thanksgiving vacation visiting her parents at Paynesville, returned on Monday.

Miss Aldora Berg returned Saturday evening from Rolette, N. D., where she visited at home over Thanksgiving.

Miss Ruth Soule returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where she had visited during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Avis Akre returned to Bemidji Sunday after spending Thanksgiving at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Akre.

Miss Hulda Erickson returned to her home at Ada last Friday, after spending a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed. Pierson.

Miss Marrian Miller, who teaches at Breckenridge, spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. Betsey Miller.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson returned to Lancaster Monday morning after spending the Thanksgiving vacation at her home here.

Miss Emma Ptacek, who had spent two weeks visiting at Mavie with her parents, returned Tuesday to resume her work at Black's Sweet Shop.

Mrs. Nat Muzzy and baby son, who had spent a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Kisch, returned to Steiner Tuesday morning.

E. T. Remer will leave this evening for Minneapolis and points in the southern part of the state on matters of business.

Miss Myrtle Solem, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Solem, returned on Monday to her home at Holt.

Miss Clara Vraa left Monday afternoon for Fargo, where she will spend some time visiting relatives and friends.

Wm. Bakke spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting with friends here. Mr. Bakke is employed in a bank at Winger.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse and family spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting the latter's parents at McIntosh. They returned Saturday.

Andrew P. Nelson, well known farmer in the Gatzke district, was a business caller here the first of the week.

Miss Peterson returned to St. Hilaire, where she is engaged in teaching, after spending a couple of days as the guest of her friend, Miss Mabel McGinnity.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg came over from Goodridge on Wednesday evening and were guests over Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Julia Tandberg.

Miss Esther Tandberg, who spent the Thanksgiving holidays at her home here, returned to Oklee Monday morning to resume her duties as teacher.

Miss Ella Miller, who is engaged in teaching school at Nashwauk, visited over Thanksgiving at her home here. She returned to Nashwauk Sunday night.

Miss Dorothy Loen, who teaches at Trail, spent Wednesday evening with friends here enroute to Radium to spend the Thanksgiving holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Sampson returned to their home at Crookston on Friday, having spent Thanksgiving with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson.

Miss Selma Sorum returned to her home at Detroit on Monday, after having attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss Mabel Satre, on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Rose Hance returned to Red Lake Falls Saturday after spending a few days visiting at her home here. Miss Hance teaches near Red Lake Falls.

Victor and John Gran, Oscar, Marcus and Vernon Evenson left by car Saturday for Salol, where they will spend considerable time cutting timber.

Over a quarter of a million well-known men and women from different parts of the country have signed written endorsements for Tanlac. Lambert's drug store. d-1

Miss Florence Payne, a teacher in the local schools, spent Thanksgiving day as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hall at St. Hilaire.

Mrs. M. C. Brurud, who had spent several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Peterson, Kratka township, left yesterday afternoon for her home at Neilsville.

Miss Esther Gjertsen, cashier at the Great Northern depot, returned Monday from Sandstone, where she had visited her parents over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. O. K. Grover and Miss Olga Olson left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where the former will visit frends and the latter will be employed.

Mrs. M. McTigh and three children, who had spent a month and a half here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Swanson, returned to their home at Duluth Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hallen of Grand Forks spent Thursday in the city as guests at the home of Mrs. Hallen's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Storholm.

Rev. Stormo, the newly-installed pastor of the Lutheran church at Roseau, was a visitor in the city on Monday, a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Sweger.

Miss Lottie Austin left Tuesday morning for Fosston to spend a few days with her mother, later going to Crookston and Grand Forks to visit other relatives and friends. She will be absent for a week.

Chas. Ptacek, who had spent a week here receiving medical treatment for one of his hands which had been seriously injured which he was adjusting his car, returned to his home at Mavie Tuesday morning.

James Clauson of Oslo arrived the latter part of last week from Minneapolis, where he had been on business, and spent a couple of days visiting his sister, Miss Christine Clausen.

Mrs. H. L. Sande returned Tuesday evening from Warren, where she had spent the day receiving medical treatment. She is spending the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Lieut. Etta Hobson of the Salvation Army arrived Saturday evening and will fill the vacancy made by the recent departure of Lieut. Emily Campbell, who was called to her home at Superior.

Dr. Theodore Bratrud of Warren arrived in the city Tuesday evening and was a guest at the home of Mayor and Mrs. John Bratrud over Wednesday. He left that evening on a visit to Minneapolis.

Miss Ruth Satre, who had spent the Thanksgiving vacation at her home here, returned to Grand Forks Saturday to resume her studies at the university.

Miss Agnes Remmem was taken to the hospital on Monday and underwent an operation for chronic appendicitis. She is improving nicely in spite of her serious condition when taken there.

Miss Myrtle Satre returned on Saturday to Crookston to resume her duties in a rural school near there after spending Thanksgiving visiting her parents, who reside on a farm near this city.

Mrs. Louis Larson, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Nelson, and at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. B. Bakke, returned to Grand Forks on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Skarsad of Argyle arrived Wednesday evening to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum. Mr. Skarstad came down on Saturday and remained over Sunday. They both reurned home Monday morning.

Mrs. Kalland and two daughters, Misses Amanda and Helga, who had spent Thanksgiving as guests at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. W. J. Janda in Silverton township, returned on Saturday to their home at St. Hilaire.

Leslie Provencher came up from St. Paul the first of the week and is spending a few days as the guest of *his father* at the Hotel Evelyn. The young man is now employed in the auto license recording department at the state capital.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman, who have made this city their home for the past six years, will leave tomorrow night for Lincoln, Kansas, where Rev. Barackman has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Vorachek left the first of the week for Mahnomen, where they will attend a double silver wedding in which nephews of Mr. Vorachek and their wives are the principals. They are Mr. and Mrs. James Harazim and Mrs. and Mrs. John Andra.

John Ward, representing the National Biscuit company, in recognition of the patronage given him by the trade of Thief River Falls, has secured the services of a special salesman, Paul J. Berrisford of St. Paul, who is in the city this week assisting him in making displays and putting on special sales during Market Week.

American Legion Corner

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Buddy, you are a Minnesota Legionaire.

One of the 30,000 Minnesotans who not only served their country in war but are going to serve it in peace. One of the million former service men who in three short years have built up the American Legion, of which the whole nation is proud—which means so much in the life of America today.

Down through the years, the American Legion will go, carrying its message of loyalty to God, Country and Comrades. Will you, who have helped build up this great organization, continue to support it? Do you still believe in the American Legion, and will you do your part now by paying your dues for 1922, which your post officers must collect and forward by Dec. 31, 1921?

Place yourself in the position of your local post officers. Before the bells of the New Year ring out, they face the task of collecting and forwarding the national and state dues for 1922 to state and national headquarters. This is necessary in order that the Legion's work may go on—that the task which it has pledged itself to accomplish during the coming year may be carried out.

No great organization can achieve results without funds to finance its work. There is the American Legion Weekly to be published and sent to a million members; there is the work of the state and national service departments, the routine work of state and national headquarters, the functioning of the National Executive committee, the National Americanism commission, the National Legislative committee, and many other state and national committees, the expense of maintaining state and national Legion news bureaus, and the cost of all the routine work and innumerable special expenses which go with the functioning of any great national society.

One of the biggest tasks for the coming year will be that of securing the enactment of the Legion Federal adjusted compensation bill in congress. With the united moral and financial support of the entire membership this can be accomplished. Without the support of the entire membership the result is not so sure.

As State Commander, I am sending you this personal message because I feel that if you thoroughly understand the situation you will have no hesitation in doing your part. You have placed on my shoulders the responsibility of upholding the reputation of the American Legion of Minnesota during my term of office. I want to do that, and I want to increase the Legion membership in the Gopher state if possible. But I must have the help of each of our 30,000 Minnesota Legionaires and I am asking your help here and now. This is how you can help me most.

Instead of putting off paying your dues for 1922 from day to day, until they are past due, pay them today. Drop in on one of your post officers, or mail a check, and get squared away for another year. Your state and national leaders will then know where the organization stands and they can make their plans for 1922 without fear of financially embarassing our great organization. And by paying promptly you will be sure to receive every one of the 52 issues of the Aemrican Legion Weekly, commencing with the first issue of 1922.

Let's beat Iowa's record! Iowa has more Legion members in proportion to her former service men than any other state in the country. Minnesota can do better! Every buddy get a buddy. And be sure to pay his own dues too. Over the top for the Gopher state!

Your Department Commander,
ARTHUR A. VAN DYKE.

STICK TO DAIRY COW.

Lake City Graphic-Republican: Judging by the present market price, the dairy farmer is the one in luck. Just about the time the price of grain goes down the price of dairy products goes up. The good old dairy cow is a pretty good thing to stick to.

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By all means clip your coupons promptly and place the amounts to your credit in your savings account, that still more interest may accrue.

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Have you seen the dresses at $15.95? They sure are nifty and good materials. Another new shipment for this week.

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Men's Scotch Caps $1.18
Men's Work Pants $1.35
Men's heavy wool Kersey Pants $3.85
Men's Wool-mixed Dress Pants $3.19
Men's Extra Quality Leather Mittens 85c
Men's Extra Heavy Wool Mittens, $1 values 68c
Men's Kersey Winter Caps Leather-lined, $3.50 values $2.45
Men's heavy Winter Caps All styles 58c to $1.45

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$2.50 Ties $1.65

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Boys' Knee Pants 79c
Boys' Wool Knee Pants $1.69
Boys' Leather-top RUBBERS $2.45
Men's Heavy Wool Sox 29c
Extra Heavy Mackinaw Shirts $3.45
Boys' Fleece Lined Union Suits 88c
Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers 58c
Men's Extra Heavy Cotton Shirts & Drawers 58c
Men's Fleece Lined Union Suits $1.18
Boys' Heavy Lamb's Down Union Suits $1.50
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Boys' Flannel NIGHT SHIRTS 79c

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$3.50 Shirts $1.98
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Men's and Boys' high grade Union Suits, such as Lewis and Munsing, at extra special savings.

Men's wool mixed Union Suit $1.98
Munsing wool mixed Union Suit $3.85
Men's pure Munsing Union Suit for indoor wear $3.45
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Here are plenty to choose from—in solid colors or striped cotton, or strictly pure wool. All go at about half price.

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Prowler Issue.

Our readers will notice that most of the space in this issue of the Progress is devoted to the Prowler of 1922. The purpose is to boost and advertise this important enterprise. It has been found necessary. In order that an annual may be published we must have 350 subscribers before the contract for printing can be let. About 200 have been subscribed for to date, so about 150 must be sold within the next few days.

It will be a great disappointment to the class of 1922 as well as the rest of the high school and members of the alumni if the old custom of publishing an annual has to be discontinued. It would tend to show that there lacked interest, spirit and co-operation, and that our high school was going backward.

We are receiving support from the business men, and we certainly hope that more of the students and members of the alumni will help us make the Prowler of 1922 a certainty.—M. L. '22.

Buy a Prowler.

What Value Has an Annual?

When we Americans use the word "value," we have a tendency to think of value in terms of money. But in placing a value on a high school annual we can not use monetary measures. It has no market value, and it can not readily be exchanged for other desirable goods. What, then, gives it value—makes it desirable? It will of course be of value chiefly to those who have in any way been connected with the school that published it, and who want to remember that school and its associations. Here we have the true property, which gives a high school annual value—it serves as a remembrance.

Now, why do we want a remembrance? Why don't we want to pass out into the world and forget all about our Alma Mater and all that we held dear there? That is a question that each one of us will have to answer for himself. Each one will have particular reasons for wishing to remember his high school life. But there are certain phases of school life that we all live in common. There are our school-mates, whose association we prize and whose memory we will always hold dear. Some of our best friends will pass out of our lives when our ways part at the end of our high school career, but we do not wish entirely to forget them. Then there are our teachers. We certainly want something material to remember them by. High school teachers are as a rule the select characters of humanity, and their influence upon our lives will become more and more apparent as we begin to understand better the many-phased perplexities of life.

High school marks the passing of childhood and the transition into maturity. We will want to remember the sports and club activities of our youth and the jokes and humor which characterized our adolescence.

Just how does our annual fulfill this purpose? An annual is chiefly a picture book, and that is what it should be. Pictures of our schoolmates, teachers, and the various organizations, as well as the snapshots, will be the best possible reminders that we can take with us when we leave school.

The annual serves also as an effective advertisement for the school and the city. Prospective students will be favorably influenced by a good annual, which is the only catalogue a high school distributes. It acquaints the parents better than perhaps anything else with just what kind of a school their children are attending.—O. H. '23.

Have you bought your Prowler yet?

Twenty Years After.

I was tired—more tired than I could remember ever having been before—and my mind was so full of one thing, the Prowler, that I could not muster the necessary energy to concentrate on any lesson. The pages blurred, the letters formed into fantastic shapes, and the book felt like lead in my hands. Giving up in despair, I flung the book on the floor and turned out the light preparatory to going to sleep. Within five minutes I had been transported into the land of dreams, or, to be more exact, into a time when the calendar registered the year 1942, and into a house which seemed to be filled with school-mates from the days when I had attended high school.

School was the main topic of conversation, and we refreshed our memories at frequent intervals by looking through a number of old annuals which had in some miraculous way appeared on the scene; and it was the most natural thing in the world that these should be Prowlers from Lincoln High. Turning over the well thumbed leaves we gave vent to exclamations of delight at each new thing we found. "Gee," said someone, on seeing several of the snapshots, "Weren't we the monarchs of all we surveyed in those days though. Thought we knew it all—but it didn't take long after we left school to find out that we didn't."

"Oh, well," said another, "It was a 'grand and glorious feeling' while it lasted anyhow."

"Yes," agreed the first pensively; then turning over to the next page, "Here's the Junior class. Wonder where they are now. Suppose they have wandered just as far from their Alma Mater as we have. Oh, but wouldn't it be great to see al these people again and talk over old times with them! Believe me, if I ever get a chance I'm going to look some of them up, and I'll let you know about it, too. Maybe we could arrange some sort of a reunion."

"I'm with you on that," said one who had not till then spoken, "I think I'd give almost anything to see them once more. I never knew how much I missed them until I saw that old Prowler. I bought one, too, when they were published, but I wore it out long ago. It didn't seem to be worth much then, but right now I'd give almost anything to get one again. Think of it; the only real record of our high school days that there is in existence—and when that's gone we can never get another. One piece of advice I'd like to give all high school pupils is that if they ever get a chance to buy an annual, they ought to buy a dozen instead of one; then there wouldn't be any danger of not having one whenever they'd want to see it. And it costs so little—only a couple of dollars. That's an investment that will pay more in solid enjoyment than any other way that I know, not only for a day, or a week, or a year, but for an entire lifetime. And when you come to think of it, that's some investment."

At this point the alarm clock ungraciously went off, summoning me to another day's work and worries; but the memory of the dream stuck in my mind, and I wondered if our Prowler WOULD be as valuable as that some twenty years from now. I do not know, because the twenty years have not yet rolled round. One thing I do know is that those annuals I have could not be bought for money. Could yours?—A. S. '24.

What will you take for your Prowler twenty years from now?

What the Prowler Will Be.

The Prowler of 1922 is to be the very best in its line. It will be something different from what you have seen in the other publications of its kind. There is to be a variety of pictures. You won't see pictures of the same people on every page of the book. Since we have a number of good writers of both poetry and prose, we shall have a large collection of good literary work.

It would take pages to tell you just what you will find in the annual. I am therefore going to take you on a little trip through the book and point out some of the most interesting items. As we open the book we find the dedication. Then we see the pictures of the superintendent and members of the school board. These are followed by pictures of the schools and a list of the faculty of each. Then we come to our own faculty. After passing the faculty we come to the seniors. We linger a while here so as to give you plenty of time to look them over. Then we come to the classes and organization and their pictures. Finally we come to the most interesting section of the Literary and Social departments, the product of some of our literary artists. From now on we shall travel a little slower as we have come into the "comics," the jokes and snapshots. Here we shall find the wit of all the students in the high school as well as that of the teachers. Here is where we end our trip.

Now we have taken you through the Prowler and have given you an idea of what it is to be. You ought not rest a minute till you have a subscription receipt in your hands. This will guarantee you an annual at the time of publication. Don't wait any longer. Buy now before it is too late.—G. W., Edicor-in-Chief.

We report Progress with the Prowler.

The Cost of an Annual.

An annual represents the noblest work of the engraver, printer and staff. To edit and publish such a book as the Prowler of '22 takes a great deal of work on the side of the staff, engraver, and printer. It also takes money.

The staff works out of love for and interest in their class. The engraver and printer, on the other hand, must live and to live must receive pay for their work. A former Prowler cost $1,600. The Prowler of '22 will cost approximately $700. About half of this sum will go to the printer, $250 to the engraver and the rest will be used for other expenses. Willing though we might be, therefore, it is impossible to make you a present of an annual. We want you to have one, but we've got to sell it to you! —L. A., Business Manager.

A Well-Earned Annual.

When the Seniors announced that they were going to publish an annual, I began saving my money to get one.

To start with I had one dollar and ten cents which I had got by picking and shelling navy beans during the summer. I spent about two weeks at this, but it was my first job and I thought that I was getting good wages, so I worked faithfully at it.

I helped a lady beat her carpets one afternoon. For this she gave me fifty cents. She also paid me thirty-nine cents for helping her once before. This made me one dollar and ninety-nine cents. This was the last chance I had for earning any money for a few weeks.

One evening there was going to be a dance. A lady called me up and asked me if I would come and keep her baby so she could go. I promised to come. When I came to her home, I told her I was trying to save enough to get an annual. She said that she would give me enough to make two dollars for keeping her baby that night. I thought forty cents for one evening was very good pay so I did everything I could to amuse the baby and finally got it to bed. But its mother did not come home until three o'clock and when she did come, she did not have the change. She said she would pay me the next afternoon.

The next afternoon the lady came over to pay me. She asked how much I needed to make the two dollars. I got my money to count it and when I counted it I had one dollar and ninety-nine cents; I had forgotten the thirty-nine cents which the first lady had paid and that I only needed one cent to make the two dollars. The lady said she never broke any promises and that she had promised to give me enough to make two dollars. One cent was all she owed me and one cent was all she paid me. It was a disappointment, all right, but it filled my two dollars nevertheless and I got my annual.—Ethel B.

Your picture's in the Prowler. You are getting one, of course.

The fine for absence, excused or not excused, was changed to five cents. Articles on the duties of Roman consuls were read by Herbert Keene and Orrin Storholm. Part of an interesting story was read by Emmett Shanahan. It was announced that the club picture was to be taken Wednesday, November 23. Latin games were then played until eight o'clock, when the meeting adjourned. —A. S., Aedile.

Activities of the Superior Latin Club.

The Superior Latin club is divided into classes corresponding to the classes in Rome at the time of Cicero. The Cicero pupils are the nobles; the Caesar pupils the knights, and the Latin I pupils, the plebians. At the first meeting, Lorrayne Crandall and Florence Haney were elected consuls and Camille Warner, tribune.

The Girls' Superior Latin club held its weekly meeting Thursday, Nov. 10. It was decided that a fine of one cent a minute and not more than ten cents was to be paid by anyone coming late, also that anyone absent from a meeting should be fined five cents. After election of officers, Lorrayne Crandall, presiding consul, took charge of the meeting. There was a short program consisting of a talk on the duties of a consul by Ruth Knutson, a poem by Lydia Dahlen, and a reading entitled, "The Story of a Roman Boy," by Margaret Melgaard. After the program, Latin games were played.

The following officers were elected: Censors, Alice Gobler and Pearl Weeks; Quaestors, Lydia Dahlen and Ruth Knutson; Aediles, Hilda Peterson and Lucile Curtis.

On Thursday evening, Nov. 17, at 7:30, Miss Stebbins' room was the scene of the third meeting of the Superior Latin club. The meeting was called to order by Florence Haney, presiding consul. Roll call was taken by Pearl Weeks, Censor, and the minutes of the previous meeting read by Hilda Peterson, Aedile. Extracts on "The Life of the Roman Boy" and the "Formation of the Roman Government" were rendered by Lorrayne Crandall and Harriet Morgan, respectively. Three original stories written by Lorrayne Crandall, Lucile Curtis and Thomas Melgaard were translated. A semi-Latin poem by Margaret Melgaard completed the program, after which some played Latin games while others made plans for a Latin play to be given before the club at some future time.—H. P., L. C., Aediles.

Let's put the Prowler "over the top."

Physics as a High School Subject.

Physics is a science or study of the physical world in which we live. We meet with it constantly in everyday life. Therefore it is one of the most practical subjects taught in our high school.

In studying physics we learn a great many things, such as why a stone falls and a balloon rises. Physics, like the rest of the sciences, is based upon certain fundamental laws and theories. A law is a proven fact. A theory is merely an idea, which often leads to the discovery of a great many facts.

I think the most interesting theory we have studied so far in physics is that of molecular motion. According to the theory all substances are composed of very minute particles called molecules which are always in a very rapid motion. The more heat applied to a substance the wider these molecules travel, so causing expansion. Molecules are so small that they cannot be seen even with the most powerful microscopes. The number of them contained in a cubic centimeter of air is twenty-seven billion-billion.

All our machinery is based on the laws of physics. The clock is based on the laws of the pendulum. When the clock gains or loses time, it is because the pendulum is either too long or too short. Therefore if a clock is to give correct time, the pendulum must be adjusted to exactly the correct length.

Science is growing in importance each year as new and wonderful things are discovered and invented. A great many students try to avoid sciences in their courses. They should not do this, for they never realize what an opportunity they are missing.

In studying physics we learn to appreciate the work of the great men who have made many of the great discoveries that make our modern world possible.—M. M.

Today is Prowler Day.

Spelling Prize.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich has offered five dollars in cash to be distributed as the teachers see fit for the best work in spelling in the Central building. A little later on in the year a contest will be held to select the best speller in each of the seventh and eighth grades and each will be given a prize of two and one-half dollars in cash.

Probably there are other business or professional men in the city who are willing to offer prizes of this kind. It becomes an incentive for the boys and girls and better work results. The teachers are grateful to Dr. Froehlich for the step he has taken in this direction.

Boost the Prowler.

Washington Notes.

Misses Laura and Emma Jorgenson spent the Thanksgiving vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Desmond of Burrell Court, Fargo, N. D.

The normal girls started practice teaching in oral language and silent reading in the fourth grade this week.

Miss Johnson tested the children

A Duck Story.

One often hears of fish stories but hardly ever duck stories. As to the truth of this one, which I am about to narrate, ask any high school student who heard Mr. Rapacz's tale of Mr. Kline's adventure or who saw the duck—but this is getting ahead of my story.

About two hundred miles west of Thief River Falls there is a lake known as Cranberry lake located near Fillmore, North Dakota. This lake, which is approximately ten miles in circumference, is alkaline, the water containing borax and soda in solution. At certain times of the year this water becomes so dense as to make it unnecessary for a person to know how to swim as he can easily keep afloat with no effort. Under proper weather conditions, cold weather and high winds, the borax and soda form crystals which attach themselves to anything which may touch the water.

Sunday, Nov. 6, when thousands upon thousands of ducks and geese were flying over Cranberry Lake, many of them alighted on the lake to rest and feed. In the afternoon, hunters noticed the lake was filled with ducks which appeared unable to fly when shot at. Rowing out on the lake in boats the hunters knocked the ducks on the head and pulled them in. Soon town people came rushing out in cars, filling them with ducks and driving home again. For two days ducks and geese were killed by the thousands, many more freezing to death as there was no chance of escape once they alighted on the lake. Small crystals gathered on the birds' feathers, gluing their wings to their sides and making them useless. These crystals kept gathering continually to their feathers, making them heavy and helpless. A goose was killed which weighed sixty-two pounds, yet only dressed fourteen, the crystals weighing a total of almost fifty pounds. The reason the goose did not sink was because the water was so dense.

To prove the truth of this story, Mr. Kline, who works on the Soo line, brought back fifteen ducks given him by a citizen of Fillmore. He gave one of them to Mr. Rapacz, who showed it to the students of the high school, where it aroused considerable curiosity.

This is the second time in the memory of the citizens of Fillmore that ducks have been trapped in this manner. It is not likely to occur again for a long time.—H. M. E. '21.

Save your money and buy a Prowler.

Burning the Midnight Oil.

(By Edw. O. Ringstad.)

This is only too well known as a phrase, coined not only to indicate the practices of late hour work on the part of the searcher of knowledge but to condone, perhaps, such practices. If anybody, however, needs to put himself under the injunction of regular hours, it is the student. Presumptions are that he is fitting himself for a lifework of strenuous, insistent toil to which the most ardent efforts of undergraduate days do but compare as child's play. Whoever prepares wisely for such lifework, will show as much regard for the formation of regular habits as for closeness of application in study. Few items count as heavily in habit formation as seeking the proper amount of rest and at regular intervals. Much as one may think while enjoying plenty of youthful health and energy that the demands of regularity may be violated with impunity, results of such violations may come back to pester the offender later in life. Very often the medical practitioner will inquire of the patient as to the childhood diseases he may have had, since he knows that in the consequences of these are laid the foundations for ills of maturity. Similarly the ills of character, that often turn up to worst us in the critical moments of life, have their foundations laid in the neglected ailments of youth. Take it from one who has already reached the "watershed of life" and whose course henceforward will run downhill, that plenty of rest, and taken with regularity, will bring their returns in bodily health and mental resilience at a time when life's recuperative powers are running low.—Manitou Messenger.

226 "DAKOTANS" IN BANK OFFICES

Some 600 banks now call on Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., for bookkeepers, stenographers, etc. 226 of these young folks have advanced to cashiers, tellers, even presidents, and employ D. B. C. students themselves. Pres. Bischof, Farmers & Merchants Bank of Lehr and Pres. Linderman, Citizens State Bank of Pingree, both D. B. C. graduates, recently got office help from their old school.

Take their "silent advice" as to what school to attend. "Follow the Succe$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

You need a Prowler; the Prowler needs you!

The Boys' Latin Club.

The second meeting of the Boys' Latin club was called to order at 7 o'clock, November 16, by the presiding consul, Thomas Melgaard. Roll call was taken by Emmett Shanahan.

The following sixth grade pupils have been neither tardy nor absent the past six weeks: Margaret Barzen, Margaret Bjorkman, Ethel Carlson, Eleanor Hoglin, Ruby Ihle, Ernest Krause, Raymond Larson, Annette Parenteau, Louise Roth, Wesley Rith, Agnes Quindlog, Alfred Stokke and Gladys Weeks.

The upstairs marching pennant was won by the fifth and sixth grades.

Milk is being served at the recesses and at noon to all children who wish to have it. The under weight children are especially urged to get it.

The normal girls have been practice teaching in the fifth grade.

Mrs. Streeter visited the first grade Monday afternoon.

Miss Edna Ryff spent Thanksgiving vacation at her home at Paynesville.

Miss Myrtle Gigstad of St. Hilaire visited the second grade Monday afternoon.

Miss Florence Payne spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall at St. Hilaire.

Julius Johnson, third grade, re-entered school this week, having been absent for a month on account of illness in the family.

The first grade won the marching pennant on the first floor this week.

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Administration's Corner

EDUCATION WEEK.

Next week is American Education Week. It is observed under the auspices of the National Education Association and the American Legion. The slogan for the week throughout the nation should be "KNOW YOUR SCHOOLS." The schools of Thief River Falls will observe the week by being "at home" all week to all patrons and friends of the schools.

We are not going to show off. We are going to share with you what we are, what we have and what we do. We want you to see the work we are doing from day to day. We want you to know our accomplishments and our needs. We want your co-operation and support in meeting these needs. We want you to co-operate with us and help us teach and foster good Americanism.

"No service has suffered more from unintelligent criticism than the schools. The average citizen does not read educational literature or accounts of teachers' meetings or visit schools to learn what they are doing. He has a conception of school only as he knew it in his own school days. American Education Week should give the taxpayers who furnish the funds for the public schools first-hand knowledge of the service for which they pay. Education cannot afford to neglect this opportunity to advertise its aims and purposes."

In connection with Education Week do not overlook the meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association Monday evening. There will be an excellent program and lunch will be served.

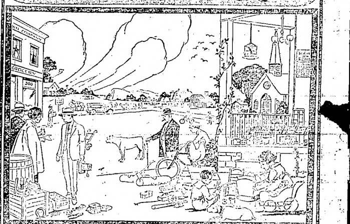

You Can Win $1000.00

How Many Objects in this Picture Start With the Letter "C"

That's what you are to determine. Sounds easy, doesn't it? And it is easy. Without any trouble whatever you can readily see such objects as "Cow," "Calf," "Cigar," "Cup," etc., can't you? Well, the others are just as easy to see, but the idea is to see who can find the most. Fifteen cash prizes will be given for the fifteen best lists of words submitted in answer to this puzzle. The person sending in the largest and nearest correct list of objects shown in the picture, starting with the letter "C" will win first prize, second best, second-prize, etc.

Young and Old, Join In The Fun

The Farmers' Dispatch, The St. Paul Dispatch and Pioneer Press announce today another interesting and amusing puzzle game—a puzzle that is different from the ordinary and a game in which all can participate. Get out a pencil or your pen and ink and start making up a list of words you can find in the picture above that start with the letter "C." It is not a trick puzzle and all objects are clearly shown. Nothing is hidden and you don't need to turn the picture upside-down, nor tilt it to one side or the other. It is interesting, educational and fascinating. Nothing hard; just different. Yes, all join in—old folks, middle-aged and young folks. See who can find the most "C-Words." As soon as you have your list made up, send it in and try for the big prizes.

You Can Win $1,000

If your list of "C-Words" is awarded FIRST, SECOND or THIRD prize by the judges you will win $35, but if you would like to win more than $35, we are making the following special offers whereby you can win bigger cash prizes by sending in one or two subscriptions with remittance to cover (to be delivered by mail or carrier (new or renewal).

HERE'S HOW: If your answer to the "C-Word" Picture Puzzle wins FIRST, SECOND or THIRD prize and you have sent in ONE subscription to the Daily St. Paul Dispatch or Daily Pioneer Press (by Mail or Carrier) or 5 one year subscriptions to the Farmers' Dispatch (semi-weekly) you will receive $350 instead of $35. FOURTH prize $150, FIFTH prize $100, etc. (See second column of figures in prize list).

OR, if your answer wins FIRST, SECOND or THIRD prize and you have sent in TWO subscriptions to the Daily St. Paul Dispatch or Daily Pioneer Press (by mail or carrier) or 10 one year subscriptions to The Farmers' Dispatch, you will receive $1,000 in place of $35. FOURTH prize $300; FIFTH prize $200, etc. (See third column of figures in prize list).

How is that for a liberal offer? But LOOK, there are three $1,000 prizes. Therefore, if you stand FIRST, SECOND, or THIRD and have qualified your answer by sending in the required number of subscriptions, you will win $1,000. It takes but two subscriptions (two new or one new and one renewal to either daily paper, or 10 one year subscriptions, either new or renewal, to The Farmers' Dispatch) to qualify for the big $1,000 Rewards. You can do this with very little effort. Your own subscription may count as one. We can also take subscriptions (by mail or carrier) to start at any future date.

OBSERVE THESE SIMPLE RULES

1. Any man, woman or child residing outside of St. Paul and Minneapolis, who is not an employe of The Dispatch Printing Co., or a member of an employe's family, may submit an answer.
2. All answers must be mailed on or before December 17th, 1921.
3. Answers should be written on one side of the paper only and words numbered consecutively—1, 2, 3, etc. Write your full name and address on each page in the upper right hand corner. If you desire to write anything else, use a separate sheet.
4. Only words found in the English Dictionary will be counted. Do not use hyphenated, compound or obsolete words. Use either the singular or plural, but if the plural is used, the singular cannot be counted and vice versa.
5. Words of the same spelling can be used only once, even though used to designate different objects. The object can be named only once, however, any part of the object may also be named.
6. The person sending in the largest and nearest correct list of words will win first prize; second best, second prize, etc. Papers will be judged on a merit system of points—10 points being allowed for each correct word sent in and 10 points deducted for each incorrect word or omission.
7. Candidates may co-operate in answering the puzzle, but only one prize will be awarded to any one household, nor will prizes be awarded to more than one of any group outside of the family where two or more have been working together.
8. In the event of a tie for any prize offered, the full amount of such prize will be paid to each tied participant.
9. Subscriptions (both new and renewal) by mail or carrier, outside of St. Paul and Minneapolis will be accepted. However, in qualifying for the $1,000 Bonus Rewards at least one NEW subscription must be sent in. A new subscriber is any one who has not been receiving the Daily St. Paul Dispatch or the Daily Pioneer Press by mail or carrier since December 1st, 1921. (Farmers' Dispatch subscriptions may be new or renewal).
10. Subscribers who at the present time are receiving the Daily St. Paul Dispatch or the Daily Pioneer Press by carrier, will not be allowed to change over to the mail delivery [illegible] credit thereon for the Maximum Bonus Reward. All subscriptions will be carefully verified by the Puzzle Manager. Candidates working old subscriptions as new will positively forfeit the credit of such subscriptions as qualifying for the Maximum Bonus Rewards.
11. Answers will receive the same consideration regardless of whether or not a subscription is sent in.
12. There will be three independent judges having no connection with the St. Paul Dispatch, St. Paul Pioneer Press or Farmers' Dispatch, who will judge the answers submitted and award the prizes and participants agree to accept the decision of the judges as final and conclusive.
13. The Judges will meet on December 24, 1921, and the announcement of the Prize Winners and the correct list of words will be published in the St. Paul Dispatch, St. Paul Pioneer Press and the Farmers' Dispatch, just as quickly thereafter as possible.

THE PRIZES

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3rd "	35.00	350.00	1,000.00
4th "	20.00	150.00	300.00
5th "	15.00	100.00	200.00
6th "	10.00	75.00	150.00
7th "	7.50	40.00	80.00
8th "	5.00	30.00	60.00
9th "	3.00	20.00	40.00
10th "	2.00	15.00	30.00
11th "	2.00	15.00	30.00
12th "	2.00	15.00	30.00
13th "	2.00	15.00	30.00
14th "	2.00	15.00	30.00
15th "	2.00	15.00	30.00

NOTE—See other ways to qualify in box elsewhere in this advertisement.

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Imperfect Page

(Additional School News Page 9)

Jokes and Personals.

Miss Stavig: "What stimulated immigration?"

Myrtle M.: "People were anxious to expand; also conditions in the water were better."

Miss Stavig: "What was done for social betterment?"

Clarence Rice: "Schools for the in[illegible] were established."

Miss Stavig: "All people wouldn't derive benefits from that, would they?"

In Other Words: None.

Mrs. Konstad: "Allison, how many problems have you worked for today?"

Allison: "All but the last fifteen."

[illegible] Rapacz: "There will be a Par[illegible]-Teacher meeting here tonight, all of your parents are invited to [illegible]resent."

[illegible]a A.: "I've only got two par[illegible]"

Miss Stavig: "Inga, what was the preemption act?"

Inga: "It was a right that gave any man a right to a tract of land if he would settle it and—er—you know."

(We presume that Miss Stavig does know.)

Miss Gormely: "Harriet, what was the bond of union between the Greeks?"

Harriet: (After a long pause) "[illegible]on suits."

Rusty's Philosophy.

Miss Chamberlain: "Describe your admired character of 'The Tempest,' Russell."

Russell: "I admire Prospero the most. He wasn't very clean shaven. He'd gotten kind of wooly from living all alone on a desert island. He must have been good looking, though, because he had red hair. Ahem!"

A Member in Our Midst.

Miss Stavig: "What was the Know Nothing Party?"

Bright Student: "I don't know."

Miss Gormely: "Hebert (pronounced Aye-bere) was ultra-radical."

Cleon: "Well, so would I be, if I had such a name."

Anna A.: "I think this history is altogether too personal."

Florence H.: "Why so?"

Anna: "It even tells about the retirement of Jefferson."

Has It Come to This?

Mr. Stenhoff: "Roy, if you can't sit there without talking, I'll have to separate you." (Picture Toby.)

Somebody: "Say, Florence, who was that girl Craig had on the ice last night?"

Somebody Else: "Why, don't you know? That's Mabel Halvorson."

Rusty had just finished discussing the first cotton factory in the United States. Soon there came a note around the class reading, "Rusty's sweater was the first article made in that cotton factory. Pass it on."

Buell Will was absent Thursday forenoon as a result of a broken wrist acquired on the ice the previous evening. Buell wears his arm in a sling now.

Mr. Rapacz: "Herchell, what is the argument against the infant industry theory?"

Herchell: ? ? ? ?

Mr. Rapacz: "Well, sometimes the infant gets too large."

Unknown member: "Something like 'Fat' here."

Lylian and Loyal Arnold have just enrolled in the high school. The former is a Freshman and the latter a Senior. They hail from Montevideo, Minnesota.

Have a Heart.

Mr. Harner: "What is the atmospheric pressure?"

Student: "760 millimeters of mercy."

He Saw Even Deeper.

In shorthand classes the pupils are often asked to do sight reading. Upon one occasion Miss Heilman asked for volunteers to read the following sentence: "We can see through their schemes." Whereupon the volunteer read, "We can see through their skins."

Don't be a growler; buy a Prowler.

SLOAN'S RELIEVES NEURALGIC ACHES

FOR forty years Sloan's Liniment has been the quickest relief for neuralgia, sciatica and rheumatism, tired muscles, lame backs, sprains and strains, aches and pains.

Keep Sloan's handy and apply freely, without rubbing, at the first twinge.

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Sloan's Liniment (Pain's enemy)

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The torture of skin itch will quickly be relieved by applying before retiring. Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. One of Dr. Hobson's Family Remedies.

Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

A pleasant surprise party, attended by about 75 people, took place in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen at their home Thanksgiving evening. The evening was merrily passed in a social way and shortly before midnight a lunch brought by the visitors was served. A purse containing $53.50 was given to Mr. and Mrs. Sagmoen. John Remmem, leader of the event, spoke briefly in behalf of those present. Among those from a distance who were present were noted Misses Hilda Hanson and Pearl Mellem of Viking, and Miss Clara Sorenson and Mildred Remmem of Thief River Falls.

Miss Minnie Sorenson, who has been employed near Northwood, N. D., the past summer, came home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem entertained the following at Thanksgiving dinner: S. S. Nordgaard, Melvin Nordgaard, Hilda Hanson and Pearl Mellem of Viking, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Nelson and family of Anita, Miss Carrie Nelson of Thief River Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mellem and family.

Walter Kron from town of Norden is in the employ of John Remmem this week hauling gravel for an additional sidewalk to be built in the spring.

Simon Gullseth of Middle River was in town Monday visiting with his brother, Anton Gullseth, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson were pleasantly entertained at the Benard Ranum home Sunday evening.

I have a few bushels of early Ohio seed potatoes for sale. Remmem's Bargain Store.—Adv.

Miss Lyda Batten and Miss Delma Dols came home Thursday from their school work at Thief River Falls to spend Thanksgiving at their respective homes.

Alec Hellquist spent Wednesday at Thief River Falls on business.

Fall slaughtering time has arrived on every farm.

Handkerchiefs in holiday boxes at fancy prices ranging from ten cents each to $1.50. Also dolls, playthings and holiday goods, with a wide selection. Remmem's Bargain Store.—Adv.

Miss Carrie Nelson, who has been employed at Thief River Falls, came home on Thanksgiving and will spend the remainder of the winter at home.

C. E. Hellquist is now employed as engineer on the Wheatline passenger through here, and has a three times a week run between Thief River Falls and Overly.

Miss Agnes Mosbeck left Friday evening for St. Hilaire to stay with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Hanson.

Ned Hanson was in town on Wednesday visiting with friends.

Annie Tharaldson, the Busy Bee teacher, and Miss Fellman of Willowdale spent Thanksgiving at their homes at Thief River Falls.

A carload of corn is being unloaded at the elevator. The greater part is subscribed for and is dumped directly into the farmers' wagons.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson left Wednesday evening for Gully, where they spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, were Thanksgiving visitors at the J. E. Hellquist home.

John Sorenson, Emil Anderson and Joseph Whitmark spent Wednesday on business at Thief River Falls.

Miss Mildred Remmem of Thief River Falls spent a few days this week with Mrs. Anton Gullseth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., of Thief River Falls were Thanksgiving visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. Halgrim.

John Remmem went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening.

John Sorenson and Herbert Carlson spent Sunday afternoon visiting friends at Thief River Falls.

Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will speak at the Swedish church next Sunday evening at 7:30.

Miss Gladys Swenson went to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to spend Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon.

Emil and Peter Mellem motored to Holt on Monday to secure a road graveling contract, and will commence work within a few days.

Card of Thanks: We hereby wish to extend our cordial thanks to all our kind friends and neighbors who so pleasantly surprised us last Thursday evening, and for the sum of money which was given us.—Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen. d-1-p

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Crown and son and Miss Ida Moen of Thief River Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom and family were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom at Thanksgiving dinner.

Martin and Iver Westby of Goodridge motored up to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Westby.

Roscoe Batten, who has been receiving medical treatment at Minneapolis this fall, came home last week much improved.

NUMEDAL

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Larson of Cass Lake are visiting friends and relatives in this locality.

Thuro and Mrs. J. A. Blomberg called at the O. A. Brink home last Thursday.

J. Joringdal is busy hauling baled hay to Viking.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son, Winton, were guests at the Olaf Larson home Thursday.

George Bugge, Oliver Ronning and Oscar Olson were among those who took in the dance at Viking Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal and family were Thanksgiving guests at the O. Ordal home.

Conrad Ronning called at the Joe Ronning home Thursday evening.

Thure, Herman, Hjalmer and Ed. Blomberg and Carl Brating motored to Thief River Falls Friday evening to attend the meeting and dance of the Yeomen lodge.

Miss Agnes Forslund, who is teaching school at Angus, spent the latter part of last week visiting with her home folks here.

Thure Blomberg was busy hauling grain to town last week.

Richard Joringdal of Thief River Falls visited with his home folks on Sunday.

Norval Johnson is assisting Albert Forslund with his hay baling.

Carl Jacobson of Viking accompanied Hjalmer and Ed. Blomberg on a hunting expedition Sunday.

Forrest Hedrick called at the J. Bugge home Monday evening.

Herman Blomberg, who has been employed on the Soo line for the last two years, left Monday for Lincoln, Nebr., where he will take a course in electrical engineering at the Lincoln Auto and Tractor school.

Peter and Tommy Joringdal autoed to Thief River Falls Monday.

Thuro Blomberg motored to Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mrs. Olaf Larson and David Samuelson were Sunday callers at the A. O. Brink home.

Soren Knutson, Oscar Olson and Thure Blomberg called at the Olaf Larson home Monday evening.

John, Oliver and Conrad Ronning were Thief River Falls shoppers on Tuesday.

Hjalmer Blomberg and George Bugge motored to Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

David Samuelson was a Viking shopper Monday.

Albert Forslund autoed to Viking Saturday.

Oscar Olson is employed at the Soren Knutson farm at present.

STEINER

The new gravel pit on the old Brann farm three miles northwest of this place is now well under way. A considerable area already is stripped, a large tractor having been used for the purpose. Some 25 or 30 teams are already hauling gravel from this pit and it is expected this number will soon be increased. The teams are hauling from two to three yards to the load. The haulers receive 35 cents for loading and 20 cents per mile for hauling.

August Austinson made a business trip to Thief River Falls last week.

The Rogers family had Thanksgiving dinner at the J. A. Russell home.

Willis Warring was a business visitor here the last of the week.

Henry Rogers left for Vancouver, Wash., where he will meet his two brothers, Jerry and Hobson. After a visit with them he will look up a location for a future business in automobile repair work. He also expects to visit the Borden family, located in that vicinity.

Dan Dowaeter and Gus Austinson will be on the gravel haul next week.

Steve Warring left last week for Hibbing, where he expects to work the coming winter.

The Slack boys expect to leave for the tall timber in northern Minnesota in the near future.

The relatives of Mr. Kisch arrived last week from Germany. They will remain on the old Kisch farm and assist in conducting it, so we are informed.

Irwin Russell was a caller at the Meyers home one day last week.

Mr. Schnatzen now has the Harvey Copp buildings rented and is living there while he hauls gravel.

Mr. Rogers has been filling his barn with hay the past few days.

The Berg boys captured a wolf last week.

Julius Alby is hauling gravel with a four-horse team.

A fine Holstein sire has been secured for the Rogers farm from the herd of Hugh Best.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Standing timber in any size tracts to suit buyer. E. E. Franklin, 6 miles southeast of Thief River Falls on Route No. 3. 43p

FOR SALE—Ice by the load. Phone 486-W. 44p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J. 40tf

FOR SALE—A base-burner hard coal stove, good as new, at one-third the price of a new stove. Loken's Harness Shop. 43p

FOR SALE—Barn and lot or barn alone. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. No. 43p

FOR SALE—Cordwood. Enquire of Henry Wilken, Rt. 2, Box 34. 43p

FOR SALE—One purebred Duroc Jersey boar, old enough for service. Cheap if taken at once. Elias Peterson, Hazel. 43p

[illegible] SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin [illegible] heavy cloth overcoat. Phone [illegible]. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

DRY TAMARACK WOOD—If you need some of this desirable fuel for heating purposes, send us your orders before the real cold weather sets in. We can ship a few carloads on orders. Sjoberg Bros., Roseau, Minn. 44

FOR SALE—Electric iron in first class condition. Leslie Provencher, Evelyn Hotel. 43

FARM FOR SALE—SE¼ of Sec. 30, Town of North, 3 miles east of city. Will sell for $50 per acre. Ole Omundson, 352 6th Ave. S., St. Cloud, Minn. 44p

FOR SALE CHEAP—Hard coal base burner. Good condition. Call 610. 44p

FOR SALE—One high grade Guernsey cow, six years old, coming fresh first part of December. Also one Guernsey five years old, coming fresh in February. Francis Kline, Rt. 1, St. Hilaire. 43p

[illegible] SALE—Saw rig with 4 h. p. [illegible] engine and 30 in. saw, big [illegible] wheels. Hans Loken, Hazel. 41p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 75. P. O. Box 1125. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs, road steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. [illegible] brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN, St. Hilaire, Minn.

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. Seus. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 0tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished modern rooms. Mrs. T. S. Brokke, 118 St. Paul Ave. So., Phone 332J. 42tf

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 16. 801 Main Avenue North. 41tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

AGENT WANTED—Live agents wanted to handle city trade for the genuine Watkins Products. A real opportunity. Write for free sample and particulars. J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. 70, Winona, Minn. 43p

LOST

LOST—On Nov. 13, near Mavie, black and tan foxhound. Name "Ted." Slightly lame in right front foot. Reward. Notify O. H. Jung, Thief River Falls. 44

FOUND

FOUND—Package containing about ten yards of outing flannel, at corner of Eighth St. and Horace Ave. N. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad. 47

MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Men to chop cord wood, $1.50 per cord if chopped before Christmas. T. K. Rynestad. 43p

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill.

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—As saleslady in a store or assistant at an office. Willing to work. For further particulars write Theodora Wirak, Lancaster, Minn. 44p

MISCELLANEOUS

DRESSED PIGS—Anyone wishing to buy dressed pigs call Zeh & Curran 44p

ROOM AND BOARD by the week or month. 811 LaBree Avenue North. Phone [illegible] 43

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Charles O. Stephenson and Gina Stephenson, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 23rd, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of December, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 301.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $67.20 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $204.84, a total of $272.04 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 15th day of November, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY, Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-17-24-D-1-8-15-22

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Articles of Incorporation of the Hamre-Hogenson Holding Company:

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a mortgage loan and land corporation under Sections 6140 to 6143 inclusive of the Revised Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, and all laws amendatory thereto, do hereby agree upon and adopt the following Articles, to-wit:

Article 1—The name of this Corporation shall be the Hamre-Hogenson Holding Company; the general nature of the business shall be the purchase and sale of lands and other real estate in the State of Minnesota and other States, the purchase and sale of notes, mortgages and money obligations secured upon real or personal property, the loaning of money either for itself or as agents for others upon mortgages or other securities, the holding, owning, improving and cultivating of lands, real estate and other tenements, and for that purpose to execute all contracts, encumbrances, transfers, leases and other documents necessary or convenient to the transaction of such real estate and loan business.

The place of the principal office of this Corporation shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Article 2—The time of the commencement of this Corporation shall be the 15th day of December, 1921, and the period of its continuation shall be twenty (20) years.

Article 3—The amount of the capital stock of this Corporation shall be One Hundred Thousand ($100,000.00) Dollars, to be divided into one thousand (1000) shares of the par value of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars each, and to be paid in at such time and in such manner as required by the Board of Directors.

Article 4—The indebtedness of said Corporation shall not at any time exceed the sum of Fifty Thousand ($50,000.00) Dollars.

Article 5—The names and place of residence of the persons forming this corporation shall be as follows:

Anton K. Hogenson, Decorah, Iowa.
Austin K. Hogenson, Crystal Springs, N. Dak.
Bessie K. Hamre, Thief River Falls, Minn.
T. P. Hamre, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Said persons shall constitute and serve as the first Board of Directors until the first annual meeting of the stockholders and until their successors shall be elected.

Article 6—The government and management of said corporation, and all of its affairs, shall be vested in a board of four (4) directors. The persons named in Article 5 shall constitute such board and serve as such directors until their successors shall be elected. On the 20th day of December, 1921, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a stockholders' meeting shall be held, at which meeting or adjourned meeting thereof a Board of Four (4) Directors shall be elected from the stockholders, who shall thereafter constitute and serve as the Board of Directors of this Corporation, and shall govern and manage all of the affairs of the Corporation; said stockholders shall fill all vacancies in the Board from stockholders by election at any regular meeting of said Board as fixed by the by-laws, such election to hold until the next annual stockholders' meeting.

Article 7—The regular annual stockholders' meeting of the stockholders of this Corporation shall be held at its home office in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, or at such other place as the Directors may designate, on the first Monday in December of each year; at such meeting Directors shall be elected and the Board of Directors so elected shall immediately after the final adjournment of the annual meeting of the stockholders hold a regular meeting, at which meeting said stockholders shall elect from their number Four (4) officers to-wit: A President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. The office of said Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto executed the above Articles of Incorporation in duplicate, and have hereunto set our our hands and seals this 30th day of October, A. D. 1921.

ANTON K. HOGENSON (Seal)
AUSTIN K. HOGENSON (Seal)
BESSIE K. HAMRE (Seal)
T. P. HAMRE (Seal)

Executed in presence of:
DENA B. WINGER
LOUIS A. DEUEL
As to Anton K. Hogenson.
Executed in presence of:
PETER OLSON
ADAM BALLINGER
As to Austin K. Hogenson.
Executed in presence of:
THEO. QUALE
LAURA BROWN
As to Bessie K. Hamre and T. P. Hamre.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 22nd day of November, A. D. 1921, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared Bessie K. Hamre and T. P. Hamre, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed and for the use and purposes therein described.

THEO. QUALE,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Feb. 23, 1928.

State of North Dakota, County of Stutsman, ss.

On this 5th day of November, A. D. 1921, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared Austin K. Hogenson, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed and for the use and purposes therein described.

E. P. OLSON,
Notary Public, Stutsman County, N. D.
My Commission Expires Mar. 26, 1926.

State of Iowa, County of Winneshiek, ss.

On this 18th day of November, A. D. 1921, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared Anton K. Hogenson, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed and for the use and purposes therein described.

LOUIS A. DESSEL,
Notary Public in and for Winneshiek County, State of Iowa.
My Commission Expires July 4, 1921.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book M-4 of Incorporations, on page 256.

MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed in this office for record on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1921, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book J of Miscl, on page 297.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
D-1-8

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of C. H. Peterson, otherwise known as Charles Herman Peterson, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to C. W. Swenson, it is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Monday, the 8th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated November 3rd, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
N-17-24-D-1

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of John Frederick Meier, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Emil Meier and Walter Starkey, It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this notice in The Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, once each week for three successive weeks, as provided by law.

Dated November 16th, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE, Attorney.
N-17-24-D-1

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Theodora J. Bundy.

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday the 30th day of May, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney.
(N-24-D-1-8)

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Michael Lehtimaki, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Sophia Lehtimaki, it is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, once each week for three successive weeks, as provided by law.

Dated November 10th, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE, Attorney.
N-17-24-D-1

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage given by Christ Nissen and Sarah Nissen, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 2nd, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on Page 554.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $153.08 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $157.38, a total of $310.46 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) of Section No. Six (6), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes, if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney's fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 27th day of October, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-3-10-17-24-D-1-8

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 ($1012.35) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August A. Schmitt and Lilah Schmitt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 23th day of September, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of October, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 60.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagor, to C. W. Nelson by written assignment dated the 10th day of April, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 26th day of October, 1921, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 65 of Mortgages, on page 143, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half (N½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-three (33), and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼), and Lots numbered respectively One (1) and Two (2) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred-fifty-three (153) North of Range numbered Forty-three (43) West of the 5th P. M., in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of December, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, A. D. 1921.

C. W. NELSON,
Assignee and present owner of mortgage.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
N-10-17-24-D-1-8-15

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FARMERS PETITION FOR DISARMAMENT

First Requests From Minnesota Go to International Conference at Washington.

Petitions expressing the earnest hopes of farmers in 24 Minnesota counties that the International Disarmament conference will not break up until the nations have agreed on drastic reductions in armaments are on their way to President Harding.

The first petition bears the signatures of 5,689 farmers. More are arriving daily, and will be forwarded to Washington as they come in, farm bureau officials announced, to show the United States delegates that they have the heartfelt support of agricultural America in their program for reducing naval and military burdens.

The longest petition was sent by the Stearns county farm bureau, bearing 1,376 names. Pipestone county's petition carried 553 names, Murray's 322, Benton's 322, Olmsted's 233 and Mower's 225 names.

STEALING BUTTER IS NEW INDUSTRY

Central Association Warns Co-operatives to Be on Guard Against Thieves.

An organized gang of "butter bandits" is robbing Minnesota co-operative creameries, according to a warning sent out by the Minnesota Co-opeartive Creameries association.

Creameries throughout the state were urged to be on guard against the thieves.

The warning was issued following the theft of 1,100 pounds of butter from a Chisago county co-operative creamery, one of the first to join the state organization. The central association immediately notified sheriffs and police officers in adjoining counties, the twin cities and Duluth, and took up the case with a detective agency.

The thieves are believed to be conducting a systematic campaign to loot country creameries, load the stolen butter on trucks and escape with it to market, says A. J. McGuire, organization manager of the state association.

The central organization also notified creameries that it is investigating arrangements for burglar insurance for its members.

IS LOW TIME PAST IN SHEEP MARKET?

Lamb Values Have Advanced Sharply Under Influence of Very Light Receipts.

South St. Paul, Nov. 28—Sharp curtailment of sheep and lamb receipts the past two weeks and a fairly healthy dressed trade, especially in lamb, have combined to bring about a sharp advance in the lamb market. Several loads of choice lambs reached $9 late Monday or the highest price paid on this market since in September, and many traders feel that the low time has been passed for this year. Bulk of good fat lambs sold at $8.75, with bulk of fat ewes $3.25 to $3.50.

With moderate receipts of cattle here and elsewhere Monday, trade in that division opened on a strong to 25c higher basis, better grades of beef steers and butcher she stock showing most gain. A few good beef steers sold in small lots up to $7, with others at $6.50, and bulk of beef steers from $5 to $6. Bulk of the butcher cows and heifers sold from $3.25 to $4.50, with a fair showing of sales up to $5, and best heifers reaching $5.50 in several cases. Canners and cutters sold largely from $2.25 to $3, bologna bulls $2.50 to $3, an occasional choice heavy bologna up to $3.25. Bulk of the best light veal calves sold to packers at $7, a few extra choice vealers reaching $7.50. Strong prices were received for stockers and feeders at the week's opening. Best in load lots sold up around $6.50. Bulk from $4 to $5.

Choice 140 to 175 pound hogs sold strong at the week's opening, bulk of such kinds going Monday from $6.85 to $7, with most of the good mixed butcher hogs selling from $6.50 to $6.60, and heavy packers $6 to $6.25. Bulk of the good pigs here brought $7.25.

County Junior Red Cross Accomplishes Great Work

The Pennington County Junior Red Cross, acting through its chapter school committee and on the recommendation of the city and school nurses, have expended a total of $383.66 since June 1 in providing medical aid for needy pupils of the county.

Only cases where the parents were financially unable to give their children the necessary medical attendance were considered. The success of the Junior Red Cross in this work is in no small measure due to the local physicians who, in most cases, have given their service free of charge.

The chapter school committee for Pennington county consists of Supt. Geo. M. Gunderson John Nystul and T. L. Melgaard.

Following is a summary of the secretary's report for June, July, August and September:

Tonsils and adenoids removed, 20; eyes refracted and glasses procured, 8; dental work, 16; cases of ear treatment, 2; transportation to doctor, 12; transportation to state hospital, 1.

The dates for the annual Junior Junior Red Cross roll call is Dec. [illegible] an effort will be made to enroll all the school children of the county.

Successful Production.

"Fi-Fi of the Toy Shop," a home talent production put on under the auspices of the Ladies' Sodality of St. Bernard's church, on Friday evening at the auditorium, afforded a full measure of diversified fun. A number of humerous situations arise in the play when the dolls find themselves alive and in a world of action. All of the leading characters handled their parts with the grace of professionals. The group dances and choruses of the paper dolls, bridesmaids, china dolls, letter blocks, jumping jacks, animals, flower girls and fairies, all in elaborate costumes, were especially well received by the audience. The attendance, though fair, was somewhat smaller than had been anticipated. Those present were very well pleased with the entire production.

12 Minnesota Elevators Join U. S. Grain Growers

Twelve country elevators and more than 150 farmers have joined the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., according to reports summarized the second week of the organizations' membership drive in Minnesota.

At the end of the second week of the organization campaign, eight Lyon county elevators had signed contracts to market through the national farmers' co-operative selling corporation, together with two Watonwan county elevators, and one each in Wright and Kittson counties.

"It's coming fine," J. S. Jones, organization director of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, and manager of the U. S. Grain Growers' membership drive in Minnesota, reported to officers of the national corporation.

More Auditors Are Needed For Income Tax Division

The United States Civil Service commission states that the Income Tax Unit of the Bureau of Internal Revenue will appoint several hundred additional auditors and revenue agents or inspectors as soon as the commission can supply the eligibles, for auditing work in the central office in Washington and inspection work throughout the country. It is stated that the Bureau of Internal Revenue finds it necessary to greatly augment its present force in order to bring its inspection and auditing work up to date and keep it current. The bureau recognizes the importance to business interests of clearing away work in arrears.

The Civil Service commission has announced an examination to be held throughout the United States on Dec. 14 to fill these positions. The entrance salaries offered range from $1800 to $3000 a year. Advancement will depend upon the record of the employe.

Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the United States Civil Service commission, Washington, D. C., or from the Civil Service board at the post office in any city.

Alcohol Solution is Best For Autmobile Radiators

With the advent of cold weather it is necessary to give some thought to the question of anti-freezing solutions for the radiator and cooling system of the tractor and automobile.

"The solvent action of kerosene on rubber and its higher boiling point make it objectionable for use in the cooling system," says J. L. Larson of the division of agricultural engineering, University Farm. "Calcium chloride compounds are equally objectionable because they exert a greater corrosive action than water on the engine jacket and solder in the radiatdr."

"The corrosive action of alcohol solution is not greater than that of water alone, thus making it the most desirable anti-freezing solution. The approximate point at which alcohol solutions freeze are: 20 per cent solution, 15 degrees above zero; 30 per cent solution, 8 degrees below zero; 50 per cent solution, 15 degrees below zero. Because of evaporation, this solution will become weak and ineffective unless more alcohol is added from time to time."

May Divide Cass County; Decide at Next Election

An election will be held in Cass county next November at the general state election, when the voters of the county will decide whether the county shall be divided into two counties. If the proposal carries, the southern part of the present Cass county will be known as Clover county and Pine River will be the county seat. Walker at present is the county seat of Cass county and would continue to be the county seat of the remaining Cass county.

This election was authorized last week by permission of Gov. Preus. A petition signed by 1,800 voters of the county asked for the election. The law requires that the governor order an election on petition of 25 per cent of the voters at the latest election, in this case requiring 1,260 signers.

The petition names the persons who would be the new county commissioners of the proposed county. The county board then would select the county officials to act until the next general election.

A NEEDED HOLIDAY.

Montevideo News: Speaking of better speech week, how would it be to institute local disarmament, or a ten-year holiday, on those whose speech tends not toward betterment but towards bitterness. Include, too, those who spread rumors of evil, who take malicious delight in telling of the misfortunes, or the rumored and supposed-to-happen misfortunes, of others.

NORTHWEST ROADS ANNOUNCE PAY CUT

Mechanics and Car Men in This City Interested in Notice Issued Last Week.

Railroads of the northwest have given notice of a wage reduction to organizations of their employes, it is announced. If the reductions are accepted by the employes they will become effective automatically, but if they are rejected, appeal can be made to the railway labor board which, in that event, will fix a date for hearing. Meanwhile, no reductions can be put in force. Several of the railroads made no specific proposals for reductions, while two at least have stated definite proposed reductions.

R. H. Henning, chairman of the federated shopcrafts for all the northwest roads, said the letters from the Soo and Great Northern specify the amount of reductions. The amount is the same in both proposals.

The cut on mechanics is from 77 to 67½ cents an hour. Previous to the July 1, 1920, cut of the United States railway labor board the wages were 85 cents an hour. On helpers, the proposed reduction is to 40 cents an hour. It is now 54 cents and hour and before July 1, 1920, was 62 cents. The freight car workers, it is proposed, will get 50 cents, which is a 22 cent cut from the present scale. Previous to July 1, 1920, these men were paid 80 cents an hour.

Mr. Henning said this new cut would put wages back to where they were early in 1919. He said that at the same time the shop craftsmen will confer with the railroads on this proposal, the railroads must confer with them on their own proposal made Monday throughout the country to put wages back to a scale 5 cents higher than in effect early in 1920.

More than 100 men employed in the roundhouse and on the rip tracks in Thief River Falls will be affected by the decision.

Laird to Move.

Announcement is made this week of the removal the last part of this month of the Laird Specialty Shop from its present location on East Third street to the Giller building on LaBree avenue, on account of the leasing of the present quarters to Mr. Shanahan for a grocery store as mentioned elsewhere in this issue. This will give Mr. Laird one of the best locations in the city and permit of a much better arrangement and display of his rapidly increasing stock of merchandise.

Special sales are being offered by Mr. Laird in his ad. in this issue and bargain hunters will do well to patronize the Laird Specialty Shop between now and Christmas.

$15,000 Damage Caused by Fire at Warren Tuesday

A loss of about $15,000 was caused by a fire at Warren early Tuesday morning when a building owned by H. L. Golden was almost completely burned. Roy E. Hooper, jeweler, had his stock damaged to the extent of $9,000; E. L. Tornell, furniture, $2,500 loss, and Golden's loss on the building was $3,000, with only $400 insurance. The occupants of the building were fairly well insured, thus cutting their losses materially.

Helpful Hints to Patrons on Rural Mail Routes

(Written by Charles H. Bunnson, Rural Carrier, Mansfield, Ohio.)

In my 16 years' experience as a rural carrier, I have discovered many ways by which the farmers living on the various routes in this country can help their carriers and thereby make things easier for them as they make their daily rounds, so that I will pass them on to the rest of the boys and they, in turn, can put the farmers next, and both will be mutually benefited thereby.

Hint No. 1—When you have a letter already stamped, which you desire to mail, do not fail to put it in the extreme back end of the mail box as it not only looks more artistic but it is so convenient for the mail carrier to take his blankets off and put one foot on the buggy step to reach in and get the letter; it varies the monotony of the day for him and tends to give him that perfect disposition and love for his fellow-men that we are all striving for. Be sure to pick out the most stormy days as it is so much more effective at those times.

Hint No. 2—When you have several letters to mail and no stamps, get yourself six pennies; put one letter in the back of the box, the second one in the middle, and the third tight up against the side; now back up a few feet and throw the pennies in the box. This is not only good exercise, but is fast becoming one of the favorite sports in the rural districts.

Hint No. 3—This is just a variation of Hint No. 2. Put in one letter and on the top of it place two pennies, then another and two pennies, then the third letter and two pennies, arranging them in a straight pile. This is a great help to the carrier, as most carriers haven't brains enough to know how much it takes to mail a letter and he feels so relieved to have it all figured out for him.

Hint No. 4—When you are mailing two letters and have just one stamp and one of the letters is to forward on the route that day, be sure to put the stamp on the letter that does not go forward on the route that day. This gives the carrier a chance to take off his gloves, unbutton his overcoat and get out a stamp. It is wonderful what you can do for him in this respect if you only try.

Hint No. 5—When mailing a money order, for a dollar or so, be sure to have nothing less than a twenty-dollar bill to have changed, or better still, give it to him in pennies and nickels. It makes such good ballast for his buggy and increases his respect for your intelligence.

Hint No. 6—When purchasing stamps, never buy over a dime's worth at one time, as you may overbuy and they might not be good the next week, and there is no use getting reckless with your money and buying a whole dollar's worth at one time.

Hint No. 7—When you meet your carrier on the road, stop him and ask if there is any mail for you. After he gets it all out of the sack, just tell him to take it on to the box. Never omit this, especially on bad days, as it is one of his favorite pastimes, and it requires such a little effort on your part to please him.

Hint No. 8—On days when the roads are a glare of ice, and his horse is skating all over the surrounding territory, be sure to ask him if it is slippery, as you do not want to go home under any false impressions concerning this matter, for the poor fish may be teaching his nag a new stroke in fancy [illegible], and you must keep well informed on these matters.

Hint No. 9—On rough days when he comes down the road dodging jabs in the ribs and leads to the head from his buggy top, be sure to ask him if the roads are rough, for he may be just going over his last boxing lesson and you might get some good pointers.

Hint No. 10—When placing three or more boxes at a corner place them at least three feet apart and have one post lower than the next. This keeps him from having things too convenient and making them all at one stop.

Hint No. 11—Some day when it is not fit for a dog to be out, be sure to ask him the question that is sure to please: "Are you earning your money today?" Then get your mail, go to the house and call it a day, as the carrier's respect for you has increased a hundred-fold and you have gained a friend.

There are many interesting things you can do to help him as he makes his daily rounds, but I think that I have mentioned the most important of them.

Too Few Applicants.

The Civil Service commission invites special attention to the fact that in examinations held recently in Thief River Falls and other cities throughout the United States for do-[illegible] teachers, Indian service, for apprentice fish culturists, bureau of fisheries, and for telegraph [illegible], departmental and field services, applicants were not secured in the number desired, and that these examinations will again be held on Dec. 7.

Persons interested in these or other examinations should apply to the secretary of the Civil Service board at the local post office for detailed information and application blanks.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.12
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.08
Flax	1.49
Barley	.39
Oats	.20
Rye	.63
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.10
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.15
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.10
POULTRY	
Geese	.10
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Turkeys, alive, per lb.	.18
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.10
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.40
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.43
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08-.09
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07-.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

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ROAD TO LAKES PROJECT GIVEN ADDED IMPETUS

Beltrami County Commissioners Agree to Have Highway Designated State Project.

Claimed That State Commission is Favorably Disposed Toward Early Building.

Committee Appointed to Lay Matter Before Chairman Babcock Soon.

Developments of the past week have made the outlook for a road from Thief River Falls to the Red lakes particularly bright. If plans now under way are carried out successfully the road will be made a federal project and actual work started in the spring.

One of the first steps to be taken in bringing about the desired result was securing the co-operation of Beltrami county, through which the greater part of the road will run, and to this end a committee composed of Mayor John Bratrud, Daniel Shaw, J. S. Arneson and L. R. Johnston went to Bemidji to lay the matter before the board of county commissioners on Monday. They met with a most cordial reception, members of the Civic and Commerce association doing everything in their power to see that their mission proved a success.

After having talked the matter over with a number of prominent Bemidji men, the subject was presented to the commissioners. The steps thus far taken in the matter were explained and the advantage accruing to Beltrami county through the construction of such road pointed out, as was particularly the value of such highway to the people residing in the entire Red River valley. The board without hesitation agreed to request that the road be made a state highway at once, thus bringing its construction under state and federal supervision.

Enthusiastic Support.

A meeting of business men was called yesterday afternoon in the Commercial club rooms for the purpose of discussing the matter and devising ways and means for meeting the expenses incident to the preliminary work. The attendance was unusually large and every man present was enthusiastic in support of the project. Mr. Arneson acted as chairman of the meeting and after the delegates sent to Bemidji had reported on the result of their mission, it was unanimously voted to send them to St. Paul as soon as possible to take the matter up with Chairman Babcock and officers of the state highway department. Assurances have been received that the project will meet with approval at the hands of the commissioner and that he is very favorably disposed toward beginning the work at once. Representatives from other cities in the valley, particularly Warren, Argyle, Stephen and Red Lake Falls, may be invited to accompany the Thief River Falls delegation for the purpose of urging an early decision on Mr. Babcock and also to prove that there is a widespread demand for the highway.

It is known that engineers of the state highway department are now working in this neighborhood and one of the aims of the committee will be an attempt to have the route surveyed during the winter in order that work may be begun in the spring.

Attends St. Louis Convention.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich left the first of the week for St. Louis, where he will attend the annual convention of the Western Association of Surgeons. On his return trip he will stop at Mankato, where the Southern Minnesota Medical association will be in session. He also intends to stop for a short time at Rochester.

REGIONAL WELFARE CONFERENCE OPENS SESSIONS THURSDAY

Men and Women Prominent in State and District Work Will Deliver Addresses.

The first regional conference of child welfare boards of northwestern Minnesota counties will open in this city Thursday morning, Dec. 15, with Rev. A. T. Tollevs of Warren presiding over the session. Other speakers at this time will be William Hodgson, state director of children's bureau; Mrs. Mildred D. Mudgett, department of sociology, University of Minnesota; and Miss Loretta Newman, social worker, Marshall county. At the conclusion of this speaking program there will be ten minute talks, Miss Lucile Quinlan, children's bureau, leading the discussions, followed by talks by Mrs. L. G. Larsen of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. G. M. Stebbins of Roseau county.

The delegates will have lunch with the Commercial club. Mr. Hodgson will deliver an address.

At the afternoon session, beginning at 2 o'clock, L. E. Healy of the child welfare board, Red Lake county, will preside. The following will speak: Theo. Quale, county attorney, Pennington county, and George Baker, judge of probate, Kittson county. Mrs. Stebbins will open the ten-minute talks to follow these adresses. Other speakers at the afternoon session include Oscar J. Peterson, chairman board of county commissioners, Pennington county; I. T. Simley, superintendent of schools, Thief River Falls; Miss Irba E. Poullot, superintendent of schools, Red Lake county; P. G. Wold, child welfare board, Pennington county; David Johnson, county superintendent, Marshall county. A discussion will follow, after which there will be a conference dinner served at the Hotel Evelyn.

The evening session will be presided over by Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman Pennington county child welfare board. Following community singing led by Miss Maude L. Johnson the address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor John Bratrud. Miss Caroline Crosby of the state board of control, Mr. Hodgson and Rev. Tollevs will be other speakers at this session.

BURGLARS CHOOSE CHRISTMAS GOODS IN ROBBING STORE

Small But Valuable Articles Are Stolen From Stebbins' Place Saturday Night.

The jewelery store of F. J. Stebbins was burglarized on Saturday night, the thieves getting away with a quantity of gold and silver goods, ivory sets and fountain pens. The exact value of the property stolen can not be given by Mr. Stebbins, who says he continues to miss something all the time. He states, however, that his loss is not less than $200.

The burglers entered the place by way of the back window after having unsuccessfully attempted to force the door open. Marks showed they had tried to break the lock with a heavy instrument of some kind and they must have made considerable noise while thus engaged. Frustrated at this point they next turned their attention to the window. Besides a storm sash, this was protected by iron bars. These were pried apart by the robbers after the glass in both windows had been broken. The opening thus gained could not have been more than ten inches wide, but it was sufficient to allow at least one of the robbers to enter. This leads the police to believe that it may have been the work of boys. Tracks in the snow, however, were of a size indicating men of considerable bulk. These tracks led for two blocks northward along the alley, where they were lost.

Besides the articles stolen from the counters and shelves, about five dollars in change and $2 worth of two-cent stampes were taken from the till.

The robery must have been committed at a time when there was no travel along the street as the night light was on and anything transpiring in the store could have been plainly seen from the outside.

Mrs. Payne Continues as Goodridge Postmistress

Mrs. Jay Payne has been appointed postmistress at Goodridge by President Harding upon the recommendation of Congressman Steenerson, thus continuing to serve in a capacity she has most acceptably filled since 1914. At the time of her appointment by President Roosevelt no one wanted the post, which was then a fourth-class office, the postmaster being paid by cancellations. No opposition developing, Mrs. Payne continued to handle the mail through both the Wilson administrations. Last year the office was promited to third class and now pays $1,200 a year. It is reported that Mrs. Payne's petition for reappointment to the place contained the names of 80 per cent of the patrons.

M. O. Sortedahl, real estate man, has been appointed postmaster at Red Lake Falls, succeeding E. L. Richert. Mr. Sortedahl was a member of the state legislature from this district during the 1918-19 term.

Masons Elect Officers.

At the last meeting of Northern Lodge No. 236, A. F. & A. M., the annual election of officers was held, the following being chosen: Ray Johnson, W. M.; F. F. Haynes, S. W.; Oscar Paulson, J. W.; Andrew Bottolson, secretary; C. L. Hansen, treasurer; trustees—O. L. Ihle, three years; Ed. Lee, two years, B. Dan Bjorkman, one year. The date of installation has not been definitely decided upon.

One-Seventh of Farms in County Tenant Operated

According to a special bulletin sent out by the Agricultural Extension division of the University of Minnesota, 25 per cent of the farms of the state are occupied by tenants. Pennington county has 14 per cent of its farms tilled by others than the owner, while the percentage in Red Lake county is 22. Tenant farmer percentages in other neighboring counties are as follows: Polk, 26; Marshall, 18; Clearwater, 7; Kittson, 18; Roseau, 9; Mahnomen, 19; Norman, 31. Rock county has the largest number of tenant farmers—59 per cent, followed by Nobles and Pipestone with 54 per cent each.

600 ENTRIES IN BEST POULTRY SHOW YET HELD

Facilities Taxed to Care For Large Number of Birds at Fifth Exhibition.

Attendance is Fair First Two Days But Display Merits Greater Interest.

"Farmer Class" Birds Get Much Attention and Receive Excellent Scores.

The fifth annual exhibit of the Pennington County Poultry association, which closes tomorrow evening, has been the most successful in the history of the organization. There are about 600 entries altogether, 500 of these being in the chicken division. The attendance during the first two days was not as great as it should have been and by no means measured up to the merits of the show. It is expected there will be a big improvement in this respect during the last two days as the last of the week is always favored by farmers for coming to town.

There is a larger number of entries than ever before and every available coop is occupied. If there were more exhibits, special provisions would have to be made for taking care of them. This means that more coops will have to be supplied for next year's show in spite of the fact that when the new wire coops were bought by the association it was figured that the demand for years to come had been met.

A Wonderful Showing.

Scoring was begun yesterday afternoon, W. E. Stanchfield being the judge. Oscar Anderson of St. Hilaire won the silver cup presented by H. L. Schuster for the best White Leghorn cockerol exhibited. Outside of this one entry the results are not available for publication at this time, the managers desiring to check up carefully on the figures before giving them out for publication.

The show is the best ever held in the county by long odds, the quality of the stock exhibited being such as to invite comparison with any shown in the state. Besides the entries of the Pennington county poultry fanciers, there are a fair number from Crookston, Red Lake Falls and Plummer. Outside birds are particularly noticeable in the White Leghorn class. Cocks and cockerels of this variety are scoring 93 and 94 points, which is an excellent showing.

Heavy Birds Favorites.

A particularly strong showing is made in the heavier birds, Plymouth Rocks of various strains being in the majority. Among the layers White Leghorns are strong favorites.

Anyone who has not attended this show should do so before the birds are taken away. Generally as soon as the scoring is completed exhibitors are in a hurry to get their stock back home, as prolonged retention amid strange surroundings is not considered as particularly beneficial.

One of the surprises of the show is the high scoring given what is known as the "farmer birds." This is general utility stock not specially bred for show purposes and laying no particular claim to pure breeding. Some really excellent specimens are on display and the division is receiving a great deal of attention.

Marshall Commissioners Turn Down Farm Bureau

J. W. Taylor, until recently one of the county agents for Marshall county with headquarters at Grygla, was in the city the first of the week on business. He has been appointed county agent for Roseau county, succeeding G. C. Edwards, and will assume his new office on Jan. 10. The Marshall county commissioners failed to make an appropriation for covering the cost of the county agent's office and it will be impossible for the farm bureau to meet the expense of two agents out of its own funds. Mr. Taylor was popular with the people he served and his office was proving of much benefit to the farmers in the northeastern part of the county.

Veteran Fire Fighter is Again Department Head

Paul Midderigh, chief of the Thief River Falls fire department for the past 11 years and a member of the organization since the first fire-fighting equipment arrived in the city more than a quarter century ago, has been re-elected to the same position for another year. Other officers elected were as follows: Assistant chief, William Warner; second assistant, Severt Egenes; third assistant, H. L. Schuster; secretary, Ed. Jaranson; treasurer, George Curran.

Reports submitted showed that the city has been very fortunate during the past year in the matter of fires, there having been comparatively few calls and but slight damage.

The new equipment for the firemen, consisting of boots, coats and socks, is expected to arrive this week. It was decided to give the annual dance this year in the shape of a hard-time party on the evening of Friday, Dec. 16.

Fire Department Giving Hard Time Dance Dec. 16

The Thief River Falls Fire department will give a hard time dance at the auditorium on Friday evening, Dec. 16. Arrangements are being made for the biggest time of the season. All dancers must be attired in hard time clothes.

The fire department will serve free mulligan to all present and there will be other novel features connected with the party. The admission fee has been placed at 75 cents per couple with a charge of 10 cents for spectators. Snyder's five-piece orchestra will furnish the music. The dancing will be mixed, plenty of the old-style steps being interspersed for those who prefer them.

The firemen's dances are always well attended and the outlook this year is for a record crowd because of the novel features decided upon as extra attractions. The general public is invited, the only requirement being that hard time clothes be worn.

COST OF JUDICIAL DITCH NO. 30 WILL BE ABOUT $100000

Pennington County's Share Is Placed at $67,055 and Involves Five Townships.

Division of costs for judicial ditch No. 30 was made by County Auditor T. P. Anderson of Pennington county, Auditor August Lundgren of Marshall county, and Engineer Irving Quist at Warren on Monday. The assessed benefits for Marshall county total $62,588, and those for Pennington $67,065. The total cost of the ditch was placed at $97,224.75, of which amount Pennington county pays 51.72 per cent, or $50,284.64, and Marshall county 48.28 per cent, or $46,940.11. The assessments by townships in Pennington county are as follows: North, $2,150; Silverton, $16,410; Cloverleaf, $14,775; Goodridge, $17,610; Reiner, $16,610; village of Goodridge, $500. Following is the assessment for the Marshall county townships: Agder, $11,938; Grand Plain, $19,145; Moylan, $16,670; Esplee, $14,840.

The contract for the construction of this ditch has been let to the Union Drainage Company of Crookston, and work will begin as early as possible in the spring.

The new judicial ditch is intended as an outlet for ditches No. 18 and 20 and has been in litigation during the past two years. It provides for the cintinuation of ditch No. 18 to the Thief River instead of emptying into No. 20 as is now the case. The later ditch is unable to take care of the water drained into it in the spring or after a heavy rain and it is expected that the proposed improvement will prevent costly overflows in the future. The matter has been before the courts for about three years, the project being bitterly opposed by some of the land owners against whom the cost will be assessed.

FREE CONCERT BY BAND, AUDITORIUM SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Song By Quartette and Novelty Numbers Will Add Interest to Fine Program.

The first winter concert by the Thief River Falls Municipal band will be given under the leadership of H. S. Snyder at the auditorium on Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock. The program decided upon is one of the most interesting of its kind ever presented to an audience in this city. The band selections have been chosen with a view to pleasing every taste in music and have been rehearsed to such a point that excellent renditions can safely be promised. Features of particular interest will be the instrumental quartet by members of the Wengler family and singing by the quartet.

There is no charge for admission and a general invitation to the public is extended. This will be the first concert of its kind for a long time and its reception will to a large extent decide the bands future course. There is much hard work connected with getting an organization drilled to a point where it will make a showing of sufficient merit to warrant a concert and unless the public indicates its appreciation of the fact by turning out there is but little satisfaction in making the effort. Following is the program:

March—"Gippsland" ________ King
Band
Serenade—"A Night in June" __King
Band
Quartet—"America Triumphant" __
________________ Demarest
Miss Maude L. Johnson, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Carl Sundahl, E. M. Bennes. Doris Halvorson, Accompanist.
Overture—"Arcadia" ______ Laurens
Band
March—"Success" ________ Bennett
Wengler Orchestra. Raymond, violin; Sylvester, cornet; Winnifred, piano; Fred, drums.
Song—"Ring Out Sweet Bells of Peace" ______________ Roma
Quartet
Trombone Novelty—"Raggy Trombone" ______________ Fink
Band
Overture—"Radiant" ______ Kiefer
Band
March—"[illegible]" ______ King
Band

FITTING WINDUP OF SIX MONTHS' TRADING DRIVE

W. J. LaBree Presented With Ford Car as Last Act of Remarkable Campaign.

Success of Novel Venture in Advertising Greater Than Expected By Anyone.

Result Shows What Can Be Accomplished By Co-operation and Determined Effort.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree is the owner of a brand new Ford car, presented to him by the Merchants association as a windup to bargain week on Saturday afternoon. Fourteen names were taken from a box by two little girls, Ethel Carlson and Sina Johnson, before the one designating the owner of the automobile was extracted. Alex Welch, city, and A. S. Olson, Route 1, were both active contenders, their names appearing twice during the proceedings but failing in each case to bring forth anything but blanks as counterparts. The others whose names were called before disposition of the machine was finally made were: Mrs. O. Erickson, K. O. Loyland, Lillian Tryor, Denis Conely, Charles Ptacek, Rita Fiterman, Esther M. Peachey, Louis Aaseby, Mrs. A. H. Akre and Mrs. A. N. Lian.

Week a Great Success.

The purchase of a dollar's worth of goods at the store of one of the merchants donating the car made one a potential owner. The chances were even and there is no criticism heard of the manner in which the proceedings were conducted.

The week was a great success from a merchandising point of view and all participants are satisfied with the business transacted. It provided a fitting close to the most remarkable selling campaign ever launched by the merchants of any community in this state. The last Wednesday in each month for six months had been set aside as bargain day by the merchants and the fact widely advertised. The aim was to make Thief River Falls known as a trading center throughout the entire northwestern part of the state and no expense was spared to achieve this purpose. The results justified the rather extraordinary outlay in that it brought the city and its stores to the attention of many hundreds who otherwise might never have realized the advantages possessed by the city.

Not the Best Season.

The result of the last two market days particularly is remarkable in view of the lateness of the season. Had the plan been launched during the summer months when auto travel is more comfortable and convenient there is no doubt but that the success of the enterprise would have been much greater. The merchants are satisfied, however, and the public has even greater reason to be pleased. Buyers have been given an opportunity to supply their needs at lower prices than those prevailing at any other point in the state and the city has received a great deal of excellent advertising.

The result is a lesson in the value of co-operation and shows what can be done even under unfavorable circumstances when all merchants of a town pull together.

Explains Loan Plan of War Finance Corporation

A considerable number of northwestern Minnesota bankers were in session in this city on Friday to hear the plans of the war finance committee explained with reference to making loans to the banks in agricultural districts. G. H. Richards, president of the Minnesota Bankers association, was present, for the purpose of giving advice as to the methods to be employed in filling out blanks, etc., when making application for any part of the money allotted to Minnesota by the corporation.

Representing District at Meeting of Dairymen

The northern part of the valley will be well represented at the annual meeting of the Red Rive Valley Dairymen's association which is holding its sessions at Detroit this week. Harold Olson, buttermaker at the local creamery, left yesterday for the convention, as did N. E. Wold secretary, and W. H. Lindahl, buttermaker, Roseau; Charles Horien and S. Lovied, buttermakers at Strathcona and Middle River respectively, and C. B. Goodridch, secretary for the Greenbush creamery.

Dinner Party in Honor of Dr. Crandall Last Eevening

About 75 friends and neighbors gathered at the Evelyn hotel on Wednesday evening for the purpose of honoring Dr. C. R. Crandall, who expects to leave in a short time to make his future home in the West. Supper was served at 7:30. H. O. Chommie officiated as toastmaster, attending to the job in a manner [illegible]. Toasts were responded to by Mayor Bratrud, L. R. Johnston, W. B. Fuller, G. Howard Smith and E. O. Mogensen. The speakers were unanimously of the opinion that the doctor did not seriously intend leaving Thief River Falls, but in case he should make any such serious blunder, that he would soon be back among the people who know and appreciate him. Mr. Fuller, on behalf of the Masonic lodge, in which Dr. Crandall has been an active worker since its institution in this city, presented him with a ring carrying the emblem of the order. Mayor Bratrud, on behalf of the Elks, gave him as a memento of his long association with the members a beautiful cigarette holder. Both speakers referred to the guest of honor as a man of the highest worth and a citizen of the most valued kind. Dr. Crandall thanked the donors, those present and the citizens of Thief River Falls generally for the excellent treatment he had at all times received at their hands. He did not promise to come back to the city, but left it to be inferred that in case he did not find things as he expected, such proceeding on his part was easily within the possibilities.

FAIR ASSOCIATION IS REIMBURSED FOR PREMIUM OUTLAYS

Receives $1,564, Which is 92 Per Cent of Entire Amount Paid Out For Awards.

Minnesota's annual Christmas gift to the county agricultural societies of the state went forward this week when R. P. Chase, state auditor, officiating as Santa Claus, completed the mailing of checks to the amount of $140,832.97, state aid to the societies.

This aid to the agricultural associations of the state is directed by law and is based on the premiums paid by the various societies, the maximum basis of pro-rating reimbursement to any one society being $1700. The largest amount received by any society in the state is $1,564. The 1921 legislature appropriated $140,000 for this purpose and this, with the balance available, was divided pro-rata at the rate of 92 cents on the dollar.

The Pennington County Agricultural society is reimbursed to the extent of $1,564, having reported total premiums paid amounting to $1,927.

The appropriation for aid to the agricultural societies made by the last legislature is the largest since the law was enacted and its encouraging effect is found in the large amount of premiums paid to exhibitors this year. The cash outlay for [illegible]

Trapping Becomes Popular When Labor Demand Fails

County Auditor T. P. Anderson has [illegible]

New Auto Tags Only When All Back Taxes Are Paid

Motor vehicle taxes for 1921 must be paid on all cars owned in the state this year before 1922 licenses will be issued for these machines. [illegible]

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Dec. 12. [illegible]

SUBMIT REPORT OF CONFERENCE AT WASHINGTON

Red Lake Conservancy Board Members Advised of Results By Chairman Selvig.

Value of Project to Agricultural Lands of District Particularly Emphasized.

Plan Found Feasible and Would Benefit Enterprise of All Kinds Along Stream.

The following memorandum of the recent conference held at Washington between representatives of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board and department officials, submitted to members of the board by Chairman G. C. Selvig, Crookston, has been secured from Ed A. Aubol, Pennington county's representative on that body. The report is a comprehensive account of the proceedings at the conference and is published in full in The Times because of its great interest to the people of this section. The conference took place on Nov. 21 to 23:

"As the next meeting of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy Board will not be called until later in the month to consider the report of the viewers on the Clearwater river, I have prepared the following memorandum of the conference held in Washington with officials of the Interior department for the information of the board and staff.

"There were present at the conference, E. V. Willard, state commissioner of drainage and water; Geo. W. Walker, chief engineer, and Adolph F. Meyer, consulting engineer of the district, and the president of the board; Commissioner of Indian Affairs C. H. Burke; the assistant commissioner, Mr. Merritt; the chief of the drainage office, Mr. Reed and his assistant, representing the Interior Department. Mr. Henderson as attorney for the Red Lake Indians, Hon. Halvor Steenerson and Hon. Harold Knutson, in whose districts the land included in the Red Lake project lies, were present and gave valuable suggestions.

Synopsis of the Project

"In opening the conference I gave a synopsis of the progress made to date as follows: [illegible] flood times is for the benefit agriculture securing its share h the increased availability of t. The district, which means ction benefited by this project, powered by law to construct plants to be owned and con- by them, in case it is thought to do so. In other words, all s that can be attained in this t should be secured with cor- ding division of costs among ll, reducing at once the assess- against agricultural lands and ing a permanent fund for ining of the ditches and works.

Tamarac Project Separate.

urth, Mr. Willard and Mr. reported regarding the lands f Red lake. Under the proposed maximum lake level the present ulated high stage of the lake is d in the neighborhood of from 3 feet. This in their opinion, the agricultural interests ample tion. According to informa- eceived by engineers the Tam- iver channel must be improved outlet in itself but not because y relation to the lake levels as level under control will o feet or more below unregulat- esent high stages. This im- ment on the Tamarac will be a separate project as soon as le after the final Red lake are completed. Without doubt rmers in the Tamarac drainage need this work which will give permanent relief and thus make rich agricultural lands forever from the flood troubles they experienced in the past.

To Stabilize Outflow.

th. It was brought out by Mr. from a very comprehensive etailed study of the run off in ea drained by Red lake and the as emptying into the lake that maximum level of 1174 is d that during the past 16 years vel of the lake under control have been over 1174 (but not ling 1174.8 ft. at any time) for 20 per cent of the time; at 1174 out 20 per cent of the time and 1174 for the remainder of the This data is purely mathemat- hat is, those levels would have led if there was no human di- present to regulate the out- t the dam. Let me explain here f in the fall the lake level was 1174 and during the winter, ur feet of snow fell, it would be advantageous for the board's er in charge of the dam to the lake considerably during inter so that the four feet of when converted into flood water spring could be taken up by ke without raising the maxi- above 1174. In other words, he factor of human intelligence d up with the controlling works aximum lake level of 1174 need rely be exceeded. It is reas- safe to state that it would be above 4 to 6 inches above When it is known that the lake ast July was 1175, the average um tentatively proposed by eyer is altogether a reasonable

alker's Work Commended.

th. Many interests will suffer minimum lake level is permit- get too low. The fisheries are ly becoming more important. ke has some navigation possi- which must be guarded. In nnection it is planned to locate m about a mile inland from the and to provide a satisfactory near the dam. With railroad es provided for the territory f the lake this harbor will be h benefit.

er spending two days in con- with Mr. Reed, the drainage of the Indian bureau, and go- r these matters thoroughly it greed to have Mr. Meyer re- he proposed ideas to writing bmit them to the department. report will be complete within xt two or three weeks. Mr. r's very careful and painstak- ork in preparing the extensive of the Red lake basin was nded by all. Mr. Willard ren- invaluable assistance in pre- g the outlines of the engineer- tures and in discussing the in- ations of the different interests d. Mr. Meyer, who has made al investigation for the board lake itself and the control fea- mentioned in this memorandum, l that he had a complete grasp the problems involved.

ll Interests Safeguarded.

mmarizing then, it appears that oject is entirely feasible; that be carried through at a reas- cost; that the agricultural in- both east and west of the lake wholly protected; that water benefits to be paid for by them created to the advantage of l to the disadvantage of none; o fishing interests can be per- to develop by keeping the lake niform; and that the scenic s, navigation and other poten- sets need not be disturbed. visit to the Miami Conser- district works near Dayton, occupied one day on the return The features of their control will be presented by Engineer at the next meeting of the

Church Supper and Sale.

Methodist Ladies Aid will hold of fancy and useful articles in urch Thursday, Dec 15. Also er will be served, commencing . m. Price 50 cents a plate. ody come. d-8

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SAVING AMERICA OUR FIRST DUTY SAYS PRESIDENT

Getting Country Back on Sound Basis Best Plan For Helping Rest of World.

Disclaims Any Intention on Our Part to Attempt Saving of Other Nations.

Makes Recommendations as to Needed Legislation in Message to Congress.

President Harding on Tuesday proposed to congress a definite and comprehensive program for restoring the United States to normalcy.

"Speeding up the plans to bring America again on a sound basis is America's best contribution to world restoration," the president said. With representatives of all the world's powers here, Harding served notice that the United States has no intention of trying to save other nations. They must save themselves, he said.

America will help unflinchingly "when they turn to heroic remedies for the menacing conditons under which they are struggling." No American policies alone will cure the world's ills, Harding said. By saving ourselves we will help the rest of the world save itself, he declared.

Hope Centered Here.

The president let it be clearly understood that he believed a high tariff necessary for this country.

"It would be better to remain on firm ground, strive for ample employment and a high standard of wages at home and point the way to balanced budgets as the remedy to cure disaster."

Harding started speaking at 12:23 after receiving a tremendous ovation. The arms conference was referred to only briefly by the president.

"It is easy to believe a world hope is centered in the capital city," he said. "A most gratifying world accomplishment is not improbable."

Outstanding in the president's recommendations toward bringing this country back to normalcy were:

Creation of a virtual industrial court to have judicial power to deal with labor disputes affecting public interests.

Prompt enactment of the tariff bill and a provision for the fixing of various duties by presidential order.

Revision of the shipping act to be based on recommendations shortly to be made.

Encouragement of co-operative marketing to aid farmers.

A constitutional amendment to prevent the issuance of unnecessary securities.

Speeding up of reclamation projects to aid ex-soldiers and to provide more homes.

Some revision of the tax bill recently passed.

Asks Debt Refunding Bill.

The president was believed to have been taking a direct slap at the several blocks, such as the agricultural group recently formed in congress, when he discussed our system of government.

Asking for enactment of the allied debt refunding bill, President Harding promised that if the requested authority is granted he would follow no policy conflicting with the proposal congress had in granting the loans.

FINE TRIBUTE TO HONORED DEAD OF ELK BROTHERHOOD

Frank X. Gravel of Duluth Is Speaker at Lodge of Sorrow Sunday Afternoon.

The memorial services of Thief River Falls lodge of Elks on Sunday afternoon were attended by a fair sized audience which gathered in the lodge room to witness the most impressive observance of the occasion ever held in Thief River Falls. The program was appropriate and beautiful in every detail and the address of Frank X. Gravel of Duluth, one of the most eloquent and inspiring ever heard in this city.

The instrumental music was furnished by Snyder's orchestra and was a highly apprecited feature of the afternoon's proceedings. A quartette composed of Miss Maude L. Johnson, Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, Carl Sundahl and E. M. Bennes gave several selections in a manner that has brought forth much flattering comment. Solos by Mrs. Fisher and Mr. Sundahl added to the already enviable reputation of these artists, while the accompaniment of Miss Doris Halvorson on the piano was of a kind that aided materially in rounding out the excellent renditions.

Mr. Gravel began by saying that he could hardly be regarded as a stranger, having been a resident of this section for many years. It was just 36 years and nine months ago, he said, that he first visited Thief River Falls as a salesman. He recalled particularly that on that occasion he had called at the Langseth store. Little did he then imagine that on a Sunday afternoon in 1921 he would be asked to deliver a memorial address in a fine modern building on the identical spot occupied by the Langseth store on his first visit.

The speaker was in excellent voice and the fact of his speaking from manuscript did not detract from the impressiveness or beauty of his remarks. Taking as his theme the cardinal principles of the order—Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity—he devoted himself to their exemplification in turn, pointing out the aims of the organization and the duty of each member therof in a manner that made a deep impression on those present. His long service as a member, the high positions he has held within the order and the many opportunities he has had for observing the great work it is doing in the world lent authority to his remarks, while the fact that he was at one time a citizen of this section, having been the first exalted ruler of Crookston lodge, added an interest which might have been lacking in another speaker.

After being thanked for his presence and address by Exalted Ruler H. W. Protzeller, Mr. Gravel responded feelingly and expressed his appreciation of the honor of having been called upon to act as the principal speaker on such an important occasion.

At 6 o'clock a banquet was tendered Mr. Gravel at the Hotel Evelyn at which were present the officers of the lodge together with the past exalted rulers now in the city. Mr. Gravel, in the name of the lodge, was presented with a beautiful silver card case carrying the lodge embelms, Mr. Protzeller making the presentation address. After expressing his thanks, Mr. Gravel ended his visit by giving the brethren some timely advice as to their attitude toward humanity in general and toward one another in particular.

CREDIT LAW ASKED SALES TAX OPPOSED BY FARM BUREAUS

National Convention at Atlanta Makes Recommendations For Immediate Legislation.

Congress will be asked by 1,500,000 organized farmers to pass legislation revising the present credit laws of the United States, so as to guarantee adequate finanace for agriculture on 12 and 24 months' paper.

Together with this demand, the American Farm Bureau federation and its 47 state federations will present a demand that net income be recognized as the sole measure of ability to pay taxes, and that the bulk of all taxes be levied on that basis.

This is the report brought back by Minnesota's delegation which attended the national convention of the American Farm Bureau federation in Atlanta, Ga.

Another national farm bureau policy, defined by the convention, is summarized as follows in the report to the state federation:

"The measure of ability to pay taxes for the support of the national government is net income, and the bulk of the taxes should be levied and collected on that basis.

"The tax should be progressive; that is, the greater the income, the higher the rate should be.

"We are opposed to the issuing of all tax free securities, and request that congress submit a constitutional amendment to the several states to cure this defect in our tax system.

"We disapprove the repeal of the excess profits tax.

"We are opposed to the principle of a general sales tax, or any similar plan such as a general manufacturers tax."

Development of the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway, restoration of pre-war powers to state railroad commissions, and a strong objection to permitting carriers to charge higher rates for short hauls than for long hauls were planks in a transportation platform submitted by the Minnesota delegates, and adopted.

The Minnesota platform demands the repeal or drastic modification of the Adamson law, and the repeal of parts of the Esch-Cummins act.

"We denounce the principle of guaranteeing income upon fixed valuations to the railroads of the United States," the platform says, "and ask the repeal of Section 15-A, Esch-Cummins act, which contains this feature.

"Since the Adamson law produces conditions in the conduct of the railroads which operate against the intertes of the public, we ask its repeal or modification as speedily as possible."

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Predicts Potatoes Will Be Winner Next Season

J. G. Callahan, traveling freight agent for the Northern Pacific, expressed the opinion in Fargo last week that the Red River valley will raise more potatoes than wheat next year.

"There is going to be a tremendous acreage of potatoes in 1922," said Mr. Callahan. "I am convinced from what I have learned of the potato situation in extensive traveling over this section, and after coming into contact with the potato growers and shippers throughout this territory, that the potato acreage will be doubled in the Red River valley."

He said the Northern Pacific had shipped 6,200 carloads of potatoes from its territory, according to the last reports received, as compared with 3,800 carloads up to the same date last year.

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Society and Club

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will meet at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening, Dec. 12, and the meeting will be in the nature of a Christmas party. The committee on entertainment and refreshments has completed arrangements and indications are that an exceptionally good time is in store for all who attend. All members are requested to bring a toy, suitable for a child, to be used in a fish pond, which will be part of the entertainment. Later on in the evening they will be collected and used for distribution among the poor children on Christmas day. Blankets have also been purchased by the club to be used for charitable purposes on Christmas. A short program, consisting of vocal and instrumental numbers and readings, will be given.

Social Welfare Section Meets.

The Social Welfare section of the Woman's club met at the Commercial club rooms Monday afternoon. The attendance was not as large as had been hoped for but a considerable amount of shoes and clothing was received. From now on the meetings of the Social Welfare section will be held in the room formerly occupied by the Christian Science society on the second floor of the auditorium. The ladies spent a great part of the time on Monday straightening out the room and getting it in readiness for future meetings. Lunch was served by Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich.

Pierson-Dibble.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 7, the marriage of Wesley Pierson and Miss Mildred Dibble was solemnized at the bride's home in this city. The couple was attended at the altar by Ray Dibble, brother of the bride, and Miss Birdie Pierson, sister of the groom. The ceremony took place in the presence of a large number of guests, comprising many of the young people, and at its close a fine wedding banquet was served. Mr. and Mrs. Pierson will make their future home in this city, where Mr. Pierson has an interest in an auto repair plant. Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church officiated.

Entertains For Miss Larson.

Miss Martina Stordahl entertained twelve friends at her home on Knight avenue Saturday evening in compliment to Miss Clara Larson, who will leave in the near future for British Columbia. Following an evening of dancing and cards a delicious lunch was served. Those present were Miss Clara Larson, Miss Ellen Kulle, Miss Myrtle Anderson, Miss Ida Mauno, Miss Alice Johnson, Miss Clara Knudson, Fred Ristau, Eddie Schei, Robert Hamry, Harold Saltdevt, Lester Roberts and Clarence Olson.

W. C. T. U. Reception.

The local W. C. T. U. will hold a public reception on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Martin Evenson, 424 LaBree avenue north, for the state president, Mrs. Josephine E. Sizer. Every lady in Thief River Falls is asked to attend and meet this noted speaker. Union services will be held on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the auditorium. The principal speaker of the evening will be Mrs. Sizer. A very cordial invitation is extended to the general public.

For Miss Evenson.

Among the social courtesies extended Miss Lena Evenson before her departure for Webster, S. D., was a party given by Mrs. A. G. Greenseth at her home, 805 Horace avenue north, on Thursday evening. On Friday night Miss Ruth Sandstrom entertained a few friends at her home on Main avenue north in her honor. On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Benson were hosts at dinner at their home on Knight avenue north.

Peterson-Mickelson.

Holger Walter Peterson and Miss Edna Mary Mickelson, both of Glenwood, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Perry Froseth, on Friday evening, Dec. 2, at 7 o'clock. Rev. George Larson was the officiating clergyman. Immediately after the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. Only the nearest relatives witnessed the ceremony.

Anniversary Dinner.

Miss Josephine Weeks delightfully entertained a few friends at a four-course dinner at her home on Saturday evening on the occasion of the birthday anniversary of Lynn Lawton. The guests included Misses Edna Ryff, Bernadette Gormely, and Messrs. Lynn Lawton, Francis Burns and R. B. Stenhoff.

Lady Firemen Entertain.

After the regular meeting of the Lady Firemen lodge Friday evening, dancing and cards became the diversion. In addition to the lodge members and their husbands, a number of invited guests were present. Mrs. A. Stenberg and Miss Myrtle Blair were hostesses and served a delicious lunch.

Entertains.

Milton Lund entertained a number of girls and boys at his home on Main avenue north Saturday evening in compliment to Harry Brown of Minneapolis, who spent a few days here visiting friends. About twenty guests were present to enjoy an evening spent in dancing and cards.

Entertains at Cards.

The first of a series of parties was given by Mrs. John Ward on Friday evening at her home on Markley avenue north, when she entertained a number of ladies at cards. Three tables were in play. Miss Grace Wilson assisted Mrs. Ward in the serving of a delicious lunch.

Music Classes Entertained.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson entertained her primary and junior classes in music at her home on Duluth avenue north Friday afternoon and evening respectively. Games and contests furnished amusement. Delicious refreshments concluded each party.

Entertain at Cards.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Schutt pleasantly entertained sixteen of their friends at their home on Saturday evening.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—Ladies' Aid Thursday, Dec. 8, at church parlors. Mesdames Carl Sjoberg, J. E. Nelson, Nels A. Nelson and John Jordahl entertain. Program for Young Peoples League evening Dec. 8: Scripture reading and prayer; reading, Mrs. Halvor Loken; piano solo, Mildred Engen; vocal solo, Dr. P. L. Vistaunet; reading; violin duet, Lorraine Will and Henry Arneson. Meeting of Sunday school teachers at home of Gynther Tessum Friday evening at 8 p. m. Confirmation class meets at parsonage Saturday at 10 o'clock. Divine services in Norwegian 11 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m. There will be no evening service due to the W. C. T. U. meeting at the auditorium.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Choir practice Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Deacons' meeting at the parsonage Saturday evening at 7:45. Services in the city at 11 a. m. Afternoon services at Rindal at 2:30 p. m. W. C. T. U. meeting at the auditorium Sunday evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at Bergsland home on Bridge street. Zion Ladies' Aid meeting on Thursday, Dec. 15. Mrs. John Dahl and Mrs. Katie Parbst entertain. Zion Y. P. S. meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 15. Miss Myrtle Mellum and Mrs. Dale will entertain. Zion congregation will have their yearly business meeting Monday evening, Dec. 12, at 7:45 p. m. sharp.

Methodist Episcopal Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—The first quarterly conference of the current year will be held at the parsonage on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. On Sunday the district superintendent will occupy the pulpit at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school will be held at 10 a. m. and Epworth League at 7 p. m. A cordial welcome to these services is extended to all.

Christian Science Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at corner of First and LaBree. Subject Sunday, Dec. 11, "God, the Preserver of Man." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Also open on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock for reading room. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Swedish Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting at Aug. Nordlund's Tuesday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire church next Sunday: At East Side school house at 11 a. m. and at St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services Sunday, the 11th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The theme for the morning service will be, "How the Redeemed Can Be Ready for the Return of Jesus Christ." For the evening service, "The Drifting Soul." Sunday school at 10 a. m. You are cordially welcome.

Thorvick and Bethlehem, O. I. Raaum, Pastor—Service with confirmation in Thorvik Sunday at 11 a. m. Service in Bethlehem church at 2:30 p. m. The congregation and the Ladies' Aid of Bethlehem will hold their annual business meeting Monday, Dec. 12, in the church, beginning at 11 o'clock.

Evangelical Lutheran Church, Albin A. Larson, Pastor—Services on Sunday at 10:30. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. A lutefisk supper will be served in the church basement on Wednesday, Dec. 14, beginning at 5:30.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 11: English services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. at Germantown. English services at Erie at 3 p. m. and at Neptune at 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Church—Services will be conducted in the morning at the usual hour. The sermon will be read by Mr. F. F. Haynes.

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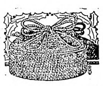

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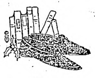

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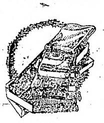

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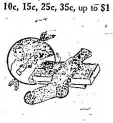

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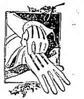

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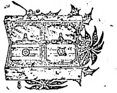

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P THEM TO HELP OTHERS.

Salvation Army is making its home Service appeal at the t time and asking citizens of River Falls to contribute to- its fund for this service. The ign is in the hands of a com- composed of Theo. Quale, nan; W. W. Prichard, Jr., sec- ; Judge N. W. Tarrant, John n, T. P. Anderson, W. J. La- Thos. A. Way and C. D. Gus- . The list of contributors is l by the Masons and Elks with ach. No sum is suggested or ated as the amount to be given case, this being left entirely to onor. Last year the city and fell far short of contributing nds necessary to meet the ex- s of the army, the deficit being up by organizations in other It is hoped that the result this will be better.

Salvation Army is doing a work. This is particularly no- le in the larger cities since the ployment situation became ac- Hundreds of homeless and job- ersons are nightly given shel- Minneapolis alone and the sit- is the same in other large s. While the necessity for tak- ich steps has not yet been par- rly noticeable in Thief River there is no telling how soon might be calls upon the facili- f the barracks. A large part work of the army in matters a kind is never disclosed to the al public. Its charities are never tised and the names of those never disclosed. Even the num- has helped in a community is known, the army going ahead its program without any expec- of credit or applause. It is all day's work and those in charge take their reward out in the iousness of a duty performed.

re will be a heavier demand on ervices of the Salvation Army the present winter than for years past. More money will eded if those in actual need are helped. Many of these have no agency toward which they can They do not even allow their ion to become known. Army ers are always on the lookout ch cases and ready with a help- and. It is the one organization recognizes neither creed, color cial standing. Wherever there ed the Salvation Army is ready lp.

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EETING THE SITUATION.

ile the authorities in other are discussing the unemploy- problem and wondering what are going to do in order to al- te it, Minnesota doesn't waste in this manner but goes right l and provides work for its peo- Road contracts under the Bab- law provisions are being carried practically every county, thous- of men and horses being there- ut to work at a time when some of relief was almost imperative. icularly is the farmer in the r sections of the state fortunate something has been provided for this winter. The past season was too favorable as concerns crops, this difficulty might have been come were he able to get any- for what he did raise. Prices farm produce at the present time far below the cost of production. stock hardly returns the cost of portation, and grain is but little r. Various reasons are given to ain this situation, in none of h the farmer is greatly interest- He may be willing enough to it that no one is particularly to e for matters being as they are, this does not change the situation he least. He is broke and it is lutely necessary that he find ething to do in order to carry over the winter. Road work is iding the means.

he farmer has not gone on a e to maintain war prices for his uce or his labor. He is willing, t least prepared, to take his share he loss incident to readjustment, feels that he is being made to lder more than he can carry. he is justified in this attitude is ently recognized and some at- pt is being made to help him out. he best plan yet devised is to so nge matters that he can help self, and this is what the high- department of Minnesota is do- . It is an admirable plan. The ner needs the work and we all the roads. The department has ed a bit and performed a valu- service.

NOT NECESSARILY SETTLED.

Two judges are to be elected in the Fourteenth judicial district next fall and already there is considerable speculation as to who at least one of the candidates will be. Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren will without doubt seek re-election, but similar action on the part of Judge William Watts of Crookston is not so certain. At least this is the impression gained from press comments. Judge Watts is getting along in years and as his health is not the best he may decide that a rest is advisable. That he will do so seems to be taken for granted in some quarters, a successor having already been suggested.

Martin O'Brien, another Crookston man, is most often referred to in this connection, but there will doubtless be others. From the point of view of availability there is nothing to be said against Mr. O'Brien, but on the other hand there is no law stipulating that the next judge must hail from Crookston. There are other towns as well as other lawyers in the district and some of these are sure to be heard from.

A GREAT SHOW.

If you have not yet attended the exhibit of the Pennington County Poultry association, held this week at the auditorium, you have missed something really worth while. There are hundreds of chickens of different varieties, most of them aristocrats in their special divisions. There are turkeys of unbelievable size, while the ducks and geese would compare favorably with those of sections making a specialty of raising birds of this class.

The show is the greatest ever held in this city, which means that it will have no equal in the entire section. Not only are there more entries but the quality is noticeably finer than at any previous exhibit. Particularly is this true in the chicken division. Here nearly every practical variety, both native and foreign, may be found, and just how any judge is going to tell which is the best is a mystery to a person not an expert in such matters. There is coop after coop of the best egg-producing strains, but these by no means hold the center of the stage. The larger varieties which show to the best advantage after the cook has finished with them are there in abundance. It is doubtful if a finer display of Brahmas, Rocks, Orpingtons, Rhode Islands and Wyandottes can be found any place in the state, these breeds easily sharing the interest with the smaller birds whose claim to distinction consists principally of laying large quantities of eggs.

The exhibit is so astonishing in its completeness that it would be impossible for even a person not particularly interested in poultry raising to fail to become enthused.

And now someone is threatening to make a state senator out of Billy Noonan of the Baudette Region. The Sixty-second district will have to select a man to succeed Leonard Nord of International Falls, who died in St. Paul during the last session, and Noonan would fill the bill admirably. According to his own view of the matter he is disqualified because he does not live in Bemidji. Neither did Nord, for that matter, yet he made the grade without much trouble. Billy will probably be in St. Paul during the session anyway and he might as well have an official title. The north section would have an additional booster of the first magnitude.

OBSERVATIONS.

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

About time for you to think of doing a little Santa Clausing for some poor family this Christmas.

Financial experts say that business has turned the corner, but they don't say which corner.

When a lad's hand goes to his hip these days you don't know whether it's a sign of hostility or hospitality.

Cheer up. It's a hard winter that hasn't some soft spots in it.

Being mistaken for a deer is bad enough, but to be shot for a skunk, as a lad over in Ontario was recently, must be an awful thump to one's feelings.

You can't blame woodsmen, who are being paid from $16 to $22 a month, for doubting that there is a Santa Claus.

Public Forum

Objects to Ditch 30.

To the Editor of The Times:

I read the letter written by W. P. Jackson of Carmel, Minn. in regards to ditching matters in eastern Marshal and Beltrami counties and have seen nothing concerning these matters that so freely expresses my opinion, and, I believe, the opinion of the majority of the people of this section in these matters.

I have lived for eight years in Pennington county on a farm that adjoins the route of judicial ditch number 30 (extension of 18) and have not during that time seen any need of a drainage ditch here. Two years ago is the only time that we had any surplus water and then we were thankful that we had no drainage ditch. It was only the territories where they had ditches that were flooded.

It has come to the point where the annual ditch hearings have come to be regarded as a by-word or a joke from which no one is expected to derive any benefit except possibly the railroads and the hotel keepers not forgetting those who are being paid for their time there. And still people attend them. It may be very well to go but it would seem a useless spending of money and time for those who are not liberally supplied with either.

It is time that western Marshall county wake up to an understanding of the situation in its eastern part. Unless there is a halt made in the ditching operations there, that part of the country is facing financial ruin. The people will literally be forced from their homes thru an over burden of taxes.

It should also be remembered that a great deal of the land, supposed to be benefited by the ditches, is land where nobody could make a living, much less pay a heavy ditch tax. A great deal of it has been homesteaded and vacated and it can not be sold to anyone familiar with conditions there. It is possible that in time, when the forces of the elements have worn down the peat to a soil that it will be alright; but that will not be in this generation or the next.

I was born and raised on a farm in western Marshal county and I know that the eastern part of the county is working under great disadvantages unknown to the western part. Why burden the people there with unnecessary ditch taxes against their wishes? During the recent war some of us had to make big sacrifices. Many of us saw our sons and brothers march away, many of them never to return alive. They gave their lives, so we were told, in order to preserve the principles of democracy. It rests with us who are still here to see that those sacrifices were not made in vain. When the voice of the people has ceased to have any influence even in our courts, it is time that we begin to fight autocracy at home. When we go to the polls next fall it would be well for us all to remember the warning given by Washington when he refused the presidential office for a third term. Let us not only preach but practice the principles brought forth by a man whose honesty and statesmanship ability is unquestioned and who is in such large measure responsible for the existence of our country.

MRS. V. J. SWANSON.
Thief River Falls, No. 28, 1921.

Wants Government Guarantee.

Editor Times:

If congress has the power to act in defense of the people by passing and establishing laws, rules and regulations whereby justice may be attained through the establishment of right relationship between man and man, between state and state, and between nation and nation, on general principles, what is there to hinder them from exercising their power in behalf of the suffering people, in support of the food problem? Nothing whatsoever.

The bread question is no longer a sectional matter. It is today a national problem.

Bread is the staff of life and it is the one thing above all else that should receive first hand consideration by congress.

There is but one solution. Place the American producer in a position to produce, and then protect him in his efforts.

The farmer must know in the spring what his products should net him after harvest under normal conditions in order to successfully carry on farm operations. To think that farm activities will be able to restore themselves back to normal conditions is child reasoning, in view of the fact that thousands of farmers have already gone bankrupt and thousands more are ready to lay down. To continue under existing conditions will mean the death blow, not only to the producer, but to the entire country as well.

The question is, will congress permit this country to go entirely bankrupt by default, or will they awake to the fact that it is time for action? There are two ways open for them to come to the rescue of the people. The first way is to revive the wartime method by establishing set prices upon our products, namely, wheat, corn and cotton.

There could perhaps also be worked out a profit plan by establishing a set scale showing a justifiable profit to the producer over and above the cost of production, leaving each state to arrive at its actual cost of the finished product. The farmer could then add his profit to the cost in the same way and manner that the merchant adjusts the price upon his goods. In either event, no doubt the tariff wall would have to be adjusted accordingly.

This would be doing business upon business principles, and it would set our country back on a solid footing. Congress must act in this matter, and that at once, if we are to avoid the disastrous results that are bound to follow the present course of events.

W. A. SWANSON.
Rhoda, Minn.

What Other Editors Think.

WHY?

Anoka Union: Now they say that Harry Lauder claims that short skirts and rolled-down stockings are a verification of his prophecy two years ago that the women would soon wear kilts. For goodness sake, we hope not.

NO TIME TO HOLD BACK.

Le Sueur Herald: This is no time to apply the brakes; let 'er go. There is road building to be done, and every man should have a job. And every man who wants to work should not wait for "higher wages" but grab what he can right now. If you have any building to do, do it now. It will help, keep things moving, and when things move there are no hard times.

DISREGARD THE ADVICE.

Waseca Herald: The amount of propaganda sent out weekly by government bureaus would indicate that the heads of the various departments have failed to read President Harding's statement regarding advertising. Here is what the president said: "Newspaper advertising is a commodity; when the general government requires it, as it often does, it should be paid for as other commodities are."

A LIBERAL EDUCATION.

Milan Standard: Gathering news items affords a liberal education in human nature. The reporter meets them all—the kind and the unkind, the courteous and the discourteous, the frank and the unaffected who are perfectly willing to tell what they know, and the snobbish and pretentious who do not want their names in the paper, but, if omitted, complain that the paper is no good. The reporter has learned his lesson when able to appreciate the former and smile indulgently at the weaknesses of the latter.

MERELY DRIFTING.

Winnebago City Enterprise: If we were to attempt to point out the one, outstanding error of the public school system as it is today, we should say that no effort is made to encourage the young men and women to take up some particular line of activity for their life's work.

As a usual thing, the man or woman who succeeds in life, early forms an aspiration to become a leader in some business or profession, and then bends every energy to attain that goal. Most of the young people today are wasting valuable time because they have no objective point in view.

Life, at the best, is short. The years are few. Competition is daily growing stronger and stronger. Those who would be crowned with success must be up and doing. You will never arrive anywhere by drifting. The sea of life is full of derelicts that have tried it. Young man, young woman, which way are you going?

PEPTOMIST VS. PESSIMIST.

Lake City Graphic-Republican: A city is made or broken by the kind of people that make up the population. If the people are peptomists and boosters, the city will surely prosper, while, on the other hand, if the people are pessimists and knockers, the city will get knocked in the head and will not amount to very much. Lake City is progressing because a majority of its citizens are peptomists and boosters for every good for the city. And we will continue to progress just so long as the peptomists and boosters predominate in number and spirit.

START SHOPPING NOW.

Bemidji Sentinel: Wise shoppers have already started looking after their Christmas purchases. This indicates a happier Christmas than generally. People who buy early, even though they only have the goods laid aside, do so in comfort, and they also get that which they want before it has been pawed over by those who wait until later on when stores are crowded, clerks are tired and the choicest of Christmas things already carried away or spoken for. Christmas stocks are not going to be any cheaper the day before Christmas than they are this week. So you can save nothing that way by waiting until the last minute. Clerks have more time to attend to your wants now than they will have later on. So you are sure of being suited. And then, when the tardy ones are sweating and fuming and working themselves into a nervous fit over what to give for Christmas you will have the satisfaction of knowing that you can sit back and comfortably escape all such worry. Sensible Christmas buyers are those who have already commenced to do their buying.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

Don't dose children's colds
External, vaporizing treatment is better and saves upsetting their little stomachs.

There's a new way to treat spasmodic croup, sore throat, sore tonsils and other cold troubles. It's a salve that sends its healing vapors right into the nose, throat and lungs, and is absorbed thru the skin, too.

Not only does this treatment—Vicks VapoRub—save upsetting the children's stomachs with strong drugs, but you can let them have the needful fresh air day and night.

Mothers who have tried Vicks certainly seem to prefer this new method. Over 35 million jars have been used since January, 1919. Once tried, Vicks becomes a standby in the family medicine cabinet.

Vicks is used almost daily in homes where there are children—for colds, cuts, burns, scalds, bruises, bites and itching skin troubles. Just as good for grown-ups, too.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

VICKS VAPORUB

An Easy Habit

THE remarkable thing about saving money is that, once you begin, it is so easy. The hardest part is deciding to begin.

If you save 25 cents a day, with compound interest you will have $500 in five years.

And you won't miss the 25 cents a day.

Why not begin today by opening an Interest Paying Account with us?

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

DOUBLE your savings—it CAN be done.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
ANNOUNCES A LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
By
Dr. John M. Tutt, C. S. B.
of Kansas City, Missouri
Member of the Board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts
AT THE CHURCH EDIFICE
Corner LaBree Avenue and First Street
Tuesday Eve., Dec. 13
8:15 o'Clock P. M.
You and Your Friends Are Cordially Invited
ALL SEATS FREE NO COLLECTION

During This Special Sale

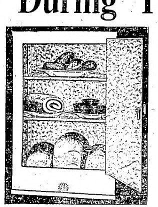

Wednesday, Dec. 7
Until Dec. 17
We Will Give to Every Purchaser of a *Monarch Range*
FREE
A Handsome Bread and Cake Cabinet

This Is Your Chance

to buy a MONARCH Malleable Range at a remarkable price and secure this wonderful premium value.

You will like the way in which the MONARCH cooks and bakes. It is a range built for service and economy.

COME IN NOW—select the size and style which appeals to you. Your cooking hours will be made shorter and more pleasant—you will be proud to tell your friends about the

Monarch MALLEABLE
The "Stay Satisfactory" Range

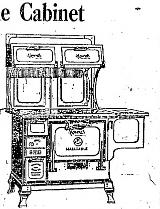

Larson Furniture Co.
Third at Main Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Merry Christmas

A Whole Store Full of Practical Gifts

Smart New Blouses

Make a beautiful personal gift. A handsome large assortment to choose from, at

$5.95 $7.50 $10.00 $12.50 $15.00

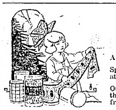

Christmas Ribbons

A HANDSOME NEW STOCK

Special wide hair bow ribbons at, per yard ....18c and 35c

Our large stock offers you the greatest variety to choose from.

Pearls

Beautiful Perfect Pearls, in handsome cases. Special ... **$3.50**

FOR LADIES — Fine Silk Hosiery

At the Lowest Prices in Town—Buy Here

Glove silk de Luxe high grade Hose, in all colors **$2.95**

Pure thread Silk Hose, wonder value, in all shades. Special here only **98c**

Pleasant Dreams of Wonderful Dolls Come True

These are the days when good little girls are dreaming of the dolls that Santa will bring them. And just think, all the wonderful dolls you see in your dreams will be found in our Toyland. Do have mother bring you in to see them. May we introduce:

Betty Jane, she sleeps and has hair and teeth, too. And such a pretty dress, too. 18 in. tall. **$1**

Bobby is a walking and talking doll all dressed in rompers. He has a cute baby face. Price **$8.50**

And Dorothy, just as tall as Betty Jane, with a very pretty dress, slippers and stockings, and such a stylish feather trimmed hat. Price **$1.95**

Margie is a much bigger doll, 24 inches tall. She has teeth and sleeps **$4.65**

Alice, a regular grown up lady doll, 18 in. high, with eye lashes and pearly teeth—and she is a perfect lady.... **$3.25**

Betty is a popular little lady doll for the small baby. Each **25c**

More of Those $4.50 Dolls that Walk and Talk

Just received—a shipment of the $4.50 Walking and Talking Dolls! We've had so many inquiries about them. Select one tomorrow—they'll hurry out. Wonderful for the girls' Christmas.

Perfumes in Gift Sets

Delicate scents in bottles of attractive shapes, each daintily boxed—an ideal gift for every woman.

We have an unusually large stock for your choice, and our prices are less than formerly.

Now only

$2.50 $5.00 $7.50

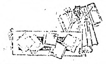

Ladies' Fine Handkerchiefs

A prettier, better stock than ever before and prices away down.

5c 10c 15c 18c 25c 35c 50c 85c and $1.00

Morning Slippers Make Ideal Xmas Gifts

Ladies' felt, in all leading colors	1.50 to $2
Ladies' felt, with leather sole and heel	2.00
Ladies' satin, black rose and blue	2.25
Misses' felt, red, blue and rose	1.50
Child's felt, red, blue and rose	1.35

Kiddies, Hang Up Your Stockings

Santa Claus Has a Sack Full of Toys

Automobiles and Ducky Rockers—substantial toys that last weeks after Christmas is past.

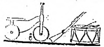

Kiddie Kars, Guns, and Drums—the little tots' greatest toys for Christmas joys.

The 10c Toy Counter

Rocking Horses
Dolls
Mouth Organs
Jumping Jacks
Toy Birds
Doll Shoes
Doll Furniture
Baking Sets
Blocks
Horns

The 15c and 25c Toy Counter

Drums
Rubber Dolls
Sleeping Dolls
Big Dogs
Suit Cases
Wagons
Rubber Balls
Climbing Monkeys
Dancing Tops
Toy Dishes

Gifts for All

Reed Cabs

—for the dolly. They have real woven bodies and hoods, rubber tired wheels and good springs. An excellent Christmas present **$3.95**

Self-Filling Fountain Pen

Here's an ideal gift for man or woman. Just think—an excellent writing fountain pen, hard iridium point. It is lever style, self-filler. Each **98c**

Cup and Saucer Sets

These are hand painted with floral medallion and conventional border designs. Complete set **$2.25**

Collapsible Doll Beds

—made of heavy gilt metal wire with flowered lawn mattress. Lace trimmed pillows. A gift that all girls want. Each **$1.00**

French Briar Pipes

The smoker always welcomes a new pipe for Christmas. We have a fine assortment. Each packed in holly box **50c**

Imported China Plates

These plates are handsomely decorated with floral designs and ornamented borders. Buy several of these for Christmas giving. Each **50c**

Toy Irons

—for the little miss. The kind with detachable hood and handle. Your little girl will enjoy one of these irons. Each **25c**

Shaving Outfits

These outfits have a stand with swing mirror, brush and brush holder. They make fine gifts for the men folks. Complete **$1.98**

Crystal Goblets

These goblets are of new design and have proven very popular. Made of fine blown crystal and drawn stem. A set of 6 in holly box **$2.50**

WOOLEN DRESS GOODS and Handsome Silks

There is nothing you could choose for the Home Sewer that would please her more than material for a Dress or Waist. And you will do well to make your choice from our present display replete with new patterns and colors. See our Specials Now on Display and on Sale.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT MAIN FLOOR

Toyland---The Wonderland---Basement

A Dinnerware Set for a Practical Gift

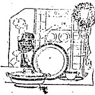

Any number of patterns to select from and made up in any size sets to suit you. Specially priced, so you can afford to choose a set for one of your Christmas items.

Coin Gold Dinnerware; 18 kt. Gold.
Green Gold Band Set
Breakfast Blue English Set
Gold Etching Pattern Set
Gold Pin Stripe Dinnerware
Pink Floral Design Dinnerware
Imported Cups and Saucers Bavarian

Comfortables and Blankets

A Sensible Gift Suggestion

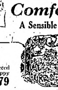

Jumbo Blankets

Size 72x80. A heavy, large fleeced blanket for these cold, snappy winter nights, at a bargain price, per pair.... **$3.79**

Comfortables

As a Christmas gift. A large size and so light and warm **$4.95**

A New Design for Christmas Shoppers

You are sure to please with this gift **$5.95**

Aluminum Vacuum Bottles

Full aluminum case demountable model aluminum drinking cup with handle, a fine quality silvered glass filler. Each in corrugated box.

Bottles of standard make are offered in pint and quart sizes.

Pints $1.95
Quarts $2.25

Saturday Specials

GALVANIC LAUNDRY SOAP SALE

A fresh shipment just arrived; the big 9 oz. bars, manufactured by the Palm Olive people.

25 BARS The Famous Laundry Soap **$1**

PALM OLIVE

The fastest selling toilet soap on the market. Get your holiday needs now. We won't say how long our stock will last at this price.

15 BARS Palm Olive Toilet Soap **$1**

Overshoes

We will have a shipment of 4-buckle Overshoes in for Saturday, Dec. 10.

LOKEN BROS.

Loken Brothers --- The Christmas Store

City News

Carl T. Olson of Randeen spent Monday here on business.

Mrs. J. M. Hruby of Mavie was a shopper here on Saturday.

Peter Moreau of Granite Falls was here Sunday visiting friends.

Otto Kranz of Middle River was a visitor in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Stevens of St. Hilaire were in the city on Saturday.

Chas. Munn was an over Sunday visitor with frieds at Crookston.

Peter Wold of Highlanding was a business visitor in the city on Friday.

Hemstitching, dressmaking. Selma Johnson, 313 Horace Ave. N. d-8-p

J. C. Nordlum came down from Middle River on Monday on business.

Mrs. A. F. Hall of St. Hilaire shopped here between trains on Friday.

Ed. Kotlan of Mavie was here Saturday attending to matters of business.

A. Anderson of Oslo made a business trip to the city the first of the week.

Olaf Hedland of Roseau was in the city on Friday attending to business matters.

Ole Winjum of Strathcona made a business trip to this city the first of the week.

Fred Simons of Baudette was an over Sunday visitor with friends in this city.

Derby Anderson left Saturday for Minneapolis to spend a few days visiting friends.

Henry Klockman of Germantown was in the city Saturday on matters of business.

Dr. G. W. Booren left Saturday evening for Minneapolis on a brief business trip.

Mrs. E. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire was in the city yesterday receiving dental treatment.

J. H. Griffin, district freight agent, of Grand Forks, was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. A. C. Kveanes arrived yesterday afternoon from Middle River to spend a day shopping.

T. Tygeson, master carpenter for the Great Northern, was a business caller here yesterday.

H. B. Imsdahl of Pitt was in the the city the first of the week attending to business affairs.

Hard Time dance given by the fire department on Friday night, Dec. 16, at the auditorium. d-8-15

Mrs. Joe Ptacek and son, Charles, of Mavie were in the city Friday attending to shopping.

Oscar Swanson left Friday night for Minneapolis, where he will spend a few days on business.

Just received another shipment of ladies' four buckle overshoes at Froseth's Shoe Store.—Advertisement d8

Mrs. M. Fricker of St. Hilaire was a shopper here yesterday. She also visited her sister, Mrs. G. Adolph.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Spinks came down from Middle River yesterday afternoon on a brief shopping trip.

Tanlac is purely vegetable and is made from the most beneficial roots, herbs and barks known to science. Lambert's drug store. d-8 —Advertisement.

Free malt at firemen's Hard Time dance Dec. 16. Admission 75c per couple. d-8-15

Miss Gladys Swenson of Rosewood spent Sunday visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. S. Brandon.

Junior class play, "Ruth in a Rush," at auditorium Dec. 20. Three-act comedy and the best of its kind. d-8 —Advertisement.

Miss Ruth Mathews left Monday afternoon for Moorhead where she will enter the State Teachers' college.

A. J. Anderson, cashier of the Citizens State bank of Grygla was a business caller in the city yesterday.

J. F. Peterson, manager of the Peterson-Biddick company at Wadena was a business caller here on Saturday.

"Ruth in a Rush," junior class play at auditorium Tuesday evening, Dec. 20. If you can't laugh, don't come. —Advertisement. d-8

Miss Ingaborg Dale, who teaches at Baker, was an over Sunday guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Neece.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris of Ashland, Wis., are here as guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. I. A. Larson.

O. M. Westlin, cashier of the Winger State bank, was in the city Wednesday night on business matters, returning Thursday morning.

Mrs. S. C. Stornao, who had spent a few days visiting friends here, returned to her home at Holt yesterday.

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Ole Engelstad returned Wednesday evening from Minneapolis, where he had spent several days visiting friends.

Attend the Hard Time dance given Dec. 16 at the auditorium by the fire department. d-8-15

Mrs. J. P. Jensen of Goodridge spent Thursday in the city attending to Christmas shopping.

Nellie C. Hardesty of Minneapolis has opened dressmaking parlors at 412 Red Lake Blvd. Telephone 173-R. 44-p

Mrs. E. L. Rolland and Mrs. John Rolland left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to attend a Maccabee rally.

Mrs. Anton Carlson returned yesterday morning from Crookston after attending a Maccabee rally in that city.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, went to Minneapolis Saturday night on matters of business.

Mrs. Bertha Giller, who has closed out her stock of merchandise here, left Tuesday night for her home at St. Paul.

Miss Bertha Sorum returned to her home at Holt Thursday morning after spending a few days here visiting relatives.

Norbert Holzknecht left Saturday morning for Duluth for an over Sunday visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. J. LaGeske.

Mrs. Theo. Tandberg was in the city on Saturday on a shopping trip. She returned to her home at Goodridge in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer were in the city Saturday and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Supero.

Albert Lonson, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank, made a business trip to Calloway on Monday, returning the same night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hallen of Grand Forks motored to this city on Sunday and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Storholm.

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Mrs. C. H. Norby, who had attended the Eastern Star meeting on Wednesday evening, returned to her home at Strathcona Thursday morning.

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Daniel Shaw, L. R. Johnston, J. S. Arneson and Mayor John Bratrud spent Tuesday at Bemidji on business matters.

Miss Grace Brown of Minneapolis is in the city this week visiting with friends. Miss Brown formerly resided here.

Mrs. Orrie Shoberg of Middle River is in the city this week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg.

Miss Olga Anderson returned to her home at Middle River on Tuesday after spending a short time here attending to shopping.

Don't forget the junior class play, "Ruth in a Rush," at the auditorium, Tuesday, Dec. 20.—Advertisement.

Mrs. John Halvorson of Mahnomen arrived Saturday evening to spend several days with relatives.

Miss Lottie Austin returned Monday morning from a week's visit at Fosston and Crookston with relatives.

Ed. Johnson, who has been employed as a truck driver for the paving company, left Wednesday for his home in St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Herrick arrived Monday evening from Warren and visited for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McGinn.

Miss Mabell Anse, who had spent some time visiting her sister, Mrs. Alfred Diken, left yesterday morning for her home at Badger.

Leslie Provencher, who had spent a week as the guest of his father, Julien Provencher, at the Evelyn hotel, returned to St. Paul last evening.

Just received another shipment of ladies' four buckle overshoes at Froseth's Shoe Store.—Advertisement d8

Miss Leah Evenson, who has been employed at the Benson store in this city, left Monday afternoon for Webster, S. D., where she has accepted a similar position.

Dale Miller of Crookston was in the city on Monday, leaving the same day with a carload of poultry for the local branch of the Peterson-Biddick Produce company.

Mrs. Eleanor Thackery returned to Strathcona Monday morning to resume her work in a school near that place after spending the week-end visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Halgrim of Rosewood were in the city yesterday visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., and also attending the poultry show.

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Hugh McDaniel arrived last week from Minneapolis and will spend a few days visiting his parents. He has secured employment in Chicago and will leave for that city soon.

R. R. Collard, superintendent of the Bitulithic and Contracting, Ltd., left Saturday for his home at Winnipeg after having spent four months here looking after the paving job.

Irving Carlson arrived on Monday from St. Cloud to take his place as forward on the basketball team this winter. He needs no introduction to the fans as he played here with much success last year.

Ed Hanson of Ames, Iowa arrived here Thursday morning for a three weeks visit at the home of his parents-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Peter Engelstad. Mr. Hanson is employed by the Dairy Testing Association.

Paul Scanlon and Harry Brown came up from Minneapolis last week and were guests of the former's parents. They returned to Minneapolis Sunday night. Mr. Brown at one time time attended high school here.

Mrs. C. S. Simonson and Mrs. Joe Holmes were among the members of the local Maccabee lodge who attended the rally at Crookston on Tuesday evening. They returned yesterday morning.

Miss Adeline Swenagaard of Mavie spent Sunday here as the guest of Misses Emma and Mamie Ptacek.

Miss Marie Nelson, who had spent the past two months visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Culbertson here, left Thursday morning for Crookston, where she will be employed at the Bethesda hospital.

A. Levison, who had spent the past summer in this city in charge of the Giller clothing stock, returned to his home at Minneapolis Saturday evening, after disposing of the stock. The Giller building will be occupied by the Laird Specialty Shop in the near future.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman left Friday night for Lincoln, Kans., where they will make their home in the future. They spent Sunday at Minneapolis visiting their son, Rufus, who is a student at Hamline university.

Mrs. W. R. Patterson left yesterday afternoon for Goodridge to review a home talent play to be given by the American Legion at that place. Mrs. Patterson will be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Tandberg.

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Mrs. B. A. Hanson and Miss Clara Skramstad returned to their homes at Middle River Thursday morning after spending a short time here attending to shopping. While in the city they were guests of Mrs. D. Skramstad.

Supt. and Mrs. I. T. Simley returned Monday afternoon from Northwood, N. D., where they attended the funeral of a nephew of Mr. Simley. The trip was made by auto and the roads found in excellent condition throughout the entire distance.

Archie H. Vernon, past state commander of the American Legion, and Col. Wm. T. Mollison, both members of the soldiers' bonus board of review, were in the city on Tuesday reviewing state bonus claims. Mr. Mollison is chairman of the board. They left in the afternoon for Crookston on a similar mission.

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The following item of news, taken from a Winona paper, will be of interest to local people: "The resignation of Miss Edna H. Clark, instructor in sewing in the senior high school, was accepted. Miss Florence Aalberg, domestic science instructor in the grades, was transferred to this position and Miss Nora J. Maceman elected to Miss Aalberg's position." Miss Aalberg is the daughter of Mrs. Thrine Aalberg of this city.

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"Coming events cast their shadows before," is an old saying. Where is the pessimist who said the Gopher state wouldn't go over the top ahead of all other Legion departments in collecting and sending to National headquarters the dues of all its members for 1922? Cheer up, buddy, the coming year is going to see the enrollment of more Minnesota Legionaires than ever before. On Dec. 1, 1921, state and national headquarters were being swamped with the dues of thousands of Legionaires from all over the nation.

President Harding last week signed the following amendment to the law relative to taxation: "After January 1, 1922, no taxes shall be levied on admissions, all the proceeds of which inure exclusively to the benefit of any post of the American Legion or the Legion Auxiliary Unit thereof, if no part of the net earnings thereof inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual." This amendment was secured through efforts of the Legion National Legislative Committee at the request of thousands of Legion posts throughout the nation. It refers to the so-called "amusement admission tax."

Some of the Legion posts in Northern Minnesota cover a wide territory. Recently, when they learned that a Legion buddy lay sick and alone, members of Biwabik Post No. 160 made an 18-mile trip out into the country to visit him. Several hours were pleasantly spent discussing war serivce and Legion affairs with the sick comrade, who was pleased as punch to have his buddies around him again.

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RED CROSS HAS 62 NURSES IN MINNESOTA

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WITH 63 Red Cross Public Health nurses promoting better living conditions in connection with the other activities of the 91 Chapters of the American Red Cross here in Minnesota, the importance of their work is of unusual interest.

The rural program has been found well adapted to this state, and many localities have been reached by this department of activity during the past year for the first time. Physical inspection of the children in the rural schools is one of the most important phases of this work. They are inspected for defective teeth, eyesight, and hearing. Weighing and measuring are a part of this health program, and frequently nutrition classes are organized to help undernourished children reach a normal development.

In nearly every county, clinics are held with the nurse co-operating with local physicians and dentists, or with specialists sent by the Minnesota Public Health association.

Classes in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick have an important place in the public health nursing program of the American Red Cross. Traveling instructors give these lessons, teaching the women the essentials of correctly coping with minor illnesses. They are also instructed how to assist physicians when a graduate nurse is not available. This work by no means takes the place of a physician's services. [illegible] designed to aid in making home hygiene better known and thus [illegible] illness and contagion.

[illegible] Health nurses frequently conduct classes in Home Hygiene as well as classes in the schools, thereby extending their service beyond routine school inspection. During the past year, 3,010 women have passed the examinations and received certificates in Home Hygiene and care of the Sick.

Professional visits are made to many homes. This is an important factor in both rural and city nursing. In some sections there is but one physician to a county, and the services of the Red Cross nurse are a vital [illegible] in various emergencies which [illegible].

In both city and country communities the Red Cross has a clearly-defined program which may be adapted to local needs. That 22 Chapters [illegible] last year have realized the need [illegible] this work and extended their program to include this very practical activity proves the growing appreciation of this endeavor.

[illegible]stice day, November 11, the [illegible] Call of the Red Cross [illegible]ed. Membership dollars [illegible] the Red Cross not only to [illegible] on the valuable service it is already rendering, but expand its work to reach a wider field.

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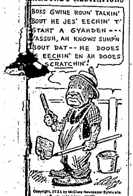
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The Progress Staff.

As The Progress staff continues its work of putting out our high school publication, we find it more and more difficult to successfully perform our duties. The success of last year's Progress was due, not to a more talented staff, but largely to the class in Journalism, which besides being instructed in newspaper work, actually did newspaper work, a large part of which was especially prepared for The Progress. This year we have no such course. The staff meets whenever the members can be gotten together, which is never more than once a week and often towards the end of the allotted time we have for preparing each issue rather than at the beginning as it should be in order that everything that should be taken by the school paper might be covered fully. As a result of the hasty gathering, much valuable news slips by, and we are never able to prepare properly the articles we should have.

Then, too, there is the lack of direct responsibility that features a class, where credit is given. All the work that has been done thus far this year has been done out of pure sense of pride and voluntary responsibilities. Each student's time and efforts can be profitably applied to his studies, where credit is given, and a good article for The Progress often represents material sacrifice in other pursuits. The members of the staff have the interest of The Progress at heart, and are eager to do all they can to further it; but it is asking almost too much that these spend a large part of their time on this, while other students are given credit for less work and no personal responsibility whatever. For the publication of the school paper throws a great deal of responsibility upon its editors. The paper represents the school to the public and to other schools with whom we exchange. We have a fine school, and to represent it as such, we must publish a paper of high quality.

The Progress should not be the work of the staff alone. Their work should be to organize and direct. As at present edited, The Progress has become the staff's paper to a large extent and not the high school's. If you, fellow students, wish The Progress to be a high school paper, why don't you get busy and make it so?

1922 In Name Only.

The Prowler! To the sweet girl graduate and her fellow classmates, a book, their masterpiece! The Prowler! To you, a treasure chest of golden memories of happy days spent in dear Alma Mater!

To whom do I speak? To you, dear Alumni. To you, former graduates of Lincoln High. Then it is to you that the Prowler of 1922 means the most—is a memory and all the sweeter for being so. Ah, yes!

"No," you say. "Those days mean nothing to me now." Then you have forgotten that graduation day when, with tears in your eyes through which the whole world looked dismal, you stood on the threshold of the future and vowed you'd never forget that Alma Mater, the scene of your carefree youth. Then, in the rush and turmoil of your busy hand-to-mouth existence you have forgotten to foster those tender memories.

"My memory has grown rusty. I cannot recall those days now." But the Prowler! The pictures, the jokes, the very atmosphere of it all will bring you back again to those school-days, and you will laugh and cry in turn. The Prowler! A youth restorer, without which your parlor table is incomplete!—L. C. '23.

Seniors Select Class Rings.

An important meeting of the Senior class was held on Friday, Dec. 2, at which the class ring was chosen. The committee presented five designs and the voters were not told the source of the ring. The ring was chosen with little difficulty. There was a close contest between two rings. The one chosen received only one vote more than the other.

The class ring is an appropriate as well as a very pretty design. It will cost between four and five dollars. The rings will be ordered as soon as possible and it is thought that each may have his or her ring before Christmas.—M. M. '22.

Junior Play.

The Junior Class play is to be given Dec. 20, the Tuesday before Christmas, at the auditorium. Is it to be a success? It must be a success, but it can be only with your support—so boost it.

The story of the play:

Ruth Moore, distracted by social demands and anxious to live a life of usefulness, contrives to obtain the position of secretary to Gilbert Lansing. Meanwhile an older sister invites Ruth and Juliet, her secretary, to visit her for the week-end and to meet a distinguished man and a millionaire—no names given. Ruth accepts.

At Sunshine Junction, a station where the local to Willowdene connects with the city train, Ruth and Juliet meet Gilbert Lansing and names the four enjoy an afternoon tea and are interrupted by Peggy Pat and Dwight, who are eloping and are pursued by an angry parent. Ruth and Lansing assume the role of bride and groom in an impulsive effort to help them out. The real culprits escape, leaving the rescuers forcibly detained in the station.

Identities are finally discovered, difficulties are straightened out, and Ruth becomes permanent secretary to the celebrity.

Cast of Characters:

Mrs. Brownell, Ruth's Aunt .... Lydia Dahlen
Juliet Raymond, Ruth's secretary and friend .... Lorrayne Crandall
Ruth MacDonald Moore, always in a rush .... Eileen Arneson
Susie, a maid .... Pearl Weeks
Leonard Bruce, poor but aristocratic .... Herbert Johnson
Wayne Ashley, rich but uncultured .... Morris Mabey
Dwight Lambert, an eloper .... Stephen Arneson
Peggy Patton, another eloper .... Ruth Knutson
Gilbert Lansing, a writer .... Henry Vorlicky
Philip Grant, a millionaire .... Cleon Bottelson
Sadie Sodastrom, a ticket agent .... Myrtle Helgeland
Jean Moor Foster, Ruth's sister .... Lucille McGinnity

—L. D. C.

Friday Minus Music.

Were we not disappointed last Friday to come into the assembly room at the usual hour and not find Miss Johnson on the stage ready to lead us in singing? That chapel period means more to some than to others. It is a period when the students leave their studies in the classrooms and turn to music as uplifting as lessons, if not more so.

It is a period looked forward to, hence the disappointment Friday. The reason for this was that there are some who disregard the reasonable rules for Chapel and persist in whispering and causing disturbances between songs. It has thus rightly been deemed necessary to do without Chapel for a while. Let us hope that it will be resumed within a short while and that the disturbance will have disappeared.—L. D. '23.

To Lessen Accidents on Our Public Highways.

In building a public highway for safety and travel, the first thing to be considered is the right of way.

Right of ways should be laid out as straight as possible to avoid making dangerous curves and corners before the gravel or concrete is put on for the road bed. The right of way should not cross railroad tracks and should not run through parks or children's playgrounds, and should be 66 feet wide.

The four corners of a right of way or where two roads cross, should be cleared of all trees, shrubs or obstacles, so that drivers of cars can see an approaching car coming at least 40 rods away.

The road grade should be about 36 feet wide at the base, tapering gradually to the top for the road bed, which should not be less than 20 feet wide.

Where bridges are necessary, they should be at least 24 feet wide and should be able to support a weight of 20,000 pounds, and should have railings on the outside for safety.—Frances S. 8B

Season Tickets.

All branches of high school athletics need financial support in order to carry out a successful schedule. Next week will find a number of canvassers selling season tickets to all loyal high school students and to interested fans in town. Each and every member of the Thief River Falls high school is asked to purchase one of these tickets.

Let's all get back of the boys and show them we are with them.

The season's schedule is as follows:

Dec. 16—St. Hilaire at Thief River Falls.
Dec. 23—Alumni.
Jan. 13—Argyle at Argyle.
Jan. 20—Open.
Jan. 27—Warroad at Warroad.
Feb. 4—Argyle at Thief River Falls.
Feb. 10—Fosston at Fosston.
Feb. 17—Warroad at Thief River Falls.
Feb. 25—Open.
March 4—Crookston at Crookston.

Games are also being scheduled with Stephen, East Grand Forks, Roseau and Baudette.

High School Debate.

A week from tomorrow night Lincoln high school meets Roseau high to determine which of the two is the most fit to carry on the struggle for state debating honors. The victor will have to meet other schools in the same way for the same reason.

Debating is not a regular high school subject, which makes it all the harder to accomplish what must be accomplished if we are to win. For it requires work in the fullest sense of the word, not only in the actual preparation of the material but in delivery as well. The personnel of the team took up debating with a full knowledge of the efforts it would require and now, as the day on which the result is to be decided draws near, they are looking forward to that time with bulwarks of facts thrown up against any and every argument of the opposing team. The question is not one to arouse much interest, but those composing the team have delved into magazines and newspapers, books and pamphlets and reports of many kinds, in search of facts and figures to prove their contentions.

River Falls in a similar contest a year ago, and it is to be hoped the same verdict will be forthcoming next Friday. If we are destined to win, we will go on to further struggles with other teams.

Basketball Outlook Good.

Thirty men reported for the first basketball practice a week ago last Monday night. After a week's work in passing, catching, dribbling and basket shooting, Coach Stenhoff chose a squad of 20 men from which he will choose the 15 men who will compose the squad for the remainder of the season.

The prospects for a winning team are very gratifying and the fact that so many men are interested means that at no time during the coming season can any one individual feel sure that he has a position cinched.

Many of the aspirants toward basketball fame show a great deal of natural aptitude in the art of handling the ball, which is a valuable asset to a basketball man.

The veterans remaining from last year's squad are LaBree, center, Sorenson and Herron, guards, and Ralston, forward. The new material consists of Henry Mellum, Clifford Sorenson, A. Mellum, Doland, Shetler, Halvorson, M. Barzen, J. Sether, McGinn, H. Keene, H. Hanson, Bottelson, DeParcq, Vorlicky, Bischoff and Paulson. Many of these have had considerable experience as members of the various class teams in the past and keen competition is expected. Arnold, a new man at Thief River, shows much class and is being watched closely by all.

One Hundred Per Cent Highways.

Upon reading the daily or local newspaper one often finds in glaring headlines mention of accidents on our highways. As we search for the cause of the accident, invariably we may trace it to unsafe roads. Pioneers in days of long ago opened them to answer the frugal needs of their time. Though these were made long ago, we are in many cases using the same wagon roads for our main, heavily traveled thoroughfares. Can we wonder then that these roads, so hastily constructed by our forefathers, were not always without dangerous places and were not permanently built. No, but it should be the purpose of this generation to profit by the errors our predecessors made and to guard against even possible accident causing loss of life and property. This would necessitate mending the worn out tracks, changing the routes of the road to escape unsafe places, thereby removing the cause of the difficulties altogether.

Many times on roads which have long received a large amount of travel, the corners have become worn so that they slope directly toward the ditch. With a driver who is thoughtless or unacquainted with the road, such corners present trouble. The people should co-operate with local highway commissioners and ask them to gravel the sloping corners and other dangerous places, so that there will be no chance of anyone's injuring himself in traveling over that road. The graveling of the road should be five per cent.

Frequently we find a bridge where the approach is too narrow for safety. In such a case if two cars pass there is danger, especially if the drivers are not very cautious, for the car may slip and plunge down a steep embankment. This could be remedied by widening the approach by filling it in with sand and concrete. Very often a fence would help as it would warn unfamiliar motorists and also serve as a barrier in time of accident.

Again in a winding road through a woody or hilly country, when you cannot see the road ahead, signs should be placed to warn the driver that he must use his auto horn.

Railroad crossings often are not safe. Sometimes a building obstructs a clear view of the tracks on either side or it may obstruct some steep or uncared for approach. Here also signs should be installed though they are not usually adequate. If there is a great amount of traffic on the railroad, traffic guards should be stationed to signal when the way is open and safe.

The spirit of a community is measured largely by its efforts to safeguard the health, lives and property of its people. So if each one does all within his power he can soon accomplish much in awakening public interest for safer highways.

Let us have for our goal as a community, a one hundred per cent degree of safety in the highway system under our control.—Frances Conklin, 8B

An Unwelcome Fortune.

One morning in the early summer the messenger boy stopped in front of a small, vine-covered cottage on Gay street. Leaning his bicycle against the picket fence he strode up the path to the front door, whistling cheerily.

He knocked, and a small pink-and-white lady of about fifty years of age came to the door. She drew back in surprise when she saw who her visitor was. The lad handed her a telegram. With fingers that trembled a little, Mrs. Baker signed her name when he told her and then went back into the house. As she read the telegram she gave a little cry of surprise.

Soon another knock was heard. Mrs. Baker put the yellow slip into her apron pocket and again went to the door. This time it was one of her neighbors—good natured talkative Mrs. McCarty.

"Mrs. Baker, didn't I see the messenger boy stop here a while ago. And what news did he bring ye?"

"Come on in and I'll tell you about it," said Mrs. Baker.

In about fifteen or twenty minutes Mrs. McCarty went home. After dinner she put on her best bonnet and her best black shawl and started out for a round of visits. By nightfall all of the neighbors knew that a distant relative of Mrs. Baker's had died and left her quite a good-sized fortune.

During the next few days Mrs. Baker had a great many curious, kind hearted visitors. They overpowered her with suggestions as to how she should spend a part of her newly-acquired wealth. Mrs. Baker, who was very much disturbed by the sudden commotion the telegram had caused, held out for a time but finally weakly consented to buy several things that she really didn't want and that would look sadly out of place in the neat, cozy little home.

Inside of two weeks her parlor looked like a museum or a curiosity shop. A large player piano stood on one side of the room, several awkward, uncomfortable looking chairs were scattered about; and the remaining space was taken up with the various things which her friends had induced her to purchase.

Before long the neighbors heard that Mrs. Baker and Mrs. McCarty were going to make a visit to the city. They were gone a week. When they returned Mrs. Baker looked tired and pale, but Mrs. McCarty declared that she had had the time of her life and would like to have staid longer but for the fact that Mrs. Baker did not enjoy herself in the city.

One day not long after the return from the city Mrs. Baker went to her sister, who lived in a small neighboring town, for a visit. A few days after she left, a truck came to the house on Gay street and carried away all of her unwelcome purchases. Not knowing that this was done at Mrs. Bakers' command, the neighbors were astounded. But there was still another bigger surprise awaiting them, when Mrs. McCarty, who had received a letter from Mrs. Baker, announced that she had given her fortune to an old ladies' home and would be back in a short time to continue her peaceful life in her little vine covered cottage.—B. E. '22.

Attendance Shows Improvement.

During the second six weeks period there was an improvement of 3.1 per cent in attendance. For the first six weeks period the attendance was 92.4 per cent perfect, while during the second period it was 95.5 per cent perfect. However, the number of students having perfect attendance during the second period was less than during the first period, there being 183 students with perfect attendance the first period and 164 during the second period. This was due to the fact that there have been more cases of illness lately.—M. P. R.

Honor Roll Second Period.

Those who earned berths for themselves on the Honor Roll for the second six-weeks period are as follows:

Freshmen: Katherine Barzen, Bernice Ericson, Mildred Remmem, Evangeline Umland, Liv Vistnaunet.

Sophomores: Ella Johnson, Herbert Keene, Hazel Krause, Esther Lunsetter, Margaret Melgaard, Hilda Peterson, Gladys Russell, Albert Stengelson, Lillie Stenseth, Evaline Thompson.

Juniors: Lorrayne Crandall, Lucile Curtis, Lydia Dahlen, Ole Helle, Esther Larson, Clara Oien, Pearl Weeks.

Seniors, Academic: Myrtle Myrin.

Seniors, Nor. Training: Thea Gutterud, Alice Bredeson, Bertha Hastad, Ruth Matthew, Marville Thompson, Celia Morrissey, Clara Orzechowski, Amy Sorlom, Lois Struble.

Seventy-Seven Candidates for Graduation in 1922.

Herewith follows the Senior class roll for the present school year:

Academic Department: Bertha Aaseby, William Alexander, Lloyd Alnes, Loyal Arnold, Grace Bakke, Louise Besancon, Bernard Bischoff, Grace Craik, William DeParcq, Bessie Elofson, Mildred Favrow, Elsie Granum, Herschel Hanson, Paul Helseth, Emma Johnson, Olga Johnson, Tillie Johnson, August Langseth, Helen Langseth, Milton Larson, Nora Lindquist, Mildred Loftness, Edgar Longren, Esther Longren, Sybil McGinn, William McGinnity, Gladys Maland, Myrtle Myrin, Ruby Ness, Fred Paulson, Forrest Ralston, Clarence Rice, Rudy Rice, Bollette Sanden, Inez Sorlom, Donald Stein, Ruth Swanson, Gregory Werstlein.

Normal Training Dept.: Augusta Beiswinger, Mabel Bjorness, Alice Bredeson, Thea Gutterud, Myrtle Hanson, Bertha Hastad, Inga Hjelle, Borghild Johnson, Constance Klungness, Mata Koepp, Julia Langaas, Irma Marcpe, Thora Moe, Mabel Myrold, Selma Newton, Clara Orzechowski, Edith Patton, Sarah Sanders, Pearl Sheffler, Amanda Skomdahl, Johanna Wedul.

Post Graduates, Normal Training Department: Corrine Adsero, Alpha Bishop, Ruth Matthew, Celia Morrissey, Helga Ose, Evelyn Saugen, Amy Sorlom, Mabel Swanson, Lois Struble, Marville Thompson.

Special: Anna Antonson, Ruby Bonnes, David Evenson, Martha Falness, John Hendry, Lillian Knight, Sabina Parenteau, Helen Warner.

Note: The special candidates are those who have not yet earned enough credits to be regularly classed as seniors. However, these students are being permitted to carry extra work and should they earn the required number of credits they will

The fact that a student is a senior does not guarantee graduation. Every candidate must earn a passing grade in enough work to have a total of sixteen credits. It is of vital importance that the parents of the candidates for graduation as well as the students themselves observe their work very closely.—M. P. R.

Jokes and Personals.

Sniff! Sniff! or Sob-stuff.

A Freshman was once seen sobbing bitter tears. Being questioned by a sympathetic schoolmate, he replied: "Last night our house burnt and all my playthings burnt up."

"Didn't anyone try to save them?"

"Oh, yes, I shut the door that was between my room and the fire, but the fire wouldn't stay out."

Bla, Bla.

Miss Stavig (in American History): "What was invented during this period? It was something every woman considers a necessity." (Referring to the sewing machine.)

Anna A.: "The telephone."

Mr. Rapacz (Last Tuesday morning): "There will be no physical training for the girls today as Miss Baumann is sick."

(Loud clapping from girls.)

Mr. Rapacz: "Just how do you mean that?"

Teacher: "When did the slave question arise?"

Student: "In 1619 when the first slave ship came in."

Mr. Harner: "What does R. D. stand for?"

Student: "Rural delivery, I suppose. They use that in the country."

Mr. Harner: "State that problem again, please. I want to hear how it sounds. Lots of times I go by the sounds."

Ella (Speaking of the Ghost in Hamlet): "Probably it doesn't want to tell what it wants to tell to Horatio."

Mr. Harner: "Talk louder, Anna."

Anna: "I can't talk any louder."

Mr. Harner: "She doesn't talk any louder than my chickens at home."

Miss Gormley: "Name the republic that had been made free, Cleon."

Cleon: "Oh, Helvetic Republic Kingdom of Naples—"

Other bright student: "And Sardinia."

Cleon: "I was going to say that but it sounded too fishy."

Only twenty-three Seniors attended the class meeting Friday evening. What's the matter, Seniors?

Central Notes.

This week, Dec. 4 to 10, has been set aside as National Safety Week. As the importance of education on the part of children to safety on the highways is being recognized, the students of the eighth grade English classes are doing their bit toward arousing a local interest in this safety campaign by writing essays dealing with the cleaning, repairing and building of safe playgrounds, streets and highways in our community. Some of these essays appear in The Progress this week, and others will appear next week.

The rooms having 98 per cent attendance and only one case of tardiness or 97 per cent attendance and no case of tardiness will have half a day holiday at the end of each six weeks period. The rooms having 95 per cent attendance and no tardiness will have a quarter day holiday at the end of six weeks.

Walter Books has withdrawn from the eighth grade.

Agnes Thompson has entered the Eighth A.

Pearl Hagen has been absent for three weeks on account of illness.

Miss Dodge's room has the seventh grade banner for marching this week.

Miss Batten's room had the best attendance in the seventh grade for the last six weeks.

The Eighth B history have interestingly discussed the "Underground Railroad," "Uncle Toms Cabin" and "Up From Slavery" during the past week.

Dot Pederson has been absent this week on account of illness.

Mrs. Wikel visited Miss Burns' room Thursday afternoon.

The following eighth grade pupils have been neither absent nor tardy for the past six weeks: Galen Adkins, Mary Alexander, Verna Becker, Wonetia Biddick, Clifford Bjorkman, Charles Booren, Frances Conklin, Clarence Dahl, Jesse Davidson, Sannia Erickson, Altha Gabrielson, Dorothy Hanney, Mabel Hendrickson, Naomi Hinricks, Edna Hovie, Helen Jacobson, Sina Johnson, Julia Johnson, Mabel Johnson, Mary Kassa, Roy Langevin, Elmyra Langseth, Ward Mathewson, Walter Mellum, Loretta Mulry, Alma Myrold, Norton Nelson, Edna Olson, Pauline Pawling, Frances Shanahan, Margaret Roark, Nettie Sjoberg, Millicent Sweger, Sylvia Torkelson, Elsie Vorseth, Thorston Williamson.

The following seventh grade pupils have been neither absent nor tardy for the past six weeks:

Lena Amon, Raymond Bakke, Earl Bessler, Clarence Bergstrom, LeRoy Bidler, Tischa Christo, Luella Erickson, Katherine Fallness, Rita Fitterman, Eleanor Forse, Ernest Granum, Myrtle Hastad, Luella Harris, Irene Hanson, Esther Helland, Maverette Hilson, Harry Hoglin, Bernice Hoppa, Elwood Henricks, Lillian Johnson, Leon Johnson, George Johnson, Edmund Keene, Alice Kinsela, Ronald Kingborn, George Lonson, Mable Malafa, Edna Novak, Elner Nyborg, Ruth Quamen, Goldie Remmen, Marlen Reynolds, William Saul, Selmer Severson, Dorothy Shirley, Arthur Sorlom, Alvin Sweger, Byron Tharaldson, Dorothy Webskowski, Lois Wikel.

Northrop Notes.

The per cent of attendance in the fourth grade for the second six weeks of school was 98 1-2. (Good for you! Editor.)

Miss Trogen's department had an atendance of 99.1 per cent the past six weeks. (Excellent, I say! Editor.)

Gladys Gunderson is absent from the second grade on account of small pox in the home.

William Strangle had his birthday party in school Thursday after school.

Mrs. Andrew Craik treated the children of Mrs. Eyde's room Friday after school with a sack of pop corn for each child.

Mrs. Aakre and Mrs. Lambert visited the second grade last week.

Mrs. Aakre substituted in Miss Murat's room on Monday while the latter had her visiting day in Minneapolis schools.

Eleanor Laing has left school. She will enter at Casselton, N. D.

Chester Strom entered the third grade this week.

The banner for marching in the upper grades was won by Miss Ryan's fifth grade department this week.

The pupils in the fifth grade have commenced their Junior Red Cross work and we hope to have every pupil become a member soon.

Lou Cecil Laing has withdrawn from this school to go to North Dakota.

Oral Haland has returned to school after being ill.

Washington Notes.

Edward Horejsh has returned to school after a three weeks' absence due to illness.

Any room having 98 per cent attendance and one case of tardiness or 97 per cent attendance and no tardiness will receive a half holiday every six weeks. Any room having 95 per cent attendance and no tardiness will enjoy a quarter day holiday every six weeks.

Theresa Amon, Katherine Bakke, Mildred Bidler, Viola Bredesen, Melvin Carlson, David Fallness, Harry Henrickson, Helen Mousley and Edwin Soderberg of the fifth grade have been neither tardy nor absent the past six weeks.

John Arnold from Montevideo and Doris Werstlein from Larimore, N. D., enrolled in the fifth grade last Monday, November 28th.

The following have been neither tardy nor absent in Miss Jorgenson's department for six weeks: Eunice Carlson, Edward Eastman, Pauline Hauber, Donald Snyder, Al[illegible] Omundson.

Millicent Arnold enrolled in fourth grade on Monday.

The following children have been perfect in attendance the last [illegible] weeks in third and fourth grades: Amanda Arneson, Bessie Carlson, Jay Cruse, Vernon Dibble, Orving Hoglin, Margaret Hoglin, Dennis Langevin, Vera Randall, Karen Langseth, Georgia Marie Smith, Elsworth Strom, Harvey Swanson, Clara Vigness, Leeta Rounds, Laura Nelson.

The third and fourth grade pupils bought 25 bottles of milk this week.

The following pupils in the third grade have been neither absent nor tardy for the second six weeks period: Harold Black, Ellery Carlson, Violet Jacobson, Helen Langevin, Clarence Offerdahl, Vida Rockstad, Agnes Stageberg, Ruth Sterhaug, Margaret Thill, Frances Vigness, Gordon Wellen.

The third and fourth grade won the marching pennant this week.

Those in the second grade who have been neither absent nor tardy for the past six weeks are: [illegible] Clabo, Ida Gulseth, Pearl H[illegible], Lester Ihle, Hartman Larson, Ros[illegible] Patten and Catherine Parenteau.

Nearly half of the second grade are now members of the Junior Red Cross.

Lauretta Solberg returned to first grade after several weeks of absence.

Irvon Alby of the first grade has been transferred to the Northrop.

Knox Notes.

Edward Jardine was transferred to the Northrop, having moved to that part of the city.

The Junior Red Cross drive is now on.

The hall of the Knox has been decorated slightly by the Christmas barrel. It has been filled once, and we hope it will not be long before it again overflows.

Administration's Corner

High School Scholarship.

The high school reports for the second period were given out to the students last Wednesday. Has every parent made it a point to study these reports? If not, you should, for the report card tells you just what your boy or girl is doing in school. Some boys and girls are timid about showing their reports, especially if they are not entirely satisfactory. Have you seen your son's and daughter's last report? Are you satisfied with it? If not, see us and we will try to explain to you where the trouble is.

Boys and girls have imaginative minds with a tendency to exaggerate. They may mean well, but sometimes they give the wrong impression. Every time reports are given out we hear about the large number of failures given out, even without cause. Reports of this kind should be investigated and verified before they are given too much credence and publicity. Just to illustrate: In a certain class several boys who were doing unsatisfactory work were questioned as to the reasons for their failure. They generally believed that the particular teacher was failing anywhere from twenty-five to seventy-five per cent of the class. Innocently such reports are often spread among the student body and among parents. Such reports are harmful. Upon investigation of this particular case it was found that only six out of fifty, or only twelve per cent of the grades issued in that particular class, were conditions or failures.

There is nothing more reliable than actual figures. The tables below show the relative number of failures for the first and second periods.

First period:
Total grades issued, 1605.
Number of conditions and failures, 107.
Percentage of conditions and failures, 6.6.
This means one out of every fifteen grades issued was a condition or failure.

Second period:
Total grades issued, 1633.
Number of conditions and failures, 172.
Percentage of conditions and failures, 10½.

In other words, approximately one out of every ten grades issued was a condition or failure.

Our percentage of failures is no larger than the average for the state. You want your school to be a place for work. We could not reduce the number of failures without giving credit where it is not earned and that would mean lowering our standards.—M. P. R.

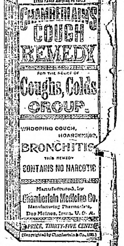

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Work on the Christmas program for Rosebank has been started and the pupils are very enthusiastic in the undertaking. The program will be given at the Rindal church on the [illegible] Dec. 23, and everybody is heartily invited. Those having perfect attendance records the third month of school are Gladys and Arnold Nakken, Herman, Alma and Emil Axelson, Harry Ranum, Gladys and Leonard Sagmoen, Willard, Barton and Violet Furan, Myrtle and Florence Mellem, Geneva and Olivia Swenson, and Alice Blomberg. The leaders in spelling are Gladys Nakken, [illegible] grade; Clarence Mellem, third and Violet Furan, fourth grade, [illegible] Furan, 5th grade, Willard [illegible] seventh grade, and Myrtle M[illegible] eighth grade. The second grade, consisting of Florence Mellem and Gladys Nakken have been promoted to third grade in reading, spelling and language. The primary pupils are busily engaged in decorating the school room for the coming holidays. Red Cross buttons were received and distributed this week as a token of our school contribution to the Red Cross. Our lunch and candy sale [illegible] month netted us $18, which will be donated to the Red Cross.—Mrs. [illegible] Sagmoen, teacher.

[illegible] Delisa of A[illegible], Pa., arrived [illegible] will be employed at [illegible] store over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Stroble and family of Angus were Sunday visitors at the Haugen brothers and P. Sorenson homes.

Anton Gullseth left last Thursday for Baker, Clay county, upon receipt of a message stating that his mother, Mrs. Ingeborg Olson, was very ill.

Gladys Swanson and Mrs. R. Sagmoen left Wednesday evening on a shopping tour to Thief River Falls.

The fourth annual meeting of the Rosebank Livestock Shipping association will be held at the Rosebank school building next Saturday, Dec. 10, at 2:30 p. m. All directors are requested to be present and shippers and others are invited.

The annual meeting of the Rindal Lutheran congregation will take place at the church tomorrow afternoon, followed by a ladies' aid meeting and coffee and lunch sale.

Rev. Ole Sande of Numedal and Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking conducted Sunday evening services at the Swedish church.

Howard Carlson, who has been employed at paving work at Thief River Falls spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson.

A rumor has it that the John and Rudolph Sagmoen families will exchange [illegible] during the winter, and John [illegible] move to Anita this week where [illegible] will be employed at gravel [illegible] state roads. Rudolph [illegible] former's farm here [illegible] finishes the term [illegible] Rosebank.

[illegible] Sagmoen returned home on Thursday from his grand jury duties at Warren.

Emil Mellem spent Tuesday on a business trip to Warren.

Ruth Granum and Cora Sevaldson returned Friday evening from Warren, where they had spent a few days with friends.

Mrs. Albert Paulson left on Monday for Thief River Falls to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Ben Thompson.

Miss Carrie Nelson spent a few days this week visiting with friends at Thief River Falls.

Joseph Whitmark went to Warren on Saturday on business with Road Contractor O. P. Landen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris of Thief River Falls arrived Saturday evening for an over Sunday visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson. For supper Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Thompson also had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum and sons, Harry and Stanley, and A. Opseth.

Thomas and Alfred Thoreson, Emil Mellem, Emil Hellquist and Carl Bloom left the middle of the week for Anita and Holt, where they will haul gravel on the state road.

Shoppers from almost every home have been in Thief River Falls during the last Market Week stocking up for both present and future needs.

Theodore Nelson, Chas. Sagmoen and Olof Nordhagen have fallen victims to the wolf hunting fever and have built a canvas enclosed sleigh with regular machine gun openings on the sides, with removable top, wide runners, and drawn by a team of light-colored ponies. They promise to give Mr. Wolf a hot chase.

Misses Annie Blomberg and Gladys Swenson spent Sunday with friends at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, spent Saturday at the J. E. Hellquist home.

L. L. Furan and Miss Gena Aos motored to Anita on Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Per Hugen last Saturday evening.

Several of the young folks went to Edgewood last Saturday evening to attend a box social.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, Carrie Nelson, John Sorenson and J. E. Shoberg went to Thief River Falls by car Wednesday evening to shop.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Miss Tillie Holson was a business and pleasure caller in Thief River Falls Saturday, returning Sunday.

Miss Gladys Russell, who is attending high school at Thief River Falls, spent Sunday with her folks here.

John Dahl is busy hauling wood from the Ose farm.

There will be a Christmas tree and program in the Soredal school house Friday evening, Dec. 23.

Tyler Wold was a caller at the G. J. Skomedal home Sunday evening.

A Christmas tree and program will be given in the Riverside school on Thursday evening, Dec. 22. Everybody welcome.

Misses Helen and Rebecca Halvorson, students at the Lincoln high school, spent Sunday at their parental homes.

Oscar and Ted Joppru made a trip to Thief River Falls last Monday.

The Wide Awake Young People's society will have a Christmast program and tree in the Saterdal church Sunday evening, Jan. 1.

REINER

Among the boys hauling gravel for the state road south from Goodridge are Arndt Johnsrud, Oscar Stenvik, Harry and Selmer Erickson and Herman Aakre.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Olson and Geo. Vraa were business callers at Goodridge on Monday.

Misses Hulda and Alice Berg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson of Star township last Sunday.

John and Oscar Stenvik were callers at the E. Aakre home Sunday evening.

Ben Johnsrud motored to Erie last Sunday evening.

Olaf Ramstad of Thief River Falls transacted business in this vicinity last week. J. A. McEnelly was appointed to take charge of his herd of sheep on the J. Turnbaugh farm.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wahlin last Thursday.

Miss Christine Johnsrud visited with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Johnsrud, at Thief River Falls last week.

Chas. Thompson and Mr. Carlson of Goodridge purchased a wood lot from E. Aakre last Tuesday.

John Miller and son, Elmer, are employed on the state road south of Goodridge.

Gunder Tveit left Tuesday for Northwood, N. D., to receive medical aid.

Rev. Hoyum will conduct services in the Pershing school house Sunday, Dec. 11, at 11 a. m.

Jessie Tanner and B. Johnsrud attended the Grygla home talent play staged at Goodridge last Friday evening.

Dena Wold, teacher in the Lunwood school, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. John Sund, at Goodridge.

NUMEDAL

Quite a few Numedalers took advantage of the Market Days at Thief River Falls last week.

Hjalmer Blomberg was a Viking caller Thursday.

George Bugge drove to Thief River Falls Thursday with a load of hay.

Quite a few young people from this community attended the masquerade dance at Viking Friday evening.

Carl Brink of Viking baled several carloads of hay for Charles Johnson last week.

Hjalmer and Thure Blomberg called at the Soren Knutson home Wednesday evening of last week.

John Bugge and Oliver Ronning were Viking shoppers one day last week.

Quite a few from this vicinity took in the dance at Harry Myrum's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal motored to St. Hilaire Sunday, and visited friends and relatives until the following day.

Ed. Blomberg and Conrad Ronning called at the Harry Myrom home on Sunday.

Tommy Jorindal autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

David Samuelson motored to Viking Sunday evening.

Soren Knutson was a Thief River Falls shopper on Tuesday.

Tom Jorindal and George Bugge motored to Thief River Falls Sunday.

Egbert Malberg called at the Olaf Larson home Monday evening.

Soren Knutson called at the Peter Bugge home Monday.

Albert Forslund was a Viking caller Tuesday.

Thure and Hjalmer Blomberg motored to Viking Tuesday evening.

P. E. Sanborn was a Viking shopper on Tuesday.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—My 350-acre farm. Good grain or stock farm. Highly improved, fully equipped. Price and terms are right. Want house and lot or small farm near town. Address Box 3[illegible] Rollis, Minn. 46

FOR SALE—Ice by the load. Phone 460-W. 44p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 1436-J. 40tf

FOR SALE—Barn and lot or barn alone. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. No.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

[illegible] TAMARACK WOOD—If you need [illegible] desirable fuel for heating [illegible] us your orders before the [illegible] sets in. We can ship [illegible] orders. Sjoberg Bros. 44

FARM FOR SALE—SE¼ of Sec. 36, Township [illegible] North, 3 miles east of city. Will sell for $50 per acre. Ole Omundson, 352 5th Ave. S., St. Cloud, Minn. 41p

FOR SALE CHEAP—Hard coal base burner. Good condition. Call 610. 44p

FOR SALE—Saw rig with 4 h. p. International engine and 30 in. saw, big balance wheel. Hans Loken, Hazel, Minn. 44p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE. [illegible] outfit, consisting of Mo[illegible] [illegible] extension lugs and [illegible] and clutch belt pulley; [illegible] Crosse stubble gang self-lift [illegible] extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. [illegible] brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon. E. H. FALLMAN, St. Hilaire, Minn. [illegible]tf

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WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

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FOR RENT—Strictly modern heated upstairs flat. See Holt-George Co., or call at 123 LaBree Ave. S. 41p

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FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 16. 801 Main Avenue North. 41tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Telephone 173-R. 44p

LOST

LOST—Time book containing a number of valuable receipts. Five dollars will be paid for return to A. F. Lanska, 204 Main Ave. N., phone 240. 44p

LOST—Between 810 Main Ave. N. and 415 Arnold Ave. N. on Sunday evening a new black silk petticoat wrapped in small package. Finder please notify the first address. 44

LOST—Crank for Maxwell car on Jefferson Highway west of Thief River Falls. Finder please return to this office. 44p

MALE HELP WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—Live agents wanted to handle city trade for the genuine Watkins Products. A real opportunity. Write today for free sample and particulars. J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 71, Winona, Minn. 47p

HELP WANTED—Clerks, for Postal Mail and Government Field Service. $125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations, instruction, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 450 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 45p

MEN WANTED—To sell groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of Groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill.

POSITION WANTED

POSITION WANTED—As saleslady in a store or assistant at an office. Willing to work. For further particulars write Theodora Wirak, Lancaster, Minn. 44p

MISCELLANEOUS

DRESSED PIGS—Anyone wishing to buy dressed pigs call Zeh & Curran 44p

TAKEN UP—At my place in Hickory township, one steer calf, all red. Owner can have same by proving property and paying costs. T. T. Kvale, Ruddell, Minn. 46p

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Louis Lee, a single man, mortgagor, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 4th, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of February, 1918, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 370.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $54.90 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $75.96, a total of $130.86 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N½SW¼) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼SW¼) and Lot No. Five (5) of Section No. Four (4) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fift Principal Meridian.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 4th day of December, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Charles O. Stephenson and Gina Stephenson, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 23rd, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of December, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 391.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $67.20 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $204.81, a total of $272.01 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 15th day of November, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-17-24-D-1-8-15-22

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Knute Donaldson Dahle and Olga Donaldson Dahle, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 28th day of July, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of August, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "58" of Mortgages, page 321, and which mortgage was thereafter and on the 11th day of September, 1917, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, by written assignment dated on said 11th day of September, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 12th day of September, 1917, at 1:10 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages, on page 431, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 25th day of November, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages, on page 604, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred ($1,700.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, and,

Whereas, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of said principal sum, or any part thereof, or interest on said note, or any part thereof when the same should become due and payable, and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be declared to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid the interest on said note maturing and becoming due on the 28th day of July, 1921, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest is by said assignee of said mortgagee, deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-seven and 10-100 ($1,827.10) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinafter described, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

East half of the Southwest quarter (E½-SW¼) and South half of the Northwest quarter (S½-NW¼) Section Twenty-two (22) Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorneys' fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 1st, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-three and no-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. S. Brown and May Brown, his wife, mortgagors, to First-And-Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1920, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 60 of Mortgages, on Page 37, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5) and Nine (9), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Four and 40-100 (104.40) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1,983.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Articles of Incorporation of the Hamre-Hogenson Holding Company:

We, the undersigned, for the purpose of forming a mortgage loan and land corporation under Sections 6140 to 6143 inclusive of the Revised Statutes of Minnesota for 1913, and all laws amendatory thereto, do hereby agree upon and adopt the following Articles, to-wit:

Article 1—The name of this Corporation shall be the Hamre-Hogenson Holding Company; the general nature of the business shall be the purchase and sale of lands and other real estate in the State of Minnesota and other States, the purchase and sale of notes, mortgages and money obligations secured upon real or personal property, the loaning of money either for itself or as agents for others upon mortgages or other securities, the holding, owning, improving and cultivating of lands, real estate and other tenements, and for that purpose to execute all contracts, encumbrances, transfers, leases and other documents necessary or convenient to the transaction of such real estate and loan business.

The place of the principal office of this Corporation shall be in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Article 2—The time of the commencement of this Corporation shall be the 15th day of December, 1921, and the period of its continuation shall be twenty (20) years.

Article 3—The amount of the capital stock of this Corporation shall be One Hundred Thousand ($100,000.00) Dollars, to be divided into one thousand (1000) shares of the par value of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars each, and to be paid in at such time and in such manner as required by the Board of Directors.

Article 4—The indebtedness of said Corporation shall not at any time exceed the sum of Fifty Thousand ($50,000.00) Dollars.

Article 5—The names and place of residence of the persons forming this corporation shall be as follows:

Anton K. Hogenson, Decorah, Iowa.
Austin K. Hogenson, Crystal Springs, N. Dak.
Bessie K. Hamre, Thief River Falls, Minn.
T. P. Hamre, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Said persons shall constitute and serve as the first Board of Directors until the first annual meeting of the stockholders and until their successors shall be elected.

Article 6—The government and management of said corporation, and all of its affairs, shall be vested in a board of four (4) directors. The persons named in Article 5 shall constitute such board and serve as such directors until their successors shall be elected. On the 20th day of December, 1921, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a stockholders' meeting shall be held, at which meeting or adjourned meeting thereof a Board of Four (4) Directors shall be elected from the stockholders, who shall thereafter constitute and serve as the Board of Directors of this Corporation, and shall govern and manage all of the affairs of the Corporation; said stockholders shall fill all vacancies in the Board from stockholders by election at any regular meeting of said Board as fixed by the by-laws, such election to hold until the next annual stockholders' meeting.

Article 7—The regular annual stockholders' meeting of the stockholders of this Corporation shall be held at its home office in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, or at such other place as the Directors may designate, on the first Monday in December of each year; at such meeting Directors shall be elected and the Board of Directors so elected shall immediately after the final adjournment of the annual meeting of the stockholders hold a regular meeting, at which meeting said stockholders shall elect from their number Four (4) officers to-wit: A President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. The office of said Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto executed the above Articles of Incorporation in duplicate, and have hereunto set our our hands and seals this 30th day of October, A. D. 1921.

ANTON K. HOGENSON (Seal)
AUSTIN K. HOGENSON (Seal)
BESSIE K. HAMRE (Seal)
T. P. HAMRE (Seal)

Executed in presence of:
DENA B. WINGER
LOUIS A. DEUEL
As to Anton K. Hogenson.
Executed in presence of:
PETER OLSON
ADAM BALLINGER
As to Austin K. Hogenson.
Executed in presence of:
THEO. QUALE
LAURA BROWN
As to Bessie K. Hamre and T. P. Hamre.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

On this 22nd day of November, A. D. 1921, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared Bessie K. Hamre and T. P. Hamre, to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed and for the use and purposes therein described.

THEO. QUALE,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Feb. 23, 1928.

State of North Dakota, County of Stutsman, ss.

On this 5th day of November, A. D. 1921, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared Austin K. Hogenson, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed and for the use and purposes therein described.

E. P. OLSON,
Notary Public, Stutsman County, N. D.
My Commission Expires Mar. 20, 1926.

State of Iowa, County of Winneshiek, ss.

On this 18th day of November, A. D. 1921, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County and State, personally appeared Anton K. Hogenson, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed and for the use and purposes therein described.

LOUIS A. DESSEL,
Notary Public in and for Winneshiek County, State of Iowa.
My Commission Expires July 4, 1923.

State of Minnesota, Department of State.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in Book M-4 of Incorporations, on page 250.

MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

Office of Register of Deeds, County of Pennington, Minn.

I hereby certify that the within Instrument was filed in this office for record on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1921, at 2 o'clock P. M., and was duly recorded in Book J of Miscl. on page 237.

N. J. ANDERSON,
Register of Deeds.
D-1-8

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Ida Trickel, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Theodore J. Bundy,

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against her estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday the 30th day of May, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times, a weekly newspaper, as provided by law.

Dated November 23rd, 1921.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney.
(N-24-D-1-8)

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that certain mortgage given by Christ Nissen and Sarah Nissen, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 2nd, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of January, 1919, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on Page 551.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $153.08, and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $157.38, a total of $310.46 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼) and Lots No. One (1) and Two (2) of Section No. Six (6), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the 5th Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes, if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney's fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 17th day of October, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-3-10-17-24-D-1-8

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Ten Hundred Twelve and 33-100 ($1012.33) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August A. Schmitt and Lilah Schmitt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of September, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] at 2:30 o'clock [illegible] Mortgages, on [illegible]

Which said [illegible] the debt secured [illegible] signed by said [illegible] to C. W. Nel[illegible] dated the 18th [illegible] recorded in the [illegible] Deeds, on the [illegible] at 8:30 o'clock [illegible] Mortgages, on [illegible] or proceeding [illegible] law or otherwise [illegible] cured by said [illegible] thereof.

Now, Therefore [illegible] Given, That b[illegible] sale contained [illegible] pursuant to th[illegible] made and pro[illegible] will be foreclo[illegible] mises describe[illegible] Mortgage, viz [illegible] The North [illegible] west Quarter [illegible] Quarter (NW¼) [illegible] ter (NW¼) of [illegible] three (33), an[illegible] (NE¼) of the [illegible] Northeast Qu[illegible]

[illegible]

C. W. NELSON,
J. M. BISHOP,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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DRAINAGE PROJECT COMING ALONG IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

C. G. Selvig Enthusiastic Over Outlook—Paying Little Attention to Politics.

C. G. Selvig of Crookston, chairman of the Red Lake drainage and conservancy board, returned Friday morning from Washington, where he and engineers for the drainage district conferred with government officials on plans for the Lake drainage project.

"I am very much pleased with the work accomplished by our trip to Washington," Mr. Selvig said. "Officials at Washington, however, have asked for more data on the project and our engineers will start at once to work out plans and data to be sent to Washington before Jan. 1. We confidently expect government approval and believe we will be able to put the project through next year."

Mr. Selvig was questioned regarding the mention of his name as a possible candidate for congress from this district.

"I am not giving those political rumors much consideration," he replied. "What with this drainage work, my school, and preparations for the coming Mid-Winter Shows, I am too busy to enter politics at this time.

"Since the publication of the newspaper articles mentioning me as a congressional possibility, I have received a number of letters from friends in different parts of the valley tendering me support, which I appreciate very much even though I may not feel called upon to avail myself of it."

HEALTHY TONE IN FAT SHEEP TRADE

Fed Sheep and Lambs Beginning to Arrive—Fat Lambs Up to $9.75.

Souht St. Paul, Minn.—While the strike situation caused some uncertainty in live stock circles at the week's opening, it had little or no apparent effect on the market today. Cattle opened steady to strong with a brisk demand for good handyweight she stock, some of these latter advancing 25c. Hogs sold steady to 10c lower and there was a healthy demand for lambs and sheep at strong prices. Some fed stock is beginning to arrive, best fed western lambs going today at $9.75. Similar kinds of ewes $4.50 and fed yearlings up to $8.00.

No real good or choice fed beef steers arrived at the week's opening, best here going up around $6.75 to $7, with bulk of the steers from $5 to $6. Good 950-pound Dakota heifers sould up to $6, others going at $5.50 to $5.75, and bulk o fthe fat cows and heifers selling from $3.50 to $5.25. Canners and cutters ranged from $2.25 to $3.25. Bologna bulls $2.50 to $3.50. Bulk of best light veal calves sold at $7.50, with a few up to $8. Stockers and feeders were in healthy demand and bulk of the sales were made from $4.50 to $5, with some up to $5.50.

The hog market opened steady to 10c lower. Range of prices Monday $5.75 to $6.75, bulk of 135-pound to 175-pound hogs $6.65 to $6.75, good butchers mostly $6.25 to $6.35, and heavy packers $5.75 to $6. About 2,500 pigs arrived and good pigs sold mostly at $7.

ROAD WORK STARTS TO HELP IDLE MEN

"More Work — Better Roads" Movement Brings First Actual Results in State.

Contracting for over 350 miles of gravel surfacing at $2,000 a mile or about half of last season's prices and 25 miles of paving one-fifth cheaper, Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, this week awarded the first lot of trunk highway improvement projects under the "more work —better roads" movement, as recently announced in The Times.

Prices are lower than the best estimates and the savings are attributed in part to wide competition, there being an average of 25 bidders for each of the more important projects, compared with 10 or 12 in ordinary competitions. Gravel surfacing was let at $2,000 a mile average and yard mile haul figures ranged from 16 to 30 cents at the recent letting, against 30 to 60 cents during the last season. The best paving bid was about 20 per cent or more than $6,000 a mile less than the best regular season price of $27,000.

"Each contract was awarded on the best bid," said John H. Mullen, deputy commissioner and chief highway engineer. "A call will be made soon for bids on additional winter work both to relieve unemployment and to protect against a possible raise in prices next spring when, it is reported, large railroad construction jobs will be let in the northwest. The department will try to take advantage of every opportunity to get the biggest possible value in exchange for road funds."

Successful bidders were announced promptly to allow job seekers to apply to them for work, the highway department having no jobs to fill. Operations on most jobs are to start at once, highway officials said, and the big part of the work completed by April 1 or earlier.

Changes Dinner Hour.

In response to a general demand, Julien Provencher has decided to change the Sunday dinner hour at the Hotel Evelyn from 12:30 to 6 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at the first-named hour but the big meal of the day will be featured at the later hour. The change goes into effect next Sunday.

Laird Begins Moving to New Quarters Saturday

Mention was made in these columns last week of the early removal of the Laird Specialty Shop from its present location on Third street to the store where the Giller stock has been for several years on LaBree avenue.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the advertisement of the Laird Specialty Shop announcing a twenty per cent reduction on all goods, except school and office supplies, from Dec. 10 to 15 inclusive. The school and office goods and some of the regular stock will be moved to the new location on Saturday, leaving the old building filled with Christmas goods, which are now moving very rapidly.

The new location will give Mr. Laird a much better opportunty to display his various lines as he will have double his present floor space.

Educational Meeting and Shadow Social Saturday

An educational meeting followed by a shadow social will be held in the school of Dist. No. 11, one mile south and west of the Kratka bridge on Saturday evening, Dec. 10, at 8 o'clock.

Contests in spelling and arithmetic between the pupils of the schools will be on the program, and Senator Naplin will speak on "The New Primary Election Law."

This meeting is a climax to the work of the National Education Week and is in charge of a member of the American Legion.

Ladies should bring lunch for two and their shadows. A profitable and enjoyable evening is assured.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.02
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	.97
Flax	1.57
Barley	.21
Oats	.19
Rye	.59
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.10
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.15
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.10
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.12
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Turkeys, No. 1, alive, per lb.	.25
Turkeys, No. 1, dressed	.35
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.10
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.40
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
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CUT RATE GRANTED FOR FARM BUREAU STATE CONVENTION

"Federation Day" Set Aside in Farmer-Home Maker Week For Opening Session.

Reduced fares have been granted by the railroads to the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation for its annual state convention, which opens at University Farm, St. Paul, on Jan. 3.

The reduced rates apply to all points in Minnestoa, according to an official announcement received by the Pennington countyl farm bureau. The cut in passenger fares is contingent only on the attendance of 350 members showing proper certificates that they came to the convention by rail. The state federation estimation esimates that 1,200 farmers will attend the meeting. When all regulations are complied with, members will be able to buy return tickets at one-half fare, the fedartion said in its report to the county bureau.

In order to enable farmers and their families to attend both the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation annual convention and the session of farmers' and home makers' week this winter, without extra expense, the convention has been set for Jan. 3, 4 and 5, during Farmers' week at University Farm.

Extension service and university officials have set aside opening day of the convention as "Farm Bureau Federation Day." The first session of the convention will be held at the auditorium at university farm and all other activities of Farmers' and Home Makers' Week will be suspended all day to enable everyone to attend the farm bureau meeting.

The second and third days' sessions of the convention will be in the chamber of the house of repreretatives in the state capitol.

James R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau federation, Governor J. A. O. Preus, Sidney Anderson, chairman of the joint congressional committee investigatin agricultural conditions; Mrs. Ellsworth Richardson of Iowa, leader in farm women's activities, and L. E. Potter, president of the Minnesota Federation, will speak at the opening session.

AT THE THEATRES

Mary Miles Minter, one of the cleverest and most popular film stars in the country, will appear at the Lyceum on Saturday, matinee and evening, in "All Soul's Eve," a story based on a beautiful Irish legend. Miss Minter is supported in this play by an all-star cast including Jack Holt, Carmen Phillips, Micky Moore, Lottie Williams and Fanny Midgley.

The bill for Sunday and Monday at the Lyceum is Anita Stewart in "Playthings of Destiny." This is a great spectacular production with backgrounds of the frozen north and the tropical south, an arctic blizzard and a Jamaica tornado. There are some tremendous moments in this play and three months were required by the company in order to secure some of the wonderful northern scenes. It is one of the strong releases of the year and has drawn large crowds in all principal cities. A Clyde Cook comedy, "The Sailor," will also be shown. Matinee Sunday at 2:30.

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—The American Legion Weekly.

AMUSEMENTS
At the Lyceum
SATURDAY
Mary Miles Minter
—in—
"ALL SOUL'S EVE"
A story of a beautiful Irish legend. In "All Soul's Eve" Mary Miles Minter is supported by Jack Holt, Carmen Phillips, Micky Moore, Lottie Williams and Fanny Midgely. Directed by Chester Franklin.
Matinee 2:30—6c and 15c
SUNDAY and MONDAY
Anita Stewart
—in—
"PLAYTHINGS OF DESTINY"
FIRST NATIONAL EXHIBITORS CIRCUIT
A splendid drama with backgrounds of the frozen north and the tropical south, an arctic blizzard and a Jamaica tornado. Three months were spent by Anita Stewart and her company to get some of the beautiful northern scenes for "Playthings of Destiny." As an added attraction we have
Clyde Cook
—in—
"THE SAILOR"
Sunday Matinee 2:30—11c and 25c

265 Farmers, 14 Elevators Join U. S. Marketing Pool

At the end of its third week of organization work in Minnesota, the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc., announced that 256 farmers and 14 elevators in five conties had contracted to market their grain through the national co-operative agency.

In Kittson county elevators at Kennedy and Humboldt have signed up; in Redwood, at Redwood Falls, Walnut Grove and Belview; in Watonwan at Butterfield and LaSalle, and in Wright at Annandale. Lyon county still holds the lead in number of farmers and elevators signing contracts.

In 11 states, 767 elevators and 27,472 farmers have contracted to market 50,000,000 bushels through the U. S. Grain Growers.

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RED LAKE ROAD GETS APPROVAL OF COMMISSION

Chairman Babcock Favorably Disposed Toward Project and Will Lend Aid.

Effort Will Be Made to Secure Backing of Indian Officials For Enterprise.

Committee of Commercial Club Considers Prospects For Success Very Good.

While it cannot be definitely stated at this time that the coming summer will see a road built from the east line of Pennington county to the Red Jakes, the prospects for such highway are much better than ever before. This is the report brought back from St. Paul by Daniel Shaw, J. S. Arneson, John Bratrud and L. R. Johnston, the committee appointed by the Commercial club to take the matter up with C. M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, and members of his staff.

A meeting of the committee and highway officials was held on Tuesday and the Thief River Falls men assured that the state road authorities were most favorably disposed toward the project They agreed to give the matter their immediate attention and promised to send an engineer over the proposed route at once.

Indians Must Approve.

There seems to be no doubt that the road can be constructed with state and national aid, the bill recently passed by congress making possible the building of roads through an Indian reservation under the same regulations as are applied to other federal aid highways. Chairman Babcock stated that he could see nothing in the state road laws to hinder such road building, providing the demand is sufficient and the need for it well established. Mr. Babcock himself is thoroughly convinced on both scores and has promised to give the subject his most favorable consideration.

Before further progress can be made in the matter it will be necessary to secure the consent and co-operation of those representing the Indians on the reservation. Agent W. L. Cross is believed to be favorable to the undertaking and his support will be enlisted if possible. He is in a position to be of great assistance in bringing the matter to a head, particularly before the Indian department. Mr. Cross stated to visitors from this city at the agency some time ago that if any plan could be devised for getting a road through the reserve and connecting with state road No. 2 at the Pennington county line he would be glad to give it his support, providing no call was made upon the Indians for funds with which to pay for its construction. One or more representatives of the Commercial club will lay the matter before Mr. Cross in person as soon as arrangements for a meeting can be made.

At the request of the Beltrami county commissioners the proposed road has been designated a state highway by the commission. Action was taken by the former immediately after the meeting at Bemidji between Thief River Falls men and a number of representative citizens of that city. The proposed road passes through Beltrami county for its entire distance and it was necessary that any request to have its status changed should come from that quarter.

Odd Fellows Elect.

At the annual election of officers of Young Pine lodge of Odd Fellows held last week, the following were chosen for the ensuing year: Ole Hedallen, noble grand; George Swanson, vice grand; Bernhard Knudsen, recording secretary; Adolf Eklund, financial secretary; B. F. Umland, treasurer. Installation of officers will take place on Jan. 3.

MANY PREPARE TO HELP SANTA CLAUS MAKE HIS ROUNDS

Organized Effort Being Made to See That None in This City Are Overlooked.

Not one person in Thief River Falls is to be overlooked in the general Christmas cheer if committees from different organizations now at work can locate them. The Elks, Odd Fellows, Salvation Army, County Welfare league and Girls' Community club are all seeking out those who may be overlooked by Santa Claus unless his attention is called to their particular case.

The Elks program is in the hands of the general committee headed by L. G. Larsen. There are no set rules laid down for the guidance of this committee and the members are trying to place their donations where they will do the most good. The local Salvation Army corps is co-operating in finding homes in which there may be want, the situation of children being particularly investigated.

The Odd Fellows have been collecting a fund of several hundred dollars for the same purpose and the Sons of Norway will carry out their usual Christmas charities. Other organizations are either giving their assistance to those above mentioned or doing something of a similar nature on their own hook. The Girls' Community club is very active along the same line Taken all together there never was such determination to see that every worthy person had something to be happy over as is the case this Christmas.

It is thought inadvisable to have a community Christmas tree. Past experience has proven that this does not provide the best method of getting to those who are most greatly in need of a little assistance. Very often the latter are people who do not parade their condition before the world and consequently all the more entitled to consideration because of that fact.

Everybody can help in this work and anything they may wish to do will be welcomed.

VIOLATED PAROLE LANDS AUTOMOBILE THIEF IN ST. CLOUD

Clyde Andrews, Sentenced Here and Released on Parole, Tries Stunt Augain.

Clyde Andrews, 19 years old, was on Monday taken to St. Cloud to begin the serving of an indeterminate term of from one to seven years in the reformatory. Andrews was found guilty of stealing an automobile from J. M. Bishop of this city last August and sentence imposed by Judge William Watts. In view of the youth of the offender Judge Watts permitted him to go on probation with instructions to report to Sheriff W. J. LaBree at stated intervals. Stanley Wilkenson, arrested and found guilty at the same time, was released on the same conditions.

With the consent of Sheriff LaBree the boys went to their former homes in Duluth, the chief of police of that city being substituted for Mr. LaBree as probation officer. This week officials here received word that Andrews and Wilkenson had stolen a car in Duluth and that the former had been caught. Wilkenson managed to get away and up to date has not been apprehended.

Sheriff LaBree was notified by the Duluth officers that his man had broken his parole. This automatically made the former sentence operative and Andrews was turned over to stand punishment for the offense.

Efforts are being made by both the Duluth department and Sheriff LaBree to locate Wilkenson and they have hopes of landing him in the reformatory with his partner.

RED CROSS DRIVE NETS LARGER SUM THAN LAST WINTER

More Money Collected in City Alone Than in Entire County in Former Campaign.

Chairman W. A. Barnard of the Pennington county annual Red Cross roll call campaign just closed, reports that to date a total of $705.70 has been turned into the chapter treasury. Of this amount residents in the city contributed $628.70 and the outlying districts $77.00. A number of auxiliaries are still to be heard from and it is likely that the final total will be somewhat in excess of the figures given.

In making this report Mr. Barnard wishes particularly to express his appreciation of the excellent work done by members of the Girls' Community club, in whose hands the city solicitation was placed. As an evidence of the thoroughness with which their campaign was conducted it may be stated that last year the total collections for the entire county only totalled about $500, or less than was contributed in the city alone in the recent campaign. The chairman regards the showing made as exceptionally good when general conditions are considered, and asks that his appreciation be expressed to all those who in any manner assisted in making the drive a success.

Little Girl Swallows Coin

Two weeks ago little Dorothy, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jansen of Viking, swallowed a five cent piece. An X-ray photograph taken at Warren showed the coin to be lodged in the child's esophagus without any possibility of its being dislodged except through an operation. She was taken to Minneapolis by her parents, accompanied by Orval Herrin of Viking, and operated on by Dr. K. O. Phelps at the Swedish hospital. The coin was removed and the patient is getting along fine.

Objections Filed Against Assessments For Sewers

Taxpayers affected by what is known as "stub sewer assessments" on Tuesday evening filed protests against such assessment with the city council. E. M. Stanton appeared for the Oen Mercantile company, the Zion Lutheran church congregation and Olaf Tessum, asking that the assessed cost of $210.77 for sewers in each case be substantially reduced or stricken out entirely. Theo. Quale presented similar petitions on behalf of Bernice Hamry and the Chas. M. Blain estate. It is maintained that the sewers referred to are of no benefit whatever to the property owned by the objectors and that the assessment is therefore unjust. The matter was referred to the city attorney and city engineer.

More Room For Handling Mail is Found Necessary

In order to better take care of the Christmas rush, Postmaster John Morgan is providing more space for the work room at the post office. The size of the lobby will be reduced correspondingly, but this will have to be put up with in the interest of efficiency. The west entrance to the room will be closed permanently to the public as the new arrangement makes this open directly into the work room. The partition heretofore running east and west has been turned around so as to cut off the west side of the lobby from the patrons, adding a space about 8x12 feet for the convenience of the force.

Mr. Morgan asks that those who have not yet complied with the department's request to have house numbers placed over their doors should do so at once. While the regular carriers are on the job it does not so much matter as these are acquainted with the addresses of office patrons, but when extra help or substitutes are used there is bound to be delay and confusion where the houses are not numbered. The matter is of far greater importance than most people seem to realize and should be attended to without delay.

DISTRICT MEETING OF CREAMERY MEN HELD HERE FRIDAY

Follows Dairy Feeding School Conducted at Two Different Points in County Today.

The creamery board and buttermakers from Clay, Norman, Mahnomen, Polk, Clearwater, Pennington, Red Lake, Marshall, Roseau and Kittson counties will meet in Thief River Falls on Friday to elect officers from among their number as an executive committee to act with the state director of the district. Every creamery in the section is invited to send a delegate to the first meeting. A large turnout is expected and a good program will be presented.

Two sessions of a dairy feeding school are scheduled for Pennington county this week. One is being held in the Lyceum theatre this forenoon and another will open at St. Hilaire Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The afternoon meeting in both instances will be featured by a moving picture entitled, "Food For Thought," illustrating the importance of sanitation and cleanliness in the handling of milch cattle as well as the value of dairy products as a food.

The Pennington County Public Health association is working in cooperation with the dairy interests of the county in carrying out this program. It is a recognized fact that the public health of a community is much dependent on a supply of good wholesome dairy products. This film will show in detail the value of having such for every day use.

Maintenance Men Get No Extra Pay For Overtime

Shop men and section hands on the two railroads entering this city and making their home here are particularly interested in an order of the railroad labor board issued on Tuesday. The board slashed the extra pay provisions for the first two hours of overtime after the regular eight hour day's work, setting up a schedule of a ten hour day at the regular hourly wage for common and shop laborers. This rule replaces the national agreement made while the roads were under government control.

Clever Comedy Presented By Goodridge Legion Post

"Goodfellow," a three-act comedy drama, was presented under the auspices of Henry Svare post, American Legion, at Goodridge on Friday evening. The play was given in the school auditorium and attended by a large and highly appreciative audience, Thief River Falls being quite well represented. It proved to be an excellent presentation, every member of the cast playing his or her part in an exceptionally clever manner. The audience greatly enjoyed the specialties between acts put on by E. J. Bithon. The cast was as follows:

John Dawson, a "Goodfellow" ——— Harvey Ferdinandson
Old Man Hudson, a Mysterious Philanthropist ——— E. J. Beithon
Steve Bacon, a Detective ——— Elmer Peterson
Richard Meadows, a Private Banker ——— B. O. Norby
Jerome Woodstock, an Attorney ——— Eilert Wiseth
Capt. Richards, of Police Headquarters ——— Theo. Tandberg
Henry Madison, a Shiftless Husband ——— Victor McLeod
Jane Madison ——— Mrs. Theo. Tandberg
Mrs. Madison ——— Mrs. Elmer Peterson
Dora Woodruff, Young and Impressionable ——— Gladys Wilson
Martha Peck, Old and Invulnerable ——— Sarah Vaughan
Stubbie Stebbins, a Young Reporter ——— John Nystul

SLIGHT DROP IN TAX VALUATION FOR NEXT YEAR

Falling Off of $335,635 Attributed to Removal of Automobiles From Tax Roll.

Total Nearly Seven Million Dollars When Moneys and Credits Are Included.

Real and Personal Property in City Listed at Over Million and a Half Dollars.

The taxable valuation of real and personal property in Pennington county has fallen off $355,635 in the past year, according to figures submitted to the state tax commission by County Auditor T. P. Anderson's office. The decrease is principally in the personal property list and is largely explainable by the fact that automobiles have been removed from that column and subjected to an entirely different system of taxation.

The total taxable valuation of the county at this time and the amount on which the tax levy for 1922 will be based is $6,819,452, as compared with $7,173,087 last year. There is very little change in the amount disclosed in the moneys and credits, this property representing $1,012,262 last year as compared with $999,167 at this time—a drop of $13,075.

Value of Acre $28.20.

There are 389,058 acres of land on the assessment rolls with an average taxable valuation of $9.40 per acre. This is one-third of the actual value, which would make lands in the county worth on an average $28.20 per acre. The total assessed value of all lands, exclusive of structures, is $3,669,669, and assessed value of the personal property $727,582. The total tax to be collected is $482,943.99, exclusive of the amount levied on moneys and credits.

The average rate of taxation in the county is 59.3 mills for all lands. Of this amount 51.3 mills is assessed against districts outside of incorporated cities and villages, and an average of 114.9 mills against property in these latter subdivisions.

City and Villages Pay Half.

The amount of taxes to be collected in Thief River Falls next year total $186,724.24 and when this sum is added to the amounts assessed against property in the villages of St. Hilaire and Goodridge the total is $208,742.51, leaving $274,201.93 for the remainder of the county. When moneys and credits are added it is found that taxpayers in the one city

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PROMISE TO PASS COMPENSATION ACT

Commander MacNider Assured Pay Adjustments Will Be Made to Soldiers in July.

The adjusted compensation bill for veterans of the World war will be passed by congress within the next 90 days, Hanford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion, has been informed by Senator P. J. McCumber, author of the bill in the senate, and Congressman Josepr Fordney, who introduced the measure in the house.

Leaders in the house and senate assured MacNider that congress believes in the justice of the adjusted compensation measure and realizes that immediate action is necessary on account of the present financial condition of many former service men and women.

Senator Arthur Capper and numerous other senators informed the new commander that they had received the copies of resolutions adopted at the Kansas City convention and that they were in hearty sympathy with and in favor of the entire program.

Will Ask Congress For Wheat Price Guarantee

Legislation to revive the United States Grain Corporation with a government guarantee of probably $2.50 a bushel for wheat will be asked of the present session of congress, it is announced by the Farmers' National The "standard 14-once loaf or bread bread," said the announcement, "can be profitably sold for five cents," if the farmers get $2.50 a bushel for wheat by preventing profiteering between the wheat farmer and the consumer of wheat products.

Stores to Close at 6 P. M. Christmas and New Years Eves and All Day Monday

Thief River Falls business men have decided to observe Christmas and New Years on the Mondays following the actual dates on which these holidays fall. They have also decided to close their stores at 6 o'clock on Christmas and New Years eves, notwithstanding the fact that these come on Saturday.

The buying public is notified that from 6 o'clock on Saturday evening, Dec. 24, and Saturday evening, Dec. 31, all stores will be closed and remain closed until the opening hour the following Tuesday morning.

Nearly $40,000 Received As State and Federal Aid

School District No. 18 last week received a total of $39,482.10 as its share of the tax aportionment, to which was added all the state and federal aid of different descriptions. The apportionment amounted to $12,464 and the state aid to $26,941. To this was added $853.13 as federal vocational training aid and $223.97 as state aid for the same purpose. School libraries throughout the country were also helped to the extent of $358.50, this coming entirely from the state.

In Business at Red Lake.

Karl Korstad, who recently sold out his general mercantile business at Highlanding and has opened a similar store at Red Lake on the reservation, was in the city on Saturday visiting his brothers and looking after business matters. Mr. Korstad says that he likes his new location and is finding business as good as expected at this time of year. The Indians will shortly receive $100 each from the tribal funds to help them over the winter and this will prove a great relief to many of them. Mr. Korstad is now a licensed dealer, authorized by the government to engaged in business on the reservation.

STATE WILL SPEND A MILLION DOLLARS ON ROADS AT ONCE

Work on 32 Jobs Started—165 Teams at Work on Thief River-Holt Highway.

First work on 32 important road building projects was started by contractors Tuesday morning. This will ultimately mean the expenditure of $922,000 in the state, nearly all of which will be paid out this winter for men and teams. The program calls for the surfacing and grading of more than 236 miles of Minnesota highways, to be completed by the first of April.

On trunk highway 32 between Thief River Falls and Holt the work has been going on for about three weeks, this job being let by day work and not subject to contract. The price paid is 25 cents per yard for loading and 20 cents per cubic yard mile for hauling. At the present time there are 75 teams working at the south end of the division and 90 at the north end. The teams, so far as possible, have been secured from neighboring farmers and all other work is being performed by men residing along the highway.

Road work is also going forward at a rapid rate in neighboring counties. In Clearwater the stretch between Bagley and Clearbrook is being improved under the same plan, as is also No. 6 between Crookston and Beltrami. On the last-named job 278 farmers' teams are employed at the present time.

Work on the contracts let by the state highway department about ten days ago will be under way before the end of the week. Bids have been rechecked and the responsibility of bidders investigated, resulting in the signing of contracts in the majority of cases.

Burstad Elected to Head Norway Sons Organization

The annual election of officers for Snorre lodge, Sons of Norway, was held last Thursday evening, Bernhard Knudsen, retiring president, automatically advancing to the position of judge and E. P. Burstad succeeding him as head of the lodge. The other officers are: Hakon Grindahl, vice president; T. J. Reierson, secretary; Ed. Iverson, financial secretary; Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, regent; Olaf Sorenson, marshal; L. H. Larson, treasurer; Ganvald Storhaug, inside guard; William Parbst, outside guard; E. K. Aasen, trustee. Messrs. Reierson, Sorenson, Larson and Aasen were reelected.

It was decided to hold the annual Christmas festival on the evening of Dec. 29 at the lodge room. An appropriate program is being arranged and all members of the Sons and Daughters of Norway with their fam-

BAD BREAK IN HOGS AT START OF WEEK

Prices Mostly 25c Lower on the Average—Heavy Packing Sows 75c Lower.

South St. Paul, Dec. 12—The week started with a break of fully 25c on hogs, with packing sows at the close about 75c under last week. Bulk of the good butcher hogs $6.50, choice light sorts averaging mostly 170 lbs. down $6.75 to $7. Heavy packing sows late $5.25 to $5.60. Bulk of

Although cattle receipts at outside markets were somewhat heavier than last Monday, and prices at those points tended downward, the local market had less cattle than last Monday, receipts being estimated today at 3,700, and trading was on a mostly steady basis, with some of the better offerings of butcher she stock and beef steers selling strong to slightly higher. Best beef steers today was a small lot of eight head averaging 936 pounds and selling at $8 Load lots cashed at $6.25 to $6.50, with the bulk selling from $5 to $6. Best offerings of butcher she stock here sold from $5.25 to $5.50, with the bulk going from $3.25 to $5. Popular price for canners was $2, with some at $2.25 and cutters on up to $3. Bologna bulls sold mostly from $2.75 to $3.25, with a fair showing of choice heavies up to $3. Veal calves were steady, bulk of best veals selling at $7.50. A fairly healthy demand featured the stocker and feeder trade and these sold fully steady, bulk of sales $4.25 to $5, with best kinds at $5.50 and $5.75.

Sheep were about 25c lower, bulk of good and choice fat lambs $10.25; bulk desirable ewes $4.50 to $4.75; very good fat yearlings $8.50.

BASKETBALL GAME WITH BEMIDJI WILL OPEN SEASON HERE

Both Teams Rapidly Getting Into Form and Great Scrimmage is Anticipated.

The season's first basketball game will be played on the local floor on Friday evening, Dec. 23, with the Bemidji team opposing the Thief River Falls bunch. Practice work has been going forward regularly during the past month and the boys are rapidly whipping into shape. Tackling Bemidji for the season's first game is getting into fast company at one jump, but Coach G. W. Connell is confident that his proteges will give the visitors a beautiful fight. Bemidji was defeated by Thief River Falls last year in one of the most exciting games of the series, and as the line-up has not been greatly changed in either city there is no reason for anticipating that the result should not be the same. Plummer, Bemidji star forward last season, will this year be with the Thief River team and is prepared to put up the same kind of a game against the Beltrami county outfit as he did while a member of the aggregation.

In a practice tussle last evening with the Lincoln high school team the latter were clearly outclassed, the veterans making a highly satisfactory showing in every department of the game.

Mr. Connell is after the scalp of the party who stole a brand new basket ball from the auditorium last Sunday afternoon. If the property is not restored within two or three days steps will be taken to force its return.

Zion Congregation Elects Officers For Coming Year

The annual business meeting of the Zion Lutheran congregation was held Monday evening. Officers' reports submitted showed that the past year has been very successful from every point of view. Over $1400 was collected for missions.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: J. L. Bean, secretary; Ole Snustad and John Dahl, trustees; Ole Ostmoe and Tom Stageberg, deacons; Ingeborg Bjoland, deaconess; Mrs E. O. Erickson, superintendent of Sunday school; Miss Borghild Wollen, organist; Gust Wollen and Mrs. Hustedt, parochial school committee; Alfred Haugen, Olaf Neset, Erick Espelund and Ole Snustad, collectors and ushers.

No Auto Tax Dodgers in Entire County it Seems

Auto owners who have neglected to pay their 1921 license must do so before a new permit will be issued for 1922, according to instructions sent out from the office of Mike Holm, secretary of state. Clerks of court in the different counties have been supplied with a list of known delinquents with instructions to see that arrearages are paid before a new license is issued. Adolph Eklund, clerk for Pennington county, has received no such list and is therefore of the opinion that all auto taxes within his jurisdiction were paid last year. This, however, will excuse no one who knows himself to be in arrears and it will save trouble if he will call on Mr. Eklund and have the matter straightened out.

Legion Boys Admit Error and Apologize to Pastor

On behalf of the Strandquist Post, American Legion, J. C. Greenagle, commander, and Otto H. Paulson, adjutant, have publicly apologized to Rev. P. G. Carlstedt for the stand taken by post members at a funeral at Egelund church recently. The Legion boys insisted on entering the church under arms or not at all, the result being a heated controversy as to their rights under such conditions. The pastor appealed to Gen. W. F. Rhinow, who upheld him, quoting army regulations which forbid the carrying of arms into a church building. The post officers requested state headquarters of the Legion to set them right and the latter organization gave out an opinion identical with that of the adjutant general. It is to be hoped that this will close the incident.

EXPERT CALLS POULTRY SHOW BEST IN STATE

W. E. Stanchfield, Nationally-Known Judge, Pays Local Breeders Compliment.

No Better Showing Made at Any County Exhibit in Minnesota in His Opinion.

Prize Winners Scattered Over Considerable Section, But Majority Reside Here.

The recent poultry show held at Thief River Falls was a top-notcher in number of exhibits as well as the quality of birds displayed, according to W. E. Stanchfield of Minneapolis, who did the judging. Mr. Stanchfield, who is one of the foremost poultry experts in the country, is in a position to know as he has perhaps had a larger and more varied experience as a judge than any other man in this section. He has operated a large commercial and breeding farm in Michigan and has been actively engaged in this line for the past 18 years, during which time he has been called upon to officiate at some of the largest and most important shows in the United States. He has judged birds at Madison Square Garden, New York, and has been employed in this capacity for nine different years at the Coliseum, Chicago. Twice he has made trips to the Pacific coast to judge at the California and Oregon shows and has been the official arbiter at Cleveland, Detroit, Toledo and St. Louis.

Mr. Stanchfield's wide experience has given him an unusual opportunity of studying poultry conditions in all sections of the country. During the war he served as government state poultry expert and has remained in Minnesota ever since. He is at present editor of the poultry department of the Northwest Farmstead, one of the leading publications of its kind in the country.

When a man of Mr. Stanchfield's experience says that the show at Thief River Falls was one of the best in the state it means something. There are 91 shows held in the 86 counties of Minnesota every year and for Pennington county to be classed among the leaders by the man bet qualified to judge should have the effect of stimulating poultry raisers in the county to even greater efforts.

Rhode Island Sweepstakes Winner.

The winner of the grand sweepstakes prize at the show was a Rhode Island Red cockerel exhibited by Olaf Neset. The prize was a silver loving cup. The same exhibitor also carried away the grand championship prize on hen of the same breed.

Leonard Burgeson of Barnesville won the special cash prize for sending the largest number of birds the

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Minnesota Second Only to New York in Potato Yield

According to a report of the federal department of commerce based on figures furnished by the bureau of the census, Minnesota ranks as second highest in the matter of potato production of all the states of the United States. New York state comes first with a total production in 1919 of 32,470,847 bushels, and Minnesota next with 26,690,056.

Present indications are that the total acreage put into potatoes next year will, under ordinary conditions, put the total production materially above the total of 1919, or the figures embraced in the census bureau report.

A very large part of the state's increase will be found to be in the Red River valley. The outstanding increase in the number of potato warehouses that have already been erected or that are being arranged for this winter may be taken as a good indication of what the outlook is in the potato industry.

One noteworthy feature of the report is, however, that while New York and Minnesota outranked all other states in the matter of production, Maine sold more. Maine sold 60 per cent of its entire production; New York sold 62.2 per cent, while Minnesota sold 63.6 per cent of the production. This means that Minnesota held approximately ten million bushels for seeding at home and for live stock feeding.

Local Women Join Sisters in Asking For Disarmament

The Thief River Falls branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was represented by about 500 signatures on the petition presented to Secretary of State Hughes at the opening of the disarmament conference at Washington, asking that an end be put to war preparations. The petition was over a mile long and contained the names of members of this organization from all over the world. The presentation was made by Miss Anna Gordon, world president of the union. Local members secured the signatures of 500 persons in Thief River Falls without any difficulty and the number could undoubtedly have been greatly increased had time permitted.

Society

Girls Community Club Meets

Among the pre-holiday events was the meeting of the Girls Community Club held on Monday evening at the Commercial Club Rooms, which was a success socially and from the standpoint of attendance. Approximately seventy-five young ladies were present. In view of the fact that this was the last meeting before Christmas the committee in charge had arranged a charming party in conformity with the spirit of the Yule-tide season. All the decorations which included a tree bedecked with the usual trimmings, which centered the long table at the front of the room, streamers of red and green, festooned from chandeliers, sprigs of fir and crystal candle sticks supporting red tapers with red shades, placed on the piano and table from which the guests were served gave an added charm to the occasion. During the brief business session the committee appointed at the previous meeting, presented blankets, which they purchased with the $25.00 which had been subscribed by the club for charitable purposes at Christmas. A short program followed during which the burning candles on the tree and in the holders, furnished effective illumination. Miss Doris Halvorson gave two piano numbers and Miss Meta Kiland sang two solos. Cards, dancing and a fish pond afforded amusement for the guests. Christmas candy and apples were served throughout the evening. The members had previously been requested to bring some toy to which all generously responded. Almost a hundred toys were collected which will be distributed among the poor children on Christmas day. The co-operation of club members is deserving of particular mention. This fact is emphasized by the success of every undertaking. During the recent membership drive of the Red Cross over $600.00, solicitations made in this city alone, was taken by community girls.

The success of the club is largely due to this fact. Miss Ida Tandberg, who is now acting president, has given unfailing support and has done a great deal toward creating a congenial spirit among the members. This fact is verified by the large attendance at all the meetings. Light refreshments were served at 10:30. Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge, former president, was guest of the evening.

Burstad-Bottolfson.

Miss Alma O. Burstad and Mikael O. Bottolfson, both of Garske, N. D., were united in marriage on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 8, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Anna Burstad, near Plummer. About 20 guests witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. T. E. Sweger of this city. Following the service a wedding dinner was served. The couple was attended by Ben Mahla and Miss Thea Burstad, a sister of the bride. Among the out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Burstad of Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Bottolfson left Monday for Garske, near which place they will make their home on a farm.

Delightful Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes was the scene of a delightful party on Friday evening when their daughter, Miss Ruby, entertained about thirty of her friends at cards and dancing. Dainty refreshments were served at midnight. Among the guests were Misses Lillian Knight, Irma Marcoe, Sybil McGinn, Elsie Sundahl, Helen and Palma Langseth, Adlyn LaBree, Nora Lindquist, Doris Richter, Eileen Arneson, Ruth and Esther Hadrath, and Harry Brown, Paul Scanlan, Milton Lund, Harold and Stephen Arneson, Reuben Hadrath, William LeParcq, Harry Sullivan, Milton and Philip Larson, Leland Knight, Matt Barzen, John Hendry and William Alexander.

Eastern Star Election.

A social time followed the regular business session of the Eastern Star meeting held last evening at the Masonic hall. Miss Theone Walker and Mrs. A. Holmberg furnished music for dancing. Officers chosen for the coming year are: Worthy matron, Anna Quale; worthy patron, Ed. Brevig; associate matron, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen; secretary, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite; treasurer, Mrs. Walter Kinghorn; conductress, Mrs. John Robinson; associate conductress, Mrs. Lyle Manther. Other officers will be appointed by the worthy matron. Installation will take place some time after the Christmas holidays.

Pre-Holiday Party.

Colors suggestive of the Christmas season were effectively used at the home of Mrs. Theo. Quale on Tuesday afternoon when she entertained at a children's party for her little daughter, Virginia, who celebrated her eighth birthday anniversary. The hours were from four to six and were devoted to games and other amusements. The invited guests were Alice Larson, Veronica Shanahan, Jeanette Mogensen, Lois Oden, Esther Haynes, Eleanor Green, Helen Gesell, Georgia Marie Smith, Jessie Bickley, Adelaide Mulry, Grace Provencher and Miss Sandum. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. Fred Quale.

Woman's Club Meets

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms. A very small crowd was in attendance. A short program preceded the business session. Mrs. A. Holmberg and three of her pupils in violin gave a quartet which was well received. Besides Mrs. Holmberg, those taking part were Lorraine Will, Henry Arneson and Leigh Anderson. They responded to an encore. Mrs. H. C. Johnson and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen gave a very interesting lesson "The Holy Land."

Maccabees Elect Officers.

At the meeting of the Maccabees held Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Commander, O. F. Halldin; lt. commander, Mrs. Joe Holmes; sergeant, Mrs. John Rolland; chaplain, Mrs. C. M. Carlson; past commander, Mrs. I. G. Lane; lady at arms, Mrs. C. S. Simonson; record keeper, Mrs. E. L. Rolland; collector, Mrs. Olaf Storholm; sentinel, Mrs. F. Schmidt; picket, Mrs. L. C. Reidy. At the conclusion of the business session lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

Faculty Entertained.

Mrs. I. T. Simley was hostess at a series of parties held at her home on Thursday and Saturday, when the teachers in the local schools were the guests. On Thursday afternoon the Washington and Central teachers were the guests. The Northrop and Knox teachers were entertained Saturday afternoon, while the teachers in the high schools were guests in the evening. A delicious lunch was served on each occasion.

Rebekahs Meet.

The election of officers of the Rebekah lodge took place on Tuesday evening, when the following were chosen: Noble grand, Mrs. Arthur Johnson; vice grand, Miss Myrtle Blair; corresponding secretary, Miss Clara Gullingsrud; financial secretary, Mrs. O. L. Cronstrom; treasurer, Mrs. T. P. Anderson. Lunch and a program of dancing took up the remainder of the evening.

Engagement Announced.

The following item taken from the Minneapolis Sunday Tribune, will be of interest here. Mr. Gamble is connected with the Gamble-Robinson company of this city: "Michael Schibsby, 2508 Third avenue south, announces the engagement of his daughter, Edith, to Donald Phelps Gamble, 2644 Nicollet avenue. No date has been set for the wedding."

U. C. T. Party.

The members of the U. C. T. lodge with their wives and friends, enjoyed a program of dancing at the Masonic hall Saturday night, following their regular meeting. Emil Trogardh of Minneapolis, past senior counsel, was a guest of the evening and gave a very interesting talk concerning the activities of the organization. Lunch was served at midnight.

Entertains For Mrs. Crandall.

Honoring Mrs. C. R. Crandall, who leaves soon for the West to make her home, Mrs. J. P. Curtis entertained a company of ladies Saturday afternoon at her home. The time was spent in needlework. Christmas decorations were used in the luncheon appointments.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Larsen entertained a few friends at dinner at their home Sunday in compliment to their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris of Ashland, Wis., who returned to their home Monday. Covers were laid for nine.

Public Reception.

Mrs. Josephine Sizer, state president of the W. C. T. U., was honor guest at an informal reception for the public held at the home of Mrs. M. V. Evenson on Saturday afternoon.

Obituary

August Brown.

August Brown, 211 Conely avenue south, passed away quietly at his home about 10 o'clock last Tuesday morning after an illness of about a year. Deceased had been troubled a great deal with rheumatism, which gradually deprived him of the use of his lower limbs and weakened his heart, which was the immediate cause of his death. Deceased was born in Germany on March 8, 1851, and came to America in 1870, locating at Stevens Point, Wis., where six years later he married Miss August Helmoldt. To this union were born eight children, seven of whom are living. Thirteen grandchildren also survive. For a number of years Mr. Brown was head sawyer in the local saw mill, working first with the Meehans and later for the Wintons, retiring from active work when the mill was abandoned a few years ago. He served as a member of the school board when the East side district was first organized. He was affiliated with St. John's Lutheran church. As one of its founders and active members the congregation will mourn the loss of a man whose willingness to serve will be a trait long to be remembered. As a resident of the city for 30 years he won a host of friends and the esteem and respect of all who knew him.

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon from St. John's church, Rev. E. H. Kreidt officiating in both the German and English languages. A large number of friends of the deceased attended the last rites and a profusion of floral contributions were sent to the family residence. The following acted as pallbearers: Gustaf Geske, Albert Geske, August Krause, Gustaf Wilkens, Hans Anton and Henry Roembildt. Miss Cora Brown of Minneapolis, a daughter, was here for the funeral. Mrs. Louis Hanson of Minneapolis and Miss Clara Brown of Colorado Springs, daughters, were unable to be present. Deceased is also survived by his wife, a brother who resides in Wisconsin, and four daughters who reside in this city: Mrs. Herbert Fuller, Mrs. A. M. Langseth, Mrs. P. O. Myhrum and Miss Laura Brown.

Agnes Isabelle Remmen

Agnes Isabelle Remmen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Remmen, passed away on Thursday morning, December 8th, at the Physicians hospital at the age of sixteen years one month, after an illness which extended over two months. Death was caused by a ruptured appendix. The deceased was born in this city October 29, 1905. She was graduated from the public school and had just entered high school when she was taken ill. She was confirmed from the Zion Lutheran church June 19, 1921. The young lady was gifted with a sweet and lovely disposition which won for her many friends who regret her untimely demise. Besides her parents she is survived by five sisters, Bertha, Mildred, Gladys, Goldie and Ruth.

Funeral services were held from the Zion Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Geo. Larson conducting. The freshman class with their advisor, Miss Velma Webster, attended the services in a body. Among out of town relatives who were present were Mrs. C. B. Eggen and son, Mrs. I. O. Eggen from Kelliher, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gulseth, Mrs. B. Ranum, J. Remmen, G. J. Norhagen, Nils Nora, Oswald Nora all of Rosewood.

Pocket Billiard Tournament.

William Sheedy, proprietor of the Hub Billiard parlor, is conducting a pocket billiard tournament this week which is attracting a great deal of attention among the followers of that pastime. The tournament started out with about 30 players, matched in teams of two, one of whom is eliminated after each game. After the first series of games is over, the remaining players will again be paired off for a second series. In this manner the tournament will eventually dwindle down to one game with two opposing players. The winner of this game will be declared the champion of the city and will be given a cash prize of $10. The contestants have been rated according to their ability so that the "sharks" have no better chance of winning the prize than the average performer.

Card of Thanks.

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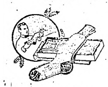

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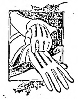

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THE FARMER'S POSITION.

The American people, as a general rule, object to subsidies and price guarantees. This has been demonstrated time and time again in the case of subsidies, particularly when questions affecting the shipping interests have come up. While this industry is perhaps as much in need of support of this character as any, it has never been possible to force its acceptance upon the country. The same is true of price guarantees, particularly where these affect the products of the farm.

In the last analysis there is not a great deal of difference between a price guarantee, a subsidy and a protective tariff—at least this is the conclusion reached by a large part of our agricultural population. The only trouble is that a protective tariff fails of its purpose where the farmer's products are concerned, at the same time adding to the cost of the products he must buy. He believes, and rightly, that he is entitled to some sort of consideration and has turned to a price guarantee as offering the only remedy.

His demand is unpopular and to many seems unreasonable, yet it is in no way different from that made by producers of manufactured products. The public eventually pays any advance in price forced by a tariff the same as would be the case with a guarantee. There is no way of getting around this fact—the only trouble is in getting the country to face it.

If agriculture is our basic industry it should receive our first consideration. No sane person would attempt to erect a strong, enduring superstructure on a crumbling foundation. If it is true that the rest of the country prospers only as the farmer prospers, his prosperity should be our fundamental concern. If a price guarantee is the only thing that will save him from going under at the present time, this is the remedy that will have to be applied, even though it may prove unpopular in many quarters. The last is true of any subsidies or guarantees given in the shape of protective tariffs and yet these are approved by the farmer as necessary to the general prosperity of the country. He has always been willing that others should be benefitted in this manner but has come to the conclusion that some other plan must be employed in his case.

When everything is taken into consideration, just in what respect is a price guarantee so very different from a protective tariff or a subsidy? We are sure to have the first-named system applied to a large variety of manufactures and natural products and there is an increasing demand that a subsidy be given others. Is not the farmer entitled to the only kind of protection that will be of any help to him? If the country is going into subsidizing and protecting as a part of its general economic program, why not include price guarantees for the products of the farmer? In the end there is no difference so far as the consumer is concerned and it is likely that he will consider the farmer as great a factor in the country's progress and as important in its economic development as are manufacturers and shippers.

No attempt is here made to present an argument against tariffs and subsidies. Both may be advisable and necessary. It would appear as if neither solves the farmer's problem, however—and he certainly has a problem to solve. It is merely maintained that he is as much or more entitled to have some remedy applied in his case. If the only remedy is a price guarantee, it should at least receive serious consideration.

BUY IT AT HOME

Times are not flush in the United States at the present time, but there will be more or less buying during the holiday season as usual. The volume of business transacted may not be quite as great as in some previous year and the amount of money spent will no doubt be somewhat smaller, but the spirit of Christmas will prevail very much in the same old way.

The fact that the holiday business will be lighter than usual will prove an advantage to the buying public. Prices are bound to come down in exact ration with the decreased demand. In fact the drop since a year ago will have a tendency to keep trade up to its former volume although it will undoubtedly fall short when it comes to comparisons of the amount of money actually expended.

This simply means that the buyer will get more for his money. Merchants prepared early for a busy season, being unable to forsee the present slump. Goods of this character are often pursbased nearly a year ahead of delivery dates and the merchant has no means of knowing thus far in advance what holiday conditions will be. If the situation is such that there is a falling off in the demand he must make an attempt to keep his volume up through price reductions. He dislikes to carry goods of this kind over from one year to another and aims to clean up as closely as possible, often taking a loss in order to do so.

During a season like the present he early arrives at the conclusion that it will be necessary for him to get down to rock bottom, and this is just what Thief River Falls merchants have done. It would be impossible for them to make deeper cuts without footing a loss greater than they are able to stand. The same is doubtless true of merchants in other communities. They are all anxious to stimulate holiday buying and to that end have reduced prices to the lowest possible point.

Stocks in Thief River Falls are perhaps larger and more varied than at any previous Christmas season. There is absolutely no excuse for anyone going out of town for anything they may need nor is there any possibility that they can save money by so doing. The merchants of this city are willing to have their prices compared with those prevailing in any city in the state, or outside of it for that matter, while so far as quality and variety are concerned they are admittedly in the lead. In fact there is no change from the usual order of things at this time of year except that prices are lower.

Do your Christmas in Thief River Falls and do it now. Nothing is to be gained by waiting until the last day and much may be lost. If the particular article you want is gone when you get ready to make a selection, there is no way in which it can be replaced in time. Shop early and shop at home.

A TIMELY CAMPAIGN.

The railroads of the country are asking people everywhere to help reduce the needless and oftimes inexcusable accidents caused by negligence on the part of auto drivers at grade crossings. There are 1,500 people killed and 4,000 injured in the United States every year through accidents of this kind and the number will increase with the number of autoes in use unless there is something done to make drivers "play safe." Occurances of this kind involving the loss of life and limb, have become so common that there is grave danger of their being taken as matters of course and simply regarded as unavoidable incidents attendant upon our progress.

There seems to be a certain fascination in racing a rapidly moving train to a crossing, the autoist evidently forgetting that all the odds are against him. The slightest miscalculation on his part means disaster as the man handling the locomotive can do nothing or very little to avert a colision. Besides, he has the absolute right of way and it is not up to him to see that no one gets in front of his train. Railroaders exercise all possible care, particularly in places where there is any considerable amount of trafic, and if the autoist would use as much judgement in approaching these crossings as is necessary in traversing a city street a great deal of suffering and money loss would be avoided.

It has been suggested that a heavy fine or jail sentence be impossed on any person driving an automobile who does not take reasonable precautions in approaching a railroad crossing, and it may be that such step will be found necessary. Something will surely have to be done, and the railroads seem willing to do their share.

Waiting a few minutes to give a train the right of way is not nearly so expensive as waiting for months to recover in a hospital. The loss of a few moments in playing safe is not as serious as the loss of arms, legs or life.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

The English say that prohibition is unthinkable, but the kind we have in Baudette is undrinkable.

Hurry your shopping. It will soon be too late to do it early.

One bad feature of the Christmas spirit this year is that it will be mostly moonshine.

Admiral Kato of Japan, who is at the Washington conference, is shocked at the short skirts American girls wear. Someone ought to tell him that he was sent here to discuss arms, not legs.

Now that Congress is in session again, a conference for the limitation of argument might be a good thing.

It looks as if the New York Yankees will start a Ruthless fight for the pennant next spring.

It is said the kaiser is about to marry again. One war evidently wasn't enough for him.

If tractors and trucks continue to pour into Baudette, it may soon be a one-horse town.

It's a crime to buy liquor these days, especially the kind they dish up to you.

An adv. says that yeast should be eaten by everybody at breakfast. It ought to prove popular with early risers.

American Legion Notes.

National Legion dues, fixed by the national convention are $1. State dues, fixed by the Minnesota state convention, are $1. Each Legion post collects, in additon, an amount sufficient to defray local expenses, which vary according to the amount of welfare work necessary, club facilities, etc. Total dues are usually $8 per year, which includes 52 issues of the American Legion Weekly, which alone is worth the assessment collected. When a member fails to pay his annual dues by the first of each year, he ceases to be a bona fide member. He may still boost for the Legion, but his support, to be effective, must be backed up by prompt payment of yearly dues.

Down at Kansas City, Gopher delegates from Edward Cutter post No. 102 bore aloft a sign reading "We are the boys from Anoka, Minnesota, the dry town on the Rum river." Legionaires from Ralph Gracie post carried this sign: "We're From Bemidpi, Minnesota, First City on the Mississippi." Writes now L. A. Plant of Anoka: "The boys here have instructed me to secure prices on canoes. Fifteen buddies are already planning a canoe trip down the Mississippi to attend the Fourth National Legion convention at New Orleans in 1922. We'll be there strong, even if we have to swim."

Who says the sun ever sets on the American Legion? At the Kansas Ciay Legion National convention there were Legion delegates seated from Alaska, Africa, Chile, Great Britain, Canada, Panama, China, Cuba, France, Guatemala, Hawaii, Japan, Mexico, Peru, Porto Rico, Palestine, Turkey, as well as from every state in the Union, and the Phillipine Islands. The sun is always shining on buddies whose slogan is "Let's Stick Together."

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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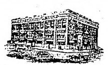

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$1.49

Men's Dress Shirts
98c to $3.98
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98c
Men's Flannel Shirts
98c to $3.50
Men's Leather Vests
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Boys' Union Suits
89c 98c
Men's Silk Hose
49c 98c

Box Stationery
23c to 98c
Dolls
19c to $8.90
Handkerchiefs
Christmas packages, 3 in box
75c
Collar and Cuff Sets
69c 98c
Bath Towels
15c to 98c

Ladies' Cotton Hose
10c pr.
Bleached Sheeting
9-4 65c
Ladies' Fleeced Union Suits
$1.69
Ladies' Sateen Bloomers, assorted colors
$1.49
Bungalow Aprons
$1.98 $2.98

Men's Wool Trousers, heavy
$4.98
Bath Robe Cloth
69c yd.
Ladies' Wool Union Suits
$2.98 $4.98
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75c 98c $1.49
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69c 75c 89c 98c
Woolnap Blankets
$4.69
Cotton Blankets
$1.89 $2.98
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Corduroy Pants	3.98
Leather Mitts, fleeced	79c
Heavy Wool Sox	39c

Churches

Christian Science Society—Meetings are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. at the church edifice on First and LaBree. Subject for Sunday, Dec. 18, "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Open also for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge, H. Lutz, Pastor—Christmas programs as follows: Dec. 21, 7 p. m., Goodridge; Dec. 22, 6:30 p. m., Neptune; Dec. 23, 7 p. m., Erie; Dec. 24, 7 p. m., Germantown; Dec. 27, 7 p. m., Thorhult. Preaching services, English, Dec. 24, 10 a. m., Erie; Dec. 26, 3 p. m., Grygla; Dec. 28, 10 a. m., Thorhult. German, Germantown, 10 a. m., Dec. 25; Esplee, Dec. 25, 3 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church, T. E. Sweger, Pastor—The whole Sunday school is to meet for practice at the church Friday evening, Dec. 16, at 6:30 p. m. Confirmation class Saturday at the parsonage 10 a. m. Services in English Sunday at 11 a. m. Solo by Carl Sundahl. In Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school meets for lessons and rehearsal at 9:45 a. m. Choir practice at the church every Thursday evening at 7:30. Christmas tree festival at the auditorium Sunday evening, Dec. 25.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church, O. J. Lundell, Pastor—Sunday, Dec. 18, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Tuesday 8 p. m. Young People's meeting Friday 8 p. m. All welcome.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church, Bot Nyborg, Pastor—Services the 18th at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The theme for the morning service will be: "The Grace of God," and for the evening service, "The Perils of a Vacant Heart." Sunday school at 10 a. m. The Christmas program for the Sunday school is to be given on Christmas day in the evening.

The Presbyterian Church—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Regular services at 11 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Men's Bible class at 8 p. m.

Zion Lutheran Church, George Larson, Pastor—Services in Norwegian at 11 a. m. Services in English at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Christmas tree fest at Rindal church, Rosewood, on Friday evening, the 23rd. Confirmants every Saturday at 2 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church, J. B. Smith, Pastor—Divine service Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. All are welcome to these services. Strangers and those whose church preference is not represented in the city are especially invited to worship with us. Plain gospel sermons. Good music.

Subscribe for The Times and keep posted on all neighborhood news.

Famous Play Coming to Auditorium Monday Night

Tom's Cabin company will present that famous play at the auditorium on Monday evening, Dec. 19. This will be the first appearance of this old favorite play in this city in many years and as the company is said to be one of unusual merit, there will undoubtedly be a large house. The company carries a vast quantity of special scenery and the production is given in its original entirety. There are 12 different scenes in the four acts, culminating in 12 tableaux, the whole closing with a superb transformation scene.

Palmer's Mammoth Uncle Tom's

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved daughter and sister, Agnes. We also desire to express our appreciation to the Freshmen class, the high school faculty, the Zion Lutheran Y. P. S., Royal Neighbors, Daughters of Norway, the Seventh grade, and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. McFarland for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Remmem and Daughters.

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Closing Christmas Eve at 6 P. M. Sharp

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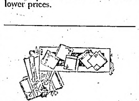

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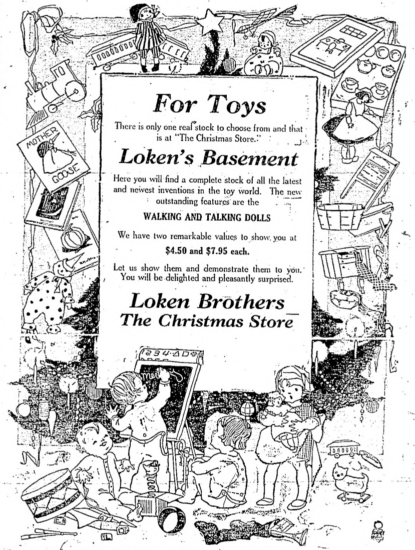

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There is only one real stock to choose from and that is at "The Christmas Store."
Loken's Basement
Here you will find a complete stock of all the latest and newest inventions in the toy world. The new outstanding features are the
WALKING AND TALKING DOLLS
We have two remarkable values to show you at
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The best high grade lines, all sold to you at money saving prices. See our line first. Prices at
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The largest, finest stock for you to choose from, all priced so as to save you money.
$4.00 Glove Silk de Luxe Hose 2.95
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GALVANIC LAUNDRY SOAP SALE
A fresh shipment just arrived; the big 9 oz. bars, manufactured by the Palm Olive people.
25 BARS The Famous Laundry Soap $1
PALM OLIVE
The fastest selling toilet soap on the market. Get your holiday needs now. We won't say how long our stock will last at this price.
15 BARS Palm Olive Toilet Soap $1

Gifts for All

Reed Cabs
—for the dolly. They have real woven bodies and hoods, rubber tired wheels and good springs. An excellent Christmas present $3.95

Self-Filling Fountain Pen
Here's an ideal gift for man or woman. Just think—an excellent writing fountain pen, hard iridium point. It is lever style, self-filler. Each 98c

Cup and Saucer Sets
These are hand painted with floral medallion and conventional border designs. Complete set $2.25

Collapsible Doll Beds
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French Briar Pipes
The smoker always welcomes a new pipe for Christmas. We have a fine assortment. Each packed in holly box 50c

Imported China Plates
These plates are handsomely decorated with floral designs and ornamental borders. Buy several of these for Christmas giving. Each 50c

Toy Irons
—for the little miss. The kind with detachable hood and handle. Your little girl will enjoy one of these irons. Each 25c

Shaving Outfits
These outfits have a stand with swing mirror, brush and brush holder. They make fine gifts for the men folks. Complete $1.98

Crystal Goblets
These goblets are of new design and have proven very popular. Made of fine blown crystal and drawn stem. A set of 6 in holly box $2.50

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A HANDSOME NEW STOCK
Special wide hair bow ribbons at, per yard 18c and 35c
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City News

Palmer Lund of Gatzke was in the city Friday on business.

H. Hanson of Holt was a business visitor here on Monday.

Phone 102, the Flower Shop, for potatoes.—Advertisement. d-15

Wm. Henderson of Plummer was in the city Saturday on business.

Miss Mamie Ptacek spent Friday visiting at her home near Mavie.

Read the Greenhouse ad. for Holiday Flowers.—Advertisement. d15

Mrs. O. Fellman of St. Hilaire shopped between trains here on Tuesday.

Mrs. G. Simonson of Holt was a shopper here the latter part of last week.

H. M. Olson of Holt attended to matters of business here on Saturday.

J. J. Hoglin of Alvarado spent Saturday in the city on matters of business.

Dr. Lusian of Red Lake Falls was in the city Tuesday calling on friends.

Mrs. H. L. Findeisen of Red Lake Falls shopped here between trains yesterday.

Martin Widsten, editor of the Warroad Pioneer, was a visitor here on Saturday.

G. L. Biddick returned Saturday from a three days business trip to Warroad.

Mrs. Nina Johnson of St. Hilaire shopped here between trains last Thursday.

Miss Elizabeth Hanson, Marshall county nurse, was a visitor in the city on Friday.

W. Nelson returned to his home at Grygla yesterday after a short visit in this city.

Rev. Dale of McIntosh arrived Monday evening for a brief visit with friends.

Perry Johnson left Tuesday afternoon for Red Lake Falls on matters of business.

Mrs. E. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire was in the city Tuesday receiving dental treatment.

E. J. Evans of Middle River arrived Friday afternoon to spend a few days on business.

Regular $2.00 and $2.50 Cyclamen, Saturday only, 75c and $1.25. Flower Shop.—Advertisement. d-15

Joe Baugh of Warren spent Wednesday in the city as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson.

Miss Ingeborg Dale of McIntosh is spending the week at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse.

David Johnson of Warren, Marshall county superintendent of schools, was a visitor here last evening.

Miss Myrtle Gigstad of St. Hilaire was a visitor in the city Saturday receiving dental treatment.

Baker Olson came down from Grygla Monday to spend a few days attending to business affairs.

Peter Stein of Henning was a visitor in the city on Friday, returning to his home the following day.

Dr. J. M. Holzer of St. Paul arrived the first of the week to conduct tuberculin tests in this vicinity.

A. P. Nyman of Randeen spent a few days the latter part of last week here attending to business matters.

Henry Parson came up from Erskine Friday evening to spend a few days attending to business matters.

Special, Saturday, $2.00 and $2.50 Boston ferns only 75c and $1.25. Flower Shop.—Advertisement. d-5

Ed. Krohn of Viking was in the city Tuesday evening visiting his daughters, Misses Myrtle and Violet.

F Christianson returned to his home at Plummer the first of the week after a brief visit with friends here.

Mrs. John Skomedal returned to her home at Steiner on Friday morning after spending a short time here attending to shopping.

Mrs. Prunella Williams of Rollis visited friends here between trains on Thursday enroute to Crookston to attend to business matters.

L. A. Larson and Oscar Olson left yesterday morning for the Red Lake Agency to call on Karl Korstad, who is conducting a store there.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Lundholm and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Erickson of Red Lake Falls motored over on Sunday to spend the day with friends.

Derby Anderson returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis and Fargo, where he had spent several days attending to business matters.

Mrs. G. Howard Smith and daughter, Georgia May, are visiting the former's parents at St. Paul. They will remain over the holidays.

Notice. Tuesday, Dec. 20, we will have our Christmas plants on display. Buy early, at the Flower Shop.—Advertisement. d-15

"Say it with Flowers" for Christmas.—Advertisement. d-15

Mrs. G. A. Hvall left Monday afternoon ofr Crookston on an over night visit with friends.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson, 331 Tindolph Avenue North on Wednesday, Dec. 7th.

C. E. Noel leaves this evening for Polson, Mont., where he was called on account of the illness of his father. He expects to be gone for several weeks.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich returned this morning from Minneapolis, where she attended the Fifth district conference of the League of Women Voters.

Mrs. H. L. Sande and baby daughter came down from Steiner yesterday afternoon for a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer shopped here last evening.

Miss Gladys Swenson of Rosewood was in the city yesterday, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. S. Brandon.

Don't blame anybody but yourself if your nights are made miserable by indigestion. You failed to take Tanlac. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d-15

R. R. Collard, superintendent of the Bitulithic & Contracting, Ltd., came down from Winnepeg the first of the week to spend a few days on business.

S. Sapero of Chisholm arrived Friday morning for a visit with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero. He returned to his home Sunday night.

Mrs. ~~Erick~~ Olson left Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire to spend a few days visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ordean Olson.

Sale to make room for our Christmas plants: Cyclamen and Boston Ferns, regular price $2.00 and $2.50, Saturday only, 75c and $1.25. Flower Shop.—Advertisement. d-15

Mrs. I. L. Cohn and daughter, Betty will leave Saturday night for St. Paul to visit relatives over the Christmas holidays. Mr. Cohn will join them on Christmas eve.

The demand for Tanlac has broken all worlds records. Over Twenty Million bottles have been sold since it was placed on the market six year ago. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d15

Deputy County Auditor Aexl Risberg left yesterday morning for Roseau in response to a telephone message announcing that his mother, Mrs. N. G. Risberg, was seriously ill at that place.

Mrs. Josephine Sizer of Minneapolis, state president of the W. C. T. U., who lectured here on Sunday evening at the auditorium, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Stewart and children who have resided here for a number of years will leave this week for Detroit where they will make their home. Mr. Stewart is relief agent for the Soo.

Mrs. Wm Comstock and infant daughter and her mother, Mrs. Warner, who has been with her for a few weeks, left yesterday for the latter's home at Rollis, where Mrs. Comstock will remain for an indefinite visit.

Rev. A. T. Tolleva of Warren arrived last evening to attend the regional conference of child welfare boards being held here today. Rev. Tolleva will speak at the evening session.

Mrs. Geo. M. Stebbins of Roseau arrived yesterday to attend the regional conference of county child welfare boards held here today. While in the city she is a guest at the homes of Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. Ed. Hilson.

Mrs. Victor Lundholm of Red Lake Falls arrived yesterday morning for a brief visit with Miss Lavida Hilson. Mrs. Lundholm will be remembered by many as Miss Esther Aldrin, who at one time attended the local high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris and daughter who had spent a month visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Larson returned to their home at Ashland, Wisconsin Monday afternoon. Mr. Morris and Mrs. Larson are brother and sister.

Norbert Holzknecht, Roy Barzen and Carl Sundahl left Friday afternoon for Crookston to attend the "Fi-Fi of the Toy Shop" production given that evening. Mr. Sundahl took the part of the Sandman due to the illness of the regular character.

Miss Irma Johnson returned Saturday morning from Goodridge, having gone there the day previous to attend the home talent production put on by the American Legion. While there she was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

Supt. B. O. Norby of Goodridge motored to this city on Friday evening and on his return home was accompanied by C. L. Hansen, Miss Ida Tandberg and George Werstlein, the two latter remaining over night as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg. While there they attended the home talent play, "Goodfellow."

A party of local people attended the home talent play given by the American Legion at Goodridge last Friday evening. Among theme were Mr and Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Arneson, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Carl B. Larson, Miss Esther Smith, Miss Aldora Berg, Miss Olga Murat and Miss Belva Foxen.

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If you doubt the value of studying at a good commercial school, read what happened when the Dairy Husbandry Dept. of North Dakota Agricultural College needed a stenographic secretary. Ten women wanted the job. Louise Whitson, trained for such work at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., got it. This is the 26th time this institution has picked a D. B. C. pupil.

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The Christmas Seal is the accepted emblem of health, education and advancement. Each seal is sold for one cent. The proceeds of the sale are the means of bringing to the public and to the individual, health education in its various forms. The activities financed by the annual Seal Sale are such as aim to show the needs of individual and public health, to demonstrate how a better public health may be attained.

To these ends, in Minnesota, the seal sale returns have brought to the people of the state messages of health through exhibits, surveys, lectures, the distribution of health literature, the performances before the children of health clowns, and the displaying of moving pictures on health subjects. The seals have also made possible the publication of the Health Journal, which has kept informed the health workers and others on the progress of the health work in the state and county.

To over two hundred thousand children the seals have brought the "hows" of health through the Minnesota Health Crusade, by inculcating in them the habits of health. To the people of Minnesota, for their purchase of the seals, has been given the opportunity for early diagnosis of disease through the health clinics of five different types—baby clinics, nutritional clinics, tuberculosis clinics, eye and ear clinics, and dental clinics. These have been conducted in all parts of Minnesota from the highly organized cities to the remotest hamlet in the state. Six hundred and sixty-eight clinics have been held, with over forty-six thousand examinations. For these activities, and others, the Christmas Seals are sold.

County Agent J. J. McCann is in charge of the seal sales campaign in Pennington county. This neighbor-cord in the sale of these seals and it is hoped that this will be maintained.

What Other Editors Think

THE USUAL REWARD.

Winnebago City Enterprise: It is now nineteen years since the present editor of this paper took possession of the office shears, changed the office towel and began paying the office expenses.

At that time, we were rather a callow kid, with a great and burning ambition to set the world on fire. Now, if we can keep the home fires burning, we are satisfied.

Things looked differently nineteen years ago. The high cost of living had not yet put in its appearance, and room and board at a good hotel could be procured for five dollars a week. If we had thought that the price of board would ever have advanced, we would never have gone into the country newspaper business.

We have had a lot of fun out of the game—and also a lot of grief. We have made a few enemies and a few friends. We have tried to further the best interests of the community, and to publish as good as paper as we are capable of. We haven't grown rich at the business, and still we are several laps ahead of the poorhouse. We have only one wish for the future—and that is that we won't have to put in nineteen more years at the treadmill.

POLITICIANS WILL BE BUSY.

Morris Tribune: Next year will be a year of political marathons, both for office seekers and for voters. The warming up will begin shortly and as soon as the holidays are passed the race will be on in earnest. Candidates for state office this year will submit their claims to a preprimary convention, which will be held some time in the spring. Delegates to the county conventions will be elected on town meeting days, and of course these delegates will determine the attitude of the county conventions which send delegates to state and district conventions, so of course candidates will give due attention to the selection of such delegates. Then will come the primaries in June, where the candidates selected at conventions will have an advantage but where popular approval will still be necessary before the candidates become recognized as party nominees. Then through the summer and fall will run the campaign for final election in November. In order to be a candidate for public office, a man should have plenty of time, plenty of money, and a well-sustained ambition for political preferment.

CHILDREN MORE IMPORTANT.

Redwood Falls Gazette: We hope the farmer who is arranging ways and means whereby his hogs are having one or two meals of warm food each day during the winter months, is taking the same thought of his children and seeing that school lunches contain at least one warm dish each day. We wonder how some of the different fathers and mothers would enjoy eating a lunch of bread, meat and doughnuts, with possibly an apple for dessert, after it had been carried in a tin pail for a mile or two in below-freezing weather. Common humanity demands that the school lunch be made palatable, nutritious and to consist of real food. Real food, in cold weather, means warm food.

MORE BUILDINGS NEEDED.

Wells Mirror: The best and surest remedy for the present unemployment and stagnation of business lies in the revival of building, says a man well versed in the matter.

There seems to be little doubt by the man in the inner circle of the building material business, that building material has reached the lowest price that can be expected, and some items have already started to advance in price. There is little prospect of cheaper building in the future and the people that build now will be the fortunate ones.

With labor plentiful and material reasonable in price, this fall and winter are the logical times for building operations. The shortage of homes and other buildings can furnish ample work to keep every man employed for a long time to come, and will be an incentive for thrift that America is sorely in need of. A little building boom would be a great thing for this community.

LET'S HOPE IT'S COMING.

Ivanhoe Times: Prosperity seems a long time in returning. But don't let a little thing like that jar you. The longer the delay the more you will appreciate it when it does arrive.

In the meantime none of us are suffering very much. In fact, we are very well off, considering the chaotic condition of the rest of the world.

Just keep a grip on your optimism and don't let your energy lag behind. No quitter has ever yet succeeded in getting rich.

SETTING POOR EXAMPLE.

Wabasha Herald: Right down in Washington where the eighteenth amendment originated, and where the men are located who put it across, we hear that there is more booze, and drinking, and bootlegging than in any other like section of the United States. If charity should begin at home, then we should think that prohibition enforcement should likewise start in the nation's capital, that the remainder of the country might be benefitted by the example.

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Dec. 20 is Red Letter Day.

The Junior Class play, "Ruth in a Rush," which is to be given at the [illegible]itorium next Tuesday evening, is [illegible]apidly and it is assured [illegible]g will be worked out [illegible]. The members of the [illegible]ception, are suited to [illegible] have been practicing [illegible] "Ruth in a Rush" is not es[illegible] a comedy, there is much [illegible]mor and the play as a whole is very flexible to likes and dislikes.

The expense of producing such an extraordinary play is light and if the student body will lend its support, it can be assured that at least a reasonable profit can be made. The profits are to be used to defray the expenses of the Junior-Senior banquet, so it is imperative that the Juniors and Seniors lend their support, and when they sit down at the Junior-Senior banquet they will sit down to a swell feed.

Remember the place—auditorium. Remember the date — Tuesday (next) December 20.—S. A. '23.

Mrs. Rapacz is Enjoyed.

Owing to the unavoidable absence of the speaker who had been arranged for, Mrs. Rapacz was prevailed upon to supply the entertainment at the regular chapel period Wednesday. She gave a reading entitled, "Maggie and the Twins," which was so well received that she responded with a second short selection. From the start the pupils were kept in an uproar of merriment as Mrs. Rapacz gave "Maggie's" account of the "twins," her trials and tribulations in caring for them, and the final loss of her job on their account.

The least that can be said of Wednesday's chapel is that everyone thoroughly enjoyed it. The high school student body looks forward with pleasure to hearing her again.

Latin Clubs Have Party.

[illegible] Christmas party of the Boys' [illegible] Latin club was held in the [illegible]nasium of the high school on the evening of December 10. The chief features of the evening were the humorous contests which were staged to the intense amusement of the onlookers, and, later, the distribution by "Santa Claus" of "joke" gifts to everyone present. At ten o'clock a delicious lunch, which had been prepared by the girls of the clubs, was served. An abundance of good music was furnished by those of the pupils who are skilled in the art. When the evening was spent, each one went home with a satisfied feeling that the time had been well spent, and with an unspoken wish that there may be "more Latin club parties and lots of 'em."—M. J.

Candy Sale.

The dramatic club gave a candy sale on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The candy was disposed of in ten minutes, this being sufficient proof that the candy was of the best.

The proceeds amounted to $4.30. This was remitted to the treasury to pay for the pictures that were taken of the class.—V. K. '22.

Debate at Roseau Friday.

Will Lloyd and Ole and Albert bring home Roseau's scalp? Now all together, "Yea, Bo!" Well, maybe they won't, but they are going to put up a mighty good fight for it. [illegible]ave you noticed how thin and pale [illegible] look lately? That's because [illegible] have been burning the midnight [illegible] regularly for a month, preparing and delivering their weighty arguments. And how serious they are becoming! That is due to their heavy responsibilities. They must not only "tell the world," but they must prove to the world the terrible evils which [illegible] result from federal control of [illegible]. Just think what a disas[illegible] inspired youths may avert [illegible]eir fervid pleas! You'd look serious, too! Winning? Oh, that's a secondary matter. Of course they will win—that is, unless there is some little mistake in that matter of judging. Those things do happen, don't you know. But the question is—if they come back flushed with victory Are you all going to be at the station with the town band? And if they come back depressed with defeat are you going to bravely choke back the tears and greet them with a smile? Are you all behind them? Now, all together, "Yea, Bo!!"

Agnes Remmem.

The high school and especially the Freshmen Class were saddened last week when they heard of the death of Agnes Remmem.

Agnes had been a member of the present Freshmen Class from the first grade. She was a very conscientious and persevering student who always secured results; consequently she was numbered among our best students. To show their love and respect, the Freshmen Class attended her funeral in a body.

Mr. Coffin Addresses High School.

Mr. Coffin of the State Y. M. C. A. addressed the high school pupils on Tuesday morning, choosing as his topic, "Dying on Third." He showed that in the game of life, most of us at least reach "first," some reach "second," and some reach "third," but how few are those who finally "score." He illustrated his talk with many jokes and stories, which served to bring out his points more clearly. "Someone has stated," said Mr. Coffin, "that the only difference between a beggar and a rich man is the way in which each uses his time. It is our leisure moments," he continued, "that make or break us." As he showed, some people use their spare moments in preparing for the future, and so, by doing just a little more than others, attain positions of leadership. He closed his talk with the admonition, "Don't die on third."

Made First Appearance.

The High School Girls' Glee club of 1921 made its first successful appearance last Monday evening at the Parent-Teacher meeting. Two songs rendered by the club were "To a Wild Rose" and "Amaryllis." Both songs were sung with great ability due to Miss Johnson's careful teaching.—A. L. '23.

Stop! Look and Listen!

Attention, public! The number of accidents which happen daily upon our city streets is becoming more and more alarming. Are these accidents due entirely to the carelessness of motorists? No, they are due in a great part to the carelessness of road legislation and also to carelessness in providing playgrounds and parks.

Our highways must be better constructed so as to reduce accidents to a minimum. Especially is this true in regard to country roads. Corners are too sharp and sloping roads are often too precipitous.

Because of poor construction, washouts are imminent after heavy rains. These can be prevented by better construction. But in case of poor construction, for the sake of the much abused insurance company, repair those washouts in a hurry!

In the cities accidents of such a nature happen less often. But think of the number of children who are yearly killed, crippled, or maimed for life because of some street accident! Whose fault is it? Yours, my dear public. As long as children are children they must have some place to play, and they will certainly play upon the streets where their lives are at any moment in danger unless safe playgrounds and parks are provided. An ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure.—Altha Gabrielson. 8B

A Bigger and Better Thief River Falls.

We can justly be proud of the improvements our city is making. As a direct result of paving our streets will come a desire to keep them clean, not only because it will make your city look more beautiful but it will also make the pavement last longer and keep the streets safe for all kinds of traffic.

Another point that comes under the street cleaning activities of this city and needs a great deal of attention is the cleaning of the alleys in the outlying districts of our city. Alleys never receive the attention they should. Although property owners are required by health ordinances to keep their alleys in a clean and sanitary condition, there is room for a great deal of improvement. Proper police co-operation and the power of the street commissioner to act as a sanitary inspector would tend to improve these conditions. In the down town districts of this city alley cleaning is taken care of by men hired by the city. These men do work similar to that of the white wings of New York. Some of the alleys are well kept, others are in a fairly clean condition, but many are far from what they should be. Often large piles of litter and paper are deposited in the alleys. This makes them very unsightly. Such conditions could easily be bettered by making it some particular officer's business to look after and be responsible for it.

For a city of our size, we have good streets and avenues, and two beautiful parks. Our parks are visited every day during season by hundreds of people from all neighboring cities. Why not build a children's playground, especially equipped with suitable apparatus? Give a child a game to play and he is safe, safe from the temptations that surround youth, safe from evil companions and safe from himself. For it is on the playgrounds, lost in the joyous spirit of play, that the real life of the child is lived. It is there that he learns to subordinate himself to rules, to be loyal to others, to play fair, to win honest victories, to strive; to accomplish that which he sets before him to do. This is true training, training that, by making the child morally and socially safe, will mould him into a fun-loving, forward-looking, self-directing citizen. More than any other single factor, play can make the future safe.

Now is the time to start planning a sufficient number of playgrounds to make the summer months really a benefit to every child in our city. Playing in the house or in dirty streets is not conducive to the kind of health that means the higher type of man or woman in future years. Robust, healthy children are much better fitted to assimilate the education your city offers, than children who are anemic and weak through the lack of essential exercises. Play grounds have long since passed the period of probation. They have proved themselves a success. One or two of the blocks up town that are being used for nothing else might well be set aside permanently for playgrounds.

Now that there are so many other improvements to be paid for in the city the park question is in danger of being set aside until these others are paid for. However, if a suitable location would be donated for a children's playground, many plans would soon present themselves for raising the money to equip it. The people should be informed by letters, circulars, newspaper advertisements, motion pictures, stories and lectures as to what the new project was. After this teams in charge of captains could canvass the whole city and get subscriptions for the park and playground.

If the parks are improved they should have a supervisor, first, to see to it that the park is kept in perfect condition; second, to look out for the welfare of those who patronize it, the children in particular; and third, to visit the homes and give lectures which would arouse an interest among the parents to desire and enjoy the right kind of play in the proper place.

Let it be said of our city that it is never fully satisfied with its present conditions but is always promoting some worthy object that will add to the beauty, usefulness and safety of it and the surrounding country.—Mary Alexander, 8B

Milk, An Important Food Problem.

Milk is unquestionably one of the most important of human foods. It contains practically all the elements which man requires for his sustenance and constitutes his sole dependence throughout the first year of life. In later years milk and its products make up a large proportion of our diet and goes far toward furnishing the total energy expended in accomplishing man's daily tasks.

Yet in spite of these facts, milk is, at least potentially, one of the most dangerous foods which we consume. Instead of producing strength and nourishment, it may engender weakness and death and it is capable of transforming health and vigor into frailty and decay.

The basic ingredient of milk is water, the remaining components either being dissolved or held in suspension by this substance. Ordinary milk contains approximately 87 per cent of water and 13 per cent of solids.

From the food standpoint fat is the most valuable constituent of milk. The amount of fat varies considerably. Many cows produce a milk which contains as high as five per cent of fat, while with others it is lower. The legal standard of the different states varies from three to three and five-tenths per cent.

In addition to proteins and lactose, milk contains certain ferments which are supposed to assist in its digestion. These ferments are killed by temperatures approaching the boiling point, and this has led a number of scientists to believe that boiled milk is less nutritious than raw milk. Various salts of lime, soda, and potash are also present in milk.

Milk readily absorbs odors, and the flavor may be modified by various articles with which it comes in contact. Cattle which have been fed on fermented foods, ensilage which is too green, moldy grain, and distillery waste almost invariably secrete milk of a distinctive odor.

All milk contains bacteria in greater or less degree. Most of the bacteria are altogether harmless, while a few are exceptionally dangerous. The lactic acid bacilli are not dangerous but the disease-producing variety are very dangerous.

Outbreaks of diseases produced by milk usually present certain distinguishing characteristics which serve to determine their source. Diseases brought about by milk are typhoid fever, malta fever, scarlet fever, tuberculosis, diphtheria, septic sore throat, foot-and-mouth disease, and diarhhoea and enteritis

An important consideration in the production of milk is to avoid the entrance of dirt and bacteria. Any intelligent farmer can in a short time be taught how to produce a clean, sanitary milk. The principles involved require that certain rules of cleanliness be enforced. The following are the essentials: healthy stock, a careful milker, only covered or hooded milking pails should be used, sterile containers only should be used, and the milk should be properly refrigerated.

The care of milk in the home is not the least important of the measures for disease prevention. The container should be removed to the refrigerator as soon after it is received as possible. The milk should be retained in the bottle or kept constantly covered. Upon the occurence of any contagious disease in the house, the milk bottles should be returned to the dealer only with the knowledge and consent of the board of health.

In order that the measures previously outlined may be enforced, the majority of progressive communities have established what is known as dairy inspection, a procedure usually carried out by the health department. The sole object of dairy inspection is to make milk safe and thus to insure community protection against disease.

The purpose of pasteurization is to kill the harmful bacteria which milk contains. Milk which has been adequately pasteurized is therefore to be regarded as the safest milk which one can consume. The single remaining safeguard against the transmission of disease by milk to be considered is boiling.

In cities and larger towns no fundamental difficulties are now met with in furnishing bacteriologically clean milk. But the advances made in recent years in this field have not been extended to small towns.

There are two well-known methods of obtaining a safe milk supply: (1) sanitary control of the production and distribution of the milk, and (2) pasteurization.

Milk is the most important of human foods and care should be taken that the milk is clean and sanitary.—Elsie Vorseth, 8B.

Our Best Nourishment.

Milk is the best food we have. It has no substitute. Everybody needs it and should have at least one pint a day, and growing children need one quart. Although it looks like a simple fluid it is very complex. One can get the same nourishment from one quart of milk as from a mixed diet of meat, eggs, sugar, cereals, oils and fats, with salt and water.

Milk is good fuel because it contains fat and sugar for the body. The body needs fuel to keep it warm and make it work, move and play. It is a perfect food for father, mother and children, because it is an energy food and supplies essential elements which make bone, brawn and blood, in one word, muscles. Milk also contains a great deal of lime which children need especially for their teeth and bones.

Many people drink milk to quench their thirst. This is wrong because milk is not a beverage to quench thirst. It is a food that should be eaten and not swallowed quickly. Small sips should be taken and rolled about the mouth in enjoyment. This will prevent hard and indigestible curds forming in the stomach.

Babies should have breast milk because cow milk, even though it is good, is not the best milk for infants.

Cow's milk is often exposed to dust, flies and dirt, and frequently it is not used till three or four days old. A breast-fed baby does not need to fear stale and partly decomposed milk, containing dirt and germs.

The breast-fed baby is God's plan while the bottle-fed baby is the plan that was not intended for babies but for foster children.

Give the children plenty of milk and it will help them to grow up strong and well. Save on other things if you must, but do not save on milk.

Cows are many times sickly. There are a great many diseases that a cow may have that people may also have. Typhoid fever, malta fever, scarlet fever, tuberculosis, diphtheria, septic sore throat, enteritis, and foot-and-mouth disease are examples.

The most dangerous of these are fevers, tuberculosis and diptheria. Typhoid fever is one of the most fatal diseases conveyed by milk. It is due to a specific germ, the bacilli, which gains entrance to the system through the mouth. They grow so quickly, that within a few hours there is a great supply which distributes the infection far and wide. Every case of typhoid fever arises from a pre-existing case, and milk only serves as one of the means of transference of the bacilli germ from infected cows to those who are well.

Milk harbors bacteria of many varieties and favors their growth and development. If these organisms are of the disease-producing kind, serious and contagious epidemics may result.

Inspection of dairies is a proper and necessary measure, and for this to be recommended.

—Ruby Aaseby, 8B

Central School Notes.

The pupils in each of the rooms are trying hard to have an attendance of 98 per cent for six weeks.

Edward Kiland has been absent this week on account of sickness.

The pupils of the central school have become members of the Junior Red Cross. The amount collected was $4.45.

The eighth "B" arithmetic classes are working in "Bank Discount."

Agnes Thompson has entered the eighth grade.

Two hundred twelve bottles of milk were sold to the pupils at Central School last week.

This has been visiting week in our schools. Though the number of patrons who have answered the special invitation to become acquainted with the teachers and the work of the students has not been as large as we expected, yet we do feel encouraged that more parents will show their interest in the future. The following have visited classes at the Central School this week: Mr. Iver Aaseby, Mrs. W. H. Wikel, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Vorseth, Rev. Sweger, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Leach, Mrs. Shirley, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Vevea and friend, Mrs. Craik and Mrs. Iver Aaseby.

Knox School Notes.

The sixth grade visitors this week were, Mrs. Zellner and Mrs. Gibson.

A bank has been established and the sixth graders are deep in the mysteries of banking.

Great enthusiasm is shown on the part of the pupils at Knox school in the sale of Christmas stamps.

Our Christmas barrel for the needy has been filled a second time

The third grade is glad to welcome back Dorothy Tyrer who has been absent on account of illness.

Bernice Berg has been ill with appendicitis.

The second grade boys and girls have been very successful in seling Red Cross Stamps.

Quite a number of mothers visited the various grades this week. We are always glad to have the parents come to school and observe our regular class work.

About five hundred Red Cross Seals have been sold by Miss Lindquist's boys and girls.

The first grade had perfect attendanc on Wednesday.

Two hundred forty-seven bottles of milk were consumed this week by the pupils who attend the afternoon sessions.

Northrop Notes.

Walace Stromberg returned to school Monday after being absent several days on account of sickness.

Carl Hagen returned to school this week after an absence of several weeks.

A number of people visited the fifth grade this week.

The best marching this week in upper grades resulted in a tie between Miss Berg's and Miss Ryan's room. Each room will have the banner half of the week.

The school pennant was given to the second grade this week.

Marcella McGinn is absent on account of sickness.

About one hundred parents visited the Northrop schools during "Educational Week."

David Stram entered the sixth grade in Miss Berg's room November 29th.

"Lost and found"—Mittens seem to be one of the features of last week in the Northrop.

Ember and Violet Prugh have returned to school after being absent at home with the chicken pox.

The following parents visited Miss Nordvi's grade during the week: Mrs. Battenfield, Mrs. Haynes, Mr. Harris, Mrs. Hermanson and Mrs. Lundberg.

Washington Notes.

Alice and Lawrence Omundson who have been ill, are back to school.

The Washington teachers and Messrs. Holzknecht and Sortland enjoyed a very good lunch after school Friday.

Ernest Dugge returned to the second grade after six weeks illness.

Mesdames Weeks, Sponheim, Snyder, Richards, Krause, Lieberman, Ihle, Stene, Myron, Brokke, Hauber, Leach, Gray, Adsero, Randall, Johnson, Waldorf, Roland, Dale, Sinley, Leavitt, Nicholson and Beard visited the Washington school during Education week.

From December fifth to ninth the Washington children sold Christmas seals for twenty-eight dollars and eighty cents.

Nine dollars and twenty-five cents worth of milk was bought by the pupils for the week of December fifth. Ninty-nine bottles were sold to the sixth grade pupils alone.

The teachers of the Washington and the Central buildings were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sinley last Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in sewing, after which a dainty lunch was served.

Exchanges.

We are nearer neighbors to ourselves than whiteness to snow or weight to stones.—Montaigne.

One reason we don't learn anything is because we don't take time to learn anything.—Messenger.

The students in Two Harbors high school are competing in the Bookman's contest on "The Books I Need to Read."

Fergus Falls high school is one of those which have taken up actively the suggestion of the Minnesota Bankers' Association that elementary instruction in the functions of banking instutions ought to be given in the schools.

Get Compliments on Health Stories.

E. J. Henryson of the Minnesota Health Journal, has written a letter complimenting the boys and girls of the seventh and eighth grades on the excellence of the stories on health written by them in a recent statewide contest. Mr. Henryson calls attention to the progress made in health conservation during the past few years and says he hopes the children of today will continue the good work. His letter follows:

"To the Boys and Girls of the Seventh and Eighth Grades: Your splendid stories on health were forwarded to me by your school nurse. It did the editor's old heart good to see how many had grasped clearly the general principles of personal hygiene and public health. Had the generations of yesterday, and those before, your advantages of knowing and learning of disease, and its prevention, there is no doubt that we of today would have a more healthy race.

"Already the education of the public on matters of disease has begun to bear fruit. Only a few years ago—let us take the year 1912—out of every one hundred thousand people in Minnesota, one hundred and eight died of tuberculosis; in 1920, the last figures show us that out of every one hundred thousand people, only ninety people died of tuberculosis. This is a great gain for so short a period, but the number of deaths is yet far too high. By continuing to learn how to live healthy lives we can reduce, not only the death rate of tuberculosis, but the death rate of all preventable diseases. The health of the state depends upon you future citizens. We are counting on you."

Take Tanlac and eat three square meals a day. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d-15

Prospects.

Were I a young man,
Pursuing a plan
To get me a wife
To live with me through life.
I'd make it a rule
In Thief River high school
'Mongst the maidens so fine
To cast out my line.

About my first task
Would be the teachers to ask
If the girl in her work
Was accustomed to shirk.
And then I'd inquire
If she did aspire
To have her report
Show "A" in deport.

And then I would look
Through her desk and her book
To discover if she
A neat housekeeper 'd be.
And then a swift glance
To see if by chance
Around on the floor
There was paper galore.

If this I should find—
There are girls of that kind—
I'd think of my home
And leave her alone.
For I'd hate like the dickens
To limit my "pickin's"
To girls that are slouchy!
Give me rather the grouchy!

And were I a girl
With a dimple and curl;
With talents and beauty
Ever mindful of duty,
In a similar way
The boys I'd array
And make my selection
After careful inspection.

In the very first place
In this marital race
I'd want to discover
Who's kind to his mother.
Then, next on the list,
I'd surely insist
He must be ambitious—
If he'd call ME his "missus."

Then, he must be clean
In mind, speech, and mien.
He, too, must be happy,
Industrious and "snappy,"
Respectful, dependable,
A student commendable
And of genuine "stuff"
Wihtout any bluff. —"Ex."

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Rub Vicks over throat and chest until the skin becomes red—then spread on thickly and cover the parts with a hot flannel cloth.

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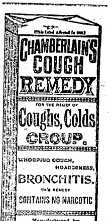

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$15.50 Cotton Felt Mattress, only	$13.50
$12.50 Cotton Felt Mattress, only	$10.00
$10.00 Cotton Felt Mattress, only	$7.50
$10.00 Leather Seat Dining Chairs	$4.75
$28.50 45 in. Oak Dining Table	$19.50
Two good self-feeder Stoves	$10.50 and $15.00
$19.00 9x12 Gold Seal Congoleum Rugs	$14.50
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EXPERT CALLS POULTRY SHOW BEST IN STATE

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greatest distance, the second prize in this division going to Mrs. Rachael Alexander of Lancaster. Special prizes were won as follows, the first name being that of the donor and the one following that of the winner: E. L. Rolland—C. D. Gustafson; L. L. Cohn—Lawrence Kirsch; Chas. Lieberman—B. N. Thorstad; Black Sweet Shop—Olaf Neset; Simonson Grocery—Clifford Thor; Baken & Crown—Mrs. Welo & Son; Carl Froseth—R. J. Longaid; A. M. Langseth—James Newland; Lambert's Drug Store—C. M. Buoen; Thief River Café—B. N. Thorstad; Laird's Specialty Shop—Mrs. R. Alexander; Jung Brothers—Fred G. Dols; Hall Brothers—Ed. Hance; Lawrence Mortgage Co.,—L. A. Westphal; Thief River Greenhouse—C. D. Gustafson; Bredeson & Co.,—Mrs. R. Alexander; Mulry's Bazaar—Mrs. H. C. Woolson; Hermanson's Hardware—F. B. Conklin; Christenson & Voelz Hardware—L. A. Westphal; Berry Studio—F. B. Conklin.

Cash Premium Winners.

Best display of Plymouth Rocks—C. D. Gustafson, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Wyandottes—L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire.

Best display of Rhode Island Reds—Olaf Neset, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Leghorns—Sunnyside Poultry Yards, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Orpingtons—C. M. Buoen, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Anconas—Ed. Hance, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Geese—F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls.

Best display of Turkeys—F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls.

Best display in the show—Olaf Neset, Thief River Falls.

Second best display in the show—L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire.

Largest display in the show—F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls.

Farmers' Class.

Anton Jenzen won the $10 S. C. W. Leghorn cockerel offered by the Sunnyside Poultry Yards for the largest display in the farmers' class.

Wm. Yonke of St. Hilaire won the poultry drinking fountain offered by Gustafson & Son for the highest scoring Barred Rock cockerel in the farmers' class.

A. G. Johnson of Thief River Falls won the $10 Barred Rock cockerel offered by C. D. Gustafson for the largest display in the farmers' class.

Sweepstakes Specials.

Ten highest scoring birds in the show, all of one variety, Sunnyside Poultry Yards, Thief River Falls.

Highest scoring bird in the show, Olaf Neset, Thief River Falls.

Individual Awards.

Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds:
Clifford Thor, Gully—1st cock, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th hen, 1st cockerel, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet; 2nd young pen; 1st old pen.
Barred Plymouth Rocks:
C. D. Gustafson, Thief River Falls—1st cock; 1st and 2nd cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet; 1st and 2nd young pen.
Ed. Rattenfeld, Thief River Falls—2nd [illegible] 2nd and 4th hen; 1st old pen.
Mrs. H. C. Woolson, Thief River Falls—2nd hen; 3rd cockerel; 2nd old pen; 3rd young pen.
F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls—3rd cock.
Fred G. Dols, Rosewood—1st pullet.
A. G. Johnson, Thief River Falls (farmers' class)—4th cockerel; 3rd and 4th pullet.
Wm. Yonke, St. Hilaire (farmers' class)—3rd cockerel; 2nd pullet.
Mrs. Rachel Alexander, Lancaster—4th cockerel; 4th young pen.
Partridge Wyandottes:
Mrs. Rachel Alexander, Lancaster—1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th hen; 2nd old pen.
Buff Orpingtons:
C. M. Buoen, Thief River Falls—1st, 2nd and 3rd cock; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th hen; 4th pullet; 1st old pen.
Mrs. Rachel Alexander, Lancaster—1st cockerel; 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullet; 1st young pen.
L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire—3rd cockerel.
White Wyandottes:
L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire—1st cock; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th hen; 4th cockerel; 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullet; 2nd young pen; 1st old pen.
A. C. Sanders, Gully—2nd cock.
B. N. Thorstad, St. Hilaire—1st, 2nd and 3rd cockerel; 4th pullet; 1st and 3rd young pen.
T. H. Bjerke, Thief River Falls (farmers' class)—1st, 2nd and 3rd cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet; 1st young pen.
White Plymouth Rocks:
Leonard Burgeson, Barnesville—2nd and 4th cock; 3rd hen; 4th pullet.
Lawrence Kirsch, Crookston—1st cock; 2nd and 4th hen; 2nd and 3rd cockerel; 2nd and 3rd pullet.
G. A. Krueger, Plummer—3rd cock; 1st hen; 1st cockerel; 1st pullet.
L. L. Langevin, Thief River Falls—4th cockerel.
S. C. Black Minorcas:
Fred G. Dols, Rosewood—1st cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet.
Leonard Burgeson, Barnesville—2nd, 3rd and 4th cockerel.
S. C. White Leghorns:
Sunnyside Poultry Yards, Thief River Falls—1st cock; 1st, 2nd and 4th hen; 2nd, 3rd and 4th young pen; 1st old pen.
Normann Poultry Yards, Crookston—3rd hen; 2nd cockerel.
R. Longaig, Thief River Falls—1st cockerel; 3rd and 4th pullet; 1st young pen.
H. C. Sather, Crookston—1st and 2nd pullet.
Wm. Yonke, St. Hilaire (farmers' class)—2nd cock; 1st, 2nd and 3rd hen.
Oscar Anderson, St. Hilaire (farmers' class)—1st cock; 1st cockerel; 1st pullet.
A. M. H. Jensen, Thief River Falls (farmers' class)—2nd, 3rd and 4th cockerel; 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet; 3rd young pen.
Columbian Plymouth Rocks:
Normann Poultry Yards, Crookston—1st and 2nd hen; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th cockerel.
Rhode Island Whites:
Lawrence Kirsch, Crookston—1st and 2nd hen.
Silver Laced Wyandottes:
C. Keller, Hazel—2nd hen; 3rd cockerel; 1st pullet.
W. F. Tullar, Warren—3rd cock; 1st, 3rd and 4th hen; 4th cockerel; 2nd and 3rd pullet; 3rd old pen.
S. C. Rhode Island Red:
Olaf Neset, Thief River Falls—2nd and 4th cock; 1st, 2nd and 4th hen; 1st, 3rd and 4th cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet; 1st young pen; 1st old pen.
Nels Newman, St. Hilaire—1st cock; 3rd hen; 2nd cockerel.
Bot Nyborg, Thief River Falls—3rd cock.
S. C. Mottled Anconas:
Ed. Hance, Thief River Falls—2nd cock; 1st, 2nd and 4th pullet; 2nd cockerel; 1st young pen; 2nd old pen.
S. J. Rice, Plummer—1st cock; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th hen; 1st old pen.
Sunnyside Poultry Yards, Thief River Falls—1st cockerel; 3rd pullet.
S. C. Buff Leghorns:
W. E. Howe, Forest River, N. D.—1st and 2nd hen; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th cockerel.
Light Brahmas—A. C. Sanders, Gully—1st cock; 2nd cockerel, 3rd and 4th pullet.
Jesse M. Thorstad, St. Hilaire—4th cock; 3rd and 4th hen; 1st, 3rd and 4th cockerel.
S. C. Black Leghorns:
James Newland, Thief River Falls—1st cock; 1st hen.
S. C. Brown Leghorns:
Mrs. Welo & Sons, St. Hilaire—1st cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet; 2nd young pen.
Bronze Turkeys:
Mrs. Rachel Alexander, Lancaster—2nd cock; 1st and 2nd hen; 2nd cockerel.
Grace Randolph, Donaldson—1st cockerel.
Mrs. C. Schnabel, Thief River Falls—3rd cockerel.
Bourbon Turkeys:
O. A. Holmes, St. Hilaire—2nd cock; 2nd and 3rd hen; 2nd and 3rd pullet; 2nd cockerel.
F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls—1st cock; 1st and 4th hen; 1st, 3rd and 4th cockerel; 1st and 4th pullet.
Toulouse Geese:
John Meyer, Thief River Falls—2nd cock; 4th hen.
F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls—3rd cock; 3rd hen; 2nd cockerel; 3rd pullet.
L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire—1st, 2nd and 3rd hen; 1st and 2nd pullet.
Rouen Ducks:
L. A. Westphal, St. Hilaire—1st cock; 1st hen; 1st cockerel; 1st pullet.
White Chinese Geese:
F. B. Conklin, Thief River Falls—1st and 2nd cock; 1st hen; 1st, 2nd and 3rd cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th pullet.
White Holland Turkeys:
Fred G. Dols, Rosewood—1st cock.

SLIGHT DROP IN TAX VALUATION FOR NEXT YEAR

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and two villages pay fully one-half of the entire tax assessment. Moneys and credits total $999,167, the three subdivisions referred to being assessed as follows: Thief River Falls, $711,704; St. Hilaire, $42,467; Goodridge, $9,154; total, $753,324.

Big Share For Schools.

The schools will get a large share of the total amount levied, the sum necessary for education being twice as great as that for general purposes. Following is the manner in which the money of the taxpayer will be employed:

State tax	$ 25,195.25
County tax	72,328.98
Ditch tax	69,683.18
City and village	85,186.15
Township tax	45,262.64
Schools	188,253.57

Rocksbury in Lead.

There is still considerable acreage unplatted in the city of Thief River Falls and village of St. Hilaire, as is shown in the following table. In the city this property has a taxable valuation of $13,620, an average of $27.97 per acre, while the village has a total tax roll from this source of $21,550, or $20.90 per acre. The total taxable valuation for the city is given as $1,592,074, with a tax of $186,724.24; St. Hilaire's total is $102,685 in taxable property with a tax roll of $11,563.62, while the Goodridge valuation is $79,413 and the tax $10,454.50.

North is the leading township in point of total valuation, although exceeded by Rocksbury in value of real estate. Mayfield is at the bottom of the list with a valuation of $102,225, beating Reiner for the place by about a thousand dollars. Polk Center has the lowest tax in proportion to its valuation and Goodridge township the highest.

The following table gives the taxable valuation for each subdivision in the county, together with the total amount of taxes to be collected in each instance. Moneys and credits are not included in this tabulation:

Subdiv.	Real Est.	Av.Pr.Acre	Persnl.	Total Val.	Total Tax
Bray	$246,355	$10.55	$ 14,777	$257,132	$10,200.11
Black River	166,164	11.34	15,303	181,467	14,024.13
Cloverleaf	145,300	8.49	17,156	186,561	16,375.47
Deer Park	87,990	6.03	12,303	100,303	9,868.98
Goodridge	128,954	7.89	6,011	134,965	21,186.07
Highlanding	195,698	8.50	21,273	216,971	15,147.45
Hickory	86,254	3.81	13,768	100,022	12,590.78
Kratka	172,875	7.66	17,039	189,914	13,028.96
Mayfield	90,839	6.24	11,386	102,225	7,536.80
Norden	191,984	11.19	14,300	206,284	12,409.22
North	298,206	19.60	26,824	387,733	24,351.37
Numedal	175,976	10.17	10,934	186,910	9,097.84
Polk Center	161,703	10.54	9,363	171,066	6,483.09
Rocksbury	336,867	15.04	27,571	365,090	16,421.77
River Falls	174,914	12.16	25,722	204,055	10,506.90
Reiner	95,575	5.62	7,709	103,284	15,875.21
Sanders	248,637	10.82	25,011	273,648	13,285.72
Smiley	200,677	8.76	22,709	228,584	13,519.33
Silverton	208,312	12.26	15,561	223,873	11,613.66
Star	97,642	4.32	13,687	111,329	12,121.31
Wyandotte	127,607	8.94	14,087	141,694	8,524.09
St. Hilaire	21,550	20.90	25,633	102,685	11,563.62
Goodridge vil.			41,794	79,413	10,454.50
Thief River Falls	13,620	27.97	318,056	1,592,074	186,724.24

Will Open Beauty Parlor.

Miss Caspara J. Gran announces that she will open a beauty parlor in Thief River Falls on Wednesday of next week. It will be located in the Grundy block over the Minnesota Candy Kitchen. The very latest equipment has been installed for the convenience of the patrons. Miss Gran has just completed a course in beauty culture at the Mme. DeGuile Beauty College in Minneapolis. This city should be an admirable location for an establishment of this kind and Miss Gran will undoubtedly enjoy a splendid patronage.

Public Forum

Unjust Laws the Cause.

Editor Times: In speaking about our existing conditions many conflicting reasons have been given, but the direct cause has not been touched upon. Our wires have simply got crossed, that's all. Instead of speaking for the poor man, we have been speaking for the rich man. Our country is suffering today from unjust laws and for the want of just laws. We are simply living in a time of greed and selfishness, with the almighty dollar as the only goal of our ambition. No wonder that all channels of justice have become stagnant and cannot be made to function in matters of public welfare.

Unjust laws is the direct cause of our country's plight today—there is no other reason. This talk about our country going through the reconstruction stage is all hot air. We have had no reconstruction losses imposed upon us, as neither state nor national affairs have been adjusted upon any definite reconstruction basis thus far. We have been made to sacrifice and suffer—not for the good of the country, but simply to satisfy the craving of those who live and prosper through the present system of unjust laws.

When reconstruction in reality becomes a fact, then we as good American citizens will not object to shouldering our part of the burden in placing the old world back onto its right foundation. But we do object to further sacrifice and suffering in order to feed the vultures that feast upon our sufferings through their system of unjust laws.

Reconstruction in reality will not take place until those who suffer and sacrifice lay the foundation themselves for it. It is up to them to solve the problem, and they are going to do it.

We have no time to waste on either "gas" or "bullets"—we are going to get right into the front line trenches and plead and fight for human rights in the forum of public opinion.

We are going to build from the ground up. There will be no more patching or remodeling done. What we want is new ideas, new ideals, new plans, new methods. Let us have something shaped from a moral point *of view—real reconstruction timber.*

We would suggest that the editor of The Times assign to its readers a corner to be known as "The Reconstruction Corner," where vital questions can be discussed.

We have the power in our hands to accomplish, if we only apply a system in our undertakings. Let us lay all party labels aside and all unite for the final drive for justice. We have among the rank and file of the rural population and others, both men and women, who are fully capable of taking an active part in bringing the old world back to where our forefathers left it.

A little consideration and kindness on our part at this time would greatly help to smoothen out some of the rough places in this old world.

Speak up and let us know where you stand. Let our affection flow out for our fellowman. Let us make the American flag the flag for all mankind.

W. A. SWANSON.

Rhoda, Minn.

Writes From Colorado

Editor Times: Boulder county, a section of northern Colorado, is an exceptionally good small grain and alfalfa country. The soil is a heavy clay, well supplied with potash and phosphorus, and the yields of such grains as wheat, barley and oats average above all other counties. The winters are dry and winter wheat is never killed. The sugar beet is coming more and more to the front as it has proved to be the best paying product that can be raised here. There are about 5,000 acres of beets in the county.

Dairying on both a large and small scale has proved very successful. The city of Denver alone consumes over $5,000,000 worth of dairy products a year.

Around Boulder there are a number of small farms—from one to ten acres—devoted to fruit and chicken raising. There seem to be a gold mine. One farmer, only a mile from town, is selling $10 worth of eggs every day and in addition disposes of a number of chickens every week. Eggs are now 70c to 80c per dozen, butter 45c per pound, cream 22c per pint, milk 10c per quart delivered and 8c at stores. Skim milk is 10c a gallon. Meat is cheap but other necessities are about the same price as at Thief River Falls.

Anyone having the means to obtain a few hundred chickens and either buy or rent a place would have a nice income and good interest on his investment.

It appears that Boulder needs a few hundred more houses as rent is very high. In most cases it is cheaper to buy property on monthly payments, and a real bargain may be had if one takes the time to look around.

As to the climate will state that for my part I think there is none better. I have talked with several parties who sold out here and went to California, but in most cases these are glad to get back. This is not the case with people who go to Cal*ifornia from Minnesota and the Da*kotas. They seem to find things better, largely because of the climate.

A person seeking health will find at Boulder a clear, bright atmosphere, the tonic of pine trees and mountain tops, pure, sparkling water and wholesome food at his disposal. The days are warm, not hot, while the nights are just what one wants them to be.

The Boulder sanatorium is the best in any state and conducted on the same principal as the famous Battle Creek sanatorium. It is located at the foot of Mount Sanitas at the entrance of Sunshine canyon. The spot is well chosen for securing quiet and for giving patients a sight of the great mountains to the west, north and south, and the farm lands on the east.

A lot could be written about the mining here, but will simply men- [illegible] silver, lead, copper and zink are produced. I have been told that seven other metals are found here, but what interests me most is the number of coal mines. The coal is delivered at the bins at from $5.50 to $9.00 per ton, light is cheap and water costs $22 per year regardless of the amount used. This is for a dwelling having one complete bath room, water for kitchen and basement and all needed for lawn and garden. In the summer there are all kinds of flowers and fruits. Potatoes can not be produced near here for some reason. The grass will come up and look fine but that is all. The potatoes will be like peas or small nuts.

The schools are known as the best in the state and I am told there are about 2,000 students at the university.

D. B. BARRE.

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One mahogany Fisher player piano and bench.
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One beautiful living room rug, 9x12.
One Wilton rug, size 6x9.
Complete dining room suite, William and Mary design, mahogany; 5 dining room chairs and 1 arm chair, blue leather seats.
One large china closet.
One double sized brass bed, complete with mattress, sagless spring and bolster.
One child's bed, complete.
One Princess dresser, long mirror, and rocker, in bird's eye maple.
One 3-burner oil stove with oven.
One white porcelain top kitchen table.
Five chairs.
One ice box, kitchen linoleum, carpet sweeper, 1 child's sulky, 1 sanitary couch, 1 ironing board and other articles too numerous to mention.

This is a good opportunity for someone desiring high grade furniture as these are practically new and are being sold very reasonable. The above may be seen by appointment only.

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Former Pennington County Citizen Released on $500 Bond Signed By Banker.

Will Continue Same as Usual Until After Hearing of Case, Which is Set For Today.

"Dr." S. R. Kirby is in trouble with the North Dakota Medical association and will have a hearing at Grand Forks today on a charge of practicing medicine without a license. The Grand Forks Herald of last Friday morning gives the following account of the arrest:

"Dr. S. R. Kirby, widely known for his treatment of various diseases through the use of blisters, was arrested last night at Northwood, where he has been practicing for the last two months, on charges of practicing medicine without a license, *filed by Dr. C. M. Williamson of this* city, acting in his official capacity as secretary of the North Dakota board of medical examiners.

"Kirby was arrested at 6 o'clock and immediately brought to Grand Forks, where he was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Phil McLoughlin. The preliminary hearing was set for 2 o'clock next Thursday afternoon. Bonds were set at $500 and furnished by A. O. Ellingson, a Northwood banker, who accompanied the defendant here. Kirby returned to his place of business last night and, it is understood, will continue his practice pending his appearance before the local courts.

"It was while operating at a country place near Thief River Falls, Minn., that 'Dr.' Kirby became known to Grand Forks people. He used a home-made medicine in his treatment of diseases, mostly tuberculosis, the medicine being used to blister the throats of the patients. The treatments attracted wide attention and drew patients to Thief River Falls in large numbers.

At Thief River Falls.

"Residents of Northwood, it is said, believed the practitioner would be an asset to their town, and a petition was made for 'Dr.' Kirby to move to Northwood, which was done about two months ago. Since taking in the new attraction Northwood is said to have enjoyed a boom. An assistant claims the average number of patients treated daily to be about 75, and that the hospital, hotels and houses are filled with patients undergoing treatment.

"Offices, where most of the patients are received, are in the Farmers' store building. However, the specialist, it is said, also makes trips into the country and to nearby towns to treat special cases. Two assistants are employed. They are Oscar Korsmo and Sever Pladsen. An office assistant makes up the remainder of the force.

Complaints Made.

"In commenting on the reasons for the arrest it was said that many complaints have been made about results suffered from the treatments, especially as some deaths had occurred. Dr. Williamson said it was found advisable to cause the arrest because of the number of inquiries as to why a person was allowed to prescribe medicine for and treat diseases without a state license.

"Mr. Ellingson, the Northwood banker, said 'the whole country is strong fo rthe doctor and will back Falls He claimed to have become many patients would appear at the trial to testify in behalf of the defendant.

"'Dr.' Kirby, when asked about his practice, said he had followed it off and on for the last twelve years, first at Long Beach, Cal., and then for about five years at Thief River Falls. He claime dto have become interested in the treatment of diseases through the illness and death of his wife. Mrs. Kirby, he says, was in ill health for about eight years, during which time many different physicians treated her. It was this experience, he said, which caused him to investigate and have faith in the medicine he now uses in treating others."

Mrs. Paulson Dead.

Word has been received by friends in this city of the death of Mrs. Sophie M. Paulson, mother of Dr. A. J. Paulson, at Watertown, S. D., on Dec. 9. Interment was at Norwegian Grove cemetery, Pelican Rapids, on Dec. 14. Mrs. Paulson lived with her son in this city for three or four years and had many friends who will be grieved to learn of her death.

George Fowler of Fargo spent a few days last week visiting with his nephew, Wm. Smithers, Knight avenue north.

BE RID OF THAT ACHE

If you are a sufferer with lame back, backache, dizziness, nervousness and kidney disorders, why don't you try the remedy that your own neighbors recommend? Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. Peter Eberhardt, 211 Atlantic Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "I suffered with my back and kidneys. My back was weak and lame and ached badly. When I would wash or do any heavy work I suffered the worst. My kidneys were weak and annoyed me. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and it wasn't long before they rid me of all the trouble."

Mrs. Eberhardt gave the above statement Jan. 16, 1914, and on Aug. 6, 1921, she said: "I think Doan's Kidney Pills are the best remedy for kidney trouble. I recommend Doan's for the cure I received years ago and I gladly confirm that statement."

60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Winter Tour of St. Olaf Choir Starts January 1

The St. Olaf college choir starts out on its winter tour Jan. 1, on which date it appears in Rochester, this state. The next night the great singing organization will be at Decorah, Iowa, after which all the larger cities of the east will be visited. These include Chicago, Detroit, Toledo, Akron, Cleveland, Erie, Rochester, N. Y.; Syracuse, Albany, New York city, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Allentown, Baltimore, Lancaster, Harrisburg, Pittsburgh, Youngstown, Columbus, Butler, Cincinnati, Dayton, Fort Wayne, Rock Island, returning to Minneapolis for a concert on Feb. 6. Whether there will be a Northwestern tour this year is not stated.

A Needed Improvement.

Among the graveling jobs let by the State Highway commission last week was one for the improvement of the 16-mile stretch on the Jefferson highway between Bagley and Clearbrook. The job was awarded for $119,469.01, under a tentative contract which makes it subject to a recheck of low bids. Surfacing contracts covering 350 miles have been awarded to date in carrying out the "more work, better roads" program launched by the State Highway commission.

Winter Seems Breaking Up Before Fairly Setting In

An electrical storm in mid-December is rather an unusual occurence in this latitude, but one such passed over Thief River Falls Sunday night. There was lightning and thunder but no rain here, although a considerable precipitation is reported at Crookston and the nearby country. Contrary to expectations the lightning display was not followed by a snowfall, this holding off until Tuesday, when a small amount fell. The winter thus far has been one of the mildest within the memory of the oldest inhabitant, but people generally will be found knocking on wood when mention is made of the fact. There is still plenty of time for things to become disagreeable, but every day of fine weather is just so much gained.

Furniture—The Best Gift

FURNITURE FOR THE LIVING ROOM IS A GIFT THAT WILL PLEASE ANYONE. OUR COMPLETE STOCK MAKES A SELECTION EASY.

Furniture, of all the Gifts you might choose, brings to every member of the family a greater measure of pleasure and service than any other.

When selected from our ample stock, it combines in the most attractive form both beauty and utility.

As suggestions we offer a few items, but it is impossible to name all the splendid Gifts you will find here. Plan to include this store in your shopping list.

Wonderful values in Living Room Furniture are to be found in our Christmas displays. Articles that will prove most welcome to all the family have been provided for your choice at prices well within your ability to pay.

Christmas is an ideal time to fix up the Dining Room, especially when you can choose from the splendid array of Dining Room Sets now on display here. Our prices are most reasonable as you will learn by comparison.

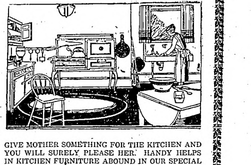

GIVE MOTHER SOMETHING FOR THE KITCHEN AND YOU WILL SURELY PLEASE HER. HANDY HELPS IN KITCHEN FURNITURE ABOUND IN OUR SPECIAL DISPLAY. COME AND SEE THEM.

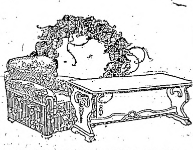

Give Father this big Easy Chair for Christmas. Or perhaps you have a different style in mind. If so you will surely find it here.

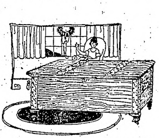

CEDAR CHESTS FOR CHRISTMAS
An article of Furniture that every woman wants, and if she has one she always welcomes another.

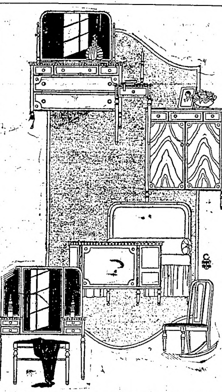

New Furniture for the Bed Room is an especially good answer to the puzzled Christmas shopper. And it is very easy to answer when you turn to this store, for our stocks were planned to help you choose a suitable Gift.

The Gift Ideal
MONARCH RANGES
Nothing better could be suggested. Just the thing for all members of the family to provide for the home. We have a large number of models to choose from.

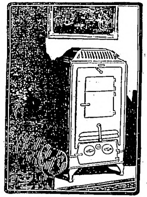

THE GIFT SUPREME
—THE PARLOR PIPELESS FURNACE
Finished in rich grain mahogany, to harmonize with finest home furnishings, it looks like a handsome cabinet phonograph. You can rub it and dust it with a cloth, just as you do your furniture. Burns any grade of coal—hard or soft, lignite or slack. Guaranteed to keep fire 50 hours on one charge of coal.

Special Display of
Lamps
For Christmas Gifts
It would be difficult indeed to find a more pleasing or a more useful Gift than one of these beautiful Lamps. Both shades and stands are offered in a variety of styles and colors so you may choose to match the furnishings of the room in which the lamp is to be used.

A Most Useful Gift
Writing Desk
Featured in a number of finishes and styles at prices well within the reach of the most modest pocket.

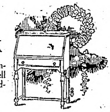

Smoking Sets
We have them in all styles and prices. They are a most acceptable gift for any man. Select one now.

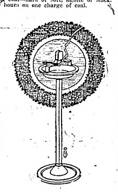

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Third and Main - - Thief River Falls, Minn.

Three mahogany floor cases practically new. One revolving hat cabinet that will hold 160 hats. One revolving suit cabinet that will hold 100 suits. One shirt display case with 24 separate compartments. Made by the Grand Rapids Show Case Co., each one a wonder case to display merchandise to the best advantage. All to go at half price.

Adding Machine, Typewriter, Safe, Cash Register at a Bargain.

THE FINAL WIND-UP OF THE LIEBERMAN BROS.' STORE

Stock Must Be Closed Out by January 10th at Whatever Money It Will Bring

Sale Begins Saturday, Dec. 17th

Be here for whatever you may need. It is going to be the biggest slaughter sale you ever saw.

Sale Begins Saturday, Dec. 17th

Look for the Green Ticket --- They Mean Dollars and Dollars of Savings to You

Heavy Kersey Wool Pants	$3.38
2-Piece heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers	49c
Men's Dress Shirts, collar attached, $1.50 and $1.75 values. Sizes 14 to 17	79c
Men's heavy Cotton Shirts and Drawers	39c
All wool Men's Mackinaw Coats	$7.45

Shirts

Men's heavy flannel Shirts	$1.85
Men's all wool fine grade flannel Shirt, low or high collar	$2.65
Fine quality Manhattan Dress Shirt	$2.45
Men's Dress Shirts, collar attached	79c
Men's Silk Shirts, a very beautiful assortment	$4.45
Men's Dress Shirts, in fancy madras stripes	$1.85
A very nice assortment of Boys' Dress Shirts, with collar attached or without. From	79c to $4.45

NECKWEAR

50c Neckties	29c
75c Neckties	43c
$1.00 Neckties	58c
$1.50 Neckties	87c
$2.00 Neckties	$1.33
$3.00 Neckties	$1.95

Men's 35c Initial Handkerchief 25c

CAPS

$1.00 Caps	45c
$1.50 Caps	87c
$2.00 Caps	$1.29
Boys' Caps	45c
Men's leather lined Caps	$2.29

Men's Interwoven Silk Sox 65c

Men's and young men's beautiful Sheep Lined Overcoat to be sacrificed at 16.85

BATH ROBES

Children's Bath Robes	$1.68
Boys' Bath Robes	$3.65
Men's Bath Robes	$4.45
Men's Fine Robes	$6.45

Scotch Caps 95c

MUFFLERS

$1.50 Muffler	95c
$2.25 Muffler	$1.45
$2.95 Muffler	$1.95
Pure Silk Knitted Muffler	$3.85

Men's Collar Bags 79c

Underwear

Men's heavy pure wool Dunham Union Suits	$3.45
Men's wool mixed Munsing Union Suits	$2.45
Men's heavy fleece Union Suits	$1.39
Boys' fleece lined Union Suits, a bargain	67c
Boys' wool Union Suits	$1.95
Men's wool Shirts and Drawers	98c
Men's light weight wool Union Suits	$1.95

Boys' Suit Bargains

TO CLOSE OUT AT BARGAIN PRICES

Boys' Wsh Suits, values to $2.25	98c
Boys' blue serge Suits, all sizes	7.45
Children's corduroy Suits, $5 values	2.75
Boys' Suits, in brown and grey mixtures	4.45
Boys' Suits with two pairs of pants	8.45
Boys' Top Coat, double breasted	6.45
One lot of Boys' blue serge Suits, to close out	4.85

MEN'S Suits and Overcoats

ALL GO AT SACRIFICE PRICES

Men's worsted Suits, $25 values	16.75
Men's and young men's Hart Schaffner & Marx $45.00 Suits	29.45
Men's highest grade pure wool Suits, values to $40.00	26.75
Men's all wool Ulster Overcoat	22.75
Men's and young men's Overcoats, to close out	16.75
One lot of Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits, values to $55, to close out	33.75

Men's Leather Lined Shoes, rubber heel, regular $7.50 Shoes $4.85

Men's Leather Top Rubbers of the best quality, to close out $2.78

Men's Dress Gloves in Cape and Mocha $1.75 and $2.95

Men's Heavy Rubbers, guaranteed for six months' wear $1.85

Men's Wool Sox	39c
Boys' Pants	98c to 1.45
Boys' Shoes	$1.65
Boys' Night Shirts	69c
Men's Leather Choppers	85c
Men's Wool Mittens	29c
Men's Night Shirts	98c
Signal Shirts with 2 separate collars	$1.48
Men's and Boys' Belts	29c to 79c
Men's regular $8.50 Leather Vest	$6.45
Men's Fur Gauntlet Mitts, regular $6.50	$4.35
Men's Duck Coats	$2.45
Boys' Jersey Gloves	8c
Neckwear in Holiday Boxes	79c 1.45
Boys' 1st quality leather top Rubbers	$2.19
Boys' Rubbers, Ball Band, 1st quality	79c
Arm band Suspenders in Xmas boxes	19c to 79c
Extra quality Ladies' and Children's Comfort Slippers, at almost give away prices	75c 95c 1.15 1.39
Silk Shirts	$3.85
Extra quality silk knit Ties, latest	$1.45
Boys' heavy German Sox	79c
Men's pure wool Cashmere Hose	65c
$9.00 John B. Stetson Hats	$5.45
$5.00 Gordon Hats	$2.79

Smashing Bargains — Panic Prices

EVERYTHING MUST BE CLOSED OUT

MEN'S PANTS

Work Pants	98c
Wool mixed Pants	2.45
Heavy wool Pants	3.58
Khaki Pants	1.38
Mole Pants	2.65
Dress Pants	2.65
Fancy stripe Pants	3.35
Wool worsted Pants	4.45
Extra quality pure wool pants	7.45

All Sweaters to be Sacrificed at Any Price. 79c to $6.45

One lot of Stiff Linen Collars, Lion Brand or E. & W. 9c or Three for 25c

The hurricane of the season. We are making a clean sweep of everything and if you don't reap the harvest of this big sale is is your own fault.

Lieberman Bros. - - - - Thief River Falls, Minn.

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Annual Church Meeting.

The annual business meeting of the Rindal Lutheran church was held on Tuesday afternoon in connection with the Ladies' Aid meeting. Rev. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls, the present pastor, was re-elected for another year. As treasurer to succeed B. P. Sagmoen, resigned, was chosen Swen Swenson. Deacons for the coming year are Martin Evenson and A. T. Thoreson; trustees, Severt Rafteseth and Even Anderson; janitor and bell attendant, P. Sorenson. Gust Nakken will act as sexton of the cemetery grounds connected with the church. Before closing the ladies served a lunch.

Shipping Association Elects.

The fifth annual meeting of the Rosewood Livestock Shipping association was held at Rosewood last Saturday, and resulted in all of last year's directors being re-elected, as follows: Emil Anderson, Adolph and Selmer Haugen, Swen Swenson and F. G. Dols. Joel E. Shoberg was re-elected as secretary-treasurer. The business the past year has been the largest in the history of the association, there having been shipped out eight carloads containing 334 head of stock, which were sold at a gross of $5,553.10, and with expenses of $1,125.07, leaving a net return of $4,428.03. There have been no losses nor accidents during the year and the sinking fund has $77.44 to care for any possible accident. The directors will hold a meeting on Monday evening, Dec. 19, to elect a president, vice president, and to appoint a manager for the coming year.

The annual Christmas tree festival of the Rindal congregation will be held this year in connection with the Rosebank school program at the church on Friday evening, Dec. 23, to which the public is cordially invited. The event will be the largest in the community during the Christmas season.

The Busy Bee school will stage a program and Christmas festival at the school building on Thursday evening, Dec. 22. The public is heartily invited.

Rev. F. O. Anderson of Baudette will visit town next Wednesday and will speak at the Congregational church in the evening at 7:30.

Mrs. E. Soderberg and daughter, Therese, of Thief River Falls, visited at the Carlson, Sagmoen and Sor homes last Friday.

Gladys Swenson, clerk at the Carlson store, was taken ill last week with a complication of throat and chest ailments and is receiving medical attention at Thief River Falls.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson was laid up several days this week with a bad swelling of the throat and was unable to attend to business for several days. He was relieved by J. S. Sorenson.

Live coals in ashes thrown into a wooden box at the cream station last Wednesday afternoon started a fire which for a while looked rather threatening. Several men came to the rescue and the fire was checked after burning away part of the wall. A large quantity of cream was in the building at the time.

Mrs. T. Mellem came home Thursday evening from Viking, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard, for a week.

Mrs. C. M. Holson arrived Tuesday evening from Warren to be the guest for a few days of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Mellem.

Mrs. Ina Thompson of Gully is a guest this week of her son, James Thompson.

Teacher Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen at Rosebank went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to shop and visit.

Several auto loads of people from here went to Thief River Falls last Sunday to attend the funeral of Miss Agnes Remmem.

Mrs. James Johnson and Earl were here last Saturday spending the day at the Hellquist home.

While returning from Thief River Falls Saturday evening Emil Hellquist had the misfortune of breaking the front wheel spindle on his car a short distance west of that city and had to leave it at a farm until repairs could be ordered.

Christ and Martin Aos were over from near Thief River Falls last Sunday for a brief visit with Miss Gena Aos.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harris and to shop.

The poultry show at Thief River Falls last week was attended by a few poultry raisers from this place. The only entry from this place was that of F. G. Dols.

Mrs. C. Eggen returned to her home at Kelliher Monday evening after a brief visit with her mother, Mrs. S. Nordhagen.

NORDEN

John Bergquist was in Thief River Falls on Friday of last week.

Mrs. P. Voldness entertained a number of young people at a fudge party last Tuesday evening.

School closed in the Gopher Mound school house last Friday for a three weeks' vacation and the teacher, Rosalind Oski, left on Monday for her home at Mavie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bergquist entertained at a dinner Sunday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Snyder and family, Mr. and Mrs. P. Voldness, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Schnabel, and Albin Voldness.

Albert Tessum motored to town one day last week.

Miss Rose Oski attended a meeting of the Teachers' Reading Circle at the home of Rev. O. Sande in Numedal township last Saturday.

Mrs. C. C. Snyder was a business visitor in Thief River Falls on Monday.

John Bergquist and Anna Myrom visited at the Sam Sorenson home last Wednesday.

John Bergquist, Jr., and Ivan Voldness called at the Alfred Olson home last Friday evening.

Lewis Aaseby called on C. C. Snyder one day last week.

H. A. Olson, formerly of this vicinity, was here one day last week and returned to his home at Newfolden the following day.

Herbert Gulseth made a brief call at the Bergquist home Sunday afternoon.

REINER

Reuben Stenvik left on Monday for Goodridge, where he is attending school, after spending the week-end at his home.

An eleven-pound baby boy arrived at the home of Mr and Mrs. Jerry Race, Jr., on Sunday. Mother and baby are getting along nicely.

Gunder Tveit, who has been receiving medical treatment at Northwood, N. D., returned last week to resume his duties.

Dr. Fisher of Thief River Falls was called to the O. Quam, P. Olson and E. Grimley homes this week in regard to the small pox epidemic.

Miss Inga Olson is assisting Mrs. J. Stenvik this week with sewing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Elg of Erie were pleasant visitors at the C. and E. Wahlin homes Monday.

The annual meeting of the Reiner Shipping association was held at the Lundwood school house on Saturday, Dec. 10.

Mrs. C. Wahlin visitied with Mrs. C. Clemetson of Highlanding, Tuesday. She was accompanied by Dena Wold, who will spend her Christmas vacation at home.

NUMEDAL

Peder Joringdal called at the Chas. Johnson home Friday.

Thure and Hjalmer Blomberg motored to Thief River Falls Friday to attend to matters of business, and remained for the evening to attend the meeting of the Yeomen lodge.

Among the farmer stockholders of the Viking Farmers Telephone company from this community who attended the annual meeting held at Viking Saturday were O. Larson, S. Knutson, T. Blomberg, P. Bugge and C. J. Johnson.

Peder Joringdal and Clarence Johnson motored to Thief River Falls to take in the show Friday evening.

Carl Brateng called at the S. Knutson home Friday.

T. J. Waslie was a Thief River Falls shopper Friday.

Ed. Blomberg left Saturday for Warren to spend a few days visiting his sister, Mrs. E. Peterson.

George Bugge is busy hauling hay to town these days.

Hjalmer and Thure Blomberg were entertained at a party given at the Wm. Reibu home at Radium Saturday evening. They reported a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brateng and John Brateng motored to Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Oscar Olson called at the Blomberg home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and son, Winton, were Sunday visitors at the Peter Erickson home.

John Bugge and Oliver Ronning autoed to Warren Saturday, returning home Monday.

Thure and Mrs. J. A. Blomberg transacted business at the county seat Monday.

John and Conrad Ronning were Sunday callers at the P. Bugge home.

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson and Mrs. Olaf Larson autoed to Warren Monday.

Hjalmer and Thure Blomberg motored to Viking Monday evening.

David Samuelson was a Sunday caller at the A. Forslund home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Atwood were Thief River Falls shoppers Monday.

David Samuelson motored to Viking Saturday evening.

Soren Knutson assisted with some carpenter work at the Peter Bugge home Tuesday.

We must now be enjoying Indian summer as we have had both rain and sunshine.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bugge called at the Olaf Larson home one day last week.

David Samuelson called at the Blomberg home Sunday evening.

ASK FOR EMBARGO AGAINST OUR GRAIN

Swedish Farmers Want "Cheap American Wheat" Kept Out of Their Home Market.

Farmers in Sweden have appealed to their government for an embargo against "cheap American wheat," C. H. Gustafson, president of the United States Grain Growers, Inc., says in a letter to the Pennington County Farm bureau, urging the farmers to unite in a demand for a federal investigation of present "ruinous prices" of wheat

Mr. Gustafson's communication, sent out to farmers' organizations throughout the grain belt of the United States, charges that wheat prices are being "hammered down to the dollar mark and grain growers are being led to believe that a weakened foreign demand will not require a normal exportable surplus, in the face of a 1921 export trade 90,000,000 bushels larger than last year's."

County farm bureaus in Minnesota, together with farm organizations in other states, were urged to demand immediate passage by congress of the senate resolution authorizing the federal trade commission to investigate the grain export trade.

Druggists Warned Not to Load Up on War Stamps

The following statement is issued by L. M. Willcuts, collector of internal revenue for the district of Minnesota:

"Enactment of the new revenue legislation has brought to the office of the collector of internal revenues at St. Paul a flood of inquiries regarding the various provisions of the act.

"At this time the attention of druggists who sell perfume, cosmetics, proprietary medicines, etc., is particularly called to the fact that the stamp tax on these articles has been repealed, effective Jan. 1, 1922. Any dealer who has proprietary stamps on hand after that date may make a claim for refund for the face value of these stamps. Such a claim is first reviewed in the office of the collector of internal revenue and then forwarded to Washington for final settlement. This procedure, of a necessity, consumes several months.

"Therefore all dealers are urged at this time to limit their purchases of proprietary stamps to just such quantity as will take care of their actual needs between now and Jan. 1, so that they will not have a quantity of stamps on hand after the repeal of the tax, for the refund of which it will be necessary to file a claim."

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Timothy hay in stack. Halvor Loken. 48p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—2,000 acres of land in 40, 80, 120 and 160 acre lots for anything you have to trade. Land is cheap and has gone down 50 per cent. Write in care of Times. 46p

FOR SALE—Several carloads of dry and green poplar wood F. O. B. Winger, Minn. Co-operative Trading Co., Winger, Minn. 48

FOR SALE OR TRADE—As I have sold my garage I have a few automobiles to dispose of. I will sell them or trade for horses, harness, wagons or any farm machinery that I can use. Also have some land to trade. C. M. Evenson. 48

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc spring pigs, $25 each. Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels and pullets, $3.00 each. Ed. Battenfeld, near Soo Roundhouse, Phone 485-W 4t

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—My 360-acre farm. Good grain or stock farm. Highly improved, fully equipped. Price and terms are right. Want house and lot or small farm near town. Address Box 34, Rollis, Minn. 46

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 430-J 40tf

FOR SALE—Barn and lot or barn alone. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. No.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 385. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
38tf St. Hilaire, Minn.

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 41f

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

LOST

LOST—Monday night between Markley and LaBree Avenues, bill-fold with $22.00 in it. Finder leave at Post Office for reward of $5.00. Mrs. G. R. Hanson, 412 Markley Ave. N. 45p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 401 Arnold Ave. N. or Phone 350-2. 45

WANTED — Local representative for large Mutual Life Insurance company. Will give attractive contract. R. M. Neely Company, St. Paul, Minn. 48

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 616 Horace Ave. N. 46p

FOR RENT—New partly modern house, 218 Tindolph Ave. N. 46p

FOR RENT—Strictly modern heated upstairs flat. See Holt-George Co., or call at 123 LaBree Ave. S. 41p

MALE HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED—Clerks, for Postal Mail and Government Field Service. $125 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations, instructions, write J. Leonard, (former Civil Service examiner) 459 Equitable Bldg., Washington, D. C. 45p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—From 3 to 5 room house with 2 lots and a good location. Call or write 408 Duluth Ave. S. 16p

WANTED TO BUY—300 young White Leghorn chickens. Call or write 408 Duluth Ave. S. 40p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 10. 801 Main Avenue North. 41tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 11 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Mrs. F. C. Nichol, 503 Arnold Ave. N. 45

MISCELLANEOUS

TAKEN UP—At my place in Hickory township, one steer calf, all red. Owner can have same by proving property and paying costs. T. T. Kvale. Ruddell, Minn. 40p

DRESSMAKING — Mrs. N. Wersthein, 310 Riverside Ave. 45p

Will Sell Victory Bonds to Build School Houses

The state board of investment has authorized the sale of $350,000 of Victory 4¾ bonds, which now are above par, will be used to assist cities, villages and small cities to finance the building of needed schools. The use of these funds, according to Henry Rines, state treasurer, will materially assist in relieving the unemployment situation in enabling the building of schools. The bonds are to be sold at not less than par net to the state.

IT ISN'T NECESSARY.

Grand Forks Herald: In writing policies against dishonesty, profane men are a preferred risk, says an indemnity expert. That is, the same man seldom combines the defects of an itching palm and an irreverent tongue. But you needn't begin to rip out swear words just to convince somebody that, having the one, you lack the other.

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five thousand one hundred seventy-two dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Max Geerts and Adeline Geerts, his wife, as Mortgagors, to William Stolz, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of January, 1917, at four (4) o'clock P. M., in Book 57 of Mortgages on page 98.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼), Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE¼ of NE¼), and Lot numbered Four (4) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153) North, Range 41 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Fifty-Nine and 55-100 (159.55) acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Two Dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68) and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifteen ($15) dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 12, 1921.

WILLIAM STOLZ,
Mortgagee.
LOUIS P. JOHNSON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Ivanhoe, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Ole L. Ottum and Lottie Ottum, his wife, mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 23rd day of November, 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1914, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 132, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-one and 89-100 Dollars ($1331.89) as follows: The sum of $885.02 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage and the sum of $446.87 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West Half (W½) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances: which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1331.89, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 14th, 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Charles Palmer, a widower, Mortgagor, to the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of August, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of September, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages on page 471.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-two (22) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging; such sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, and interest from date hereof, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 13th, 1921.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anders L. Kjos, a single man, Mortgagor, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of March, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1918, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages on page 307; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay one installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $30.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $1,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on March 29, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $30.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereupon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $78.25, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½NW¼), Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼SW¼), of Section Thirty-six (36), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $78.25, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Ole T. Bratland and Tilda Bratland, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of January, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 424; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay an installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $165.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $3,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $135.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of said interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $345.35, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots One (1), and Two (2), and the South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North of Range Forty (40), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $345.35, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of J. A. Blomberg.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. A. Blomberg, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Anna Blomberg, Anna Peterson, Svea Blomberg, Herman Blomberg, Hjalmar Blomberg, Thure Blomberg, Elmer Blomberg, Edward Blomberg, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Anna Blomberg having been filed in this Court representing that J. A. Blomberg, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 5th day of November, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Anna Blomberg, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1922, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 12th day of December, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.
(Court Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
D-15-22-29

Notice for Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, up to 3 o'clock P. M. on January 3, 1922, for the publication of the Notice and the Delinquent Tax List for 1921, and for the Financial Statement and for all legal publications for Pennington County, Minnesota, for the year 1922.

The County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn., December 14, 1921.

County Board for Pennington County,
By T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.
D-15-22-29

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anton Knudson and Ada Knudson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of September, 1920, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 451; which Mortgage was also recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of November, 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 103 of Mortgages, on Page 20; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay two installments in the sum of [illegible] each, which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and, on December 1, 1921, respectively, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $6,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon said prior Mortgage, which became due and payable on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, the said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1920, pay such interest on such prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1920, and did on December 2, 1921, pay said interest on said prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has declared and does hereby declare the whole principal sum remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $270.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $1153.50, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Southeast Quarter (SE¼), of Section Ten (10), Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼) of Section Fourteen (14), Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼NE¼), of Section Fifteen (15), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota; also the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼), of Section Eleven (11), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1153.50 and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Louis Lee, a single man, mortgagor, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 4th, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of February, 1918, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 370.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $54.00 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $73.06, a total of $150.56 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are to-wit:

The North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N½SW¼) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼SW¼) and Lot No. Five (5) of Section No. Four (4) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 6th day of December, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Charles O. Stephenson and Gina Stephenson, his wife, as mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 23rd, 1916, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of December, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 201.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $67.20 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $204.84, a total of $272.04 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 15th day of November, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-17-24-D-1-8-15-22

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Knute Donaldson Dahle and Olga Donaldson Dahle, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 28th day of July, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of August, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "58" of Mortgages, page 321, and which mortgage was thereafter and on the 11th day of September, 1917, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, by written assignment dated on said 11th day of September, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 12th day of September, 1917, at 1:10 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 434, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 25th day of November, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "H" of Mortgages, on page 604, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred ($1,700.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, and,

Whereas, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of said principal sum, or any part thereof, or interest on said note, or any part thereof when the same should become due and payable, and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be declared to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid the interest on said note maturing and becoming due on the 28th day of July, 1921, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest is by said assignee of said mortgagee, deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-seven and 16-100 ($1,827.16) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinafter described, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

East half of the Southwest quarter (E½-SW¼) and South half of the Northwest quarter (S½-NW¼) Section Twenty-two (22) Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorneys' fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 1st, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
924 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-three and no-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. S. Brown and May Brown, his wife, mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1920, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 68 of Mortgages, on Page 37, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5) and Nine (9), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Four and 49-100 (104.49) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances: which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1,983.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 ($1012.35) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by August A. Schmitt and Lilah Schmitt, his wife, Mortgagors, to C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of September, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of October, 1919, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 60.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said C. L. Hansen, Mortgagee, to C. W. Nelson by written assignment dated the 10th day of April, 1920, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 20th day of October, 1921, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 63 of Mortgages, on page 143, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The North Half (N½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼), and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section numbered Thirty-three (33), and the Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼), and Lots numbered respectively One (1) and Two (2) of Section numbered Thirty-two (32), all being in Township numbered One Hundred-fifty-three (153) North of Range numbered Forty-three (43) West of the 5th P. M., in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 24th day of December, 1921, at Ten o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Ten Hundred Twelve and 35-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorneys fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 9th, A. D. 1921.

C. W. NELSON,
Assignee and present owner of mortgage.
J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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STRENGTHEN RURAL SCHOOLS OF STATE AIM OF LAW ASKED

Three Mil Tax to Equalize Educational Cost Proposed at Association Conference.

Strengthening of rural school systems in Minnesota as a means of equalizing education in the state was made one of the 10 planks in the legislative platform of the Minnesota Educational association at its legislative conference in Minneapolis Saturday. A publicity committee with power to conduct a statewide campaign on behalf of the legislative program was authorized at the closing meeting of the two day session. The board of directors is to name the committee later.

Indorsement of a plan to establish courses of instruction on the workings of the postal system of the United States in the public schools was given following an address by Postmaster E. A. Purdy. The plan originated recently in Minneapolis. Teaching children the proper methods in mailing and addressing and stressing the "sanctity" of the mail box are aimed at in the project, Mr. Purdy said.

Town Education Boards Asked.

Reports of the 10 committees chosen to consider separate proposals for the legislative program were embodied in the plans. The conference went or record as favoring:

Creation of town boards of education with power to change the boundary lines of their school districts; employment of full time clerks for county superintendents of schools; employment of helpers for rural teachers; appointment of county superintendents of schools by county boards of education; empowering county boards of education to fix salaries of superintendents and to authorize employment of assistants to the superintendents.

Legislation designed to enforce compulsory attendance in schools and providing part time schools for those unable to attend regularly.

Favor Additional 3 Mill Tax.

Legislation favoring a 3 mill state tax to equalize the cost of education in Minnesota, the levy to produce $4,500,000 a year; this in addition to the 1 mill levy now used for similar purposes.

An actuarial investigation to determine extent of needs for improving teachers' insurance and retirement provisions and drawing a bill for the legislature.

Establishment of night classes for adults in all schools under state supervision and maintained in part by the state.

Compulsory physical training for all children.

Use of graduating scales in the homes, enabling parents to prepare children for beginning school, and continuation of the work of the kindergarten committee before preparing a legislative recommendation.

Courses to Train Librarians.

Establishment of courses in the state teachers' colleges for training librarians.

Delay of legislative recommendations for a teachers' tenure law.

Action at a general meeting to determine a stand on professional standards for teachers and means for teachers' training.

The legislative platform will be presented to the interim commission of the Minnesota legislature by a committee to be named by the association, Phillip E. Carlson, president, said at the close of the conference, which was attended by the presidents of the nine divisions of the association, cit yand county superintendents, principals and teachers.

SLUMP PREDICTED FOR POOR BUTTER

State Association Would Abolish Manufacture of Inferior Product to Prevent Loss.

The bottom threatens to drop out of the market for butter of inferior quality, the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, Inc., says in a message to its 250 creameries.

"The bottom dropped out of the price of poor butter last winter," the warning says. "At one time there was a difference of 15 cents a pound between good and poor butter. It looks as though the same thing would happen again this winter, creating an even worse condition. The market is being flooded with poor butter. Any co-operative creamery that makes a poor product has to compete with this flood of inferior butter."

Asserting that no other work on the farm pays as well as the work of getting cream to the creamery while pure and sweet, to guarantee good butter, the new state dairy service agency issued a set of rules to be posted on the door of every co-operative creamery in its wembership.

These rules, drawn up to help prevent losses through the shipment of low-grade butter, suggest: Frequent delivery of cream by co-operation in hauling; care in milking to prevent dirt from dropping into the milk and leaving a flavor in the butter; thorough washing and scalding of pails, cans, strainers and separators; cooling cream in cold water immediately after separating, and never mixing warm and cold cream, or leaving the cream where air is impure; talking with the buttermaker and becoming an expert judge of cream.

ACHES AND PAINS—SLOAN'S GETS 'EM!

AVOID the misery of racking pain. Have a bottle of Sloan's Liniment *handy* and apply when you first feel the ache or pain.

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HARDING APPROVES SEAL SALE IN FIGHT ON DREAED DISEASE

Minnesota Records Show State as Making Better Record Than Country as Whole.

success of the campaign against tuberculosis, as shown by the decline of the death rate in 1920, to the remarkably lo wlevel of 114 per 100,000," says President Harding.

"The enormous saving of life reflected by these figures clearly indicates the success of the work of the National Tuberculosis association and its affiliated organizations.

"As honorary vice president of the association, I will be glad to have you convey to all who are interested in the prevention of tuberculosis, my earnest hope that the coming fourteenth annual Christmas Seal sale may be completely successful, in order that your splendid work may be further developed. I trust that there may be a generous response to your appeal."

The Minnesota Public Health association and the Pennington County Public Health association are representatives in Minnesota of the National Tuberculosis association.

The death rate in Minnesota in 1920 from tuberculosis was 90 per 100,000 of population, much lower than the country as a whole.

Let us keep up the winning fight by buying Christmas Seals.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.01
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	.97
Flax	1.05
Barley	.30
Oats	.19
Rye	.53
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	1.00
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.15
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.10
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.12
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Turkeys, No. 1, alive, per lb.	.27
Turkeys, No. 1, dressed	.19
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.40
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.43
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07-.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

PRICE ADJUSTMENT AT STANDSTILL AS CONCERNS FARMER

Average Commodity Cost Higher, With Agricultural Products Still Falling.

Price readjustment is at a standstill, with the products of the farm left at a disastrous disadvantage in relative purchasing power, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation says in a statement analyzing the trend of prices.

The statement was based on the wholesale price index prepared by the federal bureau of labor statistics, and data gathered by the research department of the national farm bureau organization.

"Reconstruction is failing to reconstruct the purchasing power of the farmer's produtes," the state farm bureau declared. "The record of commodity prices since April indicates that the decline in prices has almost spent itself, although a comparison of levels in September and October shows that the farm product and food groups, including many commodities just as they come from the farm, are still falling.

"The prices of the necessities of life appear to be marking time, with the great agricultural population still under a handicap so serious that its buying power is not recovering. It must recover before the real revival of industry and business can take place."

The farm bureau statement quotes figures of the bureau of labor statistics to show that since June, 1921, the average price level of all commodities has risen, instead of declining.

"Taking the 1913 price level as 100, the level in June, 1921, stood at 148, having declined from 177 since January. But in October, the level had risen again to 150. This development might be taken as an indication that the price level can be expected to remain considerably above the 1913 level.

"From the standpoint of the farmer, the fact remains that no definite improvement has been made during the last several months toward accomplishing a more equitable exchange relation between his products and those which he must purchase.

"The farm products group, as listed by the federal bureau of labor statistics, was three points lower in October than it was in September, and the food group had declined four points. In the same period, clothing had advanced three points, fuel and lighting had gone up four points, metals had advanced one point and chemicals had remained at their September price level.

"To offset the continued deflation of farm products, there was only a one per cent decline in building materials, which stand next to the highest in the list of commodity prices after many months of 'deflation,' and a decline of five per cent in house furnishings, whose price level is so high that this small drop is insignificant."

Farm products, food and metals were the only groups whose level was lower than the general price average for all price commodities in October, the statement continued, pointing out that farm products stood at the foot of the list, 31 points below the average price of all commodities.

"There can be but one conclusion from such data," the federation concluded. "No substantial improvement can be effected in industrial conditions until the prices of the commodities which the farmer must purchase have been sufficiently deflated."

Miss Rebecca Hunt of Red Lake Falls was a guest at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and

Bread Price Reduced.

Jung Brothers, bakers, announce a cut of one cent per loaf in the price of their Victory bread, this applying to the one and a half pound size only. This is the first reduction in bread prices noted in a long time.

Two Young Men Injured in Very Peculiar Accident

St. Hilaire Spectator: Arthur and Elmer Rux, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rux, had a lucky escape from death in a peculiar accident Wednesday afternoon. The boys were going for a load of hay and carried with them a loaded shot gun. Coming to the stack, they set the gun on the ground, leaning it against the rack. Elmer had just got on the stack and pitched a forkful of hay onto the rack when the gun, in some unaccountable manner, discharged. The charge passed through Arthur's hand, tearing away the tendons and crushing the bones under the little finger joint. Elmer, who was in direct line, was peppered in the shoulder and also got some shots in the head. Two or more pellets passed through his ear and lodged under the skin of the head.

Dr. Bjerken made a flying trip out to the Rux place in response to a phone call appraising him of the accident. He dressed the wounds and took precautions to prevent any complications setting in.

American Legion Corner

The National Council of the Boy Scouts of America declares: "The Boy Scouts of America are glad to know that their big brothers of the Legion indorse the Boy Scout movement and are anxious to co-operate in their various community undertakings. Boy Scouts respect the men who held the front-line trenches while the younger lads at home were gallantly raising war gardens and selling Liberty Bonds for the same cause and in the same high spirit."

Eveleth Legion Post, in co-operation with Boy Scout leaders, is organizing the fifth Boy Scout Troop in the community, to be known as "American Legion Boy Scout Troop No. 5," and, at the request of the Boy Scout officers, to be composed only of sons, brothers or nephews of Legionaires. Legionaire Sam Owens will be the Scoutmaster, and the Eveleth Legion post will give the Scouts the use of their club rooms for one night each week.

"We are not cranks on Flag observance but we insists that all due respect be shown Old Glory. Our example will have a lasting effect on our future citizens," declared Hibbing Legionaires in calling attention to incidents where the flag on the School buildings was allowed to touch the ground when taken down at sunset. "The flag should not touch the ground—it should be caught in the arms of the person who is taking it down."

Legion State Commander VanDyke is willing to wager that in all America there are no finer Legion post officers than those of Minnesota. As the State Commander says, he has no fear that the incoming post officers will fail to meet and surmount every obstacle the coming year may bring. "I am confident that no year in the Legion's history will see such great achievements as those of 1922," declares Commander Van Dyke.

Thanksgiving Day, Twin City Legion Auxiliary members feasted more than one thousand unemployed former service men. The feast was followed by free entertainment at various Twin City theatres. Similar arrangements have been made for Christmas day. In addition, St. Paul East Side Auxiliary Unit will give a Christmas party to all the school children of that community.

Parcel postmen of Minneapolis often wonder whether Minnesota Legion Auxiliary Headquarters, 900 Plymouth Building, is the headquarters of a patriotic society or a wholesale fruit, candy, knitted goods and merchandise center. Every day boxes of apples, oranges, candy, canned fruit, jelly, sweaters, bathrobes, night gowns, etc., arrive from the 250 Auxiliary units through Minnesota, for distribution to the sick soldiers in the Twin City government hospitals.

December will see the election of one hundred thousand Legion post officers. There are eleven thousand Legion posts, each of which elects ten officers, including commander, treasurer, two vice commanders, chaplain, historian, sergeant-at-arms, athletic director, entertainment director, and publicity officer. The appointment of the post adjutant is usually left to the commander. As a rule, the adjutant handles service and employment problems, in addition to his other duties.

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AGENT APPROVES PROJECTED ROAD ON RESERVATION

George W. Cross, in Charge at Red Lake, Sanctions Construction of Highway.

Would Provide Only Outlet For Large Amount of Products Now Going to Waste.

People of Entire Red River Valley Interested in Success of Undertaking.

A most important boost was given the project to construct a modern highway from the eastern boundary of Pennington county to the Red lakes when approval of the enterprise was secured from George W. Cross, Indian agent at Red Lake. Daniel Shaw and L. R. Johnston of the Commercial club committee appointed to take up the matter with federal and state officials, made a trip to the agency on Friday for the purpose of placing the proposition before Mr. Cross. It was realized that his approval and that of the Indians would be necessary before the permission to lay out the road across the reservation could be secured from the department at Washington and that with the sanction of those locally in charge of affairs there would in all likelihood be but little difficulty encountered at Washington.

Reasons For Request.

While Mr. Cross had previously expressed himself as in favor of a road such as that proposed, no steps had been taken to formally lay the matter before him, at the same time pointing out some of tre more important reasons for asking the construction of the highway. Accordingly the following brief outline of the advantages certain to accrue to Indians and reservation generally was presented by the committee:

"That the construction of the proposed road would open up a portion of the reservation that is now practically inaccessible, and that being an extension of a good highway traversing well settled communities to the west, would enable the marketing of a large amount of hay each season. It would also open a market for wood products, great quantities of which are going to waste on the reservation each year. There is a growing demand for poles, posts, cordwood, ties and lumber, and this would open a way to market.

"By reason of lack of roads to the west, settlement has been confined very largely to the south side of the lake. At present the product of the fishery is shipped south into a region of lakes and fish, while the entire Red River valley, without a fishing industry of any kind, is the nearest and natural market.

"It will encourage the Indian to strike out for himself on that portion of the land that has been described as inaccessible by affording an easy route to market.

"It will also afford the residents of the Red River valley an opportunity to visit Red lake, a large and attractive body of water. This feature should not be lightly regarded. Tourists would reach the lake at a point some distance from present Indian settlement."

Takes Favorable Action.

Mr. Cross was convinced that the construction of this road would be of great benefit to the Indians, and as it required no outlay of funds belonging to them he assured the committee he would do anything he could to further the project. The highway will open up a section of the reservation now almost closed to the outside world and will thus give an added outlet for the varied products of the Indians. Commodities of great value, particularly in hay and timber, now going to absolute waste every year, will be saved through this new outlet to the Red River valley. The possibilities of the trade in forest products alone is sufficient to warrant the construction of the road in the opinion of those best and most thoroughly acquainted with the situation. This section is also the natural market for the vast amount of fresh fish secured every year by the Indians.

Large Section Interested.

Making the Red lakes accessible would provide an ideal summer resort for the people of the valley. Nothing of the kind is now within their reach except at long distances from their homes. Arrangements could be made with the Indian authorities for rights to construct cottages on plots secured by lease for a stipulated term of years, permission for which now is granted under the law. The establishment of a regular summer colony at this particular point would in no manner interfere with the Indians, these being settled for the most part on the south side of the lake, and would as a matter of fact lend value to a section of their reserve now absolutely of no use to them or anyone else.

A large section is interested in the successful carrying out of this project and every effort will be made to have action taken by the department at an early date.

Boy Scouts Have Gym.

Boy Scout troops in Thief River Falls have been extended the use of Lincoln school gymnasium for their winter activities and will meet regularly every Monday night hereafter. Scout Master E. A. Soltau desires that all boys over 12 years old who contemplate joining the scouts do so now and get the benefit of the winter instructions. They should appear at the gym on Monday night for registration.

Ask to Be Excused From Making Drive For Funds

A meeting of the Pennington County Russian Relief committee was held at the Commercial club rooms Tuesday night, at which it was decided not to put on a drive or launch a campaign for the gathering of funds at this time. A letter has been sent to Gov. Preus explaining that the section is in no shape to meet any extraordinary expenses just now and the money for this particular purpose will have to be raised where it is more plentiful. While regretting that this action is found upon them, the committee members cannot see their way clear to act differently. This is perhaps the first time Pennington county people have asked to be excused when a cry for help was sounded, but circumstances are such that attempting to make the collection would not be advisable even though there might be a possibility of its being successful. Continuous drives for funds are getting on the nerves of people, not only in this neighborhood, but all over the country.

NEXT GRAND JURY WILL HAVE THREE WOMEN MEMBERS

For First Time in County's History Gentler Sex Will Help Find Indictments.

Evil-doers in Pennington county will have added cause for being apprehensive at this time. As members of the grand jury which convenes on Tuesday, Feb. 7, three women will serve, this being the first time in history that such a thing has happened. The pioneers in this field are Mrs. Andrew Bottelson, Thief River Falls; Mrs. G. W. Hooper, St. Hilaire, and Mrs. J. W. Denhart, River Falls township. Other members of the grand jury are as follows: L. E. Miller and Jorgen Eide, North; Herman Ortloff, Sanders; N. A. Nelson, St. Hilaire; Lars Fevig and John Bye, Star; Carl Beiswinger, Smiley; Christ Thompson, Hickory; Stephen Singer, Kratka; A. T. Nelson and Henry Eliason, Highlanding; G W. Leimers, Roy Lambert and Ralph M. Sheldon, Thief River Falls; Charley Johnson and J. W. Bugge, Numedal; John Maakrud and T. J. Sumpter, River Falls; J. M. Schie, Cloverleaf; Theodore Berg, Reiner.

There are no women members of the petit jury, which will be made up of the following:

Tom Belland and Oleander Uglem, Reiner; Thor Sanders, Smiley; Arne Gunderson, S. J. Jervold and Gunder Olson, Kratka; Bernt Tanem, Goodridge; T. T. Kvale, Hickory; George Singer, Deer Park; C. M. Evenson, B. E. Dalquist, Frank Mousley and Emil Griegstein, Thief River Falls; O. K. Sevre and J. A. Anderson, Sanders; Olof Mosbeck, Polk Center; Fred C. Dols, Norden; Stuart McLeod, Anton Kotlan and T. J. Skaar, Cloverleaf; Ole Ottum, Silverton; James Ramsey, Highlanding; Henry Luttmer, Bray; Albert Nash, St. Hilaire.

Chiropractor Locates Here.

Dr. J. G. Carlson, formerly of Staples, a chiropractic practitioner, has located in Thief River Falls and has opened offices in the First and Peoples bank building. Dr. Carlson has installed the latest equipment pertaining to his profession, including a complete X-ray machine, and as he has had many years of experience will no doubt secure his share of the business.

NO TRANSFERS OF RED CROSS FUNDS FOR ANY PURPOSE

Cannot Even Be Used Locally By Branches Without Approval of Headquarters.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Pennington county chapter, American Red Cross, was held in the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday afternoon, there being a fair attendance. Chairman W. A. Barnard of the recent roll call campaign reported that more than $700 had been collected, most of it in the city. He also said he had been unable to get an accounting from a number of the auxiliaries although having repeatedly requested that all reports be turned in. Mr. Barnard was given a vote of thanks by the committee for his work and the secretary was instructed to extend the appreciation of the chapter to the Girls' Community club for the thorough manner in which the city had been canvassed.

Notice was received of the disbanding of the auxiliary at Plummer and the transferring of the funds held to a local charitable organization. As such action is clearly contrary to the laws of the American Red Cross the Plummer officials will be instructed to send any surplus there may be remaining in the treasury to chapter headquarters at Thief River Falls.

The question of securing a county nurse for the coming year was discussed but no definite action on the proposal was reached. The chapter has sufficient funds to make the hiring of such nurse easily possible and as this is one of the purposes for which the money may be used it is probable that favorable action will be taken.

Dr. M. Geo. Milan, chairman of the chapter, read a communication from Chicago headquarters setting forth some of the things for which the chapter is not allowed to spend money. The rules are very strict and permit of but little leeway General public health work, the relief of distress following a disaster of any kind or in emergency cases, practically covers the field of activities upon which the Red Cross may engage at the discretion of local officers. Transferring of funds to another organization, even though local chapters disband, is strictly forbidden.

ATHLETICS TACKLE BEMIDJI IN INITIAL GAME HERE FRIDAY

Basketball Fans Assured Great Exhibition When Season Opens Here Tomorrow.

The basketball team of the Thief River Falls Athletic association is not going to be permitted to take a lot of easy ones just to get the practice. The boys will be pitted against one of the fastest and most agressive organizations in the state as an opener for the season when they meet the Bemidji team on the local floor Friday evening. Coach Connell has been putting the invincibles of last season through their paces for three weeks and has added a couple of promising men to his list of terriers. Plummor, Bemidji star of last year, and Carlson, stellar performer for Thief River Falls, will be in the forward positions. Hadrath will start at center and Holzknecht and Brown as guards. This is a scrappy bunch and should give an exhibition of team work that will make the spectators' hair curl. In case any of these happen to be off their feed, however, there are others in the same class ready to take their places. Kiland, Penney, Hermanson and Larson will be all tuned up and ready for action in case any changes are found necessary.

While Thief River Falls is backed to win against the hereditary foe, no one is foolish enough to think there will be any walkaway. Bemidji has not played often enough this season to permit of any prediction as to how they will perform, but if they run true to form and live up to tradition there is bound to be something doing every minute.

The admission charge will be the same as last year—50 and 35 cents. The game will start at 9 o'clock.

NEW OFFICERS FOR RAILROAD UNIONS ASSUME POSITIONS

L. F. and E. With Its Auxiliary Met Saturday, and Trainmen on Sunday.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and ladies' auxiliary of the order held a joint installation of officers last Saturday evening, the following taking office for the first-named organization: J. E. Nelson, president; O. F. Halldin, vice president; A. M. Johnson, secretary; G. M. Freitag, financial secretary; J. E. Nelson, delegate; P. A. Harris, legislative representative; R. L. Erickson, local organizer; Dr. J. Biedermann, medical examiner; H. Halland, local chairman; A. J. Rambeck, warden; N. Urdahl, chaplain; G. Houfek, inner guard; I. O. Peterson, outer guard; A. M. Campbell, magazine agent; A. B. Stenberg, T. C. Orme and O. F. Halldin, trustees. The national convention next year will be held at Houston, Texas. There are now 1,000 lodges of the order, with a total membership of 120,000.

The new auxiliary officers are as follows: Thora Nelson, president; Ruth Halldin, vice president; Mae Stenberg, secretary; Alexandria Campbell, treasurer; Esther Freitag, collector; Anna Kelly, chaplain; Anna Houfek, inner guard; Agnes Reedy, outer guard; Myrtle Blair, magazine correspondent; Esther Freitag and Alexandria Campbell, pianists; Josephine Clauson, warden; Clara Johnson, conductor; Thora Nelson, delegate; Ruth Halldin, alternate; Marie Hellquist, Clara Johnson and Thora Nelson, trustees. Dancing and refreshments followed the installation ceremonies.

The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen held the annual installation of officers on Sunday afternoon, the following being inducted into their positions: A. P. Robinson, president; O. C. Parbat, vice president; Elmer Ohm, secretary-treasurer; J. E. Bloomquist, collector; Harold Eide, agent official publication; D. F. White, conductor; S. J. Malone, chaplain; D. B. Mathewson, warden; Leroy Tollund, inner guard; S. J. Polski, outer guard.

Following the regular order of business and installation a fine lunch was served by Chefs Ed. Hill and D. F. White, who were highly complimented on their ability to prepare "hot dog" and the usual toothsome concomitants.

BUREAU REPORT SHOWS COUNTY FARM PROGRESS

Large Amount of Constructive Work Accomplished By Association During Year.

Business Men of City Given Credit For Making Possible Continuation of Work.

More Attention Paid to Marketing Feature Than During Any Previous Season.

The annual report of J. J. McCann, county agent, submitted to members of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association, shows that in spite of being handicapped by the withdrawal of any appropriation by the county, a large amount of valuable work was accomplished. The demands made upon the bureau were greater in extent and more diversified in scope than for any previous year. No department was slighted, sufficient money for carrying on the work being provided through the contributions of Thief River Falls business men who, as the report says, "believe that what is good for the country is good for the town, although they benefited only indirectly."

Public Health Work.

While much the greater part of the bureau's activities revolved around problems with which the farmer alone is concerned, a great deal of attention was paid to other matters. Perhaps foremost among these was the promotion of public health. The county agent gave valuable assistance in the handling of the three children's clinics held in the county, was chairman of the Christmas seal campaign, was active in Red Cross work and helped in welfare crusades of all kinds. The health of children in rural districts has been a subject of particular concern during the year and much of the success attending efforts at improvements in this direction should be credited to bureau influence.

Increase In Crops.

The report showed that 65 farmers in the county treated their lands with phosphate, this resulting in an increase of from 250 to 300 per cent in the crop yield. One carload of super-phosphate and four cars of the 16 per cent product were shipped in.

The potato acreage in the county increased from 270 acres in 1919 to 950 acres in 1921. Growers received a total of $98,000 for their potatoes this year, shipping through the Minnesota Potato Growers exchange. The average net price to the farmer was $1.50 per hundredweight.

Eight farmers have 61 acres of certified seed potatoes of very high quality, which will be marketed in the spring.

The legume campaign has increased the acreage of these crops 20 per cent.

Farmers were prepared for grasshopper outbreaks by timely warnings sent out by the farm bureau and instructed in the preparation of bait for the eradication of the pest.

The Minnesota Sugar company granted 100 acres as the Pennington county allotment for planting beets, for which they agreed to provide labor. The cost of raising the beets during the past year was $23 per acre as compared with $90 in some instances in 1920. Seven carloads or 240 tons have been shipped to the factory at Chaska from the county and the industry established on a firm foundation.

Livestock Development.

Pennington county exhibited Guernsey cattle at every fair in northwestern Minnesota during the past year, as well as at the state and national dairy shows. The exhibits created a great deal of attention and received high awards wherever they were shown.

Great impetus has been given boys' and girls' club work. There was an enrollment of 125 in the various calf, sheep, pig, poultry potato and bread baking clubs. Miss Helen Satre of St. Hilaire, won fifth prize in the junior livestock show at South St. Paul.

Record of Helpfulness

The success of the annual community picnic was largely due to the work of the farm bureau.

Three hundred farmers were assisted in keeping their record books and 250 income blanks were computed by the bureau. The number of applications for registry of purebred animals numbered 265. Forty-two thousand pounds of wool were pooled through the bureau and sold to the National Wool warehouse at prices ranging from 12 to 29 cens per pound. Extension short courses were held at Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

Many noted speakers were secured to make addresses to the farmers of the county, among them being W. C. Coffey, dean of the agricultural college; N. J. Holmberg, commissioner, and J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture; Dr. F. J. Alway, state division of soils; W. A. McKerrow, livestock expert; B. D. Scott, secretary Minnesota Holstein Breeders' association; W. M. Cavert, farm management, University of Minnesota.

Office Statistics.

Among the other activities of the bureau may be mentioned the securing of 284 laborers for 200 farmers; visiting 1304 farmers during the year; 4,773 office calls relating to county agent's work attended to; 57 meetings held under the auspices of the bureau with a total attendance of 5,075 persons; 1,876 letters mailed; 2,752 telephone calls answered.

CHRISTMAS FINDS U. S. AT PEACE WITH WORLD

The United States is now at peace with all the world.

The third and last peace treaty was concluded on Monday between the United States and Hungary, according to word from Hugh Grant-Smith, American charge at Budapest. Ratifications have been exchanged, he cabled.

Similar treaties have already been made with Germany and Austria.

MARKET DAYS FOR EVERY MONTH OF 1922 DECIDED ON

Merchants Association to Open New Series During Latter Part of January.

The Merchants association of Thief River Falls decided at a meeting held in the Commercial club rooms last Thursday to hold market days every month throughout 1922, beginning in January. Whether one or more days will be devoted to these bargain-giving events on each occasion has not yet been definitely settled but the probabilities are that more than a single day will be favored by the majority.

The plan for the coming year is somewhat different from that followed in the past, particularly as regards the advertising and general publicity campaign. Instead of contracting for a certain amount of space to be used throughout the series and paying the cost thereof to the association, each merchant will deal directly with the newspaper and control absolutely the amount of space to be utilized. In many respects this is the better plan as it permits every advertiser to adjust his expenditures to meet conditions previous to any established market day.

Secretary G. Howard Smith submitted his final report on the trading campaign just closed and was given a vote of thanks for the manner in which he carried out the program of the association and the good judgment used in working out features intended to add interest. It was freely admitted that a large share of the success attending the market day experiment was due to Mr. Smith's untiring efforts and the novel means often employed to secure the attention of the buying public.

STOCK OFFERED IN NEW RAILWAY LINE

Will Run Through Goodridge and Grygla Section to Point in Roseau County.

Articles of incorporation of the Red Lake Northern Railway and Construction company have been filed with the secretary of state and the stock has received the approval of the state securities commission. According to officers of the company, it is the intention to put surveyors into the section between Gatzke and the reservation early in January. Money to pay the cost of preliminaries is to be raised by the sale of stock having a par value of $20 per share. The plan of the company, as set forth by the prospectus, is completing of the survey of a railway extension or branch from a point at or near Nebish, Minn., on the R. L. M. & M. railway, west, and north across the Red Lake Indian reservation through the Grygla and Goodridge districts to a point on the Great Northern railway at or near Roseau, a connection to be made later with the Canadian Northern railway.

Officers of the company are: J. J. Opsahl, president; Leo J. Opsahl, secretary, and John Moberg, treasurer, all of Bemidji; A. J. Anderson, vice president, and O. J. Johnson, assistant secretary, both of Grygla.

Death of O. H. Field.

At the Warren hospital on Monday night occurred the death of O. H. Field of this city from cancer. Deceased was the owner of the Club pool and billiard hall, which he has conducted about a year, coming here from Grafton, N. D. Mrs. Field and a son were present at his bedside at the time of death and accompanied the body to the former family home for burial.

Dr. Blegen, Warren, Heads Red River Valley Medics

Drs. O. F. Mellby and C. M. Adkins attended the annual meeting of the Red River Valley Medical association held in the rooms of the Crookston Association of Public Affairs Friday evening. Physicians from Red Lake Falls, Warren, Stephen, Argyle and Greenbush were also in attendance. Papers of much interest to the entire representation were read by Dr. Bratrud of Warren and Dr. Clark of Greenbush.

During the business session the following officers were elected: President, Dr. H. M. Blegen, Warren; vice president, Dr. O. E. Locken, Crookston; secretary-treasurer, Dr. Lyle Brown, Crookston.

Delegates appointed to attend the state medical meeting in October, 1922, were Dr. Wattem of Warren and Dr. Mellby of Thief River Falls. Alternates, Dr. H. E. Nelson, Crookston, and Dr. Holland, Fisher.

County Creameries Join Statewide Association

A. J. McGuire, state manager of the Co-operative Creamery association, spent two days of last week organizing the creameries in Pennington county. A meeting was held in Thief River Falls on Dec. 16 and at St. Hilaire on Dec. 19. The creameries at both points joined the state association and plan to do all their business through that body in the near future. Mr. McGuire was very well pleased wit hthe outlook in Pennington county and prophesied a very bright future for the dairymen in this section.

State Bonus Claims

The attention of former service men is called to the fact that all state bonus claims must be filed before Dec. 31 in order to receive consideration at the hands of the board. Officers of the local post urge that all who have not yet filed such claims do so before that date. Failure to heed this notice will mean long delay or more likely loss of bonus entirely.

THIEF RIVER MADE HEADQUARTERS OF DAIRYING DISTRICT

Representatives of 30 Creameries Meet Here and Join State Organization.

Representatives of 30 co-operative creameries in the Red River valley district met in Thief River Falls last Friday for the purpose of forming a district organization to work in conjunction with the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association. The new unit is in District No. 14, which has a membership of 55 creameries and an output of over 5,000,000 pounds of butter annually.

Officers were elected as follows: E. O. Melness, Erskine, state director and chairman; Stuart McLeod, Goodridge, first vice chairman; H. N. Nygard, Halstad, second vice chairman; C. B. Goodrich, Greenbush, secretary; E. D. Rydeen, Clearbrook, treasurer. Thief River Falls was designated as headquarters for the district association.

The purpose of the state association is to help creameries improve the quality of butter, ship in carload lots and have representatives in eastern markets to see that the butter is sold to the best possible advantage.

The new association expects soon to include every co-operative creamery in the state in its membership. It is felt that a more uniform product as well as butter of a better grade will follow a better understanding among creamery officials. The fact that 30 creameries were represented at this first meeting is an indication of the interest taken in the movement.

Junior Class Play.

"Ruth in a Rush," a comedy, was presented by the junior class of the Thief River Falls high school at the auditorium Tuesday evening. The attendance was not as large as the presentation merited but just before the holidays is not the most favorable time for staging an attraction of this kind. The parts were all well taken, certain of the performers showing exceptional skill and a fine sense of stagecraft. The musical numbers by the high school orchestra were much appreciated.

Pennington County Man Wins at State Crop Show

L. A. Westphal of St. Hilaire, won the championship for the state on his exhibit of sweet corn at the Minnesota Crop show held in Minneapolis recently.

There were more than 1,200 grain exhibits and scores of entries of garden products and flowers, while ten counties took part in the fruit show. Boys' and girls' clubs showed the best junior potatoe exhibit ever seen at the state show, accordig to A. G. Tolaas, secretary of the Potatoe Growers association.

In the potato division Itasca county took first prize, Kittson second, Koochiching third, and Crow Wing fourth. The corn awards went to southern Minnesota counties, Redwood, Waseka and Lion counties carrying off the winning trophies.

In the northern division Henry Ophus of Erskine was the winner of the championship flint corn prize.

Masons Install Officers.

The officers recently elected by Northern Lodge No. 236, A. F. & A. M., were installed at a special meeting last Tuesday evening. Those who were inducted into office at that time were: Ray Johnson, W. M.; F. F. Haynes, S. W.; Oscar Paulson, J. W.; Andrew Bottelson, secretary; C. L. Hansen, treasurer; William Warner, senior deacon; B. Dan Bjorkman, junior deacon; B. E. Gage, senior steward; Edwin Stebbins, junior steward. O. E. Berge, retiring master, officiated as installing officer. Lunch was served at the close of the ceremony by Joseph Strubeck of the Soo cafe.

KIRBY HELD ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE IN N. D.

Treatment For Cold Alleged to Have Caused Death of Ed. Strum on Decemer 5.

Complaint Charging Practice of Medicine Without License is Not Pressed.

"Dostor" Furnished Bail in Sum of $2,500 For Appearance Next Thursday.

S. R. Kirby is having all kinds of trouble since leaving Thief River Falls and locating at Northwood, N. D. Last week he was arrested on a complaint sworn out by the secretary of the state medical association charging the practice of medicine without a license. A hearing was set for last Thursday and at its conclusion Kirby was re-arrested on a charge of first degree manslaughter in connection with the death of Ed. Strum of Mayville on Dec. 5. Peter Johnson and Mabel Larson, uncle and sister respectively of the deceased, filed the complaint against Kirby.

The Northwood healer was arraigned on the latter charge late Thursday before Justice McLoughlin and released on $2,500 bonds. His case was set for preliminary hearing at Grand Forks Dec. 29. No decision was made by the justice on the preliminary hearing Thursday, as the court desired to hold the case open several days while he looks up matters brought out by the attorneys in the case. State's Attorney T. B. Elton prosecuted the case and Attorney J. F. T. O'Connor appeared for the defense.

Hearing Thursday.

When the hearing was called the court room was crowded to capacity and the corridor of the court house was well filled with interested persons who could not gain entrance to the crowded court room.

Two witnesses were called before the court and testified concerning the activities of Kirby at Northwood. H. C. Hanson of Northwood was called and testified concerning the death of his wife while under the treatment of Kirby. C. W. Wyle, of Northwood, licensed embalmer and undertaker, was also called to the witness stand to testify concerning the signature of Kirby on the death certificate of Mrs. Hanson.

As soon as the court room was cleared following the hearing, Kirby was arrested on a manslaughter charge and shortly afterward was arraigned before Justice McLoughlin.

In the manslaughter charge it is alleged that Ed Strum, who was 30 years of age, went to Kirby on Nov. 18 for treatment for a cold. His throat was painted, it is declared, and the day after he returned to Mayville he became ill and grew worse until his death on Dec. 5.

Post-Mortem Examination.

As a result of the refusal of the undertaker at Mayville to bury the body on the death certificate furnished, a post-mortem examination was conducted by Dr. H. E. French, dean of the medical school of the University of North Dakota, and head of the public health laboratory, and Dr. Aldo C. Massaglia, professor of pathology and bacteriology, and several Mayville physicians.

According to the complaint, they found that there was a pus formation from infection caused by the painting of the throat. According to their statement, the pus seeped down into the lower neck and the pleural cavity, and caused septicemia, which caused the death of Mr. Strum. The examination also revealed, according to the charge, that the deceased had no tuberculosis and that all of his organs were functioning normally and that he had not been ill except for the slight cold.

CREAM SUPPLY IS HOLDING UP WELL

November Always the Poorest Month Shows Big Increase Over Last Year.

November is the poorest month in the year so far as creamery receipts are concerned. Proportionately, however, the period makes even a better showing than the earlier part of the year, the increase being 46 per cent over the corresponding month in 1920. There were 22 patrons whose checks amounted to more than $50, these being as follows:

Hans Anton, $281.21; Jens Kierk, $223.37; P. Engelstad, $213.84; M. T. McFarland, $184.43; Henry Koop, $102.77; Chris Nelson, $74.00; J. J. Hardesty & Son, $72.76; R. M. Johnson, $67.66; G. Wilken, $65.50; E. Edman, $65.36; S. Wiberg, $61.40; O. B. Gunderson, $60.81; Paul Engelstad, $59.90; C. Beiswenger, $57.88; Wm. Holmes, $56.98; O. E. Patnow, $53.00; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $57.54; Henry Pope, $52.58; W. Christenson, $52.58; Carl Mellem, $51.69; K. Finstad, $51.52; H. C. Woolson, $50.72.

Mrs. G. Howard Smith, who has spent a few weeks visiting her parents at St. Paul, is expected to return Sunday morning.

Christmas Programs For Sunday School Children At All Churches in City

The Christmas season promises to be more generally observed in Thief River Falls this year than ever before. The steps taken to see that none are left without some reminder of the holiday are more thorough and extensive than in previous years and if any are overlooked it will not be the fault of those who have given time, study and cash to the end that none shall be missed. It is the intention that there shall be no home within the limits of the city on which Santa Claus does not make a call for some purpose and it is believed that the list of those whom he might miss unless assistance is given is very complete.

At all churches arrangements for the usual festivities have been going on for some time. Christmas trees and appropriate exercises will be the features in all Sunday schools, in many of which elaborate programs have been prepared.

At the Methodist Church.

The Christmas sermon at the Methodist Episcopal church will be preached by the pastor at 11 a. m. on Sunday, the topic being "The Glory Song and the Peace Song." The choir under the leadership of Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., will render the following anthems: "Glory in the Highest," by Carrie D. Adams, and "What Means Those Holy Voices," by John D. Craswell.

The Sunday school entertainment and Christmas tree program will be given at 8 o'clock in the evening, the committee in charge being Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., Mrs. George Randall and Miss Shirley Anderson. Mrs. C. A. Joslin, Mrs. S. M. Poston and Mrs. George Randall constitute the committee on tree and treats. The musical program will be in charge of Mrs. H. R. Pope and the children will be accompanied in their singing by Miss Dorothy Shirley, piano, and Miss Evangeline Robarge, violinist. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

Pageant at Swedish Church.

At the Swedish Evangelical church the Christmas festival will be held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27. The usual program of songs and recitations will open the exercises, the participants being Wilhelm, Gote, Clarence, Edward and Harriet Anderson, Theo., Helga and Gladys Berggren; Nina Moberg, Filmore Malberg, Esther Crown and Hazel Sorenson. Little Earl Crown will pronounce the greeting. There will be two songs by the girls' chorus.

A pageant in four parts, written and arranged by the pastor of the church, Rev. Albin A. Larson, and entitled, "Christ, the Savior of the World—Promised by God, Desired by Men, Proclaimed by the Angels and Adored by the Saints," will be presented under the leadership of Miss Ellen Johnson.

Part 1. Introduced by Harriet Helquist and including Ardeth and Bernice Swenson, Ruth Moline, Arthur Johnson, Carl Johnson, Elmer Helquist, Leslie Sundahl, Harry and Ethel Moline, Wallace Stromberg.

Part 2. Introduced by Vera Peterson, followed by Albin Peterson, Bernice Johnson, Herman Peterson, Ida Fellman and Amy Dahlquist.

Part 3. Introduced by Walter Peterson and Carl Fellman, followed by Mildred Knutson and children of the primary classes: Florence Larson, Harold Fellman, Ardith Ostrum, Florence Larson, Avis Fellman, Edith Knutson, Carmen Moline, Ernest Helquist, Ruby Helquist, Ruby Swenson, Viola Peterson, Alvina Carlson, Raymond Johnson, Welma Stromberg, Wilbur Stromberg, Harold Larson.

Part 4. Introduced by Francis Francis Knutson, followed by Florence Ostrum and Verna Johnson.

The program will close with a scripture passage and prayer by Ellen Johnson, leader.

Doxology.

Presbyterian Church.

Christmas observances at the Presbyterian church will begin on Saturday evening at 7:30, at which time the children's program will be presented, as follows:

Song, "Joy of the World"—Children.
"Cradle Hymn"—Primary Children.
Exercise, "The Crippled Dollies"—Jeanette Mogensen, McLaren Longair, Ila Moe, Jane Protzeller.
"Scaring Santa"—Woodrow Craik.
Song, "Silent Night"—School.
"My Favorite Tree"—Robert White.
Candle Exercise—Primary Children.
Recitation, "It's Hard for Boys Like Me"—Theodore Quale.
Holly, Mistletoe and Evergreen Exercise—Blair Lampert, Douglass Adkins and Walter Kinghorn.
Song, "There's a Song in the Air"—School.
"Christmas Stocking"—Girls of Mrs. H. C. Johnson's Class.
"Christmas Wishes"—Five Girls of Mrs. C. T. Christianson's Class.
"What is Done on Christmas Eve" and "Sleigh Bells"—Mrs. Theo. Quale's Class.
"Christmas Fairy"—Virginia Quale and Esther Haynes.
"While Shepherds Watch Their Flocks by Night"—Boys of E. O. Green's Class, assisted by Girls.
"Christmas in All Lands"—Lillian Johnson, Mabel Sterns, Margaret Patton, Conrlotte Korstad.
"The Favorite Tree"—Harvey Patton, Edward Jardine, Ruel Cook.
"Come Again"—Miss Effie Hamry's Class of Girls.
Santa Claus.

Trinity Lutheran Church.

On Sunday evening—Christmas day—the children of Trinity church invite their friends to witness their Christmas exercises, which will be given at the auditorium, beginning at 7 o'clock. Following is the program:

Prayer—By Rev. T. E. Sweger.
Solo—Wendel Sether.
Exercise, "Welcome"—Mrs. Bloomquist's Class.
Dialogue, "Newsboy Tim"—Mrs. Dale's Class.
Recitations—Lillian Elde's Class.
Dialogue, "Our Motto"—Myrtle Hanson's Class.
Recitations—Corin Adaero's Class.
Song—Bible Class.
Dialogue and Recitations—Mrs. Nelson's Class.
Song—Three Primary Classes; Teachers, Martha Fallness, Effie Christianson, Beatrice Erickson.
Exercise, "Lighting a Star"—Caroline Melby's Class.
Shepherd's Drill—Betsy Ness' and Emily Fossum's Classes.
Drill, "Christmas Branches"—Mrs. G. Tessum's Class.
Dialogue, "Christmas Aid Society"—Ruby Ness' Class.
Drill, "Volunteer Soldier Boys"—Ida Legvold's and Mrs. Campbell's Classes.
Exercise—Gladys Kolden's and Esther Larson's Classes.
Song—Mr. Sether's Class.
Dialogue—Mrs. Halbert's Class.
Offering.
Distribution of Presents.
Distribution of Candy Bags.

St. John's Lutheran Church.

Following is the program by the children of St. John's Lutheran church, to be presented on Saturday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock:

Organ, Prelude—Mrs. Roemhildt.
Hymn by Congregation.
Altar Service and Scripture Reading.
Song by Children—"Come Hither Ye Faithful."
"Come, Let Us Go to Bethlehem"—Loraine Zellmer.
"Die Heilige Christnacht"—Hans Anton, John Geske, Bernard Matthees.
Song by Children—"O Little Town of Bethlehem."
"Shout the Glad Tidings"—Elwood Heinrichs.
"Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht"—Esther Zinter and Anna Zinter.
Questions and Answers—Miss Ruth Lonson and Primary Class.
"Du Kindlein in der Krippe"—Song by Children.
"The Little Town"—Esther Geske.
"Jesus Kommt"—Mathilda Koop and Elvira Matthees.
Questions and Answers—Miss Eleanor Lonson and Junior Class.
"All Praise to Thee, Eternal Lord"—Florence Borgen, Agnes Rupprecht.
"Die Geburt Christi"—Ida Geske, Esther Zinter, Rosa Timm.
"How to Give"—Clara Geske.
"Joy to the World"—Song by the Children.
"No Room in the Inn"—Florence Fox.
"My Room in the Inn"—Stella Borgen.
Questions and Answers—Miss Irene Roemhildt and Primary Class.
"Bei Armen Hirten"—Gustav Timm, Ferdinand Wilken.
"Stille Nacht"—Song by the Children.
"The Angels' Song"—Naomi Heinrichs.
"Shine Stars Tonight"—Ruth Bessler.
"Jesus Christus Geboren"—Edna Koop.
"Glory to God in the Highest"—Song by the Choir.
"Holy Babe"—Mamie Geske.
Questions and Answers—Miss Dorothy Fuller and Primary Class.
"Bthlehem Town"—Ernest Krause.
"The Distant Skies are Beaming"—Song by the Children.
"I Love to Hear the Story"—Alyce Lonson.
"The Anthem Eternal"—Delma Dois.
"Vortrag"—Linda Koop.
"Glory to God in the Highest"—Song by Choir and Children.
Questions and Answers—Miss Margaret Lonson and Junior Class.
"The Traveler and the Shepherds"—Miss Adelaine Roemhildt and Senior Class.
"The Pretty Stars"—Wilma Matthees.
"Hosiana"—Song by Children.
"Die Weisen aus Morgenland"—Frieda Anton.
"He Shall be Called"—Augusta Geske, Eleanor Geske.
"Silent Night"—Song by Children.
"Die Engelschaaren"—Norman Matthees and Albert Koop.
"Song of the Wise Men"—Elvina Geske.
"From Heaven Above"—Lorenz and Leverne Krause.
"Christmas Chimes"—Mildred Geske, Ruth Geske, Marie Geske, Helen Anton.
"Kommt und Lasst Uns Christum Ehren"—Song by Children.
"The Wise Men"—Margaret Geske.
"Gifts for Jesus"—Adolf and Vernon Engelbart.
"Christmas" — Alyce Lonson, Ruth Bessler, Carla Heinrichs, Lillian Rupprecht, Eleanor Kuecks, Phyllis Zellmer, Lucinda Kuecks, Arlene Zellmer.
"O Selige Feierstunde"—Louisa Anton.
"Let Us All With Gladsome Voice"—Song by the Children.
Altar Service and Benediction.
Hymn by Congregation.
Distribution of gifts.
Lord's Prayer in Unison.

Zion Lutheran Church.

The Christmas tree celebration of the Zion Lutheran Sunday school children will be held at the church on Sunday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. A fine tree has been provided and an excellent program arranged. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Above are the only detailed programs available at this time but there will be similar observances in all churches. At St. Bernard's Catholic church the usual Christmas tree celebration for the children will take place on the afternoon of New Year's day.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church.

No meeting of confirmation class Saturday. Next meeting Dec. 31. Divine services Christmas day in Norwegian at 11 a. m. The choir will sing two songs, "I den Stille, Stille Nat," and an English version of "Der Ringes Paa Jord." Children's festival in the evening at the city auditorium. A splendid program. You are cordially invited. Program begins at 7. Services New Year's day. Sermon by Milton Weeks. Young People's program in the evening.—T. E. Sweger, Pastor.

Bethlehem Church.

There will be services in Bethlehem church on Christmas day at 11 o'clock and at Thorvik at 2:30 in the afternoon.—O. I. Raaum, Pastor.

Zion Lutheran Church.

Services Christmas morning with special singing at 11 a. m. Christmas tree festival at 7:45 p. m. Services at Rindal church, Rosewood, the same day at 2 p. m. Prayer meeting at the Iver Wistven home Wednesday evening. Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained Thursday afternoon by the Gran sisters. Zion Young People's Society Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Confirmants meet on Saturday at 2 p. m. at the parsonage. Services at Norden Tuesday at 2 p. m.—George Larson, Pastor.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock at the church on First and LaBree. Subject, Sunday, Dec. 25: "Christian Science." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Open for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church.

Services on Christmas day at 11 in the morning. A Christmas celebration by the Sunday school will be held on Christmas day at 7:30 p. m. The program this year is a better and bigger one than any previous year. You are cordially invited to be present.—Bot Nyborg, Pastor.

First Ev. Lutheran Church.

Services Sunday (Christmas) morning at 5:30. Processional by choir. Vocal solo by Carl Sundahl. Sunday evening 7:45. New Year's wake New Year's eve. Annual business meeting New Year's eve at 8 o'clock. Mission society serving at 9 p. m. New Year's eve.—Albin A. Larson, Pastor.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church.

Christmas program Friday, Dec. 23, at 8 p. m. Service "Julatta" on Christmas morning at 5:30. St. Hilaire church: Services Christmas day at Black River at 11 a. m. and at St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. All welcome to sing praise to the New-born King with us.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school next Sunday at 9:45. Regular services 11 o'clock. Junior Endeavor meeting 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor 7 p. m. Men's Bible class 7:30 p. m.

Bethania Church Services.

There will be services at the Bethania church at the Big Bend on the afternoon of Christmas day at 3 oclock. Rev. Sabo of Mavie will deliver the sermon.

WELFARE MEETING MOST SUCCESSFUL OF ENTIRE SERIES

Section Well Represented and Many Subjects of Importance Are Discussed.

The regional child welfare conference which closed in this city last Thursday night was the best and most successful thus far held in the state, according to William Hodgson, state director of child welfare bureaus. It was the fourth in a series of five scheduled to be conducted at different points at this time as a sort of experiment. After one more regional meeting the matter of continuing the work will be considered, there being considerable demand from other cities for similar meetings, Detroit and Crookston being among the places asking to be selected as headquarters.

Owing to a misunderstanding of the announcements and for the further reason that a number of other attractions divided attention with the conference, the attendance at the evening meeting was small. This, according to officials, was the only disappointment.

Very few changes in the published program were found necessary. Theo. Quale of this city presided at the first session, Rev. A. T. Tollevs of Warren finding it impossible to be present. All papers read were exceptionally good. The afternoon session was devoted entirely to a discussion of school problems and the danger of permitting the attendance of young people at dances where no supervision is exercised.

At the evening session Mrs. J. M. Bishop spoke of the progress being made in the district for child welfare. Miss Maude L. Johnson led the community singing, which was a feature. Mr. Quale delivered the address of welcome in place of Mayor Bratrud, who was out of the city. A solo by Carl Sundahl closed the meeting.

Those from outside the county who attended the conference were: Mrs. Mildred D. Mudgett, department of sociology, University of Minnesota; Miss Caroline Crosby, St. Paul; William Hadgson, director of children's bureau, St. Paul; Lucile Quinlan, district representative, St. Paul; Loretta C. Newman, social worker, David Johnson, superintendent of schools, Elizabeth M. Hanson, county nurse, Marshall county; Erba Poullot, county superintendent, Red Lake county; L. E. Healy, Red Lake Falls; Mrs. W. W. Lessler, Oklee, member Red Lake board; Hans Hanson, county superintendent, Hallock; Mrs. G. M. Stebbins, Roseau; O. F. Hawkins, superintendent, Stephen.

MINNESOTA COUNTY ONE OF FIRST FIFTY IN FARM PRODUCTS

Census Report, However, Fails to State Which One Holds This Distinction.

Citrus fruits and walnuts have placed Los Angles county, Calif., first in rank of all counties of the country in the value of agricultural products, according to the Bureau of Census, which has just made public a list of the fifty counties leading all others in 1919 in the worth of their agricultural products. Hay and forage are also important crops which helped swell the total of Los Angles county's farm products to $71,579,899 in value that year

Next to Los Angles county comes Fresno county, also in California, the value of whose grapes, peaches, hay and forage and dairy and dairy producers is placed at $55,110,101 for the year. Aroostook county, Me., a large producer of potatoes, ranks third, its products totaling $54,376,- Joaquin county, Calif., whose crops Joaquin county, Calif.,whose crops were worth $41,191,240 in the year. Potatoes, grapes, barley and hay and forage, in the order named, constituted the principal agricultural products of that county.

Lancaster county, Pa., whose leading crop was tobacco, was fifth with products valued at $40,776,212; Yakima, Wash., with apples leading in the list of farm products, was sixth; Tulare, Calif., with grapes as the first product, seventh; and Sonoma, Calif., whose chief agricultural industry was the raising of poultry, eighth. Whitman county, Wash., ninth on the list, is the first grain raising county to rank among the leaders. Dane county, Wis., with dairy products leading is tenth.

The 50 leading agricultural counties were distributed among the several states as follows: California, 13; New York, 7; Illinois, 5; Texas, 4; South Carolina, 4; North Carolina 3; Washington, 2; Wisconsin, 2; and 1 each for Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, Maine, Minnesota and Mississippi.

ROAD WORKERS TO PUSH WINTER JOBS

Crews Move Promptly After Contracts Are Signed. Jobs For 7,500.

Road building outfits are moving on locations in nearly every section of the state this week, Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, having made contracts under tentative awards previously published in the winter trunk highway program to reduce unemployment.

Contractors are pledged to push the work and the big part of 300 miles of gravel surfacing and 60 miles of grading just let in to be completed by April 1 under the contracts, says a bulletin from the state highway department. On a team work basis this work would furnish jobs for more than 7,500 men, according to an unofficial estimate.

Commissioner Babcock began closing contracts on lowest bids upon returning from the Omaha meeting of the American Association of State Highway officials, of which he was elected president. Rechecks of the many bids on each job completed in the meantime, all efforts were directed toward starting actual work in the field.

Twin city truck owners protested that contractors were taking work at less than cost. Commissioner Babcock announced that the work must be done by the contractors or their bondsmen at the rate specified in the successful bids, and that he has no interest in the controversy with the truck owners. Congratulating the commissioner upon his success, the The St. Paul Dispatch added: "All evidence points to the fact that Mr. Babcock has given a good bargain in these contracts for the people of the state, and that our roads are being built under the contract system at a minimum cost to the taxpayers."

KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES.

Anoka Union: An exchange says that progress in America is reflected by the fact that 25 years ago everyone was buying a bicycle on the installment plan and now everybody is buying a car in the same way.

A TALK WITH A THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN

Mr. R. J. Halvorsen, Printer, of 410 Riverside Ave., Tells His Experience.

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We, therefore, give herewith an interview with a Thief River Falls man:

"My kidneys gave me quite a bit of trouble," says Mr. Halvorsen. "They didn't act normally and bothered me quite a bit by their irregularity. I was feeling pretty mean and easily tired. I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and it was only a short time before I noticed a change in my condition. My kidneys again acted normally and I was benefited a great deal."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Halvorsen had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs. Buffalo, N. Y.

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If You Ship Us Your
HIDES - FURS
Write Us FIRST For Special Information
Established 1867
DEAL DIRECT with the LARGEST and OLDEST HOUSE IN THE WEST.
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Write for price list, tags and full information
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ST. PAUL - MINN.

Christmas!

Is there a season of the year that means more to the hearts of old and young alike than Christmas time!

To the young folks it is the one day of all the year toward which their thoughts turn most gladly and eagerly.

To grown-ups it is the time for the homecoming—the reunion and the renewing of home ties and friendships.

To all in the circle of our acquaintance and friendships we, too, would extend our sincere wishes for a Happy Christmas.

Citizens State Bank

Lieberman Brothers

desire to express their appreciation
of your patronage, and extend to
you their best wishes for a
Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year

Thief River Falls, Minnesota

Read! Think! Ponder!

a real "honest-to-goodness"

Removal and Discount
Sale of
"Gifts that Last"

Goods and merchandise that you really
need and want—right now.

Books, Photo Holders, Dolls,
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What more acceptable and appropriate
Christmas gift can be found?

Profit by Existing Conditions
BECAUSE: We have to move Dec. 27.
BECAUSE: Prices have dropped.
BECAUSE: The Farmer, the Laborer and others have taken their losses—we are taking ours now.

40 per cent Off Dec. 21-23
Our Loss----Your Profit

Laird's Specialty Shop
COME—BE CONVINCED SHOP EARLY
107 East Third Street

Puritas Ice Cream

A Reminder.
And a Good Sound Suggestion.

Leave your orders now for them.

Special Ice Cream Bricks
For your Chirstmas Dinner Dessert

It is a Vanilla Brick, with either a heart or bell center mould. Strawberry flavored. A very attractive brick for the season.

A KIEWEL PRODUCT

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Phone 164 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

Our cordial greetings go out to you in the hope that the New Year will be bigger, brighter and more prosperous than any before.

Northwestern Auto Co.
K. A. SUNDAHL, Prop.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

Wishing you
The Season's Greetings
and assuring you of keen appreciation
of your good will and patronage.
With sincere Christmas Greetings, accept
also our cordial wish for Abundant Pros-
perity and Contentment as your lot.

McFarland Auto Co.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

Appreciating your business and hoping that the pleasant relations now existing between us will continue, we wish you much happiness and prosperity for the New Year.

Holt-George Comyany
Plumbing & Heating

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

Your kind co-operation has contributed materially to our success and we appreciate it most cordially. Accept our best wishes for a bright and prosperous New Year.

Chas. Lieberman

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

May you have a Christmas
that will linger long in
the treasure chest of
your memory.

Simonson's Meat & Grocery

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

We desire to extend to you the Compliments of the Season and express our sincere wishes for your prosperity the coming year, with a continuance of the cordial relations existing between us.

Black's Sweet Shop

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

The Season is at hand when we gladly welcome the opportunity to extend to you the Warmest Holiday Greetings and to express our appreciation of that intangible and invaluable asset, Goodwill, that you have so kindly bestowed on us the past year and which we fully reciprocate.

Carl Christofferson & Co.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

We wish through these columns to extend our heartfelt thanks for your patronage during the past year. We look forward to the New Year with much pleasure. We wish you much of Health and Joy during the holidays and the New Year.

The Kleanall Co.
Tailors
DAHL & REITER

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

May contentment share with prosperity in all your efforts throughout the coming year.

Our sincere wish is that the New Year will bring better conditions for our farmer friends and that a spirit of co-operation between the farmers and the business men will prevail, all of which will help toward making a more contented and prosperous people.

C. Gustafson & Son

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

We take this opportunity of expressing to you
Our deepest appreciation of the cordial
Relationship which has existed between us in the past.
May it continue indefinitely. Accept our
Greetings and warmest regards.

Larson Furniture Co.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

The Officers and Directors of the Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls, Minn., extend to you their best wishes for your happiness this Christmas and throughout the New Year.

Farmers & Merchants State Bank

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ONE AND ALL

We heartily wish you a cheerful Christmas, Unmeasured Happiness and good fortune throughout the coming years.

With grateful appreciation for all the favors received from you, we shall strive to merit your continued confidence and good will in the future.

Kiewel Products Co.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

We just want to wish you a good old Merry Christmas and to extend a hearty wish that the New Year will bring you all the prosperity and happiness that you can wish for yourself.

C. Froseth

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

We desire to extend to you the compliments of the season and express our sincere wishes for your prosperity the coming year, with a continuance of the cordial relations existing between us.

City Bakery

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

Like the treasure ship of olden times, full-fraught with precious things, so may Christmas and the New Year come to you laden with all that will make for your Happiness and Contentment.

Union Plumbing and Heating Company

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

At this Holiday Season we wish to express to you our appreciation of past favors and sincerely wish you and yours a Joyful Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

Roy Lambert

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

At this Holiday Season think of our customers as our friends. We like to feel that in a broad sense our customers are our partners—that our success is but the reflection of theirs, and so on the eve of a New Year, we extend to you our hearty good wishes.

Nortz Lumber Co.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

With full appreciation of the many courtesies shown during the past year we extend our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

City Meat & Grocery
E. L. Rolland

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

We trust the past year has brought you
Success and extend best wishes
For continued and increased prosperity
During 1922.

A. M. Langseth

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

As poinsettias gay are shedding their radiance around
May all the joys of Christmas with you and yours abound.
In appreciation of your good will we extend the Season's Greetings
And wish for you a most prosperous New Year.

Thief River Dress Club

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

At this Holiday Season we express to you our appreciation of past favors and wish you a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

Jung Brothers

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

GOODWILL

The season prompts us to express to you our appreciation of that intangible and invaluable asset—Goodwill—that you have so kindly bestowed on us during the past year and which we fully reciprocate. We extend to you all the compliments of the season, wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy, Prosperous New Year.

Oen Mercantile Company

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

Not because it is an honored custom, but because of the sincerity of our appreciation, we take this opportunity to thank you for the part you have played in our business prosperity the past twelve months, and we wish you a good old Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Winton-Nichols Lumber Co.

Wishing You A Merry Christmas

With grateful appreciation of all the favors received by us from you and for that priceless though intangible asset, your Good Will, which we prize beyond measure, we seek to merit your continued confidence and aim to serve you faithfully in the future.
Sincerely,

The Prichard Co.

City News

J. E. Nelson, Soo line engineer, was a Minneapolis visitor Monday.

N. J. Silk returned Tuesday morning from a business visit to Minneapolis.

Get your Tanlac where they've got it. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d22

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rumbeck spent Monday in Minneapolis on business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Ed. Lambert of Red Lake Falls attended to shopping here between trains yesterday.

G. M. Harner, science instructor, will spend the Christmas vacation at Cloquet with his family.

Miss Lyda Batten, who teaches at the Central school, will spend her vacation at her home at Rosewood.

Miss Belva Foxen, principal at the Knox school, will spend the holidays at her home at Stevens Point, Wis.

Miss Lorna Dodge, teacher of history at the Central school, left today for her home at Rock Lake to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stenberg left yesterday morning for Baudette to visit the latter's parents over the Christmas holidays.

Miss Clara Baumann, teacher in physical training, will leave tonight for her home at LaCrosse, Wis., to spend the holidays.

Norman Holen arrived last evening from Argyle and will leave this evening for his home in Minneapolis to remain over Christmas.

Miss Beulah Chamberlain, teacher in English, will leave this evening for Yankton, S. D., to visit her parents over the holiday vacation.

Have you seen the Sanitary Toilets at Bean's Furniture Bargain Store? They cost only $10.50 complete.—Advertisement. d22

Miss Esther Smith will leave tonight for Amherst, Wis., to spend two weeks visiting her parents. Miss Smith teaches at the Knox school.

Miss Amy Nelson, who teaches near Minneapolis, is expected this week to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson.

Miss Bernadette Gormley, history teacher at the high school, will leave tonight for her home in St. Paul to remain during the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. J. P. Hawkins arrived yesterday from Foam Lake, Sask., having been called to this city because of the death of her sister, Mrs. Olaf Hanson.

Mrs. A. Anderson arrived yesterday from Crookston to spend the Christmas holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Miss Aldora Borg will leave tomorrow for her home at Rolette, N. D., to spend her Christmas vacation. Miss Berg is one of the teachers at the Northrop.

Misses Emma and Laura Jorgenson, teachers in the local schools, will leave this evening for their home at Leeds, N. D., to remain over the Christmas vacation.

The Sanitary Toilets for sale at Bean's Furniture Bargain Store are just the thing for cold weather. Price complete only $10.50.—Advertisement. d22

Miss Miriam Bishop arrived this morning from Minneapolis, where she attends the university, to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop.

Misses Edna Ryff and Florence Payne, teachers in the local schools, leave this evening for their respective homes at Paynesville and Watertown, where they will remain over the holidays.

Miss Evelyn Tessum, who is in her third year as a student of nursing at the state university, is in the city to spend the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tessum.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tessum of Harmony, Minn., arrived this week for a visit at the home of their uncle, Olaf Tessum. The visitors are on their honeymoon trip and expect to return to their home next week.

"I have taken eight bottles of Tanlac and have actually gained 40 pounds in weight and feel better and stronger than I have felt before in twenty-five years," says O. H. Mahaffy, of Nashville, Tenn. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d22

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. K. Newcomb are expected to arrive Sunday morning from Madison, S. D., where they had spent a week visiting the former's parents, and will spend several days as guests of Mrs. Newcomb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson. Mrs. Newcomb was formerly Miss Gladys Nelson.

Is That Cold and Cough Hanging On?

YOU will be convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery does just what it is meant to do—soothes cough-raw throats, congestion-tormented chests, loosens the phlegm pack and breaks the obstinate cold and grippe attack, relieves the congestion in the head. No harmful drugs, therefore good for children as well as grownups. Right away you will notice the change for the better. Has a convincing, healing taste that you will appreciate. Buy a bottle at any druggists on the way home to-night, 60c.

Dr. King's New Discovery
For Colds and Coughs

Lazy People, Lazy Bowels. Don't neglect constipation. It undermines the health, takes all vim out of you. Dr. King's Pills will invigorate the system, stir up the liver, move the bowels. All druggists, 25c.

PROMPT! WON'T GRIPE
Dr. King's Pills

Welcome 1922!
Adieu 1921!
Happy New Year to All!

With the festivities of a joyous Christmas season ended, we join you in looking forward to a new year—a year which we trust will be filled with an abundance of good health, happiness and prosperity for all.

In extending our hearty new year greeting, we are mindful of your liberality to us during the past 12 months. We indeed would be ungrateful were we not to appreciate it.

By your help and co-operation and that of hundreds of thousands of others whom our 312 stores have been privileged to serve, we have been able to perform a real benefaction to all by forcing a revision of prices downward on merchandise of daily consumption.

We part with the old year feeling that we did our best to deserve the support of our friends and patrons, and we have been suitably rewarded.

During the coming year we pledge our utmost to perform justly and with equality to all, our responsible position of distributors to the public.

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A Busy 1922 In All J. C. Penney Co. Stores Has Been Planned!

The old year has nearly passed. A young, hopeful new year awaits just outside to take its place.

Another twelve months of mercantile success have been added to our rapidly accumulating achievements.

We shall cross the threshold of 1922 with confidence, anticipating it as the period of greatest usefulness and progress in our nearly twenty years in business.

With new plans, new aspirations, new determination, we shall start self-commissioned to serve even beyond reasonableness, the public that has placed such implicit confidence in us in the past.

We expect to add pleasure to the satisfaction you have experienced in buying from us in days past, and to that end nothing shall prevent our utmost efforts.

Our New York buying staff has planned an eventful and aggressive merchandising program for 1922 in which you and your friends may participate with unusual profit and satisfaction.

In the future as in the past, our stores will stand as a friend should stand, steadfastly a servant of the public,

J. C. PENNEY CO.

Money Savers' Year-End Economies!

1921—Just a few days remain of a busy, eventful year, but they are days of real economies! Our year-end preparedness is your year-end advantage. Every department in our store contributes to make your after-Christmas purchases genuine money savers. Visit our store and look around leisurely. You'll find things in each department that will help you to start right in the new year—**1922**

Notions

30 yds. Spool darning cotton, all colors, 2 for	5c
Heavy and fine wire hair pins, 2 for	5c
Rubber kid hair curlers	19c
Stickerei trimming braids	5c
Jap Rose tlcum powder	10c
Children's garters	10c
Hickory garters	23c
Jap Rose soap	9c
Pen Olive toilet soap	5c
Colgate's tooth paste	10c
Ric Rac, all colors	10c
Bias tape	8c
Rubberized bibs	10c
Tatting shuttles	15c
Dura Bell double mesh hair nets	10c
Rust proof hooks and eyes and snaps	4c
Fine pearl buttons, card	5c
Wilson and Parker waist garters	39c
Coats' crochet cotton	10c
Coats' spool cotton thread	4c

Meritas Table Oil Cloth, yd.
29c

Hose

Ladies' lisle black and brown hose	10c
Ladies' home knit wool hose	98c
Ladies' outsize Burson hose	39c
Misses' heavy fleece hose	25c
Infants' Cashmere hose	25c
Infants' silk heel and woo ltoe hose	39c
Children's black lisle hose	39c
Ladies' pure silk thread hose	98c

Gray, navy, black, cordiva. This is a good value and must be seen to be appreciated. Here is where we say: "Comparison is a true test of value."

Men's Socks

Men's heavy sox	25c 29c 39c
Boys' heavy sox	39c
Boys' heavy fillers	98c
Men's cotton sox	10c 15c 19c
Men's lisle hose	25c
Men's silk sox	49c 75c 98c

WARM MITTENS

Men's warm lined all leather mitts	58c 65c 75c
Men's fine dress mitts	98c
Boys' pig skin, war lined	39c
Men's cotton gloves	10-15-19
Men's warm liners	15c & 19c

Ladies' Coats

Raccoon Collar Chappie Coats
$19.75

Oppossum and Wombat Collar Chappie Coats
$19.75

Pico Silk Plush Coats, large sizes
$19.75

Brown Velour Coats
$14.75

Bolivia Cloth Coats
$19.75

Waists and Blouses

Tan Guimp Waist	1.49
Georgette Waists	2.98 and 3.98
Crepe de Chine Waists	2.98

Sweaters

Fine Jersey Tuxedos	3.98
Slip Over Tiebacks	2.98
High Neck Skating Sweaters	3.98

All the new novelty colors.

Dresses

Blue Serge and Tricotine
$7.90

Fine Beaded Trimmed Gabardine, Tricotines and Serges
$16.50

Canton Crepes and Charmeuse Satin in various shades
$14.75

Misses' Wool Dresses, sizes 8 to 11
$8.90 $9.90 $12.50

Skirts

Velour Plaid and Stripes
$3.98

Accordeon Pleated Serges
$4.98

Men's Shirts

Men's Dress Shirts
98c

Men's Flannel Shirts
98c

Men's Silk Shirts
$3.98

Boys' Flannel Shirts
98c

Boys' Blouses
69c

Dry Goods

36 in. Silkolines, per yard	15c
Serpentine Crepes, per yard	22c
Heavy Flannelettes, dark assorted, per yard	19c
36 in. Heavy Percales, light and dark, yard	17c
Hevy Fancy Outing Flannel, yard	14c
220 Blue Denim Overall goods, yard	25c
Fancy Feather Ticking, per yard	39c
Good Dress Ginghams, per yard	15c
American Prints, Calico, per yard	10c

White Goods

Good Toweling, yd.	8c
Blenched Toweling, yd.	15c
All Linen Toweling, yd.	19c
Large heavy Turkish Towels	19c
42x36 heavy Blenched pillow cases	25c
81x90 Heavy seamless Sheets	1.23
72x90 Good quality Sheets	79c

Underwear

Women's Dutch Neck elbow sleeve union suit	98c
Women's heavy fleece union suits	1.69
Women's silk and wool no sleeve u. suit	1.98
Women's all wool union suits, no sleeves	2.49
Misses' heavy fleece union suits	98c
Children's heavy fleece union suits	79c
Misses' part wool union suits	1.49
Men's heavy fleece union suits	1.98
Men's all wool union suits	4.50
Men's wool process union suits	1.69
Boys' heavy fleece union suits	98c
Infants' Reuben all wool shirts	89c
Infants' all wool wrappers	73c

MEN'S Suits and Overcoats

SUITS

Blue Serge, All Wool
$19.75

Grey Serges, All Wool
$19.75

Young Men's Fancy Models, All Wool
$19.75

Hard Finish Mixtures
$16.50

High School Clothes, fancy mixtures and weaves
$17.50

OVERCOATS

Men's Sheep Lined Ulsters
$14.75

Men's Belt Model Wombat Collar, Sheep Lined
$19.75

Men's Chesterfield All Wool Broadcloth
$24.75

Young Men's Large Shawl Collar Dress Coat
$19.75

Men's Heavy Chinchilla Coat
$22.50

Shoes

Women's black kid, military heel
3.98 4.98 5.90

Women's French heel black kid	2.98
Growing girls' gun metal	2.98
Misses' fine gun metal	2.69
Children's fine gun metal	2.49
Boys' fine English cut shoes	3.50
Youths' fine English cut shoes	3.98
Men's good Blucher calf	2.98
Men's fine English brown kid	4.98
Men's fleeced rubbers	1.39
Men's low cut overshoes	1.69
Men's one buckle overshoes	1.98
Men's four buckle overshoes	3.50
Women's fleeced rubbers	98.
Women's unlined rubbers	75c

Children's and Misses fleeced rubbers
89c and 75c

All rubber footwear first grade

Sleeping Robes

Women's Flannel Gowns, all sizes	98c
Women's Fancy Trimmed Gowns	1.25
Women's Billie Burke Pajamas	1.69
Misses' Sleeping Gowns	79c
Misses' Pajamas, 10, 12 and 14	98c
Children's Pajamas, 10, 12 and 14	$1.49
Children's Gowns, 4 to 12	69c
Ladies' Flannel Skirts	39c
Ladies' Knit Skirts	98c to 1.49
Misses' Knit Skirts	49c to 98c
Children's Knit Skirts	49c
Women's Sateen Bloomers, all colors	98c to 1.49
Women's Gingham Petticoats	69c

Draperies

Heavy Mesh Marquesette, yd.	49c
Lace Edge Col. Marquesette, yd	39c
48 in. Fine Felet Netting, yd.	98c
36 in. Fine Colored Scrim, yd.	19c
36 in. Arcola Drapery, yd.	59c

Rugs

9x12 Liberty Axminster Rug
$24.75

8.3x10.6 Tapestra Rug
$19.75

9x12 Wilton Velvet
$29.75

School Tablets

90 Large Sheets	9c
75 Large Sheets	5c
180 Large Sheets	8c

Blankets

72x84 All Wool Blankets	9.90
72x84 Woolnap Plaid Blankets	4.69
72x84 Down Filled Comforters	2.98
Full Size Woolnap Blankets	3.98
72x84 Heavy Cotton Blankets	2.98
Full Size Cotton Blankets	1.89
Crib Blankets	89c 1.25 to 1.98
Large Heavy Camp Blankets	2.98

Cotton Batts

3 lbs. Full size, fluffy	73c
72x90 Wool Batts	$2.19

Caps

Boys' Aviation caps	49c
Boys' fur in band cap	49c
Hockey cap, heavy	98c
Men's wool judge caps	75c
Men's leather caps	1.49
Scotch caps	98c
Young men's fine dress caps	1.49

Moose Hide Moccasins

Sizes 11 to 2	1.98
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MERRY CHRISTMAS.

The Times wishes its readers everywhere a Merry Christmas.

The season loses none of its characteristics or importance simply because things may not be as rosy as could be wished. Compared with people in other sections of the world, ours is an enviable state. There is little actual want even if less of surplus than in some previous years. The spirit of good will is as much in evidence as ever—in fact more so as there is greater need for its expression.

The people of Thief River Falls are going about celebrating the anniversary in the right way. On every hand there is a desire to see that those who may have but little to remind them that it is a time of good cheer shall first be looked after. This is vastly better for all concerned than lavish and foolish expenditure for things that are of no lasting value.

Our people seem this year to have unanimously decided that all their Christmas giving shall include two classes only: the children and the poor. This is as it should be and comes nearer meeting the injunctions laid upon us than any other form of observance. The program mapped out will prove more satisfactory to both donors and recipients than any other that could be devised. We are celebrating Christmas as usual but our way of doing it has assumed a more sensible form.

HAS THE WRONG IDEA.

Carl Berg, a resident of Erskine, in an open letter to the Minneapolis Journal, voices his objection to the Red Lake drainage project. Every sentence in his communication proves that he has an entirely wrong view of the proposition. This would not be a matter of much importance were it not for the fact that others, no better acquainted with the facts than Mr. Berg, might get the same impression.

In the first place the correspondent seems to be under the impression that the principal object of this drainage project is the reclamation of lands now unoccupied. He also states that the farmers of the section are opposed to the enterprise because of its cost and is of the opinion that a sufficient amount of ditching has been done for the present.

In the first place this work was undertaken for the relief of the farmers already residing in the Red Lake and Clearwater river basin. These have sustained heavy losses in the past by reason of the rivers overflowing their banks at certain seasons of the year and in many cases have been compelled to abandon their farms for this reason. The only way in which their condition can be helped is by providing more adequate outlets for the ditches already constructed, and for this reason the Red Lake Conservancy district project contemplates the straightening and dredging of these two rivers, thus increasing their capacity and speeding up the flow. More ditches without first providing adequate outlets for flood waters would only make matters worse, and this is fully realized by the commission, even if Mr. Berg has overlooked the point.

This enterprise was undertaken at the request of 300 farmers residing in the Red Lake and Clearwater river basins. Two hundred bona-fide farmers from the same section attended the two hearings on the project and in no case was opposition expressed. Bonds totaling $2,500 for each of these undertakings were signed by a large number of farmers and filed with the petitions. This would indicate that Mr. Berg is mistaken in the statement that the farmers do not want this improvement.

Mr. Berg is of the opinion, evidently, that inasmuch as nothing has been done to provide flood control in the past there is no need of any such action now. It is undoubtedly true that the matter should have received attention before this time, but the records show attempts to secure favorable action on some such project as that now proposed was begun in 1892 and has been before congress and the people of the district ever since. This is not a new idea—it is the result of a continuous campaign extending over a period of 20 years.

Money has in the past been wasted in attempts to provide adequate drainage for the lands in the Red Lake and Clearwater basins and it is with the intention of stopping this waste that the larger and more comprehensive program has been launched. Additional ditches without additional outlet facilities would be a grave mistake and prove more harmful than beneficial. It is for this reason that the conservancy commission will give its attention to the outlet streams first. Control of waters at the source of the Red Lake river will insure an even flow in that stream the year around. As matters now stand the farmer is flooded out at certain times of the year while the waterpower enterprises farther down are handicapped for lack of water during the remainder of the season. Any plan that will relieve the farmer in flood time and provide power for the manufacturer during the low water period is certainly worthy of consideration. That is the aim of the Red Lake drainage and conservancy project.

THE WINTER SHOWS.

Far and wide has the reputation of the Red River Valley's Winter Shows extended. From the International at Chicago; from Toronto, Ontario; from Sioux City, Iowa; from Portland, Oregon; from Brandon, Manitoba, and from many other points, have inquiries come about them. And well they may. Seldom can an agricultural affair be found, outside of state fairs, in which a larger number of organizations are interested, or in which a larger number of individuals, scattered over as large an area as the Red River Valley, take active part. When the Winter Shows first came into existence, the Northwest School of Agriculture alone had connection with them. Then the Minnesota Red River Valley Development association lent its aid in staging the exhibits and meetings, on account of the space available at the school becoming too small. Since then the number of organizations has increased each year until some 15 or 20 are now directly interested in conducting the big affair, each organization having its particular part in the promotion of valley agriculture or educational matters.

Notwithstanding the lessened activities in agricultural and live stock circles at the present time, the coming Winter Show looks as though it would far surpass any of previous years in both the matter of importance and point of attendance. There is reason for this. When all is said and done, the shows are first, last and foremost, for educational purposes. They are, in fact, but enlargements of the Northwest School of Agriculture's farmers' week and short course. Conditions are in themselves compelling a definite and decisive change, or changes, in farming in the Northwest, and the progressive farmers of the valley are getting all of the best information it is possible for them to procure.

In addition to the technical information to be obtained through the short course lectures and demonstrations, the opportunities afforded for the interchange of ideas during the week of the Winter Shows is a big attraction to many farmers.

Then, in addition to the valuable instruction that is to be obtained through the lectures and the demonstrations, exhibitions of stocks, grain, potatoes, etc., is the unrivaled entertainment of the very highest order, that is afforded through the evening programs. At these, speakers of national prominence have appeared. The singing each evening by the entire audience has added a zest that in itself has been worth a lot to each and every person. And the coming gatherings promise to prove no exception to the standing that has been established through the several successive years of Winter Shows of the Red River valley.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

T. B. or not T. B. is the question. It will be the latter if you invest in Christmas seals.

The farmer who keeps dairy cows is not worrying these days. The cows are keeping him.

Make sure that there will be no wrinkle in the belly of any Baudette kiddie Christmas. Help the woman's club with its basket fund.

Eyestrain is increasing, according to specialists. It's difficult to walk along the streets and give the eyes a rest these days.

The acrobats who come to Baudette under the disguise of jazz orchestras are getting more comical every day. All they need to make a circus is the elephants and peanuts.

We saw five men drinking out of the same bottle the other night. Bad manners but good friends.

"Dr." Kirby has been arrested and a lot of former patients hope that he gets it where they got it—in the neck.

If Santa Claus fills all the stockings as full as some of those you see on Baudette streets, nobody will have any kick coming.

Baudetters are mystified as to the source of the moonshine that finds its way into the village. It's a secret still.

PAINFUL PROCEEDINGS.

Hibbing Tribune: Paying for a dead horse is nothing to paying the tax on a spent income.

Hogs Wanted

We are in the market for hogs at all times and will pay the highest market price. Phone us for dates on which to bring them in.

NEW MEAT MARKET
Phone 63

EFFERVESCENCE

Fifty-Fifty is Argot For an Equal Division.

"What's your opinion about the hyphenated business?"

"Oh, so long as nobody take the hyphen out of fifty-fifty I should worry."

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A person who can't sing, but will, ought to be muzzled, says Harry Protzeller.

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After all, it isn't your needs that keep you broke. It's your wants.

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The Dec. 3 issue of the Saturday Evening Post was designated the "Merrie Christmas" number. Next week will be the Fourth of July number.

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The man who used to have his hair cut by his mother now has a son who has his finger nails cut by a flapper while the barber is shampooing his hair and the porter is shining his shoes.

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"When a cannibal woman won't do do a thing she won't, and no man can force her to change her mind," reports Mrs. H. F. Gilbert, a returned missionary from Africa. In which we fail to distinguish any great difference in habit from a whole lot of women hereabouts, although we number no known cannibals on our calling list.

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This is Bring Up Your Own Coal Week.

A press dispatch imparts the news that a well known banker on the Pacific coast would be a farmer if he had his life to live over again. What would you do? If you ask us—well, we'd like to be a pugilist so we could paste a couple of guys we know in the jaw.

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News Item: At Dannemore State Hospital, it was reported today, the prisoner has so far recovered that he asked to be sent back to Sing Sing. Removal of the bullet has cured him of insanity. Some cure, we'll say.

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Little Known Facts of History.

Milton wrote "Paradise Regained" after his mother-in-law died.

The Farmer.

The farmer tills the stubborn soil
From dawn till chilly eve,
He breaks the clods for weary rods,
With many a heart-felt heave—
He milks the cows at break of day
And plows the corn and mows the hay.

He feeds the frisky pigs at dawn,
And spades the frozen field,
For garden sass and sassafras
And other country yield.
He cranks the Ford and hustles down
To sell the chuck to folks in town.

The farmer breaks his bending back
For sixteen hours each day,
With mighty sweats he pays his debts
And keeps the wolf away.
He toils away in cold and heat,
For stuff for city folks to eat.

And when his bending back gives way
And neighbors lay him out
In his Sunday best, he'll get a rest—
His first, beyond a doubt.
In some Elysian, shining field
Where town-folks do not eat the yeld.

A blotter absorbs everything and gives out nothing. Don't be a blotter.

Minnesota Historical Notes

Minnesota Newspapers Preserved For Posterity.

Over 600 newspapers and periodicals out of a total estimated at 1000 are regularly received, filed and bound for permanent preservation in the library of the Minnesota Historical Society at St. Paul, according to the biennial report just issued by the society.

Among the newspapers received are at least one from every county in the state with the single exception of Clearwater. The Thief River Falls Times is included in the list. The papers and magazines are all contributed regularly by the publishers, but the society bears the expense of binding.

Hennepin and Ramsey counties head the list with 117 and 100 publications respectively; the numbers from the other counties range from one to 23. The bulk of the papers received are weeklies, which number 402, but there are 29 dailies, 20 quarterlies, 10 biweeklies, 6 semi-weeklies, 3 which appear three times a year, and 2 semi-annuals.

The newspaper files are used a great deal by historical writers, by lawyers seeking evidence of the publication of legal notices, and even by the publishers themselves. The destruction of office files of newspapers in the fire zone in 1918 suddenly made more than one editor thankful for the existence of the state files.

Minnesota a Center for Scandinavian Records.

Concentrate all the historical records of the Scandinavians in the United States in the library of the Minnesota Historical society, is the plea of Theodore C. Blegen in an article in the last issue of the Minnesota History Bulletin, published by that society. Every writer on the history of the Scandinavians in the Northwest is handicapped by the scarcity and scattered condition of many of the most needed sources, says Mr. Blegen. The article, which is entitled, "The Early Norwegian Press in America," points out that files of the earlier newspaper, so necessary for research and study, are unavailable, not only because so few have been preserved, but also because many of the files now in existence are unknown or inaccessible.

The Norwegian element, says Mr. Blegen, has had a newspaper of its own since the "Nordlyset" (Northern Light) was first published on July 29, 1849. Since then over 400 different publications have been in existence. "Democraten," "De Norskes Ven," "Amerikaner," "Nordstjernen" and "Emigranten," are given as the titles of some of the earliest and more important of the newspapers.

Files of only a few of these papers have been preserved, however.

Since this article was written, the publisher of one of the leading Norwegian papers of the Northwest has deposited his files of early newspapers with the Minnesota Historical Society, and the Swedish Historical Society of America has followed by making the state society the depository of its important library of books, newspapers and pamphlets.

Were You Here in 1718- Genealogy Could Tell You.

Have you been bitten by the genealogical bug? Never mind. According to Cyril A. Herrick, in a recent article published by the Minnesota Historical Society, the effects are always beneficial. But of all the results perhaps the best, he says, is the fact that the person affected learns to know and to like history.

"Where were you in 1718?" Mr. Herrick proposes as the first broadside. Then before you have really recovered he informs you that, "In 1818 you were walking abroad, probably, in the guise of four grand parents. In 1718 you were looking out of, say, thirty-two pairs of eyes; whereas very likely in 1618 some ten hundred and twenty-four individuals, all unwitting, had the honor of being directly your ancestors."

A Mr. Green is cited as a type of progressive business men in Minnesota. Though he will never admit that he likes history, he will, in conversation, talk about the growth of his community as well as his own rise in life. His father was a pioneer in the state. Further conversation reveals information, vague at times but valuable nevertheless, that indicates an interest in his ancestors. Grandfather came from some place in the east. Where? He looks up his family record and finds that his ancestors were all pioneers in different stages of the westward movement. He has been bitten by the genealogical bug.

In tracing the progress of his ancestors Mr. Green finds he is tracing the history of the growth of the United States. How much more exciting is the Whiskey Rebellion when he discovers the story of how one of his ancestors was mixed up in that trouble and had to leave hastily for points further west!

The writer emphasizes the fact that the state historical society possesses one of the three or four best genealogical libraries in the country, and tells of the surprise of many when they discover its possibilities. "The Family Trail Through American History" is the title of the article, which appeared in the last issue of the Minnesota Historical Bulletin.

Indian Names For Minnesota Farms.

How would you like to have your country estate called "Wigwassiga?" Your friends might remark that they would like to spend the week-end with you at Wigwassika, but the Browns had invited them to Notamiset, and the owner of Kitchigami was urgent that they try the fishing on his place.

Such names are not improbable for Minnesota farms and country homes. In response to the suggestion of a local farm journal, the Minnesota Historical Society has received many requests for help in the selection of appropriate Indian names for property.

Such requests are promptly answered with a list from which a name fitting some particular point of interest about the place can be selected. For instance "Wigwassika" is Chippewa for "there are birch trees;" "Notamiset" is Algonkian for "at the oak tree," and Kitchigami" in Chippewa language means "large lake."

Signatures of Famous Men on Exhibition.

Did you ever wonder if the first signer of the Declaration of Independence always covered as much paper in writing his name as in the facsimile of that famous document in your American History? A letter display in an exhibit of autographs in the state historical building, St. Paul, shows the same huge signature that is familiar to everybody. John Hancock, by the way, is said to have remarked that John Bull would be able to read his signature without spectacles. On the other hand, the autograph of Lewis Cass, which is also on exhibition, would puzzle anybody. To those who wonder if Daniel Webster wrote in the same bold dashing fashion as that in which he spoke can find a characteristic letter to settle the problem in this exhibit.

Letters from Washington Irving, Oliver Wendell Holmes, William Prescott, George Bancroft, Walt Whiteman, Ralph Waldo Emerson and Philips Brooks are represented in the collection. John Marshall, Alexander Hamilton, Henry Clay, John C Calhoun and James G Blaine, are some of the famous statesmen; and Dwight L Moody, Maude Booth and Frances E. Willard some of the leaders of important movements whose autographs have places in the display.

Of special interest are a manuscript poem on Lafayette, written by Dolly Madison, and a confidential letter from that prominent journalist, Horace Greely, to Governor Stephen Miller of Minnesota, asking for a private opinion on the possibility of re-electing Abraham Lincoln to the presidency.

CO-OPERATION WINS.

Dassel Dispatch: The Hutchinson merchants have stuck to their sales day proposition for over a year and report it to be increasingly valuable to the city. With every merchant doing his share, pulling together and co-operating intelligently, there is no question of results. It is the timid, the weak and the egotistical business man that lacks the nerve and the foresight to play the game with the rest of his brethren for community and individual good. The fellow that says, "It can't be done in this town" lacks faith in himself and in his community. "Can't" and "do nothingism" never did anyone any good or accomplished a thing for the community.

MEETS WITH FAVOR.

Winnebago City Enterprise: The rumor that Judge Oscar Hallam of the State Supreme Court may possibly become a candidate for United States Senator is meeting with popular approval. Judge Hallam is in every way well qualified to capably fill this high office.

Merry Christmas

WE FEEL that the Christmas Season should not pass without an expression of our appreciation of the cordial relations that exist between This Bank and its customers and friends.

MAY December 25th be numbered among your Yuletide memories as the Happiest Christmas of them all.

The First National Bank
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Christmas Greetings

A Word of Appreciation

We wish at this time to extend our sincere thanks for the liberal patronage of the past twelve months.

It is our aim and constant endeavor to build a business here that will prove dependable under all circumstances. In this we believe the public will uphold us.

Thanking one and all and wishing you a joyous Christmas season and a Happy and Prosperous New Year, we remain,

Very respectfully,

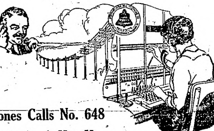

Jones Calls No. 648
Instead of His Home

Bill Jones is a traveling man.

In making long distance calls to his home he says to the long distance operator: "I want to talk to Telephone No. 648 at Brownsville." By doing this he takes advantage of what is known as "Station-to-Station" service and thus obtains a lower rate.

If he had asked for Mrs. Jones or any other designated person, he would have used what is called "Person-to-Person" service, for which the rate is higher.

"Station-to-Station" service is provided at a considerably lower rate than "Person-to-Person" service because we do not have to locate a certain person in order to complete the call.

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CREDITS SCHOOL FOR HIS SUCCESS

Beverly Hancock, Service Dept. Chief of the Admiral Line, Seattle, Wash., told recently how he got his start. "Thousands were jobless when I arrived here after graduating from Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., yet I got work the day I came. That business course was the entering wedge that opened the future. Their training is true to business conditions, insures immediate employment, rapid promotion."

When jobs are scarce, superior D. B. C. training is needed more than ever. "Follow the SucceSSful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

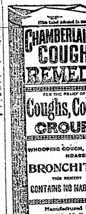
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City News

Geo. Johnson of Gryglа was a business caller here on Tuesday.

J M. Bishop spent Monday between trains at Strathcona on business.

Miss Blanche Hoff of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here Monday.

Miss Helen Loen of Radium attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Arthur Simonson of Steiner attended to business matters here on Saturday.

A. Hellquist of Rosewood spent Friday in the city attending to business matters.

Miss Bessie Avelson left Monday for St. Hilaire to spend a few days visiting friends.

J. S. Clouter returned the first of the week from a brief business trip to Minot, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Froseth are the parents of a son, born to them on Tuesday, Dec. 20.

Joe Baugh of Warren transacted business here Monday evening, enroute to Mahnomen.

Miss Emma Ptacek, employed at Black's Sweet Shop, spent Sunday at Mavie with her parents.

Miss Inga Homme of Trail spent a few days here the latter part of last week visiting friends.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe and daughter, Lela, of St. Hilaire, were shoppers here between trains on Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Flynn of Superior, Wis., arrived last week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Severson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rambeck left Sunday evening for Minneapolis to spend several days visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ecke left last evening for Fondulac, Wis., to visit friends and relatives over Christmas.

Do not miss the Legion New Year party at the auditorium on Friday evening, Dec. 30.—Advertisement. 22

Harold Aga, student at Concordia college, arrived Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Richard Olson left Tuesday morning for Strathcona, where she will visit her parents over the holidays.

Miss Jennie Anderson who had spent a day shopping here, returned to her home at Strathcona Saturday morning.

Miss Loretta Newman of Warren arrived Wednesday evening to attend the regional conference held here on Thursday.

Miss Virginia Will, who is attending the Moorhead Normal, arrived here Saturday morning to spend her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Marius Olson returned last evening from Henning, where they have been visiting during the past month.

Mrs. Geo. Hertel arrived last week from Fargo to spend several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Linstad.

David Johnson, Marshall county superintendent of schools, was in the city on Tuesday attending to business matters.

Misses Carrie and Gena Haugen returned to their home at Plummer Saturday evening having spent the day shopping.

Miss Inga Homme, who had spent several days visiting her friend, Miss Pearl Olson, returned to her home at Trail on Friday.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson, who is teaching near Lancaster, is expected to arrive tomorrow to remain over the holidays.

Mrs. C. E. Elkins and two children left Monday morning for Holt to visit for several days with her sister, Mrs. Louis Rosland.

Mrs. A. Knauff and daughter left Monday morning for Holt, where they will visit at the home of the former's parents.

Miss Anna Hineck, who had been in Duluth since June, returned to her home here Monday evening to remain during the winter.

Miss Vilda Stebbins, who had spent a few days visiting friends here, returned to her home at Roseau last Thursday morning.

Mrs. Ed. Korstad and baby daughter returned Tuesday morning from Willmar, where she had attended the funeral of an aunt.

The last dancing party of the year. Eklund Post Legion dance at auditorium, Friday, Dec. 30. You are invited.—Advertisement. d22

A. Senstad, brakeman on the Soo, left Monday night for LaCrosse, Wis., where he will visit over Christmas with his parents.

Miss Vivian Gabrielson, who is teaching near Trail, arrived Saturday evening to spend her two weeks' vacation with her parents.

Miss Ruth Soule, teacher of home economics here, will leave tomorrow for her home at Grand Forks to remain over the holidays.

Eklund Post Legion dance at the auditorium Friday evening, Dec. 30. The best music and a good time for everybody.—Advertisement. d22

Miss Irma Marcoe, student at the local high school, will leave tomorrow for her home at Malcolm to spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Elizabeth Hanson, Marshall county nurse, attended the regional conference of social welfare workers held in this city on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. BonDurant and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCarty will leave this evening for Minneapolis to visit with relatives over Christmas.

Mrs. G. G. Muller, who had spent some time visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Flynn, returned Tuesday afternoon to her home at Havre, Mont.

Miss Ann Tharaldson, who is teaching near Rosewood, arrived Friday evening for an over Sunday visit with her mother, Mrs. Dora Tharaldson.

Miss Lillian Steenerson, who is teaching at Cohasset, arrived here [illegible] evening for a two weeks' [illegible] at the home of her parents.

Miss Lois Wold, kindergarten instructor, will leave tomorrow for her home at Grand Forks to spend two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Cora Wold.

Tanlac will overcome that run down debilitated condition and make you feel just like your old self again. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d22

Lynn Lawton, engineer on the recently completed paving project, left Friday night for his home in Minneapolis to spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Ada Iverson arrived Monday evening from Oklee and visited over night with friends, leaving Tuesday afternoon for Fisher to visit other friends.

Misses Mildred Mudgett and Caroline Crosby, both of Minneapolis, were here on Thursday attending the region conference of social welfare workers.

Mrs. A. Larson and baby daughter who had visited at the home of her sister Mrs. Wm. Warner since Thursday returned to their home at Holt on Saturday.

Miss Ingeborg Dale returned to her school at Noble Monday morning after spending two weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. N. Nesse, because of illness.

Miss Gladys Swenson arrived Monday evening from Rosewood to spend a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, and her aunt, Mrs. S. Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Granum of Minneapolis are in the city this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum. The will remain over Christmas.

Mrs. Morris Olson, who had visited relatives at Henning, returned to her home here Saturday. While at Henning Mrs. Olson suffered a severe attack of pneumonia.

Miss Louisa Erickson, who teaches school at Erskine, will arrive home Friday evening to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson.

Don't expose yourself to the cold weather but install a sanitary toilet and save doctor bills. They cost only $10.50 at Bean's Furniture Bargain Store.—Advertisement. d22

Miss Alice Hall who attends the Moorhead Normal, visited relatives between trains Saturday enroute to her home at Middle River to spend her two weeks vacation.

Ernest Zeh arrived this morning from Grand Forks, where he is a student at the university, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh.

Wm. Hodgson, director of the childrens' bureau, was in the city Thursday to attend the regional conference. Mr. Hodgson was one of the principal speakers at the meetings.

Mrs. H. L. Sande and baby daughter returned to their home at Steiner Saturday after spending a few days visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Leland Schuster arrived this morning from Grand Forks, where he is attending the university, and will spend two weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schuster.

Hans Hanson returned to his home at Hallock on Friday, having spent Thursday in this city as a delegate to the regional conference of child welfare workers held here that day.

Miss Esther Sundahl is expected to arrive Saturday morning from Fergus Falls, near which place she is teaching, to remain over the Christmas holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Sundahl.

Milton Weeks, who is attending a theological seminary at St. Paul, is expected to arrive the latter part of the week to spend a two weeks' vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Miss Gladys Ellefson of Holt returned to her home on Saturday having spent a brief time here attending to shopping. While here in the city she was the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Ramstad.

Miss Maybelle Ostby, who is attending the McPhail School of Music and Dramatic Art at Minneapolis, is expected to arrive home this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ostby, over the holidays.

Miss Marguerite Burns will arrive Saturday morning from Grand Forks, where she attends the university, to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Earnest Phillipson who teaches at Duluth, arrived here Saturday morning and was an over Sunday visitor of his sister Mrs. A. Burringrud. He left Monday morning for his home at Middle River to remain over the holidays.

Mrs. Mae Rowan and son, Thomas, will leave tomorrow morning for Argyle to spend Christmas with Mrs. Rowan's parents. Master Thomas is making his home with the latter this winter and had been here for a short visit with his mother.

Miss Mary Prichard and two brothers, James and Theodore, are expected to arrive this week from Minneapolis, where they attend the university, to spend the holiday vacation at the home of their parents, Mr and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Mrs. Eric Johnson and Mrs. Nyberg returned to their home at Holt Saturday having spent a short time here visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Burtness and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Knutson. Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Nyberg are sisters of Mr. Knutson.

Rufus Barackman, who is a student at Macalester college, arrived Saturday morning to spend the holidays with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink.

Denis McGinn and Gordon LaBree, students at St. Thomas, are home for a two weeks' vacation to be spent at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. LaBree. Both young men are prominent in athletics at St. Thomas.

Dr. L. F. Fisher returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where he had spent the week-end with his family, who are guests at the home of Mrs. Fisher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mallory. Dr. Fisher will return to Grand Forks on Saturday to spend Christmas.

Miss Velma Webster, instructor in English at the local high school, will leave tomorrow for Grand Forks, where she will meet her mother, and together they will go to Bozeman, N. D., to spend the holidays at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Webster.

Miss Beaulah Chamberlain, instructor in English at the local high school and the debating team composed of Albert Stengleson, Ole Helle and Lloyd Alness returned Saturday afternoon from Roseau where they had been with the debating team Friday evening, meeting defeat at the hands of the latter.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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Society

Nelson-Newcomb.

A wedding which will be of interest locally is that of Miss Gladys Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson of this city, and Robert H. Newcomb of Minneapolis, which took place on Sunday, Dec. 18. The ceremony was performed at 12:30 p. m. at the Central Lutheran church, Minneapolis, Rev. J. A. O. Stub officiating. The couple was attended by Miss Grace Loken, formerly of this city, who acted as bridesmaid, and P. W. King of Minneapolis, who acted as best man. The bride wore a beautiful gown of Harding pan blue velvet. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party was taken to the apartment of the newlyweds, where an elaborate five-course dinner was served by Misses Anna Oftelie and Bertha Catt, friends of the bride. The room was artistically decorated in yellow and white and a large bouquet of sweetheart roses adorned the table. The place cards were in keeping with the occasion. Miss Amy Nelson, sister of the bride, Mrs. S. Worth, matron of Berkely Club, and Miss Mildred Bunghard of Minneapolis completed the party. The bride is well known in this city, having lived here up to a year and a half ago, when she entered the McPhail school to study dramatic art. The groom will be graduated next spring from Dunwoody Institute, where he is specializing in civil engineering.

Piano Recital.

The first of a series of recitals to be given by the pupils of Miss Doris M. Halvorson was held on Monday evening, Dec. 19, at her home, 515 LaBree avenue north. The following numbers were included in the program:

Duet—"Hush-a-Bye" .... Martin
Grace Provencher and Alice Larson
"The Goblin" .... Gaynor
Charlotte Korstad
"The Coquette" .... Gaynor
"A Little Conversation" .... Gaynor
Leonore Lieberman
"Old Chief Metaatakwa" .... Mokrejs
Douglas Booren
"The Scissors Grinder" .... Martin
Grace Provencher
"The Skating Lesson" .... Martin
Alice Larson
"Two Little Froggies" .... Cramm
Gladys Weeks
"Evening Song" .... Gaynor
"Dance Lightly" .... Gaynor
Helen Satre
"From a Tama Pow-Wow" .... Mokrejs
"The Pixie's Goodnight Song" .... Brown
Arda Adkins
"The Grasshopper's Song" .... Emery
"Wooden Shoe Dance" .... Rogers
Carl Swedenburg
"Elfin Dance" .... Grieg
Wonetta Biddick
"Shadow March" .... Cramm
Katherine Mellby
"Butterfly" .... Merkel
Lucy Nason
"Will o' the Wisp" .... Willenhaupt
"To a Humming Bird" .... Virgil
Lucile Hermanson
"Juba Dance" .... Dett
Thelma Christenson
"Mazurka op. 21, No. 4" .... Chopin
"Will o' the Wisp" .... Jensen
Mabel McGilvery
"Valse in E" .... Moszkowski
Pearl Weeks

Mrs. Fisher Lauded.

The auditorium at Grand Forks was packed on Sunday afternoon to hear "The Messiah," given by the University Oratorio Society and the University Philharmonic Orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Fred A. Beidleman. The entire score of "The Messiah" was not presented, but the principal parts had been chosen. Solo parts were taken by Mrs. Alberta Fisher Ruettell, soprano; Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher, contralto; Howard DeLong, tenor, and Doyle Watt, bass. The Grand Forks Herald has the following to say of Mrs. Fisher's solos: "Irma Mallory Fisher, whom Grand Forks formerly claimed, but now of Thief River Falls, was in excellent voice and her full tones were adequate in the airs for the contralto. Perhaps the most striking of her numbers was the air 'He Shall Feed His Flock' and especially effective was her singing of 'Thou That Tellest Good Tidings,' which was followed by a ringing chorus."

Annual Alumni "Get-Together."

The Thief River Falls High School Alumni association will hold its 18th annual "get together" at the auditorium on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, at 8 o'clock. Due to incomplete records the officers were unable to reach all members by mail. Those who did not receive notification of this meeting are to consider this announcement as an invitation. The officers of the association urge that all members be present at this one big event in the year for all graduates of the Thief River Falls high school.

Birthday Anniversary.

A number of girls and boys were guests of Reuben Hadrath Saturday evening when he entertained at a party at his home on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. Dancing and cards formed the entertainment. During the evening a delicious lunch was served. Among the guests were Miss Helen Langseth, Miss Violette Krohn, Miss Nora Lindquist, Miss Eileen Arneson, Miss Sybil McGinn, Miss Palma Langseth, Miss Ruby Bennes, Philip and Milton Larson, Denis McGinn, Gordon LaBree, Harold Arneson, Irvin Carlson, John Hendry, Paul Scanlan and Loyal Arnold.

Legion New Year's Dance.

Elmer J. Eklund post, American Legion, will give a New Year's ball at the auditorium on Friday evening, Dec. 30. This dance will be the wind-up of the old year so far as social activities are concerned and it is the aim to make it a fitting close for a most successful twelve months of Legion activities. The best music procurable has been engaged and every appointment looked after with the expectation that there will be a large crowd. The boys extend a cordial invitation to everyone to come and help them make this dance a success.

Christmas Party.

The kindergarten pupils, with their teacher, Miss Lois Wold, enjoyed a party yesterday afternoon at the Central school, children from the above school and the Knox school participating. Festoons of red and green crepe paper decorated the room. A feature was a miniature Christmas tree, with candles, around which the children played various games. Apples, candy and nuts added to the enjoyment of the occasion.

In Honor of Miss Crandall.

Miss Lucille Curtis entertained a number of girls of girls at her home, 112 Markley avenue south, Saturday afternoon in compliment to Miss Lorrayne Crandall. The guests busied themselves with needlework and at six o'clock a dinner was served by the hostess' mother. The table appointments were in green and red and a miniature Christmas tree formed the attractive centerpiece. Covers were laid for eight.

Christmas Program.

The Christmas program for the district in the vicinity of County Line school house will be given on Friday evening, Dec. 23. A cordial invitation has been extended to all persons in the neighborhood.

Young People's Entertainment.

The Young People's society of the Silverton church will hold a meeting in the church basement on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 27. Entertained by Ole Ferstad and Loernice Letnes.

AT THE THEATRES

"Is Life Worth Living?" starring Eugene O'Brien, will be presented at the Lyceum Friday and Saturday. Admirers of Mr. O'Brien—and there are many of them—will be pleased to know that "Is Life Worth Living?" is easily one of the most enjoyable offerings in which he has yet been presented.

The photoplay is founded upon George Weston's story, "The Open Door," which recently appeared in the Saturday Evening Post. The star appears as a young American employe who has been acquitted, but not vindicated, of a crime and, because of the rebuffs he encounters in his efforts to find employment, decides time after time that "life is not worth living." A little blue steel automatic in a pawn-broker's window seems to be trying to charm his life away. He buys it—and pawns it. Then buys it and pawns it again, repeatedly, never using it for the purpose intended because some little thing is always bobbing up to stay a hand bent upon self-destruction.

"Is Life Worth Living?" is an unusually well mixed decoction of tears and laughs. Winifred Westover and Arthur Houseman do the most creditable work in support of the star.

A minister helping to produce a motion picture!

Yes, it really happened, and it demonstrates that there are broad-minded clergymen as well as the other kind.

Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, a noted pastor of Los Angeles, was art director and general stage supervisor at the Louis B. Mayer studios one day when he served as advisory director in the filming of an elaborate wedding scene for "The Child Thou Gavest Me," produced by John M. Stahl for Associated First National Pictures, Inc., and which will be exhibited at the Lyceum theatre Sunday and Monday. Through the assistance of Dr. Brougher, Director Stahl was able to combine beauty and unusual effects with an impressive marriage ceremony that was correct in every detail. The settings and ensemble were among the largest ever used for a cinema wedding.

An all-star cast appears in "So Long Letty," the Robertson-Cole super-special photo-play which will be shown Wednesday and Thursday at the Lyceum. The picture is a comedy-drama adapted to the screen by Al Christie from the Oliver Morosco stage play of the same name. Mr. Christie also directed the production.

Included in the four principals are T. Roy Barnes, Grace Darmond, Colleen Moore and Walter Hiers. There are a number of water scenes wherein beautiful sea nymphs of the Pacific appear in the latest (and smallest) thing in bathing suits.

"So Long Letty" has a story that holds up to ridicule the chronic domestic grouch. Just how two disgruntled husbands are taught a lesson by their well-meaning wives, is the punch of the picture.

GOOD ROADS COMMENT

When enumerating the things that function admirably, just place the Babcock road plan at the head of the list.—Worthington Globe.

The people themselves can do much towards keeping highways clear of politics by tearing up political weeds along roads in their neighborhood.—American Highway Education Bureau.

As this newspaper sees it, the route of a trail through a town's main street is a detriment rather than a benefit. It claims that a large percentage of tourists, rather than leaving anything in the town, pass through it at a life-endangering speed without even knowing its name.—Appleton Press.

The increase in the amount of passenger traffic by motor bus brings to the front an argument that these transportation lines should be forced to pay a gross earnings tax to the state as well as the railroads. If the state is entitled to its bit of the fare charged by the railroad, which keeps up the road over which it travels by its own funds, it seems no more than just that the busses, which use the highways built with public funds, should pay a like tax. The argument may be advanced that the busses pay a sufficient fee in their motor tax but their tax is not comparable to the amount the railroads must pay for upkeep of their roads, for the busses pay for no such upkeep of the public roads, and to the private property taxes of the rail companies.—Owatonna Journal-Chronicle.

IT'S ABOUT TIME.

Winger Enterprise: Let us stop worrying so much about the boy who leaves the farm and pay a little more attention to the boy who stays.

Trading Potatoes For Corn

(Bemidji Pioneer.)

A current dispatch from Southern Minnesota carries the report that farmers in Northern Minnesota, who have a surplus of potatoes on hand for which there is a limited market just now, have approached Southern Minnesota farmers, who have a surplus of corn on hand, with a proposition that the surplus potatoes be exchanged for the surplus corn. The potato growers have advanced a proposition that they will lay their potatoes down at Southern Minnesota points at a price of $1.25 per bushel, agreeing to accept therefor an equal value of corn. This proposition is both novel in its idea of marketing farm products on a barter basis and, at the same time, smacks of a practical solution of a very pressing problem of marketing crops for which there is little or no demand. In the early part of the marketing season, potato growers were in an enviable position because the demand for the crop apparently exceeded the supply. Hurried liquidation has made the potato crop a temporary drug on the market.

From a practical viewpoint there is no good reason why barter between potato growers and corn growers should not work out some satisfactory medium of exchange. In the potato sections of the north there is usually a large consumption of mill-feeds, including cracked corn. In the corn-raising sections this year the potato crop was almost a failure. This should furnish an opportunity for profitable marketing direct from farmer to farmer without the interference of any middlemen. There is an opportunity for local farm organizations to get together.

THEY WEREN'T THINKING.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Nonpareil: A lot of people are wondering now what on earth they were thinking about along in 1919, when they paid $11 for a silk shirt.

THOSE OBJECTIONABLE DANCES.

Tracy Herald: Mayor Burchard of Marshall has ordered the police department of that city to enforce the state laws on dancing halls. The ban is placed upon the so-called twilight, toddling and cheek-to-cheek dances. If the laws are not respected the mayor threatens to close up all public dance halls. Would it not be well for our local authorities to see that the state law was enforced here, and while they are at it look into some of the rumors of the sale of moonshine at public dance places.

Barber Shops Will Close.

After the first day of January, 1922, all barber shops in Thief River Falls will close at 7:30 o'clock every evening except Saturdays, when the closing hour will be 10 o'clock.

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It is as great a pleasure to wish you well as to serve you well, and we hope that the New Year holds only the best for you.

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Christmas Spirit.

The spirit of Christmas is the spirit of peace and good will to man. It is a spirit of happiness, of good cheer, and of kindness towards our neighbors.

Why is it that the Christmas season is always a busy and a merry and a happy one? It is because we are eager to do something for our neighbors and our friends and because we glory in the joy of giving. It is a time when we all join in praising and giving glory to the little Babe born for us in the stable at Bethlehem.

Christmas is a time when everyone is happy, when men forget their troubles and grievances and are happy in making others happy. It is not so much the gift that counts as the spirit in which the gift is given, for as Lowell says: "The gift without the giver is bare."

Christmas spirit means the spirit of forgiving, the spirit of love, of charity. It is the intangible something that makes us want to look an enemy in the eye and smile and say cheerily, "Merry Christmas!" and perhaps wish him bright success, peace and prosperity. It makes us long to be better, to be even a wee bit like the Christ Child! It is that wonderful spirit that makes everyone seem a friend—and a good fellow. It is that same old, old spirit of "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men."—S. A. M. '22.

Holiday Greetings.

Christmas is coming! That season
of peace,
And now, from our studies we gain
a release.
As we leave—to partake in the joy
and the fun
Of the Yuletide—knowing our work
is well done,
The students of Lincoln High all wish
to say,
"May the faculty have a gay holiday."
Then after vacation, with good cheer
imbued,
We'll return to our work with vigor
renewed. —B. E. '22.

Juleklokkerne.

Langt borte i et fremmed land stod en kirke. I taarnet var en samling av juleklokker. Det var den gamle skik, at paa juleaften reiste alle folk i den store by til denne kirke for at bringe sit offer til Jesubarnet. Den som kunde lægge det beste offer paa kirkens alter vilde bringe frem de mest underfuldige toner ifra disse juleklokker høit oppe i taarnet. Det syntes tonerne bleknet langt borte and hørtes som englenes sang. Det var længe siden nogen hadde hørt dem.

Peder og hans lille bror bodde i en by langt derifra. De skulde ogsaa til denne gamle kirke for at bringe sit offer. Det var næsten nat idet de kom saa langt at de saa lys ifra den store by. De var næsten ved indgangen da de saa noget mørkt i deres vei. Peder og hans lille bror gik tilside for at se hvad det var og fandt en gammel kvinde som var falden ned træt og syg og var ikke istand til at gaa videre. Peder sa til sin bror:

"Du maa gaa alene. Jeg kan ikke reise ifra hende, ti hun behøver hjelp. Se, hun ligner madonna-billedet i kirken. Det er sikkert at hun fryser ihjel dersom ingen hjelper hende. Jeg er sikker paa at Jesubarnet vil vite hvorfor jeg ikke kan komme for at tilbede ham. Men, lillebror, prøv om du kan i stilhet komme til alteret for at lægge ned mit lille offer, et stykke sølv. Læg det ned hvor ingen kan se dig."

Den store kirke var et underligt sted den nat. Naar messen var avgjort, gik folket for at gi sit offer til Jesus. Alle kom med værdifulde stener og guld. Mange av disse var saa tunge at de kunde næsten ikke bære dem. Sidst av alle kom kongen med sin glintrende krone, haabende at han kunde vinde ære for sig selv og saaledes ogsaa høre kirkeklokkernes sang.

Alle ventet for at høre den vakre musik som de trodde var av englesang, men det var alt stilt. Naar den gamle prest stod med sin haand til stilhet opløftet, maatte folket lytte. Der kom til dem den sødeste musik. Det hørtes som taarnet var fuldt av engler. De reiste sig op for at se hvilket offer var lagt paa alteret som kunde bringe frem klokkernes sang. Til deres overraskelse fik de se et barn, Peder's bror, som hadde kommet stille frem og lagt Peder's sølvstykke paa alteret.

—Olive Aaland, '25.

Christmas in the Lumber Camp.

The lumbering industry is still important in Canada. A hundred and fifty miles to the northwest of Quebec is the scene of some of the largest forests of today. These are fast disappearing before the axe and the saw of the woodsmen. In the center of one of these large tracts where the river McDermott makes an abrupt bend to the west, there has been built a settlement called Big Fork. The rude cabins are built of logs, roughly hewn, and they consist of a post office, general store, a doctor's and lawyer's office, and the homes of a few inhabitants who gain their livelihood through the visits of the lumbermen to the Big Fork.

One of the largest lumber camps in the neighborhood is about seven miles from the settlement. It is one of the route-camps of the International Lumber company, who have the contract to cut the entire McDermott region.

It was the day before Christmas, but there was no sign of a let-up for the men. They were continually cutting, sawing and hauling all day long, rushing the work to finish the task assigned them.

As the afternoon wore into the dusk of evening, the men began to drift one by one into the camp. They exchanged their work boots and socks for light shoes and washed up for the evening meal.

After the men had all come in from their labors they sat around the board table and the camp cook set before them plates heaped with wholesome food.

When the dishes were washed and cleared away, the camp was transformed into a scene of comfort. Some of the men sat lazily in chairs, smoking, and telling tales of other winters in the woods. Still others read and talked conversationally to each other. The lamplight cast dim shadows through the room. They were awaiting the *arrival of the evening mail* that they knew would bring words of cheer, besides remembrances from the ones they loved at home.

There was no frivolity, no merry-making. They were the grim but human workers of the forest who carry on one of the most important industries of today.—W. J. A. '22.

Rather Early Than Late.

"Where are you mailing all those packages to?" asked Jane of Mary, who was waiting to have six packages weighed and stamped.

"Why, they're Christmas presents," answered Mary.

"Christmas presents! Now! Why it's only December 12 today!" exclaimed Jane.

"Well, I put a stamp with 'Don't open before Xmas' on it.'

"Even if you do put that on, the person receiving the parcel will know who it's from by reading your return address. They most likely will take it as a hint to send you a present because it came early enough to give them time to send one," replied Jane.

"I never really thought of that."

"Besides if their curiosity forces them to open the package, even tho the stamp forbids, naturally when Christmas does come they will have forgotten all about your present, perhaps used it, too. After a thing is used it is thought of as something old, not as a Christmas present."

"Yes, but just think of the poor mail clerks, who nearly always have to work on Christmas day just on account of some slow people. They have to handle many tons of mail for about ten or more days. Most people think it's easy but as Dad is a mail clerk I know it is not, because when he's tired he's rather impatient, cross, and ready to go to sleep. He hardly ever feels like that after an ordinary trip. I'm going to mail my packages early; that will be just that much less for the clerks later, as every little counts," replied Mary.

"Well, Mary, I guess you're right. I'll try to have mine mailed tomorrow."—B. H. '21.

Christmas Parcels.

"Hello, Ruth, you look exactly like Santa Claus."

"Well, I certainly feel like one. I suppose you have already mailed all your Christmas presents?"

"No, I haven't," Gladys answered. "I have only finished a few of them. Why, it's only the 15th of December and Christmas is nearly two weeks off."

"Didn't you read that letter in the paper about mailing presents early?" Gladys asked, as she went to buy the stamps for her packages.

"Yes, I read it, but I don't think it will matter if I mail mine just before Christmas. I have only a few anyway and if everyone mails presents now, there surely will be a rush."

"Perhaps you're right," Ruth laughed, "here comes Margaret, we can ask her."

"Well, I'm mailing mine early," Margaret answered. "Here, catch that one before it falls. That is the second time it dropped—once out in the snow. But then it hasn't far to go, only to grandmother's out west."

"The string is untied now," Ruth replied as she picked the package up from the floor. "I'll try to fix it for you."

"Wait, I'm next to that window," Margaret said as she pushed from one side to the other, knocking a couple of parcels to the floor and pushing a lady's hat to one side of her head. "I've waited long enough now."

"There, young lady, I can't take that package. The paper is loose enough to fall off and no one could read that writing. Please move on as there are others waiting," the clerk said, glancing over the crowd gathering at the window.

"The clerk won't take them," Margaret answered, walking back to her two friends. "I suppose I shall have to wrap them all over again."

"Come on over to my place and I'll help you fix them. We can go up to my room, where I have both paper and ribbon. Can't you come with us, Gladys?"

"Thank you, Ruth, but I have to hurry home."

As Gladys walked home she thought to herself, "I believe those girls are right and I think I'll hurry and finish my presents.—H. A. K. '24.

The Christmas Rush.

The Christmas rush, as a rule, hits the post office harder than any other place. It seems as though people think that the longer they put off sending their packages, the more sure they are of having them delivered just at the right time.

If you do not care to have the parcels you send opened before Christmas, why not buy seals that will indicate it? If you wait till the last two or three days, you just help flood the post office, and the chances are that your packages will be smashed, addresses torn off, and the parcels probably lost.

Postmasters are always urging us to send our Christmas mail early. It won't cost us anything to comply with their request and it will save them a lot of work.—Adolph Gjerstad, '25.

Christmas With Santa Claus.

It was the night of December 24. I was all excited and hated to go to bed, but finally went and at last fell asleep.

Soon I heard the jingling of bells and who should come down the chimney but Santa Claus. He was big and jolly, dressed in a red suit with white fur for trimming. He offered to take me to toyland. It was no sooner said than done.

I went to roof with him and entered his sleigh. Soon we were rising high in the air. After hours of riding, we descended to toyland.

There was everything any boy could desire in the line of toys: Trains, building sets, games, cards, ten pins, and other wonderful toys. He told me to help myself. After I had taken all the things I desired, he added, "Your father and mother are probably worried about you, so I had better take you back home."

Reluctantly I went with him. After a long ride we arrived home and Santa Claus left, saying, "I hope you will have a Merry Christmas, Jim."

I was startled and nearly jumped out of bed, seeing dad standing at the end of the bed, giving me Christmas cheer.

I am glad I nearly did jump out of bed for I finished that task and made for the fireplace in shortest order. I saw what seemed to me to be just as good as toyland itself.—Robert Halvorson, '25.

The Joy of Giving.

Ruth was gloomy and unhappy. It was Christmas eve and everything was in preparation for the following day. In the drawing room could be seen a large Christmas tree, beautifully decorated, and heavily laden with costly gifts of which many, she knew, were for her, but still she was not content.

She put on her coat and hat and decided to take a walk before going to bed. Ruth walked a long way in the still, beautiful evening. Soon she came to the poorer section of the city, where she saw many sights which melted her heart and made her exclaim: "Oh, what a selfish girl I have been. I have plenty to eat, many pretty clothes and a beautiful home, while these poor people have hardly anything to eat, scarcely any clothes and no cozy, warm home to shelter them. How I wish I could help them."

It was growing darker and the snow was flying faster. She tried to find her home but did not know in which direction to go. After wandering about for awhile, she asked a policeman to direct her to her home. After she had reached home and gone to bed she lay awake a long time thinking of the poor, starving people she had seen, and making plans to help them.

The next morning at early dawn she awoke and immediately, with the help of her mother, began to carry out the plans she had made during the night.

After breakfast Ruth and her mother drove in their large car, which carried numerous packages, toward the slums. There they alighted and visited the poor families, leaving with each a Christmas package.

The little girl thought it was fun to play Santa Claus to these people and was happy to see their sad faces lighten up as they untied their packages and the children's faces beam as they received toys which Ruth had gathered from her own playroom.

As they were returning home, she said: "This is the best Christmas I have ever had. I am so happy." "Yes, child," replied her mother, "we always feel happy when we try to make other people so."—Mildred Remmem, '25.

Kate's Christmas Dream.

Kate was the daughter of wealthy parents. She had blue eyes, long golden curls, and a winning smile that won the affection of everyone.

It was nearing Christmas and Kate wanted to buy some presents for her friends, relatives and parents. In the evening after Kate's mother had kissed her good-night and left the room, Kate turned on the light, went over to her writing desk, took paper and pencil and wrote down a long list of things for them all. After she had gone to sleep she had a wonderful dream which helped her to find a way in which to make good use of her Christmas money.

In a dark part of the town where Kate lived, a girl and her mother were seen sitting on two grocery boxes around a table made of old boards. A candle, almost ready to go out, was lit on the table. They were having their evening meal, consisting of black bread and water. There were traces of tears on the good-natured face of the mother. While they were eating, a timid rap was heard on the door. The mother with staggering steps opened the door, and who should be there but Kate with a large basket on one arm and the other arm full of bundles. She handed them to the mother and hurried down the flight of stairs, not waiting even to accept the lady's thanks, the sad look on the mother's face being enough to make Kate wish she had money enough to buy presents for the whole town.

When running down the stairs, Kate missed a step and when she awakened she was not a bit surprised in finding herself on the floor. But from her dream she had learned that it was better to give than to receive.

Christmas night Kate went to bed very early, but she had made more than one family happy. Even Kate declared it was the best Christmas she ever had, and she learned that it gave more happiness to give than to receive.—Olive Aaland, '25.

Christmas Morning.

In a certain large white house a little boy, clad in white pajamas, crept down the stairs. In his hand he held a candle. It seemed as though he would never reach the bottom. At last he was in the lower hall. He tiptoed across it, and quietly opened the door to the library. The fire was burning brightly in the fireplace. He entered and placed his candle on the library table. He then sat down on the bear rug to wait for Santa Claus.

The hall clock struck two, then three; still Santa Claus *did not appear.* The fire began to die and the room became chilly. The candle had burned very low.

Then, what was that? In the distance he could hear sleigh bells. They were coming nearer. He heard a noise at the chimney. Yes, he was certain it was Santa. In a few minutes he would come down the chimney and through the fireplace. The little boy began to wonder if Santa would be angry at him for waiting. Sure enough, there was Santa coming down the chimney. Why, what a racket! But now the little boy suddenly found himself in his own room and bed with his mother bending over him. He had been dreaming.

"Has Santa Claus been here?" he asked bewildered. "Just come down in the library and see," replied his mother. With one bound he was out of bed and racing down the stairs. He gave a cry of joy when he ran into the library, for there hung his stocking full to the top.—Ruth McGilvery, '25.

A Poor Boy's Gift.

Ted settled snugly against the back of the pew and listened to the minister as he read the old Christmas story. He had heard this beautiful story many times. Ted thought it was like a wonderful fairy tale.

The minister was saying, "and, lo, the star went before them, and led them to where the child lay, and they brought him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh. We, too, may bring him gifts; the poor, as well as the rich, little children as well as the aged." Ted held his breath. He was a little child, and he was poor, but he wanted to give the Christ Child a gift. He did not know what he could give.

Nobody noticed the shabby little boy as they went out of church. Ted walked very slowly thinking what he could give. Suddenly he remembered and an expression of joy swept over his face. Something wonderful had happened last night. Santa Claus had given him a present. It was the first time Santa had ever given him a gift and had come to his house although every year Ted had hung up his stocking. He thought it was very nice to receive a Christmas gift.

Ted thought of the sermon. It still rang through his ears, especially the line, "a little child may bring him gifts." He did not know a thing he could give. At last a bright idea popped into his head. He could give the Christmas present he had received, a top.

The next Sunday morning Ted slipped into a back pew in the church. He carried an odd-shaped package, which he fingered lovingly through the sermon. The organ played softly and he could hear the clink of money as he saw the collection plate close to him, so he dropped in his little package. Then he leaned back in his seat and was very happy, for the Christ child had accepted his gift.—Gladys Sandstrom, '25.

A Conversation Between Two Dolls.

It was the day before Christmas and everybody was doing his Christmas shopping. While Polly and her mother were also looking at Christmas presents, Polly heard a conversation between a large expensive rubber doll and a little rag doll.

"O, I wish some nice girl would purchase me so I could hang upon a nice Christmas tree tomorrow night. I just hate to stay here. Can't have any fun at all," said the large doll. "But I know someone will buy me, because I heard a little girl ask her dad if she could buy me," the rag doll answered. "Ah, you're only a cheap rag doll. I am sure nobody cares for you, but maybe some poor girl might get you. I wouldn't like to be a poor girl's doll, anyway, because then you could never have any fun," the large doll replied.

"O, I think you're mistaken about that," said Polly. "A rich girl's Christmas presents are so numerous that you would not have much fun anyway, so I think a poor girl's doll can enjoy a happier Christmas."—Borgliot Zakarison, '25.

The Christmas Seal.

One of the most difficult diseases to prevent or cure is the dreaded tuberculosis. And one of the tasks to which the Red Cross is assigned is the stamping out of this terrible enemy. The most successful method of getting the public interested has proved to be the use of the Christmas seal. Its use has become so general that our Christmas parcels or letters would look strange without the Red Cross seal.

Every cent you spend for a Red Cross seal goes toward helping to care for some boy, girl, man or woman suffering from tuberculosis, or in educating the public so that the disease will not spread.

Hospital camps and ~~other~~ places have been built for the benefit of the people who have tuberculosis. These places bring back health and happiness to many people.

Open air schools, educational exhibits, visiting nurses, and countless other means for combating the white plague owe their existence to the penny Red Cross seal with its emblem of the Red Cross.—Margaret Roark, 8B

The Message of the Christmas Seal.

It was the night after Christmas and the fire was burning dimly in the fire place in a richly furnished room. Tired children had left their toys scattered all over the room and many other indications of the day's festivities might be observed. All was silent and dark in the room except for the faint light thrown from the fireplace. The clock in striking twelve seemed to arouse the toys and they all began to talk at once. Such chattering and such boasting. Suddenly a voice unheard before piped in. This, however, was not a toy but a Christmas seal that was speaking. "I have been listening to all your stories and all you claim is true. You bring pleasure but many times it lasts only a day. I would like to tell you what I represent. I am not conspicuous looking and am not able to carry letters nor am I worth much to the one who buys me. But I represent a source of good that carries health and joy to the poor as well as to the rich. I belong to the National Tuberculosis Association. I carry a chance to live to tens of thousands upon whom death has put its first sign. That sign can be crossed out and is being crossed out yearly in 75,000 cases by the ministration made possible by the sale of such little stamps as I am. People know now that tuberculosis is not inherited, and renewed efforts are being made to prevent and cure it. They know now it is caught from germs transmitted from people suffering with the disease. There is no safety for anyone while the disease is among us. People who are in a position to know say that more than 50 per cent of all children are infected before they are ten years of age, from 60 to 90 per cent before they are 18. The strong survive; the weak succumb. That is why I try to tell the world how important it is to buy generously of our seals and thus help protect everyone and provide care for those who need it."

When the Christmas seal finished talking the toys had become rather drowsy again but one little voice was heard to say, "I think a great deal of money was spent for that broken top that could have been spent for Christmas seals."—Lois Nicholson, 8B.

Roseau Presented Decision.

Last Friday our debating team, consisting of Lloyd Alnes, Ole Helle and Albert Stengelson, accompanied by their coach, Miss Chamberlain, journeyed to Roseau and met their team in the first round of the state series.

Our boys had been working very hard and had a comprehensive grasp of the subject. They put up an excellent debate, excelling particularly in rebuttal, for our boys are ready speakers and know the subject. Certain it is that they acquitted themselves with credit. At the close of the debate but before the decision was announced, even the Roseau coach had made up her mind that Roseau had lost. But, behold, the judges had failed to be convinced. In spite of the general feeling, even among the Roseau people, the judges cast their vote for the affirmative and Thief River Falls with her excellent team was automatically put out of the race. Though this is so, we cannot yield to Roseau that we did not put up a better debate than they.

We are with our team and their coach and we want them to know that we shall back them in their future debates, for we are going to have more debates even though we have been eliminated from the state race. We've too good a team to allow it inactivity.

Athletes Here.

All high school students and more particularly those who are especially interested in athletics are very glad to welcome back to the city Messrs. Gordon LaBree and Denis McGinn, who were graduated from the high school a year ago. These boys are making wonderful records in athletics at St. Thomas. They bring honor and credit not only to themselves but to their Alma Mater. Denis earned for himself a great deal of honor as a football player on the varsity team last fall, while Gordon has won and earned a great deal of favorable comment on his basketball playing.

Thief River Falls High School Quint Wins.

The Thief River Falls high school basket ball quint chalked up its first victory of the season last Saturday night by defeating St. Hilaire in a one-sided contest. Coach Stenhoff used many of his substitutes, all of whom showed up well. The St. Hilaire five was composed of good-sized scrappy basketeers but could not pierce the local defense, and as a result lost the ball time and time again when forced to shoot from near the center of the floor. Thief River Falls showed a number of spurts of good fast team work but a great many rough edges were evident, which will be polished as the season progresses. "Speed" Ralston scored 12 of Thief River's 22 points by his accurate basket shooting. At guards, Herron and Sorenson were exceptionally strong, and Barzen and Arnold substituting were not far behind. LaBree as center showed good floor floor but seemed to be unable to connect with the basket for counters. C. Sorenson, Shetler, Keene and Doland at forward all showed qualities that go towards the making of good men at this position.

The line-up:

T. R. Falls		St. Hilaire
H. Doland	lf	S. Engh
F. Ralston	rf	H. Olson
M. LaBree	c	H. Wallin
S. Sorenson	lg	M. Sherva
C. Herron	rg	L. King

Goals: F. Ralston, 6; LaBree, 1; Herron, 1; Sorenson, 2; S. Engh, 1; M. Sherva, 1.

Free throws: LaBree two out of four attempts. S. Engh three out of four attempts.

Substitutes: C. Sorenson for Doland; H. Keene for Ralston; Shetler for Keene; Math Barzen for S. Sorenson; Arnold for Herron; Nelson for for H. Olson; Denhart for King; Meydahl for Denhart.

Thief River Plays Mahnomen Dec. 23.

The second game of the season and the first conference game will be played with Mahnomen at Mahnomen next Friday evening.

New Library Books.

The library has received 216 new books. There have been classified, accessioned and prepared for use in a comparatively short time, because the teachers who are in charge of the library have been assisted by eight pupils who have given one period a day. These pupils are Herbert Keene, Orrin Storholm, Esther Lunsetter, Margaret Melgaard, Alice Gobler, Ella Johnson, Gladys Russell and Evaline Thompson. No one was invited to do this extra work unless he stood high in his studies, and no one was allowed to do it unless he had his regular lessons prepared. By using these precautions no pupil was injured, and the school was greatly benefited.—M. S. L.

Jokes and Personals.

Old Students.

Miss Gormley: (In Modern History) "You ought to know that you all drew a map in 1810.'

Gregory W.: (Translating shorthand) "A piece of the moon lay on the floor."

Miss Gormley: "Where did Napoleon go from there?"

Bright Student: "Oh, he went to Turkey to fight the turkeys."

Teacher: "What else did Napoleon do?"

Normal Student: "Under Napoleon they raised sugar beets and made their own dyes."

Extra Bright Student: (In a whisper) "And they used 'chicken feed' for coffee."

Did you hear of the downfall of Stephen caused by Henry V the seventh period on Wednesday?

Senior Girl: "It's John Milton's birthday today. Who's John Milton?"
Second Girl: "Don't you know? He wrote Bunyan's Pilgrims' Progress."

In chemistry: "Hey, there! Don't erase my alcohol."
(Meaning C2H2Oh.)

Teacher: "How warm are you centigrade, Herbert?"
Herbert J: "About 98.6 degrees."
Teacher: "Oh, if you were that hot you'd soon be wearing a wooden kimona."

Teacher: "Arrange all your chairs in four even rows."
(Great shuffling of chairs ensued.)
One Student: "Now we are all crooked."

Clarence and Rudy Rice visited at their home in Plummer over Sunday.

Gladys Kolden has given a new definition for winking: "It is a misclosure of the eye."

Miss Chamberlain: "What was a pastoral romance?"
Edgar: "Shepherds."
Bill McGinnity: "Pasture scene."

Miss Soule: "What is the best way to preserve eggs?"
Elizabeth K.: "In the incubator."

Teacher: "Describe Grant."
First Student: "He was short and round shouldered."
Second Student: "He had a beard."
Third Student: "He was calm in the face of danger."
Teacher: "What more can you add, Inga?"
Inga: (Pensively) "He had blue eyes."
(And there followed a long pause.)

Gladys Maland spent Sunday at her home in St. Hilaire.

Miss Gormley: "What was the treaty between France and Prussia?"
Conrad: "The treaty of Tilsit."
Miss Gormley: "No, Conrad, you have Tilsit on the brain."
Miss Gormley: (Later) "What were the terms of the Treaty of Tilsit, Cleon?"
Cleon: "Ask Conrad. He has it on the brain."

Bright Student, in English IV "Do we have to read this story in class?"
Miss Chamberlain: "No, you have read that outside."
Paul H.: "Open the window."

This is a personal—it's too tragic to be a joke: Thursday morning during the fourth period the teachers were invited to partake of the fruits of the domestic science class, which unfortunately (for the rest of us) happened to be fresh doughnuts and ice cream.

Teacher: "If you don't understand them, say so, like this fellow here. I think a lot of him because he says 'I don't' once in a while."
Stephen A.: "I don't."
Teacher: "Ha, ha, don't put that in the Progress."

Allison Stitt: (In physics, the discussion of clocks and pendulums) "What are those weights on them for?"
Teacher: "So they don't run away, of course."

Teacher: "Genevieve, use the word 'soliloquy' in a sentence."
Student: (Hesitatingly) "The soliloquy sat in the parlor."

Washington Notes.

The first grade won the marching pennant for this week.

Andrew Langevin has returned to school after several weeks of absence on account of small pox.

Mr. Arneson visited the second grade on Tuesday.

The Washington teachers enjoyed a luncheon at school Tuesday afternoon in honor of Miss Larson's and Mrs. Karwand's birthdays.

Agnes Field was absent last week because of illness.

The fourth grade have perfect membership in the Junior Red Cross.

The Washington school secured a hundred per cent enrollment in the Junior Red Cross, collecting from the first grade 90 cents, from the second one dollar, from the third one dollar eight cents, from the combined third and fourth 85 cents, from the fifth one dollar one cent, and from the sixth one dollar, making a total of $6.75 for the building.

Central Notes.

A group of seventh grade pupils, accompanied by the Misses Hanson, Patten and Dodge, enjoyed a sleigh ride party on Thursday evening. After their ride the party was royally entertained with games and lunch at the Kinsela home.

Miss Burns' room won the seventh grade marching banner this week.

Hazel Swanson has been absent this week on account of illness.

The following pupils in Miss Batten's room earned money to buy their Red Cross Christmas seals: Dorothy Welkowski, Ruth Larson, Ethel Myrin, Arthur Sorlom, Henry Schwartz, Eugene Richter, George Johnson, Lily Roberts, Thielfred Savig, Alvin Swenser, Antoinette Vaudrin, Marie Olson, Goldie Olson, Goldie Remmem, Clifford Thompson, Sylvia Peterson, Georgine Landberg, Marion Reynolds, William Sahl.

Miss Burns' pupils sold the greatest number of Christmas seals in the seventh grade. The amount was $5.23.

Donald Fiterman in the eighth grade sold 429 seals. The pupils in Miss Tandberg's room sold 810 seals. Total amount collected for seals from Central school, $26.41.

Knox Notes.

Lost—Marjorie Fuller's little black mitten. Finder please return to Miss Lindquist's room for liberal reward.

Caroline Mattson enrolled in the sixth grade this week.

Our Christmas barrel is again full. We are more than grateful to the people on the East side who are lending their help.

The sessions at the Knox school are to change Monday for the remaining days in the old building.

Inventory of the rooms was taken Thursday, thus supplying insurance information.

All the children of our school have enrolled in the Junior Red Cross.

The fifth grade pupils enjoyed a Victrola concert on Friday afternoon.

Northrop Notes.

Miss Melby of the Knox school visited the second grade Tuesday afternoon.

The second grade is to have a Christmas tree and the children are to have full charge of the decorations.

The Northrop pupils are enjoying the skating rink which Mr. Reitz and the larger boys made.

The fifth grade drew names Thursday for Christmas gifts, which will be given out next Thursday morning.

The members of the fifth grade are starting Christmas stories to complete their small booklets.

Evelyn Grindeland has been absent from school on account of sickness.

Miss Murat's second grade will have a Christmas tree in their room next week.

Elmer Cruzan has moved away.

Esther Hagen is in school again after several weeks absence due to illness.

The marching pennants for the week for the upper grades were won by Miss Ryan's and Miss Tandberg's pupils.

The pupils of the Northrop school collected $30.75 during the sale of the Red Cross seals.

The fourth grade pupils are looking forward to their Christmas party, which will be given Thursday morning, Dec. 22.

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

A Merry Christmas to all!

Christmas Program at Busy Bee.

The teachers and pupils of Busy Bee school will have their Christmas program Thursday evening, when the following numbers will be rendered:

"Hark, the Angels Sing," School.
[illegible] Greeting, Mildred Solback, [illegible] Hall, Esther Evenson.
Song, "Away in a Manger," Eleanora Nelson.
"A Stitch in Time," Pearl Doran.
"Christmas Cheer," Upper Classes.
Song, "Christmas Bells," School.
"The Favorite Tree," Leonard Johnson, Clarence Dahl, Elmer Jarshaw.
Song, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny," Olga Alby, Olga Grytdahl, Carrie Nelson, Miss Thoraldson.
"Christmas Acrostic," Primary Classes.
Song, "The Happiest Day," Asgot Dahl, Eleanor Hall, Mamie Evenson.
"Christmas Doings," Grace Doran, Eleanor Nelson, Alice Hall, Annie Evenson.
"Mother Goose," School.
"Carol Songs," Quartette.
"Christmas Dialogue," Olephine Dahl, Pearl Jarshaw.
Song, "Christmas Time," School.
"Jennie's Letter to Santa," John Doran.
"Merry Christmas Day," Alice [illegible] Annie Evenson, Eleanora Nelson, Doran.
"[illegible]mas Telephone," Henry Grytdahl.
[illegible] "Newsboy Tim."
"Good Santa Claus," Four Girls.
[illegible] "Squire Hawley's Christmas," Alice Doran, Clarence Hall, Mamie Evenson, Eleanor Hall, Engvall Dahl, Tena Alby, Asgot Dahl, Annie Evenson, Clifford Johnson.
"Silent Night," Asgot Dahl, Tena Alby, Alice Doran, Eleanor Hall and Mamie Evenson.
Accompanist, Miss Myrtle Nelson.

Willowdale School Notes.

Willowdale pupils having perfect attendance during November were Edna and Byron Sagmoen, Walter, Albin, Herman, Vera and Viola Peterson, Mentor Hasby, Delbert Kron, and Fargus Haraldson. A Thanksgiving program and rag ball social was given at the school on Nov. 18, and the proceeds will be used for interior painting and decorating of the class room. All the pupils are trying their best to get a gold star each week on the honor spelling roll. A star means a perfect spelling record during one week. The new heating plant has been installed and the new blackboards have been put up and are in constant use. Annie Blomberg has now enrolled for work, making a total enrollment of seventeen. The teacher, Miss Ella Fellman, left Friday evening for her home at Thief River Falls to spend Sunday.

Mrs. Ina Thompson returned to her home at Gully last Friday evening after a week's visit with her son, James, and family.

Mrs. O. M. Holson arrived Friday evening from Viking and will visit indefinitely with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Mellem.

Swen Swenson left last Friday for a few days' business stay at Newfolden.

All the boys who have been employed at gravel hauling on the Holt road came home the latter part of the week as the sand pit they have been hauling from has been pronounced by a state engineer to contain too fine sand for road work, and are laid off temporarily until a new pit can be found and opened.

Joe Weiss, who has been employed at Warren this summer, came home last Friday to spend Christmas with the folks.

Albert Hellquist motored down one day this week from Newfolden for a brief call on his father, J. E. Hellquist.

A three days cash sale was held at the Carlson store this week and attracted hundreds of shoppers. On Wednesday coffee and cake were served. Four extra clerks were employed that day.

Mrs. Julia Axelson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hall, Elizabeth Hall, and Fred Stafford at an evening party last Wednesday in honor of her daughter Minnie's 16th birthday. The evening was spent in a social way, light refreshments being served.

Nels Nora, accompanied by little Oswald Nora, was in town Thursday calling on John Remmem.

Fred Anderson of Hibbing was in town one day last week on his way to Warren on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Haugen returned on Tuesday from Angus, where they had spent Sunday visiting with the Abe Stroble people.

Miss Viola Axelson will return on Saturday from Viking, where she is employed, and will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. Axelson.

Mrs. Tena Eggen of Kelliher, after attending the funeral of Agnes Remmem at Thief River Falls last Sunday, spent a few days the first of the week at the A. Gullseth and Nordhagen brothers homes, returning to her home on Wednesday.

Rev. F. O. Anderson of Baudette was in town on Wednesday visiting at the Mellem and Sor homes and spoke in the evening at the Swedish church. He left on Thursday for Viking and Warren.

Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard and son, Alton, of Viking, arrived Wednesday evening for a few days' visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem.

John Sagmoen returned Tuesday evening from Anita, where he has been operating a lunch counter for the gravel haulers, and spent a few days with his family.

A full line of the latest in handkerchiefs, holiday goods, candles, evergreen trimmings and suitable articles for Christmas gifts. Store open every evening. Remmem's Bargain Store.—Advertisement. d-22

Postmaster Herbert Carlson was taken to Thief River Falls last Tuesday to receive treatment for his jaw and throat swelling. He also had some teeth removed and his mouth was photographed with the X-ray. After spending a day at the hospital he returned much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and children of Thief River Falls visited friends here last Wednesday.

Several shareholders of the Viking Telephone company attended the annual meeting at Viking on Saturday.

Anton Gullseth and Emil Anderson motored to Thief River Falls Thursday on business.

The Ben Petterson family motored to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to attend a Lutfisk supper at one of the Swedish churches.

Carl Ranum and Victor Axelson spent Wednesday on business at Viking.

John Remmem is starting a wood yard in town and expects to cut several carloads of green wood this winter and ship it out in stove wood lengths, both dried and green.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Olof Nordhagen on Monday, Dec. 4.

F. G. Dola has recently purchased what is known as the old Edward Setnes farm one mile east of town.

Miss Gladys Swenson returned on Monday from Thief River Falls after having been confined there for two weeks as the result of a severe cold.

Philip Vixie, who is employed at Viking, spent Sunday with Oscar Vixie and family.

NUMEDAL

Old Man Winter is again with us for a three months' stay.

Thure Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls on business last Friday.

Albert Forslund was busy hauling baled hay to Viking last week.

Quite a few young people from this community attended the dance at Viking Wednesday evening of last week.

Thure Blomberg called at the Forest Hedrick farm one day last week.

Tommy Joringdal, who has been employed at the Joe Joringdal farm for some time, returned home Sunday.

Olof Larson and Soren Knutson took a load of sheep to Viking on Saturday, which they shipped with the Viking Shipping association.

Thure Blomberg motored to Viking Saturday.

Peter Joringdal left on Thursday by auto for Frontier, near Rainy River.

George Bugge motored to Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Quite a few from this vicinity attended the dance at Harry Myrom's Saturday night.

Mrs. Olof Larson was a Sunday caller at the Blomberg home.

George Bugge called at the Soren Knutson home Sunday.

Joseph Joringdal was a Viking shopper Monday.

Olof Larson called at the Knutson home Sunday.

Hjalmer Blomberg motored to Viking on Monday.

Your correspondent wishes The Times and all its readers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

The Times is the Recognized Pennington County Paper

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Timothy hay in stack. Halvor Loken. 48p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—2,000 acres of land in 40, 80, 120 and 160 acre lots for anything you have to trade. Land is cheap and has gone down 50 per cent. Write in care of Times. 46p

FOR SALE—Several carloads of dry green poplar wood F. O. B. Winger. [illegible] Cooperative Trading Co., Winger. 46

[illegible]ALE OR TRADE—As I have [illegible] garage I have a few automobiles to dispose of. I will sell them or [illegible] for horses, harness, wagons or any farm machinery that I can use. Also have some land to trade. C. M. Evenson. 48

FOR SALE—Registered Duroc spring pigs, $25 each. Pure bred Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels and pullets, $3.00 each. Ed. Battenfeld, near Soo Roundhouse. Phone 485-W 46

FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT—My 250-acre farm. Good grain or stock farm. Highly improved, fully equipped. Price and terms are right. Want house and lot or small farm near town. Address Box 31, Rollis, Minn. 46

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 46tf

FOR SALE—Barn and lot or barn alone. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. No.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.

Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs [illegible] steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. [illegible] O. brush breaker, also tanks and [illegible]cks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. Sees, Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1921 model, [illegible] in extra equipment. Free storage for winter. $450. John Ward, city. 46p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 401 Arnold Ave. N. or Phone 350-2. 45

WANTED — Local representative for large Mutual Life Insurance company. Will give attractive contract. R. M. Neely Company, St. Paul, Minn. 45

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 816 Horace Ave. N. 46p

FOR RENT—New partly modern house. 248 Tindolph Ave. N. 46p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—From 3 to 5 room house with 2 lots and a good location. Call or write 408 Duluth Ave. S. 46p

WANTED TO BUY—300 young White Leghorn chickens. Call or write 408 Duluth Ave. S. 46p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47p

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 16, 801 Main Avenue North. 41tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. Henry Holt. 46

MISCELLANEOUS

TAKEN UP—At my place in Hickory township, one steer calf, all red. Owner can have same by proving property and paying costs. T. T. Kvale, Ruddell, Minn. 46p

DRESSMAKING — Mrs. N. Wersflein, 310 Riverside Ave. 45p

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five thousand one hundred seventy-two dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Max Gehrts and Adeline Gehrts, his wife, as Mortgagors, to William Stolz, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of January, 1917, at four (4) o'clock P. M., in Book 57 of Mortgages on page 98.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼), Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE¼ of NE¼), and Lot numbered Four (4) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153) North, Range 41 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Fifty-Nine and 50-100 (159.50) acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Thousand One Hundred Seventy-two Dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68) and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifteen (15) dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 12, 1921.

WILLIAM STOLZ,
Mortgagee.

LOUIS P. JOHNSON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Ivanhoe, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-eight and 40-100 ($2658.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Teodor Jacobson and Gertie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, 1916, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page 310, which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 9th day of November, 1921, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by the said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded on the 17th day of December, 1921 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "11" of Mortgages, on page 611 of the records in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Fifteen (15) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M. of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 19th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

In Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

In the matter of Carl A. Anderson and Victor F. Anderson, Co-Partners as C. A. Anderson and V. F. Anderson, and individually, bankrupts.

To the creditors of Carl A. Anderson and Victor F. Anderson, Co-Partners as C. A. Anderson and V. F. Anderson, and individually, of Bray Township, in the County of Pennington, in said District, bankrupts:

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1921, the above named Carl A. Anderson and Victor F. Anderson, co-partners as C. A. Anderson and V. F. Anderson, and individually, were duly adjudicated bankrupts, and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned referee in bankruptcy, in the city of Crookston, in the county of Polk, in said district, on the 30th day of December, A. D. 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time said creditors may attend, prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated December 19th, 1921.

OLE J. VAULE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

E. M. STANTON,
Attorney for Bankrupts.
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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Ole L. Ottum and Lottie Ottum, his wife, mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 23rd day of November, 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1914, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages on Page 137, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-one and 89-100 Dollars ($1331.89) as follows: The sum of $885.02 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage and the sum of $446.87 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West Half (W½) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1331.89, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 14th, 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States.

For the Sixth Division, District of Minnesota.

No. 1812.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Anton J. Osen, Bankrupt.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Sixth Division, District of Minnesota, Anton J. Osen, of Goodridge, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents:

That on the 9th day of February, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 1st day of December, A. D. 1921.

ANTON J. OSEN, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On this 10th day of December, A. D. 1921, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

Ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1922, before said court, at St. Paul, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is Further Ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1921.

(Seal of the Court)

JOEL M. DICKEY,
Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSON,
Deputy Clerk.
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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Jon Jonsson Baner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonsson Baner, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Britta Baner, Edgar Oathy, Hilmer Oathy, Hans Baner, John Baner, Carrie Ecklund, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of John Baner having been filed in this Court, representing that Jon Jonsson Baner, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 13th day of July, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Hans Baner, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 19th day of December, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
D-22-29-J-5

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Charles Palmer, a widower, Mortgagor, to the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of August, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of September, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 51 of Mortgages on page 471.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-two (22) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging; such sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, and interest from date hereof, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 12th, 1921.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anders L. Kjos, a single man, Mortgagor, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of March, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1918, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages on page 307; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay one installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $30.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $1,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on March 29, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $30.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereupon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $78.25, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½NW¼), Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼SW¼), of Section Thirty-six (36), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $78.25, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of *ten per cent* per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Charles O. Stephenson and Gina Stephenson, his wife, mortgagors, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated November 23rd, 1910, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 4th day of December 1910, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 391.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $67.20 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $201.84, a total of $272.04 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Thirteen (13) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian. By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 15th day of November, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
N-17-24-D-1-8-15-22

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Ole T. Bratland and Tilda Bratland, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of January, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 424; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay an installment in the sum of $45.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $165.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $3,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $135.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $345.35, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots One (1), and Two (2), and the South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North of Range Forty (40), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $345.35, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of J. A. Blomberg.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. A. Blomberg, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Anna Blomberg, Anna Peterson, Svea Blomberg, Herman Blomberg, Hjalmar Blomberg, Thure Blomberg, Elmer Blomberg, Edward Blomberg, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Anna Blomberg having been filed in this Court representing that J. A. Blomberg, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 5th day of November, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Anna Blomberg, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1922, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 12th day of December, 1921.

(Court Seal)

LARS BACKE,
Probate Judge.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
D-15-22-29

Notice for Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, up to 3 o'clock P. M. on January 3, 1922, for the publication of the Notice and the Delinquent Tax List for 1921, and for the Financial Statement and for all legal publications for Pennington County, Minnesota, for the year 1922.

The County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn., December 14, 1921.

County Board for Pennington County,
By T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.
D-15-22-29

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anton Knudson and Ada Knudson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of September, 1920, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 434; which Mortgage was also recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of November, 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 103 of Mortgages, on Page 20; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay two installments in the sum of $90.00 each, which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and, on December 1, 1921, respectively, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $6,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon said prior Mortgage, which became due and payable on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, the said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1920, pay such interest on such prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1920, and did on December 2, 1921, pay said interest on said prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has declared and does hereby declare the whole principal sum remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $270.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $1153.50, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Southeast Quarter (SE¼), of Section Ten (10), Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼) of Section Fourteen (14), Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼NE¼), of Section Fifteen (15), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota; Also the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼), of Section Eleven (11), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1153.50 and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seven Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-six and 29-100 ($7396.29) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of December, 1916, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 262.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) by written assignment dated the 5th day of January, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 12th day of January, 1917, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 56 of Mortgages, on page 311.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 16th day of December, 1921, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages, on page 612, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $7396.29, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 19th, A. D. 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Louis Lee, a single man, mortgagor, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 4th, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of February, 1918, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages, on Page 370.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $54.90 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $75.66, a total of $130.56 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are to-wit:

The North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N½SW¼) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼SW¼) and Lot No. Five (5) of Section No. Four (4) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 4th day of December, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Knute Donaldson Dahle and Olga Donaldson Dahle, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 2[illegible]th day of July, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of August, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "58" of Mortgages, page 321, and which mortgage was thereafter and on the 11th day of September, 1917, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, by written assignment dated on said 11th day of September, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 12th day of September, 1917, at 1:10 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 454, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 25th day of November, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages, on page 604, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred ($1,700.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, and,

Whereas, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of said principal sum, or any part thereof, or interest on said note, or any part thereof when the same should become due and payable, and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be declared to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid the interest on said note maturing and becoming due on the 25th day of July, 1921, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest is by said assignee of said mortgagee, deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-seven and 16-100 ($1,827.16) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinafter described, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

East half of the Southwest quarter (E½-SW¼) and South half of the Northwest quarter (S½-NW¼) Section Twenty-two (22) Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorneys' fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 1st, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-three and no-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. S. Brown and May Brown, his wife, mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1920, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 64 of Mortgages, on Page 37, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5) and Nine (9), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Four and 40-100 (104.40) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1,983.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

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250 BANKS ASK FOR SIX MILLION CREDIT TO HELP FARMERS

Government Agricultural Loan Agency Means Real Help to Minnesota.

Country banks in Minnesota are awaking to the possibility of giving real credit relief to farmers through the agricultural loan agency of the War Finance corporation.

More than 250 Minnesota banks have applied for government loans on agricultural paper.

These 250 banks have asked the War Finance corporation for a total of $6,377,000 in less than two months.

Officials of the corporation estimate that there are 500 to 600 more country banks in Minnesota which are eligible to make use of the new agricultural credit facilities provided by the government, but which have not yet applied for loans. Although Minnesota has been much slower than North and South Dakota to take advantage of these credit facilities, officials say, applications from Minnesota banks are beginning to pour in to the northwest offices of the finance corporation of Minneapolis. The number of incoming applications has more than doubled during the last two weeks. Five subcommittees of the finance corporation working every day to rush applications through to Washington, D. C., without delay. In one day, working from 9 a. m. to 11 p. m., the committees approved 104 applications for a total of more than $2,900,000, according to M. O. Grangaard, secretary.

"While the agricultural loans of the War Finance corporation do not mean a flood of new easy credit," Mr. Grangaard said, "they do mean positive and practical benefits to the farmers of the northwest. It is impossible to make statements that will apply to every individual bank, but generally speaking, use of these new credit facilities should enable banks to carry farmers' present obligations without asking undue liquidation."

That extension of additional credit is also possible under the new credit act, to permit farmers to buy feeder stock to consume the cheap grain and feed now virtually unmarkable except at prices below the cost of production, is demonstrated by the policy of one country bank which has received a federal loan. This bank immediately used $4,000 for new loans, by purchasing 42 head of Holstein cattle and turning them over to farmers as the nucleus of pedigreed herds, taking notes as payment.

"There can be no doubt that the agricultural credit act, with proper understanding, can be of tremendous benefit to Minnesota farmers, relieving some of the burden of the country bank and averting any necessity of closing in on agricultural loans," the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation says in an official statement. "In general, creditors are not squeezing farmer borrowers because it would be disasterous to do so. Information comes to us, however, that in many cases farmers' obligations are not being renewed, but are merely being carried overdue, leaving the borrower uncertain and liable to pressure at any time. Properly used the War Finance corporation provide amply for the renewal of the farmers' present obligations.

"The evil effect of lack of confidence must be recognized. The farmer whose overdue note is held by a bank without provision for renewal, and with no assurance as to how long it will be carried, is not in a frame of mind conductive to a return of better conditions."

BEGINS ROUND-UP OF ALL AUTO TAX

Sheriffs Instructed to Enforce Payments, Confiscating Cars if Found Necessary.

Certifying tax-delinquent cars for confiscation and finishing a check of cars operating in Minnesota under licenses of other states, Mike Holm, secretary of state, said that a final state-wide campaign to collect motor vehicle taxes will be carried on during the next ten days.

Delinquent lists are being certified to district court clerks in the various counties under the same law that requires the sheriff to forthwith force payments, confiscating the machines if necessary.

Investigations of ownership of cars operated in Minnesota under foreign license tags is about completed, Secretary Holm said. In the larger cities and some localities the police helped the state inspectors with the work. Enforcement proceedings are to be started in cases where Minnesota ownership is established.

Sales of 1922 automobile tags will open Jan. 3 at Secretary Holm's office at the capitol. Application forms, however, may be procured at any bank or from the county register of deeds. Each application for a car now in use must be accompanied by the 1921 registration certificate, the secretary emphasized, and also a remittance covering all taxes, including any arrearages with penalties.

In spite of many protests following reductions in automobile prices, the tax rate is based on the factory list price on Nov. 1 of the model year. While this may make the tax higher on old than new cars of the same make, Secretary Holm explained that the legislature alone had power to change it.

New Grain and Hay Rates Go Into Effect Saturday

Reduced rates on grain, grain products and hay in trans-Mississippi territory, which the carriers recently months, were sustained by the interstate commerce commission last week and will go into effect Dec. 27. The reductions average about sixteen and one-half per cent of the 1920 grain rates and are further decreased by the commission's order which requires that corn and other coarse grains be carried for 10 per cent less than wheat and other bread-stuff grains.

The commission's original order for the reduction was issued Oct. 20 and was based on the petition of 15 western states and a number of agricultural organizations.

PRICE DROP ON "YORKER" HOGS

Light Sorts Discounted 25c to 50c at Week's Opening; Cattle Are Steady.

South St. Paul, Minn.—More or less severe declines in wholesale prices of fresh pork at large eastern consuming centers late last week were reflected in the market for sorted light-weight hogs, such kinds declining 25 to 50c, selling from $6.50 to $6.75. Butcher hogs sold steady to 10c higher, bulk $6.35 to $6.50, heavy packers $5.25 to $5.75, good pigs mostly $7.25.

A moderate run of around 4,200 cattle, a considerable percentage of which were stockers and feeders, sold on a mostly steady to strong market. However, packer buyers were bearish, and with news of a lower market at Chicago, undertone to the late market was weak, with some sales to packers showing losses of around a quarter. No good or choice beef steers were offered, best being a few individuals of medium beef grade which sold at $7, with part loads at $6.65 and $6.75, and bulk at $5 to $6.25. Best butcher heifers here sold in small lots up to $6.25, best load lot $6, and a fair showing from this price down to $5.25. Bulk of the butcher she stock sold from $3 to $5. A few of the poorest canners sold at $1.50, bulk $1.75 and $2, cutters $2.25 to $2.75, bologna bulls went from $2.75 to $3.50. Veal calves sold steady with last week's close, bulk of best lights $8, seconds mostly $5 to $5.50. Strictly choice stockers and feeders are quotable up to $6, best here Monday $5.50 to $5.75, bulk $4.50 to $5.25.

Most of the desirable fat lambs sold from $9 to $9.50, culls $5 to $8. Fat ewes were salable from $2.50 to $3.75. One string of choice quality 50-pound Montana feeding lambs sold at $8.50.

Wants County Represented At State Tax Conference

The sixth annual meeting of the Minnesota Tax Conference will be held in Minneapolis on Jan. 18 and 19, 1922. The conference was organized six years ago and meets annually for the purpose of discussing state and local taxation.

Each county is entitled to five delegates. The county auditor and the chairman of the county board of each county are ex-officio delegates. Any interested citizen, however, may attend the conference and participate in its discussions.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson is in receipt of a letter from Roy G. Blakely of the University of Minnesota, president of the conference, asking that the selection of delegates be brought to the attention of the county board at its January meeting. In order that the agricultural interests of the state may be fully represented at the conference, the president suggests that one or more of the delegates to be named by the board be selected from the farming community of the county.

The program this year will be very largely devoted to a consideration of the excessive tax burdens now being borne by business and property and the urgent necessity for some measure of relief before business conditions will be restored to normalcy. Governor Preus and other prominent speakers will address the conference.

Ten Years For Wifebeating.

John Hartman, who was found guilty by a jury in the district court on Saturday of assaulting his wife at their house in Barnesville last June, on Saturday was sentenced to ten years in the state prison at Stillwater by Judge C. A. Nye. Hartman was charged with having fractured his wife's skull with a hammer while in a jealous rage.

Envelope Will Show Why Your Mail Was Delayed

Would you want to know why your mail is sometimes delayed for an excessive period, varying from several weeks to a period of years?

In the future you will find it all written out for you on the envelope.

Instructions received at the postoffice from Washington order postmasters to make a brief endorsement as to the cause of delay, on the theory that such action will have a tendancy to minimize the volume of adverse criticism.

The principal cause for delay of this nature are failure to thoroughly empty pouches and sacks, the failure of hotel authorities, rooming house proprietors and other patrons promptly to return mail misdelivered ly residing at the [illegible] the occasional mistreatment of mail which accidentally falls behind desks and other postoffice equipment.

An annual loss of about $250,000 which the department is suffering through the acceptance of short-paid parcel post mail delivered without sufficient postage being collected will also have to stop, Mr. Hays has asserted.

Receiving clerks will be more closely checked in weighing and computation. Firms using precanceled stamps and mailing parcels will also be watched more closely.

Interpreting a previous order, Mr. Hays has issued instructions forbidding supervisory officials from the rank of foreman up to engage in any other business for gain. Other employes may do so, however.

A previous order forbidding smoking is modified so as to make it a matter of discression on the part of postmasters and supervisors.

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Mrs. Tillie F. Hanson.

On Sunday morning at 10:30 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oftedahl, occurred the death of Mrs. Tillie Hanson, wife of Olaf T. Hanson of this city, after an illness extending over several months. Deceased was born Jan. 10, 1894, at Superior, Wis., moving to this city with her parents in 1904. She was married on June 4, 1920, to Olaf T. Hanson of St. Cloud, in which city they made their home prior to their removal to Thief River Falls a few months ago. She leaves a large number of friends and relatives who will mourn her death. Besides her husband she is survived by her parents, five sisters, Mrs. Olaf Winger of this city, Mrs. J. P. Hawkins, of Foam Lake, Sask.; Jeanette, Inga and Agnes, and one brother, Peter, all whom reside here. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon from the Trinity Lutheran church, Rev. T. E. Sweger conducting. Interment was made at Greenwood.

"Bill" Edgar Improving.

W. F. Edgar, who left here a few months ago in poor health, is still residing in Boone, Iowa. In a letter to friends here Mr. Edgar says that he was in bad shape for a long time after his arrival but that he is now very much improved and doctors are in hopes of pulling him through in good shape. He says that if he ever gets well again he is coming back to Thief River Falls and sends the season's greetings to all old friends.

LIBRARY NOTES

The following new books have arrived at the library:

"Pride of Palomar," Peter B. Kyne.
"Miss Lulu Bett," Zona Gale.
"Helen of the Old House," Harold B. Wright.
"Japan," Hadland F. Davis.
"Sportsman's Wanderings," J. G. Millais.
"The Wishing Ring," Eleanor Schover.
"The Magic Whistle," G. E. Brown.
"Complete Athletic Trainer," S. A. Mussabini.
"Earthenware Collector," G. W. Rhead.
"City Curious," Jean de Bosschere.
"Studies in Religion and Theology," A. M. Fairbairn.
"Critical Handbook of the Greek New Testament," Edward C. Mitchell.
"The Quality of Mercy," W. D. Howells.
"The Eagle Badge," Holman Day.
"Diseases of the Dog," Frank Barton.
"Age of Electricity," Park Benjamin.
"Magic Stone," B. E. Wade.
"Superwomen," A. P. Terhune.
"Wanderdays and Wanderways," Grace Tabor.
"White Caravan," W. E. Cule.
"Fairy Roads to Science Town," Mary E. Hardy.
"The Glass Collector," Maciver Percival.
"Mother and Father," W. D. Howells.
"William Cullen Bryant," John Bigelow.
"Ralph Waldo Emerson," O. W. Holmes.
"Nathaniel Hawthorne," G. E. Woodberry.
"Edgar Allen Poe," G. E. Woodberry.
"Washington Irving," Chas. D. Warner.
"James Russell Lowell," Ferris Greenslet.
"Henry D. Thoreau," F. B. Sanborn.
"Walt Whitman," Bliss Perry.
"John Greenleaf Whittier," George R. Carpenter.
"Adventures in Southern Seas," George Forbes.
"The Navy and the Nation," Josephus Daniels.
"Story Teller's Hall," Richard Wilson.
Poems, R. W. Emerson.
"Our Next-door Neighbor," Belle C. Maniates.
"Two Little Friends in Norway," Margaret Sidney.
"Your Psychic Powers," H. Carrington.
"Letters From an American Farmer," J. Hector St. John Crevecoeur.
"Life of Christ," G. R. Lees.
"Little Miss Muffet," Elizabeth Kirby.
"Treasure Trove," Richard Wilson.
"The Human Boy," Eden Phillpotts.
"Spraying of Plants," E. G. Lodeman.
"Gregg," Fleta C. Springer.
"The Bible in Browning," M. G. Machen.
"Growth of the Soil," Knut Hamsun.
"Great Masters," John LaFarge.
"A Book Without a Title," George Jean Nathan.
"Temperamental Henry," Samuel Merwin.
"The Name of Old Glory," James W. Riley.
"Early English Hero Tales," Jeanett Marks.
"The Money Master," Gilbert Parker.
"Johnny Appleseed," Eleanor Atkinson.
"Strange Stories of the Great Valley," Johnston Grosvenor.
"Believe You Me," Nina W. Putnam.
"Outland," Mary Austin.
"The Holocaust," A. A. [illegible]
"Christianity and the Social Rage," Adolph A. Berle.
"Modern Water Color," Romilly Fedden.
"My Wife," Edward Burk.
"Unbeaten Tracks in Japan," Isabel F. Bird.
"The Widow Woman," Charles Lee.
"A Child's Religion," Mary A. Wilber.
"Soldiers of the Sea," W. J. Abbott.
"Schubert Fantasies," A. F. Ferguson.
"Sonnie Boys' People," J. B. Connolly.
"The Nervous Housewife," Abraham Myerson.
"Comets," Henry W. Elson.
"War With Germany," L. P. Ayres.

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The big gravel pit northwest of this place was closed the first of the week. The gravel was getting to be too fine to stand inspeciton. This threw about 60 men and teams out of a job, but we are told another pit is being opened on the Ole Berg farm one mile west of this place. Not so large a team force will be employed. Two miles of road still remain to be graveled.

Nick Baker and Willis Warring called at the Rogers farm the other day on business.

J. A. Russell is hauling gravel on the south end of the road near town. He has two teams on the job.

Henry Sande went to Holt on business the last of the week.

Irvin Russell was a business caller in Steiner the last of the week.

Emmons Rogers drove to Thief River Falls Friday.

Willie Meyers went to Thief River Falls Friday.

S. R. Rogers recently bought a wagon from Ole Berg.

Louis Meyers has been hauling gravel.

Arthur Simonson has been repairing telephones the past week.

The Uffer boys have been cutting brush on their farm, which makes quite an improvement.

Steigen Brothers have been clearing the right of way along the road east from the school house at Steiner.

Cyrus Malberg has moved home from the Copp place, where he was stopping while hauling gravel.

Rene Werner was a business caller in Thief River Falls the middle of last week.

S. R. Rogers has been shoeing horses the past few days for the gravel haulers.

P. B. Malberg motored to Thief River Falls last Thursday on a business trip.

Victor Swanson of Cloverleaf was a visitor recently at the home of his uncle, C. A. Swanson.

Christian Berg and H. Best went on a wolf hunting trip last Friday, driving around with horses and sleds. They were successful in shooting and killing two wolves. A third escaped.

Mr. Sannes, from east of Thief River Falls, was a business visitor in this vicinity last Thursday.

Charles Swanson spent last Wednesday at Thief River Falls attending to business matters.

Arthur Simonson was a business visitor at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Several from this place attended the lutfisk supper given at the Swedish Lutheran church at Thief River Falls last Wednesday evening.

Hogs Wanted.

We are in the market for hogs at all times and will pay highest market prices. Phone us for dates on which to bring them in. Phone No. 63. New Meat Market, Thief River Falls. d29

American Legion Corner

A Farewell From Foch.

On Board the Liner "Paris," New York Harbor, Dec. 14, 1921.

Comrades of the American Legion: With deep regret I bid you good bye. For seven weeks the Legion has entertained me marvelously in your splendid country. My experience here leads me to two thoughts.

When first I met you and came to admire you as fighters, cheerful, subject to discipline under your splendid leader, General Pershing, the days were dark indeed. Yet you smiled then as you fought and your cheerfulness and bravery helped much to bring us victory and peace.

When next I met you, it was in your country. The alarms of war pursuits of peace [illegible] tial to happiness and prosperity—hard work. I have come to love all Americans for their spirit of diligence, for their generous-heartedness. France and the United States are indeed close together, as they always have been.

These two thoughts—of the American abroad at war, of the American at home and at peace—lead to only one conclusion, that the Americans are young, sturdy, honorable, God-fearing, full of faith and hope; that they are to be admired, respected and trusted by all peoples everywhere.

And of what type is the representative American of today? The type you find in the American Legion. He is the man who sacrificed his all to fight for his flag and world freedom. He is the man who will see to it that we have "peace on earth, good will toward men."

We, in France are doing our share to keep ourselves worthy of the victory we have won. We know you are doing yours.

Long live the American people!
Long live the American Legion!
FERDINAND FOCH.

MacNider—"A Regular Guy."

(By John F. Brady in Boston Post.)

I'll say "he's there forty ways from the middle."

In ten years of character analyzing I have not met a young man who impressed me more profoundly as the being the type that the times demand.

You're going to hear of this man MacNider playing a big part in the affairs of the nation one of these days if the Lord spares him, or I'm no prophet. But you don't have to take my word for it alone. There are others who met him at Milton and Harvard—plenty of them right here in Boston—who know him best, and they say the same thing more emphatically than I have.

They'll tell you he's a "go-getter," that he got everything he ever went after, except a wife. They'll tell you he's a "self-starter" as well as a "go-getter."

"Jack" MacNider is the most decorated man in America with the lone exception of General Pershing, but rarely wears the medals he owns.

And right here I must say that you have to be a "go-getter" to get him to talk about himself. About the only story his most intimate friends have been able to pry out of him is of the heroism of his aide—an 18 year old boy.

As the youngster lay alongside him in a shell hole, a shrapnel bomb burst close to them and they were blown some ten or fifteen feet apart. "Hurt, kid?" said MacNider when the picked himself up. "No, sir," said the kid, "I'm all right," and all day he followed his commanding officer.

That night when they had reached a place of safety the kid fainted, and on removing the youngster's coat, MacNider discovered a deep wound on his shoulder which had evidently been bleeding for hours as his shirt was saturated with blood. "Why didn't you tell me about this?" demanded MacNider when he had revived the boy. "I couldn't let you go on alone, sir," said the kid, and in "Jack" MacNider's eyes he became the biggest hero of the war.

MacNider is tall and erect in stature and in his large grey eyes you see his inheritance of canniness from his Scotch ancestry on his father's [illegible] cestral line. He is 32 years old, but still has a youthful, almost boyish, look about him despite the thinness of his wavy brown hair, parted on the right.

Close friends of Commander MacNider call him "Jack." He is unmarried. He says [illegible] election as Commander-in-Chief of the American Legion, he was keeping the [illegible] from Kansas City to Mason City, Iowa, "telling her all about it." Such is the man the one million members of the Legion have chosen as their leader.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.10
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.06
Flax	1.60
Barley	.27
Oats	.20
Rye	.62
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.00
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.15
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.10
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.12
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Turkeys, No. 1, alive, per lb.	.25
Turkeys, No. 1, dressed	.35
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.40
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.42
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.06
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07-.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

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POOR OF CITY LOOKED AFTER ON CHRISTMAS

Numerous Heavily Laden Sacks of Good Things Distributed Where Most Needed.

Charitable Organizations Work Together to Provide Christmas Cheer Everywhere.

Donations of Food Products Aid Greatly in Providing Necessities For Many.

Christmas was observed in Thief River Falls much in the usual manner. The weather was exceptionally fine and this helped out church attendance in the forenoon and the different Christmas tree celebrations in the evening. There being no community tree this year all observances were conducted indoors.

Charitable organizations combined to make the holiday one of good cheer for those whose circumstances would otherwise have prevented there being much in the way of a celebration. The lead in this movement was taken by the Elks lodge, materially assisted by other organizations, notably the firemen, Salvation Army and Woman's club. Thirty-five bags filled with substantial food, candy and nuts were distributed to needy families on Saturday by a committee after the supply had been made up Friday afternoon. The amount placed in each sack — a regular 98-pounder contributed by the Hanson-Barzen Milling company—varied somewhat with the size of the families for which it was intended. The liberality of the Minneapolis Bridge company in making donations of groceries enabled the committee to fill the sacks in a manner that would have been impossible otherwise. Manager Isak Helseth of the bridge company notified the committee that there was a considerable quantity of food stuffs returned from their various camps in the neighborhood and that such portions of it as could be used would be handed over free of charge. There was a sleighload of supplies, which included bacon, salt pork, tea, coffee, canned goods, spices, farinaceous goods, dried fruits and many other articles. The committee made the basis of their donation a five-pound beef roast and wound up with a liberal sack of candy and peanuts. Nearly every sack was filled to the top, the finishing touches being given by the addition of a quantity of individual corn flake packages supplied by the Thief River Grocery company. It was a wonderful layout.

On Monday afternoon the Odd Fellows lodge gave a party at the lodge rooms for about 100 children of the city. Everything needful in order to make out a typical Christmas dinner was provided, as well as nuts and candies in accordance with the tried and accepted custom. It proved to be a highly satisfactory event and the three-link tribe has come in for much merited approval.

All churches were filled to overflowing at the different Sunday school festivals as was the auditorium where the Trinity church children were hosts to their friends. The programs were all very much enjoyed, as were the many good things distributed.

Guernsey Bull Calf Sold to Remer Man For $200

O. N. Olson & Sons of Minnehahn farm a short distance east of Thief River Falls, last week sold to D. A. Hart of Remer, Cass county, the purebred Guernsey bull calf Clovercrest Captain (69851), for the record price of $200. This young bull won first prize at the Pennington county fair last summer and is one of the best ever shipped from the county.

HOLIDAY BUSINESS MEASURED UP WELL WITH OTHER YEARS

In Spite of Price Drop, Receipts Were Kept Up Through Increase in Volume.

In spite of all predictions to the contrary, Christmas business in Thief River Falls was very good, according to reports given out by the merchants. While it is doubtless true that the goods purchased did not run into money as rapidly as in former years, there was no let-down in the volume, which in fact was greatly increased in some instances.

It must be considered that in order to make as great a cash showing as a year ago it was necessary to handle a much larger quantity of goods. This came about through the constant drop in prices during the year, amounting on many articles to anywhere from a third to a half. The fact that under such circumstances the figures could even measurably keep up to a year ago speaks well for the purchasing power of the section.

Another thing that undoubtedly helped the Thief River Falls merchant this year is his steady advertising and reaching out after business over a wider territory. It has been particularly noticeable that the stores doing the most consistent and the largest amount of advertising are the ones getting the business. Perhaps never was the power of judicious advertising demonstrated so unmistakably in the history of the city.

There is a prediction in some quarters that a slump in business is due now the holiday rush is over. From other sources just as good comes the assurance that the worst part of the depression period has been passed and that the upturn will be steady. These optimists maintain that many have held off from buying believing that prices would drop still farther and now that an opposite tendency is evident they will take advantage of the present slump all along the line and buy more liberally than at any time during the past two years. That there will be a price increase in many lines is certain, the advance already being noted by buyers of spring goods.

SERIOUS SITUATION DISCLOSED BY 1921 MARRIAGE RECORD

Only 83 Licenses to Wed Were Issued, Smallest Number in History of County.

Chris Windeness and Miss Carrie Glende were this week granted a license to wed by Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund, being the second couple this month to make application for the privilege. The only month during 1921 with a poorer record was August, not one couple making the plunge during the 31 days of that mid-summer subdivision.

Unless something startling happens in the way of more weddings during the next two days, the year 1921 will go down as the poorest in this respect since the organization of the county. There were but 83 marriages contracted during the year, an average of less than seven a month. In a county having a population of more than 12,000 this is a discouraging record. It falls behind that of ten years ago by 11, while there were 43 fewer weddings than last year. Explain it in any way to suit your inclination—such are the facts.

September, October and November were the best months for getting married last year in the opinion of those most interested, in spite of the fact that the gentle springtime has always been considered the proper season for that sort of thing. June did pretty well but May made a shameful record, as will be seen by the following account of the number of licenses issued during the year: January, 6; February, 7; March, 4; April, 9; May, 4; June, 10; July, 7; August, 0; September, 11; October, 11; November, 13; December, 2.

A comparison with former years is interesting and will convince most anyone that something should be done to help the situation. The year 1920 shows up very well, as does 1916. It may be that there is something in this leap year proposition after all. The record since the organization of the county is as follows: Nineteen eleven, 94; 1912, 106; 1913, 96; 1914, 116; 1915, 123; 1916, 120; 1917, 110; 1918, 102; 1919, 107; 1920, 126; 1921, 83.

MEETS DEATH IN FIRE AT ARGYLE

Fred Piquette Dies of Suffocation in Burning Shack on Christmas Eve.

Moonshine very evidently played its part in the death of Fred Piquette, aged 63, at Argyle on Christmas eve, when he was suffocated and badly burned in a fire which destroyed the one-room shack of Joe Mondor. When the body was discovered after the fire had been put out by the Argyle fire department, Sheriff Hanson was notified and Joe Mondor, owner of the shack, who was under the influence of liquor, was brought to Warren and held until the coroner's investigation was made. Evidence that a still had been operated in the place was found.

At the inquest held Tuesday the verdict of the coroner's jury was that Piquette met his death by suffocation in the fire, the origin of which was unknown. Mondor was released as the result of absence of evidence to show cause for holding him further.

The body of Piquette was identified by his son as it was so badly burned that others could not recognize it.

According to Piquette's son, his father had been in the habit of going to the shack of Mondor, who is a bachelor, playing cards. Mondor maintained that he did not know the fire had started when he was taken into custody, although his head and eyebrows were singed.

Christmas Rush Heaviest in History of Postoffice

The local postoffice crew this year handled the largest amount of Christmas business in the history of the office. Not only were there a much larger number of packages mailed out, but the incoming mail was much heavier. The employes are of the opinion that packages generally bulked smaller than in some former years but that the number was 60 per cent larger.

There was no delay in handling the extraordinary business this year. Every mail train was supplied with its proper share of the outgoing mail as in ordinary times and the entire mass was cleared away regularly every night, leaving no overhangs for the following day. The addition of another clerk's window helped in getting things expedited and every available substitute and extra clerk or carrier was employed. The entire force worked overtime all through the week preceding Christmas and previous experience proved of great value in organizing for the best results.

The plea for the early mailing of Christmas parcels had its effect, the bulk of the business hitting the office about three days ahead of last year.

NEW KNOX SCHOOL
To be Dedicated on Friday Evening, Jan. 13.

GRAND FORKS LEGION TO TRY CONCLUSIONS WITH LOCALS THIS EVENING

The second basketball game of the season will be played at the auditorium this evening, the Grand Forks Legion team opposing the locals. The game will be called at 8 o'clock.

The Grand Forks outfit is said to be one of the best in the Flickertail state and has already three hard-fought games to its credit. It is an altogether different team from that which appeared here last year and was defeated by practically the same lineup as that which will meet this far stronger aggregation tonight. Be on hand early if you want a seat.

AMBROSE ZEH DIES OF TUBERCULOSIS AT CAMP KEARNEY

Ex-Service Man, Native of This City, Will Be Buried Here Monday Morning.

The body of Ambrose Zeh, ex-service man, who died of tuberculosis at Camp Kearney, near San Diego, on Monday, is expected to arrive in the city for burial Saturday or Sunday.

The young man, who was only 22 years of age at the time of his death, was the son of Philip Zeh of this city and was born and reared here. Graduating from Lincoln high school in 1918, he enlisted in the service at once and served eight months overseas, being attached to Company A, 336th battalion, tank corps.

Returning home at the close of the war he secured a position with a bank at Minot, N. D., where he remained until about six weeks ago, when he decided to place himself in the hands of army doctors in the more hospitable climate of California. He seemed to improve at the beginning of his stay there but his condition became suddenly worse a few days ago and it was seen that there was no hope for his recovery. His father was notified and went at once to San Diego, being present at the deathbed of his son.

The funeral will be held from the Catholic church at 10 o'clock Monday morning, if present plans are followed, with Elmer J. Eklund post, American Legion, in charge.

Moonshine is Responsible For Young Men's Arrest

Four boys residing in Star township, three of them 16 and one 18 years of age, were arrested on a charge of having used abusive language calculated to provoke assault and were on Saturday brought before Judge Tarrant in police court. The complainant claimed the young men had procured a quantity of "moonshine" from some source and that the alleged assault took place while they were under its influence. The arrest was decided on in the hope that the source from which they derived their supply of the intoxicant might be disclosed. Upon recommendation of County Attorney Theo. Quale the hearing was postponed for 30 days.

Odd Fellows Entertain.

A delightful post Christmas party was given Tuesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall when the Odd Fellows entertained the members of the Rebekah lodge at cards and dancing. A large crowd was in attendance and during the evening a fine lunch was served.

DEDICATION OF KNOX BUILDING FRIDAY, JAN. 13

Beautiful New School on East Side to Be Opened to Public on That Date.

Is Most Modern and Complete Structure of Its Kind in This Section of State.

J. H. Hay, Former Superintendent of City's Schools, Will Deliver Address.

The new Knox school, one of the finest grade buildings in this section of the state, will be formally dedicated on Friday evening, Jan. 13. The public is cordially invited to attend this opening, but children attending the grade rooms are asked not to come as space will not permit, and it is deemed of more importance that the parents and other school patrons should have an opportunity at this time to view the building.

This new and strictly modern structure occupies the site of the former building of the same name on the East side. It is two stories high, of brick construction with stiffled brick facing. The cost of the completed structure, exclusive of decorative work and equipment, is about $80,000.

Has Large Auditorium.

There are 14 class rooms and an auditorium, the latter being 42x66 feet. Besides these there are teachers' rooms and two store rooms and lavatories on the first floor. The latest and most approved heating system has been installed and the electrical equipment is of the best. The Prichard company of this city are the general contractors, the heating plant has been put in by the Moorhead Heating and Plumbing company of Moorhead, and the electrical equipment by the South Side Electrical company of Minneapolis. Sund & Dunham, arcitects, Minneapolis, have had general supervision over the work. The intention is to have everything in running order so the building will be ready for occupancy upon the reopening of school after the Christmas holidays.

Finished in Seven Months.

Not only will this building be arranged in accordance with generally approved plans on the inside, but the exterior is worthy of some notice. The structure is located in the center of a large plot of land, the exterior surroundings being such as to permit of spacious lawns and play grounds.

It was just seven months to a day from the time the contract was awarded until W. W. Prichard, Jr., of the contracting firm turned the building over to the architects. This is perhaps the first time in the history of the city that a structure of this size has been completed within the specified time limit. Mr. Prichard says that there have been very few delays of any kind and that plenty of labor has been available. He is very much pleased with the outcome as this is the concern's first large construction job in the city.

Program For Opening.

J. H. Hay, at present assistant commissioner of agriculture for Minnesota and for many years superintendent of schools in this city, will deliver the principal address at the opening. In view of Mr. Hay's long experience as head of the schools here and the continued interest evinced by him in the city's progress and welfare, no more fitting choice could have been made. Subject to certain changes, the program for the evening will be as follows:

Music, High School Orchestra.
Address of Welcome, Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president of school board.
Presentation of building by contractor to architect, W. W. Prichard, Jr.
Presentation of building by architect to school board, A. D. Dunham.
Short address, Supt. I. T. Simley.
Music, High School Glee club.
Address, J. H. Hay.
Music, High School orchestra.
"America," audience.

NORSE STORY BY LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT RECEIVES HIGH PRAISE

Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, is a reader of The Times. That he reads it all is evidenced by the fact that he has found something in the High School Progress department which meets with his approval. A short story in the Norwegian language appearing there last week entitled "Juleklokkerne," has brought forth the following words of commendation from Mr. Selvig:

"Dear Editor: If I should write you to say that I enjoyed thoroughly the story, 'Juleklokkerne,' (Christmas Bells) by Olive Aaland, '25, that I just read on the High School Progress page of The Times, I hope it will not be thought that I merely wish to flatter the writer.

"The story is beautiful. The language is exquisite. I believe unreservedly in our young people acquiring the use of good English, but shall we not also encourage them to see the beauty and feel the strength and grandeur of the language of the Norsemen?

"That simple little story moved me to write this to you, even at the risk of being late for lunch."

SUDDEN DEATH OF GRYGLA FARMER IN THIS CITY FRIDAY

Father of Eleven Passes Away While Sitting in Office of Northwestern Hotel.

George W. Calhoun of Grygla, 59 years of age, died suddenly while sitting in the office of the Northwestern hotel in this city about 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. The immediate cause of death was the bursting of an artery leading to the heart.

Deceased came here to have an X-ray picture taken of a foot which had been troubling him for a number of years. He went to the hotel for dinner, sat down in the office for a short time before entering the dining room and was stricken while in that position. Drs. C. M. Adkins, O. F. Melby and H. W. Froehlich were at once summoned but death ensued before their arrival.

Mr. Calhoun was born at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, and the body was sent to that city for burial. Surviving him are a wife and 11 children, seven sons and four daughters, besides four brothers, most of whom reside in Iowa. Deceased had resided on a farm about a mile south of Grygla for the past five years.

Organization Meeting of New Council on Jan. 10

The present city council held its last business meeting on Tuesday evening. At the first meeting of the new year, to be held on the evening of Jan. 10, the present body will adjourn sine die and will at once reconvene for organization. At that time all appointments will be made for the ensuing year, a president of the council and city clerk chosen by the council and police officers named by the mayor.

AMERICAN LEGION AIDS SOLDIER'S KIN

Radschwit Family, Near Karlstad, Win Three-Year Fight For Insurance.

Through the efforts of G. Howard Smith and the American Legion post of this city, the Radschwit family, residing near Karlstad, find themselves in very much improved circumstances.

Robert Radschwit and his brother enlisted at Karlstad for service in the army. The former contracted ptomaine poisoning and was also gassed in one of the engagements. He was discharged from the army on March 6, 1919, and returned home. On May 12 he had a seizure of some kind and died the next spring.

The young man paid his insurance while in the army but at the time of his death his policy had lapsed seven days. In spite of this fact it was thought that the proper presentation and an explanation of the circumstances would result in something being done to help the beneficiaries. The application was turned down three times in as many years. At this point the American Legion took hold of the matter and Mr. Smith managed to get the case reopened. Finally the department agreed to pay claim in full, the theory of the officials being that the government owed the dead soldier more as compensation than the amount of the insurance premium. The policy was thus reinstated.

John A. Radschwit, the father, now gets $5,000, a sister $3,000, and a brother $2,000. This money will reach the beneficiaries in 30 equal installments.

IMMEDIATE STEPS TO HELP JOBLESS SHOULD BE TAKEN

Situation Not Yet Serious But More Work Should Be Provided Without Delay.

Mayor Bratrud and the city council are prepared to take steps to prevent anything serious in the nature of an unemployment situation arising to face the community. Thus far the citizens of Thief River Falls have been getting along in pretty good shape but there is no denying the fact that more men are out of work here than is good for a town.

The matter was brought up at the council meeting on Tuesday evening and the opinion unanimously expressed that something ought to be done to see if more employment cannot be provided.

The first movement in this direction will probably be a mass meeting of business men at which it will be urged that all who possibly can do so shall proceed at once with any work they may be contemplating for the near future. County and city officials will be asked to engage now upon the enterprises usually left until spring in order to increase the labor demand. Road and street work of such nature that it may be carried on during the winter months will be urged upon officials and it is thought they will be only too glad to lend any assistance in their power. If there are farmers who can use men for any purpose the importance of doing the work now will be pointed out.

It was agreed by councilmen and other officials of the city that it is vastly better to go to extremes in providing work than to have whole families on the charity roll. It is felt that unless there is a greater demand for men created at once there is going to be a steadily increasing demand upon the authorities for aid and this simply transfers the burden to the taxpayer without giving him anything in return. No date for a meeting of business men has as yet been named.

MORE DRUNKENNESS IN 1921 THAN FOR 2 PREVIOUS YEARS

Months of May and October Record Breakers For Number of Jags in Evidence.

There were more than twice as many arrests for drunkenness in 1921 as in 1920, and the year is not quite at an end when these figures are given out. Only six persons were brought before Judge N. W. Tarrant of the municipal court on this charge last year, while there have been 14 culprits to date in 1921. May and October misbehaved badly, there being five arrests for this offense in the former and four in the latter month. None were hauled in during January, March, April, June or July, and only one each in February, August, September, November and December.

Including the above, 48 cases were brought before the municipal court for hearing during the year as compared with 49 in 1920 and 41 in 1919. Infractions of the automobile law last year were responsible for 16 arrests, while there have been none this year. Charges against others arrested in 1921 were as follows: Assault and battery, 4; non-support and desertion, 4; assault, 3; petty larceny, 3; passing bogus checks, 4; carnal knowledge of minor, 1; manufacturing intoxicating liquors, 2; selling intoxicating liquors, 2; running gambling house, 2; wife beating, 1; grand larceny, 4; bastardy, 1; housebreaking, 7; violation of pure food law, 1; employment of child under lawful age, 1.

The housebreaking count represents two jobs, there being four arrests in one case and three in another.

Farm Loans For Northwest

Approval of 142 advances to banks for agricultural and livestock loans was announced on Tuesday by the War Finance corporation. The advances aggregate $5,089,000 and included: Iowa, $325,000; Minnesota, $239,000; Montana, $225,000; North Dakota, $730,000; South Dakota, $411,000, and Wisconsin, $10,000.

KIRBY IS HELD TO ANSWER FOR STRUM'S DEATH

Manslaughter in First Degree is Charge Against Former Thief River Falls Man.

Alleged That Treatment Administered For Simple Cold Caused Patient's Demise.

Bail Furnished and Case Will Probably Be Heard at January Term of Court.

Samuel Kirby, until recently a resident of Thief River Falls, now located at Northwood, N. D., was bound over to the district court by Justice Phil McLoughlin at Grand Forks late Tuesday afternoon on a charge of manslaughter in the first degree.

The case arose from the death of Edward Strum, who is alleged to have been treated by Kirby for illness, and whose death is alleged to have resulted from this treatment.

Bail was fixed at $1,000, which was furnished. It is probable that the case will be tried during the January term of the district court.

The preliminary hearing, which lasted all Tuesday afternoon, was held in the district court room at the county court house. The room was packed with spectators, many of those who desired to hear the case being unable to gain entrance.

Six Witnesses Examined.

Six witnesses were examined by State's Attorney T. B. Elton. At the conclusion of their testimony, J. F. T. O'Connor, attorney for Kirby, moved the dismissal of the case on the ground that the evidence brought out had not shown that any crime had been committed within the jurisdiction of the court, nor that there was reasonable cause for holding Kirby in connection with such crime if one had been committed.

Justice McLoughlin denied this motion, and as Mr. O'Connor announced that the defense would call no witnesses at this time, proceeded to bind Kirby over to the district court.

Earlier in the day it was announced that Kirby had been held to the district court on the first charge which was preferred against him, which was practicing medicine without a license.

Disorder in Court.

Much disorder marked the earlier parts of the hearing Tuesday, many of those present applauding following remarks made by the attorneys. Finally State's Attorney Elton protested to Justice McLoughlin, and the justice announced that he would clear the court room in case of further disorder.

There was also some verbal sparring between the attorneys during the early part of the proceedings.

The first witness called by the state was Nelius Olson of Northwood, who testified that Kirby maintained offices in that town. The rent of these offices was paid by the Northwood Commercial club, he stated, when cross examined by Mr. O'Connor.

Story of Illness.

Peter Larson, a farmer living near Mayville, was the next witness called. He testified that he was the uncle by marriage of Ed. Strum, whose death resulted in Kirby's arrest, and that Strum had resided with him at his farm.

On Nov. 18, last, Larson testified, Strum went to Northwood and returned in the evening. He had "dope on his throat that looked like tar," Larson testified, and had a handkerchief tied around his neck.

The next day, Larson said, Strum's throat was badly blistered, and Strum remained at home all day. During the days which followed, his condition grew steadily worse, the witness said, the blister on the throat continuing to "run," while a lump appeared on the left side of his body which moved gradually toward the front.

Strum was exceedingly despondent, Larson said, and on at least two occasions said to him:

Spent Money and Killed.

"Wasn't it awful for me to spend $7 to go to Northwood and have Kirby kill me?"

On Nov. 26, Larson testified, a neighbor living near him had called Kirby to come to his farm. Larson thereupon asked this neighbor to have Kirby come to his farm and look at Strum. This Kirby did, according to the witness.

On looking at the patient, Kirby asked if he had a goiter. Larson said Strum's sister, who was present, replied that he had not been treated for a goiter.

"Didn't I tell you you had a bad T. B.?" Kirby then asked the patient, according to Larson.

"Yes, you told me so," was said to have been Strum's reply.

Larson said he called Kirby's attention to the swelling on Strum's body, and that Kirby said that he "didn't know what it was but that it didn't come from his treatment."

Kirby said he would send Strum some medicine, and the medicine arrived on the following day.

In Mayville Hospital.

Strum's condition grew worse, and he was finally taken to a hospital at Mayville, Larson said, and he saw him there on Dec. 4, the day before his death. On that occasion, Larson said, he promised to return the next

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day, and Strum replied, "If it isn't too late." Strum died early the next morning.

On the occasion of this visit Larson said Strum's face and throat were badly swelled.

On cross examination the witness admitted that he had originally advised Strum to see Kirby as he was suffering from a cold. He also admitted signing the complaint against Kirby although he did not understand some of the medical terms used therein.

Strum Despondent.

Peter Strum, a cousin of the deceased, was the next witness. He told of a visit paid to the sufferer in the hospital the night before his death.

The sick man was very despondent, he said, and declared his belief that he would never leave the hospital alive.

"Look here what Kirby done to me," he said to his cousin, according to the latter's story.

Dr. G. M. Williamson, called to the witness stand for a few minutes, testified as secretary of the state board of medical examiners that Kirby was not licensed to practice medicine in North Dakota.

Doctor's Testimony.

Dr. T. P. Martin of Mayville testified that he attended Strum beginning Nov. 27, the day following Kirby's visit to the Larson farm. He found Strum, he declared, in a very weak condition. His neck and chest were raw and blistered, and there was "dullness on the left side of his chest indicating the formation of pus."

Strum was taken to the Mayville hospital on Nov. 28, Dr. Martin testified, and he performed an operation which resulted in the drawing off of about two thirds of a pint of pus from the left side of the patient's chest.

The blisters on his neck and face were also treated, but in spite of this the infection continued to spread. Three incisions made in Strum's face in order to "let out the poison" also proved futile, and death came on Dec. 5.

"In your opinion, what was the cause of death?" the state's attorney asked.

"In my opinion death was due to cellulitis or infection of the deep tissues of the neck spreading down and causing infection of the left side of the pleural cavity," the witness replied.

On cross examination by Mr. O'Connor, he said that this opinion had been strengthened by results of a post-mortem examination subsequently held.

Dean French Called.

The last witness called by the state was Dr. H. E. French, dean of the medical department at the state university. Dr. French said that he had performed a post mortem examination at the request of the undertaker who had charge of Strum's body, and a number of Strum's relatives.

Dr. French gave full particulars as to the post-mortem, saying that infection had penetrated deep into the body, especially on the left side, even the upper part of the liver being slightly infected. The infection extended upwards as far as the scalp, he said.

Cause of Death.

"In your estimation, what was the cause of death?" asked Mr. Elton.

"I would say septicemia (blood poisoning) getting its start in a region weakened by injuries," replied the doctor.

"What region?" asked the attorney.

"The neck," replied the witness.

"And what was the cause of the injury to the neck?" inquired the state's attorney.

"Most of the injury I saw was due to an inflammatory process. There had evidently been burning by some corrosive substance," Dr. French replied.

Prejudice Charged.

On cross examination by Attorney O'Connor, Dr. French denied that he had any prejudice against Kirby. This question was repeated several times in various forms.

This concluded the examination of witnesses and Mr. O'Connor made his motion for the dismissal of the case. He declared in his remarks to the court that "there was a feeling in the community that the case was not brought in good faith, but in order to get rid of Mr. Kirby, and would never have been brought if Kirby had been a duly licensed doctor."

Latest Music to Feature Legion's New Year Dance

The boys of Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion, have made it a point to provide for the best in music for their New Year's dance on the evening of Friday, Dec. 30. Snyder's orchestra, with special engagement of Ted Anderson of Warren, saxophone artist, will play the very latest there is in dance tunes. Miss Theone Walker will preside at the piano, while Alfred Dybvik will officiate at the drums. Besides these there is, of course, Old Man Snyder with his little mail order fiddle. This outfit will be prepared to hand out something real spiffy. If you don't believe it, look over the following program:

"Yoo! Hoo!, "Sunny Tennessee," "Just Like a Rainbow," "June Moon," "Bimini Bay," "I Ain't Nobody's Baby," "Remember the Rose," "Tenderly," "Dream of Me," "Ten Little Fingers," "All by Myself," "Cry Baby Blues," "I Wonder If You Still Care," "Ma!" "Peaches," "Tuck Me to Sleep," "Birds of a Feather," "You're Just the Type for a Bungalow," "In Maytime," "When Shall We Meet Again?"

The numbers listed above will not be played in the order given, but all will appear on the program some place. Mr. Snyder will be glad to send for numbers suggested by persons who may have some favorite not listed.

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WHAT HE IS UP AGAINST.

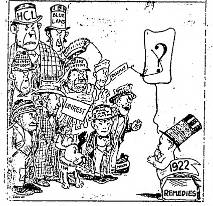

BEMIDJI DEFEATED IN FIRST BASKET SKIRMISH, 29 TO 10

Boys Not Yet Quite in Trim But Able to Give Good Account of Themselves.

While the outcome of the season's first basketball game was highly satisfactory, Bemidji being beaten by a score of 29 to 10, the fact remains that the Thief River Falls team has not yet hit its stride and comes a long ways from being the aggregation which defeated all comers last year. Bemidji's downfall simply indicates that the team from that town has gone farther back than have the former champions.

Flashes of the old-time form were occasionally in evidence but the whirlwind speed and sensational basket shooting which characterized last year's work were decidedly lacking. It was the first game and it is only proper that allowances should be made. No good purpose can be served, however, by pretending that Friday night's showing was such as will carry the team to the head of the column unless there is considerable improvement.

Plummer, the new forward, made the best showing, both on the offensive and defensive. Carlson has not yet rounded into form but gave evidence that he will play his strong, consistent game as soon as he gets his bearings. The same is true of the remainder of the team, particularly Holzknecht. The willingness is there, so is the science and knowledge of the game. Only practice is needed.

During the first half Plummer had four field baskets to his credit while Carlson had two and one free throw. Hermanson, who went in for Hadrath toward the end of the half, also connected with the hoop once, as did Holzknecht.

Fibbs, Bemidji forward, missed four attempts to make goals in the first half. Ashenbach and Simons were the only ones to make a basket in this round, which closed with the score standing 17 to 4 in favor of Thief River Falls.

Hermanson replaced Hadrath when the second opened, the latter seeming unable to get his usual speed. All he needed, evidently, was a rest as he was put back into the game within a few minutes and acquitted himself with credit. Kiland took Brown's place in the lineup and showed to good advantage. Towards the close of the half Carlson sprained a tendon in his foot and Penney was put in his place. This was a fast and clean half, there being but two technical fouls called, one on Carlson and one on Hadrath. Holzknecht made two baskets and Plummer, Hadrath, Penney and Kiland each one, making twelve goals garnered in this session.

Bemidji used the same lineup throughout, except that Bailey went in for McGee towards the end. Fibbs made two field baskets and missed two free throws. The only other goal made for the visitors was by Ackenbach, making the total 10 and that of Thief River 29.

Bemidji throughout was forced to take long chances. Far shots were tried from every angle but outside of one rather sensational connection by Simon this far-reaching only resulted in their losing the ball.

At no time was the game in danger. Thief River Falls had the lead from the start and gained steadily throughout. The playing was clean on both sides, there being few personal fouls. Perry Johnson officiated as referee in his usual impartial and efficient manner; Guy Johnson was timekeeper and George Mostue scorekeeper.

Tonight the Grand Forks Legion team comes here for a game. It is said that this aggregation already has two victories over strong opponents to its credit and it is expected that there will be a lively tussle.

The lineup was as follows:

T. R. F.		Bemidji
Carlson	rf	Fibbs
Plummer	lf	Achenbach
Hadrath	c	Simons
Holzknecht	rg	Lane
Brown	lg	McGee

Too Much Christmas Cheer Lands Visitor in Lockup

Only one man in Thief River Falls celebrated Christmas to such an extent that it was found advisable to put him away where folks could not see him. On Saturday night Patrolman Chris Porter came across a party asleep in an automobile. The officer took charge of the patient and put him where his nap could be continued without his freezing to death. Judge N. W. Tarrant was notified and made a special trip down town on Christmas morning to see what could be done about the matter. He ordered the prisoner released and told him to go home and spend Christmas with his family, saying that any man who had managed to keep out of jail during the rest of the year ought not to be kept there on Christmas day. The man—who is not a resident of Thief River Falls, by the way—left for home and promised to pay the fine that would have been imposed under ordinary circumstances. Judge Tarrant believes he will keep his word, too.

Inasmuch as the court was willing to let the offender off so easy because of the softening influence of the season, The Times will be similarly charitable and withhold his name.

Minnesota Ranks Second in Federal Road Projects

Minnesota ranks second among the states in miles of roads built, under construction or under agreement for construction in conjunction with federal aid funds distributed by the bureau of public roads, department of agriculture, since July 1, 1916, according to figures made public by that department. Minnesota is credited with 1,713.4 miles of such roads, at an estimated cost of $17,509,911.01, with federal aid of $6,947,373.63.

MUCH INTEREST IN BOYS' CONFERENCE HELD AT VIRGINIA

Suggested That Thief River Falls Be Represented By One or More Delegates.

A citizen prominent in church and educational work in the city calls the attention of The Times to an older boys' conference to be held Jan. 13, 14 and 15 at Virginia. All boys who are 16 years of age, or Sophomores in high school, or are employed, are eligible to attend providing they come in the spirit of the conference and believe in its purpose. Boys from high schools, Y. M. C. A.s, Sunday schools and churches, or boys who are working, are cordially invited. The purpose of the conference is to challenge the older boys to strong Christian living, and to help them in Christian service through offering plans and methods of work in different organizations.

Entertainment consisting of lodging and breakfast will be furnished to all delegates who register by Jan. 9. Dinner and supper on Saturday and supper on Sunday will be at the expense of the delegates. There is a registration fee of $1.75 to cover the expense of program and banquet. This fee should accompany the registration card, which should reach the office of the state Y. M. C. A. at Minneapolis by Jan. 9.

It would be a fine thing if someone from Thief River Falls might attend this conference. Since the high school has no way of financing the expenses of representatives, the school authorities would be very glad to have any parent or organization who can afford it notify them in case they are willing to send either their own son or someone else's son, or both, as representatives to the conference. This would be a fine outing for some boy and it would as well be of benefit to the rest of the boys to whom reports would be brought back by the delegates.

Annual Clearance Sale at Mogensen's Announced

Following the closing up of the holiday business, E. O. Mogensen has a clearance sale of clothing and men's furnishings every year. This sale is put on at this time primarily for the purpose of cleaning up on all winter stocks and making room for spring goods which will soon be arriving. Merchants everywhere are anxious to turn as much as possible of their present stock into cash, and if reducing the price will do it, Mr. Mogensen should have no trouble in cleaning up. He carries one of the finest and most varied lines to be found in this section and has acquired a reputation for reliability and fair treatment that is one of his greatest assets. Everyone knows that when Mr. Mogensen advertises a reduction in prices it means that prices are not only shaved down, but are cut to the lowest possible point. This sale starts on Saturday morning and a glance over the offerings will convince anyone of the wisdom of being on hand early.

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Experience of Early Farmers in This Section Makes Present Conditions Look Like Boom Times in Comparison.

While it is doubtless true that the farmer of the present day has good reason for feeling anything but enthusiastic over the outlook, yet compared with 25 or 30 years ago he is a fortunate individual. Such at least is the impression gained from a conversation with August Wortenberg of near Holt, who was in the city Friday on business. Mr. Wortenberg took up a homestead near what is now Middle River in the early eighties and was in Thief River Falls when there were less than half a dozen houses here. Some years ago he moved into the Holt section. During his long residence he has seen some hard times and recalls that on one occasion he could not get rid of his butter and eggs here and was forced to go to St. Hilaire. The trip was made by ox team and took three days going and three more returning. He sold butter for 6 cents a pound and the eggs for 6 cents a dozen. Provisions were certainly not worth much in those days but time must have been worth even less.

Government Docks Former Soldier; City Makes Good

This government of ours is a stickler for detail—in some things. H. E. Perkins, a returned service man, was docked a total of $50 because the authorities learned that he was employed as a helper by the city electricians. He worked as an apprentice, receiving nothing except the experience for his labor, during the time that the White Way cables were being laid, but the government charged the above sum up to him just the same. Perkins has a family and is unable to perform much labor of any kind, his eyesight being seriously affected. He sent a bill for the $50 to the city council on Tuesday night and as it was agreed that his services had been worth at least that much it was allowed without question.

Northwest School Closed For Holidays; Open Jan. 3

The first term of the Northwest School of Agriculture closed for the holidays Thursday, Dec. 22, which enables the students from this vicinity to spend their vacations at home. In spite of the financial situation in many parts of the Northwest the attendance at the farm school has been very large. There were 175 students enrolled.

The second term will open Wednesday, Jan. 4, and will close March 31. There were a number of students from this locality who were unable to attend the first term but who are planning on attending the three months after Christmas. There will be classes arranged for those who are entering as new students. Some of the courses open to students are dressmaking, music, farm engineering, farm mechanics, shop work, live stock judging, grain judging, business English and accounting. All new students should arrive sometime on Tuesday, Jan. 3, in order to be ready for classes the following morning.

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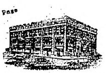

A Happy New Year

AT this Holiday Season we wish to extend to our customers and friends the Best of Wishes for the coming year, Prosperity in their Undertakings, Wisdom for the Work, Peace for the Pathway, Friends for the Fireside, and Strength to the Last.

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To the People of this Neighborhood:

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At the same time that we express this appreciation for past favors, we wish to assure the people of this section that the policy which has met with such decided approval will be maintained in the future. Every effort will be made to merit your confidence.

That this holiday season may be filled with good cheer and happiness for every person in this entire section is our most sincere wish.

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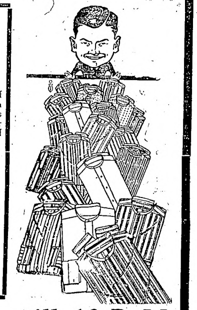

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EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS.

While it is undoubtedly true that the unemployment situation in Thief River Falls has not reached an acute stage, yet it cannot be denied that too many men who are willing to work can find nothing to do. The same condition prevails to an even greater extent in other sections of the country.

If anything can be done to promote employment of labor it should be undertaken without delay. The condition may continue indefinitely and grow steadily worse, unless some plan is found to bring about a change.

The suggestion made at the city council meeting the other evening is therefore worthy of serious consideration. It is proposed to hold a public meeting of business men for the purpose of urging upon them the necessity for undertaking at once any job they may have in mind for the near future. The city and county authorities will be asked to join in the movement with the suggestion that they move ahead any program now in hand so as to get it started at once. Building and other improvements intended to be begun with the opening of spring will be moved ahead a couple of months in order that men may be put to work, if the plan of those now considering the matter is accepted.

In a city the size of Thief River Falls the removal of ten or twenty men from the ranks of the unemployed by putting them to work makes quite a showing. The trouble is that none of us have stopped to realize how important such small matters are. We have allowed ourselves to get into the habit of looking for an indication of returning normalcy to the packing houses, steel mills and railroads, neglecting at the same time to do our own bit toward helping the movement along.

It must be remembered that it is very much better to put men to work at something that will be of benefit to the individual or the community than it is to support the families of these same men out of the public funds. Very few men will ask for help if given an opportunity to help themselves. It is only as a last resort that they apply for aid, and when such course is found necessary it represents a double loss. The taxpayer must stand the cost in the first place while the person thus helped is removed from the ranks of the producers and no longer contributes his share toward maintaining the general stability of things.

If you can find work around your place for a man for a day or two you have helped by just that much. It is possible that you are able to use two or more men for a longer time. If such is the case, and the work is done now, the unemployment problem in Thief River Falls will have been solved. It is not serious as yet and we can nearly all do something to prevent its becoming so.

LOOK FORWARD.

There is neither profit nor satisfaction in looking back over the year just closing for the purpose of pointing out its shortcomings. It has not been the most encouraging twelve-month period in our history, but on the other hand it might have been a great deal worse. Looking back over it for any other purpose than to discover where our mistakes lay and with the intention of correcting them in the future is a useless proceeding. The year is gone and now chiefly valuable for the lessons it has taught.

The Minneapolis Journal contains a very sensible New Year's editorial along this line. Instead of looking backward and shaking his head over what has passed, the editor of that paper looks toward the future with a good deal of hopefulness. His views constitute what will perhaps prove the best New Years editorial that could be printed:

"The year is drawing to a close and with its finish will come a change of viewpoint. We are looking backward upon a year of poor crops in sectional regions, low exchange and frozen credits. We are still under the influence of these conditions, but when we go to work next week we shall have a new viewpoint, because we will be looking forward and everything will be changed. The turning of a leaf on the calendar will do all this for the people.

"Just as we have been looking back to the last crop with its unfavorable results, so will we, next week, look forward to the new seeding with hopefulness. We will pause long enough to find that the foreign exchange situation has improved. We will be reminded that the South is in better financial condition due to the price changes of cotton. We will be out from under much of readjustment; credits will have been revived and extended, and the business mind [illegible] settled to all that has happened. Even the farmer will decide that the bad year, out of many good ones, is not to be final with him, and he will take on new courage. As he has thought the matter over, he is coming to see that after all he is only a part of the reconstruction problem that is going on all over the world.

"The step ahead taken at Washington will have far reaching sentimental value, because it will be the turning point against large expenditures for wars that do not exist, and, as a result of the withdrawal of taxation for that purpose, will not exist for many decades to come.

"There is much to be thankful for out of the depression that has overtaken many of our industries and our farmers. This depression might have been worse for everybody. We all have enough to eat, so there are no large relief measures to undertake as has fallen to countries in other parts of the world. The Lord has kept us from famine and pestilence and we should be thankful.

"We will in a week stop looking backward and will turn our faces to the front, and will do it with more confidence than we entered the year just closing. At least, no harm will result in taking a more optimistic viewpoint."

HOW ABOUT THE FARMER?

Newspapers in the Northwest have taken to asking the same question voiced by The Times two weeks ago. They want to know where the farmer is going to figure in all the calculations that are being made at Washington. That something will have to be done to help his particular case is admitted by all who are in the least conversant with the situation, but what form such help is to take is a question not so easily settled. Staunch Republican newspapers go so far as to predict disaster to the party in the congressional elections unless some constructive policy of agricultural relief is formulated. The Crookston Times, for example, has the following to offer on the subject:

"Representative Mondell, Republican House leader, after leaving a conference with President Harding is reported to have announced the legislative program for Congress for the remainder of its term.

"The program includes encouragement of the merchant marine, a bonus bill for former service men, a permanent tariff law and the regular government appropriations.

"Where do the farmers get in on this program?

"It will be a sorry looking congress from the Republican viewpoint that emerges from the November elections if no attention is paid to the crying agricultural needs.

"Neither merchant marine aid nor protection for manufacturing industries should be touched until the cause of our depression, the sad plight of the farmer, is remedied, constructively and permanently. Not even the most ardent supporter of the Soldiers' bonus but what will agree to that.

"You can't pull the country up by its own boot-straps by heavily subsidizing the merchant marine or protecting industry. It can't be done!

YOUR PAPER.
(Dassel Dispatch.)

This newspaper—and every other newspaper, for that matter—has its shortcomings. It isn't perfect, never was and never expects to be. It has made mistakes and it wouldn't think of disappointing anyone by not making any more.

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It means that on these pages are spread week after week names and items that are near and dear to you. Admit it or not, that's a truth. When the baby comes, your friends read about it in "the paper." When the baby has endured a sufficient number of school days to discover that Italy is on the other side of the Alps, you read her name in the high school graduating class. By and by there comes a wedding at your house and we rather guess you are interested in what the home paper has to say about it. In the same issue another reader turning to a different column will read through mist the sympathetic lines which record the last solemn ceremony in honor of one who once scanned these pages with the gripping interest that you now do.

We submit that the printing press, no matter how ponderous it may be, gives out no more appealing literature than the home town paper, sometimes guilty of grotesque items, Main street grammar and original orthography. That is the picture so long held up that it would be needless to here call attention to the general excellence of the modern Minnesota weekly. Forget that they have made progress. Accuse them, if you like, of using "was" for "were" and of splitting their infinitives until the infinitives stagger like a one-legged man full of moonshine, and yet you know that when you look upon its pages you will find the names of persons you know are doing things that you want to hear about; a champion for your people, for your town and for your county.

It is a neighbor and your eyes brighten with anticipation each week when you find it in the mail. You take it home and it is a welcome guest. Every member of the family reads every page, and then again, fearful that some item may have been missed.

Then you wrap it up and send it to John in the city and when John gets it, be he clerk or capitalist, judge or janitor, everything else waits until John finds out what "the folks back home are doing."

No printed page is quite so close to the heart of the home as your own newspaper — and advertisers might do well to tuck that little worth-while fact into their craniums.

Support of Farm Bureaus Urged on Commissioners to Meet Farmer Demands

Supt. C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture, has written an open letter to the commissioners of Polk county urging that they make an appropriation for the support of the Polk county farm bureau.

While the letter is addressed to commissioners of a neighboring county, the arguments favoring the farmers' organization applies with equal force to every county in which public support of the bureau has been withdrawn, Pennington being one of these. No man in the section is better qualified to discuss this subject and Mr. Selvig's communication is therefore herewith reprinted in full:

"To Directors and Members of Polk County Farm Bureau:

"A recent communication from Mr. Carl Berg, Erskine, president of the Polk County Farm Bureau, came to my desk recently.

"Something must be done in Polk county to place the farm bureau before the farmers in the proper light. It can't be done by doing nothing. An aggressive membership campaign is necessary. A plan should be organized to build up the farm bureau, and then all should work for and support it.

"I am greatly impressed with the achievements of the American Farm Bureau Federation, the national organization, and with the records made in some of the states. The national organization is a tremendous force today. Its arm can only be strengthened by having a strong state organization co-operating with a representative and active county group. Why is Polk county not interested in this matter? This is a vital question. Surely our needs should be reflected in both the state and national program.

"Any weakening now in the ranks of the agricultural interests will cause the progressive forward movement to sag and eventually to break.

"Shall we remain mute in the face of the present railway rates?

"Shall the farmers' viewpoint be pressed in taxation matters?

"Shall we continue with farm credit facilities so badly out of joint that they are unable to meet needs?

"Shall we sit idly by and do nothing to curb the issuance of tax-exempt securities, leaving the entire tax-sack to be held by the farmers and small owners?

"Shall we forever be forced to sell our farm products in competition with cheaply transported products raised by coolie labor, without reference to cost of production under American rural standards?

"Shall the enforcement of the grain trading and packer control acts be made a matter of public information? If so, through what organization can the farmers, generally, learn of the benefits accruing from this legislation?

"Shall national co-operative marketing associations be outlawed or shall they be given the sanction of congress? These and many other questions bring up real issues.

"Every group of farmers and business men should be heard regarding them. The merits of the various proposals should be looked into, discussion solely because I believe in this great national organization. My visits

"I bring this matter to your attention, and action for or against them registered. The farmer's interest is too large and too important to be nobody's business.

to the Washington and Chicago offices of the American Farm Bureau convinced me that Polk county should have a strong, active organization in every township or the agricultural interests of this great country will not be fully cared for.

"I have no suggestion to make except that a meeting should be held in the near future, at which time these important questions could be discussed and action taken. I have met many farmers who are very desirous of seeing an active farm bureau organization perfected in Polk county.

"What is your opinion regarding the matter?"

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The Modern Girl.

The modern girl's morals are not what her mother's were. I was talking the other morning to a modern girl in an ultra-modern bathing suit.

"My hired chaperon," she said, as she brushed a bit of sand from her bare, round knee, "my hired chaperon caught me kissing a married man last night."

"Good heavens," said I, "what did you do?"

"I discharged her," said the modern girl.

The Limit.

I've stood for Volstead prohibition,
But one thing I will never stand;
When I am called unto my fathers,
I'll go without a monkey gland.

When labor loafs, that is malingering; when capital loafs, that is business depression, says Oolai.

Roll stockings are like reputations—hard to keep up.

The Only Lack.

Mother: "Well, Nellie, is your doll kitchen completely furnished now?"

Nellie: "No, mama, I still need a policeman for the cook."

Pome.

The crime was mayhem, but
They freed John Drayer,
When he bit off the ear
Of a saxophone player.

What happened to a man who married his mother-in-law is shown in an article taken from the Madison County Democrat. The marriage of George E. Bidder, 44, at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, last Friday, makes him the grandfather of six of his children and stepfather of his former wife. He married his mother-in-law, Mrs. Julia Davis, 48. He was divorced a few weeks ago from Mrs. Eva Bidder, daughter of his new wife and mother of the six little Bidders.

There are, of course, a great many ignorant people in the country, but if we are looking for a darned fool who thinks he is smart, we would go to a city to find him.

A Lady Greaser.

"We must treat our new cook with respect. She belongs to the Revolutionary Dames where she came from."

"Where'd she come from?"

"Mexico."

In a Small Town Hotel.

I settled me down one evening,
It wasn't so long ago,
For the air was cold and chilly—
The ground all covered with snow.

To sleep the sleep of the weary,
On a bed at the end of the hall,
Where the snow and the wind so dreary
Blew in through a hole in the wall.

And I drew the covers around me,
With my knees up under my chin;
From somewhere in the darkness, I couldn't see,
Two enemies swiftly stole in.

One approached from the west in silence,
While the other had taken a line
From the pillow, on which I was lying,
To the nose that I always called mine.

Before the first snore I could utter,
They began their awful attack.
The one on my nose made me sputter,
While the other he bit at my back.

I countered, I fenced and I parried,
I scratched and I hammered in vain,
I turned, but never I tarried,
For they were back biting again.

As we waged our furious battle,
The covers became disarrayed,
My teeth they began to rattle,
While I became greatly dismayed.

In vain I called for assistance,
No light could I find anywhere;
So the noise of my earnest resistance
And chatter, well, quite filled the air.

At last the pillow was taken,
I jumped far out on the floor,
My enemies both were shaken,
So I curled myself up by the door.

There I shivered away, 'most demented,
With the pillow thrown over my head,
To awake in the morning contented,
When I found both bugs frozen in bed.
—IKE.

One Ranger Enough.

Some decades ago there was a riot down in Texas and a hurry call for help was sent to the Texas Rangers, an organization that in those days was something different from the collection of mail-order cowboys of today.

The governor wired back: "Rangers enroute." The sheriff met the train. One lonely Ranger—little old Bill Macaulay—got off. The sheriff said: "Oh, my Lord," where's the rest of the outfit?" "Rest, hell," said Billy, "you ain't got but one riot here, have you?"

If you save your pennies the dollars will take care of the lawyer who breaks your will.

A determined effort is being made to ban the Ku Klux Klan. The day is past when night hood was in flower.

Of course there are others, but one difference is that the chickens on the farm go to bed earlier, suggests Judge Tarrant.

A New York newspaper says that a house that was once occupied by Captain Kidd is still standing in that city. That's nothing. There's a house next to us on Main that is occupied by a profiteer.

Even So, Yea Verily.

Today you kick up the dust at 35 per hour. Tomorrow the judge gets your "dust"—$25 worth or so.

Not Much Difference.

"Just back from the South Seas?"

"I spent ten years there," said the Copra king.

"Do the styles in women's clothes shock you since you have some home?"

"On the contrary, the seem familiar."

And while ordinary beauty may be only skin deep, a dimple's depth depends upon how far you fall for it, opines Holzknecht.

What Other Editors Think

THEY READ IT ALL.

Lake County Chronicle: The editor of a weekly paper sent out a questionnaire not long ago to his readers to find out what part of the paper they liked best. He learned that 100 per cent of those who answered always read the personals, the editorials, the correspondence and the front page articles, 94 per cent of them read the farm articles, 47 per cent the continued story, and 90 per cent the advertisements. We expect that this is about the per cent in the case of most papers, although we have an idea that women readers generally are more interested in the continued story than in the editorial page. But what should be the most interesting fact is the large per cent who read the advertisements. It is mighty hard to convince the average merchant that people read ads, yet he is quite certain they spend a lot of time reading Sears Roebuck catalogues. All he has to do to get the public's attention is to tell them something as interesting in his ads as the mail order house does in its catalogue.

HAD PLENTY OF PRACTICE.

Sleepy Eye Herald-Dispatch: We read the statement of a former actress that walking on tiptoes will make one graceful. Maybe that's the reason so many married men are graceful.

TREND OF THE TIMES.

Jackson County Pilot: A decade and a half ago the largest store in the county seat was a feed store; the second largest was another feed store. There were five livery stables, two mills and an elevator in the town. Then more than half the families living there kept a horse, probably a cow, and some chickens. When a farmer took a load of corn, oats or hay to town, the feed stores, livery stables, mills and elevators competed with each other to buy it. If the farmer was not satisfied with their offer, he could look up some acquaintance who kept a horse or cow and sell him the feed, dividing the dealer's profit as a special inducement. Now the largest institution in the town is a garage; the second largest is another garage. There is not a feed store or livery stable in the county. There is scarcely a horse or cow left in the town, and the people are too busy riding in automobiles to bother even with chickens. There are more garages, filling stations, tire and other automobile accessory stores there than stores that deal in human foods and clothing.

WE LIKE THEM.

Winnebago City Enterprise: We confess that we like the "movies."

We don't mind telling the whole world that we enjoy seeing hero Peerless Pete foil the attempts of Alkali Al to make way with the cow-eyed heroine.

We yearn to see the fearless hero dive off the cliff, and come up from the depths with a pocketful of gold with which to ransom Kittie, the Careless Kid, from the clutches of the pirates.

And we also crave to see the comedian plaster the innocent Old Party in the whiskers with an over-ripe custard pie, and to see the fussy cop stop a dilapidated tomato with the end of his nose in the very acme of delight.

And thus we confess to an eager and expectant populace that we are a low-brow, and a crude, coarse, and even crass, person. We like to see these things in the movies because they drive dull care away, and relieve the tension of the every-day grind. And if this be against your cultured class, make the most of it!

A HIGH COMPLIMENT.

Dawson Sentinel: Ernest Lundeen has sued the editor of the Ortonville Journal for libel, to the tune of $50,000. We did not suppose Ernest's reputation was ever worth $50,000—that's a lot of money. The suit is an implied compliment to the Ortonville editor. To be suspected of having $50,000 is an honor that would amply repay any newspaper man for fighting a libel suit.

SEEMS PROBABLE.

Winnebago City Enterprise: Probably the inventor of jazz music got the idea by following the bell cow through a boiler factory.

WHOSE FOOT ARE YOU STANDING ON?
(Exchange.)

When someone stops advertising,
Someone stops buying,
When someone stops buying,
Someone stops selling,
When someone stops selling,
Someone stops making,
When someone stops making,
Someone stops earning,
When someone stops earning,
Everybody stops buying—
Then the bread line—and no bread.
Don't block the traffic—keep going.

IT GETS THE RESULTS.

Sleepy Eye Dispatch: If you want to do business, advertise and get it. This is a rule that will work out good results for the merchants, the farmer, the stock dealer, and every man and woman who depends upon merchandising for a livelihood. A well-written advertisement is the key that unlocks the vault and loosens the purse-strings. Advertising in the newspapers brings results. The next time you have anything to sell advertise it in the Herald-Dispatch and you will be satisfied that "advertising pays."

HAS THEM WORRIED.

Winnebago City Enterprise: Judge Oscar Hallam has the professional politicians worried.

They do not know what the Judge is going to do, and they are putting in sleepless nights as a consequence.

From all parts of the state, pledges of support have come unsolicited to Judge Hallam, and should he make up his mind to enter the race for the Republican nomination for the United States Senatorship he will be a very powerful candidate.

WHEN MEN ARE NO GOOD.

Redwood Falls Gazette: Why have they always been called Ladies' Aids? Has anyone ever heard of a group of gentlemen banding themselves together and going forth to aid in the Lord's service by making bed quilts, and chicken dinners, and flannel "undies" for the poor, etc? We have wondered on various occasions when groups of ladies have been taking care of big crowds in such a very competent way. Just how a Gentlemen's Aid would have acted under similar circumstances.

POOR TIME TO COLLECT.

Warroad Pioneer: The next legislature should change the date for the payment of automobile licenses to May 1st. It hurts a man's feelings to pay at a time when the car is in winter quarters. In the spring, just as the roads are getting in shape, we would all feel much better about it. And the money for road improvements isn't much needed the first months of the year.

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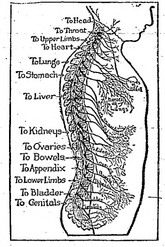

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THIEF RIVER FALLS

City News

A $25.00 dress for 9c. Read Loken's ad.—Advertisement. d29

Miss Sadie Omdahl of Plummer visited with friends here yesterday.

John Morris of International Falls was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. J. P. Jenson and son Ray, were shoppers here on Friday.

Miss Lulu Beebe of St. Hilaire was a shopper here on Tuesday.

Harold Smithers, student at the university, is home to spend the holidays.

Bernard Barzen, who is attending Marquette university at Milwaukee, is home for the holiday vacation.

A. H. Dorn left last evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days on business.

Miss Alice Bugge, who is employed at Grand Forks, is home on a vacation.

Carl Loen of Radium was the guest of friends here last evening and also attended the alumni reunion.

Wilbur Roth, who attends school in Chicago, is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Emma Roth.

Senator A. O. Naplin was at Warren yesterday on business before the district court.

Henry Thoe of Lancaster was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brokke on Christmas.

Elmer Tandberg, who attends St. Olaf college, is a guest at the home of his mother, Mrs. Julia Tandberg.

Miss Agnes Tandberg is home from St. Olaf college, Northfield, to spend her vacation.

Tanlac is appetizing and invigorating. Try it today. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d29

Miss Effie Christianson returned on Tuesday from Fertile, where she had spent Christmas with her folks.

L. Savig left Tuesday afternoon for Barnesville to spend a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Esta Barton left Saturday for Minneapolis to spend the holidays with her mother.

Kern Olson, representative of the Gamble-Robinson company, visited at his home in Bemidji over Christmas.

Fred Scanlan, who is attending the St. Paul College of Law, is here this week visiting his family.

Miss Ingeborg Dale left Saturday for her home at McIntosh to spend her vacation.

Miss Josephine Eichhammer of East Grand Forks is visiting her sister, Miss Margaret Eichhammer.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tessum have as their guests this week Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tessum of Harmony.

C. E. Gorden of Glenwood arrived Friday evening for a brief visit with friends.

"Red" Plummer, who had spent Christmas at his home in Bemidji, returned to this city Monday evening.

J. Eisenpeter, conductor on the Soo, left Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holzknecht and son, Alvin, were holiday guests of relatives at Red Lake Falls.

Mrs. Ella Hagen and children are guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. E. O. Erickson.

Mrs. Jennie Eastman is spending a few days with friends at Fargo. She will return to this city on Saturday.

Milden Boreen of Minneapolis is spending his vacation with friends in this city.

Silks at 9c a yard. Read Loken's ad.—Advertisement. d29

Miss Mae Bark of Duluth arrived Tuesday evening to spend a few days here visiting friends.

Chas. Munn returned yesterday morning from Crookston, where he visited relatives over Christmas.

Miss Dotty Krafthefter of Mahnomen is spending a few days visiting her friend, Miss Twila Glines.

Miss Betty Johnson of Holt arrived yesterday to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. John Hanson of St. Hilaire shopped here between trains yesterday.

Miss Viola Ryerson of Barnesville was a visitor in this city on Thursday.

Miss Clara Thorson of Gully visited friends here on Thursday. She returned to her home the following day.

Misses Amelia and Evelyn Runnestrand of Fordville, N. D., spent Friday here visiting friends.

Dan Hanson came down from Middle River on Tuesday to attend to business matters.

R. J. Hanson of Strathcona arrived Wednesday afternoon to spend a few days here on business.

A. L. Hall, local hardware merchant, left Monday night for the Twin Cities to spend a few days on business.

Mrs. A. Burringrud and daughter, Miss Evelyn, left Tuesday morning for Middle River to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Orville Hegland and sister, Lyla, left Tuesday morning for Badger to spend several days visiting at the home of an aunt.

Clarence Knudsen, a student at the university, is a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Knudsen.

Miss Marrian Miller, who teaches at Breckenridge, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Betsy Miller.

Miss Ella Miller arrived Friday morning from Nashwauk, where she teaches, to spend her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Betsy Miller.

Herman Bischoff, a student at the school for the blind, Faribault, is spending his vacation as the guest of his mother, Mrs. W. B. Fuller.

Ray Hanson, employed as salesman in the Powers store in Minneapolis, arrived home the first of the week to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hanson.

Mrs. Emil Just and daughter, Mrs. Henry Stenerud, of St. Hilaire, visited friends and shopped here between trains on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Stenvick left Tuesday afternoon for St. Hilaire to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Crown.

Miss Mabel Cook returned to Minot on Tuesday, having spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cook.

Miss Amy Nelson, who is engaged in teaching school near Minneapolis, is a holiday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson.

Miss Helen Cronkhite left this afternoon for Red Lake Falls to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson.

Miss Ruth Vik of Strandquist arrived here the first of the week to spend a short time with her friend, Miss Mary Prichard.

Miss Mabel Larson of Cooperstown, N. D., arrived Tuesday evening to spend several days as a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Sweger.

Rolf Rasmuson returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis, where he had spent a couple of weeks.

Misses Inga and Alma Thune, who spent Christmas at Hazel with their parents, returned to this city Monday evening.

Lee Ihle returned home from Minneapolis Thursday morning to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ihle.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen, who attends the University of Grand Forks, is spending the Christmas holidays visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left Saturday night for Plummer to spend Christmas as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Booren.

Milton Lund and Paul Scanlon left Saturday night for Minneapolis where they will spend a week visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Sam Cohen of Duluth is here for a visit over the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Severson, 223 Bridge street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen and children are spending the holidays at the home of Mrs. Larsen's parents at Oslo.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge spent Sunday and Monday as guests at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Julia Tandberg.

Misses Myrtle and Violet Krohn spent Christmas near Viking with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krohn.

Miss Ann Tharaldson, who is engaged in teaching near Rosewood, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Dora Tharaldson.

Miss Irene Sorenson of Minneapolis is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson, this week.

Miss Kathleen Ures is a guest of Miss Margaret Burns, who is home from the Grand Forks university during the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Skarstad of Argyle were guests at the home of Mrs. Skarstad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum, on Sunday and Monday.

John Ward, representing the National Biscuit company, left last evening for Minneapolis on matters of business.

Mrs. Rose Johnson, who is employed in a bank at Trail, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery left Saturday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Murphy.

Mrs. Mae Rowan, who had spent Christmas at Argyle with her parents, is in Minneapolis this week visiting friends.

Miss Esther Gjertsen, cashier at the Great Northern, visited over the holidays at Sandstone with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown and Roy Brown went to Grygla on Saturday and visited over Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brown.

Mrs. M. Clauson and Miss Clara Blewett, both of Fordville, N. D., visited friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Palmer of Red Lake Falls returned to their home on Tuesday, having spent Christmas as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston.

Miss Dorothy Loen, who teaches at Trail, was in the city Friday evening between trains visiting friends, enroute to her home at Radium to spend her vacation.

Miss Helen Weeks, instructor in the Lutheran Normal school at Canton, S. D., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bradley left Tuesday evening for their home at Minneapolis after spending Christmas as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Neth and two children arrived yesterday from Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Werstlein.

Miss Mae Bark, who taught here last year, spent Tuesday evening between trains visiting friends in the city, enroute to Winnipeg to spend a few days.

Miss Emma Hoff arrived Tuesday afternoon from Middle River, where she is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. G. Kvennes, to be the guest of Mrs. W. H. Frederick.

Miss Pearl Warring, who is spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. S. Warring at Steiner, came down yesterday to attend to shopping.

Mrs. Carl Skaug and son, George, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lasier, returned yesterday to their home at Beltrami.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tessum, who had spent a few days visiting at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Tessum, returned to their home at Harmony yesterday.

Elnor Overland, student at St. Olaf college, Northfield, arrived Saturday morning to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Overland, during his vacation.

Miss Luella Pederson arrived Saturday morning from Minneapolis, where she is employed, to spend a week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pederson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newcomb of Minneapolis are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson. Mrs. Newcomb was formerly Miss Gladys Nelson.

Supt. W. A. Barnard of the Soo is spending the holidays with the family of a sister who resides in Fargo. He expects to return the first of the week.

Misses Jennie and Agnes Anderson who are teaching at Debbs, spent a brief time Friday as the guests of friends enroute to their home at Thorhult for a two weeks vacation.

Truman Stageberg, who is employed at Minneapolis, arrived here Thursday morning to spend a few days visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Stageberg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson returned to their home at Crookston on Tuesday after spending Christmas at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre.

Miss Leone Knox, who is teaching in Minneapolis, arrived Monday to spend a day visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. McFarland.

Misses Marrian and Ella Miller, who teach at Breckinridge and Nashwauk respectively, are guests of their mother, Mrs. Betsy Miller, during the holidays.

Miss Evelyn Tessum arrived here Thursday morning from Minneapolis where she is a student at the University, to spend the holiday vacation visiting her parents.

Miss Evelyn Tessum, a student at the Minnesota University, is spending her holiday vacation as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Tessum.

Miss Helen Strand, who teaches at Carrington, N. D., arrived Thursday for a two weeks visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Strand.

J. O. Sether, representing the Gowan-Lenning-Brown company, left yesterday for Duluth to attend the annual meeting of salesmen for that company.

Mrs. Verner Nelson and baby daughter, accompanied by the former's sister, Miss Elsie Fricker, were up from St. Hilaire on Tuesday visiting with friends.

Mrs. C. A. Kimball and granddaughter, Dolores Abbott, of Grygla, left Tuesday afternoon for a six weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Fergus Falls.

Mrs. W. B. Fuller returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis, where she had accompanied her daughter, Theresa, for medical treatment.

Misses Lucille and Dorothy Grundhaus left Tuesday afternoon for visit with friends at Grand Forks. Later they will go to Northwood to continue their visit.

Miss Ida Tandberg left Tuesday for Goodridge to spend a few days visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

A number of the Community Girls went by auto to the Oakland Park sanatorium on Sunday forenoon and sang Christmas carols for the patients, who highly appreciated this thoughtful act.

Two teaspoonfuls of Tanlac in a little water taken three times a day just before meals will make you eat better, feel better, sleep better and work better. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. d29

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Ryan and daughter, Lorraine, and Carl Ryan, left Monday morning for Rosewood to spend a few days at the home of Mrs. Ryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson.

Misses Stella House and Gladys Black of Grand Forks are spending a few days this week visiting Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichhammer.

Miss Ingrid Wassgren spent last Thursday and Friday visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wassgren, leaving Saturday morning for her home at Warren to spend Christmas.

Miss Margaret DeCremer, who attends the Minnesota university, arrived the latter part of last week to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. DeCremer.

Miss Mary Belle Worth, former commercial teacher in the Thief River Falls high school, is in the city to spend her holiday vacation with friends. Miss Worth is this season teaching at Blue Earth.

Rufus Barackman, who had spent several days visiting at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink, will return tonight to Minneapolis to resume his studies at Macalester college.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lambert and son, George, spent Christmas with Mrs. Lambert's parents at Detroit. Mr. Lambert returned Monday evening while Mrs. Lambert and George remained for a longer visit.

Miss Elizabeth Kleppe, who is engaged in teaching at Oklee, spent the time between trains Friday evening visiting local friends, enroute to her home at Newfolden to spend the holiday vacation.

Miss LaRue Davis of Chattanooga, Tenn., only weighed 76 pounds. After taking three bottles of Tanlac, she now weighs over 100 pounds and is enjoying the best of health. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. 29

L. A. Lampert arrived in the city Saturday to spend the holidays with his family. Mr. Lampert is now connected with the state banking department and since leaving here has been in charge of a defunct bank at Appleton.

Miss Sarah Swanson, who teaches at Kennedy, has spent the past three weeks at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. S. Brokke, because of illness. She left yesterday morning for her home at Steiner to remain over New Years with her mother, Mr. John Swanson.

Rufus A. Barackman, who had spent a part of his vacation visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink, left this afternoon for Crookston to be a guest at the L. Peterson home for a few days before returning to Macalester college to resume his school work.

Mrs. John Swanson of Steiner and Mrs. Augusta Anderson and little daughter, and Oscar Swanson of Weaver, N. D., were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Brokke.

Miss Dorothy Loen of Radium arrived last evening to attend the alumni reunion and to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Olson of Minneapolis arrived Saturday morning for a brief visit at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Oen.

The Royal Neighbors Lodge will give a public card party at the Masonic hall Wednesday evening, Jan. 4, 1922, commencing at 8:30. Admission 25c.—Advertisement. d29

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero left Tuesday night for Minneapolis, where Mrs. Sapero will visit with relatives while Mr. Sapero continues to Chicago on business.

A. H. Dorn, Swift Packing company representative in this section, left last evening for St. Paul to be present at the annual conference of state salesmen for the concern.

Miss Edna Anderson, who is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brink while she attends school, left this afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit her parents for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Oderkirk and children, and Mrs. Oderkirk's mother, Mrs. A. O. Morgan, all of Egeland, N. D., are in the city on a visit to the family of Mr. Oderkirk's sister, Mrs. F. J. Kielty, 402 St. Paul avenue south. Mr. Oderkirk is editor and publisher of the Egeland Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simonson and two sons, Arthur and Melvin, of Steiner, spent a few days this week visiting at the Rupprecht home.

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Greetings

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Citizen State Bank

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Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children
9c SALE

Our Annual January
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Friday, Dec. 30
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Besides hundreds of remarkable values to be offered at just 9c each, this 9c Sale will include every dollar's worth of merchandise in this store.

Silks, Velvets, Ribbons, White Goods, Woolen Goods, Linens
What! 9c a Yard?

Coats, Suits, Dresses, Waists, Skirts, Kimonas, Bathrobes
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Listen! Here is Our 9c Sale for 1921-1922

Commencing at 9 a. m. Friday, Dec. 30, we will sell for SPOT CASH only for just 7 days, your choice out of our entire stock of merchandise, every third item for 9c—for instance, Silks at $2.50 a yard:

1st yard Skinner's Silks at $2.50
2nd yard Skinner's Silks at $2.50
3rd yard Skinner's Silks at 9c
4th yard Skinner's Silks at $2.50
5th yard Skinner's Silks at $2.50
6th yard Skinner's Silks at 9c
6 yards of $2.50 Silk at $10.18

Women's Ready-to-Wear
PAY 9c ON EVERY THIRD DOLLAR

One coat, regular price $25.00, 9c on every 3rd dollar, a total of
$16.81

A $100.00 coat, 9c on every 3rd dollar, or you pay
$68.96

Shoes, Overshoes, Underwear, Hosiery, Corsets, Gloves, Everything Goes on This 9c Sale!

1st pair of shoes $5.00
2nd pair of pumps $5.00
3rd pair of oxfords 9c

Every third item at
9c

1st suit underwear $2.00
2nd suit underwear $2.00
3rd $2.00 suit underwear 9c

Every Third Item Regardless of Value for 9c

But all three items must be bought in the same department at the same time. Buy $5.00 a yard table linens, 1st and 2nd yards at $5.00, 3rd yard at 9c. Think of buying a $100.00 coat for 9c. Buy 3 coats, paying $100.00 each for the first two and only 9c for the third one.

REMEMBER THIS 9c SALE FOR 7 DAYS ONLY
Commencing Friday, 9 A. M., December 30

Loken Brothers

American Legion Corner

Gopher Legionaires Must Get Busy.

Buddies of the Gopher State, Nebraska is after our scalps. State Adjutant O'Connell of Nebraska Legion Headquarters has appointed Corned Willy as leader of the campaign. Willy is a veteran of many battles, and the Cornhuskers of Nebraska think he can lead them to victory in Legion membership just as he did in France. O'Connell considers Willy the find of the year and is certain he is just the man to beat Minnesota.

No sooner did Corned Willy assume command of Nebraska's Cornhuskers than he fired the opening gun of the big membership battle by issuing an official communique reading: "The following message has been sent out to Legionaires of Minnesota: 'Iowa, during 1921, increased her paid-up membership by 7,000. Iowa has more members in proportion to ex-service men than any other state in the union. Let's beat Iowa's great record! Every buddy get a buddy! Over the top for the Gopher state! Arthur A. VanDyke, Department Commander.'"

The Minnesota commander's war-cry seems to have made Corned Willy fighting mad, for he has put on the feathers and war paint and sent this rallying cry to Nebraska *Legionaires: "What do you think of* that, you Cornhuskers? The Gophers think they are going to beat us to the grapes this year. They will, like !!!!?????"

"Now I'll tell you just how we can slip it over on Van and his ground squirrels. As you probably know, the Gopher always turns in for the winter and hibernates for three or four months. Well, while they are hibernating this winter, we will go out and pick corn. Everybody get two buddies! That will give us twice as many new Legionaires as Minnesota, since they are only asking each buddy to get another buddy.

"Line up the old gang, Mr. Post Commander. Nebraska is going to win this year. The Gophers aren't going to show us up, nor are the 'boys where the tall-corn grows' going to win. Iowa's tall corn is all right, but it's hard to husk. Everybody out for the Nebraska nubbins! Yours for the battle. Corned Willy, Supreme Commander, United Nebraska Nubbin Pickers."

Back comes VanDyke of Minnesota: "Pride goeth before a fall. The Gophers started it and when the old bell rings for the last round, we'll be sittin' pretty. Here's how we'll take Corned Willy and his nubbin-pickers by surprise. They think we Gopher Legionaires are all asleep for the winter and will forget to pay our 1922 dues. Gophers may hibernate but not until they've husked all the corn and stored it away in their winter granary. Many an I-o-way and Nebraska cornhusker has found that out. So hibernate we will, but on a full stomach and a 100 per cent membership. A Gopher can shin up the tallest cornstalk and swipe the nubbins as they fall. Get out the Gopher gang! Over the top for 1922! Let's go! Arthur A. VanDyke, Department Commander."

Minnesota Now Has 488 Posts.

Three new posts were formed in December: No. 486 at Delavan, No. 487 at Lismore, and No. 488 at Glyndon. No sooner was Post No. 486 at Delavan organized than it formed a Legion Auxiliary Unit. Our Minnesota Legion Auxiliary is increasing rapidly both in units and membership. A Legion Auxiliary state speakers bureau has been formed. Ask Auxiliary State Hq., 900 Plymouth Bldg., Minneapolis, for application blanks and instructions and request the presence of a Legion Auxiliary speaker to help you make Minnesota a 100 per cent Legion Auxiliary state.

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Internal Medicine and X-Ray
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CITIZENS BANK BLDG.

Congress Cheers MacNider.

After Commander MacNider had frankly discussed the Legion's national legislative program with President Harding, he went to the national capitol to attend a reception given him by Iowa legislators. Upon entering the gallery of the house of representatives, the entire membership rose to their feet and cheered the Legion's national commander. Both the house and senate assured him that the Legion's adjusted compensation bill will be in effect by July 1, 1922. During the week many bills in which the Legion is interested became law. They will be described in the Legion Weekly. One of them carries a deficiency appropriation of $65,000,000 for rehabilitation and medical and hospital care of our disabled comrades.

Exempt From Income Tax

Amounts received as government compensation, allotments, or pensions as a result of service in the great war, are now exempt from income tax returns, because of an amendment sponsored and enacted thru the efforts of the Legion's National Legislative Committee.

Legion Amusement Admission Tax Discontinued

President Harding has signed an amendment stating that after January 1st, 1922, no Legion post or Legion Auxiliary unit need pay tax on admission price collected for entertainments put on by these organizations. Our National Legislative Committee is "on the job" down at Washington!

Gopher Posts Asked to Render Rifle Return Promptly

During the past two years, Uncle Sam has courteously been loaning hundreds of his rifles and equiptment to Minnesota Legion posts for use on patriotic occasions. His only stipulation is that each post answer roll call once a year, by filling out and returning, as of Dec. 31, Form No. 110, sent each post direct from 7th Corps Hq., Fort Crook, Nebr., or to be had from there on request. Let's show Uncle Sam that we Gopher boys appreciate his courtesy. Mail form 100 on Dec. 31.

Appleton and Jackson Bonus Board of Review Hearings.

Inform buddies in the vicinity of Appleton and Jackson that on Feb. 7 the bonus board of review will consider disapproved claims at Appleton, and at Jackson on Feb. 28. To have claim reviewed, notice of that intention must reach bonus board of review, state capitol, by Feb. 1 for the Appleton hearing, and by Feb. 22 for the Jackson hearing, so that the papers relating to claim may be on hand at the hearing. (Dec. 31, 1921, is last day on which original claim for the Minnesota state bonus may be filed with the state soldier bonus board, old capitol.)

Can Department Headquarters Be of Service?

Most Minnesota posts are able to do their own printing or mimeographing or have it done conveniently. But if any post is not so situated, Dept. Hq. will gladly use its mimeograph to run off copies of circulars, etc., to be mailed to members. To avail itself of this your post must cut (type) the stencil and mail it, together with the mimeograph paper on which the copies are to be made, to Dept. Hq., including postage equal to that required to forward the package to Dept. Hq. Use either No. 860 (8½x13) or No. 861 (8½x11) Dermatype Mimeograph Typewriter Stencil for Edison's rotary mimeograph. This offer applies also to county and district organizations. It is an experiment and will be continued as long as found practicable.

Get out the Gopher Gang! Over the top for 1922! Let's go!

Luther Seminary Student at Trinity Church Sunday

Milton Weeks, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks of this city, will deliver the sermons at both morning and evening services at Trinity church next Sunday, speaking in English. This young man is a graduate of Lincoln high school and has during the past four years been a student of theology at Luther college, Decorah, Iowa. He is very well known in the city and many will be interested in his first appearance as a minister before his old friends and neighbors.

Sheriff LaBree Laid Up.

Sheriff W. J. LaBree has been laid up at home during the past week with an attack of lumbago and those who have visited him say he is not in very good humor about it. According to his own statement, this is the first time in 25 years he has been in bed for any other purpose than to sleep and the experience is somewhat trying. When about 350 pounds of decidedly active sheriff gets to aching it is no small matter.

Wilson's 65th Birthday.

Former President Wilson on Wednesday quietly celebrated his 65th birthday at his home in Washington. While there was no deviation from the daily program of the Wilson household many cablegrams, telegrams and letters containing greetings were delivered at the Wilson home on S street. During the day several of the more intimate friends of Mr. Wilson called to extend their greetings in person.

Society

Alumni Reunion.

The annual reunion of the Thief River Falls High School Alumni association was held last evening at the auditorium, with a fairly large attendance. A short program, which consisted of a piano solo by Miss Doris M. Halvorson and a reading by Miss Ella Krohn, preceded the business session, at which Clarence Pope, president, presided. The following officers were chosen for next year: President, George Werstlein; vice president, Francis Burns; secretary, Reuben Hadrath; treasurer, Carl Gulrud. On the suggestion of Oscar Paulson, a collection was taken and a neat sum realized to be used for the purchase of flowers in memory of Ambrose Zeh, member of the association, whose death occured recently in California. During the evening a lunch was served in the Commercial club rooms. The remainder of the time was spent in dancing. Snyder's orchestra furnished a fine program of music.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop were hosts at dinner at their home Monday evening. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Arneson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Nelson, Miss Eileen Arneson, S. V. Arneson, and Miss Olive Patterson of St. Hilaire. Cards were enjoyed after the dinner hour.

Entertain Patients.

Monday afternoon the Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church entertained the patients at the sanitarium with a program of Christ*mas songs and anthems. On their* return they stopped for refreshments at Miss Leavitt's home on Riverside avenue.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold a business meeting on Tuesday evening, Jan. 3, at the home of Mrs. J. O. Sether. All members are requested to be present.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church.

Confirmation class at the parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. No meeting of Sunday school this Sunday. First session of the new year Jan. 8. Full attendance requested. Divine service in English New Year's day at 11 a. m. Sermon by Milton Weeks of Luther Seminary. At this service there will be a pipe organ solo by Elnor Overland and a vocal duet by Ann Tharaldson and Mrs. Halbert. Young People's League program Sunday at 7:45 p. m. Scripture reading and prayer; vocal solo, Harold Aga; reading, Agnes Tandberg; song, the choir; talk, Helen Weeks; pipe organ solo, Maybelle Ostby; vocal solo, Ann Tharaldson; talk, Reuben Aga; hymn, offertory, Mrs. Gaston Ward; announcements, doxology, benediction. The Ladies' Aid Society will hold its annual business meeting Thursday, Jan. 5. Mesdames Oscar Williams, Olaf Tessum, Anna Langseth and T. E. Sweger will entertain. You are cordially invited.—T. E. Sweger, Pastor.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.

Sunday, Jan. 1: No Sunday school. No morning services. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. New Year's eve the annual business meeting will begin at 8 o'clock and after that there will be a New Year's "wake" to welcome the new year in. At St. Hilaire the annual business meeting will be held Friday, Dec. 30. Welcome! —O. J. Lundell, Pastor.

Christian Science Society.

Services are held each Sunday at 11 o'clock at the church on First and LaBree. Subject, Sunday, Jan. 1: "God." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open also for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Presbyterian Church.

Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. Charles Gerlinger of Princeton, N. J., will preach both sermons. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior Endeavor 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor 7 p. m. A cordial invitation extended to any of these services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge.

New Year's services: Neptune, on Dec. 31, 10 a. m. Erie 3 p. m. in English. Germantown Jan. 1, 10 a. m., in English. Espleo Jan. 2 at 10 a. m. and Grygla 3 p. m. in English. Thorhult Jan. 3, 7 p. m., in English. Business meeting at each place.—H. Lutz, Pastor.

Services at Thorvick.

Service and Christmas tree, Thorvick, Sunday, Jan. 1, at 1:30 o'clock. —O. I. Raaum, Pastor.

Obituary

O. Knutson.

On Dec. 20 occurred the death of O. Knutson at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Oscar H. Olson, Red Lake boulevard, with whom he had made his home for the past two years. Despite the fact that deceased had been suffering greatly from gall stones for many years, his death came as a surprise to his friends and relatives as he was confined to his bed for only a few days before the end came.

Deceased was born in Norway 69 years ago, coming to this country while a young boy. He moved to this section of the state 18 years ago from Wolverton, settling on a farm near Erie, where he resided until two years ago. He leaves to mourn his death four children, two daughters and two sons, besides three sisters who reside at Wolverton. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the chapel of Larson's undertaking parlors, Rev. George Larson officiating. The body was shipped to Goodridge and interment made at his former home at Erie. Out-of-town relatives present at the funeral were Anton Knutson of Gully and Aug. Knutson of Northwood, N. D.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
Will be in Thief River Falls, Tuesday, Jan. 10. At Hotel Evelyn.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved wife, daughter and sister. We especially wish to thank Mrs. N. L. Nielson, Miss Esther Hanson, Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mr. J. J. McCann and Miss Thora Hanson. We also wish to thank the Trinity Young People's League, Trinity Ladies' Aid, Rebekah and Maccabee lodges, Dorcas Society and the Girls' Sewing club; also the many friends for the beautiful floral offerings.—O. F. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. John Oftedahl and Family. d-29

Mrs. Bertha Wallen.

This morning at 12:28 at the local hospital occurred the death of Mrs. Bertha Wallen, wife of Gust Wallen, 101 Tindolph avenue south, after an illness of one month with stomach trouble. Deceased was born in Norway and was within a few days of her 36th birthday at the time of her death. She had lived in this country for 17 years. She leaves a husband and seven children to mourn her death. *Funeral services will be held* from the Zion Lutheran church Monday afternoon, Jan. 2, and interment will take place at Greenwood.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to take this opportunity to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindly assistance and sympathy during the illness and after the death of our beloved father, O. Knutson.—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neisinger, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Knutson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rayson, August Knutson.

First Ev. Luth. Church.

Annual business meeting of the congregation Dec. 31 at 8 p. m. Program and serving of lunch by the Missionary society at 9 o'clock, Dec. 31. Services and Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. New Year's day. Services in American at 7:45 p. m.—Albin A. Larson, Pastor.

Hans Olson.

Hans Olson, aged 78, for many years an inmate of the City poor house, died Monday morning and was buried from Larson's undertaking parlors on Tuesday. Rev. T. E. Sweger officiated.

REMOVAL JAN. 1 OF EXPRESS WAR TAX; FREIGHT CUT ALSO

Will Mean Big Saving to Public at Large and to Farmers in Particular.

Oscar Paulson, local express agent explains what the removel of war tax from express means to the public. The new rates go into effect on Jan.1. Mr. Paulson says: "The public will save approximately $1,500,000 a month as a result of the elimination of the war tax on express shipments according to George C. Taylor, president of the American Railway Express Co. The Revenue act of 1921 eliminates the war tax of one cent on every twenty cents and fractions thereof in transportation charges on all express shipments. This tax during the year 1920 netted the government $17,502,918. The elimination of the tax, therefore, will virtually amount to a decrease in rates of a little over five per cent. The American Railway Express Co. handles approximately 1,000,000 shipments a day, and the elimination of the tax will relieve the express company of an immense amount of labor which has been involved in calculating, entering on way bills and collecting of tax, not to mention the expense of checking and accounting entailed. The treasury department has requested express carriers to advise all claimanst who have claims pending for overcharges, or who file such claims after Dec. 31, 1921, that claims for refund of tax should be filed separately on treasury department form number 46, with the commissioner of internal revenue within four years from the time the tax was paid.

The railroads will put into effect on Jan. 1, or as soon thereafter as possible, their proposed voluntary 10 per cent freight reduction on cotton, butter and other commodities, as well as the reductions ordered by the interstate commerce commision for western territory on grain and grain products and hay.

The voluntary 10 per cent cut is to be effective for six months as an experiment and will apply to the entire country.

It is also announced that roads may continue until June 30, 1922, reduced rates on live stock and that a 10 per cent cut for livestock on which no cut has been made would be put into effect.

A great reduction will be made on grain and grain products and hay, in compliance with the opinion of the interstate commerce commission in the case recently decided.

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800 MINNESOTANS IN GRAIN GROWERS

Work Suspended Over Holidays, Over 34,000 Farmers Join During Past Year.

In the seven weeks period ending with the holiday season, U. S. Grain Grower solicitors obtained 810 members, despite the fact that in some counties, the work had been in progress only a fortnight. Thus far, 20 elevators in the state have become affiliated with the movement. Solicitors now are on a 10-day vacation but will return to work Jan.3.

Nationally, the movement entered the holiday season with 34,229 members and 849 elevator and local grower association contracts. Illinois is first with 8,500 members, Nebraska second with 6,700 and North Dakota third with 4,800. This aggregate membership has been obtained during a period ranging from seven months in some states and seven weeks in others. Minnesota and Iowa were last to start.

In Minnesota, grower contracts have been circulated with marked success in Lyon, Kittson, Watonwon and Redwood counties. Some work has been done in *Wright county. In* Lyon county, where the first soliciting was done, more than 400 contracts have been obtained and in townships where the work has been completed, 85 per cent of the grain acreage has been signed up, solicitors report. In Kittson county, many of the leading wheat growers of the section have become members. In Redwood and Watonwan counties, the work was well started when the holiday vacation interupted.

FARMER SATISFIED WITH STATE PLAN OF STOCK CONTROL

Livestock Men Will Appear in Washington to Protest Against Change.

Hearings will be held early in July by the department of agriculture at which representatives of the Minnesota farmers and livestock producers and the Minnesota state railroad and warehouse commission will be given an opportunity to express their views on the present syste mof state livestock supervision in Minnesota.

Representative Steenerson, in announcing that he had arranged with Secretary Wallace for the hearing, said the farmers and livestock producers in this state were satisfied with the present system and were opposed to any attempt to abolish it.

Following his consultation with Secretary Wallace, Mr. Steenerson said:

"On Dec. 21, the department sent a supervisor to South St. Paul, to hold hearings in the matter of livestock weighing in Minnesota. We do not know who appeared or what happened there, but will be prepared to show the secretary that the farmers and livestock producers of Minnesota are satisfied with the present system of state weighing. Up until two years ago the weighing was done by the commission houses, and there was constant complaint and dissatisfaction. Since then there have been no complains. The farmers want state weighing. They pay for this service, and it costs the commission house nothing."

Injunction Refused in Christian Science Case

The supreme court of Massachusetts on Tuesday denied the motion of the trustees of the Christian Science Publishing society, for an injunction to restrain the directors of the First Church of Christ, Scient'st, from removing the trustees. The court recently held that the directors had power to remove trustees, but the trustees in their petition for an injunction asked the court to prevent the directors from taking removal action pending determination of certain issues. The trustees said they did not desire to continue to hold office, but wished to "lay down their trust in an orderly manner, under the court's jurisdiction and direction."

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Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Thief River Falls people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor! Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?
Mrs. Chas. Alexander, 216 Conley Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "I was suddenly taken with a bad attack of kidney complaint. Severe pains across my back kept me from doing my work. My head swam with dizziness, so that I was afraid to walk across the room. My kidneys didn't act as they should and I felt miserable all over. A neighbor suggested that I try Doan's Kidney Pills and I bought a supply at Bottleson's Drug Store. They entirely rid me of the trouble and I have felt well ever since."
The above statement was given Dec. 1, 1917, and on Aug. 8, 1921, Mrs. Alexander added: "I gladly confirm the statement I gave, praising Doan's. I use them occasionally as a preventive and they always give good results."
60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Public Forum

"Give Us This Day"

"Give us this day our daily bread." This is the plea of the day—it is a nation-wide plea. To some it means wheat, to some it means corn and to others it means cotton. To our Uncle Sam it means all of these.

In the good book we are told to "Ask and you shall receive." Will congress heed the voice of the people?

We have been told that we have nothing to expect from congress in the line of agricultural adjustment for at least two years. Can this be possible? Is the old north and south boundry line method of adjustment going to be applied in time of distress?

There is a better way. The question of providing for Uncle Sam's household must be accomplished from a humane point of view. Nothing short of a harmonious national adjustment embracing all producing activities will or can restore contentment and prosperity to the people. Boundary line ideas must be abolished; sectionalism must cease; right and justice must prevail if bread shall be provided for the hungry.

There is but one solution. Place the American producer in a position to accomplish his tasks and there will be neither stagnation nor want.

Bread is not only the staff of life but it is the dynamo which furnishes the power that runs the wheels of commerce and progress in motion. Again we say, "Give us this day our daily bread."

W. A. SWANSON.

Rhoda, Minn.

Two-Day Farm Institute Will Be Held in County

A two-day farm institute will be held in Pennington county during the next month. The first session will be at the Commercial club rooms, Thief River Falls, on Friday, Jan. 13, and the other at Goodridge the day following. The program has not yet been received at the farm bureau office here but an attempt will be made to secure the services of J. H. Hay as one of the speakers. Mr. Hay will be here at that time to deliver an address at the dedication of the new Knox school on the East side and it is hoped that he can be prevailed upon to speak at both farm meetings.

W. M. Cavert of St. Paul, specialist in farm management, and O. M. Olson of Moorhead, a speaker of note employed by the extension division of the university, will be leaders in the discussions at the institutes.

Pastor of Eastern Church to Preach Here Sunday

Rev. Charles Gerlinger of Princeton, N. J., will occupy the pulpit in the Presbyterian church in this city on Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Gerlinger is at present on a visit to relatives and friends at Madison, Minn., and has been secured by the congregation here for these two New Years sermons. He is a Minnesota product, having been born at Blackduck, but has of late years resided in the East. He is said to be a most forceful pulpit orator and one whose work is meeting with much success. The congregation extends a cordial invitation to all to come and hear him.

Pennington Chickens at Red Lake County Show

Olaf Neset, C. M. Buoen, H. L. Schuster and Ed Battenfeld have exhibits of prize-winning poultry at the Red Lake county show held at Red Lake Falls this week. Mr. Neset is showing Rhode Island Reds, Mr. Schuster's offerings are Leghorns, Mr. Buoen's Buff Orpingtons, and Mr. Battenfeld is exhibiting Barred Rocks.

The Pennington County Poultry association will attempt to secure a display sufficiently large to have one entire section at the winter show at Crookston in February.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.08
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	$1.03
Flax	.85
Barley	.27
Oats	.20
Rye	.63
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	[illegible]
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.15
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.10
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.12
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.12
Hens, light	.08
Turkeys, No. 1, alive, per lb.	.25
Turkeys, No. 1, dressed	.35
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.12
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.35
Dairy butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.42
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.07-.08
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03-.04
Calves, per lb.	.03-.04
Cows, per lb.	.03

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Another name goes on the long list of Spokane, Wash., office workers, educated at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. Lucile Alair recently "walked off" with a $110 job at the Northern Insurance Co. With good places so scarce, why are D. B. C. graduates given preference everywhere? Because this school is thorough. Because it stirs up ambition in every pupil to win big success—like hundreds of former graduates. 226 have become bank officers, 40 of them women.
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Dr. King's New Discovery will do that very thing, easily and quickly. Don't say, "Poor little kiddie, I wish I knew what to do for you!" When the cough first comes, give a little Dr. King's New Discovery as directed, and it will soon be eased.
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Constipated? Here's Relief! Cleanse the system with Dr. King's Pills. They prompt free bile flow, stir up the lazy liver and get at the root of the trouble. All druggists, 25c.
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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Fine Program at Rindal.

The following program was rendered at the Rindal church last Friday evening by the pupils of Rosebank school under the direction of the teacher, Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen. The program was very well rendered and appreciated by the audience. [illegible] the program Rev. George [illegible] gave a short talk, and at the close the entire audience was presented with bags containing candy, nuts and apples. A beautifully trimmed evergreen illuminated with dozens of candles and a pretty arch made of flowers decorated the stage, giving the whole a very beautiful showing.

Song, "Christmas Time Again"—School.
Dialogue, "King Winter's Throne"—By Twelve Pupils.
Song, "Christmas Carol"—School.
Acrostic—Nine Pupils.
Song, "Happy Christmas Day"—Three Girls.
Reading, "Little Match Girl"—Alma Thoreson.
Recitation, "Cradle Hymn"—Gunda Madson.
[illegible] Candles—Five Girls.
[illegible] "Merry, Merry Bells"—Clarence Mellem.
[illegible] "Christmas All Over"—Gladys [illegible] Florence Mellem.
[illegible] Kings From the Orient"—[illegible]
[illegible] "God Rest Ye, Merry Gentlemen"—[illegible]ton Furan.
[illegible] "Waul's Christmas Gifts"—Myrtle Mellem.
[illegible] "Welcome Glad Christmas Time"—[illegible] Boys.
[illegible] "Christmas Spirits"—Nine [illegible]
Recitation, "Christmas Gifts"—Florence Mellem, Gladys Nakken.
Recitation—Irene Haugen.
Song, "Long, Long Ago"—Seven Girls.
Recitation, "A Christmas Wish"—Harry Ranum.
Recitation, "The Christmas Message"—Elizabeth, Mathilda, Agnes Schenke.
Song, "A Christmas Song"—School.
"A Star, a Song and a Story"—Three Girls.
Recitation (Norse)—Gunda Madson.
Song—School.
Recitation, "Bethlehem"—Arnold Nakken.
Song Patronome, "Silent Night"—Gladys Sagmoen, Myrtle Mellem.
Song, "Goodnight"—School.

Directors' Annual Meeting.

The directors of the Rosewood Shipping association met Monday evening. The only business coming before the body at this time was the election of officers for the coming year, which resulted in the re-election of Emil Anderson as president and Selmer Haugen as vice president. As manager for the coming year was reappointed Benhard Ranum, who has done a very creditable business the past year, and his reappointment was made without opposition.

Mrs. Julia Axelson and daughters, Viola, Minnie and Julia, and Carl Ranum, were pleasantly entertained at the Dick Hall home the day following Christmas.

Albert Myrbo of Viking was among the Sunday visitors at the Mrs. J. [illegible] home.

[illegible] and Iver Westby of Good[illegible], who have been employed at gravel hauling on the Holt road, spent Christmas here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Westby.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck and sons, Lyle and Buddy, of near Anita, were Christmas day guests of Mrs. Mosbeck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Ryan and daughter, Lorraine, and Carl Ryan, arrived Monday morning from Thief River Falls for a Christmas visit with Mrs. Ryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson.

Henry Lappegaard and Howard Carlson returned home on Monday after spending Christmas with Thief River Falls friends.

Gladys Sagmoen and Myrtle Mellem, pupils from Rosebank, went to Thief River Falls last Sunday and took part in the program at the Zion church.

Emil Bloom, who has been employed at Duluth for several years, arrived home last Monday and will spend the holdays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom.

Miss Laura Kron, who is teaching near Erie, came home on Friday to spend Christmas with her folks.

Miss Viola Axelson went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to shop and attend the Lyceum.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, L. L. Furan and daughter, Violet, and Miss Gena Aas went to Thief River Falls on Wednesday evening to do some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson left last Friday to visit with their home folks at Gully over Christmas, being relieved at the elevator by J. E. Shoberg.

The Haugen brothers lost one of their large work horses last Wednesday. Being kicked by another horse while in the pasture was the cause of the animal's death.

Nancer Hasby, who has been employed on a farm near Thief River Falls the past year, came home last Thursday and will spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hasby.

Miss Ann Tharaldson, teacher at Busy Bee, left Friday evening for her home at Thief River Falls, where she will spend a two weeks' vacation.

A. Opseth, accompanied by little Stanley Ranum, went to Viking on Monday and spent the day visiting friends.

Emil Anderson motored to Viking last Thursday on business.

Amy Whitman and Mabel Rogers, who are employed as teachers near Warren, came home Friday evening to spend the holidays at their respective homes.

Julius Liden of Steiner was in town last Wednesday attending to some business and visiting friends.

Miss Pearl Mellem, who has been employed at Viking, came home Friday evening and after Christmas will take up work at Rosebank school.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, and Elmer Hellquist of Thief River Falls, spent Saturday at the J. E. Hellquist home.

Alec Hellquist left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to spend Christmas day at the John Sorenson home.

Helmer Carlson of Devils Lake, N. D., arrived Saturday evening to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson, and other relatives.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, who has been employed at Tracy, came home Friday for an over Christmas stay with her parents.

Mrs. Albert Paulson returned home Tuesday morning from Thief River Falls, where she had spent a week visiting with her sister, Mrs. Thompson.

Miss Lily Holson, a teacher from near Thief River Falls, arrived Saturday morning to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Carl Mellem.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and family of Thief River Falls spent Friday visiting with the latter's mother, Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen left Saturday evening for Minneapolis to spend Christmas with friends and relatives, and will return by New Year's to spend Christmas with Mrs. Sagmoen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wahlbeck, at St. Hilaire.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Halvorson at Viking on Monday. Mrs. Halvorson formerly was Miss Hannah Hellquist of this place.

Gladys, Oliva and Geneva Swanson left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to spend Christmas with Mrs. Nybus and at the S. Brandon home.

Emil Anderson, Emil Hellquist and Mrs. A. Paulson motored to Thief River Falls Saturday to shop and have dental work done.

Miss Lyda Batten, Miss Delma Dols and Albert Stengelson are home from their school work at Thief River Falls to spend the holidays at their respective homes near this place.

NUMEDAL

Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson were Viking shoppers Thursday.

Thure and Hjalmer Blomberg motored to Thief River Falls on Friday and took in the masquerade dance given by the Yeomen lodge, returning home the following day.

George Bugge motored to Thief River Falls Friday to consult a physician, having had a bad cold for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Larson and David Samuelson were Sunday guests at the Soren Knutson home.

Tommy Joringdal autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday evening.

Miss Agnes Forslund, who teaches school near Angus, is spending the holidays with her home folks.

Thure Blomberg called at the P. Bugge home on Thursday.

Richard Joringdal, barber at Thief River Falls, is spending the holidays with his home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Bugge and family were guests at the Blomberg home Sunday evening.

Carl Forslund, who has been employed in the Dakotas for some time, returned home last week for an indefinite stay.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Joringdal and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson and families were guests at the Joseph Joringdal home Sunday.

David Samuelson attended the Christmas festival at Viking Monday evening.

Thure Blomberg was a Viking caller on Monday.

REINER

Happy New Year to all.

Mrs. J. Stenvik received a telegram on Wednesday from Yellow Medicine telling of the death of her mother.

Those who returned to spend the Christmas holidays at their respective homes were: Marshall Race from Bismarck, N. D.; Herb. Race, Oklee; Einar and Richard Aakre, Crookston; Ole and Harvey Helle, Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Olson entertained the E. and G. Vraa and Mrs. Tilla Bratland families on Sunday.

Miss Inga Olsen has gone to Reynolds, N. D., to spend a few days.

Rev. J. O. Hoyum conducted services in the Pershing school house on Monday, Dec. 26.

J. E. McEnelly left this week for Iowa to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Aakre were Christmas guests at the J. Miller home on Monday.

Miss Gerda Milander returned recently from Grand Forks, where she has been employed, to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crown of St. Hilaire, telling of the arrival of a baby boy. Mrs. Crown was formerly Miss Julia Stenvik of this place.

A Christmas tree and program was held in the Pershing school house on Friday evening under the direction of Miss Florence Burns.

Miss Lillian Aase of Roseau is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. O. Hoyum.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vraa entertained a large number of friends and relatives at a Christmas dinner Sunday evening.

VIKING

Misses Myrtle and Violette Krohn spent Christmas here with their parents.

Miss Helga Quindlog left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to spend Christmas with her parents.

Dr. Victor Sustad of Fargo is here for a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Agnes Forslund arrived Saturday from Euclid, where she is engaged in teaching, to spend her vacation at home.

Mrs. Krohn and son, Carl, are visiting relatives and friends at Thief River Falls.

The play given at the Sandridge school Friday evening was attended by a fairly large crowd.

Oscar Ranum and family spent Tuesday at the John Olson home east of town.

A large crowd attended the Christmas program in the church Monday evening.

Six Minnesota Banks, Now Closed, to Reopen

Six state banks, suspended during the past few months, likely will be reopened during the next few weeks, E. B. Duea, state superintendent of banks, said Tuesday. Two banks—the Security State of Milaca and the Peoples State of Rochester—have been reorganized, the Rochester bank being taken over by another bank.

The Farmers State Bank at Windom, the Appleton State, the State Bank of Gibbons, the Farmers State of Big Lake and the State Bank of Lamberton, which suspended, are expected to resume business in the near future, while another is being reorganized.

Give Them the Shake

Monticello Times—Give the peddlers the cold shoulder. They have no business relations to sustain. They pay no local taxes, and they are most likely to skin you if you buy from them. There is not a single advantage to you to buy from them. Give them the shake, and, if necessary, at the toe of your boot.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Timothy hay in stack. [illegible]lvor Laken. 48p

[illegible] SALE—good clean straw for bed- [illegible] chickens. Phone 447-R. 47p

HOUSE FOR SALE—601 Arnold Ave. N. Phone 350-W. 48p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—As I have sold my garage I have a few automo[illegible] to dispose of. I will sell them or [illegible] horses, harness, wagons or any [illegible]chinery that I can use. Also [illegible] land to trade. C. M. Even[illegible] 48

[illegible]ALE—One soft coal stove, one hard coal heater, three small [illegible], some furniture and other useful [illegible]. Call and look them over. 322 Horace Avenue N. 48p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 430-J 40tf

FOR SALE—Barn and lot or barn alone. Mrs. S. O. Quammen, 811 LaBree Ave. No.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 23tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. [illegible] brush breaker, also tanks and [illegible] all complete and in first-class [illegible] order. This is a snap at a rea[illegible]able price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1921 model; $50 in extra equipment. Free storage for winter. $450. John Ward, city. 46p

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 0tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 401 Arnold Ave. N. or Phone 350-2. 45

WANTED — Local representative for large Mutual Life Insurance company. Will give attractive contract. R. M. Neely Company, St. Paul, Minn. 48

FOR RENT—Five room flat upstairs, all modern. Phone 513, or call at 123 LaBree Ave. S. 46p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Bird cage, wicker preferred. Geo. Leimera 47tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 47B

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms, furnished, after Nov. 16. 501 Main Avenue North. 41tf

HAY STUMPAGE—Two quarters, located on the Electric Line, two miles east of Mavie. One quarter located 7 miles northwest of Thief River Falls; one quarter 9 miles west and one quarter 14 miles west of Thief River Falls. Inquire at once of John Bratrud, Thief River Falls, Minn.—22tf.

LOST

LOST—Brown wool knitted scarf, on Sunday evening between Zion church and East side drug store. Finder please return to Times Office. 47p

MISCELLANEOUS

DRESSMAKING — Mrs. N. Werstlein, 310 Riverside Ave. 45p

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five thousand one hundred seventy-two dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Max Gehrts and Adeline Gehrts, his wife, as Mortgagors, to William Stolz, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of January, 1917, at four (4) o'clock P. M., in Book 37 of Mortgages on page 58,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼), Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE¼ of NE¼), and Lot numbered Four (4) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153) North, Range [illegible] west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Fifty-Nine and 55-100 (159.55) acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Two Dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68) and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifteen ($15) dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 12, 1921.

WILLIAM STOLZ,
Mortgagee.
LOUIS P. JOHNSON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Ivanhoe, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-eight and 40-100 ($2658.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Theodor Jacobson and Gertie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, 1916, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page 346, which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 9th day of November, 1921, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by the said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "11" of Mortgages, on page 611 of the records in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Fifteen (15) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 9th day of February, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 20th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Ole L. Ottum and Lottie Ottum, his wife, mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 23rd day of November, 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1914, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 132, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-one and 89-100 Dollars ($1331.89) as follows: The sum of $885.02 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $446.87 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West Half (W½) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1331.89, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 14th, 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of Jon Jonsson Baner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonsson Baner, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Britta Baner, Edgar Ostby, Hilmer Ostby, Hans Baner, John Baner, Carrie Ecklund, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent: The petition of John Baner having been filed in this Court, representing that Jon Jonsson Baner, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 13th day of July, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Hans Baner, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 19th day of December, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
D-22-29-J-5

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Charles Palmer, a widower, Mortgagor, to the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of August, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of September, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 471.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-two (22) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging; such sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, and interest from date hereof, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 13th, 1921.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anders L. Kjos, a single man, Mortgagor, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of March, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1918, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages on page 307; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay one installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $30.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $1,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on March 29, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $30.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereupon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $78.25, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½NW¼), Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼SW¼), of Section Thirty-six (36), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $78.25, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Ole T. Bratland and Tilda Bratland, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of January, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 424; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay an installment in the sum of $45.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $165.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $3,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $135.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $345.35, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots One (1), and Two (2), and the South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North of Range Forty (40), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $345.35, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration.

Estate of J. A. Blomberg.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. A. Blomberg, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Anna Blomberg, Anna Peterson, Svea Blomberg, Herman Blomberg, Hjalmar Blomberg, Thure Blomberg, Elmer Blomberg, Edward Blomberg, all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Anna Blomberg having been filed in this Court representing that J. A. Blomberg, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 5th day of November, 1921, and praying that letters of administration of his estate be granted to Anna Blomberg, and the Court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1922, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 12th day of December, 1921.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
D-15-22-29

Notice for Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, up to 3 o'clock P. M. on January 3, 1922, for the publication of the Notice and the Delinquent Tax List for 1921, and for the Financial Statement and for all legal publications for Pennington County, Minnesota, for the year 1922.

The County Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn., December 14, 1921.

County Board for Pennington County,
By T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.
D-15-22-29

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anton Knudson and Ada Knudson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of September, 1920, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 454; which Mortgage was also recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of November, 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 100 of Mortgages, on Page 50; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay two installments in the sum of $80.00 each, which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and on December 1, 1921, respectively, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $6,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon said prior Mortgage, which became due and payable on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, the said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1920, pay such interest on such prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1920, and did on December 2, 1921, pay said interest on said prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has declared and does hereby declare the whole principal sum remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $270.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $1153.50, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Southeast Quarter (SE¼), of Section Ten (10), Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼) of Section Fourteen (14), Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼NE¼), of Section Fifteen (15), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota; also the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼), of Section Eleven (11), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1153.50 and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seven Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-six and 29-100 ($7396.29) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of December, 1916, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 262.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) by written assignment dated the 5th day of January, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 12th day of January, 1917, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 50 of Mortgages, on page 311,

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 10th day of December, 1921, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages, on page 612, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $7396.29, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 10th, A. D. 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Louis Lon, a single man, mortgagor, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 4th, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of February, 1918, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 63 of Mortgages, on Page 570.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $54.00 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $75.90, a total of $130.86 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are to-wit:

The North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N½SW¼) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼SW¼) and Lot No. Five (5) of Section No. Four (4) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 4th day of December, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.
L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Knute Donaldson Dahle and Olga Donaldson Dahle, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 28th day of July, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of August, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "58" of Mortgages, page 321, and which mortgage was thereafter and on the 11th day of September, 1917, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, by written assignment dated on said 11th day of September, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 12th day of September, 1917, at 1:10 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "56" of Mortgages, on page 434, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 25th day of November, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages, on page 604, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred ($1,700.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, and,

Whereas, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of said principal sum, or any part thereof, or interest on said note, or any part thereof when the same should become due and payable, and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be declared to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid the interest on said note maturing and becoming due on the 28th day of July, 1921, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest is by said assignee of said mortgagee, deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-seven and 16-100 ($1,827.16) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinafter described, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

East half of the Southwest quarter (E½-SW¼) and South half of the Northwest quarter (S½-NW¼) Section Twenty-two (22) Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorneys' fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 1st, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-three and no-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. S. Brown and May Brown, his wife, mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1920, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on Page 37, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5) and Nine (9), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Four and 40-100 (104.40) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1,983.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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GET READY FOR QUESTIONS ON INCOME REPORT

Taxpayer Advised to Lose No Time in Making Compilations For Collector.

All Persons With Income of More Than $5,000 Must File Report This Year.

Study of Questions at This Time Will Save Delay and Error at Later Date.

With the approach of the period for filing income tax returns—Jan. 1 to March 15, 1922—taxpayers are advised to lose no time in the compilation of their accounts for the year 1921. A new and improtant provision of the Revenue Act of 1921 is that every person whose gross income for 1921 was $5,000 or over shall file a return, regardless of the amount of net income upon which the tax is assessed. Returns are required of every single person whose net income was $1,000 or over and every married person living with husband or wife whose net income was $2,000 or over. Widows and widowers and persons separated or divorced from husband or wife, are regarded as single persons.

Net income is gross income, less certain deductions for business expenses, losses, taxes, etc. Gross income includes practically all income received by the taxpayer during the year; in the case of the wage earner, salaries, wages bonuses and commissions; in the case of professional men all amounts received for professional services; in the cases of farmers all profits from the sale of farm products, and rental or sale of land.

In making an income tax return for the year 1921, every taxpayer should present to himself the following questions:

What were your profits from your business, trade, profession or vocation?

Did you receive any interest on bank deposits?

Have you any property from which you receive rent?

Did you receive any income in the form of dividend or interest from stocks or bonds?

Did you receive any bonuses during the year?

Did you make any profit on the sale of stocks, bonds or other property, real or personal?

Did you act as a broker in any transaction from which you received commissions?

Are you interested in any partnership or other firm from which you received any income?

Have you any income from royalties or patents?

Have you any minor children who are working?

Do you appropriate, or have the right to appropriate, the earnings of such children? If so, the amount must be included in the return of income.

Has your wife any income from any source whatever? If so, it must be included in your return of income.

Did you receive any directors' fees or trustees' fees in the course of the year?

Did you hold any office in a benefit society from which you receive income?

Answers to all of these questions are necessary to determine whether a person has an income sufficiently large to require that a return be filed and may be the means of avoiding the heavy penalties imposed for failure to do so within the time prescribed.

HICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Sughroe

And He Just Hates Salt Mackerel

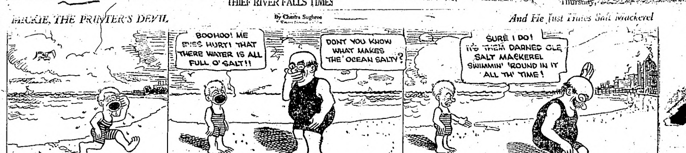
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DON'T YOU KNOW WHAT MAKES THE OCEAN SALTY?
SURE I DO! IT'S THEM DARNED OLE SALT MACKEREL SWIMMIN' 'ROUND IN IT ALL TH' TIME!
CHARLES SUGHROE
ATLANTIC CITY

Loken Applies Unique Feature to 9 Cent Sale

Loken Brothers are this week springing something new in the way of bargain offerings. They propose to sell every third yard, package or other article at a uniform price of nine cents. It does not matter what the price happens to be or the nature of the goods bought—the third piece or cut will cost nine cents. For instance if you bought three 25 cent articles in the store, the first two would cost the regular price but the third would cost 9 cents, making the total for the three 59 cents instead of 75 cents. The same system of figuring applies on goods of a higher price. The third article goes for 9 cents, which means that three $3 articles of any one kind will cost $6.09. The higher you go the greater the reduction.

This unique sale open Friday, Dec. 30, and continues for seven days only.

FARMERS WIN ON RATE REDUCTIONS

Roads Defeated in Their Attempt to Block Reductions on Hay and Grain.

Organized farmers won another victory in their fight for lower freight rates on agricultural products, when the Interstate Commerce commission refused to reopen hearings on grain and hay tariffs, according to farm bureau officials.

The railroads, after offering to reduce rates on all farm products ten per cent for six months, objected to the commission's previous order, directing the roads to cut rates on wheat, hay and coarse grain by Dec. 27.

The commission has reaffirmed its order, and only an appeal to the courts, it is said, can prevent enforcement of the rate reductions. The order directs that rates on wheat and hay be cut to half as much as they were increased in August, 1921, and that rates on coarse grains be set ten per cent lower than the new rates on wheat. In the northwest it is estimated that this reduction amounts to approximately 17½ per cent.

Rate experts predict that this reduction will mean an actual saving of $50,000,000 to American farmers in the next 12 months. The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation presented evidence in the hearings before the commission and vigorously demanded the reductions which have just been ordered.

FOLWELL'S HISTORY OF EARLY DAYS IN STATE IS MOST INTERESTING

Issued By Minnesota Historical Society and Obtainable Through Membership in That Organization Only—Other Volumes to Follow.

The first volume of "A History of Minnesota," by William Watts Folwell, is being sent out by the Minnesota Historical society. The book is obtainable only through membership in that organization and only as long as the supply lasts. Such membership costs $2 per year and the book an additional $2. Future volumes of the work will be sent to members without extra charge.

The history is without question the most interesting and thorough work dealing with early times of the state ever produced. The writer was for seventy years closely identified with the progress of the North Star state and no man has had better access to the many sources of information necessary in compiling an authentic history. The section devoted to the early French explorations, activities of the fur traders and Indian outbreaks are alone worth many times the price of the book.

According to Dr. Folwell's history, Beltrami was not the first white man to visit the spot now occupied by Thief River Falls, in spite of the generally accepted belief that such was the case. The honor, says the author, should go to David Thompson, a surveyor and astronomer in the employ of the Northwest company. In the year 1797 this intrepid pioneer explored the valleys of the Assiniboine and Saskatchewan rives and visited the villages of the Mandan on the Missouri river. He returned by way of the Assiniboine and reached the junction of the Red river on March 7, 1798, whence he made his way to Red lake and Turtle lake, which he assumed to be the northern source of the Mississippi.

It was in 1823, twenty-six years after Thompson's visit, that Beltrami traversed the same section. The latter was a member of Major Long's party of explorers, but left his companions at Pembina and struck out alone in a southeasterly direction, where he believed the Mississippi had its source. His Indian guides deserted him somewhere on the Red Lake river. He could not paddle the canoe containing his belongings and was obliged to tow it upstream by the painter until he met with a Chippewa whom he induced to navigate it for him to Red lake. After resting up for awhile he continued his explorations and found a stream emptying into the lake on the south shore which he believed to be the source of the Red or Bloody river and which is now marked Mud creek on the maps.

Anyone desiring to secure this and future volumes of the work can get full particulars by addressing the Minnesota Historical society at St. Paul.

HOGS AND SHEEP HIGHER FOR WEEK

Uneven Advances Scored During Past Week—Lambs Up to $10.35, Hogs $7.25.

South St. Paul: Hogs and sheep have scored uneven advances during the past week under the influence of light receipts and a fairly healthy shipping demand. Bulk of good butcher hogs today, $7.00, choice light sorts $7.25, heavy packers $5.75 to $6.00, being 25 to 50c higher than a week ago. Lambs and yearling wethers are closing 50c to 75c higher, sheep strong to 50c up. Good and choice fat lambs $9.75 to $10.35, fat ewes $3.50 to $4.50, yearling wethers $7.50 to $9.50.

Although cattle receipts have been light, demand has been even lighter due largely to an increased consumption of poultry which is usual during the winter holiday season and this has sharply lessened the demand for dressed beef, which has been reflected in the live markets, most beef steers and butcher she stock showing losses of 25c to 50c during the past week. A few yearlings sold at the close from $6.50 to $8.00, with bulk of beef steers going at $4.75 to $6.00, very few higher.

Butcher cows and heifers sold at the finish largely from $3.00 to $4.75, with a very few of the better offerings going at $5.00 to $5.50 or somewhat higher. Canners and cutters have shown some strength due largely to demand from the country for some thin cows for feeding purposes and these are mostly 25c higher than last week, bulk selling at $2.00 to $2.75, a few cutters at $3.00. Bologna bulls closed at $2.50 to $3.25. Veal calf prices established a new low mark for the year on Thursday when bulk of best lights sold at $6.00. The market rallied 50c on Friday but is still $1.50 below a week ago. Better grades of stockers and feeders have held up well this week, closing steady to 25c lower, with common and medium grades 25c to 50c lower. Bulk of sales at the close ranged from $4.00 to $5.00, with some few good to choice grades $5.25 to $5.50, strictly choice being up to around $6.00.

Notice.

Bids for putting up ice for the Thief River Falls creamery will be received on or before Jan. 6. For specifications apply to secretary of creamery.

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TIMES IS NAMED OFFICIAL PAPER FOR NEXT YEAR

Designated By Board as Publication in Which All County Notices Shall Appear.

Oscar J. Peterson, Fifth District, Elected Chairman For Fifth Time.

Standing Committees and Appointees Remain Same as During Past Year.

The Thief River Falls Times was on Tuesday unanimously selected by the commissioners of Pennington county as the newspaper in which are to appear all notices required by law to be published during the coming year. This means that The Times will publish the delinquent tax list, annual financial statement of the county, proceedings of all commissioners' meetings, personal property tax list, and all other notices of whatsoever nature. Supplements of the tax lists and statement will be furnished the other papers in the county thus providing for the most thorough circulation possible among the taxpayers.

Salaries Are Fixed.

Oscar J. Peterson, commissioner from the Fift district, was re-elected chairman of the board, thus beginning his fifth term in that position. Commissioner J. S. Roy was re-elected vice chairman and all standing committees were re-appointed. Dr. A. W. Swedenburg retains his post as chairman of the county board of health. Paul Midderigh was again named court house custodian.

Salaries of county officials remain as in the past, with one exception. The superintendent of schools will receive $1440 per year, sheriff $1320, county attorney $1200, highway engineer $2100, and custodian $720.

Small Amount of Routine.

Outside of the work regularly attended to at the first meeting in the year not many matters of importance came before the board. It was decided to levy $6,000 for a sinking fund with which to retire county bonds as these come due. All banks in the county were named depositories for public funds. Three school districts applied for permission to make boundary changes. The bond of the Pennington County Abstract company was approved.

Augustana Church Eelects Officers For the New Year

The annual meeting of the Evangelical Lutheran Augustana church congregation was held on Monday evening and the following officers elected: O. A. Naplin and E. Swanson, trustees; Rev. Albin A. Larson, superintendent of Sunday school; Miss Tillie Sundahl, assistant superintendent. By a large majority the congregation endorsed the conference decision on accepting the Northwestern and North Star colleges as conference schools. A resolution was passed changing the name from the First Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church to the Evangelical Lutheran Augustana church.

The reports of officers showed that steady progress has been made during the past year and that the financial condition of the congregation is very good.

Nearly $5,000 Received as Federal Highway Aid

A check for $4,893.89 was on Saturday received by County Treasurer John Gullingsrud as partial payment of federal aid due on project No. 88, which is the official title of the St. Hilaire-Hazel highway. This is the amount due for the construction work only, there being a balance of about $3,000 still coming for graveling.

HELP FOR RUSSIA'S SUFFERING HORDES URGENTLY NEEDED

No Drive to Be Made in County But Voluntary Contributions Are Requested.

Volunteer contributions toward the fund for relief of the starving in Russia will be asked of the people in Pennington county. The committee appointed by Gov. Preus to have charge of a campaign in the county informed the governor that it would be a hard matter to raise any considerable sum here at this time through a general drive and he has asked Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman, to give publicity to the movement and assist in getting the subject before the people in order that those who feel able may assist in such manner as they see fit. Other members of the committee are G. Howard Smith, H. S. Dahlen, John Bratrud, Ben Rosendahl, Mrs. Ernest Richards, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, all of Thief River Falls, and Hans Anton of St. Hilaire.

There is no escaping the fact that this is one of the most urgent calls ever made upon the American people. Fifteen millions of people reside in the area affected in Russia and their plight is desperate. Unless relief reaches them at once starvation must be their lot and but little aid can be expected from other countries. The distribution of relief supplies is in the hands of the American Friends service committee and much good work is being accomplished. The great trouble is a lack of funds. Flour, milk, vegetables, oils, clothing and medicines are greatly needed. Every dollar and every article donated for relief goes directly to the committee for distribution, the expenses of transportation and administration being raised separately.

Every community in the state has been asked to contribute toward this fund and the response thus far has been most gratifying. No specific figure has been set as the amount to be raised in Pennington county but it is hoped that everyone will do the best they can. The contributions may be turned in to Mrs. Bishop, given to any member of the committee or sent to state headquarters, 307 Lincoln Bank building, Minneapolis.

CITY AUTHORITIES GETTING READY TO CURB SPEED FIEND

Motorcycle Police, 15-Mile Limit and Stiff Fines Provided By Ordinance.

When the sunshine of the gentle spring time shall have removed the present covering of snow from the paved streets of Thief River Falls, the speed fiend will be in his glory. He will also be in considerable trouble unless he manages to curb his inclination to see how fast his machine is capable of running. There will be about two miles of streets forming a most inviting speedway and the temptation to step on 'er will be well nigh overpowering. To do so, however, will not only be unpopular and dangerous, but may prove a rather expensive proceeding.

At the next meeting of the council, which will be held on Jan. 10, there will be introduced an ordinance intended to discourage those who disregard their own safety and that of others by driving through the city streets with the speed of a fire truck answering a general alarm. Fifteen miles per hour is the limit under state law at the present time and this will be the maximum allowed by the new ordinance. Anyone who finds it impossible to hold his speed down to this point will be subject to a fine of $12 for the first offense, $26 for the second and $50 for the third. Should this treatment fail to check the culprit's enthusiasm he will probably be hanged as a confirmed criminal.

A motorcycle cop whose duty it will be to run down all offenders is to be authorized by the council. Municipal Judge N. W. Tarrant promises to be either frozen or hard boiled as the facts in the case seem to warrant and says that anyone who violates this ordinance need not look to him for sympathy.

A MILLION SERVED BY FARM BUREAUS DURING PAST YEAR

Minnesota Membership Grows From 26,000 in 1918 to 49,000 at This Time.

A total of 1,001,090 persons were served in various ways during 1921 by county agents and other farm bureau and agricultural extension service workers of the University of Minnesota, according to the annual report of Frank E. Balmer, University farm, state county agent leader, and assistant leaders F. J. Brown, S. B. Cleland, W. J. Corwin and W. E. Morris, each of the leaders having charge of about 20 counties. Of this number771,690 attended 17,764 meetings during the year. In addition 33,163 farm visits were made, 116,442 office calls were taken care of, 15,560 field interviews took place and 64,295 telephone calls were answered. Many of these, Mr. Balmer explains, were duplicated, but assuming that some of the items, meetings for example, were duplicated ten times, it would still represent a high degree of contact with the county agents and their people.

Membership in county farm bureaus has grown from 26,136 in 1918 to 30,516 in 1919, 46,299 in 1920 and 48,909 in 1921, the report discloses. Of 78 counties, 56 have adopted the continuous $5 a year family membership plan.

Important service was rendered in supplying improved seed to farmers. Improved seed corn was secured by 729 co-operating farmers in 44 counties amounting to 12,701 bushels; improved seed oats by 219 farmers involving 5,498 bushels in 25 counties and improved seed potatoes by 1,315 farmers involving 33,875 bushels in 40 counties.

Although the cost of the county agricultural agent service as jointly maintained by the United States department of agricultural, state extension service, county commissioners and farm bureaus for the year ending June 30, 1921, was $362,619.47, the profits which resulted from the demonstration work only of the county agents for the year ending Nov. 30, 1921, amounted to $581,231.33, a little more than one and one-half times the annual cost of the agents' work, Mr. Balmer asserts.

PREDICTS PANIC IF FARM PRICES ARE NOT RAISED

President Howard of Farm Bureau Federation Demands Immediate Adjustment.

Products of Agriculture Must Come Up or Others Come Down Proportionately.

Denies Senator LaFollette's Charges of Collusion With Other Interests.

Farm prices must come up to meet the level of other commodities or other commodities must come down to the level of farm prices in a relatively short time or America will be in the throes of such a panic as has never been dreamed of, J. R. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, said last week before the *annual convention of the* state federation in session at Fargo. Mr. Howard declared that the hope of American agriculture lay in perfecting farmer-owned and controlled co-operative marketing machinery and insisted that agricultural organizations must drop petty jealousies and work together for the common good of the farmer and the consuming public.

Denies Charges.

Answering charges by Senator LaFollette that he and other leaders of farm organizations had been in secret conference with representatives of the railroads and steel, lumber and coal interests and that an agreement had been reached at the conference, Mr. Howard said:

"There was no secret conference. We did have a conference but there was nothing that could in any way be construed as collusion. Statements were given out absolutely covering everything that was done at the conference."

Mr. Howard announced that he had prepared an open letter to Senator LaFollette covering every detail of the conference and said the letter would be made public at the office of the American Farm Bureau federation.

Letter Made Public.

Flat denial of charges that the American Farm Bureau federation, in secret conference with railroad officials, had entered into an agreement not to fight for the repeal of the guarantee clauses of the Esch-Cummins act is made by Mr. Howard in a letter to Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin, who made the charges early last week.

Senator LaFollette, in a public statement, claimed that at a "secret meeting" on Dec. 9 representatives of the Farm Bureau, the Grange and the railroads, and certain business interests, entered into an agreement for a "truce" in the Farm Bureau's fight in the drastic freight rates reduction and for the immediate repeal of all legislation guaranteeing railroads a fixed return on their valuation.

Crookston Defeats Fargo

In a sensational basketball game last Thursday evening the Crookston team defeated Fargo Y. M. C. A., on the floor of the latter by a score of 20 to 18. Crookston came out from behind a 14 to 6 score in Fargo's favor in the first half and played the opposition off its feet in the second session. A record-breaking crowd witnessed the contest.

The Legion Dance

One of the most enjoyable dancing parties of the year provided a fitting close for American Legion social activities on Friday night. There was an unusually large attendance and the affair was one of the most enjoyable ever given by the former service men's organization. Snyder's Orchestra furnished the music, which was of a very high order.

UNCLE SAM PLACES MINNESOTA SECOND

Bulletin Places State in Honor Rank For Long Mileage of Federal Aid Roads.

Minnesota's mileage of good roads built or contracted for improvement under federal aid regulations is rated second only to that of Texas in a bulletin issued this week by the government bureau of public roads. The report covers the last five years but a big part of Minnesota's favorable showing was accomplished under the Babcock plan inaugurated last May.

The total for this state was 1,713.4 miles at an average cost of $10,219.33 per mile. Roads listed, however, include all the paved highways and others on which costly betterments were made, so the average will not apply to Minnesota road costs in general.

Texas tops the list with 2,485.7 miles of federal aid roads built in the five-year period covered by this report. Iowa is listed with 1,509.2 miles; North Dakota 999.5; Wisconsin 980.1; Montana 680.3, and South Dakota 676.7 miles.

The government gave $6,947,373.63 toward the total cost of $17,509,911 of the Minnesota roads enumerated. Engineers added that under the Babcock plan by which automobile owners of the three large cities contribute more than 40 per cent of the tax funds, Minnesota farmers are paying less than half the cost of improving and maintaining the primary road system in the state.

The bulletin adds that since July 1, 1916, a total of 28,315 miles of roads have been built at a cost of $496,161,683.43. Cost averages are $8,115 a mile for graded and drained highways; $8,250 for sand-clay; $10,400 for gravel, $30,350 for concrete, and $49,570 for brick. Minnesota costs were lower on the average, even during the war period.

Gummer to Be Tried at Valley City, N. D., Jan. 17

The trial of William Gummer, under indictment in Cass county, N. D., for the murder of Miss Mary Wick of Grygla on June 6, will open at Valley City on Jan. 17, a change of venue having been granted.

Miss Wick was murdered at the Prescott hotel, Fargo, the crime being one of the most brutal in the annals of North Dakota. Suspicion pointed to Gummer, who was night clerk at the hotel at the time, and he was indicted by the grand jury after a preliminary hearing lasting three days.

TWO-GAME SERIES WITH EXCELSIOR IS NEXT ON PROGRAM

Favorites Among Last Year's Opponents Play Here Friday and Saturday Nights.

Naturally no one wishes to see the Thief River Falls basketball team defeated, but if the bunch which all through last season and thus far this year has proven itself invincible must go down before some other outfit, the probabilities are that the fans here would rather have the Excelsior team turn the trick than any other aggregation. The Hennepin county players last season gave the Thief River team the stiffest fight in its history, and while defeated, became strong favorites with our people because of the clean, consistent and at times brilliant game they put up.

Excelsior comes again for a series of two games, to be played on Friday and Saturday nights. Reports are to the effect that the visitors will be stronger than ever, one or two of the players who were members of the team two seasons ago, when they carried off the state championship, being again in the lineup.

Coach G. W. Connell is giving his proteges a particularly stiff course of preparation for this battle. Plummer and Carlson will be in the forward positions, Brown and Holzknecht at guard and Hadrath center. Kiland and Penney will be in reserve in case they are needed—and it is probable they will be as the Excelsiors are both big and fast. The games will be called at 8:15 and those wishing a seat had better be on hand early.

Ambrose Zeh, Ex-Soldier, Buried Here on Monday

The funeral of Ambrose Zeh, the former service man who died at the government hospital at San Diego, Cal., last week of tuberculosis, was held from the Catholic church in this city on Monday, Rev. M. J. Noesen officiating. Interment was made at the Catholic cemetery.

The church was filled with friends of the family and former associates of the dead soldier, who was born and raised in this city. About 30 members of Elmer J. Eklund post formed a military escort for the body, which was placed on an improvised artillery caisson drawn by four horses. The casket was covered by the American flag. Commander Oscar Paulson of Eklund post was in charge of the infantry division of the escort while the artillery section was commanded by J. J. McCann. A large concourse of friends and neighbors accompanied the body to its last resting place, where the last rites of the church were performed and taps sounded by the post bugler.

Holiday Arrivals.

Following are the births reported in Thief River Falls and vicinity during the past week: Mr. and Mrs. Axel Aander, girl, Jan. 3; Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bakke, girl, Dec. 27; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Liden, boy, Dec. 26; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Holland, girl, Dec. 29; Mr. and Mrs. A. Bailey, girl, Dec. 25; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Elofson, girl, Dec. 29.

Automobile Registration Must Be Made By Feb. 1

The 1922 motor vehicle registration began Jan. 2. The registration must be made and the tax paid before Jan. 31 and the registrar is given three months in which to issue the number plates.

A motor vehicle owner whose application for registration has been approved by the registrar, and to whom the registrar has issued a receipt for the payment of the 1922 tax, may operate his motor vehicle bearing the 1921 registration plate until such time as the registrar can issue the 1922 plates, but not after March 31. After March 31 no motor vehicle may be operated on the public streets and highways without displaying a regular 1922 number plate issued for that particular vehicle.

TO HOLD 2-DAY FARM INSTITUTE IN THIS COUNTY

Principal Topic For Discussion at Both Meetings Will Be Farm Management.

More Economical Feeding of Livestock to Engage Attention of Instructors.

J. H. Hay, Assistant Commissioner of Agriculture, Will Be Principal Speaker.

A farm management school for Pennington county will be held in Thief River Falls on Friday, Jan. 13, in the Commercial club rooms. The morning session will start at 10:30 and the afternoon meeting at 1:30.

The program for this institute deals with the business side of farming, placing special emphasis on the *keeping of farm records*, milk testing associations, more economical feeding of dairy cattle and other live stock raised in this part of the state. J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, will be present for the purpose of giving a talk on general agricultural conditions. Wm. L. Cavert, who is farm management demonstrator for the University of Minnesota, will conduct the school and will be ready to give assistance or advice on the farming problems of today.

G. Halvorson of Thief River Falls will present his resolution which offers a solution for better marketing for farm produce in helping to stabilize the price throughout the country as a whole.

This school will also be conducted at Goodridge on Saturday, Jan. 14, with the same program presented during a morning and afternoon session, which will be held at the school house.

Formal Opening of Knox School on Friday the 13th

School board members are particularly desirous of having a good turnout at the public opening of the new Knox building on the East side Friday evening, Jan. 13. This is the "hoodoo date" but the fact is not expected to prove any drawback. Everyone who can possibly do so will wish to view this fine school building and for this reason minor children are asked not to come on this particular evening.

J. H. Hay, former superintendent of the city schools and now assistant commissioner of agriculture, will deliver the principal address, the program for the evening being as follows:

Music, High School orchestra.
Address of Welcome, Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president of school board.
Presentation of building by contractor to architect, W. W. Prichard, Jr.
Presentation of building by architect to school board, A. D. Dunham.
Short address, Supt. I. T. Simley.
Music, High School Glee club.
Address, J. H. Hay.
Music, High School orchestra.
"America," audience.

GRAND FORKS GOES DOWN BEFORE FAST THIEF RIVER TEAM

Improvement Over First Showing is Marked—Good Games in Sight For Future.

In a fast, snappy game on Thursday evening the Thief River Falls Athletics defeated the Grand Forks basketball team by a score of 44 to 28. The improvement in the local team since the first game a week previous was very marked and there is no longer any doubt but that the boys will get back into last season's form in a very short time. Not only was their success in connecting with the basket such as to raise high hopes in the breasts of enthusiasts, but their defensive work showed to much better advantage than in the first game.

Grand Forks started off in whirlwind style, securing two baskets during the first few minutes of play. It was demonstrated that every man on the team was to be feared and the locals buckled down to put in their best licks in opposition. Brodie, right forward for the visitors, was the premier basket shooter for the enemy, securing seven during the session, while on the Thief River Falls side Plummer, left forward, carried off the honors, garnering ten. In the first half Carlson and Brown for the locals secured two each and the former landed one free throw and missed another—something unusual for him. Hadrath and Holzknecht made a basket apiece.

On the visitors' side Patton, next to Brodie, was most successful in garnering goals, making two in the first half and one in the second, to which he added two free baskets. Harris, guard, was the only other Flickertail player to score during the half. Hadrath for the home team landed twice during the second session and Kiland, who was sent in for him during the last ten minutes of play, made another.

Patton for Grand Forks made a field basket and one free throw in the second round, missing one free throw. Harris connected with two.

The game was one of the cleanest ever seen on a Thief River Falls floor, there being but four personal fouls called—two against each side—and but two technicals, the teams being charged with one apiece. Perry Johnson officiated as referee to the satisfaction of all concerned. Guy Johnson was timekeeper and George Mostue scorer. The attendance was much better than at the first game and indicates that there will be no fault to find on the score of support if the right kind of basketball is forthcoming.

Coach G. W. Connell has a number of games scheduled for the near future, among the teams expected here during January and February being Two Harbors and Crookston. Definite dates for these games have not yet been announced.

NURSES' QUARTERS AT OAKLAND PARK INSPECTED TODAY

Finest Building of Its Kind in This Region Awaits Commission's Approval.

Members of the Oakland Park Sanatorium commission will meet today for the purpose of formally accepting the new nurses' home and administration building.

The structure is of brick, 30x70 feet, built in the colonial style. Including the basement, the floor of which is only four or five feet below the surface, the building is three stories high. The lower story will contain the maids' quarters while the second and third will be devoted to nurses' accommodations and living quarters for the resident staff. There are ten bed rooms and a large living room for the exclusive use of nurses and maids. Private suites are provided for the medical director and superintendent.

Heating will be provided through a connection with the plant in the main building, this part of the equipment having been installed by Ed. Lee of this city. Sund & Dunham of Minneapolis are the architects in charge, and A. E. Rydlum of Minneapolis the general contractor. The Arntsen Electrical company, also of Minneapolis, furnished the electrical fixtures, and the installation was made by E. W. Wheeler of Red Lake Falls.

The new building is one of the finest of its kind in the entire state. Its erection was made necessary by the demands upon the room in the main hospital by tubercular patients from the four counties comprising the district—Pennington, Marshall, Red Lake and Roseau. Providing accommodations for the nurses and other employes, as well as removing the administrative offices to the new addition, will increase the capacity of the sanatorium building by at least one-third. The institution has made a wonderful record since it was opened to the public and the new arrangement will permit of its becoming of even greater value. The affairs of the district are in the hands of a commission composed of Dr. O. F. Mellby, chairman, Thief River Falls; O. Gigstad, St. Hilaire; P. O. Myhrum, Thief River Falls; Louis Edstrom, Roseau; V. A. Branda, Greenbush; Don Robertson, Argyle; Eric Modine, Middle River; Dr. N. M. Watson and Ole Lee, Red Lake Falls.

Accidentally Shot

David Evenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson, is at the Physicians hospital suffering from the effects of a gun shot wound. He went out on a skiing trip yesterday and carried a small rifle with him. In some manner the gun was accidentally discharged, the bullet entering his arm above the elbow and lodging in the bone. The fingers of his hand seem to be partially paralyzed and it is feared that he may have sustained a permanent injury.

Athletic Club Organized With Dr. Penney as Head

The Thief River Falls Athletic club was formally organized on Friday evening by the election of officers and adoption of a policy for the guidance of the basketball team and such other organizations as may hereafter be included in the list to be sponsored. Dr. C. A. Penney was elected president; W. J. LaBree, vice president; and F. H. Herrick, secretary-treasurer. G. W. Connell was made manager of the basketball team and will also continue to serve as coach. Irvin Carlson has been chosen captain by the team members.

The officers elected at this meeting will serve in an advisory capacity and have general supervision over the activities of the club. This step was deemed advisable inasmuch as the citizens are footing a considerable share of the expenses through voluntary donations.

Crookston Meets Defeat.

In the basketball game played at Crookston on Monday night between the Legion team of that city and the Stephen quintet, the latter was victorious by a score of 27 to 21. Crookston had the best of it during the first half, but the visitors from the north came back strong in the last session and more than wiped out the lead. Two college players, home for the holidays, are said to have been in the Stephen lineup.

COUNTY BEGINS NEW YEAR WITH GOOD BALANCE

Twenty Thousand Dollars More in the Treasury Than on January 1, 1921.

Total Paid Out For All Purposes During Past 12 Months Was Over $600,000.

Schools Head List in Costs, Followed By Municipalities and Highways.

Pennington county last year received from all sources a total of $628,112.06 and starts out the new year with a balance in the treasury of $61,795.23. This is about $20,000 more than the sum on hand on Jan. 1, 1921, when the amount was $41,412.16.

According to these figures the total paid out for all purposes in the county during the year was $607,728.99. Of this amount $39,326.56 came out of the revenue fund which provides for the general running expenses of the county. All salaries, court expenses, sheriff's office costs, mothers' pensions, bounties of all kinds, and all items connected with the operation of the county's business are charged against this fund.

Roads and bridges during the year were responsible for an expenditure of $76,660.31. The school districts were paid a total of $184,440.93, and the towns and villages came in for $94,839.12. The ditch fund was drawn on to the amount of $163,865.30 while the amount of the warrants issued against the state revenue and school fund was $30,388.43. Miscellaneous expenses, in which are included the maintaining of the sanitorium, footed up $10,936.37.

Detailed Expenses.

Salaries of county officers totaled $15,846.65 for the year. Fees paid in municipal court cases accounted for an expenditure of $217.46 and there was $516 paid out in wolf bounties. The trial and transportation of insanity cases cost the taxpayers $408.39. The agricultural agent cost the county $820.28 and expenses of the superintendent of schools footed up $677.80. Wood inspectors' salaries totaled $670.17.

County commissioners received $78.90 as mileage for traveling to and from meetings of the board, while the mileage and fees for witnesses in state cases before the district court totaled $103.08. Jury costs were very light, the grand jurors receiving $392.52 and the petit jurors $162.29.

Mothers' pensions amounted to $2,550, and expenses of the child welfare board to $145.31. Crow and gopher bounties aggregating $245.23 were paid.

HEALTH OF CHILD FORMS SUBJECT AT NEXT P-T MEETING

Fine Program Arranged For Parent-Teachers' Session on Monday Evening.

The next meeting of the Parent-Teacher association will be held Tuesday evening, Jan. 10, in the high school auditorium. The program will start promptly at 8 o'clock. At the close a lunch will be served.

More attention is and ought to be given today throughout the country to the physical development and the health of the child than has been common practice heretofore. One of the very first requisites for a useful and successful life is good health. It is fitting, therefore, that this question be given attention by the parents and teachers of Thief River Falls. Consequently the general theme of this program will be the child's health. Master Henry Arneson, accompanied by his sister, Eileen, will play a violin solo, while a male quartette consisting of Dr. Nesse, Dr. Vistaunet, Supt. I. T. Simley and E. M. [illegible] will appear in one number. Supt. Simley will present some facts and figures in regard to the city schools which ought to prove of interest to every patron. Dr. Milan has kindly consented to speak on "The Child's Health." The school nurse, Miss Ruth Johnson, and Mr. Stenhoff and Miss Baumann, physical directors, will speak briefly of the work done in their departments.

Elks Meeting Friday Night.

A regular meeting of the Elks lodge will be held on Friday evening and as there is a considerable amount of important business coming up for discussion it is desired that there be a large attendance. Final reports of the committees in charge of Christmas activities will be submitted and there are a number of communications from grand lodge officers to be considered, according to Exalted Ruler Protzeller. Arrangements for the initiation of a class in the near future will be discussed. The meeting will convene immediately after the Thief River-Excelsior basketball game.

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Where the Churn Brings a Flow of Gold

(Earl Christmas in Henry Ford's Dearborn Independent.)

For a good many years Minnesota has called itself the "bread and butter state." With an extensive grain industry, the state has produced for a considerable period more butter than any other state in the union.

Every year Minnesota makes more butter than all of Canada. It contributes approximately a seventh of the nation's output of creamery butter. Each year a golden stream of money flows into the pockets of Minnesota farmers, who are engaged in buttering a very extensive portion of the country's bread. In 1920, creameries of the state turned out 139,000,000 pounds of butter, yielding a revenue of approximately $80,000,000, most of which went into the pockets of the men who milked the cows.

Butter making is almost a traditional enterprise in Minnesota. For years it has been a highly developed art. Minnesota has won so many prizes for butter making that the winning of a prize has become a matter of course. Out of 18 national competitions between the states, 16 have gone to the creameries of Minnesota.

But Minnesota soon must revise that title of the "bread and butter state." There will be more butter than bread on its map. Even now, the dairy cow represents the biggest industry of the state, and yearly she is extending her conquest more and more into the grain-farming sections and into the cut-over lands of the north. The value of dairy products in Minnesota in 1920 was more than $200,000,000, according to a recent compilation made by the State Dairy and Food Commission. That exceeds in value by a wide margin the output of the iron mines in this greatest of iron-producing states. It equals the value of all the products of the great Minneapolis flour mills, manufactured from wheat gathered over most of the Northwest and Canada. It exceeds by $33,500,000 the combined value of the wheat, oats, corn, barley and rye in Minnesota, according to the state dairy statisticians.

Truly the humble churn of the Minnesota farm has grown into a tremendous industry.

In these days when farmers along with men in a good many other lines are worrying about reduced profits, certainly here is a subject for consideration. How has it been possible to develop this vast industry? Why is Minnesota the greatest butter-producing state? Beneath the surface of these pretentious figures there must be some reason, just as another and different set of circumstances made Wisconsin the great cheese-producing center.

So, with these questions in my mind, I went over to see Chris Heen, State Dairy and Food Commissioner. I wanted to know why Minnesota makes so much butter. Surely in the development of this tremendous industry there would be a lesson for farmers in other states. And then I had another question to ask. I wanted to know how the butter farmer is faring in these days of reduced prices.

Mr. Heen motioned me to a chair, and I asked the last question first.

"Take the dairy section of the state," he said, indicating by a sweep of his hand the great central portion running diagonally across the state from the southeast to the northwest. "See how thick the dots are on this portion of the map. These dots represent creameries. There are 830 creameries in the state.

"Now, those dots measure the prosperity of Minnesota. The dairy section is the richest part of the state. In other sections that have depended chiefly on grain periods of depression are bound to occur. But this great central portion of the state finds a golden stream of money coming in for its cream the year around, regardless of financial depression or crop failures. The cow keeps on giving milk despite hard times.

"Right now, farmers in sections that have depended wholly on grain farming are almost bankrupt. This is shown by a study of bank deposits. Farmers actually can't borrow money in most of the grain sections, while the dairy farmers are as prosperous as ever.

"In another state not far from Minnesota, where weather conditions throughout the season were the same, there were 304 mortgage delinquencies listed as compared with 32 in Minnesota. Of the 304 listed in the other state, but one was a dairy farmer."

A. J. McGuire, dairy specialist of the Minnesota College of Agriculture, offered this bit of testimony:

"The farmers in the grain-farming sections are in a serious condition, while the dairy sections do not show hard times. In both town and country, in those sections where farmers are engaged in the dairy industry, the people are prosperous."

But to return to Mr. Heen:

"The advantage of the dairy industry is shown in the increasing number of men who are giving up grain farming for the cow. You know, a good many farmers have been disposed to scorn the cow because they didn't like to milk. But the attitude is changing. The farmers are finding that it is better to milk cows for real money than spend all their time on grain for smaller returns.

"Dairying got its big start in Minnesota back in the early nineties. Wheat farming had decreased the fertility of the soil, and the farmers had to adopt diversified farming. The dairy cow came to the rescue. She could eat the roughness and convert it into money. Minnesota had but 556,000 cows then. The average return was only 110 pounds of butter fat per cow. Now Minnesota has 1,395,000 cows, according to our figures, and each cow produces an average of 166 pounds of butter fat a year.

"The gross returns to the state from its cows in 1890 was but $8,700,000. Now dairy products exceed $200,000,000 in value every year. Since 1910 the production of butter in Minnesota had increased from 95,000,000 pounds to 139,000,000 pounds in 1920. The average creamery paid out to its patrons $28,000 in 1910. In 1920 the amount had jumped to more than $108,000.

"That's how fast the cow has been coming into her own in Minnesota. More and more the farmers are going into dairying. Patrons of the Minnesota creameries in 1920 totaled more than 125,000. Dairying is sweeping the state, and undoubtedly the output of creamery butter will be doubled in a few years. With the industry firmly established in Southern and Central Minnesota, the butter line is pushing rapidly northward. Even up in the Red River Valley, where the farmers have always been devoted to wheat raising, dairying is gaining a foothold.

"Settlers in the cut-over counties in the north, who have fought hard to gain a foothold by other means, are turning to the cow. Possibilities for dairying in Northern Minnesota are almost limitless. There are millions of acres of land bearing good summer range for stock. Tame grasses are bountiful, and clover grows almost like a weed. As the clearing and settlement proceeds northward, the dairy cow is following. Eventually, this will be one of the great dairy strongholds."

Mr. Heen then stopped for a moment, and that gave me an opportunity to ask him another question—why Minnesota makes so much butter?

"The state has great natural resources such as grass and clover," he said. "The climate, too, is favorable. But the chief factor in this unusual development, I should say, is the co-operative creamery. The co-operative creamery has made dairying profitable in Minnesota. In Wisconsin it was the cheese factory. But Minnesota pinned its hope on butter, and the co-operative creamery has made possible its great progress.

"Of the 830 creameries in the state 642 are co-operative. That shows how extensively the co-operative movement has grown among the dairy farmers. These co-operative creameries in 1920 made 91,000,000 pounds of butter, or approximately two-thirds of all the butter made in Minnesota. No other state can compare with this record. Only half of Wisconsin's creameries are co-operative. Iowa has but 218.

"But here is the significant thing about these Minnesota co-operative creameries. The co-operative creamery returns to the producing farmer 91.3 per cent of all the money received for butter. The independent creamery returns but 89.3 per cent, and the centralizers but 86.4 per cent.

"In addition, co-operative creameries keep up the general price level, saving the farmers thousands of dollars. The dairy commissioner of Montana told me the other day that farmers in that state received as low as 12 cents a pound for butter fat last summer. Montana has but one co-operative creamery. While farmers were getting but 12 cents for butterfat in Montana, Minnesota farmers, backed up by the bulwark of the 640 co-operative creameries, were getting 40 cents a pound or more. The average price paid the farmer for butter fat by the Minnesota creameries in 1920 was 63.3 cents a pound. The average price received for butter by the creameries was 57.1 cents a pound, the apparent discrepancy being due, of course, to the fact that not a pound of butter fat is required for a pound of butter.

"The co-operative creameries make the best butter. They take every precaution to improve their product, and have a high reputation on the markets. In fact, on the eastern markets, butter made by the Minnesota co-operative creameries commands from one-fourth to one and one-half cents a pound premium above that made by other creameries."

Mr. McGuire likewise had eloquent testimony of the results obtained through the co-operative creamery.

"During the last four years, the co-operative creamery paid on an average of seven cents a pound more for butter fat than the cream station of the centralizers," he said. "That means that every year these farmers have saved enough through their creamery to more than build and equip their plants anew. It means a saving of $15 a cow, which amounts to an enormous sum for the state as a whole.

"The co-operative creamery has made the dairy industry profitable in Minnesota. It has created an incentive for the industry. More than that, it has developed a community spirit. Business men and storekeepers, everybody in the dairy community, is back of the creamery operated by the farmers. Many towns are built and maintained largely by the dairy industry."

To see the wealth accruing to the farmers in the butter-making business, one needs but take a trip through the co-operative creameries. Expensive buildings house plants with the most modern equipment. In many Minnesota towns the co-operative creamery is the most pretentious building to be seen.

Pelican Rapids, not long ago, completed the erection of a creamery costing $125,000. Fergus Falls farmers put up another creamery, costing $100,000, with marble floors and the most modern equipment that science can provide. Creameries costing $30,000 and $40,000 are common.

Just now, the co-operative creameries are uniting in the formation of a state-wide central agency that will help the farmers improve and market their butter more effectively. Mr. McGuire, on leave of absence from the university, is aiding in the formation of this organization. Already 200 creameries have enlisted in the organization. Consignments are to be pooled to give the creameries the advantage of car lot shipments, agencies are to be established on the eastern market and steps are to be taken to advertise Minnesota co-operative butter.

The dairy industry is decidedly a growing business in Minnesota and its neighboring states. According to the 1920 census, Minnesota gained 447,070 cows, an increase of 41.1 per cent, in 10 years. This would give Minnesota 1,532,458 dairy cows. Of the 3,103,989 gain in dairy cows in the United States in the last 10 years Minnesota and Wisconsin absorbed a gain of 1,153,382 cows, or 37 per cent of the gain for the whole United States. No other section of the country can match the growth of the dairy industry in these and a few adjoining states.

Minnesota's nearest rivals in butter production are Wisconsin and Iowa. Compared to Minnesota's total of about 140,000,000 pounds, Wisconsin produces about 96,000,000 pounds and Iowa about 85,000,000 pounds. Both New York and Wisconsin exceed Minnesota in total volume of dairy products. With a great city at their doors, New York farmers sell most of their dairy product as milk. Wisconsin already had developed a great cheese industry when the Minnesota dairy industry began to expand beyond local demands. So early Minnesota pioneers pinned their hopes on butter. And butter has done well by Minnesota.

A Little Action Please.

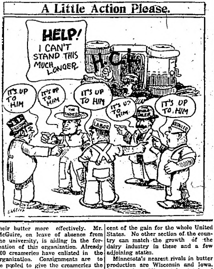

American Legion Corner

Compensation Bill Benefits.

The provisions of the Adjusted Compensation bill which the American Legion is asking congress to pass at this session are given below. If this bill is made a law, each World war veteran will have the right to avail himself of any one, but only one, of the following options:

1. Adjusted service pay, at the rate of $1 a day for home service and $1.25 for foreign service. Maximum of $500 for man without overseas service; $625 for man with overseas service.

2. Adjusted service certificate (so called insurance feature), a paid-up 20-year endowment policy. The face value of this policy will be 3.38 times the amount that would be received in cash. The face value of this policy would be payable to the veteran at the end of 20 years, or if he dies before the expiration of 20 years the face value will be paid to the beneficiary of the policy. Loan values also are provided for.

3. Vocational training aid of $1.25 a day while taking a course in vocational training. The amount thus paid in no case would exceed 140 per cent of what would have been paid in cash.

4. Farm or home aid, 140 per cent of what would be paid under option No. 1 if the money is used to purchase, improve, or make payments on approved farm or city or suburban homes.

5. Land settlement. (a) Provides for the establishment of reclamation projects for the development and improvement of vacant land. This may be government land or may be land purchased by the government. If possible, projects will be located in each state, the state paying part of the purchase price of private land bought for this purpose. Ex-service men to be employed on the project as far as possible.

(b) Provides for the sale of farm units on these projects when they are ready for settlement. Sale price is to include purchase price of land plus cost of improvements. Terms, part down, rest in 40 years at 5 per cent interest.

(c) Veterans may have their adjusted service pay applied as first payment on this land.

Is the American Legion a fly-by-night organization? Will it gradually weaken and die out? Not if Minnesota Legion posts are any index. For instead of weakening, Gopher Legionaires are increasing and multiplying. For instance, Stewartville had 16 members in 1921—already it has 29 paid up for 1922. Winsted had 41 in 1921—today it has 57 for 1922. Last year Abner Rude Post of South St. Paul had difficulty in mustering 25 members—now it has 56 in good standing. Sleepy Eye belies its name by being one of the most wide-awake Legion posts in the Gopher state—in the middle of December it had 58 Legionaires all squared away for the new year. Gaylord post already has 37 more members this year than last. And so it goes, according to reports arriving in Minnesota Legion Hq. from all over the North Star state.

Minnesota's first Legion post, Theodore Peterson Post No. 1 of Minneapolis, is first also in many Legion endeavors. A half-page picture in the American Legion Weekly shows a billboard advertisement used by the Peterson post in announcing its vaudeville shows and dances at Kenwood Armory, and the Legion Weekly editor says: "Try this on your billboard." Again, on New Year's Eve, the largest gathering in Minneapolis was under the auspices of Peterson post. A spotlight thrown on Father Time at the stroke of midnight was the signal for the Legion jubilee to let loose its big demonstration.

Endless were the efforts and countless the deeds of members of the American Legion and its Auxiliary to bring Christmas cheer to their sick and unemployed comrades. To tell the whole story would be impossible. The Bearcat post of Minneapolis distributed 165 baskets of fruit for the poor and needy. East St. Paul Legion post and its Auxiliary feasted and entertained 225 needy school children of the community, and Legionaire Chick Olson, impersonating Santa Claus, came down a real chimney and loaded the little tots' arms with gifts, while their eyes almost popped out of their heads with wonder and delight. Ramsey county Legionaire fed and entertained more than 500 hungry and unemployed buddies, and with the Legion Auxiliary, visited disabled comrades in hospitals and distributed hundreds of presents from the Legion Auxiliary units of the state, in addition to supplying Christmas baskets of good things to 360 needy families. Disabled veterans in Minneapolis hospitals were remembered by Hennepin county Legionaires and Auxiliary members. If in all Minnesota there was one lonely or hungry buddy on Christmas Day, 1921, it was only because his Legion comrades were without knowledge of his plight. They were eager and anxious to help.

Legionaires of Minnesota's First District met at Rochester Jan. 3 to honor National Commander Hanford MacNider of Mason City, Ia., the principal speaker, who said in part: "The strength of the Legion is in your posts and the strength of your posts is in your members. Your national officers are but your employes, your servants. Send us your bricks or bouquets, but most of all your suggestions for real constructive progress. Pay your New Year dues right now and get that other lad into the Legion. The inspiration of having you behind us will help your national officers to deliver the goods. May the New Year hold much happiness for all of us and for our country."

"Get out the Gopher gang! Over the top for 1922! Let's go!" That's the slogan of 35,000 Minnesota Legionnaires who not only believe in the American Legion and its ideals, but are ready to tell the world that there is no state like Minnesota, either in a business or patriotic sense. To say that Gopher Legionnaires are proud of the Gopher state is putting it mildly—and they're out to prove that in Legion membership, Minnesota leads also. "Over the top for the Gopher state! Let's go!"

During 1921 there has grown up between the Legion posts of Hennepin and Ramsey counties and their members a bond of friendship and comradeship which only unselfish service brings. A year ago each Twin City post was for itself alone but now the motto is "One for all and all for one." By unitedly following this ideal the American Legion posts of Ramsey and Hennepin counties have been able to leave a record of cooperation and kindly deeds and noble actions which neither time nor tide can ever efface.

The Legion to the Disabled: To you men who are fighting the brave fight against the effects of your service to our country The American Legion of your comrades sends Christmas greetings with every sincere wish for your speedy recovery and future happiness. Every American shall be indebted to you as long as the nation endures and your cause shall always be first on the program of the American Legion. We intend to see that you get a square deal from the country you fought for. We would expect you to fight our battles were our positions reversed. We assume that responsibility as a privilege and an honor. The American Legion reports for a new year's duty. Give us your commands.—Hanford MacNider, National Commander.

Who Cares?

(By Stanford King, State Adjutant)

Do you know that in 1921 the American Legion of Minnesota fed over 5,000 former service men, lodged over 1,200, cared for over 590 families and gave employment to more than 1400? This was in Minnesota, by Minnesota Legionaires, for Minnesota men and women.

On Jan. 1, 1922, there are over 3,500 former service men out of work in the Gopher state, many of them hungry, many families in need of help and assistance.

Who will do the work in 1922?

WHO CARES?

The American Legion's creed is: "Be thy brother's keeper."

Join the American Legion—pay your dues for 1922 now—help your buddies!

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health Is Worth Saving, and Some Thief River Falls People Know How to Save It.

Many Thief River Falls people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health—the slightest delay is dangerous. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers. Here is a Thief River Falls citizen's recommendation.

Ed. Stokke, prop. of shoe repair shop, First St., E., Thief River Falls, says: "My kidneys weren't acting just right, due to sitting for such long spells at my work. There was a dull, steady pain across my back and I tired easily. My kidneys were disordered and I was troubled by their weakness. The timely use of Doan's Kidney Pills checked the trouble and made me feel fine again, so I gladly recommend Doan's."

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Possibilities of Valley to Be Subject of Essays

The red river valley winter shows, which will be held at Crookston, Feb. 6-10, will cary out the essay contest again this year. This contest is open to all school students up to and including the eighth grade.

The subject should be of special interest: "The Future of the Red River Valley." This portion of our country is known world-wide. It is as yet only in the beginning of its development but has possibilities that one can ealize only after some study.

Participation on the part of school children will serve a double purpose, to enlighten them on some of the facts of this wonderful valley, and to offer material for language work. A committee was appointed by the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association to have this matter in charge, consisting of Supt. S. A. Aas, Fertile; Supt. Jos. Hamre, Erskine, and Supt. David Johnson, Warren. They have sent the rules and regulations to all schools in this district. Teachers would do well to get their pupils to work on the subject. Write to the Northwestern Experiment Station at Crookston for material.

Average Salary For Men Teachers $89, Women $74

A report submitted to the joint legislative commission of Minnesota on education meeting at St. Paul by Philip Carlson of Minneapolis, places the average monthly salaries paid to men teachers in Minnesota at $89.60 a month and the average to women at $74.62. Mr. Carlson is president of the Minnesota Educational association.

Representative Theodore Christianson of Dawson and other members of the commission questioned the correctness of the report. Mr. Carlson and other educators were submitting figures which, it is probable, will lead to a recommendation that a minimum wage for teachers be established in Minnesota. Representative Christianson asserted that higher salaries than the average reported were paid in his vicinity and reports from Itasca county show the average for women at $89; from Rock county, $105; from Roseau, $72, and Beltrami $60.

The sessions will continue until Thursday or Friday and general educational topics will be considered.

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For fifty years a standard remedy. All the family can take it with helpful results. Eases the children's croup. No harmful drugs. Convincing, healing taste that the kiddies like. At all druggists, 60c.

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To its depositors	$492,815.21
On borrowed money. (None) —	
On Rediscounts. (None)	
	$492,815.21

The Bank Holds

(For the purpose of meeting the above obligations.)

CASH (Consists of actual cash in our vaults and money due on demand deposited with other banks.)	$ 53,684.41
CHECKS ON OTHER BANKS (Payable on presentation.)	6,254.24
BONDS ($20,000 par value.)	19,937.50
LOANS TO INDIVIDUALS, COUNTIES, TOWNS, SCHOOL DISTRICTS, BANKS AND OTHER CORPORATIONS	429,300.57
BANKING HOUSE AND OTHER REAL ESTATE	86,500.10
	$595,676.82
	492,815.21
THIS LEAVES A SURPLUS OF	$102,861.61

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City News

Miss Rose Gunstad of St. Hilaire stopped and visited friends between trains on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Olson of Winger is the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brandon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Modin of Middle River arrived Tuesday to spend a brief time shopping.

Mrs. Laura Crandall returned from Crookston Tuesday morning after a brief visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Nelson of Gatzke arrived here Tuesday afternoon for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Irma Thompson of Crookston is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Mattson, this week.

Dr. Jennie Eastman returned Saturday morning from Fargo, where she visited friends a few days.

Miss Camille Warner left Thursday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to spend a few days visiting friends.

Miss Ruby Jenson of Goodridge spent Friday and Saturday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge were guests at the home of Mrs. Julia Tandberg on New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud returned Monday night from Warren where they visited relatives over New Years.

If you are feeling badly, put your troubles away by taking Tanlac. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. j5

Miss Clara Sorenson was a week end guest of relatives at Crookston returning to her home here Tuesday morning.

Chas. Munn returned Tuesday morning from Crookston where he visited friends and relatives over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero who had spent a week visiting relatives in the Twin Cities returned to this city Tuesday morning.

Louis Learce of St. Thomas, N. D. arrived Thursday morning for a visit at the home of his grand-daughter Mrs. C. E. Carlson.

Misses Sybil McGinn, and Helen Langseth are spending the week at Warren as guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. J. Herrick.

Mrs. Rose Boughton of Red Lake Falls was in the city on Monday to attend the funeral services of her nephew, Ambrose Zeh.

John Smedberg who spent several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hofseth, returned to his home at Fargo Monday.

Rolf Rasmussen who is employed at Ada was a guest of his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. John Bratrud over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bean left Tuesday night for Viroqua, Wis. where they were called because of the serious illness of the latter's father.

Mrs. Alexander Holkesvig returned to her home at Crookston Saturday after a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Satre.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Richards returned Tuesday morning from Red Lake Falls where they attended a family reunion on New Years day.

Miss Ruth Satre left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks where she attends the University after a weeks vacation at her home near this city.

Miss Alvina Jonas left Saturday night for St. Paul where she visited over New Years with her brother-in-law and sister Rev. and Mrs. Seltz.

Paul Englestad is this week representing the Pennington County Farm Bureau association at the state meeting of the federation in St. Paul.

Miss Lena Kilen left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston where she attends the Agricultural college, having spent her vacation at the home of her parents.

Tanlac is well advertised, but advertising alone could not have produced Tanlac's popularity. It had to have merit. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. j5

Mrs. Peter Neth and two children who had spent a few days visiting at the home of her mother Mrs. Mary Werstlein returned to her home at Grand Forks Saturday.

Mrs. Chester Barden and little daughter Ardith, returned Friday morning from Grand Forks where they spent several days visiting at the home of her parents.

Earnest Zeh who visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zeh for a week returned to Grand Forks Monday to continue his work at the University of North Dakota.

Chris Storholm, representing the J. A. Allen & Co., wholesale grocers, returned Friday morning from St. Paul where he attended the annual meeting of the salesmen.

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery returned Tuesday morning from Crookston and the Twin Cities at which places she visited friends and relatives for a period of two weeks.

Misses Stella House and Gladys Black, who had visited with Misses Margaret Eichammer and Lottie Austin over New Years, returned to their homes at Grand Forks the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Mathews returned to Moorhead the first of the week after spending the Christmas vacation as the guest of her parents. She is attending the State Teachers college.

Miss Virginia Will who spent the Christmas vacation visiting at the home of her parents here returned to Moorhead the first of the week to resume her work at the State Teachers college.

John Ward, representing the National Biscuit Company, returned Sunday morning from Minneapolis where he attended the annual conference of salesmen from this section of the state.

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$1.69
Boys' Fleeced Union Suits
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Extra Heavy Coat and Slip-over Sweaters for boys, sizes 28 to 32
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CUTTING THE WHEAT ACREAGE

The farmers of North Dakota are advised by economic experts of their state university to cut their wheat acreage from 10 to 12 per cent next year and devote the land to other crops. It is stated that there is at present a 12 per cent surplus of wheat in the world and that until such time as this oversupply can be absorbed prices are bound to be below the cost of production.

A curtailment of production on the part of farmers for the purpose of maintaining prices is such an unheard of proceeding that a great many people will regard it as little short of criminal. A farmer, according to the standard of certain folks, is not entitled to the same consideration as other men when it comes to handling his own affairs. It is perfectly all right for others to manipulate and control their products in such a manner as to insure a proper and adequate return, but for the farmer to do so seems outrageous.

When a manufacturer finds himself no longer able to dispose of his product at a profit he quits producing that particular article and either shuts down his plant or sets it to turning out something for which there is a demand. He is not expected to keep on piling up a surplus in order that others may profit by the resultant low price. To do so would soon put him out of business.

Why has not the farmer the same right? It may be claimed that such action on his part will force the public to pay a higher price for necessities which only he can supply, but if such is the case more atention should have been given to his position in the first place. He cannot be blamed for following the course that would be pursued by every other sane man under similar circumstances.

The growing of wheat in Minnesota and the Dakotas is no longer a paying proposition under the most favorable circumstances and the sooner the farmer discovers what to almost everyone else has long been evident, the better it will be for him. If he can be prevailed upon to cut his wheat acreage 10 to 12 per cent next year it is doubtful if he will ever go back to making the cereal his principal crop. He will discover that his land can be put to other uses with a much greater probability of profit and the tendancy will be toward further decreases rather than a return to wheat raising.

Minnesota and Dakota farmers cannot successfully compete in the world's markets against wheat grown on the cheaper lands of Western Canada, Southern Russia and the Argentine. No tariff bolstering is going to change the fact that his grain will have to come into competition with the product of these countries. The simple truth is that wheat is no longer a profitable crop for him and he might as well realize it now as later.

It is to be hoped that the recommendation of the North Dakota Agricultural college will be heeded. It will mean better and more prosperous farmers eventually and a better price for wheat immediately.

THAT FARM BLOC.

A heart-rending wail ascends from those in high places over the activities of what is known as the "farm bloc" in the United States senate. That senators should so far forget their own dignity and what is due the vested interests of the country as to raise their voices in favor of the farmer is something that causes acute hysterics in certain quarters.

Just why a farm bloc should be regarded in a different light from any other bloc may not be very clear to the ordinary observer. It simply means that a number of senators representing identical interests—and these interests the most important in the country—have joined hands in an effort to have the needs of agriculture given some consideration when it comes to law-making. Their action does not necessarily mean neglect of or opposition to any other proposal or program, but does indicate that there are a number of things on which they will insist. Were it not that their efforts promise to be successful there would be no such outcry against their methods.

Everyone knows that there are senators whose chief duty it is to see that certain interests are properly safeguarded by legislation. There are railroad blocs, army and navy blocs shipping blocs, and half a hundred other kinds of blocs, whether the alliance formed by senators for offense or defense are known by that name or not. Just why the most important of our industries and the most numerous class among our citizens should be barred from availing themselves of similar representation is not very clear. There are half a million Main streets and only one Wall street, yet when it comes to legislation, and particularly national legislation, the former gets but scant attention while the energies of numerous and various blocs are constantly devoted to seeing that nothing of value gets by the latter or that anything intended to curb activities there is permitted to pass congress.

It has taken the farmer a long time to discover that mere promises do not get him anything or anywhere. It has apparently taken just as long for lawmakers to find out that the farmer has rather sizable interests in this country and that he is very much affected by what goes on in Washington. The result is consternation among those who always believed that the farmer should be satisfied providing everything else was looked after and he left to get what he could incidentally. It has finally dawned upon a few lawmakers that things have been gone at wrong end to. The plan has been to make everybody else prosperous first, if possible, after which the farmer would automatically get his share. Farm bloc senators look at the matter from a different viewpoint. They are inclined to proceed on the theory that by so shaping legislation that the farmer will first get a fair return for his labor and products other industries of every kind and nature will be best served, and the distribution of any prosperity that may be in store be more rapidly and equitably accomplished.

CHURNING OUT GOLD

In another part of The Times today is reprinted an article written by Earl Christman and taken from Henry Ford's Dearborne Independent, entitled "Where the Churn Brings a Flow of Gold." The article deals with the creamery industry of Minnesota and contains facts and figures not generally known or, if known, not fully appreciated.

Mr. Christman states the value of dairy products was greater than that of the state's iron mines by a wide margin, equals that of all the Minneapolis flour mills and exceeds by $33,500,000 the combined value of the wheat, oats, corn, barley and rye produced in the state. The writer tells of how the business has grown from a total of $8,700,000 in 1890 to the enormous sum of $200,000,000 at the present time. In 1910 the average paid by creameries to their patrons was $28,000. Ten years later the amount had grown to an average of $108,000.

In spite of the strides made in the past the dairy industry in Minnesota may yet be said to be in its infancy. Every year adds to its importance and it will be but a short time until Minnesota stands preeminently at the head of the procession in this respect. In the as yet largely undeveloped northern half of the state the demand is constantly for more and better cows. The progress of communities and counties is measured by their increase in milch cows. Every agency for the advancement of farming interests is bent toward securing a greater amount of livestock for the farms, particularly dairy stock. It is clearly realized that in no way can the future of agriculture be so certainly assured and the position of the farmer so rapidly improved.

President Budd of the Great Northern announces that his road will build a lot of steel cars in its own shops, beginning the work at once. This is done for the purpose of providing employment at points where the Great Northern's car shops are located. President Budd makes the welcome announcement that a large number of the 1,000 clerks laid off recently will be reemployed early in January. While the officials of the road happen to be in this mood, would it not be a good idea to remind them of the fact that a new station in Thief River Falls is badly needed?

THE FARMERS' LOSS.

(St. Paul Dispatch.)

The extent of the loss which the farmers of America have sustained because of recent price declines strikingly is shown by crop estimates for 1921 issued by the department of agriculture at Washington. The value of the important crops of this year based on December 1 prices aggregated $5,675,877,000, or $3,400,000,000 less than the receipts from the 1920 crop and $8,000,000,000 less than that of 1919 when the high price era had reached its climax.

It is quite obvious that no industry can prosper which is subject to an income decline of eight billion dollars within two years. If the period of readjustment had been longthened the situation would not be so serious, but under present conditions crops which were planted when costs were high have been harvested when prices were low, thus wiping out all profit margins and in only too many cases leading to a deficit.

The 1921 value record cannot be compared to any recent years but if we go back to pre-war days we will find that it strikes an average between the $5,098,000,000 crop of 1908 and the $6,111,000,000 crop of 1914.

The prospects for 1922, however, are much brighter. There is little danger of further price reductions and planting can be done with cheap seed and cheap labor. This means a great reduction in agricultural costs and a chance for just as substantial a profit as was to be had in the halcyon days of high prices and equally high costs. The coming year will be ushered in under nearly normal conditions and that state should continue until the crops are bought and paid for. This year was peculiar in that the big decline came after planting. Merchants experienced the same loss. Stock laid in at high prices in the spring had to be disposed of at low prices in the fall. That is just what happened to the farmers, but 1922 promises stability and much better things all around.

TAX EVERYTHING.

(Faribault News.)

Charles M. Schwab says that he could retire from business and invest his money in tax exempt securities and triple his income. If his figuring is correct it forms evidence to show that there should be no such animal as a tax exempt security. The government offers safety and can afford to pay a little higher rate of interest, if necessary, in order to float its bonds. There is no good reason why municipal, state and county bonds should be privileged, and as for industrials, certain classes of which are exempted in some states, the whole theory is preposterous.

Taxes would be lowered if the holders of all securities were made to pay taxes upon them. If government bonds remained in the hands of the people generally there might be more argument for exempting them, but they have a way of getting into the hands of the moneyed few. Probably that is because they are not taxable, and that is another reason why they should bear their share of the burden.

Financial interests have been moving heaven and earth to have the surtaxes on large incomes repealed. The excuse for the demand has been that rich people won't invest their money in industrial enterprises, but instead buy non-taxable securities. Even today there comes to the desk the bulletin of a New York banking house which says that this unfortunate habit of the capitalis is "a serious drawback to business revival."

If there were no non-taxable securities slacker wealth might be induced to employ itself profitably, and it would be possible to maintain at least some pretense to equality in taxation.

To allow wealth to escape payment of its just proportion of the income tax is a crime against the common run of people, and the government is aiding and abetting the offense by not taxing the holders of government bonds and other non-taxable securities.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region)

The kiddies have settled the question as to who is the world's greatest man. They know it's Santa Claus.

No wonder they call them highballs, figuring on the price they pay for them.

The Christmas trees weren't the only things that were beautifully trimmed. Ask dad about his purse.

About time for State Forester Cox to spring his annual yarn about the snow snake that makes a trail like a corkscrew. Anything with a corkscrew attached to it is popular these days.

A homesteader south of Baudette has had a very successful year. A year ago he owed our merchants less than $50. Now he owes them $700.

The best wish the Region can hatch up for you is that you will get as many laughs and smiles as possible out of 1922. It will be a sad old universe for you if your sense of humor goes on a strike.

The latest song may sound a little crazy, but there's some truth in it. It's entitled "Of All My Wife's Relations I Like Her Husband the Best."

It looks as if there might be a few soprano voices on Baudette's council next year.

The lads who inhaled wood alcohol Christmas Eve didn't have to worry about their Christmas dinner. Their goose was already cooked.

Smoothing the Ways.

Funds for a $250,000 street paving program in Willmar this year have been virtually assured, according to the Republican-Gazette.

Breckenridge awarded a contract for about nine blocks of bitulithic paving this year at $84,601.60, to the E. W. Coons Co., Hibbing, the Gazette-Telegram announces.

Babcock crews in many sections of the state already are demonstrating that winter highway work is both practical and economical, but C. H. Zealand of the Crookston Times furnishes the first photographic proof of how the winter gangs can "hit the ball."

A new record price was obtained by Rice county last week on $295,000 of highway and refunding bonds, the Faribault News reports. An issue of $90,000 of 4½ per cent highway bonds brought $1,850 premium and $205,000 of 5¼ refunding bonds were bid at $7,100 premium. Highway Commissioner Babcock insisted that the highway bond rate be reduced to 4¾ per cent in justice to other localities.

Thirty-five teams finishing winter graveling on the Cordova road, the LeSueur Center Leader Democrat recalled that not many years ago ten sacks of cement weighing only 1,000 pounds made a big load for a good team on the same road.

Minnesota's banner road-building year just ended, the state highway department already is advancing plans to make bigger records in the New Year. Commissioner Babcock explains that the chief concern is about funds. A good working organization has been perfected in the department, he added, and with labor plentiful and prices at low levels, 1922 promises to be a year for speeding highway improvements on the gest scale possible.

Minnesota Historical Notes

Historical Society to Hold Annual Meeting.

The oldest organization in the state will hold its 73rd annual meeting on Monday, Jan. 9. This is the Minnesota Historical society, which was established by the first territorial legislature in 1849 and held its first annual meeting on Jan. 1, 1850.

The meeting will open at 10 a. m. with a conference on local history work in Minnesota. Solon J. Buck, superintendent of the Minnesota Historical society, will speak on "The Organization and Functions of Local Historical Societies and Their Relation to the State Society," and the subject will be discussed by Samuel Lord of the state tax commission, who is investigating the history of Dodge county; Paul J. Thompson of the Hennepin County War Records committee; Frank M. Kalsersatt, chairman of the Rice County War Records commission, and others.

Another session will be held at 2 p. m., at which papers will be read by Calvin L. Brown, chief justice of the Supreme court, on "The Creation of Certain Counties of Minnesota and the Naming of the Towns in Stevens County," and by Clarence W. Alvord, professor of history in the University of Minnesota, on "Mississippi Valley Problems and the American Revolution." A selection of pictures illustrating Minnesota's World War activities will then be exhibited through the reflectoscope and explained by Franklin F. Holbrook, secretary of the state war records commission. This will be followed by the business meeting of the society at 4 p. m.

The annual address will be given this year by Dr. Orin G. Libby, secretary of the North Dakota Historical society, on the subject, "Some Aspects of Mid-West America." This will begin at 8:30 p. m. and will be followed by an informal reception for members of the society and their friends.

All the sessions will be held in the Historical building, St. Paul, and will be open to the public. People interested in local history are especially urged to attend and take part in the conference in the forenoon. The society's museum will be open from 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. and from 7:30 to 8:30 p. m., and the extensive Charles P. Noyes collection of coins, recently presented by Mrs. Noyes, will be on exhibition for the first time. This collection contains over three thousand coins from all ages and all parts of the world. Special exhibits will also be on display in the manuscript room, which will be open throughout the day.

Spanish War History Ready for the Press.

The contract for the publication of the history of Minnesota in the Spanish-American War and the Philippine Insurrection is to be awarded soon, it was announced this week by Franklin F. Holbrook, secretary of the Minnesota War Records commission. The final specifications for the book have been decided upon and the bids are to be requested at once.

A single volume, containing brief histories of Minnesota units, a survey of conditions and activities in the state, and a complete roster of all Minnesotans who served in the armed forces, is to be published. Mr. Holbrook estimates that the roster will contain the records of about six thousand men who enlisted in the three state units of volunteers, the navy, and the third infantry of the regular army.

"The records of men in the navy have already been secured from Washington," Mr. Holbrook reports, "and work is progressing on the compilation of records of men in the regular army. Complete information on all Minnesota units has been supplied by Adjutant General W. F. Rhinow, who is assisting in the preparation of the history."

By action of the legislature the Minnesota War Records commission is directed to edit and publish a history of the activities of the state in the Spanish-American war and the Philippine Insurrection prior to the publication of any material relating to the World war.

Early Land Speculators Foiled.

The efforts of speculators to take advantage of the rise in the value of property when the Northern Pacific railroad was extending its road through western Minnesota about 1870 are revealed in papers of Governor Horace Austin, recently given to the Minnesota Historical society. Certain operators in land received what they considered sure "tips" that the Northern Pacific railroad was to cross the Red river at a certain point. Accordingly they sent their squatters ahead of the agents of the railroad to establish claims on this property, which at that time was unsurveyed. Their chagrin and loss were great when the Northern Pacific actually ran the railroad line nearly 30 miles from the property they had so hastily acquired.

In the Austin collection are also letters written by local politicians during the reconstruction period following the Civil war, in which they request the governor to use his influence to secure for them "carpetbag" positions in the south. The collection is said by officers of the Historical society to be a very valuable addition to its files of the papers of Minnesota governors.

Origin and Meaning of the Great Seal of Minnesota.

Few people today realize the significance of the design on the great seal used on all official documents of the state of Minnesota or know how and when it originated. The "Legislative Manual" or "Blue Book" contains a statement on the subject but it is incomplete and inaccurate. In the new "History of Minnesota" by Dr. William A. Folwell, volume I of which has just been published by the Minnesota Historical society, the story of the seal is told and the first officers of the territory are absolved from the implied charge of disregarding an act of the legislature.

According to the Blue Book, the first territorial legislature in 1849 adopted a design for the seal which depicted an Indian family welcoming a visiting white man and extending to him the pipe of peace. From an examination of the legislative journals Dr. Folwell finds that this design was approved by the council but was rejected by the house of representatives and another act was passed authorizing the governor and the delegate in congress to select a design and motto for the seal. Apparently some of the pioneer legislators thought that the design submitted, which was to symbolize "the eternal friendship of the two races," did not indicate the true state of affairs.

From letters and sketches in the Sibley papers on file in the manuscript division of the Minnesota Historical society, it appears that Delegate Sibley put the matter up to Col. J. J. Abert, an officer of engineers in Washington, and one of the designs submitted by him, as redrawn and added to by Captain Seth Eastman, an artist who had been commandant at Ft. Snelling, was accepted by the commissioners. This design depicted a white man engaged in plowing and looking back at a mounted Indian riding away toward what was supposed to be the setting sun. The falls of St. Anthony were introduced in the background in such a way as to put the figures on the east side of the Mississippi and make it appear that the Indian was riding toward the east arther than the west.

The significance of the design was expressed by the wife of Captain Eastman in a poem of eight stanzas, the first of which reads as follows:

"Give way, give way, young warrior,
Thou and thy steed give way—
Rest not, though lingers on the hills
The red sun's parting ray.
The rock bluff and prairie land
The white man claims them now,
The symbols of his course are here,
The rifle, axe and plough."

Governor Ramsey wanted for the motto "something characteristic in an eminent degree of American goaheadativeness." The one selected was that of the Scottish Earl of Dunraven, "Quae sursum volo videre," generally translated, "I wish to see what is beyond." Two mistakes were made in the Latin, however: "quae" was changed to "quo" and "volo" to "velo," with the result that the motto as used was meaningless.

The seal and the press were made in the east under Sibley's direction and cost $160. This seal, which was used throughout the territorial period, now reposes in the museum of the Historical society. When Minnesota became a state in 1858, a new seal was prepared embodying the same ideas, but with the figures on the west side of the river and with the motto changed to "L' Etoile du Nord," which translated is "The Star of the North."

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Atta Boy!

The insurance companies deny they have done anything wrong, and promise to do right.

After having his family tree looked up many a man feels he has a right to look down on his ancestors.

A Swell Shindigger, You Know.

She: "What does Jack mean when he says I slide a slippery heel?"

He: "That's his slang. He means that you shake a wicked hoof."

Yea, Bo.

It's easy enough to be happy,
When the world moves along like a clock,
But the man that's worth while,
Is the guy who can smile,
With a hole in the toe of his sock.

Just what is the difference between advertising, publicity and notoriety? We have often pondered the question. In looking up definitions we find that Mr. Webster draws a mighty fine line between advertising and publicity; a sort of distinction without a difference. Our conclusion is that we pay for advertising and when we get it for nothing it is dubbed publicity. Notoriety means very much the same but this term is used in an unfavorable sense. Now how shall we characterize the custom of introducing a motion picture by flashing the names of the staff employed in its making? Sometimes there are a dozen or more participants from the director to the stable boys, all unknown and likely to remain obscure individuals in spite of the publicity thus forced upon impatient audiences.

'Tis a bobbed cat that carries no tail.

Christmas cigars are made by the thief who was given enough rope, says Oolai.

Indications are that this season of depression will cut the sucker crop in half this year.

All About Henry.

Henry's great interest in the Muscle Shoals property may be due to the natural affinity between a shoal and a Ford.—Nashville Southern Lumberman.

And cranking Fords suggests muscle.

We Are For It.

To make the punishment fit the crime
And cause these speed-fiends woe,
I'll tell the world they should serve time,
A-scorching down below.

Lawyer: "So you want a divorce from your wife. Aren't your relations pleasant?"

Client: "Mine are, but hers are the most unpleasant lot I ever met."

An Ode to a Shirt.

A soft shirt is a social break,
I like it.
It satisfies no parlor snake.
I like it.
It's soft within, it's soft outside,
It doesn't scratch or tear your hide,
It let's your Adam's Apple slide,
I like it.

Motoring Terms.

Cut-out: A device for making a Ford engine sound like a Rolls-Royce.

Muffler: A device for deadening the noise of the exhaust. Seldom used on modern machines.

One-man Top: So called because it takes one man eight hours to put it up.

Carburetor: An instrument for mixing air and gasoline so that only air can get into the cylinders.

The stork has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Shaver, of Asheville, N. C. You say it.

The Good Old Days.

An old Scotchman was threatened with blindness if he did not give up drinking. "Now, McTavish," said the doctor, "It's like this: you're either to stop the whiskey or lose your eyesight—and you must choose." "Ay, weel, doctor," said McTavish, "I'm an auld man, noo, an' I was thinkin' I ha'e seen aboot everything worth seein'."

The old-fashioned girl showed individuality, but the latter-day girl shows most everything else.

Only five more months until straw hat time. Do your shopping early.

The lucky husband is the one who catches a glimpse of his wife's true complexion, says Oolai.

Pome.

I would I were an angleworm
Away down in the ground,
And like the worm make both ends meet
By simply curling round.

Some people appear to cling to their money in the belief that Heaven is operated on the pay-as-you-enter plan.

The Oldest One in the World.

"My wife and I have been married twelve years and we still hold hands. If we let go we'll kill each other."

"Saying it with flowers doesn't greatly interest the man whose funeral it happens to be.

Pome.

Mary had a little jug,
She corked it up too soon;
The stuff inside began to work
And started toward the moon.

What Other Editors Think

SEE WHAT YOU ARE BUYING.

Waseca Journal: Every business man in Waseca who has something to sell probably objects to every dollar or more purchase made outside of Waseca city and county. Many, many dollars are so spent, there is no doubt of that. Often such money is spent without cause, often there is every reason why it should be spent here.

What most of the local merchants undoubtedly object to is the buying from mail order houses which are often patronized by local buyers who through either indifference or ignorance are sending money out of our community that could and should be helping to build this territory into a larger and better place to live in. Sometimes a mail order catalogue looks wonderfully attractive, but how are people to know what they are buying so far as quality is concerned, unless they see the article or goods and judge for themselves? These mail order houses have some very good bargains undoubtedly and yet it is certain that these large plants like the ones recently built in St. Paul were built on profits.

If the local merchants did not have the stocks to compete against Twin City houses and against mail order houses then we could say that it was the local dealer's own funeral, let him take his medicine. Local stores are larger, by far, and their lines are more complete, also.

So that is what we meant when we had "Buy Right by Sight" days here a week ago. See the goods for yourselves—then buy, is the essence of the slogan of last week. Believe in your home town merchant. He believes in you, otherwise he wouldn't have the fine stocks of merchandise and high standard of quality that he now has. Waseca has some pretty fine stores and some pretty fine men running them. Why not look their lines over thoroughly before you buy from a pretty picture catalogue?

A STATEMENT OF POLICY.

Grand Rapids Herald-Review: The Herald-Review has been asked at several times to make known its policy in regard to the publishing of names of those who have been arrested or convicted of crimes of one sort or another. We are not bothered very much with people who come to us to have things of this kind kept out of the columns of this paper. However, occasions do arise in which a proper newspaper policy is not always clear.

The Herald-Review follows a policy, almost without exception, of publishing the names of those who have been arrested for some crime and whose guilt has been established or seems likely to be established.

If you are arrested and convicted of crime it is not so serious to have your name in the paper as it is to have been arrested.

Appeals are made to the editors and publishers to leave out facts of arrest and conviction on account of the wife, the mother or the families of those involved. For a son who has committed a crime to appeal to a newspaper to keep it quiet for the sake of his mother or his family is simply an admission on the part of that son that the newspaper publisher has more respect and more consideration for the mother or family than the offender himself. Sometimes it is hard and sometimes it does seem unjust or harsh to have such things published, but the best way to keep your name out of the newspaper as an offender against law is to keep out of jail. The two things are very closely related.

ADVERTISING IS NECESSITY.

Cottonwood County Citizen: Skinner, Chamberlain & Co., a merchandise firm of Albert Lea, during the month of November spent $440 for advertising in one paper alone. This firm would not be giving that amount to the paper just for the pleasure of it, and payments would soon stop if results were not being obtained. There are firms of considerable size who would faint at the thought of paying $440 a month for advertising in several papers. Yet among up-to-date merchants advertising is considered as much a necessity as is heat and light. The time has long since gone by when advertising was in the luxury class, and the sooner any merchandise firm gets busy and studies the proposition with a view of getting the best there is in advertising, the sooner will they get out of the store-keeper class and into the class of the up-to-date merchant.

STICK TO IT!

Winnebago City Enterprise: If any of our farmer friends find their faith wavering in the Farm Bureau, we want to say to them that they should banish their fears.

Great reforms are not brought about in a single day. It takes time, and then more time. We have great faith in the Farm Bureau, and we believe that it will ultimately correct many glaring existing evils.

Have patience. The Bureau is making progress. It has gained a foothold, a national recognition has come to it. The success of the future depends largely upon the strength of the faith of its members.

MINNESOTA AGAIN LEADS.

Wadena Pioneer-Journal: Minnesota has built more miles of federal aid roads in the last five years than any state in the Union except Texas, according to a statement issued in Washington by the department of agriculture. Seven other states have spent more money on federal aid roads, but Minnesota has made the money go farther in road construction than almost any of the states. The statement shows 1,713.4 miles of road built or contracted for since July 1, 1916, in Minnesota, at an estimated cost of $17,000,911.01, of which $6,047,373.63 is federal aid. This is an average cost of $10,210 a mile, and an average of $4,004 in federal aid.

WAS GREATLY DISAPPOINTED.

Levan's Weekly: Every man and woman likes to see his or her name in the paper, and the editor likes to print it. Some say they object to publicity. But do they? The Atchison Globe tells of a young man who entered the office. "I was intensely shocked to read a notice of my engagement," he said. "I cannot tell you how shocked I was. I was positively chagrined. My fiance was chagrined. We were all chagrined. How much for 50 copies of the paper?"

A FOOLISH PROCEEDING.

Glenwood Herald: He who takes an interest in his home and wishes to build up his home, trades at home. Trading away from home is like going into a contest for a prize to the one who during the summer has the best kept lawn and then spending all summer helping your neighbor work on his lawn.

HIS MOTHER'S, ANYWAY.

Heron Lake News: This is worth reprinting: A dainty Miss who evidently has had some experience along life's highway sends us the following: "No matter how young, how old, how bald, how fat, how insignificant, or how funny a man may be, he is always somebody's darling."

FROM HOBBLES TO HOOPS.

Wabasha Herald: Hoop skirts are coming back again next year, so we have been told, but let us hope that they will not sacrifice length too much in adding circumference.

HERE'S A NEW PLAN.

Little Falls Transcript: Instead of using a beer tax to pay an army bonus, why not do it with fines paid by bootleggers and their customers?

MEETS HIS APPROVAL.

Plainview News. It does a farmer's heart good to see a pig make a hog of himself.

Modern House

For Sale. Inquire at The Times Office.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
Will be in Thief River Falls, Tuesday, Jan. 10. At Hotel Evelyn.

D. B. C. MEN HEAD 24 FARGO OFFICES

In Fargo, N. D., "D. B. C." means two things—Dakota Business College and Doing Better Constantly. Graduates of this successful old school certainly are "making good" in their home town. Managers of 24 large firms were trained here. David Swanson, who began with the Fargo Marble & Granite Works, but a year ago, is now office manager. Beatrice Whitson was recently employed by the same firm.

D. B. C. graduates are trained to think, to progress—and they do. "Follow the Succe$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D., for terms, etc.

DID PAIN DISTURB YOUR SLEEP?

THE pain and torture of rheumatism can be quickly relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment. It brings warmth, ease and comfort and lets you sleep soundly.

Always have a bottle handy and apply when you feel the first twinge. It penetrates without rubbing.

It's splendid to take the pain out of tired, aching muscles, sprains and strains, stiff joints, and lame backs.

For forty years pain's enemy. Ask your neighbor.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment Pain's enemy

City News

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad of St. Hilaire was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Carl Olson of Randeen was a business caller here on Monday.

Dan Lynch came down from Oklee Tuesday evening to visit friends.

Saturday, Jan. 7, is the last day of Loken's 9c sale.—Advertisement. j5

Wm. Dokken of Winnipeg was a week-end guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. F. Ohm.

Harold Schuman of Hillsboro, N. D., visited with friends here on Friday.

Miss Lillian Anderson of Grygla and Miss Clara Anderson of Jelle visited friends here Tuesday.

A ten-pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Baker on Saturday, Dec. 31.

Mrs. Chas. Evenson of Germantown left yesterday for a visit with friends and relatives at Fergus Falls.

Miss Dorothy Bottelson left Sunday night for Minneapolis to spend a week visiting friends.

Grant Ohm came over from Bemidji Saturday evening and visited his parents over New Year's.

Miss Olive Patterson of St. Hilaire was a guest of friends here Friday and Saturday.

Miss Jennie Sande left Saturday morning for Steiner to visit at the home of her brother, H. L. Sande.

Mrs. Wm. Warner and two children left Saturday morning for Holt to visit her parents over the New Year.

Miss Effie Christianson left Saturday morning for Greenbush to visit friends over Sunday.

Miss Clara Sorenson left Friday afternoon for Crookston, where she visited friends over New Year's.

Geo. Bourdon of Brooks was the guest of Morian H. Bishop over the week-end.

Miss Maybelle Ostby left Tuesday night for Minneapolis to resume her studies at McPhail conservatory.

Mrs. A. Booren and daughter, Miss Olive, spent Tuesday at Plummer as guests at the H. F. Booren home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Talley, who had visited with relatives and friends at Dinton, Mont., returned last evening.

Mrs. L. M. Rayson and children left this morning for Madison, Wis., for a short visit with the Klungness family, former residents here.

Mrs. M. Rogers of Mahnomen is visiting in the city. She will return to her home the latter part of this week.

Clarence Knutson returned to Minneapolis Tuesday night after spending the Christmas vacation here with his parents.

Lee Ihle, who was a holiday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ihle, has returned to the state university to resume his studies.

~~Miss Mary Prichard~~ left Tuesday night for Minneapolis to resume her studies at the university after spending her vacation at her home here.

Miss Esther Hilleboe came over from Warren Friday evening and spent a few days as the guest of Miss Maybelle Ostby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berg of Mavie are in the city visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Revdahl.

Mrs. Esta Barton, who had spent a week in Minneapolis visiting her mother, returned to this city Tuesday morning.

Mrs. H. L. Sande arrived Saturday from Steiner to visit over Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Mrs. Rene Warner and Miss Ingeborg Nelson returned to their homes at Holt on Saturday after a brief visit with relatives and friends here.

Miss Edith Schibsby of Minneapolis arrived Sunday morning to spend a few days with her fiance, D. P. Gamble.

R. J. Feldkirkner, assistant agent of the Canadian Northern at Baudette, was a visitor here last evening.

Coats, dresses, blouses, skirts, middies, bloomers, kimonas, bath robes, at 9c. Last chance Saturday, Jan. 7, at Loken's.—Advertisement. j5

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheggerud of Hazel spent the holiday week at the homes of the latter's sisters, Mrs. C. Storholm and Mrs. E. N. Ohm.

Fred Leimers came down from Middle River yesterday to spend a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leimers.

H. B. Imdahl returned to his home at Pitt Tuesday morning after attending to business matters here for a day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn and daughter, Betty, returned this morning from Minneapolis, where they had visited relatives during the holidays.

Miss Cora Hendrickson returned to her home at Baudette yesterday after a holiday visit at the home of her cousin, H. O. Loken.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero returned this morning from Minneapolis, where they had spent a week with relatives.

H. L. Sande of Steiner visited relatives here Friday evening enroute from Warren and Crookston, where he had attended to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Peterson and two [illegible] returned to Holt on Saturday [illegible] spent a few days visiting [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. Albin [illegible]

[illegible] left Friday night [illegible] Cities to join his wife [illegible] are there on a [illegible]. They will return [illegible]

[illegible] K. Newcomb [illegible] Minneapolis, [illegible] their home, [illegible] at the [illegible] Nelson.

[illegible] Barnard ar[illegible]

Mrs. Anna Langseth, where they have rented rooms.

Is your liver out of order? Do you suffer from biliousness, headaches, constipation? If so, Tanlac is what you need. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. j5

Lloyd Zeh of Flint, Mich., and Elmer Zeh of Crookston, arrived Saturday morning to attend the funeral services of their brother, Ambrose, which were held Monday morning.

Miss Esther Gjertson, cashier at the Great Northern, returned Friday morning from Sandstone, where she had visited with her parents over the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Gynther Tessum left Saturday morning for Greenbush to spend a few days visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Linde.

Miss Emma Hoff, who had visited relatives at Alvarado over New Years returned last evening and left this morning for Baudette, where she is engaged in teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Engelstad were visitors in the city yesterday enroute from Warren, where they had spent New Year's, to their home at Gatzke.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Leiren and little daughter returned yesterday afternoon from Gatzke, where they had visited Mrs. Leirens' folks over New Year's.

Miss Mary Prichard, who was a holiday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., returned on Tuesday to Minneapolis to resume her work at the state university.

Miss Marguerite DeCremer, who was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis DeCremer, over the holidays, left Tuesday night for Minneapolis to resume her work at the university.

Miss Louise Erickson, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson, over Christmas and New Year's, returned on Tuesday to Erskine to resume her duties in the school at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kelley of Devils Lake, N. D., were New Year's guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen. Mr. Kelley returned to his home yesterday morning while Mrs. Kelley remained for a longer visit.

Misses Marguerite Burns and Kathleen Ures left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks, where they attend the university, after a week's visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns.

Misses Stella House and Gladys Black, who had spent several days as guests of Misses Lottie Austin and Margaret Eichhammer, returned on Tuesday to their homes at Grand Forks.

I. A. Larson and son who had spent a week visiting relatives at Superior and where the former attended the annual meeting of the salesmen for the Eimon Mercantile Co., returned to this city Tuesday morning.

B. J. Bakke came up from Minneapolis the first of the week and will remain until Friday. He says that the Roof Garden Candy company, of which he is the owner, enjoyed a very good business during the holidays but expects there will be something of a slump from now on for awhile.

Miss Olive Booren, accompanied by her mother, arrived Sunday morning from Stillwater for a visit with relatives and friends. The former is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, and Mrs. Booren is a guest at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Lieberman and children left on Sunday evening for California, where the latter will spend the winter. Mr. Lieberman will remain long enough to see the family comfortably settled, after which he will return to look after his business interests. He expected to be gone about two weeks.

Miss Mabel Larson of Cooperstown, N. D., is a guest at the homes of Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Swoger and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bakke. Mr. Bakke and Miss Larson are cousins. At present Miss Larson is employed as saleslady at the Armand Mercantile company, Superior, Wis. She came here from Fosston, where she had spent New Year's with Mr. Bakke's parents. Mrs. Frank Suiter of Cass Lake, formerly Miss Ida Bakke of this city, was also there.

Highway Work in County Totaled $63,841 in 1921

The total cost of new road construction, maintenance of old roads and engineering expenses in Pennington county during the past year was $63,841.81, according to the report submitted by Highway Engineer B. F. Umland to the state highway department. Of this amount $53,390.41 was for construction and includes new work on federal aid projects, county projects and state roads. The maintenance charge was $7,248.65, and the engineering cost amounted to $3,202.75 or 5 per cent of the total—exactly one-half of the maximum allowed under federal road aid regulations.

On April 1, 1921, there were 133.35 miles of state roads in the county and an additional 31.15 miles were taken over by the state during the year. Total number of miles graded was 10.7 and the total miles surfaced 7.7. The maintenance work extended over 175.3 miles. Fourteen miles have been surveyed for new construction during 1922.

New Peace Dollar Issued From the Mints Thursday

The new silver dollar of the 1921 design—the peace dollar—was issued for distribution Tuesday by the treasury. The first dollar of the new series struck off has been presented to President Harding.

The new dollar has the head of Liberty on one side and on the other a dove upon a mountain top clutching an olive branch struck by the rays of the sun, with the word "Peace" beneath it. This is the first change in the design of the dollar since 1878, officials said.

About 500,000 of the new dollars probably will be coined with the date 1921 and after that the dollar will carry the date of the year in which it is struck off. There will be in all about 180,000,000 dollars of the new design coined, officials said, unless further authority is given the mint to purchase the coin silver.

Checking Over Road Maps.

Truman Pierson, vice president and general manager of the Mississippi Scenic Highway association, has asked boosters for the road in this city to send him a map of the route through Pennington and surrounding counties in order that he may check the matter up before giving his final approval to the new route maps now being made. He also states that the road signs will be on hand in time to be placed early in the spring. This matter has not been rushed through as it was realized that nothing much could be done in the way of placing these signs during the winter months.

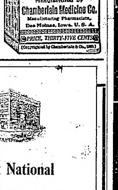

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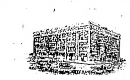

At The First National

a new interest period began January 1st. But—there is a ten-day leeway; if you open your Savings Account before January 10th your money will draw interest from January 1st.

Don't put it off too long; come in now and start the new year right by opening your account in this strong national bank.

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

DOUBLE your savings—it CAN be done.

Only Ten Days More of Mogensen's January

CLEARANCE SALE

This great bargain event will positively end on Saturday night, January 14. It has been the most successful end-of-season sale in our history and proves that people are both able and willing to buy clothing when unusual price inducements are made.

Goods Must Be Sold

The price at which they go is a minor consideration. We will soon be going to market to make our regular spring purchases. When these arrive we must have room for them. These reductions are genuine and cover everything in the store.

Suits

"Kuppenheimer," "Hirsh-Wickwire" and "Kirshbaum" Suits, the world's finest made suits. Nothing better made. A large range to choose from. Your unrestricted choice of $55.00, $60.00 and $65.00 Suits, while they last, at onyl

$37.50

All other Suits at

17.50 19.50 22.50 27.50 29.50 and 32.50

Overcoats

Your unrestricted choice of any "Kuppenheimer" or "Patrick" Overcoat, as well as all other makes of Overcoats marked to sell regularly at $55.00, $60.00 and $65.00. While they last, only

$37.50

All other Overcoats at

17.50 19.50 22.50 27.50 29.50 and 32.50

Hats and Caps

HATS

All Hats Must Go Now!

$12.00 Hats now	$7.95
$ 9.00 Hats now	$6.50
$ 8.00 Hats now	$5.95
$ 7.00 Hats now	$4.65
$ 6.00 Hats now	$3.95
$ 5.00 Hats now	$2.95
$ 4.00 Hats now	$2.65
$ 3.00 Hats now	$2.25

CAPS

$1.00 Caps now	$ .65
$1.50 Caps now	$ .95
$2.00 Caps now	$1.35
$2.50 Caps now	$1.75
$3.00 Caps now	$1.95
$3.50 Caps now	$2.45
$4.00 Caps now	$2.75
$4.50 Caps now	$2.95
Scotch Caps	95c

MEN'S SOCKS

25c Socks	19c
35c Socks	27c
50c Socks	35c
$1.00 Socks	73c
$1.50 Socks	$1.15

Heavy Weight
GLOVES AND MITTENS
at Less Than Cost

SWEATERS

$6.00 Sweaters	$4.75
$6.50 Sweaters	$4.95
$8.00 Sweaters	$5.95
$9.00 Sweaters	$6.95

All others equally reduced in price.

"Patrick" Mackinaws

The regular $22.50 kind, at only

$12.95

Shoes!

1,000 Pairs of Men's and Boys' Fine Shoes to go in the greatest of all Clearance Sales. $5, $6 and $7 Men's Dress Shoes, while they last only, per pair

$3.65

Your choice of Men's Fine Dress Shoes worth $7.50, $8.50 and $9; while they last, pair

$5.65

Your choice of any $10, $11 or $12 Shoes, at only, per pair

$7.65

Clearing our shelves of

Shirts!

Take this tip—no better time presents itself than right now after the holidays to replenish your stock of shirts. Though the Christmas trade took many, we still have plenty to offer you at these reduced prices. Your choice of any $2.50 or $3.00 Shirt, each

$1.65

Your choice of $3.50, $4.00 or $4.50 Men's Dress Shirts at

$2.65

All other Shirts greatly reduced.

Ladies' Lamb Lined Fur Collar Fine Coats

"Stevenson" high grade all fine lamb lined Coats.

$80.00 Coats	$49.50
$75.00 Coats	$49.50
$65 and $62.50 Coats	$42.50

These are made full lamb lined and have opposuum, coonskin or nutria collars.

OVERSHOES
"Ball Band" and U. S. Rubber

One-buckle Overshoes	$1.95
Two-buckle Overshoes	$2.25
Four-buckle Overshoes	$2.95

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Churches

Zion Lutheran Church.
George Larson, Pastor

Services in Norwegian 11 a. m.; in English 7:45 p. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Hans Pederson at 7:45. Zion Ladies' Aid have their Augsburg day Thursday at 2 p. m., Jan. 12. Rev. J. Mortenson of Fosston will speak. Zion Young People's meeting Thursday evening, Jan. 12, at which Rev. Mortenson will speak. A special invitation to all.

Trinity Lutheran Church
T. E. Swegger, Pastor

Confirmation class at the parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine services in Norwegian 11 a. m. Song choir. In English 7:45 p. m. Sunday school meets for first time in new year at 9:45. Full attendance desired. Choir practice every Thursday evening. Sunday school teachers meet at the parsonage Monday, Jan. 9, at 8 p. m.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at 11 a. m. at the church on First street and LaBree avenue. Subject Sunday, Jan. 8, "Sacrament." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open also for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

St. John's Lutheran Church.
H. Kreidt, Pastor

There will be no services or Sunday school next Sunday. The Ladies' Aid in the city meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. As this is the annual meeting for the election of officers for the new year, all members are respectfully urged to be present.

The Scandinavian Ev. Church
Bot Nyborg, Pastor

Services Sunday, the 8th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. The yearly business meeting will be held on Monday, the 9th, at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., our ordinary Bible teaching meeting. You are cordially welcome.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.
O. J. Lundell, Pastor

Next Sunday, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Young People's meeting Friday at 8 p. m. St. Hilaire church: Next Sunday, East Side school house at 11 a. m. and at St. Hilaire at 7:30 p. m.

Prebyterian Church.

Services next Sunday at 11 o'clock, followed by a meeting of the congregation. Sunday school at 9:45; Junior Endeavor, 3 o'clock; Christian Endeavor, 7; Men's Bible class, 7:30. No evening services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge.
H. Lutz, Pastor

Sunday, Jan. 8: English services at Neptune at 10 a. m., and at Erie at 3 p. m.

Ev. Luth. Augustana Church.
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

No services and no Sunday school next Sunday.

National Banks Must Pay Tax as Based on Shares

Minnesota will not lose $1,253,000 annually in national bank taxes by the recent ruling of the United States supreme court.

In a Virginia case the court ruled that national banks should be taxed on the basis of money and credits instead of shares of stock. If the ruling were applied to Minnesota where taxes are based on shares of stock, the state would lose more than $1,000,000 annually. Egbert Oakley, deputy attorney general, has ruled that the Minnesota method of taxation is presumed to be valid until a contrary ruling by the supreme court.

A bill is now before congress for enactment of a uniform tax law for all banks.

Bank Teller Accused.

Directors of the defunct Scandinavian-American bank at Fargo, witnesses in the trial of Frank C. Heaton, a teller of the bank, who is being tried on a charge of embezzlement, said Heaton admitted the shortages. The amount named is approximately $78,000, and it is said Heaton made his admission when before the board of directors several days after discovery of the alleged shortages. E. J. Headlund, H. L. Bolley, Lars Christianson and J. F. Holmes, the directors, each testified Heaton assumed responsibility for the entire shortage.

New Service Hours

The Western Union telegraph office in this city will hereafter be open for business during the following hours: From 8:15 o'clock until noon and from 1 o'clock to 5:45. Also in the evening from 7 to 8.

Card of Thanks.

I hereby extend my most sincere thanks to my friends and neighbors for the gifts they have so kindly given me.

BIRTON E. AARNES.
Kratka, Minn. 16p

How Do You Feel Today?

"Corking," said the bottle.
"Rotten," said the apple.
"Punk," said the firecracker.
"Fine," said the police.
"Fit," said the tailor.
"First-rate," said the postmaster.
"Grate," said the coal.
"Tough," said the chicken.
"Grand," said the piano.
"Fare," said the conductor.
"All done up," said the shirt.
"Ripping," said the trousers.
"Keen," said the knife.
"All write," said the pencil.
—The Gamble.

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

New Cashier at Bank.

O. S. Hellerud of Twin Valley has accepted the position as cashier of the Farmers State bank here to succeed A. S. Holm, who after being cashier here since the bank opened in the fall of 1920, has resigned and will return to his home town of Twin Valley. The new cashier and his wife are expected to arrive within a week.

Christmas Tree Festival.

John Remmem gave a Christmas tree festival at his place of business last Friday evening, to which some over 20 guests were invited. A brief program was given, including songs and recitations and Victrola selections, and at the close bags containing confections were given the children while their elders were treated to coffee and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum at their home last Wednesday evening entertained about 18 guests at a progressive whist party. First prize, a cockerel, was won by Benny Ranum. Cards were played at four tables and at midnight a fine lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum last Saturday evening entertained about 20 guests at whist and "rummy." The first prize in whist, a cockerel, was won by Benhard Ranum, and the second, a jar of marmalade, by Jas. Thompson. The first prize in "rummy," a box of chocolates, was won by Miss Gladys Swenson. A lunch was served at 11 o'clock.

Gladys, Goldie and Ruth Remmem of Thief River Falls spent a few days the latter part of the week as guests of friends here.

The following were pleasantly entertained at dinner at the Mrs. J. Axelson home on New Year's day: Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum and Shervin, Lloyd and Eunice Ranum, Mrs. Jens Madsen, Olaus and Gunda Madson, Joel E. Shoberg and Freddie Stafford.

Mrs. K. Ranum entertained the John and Benhard Ranum families at dinner on the second day of Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem entertained at dinner on the second day of Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Albert Paulson, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson, Irma Anderson, Myrtle Mellem, Mrs. E. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson returned on Tuesday morning from Gully, where they had spent Christmas among relatives.

Ludvig Olson of Wales, N. D., was a guest of Carl Hagen a few days last week.

David Flodstrom of Viking arrived Friday evening to visit with the Hellquist boys until Tuesday evening.

Mrs. O. Holson, accompanied by her daughter, Lilly, left Tuesday morning for their home at Warren following an over Christmas visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Halgrim left Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls to visit with the W. W. Prichard family for a short time.

Mrs. G. Nakken visited with Mrs. C. Stromberg at Dakota Junction on Thursday.

A. G. Gabrielson of Thief River Falls was a visitor among the local merchants last Saturday.

Philip Vixie came home Friday evening from Viking to spend a few days with his brother, Oscar.

Ole Steen entertained Howard Carlson, Ted Nelson and Henry Lappegaard at a whist party at his home last Thursday evening.

Garfield Benson of Thief River Falls spent the week-end visiting with Glenard Sagmoen and Willard and Burton Furan.

Miss Gena Aos went to Thief River Falls Saturday evening to remain over New Year's with her parents.

Mrs. Albert Paulson and Myrtle Mellem spent Thursday at Thief River Falls to have dental work performed.

Nels Nora, accompanied by little Oswald Nora of town of Norden, attended the Christmas tree festival given by John Remmem last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen returned Saturday morning from their holiday visit to Minneapolis and St. Hilaire.

Miss Laura Kron left Thursday evening for a few days' visit at Hazel before returning to her school work near Erie.

Emil Bloom went to Thief River Falls Thursday evening to visit his sister, Mrs. Lloyd Crown.

Olivia Swanson returned Saturday morning from Thief River Falls after spending a week visiting with Mrs. Johanna Nyhus and Mrs. Severn Brandon. Her sister, Geneva, will return on Monday.

Lewis Alby, who has been employed in Minneapolis with a bridge gang this fall, came home Wednesday for a brief holiday visit.

Adolph Rafteseth left Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls to spend the following day on business.

Alfred and Sigurd Rafteseth were entertained New Year's eve at supper at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth, in town.

Olof Opseth and F. G. Dols, representing town of New Solum and Norden respectively, went over the 80 rods of road east of the latter's farm on the county line last Friday to ascertain the condition and possibility of opening this line some time next summer. It would mean considerable to the farmers east and south fro mtown if this line was opened as a public road.

Miss Viola Axelson went to Viking on Thursday to spend two days visiting among friends.

Albert Myrbo of Viking arrived on Wednesday evening for a brief visit at the Mrs. J. Axelson home.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard, employed at Thief River Falls, arrived Tuesday morning to visit for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lappegaard.

STEINER

A very enjoyable time was had at the J. A. Russell home on Saturday evening by the Steinerites.

Arnie Solem, student at the N. W. Agricultural school, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Solem.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers and daughter, Mabel, shopped in Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Miss Esther Meyers went to Thief River Falls to spend Christmas, returning to her home on Monday.

J. A. Russell transacted business in Thief River Falls the latter part of the week.

Mrs. H. L. Sande spent New Year's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether, at Thief River Falls.

Earnest Slack spent New Year's day at the A. Koglin home.

Miss Ruth Solem, who teaches near Newfolden, is spending her vacation at her home.

J. A. Russell and family were entertained at the Fred Copp home on New Year's day.

NUMEDAL

Albert Forslund was a Viking visitor last week.

Tommy Joringdal motored to Thief River Falls Friday evening.

Thure Blomberg accompanied the mail man to town on Friday to help him take one of his horses out to the former's place on Saturday, where Mr. Swanson will exchange horses while stopping for dinner.

George Buggo was busy sawing wood for the neighbors last week.

Miss Effie Jorindal returned home on Friday from Newfolden, where she has been employed, for a short stay with her folks.

Thure, Hjalmer and Edward Blomberg were guests at the Peter Buggo home Saturday evening.

Norval and Chas. Johnson were Thief River Falls [illegible] one day last week.

Conrad Ronning was a Saturday evening caller at the A. Forslund home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Joringdal and families were Sunday guests at the Elias Joringdal homes.

Wm. Erickson called at the Joseph Osnem home Sunday.

Halvor Olson called at Chas. Johnson's Saturday evening.

Miss Agnes Forslund left on Monday for Angus to resume her school work, after having spent the holidays with her home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Forslund and family.

George Bugge autoed to Thief River Falls on Monday.

$43,000 SAVED IN 5 MONTHS THRU CO-OPERATIVES

This is Report Submitted at Third Annual Convention of State Farm Bureau.

W. A. McKerrow, in Address to Delegates, Says Success of Venture is Assured.

Surplus of $26,000 Has Been Accumulated Since Agency Was Opened in August.

One co-operative marketing enterprise sponsored by the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has saved farmers $43,000 in less than five months, W. A. McKerrow, manager of the Central Co-operative Commission, told the third annual state convention of the farm bureau in session at the state capitol yesterday.

The Commission association opened for business on the South St. Paul livestock market on August 8, and since that time has done a gross business of $5,000,000, Mr. McKerrow said.

A quarter of a million animals were handled by the organization, he asserted, at commission charges approximately 25 per cent lower than those fixed by the private firms.

In less than five months, the convention delegates were told, the farmers' central sales agency has accumulated a surplus of $26,000, to be returned to the farmers as patronage dividends, and has saved the producers at least $17,000 in cash by handling stock at lower commission rates.

Driving Out the Farmers

"Within a few months, the farmers will place their own farmer-controlled and farmer-managed firms on the leading livestock markets of the United States," Mr. McKerrow said. "Their success already is absolutely assured."

"The farmers of the country at this moment are carrying the heaviest burden laid upon any class of people in America. They have been gradually driven from the country to the city, until 34 per cent of the population in producing the food for the other 66 per cent.

"The time has come when the organization of centralized agricultural marketing agencies is a necessity in order that the farmers' interests may be assured of protection and their industry saved from complete demoralization. The state and national farm bureau federations are making rapid strides, and livestock marketing is one of the major projects to which they are devoting their atention.

Farmer's Investment 40 Cents

"A comprehensive study of livestock marketing and production has been made by the Committee of Fifteen, appointed by the American Farm Bureau Federation; their work has resulted in a plan for a co-operative marketing structure on a national scale. Interwoven with this plan is a scheme for the development of orderly marketing that goes back even to the pasture and the feed lot, and for the development in railroad transportation and the establishment of farmer-controlled co-operative agencies to centralize the marketing of livestock on the great terminals of the country.

"The most successful livestock enterprise ever launched by farmers, in all probability, is the central selling agency at South St. Paul. It is made up of 300 local shipping associations, with a total membership of nearly 60,000 farmers. The whole investment of the individual farmer in his central selling company does not exceed 40 cents.

"Since Aug. 8, this agency has handled approximately 19 per cent of the cars of livestock arriving at South St. Paul. It handled 442 cars in the last three weeks of August, 781 in September, 1,100 in October, 1,292 in November, and 534 in the first half of December.

Protects Weak Market

"The stocker and feeder department of the association takes the place of the speculator. On a bad market, this department may buy the stockers and feeders if there is no other satisfactory outlet for them, paying the highest price it feels justified in paying. This department is used only when necessary; in most cases, such cattle are sold direct from the farmer producer to the farmer feeder. The association has shipped out 11,410 head of cattle in four months.

"On some days the association has handled 7,000 hogs, 33 to 35 per cent of all the hogs on the market; 19,408 hogs have been shipped to other markets, stimulating the local competition among buyers and giving the farmers of the northwest the benefit of the rivalry.

"Farmers of Minnesota must realize that when they start to do business for themselves, [illegible] doing similar business will try to destroy their organization. They will try to convince the farmer that he doesn't know enough to run his own business. They will oppose in every possible way the farmer's efforts to better his condition.

"There is just one thing the individual farmer should remember. That is, to investigate things for himself, to examine complaints about co-operative marketing and base his opinions on facts and not upon hearsay. Co-operative marketing will be a success beyond the hopes of its staunchest supporters if the farmers themselves give it the loyal support its past record deserves."

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Timothy hay in stack. Halvor Loken. 48p

FOR SALE—One self feeder hard coal burner, one wood burner, No. 3 Perfection oil stove, oak bed with spring. All in good condition. Call at 237 Markley Ave. N. 48p

HOUSE FOR SALE—691 Arnold Ave. N. Phone 359-W. 49p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—As I have sold my garage I have a few automobiles to dispose of. I will sell them or trade for horses, harness, wagons or any farm machinery that I can use. Also have some land to trade. C. M. Evenson. 48

FOR SALE—One soft coal stove, one Radiant hard coal heater, three small pillows, some furniture and other useful things. Call and look them over. 322 Horace Avenue N. 48p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE:
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor, with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley, 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
23tf St. Hilaire, Minn.

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc. to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms and also one furnished room suitable for young lady. 107 Horace Ave., near the bridge. 45p

FOR RENT—Rooms, all modern and nicely furnished. 116 St. Paul Ave. S. Phone 232-J. 48tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 404 Arnold Ave. N. or Phone 350-2. 43

WANTED — Local representative for large Mutual Life Insurance company. Will give attractive contract. R. M. Neely Company, St. Paul, Minn. 48

FOR RENT—Five room flat upstairs, all modern. Phone 513, or call at 123 LaBree Ave. S. 46p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—Bird cage, wicker preferred. Geo. Lehners 47tf

LOST

LOST—Dark brown wool knitted scarf with three blue stripes for border, and blue and brown fringe. Lost Christmas night between Zion Lutheran church and George Johnson residence on Bridge St. Reward paid for return to Times office. 48p

FOUND—Lady's pocketbook in front of E. E. Zeh residence in south end of city. Owner can have same by describing property and paying cost of this ad. 48

MISCELLANEOUS

OVERSHOES STOLEN—The party who took a new pair of 4-buckle overshoes at the dance at the Masonic hall Saturday night is known. Better return to Times office to avoid further trouble. 48p

DRESSMAKING — Mrs. N. Wereslein, 319 Riverside Ave. 45p

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five thousand one hundred seventy-two dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Max Gehrig and Adeline Gehrig, his wife, as Mortgagors, to William Stolz, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of January, 1917, at four (4) o'clock P. M., in Book 67 of Mortgages on page 68.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed [illegible]

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A Letter to Irene

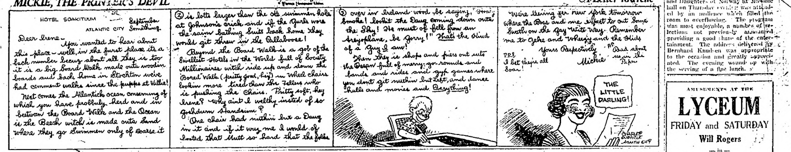
HOTEL SOAKITUUM
ATLANTIC CITY
September Something
Deer Irene— You wanted to hear about this place—well, in the furst place its a back number becuz about all they is too it is a big Board Walk made outa woodin boards and back home in Stockton we've had cemment walks since the pupps at Willie!
Next comes the Atlantick ocean consarning of which you have probbuly herd and in beetwean the Board Walk and the Ocean is the Beech witch is made outa Sand where they go Swimmen only of coarse it
② is lotts larger than the ole swimmen hole at Johnson's crick and if the Gurls wore the saim bathing Suits back home they would git threw in the Callaboose!
Beyond the Board Walk is a gob of the Swellest Hotels in the World full of Society Millionaires witch ride up and down the "Bored" Walk (pritty good, hey) in Wheel chairs lookin more tired than the Fellers who is pushing the Chairs. Pritty soft, hey Irene? Why aint I welthy insted of so goshdurn Handsum?
One chair had nuthin but a Daug in it and if it wuz me I would of Insted that Mutt so hard that the folks
③ over in Ireland wood be saying, "Hoa, Smoke! lookit the Daug coming down outa the Sky! He must of fell from an Areyoplane, be Gorry!" That's the kind of a Guy I am!
Then they is shops and piers out into the Ocean full of merry-go-rounds and bands and rides and gyp games where you dont git nuthin but Left, and dance halls and movies and Everything!
We're leaving fer New York tomorrow where the Boss and me expect to cut Some Swath on the Gay Wite Way. Remember me to Zeke and Wheezy and the Kids
Yours Respectfully
Mickie
P.S. Bad about us in the Paper
P.P.S. I bet they're all Soar!
THE LITTLE DARLING!
Charles Sughroe Atlantic City

Society and Club

Community Club to Meet.

The Girls' Community club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, Jan. 9. As this is the first meeting of the new year a large attendance is expected.

Giller-Schwartzbaum.

Announcement has been received by friends here of the marriage of Mrs. Beatrice Anna Giller, formerly of this city, to Gustav Schwartzbaum on Dec. 31, at the home of her mother in Boston.

Party.

Eugene Richter entertained a few boy friends at his home Tuesday evening. The guests were Herbert and Edmund Keene, Ronald Kinghorn, Edward Kiland, Alfred and Clement Cloutier, and George Johnson.

Whist Party.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Burns entertained a few of their friends at whist at their home last evening. There were guests for three tables. During the evening a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by her daughters, Misses Evangeline and Lucille Burns.

New Year Dinner Parties.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Loken and three children and Miss Cora Hendrickson of Baudette were New Year dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross. Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen entertained a small company of friends at dinner New Year's night at their home.

Mrs. Loken Entertains.

Mrs. H. O. Loken entertained a number of young people at her home Tuesday evening in compliment to her guests, Miss Olive Patterson of St. Hilaire and Miss Cora Hendrickson of Baudette. There were guests for three tables of progressive buncho. Lunch was served at 11 o'clock.

Entertains Informally.

Miss Mildred Bottelson informally entertained a few friends at her home on Wednesday, in compliment to Mrs. Robert Newcomb of Minneapolis. The guests included the Misses Maybelle Oatby, Eileen Herron, Marguerite Burns, Kathleen Ures, Harriet Anderson and Ann Leimers.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. K. J. LaCoe entertained a company of friends at her home, 617 St. Paul avenue south, on Sunday evening, the event being the occasion of her birthday anniversary. A dainty lunch was served at twelve. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weirus, Mr. and Mrs. D. Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Novak, and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Votava.

To Appear in Recital.

The following article from the Minneapolis Tribune will prove of interest here as Miss Forde had a class in piano here last winter:

"Mme. Bailey-Apfelbeck has planned a series of piano recitals to be given by artist pupils, including Sadie Ann Gingold, Edmond Langlais, Laura Forde, Florence Vogel, Sarah Grossman, Mildred Roberts."

Entertains.

Miss Theone Walker entertained a few friends at her home Tuesday evening. Needlework and fortune telling were the diversions. The guests were Mrs. H. L. Schuster, Mrs. Roy Erickson, Mrs. Arthur Collins, Miss Gladys Anderson, Miss Lylabelle Schuster, Miss Inez Johnson, Miss Nettie Ove, Miss Amy Nelson, Mrs. Ove and Mrs. Pearl Dale.

Auxiliary Meeting.

A meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion was held last evening at the Commercial club rooms. The pajamas made by the members were turned in and will be sent to former soldiers confined in Asbury hospital, Minneapolis, this week. The next meeting will be a social affair to be given on Tuesday evening, Jan. 31. Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, hostess, served a delightful lunch.

Tobogganing Party.

Misses Ella and Marrian Miller were delightful hostesses at a tobogganing party at Lovers' Lane Saturday evening. Refreshments were served at the home of the hostesses, after which cards were played. Those present were Miss Lucille Burns, Miss Evangeline Burns, Miss Olive Patterson, Miss Mary Prichard, Miss Dorothy Bottelson, Miss Helen Weeks, Miss Ruth Vik, Guy and Perry Johnson, Morlan Bishop, Ed. Brevig, Roy Brown, Roy Miller, Charles and James Prichard, and Roy Barzen.

Barnard-Hanson.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 28, at 5 o'clock, at the home of the bride's cousin, Mrs. A. G. Jacobson, 2309 Irving avenue south, Minneapolis, occurred the marriage of Miss Effie Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hanson of Fertile, to W. A. Barnard of this city. The bride is an accomplished musician and one of the popular young ladies of her home town and is quite well known here, having visited at different times at the home of her cousin, Nels Christianson. Mr. Barnard is division superintendent on the Soo and prominent in the business and social life of the city. Mr. and Mrs. Barnard have secured apartments in the Mrs. Anna Langseth residence.

Students' Musical.

This afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. O. Erickson, instructor, will be given a students' piano recital at 3 o'clock, and the following program will be rendered:

"Through Field and Wood" ---- Vogel
"Come to School" ---- Spaulding
Duet, Harriet Hellquist and Mudge LaBree.
"Neath Sunny Skies" ---- Marie Pabli
Olive Carlson
"After the Wild Flowers," Streabbog
Lois Roth
"In Dreamland" ---- Behr
George Lambert
"The Diligent Child" ---- Czerney
Georgia Marie Smith
"The Pixies Waltz Song" ---- Brown
Evelyn Carlson
"The Windmill" ---- Dutton
Ione Loken
"The Teddy Bears March" ---- Hudson
Jeanette Mogensen
"The Happy Child" ---- Hudson
Woodrow Craik
"Little Helen's Waltz" ---- Hudson
"Valse" ---- Czerney
Luverne Rolland
"The Apt Pupil" ---- Spaulding
Mudge LaBree
"Little Wooden Shoes" ---- McCoy
Audrey Kline
"The Marionette" ---- Preston
Ruth Froseth
"Sing, Robin, Sing" ---- Spaulding
Rose Sheedy
"Christmas Bells" Southern Melody
Katherine Bakke
"Whisperings of Love" ---- Rolfe
Margaret Geske
"My First March" ---- Steabbog
"Birdie, Birdie in the Tree" Spaulding
"Soldiers Marching" ---- Renard
"Over the Top" ---- Rolfe
Harriet Hellquist
"Summer Comes Again" ---- Hatch
Eloise Carlson
"Under the Lattice" ---- M. Loeb Evans
"Perfumes of the Orient" ---- Lawson
Edward Kiland
"Language of the Flowers" ---- Rolfe
Margaret Barzen
"The Woodlark" ---- Grun
Ruby Ihle

Piano Recital.

A piano recital by the advanced pupils of Mrs. C. O. Erickson will be given at her home on Duluth avenue at 7:30 p. m., Thurday, Jan. 12. The following program has been arranged:

"Joyous Return," duet ---- Rignet
Helen Griebstein, Irene Hanson
"Evening Song," left Hand, Hollander
Ansof Dahlen
"Crescendo" ---- Lasson
"By the Water of Minnetonka" ---- Lieurance
Theresa Fuller
"On the Heather" ---- Pabst
Helen Griebstein
"Narcissus" ---- Nevin
Irene Hanson
"Cavalry Advance," duet ---- Schneider
Elizabeth DeCremer, Kathrine Barzen
"Norwegian Dance" ---- Grieg
Esther Bennes
"Cabaletta" ---- Lack
Vivian Thorson, Goodridge
Dance (Touzweise) Meyer-Helmlund
"Minuet a L' Antique" ---- Paderewski
Harriet Fuller
"Whispering Flowers" ---- Blon
Lillian Johnston
"Trantelle" ---- W. Coverly
Katherine Barzen
"Woodland Whispers" ---- Braungardt
Dagny Tharaldson
"Battle of the Stars" ---- Ellis
Annie Amon
"Juba Dance" ---- Dett
Doris Richter
"To a Waterlily" ---- MacDowell
Frances Wengeler
"Ase's Death" ---- Grieg
"Warrior's Song" ---- Heller
Lucille Burns
"Air de Ballet" ---- V. Hubert
"Bourree" (From Second Violin Sonata) ---- Bach
Myrtle Erickson
"Second Mazurka" ---- Godard
Evangeline Burns
"Prelude in C Minor" Rachmaninoff
Mrs. A. Campbell
"Butterfly" ---- Densmore
"At the Carnival" ---- Grieg
Palma Langseth
"Poet and Peasant Overture" ---- F. Von Suppe
Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Ruby Bennes

Dancing Party.

A number of young men of the city were hosts at a dancing party at the I. O. O. F. hall on Monday evening. An excellent program of music was furnished by Elnor Overland, piano, Alfred Dybvik, drums, and John Hendry, xylophone. The guests included Miss Lillian Knight, Miss Twila Glines, Miss Ethel Erickson, Miss Dotty Krafthefer, Miss Josephine Eichhammer, Miss Stella House, Miss Gladys Black, Miss Esther Sourds, Miss Ruby Bennes, Miss Elsie Sundahl, Miss Lucille McGinnity, Miss Myrtle Hegland, Lee Ihle, Milton Lund, Milton Larson, Leland Knight, Allison Stitt, Craig Halvorson, Lynn Halvorson, Gregory Werstlein, Bernard Bischoff, Dreng Bjornaraa, Clarence Knutson, Harold Arneson and Roscoe Bakke.

Eastern Star Initiation.

The Winslow chapter of the Eastern Star held a regular meeting at the Masonic hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28. Four new members were initiated: Morlan Bishop, Miriam Bishop, Mary Prichard and Grace Craig. M[illegible] who has been a member of the local chapter for a number of years and also past worthy matron, was presented with flowers in recognition of the interest she has taken and the work she has done for Winslow chapter. Mrs. Crandall leaves soon for the West. A social time followed the regular session. Installation of officers will be held on Monday evening, Jan. 9, at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Informal Gathering.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen was the scene of a delightful New Year's party Monday evening when a number of their friends and neighbors dropped in to spend an informal evening. A bouillon supper preceded a program of dancing, music and cards. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Akre, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Protzeller, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lampert, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Smith, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher, R. M. Sheldon, D. P. Gamble, Mrs. Mae Rowan, C. L. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kelley of Devils Lake, N. D., Miss Olive Booren of Stillwater, and Miss Edith Schibsby of Minneapolis.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The program of the Woman's club meeting to be held on Monday afternoon, Jan. 9, will be in charge of Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, who, in view of the fact that every club in the state has been urged to make that date Federation day, has conformed to the wishes of the state president and arranged the following interesting program:

Vocal solo, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr.
Federation Song, "Minnesota Mine," club.
"History of the General Federation of Women's Clubs," Mrs. H. W. Froehlich.
"History of the Minnesota Federation of Women's Clubs," Mrs. Daniel Shaw.
"Various Departments of the Federation and How They Function," Mrs. E. M. Stanton.
Club News, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Leader.

The club rooms will be attractively decorated in the club colors. This is the first Federation meeting to be given by the local club and a record breaking attendance is hoped for. The meeting will be closed by the singing of "America."

Great Northern to Start Million Dollar Car Work

President Ralph Budd of the Great Northern railway has announced plans for rebuilding the road's wooden passenger coaches into all steel cars in the company's own shops, involving an expenditure of about $1,000,000. The company also is buying 30 new steel coaches at a cost of about $750,000.

Ordinarily the rebuilding of passenger cars is done in outside shops. President Budd said; "We probably could have it done for less money elsewhere, but it was thought desirable under present conditions to keep our own men busy and spend the money in our own communities."

The Great Northern program will prove an important factor in relieving the unemployment situation this winter. President Budd also announced a large number of the 1,000 clerks laid off recently will be reemployed early in January.

Emil Oatby.

Word has been received of the death of Emil Oatby, formerly of this city, at Monravia, Cal., on Thursday, Dec. 29, from tuberculosis. He was the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Newberry, who formerly resided here. Funeral services were held at Monravia on Saturday.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends, and especially the nurses at the hospital for the good care, and the Zion congregation and the pastor for their kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement; also for the beautiful floral offerings.—Gust Wollen and Family. j5

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PRESIDENT HARDING CALLS CONFERENCE TO ASSIST FARMERS

Urges Secretary of Agriculture Wallace to Expert Efforts Along This Line.

President Harding in a letter to Secretary Wallace of the Department of Agriculture, asks that the secretary call a national conference at Washington "to suggest practical ways of improvement for the severest agricultural depression which exists thruout the land."

Prompt action was taken at the Department of Agricultural in response to the request, telegraphic invitations being dispatched immediately to a number of organizations and individuals whose attendance is desired at the gathering.

Secretary Wallace said that the date for the conference had not been fixed nor a complete invitation list made up. It is expected, however, that the conference will be held within a month and that in addition to farmers and their organizations, industries asociated directly and indirectly with agriculture will be called in to assist in the efforts to improve conditions.

"No one will pretend that the present conditions could have been avoided," President Harding said in his letter to the secretary, "but none of us is willing to agree that there ought not to be some correct and constructive steps taken to remedy the severest hardships under which so important portion of our productive citizenship is struggling. I am convinced that a conference may be made a very helpful agency in suggesting practical ways of improvement, particularly if brought into coordination with the helpful investigation which has been begun by a to a related work."

FREIGHT RATE CUT SAVES ROAD FUNDS

Commissioner Babcock Places 1922 Savings By New Tariff at Large Figure.

Saving of approximately $250,000 on the 1922 construction program of the Minnesota Highway department is virtually assured by a 20 per cent reduction in freight rates on road building materials ordered last week by the state railroad and warehouse commission and made public by Commissioner Ivan Bowen.

Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, upon whose petition the lower rates are ordered, made the estimate and said it is conservative. It will mean a saving of about $1,000 a mile on paving, $400 a mile on gravel surfacing for which materials are shipped by rail, and other corresponding savings, he said. Anticipating a freight rate decrease, Mr. Babcock directed that all highway contracts be so drawn that any savings would revert to the state.

"Commissioner Bowen's announcement of the reduced tariffs means that there will be available this year an additional quarter of a million dollars to enable the highway department to further spread and speed the benefits under Good Roads Amendment No. 1," said Mr. Babcock.

Proceedings before the railroad and warehouse commission followed rejection by Commissioner Babcock of a proposal from some railroad officials of a plan to grant special rates in individual cases. The commissioner insisted upon a uniform cut applying to all rail lines in Minnesota and was successful.

Give Your Cows a Chance and See Income Increase

E. A. Hanson, dairy extension specialist at University Farm, renews the inquiry, "Are you keeping cows or are they keeping you?" in a collection of feeding suggestions issued by him.

"*Put the cow to work,*" he says, "and she is the most efficient money maker on the farm today. A cow producing 25 pounds of 4 per cent milk daily makes one pound of butter fat a day worth about 50 cents. This cow needs rations and hay and silage which should not cost more than 15 cents daily, leaving 35 cents daily above the cost of her feed. Where can you invest your time and efforts to better advantage? Give your cows a chance. They are all capable of doing better when properly fed."

LIVE STOCK RUNS MODERATELY LIGHT

Cattle Market Opens on Steady to Strong Basis—25c to 35c Higher Prices Quoted.

South St. Paul, Jan. 2—Livestock receipts were moderately light at the week's opening, cattle supplies being especially light for a Monday, only around 1,300 being estimated. While trading was somewhat slow and the market quiet, prices were on a generally steady to strong basis with last week's close. No good or choice beef steers were included in the receipts, a few small lots of a medium grade sold up around $7, and best load lot reached $6.75, but relatively few sold over the $6 mark, bulk being of the common grade selling from this price down to $5 or slightly below.

A few of the best offerings of butcher heifers sold at $6 or higher, best load lot $5.85, and bulk of the butcher cows and heifers at $3 to $4.75. Some thin canners sold at $2 and bulk of canners and cutters from $2.25 to $3. Most sales of bologna bulls were made at $2.75 to $3.50, only the poorest light weights as low as $2.50. Veal calves opened steady but the undertone was weak, prices at Chicago being 50 to 75c lower. Practical packer top here on best lights was $7.50, seconds mostly $5. Stockers and feeders sold on a steady to strong basis, price range from $4 to $5 including most sales.

Choice, light sorted hogs sold at $7.25 to $7.50, with bulk of good light and butcher hogs averaging from about 190 pounds and up at $6.75 to $7, and packing sows $5.50 to $6.25. Good pigs sold from $8.25 to $8.60. Bulk of the good to choice native and fed western lambs sold at $10.25 to $10.85 or steady to strong; bulk of good ewes $4 to $4.50.

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SENATE AGREES TO INVESTIGATION OF GRAIN SITUATION

Speedy Action Follows National Demand Suggested By President of Grain Growers.

Passage by the United States senate of a resolution authorizing a federal investigation of the export grain trade is the direct result of thousands of letters and telegrams sent to the capital by grain producers, at the suggestion of C. H. Gustafson, according to northwest headquarters of the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc. Mr. Gustafson, Grain Growers' president, three weeks ago launched a national campaign to obtain early action on this resolution, charging that present "ruinous prices" were due to a "smashing" process, despite an export demand that in 1921 absorbed 90,000,000 bushels of wheat more than in 1920.

In Minnesota, presidents of county farm bureaus responded vigorously to to Mr. Gustafson's appeal.

The resolutio nauthorizes the Federal Trade commission to inquire into the margin between farm and export prices, of market manipulation, profits and losses of grain export firms, and methods used by foreign buyers.

The resolution was introduced last summer by Senator E. F. Ladd, and was "pigeon-holed" in committee until the U. S. Grain Growers launched a nationwide campaign for its passage.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	[illegible]
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.01
Flax	1.76
Barley	.30
Oats	.21
Rye	.60
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	3.50
Crushed corn, 100 lb. bags	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.15
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.10
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.12
Old Roosters	.08
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, No. 1, alive	.20
Turkeys, No. 1 dressed	.30
Spring Cchickens, per lb.	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.32
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.35
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.40
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	7-8c
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7c
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	4-5c
Calves, per lb.	4-5c
Cows, per lb.	3-4c

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The holiday celebration of the Sons and Daughters of Norway at Masonic hall on Thursday evening was attended by an audience which filled the room to overflowing. The program was most enjoyable, a number of selections not previously announced providing a good share of the entertainment. The address delivered by Bernhard Knudsen was appropriate to the occasion and greatly appreciated. The evening wound up with the serving of a fine lunch.

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BRUMUND AGAIN HEADS COUNCIL; ALL KEEP JOBS

No Changes Are Made in Appointive Offices at First Meeting of Year.

Akre Remains as Clerk and Chommie as City Attorney For Two Years More.

Mayor in Message Makes Pertinent Suggestions With Regard to Future Needs.

H. A. Brumund, councilman from the Third ward, was on Tuesday evening elected to succeed himself as president of that body, the vote being unanimous. Carl Froseth was reelected vice chairman and all committees and left standing as constituted during the past two years.

This organization session was without exception the most harmonious gathering of its kind ever seen in the city. There was but one candidate for each office or position, with two exceptions. Two applications were received for the position of street commissioner, one from the present incumbent, H. O. Hoff, and the other from T. A. Fossum, while P. J. Keating and G. H. Sandum applied for the appointment of city assessor. No action was taken in either case, the matter being laid over until the adjourned meeting called for next Tuesday evening.

President Expresses Thanks.

Mr. Brumund, in expressing his thanks for the honor conferred by his being again chosen to head the council, said that while the members had in the past had their differences, these had never been of a serious nature and he hoped that even these minor misunderstandings would be avoided in the future. He felt sure that every man on the board was endeavoring to give the people of the city the best service of which he was capable and that their efforts were being appreciated, at least by a large majority of those interests they were trying to serve.

All Are Re-appointed.

The re-appointment of A. H. Akre as city clerk was moved by Councilman O. L. Ihle and unanimously carried. The same course was followed in the selection of P. G. Peterson as assistant clerk; H. O. Chommie, city attorney; O. L. Legvold, superintendent of the water and light department; R. G. Cook, custodian of the auditorium; Martin H. Owen, incinerator superintendent, and Henry Froseth, manager of auditorium. Dr. O. F. Mellby was named city physician.

Mayor's Message Read.

Mayor John Bratrud made a number of recommendations in his biennial message. Chief among these were a suggestion that a city scales be installed and weighmaster appointed, better supervision over the auditorium, makig arrangements looking toward the changing of the electric light plant to an alternating system; planning for the providing of power when the present contract with the dam owners shall have expired; the cutting of expenses at every possible point in order that taxes may be reduced, and a halt in the paving program until a demand for greater extension of the paved area shall come from the taxpayers themselves. The mayor thanked the councilmen for the cheerful co-operation at all times extended and the consideration given any subject he has found it advisable to bring before the board. He hoped these pleasant relations would continue, pledging his own endeavors toward this end.

Approves Scale Proposition.

When the citizens present were asked if they had anything they wished to bring before the council, C. L. Hansen spoke briefly in support of the mayor's suggestion that a city scales be installed. He did not wish to be understood as questioning the honesty or good intentions of the fuel dealers and others who use scales, believing it would be to the advantage of these also to have a city weighmaster check up their loads, but thought it would be a source of much satisfaction to the public at large to have such convenience installed, even though it did not prove entirely self-supporting. Th ematter will be given due consideration at a future time, according to the councilmen.

Salaries for the year were not fixed and this matter will be taken up at the adjourned meeting next Tuesday evening.

More Poultry Prizes.

Thief River Falls poultry fanciers fared pretty well at the Red Lake county exhibition last week. Olaf Neset carried off 15 awards on his Rhode Island Reds; C. M. Buoen secured 11 awards on his display of Buff Orpingtons, and H. L. Schuster of Sunnyside Poultry Yards landed nine for White Leghorns. Olaf Neset also won the sweepstakes for pullets while Mr. Buoen won first prize for display.

ATHLETICS MEET STATE CHAMPIONS IN TWO CONTESTS

Opening Game With Two Harbors All Stars to be Played Here This Evening.

The basketball games played thus far this year will prove to have been mere practice sessions when compared with what the Athletics will go against when they meet the Two Harbors All Stars tonight and Friday. The Lake county outfit is not only the best in Minnesota, but Walter Camp, the famous sports writer, says it is one of the five best teams in the entire country. Out of 28 games played last year 27 were won, the only break in the record being the loss of one contest to the famous Battery A team of Minneapolis. It is claimed that the Minneapolis quint refused to play a third game after each team had won one.

While it is admitted that Two Harbors is by all odds the heaviest opposition the locals have gone against, they are not entering the contest with the notion that they are going to be defeated. Visitors who saw both aggregations in action last year said that Thief River Falls would stand an even show with Battery A, and as Two Harbors won a game and lost another against that celebrated bunch there is a good chance of their being trimmed on the floor here. At least that is the way boosters for the Athletics have doped the matter out.

This has been a strenuous week for Connell's proteges. He has put them through a grueling course of preparation and when they get out on the floor tonight they will be on edge to a degree never before reached. One or two of the boys who have showed some difficulty in hitting their last year's stride are now believed to be in the best shape of their careers and ready to give an account of themselves that will startle the remarkably smooth machine hailing from the north shore of Lake Superior.

Remember that unless you get there early you will have to stad up and may not even have a chance to do that.

Prohibition Anniversary.

January 17 will mark the second anniversary of the national constitutional prohibition victory in the United States and arrangements are being made by temperance societies, young people's societies and patriotic organizations to celebrate the event with appropriate exercises.

THIEF RIVER FALLS BANKS RETAIN ALL PRESENT OFFICERS

Stockholders in Three of City's Banks Hold Annual Meetings During Past Week.

Stockholders in Thief River Falls banks are evidently satisfied with the manner in which business has been conducted during the past year. Three of the four financial institutions of the city held their annual meetings during the week and in each case all directors and officers were re-elected.

Statements recently published show that all city and county banks are in good condition and apparently meeting all calls upon their resources without the slightest difficulty. While it is true that deposits are slightly below what they were at this time a year ago the amount of loans outstanding shows that liquidation has kept the standings on an even keel and it is doubtful if there is a city in the state where a better or more absolutely sound showing is presented.

Meetings of the directors in each of the Citizens group of banks in the neighborhood were held during the week. Olaf Ramstad remains as president of all these, the other officers for the Citizens State bank here being: A. M. Langseth and Louis Hanson, vice presidents; T. L. Melgaard, cashier; C. W. Vorachek and E. P. Brevig, assistant cashiers; Carl Gulrud, teller. For the Citizens State bank of Grygla, the following were elected: A. J. Anderson, vice president; J. H. Peterson, cashier. The Hazel bank officers remain Paul Borgie and Ole Odegaard, vice presidents; E. C. Karwand, cashier.

The meeting of stockholders of the First National bank was held on Wednesday afternoon, when the following were re-elected as the board of directors: C. L. Hansen, Rasmus Oen, E. M. Bennes, O. D. Ostby and W. H. Akre. All present officers were named for another year, Mr. Hansen remaining president; Mr. Oen and Mr. Bennes vice presidents, and Mr. Akre cashier. The bank personnel also includes T. M. Thronson, auditor; L. C. Nielsen, teller; G. W. Werstlein, manager insurance department; Reuben Hadrath, stenographer and bookkeeper; Philip Larson, bookkeeper.

At the annual meeting of the First and Peoples stockholders yesterday the old officers and employes were in each case re-elected, as follows: A. M. Sheldon, president; H. S. Dahlen and Math Barzen, vice presidents; R. M. Sheldon, cashier; L. A. Hermanson and Alvin Holzknecht, assistant cashiers; Stanton Dahlen, teller; Inez Johnson, stenographer; Laura Lund, bookkeeper.

First Wedding of Year.

They are slow in getting started this year only one marriage license having been issued thus far by Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund. The contracting parties are Albert Johnson of Cass county, and Miss Hannah Wiken of Pennington. The marriage ceremony was performed by Judge N. W. Tarrant on Saturday, and was witnessed by Wesley and Mildred Pierson of this city.

Do You Want a Buick Six or New Ford Touring Car Without a Cent of Cost?

The Times is Going to Present These Cars Free to the Persons Who Will Work to Earn Them—Cash and Other Gift Distributions Will Also Be Made.

The Thief River Falls Times wants to give you a new 1922 model Buick touring car. Or, in case you fall just short of securing the Buick, you will still be in line for a new Ford touring car.

The Times is going to give these cars away to some person who will earn them by doing a little work. Not one red cent need you spend in order to secure one or the other.

The automobiles will be given away on March 18, 1922, and every person who enters the contest will have the same opportunity to win. None will be favored and none will start under a handicap. It will make absolutely no difference to the publishers who wins these machines. Success depends entirely upon the hustling abilities of the contestant. Those who get into the game early and work consistently will have the best chance and for this reason it is important that those who wish to own one of these cars read the instructions on the big double page advertisement in this issue.

$25 In Gold For You.

A purse of $25 has been set aside by The Times, to be given to the person who nominates the winner of the Buick. You can nominate yourself and when you have made the Buick "your Buick" receive the $25 nomination prize.

You will find a coupon at the bottom of the double page announcement for your convenience. Only one nomination credited, but you can nominate as many different persons as you have nomination blanks.

The Buick car is the latest model six-cylinder machine turned out by these famous factories. It is a car that any person might well be proud to own. This is the capital prize in The Times' big subscription contest about to open. This car has been secured from the People Auto company of this city.

Next in importance among the prizes comes the Ford touring car. This has been purchased from the McFarland Auto company of Thief River Falls and is the standard Ford with all the latest additions, including self-starter. This car will go to the person who aims at getting the Buick but does not quite reach it. There are other valuable prizes and cash awards for the workers. No one will be permitted to put in their time without being paid for it. Right at the outset an opportunity is presented for earning $25 in gold without in any manner jeopardizing your chances of getting one of these cars.

There will be no other such opportunity for securing a car like one of these. A little work in your own neighborhood and among your own friends will turn the trick.

Read the announcement and act at once. Do not let someone else get ahead of you. The contestant with the early start will have the best chance of winning.

FARM MANAGEMENT MAIN SUBJECT OF INSTITUTE TALKS

Meetings to be Held in This City Tomorrow and at Goodridge on Saturday.

W. I. Cavert, farm management demonstrator of the University of Minnesota, announces a very interesting program for the farm management schools to be held in Thief River Falls on Friday and in Goodridge on Saturday. Mr. Cavert will discuss the cost of producing butter fat as well as more economical feeding rations that should be used to secure the best returns.

J. H. Hay will have some very useful information along the line of organizing co-operative associations. The question of fixing farm prices and co-operative marketing will be fully discussed by G. Halvorsen and W. J. Brown of Thief River Falls.

The above are subjects of vital interest to farmers of this locality and as each one is handled by an expert in his particular line the information imparted should prove of the highest value. All persons interested are urged to be present, prepared to take notes for future reference.

The morning session will be devoted to the organizing of a Pennington County Milk Testing association and the securing of additional names of those interested in having their herds placed on official test. Eighteen local dairymen have already signified their intention of carrying on the work and starting operations immediately after Friday's meeting.

BUREAU ELECTS LAC QUI PARLE MAN PRESIDENT

J. F. Reed Unanimously Chosen on First Ballot to Succeed L. E. Potter.

Warren Man Named as Member Three Years of Executive Board For

New Head of Organization Says Co-operation Must Be Watchword of the Farmer.

J. F. Reed, Lac qui Parle county farmer, is the new president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation.

He was elected on the first ballot in the third annual convention of the federation in the state capitol. F. E. Lammers of Lakeville, Dakota county, was elected vice president. V. E. Anderson, Wheaton, treasurer of the state federation, was re-elected without opposition.

New members of the executive board of the federation are M. L. Warner of Warren, elected for a term of three years, and Mrs. E. V. Ripley of Park Rapids, for one year. Thomas E. Cashman of Owatonna was reelected to the board for a three-year term, and J. D. Pyle of Madison, J. J. Jacobson of Bowlus, and George Freeman of Zumbrota also were reelected. Mr. Jacobson and Mr. Freeman are to serve two-year terms, and Mr. Pyle a one-year term. The terms of these three directors were decided by lot.

The new president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation is 58 year sold; he was born in Marshall county, Iowa, and came to Minnesota in 1893. He owns and actually runs two farms in Lac qui Parle county, one of 368 acres and the other a half section. The western line of the farm on which he lives forms the western boundary of the statt. Because the post office at Gary, just over the line in South Dakota, serves two Minnesota townships, Mr. Reed's mailing address is Gary, S. D.

Solid Organization Needed.

"Any farmer would be unresponsive indeed if he did not appreciate the honor you have conferred on me," Mr. Reed said in his speech to the delegates, accepting the presidency.

"I believe we are entering a period of great importance for the farm bureau of this state. I am willing to devote what poor ability I may have to further the organization.

"I beg of you your earnest co-operation and help. I expect every director and farm bureau member present to go home with the idea of a more solid organization.

"Agriculture is passing through its greatest crisis. If we are going to lift the pall of gloom that is over the farmers now, we must bring to this work stout hearts, clear heads and willing hands. It is a peculiar condition of affairs that the farmer always has been subject to conditions over which he has had no control. He has had to haul his crops to market and humbly ask how much they were worth; he has had to go to the store and respectfully ask how much he must pay for the goods he had to buy.

"That condition is unthinkable. It is a challenge to the American spirit of fair play.

Is Not Pessimistic.

"Our state stands out in bold relief in co-operative marketing. But much is still to be done. If we perfect our co-operative marketing organizations, the farmer will be in the same position as the manufacturer. The manufacturer would look upon an attempt by anyone else to set the price of his products as audacious. During the last few years, non-productive agencies have governed the price of the farmers' products.

"I am not a pessimist. I am a farmer. I see these things from my own barn door.

"I must have the co-operation of every farm bureau member. We must work in harmony. There are some powerful and insidious forces at work to break down co-operation among farmers. There are influences at work today throughout the country to tear down an agency that is the foundation of the farm bureau. I refer to the county agents. It is a fine time to go to the farmer and tell him his taxes are too high. I know mine are high, awfully high. But I believe the farmers will demand the office of county agent be maintained.

Has United Support.

"I want you to go home and serve notice on your county commissioners that when they try to move the county agent out of your county, they might as well try to move out the court house.

"Looking from my own barn door I can see where the county agent has been helpful to me. Looking across my line fences, I can see where he has been helpful to my neighbor, to my county and to the state. I pledge to the utmost my poor ability to carry on the work of the farm bureau."

At the close of Mr. Reed's talk, the delegates rose spontaneously and pledged their united support to the new president of the Minnesota federation.

☼ CROOKSTON-TWO HARBORS ☼
☼ TAKE ONE GAME APIECE ☼
☼ The Two Harbors basketball team, which comes to Thief Falls for two games tonight and tomorrow, was defeated by Crookston in the first contest by a score of 32 to 21. In last night's game Two Harbors reversed the score, winning by 31 to 23. ☼

FROZEN TO DEATH WITHIN 200 FEET OF HIS OWN DOOR

Mannie Hamer, Former Resident of Thief River Falls, Dead Near Williams.

Another Pennington county man has lost his life in the north woods, the victim this time being Mannie Hamer, a pioneer resident of St. Hilaire and also at different times employed in this city. He last worked here at the Rolland meat market about a year ago but left to continue his residence on a homestead he had taken up near Williams. The Baudette Region gives the following account of the occurrance:

"To be lost in the woods and to be frozen to death within two hundred feet of his home was the tragic fate that overtook M. Hamer, a homesteader who lived 17 miles south of Williams, on Friday night or Saturday morning. Hamer was seen about his yard Friday morning, but when he did not show up again by noon on Saturday his neighbors became alarmed, and a party consisting of Thos. Moe, John Brunner, Carl Engrom and Emil Olson started out to look for him. They had gone only a short distance into the woods when they came upon his dead body in the snow, and everything pointed to the fact that he had become lost in the woods and had frozen to death. His tracks showed that he had walked in a circle, perhaps for hours, and that his gun, with which he evidently had been hunting rabbits, had been thrown to one side when he became too weak to carry it.

"Deputy Coroner Frank Johnson of Baudette was notified, but the circumstances all pointed to death from freezing, and it was decided not to hold an inquest. The body was brought to Baudette, where it is being held until word from deceased's former home at Red Lake Falls is received.

"Deceased was about 45 years of age and was not married. He had lived alone on his homestead for several years."

Sheldrew Re-elected As Manager of Co-operative

The annual meeting of the Peoples Co-operative Store company was held in the municipal court room on Tuesday night. The annual report of officers and manager showed that the concern had enjoyed a very good business during the past year under the management of George Sheldrew, who was reappointed to that position. Other officers were elected as follows: H. W. Kinghorn, president; O. A. Naplin, vice president; C. E. Helquist, secretary-treasurer. Added to these as a board of directors were O. F. Halldin, P. A. Harris, A. J. Borry, Waldie Christensen, Harry Frye and Christ Engen. About 60 stockholders were present at the meeting.

Automobile Club Annual Meeting Tuesday Evening

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Automobile association will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. Officers for the ensuing year are to be elected at this time and plans for the season discussed. The business meeting will be followed by a smoker.

GOOD MEETING OF PARENT-TEACHERS

Fine Addresses and Musical Numbers Please Fair Sized Crowd Tuesday Evening.

A fair sized audience attended the second regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association on Tuesday evening at the Lincoln auditorium. The musical features consisted of a selection by a quartet composed of Dr. J. N. Nesse, Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, Supt. I. T. Simley and E. M. Bennes, and a greatly enjoyed violin selection by Master Harry Arneson, accompanied on the piano by his sister, Eileen.

The principal talk of the evening was given by Supt. Simley, who pointed out certain facts in connection with the school work which were of interest to all. He described the boundary lines of the district and showed in detail the system followed in providing funds for educational purposes through taxation. The various forms of state aid were explained and the method by which they are derived. Mr. Simley stated that the enrollment in the district at the present time is about 1,500 and that in comparison with last year the attendance is very good.

Dr. M. Geo. Milan of Oakland Park sanitorium, spoke on "The Health of the Child," bringing out many points of great value. His talk was both interesting and instructive, being valuable for the guidance of parents and teachers alike. Miss Ruth Johnson, school nurse, and Miss Clara Baumann, girls' physical director, gave an outline of what the schools are doing for the promotion of health among the pupils.

These Parent-Teachers' meetings are growing in interest and would be more generally attended did the people understand their value. At the meeting previously held the principal address was delivered by Rev. M. J. Noesen, whose remarks proved of exceptional interest.

A feature of these meetings is the lunch served at their close.

Captain Petrie Leaves.

A special meeting will be held at the Salvation Army hall Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, at which time Capt. *Florence Petrie will bid farewell to* her friends in Thief River Falls. She goes to her home at Jamestown, N. D., for a short furlough and will later take another appointment. The captain has rendered good and faithful service here and her work has been appreciated by many. As many as possible of her friends are urged to be present at the meeting Sunday evening.

TO MAKE NO FIGHT FOR ENDORSEMENT AT DISTRICT MEET

Congressman Steenerson Will Center Efforts on Primaries Later in the Year.

It begins to look as if there would be an interesting scrap on for the Republican nomination for congress in the Ninth district this year. Halvor Steenerson will be a candidate to succeed himself and as he has been on the job for 20 years he naturally has a strong and well-organized following. C. G. Selvig, superintendent of the Northwest Agricultural school at Crookston, seems to have definitely decided to enter the contest and is receiving much encouragement. Senator Ole Sageng of Otter Tail county, who once before made the run against Steenerson, will also be in the race, it is asserted.

Martin Widsten of Warroad, Congressman Steenerson's campaign manager, was in Thief River Falls for a short time on Tuesday, enroute home from the cities. He stated that the present representative would not be an active candidate before the district convention at Moorehead on Mar. 30, and would make no particular effort to secure endorsement by that body. Should such endorsement be given he would naturally be much pleased, but apparently he does not consider it of any great importance. Mr. Steenerson will try conclusions in the June primaries with wroever is selected to oppose him at the Moorehead meeting, feeling confident that histroy will repeat itself and that he will become the standard bearer of the Ninth district Republicans.

Both Selvig and Sageng are strong men and many Republicans are of the opinion that the present incumbent faces the fight of his life, particularly if one of the opponents should give way in order to strengthen the chances of the other.

Knox Building Formally Opened to Public Friday

The new Knox school building on the East side will be formally opened to the public on Friday evening. J. H. Hay, for 13 years superintendent of schools in this city, will be the principal speaker and an appropriate musical program has been arranged. The public is cordially invited to attend this opening but grade school children are asked not to come as space will not permit of their being accomodated with seats.

Short addresses will be made by A. B. Dunham on behalf of the architects, and W. W. Prichard, Jr. for the contractors. President H. W. Froehlich of the school board will accept the building on behalf of the public and an opportunity for inspection will be given at the close of the program.

Perry Johnson Becomes Extension Staff Member

Perry Johnson left Monday evening for Grand Rapids, this state, where he will join Prof. A. D. Wilson as a member of the university extension staff. Mr. Johnson is a dairy expert with considerable experience, having paid particular attention to the breeding of Guernsey cattle. He is a practical man with actual farm training and will prove a valuable addition to the staff of Prof. Wilson.

Mr. Johnson is the official referee for the basketball games payed in this city and has gained a reputation for both fairness and fearlessness along this line. His place on the floor will probably be taken by his brother, Guy, who is just as well qualified.

FINAL CALL TO I. C. RICHARDSON, STATE PIONEER

Former Postmaster and Judge of Probate Died in This City Saturday Afternoon.

Resident of Minnesota 56 Years, 30 of Which Were Spent in Thief River Falls.

Remains Are Taken to Former Home in Olmstead County For Burial Monday.

Ira Cutler Richardson, for 30 years a resident of Thief River Falls, died at his home on Saturday afternoon at the age of 66 years, the immediate cause of his death being a blood clot on the brain. About three weeks ago Judge Richardson suffered a stroke of partial paralysis, this being the second in a period of two years. The first left him in a greatly enfeebled condition and practically compelled his retirement from public life after having been an active participant in the affairs of the Northwest for over 36 years.

After a short funeral sermon at the family residence, 502 LaBree avenue north, conducted by Rev. J. B. Smith of the Methodist church, on Monday afternoon, the remains were taken to the former home of the family near Elgin, Minn., for burial, accompanied by Mrs. Richardson and two sons. Members of the local bar association officiated at pall bearers.

Native of New Hampshire

Judge Richardson was a pioneer resident of Minnesota, having resided in the state for 57 years. Born at Lebanon, N. H., Sept. 21, 1855, he moved West with his parents ten years later, the family settling at Viola, Olmstead county. He attended the public school in his home town and at Elgin, later graduating from the high school at Rochester. Deciding to embrace the law as a profession, Mr. Richardson entered Iowa college at Iowa City, where he was a classmate and roommate of Senator F. B. Kellogg, the friendship there formed continuing unbroken throughout the years that have followed.

Postmaster Ten Years.

On March 25, 1885, Mr. Richardson was united in marriage to Miss Orra M. Evans of Elgin, soon thereafter moving with his wife to northern Minnesota. They first settled in Argyle, where deceased engaged in the practice of his profession and served two terms as county attorney of Marshall county. In 1893 the family moved to Thief River Falls, this city continuing their home since that time. Mr. Richardson was appointed postmaster by President McKinley in 1897 and held the office for 10 years. He served as judge of probate for Red Lake county before the formation of Pennington, and was elected to the same position in the latter county in 1918, declining to become a candidate for re-election at the end of his term.

Mr. Rihardson was a member of the first school board in Thief River Falls and also of the fire department, being an honorary member of the latter organization at the time of his death. He was active in the work of the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors lodges and up to the time his health failed was prominent in all undertakings entered upon for the advancement of his home city and section.

Besides the widow two sons survive: Wayne Evans Richardson, secretary of the commercial club at Yakima, Wash., and Glenn Ira Richardson, station agent for the Great Northern railway at Bronson, Minn.

Hauge's Property Bought By Christian Scientists

A deal whereby the Christian Science society of Thief River Falls becomes owner of the former Hauge's church property on the corner of LaBree avenue and First street was closed this week. This church building has not been used since the consolidation of the three Lutheran bodies about three years ago, when it came into the ownership of the Trinity congregation.

The property is in a fine state of repair and will require practically no outlay on the part of the new owners. The latter have been holding services in the basement of the public library and in the auditorium for some years but the society has now grown to a point that makes permanent quarters a necessity. The building secured will meet all requirements and furnish ample library and reading room quarters besides.

Poultry Association to Elect Officers Monday

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Poultry association will be held in the farm bureau office at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening, Jan. 16. Officers and directors for the coming year will be elected and the financial statement of the organization will be read. The county association has made wonderful progress the past year and plans for establishing a co-operative marketing system for the poultrymen of Pennington county and adjacent territory will be discussed at the meeting. Every poultry fancier in the county is invited to be present.

LOOK! OWN YOUR DREAM CAR FREE!

The Thief River Falls Times Salesmanship Campaign Offers You an Opportunity to
OWN AN AUTO OR OTHER PRIZES

This Big
BUICK-6
FREE! Can Be Your's FREE!

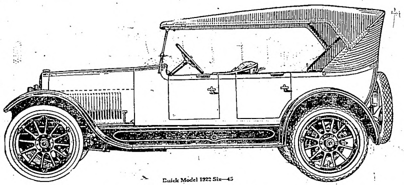

Buick Model 1922 Six—45

(Purchased from Peoples Auto Co., Thief River Falls.)

1st Grand Free Prize
1922 Buick Touring Car

How the Prizes Will be Given

There isn't any secret as to how the Big Beautiful Buick "Six" and the 1922 Ford Touring car, along with the other prizes listed in The Thief River Falls Times Big Salesmanship Campaign, will be given away. Free "Credits" will win the wonderful gifts and there is no reason in the world why you can not gather these "Credits" just as well as the next one. Free "Credits" will be allowed on all subscriptions to The Thief River Falls Times. The person who finishes the Campaign March 18th with the highest number of "Credits" will receive the Big Buick Beauty Six Touring Car. The person who finishes the campaign with the second highest number of "Credits" will receive the 1922 Ford. And so on down the list.

If you have wished, dreamed, or longed for an auto that you could call your own you had better make up your mind right this minute to enroll in this wonderful campaign and win one of these fine cars absolutely free. There are no strings tied to the winning of any of the free prizes. You can win just as well as the next one. All it takes to make you a big winner is your desire to win, backed up by an earnest campaign to gather "Credits," and you can do that as well as the next one.

Opportunity is knocking at your door and wants to give you a free automobile! Will you answer by filling out the enrollment coupon now and making your start at once? The longer you hesitate the harder it will be to make your start.

THE privilege of winning and owning the Buick Beauty Six is probably the greatest opportunity which has ever come to you. Whether or not you will take advantage of it and make yourself the most happy person on March 18th rests with you. It doesn't take any particular skill or talent to win in this campaign. If you are willing to "trade" your spare time for the next few weeks for a big, gorgeous automobile, you can start immediately.

The advantages of an early start are many. Not only do you have the full time in which to gather "Credits," but you announce to your friends and neighbors that you are in the campaign and they can make arrangements to help you. You also have the added advantage of gathering the "Cream of the Credits" by enrolling now and making a start before others in your community have made their announcements that they are in the campaign. You can gain nothing by hesitating. Every minute you delay making your start gives the other fellow that much advantage over you. Remember he who hesitates is lost. Beat all the rest in your community to the starting line. This campaign is open to every person living in Pennington and surrounding counties and a careful study of the "Credit" scale will show you that no matter where you live you have an equal opportunity to win the *Big Beautiful Buick Six.* Just as sure as you are reading these printed lines someone will win these free automobiles in a few short weeks. These are Brand New, Never-run-a-mile 1922 Models, and to think that you can be the proud owner of one of these cars by hustling "Credits" between now and the close of the campaign! Wishing will not win. Hustling will, so start now—today.

LOOK! LOOK!

$25 in Gold for You!!

A cash prize of $25 has been set aside and will be given to the person who nominates the winner of the Buick Touring Car.

Perhaps you have someone in mind right this minute whom you would like to see win the Buick. Of course, if you would like to win it yourself you can send in your own name and when you have won the Buick you will receive the $25 just the same as if you had nominated someone else. If more than one person nominates the same person, the first nomination to reach the desk of the Salesmanship Campaign Managers will receive the nomination prize of $25, should the person they nominate win the Capital Prize Buick Beauty Six.

Get your pencil and fill in the Coupon below right this minute and mail it at once. Twenty-five dollars isn't to be picked up every day in the week. As soon as you have filled out the Enrollment Coupon and mailed it to the Salesmanship Campaign Manager, care The Thief River Falls Times, plan your campaign. Dreams and wishes will never make you the winner of one of these fine cars. Say to yourself: "I might as well win one of these cars as the next one." You have no idea what you can do until you try. You can win and nobody will stop you if you enroll now and start your winning today. You can't afford to pass up such a wonderful opportunity as this. Opportunities like this don't grow on trees. DON'T PUT IT OFF UNTIL TOMORROW. FILL OUT THE BLANK NOW.

Early Work Counts

The sooner you have enrolled and declared yourself in the campaign the sooner you will begin to pile up "Credits." Everybody likes a hustler. Don't delay your enrollment. Visit all the places where there is a possibility of meeting a number of people. Advertise your campaign. Announce it at meetings, at church, lodge or society gatherings.

SEE WHAT SUBSCRIPTIONS EARN IN "CREDITS"

The Thief River Falls Times:

1 Year,	$2.00	350
2 Years,	$4.00	1,000
3 Years,	$6.00	1,500
4 Years,	$8.00	2,500
5 Years,	10.00	4,000

The above scale will be in effect until February 22.

WIN BUT WIN BIG!

Start in Earnest Now!

You can't lose by trying, and the sooner you make your start the better your chances are to make a winning finish. This campaign is for you and the thing for you to do is to get all the details at once. After reading this printed page if there is any point you do not understand or any little detail that you would like explained more fully, for goodness sake get in touch with the Campaign Manager at The Thief River Falls Times office at once and let him help you out. If you have an opportunity to pick up a subscription do so at once. Subscriptions now earn more "Credits" than they will later in the campaign. Get your friends and neighbors interested in your winning. Let everyone in your community know that you are in the campaign and OUT TO WIN!

4th Grand Prize

Lady's or Gent's
DIAMOND RING

5th Grand Prize

LADY'S OR GENT'S

Gold Watch

(Purchased from Neset Jewelry Store, Thief River Falls.)

Wishes Won't Win!

Visit the creamery when the farmers come in. Better yet, find out when the farmers draw their "pay checks" and be "on the job" at that time. Visit the grain elevators and the corner stores. Ask your postmaster or rural route carrier to advertise your campaign by mentioning it to persons they meet. If you will let people know that you are in dead earnest you will be surprised at the help you will receive from unexpected places.

CUT THIS COUPON OUT NOW

Manager, Salesmanship Campaign,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

You will please enroll the name of ______________________ in your Salesmanship Campaign. It is understood that this enrollment will entitle the candidate named above to 1,000 "Credits" towards winning the Buick Beauty Six, the Ford Touring Car or the other prizes offered during this campaign.

My name is ______________________

My address is ______________________

Only one enrollment will be credited to each contestant. If more than one person nominate the same person the first enrollment received at the office of the Campaign Manager will be accepted towards willing the $25 offered for nominating the winner of the Buick Beauty Six.

This New
FORD CAR
FREE! Can Be Your's FREE!

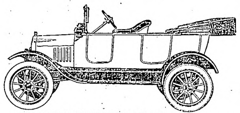

(Purchased from McFarland Auto Co., Thief River Falls.)

2nd Grand Free Prize
Ford Touring Car 1922 Model

3rd Grand Free Prize

$150.00

Phonograph

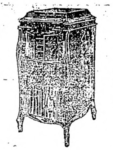

(Purchased from Lambert's Drug Store, Thief River Falls.)

Read the RULES NOW and start to WIN!

NO. 1—The Thief River Falls Times Salesmanship Campaign is open to any person living in Pennington or surrounding counties.

NO. 2—Subscriptions may be taken for The Thief River Falls Times and "Credits" earned according to the scale.

NO.3—"Credits" cannot be bought, sold or transferred in any manner from one contestant to another.

NO. 4—Subscriptions will not be accepted for a longer term than five years. All subscriptions must be paid in advance. The Salesmanship Campaign Management reserves the right to alter or amend the rules, as it deems necessary, by published announcements. For violation of these rules or other justifiable causes, the Campaign Management may disqualify a contestant. A contestant disqualified for cause in this campaign will forfeit all "Credits" previously entered.

NO. 5—The prizes will be awarded according to the "Credit" standings of the different contestants at the close of the campaign. The person finishing the campaign with the highest number of "Credits" will be awarded the Buick Beauty Six Touring Car. The person finishing with the second highest number of "Credits" will be awarded a Ford Car, and so on down the list until all prizes have been awarded. A 10 per cent commission will be paid on all subscription money sent in by a contestant not winning a prize.

NO. 6—In the absence of any rule to cover a questionable point not covered in these rules, the question will be decided by the Campaign Manager, whose decision will be final.

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LOOKING FORWARD

Mayor Bratrud, in his bi-ennial message to the city council, does not waste much time in reviewing the past, contenting himself with the statement that approval of the record is indicated by the fact that the people returned every member of administration at the last election by decisive majorities. He well says that it is toward the future we now must look and it is by future needs that the council's course from now on must be guided.

The past record of the mayor and council is very good. That is all needs be said concerning it. That it will be just as satisfactory during the next two years there is every reason for hoping. No change has been made in the elective or appointive offices as yet, and it is probable that none will be made. Councilman H. A Brumund remains president and it is not likely he will find any changes in committee designations necessary. He has made good as presiding officer and that he has worked in harmony with his colleagues is proven *by the fact that his re-election* was unanimous.

The mayor makes a number of recommendations in his message and these will no doubt receive attention at the proper time. Perhaps the most important is that concerning the electric light situation. He does not urge immediate action in making any change, but suggests that the council always bear in mind the fact that the city's contract with the dam owners is near terminating and that the change to an alternating current must be made in the interest of economy and efficiency within a short time. His plea for cutting down expenses at every possible point will be enthusiastically seconded by the taxpayers. Other recommendations are along sound, constructive lines, and in most cases in direct accord with the council's aims.

With competent, experienced and well-intentioned men at the head of affairs, Thief River Falls will keep on moving forward, while at the same time the people will feel that their interests are being safeguarded at every point.

IT BRINGS THE CASH.

Never has the value of the dairy cow been so absolutely demonstrated as at the present time. While the grain farmer in all parts of the country is facing the most serious situation in his history, the man with the dairy herd finds himself in comparatively easy circumstances. In fact he is the only person who has not had the price of his product cut to a point where he operates at an actual loss.

The experience of one Pennington county man may be taken as fairly indicating the position of the dairy farmer at this time. Hans Anton, residing south of Thief River Falls, has pinned his faith to Holstein cattle, milking an average of 18 throughout the year. The smallest check received by him for one month's output from his herd was for $265, and the largest for $455. This is an average of $360 per month and a total of $4,320 for the year. In other words, Mr. Anton's cows each provided him with a gross return of $20 every month.

This dairyman's record is nothing unusual. It is probable that in certain sections of the country it might be considered very ordinary, in fact. It does not greatly exceed that of certain other farmers in this neighborhood, but it must be remembered that all those whose returns come anywhere near equaling those of Mr. Anton are dairymen. They are also, like him, advocates of the thoroughbred. They have quit throwing good feed into cows that do not pay and are conducting their farms on a business basis. With them the non-paying cow is forced to give way to one that produces profit.

The milch cow is the mortgage lifter of the Minnesota farm. She is the one dependable revenue producer when everything else fails. All she asks is sensable treatment and month after month she will be found adding to her own reputation and the bank balance of the party who does the milking. It has taken a long time for this fact to become established, but the number of converts is growing steadily and it will not be long until the farmer who attempts to make a success of his business without the milch cow as the mainstay will be regarded as a failure from the outset.

THE WEST IN THE SADDLE.

Senator Porter J. McCumber, of North Dakota, has been named as the successor of the late Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania as chairman of the finance committee of the United States senate, the most important position in that important body.

McCumber is from the farming West while his predecessor was from the manufacturing East. This fact may have a tremendous influence upon legislation in the immediate future, particularly where the law making affects agricultural interests. While the new chairman is a strict doctrinarian from the Republican standpoint, his early environment and later experience has been such as to give him a clearer understanding of the importance of the farmer and the needs of agriculture than could possibly be the case with a man whose connections and interests are all in the East. That he has opinions of his own and is not afraid to express them was indicated by the stand he took against the majority of his party on the League of Nations question. Penrose was a very able man but the interests responsible for his election were not those to which the farmer could look with any hope of having his position understood. To this extent at least the change will be an improvement.

NO TIME TO QUIT.

Thief River Falls and Pennington county cannot permit the report to go broadcast that the people there residing refused to even make an attempt to raise a little something for the starving Russians. While the committee's action in asking to be excused from making a drive at this time was undoubtedly taken after careful consideration, yet it seems as if our people do not wish to be let off, and stand ready to meet this call to the extent of their ability just as they have met all that have preceded it.

We have gone down in our jeans to help the Chinese, the Serbians, the Turks—in fact no one has as yet made an appeal that has failed to get a hearing. There may be those who are of the opinion that the Russians are themselves largely to blame for the disasters that have overtaken them, but it is doubtful if any of us are in a position to form an impartial judgment on the subject. Anyhow, it will have to be admitted that a Bolshevik baby can get just as hungry as a Chinese baby or any other kind of a baby. The only thing to be taken into consideration at all is the fact that people—millions of them—are starving and that we are in a position to extend a helping hand. That hand may not be as well filled as on some occasions in the past, but it should be as willingly extended. It is admitted that the need is great and it is not up to us to work ourselves into a fever trying to discover the cause. We might better put in the same amount of energy trying to get help across to these people with the least possible delay.

The matter is being taken hold of by willing hands and the result will be satisfactory. It is only a question of setting the facts properly before our people. They have never failed yet and will not do so now.

Another lot of highway builders have Thief River Falls for their objective. A road to be known as the "Steel to Wheat" thoroughfare is being discussed by the business men of Cook and other points in St. Louis, Koochiching and Beltrami counties, and there is quite a lot of enthusiasm evinced over the project. The road would have Cook as its eastern and Thief River Falls as its western terminus. Good idea. We are now provided with excellent highways to the west, north and south. Should this proposed line from directly east become a reality the city will be the recognized hub of the greatest highway system within any one state in the Union.

With three such high grade candidates for congress as Steenerson, Selvig and Sagong, the Republicans of the Ninth district might be induced to loan one to the Democrats, who seem to be just a little shy of material for this post.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

When it comes to chasing hard times away, Minnesota has the champion chaser of the eastern and western hemispheres. She's the dairy cow.

As a teetotal hell raiser in a small town there is only one thing that surpasses moonshine. Malicious gossip is the champion of them all.

It was a sort of hip-ocritical New Year's in the big cities, according to the police court records.

One safe political prediction is that when the election is over, Lieut. Governor Louis Collins will be Lieut. Gov. Collins. He has made good.

Between home brew and tax notices many Baudetters never know where their next headache is coming from.

Prices are finally dropping. Moonshiners in this section are now selling Angel Maker as low as $12 a gallon.

We are starting a chess club in Baudette, and if you haven't any more sense than to play chess you are invited to join.

About 1923 Region subscribers owe for their 1922 subscriptions. And we could use the money nicely.

"Big hands," says a coach, "are a great asset in basketball." And they are not to be sneezed at in a poker game either.

New Year's brought out the usual flock of lads who died drinking to each other's good health with wood alcohol.

If you like fiction do not fail to read the personal property tax list in next week's issue of the Region.

He Knew How.

There was an old geezer,
And he had a lot of sense.
He started up a business
On a dollar eighty cents.
The dollar for stock,
And the eighty for an ad.
Brought him three lovely dollars
In a day, by dad!
Well, he bought more goods
And a little more space,
And he played that system
With a smile on his face.

The customers flocked
To his two-by-four
And soon he had to hustle
For a regular store.
Up on the square,
Where the people pass
He gobbled up a corner
That was all plate glass.
He fixed up the windows
With the best that he had
And he told them all about it
In a half-page ad.

He soon had 'em coming
And he never, never quit,
And he wouldn't cut down
One his ads one jit.
And he's kept things humping
In the town ever since,
And everybody calls him
The Merchant Prince.
Some say it's luck,
But that's all bunk—
Why, he was doing business
When the times were punk.
People have to purchase,
And the geezer was wise—
For he knew the way to get 'em
Was to advertise.

E. F. McIntyre.

BAUDETTE GENIUS HAS PONZI'S PLAN SKINNED

(Letter from Shorty O'Neil to Baudette Region.)

Dear Sir:

I have a proposition to present to you, and wish to ask your earnest and careful consideration of the same as I think there is an opportunity here which comes only once in a man's lifetime. I wish you would write me by return mail the amount of stock you will take.

The object of the company is to operate a large cat ranch in or near Baudette, where the land can be purchased cheap for this purpose.

To start with we will collect, say one million cats. Each cat will average twelve kittens per year. The skin will run from 10c for white ones to 75c for pure black. This will give us twelve million skins a year at an average of 30c each, making our revenue about $10,000 per day gross.

A man can skin fifty cats a day after a little practice and such a man can be hired for two dollars a day. It will take 100 men to operate the ranch and, therefore, the net profit of the ranch will be $9,800 per day. Does not this look good to you?

Now, as to feeding this large number of cats, will say that I have given the problem much careful study and have found a solution of the problem. Here it is: We will start a rat ranch near by. The rats will multiply four times as fast as the cats. If we start with one million rats we will have four rats a day for each cat. Now, then, we will feed the cats on the carcasses of the cats from which the skins have been taken, giving each rat one-fourth of a cat. It will thus be seen that the business will be self-supporting and entirely automatic all the way through. The cats will eat the rats and the rats will eat the cats and we will get the skins and the long green that we are looking for.

Awaiting your prompt reply and trusting that you will appreciate my proposition and the opportunity I offer you to acquire quick wealth, I beg to remain, Yours for indendence and wealth.

POSITION OF LEAGUE IN COMING CAMPAIGN

From the Hallock Peoples Press. (Non-Partisan.)

What will be the position of the Non-Partisan League in the next campaign is a question that is arousing great interest to persons both inside and outside the League.

One group of men and women inside the League, and we understand that the president, Mr. A. C. Townley will be the spokesman of this group, want to bring the Non-Partisan League back to Townley's original plan and make it a strictly non-partisan political organization. That means that the League should do, as was originally intended by Mr. Townley, endorse the best candidates that file for office, regardless of what party ticket they file on. It also means that the Non-Partisan League as an organization should not put up candidates of their own. The League then would not ask any person to file for office.

After the filings are in, if the Townley plan prevails, all candidates for office would be sent a questionnaire. They would be asked how they stand on the various planks of the Non-Partisan platform. Those whose previous record was the most favorable and whose principles conformed most closely with the principles of the League, would then get the Non-Partisan League endorsement for office. The Non-Partisan League was never intended to be a political party, but an independent endorsing organization. This plan would not give the politicians on the "inside" of the League the chance to ride through campaigns at the expense of the League. Of course the League would naturally spend some money to help elect those who would be of the most benefit to the League platform. It would make the League an organization working primarily for the farmer and labor program and not so much for candidates except insofar as men in office are necessary to get the program in operation.

Another group within the League will want to continue putting up a full state ticket as a distinctly League ticket. They will claim you cannot trust the promise of politicians and that we can only trust our own men.

A third ground will want the League to separate entirely from the old parties and help other progressive organizations to form a stronger political party. Their argument is that unless you have a strongly organized political party, you have nothing, and that the present Non-Partisan organization is too loose, lacks discipline, is uncertain and changeable. The third party men think now is an opportune time to start a new party and after it gets well under way it will be harder to break than the present organization that has no certain party home.

The result will probably be a compromise. At the present time the original plan of Mr. Townley seems to be the most practical one. There are numerous instances where politicians have sought the support of the League, and used it as a stepping stone to their own success, and when elected they turned their back deliberately on the League and refused to help carry out the very principles for which they were elected. Langer, of North Dakota, is one example, and there are others. We will not mention any names, but people can supply the names from their own knowledge. Let anyone file who cares to. The League should not ask anyone to file. And then such candidates who say, "I really think my office should be kept out of politics" can run on their own popularity and not have to be hampered by the support of a powerful political party.

All matters pertaining to the coming campaign will be settled by the farmers themselves in convention. The Non-Partisan League is an organization of the people, and the people who make up the organization will decide the course of the organization.

OFFICE CAT

TRADE MARK

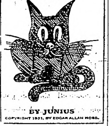

BY JUNIUS

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This is Kiss-Your-Bankroll-Good-by-Week. Christmas bills are due.

Preparedness Note: College girls sell sprigs of mistletoe in the streets three weeks before Christmas.

It Is Your Fault.

If a man never deals with you, it may not be your fault, but if he deals with you once and does not continue, it is your fault.

Jog On, Jehosophat!

Roads get rougher every mile;
Jog on, Jehosophat, and show some style.
Mule's gone lame, and the hens won't lay;
Corn's way down an' wheat don't pay;
Hogs no better, steers too cheap;
Cows quit milking, meat won't keep;
Oats all heated, spuds all froze;
Fruit crop's busted, wind still blows;
Sheep seem puny, an' I'll be durned;
Rye field's flooded an' the hay stack's burned!
Looks some gloomy, I'll admit—
Jog on, Jehosophat, we ain't down yit.
—Griff Crawford.

Of course it is none of our business, but whenever we see a girl smoking a cigarette, we imagine her mother chews tobacco.

W. J. Brown is of the opinion that Santa Claus smokes a pipe, because he is such a rotten judge of cigars.

Speaking of hard times—and who isn't—they say that salesmen are the most independent people on earth this year. Yep, they arent' taking orders from anybody.

General Foch says America won the war by drinking only water. We thought we were drinking water only because the boys were at war.

The Quintessence of Bliss.

A boy with a pitcher of syrup, a plate of batter cakes and all the creamery butter he wants is not going to suffer at the breakfast hour, and neither will anyone else who will try it.

Subtitle from a recent photoplay: A son was born to her during her absence.

Beneficent Hennery!

A Mickey named Patrick McCord
Was one of "the poor of the Lord."
Now he's richer than cream,
Getting coin in a stream—
He makes something to use on a Ford.

They Must Know How a Farmer Likes to Talk.
(From News Item.)

Canadian farmers were required to answer 220 questions in the census of 1921.

A doctor says there are only 180 causes of death. Still, each one of them generally proves fatal.

Pome.

She wore a high-heeled pair of kicks,
Below a flossy pair of "knicks,"
Her eyes were dolled in amber rims,
And graceful were her nether limbs,
But woman's glory was still there,
Because she didn't bob her hair,
And showed, without the slightest fear,
Her piquant, saucy little ear.

How to Qualify.

"What is this society small talk?"
"Talk about yourself, Cholly."

Real estate ads to be efficient should read: "Well filled cellar with living accommodations attached."

Yesterday we received a circular from a Pittsburgh concern giving the cost of winter trips to various summer resorts. We're not thinking of going, but we appreciate the compliment.

You never catch a man who finds fault with his wife's cooking trying his hand at it himself. He knows better.

When a married man turns out bad his mother says his wife didn't understand him and his wife says his mother spoiled him.

Amos Tash says everyone ought to get into hot water at least once a week.

Bad news for the pedestrian: Another reduction in the price of cars.

When a LaBree avenue young man told his best girl the other night that he would willingly die for her, she replied: "See pa, he sells life insurance."

You can talk about tragedies, but our idea of a real one is for a girl THREE—
to have a perfect form and a face that would stop a clock.

Ever try putting pure Kentucky whiskey in the radiator of your car these frosty mornings?

A lot of merchants are stopping their advertising because business is bad. They should also stop their life insurance because their health is bad.

"Let the doctor prescribe our styles," advises Olga Nethersole, founder of the People's League of Health, London.

"Hello, is this Main ——?"

"Good moning, doctor. I'm thinking of buying a new winter suit this week. Would you adivse brown or a nice, soft blue serge?

"You don't approve of serge?

"I do hope so, doctor, but I have always found lavender a very trying color. Still, I suppose you know best—

"And, oh, doctor, what are you prescribing in straw hats for winter this season?"

And so on, and so on, to the bitter end, will go the telephone conversation of the future if friend Olga is satisfied.

The Mayor's Message

Bi-Ennial Address of Mayor Bratrud to City Council.

To the Honorable Members of the City Council:

This body of men has again been honored by their fellow citizens by being elected for the handling of the affairs of the city for another two years. While this may be regarded in the light of an endorsement of our actions in the past, the fact nevertheless remains that it is toward the future we must now look and it is by present and future needs of the city that our course must be guided.

I congratulate you, as councilmen, upon the record you have made and beg leave to submit a few suggestions which I hope you will find of sufficient importance to merit your consideration during the coming term.

It is probably unnecessary for me to dwell upon the necessity for strict economy in the administration of the city's affairs. While conditions in Thief River Falls, as compared with other places in the country, are very good, yet the situation everywhere is such as demands the very closest scrutiny of public expenditures. The aim should be the holding down of the city's running expenses in every possible way to the end that taxes be made as light as possible.

The first paving contract entered into by the city has been completed and I am of the opinion that no one would now wish the work undone. As concerns the future, I would urge that no further undertaking along this line be entered upon except upon express order of a majority of the taxpayers who will have to foot the bills. If there is a desire for more paving the demand should come from the property owners.

The needs of the city for a supply of pure water is to you well known, and I have at this particular time nothing to present which would add to that knowledge. I believe every step you have taken during the past year has been in the right direction and resulted in a great improvement of the water supply. Doubtless, the subject will have to be approached with a view to its ultimate solution in the near future but I am not in position to recommend that any definite steps be taken at this time. If you find it possible to provide a better supply than we now have without adding too greatly to the tax burden of the citizens I would most heartily recommend such action on your part, but of this matter you are the best judges.

I am strongly of the opinion that a city scales should be installed. It has been proven in a number of towns in this section that such scales are self-supporting and provide great satisfaction to the public. With the office of city weighmaster might be combined a municipal employment office. This has proven a great convenience and a valuable aid in preventing unemployment in other cities of this size.

One of the serious problems facing the city at this time is the future of the electric light system. The change from the direct to an alternating current must be made in the near future, both in the interest of economy and efficiency. The contract with the power dam owners is also nearing termination and plans for the future will have to be considered. The only recommendation on my part possible at this time is that the council attempt to secure an expression of view and preference from the people of the city and be guided largely by such expression.

I strongly urge upon you the necessity of ascertaining the cost of operation of our city water and light department. The accessory and electric utensil department of the city should show a yearly profit and the accounts of this department should be separately shown. I recommend a monthly invoice of electrical supplies and accessories and that a system of bookkeeping be installed to show the monthly profit or loss from this department.

Within a very short time it will be necessary that something in the way of renovation and repair be undertaken on the auditorium interior. Unless something is done towards the upkeep of the building its value will deteriorate very rapidly. More attention should also be given towards keeping the assembly room and the stage clean as there have been many complaints on this score. In my opinion it would also be better if the management of the auditorium be vested in some person with an office in the building. The present plan is unsatisfactory from many viewpoints.

Permit me at this time to particularly express my appreciation for the manner in which the council has cooperated with the park board and the library board at all times. A nucleus for a park system has been secured at a very small outlay and the property already owned by the city greatly improved.

Gentlemen, I wish to thank you for the willingness you have at all times shown to embrace any suggestions for the common good, and for the cheerful co-operation you have at all times extended me. It is my earnest hope that these pleasant relations may continue, as in that way only can we work effectively together for the good of the community. Ours is a position of trust, and to us the people look as the instruments for carrying out their wishes. The closer we get to their viewpoint and the more nearly we are able to conform to their wishes, the better we will be able to serve them and the more creditable will be our records as public servants.

Respectfully,
JOHN BRATRUD, Mayor.
Thief River Falls, Jan. 10.

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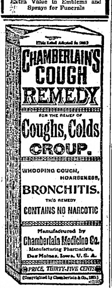

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Spasmodic croup relieved or warded off by rubbing on a vaporizing salve.

The old method of treating spasmodic croup with nauseating drugs is out of date. So is the vapor-lamp scheme that required the bedroom windows to be kept closed. Now mother rubs the little one's chest and throat with Vicks, arranges the bedding so that the arising vapors will be inhaled all night long, opens the windows to let in the blessed fresh air, and retires—confident of a good sleep.

Vicks has come to be the almost universal treatment for children's cold troubles, because it does away with dosing.

Vicks contains the old, time-tested remedies—Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, etc.—combined by special process, so that while they penetrate and stimulate the skin, the ingredients are also released as vapors by the body heat and are breathed right into the lungs.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

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Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN

Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.09
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.04
Flax	1.80
Barley	.33
Oats	.22
Rye	.60

FLOUR AND FEED

Flour, per cwt.	4.00
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bag	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bag	1.35
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.20

POULTRY

Geese, per lb.	.10
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, No. 1, alive	.20
Turkeys, No. 1 dressed	.30
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.15
Potatoes, per cwt.	1.00

PRODUCE

Eggs, per doz.	.25
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.35
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06

STOCK MARKET

Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7c

LIVE STOCK

Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

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Whole or half hog	9
Shoulder roast, (skinned out)	14c
Shoulder	11c
Leg of pork, (skinned out)	17c
Pork chops	18c
Pork steak	16c
Hog head	5c
Beef by quarter from (According to quality)	6c to 10c
Beef roast	12c
Beef stew	5
Pure lard	12½c
Pure pork sausage and hamburger (Regular price 15c)	12½c

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We are not the best meat cutters in the world but will do our best towards pleasing you.

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LET'S ALL BE THERE
SATURDAY, JAN. 14

Outing Flannel
ALL COLORS, WHILE IT LASTS
YARD
6c

Silk Hose
GENUINE VEGETABLE SILK—BLACK WHITE, CORDOVAN
PAIR
59c

Quilting
FANCY PATTERNS
HELP YOURSELF AT
YARD
9c

The Sky Is the Limit

No need for me to try and tell you folks what has been going on down at Oen's Store the past few days—you all know. I guess you will not forget this sale soon. It wasn't a sale—it was a regular riot from start to finish. Get this: I haven't started yet! Just come here Saturday, January 14, and watch the old Bargain Steam Roller iron the wrinkles out of this mammoth stock of goods. Mr. Oen has given me this one day to do as I please. I am going to call it Darnell's Day, and if you are not here we will both lose out.

Here Is the Idea

As a Merchandise Attorney and Estimator of Stocks I have a fairly good idea of the largest day's business ever done in this city. Here is the whole thing in a nut shell: I am going to beat the records! I have the prices and the largest stock in town. All I need is the buyers. Leave it to me! Prices talk! And they are going to talk here so you will hear them and know that this is not "just another one of those sales."

Respectfully,
G. A. DARNELL.

Be here Saturday, January 14, and see the Big Store go into action with the Fastest Low Price Selling that this city has ever witnessed! Get on your trading clothes! Let's all get busy!

BLANKETS
Wool and Cotton
HELP YOURSELF
½ Price

Ginghams
GENUINE EVERETT CLASSICS
DIG RIGHT IN
YARD
13c

Riot-Table
On this table will be goods worth from 15c to $1.50. They are odds and ends, goods that are damaged, etc. This table will be 16 feet long and loaded down with goods you can use. Everything on it will be at one price for the yard or for the article itself. Choice
15c

On This One Day Other Merchants Will Buy Goods Here

OEN'S
The Big Store Right on the Corner
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Imperfect Page

City News

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Paine on Jan. 6.

Mrs. R. E. Spinks of Middle River attended to shopping here on Friday.

C. D. Gustafson left Monday night for Minneapolis on a business trip.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nybakken, Jan. 9, a daughter.

Verner Nelson of St. Hilaire was a business visitor here on Monday.

Theo. Quale spent Monday attending to business affairs at Mahnomen.

Potatoes. We deliver. Phone 102. Flower Shop.—Advertisement. j12

Martin Johnson of Strandquist was a visitor in the city on Monday.

J. T. Peterson of Grygla was a business caller in the city on Friday.

A. S. Sapero left Tuesday evening for Chisholm to spend a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Medin, who had spent a short time here, returned to their home at Middle River yesterday.

Miss Emily Hoilman returned Monday morning from Marshall, where she had spent her Christmas vacation.

H. Haroldson left Saturday to visit for a few days with friends and relatives at Crookston.

E. O. Mogensen left the first of the week for the Twin Cities to spend a few days on business.

Miss Ida K. Johnson returned Monday after having spent the holidays at Fertile with her parents.

Allison Stitt left Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit friends over the week-end.

Haaken Peterson of Oklee spent the first of the week here on matters of business.

Harry Miller returned to his home at Oklee yesterday after spending a day here with friends.

Leo Bradley of Stone Lake was a visitor in the city on Tuesday, returning to his home yesterday.

Henry Martin of Park River, N. D., spent a few days here the first of the week on business.

J. J. Hoglun of Alvarado arrived Friday evening to spend a few days on business.

Misses Emma and Laura Jorgenson returned Saturday evening from their holiday visit at Leeds, N. D.

Miss Maude Johnson returned on Monday from Minneapolis, where she had spent her vacation.

Miss Doris Halvorson returned Tuesday from Fargo, where she had spent a few days visiting friends.

Leonard Peterson arrived Monday morning from Crookston to attend to matters of business.

Mrs. A. Crown left Monday afternoon for St. Hilaire to visit relatives.

Miss Selma Maland returned to her home at St. Hilaire Monday after a brief visit here with friends.

Mrs. John Sorenson returned Monday from Holt, where she had spent a week visiting relatives.

Miss Thea Haugen of Gatzke visited with friends here Monday, returning to her home Tuesday morning.

Henry and Fred Koop of St. Hilaire spent Friday in the city attending to business matters.

Mrs. B. J. Bakke returned to her home at Holt on Tuesday after a brief visit with relatives and friends here.

Miss Phyllis Deck, who had spent the holiday vacation visiting friends at Crookston, returned to this city Saturday morning.

Mrs. C. W. Hallen returned Saturday morning from Grand Forks, where she spent Christmas and New Years.

Miss Eleanor Thackeray returned to Strathcona on Saturday to continue teaching after a two weeks' vacation spent in this city with her folks.

Miss Olive Wing returned to her home at Middle River on Saturday after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley.

After spending the holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Nelson, Miss Amy Nelson returned to Minneapolis Saturday night.

Potatoes, nourishment for your body; flowers, nourishment for your soul. We have both. Phone 102. Flower Shop.—Advertisement. j12

Miss Ella Miller left Sunday night for Nashwauk, where she teaches, after a two weeks' vacation spent at her home here.

Miss Avis Akre left Monday morning for Bemidji to resume her work in the high school, after a two weeks' vacation.

Chris Amundson left Friday night for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at Minneapolis and White Bear Lake.

J. H. Johnson, assistant cashier of the Farmers State bank of Newfolden, was in the city on business Saturday.

L. L. Cohn returned Friday from a visit over the holidays with relatives and friends in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Miss Agnes Becker arrived Monday morning from St. Hilaire and is employed at the Oakland Park sanitorium.

Mrs. W. H. BonDurant and Mrs. J. McCarthy returned the first of the week after spending two weeks with relatives in Minneapolis.

Miss Esther Loff of Karlstad visited friends here Monday enroute to Roseau, near which place she teaches school.

R. B. Stenhoff, of the high school staff, returned Monday from his home in Minneapolis, where he had spent the holiday vacation.

Miss Dorothy Krafthefer, who had spent a couple of weeks with friends here, returned to her home at Mahnomen the latter part of last week.

Miss Esther Smith of Amherst, Wis., returned Monday to resume her work in the Knox school after a two weeks vacation.

Miss Edna A. [illegible] Monday after spending [illegible]

[illegible] rence C. Larson at Milwaukee and Dr. Clarence M. Larson at Minneapolis. She also visited relatives at LaCrosse and Tomah, Wis.

Miss Aldora Berg returned Saturday evening from Rolette, N. D., having spent the holidays there with her parents.

Perry Johnson left Monday evening for Grand Rapids, where he will begin work with the university extension department.

J. C. Holgate, who had spent several days visiting at the Legvold home here, returned to his home at Baker on Friday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Aander, born Jan. 3, died at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the following day.

Miss Ruth Soule returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where she had spent her vacation with her parents.

Miss Lois Wold returned the first of the week from Grand Forks, having visited her mother, Mrs. Cora Wold, during the holidays.

Miss Bernadette Gormley returned Monday morning from Minneapolis to resume her position in the schools after the holiday vacation.

J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture, will arrive tomorrow and will be the principal speaker at the dedication of the Knox school in the evening.

Mrs. Harold Page Miller of Crookston, who spent a few days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson, has returned to her home.

Miss Esther Lunzetter, who had spent the holiday vacation visiting at Gatzke with her parents, returned on Monday to continue her studies at the high school.

Lloyd L. Zeh left Saturday night for his home at Flint, Mich., having spent several days visiting his father, Phil Zeh. He came here to attend the funeral of his brother, Ambrose.

Miss Marrian Miller left Saturday afternoon for Breckenridge, where she teaches commercial subjects, after a two weeks' vacation spent with her mother, Mrs. Betsy Miller.

Miss Hazel Welo, who had spent the holiday vacation with her parents, returned to Roseau on Saturday to resume her duties in a rural school near that place.

Miss Tilda Brandrud left Saturday morning for Roseau, where she is engaged in teaching, after spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, who reside near this city.

Miss Beulah Chamberlain resumed her position in the schools here Monday after spending the holiday vacation at Yankton, S. D., with her parents.

Miss Lorna Dodge, who had spent her mid-winter vacation with her parents at Rock Lake, N. D., returned Saturday night and has resumed her position in the public schools.

Karl Korstad passed through the city on Friday enroute from Minneapolis to Red Lake. He had been making purchases for his store, recently opened on the reservation.

Miss Velma Webster has returned from Bowman, N. D., where she visited over the holidays with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Webster.

Miss Olive Booren and Mrs. A. S. Sapero went to Plummer last night, returning to this city this evening. While at Plummer they were guests at the home of the former's brother, H. F. Booren.

Milton Weeks, who had spent the holiday vacation visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Weeks, left Sunday night for St. Paul to resume his work at the Luther Theological seminary.

Miss Eleanor Dahlen, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen, during the Christmas vacation, returned to Grand Forks Sunday evening to resume her studies at the university.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Olson of Spokane, Wash., arrived last week for a visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ed. Karwand. Mr. Olson has returned to Spokane, while Mrs. Olson will remain for a longer visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Nelson, who had visited friends at Warren for a few days, spent Monday evening in this city, leaving the following day for their home at Gatzke.

Wayne Richardson arrived Monday evening from Yakima, Wash., in response to a message that his father, Ira C. Richardson, had passed away. He accompanied the body to Elgin, where interment took place.

Mrs. Gaston Ward and daughter, Vivian, left Tuesday morning for Middle River to spend a few days visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. N. Levien.

Miss Ann [illegible] has resigned her position as teacher in a school near Rosewood and has accepted a sixth grade position at James[illegible]. She left Saturday evening to assume her new position.

Mrs. F. G. Eegler and daughter, Lorraine, left last week for Valley Springs, Cal., in response to a message that Mrs. Eegler's mother had passed away. They expect to remain in California until spring.

Joel Gel[illegible] Monday [illegible] Grand Forks [illegible] holiday [illegible] While at Grand Forks Joel underwent an operation for appendicitis and is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager arrived Saturday morning from Spokane, Wash., for a visit with friends in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Yager removed to Spokane about two years ago.

Morlan H. Bish[illegible]

[illegible] Mr. Bishop has been employed as deputy state bank examiner.

Miss Ingrid Wassgren, who had visited her folks at Warren during the Christmas vacation, spent Monday evening as the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. A. Wassgren, and left yesterday morning for Middle River, near which place she teaches school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sletten of Sedalia, Alta., Canada, who spent the past week visiting at the home of Emil Ness, west of the city, left on Thursday for Clearbrook. They will also visit at Bagley, Crookston and Fosston before they return to their home in Canada.

Irving Carter came here Sunday morning from Grand Forks to attend the funeral services of Ira C. Richardson. Mr. Carter is well known here, having been graduated from the local high school in 1912. He returned to his home on Monday.

Ernest H. Johnson of St. Hilaire, former service man, is now at the Smedby school, Minneapolis, where he is taking a course in window trimming and show card writing. He has applied for instruction under the vocational act but this has up to date not been granted.

A. S. Lieberman returned Tuesday evening from California, having accompanied Mrs. Lieberman and the children to that state, where the latter will spend the winter. The family will reside at Los Angeles, in which city Mr. Lieberman saw them nicely settled before returning to look after his business affairs here.

Society

Eastern Star Installation.

Monday evening at the Masonic hall, Mrs. L. G. Larsen as installing officer, assisted by Mrs. C. A. Nason as marshal, installed the following officers of the Eastern Star chaper for the ensuing year: Anna J. Quale, worthy matron; Ed. Brevig, worthy patron; Minnie Mogensen, associate patron; Lillian Cronkhite, secretary; Anna Kinghorn, treasurer; Bessie Robinson, conductress; Hattie Manther, associate conductress; Adeline Heggan, Ada; Ida Tandberg, Ruth; Lois Prichard, Martha; Adelaide Quale, Electa; Daisy Gobler, chaplain; Jessie Barnett, organist; Ethel McClelland, warder; H. A. Pratt, sentinel. Helen Brink and Edna Larson were unable to be present but will be installed later as Esther and marshal, respectively.

Following the installation ceremonies, Mrs. Mogensen presented the marshal and installing officer with bouquets of roses, which were accepted with appropriate words of thanks. Mrs. Fisher sang two solos, which were greatly appreciated. The remainder of the evening was spent socially. During the refreshment hour Miss Palma Langseth played several piano numbers. Dancing followed until midnight. Over 100 members and invited guests were present. Out of town visitors were Mrs. Kelley of Devils Lake, Miss Olive Booren of Stillwater, and Mrs. Isaacson of Mahnomen. The next regular meeting of the chapter will be held on Monday evening, Jan. 11.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club was held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club room. During the business hour the club voted to assist in soliciting funds in support of the movement to build a state industrial school for adult blind. A. S. Sapero, who has been appointed county chairman in support of this work, will name the "tag day." Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., gave a vocal solo and responded with an encore. Mrs. Froehlich was in charge of the lesson on the organization of women's clubs. She gave a very interesting account of the national clubs, while Mrs. Stanton told of the work of the clubs throughout the state. The latter dealt with the different branches of the federated clubs.

Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite was leader of current events and was assisted by Mrs. Jung and Mrs. Fox. The local club feels highly honored by the request of Mrs. Rounds, the state president, to make her a quilt. In a letter received by Mrs. Froehlich, Mrs. Rounds stated that she would in the near future choose one club in the state to make the quilt. This is a novel idea and one which has never before been used. Mrs. Froehlich was designated to buy the material and arrange for making the quilt.

Maccabee Installtion.

Installation of officers of the Maccabee lodge was held Monday evening. Mrs. Robins of Crookston, district deputy, was the installing officer, and was assisted by Mrs. C. T. Christianson and Mrs. J. L. Garow. The officers installed were: Mrs. Ruth Halldin, commander; Mrs. J. Holmes, lieutenant commander; Mrs. John Rolland, sergeant; Mrs. Bernice Bothan, collector; Mrs. I. G. Lane, past commander; Mrs. C. M. Carlson, chaplain; Mrs. C. S. Simonson, lady-at-arms; Mrs. Esther Rolland, recorder; Mrs. Frances Schmidt, sentinel; Mrs. C. B. Reedy, picket; Mrs. J. H. [illegible], musician; Orena Melby, commander of the guard. A program of dancing and cards followed the installation ceremonies.

Girls' Community Club.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop was the scene of a delightful affair last evening when the Com-

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If you have a car of hay we can handle it for you at any time.
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Northern Trading Co.

use of it for the first meeting of the new year. About 50 girls were present. The usual business hour was dispensed with and the meeting opened with a musical program. The first number was a violin duet by Leif Anderson and Henry Arneson, with piano accompaniment by Miss Eileen Arneson. S. Carl Sundahl and Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher each sang a group of songs, which were greatly appreciated. Mrs. Bishop introduced to the club a book of verse which has recently been published, written by an inmate of the state prison at Stillwater. The book has attracted wide attention. Several of the touching verses were read by the club. The remainder of the time was spent in music and dancing. The committee on refreshments served a delicious lunch.

To Observe Anniversary.

The second anniversary of the national constitutional prohibition victory in the United States will be fittingly observed by the local W. C. T. U. on Tuesday, Jan. 17, at the home of Mrs. Christ Storholm, corner of Eighth street and LaBree avenue. A splendid program has been arranged and a very cordial invitation is extended to both men and women. The meeting will start promptly at three o'clock and it is hoped there will be a large attendance. Outsiders are especially invited. Rev. Cook will lead in devotional and prayer. Mrs. J. M. Bishop will speak on "Shall Law or Sovereign in the United States?" Following the program, Mrs. Carl Hillard will assist the hostess in serving.

Fellman-Lundberg.

Word has been received here of the marriage of Miss Gladys A. Fellman of Oakland, Cal., to Rev. C. M. Lundberg of San Francisco, which took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Fellman on Dec. 10. Rev. and Mrs. Lundberg are spending their honeymoon in southern California and will establish their home in San Francisco. The Fellman family were formerly residents of Thief River Falls. The bride was at that time employed by the Northwestern Telephone company.

Entertains.

Miss Myrtle Helgeland entertained a company of friends at her home on Thursday evening. After a few hours spent at cards and dancing a delicious lunch was served. Among the guests were Miss Esther Erickson, Miss Lucille McGinnity, Miss Eileen Arneson, Miss Helen Warner, Miss Helen Langseth, Miss Palma Langseth, Miss Sybil McGinn, Miss Ella Krohn, Miss Ruth Hoppa, Miss Ruby Bennes, Harold Arneson, Milton Larson, Reuben Hadrath, Bernard Bischoff, Math Barzen, Craig Halvorson, Stephen Arneson, William DeParcq, Roy Holmgren, and William McGinnity.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero was hostess to several ladies Friday afternoon at her home. Norwegian whist was played at three tables. High score was given to Mrs. A. Booren of Stillwater while Mrs. W. R. Patterson received low count. The serving of a delicious lunch concluded an enjoyable afternoon. The guests were Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mrs. W. R. Patterson, Mrs. F. C. Nichol, Mrs. Julien Provencher, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. A. Booren and daughter, Miss Olive, of Stillwater, Mrs. C. J. Kelley of Devils Lake, N. D.

Korstad-Petterson.

Announcement has been received here of the marriage of Miss Lillian G. Korstad, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Korstad of Henning, to Henry A. Petterson of Gwinner, N. D., on January 4, at the home of the bride's parents. The bride is well known by many in this city as she attended the local high school and graduated with the class of 1915. While here she made her home with her cousin, Wm. Korstad, and family. For the past three years she has been employed as bookkeeper for the Munsingwear company in Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Petterson will be at home after Feb. 1, on the groom's farm near Gwinner.

For Mrs. Booren.

Honoring Mrs. A. Booren of Stillwater, who is a guest at her home, Mrs. G. W. Booren entertained fourteen ladies Tuesday afternoon. Norwegian whist was played at three tables. High score was won by Mrs. H. A. Brumund, while Mrs. J. C. Kelley of Devils Lake received the low score. The guests were Mrs. H. A. Brumund, Mrs. A. Booren, Mrs. John Bratrud, Mrs. E. F. Dolan, Mrs. F. H. Herrick, Miss Lucille Johnson, Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mrs. H. W. Protzeller, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. E. O. Mogen-

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Welfare Section to Meet.

The social welfare section of the Woman's club will meet next Monday afternoon. Work will be done in the room formerly occupied by the Scientists in the auditorium and lunch will be served in the Commercial club rooms. Mrs. H. O. Chommie and Mrs. W. H. Akre will be hostesses. The demand for clothing has increased during the recent cold weather and it is hoped that a large number of women will turn out and avail themselves of the opportunity of assisting in this work.

For Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. Harold Page Miller of Crookston, who was a guest at the home of Mrs. Gay Halvorson, was honor guest at a number of parties last week. Mrs. Halvorson entertained a few ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon. In the evening Mrs. H. W. Froehlich and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen were hostesses at cards at the home of the latter. On Friday noon Mrs. N. K. Harris entertained six ladies at luncheon at the Evelyn hotel in honor of Mrs. Miller.

Nurses Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Sundahl were hosts on Wednesday evening when they entertained the superintendent, assistant superintendent and nurses of the Physicians hospital at their home. The guest list included Miss Steinke, Miss Nelson, Miss Harms, Miss AmEnd, Miss Wedmer, Miss Hermanson, Miss Provencher, Miss McCrum, Miss Norquist, Miss Dahl, Miss Wilde, Miss Anna Aalberg and Miss Ingeborg Dale.

Party.

Clarence Knudsen entertained ten young people at cards and dancing at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Knudsen, 603 Horace avenue north, on Saturday evening. The guests were Miss Twila Glines, Miss Elsie Sundahl, Miss Dotty Krafthefer, Miss Doris Richter, Miss Dagny Tharaldson, Roscoe Bakke, Milton Lund, Lynn Halvorson and William Alexander.

Entertain Informally.

Mr. H. W. Froehlich informally entertained a few ladies at her home lat evening. The time was spent in a social manner and during the evening a delicious lunch was served.

Afternoon Party.

Misses Annie and Alice Froseth informally entertained a few girl friends at their home on Thursday

cards. The guests were Misses Twila Glines, Dotty Krafthefer, Dagny Tharaldson, Ethel Erickson, Helen Norquist, Grace McCrum, Edla Norquist, Mrs. James Franklin and Mrs. Clyde Nason.

Women's Auxiliary Notice.

The ladies of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion who have been making pajamas for the soldiers confined in hospitals are requested to send same to the office of the Lawrence Mortgage company by Saturday morning in order that a shipment may be made as quickly as possible.

Joint Social Meeting.

The members of the Elmer Eklund Post of the American Legion and the Ladies' Auxiliary will hold a joint social session at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 17. All members are urged to be present. The Auxiliary will serve lunch.

Young People's Class Meets.

Friday afternoon the Young People of the Presbyterian Sunday school met with Pauline Pawling at her home on Atlantic avenue. In addition to the Sunday school work the class is learning to make reed baskets. At five o'clock Mrs. Pawling served refreshments.

Sleighride Party.

On Thursday evening Leo Valez and Herman Davenport entertained the nurses of the Physicians hospital at a sleighride party. Later the guests repaired to the nurses' home on LaBree avenue for refreshments.

Entertains.

About thirty young people were entertained at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. John Longren northeast of the city on Wednesday night. Games and music made up the entertainment for the guests.

Entertains.

Miss Alice Berg entertained a number of her friends at her home on Friday evening.

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"1922"

With this issue the Progress begins a new year, 1922. Did it ever occur to you what relationship there is between the name of our paper and the new year? It is simply this: our paper in 1922 must show progress over what it was in 1921. How about it, students of Lincoln high? Are you going to make the Progress really progress? Just sit down and think for five minutes over what the Progress really means to you, how often you have decided that the school paper is an important part of your school life. Make a New Year's resolution to make the Progress one of your foremost interests for the remainder of the year, and live up to it!—O. H. '23.

The Spirit of the New Year.

How much more alluring is a new path than one you have traveled many times! How much more attractive is a new building, or something you have not seen before! How you long for something you have not! You are not happy unless you have some desire that might be realized, something to look forward to. Thus it is with a new year. We look at a calendar and see we have 365 days of the new year ahead of us. What is to happen in these days? Is it going to bring us happiness or sorrow?

Think seriously of these things and forget the old year with its many prejudices and regrets. The new year is here with all its opportunities. Grasp the opportunity while you have a chance. Start right now and work to make your 1922 successful, for it is in your own hands only that the power lies.

To those who do this I should like to wish that "Fate, who spins your thread of life, use golden fleece the coming year." But idle wishing can do nothing unless there is the man or woman who has a purpose and is determined to carry it through.—Pearl Weeks '23.

Norse Story Receives Praise.

Superintendent C. G. Selvig of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, is a reader of The Times. That he reads it all is evidenced by the fact that he has found something in the High School Progress department which meets with his approval. A short story in the Norwegian language appearing there last week entitled "Julekiokkerne," has brought forth the following words of commendation from Mr. Selvig:

"Dear Editor: If I should write to you to say that I enjoyed thoroughly the story, 'Juleklokkerne,' (Christmas Bells) by Olive Aaland, '25, that I just read on the High School Progress page of The Times, I hope it will not be thought that I merely wish to flatter the writer.

"The story is beautiful. The language is exquisite. I believe unreservedly in our young people acquiring the use of good English, but shall we not also encourage them to see the beauty and feel the strength and grandeur of the language of the Norsemen?

"That simple little story moved me to write this to you, even at the risk of being late for lunch."

The above is a reprint from The Times in its issue of Dec. 29. We are taking the privilege of reproducing it in the Progress. It is a compliment to know that even so busy a man as Superintendent Selvig finds time to read our sheet. Thank you, Mr. Selvig.

My Pet Dog.

It was on a warm day in August that Snookums, my little pet, came to me. He was a very little dog, with long white, curly hair. His eyes, which were brown, had a mischievous twinkle in them. Snookums had formerly belonged to a family living in town, who, thinking he had eaten eggs, shot at him. After this Snookums escaped and in this way I claimed him.

He was very dirty when he first came, so that the first thing he had to do after having eaten his bread and milk, was to get into the tub and take a bath. This he had to do quite often and he began to like it, although at first he did not seem to think that it was a very safe place to go. Snookums' menu for breakfast was milk and potatoes; for dinner, meat, milk and other things. Then for supper he had his favorite dish, which was bread and milk. After supper he stood by a chair uttering a queer noise. Then I would have to fix a nice warm bed for him and wrap a coat around him. He would go to sleep feeling very comfortable.

Snookums was very fond of sweets, which I think was my brother's fault as he used to melt sugar lumps in water and feed him. Once when I had made fudge, I set it out on the porch to cool. Having forgot to close the door on the porch, Snookums came in and very generously helped himself. He also seemed very well pleased over what he had done.

Whenever mother brought meat into the house, Snookums would bite her in the heels of her shoes until she gave him some. He always had great sport with the kittens, drinking their milk and chasing them all around. He also thought that the kittens had no right to be in the house. When they came in, he would start growling and chase them out because he was afraid that I would pet them. He was very jealous.

Poor Snookums! He was taken sick last winter and died shortly after he had spent Christmas with us. I mourned very much for him and I don't think I shall ever have such a happy pet again.—M. B. '24.

Foolish Questions.

Do fish have eyes when they go to sea?

Are there springs in the ocean's bed?

Can you mend the break of day?

Would you paint a rabbit on a bald man's head just to give him a little hare?

Would the wall paper make a good hotel because of the boarders there?

Would you take a pill for a window pane?

It a newspaper white when it's read?

Are the fish crazy when they go in Seine?

Is a baker broke when he kneads his dough? —Polaris.

Exchange Notes.

To bring little, to show well, to crow gently if in luck, to pay up, to own up, and to shut up if beaten, are the virtues of a sporting man.—Hematite.

What I am to be, I am becoming.—Hematite.

A Freshie's Case.

I know a girl an' she knows me,
A "Softer-more" she seems to be,
She allus got a "Seizer" book
To witch she gives a terble liik.

I seen her in the hall one day,
She had the nisest dress, 'twas grey;
She lookt so very nice an' sweet,
Her shoes were shined up, oh, so neto.

Mebbe she won't get stuck on me,
'N all the fellers will jelous be.
I sed, Gee whinikers, I know,
I ware my Sunday soot, by Joe!

My mammie pressed my soot that nite,
I shone my shoes with all my might;
I've got her now, the little dawl,
When Friday came I just could bawl.

Now since I found my dream girl
I am just filled with vim,
I'll ask her to change that "Seize-her"
To this, meaning me, "Seize-him."
—Hematite.

Mahnomen Losers.

In a rather slow, ragged game, played at Mahnomen Dec. 23, the local high school boys defeated the high school team of that village by the score of 28-4. During a large part of the game both teams played very poorly and although the result of the game was never in doubt, it was not until the last few minutes of play that our boys began to pile up the score. It is to their credit that their opponents were unable to score except on free throws, no field goals being secured by the Mahnomen boys.

In all justice to the Mahnomen boys, it must be said, in spite of the one-sided score, that they put up a good fight against odds. This is the first year they have had basketball in their school and until the present season some of their players had never even seen a game. They put up a clean, game, sportsmanlike fight and deserve a great deal of credit for the showing they made.

Little individual merit was shown on either side with the possible exception of Forrest Ralston, who excelled in shooting baskets.

Our boys left on the early train in the morning and returned the following morning. The early ride and long hours of waiting around before the game no doubt explains in part the comparatively poor showing of our boys against a green team. Nevertheless, they brought home another victory which will add one point to their credit in the final summing up of the season.

Can You Imagine?

Shirley Anderon about four feet?
Ivan Larson with a white collar?
Ruth H. a blonde?
Ruth Knutson carrying around a grouch?
Lydia Dahlen without "speks?"
Violette Krohn with black hair?
Stanley Sorenson with his hair long?
Lorrayn Crandall short and fat?
Myrtle Williams weighing about 98 pounds?
The Freshmen class without its red headed member?
The assembly without a teacher at the desk?
The Freshmen not so small and green?
Mr. Rapacz with that one wild lock under a hair net?
Nora Lindquist without dimples?
Ruby Bennes without "Baby" Kermit? (Siamese Twins.)
Ruth D. without Frances C. and Gladys D?
Lucile Curtis with bobbed hair? (Lucile says she can.)
"Dovey" with a cane and mustache?
"Toby" tall, dark and thin?
Harriet Morgan receiving "A" in deportment?
Miss Heilman forgetting to assign a lesson in Stenography II?
Our school without Mr. Simley?
Craig H. without Mable M. on his mind?
The Junior class progressing without Miss Soule?
That Hershall Hanson was ever a small boy?
"Fat" Evenson so thin you could "see through" him?
The Freshman class as Seniors? (Little, but Oh, My!)
Mr. Harner taking physical exercise?

My Pet Crows.

My uncle gave me a pair of pet crows for my sixth birthday. The crows, being about five months old, were nearly half grown. Their names were Jimn and Pete. Jim was the quicker and smarter of the two.

They had their tongues clipped, so that they could be taught to talk and I soon taught them to say our names, and other words, like pretty, chair, girl, and boy. By the time they were a year and a half old, I had taught both of them to say simple sentences. Pete was also good at mimicing. He could imitate a chicken or a turkey so that it would be difficult to distinguish the difference. Jim liked things that shined, or anything that had bright colors. Once he took my mother's thimble and hid it. We afterwards found it in our yard covered up by some leaves. Another time he took a fork that was lying on the table, which we afterwards found beneath our granary.

I kept my crows for five years, when Pete suddenly disappeared. We could not get any trace of him anywhere. Jim died about a year later from old age.—Pearl Conklin '24.

A Correction.

In a letter received from Miss Julia Baumann, principal of the Roseau high school, she takes issue with the statement in the account of the debate with their team in the last issue of the Progress that she was surprised at the decision. Miss Baumann explains that for many reasons, which need not be recounted here, she had not dared hope for her school to win. This, however, was her feeling before the debate and not after. After hearing the debate, she explains, there was no question in her mind as to the relative merit of the arguments presented by the two sides. In her opinion, Roseau got up a far better debate than did our team.

We are sorry if we misconstrued her position and we are glad to make this correction.

Where the Faculty Spent the Holidays.

The faculty spent the holidays at their respective homes, as follows: Miss Gormley, St. Paul; Miss Hoilman, Marshall; Miss Leavitt, city; Miss Soule, Grand Forks; Miss Stebbins, city; Miss Chamberlain, Yankton, S. D.; Miss Stavig, Sisseton, S. D.; Mrs. Korstad, city; Mr. Rapacz, city; Mr. Stenhoff, Minneapolis; Mr. Jardine, city; Mr. Harner, Cloquet; Mr. Pope, city; Miss Baumann, La Crosse, Wis.; Miss Ruth Johnson, Washburn, Wis.; Miss Perry, Cresco, Ia., and Miss Stapleton, River Falls, Wis. Miss Maude Johnson visited at Red Wing and Minneapolis, and Miss Webster visited at Bowman, N. D.

Final Examinations.

Final examinations of two hours will be given in higher algebra, commercial arithmetic, American history, botany and economics. Everyone will be required to take the state board examinations in higher algebra, commercial arithmetic and American history, while students who have been on the honor roll every period of the semester will be excused from the teachers' examinations. In other subjects which will be concluded at the close of this semester any examinations that will be given during the regular recitation periods. There will be no interruption of classes during the days on which these examinations are given, except that those who take the examinations will be excused from other classes during the time of the examinations. The schedule is as follows:

Thursday, Jan. 19, 9 a. m.: Higher algebra and commercial arithmetic.

Friday, Jan. 20, 9 a. m.: American History.

Friday, Jan. 20, 2 p. m.: Botany and Economics.

Come to the Declamation Contest.

The second of the home declamation contests will be held in the high school assembly room on Monday, Jan. 16, beginning at 8 o'clock. The purpose of this contest is to select from the six girls and boys chosen in the previous contest, one girl and one boy to represent Thief River Falls in the inter-high school state contests. These contests are under the regulation of the state high school declamation league, of which our school is a member. The boys who will enter this contest are John Hendry, Hershel Hanson and Emmett Shanahan, and the girls are Ruth Knutson, Lucille McGinnity, Nora Lindquist, Shirley Anderson, Ella Krohn and Lillian Knight. We want them all to do their best, and they can't do this unless they feel that they have the interest and [illegible] of the school. Don't [illegible] waste their [illegible] walls. Come to the [illegible] friends about it and [illegible] come. Let us [illegible] the school in all [illegible] to the contest! [illegible] cents will be [illegible] which will [illegible] treasury.

Kindergarten Program.

The little ones enrolled in the kindergarten department in the Knox and Central schools entertained their parents on the last Wednesday afternoon before the close for the holidays at 2:30 with a most delightful program. Their room was prettily decorated for the occasion with festoons in Christmas colors, a fireplace, two well-trimmed trees, and drawings which the pupils had made. More noticeable even than the appropriate beauty of the room was the infectious spirit and joy of Christmas which prevailed among the pupils. Edmund Keene, taking the part of Santa Claus, distributed the presents. In giving the presents he asked each child, "Have you been good? Have you helped your mother?" etc., which added more Christmas spirit to the party. About 35 parents listened to the following program:

Songs: "Merry Christmas to You." "Once Unto the Shepherds." "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star." "Peace. Hang Up the Baby's Stocking." "Funny Old Man Made of Snow."

"Away in a Manger," by Lenore Dale.

Pieces, by Ruth Wassgren, Helen Johnson, Jarvis Prichard.

Song: "Once a Little Baby Lay."

Piece, by Verona Urdahl, Avis Arhardt.

Song: "Little Snowflakes."

"Little Jack Horner," Dramatized.

Song: "Here's a Ball for Baby."

"Silent Night."

Activities: Come' Let's Play. We're Indians. Rhythms by different music. Bunny Rabbits. Dance by eight children. Skating. Dance by Helen Johnson and Delles Gibson. Browny Dance. Browny Game.

Central Notes.

The following teachers of Central school spent their vacation at their homes in other towns: Misses Lorna Dodge, Rock Lake, N. D.; Lyda Batten, Newfolden; Lois Wold, Grand Forks.

The following teachers spent their vacations in this city: Misses Weeks, Frissell, Burns, Tandberg, Wengler, and Mrs. Hill.

The eighth "A" arithmetic class is working examples in Board Measure.

The eighth "B's" are figuring the number of cords of wood at the Central school.

Miss Weeks' room has the eighth grade banner for marching this week.

David and Lawrence Langevin and Hjalmer Liden have returned to their studies after being absent for several weeks because of sickness in the family.

Mrs. Hellquist, Mrs. Frissell, Mrs. Thronson, Mrs. Holmberg, Mrs. Wassgren, Mrs. Knutson, Mrs. Belcher and Mrs. Riedy have been guests of the kindergarten during the past two weeks.

Several children are returning to kindergarten after having light cases of chicken-pox.

When John Became a Man.

(By Henry Waale.)

It was at the very first break of day. An old alarm clock placed on a piece of timber up in Jim Watson's haybarn rattled away with exceptional force and persistence. Apparently it was trying to make up for time lost the previous day, which was Sunday, or else it was making a special effort at the beginning of a new week. Anyway the threshermen all hated this sudden and rude awakening. They were sleeping in the hay, lying about in all sorts of odd positions. Some of them were veterans in the threshing line. For many years they had shouldered their pitchforks at the first call of the steam whistle. These were already rubbing the sleep out of their eyes. Then there were members of a younger generation who thought that the sleep they could snatch between the bell and breakfast was the most precious in the world, and in pursuance of their custom and nature they merely rolled over and fell asleep again.

Among the last mentioned was John Ferguson, a bright fellow of about twenty. He was the son of the separator man who, as everyone knows, is the boss and brains of every threshing outfit. These two were sleeping under the same blanket, the oldest closest to the board where the old rattle-trap was placed. It was commonly called the gatling-gun by the threshers. Fact is, they had such profound dislike and disrespect for the thing that Mr. Ferguson must needs have parted with it a long time ago but for two things: he kept it only for his own good as he wanted to get up early mornings, and he was so very prompt to stop it at the very first alarm. But on this particular morning it didn't stop—just kept right on. John thought it very strange. It might have been, he reasoned, his father had awaked very early, had gone to look his separator over and forgotten the clock. But Mr. Ferguson was a sound sleeper, and such a thing had not happened before. While John was semi-consciously evolving these matters in his mind, he was aroused to action by the sleepy voice of Pat, whose Irish humor never failed him, as he drawled out, addressing the clock: "Ah, cut out that durn stuff, will you!"

It did, or rather John did. Then sitting up on his bed he reached for his shoes, the only article of clothing the thresherman doesn't wear for 24 hours at a time, excepting his hat or cap and possibly gloves, depending on the temperature in the sleeping quarters. His shoes on, he climbed down the ladder and out into the wealth of [illegible] morning. As he neared [illegible] Mr. Watson, the owner, [illegible] man never used more [illegible] absolutely necessary [illegible] anyone. He began:

"Your father came in early this morning; he had a pain in the side; we called the doctor; he'll be here in a minute."

(Concluded next week.)

Churches

The Scandinavian Ev. Church
Bot Nyborg, Pastor

Services Sunday, the 15th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. On Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. the mid-week meeting for Bible study and testimony. You are cordially invited.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.
O. J. Lundell, Pastor

Sunday, Jan. 15: Sunday school 10 a. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m., prayer meeting at the home of John Erickson, Tindolph avenue north. Friday, 8 p. m., Young People's meeting and Bible study at the church. Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 18, Ladies' Aid will be entertained at the home of Mrs. B. D. Bjorkman, corner of Zeh street and Riverside avenue. Welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Church
T. E. Sweger, Pastor

Confirmation class meets at the parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. Service in English with Communion at 11 a. m. Special music. In Norwegian at 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Annual business meeting of the congregation Tuesday, 2 p. m. at the church. Every voting member requested to attend. Ladies' Aid Society will be entertained in the church parlors on Thursday, Jan. 19, by Mesdames Olaf Ramstad, James Sether, O. H. Nelson and Severt Benson. Young Peoples League holds its semi-annual business meeting the same evening. A good program is promised. Mesdames L. Vevea, Adolph Williamson and T. E. Sweger entertain. Choir practice Thursday evening.

St. John's Lutheran Church.
E. H. Kreidt, Pastor

English services Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school after services at 11:30. Children will please note the change in the time for Sunday school. German services at Holt Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich will entertain the Ladies' Aid in the church basement next Wednesday afternoon.

Bethlehem Church.
O. I. Ranum, Pastor

Services in Bethlehem church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Evangelistic Meetings.

A series of gospel meetings will be held in the Swedish Baptist chruch, corener of Markley avenue and Schuneman street, commencing Friday, Jan. 13, and continuing every evening at 7:30 except Saturday. Both the Norwegian and English languages will be used. Sunday, 11 a. m., Norwegian service; Sunday evening, English. Rev. A. A. Ohm and Rev. L. O. Williams, both traveling under the auspices of the Minnesota Baptist State convention, will conduct these meetings. We desire the heartiest co-operation of the public. Come and hear for yourself. Our preaching will be strictly evangelistic.

Ev. Luth. Augustana Church.
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services in the English language at 10:30 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Services in the Swedish language at 7:45 p. m. The Willing Workers Society will be entertained by the R. Knutson family at their home, 723 Duluth avenue north, on Friday evening, Jan. 20, at 8:00 o'clock. *The Sunday school teachers* will meet at the parsonage on Friday evening, Jan. 13, at 8 o'clock.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock at the church on First and LaBree. Subject Sunday, Jan. 15, "Life." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45 p. m. Open also for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge.
H. Lutz, Pastor

Sunday, Jan. 15: German services at 10 a. m. Sunday school at 2 p. m. English services at 3 p. m. Holy Communion will be celebrated at both services.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

HOUSE FOR SALE—604 Arnold Ave. N. Phone 350-W. 40p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1133. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
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St. Hilaire, Minn.
25tf

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FOR SALE—One large black moleskin overcoat, sheepskin lined, and one 25-calliber Marlin rifle. Inquire 615 Dewey Ave. 52p

FOR SALE—Registered Shorthorn bull at a bargain. John P. Johnson, Rhoda, Minn. 51

HAY FOR SALE—Both wild and timothy hay in the stack for sale on Section 17, Smiley township. Inquire of J. M. Theige, Rt. 3, Thief River Falls. 50

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1133. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, at 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 303. 51p

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WANTED—Bird cage, wicker preferred. Geo. Leimern 47tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 8p

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Small family. Phone 217. 40

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DR. H. W. FROEHLICH
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Thief River Falls, Minn.
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Public Forum

A Plea For the Starving People of Russia.

To the Editor of The Times:

In view of the persistent appeals for relief of the starving people of the Volga region of Russia, please allow me a little space to state my views of the situation, several features of which may not be understood by some of your readers.

In determining whether the Russian people have a claim on Christian charity, it is necessary to rid ourselves of a few notions concerning their country. How many of our people, for instance, know that the Moscow district, the center of European Russia, is in the same latitude as Hudson Bay, or the city of Petrograd on a line with Sitka, Alaska, or their southern seaport, Odessa, as far north as Duluth? Making due allowance for European climates, it stands to reason that the struggle for existence in that country, under favorable conditions, would be far more intense than in other countries of that continent more exposed than Russia to the influence of the sea.

As to their actual conditions of life in normal times prior to the year 1900, lest some of our people harbor the delusion that the Russians have been living in reasonable comfort, which the large exports of grain from that country seemed to indicate, and that through their revolutionary zeal they have brought disaster upon themselves and therefore have only themselves to blame and should be left to starve, let me quote a few words from the greatest authority in the English language, the Encyclopaedia Britannica (Americanized edition.) Under the heading "Russia," where reference is made to the steady increase of export of corn from that country, I find the following: "This increase does not prove, however, an excess of corn, for even when one-third of Russia was famine-stricken, during the last years of scarcity, the export trade did not decline; even Samara exported during the last famine there, the peasants being compelled to sell their corn in autumn to pay their taxes. Scarcity is quite usual, the food supply of some ten provinces being exhausted every year by the end of spring. Orach, and even bark, are then mixed with flour for making bread." Notice that it says every year, which shows that starvation has been the normal condition of a large section of that people.

Whether or not their condition has improved after seven years of war, revolution, civil strife, blockades, anarchy, etc., I will leave to the imagination of the reader. How would the reader like to bring up a family of twelve children and give them a college education in such a country?

Now, as under such unfavorable conditions the people of that nation formed the unpleasant habit of marching under red flags, listening to radical orators, and otherwise behaving in a manner unbecoming good Christians, it seems that their rulers often found it necessary to bring them to their senses. As to the methods employed to infuse the proper amount of patriotism into them, I will quote, not a newspaper report, but the head of the Russian government at the time, the late Count Sergius Witte, premier under Czar Nicholas II, who was generally recognized as the ablest statesman of the old regime, and whom Americans will remember as the man who negotiated for Russia the treaty of Portsmouth, which terminated the Russo-Japanese war. In his memoirs, among other things, Witte relates this incident:

"During my premiership (1906) I received a despatch from Governor-General Sologub, describing the measures taken to suppress the uprising in the Reval district and requesting me to exert a moderating influence upon Captain Richter of the punitive expedition, who was executing people indiscriminately without the least semblance of legality. I submitted the despatch to His Majesty, who returned it to me with the following words jotted down opposite the lines describing the captain's bloody deeds: 'Fine! A capital fellow!'" (World's Work Magazine, November, 1920.)

How does that strike our American Legion boys as an incentive to loyalty? There can be no doubt that just such methods of government were largely responsible for present conditions in Russia. At least that is the way our histories account for the horrors of the French revolution. Witte also states that a reign of terror was foreseen, quoting a prominent statesman to this effect, referring to the loyalist mobs: "Today they massacre the revolutionary intellectuals, tomorrow they may loot the Czar's palaces."

I have quoted the above to show the connection between the revolution and the famine, for without the revolution there would today perhaps be no famine in Russia. There would have been no invasions, and any grain shortage would have been made up from accumulated stores or by purchases abroad by a recognized government using the national credit. As it happened, the frequent heavy requisitions by friend and foe forced the peasants in many cases to consume even their seed grain, with the result that the acreage last year was less than half of normal and a total failure on almost half of that caused the present condition. The Soviets not being internationally recognized, the Russian people have been for a long time without national credit. That is the worst feature of the situation, and until the condition is remedied by international arrangement, those people are forced to appeal to the generosity of other nations.

I have written enough to convince any fair-minded person that a situation exists which calls for a large measure of Christian charity, and when our good people consider the other large portion of the Russian race who have been swept from their own country by the storm and are dependent on neighboring peoples, they will thank God that they live in a country which has been able to give $20,000,000 for famine relief, and will have little regret if Congress sees fit to double the amount.

J. E. HAVEL.

Thief River Falls.

Says Fixed Price is Only Remedy.

Editor Times:

There has been a great hue and cry during the last year, and particularly during the last few months, for cheap money and improved credit facilities. This is quite natural under the conditions we are having, especially in the agricultural industry. The Nonpartisan League and various other farm organizations have all advocated and demanded relief along this line.

A few months ago, in apparent harmony and compliance with this demand for improved credit facilities, Congress passed the law reviving the so-called War Finance corporation, providing for cheap money to help out the agricultural industry. According to the law as it was represented in the newspapers at the time of passage, the government was to furnish money to the banks at about five per cent, and the banks were to be allowed to lend this money out again at a profit of about two per cent. In other words, according to the way this law was represented at that time the banks were to take this money and lend it out again at about seven and a half per cent. So far it seems that it is still hard for the farmers to get any sort of a loan, and they certainly don't seem to be getting any cheap loans where they do manage to get any loans at all. I am told that the large city banks are getting this cheap money, while some of the little country banks find it almost impossible to get any of it. At any rate it is now clear that the farmers are not getting any loans at seven and a half percent as was promised. I understand that at least some of the banks are taking their old loans and sending them in and getting government money on them, and that they are then taking the money which they secure in this way and lending it out at the prevailing high rates of interest. This whole thing needs some explanation from someone who knows the inside facts. As it is now, it certainly seems that the farmers are left holding the sack. Let us have an explanation from the Republican administration, and let them get right down to the point and tell us why these War Finance loans are not being made to the farmers at seven and a half per cent as was promised.

Was the purpose of the law to help out the farmers, or was it to help out the banks? As it stands now it seems someone is getting cheap government money and lending it out again at a nice fat profit. Let us have an explanation of this matter, and have the cards all placed on the table so that we may know all the facts. It is up to Senator Kellogg and other Republican officials who sponsored this law to explain.

However, the chief point that I wish to make is that all these proposed cheap loans and improved credit facilities will not help out the farmers in the long run. You can never get out of a hole by borrowing money, no matter what the rate of interest. It may give you a better chance by giving you an opportunity to straighten out later on at a more favorable moment than we have right now, but what the farmer needs is a just and fair price for his farm products so that he can pay up his loans. If the farmer gets a just and fair price for his grain, live stock and other farm products he will as a rule not need to borrow very much money at any rate of interest. Cheap loans and improved credit facilities are all good and well so far as they go, but let us remember that the farmer needs something else besides loans and credit.

Unless the time comes, and soon, that the farmer can get a just and fair price for his grain, live stock and other farm products a lot of the loans that have been made will never be paid. The time has now come when there will have to be a change, and the farmer will have to have a price at least equal to the cost of production if he is going to be able to continue and meet his obligations. The prosperity of the farmer depends not only upon how much he raises or produces on his farm, but equally as much on how much he gets for what he has produced when he sells. Don't let the farmers of the country fool themselves into thinking that a lot of credit and cheap loans will pull them out of the hole. Until we get a price at least equal to the cost of production, plus a reasonable profit, we shall simply continue to sink deeper and deeper into the hole.

Let us therefore all insist upon and demand a reasonable price on farm products based upon the cost of production. We need a guaranteed price on wheat and other farm products. This can be arranged through a revival of the U. S. grain corporation. If that is done we can get some relief during the coming year. There is no other remedy in sight for a long, long time to come. We may not always like the idea of a government fixed price, but we can see nothing else in sight to offer relief. Think this over and, unless you can see something better, write to your senators and congressmen urging and demanding relief along the lines of a guaranteed price based upon cost of production, plus a reasonable profit.

Jan. 9. H. O. BERVE.

Favors Drainage Project.

To the Editor:

I read a short time ago a letter written by Mr. Carl Berg, Erskine, about the Red Lake drainage work. I have given this letter much thought and have been wondering why Mr. Berg, who does not live near the Red Lake river and who does not have land that will be assessed for this work, has tried to criticize, without first knowing what he is writing about. With your permission I would like to answer his article from the ground up.

Nearly all I own in this world is located where we are subject to flood damage so I feel that the truth should be told.

I know there has been a cry to have something done about this. Every year the situation will keep getting worse with every ditch opened to the river east of here. If something cannot be done with the river at reasonable cost to successfully give the required relief the sooner we can know whether this work can be done or not the better.

It is hard enough for the persons on the firing line to get reforms or improvements for the common good of the people in this world even if highly intelligent men, like Mr. Berg is thought to be, do not go out of their way to prejudice their fellowmen against things which must of necessity eventually be done.

Mr. C. G. Selvig, head of the agricultural school at Crookston, who is president of this drainage work, has received hundreds of letters from farmers asking him if he could not do something to prevent floods from drowning out crops in the Red Lake and Clearwater river basins. This I know to be a fact. Mr. Selvig also visited parts of the flooded area in 1919 and very many farmers urged him to get something started that would eventually give relief. Accordingly Mr. Selvig called a meeting at Thief River Falls, where I judge 300 or more farmers met and favored this work being started.

It surely would be bordering on insanity to have this worthy work dropped now after so much time, money, energy and intelligence have been put into it, only to have to commence all over again as soon as a good shower of rain comes along. We farmers are generally that way. We want drainage right after the crops are drowned out but as soon as the water has disappeared we go to sleep again as far as drainage is concerned, and dream that we never again will need it. And if anyone is so crazy that he can't go to sleep and insists upon going ahead in a sensible way to get protection (if such can be had at reasonable cost), then the rest of us surely do not want to pay any of the costs as it is feared that we might be taxed off from the great farm of ours, you know.

This is the old story we have heard since the first fellow started to talk about some sort of drainage ditch that ought to be established when there yet was none at all in this more or less swampy and flat country. But see what has been done through the drainage we now have, which, of course, is only partly done until we have proper outlets at the rivers—which is the very thing we now are in hopes of accomplishing. Just think what a howl we would all send out if the ditch banks that now make a good road (and is the reason why we have country roads at all) were to be put back in the ditch, even if we were thereby relieved from paying any of the costs of the ditch, of which the road alone is worth the total cost in most cases. So after all, it simmers down to this: If we are going to live like white people it behooves us to stick together in an unselfish spirit in this most important work.

As a general proposition, I will say this: That farming in general now does not pay, so we cannot now pay taxes, interest and expenses. But this fact has nothing at all to do with this drainage proposition. If we cannot sufficiently soon make farming pay we are done for or will have to lose the farms anyway. But in the event that we shall succeed in making farming pay, which we are in hopes can be done one way or another, then in such an event we would be in a better position still if our farms were protected. We would then be as near ready as possible, or in other words, we would then have the proper drainage so crops cannot be wiped away by floods.

We know this, that good prices do not help if lack of drainage kills the crop. Anyway, it behooves us farmers to do every sensible thing we can to make farming pay, which requires that we drain our farms, which will be for the good not only of the farmer himself but for mankind in general. To that end let us fight, because it is a very worthy thing to fight for, and I for one fully appreciate any and all help from men and women all along the line, regardless of what their occupation in life may be.

In conclusion I wish to state right here that I do believe in giving credit where credit belongs. I wish to pay my highest tribute to all members on this, the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission, for being honest, efficient and careful men, right on their job.

Hazel, Minn. O. O. HOFDAL.

NUMEDAL

Quite a few from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. A. O. Brink Wednesday.

Thure Blomberg was a Viking shopper Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nelson of Gatzke visited at the Olaf Larson and Soren Knutson homes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaus Ordal and family were guests at the Elias Joringdal home Friday.

Thure Blomberg attended to business matters at Thief River Falls on Friday.

Norval Johnson was a Viking shopper Thursday.

Richard, Tommy and Elias Joringdal motored to Thief River Falls on Saturdaly.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning were Viking callers Thursday evening.

Hjalmer Blomberg and Soren Knutson autoed to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Larson were Sunday callers at the Soren Knutson home.

Thure, Hjalmer and Mrs. J. A. Blomberg autoed to Warren on Sunday and were guests at the E. Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson and families were Sunday guests at the Olaus Ordal home.

George and Peter Bugge and Conrad Ronning called at the S. Knutson home Saturday evening.

Thure Blomberg called at the E. Joringdal home Sunday evening.

David Samuelson called on Egbert Malberg Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Osness and daughter called at the G. Ronning home Monday.

Carl Forslund made a fast trip to Viking on Sunday.

Olaf Larson was a Viking shopper on Monday.

Joe Osness was a Viking caller on Saturday evening.

Miss Anna Stone of Viking is staying at the Soren Knutson home at present.

Carl Forslund called at the Blomberg home on Sunday.

John Ronning called at P. Bugge's on Monday.

Thure Blomberg was a Viking visitor Monday.

Miss Forden and Casper Osness called at the E. Joringdal home Sunday evening.

Oscar Olson called at Blomberg's Monday evening.

BANK NO. 1234

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

HAZEL, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1921.

Resources			
Loans and Discounts			$ 96,000.07
Overdrafts			21.31
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			122.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			4,200.00
Other Real Estate			4,929.84
Checks and Drafts in Transit			1,353.31
Due from other Banks		$ 14,204.48	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$2,860.00		
Gold	52.50		
Silver	207.95		
Other	46.82	3,227.27	
Total Cash Assets			17,431.75
Checks and Cash Items			200.47
Total			$124,348.24

Liabilities		
Capital Stock		$ 10,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		1,000.01
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		7,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 20,330.21	
Cashier's Checks	1,083.65	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$ 21,410.86	
Savings Deposits	$ 2,624.13	
Time Certificates	80,301.24	
Total Deposits	$104,335.23	104,348.23
Total		$124,348.24
Amount of Reserve on hand		$17,431.75
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		6,710.54

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

We, Paul Borgie, Vice President, and E. C. Karwand, Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

PAUL BORGIE, Vice President,
E. C. KARWAND, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
C. W. VORACHEK,
OLE ODEGAARD.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1922.
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 29, 1927.

BANK NO. 448

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Citizens State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN., AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DEC. 31, 1921.

Resources			
Loans and Discounts			$609,775.35
Overdrafts			61.68
U. S. Bonds and other U. S. obligations			15,400.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			25,210.00
Other Real Estate			10,810.00
Due from other Banks		$ 34,545.75	
Cash on Hand:			
Currency	$6,785.00		
Gold	880.00		
Silver	3,480.15		
Other	112.33		
Total Cash Assets		11,278.51	45,824.26
Checks and Cash Items			6,720.38
Total			$842,291.57

Liabilities		
Capital Stock		$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund		10,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		5,030.07
Reserved for Depreciation on Bonds		497.61
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		55,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$129,169.57	
Demand Certificates	3,191.06	
Certified Checks	53.06	
Cashier's Checks	8,841.52	
Due to Banks	19,026.29	
Total Immediate Liabilities	$160,287.77	
Savings Deposits	$ 38,102.55	
Time Certificates	523,273.77	
Total Deposits	$721,754.09	721,754.09
Total		$842,291.57
Amount of Reserve on hand		$52,544.44
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		$47,307.84

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

We, Olaf Ramstad, President, and T. L. Melgaard, Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

OLAF RAMSTAD, President,
T. L. MELGAARD, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors—
C. W. VORACHECK,
RASMUS OEN.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of January, 1922.
E. P. BREVIG,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires May 29, 1927.

BANK NO. 1409

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

Farmers and Merchants State Bank

OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, INCORPORATED, AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1921.

Resources			
Loans and Discounts			$279,032.01
Overdrafts			4.73
Bonds and Securities other than those of U. S.			26,171.82
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			9,034.84
Other Real Estate			7,212.86
Checks and Drafts in Transit			8,278.18
Due from other Banks		$ 20,617.78	
Cash on Hand		2,894.76	
Currency	$ 1,289.50		
Gold	419.24		
Silver	1,075.60		
Other	110.42		
Total Cash Assets			23,512.54
Checks and Cash Items			491.07
Total			$353,733.00

Liabilities		
Caital Stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		5,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net		5,926.89
Notes Rediscounted and Bills Payable (including certificates for money borrowed)		13,000.00
Deposits Subject to Check	$113,197.69	
Cashier's Checks	7,192.93	
Total Immediate Liabilities	120,390.62	
Savings Deposits	16,763.53	
Time Certificates	137,651.96	
Total Deposits	274,806.11	274,806.11
Total		$353,733.00
Amount of Reserve on hand		$32,276.74
Amount of Reserve Required by Law		22,167.64

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

We, R. McGinn, President, and Albert Lonson, Cashier, of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

R. McGINN, President.
ALBERT LONSON, Cashier.

Correct Attest: (Two) Directors:
HERBERT FULLER,
LOUIS DeCREMER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, A. D. 1922.

(Seal)
EFFIE HAMRY,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires April 2, 1925.

Commissioners' Proceedings

REPORT OF COUNTY BOARD OF AUDIT

To the Honorable County Board, Pennington County, Minnesota:

Gentlemen:

The undersigned Board of Audit of said Pennington County, met at the office of the County Treasurer of said County, on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1921, for the purpose of examining and auditing the Accounts, Books and Vouchers of John Gullingsrud, Treasurer of said County, and to count and ascertain the kind and description and amount of funds in the County Treasury and belonging thereto.

We respectfully make the following report thereon:

Balance in the Treasury June 1, 1921, date of last report		$251,039.22
Treasurer's receipts from June 1, 1921, to November 1, 1921:		
From Tax Collections	$129,486.75	
From Collections on Public Lands	225.84	
From Collections on Private Redemptions	5,021.57	
From Collections on Interest on County Funds	1,537.01	
From Collections of Fines and Licenses	516.10	
From Collections, Ditch Assessments	4.29	
From Collections, Mortgage Registration Tax	413.15	
From Teachers' Insurance and Retirement	295.00	
From Drainage Ditch Bonds	10.00	
From State and Federal Aid for Roads	30,105.52	
From Hunters' Licenses	162.00	
From Refundments on Taxes	81.42	
From Sale of Gravel Loader	672.00	
From Inheritance Tax Collected	151.87	
From Collections on Road Lien	8.75	
Total Balance and Receipts		$427,276.18
By Disbursements from June 1, 1921, to November 1, 1921, as follows:		
Paid Orders on Revenue Fund	$ 14,830.68	
Paid Warrants on Private Redemption Fund	6,028.30	
Paid Warrants on Road and Bridge Fund	37,280.38	
Paid Warrants on Bond and Interest Fund	4,652.00	
Paid Warrants on General Ditch Fund	91,110.39	
Paid Warrants on Incidental Fund	505.13	
Paid Warrants on Town Funds	42,312.22	
Paid Warrants on School District Fund	60,858.71	
Paid Warrants on State Taxes	13,661.75	
Paid Warrants on Public Land Fund	1,041.27	
Paid Warrants on Sanitorium Fund	1,204.14	
Paid Warrants on Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund	112.50	
Paid Warrants on County Attorney's Contingent Fund	160.50	
Paid Warrants on Inheritance Tax Fund	145.87	
Total Disbursements		$281,126.14
Balance in Treasury at close of business October 31, 1921, as appears from books of said County Treasurer		$146,040.04
We find the Treasurer in possession of funds covering said balance in kind and amounts as follows:		
Cash in Safe and Drawer	$ 315.85	
Cash Items, Checks, Money Orders	1,987.20	
Deposited in First National Bank, Thief River Falls	21,780.09	
Deposited in Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls	26,063.07	
Deposited in Citizens State Bank, Thief River Falls	24,517.46	
Deposited in First and Peoples State Bank, Thief River Falls	32,810.28	
Deposited in Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire	5,949.42	
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, Goodridge	5,388.77	
Deposited in Goodridge State Bank, Goodridge	5,962.21	
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, Mavie	5,757.01	
Deposited in Citizens State Bank, Hazel	5,447.88	
Deposited in Farmers State Bank, St. Hilaire	6,242.92	
Total Funds		$146,040.04

Respectfully submitted this 3rd day of January, 1922.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman County Board and Board of Audit.
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.
ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk District Court and Clerk of Board of Audit.

Thief River Falls, Minn., Jan. 3, 1922.

Pursuant to law, the County Board for Pennington county met in the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Meeting was called to order by the County Auditor. Members of the County Board present: Commissioners Hanson, McGinn, Naplin, Roy and Peterson.

Members absent: None.

The board proceeded to ballot for chairman for the ensuing year. Commissioner Peterson received four votes and Commissioner Naplin received one vote. Commissioner Peterson was so declared duly elected as chairman for the ensuing year.

The next ballot was for vice chairman for the ensuing year. Commissioner Roy received three votes and Commissioner Naplin received two votes. Commissioner Roy was so declared duly elected vice chairman for the ensuing year.

The chairman appointed standing committees for the ensuing year as follows:

Committee on Finance: McGinn, Naplin and Roy.

Committee on Court House and Jail: Hanson, McGinn and Naplin.

Committee on Ditches: Hanson and Naplin.

Committee on Roads and Bridges: Naplin, Hanson, Roy, McGinn and Peterson, and T. P. Anderson.

Purchasing Committee: Peterson, McGinn, and T. P. Anderson.

County Board of Health: Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, J. S. Roy and A. W. Hanson.

A letter from the Chairman of the Min-

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

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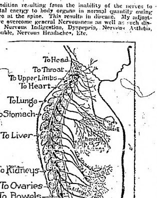

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nesota Tax Conference calling attention of the Board to the meeting to be held in the city of Minneapolis on January 18 and 19 and asking the County Board to appoint delegates to attend the said convention. On motion the following were duly appointed as delegates: O. A. Naplin, Peter Hansen and Ole L. Ihle. Motion carried.

Depository bonds of the following banks were approved by the County Board:

The First National Bank, Thief River Falls.
The Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Thief River Falls.
The Citizens State Bank, Thief River Falls.
The Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire.
The Citizens State Bank, Hazel.
The Farmers State Bank, Mavie.
The Farmers State Bank, Goodridge.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner McGinn, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Naplin:

Whereas, the County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota, at its first meeting in January, 1913, did by resolution create a sinking fund for the purpose of paying off bonded indebtedness of the county as the same becomes due,

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the sum of Six Thousand dollars be raised by taxation for the year 1922, and that the County Auditor hereby is authorized to levy said amount in addition to all other taxes authorized by law.

All members voted for the resolution and it was so declared approved.

The matter of receiving and opening bids for the county printing for the year 1922 came up before the Board. Only one bid, that of the Times Printing and Manufacturing Company, as follows, was received:

"To the County Board of the County of Pennington.

"Pursuant to call for bid and offer therefor, the undersigned publisher and proprietor of the Thief River Falls Times, a legal newspaper as defined by law, and published in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county, hereby offers to publish in the said Thief River Falls Times, the notices and list of delinquent taxes to be published in said county as required by law during the year 1922. The rate and amount to be paid for such publication to be the maximum rate and amount therefor allowed by law, and further offers and proposes to publish in said Thief River Falls Times as required by law during the year 1922, the financial statement of said county, the proceedings of the County Board of said county, and all other official publications of said county as required by law or customarily published, the rate and amount to be paid therefor and for each thereof to be the maximum rate and amount therefor allowed by law. Will furnish bond with sufficient sureties for such publications and either of them as provided by law.

"If the foregoing bids and offers are accepted, the undersigned proposes and offers each and all of said publications to be made once without charge to the county in the Tribune, a newspaper published in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county, and without charge to furnish legal supplements of such Notice and delinquent tax list and such financial statement to the Spectator, a newspaper published at St. Hilaire, in said county, and to the Banner, a newspaper published at Goodridge in said county.

"Dated January 2, 1922.

"Times Printing & Mfg. Co.,
"By R. H. Ross, President."

Motion made and seconded that this matter be laid on the table until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, when final action would be taken. Motion carried.

Petition of Ivar Solheim to be set off from School District No. 66 and attached to School District No. 68 was presented to the County Board. The same was found to be in proper form and approved by the Superintendent of Schools, and the following order was made:

Order of Hearing on Petition of Freeholder to be Set Off.

Whereas, A petition signed by Ivar Solheim, a freeholder of School District No. 66 in this County, with the approval of the County Superintendent endorsed thereon, representing that he is the owner of the following described lands situate in said District, to-wit:

Southeast Quarter of Section Three, Township 153, Range 41, which land adjoins School District No. 68, and asking that his said lands may be set off from said District No. 66 to said District No. 68 for the following reasons:

That the children have to travel fully two miles to school in District No. 66, and that it is only one and one-half miles to school in District No. 68, was presented to the County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota, at a session of said Board held on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1922, for the action of said Board thereon.

Now, therefore, it is ordered that said petition will be heard by this Board at the session thereof commencing on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1922, at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County.

And it is further ordered that notice of time and place of such hearing be given by a two weeks published notice thereof, and posting a notice of such hearing in three public places in each of the School Districts to be affected by said petition and by serving upon the clerk of each of said School Districts by mail, a copy of said notice of hearing, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman of County Board,
Pennington County, Minn.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor, and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.
(Seal)

Petition of Olaf Nelson to be set off from School District No. 3 and attached to School District No. 9 was presented to the County Board for approval. The same was found in proper form and having the endorsement of the Superintendent of Schools, the following order was made:

Order of Hearing of Petition of Freeholder to be Set Off.

Whereas, a petition signed by Olof Nilson, a freeholder of School District No. 3 in this County, with the approval of the County Superintendent endorsed thereon, representing that he is the owner of the following described lands situate in said District, to-wit:

Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-two, Township 152, Range 39, which land adjoins School District No. 9, and asking that his said lands may be set off from said District No. 3 to said District No. 9 for the following reasons:

That the school house in District No. 3 is situated four and one-half miles from where he lives and that the school house in District No. 9 is situated only two miles from his home and that his land adjoins District No. 9, was presented to the County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota, at a session of said Board held on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1922, for the action of said Board thereon.

Now, therefore, it is ordered that said petition will be heard by this Board at the session thereof commencing on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1922, at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County.

And it is further ordered that notice of time and place of such hearing be given by a two weeks published notice thereof, and posting a notice of such hearing in three public places in each of the School Districts to be affected by said petition and by serving upon the clerk of each of said School Districts by mail, a copy of said notice of hearing, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman of County Board,
Pennington County, Minn.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor, and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.
(Seal)

Petition of Richard Halls to be set off from School District No. 54 and attached to School District No. 102 was presented to the Board for their approval, and the following order was made:

Order of Hearing of Petition of Freeholder to be Set Off.

Whereas, A petition signed by Richard Hall, a freeholder of School District No. 54 in this County, with the approval of the County Superintendent endorsed thereon, representing that he is the owner of the following described lands situate in said District, to-wit:

Lots 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, in Block 7, of Crocker, Cundy and Nelson's First Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to plat thereof, which land adjoins School District No. 102, and asking that his said lands may be set off from said District No. 54 to said District No. 102 for the following reasons:

The house on the above described land is about a mile and one-half from school house in District No. 54, thus making it very inconvenient for the children to attend school, while the school house in District No. 102 is only about twenty rods from the dwelling house on the above described real estate, was presented to the County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota, at a session of said Board held on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1922, for the action of said Board thereon.

Now, therefore, it is ordered that said petition will be heard by this Board at the session thereof commencing on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1922, at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County.

And it is further ordered that notice of time and place of such hearing be given by a two weeks published notice thereof, and posting a notice of such hearing in three public places in each of the School Districts to be affected by said petition and by serving upon the clerk of each of said School Districts by mail, a copy of said notice of hearing, at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman of County Board,
Pennington County, Minn.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor, and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.
(Seal)

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Naplin, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Roy:

"Be It Resolved, That the County Auditor be and hereby is authorized and instructed to advertise for the sale of $50,000.00 of Pennington County Drainage Bonds on account of Judicial Ditch No. 30, Pennington and Marshall Counties."

All members present voted for the resolution and it was so duly declared approved by the Chairman.

Application of the Goodridge Mercantile Co. for reduction of their personal property assessment in the village of Goodridge was approved by the County Board, subject to the approval of the Minnesota Tax Commission.

On motion duly carried the County Board adjourned until Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman.
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.

Thief River Falls, Minn., Jan. 4, 1922.

Pursuant to adjournment, the County Board reconvened at 9 o'clock A. M. All members present.

The Highway Engineer presented his report for the year to the County Board. The same duly read and approved.

Pursuant to Chapter 433 of the Revised Laws of 1905, the County Board did examine the accounts and vouchers of the Auditor and Treasurer and all funds in the county treasury, and filed their certified statement of the same with the County Auditor, of which the following is a copy:

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

A statement of the exact amount of money in the treasury of Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of December, 1921:

Currency	$ 82.00
Silver	38.25
Pennies	3.25
Checks and cash items	704.07
	$ 827.57
Deposited in banks	60,967.66
Total funds on hand	$61,795.23

We certify that the above is true and correct.

County Board for Pennington County Minnesota.
By Oscar J. Peterson, Chairman.

Pursuant to law, I present below a statement showing the amount of taxes levied for County purposes for the year 1921, the amount collected and apportioned to date, and the balance uncollected, together with the actual cash balance remaining in the County treasury to the credit of each county fund at the close of business on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1921.

Fund—	Balance uncollected or unapportioned	Amount levied for current year
County Revenue	$4,442.65	$29,022.45
Co. Road & Bridge	4,077.17	[illegible]
Bond & Int.	570.58	3,900.08
County Sinking	532.06	[illegible]
County Sanitorium	1,129.27	4,019.69

Balances remaining in the County treasury to the credit of each fund on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1921, are as follows:

Fund—	
County Revenue	$2,610.03
County Road and Bridge	3,517.10
County Bond and Interest	894.55
County Sinking	3,038.93
County Sanitorium	513.57

Respectfully submitted,
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Hanson, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Naplin:

"Be It Resolved, That the salary of the Superintendent of Schools be set at $1,440 for the year 1922, and the County Auditor hereby is authorized to issue his warrant to the Superintendent of Schools based on monthly payments."

Resolution duly approved.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Roy, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Hanson:

"Be It Resolved, That the salary of the Sheriff be set at $1,320 for the year 1922."

Resolution duly approved.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Naplin, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner McGinn:

"Be It Resolved, That the salary of the County Attorney be set at $1,200 for the year 1922."

Resolution was so duly approved.

Motion made and seconded that the salary of the Janitor be set at $60 per month for the year 1922. Motion carried.

The matter of the bid for the county printing was again taken up by the County Board.

The bid of the Times Printing and Manufacturing Company being the only bid received, Mr. McGinn moved that the bid of the Times Printing and Manufacturing Company for publishing the Delinquent Tax List and other proceedings be accepted and contract entered into according to law, such publication to be at the maximum legal rate according to such bid, and bond executed at $2,000 on conditions according to law. The above was seconded by Commissioner Hanson, was voted on by the Board and duly carried.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner McGinn, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Roy:

"Resolved, That the Thief River Falls Times, published at Thief River Falls, Minnesota, be and the same is hereby designated by the County Board of the County of Pennington as the newspaper in which the Notice and List of Real Estate remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1922, shall be published."

All members present voted for the resolution and it was so duly declared approved.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Hanson, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Naplin:

"Be It Resolved, That the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars be transferred from the General Revenue Fund of the County to the County Attorney's Contingent Fund, and that the sum of Three Hundred Dollars be transferred from the General Revenue Fund of the County to the Incidental Fund, and that the County Auditor and the County Treasurer hereby are authorized to make the proper transfers on the books in their respective offices."

All members present voted for the resolution and it was so declared approved.

A statement of the financial condition of Pennington County at the close of business of the past year and the beginning of the present year, with a report showing in detail the transactions of the Auditor's office, was submitted to the County Board by the Auditor, and on motion duly carried the same was approved.

A bond presented by the Pennington Abstract Company was submitted to the Board for consideration. The same was found in proper form and with the proper sureties and was duly approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were audited and ordered paid:

Thief River Construction Co., work on Burke County Ditch No. 68	$724.01
Dr. H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Calhoun	5.45
Oscar J. Peterson, member board of audit	23.80
T. P. Anderson, same	21.00
Adolf Eklund, same	21.00
Walter Smith, drawing jury	5.01
W. J. LaBree, expense State vs. Omild, et al	10.00
Hans Johnson, hauling gravel for Ditch No. 35	5.00
Irving E. Quist, engineer County Ditch No. [illegible]	78.00
Geo. M. Gunderson, expense as superintendent of schools	91.80
Township of Wyandotte, small pox quarantine	50.00
Township of Wyandotte, same	4.17
Madeline Thill, assisting superintendent of schools	3.00
R. [illegible] Inland, expense as highway engineer	5.08
The [illegible] Co., receipt books for treasurer for 1922	297.50
O. A. Naplin, attorney's fee on County Ditch No. 4	25.00
Larson Furniture Co., supplies for jail	14.50
Olson Lumber Co., lumber for Judicial Ditch No. 1	50.17
D. [illegible], blankets for jail	16.00
W. J. LaBree, expense, State vs. Hanson and Swenson	12.75
W. J. LaBree, expense, State vs. Nellie Rengren	1.00
Free Press Pub. Co., supplies	27.15
Roy Bumpter, work on Ditch No. 68	6.00
Soldier Wahlbeck, same	6.50
Remington Typewriter Co., repairs	15.00
Township of Reiner, small pox quarantine	17.00
Claude D. Kimball Co., mortgage record	58.42
Miller-Davis Co., supplies	425.23
Oscar J. Peterson, mileage attending regular meetings and signing county warrants	8.40
Oscar J. Peterson, committee work on State Road No. 3	5.80
J. S. Roy, commissioner's mileage for regular meetings	3.20
Gust Naplin, mileage	7.00
A. W. Hanson, inspecting bridges, Judicial Ditch No. 13	4.00
A. W. Hanson, committee work, State Road No. 7	7.00
A. W. Hanson, committee work, State Road No. 7	7.00
A. W. Hanson, mileage	7.20

On motion duly carried, the County Board adjourned until January 20, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman County Board.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board.

BOARD OF AUDIT.

Verification of Current Tax Collections.

To the County Board, Pennington County Minnesota:

Gentlemen:

The Board of Audit of Pennington County respectfully report to your Honorable Body that they have examined the books, accounts and vouchers of the County Treasurer, counted and ascertained the kind, description and amount of funds in the treasury of said county, or belonging thereto, for the period from June 1, 1921, to October 31, 1921, both days inclusive.

We find the treasurer charged with the Tax Levy for 1920 as follows:

Tax Levy for 1920	$447,853.89	
Additions to levy	192.10	
Total Debit		$448,046.17
Taxes collected	$352,291.45	
Taxes abated	4,374.08	
Total credit		$356,666.13
November 1, 1921, Balance uncollected		91,380.04

We hereby certify that we have verified the correctness of the foregoing statement by checking the duplicate receipts with the tax books for the period above named.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman County Board,
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor,
ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of District Court.
Board of Audit, Pennington County.

Legal Notices

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. A. Blomberg, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Anna Blomberg,

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 8th day of July, 1922, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated January 7, 1922.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

(Court Seal)

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Administratrix.
J-12-19-26

Notice of Hearing Upon Petition of Freeholder.

Whereas, A petition signed by Olof Nilson, a freeholder of School District No. 3, in this County, representing that he is the owner of the following described lands, situated in said District, to-wit:

Southwest Quarter, Section 22, Township 152, Range 39.

And that said petition has been presented to the County Board of Pennington County; and asking that his said lands may be set off from said District No. 3 to said District No. 9, and the said Board has appointed a time and place for hearing thereon.

Therefore, Notice is hereby given that said petition will be heard by said Board, at a session thereof, commencing on the eighth day of February, A. D. 1922, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, at which time and place the said Board will hear the evidence and the arguments of all persons interested, for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner.

Dated at Thief River Falls, January 7, 1922.

By order of the County Board.
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.
J-12-19

Notice of Hearing Upon Petition of Freeholder.

Whereas, A petition signed by Richard Halls, a freeholder of School District No. 54, in this County, representing that he is the owner of the following described lands, situated in said District, to-wit:

Lots 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, in Block 7, of Crocker, Cundy and Nelson's First Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds within and for Pennington County, Minnesota.

And that said petition has been presented to the County Board of Pennington County; and asking that his said lands may be set off from said District No. 54 to said District No. 102 and the said Board has appointed a time and place for hearing thereon.

Therefore, Notice is hereby given that said petition will be heard by said Board, at a session thereof, commencing on the eighth day of February, A. D. 1922, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, at which time and place the said Board will hear the evidence and the arguments of all persons interested, for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner.

Dated January 7, 1922.

By order of the County Board.
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.
J-12-19

Notice of Hearing Upon Petition of Freeholder.

Whereas, A petition signed by Ivar Solheim, a freeholder of School District No. 66, in this County, representing that he is the owner of the following described lands, situated in said District, to-wit:

Southeast Quarter of Section 3, Township 153, Range 41.

And that said petition has been presented to the County Board of Pennington County; and asking that his said lands may be set off from said District No. 66 to said District No. 68, and the said Board has appointed a time and place for hearing thereon.

Therefore, Notice is hereby given that said petition will be heard by said Board, at a session thereof, commencing on the eighth day of February, A. D. 1922, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, at which time and place the said Board will hear the evidence and the arguments of all persons interested, for or against granting the prayer of the petitioner.

Dated at Thief River Falls, January 7, 1922.

By order of the County Board.
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.
J-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five thousand one hundred seventy-two dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Max Gehrts and Adeline Gehrts, his wife, as Mortgagors, to William Stolz, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 25th day of January, 1917, at four (4) o'clock P. M., in Book 57 of Mortgages on page 98.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N½ of NE¼), Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE¼ of NE¼), and Lot numbered Four (4) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153) North, Range 41 west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Fifty-Nine and 55-100 (159.55) acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Five Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Two Dollars and sixty-eight cents ($5172.68) and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifteen ($15) dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 12, 1921.

WILLIAM STOLZ,
Mortgagee.

LOUIS P. JOHNSON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Ivanhoe, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

Sale of Ditch Bonds.

Notice is Hereby Given, That on the 20th day of January, 1922, at 2 o'clock P. M., the Board of County Commissioners of Pennington County, Minnesota, will meet at the Commissioners' Room in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to open and consider bids for the sale of the negotiable interest bearing Ditch Bonds of said Pennington County, in the sum of Fifty thousand and no-100 ($50,000.00) Dollars on account of the construction of Judicial Ditch No. 30; such bonds to be in denominations of One Thousand and no-100 ($1000.00) Dollars each to mature serially in from five to twenty years from date of issue, and to draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually.

All bids should be addressed to the undersigned County Auditor of Pennington County, Minnesota, and be accompanied with a certified check for 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the County Treasurer of said County. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated January 9th, 1922.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.
J-12-19

In the District Court of the United States For the District of Minnesota
No. 1894
IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of John Schalz, Bankrupt.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota:

John Schalz of St. Hilaire, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents:

That on the 7th day of November, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 9th day of January, A. D. 1922.

JOHN SCHALZ, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota Sixth Division, ss.

On this the 10th day of January, A. D. 1922, on reading the foregoing petition, it is

Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1922, before said court, at St. Paul, in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

"And It Is Further Ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1922.

JOEL M. DICKEY,
(Seal of the Court) Clerk.
By L. A. LEVORSON,
Deputy Clerk.
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-eight and 40-100 ($2658.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Teodor Jacobson and Gertie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, 1916, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page 340, which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 9th day of November, 1921, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by the said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "11" of Mortgages on page 611 of the records in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Fifteen (15) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of February, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 19th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Ole L. Ottum and Lottie Ottum, his wife, mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 23rd day of November, 1914, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1914, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 132, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-one and 89-100 Dollars ($1331.89) as follows: The sum of $885.02 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage and the sum of $446.87 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West Half (W½) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1331.89, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 14th, 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Charles Palmer, a widower, Mortgagor, to the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of August, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of September, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 471.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-two (22) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging; such sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, and interest from date hereof, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 13th, 1921.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anders L. Kjos, a single man, Mortgagor, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of March, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1918, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages on page 307; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay one installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $50.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $1,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and.

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on March 29, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole principal sum remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $50.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereupon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $78.25, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½NW¼), Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼SW¼), of Section Thirty-six (36), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $78.25, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Ole T. Bratland and Tilda Bratland, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of January, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 424; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay an installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $165.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $3,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $135.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $345.33, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots One (1), and Two (2), and the South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North of Range Forty (40), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $345.33, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anton Knudson and Ada Knudson, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of September, 1920, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 434; which Mortgage was also recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Marshall, and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of November, 1920, at 9 o'clock A. M., in Book 103 of Mortgages, on Page 29; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay two installments in the sum of $90.00 each, which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and, on December 1, 1921, respectively, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $6,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1920, and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $330.00 interest upon said prior Mortgage, which became due and payable on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, the said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1920, pay such interest on such prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1920, and did on December 2, 1921, pay said interest on said prior Mortgage so due on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has declared and does hereby declare the whole principal sum remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $270.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $1153.50, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Southeast Quarter (SE¼), of Section Ten (10), Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼) of Section Fourteen (14), Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼NE¼), of Section Fifteen (15), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota; also the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S½NW¼) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼NW¼), of Section Eleven (11), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Marshall and State of Minnesota; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1153.50 and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.

H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seven Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-six and 29-100 ($7396.29) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of December, 1916, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 202.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) by written assignment dated the 5th day of January, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 12th day of January, 1917, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 56 of Mortgages, on page 311.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 10th day of December, 1921, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 41 of Mortgages, on page 612, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Forty-two (42) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $7396.29, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 10th, A. D. 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN MILLING COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Take notice that default exists in the conditions of that mortgage given by Louis Lee, a single man, mortgagor, to Hoag Security Company, a Minnesota corporation, mortgagee, dated January 4th, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of February, 1918, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 58 of Mortgages, on Page 570.

The amount claimed to be due on said mortgage with interest to this date is $54.50 and for interest paid on prior mortgage by this mortgagee is $75.90, a total of $130.36 claimed to be due this date by virtue of said mortgage indebtedness. The premises described in said mortgage and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, are to-wit:

The North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N½SW¼) and the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE¼SW¼) and Lot No. Five (5) of Section No. Four (4) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range No. Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute, and no action in law or otherwise having been instituted thereon, same will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, with the interest, taxes if any, and costs of this action, including twenty-five dollars attorney fees as stipulated for in said mortgage.

Dated at Minneapolis, Minnesota, this 6th day of December, 1921.

HOAG SECURITY COMPANY,
Mortgagee.

L. M. HOAG,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Minneapolis, Minn.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Knute Donaldson Dahle and Olga Donaldson Dahle, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 28th day of July, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 3rd day of August, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book "38" of Mortgages, page 521, and which mortgage was thereafter and on the 11th day of September, 1917, assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, by written assignment dated on said 11th day of September, 1917, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 12th day of September, 1917, at 1:10 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "36" of Mortgages, on page 454, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, by written assignment dated on said 8th day of November, A. D. 1921, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County on the 29th day of November, 1921, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "11" of Mortgages, on page 601, and which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred ($1,700.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage, and bearing interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, and,

Whereas, it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in the payment of said principal sum, or any part thereof, or interest on said note, or any part thereof when the same should become due and payable, and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be declared to be due and payable: and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid the interest on said note maturing and becoming due on the 28th day of July, 1921, and by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal and interest is by said assignee of said mortgagee, deemed to have become due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-seven and 16-100 ($1,827.16) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinafter described, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

East half of the Southwest quarter (E½-SW¼) and South half of the Northwest quarter (S½-NW¼) Section Twenty-two (22) Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Seventy-five ($75) Dollars attorneys' fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 1st, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
D-8-15-22-29-J-5-12

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of One Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-three and no-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by J. S. Brown and May Brown, his wife, mortgagors, to First And Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1920, at 3:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on Page 37, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Three (3), Four (4), Five (5) and Nine (9), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Four and 49-100 (104.49) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of January, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1,983.00 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7th, A. D. 1921.

FIRST AND PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee.

PERL W. MABEY,
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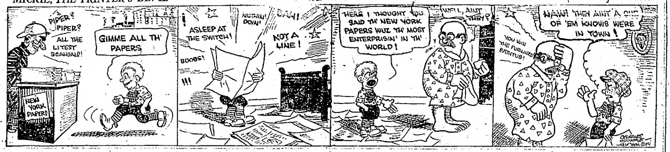
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LOWDEN TO APPEAR WITH THIEF RIVER IN FRACAS TONIGHT

Injuries to Holzknecht and Kiland Made Securing of Another Player Necessary.

Three basketball casualties are to be recorded for the past week—all sufficiently serious for the teams affected. In the second game between Thief River Falls and Excelsior, Hutton, right guard on the latter team, crashed into one of his own teammates with the result that his nose was broken. He was rushed to a doctor's office and the damage repaired so far as possible but it is is more than likely that he will be out of the lineup during the remainder of the season. This is the most serious accident that has befallen a player on the floor in this city in the past two years and is very much regretted.

Alvin Holzknecht, the speed demon playing forward on the Thief River Falls team, will have to do his work on the sidelines for awhile. In a practice game on Monday night he somehow gave one of his ankles a wrench that puts him out of the game as effectively as if he had broken his neck. He is able to navigate on the peg without a great deal of trouble but the doctor in charge says that there must be no more basketball until the ligaments heal.

With Holzknecht out of the game a bad hole was punched in the machine, particularly at a time when the best available men are needed in the games with Two Harbors. Manager Connell immediately got into touch with Lowden, the Excelsiors' great performer at center, who will be here for the Two Harbors games and may finish this season in a Thief River uniform. This will change the lineup somewhat, the probabilities being that Plummer will be sent to guard in Holzknecht's place and Penney or Hadrath placed in the forward position vacated by Plummer.

An injury in the first Excelsior game, seemingly slight at the time, makes it inadvisable to depend much on Kiland for awhile. He gave his shoulder a nasty twist and, while he is willing to take a chance, it is not likely he will be permitted to do so.

EXCELSIOR FAILS TO STOP WINNING STREAK OF LOCALS

Two Games Taken From Fast Down-State Aggregation by Connell's Terrors.

Taking two games from the fast Excelsior team on the local floor Friday and Saturday makes Thief River Falls a contender for first position among the basketball quintets of this section if not of the state. Friday night's game went to the locals by a score of 35 to 22 and that on Saturday by 30 to 21. Both were excellent exhibitions of the indoor game but the superiority of the Thief River Falls team in both offense and defense was clearly demonstrated. The same teams with practically the same lineup met here a year ago and the result was the same—Thief River Falls won both contests.

In the first game Plummer was the star so far as garnering goals was concerned, picking off four in the first half and two in the second. Carlson made two field baskets and three free throws. Kiland, who was placed at center to spell Hadrath for a short time in each half, connected up with two, as did Hadrath, Holzknecht and Brown. Penney was sent in to finish for Carlson in the first game.

After Plummer had scored in the first few minutes of play, the Excelsior bunch seemed to get their bearings and ran up six points before the locals could again connect. The Athletics stiffened their defensive, however, and the visitors were held safe while the former continued to pile 'em up. The first half ended with the teams even—13 to 13. The second session, however, easily belonged to Thief River Falls. All the boys got into the scoring class and piled up 22 points while their opponents were securing 10.

In the second game Carlson was the bright particular luminary so far as counting up the baskets was concerned, totaling six and two free throws. Three are credited to Plummer, two to Brown and one each to Penney and Hadrath. Seven personal fouls were called during this game—the largest number in any contest thus far this season. The first session proved something of a snap for the locals, the score standing 16 to 5 at its close. In the second the visitors came back, however, and gathered 16 while the Athletics were running up 14. Lowden, the elongated center on the Excelsior team, was perhaps the star performer, there being seven baskets and three free throws placed to his credit during the fracas. Lent, who went in for Maughan when the latter was hurt toward the end of the game, managed to cage two before the closing gun was fired. In this half DeVries of the Excelsiors was charged up with four personal fouls.

Big Sale at Oen's Store Attracts Much Attention

An advertised bargain sale at the Oen Mercantile company's store is an unusual proceeding and when one is announced it is bound to create a good deal of interest. As will be seen by the announcement in another part of The Times today, the big store is offering some very unusual bargains, and while but few items are quoted in the advertisement, the public is assured that the price cut extends to practically every department in the establishment. Particularly will there be exceptional bargains in the clothing and dry goods divisions. A careful perusal of this advertisement will pay and a visit to the store will prove that this is a genuine price reduction sale. The figures quoted will be in force for a limited time only.

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR WILSON MEMORIAL WILL BE SOLICITED

Purpose is to Honor Former President and Perpetuate Ideals He Expounds.

The week of January 16th has been selected by the National Committee of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation as a period during which will be raised nationally the sum of one or two million dollars to establish the foundation. A. S. Sapero of Thief River Falls has been appointed chairman for Pennington county and will have charge of the gathering of contributions for the foundation.

The purpose of the foundation is to honor a great American and to create a method whereby public service will be encouraged and conspicuously recognized in this and future generations.

From the income of the foundation the Woodrow Wilson award or awards will be granted in recognition of distinguished public service.

The appeal will be issued to all who believe in the principles that Woodrow Wilson has so conspicuously championed and who wish to perpetuate the influence of the former president for peace and better understanding among nations.

Franklin D. Roosevelt is chairman of the National Committee. Hamilton Holt is the executive director. George H. Partridge is chairman of the Minnesota committee, Mrs. Chas. P. Noyes of St. Paul, vice chairman, and Theodore Wold of the Northwestern National bank of Minneapolis, is the treasurer.

The organiaztion of the state, according to Mr. Partridge, is proceeding rapidly and he is confident that Minnesota's share, $50,000, will be fully subscribed.

Organized Labor Leaders Here Saturday Evening

John J. Manning, secretary of the Union Label Trades Department of the American Federation of Labor, and E. G. Hall, president of the Minnesota State Federation of Labor, will address a mass meeting at the auditorium, Thief River Falls, Saturday evening, Jan. 14.

Mr. Manning will speak on the emblems of labor and their accomplishments in behalf of the working men and women and it may be well to hear what more may be done along this line.

Mr. Hall will speak on the trade union movement in Minnesota.

For Sale at Once—Two lots, No. 20 and 21, Block 61, opposite the court house in the city of Thief River Falls. For terms write to Peter J. Mahon, Winsted, Minn.—Advertisement. j12-19p

Calls Meeting to Discuss Plans For Russian Relief

Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman of the Russian Relief committee for Pennington county, announces that there will be a meeting of the committee at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening at 8 o'clock. It is felt that there is sufficient sentiment in favor of doing something for the relief of these people to warrant another meeting to reconsider the decision reached previously by the committee. All persons interested in this work are invited to be preset at this meetin gand assist the committee in devising ways nd means for putting on the campaign.

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Former Residents Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Yager, who had visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bishop since Saturday, left yesterday for Crookston to spend a day with Mrs. Yager's mother, who is confined in a hospital at that place. From there they will continue to their home at Yakima, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. Yager moved from this city to the West two years ago and state that they are very favorably impressed with their new home.

ROSEWOOD

Delightful Whist Party.

Seventeen guests were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols at their home east of town last Saturday evening. Four tables were at play. A fine luncheon was served by Mrs. Dols. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Hellerud, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum, Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum, Mrs. L. He Aos, Mrs. J. S. Sagmoen, Miss Gladys Sagmoen, Olof Opseth, J. E. Shoberg, Fred Stafford and Benny Ranum.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. A. T. Thorson on Tuesday and the meeting was well attended. Among outsiders present were noted Mrs. O. H. Ryan and daughter, Lorraine, and Mesdames Erickson and Olson, all of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter, Irma, left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to visit at the C. E. Hellquist and James Johnson homes over Sunday.

Miss Gladys Swenson left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to visit her aunt, Mrs. S. Brandon, over Sunday.

Howard Carlson spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Thief River Falls.

The following were Sunday visitors at the Sor home: Mr. and Mrs. Emil Blomberg, Alma, Alice, Edna and Ruth Blomberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson and S. Rafteseth.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Voldness from town of Norden spent a couple of days last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. Rafteseth.

Mrs. T. Mellem left Saturday for Viking to visit her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard.

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School opened Monday at the Busy Bee with Miss Alice Thompson of Thief River Falls as teacher. Miss Thompson takes the place of Miss Ann Tharaldson, who has resigned to accept a position in a larger school.

The teacher at Rosebank, Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen, is on the sick list this week and her school will not open before Wednesday.

Miss Minnie Sorenson left Monday for Thompson, N. D., after spending a vacation with her folks.

Lewis Alby and Hans Hanson returned to Minneapolis Monday after spending the holidays here with the former's folks.

About seventy friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jarshaw last Saturday evening to tender them a surprise party. A beautiful set of dishes was left in remembrance of the occasion. After a pleasant social evening a delightful midnight lunch was served.

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A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. John Haider at their home on Saturday and a very pleasant evening spent. The guests left a rocking chair as a memento of the occasion.

Herbert Carlson and Isabel Sagmoen went to Crookston last Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mosbeck.

Miss Violet Furan returned Thursday from Thief River Falls, where she had spent a few days with the A. B. Remmem and E. Backlund folks. She was accompanied home by Goldie and Ruth Remmem, who will visit for a few days here.

Miss Linnea Backlund returned to Thief River Falls Monday evening after spending a few days with local friends.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

O. G. Lundan of Gully visited during the Christmas holidays at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jorgen Sannes.

School has commenced in Gena Sannes' district four miles north of town after a week's vacation.

Julia Greibrok is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Bang, at Crookston, during the Christmas holidays.

A well-attended Christmas social was held at Silver Creek church on Christmas day.

A. G. Loftnes sawed wood on Saturday.

Maurice Martinson was a caller at the Ole Ahlstrom home Sunday.

Mrs. Knut Jorde was pleasantly surprised by a large number of her friends Dec. 26. She was presented with a beautiful piano bench.

American Legion Corner

Compensation—and a Financier.
(American Legion Weekly.)

In the protracted campaign for the passage of the Adjusted Compensation Bill, there have been many battles which have not attracted the attention their importance warranted because of the smoke and the noise along the whole front. The fact that Hanford MacNider is now National Commander of the American Legion, however, gives new significance to one of those battles whose issues have not received as much attention as they deserve. This is the battle which ex-service men who are themselves well-to-do, or who personally are not in need of compensation, have been conducting to convince certain of their business associates who were not in the service of the inherent justice of the whole compensation cause.

Mr. MacNider has been one of the most conspicuous leaders in this phase of the compensation campaign, and the success of the effort has been recognized, since Chambers of Commerce in all parts of the country have gone on record in favor of compensation and prominent financiers individually have endorsed it. The moral consequences of the possible rejection of a national obligation have become increasingly apparent to men who might be inclined on the ground of their own selfish, pocketbook interests to oppose the compensation proposal, and many men of wealth who formerly opposed compensation have undergone a change of heart and viewpoint. This result has been obtained largely through the efforts of Legionaires, of the kind made by National Commander MacNider in the summer of 1920 after he learned that a business and personal friend, an influential Eastern investment banker, had made a large contribution to an anti-compensation fund. National Commander MacNider, himself the head of an investment banking company in Mason City, Ia., with a capital of $1,000,000, addressed a letter to his Eastern friend. This letter, published first a year and a half ago, is reprinted below because it expresses the viewpoint of the present head of the Legion and a viewpoint which still holds good.

"Mason City, Iowa.

"Dear ———:

"I was very much disturbed to note that the good house of ——— and ——— had been one of the heaviest subscribers to an anti-bonus and lobbying campaign. I hope the information was incorrect because, as a prominent member of your firm and as an ex-service and, I hope, a Legion man, I know that your advice and thought in such matters would naturally be followed.

"I don't want to pull a lot of sob stuff on you nor do I want to accuse you of lack of appreciation of what these lads did and what they went through for those good people who now holler the loudest, and who—even as you and I—are best qualified to stand the burden if it is one of extra taxation. No one has the right to say that these men should not have what they want, to begin with, and certainly no one has the right to take the stand that they should not be at least partially compensated for the months or years they put in the service.

"I know the arguments that are propounded against adjusted compensation—of the danger of our promulgating another gigantic pension drain upon the country—of selling our patriotism—of the uselessness of giving these men this money only to have them squander it—and all the rest. I could not help but be grimly amused to read the pitiful appeal of our President Emeritus to look back at our forefathers and to follow their noble principles—not mine, for mine came over in the steerage not so long ago, but his, and I presume, most of New England's. His own little college taught me that these Revolutionary gentlemen, and brave and and good they were—don't misunderstand me—not only demanded a bonus but demanded it before they would enlist, and a very alarming percentage deserted to re-enlist and catch this gratuity all over again. On top of that they pulled down about an Ohio county as a rewad afterwards, which makes our fourfold compensation scheme look exceedingly mild and very insignificant in comparison.

"But here is the point: No man who did not see these lads of ours in the line—and if I am not mistaken we ended up with nearly two million of them there, or perhaps patrolling the North Sea or doing convoy duty in one of those bouncing iron boxes—has any conception of what wonderful stuff young America is. I could give you a hundred examples of unbelievable heroism — men wounded and shattered sent back from the line to the rear would come staggering up again with food or water or ammunition for their buddies—men would run into the face of terrific machine gun fire to rescue a wounded comrade—a wounded man would give his gas mask to another unable to help himself, and die cheerfully himself choking with gas.

"Perhaps the most vivid instance that typifies it all to me was the night march before the jump-off on the 18th of July, 1918, southwest of Soissons, an operation now accredited I think, with turning the tide. We had some three hundred odd replacements (five weeks old in uniform) join us that night—Lord knows how they found us—and they were slapped under the end of the column. All night they plunged along the side of those roads which were jammed with artillery and transport moving up for the surprise attack—it was rainy, of course, and packs were soaked and heavier than lead—falling into shell holes, tearing themselves on the barb wire, floundering along single file, but every one of them hanging on like grim death to the man in front of him—every man knowing down in his heart that it was over the top in the dark of the morning with the chances not over fifty-fifty that he would ever see the sun shine again or his home town or the trees or the flowers—but hanging on for fear he would get lost and would not be able to do his part. Why? Because they were Americans.

"What has all this got to do with adjusted compensation? Just this, that these bucks, these plain enlisted men, and let me add right here that it was the fine, high, and wonderful spirit of the buck private which won this war for America, not G. H. Q., nor the general staff, nor the officers of the line, though they all did their part, these bucks, the lads you pass now every day on the street, your neighbor's boy, the lad who works for you, and, believe me, every one of them has the makings of the finest heroes the world has ever produced, have everything coming from their country and they at least should have an even chance with the birds who cheered them off and won the war here at home.

"Damn it, ———, if it wasn't simple justice they should have it anyway, but it is only justice. Those who do not need it need not take it. Let them give it to those who do or to their Legion post for relief work. There is no way to pick out which ones should have it. The only way to reach the deserving is to give it to them all. I could tell you of a dozen men I know, and any case would convince you.

"A lad from my old outfit wandered in here the other day, looking rather worse for wear, but cheerful enough at that. He wanted to know what I thought the prospects for a government loan were. He had a chance to buy a cow, and he wanted it. This is his story:

"On the day war was declared he was working as a farm hand just outside of town. He had saved up a couple of hundred dollars, had the prospects of renting a farm for the coming year, and intended to be married. But his country had declared war, and the next day he enlisted in the infantry, unable to see any other course clear. He had a furlough a month or so afterwards and he married the girl he was going to leave behind. This kid went through the whole show, over the top a dozen times and with all the hell bursting around him for months, that these good Americans here at home when the news rolled back from the western front might stick out their chests and say, 'Thank God, we're Americans.'

"Out of his $30 a month this lad sent all he had after his insurance was paid back to his wife, and true enough the Government doubled it, but she couldn't make the grade on that alone and she worked every week that he was gone, with the exception of one, in which their baby was born. He got back in August, last year, too late to take a farm, with his uniform still on and the $60 which proud America so generously gave him. He has had a hard time making a go of it because the profession of farm hand does not pay heavily and no one wants a farm hand with a family.

"Through the kindness of a former employer, he has 40 acres to make his living on this year, but as you know, the produce of the farm does not come in until fall. He wanted to borrow money enough to get this cow, and see if he couldn't at least pay up something on the grocery and other bills which had been accumulating against him while he was eking out his existence on the soil. That $60 did not even pay for a suit of civilian clothes for him, and yet this grateful nation which, as I said, stuck out its chest and hollered while this kid fought for them, is willing to actually combat the chances for this lad to get an even break.

"But in the last analysis, the question is this: Do you owe this man anything, or don't you? If you feel that you do, the heads of the Legion, their accredited representatives, not only should have your good will but your active support, and those of us whose income is going to be dug into hardest should be the happiest to have it so, and you know it.

"HANFORD MacNIDER."

THE SAME EVERYWHERE.

Wells Mirror: Merchants of Wells seem to take a more cheerful attitude in beginning business in 1922, although there is nothing yet in sight to warrant it. Simply, the feeling is that things can not be much worse and that better times are due to start soon. Merchants may not make the profit they did a year ago, but their business is on a more permanent basis already, which is better in the long run. Then there is not the fear that the bottom is going to fall out of the market. That is one of the bad features that is already past history.

WILL THEY HAVE A LABEL?

Wabasha Herald: With the moonshiners of this county advertising a convention to regulate the price of their product, it is not at all unlikely that we will soon hear of a national convention of Safe Breakers or a general call for the reorganization of the United States Mail Robbers' association, and maybe more of these allied orders like the Lawbreakers' Union, or the Killers' Klub. They are sure getting plenty bold enough to try it, and surely they have a strong enough representation.

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GUMMER TRIAL BEGAN TUESDAY AT VALLEY CITY

Young Man Stands Accused of Murdering Miss Marie Wick of Grygla.

Case Being Tried Before Judge Cooley of Grand Forks, Following Change of Venue.

Crime For Which Gummer Must Answer One of Most Brutal in Annals of State.

William Gummer, Fargo hotel clerk went on trial at Valley City on Tuesday in Barnes county district court on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Marie Wick of Grygla, who was found beaten to death in a Fargo hotel June 7, 1921.

Eighty-seven witnesses are listed by the state in the information filed against Gummer, but according to William C. Green, Cass county attorney, in charge of the prosecution, many of them, notably guests in the hotel the night of the murder, will not be called as their testimony in minor details would cover identical points.

Photographs taken of the slain girl's body before it was disturbed are expected to be introduced in evidence, showing in detail the manner in which Miss Wick was tied to the bed with stripped bed linen, presumably before being beaten to death with the nozzle of a fire hose following criminal assault.

Change of Venue.

Gummer, who was arrested two weeks after the crime, obtained a change of venue from Cass county on the plea that feeling there was so intense against the crime that it would be impossible to obtain an unprejudiced jury.

Judge Charles M. Cooley of Grand Forks, senior judge of the First judicial district, will try the case.

History of Case.

The slaying of Marie Wick at a hotel in Fargo in June, 1921, for which William Gummer, the hotel clerk, was held, created a sensation in the northwest and officials characterized the crime as one of the most brutal ever committed in that section.

The body of Miss Wick, who was 18 year old, was found in room No. 30 of the Prescott hotel about 7 a. m. June 7, after she had registered at the hotel the previous night. She was on her way to Pettibone, N. D., from her home at Grygla, to spend a vacation with an aunt, and had stopped in Fargo to make train connections.

Gagged with parts of the bed clothing and trussed to the bed with blood-soaked pillow cases, investigation showed that the girl had been attacked before being beaten to death with the nozzle of a fire hose. She had been dead from four to six hours, according to Dr. P. H. Burton, county physician, who made the examination.

Authorities immediately plunged into the work of attempting to find the slayer, who apparently left no clues, and after eight days of investigation Gummer was arrested June 15 on a charge of murder in the first degree on complaint of William Green, state's attorney for Cass county.

Maintained Innocence.

Gummer, who is 22 years old and the son of a farmer living near Mayville, N. D., strongly maintained his innocence, but after the state, at a preliminary hearing, had submitted what it termed "incriminating evidence," he was ordered bound over to the Cass county district court for trial in November.

When his case came up at the November term of county court, Gummer, through his attorneys, asked for a change of venue, claiming that prejudice was so great in Fargo that selection of an impartial jury would be virtually impossible. He was granted the change by Judge C. M. Cooley of the county district court and the case ordered transferred to the Barnes county district court at Valley City.

Gummer's Version.

At the hearing State's Attorney Green introduced a statement which he alleged Gummer made to him admitting that he had visited the girl's room about 6:30 on the morning of June 7, a half hour before anyone else knew of the crime. Gummer said that Miss Wick had left a call for 6 o'clock and that he made his way into her room with a pass key only after he had failed to receive a response to repeated telephone calls. Shocked and afraid that he might be accused of the crime if he made known his discovery, Gummer said he then went back to his desk in the hotel lobby and after waiting 15 minutes informed Fred Lawrence, son of the hotel proprietor, that he was unable to get any response from the occupant of the room. Lawrence, he said, told him to look over the transom, and he then announced his discovery.

The last juryman to hear the evidence in the case was accepted yesterday.

The 12 jurors who were finally chosen in the case are all farmers: Fred Ladbury, Dazey; Fred H. Getchell, Valley City; Chris Olson, Ypsilanti; R. R. Kane, Spiritwood; Wm. Flach, Sanborn; Lloyd Samson, Valley City; Peter Rumer, Wimbledon; L. A. Sunde, Valley City; Geo. Ohm, Lucca; Chris Minch, Dazey; Theo. Thilmoney, Pillsbury, and Henry Helmers, Wimbledon.

It was expected that the first witness to be called would be the father of the murdered girl, Hans Wick.

Small Contributions Are Favored For Wilson Fund

Voluntary subscriptions for the Woodrow Wilson memorial fund will be solicited during the coming week. Chairman A. S. Sapero says that he has appointed a number of well-known citizens to act as solicitors and the funds will be turned over to the First National bank, C. L. Hansen having consented to act as treasurer. No large contributions are either expected or wanted. The apportionment for the entire county amounts to only 2 cents a head, or $200. The matter of contributions in the country districts will be left to the people themselves as it will be impossible to make any kind of a drive. There are many who would like to add something to this fund but whose circumstances at the present time make it impossible. It has therefore been decided to ask for dimes and quarters, a general participation being more important in the eyes of the committee than a large amount. Contributions may be left at the Supero store or at the First National bank. Every person who makes a donation will receive a beautiful engraved certificate from national headquarters setting forth the fact.

Morlan Bishop Promoted.

Morlan Bishop of this city on Monday took up his duties as assistant cashier in the office of State Treasurer Henry Rines, having been appointed to succeed George Olson, recently transferred to the post of deputy state public examiner. Mr. Bishop has during the past year been a deputy bank examiner in the employ of the state and the new position is in the nature of a promotion.

SETS ASIDE MONEY TO HELP FARMERS BUY DAIRY CATTLE

First and Peoples' State Bank Offers to Furnish Money for Securing Desired Stock.

At the annual meeting of directors of the First and Peoples State bank last week a step of great importance to Pennington county was decided upon. A reserve of $10,000 was established to be loaned out to farmers at 6 per cent interest, providing the money thus borrowed is used in purchasing dairy cattle. The aim of the bank officials in making this provision is to cut away everything in the way of red tape and make the money at once available. No annoying investigations are to be pursued and the conditions under which the loan is made are such that any man who has the barn room, the necessary fodder and is willing to milk cows can take advantage of it. All such are invited to call at the bank and make their wants known. A committee composed of well-known dairy experts will in a short time leave for points at which the required cattle may be purchased and it is important that the number wanted is approximately known.

The plan has the endorsement of the Pennington County Farm Bureau association and County Agent J. J. McCann will be among those sent out to make the selections. Other well known dairy men have interested themselves in the matter and will give all assistance possible.

While banks throughout the Northwest have for years given every encouragement to those who wished to engage in dairying, particularly where the farmer aimed at securing high grade sires to head his herd, the offer now made by this Thief River Falls bank is perhaps the most liberal ever announced. Not alone is it attractive by reason of the low rate of interest at which the money is to be loaned, but the service offered in securing the cattle will prove of even greater value. Just now high grade stock can be purchased at very reasonable prices in the older dairying sections to the south, but the northern farmer is not usually in a position to take advantage of the situation. He has not the cash necessary to make purchases of this kind, no matter how anxious he might be to do so. In many cases the end of his borrowing capacity has been reached and this new provision will give him another chance. He will even be spared the heavy expense of visiting the points at which desirable cattle are for sale, this detail being looked after for him by the most competent men in the community.

This move will give impetus to the dairying industry throughout a large section. Farmers have long realized that the dairy cow is their salvation but many have held off from engaging in the business because they were unable to get the proper start. Now that one bank has taken the first step it is more than likely that the same plan or one similar will become part of the general banking policy of the district.

Woman Elected Director Of Farmers & Merchants

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Farmers & Merchants State bank was held last week and a number of changes were made in the board of directors. Robert McGinn was re-elected president, Herbert Fuller, first vice president; Waldie Christenson, second vice president; Albert Lonson, cashier; Miss Effie Hamry, assistant cashier; F. E. McGinn, teller; Roy Barzen, bookkeeper. Miss Hamry, who has been assistant cashier of the bank since its establishment, is the first woman to be elected on a banking board of directors in this city.

Albert Lonson, John Morgan and Fred W. Johnson were chosen as members of the board of directors, replacing respectively Paul Engelstad, M. T. McFarland and L. A. Lampert.

Officers' reports showed that the bank has enjoyed a steady increase in business during the past year, the statement recently published showing the institution to be in excellent condition.

But Six Are Enrolled in The Times Salesmanship Contest Up to This Time

Wonderful Opportunity For Some "Live Wire" Living Outside Thief River Falls to Enroll and Win the Buick. Cash Prize of $25 Offered to Person Nominating Winner of the Buick.

LIST OF CONTESTANTS

First Report Date, Jan. 25

- Agnes Oftedahl, City.
- Helmer Ostrom, City.
- Hannah Peterson, City.
- Frieda Ristau, City.
- Paul Engelstad, Route 3.
- J. C. Liden, Steiner.

The first list of contestants in The Thief River Falls Times Salesmanship Campaign shows only six entered in the race for the Big Buick Beauty Six Tourig car, the Ford Touring car, and the other Grand Free Prizes.

If you have been delayed in sending in your name or the name of a relative or friend that you would like to see win the Buick, you still have plenty of time to enroll and make your start.

The outstanding feature of the campaign as developed so far is that few contestants from outside the city have taken advantage of this wonderful opportunity to win a $1595 Buick Beauty Six. If you did not read the announcement of the campaign in last week's issue of The Times turn to page nine now and see the list of wonderful prizes and read the details of how easy it will be for you to become the proud owner of a free automobile in nine short weeks.

Do not let anyone tell you that you cannot win. This is your opportunity to own a free automobile and it need not cost you one red cent. It is not necessary that you have have any previous experience. It does not require any skill, nor are there any "strings" tied to the giving away of these prizes by The Times.

The person who finishes the campaign with the highest number of "Credits" will win the Buick Beauty Six.

The person finishing the campaign with the second highest number of "Credits" will receive the Ford Touring car, and so on down the list until the Phonograph, valued at $150, the Lady's or Gent's Diamond Ring, and the Lady's Bracelet or Gent's Watch have been given away. Dont delay another minute in sending in your name. Better yet, come in and see the manager of the salesmanship campaign and let him explain the details.

Your "Golden Opportunit" is before you to win and win big. Don't be satisfied to let it pass without making an effort to win. Turn to the announcement now and fill in the coupon. Every minute you delay is like casting dollars into the sea. Neither can be regained and will only cause you remorse and regret. Jump in now and start your winning.

$25 In Gold For You.

A purse of $25 has been set aside by The Times, to be given to the person who nominates the winner of the Buick. You can nominate yourself and when you have made the Buick "your Buick" receive the $25 nomination prize.

Fill in the coupon on page nine now.

Only one combination credited, but you can nominate as many different persons as you have nomination blanks.

SMALL GAIN IN NUMBER PAYING PERSONAL TAX

List Shows City Has Increased While Remainder of County Has Dropped Back.

Five Townships Show Slight Gains, Others Fall Back About to Same Extent.

Decline in Prices is Indicated by Returns of Thief River Falls Merchants.

The personal property tax list, published in The Times today, contains the names of 2125 persons. Last year the number was 2076 and two years ago 2,008. Country districts generally and the two villages show a falling off while the city of Thief River Falls makes up for the loss.

In the county, outside of the three incorporated municipalities, the total number of personal property taxpayers is 1364 at this time as compared with 1416 a year ago and 1340 in the 1920 list. The total decrease is therefore only 52 in the farming section, which is a decidedly low percentage when conditions are taken into consideration. St. Hilaire and Goodridge both show a decline in population, the former dropping 19 and the latter 18. The city of Thief River Falls, on the other hand, shows an increase of 138 over a year ago, when the report showed a drop of 10 from the previous year.

Townships Generally Slump.

Only five townships in the county show an increase in the number of taxpayers over a year ago—Black River, Mayfield, North, Polk Center and Silverton. Goodridge and Sanders remain stationary and all the rest show a slight decrease. In only one instance does this amount to more than half a dozen, Rocksbury, where the decrease is 12, being the exception. The most populous township, according to the returns, is North, followed by Rocksbury. The one containing the smallest number of taxpayers is Goodridge, with 27.

The following table gives a comparison for the past three years:

	1921	1920	1919
Bray	42	46	41
Black River	48	47	46
Cloverleaf	49	54	50
Deer Park	56	61	61
Goodridge twp.	27	27	29
Highlanding	91	95	93
Kratka	79	80	78
Hickory	67	71	70
Mayfield	51	47	44
North	125	123	118
Norden	68	73	69
Numedal	39	44	39
Polk Center	41	39	43
Rocksbury	109	121	109
River Falls	70	73	68
Reiner	49	51	56
Smiley	86	89	92
Sanders	83	83	43
Silverton	60	59	59
Star	67	71	72
Wyandotte	57	62	60
	1364	1416	1340
Goodridge vil.	39	57	61
St. Hilaire vil.	70	89	83
Thief River Falls city	652	514	524
	2125	2076	2008

Among the farmers, N. E. Beebe of Rocksbury and V. C. Noper of North are the heaviest taxpayers, the former being assessed $90.04 while Mr. Noper's contribution will amount to $80. The booby prize goes to Frank Suble of Cloverleaf township, who will pay the county treasurer 8 cents for being in possession of $100 worth of property.

City Stocks Are Low.

The fall in values during the year is well illustrated by the difference in the amount of taxes assessed against Thief River Falls business men. To a certain extent the figures also show that there has been a general effort to reduce stocks on hand. Last year there were 20 business houses paying over $500 each in personal property taxes, the total footing up to $21,297.49. This year the number has been reduced to 17 with a total tax roll of $16,463.92. There were eight concerns paying over $1,000 last year and five this year.

Following is a list of the business concerns in Thief River Falls whose personal property tax amounts to more than $500:

Oen Mercantile Co.	2,014.99
Thief River Grocery Co.	1,470.35
Farmers & Merchants bank	1,208.18
First & Peoples bank	1,170.08
Loken Brothers	1,115.43
Hanson-Barzen Co.	950.72
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co.	947.18
First National bank	897.01
J. C. Penney Co.	838.20
Peterson-Biddick Co.	832.20
Larson Furniture Co.	824.16
The Tessum Co.	808.51
Times Ptg. & Mfg. Co.	801.76
Standard Oil Co.	708.26
Citizens State bank	$ 661.87
Albert Lieberman	617.15
The Prichard Co.	591.81

Report Successful Year For Trinity Congregation

The annual meeting of the Trinity Lutheran church congregation was held on Tuesday afternoon. Reports of Secretary Lars Backe and Treasurer Carl B. Larson were read and showed that the church is free of debt and starts the new year with a good balance in the treasury. The past twelve months have witnessed a steady growth in the congregation and an extension of its work. Disbursements for all purposes during the year totaled $4,972.88 while the receipts were $5,504.09. The total assets of the congregation at this time are given at $31,183.47, credited to the following departments: Cash on hand and inventory, $24,831.81; Ladies' Aid society, $4,892.62; Young People's Luther league, $721.52; Boys' club, $97.46; Sunday school treasury, $93.83; Dorcas society, $546.17.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: T. E. Sweger, president; Olaf Ramstad, vice president; Lars Backe, secretary; Carl B. Larson, treasurer; M. V. Evenson, H. S. Dahlen and Jorgen Eide, trustees; J. J. Aga, E. A. Mostue, J. J. Weeks, A. G. Loftnes and Jorgen Adsero, board of deacons; Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, choir director; Mrs. Gaston Ward, organist; Gynther Tessum, superintendent of Sunday school; O. D. Ostby, J. O. Sethor, George Mostue, John Gullingsrud and C. M. Carlson, ushers.

KEATING IS NAMED AS ASSESSOR; HOFF KEEPS STREET JOB

Question of Salaries for Officials to be Decided at Meeting on Jan. 24.

P. J. Keating was chosen as the city assessor for the coming year by the council at its adjourned meeting Tuesday night. He received five votes to one for G. H. Sandum when the selection was ordered balloted on by the president.

O. O. Hoff, the present street commissioner, was unanimously re-elected.

Monthly reports of the various officers and the annual report of the cemetery commission were presented to the council and ordered received and filed. The report of the commission was very gratifying and showed receipts of $1,196.27 and disbursements of $503.42, leaving a balance the first of the year of $2,334.36 as compared with $1,642.51 a year ago.

The matter of fixing salaries for the coming year was laid over until the next meeting on Tuesday evening, Jan. 24.

A delegation of union men asked the council for a reduction in the charge for the auditorium for the mass meeting last Saturday night. The request was granted.

Potato Growers' Meetings At Three Central Points

Three meetings of great interest to potato growers will be held in Pennington county this month. The first is scheduled for Thief River Falls on Jan. 24, the second at St. Hilaire on the 25th, and the third at Goodridge on the day following. R. G. Rose, potato specialist on the university extension staff, and a representative of the Minnesota Potato exchange, will be the speakers. The hour of meeting in each instance is 1:30 o'clock in order that adjournment may be had in time to allow those attending to get home the same day.

Besides a program of general interest, plans for sending a potato exhibit to the winter crops show at Crookston will be discussed. The meeting will be one of much importance to the industry in Pennington county and it is desired that all who are interested in potato matters be present.

The principal topics taken up by Mr. Rose will include seed treating, spraying, seed plots and storage troubles, particular stress being laid upon ways of preventing the latter.

JUDGE OF PROBATE HOLDS JOB TO 1925 IS COURT RULING

Was Elected for Four Year Term in 1920, According to Highest Tribunal.

Judge of Probate Lars Backe will not be compelled to seek re-election with most of the other county officials next fall, according to a decision handed down by the state supreme court last Friday. According to this decision all judges of probate will hold over until Jan. 1, 1925.

The people voted for a constitutional amendment at the 1920 election extending probate judges' terms to four years, and the court holds that this applies to the judges chosen at the same election.

The point was settled by a three to two vote, Chief Justice C. L. Brown and Justice H. B. Dibell dissenting. Commissioner Edward Lees wrote the opinion. 'Construing the amendment adopted in 1920, the court says: "It is held that the amendment enlarged the terms of judges chosen at the general election in 1920, and that they took office in January, 1921, for a term of four years."

The case came up on a writ of certiorari. J. V. Mathews, probate judge of Lyon county, asked that R. R. Houdersheldt, county auditor, be required to accept his filing as a candidate for re-election in 1922. The writ is discharged, and the decision acts as a precedent for all other counties in the state.

FIRST MONTHLY MARKET DAYS OF NEW YEAR TO BE LAUNCHED BY THIEF RIVER MERCHANTS

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 23, 24 and 25, to Mark Greatest Concerted Bargain-Giving Campaign Ever Seen in Northwest—Slight Changes From Former Plan Are Announced.

So great was the success attending the monthly market days inaugurated by our merchants during the last six months of the year just past that they have decided to get an early start in 1922. They figure, and rightly, that there is greater need for reductions in prices at this time than is liable to be the case during the summer and fall months. By featuring these bargain events now they are also able to make greater reductions than will be possible after all the new goods for the spring season have been received and placed. In fact it is for the purpose of so far as possible clearing out the winter stock that these sales are put on, particularly by the wearing apparel dealers, who *must make room for new* arrivals within a short time. The plan of announcing the offerings has simply been changed from that followed in former years, that is all. Generally one or two merchants at a time hold these necessary reduction sales, the season being extended until far into the spring months. This system it is the intention to improve upon.

Concerted Action Counts.

The value of united action in a campaign of this kind having been demonstrated, it remained only to work out the details for continuing the plan. The elaborate Market Day editions of The Times which proved such an important feature of last year's bargain carnivals, will be discontinued in order to lower the cost and thus make possible even greater reductions in the goods actually offered. Each merchant will this year use whatever of space he may see fit and in whatever manner seems to him best. The agreement is, however, that all shall at a given time each month offer something in the way of an unusual bargain. This will have the effect of bringing everybody into line on pain of having their places of business passed by when the crowds arrive. The stores making the offerings will reap the benefit and those who fail to make any kind of a bid for business on these particular days will be the losers.

A Wonderful Start.

A glance at the advertisements in The Times today will convince the most skeptical of the genuineness of this great reduction program. Every kind of business and practically every store is represented among those who are making a bid for the Market Day business. The merchants are quoting prices for these three days that cannot be duplicated in any other city in the state at this time. Every item represents a saving for the buyer. In some cases the reduction in price is so great as to be astounding and can only be explained on the theory that the goods must be moved. Former prices and even actual costs have often been lost sight of in the effort to make this event the most impressive of the many bargain opportunities presented by the merchants of the city. There is a general agreement among them that in order to start the year's Market Days off with the *proper impetus it will be necessary* to provide something unusual in the way of attractions. These will be given in the nature of price cuts.

Free Gifts Omitted.

It has been decided that the giving of merchandise absolutely free, either through drawings or by other means, is not a wise practice. The disappointments are too many. Besides it is well understood that nothing is ever given absolutely free and that in some manner these donations must be paid for. The business men have therefore concluded that it will be better to give each customer exactly the same treatment, the eliminating of the cost of the goods given away free making it possible for them to make greater reductions on the articles actually purchased. Every thinking person will agree that this is a wise move.

Want All to Come.

There is practically no limit to the amount of goods to be sold at the prices quoted. Everybody who visits Thief River Falls on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 23, 24 and 25, will save a great deal more than the cost of making the trip, no matter how far from the city they may live. The business men of the city have the stocks and they are quoting prices that should make them move. The demand will no doubt be great but so is the supply. The man or woman who is looking for a chance to make their dollars go as far as possible should let nothing short of a blizzard keep them away from Thief River Falls during the first three days of next week.

SELVIG AND SAGENG SEEK ENDORSEMENT OF DISTRICT G. O. P.

Announce Themselves as Candidates for Congress Before Convention at Moorhead.

All doubts as to whether or not there will be opposition to Halvor Steenerson for the Republican nomination for congressman from the Ninth district were removed during the past week. State Senator Ole Sageng of Otter Tail county has made formal announcement of his intention to enter the district convention at Moorhead on March 20 and seek the endorsement of the delegates. C. G. Selvig of Crookston has also come out square-footed with a declaration of his candidacy. The latter, however, says that because of his position as superintendent of the Northwest School of Agriculture and the large amount of work devolving upon him in connection with the forthcoming winter show it will be impossible to give personal attention to the matter at this time and he will have to depend upon his friends throughout the district to carry on his campaign. This declaration naturally applies only to the pre-convention period as it is to be expected that he will get into the game in earnest in case he receives the district endorsement. Should this go to one or the other of his opponents Mr. Selvig states that he will abide by the decision, which is taken to imply that he will not in that case be a candidate in the primaries.

Senator Sageng will also seek the endorsement of the district convention, while according to reports Mr. Steenerson will make no active campaigns for delegates favorable to him in that body, preferring to make his principal fight in the primaries.

Duluth Pastor to Speak.

Rev. J. F. McLeod of Duluth, well-known throughout the state as a fine pulpit orator, will deliver the sermon in the Presbyterian church next Sunday forenoon and evening. An invitation is extended to everyone to come and hear him.

Olaf Neset Again Heads Poultrymen's Association

The annual meeting of the Pennington County Poultry association was held at the county agent's office on Monday evening. Reports of officers showed that the past year has been the most successful in the history of the organization and that the county has gained greatly in reputation through exhibits sent to other sections for display. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Olaf Neset, president; C. M. Buoen, vice-president; J. J. McCann, secretary; H. L. Schuster, treasurer. As directors the following were chosen: Mrs. William Vaghan, Highlanding; Mrs. Rachael Alexander, Lancaster; L. A. Westphal and B. N. Thorstad, St. Hilaire; C. Keller, Hazel; F. B. Conklin and Ed. Battenfeldt, Thief River Falls.

CAMBRIDGE COMES FOR TWO CONTESTS VERSUS ATHLETICS

One of Best Teams in Central Minnesota Here Friday and Saturday Nights.

Manager Connell has evidently determined that it is a waste of time for the Athletic basketball team to meet anything but the topnotchers. No sooner does he finish with one aggregation of national fame than he takes on another. Last week it was Two Harbors, one of the very best, who received the nearest thing to a beating they have encountered for a long time. Nothing but an uneven break in the luck prevented the Thief River boys from administering a drubbing to the state champions.

On Friday and Saturday nights another championship contender is to be taken on. The Cambridge team, high grade to their rubber soles, will try conclusions on the floor here and those who have not yet seen the home bunch in action should make it a point to be present at this time. Cambridge is the home town of Louden, the tall center who appeared in the position in last week's games and he will now come as the opponent of the locals. His brother is also on the team, as is Norton, picked by sport writers as one of the very best forwards in the United States. This team, like Two Harbors, has an unbroken series of victories to its credit thus far, but it is stated by experts that the bunch as a whole is not as dangerous as the Lake county outfit. If such is the case the Athletics should have something better than a show with them.

Whatever the outcome, it is sure to be one rip-snorter of a session. Carlson is none the worse for the injury received in the last game and Holzknecht has forgotten that he ever hurt his ankle. The others are ready to go faster and better than ever before in their lives. Game called at 8:15.

Embroidery Edging
Plain or Dot Patterns
A dainty, popular trimming for infant's garments, children's and women's dresses and aprons. Variety of colors in plain and dot patterns.
Three yards in a piece, at only
Piece 8c

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A NATION-WIDE INSTITUTION
J.C. Penney Co.
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312 DEPARTMENT STORES
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Men's Garters
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Pair
Single Grip Garters—a great, big 8c worth! Cable elastic, ¾ inches wide, moiro pad, back to match, rubber post.

Hosiery
Extra Values for Men
Pure thread silk, mercerized lisle tops, reinforced toe, heel and sole. Sizes 9½ to 11½.
49c

Underwear
Men's Two-Piece
Men's eleven-pound, heavy ribbed shirts and drawers. Astonishingly good values at only
69c

JANUARY ECONOMIES
For The Whole Family!

Just a few minutes in our store at this time will uphold to you buying economies here that you cannot afford to pass by without taking advantage of. Every department is demonstrating our year-round values for the whole family. The items here enumerated are typical of thousands of others.

Supporters
Misses' and Children's
Black or white, good serviceable elastic. Well made. Pair, only
8c

Bow Holders
Shell and fancy novelty Bow Holders for hair bow ribbons. Each, only
8c

Women's Winter Coats
Bolivia and Velour

Both price and quality will convince the purchaser of the exceptional values in these coats. And there is a good variety of styles, too. Some are plain tailored, others have an ornamental stitching and of course a variety of collars—either pointed, round or convertible.

Velour Coats
Self Collars
Handsome coats, finely tailored, adorned by stitching with the new belt and collar effects and smart bell-shaped sleeves.
Few coat values such as these are available at so low a price! The linings are attractive in color and design and there is a good range of colors for selection. An unusual value at
$14.75

Bolivia Coats—Some Fur Trimmed
Fine soft Bolivia cloth was chosen to make this popular coat in shades of warm brown and blue. Handsome fur collars are an attractive feature.
These coats are fully lined with plain or figured silk. A very new style feature is the novel cut of the sleeve and its wide cuff. Wonderful values at
$24.75

BONNIE CREST

New Felts
For Spring 1922
The Bonnie Crest is the feature hat for Spring 1922.
It's a "Marathon" hat—silk lined, silk taffeta band and felt of splendid quality.
$3.98

Work Pants
Big Values
Made of heavy drab moleskin. Strongly sewed and finished for long service. A money saver.
$2.98

Featuring Women's Dresses
of Wool Tricotine and Poiret Twill

Here are the new dresses that every woman will want. They are made of a good quality of wool Poiret Twill and Tricotine, richly embroidered and braided and are cut in the long, youthful line effects so much in vogue. Wonderful style and quality for the money!

Stylish Dresses
Some Embroidered
Very long lines and heavily embroidered designs make these dresses decidedly attractive for Spring wear.
$9.90
The color is a deep navy and the embroidery is black, some with a gold thread.

Poiret Twill Dresses—Braid Trimmed
The distinctive new styles of these dresses show how varied are the season's fashions. The color is blue and the trimmings are of handsome braid and embroidery. Extremely attractive at so small a price as
$14.75

New Percales for Spring
Three Truly Remarkable Values
An offering of Percales that will command instant attention. The variety of patterns and the quality combine to make this presentation as attractive as it is timely. Our direct mill connections enable us to supply our 312 department stores so as to afford our patrons values in Percales that are truly remarkable.

These Percales are all 36 inches wide
Our "Gladio" Percale
Yd. 19c
A standard cloth in a large variety of attractive printed patterns on both white and colored grounds. Makes up handsomely into dresses, aprons, rompers, men's shirts, etc.
America's greatest manufacturers of Percales produces this splendid cloth for us under our own label "Gladio," which carries with it the usual J. C. Penney Company stamp of satisfaction.

Fine Cambric Percales
Yd. 23c
A fine grade and carried in a diversified range of designs. Direct mill shipments permit us to constantly give you new patterns from which to choose.

"Ramony" Percales
Yd. 25c
Bought in our usual way—direct from the mill—we are able to present this popular, high-grade Percale in the newest patterns and colorings.

Sweaters
Tuxedo Styles
Smart sweaters—practical and in many new and attractive weaves in lovely shades that makes them desirable for early spring wear.
$3.98
These are the popular Tuxedo styles and are in sizes for misses and women.

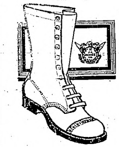

Men's Work Shoes
$3.49 to $4.98
Work shoes are in constant demand. They must be serviceable, wear-resisting and unquestionable in quality of material. Our full Spring line is now ready for your choice. All styles, full line of sizes and extra values.

Boys' School Shoes
A money saving for parents, whose boys must be outfitted for school, in this big assortment of Shoes.
Black Blucher Shoes $2.98. Boys' Scout Shoes $2.39
Boys' Work Shoes $2.79

Notions—All Kinds!
The Greatest Values in the World
4c 8c
This popular section of our store is overflowing with hundreds of the little things you are in daily need of—all priced so that you will enjoy big savings.

Ink Tablets
A Low Price
Superior quality writing tablets; note size, plate finish paper with blotter. Attractive cover designs.
4c

OVERALLS

Boys' Nation-wide Overalls	75c, 85c, 95c
Men's Pay-day Overalls and and Jackets, all sizes	$1.25

SHEEP-LINED COATS

Men's Sheep-lined Coats, 50 in. long, Beaver-Sheep Collar, a good value	$14.75

FLANNEL SHIRTS

Men's wool flannel Shirts, tan and grey	$2.19
Men's cotton flannel Shirts	98c
Boys' Flannel Shirts	98c

Dry Goods

Coats' Thread	4c
Corticelli Silk Thread	5c
Cotton Batts, 1 lb.	18c
Cotton Batts, 3 lbs., full size	73c
Wool Batts, 72x90	$2.49
Table Oil Cloth, 48 in. wide	29c
Shelf Oil Cloth	10c

SPRING GINGHAMS
Are here in all the newest patterns.

Red Rose Fancy Plaids, 27 in.	15c
Butterfly Plaids, stripes and plain, 27 in.	19c
Amoskeag Fancy Checks, Plaids stripe and plain color, 32 in.	29c
Gilbrae French Ginghams, 32 in.	45c

SILKS

Crepe de chine, 40 in., all shades	$1.25
Plaid Taffeta Waisting Silks, 36 in.	98c
Plain Taffetas, all shades	$1.98, $2.49
Pongee Silk, 36 in.	73c
Pongee Silk, 36 in. extra fine quality	98c

HOSE

Women's Lisle fast black hose	10c
Women's ribbed top heavy Hose	19c
Women's silk and wool brown Heather	$1.49
Women's fine Cashmere black	69c
Boys' triple knee ribbed Hose	19c
Misses' Heather Skating Sox	75c
Infants' Cashmere Hose	25c

DR. DENTON'S SLEEPERS

Size 1-2-3	79c
Size 4-5	89c
Size 6-7-8-9-10	98c

Rubber Footwear

Ladies' 4-buckle Overshoes	$3.50
Ladies' 1-buckle Overshoes	$1.69
Ladies' Fleeced Rubbers all styles	98c
Ladies' Rubbers	89c
Misses' one-buckle Overshoes	$1.39
Child's one-buckle Overshoes	$1.25
Misses' fleeced Rubbers	89c
Child's fleeced Rubbers	75c
Men's 4-buckle Overshoe, grey sole	$3.25
Men's 4-buckle dress Overshoe	$3.50
Men's 1-buckle Overshoe, grey sole	$2.19
Men's 4-buckle red rubber Overshoe	$3.75
Men's leather-top red Rubbers	$3.75
Men's low red rubber, extra heavy	$1.98
Men's Patrol Rubber, red sole	$1.75
Men's Storm Alaska Overshoe	$1.69
Men's fleeced Rubbers	$1.35
Men's storm and low Rubbers	$1.19
Youth's 2-buckle Overshoes, 11-2	$2.19
Boys' 2-buckle Overshoes, 3-6	$2.39
Youth's leather top Hecales, 11-2	$2.49
Boys' leather top Hecales, 3-6	$2.69
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KNOX BUILDING IS FORMALLY OPENED TO PUBLIC FRIDAY

Principal Address Delivered by J. H. Hay, Former Superintendent of Schools.

The new Knox school building on the East Side was formally turned over to the public by the architects and contractors last Friday evening, appropriate exercises marking the transfer. The large assembly room was filled with residents of the district served by the school and there was a good representation present from other sections of the city.

On behalf of the contractors, W. W. Prichard, Jr., returned to A. B. Dunham, representing the architects, the keys to the building, which is perhaps the first structure of its size and kind ever completed within the time limit in the city's history. Mr. Dunham delivered a short address and in turn presented the plans and keys to Dr. H. W. Froehlich, president of the school board, who in a few words accepted them on the part of the public.

J. H. Hay, for many years superintendent of the city schools and at the present time assistant state commissioner of agriculture, delivered the principal address of the evening. His long experience as an educator and particularly his intimate knowledge of school affairs in this city and region made his selection for this service almost inevitable. At all times a forceful, convincing speaker, the particular occasion presented him with an exceptional opportunity of which he took full advantage. Mr. Hay recounted the early struggles of the schools in this city, and particularly the circumstances surrounding the history of the old Knox building. He complimented former and present school boards on their foresight in building for the future, it having been demonstrated in the past that no matter how far in advance of actual needs provisions were made, the demand was but a short time in catching up.

The speaker expressed his pleasure in again being among his old neighbors for the purpose of formally dedicating one of the finest school buildings in this part of the state.

A piano selection by Herman Bischoff, the blind musician whose home is in this city, was greatly appreciated by the large audience and an encore was insisted on. The high school orchestra, under the direction of Miss Maude L. Johnson, added to the enjoyment of the evening by rendering a number of well-chosen numbers. A tenor solo by Carl Sundahl also proved a pleasing feature.

FARM MANAGEMENT TALKS BRING OUT GOOD ATTENDANCE

Many Interesting Subjects Discussed at Two Sessions Held in County Last Week.

Two hundred farmers attended the farm management schools held at Thief River Falls and Goodridge on Friday and Saturday. William Calvert of the extension division of the University of Minnesota was the principal instructor. He showed the importance of a high order of business management in connection with farming and urged that the same amount of judgment be displayed by the man following agriculture as by those in other lines. J. H. Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture, spoke on agricultural conditions in the state generally and said he thought the northwestern portion was as well off as any. He also explained the new laws and movements inaugurated to help the farmer, saying he believed co-operation in marketing would solve many of his problems.

Gay Halvorson addressed the meeting for the purpose of explaining his resolution calling upon congress to enact a price guarantee law covering farm produce. W. J. Brown spoke in opposition to the plan, giving it as his opinion that if the farmers were provided with the necessary credit facilities they would not require anything in the way of a price guarantee. Mr. Brown also attacked the administration of the federal reserve bank, saying that as at present handled the funds of that institution went to swell the sums controlled by the big city banks while the farmer and country bank failed to get any relief.

Hans Anton was not at all certain that he favored fixing the price of grain at any minimum figure. He asserted that men who followed small grain farming always found themselves in more or less trouble and he doubted if it was up to the rest of the country to foot the bill through enforced higher prices when it had been demonstrated that grain growing was no longer a paying proposition.

President C. L. Hansen of the First National bank explained the plan under which the war finance corporation was endeavoring to extend help to agricultural districts. He said that the country banker in many instances is finding his situation but a slight improvement on that of the farmer and asked that the latter attempt to get a better understanding of some of the problems that confronts the banker.

At the close of the meeting a county milk testing association was formed with 16 charter members. A number of others signified their intention of joining in the near future. M. T. McFarland, Albert Johnson and Frank Hardesty were named a committee to complete arrangements for a permanent organization. It is the intention to secure the services of a competent tester and begin the work as soon as possible.

Could Probably be Used As a Moonshine Equipment

It is claimed that Alex Welch of the city electrician's force is responsible for spreading the story. A contraption having a number of pump attachments, hose connections, a boiler and a pipe to convey steam or hot water was delivered to the office of City Clerk A. H. Akre the other day. Alex at once declared that a mistake had been made in the address and that the contrivance was a still for the manufacture of moonshine and intended for someone else. The affair does not look unlike the popular notion of what constitutes a still, although no one in this neighborhood has ever seen the real article. Judge Tarrant had a good mind to confiscate the thing on suspicion when Supt. Legvold came along and explained that it was a machine recently ordered by the council for thawing out hydrants.

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WILL MAKE DRIVE TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR RUSS RELIEF

Receiving Station Opened in City and Campaign Will Wind Up With Big Dance.

A drive to gather funds for the relief of starving Russians will be conducted in Pennington county during the week of Jan. 20-27. This was decided on at a meeting of the committee held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening. Mrs. J. M. Bishop, chairman of the committee, called the meeting for the purpose of getting an expression of sentiment as to the best method to be employed in gaining the ends sought, and the response was very good. John Bratrud was named secretary of the meeting.

The original committee will look after the campaign and the following have been appointed to take charge of the gathering of funds and clothing in the outlying districts: St. Hilaire, Mr. Burkee and Mr. Hall; Goodridge, Mrs. Jenzen, Mr. Rockne and Mr. Olson; Mavie, Mr. Smith; Hazel, Mr. Borgie; township of North, Mr. Rustad. Ward chairmen for the city were named as follows: First ward, Bernhard Knudsen; Second ward, O. A. Naplin; Third ward, Frank Mousley; Fourth ward, Adolf Eklund.

Secretary Bratrud was instructed to call the attention of pastors and the officials of fraternal and civic organizations to the movement and solicit their assistance. It was decided to open a receiving room for clothing and other merchandise in the city and the same will be placed in charge of Mr. Quist, who has opened quarters in the basement of the public library. Anyone desiring to donate clothing or goods other than money may send same to this office and its forwarding to state headquarters will be looked after.

It was decided to give a dance for the benefit of the Russian sufferers at the close of the drive, the affair being placed in the hands of a committee composed of L. A. Lampert as chairman, Charles Lieberman, Geo. Loken, H. S. Snyder, L. H. Lawrence, C. W. Vorachek, D. F. Huldeen, Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. Andrew Bottelson, Miss Lena Lonson and Mrs. H. A. Brumund.

You'll Get a "Scare Head."

Red Lake Falls Gazette: Red Lake county motorists beware of the traffic cop at Thief River Falls if you visit the up-stream city during the coming motor season. The Gazette has given you a fair warning and mighty early, too. An ordinance was introduced at Tuesday evening's meeting of the city council in that city setting the speed at 16 miles per hour and anyone exceeding this speed will be subject to a fine of $12 for the first offense, $25 for the second and $50 for the third. A motorcycle cop is to be employed to run down all offenders of the new ordinance. If by accident we should get on the new pavement up in that city and forget the speed limit we are going to ask the Times and Tribune to refrain from mentioning our names. They don't look good in a jail story.

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CHIPPEWA TRAIL IS OFFICIALLY ROUTED THROUGH THIS CITY

Highway Starts at Detroit, this State, and Runs to Grafton, North Dakota.

Thief River Falls has been officially designated as one of the points through which the Chippewa Trail will pass. At a meeting of the directors held at Red Lake Falls last week the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"That the Chippewa Trail association, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota, with its principal office located at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, by order of its board of directors, duly authorized by a vote of the members of the association;

"Does hereby order and create an extension of the said Chippewa Trail to be as follows: Beginning at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the northern terminus of said trail, running thence to St. Hilaire, Thief River Falls, Warren, Alvarado and Oslo, in Minnesota, Ardock, Minto and Grafton, in North Dakota, terminating at Grafton. The trail to be located over the highway between each town as designated by the board of directors. As established, the starting point of said Cheippewa Trail will be Detroit, Minnesota, and the terminus, Grafton, North Dakota."

The Chippewa Trail is an important highway established to create closer communication between the cities in western Minnesota and points in North Dakota. To the south it follows the general course of the Mississippi River Scenic highway, which also includes Thief River Falls as an important control point.

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Notice.

The annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Creamery association will be held in the auditorium, in the Commercial club rooms on Saturday, the 28th day of January, at 1:30 p. m.

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P. ENGELSTAD,
Secretary.

Government Designates Jan. 17-23 Thrift Week

The week of Jan. 17 to 23, inclusive, has been designated as Thrift Week by the postoffice department. Postmaster Morgan has been asked to bring the matter before the patrons of the local office in order that they may have their attention called to the exceptional opportunities for saving money presented by the government's new issues of savings stamps and certificates. Societies and civic bodies are also requested to give the subject all the publicity possible. School children will be given a chance to participate through the purchase of 10-cent savings stamps.

The aim of the government is to teach the value of prudent living, intelligent spending and systematic saving. Full particulars concerning these highly profitable and absolutely safe issues may be had upon application at the postoffice.

Stebbins Chosen to Head Automobile Association

At the annual meeting of the Pennington County Automobile association held at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the coming year: F. J. Stebbins, president; Dr. H. W. Froehlich, vice president; E. M. Bennes, secretary; Nels Christianson, treasurer; delegate to state convention, F. J. Stebbins; alternate, G. C. Streeter.

The annual dues for the auto association were fixed at $2 and those for the Chippewa Trail association at $1 per year. A membership drive will be made in the near future.

ASK JESSE LaBREE.

Fertile Journal: For a superabundance of overconfidence try lumbago. It's very effective.

THE REAL HOLD-UP MEN.

Dawson Sentinel: Will Hays has secured marine guards for the mail cars. If Will did more traveling he would know that it is on the dining cars most of the hold-ups occur.

ELIMINATE THE BOARDERS.

Roseau Times-Region: The cow is a mighty important factor on the farm these stressing times. Yet how many farmers know for a certainty whether they are just "keeping the cows" or if the cows are keeping them. The right kind of cow is the most efficient money maker on the farm today. But to save the profit she produces not only careful and sensible feeding is necessary, but also elimination of the boarder cows.

HE'LL PULL THROUGH.

Sleepy Eye Dispatch: Like a gleam of sunlight shining through the gloom which overhangs the American farmer because of the low prices of farm products comes the declaration of the editor of the Dakota Farmer to the effect that the farmer need have no more worries than the average business man of the cities and towns and that the farmer will "come through"—he always has and he always will.

The farmer's situation is really no worse than that of any other class. It only looms large by reason of the fact that farm prosperity is the basis of all prosperity, and because the farmer, having confined his buying to absolute necessities, has helped to lessen the market for all other products. It is not right, of course, that the farmer should receive very small hour pay for his efforts, but small hour pay is better than no pay at all and the farmer has not yet and never will take the position that some workers do—that he would rather join the "soup line" or starve than work for small pay. For that reason there will always be a "farm market."

A return to normal farm conditions depends largely on a reduction of freight rates. And we believe if farmers around Sleepy Eye would write their congressman and demand that he fight for such reduced rates they would very soon get what they stand in need of.

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WILL SOLVE THE PROBLEM.

The personal property tax list shows that there has been a slight falling off in the farm population of Pennington county during the past year. The decrease is not sufficiently large to be at all alarming, being very much lower than is the case with surrounding counties, but we have become so accustomed to showing an increase for each year that even a slight falling off is annoying.

While there are no figures at hand to prove that such is the case, it is certain that the farmers who have departed were among those who pinned their faith to grain growing. In spite of warnings and arguments these men continued year after year to plant large areas to wheat, with the inevitable result. They found that whenever there was a crop there was no price, while if they did secure a fair yield they could not sell it for enough to pay expenses. The story is the same everywhere.

The dairy farmer is the only man who is coming out of the present depression with his head up. For all others the season has been a struggle to say the least, while in many instances it has meant virtual bankruptcy. In a less acute degree the situation is the same even in normal years.

One Thief River Falls bank has undertaken to extend assistance to those who wish to engage n the dary business and others will no doubt follow suit. It is the wisest course that could be pursued and should not be confined to banks. Every agency for advancement in city and country should make this the primary object of its endeavors. The city will grow in exact proportion to development in the country and no faster. Prosperity among the farmers means prosperity for local business men, and dairying is the industry that will make both a certainty. The placing of 100 dairy farmers on as many 80-acre plots in Pennington county would mean more to the business men of Thief River Falls than the location here of a factory employing 500 hands. Factory workers are laid off in dull times, but the cow never quits. Pay days may become scattered or cease altogether, but the cream check is issued on the 20th of each month as regular as clockwork. The city man with a job may have his means of support removed without a minute's notice, but the man with the milk stool and pail maintains his income intact.

There is hardly an 80-acre plot in Pennington county that is not capable of maintaining at least ten cows. Roughly speaking, there are 5,000 farms of this size possible in the county. This would mean 50,000 cows were this ratio applied. Add 200 chickens to each such farm and the revenue would be something enormous. It is not likely that any such situation will be brought about very soon, but the possibilities are there. The goal is worth working toward even though we come a considerable ways from reaching it.

The business men of Thief River Falls should study dairying, preach dairying and dream dairying. They are dependent upon the farmer for their existence, while the farmer in turn is dependent upon the dairy cow. When this is thoroughly understood there will no longer be even a small decrease in the agricultural population of the county possible. Pennington will have more farmers and better farmers. The matter is so vital that it might be well to drop a large number of other propositions upon which we are engaged for the purpose of devoting more attention to this one matter of supreme importance.

Reduction of Wheat Acreage.

(McIntosh Times.)

Economic experts of the University of North Dakota are advising the farmers to reduce the wheat acreage from ten to twelve *per cent, claiming* there is a surplus of about that much wheat.

It sounds like good business logic. What does a big business enterprise do when it finds that a certain department is not paying for itself? First, the reasons for the failure are determined, and if it found that the cause is not with the management, the department is closed out. The farmer has found that wheat at less than a dollar and a half is produced at below cost. Therefore, if other crops can be produced at a profit, wheat should naturally become a smaller factor to say the least. The farmer is just as much a business man as the man who heads industrial enterprises in other lines. The farmer is just as much entitled to a fair profit as the other business men.

But the world needs wheat, and to cut off the supply may leave mankind hungry. There seems to be only one just remedy. Guarantee a price at which wheat can be produced without a loss. Then the good farmer can make a little more than a living and the world will be assured of the wheat supply.

It is time that in visualizing the industrial life of our country, we get the proper focus so we can see that agriculture is not something that shall serve only as a back-ground, but that it is a very important part of the panorama which must be clearly brought into relief.

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Barber Shop "Whys."

Why does a haircut always cost the same no matter how much hair you have?

Why does a barber always ask you if you shave yourself?

Why is no barber ever satisfied with the weather?

Why does no barber ever have a good word for the last fellow that cut your hair?

Why does a barber always try to persuade you to buy out the shop when all you want is a shave?

Why does a barber, when drying your face, always overlook that little corner of your ear?

Why does your nose always begin to tickle just as soon as your hands are tucked under the covering?

Why is the foot-rest on the shine stand always too small for your feet?

Why does the shine boy always *have a vigorous argument with the* other shine boy right in the middle of polishing your shoes?

And:

Why is the best-looking manicure girl always working down at the other end of the room?

—G. S. K. in Life.

Postmaster Morgan says years ago the test of skill was the ability to remove an appendix. Now the test is to adjust a carburetor.

Another reason why a chicken crosses the street is because she sees a chap over there who may buy her a Coca Cola.

At any rate, modern skirts make for the freedom of the high sees.

"A telephone pole never hits an automobile in self-defense," remarks the Toledo Blade. Possibly not, but considering the erratic tendencies of some of the drivers you manage to avoid, could you blame them if they did?

There is always one thing that has to wait for a woman. You guessed it right the first time. It is her husband.

Lil' Geo, the Thief River Falls vamp, says: "There's never a closed season for boobs."

Many folks like to poke fun at a man with a No. 11 foot, but most generally he doesn't suffer from corns. After his feet get that big, he gets his shoes large enough. A size or two doesn't make any difference to him.

Good Idea, Say We.

(Dictographed on Tindolph Ave.)

Dorothy: "Mother, why can't they make dishes like they do ice cream cones, so that you can eat them when you are through the meal? Then we wouldn't have to wash the dishes."

Wouldn't It?

It would be nice
If we could buy
Our summer ice
In winter time.

Stung Again.

"Why didn't you arrest that motorist? He was going 60 miles an hour."

"He said his house was afire," replied the village constable.

"Oh, that's different."

"But I didn't recollect until the durned catfish was out of sight that he doesn't live here."

Very frequently rich parents make poor parents.

Some people seem to get along very well without hands or feet, but we don't understand how so many are able to get along without brains.

Jim Farr says a lazy man is no worse than a dead man, but he takes up more room.

She Was a Bear.

One evening a Silverton township farmer met his man with a lantern and asked him where he was going.

"Courtin'," was the reply.

"*Courtin'*," *said the farmer.* "With a lantern? I never took a lantern with me when I went courtin'."

"Yes," replied the man, "and look what you got."

The June bride who used to kiss her husband good-bye every morning now yells "so-long" from the kitchen.

Whiskers.

They say that whiskers may be banned from Frisco to New York. The necktie manufacturers are putting up a squawk. The barbers are crusading for the nude, and shameful chin and all alfalfa gents are warned to haul their windshields in. The blustry days are coming and it's time to take a reef, the chest protector makers, they are starting in to beef. The hair is badly needed in some mattresses, we know, and it's time to reap the harvest, where the old lace curtains grow.

Bootlegging bids fair to lose out as the leading American game or chance.

Honey and money are almost alike in spelling but they differ greatly in sticking qualities.

When the big safe at Sing Sing refused to respond to the combination the other day, several offers of aid were made by recognized experts which, however, were coldly refused. Even a prison frowns on encouraging local talent, it would seem.

"The first hundred years of a man's life are the hardest." Then the easiest must come after he's dead.

Edna Krippendorf of Cincinnati swallowed a dime and then a penny for war tax. An X-ray showed small *change in Edna.*

Pome.

A peanut sat on the railroad
Its heart was all a-flutter,
The 3:24 came thundering past,
Toot toot—Peanut Butter.

Oodles of Coin.

"Girlie, I'd gladly die a hundred deaths for you."

"It's a sweet dream, Charlie. We could get rich on life insurance."

Cliff Orme says that speaking Methodistically, Secretary Hughes has been the presiding elder in the conference at Washington.

Legs.

(Poem by John Keavin, in Minot Elkdom.)

Legs to the right of us,
Legs to the left of us,
Legs in front of us,
How they display them!
On they go trippingly,
Dainty and skippingly,
Frost that bites nippingly
Does not dismay them.

Straight legs and bandy ones,
Bum legs and dandy ones,
Awkward and handy ones
Flirt with the breezes;
Round legs and flatter ones,
Thin legs and fatter ones,
Especially the latter ones,
Showing their kneeses.

Knock-kneed and bony ones,
Real legs and phony ones,
Silk-covered tony ones,
Second to none.
Straight and distorted ones,
Mates and ill-sorted ones,
Home and imported ones,
'Aint we got fun?

Probably the worst way to find a bootlegger is to let your conscience be your guide.

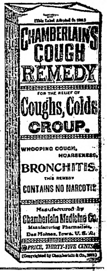
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36 and 40 in. Chiffon and Pan Velvets, all colors, at special, yd.	$5.00
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29 Chamois Skins, special to close out, each	.09
21 Beaded Imported Bags, values to $25.00, special this sale, each	$5.00
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35 Dresses, serges, tricotines, satins, velvets, canton crepes; sizes 16 to 42, values up to $50.00. This entire lot to close out at once at choice

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Entire stock of Furs at	Just Half Price
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20 Women's Winter Coats, to go at each $9.95
A new lot of mostly $25.00 values.

Children's Gingham Wash Dresses	$1.00
Women's Coverall Aprons, each	.95
36 in. Percales, standard Scout quality, yd.	.15
36 in. all Silk Tricollettes, at yd.	$1.39
1000 yds. of fancy Outing Flannels, at yd.	10c
300 yds. of Apron check Gingham, yd.	10c
$1.00 wool touch 36 in. Dress Goods at yd.	.35
36 in. Saxon bleached Muslin at yd.	12½c
36 in. L. L. unbleached Muslin at yd.	12½c
42 in. bleached Pillow Tubing at yd.	.39
Meritor best 48 in. Oil Cloth, yd.	.25
Large full size Bed Spreads, each	$1.95

Challenge! Aluminum Sale

Pure Aluminumware in the Bargain Basement won't cost you as much as Graniteware at this sale. Monster display of this Aluminumware in the Basement. Get here early.

10½ in. Round Deep Roaster. A well-made combination Roaster.	$1.00
10 qt. Water Pail. A seamless Pail, highly polished at an unheard of price.	$1.39
10 qt. Dish Pan. Riveted handle. 20-gauge Aluminum. No such price again.	$1.39
Pure Aluminum Percolator. A 6-cup in a new design. Octagen shape.	$1.25
2 qt. Rice Boiler, highly polished and heavier than the ordinary boiler.	$1.19
5 qt. Princess Tea Kettle. The new shape. A wonderful value for this price.	$1.95
Aluminum 6 qt. lipped Pans	59c
Berlin Kettle. A kettle with a cover. A strong kettle.	$1.98
Patented Syrup Pitchers. A dripless pitcher, easily cleaned. Special	$1.00

EXTRA SPECIAL Basement	16x38 Extra large and heavy Bath Towels, each	19c
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EXTRA SPECIAL Basement	5 qt. Granite Sauce Pans. Special, each	19c
EXTRA SPECIAL Basement	Mavis Talcum Powder. A real snap, at can	19c
EXTRA SPECIAL Basement	Children's Hosiery. Come early, 2 pair for	19c
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EXTRA SPECIAL Basement	5 qt. Granite Enamelware Preserving Kettle, at each	19c

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The Greatest Event of the New Year

It's a monster sale of New Bargains at the old fashioned price of 19c. You will find a lot of "corking" values that you surely want.

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A Very Special Offer.
During this event only we are putting on sale a shipment of this famous easy washing soap. Large white cakes. 19c

CHILDREN'S COTTON HOSIERY
Just what you have been waiting for. We are offering hosiery for children at this very low price. This hosiery is made with double thread throughout, lisle finish and with spliced heel and toe. This bargain is one of our "Wonder Values." Per pair 19c

Crepo Toilet Paper 4 big rolls	19c
Special Scrub Brushes 6 styles to choose from	19c
Mop Handles, a new holder	19c
Comp. Books, 5 for. A special school item.	19c
Pencil Tablets 5 for	19c
Spelling Tablets 5 for	19c
Lead Pencils 5 for. A new pencil.	19c

19c DISH SALE
Bowls, Plates all sizes, Cups and Saucers, Platters, Bakers
One table of 4 different patterns of Dinnerware, choice 19c

KNIT GLOVES
For Men, Ladies and Children, in wool and cotton. Thrown out in one lot for this special sale. A saving you can't pass up. Per pair 19c

LADIES' KNIT TAMS
Just think of a knitted Tam for a 19c seller. Don't overlook this bargain 19c

Here are "Some Values" That 19c Will Buy During this Sale.

Canton Poplin, 27 in., in blue, black and brown, per yard	19c
Men's and Boys' Suspenders, good elastic, pair	19c
4 Spools Silk Thread, any color, 4 spools	19c
Yarn, all shades, in skeins per skein	19c
4 Wash Cloths, buy a dozen at this price. 4 for	19c
Curtain Draperies, 36 in. A special price, per yard	19c

19c 19c

New Bargains in the Basement — A Big Fresh Stock at New Low Prices

250 PAIRS OF SHOES OXFORDS AND PUMPS
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Consisting of Patent Leather Pumps, Suede Oxfords, brown and black Kid and Calfskin Shoes. All sizes in the lot, AA to D. Former values, $7.00 to $10.50.

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Just Keep On Keepin' On.

"If the day looks kinder gloomy
And your chances kinder slim;
If the situation's puzzlin'
An' the prospects awful grim,
And perplexities keep pressin'
Till all hope is nearly gone,
Just bristle up and grit your teeth,
And keep on keepin' on.

Shunnin' never won a fight,
And frettin' never pays;
There ain't no good in broodin' on
These pessimistic ways.
Smile just kinder cheerfully,
When hope is nearly gone
And bristle up and grit your teeth,
And keep on keepin' on.

There ain't no use in growlin'
And grumbling all the time
When music's ringing everywhere,
And everything's in rhyme.
Just keep on smilin' cheerfully,
If hope is nearly gone,
And bristle up and grit your teeth
And keep on keepin' on."

Second Semester Changes.

With the opening of the second semester Monday, January 23, there will be two new teachers to help take care of the increased enrollment since the opening of school last fall, and to accommodate the thirty-four additional freshmen who will be graduated from the eighth grade at the close of the first semester. The new freshmen will take double periods of English and algebra and will complete these two courses in one semester, receiving the usual credit for each course.

The following subjects will be offered either as additional courses or in place of subjects completed at the end of the first semester: There will be a new section in English I to accommodate those who have one-half credit in that subject and to relieve the present over-crowded sections. A new section will also be organized in plane geometry for those who have one-half credit in that subject. Those who have one-half credit in other full year subjects will enter the regular classes in their respective subjects to complete their work. Physiology will be offered in place of botany, sociology in place of economics, solid geometry in place of higher algebra, commercial law in place of, advanced typewriting, penmanship and spelling in place of commercial arithmetic, advanced typewriting in place of beginning typewriting.

A new section of beginning typewriting will also be offered for those juniors and seniors who wish to take it. If the section is not filled with juniors and seniors, a few sophomores may be permitted to take this course. Mechanical drawing will be continued throughout the year for those who wish to complete a full credit in that subject. Manual training will be given to those who wish it in place of mechanical drawing. Freshman sewing will be followed by Freshman cooking and Freshman cooking by Freshman sewing. Civics will replace American history.

High school geography and beginning bookkeeping will be extra subjects. The first will be given to accommodate those pupils who are now carrying only three subjects and to replace sewing I for those who cannot take cooking I because the cooking classes will not accommodate as many pupils as the present sewing classes.

Beginning bookkeeping will be open to juniors and seniors who have not had the opportunity to take it in the past.—M. P. R.

Enrollment For Second Semester.

Last Friday the seniors enrolled for the final stretch of their high school careers. Saturday forenoon those eighth grade students who are going to be promoted to the first year of high school were enrolled. The regular freshmen were enrolled Saturday afternoon. The juniors and sophomores will be enrolled the early part of the week. The second semester will open Monday, January 23, and with everything carefully planned, there should be no interruption in the school work.

The Bare Sixteen Credits.

Many of our high school students are satisfied with earning the required sixteen credits for graduation, and few earn more than sixteen and one-half or seventeen.

Of all the freshmen enrolled at Carleton College last fall a large majority presented more than sixteen credits for entry. Many came to college with seventeen and eighteen credits. Some presented nineteen. Some time after the opening of school a survey was conducted to ascertain the grade of work done by these students. It was generally found that the students who did the most work in the high school also did the best work in college. Graduation should not be the only goal of the high school student. A far more important objective is to get all the work possible in the four years and to do it to the best of one's ability.

Our School.

Every time someone mars a desk, chair or other article of school furniture he is marring something that is his own. Schools are public property which belong to all of us. We should be just as careful in their use as if they belonged to us individually. It costs a great deal to keep up the appearance of a school building and its equipment. Indirectly, we all contribute to this extra cost in taxes, which are already burdensome.

During vacation much was done to improve the appearance of the building. The floors were refinished and the writing on the walls was removed as far as it could be. Those who misused their desks are requested to make good the damage. Let us use our school buildings and equipment just as carefully as we use our homes and our furniture, and we will save money and keep up the appearance of our fine high school.

Remember the Janitors.

Have you ever stopped to think that janitors are human like the rest of us folks? Has it ever entered your mind that they are the first on the job these cold winter mornings and the last ones through with their day's work? Do you know that they are doing everything that they can to make the Lincoln high school a pleasant place for both teachers and pupils? Do you realize that we have two excellent janitors?

Now stop and think, teachers and students! What are doing to make things pleasant for the janitors? If you have done nothing, you can easily do something without much effort. Just be a little more careful about your waste paper, your pencil shavings, and your gum and gum wrappers. School rooms are always difficult to sweep on account of the chairs and desks, and if each of us will just take a little pains to keep things off the floor, how much easier the work will be.

Mr. Hay Visits.

Mr. J. H. Hay, for many years superintendent of the schools at Thief River Falls, honored the high school pupils with a short talk at chapel last Friday. Mr. Hay, now assistant commissioner of agriculture, arrived in the city as the principal speaker at the dedication of the new Knox school. He spoke of the wonderful possibilities of northern Minnesota; of the many and varied crops that can be raised here; but emphasized that the "boy and girl crop" was greater here than at any place he had ever seen. "Minnesota," he said, "has over seven hundred thousand pupils in school this afternoon between the ages of five and twenty-one." He pointed out that, in spite of the depressed business conditions, the low prices, and hard times generally, there are still a great number of people who seem to be getting along pretty well. "I can't think of any knowledge," said Mr. Hay in closing, "that will do any more good than to know Minnesota." It is needless to say that the high school was very glad to see and hear Mr. Hay again.

Essay Contest Closed.

The Central school pupils have participated in the national essay contest on "How I Can Make the Highways More Safe." Some very excellent compositions have been written. That of Mary Alexander has been awarded first place locally and is the composition sent in from our city schools to compete for state and national honors. The national prizes are three and consist of the following: First, a gold watch and trip to Washington with all expenses paid; second, a gold loving cup, and third, a silver loving cup. Besides the national prizes, there is also a state first prize of a gold medal and $15 in cash, one second prize of a silver medal and $10 in cash, and nine third prizes, each a bronze medal and $5 in cash.

Naturally the competition in this contest has been very keen and a great many very excellent compositions have been submitted. It will, therefore, be a great honor to win one of the Minnesota prizes, to say nothing of one of the national prizes. Even though no prize is won it is nevertheless a signal honor to have written the best composition to be submitted from Thief River Falls, and Mary is to be congratulated on her achievement.

Honorable mention should also be made of the compositions submitted in our school by Frances Conklin, Lois Nicholson and Frances Shanahan. In the preparation of these compositions a great many facts have been assimilated and much interest has been aroused in this very important topic of public highways. Even though no other importance attached to the working out of this theme, the fact that they actually have become interested and have given serious thought to the question is of itself worth all the time and energy put on it.

State High School Athletic League.

Two hundred forty-one out of the two hundred forty-four high schools in the state are members of the Minnesota State High School Athletic association. These high schools have been grouped in sixteen different districts. Thief River Falls belongs to the first district, in which are included the following high schools: Ada, Argyle, Bagley, Baudette, Crookston, East Grand Forks, Fertile, Fosston, Hallock, Mahnomen, McIntosh, Red Lake Falls, Roseau, Stephen, Thief River Falls, Warren and Warroad. All these schools have basketball teams that are now playing their regular league schedule. Each has its league standing and it is a race between all these schools to determine which ones will participate in a final tournament which is to be held March 2 and 3. This tournament will in all probability be held either in Crookston or right here in Thief River Falls. The eight schools making the best record out of the group will participate in this final tournament and the winner in this district tournament will participate in the state tournament to be held later on in March. Effort is being made to have information as to all games played in our division of the league sent to the different schools so that the league standings may be published from week to week and in this way the people may be kept informed as to the standing of the different teams. Watch for this information and see to it that our boys get the moral and financial backing that they need if they are to make the best possible showing.

Declamatory Contest to Be Held Here Jan. 27.

In connection with the Red River Valley Annual Winter shows, which are to be held in Crookston, there is to be held on Monday, February 6, a declamatory contest. All territory affected has been divided into five districts. Thief River Falls is headquarters for district No. 2. In this district have been placed the following schools: Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls, Warroad, Roseau, Bronson, St. Hilaire, Middle River, Newfolden, Strandquist, Holt, Greenbush, Badger, Karlstad, Lancaster. These schools are entitled to send a representative to a preliminary declamatory contest that is to be held in the high school auditorium on the evening of January 27. Not all the schools have as yet signified their intention of participating in this tournament. The following schools, however, have promised to have a representative in the contest: Lancaster, Greenbush, Red Lake Falls, Holt and Thief River Falls. The winner in this contest will represent the entire group at the Crookston meeting. The first prize is a silver loving cup, which becomes the property of the school winning it three times. There are second, third, fourth and fifth prizes, $10, $7.50, $5 and $2.50 respectively.

Wednesday Assembly.

The pupils are very much disappointed when the gongs do not ring a little early on Wednesday, as they enjoy the speeches not only of the outside speakers but also of the teachers. There have been some wonderfully good speeches so far this year and it is hoped to have many more before the year is over. Miss Chamberlain gave a very interesting talk on poetry and since her talk I am sure we have found poetry much more beautiful. Miss Leavitt's talk on astronomy has made us realize that there is real interest in watching the stars. We hope to hear from the other teachers soon.—R. K. '24.

Knox Dedication.

Insofar as extensive writeups on the dedication of our new Knox building appear elsewhere in this issue, no further mention of it is made in the Progress. Permit the Progress staff to say, however, that it takes a great deal of pride in the new building. It ought to prove an excellent feeder for the high school in years to come. It is one of the finest grade buildings in the Northwest.

Herman Bischoff Entertains.

The high school enjoyed one of its biggest treats of the year last Thursday when Herman Bischoff, who attends the school for the blind at Faribault, appeared in a number of piano and clarinet solos and several readings. Mr. Bischoff first played on the piano the Waltz in C Minor by Chopin and then the Prelude in C Minor by Rachmaninoff. He also played Mendelssohn's Spring Song on the clarinet. Then, too, he entertained with some very good impersonations of the songs of Harry Lauder. His rendition "When Apples Grow on Lilac Trees" was especially enjoyed.

Mr. Bischoff has a great deal of musical and general artistic talent, and his program was most thoroughly enjoyed.

Stock Judging Team.

A stock judging team from the agricultural department of our high school has won the silver loving cup offered by way of prize at two different mid-winter shows held at the agricultural college in Crookston. Though our agriculture department has been discontinued, we still have boys who have been on the team and we ought therefore to be able to do something this year, too. In line with the general policy of Thief River Falls, which is to do things, a team is being coached by Mr. Harner and Mr. Jardine, both of whom are experienced agriculture men, with a view again to be represented and if possible to win the cup for the third time and for keeps. It would be a fine achievement both for our high school and for the boys themselves. Thomas Belland, Raymond Muzzy and Clarence Smith were our team last year. They will again try for berths, as will Bert Umland and Henry Vorlicky. Good luck to you, boys!

What's Your College?

So that the students of our high school may early become acquainted with the different colleges and universities of the country, all catalogs and literature are assembled in a special place in the library where they are of easy access.

By studying these catalogs students are often inspired to great effort in their high school work and they will *often be able* to make a more intelligent selection as well as to arrange their high school course to meet specific requirements.

Two Defeats.

The Thief River Falls high school basketball team journeyed to the towns of Argyle and Stephen last Friday to meet the high school teams of these places on the basketball floor. They journeyed, they played, they lost, and came back home not daunted in spirit but determined to make amends for the defeats, in their future games.

In the game with Argyle the local boys started off in whirlwind fashion, holding Argyle down without a field goal while they themselves garnered nine points. But some fair spectator threw a horseshoe into the Argyle camp during the second half and they tossed in six field baskets with machine gun rapidity for a total of 15 points to Thief River's 13.

At Stephen the boys were out of form and couldn't get together with any consistency whatever, and when the whistle blew at the termination of the game the score stood 21-12, Stephen leading. In this contest Forest Ralston got all of Thief River's twelve points and was easily the star of the contest.

The writer cannot refrain from saying a few words in commendation of the fine treatment extended by Argyle and Stephen while on this trip. It is very gratifying indeed to the visiting team to feel upon leaving a neighboring town that they have received a square deal and courteous treatment. Such treatment tends for good sportsmanship, clean athletics, and raises the standard of not only the community extending it but also the community from which the visiting team comes.

Ella Krohn and Hershel Hanson Win First.

The final home elimination declamatory contest was held in the high school assembly room on Monday evening. The following program was given:

"Amaryllis" .... Girls' Glee Club
The Hungry Gross .... Shirley Anderson
The Necklace .... Ella Krohn
The Abolition of War ....
.... Emmett Shanahan
An Apostle of Peace ....
.... Hershel Hanson
"Lindy" .... Girls' Glee Club
Cutting from "Les Miserables" ....
.... Nora Lindquist
Sign of the Cleft Heart ....
.... Ruth Knutson
Pro Patria .... Lucille McGinnity
The Angelus .... Lillian Knight

The decision of the judges was then announced, giving for the girls first place to Ella Krohn and second place to Nora Lindquist. For the boys first place went to Hershel Hanson. Mr. Quale, Mrs. Larsen and Mrs. Rapacz acted as judges.

All of the contestants did very well and the decision was a close one. The audience was small but appreciative. By an admission fee of ten cents the Dramatic club secured $7.50 for their treasury.

The outcome of this contest determines that Ella Krohn and Hershel Hanson will be the representatives of our school in the district contest to be held soon. Ella Krohn will also be our high school's representative in the Red River Valley district contest which is to be held here Friday evening, January 27.

Ask Webster.

How often we find pupils in our classes who tell us that they know the answer to the question, but that they just can not state it. Oftentimes we know that they know, but they are not able to give expression to their thoughts. This is often due to the fact that their vocabulary is limited. The remedy for this defect is a more frequent use of the dictionary. The time spent in looking up words is more than saved in understanding the lesson. "Knowledge is the key to mystery and study is the key to knowledge."—A Teacher.

Latin Club Meets.

The weekly meeting of the Girls' Superior Latin club was held in Miss Stebbins' room Thursday evening, *January 12. Roll call* was taken and the minutes of the previous meeting read after which Miss Stebbins spoke to the club. On account of the small attendance and the basketball game at the auditorium, the meeting adjourned for the evening at about 8 o'clock.

A Few Don'ts.

Don't write on the walls because Mr. Rapacz says paint costs money.

Don't leave your books on the radiator and on your desk because they disappear.

Don't whisper because you might be asked to study after four o'clock.

Don't drop your waste paper on the floor because it makes sweeping difficult for the janitors.

Don't leave the windows open after four o'clock. Conserve the fuel.

Don't chew gum in school because you are learning a bad habit.

Don't forget that you must be up to grade in your work before you will be permitted to play basketball.

Don't come tardy because there are few good reasons for tardiness.

Tyson-Ostlund.

Miss Alice Tyson, a member of the class of '24, was united in marriage to Mr. E. Ostlund of Mud Lake. The couple will make their future home at Golden Valley. The sophomore class extends to them their heartiest greetings.

Alumnus Honored.

Our high school was much pleased to learn last week of the recognition of the ability of one of her sons, Morlan Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, is the person in mention. Since his graduation from high school in 1910 he has been steadily climbing until he has just now been appointed assistant cashier in the state treasurer's office. The high school congratulates him and wishes him abundant success in his new position.

Administration's Corner.

Where Does the Money Come From With Which to Run Our Schools?

The principal source of revenue for the maintenance of any public school system in Minnesota is a tax on the assessed valuation of the real estate and the personal property of the district. In a district where the assessed valuation is low, therefore, the tax rate in mills, that is in tenths of a cent on the dollar, must necessarily be high. In a wealthy district where there is much and valuable real or personal property, a low tax rate in mills will bring into the treasury a lot of money. The amount of money needed will necessarily vary with the size of the school, measured in equipment, courses of study, number of pupils, and the number of teachers. An analysis of this item for our district will be made in the next issue of The Progress.

Though, as already explained, the bulk of the money needed is raised by local taxation, the state offers aid in various forms. In the first place, it has a permanent school fund, the interest on which is known as the Endowment Fund. This income amounts to about one and one third millions a year. Then there is a state tax of one mill on all assessed property in the state. The money thus raised is known as the Current School Fund. There is also a county levy of one mill which is known as a part of the District Tax. The above funds are prorated, that is divided equally, among all districts that meet the requirements in accordance with the number of children of school age that have attended school in the district for a period of forty days or more during the school year. In the past several years, this apportionment has amounted to a little more than $4.00 a child. Our district, therefore, which has approximately 1500 pupils meeting this requirement, receives, in round numbers, $6000 from this source. Finally, each legislature appropriates certain sums of money to be distributed in accordance with the principles set forth in the following stated purposes:

1. To assist in providing equal educational opportunities for all the school children of the state.
2. To assist in establishing certain generally accepted minimum standards for all the public schools of the state.
3. To assist school districts whose tax levies for maintenance are exceptionally high.
4. To stimulate educational progress by grants of state aid for superior efficiency and high standards and for desirable educational undertakings not yet generally established.
5. To provide for the maintenance of teacher training departments in high schools.

(Next week will give tables showing just to what extent our schools are affected by the above.)

New
Meat Market

SPECIAL For Saturday

Pork Sausage, per lb.
12½c

Hamburger, per lb.
12½c

Market Day
Specials

Cookies, Cookies, a lb. only	18c
Fancy Peaberry Coffee, reg. 35c, special	28c
Reg. 20c canned Corn, special	14c
Reg. 20c canned Peas, special	14c
Fancy 16 oz. Preserves, reg. 50c, special	38c
Fancy 16 oz. Jellys, reg. 40c, special	32c

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Simonson's Meat
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City News

[illegible] Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday [illegible] the January Market Days in [illegible] River Falls. The Biggest Sales [illegible]vents of the year.—Advertisement.

R. J. Clark of Chisholm spent Monday in the city on business.

Harold Morris of Aurora visited in the city Monday.

Morris Barten of Devils Lake was a visitor in the city on Tuesday.

Harry Johnson of Wannaska was in the city Thursday on business.

John Emmanuelson came down from Radium Friday to transact business.

Geo. Sands of Alvarado spent last Thursday in the city on business.

Lynn Halvorson left last week for Duluth, where he will spend a month.

Dr. C. Clark of Greenbush was a visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Blanche Hoff of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg came from Goodridge Friday evening [illegible]d the basketball game.

[illegible]uby Jensen of Goodridge [illegible]he week-end as the guest of [illegible] and Mrs. C. E. Andrews.

Oscar and C. A. Borklee of Minneota and Roy Lindahl of Clarkfield were visitors in the city on Monday.

Miss Clara O'Hara of Holt visited friends in this city the first of the [illegible]k.

A. Jacobson came down from Viking the first of the week to spend a few days on business.

Ed. Davidson of Holt spent a short time the first of the week here attending to business matters.

Peter Peterson of Brooten visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

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John Hahsler of Gatzke spent a couple of days here last week with friends.

Ed. Olson came down from Strandquist the latter part of last week to spend a few days on business.

Misses Minnie and Nellie Lanness and Hilma Bergstrom of Strandquist were visitors here on Sunday.

Nick Reiter of the Kleanall left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days on business.

Misses Sadie and Lenore Febrow of Red Lake Falls shopped here yesterday between trains.

Mrs. Louis Roiland arrived yesterday afternoon from Holt to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Hulda Gigstad of St. Hilaire shopped here between trains on Saturday.

E. L. Helgeland returned Monday morning from Neillsville, where he had visited his mother over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Haure left last week for Minneapolis, where they will visit friends for an indefinite period.

Miss Amy Severson is spending the week with friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

Miss Esther Lilja left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo, where she will remain for several days with friends.

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J. C. Aure returned Tuesday evening from Hazel, where he had spent a few days on business.

Elmer Zeh arrived Monday morning from Crookston for a two weeks visit with his father, Phil Zeh.

Celestine Strum left Tuesday morning for Steiner to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. Anna Dock returned Monday morning from Crookston, where she had spent the week-end with friends.

Miss Ella Gran left Saturday afternoon for Fargo to spend Sunday with friends.

A. F. LaBudde of Gonvick was in the city Friday evening to witness the basketball game between the locals and the Two Harbors quintet.

Miss Irma Johnson left Saturday afternoon for Crookston and was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. O. Sampson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt had as [illegible] guest the latter part of last [illegible]r. Hunt's father, of Red Lake [illegible]

[illegible]d Elefson, who is employed at [illegible] jewelry store, returned Tues[illegible]om [illegible]ewfolden, where he had [illegible] a few days with friends.

Miss Elizabeth Harder, who is employed at the Oakland Park sanitorium, spent Tuesday night at St. Hilaire with her parents.

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William Meyer returned to his home at Steiner yesterday morning after a brief visit with relatives in this city.

Miss Alma Elken, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. John Swedin, returned to her home at Wannaska yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Dahl returned Saturday night from Kendall, Wis., where they spent the holidays with relatives of Mrs. Dahl.

Miss Mary Bendle, who has been employed in this city, left yesterday for her home at Red Lake Falls to remain indefinitely.

Miss Albina Doucet, ticket cashier at the Soo, left yesterday afternoon via the Great Northern for Crookston to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Ruth Sandstrom returned the latter part of last week from Plummer, where she had been employed for a short time.

Orville Herron and Harold Arneson attended the basketball game between Two Harbors and Crookston at the latter place Saturday night.

Mrs. J. M. Thorstad and daughter, Florence, returned to their home at Lockhart the latter part of last week after a visit with friends here.

is now in Pennsylvania to attend the funeral of his father, who passed away Jan. 6.

Rev. R. L. Barackman, until recently pastor of the Presbyterian church here, now residing at Lincoln, Kan.

Mrs. Albert Johnson, Burr Oaks farm, has been confined to her home the past two weeks because of illness.

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Mrs. Ira C. Richardson returned this week from Elgin, where she had been present at the funeral of her husband, the late Ira C. Richardson.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher left this afternoon for Grand Forks, where she was called by the serious illness of her grandmother.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, left last evening for a brief business trip to the twin cities.

David Evenson, who received a wound in his arm through the accidental discharge of a gun while hunting rabbits, is able to be around again.

Wayne Richardson, who had been here to attend the funeral of his father, Ira C. Richardson, left yesterday on his return to his home at Yakima, Wash.

Mrs. A. Booren and daughter, Miss Olive, left last night for Plummer to visit at the home of the former's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Booren, for a short time.

Charles, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Parenteau, was on Monday operated on for appendicitis at the Physicians hospital. He is *reported as getting along nicely.*

Miss Paula Amend, nurse at the Physicians hospital, left Tuesday for Cologne, Wis., to visit her parents for a month before going to Minneapolis to complete her training.

Mrs. Julia Nelson, who had been confined at the Physicians hospital for three weeks, returned to her home at Holt yesterday very much improved in health.

Mrs. I. L. Cohn and little daughter, Betty, who had visited relatives in St. Paul and Minneapolis since the holidays, returned to their home here Sunday morning.

"Red" Plummer, Ray Kiland, Roy Brown and Chas. Munn were among those who witnessed the basketball game between Crookston and Two Harbors Saturday evening.

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Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy and son Leslie returned to their home at Steiner Saturday morning after a brief visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Kisch.

Morlan Bishop, who resigned his position with the state banking department, left Sunday night for St. Paul to begin his new duties as assistant cashier in the state treasurer's office.

Mrs. J. C. Kelley returned to her home at Devils Lake, N. D., Saturday afternoon having visited at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, since New Year's.

We offer some real bargains in modern dry cleaning for Jan. 23, 24 and 25. See our ad in this issue of The Times. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. So.—J-19—Advertisement.

CLEAN UP—Jan. 23, 24, 25. We have reduced prices on dry cleaning and pressing many articles. Look for our ad; it is in this issue. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. So. —J-19—Advertisement.

We have big reductions Jan. 23, 24 and 25 on dry cleaning many staple articles. See our ad. elsewhere in this issue. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. So.—J-19—Advertisement.

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Hans Wick of Grygla was here Monday on his way to Valley City, N. D., to remain during the trial of William Gummer for the murder of Miss Marie Wick in a Fargo hotel last June.

BIG REDUCTIONS Jan. 23, 24 and 25 on dry cleaning and pressing many articles. You will find a full explanation in our ad which appears in this issue. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S.—J-19—Advertisement.

O. J. Johnson of Grygla spent Tuesday in the city, leaving on the Great Northern in the afternoon for Valley City, N. D., to appear as a witness in the trial of William Gummer for the murder of Miss Marie Wick.

Roy Louden, who was engaged by the local basketball team to play during the Two Harbors games, returned to his home at Cambridge Friday. He will return Friday to play with his home team against the local aggregation.

A. S. Sapero returned Monday evening from Chisholm and St. Paul. At the former city he visited his parents and a brother and sister who leave soon for California to remain during the winter. They may decide to remain permanently in the West if they find things to their liking.

E. M. Korstad leaves this morning for the Red Lake agency for the purpose of helping his brother, Karl, who is engaged in business there, during a particularly heavy rush. His position as steward at the Elks' club is being looked after by Ed. Hill during his absence.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson left the first of the week for St. Paul to attend the meetings of county auditors and others with members of the Minnesota Tax commission. Matters pertaining to taxes and tax collections will be taken up, discussed and explained from all angles. Mr. Anderson expected to be gone about ten days.

Churches

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, Jan. 22, "Truth." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open also for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge.
H. Lutz, Pastor

Sunday, Jan. 22: German services at Espleo at 10 a. m. English services at Grygla at 3 p. m. Holy communion will be celebrated in both services.

Thorvick Church.
O. I. Rauum, Pastor

Services in Thorvick Sunday at 11 a. m. The Y. P. S. will meet at Mr. Jopprue's place at 2 p. m.

Ev. Luth. Augustana Church.
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services Sunday in the Swedish language at 10:30. Evening service at 7:45 in English. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. The Willing Workers will be entertained by the Knutson family, 723 Duluth avenue north, on Friday evening, Jan. 20. Ladies' Aid and Luther League entertained by Mrs. Frank Carlson in church basement. Wednesday afternoon and evening, Jan. 25.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.
O. J. Lundell, Pastor

Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m., prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Eric Soderberg, Markley avenue north. Friday, Bible study at 8 p. m. The Young People's Covenant of the Mission churches of North Red River Valley will hold its mid-winter conference here Jan. 28 and 29. Several visiting pastors are expected and a large attendance of young people anticipated. Services Sunday, Jan. 22, at Black River 11 a. m. At St. Hilaire 7:30 p. m. Come and be welcome.

Evangelistic Meetings.

Continue every evening at 7:30 this week and next week, except Saturdays, in the Swedish Baptist church, corner of Markley and Schuneman. Sunday services at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited. A. A. Ohm and L. O. Williams.

Trinity Lutheran Church.
T. E. Sweger, Pastor.

Trinity Ladies' Aid this Thursday afternoon, entertained by Mesdames Olaf Ramstad, James Sether, O. C. Hanson and Severt Benson. Semi-annual election of officers of the Young People's League this evening. Mesdames Louis Veveu, Adolph Williamson and T. E. Sweger entertain. Confirmation class Saturday, 10 a. m., at the parsonage. Divine service in Norwegian 11 a. m. and English 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Parents without church homes are cordially invited to send their children.

St. John's Lutheran Church.
E. H. Kreidt, Pastor.

German services Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school 11:30. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Geo. Geske.

Zion Lutheran Church.
George Larson, Pastor

Services by the pastor 11 a. m. Afternoon services at Rindal 3 p. m. Evening services, city, by Rev. Bredeson, 7:45 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid on Thursday, the 26th, 2 p. m., entertained by Hans Peterson and Soren Bergland. Zion Young People's meeting Thursday, the 26th; Annie and George Aspelund entertain. All are invited. The confirmants meet every Saturday afternoon, 2 p. m., at the parsonage. Sunday school and Bible class Sunday, 10 a. m.

Scandinavian Evan. Church.
Bot Nyborg, Pastor.

Services Sunday, the 22nd, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Next Wednesday Bible study meeting at 7:30 p. m. You are cordially welcome.

Presbyterian Church.

Rev. McLeod of Duluth will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church next Sunday forenoon and evening. Sunday school at 9:45; preaching service at 11 o'clock; Junior Endeavor meeting at 3; Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.; evening service at 8.

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Obituary

Lorinda Ardith Jenson.

Lorinda Ardith, 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph J. Jenson, 615 Dewey avenue, died on Jan. 17, following an operation for appendicitis. Funeral services will be held on Friday at the Trinity church with Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating.

Frank Tabor.

The death of Frank Tabor of Holt occurred on Monday at the Physicians hospital. The cause of death was carcinoma of the stomach and bowels. Deceased was 61 years old.

Tom K. Hovet.

Tom K. Hovet, prominent resident of St. Hilaire, passed away on Jan. 16 from appendicitis. Deceased was in the grain business at St. Hilaire and was 45 years of age at the time of his death. Burial took place at St. Hilaire yesterday.

Ole Rogne.

Last Saturday occurred the death of Ole Rogne, well known farmer of Norden township, at the age of 62 years. Deceased had been a resident of this community for the past 40 years. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the chapel of Larson's undertaking rooms, with Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, in charge. Interment will take place at Greenwood.

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OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

This is a great year for the poor. The government has removed the luxury tax from steam yachts.

Just because the moonshine made in Baudette lives only a few days, don't get the idea that it is weak.

If the C. N. R. cuts off any more trains, the Region will have to come to the rescue and build a few more railroads.

You will generally find Baudette at the top or thereabouts. It is even located at the top of the United States.

When we look over our subscription list it is hard to believe that man is made of dust.

You've probably noticed that when a lad says that he knows where he can dig up a bottle of real old stuff he always gets a big audience to listen to the sordid details.

There isn't much sickness in Baudette this year aside from the severe pains many of us feel in the vicinity of the pocketbook.

The M. W. A., R. N. A. and I. O. O. F. all had big meetings this week, but I. O. U. is still leading all organizations in town when it comes to membership.

There are many recipes to cure hard times, but wearing a funeral face isn't one of them. Perk up.

One thing we refuse to lose a night's sleep over is the dispute of the Hill heirs over Jim's millions. There are still 67 installments due on our typesetting machine.

Judging by the number of divorces granted to wives in Minneapolis and St. Paul, many women are looking for new men. It appears to be a habit with them. Even when a wife doesn't want a divorce she tries to make a new man out of the one she has.

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Cranberries, lb.	20c
Fresh Creamery Butter	35c
Armour Oats, large size	27c
Home Brand Oats, large size	25c
Peanut Butter, lb.	15c
7 lb. Box Soda Crackers lb.	12c
Navy Beans, hand picked lb.	6c
Shelled Popcorn, 4 lbs.	25c
Sweet Corn, can	11c
Apples, paper wrapped, box	$2.50
Mixed Nuts, lb.	25c
White House Coffee lb.	42c
Yeast	9c
Lanes Lye, 13c; 2 for	25c
3 lb. Carton Salt	9c
Old Dutch Cleanser	10c
Jap Rose Soap	9c
Palmolive Soap 9c; 3 for	25c
Arm and Hammer Soda	9c
Bird's-eye Matches	6c
Snuff	9c
Calumet Baking Powder, lb. can	30c
Sardines in oil	5c
Argo Gloss Starch	10c
Home Cornstarch	9c

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Beginning Monday, Jan. 23rd, for 3 days only

Cut this ad out for reference showing the items advertised each day.

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Gossard Brassiers
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39c

Gossard Corsets
Values to $5.50
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Wool Heather Hose
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98c

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Special
$4.95

MARKET DAY
FOR MONDAY ONLY
SILK and WOOL LADIES' DRESSES
Values to $25.00
While they last only
$8.95
25 Dresses in this lot.

MARKET DAY
FOR TUESDAY ONLY
WOMEN'S FALL and WINTER SUITS
25 Suits in the lot—Values to $98.50.
While they last only
$25.00
Fur trimmed and untrimmed Suits in all styles and sizes.

MARKET DAY
FOR WEDNESDAY ONLY
GINGHAM and PERCALE APRONS
Values to $2.25
For Wednesday Only
$1.00

Plaid Skirts
in all wool VELOURS
Special at
$5 and $9.75

Ladies' Slip-over Sweaters
at
$1.00

Pure Silk Hose
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Pair

Ladies' Coats
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Just Keep On Keepin' On.

"If the day looks kinder gloomy
And your chances kinder slim;
If the situation's puzzlin'
An' the prospects awful grim,
And perplexities keep pressin'
'Till all hope is nearly gone,
Just bristle up and grit your teeth,
And keep on keepin' on.

Shunnin' never won a fight,
And frettin' never pays;
There ain't no good in broodin' on
These pessimistic ways.
Smile just kinder cheerfully,
When hope is nearly gone
And bristle up and grit your teeth,
And keep on keepin' on.

There ain't no use in growlin'
And grumbling all the time
When music's ringing everywhere,
And everything's in rhyme.
Just keep on smilin' cheerfully,
If hope is nearly gone,
And bristle up and grit your teeth
And keep on keepin' on."

Second Semester Changes.

With the opening of the second semester Monday, January 23, there will be two new teachers to help take care of the increased enrollment since the opening of school last fall, and to accommodate the thirty-four additional freshmen who will be graduated from the eighth grade at the close of the first semester. The new freshmen will take double periods of English and algebra and will complete these two courses in one semester, receiving the usual credit for each course.

The following subjects will be offered either as additional courses or in place of subjects completed at the end of the first semester: There will be a new section in English I to accommodate those who have one-half credit in that subject and to relieve the present over-crowded sections. A new section will also be organized in plane geometry for those who have one-half credit in that subject. Those who have one-half credit in other full year subjects will enter the regular classes in their respective subjects to complete their work. Physiology will be offered in place of botany, sociology in place of economics, solid geometry in place of higher algebra, commercial law in place of advanced typewriting, penmanship and spelling in place of commercial arithmetic, advanced typewriting in place of beginning typewriting.

A new section of beginning typewriting will also be offered for those juniors and seniors who wish to take it. If the section is not filled with juniors and seniors, a few sophomores may be permitted to take this course. Mechanical drawing will be continued throughout the year for those who wish to complete a full credit in that subject. Manual training will be given to those who wish it in place of mechanical drawing. Freshman sewing will be followed by Freshman cooking and Freshman cooking by Freshman sewing. Civics will replace American history.

High school geography and beginning bookkeeping will be extra subjects. The first will be given to commodate those pupils who are carrying only three subjects and replace sewing I for those who c not take cooking I because the co ing classes will not accommodate many pupils as the present sew classes.

Beginning bookkeeping will be o to juniors and seniors who have had the opportunity to take it in past.—M. P. R.

Enrollment For Second Semester.

Last Friday the seniors enrolled the final stretch of their high sch careers. Saturday forenoon th eighth grade students who are go to be promoted to the first year high school were enrolled. The gular freshmen were enrolled Sat day afternoon. The juniors and sop omores will be enrolled the early p of the week. The second semes will open Monday, January 23, with everything carefully plann there should be no interruption in school work.

The Bare Sixteen Credits.

Many of our high school stude are satisfied with earning the requ ed sixteen credits for graduation, few earn more than sixteen and o half or seventeen.

Of all the freshmen enrolled Carleton College last fall a large irjoty presented more than sixt redits for entry. Many came to c lege with seventeen and eight credits. Some presented ninete Some time after the opening of sch a survey was conducted to ascert the grade of work done by these s dents. It was generally found th the students who did the most wo in the high school also did the b work in college. Graduation sho not be the only goal of the h school student. A far more impo ant objective is to get all the wo possible in the four years and to it to the best of one's ability.

Our School.

Every time someone mars a desk, chair or other article of school furniture he is marring something that is his own. Schools are public property which belong to all of us. We should be just as careful in their use as if they belonged to us individually. It costs a great deal to keep up the appearance of a school building and its equipment. Indirectly, we all contribute to this extra cost in taxes, which are already burdensome.

During vacation much was done to improve the appearance of the building. The floors were refinished and the writing on the walls was removed as far as it could be. Those who misused their desks are requested to make good the damage. Let us use our school buildings and equipment just as carefully as we use our homes and our furniture, and we will save money and keep up the appearance of our fine high school.

Remember the Janitors.

Have you ever stopped to think that janitors are human like the rest of us folks? Has it ever entered your mind that they are the first on the job these cold winter mornings and the last ones through with their day's work? Do you know that they are doing everything that they can to make the Lincoln high school a pleasant place for both teachers and pupils? Do you realize that we have two excellent janitors?

Now stop and think, teachers and students! What are doing to make things pleasant for the janitors? If you have done nothing, you can easily do something without much effort. Just be a little more careful about your waste paper, your pencil shavings, and your gum and gum wrappers. School rooms are always difficult to sweep on account of the chairs and desks, and if each of us will just take a little pains to keep things off the floor, how much easier the work will be.

Mr. Hay Visits.

Mr. J. H. Hay, for many years superintendent of the schools at Thief River Falls, honored the high school pupils with a short talk at chapel last Friday. Mr. Hay, now assistant commissioner of agriculture, arrived in the city as the principal speaker at the dedication of the new Knox school. He spoke of the wonderful possibilities of northern Minnesota; of the many and varied crops that can be raised here; but emphasized that the "boy and girl crop" was greater here than at any place he had ever seen. "Minnesota," he said, "has over seven hundred thousand pupils in school this afternoon between the ages of five and twenty-one." He pointed out that, in spite of the depressed business conditions, the low prices, and hard times generally, there are still a great number of people who seem to be getting along pretty well. "I can't think of any knowledge," said Mr. Hay in closing, "that will do any more good than to know Minnesota." It is needless to say that the high school was very glad to see and hear Mr. Hay again.

Essay Contest Closed.

The Central school pupils have participated in the national essay contest on "How I Can Make the Highways More Safe." Some very excellent compositions have been written. That of Mary Alexander has been awarded first place locally and is the composition sent in from our city schools to compete for state and national honors. The national prizes are three and consist of the following: First, a gold watch and trip to Washington with all expenses paid; second, a gold loving cup, and third, a silver loving cup. Besides the national

these schools to determine which ones will participate in a final tournament which is to be held March 2 and 3. This tournament will in all probability be held either in Crookston or right here in Thief River Falls. The eight schools making the best record out of the group will participate in this final tournament and the winner in this district tournament will participate in the state tournament to be held later on in March. Effort is being made to have information as to all games played in our division of the league sent to the different schools so that the league standings may be published from week to week and in this way the people may be kept informed as to the standing of the different teams. Watch for this information and see to it that our boys get the moral and financial backing that they need if they are to make the best possible showing.

Declamatory Contest to Be Held Here Jan. 27.

In connection with the Red River Valley Annual Winter shows, which are to be held in Crookston, there is to be held on Monday, February 6, a declamatory contest. All territory affected has been divided into five districts. Thief River Falls is headquarters for district No. 2. In this district have been placed the following schools: Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls, Warroad, Roseau, Bronson, St. Hilaire, Middle River, Newfolden, Strandquist, Holt, Greenbush, Badger, Karlstad, Lancaster. These schools are entitled to send a representative to a preliminary declamatory contest that is to be held in the high school auditorium on the evening of January 27. Not all the schools have as yet signified their intention of participating in this tournament. The following schools, however, have promised to have a representative in the contest: Lancaster, Greenbush, Red Lake Falls, Holt and Thief River Falls. The winner in this contest will represent the entire group at the Crookston meeting. The first prize is a silver loving cup, which becomes the property of the school winning it three times. There are second, third, fourth and fifth prizes, $10, $7.50, $5 and $2.50 respectively.

Wednesday Assembly.

The pupils are very much disappointed when the gongs do not ring a little early on Wednesday, as they enjoy the speeches not only of the outside speakers but also of the teachers. There have been some wonderfully good speeches so far this year and it is hoped to have many more before the year is over. Miss Chamberlain gave a very interesting talk on poetry and since her talk I am sure we have found poetry much more beautiful. Miss Leavitt's talk on astronomy has made us realize that there is real interest in watching the stars. We hope to hear from the other teachers soon.—R. K. '24.

Knox Dedication.

Insofar as extensive writeups on the dedication of our new Knox building appear elsewhere in this issue, no further mention of it is made in the Progress. Permit the Progress staff to say, however, that it takes a great deal of pride in the new building. It ought to prove an excellent feeder for the high school in years to come. It is one of the finest grade buildings in the Northwest.

Herman Bischoff Entertains.

The high school enjoyed one of its biggest treats of the year last Thursday when Herman Bischoff, who attends the school for the blind at Faribault, appeared in a number of piano

Stock Judging Team.

A stock judging team from the agricultural department of our high school has won the silver loving cup offered by way of prize at two different mid-winter shows held at the agricultural college in Crookston. Though our agriculture department has been discontinued, we still have boys who have been on the team and we ought therefore to be able to do something this year, too. In line with the general policy of Thief River Falls, which is to do things, a team is being coached by Mr. Harner and Mr. Jardine, both of whom are experienced agriculture men, with a view again to be represented and if possible to win the cup for the third time and for keeps. It would be a fine achievement both for our high school and for the boys themselves. Thomas Belland, Raymond Muzzy and Clarence Smith were our team last year. They will again try for berths, as will Bert Umland and Henry Vorlicky. Good luck to you, boys!

What's Your College?

So that the students of our high school may early become acquainted with the different colleges and universities of the country, all catalogs and literature are assembled in a special place in the library where they are of easy access.

By studying these catalogs students are often inspired to great effort in their high school work and they will often be able to make a more intelligent selection as well as to arrange their high school course to meet specific requirements.

Two Defeats.

The Thief River Falls high school basketball team journeyed to the towns of Argyle and Stephen last Friday to meet the high school teams of these places on the basketball floor. They journeyed, they played, they lost, and came back home not daunted in spirit but determined to make amends for the defeats, in their future games.

In the game with Argyle the local boys started off in whirlwind fashion, holding Argyle down without a field goal while they themselves garnered nine points. But some fair spectator threw a horseshoe into the Argyle camp during the second half and they tossed in six field baskets with machine gun rapidity for a total of 15 points to Thief River's 13.

As Stephen the boys were out of form and couldn't get together with any consistency whatever, and when the whistle blew at the termination of the game the score stood 21-12, Stephen leading. In this contest Forest Ralston got all of Thief River's twelve points and was easily the star of the contest.

The writer cannot refrain from saying a few words in commendation of the fine treatment extended by Argyle and Stephen while on this trip. It is very gratifying indeed to the visiting team to feel upon leaving a neighboring town that they have received a square deal and courteous treatment. Such treatment tends for good sportsmanship, clean athletics, and raises the standard of not only the community extending it but also the community from which the visiting team comes.

Ella Krohn and Hershel Hanson Win First.

The final home elimination declamatory contest was held in the high school assembly room on Monday evening. The following program was given:

"Amaryllis" .... Girls' Glee Club
The Hungry Gross....Shirley Anderson
The Necklace .... Ella Krohn
The Abolition of War ....

Mr. Quale, Mrs. Larsen and Mrs. Rapacz acted as judges.

All of the contestants did very well and the decision was a close one. The audience was small but appreciative. By an admission fee of ten cents the Dramatic club secured $7.50 for their treasury.

The outcome of this contest determines that Ella Krohn and Hershel Hanson will be the representatives of our school in the district contest to be held soon. Ella Krohn will also be our high school's representative in the Red River Valley district contest which is to be held here Friday evening, January 27.

Ask Webster.

How often we find pupils in our classes who tell us that they know the answer to the question, but that they just can not state it. Oftentimes we know that they know, but they are not able to give expression to their thoughts. This is often due to the fact that their vocabulary is limited. The remedy for this defect is a more frequent use of the dictionary. The time spent in looking up words is more than saved in understanding the lesson. "Knowledge is the key to mystery and study is the key to knowledge."—A Teacher.

Latin Club Meets.

The weekly meeting of the Girls' Superior Latin club was held in Miss Stebbins' room Thursday evening, January 12. *Roll* call was taken and the minutes of the previous meeting read, after which Miss Stebbins spoke to the club. On account of the small attendance and the basketball game at the auditorium, the meeting adjourned for the evening at about 8 o'clock.

A Few Don'ts.

Don't write on the walls because Mr. Rapacz says paint costs money.

Don't leave your books on the radiator and on your desk because they disappear.

Don't whisper because you might be asked to study after four o'clock.

Don't drop your waste paper on the floor because it makes sweeping difficult for the janitors.

Don't leave the windows open after four o'clock. Conserve the fuel.

Don't chew gum in school because you are learning a bad habit.

Don't forget that you must be up to grade in your work before you will be permitted to play basketball.

Don't come tardy because there are few good reasons for tardiness.

Tyson-Ostlund.

Miss Alice Tyson, a member of the class of '24, was united in marriage to Mr. E. Ostlund of Mud Lake. The couple will make their future home at Golden Valley. The sophomore class extends to them their heartiest greetings.

Alumnus Honored.

Our high school was much pleased to learn last week of the recognition of the ability of one of her sons. Morlan Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, is the person in mention. Since his graduation from high school in 1910 he has been steadily climbing until he has just now been appointed assistant cashier in the state treasurer's office. The high school congratulates him and wishes him abundant success in his new position.

Administration's Corner.

Where Does the Money Come From With Which to Run Our Schools?

The principal source of revenue for the maintenance of any public school system in Minnesota is a tax on the assessed valuation of the real estate and the personal property of the district. In a district where the assessed valuation is low, therefore, the tax rate in mills, that is in tenths of a cent on the dollar, must necessarily be high. In a wealthy district where there is much and valuable real or personal property, a low tax rate in mills will bring into the treasury a lot of money. The amount of money needed will necessarily vary with the size of the school, measured in equipment, courses of study, number of pupils, and the number of teachers. An analysis of this item for our district will be made in the next issue of The Progress.

Though, as already explained, the bulk of the money needed is raised by local taxation, the state offers aid in various forms. In the first place, it has a permanent school fund, the interest on which is known as the Endowment Fund. This income amounts to about one and one third millions a year. Then there is a state tax of one mill on all assessed property in the state. The money thus raised is known as the Current School Fund. There is also a county levy of one mill which is known as a part of the District Tax. The above funds are prorated, that is divided equally, among all districts that meet the requirements in accordance with the number of children of school age that have attended school in the district for a period of forty days or more during the school year. In the past several years, this apportionment has amounted to a little more than $4.00 a child. Our district, therefore, which has approximately 1500 pupils meeting this requirement receives, in round numbers, $6000 from this source. Finally, each legislature appropriates certain sums of money to be distributed in accordance with the principles set forth in the following stated purposes:

1. To assist in providing equal educational opportunities for all the school children of the state.
2. To assist in establishing certain generally accepted minimum standards for all the public schools of the state.
3. To assist school districts whose tax levies for maintenance are exceptionally high.
4. To stimulate educational progress by grants of state aid for superior efficiency and high standards and for desirable educational undertakings not yet generally established.
5. To provide for the maintenance of teacher training departments in high schools.

(Next week will give tables showing just to what extent our schools are affected by the above.)

New Meat Market

SPECIAL For Saturday

Pork Sausage, per lb.
12½c

Hamburger, per lb.
12½c

Market Day Specials

Cookies, Cookies, a lb. only	18c
Fancy Peaberry Coffee, reg. 35c, special	28c
Reg. 20c canned Corn, special	14c
Reg. 20c canned Peas, special	14c
Fancy 16 oz. Preserves, reg. 50c, special	38c
Fancy 16 oz. Jellys, reg. 40c, special	32c

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Do not fail to come into our store during the January Market Days and look over our complete stock of furniture. It is impossible for us to quote prices on the numerous articles we handle, but we can supply you with anything in the line of furniture at very attractive prices during these three days.

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City News

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the January Market Days in River Falls. The Biggest Sales vents of the year.—Advertisement.

R. J. Clark of Chisholm spent Monday in the city on business.

Harold Morris of Aurora visited in the city Monday.

Morris Barton of Devils Lake was visitor in the city on Tuesday.

Harry Johnson of Wannaska was in the city Thursday on business.

John Emmanuelson came down from Radium Friday to transact business.

Geo. Sands of Alvarado spent last Thursday in the city on business.

Lynn Halvorson left last week for Duluth, where he will spend a month.

Dr. C. Clark of Greenbush was a visitor here Tuesday.

Miss Blanche Hoff of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg came from Goodridge Friday evening d the basketball game.

uby Jensen of Goodridge he week-end as the guest of and Mrs. C. E. Andrews.

Oscar and C. A. Borklee of Minneota and Roy Lindahl of Clarkfield were visitors in the city on Monday.

Miss Clare O'Hara of Holt visited friends in this city the first of the k.

A. Jacobson came down from Viking the first of the week to spend a few days on business.

Ed. Davidson of Holt spent a short time the first of the week here attending to business matters.

Peter Peterson of Brooten visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

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John Habsler of Gatzke spent a couple of days here last week with friends.

E. Olson came down from Strandquist the latter part of last week to spend a few days on business.

Misses Minnie and Nellie Lananess and Hilma Bergstrom of Strandquist were visitors here on Sunday.

Nick Reiter of the Kleanall left Tuesday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days on business.

Misses Sadie and Lenore Febrow of Red Lake Falls shopped here yesterday between trains.

Mrs. Louis Rosland arrived yesterday afternoon from Holt to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Hulda Gigstad of St. Hilaire shopped here between trains on Saturday.

E. L. Helgeland returned Monday morning from Neillsville, where he had visited his mother over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hamre left last week for Minneapolis, where they will visit friends for an indefinite period.

Miss Amy Severson is spending the week with friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

Miss Esther Lilja left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo, where she will remain for several days with friends.

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J. C. Aure returned Tuesday evening from Hazel, where he had spent a few days on business.

Elmer Zeh arrived Monday morning from Crookston for a two weeks visit with his father, Phil Zeh.

Celestine Strum left Tuesday morning for Steiner to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. Anna Dock returned Monday morning from Crookston, where she had spent the week-end with friends.

Miss Ella Gran left Saturday afternoon for Fargo to spend Sunday with friends.

A. F. LaBudde of Gonvick was in the city Friday evening to witness the basketball game between the locals and the Two Harbors quintet.

Miss Irma Johnson left Saturday afternoon for Crookston and was the guest over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. O. Sampson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt had as guest the latter part of last r. Hunt's father, of Red Lake

d Elefson, who is employed at jewelry store, returned Tuesom ewfolden, where he had a few days with friends.

Miss Elizabeth Harder, who is employed at the Oakland Park sanitorium, spent Tuesday night at St. Hilaire with her parents.

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William Meyer returned to his home at Steiner yesterday morning after a brief visit with relatives in this city.

Miss Alma Eiken, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. John Swedin, returned to her home at Wannaska yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Dahl returned Saturday night from Kendall, Wis., where they spent the holidays with relatives of Mrs. Dahl.

Miss Mary Bendle, who has been employed in this city, left yesterday for her home at Red Lake Falls to remain indefinitely.

Miss Albina Doucet, ticket cashier at the Soo, left yesterday afternoon via the Great Northern for Crookston to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Ruth Sandstrom returned the latter part of last week from Plummer, where she had been employed for a short time.

Orville Herron and Harold Arneson attended the basketball game between Two Harbors and Crookston at the latter place Saturday night.

Mrs. J. M. Thorstad and daughter, Florence, returned to their home at Lockhart the latter part of last week after a visit with friends here.

is now in Pennsylvania to attend the funeral of his father, who passed away Jan. 6.

Rev. R. L. Barackman, until recently pastor of the Presbyterian church here, now residing at Lincoln, Kan.,

Mrs. Albert Johnson, Burr Oaks farm, has been confined to her home the past two weeks because of illness.

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Mrs. Ira C. Richardson returned this week from Elgin, where she had been present at the funeral of her husband, the late Ira C. Richardson.

Mrs. L. F. Fisher left this afternoon for Grand Forks, where she was called by the serious illness of her grandmother.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank, left last evening for a brief business trip to the twin cities.

David Evenson, who received a wound in his arm through the accidental discharge of a gun while hunting rabbits, is able to be around again.

Wayne Richardson, who had been here to attend the funeral of his father, Ira C. Richardson, left yesterday on his return to his home at Yakima, Wash.

Mrs. A. Booren and daughter, Miss Olive, left last night for Plummer to visit at the home of the former's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Booren, for a short time.

Charles, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Parenteau, was on Monday operated on for appendicitis at the Physicians hospital. He is reported as getting along nicely.

Miss Paula Amend, nurse at the Physicians hospital, left Tuesday for Cologne, Wis., to visit her parents for a month before going to Minneapolis to complete her training.

Mrs. Julia Nelson, who had been confined at the Physicians hospital for three weeks, returned to her home at Holt yesterday very much improved in health.

Mrs. I. L. Cohn and little daughter, Betty, who had visited relatives in St. Paul and Minneapolis since the holidays, returned to their home here Sunday morning.

"Red" Plummer, Ray Kiland, Roy Brown and Chas. Munn were among those who witnessed the basketball game between Crookston and Two Harbors Saturday evening.

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Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy and son Leslie returned to their home at Steiner Saturday morning after a brief visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Kisch.

Morlan Bishop, who resigned his position with the state banking department, left Sunday night for St. Paul to begin his new duties as assistant cashier in the state treasurer's office.

Mrs. J. C. Kelley returned to her home at Devils Lake, N. D., Saturday afternoon having visited at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, since New Year's.

We offer some real bargains in modern dry cleaning for Jan. 23, 24 and 25. See our ad in this issue of The Times. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. So.—J-19—Advertisement.

CLEAN UP—Jan. 23, 24, 25. We have reduced prices on dry cleaning and pressing many articles. Look for our ad; it is in this issue. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. So. —J-19—Advertisement.

We have big reductions Jan. 28, 24 and 25 on dry cleaning many staple articles. See our ad. elsewhere in this issue. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. So.—J-19—Advertisement.

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Hans Wick of Grygla was here Monday on his way to Valley City, N. D., to remain during the trial of William Gummer for the murder of Miss Marie Wick in a Fargo hotel last June.

BIG REDUCTIONS Jan. 23, 24 and 25 on dry cleaning and pressing many articles. You will find a full explanation in our ad which appears in this issue. Thief River Dress Club, 102 Main Ave. S.—J-19—Advertisement.

O. J. Johnson of Grygla spent Tuesday in the city, leaving on the Great Northern in the afternoon for Valley City, N. D., to appear as a witness in the trial of William Gummer for the murder of Miss Marie Wick.

Roy Louden, who was engaged by the local basketball team to play during the Two Harbors games, returned to his home at Cambridge Friday. He will return Friday to play with his home team against the local aggregation.

A. S. Sapero returned Monday evening from Chisholm and St. Paul. At the former city he visited his parents and a brother and sister who leave soon for California to remain during the winter. They may decide to remain permanently in the West if they find things to their liking.

E. M. Korstad leaves this morning for the Red Lake agency for the purpose of helping his brother, Karl, who is engaged in business there, during a particularly heavy rush. His position as steward at the Elks' club is being looked after by Ed. Hill during his absence.

County Auditor T. P. Anderson left the first of the week for St. Paul to attend the meetings of county auditors and others with members of the Minnesota Tax commission. Matters pertaining to taxes and tax collections will be taken up, discussed and explained from all angles. Mr. Anderson expected to be gone about ten days.

Churches

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, Jan. 22, "Truth." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open also for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge.

H. Lutz, Pastor

Sunday, Jan. 22: German services at Esplee at 10 a. m. English services at Grygla at 3 p. m. Holy communion will be celebrated in both services.

Thorvick Church.

O. I. Rasum, Pastor

Services in Thorvick Sunday at 11 a. m. The Y. P. S. will meet at Mr. Jopprue's place at 2 p. m.

Ev. Luth. Augustana Church.

Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services Sunday in the Swedish language at 10:30. Evening service at 7:45 in English. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45. The Willing Workers will be entertained by the Knutson family, 723 Duluth avenue north, on Friday evening, Jan. 20. Ladies' Aid and Luther League entertained by Mrs. Frank Carlson in church basement Wednesday afternoon and evening, Jan. 25.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.

O. J. Lundell, Pastor

Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m., prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Eric Soderberg, Markley avenue north. Friday, Bible study at 8 p. m. The Young People's Covenant of the Mission churches of North Red River Valley will hold its mid-winter conference here Jan. 28 and 29. Several visiting pastors are expected and a large attendance of young people anticipated. Services Sunday, Jan. 22, at Black River 11 a. m. At St. Hilaire 7:30 p. m. Come and be welcome.

Evangelistic Meetings.

Continue every evening at 7:30 this week and next week, except Saturdays, in the Swedish Baptist church, corner of Markley and Schuneman. Sunday services at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited. A. A. Ohm and L. O. Williams.

Trinity Lutheran Church.

T. E. Sweger, Pastor.

Trinity Ladies' Aid this Thursday afternoon, entertained by Mesdames Olaf Ramstad, James Sether, O. C. Hanson and Severt Benson. Semi-annual election of officers of the Young People's League this evening. Mesdames Louis Veveu, Adolph Williamson and T. E. Sweger entertain. Confirmation class Saturday, 10 a. m., at the parsonage. Divine service in Norwegian 11 a. m. and English 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Parents without church homes are cordially invited to send their children.

St. John's Lutheran Church.

E. H. Kreidt, Pastor.

German services Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school 11:30. The Ladies' Aid in the country meets on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Geo. Geske.

Zion Lutheran Church.

George Larson, Pastor

Services by the pastor 11 a. m. Afternoon services at Rindal 3 p. m. Evening services, city, by Rev. Bredeson, 7:45 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid on Thursday, the 26th, 2 p. m., entertained by Hans Peterson and Soren Bergland. Zion Young People's meeting Thursday, the 26th; Annie and George Aspelund entertain. All are invited. The confirmants meet every Saturday afternoon, 2 p. m., at the parsonage. Sunday school and Bible class Sunday, 10 a. m.

Scandinavian Evan. Church.

Bot Nyborg, Pastor.

Services Sunday, the 22nd, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Next Wednesday Bible study meeting at 7:30 p. m. You are cordially welcome.

Presbyterian Church.

Rev. McLeod of Duluth will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church next Sunday forenoon and evening. Sunday school at 9:45; preaching service at 11 o'clock; Junior Endeavor meeting at 3; Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.; evening service at 8.

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Obituary

Lorinda Ardith Jenson.

Lorinda Ardith, 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph J. Jenson, 615 Dewey avenue, died on Jan. 17, following an operation for appendicitis. Funeral services will be held on Friday at the Trinity church with Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating.

Frank Tabor.

The death of Frank Tabor of Holt occurred on Monday at the Physicians hospital. The cause of death was carcinoma of the stomach and bowels. Deceased was 61 years old.

Tom K. Hovet.

Tom K. Hovet, prominent resident of St. Hilaire, passed away on Jan. 16 from appendicitis. Deceased was in the grain business at St. Hilaire and was 45 years of age at the time of his death. Burial took place at St. Hilaire yesterday.

Ole Rogne.

Last Saturday occurred the death of Ole Rogne, well known farmer of Norden township, at the age of 62 years. Deceased had been a resident of this community for the past 40 years. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the chapel of Larson's undertaking rooms, with Rev. T. E. Sweger, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, in charge. Interment will take place at Greenwood.

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OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

This is a great year for the poor. The government has removed the luxury tax from steam yachts.

Just because the moonshine made in Baudette lives only a few days, don't get the idea that it is weak.

If the C. N. R. cuts off any more trains, the Region will have to come to the rescue and build a few more railroads.

You will generally find Baudette at the top or thereabouts. It is even located at the top of the United States.

When we look over our subscription list it is hard to believe that man is made of dust.

You've probably noticed that when a lad says that he knows where he can dig up a bottle of real old stuff he always gets a big audience to listen to the sordid details.

There isn't much sickness in Baudette this year aside from the severe pains many of us feel in the vicinity of the pocketbook.

The M. W. A., R. N. A. and I. O. O. F. all had big meetings this week, but I. O. U. is still leading all organizations in town when it comes to membership.

There are many recipes to cure hard times, but wearing a funeral face isn't one of them. Perk up.

One thing we refuse to lose a night's sleep over is the dispute of the Hill heirs over Jim's millions. There are still 67 installments due on our typesetting machine.

Judging by the number of divorces granted to wives in Minneapolis and St. Paul, many women are looking for new men. It appears to be a habit with them. Even when a wife doesn't want a divorce she tries to make a new man out of the one she has.

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Market Day Specials

Beginning Monday, Jan. 23rd, for 3 days only

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Gossard Brassiers
Values to 75c
39c

Gossard Corsets
Values to $5.50
Special
$1.95

More New Dresses
In TRICOTINE
Go on Sale at
$15.95

Wool Heather Hose
in Brown and Green
98c

Georgette Crepe Waists
Values to $8.50
Special
$4.95

MARKET DAY
FOR MONDAY ONLY
SILK and WOOL LADIES' DRESSES
Values to $25.00
While they last only
$8.95
25 Dresses in this lot.

MARKET DAY
FOR TUESDAY ONLY
WOMEN'S FALL and WINTER SUITS
25 Suits in the lot—Values to $98.50
While they last only
$25.00
Fur trimmed and untrimmed Suits in all styles and sizes.

MARKET DAY
FOR WEDNESDAY ONLY
GINGHAM and PERCALE APRONS
Values to $2.25
For Wednesday Only
$1.00

Plaid Skirts
in all wool VELOURS
Special at
$5 and $9.75

Ladies' Slip-over Sweaters
at
$1.00

Pure Silk Hose
"Everwear" Brand
98c
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Ladies' Coats
50 in all—New Styles
Fur collars and Untrimmed—Values to $45.00—Special
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$19.15 $25.00 $27.50 $29.50 and $35.00

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GROCERY
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Cut Loaf Sugar, lb.	10c
100 lb. Sack Granulated Sugar	$6.20
Cranberries, lb.	20c
Fresh Creamery Butter	35c
Armour Oats, large size	27c
Home Brand Oats, large size	25c
Peanut Butter, lb.	15c
7 lb. Box Soda Crackers lb.	12c
Navy Beans, hand picked lb.	6c
Shelled Popcorn, 4 lbs.	25c
Sweet Corn, can	11c
Apples, paper wrapped, box	$2.50
Mixed Nuts, lb.	25c
White House Coffee lb.	42c
Yeast	9c
Lanes Lye, 13c; 2 for	25c
3 lb. Carton Salt	9c
Old Dutch Cleanser	10c
Jap Rose Soap	9c
Palmolive Soap 9c; 3 for	25c
Arm and Hammer Soda	9c
Bird's-eye Matches	6c
Snuff	9c
Calumet Baking Powder, lb. can	30c
Sardines in oil	5c
Argo Gloss Starch	10c
Home Cornstarch	9c

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PRESENT STATUS OF RED LAKE DRAINAGE PROJECT

Editor Times:

I am advised that Mr. Reed, drainage engineer of the U. S. Indian bureau, expects to send Red Lake drainage report recently submitted by Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy Board to Commissioner of Indian Bureau C. H. Burke today with his recommendations. Early action by Commissioner Burke is hoped for. Viewers on Red Lake project will be appointed when final plans are approved by the Interior and War departments. Ever since Feb. 21, 1921, when congress passed the Red Lake bill, active work has been put on Red Lake project. It was materially expedited when the legislature on April 19 last appropriated funds for the surveys.

On Oct. 28 a preliminary hearing was held at Bemidji and on Nov. 22 and 23 a conference with the Indian Bureau officials was held at Washington. On account of the meager data regarding Red lake itself and the run-off area, George W. Walker, chief engineer, and Adolph F. Meyer, consulting engineer, have had to go forward very carefully in order to be sure of their ground.

Following the Washington conference, Mr. Meyer prepared his report, which was submitted Dec. 31, 1921. It is a lengthy one, including over 16 pages with 16 maps and diagrams.

Without doubt the Washington officials will submit their decision as soon as it is possible for them to do so.

C. G. SELVIG, President.
Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy Board.
Crookston, Jan. 18, 1922.

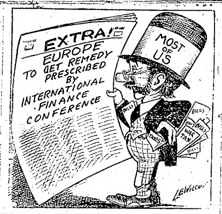
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ASKS PROTECTION FOR ANIMALS IN WINTER

Editor T. R. Falls Times,

Dear Sir: Your paper having a large circulation, and being extensively read, I hope you will kindly give space to a brief article in behalf of our dumb friends, the domestic animals of the farms. A season of the year is now at hand when many domestic animals are facing a period of more or less severe suffering and neglect. The writer of this letter was born on a farm and has lived there all his life so that he feels that he is tolerably conversant with winter conditions facing domestic animals on some farms. When we say "some" farms we do so purposely, because happily the conditions mentioned in this letter are found only on a few farms. Most people whether on the farm or in the city, have enough decency and humanity to take care of their animals. However there are some everywhere who seem to be utterly devoid of all instincts of humanity and decency, when it comes to taking care of their animals. This article and the statements made herein are based, not upon guess or hearsay, but upon actual observations. It is written not from malice or spite, not out of personal animosity, but in the hope that it may help to awaken the public conscience, so that these conditions may be removed, and life made a little easier for our domestic animals. What needs to be done is to arouse and awaken every neighborhood, so that they will no longer tolerate such conditions in their midst. If our newspapers will only take hold and give the matter a little publicity, conditions will soon improve.

This letter is written with conditions on some farms in mind because the writer is best acquainted with conditions on the farm. It will no doubt apply to conditions in the city too in just as many cases.

I am not going to deal with the question of food or not enough food for the animals, because that is something that cannot always be helped. People have to live according to their means, and domestic animals according to the means of their owners. However most people can give their animals at least reasonable protection and shelter against the weather. At least they can always let the animals have the use and benefit of what shelter there is on the place. There is absolutely no excuse for having domestic animals standing outside in the yard, or along the sheltered side of a barn, with their backs arched up like a new moon. There is one and only one reason for such conditions where they exist. People who have their animals standing outside all day, during the winter, when they don't care to be outside themselves, are simply too lazy to do the extra cleaning in the barns, and too conscienceless to care for the suffering of their animals.

It is not an altogether uncommon sight to see horses and cattle turned out, early in the morning, even on cold winter days, and left to shift for themselves all day as best they can. It is not such a rare sight to see horses and cattle wandering around the yard on cold winter days until late at night. Now, why do animals have to suffer in such a way on some farms? Why is it that some people will keep their animals outside all day, when it is so cold they don't care to stand around outside themselves? What can it be except laziness, or an utter indifference to the sufferings of animals?

Frequently, habitually, on some farms, cattle have to sleep outside on the cold, frozen ground, even in rain and snow until far into the month of November. Even this last fall, during the snowfall in the early part of November, there were cattle that had to sleep outside. Think these matters over; do such things happen in your neighborhood? Can you have much respect for people who will treat their animals in such a way?

The writer has lived in northern Minnesota about thirty years, and remembers two or three instances of seeing horses and cattel turned out early Sunday forenoon, on cold, bitter winter days. At noon the folks would go visiting at some neighbors, where they would sit and gossip and play cards until late at night. During all afternoon until dark the plaintive bellowing of the cattle could be heard, as they stood around outside. Gossiping away the day, sitting next to a warm fire, while at home the helpless animals stood outside in the cold. Fine people is it not? When one sees instances like this, is it any wonder that one feels tempted to wish for the return of the whipping post of old colonial days? Anyone who has kept his eyes open knows that on some farms it is no uncommon sight to see the farmer, dressed in his sheepskin coat or vest, turn his cattle out of the barn, and then hurry back into the house because he thinks it is too cold to work outside. He does not wish to be outside himself, but he does not care about his animals.

Cruelty of this sort is not confined to horses and cattle. On farms where one animal suffers, you will generally find that they are all mistreated. As a rule the cat and the dog are generally kicked out to shift for themselves, even in the coldest of weather. Not even is care exercised to see that they get into the barn, and if they don't happen to be around when the barn is closed for the night they are simply left outside without the slightest thought or consideration. What do such people care if pussy's ears are frozen off and Rover's paws frost-bitten, so long as their own precious hide is warm in bed. Some people want to keep cats and dogs, often a whole circus of them, but they absolutely will not go to the trouble of taking care of them. You can see cats and dogs with nothing but the skin and bones everywhere, on the farms and in the cities and they are living skeletons just simply because some one wants to keep them, but does not want to feed them or take care of them in any way. There are some people like that in every neighborhood. Look and you will find them.

Neither is it an uncommon occurrence to find chickens lying dead under their roosts on cold winter mornings, on some farms, and in all likelihood in our cities too once in a while. There are people who like to have eggs to sell and eat, but who feel that any kind of shelter is good enough for the hen. She isn't worth a great deal like a horse or a cow, so what is the difference. Cheaper to put a bunch of chickens alone in a henhouse, that they can't possibly keep warm, and so let them freeze and perhaps drop dead under their perch, than to build or fix up a warm and comfortable place for them. Too much bother to keep them free from vermin and so they have to sit all winter by themselves in some shack, instead of having them in the barn with the rest of the animals, where it would be warm.

These are some common forms of cruelty to animals that you will find on some farms. They are so common that we do not always notice them. They are not as a rule caused by a lack of means, because all farms as a rule have shelter for their animals. Why then are animals left to stand outside without the benefit of what shelter there is on the place? Why is it so hard for some people to go to a little extra work and fix up the buildings for their animals? Is it because of laziness or is it because of a lack of principle or conscience?

We have laws in regard to cruelty to animals, but so far as the more common forms of cruelty to animals are concerned, the law has been allowed to sleep. County attorneys, sheriffs, constables and the public at large have ignored the matter and allowed it to go on. The press and the pulpit have rarely mentioned the subject. In many communities where the coarser forms of cruelty to animals would be immediately prosecuted, exposure to cold and snow are *passed up without much comment.*

Are things going to continue in this way? Is it not time that the public conscience was aroused and that we heard from the press on the subject. You women folks now have the right to vote and can make yourself felt. Take hold of this matter in your clubs and see what can be done. If you don't believe these conditions exist, look around in your own neighborhood and chances are that you will find them. You will see horses and cattle standing outside in the yard when you would not think of being outside yourself. You will see cats running around minus their ears, and dogs jumping around on three legs, squealing to get in. You will hear of chickens being found dead under their roosts on cold winter mornings, simply because their owner will not have them in the barn with the other animals, and will not fix up a warm place for them.

Now when you read this don't get hot under the collar. It has no personal object, but is written for the benefit of our domestic animals. The question is not whether you like this letter or not. The person who will use his animals in the way I have indicated will not like publicity. He will not like to have his neighbors notice what he is doing. He is a disgrace to the neighborhood and a detriment to the agricultural industry and the sooner we get rid of him the better. This letter is not written to please him. The question is whether or not conditions are as I have indicated. If so, is it a fair and decent way to treat a helpless animal? Give the matter a little [illegible] thought [illegible] eyes open and see what is going on in your community during the winters.

I hope the Times will kindly give space to this letter and that the press will generally take hold of this matter. It is not a pleasant subject to deal with but it is a necessary one. Let us have some searching publicity and discussion of this subject and conditions will soon improve.

Very truly yours,
F. J. MASON
Middle River, Minn.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday are the January Market Days in Thief River Falls. The Biggest Sales Events of the year.—Advertisement.

Central School Notes.

During the Christmas vacation some of the eighth grade girls went to the hospital and the poor house to bring Christmas greetings by singing Christmas carols and presenting gifts. This was on Christmas afternoon.

The seventh and eighth grades were pleasantly entertained by Mr. Bischoff, who sang and played a number of songs on Friday afternoon, January 13.

Julia Johnson and Clara Bucholz have not returned to school since the Christmas vacation.

The eighth grade pupils are writing their semester examinations.

We are sorry to learn that John Wallen is very sick.

Knox News Notes.

Minnie Bakke of Fairfield has enrolled in the sixth grade.

Madelyn Connely and Thelma Shafer have been absent all week on account of sickness. We shall be glad to see them back.

The new building is greatly enjoyed by all of us. Although we sometimes are a little bewildered by the comfort and convenience, still it is not an uncomfortable feeling.

Agnes Angell and Vilda Dahl are absent from school because of small pox in their homes.

Francis Evenson, who is a pupil in the fifth grade, is ill at the hospital. The English class wrote letters to him on Thursday and described the new building, of which we are very proud.

Leonella Angell is absent from school on account of illness at her home.

Mrs. Harry Schuster, Mrs. Osen and Miss Lyla Schuster visited in Miss Melby's room on Thursday.

Gladys Larsen, who has been attending the fourth grade at the Knox [illegible]

Ray Carlson of the fourth grade has moved to Virginia.

Florence Fox, who has been receiving medical treatment in Minneapolis for her eyes, returned to school this week.

Northrop News.

Miss Sandum's third grade won the pennant on second floor for marching.

LeRoy Allan entered third grade Monday. He attended school in Minneapolis before Christmas.

The fifth grade finished the Robin Hood Stories Monday and received new readers.

The Normal training girls completed their work in the fifth grade language Friday.

The Normal training girls have completed their six weeks of work in Miss Murat's room.

Harriet Engebretson has been absent from second grade the last two days.

Esther Ness and Ernest Cork have been absent all week on account of illness.

The girls proved themselves the best spellers in the last spell-down in Miss O'Neill's sixth grade.

The Normal girls have successfully completed their practice teaching in the second, fourth and fifth grades.

County Superintendent Gunderson visited school Thursday and Friday morning.

Mrs. Mogensen and Mrs. Kelley visited Mrs. Eyde's room on Friday.

Elva Anderson enrolled in the sixth grade on Monday, Jan. 9.

Bonnie Allan enrolled in Mrs. Eyde's first grade on Monday.

The pennant for good marching in the lower grades was won by the second grade.

Mr. Gunderson has been visiting the Northrup. He was especially interested in observing the Normal Training girls who will be the future teachers of Pennington county.

Washington Notes.

Lucille Larson has been transferred from the first grade of the Knox to the first grade of the Washington.

The first grade has been hearing stories about the Tree Dwellers and The Early Cave Men.

The second grade won the marching pennant for the week.

The second grade has begun the study of the Eskimos.

The normal girls began teaching geography in the sixth grade on Monday.

The pupils of the sixth grade are having a contest in arithmetic.

Robert Poston left for his home at Hibbing, Minn., where he will attend [illegible]

The normal girls have finished six weeks of teaching in language and [illegible] in Miss Poston's fourth grade department.

Lorrayne Engler of the fifth grade is spending the winter months in California.

The Normal girls started the teaching of geography in the fifth grade this week.

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Barley	.37
Oats	.23
Rye	.61
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.00
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bag	1.20
Whole corn, 100 lb. bag	1.15
Oil Meal	3.40
Bran and Shorts	1.20
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.10
Old Roosters	.04
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Turkeys, No. 1, alive	.20
Turkeys, No. 1 dressed	.30
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.15
Potatoes, per cwt.	1.60
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.25
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.38
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7c
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

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Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Thief River Falls. No Thief River Falls resident who suffers backache, or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice-told testimony.

E. L. Krogstad, railroad brakeman, 523 State Ave., N., Thief River Falls, gave the following statement Nov. 30, 1917: "When I was living up in the Roaring River district, the hard water disordered my kidneys. Every morning I woke up with a terrible pain through my kidneys and my back became weak and lame. It hurt me to stoop or bend in any way and my kidneys acted irregularly. I began using Doan's Kidney Pills and they fixed me up in such good shape that I haven't been troubled since."

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10 qt. Flaring Tin Pails, tinned ears, good wire bale, black enamel handles	15c
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$1.00 Myers Sewing Awl. Used for repairing auto tops, carpets, grain bags, shoes, etc.	85c
$15.00 Universal 4-heat Electric Grill. Will broil, stew, fry and toast. Cooks meal for 2 or 3 persons right on table	$10.75
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$1.75 Willow Clothes Baskets, wide top, close woven	$1.40
Weather Strips, easy to apply with tacks, keep out the cold, 3 for	25c
No. 2-0 Toggle Cow Ties	30c

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Ladies' fur sets (white) cleaned	2.00
Ladies' fur sets (colored) cleaned	1.50
Ladies' white kid gloves (short) cleaned	.10
Ladies' white kid gloves (long) cleaned	.20
Men's suits, cleaned and pressed	1.00
Men's cloth overcoats, cleaned and pressed	1.00
Men's neckties, cleaned and pressed	.10
Men's felt hats, cleaned and reblocked	.75
Bath robes, cleaned and pressed	1.00
Comforters, cleaned and steamed	1.00
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All articles not listed above will be charged for at regular prices. Ladies' serge dresses and suits that are pleated will be accepted but an extra charge will be made to cover cost of additional labor in pressing pleats. We do repairing, relining, etc., at reasonable prices. We also do box and knife pleating on new materials.

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2 EXTRA PERIODS NEEDED TO DECIDE SATURDAY'S GAME

Two Harbors the Victor But Given the Hardest Tussle of Their Entire Career.

Nothing but the hardest kind of luck prevented the Thief River Falls Athletics from taking one of the games against Two Harbors last week. In the first contest, played on Friday night, the home boys seemed to stand just a little in awe of the visitors, particularly during the first half. Coming back with more confidence they played a good game and although defeated by a score of 19 to 28, put up an exhibition that added much to their reputation and gave rise to the hope that the second game might turn out differently.

It nearly did. The Athletics started out scoring within a few minutes after the game opened and kept up to such good purpose that when the half closed they were slightly in the lead. Fine team work on both sides characterized this part of the game and while the visitors' time after time started plays that looked as if they would prove successful in breaking down the defense of the locals, the latter always managed to have something in reserve that upset the calculations. Louden, the tall center borrowed from Excelsior for this series, failed to get his bearings in the first game, but proved a tower of strength in the second. His fine work helped materially in keeping the visitors from scoring while his shooting eye showed a great improvement over the previous evening. Plummer for some reason did not make as good a showing as in some of his previous games, particularly when it came to locating the hoop. Carlson played a good consistent game and had it not been for an accident that put him out of the contest just before the visitors made their last and winning basket the result might have been different.

In the opinion of a good many observers the two guards, Holzknecht and Brown, were the stars of the entertainment. The former was favoring a bum ankle, acquired in practice, but he seemed to forget the handicap and if anything added just a little to his usual speed. Brown is at all times a bulldog sort of performer, never letting up on his man once he has managed to get a line on what the other fellow is trying to do. They make a great team and it is very probable that they have not always received full credit for their exceptional work.

Two extra periods were required to settle the fight on Saturday night. At the end of the second half the score stood 25 to 25. Five minutes of extra play was agreed upon but no score for either side resulted. Another similar period was ordered and both teams started in to make the winning basket. At this critical period Carlson went out by the injury route which no doubt had its effect on the playing of the rest of the bunch. Two Harbors made a spurt that landed the ball near their goal and managed to cage a shot when the period had only about two minutes to go.

It was a great game and kept the fans on their feet most of the time. The visitors admitted that it was one of the hottest contests in which they have played this year and praised the locals highly for the quality of basketball they are putting up.

The Cambridge team comes for two games on Friday and Saturday and next will be a contest with the Crookston team in that city. That the latter will prove something of a gasp-producer may be inferred from the fact that Two Harbors defeated Crookston on Saturday night by practically the same margin as the locals were downed, the score there being 25 and 26, but with no extra periods. Crookston defeated Cambridge by close scores in two games the first of the week, but the latter was winner over Bemidji last night by a score of 31 to 19.

Union Labor is Menaced Say Federation Officials

There was a good turnout of union labor men at the mass meeting held in the auditorium last Saturday evening, when E. G. Hall, president of the state federation, and J. J. Manning, field representative of the label division of the American Federation of Labor, were the speakers. Mr. Hall spoke on union labor topics generally, maintaining that organization on the part of the workers was more than ever a necessity as the big employers of the country have banded themselves together for the purpose of opposing the aims of the workers at every turn. The wedge that it to prove the undoing of all that has been achieved by union labor for the American workman is the open shop, said the speaker, and he maintained that the so-called "American Plan" of those who are carrying on the campaign in its favor is essentially un-American. In its last analysis the open shop means taking away from the laboring man the right to bargain collectively with the employer, he said, leaving the individual to deal with organized capital at every turn. He urged upon the workers the necessity for sticking more closely than ever to union principles and making a fight for their constitutional rights.

Mr. Manning spoke on the value of the union label in the fight being waged by the working man. He said that this emblem attached to an article of any kind assured the purchaser that it had been produced under conditions such as all Americans can approve and was a guarantee of quality in workmanship. He asked his hearers to see that the label was on every article of whatsoever kind they might be purchasing, as in this way can the union principle best be advanced.

Will Sell Tags to Help Blind Persons in State

A committee of the Woman's club, with Mrs. A. S. Sopero as chairman, will conduct a tag sale next Saturday for the purpose of raising money for the Minnesota State Organization of the Blind. The general impression is that the state, through its institutions, already is taking care of those who have lost their sight, but such is not the case. According to the last census report there are 1600 men and women in Minnesota for whom the schools can do nothing as no one over 21 years of age is admitted to these institutions. Out of the total number more than 1,200 lost their sight after maturity and were thus left without any possible means of gaining a livelihood. The desire is to raise $60,000 by popular subscription for an industrial home, to be located somewhere near the twin cities. Here the pursuits suitable for the blind will be taught, thus providing an agency for making them self-supporting. Cabinet making, piano tuning, typewriting and the operation of machinery will be among the branches taught, as well as a number of others in which the blind make splendid progress after special training.

A general canvass will be made and small contributions looked for. The committee would rather have a large number of dimes and quarters than a few donations for large sums. It is a matter in which the people should be interested and this tag sale is therefore statewide.

Assumes Former Position.

H. M. Olson, who recently returned from Minneapolis where he had resided about a year, is again employed at the Oen Mercantile company store, his particular field of operations being the clothing department. Mr. Olson is a young man who has made rapid strides in mastering the merchandising game since he first entered the employ of the company and will prove a valuable addition to the store organization.

Steenerson Asks About Fictitious Freight Rates

Charges that "fictitious" freight rates are charged on dairy supplies and agricultural implements shipped to certain points in Minnesota were made in a resolution introduced Monday by Representative Halvor Steenerson.

The measure requests President Harding to transmit to the house all information in his possession or in the possession of the interstate commerce commission "relative to the alleged practice of charging freight on butter tubs made and shipped from Duluth and other points in Minnesota to Red River valley points in Minnesota, plus freight from Elgin, Ill., and also relative to the practice of charging freight on agricultural machinery shipped from points west of Pittsburgh to points in Minnesota, plus freight from Pittsburgh."

The president is asked to inform the house "by what legal or other authority such discriminatory practices are upheld and fictitious freight rates permitted to be charged."

Supports State's Contention.

Congressman Steenerson, at the request of Ivan Bowen, member of the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission, on Monday submitted to the attorney general of the United States an argument in support of the state contention that the stockyards act does not take away from the state the right to continue to do the weighing and feeding of the livestock coming into the yards at South St. Paul. The secretary of agriculture recently turned over this question to the department of justice.

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The Thief River Falls Times has already purchased the Buick Touring Car, the Ford Touring Car, the Victor Phonograph, Diamond Rings and the Gold Watches to be given away at the close of this Campaign to the person finishing with the highest number of "Credits" respectively.

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R. H. ROSS,
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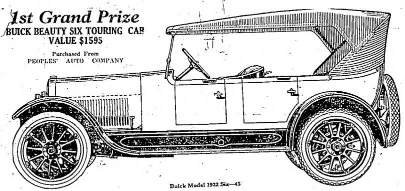

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2nd Grand Prize

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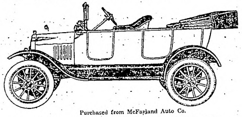

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A cash prize of Twenty-five dollars in Gold has been set aside and will be given to the person that nominates the winner of the Buick Beauty Six Touring Car. Sure, you can nominate yourself and when you have made the Buick "YOUR BUICK" you will receive the $25 in Gold. You can't afford to pass up such a wonderful opportunity as this no matter how busy you think you are. Never again will you be offered the opportunity to win a $1595 automobile as easy as you can in the Thief River Falls Times Salesmanship Campaign. Fill in the Coupon Below Now. Don't put it off another minute.

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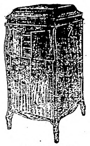

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There isn't any secret as to how the Big Beautiful Buick "Six" and the 1922 Ford Touring car, along with the other prizes listed in The Thief River Falls Times Big Salesmanship Campaign, will be given away. Free "Credits" will win the wonderful gifts and there is no reason in the world why you cannot gather these "Credits" just as well as the next one. Free "Credits" will be allowed on all subscriptions to The Thief River Falls Times. The person who finishes the Campaign March 18th with the highest number of "Credits" will receive the Big Buick Beauty Six Touring Car. The person who finishes the campaign with the second highest number of "Credits" will receive the 1922 Ford. And so on down the list. Fill in the Coupon and make your start now.

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The Thief River Falls Times:

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10% COMMISSION.

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My name is ____

My address is ____

Only one enrollment will be credited to each contestant. If more than one person nominate the same person the first enrollment received at the office of the Campaign Manager will be accepted towards winning the $25 offered for nominating the winner of the Buick Beauty Six.

Society and Club

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

About 75 interested citizens attended the meeting of the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. Christ Storholm on Tuesday afternoon. The second anniversary of the national constitutional prohibition victory was fittingly observed by splendid talks and papers by the members.

Rev. Clinton Cook in his talk spoke of the wonderful progress made in temperance work since the time of the international convention which he attended in Portland many years ago, at which time Miss Lillian Stevens was the world president.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop's address on the subject, "Shall Law be Sovereign in the United States?" was listened to intently, comment among those present indicating that she had struck the keynote of the whole matter. The speaker made it clear that unless individuals themselves took a public stand for what is right and for law enforcement that little could be accomplished. The entire subject was handled in a masterful manner and showed that the speaker had gone into the matter thoroughly.

Too much cannot be said for the untiring efforts put forth by the president, Mrs. James O. Sether, in making the local organization the success that it is today. In the course of Mrs. Sether's remarks on Tuesday she quoted the following words:

"Wherever Old Glory flows, where the liquor traffic lives, if it lives at all, it lives like an outlaw, a thing to be hunted, cursed and hounded."

Students' Musical.

The third of a series of recitals by the pupils of Mrs. C. O. Erickson will be given at her home tomorrow afternoon at 4:30. The numbers to be played are as follows:

"The Ambitious Pupil" ——Spaulding
Mildred Remmem
"On Patrol" ——Loeb-Evans
Lena Amon
"The Water Sprites" ——Heller
Herbert Keene
"The Swallows" ——Nollock
Lucille Larson
"May Night" ——Ward
Elizabeth DeCremer
"Dancing Days" ——Schick
Phyllis Dock
"Jack and Jill" ——Spaulding
Rose Sheedy
"Touch Me Not" ——Bughee
Luellen Baton
"The Grasshopper" ——Richards
Florence Fox
"Off to the Country" ——Felton
Edward Kiland
"Southern Melody" ——Garth
Katherine Bakke
"Majestic March" (duet) ——Grerdekee
Irene Hanson, Helen Griebstein

Rebekahs Install.

The Rebekah lodge held its installation ceremonies on Thursday evening, Jan. 12, at the Odd Fellows' hall. The installing officers, Mrs. Mary Farr, Mrs. Mathilda Norquist, Mrs. Cora Morgan, Mrs. Laura Gasow and Mrs. Holmes were assisted by Mrs. Esther Rolland, Mrs. Lillian Whiting, Mrs. Eva Angell and Mrs. Martha Larson. The officers installed for the ensuing year were: Past Grand, Mrs. Anna Robinson; Noble Grand, Mrs. Clara Johnson; Vice Grand, Miss Myrtle Blair; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Nellie Cronstrom; Financial Secretary, Miss Clara Gullingsrud; Treasurer, Mrs. Kittie Anderson; Chaplain, Mrs. Clara Blomquist; right supporter to Noble Grand, Mrs. Laura Gasow; left supporter to Noble Grand, Mrs. Josephina Clausen; right supporter to Vice Grand, Mrs. Mae Stenberg; left supporter to Vice Grand, Miss Lylabelle Schuster; outside guardian, Mrs. Lillian Whiting; inside guardian Miss Lena Lonson. After the installation ceremonies, dancing and cards became the diversion, followed by refreshments.

Advanced Pupils Entertained.

The advanced class in piano was entertained by their teacher, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, at her home Tuesday evening. Progressive whist was played at three tables. Doris Richter won first prize while Palma Langseth held low count. At the conclusion of the game dancing was enjoyed. During the evening Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher sang. At 11 o'clock dainty refreshments were served. The guests were Misses Lucille Burns, Frances Wengler, Doris Richter, Palma Langseth, Eileen Herron, Ruth Knutson, Florence Rychard, Rosamond Nordvi, Lois Wold, Ruby Bennes, Adelyne LaBree, Evangeline Burns, Gladys Anderson, Mrs. A. Campbell, Mrs. L. F. Fisher and S. Carl Sundahl.

Woman's Club to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held in the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, Jan. 23. At this time Mrs. O. F. Mellby will play a piano solo. Mrs. J. M. Bishop, county chairman of the child welfare board, will give a talk on "The Child Labor Question." A short program on modern photography will be in charge of Mrs. A. M. Heggan and Mrs. L. H. Lawrence. Current events will be led by Mrs. W. J. LaBree. The account in last week's issue of the club meeting stated that Mrs. Stanton told of the state federated clubs as well as the branches, which was incorrect. Mrs. Daniel Shaw gave a very interesting paper on the organization and work of the state federated clubs.

Prenuptial Events.

The following item of interest locally was taken from the Minneapolis Tribune. Mr. Gamble, whose marriage to Miss Edith Schibsby will take place on Monday, Jan. 23, is connected with the Gamble-Robinson company here. They will take up their residence at 721 Main avenue north, in a house recently purchased.

"Mrs. Harrison G. Dickey of Pillsbury avenue will entertain at a bridge party tomorrow afternoon in compliment to Miss Edith Schibsby, daughter of Mr. Michael Schibsby. Miss Schibsby's marriage to Mr. Donald Gamble, son of Mr. and Mrs. David F. Gamble, will be solemnized Jan. 23 at St. Mark's church.

"Mrs. Frederick Tearse entertained at a bridge party yesterday in compliment to Miss Schibsby. Cards were played at three tables.

"Mr. and Mrs. Earl P. Gillette will be hosts at a buffet supper Saturday evening at their home, complimenting Miss Schibsby and her fiance.

"Friday afternoon a kitchen shower for Miss Schibsby will be given by Mrs. Winston B. Newell at her home."

Royal Neighbor Installation.

The Royal Neighbors held an open installation last evening, followed by a fancy drill put on by the degree team. About one hundred couples were present to share the social time and dance. During the evening lunch was served. Mrs. Hattie Manther, installing officer, and Mrs. Laura Barden, ceremonial marshal, were in charge and installed the following officers: Bessie Robinson, oracle; Clara Gullingsrud, vice oracle; Ethel McClelland, past oracle; Bessie Knight, chancellor; Mrs. Richardson, rec[illegible]er; Abbie Wassgren, rec[illegible]; Blanche Protz, marshal; [illegible] Gentz, associate marshal; Fannie Protz, manager; Emma [illegible], inner sentinel; Vera Carlson, outer sentinel; Alice Erickson, Hattie Holstrom, Marie Tolland, Irene Smith and Marie Carlson, Graces.

For Miss Petrie.

About thirty people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Murphy last evening in compliment to Capt. Florence Petrie of the Salvation Army, who is leaving the city. Music and games furnished the entertainment. A delightful lunch concluded the party. Those present were Capt. Florence Petrie, Lieut. E. Hobson, Olga Strum, Morland Strum, Evelyn Saugen, Celestine Strum, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strum, Harry Paulson, Melvina Comstock, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Comstock, G. Gustin, Agnes Koglin, Laura Strum, Kathleen Strum, Thea Saugen, Linda Koglin, Emil Koglin, Edna Northrup, Mr. and Mrs. Northrup, Florence Murphy, Mrs. Wescott, Mabel Olson, Mrs. Lampher, E. M. Britten.

Anniversary Party.

A number of young ladies were guests of Mrs. M. H. Connelly and Miss Esther Warner at the latter's home Monday evening on the event of their birthday anniversaries. Progressive whist became the diversion and three tables were in play. High count was won by Miss Esther Soards while Miss Florence Rychard received the low score. The guests were the Misses Rose Severson, Esther Soards, Effie Christianson, Alma Thune, Isabelle Richter, Louise Majeres, Mrs. Archie Dahl, Mrs. S. J. Swanson, Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht and Mrs. P. G. Peterson.

Entertains.

Sixteen boys and girls from the Freshman class were guests of Robert Halvorson on Saturday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson. Progressive buncho was in play at four tables. A delicious lunch was served by the host's mother before the guests departure.

Legion-Auxiliary Party.

Members of the Elmer Eklund post of the American Legion and also of the Woman's Auxiliary, enjoyed a social time at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening. Cards and dancing furnished the entertainment which was followed by the service of an excellent lunch. Miss Theone Walker and Alfred Dybvik furnished the music for dancing.

Elks Have Reception.

The Elks gave a dancing party at their club rooms on Friday evening following the basketball game with the members of both teams as guests. A three piece orchestra furnished an excellent program of music. H. W. Protzeller extended a welcome speech to the visitors to which Mr. Strand, captain of the Two Harbors aggregation, responded with very befitting talk, expressing appreciation of the treatment received while in this city.

Surprise Anniversary Party.

Mrs. Annie Mearow was delightfully surprised by twelve of her lady friends Thursday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Lonson, 510 Knight avenue north, where they gathered to assist her in celebrating her 82nd birthday. After a pleasant afternoon spent at needlework, an excellent lunch was served.

Birthday Anniversary.

About 25 ladies met at the home of Mrs. Anna Langseth Sunday afternoon, later proceeding to the home of Mrs. J. L. Magnussen for the purpose of helping the latter's mother, Mrs. A. C. Hanson, celebrate her birthday anniversary. After an afternoon of visiting, a sumptuous lunch brought by the ladies was served.

Share Honors at Bridge.

Mrs. N. K. Harris and Mrs. Ila Reynolds shared honors at a bridge party given on Tuesday evening. Four [illegible] were in play. Mrs. T. L. Melgaard won high score while Mrs. E. M. Stanton held low count. At the conclusion of the game a delicious lunch was served.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, Jan. 23, at eight o'clock. There will be a business session and the usual good time will follow. All members are urged to be present.

U. C. T. Smoker.

Following the regular meeting of the U. C. T. lodge at the Masonic hall on Saturday evening, the members enjoyed a smoker.

Hanson-Thoreson.

Justin Hanson and Miss Selma Thoreson, both of Erie, were married in this city yesterday at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage, with Rev. T. E. Sweger officiating. Gilbert Thoreson and Miss Olga Vad acted as witnesses. The young couple will reside on a farm near Erie.

Dinner Party.

Mrs. A. S. Sapero entertained a company of friends at dinner at her home last evening on the occasion of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Sapero.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. C. O. Erickson entertained a number of friends at progressive whist at her home Tuesday evening. There were guests for three tables.

BANK JOB ON DAY HE GRADUATES

E. M. Anderson, now with the Citizens National Bank of Crosby, is by no means the first student of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., to get a bank position the day he graduated. Here's why. Northwestern bankers know that D. B. C. graduates need little "breaking in"—that actual banking methods, as well as text-books, are taught in this unusual school. Indeed, some 218 bank officers are themselves "Dakota" graduates.

"Follow the Successful" and take their advice as to what school to attend. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

North St. Louis County People Want Highway to This City and Red Lakes

(From Cook, Minn., Journal.)

Senator Fred Bessette and wife of Orr spent Christmas with relatives at Bemidji, and while there the senator addressed the Bemidji Commercial club, explaining the merits of the land-clearing law he succeeded in having enacted at the last session of the legislature. This measure met with the hearty approval of the commercial club of that place.

Senator Bessette sounded that body on the proposition of a state Babcock highway from Cook west through the Bear river and Big Fork countries to Northome, thence west on the south side of Red lake to Thief River Falls, where it would connect with state highways No. 32 and 33.

Senator Bessette immediately discovered that the proposition was a live one and has not only the hearty endorsement of that body but the commercial bodies in the western part of the state as well as the range cities.

While there Senator Bessette had a conference with the secretary of the commercial club, who will take up the matter with commercial bodies in the western part of the state, and with Secretary Saxby at Hibbing, of the Northern Minnesota Development association, and a delegate convention will be held at Bemidji in the near future for the purpose of organizing a "Steel-to-Wheat" highway association.

The purpose of this organization of the commercial bodies and various civic bodies in the northern part of the state in a compact organization to use its influence in having the Steel-to-Wheat highway added to the state highway system by the legislature at its next session.

The value of this highway cannot be estimated, as it would traverse a part of the state that has several thousand farmers who have practically no outlet to markets, besides it would make an opening to the hundreds of thousands of acres of idle lands in the northern part of the state.

Cook being practically the eastern terminal of such road and gateway to the Vermilion lake resorts, would be strictly on the map.

The Journal near the close of the last session of the legislature, when the Babcock bill was before it, took up the project of this east and west highway across the northern part of the state with the several commercial bodies along the proposed route, with favorable replies. It was not deemed advisable to embarass the consideration of the Babcock measure and it was thought best to drop it for the time being. However, in our correspondence, at the suggestion of George J. Francis, the genial cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank of Cook we used the title of "Steel to Wheat Highway," which promises to be its permanent title.

In view of our position and the benefits derived, Cook should organize unit No. 1 of the Steel-to-Wheat Highway association.

Red Lake Falls Man is Accused of Bootlegging

Ed. J. Keifenheim of Red Lake Falls was bound over to the grand jury Thursday by Justice E. G. Buse on the charge of selling a pint of moonshine to Wm. Phillon of the same city. Justice Buse's action followed a preliminary hearing that consumed the better part of two days. The complaint was signed by Mr. Phillon, who charged that he was made drunk by the liquor he says he purchased.

County Attorney Fred L. Farley conducted the case for the prosecution, while Boughton & Boughton represented the defense. The prosecution introduced the evidence of the complainant and of Jos. St. Martin and Herbert Porter, age 19, who swore they both bought moonshine from Keifenheim. Percy Miller, age 16, witness for the state, testified that he had assisted in securing liquor for Phillon. The defendant took the stand on his own behalf, as did his father, John Keifenheim, and Jos. Sobeck. The grand jury to act in the matter will assemble at the March term of the Red Lake county district court.

There was so much local interest in the case that it was necessary to transfer the hearing to the big court room.

ONE OF OUR TROUBLES.

Warroad Pioneer: A few years ago much Canadian money was spent in Warroad, by trainmen and other transients from north of the line. Then came the difference in value, and the Canadians bought only what they absolutely had to have here, because their dollars were worth only 80 cents. Now the difference is getting smaller, and the Canadian trade is reviving somewhat. Everyone here has hopes to see the two kinds of dollars at par again. This is an illustration on a small scale of what has happened to our trade with all the world. It may tickle our vanity to have our money worth more than that of other nations, but it doesn't get us any business.

"Only One Thing Breaks My Cold"

THE relief that Dr. King's New Discovery gives from stubborn old colds, and onrushing new ones, grippe and throat-torturing coughs has made it the standard remedy it is today. Time-tried for fifty years and never more popular than today. No harmful drugs.

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Jan. 23-24-25

Men's Suits, French dry-cleaned and pressed
$1.00

Ladies' plain Suits, cleaned and pressed
$1.00

Do not fail to take advantage of this opportunity.

The Kleanall Co.
Ladies' and Gent's Tailors.

Interest from Jan. 1st

OPEN your Savings Account with this bank on any of the Market Days, [illegible] 23rd 24th and 25th, or if you already have a Savings Account, prepare to make additional deposits during that time.

We will allow 5% interest, compounded quarterly, from January 1st on all deposits made in our Savings Department during the January Market Days.

The First National Bank
Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits
$100,000.00.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

DOUBLE your savings—it CAN be done.

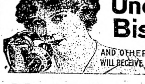

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Uneeda Biscuit
AND OTHER GROCERIES WILL RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION

Market Day Specials

Sugar, 16 lbs.	$1.00
98 lb. Mascot Flour	$3.60
49 lb. Mascot Flour	$1.80
Fresh Lake Superior Herring, per lb.	.05
Cocoa, 2 lbs.	.25
Cocoanut, shredded, per lb.	.30
Pancake Flour, 3 pkgs.	.25
Corn Puffs, 4 for	.30
3 1-lb. pkgs. McMurry's Cornstarch	.25
Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder, 1 lb. pkg.	.28

City Meat Market
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Phone 10.
Free Delivery to all parts of the city.

Extraordinary Values

We are offering unequalled values in the articles advertised below for

Market Days, Jan. 23-24-25

Take advantage of the big reductions as the values are exceptional.

Underwear

Men's heavy fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers	47c
Men's wool-mixed Union Suits, values to $3.00	$1.45
Men's heavy all-wool Union Suits	$3.19
Boys' fleece-lined Union Suits	65c
Men's pure wool Shirts and Drawers	$1.95
Men's heavy wool Sox	27c
Men's heavy wool Sweaters	$1.95
Fine grade of Flannel Shirt	$2.19
Men's Winter Caps, $2.00 and $2.50	95c
One lot of Overcoats, values to $35.00 Market Days special	$18.85
One lot of Overcoats, values to $45 Market Days special	$28.85

Pants

Men's Wool Pants, regular $4.50 values	$2.95
One lot of Boys' Pants, values to $2.00 Your choice	95c
Men's striped Dress Pants	$2.95

Boys' Suits

Fine quality, all-wool Boys' blue serge Suit	$6.85
One lot of Boys' Suits, sizes 6 to 18 serges included	$4.85

Extra Special Offering in Suits

Pure wool Suit, hard finish that will hold its shape, in greys and browns. Also heavy weight blue serge	$26.45
One lot of Suits, special for Market Days	$17.85

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HOME OF HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX GOOD CLOTHES

Personal Property Tax List For 1921

TOWN OF BRAY, PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINN.

Total Tax Rate By School Districts.

Including State, County, Town or Village and School District Levies.
School District No. 7, Mills 39.4.
School District No. 69, Mills 32.9.
School District No. 10, Mills 30.5.
School District No. 140, Mills 31.6.
School District No. 180, Mills 31.3.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation—	Assessed Value Personal Property	Money and Credits	Amt. of Tax
Anderson, C. A. & F.	597		$ 18.21
Akerlund Bros. & Helder	627		19.63
Adolphson, Chas	278		9.15
Appelman, M.	323		10.02
Ault, Mike	190		7.96
Belmke, John T.	219		7.21
Bovy, R. R.	112		4.41
Cork, Dell	78		3.00
Danilu Gust	314	$1300	14.92
Hanson, Halvor	640		20.03
Hanson, Henry	186		5.82
Hawkenson, Harry	339		11.24
Hackett, Paul	241		7.35
Hegstrom, A. P.	335	600	12.20
Johnson, Iver A. H.	331		10.30
Langellet, A. D.	290		11.43
Larson, Emil est.	225		7.01
Larson, Emil est.	629		19.69
Lindblom, Henry	34		1.06
Lindblom, Peter	901		28.20
Lindquist, C. A.	977		32.18
Lindquist, G. A.	310		10.73
Luttner, Henry	833		27.41
Nelson, C. A.	484		19.07
Nyborg, J. O.	423		13.14
Oudin, Halvor	71		2.50
Olson, Selmer N.	337		10.55
Osgood, Ed.	235		9.26
Person, Christ	403	3500	23.70
Rux Bros.	458		14.34
Sander, Roy	528		20.80
Curnz, John	572		17.90
Scholin, Swan	30	1000	4.19
Scholin, August	198		6.43
Scholin, Victor	219		7.21
Swanson, John O.	362		11.33
Stomberg, John	392		12.20
Wood, Melvin H.	355		11.11
Wood, Mervin	314		12.37
Scholin, John	323		10.03
Akerlund, Ernest J.		7000	21.00
Swanson, Mrs. C. P.		500	1.60

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER, PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINN.

Total Tax Rate By School Districts.

Including State, County, Town or Village and School District Levies.
School District No. 1, Mills 50.0.
School District No. 43, Mills 38.5.
School District No. 64, Mills 38.8.
School District No. 102, Mills 48.4.
School District No. 108, Mills 37.5.
(Rates of Taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

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TOWN OF SILVERTON.

Total Tax Rate By School Districts.

Including State, County, Town or Village and School District Levies.

School District No. 28, Mills 43.
School District No. 30, Mills 58.0.
School District No. 42, Mills 48.5.
School District No. 53, Mills 53.8.
School District No. 55, Mills 47.0.
(Rates of taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation— Assessed Value Personal Property — Money and Credits — Amt. of Tax

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TOWN OF WYANDOTTE

Total Tax Rate By School Districts.

Including State, County, Town or Village and School District Levies.

School District No. 6, Mills 53.3.
School District No. 55, Mills 52.0.
School District No. 15, Mills 41.5.
School District No. 18, Mills 41.1.
(Rates of taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation— Assessed Value Personal Property — Money and Credits — Amt. of Tax

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CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Total Tax Rate By School Districts.

Including State, County, Town or Village and School District Levies.

School District No. 18, Mills 104.1.
(Rates of taxation on Money and Credits 30 cents per $100.)

Name of Person, Firm or Corporation— Assessed Value Personal Property — Money and Credits — Amt. of Tax

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TOWN OF STAR.

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VILLAGE OF GOODRIDGE

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VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

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Legal Notices

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Thompson Family Entertains.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, at their home in town last Saturday evening, pleasantly entertained sixteen of their friends at a combination whist and rummy party. Cards were played at four tables and the prizes distributed as follows: First prize for whist, a bag of whole wheat flour to F. G. Dols; Whist "booby" prize, package of cherry high-balls to Chester Dols; First prize in rummy, box of candy to Miss Delma Dols. Dols and L. L. Furan scored a high tie in whist, which was determined in a three-handed game of rummy and captured by the former. The play ended at midnight and was followed by a delicious luncheon, served by the hostess. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Mr. and Mrs. Benhard Ranum, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols, Miss Gena Aos, L. L. Furan, Joel Shoberg, Thor Sevaldson, Fred Stafford, Olof Opseth, Ben and John Ranum, Chester and Delma Dols.

Holms Family Surprised.

Cashier and Mrs. A. S. Holm were tendered a surprise last Monday evening. The family expects to leave next week for their former home in Twin Valley. About fifty persons were present. The evening was very pleasantly spent in various ways and at midnight a dainty luncheon which was brought by the ladies was served. A cut-glass water set was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Holm as a remembrance from their friends at Rosewood. Mr. Ranum thanked them for all commercial connections and social pleasures that they had shared during their two years at Rosewood and Mr. Holm responded, expressing his regret at leaving his friends just now and was thankful for all their kindness, which although greatly appreciated could not be fully reciprocated and ended by introducing his successor, O. S. Hellerud and Mrs. Hellerud and expressed it as his belief that the Helleruds would fully come up to expectations and would be found good social mixers and as trustworthy and reliable as anyone. The party was arranged by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson.

New Well on Soo Property.

Math Olson, a Soo employee with headquarters at Fordville, N. D., was in town last Saturday looking over a suitable site for the sinking of a well for the stockyards and other purposes at Rosewood. The well will be drilled by the company's machinery sometime in the spring and will contain a four-inch casing and the necessary pumping apparatus. It will be bored just outside the stockyards. It will be a much needed accessory here as during the last year the watering of the stock shipped has brought about much inconvenience, and in many instances has been hauled with team.

Miss Gladys Swenson, who has been employed at the Herbert Carlson store the past five months, left for Thief River Falls last Saturday evening where she will work at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Severn Brandon. The latter being ill and expects to leave for the Twin Cities for medical treatment. There will be no new clerk at Carlson's for the time being.

Annie Blomberg, Esther Thoreson, Howard Carlson and Henry Carlson, left Saturday evening to spend Sunday with friends and relatives at Thief River Falls.

Revs. Geo. Larson of Thief River Falls and Pederson of Fosston, spent Saturday in town and vicinity to gather funds for a young womans' home that will be erected by their church denomination.

Misses Judith Laudro and Corine Skrumstad of Thief River Falls spent Monday here as guests of Miss Gladys Swenson, returning home in the evening.

Miss Clara Sorenson of Thief River Falls, spent Saturday at Rosewood, visiting with friends and relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. K. Ranum returned last Saturday from Euclid where she has been visiting since Christmas with friends and relatives.

Miss Mildred Remmem of Thief River Falls was a between trains visitor at the Anton Gullseth home last Saturday.

Mrs. Per Person, who has been visiting with the Ben Petterson family for three months, left last Saturday for Fergus Falls where she will visit with a brother for some time before returning to her home at Harding, Montana.

Miss Ellen Fellman, teacher at Willowdale, went to Thief River Falls on Friday evening to spend Sunday with her folks.

Miss Lyda Batten, teacher at Central school, Thief River Falls, returned to her duties on Friday evening after a brief visit with her folks north of town.

Mrs. L. H. Aos returned to her home at Gully on Friday after a week's visit with her brother, James Thompson and family.

Mrs. T. Mellem, who has spent the past week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard at Viking, came home on Friday evening.

Miss Tena Westby left on Monday evening for Duluth where she will take the place of her sister Nina, who has been employed there since last summer and came home Thursday.

Mesdames E. J. Backlund and daughter Sylvia, and A. B. Remmem, spent Wednesday in town as guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Anton Gullseth and family.

Miss Cora Sevaldson went to Warren on Wednesday morning where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. O. Johnson for some time.

Sigurd Rafteseth spent Friday on business at Warren to purchase an engine for wood sawing and similar purposes.

I wish to announce that after March 1st, 1922, I will be the authorized agent of the Fashion Trimmed Hat Co., of St. Louis, Mo., and will carry a very fine line of the best in ladies' ready-trimmed hats for spring and summer. Plan to buy your new hat here and I will save you money. Remmem's Bargain store. Advertisement.

A cash sale will be staged at Remmem's Bargain store on Wednesdays Jan. 25 and Feb. 1st, when everything in the store will be sold at reduced prices ranging from 2 to 50 per cent. Free Caldwell Red Label coffee and cookies will be served all day on Jan. 25. Notice some of the reductions: Children's sweaters and men's caps at 25 per cent off; Harness oil, 15 per cent off; Ingersoll watches 25 per cent off; Clocks and rings, 10 per cent off, and other goods in proportion. I need the cash and will sacrifice on the goods in order to raise the money. John Remmem, Prop. Advertisement

P. Sorenson left on Wednesday evening on a business trip to Thief River Falls, returning on Friday morning.

William Rud and Ingvid Lundgren of Viking, were in town on a brief call on their way to Thief River Falls.

E. J. Backlund of Thief River Falls, agent of the Nathan M. Strom Calendar Co., of Chicago, was in town last Thursday on business with the local merchants.

A carload of wheat was shipped from the H. & B. elevator last Monday.

NUMEDAL

Mrs. Inga Peterson of Angus visited at the Elias Joringdal home last week.

Thure and Hjalmer Blomberg autoed to Thief River Falls Thursday.

Miss Isabel Wasdie was a weekend visitor at the Joe Oanes home.

Miss Effie Joringdal left on Saturday for Newfolden after visiting for two weeks with the home folks.

Melvin and Clarence Joringdal called at the Joe Oandes home Friday evening.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning were Viking callers Thursday evening.

Hjalmer and Ed Blomberg called at the Soren Knutson home on Thursday evening.

Richard Joringdal left Saturday for Thief River Falls, having spent a three weeks vacation with his home folks.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning called at the Blomberg home Saturday.

Oscar Olson called at Olaf Larson's Saturday.

Melvin and Mrs. Elias Joringdal visited at Chas. Johnson's Sunday.

Albert Forslund was at Viking on Friday loading a car of hay.

Tommy Joringdal was a Sunday visitor at the Blomberg home.

George Bugge was busy sawing wood last week.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Knute and Otto Knutson went to Goodridge on Monday, returning the same day.

A party was held at Emerchn's on Saturday evening.

Paul Peterson has been hauling wood from the sand ridge.

S. O. Quammen and family visited at the home of Adolph Jorde on Sunday.

Thorwald Knutson was absent from school Friday on account of illness.

Gus Hillyer and Dan Dowacter were business callers at Holt Monday.

Adolph Jorde is busy hauling hay to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson of Drake, N. D., spent a week at the home of Tom Jacobson, returning to their home Saturday morning. Mr. Hanson is a nephew of Mrs. Jacobson.

REINER

Members of the E. Grimley family were pleasantly entertained at the J. Stenvik home last Sunday, the occasion being Reuben Stenvik's birthday.

Rev. Hoyum left Thursday for Thief River Falls.

O. A. Olson and family were visitors at Elmer Vraa's last Sunday.

Mrs. Theo. Nelson visited with Mrs. S. Johnson Sunday evening.

Constance Aakre left Tuesday for Thief River Falls to have some dental work done.

Mrs. J. Race, Jr., was pleasantly surprised in the form of a parcel shower last Wednesday afternoon by a number of her lady friends. A dainty lunch was brought and served after a social hour.

Mr. Komplien of Erie transacted business in Reiner last Saturday.

Miss Rebecca Hunt returned to her home at Red Lake Falls Tuesday after a visit at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunt.

OEN'S
Real Sale
WILL END
Wednesday, Jan 25
Come and enjoy our low prices during Market Days.
Oen Mercantile Co.

THIEF RIVER CLINIC
DR. O. F. MELLBY
DR. H. W. FROEHLICH
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Surgery and Obstetrics
DR. L. F. FISHER
Internal Medicine and X-Ray
OFFICE
CITIZENS BANK BLDG.

SUGGESTIONS
We are forced to believe that even little suggestions carry great power. Last month we mentioned wall board and what a splendid time to make repairs. It brought results as several decided to make an extra room upstairs.
Why not paint some walls and floors? You can find most anything used in buildings right here.
The Prichard Co.
LUMBER & FUEL DEALERS

FARM BUREAU ASKS CUT IN MACHINERY

Lower Prices Are Public Necessity, Farmer Delegation Tells Board of Control.

Prices on farm machinery manufactured at the state penitentiary must be drastically reduced, representatives of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation told the state board of control at a conference last week.

The demand for reduction in farm machinery prices was one of the first acts of the new farm bureau administration. The delegation representing the farmers was headed by J. F. Reed, new president of the state federation, and included F. F. Lammers, vice president, and J. J. Jacobson, George Freeman, Thomas Cashman and J. D. Pyle, directors.

The farmers' dollar is worth only 61 cents in comparison with the price of products he has to buy, the farm bureau representatives said. Prosperity cannot be restored until the price of machinery and other commodities the farmer must purchase is brought down somewhere near the value of the things he has to sell, they declared. The penitentiary, a public institution serving the whole state, is now supported entirely by the farmers, Mr. Reed said. He argued that machinery prices should be cut and all citizens, if necessary, share the expense of maintaining the prison. The machinery plant was established originally to compete with private manufacturers and compel the mto charge a reasonable price, the farmers pointed out. A drastic price cut is necessary, they said, to make the prison machinery plant a real competitor with private firms and carry out the intent of the law.

Married Women May Hold Jobs in Postal Service

A new ruling by the postmaster general is of interest to married women who might wish to become employes in the postal service, and also to those now in the service who might decide to get married. Heretofore only single women have been permitted to hold positions under the regulations of the department but the new order makes no distinction. This information was received this week by T. S. Brokke, clerk of the civil service commission in this city. It means that any person of either sex may hereafter take the required examinations and, if otherwise qualified, the fact of a woman's being married will not act as a bar to her appointment.

Bridge Railings Are Bad For Little Girls' Tongues

There is one little girl in this city who will never again try to warm up a steel bridge railing with her tongue in the winter time. She is none the worse for her first attempt, but any desire to make further investigations along this line has effectively been checked.

Two residents of the East Side approaching the First street bridge on Sunday morning were met by a girl about eight years old who was in a great state of excitement over the plight of her sister, perhaps two years her junior, who was frozen fast to the railing at the other end of the bridge. The men hurried to the spot and found the youngster unable to release herself, her tongue being held by the frozen metal. While one took off his gloves and attempted to heat up the spot with his bare hand the other went to the drug store of Andrew Bottelson for some water. The prisoner was rescued and never uttered a peep to indicate that she was either frightened or hurt. A few drops of blood, however, showed that the skin had been punctured.

HIS BACK IS UP.

Louisville Courier-Journal: Politicians always have told the farmer he was the backbone of the nation, and just now members of congress find that the backbone's back is up as a result of the failure of politicians to prove their love by loyalty.

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale on my farm 3½ miles south of Thief River Falls and 3½ miles north of St. Hilaire on Jefferson Highway on

MONDAY, JAN. 23

Commencing at 1:30 p. m. the following personal property:

4 EXTRA GOOD FARM HORSES

One grey mare, 11 years old, weight 1600 lbs.
One grey mare, 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
One sorrel mare, 10 years old, weight 1500 lbs.
One brown horse, 8 years old, weight 1300 lbs.

FARM MACHINERY

One 10-foot E-B Shoe Drill.
One 10-foot International disc harrow with tongue truck.
One 4-section wood lever harrow, 20 ft.
One 14-inch E-B gang plow.
One J. D. Tower surface cultivator.
One truck wagon with 28-inch box and spring seat.
(All the above implements are nearly new and in A No. 1 good condition)
Two sets work harness, one nearly new.
Four tons timothy hay in stack.
Some clover hay in stack.
Some ear corn.

AT THE SAME TIME JOHN G. CLEMENS WILL SELL

One 7-foot Milwaukee binder, in good running order.
One milch cow giving good flow of milk, will freshen in September.
One extra good Poland brood sow, bred.
Some extra choice timothy hay in barn.
Some ear corn.
1,000 Ears Minnesota No. 23 choice seed corn.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit to Nov. 1, 1922, with bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date of sale will be given.

Fred Clemens, Owner
John G. Clemens, Manager

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Clerk
W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Dry pole wood in piles. Also dry cord wood, sawed if desired. Phone 8-F-210. Ness Bros. 50p

FOR SALE—80 acres one and one-half miles north of Rosewood. New buildings in good condition. 40 acres in field. John Ranum, Rosewood, Minn. 1p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 185. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
H. H. FALLMAN, St. Hilaire, Minn. 25tf

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—One large black moleskin overcoat, sheepskin lined, and one 25-caliber Marlin rifle. Inquire 615 Dewey Ave. 52p

FOR SALE—Registered Shorthorn bull at a bargain. John P. Johnson, Rhoda, Minn. 51

HAY FOR SALE—Both wild and timothy hay in the stack for sale on Section 17, Smiley township. Inquire of J. M. Thelge, Rt. 3, Thief River Falls. 50

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms, all modern and nicely furnished, 119 St. Paul Ave. S., Phone 332-J. 50tf

FOR RENT—Modern room, 602 Main avenue north. 49tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, at 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 263. 51p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 210 Times. 50tf

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 301 Times. 50tf

WANTED—Clean cotton rags free from buttons and hooks. Highest prices paid. Times Office.

LOST

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—My Water Spaniel dog disappeared on Jan. 6. Reward for his return. J. J. Vorachek. 50p

LOST—Black woolen scarf with two orange colored stripes at ends, at Zion Lutheran church. Finder please return to Times office. 50p

LOST—Near Standard Oil Service Station, a corduroy sheepskin coat. Finder return to Times office or notify John Swenson, St. Hilaire Rt. 1. 51p

MISCELLANEOUS

OLD MIRRORS—Made new or new ones to fit old frames. See the plates or address Chas. W. Leach, 213 Knight Ave. south. 50

TO TRADE—160 acres McLean Co., North Dakota land to trade for residence property in Thief River Falls. What have you to offer? Phone 330. 51p

WANTED—A young mother who is employed a few hours each day would like a clean, respectable home for her three-year-old son, where she could room nights. Call 607-J. 50

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 8p

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Ole L. Ottum and Lottie Ottum, his wife, mortgagors, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 23rd day of November, 1911, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of November, 1914, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 132, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby the total sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-one and 89-100 Dollars ($1331.89) as follows: The sum of $885.02 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage and the sum of $446.87 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The West Half (W½) of Section No. Twenty-nine (29), in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range No. Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 28th day of January, 1922, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1331.89, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 14th, 1921.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

Estate of Jon Jonsson Baner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonsson Baner, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Hans Baner.

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 15th day of July, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated January 13, 1922.

LARS BACKE,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
(J-19-26-F-2)

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of thirty-two hundred twenty-six & 67-100 ($3226.67) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Augustine V. De For, Mortgagor, to John Bratrud, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1915, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 41 of Mortgages, on page 491.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Bratrud, Mortgagee, to Betsey and Alma Bratrud by written assignment dated the 5th day of April, 1915 and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 12th day of January, 1922, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 65 of Mortgages, on page 163.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26) Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-five (45), containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof in Pennington county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 11th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of ($3226.67) and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 10th, A. D. 1922.

BETSEY BRATRUD and
ALMA BADEAUX,
(formerly Alma Bratrud),
Assignee and present holder of mortgage.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
McGinn Bldg., Thief River Falls, Minn.
(J-19-26-F-2-9-16-23).

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Charles Palmer, a widower, Mortgagor, to the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of August, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of September, 1918, at 8 o'clock A. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages on page 471.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit: The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-two (22) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof, and situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging; such sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred Fifty-eight and 15-100 ($958.15) Dollars, and interest from date hereof, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from date of sale as provided by law.

Dated December 13th, 1921.

FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE
BANK OF THIEF RIVER FALLS,
MINNESOTA, Mortgagee.
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Anders L. Kjos, a single man, Mortgagor, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of March, 1918, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1918, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages on page 367; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay one installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay the sum of $30.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $1,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on March 28, 1921; and.

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on March 29, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $30.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest on said prior Mortgage paid by the Mortgagee, with interest thereupon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $78.25, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½NW¼), Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SW¼NW¼), Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼SW¼), of Section Thirty-six (36), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), North of Range Thirty-nine (39), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $78.25, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF
RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Ole T. Bratland and Tilda Bratland, his wife, Mortgagors, to Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls, a corporation, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1919, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of January, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in Book 61 of Mortgages, on page 424; and,

Whereas, such default consists in the failure of said Mortgagor to pay an installment in the sum of $15.00 which became due upon said Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and, further, in the failure of said Mortgagors to pay the sum of $165.00 interest upon a prior Mortgage in the principal sum of $3,000.00 upon and covering the premises hereinafter described, which interest became due and payable upon such prior Mortgage on December 1, 1921; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee did on December 2, 1921, pay such interest due as aforesaid on said prior Mortgage; and,

Whereas, said Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare, the whole principal sums remaining unpaid upon said Mortgage first above described, to-wit, the sum of $135.00, to be due and payable; and,

Whereas, there is now claimed to be due, and is due, on said Mortgage, at the date of this notice, inclusive of such interest thereon as provided in said Mortgage, the total sum of $345.35, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots One (1), and Two (2), and the South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½NE¼), of Section One (1), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), North of Range Forty (40), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, and State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said County of Pennington, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $345.35, and interest thereon from the date hereof to the date of sale, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and $25.00 attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 7, 1921.

CITIZENS STATE BANK OF THIEF
RIVER FALLS, MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-15-22-29-J-5-12-19

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seven Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-six and 29-100 ($7396.29) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of December, 1916, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 262.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) by written assignment dated the 5th day of January, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 12th day of January, 1917, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 66 of Mortgages, on page 311.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 16th day of December, 1921, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages, on page 612, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $7396.29, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 19th, A. D. 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN
MILLING COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

GIVEN CREDIT FOR BUSINESS LOSSES IN INCOME TAX DEAL

Important Ruling Should Be Studied By Merchants in Filing Income Report.

Specific attention of all taxpayers is called to a new provision in this year's law which allows the taxpayer to take credit for any loss in business sustained in the year 1921 or any subsequent year, in the income tax return rendered in the two succeeding years in which a profit was made. For example, a concern or individual whose business operations at the close of business Dec. 31, 1921, showed a loss of $2,000, would make out a return disclosing that loss, and if at the close of business in 1922 he found that he had a profit of $1,000 on which he would have to pay tax he could then set up as a credit against this $1,000, part of the loss sustained in 1921. The balance of $1,000 could be used as a credit against any profit made in 1923. A taxpayer can readily see why he should by all means file a return this year and disclose his loss in order that he may be on record and thereby secure the advantage of gaining a credit in the two succeeding years as allowed him in the event he makes a profit during those years.

Small business concerns doing a business of $5,000 or over during the past year must file a return and are liable to a heavy penalty for failure to do so, regardless of the fact that they may have no profit large enough on which to pay tax, or eve though they suffered a loss. Further information regarding the new law may be obtained from representatives of the government, who will be sent to each community to explain the workings of the law.

The act provides that a married person, living with husband or wife, whose net income for 1921 was $5,000 or less, shall be allowed a personal exemption of $2,500. If the net income of such person was over $5,000, the exemption is $2,000. Under the revenue act of 1918 the personal exemption allowed a married person was $2,000, regardless of the amount of net income. The normal tax rate remains unchanged, 4 per cent on the first $4,000 of net income, above the exemptions, and 8 per cent on the remaining net income.

Too Much Newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dalquist, who are spending the winter in California, sent The Times a copy of the Midwinter number of the Los Angeles Times, one of the largest issues ever turned out by any paper in the history of the country. There are 272 pages altogether, largely devoted to Los Angeles and California topics. It is a great production but there is too much of it for perusal at this distance.

Rural School Spelling Contest at Winter Show

Abel Svobodny and Frances Hincik represented the rural schools of Pennington county in the 1921 Red River valley rural school spelling contest. This year another contest will be held for which boys and girls are now busily preparing.

The annual contest is held during the Winter shows and Northwest School Farmers' Week meeting at Crookston, which come this year from Feb. 6 to 10. A committee was appointed by the Northwestern Minnesota Educational association to have charge of this event, including County Superintendents E. K. Sampson, Ada; N. A. Thorson, Crookston, and Erba Pouliot, Red Lake Falls. The rural school spell-down will be held on Feb. 10, lasting all day, with the final oral spell-down taking place in the armory in the evening as a regular part of the farmers' week program. Cash prizes will be given to the best spellers in the 11 valley counties in addition to free railway fare.

Two other contests held in connection with this big week are the declamatory and essay writing competitions.

TIDEWATER SCHEME IS GIVEN APPROVAL

Expected That Construction of Giant Enterprise Will Be Begun in Short Time.

Approval is given the proposed Great Lakes-St. Lawrence waterway by the international joint commission in its report, which has been transmitted to the American state department and the Canadian government.

The report will be transmitted in a few days by the state department to congress, and it is said that inasmuch as consideration of the project was undertaken by the commission at the direction of congress, the report will not be made public until submitted to congress.

The commission, it was learned, however, has unanimously approved the project, which contemplates construction of a deep waterway from the Great Lakes to the ocean, through the St. Lawrence, of sufficient depth to enable sea-going vessels to enter the Great Lakes. The commission also was understood to recommend the beginning of construction in the near future, or as soon as possible.

FIRST CONVENTION TO BE HELD MAR. 18

Local Committees Must Make Public Names of Delegates Saturday, February 11.

Republicans of Minnesota will meet in St. Paul at 11 a. m. March 31 to endorse party candidates for state office and formulate a party platform under a call issued Saturday by the Republican state central committee.

The committee completed arrangements for 97 conventions, covering county, congress and state, adopting without objection the tentative program arranged by Charles R. Adams, state chairman. Sixty-three members of the committee and 63 proxy holders attended the session, which adjourned after completing its business in about two hours. It was declared the most harmonious session of the state committee in many campaigns.

One-third of the delegates present were women, indicating a large proportion of the delegates at the conventions to be held before the primary convention will be of the fair sex also, in the opinion of the male members of the committee.

Representation in the state convention was fixed at 1,088 delegates. County conventions will be held on March 18 at 1 p. m., while [illegible] conventions will be held March 30 at 1 p. m. The Ninth district convention will be held at the Moorhead court house.

Pennington county is entitled to six delegates in the state convention. Four counties—Hennepin, Ramsey, St. Louis and Stearns—will have a majority of the delegates at this gathering. In the district convention Pennington county will be entitled to three delegates while Red Lake county has but two, Clearwater three and Marshall eight. There are 13 counties in the district, which has 89 delegates. Of this number Otter Tail, Polk and Clay will have 45.

GRAIN GROWERS TO OPEN SALES OFFICE

Step in Northwest Authorized By Board of Directors at Chicago Meeting.

Authorization to begin immediate steps toward opening sales agencies, one of which will be in St. Paul or Minneapolis, [illegible] director of the [illegible] Growers, Inc., according to an announcement by the Northwest headquarters of the company. The company's 36,500 members have pledged about 100,000,000 bushels of grain, one-sixth of which comes from the Northwest.

A district advisory board of farmers will be named, the members to be elected from among officers of co-operative elevators, Grain Grower associations or other farmer-owned local or terminal marketing companies.

The authorization is sufficiently broad to permit the purchase of seats on the organized exchanges and such [illegible] the regulations of such institutions. Steps to unify organization work in all state also were taken.

The board will meet in Chicago again on March 13 to prepare for the [illegible] will be held there on March 21. It had previously been announced that the convention would be held March 20.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY
"HOME SPUN FOLKS"
A Thomas Ince Special
also
Sunshine Sammy
in
"SWEET BYE and BYE."
and
Pathe Slow Motion
Saturday Matinee, 2:30
5c and 15c
SUNDAY and MONDAY
Constance Talmadge
in
"WEDDING BELLS"
also
Clyde Cook
in
"THE TOREADOR"
Sunday Matinee, 2:30
10c and 25c
WEDNESDAY THURSDAY
William S. Hart
in
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A Paramount Special.

Sufferers, Take Notice!
Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf
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Nash's Delicious Red Label Coffee
45c per pound
The Quality Coffee

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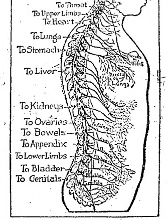

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STILL TIME TO ENROLL IN BIG TIMES CONTEST

Chances of Those Entering Now Are Good as Those of the Earlier Starters.

Consistent Work Will Put Any Person in Line For Winning Big Buick Auto.

Every Worker Will Be Amply Paid For Services Either in Cash or Free Prizes.

SALESMANSHIP COMPAIGN MEMBERS' STANDINGS

Next Report Day, Wed., Feb. 1

Agnes Oftedahl, City	3200
Helmer Ostrum, City	2800
Hannah Peterson, City	2460
Paul Engelstad, Route 3	2100
J. C. Liden, Steiner	1700
Adolph Srpsky, Erie	1000
Louis Evenson, Plummer Route No. 1.	1000
John C. Jorgenson, Pl'mer Route No. 3.	1000
Mrs. Ole Halvverson, Ulen	1000
John Omdahl, Plummer	1000

It seems to be the general opinion among the readers of The Times and their friends that the time for entering the Salesmanship Campaign has passed. This is a mistaken idea. Right now is the opportune time to enroll.

The impression has been created that it requires a lot of money, time and experience to win in a campaign of this kind. This is another mistaken idea.

One of the university professors in a lecture recently made the following statement: "Every person has the right and privilege of making a mistake, but making a mistake intentionally is inexcusable." If you have made the mistake of not enrolling in the Salesmanship Campaign to win the Buick and other Grand Free Prizes, you still have time to overcome it. Enroll today and acquaint your friends and neighbors that you are in the campaign to win.

Go to them and show them what it means to you to have them help. The world likes a hustler and will reward one.

It is safe to say that never before in your life have you had the opportunity of earning over $1,600 in prizes. By nominating yourself and winning the Buick, you can earn better than $200 a week for the eight weeks that the Salesmanship Campaign will last.

You may have made many mistakes in your life before, but in justice to yourself you must not pass up the opportunity offered you now. Turn to the announcement on another page, cut out the coupon and mail it today. Every minute you waste is giving the other fellow the lead that by rights belongs to you. Be good to yourself and decide to give yourself the pleasures that this big wonderful Buick Six can bring you. The other grand free prizes on the list are not to be "sneezed at." The Ford touring car offered as second prize, is used as the first prize in many contests, while the $150 Victor, the lady's or gent's diamond, or the lady's or gent's gold watch are not to be overlooked. A ten per cent commission will be paid to all persons not winning a prize, on all subscription money they send in. So you can readily see there is no possible chance for you to lose in this campaign.

You can't afford to hesitate—you can't afford to delay. Put this question up to yourself: "What can I do in the eight weeks this campaign lasts which will net me better than $200 a week?" You can't go wrong by starting now. When someone else has won you are going to be mighty sorry you did not heed the warning when you had the opportunity. Don't let anyone tell you that you cannot win. You have just as much right to be a winner as anyone else. But first you must convince yourself that you want to win, and the first step toward doing that is to enroll. You will never be sorry after you have won the big $1,595 Buick and the $25 nomination prize.

$25 In Gold For You.

A purse of $25 has been set aside by The Times, to be given to the person who nominates the winner of the Buick. You can nominate yourself and when you have made the Buick "your Buick" receive the $25 nomination prize.

Fill in the coupon on page five now.

You can nominate as many different persons as you have nomination blanks.

District Creamery Officers Elected Here Last Evening

A meeting of the executive board of District No. 14 of the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association was held in the city last evening for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. The following were elected: E. O. Moliness, chairman, Erskine; Stuart McLeod, first vice chairman, Goodridge; H. P. Nygaard, second vice chairman, Halstad; C. B. Goodrich, secretary, Greenbush; Ed. Rydeen, treasurer, Clearbrook. N. C. Lindberg of Perley was chosen field representative. He has had 12 years experience in the creamery business and is at the present time secretary of the buttermakers' association of the district.

The Fourteenth district is one of the largest in the state, embracing ten counties with a total of 55 creameries. The butter output for the district in the year 1920 was 4,851,401 pounds, of which Pennington county is credited with 705,619 pounds, the product of four creameries. Marshall county with eight creameries produced only 536,123 pounds during the same year. Secretary Goodrich states that about three-fourths of the creameries in the state have thus far joined the association.

The officers elected at the meeting in this city will be referred back to all creamery associations in the district for ratification.

COUNCIL CONSIDERS CHANGING OVER TO ALTERNATING PLAN

Engineer Says Only Portion of Available Power is at Present Made Available.

The matter of changing the city's electric light system over to what is known as an alternating current plant is engaging the attention of the city council at the present time. At the meeting held Tuesday evening George M. Sheppard, a consulting engineer of St. Paul, appeared and made a proposition for doing the necessary preliminary work. He said that the city was unable under the present system to generate anywhere near all the power that could be made available if the change were made and that sooner or later the work would have to be undertaken.

Mr. Sheppard submitted figures giving the costs for making the survey, the probable amount of power that can be developed, the consumption now and an estimate of what may be the requirements of the near future, the cost of a new switch board, and whether or not an addition to the present building is feasible or if a new one will have to be constructed.

A thorough report of the conditino of the present dam will also be among the things undertaken by Mr. Sheppard's firm if his proposition is accepted, as well as the flowage in the river now and prospective. For this service a charge of $500 will be made, or if only a report on the river is wanted it will be provided for $200.

The council decided to take no action at this time. The matter will be discussed fully by the members and the opinion of the power users and taxpayers generally sought before any definite step is taken.

Pennington Farmers Will Double Acreage of Spuds

Fifty potato growers attended the meeting held in the farm bureau office on Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of listening to a talk by R. C. Rose, plant pathologist of the University of Minnesota extension division. The speaker particularly discussed the value of standardization of varieties and the best strains for planting in this latitude. His talk was followed by a discussion on potato diseases, spraying materials and the machinery used for the various potato pests.

It is the opinion of many of those attending the meeting that the potato acreage in Pennington county will be almost doubled this year. Meetings are to be held frequently for the purpose of considering the best means of caring for and marketing the crop during the 1922 season. Exhibits of potatoes will be sent to the farm crops show at Crookston on Feb. 6 to 10.

Models of the correct potato types are on display at the farm bureau office for the benefit of those who wish to select good show samples.

Crookston Excited Over Rumored Removal of G. N.

The people of Crookston were considerably concerned last week over the report that the division offices of the Great Northern were to be removed from that city to Grand Forks. A committee of representative business men waited on officials of the road at headquarters in St. Paul ready to present arguments protesting against any such action, but were assured that they had been misinformed as to the nature of the contemplated proceeding. They elicited the information that absolutely no change is to be made in the present arrangements at Crookston, excepting that a part of the force in the superintendent's office will be transferred to Grand Forks. This includes the time keeping and accounting divisions and the dispatcher's office, in which the work of handling the train orders and car movements is done.

The railroad, by taking this action, will increase the jurisdiction of one superintendent so as to cover two divisions instead of one, the move being in the interest of economy. Officials disclaimed any intention of making changes that would materially affect the status of Crookston.

CREAMERY PAID PRODUCERS $600 PER DAY IN 1921

Total Returned to Patrons For Butterfat During Year More Than $220,000.

Cream Receipts Show Increase of 26¾ Per Cent; Price Fell Off 15¾ Per Cent.

Annual Meeting of Association to Be Held in This City on Saturday, Jan. 28.

The Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery received a total of 581,826 pounds of butterfat last year as compared with 419,680 pounds in 1920, an increase of 112,146 pounds or 28¾ per cent. There was, however, a falling off in the amount of cash received for butter, amounting to 15½ per cent. This decrease is accounted for by the decline in price. Two years ago the average net price received for butter was 55.47 cents, while according to the report of Secretary Peter Engelstad, printed in full in another part of The Times today, it dropped to an average of 37.52 cents during 1921.

The total amount of cream received during the year was 1,794,495 pounds, an average of more than 4,750 pounds per day. Patrons were paid a total of $220,213.02, or over $600 for every day in the year, including Sundays. The total is about $40,000 less than last year, this decrease being equal to the entire business of the creamery in 1912.

Nearly 2,500 pounds of butter more per month than in 1921 was sold to patrons in the city of Thief River Falls. Last year the total disposed of through this source amounted to 123,925 pounds as compared with 94,398 pounds in 1920. The quality of the cream produced improved nearly one per cent, testing 28.81 for the year just closed as compared with 27.96 per cent for the previous period. The milk test remained stationery at 3.67 per cent.

The receipts of butterfat in 1921 were almost six times as great as in 1907, the first year of the creamery's operation. The growth has been steady and in some instances remarkable. Mr. Engelstad's report shows that there were two years in which the receipts slumped—1912 and 1917. The following years, however, more than made up for the decline. There was also a slight falling off in the quantity of butterfat produced during 1920, due to the unusual scarcity of hay and the high prices paid for beef animals.

Lowest in Five Years.

Not since 1916 has the price been as low as during 1921, when the average fell to 42.78 cents for butter fat and 37.52 cents for butter. The highest price paid was during 1919, when the average reached 63.7 for butterfat. The price received for butter at the creamery at that time was 57.10 cents. The lowest average price paid patrons for butterfat in the entire history of the creamery was in 1908, when it reached 26.78 cents per pound.

The Monthly Receipts.

Receipts for butter sold by the creamery never fell below $12,000 in any one month during 1921, while the best record was $40,000. Following is a report of the receipts as submitted by Treasurer S. O. Lee:

January	$13,222.29
February	14,479.03
March	18,487.06
April	17,604.74
May	20,117.60
June	35,753.21
July	40,808.16
August	35,037.07
September	24,920.14
October	21,354.85
November	13,887.04
December	12,591.77

Ten patrons of the creamery received more than $1,000 in cream checks during the year, three of these passing the $2,000 mark by good margins. There are 61 names in the list of those whose annual receipts totaled more than $500.

The showing made by the association during the year is highly gratifying to both officials and patrons. It shows that the business is steadily increasing and that the territory served by the creamery is gradually being extended. The butter produced is of the highest quality, commanding premium prices in the Eastern markets to which it is shipped. The policy followed is such as to inspire confidence among those who send their supplies to Thief River Falls and the institution enjoys a reputation for fair and liberal dealings with its patrons such as but few similar institutions in the state have gained. Secretary Engelstad is particularly pleased over the improvement in quality indicated as this proves there is a steady effort being made in the direction of clearing out the scrubs and providing a higher grade of cattle on the farms from which the creamery draws its supplies.

The annual business meeting of the association will be held at the Commercial club rooms in this city on Saturday, Jan. 28, beginning at 1:30 o'clock.

Tax Figure Too Low.

Carl Froseth, shoe and harness merchant, says that an error was made in the personal property tax figures printed in The Times last week. The paper gave his assessment as $159.59 whereas it should have been $100 more than that. Mr. Froseth says he is aware of the fact that the error would make no difference when he came to pay up, but he does not want his neighbors to think he is trying to dodge his taxes.

MAYOR BRATRUD TURNS OFFICE OVER TO BE RUN BY BOY SCOUT FOR DAY

Mayor John Bratrud will cease functioning as the administrative head of the city of Thief River Falls next Friday night and on Saturday morning Willis Nason, representing the Boy Scouts, will take charge. It is expected that this one day will prove enough for Willis and that the office will be handed back to the mayor on Sunday morning.

Master Nason will be mayor for a day. He will give any necessary orders to the police and fire departments, receiving all kicks against the administration of affairs generally and smile at all compliments—if there should be any. Mr. Bratrud will probably be on hand in case anything of a serious nature develops, but will keep as far in the background as possible.

CHANGE IN LINEUP FOR GAMES WITH RANGE CHAMPIONS

Louden Permanently Joins Athletics While Plummer and Holzknecht Drop Out.

The Gilbert basketball team, champions of the Mesabe range, will meet the locals on the floor in this city on Friday and Saturday nights. Interest will be added to the first game for the reason that a large share of the proceeds will be turned over to the committee in charge of the funds for the relief of starving Russians. The dance which follows this game is under the auspices of this committee.

The Gilbert team has a long string of victories to its credit and only one defeat. The latter was sustained in a close game with Two Harbors. This would indicate that the aggregation is in exactly the same class as Thief River Falls and the games here should be exceptionally good exhibitions.

Roy Louden of the Excelsior team will finish the season with Thief River Falls. Plummer and Holzknecht will not again appear with the locals, the former having joined Bemidji while Holzknecht will take an indefinite rest. Manager Connell will likely place Louden at guard with Brown and use Kilund, Hadrath and Penney alternately at center. This plan will be tried out in the Gilbert games, it is understood, with a view to getting a slant on the proper lineup for the contest with Crookston early in February.

The games on Friday and Saturday will be called at 8:15 o'clock sharp.

VIEWERS SUBMIT REPORT ON RIVER

Clearwater to Lose Two-Thirds of Present Length When Job is Completed.

E. A. Mostue of Thief River Falls, Andrew Christianson of Mentor and F. S. Erdman of St. Hilaire, who have been engaged the past six weeks in viewing the land affected and making their report showing the estimated cost of the project of straightening, widening and deepening the Clearwater river, have completed their report.

The lands affected in the Clearwater project are in Red Lake, Pennington and Clearwater counties and the diminished Red Lake Indian reservation. The report shows that if straightened in the proposed area the river will be reduced from 143 miles long to 47 miles and this will also aid in the drainage of a large amount of land which is now untillable because of its being subjected to continual floods. The report further shows the estimated benefits and damages to other lands accruing from the proposed changes.

The completed report has been turned over to Chas. E. Boughton, Sr., attorney in the project.

To Select Candidates For Regional Spelling Match

Each rural school in Pennington county having a candidate intending to enter the regional spelling contest to be held in connection with the winter crop show at Crookston, is requested to have such candidate present him or herself at the office of Superintendent Geo. M. Gunderson on Feb. 8, for an elimination contest to decide upon contestants to represent the county. The examinations will begin at 1:30 p. m. and will be in charge of officials of the Teachers' Progressive league. Two of the best spellers in the rural schools of the county will be selected to make the trip under the guidance of Mr. Gunderson or some responsible person selected for the purpose by him.

The sectional contests have already been held, and the winners are prepared for the semi-finals.

NO CHANGES IN CITY PAY ROLL FOR NEXT TERM

Salaries of All Officials and Employes to Remain as Established Last June.

E. O. Erickson Reappointed as Chief of Police; Dr. Biedermann Health Officer.

Math Barzen Appointed Member of Park Board to Succeed Dr. C. R. Crandall.

No salary changes were made by the city council on Tuesday night when the question of fixing the rate of pay for the ensuing term was taken up. But one change was made in the appointive offices, Mayor Bratrud naming Math Barzen to succeed Dr. C. R. Crandall on the park board. The latter expects soon to remove from the city.

E. O. Erickson was re-appointed chief of police for a third term and Dr. Jacob Biedermann again made health officer. The council failed to approve of the mayor's appointment of Ed. Brooten as night patrolman, the vote standing three and three. Mr. Bratrud withdrew the appointment but state that there was nothing to prevent Mr. Brooten being appointed by him as a special police, the process being repeated every 30 days. It is understood that the officer intends leaving the city within a short time and the mayor stated that he saw no necessity for announcing a change at this time. Different arrangements will in all probability be made in any event when it comes time to name the motorcycle policeman recently authorized by the council.

Salaries Remain the Same.

A new schedule of prices for rent of the auditorium was adopted, as follows: Functions given for charitable purposes at which no admission is charged, $20; dances and theatrical entertainments by home companies, $30; all outside companies, $40.

A general advance in salaries all along the line having been granted last June no change was at this time thought advisable. The amount to be received by each city officer or employe is as follows: Mayor, $100 per year; councilmen, $100; city physician, $200; health officer, $100; attorney $65 per month; clerk, $145.75; deputy clerk, $132.25; treasurer, $25; chief of police, $100; patrolman, $90; street commissioner, $115; municipal judge, $95; poor matron, $35; janitor of jail, $15; superintendent of water and lights, $184; first electrician, $132.25; second and third electricians, $120.75; first engineer, $143.75; second and third engineers, $128.50; superintendent of incinerator, $92; garbage collector, $75; janitor of auditorium, $80; assessor, $500 for years in which the real estate taxes are assessed and $400 otherwise. President Brumund was named as a committee to meet with the cemetery board for the purpose of deciding on the amounts to be paid sexton and secretary.

A petition was received asking for the establishment of a sewer on Crocker avenue between Mussey and Taft streets. As there are a number of similar requests expected in the near future the matter was laid over in order that bids for all the work may be advertised for at the same time.

Tribune to Be Published as Weekly in the Future

J. S. Arneson, publisher of The Tribune, announced in Tuesday's issue that the paper will hereafter be published as a weekly, coming out on Tuesdays. The Tribune has been issued twice a week since its establishment but Mr. Arneson states that in the interest of economy a change is advisable at this time.

Boys Give Picture Show to Help Out Blind Fund

Everybody is doing something to help the blind people of the state. One day this week Clifford and "Bill" Froehlich and Ned Biedermann put on a "show" for the benefit of the fund now being raised. The little fellows started out in their neighborhoods with a stereopticon machine and gave exhibitions of pictures in homes, using a sheet pinned on the kitchen wall as a screen. At the close of each performance every person in the audience was given an apple. A total of 22 cents was raised, but it is reported that part of this went to cover unavoidable "expense," the balance being turned over to the committee in charge.

Farm Bureau Chiefs Take Part in Big Conference

J. F. Reed, now president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, has been invited to take part in the national agricultural conference called by President Harding. He will sit in the Washington conference as the official representative of Minnesota's 73,000 farm bureau members.

H. B. Nickerson, president of the Minnesota Co-operative creameries association, Inc., and vice president of the Twin City Milk Producers, also has been invited to the conference.

The farm bureau, it is expected, will be represented by its national officers and by the president of every state farm bureau federation. The American federation is preparing to tell the administration and the representatives of the public and of other industries in the conference, vigorously and emphatically, that the welfare of the whole nation depends on immediate and effective measures to bring practical relief to the farmer.

Deputy Sheriff Hurt

Paul Midderigh, deputy sheriff and court house custodian, was quite badly hurt last Saturday and as a result is barely able to get around with the aid of a crutch. He was in the basement of the court house while another man was throwing a load of cordwood down from the outside when a heavy stick struck him in the leg with such force that he thought the bone was broken. An x-ray examination showed that such was not the case but the flesh and veins are bruised to such an extent that it will take some time before he is able to navigate with his customary agility.

GOOD RESPONSE TO APPEAL ON BEHALF OF STARVING RUSS

Everything Donated For Big Dance Which is to Wind Up Drive on Friday Night.

Sale of tickets for the Russian relief dnace to be given at the auditorium on Friday night is progressing in a highly satisfactory manner. The fact that there are one or two other functions advertised for the same evening is making no difference, it being realized that the most important thing connected with the program is the securing of the dollar for aid of the Russians. It is certain, however, that there will be a large crowd present and that everyone will have a good time.

Music for the dance will be donated by the band and Snyder's orchestra. Mr. Snyder says that he expects to be able to secure about 16 musicians to play for the dance, as many who are not in the regular organization of which he is leader have expressed themselves are only too glad to contribute their services in such good cause.

The Russian relief campaign is being carried on with a great deal of energy. Not only will a substantial sum of money be realized, but there will be a good deal in the way of clothing and produce available for shipment to state headquarters when the drive is over. The situation in the famine districts of Russia is said to be beyond realization by people in other parts of the world and relief is being rushed from every section of this country, which is the only one in the world just now in a position to extend a helping hand.

Donations may be sent to Mr. Quist, who has opened offices in the basement of the library building for the receipt of clothing and produce.

ASK CONGRESS TO ESTABLISH PRICE OF $2 FOR WHEAT

Tri-State Grain Growers Association Also Endorses Co-operation in Selling.

Resolutions asking congress to fix the price of wheat at $2 a bushel and advocating co-ordination of existing farm movements and co-operation between farmers' organizations, were adopted, and Dr. John Lee Coulter, head of the North Dakota Agricultural college, was elected president at the closing session of the Tri-State Grain Growers' convention at Fargo on Friday. G. W. Randlett, vice president, and W. C. Palmer, secretary, were re-elected.

Dr. Coulter succeeds Dr. John H. Worst, who announced his retirement last night, after more than 20 years of service as president of the organization. Resolutions of appreciation were adopted, and Dr. Worst was given a rising vote of thanks.

Other resolutions adopted urged farmers to obtain a fair price for their products through the organization of orderly marketing by co-operative enterprises; urged economy in taxation and government administration; asked for a continuance of the war finance corporation; recommended placing a duty on grain and foreign importations of clover and alfalfa seed; favored legislation establishing the Great Lake-St. Lawrence deep waterways project, and asked that the principles of the war finance corporation be made permanent.

Encampment Meeting.

There will be a meeting of Riverside Encampment No. 22 at Odd Fellows hall on Friday evening, when the Patriarchal degree will be exemplified. There are a number of candidates awaiting advancement to the encampment and it is expected that these will be on hand.

McKerrow's Successor Named.

J. S. Montgomery has been named as the successor of the late W. A. McKerrow as manager of the Central Co-operative Commission association at South St. Paul. Mr. Montgomery was closely associated with his predecessor in the conduct of the Farmers Consolidated Marketing agency.

HALT FORCED IN GUMMER TRIAL; RESUME MONDAY

Illness of Attorney Delays Proceedings in Wick Murder Case at Valley City.

H. J. Hagan Testifies He Heard Nothing Unusual Until Awaking in Morning.

Newspaper Man Writes Vivid Description of Prisoner as He Appears in Court.

The trial of William Gummer, alleged slayer of Marie Wick, young Grygla girl, in a Fargo hotel last summer, is not expected to be resumed at Valley City, N. D., until Monday morning. William Green, state's attorney of Cass county, whose illness caused postponement of the trial Monday, has been unable to continue with the case. He expected to be ready Monday, however.

No session of court was held Tuesday. Immediate adjournment was taken after the court convened. C. C. Wattam, assistant state's attorney of Cass county, arrived Tuesday night to aid Green in conducting the trial Thursday. James Milligan, deputy sheriff of Cass county, is expected to testify Monday regarding tests made at the hotel to determine what might haev caused the sounds heard by roomers the night of the tragedy.

May McIans, chamber maid at the hotel where the killing occurred, is also expected to be called Monday to testify to sounds she is alleged to have heard at 4 a. m. the morning of the murder. This testimony is expected to throw some light on the second attack said to have been made on the assault victim.

When hearings were resumed last Saturday morning the prosecution indicated that it would undertake to prove the signature of "James Farrell, Willmar," that appeared on the register at the Prescott hotel on the night of the murder, was written by Andy Brown, Gummer's roommate. Brown, held prisoner since September last, identified a number of letters as being written in his handwriting and also identified a page of names that he wrote in the office of the state's attorney, William C. Green, on June 14 inst, as being in his handwriting.

These were offered as evidence for the purpose of comparison with the signature "James Farrell" as it appeared on the register the night of the murder. No explanation has been made of Farrell's signature, the state having accounted for every other occupant of the hotel that night.

Hagan Called.

H. J. Hagan, former president of the Scandinavian-American bank of Fargo, who occupied room 31 that night from 1:10 a. m. to 7 a. m., said he had heard no disturbance in the hotel during the night; that he first knew of the crime some time after 7 a. m. when two men came to his door and asked him if he had heard any disturbance during the night and examined his room.

Hagan said Gummer was on duty when he came in shortly after 1 a. m.; that Gummer took him to his room; that he had been on the train more than two days and was very tired and went to sleep right after he got to bed.

Dr. Paul S. Burton testified as to the cause of death. Dr. Burton stated it was either suffocation, fracture of the skull or hemorrhages or a combination of the three. He also gave testimony on what the state expects to base its theory of the motive leading to the murder.

Hose Nozzle Produced.

All of the lodgers at the hotel who were placed on the witness stand yesterday were able to account for themselves satisfactorily during the night of the crime. None of them heard of the affair until the following morning, although one of them, O. Deichert of Craigville, Minn., was awakened by a noise some time during the night. His room was on the floor above that on which the murder was committed.

The fire hose nozzle with which it is claimed Marie Wick was clubbed to death, was placed in evidence and was identified by James Milligan, deputy sheriff of Cass county, who stated he found it in searching the hall of the second floor of the hotel the day following the crime. The nozzle was with the hose, he said, but not attached to it, having been bent to some extent.

The end of the nozzle, it is claimed, fits a dent found in the wall beside the head of the bed in which the body of the murder victim lay, and the theory of the state is that the murderer accidentally struck the wall there while beating his victim over the head with his improvised weapon.

Gruesome Exhibits.

Exhibits which were put in evidence Saturday were the most gruesome which have thus far appeared in the case. They include the following articles:

Part of the frame, the mattress and sheets, pillows and blankets of the bed in which Marie Wick lay. All of these are daubed and soaked with blood. The pillow case, found stuffed into Marie Wick's mouth and the bandages with which it was tied there. These also are soaked with blood.

Pictures showed the unfortunate

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girl's body as it was discovered and the blood bespattered walls of the room. These exhibits were identified by Fred Kraemer, sheriff of Cass county, and the undertaker who prepared Marie Wick's body for burial.

Kraemer testified that when he examined the door connecting the two rooms the next morning, it was locked and the keyhole stuffed up, and that the dust and cobwebs between the door and the frame indicated that it had not been opened for some time past.

The sheriff was, however, cross examined by W. H. Barnett, Gummer's attorney, regarding the presence in Hagan's room of a Bible stained with blood and certain blood stains on the door leading from Hagen's room into that of Miss Wick.

What Manner of Man is This?

A staff correspondent of the Grand Forks Herald who is covering the Gummer trial at Valley City for his paper, has written his impressions of the prisoner and finds it impossible to make up his mind as to what kind of a man he is. A study of the young fellow as he appears in the court room fails to give any indication of what is going on in his mind and outside of rare exhibitions of nervousness he does not seem greatly concerned over the outcome. Following are the impressions gathered by the Herald's observer:

William Gummer, the young Fargo hotel clerk who is charged with the commission of one of the most hideous crimes ever perpetrated in North Dakota, presents a curious study as he sits day after day in the court room listening to the unfolding of the evidence through which the state hopes to prove that he was the man who ravished and killed Marie Wick on the morning of June 7 last.

The first thought that strikes an observer on seeing Gummer is the boyishness of his appearance. He looks even younger than 22, which is his age, and at the first glance he appears to be a clean cut, quiet, good tempered boy, far from the type one would naturally associate with such a fiendish crime as that of which he stands accused.

But as one observes him in the court room from day to day this feeling wears off, leaving one of doubt as to just what manner of boy or man this can be who can sit for hours scarcely moving a muscle, and apparently absolutely impassive as the net of circumstantial evidence is woven about him.

Then it is that one begins to notice Gummer's eyes. They are dark blue and at the first glance rather pleasant in expression, but when Gummer is brought into court each day and settles himself into a seat with his attorneys facing the witness box, with his back turned to the audience, his eyes seem to immediately settle themselves into a fixed, unblinking stare that seems almost uncanny.

Apparently this stare is focussed on some point beyond the witness box and it scarcely seems to waver, there is hardly the blink of an eyelid for hours at a time while the witnesses are giving their evidence.

This fixed stare is typical of Gummer's whole demeanor in the court room. He scarcely moves. Very rarely he leans forward to catch some important bit of testimony but the greater part of the time he sits impassive, immobile, staring fixedly into space, his face as unchanging and expressionless as though carved out of stone.

Only once during the trial has he lost this perfect control of his features. This was when the blood-stained bed clothing from Marie Wick's room was brought into court and shown to the jury. Then Gummer's eyelids dropped, and blood which he could not control mounted into his face.

It was only by watching Gummer's hands that one can gather any idea as to what his feelings are, as the state unfolds the case against him.

He sits with his hands clasped in his lap. The hands do not move, but sometimes as an important bit of evidence is presented one can see the muscles grow taut, and the previously loose clasp tighten, until the knuckles grow white. This was the case Monday when the state's witnesses were giving testimony to fix the time of the crime of which he stands accused.

But the tight clasping hands furnish the only indication of the hopes and fears which must be coursing through Gummer's mind as he sits on trial for the most serious offense of which a man may be accused. Otherwise there is practically no break in his uncanny impassivity.

Only a man with iron nerves, and the consciousness of innocence, or an abnormal degenerate with his mental and moral senses completely atrophied, could maintain this attitude from day to day during the long strain of the trial.

Which of these Gummer is, the jury must determine in its verdict.

WHEN EVERY MOVE HURTS

Lame every morning, achy and stiff all day, worse when it's damp or chilly? Suspect your kidneys and try the remedy your neighbors use. Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. C. E. Cruzan, 610 Knight Ave., W., Thief River Falls, says: "My kidneys weren't acting properly and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I was also in misery with my back. At times it was so sore and stiff that when I stooped it was about all I could do to straighten again. I easily tired and it seemed my housework was a burden. I became somewhat discouraged because of this condition and not until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills did I begin to feel like myself again. Three boxes of Doan's restored me to good health and strengthened my kidneys."

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CAMBRIDGGE WINS BY POINT IN BEST GAME YET PLAYED

Locals Maintained Lead Up to Very End of Saturday Evening's Great Contest.

The Cambridge basketball team won two games from the Thief River Falls Athletics last week. One of these was a somewhat ragged affair which the locals deserved to lose, while the other was one of the best exhibitions over seen here and was won by the visitors only after the hardest kind of a fight and the removal of Carlson because of injuries.

On Friday night the score was 30 to 17 in favor of Cambridge. The latter team had Norton, all-American star, in the lineup, but he did not make a sensational showing. Taken as a whole the team did not make any great impression in this contest, the only reason for its winning being the poorer game played by the locals. The latter simply could not put the old-time ginger into their work and besides found it difficult to locate the cage, even under the most favorable circumstances.

Saturday night's game was different. Both teams were evidently bent on retrieving the prestige lost by the punk exhibition of the previous evening and the fun started early. Plummer and Holzknecht were not in this last game, their places being taken by Penney and Hadrath, with Kiland as extra. The latter had not fully recovered from an injury received in a previous game but put up a fast, snappy fight. Larson, a new man, was given a try-out and while he did well seemed to lack confidence. Penney and Hadrath both surprised the spectators by the quality of their performance, giving such good account of themselves that their work has been a subject of comment on every hand since the game. Carlson played under a handicap, the ankle recently wrenched giving him no end of trouble. He worked with braces which he was compelled to readjust from time to time and he was finally forced to quit the game just at the most crucial period. He stuck until within a few minutes of the end but had to give up. Brown, one of the most dependable players in this section, covered his position faultlessly and contributed his full share to the great exhibition.

The Thief River Falls team kept a good margin of lead all through the first half. The boys were going like a well-oiled machine and even Norton's wonderful basket shooting could not overcome their fine team work. In the second half the visitors started crawling up but up to within a half-minute of the closing whistle the locals had the edge. At this period Carlson was put out of business, something that always seems to have a depressing effect on the rest of the bunch. Cambridge staged a great last-minute rally and with Norton as the centerpiece managed to get two through the hoop, winning by one point.

Roy Louden shared honors with Norton on the visiting team. He has been signed by Thief River Falls for the rest of the season and will appear in the games against Gilbert on Friday and Saturday.

ROSEWOOD

Halls Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hall at their home southeast of town last Saturday evening very pleasantly entertained a number of their friends and neighbors at a dancing and card party. Refreshments were served twice during the evening. Benhard Ranum captured first prize in whist and the booby prize was awarded to Walter Wendt. First prize in rummy was won by Mrs. James Thompson. There were thirteen guests.

Annual Church Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Swedish Mission congregation took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloom last Sunday afternoon. Rev. Werner Drotts, the present pastor, was reappointed for another year, as well as re-elected chairman of the congregation. Mrs. Carl Bloom was elected secretary and T. Mellem, treasurer. John Blom and Mr. and Mrs. T. Mellem remain as trustees. Meetings during the winter will be conducted one Sunday each month. The Young People's society, which has been inactive since the typhoid epidemic last spring, will hold its first meeting at the church Saturday evening, Feb. 18. Services will be held Sunday, Feb. 19, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

New Mail Carrier on Job.

James Thompson has been appointed mail carrier at Rosewood to succeed Herbert Carlson, who has done this work for almost a year. The job includes transporting the mails from the morning and evening trains to the post office.

Walter Wednt arrived Saturday to spend a week with friends at Rosewood. He has been at work on the Hall farm east of Warren all summer but is at present paying an extended visit to his mother, who resides at Thief River Falls.

Miss Clara Sorenson, who has spent the past week with friends and relatives in Rosewood, returned on Friday to Thief River Falls.

Miss Alice Thompson, teacher at Busy Bee, went to Thief River Falls Friday evening to spend the week-end with her folks.

Miss Viola Axelson left Tuesday for Thief River Falls, where she has secured a position at the Physicians hospital.

Miss Esther Thorson, who had visited for a week with her sister, Mrs. O. H. Ryan at Thief River Falls, returned Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Ostrom arrived Monday from Thief River Falls and spent the day with Mrs. Eva Carlson and the John Sagmoen family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Holm and their daughter, Mary Jane, left Wednesday morning via Fordville for Twin Valley, where they will make their home for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Nelson left on Wednesday for Minneapolis to seek medical treatment. Mrs. Nelson returned on Friday while Mr. Nelson will remain for a week longer.

Olof Eide of Viking was in town last Thursday on business with Anton Gullseth.

A number of young folks met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Alby last Sunday evening and enjoyed a good time.

Julius Liden of Steiner was in town last Friday in the interest of his newspaper campaign.

A surprise party was staged by friends and neighbors at the Hodgick home near Edgewood on Saturday evening a week ago, and a pretty set of dishes was left as a memento.

Swen Swenson left Wednesday for Thief River Falls to see Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, who has been quite ill.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haugen last Sunday evening.

Peter Mellem lost one of his work horses last Sunday.

Mrs. James Thompson left Monday evening to take in the market days at Thief River Falls and visit with Mrs. Ben Harris.

Marshall Flann and M. Olson of Thief River Falls were in town Monday looking over a wood chopping job for John Remmem.

Victor Mosbeck spent Tuesday at Thief River Falls on business.

NUMEDAL

Joseph and Elias Joringdal were Viking business visitors Wednesday of last week.

Thure, Hjalmer and Edward Blomberg were entertained at a dancing party given at the Rud brothers home Wednesday evening. They reported having had a most enjoyable time.

Elias Joringdal was a Thief River Falls shopper Thursday.

Thure and Edward Blomberg were Viking shoppers Wednesday of last week.

A number of young people were entertained at a dancing party at the Henry Olson home Saturday night.

Mrs. A. Blomberg called at the S. Knutson home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaus Ordal and family were guests at the Chas. Johnson home Sunday.

Soren Knutson called at the E. Joringdal home one day last week.

John Buggo was a Thief River Falls caller Monday and Tuesday.

Olof Larson was a Viking shopper Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hedrick were Thief River Falls callers Tuesday.

On Saturday occurred the death of Erick Albue, pioneer resident of this township. Funeral services were held at the Evangelist Free church and interment made at the Hegland cemetery on Wednesday.

Hjalmer Blomberg was a Sunday caller at the Chas. Johnson home.

David Samuelson was a Sunday caller at the A. O. Brink home.

Thure Blomberg was a Thief River Falls shopper Tuesday.

Society

Gamble-Schibsby.

The following account of the marriage of Donald Phelps Gamble and Miss Edith Schibsby at Minneapolis is taken from the Minneapolis Tribune:

With cybotium ferns, pine trees, Southern smilax and lighted cathedral candles forming a beautiful background for the attractive gowns of white, primrose pink and hydrangea blue worn by the bride and her attendants, marriage vows were exchanged last evening in St. Mark's Episcopal church by Miss Edith Schibsby and Mr. Donald Phelps Gamble, son of Mr. and Mrs. David F. Gamble, two prominent members of the local younger set. Eight hundred guests witnessed the service read at 8:30 o'clock by the Rev. Philips E. Osgood, rector of the church.

For a half hour before the service Stanley Avery, church organist, played a program of nuptial music. He used "The Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" as the processional and Mendelssohn's Wedding March as the recessional.

White satin ribbons were stretched down the center aisles of the church by two of the ushers, Messrs. Herbert Bruce Peffer, brother-in-law of the bride, and Vincent McLane. They were followed by the other ushers, Messrs. Silas M. Bryan, another brother-in-law of the bride, John W. Gregg, Robert Gamble, a cousin of the bridegroom, all of this city; Norman Bradish of St. Paul and Ralph Sheldon of Thief River Falls.

Miss Eleanor Eastman, one of the bridesmaids, entered alone, followed by Mrs. Winston B. Newell (Florence Hendrickson) and Miss Alice Wheelwright. Mrs. Herbert Bruce Puffer (Marian Schibsby) immediately preceded her sister, the bride, who came in alone.

The bride was met at the altar by her father, who gave her in marriage, and by the bridegroom and his best man, Dr. John Douglas Simpson. She wore a lovely gown of Crepe Romaine fashioned along simple lines with the sleeveless bodice finished with a boat neck. Through deep armholes extending to the waist line and bound in self material, a satin slip showed through. A soft girdle of the crepe extended into a short side train finished with a spray of orange blossoms. A three-yard length train of chiffon, draped with a scarf of Brussels lace, was caught at the waistline while the tulle veil caught at the back of the head with a semi-wreath of orange blossoms and fell to the hem of the train. The veil was held in place with a cap of Irish point lace. A shower of freesia and lilies of the valley made up the bridal bouquet.

The four attendants wore gowns fashioned similar to that of the bride, Mrs. Puffer wearing primrose pink and the other three hydrangea blue, with French flowers in forget-me-not and wistaria shades in their hair. The matron of honor carried an arm bouquet of sweet peas shading from lavender to deep American Beauty, while Mrs. Nowell and the Misses Eastman and Wheelwright had bouquets of violets and lavender and pink sweet peas.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception attended by 125 guests was held at the Minneapolis club when Mrs. Silas Bryan (Fannie Schibsby), sister of the bride; Mr. Michael Schibsby, father of the bride, and the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gamble, received with the young couple. Spring flowers in lavender and pink shades were used about the receiving room and a mound of sweet peas and tulips formed the centerpiece on the bride's table with lavender candles in candelabra placed at either end.

Mr. Gamble and his bride left late in the evening for New York, where they will spend a week, after which they will be at home in Thief River Falls. For traveling the bride is wearing a Russian blouse dress of blue poiret twill heavily embroidered in bright shades of red, blue and yellow, and a hat of black satin.

Woman's Club Meeting.

At the meeting of the Woman's club held Monday afternoon a very interesting program on Modern Photography was in charge of Mrs. A. N. Heggen. Mrs. W. H. Akre led the Current Events and was assisted by Mrs. B. W. Briggs. The local club holds the distinction of making a quilt for the state president, Mrs. Rounds, and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, chairman of the committee on making the quilt, announced that it was completed and was on exhibition at Loken's store on Monday, being sent to Mrs. Rounds in the evening. All clubs throughout the state had been asked by the State Child Welfare board to make Jan. 23 "Child Labor Day," and as a fitting conclusion to the afternoon's program Mrs. J. M. Bishop, county chairman of the Child Welfare board, gave an exceptionally fine talk on "Child Labor." The next meeting of the club will be held on Monday afternoon, Feb. 6, and will be strictly social, in the nature of a valentine party, and arrangements will be in charge of Mrs. T. L. Melgaard. Miss Meta Kiland will give a vocal solo. The committee on refreshments is as follows: Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht, chairman; Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Mrs. H. O. Loken and Mrs. C. H. Jung.

Quilting Bee.

The members of the executive board of the Woman's club and quilt committee met at the home of Mrs. Daniel Shaw on Friday afternoon to make and tie a quilt for the state president, Mrs. Rounds. It was the intention of Mrs. Rounds through this plan to give some club in the state an opportunity to make a little money but the local organization felt the honor of being chosen from numerous clubs throughout the state merited a donation. The quilt, made in lavender and white material, was on display at Loken's store Monday and received much favorable comment.

Honoring Miss Booren.

Miss Olive Booren of Stillwater was honor guest at a one o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. E. O. Mogensen at her home on Saturday afternoon. The guest list included Misses Grace Wilson, Evangeline Burns, Lucille Burns, Irma Johnson, Esther Smith, Aldora Berg, Belva Foxen, Olga Murat, Meta Kiland, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. F. J. Niclai, Mrs. Walter Simth of Mavie, Mrs. C. E. Andrews, Mrs. John Bratrud, Mrs. W. R. Patterson, and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge.

Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, 610 Bridge street, were hosts at dinner at their home Saturday evening, followed by bridge. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Arneson, Dr. and Mrs. R. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dolan, Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herrick, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, and Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Booren.

For Mrs. Busch.

Mrs. L. H. Lawrence entertained a few ladies at her home Tuesday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Busch of Detroit, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy Lambert.

Entertains Informally.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rolland informally entertained a company of friends at their home, 504 St. Paul avenue south, Sunday evening.

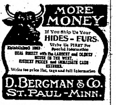

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Churches

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.
O. J. Lundell, Pastor

The Young People's conference of the North Red River valley will hold its midwinter conference here Jan. 28 and 29, commencing Saturday at 7:45 p. m. On Sunday at 10 a. m., Mrs. Rev. O. B. Olson of Crookston will address the Sunday school. Services will then be held at 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Services will continue every evening during the week at 7:45 p. m., except Saturday. Several outside speakers will take part in the conference and the male quartet from Crookston will sing. A special invitation is extended to the young people. Come and be welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Church.
T. E. Swegar, Pastor

Confirmation class meets at parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. Choir will meet for practice this week at the home of Dr. Nesse Friday at 7:30. Divine service Sunday in English at 11 a. m. Song choir. Meeting of board of deacons immediately after morning service. Divine service in Norwegian 7:45 p. m. Ladies' Aid society meets in church Thursday, Feb. 2. Mesdames Rasmus Oen, Ed. Evenson, S. A. Hanson and Gulbrand Granum entertain. Young Peoples League society meets the same evening.

St. John's Lutheran Church.
E. H. Kreidt, Pastor.

English services Sunday at 10 a. m. Sunday school 11:30 a. m. The Ladies' Aid meets Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. All the ladies will join in serving lunch. The pastor will conduct English services at Holt Monday afternoon, 1 o'clock.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, Jan. 29, "Love." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Open also for a reading room on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Zion Lutheran Church.
George Larson, Pastor.

Services in city 11 a. m. Afternoon services at Norden 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Sunday evening 7:45 p. m. The girls' sewing circle meets with Mrs. Dina Evenson Tuesday evening [illegible] o'clock. The confirmants meet every Saturday at 2 o'clock at the parsonage.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church.
Bot Nyborg, Pastor.

Service next Sunday at 11 a. m. In the evening there will be no meeting on account of the young people's conference in the Swedish Mission church. Sunday school 10 a. m.

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Lars Bendickson.

Tuesday morning occurred the death of Lars Bendickson of [illegible] Plain township, from heart trouble. Deceased was nearly 72 years of age. Burial will take place Jan. 28 at Zion church cemetery.

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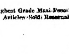

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The School Paper.

Almost every high school and college of any size now publishes a school paper. The editing and publishing of this paper gives rise to many perplexing questions, none of which seem to be satisfactorily answered at the present time. First, there is the actual work of editing the paper. Shall it be the work of a journalism class, which both edits and publishes the paper? Shall it be directed by a staff selected (and how) from the whole school? If the last method is adopted, shall the staff furnish all the material as well as edit the paper, or shall the student body furnish the material? Then there is the accepted purpose of the paper, which must in a large degree determine the policy of the editing staff. It may be a publication for printing the best literary productions of the students, it may be a simple newspaper to acquaint the public with happenings at school, or it may be the official organ of the student body, expressing the sentiment of the students on any matter of common interest as well as the current news. There is also the question of proportion. How large a portion is to be devoted to editorial comment, how much to news, and what amount shall be reserved for humor? Shall the paper be put out entirely by the students, or may the faculty help in raising the standard? These are but a few of the problems that confront the editors of a high school paper. Taking it all together, the lot of the pioneers in scholastic journalism is not an irresponsible one.

Progress, Rah!

The Progress staff, in an effort to arouse more interest in our high school paper, staged a pep meeting at chapel last Wednesday. Several vocal and "instrumental" selections were provided as entertainment. Various members of the staff addressed the pupils briefly and told of the difficulties they had encountered in putting out the paper. This was followed by Supt. Simley, who urged everyone to contribute and to help put the Progress on a better and more interesting basis. Our high school paper, it was pointed out, is not fulfilling its original purpose, that of serving as a mouthpiece for student-faculty opinion, but has become almost completely a staff paper.

It is to be hoped that the rank and file of the student body will wake up to the fact that each one is individually responsible for every issue, and will, accordingly, take a more active interest. There is a splendid opportunity for making this one of the best school papers in the state, since there is a large enrollment at Lincoln high, and since we have nothing to do with the actual publishing of the paper except to furnish the material.

Beginning with the Freshmen, each class will be given a chance to show its journalistic ability in preparing one issue of the Progress. This will, possibly, serve to arouse more competition in contributing material, but, even if such is not the case, it will at least give the staff a much needed rest so that, when they return to the job, a more varied and interesting school sheet will be provided as the "traveling representative" of Lincoln High.

Efficiency.

When a manufacturer buys machinery he is greatly interested in the percentage of efficiency, in other words how much of the work expended is put to use. If we consider that both our material well-being and our enjoyment of life depend on getting the most results from the least effort we may also take an interest in our own efficiency. How, then, can we attain the greatest efficiecy? A machine is efficient when it is neither overworked nor under-worked. It is the same with people, including students. Each one of us should know just what our capacity for work is, and then keep the load factor as near 100 per cent as possible.

Parents and Teachers to Meet Basket Ball.

By special request, the following letter from the Minnesota Education association is published in the Progress with this issue:

"To Members of Parent-Teachers Associations:

"Circular No. 1, dated Dec. 31, 1921, has, in all probability, reached you and contents been digested.

"At an informal conference called by Mr. P. E. Carlson, president of the Minnesota Education association, Jan. 9, we were informed that Mrs. Milton P. Higgins, president of the National Congress of Mothers' and Parent-Teachers' associations, would be in St. Paul on her way to the coast Jan. 31 and Feb. 1.

"After considerable discussion, Mr. Carlson himself favored calling an unofficial conference of the Parent-Teacher division of the M. E. A., at which time the advisability or inadvisability of organizing this division along the lines of the national association be considered. However, it is understood that no official action can be taken until the next regular annual meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association, the purpose of the conference being to discuss the proposal of making or not making the Parent-Teachers' division of the M. E. A., a branch of the National Congress of Mothers' and Parent-Teachers' associations. The conclusions reached and the recommendations drafted at this conference are to be presented for discussion and consideration at the annual meeting in October of this year.

"Therefore the executive committee of the state association has seen fit to call such unofficial conference, at which Mrs. Higgins will be present, and you are cordially invited and urgently requested to attend.

"The members of the Council of Mothers' Clubs and Parent-Teachers' associations of St. Paul and Minneapolis will open their homes for those attending this convention. If you desire to accept this cordial invitation kindly write Mrs. J. R. Donahue, 692 Dayton Ave., St. Paul, or the president at 3405 Humboldt Ave. N., Minneapolis.

"Please register at headquarters in Y. W. C. A. The opening session will be held Jan. 31, at 8 p. m., in Y. W. C. A. auditorium, 123 W. 5th St., St. Paul.

"With the one desire to serve the clubs and associations of the state in the best and highest way, I am

"Very truly yours,
"Mrs. G. Finger, Pres.
Esther S. Ernst, Sec.

Evening meeting, Jan. 31, 8 p. m.
Music.
"America."
Addresses of Welcome—Mrs Gustave Finger, State President; S. O. Hartwell, Supt. St. Paul Schools.
Address—Phillip E. Carlson, President, Minnesota Education Association.
Music.
Address—Mrs. Milton P. Higgins, President National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers Association.
February 1, 10 o'clock:
Community Singing.
Address—Mrs. William Foster Young, President, Illinois Council of Parent-Teachers Association.
Discussion—Mrs. Higgins, Mr. Carlson and others.
Recommendations.
Noonday Organ Recital, Auditorium.
Luncheon, 1 o'clock, Y. W. C. A.
Afternoon 2 o'clock:
Adams School Orchestra, Minneapolis.
Address—Mrs. Milton P. Higgins.
Address—Dr. F. E. Harrington, Minneapolis Health Commissioner.
Question Box.

On Notebooks.

Notebooks are considered invaluable aids to the 20th century student. Perhaps they are. But may it not be that they, as well as any other "aid" or prop, can be overused? Does it not often happen that much knowledge goes to the notebook instead of the brain? When a statement is jotted down in a notebook, the brain is relieved of it, and may never take it up again. It is true that notebooks are used for "future reference." But how often in the future, unless the matter is again taken up in class, is it ever referred to? If your head will hold it, absorb it mentally; if not, store it in your notebook or any other place. It doesn't matter. (Editor's note: A little knowledge of psychology will establish the reason for the notebook. Briefly, organizing and jotting down the principal facts, it has been proved, will "clinch" it for you.)

Miss Leavitt Talks on Stars.

(Owing to an oversight this report was omitted from last week's issue.)

On last Wednesday, during the chapel period, Miss Leavitt talked at the general assembly and chose as her subject the stars. She pointed out that the study of the stars, which seems to some to be too remote from man's ken to be interesting, is just as much a branch of nature study as that of birds and flowers. By using the blackboard, Miss Leavitt explained some of the constellations which are at present visible in the evening sky, showing their position in relation to each other. She told of the early Greeks and Romans who studied the stars, their beliefs and thoughts about them and the stories they made up about them.

It is to be hoped that other and equally interesting speeches may be enjoyed by the high school pupils in the future.

Bessie Elofson Honor English Student.

Macalester college of St. Paul has announced a high school composition contest.

They are planning to issue, in February, a special number of their Gateway Magazine, in the form of a high school anthology which will contain the best written work of the high school pupils of Minnesota. To secure these compositions they have asked that all high school English departments send in the best examples of their work. From this they will make selections for the Anthology. The authors of the five best compositions included will receive medals. The Anthology will also publish an honor roll, containing the name of the best writer of every high school.

In our school, selections for the Anthology were all made from the work of the Juniors and Seniors, and a Senior, Bessie Elofson, was named as our representative for the honor roll. The following compositions were sent in:

"Too Late," poem, Bessie Elofson; "A Change of Heart," story, Gladys Maland; "Grandmother," description, Lucille Curtis; "Value of Our Bird Neighbors," exposition, Conrad Hovie; "The Near East Problem," story, Pearl Weeks.

Thirty-Four Promoted to High School.

Short commencement exercises were held in the Central building on Friday afternoon, Jan. 20, at 3 o'clock honoring the graduation of 34 students into the high school. This class presents singularities peculiar to itself alone in that it is the first class to be graduated from the eighth grade in the middle of the school year and in that every one of the 34 pupils is entering high school at this time. The class is made up of students who have spent a year and a half or more in the eighth grade, others who have been taking some work in high school besides completing their eighth grade subjects, and some who have entered from nearby schools. The following splendid program was given:

Song, "Star Spangled Banner" School
Piano Solo, "Lustspiel," by Keller Bela, Lois Nicholson.
Violin Duet, "Where the Mississippi Flows," Henry Arneson, Leigh Anderson.
Piano Solo, "By the Waters of Minnetonka," Lawrence, Theresa Fuller.
Address, "Habits," Dr. Froehlich.
Vocal Solo, "Barefoot Trail," Carl Sundahl.
Address, "Does it Pay and is it Possible for You to Go on With Your Education?" Supt. I. T. Simley.
Presentation of Class, Miss Tandberg.
Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. I. T. Simley.
Song, "America," School.

The following received their diplomas:

Theresa Aakre, Nellie Borger, Clara Bucholz, Jesse Davidson, Delma Dols, Elva Effinger, Donald Fiterman, Rhinehold Habedank, Julia Johnson, Harley Kast, Roy Langevin, Walter Larson, Nobel Larson, Ida Ice, Orville Lufkin, Ward Mathewson, Bernice Moen, Alma Myrold, Edna Olson, Clifford Overum, Pauline Parenteau, Francis Parenteau, Pauline Pawling, Melvin Peterson, Edna Phillips, Esther Rustad, Otto Saugen, Melvin Saugen, Myrtle Shane, Sylvia Torkelson, Hilda Waale, Salome Wikel, Richard Zeh.

Athletes Banqueted.

Football Captain For Next Year Elected.

In appreciation of the work done in athletics by our high school this year, the football and basketball boys were entertained at a 6:30 o'clock "eats" last Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Jardine, Mr. and Mrs. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Rapacz, and Mr. and Mrs. Simley. The banquet was held at the Simley home. The table, which had been built in the form of a T, was decorated in the high school colors and presented an inviting appearance.

The menu was as follows:

Fruit Cocktail
Roast Pork Apple Sauce
Riced Potatoes, Gravy
Escalloped Corn Pear Salad
Pickles, Jell, Rolls
Pumpkin Pie a la Mode
Coffee, Candy

After having done justice to the "feed"—and the boys did dive in in true football fashion—Mr. Simley pounded the gavel and presented himself as toastmaster. "Kip" LaBree, "Bob" McGinn, "Rusty" Anderson, "Toby" Holmgren, "Chuck" Herron, "Ernie" Barzen, Loyal Arnold and "Cliff" Sorenson, as well as Coach Stenhoff and Mr. Rapacz, responded to calls by the master of ceremonies. Football, basketball, and pep, with a lot of each, was the general line of talk.

When both gastronomic and forensic features had been done for, the football letter men proceeded to elect a football captain for next year. The honor was bestowed upon "Rusty" Anderson. In the usual "well chosen few words," "Rusty" thanked the boys for the honor and assured them he would do everything in his power to do what he could at all times for the good of the team and the school.

Basketball.

Last Thursday night in the auditorium the Thief River Falls high school scored its second victory over the Mahnomen team. The game was fast from the first to the last whistle and the local team showed a good improvement over their last contest. La Bree sprained his ankle during the first minute of the game and he may be lost to the team for the next few weeks.

In the preliminary game the Freshmen defeated the eighth graders by a score of 8 to 7.

The crowd was better than usual, but still there were too many pupils the next day asking how the game turned out.

Ralston led the scoring with five field baskets and one free throw. The lineup was Ralston, rf; C. Sorenson, lf; LaBree, c; Arnold, lg; Bischoff, rg.

January 27.

Don't forget the declamation contest which is to be held in the high school auditorium next Friday evening to select the person who will represent our district in the Red River Valley contest at Crookston, Monday, Feb. 6. The schools that will compete in this contest are Greenbush, Holt, Lancaster, Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls. This is a worthy undertaking and ought to have good support. A nominal admission fee will be charged to help pay the expenses of the judges. Come, and prove to the people of our district that Thief River Falls is the proper place for holding all contests.

Central School Notes.

The 7th "B" class gave Miss Dodge a very happy surprise in honor of her birthday on Wednesday afternoon.

Bernice Girard and Hazel Swenson have been absent this week on account of illness.

Julia Johnson has withdrawn from school.

Miss Batten's room won the banner for good marching this week.

Raymond Wengeler is back at school after several weeks' absence on account of illness.

Thanks to Miss Batten for inscribing the names of the pupils on the diplomas.

Mrs. Bertha Saugen visited classes in the eighth grade on Wednesday afternoon.

E. A. Mostue was a visitor at the Central on Thursday morning.

Final examinations held last week in all subjects closed the work of the first semester. Twenty-four students were promoted from the seventh into the eighth grade. This will leave a total of eighty-nine students enrolled in the eighth and one hundred eight in the seventh grade for the second semester. Though many changes were necessary in the program, no interruption in the regular class work was noticed as the new program, which had been carefully planned, worked successfully.

Knox School News.

The sixth grade pupils were again weighed. A decided increase is shown in weight, especially among those taking milk.

Frederick Wengeler is proving himself a faithful and punctual drummer. He "drums" for the marching in our building.

Oscar Larson has enrolled in the fifth grade.

During the five days, Jan. 16-20, we have had 549 bottles of milk delivered at our school. In dollars and cents this amounts to $13.73, but in the weight of the pupils it means pounds.

Northrop News.

Miss Berg's room enjoyed a sleigh ride party Friday night.

The sixth grade of the Northrop school will play a game of basketball with the seventh grade of Central school Saturday morning at ten o'clock.

Carl Hagen is absent from school as a member of the family has scarlet fever.

Miss O'Neill's sixth grade had a sleigh ride party Wednesday evening.

Alva Anderson has moved back from Spokane, Washington, and is enrolled in Miss O'Neill's department.

The children in Miss Nordvi's first grade won the pennant for marching this week.

George Hagen has been absent on account of illness.

Miss Adams' pupils won the pennant for the best marching for the week in the upper grades.

Tests in music were given by Miss Johnson in the various rooms Thursday, Jan. 19.

Mrs. C. M. Evenson visited Miss Berg's room Tuesday afternoon.

On Wednesday afternoon Mr. White visited Mrs. Eyde's room.

During the past week milk has been purchased by the pupils to the amount of $8.50.

Washington Notes.

The following fifth grade pupils have been neither absent nor tardy the past six weeks: Theresa Amon, John Arnold, Bernard Leimers, Katherine Bakke, Mildred Bidler, Viola Bredeson, Agnes Bjorge, Eugene Crandall, Edith Jaranson, Melvin Carlson, Iona Loken, Harry Moline, Helen Mousley, Margaret McGinnity, Clarence Sande, Edwin Soderberg and Lucy Warner.

Mrs. Bertha Saugen visited the school Thursday afternoon.

The first and second grades won the marching pennant for the week.

Lyle Stageberg visited the first grade Tuesday afternoon.

Those in the first grade who were neither absent nor tardy for the last six weeks are: Gretchen Simley, Karla Hinrichs, Harvey Egenes, Morris Vaudrin, Ronald Sponheim, Paul Dahl, and Ingvold Henrickson.

Those in the first grade who had a perfect attendance for the first semester are: Lorenz Krause and Roy Swanson.

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Those pupils have been neither absent nor tardy the first semester: Theresa Amon, Katherine Bakke, Mildred Bidler, Viola Bredeson and Edwin Soderberg.

These pupils have had perfect attendance the first semester: Margaret Barzen, Margaret Bjorkman, Ethel Carlson, Eleanor Hoglin, Ruby Ihle, Ernest Krause, Louise Roth, Wesley Roth, Agnes Quindlog, Alfred Stokke, Gladys Weeks and Gladys Eastman.

Laura Nelson, Dora Laubach, Jerome Gray, Vera Randall, Roy Lonson and Leota Rounds were transferred to the Knox this week.

Clara Vigness, Margaret Hoglin, Amanda Arneson, Irving Hoglin and Bessie Carlson have perfect attendance this year.

The following pupils from third grade have been neither absent nor tardy the first semester: Harold Block, Violet Jacobson, Clarence Offerdahl, Margaret Thill, Frances Dyness.

Ray Pearson, Junior Prichard and Florentine Spaeth have returned to the Knox.

The following pupils in the fourth grade have been neither absent nor tardy the first semester: Eunice Carlson, Edward Eastman, Gladys Jacobson, Ruth Jacobson, Donald Snyder.

The following pupils in the fourth grade have been neither absent nor tardy the last six weeks of school: Eunice Carlson, William Clabo, Edward Eastman, Agnes Field, Clarence Hovie, Gladys Jacobson, Ruth Jacobson, Donald Snyder, James Warner, Mae Rausch.

The following sixth grade pupils have been neither absent nor tardy the past six weeks: John Barzen, Margaret Barzen, Margaret Bjorkman, Ethel Carlson, Thrina Dahl, Eleanor Hoglin, Ruby Ihle, Mildred Jacobson, Ernest Krause, Raymond Larson, Lenore Lieberman, Chester Myrom, Louise Roth, Wesley Roth, Agnes Quindlog, Clayton Snyder, Alfred Stokke, Lottie Troudeau, Gladys Weeks, Murrel Wiken, Carl Swedenburg and Gladys Eastman.

Administration's Corner.

The Local School Tax.

Last week there was explained briefly in this column the system of school support in Minnesota. This week there is offered an application of that system to the local situation.

Our school district is comprised of approximately twelve sections of land including the city of Thief River Falls. It extends six miles east and west and includes in this strip sections twenty-five to thirty inclusive. To the north of this strip, and adjacent to it, are two sections. To the south, and again adjacent, are approximately four sections. The greatest width, therefore, north and south, is three miles while the length is six miles.

Herewith are tables showing the assessed valuation and the various school taxes:

Valuation: Real estate and Personal Property	$1,796,443.00
Money and credits	741,964.00
Total	$2,538,407.00

Taxation: County mill tax	1.0 mills
Special levy for schools	44.5 mills
State loan	6.2 mills
Total for schools	51.7
Total for other purposes	52.4
Total for all purposes	104.1

It will be seen that approximately one-half of the taxes go for school purposes.

The county mill tax is levied on all property and is distributed to the districts in the county according to the number of pupils attending school at least forty days during the term.

The special levy is levied on the valuation of the real and personal property and goes directly to the local district.

The State Loan levy goes to liquidate bonded money that has been received from the state.

In dollars and cents, these different levies raise the following sums:

Special levy of 44.5 mills	$79,941.71
One mill levy	2,538.41
State Loan, 6.2 mills	11,137.95
Total levy	$93,618.07

In a following issue will appear a table setting forth the aid received by our district from the state.

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Clear Your Complexion of pimples, acne and other facial disfigurement. Use freely Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Good for eczema, itching skin, and other skin troubles. One of Dr. Hobson's Family Remedies.

Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment

Undergoes Operation

Harold Provencher, who has been employed as steward at the Northern hotel at Devils Lake for about six months, returned home last Saturday night, and on Monday morning was operated on for appendicitis at the Physicians hospital.

Mr. Provencher is in the hands of the vocational training board, being a former service man, and entitled to medical treatment at one of the Minneapolis hospitals, but his case was urgent and it was thought best to bring him back to his home in this city. He is recovering nicely.

The Times—Official County Paper.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN

Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.[illegible]
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	[illegible]
Flax	[illegible]
Barley	.38
Oats	[illegible]
Rye	[illegible]

FLOUR AND FEED

Flour, per cwt.	[illegible]
Cracked corn, 100 lb. bag	[illegible]
Whole corn, 100 lb. bag	[illegible]
Oil Meal	[illegible]
Bran and Shorts	[illegible]

POULTRY

Geese, per lb.	[illegible]
Old Roosters	[illegible]
Hens, heavy	[illegible]
Hens, light	[illegible]
Spring Chickens, per lb.	[illegible]

PRODUCE

Eggs, per doz.	[illegible]
Dairy Butter, per lb.	[illegible]
Creamery Butter, per lb.	[illegible]
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	[illegible]
Horse hides	$1.00-[illegible]
Calf hides	[illegible]

STOCK MARKET

Lamb, dressed, per lb.	[illegible]
Pork, dressed, per lb.	[illegible]
Veal, dressed, per lb.	[illegible]

LIVE STOCK

Steers, per lb.	[illegible]
Calves, per lb.	[illegible]
Cows, per lb.	[illegible]

Annual Report of P. Engelstad, Secretary Thief River Falls Co-operative Creamery Association, for the Year 1921.

BUTTER PRODUCTION

Pounds of cream received		1,701,495
Pounds of whole milk received		404,[illegible]
Pounds of skim milk received		472,344
Average test of cream	28.81	
Average test of milk	3.07	
Butterfat from cream		516,[illegible]
Butterfat from milk		14,870.[illegible]
Total amount of butterfat		531,[illegible]
Butterfat sold in milk and cream		20,274.[illegible]
Butterfat made into butter		511,551.[illegible]
Butter shipped, pounds	497,652	
Sold in city	122,025	
Sold to patrons (farmers)	5,758	
Total butter sold		[illegible]
Overrun, pounds, 113,781		[illegible]
Average price received for butter, net		[illegible]
Average price paid for butterfat, monthly		[illegible]
Increase in butterfat over last year		[illegible]
Decrease in dollars and cents		[illegible]

CREAMERY RECEIPTS

Received for butter shipped		$182,711.[illegible]
City retail:		
Butter, pounds	$ 51,201.16	
Cream	10,487.[illegible]	
Milk	7,705.[illegible]	
Prepared buttermilk	[illegible]	
Common buttermilk	357.53	70,772.[illegible]
Received from patrons to sinking fund	$ 2,287.67	
Received from patrons, 5,758 lbs. butter	1,472.14	
Received from patrons, express and other charges	5,621.48	9,381.[illegible]
Interest on deposits		570.[illegible]
Received for 4,378 butter tubs		2,614.[illegible]
Received for 65 barrels salt		[illegible]
Received for sweet cream shipped		112.[illegible]
Received for bottles charged to merchants		681.[illegible]
Received for rent of rooms		179.[illegible]
Received for interest on Victory bond		[illegible]
Received for miscellaneous creamery supplies		101.87
Received for three creamery shares		75.00
Received from Borgen on team and wagon		[illegible]
Received for miscellaneous		[illegible]
Received for miscellaneous		40.[illegible]
Received for balance at First National Bank		[illegible]
Total receipts		$268,281.[illegible]

Disbursements.

Overdrawn balance Dec. 31, 1920	$ 1,434.78
Paid patrons by check	210,858.12
Paid patrons by cash	40.61
Paid patrons by charges	9,384.29
Paid employees	12,091.00
Paid repair and improvement	223.31
Paid treasurer	528.00
Paid secretary	1,800.00
Paid directors	138.00
Paid for fuel	1,208.08
Paid express on cream	4,813.42
Paid express and freight	1,442.00
Paid draying	174.70
Paid taxes	632.42
Paid insurance	378.07
Paid water and light dept.	1,227.90
Paid Northwestern Tel. Co.	105.50
Paid Zion church, annual dinner	237.60
Paid Creamery Pkg. Mfg. Co.	4,413.68
Paid J. G. Cherry & Co.	2,013.11
Paid Armour & Co.	5,301.60
Paid Twin City Box and Lumber Co.	2,125.00
Paid Menasha Printing Co.	930.23
Paid for butter culture and color	67.50
Paid the Dairy Supply Co.	270.08
Paid the Dairy Council	411.90
Paid Diamond Crystal Salt Co.	332.50
Paid advance, team and wagon	335.00
Paid Nebraska Printing Co.	198.00
Paid Dennison Mfg. Co.	137.50
Paid Pyramid Oil Co.	229.64
Paid Toledo Scale Co.	107.03
Paid Hinde-Dauch Paper Co.	[illegible]
Paid C. H. Truant Co.	161.[illegible]
Paid, filling ice house	207.[illegible]
Paid Red Lake Ice Co.	[illegible]
Paid the Prichard Co.	[illegible]
Paid the Times Co.	[illegible]
Paid the Tribune	118.[illegible]
Paid Oen Merc. Co.	79.[illegible]
Paid laundry bill	[illegible]
Paid cancelling 2 shares	50.00
Paid Remington Typewriter Co.	[illegible]
Paid Pennington County Farm Bureau	100.00
Paid, stationery	[illegible]
Paid Chas. E. Roemer	110.[illegible]
Paid Thos. D. Murphy & Co.	[illegible]
Paid Western Union	[illegible]
Paid bottles bought, cash	[illegible]
Paid John Morgan, postage	[illegible]
Paid commission to agents	[illegible]
Paid 161 dividend checks	[illegible]
Paid work on dump	[illegible]
Paid U. S. Rubber Co.	[illegible]
Paid Paper Supply Co.	[illegible]
Paid Nat. Engraving Co.	34.75
Paid Fargo Paper Co.	[illegible]
Paid Associated Mfg. Co.	[illegible]
Paid Patterson Paper Co.	[illegible]
Paid Thief River Grocery Co.	[illegible]
Paid Miscellaneous, sheet No. 1	[illegible]
Paid Miscellaneous sheet No. 2	[illegible]
Balance on hand Dec. 31	[illegible]
Total	$268,281.[illegible]

Respectfully submitted,
P. ENGELSTAD, Secretary.

RED RIVER VALLEY LIVESTOCK ASSOCIATION
Pure Bred Live Stock Sale
Crookston, Minnesota
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 8, 1922, 10:30 A. M.
Shorthorn, Hereford and Angus Cattle—20
1:00 P. M.
Shropshire Sheep—11 Poland China Swine—20
Chester White Swine—4 Duroc Jersey Swine—40
THURSDAY, FEB. 9, 1922, 1:00 P. M.
Holstein Cattle—30
All registered, high quality animals for foundation stock. Send for catalog, stating breed, to O. M. Kiser, Secretary, Crookston, Minnesota.

Vapors reach deep colds
When the cold "goes down" get after it by the rubbing and vapor method.

Obstinate colds that go down into the chest can be reached by the combination rubbing and vapor-inhaling method with Vicks VapoRub.

Apply Vicks over throat and chest. Rub well in, spread on thickly and cover with two thicknesses of flannel. At night arrange bedclothes loosely, like a funnel, so the arising vapors will be breathed all night, right into the lungs.

Quick relief should be had from the tightness, soreness and cough with rapid loosening of the phlegm, abating danger of pneumonia or influenza.

Vicks contains the antiseptic, healing vapors of Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, Thyme and Oil of Turpentine and is the standby in millions of homes for congestions of nose, throat, and chest; skin hurts and itchings, and various bodily pains.

Once tried, Vicks becomes a stand-by in the medicine cabinet.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

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Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

An Independent Legal Weekly Newspaper Published Every Thursday at Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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THE DEPENDABLE STAND-BY.

The co-operative creamery has proven itself a rescue station for the Northwestern farmer during the past two years. While this is true of every year to a greater or lesser extent, the fact has never been so thoroughly demonstrated as in the recent past. The man with the cream check is the one to whom merchants and even bankers defer. His is the one branch of husbandry out of which the bottom has not dropped.

While it is true that prices for butterfat took a mighty tumble from the high plane reached during the war, yet they have been maintained at a point that meant a profit for the producer. Creamery figures for the year are down somewhat as compared with those for 1920, but the increase in volume has taken up the slack to such an extent that the total is not far below the last-mentioned year. This means that there are more cows and better cows in the state and section than ever before.

The Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery has kept abreast of its neighbors at all times and has often been in the lead. The amount of butterfat received is greater than ever before in its history and the demand for its product constantly increasing. In fact the plant has never been able to make all the butter it could have sold and the probabilities are that it never will.

Six hundred dollars and more has has been paid out to the cream producers in the region served by the creamery every day during the past year, Sundays and holidays included. For the month of July the amount distributed among the milkers averaged $1,280 per day, while during December it fell to $405 per day. The average, however, was a little over $600.

It is without question the greatest industry in the county. Not only is it important to the man who owns the cows and consequently receives the check, but it is of almost as great importance to the business man with whom he does his trading. The latter is dependent upon the milch cow to a far greater extent than he sometimes realizes. She has never failed him so he does not know just how badly she would be missed. She is the one dependable standby in northern Minnesota when other things fail in coming up to expectations.

The farmer who decides to make this branch of industry his main dependence is wise. He will find those who are ready to help him get a start and under conditions which will make his success certain. The matter is largely up to the man on the farm. He can continue in the haphazard manner followed by so many at the present time or he can make the right beginning and embrace the one opportunity open to him for achieving contentment and prosperity.

FARMERS TAKING A HAND.

(Crookston Times.)

Why all the excitement about the "farm bloc?" Why all the objection on the part of what is known as the "capitalistic press" to the farmers taking an interest in government or pretending even to have rights in it?

From reading some of this comment one would almost be led to believe that the farmers were committing a crime by their attempt through united action to influence legislation favorable to the agricultural interests.

There are some who seem to believe all the farmers are expected to do is cultivate the soil, pay taxes, produce the sons and daughters that do the successful work in the cities, then feed the entire nation at less cost than they can produce the crops that constitute the real national wealth.

When they have done that, according to some city folks, they have fulfilled their mission and are in no way justified in playing any really important part in government.

But the farmers themselves and those who realize to what an extent the prosperity of the nation depends upon their success look upon this thing differently and hereafter the man who goes to congress from this state will have to show that he has a real interest in the farmers' welfare all the time instead of only at election time.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

It looks as if the disarmament conference isn't even disarming suspicion.

Minnesota liquor sanitariums are closing up because of lack of patronage. We're not surprised. Moonshine drinkers go straight to the cemetery.

The Biwabik Times favors amputating the "Lieut." from Lieut.-Gov. Collins' title. You won't have to live many years to see that operation performed.

"Girl shows clean pair of heels to man who tries to rob her," says a city daily. She must have been from the country. With present styles a city girl would show him a clean pair of knees.

Woman Preacher Here.

Mrs. Clinton Cook will deliver the morning sermon at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. Mrs. Cook is a regularly ordained minister and the wife of the Presbyterian Sunday school missionary in this field. The public is cordially invited to come and hear her sermon.

Martin Langseth Sick.

Word has been received in this city of the serious illness of Martin Langseth, who is attending the university of California under the vocational training provision of the government. This young man was among the first to enlist from Pennington county at the outbreak of the war and served up to the time of the armistice. He was gassed in action while a member of the 151st field artillery.

To Select Debater.

A declamation contest for the purpose of selecting the district debater to be sent to the regional meeting at Crookston, held in connection with the winter crops show, will take place in this city on Friday evening. In the district with Thief River Falls are St. Hilaire, Lancaster, Holt, Greenbush and Red Lake Falls.

New Instructor Here.

Stanley W. Pawley, formerly of Flint, Mich., has joined the local high school staff as instructor in commerce. This is the division in which commercial arithmetic, commercial law and a number of other advanced branches are taught. Mr. Pawley is a young man of wide experience in these subjects, which are now days considered of very great importance.

Should Be Enrolled.

Supt. I. T. Simley requests that all parents who have children coming of school age at the beginning of the present semester send them for enrollment at once in order that they may join the beginners' class. The weather has been somewhat against school attendance by primary pupils since the opening of school, but they should be sent if this can possibly be done.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 31, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Bishop. Every member is asked to come prepared to pay the yearly dues. Lunch will be served.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson entertained a company of friends at her home Sunday evening.

Sleighride Party.

About 25 of the oldest pupils in the music class of Miss Doris M. Halvorson were netertained by her Thursday evening at a sleighride party. Later the guests were invited to Miss Halvorson's home for a taffy pull. Much of the time was taken up with games and music. Light refreshments concluded a most pleasant evening.

S. V. Arneson, associate editor of The Tribune, left last evening for Duluth on a business trip.

City News

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sopero have as their guest this week the latter's father, A. Schaffer, of Minneapolis.

Mrs. F. C. Niclai and her guest, Mrs. Marvin of Warroad, spent Monday at Warren. The latter returned to her home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ray Franceschelna, who visited friends here over the week-end, returned Sunday night to Plummer, where she will remain for two weeks before going to Duluth to join her husband in establishing their home. They formerly resided in Minneapolis.

Miss Amy Severson, who had visited friends in Minneapolis for a few days, returned Monday morning.

Mr and Mrs. Ray Johnson returned the latter part of last week from a visit with relatives in the twin cities and at points in Iowa.

NEPTUNE

There was a surprise party on Mr. and Mrs. John Mostrom Saturday night, with a large crowd in attendance and an enjoyable time. A good supper was served.

Mrs. Rosella Tott of Forsythe, Mont., is visiting with her son, William Baldwin, near Rhoda. She says she likes northern Minnesota very well and is enjoying farm life after living in the city for eight years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lund of Thief River Falls are visiting with relatives near Neptune. They also attended the surprise party Saturday evening.

Stanley Skibicki of Kratka was after a load of wood from the old farm near Rhoda last Thursday.

Ed Lund of Thief River Falls is visiting relatives and friends near Neptune.

Willie Mostrom made a trip to Gully this after a load of supplies for the Neptune store.

Bjorn Tveitbak made a business trip to Thief River Falls last Thursday, returning Saturday.

Mrs. John Mostrom and children visited at the Baldwin home last Sunday.

Miss Annie Mostrom of Wanke is employed by Mrs. John Mostrom at Neptune.

STEINER

Willis Warring took a load of poultry to Thief River Falls last week and shipped it to the city. He says the prices at this time are quite satisfactory.

John Whitman has a fine pile of wood in his yard. Looks like he was figuring on a hard winter.

Henry Sande was a business caller in Thief River Falls the first of the week.

A small attendance is reported at the telephone meeting at the Russell school house Saturday on account of the bad weather. We did not learn who were elected officers.

Mrs. Rogers took the south-bound flyer from this place Saturday. She went to Thief River Falls to visit her daughter, Miss Jessie, who is attending high school there.

Ernest Slack called at the Koglin home the last of the week.

Willis Warring and his boy called at the Rogers home the first of the week.

Miss Gladys Russell visited her home folks over Sunday, and then returned to her school work at Thief River Falls.

Nat Muzzy is hauling wood these days from over near the river north of the Kisch farm.

S. R. Rogers was a business visitor here Saturday.

Willie Meyer spent the week-end n Thief River Falls.

Mr. Slack and son have been hauling wood from the Harvey Copp farm the past week.

Arthur Simonson transacted business at the county seat the first of the week.

Dan Dowueter and Gus Hillyer drove to Holt the first of the week on business.

Grandma Swanson took the train at this place Saturday for Thief River Falls for a short visit.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

In spite of the cold weather a large crowd attended the Young Peoples society meeting held at Jopperud's on Sunday.

Little Viola Loftness and Justina Sannes were absent from school on Monday owing to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Jorde visited at the home of Mrs. Jorde's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jacobson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hillyer entertained a number of friends Thursday evening in honor of Helmer Sannes' birthday.

Mildred Loftness spent the week-end at the home of her parents, returning Sunday to take up her high school work.

REGARDING RED LAKE DRAINAGE PROJECT

Editor Times:

Some time ago there appeared in the Minneapolis Journal an article or letter written by Mr. Berg from Erskine, Minn., in regard to the drainage of the so-called Red Lake basin and the consequent lowering of Red Lake and Clearwater rivers.

To anyone who is familiar with the subject and knows the condition of the territory to be affected by the project, the viewpoint put forth by Mr. Berg appears to be entirely absurd and misguiding, and without basic facts. To those who are directly concerned or live in this territory, an article of that nature has little or no influence, but to those who are less familiar with the true situation it may mean a false impression of the proposed work.

Mr. Berg acknowledges that he is only "somewhat acquainted with the territory and settlers who are supposed to benefit by this project," and judging by the general tone of the letter, even that must have been an exaggerated statement.

A survey of this territory—not only the swamps around Red lake (which were laid so much stress on) but also the fine farms of great potential value along the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers—would reveal the absolute necessity and feasibility of such improvement. It is not doing justice to this territory to say that it is largely covered with tamarack swamp which it would be of little or no value to drain or develop. On the contrary, a large part of the will-be-benefitted section is composed of land which, in many instances, is fully as good, and in some cases even better, than that found around Erskine, if it only were developed to its full capacity of production. This is proven by the fact that when destructive floods or unfavorable weather have not destroyed the promising crop, the returns have been highly favorable. This can be verified by farmers who have tilled the soil along the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers for a number of years.

The settlers are progressive and thrifty farmers who, in most instances, are unsuccessful, not because of inefficiency but on account of being handicapped by the seemingly inevitable floods. This is especially true of those living in the immediate vicinity of the rivers. Is there any reason for not assisting them in their efforts to increase production and make a living? The only relief in their present distress is the drainage project, which will benefit them to the degree that they will be able to utilize their land. And they have no fear of the drained tamarack swamps near Red lake which Mr. Berg predicts will be such a menace when the tamarack dries. At that rate, few developments of that kind would have been made for fear that the drained forests would become dangerous "firetraps." It is true that work on the project should have been done before, but it isn't yet too late. Many settlers have "stuck through it" merely in the anticipation that the long proposed improvement would finally be accomplished. Now they have put it in the hands of a board which, with Mr. Selvig as president, is doing all in its power to materialize the proposed project in the most favorable manner—not as it would concern engineers and contractors, but the residents of the river basin. Their work should not be hampered by interpretations put forth by persons who show little familiarity with the enterprise.

The three hundred who started the project at a mass-meeting had their own good at heart and knew what was necessary. From bitter experience they had learned that the numerous ditches were not sufficient, but that the two rivers eventually must be dredged to bring the desired results.

Since the work is wanted and expressed by those concerned, their cooperation in immediate action upon the work can be assured. They are willing to support it, at least so long as they are "hanging on" and not forced out due to the lack of the necessary aid. Now that it has been well begun let us help to promote as rapid progress as possible.

DRENG B. BJORNARAA.

Wanke, Minn., Jan. 20, 1922.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

Estate of Jon Jonsson Baner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonsson Baner, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Hans Baner,

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 15th day of July, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated January 13, 1922.

LARS BACKE.

(Court Seal)

"DAKOTAN" GETS DUTCH CONSULATE

Years ago when Gerhard H. Krogh was a student at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., that institution was not nearly so big and well equipped as it is today. But, even then, it spelled "Opportunity" in big letters. After graduating, Krogh was able to pass a Civil Service examination, went into consular service and has just been named U. S. Consul to Holland.

D. B. C. graduates have made big names for themselves in Government offices, banks, large mercantile firms. "Follow the Succe$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hicks
Licensed Undertakers and Embalmers
Phone Night or Day, No. 30
Modern Equipment Auto Hearse

Wool Wanted

We have a buyer for a carload of wool from this section. It will pay you to come and see us at once if you have any wool to dispose of. The market for last year's wool will never be better than it is right now.

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Out-of-town patients can have their work done in one day.

Teeth Extracted, 50c
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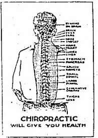

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BOYS' BAND

All boys wishing to join a Juvenile Band will meet at the Commercial Club Rooms

Friday, Jan. 27, 4:00 to 5:30

Mr. Frank Bennett is here for the purpose of organizing and preparing boys to enter the Municipal Band. Mr. Bennett is widely experienced in this work. This is your opportunity. Be on hand early and bring your instruments.

Let's GO Boys!

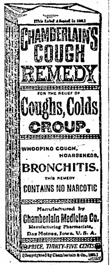
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SUNDAY and MONDAY
'Dangerous Curves Ahead'
With Helen Chadwick and Richard Dix
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Sunday Matinee 2:30—10c & 25c
Evening 7:20 and 9:00—20c & 35c

"THE SHEIK" is Coming.
See Announcement Next Week

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Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Second hand electric washer at a bargain. In excellent condition. May be seen at 713 E. Bridge St. 52

FOR SALE—Some fodder corn at $1 per load. T. K. Rynestad. 51p

POTATOES—Fine quality, 80 cents per bushel. Zeh & Curran. 52

FOR SALE—80 acres one and one-half miles north of Rosewood. New buildings in good condition. 40 acres in field. John Ranum, Rosewood, Minn. 1p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 430-J 40tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 183. Garments in excellent condition. 28tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE.
Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.
E. H. FALLMAN,
23tf St. Hilaire, Minn.

WE SPECIALIZE IN EXCHANGES—Auto, tractors, residence, merchandise, city income, hotels, etc., to exchange for Northwestern Minnesota farm lands. See us. Walker-Gesell Land Co., Thief River Falls, Minn. 4tf

FOR SALE—One large black moleskin overcoat, sheepskin lined, and one 25-caliber Marlin rifle. Inquire 615 Dewey Ave. 52p

FOR SALE—Registered Shorthorn bull at a bargain. John P. Johnson, Rhoda, Minn. 51

FOR SALE—160 acre dairy farm, three miles west of Thief River Falls. Has 60 acres solid poplar timber. Will cut cord wood enough to pay for land. 25 acres in cultivation. Terms $500 cash, balance 20 years at 3 per cent interest. Address F. Sherwin, Brookings, S. D. 2

FOR SALE—Auto tires and tubes, Ford sizes, 30x3, T 30x3½, at a bargain. Also auto trailer and paints and varnish. Phone 5103 Andrew Ness. 9tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT, SALE OR TRADE—Farm 8 miles east of Thief River Falls. H. R. Sullivan, Tecumseh, Nebr. 51

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Room suitable for young lady. 107 Horace Ave. N., near the bridge. 51p

FOR RENT—On shares, "Fairlands," the Marsh farms at Ross, Roseau County, Minn. Holstein dairy and grain farm, stocked with cows, hogs, full equipment machinery, including tractor; feed and seed. To good farmers only. Possession Feb. 1. F. E. Marsh, Ross, Minn. 52

FOR RENT—Rooms, all modern and nicely furnished, 110 St. Paul Ave. S., Phone 332-J. 50tf

FOR RENT—Modern room, 602 Main avenue north. 49tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, at 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone [illegible] 51p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 219 Times. 50tf

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 301, Times. 50tf

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest prices paid. Times Office.

LOST

LOST—On Horace Ave. between Loken Harness shop and Fifth st., a black and yellow bead belt. Finder please return to Mrs. Halvor Loken for reward. 51p

LOST—Near Standard Oil Service Station, a corduroy sheepskin coat. Finder return to Times office or notify John Swenson, St. Hilaire Rt. 1. 51p

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Boarders, one block north of Central school. Phone 233-LR. 51

TO TRADE—160 acres McLean Co., North Dakota land to trade for residence property in Thief River Falls. What have you to offer? Phone 236. 51p

WANTED—Your laundry cared for and delivered. Phone No. 309-W 51p

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 3p

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City News

Theo. Quale left Tuesday afternoon for Fargo on a business trip.

Kenneth Wattam was an over Sunday visitor with his brother at Fargo.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holt on Friday, Jan. 20.

Mrs. F. Soderberg of St. Hilaire attended to shopping here yesterday.

Mrs. Otto Johnson of St. Hilaire was a shopper here yesterday.

H. J. Morton of Aurora was in the city Tuesday calling on friends.

O. J. Johnson of Grygla was a visitor in this city on Friday.

Ed. Aubol of St. Hilaire spent Saturday here visiting friends and relatives.

John Golden of Gilbert spent a few days here the first of the week on business.

Chas. Nelson of Greenbush spent Tuesday in the city attending to business matters.

Rev. M. J. Noesen left yesterday morning for Middle River on a clerical call.

Tilfred Reierson went to Holt yesterday to spend a short time with relatives.

Miss Lillian Provencher returned yesterday morning from Fergus Falls after a short visit.

Miss Ida Isaacs of Fargo arrived Monday for a visit with Miss Myrtle Bundy.

Mrs. Fred Quale and little son left Saturday night for Minneapolis to visit friends.

Mrs. Agnes Warring left Saturday for Steiner to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Louis Rosland arrived Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Linstad.

Miss Ruby Jensen of Goodridge was a week-end guest of friends in this city.

Jordan A. Penney has accepted a position with the Thief River Dress club and started his duties on Monday.

Frank McGinnity left Tuesday afternoon for Fergus Falls with a patient from St. Hilaire to the state hospital.

Mrs. Willis Kistler, who had spent a month visiting relatives at Minneapolis and Alexandria, returned Friday evening.

Miss Hannah Gustafson and little nephew, Kendall Gustafson, returned yesterday from a few days' visit at Crookston with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. M. Wilson returned Tuesday morning from Chicago, where they had spent several weeks visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Yotter will leave this evening for Colorado Springs and Denver to spend several days visiting relatives and friends.

John Gustafson left Monday afternoon for Fargo to attend a meeting of salesmen for the Standard Oil company.

Mrs. Theo. Flaaten returned to her home at Strathcona Monday morning after accompanying her daughter to the Oakland Park sanitorium.

Mrs. C. E. Hallen returned Monday morning from Grand Forks, where she had visited over Sunday with her husband.

Misses Della and Myrtle Winberg returned to their home at Warren on Monday after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Karwand.

Miss Olive Wing, who had spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley, left Saturday morning for her home at Middle River.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher returned this morning from Grand Forks, where they had attended the funearl of Mrs. Fisher's grandmother.

Mrs. S. S. Nordgaard of Viking arrived Tuesday evening to spend a few days receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. George Baken returned Monday morning from St. Hilaire, where she had spent a few days visiting her parents.

Mrs. O. H. Nelson returned the latter part of last week from Park River, N. D., after a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Erickson and daughter, Dallas, will leave this evening for points in California to visit friends. They expect to be gone for three weeks.

Mrs. T. D. Scanlan and son, Paul, left Saturday for Havana, Ill., where they had been called by the death of Mrs. Scanlan's brother. They will be gone for about two weeks.

Mrs. B. A. Benson, who had spent a week as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dora Tharaldson, returned Monday afternoon to her home at Charleson, N. D.

Miss Ester Gunderson, who is employed at Moorhead, has returned to that place after a brief visit with her parents, who reside near this city.

L. O. Fevig, representing the Standard Oil company, left Monday afternoon for Fargo to attend a meeting of salesmen from this district. He will also visit at Moorhead with his parents.

Mrs. S. R. Rogers returned to her home at Steiner Monday, having visited over Sunday with her daughter, Miss Jessie, who attends the local high school.

Russel E. Spear of Grand Forks, representing a typewriter concern, was a business caller here yesterday. He left this morning for Middle River.

Miss Theresa Soderberg left yesterday afternoon for Ancortis, Wash., and will remain for an indefinite period with her sister, Mrs. John Erickson.

Miss Viola Axelson of Rosewood arrived Tuesday evening and will be employed at the Physicians hospital during the illness of the cook at that institution.

Mrs. A. Booren returned Monday evening from Plummer, where she had spent a few days visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Booren.

Mrs. A. L. Carlson and son, Glenn, and Mrs. Arvid Carlson returned to their home at Holt after having spent a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Solem.

Mrs. Walter Smith and baby daughter arrived Saturday from Mavie to visit until Monday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Smith. Mr. Smith came over from Mavie Monday and returned with his family.

Mrs. W. E. Wegge and two children have returned to their home at Holt after a few days' visit at the Ed. Timm home near this city. Mrs. Wegge had been confined at the local hospital for two weeks following an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Ray Franceschelna of Minneapolis, who had visited her mother, Mrs. S. Jorgenson, at Plummer, for a few days, arrived Friday evening for a visit with friends here. She is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. LeSage.

Miss Violet Brown of Grygla is spending two months visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown. She accompanied Mrs. Brown to St. Hilaire yesterday for an over night visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Timm of Eglund, N. D., arrived Monday evening for a visit at the home of the former's brother, Ed. Timm, who live near this city. At the conclusion of their visit here they will go to Holt to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wegge.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS IN STATE HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, DISTRICT NO. 1.

Following are the standings of the different high schools in this district at the present time as reported by Supt. I. T. Simley, chairman:

	pl	w	l	pc
East Grand Forks	1	1	0	1000
Warroad	2	2	0	1000
Argyle	5	4	1	800
Crookston	5	4	1	800
Fosston	4	3	1	750
Stephen	3	2	1	667
McIntosh	5	3	2	600
Ada	4	2	2	500
T. R. Falls	4	2	2	500
Warren	5	2	3	400
Fertile	4	1	3	250
Hallock	5	1	4	200
Bagley	2	0	2	000
Mahnomen	3	0	3	000
Roseau	2	0	2	000

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

There will be a business meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid on Friday, Jan. 27, at the home of Mrs. Theo. Quale, 723 Horace avenue north. Mrs. H. W. Kinghorn and Mrs. Quale will be hostesses. All members are requested to be present.

Welfare Section Meeting.

The social welfare section of the Woman's club will be entertained by Mrs. A. J. Richards and Mrs. A. S. Sapero at the Commercial club rooms next Monday afternoon.

She's Learning.

"Say," Madelon, this liver's something awful," said Buddy.

"I ver' sorry, mon cherie," answered his French bride. "I spick tomorrow wiz ze liveryman."

STILL TIME To Start WINNING

In the Thief River Falls Times Salesmanship Campaign

MAKE YOUR START TODAY

The advantages of starting now are many. While a few have enrolled, there is still plenty of time for YOU to enroll and win. No one has accomplished anything that you cannot duplicate now while subscriptions earn more "Credits" than they will later in the campaign. There isn't any excuse why you should hesitate. Don't lose any more valuable time making up your mind. Remember he who hesitates is lost. The few who have enrolled can under no circumstances cover the territory The Times reaches over. Remember new and old subscriptions earn the same number of "Credits." Make your start today—NOW.

EARN OVER $200 A WEEK FOR EIGHT WEEKS

Just think! You are offered the opportunity of earning over $200 a week for the next eight weeks. This is more money than some people save in a lifetime. The Buick Beauty Six, which is offered to the person finishing with the highest number of "Credits" in the Thief River Falls Times Salesmanship Campaign, sells in this city for $1,595. Nominate yourself and make the Buick "your Buick" and receive the $25 offered for nominating the winner of the first prize. You can make your start today by sending in the enrollment blank. And in eight short weeks win the Buick, also the $25, or better than $200 a week for the eight weeks of the campaign. Is there any logical reason under the sun why you should not win just as well as the next one? Make your start today.

10% COMMISSION

Will be paid on all subscription money turned in by Contestants not winning a prize.

EARLY BIRD GETS THE WORM

If you have hoped, dreamed or longed for an auto of your own you had better make up your mind right this minute to enroll in this campaign. It doesn't make any difference where you live, you have an equal chance to win.

Subscriptions to the Thief River Falls Times are to be had for the mere asking any place you go. Subscriptions earn free "Credits" and free "Credits" will win the prizes. The general impression is that to enter and win in a campaign of this kind it takes "plenty" of money, time and experience to win. This is a mistaken idea. No experience is needed and it is not necessary that you spend one red cent to win. Free "Credits" will win and the way to obtain these "Credits" is by gathering subscriptions to The Times. You can do that just as well as the next one. You will be surprised how easy it is once you have made your start. You will never regret it when you go sailing home in your brand new Buick.

1st Grand Prize
BUICK BEAUTY SIX TOURING CAR
VALUE $1595
Purchased From PEOPLES' AUTO COMPANY

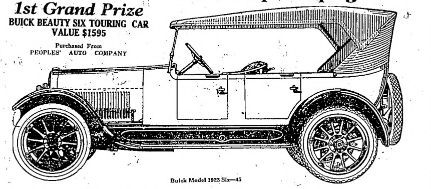

Buick Model 1922 Six—45

2nd Grand Prize
FORD TOURING CAR

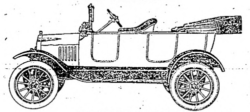

Purchased from McFarland Auto Co.

3rd GRAND PRIZE

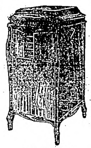

$150 VICTOR
Purchased and on Display at LAMBERTS' DRUG STORE

4th GRAND PRIZE

Lady's or Gent's Diamond Ring
Purchased and on Display at Neset's Jewelry Store.

5th GRAND PRIZE

LADY'S OR GENT'S GOLD WATCH
Purchased and on Display at Neset's Jewelry Store.

When you're full of Ambition and Courage and "Pep"
Intent upon winning Success and a "Rep,"
Nor linger, nor loiter, nor squander your time.

To loaf on a job is a terrible crime.
Hop to it with all of your energy, vim
And folks will be saying, "There's none smart as him."
Today is the time that's best suited to start.

Begin now and soon there'll be joy in your heart.
Up with the sunrise and work, brother, work.
If you long for that Buick, be sure not to shirk.
Consider the prize, it's a car that's worth while.
Keep hustling and soon you'll be wearing a smile.

SEE WHAT SUBSCRIPTIONS EARN IN "CREDITS"
The Thief River Falls Times:

1 Year,	$2.00	350
2 Years,	$4.00	1,000
3 Years,	$6.00	1,500
4 Years,	$8.00	2,500
5 Years,	10.00	4,000

The above scale will be in effect until February 22.

Don't Delay Your Enrollment
ENROLL TODAY
Now—You Can Win Big

CUT THIS COUPON OUT NOW

Manager, Salesmanship Campaign,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

You will please enroll the name of ______________ in your Salesmanship Campaign. It is understood that this enrollment will entitle the candidate named above to 1,000 "Credits" towards winning the Buick Beauty Six, the Ford Touring Car or the other prizes offered during this campaign.

My name is ______________

My address is ______________

Only one enrollment will be credited to each contestant. If more than one person nominate the same person the first enrollment received at the office of the Campaign Manager will be accepted towards winning the $25 offered for nominating the winner of the Buick Beauty Six.

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Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of thirty-two hundred twenty-six & 67-100 ($3226.67) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Augustine V. De For, Mortgagor, to John Bratrud, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1915, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 491.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Bratrud, Mortgagee, to Betsey and Alma Bratrud by written assignment dated the 5th day of April, 1915 and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of January, 1922, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 63 of Mortgages, on page 163.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26) Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-five (45), containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof in Pennington county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 11th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of ($3226.67) and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1922.

BETSEY BRATRUD and
ALMA BADEAUX,
(formerly Alma Bratrud).
Assignee and present holder of mortgage.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
McGinn Bldg., Thief River Falls, Minn.
(J-19-26-F-2-9-16-23)

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of J. A. Blomberg, Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Anna Blomberg,

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday, the 8th day of July, 1922, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated January 7, 1922.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
(Court Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Administratrix.
(J-12-19-26)

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-eight and 40-100 ($2658.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Theodor Jacobson and Gertie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of The Netherlands) as mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, 1910, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page 340, which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 9th day of November, 1921, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by the said The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "11" of Mortgages, on page 611 of the records in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Fifteen (15) in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Thirty-nine (39) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay amount due at date of sale, together with the expenses of foreclosure as allowed by law, including Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of February, 1922, at ten (10) o'clock A. M., of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, December 19th, 1921.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Morgagee,
024 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seven Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-six and 29-100 ($7396.29) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William J. Bell, a single man, Mortgagor, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of December, 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of December, 1916, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 54 of Mortgages, on page 202.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, Mortgagee, to The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota) by written assignment dated the 5th day of January, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 12th day of January, 1917, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book 56 of Mortgages, on page 311.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said The Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Assignee and Holder thereof, to Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), by written assignment dated the 10th day of December, 1921, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds on the 17th day of December, 1921, at 4:00 o'clock, P. M., in Book 11 of Mortgages, on page 612, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Four (4), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing three hundred twenty (320) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and state, on the 4th day of February, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $7396.29, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 19th, A. D. 1921.

HANSON & BARZEN
MILLING COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
D-22-29-J-5-12-19-26

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

Annual Financial Statement

—of—

PENNINGTON COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA,

—for the—

FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1ST, 1921, AND ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1921.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

To the Honorable County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota.

GENTLEMEN:—

I hereby submit to you a statement of the financial condition of Pennington County at the close of the past and the beginning of the present year, also a report showing in detail the transactions of this office for the year ending December 31st, 1921.

Respectfully Submitted.

T. P. Anderson

County Auditor.

TRIAL BALANCE, COUNTY AUDITOR.

From General Ledger of County Auditor of Pennington County, Minn., showing the condition at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1921:

	Total for Fiscal Year. Debit.	Total for Fiscal Year. Credit.	Balance Debit.	Balance Credit.	Warrants Outs'nding.
County Treasurer	$609,524 22	$607,728 99	$61,795 23		
Warrants Account	607,728 99	685,015 60		$77,286 61	
Taxes and Penalties	396,465 22	423,438 14		26,972 92	
Mortgage Registry Tax	2,696 63	3,088 73		392 10	$2 25
Road and Bridge Fund	140,053 88	85,644 49	55,330 20		30,156 40
County Revenue Fund	41,589 08	43,477 74		1,888 66	722 27
Contingent Fund	300 00	300 00			
Incidental Fund	1,562 26	1,562 26			2 43
County Bond and Interest Fund	4,684 83	5,079 38		394 55	
Sinking Fund	833 04	4,469 97		3,636 93	63
State Revenue and School Fund	30,701 55	30,701 55			
State Land and Interest Fund	2,255 70	2,255 70			
Teachers' Ins. and Retirement Fund	812 78	977 78		165 00	
Inheritance Tax	211 50	211 50			
Current School	2,143 71	2,143 71			
School Districts	186,523 60	193,105 75		6,582 15	3,466 49
Town, City and Village	99,845 21	106,241 22		6,396 01	1,108 27
Private Redemption	10,218 37	10,658 61		440 24	408 11
Sanitorium Fund	7,741 31	8,255 18		513 87	
Ditch Fund	173,814 00	165,860 58	7,074 42		12,421 04
Totals	$2,380,035 91	$2,380,035 91	$123,100 04	$123,100 04	$77,286 61

RECEIPTS OF PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINN., DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1921.

Balance in Treasury January 1st, 1921	$41,412 16
Current Tax Collections	380,468 22
Penalties, Interest and Costs	2,568 46
Delinquent Tax Collections	25,172 58
Private Redemptions	9,470 78
Interest and Principal on State Land Collections	2,107 11
Mortgage Registry Tax Collections	2,001 75
Teachers' Insurance and Retirement	862 50
Miscellaneous Drainage Ditch Tax Collections	1,050 65
State and Government Aid for State and County Roads	47,374 32
Miscellaneous Road Tax Collections	66 50
Interest from Local Banks on County Funds	2,723 61
Refundments on County Revenue Fund	101 12
Inheritance Tax Collected	211 50
Auctioneers' Licenses	10 00
School Apportionment from the State of Minnesota	19,771 50
State Aid for School Districts	29,645 36
Wolf Bounties from the State of Minnesota	415 50
Clerk of Court Fees Collecting Personal Property Tax	22 25
Fines in Court Cases	552 00
Hunters' Licenses	624 70
Refundment on Sanitorium Fund from Red Lake County	58 17
Drainage Ditch Bonds	100,074 18
Cigarette Licenses	51 00
Trappers' Licenses	8 10
Gravel Loader Sold to Red Lake County	972 00
Rent of Road Trucks	763 20
Sale of Culvert	5 00
Warrants Outstanding December 31st, 1921	77,286 61
Total	$746,810 83

DISBURSEMENTS OF PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1921.

Warrants drawn on County Revenue Fund	$39,326 56
Warrants drawn on County Road and Bridge Fund	76,080 31
Warrants drawn on Bond and Interest Fund	4,607 15
Warrants drawn on Incidental Fund	1,562 26
Warrants drawn on Township, City and Village Fund	94,839 12
Warrants drawn on School District Fund	184,440 03
Warrants drawn on General Ditch Fund	163,868 30
Warrants drawn on State Revenue and School Fund	30,588 43
Warrants drawn on County Attorney's Contingent Fund	258 35
Warrants drawn on Private Redemption	10,218 42
Warrants drawn on Sanitorium Fund	7,656 89
Warrants drawn on Inheritance Tax Fund	211 50
Warrants drawn on Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund	812 78
Warrants drawn on State Land and Interest Fund	2,255 70
Warrants Outstanding January 1st, 1921	67,881 90
Balance in County Treasury December 31st, 1921	61,795 23
Total	$746,810 83

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF TAX COLLECTION FUND.

Receipts.

Credit Balance January 1st, 1921	$15,228 88
Current Tax Collections	380,468 22
Collection of Penalties, Interest and Costs	2,568 46
Delinquent Tax Collections	25,172 58
Total	$423,438 14

Disbursements.

Taxes and Penalties Distributed	$396,465 22
Taxes and Penalties Undistributed on December 31st, 1921	26,972 92
Total	$423,438 14

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

Receipts.

Credit Balance January 1st, 1921	$1,180 43
Received from Tax Distributions (Current and Delinquent)	37,742 38
Received from Interest on Deposits in Local Banks	2,723 61
Received from Sale of Culvert	5 00
Received from Refundments on Warrants Issued	101 12
Received from the State for Cigarette Licenses	51 00
Received from State for Wolf Bounties paid	415 50
Received from Clerk of Court Fees for Collecting Personal Property Tax List	22 25
Received for Trappers' Licenses	8 10
Received from Fines in Court Cases	552 00
Received for Hunters' Licenses	624 70
Received for Auctioneers' Licenses	10 00
Transferred from County Attorney's Contingent Fund	41 65
Total	$43,477 74

Disbursements.

Warrants Issued	$39,326 56
Transferred to the Incidental Fund	1,562 26
Transferred to County Attorney's Contingent Fund	300 00
Distribution of Refundments Paid Out of Revenue Fund	250 27
Transferred to Private Redemption Fund	149 99
Credit Balance December 31st, 1921	1,888 66
Total	$43,477 74

COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS AND ASSISTANTS.

T. P. Anderson, County Auditor	$2,000 00
John Gullingsrud, County Treasurer	2,000 00
Lars Backe, Judge of Probate	1,484 48
Ira C. Richardson, Judge of Probate	15 52
W. J. LaBree, Sheriff	1,320 00
Theo. Quale, County Attorney	1,200 00
Adolf Eklund, Clerk of District Court	800 00
George M. Gunderson, Superintendent of Schools	1,440 00
W. J. LaBree, Jailer	240 00
W. O. Braggans, Court Reporter	344 70
Chas. M. Loba, Court Reporter	344 70
Axel Elsberg, Deputy Auditor	1,335 00
Paul Midderigh, Janitor	900 00
R. McGinn, County Commissioner, First District	325 00
A. W. Hanson, County Commissioner, Second District	325 00
Gust Naplin, County Commissioner, Third District	325 00
J. S. Roy, County Commissioner, Fourth District	325 00
O. J. Peterson, County Commissioner, Fifth District	325 00
Marie Gullingsrud, Assisting County Treasurer	420 00
Doris Richter, et al, Assisting Superintendent of Schools	318 25
Axel Elsberg, Assisting Clerk of Court	55 00
Glen Anderson, Assisting Clerk of Court	10 00
Total	$16,846 65
Glen Anderson, Assisting Auditor	33 00

COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

Blanks, Books and Supplies.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose—	Amount.
The Times Company, printing and supplies	$906 85
The Fritz Cross Co., supplies	370 00
Miller Davis Co., blank books and supplies	691 05
Free Press Printing Co., books and supplies	858 96
Geo. D. Barnard Co., supplies	73 42
Russell E. Spear, typewriter and supplies	119 23
N. A. Nelson, supplies	2 00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., adding machine	200 00
Remington Typewriter Co., repairs	66 17
Kimball Storer Co., supplies	163 04
Louis F. Dow Co., supplies	123 15
Scott Laird, supplies	96 12
Bottem Hardware Co., supplies	22 15
Thief River Grocery Co., supplies	58 00
Larson Furniture Co., supplies	148 73
O. Gunstad, supplies	44 50
The Maximore Co., supplies	16 00
West Disinfecting Co., supplies	16 20
Northwestern Sanitary Co., supplies	24 00
H. A. Rogers, supplies	34 15
J. I. Holcomb, supplies	7 15
Elliott Fischer Co., supplies	4 50
National Sales Co., supplies	8 04
Germicide Co., supplies	5 75
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	13 41
Northwestern School Supply Co., supplies	2 94
Total	$4,277 66

Municipal Court Fees.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Clearboneau	$6 60
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Bradley	23 40
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. James Paranteau	16 50
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Earl Reaves	27 01
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Best	20 40
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Geo. Rice	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. E. C. Frederickson	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. C. B. Bradley	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Esther Hetland, et al.	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Harry Myhrom	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. O. Carlson	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Geo. Payette	3 10
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Fred Westphal	12 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Alex Bost	15 10
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Jessie Davidson	2 50
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Glen Gillett	2 50
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Clyde Louson	7 70
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. E. Larson	15 66
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Morstad	17 04
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Ole Peterson	6 50
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Remmem	13 02
Total	$217 46

Legal Publications and Printing.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
The Times Company, legal printing	$375 40
The Tribune, legal publications and printing	759 36
J. D. Converse, publishing tax notices	2 25
O. Gunstad, legal printing	11 70
Total	$1,148 71

Wolf Bounties.

Aug. Pelhoff, wolf bounty	$7 50
Torjus Larson, wolf bounty	7 50
Glen Srare, wolf bounty	7 50
Vessie Tanner, wolf bounty	37 50
Ervin Olson, wolf bounty	7 50
Vrall Haatvedt, wolf bounty	7 50
K. Skaaren, wolf bounty	7 50
Henry Rynestraud, wolf bounty	22 50
Elmer Blomberg, wolf bounty	7 50
Simon Brelland, wolf bounty	22 50
Soren Hermanson, wolf bounty	15 00
Martin Finstad, wolf bounty	7 50
Oscar Wiberg, wolf bounty	7 50
Peter Dolseth, wolf bounty	7 50
W. E. Smith, wolf bounty	7 50
O. W. Brink, wolf bounty	7 50
C. Rustad, wolf bounty	7 50
Eugene Tannar, wolf bounty	37 50
Albert Arntz, wolf bounty	7 50
Henry Runnestrand, wolf bounty	15 00
Joseph Prucha, wolf bounty	7 50
Julius Mossestad, wolf bounty	7 50
Con Brating, wolf bounty	7 50
John Salratz, wolf bounty	7 50
Ed. Blomberg, wolf bounty	7 00
Peter Massestad, wolf bounty	7 50
Gust O. Iverson, wolf bounty	7 50
Carl Anderson, wolf bounty	7 50
Ole Peterson, wolf bounty	15 00
Torjles Larson, wolf bounty	7 50
M. J. Anderson, wolf bounty	7 50
Eugene Tanner, wolf bounty	15 00
Peter Kallestrand, wolf bounty	7 50
George Hanson, wolf bounty	21 00
Theodore Bergh, wolf bounty	7 50
George Hanson, wolf bounty	7 50
F. H. Loeseh, wolf bounty	7 50
F. L. Gahlbeck, wolf bounty	7 50
Carl Brating, wolf bounty	7 50
Henry Klockman, wolf bounty	7 50
Hugh Bost, wolf bounty	7 50
Gerhard Hanson, wolf bounty	7 50
Ole Peterson, wolf bounty	7 50
C. Rustad, wolf bounty	7 50
K. Skaaren, wolf bounty	7 50
Peder Mossestad, wolf bounty	15 00
Jessie Tanner, wolf bounty	7 50
Vram Haatvedt, wolf bounty	7 50
Julius Mossestad, wolf bounty	7 50
Elmer E. Dolo, wolf bounty	7 50
Total	$516 00

County Board of Audit.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Oscar J. Peterson, auditing treasurers books	$65 20
T. P. Anderson, auditing treasurers books	54 00
Adolf Eklund, auditing treasurers books	54 00
Total	$173 20

Insanity Cases.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
A. W. Swedenberg, administrator of Thos. Hanson	$3 30
H. W. Froehlich, administrator of Thos. Hanson	5 30
W. J. LaBree, ex. conveying Edw. Oen	43 75
C. M. Adkins, examination of Edw. Oen	5 30
O. F. Melby, examination of Edw. Oen	5 30
H. W. Froehlich, examination of A. Wood	5 30
A. W. Swedenberg, examination of A. Wood	5 30
C. M. Adkins, examination of John Doe	5 15
W. J. Labree, expense conveying Lars Johnson to Fergus Falls	61 30
A. W. Swedenberg, examination of Lars Johnson	5 15
P. L. Vistaunet, examination of Olive Johnson	5 15
W. J. LaBree, expense conveying Olive Johnson	77 33
A. W. Swedenberg, examination of Olive Johnson	5 15
W. J. LaBree, expense conveying John Thomas to Faribault	43 03
H. W. Froehlich, examination of A. O. Alkin	5 30
L. P. Fisher, examination of A. O. Alkin	5 30
Paul Medderigh, expense case of John Safford	8 08
H. W. Froehlich, examination of John Safford	5 30
O. F. Melby, examination of John Safford	5 30
F. J. McGinty, expense conveying Mrs. Halseth	42 32
O. F. Melby, examination of Mrs. Halseth	5 30
H. W. Froehlich, examination of Mrs. Halseth	5 30
O. F. Melby, examination of Mary Tildahl	3 30
H. W. Froehlich, examination of Mary Tildahl	5 30
O. F. Melby, examination of Mrs. Solberg	5 00
Jacob Beiderman, examination of Mrs. Solberg	5 30
O. F. Melby, examination of Nellie Hegor	5 00
Jacob Beiderman, examination of Nellie Hegor	5 00
L. P. Fisher, examination of Minnie Just	5 00
Jacob Beiderman, examination of Minnie Just	5 50
Total	$408 30

Salary and Expense County Agent.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
J. J. McCann, salary	$483 32
J. J. McCann, expense	336 96
Total	$820 28

Expense Supt. of Schools.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Geo. M. Gunderson, expense visiting schools	$677 80
Total	$677 80

Salary, Expense, etc., Weed Inspectors.

Peter C. Wold, salary, mileage and expense	$241 00
C. Christianson, salary, mileage and expense	47 30
John Hadnicke, salary, mileage and expense	380 00
Total	$670 16

Refundments on Taxes

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
James Gilbertson, refundment on taxes	$31 83
Jay Payne, refundment on taxes	30 74
Ole A. San, refundment on taxes	18 34
O. H. Nelson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Mrs. J. J. Amble, refundment on taxes	6 63
C. T. Christenson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Mrs. Geo. O. Johnson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Ole Eggrud, refundment on taxes	3 00
C. D. Gustafson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Rosa O. Weeks, refundment on taxes	8 92
G. H. Fallness, refundment on taxes	8 92
O. H. Frissell, refundment on taxes	8 92
Julia Anderson, refundment on taxes	8 92
A. B. Mandt, refundment on taxes	616 46
Theo. Fude, refundment on taxes	8 92
John W. Anderson, refundment on taxes	3 85
E. T. Dale, refundment on taxes	8 92
Mrs. A. Stenberg, refundment on taxes	8 92
Henry Goethe, refundment on taxes	8 92
H. F. Booren, refundment on taxes	23 83
Mrs. Ray Spencer, refundment on taxes	8 92
O. E. Jenson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Louis Ferogen, refundment on taxes	3 92
A. R. Johnsrud, refundment on taxes	8 92
H. Mathews, refundment on taxes	8 92
C. J. Olson, refundment on taxes	8 92
John O. Ronning, refundment on taxes	5 60
Carl Stromberg, refundment on taxes	2 15
E. F. DeVusing, refundment on taxes	17 15
Mrs. S. Hoff, refundment on taxes	11 48
Arne Vik, refundment on taxes	23 70
Arne Vik, refundment on taxes	11 56
Clara Ellason, refundment on taxes	4 10
Yellow Med. Co. Bank, refundment on taxes	22 90
Farmers' State Bank, refundment on taxes	139 08
Henry E. Holt, refundment on taxes	8 92
John Norman, refundment on taxes	20 31
Oscar Liden, refundment of taxes	7 84
Hall Brothers Co., refundment on taxes	107 31
Fred Soderberg, refundment on taxes	30 75
Martin Benson, refundment on taxes	158 33
Loken Bros. refundment on taxes	613 10
Thief River Music Co., refundment on taxes	99 28
Larson Furniture Co., refundment on taxes	644 01
McFarland Auto Co., refundment on taxes	311 20
Ole Revdahl, refundment on taxes	5 38
W. G. Hartzl, refundment on taxes	97 00
Anna Eckstrom, refundment on taxes	20 06
A. Saterberg, refundment on taxes	7 00
Louisa Stark, refundment on taxes	9 53
John Egge, refundment on taxes	12 46
P. P. Horneeth, refundment on taxes	17 10
John M. Johnson, refundment on taxes	50 33
Oen Mercantile Co., refundment on taxes	286 50
Adolf Amundson, refundment on taxes	9 68
J. W. Briandson, refundment on taxes	6 50
John Gunan, refundment on taxes	42 42
Joe Cernoncik, refundment on taxes	7 33
Ivar Aaseby, refundment on taxes	6 00
Ole Revdahl, refundment on taxes	6 00
T. S. Iverson, refundment on taxes	3 00
K. O. Gigstad, refundment on taxes	1 00
J. S. Roy, refundment on taxes	24 10
Rothwell & McDonald, refundment on taxes	61 56
Stephen Singer, refundment on taxes	0 77
Total	$4073 58

County Board of Equalization.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Oscar J. Peterson, two days service and mileage	$8 60
A. W. Hanson, two days service and mileage	10 00
J. S. Roy, two days service and mileage	6 60
R. McKivin, two days service and mileage	6 40
Gust Naplin, two days service and mileage	9 80

County Commissioners Mileage.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
R. McGivin, mileage, attending regular and special meetings	$3 80
A. W. Hanson, attending regular and special meetings	23 00
Gust Naplin, attending regular and special meetings	10 00
J. S. Roy, attending regular and special meetings	9 60
Oscar J. Peterson, attending regular and special meetings	11 20
Oscar J. Peterson, mileage signing warrants as chairman	11 20
Total	$70 80

Witness' Fees and Mileage, District Court Cases.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Salomon Blue, case of State vs. Carlson	$23 30
Edward Sand, before grand jury	11 84
C. R. Whiting, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Hans Rustad, case of State vs. Anderson	2 12
Joe Jetland, case of State vs. Carlson	2 12
H. Matthew, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
Dr. H. W. Froehlich, case of State vs. Kirby	1 12
Leo Fahey, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Bernice Thompson, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
Bert Ostvolden, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Bert Brating, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
J. E. Bloomquist, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Gilbert Durheim, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
B. G. Rounds, case of State vs. Reeves	2 24
Ella Waldorf, case of State vs. Brendicke	3 36
Nicholas Waldorf, case of State vs. Brendicke	3 36
Roy Miller, case of State vs. Anderson	1 12
Louis C. Eaky, case of State vs. Figenshaw	1 12
Mrs. H. F. Malmstrom, case of State vs. Reeves	5 56
H. P. Malmstrom, case of State vs. Reeves	3 56
Abe Sunfo, case of State vs. Chas. Concan, et al.	3 12
Salomon Blue, case of State vs. Carlson	23 80
Joe Jatland, case of State vs. Carlson	3 12
N. B. Waldorf, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 24
Mrs. N. B. Waldorf, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 24
Ole Olson Koel, case of State vs. Carlson	1 24
P. J. Keating, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 24
Sarah Johnson, Feebleminded case	1 12
John Bratrud, case of State vs. Clarkman	1 12
Total	$1000 06

Petit Jurors

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
O. J. Vaiverk, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	$10 40
Sever Anderson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	15 60
Wm. Mulry, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Fred Du Champ, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 40
Selmer N. Olson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 20
Gust Bergeen, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 80
Henry S. Holstad, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	26 00
Hans Wilson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 86
Tom Lian, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	25 80
Geo. Eastman, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 60
Frank Protz, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
C. A. Anderson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 60
Joseph Kirl, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 40
Soren Sorenson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	25 00
Edwin Hanson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	7 60
C. M. Carlson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Carl Edseth, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 60
Victor Johnson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 20
James Cosgrove, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 00
Axel Crown, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 40
John Sjoevold, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	25 00
Ordean Olson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 80
C. M. Wilson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
J. N. Huddleson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	20 60
George Hanson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	25 20
Lewis Aaseby, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	26 00
H. A. Olson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 86
W. A. Bishop, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Iver Solheim, petit juror June 1921 term court	10 00
Bjergo Newton, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 40
Ole Iavanson, petit juror June 1921 term court	16 40
Ivar E. Howick, petit juror June 1921 term court	20 60
Ed. Singer, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 20
Andy Smith, petit juror June 1921 term court	12 20
Pennie Rustad, petit juror June 1921 term court	21 40
H. P. Sande, petit juror June 1921 term court	32 60
Eugene Tanner, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 40
Carl Anderson, petit juror June 1921 term court	21 60
Ed. Ness, petit juror June 1921 term court	16 20
Eleo Aakre, petit juror June 1921 term court	21 00
D. H. Stephens, petit juror June 1921 term court	19 00
Oscar Gigstad, petit juror June 1921 term court	19 00
Peter Lovely, petit juror June 1921 term court	20 20
Ole Handrum, petit juror June 1921 term court	21 60
Thor. Skomedal, petit juror June 1921 term court	24 00
William Vaughan, petit juror June 1921 term court	20 40
Swan Wiberg, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 50
Louis Demmen, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 60
Adolph Satterberg, petit juror June 1921 term court	14 00
C. E. Olen, petit juror June 1921 term court	13 00
Albert Arveson, petit juror June 1921 term court	24 00
Fred Hollander, petit juror June 1921 term court	13 00
Total	$980 90

Grand Jurors

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
F. F. Satre, grand juror, Jan. 1921 term court	$9 80
Aug. Johnson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 20
S. C. Coumbe, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 20
J. W. Anderson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	11 40
Willis Akre, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 20
Anton Peterson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	11 60
Ed. Svenson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	12 20
S. E. Hunt, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 80
C. T. Thompson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	12 40
Fred Soderberg, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 50
P. J. Keating, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 20
Thos. Florence, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	19 00
Emil Sigerud, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	14 40
Oliver Pommerdahl, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	15 60
Gilbert Bakke, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 20
John Fonk, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	14 60
Forrest Hedrick, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	11 00
Hans Anton, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 20
Peter C. Wold, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	14 00
J. P. Johnson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	13 80
O. Brieland, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	15 40
Peter Heden, grand juror June 1921 term court	7 00
C. J. Ekwall, grand juror June 1921 term court	10 00
Albert Geske, grand juror June 1921 term court	5 00
A. E. Anderson, grand juror June 1921 term court	5 60
O. M. Peterson, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 50
J. M. Bolice, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 60
S. M. Poston, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
N. P. Larson, grand juror June 1921 term court	10 60
Martin Bjarke, grand juror June 1921 term court	5 60
Henry Olson, grand juror June 1921 term court	5 80
N. H. Anderson, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 40
Olai Larson, grand juror June 1921 term court	7 40
George Britpricher, grand juror June 1921 term court	7 60
Halvor Loken, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
Gilbert H. Sandum, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
Elo Sanders, grand juror June 1921 term court	8 40
Olof Ramstad, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
C. A. Nason, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
A. M. Langseth, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
C. A. Nelson, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 80
David Gustafson, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
V. C. Naper, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
James Cosgrove, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
Total	$372 52

Talesman Jurors

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Ole Flatum, talesman juror	$4 00
W. E. Wood, talesman juror	4 00
R. R. Calloway, talesman juror	4 00
Wm. K. Hoefer, talesman juror	6 00
A. M. Shafer, talesman juror	3 00
Pat J. Keating, talesman juror	3 00
George Streeter, talesman juror	3 00
Wm. Knight, talesman juror	3 00
James Cosgrove, talesman juror	3 00
Olaf Einberg, talesman juror	3 00
Total	$39 00

Court Expense.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Walter E. Smith, drawing jurors	$35 60
W. E. Wood, drawing jurors	6 40
Glen C. Anderson, deputy clerk of court	36 00
Frank McGinty, court bailiff	43 00
Paul Medderigh, court bailiff	90 00
Pat Keating, court bailiff	32 00
W. O. Braggans, expense court reporter	110 12
W. J. LaBree, meals for jurors	37 15
W. J. LaBree, sheriff expense	34 02
Darby R. Anderson, deputy clerk of court	6 00
O. A. Naplin, attorney's fees case of State vs. Carlson	10 00
H. O. Chommie, attorney's fees case of State vs. Andrews, et al	10 00
Total	$462 29

Sheriff's Expenses.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Reeves	$35 00
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Westphal	8 00
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Thos. Hanson	45 23
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. John Doe	10 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Bost	10 00
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	13 00
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	28 40
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	74 46
W. J. LaBree, livery expense	5 33
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	38 40
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	8 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Altboff	3 00
W. J. LaBree, livery expense collecting delinquent personal property taxes	7 00
W. J. LaBree, livery drawing jury	2 00
W. J. LaBree, expense conveying Albert Wood to Faribault	66 37
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	7 60
W. J. LaBree, livery drawing jury	8 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Rowning	7 00
W. J. LaBree livery case of State vs. John Doe	3 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Maiske	2 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Bost	7 60
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Carlson	10 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. John Doe	2 00
A. F. Hall, drawing jury	4 50
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	28 50
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Lonson	10 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Thompson	6 00
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	31 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Gillette	1 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Solberg	3 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Morstad	2 00
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	3 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Morstad	64 25
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Larson	36 90
John Jarvanson, livery for sheriff	13 00
W. J. LaBree, sheriff expenses	2 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Bjerklie	18 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Anderson	7 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Lowalk	9 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Kelly	28 20
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Figenshaw	22 65
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Philion	15 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Stanley et al	10 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Tildahl	2 07
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	7 20
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Voldness	3 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. John Doe	9 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Voldness	3 06
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Abe Bost	10 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Ole Mattson	5 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Fred Martin	18 50
W. J. LaBree, cost paid for repairing shoes for prisoners	1 75
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Sobeppa	6 00
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	7 50
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	27 00
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	31 20
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Vik	5 00
W. J. LaBree, livery posting school notices	11 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Red Lake Ice Co.	3 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. [illegible] et al	31 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Catholopson	4 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Odin Aalby	33 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Solby	18 25
Total	$1058 12

Reporting Births and Deaths.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
H. A. Dahlen, town of Star	$4 50
Felix Anderson, town of Black River	1 25
Harry Hawkinson, town of Bray	3 25
J. D. Gorin, town of Clover Leaf	2 75
C. M. Talley, town of Clover Leaf	50
O. T. Lundon, town of Deer Park	2 25
W. A. Swanson, town of Deer Park	50
Palmer Twedt, village of Goodridge	2 50
Nicolo Urdahl, town of Goodridge	25
B. Bjornaraa, town of Hickory	4 50
H. I. Finstad, town of Highlanding	3 25
R. M. Johnson, town of Kratka	3 25
M. O. Leary, town of Mayfield	1 75
John Tonnisdall, town of Norden	4 75
Thos. H. Bjerke, town of North	4 00
John O. Ronning, town of Numedal	1 00
C. H. Naplin, town of Polk Center	2 50
Frank Race, town of Reiner	1 50
T. Morken, town of Reiner	1 25
Gust Erickson, town of River Falls	3 25
P. Engelstad, town of Rocksbury	8 00
Mike Fricker, village of St. Hilaire	3 25
O. O. Maland, town of Sanders	2 25
Albert Lind, town of Sanders	75
Thos. McCormick, town of Silverton	3 25
J. M. Thelge, town of Smiley	4 50
J. R. Larson, town of Wyandotte	1 50
Jacob Balderman, city of Thief River Falls	54 50
Total	$126 75

Assessors Per Diem and Mileage.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
J. M. Schele, mileage	$5 30
E. H. Besanson, mileage	6 00
M. O. Beavey, mileage	6 00
C. O. Tangen, mileage	6 70
Sever Nelson, mileage	6 60
P. O. Peterson, mileage	4 65
Joe Kilan, mileage	6 85
G. J. Nordhagen, mileage	4 90
G. K. Haavl, mileage	4 25
M. O'Leary, mileage	6 00
Lewis Stenseth, mileage	8 00
Harold Holmes, mileage	5 00
Carl Johnson, mileage	5 00
Emil Larson, mileage	5 80
J. Ed. Johnson, mileage	5 80
Oscar Peterson, mileage	5 00
Elias Peterson, mileage	5 50
J. W. Denhart, mileage	5 00
Enik Anderson, mileage	5 30
F. T. Satre, mileage	4 50
Ed. Rustan, mileage	9 00
Julius Olson, mileage	13 00
Lars Backe, mileage	4 00
Ole Tharoldson, mileage	7 50
Total	$143 00

Coroner's Fees and Expenses.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Mrs. W. A. Severson	$9 85
H. W. Froehlich, viewing bodies of Hausen and Haatvet	10 40
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of George Ruts	5 20
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of John A. Hobert	5 20
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Gulbrandson	5 20
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Boyerson	7 45
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of B. Carlson	5 40
Total	$45 15

Crow and Gopher Bounties.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
John Naplin, gopher bounty	$1 10
John Sonnlin, gopher bounty	20 21
Edward Moren, gopher bounty	4 44
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	21 09
Ole H. Breeland, gopher bounty	15 00
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	[illegible]
John Naplin, gopher bounty	[illegible]
Charley Johnson, gopher bounty	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	$245 23

Expense by Member of Child Welfare Board.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Oscar J. Peterson, traveling expense, etc.	$19 00
Geo. M. Gunderson, expense	3 00
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, expense	25 00
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, expense	10 00
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense	5 43
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense attending state conference	37 25
Mrs. G. G. Larson, expense	9 00
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense	26 65
Total	$143 31

Mothers' Pensions.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Lottie Kinsela, mothers pension	$50 00
Susan Kaasa, mothers pension	460 00
Nina Bakken, mothers pension	210 00
Anastasia Varolla, mothers pension	90 00
Tilda Torgerson, mothers pension	180 00
Hannah Johnson, mothers pension	210 00
Bertha Munt, mothers pension	275 00
Bertha Loudon, mothers pension	165 00
Jennie Erickson, mothers pension	110 00
Jennie Jacobson, mothers pension	200 00
Sarah Sannes, mothers pension	220 00
Louisa Fowling, mothers pension	70 00
Clara Fossum, mothers pension	220 00
Total	$2550 00

Miscellaneous.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
State Game and Fish commissioner, hunters license	$488 70
Minnesota School for Deaf, care of Frank Herrick et al	120 00
Model Steam Laundry, laundry work	4 45
A. W. Brisk, inspecting boiler	10 00
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, premium on bonds	25 67
B. O. Rather, car load wood	147 00
John Hanson, wood	10 00
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, premium on bonds	141 00
N. J. Anderson, recording bonds	6 00
H. C. Zeland, Appt. Red River Valley Development association	125 00
Peter C. Wold, expense as member Child Welfare board	6 00
[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	$1171 07

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE PRIVATE REDEMPTION FUND.

Receipts.

Credit balance January 1st, 1921	$1037 89
Private redemptions	9470 78
Transferred from county revenue fund	149 99
Total	$10658 66

Disbursements.

Warrants issued	$10218 42
Credit balance December 31st, 1921	440 24
Total	$10658 66

Private Redemptions on Tax Certificates.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
First and Peoples State Bank	$1783 44
J. A. Duffy	600 92
North American Mortgage Bank	934 20
First National Bank	2520 50
Northwestern Building and Loan association	119 50
James Gilbert & Son	81 05
Yellow Medicine Co. Bank	1718 13
M. V. Evenson	167 44
First and Merchants State Bank	120 83
Lulu D. Halvorson	133 44
Minneapolis Trust Co.	84 24
F. H. Wellcome Co.	498 02
Denis Conely	26 82
H. G. Dobner	298 83
Citizens State Bank	165 27
First State Bank Okleo	223 88
John Bratrud	63 53
Northwestern Trust Co.	598 05
Savings Loan and Trust Company	157 80
Mrs. Ole Odegaard	149 19
Total	$10218 42

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

Receipts.

From Current and delinquent tax collections	$28,408 41
From state and federal aid for state and county roads	47374 32
From road lien collections	66 50
From gravel loader sold to Red Lake county	972 00
From rent of road trucks	763 20
Transferred from general ditch fund	5000 00
Debit balance December 31st, 1921	65330 20
Total	$146063 83

Disbursements

Warrants issued	$76080 31
Distribution of refundments paid out of revenue fund	272 11
Transferred to general ditch fund	5000 00
Debit balance January 1st, 1921	56651 43
Total	$146063 83

State Road No. 1.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Albert Seiverson, patrolman	$439 50
P. W. Roark, grading and graveling road	5949 05
Iver Bugge, patrolman	112 80
A. Saterberg, repairs	6 60
Otto Gullingsrud, interest on warrants	14 40
Oscar J. Peterson, inspector road	4 50
Gust Naplin, inspector road	4 50
R. McGinn, interest on warrants	304 03
Merchants State Bank, interest on warrants	262 35
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, interest on warrants	436 99
Total	$10845 05

State Road No. 2.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Ivar T. Bugge, patrolman	$7 20
Bert Brating, patrolman	1125 00
Carl Brating, patrolman	1125 00
Jerry T. Race, dragging	73 00
The Prichard Co., lumber	75 50
Farmers State Bank, interest on warrants	[illegible]
First National Bank St. Paul, principal and interest on road bonds	4000 00
Lyle Culvert Company, culvert	72 42
H. P. Lund, grading	247 00
First National Bank St. Paul, interest on road bonds	[illegible]
Leigh Anderson, work on road	1 25
Alfred Olson, placing culvert	15 00
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	15 00
Roy Kell, hauling gravel	18 00
Chas. Stein, hauling gravel	63 00
Warren National Bank, interest on warrants	131 30
Total	$8221 79

State Road No. 3.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Iver T. Bugge, patrolman	$150 00
Halvor Olson, patrolman	150 00
Halvor Olson, patrolman	165 00
R. McGinn, interest on warrant	3 91
R. McGinn, interest on warrant	[illegible]
First National Bank Thief River Falls, interest on warrant	[illegible]
Ben Summer, dragging road	27 75
First and Peoples State Bank, interest on warrants	17 00
Ben Summer, dragging road	12 00
Halvor Olson, hauling planks	3 00
John Johnson, dragging road	18 00
Ben Summer, dragging road	6 00
Total	$653 42

State Road No. 4.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
P. W. Roark, partial estimate grading	700 00
P. W. Roark, partial estimate grading	570 25
Wm. Jasperson, grading road	46 88
Wm. Jasperson, grading road	250 00
O. Johnson, grading road	133 00
J. F. Kell, grading road	182 50
John Frederickson, work on road	55 00
[illegible]	[illegible]

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State Road No. 6

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
John Malkaness, dragging	$19 00
Total	$19 00

State Road No. 7

M. O. Seavey, patrolman	$31 50
H. I. Finstad, patrolman	24 00
H. I. Finstad, patrolman	26 00
M. O. Seavey, patrolman	30 00
Bert W. Umland, work on road	25 00
M. O. Seavey, work on road	25 00
H. I. Finstad, work on road	25 00
H. P. Lund, partial estimate excavation	2,536 84
First & Peoples State Bank, interest on warrants	6 60
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Co., culverts	95 42
[illegible]	[illegible]

Engineer's Salary and Expense.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Bert W. Umland, salary	$2100 00
Bert W. Umland, expenses	718 42
Total	$2818 42

Highlanding Bridge.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, interest on bonds	$420 00
Wells-Dickey Co., semi-annual interest on bonds	450 00
Total	$900 00

Miscellaneous.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
H. W. Lasier, work on roads	$127 00
Bottem Hardware Company, supplies	6 85
Nash Sales Company, repair for trucks	124 82
T. T. Kvale, appropriation town of Hickory	25 00
Lyle Corporation Culvert Company, interest on warrants	6 71
Oen Mercantile Company, supplies	5 00
A. W. Hanson, commissioners mileage	4 60
John Nostrom, partial estimate	200 00
H. W. Lasier, work repairing trucks	16 50
H. E. Bergan, work repairing trucks	5 00
Ascby & Burstad, work repairing trucks	27 25
O. O. Heidal, work on roads	30 00
Hans Prestby, work on roads	30 00
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, grader blades	24 25
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, truck signs	153 40
Ed. G. Pearson, hauling gravel	4 00
Wood Hydraulic Hoist Company, supplies and repairs	7 00
Nash Sales Company repairs for trucks	77 60
Thief River Iron Works, shafting	15 60
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, repairs	9 00
J. S. Roy, interest on warrants	83 82
The Prichard Company, road drag	40 00
The Prichard Company, road planer	12 00
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, grader blades	102 00
Northfield Iron Works, culverts	73 73
Ascby & Burstad, interest on warrants	27
State Bank of Wylie, interest on warrants	225 80
J. R. McNeilly, partial estimate	133 16
First National Bank, interest on warrants	428 78
First and Peoples State Bank, interest on warrants	46 60
B. F. Umland, engineers expense	110 80
B. F. Umland, engineers expense	67 26
The Prichard Company, road drag	84 00
Minneapolis Bridge Company, installing culverts	150 59
Russell Grader Company, grader blades	9 15
Russell Grader Company, grader blades	3 15
Northfield Iron Works, culverts	63 00
First National Bank, interest on warrants	55 59
H. I. Finstad, appropriation town of Highlanding	150 00
Frank McGinity, livery for engineer	9 00
The Prichard Company, lath	12 43
John T. Coan, placing culverts	19 00
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, grader	187 00
Paul Borgee, gravel pit	125 00
Gust Naplin, committee work	1 00
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, culverts	54 68
A. C. Swandby, clerk Marshall county, bridging county line highway	105 47
W. H. Lazier, work on county roads	46 00
Northfield Iron Works, road planer	67 56
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, culverts	138 67
O. M. Mandt, appropriation town of Deer Park	200 00
J. A. McEnelly, work on roads	200 76
J. A. McEnelly, work on roads	9 80
Halvor Holen, work on roads	30 00
Rumbeck & Stone Company, repairs	2 50
J. V. Holman, appropriation town of Star	250 00
H. T. Hanson, appropriation town of Hickory	250 00
Lyle Corrugated Culvert Company, grader	4 80
Ward Hydraulic Company, repairs	68 75
Citizens State Bank, interest on warrants	10 10
Gust Naplin, inspection of roads	10 20
Guy Peterson, work on trucks	52 60
Auto Service Company, repairs on trucks	3 35
First National Bank, interest on warrants	171 84
C. Gustafson & Son, repairs	10 40
Thief River Iron Works, repairing trucks, road graders	110 25
J. J. Aga, repairs	20 00
Total	$6271 61

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE INCIDENTAL FUND.

Receipts.

Transferred from county revenue fund	$1562 26
Total	$1562 26

Disbursements.

Warrants Issued	$1562 26
Total	$1562 26

Postage, Stamps, Express and Incidentals.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Northwestern Telephone Company, telephone rent	$305 09
Ira C. Richardson, postage, etc.	8 35
W. J. LaBree, postage and express	47 12
T. P. Anderson, postage express and freight	188 20
John Gullingsrud, postage	130 00
Geo. M. Gunderson, postage and express	42 00
Adolf Eklund, postage and express	31 05
Wm. Arnold, wood	13 47
A. H. Aker, city clerk, water and lights	241 42
R. L. Polk, directories	12 00
N. J. Anderson, postage and express	13 00
Red Lake Ice Co., ice	27 05
City Dray and Fuel Company, draying	8 16
Northern Woodwork Co. repairing	7 71
New Sanitary Supply Company, supplies	8 25
Lars Backe, postage	9 00
B. F. Umland, postage	10 00
Leonard Du Champ, auto livery	10 00
Simonson's Grocery, supplies	35 00
C. M. Evenson, repairing trucks	57 40
Martin Bolbun, flowers	15 00
Frank McGinity, livery	1 00
James King, brooms	4 00
Geo. Lelmers, expense	84 00
Scott Laird, supplies	76 50
Mrs. L. O. Larson, postage	1 50
A. R. Dickey, unloading wood	37 00
John Keall, wood	9 00
A. H. Pratt, freight on wood	20 00
Emil Thune, wood	1 50
H. L. Sorenson, wood	19 00
Thora Lien, wood	10 00
Henry Snetting, wood	25 00
Fred Staberg, wood	18 00
Alvin Dahl, wood	16 00
F. Burns, repairs	3 00
J. W. Anderson, wood	10 00
C. C. Gustafson, wood	16 00
Total	$1562 26

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE GENERAL DITCH FUND.

Receipts.

Received from current and delinquent tax collections	$52609 78
Received from miscellaneous ditch tax collections	1050 65
Received from sale of drainage ditch bonds	100074 18
Received from townships on account of road benefits assessed against townships on county ditches	5784 97
Transferred from county road and bridge fund	5000 00
Debit balance December 31st, 1921	7071 42
Total	$173814 00

Disbursements.

Warrants issued	$163865 30
Transferred to county road and bridge fund	5000 00
Distribution of refundments	14 72
Debit balance January 1st, 1921	4934 28
Total	$173814 00

GENERAL DITCH FUND.

Judicial Ditch No. 1.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
J. A. Duffy, refund on ditch tax	$7 84
J. A. Duffy, refund on ditch tax	14 04
Hans Jasperson, interest on warrant	14 25
First & Peoples State Bank, interest and principal on ditch bonds	2,770 00
H. P. Lund, leveling road	90 00
B. Bjornaraa, refundment on taxes	24 52

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Judicial Ditch No. 7.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
J. A. Duffy, refund on ditch tax	$3 25
Northwestern Trust Co., interest on ditch bonds	275 00
John Nostrom, oak planks for bridges	133 90
T. P. Anderson, auditor's fees	14 40
Northwestern Trust Co., St. Paul, interest on ditch bonds	875 00
Total	$1,425 61

Judicial Ditch No. 14.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
F. and M. State Bank, principal and interest ditch bonds	$1,412 50
First National Bank, interest on ditch bonds	64 61
F. and M. State Bank, interest on ditch bonds	385 00
First National Bank, St. Paul, interest on ditch bonds	210 00
Total	$2,072 11

Judicial Ditch No. 23.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
First National Bank, ditch bond and interest	$4,210 00
Farmers & Merchants State Bank, ditch bond and interest	1,127 50
Total	$5,337 50

Judicial Ditch No. 60.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
T. P. Anderson, auditors fee attending sale of job	$12 00
Total	$12 00

Sanders and Black River Ditch No. 2.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Fred Keap, cutting brush	$30 00
Total	$30 00

Repair Ditch No. 16.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
First National Bank, interest on bonds	$122 50
First National Bank St. Paul, interest on bonds	122 50
Total	$245 00

Alner Swandby, chainman 11 00
A. E. Stromberg, assistant engineer 11 50
The Prichard Company, piling and material for bridge 1213 37
Russell Grader Manufacturing Co., bridge material 276 30
Carl Belwinger, partial estimate excavation 1563 00
The Prichard Company, lumber 110 81
Henry Hendrickson, work on bridges 62 25
Elling Kjonesa, work on bridge 45 00
F. E. McGinn, interest on warrants 15 47
O. O. Hofdal, building bridge 147 00
Carl Belwinger, final estimate excavation 1015 50
Joe Ellan, part payment for clearing 225 00
Erling Prestby, work on bridge 69 00
Oscar J. Peterson, inspecting ditch 15 00
A. W. Hanson, inspecting ditch 14 00
T. P. Anderson, auditors fees 5 00
T. P. Anderson, mailing notices of hearing 22 50
A. E. Stromberg, assisting engineer 11 78
Hilmer F. Erickson, rodman 5 50
R. McGinn, inspecting ditch 10 25
J. S. Roy, committee work 11 60
Gust Napling, inspecting ditch 13 80
The Prichard Company, lumber for bridge 32 03
Norman Stenberg, work on ditch 47 00
James Conely, work on ditch 75 00
First National Bank, St. Paul, interest on ditch bonds 285 00
A. E. Stromberg, assistant engineer 12 50
A. T. Jacobson, work on ditch 10 25
Christ Kruse, work on ditch 6 50
Gust Lindberg, work on bridges 1 50

Total $7013 16

County Ditch No. 30.

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
J. A. Duffy, refund on ditch taxes	$8 44
T. P. Anderson, auditors fees	40 00
N. J. Anderson, recording lien statement	28 00
Total	$76 44

County Ditch No. 38.

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
J. A. Duffy, refund on ditch tax	$6 88
J. S. Roy, attending hearing	6 60
O. A. Naplin, premium on bonds	12 50
T. P. Anderson, auditors fees	43 75
Gust Napling, attending hearing	8 60
A. W. Hanson, attending hearing	9 00
Moles R. Landes, refund on tax	6 50
Oscar J. Peterson, attending hearing	7 80
R. McGinn, attending hearing	5 20
Einar Aakre, livery for engineer	6 00
W. O. Braggans, stenographic work	5 70
Tollefson & Olson, livery for engineer	6 00
Hilmer F. Erickson, rodman	18 81
A. Swandby, chainman	20 61
A. E. Stromberg, assisting engineer	39 00
A. E. Stromberg, assisting engineer	34 81
Warren State Bank, engineering by Quist	18 00

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
Farmers and Merchants State Bank, interest on ditch bonds	$180 00
Merchants Loan and Trust Company, interest on ditch bonds	40 07
Total	$221 06

County Ditch No. 46.

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
Elmer Anderson, refundment on taxes	$12 37
Chas. E. Reed, refundment on taxes	27 52
J. S. Roy, committee work	15 20
L. E. Miller, repairing bridge	42 00
Total	$97 09

County Ditch No. 47.

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
Farmers and Merchants State Bank, principal and interest on ditch bonds	$1357 50
Citizens State Bank, interest on warrants	330 00
Total	$1687 50

County Ditch No. 49.

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
First National Bank, interest and principal on bonds	$1024 00
Merchants Loan and Trust Company, interest on ditch bonds	220 47
Total	$1244 47

County Ditch No. 51.

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
Farmers and Merchants State Bank, principal and interest on ditch bonds	$150 00
Citizens State Bank, interest on ditch bonds	150 00
Total	$300 00

County Ditch No. 53.

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
Farmers and Merchants State Bank, principal and interest on ditch bonds	$1240 00
Citizens State Bank, interest on ditch bonds	210 00
Total	$1450 00

To Whom Issued—For What Purpose.	Amount.
Farmers and Merchants State Bank, interest on ditch bonds	$250 00
First National Bank, interest on ditch bonds	143 75
Citizens State Bank, interest on ditch bonds	230 00
J. A. Duffy, refundment of ditch taxes	9 52

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON, County Auditor.
(Seal)

OSCAR J. PETERSON, Chairman.
GUST NAPLIN,
A. W. HANSON,
J. S. ROY,
R. McGINN,
Board of County Commissioners, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Receipts and Disbursements of City, Town and Village Funds

CITY, TOWN AND VILLAGE	Balance Jan. 1, 1921 DR.	Balance Jan. 1, 1921 CR.	Receipts from all Tax Collections and Licenses	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Refunded	Trans. to Ditch Fund DR.	Balance Jan. 1, 1922 CR.
Bray			$ 1,257.06	$ 1,257.06	$ 1,181.54	$ 29.13	$ 46.39	
Black River			1,327.97	1,327.97	1,247.55		80.42	
Clover Leaf			1,594.60	1,594.60	1,465.20		129.40	
Deer Park			1,255.72	1,255.72	1,051.93		203.79	
Goodridge			1,027.06	1,027.06	649.54	93.92	283.60	
Highlanding			2,461.16	2,461.16	1,994.77	1.35	465.04	
Hickory		105.80	1,024.44	1,130.24	908.17		150.36	71.71
Kratka			2,086.34	2,086.34	1,774.56		311.78	
Mayfield			920.42	920.42	837.12		83.30	
North			3,416.09	3,416.09	3,363.30	23.20	29.59	
Norden			1,649.82	1,649.82	1,307.98		341.84	
Numedal			1,259.15	1,259.15	1,101.48		157.67	
Polk Centre			1,023.47	1,023.47	992.07	7.17	24.23	
Rocksbury			3,404.90	3,404.90	3,325.43	0.39	79.08	
River Falls			1,601.39	1,601.39	1,434.59	8.30	158.50	
Reiner			1,500.40	1,500.40	1,183.00		317.40	
Smiley			1,308.89	1,308.89	1,195.11	.32	113.46	
Sanders			2,114.06	2,114.06	2,097.83		16.23	
Silverton		223.14	3,040.10	3,263.24	2,840.48		142.78	274.28
Star			890.00	890.00	759.30	2.73	133.07	
Wyandotte			1,821.83	1,821.83	1,629.58		192.25	
St. Hilaire vil.			2,983.76	2,983.76	2,955.86	27.90	.10	
Goodridge vil.			2,070.08	2,070.08	1,925.92	117.82	3.04	
T. R. Falls city		341.78	64,707.39	65,049.17	57,927.54	572.84		6,548.51

Receipts and Disbursements of School District Funds

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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BEST TIME FOR ENROLLMENT IN RACE FOR CARS

Those Who Start Now Get Benefit of Wide Publicity Given Times' Great Campaign.

Standings to Date Show That Leaders in Contest Can Still Easily Be Distanced.

Everything Depends on Whether or Not You Are Willing to Hustle From Now On.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing

Next Report Date Feb. 8

Agnes Oftedahl, City	12,000
Helmer Ostrom, City	11,500
Hannah Peterson, City	10,260
Paul Engelstad, City	9,450
Julius Liden, Steiner	2,100
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'er	1,000
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000

The American people are great "faddists."

One day they are all wild over some popular expression and the next day it is something else.

A few years ago somebody, probably unknowingly, said impatiently, "Oh, let George do it!" After that whenever anyone wanted to avoid doing some work they said with a wink, "Oh, let George do it."

But the joke was on them instead. Letting "the other fellow" do things is all right if you want to save your energy. But in the end, who benefits? George, of course.

It is surprising that so many people who have been reading the announcements of the Thief River Falls Times Salesmanship Campaign have adopted the old saying of "Let George do it."

Don't let "George" or anybody else win the Buick Six right out from under your nose. You still have time to jump into this campaign and give a big "hurrah" for yourself that will awaken your friends and neighbors to the fact that you are out to win. Study the list and see for yourself that you are not "out of the running" by enrolling now. Don't think that you have no chance of winning. No one on the list has accomplished anything that you cannot duplicate.

These days of the first period are the "Golden Days" of the entire campaign. This is not only true because the subscriptions earn more "Credits" than they will later, but it gives you the opportunity of piling up a reserve that will make winning later a "snap."

Now is the time to get busy and stay busy. February is a short month. In a few short weeks the first period will be over and then come the final weeks of the campaign. You wouldn't pass up the opportunity of winning this Big Buick Touring Car if you realized how easy it is to pile up the "Credits" that can win it for you. Wishers are never winners, but hustlers are.

Don't be guilty of letting George do it. Show all the Georges that you are the right kind of a hustler by getting an early start now before it is forever too late. One wallop doesn't win a prize fight, one shot didn't win the war, and one subscription will not win the Buick, but everlastingly plugging away at gathering subscriptions will win and win big for you.

Greenbush Man Commits Suicide; Leaves Family

C. A. Carlson of Greenbush, committed suicide by hanging at his home on Thursday night. He was engaged in sawing wood with two other men when he left work and went into the house. Failing to return within a reasonable time his companions became suspicious that something was wrong and went in search for him. They came upon his lifeless body suspended from a beam in the basement.

The dead man leaves a wife and three children. Financial worries during the past year made him despondent at times, but his previous actions had not been such as to give cause for alarm. It is said that he had lost considerable money in a number of financial ventures entered upon a short time before his death.

ALL BANKS IN CITY ARE DEPOSITORIES FOR PUBLIC FUNDS

Deposits to Be Prorated According to Amount of Capital and Surplus of Each.

All banks in the city were named depositories for municipal funds by the city council on Tuesday evening, the division of deposits being prorated according to the capital and surplus of the institutions, as follows: The First National and the First and Peoples banks, 28 per cent each; Citizens State and Farmers and Merchants banks, 22 per cent each.

It was decided to have the books of the city audited by the public examiner and a request was ordered sent to that official requesting that a competent accountant be assigned to the job as soon as possible. While there was a doubt in the minds of some of the councilmen concerning the necessity for this audit, it was thought best to have the work done in order that a verified statement might be made to the taxpayers.

H. A. Brumund, president of the city council, announced a number of changes in the makeup of standing committees for the coming year. The committee of finance remains the same as heretofore, Mr. Brumund being chairman with councilmen Brandon and Froseth as the other members. The health committee also remains the same, Dr. Biederman being chairman, with councilmen Ness, Froseth and Ihle as associates. The poor committee is changed entirely, councilman Dahl being named chairman and Ihle and Brandon associates. This comittee was formerly made up of Froseth, Ness and Dahl, with the former as chairman. Brandon heads the committee on roads, streets and sidewalks, the other members being Dahl and Brumund. The committee on license, printing and municipal buildings remains the same—Dahl, chairman, Brandon and Ness. Ihle heads the committee on electric lights and water works, of which he was formerly also a member; Ness replaces Brandon and Brumund remains.

TRIAL OF GUMMER MAY BE POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT WEEK

Illness of Attorney For State Makes Resumption of Hearings Uncertain.

The trial of William Gummer on the charge of murdering Miss Marie Wick was not resumed on Monday at Valley City. It seems likely that that the case will be delayed at least another week and probably two weeks.

Judge Charles M. Cooley, presiding in the case, in conference with W. H. Barnett, chief counsel for the defense, and C. C. Wattam, assistant state attorney for Cass county, has indicated his willingness to recess the case for at least another week to permit the complete recovery of William C. Green, state attorney, who was forced to quit the case because of illness that has confined him to his room in a Valley City hotel for several days.

Baby Swallows Staple; Is All Right Thus Far

June, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Benbow of Holt, is at the Physician's hospital in this city with a fence staple in her stomach. The child stuck the staple in her mouth and before anyone could get it away, had swallowed it. She was rushed to the hospital and an x-ray picture taken. This discloses the double pointed wire holder as lodged in the stomach with the points away from the direction in which it must travel in order to be expelled. The doctors are watching the case closely as they hesitate in resorting to an operation on so small a baby.

Ford Announces Cut of $230 in Fordson Tractor

The McFarland Auto company this week announces a cut of $230 in the price of Fordson tractors. This is without doubt the most sensational reduction made at one time in gasoline or kerosene power machinery in the history of the industry. The Fordson is now $395 f. o. b. factory. Mr. Ford explains that the move is made in order to reduce the stock now on hand and keep the factory going at full speed to provide employment while business is readjusting itself.

Mr. McFarland advises all who may be contemplating the purchase of a tractor to do so at the present low price as there is no guarantee that it will not advance with the same suddenness that it went down.

OVER 20 THOUSAND DOLLARS PAID AS AUTO TAX IN 1921

This is Pennington's Share of $5,600,000 Total Collected in Entire State.

Pennington county owners of motor vehicles paid registration fees amounting to $21,604.42 during the year 1921. In the state a total of $5,616,113.60 was collected from this source and of this amount the three counties of Hennepin, Ramsey and St. Louis paid nearly $2,000,000.

Northwestern Minnesota counties, outside of Pennington, paid the following amounts: Clearwater, $12,604.42; Kittson, $24,060.78; Marshall, $41,569.63; Polk, $78,770.74; Red Lake, $12,446.31; Roseau, $16,779.92. Besides Clearwater, Red Lake and Roseau counties the following paid smaller amounts than Pennington: Aitkin, Cass, Cook, Hubbard, Koochiching, Lake, Mahnomen and Traverse.

From 1,000 to 20,000 letters were received each day requiring opening, examination, and in many cases, a reply. From 100 to 300 sacks of mail were sent out daily during the rush period. Double shifts were put on and the work was carried on night and day to accommodate the public and expedite business. In the height of the registration period from 10,000 to 12,000 pairs of plates were mailed out each day weighing between five and six tons, each set bearing two kinds of postage and the registration certificate in a separate envelope.

Almost 200 tons of steel were required to make the total supply of plates and the statistician has calculated that, if the plates were laid end to end, they would make a line reaching almost from St. Paul to Duluth.

Secretary of State Mike Holm and his assistants are coming in for much merited praise for the manner in which the business was handled. It was the first year of the tax and the machinery for taking care of the extraordinary demand was not perfected. In spite of this fact the work was accomplished in a manner highly creditable to the secretary and his force.

OLD RIVALS MEET TONIGHT TO PROVE CLAIMS AS CHAMPS

Game to Be Played at Crookston Expected to Be Greatest of Entire Season.

The greatest basketball contest of the season will take place at Crookston this evening when the Thief River Falls Athletics meet the Independents of that city. Both aggregations are confident of victory and it is a foregone conclusion that the contest will be spirited from the outset. Sometimes it is of value to get the other fellow's viewpoint and a slant at the situation as it appears to Crookston people may prove of value. The correspondent in that city of the Grand Forks Herald has no doubt of the outcome, evidently, to judge from his version, but he gives some interesting and reliable basketball history and his writeup is as fair as can be asked when his position is realized. He says:

"The objective game of Crookston's highly successful independent basketball season will be played here Thursday when the Crookston quintet meets Thief River Falls in the first of a series of games which will practically decide the basketball championship of the entire northwestern part of Minnesota. A second game will be played at Thief River Falls Feb. 16, and by winning both games Crookston will have undisputed claim to the Independent championship. The games with Thief River Falls are expected to be attended by record breaking crowds as it is known a deadly sport feud exists between the two cities. The rivalry in basketball is especially keen on account of the dispute last year when the Crookston-Thief River game played at the Falls city broke up in a row with the tennis tied.

"Crookston has built up one of the best teams in the state with the original intention of having a team ready to beat Thief River Falls. As the situation now stands Crookston has the edge, having beaten teams which have defeated the Thief River quintet but overconfidence is not going to cause the local five to be unprepared to play its best game of the year next Thursday as it is realized that Thief River Falls will come to Crookston at that time with the strongest team it can possibly secure."

The Thief River Falls team has never been in better shape to take on their ancient rivals than at the present moment. Holzknecht is back in the lineup and is going better than ever. Carlson and Kiland have recovered from their injuries and Brown is rearin' to go. Penny and Hadrath are in condition to go in at a moment's notice. Roy Louden will be with the bunch, having decided to finish the season here. While it is fully realized that the Crookston game will be a stiff proposition, the boys feel confident that they can carry off the victory. They have not had a great deal of experience on strange floors and this will give the down-river team the edge, but anyone who is of the opinion that the contest is going to prove a walkaway for the Crookstonites is due for a surprise.

Dr. Swedenburg Returns.

Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, who has been the chief medical officer at the Veterans' bureau of the sub-district office in Sioux Falls, S. D., arrived home the first of the week on a ten day leave of absence. Sickness in his family hastened his visit as he had intended remaining at his post until after March 1, after which time he expected to make other arrangements. Just what his future decision will be as regards this post he has not yet fully determined. Dr. Abram Shedlov, who occupied his offices here and looked after his practice in his absence, has decided to move back to Gully permanently, his successor in that town returning to Minneapolis. Dr. Swedenburg says the work at the Veterans' bureau is very interesting and has proven a valuable experience.

Hotel Changes Hands.

The Rex hotel at Baudette was this week taken over by Fred Harmon, the former manager, who purchased the furniture from Ed. Russell. Both these men are well known in Thief River Falls and the transaction is of interest to the many traveling men whose headquarters are in this city and who make Baudette on their trips.

CLUB OFFICERS LAY PLANS FOR GREAT ACTIVITY

Dr. H. W. Froehlich Elected to Head Local Commercial Club During Coming Year.

New Officers All Men of Energy and Fully Awake to Possibilities of Organization.

Thursday Luncheons to Continue, Having Proved Helpful in Holding Interest.

Dr. H. W. Froelich was on Thursday afternoon elected president of the Thief River Falls commercial club, succeeding W. A. Hall, Jr., who has efficiently served in that capacity during the past year. E. M. Bennes was elected vice president, and Albert Lonson treasurer. In addition to the officers the following were elected as a board of directors: Math. Barzen, Hans Anton, Carl Christofferson, W. B. Fuller and the retiring president Mr. Hall. This board will meet later to elect a secretary for the club.

It is expected that at the luncheon today President Froehlich will have something in the way of a program to propose to the members. After expressing his appreciation of the honor confered upon him last Thursday he spoke briefly on topics of general interest but stated that as nothing was farther from his expectation than being chosen to head the club he had very little in the way of suggestion to offer at that time.

DR. H. W. FROEHLICH

Progress During the Year

As is the case with practically all organizations of a similar character, the Thief River Falls commercial club is under the influence of the unsettled conditions prevailing throughout the country and has not struck it's pre-war stride. The new president is of the opinion that this lethargy should now be taken off and the organization enter upon a period of active work. The past year has shown much progress in this direction in spite of adverse conditions. Interest has been kept alive and quite a number of important undertakings either organized or supported. It has not been the fault of Mr. Hall or the other officers that things have not moved faster. Rather it is greatly to their credit that the club is still a live and functioning organization.

To Continue Luncheons

President Froehlich is highly in favor of continuing the Thursday noon luncheons. He has already taken steps to see that everything is in readiness at 12 o'clock sharp in order that busy members may loose as little time as possible. It will be the aim to provide something of interest for discusion every week and many matters not yet touched upon will be introduced. It is realized that there are a large number of activities in which the club should take an immediate interest and the idea of the officers will be to keep these prominently to the front.

The new president says he will devote all the time possible to the advancement of the club and feels certain of the co-operation of not only his fellow-officers but of the membership as a whole in his efforts to bring the organization back to the prominent place it occupied in the life of the community before war conditions upset all calculations. Dr. Froehlich is an energetic citizen and takes hold of things with a will. That his administration will prove a success is something of which everyone feels convinced.

It is expected that the forthcoming report of Secretary G. L. Sterns will show that the club during the year has made consistent if not always rapid strides in many important directions.

TIME EXTENDED—PENALTY WAIVED UNTIL FEBRUARY

As permitted by law, Mike Holm, secretary of state, announces that the penalty for delayed registration will be waived for the first fifteen days in February. In other words, motor vehicle owners will be allowed until Feb. 15 in which to make application without penalty for delayed registration.

Dr. Paulson Promoted.

Dr. A. J. Paulson, for many years a practitioner in this city, has been appointed chief of staff of the Lutheran hospital at Watertown, S. D., which city has been his home since he left Thief River Falls. There are six physicians and surgeons on the staff of which Dr. Paulson becomes the head, the institution being one of the largest in South Dakota. This recognition of Dr. Paulson's ability as a surgeon will be pleasant news to his many friends in this section of the state.

PENNINGTON WILL HAVE DIVISION AT BIG VALLEY SHOW

Whole Section of Poultry and Carload of Guernseys Form Only Parts of Exhibit.

Pennington county is going to be well represented at the Midwinter Farm Crops show at Crookston next week. There will be a carload of Guernsey cattle from the farms of Albert Johnson, F. B. Conklin and H. C. Woelson and individuals from these will be selected as a county exhibit. Mr. Conklin will also exhibit Shropshire sheep and it is probable that there will be others.

Exhibitors from this county aim to clean up the poultry division and have been alloted one entire section for themselves. Those who have signified their intention of entering birds for competition are Olaf Neses, Rhode Island Reds; David Gustafson, Plymouth Rocks; H. L. Schuster, Leghorns and Ed Battenfield, Orphingtons. W. A. Westphal of St. Hilaire, will also be represented in the Leghorn division of the exhibit, which will be the only one at the show occupying one entire section.

James Dreckind of Wylie, will have a carload of prize-winning Poland China hogs on display, and William Novak of the same place, will again try for first place with his Red Polled cattle.

County Agent McCann is of the opinion that the Pennington county exhibits will carry off the blue ribbons in whatever class they are shown. The stock will come in competition with the very best there is in the entire valley, but those best able to judge state that there is every chance of Pennington carrying off the high award when it comes to deciding on the best general livestock display.

Potato and grain growers will also be in evidence. The county can more than hold its own when it comes to spuds but is liable to yield to Kittson when it comes to small grains. At least that is the concensus of expert opinion.

Inflammable Celluloid Comb Causes Death of Baby Girl

The three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Johnson of Mahnomen, was brought to the Physicians hospital last Wednesday evening suffering from burns from which she died two hours later. She was playing near a stove with a celuloid comb in her hands when this caught fire which instantly enveloped the child. Her body from the knees up was burned to such an extent that there was no hope of saving her life.

Ditch Bonds Disposed of at Very Reasonable Figure

The board of county commissioners on Tuesday sold $50,000 worth of ditch bonds to the Northwestern Trust company of St. Paul, the price being 5¼ per cent. The money will be used in the construction of judicial ditch No. 30 in Silverton and North townships, the contract for which was let last October to the Union Drainage company of Crookston. This is the ditch project to which there has been a great deal of objection, particularly by persons living across the line in Marshall county, a section calculated to be greatly benefited by the new outlet.

Work on the project will be begun as soon as weather permits in the spring.

COURT CONVENES TUESDAY MORNING FOR WINTER TERM

Twenty-Eight Civil and Three Criminal Cases on Docket. Grand Jury is Called.

The February term of the Pennington county district court convenes next Tuesday morning with Judge Andrew Grindeland presiding. The calendar is the longest for some time, containing a total of 28 civil and three criminal cases, the latter as well as five of the civil cases being continued from last term. Two of the criminal cases to be heard charge illegitimacy, one being against James Pareteau and the other against Elmer Larson. Burglary in the third degree is the indictment against Arthur Charboneau, Ekarl Lane, Richard Bartlett and Victor Norquist. The grand jury has been called for Monday morning.

The continued civil cases are as follows: Jack Dose vs. H. N. Hager; Richard Hall vs. George D. Snyder; Wilmot Walter vs. Lester E. Gesell and Bankers Trust and Savings bank and Harriet State bank, garnishees; Rose Gertrude Johnson vs. Merton Johnson; Citizens State Bank of Grygla vs. William C. Gaylord.

New cases filed are: Edward J. Linde vs. F. A. Anderson; Gamble-Robinson Bemidji company vs. C. S. Simonson; Winton-Nichols Lumber company vs. Chas. J. Safarik and wife, Stephen Singer and wife, Edward Singer and wife, and Bohumil Hruby and wife; Gust Gulseth vs. Oscar Rambeck; Clarence Larson vs. John Tapper; Mae Rowan vs. Thomas J. Rowan; Gunder Gunderson vs. Ole Nereson; Dr. C. R. Crandall vs. W. A. Bishop; Palmer Hanson vs. William McGinity; Security State bank vs. Joe Eidelbes and M. Kotrba; Finch, Van Slych and McConville vs. Singer Bros.; Ole Omundson vs. Karen Omundson; Chas. Wendt vs. A. G. Armstrong (2 cases); Gust Geske vs. Minnie Just, Anna Rondorf, Mathilda Becker and Otto Geske; In the matter of C. H. Peterson, deceased; Petition of Soo railway for the vacation of certain portions of Fairfield, Eshelby's and Smiley's additions; in the matter of the dissolution of the Thief River Music company.

Besides these there are five personal tax cases to be heard.

VALUE OF PLAY TO FORM SUBJECT AT P. T. A. GATHERING

Program For Meeting Tuesday Evening One of Unusual Interest and Importance.

A particularly interesting program has been arranged for the Parents'-Teachers' association meeting which takes place at the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening, Feb. 7. The central theme for discussion will be "Recreation and Amusement." A piano solo by Miss Doris Halvorson is a feature of the program, and there will be singing by the sixth grade chorus. The remainder of the program is as follows:

Miss Maude Frissell of the Central school will speak on "The Need of Recreation and Amusement for Boys and Girls." Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Mrs. George Nicholson and Mrs. George Saltau will discuss the topic, "What Ougt to be Supplied by Way of Amusement and Recreation for Boys and Girls Below High School Age." "What Can We as Parents Do to Supply Proper Entertainment and Amusement for High School Boys and Girls?" is the subject alloted to A. W. Jardine, Mrs. C. T. Christianson and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard.

Lunch will be served by the women of the West side and a recreational exhibit will be made under the direction of Miss Carrie Trogan of Northrop school.

Parents particularly are invited to attend these meetings. Matters of interest to every citizen are discussed and a most pleasant evening provided. The teachers and school authorities are doing all they can to bring their work into closer touch with the parents and these meetings are helping their efforts along to a marked degree.

Moonshine Eats Varnish Off Judge Tarrant's Desk

John Severson was brought to this city on Friday from Crookston by Deputy Sheriff Frank McGinnity on Friday to answer to a charge of selling intoxicating liquors, preferred by John Hoyum. County Attorney Theo. Quale on direct examination of the complainant elicited the allegation that the liquor was purchased some time last September; that it was contained in a quart mason jar and that it had produced intoxication. The price paid was alleged to have been $2. Severson acted as his own attorney and put a number of questions to his accuser. The answers evidently failed to satisfy Judge Tarrant as he bound Severson over to the grand jury in $200 bail, which was furnished.

Concerning the potency of the evidence there was no doubt. While being handled in the court room a little was spilled on the judge's desk with the result that the varnish disappeared, leaving an unsightly white blotch. White rings also indicate the spots where the jar stood while being the object of discussion, some of the liquid having trickled over the sides. Samples of the stuff have been sent to a laboratory for analysis.

This is the first criminal case coming before Judge Tarrant in the year 1922. There have been a few civil actions of minor importance but as a whole the municipal court room has been a place of dignified peace.

To Help the Blind

The tag sale carried on during two days of last week by the ladies of the city under the leadership of Mrs. A. S. Sapero to raise funds for helping the blind of the state netted $36, which sum has been sent to state headquarters. The ladies are very much pleased with the amount collected, no attempt being made to secure a large sum. All offerings were voluntary and the bulk of donations ranged from 10 to 50 cents. The result indicates that a very thorough canvas was made.

ACQUIT KIRBY ON ONE CHARGE; DROP THE OTHER

Grand Forks Jury Finds Him Not Guilty of Practicing Medicine Without License.

Indictment For Manslaughter is Ordered Quashed Upon Advice of State's Attorney.

More Than Five Hours Needed to Decide Guilt or Innocence of the Accused Man.

S. R. Kirby of Northwood, formerly of Thief River Falls, was declared not guilty of practicing medicine without a license, by a jury in the Grand Forks county district court Tuesday night.

As a result of this verdict, State's Attorney T. B. Elton announced that he would move at once for the dismissal of the manslaughter charge on which Kirby was to have been tried beginning Wednesday morning.

The jury brought in its verdict of not guilty at 10 o'clock Tuesday night after having been out slightly more than five hours, the case having been submitted to the jurors at 4:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The entire afternoon and part of the morning session Tuesday was taken up by the arguments of the attorneys, the state having rested its case shortly after 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. Neither Kirby, himself, nor any other witnesses were put on the stand by the defense. The trial of the case began Monday.

Used No Witnesses.

One of the counts in the information against Kirby was dismissed by Judge M. J. Englert on the motion of J. F. T. O'Connor, chief counsel for Kirby. This was the charge that he had maintained an office at Northwood for the practice of medicine. Mr. O'Connor also moved for the taking away from the jury of several of the other counts in the information, and for an instructed verdict of not guilty, but these motions were denied by the judge.

Mr. O'Connor then announced that the defense would rest without putting any witnesses on the stand and the final arguments of the attorneys began.

Englert Thanks Jury.

When the jury returned its verdict Judge Englert thanked the jurors, and congratulated them on the conclusion reached, saying that it was the proper verdict under the evidence submitted in the case.

Drop Manslaughter Charge.

Commenting on the verdict State's Attorney T. B. Elton said that it would be useless to try Kirby on the charge of manslaughter on which he was also held to the district court and for which the selection of a jury was scheduled to begin at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

To try Kirby on the more serious charge after he had been acquitted on the minor charge of practicing medicine without a license would be, he said, simply a useless expense to the taxpayers. For this reason, he said, he would ask for a dismissal of the manslaughter charge when court convened.

The court room was crowded throughout the day Tuesday, large numbers of would-be spectators being unable to gain admittance. The crowd included a number of Kirby's friends from Northwood and the surrounding territory.

Kirby's case was handled by J. F. T. O'Connor of Grand Forks, assisted by V. E. Anderson of Wheaton, an old friend of Kirby's. Both took part in the arguments to the jury which resulted in the defendant's acquittal. State's Attorney T. B. Elton appeared for the state.

Came From Minnesota.

The defendant came to Northwood from Thief River Falls at the request it is said, of the Northwood Commercial club. His arrest on the charge of practicing without a license arose from his alleged treatment of large numbers of patients suffering from various ailments. His usual method of treatment, it was said, consisted of painting some portion of the patient's anatomy, usually the throat, with a combination of chemicals.

The death of one of the men he was said to have treated in this manner resulted in a charge of manslaughter being preferred against him immediately after his arrest on a charge of practicing medicine without a license.

He was given preliminary hearings on both charges and was bound over to the district court.

All Bids Too Low.

The school board refuses to sell what remains of the old Knox building and a small shed for $150, which was the best bid received for the property when offers were considered at the meeting on Monday night. It has been decided to readvertise the sale in the hope that it will attract a larger number of bidders. The matter will be taken up again at a meeting to be held on Feb. 10, the main building only being offered at that time. The shed will be used by the district as a storage room.

B. O. Norby, superintendent of the Goodridge schools, spent the week-end with friends here.

Society

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Barnard.

Among the charming social affirs of the season was a post nuptial party, honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnard, given by the members of the Tuesday Night Bridge club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard on Saturday evening. Unique decorations of hearts and cupids together with red tulips were used in the adornment of the rooms, while the color combination of red and white featured the festooning. During the dinner, which preceded an evening devoted to bridge, the guests were seated at a long table in the dining room. The valentine idea was carried out in the dainty place cards, mint baskets, and predominated in the dinner appointments. A feature of the dinner was a miniature bridal procession, which represented the bride and groom with the other guests as attendants.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. F. F. Haynes entertained a number of children at her home yesterday afternoon in honor of the seventh anniversary of the birth of her daughter, Esther. After an hour of merriment a delicious lunch was served at a long table, which was appropriately decorated. A large birthday cake was a feature of the lunch. Miss Dorothy Silk and Miss Elaine Korstad assisted the hostess in serving. Those attending were Ruth Loken, Jeanette Mogensen, Virginia Quale, Helen Hermanson, Ardith Akre, Ethel Richards, Eleanor Bottelson, Myrtle Shervin, Opal Rhodegaard, Eleanor Green, Edward Korstad, Woodrow Craik, Billie Korstad, Robert White and Dayton Silk. Miss Rosamond Nordvi, teacher in the first grade at the Northrop, was also a guest.

Seeling-Michaels.

The following, taken from the Winona Republican-Herald, will prove of interest to local people: "The marriage of Mrs. Julia Seeling, 219 North Baker street, daughter of Albert F. Wetzel, to P. J. Michaels of Thief River Falls, occurred Thursday afternoon in the probate court rooms at the Winona county court house, Judge Robert E. Looby performing the ceremony. The couple left the same evening on a wedding trip for Cleveland, where they will visit the groom's sister, Mrs. Dan Mooney. Mr. Michaels is a conductor on the Soo line."

Anniversary Party.

Mr. and Mrs. George Biddick entertained a number of friends at their home Monday evening in commemoration of their fifth wedding anniversary. Kunkan was played at two tables. After the completion of the game a delicious lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. Biddick were presented with a lovely gift as a memento of the occasion. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Niclai, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. I. A. Larson and Mrs. Ed. Korstad.

Charity Ball.

Prominent among the social successes of the season was the charity ball given at the auditorium on Friday evening by the Russian Relief committee. The hall was packed to full capacity and dancing continued until a late hour. Excellent music was furnished by a 15-piece orchestra made up of members of the local band, with H. S. Snyder as director. The lady members of the dance committee served frappe in two corners of the hall.

Surprise Party.

Mrs. Fred Johnson was honor guest at a surprise party Saturday afternoon when sixteen ladies gathered at her home to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. Needlework and cards formed the diversion. At 5:30 a two course luncheon was served. As a token of esteem Mrs. Johnson was presented with a handsome set of cut glass water goblets and a lovely bouquet of roses.

Girls' Community Club.

The members of the Girls' Community club will be entertained at a valentine party at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, Feb. 6. The committee on entertainment and refreshments, of which Miss Edna Larson is chairman, is sparing no effort to make this pleasant affair in observance of St. Valentine's day. All members are extended an urgent invitation to attend.

Valentine Party.

The committee from the Woman's club, of which Mrs. T. L. Melgaard is chairman, appointed to have charge of the valentine party to be given on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms, are busy making plans for decorations and entertainment. All appointments will be in keeping with the festive season. During the afternoon lunch will be served.

Entertains.

Miss Myrtle Blair pleasantly entertained a company of friends at her home Sunday night. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Art Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell, Ann Tharaldson, George Erickson, Martin Stenberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stenberg, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conner.

Sleighride Party.

On Friday evening the Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a sleighride party to the home of Roy and Esther Brown, who live about two miles east of town. A "tip-over" was part of the entertainment.

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Sleighride Party.

The Lone Wolf patrol of the Girl Scouts entertained at a sleighride party on Saturday night. After a ride about the city the guests repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Richter, where they partook of refreshments. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and music.

Elks Have Party.

The members of the Elks lodge enjoyed a dancing party at the club rooms on Friday evening, following the basketball game. Mrs. Mae Rowan and C. E. Andrews furnished an excellent program of music. At midnight a very fine lunch was served.

Stork Shower.

About twenty-five ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. H. C. Grindeland Sunday afternoon for a social time and stork shower. During the course of the afternoon a nice lunch, brought by the guests, was served.

Entertains Informally.

Mrs. C. F. Erickson, 217 Markley avenue south, entertained a company of friends at her home Monday evening. The hours were devoted to cards and music, followed by a delicious lunch.

Stag Party.

Messrs. A. H. Dorn, Julien Provencher and C. E. Hobbs shared honors at a stag party at the Hotel Evelyn on Saturday evening. Members of the U. C. T. lodge were their guests.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. J. M. Bishop on Tuesday afternoon, with a very good attendance. After the usual devotionals and business session, lunch was served.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. J. L. Magnuson delightfully entertained a number of friends at cards last evening at her home, 604 Arnold avenue north. There were guests for three tables.

Odd Fellows Entertain Rebekahs.

The members of the Odd Fellows lodge entertained the Rebekahs at the I. O. O. F. hall on Tuesday. An evening of cards and music was followed by a fine lunch.

Rindal Ladies' Aid.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Evan Anderson of Rosewood on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 7.

City News

Frederick Rasmussen of Roseau spent Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. Orra M. Richardson left Monday night for Elgin in response to a message that her sister was critically ill.

Miss Sophie Ness of Holt was in the city Thursday and Friday visiting friends and attending to shopping.

C. E. Russell of Superior, Wis., was a visitor in the city last week. He is a former resident of Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Floyd Dalton returned to her home at Fordville, N. D., the first of the week after a visit with Mrs. Oscar Melby.

Miss Corrine Skramstad returned the first of the week from Holt, where she had spent a few days visiting friends.

L. C. Pope, Soo train dispatcher, will leave Sunday night for the Twin Cities to spend a few days visiting friends.

S. Carl Sundahl expects to leave the latter part of the week for Minneapolis on business and to attend the auto show.

C. S. Lindquist arrived Monday from Wylie and spent the day visiting his daughters, Misses Olga and Nora Lindquist.

S. Mork and daughter, Miss Mathilda, returned to their home at Holt Tuesday morning after a brief visit with friends here.

Mrs. Esta Barton, manager of the Dalquist millinery, left Wednesday night on a ten day buying trip to the Twin Cities and Chicago.

G. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, returned Sunday from Minneapolis, where he had been on business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton returned this morning from a two weeks trip spent in visiting relatives and friends in the Twin Cities and Chicago.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson will leave Saturday night for St. Paul, where they will spend a week attending to their spring millinery buying.

Miss Gladys Anderson left this afternoon for Crookston to attend the basketball game. From there she expects to go to Minneapolis to spend several days with relatives.

Halvor Strandvold, who resides on a farm west of the city, left Tuesday afternoon for points in Montana and Washington, where he will spend some time with relatives and friends.

Miss Hilda Helgerson of Bohl visited friends here last week.

John Anton of Plummer was in the city Friday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson of St. Hilaire shopped here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Morch of Holt attended to shopping here Thursday.

Cerise Lee of Grygla visited with friends here the first of the week.

Allison Stitt visited friends in Minneapolis from Friday until Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Loken, Feb. 1, a nine-pound baby girl.

A. C. Kvennes, banker at Middle River, was here yesterday on business.

C. W. McDaniel has been confined to his home this week with a severe cold.

R. Anderson of Wannaska was in the city the first of the week on business.

The best Valentine you can send is a photo of yourself taken at Berry's Studio. F-2-9

H. O. Hanson came down from Holt Saturday afternoon and visited until Monday.

Geo. Wold came over from Goodridge the first of the week to attend to business matters.

Elmer Reaan returned to Goodridge on Wednesday after a brief visit in this city with relatives.

Gay Halvorson returned on Sunday from Minneapolis, where he had spent a few days on business.

Miss Theresa Giefer, who teaches at Goodridge, spent the week-end visiting here with her folks.

Maynard Johnson of Warren spent a few days the latter part of last week visiting local friends.

C. W. Nelson returned on Monday from Minneapolis, where he had attended to business matters.

E. M. Stanton, Jr., has been confined to his home the past ten days with a painful ulcerated tooth.

Miss Ella Linstad arrived Tuesday morning from Fargo for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Lindstad.

Anyone desiring home knit stockings or knitting done, leave orders at 615 Dewey avenue north. Prices reasonable. F-2-9-p

Russel E. Spear of Grand Forks, who had spent a few days here on business, returned to the Forks Saturday afternoon.

Theo. Carlson and L. P. LeSage returned Saturday afternoon from Baudette, where they had spent a week visiting friends.

Mrs. Ed. Krohn of Viking is here this week visiting her daughters, Misses Mirtle and Violet, and also to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. O. B. Olson of Crookston arrived Saturday to attend a conference of the Swedish Lutheran church. She returned to her home Monday.

Mrs. Fred Holzknecht will leave this afternoon for Crookston to witness the basketball game between the local team and the Crookston quint.

Mrs. A. E. Nordstrom returned to her home at Crookston Monday after having attended a conference of the Swedish Lutheran church in this tiey.

Miss Louise Erickson, who had spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Erickson, returned to Erskine Sunday night to resume her work in the city schools.

Mrs. Scott Laird expects to leave tomorrow evening for Minneapolis to spend a week with friends. She will also visit her father, H. C. Giese, who recently underwent an operation in a Winona hospital.

Mrs. A. G. Kells of Minneapolis arrived yesterday morning from Grand Forks for a visit with her cousin, Mrs. L. F. Fisher. Mrs. Kells had spent some time visiting Mrs. Fisher's parents at Grand Forks.

F. E. McKnight, who has been employed as pharmacist at Lambert's drug store, left Tuesday afternoon for Marion, N. D., where he has purchased a drug store. The family will leave for the new home as soon as a residence can be secured.

The strength and sturdiness of our people is being undermined by Constipation—it reduces the value of your food, impoverishes your blood, weakens your whole system. Take HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS for Constipation. You'll get results every time. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. F

BANKS PROMOTE TWO D. B. C. MEN

"We send out stenographers and bookkeepers to banks, but they turn out officers," said F. L. Watkins, Pres., Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., commenting on the advancement of A. B. Lubke to cashier, and R. H. Poff to asst. cashier of the First National Bank of Kildeer. Both young men are D. B. C. graduates. Nearly 700 banks get employees from this old established school. Some 220 are now cashiers, tellers, even presidents.

Be wise in your choice of schools. "Follow the Succe$$ful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Thief River Falls Man May Be M. R. S. H. President

Daniel Shaw of Thief River Falls is among the men prominently mentioned as the next president of the Mississippi River Scenic Highway association. The Central states have had the honor of providing the chief officer of the association up to this time and there is a general agreement that it should go either to the extreme North or extreme South. The other northern possibility is Mayor Mathews of Port Arthur, Can. In case of the selection of either one of these it would probably mean Davenport or Dubuque for International headquarters and Burlington for the next convention.

When Mr. Shaw's attention was called to the above he disclaimed any knowledge of the matter. That such a contingency as his being elected is looked upon seriously, however, is evidenced by the prominence given his name in newspaper discussions of the subject. He has been prominently associated with highway improvement in this section for many years and was active in having the M. R. S. H. routed through the city.

OVER $600 RAISED FOR RUSS RELIEF

Liberal Response to Call For Aid Proves Highly Gratifying to Those in Charge.

The Pennington County Committee for Russian Relief has sent to state headquarters at Minneapolis the sum of $663.73, this being the net result of the campaign conducted under the leadership of Mrs. J. M. Bishop as chairman. Besides this amount in cash, a large bag of clothing and wearing apparel was donated. Secretary John Bratrud submits the following report of the sources from which the money was derived together with the names of those in charge:

First ward, Bernard Knudsen, chairman, $172.57; Second ward, O. A. Naplin, $100.05; Third ward, O. L. Ihle, $67.90; Fourth ward, Adolf Eklund, $97.15; town of North, H. J. Rustad, $23; Goodridge, J. P. Jensen and H. Rockne, $32; town of Numedal, Olaf Larson and C. A. Johnson, $20.50; St. Hilaire, E. O. Burkee and A. F. Hall, $10; confirmation class of Trinity church, $5; Lone Wolf Patrol of Girl Scouts, Isabel Richter, treasurer, $3; receipts from basketbal lgame, $7.15; dance tickets sold, $40; refreshments sold, $6.65; collections by chairman—Minnie Matson $25, Joe Oski $5, Jung's $5, Miss O'Neill $1, Miss Nordvi $1, total, $37. Miscellaneous donations—Efie Kittleson $5, T. A. Fossum $2, T. Tjuland $5; collection by H. S. [illegible]ien, $15; sale of articles taken in receiving room in charge of W. H. Quist, $4.60; total, $633.07. The cost of refreshments served and incidentals was $6.92, leaving a net balance of $636.73.

The committee in charge wishes to thank the citizens for their liberal support of this undertaking. When everything is taken into consideration it was one of the most successful campaigns of its kind ever launched.

Obituary

Martha Lina Baker.

On Friday, Jan. 27, occurred the death of Martha Lina, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baker, 220 Main avenue north, after a short illness. Funeral services were held on Monday morning and interment took place in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Clara Lysaker.

Mrs. Clara Lysaker, wife of T. H. Lysaker of Grygla, passed away on Friday at the local hospital, after an illness of ten days. Deceased was 29 years old. The funeral was held yesterday at Grygla.

Card of Thanks.

We hereby wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to our friends and neighbors who so generously and lovingly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved darling, Martha Lena; also the Royal Neighbors for their beautiful floral offerings.—Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and Family.

THOROUGH WORK

How a Thief River Falls Citizen Found Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

If you suffer from backache—
From urinary disorders—
Any curable disease of the kidneys,
Use a tested kidney remedy.
Doan's Kidney Pills have been tested by thousands.
Thief River Falls people testify.
Can you ask more convincing proof of merit?

John Aase, farmer, Thief River Falls, says: "A cold settled on my kidneys and caused me some trouble when I was working. When I stooped my back was so stiff and lame it was hard for me to get up again. I used to feel tired before my work was half finished and I felt pretty mean. I bought a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Newell's Drug Store and in a short time they cured me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Aase had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Don't dose children's colds

External, vaporizing treatment is better and saves upsetting their little stomachs.

There's a new way to treat spasmodic croup, sore throat, sore tonsils and other cold troubles. It's a salve that sends its healing vapors right into the nose, throat and lungs, and is absorbed thru the skin, too.

Not only does this treatment—Vicks VapoRub—save upsetting the children's stomachs with strong drugs, but you can let them have the needful fresh air day and night.

Mothers who have tried Vicks certainly seem to prefer this new method. Over 35 million jars have been used since January, 1919. Once tried, Vicks becomes a standby in the family medicine cabinet.

Vicks is used almost daily in homes where there are children—for colds, cuts, burns, scalds, bruises, bites and itching skin troubles. Just as good for grown-ups, too.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

VICKS VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church.
George Larson, Pastor.

Sunday school and Bible class 10 a. m. Services Sunday morning at 11. Rev. August Bredeson will speak. No service in the evening. Services at Goodridge 11 a. m., in the English language. Norwegian services at Goodridge 7:45 p. m. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, Feb. 9. The society entertains. Zion Young People's meeting Thursday evening, the 9th. Mrs. Sortland and Misses Jacobson entertain. The Fosston district of the Lutheran Free church will hold meetings in the Zion church from Feb. 17 to 19.

Lutheran Church, Goodridge.
H. Lutz, Pastor.

Sunday, Feb. 5: English services at Erie at 10 a. m. and at Neptune at 3 p. m.

Bethlehem Congregation.
O. I. Raaum, Pastor.

There will be services at Thorvick next Sunday at 11 a. m. On Sunday, Feb. 12, there will be services in Bethlehem church at the same hour. Please note change in the time for holding these services.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.

Services Thursday and Friday evenings. Thursday evening the American language will be used. Sunday, Feb. 5: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services 11 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. O. B. Olson of Crookston, C. Lundquist of Moody Bible Institute and C. F. Philstrom of Warren will be the speakers. Come and bring your friends.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, Feb. 5, "Spirit." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Trinity Lutheran Church.

The Ladies' Aid meets this afternoon, entertained by Mesdames R. Oen, Ed. Evenson, S. A. Hanson and G. Granum. Choir rehearsal at the church this evening at 7:15. The following program will be given by the Young People's League this evening: Scripture reading and prayer; piano solo, Pearl Weeks; vocal solo, Thora Hanson; reading, Miss Agnes Stavig; violin solo, Lorraine Will. Confirmation class at the parsonage Saturday 10 a. m. Divine services in Norwegian 11 a. m. In English 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m.

Presbyterian Church.

The Christian Endeavor society will conduct the morning services next Sunday, beginning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:55 a. m.; Junior Endeavor, 3; Senior Endeavor, 7; Men's Bible class, 6:45. No evening service.

Augustana Church.
Albin A. Larson, Pastor.

Services in American at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Bible class at 7 p. m. Services in Swedish at 8 p. m. Installation of church officers at the morning service.

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Gold Seal No. 10—kills the desire for Tobacco, Snuff and Cigarettes. A guaranteed harmless vegetable treatment. Testimonials from grateful men who have been cured. Full treatment $2.75. Our FREE book tells why you should not use tobacco. It is Free. Send right now.

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Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. 1224t

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LITTLE aches grow into big pains unless warded off by an application of Sloan's. Rheumatism, neuralgia, stiff joints, lame backs won't fight long against Sloan's Liniment.

For more than forty years Sloan's Liniment has helped thousands, the world over. You won't be an exception. It certainly does produce results.

It penetrates without rubbing. Keep this old family friend always handy for instant use. Ask your neighbor.

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Frost in California

"SERIOUS damage to the citrus fruit crop of California" was the unusual news which swept across the country recently.

Frost in California! This unusual occurrence is a forcible reminder that unforeseen reverses may come to us at any time—any place.

Protect yourself from the unexpected by having a substantial growing account with this strong bank. We will cordially welcome your business here.

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Spring Dresses
of
Canton Crepe and Taffetta
JUST RECEIVED
New Shipments Every Day
Very Reasonably Priced
$19.75 $25.00
$29.50 $35.00
In the best of materials; in the usual Sapero styles.

New Rosalia House Frocks
in the new black Sateen styles as well as in the finest Ginghams and Chambrays, priced at
$3.95 and $4.95

City News

Mrs. E. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire shopped here on Friday.

E. L. Rolland left Saturday for Middle River on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ptacek of Mavie spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lamme.

Jean LaCoe left Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls, where he visited with relatives for a few days.

Hugh McDaniel left Thursday night for Minneapolis, where he will be employed.

Miss Mary Felipe of Silverton visited with friends here on Wednesday and also attended to shopping.

Absolute merit and merit alone is responsible for Tanlac's phenomenal and unprecedented success. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. f-2

H. Brevig of Edinburg, N. D., arrived Wednesday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hjelden.

Miss Gertrude Hjelden left Tuesday morning for Silverton to spend a few days visiting friends.

Miss Florence Beerbower left Monday afternoon for Holt to spend several days with friends.

A. S. Lieberman returned Monday evening from Grand Rapids, where he had spent several days on business.

Miss Anna Aalberg arrived Monday evening from Hazel, where she had spent a week visiting her parents.

Tanlac is one medicine that does what they say it will do. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. f2

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend several days with a sister.

Mrs. S. Brandon left Monday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Oscar Linde arrived Monday afternoon from Greenbush for a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gynther Tessum.

S. V. Arneson, who had spent several days attending to business matters at Duluth, returned to this city Monday evening.

Mrs. A. W. Crown and two children, who had spent several days with relatives here, returned to St. Hilaire on Monday.

Old Mirrors, made new or new ones to fit old frames. See the plater or address Chas. W. Leach, 213 Knight avenue south.—Advertisement. f2p

Miss Dorthy Bottelson came down from Lancaster on Friday to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson.

Miss Ruth Owens, instructor in the high school at St. Hilaire, visited with friends here on Saturday. She also attended the declamatory contest at the high school.

Miss Anne Bowman of the University of North Dakota was in the city on Friday. She acted as judge in the declamatory contest that evening.

Miss Edith Skogland, who has been employed as stenographer for C. Gustafson & Son, left Monday morning for her home at Roseau to enjoy a two months vacation.

Mrs. Inga Borg arrived Friday morning from Minneapolis and will spend a couple of weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus.

Fred Will left Thursday evening for Minneapolis and Chicago, where he will spend two weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Ethel Gustafson of Crookston arrived Friday morning for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gustafson.

C. J. Eckvold of Erie left Saturday for Middle River, where he was called by the death of his mother-in-law. His wife and daughter preceded him.

David Johnson, Marshall county superintendent of schools, was a caller here Saturday evening enroute to Holt.

The high school basket ball team, accompanied by Coach R. B. Stenhoff, left Friday morning for Warroad, where they played in the evening. They returned Saturday afternoon with another victory to their credit.

A sleighload of 35 people came up from St. Hilaire Friday evening to attend the declamatory contest at the high school auditorium, in which six schools were represented.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen left Sunday night for Chicago, where they will remain for five weeks. Mr. Gilhausen, who is auditor on the Soo, has been assigned to assist in the Chicago division for this length of time.

Miss Anna Tanem, who is employed as a nurse at the Northwestern hospital, Minneapolis, arrived Friday morning for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Tanem.

Orrin Ostby this week covered the territory of his father as salesman for the Thief River Grocery company. The senior Mr. Ostby is temporarily laid up on account of illness.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and three children left Monday afternoon for Fisher, where they will visit Mrs. McFarland's parents. The McFarlands have left the farm and will take up their residence in this city as soon as suitable living quarters can be secured.

S. Torgerson arrived Monday evening from Clearbrook, where he had attended the funeral of a brother. He spent a few hours here with relatives and left on No. 110 for Minneapolis to visit a sister before returning to his home at Rochester.

We like to sell Tanlac because it satisfies our customers. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. f2

Gopher Legion Battle Hymn.

Legionaire J. B. Murphy of Rushford has contributed the following, dedicated to the Gopher Legion:

Onward Minnesota, marching as to war,
Van Dyke, King and Rossberg,
March on as before.
We will eat Corned Willy,
Bring the bacon home,
Like our Gopher buddies
Did across the foam.

American Legion Corner

A. C. Hanson Post, Tyler, has received a letter from Advertising Manager Cushing of the American Legion Weekly thanking Tyler Legionnaires for the manner in which they helped secure Legion Weekly advertising by sending in the coupons clipped from the Legion Weekly, urging the manufacturers of their favorite brands of goods to advertise in the Legion's national publication.

National Commander McNider's declaration that "The Strength of the Legion is in it's posts," is daily being demonstrated by scores of Gopher Legion posts. Minnesota Legionnaires are proving that quality and not quantity counts most in Legion affaires as in every other worth-while endeavor. Some of the smallest Gopher posts are the most virile, most helpful, most aggressive. They are always up to their ears in worthy community enterprizes. As a result they have their local citizens back of them—have won for themselves a place in the esteem of their communities.

Strathcona is a little town of 200 people, in Roseau county, bordering on Canada. Last week when members of the Strathcona Co-operative Creamery association held their annual meeting, Strathcona Legionaires served a hot lunch at noon to all who attended, without charge, the Legion Auxiliary preparing the cake, sandwiches, doughnuts, coffee, etc. and the Legion boys standing the expense and furnishing cigars. The creamery men publicly thanked the Legion for their helpful co-operation. Not long ago, when members of Strathcona post challenged local citizens to a whist turnament, the whole town stayed up till 3:30 a. m. to watch the finish, the Legion boys winning.

Minnesota added two more Legion posts to its roster last week—one at Garvin and the other at Wrenshaw. The Legion Auxiliary is booming too. Get out the Gopher gang. Over the top for 1922. Let's go! Minnesota leads where others follow.

When members of Alfred Lockman Post No. 53 of Breckenridge wrote to Commissioner C. M. Babcock of the Minnesota Highway System, urging him to use his influence to help former service men get work on the various Minnesota trunk highway projects, Commissioner Babcock replied: "I will be very glad to urge the contractors who do this work to employ former service men wherever possible."

Members of the city council of Eveleth gladly accepted the invitation of Eveleth Legionnaires to attend their community celebration in a body. Two hundred citizens had a good time at this Legion gathering. For the last week in January the Eveleth post and Auxiliary will hold open house for the citizens. At these community gatherings the Legion provides the hall and the orchestra and the Auxiliary members serve tasty refreshments.

Lake City Legionaires last week invited three Wisconsin Legion posts to a "buddy" party. Sixty-five Legionaires from the Wisconsin posts at Malden Rock, Stockholm and Pepin came over to see what their Gopher neighbors had to offer and received a fine demonstration of Minnesota hospitality. Among other projects, Lake City Legionnaires are forming a drum corps to take to the next state convention. Establishing a community skating rink was another successful enterprise of the Lake City boys.

Legionaire George Standinger of New Richland, who operates the home bakery and comes in handy as caterer for numerous Legion feeds, declares: "By the Gods of War, I belong to the Odd Fellows, the Firemen, and the Legion, and any time they need eats I'm the fall guy who has to get it ready for the gobblers."

Get out the Gopher gang! Let's go!

You Can't Learn to Swim Sitting on Shore

Yov've Got to get in and Get Wet!

You Can't Win the "Times" Salesmanship Campaign Prizes Without Entering

Just as sure as you are reading these printed lines, just so sure will somebody win the big Buick Touring Car, the Ford Touring Car and the other Grand Free Prizes that are to be given away at the close of the Times Salesmanship Campaign. You perhaps say to yourself, "I'd enter that contest if I thought that I could win." You can win just as well as the next one but you must decide first that you want to win. Right now is the "Golden Opportunity" to start you winning. You who have been following the announcements of the Campaign know that all that it takes to win is Free Credits earned by gathering Times subscriptions. You can gather subscriptions to The Times just as well as the next one.

1st Grand Prize

BUICK BEAUTY SIX TOURING CAR
VALUE $1595

Purchased From
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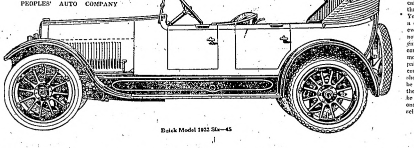

Buick Model 1922 Six—45

Don't depend on luck to win. You may have to hustle a little. But isn't the prize worth hustling for, to "beat the band?" You can't expect people to come and throw subscriptions on your porch. You have got to go after them. In a campaign of this kind you have everything to gain by hustling and nothing to lose. Every person who enrolls will receive a prize or a commission on the subscription money sent in during the campaign. Is there anything that could be more fair? In a few short weeks somebody is going to be made mighty happy by winning the Big Buick. Why shouldn't it be you just as well as the next one? C'mon now, be good to yourself and win the Buick.

A FEW "DON'TS."

DON'T wait and waste time.

DON'T hesitate. "He who hesitates is lost."

DON'T think that you cannot win. Someone will win.

DON'T think that you need money or good looks to win the Buick or the Ford.

DON'T get discouraged if you do not "land" the first person that you ask for a subscription.

DON'T think this is not a good time to start winning. The race is never over till the finish.

DON'T overlook a chance to sign up a subscriber. Every person you meet is a prospect, either for a new subscription or for a renewal. Old and new subscribers earn the same number of "Credits."

2nd Grand Prize

FORD TOURING CAR

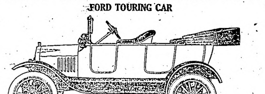

Purchased from McFarland Auto Co.

A FEW "DO'S."

You must determine if you will "hustle in dead earnest" for the Buick, the Ford, or the other Grand Free Prizes.

Believe in yourself. You never know what you can do until you try.

Do the best you can every day and the reward you will receive will more than please you.

You must do the winning. The Times has offered you the opportunity to own a free automobile. It is up to you to show that you want one of the cars by going after it with "might and main."

Opportunities like this don't grow on trees, and if they did, some people would holler "sour grapes."

You can't lose in this campaign. If you do not win a prize you will receive a commission of ten per cent on all the subscription money you send in.

3rd GRAND PRIZE

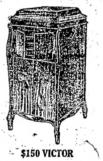

$150 VICTOR

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The particular thing about opportunity is that some people do not recognize it when it comes up and slaps them on the back. Just do a little thinking for yourself. By enrolling in this campaign and going after the Buick "hammer and tongs" you can overtake anyone on the entire list and come out the winner of the First Grand Free Prize, the Buick Beauty Six.

You can win in a few short weeks what it takes some people a lifetime to save. Getting down to "brass tacks," there isn't much that you can do, outside of enrolling in this campaign and making a winning finish, that will net you a brand new, spick and span, never-run-a-mile 1922 Model $1,595 Buick Beauty Six Touring Car. Of course it will take some hustle but, land sakes alive, isn't it worth it? No person alive can tell you who will be the winner. You can enroll today and win just as well as not. You can't do any winning by wishing, but you can by hustling. But first sign the enrollment blank below and bring it or mail it to The Times office. You'll be mighty glad that you did when you step into the Buick and can say, "It's my Buick." Somebody is going to win, and why not you?

10% COMMISSION
Will be paid on all subscription money turned in by Contestants not winning a prize.

4th GRAND PRIZE

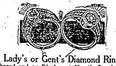

Lady's or Gent's Diamond Ring.
Purchased and on Display at Nesot's Jewelry Store.

5th GRAND PRIZE

LADY'S OR GENT'S
GOLD WATCH
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Manager, Salesmanship Campaign,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

You will please enroll the name of____________________ in your Salesmanship Campaign. It is understood that this enrollment will entitle the candidate named above to 1,000 "Credits" towards winning the Buick Beauty Six, the Ford Touring Car or the other prizes offered during this campaign.

My name is____________________

My address is ____________________

Only one enrollment will be credited to each contestant. If more than one person nominate the same person the first enrollment received at the office of the Campaign Manager will be accepted towards winning the $25 offered for nominating the winner of the Buick Beauty Six.

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MUST RESCUE THE FARMER.

That President Harding realizes agriculture in the United States faces a crisis and is anxious that something be done at once for the relief of the industry is evidenced by his address at the opening of the farm conference now being held in Washington. He spoke of the situation as a "grim reality" and said if the nation fails to provide ways and means for the immediate relief of the farmer it will "precipitate a disaster that will affect every industrial and commercial activity."

The president made seven specific recommendations to the 325 leaders of agriculture and related enterprises attending the conference, these being along the following lines:

Extension of farmers' co-operative marketing organizations. President Harding indorsed indirectly legislation now pending in congress to exempt these organizations from the working of the anti-trust laws.

Provision must be made for much greater "working capital" for the farmers. Means must be taken by the government and private business to insure that "turnover capital shall be generously supplied to the farmer and on as reasonable terms as to other industries."

The government must place more essential and scientific information at the disposal of the farmers.

To aid both the farmer and consumer, measures must be taken to prevent violent price fluctuations which result from "unorganized and haphazard production."

The farmers will be benefitted by far seeing and wise transportation policies. In this connection, the president recommended a greater use of waterways and suggested that eventually nearly all of the railroads of the country be electrified. He also risked arousing the ire of eastern republicans by giving unqualified indorsement to the Great Lakes waterway project.

The fullest development of national resources through increased reclamation of arid cutover and swamp lands.

The nation must obtain a new conception of the farmer's place "in our social and economic scheme" and must realize that the farmer of today is a combination of the expert scientist, the business man and the worker.

All of which is gratifying. The advice aims at the correction of fundamental troubles instead of suggesting makeshifts that in the end will help the farmer not at all and provide but temporary relief at best. The fact that the head of the government realizes the plight in which agriculture finds itself is alone a matter for congratulation by the entire country. That something of value will result from this conference is possible, but it will be hard to convince the farmer of its probability. He has become a sceptic on the subject of conferences and no one can blame him. However, the president has laid down a program of helpfulness if followed out, the only trouble with it being that it promises no immediate relief. But lasting benefit and immediate relief are not always done up in the same package. It is often necessary to forego the one in order to obtain the other. Everything urged by the president will help get matters finally straightened out, but what is the farmer to do in the meantime?

The demand for a price guarantee is becoming more and more insistent. With all its objectionable features it looks like the only plan that will give the northwestern farmer the immediate relief of which he stands in need.

A TACTLESS PROCEEDING.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union is being criticised rather freely for having adopted an emblem closely resembling the service flag of the American Legion. This emblem, like that of families having sons in the service of the country during the war, is to be displayed in windows of homes, stores and shops to indicate that the persons holding forth therein approve of the eighteenth amendment and are abiding by its provisions. The device of the temperance union is a white star on a blue background, while that of the soldiers has the colors transposed, the star being blue and the background white. That this would be confusing is very evident.

American Legion men all over the state have protested against the carrying out of this idea by the women. Some go so far as to call it an insult, not only to the men who fought in the war, but to their families as well. They maintain that for a number of years this flag has had but one significance in the minds of the American people and the adoption of a similar emblem for any other purpose is almost sacrilegious.

Whether or not the ex-soldiers have the right view does not greatly matter. The temperance union is pursuing a policy that cannot help but make it unpopular if not ridiculous. If it is advisable to have an emblem of this kind placed in windows, why not go a step farther and make its application more general? It might be suggested, for instance, that such inscriptions as "This Household Observes the Laws of the United States," or "We Believe in Most of the Ten Commandments," be displayed in order to prove to the casual passer-by that the place is not the rendezvous of bootleggers or other law-breakers.

The eighteenth amendment is as much the law of the land as any statute applying to murder, arson or smuggling, and the person who disregards it is a criminal. Is disregard of the law so common that it is necessary or advisable to single out those who may live up to its provisions by pinning onto them some specific device or emblem? Very few will agree with this view.

The members of the Woman's Temperance Union *admittedly mean well* but their attitude in this matter is wrong. They are opposed by the ex-service men, gold star mothers, state and city officials, and the public generally. They cannot afford to maintain their position in the face of this opposition.

The Great Northern railroad program for 1922 includes the expenditure of $11,000,000 for improvements. A considerable share of this amount is to be devoted to double tracking the road in Montana and Washington as the entire sum will not be needed for that new depot at Thief River Falls.

Over a million and three-quarters pounds of cream were converted into butter in Thief River Falls last year and fully as much more passed through this city to points farther south. This in spite of the fact that prices here were better and returns quicker. The capacity of the local creamery is simply not up to the demand made upon it and the stockholders as well as the dairymen are letting a great chance for more profit slip by. They need a large modern creamery plant and the sooner they get at building it the better it will be for the industry.

The Ninth District Contest.

(Warren Sheaf.)

With the announcement by Congressman Steenerson that he is a candidate for re-election, followed closely by Senator Sageng's announcebent of his intention to try for the nomination, and C. G. Selvig's candidacy coming on the heels of Sageng's, the congressional campaign in this district may be said to be open.

A nomination, or rather endorsement, by the Moorhead convention does not make its beneficiary the Republican candidate for congress in the Ninth district—that candidate will be chosen by the voters at the June primary election. However, a nomination by that convention is expected to give a lot of strength and prestige to the one who receives it. In this connection an interesting question arises, viz: Is the delegate who attends that convention under a moral obligation to support its nominee during the primary campaign? The answer to this question would appear more simple if all the three "S's," Steenerson, Sageng and Selvig, had declared their intention to abide by that convention's action. Sageng and Selvig have done so but Steenerson, as we understand it, will not even be a candidate for the convention's endorsement. He has no objection to the convention's endorsing him, but, whether it does or not, he will run at the primary.

Mr. Steenerson never favored the convention law passed by the 1921 legislature and some of his staunchest supporters in the legislature opposed the Benson bill when it was under consideration.

The situation may develop unpleasant complications. If the Moorhead convention endorses a new man and both he and Steenerson make the race the way may thereby be opened for a Socialist, masquerading as a Republican, to file against them and, backed by a solid reactionary minority, cop the nomination.

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Old Blue Laws.

In superstitious days, 'tis said
Hens laid two eggs on Monday,
Because a hen would lose her head
That laid an egg on Sunday.
Now our wise rulers and the law
Say none shall wash on Sunday,
So Thief River Folks must dirty go
And wash them twice on Monday.

If the grocer will spend a little time loafing about the filling station, he will learn why his patrons can't pay.

A subscriber writes: "What is home without a cat?"

This bird must be married.

Carried Them Out.

The managing editor wheeled his chair around and punched the button for the office boy.

"Here," he sad to the youthful factotum, "are a number of directions from subscribers as to the best way to run a newspaper. See that these ideas are carried out."

And Jimmy, gathering them all into the editorial waste basket, did so.

Oscar Smith says even if a man is bad at figures he may enjoy looking at a good one.

When it comes to curing heart troubles a preacher usually has more success than a doctor.

Out in Wisconsin there is a movement on foot to change the name of Rum river to Volstead river. Better leave well enough alone. Should they change the name to Volstead the river might go dry.

The onion was the first wireless telegraph.

The Goat-Getter says, "business is on the bum." The Go-Getter says, "business is on the hum."

An anonymous contribtor sends us the name of a friend of his whom he characterizes as a human squash. We couldn't decipher the name and therefore came to the conclusion that the writer must have been a pumpkin.

Speaking of Furniture.

June Bride: "I would like to buy an easy chair for my husband."

Salesman: "Morris?"

"No; Clarence."

The idea that two can live as cheaply as one was probably started by the tape worm.

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All women's styles, my dears.
I'll guarantee they'd never change
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Not every woman who is a "devotee to the racket" plays tennis. No love game for these dames.

John Brumund says if the styles keep on growing more extreme we will not be able to call the girls "skirts" any more.

Brotherhood Men Issue Warning Against Faker

In a letter sent to Elmer F. Ohm, secretary-treasurer of the local lodge, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, the public generally and merchants in particular are warned against one E. J. Elbury who is traveling through the country purporting to get out a time book which he calls the Official Big Four Railroad Record. He is in no way connected with the brotherhood in an official capacity and has been expelled from the order. Merchants are asked to be on the lookout for this chap and give him no business of any kind on the strength of his representing the organization. He is making a thorough job, it being claimed that he has several agents out in different sections of the country. Advertisers are requested to apply to local officers of the order regarding the credentials of any person representing himself as the agent in the soliciting of business of any kind.

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BIGGEST SCORE OF SEASON PILED UP AGAINST GRAFTON

Crack Flickertail Basketeers Go Down Before Athletics Tuesday Evening, 74 to 15.

An extra coach will be attached to the Great Northern passenger train leaving at 3:20 this afternoon for Crookston for the accommodation of those who wish to attend the basketball game. Those who do not wish to spend the night in Crookston can return by the way of Erskine, arriving in Thief River Falls at 2:40 Friday morning.

The Grafton All-Stars failed to shine in the basketball game played against the Athletics here on Tuesday evening. They were so clearly outclassed in every department of the game that it was hard for the crowd to maintain its enthusiasm, even though the home team kept on piling up the baskets. The contest ended with a score of 75 to 15.

The game should have been played against a much stronger outfit as at no time were the locals forced to exert themselves. Their defensive work made it next to impossible for the visitors to get into scoring positions while on the other hand the basket shooting of the locals was the best *yet seen this season. Roy* Louden payed his first game as a fixture on the team and did excellent execution. He is credited with a total of nine baskets during the fracas. Carlson, who played opposite the new man in forward position, garnered ten and only played in parts of the game. Penney, substituting for Carlson during a part of both halves, proved a cyclonic performer, caging ten shots. Kiland, who spelled Hadrath at center for a part of both terms, is credited with four baskets. Brown and Holzknecht were not out to make scores, their particular aim in life seeming to be to prevent the opposition from scoring and getting the ball into the proper focus for their team mates. Thief River Falls piled up 36 scores during the first half and 38 in the last.

There is little to be said for the Grafton team as none of the players were given an opportunity to show what they might be able to do against opponents less clearly their superiors. Garvey and Cronky, forwards, secured only three baskets between them, while Johnson, center, caged four and made one free throw.

In spite of the one-sided result the game was interesting throughout. The crowd was particularly good-natured and cheered everything worth while, no matter who the performer might be. Guy Johnson, referee, must have traveled about nine miles during the entertainment, the ball being in rapid play every moment. Hermanson officiated as timekeeper and Mostue as scorer. The lineup was as follows:

T. R. Falls		Grafton
Carlson	rf	Garvey
Louden	lf	Cronky
Hadrath	c	Johnson
Holzknecht	rg	Newguard
Brown	lg	McGuire

Substitutes, Penney for Carlson, Kiland for Hadrath.

Gilbert Proves Easy.

The Gilbert team may be champion of the Mesabe range but has no call to invade the dairy districts of northwestern Minnesota. The Athletics defeated the quintet representing the St. Louis county village in two games last week and did the trick easily. On Friday night the score was 20 to 10 while the following evening the visitors went down to defeat to the tune of 42 to 18. The lineup in the first game was Carlson, Penney, Kiland, Hadrath and Brown, with Hermanson and Larson substituting. The visitors played Conners, Erchul, Fritz, Bonkosky and Domonasky, with Downing substituting for Fritz. In the second game Holzknecht was back in his former position, while Stenhoff was seen on the floor as a player for the first time as a substitute for Carlson during a part of the game. Kiland relieved Hadrath at center for a short period.

Neither of these games furnished the thrills to which basketball fans in this city have become accustomed, although both were good average exhibitions.

Breaks Leg in Two Places.

Tom Walle of Kratka, who had two bones in his leg broken when his team became unmanageable on Monday, is getting along nicely at the Physician's hospital. The horses became frightened at a passing oil truck and backed into the ditch. Mr. Walle was unable to jump and thus save himself as the sleigh was covered by a hood. Two bones were broken just above the ankle and will cause him to be laid up for a considerable time. The horses were unhurt.

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Dress Club to Move Into New Quarters on Feb. 15

The Thief River Falls Dress Club will on Feb. 15 move to the building recently vacated by Bredeson & Co., grocers, who have moved one door south into the larger quarters formerly occupied by the Benson dry goods store. The place will be remodeled for the accommodation of the dress club and the quarters provided will give the plant one of the most central locations in the city. A considerable amount of new equipment is to be added and a larger share of the work performed in this city.

The Dress club has enjoyed an excellent patronage since engaging in business here, the cleaning and pressing department having given particular satisfaction. Jordan Penney has been employed as local manager by Mr. Holbrook and will give his entire time to the business.

Iowa Farmers Have Their Troubles, Visitor Finds

County Auditor T. P. Anderson returned last week from St. Paul where he had been attending the meeting of auditors with the state tax commission. He states that several resolutions were adopted looking toward the simplification of the tax laws of the state and these will be presented to the legislature which convenes the first of next year.

Mr. Anderson says that Pennington county seems to be getting along very well with its taxing problems when compared with some of the older communities. Officials representing these had by far the greater number of grievances to present to the commission.

The Pennington county auditor made a short visit to his former home in northern Iowa while on the trip. He found conditions down there decidedly unsatisfactory from the farmers' standpoint. The high price of lands which prevailed two or three years ago in that section are now bringing their inevitable reaction. Buyers find that they cannot meet payments and the lands are reverting to the original owners, the buyer in most cases losing everything he has invested.

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Standing of High School Basketball Teams to Date

Chairman I. T. Simley of the District High School Athletic association submits the following as the standing of the various basketball teams up to Monday evening, Jan. 30:

	p	w	l	pc
Argyle	6	5	1	833
Crookston	6	5	1	833
Fosston	5	4	1	800
Stephen	4	3	1	750
Warroad	3	2	1	667
McIntosh	6	4	2	667
T. R. Falls	5	3	2	600
Ada	5	2	3	400
Warren	5	2	3	400
E. Grand Forks	3	1	2	333
Fertile	5	1	4	200
Hallock	5	1	4	200
Hallock	5	1	4	200
Bagley	3	0	3	000
Mahnomen	3	0	3	000
Roseau	2	0	2	000
Baudette	0	0	0	000
Red Lake Falls	0	0	0	000

Omitted From List

Secretary Englestad states that in the annual report of the Thief River Co-operative creamery, published in The Times last week, two names were inadvertently omitted from the list of those having received checks for more than $500 during the past year. Both parties missed are residents of Rosewood and among the most progressive farmers of that neighborhood. John Bloom's receipts from the creamery last year totaled $722.44, while those of Ole A. Dahl amounted to $761.81.

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POTATOES—Fine quality, 60 cents per bushel. Zeh & Curran. 52

FOR SALE—80 acres one and one-half miles north of Rosewood. New buildings in good condition. 40 acres in field. John Hanum, Rosewood, Minn. 1p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One sheepskin and one heavy cloth overcoat. Phone 183. Garments in excellent condition. 38tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 25tf

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Mogul tractor outfit, consisting of Mogul tractor with extension lugs and steering device and clutch belt pulley; 3 bottom LaCrosse stubble gang self-lift with 2 extra breaker bottoms and 20 in. P. & O. brush breaker, also tanks and trucks, all complete and in first-class running order. This is a snap at a reasonable price, if taken soon.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

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FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 417 Red Lake Blvd. 52p

FOR RENT—On shares, "Fairlands," the Marsh farms at Roos, Roseau County, Minn. Holstein dairy and grain farm, stocked with cows, hogs, full equipment machinery, including tractor; feed and seed. To good farmers only. Possession Feb. 1. F. H. Marsh, Roos, Minn. 52

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LOST—Black velvet purse containing glasses in case and handkerchiefs. Return to Mrs. Carl Hillier, Box 22, City. 52p

LOST—Pocketbook containing about $8.50 and three town orders on Steenerson township, Red Lake county. Finder please leave at Times office for reward. 52p

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Cotton Sweat Pads, hair filled, each — 50c
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Freshman Class Colors, Gold and Brown.
Class Flower, Yellow Chrysanthemum.
Class Motto, "He Can Who Thinks He Can."
Class Yell:
Gold and brown!
Gold and brown.
They are the colors that never come down.
Fla! Boom! Rah! Sis! Boom. Rah!
Freshmen! Freshmen! Rah! Rah, Rah!

Freshman Class Song.

Tune—"Peggy O'Neil."

This Freshman Class is the very best class,
That a school anywhere could find;
And if you'll pay attention
I maybe will mention.
Just what makes this class so fine.
Sure they're smiling all the time,
This Freshman Class.
When there's work they're right in line,
This Freshman Class.
They're not afraid of what other folks say,
They do what they have to do in the right way,
Excellent scholarship
Jolly good fellowship
In this Freshman Class.

Beginning Again.

The semester has started. Once more classes are organized and the work is progressing. Because of the large enrollment in high school it was found necessary to employ two new teachers for this semester. Thirty-four students from the eighth grade enrolled in the high school and in addition several other students have just started school.

Commercial geography, commercial law and sociology are among the new courses offered this semester. Miss Stavig now has classes in English I and English III besides her regular subjects.

The classes previously were much too large to be satisfactory and with the addition of the new pupils it was found necessary to form quite a few new divisions. The school is so crowded now that some rooms are in use eight periods of the day. If we have as many new students next year as we have had this year, our school will surely be taxed to its utmost.—M. J. '25.

The New Semester.

One semester of school has now been completed. How do you feel about it? Have you anything to regret?

There are a few exceptions but a majority of the failures are due to carelessness. They think they are "slipping one over" on the teacher when they do not hand in a paper. They do not even feel regret when they get D's, E's or F's on their report card. "It was the teacher's fault," they say, and not theirs.

Some who have low marks are working hard to pull their marks up, but they are in the minority.

Those who have failed the first semester should realize that it is to their benefit to start the second semester right. The year is not yet lost and they may easily make this year a success by hard work.

Work, work, work! Maybe it seems dreadful to you to think about it, but you can easily get into a habit of studying, as well as to get into the habit of not studying or not handing in your work. A poor beginning is not always a sign of a poor ending but a poor beginning may result in an excellent ending. Try for it and if you don't succeed at first try again.—Bernice Erickson, '25.

The Greatest Thing in the World.

The greatest thing in the world is a true friend. To a friend you can confide all your troubles and heartaches. He or she can share your joys and pleasures. If misfortune has befallen you a true friend will stay by you no matter what other people say. A good example of a true friend is a friend who remains loyal even though you are thought to be implicated in some crime.

A make-believe friend is a person who says he is your friend but leaves you as soon as some mishap or misfortune has befallen you. Make-believe friends may be compared to children. Have you ever noticed the flock of friends which the child with a candy sack has? As long as the candy lasts, they pledge their allegiance, but when the candy is gone—so are the friends.

Are you a make-believe friend or a true friend? There is no go-between in friendship. You are either a true friend or a make-believe friend; a sham, an impostor, or a consistently loyal friend. Are your friends true or make-believe friends? If they are not true friends, do not go with them any more, for they are not rightly called friends.—Allan Sorenson, '25.

Friends.

Eleanor Burns was studying her lesson one day in the assembly when Professor Bailey came to her desk and told her that she should go to Miss Hoffman's room. She followed him, wondering why Miss Hoffman wished to see her. She entered the room and was told to sit down.

"We have noticed that your test paper is written exactly like another girl's. Did you copy from anyone?" asked the professor.

"No, I didn't," truthfully replied Eleanor.

After being cross-examined she was told to return to the assembly.

At noon Lucille, her best friend asked her what the professor wanted and Eleanor told her about the affair.

While talking about it, they did not notice the gossip-loving student behind them. This girl listened eagerly and as soon as she finished dinner, returned to school and told the other girls that Eleanor Burns had copied from another girl's paper in the test.

For four days no one talked of anything else and no matter how many times Eleanor denied it, they would not believe her. The girls gathered in little groups which broke up as soon as Eleanor approached.

Some girls were so insolent as to gather their skirts about them so that they would not come in contact with Eleanor's clothes. Oh! how Eleanor regretted the day she was born.

But in spite of everything, Lucille was always trying to cheer her up. If she was not with Eleanor, she was sure to be scolding some of the girls because of the things they said.

She was often ridiculed but still she remained true to Eleanor.

At last, on the fifth day, Professor Bailey came to her and told her that they had found the guilty girl. As soon as he left, Eleanor began to cry. She cried and cried and cried. During those four wretched days she had been too wretched to cry, but now all those tears began to fall.

After the storm she looked up and around the room and sighed her relief as she noticed that nobody was looking at her.

The next day the teacher gave the girls a short talk on friendship. Her talk included the story of Eleanor. She told them that they ought to be ashamed of themselves for talking against her. She praised Lucille for her friendship and at the end of her talk told them that Eleanor had not copied the paper.

That noon many of the girls came to her and apologized for their conduct.

When evening came Eleanor sat by the fireplace and thought of a poem she had memorized:

"Well-chosen friendship, the most nobel
Of virtues, all our joys makes double
And into halve divides our trouble."

—Evelyn Buringrud, '25.

New Teachers.

With the opening of the second semester, two new teachers were added to the high school faculty and one in the grades. Mr. Stanley W. Powley has taken a position in commerce. He comes to us from Flint, Michigan, and is a graduate of the School of Commerce of the University of Michigan. Mr. Powley is well qualified for the position he holds with us and he has already gained a lot of friends in the high school.

For the opening in mathematics Mr. Goodwin T. Westlund, a graduate of the North Dakota Agricultural college, was engaged. He found it necessary, however, to sever connections at the end of the week. In his stead the board hired Mrs. Kaia Stearns Dahl, who assumed her duties on Monday morning. Mrs. Dahl is a graduate of St. Olaf college and has done a year of graduate work at the University of Minnesota.

Due to the overcrowded condition in some of the rooms at the Knox, it was found necessary to reorganize and build a new department. To this department the board elected Mrs. Julia Costello Lacey. Mrs. Lacey is unusually well qualified for her work as she has been a successful Normal Training teacher for many years. She had charge of the department in our own high school for several years.

Red River Valley Declamation Contest.

The preliminary for the Red River Valley declamatory contest was held in our high school auditorium Jan. 27. The program was as follows:

Music, High School Orchestra.
"A Few Bars in the Key of G," Ruth O'Brien, Greenbush.
"An Interview Between Aaron Burr and Mary Scudder," Allie Norbeck, Holt.
"The Necklace," Ella Krohn, Thief River Falls.
Selection from William Pitt, Donovan Salley, Red Lake Falls.
"As the Moon Rose," Edith Holmquist, Lancaster.
"Mollie's Boy," Blanche Robson, St. Hilaire.
Music, High School Orchestra.

The judge was Miss Anne Bowman of the University of North Dakota. Miss Blanche Robson of St. Hilaire was awarded first place and will represent this group of schools in the final contest which is to be held at Crookston Feb. 6. The contest was very good on the whole and Blanche has reasons to take delight in having been adjudged the winner. Congratulations and best wishes to St. Hilaire.

Freshmen Possibilities.

Backward, turn backward,
Oh, Time, you old freak!
Make me a Freshie again
Just for this week.

Thus does a senior wish himself back in the rank of the freshman class. And why shouldn't he? Haven't we everything to look forward to and very little to regret, so far, in our high school career?

There are some seniors who are taking six subjects this year and many who are taking five. It is no wonder that they wish themselves freshmen again as they have only this year in which to finish, and for some it will mean hard study.

Take the freshmen, they have nothing to regret as yet, for they have only begun high school, so if they are careful and do what they are supposed to do they will get through without having much harder studies than now.

But it all depends upon how they start. As yet their beginning is good. At least in most cases it is. So if they only keep on the way they have started, it will all turn out fine.

For those who have not a very good beginning, now is the time to change your course for a better one.

Nothing is better than to have a good start in school. Then you can look forward to the rest of your school life without dreading it.

So we freshmen can all be thankful that we are only freshmen and that it is not too late to do better.—A. H. '25.

Annual Talks.

There is in progress at the present time a drive to arouse more interest in the "Prowler." It is a boom for a bigger and better 1922 Annual. The staff has been having trouble in getting contributions from the sub-staffs and the sub-staffs in turn can get nothing from the individuals. For this reason we have met with the sub-staffs and set aside the week, Jan. 30 to Feb. 3, as "Annual Week."

This should arouse more enthusiasm and stimulate contributions. Everything is ready but the material. Therefore we leave it to you. The sooner the material, the sooner the annual will come from the press. Let's go—and make your contributions good and of a wide variety.—W. A. '22.

Freshman Alphabet.

A stands for Algebra, a Freshie's delight,
And "A" you won't get, unless you are bright.
B stands for Bernice, a girl who has fame;
For each month on the honor-roll you'll see her name.
C stands for Craik, our self-luminous light,
Who in appearance seems rather bright.
D stands for Dorothy, so big and tall,
Wouldn't she look funny if she were small?
E stands for English, that language so old,
Which long ago our forefather fought to uphold.
F stands for Freshmen, so young and small,
Who really are, in our minds, the brightest of all.
G stands for Gjerstad, our basketball star,
Who outclasses the others by ever so far.
H is for Helen and Halvorson, too,
A girl who her lessons always doth do.
I stands for Irene, I've heard people say,
Around whom no one can their temper display.
J stands for Jessie with her lustrous dark eyes,
You would like her much more if she were not so shy.
K stands for Kenneth, a bright little lad,
Who is not very good nor yet very bad.
L is for Liv, a very short name,
It's pronounced like leave but means not the same.
M is for Maxine, who makes an excellent boss,
For words to condemn you she is never at a loss.
N stands for Nason, so quiet and shy,
Who for a girl would not raise an eye.
O is for Olive, you all know her well;
Some writer of Norse, I beg leave to tell.
P stands for Penney, who sounds mighty small,
But really, in size, he isn't that way at all.
Q stands for Quammen, that Freshman so quiet,
She always avoids any signs of a riot.
R is for Ruth, of jovial mien,
In school work and sport she's equally keen.
S is for Shanahan, our Irishman, small
Who couldn't make a better president even though he were tall.
T stands for Thelma, our sociable member,
She'll entertain you from June to December.
U is for Umland, the shark of the class,
Wouldn't it be nice to be smart like this lass?
V is for verdant, so they all say,
Green means we're growing, we haste to repay.
W stands for Warner, both Faith and Gail,
Who in their lessons never do fail.
X is the unknown in algebra so deep,
That is surely one class in which we can't sleep.
Y stands for you, the remaining Freshmen so green,
Together we make quite a verdant scene.
Z is for Zeh, Richard if you please,
Who with the girls is always at ease.

Knox School News.

Mrs. G. W. Booren visited in the fifth grade room on Wednesday afternoon.

The following pupils were transferred on Monday morning from Miss Foxen's department to that of Mrs. Lacey: Edward Kasen, John Rolland, Arnold Mickelson, Kenneth Brooten, Bert Teldahl, Alner Risberg, Arthur Hedlund, Agnes Langer and Ida Bergland.

The children in Mrs. Lacey's room won the pennant this week for the best marching on the first floor.

The overcrowded conditions in the thrid, fourth [illegible] remedied Monday [illegible] divisions. Mrs. Lac[illegible] o fa combination of [illegible] Mrs. Booren visited in [illegible] Wednesday afternoon.

The following pupils of [illegible] grade have been neither abse[illegible] tardy the first semester: Edna B[illegible]strom, Robert Booren, Alice Larsen, Helen Langer and Leif Sahl.

Visitors at the sixth grade the past week were Mrs. W. B. Fuller, Mrs. D. Shaw and Mrs. Nason.

Ruth Cronkhite is sick at her home with chicken pox.

The following have visited in Miss Melby's grade this week: Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Protzeller and Mrs. Fred Johnson.

Ten children are reported absent in the first and second grades due to sickness.

Miss Lindquist started a class of nine beginners last Monday morning.

Miss Ruth Johnson, our school nurse, has been very busy at our building this week giving the children of our lower grades thorough physical examinations.

Mrs. W. B. Fuller has offered a prize of $1.00 to the one receiving the highest average in spelling for the next six weeks, and 50 cents for the next two highest averages. This applies to the sixth grade pupils of the Knox.

A content in geography and history has also been started. The losing side is to treat the winners to a party at the end of the six weeks period.

Frederick Wengeler is suffering from a badly frozen cheek. However, it does not interfere with his good drumming.

The sixth grade won the pennant for best marching this week.

Report cards were issued this week. Although there were many long faces all are putting forth their best effort for higher averages in the future.

Northrop Notes.

Miss Trogen's second grade pupils were awarded the weekly pennant for the best marching in the lower grades and the fourth grade pupils won in the upper grades.

The following fourth grade pupils have been neither absent nor tardy the first semester: Evelyn Carlson, Margaret Evenson, Orville Hanson, Harriet Hellquist, Ruth Peterson, Ag- [illegible] Sandstrom and [illegible] building purchas[illegible] [illegible] this week. The [illegible] purchased 107. [illegible] has been absent this [illegible] of illness.

[illegible] children entered this second semester: Ruth Mc[illegible] Lavern Babcock, Russell Reldy, Ruth Johnson, Clarice Engebretson, Richard Elofson, Morris Haney.

Mrs. J. Biedermann visited the first grade on Thursday.

George Hagen is absent on account of illness.

The following pupils in Miss Nordvi's department were neither absent nor tardy during the first semester: Fred Battenfeld, Ione Hanson, Elinor Harris and Alfred Olson.

The following fourteen pupils in Miss Sandum's third grade have had a perfect attendance during the last six weeks of school: Ralph Amundson, Clarence Bakke, James Barnett, Billie Bickley, Patrick Harris, Lester Haroldson, June Morse, Grace Provencher, Lucile Poole, Virginia Quale, Katherine Rhodes, Vernice Shanahan, Esther Comstock, Chester Strom.

Those who were neither absent nor tardy during the first semester in Miss O'Neill's department were: Olive Carlson, Lucille Hermanson, Cora Krause, Thora Sweger, Dorothy Sullivan, Mainard Aure, Gertrude Bartlett, Marvin Benson, Garfield Benson, Elmer Helgeland, Florence Gulrud.

Last Friday the boys in Miss O'Neill's room won their first—and the girls say their last—spelldown.

Mrs. Stitt visited in Miss Murat's room on Wednesday afternoon.

The following second grade pupils of Miss Murat's department have been neither absent nor tardy for the first semester: Luther Carlson, Dorothy Anderson, Orville Feragen, Clifton Hanson, Vernice Helgeland, Helen Johnson.

Children neither absent nor tardy during the first semester in Miss Trogen's room are: Jessie Bickley, Clifford Froehlich, Arnold Haroldson, Merril Johnson, Vernon Myren, Helen Peterson.

Miss Trogen's second grade is taking up the study of the stars this month. They have completed four constellations. We hope the parents will help the children to look for these constellations, which will not only be of interest to the children but will interest them as well.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy in Miss Adams' third and fourth grades during the first semester are: Evelyn Bradley, Fern DeVeling, Vera Erickson, Margaret Granum, Lawrence Helgeland, Lloyd Lundberg, Adeline Votava, Margaret Klappenbach, Harriet Liden.

Mrs. J. Biedermann visited the fifth grade room Thursday morning.

The pupils from Miss Ryan's room who were neither tardy nor absent during the first semester were Oscar Granum, Helma Grindeland, Leonard Harris, Doris Johnson, Clifford Myrin, Melvin Olson, Palmer Peterson and Clement Cloutier.

Those who have an attendance of one hundred per cent the first semester from Miss Berg's fifth and sixth grade department are: George Aanstad, Gilford Evenson, Audrey Kline, Dick Mabey, Mildred Tessum, Edythe Morse, Francis Knutson. The first five are in the fifth and the last in the sixth grade.

Central Notes.

The banner for good marching was awarded to Miss Batten's pupils this week.

We hope the fine spirit that the pupils have at the beginning of this semester will continue throughout the remainder of the school year.

Mrs. George Biddick visited the eighth grade classes at the Central on Tuesday morning.

The eighth grade English classes have completed their essays on "The Future of the Red River Valley." These essays will be sent to Crookston, where they will be judged at the competitive contest held during the winter shows, Feb. 6 to 10.

The physical training classes have been divided into two, a class for girls and a class for boys. The pupils enjoy it much more this way because of the difference that may be made in the exercises.

Essay Contest Notes.

The pupils of the eighth grade language department, Miss Josie Weeks, teacher, have participated in the essay contest being conducted in connection with the Red River Valley winter shows. The subject was "The Future of the Red River Valley."

Many excellent essays were written. Those of Leigh Anderson and John Mostue have been selected as the best and have been submitted to the committee to represent our school. Those written by Lois Nicholson and Margaret Roark have received honorable mention.

The pupils and teachers of Central school in particular will be much interested in learning of the outcome of the contest.

New Students, Second Semester.

The following are the names of the new students who have enrolled in high school for this semester:

Earl Baker, Delma Dols, Elva Effinger, Robert Erickson, Owen Evenstad, Donald Fiterman, Rhinehold Habedank, Noble Larson, Walter Larson, Olga Lokken, Ward Mathewson, Bernice Moen, Alma Myrold, Lily Myrold, Walter Oftelie, Edna Olson, Clifford Overum, Francis Parenteau, James Parenteau, Esther Rustad, Otto Saugen, Cayton Steenerson, Olaf Thompson, Sylvia Torkelson, Ernest Voldness, Salome Wikel, William Herrick.

Notice to Parents.

Occasionally it happens that school is dismissed ten or fifteen minutes late at noon because of our "General Assembly," at which the students are either entertained by outside talent or addressed by people of note who are secured from time to time. Sometimes on account of late dismissal it becomes necessary to call school a little later in the afternoon in order to give the students time to go home for their dinner. Should you see the high school students on the way to school at 1:20 or thereabouts the above is the reason for it.—M. P. R.

Honor Roll.

Freshmen—Katherine Barzen, Bernice Erickson, Rebecca Halvorson, Maxine Johnson, Acriel Kinghorn, Sara Martinson, Mildred Remmem, Evangeline Umland, Liv Vistaunet, Bergliot Zakarison.

Sophomores—Hazel Krause, Esther Lunsetter, Margaret Melgaard, Hilda Peterson, Gladys Russel, Albert Stengelson, Lillie Stenseth.

Juniors—Lorrayne Crandall, Lucille Curtis, Lydia Dahlen, Ole Helle, Esther Larson, Clara Olen, Bert Umland, Pearl Weeks, Lorraine Will.

Seniors—Bertha Aaseby, Martha Fallness, Nora Lindquist, Mildred Loftness, Myrtle Myrin.

This does not include the normal students whose reports are not ready.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We find it necessary to announce to the public that conditions beyond our control have altered our plans for going out of business in Thief River Falls and make it imperative that we continue our business here. The main reason for this is that under present financial conditions we have been unable to dispose of our store building. Banks today have no money to loan for the purchase of real estate or business property and this condition has frustrated all efforts of ours to sell our building. For these reasons we have decided to continue our business here.

Now that conditions have forced us to make this decision we have concluded to fill our store with a stock of merchandise that for quality and price will have no equal in the northwest. At the present time our stock is reduced to a very low point, which gives us the opportunity of going on the market and buying a "spic and span" new stock of the very best to be had from top to bottom. Mr. A. S. Lieberman is now in the East purchasing our new stock and upon his return we will have a store full of the best to be had in merchandise that it will be a pleasure to show to the public.

We will continue to handle the many dependable lines that we have heretofore featured and the business policy of the store will be unaltered. Our customers will find us with the same service and accommodations that have always made our business relations a pleasure.

For future announcements watch The Times.

Lieberman Brothers
"The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Good Clothes"

ROSEWOOD

About 25 friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ranum last Saturday evening to tender them an old-fashioned surprise party. The evening was very pleasantly passed, dancing forming the chief diversion. A beautiful set of silver was left as a memento of the event, and the ladies brought with them the ingredients of a very palatable lunch which was served at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sagmoen entertained a number of young folks at a dancing party Saturday evening. A dainty lunch concluded a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sindelir were the victims of a surprise party in the Busy Bee district this week. Reports are that a good time resulted.

Ted Jensen of Thief River Falls was here last week looking over the territory with a view to renting a farm.

Mrs. James Johnson and son, Earl, of Thief River Falls were Saturday guests of the former's father, J. E. Hellquist.

Selmer Haugen, Emil Anderson, Thor Sovaldson and Emil Hellquist drove to Thief River Falls last Saturday to attend the annual creamery meeting.

Swen Swenson spent Saturday at Warren attending to legal matters.

Mrs. Abe Struble arrived Friday evening from Angus to see her brother, William Sorenson, who has been ill of late.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sorenson left Monday for Warren, where the former sought medical attention.

Walter Wendt came up from Thief River Falls Saturday morning to visit and furnish music at the Ranum surprise party in the evening.

Miss Ethel Kron returned Monday morning from Thief River Falls after spending several days with friends.

Joel E. Shoberg went to Thief River Falls Saturday evening to attend the Red River Valley Young People's convention.

Alice Thompson Sundayed with her folks at Thief River Falls.

Victor Mosbeck spent Friday at Viking on business.

John Bloom spent a few days the latter part of the week at Thief River Falls visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Crown, and attending religious services.

The spring styles in ladies' millinery have already arrived. Come in and look them over while my assortment is complete. Many beautiful colors and styles for all ages. Remmem's Bargain Store.— Advertisement. f2

Ludwig Larson returned Wednesday morning to North Dakota after spending some time here on business.

John Hellquist spent Wednesday at Viking with his daughter, Mrs. Morris Halverson.

Jalmer Rafteseth spent a few days this week at Thief River Falls on a business mission.

L. L. Erickson of Thief River Falls arrived Thursday morning to visit his sister, Mrs. Eva Carlson.

Mrs. J. E. Thompson returned home on Thursday after a few days' visit with Mrs. Ben Harris at Thief River Falls.

A peanut shower was given the teacher, Mrs. Ebba Sagmoen, by the pupils of Rosebank last Tuesday afternoon. Games were played and the affair was a frolic for everybody. The following new pupils have been admitted: Pearl Mellem and Minnie Axelson. Attendance after the holidays has been very irregular owing to the extremely cold weather, but an improvement is looked for with the arrival of milder days.

Philip Vixie, after a year's vacation due to poor health, returned to Hutchinson seminary Monday to resume his school work.

Miss Irene Haugen of Thief River Falls was an over Sunday guest of Miss Violet Furan.

Mrs. Julia Axelson spent Thursday on business at Warren.

Miss Isabelle Sagmoen left Thursday evening for a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. S. Benson, at Thief River Falls.

Legal Notices

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the undersigned will receive sealed bids for the purchase and removal of the old Knox school building at a meeting of the school board to be held on the evening of February 20, at the Lincoln High School.

Such bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, and the board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids will be opened at 7:30 P. M., as above stated.

(Mrs.) L. G. LARSEN,
F 2-9 Clerk of the Board.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

Estate of Jon Jonsson Baner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonsson Baner, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Hans Baner,

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 15th day of July, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated January 13, 1922.
(Court Seal) LARS BACKE.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of thirty-two hundred twenty-six & 67-100 ($3226.67) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Augustine V. De For, Mortgagor, to John Bratrud, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1915, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 41 of Mortgages, on page 331.

Which said Mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Bratrud, Mortgagee, to Betsey and Alma Bratrud by written assignment dated the 5th day of [illegible], [illegible] and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of January, 1922, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book [illegible] of Mortgages, on page 181.

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby [illegible], That by virtue of the power of [illegible] contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26) Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-five (45), containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof in Pennington county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 11th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of ($3226.67) and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1922.

BETSEY BRATRUD and
ALMA BADEAUX,
(formerly Alma Bratrud).
Assignee and present holder of mortgage.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
McGinn Bldg., Thief River Falls, Minn.
(J-19-26-F-2-9-16-23)

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

Annual Financial Statement

—of—

PENNINGTON COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA,

—for the—

FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1ST, 1921, AND ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1921.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

To the Honorable County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota.

GENTLEMEN:—

I hereby submit to you a statement of the financial condition of Pennington County at the close of the past and the beginning of the present year, also a report showing in detail the transactions of this office for the year ending December 31st, 1921.

Respectfully Submitted.

T. P. Anderson
County Auditor.

TRIAL BALANCE, COUNTY AUDITOR.

From General Ledger of County Auditor of Pennington County, Minn., showing the condition at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1921:

	Total for Fiscal Year. Debit.	Total for Fiscal Year. Credit.	Balance Debit.	Balance Credit.	Warrants Outstanding.
County Treasurer	$969,524 22	$907,728 99	$61,795 23		
Warrants Account	907,728 99	985,015 60		$77,286 61	
Taxes and Penalties	396,465 22	423,438 14		20,972 92	
Mortgage Registry Tax	2,090 63	2,483 73		393 10	$2 23
Road and Bridge Fund	140,983 83	85,644 49	55,339 33		59,156 49
County Revenue Fund	41,589 08	43,477 74		1,888 66	722 27
Contingent Fund	200 00	200 00			
Incidental Fund	1,562 26	1,562 26			2 43
County Bond and Interest Fund	4,084 83	4,979 38		894 55	
Sinking Fund	633 04	4,469 97		3,836 93	03
State Revenue and School Fund	30,701 55	30,701 55			
State Land and Interest Fund	2,255 70	2,255 70			
Teachers' Ins. and Retirement Fund	812 78	917 78		105 00	
Inheritance Tax	211 50	211 50			
Current School	2,142 74	2,142 74			
School Districts	186,623 60	193,105 75		6,482 15	9,466 40
Town, City and Village	99,845 21	106,241 22		6,396 01	1,108 27
Private Redemption	10,218 37	10,658 61		440 24	400 44
Sanitorium Fund	7,711 31	8,225 18		513 87	
Ditch Fund	173,844 00	165,869 58	7,974 42		12,421 04
Totals	$2,280,635 91	$2,280,635 91	$125,109 01	$125,109 01	$77,286 61

RECEIPTS OF PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINN., DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1921.

Balance in Treasury January 1st, 1921	$41,412 10
Current Tax Collections	380,468 22
Penalties, Interest and Costs	2,568 46
Delinquent Tax Collections	25,172 58
Private Redemptions	9,470 78
Interest and Principal on State Land Collections	2,167 11
Mortgage Registry Tax Collections	2,001 75
Teachers' Insurance and Retirement	862 50
Miscellaneous Drainage Ditch Tax Collections	1,930 63
State and Government Aid for State and County Roads	47,374 32
Miscellaneous Road Tax Collections	66 50
Interest from Local Banks on County Funds	2,723 61
Refundments on County Revenue Fund	101 12
Inheritance Tax Collected	211 50
Auctioneers' Licenses	10 00
School Apportionment from the State of Minnesota	19,771 50
State Aid for School Districts	29,016 30
Wolf Bounties from the State of Minnesota	415 50
Clerk of Court Fees Collecting Personal Property Tax	22 23
Fines in Court Cases	532 00
Hunters' Licenses	624 70
Refundment on Sanitorium Fund from Red Lake County	58 17
Drainage Ditch Bonds	100,074 18
Cigarette Licenses	51 00
Trappers' Licenses	8 10
Gravel Loader Sold to Red Lake County	972 00
Rent of Road Trucks	763 20
Sale of Culvert	5 00
Warrants Outstanding December 31st, 1921	77,286 61
Total	$740,810 83

DISBURSEMENTS OF PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1921.

Warrants drawn on County Revenue Fund	$39,326 56
Warrants drawn on County Road and Bridge Fund	76,660 31
Warrants drawn on Bond and Interest Fund	4,037 15
Warrants drawn on Incidental Fund	1,562 26
Warrants drawn on Township, City and Village Fund	94,839 12
Warrants drawn on School District Fund	184,440 93
Warrants drawn on General Ditch Fund	163,865 20
Warrants drawn on State Revenue and School Fund	30,363 43
Warrants drawn on County Attorney's Contingent Fund	258 35
Warrants drawn on Private Redemption	10,218 42
Warrants drawn on Sanitorium Fund	7,650 60
Warrants drawn on Inheritance Tax Fund	211 50
Warrants drawn on Teachers' Insurance and Retirement Fund	812 78
Warrants drawn on State Land and Interest Fund	2,255 70
Warrants Outstanding January 1st, 1921	67,861 00
Balance in County Treasury December 31st, 1921	61,795 23
Total	$740,810 83

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF TAX COLLECTION FUND.

Receipts.

Credit Balance January 1st, 1921	$15,228 89
Current Tax Collections	380,468 22
Collection of Penalties, Interest and Costs	2,568 46
Delinquent Tax Collections	25,172 58
Total	$423,438 14

Disbursements.

Taxes and Penalties Distributed	$396,465 22
Taxes and Penalties Undistributed on December 31st, 1921	20,972 92
Total	$423,438 14

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

Receipts.

Credit Balance January 1st, 1921	$1,180 43
Received from Tax Distributions (Current and Delinquent)	37,742 38
Received from Interest on Deposits in Local Banks	2,723 61
Received from Sale of Culvert	5 00
Received from Refundments on Warrants Issued	101 12
Received from the State for Cigarette Licenses	51 00
Received from State for Wolf Bounties paid	415 50
Received from Clerk of Court Fees for Collecting Personal Property Tax List	22 23
Received for Trappers' Licenses	8 10
Received from Fines in Court Cases	532 00
Received for Hunters' Licenses	624 70
Received for Auctioneers' Licenses	10 00
Transferred from County Attorney's Contingent Fund	41 65
Total	$43,477 74

Disbursements.

Warrants Issued	$39,326 50
Transferred to the Incidental Fund	1,562 26
Transferred to County Attorney's Contingent Fund	300 00
Distribution of Refundments Paid Out of Revenue Fund	250 27
Transferred to Private Redemption Fund	149 99
Credit Balance December 31st, 1921	1,888 66
Total	$43,477 74

COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS AND ASSISTANTS.

T. P. Anderson, County Auditor	$2,000 00
John Gullingsrud, County Treasurer	2,000 00
Lars Backe, Judge of Probate	1,484 48
Ira C. Richardson, Judge of Probate	15 52
W. J. LaBree, Sheriff	1,030 00
Theo. Quale, County Attorney	1,200 00
Adolf Eklund, Clerk of District Court	800 00
George M. Gunderson, Superintendent of Schools	1,440 00
W. J. LaBree, Jailer	240 00
W. O. Braggans, Court Reporter	344 70
Chas. [illegible], Court Reporter	344 70
Axel [illegible], Deputy Auditor	1,335 00
Paul [illegible], Janitor	900 00
[illegible] County Commissioner, First District	325 00
[illegible] W. Hanson, County Commissioner, Second District	325 00
[illegible] County Commissioner, Third District	325 00
[illegible] Commissioner, Fourth District	325 00
O. [illegible], County Commissioner, Fifth District	325 00
[illegible] Deputy County Treasurer	420 00
[illegible] Superintendent of Schools	310 25
[illegible] Clerk of Court	24 00
[illegible] Clerk of Court	10 00
	$15,848 63
[illegible] Auditor	15 00

COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

Blanks, Books and Supplies.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose—	Amount.
The Times Company, printing and supplies	$906 65
The Fritz Cross Co., supplies	576 00
Miller Davis Co., blank books and supplies	601 65
Free Press Printing Co., books and supplies	838 96
Geo. D. Barnard Co., supplies	75 42
Russell E. Spear, typewriter and supplies	119 25
N. A. Nelson, supplies	2 00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., adding machine	200 00
Remington Typewriter Co., repairs	66 17
Kimball Storer Co., supplies	183 64
Louis F. Dow Co., supplies	128 10
Scott Laird, supplies	96 12
Bottem Hardware Co., supplies	22 13
Thief River Grocery Co., supplies	58 00
Larson Furniture Co., supplies	148 73
O. Gunstad, supplies	44 85
The Maximore Co., supplies	18 50
West Disinfecting Co., supplies	16 20
Northwestern Sanitary Co., supplies	24 00
H. A. Rogers, supplies	34 18
J. I. Holcomb, supplies	7 15
Elliott Fischer Co., supplies	4 50
National Sales Co., supplies	5 00
Associated Mfg. Co., supplies	8 04
Germicide Co., supplies	6 75
Oen Mercantile Co., supplies	13 41
Northwestern School Supply Co., supplies	2 94
Total	$4,277 55

Municipal Court Fees.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Clearboneau	$6 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Bradley	23 40
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. James Parenteau	16 50
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Earl Reeves	27 01
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Best	23 40
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Geo. Rice	8 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. R. C. Frederickson	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. C. B. Bradley	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Esther Holland, et al	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Harry Myhram	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. G. Carlson	3 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Geo. Payette	8 10
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Fred Westphal	12 00
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Alex Best	15 10
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Jessie Davidson	2 80
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Glen Gillett	2 60
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Clyde Lonson	7 70
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. E. Larson	15 60
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Morstad	17 04
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Ole Peterson	0 80
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Remmem	13 02
Total	$217 46

Legal Publications and Printing.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
The Times Company, legal printing	$375 40
The Tribune, legal publications and printing	759 56
L. D. Converse, publishing tax notices	2 25
O. Gunstad, legal printing	11 70
Total	$1,148 71

Wolf Bounties.

Aug. Pethoff, wolf bounty	$7 50
Torjus Larson, wolf bounty	7 50
Glen Sharo, wolf bounty	7 50
Veaslo Tanner, wolf bounty	37 50
Ervin Olson, wolf bounty	7 50
Vrall Hastvedt, wolf bounty	7 50
K. Skaaren, wolf bounty	7 50
Henry Rynestrand, wolf bounty	22 50
Elmer Blomberg, wolf bounty	7 50
Simon Breiland, wolf bounty	22 50
Soren Hermanson, wolf bounty	15 00
Martin Finstad, wolf bounty	7 50
Oscar Wiborg, wolf bounty	7 50
Peter Dolseth, wolf bounty	7 50
W. E. Smith, wolf bounty	7 50
O. W. Brink, wolf bounty	7 50
C. Rustad, wolf bounty	7 50
Eugene Tanner, wolf bounty	37 50
Albert Arntz, wolf bounty	7 50
Henry Rannestrand, wolf bounty	15 00
Joseph Prachs, wolf bounty	7 50
Julius Mossestad, wolf bounty	7 50
Con Brating, wolf bounty	7 50
John Salrats, wolf bounty	7 50
Ed. Blomberg, wolf bounty	7 50
Peter Mossestad, wolf bounty	7 50
Gust O. Iverson, wolf bounty	7 50
Carl Anderson, wolf bounty	7 50
Ole Peterson, wolf bounty	15 00
Torjius Larson, wolf bounty	7 50
M. J. Anderson, wolf bounty	7 50
Eugene Tanner, wolf bounty	15 00
Peter Kalkestrand, wolf bounty	7 50
George Hanson, wolf bounty	21 00
Theodore Bergh, wolf bounty	7 50
George Hanson, wolf bounty	7 50
P. H. Loeseh, wolf bounty	7 50
F. L. Oahlbeck, wolf bounty	7 50
Carl Brating, wolf bounty	7 50
Henry Klockman, wolf bounty	7 50
Hugh Host, wolf bounty	7 50
Gerhard Hanson, wolf bounty	7 50
Ole Peterson, wolf bounty	7 50
C. Rustad, wolf bounty	7 50
K. Skaaren, wolf bounty	7 50
Peder Mossestad, wolf bounty	15 00
Jessie Tanner, wolf bounty	7 50
Vraa Hanstvedt, wolf bounty	7 50
Julius Mossestad, wolf bounty	7 50
Elmer E. Dahl, wolf bounty	7 50
Total	$510 00

County Board of Audit.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Oscar J. Peterson, auditing treasurers books	$65 20
T. P. Anderson, auditing treasurers books	54 00
Adolf Eklund, auditing treasurers books	54 00
Total	$173 20

Insanity Cases.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
A. W. Swedenberg, administrator of Thos. Hanson	$5 30
H. W. Froehlich, administrator of Thos. Hanson	5 30
W. J. LaBree, ex. conveying Edw. Oen	43 75
C. M. Adkins, examination of Edw. Oen	5 30
O. F. Mellby, examination of Edw. Oen	5 30
H. W. Froehlich, examination of A. Wood	5 30
A. W. Swedenberg, examination of A. Wood	5 30
C. M. Adkins, examination of John Doe	5 15
W. J. Labree, expense conveying Lars Johnson to Fergus Falls	94 30
A. W. Swedenberg, examination of Lars Johnson	5 15
P. L. Vistaunet, examination of Olive Johnson	5 15
W. J. LaBree, expense conveying Olive Johnson	77 33
A. W. Swedenberg, examination of Olive Johnson	5 15
W. J. LaBree, expense conveying John Thomas to Faribault	45 03
H. W. Froehlich, examination of A. O. Alkin	5 30
L. F. Fisher, examination of A. O. Alkin	5 30
Paul Medderigh, expense case of John Safford	8 93
H. W. Froehlich, examination of John Safford	5 30
O. F. Mellby, examination of John Safford	5 30
F. J. McGinty, expense conveying Mrs. Halseth	42 32
O. F. Mellby, examination of Mrs. Halseth	5 30
H. W. Froehlich, examination of Mrs. Halseth	5 30
O. F. Mellby, examination of Mary Tildahl	5 30
H. W. Froehlich, examination of Mary Tildahl	5 30
O. F. Mellby, examination of Mrs. Solberg	5 30
Jacob Beiderman, examination of Mrs. Helberg	5 30
O. F. Mellby, examination of Nellie Regor	5 30
Jacob Beiderman, examination of Nellie Regor	5 20
L. F. Fisher, examination of Minnie Just	5 30
Jacob Beiderman, examination of Minnie Just	5 30
Total	$408 39

Salary and Expense County Agent.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
J. J. McCann, salary	$483 22
J. J. McCann, expense	336 06
Total	$820 28

Expense Supt. of Schools.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Geo. M. Gunderson, expense visiting schools	$677 80
Total	$677 80

Salary, Expense, etc., Weed Inspectors.

Peter C. Wold, salary, mileage and expense	$241 90
C. Christianson, salary, mileage and expense	47 36
John Radnicke, salary, mileage and expense	380 90
Total	$670 16

Refundments on Taxes

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
James Gilkertson, refundment on taxes	$31 85
Jay Payne, refundment on taxes	30 74
Ole A. Han, refundment on taxes	18 84
O. H. Nelson, refundment on taxes	6 92
Mrs. J. J. Amble, refundment on taxes	6 03
C. T. Christenson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Mrs. Geo. O. Johnson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Ole Hegrud, refundment on taxes	3 00
C. D. Gustafson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Rosa O. Weeks, refundment on taxes	8 92
G. R. Fallness, refundment on taxes	8 92
O. H. Frissell, refundment on taxes	8 92
Julia Anderson, refundment on taxes	8 92
A. B. Mandt, refundment on taxes	616 46
Theo. Fude, refundment on taxes	8 92
John W. Anderson, refundment on taxes	3 85
H. T. Dale, refundment on taxes	8 92
Mrs. A. Stenberg, refundment on taxes	8 92
Henry Goethe, refundment on taxes	8 92
H. F. Booren, refundment on taxes	23 83
Mrs. Ray Spencer, refundment on taxes	8 92
O. E. Jenson, refundment on taxes	8 92
Louis Feragen, refundment on taxes	3 92
A. R. Johnsrud, refundment on taxes	8 92
H. Mathews, refundment on taxes	8 92
C. J. Olson, refundment on taxes	8 92
John O. Ronning, refundment on taxes	8 60
Carl Stromberg, refundment on taxes	2 11
E. E. DeVusing, refundment on taxes	17 10
Mrs. S. Hoff, refundment on taxes	11 48
Arne Vik, refundment on taxes	23 70
Arne Vik, refundment on taxes	11 56
Clara Ellison, refundment on taxes	4 10
Yellow Med. Co. Bank, refundment on taxes	22 06
Farmers' State Bank, refundment on taxes	150 68
Henry N. Holt, refundment on taxes	8 92
John Norman, refundment on taxes	20 31
Oscar Liden, refundment of taxes	7 54
Hall Brothers Co., refundment on taxes	197 31
Fred Soderberg, refundment on taxes	50 75
Martin Benson, refundment on taxes	158 33
Loken Bros., refundment on taxes	613 16
Thief River Music Co., refundment on taxes	99 28
Larson Furniture Co., refundment on taxes	644 91
McFarland Auto Co., refundment on taxes	311 20
Ole Revdahl, refundment on taxes	5 38
W. G. Hartzl, refundment on taxes	97 00
Anna Eckstrom, refundment on taxes	20 96
A. Saterberg, refundment on taxes	7 00
Louisa Stark, refundment on taxes	9 33
John Egge, refundment on taxes	12 48
P. P. Horneseth, refundment on taxes	17 10
John M. Johnson, refundment on taxes	50 38
Oen Mercantile Co., refundment on taxes	350 86
Adolf Amundson, refundment on taxes	9 68
J. W. Erlandson, refundment on taxes	6 30
John Gunan, refundment on taxes	42 42
Joe Cernoncik, refundment on taxes	7 83
Ivar Aaseby, refundment on taxes	6 00
Ole Revdahl, refundment on taxes	6 00
T. S. Iverson, refundment on taxes	5 60
K. O. Gigstad, refundment on taxes	1 00
J. S. Roy, refundment on taxes	24 16
Rothwell & McDonald, refundment on taxes	81 30
Stephen Singer, refundment on taxes	6 74
Total	$4075 38

County Board of Equalization.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Oscar J. Peterson, two days service and mileage	$8 80
A. W. Hanson, two days service and mileage	10 60
J. S. Roy, two days service and mileage	6 60
R. McKirin, two days service and mileage	6 40
Gust Naplin, two days service and mileage	9 80
Total	$42 20

County Commissioners Mileage.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
R. McGlvin, mileage, attending regular and special meetings	$5 50
A. W. Hanson, attending regular and special meetings	22 00
Gust Naplin, attending regular and special meetings	19 60
J. S. Roy, attending regular and special meetings	9 60
Oscar J. Peterson, attending regular and special meetings	11 20
Oscar J. Peterson, mileage signing warrants as chairman	11 20
Total	$79 80

Witness' Fees and Mileage, District Court Cases.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Salomon Blue, case of State vs. Carlson	$23 20
Edward Sand, before grand jury	11 84
C. R. Whiting, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Hans Rustad, case of State vs. Anderson	2 12
Joe Jetland, case of State vs. Carlson	2 12
H. Matthew, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
Dr. H. W. Froehlich, case of State vs. Kirby	1 12
Leo Fahey, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Bernice Thompson, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
Bert Ostvolden, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Bert Brating, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
J. D. Bloomquist, case of State vs. John Doe	1 12
Gilbert Durheim, case of State vs. Reeves	1 12
B. G. Rounds, case of State vs. Reeves	2 24
Ella Waldorf, case of State vs. Brendicke	3 30
Nicholas Waldorf, case of State vs. Brendicke	3 30
Roy Miller, case of State vs. Anderson	1 12
Louis C. Esky, case of State vs. Figenschaw	1 72
Mrs. R. F. Malmstrom, case of State vs. Reeves	[illegible]
R. F. Malmstrom, case of State vs. Reeves	[illegible]
Abe Sapero, case of State vs. Char. Conoan, et al	1 12
Salomon Blue, case of State vs. Carlson	23 60
Joe Jetland, case of State vs. Carlson	1 12
N. B. Waldorf, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 21
Mrs. N. B. Waldorf, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 24
Ole Olson Koel, case of State vs. Carlson	1 21
P. J. Keating, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 21
Sarah Johnson, Feebleminded case	1 12
John Bratrud, case of State vs. Clarkman	1 12
Total	$103 09

Petit Jurors

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
O. J. Valsvek, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	$10 40
Sever Anderson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	15 00
Wm. Mulry, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Fred Du Champ, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 40
Selmer N. Olson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 20
Gust Bergeen, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 80
Henry S. Bolstad, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	20 00
Hans Wilson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 80
Tom Lian, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	23 80
Geo. Eastman, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 00
Frank Protz, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
C. A. Anderson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 60
Joseph Kiel, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 40
Soren Sorenson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	23 00
Edwin Hanson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	7 80
C. M. Carlson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Carl Edseth, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 00
Victor Johnson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 20
James Cosgrove, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 00
Axel Crown, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 40
John Bjosvold, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	25 00
Ordean Olson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 80
C. M. Wilson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
J. N. Huddleson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	26 80
George Hanson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	25 20
Lewis Aaseby, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	26 00
H. A. Olson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 80
W. A. Bishop, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Iver Bolheim, petit juror June 1921 term court	19 00
Bjerge Newton, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 40
Ole Iverson, petit juror June 1921 term court	16 40
Ivar E. Howick, petit juror June 1921 term court	20 60
Ed. Singer, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 20
Andy Smith, petit juror June 1921 term court	12 20
Bennie Rustad, petit juror June 1921 term court	21 40
H. P. Sande, petit juror June 1921 term court	12 00
Eugene Tanner, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 40
Carl Anderson, petit juror June 1921 term court	21 00
Ed. Ness, petit juror June 1921 term court	16 20
Elen Askre, petit juror June 1921 term court	21 00
E. H. Stephens, petit juror June 1921 term court	10 00
Oscar Gigstad, petit juror June 1921 term court	19 00
Peter Lovely, petit juror June 1921 term court	20 20
Ole Handrum, petit juror June 1921 term court	24 60
Thor. Skomedal, petit juror June 1921 term court	24 00
William Vaughan, petit juror June 1921 term court	20 40
Swan Wiberg, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 50
Louis Demmen, petit juror June 1921 term court	17 60
Adolph Satterberg, petit juror June 1921 term court	14 00
C. E. Olen, petit juror June 1921 term court	13 00
Albert Arveson, petit juror June 1921 term court	24 00
Fred Hollander, petit juror June 1921 term court	13 00
Total	[illegible]

Grand Jurors

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
F. P. Satre, grand juror, Jan. 1921 term court	$9 80
Aug. Johnson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 20
S. C. Coombe, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 20
J. W. Anderson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	11 40
Willis Akre, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 20
Anton Peterson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	11 80
Ed. Evenson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	12 20
S. E. Hunt, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 80
C. T. Thompson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	12 40
Fred Soderberg, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 80
P. J. Keating, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	9 20
Thos. Florence, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 00
Emil Sherud, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	14 40
Oliver Fonnerdahl, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	15 00
Gilbert Bakke, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 20
John Fonk, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	14 00
Forrest Hedrick, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	11 00
Hans Anton, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	10 20
Peter C. Wold, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	14 00
J. P. Johnson, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	13 80
O. Brieland, grand juror Jan. 1921 term court	15 40
Peter Heden, grand juror June 1921 term court	7 00
C. J. Ekwall, grand juror June 1921 term court	10 00
Albert Geske, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 00
A. E. Anderson, grand juror June 1921 term court	5 80
O. M. Peterson, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 80
J. M. Bollee, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 60
S. M. Peston, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
N. P. Larson, grand juror June 1921 term court	10 60
Martin Bjerke, grand juror June 1921 term court	5 00
Henry Olson, grand juror June 1921 term court	5 80
N. H. Anderson, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 40
Olai Larson, grand juror June 1921 term court	7 40
George Britzpricher, grand juror June 1921 term court	7 60
Halvor Loken, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
Gilbert H. Sandum, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
Ole Sanders, grand juror June 1921 term court	8 40
Olaf Ramstad, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
G. A. Nason, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
A. M. Langseth, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
C. A. Nelson, grand juror June 1921 term court	6 80
David Gustafson, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
V. C. Nason, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
James Cosgrove, grand juror June 1921 term court	4 20
Total	$392 [illegible]

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Court Expense.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Walter E. Smith, drawing jurors	$5 00
W. E. Wood, drawing jurors	6 40
Glen C. Anderson, deputy clerk of court	90 00
Frank McGinty, court bailiff	45 00
Paul Medderigh, court bailiff	90 00
Pat Keating, court bailiff	12 00
W. O. Braggans, expense court reporter	119 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, meals for jurors	[illegible]
W. J. LaBree, sheriff expense	[illegible]
Derby R. Anderson, deputy clerk of court	6 00
O. A. Naplin, attorney's fees case of State vs. Carlson	10 00
H. O. Chommie, attorney's fees case of State vs. Andrews, et al	10 00
Total	[illegible]

Sheriff's Expenses.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Reeves	$5 00
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Westphal	5 00
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Thos. Hanson	49 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. John Doe	10 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Best	10 00
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	11 00
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	26 40
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	71 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery expense	5 [illegible]
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	38 40
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	8 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Althoft	2 00
W. J. LaBree, livery expense collecting delinquent personal property taxes	7 50
W. J. LaBree, livery drawing jury	2 00
W. J. LaBree, expense conveying Albert Wood to Faribault	36 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	7 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery drawing jury	8 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Rowning	7 00
W. J. LaBree livery case of State vs. John Doe	2 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Malske	2 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Best	7 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Carlson	19 50
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. John Doe	2 00
A. T. Hall, drawing jury	4 80
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	28 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Lonson	19 60
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Thompson	6 00
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	11 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Gellette	1 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Solberg	1 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Morstad	2 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	3 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Morstad	54 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Larson	28 [illegible]
John Javanson, livery for sheriff	13 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, sheriff expenses	2 0[illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Bjerkile	15 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Anderson	7 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Lovwalk	9 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Kelly	18 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Figenshaw	22 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Phillon	15 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Stanley et al	19 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Tildahl	2 00
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	7 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Voldness	3 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. John Doe	9 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Voldness	3 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Abe Best	10 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Ole Mattson	6 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Fred Martin	15 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, cost paid for repairing shoes for prisoners	1 75
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Soheppa	6 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	7 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	27 00
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	34 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Vik	5 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery posting school notices	11 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Red Lake Ice Co.	1 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Gesselquist et al	11 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery of State vs. Catholenson	4 00
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Odin Aalby	55 [illegible]
W. J. LaBree, expense case of State vs. Solby	48 [illegible]
Total	[illegible]

Reporting Births and Deaths.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
H. A. Dahlen, town of Star	$4 50
Felix Anderson, town of Black River	1 25
Harry Hawkinson, town of Bray	2 25
I. D. Gavin, town of Clover Leaf	3 [illegible]
C. M. Talley, town of Clover Leaf	[illegible]
O. T. London, town of Deer Park	2 25
W. A. Swanson, town of Deer Park	50
Palmer Twedt, village of Goodridge	2 50
Nicoly Urdahl, town of Goodridge	25
Bj Bjornaraa, town of Hickory	6 50
H. L. Finstad, town of Highlanding	3 25
R. M. Johnson, town of Kratka	3 25
M. O. Leary, town of Mayfield	1 25
John Tunnisdall, town of Norden	4 75
Thos. H. Bjerke, town of North	4 50
John O. Ronning, town of Numedal	1 00
C. E. Naplin, town of Polk Center	3 50
Frank Race, town of Reiner	1 50
T. Morken, town of Reiner	1 25
Gust Erickson, town of River Falls	3 25
P. Engelstad, town of Rocksbury	6 00
Mike Fricker, village of St. Hilaire	3 25
O. O. Maland, town of Sanders	2 25
Albert Lind, town of Sanders	75
Thos. McCormick, town of Silverton	2 25
J. M. Theige, town of Smiley	4 00
J. R. Larson, town of Wyandotte	1 50
Jacob Beiderman, city of Thief River Falls	54 50
Total	$120 75

Assessors Per Diem and Mileage.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
J. M. Schelc, Mileage	$5 50
E. H. Bosnnson, mileage	6 00
M. O. Searey, mileage	6 00
C. O. Taugen, mileage	6 70
Sever Nelson, mileage	6 00
P. O. Peterson, mileage	4 85
Joe Kilian, mileage	5 85
G. J. Nordhagen, mileage	4 80
G. K. Haarl, mileage	4 25
M. O'Leary, mileage	6 00
Lewis Stenseth, mileage	6 00
Harold Holmes, mileage	5 00
Carl Johnson, mileage	5 00
Emil Larson, mileage	5 50
J. Ed. Johnson, mileage	5 80
Oscar Peterson, mileage	5 60
Elias Peterson, mileage	5 50
J. W. Denhart, mileage	5 50
Emik Anderson, mileage	5 50
P. T. Satre, mileage	4 50
Ed. Rustan, mileage	9 00
Julius Olson, mileage	12 60
Lars Backe, mileage	4 00
Ole Tharaldson, mileage	7 50
Total	$153 [illegible]

Coroner's Fees and Expenses.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Mrs. W. A. Severson	$5 [illegible]
H. W. Froehlich, viewing bodies of Hanson and Hastvet	10 00

H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of George Ruts	5 20
H. W. Froehlich viewing body of John A. Robert	5 20
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Gulbrandson	5 45
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Boyerson	7 65
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of B. Carlson	5 40
Total	$15 15

Crow and Gopher Bounties.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
John Naplin, gopher bounty	$1 16
John Scholin, gopher bounty	20 21
Edward Moren, gopher bounty	4 44
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	24 09
Ole S. Breeland, gopher bounty	6 40
John Naplin, gopher bounty	5 23
Charley Johnson, gopher bounty	60 22
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	37 25
Ole S. Breeland, gopher bounty	1 08
Inar Newman, gopher bounty	2 00
John Naplin, gopher bounty	54
Ole S. Breeland, gopher bounty	4 63
T. J. Skaar, gopher bounty	50
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	1 98
Ole S. Breeland, gopher bounty	3 04
C. R. Melin, gopher bounty	83
Chas. Johnson, gopher bounty	4 00
Mike Fricker, gopher bounty	22 88
T. J. Skaar, gopher bounty	4 80
Ole S. Breeland, gopher bounty	1 60
J. O. Nordhagen, gopher bounty	6 94
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	1 75
Ole S. Breeland, gopher bounty	51
Charley Johnson, gopher bounty	3 65
John Scholin, gopher bounty	14 47
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	2 07
C. R. Naplin, gopher bounty	1 30
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	2 12
John Bjosvold, gopher bounty	2 21
Total	$245 23

Expense by Member of Child Welfare Board.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Oscar J. Peterson, traveling expense etc.	$19 00
Geo. M. Gunderson, expense	3 00
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, expense	35 00
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, expense	10 00
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense	5 43
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense attending state conference	37 23
Mrs. L. O. Larson, expense	9 00
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense	20 65
Total	$145 31

Mothers' Pensions.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Lottie Kinsela, mothers pension	$00 00
Susan Kaasa, mothers pension	460 00
Elsa Bakken, mothers pension	240 00
Anastasia Vavolis, mothers pension	90 00
Tilda Torgerson, mothers pension	180 00
Hannah Johnson, mothers pension	240 00
Bertha Munt, mothers pension	275 00
Martha Lonson, mothers pension	165 00
Jennie Erickson, mothers pension	110 00
Jennie Jacobson, mothers pension	200 00
Sarah Sannes, mothers pension	220 00
Louisa Powling, mothers pension	70 00
Clara Fnam, mothers pension	240 00
Total	$2550 00

Miscellaneous.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
State Game and Fish commissioner, hunters license	$488 70
Minnesota School for Deaf, care of Frank Herrick et al	120 00
Model Steam Laundry, laundry work	4 45
A. W. Brink, inspecting boiler	3 00
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, premium on bonds	25 67
B. O. Sather, car load wood	147 00
John Hanson, wood	42 00
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, premium on bonds	141 00
N. J. Anderson, recording bonds	5 00
C. H. Zeland, Appl. Red River Valley Development association	125 00
Peter C. Wold, expense as member Child Welfare board	39 00
S. T. Johnson, postage court commissioner	6 00
N. J. Anderson, recording board deputy clerk of court	1 00
N. J. Anderson, recording decrees	12 00
Edd Lee, repairs on boiler	6 70
John E. Dahl, carpenter work	2 60
Winton-Nichols Lbr. Co., door for court house	8 00
First National Bank, premium on insurance policy	48 85
Minnesota Highway Improvement association, Akyer operation	250 00
Adolf Eklund, preparing delinquent tax list	145 80
N. J. Anderson, recording bonds	20 00
Hans Rustad, work on jail	8 65
Emelia Olson, county aid	100 00
L. C. Neilsen, appropriation memorial committee	25 00
State Game and Fish commissioner, trappers license	8 10
Ed. Lee, plumbing and repairing	2 75
Pennington County Agricultural association, appropriation for county fair	400 00
N. S. Anderson, recording bonds	1 00
Minnesota School for Deaf, expense care of Rodman children	185 91
A. Anderson & Son, repairing sidewalk	35 20
City of Thief River Falls, cemetery lot	18 00
L. A. Lampert, premium on insurance	20 60
Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, medical aid Mrs. Johnson	5 00
Elliot-Fisher Co., repair book machine	32 70
Minnesota School for Feeble Minded care of John Thom	10 00
City Dray and Fuel Co., coal for court house use	343 75
T. P. Anderson, hunters licenses	25 00
L. D. McAdams, repair work	7 00
Town of Norden, part expense contagious disease cases	25 00
T. P. Anderson, hunters licenses	10 00
Minnesota School for Feeble Minded, care of Hunick and Rolsland	54 09
State Game and Fish commissioner, hunters licenses	261 8[illegible]
Leigh Anderson, posting school notices	5 20
O. A. Naplin, premium on bonds	48 80
Russell Grader Manufacturing company, repairs for grader	2 48
Lawrence Mortgage company, premium on insurance	66 00
Irving R. Foist, blue prints	2 64
Edw. Schrie, work on trucks	4 00
T. P. Anderson, hunters licenses	5 20
Perl W. Mabey, premium on insurance	48 80
Manhattan Oil Co., oil	3 53
Chas. W. Sexton, insurance premium	23 35
N. J. Anderson, recording bonds	1 75
W. A. Swedenburg, professional service small pox cases	45 40
First and Peoples State Bank, premium on insurance	244 00
Ed. Lee, repairing and plumbing	6 40
Mousley and Glines, signs for superintendent of schools	4 5[illegible]
Edward Schele, work on road trucks	4 00
Andy Craik, repair work	2 25
T. P. Anderson, hunters licenses	15 00
E. M. Stanton, premium on insurance	18 00
Northern Woodwork Company, repairs	7 80
T. L. Melgaard, premium on insurance	48 80
Olof N. Olson, car load of wood	91 00
T. B. McGinn, premium on insurance	7 50
Town of Sanders, part expense contagious disease cases	12 50
Standard Oil Co., oil	6 65
Township of North, part expense contagious disease cases	5 00
T. P. Anderson, hunters licenses	10 00
A. W. Brink, inspecting boiler	4 00
Daniel Shaw, premium on insurance	25 00
Town of North, part expense contagious cases	20 00
W. O. Braggans, supplies court reporter	7 04
Total	$4171 97

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE PRIVATE REDEMPTION FUND.

Receipts.

Credit balance January 1st, 1921	$1037 85
Private redemptions	9470 78
Transferred from county revenue fund	140 00
Total	$10658 63

Disbursements.

Warrants issued	$10218 42
Credit balance December 31st, 1921	440 21
Total	$10658 63

Private Redemptions on Tax Certificates.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
First and Peoples State Bank	$1788 44
J. A. Duffy	506 35
North American Mortgage Bank	934 20
First National Bank	2030 50
Northwestern Building and Loan association	110 50
James Gilbert & Son	31 05
Yellow Medicine Co. Bank	1718 13
M. V. Evenson	107 04
First and Merchants State Bank	290 32
Lulu D. Halvorson	133 44
Minneapolis Trust Co.	84 14
F. H. Wellcome Co.	408 02
Denis Conely	26 92
H. O. Dobner	258 89
Citizens State Bank	465 27
First State Bank Oklee	22 02
John Bratrud	83 82
Northwestern Trust Co.	298 63
State Bank Wylie	56 30
Savings Loan and Trust Company	157 36
Mrs. Ole Odegaard	140 09
Total	$10218 42

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

Receipts.

From Current and delinquent tax collections	$28103 41
From state and federal aid for state and county roads	47374 35
From road lien collections	66 50
From gravel loader sold to Red Lake county	972 00
From rent of road trucks	763 20
Transferred from general ditch fund	8000 00
Debit Balance, December 31, 1921	55239 39
Total	$140083 88

Disbursements

Warrants issued	$76060 31
Distribution of refundments paid out of revenue fund	272 14
Transferred to general ditch fund	8000 00
Debit balance January 1st, 1921	56051 43
Total	$140083 88

State Road No. 1.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Albert Seaverson, patrolman	$459 36
P. W. Roark, grading and graveling road	8940 95
Iver Bugge, patrolman	112 80
A. Saterberg, repairs	8 60
Lyle Culvert Co., interest on warrants	14 40
Otto Gullingsrud, interest on warrants	3 00
Oscar J. Peterson, inspector road	6 50
Gust Naplin, inspector road	4 00
R. McGinn, interest on warrants	304 08
Merchants State Bank, interest on warrants	292 35
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, interest on warrants	696 99
Total	$10848 05

State Road No. 2.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Ivar T. Bugge, patrolman	$7 20
Bert Brating, patrolman	1125 00
Carl Brating, patrolman	1125 00
Jarry T. Race, dragging	220 60
The Prichard Co., lumber	75 50
Farmers State Bank, interest on warrant	64
First National Bank St. Paul, principal and interest on road bonds	4600 00
Lyle Culvert Company, culvert	72 42
H. P. Lund, grading	217 00
First National Bank St. Paul, interest road bonds	480 00
Leigh Anderson, work on road	1 25
Alfred Olson, placing culvert	15 00
Lyle Culvert Co., gate	17 48
Roy Kell, hauling gravel	17 50
Chas. Stein, hauling gravel	63 90
Warren National Bank, interest on warrants	134 50
Total	$8221 79

State Road No. 3.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Iver T. Bugge, patrolman	$150 00
Halvor Olson, patrolman	150 00
Halvor Olson, patrolman	103 86
R. McGinn, interest on warrant	58 65
R. McGinn, interest on warrant	90 25
First National Bank Thief River Falls, interest on warrant	5 01
Ben Summer, dragging road	32 00
First and Peoples State Bank, interest on warrants	27 75
Ben Summer, dragging road	12 00
Halvor Olson, hauling planks	3 00
John Johnson, dragging road	18 00
Ben Summer, dragging road	6 00
Total	$655 42

State Road No. 4.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
P. W. Roark, partial estimate grading	700 0[illegible]
P. W. Roark, partial estimate grading	370 25
Wm. Jasperson, grading road	48 60
Wm. Jasperson, grading road	200 00
N. O. Johnson, grading road	135 00
J. F. Kell, grading road	182 50
John Frederickson, work on road	45 00
Chas. Habedank, graveling road	250 00
Lyle Cor. Culvert Company, interest on warrants	7 70
John Hanson, hauling gravel	25 39
Chas. Habedank, final payment hauling gravel	943 75
J. F. Kiel, work on road	8 00
Albert Seaterson, work on road	84 00
Carl Alberg, work on road	15 00
J. V. Patton, interest on warrants	1 00
Oscar J. Peterson, committee work	8 80
Bert W. Umland, patrolman	6 00
G. B. Tredt, patrolman	42 85
J. F. Kell, patrolman	50 50
James Evenson, patrolman	30 00
J. V. Patton, patrolman	25 40
Gordan LaBree, patrolman	3 00
Ihle and Myron, supplies	70 10
Oscar Carlson, leveling grade	16 00
Gordan LaBree, work on survey	37 00
Bert W. Umland, work on survey	9 00
V. F. Anderson, patrolman	18 00
J. V. Patton, dragging road	37 00
James Evenson, dragging road	39 40
J. F. Kell, dragging road	31 00
Helerson & Nabre, partial estimate grading	1978 42
J. T. Kell, dragging road	15 00
J. S. Roy, inspecting graveling	4 00
Northfield Iron Works, culverts	94 99
First National Bank Thief River Falls, interest on warrants	404 32
R. McGinn, interest on warrants	18 56
Helerson & Nabre, partial estimate graveling	727 46
Helerson & Nabre, partial estimate graveling	1000 00
G. W. LaBree, work on road	51 00
James Evenson, work on road	27 00
James F. Kell, work on road	79 60
J. V. Patton, work on road	63 70
Ole Overvold, dragging road	32 90
W. J. Wilde, dragging road	33 50
Ed. G. Person, dragging road	134 40
Minneapolis Bridge Company, partial estimate culverts	818 00
First and Peoples State Bank, interest on warrants	22 23
J. F. Kell, dragging	20 00
Northfield Iron Works, culverts	103 00
James Evenson, patrolman	40 50
Ed. Pearson, hauling gravel	91 00
J. V. Patton, dragging	24 00
J. F. Kell, dragging	41 00
W. H. Wilde, dragging	53 70
Ole Overvold, dragging	29 95
G. B. Tvelt, Dragging	53 00
Helerson & Nabre, final estimate	5033 74
Bert W. Umland, work on road	24 00
G. W. LaBree, work on road	33 00
Ole Mathson, supplies	14 60
Oscar J. Peterson, committee work	7 80
A. W. Hanson, committee work	7 00
J. S. Roy, committee work	7 80
R. McGinn, committee work	3 40
J. F. Kell, dragging	25 00
R. McGinn, interest on warrants	77 08
G. W. LaBree, work on road	18 00
G. B. Tvelt, dragging	32 00
Ole Overvold, dragging	19 50
H. W. Welde, dragging	48 05
Ed. Pearson, patrolman	150 00
Bert W. Umland, work on road	34 50
Gilbert Peterson, work on road	21 25
V. F. Anderson, work on road	4 5[illegible]
J. F. Kell, patrolman	53 00
James Evenson, patrolman	31 40
Ole Overvold, dragging road	25 00
Bert W. Umland, work on survey	12 00
Chas. Prichard, work on survey	10 50
Gilbert Peterson, work on survey	5 00
E. Pearson, patrolman	150 00
James Evenson, dragging road	18 00
J. F. Kell, dragging road	27 00
W. H. Walde, dragging road	30 83
G. B. Tveldt, dragging road	38 50
Oscar J. Peterson, inspecting road	10 00
Gust Naplin, inspecting road	6 20
R. McGinn, inspecting road	5 60
Nels Pearson, work on road	14 00
Axel Jacobson, work on road	10 5[illegible]
John Hanson, work on road	22 50

Receipts and Disbursements of City, Town and Village Funds

Receipts and Disbursements of School District Funds

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SAME OFFICERS ARE ELECTED BY CREAMERY ASSN.

Hans Anton is Angain Chosen President and Others Retain Present Board Places.

Reports Show Past Year Was Most Successful in Entire History of Institution.

No Mention is Made of New Creamery Building but Need is Generally Admitted.

At the annual meeting of stockholders and patrons of the Thief River Falls Creamery association held at the commercial club rooms on Saturday afternoon the present officials were elected for another year without opposition. They are: Hans Anton, president; Henry Pope; vice president; Peter Englestad, secretary; O. S. Lee; treasurer; T. K. Rynestad, director.

The meeting was one of the best ever held by the association, the turnout being something of a surprise to to the officers who expected to see a falling off in attendance due to the fact that the dinner heretofore given had been omitted. The keenest interest was shown, however, indicating that matters pertaining in any manner to the dairying industry are of importance to a large number.

Close Successful Year

In his annual address President Anton expressed his pleasure in seeing so many present to hear the reports of their officers concerning the business of the creamery. He said that the year just closed was without exception the best in the history of the association, both as regards quantity and quality of output. Dairying, he maintained, has proven itself to be the one dependable industry for this part of the country and the fact is coming to be generally recognized. He sounded a warning, however, against taking too much for granted in this connection. While the cow would amply repay all the care and study expended, success in dairying is only to be had at the expense of constant study and hard work, said Mr. Anton. The result will invariably repay the care bestowed, but a year or two should be spent in preparation by anyone going into the business on any extended scale. Moving forward slowly, said Mr. Anton, would prove vastly better than making the transition in one leap.

Stick to One Breed

One of the greatest mistakes made by dairymen, according to the speaker, is turning cows out in poor shape in spring and expecting them to pick up quickly because of the new pasture available. Very often it is midsummer before cattle can get back into any kind of shape where they have been neglected thru the winter months, and this cut into their productiveness to such an extent that no profit from them is possible. The better cows are treated through the winter the more money they will make for their owner during the summer, said Mr. Anton.

He urged sticking to one breed. Nearly every man has a preference and this should be followed. Some have greater success with one kind of cattle and some with another—it all depends on the man and on the study he gives the subject.

No Cheese Factory Yet

Mr. Anton reported for the committee appointed last year to look into the subject of a cheese factory for Thief River Falls. He said the opinion was unanimous that such institution would not be a paying proposition at this time. The future held out every promise for the success of a venture of this kind but at present the milk supply is not sufficient to warrant its consideration.

W. W. Prichard, Sr., who built the creamery now owned by the co-operative association, told of the early struggles of the institution and recounted some of the difficulties the pioneers had to overcome. Cows were few and roads in many cases in such condition that even where milk was produced in sufficient quantities it was impossible to get it to market. He said the creamery had been operated at no profit whatever to the owners simply as an encouragement to those who were trying to get a start in the dairying business.

Secretary Englestad explained some of the items in the annual report and told of the steady increase in the demand for the creamery's products—both milk and butter. No mention was made of a new creamery building, although this was one of the most interesting subjects coming up at the annual meeting a year ago. The general impression seems to be that a new plant will have to be provided within another year if the cream offered is going to be taken care of. At the present time no attempt is made to extend the territory served as it is impossible to handle a greater supply. This is a situation that cannot long be permitted to continue, in the opinion of many creamery patrons, as it means a loss to both manufacturer of butter and producer of cream.

Fred Wheaton Dead.

Fred E. Wheaton, Minnesota Democratic leader and candidate for governor in 1918, died at Eitel hospital, Minneapolis, on Monday, the funeral taking place yesterday afternoon. He was born in Machias, Washington county, Maine, in 1862, and came to Minneapolis in 1881. He was a member of the Democratic National committee and for 12 years supreme keeper of records and seals for the Knights of Pythias lodge. Mr. Wheaton was well known in all sections of the state and a most highly respected citizen.

Past Exalted Rulers to Be Elks' Guests of Honor

Members of Lodge No. 1308, Order of Elks, are looking forward to a particularly good meeting on Friday night. The occasion has been designated Past Exalted Rulers' night and it is expected that a majority of those who have occupied the principal office in the order will be on hand as the guests of honor. Lunch and entertainment will be provided and the evening is expected to be one of the most enjoyable of the season. Out-of-town members are particularly invited to be present.

On Monday evening, Jan. 13, Hon. Frank E. Reed of Minneapolis, district deputy grand exalted ruler for Minnesota, will be in the city for the purpose of observing the initiation ceremony for a class of candidates. A term of the Hennepin county district court makes it impossible for Judge Reed to be here on any other date and this special meeting has therefore been called. This will be the big initiation of the year and it is expected that at least 20 new members will take the obligation at this time.

Commercial Travelers Are Guests at Enjoyable Stag

A musicale, luncheon and card party was given to members of Minnesota Council, United Commercial Travelers, at the Hotel Evelyn on Saturday evening, Julien Provencher, A. H. Dorn and C. E. Hobbs being hosts. It was one of the most pleasant affairs of its kind held this season. About 50 traveling men and invited guests were present.

Card playing was the principal diversion, those enjoying games of various kinds nearly filling the large dining room. The musical program was without doubt the feature of the evening. John Ward's famous Hungarian Goulash mixed quartet, composed of five tenor singers and one squeaky falsetto, sang everything from the Holy City to Comin' Thro' the Rye, all to the same tune. They were accompanied by Art Granum at the piano and Mr. Ward himself on a tin whistle. The latter does not sing, knowing nothing whatever about music, and contents himself with leading his famous quartet. When this outfit breaks loose in earnest all children in the neighborhood are hurriedly put to bed and the dogs muzzled.

The evening was broken in two by the serving of a particularly fine lunch, after which the cardplayers were again forced to put up with the agonizing noises emitted by Ward and his gang of irrepressibles. The party wound up about 1 o'clock, all the grub being gone and the quartet hoarse. But it was a lively party.

Move to Minneapolis.

A. G. Halseth and son, Roy, left Sunday night for Minneapolis, where they intend engaging in the paint and wall paper business. They will try to find a desirable location in the Lake street district and intend being ready to open in the early spring. As soon as suitable quarters can be secured the families will follow with the intention of making the larger city their future home.

Much Interest Shown in Presbyterian Bible Class

The Men's Bible class held a most interesting meeting last Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church, there being an attendance of 12. These meetings have been held every week since Dec. 18, at which tim the class was organized. The purpose is a comprehensive study of the Bible, comparing the facts as related therein with the writings of the foremost theologians and scientists of the present day.

The class started with the first chapter of Genesis and has now progressed to the fifteenth chapter under the able direction of F. F. Haynes as instructor. These study periods of one hour are very interesting, the discussions often holding those present for a much longer time.

H. M. Rhodes, who is the class secretary, says that more men are wanted to become members. Creed or church makes no difference. The beginner will be made welcome, no matter what his religious affiliations may be. Mr. Rhodes suggests that anyone desiring to join read Genesis from the fifteenth to the eighteenth chapter this week and then come to the church next Sunday evening at 6 o'clock, this time being set so as to enable class members to attend the regular services wherever they may wish. The aim is to make the organization an influence for good in Thief River Falls and any assistance will be welcomed.

Excellent Attendance at Meetings of Potato Men

A considerable increase in the potato acreage of Pennington county is assured for next year. Last week three important meetings of potato growers were held in the county, at Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire and Goodridge. More than 50 interested farmers attended the first meeting here, 22 were present at St. Hilaire and 60 at Goodridge. It was decided to raise the same standard varieties as last year.

At the Goodridge meeting a request was made for another gathering of growers during the latter part of February, preferably during the Pennington county farmers' institute. At that time the variety to be selected for production in that vicinity will be discussed. The matter of organizing a local association for eastern Pennington county will also be taken up.

Farmers attending these meetings indicated their intention of increasing their potato acreage next year while quite a number who have not previously gone into potatoes to any extent will be added to the list of producers.

Big Poultry Show

The annual exhibition of the Douglas County Poultry association will be held in the new Armory building at Alexandria on Feb. 14, 15 and 16. This is one of the biggest poultry exhibitions in that section of the state. Further information can be obtained by addressing Charles O'Brien, secretary, Alexandria.

NUMEDAL

Thure Blomberg drove to Thief River Falls for a load of bran last Thursday.

Tommy and Clarence Joringdal called at the Blomberg home Wednesday evening of last week.

Among the Viking shoppers last Wednesday were: Joseph Joringdal, Thure and Hjalmer Blomberg, David Samuelson, Conrad Ronning, George and Peter Bugge.

Forest Hedrick was a Viking visitor Thursday and Friday.

Ed Blomberg left for Thief River Falls Thursday evening, returning on Saturday.

Carl and Johnny Bruteng took in the dance given by the Yeomen lodge at Thief River Falls Friday evening.

John Ronning, Tommy and Clarence Joringdal were Saturday evening callers at Blomberg's.

Norval Johnson called at the Gust Ross home Saturday evening.

Thure Blomberg was a Viking business caller Saturday.

Melvin Joringdal called at Charles Johnson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bruteng and family were Sunday callers at the John Bruteng home.

Thure Blomberg called at Forest Hedrick's Sunday.

Elias Joringdal was a Viking caller Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Soren Knutson, on Tuesday, a girl. Congratulations.

Ed Blomberg called at the E. Joringdal home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal called at the Joe Joringdal home Sunday.

Thure Blomberg was a Viking caller Monday and Tuesday.

Johnny Ronning called at the Joe Osness home Sunday.

Hjalmer Blomberg called at the Joseph Joringdal home Tuesday.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning called at the latter's home Monday evening.

For feed grinding and wood sawing see Thure Blomberg.—Adv.

Carl and Mrs. Alfred Forslund called at the Blomberg home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atwood were Sunday callers at the Forest Hedrick home.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

A meeting of the Young People's society was held in the South school house two miles north of town on Sunday. New officers were chosen, Mr. Bjerke being elected president.

Clara Jacobson was taken ill Saturday but is reported to be recovering.

Einar Horngeth was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

Several of the young people from here attended the dance at John Keller's place.

Einar and Elvina Loftness went to town Saturday.

John Berglund returned Tuesday of last week from Fisher after a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

John Williams of Grygla visited at the John Skomedal home a few days last week.

August Koglin attended the annual creamery meeting at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Henry and John Sande are busy hauling dry wood from the Kuehne farm.

John Ose and Ole Listol hauled a load of wood from John Skomedal's last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunsten Knutson and daughter, Bernice, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Joppru and sons, Alfred and Melvin, spent Sunday at the John Skomedal home.

Mrs. Ole Ahlstrom is reported ill and confined to her bed.

Ingvard Pederson called on Ivend and Lars Ose Saturday afternoon.

Nils Anton spent last Friday with his father, Hans Anton.

Albert Klungness transacted business at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

John W. Dahl and John Skomedal were business callers at Warren last Saturday.

Miss Gladys Russel, who is attending high school at Thief River Falls, visited at home over Sunday.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.17
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.13
Flax	1.93
Barley	.35
Oats	.23
Rye	.68
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	1.20
Cracked Corn, per 100 lb. bag	1.20
Whole Corn, 100 lb. bag	1.15
Oil Meal	2.75
Bran and Shorts	1.30
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.10
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.15
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.25
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.38
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.06
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7c
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

AMUSEMENTS
At The
LYCEUM
Friday
Elliot Dexter and Mary Alden
—in—
"THE WITCHING HOUR"
Saturday
Mary Pickford
—in—
"DADDY LONG LEGS"
—also—
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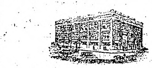

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But this was a fairyland story—and the man who waits today for wishes to come true lags far behind the man who systematically saves part of his earnings for future use.

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EYES

Headaches and nervous troubles are often caused by some error of vision, which properly fitted glasses will relieve. See Dr. Roton in Thief River Falls again Feb. 13, 11 a. m. until 8:15 a. m. the 14th. Office at Hotel Brumund.

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YOU will be convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery does just what it is meant to do—soothes cough-raw throats, congestion-tormented chests, loosens the phlegm pack and breaks the obstinate cold and grippe attack, relieves the congestion in the head. No harmful drugs, therefore good for children as well as grownups.

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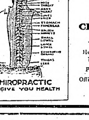

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$25	$1,792.60	$4,191.49	$ 7,401.76
$30	$2,151.11	$5,029.79	$ 8,882.11
$35	$2,509.63	$5,868.09	$10,362.46
$40	$2,868.15	$6,706.39	$11,842.81

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OPENING PERIOD IN TIMES AUTO RACE NEAR END

Two Weeks Only Remain During Which Contestants May Secure Credit Maximum.

Those Who Begin Work at Once Can Easily Catch Up With the Earlier Starters.

Result Depends Entirely Upon Hustling Ability and Persistency of Candidates.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Date Feb. 16

Helmer Ostrom, City	14,300
Agnes Oftedahl, City	13,700
Hannah Peterson, City	12,800
Paul Engelstad, City	9,450
Julius Liden, Steiner	2,100
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bort Tanen, Goodridge	1,000
Peter Klungness, Route 2	1,000

The time between now and the close of the first period of the Thief River Falls Times Salesmaship campaign can mean much or little to you.

Just take a look at your calendar and you will see that in two weeks the first period will come to a close. In these two weeks you can make a wonderful change in the "credit" standing list. You who have been watching and wishing that you could win the Buick, CAN WIN. While it is true that some of the contestants have made a start, if you will but take your pencil and figure for just a minute you will readily see that you are not out of the running yet, even if you have not gathered a single subscription.

There is no use in talking, these are the "bargain days" of the entire campaign. These are the days that will count. If opportunity ever smiled on you in your life, she is "laughing" now. If you hustle she will laugh with you; if you do not take advantage of this opportunity she will laugh at you.

Let's suppose that you had a barn full of wheat and you knew that the price was $2 per bushel. Now comes a notice that on Feb. 22 the price of wheat would drop. With positive assurance that it would not rise again, what would you do?

You know what you would do. It's a safe bet that you would drop everything else and get that wheat to market as quickly as possible. You would get your friends and neighbors to help you. You would not leave a stone unturned until you had all the wheat you possibly could to market before the price was reduced.

The same situation exists now in The Times campaign, only instead of wheat it is subscriptions that now earn more "credits" than they will after Feb. 22.

If you will take advantage of these "golden days" of larger credits on all subscriptions, it is a safe bet that you will be the one to park the Buick in front of your home.

Do the same thing that you would do with the wheat. Hustle every "sub" that you or your friends and relatives can lay their hands on.

If you could roll back the curtain concealing the future and see the small amount of actual subscription hustling that has been reported so far, nothing in the world would stop you from winning.

Don't be one of the many that will say in a few weeks: "If I had only known how easy it was going to be I would have gone into that campaign and won." It isn't too late to do any winning. Don't hesitate any longer. Will you pass up the pleasure of the moment and hustle now and later step into your Buick? It is for you to decide.

ELKS TO INITIATE MANY CANDIDATES ON MONDAY NIGHT

Judge Reed of Minneapolis Will Be Present For Purpose of Observing Work.

Thief River Falls lodge No. 1308, B. P. O. E., will hold the most important meeting of the year next Monday evening when a large class will be initiated. There are 25 candidates waiting to have their horns attached and it is expected that most of them will be on hand for the ceremony. The initiation will take place in the lodge room, which has been especially fluffed up for the occasion.

Added interest attaches to this event by reason of the fact that Judge Frank E. Reed of Minneapolis, district deputy grand exalted ruler, will be present to see the work put on. Judge Reed is making a tour of all lodges for the purpose of picking out one degree team in the northern section and one in the southern as representatives at a competitive exhibition to be held in Minneapolis later in the season. He is one of the best-known Elks in the West and will have something to say of interest to every member of the order.

Particular efforts are being made to secure the attendance of members residing outside the city. A day coach will be attached to the Soo freight arriving from the north in the afternoon in order that all Elks residing in the towns along that line may have an opportunity to be present. The important part of the work will also be postponed until after the arrival of the local from Minneapolis for the benefit of those coming in on that train.

The Elks meeting on Friday night was a particularly interesting event. It was past exalted rulers' night and the principal chairs in the lodge were turned over to the men present who formerly held the chief position. F. H. Herrick officiated for Exalted Ruler H. W. Protzeller, Andy Anderson took the place of Leading Knight L. G. Larsen, L. R. Johnston replaced G. W. Connell in the loyal knight's station, and G. Howard Smith performed the duties of Lecturing Knight John Bratrud. Lunch was served at the close of the business session.

COURTS TO DECIDE FINAL OWNERSHIP OF MUD LAKE LAND

Action to Quiet Title Brought By Government on Behalf of Indians and Settlers.

An action to finally settle the status of ownership of certain lands in the Mud lake basin will be heard before the United States district court in Minneapolis on March 1. The government asks the court to grant the right to acquire title to the lands in question on behalf of the Indians and the settlers who have complied with homestead regulations in making settlement. The case was started in 1920 and has been on the court docket ever since.

When this section, which was formerly a part of the Red Lake Indian reservation, was thrown open to homestead entry the lake was left out of the lands designated, being regarded as meandered water. Fractional pieces along the shore were secured by speculators who, after the lake had been drained, claimed the new-made land as far as the center of the lake as natural accretion to their original holdings. "Squatters" had taken up their residence on the land. In 1916 it was formally opened to settlement by proclamation of the Interior department and a second crop of settlers took up the land. For a while there were three sets of claimants for this land.

Some of these latter had been residing on their claims for two or three years and had made a considerable showing in the way of improvements. As the government claimed the land originally for the Indians and had later thrown it open to settlement those who moved there for the purpose of making their homes thought they had a right to remain. The department of the interior has so ruled, holding that the shore owners could not lay claim to lands made available by the drainage of the lake as these were the property of the Indians and must be paid for at the rate of $1.25 an acre. The homesteaders who had complied with the homestead laws in making settlement were therefore left in possession.

It is for the purpose of quieting the title of shore owners to lands not originally in their holdings and taken up in good faith by homesteaders that this action is brought. Theo. Quale of this city appears as attorney for the present occupants of the lands. The present action is in the name of the United States but for the benefit of the settlers.

STEENERSON SENDS LETTER TO VOTERS

Admits He Would Be Pleased to Receive Distict Convention Endorsement March 18.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson has issued a letter to his Ninth district constituents, announcing himself a candidate for re-election. He declines to pledge his support to the choice of the Republican district convention March 30, and says that Senator Ole O. Sageng, one of his rivals, has violated the spirit if not the letter of the law in doing the same thing. He declares his intention to put his case before the convention, however.

"I should consider it a great honor," he says, "to receive the indorsement and in that event would do my best to achieve victory at the polls."

Mr. Steenerson notes that Mr. Sageng has pledged himself to support any other candidate who may be indorsed by the Republican convention.

Annual Meeting Held By Oakland Park Directors

Dr. O. F. Mellby was re-elected president and P. O. Myhrum secretary of the Oakland Park Sanitorium board at the annual meeting held on Monday evening. Dr. M. Geo. Milan was appointed medical director by the unanimous vote of the directors and Miss Karen Knudsen remains in her present post as superintendent. Both these officials received his commendation from the board members for the excellent manner in which the institution has been conducted since they have been in charge.

Reports showed that the sanitorium has made a fine record during the past year, a fact which goes to prove that the people of the four counties served are beginning to realize the importance of an early appeal to the medical director of the institution when anything of a suspicious nature in the way of pulmonary troubles manifests itself. Dr. Milan has been unceasing in his efforts to get people to apply for an examination and opinion at the first sign of danger and he has in a large measure been successful. He has tried to impress upon the people the advisability of early action, conducting clinics regularly for the accommodation of those who may desire his services.

East on Buying Trip.

H. O. Loken left Saturday night on a buying trip to eastern markets. He will visit Chicago, Washington and New York, making his longest stay in the latter city. Before leaving Mr. Loken stated that while merchandising conditions are such as to keep a business man guessing, he is going to make his purchases very much as usual and will have an array of wearing apparel for the women and children of this vicinity that will be even better and more varied than in former years. Mr. Loken will be gone about two weeks and when he returns the big store will have something of particular interest to announce.

LOOKS MUCH LIKE TOUGH WEEK FOR BASKETEER SQUAD

Superior Comes For Two Games Friday and Saturday—Next Thursday Crookston.

DEFEATED BY BEMIDJI

The Thief River Falls Athletics were defeated in the games with Bemidji in that city last evening, the score being 40 to 22. The team was unable to play its usual game by reason of not being accustomed to the larger floor. McGinnis, star forward for the Superior team, played with Bemidji and was responsible for seven of the baskets made. He will be seen in action here Friday and Saturday.

The Thief River Falls Athletics are scheduled to play three hard basketball games within the next few days. The crack Superior Legion team will be here for a series of two contests on Friday and Saturday nights, and on Thursday night the big event of the season takes place. That is the date on which Crookston invades this city and there is much interest in both towns over the outcome.

The Superiorites have been cutting quite a swath throughout the northern part of Wisconsin and on the iron ranges of Minnesota. They are said to be a fast, snappy organization, composed of good fellows who ask no favors and extend none. It is impossible to secure a very reliable line on their work as they have played very little in this section of the state, but it is safe to say that the game will be fast and interesting from the start.

On Thursday night, Feb. 16, the game for which we all have been waiting will come off. Crookston comes on that date to try and repeat the trick pulled off in that city a week ago when Thief River Falls was defeated by a score of 18 to 14 in one of the fastest and cleanest games ever seen in this part of the state. The visitors will have their best men in line and Manager Connell is putting the home defenders through a course of preparation that should send them onto the floor with a keen edge. It will be the game of the season for both teams and neither is going to jeopardize its chances of winning by being out of condition.

Thief River Falls players and people were treated with every consideration at the Crookston game and it is certain that nothing will be permitted to happen here to mar the excellent feeling now existing. Both teams want to win and will have their rooters and supporters, but it is certain that no such outcome as that which made a disappointing fizzle of last year's game will be permitted by either side.

Livestock Shippers Will Elect Officers Tuesday

The Thief River Falls Livestock Shippers association will hold a meeting in the Farm Bureau office on Feb. 14, at 2 p. m. Officers will be elected for the ensuing year and the question of joining the state shippers association will be taken up at that time. Emil Griebstein, manager of the local organization, will read his report for the year of 1921.

Court Term Postponed.

The convening of the February term of the district court, which was announced for last Tuesday, has been postponed until Friday, the 17th. Judge Grindeland is in Minneapolis under care of an eye specialist and was not permitted to leave so as to open court on the date set. All attorneys and jurors were notified of the change and none were on hand Tuesday.

STATE MAY PAY PART OF PAVING COSTS IN CITIES

Main Avenue Property Owners to Receive Refund Under Babcock Road Law.

Expense of Paving Eighteen Feet in Center of Street to Be Borne By State.

Makes Possible Improvement of Road to the Fair Grounds Comparatively Cheap.

Residents along Main avenue in Thief River Falls will have a considerable refund on their paving costs coming from the state, according to a decision handed down by the supreme court on Friday. Should it be decided to pave Sixth street to the fair grounds and Riverside avenue south of the Great Northern tracks the same rule will apply.

It was understood at the time the Babcock road law was under consideration that where a trunk highway traversed a city street the cost of its improvement would be borne by the state, but only to the width of ordinary state roads—18 feet. Should a wider surface be paved, the property owners would have to stand the difference. It is also stipulated in the law that the paving must be of a kind acceptable to the highway commission in order to be included under this provision. There is no doubt but that the pavement laid down along Main avenue in Thief River Falls will meet all the requirements and that property owners within the paved area on that thoroughfare will have a considerable portion of that cost refunded to them. The decision was written by Judge Hallam and applies specifically to a case wherein the city of Waseca was concerned.

It is specifically ruled that Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth will not be entitled to reimbursements for highway construction on trunk highways running through those cities.

Many Cities May Benefit.

Only cities and villages entitled to reimbursement from the counties will be benefited, it was said at the attorney general's office. Waseca, according to the decision, has a claim for reimbursements of $20,867; Litchfield, $67,310, and Albert Lea, $49,944.

At the highway department it was said that Anoka, Farmington, Luverne, Worthington, Alexandria, Redwood Falls, Marshall, Crookston, Tracy, Spring Valley, St. James, Madella and about ten other cities and villages probably would be entitled to reimbursements. In this list Thief River Falls would be included. Red Wing also might have a claim.

State May Reimburse City.

"The state legislature may require a county to improve at its own expense," the opinion reads, "roads within the territorial limits of the county. The state legislature may require a county to reimburse a city or village for expenditures made by them after Feb. 1, 1919, in carrying out the road building program outlined by said article, and may reimburse the county for the amount so paid.

"There seems no question but that the state may with propriety pay for the construction of the normal width of trunk highways where they run through villages and cities, and if the city of Waseca had not paved these roads, the state might authorize the improvement of the very streets in question.

Judge Homer B. Dibell dissents, holding that the legislature is without authority to reimburse municipalities other than counties out of the trunk highway fund, even by indirection.

Grocers Will Now Deliver Orders Amounting to $1

Leading grocers of Thief River Falls have somewhat extended their free delivery service. In order to have deliveries made it has heretofore been necessary that the amount of the purchase total at least $2. This has now been reduced to $1. In other respects the rules remain the same. Customers must have their orders in before the hours specified in order to insure delivery the same day. These hours are: North and west, 9:30 a. m.; south and east, 3:00 p. m.

The agreement is signed by Oen Mercantile Co., Carl Christofferson & Co., H. K. Strand and Bredeson & Co.

MECHANICS ELECT AND HAVE BANQUET

Mutual Benefit Association Officers All Chosen For Another Term.

The annual meeting of the Mechanics Mutual Benefit association was held in the Commercial club rooms in this city on Thursday afternoon. It was the best meeting of the organization yet held, nearly every town in which it is represented having one or more delegates present.

The following officers were re-elected: William Woelk, Crookston, president; Andy Craik, vice president; H. L. Larsen, secretary; C. C. Gulrud, treasurer, all of Thief River Falls. The members present were: E. D. Travers, A. D. Langlett, J. J. Aga and J. J. Richter, of Thief River Falls; John LeFluer, Fargo; Osias Vian and E. Stien, Crookston; Andrew Lodoen, Warren; O. M. Johnson, Kennedy; John Emanuelson, Radium; R. W. Koepp, Bemidji.

Considerable business of importance was transacted and the members, who are all blacksmiths, figure that within a very short time their organization will be one of the largest of its kind in the state. The aim of the association is the urging of laws that will protect the trade in the future.

The following wholesale houses were represented at the meeting: Williams Hardware company, Minneapolis, by John LaFluer; Kelly-How-Thompson company, Duluth, by E. D. Traver; Nichols, Dean & Gregg, St. Paul, by H. L. Larsen. All made short addresses dealing with business conditions generally, and more particularly as these apply to the blacksmithing industry.

After the meeting the annual banquet and smoker was held at the Brumund hotel. J. J. Richter acted as demerits of this project, well known expressed themselves as having had a particularly pleasant visit and congratulated the Thief River Falls blacksmiths on their ability to furnish entertainment. It was unanimously voted to hold the next meeting in this city. A vote of thanks was given the Commercial club for granting the use of the club rooms for the meeting.

SAPERO COMPANY'S STORE HERE UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

A. S. Sapero Promoted to General Buyer For All Stores. Succeeded By Brother.

A. S. Sapero, manager of the Thief River Falls store of the Sapero company, has been made buyer and general financial head of the concern and will make his headquarters at Chisholm in the future. He leaves on Monday for New York and other Eastern points for the purpose of making spring purchases for the three establishments, the other being located at Hibbing. He will return directly to Chisholm from this trip.

The retiring manager will be succeeded here by his brother, Cyril Sapero, who arrived in the city Tuesday. The latter has been in charge of the store at Hibbing since its opening, the senior Mr. Sapero having active management of the Chisholm institution. The changes now made are necessary by reason of the retirement of the founder of the business, who has removed to California, leaving the two sons in sole control.

It will be six years this coming summer since Mr. Sapero arrived in Thief River Falls and purchased the present business from John Wold. He immediately set about improving the store and has brought it to a point where it has no equal in this part of the state. Handling wearing apparel for women and children exclusively, Mr. Sapero has aimed at providing the best and latest at all times and has succeeded to such an extent that the fame of the store extends far beyond the natural trading territory of the city. He has been active in every project for the advancement of the community and his enthusiastic support of all worth-while enterprises could at all times be taken for granted. Both he and Mrs. Sapero will be greatly missed by a large circle of personal friends and business acquaintances.

Cyril Sapero is a young man who has grown up in the line of business which he now comes here to manage. He is a wide-awake citizen of most pleasing personality and promises to maintain the high standard established for the store by his brother.

Large Attendance Marks Parents'-Teachers' Meet

The attendance at the Parents'-Teachers' meeting held at the Lincoln high school auditorium on Tuesday evening was the best of the series thus far. There were between 400 and 500 people present, the hall being taxed to its utmost to accommodate those who wished to gain admission.

"Recreation and Amusement" was the general topic for discussion and the talks proved both of interest and value. Those who spoke included Miss Maude Frissell, Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Mrs. George Nicholson, E. A. Saltau, Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard and A. W. Jardine. The recreational exhibit staged under the direction of Miss Carrie Trogan was a feature of much interest, while the piano solo by Miss Doris Halvorson added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening. The business of the evening was concluded with the serving of a fine lunch by the women of the West side.

First County to Report Result of Russian Drive

The Pennington county division of the Minnesota Russian Relief committee is the first in the state to make a complete report on the outcome of its drive. Mrs. J. M. Bishop chairman, this week received acknowledgement of the receipt of the sum raised from Ludvig L. Bruhn, state secretary, who says:

"This committee is heartily and cordially grateful to you as chairman of the Pennington County Russian Relief committee for the energetic and successful campaign for funds for relief and for the check for $647.65 received yesterday from Mr. John Bratrud, secretary.

"Your committee is the first to make a complete report on its drive and this prompt action will mean the saving of many lives as we shall be able to make another shipment of flour soon.

"We extend hearty thanks to each member of the committee and to each contributor to the relief fund, in the name of the starving people on the Volga."

Attend Officers' Banquet.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where he attended the annual banquet of officers of the United States army reserve corps, of which he is a member. The meeting was in honor of Col. J. Mayhew Wainwright, assistant secretary of the navy, was held at the Hotel Radisson and attended by about 500 persons. Col. Wainwright responded to the toast, "The War Department," and there was a number of other prominent speakers on the list.

CONNECT WARROAD WITH THIEF RIVER BY AUTO BUS LINE

Car Making Round Trip Daily Will Be Put on Soon as Weather Permits.

As soon as road conditions permit in the spring an auto bus line will be established between Thief River Falls and Warroad. A concern known as the Power City Transportation company has been organized and the motor busses already purchased in Minneapolis. These are of high power and the latest design and have accommodations for 16 passengers and the usual amount of baggage.

As a starter but one bus will be put on, it being the intention to make the round trip in one day. Leaving Thief River Falls at 7:45 in the morning it is figured that the run can be made in five hours, reaching Warroad at 12:45 o'clock. A halt of one hour will be made at the northern terminus to allow for dinner and the start back made at 1:45, the scheduled time for arrival in Thief River Falls being 6:45.

The minimum rate of fare will be 50 cents but according to the rate card now being worked out the cost of making the trip by bus to the more distant stations will be below that charged by the railroads.

The new line will prove of particular value to traveling men who are now dependent on the one train a day to reach the points to be touched. If the venture proves a success another bus will be added. Following is a list of the points at which the bus will touch: Steiner, Holt, Middle River, Strathcona, Greenbush, Badger, Fox, Roseau, Mandus, Salol, Warroad.

Brought Back to Answer For Failure to Provide

Lionel McMahon was brought back to this city from Grey Eagle, Minn., by Sheriff W. J. LaBree the first of the week to answer a complaint for failure to support his child, preferred by his former wife. The McMahons were divorced some time ago and the mother given the custody of the one child with the stipulation that the husband should contribute toward its support. All parties concerned left the city shortly afterwards. Mrs. McMahon returned a while ago and complained that the father was not living up to the orders of the court in the matter of providing support. He was located at Grey Eagle and held until the arrival of the Pennington county officer.

The matter came on for hearing before Judge Tarrant in municipal court yesterday and was postponed until this morning, when McMahon gave bonds to insure his providing for the child.

Fence Staple Swallowed By Baby Does No Damage

June, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Benbow of Holt, who last week swallowed a fence staple and was brought to Physicians hospital in this city, is none the worse for having taken aboard this unusual article of diet. The staple worked its way out without causing any difficulty and was expelled through the bowels. The child's case attracted much attention among local physicians who say that only the fact of the intruder having found lodgement in the stomach with the points turned backward made its further progress possible. The child was taken home by her father on Saturday.

Wheat Hits Highest Point of Year in Minneapolis

Wheat prices in the Minneapolis chamber of commerce trading pit reached a new high point for the year on Tuesday. May option sold for $1.35½, this price being 6¼ cents lower than on the corresponding day a year ago.

Threat of a shortage of wheat in the northwest and prospects of a winter wheat failure were the main bullish factors behind the advance which set in early last week when May wheat was around the $1.25 level.

GUMMER TRIAL NEARING CLOSE; STRAIN EVIDENT

Defendant is Nervous When Appearing After Two Weeks Adjournment of Court.

Chambermaid Testifies to Having Heard Noises in Room Occupied By Miss Wick.

One Witness States Accused Was Not Behind Hotel Desk at Hour of Murder.

The trial of William Gummer, charged with the murder of Miss Marie Wick of Grygla in a Fargo hotel on the night of June 7, 1921, was resumed at Valley City on Monday morning after having been adjourned for two weeks because of the illness of State's Attorney William Green.

Gummer was nervous when brought into court and showed the effect of the strain he has been under during the past two weeks. He has remained in the Barnes county jail during the adjournment. The forenoon was taken up by the reading to the jury of a transcript of the greater part of the testimony taken in the trial thus far.

Miss Mary Melaas, chambermaid at the Prescott hotel where the murder was committed, was the principal witness on Tuesday morning. She occupied a room directly underneath that in which Miss Wick was murdered and said she heard noises which seemed as if someone jumped from the bed to the floor several times, walked around the room, opened and shut the door and walked down the hall to the front stairs. The state maintains this happened immediately after Miss Wick had been murdered.

H. J. Hagen, former president of the Scandinavian-American bank of Fargo, who occupied the room next that of the murdered girl on the night of the crime, was called for further cross examination. Replying to the question, "Did you kill Miss Wick?" he replied energetically, "No, sir." He further stated that neither on the night in question nor on any other night had he been in Room 30. He also said he had never seen Miss Wick.

Involves Room Mate.

Thomas J. Caton of Minneapolis, a handwriting expert, testified that in his opinion Andy Brown, Gummer's room mate, wrote the name "James Farrel, Willmar," on the hotel register on the night in question. Farrel is the only person registered at the Prescott at that time who has not been accounted for and it is the contention of the state that the signature was placed on the register by Brown to throw the authorities off the track.

Gummer Was Absent.

Leo O'Brien, who resides next door to the Prescott hotel, stated that on the night of June 7 he was passing the hotel and looked in through the window for the purpose of noting the time by the office clock. He stated that the place was somewhat dark but that one light was burning on the switchboard behind the desk. He is certain that Gummer was not in the office at that time. The state regards this testimony as of great significance as going to prove that Gummer was not at his post in the hotel office at the time the murder was committed. O'Brien said this was at 12:15 o'clock, the hour fixed by the state as approximately that at which the crime was committed.

Damaging Evidence.

Admissions said to have been made by Gummer to Fargo officers prior to his arrest figured largely in the trial on Tuesday. These admissions dealt with Gummer's alleged relations with other women who had stayed at the Prescott hotel, the circumstances surrounding Marie Wick's arrival at the hotel and Gummer's conversation with her.

Although a large part of these statements were of an unprintable nature their reading was listened to by a crowd which jammed the court room to the doors, many of those present being women who remained throughout the session. Gummer's attorneys objected to the introduction of this testimony, claiming that other offenses of the defendant were not admissable as evidence in the trial of this case. The court ruled, however, that the greater part of these statements might be admitted as showing the state of mind of the accused, but ordered that the statements so far as they referred to women other than those who had been staying at the Prescott hotel should be stricken out.

It is likely that the case will go to the jury by the end of the week.

Dress Club Moves.

While an announcement of the removal of the Thief River Falls Dress club to the quarters formerly occupied by Bredeson & Co., for Feb. 15, has been made, Manager Holbrook finds that the place will be in readiness at a somewhat earlier date and the work of moving will therefore be done on Friday and Saturday of the present week. Business intended for the club should therefore be delivered to the new location beginning next Monday.

Society

Piano Recital.

The members of Miss Doris M. Halvorson's class in piano will appear in recital at the Lincoln high school auditorium on Monday evening, Feb. 13. The following program will be given and the public is invited to attend:

"A Little Conversation" ____Gaynor
"Dance Lightly" ____Gaynor
Margaret Arneson
"Dolly Lost, Dolly Found" ___Martin
Grace Provencher
Duet, "Jack o' Lantern" ___Krogman
Charlotte Korstad, Arda Adkins
"Brownies' Dance" ____Martin
Alice Larson
Serenade, "Dance of the Sprites"
"Northland Cradle Song" ___Gaynor
Leonore Lieberman
"Jack in the Pulpit" ____Mokrejs
Elaine Korstad
"Song of the Armorer" ____Gaynor
Charlotte Korstad
"In the Spring" ____Martin
"Two Little Birds Had a Talk One Day" ____ Martin
Elmyra Langseth
"Dancing Wavelets" ____Emery
Gladys Weeks
Shadow March, "Brownies' Dance"
Douglas Booren
"Varsovienne" ____ Rogers
Arda Adkins
"A Curious Story" ____Heller
Dorothy Swedenburg
"Patriotic Song" ____Grieg
Katherine Mellby
"Giants" ____ Rogers
Carl Swedenburg
"Chase of the Butterflies" __Dennee
Ruth Mellby
"The Musical Box" ____Liebich
"Narcissus" ____ Nevin
Reta Fiterman
"Fireflies" ____ Grant Shaeffer
Lucy Nason
"In the Lovely Month of May" ____ Merkel
Lucile Hermanson
"Hovering Butterflies" ____Gaynor
Georgia Frissell
"Country Gardens" ____ Grainger
Thelma Christenson
"Witch's Dance" ____MacDowell
Muriel Loken
"March Grotesque" ____Sinding
Maxine Johnson
"Galliwag's Cake Walk" ___Debussy
"Arabesque" ____ Leschetizky
Mildred Engen
"Butterfly" ____ Lavalee
Mabel McGilvery
"Scherzo" ____ Mendelssohn
"Liebstraum" ____ Liszt
Pearl Weeks

New Chapter Instituted.

An event which will long be remembered by members of the local chapter of the Eastern Star took place at Mahnomen Saturday afternoon, Feb. 4, when H. C. Durrin, grand sentinel of Minnesota, Order of Eastern Star, assisted by members of Winslow chapter, Thief River Falls, instituted a new Eastern Star chapter. Among those from here who attended were Miss Anne Quale, worthy matron; Mrs. H. C. Durrin, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mrs. L. M. Rayson, Mrs. C. R. Crandall, Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. C. A. Nason, Mrs. J. Robinson, Mrs. L. W. Manther, Mrs. W. H. Kinghorn and Mrs. A. N. Heggan. At 7 o'clock a fine dinner was served, after which 25 new members were initiated, the work being exemplified by Olive Branch chapter from Detroit. Miss Lucy Sheffield of Moorhead, worthy grand matron, was present and gave the address of the evening. The representatives from Winslow chapter who were present were highly pleased with the splendid reception accorded them and voted the Mahnomenites royal entertainers.

Miss Hanson Entertains.

Miss Thora Hanson pleasantly entertained a number of friends at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Magnussen, 522 Main avenue north, Wednesday evening in compliment to Theodore Rustebakke, who left this week for Montana. Whist was in play at four tables and part of the evening was spent in dancing. High score was won by Miss Ruth Sandstrom, while Mrs. Laura Feragen received low count. The guests were Miss Mabel Hustad, Miss Christine Clausen, Miss Olga Granum, Miss Ruth Sandstrom, Miss Selma Rustebakke, Miss Lillian Eide, Mrs. Laura Feragen, Theo. Rustebakke, L. C. Nielsen, Chas. Phelps, Gust Crown, Ole Saustad, Arthur Battleson and Clarence Johnson.

Birthday Party.

Saturday was the seventh birthday anniversary of Bernice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClelland, and she celebrated the day by inviting several boys and girls to come to her party. Games were played until five o'clock, when lunch was served by the hostess' mother. The children were seated at one long table, which was cleverly decorated with a birthday cake as a special feature. The children present were Myrtle Lofgren, Laura Nelson, Mae Rausch, Ruth and Helen Wassgren, Eleanor Bottelson, Dolly and Buster Battelson, Merr'an Erickson, Harriet and Margaret Dillon, Ruth and Evelyn Byers, Wendell and Wayne Kielty, and Robert White.

Theatre Party.

Among the delightful pre-lenten affairs was a "Dutch treat" theatre party last evening, in which twelve ladies participated. The guests later went to the home of Mrs. Ferdie Brown, where progressive whist became the diversion. Mrs. J. F. Kielty won high score while Mrs. L. R. Johnston was awarded low count. The ladies attending the party were Mrs. John Ward, Mrs. L. R. Johnston, Mrs. J. F. Kielty, Mrs. M. A. Mattison, Mrs. H. L. Schuster, Mrs. Oscar Olson, Mrs. Paula Gray, Miss Sophie Weber, Mrs. G. W. Booren, Miss Lylabelle Schuster, Mrs. Ferdie Brown and Miss Violet Brown.

Card and Dancing Party.

Miss Emma Pawling entertained a company of friends at her home Monday evening in compliment to Jens Sigurdson of St. Paul, who is a guest of friends here this week. Dancing and cards were the evening's diversions. At midnight a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Louise Pawling, mother of the hostess, assisted by Pauline Pawling. Those present were Miss Rose Severson, Miss Agnes Oftedahl, Miss Inga Oftedahl, Miss Clarissa Hornseth, Miss Emma Pawling, Jens Sigurdson, Harold Elofson, Norhald Lawson, Henry Dostal and Clarence Pawling.

Auxiliary Elects Officers.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Elmer J. Eklund post of the American Legion held a meeting at the Commercial club rooms Wednesday evening. The election of officers resulted in the re-election of all who have served the past year. The new office added was assistant secretary, Mrs. F. E. Hunt. Those who continue as officers are, Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, president; Mrs. David Robinson, vice president; Mrs. Roy Lambert, second vice president; Mrs. L. H. Lawrence, secretary; Miss Belle Hermanson, treasurer; Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, reporter.

Girls' Community Club.

The last meeting of the Girls' Community club took the form of a Valentine party. About fifty girls enjoyed an evening of fun in keeping with the season. During the session Mrs. H. W. Froehlich addressed the girls in a very entertaining manner. A piano duet by Palma Langseth and Ruby Bennes was greatly enjoyed. The room was adorned with streamers of hearts and cupids. The long serving table was centered with several red candles with red shades in crystal holders. A lunch concluded a most pleasant affair.

Valentine Party.

Miss Blanche Holum pleasantly entertained a number of young ladies at her home Sunday evening. At 11 o'clock a dainty lunch was served. The party was marked with special features in keeping with St. Valentine's day. The guests were Misses Laura Brown, Alma Thune, Effie Christianson, Christine Clausen, Ida Legvold, Emily Fossum, Selma Rustebak, Thora Hanson, Inga Thune and Mrs. A. Campbell.

Rockstad-Jetland.

Miss Evangeline Viola Rockstad and Joseph Jetland were united in marriage on Thursday, Feb. 2, Judge of Probate Lars Backe officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Carlson acted as witnesses.

Woman's Club Meeting.

A delightful Valentine party marked the last meeting of the Woman's club, held Monday afternoon. The committee, of which Mrs. T. L. Melgaard was chairman, spared no effort in making the room attractive with hearts and cupids in a color combination of red and white. The walls were lined with streamers of hearts artistically arranged. The serving table was graced with crystal candle holders holding red tapers and shades. The valentine idea was carried out in the entertainment as well as the lunch.

Anderson-Peterson.

Carl J. Anderson of Plummer and Miss Berthilda Peterson of St. Hilaire, who has been teaching at Plummer, were quietly married at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage Saturday afternoon, Rev. T. E. Sweger performing the ceremony. Miss Mabel McGinnity and William McGinnity of this city were the witnesses. The young couple will make their home at Plummer.

Sleighride Party.

The pupils of the eighth grade class at the Central school, with their instructors, Miss Maude Frissell, Miss Ida Tandberg and Miss Josie Weeks, had a sleighride party Friday evening. After the ride the guests repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Roark for refreshments and an evening of games.

Mrs. Kielty Entertains.

An evening of progressive whist was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. J. F. Kielty last Friday. High score was awarded Mrs. Oscar Olson, and low count went to Mrs. John Ward. The guests were Mrs. L. R. Johnston, Mrs. M. A. Mattison, Mrs. H. L. Schuster, Mrs. Ferdie Brown, Mrs. Paula Gray, Mrs. Oscar Olson and Miss Violet Brown of Grygla.

Social Welfare Section.

The Social Welfare section will meet on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms and will be entertained by Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. Daniel Shaw and Mrs. A. N. Heggan. Refreshments will be served from 4 until 6 o'clock. Social work will be in progress in the sewing room upstairs.

Card Party.

The young men of St. Bernard's Catholic church have completed plans for a card party to be given this evening in the basement of the church. Refreshments will be served and the public is invited to attend.

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Women's Two-strap Sandal, black kid, FcKay sewed ____$2.49
Women's Oxford, black kid bal, rubber top lift on heel, McKay sewed ____$2.49
Women's Oxford, Mahogany bal. military heel with rubber top lift, half double sole, McKay sewed ____$2.98
Women's Oxford, black kid bal. rubber top lift on heel, half double sole, McKay sewed ____$3.98
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Men's storm red sole patrol rubber ____$1.75
Men's storm Alaska overshoe $1.69
Men's 1-buckle overshoe, grey and red sole ____$2.19
Men's 4-buckle overshoe, grey and red sole ____$3.19
Men's 4-buckle black rubber overshoe ____$1.98

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City News

Miss Helga Quindlog, who teaches near Viking, spent the week-end here with her parents.

Miss Clara Parent returned to her home at Argyle on Saturday after a few days visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Protz.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Battelson Thursday, Feb. 2.

Robt. McGinn left the first of the week for the Twin Cities to remain for a few days on business. He also planned on attending the automobile show.

Miss Ruby Steward left Thursday evening for Chicago, where she will be employed.

Miss Violette McCusky of Bemidji arrived Saturday evening for a visit with her cousins, Misses Amy and Rose Severson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson of St. Hilaire were shoppers here on Saturday.

Mrs. Andrew Nordin of Karlstad arrived Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. John Kolland, who was operated upon at the Physicians hospital last week.

Remember the Thor electric washing machine demonstration at the offices of the city water and light department starting next Monday.—Advertisement. F-9

H. Struble of Germantown spent Saturday in this city attending to business matters.

Miss Frances Culver, who teaches near Plummer, was a guest of her mother here over Sunday.

Miss Ruth Lonson returned to Hazel Monday morning to resume her teaching after an over-Sunday visit with her parents.

Mrs. Lawrence Wilson and two children returned to their home at St. Hilaire Thursday after a few days visit with the former's sister, Mrs. H. Aga.

Mrs. Frank Anderson of Middle River was a guest of friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt LaCoe returned to Argyle last week after spending several days visiting relatives in this city. They were accompanied by Mrs. K. LaCoe, who remained as their guest over the week-end.

Here comes the Day of Hearts, Feb. 14. Say it with Flowers. The Flower Shop.—Advertisement. f9

Mrs. J. Jackson and three children of Middle River arrived yesterday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bradley.

After a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peterson, Mrs. C. E. Hazelton returned to her home at Beltrami yesterday afternoon.

Valentine's Day Feb. 14. Say it with Flowers. Flower Shop phone 102.—Advertisement. f9

Mrs. John Bratrud and Mrs. H. A. Brumund returned Tuesday evening from Warren, where they had spent the day visiting relatives.

Miss Anna Stockstad of St. Hilaire visited friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. J. M. Bishop left this afternoon for Crookston, where she will attend the farm crops show. Friday afternoon will give an address on "Social Work for Young People." While in Crookston Mrs. Bishop will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Miller.

Remember the Thor electric washing machine demonstration at the offices of the city water and light department starting next Monday.—Advertisement. F-9

Gay Halvorson, manager of the Thief River Monumental Works, left Tuesday afternoon on a business trip to Crookston and Hawley. He expected to be gone for a couple of days.

Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist returned on Tuesday from Grand Forks, where she had spent a few days visiting relatives.

Miss Jeanette Bendickson, who had spent a week visiting her parents, returned Tuesday morning to Bemidji, where she is employed.

Henry Jacobson of St. Hilaire attended to matters of business here yesterday.

Dr. R. E. Spinks of Middle River accompanied a patient to the hospital here yesterday.

Mrs. J. O. Sether spent the time between trains Tuesday visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Sande, at Steiner.

Sam Cloutier left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston on a business trip.

F. A. Hall of St. Hilaire was a business caller in the city Tuesday.

Miss Effie Hamry left this afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Bishop for Crookston to attend the farm crops show.

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Miss Alice Hruby, who is employed here, left yesterday afternoon for her home at Mavie, where she will spend some time visiting her parents.

Mrs. Esta Barton, manager of the Dalquist millinery, returned Tuesday morning from a spring buying trip to the Twin Cities and Chicago.

A. J. Hemstad of Plummer, member of the legislature from this district, is a patient at the local hospital this week.

Carl Sundahl left yesterday afternoon for Crookston, where he will sing with a quartet on one of the programs at the farm crops show.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gustafson left yesterday for Crookston to spend a few days visiting relatives. Mr. Gustafson will also attend the farm crops show.

M. T. McFarland of the McFarland Auto company left yesterday afternoon for Crookston and Fisher.

Mrs. Henry Olson of St. Hilaire visited with friends and relatives in this city yesterday.

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Miss Elsie Fricker of St. Hilaire visited with friends here Friday and Saturday.

S. M. Poston returned Friday night from Hibbing, where he had spent a week with his son, Richard.

Miss Esther Tandberg arrived Friday from Oklee, where she teaches school, and visited her folks over Sunday.

Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. G. L. Biddick left Friday evening for the Twin Cities to spend a week visiting friends. Mrs. Laird will also spend a few days with her father, who is confined in a hospital at Winona.

Mrs. O. Finberg left Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to spend the week-end visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Herrick of Warren visited with relatives here between trains Friday enroute to the Twin Cities to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

L. O. Fevig, representing the Standard Oil company, went to the Twin Cities Friday evening to spend a few days on business.

Miss Gladys Anderson left Friday evening for Minneapolis to spend several days visiting friends.

Chas. Fiterman returned Friday night from Winnipeg, where he had attended to business matters.

L. H. Lawrence, W. H. Akre and G. Howard Smith were among those who attended the basketball game at Crookston Thursday evening.

Kermit Anderson and David Evenson left Thursday for Crookston to attend the basketball game.

C. S. Simonson returned Friday morning from Crookston after attending the basketball game between the locals and the Crookston team Thursday night.

C. W. Vorachek returned Friday morning from Crookston, where he had attended the basketball game the previous evening.

Mrs. Anna Kretzschmar left Friday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to visit with relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. *Alf Borry* left Friday evening for Minneapolis to spend a week visiting friends and relatives.

Geo. Mostue attended the basketball game at Crookston Thursday evening, returning to this city the following morning.

Francis Burns left Thursday afternoon with the delegation from this city which went to Crookston to attend the basketball game.

Norbert Holzknecht returned Friday morning from Crookston, where he had attended the basketball game.

Milton Lund and William Alexander were among the many local basketball fans who attended the game at Crookston Thursday night.

Harold Arneson returned Saturday morning from Crookston, where he had attended the basketball game between the local boys and the Crookston quint.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sheedy were among the local people who attended the basketball game at Crookston last Thursday evening.

Morris Mabey left Thursday afternoon for Crookston to attend the basketball game. He returned Saturday morning.

Miss Betsy Legvold, who teaches near Hazel, spent the week-end here with her folks.

Mrs. S. Brandon returned Monday evening from Grand Forks, where she had spent several days visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cohn and daughter, Betty, returned Saturday morning from Crookston, where they attended the basketball game Thursday night.

Tanlac is the ideal strengthener and body builder for old folks, because it creates a healthy appetite for wholesome food and strengthens and invigorates the digestive organs. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. f9

Mrs. M. Helen Montgomery attended the Thief River Falls-Crookston basketball game at Crookston Thursday evening.

Lloyd Lonson returned Saturday morning from Crookston after witnessing the basketball game at that place Thursday evening.

Geo. L. Sterns, manager of the local telephone exchange, made a business trip to Warroad and other towns on the Great Northern the first of the week.

F. C. Niclai left Monday morning on a business trip to towns along the Great Northern.

Mrs. I. Iverson and daughter of Badger returned to their home Monday after a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pope.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen and daughter, Miss Ruby, of Goodridge, were visitors here between trains on Monday.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich made a professional call at Plummer Saturday. He returned Sunday morning.

Miss Ruth Owen and Miss Peterson, teachers at St. Hilaire, were here Saturday on a shopping tour.

Misses Marie Bowes and Lillian Janek, who teach at Red Lake Falls, were among the out-of-town shoppers here on Saturday.

Kenneth Wattam, who has been employed as stenographer and bookkeeper for Daniel Shaw, has resigned his position and left Monday afternoon for Fargo, where he will be employed with the compensation board.

S. Carl Sundahl left yesterday afternoon for Crookston, where he sang a solo at one of the meetings of the farm crops show.

H. O. Loken of Loken Brothers department store left Saturday night for the Twin Cities, Chicago and points in the East on a spring buying trip.

If you are feeling all worn out, if you can't eat, sleep or work with any satisfaction, you need Tanlac. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. f9

M. C. Burns returned Sunday from Fergus Falls where he served on the jury in Federal court.

Miss Edith Hendrickson, instructor in music at North Star college, Warren, was an over Sunday guest of her cousins, Mrs. E. L. Rolland and Miss Miss Caroline Aspelin.

If you want plenty of pep, strength and energy, take Tanlac. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. F9

Mrs. Orro Richardson returned yesterday morning from Elgin, to which place she had been called a week previous because of the serious illness of her sister, who died shortly after her arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Herrick, who had spent a few days in Minneapolis, arrived Monday evening and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McGinn, leaving Tuesday for their home at Warren. Mrs. Herrick and Mrs. McGinn are sisters.

Miss Clara Brink of Viking arrived Saturday night for a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Julia Brudvick.

Miss Leone Wilde, probation nurse at the Physicians hospital, has finished her training here and will leave tonight for Minneapolis to complete her course at the General hospital.

Miss Cora Thiel, representing the Grand Forks Herald, spent a few days here the first of the week in the interest of that publication.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boughton, Jr., of Red Lake Falls were shoppers in the city on Tuesday.

Capt. Florence Petrie of the Salvation Army, who has spent the past

All seasonable flowers in good supply for Valentine's Day, at Flower Shop.—Advertisement. f9

year and a half in the service in this city, left Monday afternoon for Jamestown, N. D., where she will visit her parents for a few weeks before taking up work elsewhere. It is not definitely known where she will be located.

Kenneth Wattam left Tuesday for Fargo, where he has secured a position. His place as stenographer in the insurance office of Daniel Shaw has been taken by Rolf Rasmuson.

Mrs. R. A. Franceschelna of Duluth spent the first of the week here with friends. She returned to Plummer, where she is also visiting her mother, Mrs. S. Jorgenson.

Miss Olga Granum will return the latter part of next week to Minneapolis, where she will be employed. Miss Granum has spent several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Granum, of this city.

Mrs. A. Amundson of Grand Rapids returned to her home Saturday morning after a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams.

Conrad Swanson of St. Hilaire spent last week in the city visiting at the A. H. Carlson and Knute Swanson homes.

Anyone desiring home knit stockings or knitting done, leave orders at 615 Dewey avenue north. Prices reasonable. F-2-9-p

Miss Selma Maland of St. Hilaire visited friends here between trains on Monday.

Mrs. D. LeSage and sister, Miss Olga Granum, spent Friday at Plummer visiting at the Jorgenson home.

Ed. Jacobson of Waubun spent Friday here on business.

John Hardt returned to his home at Adams, N. D., Saturday morning, having spent a day in this city.

The best Valentine you can send is a photo of yourself taken at Borry's Studio. F-2-9

Perry Johnson, who had spent two days at the Crookston farm crops show, arrived yesterday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson of Burr Oaks farm. He left in the evening for Aitkin to spend a few days on business for the extension division of the university.

The surest arrow in Cupid's quiver—flowers. Phone 102, Flower Shop.—Advertisement. f9

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Dillegard of Greenbush were guests of friends in this city the latter part of last week.

Herman Schaffer of Barnesville was a Sunday guest of friends in this city.

Aug. Sandberg of Rollis spent a few days the first of the week attending to business matters here.

J. Jager of Plummer arrived last evening on the local and spent a few hours with friends.

Wm. Gaylord came down from Grygla on Tuesday and spent a day here on business.

Let your Valentine be Flowers. Flower Shop.—Advertisement. f9

Carl T. Olson of Randenn was in the city the first of the week visiting friends.

Joe H. Cobern of Aspelin spent a few days the first of the week here on business.

Miss Ruth Omdahl of Hazel spent a few days here the first of the week with friends.

A. S. Bakke of Newfolden was a business caller here the first of the week.

Mrs. John Harris of Grygla visited friends here Monday and Tuesday.

W. F. Wilde of Hazel was a visitor here the first of the week.

Fred Risberg, Soo agen at Trail, visited relatives here between trains last evening.

A. E. McIntyre, the well-known piano tuner, will be in Thief River Falls on or shortly after the middle of the month. Those wishing their pianos tuned leave orders at the Thief River Music company's store. Work guaranteed, prices reasonable, and orders given prompt attention. f9

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Mr. Sapero Goes East.

A. S. Sapero leaves on Monday for Chicago, New York and other Eastern points to make purchases of spring goods for the three Sapero stores. When his mission in the East is completed he will go to Chisholm, which city will hereafter be his headquarters.

Mr. Sapero states that he expects to find a decided improvement in ready-to-wear conditions, particularly as regards the ability of merchants residing at a distance from the fashion centers to secure the more desirable goods. The lowered demand for the coming spring will throw a large quantity of high quality goods on the market at a considerable reduction in price and he figures to be on the ground for the purpose of taking advantage of the situation. As soon as the goods begin arriving he will have something of interest to announce.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.26
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.13
Flax	2.11
Barley	.37
Oats	.25
Rye	.75
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.40
Cracked corn, per 100 lb. bags	1.30
Whole corn, 100 lb. bag	1.20
Oil Meal	2.75
Bran and Shorts	1.30
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.10
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.10
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.25
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.39
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7c
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

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8. BECAUSE YOU CAN DO LITTLE ELSE THAT WILL NET YOU SUCH BIG RETURNS.
9. BECAUSE OPPORTUNITIES LIKE THIS ARE NOT OFFERED YOU EVERY DAY.
10. BECAUSE THIS IS A "LOCAL CAMPAIGN" AND YOU WILL BE ASSURED A SQUARE DEAL.

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4 Years, 8.00....2,000 Credits	4 Years, 8.00....1,500 Credits	4 Years, 8.00....1,000 Credits
5 Years, 10.00....2,500 Credits	5 Years, 10.00....2,500 Credits	5 Years, 10.00....1,500 Credits

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AS IT SHOULD BE.

The Thief River Falls basketball team was defeated by Crookston in a rattling good game, yet strange as it may seem, no one here claims that the referee was a robber, that the floor was unfit to play on or that the hostile crowd made it impossible for the visitors to get a square deal. On the contrary, the universally expressed opinion is that it would have been impossible to be accorded better treatment than was given our team and citizens by the people of Crookston.

That's nice. Outside of a few hotheads who do not matter much anyway, everybody will approve the attitude of our representatives at that game. It will go far toward eradicating the ill feeling which has existed since the two teams met here last year, when the session broke up in a row.

Crookston and Thief River Falls have too much in common to permit of anything in the shape of an antagonistic feeling existing. This is most decidedly the case when the question ance than the outcome of ant ishrdlu at issue is nothing of greater importance than a basketball game. A friendly rivalry is stimulating, but when a feeling of actual hostility toward one another is harbored by people of neighboring communities, both are bound to be the losers.

Now that the sport atmosphere has been cleared, would it not be a good plan to extend the movement still farther? There are so many things it would be better for the two communities to agree upon that there is but little left to fight over. Anything which benefits Crookston must in some degree benefit Thief River Falls and the entire northwestern corner of the state. The same thing applies the other way about. It is time we all looked at this matter in a sensible light.

"DON'T FORECLOSE."

The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation's request that banks do not foreclose on farms against which they have placed loans may be intended in good faith but the manner of its presentation creates a wrong impression. It leaves one to gather the inference that foreclosing on farm mortgages is the one thing in which banks take particular delight. Such is not the case, particularly in this section of the state.

It is safe to say there is not a banker in northwestern Minnesota who would not greatly prefer that every farmer who has a loan at his bank was able to pay up. In many instances the banks have gone the limit in loaning money to men who have had hard sledding, hoping that in some manner the borrower would be able to meet the obligation. There have been many instances where money has been advanced or loans extended when a cold-blooded application of foreclosure rights would have deprived the farmer of everything he has in the world. In many cases the banks have encouraged the debtor to keep on trying even after he himself has been willing to be closed out. Industrious and honest men have been given every opportunity by their banker creditors, even after it has looked as if further extensions would prove a poor business risk.

Some folks are of the opinion that banks loan money to farmers in the hope that the latter will be unable to meet the obligation when due, thus throwing the farm into the hands of the bank. This is true only in rare instances. In this part of the country particularly the money is loaned in the hope that the farmer will make good and become a permanent producing factor in the upbuilding of the neighborhood. The farmer does not always look at the matter in this light but it is a fact nevertheless.

As a rule no bank will foreclose a farm mortgage if there is any other way in which to protect itself against loss. If the Farm Federation can devise some plan by which foreclosures will not be necessary it will be doing as great a service to the banks as to the farmer.

NOONAN FOR THE HOUSE.

William Tecumseh Noonan of the Baudette Region announces himself as a candidate for the house of representatives from the Sixty-second district, composed of Beltrami and Koochiching counties. Besides being one of the brightest newspaper men in the state, Bill is booster extraordinary for all sections of northern Minnesota, but particularly for the Rainy river district. He has a deep and abiding faith in the future of that country and sings its praises eloquently and unceasingly. Mr. Noonan knows his district and understands its needs. He has a wide acquaintance among old members of the house, many of whom will be returned for the next term, and he would be a strong, influential member from the outset. Bill can be most awful serious when he chooses, even if he does make a playground of his editorial page. He is a clear thinker and talks to the point.

If the voters of the Sixty-second are alive to their own interests they will give Bill the biggest vote of any man on the ticket.

Fiction Readers Lead By Big Margin, Report Shows

Over 3,000 books of different classes were borrowed from the public library during the month of January. Of this number adult fiction works represented about one-half, the exact number being 1,517. The juvenile fiction books loaned out numbered 648 and non-fiction 608. Grownups secured 238 books dealing with subjects other than fiction, and there were 89 books in the Norwegian language taken from the library. Reading room attendance during the month was estimated at 4,000. The number of patrons increased by 63, 42 of whom were adults and 21 juveniles.

ERIE

We now have sufficient snow for good sleighing.

Mrs. Myrtle Rouze spent the week-end with Mrs. Ed. Singer.

Rev. J. O. Hoyum conducted services in the Clover Nook school house last Sunday. He will conduct services again on Feb. 26 at 8 p. m.

Mrs. H. A. Dahlen and Mrs. Rouze will entertain the Eastern Star Ladies' Aid on Sunday afternoon in the Clover Nook school house. All are invited.

When we have no other theme we talk about the school ma'ams.

Mrs. Bergit Dahle is back home after a three months absence. Mrs. Dahle visited relatives and friends near Fisher and Crookston.

Ole Larson was the lucky man who won the phonograph recently given away by Henry Bye.

The Knute Roysland children are ill at present. We hope for their early recovery.

Gilmore Tharaldson has again resumed his duties at the Singer store after having spent a couple of weeks with his folks in eastern Star.

The school ma'ams are having their pictures taken with their best friend, the mail carrier.

Miss Dora Perry and County Superintendent Gunderson visited the schools in this vicinity last week.

Sakarias Hole is recovering from a short siege of illness.

Ted Sonsdahl is confined to his home with illness. Arnold Leo is hauling the mail on the Kratka-Erie route during Ted's absence.

Fire destroyed the home of the Gilbert Manrud family on Saturday morning, Jan. 28. Defective stove pipes was the cause. A new house was immediately put up with the assistance of kind neighbors and the family is again quite comfortably settled.

H. O. Folkedahl, who has been ill for some time, is back home after spending a couple of weeks with Dr. Kirby at Northwood. It is reported that Mr. Folkedahl is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ekwall and daughters, Amanda and Emma, were up to Gatzke last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ekwall's mother, who had passed away at the age of 94 years.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Larson and Mrs. Ostrick were callers at the L. B. Johnson and Dahlen homes Tuesday afternoon.

H. C. Iverson made a flying trip to Goodridge on Friday.

Mrs. Anna Ostrick of Marshall is spending the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. N. P. Larson.

Theodore Hyland and G. A. Iverson rounded up and shot a big wolf recently.

Glen Svare of Pelican Rapids is visiting his sister, Mrs. K. Roysland, and family.

Oliver Tommerdahl sawed a big pile of wood for L. B. Johnson and Iver Iverson last Thursday.

A spelling contest was held in Dist. 59, commonly known as the Grams school, on Friday afternoon. Candidates from Districts 59, 56, 65, 50, 14 and 5 were present. Anna Rindahl from Dist. 65 won out and will go to Thief River Falls to take part in the county contest which will be held there soon. The winner at that place will go to Crookston to attend the contest there to be held in connection with the farm crops show. We hope to see Anna win out all around.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Peterson took their little daughter, Evelyn, to Thief River Falls last Thursday to seek medical aid for her. Little Evelyn suffered from a severe attack of canker sores and was unable to eat for many days. She is now quite well again.

NUMEDAL

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Larson called at the Soren Knutson home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Joringdal visited at the Casper Osness home Friday.

Soren Knutson was a Viking shopper Friday.

George Bugge, while splitting wood last week, had the mistfortune of getting one of his hands badly cut with the axe.

Thure Blomberg visited at the E. Joringdal home Friday evening enroute from Viking.

Forest Hedrick had some feed ground at the Blomberg farm Friday.

Quite a few farmers from this vicinity took cattle to Viking Saturday for shipment.

Soren Knutson called at the Elias Joringdal home Saturday.

A bunch of 18 game athletics and fans from Numedal drove up to Viking Saturday evening and met the Vikings in a number of wrestling matches and boxing exhibitions, returning home with the long end of the vistories.

Oscar Olson called at the Blomberg home Friday evening.

Elias Joringdal was a Sunday caller at the Joe Osness home.

Clarence and Norval Johnson, Albin Ross, George Bugge, Conrad Ronning, Thure Blomberg and Tommy Joringdal were entertained at whist at the Halvor Olson home Sunday evening.

Olaf Larson was a Viking shopper on Monday.

George Buggre and Conrad Ronning were Thief River Falls callers Tuesday.

Carl Forslund drove to Viking on Tuesday.

Oscar Olson assisted with wood sawing at the Blomberg home Saturday.

Elias and Joseph Joringdal were Thief River Falls shoppers Tuesday.

Lars Bendickson.

Lars Bendickson, who died at his home on Jan. 22, was buried last Saturday at the Germantown cemetery, Rev. E. O. Sabo officiating.

Deceased was born on April 7, 1851, in Sogn, Norway. He emigrated to America when 18 years old, and was married in 1882 to Sigrid Vralson. Ten children were born to this union. Two of these died in infancy and in 1907 a daughter, Wilhelmina, passed away. The seven living children are Mrs. Christ Nelson, Benard, Selmer, Mrs. Mrs. O. G. Tharaldson, Genette, Esther and Silva. In 1904 Mr. Bendickson bouhgt a farm in Grand Plain township, Marshall county, where he resided until the time of his death.

Deceased was a very hospitable and kind man, and was an active member of the Germantown Lutheran church.

James K. Rystad.

James K. Rystad, a farmer residing near Oklee, died in this city on Thursday from pneumonia. Deceased was 48 years of age at the time of his death. The body was prepared here for burial and shipped to his home, where funeral services were held yesterday.

Churches

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, Feb. 12, "Soul." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

St. John's Lutheran Church.

English services Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:30. Mrs. Booren will entertain the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon in the church basement.

Zion Lutheran Church.

Services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Services at Rosewood Wednesday at 2 p. m., at Mr. Rafteseth's home. The Fosston district of the Lutheran Free church will hold meetings in Zion church beginning the 17th and lasting over Sunday, the 19th. Saturday forenoon and afternoon will be in Goodridge.

Swedish Ev. Mission Church.
O. J. Lundell, Pastor

Sunday, Feb. 12: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Communion after the evening service. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m., at the A. Eklund home, 213 St. Paul avenue south. Young People's meeting Friday at 8 p. m. All cordially invited.

Augustana Church.
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services in Swedish at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Bible class at 7 p. m. Services in Aemrican at 8 p. m. Confirmation class meets at the parsonage Saturday at 1 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid will be entertained in the church basement on Wednesday, Feb. 15, by Mrs. Moline and Mrs. Dalquist.

Trinity Lutheran Church.
T. E. Swager, Pastor.

Choir practice at the home of Mrs. Gaston Ward this Thursday evening at 7:30. Confirmation class at parsonage Saturday at 10 a. m. Divine service Sunday in English at 11 a. m. Song choir. In Norwegian 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Ladies' Aid at the church parlors Thursday, Feb. 16. Mesdames Jens Clausen, Bernhard Knudsen, Carl Christofferson and Wm. Sponheim entertain. Young People's League the same evening. Thief River Falls circuit will hold its semi-annual meeting in the church march 7 to 9.

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Constipated? Here's Relief! Cleanse the system with Dr. King's Pills. They prompt free bile flow, stir up the lazy liver and get at the root of the trouble. All druggists, 25c.

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THE racking, agonizing rheumatic ache is quickly relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment.

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$140 POSITION FOR D. B. C. MAN

This phone call was received recently at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D.: "Send us a capable stenographer—one worth $140 a month to start." The speaker was W. E. Berner, Supt. of the N. P. Ry., at Jamestown. Carl Nelson was sent. The better positions are offered D. B. C. graduates, because they're taught by practical office work as well as by text books.

All Fargo banks employ D. B. C. graduates. Eight are now officers. Hundreds have made good elsewhere. "Follow the Succesful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Change in Free Delivery

The undersigned grocers of Thief River Falls announce the following change in the free delivery arrangements for their customers. The present plan of making one delivery each day over each route will be continued, but hereafter orders amounting to $1.00 will be delivered. Heretofore the amount has been $2.00.

Customers must have their orders in before the hours specified in order to insure delivery the same day.

North and West orders must be in before 9:30 A. M.

South and East orders must be in before 3:00 P. M.

Oen Mercantile Company
Carl Christofferson & Co.
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STARTING MONDAY

February 13th

Thor Washer Demonstrations

These demonstrations will be given by Mrs. Sexton and Mr. Hickey, factory representatives, who will show you in a practical way the economy and comfort which the THOR washers and ironers bring to every home. Every housewife, and her husband as well, will find these demonstrations very interesting and instructive. These machines cut your laundry expenses in half. They will save the strength of the woman who does her own work. They will give her more leisure and more time to make her home a little pleasanter. Let every wife who possibly can bring her husband with her.

Women's Clubs Invited

It will be an excellent idea for women's clubs to come in a body and make the visit one of their regular programs. It would be the most practical and worth while thing they could do.

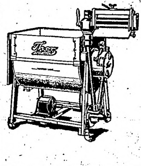

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Water and Light Department

Thief River Falls

Notice to Taxpayers

The last day for the payment of personal property taxes is February 28. After that date a penalty of ten per cent will be added to all taxes not paid.

John Gullingsrud
County Treasurer

Society

Honoring Miss Stewart.

Honoring Miss Ruby Stewart, who left Thursday evening for Chicago, Mrs. W. H. Wikel entertained a company of ladies at her home Thursday afternoon. A chicken supper was served at six o'clock. The guests included Mrs. Fred Gobler, Mrs. L. M. Rayson, Mrs. J. Holmes, Mrs. Knute Melby, Mrs. R. G. Cook, Mrs. C. A. Nason and Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite.

Lady Maccabee Party.

The Lady Maccabees are planning a dancing party to be given at the I. O. O. F. hall on Monday evening. Each member is permitted to invite three lady friends as their guests for the evening. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged each lady who attends. Excellent music has been secured and an especially good time is anticipated.

Valentine Party.

The junior piano students of Miss Doris M. Halvorson will be entertained at a Valentine party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Halvorson, 615 LaBree avenue north, this evening. Many interesting features of the festive season will predominate in the entertainment and luncheon appointments.

Mrs. Berg Honor Guest.

A number of ladies were guests of Mrs. S. Brandon at her home yesterday afternoon in compliment to her sister, Mrs. Inga Berg, formerly of this city but now of Minneapolis, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus, the past week. A social afternoon was concluded with the serving of refreshments.

Bridge Club Entertained.

The members of the Tuesday Night Bridge club were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Mellby on Thursday evening. The first prize for gentlemen was given to J. S. Arneson, while Mrs. F. J. Stebbins was awarded first prize among the ladies. At the conclusion of the play a lunch was served.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

A meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., next Tuesday afternoon. A Frances Willard memorial program will be given. Mrs. G. L. Biddick and Mrs. Andrew Craik will be hostesses. The public is invited to attend.

Loyalty Club Party.

The Loyalty club of the Loken department store enjoyed a sleighride party in and around the city on Wednesday night. Refreshments were served at the home of Mrs. Louise Pawling. About twenty guests comprised the party.

Dancing Party.

About 30 members of the younger set enjoyed a program of dancing at I. O. O. F. hall last evening. The affair was of an informal nature and during the evening the guests repaired to Black's Sweet shop for refreshments.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

John Bergland, Ivend and John Ose spent Sunday at the John Easthouse home.

H. B. Halvorson is busy hauling hay from the John Dahl farm.

Torbjon Skomedal and Olaf Bergland were business callers at Holt on Saturday.

The annual meeting of the Excel Union Telephone company was held last Saturday at the Riverside school house and the following officers were elected: Albert Klungness, Silas Torgerson, P. B. Malberg, A. C. Simonson and P. Hornseth.

Oscar Jopprue transacted business at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Oscar Guttrue is chopping wood for Albert Molstad.

Olaf Bergland and Torbjon Skomedal will entertain the Ladies' Aid on Wednesday, Feb. 23. Everybody welcome.

Michael Johnson celebrated his birthday ground hog day and the guests all reported a good time.

Oliver Molstad of Hibbing spent a few days here last week visiting his mother and brother.

Carl Gutruid was out racing with a wolf one day last week. If one of his horses had not become exhausted Carl thinks he would have captured the wolf.

Knute Jorde was a business caller in Thief River Falls Saturday.

The telephone meeting was held at Russel's last Saturday. Mr. Hornseth was elected director and Albert Klungness president.

S. O. Quammen sawed wood for Mr. Ballangrud last Friday.

Knute Knutson and Gilfred Sannes went to town Saturday.

Young People's Society will be held at the South school house Saturday evening. Everyone is cordially invited to come to the basket social.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Jorde visited with the M. T. Wold family Sunday.

Elvina Loftness was absent from school on Monday because of illness.

Julia and Elvind Greibrok, Helmer and Gena Sannes, Einar and Elvina Loftness were some of the Thief River Valley people who went to town Saturday.

ROSEWOOD

Miss Tena Alby, who has been employed at the C. Swenson home at Viking for a few weeks, came home Friday evening.

Miss Alice Thompson, the Busy Bee teacher, went to Thief River Falls on Friday to spend the week-end with her folks.

Walter Wendt returned to Thief River Falls on Monday evening after spending Sunday with friends here. He will leave in a few days for Warren to resume his work at the Hall farm.

Jalmer Rafteseth has been working the beginning of the week visiting at *Thief River Falls.*

O. A. Flann of Thief River Falls came over Tuesday morning to look after his farm north of here.

Gust Nakken went to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening to spend a few days on business.

Axel Hellquist left Thursday evening, Feb. 18. Rev. Werner Drotts a couple of days with friends.

Jalmer Rafteseth ha sbeen working on the local section since last Wednesday, relieving Miller Kruta, who is off duty.

Steiner Johnson left recently for Fosston to visit a brother for a few weeks.

Young Peoples Society at the Swedish church in town on Saturday evening, Feb. 18. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will attend. Lunch will be served. Services on Sunday, Feb. 19, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

C. E. Hellquist, accompanied by his sons, Elmer and Ernest, arrived Saturday morning for a short visit with the formers' father, John Hellquist.

Miss Agnes Mosbeck of Thief River Falls is spending the week-end as the guest of her friend, Miss Gena Aos.

Much improved in health, Enoch Nelson returned on Saturday from Minneapolis, where he had undergone an operation. He had been gone for 15 days.

Joe Dostal and Ben Erickson Sundays at their homes at Thief River Falls.

Albert Stengelson, accompanied by a friend from Thief River Falls, spent the week-end with his parents.

Gora Sevaldson, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Ole Johnson at Warren, came home Saturday.

Henry Lappegaard left Saturday to spend Sunday with friends at Thief River Falls.

John Bloom spent Sunday at Thief River Falls to visit and attend the Swedish church meetings.

Miss Bertha Remmem of Thief River Falls spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Anton Gulseth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols entertained the following at dinner last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Hellerud, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem and Emil Mellem.

Dairying, Potato Course at Northwestern School

In response to inquiries that have come to the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston for a short course in dairying and potato culture, the announcement is made that if a sufficient number enroll such a combined course will be offered. The course will be offered if at least 15 students apply for the training. On account of the interest in dairying and potato raising it is expected that the course will be given.

The work in this course will begin Feb. 20 and close March 18. Those who attend may board and room at the school. The entire cost for the month, including board and room, will be $24. Those interested should communicate with the Agricultural School, Crookston, as early as possible in order that proper plans for the course may be made.

Such Are Lamps in Eau Claire.
(Eau Claire, Wis., Leader.)

Herson Lee, who was upstairs, heard the quarrel and came down with a shotgun just as his father was about to throw a lighted lamp dressed in pink georgette crepe and wore a green hat.

ORDER LIMITING TIME TO FILE CLAIMS, AND FOR HEARING THEREON.

Estate of Jon Jonsson Haner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonsson Haner, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Hans Haner.

It is ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 15th day of July, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court Rooms, at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in The Thief River Falls Times, as provided by law.

Dated January 13, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the undersigned will receive sealed bids for the purchase and removal of the old Knox school building at a meeting of the school board to be held on the evening of February 20, at the Lincoln High School.

Such bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, and the board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids will be opened at 7:30 P. M., as above stated.

(Mrs.) L. G. LARSEN,
Clerk of the Board.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Ole H. Field, Decedent:

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Thora Field,

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 10th day of August, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this notice in The Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated February 2nd, 1922.

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

(Court Seal)
THEO. QUALE,
Attorney.

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Eggs, large, clean, fresh	30c
Heavy hens	16c
Springs	15c
Stags and Cox	10c
Cow and steer hides	5c
Horse hides	$1.50 to $2.50
Wool, clean, average	18c
Skunks, regardless of stripe	$2 to $3.50

Get the habit. Sell your eggs for cash. We believe we can pay you more money. Wool is at its top. Hide market firmer. Get our price on your furs before shipping.

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Frost in California

"SERIOUS damage to the citrus fruit crop of California" was the unusual news which swept across the country recently.

Frost in California! This unusual occurrence is a forcible reminder that unforeseen reverses may come to us at any time—any place.

Protect yourself from the unexpected by having a substantial growing account with this strong bank. We will cordially welcome your business here.

Citizens State Bank

The Times--$2--Worth More

BE RID OF THAT ACHE

If you are a sufferer with lame back, backache, dizziness, nervousness and kidney disorders, why don't you try the remedy that your own neighbors recommend? Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. Peter Eberhardt, 211 Atlantic Ave., Thief River Falls, says: "I suffered with my back and kidneys. My back was weak and lame and ached badly. When I would wash or do any heavy work I suffered the worst. My kidneys were weak and annoyed me. I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and it wasn't long before they rid me of all the trouble."

Mrs. Eberhardt gave the above statement Jan. 16, 1914, and on Aug. 6, 1921, she said: "I think Doan's Kidney Pills are the best remedy for kidney trouble. I recommend Doan's for the cure I received years ago and I gladly confirm that statement."

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DOUBLE your savings—it CAN be done.

SAPERO'S

Change of Management Sale

Friday and Saturday, February 10th and 11th, 2 Days Only

This sale is for the purpose of showing our appreciation for the past business you have favored us with and to get as many of our customers as possible here to say good-bye and also to meet the new manager.

A 20 per cent Discount Will Be Given on Following Departments

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CORSETS
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GLOVES
APRONS
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SWEATERS
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WOMEN'S WINTER SUITS
Choice of any Fall Suit in the store, values to $89.50. For two days only
$25.00

GIRLS' WINTER COATS
Choice of any Girls' Winter Coat. Values to $17.50. Choice at only
$5.00
Over 35 Coats to choose from. Sizes 3 to 14 years.

WOMEN'S WINTER COATS
Choice of any Cloth Coat in the store, for two days only. Values to $55.00. Only
$19.75

WOMEN'S PLUSH COATS
Choice of any Plush Coat at Exactly
HALF PRICE!

BARGAIN IN PLAID SKIRTS
Choice of 25 Pretty Plaid Skirts. Values to $13.50. Special
$6.95

Other Bargains Not Advertised Will be Offered

Announcement

We wish to announce a change in the management of this store after Feb. 15. Cyril Sapero, who has been manager of the Sapero Style shop at Hibbing, Minn., takes full charge of this store and will always aim to give our customers and friends the same high grade merchandise and service that this store has been giving in the past.

A. Sapero, who has managed this store, wishes to thank those who have helped build up this fine establishment by their liberal patronage and good will, and assures the public that the same policy which has been so satisfactory in the past will be continued by the new manager.

Our Mr. Sapero leaves Monday for New York and other style centers to make purchases of new Spring wearables for the three stores, having particularly in mind the wants of the women of Thief River Falls and vicinity.

Watch for opening announcement. New Spring dresses arriving daily.

SAPERO'S.

One lot of Women's Wash Dresses, values to $7.50, Special at only
$2.00

One lot of Children's Wash Dresses. Special at
$2.00

Gingham Aprons at
98c
Values to $2.25.

Play Suits and Rompers in Chambrays. One year to four
98c

10 per cent Discount on Any New Spring Dress in the Store

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESS

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HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESS

Published by The Thief River Falls High School

Sophomore Issue.

Following the policy of giving each class a chance to show its reportorial ability, this issue of the Progress is put out by the Sophomore class. Although this is but our second year in high school, we hope that our efforts along journalistic lines will find favor with our readers; and if such is the case we shall feel amply repaid for the work which must necessarily be put into an issue of our school paper. If you find that the paper is not up to its usual standard, do not judge too harshly, but remember that perfection cannot be attained with one trial, and that we are still in the early part of our school career.

The Sophomore Class.

In Mr. Hay's speech he mentioned the fact that if any community or organization had anything to be proud of, it was up to them to boost it and tell others about it, because no one else would. That is what we sophomores are going to do; we are not going to brag or boast about our class, but we are going to boost it and tell others about it.

It is true that we are not at the head of any of the school organizations, but we are IN all of them and are assistants. The fact that we are assistants now *means* that we are fitting ourselves to be at the head when we are juniors and seniors.

For example, look at Albert Stengelsen, our class president. He is not at the head of the Progress staff but he is the second associate editor. He is in the Boys' Latin club and the Dramatic club; he is one of the three members of the debating team, and has been on the honor roll each time—besides carrying six subjects and being sophomore class president. We all feel that we have a president to be proud of.

If you do not happen to believe the sophomores are doing their share in partaking in the various school organizations, we will prove it to you by these statistics:

Look at the Girls' Glee club. There are 34 members in all and nine, or one-fourth of them, are sophomores. Out of the 17 in the Boys' Glee club, four are sophomores. Then look at the Girls' Superior Latin club; there are seven sophomore sout of the 18 in the club. In the Boys' Latin club over one-third, or four out of the 11 are sophomores. Albert Stengelsen, Kermit Anderson and Math Barzen are our representatives in the Dramatic club. In the orchestra Halber Evenstad, Kermit and Math do their share for our class. One-third of the members of the Bread club, or 11 out of the 33 members, are sophomores. In athletics we more than hold up our end with such boys as Ernest Barzen, Math Barzen, Robert McGinn, John Sether, Herbert Keene and Clifford Sorenson. Though our class is the smallest in high school, we have made the best showing on the honor roll.—Margaret Melgaard '24.

Which is the Best?

I wonder which of the classes at school
Can be said to be the best?
Of course there is but a single one
That is better than all the rest.

To begin with the freshmen; they're fairly good;
Those pretty girls and dashing boys.
But you know experience counts a lot
And they have been playing with dolls and toys.

The Juniors, too, are fairly bright,
Although they're getting bold.
They are learning a few of the tricks of the trade,
And do not mind when the teachers scold.

And as for the seniors, they mean it well,
But they seem to be growing old,
And you know what happens, I needn't tell,
When the hair falls off, and the head turns bald.

And now I've been modest with the sophomore class,
As I've left it to the very last:
But that was just so I could say:
"You are better, by far, than all the rest."—Henry Waale '24.

The Importance of Sophomore Work.

The work of the sophomore class is just as important as that of the upper classes. In fact, it is more important, for without this year we are not ready to become juniors and then seniors. By sophomore work we not only mean earning our four credits, but also taking part in all high school activities. This means joining the different clubs in school, showing the real class spirit, attending basketball or football games, and supporting our high school in whatever it undertakes. In every class there ar group of people who may be ca slackers. These are the o generally push the work on th or say, "Let somebody else work, I haven't time." help these students by ge interested in class doings.

Another reason why t year is important is th time in which most p future career. The te like to start the freshm finite course. They ne take just such subje quired for all courses. is a sophomore, the decide just what bus would be best to ta enrolls for his sub

that plan. Some pupils decide on a commercial course, some on a classical course—while others on a scientific or mechanics course. Each person decides on the course he likes best and would be best suited for. If a person takes up a mechanics course he might intend to be a civil engineer. If a commercial course suits him, a business career may be his view. In a classical or scientific course, the person may have the intention to be a doctor, lawyer, or have some other profession in mind. All these things will develop out of a student's decision. All of a student's thoughts, hopes and plans for the future are influenced by his sophomore year of high school.

Sophomore Alphabet.

A stands for Albert, with hair bright red,
The chickens and horses he daily has fed.
B stands for Bertha, with a smile on her face,
I think she comes from the giggly race.
C stands for Camille, so clever a girl,
She wears her hair in a cute little curl.
D stands for dunce, which all of us will be,
If we neglect our work and go down to E.
E stands for Ella, the sweet little maid,
No hard task ever made her afraid.
F stands for Freda, a nice girl is she,
She gets her lessons, one, two, three.
G stands for Gladys, whose aim is work,
No duty she will ever shirk.
H stands for Halbert, who is lengthy and long,
If we'd ask him to, he'd give us a song.
I stands for Ivan, who thinks he's some man;
Perhaps some day he'll be a movie fan.
J stands for John, who in basketball plays,
But in his studies he never gets A's.
K stands for Kermit, cheer master is he,
He loves a girl—who may she be?
L stands for Loretta, who is short and plump,
In physical training she never can jump.
M stands for Margaret, who likes things sweet,
In getting supplies she can't be beat.
N stands for Nelson, Tena you see,
You always find her busy as a bee.
O stands for Orrin, who is full of life,
Some day he'll be a hero in the strife.
P stands for Palma, now wait and see
Some day a great pianist she'll be.
Q stands for queer, that's what freshmen are,
To gain more knowledge they'll have to go far.
The letters from R to XYZ have got the best of me.—E. S. & L. S. '24.

Prowler Week.

The members of the Prowler staff are working hard getting material for the 1921-1922 annual. They want it to be a good annual and in order to get that they need the support of everyone in high school. Last week was Prowler week. Monday was Literary day; Tuesday, Social day; Wednesday, Music day; Thursday, Kodak day, and Friday, Joke day. This was planned so that the students would contribute articles, jokes and kodak pictures to these different departments. The results were not as satisfactory as was expected but nevertheless the Prowler is going to be the best one ever published by the Thief River Falls high school.—Esther Lunsetter '24.

The Letter Men.

Friday during the assembly period, the football men received the T. R. F. monograms. Mr. Stenhoff read the list and the men came to the platform. Then Mr. Simley made an appropriate speech and presented the monograms. He said that the right to wear the school letter was no slight honor, for it signified not only football ability but also character and required scholastic standing. The following received the monograms: Russel Anderson, Ernest Barzen, Math Barzen, Bernard Bischoff, Craig Halvorson, John Hendry, Charles Herron, Roy Holmgren, Milford LaBree, Robert McGinn, John Sether, Fred Paulson, Stanley Sorenson and Henry Vorlicky.

The Newfolden Game.

The game started with a snap and stayed snappy all the way through. It had been reported that Newfolden had a fast team, and they surely did live up to their reputation.

Our second team began the game and stayed until the end of the first quarter. About half a minute after the opening whistle blew, McGinn made a basket which started the scoring for us. At the end of the quarter the score was 8-1 in our favor. Soon after the second quarter started Newfolden got two field baskets, but they did not keep the lead long. The quarter closed 10-8 in our favor. The sec of the game was even more so that near the end the on eir breath, for it look den would win, but le blew the score r.

impression of being industrious, yet they get nowhere. Others laze their way through school putting everything off for tomorrow what they should do today. A good motto for these is "do it today." Still other students have style as the heighth of of their ambitions. The young men have the most modern cut in clothes and the young ladies the newest and shortest of dresses. And then there are those who believe in bluff; they try to bluff their way through school. They may be able to fool their teachers but in the end they are the losers. People can never attain success without honesty. It is said today that men cannot be honest and live, but this is wrong; men cannot be dishonest and live.

We enjoyed Rev. Sweger's talk very much and hope that we may have the opportunity of hearing him again.—Harriet Morgan '24.

Argyle Defeated, 22-11.

The game was a fast one from start to finish, our boys showing a great improvement. Good team work and basket shooting were the big features of the game. McGinn and Ralston at forward positions were easily the stars of the game. The guarding of Herron and Sorenson was commendable.

Pfiffner played best for the visitors. Coach Stenhoff used good judgment in the use of substitutes.

Summary:

T. R. Falls		Argyle
C. Sorenson	f	R. Parent
R. Shetler	f	J. Bedard
C. Herron	c	S. Nelson
L. Arnold	g	H. Pfiffner
S. Sorenson	g	E. Greene

Substitutes: T. R. F., Ralston for Sorenson, McGinn for Shetler, Keene for C. Sorenson, Sether for McGinn.

Field goals: Ralston 6, McGinn 4, Bedard 2, Hedquist, Parent, Pfiffner.

Free throws: Ralston, two out of two. Pfiffner three out of five.

—Ernest Barzen '24.

Two Boys.

Along the road to school one day,
Walked little Herbert Keene,
He walked so fast the houses past,
They hardly could be seen.
Some asked him, "What's the matter?"
Said he, "I have no time
To answer any questions,
For the clock is almost nine."

Along the road to school that day
Walked little "Bob" McGinn,
He walked so slow "Jack Frost" though "Oh!
I'll play a little scheme."
Some asked him, "What's the matter?"
Said he, "I do not know."
But when he heard nine bells he said,
"I'm late! I'm late! Oh! Oh!"
—T. S. '24.

Teacher Training Notes.

The blackboard borders for February were completed last Friday. The committee in Miss Perry's room brought out the patriotic significance of this month, while the committee in Miss Stapleton's room did not forget that St. Valentine's day also comes in February.

Last Friday the course in Hot Lunch work was completed. This course includes the study of the purposes and necessity for hot lunches in our rural schools. In connection with this work the girls made Hot Lunch booklets which included menus for the preparation and serving of hot lunches and a definite course of study for the presentation of a course in cooking in the three upper grades. This course is planned so that much of the application work is done through the home project method.

An elementary course in drawing was commenced this semester. Miss Stapleton and Miss Perry are in hopes that they will develop some real artists before the course is completed.

The girls began their manual training work last Monday under the direction of Mr. Jardine. This will, however, be a very simplified course but will prove useful to the girls in their rural schools.

Mabel Bjorness is absent this week due to the recent death of her sister.

The following students of the teacher training department are on the honor roll for the first semester: Alpha Bishop, Alice Bredeson, Bertha Hastad, Celia Morissey, Clara Orzechowski, Merville Thompson.

The following students are on the honor roll for this six weeks period: Alpha Bishop, Bertha Hastad, Merville Thompson, Celia Morissey, Lois Strubble, Clara Orzechowski, Alice Bredeson, Johanna Wedul, Thea Gutterud, Pearl Shetler, Amy Sorlom.

The following students have been neither absent nor tardy during this

THIEF RIVER CLINIC

DR. O. F. MELLBY
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

DR. H. W. FROEHLICH
Surgery and Obstetrics

DR. L. F. FISHER
Internal Medicine and X-Ray

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about 12 books on vocational guidance, about 15 biographies, about 19 or 20 histories of various types, books to help in Latin clubs, books on debating, books of declamations and recitations, and books on poetry and science. There are only four or five on fiction.

A person certainly can have plenty of help for his school work by going down to the library and looking up what he wants to know. And I think the teachers were very kind in selecting such a fine set of books. So I think the whole student body should thank the faculty for their ability in choosing books for the high school and show their appreciation by reading them.—Ella Johnson '24.

Northrop News.

Mrs. C. B. Bradley visited Miss Adams' department Wednesday, and Mrs. Fred Dablow visited Friday.

Gordon Johnson and Harriet Liden were absent from the third grade because of illness.

Milton Bergstrom has been transferred from the Northrop fourth grade to the Knox fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Hanson visited our school on Monday afternoon.

The Studebaker arithmetic exercises are now being given in the fourth grade. These exercises furnish the child the kind and amount of practice most needful to him.

Mrs. Hellquist visited the fourth grade Friday morning.

Mrs. G. Hanzen visited school on Monday.

Several children have brought educational playthings that they use at home to school. They are to be shown at the P. T. A. meeting Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Hellquist visited in Miss Murat's room Friday forenoon.

Many of the second graders have been absent this week on account of colds.

Mrs. Dablow visited the fifth grade Friday afternoon.

The best marching in the upper grades resulted in a tie this week, Miss Berg's and Miss O'Neill's pupils being the winners. Miss Trojen's room was awarded the banner in the lower grades.

Milk was sold to the amount of $9.56 this week.

"Profitable Vocations For Girls."

The book written by Miss Bertha Weaver named, "Profitable Vocations for Girls," is written to benefit girls just about to leave high school, helping them to choose the subjects they are most interested in and best adapted to.

Girls should not choose a piece of work just because they want to be with friends or near home unless they are interested in it, because they will not enjoy it and as there

semester: Thea Gutterud, Bertha Hastad, Maybelle Bjorness, Borghild Johnson, Inga Hjelle, Alpha Bishop, Constance Klungness, Mabel Myrold Alice Bredeson, Thora Moe, Celia Morissey, Helga Osi, Edith Patten, Pearl Shetler, Amanda Skomedahl, Sarah Sanders.

The New Library Books.

The new library books are certainly worth reading. They are a choice selection and the teachers were very thoughtful when they chose books for this year. Of course there are many books that have to go to the other schools that we would like to keep, but anyway I think that if the students make use of the ones we have they can be well satisfied. There are will be very little time for other activities the work will seem as a drudge to them. A girl who is not interested in her work will naturally not be very careful how she does it.

Miss Weaver also advises a girl not to leave for some large distant city; she ought to first look over the list of occupations open to her in her own locality and choose her work from there if possible.

If a girl finds she is not suited to her present occupation, she should choose some new work for which she can prepare herself during her spare time before she gives up her present position.

There are many fields of work open to girls and a girl can be almost certain to succeed if she studies herself and then chooses the work that really attracts her and that she believes she is best fitted for.—Freda Blackberg '24.

Jokes and Personals.

Kladys Kolden is missing a good deal of school on account of illness. We hope she soon recovers.

In mechanical drawing, Mr. Jardine was checking Roy Langseth's plate: "And, Roy, don't forget to put your over-alls (meaning over-all dimensions) on top."

Miss Gormley: "Why did the people in Rome elect 80 emperors in 90 years?"

Bob: "They wanted to give everyone a chance."

How to Study Effectively.

Among the collection of new books which has been added to the high school library, there is one entitled "How to Study Effectively," by Whipple. Although it is a small book it contains a great deal of information. One of the requirements given in this text is, "Health." To study effectively one must have good health. It then gives the correct method of studying, pointing out the incorrect, which is not only a handicap but a waste of time. In regard to the habit most students have of wasting time at the beginning of a study period, the book suggests to get everything necessary ready in the shortest possible time and "settle down" to hard study; to concentrate in order to get results. In short, it is a book which every high school student should study for they would profit by following the suggestions given in it.—Halbert Evenstad '24.

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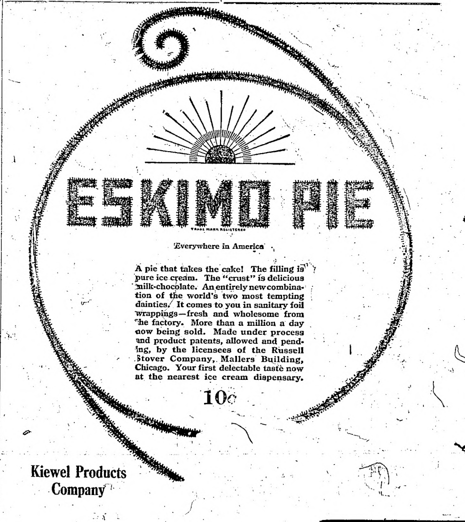

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, upon the following land, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Section Two (2) and Lots Three and Four (3 and 4) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Eighty-two (182) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof;

Which said mortgage bears date the 6th day of October, 1917, and with the power of sale therein contained was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 370, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 22nd day of October, 1917, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands, which assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages on page 407, which said mortgage was thereafter, and on the 27th day of January, 1922, by assignment in writing, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1922, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 230, and which said mortgage was given to secure payment of the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred ($1600.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) certain promissory note made and executed by said Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, said mortgagors, to said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 6th day of October of years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, each for the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 6th day of October, 1921, is past due and unpaid and has been past due and unpaid for more than ten (10) days; and,

Whereas it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in payment of interest at the time it became due and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum, together with accrued interest, should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be deemed to have become due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 6th day of October, 1921, amounting to the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, and that by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal, with accrued interest, is by said assignee of mortgagee, Hollam Company, deemed to have become immediately due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

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tained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26) Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), Range Forty-five (45), containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof in Pennington county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 11th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of ($3220.07) and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1922.

BETSEY BRATRUD and
ALMA BADEAUX,
(formerly Alma Bratrud),
Assignee and present holder of mortgage.
JOHN BRATRUD,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
McGinn Bldg., Thief River Falls, Minn.
(J-19-26-F-2-9-16-23)

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Annual Financial Statement

—of—

PENNINGTON COUNTY, STATE OF MINNESOTA,

—for the—

FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1ST, 1921, AND ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1921.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

To the Honorable County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota.

GENTLEMEN:—

I hereby submit to you a statement of the financial condition of Pennington County at the close of the past and the beginning of the present year, also a report showing in detail the transactions of this office for the year ending December 31st, 1921.

Respectfully Submitted.

S. P. Anderson

County Auditor.

TRIAL BALANCE, COUNTY AUDITOR.

From General Ledger of County Auditor of Pennington County, Minn., showing the condition at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1921:

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COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

Blanks, Books and Supplies.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose—	Amount.
The Times Company, printing and supplies	$905 63
The Fritz Cross Co., supplies	570 66
Miller-Davis Co., blank books and supplies	601 03
Free Press Printing Co., books and supplies	838 06
Geo. D. Barnard Co., supplies	75 42
Russell H. Spear, typewriter and supplies	119 25
N. A. Nelson, supplies	2 00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co., adding machine	200 00
Remington Typewriter Co., repairs	98 17
Kimball-Storer Co., supplies	103 64
Louis F. Dow Co., supplies	123 10
Scott Laird, supplies	96 12
Bottem Hardware Co., supplies	22 13
Thief River Grocery Co., supplies	58 00
Larson Furniture Co., supplies	148 73
O. Gunstad, supplies	44 85
The Maximore Co., supplies	16 50
West Disinfecting Co., supplies	16 20
Northwestern Sanitary Co., supplies	24 00
H. A. Rogers, supplies	34 18
J. I. Holcomb, supplies	7 15
Elliott-Fischer Co., supplies	4 60
National Sales Co., supplies	5 00
Associated Mfg. Co., supplies	8 04
Germicide Co., supplies	8 75
Gen. Mercantile Co., supplies	13 41
Northwestern School Supply Co., supplies	2 94
Total	$4,277 06

Municipal Court Fees.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Clearboneau	$0 60
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Bradley	25 40
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. James Parenteau	16 50
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Earl Reeves	27 01
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Best	[illegible]
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. Geo. Rice	[illegible]
N. W. Tarrant, case of State vs. H. C. Frederickson	3 00

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To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Jacob Deiderman, examination of Nellie Reger	5 30
L. F. Fisher, examination of Minnie Just	5 30
Jacob Deiderman, examination of Minnie Just	5 30
Total	$409 00

Salary and Expense County Agent.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
J. J. McCann, salary	$483 32
J. J. McCann, expense	336 96
Total	$820 28

Expense Supt. of Schools.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
Geo. M. Gunderson, expense visiting schools	$677 80
Total	$677 80

Salary, Expense, etc., Weed Inspectors.

Peter C. Wold, salary, mileage and expense	$241 00
C. Christianson, salary, mileage and expense	47 56
John Radnicke, salary, mileage and expense	380 90
Total	$670 16

Refundments on Taxes.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
James Gilkerson, refundment on taxes	$31 85
Jay Payne, refundment on taxes	20 74
Ola A. San, refundment on taxes	18 34
O. H. Nelson, refundment on taxes	8 02
Mrs. J. J. Amble, refundment on taxes	6 03
C. T. Christensen, refundment on taxes	8 02
Mrs. Geo. G. Johnson, refundment on taxes	8 02
Ole Eggrud, refundment on taxes	3 00
C. L. Gustafson, refundment on taxes	8 02
Rosa O. Weeks, refundment on taxes	8 02

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Abe Sapero, case of State vs. Chas. Conean, et al.	1 12
Salomon Blue, case of State vs. Carlson	23 80
Joe. Jatland, case of State vs. Carlson	1 12
N. B. Waldorf, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 24
Mrs. N. B. Waldorf, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 24
Ole Olson Kool, case of State vs. Carlson	1 24
P. J. Keating, case of State vs. Brindicke	2 24
Sarah Johnson, Feebleminded case	1 12
John Bratrud, case of State vs. Clarkman	1 12
Total	$103 08

Petit Jurors.

To Whom Issued— For what purpose.	Amount.
O. J. Valsvek, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	$10 40
Sever Anderson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	15 60
Wm. Mulry, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Fred Du Champ, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 40
Helmer N. Olson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 20
Gust Bergsen, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 80
Henry S. Bolstad, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	20 00
Hans Wilson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 80
Tom Lian, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	25 80
Geo. Eastman, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 00
Frank Prutz, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
C. A. Anderson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 60
Joseph Kiel, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 40
Soren Sorenson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	23 00
Edwin Hanson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	7 80
C. M. Carlson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	24 20
Carl Edseth, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 00
Victor Johnson, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	27 20
James Cosgrove, petit juror Jan. 1921 term court	4 00

Court Expense.

To Whom Issued— For what Purpose.	Amount.
Walter B. Smith, drawing jurors	$5 00
W. H. Wood, drawing jurors	5 00
Glen C. Anderson, deputy clerk of court	96 00
Frank McGinty, court bailiff	45 00
Paul Moddersigh, court bailiff	90 00
Pat Keating, court bailiff	12 00
W. O. Braggans, expense court reporter	110 12
W. J. LaBree, meals for jurors	37 15
W. J. LaBree, sheriff expense	34 02
Derby H. Anderson, deputy clerk of court	6 00
O. A. Naplin, attorney's fees case of State vs. Carlson	10 00
H. O. Chommie, attorney's fees case of State vs. Andrews, et al	10 00
Total	[illegible]

Sheriff's Expenses.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Reeves	$3 00
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Westphal	8 00
W. J. LaBree, case of State vs. Thea. Hanson	49 12
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. John Doe	18 00
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Best	18 00
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	11 50
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	26 00
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	[illegible]
W. J. LaBree, livery expense	[illegible]
Hans C. Hanson, boarding prisoners	75 40
W. J. LaBree, posting school notices	8 50
W. J. LaBree, livery case of State vs. Althoff	2 00
W. J. LaBree, livery expense collecting delinquent personal property taxes	7 00
W. J. LaBree, livery drawing jury	2 00
W. J. LaBree, expense conveying Albert Wood to Faribault	[illegible]
W. J. LaBree, meals for prisoners	7 00

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H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of George Huts	5 20
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of John A. Robert	5 20
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Gulbrandson	5 45
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of Bogerson	7 05
H. W. Froehlich, viewing body of B. Carlson	5 40
Total	$43 15

Crow and Gopher Bounties.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
John Naplin, gopher bounty	$1 16
John Schollin, gopher bounty	20 21
Edward Moren, gopher bounty	4 45
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	24 09
Ole B. Breeland, gopher bounty	6 40
John Naplin, gopher bounty	5 23
Charley Johnson, gopher bounty	66 23
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	71 25
Ole B. Breeland, gopher bounty	1 68
Bear Newman, gopher bounty	2 00
John Naplin, gopher bounty	51
Ole B. Breeland, gopher bounty	4 63
T. J. Skaar, gopher bounty	50
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	1 08
Ole B. Breeland, gopher bounty	3 04
C. R. Melin, gopher bounty	63
Chas. Johnson, gopher bounty	4 00
Mike Pricker, gopher bounty	22 88
T. J. Skaar, gopher bounty	4 80
Ole B. Breeland, gopher bounty	1 66
J. G. Northagen, gopher bounty	6 94
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	1 75
Ole B. Breeland, gopher bounty	51
Charley Johnson, gopher bounty	3 53
John Schollin, gopher bounty	14 47
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	2 07
C. R. Naplin, gopher bounty	1 30
Ole Larson, gopher bounty	2 12
John Sjosvold, gopher bounty	2 21
Total	$243 23

Expense by Member of Child Welfare Board.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Oscar J. Peterson, traveling expense etc.	$19 00
Geo. M. Gunderson, expense	3 00
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, expense	35 00
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, expense	10 00
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense	5 43
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense attending state conference	37 23
Mrs. L. G. Larson, expense	9 00
Mrs. J. M. Bishop, expense	26 65
Total	$145 31

Mothers' Pensions.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Lottie Kinsela, mothers pension	$60 00
Susan Knaza, mothers pension	460 00
Inga Bakken, mothers pension	240 00
Anastasia Yavolis, mothers pension	90 00
Tilda Torgerson, mothers pension	180 00
Hannah Johnson, mothers pension	240 00
Bertha Munt, mothers pension	275 00
Bertha Lonson, mothers pension	105 00

Private Redemptions on Tax Certificates.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
First and Peoples State Bank	$1788 44
J. A. Duffy	566 52
North American Mortgage Bank	934 20
First National Bank	2320 50
Northwestern Building and Loan association	119 50
James Gilbert & Son	31 05
Yellow Medicine Co. Bank	1718 13
M. V. Evenson	107 04
First and Merchants State Bank	230 33
Lulu D. Halvorson	133 44
Minneapolis Trust Co.	54 14
F. H. Wellcome Co.	408 02
Denis Conely	26 12
H. G. Dobner	220 65
Citizens State Bank	465 21
First State Bank Okl.e	22 02
John Bratrud	63 82
Northwestern Trust Co.	298 68
State Bank Wylie	66 30
Savings Loan and Trust Company	157 56
Mrs. Ole Odegaard	149 00
Total	$10218 42

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

Receipts.

From Current and delinquent tax collections	$28468 47
From state and federal aid for state and county roads	47374 25
From road lien collections	66 00
From gravel loader sold to Red Lake county	972 00
From rent of road trucks	763 20
Transferred from general ditch fund	8000 00
Debit Balance, December 31, 1921	55339 30
Total	$140983 88

Disbursements

Warrants issued	$76660 31
Distribution of refundments paid out of revenue fund	272 14
Transferred to general ditch fund	8000 00
Debit balance January 1st, 1921	56051 43
Total	$140983 88

State Road No. 1.

To Whom Issued— For What Purpose.	Amount.
Albert Seaverson, patrolman	$459 36
P. W. Roark, grading and graveling road	8940 95
Iver Bugge, patrolman	112 86
A. Saterberg, repairs	8 60
Lyle Culvert Co., interest on warrants	14 40
Otto Gullingsrud, interest on warrants	1 96
Oscar J. Peterson, inspector road	4 50
Gust Naplin, inspector road	4 00
R. McGlon, interest on warrants	304 68
Merchants State Bank, interest on warrants	292 35
Farmers and Merchants' State Bank, interest on warrants	626 99

Harry Aubol, hauling gravel	42 15
Oscar Hauge, hauling gravel	32 20
M. P. Lund, work at graveling road	200 00
Marvin Miller, hauling gravel	30 38
Carl Anderson, hauling gravel	23 62
Elmer Lind, hauling gravel	47 23
Elmer Anpinson, hauling gravel	20 87
Chas. Bengtson, hauling gravel	21 25
Albert Kolp, hauling gravel	29 25
Christ Kruse, hauling gravel	30 74
John Loberg, hauling gravel	67 50
Henry Hendrickson, hauling gravel	14 15
Roy Kell, hauling gravel	33 83
Arne Braaten, hauling gravel	17 15
C. F. Carlson, hauling gravel	29 00
L. Dobson, hauling gravel	14 94
Anton Peterson, hauling gravel	21 45
Dave Sodennow, hauling gravel	10 70
Morris Broyette, hauling gravel	11 80
John E. Peterson, hauling gravel	15 24
Alfred Helgeson, hauling gravel	17 70
Herman Hanson, hauling gravel	18 30
Alfred Rolstad, hauling gravel	7 50
Chas. Sompter, hauling gravel	9 00
Anton Anderson, hauling gravel	3 92
H. W. Johnson, hauling gravel	3 32
Arthur Kolp, hauling gravel	3 33
Ole Thune, hauling gravel	33 00
A. Roese, hauling gravel	46 82
O. H. Peterson, hauling gravel	46 81
N. O. Johnson, hauling gravel	38 20
Arthur Gunstad, hauling gravel	58 10
Elmo Swenson, hauling gravel	45 42
Clarence Arneson, hauling gravel	31 80
Floyd Sumpter, hauling gravel	49 09
Oliver Johnson, hauling gravel	51 07
Harvey Johnson, hauling gravel	51 07
Martin Knutson, hauling gravel	13 25
Chas. Knutson, hauling gravel	26 35
W. M. Bruce, hauling gravel	51 72
Hans Fredrickson, hauling gravel	23 63
W. M. Sherwood, hauling gravel	33 16
W. P. Wilson, hauling gravel	22 27
Henry Sandberg, hauling gravel	22 64
Jack Meller, hauling gravel	36 16
Gust Sundberg, checking gravel	22 80
Selmer Rosett, hauling gravel	23 62
Windel Corbett, hauling gravel	23 62
Elmer Hanson, hauling gravel	27 00
Paul Hackett, hauling gravel	41 62
Walter Hackett, hauling gravel	38 25
Axel Jacobson, hauling gravel	37 12
Gunder Lindquist, hauling gravel	33 75
John Schuly, hauling gravel	24 10
Sam Walbeck, hauling gravel	50 62
B. Brink, hauling gravel	50 62
Roy Sumpter, hauling gravel	48 37
O. A. Holmes, hauling gravel	38 63
Leo Beebe, hauling gravel	31 87
Marvin Miller, hauling gravel	23 62
Rupert Swanson, hauling gravel	23 12
Sig Vik, hauling gravel	30 00
Connell Aubol, hauling gravel	23 25
Joe King, hauling gravel	13 50
Ed. Engh, hauling gravel	16 50
Sam A. Johnson, hauling gravel	6 75
Wendell Beebe, hauling gravel	6 75
Paul Borgie, interest on warrant	1 75
J. E. Pearson, patrolman	150 00
Chas Prichard, work on road	45 00
Arne Braaten, hauling gravel	24 95
Milton Peterson, hauling gravel	6 13
C. H. Peterson, hauling gravel	33 50
A. Roese, hauling gravel	33 50
Frank W. Peterson, work on loader	7 00

Total	$4,160.07

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF COUNTY ATTORNEY'S CONTINGENT FUND

Receipts.

Transferred from the County Revenue Fund	$ 300.00
Total	$ 300.00

Disbursements.

Warrants issued	$ 258.35
Transferred to County Revenue Fund	41.65
Total	$ 300.00
Thos. Quale, expense, court cases	$ 258.35
Total	$ 258.35

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF TEACHERS' INSURANCE AND RETIREMENT FUND

Receipts.

Credit balance Jan. 1, 1921	$ 55.28
Received from teachers' pensions	862.50
Total	$ 917.78

Disbursements.

Warrants issued	$ 812.73
Credit balance Dec. 31, 1921	105.05
Total	$ 917.78
Henry Rines, state treasurer, teachers insurance and retirement fund collections	$ 812.73
Total	$ 812.73

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE STATE LAND AND INTEREST FUND

Receipts.

Credit balance Jan. 1, 1921	$ 88.59
Received from collections of principal and interest on state funds	2,167.11
Total	$2,255.70

Disbursements.

Warrants issued	$2,255.70
Total	$2,255.70
Henry Rines, state treasurer, principal and interest on state funds	$2,255.70
Total	$2,255.70

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF MORTGAGE REGISTRY TAX FUND

Receipts.

Credit balance Jan. 1, 1921	$1,378.53
Received from registration tax collected	1,710.20
Total	$3,088.73

Disbursements.

Distribution on tax	$2,696.63
Credit balance Dec. 31, 1921	392.10
Total	$3,088.73

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF INHERITANCE TAX FUND

Receipts.

Received from inheritance tax collected	$ 211.59
Total	$ 211.59

Disbursements.

Warrants issued	$ 211.59
Total	$ 211.59
R. P. Chase, state auditor, inheritance tax, estate of Fred Reth	$ 164.59
O. A. Naplin, refund interest, estate of Fred Reth	3.00
R. P. Chase, inheritance tax, estate of Dan Patterson	44.00
Total	$ 211.59

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Assets.

Taxes for the year 1920 and prior years (unpaid balance)	$ 53,842.51
Balance in the county treasury to the credit of the following funds:	
County Revenue Fund	2,010.29
County Road and Bridge Fund	5,817.79
County Bond and Interest Fund	894.58
County Sinking Fund	6,036.06
County Sanitorium Fund	619.87
Moneys advanced from County Revenue Fund to repair Ditch No. 1	1,629.03
Moneys advanced from County Revenue Fund to repair Ditch No. 32	117.24
Total	$ 70,080.81
Inventory of County Property:	
West Fifty (50) feet Lots Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16) of Block Sixty-three (63), Original Townsite of Thief River Falls	$ 1,200.00
Lots One (1) and Two (2), Block Fifty-six (56), Original Townsite of Thief River Falls	12,500.00
Personal property (including furniture and fixtures)	2,800.00
Road machinery and road equipment	5,800.00
Eight (8) gravel pits	800.00

Highlanding bridge across Red Lake River	5,000.00
Kratka bridge across Red Lake river	10,000.00
County roads and highways	225,000.00
Total	$353,209.81

Liabilities.

Bonded debt Pennington County, 4 per cent County Bonds	$ 27,000.00
Red Lake County Bonds, Pennington County share (balance unpaid)	10,222.00
Drainage Ditch Bonds issued by Pennington County (balance)	622,400.00
State Rural Highway Bonds issued by Pennington County (balance)	16,000.00
Highlanding Bridge Bonds issued by Pennington County (balance)	15,000.00
Total	$691,622.00

ABSTRACT OF TAX LIST OF PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA, FOR THE YEAR 1921.

Assessed valuation real estate (unplatted)	$5,000,000.00
Assessed valuation real estate (lots and platted property)	1,427,004.00
Assessed valuation personal property	327,282.00
Assessed valuation moneys and credits	1,002,517.00
Total valuation taxable property	$6,827,102.00
Assessed valuation of exempt real estate (as listed)	202,496.00

Tax Levy.

For State Revenue purposes	$ 17,740.85
For State School purposes	7,103.00
For Teachers' Insurance and Retirement	391.70
For Principal and Interest on State Loans	21,029.85
For County Purposes	72,325.00
For Drainage Ditch Purposes	60,683.58
For Township Purposes	44,732.82
For City and Village Purposes	83,186.85
For School District Purposes	167,844.85
Total Taxes Levied	$480,003.27

The foregoing statement, prepared by the County Auditor in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, is hereby approved and respectfully submitted to the taxpayers of said County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman.
GUST NAPLIN,
A. W. HANSON,
J. S. ROY,
R. McGINN,
Board of County Commissioners,
Pennington County, Minnesota.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON, County Auditor.
(Seal)

Receipts and Disbursements of City, Town and Village Funds

CITY, TOWN AND VILLAGE	Balance Jan. 1, 1921. DR.	CR.	Receipts from all Tax Collections and Licenses.	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Refunded	Trans. to Ditch Fund DR.	Balance Jan. 1, 1922. CR.
Bray			$ 1,257.06	$ 1,257.06	$ 1,181.54	$ 29.13	$ 46.39	
Black River			1,327.97	1,327.97	1,247.55		80.42	
Clover Leaf			1,594.60	1,594.60	1,165.30		429.30	
Deer Park			1,255.72	1,255.72	1,051.93		203.79	
Goodridge			1,027.06	1,027.06	649.51	93.02	284.53	
Highlanding			2,401.10	2,401.10	1,994.77	1.35	405.04	
Hickory		105.80	1,024.44	1,130.24	908.17		150.36	71.71
Kratka			2,086.34	2,086.34	1,774.56		311.78	
Mayfield			920.42	920.42	837.12		83.30	
North			3,416.09	3,416.09	3,363.39	23.20	29.50	
Norden			1,649.82	1,649.82	1,307.08		341.84	
Numedal			1,259.15	1,259.15	1,101.48		157.67	
Polk Center			1,033.47	1,033.47	992.07	7.17	33.23	
Rocksbury			3,404.90	3,404.90	3,325.43	6.30	73.17	
River Falls			1,601.30	1,601.30	1,434.50	8.36	158.44	
Reiner			1,500.40	1,500.40	1,183.00		317.40	
Smiley			1,368.89	1,368.89	1,185.11	.53	173.25	
Sanders			2,114.06	2,114.06	2,097.83		20.23	
Silverton		223.14	3,040.40	3,263.54	2,846.48		142.78	274.28
Star			896.00	896.00	759.30	2.73	133.97	
Wyandotte			1,821.83	1,821.83	1,622.58		199.25	
St. Hilaire vil.			2,083.76	2,083.76	2,055.86	27.80	.10	
Goodridge vil.			2,076.08	2,076.08	1,925.22	147.82	3.04	
T. R. Falls city		341.78	64,767.38	65,109.16	57,927.54	872.81		6,308.82

Receipts and Disbursements of School District Funds

BASKET CLASSIC TO CROOKSTON IN GREAT GAME

Thief River Falls Meets Defeat Thursday in First Game Away From Home.

Atheletics in Lead at One Time But Opponents Manage to Nose Out in Long End.

Could Not Connect With Basket Although Playing the Better Game on the Floor.

One thousand fans, about 90 of whom were from Thief River Falls, witnesed one of the best basketball games played in the northwest this year when the Athletics of Thief River Falls met the Crookston Independents in that city on Thursday night. Crookston carried off the long end of an 18 to 14 score, but only after one of the hardest fights to which the team had been subjected.

Unbiased spectators state that the men on both teams gave evidence of nervousness during the first half and missed an unusually large number of opportunities to score. Had the Athletics played the kind of basketball in the first half that they uncorked in the closing period there would have been a different story to tell. Their floor work was of the very highest order but they simply could not get the ball through the hoop. Crookston fared somewhat better in the first session, which closed with the score 8 to 3 in their favor.

Coming back strong in the second, Thief River Falls made the score 12 to 12 with about half the period left to go. From then on it was anybody's game, but the Crookstonites had the better shooting eye and nosed out by a lead of four points.

Everyone praises the treatment accorded Thief River Falls by the Crookston players and fans. The Independent's manager, Major Rosberg, is particularly commended for the strict rules laid down to his charges and to the spectators as well. The referee, Melvin Hodge of Fargo, allowed nothing to get by which might be regarded as an infraction of recognized basketball rules, penalizing both teams impartially when occasion demanded. The game was fast and hard from the outset, both sides striving with every once to win, but no underhanded tactics were attempted, the result being one of the finest games of basketball seen in this section. Mr. Hodge has been engaged to referee the return game to be played in Thief River Falls on the 16th.

In its writeup of the game the Crookston Times has the following to say:

Men Fight Hard to Win

"Every man on both teams, despite the close air caused by the packed mass of humanity watching the struggle, gave all he was worth to win. Weber was mixed up in nearly every play and time after time he would go into a jam and come out somehow dribbling the ball towards the basket. Haaven started up many of Crookston's plays and played his usual bang up game. Raines and Sampson, alternating at center for Crookston, furnished much of the speed in Crookston's plays. It was Raines who scored the first basket for Crookston and it was Captain Sampson who scored the last. Miller and Nelson for Crookston and Brown and Holzknecht for Thief River played a similar style of guarding. Miller at standing guard broke up play after play in his territory while Nelson covered the floor and managed to hold Carlson down to one basket. Hadrath showed up well for Thief River and while Lowden at center lead his team mates in basket shooting the mainstay of the Thief River team and the pivot of their plays was Carlson. Carlson is fast and dangerous at all times and Crookston was lucky he did not have his shoting eye last night."

Game in Detail

Both teams started out strong and striving desperately for the first basket. Close guarding, however, kept the ball in the middle of the floor although several times Thief River had the ball under their basket but were unable to locate the hoop. After three minutes of play Carlson shot a free throw on Crookston's foul. He repeated soon after and the score was two to nothing in favor of the visitors. Lowden was playing a good game for Thief River Falls and several of his shots missed their mark by a fraction of an inch. Haaven tied the score by two free throws one after another. The game was nine minutes old at that time. Thief River continued to miss a number of shots and then allowed Raines to stand unguarded under his basket when the ball went out of bounds. A quick pass from Haaven to Raines and Crookston was in the lead four to two. It was the first field basket of the game and took 13 minutes to accomplish.

Two minutes later Captain Sampson went in at center replacing Raines and Penney went in for Hadrath. Thief River scored the next point when Carlson shot a free throw. Weber, who previously had had difficulty locating the basket, figured in a pretty play with Sampson, Weber taking the pass and scoring. A minute before the first period Weber again scored on a long side shot, the ball bobbling on the lip of the basket before dropping through the netting. When the first half ended the score stood Crookston 8; Thief River 3, Thief River having failed to secure a field goal.

Second Period

Both teams seemed to be playing off form in the first period. Carlson opened the second half with a foul shot. Sampson made a free throw for Crookston and again Carlson scored from the foul line. Carlson scored the first field basket for Thief River by a clean shot from the center and side of the floor. Brown repeated for Theif River and tied the score 9 to 9. Carlson took his team into the lead with another of his deadly foul shots. Haaven tied the score by negotiating a free throw for Crookston but Lowden again sent Thief River ahead with a long shot from the center of the floor. Nelson who had been making a number of long unsuccessful shots all evening made the feature shot of the game when he shot a fast ball direct for the basket. The shot was made from deep center, the ball taking scarcely any loop in its fight for the basket. It struck square, however, and dropped through the netting tying the score 12 to 12. In a toss up following a held ball near Crookston's basket Haaven flicked the ball through the hoop putting Crookston into the lead for the remainder of the game. Weber made it 16 to 12 by a long range basket. Lowden, slipping in behind his guard, was all alone under his basket when he received the ball and twisted it in for a counter. Carlson had a chance to tie the score by a similar easy chance and Brown also missed an easy shot for Thief River. Sampson added two points more for Crookston's score by a pretty side shot and the time keeper announced 50 seconds were left to play. The game ended with the ball in Crookston's territory, the final score being Crookston 18; Thief River 14.

The summary follows:

Crookston

	FB	FT	P	T
Haaven, rf	1	3	0	1
Weber, lf	3	0	2	0
Raines, c	1	0	0	0
Sampson, c	1	1	3	1
Miller, rg	0	0	0	0
Nelson, lg	1	0	1	0
	7	4	6	2

Thief River Falls

	FB	FT	P	T
Brown, lg	1	0	1	2
Holzknecht, rg	0	0	1	0
Hadarth, c	0	0	0	0
Lowden, lf, c	2	0	0	2
Penney, lf	0	0	1	1
Carlson, rf	1	6	0	0
	4	6	3	5

Referee—Melvin Hodge of Fargo.

Piano Tuning.

If you desire your piano tuned, leave your order with Miss Doris Halvorson, music teacher, phone 126. I also sell Ivers-Pond and Ludwig pianos, and Dyer Bros. player pianos. Phone me at 126 if interested. S. S. Bright, from Metropolitan Music Co., Minneapolis. f9p

Basket Social.

The Community Welfare and Debating society will give a basket social and dance at the Erie hall, Saturday, Feb. 11, for the benefit of the Gilbert Mandrud family, whose home burned down last week. Everybody come and bring baskets.

Heavy Cut in Price of International Tractors

C. Gustafson & Son, local agents for the International Harvester company's products, announce a great cut in the price of tractors for delivery on or before the first of May. The 8-16 International tractor with regular wheels, clutch pulley and angle lugs, is now offered for $670, while [illegible] regular wheels, friction clutch pulley and angle lugs sells at $700. This is a flat reduction of $200 on the last-named machine and $230 on the International.

This is an unusual cut in machinery of this class, but the Harvester people go even farther in their efforts to reduce the cost. To each farmer who purchases a tractor for delivery before the above date will be given free of charge one two-furrow P. & O. tractor plow with an International tractor and a three-furrow plow with the Titan tractor. This offer, however, is limited to May 1.

40% Increase in Receipts of Butterfat at Creamery

Cream receipts during the month of December at the Thief River Falls creamery were 40 per cent greater than for the corresponding period a year ago, according to the report just submitted by Secretary Peter Engelstad. Three producers residing near Thief River Falls are found in the $200 class, but the list takes a sudden drop when these are passed. When this fact is considered in connection with the increased receipts it indicates that the number of patrons is steadily increasing. Those who received more than $50 for their butterfat during December are:

Jens Kierk, $273.78; Hans Anton, $268.85; Peter Engelstad, $252.73; M. T. McFarland, $171.00; L. O. Stenseth, $133.77; Waldie Christensen, $99.90; R. M. Johnson, $91.80; S. E. Hunt, $83.11; H. T. Waale, $82.15; Gust Wilken, $74.39; Christ Nelson, $73.05; C. Beiswenger, $68.30; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $67.72; W. P. Willudson, $66.10; A. C. Simonson, $64.32; E. Edman, $63.98; O. G. Gunderson, $63.05; Wm. Mehrkens, $62.52; Swan Wiberg, $61.10; J. H. Hardesty, $60.41; Frank Kainz, $54.94; H. C. Woolson, $54.20; Paul Engelstad, $53.44; Henry Pope, $53.40.

Will Assist in Making Out Income Tax Returns

A. T. Theilan, deputy internal revenue collector, will be in the city from Tuesday, Feb. 28, to Saturday, March 4, inclusive, for the purpose of assisting those who so desire with the making out of their income tax blanks. Mr. Theilan will be at the Commercial club room from 9 o'clock on each day of his stay and anyone who is not clear as to what is required by the government in the matter of tax returns is urged to see him. This year even those who have sufficient exemptions to make the payment of the tax unnecessary are compelled to make a return.

Fake Livestock Salesmen Have Invaded the County

President Hans Anton of the Pennington County Holstein Breeders' association has issued a warning calling attention to the fact that during the past two weeks a number of so-called livestock salesmen have been touring the country advertising and selling animals said to be purebred. These animals were selected from scrub herds and have no pedigree back of them whatever. Such stock as this is picked from the culls of the county herds and will never make dairy cattle. The county Holstein association wishes to warn other breeders against purchasing such stock.

Meeting of Encampment.

Riverside Encampment, I. O. O. F., will put on the work in the Golden Rule degree next Saturday evening. This is the second degree of the encampment section of the order. Refreshments will be served and it is desired that all members be present.

At the meeting of the subordinate lodge Tuesday evening eight members were taken into the order and given the initiatory degree work. This is the largest class for some time. The first degree will be exemplified next Tuesday night.

Teacher: "What finally happened to Socrates?"

Harriet, getting an inspiration: "He died."

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FOR SALE—One set of 2 inch by 7 foot sleighs, narrow track, almost new; or will trade for oats or barley. Cyrus Malberg, Route 2. 2

POTATOES—We deliver. Phone 102, Flower Shop. 1

FOR SALE—80 acres one and one-half miles north of Rosewood. New buildings in good condition. 40 acres in field. John Ranum, Rosewood, Minn. 1p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 430-J 40tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for a good work horse, gasoline engine, arbor and frame. Inquire a Times or call phone 508-J. 2

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE—Four choice Rose Comb Rhode Islands, or will trade for birds of equal merit or quality. Eggs for hatching. Get in your order early. Albert Johnson. 2p

FOR SALE—Green pole wood, standing timber or on piles. 5½ miles southeast of Thief River Falls. Inquire of Ristau Brothers. 3p

FOR SALE—80 tons of hay. 3½ miles northwest of Goodridge, Sec. 13. Curtice Fancer. 3p

FOR SALE—160 acre dairy farm, three miles west of Thief River Falls. Has 60 acres solid poplar timber. Will cut cord wood enough to pay for land. 125 acres in cultivation. Terms, $500 cash, balance 20 years at 3 per cent interest. Address F. Sherwin, Brookings, S. D. 2

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Small house; also one furnished room. Inquire at 107 Horace Ave. N. (Near bridge.)

FOR RENT—Rooms, all modern and nicely furnished, 110 St. Paul Ave. S., Phone 332-J. 50tf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, Phone 441. 89tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 210 Times. 50tf

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 301 Times. 50tf

LOST

LOST—Black fur mitt. Finder please leave at Times office. 1p

LOST—Pair of eyeglasses between Soo depot and East side. Finder return to Mrs. G. R. Hanson, 112 Markley Ave. So. 1p

MISCELLANEOUS

MEN WANTED to sell Groceries! Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 1p

WANTED TO RENT—Farm with good improvements, close to town. Share rent preferred. Give number of acres field, pasture, and location in first letter. Possession before March 20. A. S. Olson, City, Route 1, Box 50. 1p

NELLIE C. HARDESTY, dressmaking. Phone 173-R. 1p

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LEFT at Rolland's store, one fur muff. Owner can have same by identifying property and paying advertising charges. Also one pair of heavy driving mits. 1

FOUND—Pair of eyeglasses on Kendall Avenue North. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice. 1

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 5p

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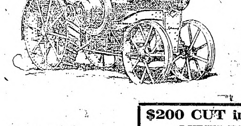

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NEW PLANT OUT OF PROFITS ON CREAM SHIPPED

Almost as Much Butterfat Goes Through City as is Converted Into Butter Here.

Profits on This Neglected Supply Would Amount to at Least $10,000 Yearly.

Committee of Dairymen Gathering Data to Prove Need For New Building Now.

Nearly as much cream passed through Thief River Falls for points farther south as was manufactured into butter in the city last year. The amount received at the creamery was 1,794,495 pounds while the total passing through the city, according to the express company reports, was 1,360,000 pounds.

These figures were secured last week by a committee of dairymen for the purpose of emphasizing the need of a larger creamery in Thief River Falls. The present plant is working to capacity in order to take care of the one and three-quarters million pounds of butterfat now being received and can make no effort to retain and turn into butter the almost equal amount going to creameries located at a greater distance from the source of supply. If the amount going to centralizers is added to the above it will be found that more cream is being shipped through the city than is turned into butter here.

New Creamery Needed.

While it has been realized in a general way that a large sum of money which of right belongs to the producers in Thief River Falls territory is being lost to them every year by reason of the inability of the creamery here to take care of their product, the size of the loss proved rather startling to the investigators. They began doing some figuring and discovered that the butterfat which should be turned into the finished product right here but is being allowed to get away because of lack of facilities for handling it, represents 418,000 pounds of butter annually, or an amount equal to two-thirds the total output of the creamery last year. The profits on this quantity of butter would pay off $10,000 every year on the cost of a new creamery. The plant would be paid for out of the profits of new business and the stockholders would not be called upon for the investment of one cent.

Is Absolute Necessity.

Not only is a new creamery necessary in order to secure this added output but it will only be a short time until the more modern plants in the neighborhood will make competition more keen for the business it now holds. Creameries are springing up all over the state, the building activities in the northern counties being particularly noticeable. Roseau last summer put up a $40,000 plant and its competition is being felt. As building costs are reduced others will enter the field. The cost of erecting and equipping a modern creamery is now about one-third less than two years ago and it is not likely to go much lower. This is the reason for the present activity on the part of the dairymen who have the future of the local plant in mind. They realize that once a producer has formed business connections with another institution it will be a difficult matter to get him to make a change. The dairying industry is taking the lead on northern Minnesota farms and the creameries are compelled to keep pace with this development.

High Prices Paid.

There are hundreds of cream producers in this section who would ship their product to Thief River Falls if it could be handled. The average price paid here during the past year for butterfat was five cents higher than that received for butter scoring 92 points in New York city, which is the highest market in the world.

A new creamery has been talked of for a long time but because of the high cost of everything needed in a modern plant the stockholders have hesitated in making the plunge. Now that this objection has to a large extent been removed the matter has been taken up in earnest and there is every prospect of something in the way of an extension program being announced in the near future.

Reception For Departing Merchant Last Evening

About 50 business and professional men gathered at the Hotel Evelyn dining room last evening for the purpose of tendering a farewell reception to A. S. Sapero, who will leave shortly for Chisholm, which city will be his headquarters as general buyer and financial head of the Sapero company. W. B. Fuller officiated as toastmaster and called upon a number of those present for remarks appropriate to the occasion. Mr. Sapero was presented with a smoking set by his friends, the presentation address being made by J. S. Arneson, who predicted that it would be but a short time until the store in Thief River Falls would be the most important unit of the Sapero chain and that the evening's guest of honor would find it necessary to return to this city in order to properly attend to its expanding business.

Mr. Sapero thanked those present and the people of the community for the many kindnesses of which he had been the recipient during his five years' residence in the city and stated that nothing but the imperative demands of his new position dictated the change he was making. At that he was not severing relations completely as it would be necessary for him to make frequent trips to this city. Mr. Sapero said he would always cherish the friendships formed here and, no matter what the future might have in store, he would always look back at his residence in Thief River Falls with the keenest pleasure.

Other speakers were C. L. Hansen, Mayor Bratrud, W. J. Brown, E. O. Mogensen, G. Howard Smith, Dr. H. W. Froehlich, L. L. Cohn, Chris Storholm, H. F. Booren and others.

SEASON'S HARDEST BASKETBALL GAME PROMISED TONIGHT

Crookston Coming With 300 Fans in Attempt to Take Athletics' Measure.

Tonight, at the auditorium in Thief River Falls, another "battle of the century" will be staged. The Crookston basketball team, admittedly one of the best aggregations of its kind in the state, is coming for the purpose of repeating, if possible, the trick turned when the Thief River Falls Athletics were defeated by a close score in the neighboring city a couple of weeks ago. A special train will carry about 300 fans from the down-river town and one entire side of the auditorium has been reserved for their accommodation.

All games heretofore played have been practice events for the purpose of getting the Athletics into shape for this great contest. Crookston fans admit that their team would rather defeat Thief River Falls on the floor than discover a gold mine at the edge of their town. They are coming determined to make the fight of their lives and as the locals are just as determined that the visitors shall be sent back defeated there is every indication of a decidedly interesting session.

Houser, the star forward of the Crookston team, who is a student at the university of North Dakota, is expected to be in the lineup. He was not in the game played at Crookston. The visitors will place a great deal of dependance on him as he is regarded as one of the best in the business. The locals, however, have the advantage of playing on their own floor and as Crookston won by only four points in the last game the dopesters figure the chances of Thief River Falls as being particularly bright. Melvin Hodge of Fargo, who refereed the former game, will officiate in the same capacity tonight.

The game will be called at 8:15, but anyone hoping to get a seat will have to be on hand long before that hour. Standing room will be at a premium as a record crowd is assured.

Dr. G. A. Penney, president of the Athletics, has called attention to the fine treatment with which the Thief River Falls team met at Crookston from players and audience alike, and hopes that the crowd tonight will bear this in mind. It doesn't help a town's reputation to have its sport fans behave like a bunch of roughnecks. It is also a well-known fact that referees work as well without a lot of saphead advice from the sidelines.

District Court to Convene Tomorrow—Long Calendar

The February term of the district court will convene Friday morning, the opening of the session being postponed from the 7th. Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren will preside.

There are 28 civil and three criminal cases listed on the calendar, the largest number for a long time. It is also probable that the grand jury will add to the criminal actions to be tried, there being several alleged violators bound over by the municipal court and out on bonds awaiting action by the indicting body. There are also five personal property tax cases to be heard.

Pastor Will Be Selected By Presbyterians Sunday

The congregation of the Presbyterian church will meet immediately after the close of the morning services next Sunday for the purpose of selecting a pastor. The congregation has been without a resident minister since the departure of Rev. R. L. Barackman for Lincoln, Kas., some months ago.

Rev. W. H. Evans of Red Lake Falls will preach in the church Sunday forenoon and evening at the regular hours.

Gonvick Newspaper Plant Destroyed; Loss $8,000

The building and plant of the Gonvick Banner was totally destroyed by fire which broke out about 5 o'clock Sunday morning. The publisher, W. W. Jones, with his family lived over the office and so rapidly did the flames gain headway that nothing in the way of furniture or personal effects could be saved. The loss is $8,000 with insurance of $2,000.

COME UP FROM BOTTOM TO VEX THOSE IN LEAD

Result of Past Week in Times Auto Contest Shows What Hustling Accomplishes.

Only Six Days Remain of First Period With Its Many Extra Credit Allowances.

Chances of All Contestants Are Still Even, None Having a Safe Margin of Lead.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Date Feb. 22

First Period ends 6 p. m. Wednesday, Feb. 22. All reports must be in The Times office by that hour to count under the first period scale.

Hannah Peterson, City	16,100
Agnes Oftedahl, City	15,900
Helmer Ostrom, City	15,600
Paul Engelstad, City	9,450
Julius Liden, Steiner	4,500
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanen, Goodridge	1,000
Peter Klungness, Route 2	2,750

Yes, sir, the unexpected has happened. Some of the "credit" gatherers who have seemingly been asleep have taken life and have begun to interest their friends in their campaign to win the Buick, the Ford and the other Grand Free Prizes that are to be distributed at the close of The Times Salesmanship campaign.

But remember that a chain is as weak as its weakest link. Any chain, no matter how well forged it may have been, will GIVE IN at the WEAKEST link when pressure is placed on it.

One single link can ruin all the strength possessed by the rest of the chain.

There are six links in the chain of extra "credits" between now and the close of the first period on Feb. 22 that will have more than ordinary pressure placed on them. They are the six days that remain of the first period.

Every day that you forge a SOLID link you are making yourself that much safer for the Buick. What if you do not do your best? Then you are weakening the other links that are perfect.

Stay busy. Fight hard. Hustle. Now is the time when you should be "on your toes" doing your level best to finish the first period at the head of the list.

The wise campaigner who thinks he or she has a few reserve "credits" not turned in and can afford to take a rest is making a mistake. Remember the old saying that "when you feel the safest you are in the greatest danger." It is far better to be safe than sorry in a campaign of this kind. It is better to have too many "credits" than not enough. Now is the time to lay your plans to "steal a march" on the other contestants. A small fortune is within your grasp and it is for you to decide if you want it or not. Words will never be able to express the regret and sadness you will have if you do not perfectly forge every link in your chain of success.

Maybe you feel you could have done better in the past two weeks if you had the time to live over. Don't worry about the past. Make the future pay you well in "credits" by hustling every minute. A big fine Buick Beauty Six isn't to be picked up every few weeks. A sure winner never stops to congratulate himself until the race is over.

Red Lake Elevator at Badger Burned Monday

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the elevator of the Red Lake Milling company at Badger last Friday night. The elevator was well filled with grain, a large part of which will be a total loss. A car of wheat consigned to the Crookston Milling company, just sealed up and ready to be pulled out, was burned to the trucks, but another car, loaded with corn, was pushed out of danger by the fire department. The main track of the Great Northern was left in the clear but one wall of the elevator fell across the sidetrack and it was some time before the work of clearing could be begun because of the smoke.

Bound to Grand Jury on Charge Preferred by Girl

Martin Hanson, who was recently arrested on a charge of having carnal knowledge of a female child under 18 years of age, was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $500 by Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court Saturday. The warrant was issued on Oct. 19, 1919, but Hanson had left the city and could not be found. The girl's family, who were formerly residents of Deer Park township, also moved away after the alleged offense was committed, returning only recently. The complaining witness has a child about three years of age of which she maintains Hanson is the father. The latter in the meantime married and has a wife and baby.

Asked by Attorney H. O. Chommie, who appeared for Hanson, why she had not informed her father of her troubles while the defendant was still here and in a position to afford some reparation, the accuser replied that her folks would be opposed to her marrying a Norwegian, they being Bohemians.

WHEAT PRICES ADVANCE SIX CENTS IN CHICAGO AT OPENING ON TUESDAY

Wheat prices jumped as much as 6½c a bushel on Tuesday at the opening of the board of trade. The reason was a sensational advance in Liverpool and other foreign market centers while the United States exchanges were closed during the Monday holiday. May delivery was the most active trading, opening at $1.37 to $1.39½ as against $1.33¼ at the finish on Saturday.

POLITICIANS KEPT BUSY GUESSING AT NAPLIN'S POSITION

Report That He Will Not Again Be a Candidate is Unauthorized, Says Senator.

State Senator O. A. Naplin states that any report to the effect that he will not be a candidate for re-election is unauthorized by him. He has not to date declared himself on the subject in one way or the other as he has not definitely made up his mind. He also disclaims any present intention of entering the race for judge of the district court, leaving it to be inferred that in case there is a demand for his candidacy among his friends the matter may be favorably considered by him. He has been assured of considerable support in case he decides to make the race, much of it coming from people in Thief River Falls who might be expected to oppose him on political grounds did he again make the run for the senate.

While no formal announcement of such intention has been published, it is expected that both the present representatives from this district, W. E. Day of Clearwater county, and A. J. Hemstad of Red Lake county, will be candidates for re-election. In such case the senatorial nomination will go to Pennington county with every prospect of Mr. Naplin's winning out if he is a candidate. Should he decide to try for judicial honors there will likely be a scramble for his seat in the senate, there being at least two citizens of Thief River Falls who are said to have ambitions in that direction.

Gay Halvorson of this city is also understood to have been sounding out his friends with a view to getting a line on his chances as a candidate for district judge. He claims to be meeting with considerable encouragement, particularly in Crookston, where he formerly resided.

UNUSUAL BOOKINGS OF ATTRACTIONS FOR FIRST NATIONAL WEEK

Pictures of the Very Highest Order Only to Be Presented at the Lyceum During Week of February 18 to 25.

February 18 to 25 is First National Week at the Lyceum theatre and Manager H. A. Brumund has booked an unusual array of pictures for every night of the period. The complete program appears in another part of The Times today and is without exception the most varied and interesting of any presented druing a similar period in the theatrical history of the city. John McCormick, secretary of the Independent Screen Aartists' guild, of which all the foremost performers and producers are members, has written a personal letter to Mr. Brumund in which he says:

"We desire to extend to you our hearty thanks for your splendid cooperation in the national exhibition of our personal productions and the celebration of First National Week, Feb. 18 to 25, marking our first demonstration of artistic independence.

"It is an ideal for which we have worked hard and the achievement of that ideal opens the way to us for the creation of motion pictures greater still in the art of the cinema.

"That is our pledge to you and our other good friends, your patrons. Their support has encouraged us, and through our pictures we hope to convey to them our gratitude."

The Independent Screen Artists' guild is composed of men and women whose aim it is to place the motion picture industry on a plane which will commend it to the American public. They deplore the adverse criticism recently made possible through the action of a few individuals and are anxious that the people be turned from an inclination to judge the entire industry by a few isolated cases. They have joined with managers of the better class of theatres throughout the country in an effort to give the public only such plays as will stand any test to which they may be subjected from either artistic or moral viewpoints.

MANY PRIZES AT WINTER FAIR GO TO PENNINGTON

Exhibitors From This County Fare Well in Distribution of Prizes at Crookston.

Orton Olson Wins Sweepstakes For Best Wheat and Finest Hog Entered at Show.

Guernsey and Poultry Men Score Heavily and Boy Submits First Prize Essay.

Pennington county exhibitors at the midwinter farm crops show at Crookston last week fared very well in the distribution of prizes. The exhibit as a whole was the best ever shown by the county at Crookston and an object of general interest on the part of visitors.

The Guernsey herds exhibited by Albert Johnson of Burr Oaks farm, H. C. Woolson of Silverton Guernsey farm, and F. B. Conklin of Chippewa Stock farm, took all the premiums in this division. There was keen competition for honors among Guernsey men, animals owned by the university of Minnesota and exhibited by the Northwest School of Agriculture, being entered. In spite of this fact the Pennington county cattle carried off all the prizes. After the show a number of animals were sold to parties outside the county who selected the stock in preference to any they had seen.

Boy Wins Sweepstakes.

Orton Olson, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Olson of Thief River Falls, was a winner in two divisions. In the open class on pigs he won sweepstakes and first on an individual admitted by everyone to be of a class fit for exhibition in the very best company. The intelligent care and management in feeding this hog showed clearly in the smoothness and general fine condition of the animal.

Sweepstakes on wheat were also won by this young man, whose entries kere judged in competition with numerous samples of marquis and macaroni wheat from the leading grain-growing counties in the northwestern part of the state. The cash premium on wheat amounted to $50.

Great Showing of Poultry.

One entire section of the show was devoted to the exhibit of Pennington county poultry breeders, these being represented by H. L. Schuster, White Leghorns; Olaf Neset, Rhode Island Reds; C. M. Buoen, Buff Orpingtons; C. D. Battenfeld and C. D. Gustafson, Barred Plymouth Rocks. All these exhibitors won numerous premiums in their class. Mr. Neset carried off the silver loving cup as the sweepstakes prize on the highest scoring pullet at the show. The same poultry men are this week exhibiting at Alexandria with every prospect of carrying off a large share of the premiums.

Besides the above, Leigh Anderson, a pupil in the eigth grade, Thief River Falls public schools, won the prize for his essay on the subject: "The Future of the Red River Valley."

Cancel Engagement.

The Olson Sisters, entertainers, who were scheduled to appear at the Lyceum theatre on Friday night, yesterday notified the management that they could not reach the city at the time specified and would therefore have to cancel their engagement. Manager Brumund announces that the program for that evening will be "My Lady Friends," featuring Mr. and Mrs. Carter DeHaven, and a Pathe Slow Motion picture.

Three Day Gathering of Free Church Pastors Here

A district meeting of pastors and laymen of the Lutheran Free church will be held at Zion church in this city beginning Friday and continuing over Sunday. Pastors in the Fosston district as well as those in the Thief River Falls district will take part in this meeting. The sessions are open to the public and all are invited to attend.

Hearings Postponed.

Judge Grindeland has notified Clerk of Court Adolf Eklund that there will be no naturalization hearings in Pennington county on Feb. 26, the date originally set, a postponement having been ordered until the date for the next semi-annual hearing—July 28. There are but three applicants to be heard and it is hardly considered worth while to have the government agent make a special trip to Thief River Falls for the purpose of examining them.

Creamery at St. Hilaire Closes Successful Year

The St. Hilaire co-operative creamery manufactured over a quarter millions pounds of butter last year, the exact amount being 255,606 pounds. The total amount of butterfat received was 206,597 pounds, the overrun being 49,000 pounds. Patrons received a total of $81,816 for milk and cream delivered. The average price paid for butterfat was 42.56 cents and the average price received for the butter sold 37.55 cents. The cost of making butter was 3.15 cents per pound.

Ed. Aubol was elected president of the association, succeeding J. S. Roy, and John Maakerud succeeds O. L. Larson as vice president, F. S. Erdman, secretary, and F. P. Wilson, treasurer, being re-elected. The creamery has enjoyed a very good business and starts the new year in excellent financial condition.

Dr. Vistaunet Leader.

Dr. P. L. Vistaunet was chorus leader for the Norwegian singing societies appearing at the mid-winter shows at Crookston last week. He was accompanied by 18 members of Braga Men's chorus from this city and according to reports the organization acquitted itself with credit. There were 150 singers at the show and their part of the program proved one of the most popular features.

SOLEMN CEREMONY MARKS ATTACHING OF HORNS TO ELKS

Good Sized Class Initiated Into Order in Presence of State's *Highest Official.*

More than 250 members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks attended the initiation ceremony at the lodge room in this city on Monday night. A class of about a dozen joined the order and their reception was of the impressive character for which this organization is justly famous. According to those present the secret work has never been so well exemplified in this city.

Judge Frank E. Reed, deputy grand exalted ruler of Minnesota, was present for the purpose of witnessing this initiation. He stated that Thief River Falls was the seventh lodge he had visited since taking office and that in the presentation of the ritualistic work as well as the appointments surrounding the ceremony he considered Thief River Falls as standing at the head of the list, so far as his observations have extended.

Judge Reed delivered an inspiring address at the opening of the lodge to which the candidates, who had not at that hour been initiated, were permitted to listen. He gave a short history of the organization from the time of its institution and explained the principles for which it stands. He told how for many years the order had functioned chiefly as a social organization and how it has since broadened out until at the present time its principal purposes are the relief of distress of whatsoever nature, either in collaboration with other organizations or on its own hook; the upbuilding of the communities in which the lodges are situated, and above all the inculcating of a better understanding of the advantages and responsibilities of American citizenship. It is the one purely American order, said the speaker, and as such has a work to perform differing in many respects from that of other lodges. The speaker said that the goal of one million members by the first of next July, set by the grand lodge officers, would be attained, there being now more than 800,000 men entitled to wear the antlers. He complimented the officers and members of No. 1308 on the splendid progress made in the past and urged that the good work be continued.

Harry E. Ives, the first exalted ruler of the lodge in this city, who is now a resident of Brainerd, briefly stated his pleasure at being able to be present on such an occasion. Little did anyone think when the first meeting was held in 1913, he said, that there would today be a lodge with nearly 600 members in Thief River Falls, with a membership extending from the south boundary of Mahnomen county to the Canadian line. He was proud, said Mr. Ives, to be counted as a member of such an energetic body of men, representative of the highest citizenship in the community.

Other speakers were Frank E. Johnson of Mahnomen, and W. L. Peterson of Lancaster, who spoke for the members from out of town, expressing their pleasure at being present and hearing the inspiring talk delivered by the chief officer of the lodge in the state.

At the close of the meeting an appropriate, substantial and wholly satisfying lunch was served under the direction of Julien Provencher of the Hotel Evelyn. The evening was voted by all one of the most enjoyable in the history of the lodge.

Warroad and Thief River High School Game Friday

The Thief River Falls high school basketball team will meet Warroad in a game at the auditorium here on Friday evening. The locals have won four games and lost four, while the Warroad bunch has won three and lost two. The teams are evidently quite evenly matched and the game should be a good one.

The Delinquent Tax List.

The Times is this week printing the delinquent tax list for Pennington county. The number of descriptions is about one-third greater than last year, showing the effects of the general business depression. The increase is about evenly divided between the city and farming sections, proving that the shortage of cash is as keenly felt in one place as another.

DID NOT FORGE FARRELL NAME, GUMMER CLAIMS

Man Accused of Murder of Marie Wick Maintains Innocence on Witness Stand.

Testifies He Did Not See Her From Time She Retired Until Discovery of Body.

Case Nears Close and Expected to Be in Hands of Jury Late This Afternoon.

William Gummer, charged with the murder of Marie Wick of Grygla, at the Prescott hotel in Fargo on June 7 last, testified on Wednesday that he had not seen Miss Wick after her retirement to her room about 11 p. m., June 6, until he found her body the next morning.

Gummer was called to testify in his own defense as the presentation of evidence neared a close. He sketched briefly his life, saying he was 23 years old and that he had been employed as a clerk in the Prescott hotel on one occasion prior to the time of his employment when Miss Wick was killed.

Tells of Mystery Guest.

Gummer testified a guest registered in the hotel about 2 a. m. under the name of "James Farrell," and that he, Gummer, did not place that name on the register, nor did Andy Brown, his roommate.

The state has contended that there was not, in fact, a guest by the name of "Farrell" in the hotel the night of the murder, but that such guest was created to divert suspicion from Gummer.

Gummer appeared thoroughly self-possessed while on the stand. He was somewhat paler than usual, but answered questions asked of him by his counsel very deliberately and in a low voice.

Gummer made no direct denial of the various statements he has been quoted as making to officials, except to indicate that some of the statements credited to him were in fact statements that officials had made to him and that he had only agreed with them, particularly as relates to what he said the officials told him Brown had stated.

Denies Making Advances.

During the conversation with Brown in the hotel lobby the night of the murder, Gummer said Miss Wick was not discussed, except that he, Gummer, told him "a good looking girl" had registered in, this statement being made while he was giving Brown a list of all the guests who had checked in.

Officials have testified concerning a lengthy conversation with Brown concerning the girl who was murdered.

Gummer also denied he made improper advances to Miss Wick when he talked to her over the telephone about 11:15 p. m. after she had gone to her room in which she was found murdered the next morning.

Andy Brown, the roommate of Gummer, was a witness late yesterday.

Brown gave his version of his movements the night of the murder of Marie Wick, the girl being slain in room 30 of the Prescott hotel in Fargo on June 7 last.

Chum Denies Registering.

Brown declared he did not write the name of "James Farrell, Willmar," that appears on the hotel register, the night of the crime, and which the state has maintained was placed there by Brown.

Brown denied that on the occasion of a meeting he had in the county jail with Gummer that he told Gummer to stand pat, and that Gummer told him to stand pat. The witness said he went to his home about 1:15 a. m. on June 7 and remained there until 7 a. m., that he was in no other part of the Prescott hotel the night of the murder than in the lobby, and that he was not out of his room after going there, following his visit to the hotel.

Brown denied he had come into the back door of his rooming house at 6:30 a. m. the day following the murder, or that he had gone to a telephone then and called somebody, asking if everything was all right.

Statements that officials have quoted Gummer as making concerning conversations with Brown in the lobby of the Prescott hotel between 12 and 1 a. m., the night of the murder, were denied. He said that if Gummer told the officials such statements had been made, then Gummer lied. He denied telling another prisoner to tell Gummer not to "squawk," till the last minute, "and not let anybody hear you when you tell them."

It was expected that Gummer would finish his testimony late yesterday afternoon and the state at once call its witnesses in rebuttal. State's Attorney Green stated that while there would be a number of witnesses called, their examination would be short. The pleas of the attorneys will probably take up the greater part of Thursday with prospects of the case reaching the jury some time this afternoon.

C. M. Carlson returned last evening from Minneapolis, where he had been attending a convention of the building contractors of the state.

Society

Valentine Party.

A group of twenty-eight ladies were guests of Mrs. W. L. Hall and Mrs. E. L. Rolland at a valentine party given at the home of the latter Friday afternoon. The rooms were adorned with strings of red hearts hung from opposite corners of the room to the chandeliers. During the luncheon hour the guests were placed in groups of four at seven tables, each centered with a crystal candle holder supporting burning tapers with red shades. Place cards, mint baskets and luncheon appointments were suggestive of St. Valentine's day. The favors were little heart-shaped valentines. The guests included Mrs. C. R. Crandall, Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite, Mrs. C. A. Nason, Mrs. L. M. Rayson, Mrs. John Rolland, Mrs. H. L. Ebbighausen, Mrs. M. H. Dahl, Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. C. E. Glines, Mrs. C. H. Jung, Mrs. C. M. Carlson, Mrs. Fred Johnson, Mrs. O. F. Halldin, Mrs. Olaf Storholm, Mrs. Christ Storholm, Mrs. E. B. Bakke, Mrs. I. A. Larson, Mrs. John Skog, Mrs. Henry Eide, Mrs. C. S. Simonson, Mrs. J. Holmes, Mrs. A. Bredeson, Mrs. J. H. Hermanson, Miss Josephine Nelson, Mrs. E. D. Traver, Mrs. C. O. Erickson, Miss Inez Johnson, and Miss Mabel Larson of Cooperstown, N. D.

Honoring Mrs. Sapero.

Last evening Mrs. E. J. Richards, Mrs. Thyra Snyder and Mrs. Anna Dock were hostesses at a farewell surprise party in honor of Mrs. A. S. Sapero, who will leave next week for Chisholm to make her home. About twenty ladies were entertained at the home of Mrs. Sapero. During the evening various amusements were indulged in, a feature of which was fortune telling by Miss Christine Clausen. The party was concluded by the serving of a two-course luncheon. The guests were Mrs. R. H. Ross, Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, Mrs. John Ward, Mrs. F. H. Herrick, Mrs. L. F. Fisher, Mrs. E. O. Mogensen, Mrs. F. C. Niclai, Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. C. Storholm, Mrs. Willis Kistler, Mrs. C. T. Christianson, Mrs. L. A. Hermanson, Mrs. H. E. Froseth, Mrs. Esta Barton, Miss Christine Clausen, and Mrs. H. F. Booren of Plummer.

Engagement Announced.

Local friends will be interested in knowing of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Julena M. Peterson of Chicago, formerly of Hazel, to Earnest Nelson of Los Angeles. The following item was taken from the Los Angeles Express: "The engagement of Miss Julena M. Peterson of Chicago to Earnest Nelson of this city was announced at a dinner given in their honor at the Paulais Hotel, Tuesday evening, Jan. 21. The wedding will take place in the early part of the summer. Mr. Nelson is a promising young business man of Los Angeles. Miss Peterson has already become very popular among the younger set in this city. Both are well known socially."

Miss Hermanson Entertains.

Miss Belle Hermanson entertained a number of friends at a valentine party at her home Thursday evening. Mrs. A. S. Sapero won first prize in the art contest. The remainder of the evening was devoted to progressive whist played at three tables. Mrs. L. A. Hermanson won high score. Red hearts and cupids featured the decorative scheme. The guests were Mrs. Henry Granum, Mrs. Esta Barton, Mrs. Willis Kistler, Mrs. A. S. Sapero, Mrs. Anna Dock, Mrs. Thyra Snyder, Mrs. Gus Crown, Mrs. Ole Granum and Miss Effie Christianson.

Obert-Smith.

Friends in this city have received announcements of the marriage of H. W. Smith to Miss Olive Obert at Hillsboro, Wis., Jan. 28. Mr. Smith is a brother of Thos. H. Smith of Mavie and was at one time editor of the Goodridge Banner. He is at present employed on the Sentry Enterprise at Hillsboro.

Valentine Social.

A valentine social and masquerade dance given by the Lady Maccabees Monday evening was largely attended, approximately 125 ladies being present. The hall had been attractively decorated with valentine motifs. During the evening several ladies presided at a stand where candy and beverages were cold. Many interesting and varied costumes were in evidence. First prize was awarded to Miss Emma Pawling, who was dressed in a costume representing St. Valentine. Mrs. Chris Larson, dressed as an old lame man, took the booby prize. Refreshments were served at 12 o'clock.

Surprise Party.

On Saturday evening at 8 o'clock a group of friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Webskowski gathered at their home to help the former celebrate the anniversary of his birth. The evening was devoted to cards, music and dancing. At midnight a lunch was served by the guests. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prugh, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. A. Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Votava, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stromberg, G. H. Jones, Chas. Newton and Alfred Newton.

Bridge Club Entertained.

The Tuesday Night Bridge club was entertained this week by Dr. M. G. Milan. Dinner at the Evelyn hotel preceded a sleighride to the apartments of Dr. Milan at Oakland Park sanatorium, where bridge was enjoyed the remainder of the evening. T. L. Melgaard won high score for the gentlemen, while Mrs. Nels Christianson was awarded the prize on the ladies' side. Nels Christianson received low count. At midnight Misses Knutson and Stradtmann assisted the host in serving a delicious lunch.

Anniversary Surprise.

Miss Ethel Pechi, whose 20th birthday anniversary occurred on Thursday, was honor guest at a surprise party given by several girl friends at her home that evening. As a memento of the event Miss Pechi was presented with a camera. Music and games were the evening's entertainment. Those present were Misses Marie and Kathryn Thill, Madeline Thill, Olga Skaar, Sophie Johnson, Edla Norquist, Olga Knudseth, Gertrude Conklin and Beatrice Dibble.

Hanson-Olen.

The marriage of Oscar E. Hanson of Highlanding and Othelia C. Olen of Benson occurred Thursday afternoon, Feb. 9, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage. The officiating minister was Rev. T. E. Sweger. They will make their home on the groom's farm near Highlanding.

Royal Neighbors Entertain.

The meeting of the Royal Neighbor lodge held last evening opened with a short lodge session. This was followed by a banquet. At the announcement of refreshments a march was played by Mrs. L. G. Lane, during which time guests found their places at a U-shaped table which was attractively decorated with red hearts and artificial flowers. Later a very fine program arranged by Mrs. L. W. Manther was given. A large crowd was present.

Mrs. White Honor Guest.

Mrs. D. F. White was honor guest at a surprise party given Monday afternoon at her home, when twenty ladies gathered for an informal session of whist. Five tables were in play and head prize was received by Mrs. Kielty and Mrs. Whiting received low score.

Entertains at Luncheon.

Dr. Elizabeth A. Roten of Minneapolis was honor guest at a one o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. G. C. Streeter at her home on Monday.

Card Party.

The card party given by the young men of St. Bernard's church in the church basement last Thursday evening was largely attended. Valentine tally cards were used in keeping the score. During the evening refreshments were served.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The local W. C. T. U. met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., with a large attendance. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Andrew Craik and Mrs. Geo. L. Biddick during the social hour which followed the regular business session.

Shadow Social.

A large crowd was present at the shadow social given by the Daughters of Norway at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening. Various amusements made up the program for the evening.

Goldie Gunderson, Harold Anderson Spelling Champs

The elementary school spelling contest for Pennington county took place at the court room in this city last Wednesday afternoon, with the following sections represented: Numedal township, Miss Ruth Bergquist, district 127; Wylie, Harold Anderson, district 2; Hazel, Goldie Gunderson, district 154; Thief River Falls, Edel Jordo, district 29; Silverton, Alpha Gausen, district 42; Kratka, Ruth Omdahl, district 35; Goodridge, Arnold Aaker, district 57; Errie, Annie Rindahl, district 65; Rudell, Halvor Sannes, district 9; Wyandotte, Marie Peterson, district 51. The St. Hilaire and Rhoda districts failed to send representatives.

Miss Dora C. Perry of the normal department, who was to have conducted the contest, could not be present and County Superintendent G. M. Gunderson took her place. Miss Cora Hanson and Miss Rose Johnson of *Thief River Falls officiated as judges.* They reported Goldie Gunderson of district 154 the champion speller in the county, with Harold Anderson of district No. 1 in second place. These pupils represented the county at the farm crops show in Crookston on Feb. 10. The contest consisted of 100 written words, 50 oral words, a dictation exercise of 15 words and a spell-down.

According to the judges, individual papers ranged 79 to 88 per cent, which goes to prove that the contestants were well trained in spelling difficult words as many of these were selected from lists containing the demons of the American language.

SUPERIOR DEFEATED BY CROOKSTON IN LOOSELY PLAYED GAME MONDAY

The Superior Legion basketball team is not doing well out here in the dairy district. Defeated by Thief River Falls in two games last week, the Badgers went to Crookston and had the dose repeated on Monday night. The score was 46 to 35. The figures will give the fans something of a line of what may be expected in the game between Thief River Falls and Crookston here this evening. The locals defeated Superior in two games, the score in the first being 44 to 26 and in the second 61 to 14.

Minister Masquerades as Devil; Now in Hospital

The devil is lying critically ill at a hospital in Hutchinson, this state, shot through the abdomen by a 14-year-old boy. His satanic majesty lately received more than the usual amount of notice by reason of his appearing in person at dances of a questionable character in the vicinity of Hutchinson. Owners of dancing pavilions and their patrons offered a reward of $5,000 for anyone who would shoot the devil and thus put a stop to his visits. A boy took the dare and shot the visitor from the nether regions on his next appearance. It was found to be a man dressed up to represent the devil, his costume being a wonderful affair, equipped with electric batteries to give the effect of fire. His usual mode of gaining entrance was through the cupola and he spread terror wherever he appeared. The man who took this method of discouraging the dances, which have gained a bad reputation in the neighborhood, is said to be a Methodist minister.

New Woodmen Secretary.

At the regular meeting of the Woodmen of the World, held last Friday evening, E. A. Saltau was elected clerk for the remainder of the year. Those wishing to pay their dues hereafter will find Mr. Saltau at 118 LaBree avenue north, next door to The Times office. All members are urged to give this matter prompt attention to avoid lapse of policy. There is a good deal of interest being shown in the work of the lodge in this city and it is enjoying a steady growth.

Notice to the Public.

This is to notify all concerned that on and after this date I will not be responsible for bills contracted by Mrs. W. E. Baker.

Dated Feb. 16, 1922.

W. E. BAKER.

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church.
George Larson, Pastor.

The Fosston district of the Lutheran Free church will hold meetings in Zion church beginning Friday at 10:30 a. m. and lasting over Sunday. Saturday forenoon and afternoon in Goodridge. Ministers from the Thief River Falls district will also be present. Come and take in these meetings. The Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained Thursday, Feb. 23, by Mrs. Iver Vistven. The Zion Young Peoples Society will be entertained the same evening by Inga and Borghild Iverson.

Trinity Lutheran Church.
T. E. Sweger, Pastor

Ladies' Aid Feb. 16 (today.) Mesdames Bernhard Knudsen, W. Sponheim, Jens Clauson and Carl Christofferson entertain. Social meeting of the Young Peoples Society this evening. Ye Old Tyme games will be played. A good time assured. Everybody welcome. Choir rehearsal at the church this Thursday evening 7:15. Confirmation class Saturday 10 a. m. at the parsonage. Divine services in Norwegian Sunday 11 a. m. Special music. In English 7:45 p. m. Graded Sunday school and Bible class 9:45 a. m. Circuit meeting at the church March 7 to 9.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church
O. J. Lundell, Pastor

Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a. m. No services. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Chas. Gustafson, 705 Knight avenue north. Young Peoples meeting Friday at 8 p. m. The Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Chas. Gustafson and Mrs. Alfred Olson next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 22, at the church parlor. St. Hilaire church: Services at Black River 11 a. m. St Hilaire at 7:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, Feb. 19, "Mind." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Presbyterian Church.

Preaching service at 11 a. m.; sermon by Rev. W. H. Evans of Red Lake Falls. Meeting of congregation immediately following the service for the purpose of selecting a pastor. Junior Endeavor meets at 3 o'clock; Men's Bible class, 6:45; Christian Endeavor, 7:00; preaching at 8. The Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m.

St. John's Lutheran Church.
E. H. Kreidt, Pastor

German services, Sunday morning 10:30. Sunday school 11:30. English services Sunday evening 7:45.

Ev. Luth. Augustana Church
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services Sunday in American 10:30 a. m.; in Swedish 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10:45 a. m. Teachers Bible class at 7 p. m.

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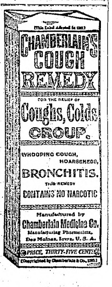

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Three years ago in early fall
A class appeared in Lincoln hall,
A freshman class both green and shy
But freshman weaknesses soon pass by;
And now, in nineteen twenty-two,
The juniors present themselves to you,
A most marvelous class, as all admit,
Noted for brilliance and wit.
Our president, Craig, we're proud to present,
And James Votava, the vice president.
Allison Stitt of our wealth has control;
And Nella Knutson calls the class roll.
As to what we do, who could question at all,
With a picnic, a play, Junior Progress and all?
We're a wonderful class; we cannot be beat.
If anyone doubts us, let him read this week's sheet.

Rowing, Not Drifting.

A clean motto, as applied to the class as a unit only does not mean much, as the class has no common thought. Of course the motto can, and should, influence the policy of class officers, who direct its various activities. But we can also apply our motto to ourselves. How many students are there not who drift aimlessly through school? They go through high school, and often through the sea of life, without even attempting to reach a port. They are drifters. They may lead an enjoyable carefree life, but society would be as well off if they had never been born.

Contrast the usefulness to society of these with that of the rowers. The latter may not be exceptionally strong oarsmen, but they set out to reach a certain destination and they do not give up until they get there. When they dock their boats, they can feel that they have accomplished something and the world is a just a little better off than when they started. They have not lived in vain.

Are you a rower or a drifter? You may say that high school encourages drifting rather than rowing. Perhaps it does. But remember that the hero of the big seas is he who braves the storm and fights his way through the wind and waves to the port of his destination.—O. H. '23.

Rowing, Not Drifting.

In analyzing the motto of the junior class, let us first look at drifting. Does this word not seem lazy to you? You usually think of some people caring not whether they get any place or not; just idly drifting down the stream. And so it is in the ocean of life. If you let yourself drift you may gain a little but you will again float farther back and thus change with the current, having no one big aim in life.

But now look at the other outstanding word in our motto. When you think of rowing you usually think of working against a strong current with many billows and waves to pass and go through. In rowing in a lake you always think that the "rower" must be a strong, able-bodied person in order not to drift back. But it is not only thus in rowing in water. It is exactly the same in rowing through life. Everyone in order to be able to succeed must have a very strong will power to be able to stand the knocks of life. But the one who is able to row and pass the billows of life will be all the better for it. For each milestone in life passed means easier rowing and more ability to pass the next until finally you have gained your destination and have become so strong from enduring knocks that you will easily stand the rest of the tide.

From this our motto, "Rowing, not Drifting," you may know which side we, the juniors, take and what we intend to do. We will try our best to do well as a class, to live up to our reputation as the best class in high school and to row bravely against all obstacles, hoping the other classes will follow our example.—P. W. '23.

Oh, How I Hate to Get Up in the Morning.

Me and Jim, we live together That is, we are rooming together in the same room and in the same house. We get along like all boys, having so many tussles and quarrels per day, but we have the worst time in the morning.

You see it's this way. Jim, he's big and fat, and I'm skinny, and, the bed being pushed against the wall, I have to sleep next to the wall. Then, too, we're both bad sleepers and in the morning we usually find the bedding or pillows on the floor.

We both awake about the same time, and you know how dark it is during the winter. Well, neither of us can see the alarm clock which I place on the dresser and we can't reach it because the dresser is too far away from the bed and us. So I says, "Jim, are you awake?" and gives him a poke. He lets out a yell and I says, "Get up and turn the light on and see what time it is."

"Aw, shucks," says Jim. "Get up yourself. I'm going to sleep another ten minutes."

"I won't," says I. "It's easier for you to get out of bed than me and I don't intend to move till you do."

"Well, I wouldn't advise you to wait. You know it takes you longer to dress, having to 'spiff' up and look nice for the girls. If you wait for me you'll probably get left out," says Jim.

What's the use of arguing, thinks I to myself. But oh, how I hate to get up! And then I remember how we forgot to turn the heat on last night, and that the room will be especially cold. And then that cold tub I have to take every morning! Oh, how cold! But what's the use.

So I throws back the covers, and, jumping over Jim, lands on the cold floor, and, grabbing my bathrobe and slippers, runs for the bathroom.—D. L. C. '23.

Gum Chewing.

Horrors! I awoke from my reverie almost with a cry of fear. I had been watching the little freshmen running to and fro from their classes and it brought back to me thoughts of the stories which I had read then. As I started from my seat at that awful crackling snap behind me and turned around, I half expected to see fire and smoke issuing from a dragon's mouth.

What I saw instead of this terrifying spectacle was the boy behind me. He was evidently taking physical training because the muscles of his face worked so rhythmically that I thought only Mr. Stenhoff could have produced such a satisfying result.

I gazed spellbound. His eyebrows and several muscles of which I had never heard were moving mechanically. His eyebrows twitched spasmodically, and at short intervals as his jaws met over that long-suffering gum, I heard a sharp snap, much like a sneeze. Suddenly he stopped chewing and put his hand to his mouth, pressing the gum against his teeth. At the crack that sounded then, I jumped, and to cover my confusion, left the room.—V. B. '23.

Otta's Letter to Steena.

Lincoln High School

Dear Steena:

Vell, today I was on the school agan, notting much hapened except that somebody's alarm clock bells kep ringing and we pased in and out the rooms staeing only a litle while at each place. I winked at a girl this P. M. The girl she wasn't quiet as good looking as you, only she was awfully homely. She began to laff and I feeled funny. I winked agan and the teacher man he went to the girl and he scolded her. Then the kids laffed and the teacher man did too. The alarm clock rang and I went to another room. A boy told me the teacher man's name was Mr. Rapacz and I think the way he keeps strutting up and down the floor and looks at me, specially, is crazy. Last Friday we were told to go out to our singing seats. Vell, I vent and sat down in the first one I ran into. Next a lady with a stick cam in. The lady told us to keep still and pay attention, & listen. The noise quit but I could not hear them seats sing. Last wednesday a preacher man came up on the platform and talked. I think it was foolish that we didn't sing as we usually do in church. Today I righted a ticket for the librario and Mr. Teacher man righter "M. P. R." I sposed that meant "Mamma's poor rag-muffin." The fellas kinda showed me how to do that. When I came back the other teacher wrote "VRW." I guessed it meant "very rude woman." I heard a boy say the first hundred years are the hardest to a girl, but I guess they are so to a boy and I wisht I was a hundred. Ach himmel, there it is time to get up and stretch again, the clock rang.

Most affectshuneat,
OTTA S.

P. S.—The kids hear are so small they reach up to where my belt holds my shirt in.—L. D. '23.

A Junior Election.

In order to give the public the proper conception of the unusual qualities possessed by the Junior class, we have staged an election. The result is given below, the first named being winner among the girls, followed by the name of the boy who came out winner in the same test:

Most popular: Eileen Arneson, Roy Holmgren.

Wittiest: Shirley Anderson, Cleon Bottelson.

Cleverest: Lucile Curtis, Bert Umland.

Best looking: Lucille McGinnity, Guy Oftelie.

Biggest feet: Lorrayne Crandall, Craig Halvorson.

Broadest smile: Evelyn Peterson, Roy Holmgren.

Worst vamp: Ruth Torkelson, Henry Vorlicky.

Most notorious villain: Myrtle Helgeland, Bert Umland.

Most angelic: Elsie Buringrud, Clarence Smith.

Classiest dresser: Twila Glines, Morris Mabey.

Best dancer: Twila Glines, Morris Mabey.

Most brilliant: Lucile Curtis, Ole Helle.

Worst jollier: Inga Oftedahl, Cleon Bottelson.

Most diplomatic: Lydia Dahlen, Russell Anderson.

Silliest: Lorraine Will, Russell Anderson.

Most serious: Esther Larson, Clarence Smith.

Most artistic gum chewer: Myrtle Helgeland, Allison Stitt.

Most bashful: Hilda Engen, Clarence Smith.

Most absent-minded: Lucile Curtis, Cleon Bottelson.

Peppiest: Myrtle Helgeland, Stephen Arneson.

H. S. Loses Two Games.

McIntosh 21, Thief River Falls 19.
Fosston 25, Thief River Falls 17.

On a strenuous two-day basketball trip the local high school team dropped two games to the fast quints of Fosston and McIntosh. The boys were greatly handicapped playing on small floors and feel confident that they could beat either team on a larger floor. Both games were hard-fought throughout, both Fosston and McIntosh playing in top form to win. The Fosston game was marred by poor refereeing, fouls being called only on the local team, which broke up their team work and aggressiveness time after time. With a little more equality so far as the calling of fouls is concerned the outcome of the game might have been different.

The McIntosh game was as fast a game as has ever been witnessed on the McIntosh floor and victory came to the home team only after the hardest kind of a fight. But for a technical foul Thief River would have come home with a victory. The officiating on this game was of the highest order and not a word can be said against it. McIntosh has defeated the fast Crookston team on the same floor by a score of 18-9, so comparatively speaking Thief River Falls has a stronger team than Crookston.

Thief River Falls' diminutive forward, Bob McGinn, was incapacitated during the entire trip and his absence from the lineup was keenly felt.

No single Thief River player could be picked out as a star on the trip as each man held up his end creditably. The boys played together and all did their parts as one.

The Sophomore Party.

On Friday evening the sophomores were hosts at a joyous party in the gymnasium of the high school. The stormy weather which kept so many people away had no effect on the cheer that reigned within.

A lively grand march, in which everybody was required to join, broke all restraint and prepared the guests for the games which followed. Dignified faculty members attempted to balance peanuts on slippery knives, and tried to whistle after having eaten numerous crackers, while lively sophomores discovered who could blow up paper bags most quickly and with the noisiest result. And then the whole assembly was divided into two opposing factions, each person representing a letter of the alphabet. As words were called, each "letter" in the word dashed to the front, amid wild excitement, and the winning side cheered lustily.

The guests' memory was tested by a very clever series of nursery rhyme tableaux, including Jack Horner, the Queen of Hearts, Little Polly Flinders, Cinderella, Curly Locks, and King Cole.

One of the most important events, of course, was the lunch, which proved to surpass expectations.

From beginning to end the party was an unqualified success, and Miss Leavitt and her sophomores are to be congratulated upon their industry and cleverness.

Junior Class 10 Years Hence.

Craig H.—President of the United States.
Herbert J.—Notorious lawyer.
Luicile C.—College Latin instructor.
Lorrayne C.—Member of congress.
Ruth K.—Selling freckle cream.
Henry V.—A bachelor.
Eileen A.—Member of Barzen family.
Bert U.—Famous inventor.
Kermit—Dance instructor.
Pearl W.—Accomplished pianist.
Sophie S.—Country school teacher.
Lydia D.—A social worker.
Ruth T.—Still a vamp.
Esther L.—A famous poetess.
Myrtle S.—Girls' basketball coach.
Myrtle H.—A school teacher.
Ole H.—Professor at University of Minnesota.
Twila G.—Hair dresser in a beauty parlor.
Conrad H.—A celebrated farmer.
Lucille Mc—An art model.
Myrtle W.—Speaker on "How to Reduce."
Shirley A.—Geometry teacher.
Cleon B.—Traveling agent for women's stockings.
Clara O.—Nurse instructor.
Constance N.—A busy housewife.
Lorraine W.—A famous violinist.
Adlynn La.—A movie actress.
Roy H.—A moonshiner.
Inga O.—In ten years she'll be twenty-eight.

Favorite Flowers.

Miss Soule—Custard Apple.
Miss Webster—Black-Eyed Susan.
Miss Stebbins—Violet.
Miss Gormley—Shamrock.
Mr. Harner—Grandpa Whiskers.
Miss Leavitt—Sweet William.
Mr. Stenhoff—Mistletoe.
Mr. Rapacz—Jack-in-the-Pulpit.
Mr. Jardine—Spruce.
Mrs. Korstad—Honeysuckle.
Miss M. Johnson—Marigold.
Mr. Pope—Pasque Flower.
Miss Heilman—Primrose.
Mr. Powley—Bachelor Button.
Miss Stavig—Candytuft.
Miss Chamberlain—Mignonette.
Mrs. Dahl—Golden-Glow.

Craig Et Al.

We've a junior president named Craig
Who's occasionally known to plague
Anyone who's embarrassed
Or easily harassed;
But anyway, he's quite the rage.

And then there is Allison Stitt,
Who's really rather a wit.
He travels in style
Every once in a while,
And invariably makes a great hit.

There was a young lady named Pearl
Who sported a cute little curl,
If a pianist you seek
Any day, ask this Weeks.
She's a clever one, I'll tell the world.

There was a young lad named Stephen
Who never would listen to reason.
He went without earlaps
And froze up his earflaps,
Because he misjudged the season.

Of course you know our Eileen,
I'll say she's a regular queen.
She's stately and tall,
And ever since Fall
Of Math she's a student most keen.

A dramatic star, Lorrayne C.,
Played opposite Cleon B.
The play worked its spell,
And I have heard tell
That a Romeo still he would be.

"Limericks."

O-o-o-Olive,
Darlin Olive,
You're the only girl that
Allison adores.
When the moon shines
Over the Library,
He'll be waiting with his wheelbarrow,
At the doors.

A faculty member, how shocking!
Found she had a hole in her stocking.
It made her so mad
That she scolded a lad
Because she thought he was mocking.

A worldly-wise person named Kermit
Was sent to Rapacz for a permit.
Said he "Please write O. K."
But Rapacz said, Nay, nay,
You must write out your lesson and learn it."

On the farm, one bright summer day
Friedolph said while raking the hay,
"I'm a strong, healthy farmer
And no lady charmer,
No more life in the city, I say."

There is a young fellow named Rusty
Whose brain I am sure must be dusty
For he often acts queer
Tho' the girls think he's dear,
And now he is growing a "mouchtee."

Lloyd Alnes, arrived in St. Paul,
Thought the place looked "goofy" and small.
So he threw back his head
And painted it red,
And now you'd not know it at all.

Bright Tommie of our freshman class
Winked his eye at a pretty young lass,
Said, "Be mine, Rosy, please!"
But she said, "You're a tease,
Run along, I'll take none of your sass."

A girl of our dear Lincoln High
Often colored her tresses with dye.
But they gave her white paint,
Now she looks like a saint,
A dead one, and that is no lie.

Handsome Milford LaBree of Thief River,
Took his aunt for a ride in a flivver.
But the car took a skid,
Down a steep bank they slid,
And his aunt pulled him out of the river.

On the arm of her chair one sweet night,
Math sat gently, in perfect delight,
When off came the arm;
Math met with no harm,
But they say that the chair was a sight.

Subscribe for The Times and keep posted on all neighborhood news.

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LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.33
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.29
Flax, per bu.	2.34
Barley, per bu.	.38
Oats, per bu.	.27
Rye, per bu.	.87
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.00
Cracked corn, per 100 lb. bags	1.30
Whole corn, 100 lb. bag	1.20
Oil Meal	2.75
Bran and Shorts	1.30
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.10
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.10
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.30
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.39
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08½
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7c
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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One Week in Which to Hustle for Lead

In the Times Salesmanship Campaign

First Period Ends Feb. 22nd

"No thrifty hen quits scratching because the worms are scarce."

Why You Should Hustle NOW!

By hustling "subs" now you can pile up a lead that will make winning a 'cinch' later.

Now to Feb. 22			From Feb. 23 to March 8			From March 9 to Close		
1 Year,	$ 2.00	350 Credits	1 Year,	$ 2.00	225 Credits	1 Year,	$ 2.00	100 Credits
2 Years,	4.00	1,000 Credits	2 Years,	4.00	750 Credits	2 Years,	4.00	400 Credits
3 Years,	6.00	1,500 Credits	3 Years,	6.00	1,000 Credits	3 Years,	6.00	750 Credits
4 Years,	8.00	2,500 Credits	4 Years,	8.00	1,500 Credits	4 Years,	8.00	1,000 Credits
5 Years,	10.00	4,000 Credits	5 Years,	10.00	2,500 Credits	5 Years,	10.00	1,500 Credits

1st Grand Prize

Buick Model 1922 Six—45

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Manager, Salesmanship Campaign,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

You will please enroll the name of________________ in your Salesmanship Campaign. It is understood that this enrollment will entitle the candidate named above to 1,000 "Credits" towards winning the Buick Beauty Six, the Ford Touring Car or the other prizes offered during this campaign.

My name is________________

My address is ________________

Only one enrollment will be credited to each contestant. If more than one person nominate the same person the first enrollment received at the office of the Campaign Manager will be accepted towards winning the $25 offered for nominating the winner of the Buick Beauty Six.

THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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MISSING AN OPPORTUNITY.

It will no doubt come as a surprise to most people living here to learn that as much butterfat is going through the city for points farther south as is being manufactured into butter in Thief River Falls. Over a million and a half pounds were transferred at the stations here and sent to other points last year.

This would not be at all surprising if higher prices were paid for butterfat in other places, but such is not the case. The creamery at Thief River Falls stands near the head of the list when it comes to prices paid and there would besides be a considerable saving in shipping expenses if it were possible to churn the cream in this city.

What, then, is the trouble? It is simply that the capacity of the plant has been reached and no more cream can be handled than is under ordinary conditions being shipped here.

This condition is bad for the city, the cream producer and the creamery. It means that the manufacturing end is not keeping pace with dairying developments and that the producer must look for other outlets for his supply. This is not employing the best means available for encouraging the extension of dairying.

A larger creamery is needed. This fact has been recognized for some time. Figures gathered by dairymen themselves prove that the profit on the butterfat now going through the city would pay for a new plant at the rate of $10,000 every year without in any manner interfering with the income or profits of the present creamery patrons. As a business proposition it would seem as if the stockholders would at once take steps to remedy this situation.

Now creameries are going up all over the state, many of them in this immediate neighborhood. If the Thief River Falls co-operative plant is to retain the position it has gained through years of excellent service it will be necessary to make immediate provision for taking care of all the butterfat that may be offered.

AND STILL THEY COME.

Knud Wefald of Hawley, former representative in the legislature from Clay county, is the latest aspirant to shy his hat into the ring for the congressional nomination in the Ninth district. His particular sponsor is J. B. Thormodson, candidate for congress on the nonpartisan ticket two years ago.

Mr. Thormodson evidently has the thing figured out to his entire satisfaction. He says Steenerson has been in congress long enough; that Sageng is persona non grata with the nonpartisans of the district, and that Mr. Selvig, while admittedly excellent timber, is not sufficiently well known to get very far. This should leave an excellent opening for a dark horse and Thormodson is of the opinion that Wefald is of exactly the right shade.

This last development makes things all the more interesting. Sageng will undoubtedly have the backing of Otter Tail county, and indications are that Selvig will make serious inroads on the Steenerson forces in Polk. Now if Wefald enters the race with Clay solidly at his back there is going to be all kinds of fun. These are the three largest counties in the district and combined will have more than one-half the votes in the delegate convention. With a candidate from each and with none having a very marked advantage there should be some interesting developments. A divided opposition is bound to work to the advantage of Steenerson and as the elements composing this opposition are not such that a fusion of interests is likely, this last move should not prove particularly alarming to the veteran. Should a combination of the forces seeking his overthrow be effected, however, and the opposition unite on either Selvig or Sageng, the outcome would be such as to cause him considerable concern.

FAITH IN THE FUTURE.

The number of prizes carried off by the Pennington county exhibitors at the winter crop show in Crookston is naturally a source of much satisfaction to all our people. It is highly gratifying to know that we have here the best Guernseys, biggest hogs, finest chickens, and wheat of a very superior quality. In all these directions did the exhibits of Pennington county excel, even when placed in competition with products fostered at experimental stations backed by the state university.

It is probable, however, that we should take even a greater pride in the fact that one of our school boys won the essay contest on the subject, "The Future of the Red River Valley." This was read before a gathering of distinguished men, including a number of state officials, and was by all regarded as a remarkable expression, considering the age and experience of the writer.

In order to visualize in any manner the future it is necessary that one study the past and have also a clear understanding of present conditions. Confidence, enthusiasm and vision are elements essential to the production of an article such as that which received the commendation of the judges at Crookston. If boys are being turned out of our schools with these essentials ingrained in their mental makeup we need have no fear for the future of the section.

Conditions in the Valley will change only as fast as the viewpoint of the men and women constituting its citizenship changes. If we turn out of our schools boys and girls who are satisfied to do the best they can with what they find at hand, there will be no progress. On the contrary, if these have been taught to look forward to better things and given a grounding in the best methods of bringing about the needed improvements, no section of the country will move forward at a faster pace.

This prize-winning essay indicates that the youth of the land is giving some thought to serious matters, and just at present this is of even greater importance to our future progress than the raising of prize pigs and premium wheat.

CASHIER PRAISES BUSINESS SCHOOL

A Fargo (N. D.) citizen, visiting the Peoples Bank of Kansas City, was surprised to get the "glad hand" from P. D. Hodge, its cashier. "I got my start in your city," explained Hodge, "and if I were back on the farm tomorrow, I'd do just as I did 10 years ago—go straight to Dakota Business College. There is no school in the country that surpasses it." Consider: Hodge is only one of 226 Dakota-trained men who became bank officers.

"Follow the Succesful." Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

CAN ALL WORK TOGETHER.

(Crookston Times.)

The Thief River Falls Times in an editorial comment on the recent basketball game participated in between Thief River Falls and Crookston commends the good feeling that had been re-established between the two communities. Anything that benefits Crookston must in some degree benefit Thief River Falls and the entire northwestern corner of the state, and vice versa. The Times states and suggests a spirit of co-operation and fellowship rather than one of antagonism. That's the right kind of talk and Crookston's hand is out, you bet.

You Mean Waterloo.

Minneapolis Journal: Wrinkled Meat was an old man when General Grant accepted Lord Cornwallis' sword at the Battle of Hastings.

Public Forum

Prefers New Party.

My dear Editor:

Will you kindly permit me to occupy a little of the valuable space of your valuable paper for a word of suggestion to the people of this part of the state who are members of the Nonpartisan League. In a short while we shall in all probability again be having our precinct meetings, county conventions and state conventions. Important questions in regard to the League's position in the coming campaign will no doubt come up at the state convention. I would suggest that the Leaguers and their friends talk matters over carefully at home, and let your delegates know what you think should be done. Put your ideas into the form of a resolution and send to state headquarters. Also write in as individuals and let them know what you think ought to be done, and instruct your delegates.

In the first place, should the League continue to put up its own candidates, or should it simply wait until those who want the office have all filed and then endorse the best one of the candidates? This is Mr. Townley's idea with his "balance of power" plan. The question is simply whether we shall endorse the best man of the candidates of the other parties, or if we shall continue to put up our own candidates as we have been doing in the past. Talk this over and let your delegates know what you think about it, and also write in to the state office.

Another question to come before the Leaguers this year will be this: Shall the League quit all the old parties and start a new progressive party of its own? Many of the members think it would be best to start a new progressive party of our own and keep out of the Republican and other parties entirely. Personally I think we should either start a new party of our own, or else adopt the Farmer-Labor party. My idea is that we need a new progressive party that will carry out the ideas of the League program, as well as other progressive legislation. We would be much stronger in that way. We have been weak in the past because we have had no party of our own. But of course to be a success the new party will have to be established right. It will have to be such that it can take in the progressives of all the old parties. Can we hope to get the progressives of the other parties with us if we start a new party, or come out as the Farmer-Labor party? If we cannot unite all, we of course had better stay in our old party. We have too many small parties as it now is.

To my mind we have a fine prospect if we come out as a new progressive party. It seems to be the best and only logical way. But the question now is: What do the members of the League as a whole think should be done? It is really up to you to decide this matter, for it will be your work that will have to carry the campaign. Discuss these matters carefully among yourselves, as well as in your meetings and conventions. Let your delegates know what you think about it. Write to state headquarters and tell them how you feel. These are important questions and it is up to the members of the organization to find the right solution.

Yours very truly,
H. O. BERVE.

Germantown, Minn.

BONUS FOR SOLDIERS BY RAISING TAXES OPPOSED BY PRESIDENT HARDING

President Harding is unalterably opposed to enactment of the special taxes suggested to finance the soldier bonus or to return to taxes which have been repealed, it was stated officially Monday at the White House.

It was also indicated that the executive was very much in doubt if it would be possible to raise the required sum to finance the cash feature of the bonus under an issue of bonds without an appreciable advance in interest rates and destroying the financial tranquility which is sought.

The president, it was said, was disposed to be favorable to bonus but his attitude had to be that of finding sane and sensible conditions for the fulfilment of the promises made on one hand without disturbing the desired return to financial stability.

Jazzing the West.

Norman E. Dybvik is at present touring the West at the head of a musical organization known as Norman's Midwest Syncopators. Writing to friends in this city from Eugene, Oregon, the young man says the troupe is "going fine," having played in such cities as Portland and Seattle. They intend touring the entire Pacific coast.

WYANDOTTE

Oscar Hanson returned home last week from Thief River Falls, where he spent a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Gerhard and Morris Wilson have been on the sick list for a few days.

Miss Dorothy Evenson returned on Wednesday from Thief River Falls, where she had been employed for some time.

Mrs. K. Thorvilson and Miss Louise Shefveland visited at the Theo. Halverson place Thursday after school.

Mrs. E. Evenson and daughter, Dorothy, spent Thursday afternoon at Isaac Wilson's place.

Miss Louise Shefveland left Friday for her home at Newfolden for a short visit with her folks.

Willie Wilson of Norquay, Sask., Canada, is here visiting relatives for a few days enroute to Warren to receive medical treatment.

O. E. Wilson called at K. Thorvilson's Sunday.

Louis Evenson made a flying trip to Hazel Friday evening.

Theresia Hoffman visited her home folks Sunday.

John Jorgenson called at Gust Wilson's Sunday evening.

Gust Yager and Joe Kiem were pleasant callers at the Hoffman home Sunday.

A party of young folks gathered at the Ed. Evenson home Sunday evening. The hours were spent in music and dancing and a good time is reported.

Sarah Evenson, who has been employed at Isaac Wilson's for a short time, has returned home.

Gust Wilson made a business trip to Hazel Tuesday.

Isaac Wilson was in Plummer on Monday attending to business matter.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hillyer and children spent Friday here visiting with relatives.

Ruth Wold is expected home the early part of this week from Langdon, N. D., where she has been employed. She will make an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Wold.

Several of his neighbors surprised Edwin Storm on Sunday and presented him with a gift in appreciation of his work in behalf of the church and young people's society.

Little Palma Hornseth was absent from school on Monday on account of illness.

Maurice Martinson called at the A. G. Loftness home Sunday.

A parcel social was held at the South school house Saturday evening. A home talent play was given, each member of the cast bringing out his or her part very well. Some characters, especially the colored servant, "Jumbo," provoked much mirth and laughter. After the play parcels were sold, lunch partaken of and games played. All of the large crowd attending report an enjoyable time. Last but not least, a considerable sum of money was realized from the parcel sale, which goes to defray expenses for the Christmas social and various articles for the school.

Mrs. Ole Ahlstrom, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Ingward Peterson reported seeing a wolf one day last week but was not fortunate enough to get him.

Miss Grace Russell was visiting with her sister, Miss Gladys, at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Nels Sordahl and son, Arne, called at the John Skomedal home Sunday.

Carl and Arthur Guttrue, Ivend Ose and Ingvard Pederson were making it exciting in this neighborhood last Friday when they were chasing a wolf.

Mr. Swan of Holt bought a bunch of cattle in this locality Monday.

There was an error in the last issue of The Times. The Ladies' Aid will meet with Miss Gunvor Skomedal Feb. 22 instead of Feb. 23.

ROSEWOOD

Willowdale School Notes.

The first month of this year is already at a close. Those receiving perfect attendance certificates for January are: Edna and Byron Sagmoen, Vera, Albin and Walter Peterson, Parnel and Mentor Hasby, and Ruth Lappegaard. Some of the primary pupils are not attending regularly now owing to cold weather and bad roads. On Friday, Jan. 27, a local spelling contest was held, Delbert Kron receiving first prize and Anna Blomberg second prize. Mr. and Mrs. John Bloom visited school on Friday, Jan. 27. The pupils have of late been busy collecting pictures for a Minnesota Poster. These pictures show industries, scenes, buildings, mills, etc., of Minnesota. The star spellers for January were Vera Peterson, Edna Sagmoen, Delbert and Ray Kron.

Sagmoen's Surprised.

At their home at Anita Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen received a pleasant surprise last Saturday evening when 46 of their friends and neighbors met at their home to show their respect and good will. A beautiful set of parlor rugs was left as a memento of the event. Whist and dancing formed the chief diversions and a fine lunch was served.

Miss Bertha Remmem of Thief River Falls spent Saturday visiting with Mrs. Anton Gullseth.

Delma Dols came home Saturday morning from her school work at Thief River Falls to spend the week-end with her parents.

Albert Alby has secured employment on the Soo line pile driving crew and will start work Monday.

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, Gena Aos and L. L. Furan returned on Friday morning from a shopping visit to Thief River Falls.

Isabel Sagmoen has spent the past week with her brother, Rudolph, at Anita.

Anton Gullseth went to Thief River Falls last Thursday on business.

Rev. George Larson of Thief River Falls spent Tuesday at the Even Anderson home.

Anton P. Wing, a relative of John Remmem, arrived Monday from Devils Lake, N. D., and will be employed at the Bargain store.

Joel Shoberg, Emil Blomberg and Annie Blomberg spent Sunday with the Victor Mosbeck family near Anita.

Miss Viola Axelson came home on Monday from Thief River Falls, being called here by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. James Johnson arrived Monday morning from Thief River Falls to spend the day with her father, J. E. Hellquist.

Mrs. Eva Carlson is ill with pneumonia. A nurse has been summoned and will arrive shortly to have charge of the case.

Adolph Rafteseth went to Grand Forks on Wednesday to take a physical examination.

Gust Opseth, who has lately been employed at carpenter work in town of Numedal, arrived Saturday for a brief visit with his father, A. Opseth, and other relatives.

Swen Swenson and daughter, Geneva, left Friday evening for Thief River Falls to spend a few days with the Brandon and Nyhus people.

Mrs. Willie O. Johnson left Wednesday morning for Alvarado after a brief visit at the Mrs. K. Ranum home.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid was entertained by Mrs. Evan Anderson last Tuesday afternoon, with a large attendance. tendance. The society will next be entertained by Mrs. Axelson on the first Tuesday in March.

Joseph Alby, Alice Thompson and Carrie Nelson drove to Thief River Falls, where the girls spent Sunday with friends and relatives.

James Thompson and Emil Anderson went to Thief River Falls Wednesday to have some dental work attended to.

Mrs. Ena Thompson of Gully is a guest this week of her son, James Thompson, and family.

Mrs. O. H. Ryan and daughter, Lorraine, arrived Tuesday to spend the remainder of the week visiting Mrs. Ryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Thoreson.

Victor Mosbeck spent a couple of days the latter part of the week attending to business at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Hellerud entertained Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson at supper on Tuesday. The remainder of the evening was spent at cards.

Annual Report

OF THE BRAY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF PENNINGTON AND RED LAKE COUNTIES, STATE OF MINNESOTA, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1921.

Organized 9th day of March, 1890.
Commenced business 9th day of June, 1890.

Present President, Ed. A. Aubol, P. O. Address, St. Hilaire, Minn., Route 1.

Present Secretary, John O. Swanson, P. O. Address, Wylie, Minn., Route 1.

Actual cash balance on hand and in bank as shown by statement December 31 of previous year	$ 2,008.83
Income During Year, 1922.	
Cash received as first payment on policies issued during year	$ 2,160.72
Cash received from assessments levied during previous years	1,078.54
Cash received as interest on bank deposits	25.00
Total amount of cash received during the year	3,264.26
Total cash, including balance on hand from previous year	5,273.00
Disbursements During Year 1921.	
Paid losses remaining from previous year	$ 623.00
Paid during the year	2,687.00
Return premiums paid to policy holders	7.50
Paid commission and expenses to agents	465.00
Paid agent for adjusting losses	9.00
Paid directors	21.00
Paid president	51.30
Paid secretary	184.60
Paid treasurer	87.20
Paid vice president salary	12.00
Members board of audit	6.00
Paid postage	14.57
Paid for printing	43.10
Paid office supplies	30.73
Paid attorney's fees	2.00
Paid insurance dept. fees	2.00
Paid livery hire	4.00
Minutes of Natl. Assn. of Insurance companies	5.78
Total amount of disbursements during the year	$ 4,263.98
Actual cash balance on hand at end of year	$ 1,010.11
Total assets other than cash	NONE
Total assets of the company, including balance cash on hand and in bank Dec. 31, 1921	$ 1,010.11
Liabilities Dec. 31, 1921.	
Amt. brought forward	$ 1,010.11
Undisputed losses of this year remaining unpaid at end of year	200.00
Losses remaining unpaid from previous years	200.00
Total liabilities Dec. 31, 1921	$ 400.00
Surplus or excess of assets over liabilities	$ 610.11
Policy Exhibit.	
Policies in force Dec. 31 of previous year, 1,308. Amount of same	$2,973,082.00
Total number of policies, 1,664. Amount of same	$3,583,017.00
Policies expired and ceased to be in force during year, 282. Amount of same	$ 530,078.00
Policies and amount in force at end of year, viz: Dec. Dec. 31, 1921, 1,382. Amount of same	$3,053,039.00
Unpaid losses at end of previous year	825.00
Loss claims incurred during the year	2,887.00
Losses paid during the year	3,312.00
Losses remaining unpaid at end of year (partial)	400.00

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

Ed. A. Aubol, President, and John O. Swanson, Secretary, of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company, being duly sworn, each for himself, deposes and says, that they are the above described officers of said Company, and that on the 31st day of December last, all of the above described assets were the absolute property of the said Company, free and clear from any liens or claims thereon, except as above stated, and that the foregoing statement, with the schedules and explanations herein contained, annexed or referred to, are a full and correct exhibit of all the Assets, Liabilities, Income and Disbursements, and of the conditions and affairs of the said Company on the said thirty-first day of December last, and for the year ending on that day, according to the best of their information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

ED. A. AUBOL, Pres.
JOHN O. SWANSON, Sec.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of January, 1922.

GEO. FRICKER,
Notary Public,
Pennington County, Minn.

My Commission Expires March 27, 1927.

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Notice to Taxpayers

The last day for the payment of personal property taxes is February 28. After that date a penalty of ten per cent will be added to all the taxes not paid.

John Gullingsrud
County Treasurer

STARTING MONDAY

February 13th

Thor Washer Demonstrations

These demonstrations will be given by Mrs. Sexton and Mr. Hickey, factory representatives, who will show you in a practical way the economy and comfort which the THOR washers and ironers bring to every home. Every housewife, and her husband as well, will find these demonstrations very interesting and instructive. These machines cut your laundry expenses in half. They will save the strength of the woman who does her own work. They will give her more leisure and more time to make her home a little pleasanter. Let every wife who possibly can bring her husband with her.

Women's Clubs Invited

It will be an excellent idea for women's clubs to come in a body and make the visit one of their regular programs. It would be the most practical and worth while thing they could do.

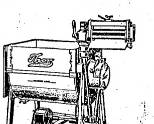

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Water and Light Department

Thief River Falls

City News

Erick Erickson of Holt spent Monday visiting friends here.

Rev. E. H. Kreidt was a visitor at Holt between trains on Monday.

Stuart McLeod of Goodridge was a business caller here on Friday.

L. B. Westphal of St. Hilaire spent Monday in the city on business.

Elmer Smith of Lancaster called on friends here the first of the week.

V. C. Noper attended the farm crops show at Crookston last week.

Arthur W. Hanson of Gonvick was here the first of the week on business.

Wm. Duvell of Minneapolis is in the city this week on insurance business.

Carl J. Dudley of Minot, N. D., spent the first of the week here with friends.

Lets' go to the Masquerade Ball at the Mavie hall Feb. 18. Everybody welcome. F16

Ed. Abbott of Grygla arrived Monday to attend to business matters for a few days.

Miss Lois Wold spent the week-end visiting her mother, Mrs. Cora Wold, at Grand Forks.

Kerner Nelson of St. Hilaire made a business call in this city between trains on Monday.

Miss Kathryn Thill left Friday afternoon for Crookston to spend the week-end with friends.

Mrs. B. Hanson and daughter, Grace, of Strandquist were over Sunday visitors in the city.

Miss Mary Filipo of Mavie visited Wednesday night with the H. Hjelden family on the East side.

John Spencer of Minneapolis was a business caller here a few days the latter part of last week.

Miss Effie Hamry went to Red Lake Falls the first of the week to attend a valentine party.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Maki of Middle River arrived Tuesday afternoon for a brief visit with friends.

Miss Bertha Remmem left Saturday morning for Rosewood to spend a few days visiting relatives.

Herman Sorenson of Highlanding was in the city the latter part of last week on matters of business.

Miss Clara Ranum returned to Warren Tuesday morning after a brief visit with her parents here.

L. H. Olson of Middle River arrived here Tuesday and spent a short time attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Loken have as their guest this week the latter's mother, Mrs. Owens, of Alexandria.

William Herrick left Tuesday night for Minneapolis, where he expects to enter military training at Fort Snelling.

Mrs. H. F. Booren arrived last evening from Plummer for a brief visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dyrud of Newfolden were in the city a few days the latter part of last week visiting friends.

Miss Ella Gran has accepted a position in the office of Dr. G. W. Booren, commencing her duties on Monday.

Henry Mellby of Grand Forks was a guest of Miss Lois Wold on Monday. He returned to his home in the afternoon.

Olaf Neset returned Friday from Crookston, where he had attended a session of the Red River Valley Winter shows.

Miss Alma Peterson of Crookston arrived Saturday and will be employed in the office of the Thief River Dress club.

Misses Myrtle Krohn and Ruth Knutson will leave this evening for a three days visit with friends in Minneapolis.

Paul Scanlan returned on Monday from the Twin Cities, where he had spent several days visiting friends and relatives.

Tanlac is appetizing, invigorating and strengthening. Try it and be convinced. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. F16

Harry Woolson, well known farmer residing east of this city, was in attendance at the Crookston farm crops show last week.

Mrs. Inga Berg returned to her home at Minneapolis Friday after a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. Johanna Nyhus.

Mrs. H. Ostrom left Tuesday for Rosewood, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. L. Carlson.

Paul and Lars Engelstad returned Saturday morning from Crookston, where they had spent the week at the farm crops show.

Guy Johnson spent last week at Crookston, where he had Guernsey cattle on display at the Red River Valley Winter shows.

Miss Gladys Anderson has resumed her work in the office of her father, Register of Deeds N. J. Anderson, after a week's vacation spent visiting friends and relatives in the Twin Cities.

D. E. Tawney, prominent attorney of Winona, spent Monday in this section on business in connection with his banking interests.

Ebert Conklin returned the latter part of last week from Crookston, where he had spent several days at the farm crops show.

Harold Smithers, student at the University of Minnesota, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smithers.

Alf Krohn, who is employed in one of the big stores at Devils Lake, arrived here the first of the week and will remain for a month.

R. H. Dodd, district superintendant of the Crookston division for the Standard Oil company, was a business caller here Tuesday.

Attorney P. W. Mabey returned on Sunday from the Twin Cities, where he had spent a few days on business and attending the auto show.

Ed. Brevig of the Citizens State bank returned Tuesday evening from Argyle, where he had spent two days as the guest of Norman Holen.

L. T. Olson and Ed. Asmondson left Friday evening for Fort Pierce, Florida, where they will be employed by the Northwestern Drainage company.

Miss Ella Linstad, who had visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Linstad, for several days, returned on Tuesday to Fargo to resume her work.

Mrs. F. E. McKnight and little son left Tuesday afternoon for their new home at Marion, N. D., where Mr. McKnight has purchased a drug store.

If you once give Tanlac an honest trial, you will add your voice to the thousands of others who are praising it. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. F16

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Christianson returned Saturday morning from Minneapolis, where they had spent a week visiting relatives and attending the auto show.

Russel E. Spear, dealer in typewriters, came over from Grand Forks Tuesday to spend a day on business. He left Wednesday morning for Langdon, N. D.

Mrs. A. A. Larson, who had been confined at the Physicians hospital for two weeks following an operation for appendicitis, left that institution the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Gamble have returned from their honeymoon trip in the East and will take up their residence at 721 Main avenue north in the near future.

Roy Halseth left Sunday night for Minneapolis, where he and his father, A. G. Halseth, will open a paint and decorating shop. Mrs. Halseth and two children accompanied him.

Miss Victoria Jasperson of Aberdeen, S. D., arrived the latter part of last week and is visiting at Goodridge with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jensen.

Mrs. O. Hildahl and Mrs. Thomas of Greenbush arrived Thursday and visited friends here until Saturday. They were accompanied to this city by Mr. Hildahl, who went from here to Minneapolis to spend a few days on business.

Carl Sundahl returned Friday from Crookston, where he had taken part in a concert given by a choir of more than 200 voices, members of which are residents of the Red River valley.

Miss Mildred Bottelson expects to leave Saturday night for Minneapolis to spend a short time with friends before leaving for Rochester to become probation nurse at the Mayo clinic.

Miss Belle Hermanson left Saturday night for Minneapolis, where she will spend part of a month's vacation visiting at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hermanson.

Bernard Knudsen returned the latter part of last week from Crookston where he attended the concert given by the singers of the Red River valley, which Dr. P. L. Vistaunet of this place directed.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nease returned the latter part of last week from Crookston, where they had spent a few days visiting relatives and also attending the programs during the farm crops show.

Miss Goldie Gunderson, who won first prize in the spelling contest held here, returned Saturday from Crookston, where she had taken part in the contest held in connection with the farm crops show.

Mrs. Scott Laird and Mrs. Geo. L. Biddick, who had visited friends in the Twin Cities for a week, returned here Saturday morning. The former also visited her father, who is confined in a hospital at Winona.

Tanlac Vegetable Pills are sold on a positive guarantee to give perfect satisfaction. Try them tonight and you will be delighted to find the results you have obtained. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. F16

Mrs. Bert Levins, district president of the W. C. T. U., was in the city the first of the week on business in connection with Red Cross work. While here she was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

Miss Effie Christianson, of Loken's department store, left Saturday afternoon for Greenbush to spend a few days with her sister. Upon her return she will leave for Superior to spend the remainder of her vacation.

H. F. Booren of Plummer was in the city last evening visiting with local friends. He was accompanied by Mrs. Booren and son, Harry, Jr., who remained for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero.

Miss Millie Ostby of Hendrum arrived last week for a two weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Evenson. At the conclusion of her visit here she will continue to points in Montana, where she will remain indefinitely.

Misses Irma and Gustie Johnson returned Monday morning from a spring millinery buying trip to the Twin Cities and Milwaukee. Their selection of a complete line of the latest in hats will prove popular with their customers.

Robert McGinn, Jr., who was taken suddenly ill while on a basket ball tour at Fosston and McIntosh, is in a critical condition from typhoid fever. He is under the constant care of two nurses at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn, 511 Main avenue north.

The strength and sturdiness of our people is being undermined by Constipation—it reduces the value of your food, impoverishes your blood, weakens your whole system. Take HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS for Constipation. You'll get results every time. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. F

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Briggs will leave this evening for Ames, Iowa, where they will take up their residence. Mr. Briggs has been foreman of the Tribune composing room for the past two years. Mr. and Mrs. Briggs have taken an active part in social and civic affairs during their stay in the city and their departure will be generally regretted.

Charles Lieberman returned this morning from a trip to Eastern points. He attended to business matters in New York city and spent a few days visiting with his mother, who resides at Paterson, N. J. Mr. Lieberman says that conditions in the East are rapidly improving, particularly in the manufacturing centers. The period of depression seems to have passed in that section of the country, but that it was more acute while it lasted than was the case farther west.

The Eye Dear.

(Manchester Evening Chronicle.)

Mrs. Bernard B. Woodard had only one eye, and could not see well with the other.

Pull Up the Shade.

(Overheard in a Crookston photograph gallery.)

Photographer: "Is there any particular way in which you wish to be taken?"

Mr. Johnsing: "Yes, sah, if there's no dejection, I'd like to be taken a light cream color."

"Wine of Pepsin" Has Too Much Kick, Court Decides

The conviction of Harry A. Brown of Warren for taking orders for "wine of pepsin" was last week upheld by the supreme court of the state. It is held that the concoction is a disguised sherry wine, contains 22 per cent of alcohol, and a conviction of a person dealing in it is therefore justified under the state prohibition laws.

It is claimed that this wine is sold openly throughout the rural districts of the state and has been responsible for many brawls, some of a very serious nature, at country dance halls. The supreme court holds that the pepsin content is so small as to be of no value.

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Treat Catarrh new way

Head colds, too, yield to the double action of Vicks VapoRub

Apply Vicks up the nostrils. Snuff it well back. Also melt some Vicks in a spoon or tin cup and inhale the vapors. At night repeat and rub on neck. Vapors will be inhaled all night.

Sufferers from chronic catarrh will get welcome relief and better sleep thru this treatment, and persistency will be well rewarded.

Head colds are checked or completely warded off if thus treated at the onset.

Vicks combines in salve form the old, time-tested remedies—Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, Thyme and Oil of Turpentine. It is the most universal treatment today for all cold troubles as well as cuts, bruises and itching skin troubles.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

VICKS VAPORUB

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Heavy Cold? Chest All Clogged Up?

DON'T let it get a start, Dr. King's New Discovery will get right down to work, relieving the tight feeling in the chest, quieting the racking cough, gently stimulating the bowels, thus eliminating the cold poisons. Always reliable. Just good medicine made to ease colds and coughs.

For fifty years a standard remedy. All the family can take it with helpful results. Eases the children's croup. No harmful drugs. Convincing, healing taste that the kiddies like. At all druggists, 60c.

Dr. King's New Discovery For Colds and Coughs

Feel Badly? Bowels [illegible] Haven't any "pep" in [illegible] You're constipated! The [illegible] action of Dr. King's [illegible] old time energy. All [illegible]

PROMPT! [illegible]

Dr. King's

New Arrivals in the Shoe Department

We have already received several numbers of up-to-the-minute in style Pumps and Oxfords, and more coming in. Our latest arrivals are a Patent Grecian One-strap Pump with 16-8 full Louis heel. Same as above in 2-strap with 13-8 Cuban heel. Also several numbers in black and brown Oxfords. Our 1922 motto is:

"Better Shoes for Less Money"

CLOSE OUTS

One lot of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes at $1.98

One lot of Ladies' Pumps, Oxfords and Shoes at $3.95

LOKEN BROS.

NEW BASEMENT BARGAINS

Rick Rack Braid — All sizes, white and colored, 4 yards in piece. Per yard 7c

Steckerie Braid — In all the new colors. Per yard 7c

Loken Brothers

Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Aluminum Lipped Pan — 1 Qt. Special for this week 10c

Galvanic L'dry Soap — The large 9 oz. bar; the biggest and best soap on the market. 11 Bars Galvanic 49c

A Showing of New Spring Fabrics—Basement

DAINTY SHIRTINGS — 36 in. Twenty new beautiful patterns. Plan your spring sewing. Per yard 22c

NEW SPRING GINGHAMS — in all the wanted patterns. 32 in. At this price you can figure your saving. 19c

Just Arrived. PRETTY CHALLIES — 36 in. A basement bargain at this price. Yard 18c

SPRING DRESS POPLIN, 27 in. — So many patterns to choose from and at so low a price. Per yard 25c

SILK MULL — 36 in. A good special for spring sewing. Per yard 59c

98 yds. of White Outing Flannel, at yard 10c

36 in. Black Sateen Linings, only 58 yds., at per yard 15c

9-4 or 81 in. wide Bleached Sheeting, at yard 39c

42 in. Pillow Tubing, bleached, at per yard 35c

36 in. Fancy Ticking, at per yard 25c

15 Pairs Cotton Blankets, each pair 99c

Ready Made Pillow Cases, each 25c

Fancy Wash Cloths, each 5c

Look Over These Bargains—Exceptional Offer

Silk Thread, six 50-yd. spools for only 25c

48 in. Oil Cloth at per yard 25c

Red Cotton Table Cloth, a dollar value at per yard 50c

Cord Elastic, black and white, at two yards for 5c

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, only 59 of them, a snap, at each 5c

Heavy Striped Overall Denim, special per yard 22c

36 in. Curtain Scrims, several patterns to choose from, at per yard 15c

White Windsor Crinkle or Plissia Crepe, a wonder value at per yard 25c

36 in. Cotton Serge, white, black, navy, light, at per yard 39c

36 in. Silk and Cotton Plaids, at per yard 39c

Baby Jiffy Rubber Panties, each 25c

Dress snaps, 1 doz. on card; hooks and eyes, 2 doz. on card; safety pins, 1 doz. on card; toilet pins, 18 on card common pins, 300 in package; powder puffs; hair pins, all to go at THREE FOR 10c

Bargain Corsets. They are regular $3.50, $3 and $2.50 values. Here at choice 98c

Ladies' Good Quality Ribbed and Fleeced Union Suits in all sizes, 36 to 44 at special each 98c

$2.50 Verifine Ribbed Ladies' Union Suits. This is a high grade undergarment at a remarkably low price of per suit $1.25

White Cutie Infants' Hose, wool and cotton mixed, pink and blue toes and heels, special at per pair 25c

A big lot of odds and ends, Children's Cotton Hose, per pair 10c

Ladies' Cotton Hose, per pair 10c

Men's and Women's heavy wool mixed Hose, black and brown, pair 39c

Boys' ex. heavy high qual. Hose, sizes to 11½, a 50c value, pair 29c

A BLANKET SPECIAL

All our $7.00 Blankets priced for a clean-up. You will want one or two of these heavy double blankets at, per pair $4.95

Quilts and Pillow Prices

72x84; a large, soft downy quilt in many patterns, $4.95 and 5.95

A Special Quilt—One lot 15 quilts at 1.95

Feather Pillows—All new material, per pair 2.50 to 2.95

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Delinquent Tax List

For PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

Showing Delinquents on the First Monday in January, 1922.

State of Minnesota }
County of Pennington } ss

DISTRICT COURT,
Fourteenth Judicial District.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, to all persons, companies, or corporations who have or claim any estate, right, title, or interest in, claim to, or lien upon, any of the several parcels of land described in the list hereto attached:

The list of taxes and penalties on real property for the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1922, has been filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of said county, of which that hereto attached is a copy. Therefore you, and each of you, are hereby required to file in the office of said clerk, on or before the twentieth day after the publication of this notice and list, your answer in writing, setting forth any objection or defense you may have to the taxes, or any part thereof, upon any parcel of land described in said list, in, to or on which you have or claim any estate, right, title, interest, claim, or lien, and, in default thereof, judgment will be entered against such parcel of land for the taxes on said list appearing against it, and for all penalties, interest, and costs.

(Seal) ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minn.

List of Real Property for the County of Pennington on which taxes remained delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1922:

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Empire Farms Co., n½ se¼ and se¼ sw¼	2	129.58
L. A. Carlson, sw¼	3	238.01
Same, se¼	3	190.66
Milo G. Drake, Lot 1	5	95.01
Same, n½ ne¼, s½ nw¼ and Lots 2, 3 and 4	5	34.58
Olen H. Martz, se¼	11	107.32
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., se¼	11	363.20
Red Lake Co. Inv. Co., sw¼ sw¼	10	8.80
P. J. Anderson, nw¼	17	40.00
Claus Anderson, sw¼	17	78.00
P. J. Anderson, se¼	17	34.08
Red Lake Co. Inv. Co., nw¼	21	38.08
Phillip W. Lee, w½ se¼, se¼ se¼, exc. 1 acre	23	80.00
L. A. Wellman, ne¼	23	80.06
Weir & McMellan, n½ sw¼, se¼ se¼, exc. ry.	24	50.28

TOWN OF BRAY

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45.)

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
D. D. McCall, sw¼ se¼	1	12.66
A. M. and Bessie McCall, se¼ ne¼ and Lots 1 and 2	1	25.26
Same, [illegible]	1	24.04

TOWNSITE OF MAVIE

DuChamp's Addition

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Maggie M. Randall et al Lot 5	2	15.70

TOWN OF DEER PARK

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
B. H. Costello, sw¼ se¼, se¼ sw¼ and Lots 6, 7 and 10	1	80.37
Halvor Svendson, Lots 3 and 4, Sec. 1, and Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 2	1-2	75.20
Tobias Olson, s½ nw¼, Lots 3 and 4	4	112.04
Ben Szymanski, sw¼	5	151.15
Merch. State Bank of Red Lake Falls, se¼	5	140.72
Lena O. Sande, s½ ne¼, Lots 1 and 2	5	73.96
Signe Ellingson, se¼ nw¼, Lots 3 and 4	6	66.86
Thomas I. Rowe, ne¼ sw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	6	62.10
Christ Nissen, s½ ne¼, Lots 1 and 2	6	85.54
Thomas I. Rowe, Lots 5 and 6	6	37.42
Merch. State Bank of Red Lake Falls, se¼	7	70.90
Knut Olson, e½ nw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	7	70.90
Knut E. Syversrud, se¼ sw¼ Sec. 7 and ne¼ nw¼ Sec. 18	7-18	54.06
Thor A. Dale, Lots 2 and 3	7	35.76
Lenora Lonson, Lot 1	7	18.40
Bertha Swanson, Lot 4, Sec. 7, se¼ nw¼, Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 18	7-18	91.46
Ben Szymanski, se¼ exc. 2 acres	8	140.76
Ole Skreland, nw¼	8	132.21
T. T. Lundeen, ne¼	9	121.68
Halvor A. Myrom, sw¼	10	140.30
Thom J. Olson, ne¼ se¼	12	10.82
Ole G. Olson, nw¼ sw¼	12	21.96
Sam Juveland, sw¼ ne¼ and nw¼ se¼	13	50.66
Same, sw¼ se¼	13	16.23
Heirs of Ole T. Kolstad, se¼	15	90.36
Phillip Heldenman, ne¼	15	110.02
K. E. Syversrud, nw¼	16	117.07

TOWN OF HICKORY

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Thirty-nine (39).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Olof Nelson, nw¼	22	60.07
Thor T. Skomedal, se¼	22	73.66
Silas E. Dahl, n½ se¼ and n½ sw¼	23	51.82
Joseph A. Dahl, nw¼	23	39.07
Same, s½ se¼ and s½ sw¼	23	38.46
John Arntson, n½ ne¼, sw¼ ne¼ and nw¼ se¼	24	68.66
Walter C. Dahl, sw¼ se¼	24	8.00
Bjorn Tvoltback, nw¼ nw¼	24	20.82
Olof H. Aasen, se¼ ne¼, e½ se¼, Sec. 24, ne¼ ne¼, Sec. 25	24-25	52.02
Clara E. Norman, se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼	25	19.53
Arne Josefson, s½ se¼ and nw¼ se¼	25	34.04
S. R. Dahl, w½ nw¼ Sec. 23, and n½ ne¼, Sec. 26	23-26	40.02
Clara E. Dahl, sw¼	25	48.66

TOWN OF NORTH

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), Range Forty-three (43).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
John F. Muir, e½ ne¼	20	129.00
Howe Paige, part of Lot 4	27	83.87
Ole Omundson, part of Lot 4	27	26.81
Aslak Jaranson, part of se¼ nw¼	28	4.87
Ole Omundson, n½ se¼, exc. cemetery and railway	28	153.04
J. B. Conner, s½ exc. 10 acres	[illegible]	444.50
G. K. Haavi, ne¼	30	213.20
G. L. Steenerson, n½ nw¼, Lots 2 and 3	35	236.24
D. P. O'Neill, Lot 7	35	.46
Same, Lot 2	36	4.78

TOWN OF NORTH

Townsite of Fairfield

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

TOWN OF NORDEN

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), Range Forty-four (44).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
McDonald & Odell, s½ se¼ and ne¼ se¼	7	41.77
Edna V. Nelson, w½ sw¼	8	69.00
W. O. Long, nw¼ se¼	7	17.00
Olof Opseth, ne¼ ne¼	15	80.14
Wm. Stough, nw¼	17	139.73
F. F. Haynes, w½ sw¼, se¼ sw¼, Sec. 17, and se¼ ne¼, Sec. 18	17-18	111.05
Citizens Loan & Trust Co., ne¼ sw¼, n½ se¼ and se¼ se¼	17	65.00
Empire Farms Co., e½ sw¼, Lots 3 and 4	18	97.86
R. C. Mathwig, e½ se¼, Sec. 19, and e½ nw¼ Sec. 20	19-20	98.68
Same, sw¼	20	116.81

TOWN OF REINER

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), Range Thirty-nine (39).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Susanna M. Spear, e½ sw¼, Lots 3 and 4	7	72.26
H. G. Knutson, w½ se¼ exc. 5 acres	7	38.28
Peter M. Olson, e½ sw¼ and sw¼ se¼	8	78.45
Gilbert Larsen, se¼ nw¼, sw¼ ne¼ and nw¼ se¼	8	40.76
Carl B. Gilbert, w½ sw¼	9	42.78
Anton Knutson, se¼	10	145.78
J. G. Turnbaugh, sw¼	10	132.04
John Hopp, ne¼ se¼	11	16.20
Herman Simonson, nw¼	12	[illegible]
Henry T. Rye, sw¼ sw¼	13	37.40
Anton J. Osen, w½ nw¼	13	72.03
Erick Swanson, se¼ sw¼	13	34.50
Anton J. Osen, n½ ne¼	14	75.40

TOWN OF STAR

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Thirty-nine (39).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Anton Fort, s½ ne¼, Lots 1 and 2	6	156.00
Joseph V. Hoffman, se¼	6	128.30
Mathilda Esping, se¼ exc. 2 acres	7	55.02
Olof O. Kompelien, nw¼	9	96.16
Ole N. Trontvedt, se¼	9	95.02
E. S. Ramsey et al, sw¼	9	91.80
Kittel O. Vaine, nw¼	10	93.00
Joliet O. Vaine, sw¼	10	91.08
Kittel O. Vaine, se¼	10	86.10
Mary Ramsey, sw¼	12	51.52
Willie H. Farnow, nw¼	11	53.62
Lecak & Jessup, se¼	11	41.74
Mary Holm, s½ nw¼, ne¼ sw¼, Sec. 12, and ne¼ nw¼, Sec. 13	12-13	38.64
Henry Svare, w½ nw¼	13	18.44

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-three (43).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), Range Forty-three (43).

Unplatted Lands.

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Porter's Addition

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Mary Morejau, Lots 17 to 20, inc.	15	46.14

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description— Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Emily Hicks, Lot 5	4	1.42
Theo. Gederman, Lot 6	4	5.26

STATE OF MINNESOTA }
County of Pennington } ss

T. P. Anderson, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the County Auditor of Pennington County, that he has examined the foregoing list and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is a true and correct list of taxes delinquent for the year 1920, upon real estate in said county.

T. P. ANDERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, A. D. 1922.

(Seal) ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA }
County of Pennington } ss

I, T. P. Anderson, County Auditor in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing copy of the list of Real Estate Taxes in said County remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1922, was this day received from the Clerk of the District Court in and for said County and State.

Witness my hand and official seal this 4th day of February, A. D. 1922.

(Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor,
Pennington County, Minn.

NOTE—Parties remitting for the above will please add 25 cents for each item to cover cost of printing and Clerk of Court's fees.

Commissioners' Proceedings

Thief River Falls, Minn., Jan. 30, 1922.

Pursuant to adjournment the County Board for Pennington County met in regular session in the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Oscar J. Peterson. On roll call all members reported present.

The matter of opening bids for sale of $50,000.00 drainage bonds for construction of Judicial Ditch No. 30 of Marshall and Pennington Counties was duly taken up by the County Board. The following bonding companies were present with bids:

Northwestern Trust Company, Minneapolis.

Lane, Piper & Jeffray, Minneapolis.

Wells-Dickey Company, Minneapolis.

The bid of the Northwestern Trust Company for 5½ per cent was the best bid received and the same was accepted by the Board.

Commissioner McGinn offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

Whereas, in pursuance and in full compliance with the provisions of Chapter 230, General Laws, Minnesota, 1905, and the several state acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, such steps have been duly and legally taken that a certain public drainage ditch has been duly located and established, with certain branches and laterals, located partly in the County of Pennington and partly in the County of Marshall, in the State of Minnesota, and known as Judicial Ditch Number 30, Marshall and Pennington Counties, Minnesota, and

Whereas, it has been definitely ascertained and determined in accordance with the provisions of law applicable thereto, that the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing so much of said Judicial Ditch Number 30 as is located within the County of Pennington, Minnesota, or in such relation thereto as to affect lands therein within the terms of said legislative act, will be at least the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), and

Whereas, there is not sufficient money in the treasury of said county of Pennington to defray the expense incurred and to be incurred in so locating, constructing and establishing so much of said Judicial Ditch Number 30, as is located within said County of Pennington, or in such relation thereto as to affect lands therein within the terms of said law,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota, that it is necessary, for the purpose of defraying in part the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing so much of said Judicial Ditch Number 30 as is located within the said County of Pennington, or in such relation thereto as to affect lands therein, to raise at this time the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000), and for that purpose the negotiable coupon bonds of said County of Pennington be issued in the aggregate amount of $50,000, that said bonds shall be fifty (50) in number, numbered from one (1) to fifty (50) inclusive, shall bear date the first day of February, 1922, shall be in the denomination of one thousand dollars ($1,000) each, shall bear interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of August and February in each year, and that both principal and interest shall be payable in gold coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness, at the First National Bank in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota.

That said bonds shall mature as to principal as follows:

Bonds numbered 1, 2 and 3 on February 1, 1927, three bonds in the order of their numbers, lowest numbers first, on February 1st in each of the years 1928 to 1940 inclusive, bonds numbered 42 to 46 inclusive on February 1, 1941, and bonds numbered 47 to 50 inclusive on February 1, 1942.

Resolved Further, that said bonds and the interest coupons thereto attached shall be in substantially the following form with the necessary variations as to numbers and maturities, which said form is hereby approved and adopted:

No.......... $1000.00

United States of America
State of Minnesota
County of Pennington
Public Drainage Ditch Bond.

Know All Men by These Presents, That Pennington County, in the State of Minnesota, acknowledges itself indebted, and, for value received, hereby promises to pay to bearer

One Thousand Dollars

($1,000) in Gold Coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness, on the first day of February, 19..., with interest thereon from the date hereof until paid at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of August and February in each year upon presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons as they severally become due, both principal and interest being payable at the First National Bank in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota.

This Bond is issued by said County of Pennington for the purpose of defraying, and is for an amount necessary to defray in part the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing so much of a certain public drainage ditch, known as Judicial Ditch Number 30, Marshall and Pennington Counties, Minnesota, as is located in said Pennington County, or in such relation thereto as to affect lands therein, and is issued by authority of and in strict accordance with the provisions of Chapter 230, General Laws, Minnesota, 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and pursuant to a resolution of the county board of said County of Pennington duly adopted and recorded.

And it is Hereby Certified and Recited that all acts, conditions and things required by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Minnesota to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, have been done, have happened and been performed in regular and due form and time as required by law, that the total indebtedness of said County of Pennington, including this bond, does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limit, and that the public drainage ditch for which this bond is issued has been duly established for public use and is conducive to the public health, and that the full faith, credit and resources of said County of Pennington, Minnesota, are hereby irrevocably pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond at maturity.

In Witness Whereof, The County Board of said Pennington County, Minnesota, has caused this bond to be signed by its Chairman and countersigned, sealed and attested by the County Auditor, this first day of February, A. D. 1922.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman Pennington County Board.

Attached to said bond shall be coupons substantially the following form:

No.........

On the first day of August (February) 19..., Pennington County, Minnesota, will pay to bearer Twenty-seven and 50-100 Dollars in Gold Coin, at the First National Bank, St. Paul, Minn., for semi-annual installment of interest on its Public Drainage Ditch Bond, dated February 1, 1922, No.........

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor,

Resolved Further, That said bonds shall be signed by the chairman of said county board and countersigned by the county auditor, and seal of said bonds shall be sealed and recorded by the county auditor, that the coupons attached to said bonds shall be authenticated by the fac simile signature of the county auditor printed, lithographed or engraved thereon, and

Whereas, A statement showing the cost of said Judicial Ditch No. 30 and of the amount of the lien upon the lands benefited thereby, has been duly made and filed, and

Whereas, said bonds have been duly advertised for sale and awarded to the Northwestern Trust Company of St. Paul, Minnesota, on its bid therefor, which bid was par and a premium of $...., and has been and hereby is accepted.

Resolved, That on the execution of said bonds they shall be placed in the custody of the treasurer and shall be by him delivered to said Northwestern Trust Company or its order on the paying into the treasury of said county the amount of its bid therefor.

Be It Further Resolved, That said bonds and the interest coupons thereto attached shall be paid out of any available funds in the county treasury when the funds on hand in the general ditch fund of the treasury of said county are insufficient to meet the payment of the interest or principal of said bonds when the same respectively matures, and the county auditor and county treasurer of said county are hereby authorized and directed to pay the interest and principal of said bonds in such event, and to take all necessary steps to that end, but the funds from which such money may be so taken or used for the payment of the interest or principal of said bonds, when the same respectively matures, shall be replenished with interest from the collection of unpaid assessments for said Judicial Ditch No. 30 as such assessments are collected and received.

Resolved Further, that the full faith, credit and resources of said County of Pennington, Minnesota, and of this county board as such, be and the same are hereby irrevocably pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of said bonds at maturity.

The motion to adopt said resolution was seconded by Commissioner Naplin, and the roll being called the same was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Commissioners Hanson, McGinn, Naplin, Roy and Peterson.

Nays: None.

Whereupon said resolution was declared duly adopted.

Depository bonds of the following banks were presented to the County Board for approval and on motion were duly approved.

Farmers and Peoples State Bank, Thief River Falls.

Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire.

Goodridge State Bank, Goodridge.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Naplin, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Hanson:

Resolved, That bounties on gophers be paid by Pennington County for the year 1922 and that such payments be made in accordance with Sec. ...., General Laws 1913.

All members present voted for the resolution and it was declared approved.

Petition of S. Wiborg and others for a State Road to be designated by the County Board was presented to the board for its consideration and approval.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Roy, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner McGinn:

Resolved, That the petition of S. Wiborg and others for a state road to be designated as described in petition as follows: Commencing at the ...... of sections 33 and 34 in Township 154, Range 43, and sections 3 and 4 in Township 153, Range 43, in Pennington County, extending thence due south a distance of about six miles and connecting with State Road No. 4, and that the same be ...... as State Road No. 30.

All members present voting for the resolution it was so declared approved.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner McGinn, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Roy:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars be and the same hereby is appropriated to the Red River Valley Development Association, and that the County Auditor hereby is authorized to issue his warrant in the said amount. Resolution duly approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were audited and ordered paid:

Edwin K. Williams Stationery Co., Minneapolis, supplies	$ 19.85
...... posting school notices	5.00
F. E. McGinn, premium county treasurer's bond	135.00
...... Anderson, expense superintendent of schools	37.50
...... balance on timber, bridges Ditch No. 30	15.50
W. J. LaBree, expense, State vs. Carl Swanson	6.00
Elmer Hanson, hauling culvert, Ditch No. 70	10.00
Joe Kiel, hauling culvert for State Road No. 4	10.00
...... Printing Co., personal property tax list and board proceedings	250.50
V. C. Noper, cleaning out culverts, County Ditch No. 70	9.45
National Sales Service Co., supplies	23.40
George D. Barnard Co., supplies	10.55
W. H. Quist, work on grader, County Ditch No. 70	25.00
S. T. Johnson, expense as court reporter	7.00
Christenson & Voels, repairs	3.83
W. J. LaBree, expense, State vs. Koland	3.00
Miller-Davis Co., supplies	21.41

There being no further business the County Board adjourned sine die.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman County Board.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor and
Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

Thief River Falls, Minn., Feb. 8, 1922.

The County Board for Pennington County met in special session in the office of the County Auditor in the City of Thief River Falls, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Meeting called to order by the chairman. On roll call the following members were present:

Hanson, McGinn, Naplin, Roy and Peterson.

Absent: None.

Petition of Iver Solheim to be set off from School District No. 68 and attached to School District No. 63 was taken up by the County Board. It was found that due notice had been given by publication, posting and mailing as required by law.

Motion was made and seconded that said petition be granted. Motion carried.

Petition of Olof Nilson to be set off from School District No. 3 and attached to School District No. 9 was taken up for hearing. It was found that proper notice had been given by publication, posting and mailing as required by law. Motion made and seconded that said petition be granted. Motion carried.

Petition of Richard Hall to be set off from School District No. 54 and attached to School District No. 102 was taken up for final hearing. It was found that proper notice had been given by publication, posting and mailing as required by law.

Motion made and seconded that said petition be granted. Motion carried.

On motion duly carried the following bills were audited and ordered paid:

Thief River Falls Times, publishing financial statement	$ 1,176.70
Thief River Falls Times, supplies	122.78
Sig Myrum, supplies for gravel pit, State Road No. 7	30.00
Ivar Solheim, posting school notices	3.00
Northern Woodwork Co., work in treasurer's office	37.15
J. S. Arneson, supplies	41.00
N. J. Anderson, recording	0.00
F. E. McGinn, premium on insurance	5.00
George D. Barnard Co., supplies	23.32
Town of North, fumigating	7.50
Fred E. Rux, hauling rocks, County Ditch No. 65	15.00
W. J. LaBree, expense State vs. McMahon	45.83

There being no further business the County Board adjourned sine die.

OSCAR J. PETERSON,
Chairman County Board.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor and
Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, upon the following land, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Section Two (2), and Lots Three and Four (3 and 4) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Eighty-two (182) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof;

Which said mortgage bears date the 8th day of October, 1917, and with the power of sale therein contained was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 3..., and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 22nd day of October, 1917, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, which assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of October, 1917, at 8:20 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages, on page 467, which said mortgage was thereafter, and on the 27th day of January, 1922, by assignment in writing, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1922, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "65" of Mortgages, on page 206, and which said mortgage was given to secure payment of the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred ($1600.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) certain promissory note made and executed by said Halver Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, said mortgagors, to said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 6th day of October of years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, each for the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 6th day of October, 1921, is past due and unpaid and has been past due and unpaid for more than ten (10) days; and,

Whereas it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in payment of interest at the time it became due and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum, together with accrued interest, should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be deemed to have become due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 6th day of October, 1921, amounting to the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, and that by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal, with accrued interest, is by said assignee of mortgagee, Hollam Company, deemed to have become immediately due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of Seventeen Hundred Thirty-four and 53-100 ($1734.53) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 27th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 2, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Chrlsofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
821 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-9-16-23-M-2-9-16

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Louise Roth and Wesley Roth, Minor Wards.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Louise Roth and Wesley Roth, Minors.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said minor wards. The petition of Emma Roth as representative of the above named Louise Roth and Wesley Roth, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said wards described therein be sold and praying that a license be to her granted to sell the same;

Now, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 7th day of February, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate Court.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
F-9-16-23

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Johnson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ada Johnson, Inez Johnson and Carl Johnson, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent. The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for the distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the sixth day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of February, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

G. HALVORSON,
Attorney for Petitioner.
F-9-16-23

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the undersigned will receive sealed bids for the purchase and removal of the old Knox school building at a meeting of the school board to be held on the evening of February 20, at the Lincoln High School.

Such bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, and the board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids will be opened at 7:30 P. M., as above stated.

(Mrs.) L. G. LARSEN,
Clerk of the Board.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Ole H. Field, Decedent:

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Thom Field,

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 10th day of August, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this notice in The Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated February 2nd, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney.
F-9-16-23

WIN TWO AT HOME BUT MEET DEFEAT AMONG STRANGERS

Local Basketeers Trounce Superior and Get Licked at Bemidji and the Forks.

The Thief River Falls basket shooters must have been off their feed when they permitted Bemidji to win by a score of 40 to 22 last Wednesday evening. As near as can be learned there is nothing much to be said about the game except that the Athletics did not play in their usual form and fell below the expectations in every department. The floor at Bemidji is long and narrow, requiring a style of play to which the boys are not accustomed, and this was undoubtedly one of the reasons for the disappointing showing made.

The Bemidji Pioneer, in its story of the game, says:

"Carlson, heretofore Thief River Falls' star player, scored only one basket at the right forward position, although he led the scoring for his team with six out of nine free throws. R. Louden, formerly Cambridge city team star, led in the number of field baskets for the visitors, he making good on three. Kiland, who substituted for Louden when Louden went to center in place of Hadrath who took the place of Holzknecht at right guard, scored two field goals. Holzknecht and Brown, guards, each scored one basket from the floor.

"There was no outstanding star on the Bemidji team, every man playing a 'whale of a game' from start to finish. Bemidji's team work surprised even the most ardent followers, and both the offensive and defensive plays showed the result of thorough training and ability. The Thief River Falls outfit is considered among the best in the northwestern part of the state, but Bemidji had it all over that squad last night."

Superior is Cleaned.

The Athletics took two games from the Superior American Legion team on Friday and Saturday of last week. The boys from the head of the lakes are fine sportsmen and good, consistent players, but they were outclassed in both offensive and defensive work. Friday night's game ended with a score of 44 to 26, with Superior at the short end.

Saturday night's game was a gallop for Thief River Falls. The boys made baskets from every angle of the floor, a throw in the general direction of the cage seemingly being sufficient to secure a goal. Carlson's sensational basket shooting in the second half was easily the feature of the game, while Louden, Holzknecht and Penney also scored heavily. Carlson made 14 field baskets, Holzknecht seven, Louden six, Penney three, and Hadrath, Kiland and Brown each one. The score stood 61 to 14 at the end of the game.

There was no particular star in the Superior team, Duff and Johnson securing two baskets each and O'Neill and Bradley one.

Never has the Thief River Falls team showed to such good advantage and the manager of the Superior outfit stated after the game that if the boys would put up the same kind of a fight in every contest there is not a team in the state could defeat them. They fairly romped away with everything in spite of the stiffest kind of opposition. The score might indicate that Superior is weak, but such is not the case. The visitors played a very good game, but nothing could stop the locals that night.

Lost to Grand Forks.

After outplaying the Grand Forks Legion team in the first half and holding its own in the second, Thief River Falls was defeated on Monday evening in the extra period in the Dakota city by a score of 32 to 26. Losing this game was the hardest kind of luck as it should have gone to Thief River Falls on general principles. The Grand Forks Herald says that their team was "outplayed in every department of the game in the first half but came back strong in the second and tied the score with two pretty goals early in the period." A basket by Louden put Thief River Falls in the lead, which they held up to the last minute of the second half, when a long shot by Ferguson, left guard, tied the count, the score standing 24 for both teams when time was called.

From the results it would seem as if the Athletics were outclassed during the second period. The Herald says they were unable to get their team to working and only tried a few long shots that failed to register. Patton and Shiver for Grand Forks each caged two baskets.

Louden was easily the star, according to reports, being responsible for more than half of the baskets made by Thief River Falls.

A small crowd witnessed the game.

The Mayor and the Uplift.
(Wellsville, Mo., Optic.)

Mayor Elisha Portle went over to the jail yesterday and entertained the guests by playing "Turkey in the Straw" on the harmonica.

THE FUTURE OF THE RED RIVER VALLEY

By LEIGH ANDERSON
Eighth Grade, Thief River Falls
(Awarded First Prize in Essay Contest at Crookston Mid-Winter Show.)

The mists of the past are slowly being lifted, and now a beautiful, fruitful valley, and having as bright a prospect for the future as any place in the world, is brought to our view. The sturdy, thrifty inhabitants of this region are weaving it into the greatest industrial center of all the world, and it already ranks among the first in the production of grain and dairy products.

The cities have ideal location, as they are situated both on railroads and waterways. With a little dredging these rivers and lakes could be made as important for shipping as they are for water power. Highways will continue to be improved and will be another milestone in the growth of the cities, as truck shipping and transportation are coming to the front and are bound to build up an important commercial industry.

There soon will be railroads threading their way from town to town over the valley, and each town will in a way be a railroad center in itself. Over these railroads all of the products of the valley will be shipped and the rails will also constitute a method of obtaining the very best and fastest mail service. Then, too, in time the finest automobile highways in the United States will be found in our valley, and these will be constructed of the most durable substances, such as concrete, bitulithic and tarvia. Automobile trucks will traverse these highways carrying articles of trade, as also will tourists, and an additional business will spring *up and help make our cities flourish.*

Mills will spring up in the towns, as will also manufacturies, so that the people will be able to construct their own useable articles without shipping their materials out of the valley. The dams and falls will be put to the use they were intended for, and water power will furnish an economical method of operating these factories. Cereal and cheese factories will rank among the most important of these, as will also milk condenseries. The manufacture of tractors and other farm implements will also be carried on extensively in the valley, which will enable the farmer to secure them at a much lower cost. Out of these factories will come the best and finest articles of furniture, clothing and other goods. The grass lands of the valley can and will be used to advantage in the dairying industry, and it is already seen that the fate of the valley depends largely upon this, and it is already one of the most profitable industries. In many instances the plains are dotted with thoroughbred stock, as many of the far-sighted farmers have seen that graded stock means a sure and substantial viling. Wheat is now being raised extensively in most parts of the valley, and its importance will continue. Potatoes, corn and sugar beets also have proved to be profitable crops. In the southern part of the valley fruit raising can be done with astonishing results; also the raising of poultry will make a fortune for somebody.

Another thing on which the future of our valley depends is the education of "Young America," for in their hands lie the industries of tomorrow and examples show us every day that it is the educated man that runs his factories and farms on and in a scientific basis. The children should have the best schools, libraries and other educational institutions that can be afforded, with all modern conveniences and the most able of instructors. The government may put in some of its fine institutions, such as a flying school or a military training school if the other schools come up to the standard.

The cities should show that they are not in a backward state by keeping their places of amusement, such as parks, swimming places and pavilions in the finest and most artistic condition as possible, and tourists always judge a town by its scenery and its ability to accommodate.

Thinking of so great a project, and knowing that it will come true makes it seem like a dream, but this is not so, as everything, as crudely stated here, and other things as well, can easily be accomplished. And though it is only in its infancy, it is already greatly developed, and with its start and its rapidity in improvement, it will take but a few years for it to break forth fro ma bud into a beautiful rose in full blossom, with all of its riches in beauty and color.

A TALK WITH A THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN

Mr. R. J. Halvorsen, Printer, of 410 Riverside Ave., Tells His Experience.

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We, therefore, give herein an interview with a Thief River Falls man:

"My kidneys gave me quite a bit of trouble," says Mr. Halvorsen. "They didn't act normally and bothered me quite a bit by this irregularity. I was feeling pretty mean and easily tired. I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and it was only a short time before I noticed a change in my condition. My kidneys again acted normally and I was benefited a great deal."

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High School Basketball Tournament March 2-3

The elimination tournament to decide the basketball championship among the high schools of this district will be held on March 2 and 3. While the place for holding the contest has not been definitely decided upon the probabilities are that Crookston will be chosen.

Chairman L. T. Simley reports the following as the standing of the teams up to Monday evening:

Team	p	w	l	pc
Crookston	8	7	1	875
Stephen	6	5	1	833
Fosston	7	5	2	714
Baudette	3	2	1	667
Argyle	8	5	3	625
McIntosh	8	5	3	625
Warroad	5	3	2	600
Ada	6	3	3	500
Thief River Falls	8	4	4	500
Fertile	5	2	3	400
Warren	6	2	4	333
East Grand Forks	5	1	4	200
Halleck	5	1	4	200
Bagley	3	0	3	000
Mahnomen	3	0	3	000
Roseau	3	0	3	000
Red Lake Falls	0	0	0	000

NUMEDAL

Elias Joringdal and son, Clarence, were Thief River Falls callers last Thursday.

A number of stockholders of the Viking co-operative creamery attended the annual meeting held at Viking last Friday.

Tommy, Clarence and Maynard Joringdal, Carl and Henry Nelson and Oscar Olson were Thursday evening callers at the A. Blomberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Larson and Mrs. A. Blomberg were Thursday callers at the Soren Knutson home.

Hjalmer Blomberg left Wednesday for Thief River Falls to resume work on the Soo after having been laid off for some time.

Tommy Joringdal spent Friday and Saturday at the home of his brother, Joseph.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning were Saturday evening callers at the Blomberg home.

Soren Knutson was a Viking caller Thursday.

Carl Brink was an over Sunday visitor at the Chas. Johnson home.

Albert Forslund spent Saturday at Viking.

Soren Knutson loaded a car of hay at Viking Monday and Tuesday.

Tommy Joringdal was a Sunday visitor at the A. Blomberg home.

Albin Ross, Norval Johnson and Tommy Joringdal are employed with the Brink hay baling crew at present.

Friday favored us with a real old-time blizzard.

Thure, Blomberg and Tommy Joringdal were Thief River Falls business callers Monday.

Clarence Joringdal spent Sunday at the A. O. Brink home.

Albin Ross and Norval Ross were business visitors at Thief River Falls Monday.

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We are returning
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FOR SALE—One set of 2 inch by 7 foot sleighs, narrow track, almost new; or will trade for oats or barley. Cyrus Malberg, Route 2. 2

FOR SALE—Some Early Rose potatoes for cooking, at 75c per bushel, and some Irish Cobblers for seed. Andrew Hovland, east of Soo Round House. 4p

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 436-J 40tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE for a good work horse, gasoline engine, arbor and frame. Inquire at Times or call phone 308-J. 2

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1105. 15tf

FOR SALE—Four choice Rose Comb Rhode Islands, or will trade for birds of equal merit or quality. Eggs for hatching. Get in your order early. Albert Johnson. 2p

FOR SALE—Green pole wood, standing timber or on piles. 8½ miles southeast of Thief River Falls. Inquire of Ristau Brothers. 3p

FOR SALE—40 tons of hay, 3½ miles northwest of Goodridge, Sec. 13. Curtice Faucer. 3p

FOR SALE—160 acre dairy farm, three miles west of Thief River Falls. Has 60 acres solid poplar timber. Will cut cord wood enough to pay for land. 25 acres in cultivation. Terms, $500 cash, balance 20 years at 5 per cent interest. Address F. Sherwin, Brookings, S. D. 2

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three good furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 417 Red Lake Blvd. Phone 291-R. 2ptf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. Phone 441. 40tf

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WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 210 Times. 50tf

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 391 Times. 50tf

LOST

LOST—Pair eye glasses in city. Finder notify Leo Aanstad, 507 Knight Avenue North. 3p

MISCELLANEOUS

MEN WANTED to sell Groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 2p

WANTED TO RENT—Farm with good improvements, close to town. Share rent preferred. Give number of acres field, pasture, and location in first letter. Possession before March 20. A. S. Olson, City, Route 1, Box 50. 1p

EXPERT PIANO TUNING and all kinds of repairing at reasonable rates. Scientific method; no guess work. Leave orders at Times office or call 135. H. S. Snyder. 1tf

LEFT at Rolland's store, one fur muff. Owner can have same by identifying property and paying advertising charges. Also one pair of heavy driving mitts. 1

FOUND—Pair of eyeglasses on Kendall Avenue North. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice. 1

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 8p

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of thirty-two hundred, twenty-six & 67-100 ($3226.67) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Augustine V. De For, Mortgagor, to John Bratrud, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1915, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 401.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Bratrud, Mortgagee, to Betsey and Alma Bratrud by written assignment dated the 5th day of April, 1915 and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of January, 1922, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 63 of Mortgages, on page 161.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26) Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-five (45), containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof in Pennington county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 11th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of ($3226.67) and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 19th, A. D. 1922.

BETSEY BRATRUD and
ALMA BADEAUX,
(formerly Alma Bratrud),
Assignee and present holder of mortgage.

JOHN BRATRUD,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
McGinn Bldg., Thief River Falls, Minn.
(J-19-26-F-2-9-16-23)

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Gaston Wagl, a single man, mortgagor, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 24th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 477, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage, have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, the total sum of Eighty-five and 17-100 Dollars ($85.17) as follows: The sum of $64.43 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $20.74 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Twelve (12) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 1st day of April, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $85.17, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 14th, 1922.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Jon Jonson Haner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonson Haner.

The State of Minnesota to Britta Haner, Edgar Ostby, Herman Ostby, Hans Haner, John Haner, Carrie Ecklund, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said Jon Jonson Haner. The petition of Hans Haner as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to him granted to mortgage the same.

Now therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 10th day of February, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate Court.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
F-16-23-M-2

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Ninety-nine and 8-100 ($3199.08) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Thomas S. Jacobson and Marie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands, as mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page [illegible], which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1922, by assignment in writing duly assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1922, at 2:05 o'clock P. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 337, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot numbered One (1) in Section Twenty-eight (28); Lots numbered One (1), Two (2) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29), (excepting a plot of ground 65 ft. by 108 ft. in said Lot 1, Sect. 29, heretofore deeded to the Highlanding Co-Operative Creamery Association); all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 110 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt and interest and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1922, at ten (10:00) o'clock in the forenoon of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 7, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minn.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

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SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS JUDGE IN GILLER CASE

Grindeland's Action in Setting Aside Jury's Verdict Held to Have Been Justified.

Held No Fraud Was Attempted in Securing Mrs. Giller's Name to Assignments.

Bank Found Blameless in Every Transaction With Family of Former Local Clothier.

The state supreme court last week handed down a decision upholding the action of Judge Andrew Grindeland of the Pennington county district in setting aside the verdict of the jury in the case of Bertha Giller against the First National Bank of Thief River Falls.

The opinion, which was written by the supreme court, upholds every contention submitted by the bank and finds for the defendant on every point at issue. The language of the court is so plain and the premises upon which the decision is based are so clearly set forth that justification for the trial court's action in setting aside the verdict of the jury is not left in doubt.

No Fraud Evident.

The case came on for hearing a year ago before Judge Grindeland and a jury. Fraud in securing the signature of Mrs. Giller to certain documents was charged and the jury returned a verdict of some $12,000 for the plaintiff. Judge Grindeland later set aside the verdict and plaintiff appealed. The higher court holds that there was no fraud on the part of the bank and that the jury was not justified in finding that plaintiff had been induced to execute any contracts through fraudulent presentations.

Is Lengthy Opinion.

The opinion of the superior court goes into the case in detail, recounting how the stock of Maurice Giller was partially destroyed by fire on the night of Jan. 7, 1919, the arrest of Giller on a charge of arson and the subsequent transactions of Mrs. Bertha Giller, the accused man's mother, with the bank. Maurice's bond had been fixed at $5,000 and Mrs. Giller asked C. L. Hansen, president of the bank, to act as surety in order that her son might be released from jail. This Mr. Hansen refused to do unless the bond was reduced and plaintiff agree to assign a sufficient amount in the shape of notes and mortgages held by her and Maurice to secure the bank against loss as well as cover the amount already owing the bank by her son. Collateral amounting to $11,300 was thereupon assigned by Mrs. Giller to the bank. In consideration thereof the bank agreed to surrender the insurance policies it held as security and to have Mr. Hansen execute the bond. All these conditions were performed. Thereafter Maurice was tried and convicted, and involuntary bankruptcy proceedings instituted against him resulted in his being adjudged a bankrupt. Later plaintiff demanded the return of her securities. Being refused she brought action, charging defendant with their conversion. She recovered a verdict for their face value and upon defendant's alternative motion, judgment in favor of the latter, notwithstanding the verdict, was ordered.

Details Are Recited.

One of the contentions of Mrs. Giller was that she did not clearly understand what she was signing, not being well versed in the English language. On this subject the supreme court says: "She professes not to understand the English language but a reading of her testimony hardly bears her out in this. Her husband had been a merchant in Thief River Falls for several years. After his death she continued the business in partnership with Maurice. She had more business experience than most women have. The partnership was dissolved in February, 1918, owing the bank several thousand dollars. Maurice's note of $6,640 represented $4,000 subsequently advanced to him by the bank and a balance of $2,640 upon original partnership indebtedness."

It developed at the trial that G. Howard Smith, Mrs. Giller's attorney, had further carefully read and explained all the provisions of the assignment to her before she attached her signature. Her daughter-in-law, Maurice's wife also made affidavit that Mrs. Bertha Giller, the plaintiff, admitted understanding fully the purpose of the transaction and signed it with full knowledge of its purport.

No Defect in Evidence.

In summing up the evidence the supreme court finds the following as outstanding features of the case:

"Viewing the evidence from any angle, it falls far short of showing that the contract does not express plaintiff's agreement with the bank or that her signature was obtained by fraud. The degree of proof required to overthrow a written contract is wholly lacking. The case is not one where there is a defect in the evidence which may be supplied on another trial. There is an entire absence of fraud.

"The order for judgement, in defendant's favor is, therefore, affirmed."

J. E. Morrisey Dead.

James E. Morrisey, long-time resident and former mayor of Crookston, died suddenly at his home in that city on Sunday. Intestinal trouble is given as the cause of death. Deceased was a man most highly regarded in his home community and enjoyed a large acquaintance all through the district.

[illegible]NNY LANES COMING [illegible]T WEDNESDAY FOR [illegible] WITH ATHLETICS

Manager Connell today expected to hear definitely that the Denny Lanes, the fastest basketball team in the Twin Cities, would be here for a game next Wednesday night. This aggregation is composed of former college players and is without question one of the very best in the entire country. The game will be called at the usual hour.

CITY SADDENED BY SUDDEN DEATH OF ROBERT M'GINN JR.

Popular Student and Athlete Succumbs to Influenza Following Short Illness.

Robert Clifford McGinn, Jr., sixteen years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn of this city, died last Friday morning of influenza with internal hemorrhages as a contributing cause. While complaining of not feeling well for some time it was not until three days previous to his death that he found it necessary to take to his bed. His condition became alarming almost at once and the best medical authority obtainable was called into consultation. In spite of every effort, however, the young man grew steadily worse until a short time before his death, when he seemed to make a sudden rally which gave his relatives hope that the worst had been passed. This hope was short-lived, a sudden change in his condition terminating in his demise.

The funeral was held from St. Bernard's Catholic church on Saturday morning, the service by Father J. M. Noesen being read in the presence of an audience which filed the edifice to overflowing. Deceased was a member of the sophomore class of the Thief River Falls high school and the students at the institution attended the funeral in a body. Hundreds of friends of the family, who are pioneer residents of the city, gathered at the church to pay a last tribute to a highly promising young man whom many had watched grow from babyhood and whose later progress had been followed with more than the usual interest. He was of a very active disposition and generally to be found as a leader in matters usually engaging the attention of boys of his age. He was at Fosston with the high school basketball team when he is supposed to have contracted the disease which terminated in his death.

Robert McGinn was born in Thief River Falls on December 10, 1906, being a little more than 15 years of age at the time of his death. He was a great favorite with all with whom he came in contact because of his unfailing good nature and active disposition. Among his classmates he was held in the highest esteem, both as a student and as a pal, and his sudden death cast a deep gloom over the entire school.

Boyhood companions acted as pallbearers, these being Ernest and Math Barzen, Charles Herron, Clifford LaBree, Clifford Sorensson and Herbert Keene. There was a wagonload of floral offerings at the funeral, a large number of societies and organizations as well as individuals sending their last tributes.

Deceased is survived by his parents, one brother, Denis, who is a student at St. Thomas college, St. Paul, and two sisters, Sybil, who is a member of this year's senior class, and Marcella, a grade pupil.

THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS OF UNUSUAL INTEREST WILL BE PRESENTED

High School Dramatic Club Will Give Novel Entertainment at Auditorium on Friday Evening, March 3.

An entertainment of unusual interest will be presented by the High School Dramatic club at the auditorium on Friday evening, March 3. Three one-act plays will be given, each a gem of its kind.

"The Singing Sou," is based upon an old Chinese legend of the bell that will not ring until human sacrifice gives it a soul. The scene is laid at the home of a mandarin in Pekin. This will be the first of the plays and is said to be beautiful in the extreme.

"A Pierrot of the Minute" is the story of one who has never known love and seeks it in the grove of Venus. Here he barters all hope of future happiness for one hour with the moon-maid. Poetry, music and dancing feature this part of the entertainment.

"A Flower of the Yeddo" is a Japanese comedy in verse and concerned with the temptations offered the poet Kami.

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Cash Already Turned in Will Not Count in This Second Period Competition.

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Second Period Special Prize for the best subscription money showing between Feb. 23 and March 18.

Only subscription money sent in during the second period will count towards winning the special prize of $50.

No subscription money sent in before Feb. 23 will count towards winning the special prize of $50.

Winning the $50 will in no way interfere with winning the Buick, the Ford, or the other Grand Free Prizes.

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The standings in The Times Salesmanship Campaign tell their own story.

But the big thing before the contestants now is who will win the $50 offered for the best subscription money showing in the second period. Fifty dollars is not to be picked up every two weeks and it will go to the best second period subscription hustler. It makes no difference where you stand on the list today. You can step out and win the second period special prize of $50. No subscription money turned in before the close of the first period will count towards the winning of the special prize. The same subscription money that you turn in towards winning the $50 will also earn you "credits" under the second period scale. These are the Golden Days of the entire campaign. Some salesman will receive a salary of $25 a week for going out and winning the lead for the Big Buick during the second period.

The salesman or saleswoman in this campaign who makes an earnest effort to win the second period cash prize will also be making an earnest effort to win the Buick, the Ford, or the other Grand Free Prizes that are to be given away at the close of the campaign. Wishers are never winners. A wisher is like a person riding in a merry-go-round. He does a lot of traveling but comes right back to the place he started from. Make these next two weeks net you not only the special prize of $50 but also the lead for the Big Buick. Get out of the "wishers" class and get into the "winners" class. Get the winning habit by winning the $50 and the winning of the Buick will come easy. Remember subscriptions still earn more "credits" now and to March 8 than they will later. Make these next two weeks just bristle with activity.

In a few short weeks from now, when the snow has left the ground and you can go whizzing over the country roads in "your Buick" you are going to look back at these days and say to yourself: "I'm mighty glad I hustled during the second period." Jump in now and work with fever heat. It will pay you well. Don't be satisfied with anything you do. It is better to have far too many "credits" than to lose the Big Buick by lacking just a few. Now is the time to pile up a reserve that will make winning later a cinch. Besides, $50 will buy a lot of gasoline.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Day, March 1

Agnes Oftedahl, City	87,750
Paul Engelstad, City	72,125
Helmer Ostrom, City	37,225
Hannah Peterson, City	20,900
Julius Liden, Steiner	5,900
Peter Klungness, Route 2	2,750
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Smsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanen, Goodridge	1,000

FARM INSTITUTES AT TWO POINTS IN COUNTY NEXT WEEK

Meetings to Be Held at Goodridge on Monday and Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

A farmers' institute will be held in the Commercial club rooms in this city on Tuesday, Feb. 28, the forenoon session starting at 10 and the afternoon meeting at 2 o'clock. O. M. Olson of Moorhead and J. E. Eastgate of Larimore, N. D., will be the principal speakers. Mr. Olson is the county agent for Clay county, while Mr. Eastgate has had long experience as a successful livestock raiser and general farmer. Subjects of particular interest to the farmers of this section which will be taken up at the meeting are: Crop Rotation and Soil Fertility; Care, Feeding and Handling of Livestock; Alfalfa and Sweet Clover; Sheep; Potato Growing; Corn and Other Crops for Grain and Forage; Soils and Tillage; Clover; Hogs.

On Tuesday afternoon there will be a special session for those who are interested in farm bureau work in Pennington county. Matters of particular interest will be taken up for consideration at that time and it is hoped there will be a large attendance. Residents in the city as well as those on farms are particularly urged to be on hand for this session.

A similar institute will be held at Goodridge on Monday. People in the eastern section of the county who are interested in the forming of a potato association are expected at that time to take the necessary steps for joining the county organization and make plans for the spring planting.

These will be the last institutes in this part of the state for the present year and as the program is one of unusual interest farmers particularly should make it a point to be present.

BLAMES NEIGHBOR FOR ALIENATION OF WIFE'S AFFECTIONS

Gunder Gunderson Asks $15,000 Damages From Ole Nereson in First Case Tried.

Judge Grindeland has started off the February term of the district court with what promises to be one of the most interesting cases on the calendar. Gunder Gunderson, a resident of Deer Park township, is suing Ole Nareson, residing a short distance away, for $15,000, alleging the alienation of his wife's affections. The case was begun on Tuesday with F. A. Grady of Crookston appearing for plaintiff, and E. M. Stanton of Thief River Falls, Chas. Boughton of Red Lake Falls, and Julius Olson of Warren for defendant.

The complaint sets forth that the Gundersons rented a farm from Nereson but that the latter did not move sufficiently far away, complications ensuing which caused a great deal of grief to Gunderson. The testimony promises to be rather interesting and has already brought out large crowds to the court room. This case was on trial when court adjourned Tuesday evening and is to be continued this morning.

So far as can be learned this is the first case of the kind ever tried in the county.

MORE SUGAR BEETS TO BE CONTRACTED FOR NEXT SEASON

Meeting of Growers and Refinery Agent to Be Held in This City March 9.

M. H. Dana, agriculturist for the Minnesota Sugar company, will be in Thief River Falls on March 9 for the purpose of alloting sugar beet acreage for the coming summer to growers in Pennington county. In his letter to County Agent J. J. McCann, Mr. Dana says he has a better proposition to offer beet raisers than was presented last season and that his company will be able to handle a much larger acreage in this section.

Many applications for contracts are already in the hands of Mr. McCann and indications are that many who have not heretofore tried beet raising will make the experiment this year. One man asks for an allotmnet of 40 acres and there are a number who will agree to sow and care for 20 acres.

In order that all may be given an even chance it has been decided to call a meeting of those interested for the afternoon of Thursday, March 9, in ordr that the entire proposition may be laid before the growers by Mr. Dana himself. It will be well for any who contemplate going into this business to be present at this time in order that they may receive full information first hand.

Officers For Year Chosen By American Legion Post

Members of Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion, held the annual election of officers and banquet at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening. The principal topic of discussion centered about the securing of new club rooms.

Following is a list of the officers elected: Oscar Paulson, commander; L. H. Hermanson, first vice commander; Gilmore Huseby, second vice commander; L. C. Nelsen, adjutant; F. E. McGinn, treasurer; Henry Froseth, sergeant at arms.

Novelty Dance to Close Season For Elks' Lodge

Thief River Falls lodge of Elks will give a dancing party for members and their ladies on Friday evening at the lodge room. The affair will be novel in many respects but the details have not yet all been worked out. Good music has been secured and the lunch arrangements will be looked after by Mrs. Louise Pawling.

CLUB TAKES UP FARM BUREAU'S FINANCING PLAN

Matter of Devising Ways and Means For Continuing Work Will Be Considered.

Booklet Advertising Pennington County and Thief River Falls May Be Issued.

President Froehlich Announces Members of Standing Committees For This Term.

The Thief River Falls Commercial club has taken up the matter of providing ways and means for carrying on the work of the Pennington county farm bureau, the arrangement under which the bureau has been operating the past year nearing expiration.

For some time the organization has been kept going largely through voluntary contributions, the greater share of which have been secured from Thief River Falls business men. This was made necessary by the refusal of the county commissioners to make an appropriation for the bureau's maintenance. While the plan has not permitted of much in the way of expansion and experimentation, the income has been sufficient to keep the organization alive and help pay the salary of the county agent. A similar arrangement will have to be made for the future if the value of the excellent work already accomplished is not to be in a large measure lost.

In Committee's Hands.

President H. W. Froehlich of the club strongly favors the continuation of the bureau and has left the matter of finding a plan for financing it to the public affairs committee, composed of the following energetic citizens: W. J. Brown, chairman; C. L. Hansen, H. S. Dahlen, T. L. Melgaard and John Bratrud.

The matter of getting out an advertising booklet is under consideration by the publicity committee. Should such step be deemed advisable the publication will be one of the finest of its kind ever turned out in the state. Particular stress is to be laid on the farming opportunities held out in the region tributary to Thief River Falls, a larger agricultural population being deemed of even greater importance than immediate city development. One is certain to follow the other in any event and club officials are of the opinion that by boosting farming they will best be advancing the interests of the town.

Committees Appointed.

Standing committees have been appointed for the present year by President Froehlich as follows, the first named being the chairman in each case:

Membership, H. W. Protzeller, C. A. Munn, L. H. Lawrence, Ray Johnson.

Railroad and transportation, W. B. Fuller, Robert McGinn, Isak Helseth, H. O. Chommie, H. A. Pratt.

Good roads, Daniel Shaw, G. C. Streeter, L. R. Johnston, Nels Christianson, F. J. Stebbins.

Convention, L. H. Larson, H. M. Langseth, Dr. G. W. Booren, G. L. Biddick.

Public affairs, W. J. Brown, C. L. Hansen, H. S. Dahlen, T. L. Melgaard, John Bratrud.

Publicity, J. S. Arneson, R. H. Ross, L. T. Simley, H. A. Brumund, Geo. C. Loken.

Ways and means, F. H. Herrick, F. F. Haynes, Dr. C. M. Adkins, T. L. Melgaard, E. L. Rolland.

Club rooms, F. C. Niclai, Carl B. Larson, F. M. Shanahan.

Industrial, Dr. O. F. Mellby, H. C. Johnson, John Morgan, E. O. Mogensen, Math Barzen.

Legislation, Theo. Quale, G. Howard Smith, H. O. Loken.

Entertainment, Julien Provencher, H. DeParcq; E. M. Stanton, Jr., Walter Jung.

Agricultural, J. J. McCann, Olaf Ramstad, V. C. Noper, G. C. Tessum, Andrew Bottelson, M. T. McFarland.

Auditing, P. O. Myhrum, Geo. W. Werstlein, T. M. Thronson.

40 PER CENT GAIN IN CREAM RECEIPTS DECEMBER RECORD

Should Increase Continue Local Plant Will Be Unable to Meet Demands Later.

Should the receipts of the creamery continue to increase in the same ratio as during the past four months the plant will be swamped long before the usual summer run is encountered and it will be impossible to handle all the butterfat offered. Each month since November has shown a heavy increase over the corresponding period a year ago, this amounting to 40 per cent in December. During the winter months no trouble is experienced in taking care of all that is offered but at this rate the capacity of the creamery will have been reached long before the heavier supplies of the summer months come in. This means that the amount of cream passing through the city, which now amounts to 1,750,000 pounds a year, will be still further increased, and emphasizes the need for a larger creamery at this point.

Jens Kierk heads the list of producers for December, followed by Hans Anton and Peter Engelstad, all of whom received checks for more than $200 for the month. Others whose income from their herds reached more than $50 were:

Jens Kierk, $284.38; Hans Anton, $231.62; Peter Engelstad, $224.52; M. T. McFarland, $166.56; Waldie Christenson, $147.64; S. E. Hunt, $117.54; L. O. Stenseth, $98.74; R. M. Johnson, $97.06; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $78.58; H. Koop, $78.30; H. T. Waale, $78.27; Gust Wilkin, $77.61; John N. Swanson, $74.28; Christ Nelson, $74.20; S. Sorenson, $72.37; August Koglin, $67.77; C. H. Swanson, $65.71; Voldness Bros., $64.33; E. Edman, $63.49; Wm. Myrkens, $61.30; H. Pope, $60.74; C. Liden, $60.06; A. C. Simonson, $59.38; Paul Engelstad, $57.97; L. O. Williams, $58.80; C. Wiener, $57.48; C. Odegaard, $56.73; Will Smith $55.06; M. G. Shumway, $54.48; Wiladson Bros., $54.28; Ole Johnsrud, $53.10; H. C. Woolson, $52.62; James Wilson, $50.73; John Lamporter, $50.00.

HANSEN FILES AS SENATE CANDIDATE FROM SIXTY-FIFTH

Thief River Falls Banker Enters Race For Place Now Held By O. A. Naplin.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank of Thief River Falls, has filed as a candidate for state senator from this district, composed of Pennington, Red Lake and Clearwater counties. He is the first legislative candidate from the district to enter the race.

Mr. Hansen is one of the best-known men in the northwestern part of the state and has been active in public affairs for many years. He was a candidate for the same office in 1914 but was defeated by D. P. O'Neill by a close vote after a strenuous campaign. Urged to try for the place four years ago he declined, business matters making it impossible for him to give the campaign his attention at that time.

While Mr. Hansen has as yet announced no particular platform his attitude toward anything calculated to improve and advance this section of the state is so well known that any pronouncement of the [illegible] would be rather superfluous. He has been a resident of the district for more than 20 years and understands its needs as well as its advantages perhaps as thoroughly as any man who could be chosen. The senatorial nomination will go to Pennington county by tacit agreement and the probabilities are that the county's vote will be the deciding fatcor. Such being the case the senatorship will be practically cinched in the primary election.

O. A. Naplin, the present senator, will in all probability be a candidate for re-election, although he has not as yet definitely declared himself. He made a good record during his first term and will be a strong opponent should he finally decide to enter the race.

Farmer Serving 25 Days For Beating Up Spouse

Theodore Nelson, a farmer residing in the eastern end of the county, is sojourning in the Pennington county jail upon invitation of Judge N. W. Tarrant of the municipal court. Nelson was arrested on complaint of his wife, who claimed that he had beaten, bruised, maltreated and injured her. The husband admitted taking a wallop at his better half but stated to the court that her actions "made him so hot" that he could not help himself. The judge dryly remarked that 25 days in the lockup might be helpful on cooling him off.

PRESENT MEMBERS OF WELFARE BOARD FOR COUNTY REAPPOINTED

The state board of control yesterday announced the appointment of the following members of the Pennington County Child Welfare board: Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Thief River Falls, and Peter C. Wold, Kratka. Geo. M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools, and Oscar J. Peterson, chairman of the board of county commissioners, are ex-officio members.

It was stated at the board office that there are now 70 child welfare boards in the state with a total membership of 356, Minnesota being a pioneer leader in this form of organization and in the completeness and general excellence of its laws protecting children.

In complimenting the work of the child welfare board in this county, the board of control said: "It is a source of gratification to us that your board has recognized that the protection of child life is the community's first obligation and a measure of its humanity. By your unselfish service to the dependent, neglected, delinquent and feeble minded children of your county and your effective cooperation with Judge Lars Backe in the administration of the juvenile court and mother's allowance laws, you are enrolled as a crusader in the conservation of child life."

GUMMER'S FATE LEFT WITH JURY EARLY TONIGHT

Testimony All in and Attorneys Scheduled to Begin Their Pleas This Morning.

Accused Regarded as Having Injured Own Case By Insolent Bearing at Trial.

Says Seventeen of State's Witnesses Lied With Reference to Important Points.

The case of William Gummer, on trial at Valley City, N. D., for the murder of Miss Marie Wick of Grygla, is not expected to be in the hands o fthe jury until sometime this evening. Attorneys were scheduled to begin their arguments at 10 o'clock today when court reconvened after an adjournment taken on Wednesday because of the illness of State's Attorney William Green.

Mr. Green will be the only one to speak for the state today. Judge W. J. Barnett, chief counsel for Gummer, will take at least two hours to present his case and that is expected to end the summing up for the defense. Claire Brickner, associated with Judge Barnett, may present some arguments, but this is not certain.

Speculate on Outcome.

Because of the widespread interest in the case there is a great deal of speculation as to the outcome. This is not confined to Fargo and Valley City but is as keen in nearly every community in northwestern Minnesota. People residing in Thief River Falls are keeping particularly close watch of the developments, the murdered girl being known to quite a number here.

The general impression is that Gummer did not come through the ordeal of cross-examination as safely as his case demanded and there is a marked change of sentiment noticeable during the last few days. Up until that time the general feeling was that the state had failed to produce anything in the way of evidence which would justify the jury in finding Gummer guilty. The attitude of the accused while on the stand did not help his case with the public, his insolent bearing towards the state's attorney having a particularly bad effect.

Seventeen Called Liars.

Gummer, and Brown, his roommate, declared between them that 17 of the state's witnesses lied in giving their testimony. This sweeping assertion includes practically all the important statements made by the witnesses put on the stand by the prosecution.

Jurors Warned.

Judge C. M. Cooley warned the jurors against making up their minds until after they had heard the law in the case explained to them. He told them that inasmuch as the testimony was all in, they might think that they were permitted to immediately come to a conclusion, but he told them they were to keep their minds open until the case was actually presented to them.

Rebuttal Completed.

The state completed its rebuttal testimony Tuesday morning. The witnesses, consisting entirely of Cass county and Fargo officials, were called to clear up a number of features regarding Gummer's and Brown's declarations.

As a concluding feature, the defense called A. P. Bergeson of Willmar, who declared that in 1918, when he was chief of police, he knew a man man in Willmar by the name of James Farrell. He said Farrell was a Northern Pacific brakeman, was five feet seven inches tall, weighed about 150 pounds and was 27 or 30 years old.

Jeffers After Job.

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls was in the city the first of the week enroute to St. Paul to present a petition for his appointment as field manager for the Co-operative Sales Agency as a successor to Mr. Montgomery, who was promoted to the manager's position left vacant by the death of W. A. McKerrow. Mr. Jef-

Thief River-Stephen High School Contest Friday

The wind-up game of the high school basketball season before the tournament will be played at the auditorium on Friday evening, at which time Stephen will oppose the Thief River Falls team. Stephen defeated the locals on the floor of the former team some time ago by a score of 21 to 12 and every effort will be made to wipe out this defeat. Friday night's game will be one of the best in the entire school series and well worth seeing.

It is hoped that there will be a good turnout to this game as the boys are a little behind on the expense of the season and they are in hopes of clearing enough on this last exhibition to put them in the clear. They have made a good record in spite of the fact that they were hardly of championship calibre and put up a game worthy of far more support than they have been receiving.

WIN TWO AT HOME BUT MEET DEFEAT AMONG STRANGERS

Local Basketeers Trounce Superior and Get Licked at Bemidji and the Forks.

The Thief River Falls basket shooters must have been off their feed when they permitted Bemidji to win by a score of 40 to 22 last Wednesday evening. As near as can be learned there is nothing much to be said about the game except that the Athletics did not play in their usual form and fell below the expectations in every department. The floor at Bemidji is long and narrow, requiring a style of play to which the boys are not accustomed, and this was undoubtedly one of the reasons for the disappointing showing made.

The Bemidji Pioneer, in its story of the game, says:

"Carlson, heretofore Thief River Falls' star player, scored only one basket at the right forward position, although he led the scoring for his team with six out of nine free throws. E. Louden, formerly Cambridge city team star, led in the number of field baskets for the visitors, he making good on three. Kiland, who substituted for Louden when Louden went to center in place of Hadrath, who took the place of Holzknecht at right guard, scored two field goals. Holzknecht and Brown, guards, each scored one basket from the floor.

"There was no outstanding star on the Bemidji team, every man playing a 'whale of a game' from start to finish. Bemidji's team work surprised even the most ardent followers, and both the offensive and defensive plays showed the result of thorough training and ability. The Thief River Falls outfit is considered among the best in the northwestern part of the state, but Bemidji had it all over that squad last night."

Superior is Cleaned.

The Athletics took two games from the Superior American Legion team on Friday and Saturday of last week. The boys from the head of the lakes are fine sportsmen and good, consistent players, but they were outclassed in both offensive and defensive work. Friday night's game ended with a score of 44 to 26, with Superior at the short end.

Saturday night's game was a gallop for Thief River Falls. The boys made baskets from every angle of the floor, a throw in the general direction of the cage seemingly being sufficient to secure a goal. Carlson's sensational basket shooting in the second half was easily the feature of the game, while Louden, Holzknecht and Penney also scored heavily. Carlson made 14 field baskets, Holzknecht seven, Louden six, Penney three, and Hadrath, Kiland and Brown each one. The score stood 61 to 14 at the end of the game.

There was no particular star in the Superior team, Duff and Johnson securing two baskets each and O'Neill and Bradley one.

Never has the Thief River Falls team showed to such good advantage and the manager of the Superior outfit stated after the game that if the boys would put up the same kind of a fight in every contest there is not a team in the state could defeat them. They fairly romped away with everything in spite of the stiffest kind of opposition. The score might indicate that Superior is weak, but such is not the case. The visitors played a very good game, but nothing could stop the locals that night.

Lost to Grand Forks.

After outplaying the Grand Forks Legion team in the first half and holding its own in the second, Thief River Falls was defeated on Monday evening in the extra period in the Dakota city by a score of 32 to 26. Losing this game was the hardest kind of luck as it should have gone to Thief River Falls on general principles. The Grand Forks Herald says that their team was "outplayed in every department of the game in the first half but came back strong in the second and tied the score with two pretty goals early in the period." A basket by Louden put Thief River Falls in the lead, which they held up to the last minute of the second half, when a long shot by Ferguson, left guard, tied the count, the score standing 24 for both teams when time was called.

From the results it would seem as if the Athletics were outclassed during the second period. The Herald says they were unable to get their team to working and only tried a few long shots that failed to register. Patton and Shiver for Grand Forks each caged two baskets.

Louden was easily the star, according to reports, being responsible for more than half of the baskets made by Thief River Falls.

A small crowd witnessed the game.

The Mayor and the Uplift.
(Wellsville, Mo., Optic.)

Mayor Elisha Portie went over to the jail yesterday and entertained the guests by playing "Turkey in the Straw" on the harmonica.

Our Cash Market

Eggs, clean, fresh	30c
Heavy hens	16c
Springs	15c
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THE FUTURE OF THE RED RIVER VALLEY

By LEIGH ANDERSON
Eighth Grade, Thief River Falls
(Awarded First Prize in Essay Contest at Crookston Mid-Winter Show.)

The mists of the past are slowly being lifted, and now a beautiful, fruitful valley, and having as bright a prospect for the future as any place in the world, is brought to our view. The sturdy, thrifty inhabitants of this region are weaving it into the greatest industrial center of all the world, and it already ranks among the first in the production of grain and dairy products.

The cities have ideal location, as they are situated both on railroads and waterways. With a little dredging these rivers and lakes could be made as important for shipping as they are for water power. Highways will continue to be improved and will be another milestone in the growth of the cities, as truck shipping and transportation are coming to the front and are bound to build up an important commercial industry.

There soon will be railroads threading their way from town to town over the valley, and each town will in a way be a railroad center in itself. Over these railroads all of the products of the valley will be shipped and the rails will also constitute a method of obtaining the very best and fastest mail service. Then, too, in time the finest automobile highways in the United States will be found in our valley, and these will be constructed of the most durable substances, such as concrete, bitulithic and tarvia. Automobile trucks will traverse these highways carrying articles of trade, as also will tourists, and an additional business will spring up and help make our cities flourish.

Mills will spring up in the towns, as will also manufacturies, so that the people will be able to construct their own useable articles without shipping their materials out of the valley. The dams and falls will be put to the use they were intended for, and water power will furnish an economical method of operating these factories. Cereal and cheese factories will rank among the most important of these, as will also milk condenseries. The manufacture of tractors and other farm implements will also be carried on extensively in the valley, which will enable the farmer to secure them at a much lower cost. Out of these factories will come the best and finest articles of furniture, clothing and other goods. The grass lands of the valley can and will be used to advantage in the dairying industry, and it is already seen that the fate of the valley depends largely upon this, and it is already one of the most profitable industries. In many instances the plains are dotted with thoroughbred stock, as many of the far-sighted farmers have seen that graded stock means a sure and substantial viling. Wheat is now being raised extensively in most parts of the valley, and its importance will continue. Potatoes, corn and sugar beets also have proved to be profitable crops. In the southern part of the valley fruit raising can be done with astonishing results; also the raising of poultry will make a fortune for somebody.

Another thing on which the future of our valley depends is the education of "Young America," for in their hands lie the industries of tomorrow and examples show us every day that it is the educated man that runs his factories and farms on and in a scientific basis. The children should have the best schools, libraries and other educational institutions that can be afforded, with all modern conveniences and the most able of instructors. The government may put in some of its fine institutions, such as a flying school or a military training school if the other schools come up to the standard.

The cities should show that they are not in a backward state by keeping their places of amusement, such as parks, swimming places and pavilions in the finest and most artistic condition as possible, and tourists always judge a town by its scenery and its ability to accommodate.

Thinking of so great a project, and knowing that it will come true makes it seem like a dream, but this is not so, as everything, as crudely stated here, and other things as well, can easily be accomplished. And though it is only in its infancy, it is already greatly developed, and with its start and its rapidity in improvement, it will take but a few years for it to break forth from its bud into a beautiful rose in full blossom, with all of its riches in beauty and color.

High School Basketball Tournament March 2-3

The elimination tournament to decide the basketball championship among the high schools of this district will be held on March 2 and 3. While the place for holding the contest has not been definitely decided upon the probabilities are that Crookston will be chosen.

Chairman L. T. Simley reports the following as the standing of the teams up to Monday evening:

Team	p	w	l	pc
Crookston	8	7	1	870
Stephen	6	5	1	833
Fosston	7	5	2	714
Baudette	3	2	1	667
Argyle	8	5	3	625
McIntosh	8	5	3	625
Warroad	5	3	2	600
Ada	6	3	3	500
Thief River Falls	8	4	4	500
Fertile	5	2	3	400
Warren	6	2	4	333
East Grand Forks	5	1	4	200
Halleck	5	1	4	200
Bagley	3	0	3	000
Mahnomen	3	0	3	000
Roseau	3	0	3	000
Red Lake Falls	0	0	0	000

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A TALK WITH A THIEF RIVER FALLS MAN

Mr. R. J. Halvorsen, Printer, of 410 Riverside Ave., Tells His Experience.

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We, therefore, give here an interview with a Thief River Falls man:

"My kidneys gave me quite a bit of trouble," says Mr. Halvorsen. "They didn't act normally and bothered me quite a bit by this irregularity. I was feeling pretty mean and easily tired. I started using Doan's Kidney Pills and it was only a short time before I noticed a c[illegible] kidneys [illegible] was bene[illegible]

Price [illegible] simply as[illegible] Doan's K[illegible] Mr. Halv[illegible] Co., Mfrs.[illegible]

NUMEDAL

Elias Joringdal and son, Clarence, were Thief River Falls callers last Thursday.

A number of stockholders of the Viking co-operative creamery attended the annual meeting held at Viking last Friday.

Tommy, Clarence, and Maynard Joringdal, Carl and Henry Nelson and Oscar Olson were Thursday evening callers at the A. Blomberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Larson and Mrs. A. Blomberg were Thursday callers at the Soren Knutson home.

Hjalmer Blomberg left Wednesday for Thief River Falls to resume work on the Soo after having been laid off for some time.

Tommy Joringdal spent Friday and Saturday at the home of his brother, Joseph.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning were Saturday evening callers at the Blomberg home.

Soren Knutson was a Viking caller Thursday.

Carl Brink was an over Sunday visitor at the Chas. Johnson home.

Albert Forslund spent Saturday at Viking.

Soren Knutson loaded a car of hay at Viking Monday and Tuesday.

Tommy Joringdal was a Sunday visitor at the A. Blomberg home.

Albin Ross, Norval Johnson and Tommy Joringdal are employed with the Brink hay baling crew at present.

Friday favored us with a real old-time blizzard.

Thure Blomberg and Tommy Joringdal were Thief River Falls business callers Monday.

Clarence Joringdal spent Sunday at the A. O. Brink home.

Albin Ross and Norval Ross were business visitors at Thief River Falls Monday.

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WITH A NORTHERN REPUTATION
Supplied to the Great Northwest. Write for New Illustrated CATALOGUE
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ONE OF THE COZIEST AND MOST ATTRACTICE HOMES IN THIEF RIVER FALLS FOR SALE, OR WILL RENT FURNISHED TO DESIRABLE TENANT. SIX ROOMS, ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS.
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Two Day Special on
Ladies' Aprons
Sat., Feb. 18 Mon., Feb. 20

This lot is comprised of eight clever, snappy styles, four Bungalow and four Polly Prim designs. The Bungalow aprons are made of good quality Scout Percales, some plain and some figured. The Polly Prims are made of Ginghams and Percales. All of these garments are well finished and are excellent values.

Come the first day as they are bound to go fast at the low price of

63c

Oen's Merc. Co.

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One set of 2 inch by 7 foot sleighs, narrow track, almost new; or will trade for oats or barley. Cyrus Malberg, Route 2.

FOR SALE—Some Early Rose potatoes for cooking, at 75c per bushel, and some Irish Cobblers for seed. Andrew Haviland, east of Soo Round House [illegible]

FOR RENT—Rooms, all modern and nicely furnished, 110 St. Paul Ave. S., Phone 332-J. 50tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 219 Times. 50tf

AMUSEMENTS
At The Lyceum

What's on at the Lyceum? A whole week of First National Attractions. Let's Go!

SATURDAY
"COURAGE"
By SIDNEY FRANKLIN, with a splendid cast including Naomi Childers, Sam DeGrass and Alec B. Francis.
Matinee 2:30—5c and 15c

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Charles Ray
requests the pleasure of your presence at his party
"R. S. V. P."
Bring as many friends as you like. Charley will be assisted by Ham Hamilton in
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Sunday Matinee 2:30—10c and 25c
Evening 7:20 and 9:00—20c and 35c

TUESDAY
We are returning
"THE BRANDING IRON"
A Goldwyn Special.
Evening Only—10c and 25c

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
"NOT GUILTY"
A sure-fire story with Richard Dix, Sylvia Breamer, Molly Malone and Lloyd Whitlock.
Wednesday Matinee 3:30—5c and 15c

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
"MY LADY FRIENDS"
With Carter and Mrs. DeHaven.
Also PATHE SLOW MOTION, showing Golf Stars in action; also Scenes in Algeria.
Saturday Matinee 2:30—5c and 15c

SUNDAY and MONDAY
Norma Talmadge in
"THE WONDERFUL THING"

This coupon, if presented with one adult ticket, will admit two to the Lyceum Theatre.
THE THIEF RIVER THEATRE CO.
By H. A. Brumund, Mgr.
(Good for this week only. Not good on Sunday.)

at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.
Dated January 19th, A. D. 1922.
BETSEY BRATRUD and ALMA BADEAUX (formerly Alma Bratrud), Assignee and present holder of mortgage.
JOHN BRATRUD, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee, McGinn Bldg., Thief River Falls, Minn.
(J-19-26-F-2-9-16-23)

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Gaston Ward, a single man, mortgagor, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 24th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 477, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and [illegible]

named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged, and praying that a license be to him granted to mortgage the same.

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 10th day of February, 1922.
LARS BACKE, Judge of Probate Court.
(Court Seal)
O. A. NAPLIN, Attorney for Petitioner.
F-16-23-M-2

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand [illegible] Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Thomas S. Jacobson and Marie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, as mortgagee, [illegible]

HOLLAM COMPANY, Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson, Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee, 821 Endicott Building, St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

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THIEF RIVER FALLS TIMES

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Historical Society
MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

SUPREME COURT UPHOLDS JUDGE IN GILLER CASE

Grindeland's Action in Setting Aside Jury's Verdict Held to Have Been Justified.

Held No Fraud Was Attempted in Securing Mrs. Giller's Name to Assignments.

Bank Found Blameless in Every Transaction With Family of Former Local Clothier.

The state supreme court last week handed down a decision upholding the action of Judge Andrew Grindeland of the Pennington county district in setting aside the verdict of the jury in the case of Bertha Giller against the First National Bank of Thief River Falls.

The opinion, which was written by the supreme court, upholds every contention submitted by the bank and finds for the defendant on every point at issue. The language of the court is so plain and the premises upon which the decision is based are so clearly set forth that justification for the trial court's action in setting aside the verdict of the jury is not left in doubt.

No Fraud Evident.

The case came on for hearing a year ago before Judge Grindeland and a jury. Fraud in securing the signature of Mrs. Giller to certain documents was charged and the jury returned a verdict of some $12,000 for the plaintiff. Judge Grindeland later set aside the verdict and plaintiff appealed. The higher court holds that there was no fraud on the part of the bank and that the jury was not justified in finding that plaintiff had been induced to execute any contracts through fraudulent presentations.

Is Lengthy Opinion.

The opinion of the superior court goes into the case in detail, recounting how the stock of Maurice Giller was partially destroyed by fire on the night of Jan. 7, 1919, the arrest of Giller on a charge of arson and the subsequent transactions of Mrs. Bertha Giller, the accused man's mother, with the bank. Maurice's bond had been fixed at $5,000 and Mrs. Giller asked C. L. Hansen, president of the bank, to act as surety in order that her son might be released from jail. This Mr. Hansen refused to do unless the bond was reduced and plaintiff agree to assign a sufficient amount in the shape of notes and mortgages held by her and Maurice to secure the bank against loss as well as cover the amount already owing the bank by her son. Collateral amounting to $11,300 was thereupon assigned by Mrs. Giller to the bank. In consideration thereof the bank agreed to surrender the insurance policies it held as security and to have Mr. Hansen execute the bond. All these conditions were performed. Thereafter Maurice was tried and convicted, and involuntary bankruptcy proceedings instituted against him resulted in his being adjudged a bankrupt. Later plaintiff demanded the return of her securities. Being refused she brought action, charging defendant with their conversion. She recovered a verdict for their face value and upon defendant's alternative motion, judgment in favor of the latter, notwithstanding the verdict, was ordered.

Details Are Recited.

One of the contentions of Mrs. Giller was that she did not clearly understand what she was signing, not being well versed in the English language. On this subject the supreme court says: "She professes not to understand the English language but a reading of her testimony hardly bears her out in this. Her husband had been a merchant in Thief River Falls for several years. After his death she continued the business in partnership with Maurice. She had more business experience than most women have. The partnership was dissolved in February, 1918, owing the bank several thousand dollars. Maurice's note of $6,640 represented $4,000 subsequently advanced to him by the bank and a balance of $2,640 upon original partnership indebtedness."

It developed at the trial that G. Howard Smith, Mrs. Giller's attorney, had further carefully read and explained all the provisions of the assignment to her before she attached her signature. Her daughter-in-law, Maurice's wife also made affidavit that Mrs. Bertha Giller, the plaintiff, admitted understanding fully the purpose of the transaction and signed it with full knowledge of its purport.

No Defect in Evidence.

In summing up the evidence the supreme court finds the following as outstanding features of the case:

"Viewing the evidence from any angle, it falls far short of showing that the contract does not express plaintiff's agreement with the bank or that her signature was obtained by fraud. The degree of proof required to overthrow a written contract is wholly lacking. The case is not one where there is a defect in the evidence which may be supplied on another trial. There is an entire absence of fraud.

"The order for judgement in defendant's favor is, therefore, affirmed."

DENNY LANES COMING WEDNESDAY FOR GAME WITH ATHLETICS

Manager Connell today expected to hear definitely that the Denny Lanes, the fastest basketball team in the Twin Cities, would be here for a game next Wednesday night. This aggregation is composed of former college players and is without question one of the very best in the entire country. The game will be called at the usual hour.

J. E. Morrisey Dead.

James E. Morrisey, long-time resident and former mayor of Crookston, died suddenly at his home in that city on Sunday. Intestinal trouble is given as the cause of death. Deceased was a man most highly regarded in his home community and enjoyed a large acquaintance all through the district.

CITY SADDENED BY SUDDEN DEATH OF ROBERT M'GINN JR.

Popular Student and Athlete Succumbs to Influenza Following Short Illness.

Robert Clifford McGinn, Jr., sixteen years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGinn of this city, died last Friday morning of influenza with internal hemorrhages as a contributing cause. While complaining of not feeling well for some time it was not until three days previous to his death that he found it necessary to take to his bed. His condition became alarming almost at once and the best medical authority obtainable was called into consultation. In spite of every effort, however, the young man grew steadily worse until a short time before his death, when he seemed to make a sudden rally which gave his relatives hope that the worst had been passed. This hope was short-lived, a sudden change in his condition terminating in his demise.

The funeral was held from St. Bernard's Catholic church on Saturday morning, the service by Father J. M. Noesen being read in the presence of an audience which filed the edifice to overflowing. Deceased was a member of the sophomore class of the Thief River Falls high school and the students at the institution attended the funeral in a body. Hundreds of friends of the family, who are pioneer residents of the city, gathered at the church to pay a last tribute to a highly promising young man whom many had watched grow from babyhood and whose later progress had been followed with more than the usual interest. He was of a very active disposition and generally to be found as a leader in matters usually engaging the attention of boys of his age. He was at Fosston with the high school basketball team when he is supposed to have contracted the disease which terminated in his death.

Robert McGinn was born in Thief River Falls on December 10, 1906, being a little more than 15 years of age at the time of his death. He was a great favorite with all with whom he came in contact because of his unfailing good nature and active disposition. Among his classmates he was held in the highest esteem, both as a student and as a pal, and his sudden death cast a deep gloom over the entire school.

Boyhood companions acted as pallbearers, these being Ernest and Muth Barzen, Charles Herron, Clifford LaBree, Clifford Sorenson and Herbert Keene. There was a wagonload of floral offerings at the funeral, a large number of societies and organizations as well as individuals sending their last tributes.

Deceased is survived by his parents, one brother, Donis, who is a student at St. Thomas college, St. Paul, and two sisters, Sybil, who is a member of this year's senior class, and Marcella, a grade pupil.

THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS OF UNUSUAL INTEREST WILL BE PRESENTED

High School Dramatic Club Will Give Novel Entertainment at Auditorium on Friday Evening, March 3.

An entertainment of unusual interest will be presented by the High School Dramatic club at the auditorium on Friday evening, March 3. Three one-act plays will be given, each a gem of its kind.

"The Singing Sou," is based upon an old Chinese legend of the bell that will not ring until human sacrifice gives it a soul. The scene is laid at the home of a mandarin in Pekin. This will be the first of the plays and is said to be beautiful in the extreme.

"A Pierort of the Minute" is the story of one who has never known love and seeks it in the grove of Venus. Here he barters all hope of future happiness for one hour with the moon-maid. Poetry, music and dancing feature this part of the entertainment.

"A Flower of the Yeddo" is a Japanese comedy in verse and concerned with the temptations offered the poet Kami.

FIFTY DOLLARS IS OFFERED AS SPECIAL PRIZE

Contestant Turning in Largest Amount During Next Two Weeks Gets Award.

Cash Already Turned in Will Not Count in This Second Period Competition.

Winner of This Special Also Has Same Chance of Becoming Owner of Buick Car.

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$50.00 IN GOLD

Second Period Special Prize for the best subscription money showing between Feb. 23 and March 18.

Only subscription money sent in during the second period will count towards winning the special prize of $50.

No subscription money sent in before Feb. 23 will count towards winning the special prize of $50.

Winning the $50 will in no way interfere with winning the Buick, the Ford, or the other Grand Free Prizes.

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The standings in The Times Salesmanship Campaign tell their own story.

But the big thing before the contestants now is who will win the $50 offered for the best subscription money showing in the second period. Fifty dollars is not to be picked up every two weeks and it will go to the best second period subscription hustler. It makes no difference where you stand on the list today. You can step out and win the second period special prize of $50. No subscription money turned in before the close of the first period will count towards the winning of the special prize. The same subscription money that you turn in towards winning the $50 will also earn you "credits" under the second period scale. These are the Golden Days of the entire campaign. Some salesman will receive a salary of $25 a week for going out and winning the lead for the Big Buick during the second period.

The salesman or saleswoman in this campaign who makes an earnest effort to win the second period cash prize will also be making an earnest effort to win the Buick, the Ford, or the other Grand Free Prizes that are to be given away at the close of the campaign. Wishers are never winners. A wisher is like a person riding in a merry-go-round. He does a lot of traveling but comes right back to the place he started from. Make these next two weeks net you not only the special prize of $50 but also the lead for the Big Buick. Get out of the "wishers" class and get into the "winners" class. Get the winning habit by winning the $50 and the winning of the Buick will come easy. Remember subscriptions still earn more "credits" now and to March 8 than they will later. Make these next two weeks just bristle with activity.

In a few short weeks from now, when the snow has left the ground and you can go whizzing over the country roads in "your Buick" you are going to look back at these days and say to yourself: "I'm mighty glad I hustled during the second period." Jump in now and work with fever heat. It will pay you well. Don't be satisfied with anything you do. It is better to have far too many "credits" than to lose the Big Buick by lacking just a few. Now is the time to pile up a reserve that will make winning later a cinch. Besides, $50 will buy a lot of gasoline.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Day, March 1

Agnes Oftedahl, City	87,750
Paul Engelstad, City	72,125
Helmer Ostrom, City	37,225
Hannah Peterson, City	20,900
Julius Liden, Steiner	5,900
Peter Klungness, Route 2	2,750
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanon, Goodridge	1,000

FARM INSTITUTES AT TWO POINTS IN COUNTY NEXT WEEK

Meetings to Be Held at Goodridge on Monday and Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

A farmers' institute will be held in the Commercial club rooms in this city on Tuesday, Feb. 28, the forenoon session starting at 10 and the afternoon meeting at 2 o'clock. O. M. Olson of Moorhead and J. E. Eastgate of Larimore, N. D., will be the principal speakers. Mr. Olson is the county agent for Clay county, while Mr. Eastgate has had long experience as a successful livestock raiser and general farmer. Subjects of particular interest to the farmers of this section which will be taken up at the meeting are: Crop Rotation and Soil Fertility; Care, Feeding and Handling of Livestock; Alfalfa and Sweet Clover; Sheep; Potato Growing; Corn and Other Crops for Grain and Forage; Soils and Tillage; Clover; Hogs.

On Tuesday afternoon there will be a special session for those who are interested in farm bureau work in Pennington county. Matters of particular interest will be taken up for consideration at that time and it is hoped there will be a large attendance. Residents in the city as well as those on farms are particularly urged to be on hand for this session.

A similar institute will be held at Goodridge on Monday. People in the eastern section of the county who are interested in the forming of a potato association are expected at that time to take the necessary steps for joining the county organization and make plans for the spring planting.

These will be the last institutes in this part of the state for the present year and as the program is one of unusual interest farmers particularly should make it a point to be present.

BLAMES NEIGHBOR FOR ALIENATION OF WIFE'S AFFECTIONS

Gunder Gunderson Asks $15,000 Damages From Ole Nereson in First Case Tried.

Judge Grindeland has started off the February term of the district court with what promises to be one of the most interesting cases on the calendar. Gunder Gunderson, a resident of Deer Park township, is suing Ole Nareson, residing a short distance away, for $15,000, alleging the alienation of his wife's affections. The case was begun on Tuesday with F. A. Grady of Crookston appearing for plaintiff, and E. M. Stanton of Thief River Falls, Chas. Boughton of Red Lake Falls, and Julius Olson of Warren for defendant.

The complaint sets forth that the Gundersons rented a farm from Nereson but that the latter did not move sufficiently far away, complications ensuing which caused a great deal of grief to Gunderson. The testimony promises to be rather interesting and has already brought out large crowds to the court room. This case was on trial when court adjourned Tuesday evening and is to be continued this morning.

So far as can be learned this is the first case of the kind ever tried in the county.

MORE SUGAR BEETS TO BE CONTRACTED FOR NEXT SEASON

Meeting of Growers and Refinery Agent to Be Held in This City March 9.

M. H. Dana, agriculturist for the Minnesota Sugar company, will be in Thief River Falls on March 9 for the purpose of alloting sugar beet acreage for the coming summer to growers in Pennington county. In his letter to County Agent J. J. McCann, Mr. Dana says he has a better proposition to offer beet raisers than was presented last season and that his company will be able to handle a much larger acreage in this section.

Many applications for contracts are already in the hands of Mr. McCann and indications are that many who have not heretofore tried beet raising will make the experiment this year. One man asks for an allotmnet of 40 acres and there are a number who will agree to sow and care for 20 acres.

In order that all may be given an even chance it has been decided to call a meeting of those interested for the afternoon of Thursday, March 9, in ordr that the entire proposition may be laid before the growers by Mr. Dana himself. It will be well for any who contemplate going into this business to be present at this time in order that they may receive full information first hand.

Officers For Year Chosen By American Legion Post

Members of Elmer J. Eklund Post, American Legion, held the annual election of officers and banquet at the Commercial club rooms on Tuesday evening. The principal topic of discussion centered about the securing of new club rooms.

Following is a list of the officers elected: Oscar Paulson, commander; L. H. Hermanson, first vice commander; Gilmore Huseby, second vice commander; L. C. Nielsen, adjutant; F. E. McGinn, treasurer; Henry Froseth, sergeant at arms.

Novelty Dance to Close Season For Elks' Lodge

Thief River Falls lodge of Elks will give a dancing party for members and their ladies on Friday evening at the lodge room. The affair will be novel in many respects but the details have not yet all been worked out. Good music has been secured and the lunch arrangements will be looked after by Mrs. Louise Pawling.

CLUB TAKES UP FARM BUREAU'S FINANCING PLAN

Matter of Devising Ways and Means For Continuing Work Will Be Considered.

Booklet Advertising Pennington County and Thief River Falls May Be Issued.

President Froehlich Announces Members of Standing Committees For This Term.

The Thief River Falls Commercial club has taken up the matter of providing ways and means for carrying on the work of the Pennington county farm bureau, the arrangement under which the bureau has been operating the past year nearing expiration.

For some time the organization has been kept going largely through voluntary contributions, the greater share of which have been secured from Thief River Falls business men. This was made necessary by the refusal of the county commissioners to make an appropriation for the bureau's maintenance. While the plan has not permitted of much in the way of expansion and experimentation, the income has been sufficient to keep the organization alive and help pay the salary of the county agent. A similar arrangement will have to be made for the future if the value of the excellent work already accomplished is not to be in a large measure lost.

In Committee's Hands.

President H. W. Froehlich of the club strongly favors the continuation of the bureau and has left the matter of finding a plan for financing it to the public affairs committee, composed of the following energetic citizens: W. J. Brown, chairman; C. L. Hansen, H. S. Dahlen, T. L. Melgaard and John Bratrud.

The matter of getting out an advertising booklet is under consideration by the publicity committee. Should such step be deemed advisable the publication will be one of the finest of its kind ever turned out in the state. Particular stress is to be laid on the farming opportunities held out in the region tributary to Thief River Falls, a larger agricultural population being deemed of even greater importance than immediate city development. One is certain to follow the other in any event and club officials are of the opinion that by boosting farming they will best be advancing the interests of the town.

Committees Appointed.

Standing committees have been appointed for the present year by President Froehlich as follows, the first named being the chairman in each case:

Membership, H. W. Protzeller, C. A. Munn, L. H. Lawrence, Ray Johnson.

Railroad and transportation, W. B. Fuller, Robert McGinn, Isak Helseth, H. O. Chommie, H. A. Pratt.

Good roads, Daniel Shaw, G. C. Streeter, L. R. Johnston, Nels Christianson, F. J. Stebbins.

Convention, L. H. Larson, H. M. Langseth, Dr. G. W. Booren, G. L. Biddick.

Public affairs, W. J. Brown, C. L. Hansen, H. S. Dahlen, T. L. Melgaar, John Bratrud.

Publicity, J. S. Arneson, R. H. Ross, I. T. Simley, H. A. Brumund, Geo. C. Loken.

Ways and means, F. H. Herrick, F. F. Haynes, Dr. C. M. Adkins, T. L. Melgaard, E. L. Rolland.

Club rooms, F. C. Nielsi, Carl B. Larson, F. M. Shanahan.

Industrial, Dr. O. F. Mellby, H. C. Johnson, John Morgan, E. O. Mogensen, Math Barzen.

Legislation, Theo. Quale, G. Haward Smith, H. O. Loken.

Entertainment, Julien Provencher, H. DeParcq; E. M. Stanton, Jr., Walter Jung.

Agricultural, J. J. McCann, Olaf Ramstad, V. C. Noper, G. C. Tessum, Andrew Bottelsen, M. T. McFarland.

Auditing, P. O. Myhrum, Geo. W. Werstlein, T. M. Thronson.

40 PER CENT GAIN IN CREAM RECEIPTS DECEMBER RECORD

Should Increase Continue Local Plant Will Be Unable to Meet Demands Later.

Should the receipts of the creamery continue to increase in the same ratio as during the past four months the plant will be swamped long before the usual summer run is encountered and it will be impossible to handle all the butterfat offered. Each month since November has shown a heavy increase over the corresponding period a year ago, this amounting to 40 per cent in December. During the winter months no trouble is experienced in taking care of all that is offered but at this rate the capacity of the creamery will have been reached long before the heavier supplies of the summer months come in. This means that the amount of cream passing through the city, which now amounts to 1,750,000 pounds a year, will be still further increased, and emphasizes the need for a larger creamery at this point.

Jens Kierk heads the list of producers for December, followed by Hans Anton and Peter Engelstad, all of whom received checks for more than $200 for the month. Others whose income from their herds reached more than $50 were:

Jens Kierk, $284.38; Hans Anton, $231.62; Peter Engelstad, $224.52; M. T. McFarland, $166.56; Waldie Christenson, $147.64; S. E. Hunt, $117.54; L. O. Stenseth, $98.74; R. M. Johnson, $97.06; Mrs. J. J. Berg, $78.58; H. Koop, $78.30; H. T. Waale, $78.27; Gust Wilkin, $77.61; John N. Swanson, $74.28; Christ Nelson, $74.20; S. Sorenson, $72.37; August Koglin, $67.87; C. H. Swanson, $65.71; Voldness Bros., $64.33; E. Edman, $63.49; Wm. Myrkens, $61.30; H. Pope, $60.74; C. Liden, $60.06; A. C. Simonson, $59.38; Paul Engelstad, $57.97; L. O. Williams, $58.80; C. Wiener, $57.48; C. Odegaard, $56.73; Will Smith $55.06; M. G. Shumway, $54.48; Willadson Bros., $54.28; Ole Johnsrud, $53.10; H. C. Woolson, $52.62; James Wilson, $50.73; John Lamporter, $50.00.

HANSEN FILES AS SENATE CANDIDATE FROM SIXTY-FIFTH

Thief River Falls Banker Enters Race For Place Now Held By O. A. Naplin.

C. L. Hansen, president of the First National bank of Thief River Falls, has filed as a candidate for state senator from this district, composed of Pennington, Red Lake and Clearwater counties. He is the first legislative candidate from the district to enter the race.

Mr. Hansen is one of the best known men in the northwestern part of the state and has been active in public affairs for many years. He was a candidate for the same office in 1914 but was defeated by D. P. O'Neill by a close vote after a strenuous campaign. Urged to try for the place four years ago he declined, business matters making it impossible for him to give the campaign his attention at that time.

While Mr. Hansen has as yet announced no particular platform his attitude toward anything calculated to improve and advance this section of the state is so well known that any pronouncement of the [illegible] would be rather superfluous. He [illegible] been a resident of the district for more than 20 years and understands its needs as well as its advantages perhaps as thoroughly as any man who could be chosen. The senatorial nomination will go to Pennington county by tacit agreement and the probabilities are that the county's vote will be the deciding factor. Such being the case the senatorship will be practically cinched in the primary election.

O. A. Naplin, the present senator, will in all probability be a candidate for re-election, although he has not as yet definitely declared himself. He made a good record during his first term and will be a strong opponent should he finally decide to enter the race.

Farmer Serving 25 Days For Beating Up Spouse

Theodore Nelson, a farmer residing in the eastern end of the county, is sojourning in the Pennington county jail upon invitation of Judge N. W. Tarrant of the municipal court. Nelson was arrested on complaint of his wife, who claimed that he had beaten, bruised, maltreated and injured her. The husband admitted taking a wallop at his better half but stated to the court that her actions "made him so hot" that he could not help himself. The judge dryly remarked that 25 days in the lockup might be helpful on cooling him off.

PRESENT MEMBERS OF WELFARE BOARD FOR COUNTY REAPPOINTED

The state board of control yesterday announced the appointment of the following members of the Pennington County Child Welfare board: Mrs. J. M. Bishop and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Thief River Falls, and Peter C. Wold, Kratka. Geo. M. Gunderson, county superintendent of schools, and Oscar J. Peterson, chairman of the board of county commissioners, are ex-officio members.

It was stated at the board office that there are now 70 child welfare boards in the state with a total membership of 356, Minnesota being a pioneer leader in this form of organization and in the completeness and general excellence of its laws protecting children.

In complimenting the work of the child welfare board in this county, the board of control said: "It is a source of gratification to us that your board has recognized that the protection of child life is the community's first obligation and a measure of its humanity. By your unselfish service to the dependent, neglected, delinquent and feeble minded children of your county and your effective cooperation with Judge Lars Backe in the administration of the juvenile court and mother's allowance laws, you are enrolled as a crusader in the conservation of child life."

GUMMER'S FATE LEFT WITH JURY EARLY TONIGHT

Testimony All in and Attorneys Scheduled to Begin Their Pleas This Morning.

Accused Regarded as Having Injured Own Case By Insolent Bearing at Trial.

Says Seventeen of State's Witnesses Lied With Reference to Important Points.

The case of William Gummer, on trial at Valley City, N. D., for the murder of Miss Marie Wick of Grygla, is not expected to be in the hands of the jury until sometime this evening. Attorneys were scheduled to begin their arguments at 10 o'clock today when court reconvened after an adjournment taken on Wednesday because of the illness of State's Attorney William Green.

Mr. Green will be the only one to speak for the state today. Judge W. J. Barnett, chief counsel for Gummer, will take at least two hours to present his case and that is expected to end the summing up for the defense. Claire Brickner, associated with Judge Barnett, may present some arguments, but this is not certain.

Speculate on Outcome.

Because of the widespread interest in the case there is a great deal of speculation as to the outcome. This is not confined to Fargo and Valley City but is as keen in nearly every community in northwestern Minnesota. People residing in Thief River Falls are keeping particularly close watch of the developments, the murdered girl being known to quite a number here.

The general impression is that Gummer did not come through the ordeal of cross-examination as safely as his case demanded and there is a marked change of sentiment noticeable during the last few days. Up until that time the general feeling was that the state had failed to produce anything in the way of evidence which would justify the jury in finding Gummer guilty. The attitude of the accused while on the stand did not help his case with the public, his insolent bearing towards the state's attorney having a particularly bad effect.

Seventeen Called Liars.

Gummer, and Brown, his roommate, declared between them that 17 of the state's witnesses lied in giving their testimony. This sweeping assertion includes practically all the important statements made by the witnesses put on the stand by the prosecution.

Jurors Warned.

Judge C. M. Cooley warned the jurors against making up their minds until after they had heard the law in the case explained to them. He told them that inasmuch as the testimony was all in, they might think that they were permitted to immediately come to a conclusion, but he told them they were to keep their minds open until the case was actually presented to them.

Rebuttal Completed.

The state completed its rebuttal testimony Tuesday morning. The witnesses, consisting entirely of Cass county and Fargo officials, were called to clear up a number of features regarding Gummer's and Brown's declarations.

As a concluding feature, the defense called A. P. Bergeson of Willmar, who declared that in 1918, when he was chief of police, he knew a man man in Willmar by the name of James Farrell. He said Farrell was a Northern Pacific brakeman, was five feet seven inches tall, weighed about 160 pounds and was 27 or 30 years old.

Jeffers After Job.

Frank Jeffers of Red Lake Falls was in the city the first of the week enroute to St. Paul to present a petition for his appointment as field manager for the Co-operative Sales Agency as a successor to Mr. Montgomery, who was promoted to the manager's position left vacant by the death of W. A. McKerrow. Mr. Jef-

Thief River-Stephen High School Contest Friday

The wind-up game of the high school basketball season before the tournament will be played at the auditorium on Friday evening, at which time Stephen will oppose the Thief River Falls team. Stephen defeated the locals on the floor of the former team some time ago by a score of 21 to 12 and every effort will be made to wipe out this defeat. Friday night's game will be one of the best in the entire school series and well worth seeing.

It is hoped that there will be a good turnout to this game as the boys are a little behind on the expense of the season and they are in hopes of clearing enough on this last exhibition to put them in the clear. They have made a good record in spite of the fact that they were hardly of championship calibre and put up a game worthy of far more support than they have been receiving.

City News

J. M. Russell of Duluth was a visitor in the city Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heard are the parents of a daughter, born Feb. 18.

Ray McDonald of Goodridge was in the city Saturday visiting friends.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell on Monday, Feb. 20.

Art Hanson of St. Hilaire visited local friends between trains Thursday.

Mrs. F. C. Niclai is confined at the Warren hospital, following an operation.

Supt. B. O. Norby of Goodridge spent the week-end visiting friends here.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Havel on Saturday, Feb. 18.

S. O. Osgaard, banker at Gatzke, was a business caller in the city on Monday.

John Hoglin of Alvarado visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hoglin over Sunday.

Three beautiful one-act plays at auditorium Friday evening, March 3. —Advertisement. F-23

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee of St. Hilaire were visitors in the city last Thursday evening.

Barney Olson, cashier of a bank at Strathcona, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. H. K. Strand left Friday afternoon for St. Hilaire for a brief visit with friends.

Lynn Halvorson returned Thursday night from a month's sojourn at Duluth and Superior.

Mrs. S. Leiren and daughter left Tuesday morning for Holt on a brief visit with relatives.

Read the advertisement of the High School Dramatic club in this issue.—Advertisement. F-23

Mrs. D. W. Cody of Minneapolis is spending the week as the guest of Dr. Jennie Eastman.

Miss Hattie Anderson of Middle River attended to shopping here on Friday and Saturday.

Miss Esther Hendrickson left on Tuesday for St. Hilaire to spend a few days with friends.

F. A. Gohler, assistant postmaster, spent a few days this [illegible] twin cities on business.

Mrs. Ed. O'Hara of Holt was in the city Saturday attending the shopping and visiting friends.

Mrs. Wm. Heron left Monday for Viking to spend a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jensen.

E. P. Ahlborn, formerly of this city but now of Fargo, was a visitor here the first of the week.

Miss Esther Hendrickson came up from Crookston Thursday evening to attend the basketball game.

Roy Brown, who has been confined to his home for a few days with a bad cold, is much improved.

Miss Christine Clausen left Monday morning for Badum to spend a short time visiting relatives.

Miss Hazel Welo has returned to Roseau, where she teaches, after a brief visit with her mother.

Mrs. R. Sabo and Mrs. J. M. Schel of Mavie were in the city Tuesday on a shopping expedition.

Rev. T. E. Sweger left yesterday afternoon for Moorhead to attend a district meeting of clergymen.

L. L. Cohn of the Palace Clothing company left Monday night for the Twin Cities on a business trip.

Tom Majeres of Crookston came up on the special Thursday evening to attend the basketball game.

Fred Hoyez of Warroad visited with local friends over the week-end, returning to his home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Erickson of Red Lake Falls attended the basketball game here Thursday night.

Give nature a chance. Take Tanlac, nature's own medicine. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Ole Johnson left Monday for Devils Lake, N. D., where she was called by the death of her mother.

Mrs. F. E. Hunt left Monday afternoon for Red Lake Falls to visit Mr. Hunt's parents for a few days.

Mrs. Carl Anderson and son left Friday morning for a several days' visit with relatives at Middle River.

Herbert Haroldson of Crookston came up on the special Thursday evening to attend the basketball game.

Dressed beef and pork wanted at the New Meat Market. Top prices paid.—Advertisement. F-23-p

Mrs. Ila Reynolds left this week for Minneapolis to attend a meeting of federated clubs held there this week.

Don't miss the entertainment given by the High School Dramatic club at the auditorium on Friday evening, March 3.—Advertisement. F-23

Miss Lucille McGinnity left Tuesday afternoon for St. Hilaire, where she remained over night as the guest of her sister, Miss Mabel, who is engaged in teaching at that place.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse and baby left yesterday afternoon for Crookston to visit relatives for a short time.

Mrs. C. H. Hallen left Friday afternoon for Crookston to visit her brother, who is in a hospital at that place.

Miss Ida Isaacs, who had been a guest at the Bundy home for a few days, returned to Fargo Friday afternoon.

Miss Corrinne Skramstad returned Tuesday afternoon from Holt, where she had visited with friends for a few days.

Axel Hellquist of Rosewood arrived Friday evening to spend several days visiting at the C. E. Hellquist home.

Miss Thordis Swensgaard, student at the local high school, spent Saturday and Sunday at Mavie visiting her parents.

W. H. Frederick returned the latter part of last week from Bemidji, where he had spent a few days on business.

Gay Halvorson, of the Thief River Monumental company, left Monday afternoon on a business trip to Fargo, N. D.

T. T. Kiland left Tuesday afternoon for Jamestown, N. D., where his brother is critically ill in one of the hospitals.

Mrs. Dave Mosbeck of Rosewood left this city Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to spend several days visiting relatives.

Attorney J. M. Bishop returned on Tuesday from Strathcona, where he had spent a day looking after business interests.

Mrs. John Moberg returned to her home at Holt Monday, having visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Leiren.

Mrs. E. J. Richards and Mrs. C. T. Christianson left Monday night for Minneapolis, where they will attend a meeting of the Women's Federated clubs.

Dewey Kiewel of Crookston was in the city Thursday evening visiting friends and also attended the basketball game.

Mrs. Jos. Hruby of Mavie spent a few days this week visiting her daughter, Miss Alice, who is employed in this city.

G. Howard Smith this week purchased the A. S. Sapero residence on Duluth avenue and will occupy it in the near future.

Announcement has been received here by relatives of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scanlan in Minneapolis.

Mrs. J. H. Johnson of Badger arrived Saturday afternoon and remained over Sunday as the guest of Mrs. S. Hanson.

Norman Patterson came up from St. Hilaire on the special train last Thursday evening to witness the big basketball game.

Beautiful, artistic, entertaining—the three one-act plays of the High School Dramatic club. See announcement.—Advertisement. F-23

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Herrick of Warren were in the city on Saturday to attend the funeral of their nephew, Robert McGinn, Jr.

Mrs. H. E. Palmer arrived Tuesday morning from Red Lake Falls for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnston.

C. M. Carlson, contractor, returned the latter part of last week from Minneapolis, where he had attended to matters of business.

Miss Elsie Causin, who visited here over the week-end, returned Tuesday morning to Red Lake Falls, near which place she teaches.

Supt. B. O. Norby of Goodridge was in the city last evening to attend the Washington party given by the Eastern Star lodge.

Miss Effie Hamry returned last evening from Goodridge, where she had spent the day as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berg of Mavie were in the city over Sunday visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Revdahl.

Mrs. H. W. Froehlich returned this morning from Minneapolis where she had spent a week attending the state meeting of Federated clubs.

Roy Louden left Friday evening for Minneapolis to visit his mother. While here Mr. Louden was a member of the basketball team.

Alf Krohn, who had spent several days visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. F. E. Hunt, returned Monday afternoon to Devils Lake.

Misses Myrtle Krohn and Ruth Knutson, who spent the week-end in Minneapolis with relatives, returned to this city Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Noper and children left Sunday night for Good Hope, Ill., where they will spend three weeks visiting with relatives.

Miss Katherine Wigge of Crookston visited with friends here Thursday evening, having come up on the special to attend the basketball game.

Miss Mabel Larson, who had visited with relatives and friends here since Christmas, returned the first of the week to her home at Cooperstown, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen and son, Stanton, returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where they had been the guests of friends over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Yotter, who had spent three weeks visiting relatives and friends at Colorado Springs and Denver, returned to their home here Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Doland, who had visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams, for a few days, returned to their home at Grand Forks on Monday.

J. S. Arneson returned yesterday morning from Minneapolis, where he had attended the meeting of the Minnesota Editorial association held Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. B. O. Sampson was among those from Crookston who attended the basketball game here Thursday night. Mr. Sampson is a member of the Crookston team.

Wm. Duvall of Minneapolis came down Tuesday afternoon from Warroad, where he had spent a few days on business. He will remain in this territory for a week.

Supt. C. A. Manthe of the Northern division of the Great Northern, came up from Crookston on Tuesday and remained between trains looking after business matters.

Mrs. M. T. McFarland and son came up from Fisher Monday morning and visited with Mr. McFarland until Wednesday afternoon, when they returned to Fisher.

B. A. Hagen returned to his home at Oslo Saturday after a brief visit with his father-in-law, Robt. Hanson, who is confined at the Physicians hospital following an operation.

Misses Hazel Haroldson and Alpha Shoberg of Crookston were guests of Lottie Austin Thursday and Friday, having come up to attend the basketball game Thursday night.

Mrs. H. A. Brumund was rushed to the Physicians hospital yesterday morning and underwent an operation for gallstones. She is reported as getting along very favorably.

Tanlac strengthens the nerves and brings back the normal state of health through its effect on the appetite and nutrition of the body.—Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, Miss Mabel McGinnity and Miss Mildred Peterson of St. Hilaire were among those from out of town who attended the basketball game here Thursday evening.

Dennis McGinn arrived Friday morning from Minneapolis, where he is attending St. Thomas college, in response to a telegram informing him of the death of his brother, Robert.

Miss Lucille Burns, who left last Thursday night for Minneapolis and Cambridge to visit for a few days, returned Tuesday morning. Miss Burns taught in the Cambridge school last year.

Miss Alice Solem, graduate nurse, returned to her home at Holt Friday after a week's stay here. Miss Solem was at the McGinn home during the illness of Robert McGinn, who passed away Thursday night.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen, Ray and Miss Ruby Jensen, and their guest, Miss Victoria Jasperson of Aberdeen, S. D., shopped between trains here on Saturday. They returned to Goodridge in the afternoon.

Three one-act plays—"The Singing Soul," "A Pierrot of the Minute," and "A Flower of Yeddo," by the High School Dramatic club at the auditorium, Friday evening, March 3. Don't miss it.—Advertisement. F-23

F. H. Herrick, secretary of the Thief River Grocery company, and Nels Christianson, treasurer of the same concern, left Monday afternoon for Fargo to attend a district meeting of wholesale grocers.

Mrs. C. A. Price returned to her home in Minneapolis Friday evening, having spent a few days here with Mr. Price, who is in charge of the subscription campaign now being conducted by The Times.

According to word received by local friends and relatives, Secretary of State Mike Holm is confined to his home with an attack of "flu." He has been ill since his return from the Crookston farm crops show.

Miss Myrtle Satre, who came up on the special from Crookston last Thursday, returned to the place Saturday after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Satre. Miss Satre teaches near Crookston.

Rev. J. T. Parmeter of the Children's Home society of Minnesota, who took the place of Rev. Savage, deceased, visited here last week. He thanks the many friends of the society here for personal favors and generous co-operation.

Misses Signa Erickson, Agnes Sorenson and Oveda Peterson, all of Grygla, visited friends here for a short time on Monday, leaving on the Great Northern in the afternoon for Grand Forks, where they will be employed.

Rev. and Mrs. N. Logeland of Nevis were in the city during the Zion Lutheran church meetings here the latter part of last week, returning to their home Monday. Rev. Logeland was one of the principal speakers at the meetings.

T. Gullickson, who has been employed by the Great Northern at Fosston, arrived here Monday to exercise his seniority rights and took up his duties in the local office as assistant cashier, which position was formerly held by Roy Brown.

Friends of Miss Grace Iverson, instructor in Latin at the local high school last year, will be interested in knowing that she accepted a position in the Redwood Falls high school six weeks ago. Up to that time she had remained in Minneapolis with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, who have made this city their home for the past five years, left Monday evening for Chisholm, where Mr. Sapero will have charge of their large store. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Sapero will live at the Androy hotel, Hibbing.

If the people who have taken Tanlac were to form a line of march in single file, this grand army would reach clear across the American continent from New York to San Francisco and extend over 3,000 miles into the Pacific ocean. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr., have received announcement of the birth of a 7½ pound daughter to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fredericks at Bremerton, Wash., Monday, Feb. 20. Mother and child are reported as doing nicely. Mrs. Fredericks is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Prichard.

Churches

Trinity Lutheran Church.

T. E. Sweger, Pastor

Choir rehearsal at the church on Thursday evening at 7:30. No meeting of the confirmation class Saturday. The pastor will be in attendance at the pastoral conference of the Northern Minnesota and North Dakota districts at Moorhead and Fargo. Divine services by Rev. E. A. Mostue, Sunday at 11 a. m., in Norwegian. No evening service. Ladies' Aid Society meets in the church parlors Thursday, March 2, entertained by Mesdames I. T. Simley, P. L. Vistunet, Gilbert Sandum and T. O. Hofto. Luther League in the evening. Circuit meeting March 7 to 9.

Zion Lutheran Church.

George Larson, Pastor.

Services 11 a. m. English services 7:45 p. m. Trustee meeting Monday evening at Erick Aspelund home. The Zion Ladies' Aid will be entertained on Thursday by Mrs. Iver Wistven. Zion Young People's Society Thursday evening, entertained by Misses Inga and Borghild Iverson. Goodridge Ladies' Aid Wednesday, March 1, at 2 p. m. The confirmants of Goodridge will meet from 1 to 2 the same day. The Girls' Sewing Circle meets with Miss Alma Savig on Tuesday evening, the 21st.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, Feb. 26, "Christ Jesus." Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

St. John's Lutheran Church.

E. H. Kreidt, Pastor

German services with holy communion Sunday 10:30 a. m. Confessional address begins at 10 a. m. Sunday school 11:30 a. m. Mrs. P. O. Myhrum will entertain the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon in the church basement.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.

O. J. Lundell, Pastor.

Sunday, Feb. 26: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. Young People's meeting Friday at 8 p. m. Welcome.

Obituary

Eva Christina Carlson.

On Tuesday, Feb. 14, occurred the death of Mrs. Eva Christina Carlson, widow of John Carlson, at Rosewood, after an illness of three days with influenza. Deceased was born in Sweden 71 years ago and came to this country 66 years ago. Funeral services took place at Rosewood and interment was made in Wildwood cemetery, on Monday.

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The *Simonson Meat and Grocery* is shortly to inaugurate one of the greatest price-slashing events ever offered Thief River Falls residents. The store will be closed from Monday until date of sale, during which time everything will be marked down away below cost. It is a money-raising event and someone will receive the benefit. Watch The Times for further particulars. Wait for it. —Advertisement. F-23

Notice to Voters.

The annual caucus for the Town of North will be held at the Oen Mercantile store March 7, at 8 p. m.

f3-m2 ALFRED LONGREN, Clerk.

Notice to the Public:

This is to notify all concerned that on and after this date I will not be responsible for bills contracted by Mrs. W. E. Baker.

Dated Feb. 16, 1922.

W. E. BAKER.

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GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.38
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.34
Flax, per bu.	2.33
Barley, per bu.	.38
Oats, per bu.	.26
Rye, per bu.	.88
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.70
Cracked corn, per 100 lb. bags	1.30
Whole corn, 100 lb. bag	1.20
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.30
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.16
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	[illegible]
Hens, light	[illegible]
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.10
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.25
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.30
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.06
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08½
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

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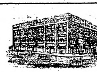

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History of Thief River Falls.

Inquiry is often made as to how Thief River Falls received its name. Upon investigation we find that the name of Thief River is older than the town itself. It has been told that the Sioux, who lived here before the Chippewas drove them out, had a *member of their tribe who was a* murderer. He lived along the river's bank and subsisted mainly on the things he stole, and although the Sioux were driven out, the name of Thief River remained.

The land upon which Thief River Falls is now located was first surveyed in 1879. In 1880 Frank Russell located here as a squatter and built a log house on the west side of the bridge. The following year he sold his improvements to John B. LaBree for a white cow, a light wagon and sixty dollars cash, and the promise of two lots when the ground should be plotted. The plot was recorded on August 21, 1883, by Mr. Kretzschmar, who was the first president of the village and later was mayor of the city.

To begin with, Thief River Falls had only a small shack for a store, which was owned by Mr. Oen and located where his store today stands. The First State bank was the first bank. It was a frame building and stood on the corner where the Jung bakery now is. A few blocks north of the business center and located close by Main avenue was the home of Indian Chief Moosedung. In this locality, around Thief River, the Chippewas would come together and dance their war dances and relate their heroic deeds.

In 1888 a dam was built across the Red Lake river, which resulted in the erection of two flour mills and a saw mill. These were the first large factors in the development of Thief River Falls, as the saw mill alone employed several hundred men.

In 1904 the Indians were removed to a reservation. The relations between Indians and whites were at all times peaceful and pleasant.

For a great many years Thief River Falls was the termination of the Great Northern railroad. In 1906 the Soo line was also run through. Pennington county was named after the president of the line.

Although Thief River Falls has not grown so rapidly since the removal of the saw mill, yet it has progressed steadily and at present is one of the leading cities of northern Minnesota. —B. A. '22. M. L. '22.

History of Our Schools.

The first school taught in Thief River Falls was in 1883, for a term of three months. A small building near the iron bridge was used, the teacher's desk being a dry goods box and the seats were planks laid on powder kegs. There were only ten pupils enrolled for this term. The next year the school was taught in a building on Third street where Remmem's livery stable now stands. The attendance was so large that the building was moved over near the place of the first school, and another teacher engaged. The first school board consisted of Director John LaBree; Clerk Ed. LaBree, and Treasurer Denis Conely.

During the next few years the city's growth was so rapid that three more schools were built to accommodate the pupils. The east side, then known as Red Lake Rapids, was united with the west side in 1901, the whole forming independent district number eighteen.

Our present high school had its start in 1900 with a total enrollment of seven students. Contrast that with its present number of four hundred! Statistics show that the steady growth of the high school from 1900. In 1904 two students graduated; in 1908, seven; in 1910, twenty-eight; in 1916, fifty-two; in 1918, seventy-five; in 1920, seventy-eight. The first high school building was the Washington school, but in 1910 the new Lincoln building replaced it.

Athletics began with a district championship team in 1909. Basketball started in 1911, and Lincoln high has had a very high standing in athletics ever since, many times claiming district championships.

The first class graduated under Superintendent J. A. Wilson. He was followed by Superintendent J. H. Hay, who held the position for nineteen years. Then came Superintendent W. A. Ziegler, who was with us for two years, and now Superintendent I. T. Simley, whom we hope to keep for a long time.

The schools of Thief River Falls have always been a matter of deep concern to her citizens, and the enrolment has always been remarkably large in proportion to the size of the town.—D. E. '22. C. W. '22.

History of Our Class.

It was our first day in high school and the vastness and grandeur of the place dazzled me. We cautiously crept up the stairs and after wandering about in the upper hall we were finally discovered by a kind looking lady and directed to the assembly door. We huddled together at the door like panic-stricken sheep and after some encouraging and a few harsh words by the teachers were finally induced to enter. My heart kept time with my feet as we thumped into the room and I was so terrified by the sea of faces and sounds of giggles and jeers, I forgot to chew my gum. We began to crowd, which resulted in a rush for empty seats, and when I reached one I collapsed into it with a sigh of relief. When I had recovered I began to stare around the room at the statues of William Shakesfellow and other celebrities and began to feel myself a part of this wonderful school at last.

As the months went by the upper classmen seemed to have some special attraction for us the way they fondled us. We took our misfortunes the best we could and by the time we were ready to become Sophomores we were all experienced in the ways of high school life.

Our Sophomore year was more enjoyable than the Freshman year as we had the pleasure of showing the new Freshies the attention which had been shown us the year before. We boys even began to walk to and from school with the girls and scorned the idea of snowballing them. Some of us actually washed our faces every day and some few cleaned their finger nails. If we were not brilliant scholars after our Sophomore year, we surely were society folk.

Our Junior year was one of great importance. We had a class party and most of us learned to dance, which was the greatest achievement of all, and I also learned that the square on the hypotenuse of a triangle is equal to the sum of the squares on the other two sides, which of course everybody doesn't know. I also learned how to say "Darwin's Theory of Evolution" as though I knew what it meant. When we finished our Junior year we were highly polished young men and knew enough to walk on the outside of a girl when escorting her. We were also advanced in art and other unnecessary things.

Ou Senior year has meant much to us. We can look back to judge our underclassmen's actions by our similar experiences. We have come to learn that there are things which we do not know and something else in the world besides mere living. We have dropped our slogan, "What you don't know won't hurt you" for "A little learning is a dangerous thing." "Drink deep or taste not the Pyrian spring." (Milton.)

We hope to leave our record as an inspiration to those behind us that they may follow in our path and profit by our example.—W. M. '22.

Our Motto.

"Efficiency of Integrity."
What does it mean to you?
It is our High School motto.
Can you, will you be true
To it? It means a great deal
When you stop to figure it out;
Perhaps not to the student who
romps
Through school with a laugh and
shout,
But to you who know there's a time
for fun
And a time for studying, too.
"Efficiency of Integrity,"
What does it mean to you?

—B E. 22'

Robert McGinn.

With the death of Robert McGinn last Thursday night, another classmate and friend was taken from our midst. His death came as a shock to everyone who knew him, as he had been seriously ill only five days, and in that short time we could not realize he was in danger.

Robert was one of the most popular boys in high school. He was an active member of the football and basketball teams, in which he had a promising future before him. He was also a member of the sub-Prowler staff, and secretary of the Sophomore class.

He was of an unusually likeable disposition. His courtesy and ready wit won him a place in the hearts of his teachers and classmates. The gloom which settled over the high school after the announcement of his death proved how much he was loved by all.

It is hard to realize that one so young and full of life should have been taken from us. His memory will always be dear to us.—H. L. '22, V. K. '22.

"Ships that pass in the night and
greet each other in passing,
Only a signal shown and a distant
voice in the darkness;
So on the ocean of life we pass and
greet one another,
Only a look and a voice, then darkness
again and the silence."

Mrs. Bishop Speaks.

On Feb. 16 the high school pupils had the pleasure of hearing a talk by Mrs. J. M. Bishop. The speaker gave a very interesting address on the topic "Respect for the Law." She emphasized the fact that respect for the law must regulate every person's life. She brought out the fact that, though many people say we have too many laws, they all serve a useful purpose. She spoke of the new Child Welfare laws, and briefly summarized their purposes. They include the anti-cigarette law, and the law prohibiting minors from appearing at public dance halls. Mrs. Bishop gave a humorous sketch of the complicated character of the laws of some states.

Mrs. Bishop is a leader on the Child Welfare Board, and is well qualified to give an address of this kind. We hope to hear from her again.—G. M. '22.

Dramatic Club Program.

The dramatic club will give its first public performance on Friday evening, March 3, when it will present three one-act plays. If the club is to make any money on this program it must have a packed house, for the program is an expensive one to give. We are paying royalty on two of the plays, and renting elaborate costumes. Help us advertise by telling all your friends about it, and come, all of you! See the announcement on another page of this paper.

Class of 1922 Fifty Years From Now.

There is an unbelievable amount of talent in the T. R. F. high school this year. The following details will show the prospects of the wonderful future.

Well, there is Lloyd Alnes, whose future is easy to see, for if the movies don't get him, some circus will. Bill Alexander will be in the House of Representatives or the Senate. You wait and see, Musty will probably be head of the Women's League of Voters or candidate of the Prohibition party. August Langseth ought to be a traveling salesman as he surely has the hardest part cinched. Violet Krohn says she's going on the stage—you know what that means, "Greenwich Village Follies." John Hendry—salesman selling reversible wooden shoes, burglar proof underwear or—oh, it's hard to tell what he'll think of. Milton Larson will be an artist—you can tell by his hair. If Forest E. Ralston isn't a minister I'll miss my guess. The Rice brothers are going to be jockeys as it seems natural for them both. Last but not least, David Evenson has decided to be an acrobat.

Oh, boy, this is going to be good. —W. D. '22.

Faculty Songs.

Mr. Simley: "Gone are the Days."
Mr. Rapacz: "There Were Three of Us, and She on a Bicycle."
Mr. Harner: "Shave 'n a Hair Cut, Six Bits."
Mr. Stenhoff: "Our Boys Will Shine Tonight."
Mr. Jardine: "When Francis Dances With Me."
Mr. Pope: "You're a Million Miles From Nowhere."
Mr. Powley: "Smiles."
Miss Chamberlain: "When Shall We Meet Again?"
Miss Stebbins: "Little Annie Rooney."
Miss Gormley: "When You and I Were Young, Maggie."
Miss Stavig: "Ain't We Got Fun?"
Miss Leavitt: "Ma!"
Miss Heilman: "Nellie Gray."
Miss Webster: "On With the Dance!"
Miss Soule: "The Dish Ran Away With the Spoon."
Mrs. Korstad: "Happy Tho Married."
Mrs. Dahl: "Little Sunshine."

—W. A. '22.

An Annual Staff Meeting.

Just before school dismisses Monday afternoon Mr. Rapacz announces that there will be a meeting of the Prowler staff at 7:30 sharp.

When the hour arrives, about half the staff is present to begin work at once. The rest come straying in later and all get to work at about eight o'clock.

Gregory gets up and asks for material from each group. First he asks Milton Larson, literary editor.

"Well," says Milton, "I didn't get an inspiration so I couldn't write anything, but Mildred might have something for you."

"Oh, don't ask me for anything tonight," wails Mildred. "I have just one article that I wrote myself and I haven't got anything from the sub staffs since we started. She hands him a paper, which is all very good, but he sighs as he puts it into his book.

Then he asks one after another. "Yes, I have a few snapshots that I took myself," or "Only a few jokes that I picked up in class myself," are the answers he gets from them all.

Somebody moans, another sighs, and quiet reigns as they all think hard about what to do.

Suddenly a voice is heard: "We must get after the students and make them contribute."

"Yes, we can write it ourselves and make it our annual, but then when it does come out they will say, 'Oh, it's only about those Seniors; I wish I had never subscribed,' and not one will realize that it is all their own fault."

"Aren't the cuttings of the group pictures just splendid! We have the large pictures all finished, but that is only a minor matter."

"Oh, dear, I wish I were like Shakespeare or somebody like that so I could write a whole book myself." This from one who must have great ambitions.

"Please let's not talk of him right now, cause then we'll all want to quit."

"We must get more material in or we can't have an annual," reminds Gregory. "But how can we get it?"

"Oh, I have it," cries one. "Let's have an annual week and go to every one for articles or snaps or something. Tell 'em they must do it and they'll come across." So they discuss annual week and decide to give one day to each department.

Then having accomplished practically nothing they adjourn and each one plods his weary way home with a heavy heart, wondering what will become of their annual.—N. L. '22.

Heart Throbs.

(Sonfidential Letters to Aunt Betty.)

Dear Aunt Betty:

I am a constant reader of your advice to young and old people and so I am coming to you in my distress, seeking aid. I am a young man sixteen years of age, a sophomore in high school, and am in love with a senior girl. She has numerous other boys and it makes me very angry and jealous to see her go out with them. Please tell me how to hold her affections. I have heard that the color of clothes often affects the nerves. Do you think it would help in my case if I didn't wear a bright colored sweater?—A Despairing Lover.

Answer: Really, Despairing Lover, I think you would make a better impression if you would keep your mind on your studies. You are still young and there will be other senior girls while you are still in high school.

Dear Aunt Betty:

I am writing to ask your advice about a question that is close to my heart. I am a tall, slender, young man with red hair. I recently entered high school and wish to make the acquaintance of two girls that sit near me. They both have bobbed hair. Does that mean that they are flirts? They smile at me real often. How will I know which one likes me the best?—Flivver.

Answer: Flivver, if you wish to become acquainted you must smile back at the girls. Your red hair must be very captivating if you dress it right. You heart will dictate to you which one loves you. Just be natural and they will soon succumb to your wiles. —H. L. '22.

Musings of High School Senior.

Behind a spacious hardwood desk
The high school teacher stands;
A very learned man is he
Who knows of far off lands,
And his face takes on its darkest
frowns,
As he thunders his commands.

Day after day through six long hours
You will find him at his post;
You may see him knit his heavy brow
When planning us a roast,
As he always does in our Freshman
year,
When we have failed the most.

Teaching, marking, soaking,
Thus through the day he goes;
Each morning sees our grill begin
Eight Periods sees its close.
When one got fifty, often much less,
For telling all he knows.

Thanks, thanks, to the, O dreaded
friend,
For the service thou hast wrought!
Even though at times it seemeth that
Our toil hath come to naught. (0)
We'l bear in mind the scattered
truths
That were so dearly bought.

—J. H. '22.

(With apologies to Hank W. Longfellow.)

A Model Student.

His hair is sleek and combed straight
back,
His squeaky shoes are shiny black.
His eyes have a dreamy, far-away
look,
And under his arm there's always a
book.
In assembly he never looks 'round the
room,
His aspect is one of perpetual gloom.
His lessons are always right up to
the mark—
In the hardest of subjects, he's considered
a "shark."
His attire is faultless, his manner
correct,
He's a "Model Student" in every respect.
—B. M. E. '22.

Definitions in Mechanical Drawing Quiz.

A parallel line is a line that can go any way.

A cylinder is round and the same size in the center.

A horizontal line is a line that is straight sideways.

An acute angle is an angle of any size more or less than 90 degrees, (with the accent on the less.)

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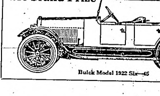

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It makes no difference where you stand on the list today, it makes no difference if you have not sent in one single penny in subscription money so far in this Campaign, you can hustle now and to the close of the second period and win the $50.00 in gold that will be given to the person turning in the largest amount of subscription money. Remember the same subscription money that will count towards winning the $50 in gold will also earn "credits" under the Second Period Scale towards winning the Buick, the Ford, and the other Grand Free Prizes to be given away at the close of the campaign. You can jump in now and by winning the $50 place yourself at the head of the list to win the Buick.

The winning of the $50 will in no way interfere with your winning the Buick. No subscriptions sent in before Feb. 23 will count towards winning the cash prize, offered for the best subscription money showing in the Second period of the Times Salesmanship Campaign.

"Subs" Earn
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1 Year,	$ 2.00	225 Credits
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5 Years,	10.00	2,500 Credits

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3 Years,	6.00	750 Credits
4 Years,	8.00	1,000 Credits
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DELAY IS DANGEROUS.

If the present rate of increase in the dairy industry of northwestern Minnesota continues, more than two million pounds of butterfat will be passing through Thief River Falls for points farther south before the end of the year. The amount is not far from this total at the present time and the increase will be rapid.

While more or less cream will always be shipped past the city by those to whom distance lends enchantment, even at the expense of their own pockets, a large share of this profitable business could be retained right in this city if a creamery of sufficient capacity to take care of the output were located here. Every one at all conversant with the facts realizes that something should at once be done to provide a larger manufacturing plant.

It must be borne in mind that the creamery is not the only bidder for the cream in this section. There are centralizing agencies and producers *of manufactured products into which* milk and cream enter who are making a strong effort to turn the flow of business in their direction. The only way in which a co-operative concern can hope to compete with these organizations is through superior service and an assurance of greater returns. If only a part of the butterfat of the district can be handled by the co-operative creamery it is not meeting the expectations of the producers and these will inevitably drift toward the more dependable market.

Dairying has experienced a tremendous growth in this section during the past three or four years, but in this immediate neighborhood this statement applies only to actual butterfat production. The manufacturing end has not kept pace with the increase of cows on the farms. At the time the present creamery was built its capacity was naturally greater than the need of the moment, but this margin has been steadily growing smaller until now it has disappeared entirely and raw material production has overtaken the manufacturing capacity. A large part of the economic gain resulting from changing the section from a grain to a dairy producer will be lost unless steps are taken to meet the needs for a larger creamery.

The creamery business is just like any other—it must either go forward or backward. Standing still is impossible. Were it not for this fact the creamery might hold what business it can now handle and allow the rest to slide. But this cannot be done. The competition for butterfat is too keen to make such a course feasible. Unless arrangements are made to take care of what is offered, the creamery is sure to lose even what it now has. This would be a serious matter for the producer and he should be the one most insistent upon improvements being made.

The matter cannot much longer be delayed. To do so will mean a loss to the dairymen as well as the creamery and community.

PREUS STATES POSITION.

Governor Preus is not a candidate for United States senator—not even a receptive candidate. In an open letter which leaves no chance for guessing at what he means, the governor says he will be a candidate to succeed himself in his present position.

"My name has been frequently mentioned in connection with the United States senatorship," says the governor. "Generous as such remarks have been, they have at no time been made with my consent or approval. If I can be of service to the people of Minnesota in the next two years I know it is in the position of governor."

The governor has made good as chief executive of the state. He will have no opposition for renomination and very little for re-election. To enter the race as a candidate for senator at this time would not be playing the game according to rules and might easily result in his total elimination as a factor in Minnesota politics. He is too wise to take any such chance.

Opposition to Preus as a candidate for re-election comes only from one section—the iron range. His approval of the tonnage tax bill naturally will cost him some support in that region, but as he was elected the first time after expressly stating that he would sign such bill if it were presented to him, it is not likely that much of a campaign can now be waged against him because of his having done so.

Unless there is some development not now even suspected, the probabilities are that the present state house occupants will be their own successors.

BANK POSITIONS FOR D. B. C. GIRLS

Miss Myrtle Ufer has been employed by the First National Bank of Steele, and Gladys Emerson by the State Bank of Wolford. Both came from Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D. Great prospects are open to girls sent from this fine old school to bank positions. At least 40 have become officers, are doing "man's work" at man-size salaries.

D. B. C. pupils get ahead because they're taught why, as well as how, to do things. "Follow the Successful." Write for terms to F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Famous Entertainer Comes Under Auxiliary Auspices

Henry Clark, one of the foremost lyceum and chautauqua lecturers in the country, will appear at the auditorium on Monday evening, Feb. 27, in one of his inimitable entertainments. His appearance here will be under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion and there will be no charge for admission.

Thief River Falls people who happened to hear his rendition of "The Go-Getter," one of the Cappy Ricks series of stories, at Crookston a few days ago, say that he is without an equal as a dramatic reader.

The public is cordially invited to attend this entertainment and everyone can rest assured of one of the most thoroughly enjoyable evenings of the season.

Band Concert Postponed.

Owing to the absence from the city of a number of the band boys it has been decided by Leader H. S. Snyder to postpone the concert announced for next Sunday to some later date.

WAIT FOR IT.

The Simonson Meat and Grocery is shortly to inaugurate one of the greatest price-slashing events ever offered Thief River Falls residents. The store will be closed from Monday until date of sale, during which time everything will be marked down away below cost. It is a money-raising event and someone will receive the benefit. Watch The Times for further particulars. Wait for it. —Advertisement. F-23

Notice.

I wish to thank the people of Thief River Falls for the liberal patronage accorded me during my stay here during the past ten days. To those who wish to have pianos tuned later on I wish to announce that I have arranged with Miss Halvorson to return in June. You may leave your order with her. I shall be glad to send piano catalogs on request to anyone interested. Write me care Metropolitan Music Co., Minneapolis. S. S. Bright, Tuner. F-23

Society

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fiterman were hosts at dinner at their home Monday evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Sapero, who left that night for their new home at Chisholm.

Six O'Clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Provencher entertained a company of friends at dinner Sunday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist, Miss Anna Aspelund, Miss Louise Majeres, Lester Hendry and A. H. Dorn.

Miss Will in Play.

In a recent issue of the Fargo Forum appeared the picture of Miss Virginia Will, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Will of this city, who is to take the leading part in the class play given by the senior class of the State Teachers' college at Moorhead.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will be entertained at the church Friday afternoon, Mrs. I. G. Lane, Mrs. E. F. DeVelling, Mrs. J. L. Stitt and Mrs. E. O. Mogensen being in charge of the entertainment. Lunch will be served and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

"Fi-Fi" Cast Entertained.

The Ladies' Sodality of St. Bernard's Catholic church entertained the members of the cast of the home talent production "Fi-Fi of the Toyshop," which was given under the auspices of the above organization in December, and their friends at a dancing party at the Hotel Evelyn on Friday evening. A program of dancing continued from 9 to 12, after which a delightful lunch was served.

Entertain Informally.

Miss Velma Webster and Miss Ruth Soule entertained a group of young women Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich. The guests were Misses Lucille and Evangeline Burns, Lois Wold, Meta Kiland, Carrie Trogan, Grace Wilson and Irma Johnson.

Adsero-Gran.

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock occurred the marriage of Miss Corinne Adsero to Henry Ole Gran at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Adsero. Rev. T. E. Sweger was the officiating minister. Miss Caspara Gran and John M. Gran, sister and brother of the groom, were the witnesses.

Entertains at Whist.

Mrs. Carl Angell entertained nine ladies at whist at her home Tuesday evening. A nice lunch was served by the hostess at 11 o'clock. The guests included Mrs. Art Johnson, Mrs. Josephine Clausen, Mrs. Emma Roth, Mrs. E. Thompson, Mrs. A. T. Robinson, Mrs. Carl Whiting, Mrs. B. E. Gage, Mrs. Wm. Parbst and Mrs. Roy Morgan.

Wedding Anniversary Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mattison were hosts Friday evening at their home, when they entertained a company of friends on the occasion of their thirteenth wedding anniversary. At seven o'clock dinner was served, followed by a social evening and cards. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Schuster, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Snyder, Miss Clara Anderson, Miss Clarissa Hornseth, Miss Meta Kiland, Miss Helen Flekke, and Frank J. Vorlicky.

Birthday Surprise Party.

A company of ten girls and boys went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Evenson Saturday evening to help David Evenson celebrate his birthday anniversary. Cards were played at three tables. At midnight a light lunch was served by the host's mother. The guests included Miss Clara Anderson, Miss Helen Flekke, Miss Helen Cruse, Miss Marie Cruse, Miss Viola Lund, Allan Fossum, Joe Cloutier, Vernon Evenson and Russell Anderson.

Valentine Party.

Miss Clara Olson entertained on Saturday evening for her cousin, George Jacobson, of Grand Forks, N. D. Valentine appointments featured the decorations. Contests and games furnished the entertainment for the evening. Prizes were awarded to Miss Caspara Gran and Miss Hazel Conklin. At 12 o'clock Miss Olson was assisted by Miss Harriet Anderson in serving a very fine lunch. The following were the guests: Miss Esther Brown, Miss Caspara Gran, Miss Hazel Conklin, Miss Ethel Conklin, Miss Vivian Olson, Miss Evelyn Amundson, Miss Hattie Anderson, Ebert and Eddie Conklin, George Jacobson, Roy Brown, Victor, Carl and John Gran, Marcus and Orton Olson.

Surprise Party.

A surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Conklin Saturday evening at their home. Dancing and cards formed the entertainment for the guests. Mr. Conklin happened to be out of the city, but when it was learned that he was to return on the early morning train, the musicians played a strain of "We Won't Go Home Until Morning," which expressed the sentiments of those present. During the evening refreshments brought by the guests were served. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Prugh, Mr. and Mrs. G. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Webskouski, Mr. and Mrs. A. Haugen, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Goethe, Chas. Votava and G. H. Jones.

Community Club Meeting.

A regular meeting of the Girls' Community club was held at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening. The session opened with a business discussion, followed by an interesting address by Attorney H. O. Chommie. The remainder of the time was given over to the committee on entertainment and refreshment. Contests, games and music were enjoyed by all until the refreshment hour, when the announcement of the club's fourth anniversary was made by Miss Lylabelle Schuster, who also made known the fact that the birthday cake with four burning candles was donated by the president, Miss Ida Tandberg. The table from which the guests were served gave the appearance of a booth which had been cleverly decorated in patriotic colors. During the evening Miss Theone Walker favored the club with several piano selections.

Colonial Party.

A very pretty and unusual party followed the regular meeting of the Eastern Star last evening. The affair was a George Washington party and was marked as such by the decorations and appointments. Lattice work set with red roses adorned the windows and doors, reminiscent of colonial days, and numerous flags placed in conspicuous places about the hall afforded a patriotic setting. A quartet composed of H. C. Durrin, E. M. Bennes, Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., and Mrs. C. A. Nason, rendered the opening number on the program. Mrs. N. K. Harris was accompanist. Miss Beulah Chamberlain gave two musical readings, during which Miss Maude Johnson played. Miss Doris Halvorson gave two piano selections.

Dancing and cards became the entertainment for the remainder of the evenin. Red, white and blue paper caps as favors were worn by those present. Those desiring to play cards were given halves of tiny hatchets, which were to be matched, and in this manner partners were found. Tallies and dance programs were decorated with patriotic emblems. Supper was served at 11 o'clock by a committee composed of eleven women and three men, all of whom were charmingly dressed in colonial style. The committee was composed of Mrs. Howard Frissell, Mrs. J. L. Stitt, Mrs. B. E. Gage, Mrs. L. M. Rayson, Mrs. Ed. Korstad, Mrs. J. Berry, Mrs. J. L. McClelland, Mrs. Bergstrom, Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Mrs. O. C. Hanson, Mrs. Chas. Lieberman, L. W. Manther, John Robinson and N. J. Silk. After lunch was served dancing was resumed.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The attendance at the last meeting of the Woman's club was too small for a quorum. The next meeting will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, March 6. At this time the League of Women Voters will have charge of the program. Mrs. E. M. Stanton has been appointed leader of the lesson, while Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht will have charge of the current events. A complete account of the program will be given next week.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClelland entertained a group of friends at a six-thirty dinner at their home Saturday evening. George Washington favors and decorations were used in the dinner appointments. Progressive whist was the pastime during the hours following the dinner. The high score for ladies went to Mrs. C. A. Barden, while W. K. Knight won the high score for the gentlemen. Low count was held by D. B. Mathewson. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wasgren, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Manther, Mr. and Mrs. John Bergstrom, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kielty, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gentz, Mr. and Mrs. D. White, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Mathewson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zavoral, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barden, Mrs. John Robinson, and E. A. Stoughton.

Washington Party.

Shaded lights, red, white and blue flags and miniature hatchets will be the attractive setting for the Washington party to be given in the I. O. O. F. hall this evening by the members of the Rebekah lodge for their friends. The committee, which has been working diligently completing arrangements for an elaborate affair during the pre-lenten season, is composed of Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist, Miss Inga Thune, Miss Myrtle Blair, Martin Stenberg, James Burrell and Arthur Johnson. An evening of dancing and cards will be interrupted by the serving of a lunch, after which the dancing will be resumed. Music for the occasion will be furnished by Miss Theone Walker.

Woman's Auxiliary Meeting.

A special meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion was held at the home of Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg on Monday evening for the purpose of arranging for the free entertainment to be given under the auspices of the Auxiliary on Monday evening, Feb. 27, at which time Henry Clark will deliver one of his noted lectures at the auditorium. It is hoped that all will avail themselves of this opportunity of hearing the well known reader. A few musical numbers will also be given by local talent.

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Notice to Taxpayers

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John Gullingsrud
County Treasurer

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Women's Union Suits of gauze; umbrella and tight knee styles, at per suit 39c

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Delinquent Tax List

For PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Showing Delinquents on the First Monday in January, 1922.

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington } ss.
DISTRICT COURT
Fourteenth Judicial District.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, to all persons, companies, or corporations who have or claim any estate, right, title, or interest in, claim to, or lien upon, any of the several parcels of land described in the list hereto attached:

The list of taxes and penalties on real property for the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1922, has been filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of said county, of which that hereto attached is a copy. Therefore you, and each of you, are hereby required to file in the office of said clerk, on or before the twentieth day after the publication of this notice and list, your answer in writing, setting forth any objection or defense you may have to the taxes, or any part thereof, upon any parcel of land described in said list, in, to or on which you have or claim any estate, right, title, interest, claim, or lien, and, in default thereof, judgment will be entered against such parcel of land for the taxes on said list appearing against it, and for all penalties, interest, and costs.

(Seal) ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minn.

List of Real Property for the County of Pennington on which taxes remained delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1922:

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-four (44).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Empire Farms Co., s½ se¼		

TOWNSITE OF MAVIE

Duchamp's Addition

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Maggie M. Randall et al Lot 5	2	15.70

TOWN OF DEER PARK

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
B. H. Castello, sw¼ se¼, se¼ sw¼ and Lots 6, 7 and 10	1	80.37
Halvor Svendson, Lots 3 and 4, Sec. 1, and Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 2	1-2	75.20
Tobias Olson, s½ nw¼, Lots 3 and 4	4	112.94
Ben Szymanski, sw¼	5	151.15
Merch. State Bank of Red Lake Falls, se¼	5	140.72
Lena O. Sanue, s½ ne¼, Lots 1 and 2	5	78.96
Signe Ellingson, se¼ nw¼, Lots 3 and 4	6	66.56
Thomas J. Rowe, se¼ sw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	6	52.10
Christ Nissen, s½ ne¼, Lots 1 and 2	6	85.54
Thomas I. Rowe, Lots 5 and 6	6	37.42
Merch. State Bank of Red Lake Falls, se¼	7	70.90
Knut Olson, e½ nw¼ and ne¼ sw¼	7	79.90
Knut E. Syverud, se¼ sw¼ Sec. 7 and ne¼ nw¼ Sec. 18	7-18	54.98
Thor A. Dale, Lots 2 and 3	7	35.70
Lenora Lonson, Lot 1	7	19.40
Bertha Swanson, Lot 4, Sec. 7, se¼ nw¼, Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 18	7-18	91.40
Ben Szymanski, se¼ exc. 2 acres	8	146.78
Ole Skreland, nw¼	8	132.21
T. T. Lundeen, ne¼	9	121.63
Halvor A. Myron, sw¼	10	146.31
Thom J. Olson, ne¼ se¼	12	10.82
Ole G. Olson, nw¼ sw¼	12	21.90
Sam Juveland, sw¼ ne¼ and nw¼ se¼	13	50.56
Same, nw¼ se¼	13	16.33
Heirs of Ole T. Kolshus, se¼	15	90.38
Phillip Holdeman, ne¼	15	110.92
K. E. Syverud, nw¼	16	117.97
John Polsrook, sw¼	17	115.72
F. Szymanski, ne¼	18	123.22
Enga Peterson, e½ sw¼ and Lots 3 and 4	18	77.38
John Olson, e½ sw¼ and Lots 3 and 4	19	85.75
Jens P. Bolstad, e½ nw¼ and Lots 1 and 2	19	86.60
W. L. Rodman, ne¼	19	132.02
Daniel J. Holle, se¼	19	110.48
Halvor Hoberg, w½ nw¼	20	55.32
Torger O. Lofthus, ne¼	21	68.20
F. and M. State Bank of Oklee, w½ se¼ and se¼ se¼	21	48.00
John Larson, ne¼ se¼	21	10.70
Sam Gunderson, nw¼	22	70.98
Gunder Lindtvedt, se¼ sw¼ and part of nw¼ se¼	22	9.22

TOWN OF HICKORY

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Thirty-nine (39).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Olof Nelson, nw¼	22	66.07
Thor T. Skomedal, se¼	22	73.66
Silas E. Dahl, n½ se¼ and n½ sw¼	23	51.82
Joseph A. Dahl, nw¼	23	39.07
Same, s½ se¼ and s½ sw¼	23	38.46
John Arntson, n½ ne¼, sw¼ ne¼ and nw¼ se¼	24	98.66
Walter C. Dahl, sw¼ se¼	24	8.09
Bjorn Tveitback, nw¼ nw¼	24	20.82
Olof B. Aasen, se¼ ne¼, e½ se¼, Sec. 24, ne¼ ne¼, Sec. 25	24-25	82.02
Clara E. Norman, se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼	25	19.58
Arne Josefson, s½ se¼ and nw¼ se¼	25	34.04
S. E. Dahl, w½ nw¼ Sec. 25, and n½ ne¼, Sec. 26	25-26	40.92
Clara E. Dahl, sw¼	25	48.66
L. Christianson, sw¼	26	92.82
Trail State Bank, s½ ne¼	26	21.95
Selmer Asbjornson, sw¼	27	94.01
Hans T. Hanson, n½ nw¼	27	44.18
Nels O. Reson, ne¼	28	87.41
John O. Larson, sw¼	28	93.48
Nels O. Reson, se¼	28	82.68
K. A. Larson, se¼	29	99.22
John K. Vangen, se¼	30	92.86
B. E. Bjerkly, e½ sw¼, sw¼ se¼ and Lot 8	31	72.29
H. B. Hoftuft, Lot 9, Sec. 31, and sw¼ nw¼, Lot 2, Sec. 32	31-32	53.70
Torger T. Elton, Lot 5	32	3.71
C. Thompson, n½ se¼ and Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10	32	70.58
Martin Solom, e½ nw¼, ne¼ sw¼ and Lot 6	32	80.82
James Peacock, Lot 1	33	1.20
Maria Halvorson, ne¼	33	80.92
L. Christianson, nw¼	34	94.82
Thommie Larson, nw¼ nw¼	32	28.30
Even H. Oftelie, sw¼ se¼	34	7.96
Marie Halvorson, n½ sw¼, se¼ sw¼ and Lot 1	34	68.04
Wm. H. Rowe, nw¼ se¼, e½ se¼ Sec. 34, and nw¼ sw¼ Sec. 35	34-35	75.70
H. K. Halvorson, w½ se¼	35	33.60
G. Tharaldson Boe, e½ se¼, Sec. 35, and n½ sw¼ Sec. 36	35-36	70.96
Ole Hedrum, se¼	36	66.96
Sarah Bannes, ne¼	36	69.36
Unknown, sw¼ nw¼	14	10.80

TOWN OF HIGHLANDING

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty (40).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Section	Sec.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Peter C. Halvorson, s½ nw¼, Lots 3 and 4	2	111.33
John A. Hunsdal, s½ nw¼, Lots 3 and 4	3	107.37
And. G. Johnson, sw¼	4	56.32
Ole Geving, s½ nw¼, Lots 3 and 4	5	126.40
T. Thompson, se¼ nw¼, Lots 3, 4 and 5	6	98.23

TOWN OF NORTH

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154), Range Forty-three (43).

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
John F. Muir, s½ ne¼	20	
Howe Paige, part of Lot 4	27	
Ole Omundson, part of Lot 4	27	
Aslak Jaranson, part of se¼	28	
Ole Omundson, e½ ne¼, exc. cemetery and railway	28	
J. B. Conner, s½ exc. 16 acres	29	
G. K. Haavi, se¼	30	
G. L. Stennerson, n½ nw¼, Lots 2 and 3	35	
D. P. O'Neill, Lot 7	35	
Same, Lot 2	36	

TOWN OF NORTH

Townsite of Fairfield

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Emma Boudeau, Lots 4 and 5		
Same, Lots 6, 7 and 8		
Andy Erickson, Lot 40		
T. J. Carr, Lot 44		
First Nat'l Bank, Warren, East 150 feet Lot 46		
H. Brabendar, South 50 feet Lot 43		
Soo Railway, Lot 64		
N. A. Lawson, Lot 66		

TOWN OF NORTH

Haselby's Rearrangement of Smiley's Addition

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
First and Peoples State Bank, Lots 21 and 22		
George Carlson, Lot 45		
Alma Carlson, Lot 46		

TOWN OF NORTH

Bethun's Addition to Fairfield

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Town of North, n½ Lot 9		
And. Gunderson, Lots 15 and 16		
A. C. Weiner, Lots 17 and 18		

TOWN OF NORTH

Park Addition to Thief River Falls

Year for Which Taxes Became Delinquent, 1920.

Name of Owner and Description—Subdivision of Lot or Block	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts
Carl Dammer, Lot 4	1	

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Pennington

T. P. Anderson, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the County Auditor of Pennington County, that he has examined the foregoing list and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is a true and correct list of taxes delinquent for the year 1920, upon real estate in said county.

T. P. ANDERSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, A. D. 1922.

(Seal) ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
Pennington County, Minn.

STATE OF MINNESOTA } ss.
County of Pennington

I, T. P. Anderson, County Auditor in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing copy of the list of Real Estate Taxes in said County remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1922, was this day received from the Clerk of the District Court in and for said County and State.

Witness my hand and official seal this 4th day of February, A. D. 1922.

(Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor,
Pennington County, Minn.

NOTE—Parties remitting for the above will please add 25 cents to each item to cover cost of printing and Clerk of Court's fees.

Legal Notices

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of thirty-two hundred twenty-six & 67-100 ($3226.67) dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Augustine V. De For, Mortgagor, to John Bratrud, Mortgagee, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1915, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1915, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 401.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Bratrud, Mortgagee, to Betsey and Alma Bratrud by written assignment dated the 5th day of April, 1915 and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of January, 1922, at 8 o'clock a. m., in Book 63 of Mortgages, on page 153.

Now therefore, Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26) Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-five (45), containing 160 acres more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof in Pennington county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state, on the 11th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of ($3226.67) and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 13th, A. D. 1922.

BETSEY BRATRUD and
ALMA BAHDAHN,
(formerly Alma Bratrud),
Assignee and present holder of mortgage.

JOHN BRATRUD,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Messina Bldg., Thief River Falls, Minn.
(J-19-26-F-2-9-16-23)

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Gaston Ward, a single man, mortgagor, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 24th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 477, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage, have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, the total sum of Eighty-five and 17-100 Dollars ($85.17) as follows: The sum of $64.43 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $20.74 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Twelve (12) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 1st day of April, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $85.17, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 14th, 1922.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.

PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Jon Jonson Baner.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Jon Jonson Baner.

The State of Minnesota to Britta Baner, Edgar Ostby, Herman Ostby, Hans Baner, John Baner, Carrie Ecklund, and all persons interested in the mortgaging of certain lands belonging to said Jon Jonson Baner. The petition of Hans Baner as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be mortgaged and praying that a license be to him granted to mortgage the same.

Now therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 10th day of February, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate Court.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
F-16-23-M-2

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Ninety-nine and 8-100 ($3199.08) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Thomas S. Jacobson and Marie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands), as mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 1st day of January, A. D. 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page 3.8, which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1922, by assignment in writing duly assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 297, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot numbered One (1) in Section Twenty-eight (28); Lots numbered One (1), Two (2) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29), (excepting a plot of ground 85 ft. by 108 ft. in said Lot 1, Sect. 29, heretofore deeded to the Highlanding Co-Operative Creamery Association); all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 110 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt and interest and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1922, at ten (10:00) o'clock in the forenoon of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 7, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota.

In the matter of Frank Hakomaki, Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy No. 1856.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota.

Frank Hakomaki, of Hazel, in the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 9th day of September, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy; that he has surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore, he prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts, provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 31st day of January, A. D. 1922.

FRANK HAKOMAKI,
Bankrupt.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division.

On this 17th day of February, A. D. 1922, on reading the foregoing petition, It is Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1922, before said Court at St. Paul in said District, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons interested may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors a copy of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of said Court, and the Seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1922.

(Seal of the Court.)
CHARLES S. SPENCER, Clerk.
By L. A. Leverson, Deputy Clerk.
F-23

In the District Court of the United States

In the Matter of George W. Shearer, Bankrupt, No. 1810 in Bankruptcy.

To the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota:

George W. Shearer, of St. Hilaire, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, in said District, respectfully represents:

That on the 11th day of October, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property and has fully complied with all the requirements of said Acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 10th day of February, A. D. 1922.

GEORGE W. SHEARER,
Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon.

United States District Court, District of Minnesota, Sixth Division, ss.

On this 20th day of February, A. D. 1922, on reading the foregoing petition, it is Ordered by the Court, That a hearing be had upon the same on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1922, before said Court at St. Paul, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Thief River Falls Times, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, That the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Page Morris, Judge of said Court, and the Seal thereof, at Fergus Falls, in said District, on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1922.

(Seal of the Court.)
JOEL M. DICKEY, Clerk.
By L. A. Leverson, Deputy Clerk.
F-23

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, upon the following land, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Section Two (2) and Lots Three and Four (3 and 4) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Eighty-two (182) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof;

Which said mortgage bears date the 6th day of October, 1917, and with the power of sale therein contained was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 310, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 22nd day of October, 1917, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands, which assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 467, which said mortgage was thereafter, and on the 27th day of January, 1922, by assignment in writing, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages on page 290, and which said mortgage was given to secure payment of the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred ($1,600.00) Dollars according to the terms of one (1) certain promissory note made and executed by said Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, said mortgagors, to said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 6th day of October of years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, each for the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 6th day of October, 1921, is past due and unpaid and has been past due and unpaid for more than ten (10) days; and,

Whereas it was among other things in said mortgage provided that, in case of default in payment of interest at the time it became due and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum, together with accrued interest, should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be deemed to have become due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 6th day of October, 1921, amounting to the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, and that by reason of said default, the whole amount of the principal, with accrued interest, is by said assignee of mortgagee, Hollam Company, deemed to have become immediately due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of Seventeen Hundred Thirty-four and 83-100 ($1734.83) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 27th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 2, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-9-16-23-M-2-9-16

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is Hereby Given, That on the 18th day of March, 1922, at two o'clock P. M., at the County Auditor's office in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, I will sell the jobs of cleaning and repairing County Ditch No. 1 of Pennington County, established by the County Board of Pennington County, State of Minnesota, by order bearing date August 31, 1921, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by station as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from thence, successively, up stream to the one including the source, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent the estimated cost of the construction of the part of said work covered by said bid, and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond in an amount not less than the contract price, to be approved by the Auditor of said County, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the job in the manner and within the time required in the contract. The said order and estimates and profile are on file, and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of said ditch is as follows: 15,450 cubic yards.

The estimated total cost of the work is $2,781.00.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Auditor of said County, for not less than ten per cent of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated February 21, 1922.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor Pennington County,
State of Minnesota.
F-23-M-2-9

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Louise Roth and Wesley Roth, Minor Wards.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, in Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Louise Roth and Wesley Roth, Minors.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said minor wards. The petition of Emma Roth as representative of the above named Louise Roth and Wesley Roth, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said wards described therein be sold and praying that a license be to her granted to sell the same;

Now, Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 7th day of February, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate Court.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Petitioner.
F-9-16-23

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Ole H. Field, Decedent:

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to Thorn Field.

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday, the 10th day of August, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this notice in The Thief River Falls Times as provided by law.

Dated February 2nd, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

THEO. QUALE,
Attorney.
F-9-16-23

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Johnson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ada Johnson, Inez Johnson and Carl Johnson, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent. The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for the distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the sixth day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of February, 1922.

(Court Seal) LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.

G. HALVORSON,
Attorney for Petitioner.
F-9-16-23

DEFECTIVE PAGE

CROOKSTON HANDS DEFEAT TO LOCALS IN GREAT CONTEST

Athletics Simply Couldn't Find Basket With Customary Skill and Lose Fight.

Failure to locate the basket was responsible for the Athletics losing a well-played basketball game to Crookston last Thursday night. The opportunities for scoring were there in plenty, but the boys simply did not have their basket eye and the game resulted in a victory for Crookston by a score of 27 to 21.

The visitors came by special train, which brought a goodly number of fans. The attendance was around 1,000—the largest crowd ever assembled to witness a basketball game in this city. Before time was called, Dr. G. A. Penney, president of the Athletics, made a short address in which he welcomed the Crookstonites and asked the spectators to keep their heads and do nothing that might in any manner interfere with the players. Cheer Leader William Schermer, for Crookston, replied in kind but his remarks were to a large extent drowned by his own side of the house, the crowd evidently being anxious for the fun to start.

Crookston made 11 free throws to the seven by Thief River Falls, both Houser and Carlson doing exceptionally good work in this line. The visitors beat the locals by only one field basket, garnering eight. Houser was also the star in this department, being credited with three. For Thief River Falls, Hadrath, Louden and Holzknecht secured two each, while Carlson made one. Seven personal and seven technical fouls were charged against the Athletics, while Crookston had 10 personals and two technicals. The game in detail follows:

Carlson started the scoring when he shot a foul for Thief River Falls after a few minutes of sparring on both sides. Thief River kept the ball in its territory and took several shots at the basket but could not connect. Carlson again took Thief River into the lead with a free throw. Carlson took time out following a crash with Houser while taking the ball towards his basket. Houser tied the score with a foul but again Carlson forged ahead with a free throw. Up to this time open shots at the basket were few and far between. It was eight minutes after the game started before the first field basket was made. This was negotiated by Raines when he made a nice shot from in front of the basket. Another successful free throw by Houser made the score five to three for Crookston.

Raines Scores Again.

When the first period was a little over half finished Haaven was sent in to relieve Webster for Crookston and almost immediately figured a basket. Carlson completed another foul, Houser following with two more and Carlson again dropping one in from the foul line.

Louden managed to get clear and twist in Thief River's first and only basket of the first half. Nelson, who had been making a number of wild shots at the basket, dropped a long shot in for Crookston. Carlson added another point by the free throw route and just before the half ended Brown committed a personal foul which Houser negotiated into another point for Crookston after the intermission gun was fired, making the score at the half, Crookston 13, Thief River 8.

Second Half.

Thief River opened the scoring in the first three seconds of play in the second period when Holzknecht scored with a nice side shot. Carlson added two more for his team on a jump up shot, bringing Thief River within one point of Crookston, the score standing 13 to 12. Houser increased Crookston's lead by two points with a long shot but Holzknecht by a similar shot again nosed his team up to the visitors' score. Holzknecht was struck in the head in the attempt to block his shot and was forced to call for time. Hadrath sent Thief River into the lead with a side shot, making the score 16 to 15. The lead was short lived, however, Haaven taking a pretty pass from Houser and twisting the ball in from under the basket.

Louden fouled Haaven and the only mar of the game occurred when a Thief River man rushed out on the floor. Referee Hodge called two fouls on Thief River for the play, one of the fouls being on Louden and the other because of the man invading the floor. Houser made one of the free throws.

Houser took his team out of danger by shooting two baskets in succession and a moment later another free throw, making the score 23 to 16.

Hadrath connected for a basket and Louden followed it up with a long shot which found its mark. Houser continued his accurate foul shooting and Haaven dropped one in from under the basket. The scoring was ended by successful free throws on the part of Carlson for Thief River and Houser for Crookston. The game ended Crookston 27, Thief River Falls 21.

The summary follows:

Crookston Independents.

	FB	FT	P	T
Houser, rf	3	11	0	0
Weber, lf	0	0	2	1
Haaven, lf	2	0	2	0
Raines, c	2	0	3	0
Sampson, c	0	0	1	1
Nelson, rg	1	0	1	0
Miller, lg	0	0	1	0
Totals	8	11	10	2

Thief River Athletics.

	FB	FT	P	T
Carlson, rf	1	7	1	2
Penney, lf	0	0	1	1
Hadrath, lf	2	0	0	1
Louden, c	2	0	3	2
Holzknecht, rg	2	0	0	1
Brown, lg	0	0	2	0
Totals	7	7	7	7

WAIT FOR IT.

The Simonson Meat and Grocery is shortly to inaugurate one of the greatest price-slashing events ever offered Thief River Falls residents. The store will be closed from Monday until date of sale, during which time everything will be marked down away below cost. It is a money-raising event and someone will receive the benefit. Watch The Times for further particulars. Wait for it. —Advertisement. F-23

FIRST MIXED JURY FINISHES WORK IN VERY SHORT ORDER

New Panel Necessary Because of Technical Error in Drawing First Grand Jury.

A technical error in the drawing of the jury for the present term of court necessitated the calling of a special venire when court convened last Friday morning. There were three women members on the first panel drawn and nine on the jury which finally served. Two of these, Mrs. John Sheggrud of River Falls township, and Mrs. H. T. Hanson of Hickory township, were unable to be present so that there were seven of the fair sex answering the roll call. It was the first mixed jury in the history of Pennington county and it took just one and a half days for the members to clear away the work before them.

It is understood that a number of true bills were found but only four alleged offenders had been arraigned up to Tuesday night. It being Washington's birthday there was no session of the court yesterday. Following are the parties arraigned to date: A. B. Remmem, selling liquor unlawfully; Ole Peterson, having intoxicating liquor in his possession and for sale; George and Martin Williams, conducting gambling house.

Members of the grand jury were: Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Math Barzen, William McGlinnity and C. A. Nason, Thief River Falls; Bj. Bjornaraa, Hickory; Mrs. E. F. Dann, Herman Jepson and Hans L. Hanson, River Falls; Halvor Olson and Mrs. E. N. Beebe, Rocksbury; Mrs. Wm. Vaughan, Highlanding; Mrs. Oscar Gunstad, Lars Loberg and Mrs. G. I. Fellman, St. Hilaire; S. J. Stenberg and H. P. Rued, Silverton; O. L. Larson and Mrs. J. V. Patton, Sanders; P. O. Sorlum, North; Victor Scholin, Bray; F. L. St. John, Polk Center. Mr. Rued was foreman of the jury.

The following were drawn as petit jurors: C. Sumpter, River Falls; Jerry Hruby, Cloverleaf; Anton M. Langseth; W. W. Prichard, Jr., Gynther Tensum, M. M. Johnson, Fred Protz and Joe Votava, Thief River Falls; M O'Leary, Mayfield; Emil Larson and E. J. Akerlund, Bray; Bennet Bolstad and Knut Lindtvedt, Deer Park; H. R. Williams and Gunder Steenerson, North; Richard Lorenson and Fred Landman, Black River; H. S. Olson, Numedal; Harry Myrom, Norden; Floyd Lane, Smiley; O. A. Holmes, Rocksbury; B. Tveitbak, Hickory; Hans Anton, Sanders; William Brown, St. Hilaire.

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KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Thief River Falls People Know How to Save It.

Many Thief River Falls people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health—the slightest delay is dangerous. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers. Here is a Thief River Falls citizen's recommendation.

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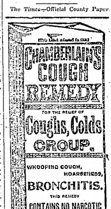

REQUEST AID FOR STARVING JEWS OF NEAR EAST LANDS

Chas. Lieberman Named Chairman of Relief Committee For Pennington County.

In a proclamation issued last week Gov. Preus calls upon the people of Minnesota to contribute to a fund for the relief of homeless and starving Jews in Central and Eastern Europe. Three-fourths of the 13,000,000 Jews in Poland, Lithuania, Letvia, Russia, Roumania, Austria, Hungary, Palestine, Checho-Slovakia and Turkey are struggling for existence against fearful odds.

CHARLES LIEBERMAN

The American Jewish Relief committee has issued an appeal for $14,000,000 for immediate relief. Of this amount Minnesota is asked to raise $250,000. The work of collecting funds in Pennington county is in the hands of a committee of which Chas. Lieberman is chairman, and all contributions should be sent to Daniel Shaw, L. L. Cohn, Larson Furniture company, or Mr. Lieberman. Mr. Lieberman says that he does not expect large individual contributions as conditions are not such as to make liberal donations possible at this time but hopes that everyone will assist to the extent of their ability. A complete canvass of the business district of Thief River Falls will be made by four teams on Saturday.

The governor, in his proclamation, says: "Our unemployment and relief problems at home fade into insignificance when compared with the utter destitution of millions of people in Europe. Despite our business depression our state should be able to contribute its share promptly and cheerfully. If anyone takes a selfish viewpoint, let him remember that everything we do for the rehabilitation for these helpless people in Europe will hasten the resumption of that international trade which is essential to the return of prosperity in this country."

Will Address Club Today On Lakes-to-Ocean Project

G. G. Glick, an authority on the Duluth to Tidewater project, will be the speaker at today's luncheon of the Commercial club. Mr. Glick recently delivered a talk before the meeting of commercial club secretaries at St. Paul and his presentation of this subject created a great deal of interest. He is making a tour of the state for the purpose of getting the people better acquainted with the importance of this great undertaking.

WAIT FOR IT.

The Simonson Meat and Grocery is shortly to inaugurate one of the greatest price-slashing events ever offered Thief River Falls residents. The store will be closed from Monday until date of sale, during which time everything will be marked down away below cost. It is a money-raising event and someone will receive the benefit. Watch The Times for further particulars. Wait for it. —Advertisement. F-23

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VIEWERS' REPORT ON TWO PROJECTS NEARLY COMPLETE

Attorney and Engineer Confer With Chairman Selvig and Review Work to Date.

C. E. Boughton, Sr., Red Lake Falls, and George W. Walker, Thief River Falls, attorney and engineer, respectively, of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy Board, conferred with C. G. Selvig, president of the board, at Crookston on Thursday regarding the proposed drainage work in the Grand Marais, Clearwater and Red Lake river projects. The viewers' reports for the Grand Marais and Clearwater projects are practically completed and final hearings will soon be arranged.

The Red Lake project is awaiting action by the interior department at Washington.

"The matter of lake levels is being considered by the bureau of Indian affairs," C. G. Selvig said. "Considerable land belonging to the Red Lake Indian reservation is included in this project and the law provides for agreement between the drainage board and the bureau officials."

"In this project the farmers living both east and west of the Red lakes are vitally interested. Its successful completion means progress and prosperity for them in that the hazard of flood damage will be permanently removed. Final plans for the Red lake work will have to await an agreement on the lake levels.

Wrestling Match.

Thure Blomberg goes to Viking Saturday evening to partake in a handicap wrestling match to be staged at Carlson's place in that village. L. C. Curtis of Bemidji agrees to throw Martin Sjostrand of Viking and Thure Blomberg one fall each in one hour. Several other athletic events are scheduled to be staged. There will likely be several boosters from this vicinity at the ringside to aid the local man in walking away with the honors.

Game With Warroad H. S. Will Be Played Tuesday

As the time is drawing near for the basketball tournament in District No. 1 of the Minnesota State High School Athletic association, it will be necessary that the result of all games played during the remainder of the week be reported at once to Supt. I. T. Simley at Thief River Falls, and Supt. A. C. Pederson at Argyle.

The Thief River Falls-Warroad game has been postponed from Friday, Feb. 17, to Tuesday, Feb. 21, on account of the death of Robert McGlas, forward on the Thief River Falls team.

Standings of the teams in the district at this time are as follows:

	P	W	L	Pc
Crookston	9	8	1	888
Stephen	7	5	2	714
Fosston	9	6	3	667
Baudette	5	3	2	600
Argyle	9	5	4	555
Thief River Falls	8	5	4	555
McIntosh	9	5	4	555
Warroad	6	3	3	500
Ada	8	4	4	500
Fertile	5	2	3	400
Warren	8	3	5	375
East Grand Forks	5	1	4	200
Hallock	5	1	4	200
Bagley	3	0	3	000
Mahnomen	3	0	3	000
Roseau	4	0	4	000
Red Lake Falls	0	0	0	000

Procrastination kills more good intentions than all the other vices in the world.

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j23tf

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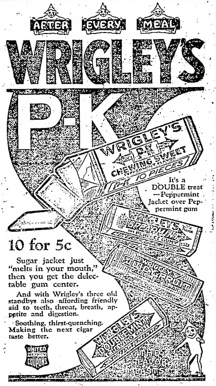
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Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 486-J 40tf

FOR SALE—Some Early Rose potatoes for cooking, at 75c per bushel, and some Irish Cobblers for seed. Andrew Haveland, east of Soo Round House. 1p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE—Green pole wood, standing timber or on piles. 5½ miles southeast of Thief River Falls. Inquire of Histan Brothers. 3p

FOR SALE—20 tons of hay, 3½ miles northwest of Goodridge, Sec. 13. Curtiss Fancer. 3p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Steam heated flat. Vacant March 1. McDaniel & Reamer. 1

FOR RENT—Three good furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 117 Red Lake Blvd. Phone 201-R. 2ptf

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. Phone 441. 13tf

FOR RENT—Rooms, all modern and nicely furnished, 116 St. Paul Ave. S., Phone 333-J. 50tf

FARM FOR RENT—Two and a half miles northeast of city. 180 acres. Full set of buildings. Adolph Galley, city 5p

FARM TO RENT—On shares, 2½ miles from town. Equipped with horses, machinery and stock. Write Box 822, Thief River Falls. 3p

FOR RENT—Modern apartment in duplex. Consists of four rooms, kitchenette and bath. Is heated, has outside stairway, hardwood finish and floors. Garage accommodations go with it. $25 in summer, $40 for three months in winter. Phone 330-W-2. 3tf

WANTED—Renter for farm of 400 acres. Half under cultivation, balance timber and pasture. Rent on shares. 15 Holstein cows on farm. Renter will get half of cream and half of increase from live stock. For further information write Farmers State Bank, Winger, Minn. 3tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 219 Times. 50tf

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 301 Times. 50tf

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand Fordson. Dunard Hendrickson, Goodridge, Minn. 7p

FEMALE HELP WANTED

GIRL WANTED on farm. Modern home; churning and washing done by electricity. State wages wanted and experience. Mrs. P. P. Kelly, St. Thomas, N. D. 5p

POSITION WANTED

WANTED—Any kind of steady work by young man. Box A-10, R. 1, [illegible] 3p

LOST

LOST—Pair eye glasses in city. Finder notify Leo Aanstad, 807 Knight Avenue North. 3p

MISCELLANEOUS

MEN WANTED to sell Groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 2p

EXPERT PIANO TUNING and all kinds of repairing at reasonable rates. Scientific method; no guess work. Leave orders at Times office or call 135. H. S. Snyder. 1tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 5p

DRESSMAKING, Embroidery, beading and Pleating done at reasonable prices. Mrs. N. B. Wertein, 310 Riverside Ave. 1p

NELLIE C. HARDESTY, dressmaking. Phone 173-R. 3tf

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage duly executed and delivered by Eaner Klungness and Julia A. Klungness, his wife, Mortgagors, to Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of July, 1920, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on Page 574, and

Whereas, the said Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said Mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of $781.76, being the amount of principal and interest secured by the Mortgage hereby being foreclosed, and whereas the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Eight (8), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of April, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $781.76, and interest, and taxes if any, on said premises, and attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 20, 1922.

PETER O. SORLOM,
Mortgagee.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
F-23-M-2-9-16-23-30

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Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To S. A. Barnam:

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), and Eight (8), Block Fifteen (15), in Knox's Addition to Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, an addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 13th day of May, 1918, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 14th day of March, 1918, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1916, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land were duly bid in for the state for the sum of Five and 86-100 Dollars.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2120, G. S. 1913, on the 17th day of November, 1921, for the sum of Eight Dollars and Forty-four cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Five Dollars and Eighty-six cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $5.86 thereof from the 13th day of May, 1918, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $5.64 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 12th day of May, 1919, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $5.61 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 10th day of May, 1920, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $0.76 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 9th day of May, 1921, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of February, 1922.

(Official Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
By Axel Elsberg, Deputy.

Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
F-23-M-2-9

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G. O. P. ELECTORS FILE DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

All But Nine Precincts in County Select Candidates to Be Voted on March 14.

Contests on in Only Two Places in County—Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

Hallam Supporters Known to Have Majority and He Will Have County Delegation.

To judge by the interest taken in the selection of delegates to the first county convention of the year, to be held at the court house in this city on Saturday, March 18, practically every section of the county will be represented. Where no filings for delegates have been made it will be possible for the voters to write the names on the primary ballot which will be presented to the voters on township election day—March 14.

It is impossible to tell from the list of delegates anything as to how they will stand on the subject of candidates. One thing, however, is particularly noticeable. The number of avowed Hallam supporters are largely in the majority and there is hardly a doubt but what the judge will receive the vote of the county for United States senator.

A Good Representation.

Delegates are filed in 18 precincts out of 27 in the county, but outside of Thief River Fals and Goodridge there will be no contests at the precinct elections on March 14. In Thief River Falls there are 34 filings for the 18 delegate places, while in Goodridge there are four filings with two to be elected. The names of eight women have been filed with County Auditor T. P. Anderson, five being from Thief River Falls, two from Goodridge and one from St. Hilaire.

In the first ward of the city the voters will have a list of 12 men from which to select the six delegates to the county convention. The Second ward has filed nine names with five to be elected; in the Third ward three are to be chosen out of a list of five, and in the Fourth ward the voter has a choice of eight from which to select four. Following is a list of the filings in the city:

First ward—N. J. Anderson, Herman Ohm, Paul Harris, Helmer Halland, F. P. Greene, J. L. Gassow, W. J. Brown, M. V. Evenson, Theo. Quale, Miss Ida Tandberg, E. P. Brevig, Olaf Ramstad.

Second ward—Scott Laird, H. W. Kinghorn, S. Brandon, John E. Dahl, Mrs. Anna Sether, A. H. Akre, Mrs. Emma Ward, F. F. Haynes, C. D. Gustafson.

Third ward—Mrs. Andrew Bottelson, O. L. Ihle, G. L. Streeter, P. J. Keating, N. B. Waldorf.

Fourth ward—O. E. Berge, E. P. Burstad, C. M. Wilson, Daniel Shaw, Mrs. Julia Lacey, P. A. Kolden, J. T. Noseth, M. A. Mattison.

Nine Precincts Missing.

Voters in the townships of Bray, Black River, Hickory, Norden, Numedal, Polk Center, River Falls, Smiley and Wyandotte will have to write the names of their delegates on the ballot if they wish representation at the county convention as no one filed from these precincts. This can be done under the law and the credentials of the persons so designated will be accepted.

Following are the names of the delegates filed in the different precincts:

Cloverleaf, Fred DuChamp and Stuart McLeod; Deer Park, John Singer; Goodridge, M. O. Seavy and John Kusmak; Highlanding, Theo. Sunsdahl and H. I. Finstad; Kratka, Sarah Knutson and K. K. Austin; Mayfield, W. H. Wilde; North, Christian Stene and Jorgen Eide; Reiner, J. A. McEnelly; Rocksbury, Dr. M. Geo. Milan and Paul Engelstad; Sanders, Hans Aton; Silverton, Jens Letness; Star, Emil Grams and Gilmour Tharaldson; village of Goodridge, Estella Josephson, Mrs. Theo. Tandberg, Carl F. Lindstrom and B. O. Norby; village of St. Hilaire, Mrs. G. W. Hooper and A. S. Wilson.

Convention March 18.

The precinct delegates will meet in the court room, Thief River Falls, on Saturday, March 18, for the purpose of electing delegates to the district convention at Moorhead on the 30th and the state convention at St. Paul on the 31st.

CALL VICTORY BONDS FOR REDEMPTION AT PAR BEFORE JUNE 15

Issue Bears Interest Rate of 3¾ Per Cent and Amount Outstanding is in Neighborhood of $400,000,000.

Local banks have received notice that the three and three quarter per cent Victory notes are called for redemption on June 15 next, at par and accrued interest. They may also be redeemed earlier at the holder's option, at par and accrued interest to date of redemption. These government bonds may be presented to any bank in coupon or registered form, when arrangements will be made to pay them according to notice.

The Victory notes are the last series of the Liberty loans issued by the United States, the issue being sold soon after the signing of the armistice. A large number of the bonds were sold to people who were able to buy but a small quantity, and who have patriotically held them till the present time. News that they will be redeemed at par will be welcomed.

In his statement to the press announcing the redemption before maturity, Secretary of the Treasury Mellon said: "The amount of 3¾ per cent Victory notes outstanding is about $400,000,000 and the treasury is calling them for redemption before maturity in pursuance of the plans which it has already announced for the refunding of the Victory Liberty loan. The call for redemption is thus a part of the refunding operations which, as indicated in my letter of Jan. 24, 1922, to the chairman of the committee on ways and means, will have to be carried on during the next year and a half in order to refinance the 6½ billions of short dated debt outstanding."

WHO WILL WIN $50 CASH PRIZE TO BE GIVEN ON MAR. 8?

Contestants All Working Hard For This Special Second Period Offering.

Six days are left in which to hustle for the special cash prize of fifty dollars which will be given to the contestant turning in the most money on subscription during the second period of the campaign, which closes March 8th.

Hard work is what produces success in everything. The contestants realize this and are now out every minute putting in their very best efforts. March 8th will tell which one has worked the hardest.

$50.00 IN GOLD

Second Period Special Prize for the best subscription money showing between Feb. 23 and March 8.

Only subscription money sent in during the second period will count towards winning the special prize of $50.

No subscription money sent in before Feb. 23 will count towards winning the special prize of $50.

Winning the $50 will in no way interfere with winning the Buick, the Ford, or the other Grand Free Prizes.

Extra efforts during this second period will not only win the special prize of fifty dollars but will mean a great deal towards winning the big Buick at the close of the campaign. The people of the entire community are becoming intensely interested in the final outcome of this campaign and all are anxious to see their favorite win.

March 8th will undoubtedly bring about some changes and surprises in the standings of the contestants. Watch for them.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Date, March 8

Agnes Oftedahl, City	87,750
Paul Engelstad, City	86,125
Helmer Ostrom, City	51,675
Hannah Peterson, City	23,250
Julius Liden, Steiner	7,650
Thos. H. Smith, Mavie	5,500
Peter Klungness, Route 2	2,750
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanen, Goodridge	1,000

DEN E. LANES MEET LOCALS IN EXTRA SESSION TONIGHT

St. Paul Champions Defeated By Athletics in Good Game Last Evening, 49 to 21.

The Thief River Falls Athletics defeated the Den E. Lane team of St. Paul on the floor here last evening by a score of 39 to 21. As the visiting team is regarded as one of the very best in the twin cities this defeat is one of the really big achievements of the season for the locals.

The game dragged a little at times but was a good exhibition throughout. While the Athletics showed to the usual excellent advantage in their floor work, their basket shooting showed a great improvement over some of the recent exhibitions. Added satisfaction over the outcome is found in the fact that only home boys were used in the lineup, Louden, center, who was the only hired man on the team, having returned to his home in Cambridge.

The same teams will meet again tonight. The Lanes have an open date as they are not to play Bemidji until Saturday night and this will give our people an opportunity to witness another good exhibition.

R. B. Stenhoff, athletic coach at Lincoln high school, officiated as referee and performed this strenuous duty to the entire satisfaction of players and spectators alike.

CREAMERY MEN ELECT LINDBERG FIELD MANAGER

Perley Man Chosen For Important Post by Creameries of Fourteenth District.

Peter Engelstad of Thief River Falls Elected Secretary of Executive Board.

Organization Now Prepared to Standardize Product and Ship in Quantity.

N. C. Lindberg of Perley was elected field man for District No. 14 of the Minnesota Co-operative Creamery association at a meeting held in this city yesterday. Peter Engelstad, secretary of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery, was elected district secretary of the executive board in place of G. C. Goodrich of Greenbush, resigned. The resignation of Stuart McLeod of Goodridge as first vice president was tendered and accepted and Anton Moen of Maple Bay, Polk county, unanimously chosen to fill the vacancy.

This was practically the organization meeting for the district, the first session, held in February, having been adjourned until yesterday. The nomination previously made of E. O. Melsness of Erskine as chairman of the district organization and member of the state executive board, was ratified and he officiated as presiding officer. Frank E. Norquist of Gonvick was named temporary secretary.

Interest Keen.

Twenty-five of the 38 creameries in the district were represented and the meeting was most interesting in every way. Those present were enthusiastic over the outlook for usefulness presented by the association's program and it was predicted that before long every creamery in the district, which is the largest in the state, would be a member. In places where the work of organization has been completed the good results are already noted. Producing only butter of standard quality and high score as well as affecting a big saving in freight rates through quantity shipments are accomplishments already to the credit of the association. The work has only begun but the success of the enterprise is assured.

Following is a list of those attending the meeting here, together with the creameries represented:

H. F. Sprung, Ada; F. W. Janneck, Barnesville; John B. Rudd, Eddy; E. O. Melsness, Erskine; J. Lade, Fosston; Frank A. Norquist, Gonvick; Peter Rutkowski, Greenbush; Oscar Stordahl, Hendrum; J. H. Sorum, Holt; N. M. Peterson, Lancaster; N. C. Lindberg, Lee; Edward Rydeen, Clearbrook; J. R. Jedlicka, Mahnomen; Anton Moen, Maple Bay; C. M. Berg, McIntosh; Carl Hanson, Newfolden; P. G. Bondy, Olga; Peter Oftedal, Dindahl; Chas. E. Horien, Strathcona; F. S. Erdman, St. Hilaire; Peter Engelstad, Thief River Falls; John Halvorson, Viking; Thos. Haugan, Winger; A. J. Holmgren, Bronson; I. A. Rolstad, Hazel.

E. A. Rydeen, E. O. Melsness and J. Lade were appointed a committee on resolutions.

School Board Reappoints Present Teaching Staff

At a meeting of the school board held last Friday evening all teachers at present employed in this city were re-elected for another year and were given until March 13 to signify their acceptance or rejection of the offer. Supt. I. T. Simley was re-elected at a previous meeting and has accepted. No important change was made in the rate of pay for teachers.

While a number of changes in the teaching staff is always to be expected, it is thought that a majority of those now employed in Thief River Falls will remain for another year. Without exception they have proven themselves educators of more than usual ability and their retention will meet with general approval.

LIVESTOCK FEEDING PRINCIPAL SUBJECT AT TWO MEETINGS

Potato Shipping Association is Formed By Growers in East End of County.

Two very good farm institute meetings were held in the county during the week. The one at Goodridge on Monday was particularly well attended while the attendance in Thief River Falls was better than is generally the case.

J. E. Eastgate, state senator and owner of an 800-acre farm near Larimore, N. D., was the principal speaker. Being a practical farmer his talks were of special value and his theme one which is of interest to every farmer. Livestock raising was the subject dwelt upon particularly and Mr. Eastgate showed how the farmer should raise cows for sure money, sheep for easy money, horses for big money, and hogs for quick money. The senator uses a delightful style in getting his arguments before his audience and he was given the closest attention.

O. M. Olson of Moorhead, county agent of Clay county, spoke at the Thief River Falls meeting on "Cooperation," "The Feeding of Dairy Cattle," and "Potato Raising," all subjects of much interest at this particular time. His long experience as county agent in one of the neighboring counties makes his advice particularly applicable to the local situation and was highly appreciated by his hearers.

At the close of the meeting in Goodridge a potato association for the eastern end of the county was formed, with the following officers: H. I. Finstad, president; Wm. Vaughan, vice president; O. B. Mandt, secretary-treasurer. No plans as to where the potatoes raised will be marketed were decided on, this matter being left over to a later meeting.

PLAINTIFF LOSES ALIENATION CASE; THE COURT GRIND

Jury Finds Nereson Not Guilty of Charges Made By Gunderson, His Neighbor.

Persons who enjoy listening to law suits in which the testimony is of a racy nature have had an opportunity to get their fill during the past week. For five days the court room was crowded while the case of Gunder Gunderson against Ole Nereson was being tried before Judge Andrew Grindeland and a jury. Gunderson sued Nereson for $15,000, charging the alienation of his wife's affections. The jury was out five hours and returned a verdict of not guilty.

The case drew large crowds to the court room, Judge Grindeland on one occasion finding it necessary to clear the room, fearing the floor might give way under the unusual weight. The testimony was often of an unprintable nature, dealing with the alleged relations of the wife of plaintiff with the defendant.

Mrs. Gunderson was charged with having admitted her indiscretions but claimed that such confessions had been obtained from her by means of threats and that she was in fact innocent of any wrongdoing. It was a hard-fought legal battle on both sides, F. A. Grady of Crookston appearing for plaintiff, and E. M. Stanton of Thief River Falls, Chas. E. Boughton of Red Lake Falls, and Julius Olson of Warren appearing for Nereson.

A number of criminal cases were called for trial but were generally disposed of in short order. The one exception was the action brought by the state against Martin Hanson, indicted for having carnal knowledge of a child. This case also has created a great deal of interest because of the circumstances surrounding it. The alleged crime is said to have taken place in the fall of 1919, both parties having in the meantime resided outside the county. Sheriff W. J. LaBree held a warrant for the arrest of Hanson for over two years but was unable to serve it on account of Hanson's removal to Canada, where he was married. He recently returned to this country and Sheriff LaBree at once placed him under arrest. A three-year-old child, of which Hanson is alleged to be the father, figured conspicuously in the proceedings. The defendant in the meantime has married and has a wife and baby.

The case went to the jury yesterday afternoon and resulted in a verdict of not guilty.

Martin Williams, charged with running a gambling house, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of $200 and serve six months in jail. With good behavior the jail sentence will be commuted at the end of three months. His brother, George Williams, was fined $20 with a 30 day jail sentence for the same offense.

James Parenteau, charged with illegitimacy, whose case was continued from last term of court, changed his plea to guilty and the case is expected to be settled by his furnishing a bond to insure his contributing toward the support of the child.

Another continued case, that of the state against Arthur Craboneau, Ekard Lane, Richard Bartlett and Victor Norquist, was dismissed upon motion of County Attorney Theo. Quale.

A verdict for the defendant was returned in the case of the Security State bank of St. Paul, against Joe and John Eidelbes and M. Kotrba. O'Malley & O'Malley of St. Paul appeared for the plaintiff and Theo. Quale for defendants.

Three One-Act Plays By Dramatic Club of School

On Friday evening, March 3, the High School Dramatic club will present three one-act plays at the auditorium. These plays, "The Singing Soul," "A Pierrot of the Minute" and "A Flower of Yeddo," are based on Japanese and Chinese legends and are beautiful in the extreme. The presentation will be made with elaborate costuming and scenery and the club will be assisted by the high school orchestra.

There are three separate scenes, the first a mandarin's home in Pekin; second, the grove of Venus at night, and the third a Japanese home in the olden times.

Reserved seats are on sale at Stebbins' drug store.

PAYS $21,604 AS AUTO TAX; GETS $40,000 ROAD AID

Pennington County Ahead $18,550 as First Year's Result of Babcock Road Law.

Federal Aid Partially Responsible For Difference in Sums Collected and Spent.

New Construction to Be Distributed to Benefit Largest Number of Communities.

Pennington county owners paid $21,604 of taxes in 1921 on cars and trucks and $40,155 has been used to date on trunk highways within the county under the Babcock good roads plan put into effect last April. No county or town funds are included.

Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, explained that the large excess of disbursements over automobile tax revenue was made possible in part by the use of federal highway aid and reimbursement funds.

Figures Are Official.

The figures are official, motor vehicle taxes being reported by Mike Holm, secretary of state, and highway figures approved by G. W. Brown, state public examiner.

State trunk highway charges in Pennington county include $24,498 used in 1919-20 and $15,657 in 1921, all covering maintenance work, new construction, right-of-way, engineering and other expenses. The 1921 items follow:

Disbursements Exceed Receipts.

Trunk highway No. 32, 15.5 miles, maintenance $3,204; construction, $9,711; total, $12,735. Trunk highway No. 33, 15 miles, maintenance, $2,891; construction $31.00; total, $2,922. Total, $15,657. Reimbursement charged for 1919-20 work, $24,498. Trunk highway funds used in county to date, $40,155. Motor vehicle taxes collected in county to date, $21,604. Disbursements exceed receipts to date by $18,551.

Federal Aid Helped.

Mr. Babcock said that the general showing was made possible in part by the use of federal highway aid and reimbursement bond funds which totalled more than double the amount of the 1921 motor vehicle taxes.

John H. Mullen, deputy commissioner and chief highway engineer, added that the largest outlays, especially those for new construction, were in counties which voted reimbursement bonds and others where the trunk routes when taken over by the state were not up to the average.

Make Distribution Equal.

"Department policies are designed to distribute new construction so that the largest number of localities may share in early, permanent benefits, and also to build up weak stretches in long mileages of otherwise good roads. Their continuance will tend to bring up individual county totals to a fair average, traffic, milage and other conditions considered. Those with small totals last year will be most likely to lead this year, local conditions being equal. Every effort has been and is being made to give every section fair and impartial consideration."

The county figures made public this week, from reports certified by the secretary of state and public examiner, supplement the recent review of Minnesota's record of highway improvement accomplished under the new good roads program.

ALL-WATER ROUTE WOULD MEAN BIG SAVING TO FARMER

Speaker at Club Luncheon Explains Importance of Canal Project to Business Men.

A saving of seven cents a bushel on wheat shipped from the Red River valley to European markets would be effected by the construction of the proposed Great Lakes-St. Lawrence canal, according to C. C. Glick, who spoke at the Commercial club luncheon in this city last Thursday.

Under present conditions a cargo of wheat consigned from Duluth to Liverpool, for instance, must be reshipped twice before its destination is reached. Taken from the boats at Buffalo the cargo must go by rail to New York, where it is again loaded onto ocean-going vessels. This is a very costly proceeding, but the only alternative is the employment of the inadequate Erie canal which is capable of accommodating only vessels having less than a ten-foot draft. With the construction of the proposed canal it will be possible to load grain at the elevators in Duluth and carry it direct to Europe without breaking bulk, the saving thus made being estimated at from seven to nine cents a bushel.

The cost of the proposed canal will be in the neighborhood of $270,000,000, falling equally upon the United States and Canada. Six years would be required for its construction and it has been estimated by engineers that the revenue from the water-power developed would more than pay interest on the investment, the improvement in the end costing the taxpayers nothing.

Terminal facilities at New York are even at the present time unable to take care of the business reaching the city from the South and West during certain seasons of the year, causing costly delays. This condition will grow worse instead of better as the country develops and larger quantities of freight are available for export. New York naturally opposes the project as the proposed canal would for a time at least take away from that port a large amount of business. The government, however, is strongly in favor of the plan and it is not likely that the selfish objections of one section will carry much weight.

Mr. Glick is an interesting and convincing speaker and his address has had the effect of increasing interest in the big undertaking throughout this section.

JEWS ENTITLED TO LIBERAL RESPONSE IN PLEA FOR HELP

Have Always Been Among First to Respond When Others Needed Assistance.

During the past five years the Jews residing in the United States have contributed a total of $47,000,000 for the relief of suffering humanity in different parts of the world. Out of this sum more than 30 per cent, or $14,100,000, has been employed in the relief of distress of non-Jewish peoples. Up to the present time the Jews have been able to meet the demands made upon them where their own race was principally involved, but the present situation in the Near East is so far-reaching and embraces such a vast horde of people that they can no longer carry the load without the help of their neighbors.

In Thief River Falls, as in every other community, the Jews have always been among the most liberal in their donations toward humanitarian causes. Never has an appeal for funds to relieve suffering in any part of the world been made that has not found them both ready and willing to do their full share. Besides the general charitable work towards which they have contributed they have been carying a heavy load of their own in an attempt to succor so far as possible the Jewish populations of other countries. It is safe to say that no other race or nationality among our citizens has been called upon so continually for assistance, and that none have responded more liberally. Now that their burden has become too heavy to be handled alone they ask that their neighbors extend a helping hand in raising a fund to assist those who must starve unless succor is liberally extended.

The collection of funds was begun on Monday and one of the first contributions received by Chairman Charles Lieberman was a check for one dollar from a farmer residing near Wylie.

Donations may be sent either to Mr. Lieberman, Mayor John Bratrud or Daniel Shaw, Thief River Falls.

Sugar Beet Agent Coming to Confer With Growers

On Thursday, March 9, H. H. Dana, representing the Minnesota Sugar company, will be in the city for the purpose of making contracts for next season's sugar beet crop. Pennington county will be given a much larger acreage this year and growers are assured of a better contract with the refinery than that in force last season.

As this will be the most important meeting of beet growers before the planting is done, it will be to the interest of all who contemplate going into the business to be on hand. Mr. Dana is the agriculturist of the Minnesota Sugar company and is an expert on marketing as well as production. The meeting will be held in the office of the county agent.

Girls Outnumber Boys in City's School Buildings

The total enrollment at the public schools in Thief River Falls for the first semester of the present term, which closed on Feb. 3, was 1555. Of this number 711 were boys and 844 girls. They were distributed among the different buildings as follows: Central, 284; Knox, 202; Northrop, 357; Washington, 249; Lincoln High, 373. The high school enrollment was: Freshmen, 132; sophomores, 86; juniors, 79; seniors, 77. There were 83 pupils in the kindergarten—42 girls and 41 boys.

Income Tax Expert Here; Apply to Him For Help

L. L. Daly, deputy internal revenue collector, is in the city this week for the purpose of assisting those who may wish aid in making out their income tax returns. Mr. Daly will be found in the Commercial club rooms until Saturday evening and all who desire may consult him free of charge. There are several important changes in the income tax requirements and anyone in doubt concerning their provisions should not hesitate to call on this expert for help. It will be cheerfully given.

LIFE SENTENCE PRONOUNCED IN GUMMER'S CASE

Hotel Clerk Found Guilty of Murdering Marie Wick at Fargo, June 7, 1921.

Jury's Verdict Reported Unanimous on First Ballot, Both as to Guilt and Degree.

Andy Brown, Gummer's Room Mate, Placed Under Arrest on the Same Charge.

William Gummer was on Monday sentenced to life imprisonment in the North Dakota state penitentiary at Bismarck by Judge Chas. M. Cooley for the murder of Miss Marie Wick of Grygla, on June 7, 1921.

Gummer was found guilty of murder in the first degree by the jury, which returned a verdict at 12:40 o'clock Saturday night after having been out since 5:20 o'clock the previous evening. It is understood the jury first voted on the question of guilty, a unanimous ballot resulting. The second ballot was on the degree and again resulted in a unanimous verdict of first degree. A third or "clincher" ballot was taken and less than an hour after the jury retired the result had been established. The jury, however, remained out until 12:30 a. m. Ten minutes later the verdict was read in court.

Brown Is Arrested.

Andy Brown, Gummer's roommate, held as a witness since Sept. 24, was arrested shortly after the return of the jury in the Gummer case and charged with murder in the first degree in connection with the crime for which the latter was convicted. Brown was at once taken to Fargo and placed in the Cass county jail to await the preliminary hearing which was begun on Tuesday.

Curses the Jury.

During the time the jury was deliberating Gummer was sound asleep in his cell. He seemed highly pleased when the trial was concluded, executing a dance on the jail floor when he was taken back and locked up by the officers. He was awakened and brought into the court room to hear the verdict read but showed no particular emotion at that time. Later, however, he cursed the jury which found him guilty, keeping up his tirade during the greater part of the morning.

The sentencing of Gummer was a mere formality, murder in the first degree automatically carrying with it a sentence of life imprisonemnt in North Dakota.

Brown Learns of Verdict.

Andy Brown did not know what the verdict was until shortly after 5 o'clock in the morning, when Sheriff Larson awoke him and told him that Deputy Sheriff James Milligan of Cass county was waiting below to take him back to Fargo. "What's the verdict?" was his first remark, and upon hearing that it was guilty of murder in the first degree he buried his head in the bed clothes for a moment or two.

Warrant Served.

Then he was taken down stairs, where Mr. Milligan served the warrant charging him with first degree murder. He said nothing when the warrant was read for he had expected it. A number of times during the course of the trial he intimated to Sheriff Larson that he supposed that they would arrest him if Gummer was convicted.

When informed that Brown had been arrested, Gummer said, "Well they've got another innocent man mixed up in it."

Suspected From the First.

Investigation from the first indicated that Brown was seriously mixed up in the murder of the Grygla girl, but the authorities did not bring the charge against him as in that case it would have been impossible to use him as a witness against Gummer. He was therefore simply held as a witness until the Gummer trial was over.

Gummer Never Flinched.

During the terrible arraignment of State's Attorney William Green, lasting more than three hours, Gummer's stoicism never left him. Even when Mr. Green directed attention of the jurors to Gummer's face, declaring that it was the face Marie Wick saw as she lay helpless upon her bed, the prisoner never flinched, and when Mr. Green demanded that the jury convict him in order that other girls might be protected from such a man, he was as firm as ever.

The Strongest Witness.

"The strongest witness against the defendant in this case was not a witness who came here under subpoena for either the state or the defendant," said Mr. Green. "It was a witness who could not be forced to testify; a witness whose testimony can never appear upon the written records of this court—but a witness, nevertheless, who told you more convincingly than all the other evidence in the case told you—that William Gummer destroyed the life of Marie Wick. For two hours on Monday morning of this week the naked soul of William Gummer sat in that witness chair and, while William Gummer's tongue dodged and evaded and argued and refused to answer questions, that soul of his displayed itself to you not told you [illegible] no human voice could tell you, "This is the man.'

"If ever the cold, calculating, nerveless, fear-nothing, vindictive spirit which must dwell in the body of a man who would commit such a crime as this, came out and displayed itself in the eyes and features and actions and words of a living being, that spirit came out of William Gummer, on Monday morning, when everyone who looked could see in that cold, unblinking stare, behind that sardonic grin the spirit which would not be bound by preparation or advice of lawyers or even fear of consequences—the spirit will not stay hidden when William Gummer is crossed in his desires, but comes out ready to rape or torture or kill, if need be, because it knows no law except the law of its own desire.

True Nature Will Show Up.

"If ever a man's true nature will come to the front, it is when he is charged with such a crime as this, and stands before a jury of his fellow men who are to decide upon his fate, and tells his story. He may hide it for awhile, but if it is strong enough it will burst out. And so it is with this defendant Gummer. On direct examination he sat in that chair, a little nervous, as one might naturally expect him to be, but giving careful answers, in good English, and with the excellent help given him by his counsel in asking leading questions so that he would only have to answer 'Yes' or 'No,' everything was going his way and he was showing up well. But on cross examination, things didn't go his way. He couldn't tell what he was going to be asked, and so he couldn't have his answers ready, and when he couldn't answer questions his own way he did not like it, and the longer he went *on the less he liked it*, and what was the result? His real nature just broke out and took control, and then you saw the real Gummer—you saw the Gummer that the officers saw on the night of the 14th of June—the Gummer that Hans Wick's daughter saw as she lay on her bed of torture and watched that instrument of death come crashing down."

Both J. W. Swenson of Devils Lake, Gummer's brother-in-law, and W. J. Barnett of Fargo took part in the closing arguments for the defense, the chief address being given by Judge Barnett.

Barnett's Address.

Judge Barnett, in his closing address for the defense, told the jury that the state had built a house upon sand, and described the state's theory of the crime as a "figment of the imagination."

He declared that the jurors could not retire and deliberate on the case without taking into consideration Andy Brown's connection with the case.

"Couldn't you build as strong a case against Brown?" Judge Barnett asked. "What would you say of Andy Brown? Did he do it? If Brown were here instead of Gummer, what would you say?

"You can't wipe Andy Brown out of this case. You can't get at the truth and do justice without considering the facts about Brown," he declared.

REGULAR MEETING OF PARENT-TEACHERS ON EAST SIDE TUESDAY

Will Afford Excellent Opportunity For Inspection by Public of New Knox School Building.

The next meeting of the P-T-A will be held in the new Knox building on the East side next Tuesday evening. Those who have not seen this fine building should avail themselves of the double opportunity of inspecting the building at this time as well as attending what will probably be the most interesting P-T-A meeting yet held. This meeting should be a lively one because the entire program is devoted to the very interesting yet puzzling subject: "What Can We as Parents Do to Provide Proper Entertainment and Amusement for Boys and Girls of High School Age?" Some interesting and profitable discussions are looked for.

After the program a light lunch will be served by the women of the East side. Following is the program:

Piano solo, Maxine Johnson.

Discussions on the main subject, A. W. Jardine, Mrs. C. T. Christenson, Mrs. T. L. Melgaard.

Discussion by the audience.

Vocal solo, Mrs. O. F. Melby.

"Home Study as a Part of the Evening Program for Boys and Girls," M. P. Rapacz, high school principal.

Convert Peninsula Into Red Lake National Park

If plans as outlined by Peter Krogseng of Saum, Minn., materialize, Northwestern Minnesota is to have a national park to be known as the Red Lake National park, which is to be located between ranges 32 and 33, including the beautiful point between upper and lower Red lake.

This stretch of beautiful timbered land comprises about 38,500 acres and, according to Mr. Krogseng, Congressman Knutson, with whom he has had some correspondence regarding this project, is most enthusiastic about such a plan.

There are about 120,000,000 feet of standing white pine trees on this point and the opening up of such a national park will mean something to the whole nation.

It is the aim of those promoting the project to have resolutions adopted at the March election favoring the setting aside of this tract to be maintained and conducted as a national recreation resort by act of congress.

Correction.

In my annual report there appears a mistake. Skim milk received, 401,-335 pounds, should be 89,658 pounds.

m-2 P. ENGELSTAD, Sec.

THESE IMPLORE YOUR AID

Starvation faces thousands of Jewish children in the countries of the Near East. The campaign for relief now being carried on in the United States is for the purpose of raising funds to relieve this suffering and loss of life as far as possible.

INCOME PAYMENTS MUST BE IN HANDS OF AGENT MAR. 15

Time Extension Granted Only in Exceptional Cases—Big Penalty For Neglect.

Taxpayers have 15 days, not including Sundays, in which to file their income tax returns for the calendar year 1921. To avoid penalty, the return, accompanied by at least one quarter of the tax, must be in the hands of the collector of internal revenue or a deputy collector on or before midnight of March 15.

Returns may be mailed or filed in person at the office of the collector, St. Paul, and the following branch offices: Minneapolis, Duluth, Mankato, Winona and St. Cloud. Payment may be made by check, money order or in cash. If made at a branch office, payment should be made by money order or check, to avoid the danger of loss in transmission to the office of the collector.

Where in exceptional cases such as illness or absence, a taxpayer is unable to make a return within the time prescribed, an extension of not to exceed 30 days may be obtained upon application to the collector. Such extension will be granted only when in the judgment of the collector further time is actually required for making of an accurate return. Applications for such extensions must be made prior to March 15.

As a condition of granting an extension of time for filing a return, the collector may require the submission of a tentative return. Tentative returns will not be accepted unless permission is obtained previous to filing. A copy of the authority for filing the tentative return must be attached thereto when filed. Where a taxpayer files a tentative return and fails to file a complete return within the period of the extension requested by him, the complete return when filed is subject to penalties prescribed for delinquency.

If before the end of a 30 day extension is granted by the collector, an accurate return cannot be made, an appeal for a further extension must be made to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, D. C., with a full recital of the causes for the delay. The commissioner will not grant an additional extension without a clear showing that a complete return cannot be made at the end of the 30 day period. For failure to file return on time, the taxpayer becomes liable to a penalty of not more than $1,000 and a further penalty of 25 per cent of the amount of tax due, unless he later files a return and it is satisfactorily shown that the delinquency was due to a reasonable cause and not to wilful neglect.

Zauke a Visitor.

W. F. Zauke, village clerk and general manager of the village of Baudette, was in the city on Monday enroute to Bemidji to attend court. "Bill" says that everything is shaping up nicely for the division of Beltrami county, there being but little opposition to the proposition showing up at the county seat. The new county will have plenty to start with in the way of taxable valuation and a greater population than some of the counties in the state at the present time. There are a lot of things to be considered in connection with the division of a county, however, and Mr. Zauke is going to look into some of them while at Bemidji.

Council Meeting Light; Appoint Election Judges

Very little business of importance was transacted by the city council at the regular meeting on Tuesday night. Bonds of the city depositories were accepted and the judges of election appointed for the year. The latter are: First ward, Emil Griebstein, C. E. Glines and Ed. Ness; Second ward, W. H. Akre, Alfred Bredeson and M. N. Benson; Third ward, Carsten Christenson, Harry Roberts and Frank Mousley; Fourth ward, Frank Cernoucek, C. M. Wilson and Herman Egeland.

AT THE THEATRES

All children love motion pictures and parents need have no hesitancy in sending them to the clean, wholesome presentations in which Mary Miles Minter appears. "The Little Clown," in which this charming actress appears at the Lyceum on Friday and Saturday nights, is full of the most delightful comedy situations from beginning to end. The play will please the most critical patron and yet be found perfectly suitable for the children to [illegible].

A real circus was engaged to put on the c[illegible] scenes in this play. These are [illegible] every daddy in town will be justified in taking the youngsters in order that he may see the play himself. It is clever, wholesome and instructive in every detail and gives the versatile Mary one of the best vehicles she has ever had for the display of her talent.

"The Cure," one of Charlie Chaplin's latest pictures, will be shown in connection with the above. This is a program of unusual merit.

"Mother o' Mine," one of the big motion picture sensations of the year, comes to the Lyceum on Sunday and Monday evenings and Sunday matinee. It was produced by that wizard of the screen, Thomas H. Ince, and is said to be the most appealing thing ever turned out by that genius. It is presented by a notable cast, including Betty Blythe, Lloyd Hughes, Betsy Ross Clark, Joseph Kilgour, Claire McDowell and Andrew Arbuckle. The story itself is one of rare beauty and presented with a wealth of scenic accessories such as have made the name of Ince famous. One exhibitor, after having presented this great picture to his patrons, wrote as follows to the producers:

"I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation of your picture, 'Mother o' Mine,' which, judged from the standpoint of humanness and popular appeal I consider the greatest picture I have ever viewed.

"A story so great that no mind can fail to be impressed, so simply told that no mind can fail to grasp it. A story which could easily be made to appear grim and sordid has by skillful directing and skillful acting, been made bright and wholesome and impresses upon the minds of those who see it a lesson never to be forgotten.

"Owing to adverse weather conditions I made no money on the picture but certainly gained a lot of publicity as people are still talking about it and many have thanked me for giving them, as they say, the best picture they ever saw."

A Torchy comedy fills out the bill for these performances, for which only the regular prices are charged.

Mothers—Important.

Mothers should see that the whole family take a thorough, purifying system cleaning laxative this Spring. NOW IS THE TIME. The family will be healthier, happier, and get along better if the blood is given a thorough purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter accumulated in the system, driven away. HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGET TABLETS is one of the very best and surest spring medicines to take. Get them and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll eat better, sleep better, and be well and happy. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement.

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Our Cash Market

On March 2 we paid for

clean, fresh eggs	28c
Heavy hens	16c
Springs	15c
Stags and Cox	10c
Cow and steer hides	5c
Horse hides	$1.50 to $2.50
Wool, clean, average	18c-20c
Skunks, regardless of stripe	$2 to $3.50

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HOG VALUES GAIN; PORKERS TO $11

New High Prices on the Crop Registered—Cattle Advance on Very Short Runs.

South St. Paul, Feb. 27—Under the combined influences of advancing prices at eastern markets and continued below normal receipts here, owing particularly to the storm last week and sub-zero temperatures at this week's opening, all classes of livestock are selling on sharply higher price levels than a week ago, last week's gain being followed by further upturns in swine and cattle values on this week's initial session. Some medium native lambs took a 25c decline from the high close last week, but prices on the better grades were well sustained. As compared with last week's opening hogs sold Monday largely 75c higher, both killing stock and feeding cattle are mostly 50c up, as are calves, and fat sheep and lambs show 50 to 75c gain.

Best beef cattle on today's market sold at $8, long yearlings, carrying odd heifers, reaching the price, with the bulk of the steers on killing account going at $6.75 to $7.25 and with stockers and feeders relatively high and selling mostly from $5.75 to $6.75, a selected grade of fleshy feeders having a quotable value up to $7.50. Butcher cows and heifers cashed largely from $4 to $6 with some of the more desirable fat heifers, chiefly yearlings, on up to $7. Canner cows below $2.75 were scarce and a strong cutter grade sold upward to $3.75 to $4. Bologna bulls were most numerous at $3.50 to $4, some reaching $4.25. Some of the best veal calves sold to packers up to $9, with practically no desirable light or handyweight vealers going below $6.50.

With light hogs selling up to $11, and the bulk of the butcher weights going from $10.40 to $10.75, the best fat pigs reaching $11.25 and only packing hogs with weight selling to $9 or below, the hog market touched a new high basis for the year and the day's average cost, promising to figure around $10.60, was about $4.25 above the low week in November last.

Choice Dakota-fed lambs sold up to $15.25 and fed natives as high as $14.75 to $16. Best handyweight fed western ewes sold up to $8.25 last week but weighty sheep are finding discrimination and some good heavy native ewes are selling around $6 to $6.50.

A QUESTION OF FAITH.

Winnebago City Enterprise: If the farmers of Minnesota and of the nation stick together, and fight the good fight for the common cause, they will be successful in their just demands.

The farmer is not getting a square deal at the present time, and until agriculture prospers, none of us will prosper. We are all dependent upon the man who tills the soil.

If the faith of the members of the farm bureau is strong enough, and if they stand united, it will not be long before a great change for the better will have been brought about. Let there be no wavering in the ranks.

"Only One Thing Breaks My Cold"

THE relief that Dr. King's New Discovery gives from stubborn old colds, and onrushing new ones, grippe and throat-torturing coughs has made it the standard remedy it is today. Time-tried for fifty years and never more popular than today. No harmful drugs.

You will soon notice the relief in loosened phlegm and eased cough.

Always reliable, and good for the whole family. Has a convincing, healing taste with all its good medicinal qualities. At all druggists, 60 cents.

Dr. King's New Discovery

For Colds and Coughs

The Results of Constipation are sick headaches, biliousness, sallow skin, waste matter in the intestinal system. Correct this health-undermining condition by taking Dr. King's Pills. 25 cents. All druggists.

PROMPT! WON'T GRIPE

Dr. King's Pills

UNTOLD WEALTH IN STATE PEAT LANDS

Dried Product at $3 Per Ton Would Pay National Debt, is Claim of Speaker.

Minnesota contains enough merchantable dried peat at the rate of $3 a ton to pay off the national debt, E. A. Wildes, state superintendent of mines, said at Minneapolis on Saturday in an address at the national convention of Minnesota agricultural and engineering societies.

"Peat," said Mr. Wildes, "abounds in practically every section of the state. It is particularly plentiful near Duluth, the twin cities, Iron Range, Brainerd, Mankato and other cities. It is sufficiently close to every community in the state to make transportation easy. It is one of Minnesota's greatest assets and is undeveloped."

Max Stoltz, St. Paul engineer, in discussing the use of peat as fuel, said that heretofore wood and coal have been too successful as competitors to allow for wide development of peat preparation plants. With wood eliminated and coal becoming more costly the use of peat is not only practical but is considered the solution to Minnesota's fuel problems.

Henry Clark Will Appear Before P-T-A This Evening

There will be a special meeting of the Parent-Teacher association in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock this evening. The purpose of this meeting is to give the members of the P-T-A an opportunity to hear a lecture on "What is An Education?" by Henry Clark, who so delightfully entertained the high school students at chapel Monday afternoon and at the city auditorium Monday evening through his reading, "The Go-Getter." Mr. Clark's lecture on "What is An Education" has always pleased and thrilled his audiences and all parents who are interested in the proper education of their children should not miss this opportunity to hear something new and worth while.

This lecture is being given under the auspices of the P-T-A, but all others who are interested are welcome. A small admission fee of ten cents will be charged to help defray expenses.

Cut Out Coupon and Save Price of Lyceum Ticket

It may not be possible for two to live as cheaply as one, but two can attend the Lyceum performances for the price of one ticket if they will take the trouble to cut the coupon out of the theatre advertisement on the back page of The Times every week. Manager H. A. Brumund says that in order to get a larger number of people to appreciate the fine attractions he is securing for his patrons he has decided to give two admissions for the price of one, providing the coupon is used.

This offer does not hold good on Sunday nights as the features then presented are so expensive as to make it necessary for him to charge for every seat in the house. There are also occasions on which this free offer may be suspended, but until further notice it will hold good for every night except Sunday. If you have not been taking advantage of this, begin by clipping the coupon now while you think of it.

HIT THEM HARD.

(Fergus Falls Journal.)

The mail order houses are showing huge slumps. Montgomery Ward & Co. report an operating loss of $2,-054,370 for the past year and a depreciation loss of $4,725,920. The National Cloak and Suit Co. reports a loss of $2,439,902 for the year. This, with the Sears-Roebuck losses that were so heavy that the president had to come to the rescue with his personal fortune, shows that the mail order business is not what it once was.

Election of Officers By Elks Lodge Friday Night

The annual election of officers of the local Elks lodge will take place on Friday night. Nominations were made at the first meeting in February and there is but one candidate for each office, as follows:

Exalted ruler, L. G. Larsen; esteemed leading knight, G. W. Connell; esteemed loyal knight, L. H. Lawrence; esteemed lecturing knight, W. J. Brown; secretary, T. J. Austad; treasurer, F. H. Herrick; trustee for three years, W. H. BonDurant; tiler, Elmer F. Ohm; delegate to grand lodge convention, H. W. Protzeller; delegate to state convention, F. H. Herrick.

At the close of the meeting a lunch has been provided by the committee in charge.

HAVE A LITTLE PATIENCE.

(Bemidji Sentinel.)

After waiting more than twenty years for something to be done regarding the Red Lake and Clearwater drainage projects some of the settlers in those communities are becoming anxious regarding the progress that is being made by the Conservancy Board and are commencing to grumble. The Board has encountered numerous difficulties. The government must act and that takes time. The various surveys must be made so as to determine what the actual work must be. The Board is composed of men who are devoting much time and attention to the work and they are working with all the speed possible. The exercise of a little patience will help them more than grumbling.

Warming Up.

(Gonvick Banner.)

Politics are warming up. C. L. Hansen of Thief River Falls has filed as a candidate for state senator from the 65th district. Mr. Hansen is by no means an unknown quality. He is a leader in his home city and county. For years he has been prominently identified with public affairs of northern Minnesota. In movements tending to promote dairying and agricultural development he has been decidedly active and his name is known in every corner of his district. A candidate for the position six years ago he received a splendid vote. He undoubtedly will gather more ballots and possibly a majority this time.

Notice to Voters.

The annual caucus for the Town of North will be held at the Oen Mercantile store March 7, at 3 p. m.

f3-m2 ALFRED LONGREN, Clerk.

Notice to the Public.

This is to notify all concerned that on and after this date I will not be responsible for bills contracted by Mrs. W. E. Baker.

Dated Feb. 16, 1922.

W. E. BAKER.

VALUABLE READING MATTER.

Delano Eagle: An Iowa farmer says that there was a time when he looked with unfriendly eye upon the advertising that filled so much space in his country newspaper. "But in our home now," he writes, "we find as much news in the advertising as in the locals. It's a different kind of news—buying news—but it's worth while in dollars and cents."

Notice.

Party taking pair of 4-buckle overshoes from Catholic church basement at last card party, Feb. 23, please return to same place and take own 3-buckled. If not returned soon, will take other means.

m3-p MAYME C. VOTAVA?

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.32
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.28
Flax, per bu.	2.20
Barley, per bu.	.43
Oats, per bu.	.26
Rye, per bu.	.88
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	4.70
Cracked corn, per 100 lb. bags	1.30
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.25
Oil Meal	3.00
Bran and Shorts	1.40
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.10
Old Roosters	.10
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.10
PRODUCE	
Potatoes, per cwt.	1.00
Eggs, per doz.	.25
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery Butter, per lb.	.30
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	[illegible]
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.08
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.08½
Veal, dressed, per lb.	6-7c
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.03
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

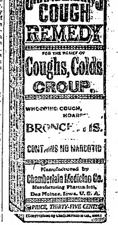

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Coughs, Colds CROUP,

WHOOPING COUGH, HOARSE[NESS]

BRONCHITIS.

CONTAINS NO NARCOTIC

Manufactured by Chamberlain Medicine Co. Manufacturing Pharmacists, Des Moines, Iowa, U. S. A.

PRICE, THIRTY-FIVE CENTS

Opportunity Means Nothing to the Man with Empty Pockets

Did YOU ever consider that?

The individual who goes through life without a little cash salted away—and consequently without credit or the means of getting it—can tell you of many splendid opportunities passed along to some one more fortunate because he had not the wherewithal to "plank down." Why not place yourself in a position to take advantage of opportunity?

Start a SAVINGS ACCOUNT Today.

It is not a difficult matter to squeeze out a little deposit now and again—and it's marvelous how quickly it mounts up—with the interest.

The First National Bank

Capital, Surplus & Undivided Profits $100,000.00.

Thief River Falls, Minn.

DOUBLE your savings—it CAN be done.

This Town Needs a Hupmobile Dealer

This is a "Hupmobile town," and it needs, and will soon have, a Hupmobile dealer.

It is the kind of community that most appreciates this fine car.

The Hupmobile, while ranking with cars that cost much more, sells at the remarkably low price of $1,250 f. o. b. factory.

This brings it within the reach of persons of ordinary means, and makes it a wonderful proposition for the dealer.

The man we are looking for to represent the Hupmobile here, is a hustler and a good business man.

To such a man, we can practically assure many prospects, sales and exceptional profits.

This is the first year we have been able to supply the great potential demand for Hupmobiles outside of the metropolitan centers.

Now the Hupmobile factory has greatly increased its production to supply this demand.

This creates a money-making opportunity. You may be the man we want.

Remember that we have no back-breaking requirements—nothing but what will enhance your bank standing. And our discount rate is much more liberal than is ordinarily offered.

It is unmistakably to your advantage to talk this over, absolutely without obligation. Let us hear from you. Write at once to

HARRINGTON MOTOR COMPANY, Inc.

Hupmobile Distributors

1635 Hennepin Avenue Minneapolis, Minnesota

Society

Dancing Party.

Among the many delightful prelenten affairs was the dancing party given by a number of young ladies at the I. O. O. F. hall on Monday evening. Miss Agnes Oftedahl had charge of arrangements. Mrs. Oscar Melby, Mrs. E. L. Rolland and Mrs. Joe Holmes assisted in the serving of lunch. Dancing continued from 10 to 1:30. Those present were Miss Eileen Arneson, Miss Helen Langseth, Miss Violet Krohn, Miss Myrtle Krohn, Miss Adlyn LaBree, Miss Lucille McGinnity; Miss Caroline Mellby, Miss Inga Oftedahl, Miss Jeanette Oftedahl, Miss Olga Granum, Miss Emma Pawling, Miss Clarissa Hornseth, Miss Gladys Anderson, Miss Theone Walker, Miss Lylabelle Schuster, Miss Esther Warner, Miss Esther Soards, Miss Esther Gjertsen, Miss Agnes Oftedahl, Mrs. Pearl Dale, Mrs. W. H. Halbert, Math Barzen, Jr., Milford LaBree, Morris Muffey, W. H. Powley, Harold Arenson, Art Liden, Art Orringer, W. H. Halbert, Bart Wangenstein, Howard Sterns, Henry Dostal, Russell Anderson, Leonard Hanson, Thomas Gargrave, Sam Plough, Ray Kiland, William McGinnity, Norbert Holzknecht, and E. J. Robinson of Barnesville.

A Fine Entertainment.

Through the efforts of the Ladies Auxiliary of Elmer Eklund Post, American Legion, the public was afforded the opportunity of hearing Henry Clark, noted lecturer and entertainer, in his rendition of one of the famous Cappy Ricks stories, "The Go-Getter." Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, president of the Auxiliary, presented Mr. Clark to the audience, following a community sing led by Miss Maude Johnson, supervisor of music in the public schools. Mr. Clark held his audience with intense interest during his recital of the story, which was very appealing because of the lesson of loyalty and persistency which was very prominently brought out. It is assured that Mr. Clark will be heartily welcomed by a Thief River Falls audience at any time he may appear here in the future. Mrs. F. E. Hunt, Mrs. L. A. Hermanson and Mrs. D. W. Robinson, members of the Auxiliary, acted as ushers.

Birthday Frolic.

Saturday was the ninth birthday of Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, and she celebrated the day by inviting a number of friends to accompany her to the Lyceum theatre, where they witnessed the matinee performance, later going to her home to enjoy games and lunch. A large birthday cake with candles was a prominent part of the lunch. The hostess was assisted in serving by Peggy Shaw, Lucy Nason and Katherine Melby. Alice was remembered with a number of pretty gifts. The guests were Marrian Herrick, Laura Nelson, Lucille and Lorraine Rayson, Millicent Arnold, Grace Provencher, Marrian Gray, Margaret Arneson, Rosine Dahlen, Virginia Quale, Janet and Geraldine Connell, Helen and Ruth Cronkhite, Helen and Jane Protzeller, Alice Lonson, Helen Johnson, Eleanor Carlson, Dorothy Tyren and Jeanette Mogensen.

Sleighride Party.

Albert Belland was host at a sleighride party Wednesday evening, later taking his guests to his home, 723 Eighth street east, where the time was spent in music, cards and dancing. At midnight refreshments were served by the hosts' mother. Those attending were Misses Valliere and Sabina Parenteau, Rose Olson, Ellen Sandstrom, Maybelle and Ida Swanson, Florence Bredeson, Martine Cloutier and Lois Struble; Messrs. Irving Carlson, Ronald and Howard Schantzen, Dan Parenteau, Joe Cloutier, Earl Erickson, Henry Olson, Arthur Charboneau, Richard Joringdahl, Thomas and Edward Belland.

Entertain at Dinner.

A company of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoppa were entertained at a 6:30 o'clock dinner at their home Sunday evening. Whist became the diversion during the hours which followed. The first prize for the ladies was awarded to Mrs. J. A. Wassgren. C. A. Barden received the gentlemen's prize, while Mrs. W. K. Knight held low count. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Barden, Mr. and Mrs. Borgstrom, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Manther, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Knight, Mr and Mrs. D. W. White, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. J. A. Wassgren and E. A. Stoughton.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Dahlen entertained a company of friends at their home, 123 Markley avenue north, on Friday evening, the event being Mr. Dahlen's birthday anniversary. There were guests for five tables of whist. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bennes, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Arneson, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Overland, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ostby, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Aasen, Mr. and Mrs. N. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Larson, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Rambeck.

COURT STENOS ARE WELL PAID

Miss Alice Fehis, a graduate of Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., is now stenographer for State Attorney Coyne, of LaMoure. Many D. B. C. students who began in lawyers' offices were later employed at fine salaries to "take down" evidence in the U. S. District Court, N. D. Supreme Court, Cass Co. Court, and others.

D. B. C. stenographers are trained to be nimble-minded as well as nimble-fingered. That's why the best positions fall to their lot. "Follow the Succe$$ful" to success. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Plays Leading Role in Class Play at College

MISS VIRGINIA WILL.

Friends of Miss Virginia Will, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Will of this city, who is attending the Moorhead State Teachers college, will be interested in knowing that she is to play the title role in the Senior class play, "Mary Stuart," which will be given at the college on Friday evening, March 3.

Miss Will was chosen from a large group of candidates who tried out for this part because of her fine ability for acting and speaking.

Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. M. A. Mattison entertained a few ladies at cards at her home, 512 Tindolph avenue south, on Tuesday evening. Miss Helen Flekke assisted the hostess in the serving of a lunch. The guests present were Mrs. H. L. Schuster, Mrs. John Ward, Mrs. J. F. Kielty, Mrs. Ferdie Brown, Mrs. Wm. Sheedy, Mrs. Oscar Olson and Mrs. Paula Gray.

Entertains.

Miss Edna Larson entertained a small company of friends at her home on Friday evening. Cards were the principal diversion and at 11 o'clock refreshments were served. The guests were Misses Lena Lonson, Volberg Sandum, Ida Tandberg, Emma and Laura Jorgenson, Lyda Batten, Mrs. Ed. Karwand and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge.

Surprise Party.

On Sunday afternoon, Feb. 26, Mrs. Julia Ellingson was delightfully surprised by about fifty of her friends and neighbors. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in social chat and at four o'clock refreshments were served by the visitors.

Social Welfare Section Meets.

The social welfare section of the Woman's club met Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms. Lunch was served by Mrs. H. O. Loken, Mrs. J. H. Hermanson and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Sr.

Anniversary Party.

About fifteen boys and girls attended the birthday party of Victor and Milton Jung at their home Monday afternoon. A pink and white birthday cake with pink candles featured the lunch and was used as a centerpiece. Games and music furnished amusement for the little folks.

Anniversary Surprise Party.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kelley went to their home unannounced on Monday evening in recognition of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Kelley. A pleasant evening of whist, music and dancing was concluded with the serving of a delicious lunch.

Elks Have Party.

The last of a series of informal dancing parties given by the local lodge of Elks before the lenten season, was held at the club rooms on Friday evening. Miss Theone Walker, pianist, and Clarence Andrews furnished the music for dancing.

Odd Fellows Basket Social.

The members of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs enjoyed a social evening at their hall Tuesday. At lunch time baskets brought by the ladies were auctioned off by James Burrell. Miss Theone Walker played during the hours which were spent in dancing.

Ladies' Aid and Y. P. S.

The Ladies' Aid of Trinity Lutheran church will be entertained this afternoon in the church basement by Mrs. I. T. Simley, Mrs. Hofto, Mrs. Gilbert Sandum and Mrs. P. L. Vistaunet. This evening the Young Peoples League will be entertained by Mrs. J. O. Sether. The following program will be given:

Scripture reading.

Violin solo, Lawrence Ecklund.

Reading with musical accompaniment, Agnes Stavig.

Vocal solo, Ann Tharaldson.

Piano solo, Gladys Weeks.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. V. Evenson, 611 Duluth avenue north. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Girls Community Club.

The Girls Community club will meet at the Commercial club rooms on Monday evening, March 6. A large attendance is hoped for.

Tuesday Bridge Club.

Mrs. Nels Christianson entertained the Tuesday Night Bridge club at her home this week.

Hard Time Dance.

The Royal Neighbor lodge gave a hard time dancing party at the Masonic hall last evening. A large crowd was in attendance.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Womans' club will hold its regular meeting on Monday afternoon, March 6, at the Commercial club rooms. Mrs. E. M. Stanton will have charge of the program, with officers of the League of Women Voters assisting. Current events will be led by Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht. A vocal solo by Carl Sundahl will be the musical number on the program.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Johnson, 408 Main avenue north, entertained a group of friends at a six o'clock dinner last evening in compliment to F. B. Schawlen of Breckenridge. Cards and music furnished the entertainment after the dinner hour. Mr. Schawlen is traveling auditor for the Nortz Lumber company.

City News

Reserved seats for High School Dramatic club entertainment at Stebbins'. m-2

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Barnett are expected to return this evening from a trip to California.

Cyril Sapero returned this morning from Chisholm, where he had been looking after the company's business interests while his brother, A. S. Sapero, was in the Eastern markets on a buying trip.

On page 81 in the Vogue Fashion book for March 15th are shown six beautiful silk gowns. Each one is a distinctive creation, and may be seen in the ready-to-wear department at the J. C. Penney store.—Advertisement. m-2

Mrs. Victor Lundbohm spent a few days this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hilson. Mr. Lundbohm met her here yesterday morning, having come up from Red Lake Falls, where they have been residing. From here they went to Warroad, where they expect to establish their home.

Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg will leave this afternoon for Fargo to spend several days with her husband, medical chief of the Veterans' bureau. Dr. Swedenburg was recently transferred from Sioux Falls, S. D., to Fargo in order to be nearer home. He will continue in this work for an indefinite time as he finds it a very valuable experience. When this work is completed he will return to this city to take up his practice.

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church.
George Larson, Pastor.

Services 11 a. m. Services at Norden church 2:30 p. m. Services 7:45 p. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid will meet at the Axelson home Tuesday, March 17. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday afternoon, March 9. Mrs. Oftelie and Mrs. Griebstein entertain. The Zion Young People's Society meets Thursday evening, March 9. Miss Alma Savig will entertain. Services at Mr. Hall's residence, Rosewood, Tuesday, March 14, at 2 p. m. Confirmants meet at parsonage every Saturday at 2 p. m.

Trinity Lutheran Church.
T. E. Sweger, Pastor.

The confirmation class will meet at the parsonage at 10 o'clock. Sunday services in the English language at 11 a. m. Special music. Norwegian services in the evening at 7:45. Circuit meeting in the church from Mar. 7 to 9. Rev. Stormo will give the opening address. Rev. A. Hanson will introduce the 23rd Psalm for discussion. Rev. G. M. Grimsrud will lead the circuit discussion. Norwegian in morning and afternoon. English in the evening. Communion services. Rev. E. O. Sabo will conduct the confessional services.

The Ev. Luth. Augustana Church.
Albin A. Larson, Pastor.

Services in American Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Bible class Sunday evening at 7. Services in Swedish at 8 p. m. Luther League will be entertained Wednesday evening, March 8, by Mrs. Ben Peterson and Miss Agnes Longren. Special program. Hon. O. A. Naplin will be the speaker.

St. John's Lutheran Church.
E. H. Kreidt, Pastor.

German Lenten services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Theme: "Father, forgive them." Sunday school 11:30 a. m. English services 7:45 p. m. Topic: "The Divine Necessity of the Cross." Matters of importance will be discussed after the morning service. All members please be present.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, March 5, "Man." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

Presbyterian Church.

Preaching service at 11 a. m.; Junior Endeavor meets at 3 o'clock; Men's Bible class, 6:45; Christian Endeavor, 7:00; preaching at 8. The Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m.

Bethlehem Church.
O. I. Rauum, Pastor.

There will be services in Bethlehem church next Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock.

Obituary

Lewis Knutson.

Lewis Knutson, 101 State avenue south, died yesterday morning from tuberculosis after an illness of four years duration. Part of the time he was a patient at Oakland Park sanatorium. He leaves to mourn his death his aged father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Knutson, two sisters, Ida and Hannah, and five brothers, Albert and Dedrick, who reside here, and Henry, August and Edward, of Saskatchewan, Can. The funeral will be held at Holt on Monday.

DOES NO GOOD, ANYWAY.

The Princeton Union: "Pastors of churches," says Miss Frances Adams, an evangelist, "should stop talking about women's fashions from the pulpit and confine themselves to preaching the gospel. The pulpit is not the place to settle fashion problems but to save souls." In this Miss Adams expresses the views of most women, who are fully capable of passing upon what they shall and what they shall not wear without the advice of mere man.

Who Said It?

Who said this was a young man's age? The subject has been interestingly discussed of late with more or less surprising revelations. Are the commanding figures of the world old or young?

John D. Rockefeller is 82; Chauncey M. Depew is 87; so is Dr. Charles W. Elliot; Lyman Abbott is 86, and "Uncle Joe" Cannon is 85; John Wanamaker is 83, and Oliver Wendell Holmes, supreme court justice, is 80, the same age as Georges Clemenceau, the "tiger of France."

Our own United States Senator Knute Nelson is 78, which is the age of Justice Joseph McKenna of the United States supreme court. Dr. Harvey W. Wiley is 77, while Sarah Bernhard is 75, which is also the age of Elihu Root. Thomas A. Edison is 74 and so is Alexander Graham Bell; Arthur James Balfour is 73 and Luther Burbank and Samuel Gompers are now at the age of 72. Henry Cabot Lodge is 71 and so is Cyrus H. K. Curtis, the publisher, and Senator Albert B. Cummins and David Starr Jordan.

Ferdinand Foch, marshal of the French army, carries the weight of 70 years on his shoulders, and that is the age of Sir Oliver Lodge. Henry Van Dyke, the author, is 69, and General Joffre is the same age. John Drew, the actor, is 68, as is Sir Hall Caine. Robert B. Mantell, the actor, is 67, and so is George Eastman, the kodak man. George Bernard Shaw, Judge Louis D. Brandeis, Henry Morgenthau and former President Woodrow Wilson are 66.—Ex.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Merchants association which was to have been held this evening has been postponed to a date to be announced later.

Kiddies' Colds Can Be Eased Quickly

Dr. King's New Discovery will do that very thing, easily and quickly. Don't say, "Poor little kiddie, I wish I knew what to do for you!" When the cough first comes, give a little Dr. King's New Discovery as directed, and it will soon be eased.

It's a good family cough and cold remedy, too. Loosens up the phlegm, clears up the cough, relieves the congestion. No harmful drugs. For fifty years a standard remedy for colds, coughs, grippe. At your druggists, 60c. a bottle.

Dr. King's New Discovery

For Colds and Coughs

Constipated? Here's Relief! Cleanse the system, with Dr. King's Pills. They prompt free bile flow, stir up the lazy liver and get at the root of the trouble. All druggists, 25c.

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Dr. King's Pills

Make Your Money Work For All

OUR aim and effort have always been to assist, by every means consistent with sound banking practice, the development of agricultural interests in this vicinity.

TO do this in lean years, when the crops are light and the prices low, necessitates the constant, steadfast co-operation of our farmer friends themselves.

LET every agriculturist "watch the corners" in his financial plans and deposit all he can, that the capital of this community may be kept sufficient to carry all. Deposit here and your money works for the best interests of all the farmers in this vicinity.

Citizens State Bank

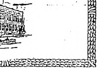

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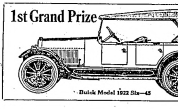

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THE MAN FOR THE PLACE.

There is no denying the fact that Judge Hallam is gaining ground as a candidate for the United States senate. When his name was first mentioned in connection with this important office the general feeling was that while the supreme court jurist undoubtedly would make an ideal senator, there was not much chance of his being chosen at this time. Since then many things have happened, however. Governor Preus has removed himself as a possibility and Ramsey county has given indications of preferring Hallam to Kellogg. As this county is the home of both men, this change of attitude has had a tremendous effect. On top of this came Kellogg's vote to seat Newberry, which went against the grain with a great many Republican voters in the state. All things have combined to sort of place the junior senator on the defensive, which is a poor place for a candidate to be in.

Judge Halalm is not dependent upon dissatisfaction with Kellog for his hold upon the voters, however. He is a man of whose capability there is no question. His record is long, honorable and unblemished. He enjoys the confidence of the people of the state to an unusual degree, long experience having convinced them of his ability, fairness and good judgment.

It would also be a good political move to nominate Hallam. Among the more progressive and independent elements of the party in the state there is quite a lot of dissatisfaction with Kellogg's attitude toward a number of important things. The charge is made that he does not keep sufficiently close to the people, being guided in his actions too much by the dictates of big business interests. For this reason it is felt he would not add greatly to the strength of the ticket in the state as a whole, and while this is not regarded as being in any particular danger, yet good political judgment dictates that it make as good a showing as possible. Hallam, on the other hand, would prove an asset because of his personal popularity with the voters.

At any rate it will hardly do to count Hallam out of the reckoning. He is liable to show up strongest where least expected, in which case the dope as ladled out at the opening of the campaign would be most decidedly upset.

THAT SALES TAX.

Goodness knows the American people are sufficiently taxed at the present time without plans being devised for reaching further into their pockets, even though the "touch" is made for the purpose of providing a bonus for ex-service men.

This bonus question is the most bothersome that has arisen to vex the poor, overworked congressman for a long time. He does not know just which way to turn. Very much liking to do something to pacify the soldier, he still fears to add to the already heavy burden of taxation resting upon the shoulders of the people. The proposition can hardly be escaped by "trimming," and this seems to be the only method of procedure with which congress is acquainted.

President Harding evidently desires that the entire subject be sidetracked for the present, but states that if it must be settled now the only plan by which the money should be raised is by a sales tax.

For some reason not so very apparent the greatest objection to a sales tax comes from organizations claiming to represent the farmer, yet it would be hard to conceive of any plan of taxation that would affect the farmer less. The farmer consumes more of what he himself produces than any other class of citizen and consequently has a smaller amount to buy. As this tax will fall on the purchaser and not the seller he is the one man who should have the least objection to it. Salaried men in the cities would be hit to a much greater extent by such a tax than would the farmer.

The objection raised to the plan on the score of an inequitable distribution of the burden does not seem to hold good. To claim that the man who must be satisfied with a soupbone for his family would be hit as hard as the one who can afford porterhouse is foolish. The man who buys a flivver will pay but a small part of the tax paid by the twin-six owner. The more expensive household will pay the larger amount, which is as it should be.

Whether or not any attempt should be made at this time to provide this bonus is another matter. President Harding is evidently not very keen about it and there is no question but that congress will gladly postpone action if such course is possible. The ex-service men's organizations are insistent in demanding that something be done, however, and the situation is not particularly pleasant for the men who must face the voters this fall.

NOT VERY EXPENSIVE.

The cost of the county agent service to the counties of Minnesota amounts to less than one-half of a cent an acre on the basis of a total acreage in farms, according to F. E. Balmer, state leader of county agents. This, he explained, is on the basis of data obtained from the federal census of 1920 and takes into consideration the proportion of taxes paid by towns or rural property only. Asserting that the gain from the service greatly exceeds the cost, he declares that the cost per acre of total land in farms for the total general taxes payable in 1921 amounted to $1.32 an acre. One half of a cent out of $1.32 an acre doesn't add very materially to the cost of government, he says.

"County agents as well as others connected with the work are glad to have the value of the service questioned, for it must be worth more than its cost, else it is not worth maintaining," Mr. Balmer says. "Naturally the record of achievement in each county must answer that question. For the state at large it can be quickly proved that the gain from the service greatly exceeds the cost."

It is safe to assert there is not a farmer in Pennington county who has in any manner availed himself of the service provided by the county agent who is not willing to have an additional tax of one-half cent an acre *assessed against him for the continuation* of such service. It means that a man owning an 80-acre farm would be paying the enormous sum of 40 cents a year toward the maintenance of a department created for his particular benefit and organized to solve his particular problems.

Pennington county commissioners refused to make an appropriation to help defray the expenses of a farm agent, as was the case with Polk county and a number of others. The reason given for this action on their part was that the cost is greater than the benefit. Now that the actual cost has been found to be less than one-half cent per acre for all the farms in the state, this reason does not seem to be particularly sound.

It is not likely that the people will permit the office of county agent to be abandoned, even though there is no appropriation for its maintenance by the commissioners. In order that the cost may be equitably distributed among all those who are benefited it should be made a part of the general county budget, however, as is the case in most counties of the state.

MUST BE REDUCED.

Railroad rates are too high, of course, and constitute one of the serious obstacles to an early return to normal conditions. In fact the present freight rate schedule is one of the principal reasons for the slow recovery of the railroads themselves. When the rates are so high that shipments stop because of them, revenue is reduced or wiped out entirely instead of being increased.

While it may be maintained with some degree of truth that on articles of general consumption the freight is such a small item that it cuts but little figure in the ultimate cost, such is not the case with bulk shipments. Take the one item of wood for instance. Fuel has been and is still badly needed by the people of northwestern Minnesota. Coal is high in price and many would burn wood if it were available at any kind of reasonable price. To the east of the Red River valley there are great wooded stretches that must be cleared off before the land can be farmed. Thus would a double purpose be achieved could the wood be sent to the prairie dwellers, but the high freight rates makes this impossible. The settler in the timbered region is thereby deprived of one source of ready money as he can't cut, pile and load the wood at a price which will make it possible for the consumer in town to buy it after the freight cost is added. A four-fold loss results: The axman is idle, the land remains uncleared, the railroad loses business, and the town dweller is deprived of needed fuel at a reasonable price.

It costs as much to get a carload of wood to this city from Salol as the fuel sells for on the cars at that point. This is out of all proportion for a haul of 72 miles.

Ford On the Country Press.

Says Henry Ford: "Speaking of the press, one thinks of the great dailies of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago. The Country Editor is usually overlooked. But it is a fact worth noting that the Country Editor had the honor of retaining his editorial independence when it was a moot question whether the Big City Editor was going to be able to retain his. In the small towns and villages the tradition of editorial freedom has been preserved, and as a result of it the Country Newspaper has come to a degree of influence which is very promising of good for the country. The United States lies mostly outside the cities, anyway. The Country Press should be a power, and it will be a power as long as it expresses level headed, fair minded well informed and deep convictioned personality."

Marriage with no bank account is like buying a high priced car on payments. The darn thing 'll likely be busted up 'fore the obligations are all cancelled.

The Week's Sermon

(By Rev. E. H. Kreidt, Pastor St. John's Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.)

LENT.

"Behold the Lamb of God!" John 1:29.

The Lenten Season: Forty days of preparation for Good Friday and Easter. Those two festivals point the proper observance of Lent. Prepare for these two great holidays of the Christian church.

John the Baptist tells you how to do this: "Behold the Lamb of God!" Almost two thousand years ago John with these words directed the people to Jesus of Nazareth. The direction still holds good and applies to man today.

Good Friday and Easter with their preparatory season of Lent are empty words and empty days if you leave Jesus out of them. Jesus, suffering on Calvary's Cross, and being laid in the tomb; Jesus, rising on the third day to life, glory and victory; Jesus, suffering and triumphant to "take away the sin of the world." To see that in its various details is the blessed observance of Lent.

The place to do this is in the quiet of your chamber, bent over the Book of Books, reading and contemplating the Gospel of Jesus' great Passion; in the solemn assembly of God's people in his temple, hearing the wondrous work of God for your salvation, being led with the Savior over the 'via dolorosa.' To see the Lamb of God suffering, dead, buried, and alive again to "take away the sin of the world," to see and say: "There is MY Savior! He died to atone for my sins; He rose from the grave so that I, too, may rise again unto everlasting life; through Him I can and shall come to God and the eternal mansions of Heaven."

Fast if you will, deny yourself this and that pleasure, abstain from the delights of candy and cream, avoid the distractions of society and entertainment, do anything and everything—your Lent will be empty and vain unless you have "beheld the Lamb of God" and at its close are moved to say:

My soul looks back to see,
The burden Thou didst bear,
When hanging on the cursed tree,
And knows her guilt were there.
Believing, I rejoice
To see the curse remove;
I bless the Lamb with cheerful voice,
And sing His bleeding love.

The Dairyman is Winner.

The annual report of the Thief River Falls Co-operative creamery, issued about a month ago, has attracted a great deal of attention and Secretary Engelstad is in receipt of many inquiries asking for information concerning the institution. One of those who naturally would be expected to take an interest in the subject is J. H. Hay, former superintendent of the Thief River Falls schools and now assistant commissioner of agriculture. In a letter to Mr. Engelstad he says:

"It is highly gratifying to know of the continued success of your organization. I cannot anticipate what the condition would be in and around Thief River Falls should such a calamity befall as the removal of the creamery from that district. I often feel that local business men as well as farmers have not a sufficiently high appreciation of the outstanding importance of this institution at Thief River.

"I must congratulate you personally for the large part you play in the efficient administration of the creamery. All those connected with the proposition are also to be commended for their fine co-operative spirit."

Ole Gjerde of Noble post office, Polk county, writes in part as follows:

"Will you kindly send me five or six of your financial statements of the creamery? I got two the day of the annual meeting but have given them away and would like to get a few more.

"I am very much interested in your creamery and think it is the greatest thing out. If some of those skim milk kickers had to sell their cream for ten cents less than your cash price they would have some reason to kick."

Roseau Region: Three farmers near Thief River Falls had creamery checks for $273.78, $268.85 and $252.73 respectively during December. They are hardly worrying over hard times.

Barnesville Record-Review: Sixty-seven patrons of the Thief River Falls creamery received over $500 each for cream last year; ten farmers received over $1,000 and three over $2,000. The three highest are Hans Anton, $2,864.73; P. Engelstad, $2,789.07, and Jens Kierk, $2,448.83. None of these three are worrying much over low prices for grain or high freight rates.

A little girl announced to her mother that she must be awful clean at school the next day for the visiting nurse was coming and was going to search her.

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Traveled 40 Miles Thru Snow to Attend Drainage Meeting; Now a Booster

(Bemidji Pioneer.)

Widespread interest is manifest over the proposition to lower and control the waters of Red lake and streams flowing into it.

Without going into the merits or demerits of this project, well known to our people, it is inspiring to note the comment coming in some instances from unexpected quarters as to the value of Beltrami county soil and future agricultural possibilities of this district.

In this connection, a communication from B. A. Stewart of Lidgerwood, N. D., to the newspapers is timely. Mr. Stewart calls attention to the erroneous impressions of persons who labor under the impression that there is a "terrible tamarack swamp north of Red lake to the Lake of the Woods." Mr. Stewart points out that this is not true and says:

"If these persons are so interested in the drainage project, why were they not at the Thief River Falls meeting. I was there and they were not. Although I am writing this from North Dakota, my home is seven miles from Red lake and in order to attend this meeting I traveled 140 miles; 40 of it I walked through unbeaten snow trails. I was not in favor of any more taxes myself, so, therefore, I attended the meeting to learn the true state of affairs. After I saw and heard these things explained by map and mouth and saw the benefit that thousands would receive, I was in favor of it, although my own land would be but little benefited.

"These people who talk about the 'terrible tamarack swamp' had better go see what it looks like. I saw last fall hundreds of acres of potatoes there that went 200 bushels to the acre; oats, 42; wheat, 25 and 30. And do you know that this 'terrible swamp' (Beltrami county) took the prize at the Minnesota state fair last September for the best display of grain and vegetables?"

Mr. Stewart has made several points and not the least of them is that even unto this day there are people living in Minnesota who are unaware of the bounteous character of the soil in nearly every part of Beltrami county.

If the drainage project proposition did nothing else it would serve a good purpose in getting the eyes of the public open to the splendid natural advantages which present themselves in this part of Minnesota, advantages not excelled in any other locality.

THE WATERWAY AND THE FARMER.

(Duluth Herald.)

President Harding's declaration on the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence project before the national agricultural conference yesterday was definite, clean-cut and comprehensive.

He said that the plan is feasible; that its cost compared with other great engineering works would be small; that it would enormously reduce the cost of transportation; and that it would bring a vast population over night in immediate touch with the markets of the world.

The president's speech must make very disagreeable reading for the enemies of this project, but it is very heartening to its friends. It places on their side the president of the United States with his detached and disinterested viewpoint, which is that of the nation as a whole, and it is a complete assurance that everything the executive can do to hasten the realization of this hope will be done without delay.

And nowhere would such a declaration be more apropos than before a conference called by the president to consider means of making the farmer's occupation more secure against needless losses and risks; for when field products can be put into ships at Duluth and Milwaukee and Chicago and Detroit and Lake Erie ports to be transported to the markets of the world, including those on the Atlantic coast, there will be a great saving in transportation and handling charges that will be an enormous and direct benefit to the farmers of a vast area.

The West will be grateful to the president for his courage in taking a positive stand upon a project against which powerful interests in the East are arrayed, for his statement is so palpably true, and goes so direct to the heart of the controversy, that it cannot fail to impress that part of the country which, having no direct interest one way or another, only needs to be shown just what the president has shown it in so many words.

Under the new administration of Mayor Oles, Youngstown, Ohio, is to have an official inspector of breaths whose duty it will be to poke his beak into the faces of policemen to find out what is on the inside. The job looks easy, but the "safety first" idea would suggest the use of a gas mask.

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The Love Nest.

In the gloaming, O my darling,
When the lights are dim and low,
You will find the modern maiden
At the moving picture show.

Thief River Falls girls have very sensibly decided to place a ban on secret societies. Who ever heard of a woman keeping a secret?

"Gee, How I O-Dor You!"

Of all the unspeakable miseries,
The most agonizing fix,
Is to sit 'tween two full flavored flappers
And smell their perfumeries mix.

The genius who invented moving pictures evidently got the idea from watching the roller towel in a country hotel.

No matter how bashful a young man may be, if the girl has set her heart on him he is going to hear the wedding bells. When it comes to finding a way, love has nothing on a girl.

When you put on a grouch, remember it hurts you worse than those about you.

We don't know much. Ain't supposed to. But we wanta tell you that every woman loves flattery. In fact, the only person that loves flattery more than a woman is a man.

Pome.

(By the Stony Grafter.)
Mary had a little lamb,
Its fleece was black as ink,
It sat upon a pin cushion,
Because it didn't think.

The average American may not know how to act in the presence of royalty, but he doesn't need any coaching when he holds four kings.

Suburban Life.

"Why don't you return Mrs. Flubdub's card table?"

"Not until she returns my lawn mower."

"Maybe she's playing the same waiting game."

Modern Fables.

Fable: Once upon a time there was a citizen of a republic who didn't think he could handle matters better than the elected officials.—Baltimore Sun.

Fable: There was once a man who made an announcement that he intended to become a candidate for office who didn't claim he had been urged to run by his friends.—Portland, Me., Express.

Fable: Once there was a farmer who didn't think he could move to town and run a grocery store and get rich.—Cleveland, O., News.

Fable: Once upon a time there was a man who had acquired the daily bath habit and didn't brag about it occasionally.—Hartford, Conn., Times.

Fable: Once upon a time there was a man who didn't enjoy the sound of his own voice.—New York Evening Telegram.

It may be fine to leave footprints in the sands of time, but you don't catch any married man leaving any on the front hall carpet.

A bachelor subscriber says a real diplomat is a man who can persuade his wife that she looks just as well in cotton stockings.

Mexican girls are said to be taking up the bobbed hair idea. We don't know much about the anatomy of a Mexican girl, but we do know that bobbed hair makes it a lot easier when a girl has to use a fine comb.

Not So Bad, After All.

"Do you ever want to leave the farm?"

"Yes," said Mr. Cobbles. "Now and then I get to feeling that way, and when I do I run down to th' city for a few days. After I've been elbowed, stepped on, bawled at by traffic policemen, insulted by head waiters and held up by bellhops, I set out for the home place in a pretty cheerful frame of mind."

You can't escape punishment, in the opinion of Leo McAdams. "No sooner," he says, "do your parents stop spanking you than experience takes up the job."

Ain't it So?

We fly about the boundless sky,
We dive beneath the sea,
We penetrate the life beyond
Of occult mystery;
We fight our foes with deadly gas,
We dissipate our means,
Then run ourselves all ragged,
A huntin' for our beans.

The more some men get of earthly wealth, the more food for thought their wives have to digest.

Can Anybody Guess What They Are Using Them For?

Bloomfield, Ga., News: The women didn't put up much fruit this year. The men were using all the fruit jars.

Speaking of one thing and another, it may interest you to learn that, in Hastings, Neb., Dr. Foote specializes on the eye and ear, and in Wichita, Kan., Dr. Era Nye operates on the feet. And yet some folks think we manufacture these things.

There isn't a bigger fool in the world than the one who cuts off his nose to spite his face.

Yeah.

Little drinks of mulic,
Taken white or red,
Transform business worries,
To a bustin' head.

Isn't it astonishing how many "sweet poppies" of December realize after Christmas that they are only "wall flowers."

Sufferers, Take Notice!

Why keep on suffering from all sorts of chronic diseases when cures can be gotten if treated rationally. Have cases on record of Rheumatism, Asthma, etc., that have come back from Hot Springs and other health resorts and been cured at Dr. Vistaunet's Treatment Parlors. j28tf

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Resolution Adopted at Meeting of Minnesota Red River Valley Development Association, Held at Crookston, February 9, 1922.

Depression consequent upon the depression following the world war has stricken our industries, particularly that fundamental one, agriculture. A war-ruined and disorganized foreign market, decreased purchasing power, heavy expenditures incurred on war-cost basis, with added discouragement of partial loss of crops in sections, have brought about a condition which is of gravest concern.

That the turning point is being rapidly neared—if, in fact, it has not already been reached—is, however, believed. Primary among the indications of this is the achievement of the World Disarmament conference whereby millions will soon be diverted to productive means. Wise legislation now pending will go far toward restoring agriculture to a profitable basis. The St. Lawrence project to make the ports of the great lakes accessible to ocean-going needs holds immense promise for the Red River valley. The project which has been entered upon to control and conserve the waters of the section and to transform them into electrical energy insures the valley an industrial development that may prove far beyond our most sanguine conceptions.

Be it Resolved, Therefore, That owing to the outstanding richness of our soil, the determination of our people to conserve that richness, as evidenced by the adoption of improved methods and higher standards of farming; the persistence and optimism of the people of the Red River valley in the face of unfavorable conditions; the willingness of all interests to co-operate for the advancement of the general good, as shown in the marked success of the annual Red River Valley Winter shows commend that we be of good cheer and that it be declared the sense of this meeting that we should rise to our opportunities and give our best efforts toward the furtherance of all wise measures which may tend toward the early and complete restoration from depression of the agricultural and commercial industries of our section of the country; that we commend the cessation of mortgage foreclosures so far as consistently possible and the extension of longer credits to the farming industry; that we claim as a necessity to readjustment the reduction of railroad rates; that we commend to the railroads of the Northwest the restoration of settlers' and homeseekers' fares as a proven means of furthering development—all as measures tending toward a return to normal general business activity; and,

Be it Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to newspapers, to state and national representatives of the valley, and to the executives of departments to which they may pertain.

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Break colds with vapors
The favored treatment now is a salve rubbed on, that gives off penetrating, healing fumes.

Try the vaporizing treatment for colds—Vicks VapoRub.

At the first sign of a cold, apply Vicks over throat and chest. Rub well in. Lay on a flannel cloth. Apply again at night and arrange the bedclothes like a funnel, so that the vapors, released by the body heat, will be freely inhaled.

This is the treatment favored today by doctors and nurses for colds, bronchitis, tonsilitis, spasmodic croup, sore throat and, in modified form, for catarrh and asthma.

Vicks contains the old, time-tested remedies—Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, etc.—combined by special process, so that while they penetrate and stimulate the skin, the ingredients are also released as vapors by the body heat and are breathed right into the lungs.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

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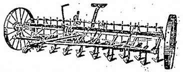

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THIEF RIVER FALLS MINNESOTA

City News

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Omar Williams on Sunday.

Ray Jensen of Goodridge visited with friends here on Saturday.

Eric Olson of Strandquist visited with friends here Monday and Tuesday.

Chas. Sumpter of Hazel was in the city a few days this week on business.

Reserved seats for High School Dramatic club entertainment at Stebbins'. m-2

A. T. Ostendorf of St. Hilaire was a caller in this city the first of the week.

Mrs. Martin Sund left Saturday for Baudette to visit friends for a few days.

Gay Halvorson made a business trip to Fargo the latter part of the week.

Bernard Olson of Strathcona was a business visitor in the city last Saturday.

Fred Peterson and Ed. Keller, of Hazel, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Fredrickson on Friday, February 24.

Chas. McDougall of Mahnomen attended to business matters here on Saturday.

Thos. Clark of Mahnomen was a visitor here a few days the first of the week.

Dr. C. R. Crandall returned Monday night from a short business trip to the cities.

Walfred Wahlbeck of St. Hilaire attended to business matters in this city on Monday.

Hans Anton of St. Hilaire spent a few days here this week attending to business matters.

John Sorum came down from Holt on Tuesday to spend a short time on a business mission.

Miss Ina Stageberg left Monday afternoon for Moorhead, where she is engaged in teaching.

R. C. Kezar of Middle River arrived here on Friday to spend a few days visiting friends.

Henry Olson, section foreman on the Soo at Radium, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Misses Myrtle and Dorothy Evenson of Hazel are spending the week visiting friends here.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Spinks of Middle River were visitors in the city Friday and Saturday.

Walter Anderson of Badger was in the city last Thursday on business, enroute to Crookston.

Ray Chester spent Monday visiting friends at Hazel, returning to this city the same evening.

Miss Olga Lindquist, teacher in the Knox school, spent the week-end visiting friends at Fargo.

Miss Pearl Warring, student in the local high school, visited at her home at Steiner over Sunday.

Nels P. Olson of Spooner arrived here on Friday afternoon and visited friends for a few days.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald of Goodridge visited with friends and attended to shopping here on Tuesday.

A. Sundberg returned to his home at Climax yesterday after having visited here for a short time.

Stuart McLeod of Goodridge was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday attending to business affairs.

Miss Ruby Jensen returned on Monday to Goodridge, having spent Sunday visiting friends here.

Attorney W. J. Brown spent Wednesday and Thursday attending to matters of business at Bemidji.

J. S. Sanfacon returned to Inkster, N. D., Saturday morning, having visited friends here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Tandberg of Goodridge were over Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Julia Tandberg.

Mrs. J. H. Knutson and two sons, who had visited at the H. Hoard home, returned to Holt on Saturday.

L. A. Lampert returned the first of the week from the cities, where he had spent a few days on business.

Miss Minnie Schie left Thursday afternoon for Grand Forks, where she will visit friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skomedal and son returned to Steiner Saturday after visiting relatives here for a short time.

Andrew P. Nelson, a farmer residing near Gatzke, spent a few days the first of the week here on business.

Miss Effie Christianson returned on Friday from Greenbush, having spent several days there visiting a sister.

A. L. Auringer, brakeman on the Soo, left Tuesday morning for Cass Lake to spend a few days with his parents.

Hard time dance at Mavie hall on Saturday, March 4. Prize will be given for best hard time costume. Let's go! m-2-p

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A. P. Fox and daughter, Florence, left Monday night for St. Paul, where they will spend several days visiting relatives.

Mrs. A. W. Howie and Mrs. E. Sundholm and baby, all of St. Hilaire, were shoppers and visitors here on Monday.

Miss Selma Johnson arrived Tuesday evening from Warren to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Cecelia Swenson.

Miss Christine Bundlund of Goodridge spent a short time the first of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Leon Babcock.

John Gullingsrud of Erie left Friday afternoon for Crookston to attend the alumni dance at the [illegible] cultural college.

Reserved seats for High School Dramatic club entertainment at Stebbins'. m-2

Mrs. Martin Jopson, Mrs. Henry Kriel and Mrs. Clarence Benson, all of Erie, were visitors here on Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Esther Moyers of Steiner was in the city Monday and Tuesday visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Percy Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Geraghty of St. Paul arrived the latter part of last week for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lacoy.

Misses Olive and Margaret Patterson, Mildred Peterson, Ruth Owen and Blanche Hoff of St. Hilaire were shoppers here on Saturday.

Miss Lois Struble and Miss Irma Marcoe, students in the normal training department, are practice teaching at Erie this week and next.

E. O. Mogensen and L. L. Cohn were Thief River Falls representatives at the meeting of the State Clothing Men's convention in Minneapolis.

Mrs. H. L. Sande returned to their home at Steiner on Tuesday after an over Sunday visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

E. J. Robinson returned to Barnesville on Tuesday after having spent ten days as the guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Robinson.

Miss Evangeline Burns returned Monday morning from Fargo, where she was the guest of Misses Ellen Rost and Lillian Sjoquist over the week-end.

Miss Mabel Arneson of Hazel arrived Monday evening and spent Tuesday with friends, leaving yesterday morning for Baudette, where she will be employed.

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Mrs. F. E. Hunt returned to her home at Red Lake Falls on Monday after a visit at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs F. Edward Hunt.

Supt. I. T. Simley of the city schools is in Chicago this week attending the annual convention of the National Association of Public School Superintendents.

Miss Theresa Giefer, teacher of domestic science at Goodridge, spent Thursday at Warren visiting her sister, Miss Christine, who is in the hospital at that place.

Mrs. Linda Tharaldson passed through the city Monday afternoon on her way from Holt, where she had visited with her folks, to her home at Crookston.

Mrs. S. O. Quammen left Saturday morning for Bemidji to attend the funeral of her niece, Mrs. Wm. McCarthy, formerly Miss Amanda Anderson of St. Hilaire.

Ray Chester left this morning for Brooks, where he will remain during the spring months in the employ of his uncle, Earl Smith, who operates a farm in that locality.

Miss Christine Giefer, clerk in the local postoffice, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Warren hospital on Wednesday. She is getting along very nicely.

State Highway Engineer B. F. Umland returned the first of the week from Minneapolis, where he had attended a meeting of engineers from different sections of the state.

Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Nesse and baby returned on Monday after a short visit at the homes of Mrs. Nesse's sisters, Mrs. E. G. Schlanbush and Mrs. P. E. Moen, at Crookston.

Mrs. P. P. Relerson and daughter, Helen, accompanied by the former's mother-in-law, Mrs. P. O. Relerson, who had visited here for a few days, left Saturday morning for Holt.

Isak Helseth of the Minneapolis Bridge company and L. R. Johnston of the Lyle Culvert company, attended the meeting of highway engineers in St. Paul the first of the week.

Miss Maybelle Swanson and Miss Mabel Bjorsness, students in the normal training department, left Friday afternoon for Wylie, where they will do practice teaching for two weeks.

Florence Jenson of Hazel returned Tuesday evening from Emerson after spending the day there with friends, and left yesterday morning for Baudette, where she has accepted a position.

Tanlac is a powerful, reconstructive, systemic and stomachic tonic. It tones up the system, restores lost appetite and makes you feel strong, sturdy and well, as nature intended. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. m2

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith, who have been spending six weeks in Florida, passed through this city on Monday enroute to their home at Rolette, N. D., where the former has a position as station agent. While here they visited their niece, Miss Esther Smith, who teaches in the Knox school.

Reserved seats for High School Dramatic club entertainment at Stebbins'. m-2

Miss Maybelle Swanson left Friday afternoon for St. Hilaire, where she visited her parents over Sunday. She is taking a course in the normal training department of the local high school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. LeGeske returned Saturday night to their home at Superior after spending a week visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Holzknecht.

Mr. Bonlie, secretary of the Olga creamery, arrived Tuesday evening from Gully to attend the meeting of the district creamery association. He was a guest at the Rev. Aug. Bredeson home during his stay here.

T. T. Kiland returned on Tuesday from Jamestown, N. D., where he had spent a few days visiting with a brother who is confined in a hospital at that place. He also visited relatives and friends at Hillsboro, N. D.

Misses Mabel Field, Adell Merink and Elizabeth Mecham, teachers in the Erskine schools, accompanied Miss Louise Erickson to this city last Friday evening and visited over the week-end at the E. O. Erickson home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johnson returned Tuesday evening from Warren, where they had gone in the morning to bring back their son, Ernest, to his home here. The lad had sufficiently recovered from the effects of a recent operation to be able to make the trip.

Mrs. Mabel J. Ostby and sister, Miss Blanche Newbery, of Tacoma, Wash., left that city on Feb. 22 for a tour of the state of Washington which will cover a period of three months. They expect to be in this city some time the coming summer for a visit with friends and relatives.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Senator and Mrs. O. A. Naplin on Saturday. The stranger is a very fine specimen and seems well satisfied with her surroundings. As this is the first addition to the Naplin household the senator will be excused if he refuses to discuss politics for a few days.

P. W. Roark returned Saturday night from the twin cities and Willmar, where he had spent some time on business. Mr. Roark was a passenger on the Great Northern train which was wrecked Thursday afternoon near Delano and in which several railroad men lost their lives. A number of the passengers also received slight injuries.

Mrs. Bernt Wold returned Friday evening from Warren, where she had visited her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edward Loveness of Oslo. The latter is confined at the Warren hospital as the result of serious burns received last Monday in an explosion which occurred while she was starting the kitchen fire with kerosene. Mrs. Loveness is in a critical condition.

Hans Wick of Grygla arrived Saturday night from Valley City, where he had spent sveral weeks at the trial of William Gummer, convicted slayer of Mr. Wick's daughter, Marie. Mr. Wick remained in the city over Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Jacobson. He had been quite seriously ill during his stay at Valley City but was able to be present in court during the concluding days of the trial.

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Ladies' Hose, fibre silk, black and brown; a basement special	79c
Ladies' Corsets, front and back lace, really a $1.50 number	98c

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Editorial.

The readers of The Progress have now had an opportunity, through the class issues, to judge, to a certain extent at least, the true ability of the students of the Lincoln high school. From comments and casual remarks gathered from various sources, it seems that the plan of having each class put out an issue of The Progress has been highly successful.

The late issues have been very interesting, and compare very favorably with the staff members. They have shown that the writing ability of the school is by no means entirely embraced in the publishing staff. Our readers must now have realized the possibilities of The Progress if the students would take the interest in the school paper that they showed in their class issues; and consequently it will be a great disappointment to them if the majority of the students drop back into the old attitude of indifference towards their sole organ and representative in the outside world, The Progress.

"Time Flies."

Next Friday will be the end of the fourth six weeks period of school. The following Wednesday the reports will be out telling the story of our work to the parents. The students are more interested than usual in getting their reports in order to see how they have fared in the new subjects and with their new teachers.

Have You Bought Your Ticket?

On Friday evening occurs the big dramatic event of the year—the program of plays by the Dramatic club. This is going to be something different. You will be sorry if you miss it. Some interesting features are the Japanese and Chinese settings and costumes, the moonlit dance of the Moon-Maid, the music and poetry running through all the plays. Each play is entirely different as to atmosphere, lighting and setting. Look over your program again and ask yourself whether you can afford to be absent. Thirty-five cents buys a good seat. Have you bought your ticket?

Supt. Simley at National Convention.

Mr. Simley left last Friday evening for Chicago to attend the Nation Convention of School Superintendents. All the important superintendents of the states and municipalities will attend—about six thousand in number. This conference meets from Feb. 28 to March 3 inclusive. The work taken up will be national. Mr. Simley will probably return next Sunday morning enroute through the twin cities.

Patriotic Program.

Washington's birthday and National Song week were appropriately observed at the high school last Wednesday by a special program, which was given under the supervision of Miss Johnson.

The program was opened by the orchestra with two selections, "America First" and "Liberty Sons," following which Mrs. Korstad read a paper entitled, "Colonial Virginia and George Washington." She outlined the conditions in Virginia at the time Washington lived, showing the vast differences from what the present generation enjoys. She pictured the life of the people; the few towns, and entire lack of large cities; the lack of means of communication, and the consequent partial isolation from the rest of the world. She traced his life through the troubled period preceding and during the revolution, when he showed the leadership which later entitled him to the laurels bestowed on him as the United States' first president. His position was a difficult one, for the country had a poorly organized government and was in sad straits as a result of the war. The man was equal to the task, however, and George Washington piloted the ship of state successfully through the next eight years. He refused to accept a third term as chief executive and retired to Mount Vernon, where he died two years later.

Six of the grade pupils, who came from the Washington school, contributed to the program with two songs, which were received with much applause.

A new and humorous version of the "hatchet and cherry tree" incident was given by Shirley Anderson. She responded to an encore with "Speak Yentle."

The next was a patriotic overture by the orchestra, followed by a paper on "The Star Spangled Banner" by Nora Lindquist, giving a short history of the author and the circumstances under which the song was composed. In a like manner, Kermit Anderson spoke on "The Battle Hymn of the Republic;" Esther Larson, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," and Edna Alexander, the song "Dixie."

The entire student body joined in singing several of the more patriotic songs, following which Muriel Loken spoke briefly about the circumstances attending the composition of "Yankee Doodle." Liv Vistaunet, Thelma Christenson and John Hendry spoke a few words about "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton," "Tenting Tonight," and "The Marseillaise," respectively.

The program closed with two songs by the pupils, "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton," and "America."

Mr. Clark Speaks.

Monday afternoon, Henry Clark, who was in the city under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion, addressed the high school students on the subject of education. He defined education as the development of that which is. The present tendency is away from uniformity and towards individuality. Recognize that you have possibilities and capabilities; co-operate with your teacher in bringing out your powers. Education is a voyage of discovery. Mr. Clark's talk bustled with witty remarks and was much appreciated by his audience.

A Big Event.

"All the world's a stage
And the men and women merely players."

Thus it was Saturday night at the auditorium when the students of Lincoln high school and the faculty of Thief River Falls assembled at the annual "get-together" party. The affair was in the nature of a masquerade, and all the guests played the game well.

The fore part of the evening was spent in a general promenade to decide "Who's Who." Otto Saugen, as a "hayseed farmer," proved to be quite popular with the girls, who liked to take him by the arm and strol. Twin rag dolls were among the principal features, as well as a living Christmas tree. A "real" gentleman with a plug hat and a tuxedo coat had a "real" Martha Washington for a partner. Miss Stavig and Mrs. Korstad as sunbonnet girls walked about the place backwards. Mr. Powley as Robin Hood, Mr. Stenhoff as a Spanish troubadour, and Miss Berg as a young mandarin were quite the fad. During a lull, Miss Webster as a mother and Miss Soule as a colored baby rushed in, the mother wheeling the baby and her paraphernalia in a perambulator. This particular event caused much merriment throughout the whole evening. Miss Baumann rendered a solo dance, which was much appreciated. This was followed by a minuet dance by two Martha Washingtons, Camille Warner and Helen Vance. The grand march was quite the thing and continued while the judges meditated upon the best costumes. Prizes were awarded as follows:

For the most original group, Margaret and Thomas Melgaard took the prize as "Twin Rag Dolls." Elva Effinger, a little Freshman girl, was awarded the prize for the most original girl's costume. It was in the nature of a "real" Christmas tree. Nora Lindquist received the prize for having the most original boy's costume. Stephen Arneson was chosen as the most comical boy and Harriet Morgan was the most comical girl, the former in the role of a darky preacher and the latter as "Wild and Wooly."

The class stunts made the "hit" of the evening. The sophomore stunt showed that even "nuts" could act, or in other words could be everything in a one-act play. The senior stunt was in the nature of a musical treat, with Nora Lindquist as the "spokesman." The chief feature of this was a minuet dance by Larsonova (Milton Larson) and Ralstonova (Forrest Ralston), who rightly deserve the applause they received. The junior stunt was a skit in letters. Lorrayne Crandall as M L E and Kermit Anderson as E Z K I eloped against the wishes of their parents. The whole affair was extremely clever, as you would expect from the juniors. Last, but not least was the freshman stunt. This showed the guests how to furnish a house with only boys and blankets.

After the class stunts refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served. This put new life into the guests and for the remaining hour dancing was indulged in by those who wished to dance. This proved to be most delightful to the dancers and to the onlookers. A special feature was a lemon dance which caused much amusement. Shortly before twelve the strains of "Home, Sweet Home" gave way to the departure.

The costumes as a whole were most original and it was especially difficult for the judges, consisting of Mr. Rapaez, Mrs. L. G. Larsen and Dr. Froehlich, to decide who should receive the prizes. The boys were the most difficult to judge because of being so much alike.

The whole affair has been voted an eminent success and much of the credit must be given to Miss Maude Johnson, who as chairman of the teachers' committee on arrangements managed the party as successfully as a highly trained circus manager.

Notes, Jokes and Personals.

Supt. Simley left for Chicago last Friday evening to attend the annual meeting of the National Educational association.

William Herrick, a member of the junior class, has left school to join the army.

Mr. Rapaez: "Who is the chief executive of the U. S., Esther Williams?"

Esther: (drowsily) "Mr Harner."

Mr. Harner was immediately notified of the appointment, but he declined the honor.

A Correction.

Through an oversight, last week's issue of The Progress was headed by the Junior Progress staff. The issue was really put out by the seniors, but the seniors were the ones who were "put out." However, we will all read that issue once more and credit the seniors with all the good that we cand find in it.

After a four weeks vacation, during which time each class edited one number of The Progress, the regular staff has again resumed the work, with Mr. Rapaez as faculty advisor during Mr. Simley's absence.

Thursday and Friday the eight best teams of this district meet in Crookston to determine the district basketball championship. The Thief River Falls team will be one of the strong contenders for the title.

Miss Violette Krohn returned to school Monday after a week's illness.

Eleanor Werstlein is again with us after a three weeks absence on account of appendicitis.

After a months' illness, Clarence Smith has returned to school with the same old smile.

If the few cases of absence on Monday were caused as a result of the masquerade party, we hope the patients were not in a serious condition.

A majority of the high school students enjoyed Mr. Clark's reading, "Go-Getter," which was delivered at the city auditorium Monday evening.

The instruction in class "B" of the Bread club should be of great benefit to those who are preparing themselves for cement-mixers, brick-layers and foundry workers.

We understand that Miss Soule plans on starting a chicken farm right along the west side of the high school building. The Boys' Bread club will furnish the chicken feed, which can be thrown out through the open window for convenience.

Sidelights at the Masquerade Party.

Mrs. Korstad: Wearing her ten-year-old daughter's dress in the role of a sun-bonnet girl.

Albert Stengelson: Flirting with an attractive gypsy girl who proved to be a married lady when she unmasked.

Lloyd Bennes: The most winsome boy girl at the party.

Robert Halvorson: He made a good looking girl, but he was not a very good girl.

Lloyd Alnes: Mistaken for Leon Trotsky, the war lord of Russia.

Miss Baumann: Just arrived from Paris.

Otto Saugen: Too popular with the ladies.

Mr. Stenhoff: What a pretty costume he had.

Mrs. Larson: A scare-crow that any corn farmer would like to have.

Thief River Defeats Warroad

Last Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, the high school basketball team scored its second victory over the Warroad team by a score of 31 to 10. This game, although not the best of the season, was interesting from start to finish due to the fact that the Thief River Falls team showed real team work. Our boys had the Warroad squad outclassed all the way through, and knowing this they gave the visitors the benefits of any doubts in playing an exceptionally clean game. They kept their strength in reserve for the harder battle with the Stephen squad the following Friday.

Clifford Sorenson starred for the locals with seven field goals. Forest E. Ralston was a little off form in shooting, but otherwise he was always there. This victory was much sought after as it boosted Thief River Falls from ninth place to sixth place in the district standing, thus giving our team the right to compete for the district title at Crookson March 2 and 3. The lineup was as follows: Ralston and C. Sorenson, forwards; LaBree, center; S. Sorenson and Herron, guards. Keene, Shetlor and Arnold were also used during the latter part of the game. G. W. Connell refereed the game with satisfaction to all concerned.—A. L. '22.

Stephen vs. Thief River Falls.

The local basketball fans were shown last Friday evening that our high school team as well as the city team can put up an interesting game.

The Stephen game was full of thrills and spectacular plays from start to finish. Stanley Sorenson played his best in this game, making two field goals on top of his excellent work at guard.

The Stephen players were guarded so carefully that they scarcely had a shot at their basket the first quarter, while Thief River scored six points.

Then it seemed our boys became overconfident. They began to guard their opponents less carefully and tried to run up their score. As a result Stephen began to count and at the end of the first half the score stood only 10-9 in favor of Thief River Falls.

During the remainder of the game our boys did not do so well, while Stephen enjoyed horseshoe luck in shooting long baskets. As individuals our boys all played very well but they lacked team work, which was responsible for their defeat. Stephen gained a small lead which our boys seemed unable to overcome, the final score being 23-17 in favor of Stephen.

This was the hardest fought game of the season as well as the roughest. Many fouls were called on the Stephen team for rough work but Forest was not able to make these count. Mr. Connell, who refereed the game, deserves a great deal of credit for the way he handled this contest.

Due to the late arrival of the train, which was delayed by the storm, the game was not played until 10 o'clock. However, the crowd was well entertained by the junior and senior teams in an interesting preliminary.

Seniors Have Strong Team.

It looks as though the seniors are the most likely to romp away with the inter-class basketball championship. They have a strong lineup and should they continue in the same form they displayed last Friday evening in the clash with the juniors, preliminary to the Stephen game, they will be hard to beat. They displayed good team work as well as good individual playing. They really looked good enough for a regular high school team. They ought to try their metal against the regulars in a post-season game.

Gregory Werstlein was the star, doing excellent work at center and scoring four field goals. Bernard Bischoff and Paul Helseth played at the forward positions, the former scoring two field goals and the latter three. Fred Paulson and August Langseth made a stone wall for the juniors at the guard positions. The lineup for the juniors consisted of Craig H., Raymond M., Lloyd L., Friedolph G. and Henry V., with Allison Stitt as substitute. The game, which was interesting from beginning to end, resulted in an easy victory for the seniors, 20 to 8.

Inter-Class Basketball.

There is an unusual interest in inter-class basketball, and there are promises of spectacular games in the near future. The different classes have been grooming their respective teams during the past few weeks in preparation for the inter-class tournament which will take place after the close of the regular schedule. The gymnasium is in constant use every day between four and six o'clock, and on Saturdays the gymnasium is open from nine o'clock to twelve o'clock for the benefit of the grade boys under the supervision of one of the men members of the high school faculty. Coach Stenhoff is in charge of this basketball program, which furnishes such good exercise and wholesome entertainment for about 200 boys. Other members of the faculty who assist Mr. Stenhoff are Mr. Jardine, Mr. Harner, Mr. Pope, Mr. Rapaez, and Mr. Powley. Mr. Saltau also has certain evenings set aside for the Boy Scouts.

The high school faculty also plans on having a team to add to the interest in the coming tournament. They are going to play the winners of the inter-class tournament. The probable members of the team are Mr. Stenhoff, Mr. Rapaez, Mr. Pope, Mr. Simley and Mr. Powley, with Mr. Jardine and Mr. Harner as substitutes. The faculty team should be able to take the winning team into camp rather easily in view of the fact that the five regulars have all had considerable experience. Mr. Powley is considered the star of the team, having been one of the most dependable players on the Q. T. team of the University of Michigan. Mr. Stenhoff and Mr. Rapaez should be a great scoring machine at the forward position, both having had considerable experience in the game while in college. Watch for the date of this game and don't let your other plans interfere with seeing this exhibition.

Our Winter.

The amount of snow we have makes the study of "Snowbound" more interesting. Although we are not penned in, the snow is too deep for convenience in places. It has become quite a pastime to sit by the fire and tell stories, or read them out of books. At other times we get games such as "Tiddly Winks" or a "Cootie Game." We find that the loose snow hides all sorts of fun such as skiing, sleighing, and digging tunnels in drifts or building snow huts. Then we come into a whole field of corn that is in blossom.

But the fire will not last forever and a day. We hear, "Delton, we're low on wood," "Delton, the stove is full of ashes," "Delton, the water is all gone," "Delton, we need some more ice," then my air castles tumble with a crash that makes me jump. Sometimes I say to myself, "Aw, what's the use!"—Delton Rhodes.

Mr. Glick Speaks.

G. G. Glick, a member of the Minnesota Tidewater commission, addressed the high school pupils at chapel last Wednesday, speaking on the proposed Duluth-to-Ocean improvement plan, which has had much attention in the last several years.

He first pointed out the necessity of such improvement, citing the fact that here we are fifteen hundred miles from an ocean port; that since we produce more, mainly of grain, than we can consume, it is necessary that we ship our surplus products to Europe; and that once there these must be sold in competition with from South America, whose export is grain. Argentine need not transport her wheat long distances by rail, and therefore can offer it in foreign ports at a price lower than our own.

Two of the objections which have been raised in regard to the deepening and widening of the St. Lawrence are the difficulties which will be encountered at Niagara Falls and the rapids near Montreal. "We can not go over them," said Mr. Glick, "but we can go around them." Canals would be constructed at these two points, which would make it possible for ocean ships to ascend the St. Lawrence to points on the Great Lakes.

The expense of such an undertaking would amount to approximately two hundred seventy million dollars, half of which would be borne by the United States and half by Canada.

Despite its seemingly tremendous economic value, this plan has many strong opponents who are doing everything in their power to hinder its fulfilment. New York, said Mr. Glick, is furnishing, for reasons that are mainly selfish, the strongest opposition to any governmental action, because a large part of the export and import business now done through New York would in all probability be diverted to the new route.

Other objections are voiced by Gov. Miller of New York, who states that the waterways would be closed by ice eight months in the year; but nature has ordained that eight months shall elapse between the passage of the last ship in the fall and the first in the spring. Gov. Miller also brought forth the argument that there would be danger from icebergs which might close the entrance to the canal, and from fogs and storms. As explained by Mr. Glick, it is impossible for icebergs to ascend the St. Lawrence upstream, while the danger from fogs and storms would be no greater there than on the ocean. A commission composed of Canadian and United States officials have investigated the plan and have found it entirely feasible.

Practically all of the middle northwest states are actively supporting the proposed improvement, as it would mean a saving of three hundred million dollars to the farmers alone. The decision as to whether or not the undertaking will be carried out now rests with the Federal Relations committee.

Mr. Glick is a very entertaining speaker and presented his facts with a clearness which appealed strongly to the pupils. Speakers of his caliber are always welcome at school.

Class "B" of Bread Club Meets.

Class "B" of the Bread club, composed of boys and girls who have not taken domestic science, succeeded in making some date muffins that they would like to have the world know about.

Last Thursday at 4 o'clock the awkward squad assembled in the cooking room, where they were told a few fundamentals, after which no time was lost in putting these to the test. In a few minutes everybody in the room was working with something which looked like anything from soup to plaster of paris. Each one was striving for the same outcome—date muffins. Some mixtures were brown while others were yellow, many had lumps in soup-like mixture and everyone was cooking to his own taste. The atmosphere was rather unusual for a kitchen; pans were dropped, milk was spilled and bits of dough adhered to the clothes of the novices.

When the time came for the mixture to be put in the oven, it was rumored that a few forgot to oil the pans. There was much speculation as to the outcome and everybody was boosting the home product until the final product was brought from the oven. Some muffins resembled an old bed spring; they sagged in the middle. The greater portion were well suited for cobble stones.

The washing of the utensils was the slipperiest part of the program. Boys who were not used to washing dishes were forced to profess their ignorance. No dishes were broken but I have been requested to beg the pardon of the cooking girls who find egg on any of their utensils. However, where there is life there is hope and so we expect to do better next time.—S. A.

Public Forum

A LETTER FROM HOME TO MEMBERS OF CONGRESS

Editor Times:

The write-up of Mr. H. O. Berve published in your last week's issue was read with much interest and great satisfaction.

Mr. Berve, in calling our attention to this matter, as to whether or not a new party should be started, is doing us all thereby a great service as this matter should receive consideration at the hands of every right thinking man and woman in the course of the next few weeks.

The farmers have been a little slow about giving this matter the attention that it should have had, owing to the fact that many of them had great faith in the Harding agricultural conference outcome, while still others thought they saw prospects of relief through the Farm Bureau lineup, and for this reason they laid low. Realizing now that neither the one nor the other will or can bring the desired results, it is up to the farmers themselves to do a little thinking along the political line and also otherwise.

The farmers are all in the same fix, and they fully realize that nothing short of a harmonious notional adjustment embracing all producing activities, will or can restore contentment and prosperity to the people and the country as a whole.

The gambling in farm products and foodstuffs must be abolished. It is up to congress to see that both the producer and consumer shall be protected.

The farmers have been swindled and robbed to a point where the final limit has been reached. Rather than to stand up and permit this system to go on they will simply get up and walk away from their farms.

There is but one thing that will insure the broad basket of the world being supplied hereafter and that is a stabilized price set to the producer over and above the cost of production. The government guarantee is the one thing alone that offers any inducement to the farmers to keep up production. The farmers haven't said much yet but they are not sleeping. The ten, twenty, thirty and forty acre farm question is receiving a lot of consideration at the hands of the farmers at the present time all over the country.

The agricultural problem is the most vital question before congress today, and upon this adjustment rests the matter as to whether or not a new party must be started in order to solve the problems of the day. If congress knew or could read the minds of the farmers on agricultural problems, they would not think of spending their time as they now do, dancing "tango in politics" in our senate halls at a time when the world is crying for bread. Give us what the people demand—the government guarantee—and do so at once so that the farmers can prepare in time for seed and the planting of the grain. The limit in politics has been reached in passing up the farmers. Act, or the farmers' wrath will be aroused, and a real house cleaning job must take place at once which will wind up in Washington, D. C.

W. A. SWANSON.

Rhoda, Minn.

Tuff.

Ed Newcome had a Lizzie,
He thunk he understanded,
He cranked 'er with the spark down,
Now he eats left handed.

Health specialists may claim that short skirts on women are conducive of health. But look what a business the opticians are doing.

When a telephone girl and a manicurist begin swapping gossip it's time for the recording angel to begin writing shorthand.

Have You Stopped to Think—

That the city that has the publicity gets the business?

That the city that gets the advertising grows?

That advertising properly done is worth its weight in gold?

That advertising a city is business, not a child's play?

That people will go miles to get to a good live city to trade in?

That your property will increase in value when the outside world knows your city is wide awake?

That people from the neighboring towns will come when there is something doing?

That the city that does not seek to get something better than it now has is going to lose out?

That now is the time your city and businesses need advertising more than ever before?

That if you don't get out and go after the outside trade some other neighboring city will?

That if they do they will get the business you should get.

—E. R. White in Fourth Estate.

The Family Budget

The December issue of the "Dynamo," a magazine published by the J. C. Penney company, 370 Seventh avenue, New York city, contained an article of more than passing interest. Prof. Morton, the writer, dealt with a very timely topic, "The Family Budget," and in these days when strict economy should become the habit of 99 per cent of the families, it would be well if the spirit of the facts of the article might be understood and practiced by a larger number of American families.

Believing this article will prove beneficial as well as be appreciated by readers of The Times, it is herewith published in full. Prof. Morton says:

Every family should have a budget. Every family should spend its income systematically. The smallest income leaves no room for careless and thoughtless spending. Even large incomes need to be managed carefully, if they are to be properly conserved and leave a margin for safe investment.

The family, then, should have a budget to guide its expenditures and should plan for savings and investment. The budget is the spending plan of the family and careful adherence to it should mean ultimate accumulation of some tangible evidence of thrift in investments and provision for education of children and protection for old age and the period of lessened earning capacity.

The government thinks this subject so important that it has issued a pamphlet urging the housewives of America to adopt the budget system in family bookkeeping. It has adopted the budget system and has asked General Dawes, an experienced banker and financier, to establish the proper budget. The result already indicates that a considerable saving will accrue to the government. Magazines and newspapers are advocating the adoption of the budget for family finances and the American Bankers association is now distributing information on this same subject.

Alexander C. Robinson says: The family, not the individual, is the unit of which the nation and civilization are built. Everything depends on the education and nurture of the next generation in normal, happy and reasonably prosperous homes. The war has brought enormous unsettling factors, a mental state of unrest and extravagance of all classes which is most demoralizing. Added to these there has been a wanton waste of capital in the war which demands the rebuilding of capital reserve to permit the rebuilding of a devastated world. It is largely to the savings of the average American family that we must look for this new capital.

We give herewith a number of suggestive budgets. These are based on monthly incomes of $75, $100, $125, $175, $200, $225 and $250. The monthly budget is suggested because most people would rather have a monthly expenditure program. The monthly budget allows more frequent comparison and checking of expenditures. The budgets given are shown at the bottom of this page.

Some provision for savings is urged, even with the lowest income, for the habit of saving should be developed from the very first. The savings, as proposed in these budgets, increase about 1 per cent per month until the income reaches $125 per month, when it is suggested that the same percentage be used until the income reaches $200 per month. At $250 per month, the savings are placed at 10 per cent. The amount savings thus is increased with the increased income.

The insurance item in the budget is considered a real necessity. It is actually an addition to the savings, at least for the amount of the cash surrender or loan value each year. This amount increases with every additional premium paid.

Provision is made for health, charity and amusement. All these things should be carefully considered and some place provided for them in every family budget. As the income grows, the percentage allowed for these items may be lowered.

Education is separately provided for, because every family should have available some educational reading matter. When there are children, it is always necessary to supply playthings, books, encyclopaedias and other items of an educational nature.

Fuel, water and light are shown apart from the rent budget. It is often advisable to keep comparative records for these items and each should be provided for monthly. In the summer months ice will replace fuel, for ice is a summer necessity in most sections of the country.

The clothing budget, we think, is fair and should be adequate for the family of average size and income. We think of a family of five in proposing these budgets.

The miscellaneous budget is to take care of extra items which are bound to occur in every household, such as laundry, household help, telephone, additions to furniture or repair of furniture, new light bulbs, light mantels, occasional plumbing repairs and supplies of various kinds. This item is decreased in percentage but the amount allowed will not be materially decreased as the income becomes larger.

U. S. Labor Bureau statistics indicate that the average income for a family of the size we have assumed is $1,434.36 per year or $119.53 per month. This figure is close to the $125 per month income figure and we use the same percentage for that budget. The monthly budget for this income, using approximate figures, would be:

Food	$ 30.00
Clothing	24.00
Rent	21.00
Savings	8.25
Insurance	8.25
Amusement	3.00
Education	3.00
Health	3.00
Charity	2.40
Fuel and Water	36.0
Light	1.15
Miscellaneous	8.88

Suggested Monthly Budget:

	%	$75	%	$100	%	$125	%	$150
Food	25	18.75	25	25.00	25	31.25	25	37.50
Clothing	20	15.00	20	20.00	20	25.00	20	30.00
Rent	15	11.25	15	15.00	20	25.00	20	30.00
Savings	5	3.75	6	6.00	7	8.75	7	10.50
Insurance	7	5.25	8	8.00	7	8.75	7	10.50
Amusement	3	2.25	3	3.00	2½	3.11	2½	3.75
Education	3	2.25	3	3.00	2½	3.12	2½	3.75
Health	3	2.25	3	3.00	2½	3.12	2½	3.75
Charity	3	2.25	3	3.00	2	2.50	2	3.00
Fuel, Water	4	3.00	3½	3.50	3	3.75	3	4.50
Light	1	.75	1	1.00	1	1.25	1	1.50
Misc.	11	8.25	9½	9.50	7½	9.40	7½	11.25
Total	100	75.00	100	100.00	100	125.00	100	150.00

	%	$175	%	$200	%	$225	%	$250
Food	25	43.75	25	50.00	25	56.25	25	62.50
Clothing	20	35.00	20	40.00	20	45.00	20	50.00
Rent	20	35.00	20	40.00	20	45.00	20	50.00
Savings	7	12.25	8	16.00	8	18.00	10	25.00
Insurance	7	12.25	8	16.00	8	18.00	8	20.00
Amusement	2½	4.37	2½	5.00	2½	5.62	3	7.50
Education	2½	4.37	3	6.00	3	6.75	3	7.50
Health	2½	4.37	2½	5.00	2½	5.62	2	5.00
Charity	2	3.50	2	4.00	2	4.50	2	5.00
Fuel, Water	3	5.25	3	6.00	3	6.75	3	7.50
Light	1	1.75	1	2.00	1	2.25	1	2.50
Misc.	7½	13.14	5	10.00	5	11.26	3	7.50
Total	100	175.00	100	200.00	100	225.00	100	250.00

Rapid Progress Reported on All River Projects

In response to inquiries being received by members of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy board, the secretary, A. O. Brevik, St. Hilaire, announces that every effort is being made to hasten progress on both the Clearwater and Red Lake river drainage projects. It is fully realized that the proposed improvements cannot be completed too soon in order to prevent future losses from floods overflowing the banks of these streams and destroying valuable farm crops. At the same time there has been a great deal of detailed work connected with them as well as correspondence with the United States government departments that have taken considerable time.

As soon as the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy district was organized definite plans were begun to get something done. A year's time elapsed in securing the necessary congressional action and a few months additional afterwards were required to complete the surveys. This work was completed last fall and was followed immediately by placing the Clearwater project in the hand of the viewers. Their report will be ready for action by the board of directors of the district at a meeting to be held March 7. Indian lands are included in the Clearwater project also, which requires that the Bureau of Indian Affairs shall pass on the plans and the proposed assessments, after which the project can be brought to a final hearing.

Red Lake Project.

The plans for the Red Lake project involve a modification of the levels of the Red Lakes. A preliminary conference at Bemidji and a conference held at Washington on the matter of these levels resulted in preliminary plans being sent to the Indian Bureau at Washington on Dec. 31, last. These plans have been before that department since that time with frequent exchange of letters between W. H. Reed, drainage engineer of the Bureau, and Adolf M. Meyer, the drainage board's consulting engineer.

On Feb. 18 Mr. Reed stated that an agreement would doubtless be arrived at within a short time. If this agreement is received before March 7, the board will have the Red Lake project also up for discussion and settlement at their meeting. Viewers can then be appointed, final plans completed and everything placed in readiness for the final hearing.

Engineer Walker has been busy preparing the final report on the Clearwater project, with the result that it will be ready for action on March 7. It is a comprehensive study of the entire matter and involves shortening the channel from 143 to 47 miles.

The Red Lake project has been pushed continuously and vigorously ever since the district was organized. It will be remembered that it was necessary, first, to secure funds from the State legislature for the survey, and also federal action from congress providing for the co-operation of the War and Interior departments. Legal and engineering details have proceeded as rapidly as possible.

Delays Unavoidable.

There is always some impatience voiced against the many legal steps and engineering details that are unavoidable in drainage projects of this size. The people interested should bear in mind that the work has been pushed as rapidly as possible. Great progress has been made during the time they have been before the board. When it is known that for 28 years preceding the organization of the drainage and conservancy district nothing was done excepting to pass congressional resolutions and send out a dozen reports, the progress now made in this work is more than satisfactory.

The members of the Red Lake drainage board are merely servants of the people in promoting these projects. They have considered every step carefully. It has required time for making the surveys and plans. This could not be shortened without sacrificing accuracy and thoroughness. As matters now stand final hearings will be set soon. Detailed time to time in order that the people interested may know what is being done. This has been the policy of the board because of the public interest taken in its work.

A Country Newspaper's Problem.

(Levang's Weekly, Lanesboro.)

There isn't a day that the publisher of the Lanesboro paper is not confronted with this opinion expressed by someone: "Everything else is coming down in price—it's time to cut down your subscription price and your advertising rates."

Herman Roe, the publisher of the Northfield News, is evidently having the same experience as the publisher of Levang's, and he explains why it can't be done in the following editorial:

Receipts from advertising and subscriptions during 1921 fell short of meeting the cost of producing the cost of producing the Northfield News by $1,663.20.

The cost—including mechanical and editorial expense—of producing an average issue of The News during 1921 was $275.

The total receipts from subscriptions at two dollars a year would pay the cost of producing nine issues of The News.

Advertising receipts must make up the balance—and in 1921 the revenue from this source fell considerably short of meeting the total cost of production.

If subscribers were to pay an amount needed to meet the cost of production, the subscription rate in 1921 would have been $7.65.

Confronted by this situation—which is typical in the country newspaper field—publishers cannot reduce subscription rates, no matter how keenly they might wish to do so, without courting financial disaster. Neither can a cut in advertising rates be introduced until production costs decline. This cannot be brought about quickly as trained printers are not a drug on the market, in fact, for years this has been an underpaid profession to such an extent that now recruits were not attracted to it. During the war printers' wages reached a level somewhat commensurate with the intelligence and the years of training required to become proficient in the trade.

The only item entering into the cost of producing a newspaper that has show a material reduction since the war is paper, and in the case of a country weekly of the standard of The News this item represents 1-27th of the total cost.

Farmers and merchants may have their problems but the publishers of newspapers have a few to worry about also.

'Bout the only difference 'tween a naggin' woman an' a buzz saw, sez Al Snyder, is that a feller c'n stop a buzz saw.

Exchange Echoes

WHEN HITTING MIGHT HELP.

Wabasha Herald: If President Harding wants to hit any blocks, why don't he hit the blockheads in the senate? Why wreak all his wrath on the farm bloc?

A PLACE FOR EVERYTHING.

Morris Tribune: A St. Cloud flivver is reported to have run 14 miles on a pint of moonshine, and made two Packards and a Cadillac apologize for getting in the way. This fable teaches that the place for moonshine is inside the car instead of inside the driver.

THAT WORD "AFFORD."

Sanford, Florida, Herald: When a merchant talks about "affording" advertising, he is getting ready for the live merchant to take his trade away from him. People do not "afford" advertising any more than the man who needs a suit of clothes "affords" them. It is not a question of "affording" advertising—it is a vital necessity.

ALSO HAVE THEIR TROUBLES.

Warroad Pioneer: Speaking of Mr. Rockefeller and his kind—the owners of big capital—it is perhaps well to remember that they suffer from indigestion more often than the rest of us, that they have to wear a starched collar every day and that they don't sleep well for fear that someone is putting something over on them in an effort to separate them from some of their cash. And when life's journey is over they haven't any reserved seats for the hereafter.

THE IRISH AND THE SWEDES.

Northfield News: And now that Ireland has been given back to Ireland by the English, if the Swedes will give Minneapolis back to Minnesota we'll start out in 1922 with a united world.

SHOULD HAVE A CARE.

Princeton Union: That Washington correspondent who, in speaking of the tariff discussion, said it was a procession "moving through the committee room of the senate, every man with his hand out," had better be careful. He is altogether too observant and is liable to be excluded from the sessions.

A FABLE.

Winnebago City Enterprise: Once upon a time a country publisher published an article that pleased everybody. Moral: It must have been an account of the editor's sudden death.

YOU CAN HELP!

Winnebago City Enterprise: You can help make business better.

If every one of us will "carry on" as usual, normal conditions will soon prevail.

Money that is hoarded is not going to bring about a resumption of active business in this fair land.

It is a fine thing to be economical, but stinginess is a downright vice. Let's buy the things we need today, and help to revive the merry-go-round of business.

A BUSINESS PROPOSITION.

Montevideo News: A Thief River Falls bank has just set aside $10,000 to be used in the purchase of high-grade dairy cows, the money to be loaned to farmers at the rate of six per cent interest. The bank officials have acted wisely, and they have taken the step in no charitable or generous mood but as a business proposition with an eye to the future. They know the value of the dairy cow to any community.

ONE OR THE OTHER.

Dassel Dispatch: It is plainly evident that they are making the skirts shorter or building the sidewalks lower.

★ 111 One eleven cigarettes

Three Friendly Gentlemen

Made to Suit Your Taste

We have for years catered to the cigarette smokers of America.

With this experience, we created One Eleven—"111"—"Made to Suit Your Taste," of the world's three greatest cigarette tobaccos—

1—TURKISH, for Aroma
1—VIRGINIA, for Mildness
1—BURLEY, for Mellowness

We named them One Eleven—the address of our home office. We are proud of their success.

Have You Tried Them?

15¢ for 20

★ 111 FIFTH AVE. NEW YORK CITY

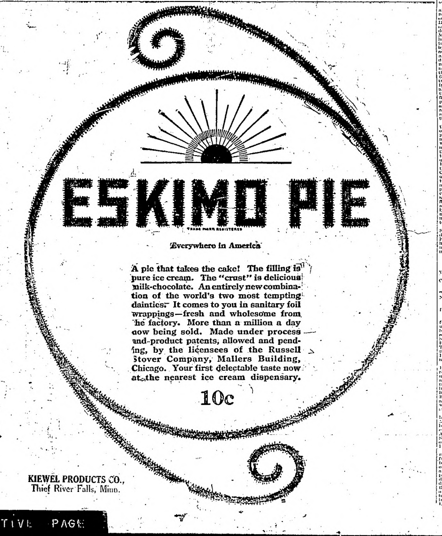

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Everywhere in America

A pie that takes the cake! The filling is pure ice cream. The "crust" is delicious milk-chocolate. An entirely new combination of the world's two most tempting dainties. It comes to you in sanitary foil wrappings—fresh and wholesome from the factory. More than a million a day now being sold. Made under process and product patents, allowed and pending, by the licensees of the Russell Stover Company, Mallers Building, Chicago. Your first delectable taste now at the nearest ice cream dispensary.

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KIEWEL PRODUCTS CO.,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the twenty-sixth day of October, 1918, made, executed and delivered by Henry A. Wiebe and Mary Wiebe, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as mortgagors, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, to secure the payment of the sum of Two Thousand and no-100 Dollars ($2,000.00) and interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, according to the terms and conditions of a certain promissory note and the interest coupons [illegible]

[illegible] day of May, 1920, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $0.70 thereon at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 5th day of May, 1921, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of February, 1922.

(Official Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
By Axel Hisberg, Deputy.

Approved May 16, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
F-23-M-2-9

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage duly executed and delivered by Elmer Klungness and Julia A. Klungness, his wife, Mortgagors, to Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of July, 1920, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 574, and

Whereas, the said Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said Mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of $481.70, the amount of principal and interest secured by the Mortgage hereby being foreclosed, and whereas the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Eight (8), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, Range Forty-two (42) West of *the Fifth Principal Meridian, in* Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of April, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $781.76, and interest, and taxes if any, on said premises, and attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 20, 1922.

PETER O. SORLOM,
Mortgagee.

O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
F-23-M-2-9-16-23-30

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in [illegible]

[illegible] duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "67" of Mortgages, on page 307, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot numbered One (1) in Section Twenty-eight (28); Lots numbered One (1), Two (2) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29), (excepting a plot of ground 65 ft. by 108 ft. in said Lot 1, Sect. 29, heretofore deeded to the Highlanding Co-Operative Creamery Association); all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 119 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt and interest and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1922, at ten (10:00) o'clock in the forenoon of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 7, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee.
624 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-16-23- M-2-9-16-23

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, upon the following land, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Section Two (2) and Lots Three and Four (3 and 4) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Eighty-two (182) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof;

Which said mortgage bears date the 6th day of October, 1917, and with the power of sale therein contained was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "28" of Mortgages, on page 340, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 22nd day of October, 1917, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, which assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages, on page 467, which said mortgage [illegible]

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ASK JOHN HE KNOWS.

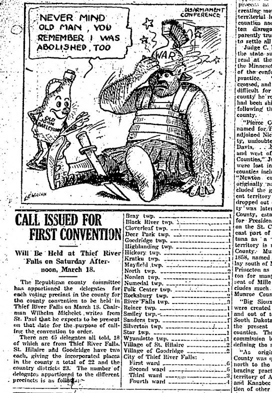

CALL ISSUED FOR FIRST CONVENTION

Will Be Held at Thief River Falls on Saturday Afternoon, March 18.

The Republican county committee has apportioned the delegates for each voting precinct in the county for the county convention to be held in Thief River Falls on March 18. Chairman Wilhelm Michelet writes from St. Paul that he expects to be present on that date for the purpose of calling the convention to order.

There are 45 delegates all told, 18 of which are from Thief River Falls. St. Hilaire and Goodridge have two each, giving the incorporated places in the county a total of 22 and the country districts 23. The number of delegates apportioned to the different precincts is as follows:

Bray twp.	1
Black River twp.	1
Cloverleaf twp.	1
Deer Park twp.	1
Goodridge twp.	1
Highlanding twp.	1
Hickory twp.	1
Kratka twp.	1
Mayfield twp.	1
North twp.	2
Norden twp.	1
Numedal twp.	1
Polk Center twp.	1
Rocksbury twp.	2
River Falls twp.	3
Reiner twp.	1
Smiley twp.	1
Sanders twp.	1
Silverton twp.	1
Star twp.	1
Wyandotte twp.	1
Village of St. Hilaire	2
Village of Goodridge	2
City of Thief River Falls:	
First ward	6
Second ward	5
Third ward	3
Fourth ward	4

Minnesota Historical Notes

Long Lost Civil War Diary Turns Up.

A battered old diary, filled with entries of the Civil War period, some of its pages almost illegible because of age, was recently presented to the Minnesota Historical Society. It was supposed to be the diary of Robert Lester Morris, who served as assistant surgeon of the Eleventh Minnesota.

Upon examination it was found that the handwriting in the first part of the diary was different from that of the remainder. Closer inspection revealed the fact that this part was a daily record of events relating to the First Minnesota up to the date of the battle of Bull Run, the entries closing with a list of men wounded in that battle. Civil War records failed to show Dr. Morris as a member of the First Minnesota.

The fly leaf of the diary was found to contain the name of "J. N. Searles, Hastings, Minnesota." This further complicated the problem, for the latter part of the booklet had certainly been kept by Dr. Morris. An examination of the roster of the First Minnesota disclosed the name of Jasper N. Searles as a recruit from Dakota county, and friends in Hastings identified him as Judge J. N. Searles of Stillwater.

"I presume the memorandum was one that I kept during the summer of 1860 and the following winter when our regiment, the First Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, was in our first camp after the first Bull Run battle," Judge Searles writes. "In the spring of 1862 we were sent to the Shenandoah Valley and thence to the Peninsula with Gen. McClellan and when we broke camp (our 'Camp Stone') I packed a lot of stuff in a trunk and stored it in a warehouse in Washington, but when I called for it on our return home in the spring of 1864 I could get no trace of it nor of the people who operated the warehouse. Perhaps they sold it for charges."

Interest in History on Increase.

No review of progress in Minnesota during the last two years would be complete without an account of the increasing interest in history. The great increase of enrollment in classes in history at the university, the volume of historical books being used in the public libraries, and the rapid growth of the State historical society all indicate the same reaction.

"The World War was perhaps the greatest factor in causing this growth of interest," says Solon J. Buck, superintendent of the Minnesota Historical Society. "The sudden realization that we were not an isolated nation, that our destinies are involved in those of other countries, has changed our point of view. The interest in economic problems has also aroused a desire for information on the development of similar problems in the past. People are realizing that history is to the community what memory is to the individual. It is the starting point for all future progress."

The State historical society has increased its membership by fifty per cent in 1921, according to Mr. Buck, while the number of people taking advantage of the resources of the society has increased in proportion. "Books to the number of 17,000 were used during the year by readers in the library as compared with 10,000 used in 1920 and 6,000 used in 1919. The library now contains 147,000 books and pamphlets."

The manuscript division of the society also shows a remarkable growth. The papers of early governors and of many territorial pioneers have been added to the collections. The newspaper department, with the regular receipt of over 400 Minnesota publications, is steadily building up a collection of extreme value.

"Approximately 30,000 visitors inspected the exhibits in the museum during the last year," Mr. Buck reports, "while the already large collection of museum material has been increased by a number of important donations. A popular feature of the work of this division has been the 'history hour' classes for children. These classes are conducted by members of the staff to acquaint the children with the exhibits in the museum and to teach them the history of the state."

Tawney Papers to Be Preserved For History.

The papers of the late James A. Tawney of Winona, congressman from the first Minnesota district from 1893 to 1911 and member of the International Joint Commission from 1911 to his death in 1919, have recently been added to the collections of papers of prominent state leaders in the custody of the Minnesota Historical Society. Congressman Tawney will long be remembered as a national figure in politics, prominent in his party and the many important measures he advocated before Congress.

Copies of speeches and written articles form a large part of the collection, which was presented by the congressman's son, Everett T. Tawney of Winona. An article on the "Duty of a Great Independent Newspaper," written in 1908, could well have been a forerunner of the present international conference in Washington. "The chief duty of a great independent newspaper during the next decade is, or should be, to combat the alarming tendency in this country toward paternalism and militarism. . . . When we remember that almost sixty-five per cent of the government's revenue, exclusive of postal receipts, is today being spent to meet the cost of wars past and anticipated, the seriousness of the frantic rushing to the front as a great military power is alarming."

In a less serious mood Mr. Tawney gave his recollection of the battle of Gettysburg. On the third day of the battle his home, which was being used as a hospital, was shelled by the enemy. "It was saved by the act of a Union soldier, who unfurled his sister's red flannel petticoat, with my fishing rod as a staff, from the highest chimney on the house."

Among the official papers is the original document, signed by President Taft in 1911, appointing Congressman Tawney a member of the International Joint Commission, a body created for the settlement of disputes relating to boundary waters between the United States and Canada. Letters from prominent political leaders, clippings, and several diaries also form an important part of the papers.

Congressman Tawney was born near Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, on Jan. 3, 1855. He came to Minnesota in 1877 and settled in Winona. In 1882 he was admitted to the bar after six years of hard study and constant application. His political career began in 1890, when he was elected to the state senate from a district that was strongly Democratic at that time. In 1893 he entered Congress as a representative, and he served for nine successive terms.

Lost Counties of Minnesota.

To create a new county in the territory of Minnesota in the early days appears to have been as simple a process as the present method of creating money in soviet Russia. The territorial legislature, in establishing counties and definite boundaries, often disregarded previous acts, apparently trusting to divine Providence to settle all resulting difficulties.

Judge C. L. Brown, chief justice of the state supreme court, in a paper read at the last annual meeting of the Minnesota Historical Society, tells of the confusion resulting from this practice. "Lines overlapped and crossed, and it was in many instances difficult for one to know in what county he really lived, or whether he had been shifted from one to another following the creation of some new county.

"Pierce County, created in 1853, named for President Franklin Pierce, adjoined Nicollet county, Davis County, undoubtedly named for Jefferson Davis, . . created in 1855, lay north and west of Renville and Carver Counties," Judge Brown stated. Both were lost in the creation of new counties including the same territory. "Newton county, created in 1855, originally named Doty County, included the greater part of the present territory of St. Louis County, but dropped out of sight when that county was later created. Buchannan County, established in 1857, named for President Buchannan, bordered on the St. Croix River in the northeast part of the territory, with Fortuna as a county seat . . . This territory is now mainly within Pine County. Munroe County, created in 1858, named for President Munroe, lay south of Mille Lacs Lake, and had Princeton as its county seat. Princeton for many years was the county seat of Mille Lacs County, which includes much if not all of the old Munroe County territory.

"Big Sioux and Midway counties were created in the territorial days, and out of territory now a part of South Dakota adjoining on the west the present Rock and Pipestone counties. They were both put out of commission by the act of Congress defining the state boundries.

"As originally created Ramsey County was quite large and extended north to the Mille Lacs region, embracing practically all the present territory of Anoka, Mille Lacs, Isanti, and Kanabec counties. In the creation of other counties in that part of the state a small tract of land, probably two or three townships, belongin to and forming a part of Ramsey County, was cut off and left high and dry in the Mille Lacs county 60 or 70 miles from home base. . . This was later corrected by adding the land to some adjoining territory."

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Eva Carlson at Rest.

Mrs. Eva Carlson, one of the early Swedish pioneers of this place, passed to her eternal reward at 8 p. m. on Tuesday, Feb. 14, after being ill for only two days with pneumonia and pleurisy. Mrs. Carlson, whose maiden name was Eva Kristina Erickson, was born at Lafas, Nya Kopparberg, Sweden, Jan. 23, 1851, and here passed the early years of her life. On May 24, 1877, she was united in marriage to John F. Carlson, whose death occurred about four years ago. In 1880 the Carlsons emigrated to America, making their home for the first three years at Ishpeming, Mich., and in July, 1883, came to town of Norden, where they filed on a homestead. On this farm the family resided until two years ago when, following the death of her husband, Mrs. Carlson rented the farm and moved to Rosewood. Left to mourn are nine children, Mrs. Chas. Davis of Saginaw, Minn., Mrs. Hans Norwick of Seattle, Wash., Helmer Carlson of Devils Lake, N. D., Mrs. Peter Stromberg, Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and Henry Carlson of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Howard and Herbert Carlson of this place. Deceased also leaves four brothers, Frederick and August Erickson of Oregon, Chas. Erickson of Two Harbors, and Lars Erickson of Thief River Falls. Mrs. Carlson was a kind-hearted and noble woman, and enjoyed the respect of all who knew her. All the children were present at the funeral.

Helleruds Entertain.

Cashier and Mrs. O. S. Helelrud of the local bank pleasantly entertained 17 guests at their home at Norwegian whist last Saturday evening. Benhard Ranum and Mrs. F. G. Dols won high score, and Freddie Stafford was awarded the booby prize. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess in the course of the evening. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols, Delma and Chester Dols, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hall and daughter, Elizabeth, Fred Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Benard Ranum, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, J. E. Shoberg, Olof Opseth, Benny Ranum, Harry and Stanley Ranum.

Busy Bee School Notes.

Valentine day was observed in our school on Tuesday, Feb. 14, with a valentine box, and the remainder of the afternoon was devoted to the playing of indoor and outdoor games. Misses Carrie and Myrtle Nelson favored us with a visit the same day and evidently enjoyed the afternoon as much as we did. Christ Evenson, a member of the school board, visited our school on Tuesday afternoon. The Evenson children have been absent for some time owin gto illness. A number of the primary pupils are absent this week, finding it impossible to brave the snow and cold weather. The teacher, Miss Alice Thompson, will leave Friday to spend the week-end with her home folks at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Hans Norwick left Friday for an over Sunday visit with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ena Thompson, who had visited here for a couple of weeks with her son, James, and family, returned Friday evening to her home at Gully.

Helmer Carlson returned to Devils Lake to resume his duties as station agent last Friday after having been here to attend the funeral of his mother.

L. L. Furan and sons, Willard and Burton, spent a couple of days the latter part of the week at Thief River Falls attending to business and visiting at the S. Benson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter, Erma, returned on Friday from Thief River Falls, where they had spent a couple of weeks visiting with the C. E. Hellquist and James Johnson families.

John Bloom returned Friday from Viking, where he had spent a few days at the Rev. W. Drotts home.

The funeral of Mrs. Eva Carlson was held from the Swedish Mission church last Monday afternoon, about one hundred people being present. The following acted as pallbearers: John Hellquist, John Bloom, I. M. Westby, S. Rafteseth, A. T. Thoreson and E. P. Johnson. Rev. Drotts delivered the funeral sermon and the remains were interred at the Wildwood cemetery east of town.

Mrs. Thilda Sjolsvold left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to visit for a week with friends and relatives.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard of Thief River Falls came home on Monday for a brief visit with her home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ostrom, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stromberg came over from Thief River Falls on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Carlson.

Mrs. Dave Mosbeck returned to her home at Crookston on Monday after a few days visit with her father, P. Sorenson, and with other friends. She was accompanied as far as Thief River Falls by Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, who will spend the remainder of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Sovert Benson.

Mrs. James Johnson arrived Monday morning to spend the day with her father, J. E. Hellquist.

J. A. Whitmark is building a shed for his automobile at the Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen place in town.

T. J. Taggart shipped out a carload of dry cord wood last Saturday.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson spent Tuesday at Thief River Falls visiting with friends.

Howard Carlson left Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls to spend the remainder of the week with his brother, Henry Carlson.

NUMEDAL

Thure Blomberg sawed wood at the Arthur Atwood home Thursday.

Forest Hedrick was a Thief River Falls business caller Friday.

Geo. Bugge, Conrad Ronning and Ed. Blomberg were among those who attended the basket social and dance at Viking Friday evening.

Thure Blomberg transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday.

Quite a few from this vicinity witnessed the wrestling match held at Viking Saturday evening.

E. Joringdal was a Thief River Falls business caller Saturday.

Thure and Mrs. A. Blomberg were Sunday guests at the J. Joringdal home.

Ben Sumner was a Viking caller Saturday.

Walter Brink was a visitor at the E. Joringdal home Sunday.

J. Osness was a Thief River Falls business visitor Saturday.

Tommy Joringdal was a Sunday guest at the A. Blomberg home.

Norval Johnson, Tommy Joringdal and Ed. Blomberg are assisting with hay baling at present.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning helped Chas. Johnson load a car of hay at Viking on Tuesday.

J. Joringdal called at the A. Blomberg home Tuesday enroute to Viking.

Forest Hedrick was a Viking caller Monday.

Thure Blomberg spent Tuesday at Viking.

Soren Knutson did shopping at Viking on Tuesday.

ERIE

Misses Anna Knutson and Anna Rindahl were at Goodridge on Saturday, bringing out with them four cadet girls from the normal department of the Thief River Falls high school, who will do practice teaching in districts 66 and 65.

H. C. Iverson spent the fore part of the week with friends down in Hickory township.

Mrs. Myrtle Rouze was at Goodridge on Saturday to visit her children and mother.

Knute Berg, George Hovet and Amund Lovrak were business callers in Goodridge on aSturday.

Miss Amanda Skomedahl of the Thief River Falls normal department is here to do practice teaching for two weeks in district No. 5, Miss Ose's school.

G. A. Iverson brought out a brand new Melotte cream separator from Goodridge last Thursday, it having come direct from Belgium, where the Melotte separator is manufactured.

Mrs. J. Tofteland returned Thursday from a month's visit with relatives near Grafton, N. D., and McIntosh, this state. She will spend the remainder of the winter here with her daughter, Mrs. A. Danielson, before returning to her home near Grand Prairie, Canada.

Miss Tillie Ose gave her school children a sleighride party and this to the Clover Nook school last Friday afternoon. Ice cream and cake was served to all pupils of both

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sunsdahl of Stephen are here visiting reltives and also attended the wedding of John Sunsdahl and Miss Jennie Bakken.

Floyd Baird, younger son of Geo. Baird, was on Thursday of last week married to Miss Egness of North Dakota. A reception will be given in the near future at the Erie hall.

Rev. Hoyum and Layman E. Halvorson conducted services in the Clover Nook school house on Sunday afternoon. Services will be held again on March 19 at 3 p. m.

The Ekwall family, Lillian and Clara Loyland, Miss Tillie Ose, Mrs. L. B. Johnson and Miss Skomedahl were visitors at Dahlen's on Sunday.

WYANDOTTE

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Erler, Feb. 19.

Mr. Klem and son, Joe, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis.

Sarah and Myrtle Evenson visited at Thief River Falls Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Evenson is employed at the Erler home for a few days.

Mrs. Julin died Feb. 18 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuelson. Funeral services were conducted Friday at the Swedish church.

Mrs. M. Bergh and Ella were visitors at the Thorvilson home Sunday afternoon.

John Rasmusson, who has been visiting with friends here for a few days, left Monday for Moorhead to resume his work on the N. P. railroad.

Teddie Bergdal was called to court one day last week by Sheriff LaBree on account of some "moonshine" business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Peterson visited at Isaac Wilson's Sunday.

Fox Trott made a flying trip to Plummer Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Eurler, a baby girl.

Sarah and Myrtle Evenson visited friends in Thief River Falls last week.

Louis Evenson and Arthur Kolp were callers at Hazel Saturday evening.

John Hanson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Julius Nelson was a caller in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. N. Evenson, her daughter Dorothy and son Roy, visited at the Larson home Tuesday evening.

Theodore Bergdahl was a business caller in Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Nels Hanson made a business trip to Plummer Monday.

Dorothy, Sarah and Myrtle Evenson were visitors at the K. Thorvilson home Monday afternoon.

Louis Evenson sawed wood and ground feed for I. R. Iverson Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Berg and daughter, Ella, visited at the K. Thorvilson home Sunday afternoon.

Robert Hamric, Harry Hanson, and Stanley Efteland of Thief River Falls, and also Teddy Bergdahl, Anker Hanson, Theresa Hoffman and Arthur Kolp spent Sunday afternoon at the Ed. Evenson home.

Arthur Kolp helped Louis Evenson haul hay Saturday.

Miss Louise Shefvland spent Sunday afternoon at the Sam Hanson home.

I. R. Larson transacted business at Hazel Monday.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Oscar Guttrue and Martin Johnson were out wolf hunting last Saturday. They saw three of the swift footed ones but failed to get any of them.

Ernest Slack was a caller at the Olo Ose home Saturday.

Soren Bergland of Thief River Falls is visiting with friends and relatives here.

Amond Soredahl is busy these days repairing Olo Ose's Ford.

Peter Klungness was canvassing the neighborhood last week to get subscribers for The Times.

John Dahl called on Lars and Iven Ose Sunday.

Nick and George Baker intend to move from the Chas. Swartz place this week to a farm eight miles east of Thief River Falls, which they have rented.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skomedal, Ragnild Bergland, Gunvor Skomedal and Soren Bergland spent Sunday at the Oscar Jopprue home.

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FOR SALE—4000 lbs. of Sweet Clover Seed at 6c per lb. Otto Parnow, Erie, Minn. 6

FOR SALE very cheap, Hupmobile touring car in first class shape. Inquire at G. N. depot. 3tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 16tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Steam heated flat. Vacant March 1. McDaniel & Reaner. 4

FOR RENT—Three good furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 417 Red Lake Blvd. Phone 231-R. 2ptf

FARM FOR RENT—Two and a half miles northeast of city. 160 acres. Full set of buildings. Adolph Halley, city 5p

FOR RENT—Modern apartment in duplex. Consists of four rooms, kitchenette and bath. Is heated, has outside stairway, hardwood finish and floors. Garage accommodations go with it. $35 in summer, $40 for three months in winter. Phone 350-W-2. 3tf

WANTED—Renter for farm of 400 acres. Half under cultivation, balance timber and pasture. Rent on shares. 15 Holstein cows on farm. Renter will get half of cream and half of increase from live stock. For further information write Farmers State Bank, Winger, Minn. 3tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 210 Times. 50tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 8p

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 401 Times. 5tc

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand Fordson. Benard Bendickson, Goodridge, Minn. 7p

FEMALE HELP WANTED

COMPETENT GIRL wanted for general housework. Phone 596. 4

WANTED—Experienced cook at Sanitorium. Apply at office. 4

LOST

LOST—Eastman vest pocket camera. Finder will please return to Mrs. J. L. Stitt. 4

MISCELLANEOUS

GRAVEL—Parties desiring gravel call on G. A. Carlson or Phone 866-J 7-p

LEARN DRESSMAKING—The Crookston College gives you a course in dressmaking where you can learn plain and fancy sewing, cutting, fitting and form-making in three months. Write to J. F. Sathre, Crookston, Minn. 5

MEN WANTED to sell Groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 2p

EXPERT PIANO TUNING and all kinds of repairing at reasonable rates. Scientific method; no guess work. Leave orders at Times office or call 135. H. S. Snyder. 1tf

DRESSMAKING, Embroidery, Beading and Pleating done at reasonable prices. Mrs. N. Be-Werstein, 310 Riverside Ave. 9p

NELLIE C. HARDESTY, [illegible]. Phone 173-R. 3tf

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NAME VIEWERS FOR RED LAKE DRAIN PROJECT

Work of Assessing Benefits and Damages to Begin Soon as Weather Will Permit.

O. L. Ihle of Thief River Falls Appointed One of Viewers By Commissioners.

Most Important Stretch to Be Covered Extends From Highlanding to This City.

At a meeting of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission held at Crookston on Tuesday, viewers for the Red Lake project were appointed as follows: O. L. Ihle, Thief River Falls; Andrew Christianson, Mentor; F. S. Erdman, St. Hilaire. They will begin work as soon as it is possible to get onto the land.

The board of viewers will make a thorough inspection of all lands affected by the proposed improvement of the lake and river and assess damages or benefits to each piece of property. Their principal field of operations will be from Highlanding to Thief River Falls as that is the section through which the river will have to be deepened and straightened, but their work will also cover the reservation and lands on all sides of the Red lakes.

A large part of the work of the viewers will be confined to the territory lying north of the Red Lake river and extending to State Road No. 2, and extending to the east line of Highlanding township. Lands lying north of the state road will be but slightly affected, if at all, as the water in that section finds its way through Ditches 18 and 20 to the Thief river. Little of the territory to the south of the river is involved in this particular project, the Clearwater division of the undertaking extending to within a short distance of the Red Lake river for a large part of the distance.

Plan Fully Discussed.

The Red Lake project was fully explained by State Engineer E. V. Willard and C. G. Selvig, chairman of the board. It calls for a maximum lake level of from 1173 to 1174 feet and a minimum of 1171.5 feet. These figures have been approved by the several departments interested in Washington as properly caring for all interests—Indian, farming, navigation, water power and sanitation.

Report on Clearwater.

The report of the viewers on the Clearwater project was accepted and referred to President Selvig and Attorney Charles Boughton for submission to the Indian bureau with reference to the assessments against reservation lands.

The date for a final hearing on the Grand Marais project was set for April 11 at Crookston.

Detailed plans for the dam at the outlet of Red Lake and the deepening of the channel of the Red Lake river will be rushed, according to members of the commission, who are of the opinion that actual work may be commenced on the project during the present season.

Agreement Reached.

An agreement was reached on Saturday by officials of the Indian bureau and Adolph Meyer, engineer of the Red Lake conservancy district, on the plans for the Red Lake river drainage project. They were submitted to Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall on Monday, and will go later to Secretary of War John W. Weeks, and with the approval of these two heads of departments the work may be commenced.

W. M. Reed, engineer of the Indian bureau, said that the main feature of the proposed plans was the dam to the outlet of Red lake for the preservation of the lake level.

"The fisheries' rights of the Indians had to be protected and the controlling works will be constructed with that end in view," said Mr. Reed. "We have provided that the dam shall be of heavy construction, so that it may be used as a roadway and for vehicular and foot traffic, and also for any railroad that may desire to use it in the future. The project as approved will take care of all interests along the river, including power development, drainage for agricultural purposes, water supply for the towns along the river, and sanitation."

Personal Property Tax Payments Show Decrease

Personal property tax collections for the year closing the first of March were about $5,000 below the corresponding period a year ago, according to County Treasurer John Gullingsrud. During the month of February a total of $56,322.58 was taken in over the counter and received through the mail at his office, the receipts for the last three days being $38,580.43. The smaller amount paid this year is explained by the fact that automobiles have been taken from the personal property list and subjected to special taxation. There are about 400 taxpayers—a little less than one-fifth of the entire number—who are listed as delinquent, having failed to get their payments in before the time specified by law for closing the books.

Buying Holstein Cattle For Dairymen of County

Hans Anton, president of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association is this week attending the meeting of representatives of the state creameries at St. Paul. After the close of the sessions, Mr. Anton, accompanied by Math Barzen, will go to Northfield, where they intend to purchase 21 head of Holstein cattle for Pennington county dairymen. This is the first lot to be secured under the loan provisions recently announced by the First and Peoples State bank, the officers of which have a number of other applications for loans for the same purpose under consideration.

Contest On in North.

Electors in the town of North yesterday held a caucus and decided to add two more names to the list of candidates for delegates to the Republican county convention on the 14th. The two whose names will have to be written in by the voters are T. H. Bjerke and Roy Elofson. The regularly filed candidates are Jorgen Eide and Christian Stene.

WHO WILL WIN $25 CASH PRIZE TO BE GIVEN ON MAR. 15?

Second Period Cash Prize of $50 Won By Miss Agnes Oftedahl.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Date, March 15

Agnes Oftedahl, City	116,875
Paul Engelstad, City	107,275
Helmer Ostrom, City	81,675
Julius Liden, Steiner	56,750
Hannah Peterson, City	54,675
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanen, Goodridge	1,000

The special cash prize of fifty dollars which was offered to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions during the second period of the campaign, which closed March 8, was won by Miss Agnes Oftedahl.

The interest taken by the contestants during the last two weeks has been at a high pitch. All realize that it is a case of "now or never" and they are gathering in subscriptions from every nook and corner of this section.

Now another special cash prize of twenty-five dollars is offered to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions between March 8 and March 15. The same vote schedule which was in effect during the second period will be continued up to and including March 15. This is the week for every one to hustle harder than they have during any part of the campaign. It is the week that will bring about decisive results and every hour of the time should be made use of.

$25.00 IN GOLD

A special cash prize of $25.00 will be given to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions between March 8 and March 15.

The same vote schedule that has been in effect during the second period will be continued up to and including March 15.

Winning the $25.00 will in no way interfere with winning the Buick, Ford, or the other grand prizes.

NONPARTISANS TO ELECT DELEGATES HERE TOMORROW

Expected That Candidate For State Senator Will Also Be Named at This Time.

Postponement of the Nonpartisan League state convention from March 17 to March 31 has been decided on by the Minnesota executive committee of the league. The Working People's Nonpartisan Political League has set its convention for March 31 and it is customary to have the two conventions meet the same day and take joint action.

The postponement is held to favor A. C. Townley's "balance of power" proposal as the Democratic state convention also is to meet March 31 in Minneapolis and the Republican convention in St. Paul the same day. With the conventions all in session at the same time the way is open for negotiation.

The Nonpartisan League precinct caucuses met last Saturday to select delegates to the county conventions. The county convention of the Pennington county Nonpartisan organization will be held on Friday afternoon, March 10, at the court house, for the purpose of naming delegates to the state convention the 31st. Following the usual custom it is also likely that the candidate for state senator will be named at that time. Candidates for the lower house will be chosen later by delegations representing the Nonpartisans of Red Lake and Clearwater counties.

Remmem Jury Disagrees; Court Adjourns to 28th

The jury in the case of the state against A. B. Remmem, charged with selling intoxicating liquors unlawfully, reported a disagreement after being out all night and the greater part of a day, and was discharged. The case will be tried again at the June term of court.

Abel Best, one of the two colored men in the county and a resident of the extreme eastern end, was found not guilty of assault in the third degree by a jury on Friday. The offense was alleged to have been committed on the Fourth of July last. Moonshine, resulting in a neighborhood row, was the trouble.

Carl Swenson, accused of selling intoxicating liquors unlawfully, pleaded not guilty and his case was continued to the June term.

The case of Finch, VanSlych & McConville against Singer Bros. was decided in favor of the plaintiffs, the jury awarding judgment for $193.54.

The divorce case of Ole Omundson against Karen Omundson was heard on Friday and taken under advisement by the court.

Judge Grindeland is this week holding court at Mahnomen but will return to finish up the civil cases in this county on the 28th.

Beet Growers Meet Today.

H. H. Dana, agricultural expert in the employ of the Minnesota Sugar company, is in the city today and will meet with the beet growers of Pennington county at the Commercial club rooms this afternoon. An attempt will also be made to have Mr. Dana address the business men of the city at the club luncheon this noon.

LOSE FINAL GAME OF SEASON BY ONE LONE FREE THROW

Den E. Lanes of St. Paul Come Up From Behind and Win Unexpected Victory.

The Thief River Falls Athletics split even on a two-game series with the Den E. Lane team of St. Paul on Thursday and Friday evenings, winning the first by a score of 39 to 21 and losing the second, 31 to 30.

The Athletics should have won both games in spite of the fact that the visitors have a reputation second to none in the state. During the first game the latter never had a chance of winning, the locals getting a good margin early and adding to it as the game progressed. No outside talent was employed in this game, every member of the team being a home man, and for this reason considerable satisfaction was expressed over the outcome. Every man played in his very best form and it would be next to impossible to single out any particular star.

The locals had the second game salted away until within a few minutes of the end. The visitors rallied and came up from behind with a spurt of speed the Athletics seemed unable to stem because the class of attack was new to them. The tactics employed by the visitors were at times decidedly questionable, but were allowed to go without penalty in the interest of harmony.

Manager Connell announces that the basketball season so far as the Athletics are concerned is probably at an end. No other games are in sight at the present time and unless there is a contest of special interest offered it is not likely taht any further agreements will be entered into. The last few games have not been a success financially, the public interest having in a certain measure died out. The boys have put up a good brand of basketball and there is no fault found with the showing made, but the season is at an end and other interests will soon engage the attention of the fans.

Fancy Price Received For Yearling Holstein Bull

J. H. Hardesty & Son, Holstein breeders, living a short distance from Thief River Falls, on Friday shipped a purebred yearling bull to a party at Kreamer, N. D., the price paid for the animal being $200. While this is an exceptional price, there have been many shipments made of purebred animals by local men, both of the Holstein and Guernsey breeds, for which very good figures are reported.

Eight Debating Teams at High School Friday Night

An elimination contest in which the debating teams of eight high schools of Northwestern Minnesota will take part will be held at the Lincoln high school auditorium on Friday evening. The teams will be composed of one boy and one girl from each of the following schools: Erskine, McIntosh, Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire, Roseau, Lancaster, Warroad and Thief River Falls. Winners in this debate will be the district defenders in a state contest to be held later in the season. Ella Krohn and Hershel Hanson will represent the Thief River school on Friday evening.

For the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses an admission fee of 25 and 15 cents will be made. The public is cordially invited and assured that the evening will be one of both interest and enjoyment.

MUD LAKE LAND IS PROPERTY OF SHORE OWNERS

Judge Morris Decides Present Occupants Are Trespassers and Must Vacate.

Five Thousand Acres Valued at $50,000 to $75,00 and Settlers' Rights Involved.

Court Holds Title of Riparian Owners Following Receding Waters to Lake Center.

The lands in the Mud lake basin are the property of the holders of riparian rights along the original shore line of the lake, according to a decision handed down by Judge Page Morris at Minneapolis last Thursday. Should the decision be upheld on appeal it will mean that about 30 homesteaders who filed on lands made available by drainage will have to move off. Some of these have resided on the property four or five years and have considerable in the way of improvements, all of which will be a total loss.

Five thousand acres of land, valued at $50,000 to $75,000, are involved in the decision, which will at once be appealed, according to Theo. Quale of Thief River Falls, attorney for the present residents on the land. These holdings comprise what was formerly the bottom of Mud lake in Marshall county, and the final outcome is of great importance to all parties concerned as it means the loss of many years' work for the present occupants, most of whom are well known here, should it be sustained. The suit was brought by the United States government against the State Bank of Holt and others to determine title to the land. The government sets up the claim that as the land was originally Indian property and had been thrown open to settlement in the regular way, the present residents on the tracts, having filed in good faith and complied with the homestead laws, cannot now be ousted by the riparian claimants.

The court held that title to the land in the first place was held by the state in trust for the public and it was a navigable body of water. When the waters receded the riparian rights followed the shore line.

"The department of the interior will be notified of the decision and an appeal will probably be taken in the United States circuit court of appeals," William Anderson, assistant United States district attorney, said. "The department regards the case as important, as following drainage, the land was thrown open to entry and some 30 settlers took up claims."

High School Board Exams. For County March 30-31

The March high school board examinations will be given at the various examination points throughout the county on March 30 and 31, according to a notice sent out from the office of County Superintendent Geo. M. Gunderson. The subjects of grammar and composition, spelling and elementary American history will be given on March 30; arithmetic, geography and elementary American citizenship on the 31st. The examination will begin at 8 o'clock on both days.

This year 31 examination points have been granted, although the rule is one point for each township. Natural barriers, such as rivers, the poor roads at this season of the year and other drawbacks decided the department in granting 10 additional points at which examinations will be held.

Full particulars may be had by addressing Mr. Gunderson.

NO POLITICAL TALKS PERMITTED AT FARM BUREAU GATHERINGS

Resolutions Adopted at Recent State Meeting Would Bar Candidates and Others From Making Stump Orations to Members.

Officers and directors of county farm bureaus and township farm bureau units all over Minnesota are receiving a resolution adopted unanimously at the last meeting of the executive board of their state federation. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has been organized and maintained as a non-political organization,

"Resolved, That the executive committee of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation recommends to all township unit directors and other farm bureau officers that they do not allow any candidate for political office, or any political speaker, to make any political address at any duly called farm bureau meeting, and

"Resolved, That the committee recommends that no county farm bureau association or township unit go on record as endorsing any candidate for political office."

Allison Stitt left Friday evening for Minneapolis to spend the week-end with friends.

20 Tons of Grass Seed Shipped From Goodridge

About twenty tons of grass seed has been shipped over the Minnesota Northwestern railroad from the Goodridge station this year and the seed season has only opened. It is conservatively figured that twice this amount will be sent to other sections by farmers in the eastern part of the county before the end of grass-seeding time this spring. To this must be added a considerable supply available for sale in other districts, the entire amount probably reaching 140,000 pounds. The varieties are sweet and red clover and timothy. The clover seed is quoted at 6 cents per pound as the bottom price and taking even this as an average it means an income from this source of not far from $9,000.

Seed companies are anxious to secure this northern grown seed as the product coming from the regions farther to the south do not as a general rule prove satisfactory in this latitude. This department of farming has been given very little attention heretofore but will undoubtedly receive a big boost by reason of the success of the men who have tried it.

Boy Scouts Winners.

At a meeting of the Boy Scouts on Monday night, the Horseshoe five took on the Scout team in a basketball game. The final outcome of the game was 42 to 8 in favor of the Scouts.

Jury Trial Denied.

Attorneys interested in the Peterson will case have been notified that the matter will come up for hearing before Judge Grindeland in this city on March 29. A motion for a jury trial has been denied.

ALL SURPLUS HAY IN COUNTY NEEDED BY NORTH DAKOTA

Twenty Carloads Being Shipped From Goodridge and More Wanted if Available.

The commissioners in a number of North Dakota counties have ordered 20 carloads of timothy and prairie hay through the Red Lake and Pennington county farm bureaus. B. O. Norby of Goodridge is in charge of the loading in the eastern part of Pennington county and has already shipped seven cars to the western section of North Dakota.

The orders received at the farm bureau office called for 50 carloads at prices ranging from $8 to $13 per ton. The dry weather of last season caused an acute hay shortage in Dakota and as a result many cattle are starving for wnt of roughage. All the surplus supply of hay in Pennington county will be used this year in supplying the Dakota demand, and many more carloads could doubtless be shipped if available.

Our Cemetery Approved.

City Clerk A. H. Akre, who is also clerk of the cemetery association, has received a request from Rugby, N. D., for a copy of the constitution and by-laws of the organization as well as the plan used in its management. The writer states that he understands Thief River Falls has one of the best arranged and best managed cemeteries in northern Minnesota and he wishes to copy the system followed as closely as possible.

TAX REDUCED NEARLY ONE MILLION DOLLARS IN STATE AS A WHOLE

Pennington County's Contribution Toward the $116,000,000 Levied is Not Quite a Half Million Dollars.

Minnesota taxpayers will pay nearly $1,000,000 less taxes this year than they did in 1921. To be specific, taxes levied on the basis of the 1921 property valuation and collectable this year, total $115,818,877.03 as against $116,720,461.03 for the previous year. This is a difference of $901,584.00 in favor of the taxpayers of the state.

Pennington county's contribution to this tax collection, including the statutory three mill tax on credits or moneys, will be $486,009.77. The average rate of taxation for the county, exclusive of special assessments, is .6719 mills. This covers all sources of taxation.

The taxable valuation on which this reduced state levy is made is $2,452,539,549, and here also a decrease is noted. This decrease approximates $75,000,000 and is explained in larger part by the omission of motor vehicles from the personal property valuation. Heretofore such were valued and taxed the same as other personal property, but now they are a part of the good roads revenue of the state and are so listed.

Figures compiled by R. P. Chase, state auditor, covering tax levies for the past two years, their distribution and the valuation on which they are based, have juts been made public and their study is of vital interest to the taxpayers of the state. They are most enlightening since they demonstrate beyond contradiction the source of the tax burdens and where relief may be obtained if desired.

Leland Sether, who has been employed in Minneapolis this winter, arrived Friday morning for an indefinite visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

New Department Manager At Oen Company's Store

Roy Trytz, until recently in charge of the women's wear and dry goods departments of the Peoples Trading company at Warren, arrived this week for the purpose of taking over the management of the same divisions of the Oen Mercantile company's store in this city. Mr. Trytz has had 15 years' experience in this particular line and is one of the best posted men in this section on matters pertaining to this branch of merchandising.

The Oen company will feature the ready-to-wear department of its business in the future, carrying at all times the latest and best goods produced by the best-known manufacturers in the business. Mr. Trytz will have complete charge of the buying and as his previous experience has given him a wide acquaintance among both the buyers in this section and the producers of this class of goods, his acquisition should prove of unusual value to the big store. He left Thursday evening for the big markets to purchase a complete stock of ready-to-wear.

SERIES OF LENTEN OBSERVATIONS BY OUTSIDE PASTORS

Meetings to Be Held at Trinity Church Under Auspices of St. John's Congregation.

Members of St. John's Lutheran church have decided upon a novel undertaking to bring the truths underlying the celebration of Lent, to the community at large. Their plan calls for a series of five mid-week Lenten sermons on Christian fundamentals. These have been termed "The Way of Salvation" because, so they say, every man must know and believe them in order to be saved in the Christian sense; that is, in order to reach heaven. The series as announced is: 1—The Bible, God's Message; 2—Whence is Man? 3—What Must I Do to Be Saved? 4—Death—Then? 5—And They Crucified Him.

For each week of the remaining Lenten season a service is scheduled, beginning with Tuesday, March 14. English will be used exclusively. The Trinity Lutheran church has been engaged and the time has been set at 8 p. m. Congregational singing will feature the services.

"Neighboring pastors" have been chosen to assist Rev. E. H. Kreidt in delivering the sermons, namely, Rev. Martin Hauser of Warren; Rev. G. B. Propp of Ogema; Rev. O. H. Brauer of Mahnomen and Rev. O. C. Fedcke of Plummer. A different pastor has been assigned to each of the services, assuring all, says Rev. Kreidt, "interesting speakers upon a needful subject at a convenient meeting place and hour."

Rev. Hauser of Warren is to open the series. His topic will be "The Bible, God's Message," in which he intends to prove that no other literature is God's Word but the Bible, and that it is sufficient to accomplish the purpose for which God gave it.

At all services the public is invited. No admission fee is to be charged. All seats will be free.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF DISTRICT GOES TO CROOKSTON TEAM

Wins Over McIntosh Team in High School Contest; McIntosh Beats Thief River.

Crookston won the district high school basketball championship in the elimination contest played in that city on Thursday and Friday of last week by defeating McIntosh in the finals by a score of 20 to 9.

The Thief River Falls team was eliminated early in the series, being defeated by McIntosh by a score of 29 to 19. The Crookston Times gives the following report of this game:

"V. Jensen's stellar work at center and his ability to shoot from any position on the floor was responsible for McIntosh's 29 to 19 victory over Thief River Falls.

"The game opened fast, both teams showing their wares in an efficient manner. The first quarter ended McIntosh 8, Thief River Falls 6. The McIntosh players crept ahead a few more points in the second half when Jensen made two baskets from the center of the floor. The half ended McIntosh 13, Thief River Falls 8.

"The two teams played neck and neck in the third quarter, Thief River making two more points than their opponents. McIntosh with a burst of speed in the final quarter nosed ahead.

"Jensen was by far the star of the game while Dale, forward for McIntosh, also showed up well. Sorenson and Arnold were the star players for Thief River. Jensen was picked last year as all-district center and undoubtedly will win that honor again this season."

Other games of the tournament resulted as follows: Crookston 40, Argyle 10; McIntosh 25, Ada 21; Argyle 22, Warroad 21; Crookston 24, Fosston 9; Ada 16, Stephen 11.

Sorenson, Thief River Falls guard, was picked for this position on the all-conference team, the other members being as follows: Forwards, Daniels, Crookston, and Remark, Ada; center and captain, Jensen, McIntosh; guard, Lindell, Crookston.

M'CANN WILL BE C. C. SECRETARY AFTER APRIL 1

County Agent Chosen For Post By Executive Committee of Local Commercial Club.

Will Continue in Present Position, Simply Adding Duties of Post to Farm Work.

Plan Helps in Solving Problem of Financing Farm Bureau During Coming Year.

County Agent J. J. McCann will on April 1 become secretary of the Thief River Falls Commercial club, attending to this duty in connection with the position he now holds. The board of directors of the club, anxious to do everything in their power to insure the retention of Mr. McCann and the farm bureau, hit upon this means of assisting in the payment of his salary, the sum of $600 per year being turned over to the bureau every year as the club's share of his expenses. Mr. McCann will drop no part of the farm bureau work in order to look after his new post, the idea being that the two organizations will both be better served by the new arrangement.

Nothing in the way of consolidation will be attempted at this time as the work of the county agent is of a highly specialized nature and often requires a class of service that cannot in any way be regarded as being a part of the Commercial club's program. The clerical work of both can, however, be handily assumed by one person with benefit to all concerned. Each will be in direct charge of its own board of directors and will remain as at present constituted, both as to financing and management.

During the past two years the county's share in the cost of maintaining the farm bureau has been met by popular subscription, the balance being made up by the state and national appropriations and the membership fees. This latter source can hardly be depended on to carry its end under present circumstances as a large part of the farming population is hard pressed for money. The plan is to keep the bureau going until fall when a more favorable situation as regards the ready cash can be looked for, enabling the farmer to pay his membership dues in the organization.

No Community Club.

The suggestion that the Commercial club be changed in name and nature to a community club whose activities shall embrace the entire county is not considered feasible. Persons residing outside of Thief River Falls often find it difficult to attend meetings or otherwise take a great interest in the activities of the club, and including them in the membership would serve no good purpose. They will be made welcome should they desire to join but urging them to do so is not deemed advisable. The fact of the club secretary being also the county agent will bring the farming feature very close to the organization in any event and President H. W. Froehlich is particularly desirous that the farmer shall regard the club as ready at all times to extend any assistance within its power to the farming population of the county and neighborhood.

It is thought the new arrangement will meet with the approval of all concerned and prove generally more satisfactory than the plan heretofore followed.

Bill Authorizes $15,000 For Red Lake River Work

New river and harbor improvements calling for an estimated expenditure of approximately $31,000,000 would be authorized under a bill ordered reported Saturday by the house rivers and harbors committee.

Among the improvements which would be authorized by the bill and the amount the army engineers have reported would be required is included Red Lake and Red Lake river, Minnesota, $15,000.

This is the sum set by engineers as representing the value to navigation of the conservancy and drainage program on the river and was included in the bill estimating the benefits.

G. O. P. Voters Will Elect County Delegates Tuesday

The election of precinct delegates to the Republican county convention to be held at the court house in this city on March 18, will take place on Tuesday, March 14. Although there were a number of precincts in which no names were filed for the delegate places it is expected that all will be represented, provision being made for writing names in on the ballots. Special election ballots for every precinct in the county have been printed, this being one of the requirements under the new law.

As the township elections also take place on Tuesday it is certain a much larger vote for delegates to the convention will be cast than would otherwise be the case.

ASK JOHN HE KNOWS.

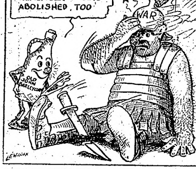

CALL ISSUED FOR FIRST CONVENTION

Will Be Held at Thief River Falls on Saturday Afternoon, March 18.

The Republican county committee has apportioned the delegates for each voting precinct in the county for the county convention to be held in Thief River Falls on March 18. Chairman Wilhelm Michelet writes from St. Paul that he expects to be present on that date for the purpose of calling the convention to order.

There are 45 delegates all told, 18 of which are from Thief River Falls. St. Hilaire and Goodridge have two each, giving the incorporated places in the county a total of 22 and the country districts 23. The number of delegates apportioned to the different precincts is as follows:

Bray twp.	1
Black River twp.	1
Cloverleaf twp.	1
Deer Park twp.	1
Goodridge twp.	1
Highlanding twp.	1
Hickory twp.	1
Kratka twp.	1
Mayfield twp.	1
North twp.	2
Norden twp.	1
Numedal twp.	1
Polk Center twp.	1
Rocksbury twp.	2
River Falls twp.	3
Reiner twp.	1
Smiley twp.	1
Sanders twp.	1
Silverton twp.	1
Star twp.	1
Wyandotte twp.	1
Village of St. Hilaire	2
Village of Goodridge	2
City of Thief River Falls:	
First ward	6
Second ward	5
Third ward	3
Fourth ward	4

Minnesota Historical Notes

Long Lost Civil War Diary Turns Up.

A battered old diary, filled with entries of the Civil War period, some of its pages almost illegible because of age, was recently presented to the Minnesota Historical Society. It was supposed to be the diary of Robert Lester Morris, who served as assistant surgeon of the Eleventh Minnesota.

Upon examination it was found that the handwriting in the first part of the diary was different from that of the remainder. Closer inspection revealed the fact that this part was a daily record of events relating to the First Minnesota up to the date of the battle of Bull Run, the entries closing with a list of men wounded in that battle. Civil War records failed to show Dr. Morris as a member of the First Minnesota.

The fly leaf of the diary was found to contain the name of "J. N. Searles, Hastings, Minnesota." This further complicated the problem, for the latter part of the booklet had certainly been kept by Dr. Morris. An examination of the roster of the First Minnesota disclosed the name of Jasper N. Searles as a recruit from Dakota county, and friends in Hastings identified him as Judge J. N. Searles of Stillwater.

"I presume the memorandum was one that I kept during the summer of 1860 and the following winter when our regiment, the First Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, was in our first camp after the first Bull Run battle," Judge Searles writes. "In the spring of 1862 we were sent to the Shenandoah Valley and thence to the Peninsula with Gen. McClellan and when we broke camp (our 'Camp Stone') I packed a lot of stuff in a trunk and stored it in a warehouse in Washington, but when I called for it on our return home in the spring of 1864 I could get no trace of it nor of the people who operated the warehouse. Perhaps they sold it for charges."

Interest in History on Increase.

No review of progress in Minnesota during the last two years would be complete without an account of the increasing interest in history. The great increase of enrollment in classes in history at the university, the volume of historical books being used in the public libraries, and the rapid growth of the State historical society all indicate the same reaction.

"The World War was perhaps the greatest factor in causing this growth of interest," says Solon J. Buck, superintendent of the Minnesota Historical Society. "The sudden realization that we were not an isolated nation, that our destinies are involved in those of other countries, has changed our point of view. The interest in economic problems has also aroused a desire for information on the development of similar problems in the past. People are realizing that history is to the community what memory is to the individual. It is the starting point for all future progress."

The State historical society has increased its membership by fifty per cent in 1921, according to Mr. Buck, while the number of people taking advantage of the resources of the society has increased in proportion. "Books to the number of 17,000 were used during the year by readers in the library as compared with 10,000 used in 1920 and 6,000 used in 1919. The library now contains 147,000 books and pamphlets."

The manuscript division of the society also shows a remarkable growth. The papers of early governors and of many territorial pioneers have been added to the collections. The newspaper department, with the regular receipt of over 400 Minnesota publications, is steadily building up a collection of extreme value.

"Approximately 30,000 visitors inspected the exhibits in the museum during the last year," Mr. Buck reports, "while the already large collection of museum material has been increased by a number of important donations. A popular feature of the work of this division has been the 'history hour' classes for children. These classes are conducted by members of the staff to acquaint the children with the exhibits in the museum and to teach them the history of the state."

Tawney Papers to Be Preserved For History.

The papers of the late James A. Tawney of Winona, congressman from the first Minnesota district from 1893 to 1911 and member of the International Joint Commission from 1911 to his death in 1919, have recently been added to the collections of papers of prominent state leaders in the custody of the Minnesota Historical Society. Congressman Tawney will long be remembered as a national figure in politics, prominent in his party and the many important measures he advocated before Congress.

Copies of speeches and written articles form a large part of the collection, which was presented by the congressman's son, Everett T. Tawney of Winona. An article on the "Duty of a Great Independent Newspaper," written in 1908, could well have been a forerunner of the present international conference in Washington. "The chief duty of a great independent newspaper during the next decade is, or should be, to combat the alarming tendency in this country toward paternalism and militarism. . . When we remember that almost sixty-five per cent of the government's revenue, exclusive of postal receipts, is today being spent to meet the cost of wars past and anticipated, the seriousness of the frantic rushing to the front as a great military power is alarming."

In a less serious mood Mr. Tawney gave his recollection of the battle of Gettysburg. On the third day of the battle his home, which was being used as a hospital, was shelled by the enemy. "It was saved by the act of a Union soldier, who unfurled his sister's red flannel petticoat, with my fishing rod as a staff, from the highest chimney on the house."

Among the official papers is the original document, signed by President Taft in 1911, appointing Congressman Tawney a member of the International Joint Commission, a body created for the settlement of disputes relating to boundary waters between the United States and Canada. Letters from prominent political leaders, clippings, and several diaries also form an important part of the papers.

Congressman Tawney was born near Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, on Jan. 3, 1855. He came to Minnesota in 1877 and settled in Winona. In 1882 he was admitted to the bar after six years of hard study and constant application. His political career began in 1890, when he was elected to the state senate from a district that was strongly Democratic at that time. In 1893 he entered Congress as a representative, and he served for nine successive terms.

Lost Counties of Minnesota.

To create a new county in the territory of Minnesota in the early days appears to have been as simple a process as the present method of creating money in soviet Russia. The territorial legislature, in establishing counties and definite boundaries, often disregarded previous acts, apparently trusting to divine Providence to settle all resulting difficulties.

Judge C. L. Brown, chief justice of the state supreme court, in a paper read at the last annual meeting of the Minnesota Historical Society, tells of the confusion resulting from this practice. "Lines overlapped and crossed, and it was in many instances difficult for one to know in what county he really lived, or whether he had been shifted from one to another following the creation of some new county.

"Pierce County, created in 1853, named for President Franklin Pierce, adjoined Nicollet county, Davis County, undoubtedly named for Jefferson Davis, . . . created in 1855, lay north and west of Renville and Carver Counties," Judge Brown stated. Both were lost in the creation of new counties including the same territory. "Newton county, created in 1855, originally named Doty County, included the greater part of the present territory of St. Louis County, but dropped out of sight when that county was later created. Buchannan County, established in 1857, named for President Buchannan, bordered on the St. Croix River in the northeast part of the territory, with Fortuna as a county seat . . . . This territory is now mainly within Pine County. Munroe County, created in 1858, named for President Munroe lay south of Mille Lacs Lake, and had Princeton as its county seat. Princeton for many years was the county seat of Mille Lacs County, which includes much if not all of the old Munroe County territory.

"Big Sioux and Midway counties were created in the territorial days, and out of territory now a part of South Dakota adjoining on the west the present Rock and Pipestone counties. They were both put out of commission by the act of Congress defining the state boundries.

"As originally created Ramsey County was quite large and extended north to the Mille Lacs region, embracing practically all the present territory of Anoka, Mille Lacs, Isanti, and Kanabec counties. In the creation of other counties in that part of the state a small tract of land, probably two or three townships, belonging to and forming a part of Ramsey County, was cut off and left high and dry in the Mille Lacs county 60 or 70 miles from home base. . . This was later corrected by adding the land to some adjoining territory."

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Eva Carlson at Rest.

Mrs. Eva Carlson, one of the early Swedish pioneers of this place, passed to her eternal reward at 8 p. m. on Tuesday, Feb. 14, after being ill for only two days with pneumonia and pleurisy. Mrs. Carlson, whose maiden name was Eva Kristina Erickson, was born at Lafas, Nya Kopparberg, Sweden, Jan. 23, 1851, and here passed the early years of her life. On May 24, 1877, she was united in marriage to John F. Carlson, whose death occurred about four years ago. In 1880 the Carlsons emigrated to America, making their home for the first three years at Ishpeming, Mich., and in July, 1883, came to town of Norden, where they filed on a homestead. On this farm the family resided until two years ago when, following the death of her husband, Mrs. Carlson rented the farm and moved to Rosewood. Left to mourn are nine children, Mrs. Chas. Davis of Saginaw, Minn., Mrs. Hans Norwick of Seattle, Wash., Helmor Carlson of Devils Lake, N. D., Mrs. Peter Stromberg, Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and Henry Carlson of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Howard and Herbert Carlson of this place. Deceased also leaves four brothers, Frederick and August Erickson of Oregon, Chas. Erickson of Two Harbors, and Lars Erickson of Thief River Falls. Mrs. Carlson was a kind-hearted and noble woman, and enjoyed the respect of all who knew her. All the children were present at the funeral.

Helleruds Entertain.

Cashier and Mrs. O. S. Helelrud of the local bank pleasantly entertained 17 guests at their home at Norwegian whist last Saturday evening. Benhard Ranum and Mrs. F. G. Dols won high score, and Freddie Stafford was awarded the booby prize. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess in the course of the evening. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols, Delma and Chester Dols, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hall and daughter, Elizabeth, Fred Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Bonard Ranum, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, J. E. Shoberg, Olof Opseth, Benny Ranum, Harry and Stanley Ranum.

Busy Bee School Notes.

Valentine day was observed in our school on Tuesday, Feb. 14, with a valentine box, and the remainder of the afternoon was devoted to the playing of indoor and outdoor games. Misses Carrie and Myrtle Nelson favored us with a visit the same day and evidently enjoyed the afternoon as much as we did. Christ Evenson, a member of the school board, visited our school on Tuesday afternoon. The Evenson children have been absent for some time owin gto illness. A number of the primary pupils are absent this week, finding it impossible to brave the snow and cold weather. The teacher, Miss Alice Thompson, will leave Friday to spend the week-end with her home folks at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Hans Norwick left Friday for an over Sunday visit with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ena Thompson, who had visited here for a couple of weeks with her son, James, and family, returned Friday evening to her home at Gully.

Helmer Carlson returned to Devils Lake to resume his duties as station agent last Friday after having been here to attend the funeral of his mother.

L. L. Furan and sons, Willard and Burton, spent a couple of days the latter part of the week at Thief River Falls attending to business and visiting at the S. Benson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter, Erma, returned on Friday from Thief River Falls, where they had spent a couple of weeks visiting with the C. E. Hellquist and James Johnson families.

John Bloom returned Friday from Viking, where he had spent a few days at the Rev. W. Drotts home.

The funeral of Mrs. Eva Carlson was held from the Swedish Mission church last Monday afternoon, about one hundred people being present. The following acted as pallbearers: John Hellquist, John Bloom, L. M. Westby, S. Rafteseth, A. T. Thoreson and E. P. Johnson. Rev. Drotts delivered the funeral sermon and the remains were interred at the Wildwood cemetery east of town.

Mrs. Thilda Sjolsvold left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to visit for a week with friends and relatives.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard of Thief River Falls came home on Monday for a brief visit with her home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ostrom, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stromberg came over from Thief River Falls on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Carlson.

Mrs. Dave Mosbeck returned to her home at Crookston on Monday after a few days visit with her father, P. Sorenson, and with other friends. She was accompanied as far as Thief River Falls by Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, who will spend the remainder of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Severt Benson.

Mrs. James Johnson arrived Monday morning to spend the day with her father, J. E. Hellquist.

J. A. Whitmark is building a shed for his automobile at the Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen place in town.

T. J. Taggart shipped out a carload of dry cord wood last Saturday.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson spent Tuesday at Thief River Falls visiting with friends.

Howard Carlson left Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls to spend the remainder of the week with his brother, Henry Carlson.

NUMEDAL

Thure Blomberg sawed wood at the Arthur Atwood home Thursday.

Forest Hedrick was a Thief River Falls business caller Friday.

Geo. Bugge, Conrad Ronning and Ed. Blomberg were among those who attended the basket social and dance at Viking Friday evening.

Thure Blomberg transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday.

Quite a few from this vicinity witnessed the wrestling match held at Viking Saturday evening.

E. Joringdal was a Thief River Falls business caller Saturday.

Thure and Mrs. A. Blomberg were Sunday guests at the J. Joringdal home.

Ben Sumner was a Viking caller Saturday.

Walter Brink was a visitor at the E. Joringdal home Sunday.

J. Osnesa was a Thief River Falls business visitor Saturday.

Tommy Joringdal was a Sunday guest at the A. Blomberg home.

Norval Johnson, Tommy Joringdal and Ed. Blomberg are assisting with hay baling at present.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning helped Chas. Johnson load a car of hay at Viking on Tuesday.

J. Joringdal called at the A. Blomberg home Tuesday enroute to Viking.

Forest Hedrick was a Viking caller Monday.

Thure Blomberg spent Tuesday at Viking.

Soren Knutson did shopping at Viking on Tuesday.

ERIE

Misses Anna Knutson and Anna Rindahl were at Goodridge on Saturday, bringing out with them four cadet girls from the normal department of the Thief River Falls high school, who will do practice teaching in districts 56 and 65.

H. C. Iverson spent the fore part of the week with friends down in Hickory township.

Mrs. Myrtle Rouze was at Goodridge on Saturday to visit her children and mother.

Knute Berg, George Hovet and Amund Lovrak were business callers in Goodridge on aSturday.

Miss Amanda Skomedahl of the Thief River Falls normal department is here to do practice teaching for two weeks in district No. 5, Miss Ose's school.

G. A. Iverson brought out a brand new Melotte cream separator from Goodridge last Thursday, it having come direct from Belgium, where the Melotte separator is manufactured.

Mrs. J. Tofteland returned Thursday from a month's visit with relatives near Grafton, N. D., and McIntosh, this state. She will spend the remainder of the winter here with her daughter, Mrs. A. Lamieson, before returning to her home near Grand Prairie, Canada.

Miss Tillie Ose gave her school children a sleighride party and visit to the Clover Nook school last Friday afternoon. Ice cream and cake were served to all pupils of both schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sunsdahl of Stephen are here visiting reltives and also attended the wedding of John Sunsdahl and Miss Jennie Bakken.

Floyd Baird, younger son of Geo. Baird, was on Thursday of last week married to Miss Egness of North Dakota. A reception will be given in the near future at the Erie hall.

Rev. Hoyum and Layman E. Halvorson conducted services in the Clover Nook school house on Sunday afternoon. Services will be held again on March 19 at 3 p. m.

The Ekwall family, Lillian and Clara Loyland, Miss Tillie Ose, Mrs. L. B. Johnson and Miss Skomedahl were visitors at Dahlen's on Sunday.

WYANDOTTE

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Erler, Feb. 19.

Mr. Kiem and son, Joe, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis.

Sarah and Myrtle Evenson visited at Thief River Falls Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Evenson is employed at the Erler home for a few days.

Mrs. Julin died Feb. 18 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuelson. Funeral services were conducted Friday at the Swedish church.

Mrs. M. Bergh and Ella were visitors at the Thorvilson home Sunday afternoon.

John Rasmussen, who has been visiting with friends here for a few days, left Monday for Moorhead to resume his work on the N. P. railroad.

Teddie Bergdal was called to court one day last week by Sheriff LaBree on account of some "moonshine" business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Peterson visited at Isaac Wilson's Sunday.

Fox Trott made a flying trip to Plummer Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Eurler, a baby girl.

Sarah and Myrtle Evenson visited friends in Thief River Falls last week.

Louis Evenson and Arthur Kolp were callers at Hazel Saturday evening.

John Hanson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Julius Nelson was a caller in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. N. Evenson, her daughter Dorothy and son Roy, visited at the Larson home Tuesday evening.

Theodore Bergdahl was a business caller in Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Nels Hanson made a business trip to Plummer Monday.

Dorothy, Sarah and Myrtle Evenson were visitors at the K. Thorvilson home Monday afternoon.

Louis Evenson sawed wood and ground feed for I. R. Iverson Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Borg and daughter, Ella, visited at the K. Thorvilson home Sunday afternoon.

Robert Hamrie, Harry Hanson, and Stanley Efteland of Thief River Falls, and also Teddy Bergdahl, Anker Hanson, Theresa Hoffman and Arthur Kolp spent Sunday afternoon at the Ed. Evenson home.

Arthur Kolp helped Louis Evenson haul hay Saturday.

Miss Louise Shefveland spent Sunday afternoon at the Sam Hanson home.

I. R. Larson transacted business at Hazel Monday.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Oscar Guttrue and Martin Johnson were out wolf hunting last Saturday. They saw three of the swift footed ones but failed to get any of them.

Ernest Slack was a caller at the Ole Ose home Saturday.

Soren Bergland of Thief River Falls is visiting with friends and relatives here.

Amond Soredahl is busy these days repairing Ole Ose's Ford.

Peter Klungness was canvassing the neighborhood last week to get subscribers for The Times.

John Dahl called on Lars and Iven Ose Sunday.

Nick and George Baker intend to move from the Chas. Swartz place this week to a farm eight miles east of Thief River Falls, which they have rented.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skomedal, Rag- [illegible] Bergland, [illegible] Skomedal and Soren Bergland spent Sunday at the Oscar Jopprud home.

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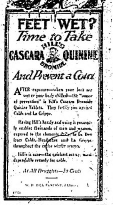
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NAME VIEWERS FOR RED LAKE DRAIN PROJECT

Work of Assessing Benefits and Damages to Begin Soon as Weather Will Permit.

O. L. Ihle of Thief River Falls Appointed One of Viewers By Commissioners.

Most Important Stretch to Be Covered Extends From Highlanding to This City.

At a meeting of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission held at Crookston on Tuesday, viewers for the Red Lake project were appointed as follows: O. L. Ihle, Thief River Falls; Andrew Christianson, Mentor; F. S. Erdman, St. Hilaire. They will begin work as soon as it is possible to get onto the land.

The board of viewers will make a thorough inspection of all lands affected by the proposed improvement of the lake and river and assess damages or benefits to each piece of property. Their principal field of operations will be from Highlanding to Thief River Falls as that is the section through which the river will have to be deepened and straightened, but their work will also cover the reservation and lands on all sides of the Red lakes.

A large part of the work of the viewers will be confined to the territory lying north of the Red Lake river and extending to State Road No. 2, and extending to the east line of Highlanding township. Lands lying north of the state road will be but slightly affected, if at all, as the water in that section finds its way through Ditches 18 and 20 to the Thief river. Little of the territory to the south of the river is involved in this particular project, the Clearwater division of the undertaking extending to within a short distance of the Red Lake river for a large part of the distance.

Plan Fully Discussed.

The Red Lake project was fully explained by State Engineer E. V. Willard and C. G. Selvig, chairman of the board. It calls for a maximum lake level of from 1173 to 1174 feet and a minimum of 1171.5 feet. These figures have been approved by the several departments interested in Washington as properly caring for all interests—Indian, farming, navigation, water power and sanitation.

Report on Clearwater.

The report of the viewers on the Clearwater project was accepted and referred to President Selvig and Attorney Charles Boughton for submission to the Indian bureau with reference to the assessments against reservation lands.

The date for a final hearing on the Grand Marais project was set for April 11 at Crookston.

Detailed plans for the dam at the outlet of Red Lake and the deepening of the channel of the Red Lake river will be rushed, according to members of the commission, who are of the opinion that actual work may be commenced on the project during the present season.

Agreement Reached.

An agreement was reached on Sat-

Buying Holstein Cattle For Dairymen of County

Hans Anton, president of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association is this week attending the meeting of representatives of the state creameries at St. Paul. After the close of the sessions, Mr. Anton, accompanied by Math Barzen, will go to Northfield, where they intend to purchase 21 head of Holstein cattle for Pennington county dairymen. This is the first lot to be secured under the loan provisions recently announced by the First and Peoples State bank, the officers of which have a number of other applications for loans for the same purpose under consideration.

Contest On in North.

Electors in the town of North yesterday held a caucus and decided to add two more names to the list of candidates for delegates to the Republican county convention on the 14th. The two whose names will have to be written in by the voters are T. H. Bjerko and Roy Elofson. The regularly filed candidates are Jorgen Eide and Christian Stene.

WHO WILL WIN $25 CASH PRIZE TO BE GIVEN ON MAR. 15?

Second Period Cash Prize of $50 Won By Miss Agnes Oftedahl.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Date, March 15

Agnes Oftedahl, City	115,875
Paul Engelstad, City	107,275
Helmer Ostrom, City	81,675
Julius Liden, Steiner	56,750
Hannah Peterson, City	54,675
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Smsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanen, Goodridge	1,000

The special cash prize of fifty dollars which was offered to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions during the second period of the campaign, which closed March 8, was won by Miss Agnes Oftedahl.

The interest taken by the contestants during the last two weeks has been at a high pitch. All realize that it is a case of "now or never" and they are gathering in subscriptions from every nook and corner of this section.

Now another special cash prize of twenty-five dollars is offered to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions between March 8 and March 15. The same vote schedule which was in effect during the second period will be continued up to and including March 15. This is the week for every one to hustle harder than they have during any part of the campaign. It is the week that will bring about decisive results and every hour of the time should be made use of.

$25.00 IN GOLD

A special cash prize of $25.00 will be given to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions between March 8 and March 15.

Remmem Jury Disagrees; Court Adjourns to 28th

The jury in the case of the state against A. B. Remmem, charged with selling intoxicating liquors unlawfully, reported a disagreement after being out all night and the greater part of a day, and was discharged. The case will be tried again at the June term of court.

Abel Boat, one of the two colored men in the county and a resident of the extreme eastern end, was found not guilty of assault in the third degree by a jury on Friday. The offense was alleged to have been committed on the Fourth of July last. Moonshine, resulting in a neighborhood row, was the trouble.

Carl Swenson, accused of selling intoxicating liquors unlawfully, pleaded not guilty and his case was continued to the June term.

The case of Finch, VanSlych & McConville against Singer Bros. was decided in favor of the plaintiffs, the jury awarding judgment for $193.54.

The divorce case of Ole Omundson against Karen Omundson was heard on Friday and taken under advisement by the court.

Judge Grindeland is this week holding court at Mahnomen but will return to finish up the civil cases in this county on the 28th.

Beet Growers Meet Today.

H. H. Dana, agricultural expert in the employ of the Minnesota Sugar company, is in the city today and will meet with the beet growers of Pennington county at the Commercial club rooms this afternoon. An attempt will also be made to have Mr. Dana address the business men of the city at the club luncheon this noon.

LOSE FINAL GAME OF SEASON BY ONE LONE FREE THROW

Den E. Lanes of St. Paul Come Up From Behind and Win Unexpected Victory.

The Thief River Falls Athletics split even on a two-game series with the Den E. Lane team of St. Paul on Thursday and Friday evenings, winning the first by a score of 39 to 21 and losing the second, 31 to 30.

The Athletics should have won both games in spite of the fact that the visitors have a reputation second to none in the state. During the first game the latter never had a chance of winning, the locals getting a good margin early and adding to it as the game progressed. No outside talent was employed in this game, every member of the team being a home man, and for this reason considerable satisfaction was expressed over the outcome. Every man played in his very best form and it would be next to impossible to single out any particular star.

The locals had the second game salted away until within a few minutes of the end. The visitors rallied and came up from behind with a spurt of speed the Athletics seemed unable to stem because the class of attack was new to them. The tactics employed by the visitors were at times decidedly questionable, but were allowed to go without penalty in the interest of harmony.

Manager Connell announces that the basketball season so far as the Athletics are concerned is probably at an end. No other games are in sight at the present time and unless there is a contest of special interest offered it is not likely taht any further agreements will be entered into. The last few games have not been a success financially, the public interest having in a certain measure died out. The boys have put up a good brand of basketball and there is no fault found with the showing made, but the season is at an end and other interests will soon engage the attention of the fans.

Fancy Price Received For Yearling Holstein Bull

J. H. Hardesty & Son, Holstein breeders, living a short distance from Thief River Falls, on Friday shipped a purebred yearling bull, to a party at Kreamer, N. D., the price paid for the animal being $200. While this is an exceptional price, there have been many shipments made of purebred animals by local men, both of the Holstein and Guernsey breeds, for which very good figures are reported.

Eight Debating Teams at High School Friday Night

An elimination contest in which the debating teams of eight high schools of Northwestern Minnesota will take part will be held at the Lincoln high school auditorium on Friday evening. The teams will be composed of one boy and one girl from each of the following schools: Erskine, McIntosh, Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire, Roseau, Lancaster, Warroad and Thief River Falls. Winners in this debate will be the district defenders in a state contest to be held later in the season. Ella Krohn and Hershel Hanson will represent the Thief River school on Friday evening.

For the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses an admission fee of 25 and 15 cents will be made. The public is cordially invited and assured that the evening will be one of both interest and enjoyment.

MUD LAKE LAND IS PROPERTY OF SHORE OWNERS

Judge Morris Decides Present Occupants Are Trespassers and Must Vacate.

Five Thousand Acres Valued at $50,000 to $75,00 and Settlers' Rights Involved.

Court Holds Title of Riparian Owners Following Receding Waters to Lake Center.

The lands in the Mud lake basin are the property of the holders of riparian rights along the original shore line of the lake, according to a decision handed down by Judge Page Morris at Minneapolis last Thursday. Should the decision be upheld on appeal it will mean that about 30 homesteaders who filed on lands made available by drainage will have to move off. Some of these have resided on the property four or five years and have considerable in the way of improvements, all of which will be a total loss.

Five thousand acres of land, valued at $50,000 to $75,000, are involved in the decision, which will at once be appealed, according to Theo. Quale of Thief River Falls, attorney for the present residents on the land. These holdings comprise what was formerly the bottom of Mud lake in Marshall county, and the final outcome is of great importance to all parties concerned as it means the loss of many years' work for the present occupants, most of whom are well known here, should it be sustained. The suit was brought by the United States government against the State Bank of Holt and others to determine title to the land. The government sets up the claim that as the land was originally Indian property and had been thrown open to settlement in the regular way, the present residents on the tracts, having filed in good faith and complied with the homestead laws, cannot now be ousted by the riparian claimants.

The court held that title to the land in the first place was held by the state in trust for the public and it was a navigable body of water. When the waters receded the riparian rights followed the shore line.

"The department of the interior will be notified of the decision and an appeal will probably be taken in the United States circuit court of appeals," William Anderson, assistant United States district attorney, said. "The department regards the case as important, as following drainage, the land was thrown open to entry and some 30 settlers took up claims."

High School Board Exams. For County March 30-31

The March high school board examinations will be given at the various examination points throughout the county on March 30 and 31, according to a notice sent out from the office of County Superintendent Geo. M. Gunderson. The subjects of grammar and composition, spelling and elementary American history will be given on March 30; arithmetic, geography and elementary American citizenship on the 31st. The examination will begin at 8 o'clock on both days.

This year 31 examination points have been granted, although the rule is one point for each township. Natural barriers, such as rivers, the poor roads at this season of the year and other drawbacks decided the department in granting 10 additional points at which examinations will be held.

Full particulars may be had by addressing Mr. Gunderson.

NO POLITICAL TALKS PERMITTED AT FARM BUREAU GATHERINGS

Resolutions Adopted at Recent State Meeting Would Bar Candidates and Others From Making Stump Orations to Members.

Officers and directors of county farm bureaus and township farm bureau units all over Minnesota are receiving a resolution adopted unanimously at the last meeting of the executive board of their state federation. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has been organized and maintained as a non-political organization,

"Resolved, That the executive committee of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation recommends to all township unit directors and other farm bureau officers that they do not allow any candidate for political office, or any political speaker, to make any political address at any duly called farm bureau meeting, and

"Resolved, That the committee recommends that no county farm bureau association or township unit go on record as endorsing any candidate for political office."

Allison Stitt left Friday evening for Minneapolis to spend the week-end with friends.

20 Tons of Grass Seed Shipped From Goodridge

About twenty tons of grass seed has been shipped over the Minnesota Northwestern railroad from the Goodridge station this year and the seed season has only opened. It is conservatively figured that twice this amount will be sent to other sections by farmers in the eastern part of the county before the end of grass-seeding time this spring. To this must be added a considerable supply available for sale in other districts, the entire amount probably reaching 140,000 pounds. The varieties are sweet and red clover and timothy. The clover seed is quoted at 6 cents per pound as the bottom price and taking even this as an average it means an income from this source of not far from $9,000.

Seed companies are anxious to secure this northern grown seed as the product coming from the regions farther to the south do not as a general rule prove satisfactory in this latitude. This department of farming has been given very little attention heretofore but will undoubtedly receive a big boost by reason of the success of the men who have tried it.

Boy Scouts Winners.

At a meeting of the Boy Scouts on Monday night the Horseshoe five took on the Scout team in a basketball game. The final outcome of the game was 42 to 8 in favor of the Scouts.

Jury Trial Denied.

Attorneys interested in the Peterson will case have been notified that the matter will come up for hearing before Judge Grindeland in this city on March 29. A motion for a jury trial has been denied.

ALL SURPLUS HAY IN COUNTY NEEDED BY NORTH DAKOTA

Twenty Carloads Being Shipped From Goodridge and More Wanted if Available.

The commissioners in a number of North Dakota counties have ordered 20 carloads of timothy and prairie hay through the Red Lake and Pennington county farm bureaus. B. O. Norby of Goodridge is in charge of the loading in the eastern part of Pennington county and has already shipped seven cars to the western section of North Dakota.

The orders received at the farm bureau office called for 50 carloads at prices ranging from $8 to $13 per ton. The dry weather of last season caused an acute hay shortage in Dakota and as a result many cattle are starving for wnt of roughage. All the surplus supply of hay in Pennington county will be used this year in supplying the Dakota demand, and many more carloads could doubtless be shipped if available.

Our Cemetery Approved.

City Clerk A. H. Akre, who is also clerk of the cemetery association, has received a request from Rugby, N. D., for a copy of the constitution and by-laws of the organization as well as the plan used in its management. The writer states that he understands Thief River Falls has one of the best arranged and best managed cemeteries in northern Minnesota and he wishes to copy the system followed as closely as possible.

TAX REDUCED NEARLY ONE MILLION DOLLARS IN STATE AS A WHOLE

Pennington County's Contribution Toward the $116,000,000 Levied is Not Quite a Half Million Dollars.

Minnesota taxpayers will pay nearly $1,000,000 less taxes this year than they did in 1921. To be specific, taxes levied on the basis of the 1921 property valuation and collectable this year, total $115,818,877.03 as against $116,720,461.03 for the previous year. This is a difference of $901,584.00 in favor of the taxpayers of the state.

Pennington county's contribution to this tax collection, including the statutory three mill tax on credits or moneys, will be $486,009.77. The average rate of taxation for the county, exclusive of special assessments, is .6719 mills. This covers all sources of taxation.

The taxable valuation on which this reduced state levy is made is $2,452,539,549, and here also a decrease is noted. This decrease approximates $75,000,000 and is explained in larger part by the omission of motor vehicles from the personal property valuation. Heretofore such were valued and taxed the same as other personal property, but now they are a part of the good roads revenue of the state and are so listed.

Figures compiled by R. P. Chase, state auditor, covering tax levies for the past two years, their distribution and the valuation on which they are based, have juts been made public and their study is of vital interest to the taxpayers of the state. They are most enlightening since they demonstrate beyond contradiction the source of the tax burdens and where relief may be obtained if desired.

Leland Sether, who has been employed in Minneapolis this winter, arrived Friday morning for an indefinite visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

New Department Manager At Oen Company's Store

Roy Trytz, until recently in charge of the women's wear and dry goods departments of the Peoples Trading company at Warren, arrived this week for the purpose of taking over the management of the same divisions of the Oen Mercantile company's store in this city. Mr. Trytz has had 15 years experience in this particular line and is one of the best posted men in this section on matters pertaining to this branch of merchandising.

The Oen company will feature the ready-to-wear department of its business in the future, carrying at all times the latest and best goods produced by the best-known manufacturers in the business. Mr. Trytz will have complete charge of the buying and as his previous experience has given him a wide acquaintance among both the buyers in this section and the producers of this class of goods, his acquisition should prove of unusual value to the big store. He left Thursday evening for the big markets to purchase a complete stock of ready-to-wear.

SERIES OF LENTEN OBSERVATIONS BY OUTSIDE PASTORS

Meetings to Be Held at Trinity Church Under Auspices of St. John's Congregation.

Members of St. John's Lutheran church have decided upon a novel undertaking to bring the truths underlying the celebration of Lent, to the community at large. Their plan calls for a series of five mid-week Lenten sermons on Christian fundamentals. These have been termed "The Way of Salvation" because, so they say, every man must know and believe them in order to be saved in the Christian sense; that is, in order to reach heaven. The series as announced is: 1—The Bible, God's Message; 2—Whence is Man? 3—What Must I Do to Be Saved? 4—Death—Then? 5—And They Crucified Him.

For each week of the remaining Lenten season a service is scheduled, beginning with Tuesday, March 14. English will be used exclusively. The Trinity Lutheran church has been engaged and the time has been set at 8 p. m. Congregational singing will feature the services.

Neighboring pastors have been chosen to assist Rev. E. H. Kreidt in delivering the sermons, namely, Rev. Martin Hauser of Warren; Rev. G. B. Propp of Ogema; Rev. O. H. Brauer of Mahnomen and Rev. O. C. Fedcke of Plummer. A different pastor has been assigned to each of the services, assuring all, says Rev. Kreidt, "interesting speakers upon a needful subject at a convenient meeting place and hour."

Rev. Hauser of Warren is to open the series. His topic will be "The Bible, God's Message," in which he intends to prove that no other literature is God's Word but the Bible, and that it is sufficient to accomplish the purpose for which God gave it.

At all serivces the public is invited. No admission fee is to be charged. All seats will be free.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF DISTRICT GOES TO CROOKSTON TEAM

Wins Over McIntosh Team in High School Contest; McIntosh Beats Thief River.

Crookston won the district high school basketball championship in the elimination contest played in that city on Thursday and Friday of last week by defeating McIntosh in the finals by a score of 20 to 9.

The Thief River Falls team was eliminated early in the series, being defeated by McIntosh by a score of 29 to 19. The Crookston Times gives the following report of this game:

"V. Jensen's stellar work at center and his ability to shoot from any position on the floor was responsible for McIntosh's 29 to 19 victory over Thief River Falls.

"The game opened fast, both teams showing their wares in an efficient manner. The first quarter ended McIntosh 8, Thief River Falls 6. The McIntosh players crept ahead a few more points in the second half when Jensen made two baskets from the center of the floor. The half ended McIntosh 13, Thief River Falls 8.

"The two teams played neck and neck in the third quarter, Thief River making two more points than their opponents. McIntosh with a burst of speed in the final quarter nosed ahead.

"Jensen was by far the star of the game while Dale, forward for McIntosh, also showed up well. Sorenson and Arnold were the star players for Thief River. Jensen was picked last year as all-district center and undoubtedly will win that honor again this season."

Other games of the tournament resulted as follows: Crookston 40, Argyle 10; McIntosh 25, Ada 21; Argyle 22, Warroad 21; Crookston 24, Fosston 9; Ada 16, Stephen 11.

Sorenson, Thief River Falls guard, was picked for this position on the all-conference team, the other members being as follows: Forwards, Daniels, Crookston, and Remark, Ada; center and captain, Jensen, McIntosh; guard, Lindell, Crookston.

M'CANN WILL BE C. C. SECRETARY AFTER APRIL 1

County Agent Chosen For Post By Executive Committee of Local Commercial Club.

Will Continue in Present Position, Simply Adding Duties of Post to Farm Work.

Plan Helps in Solving Problem of Financing Farm Bureau During Coming Year.

County Agent J. J. McCann will on April 1 become secretary of the Thief River Falls Commercial club, attending to this duty in connection with the position he now holds. The board of directors of the club, anxious to do everything in their power to insure the retention of Mr. McCann and the farm bureau, hit upon this means of assisting in the payment of his salary; the sum of $600 per year being turned over to the bureau every year as the club's share of his expenses. Mr. McCann will drop no part of the farm bureau work in order to look after his new post, the idea being that the two organizations will both be better served by the new arrangement.

Nothing in the way of consolidation will be attempted at this time as the work of the county agent is of a highly specialized nature and often requires a class of service that cannot in any way be regarded as being a part of the Commercial club's program. The clerical work of both can, however, be handily assumed by one person with benefit to all concerned. Each will be in direct charge of its own board of directors and will remain as at present constituted, both as to financing and management.

During the past two years the county's share in the cost of maintaining the farm bureau has been met by popular subscription, the balance being made up by the state and national appropriations and the membership fees. This latter source can hardly be depended on to carry its end under present circumstances as a large part of the farming population is hard pressed for money. The plan is to keep the bureau going until fall when a more favorable situation as regards the ready cash can be looked for, enabling the farmer to pay his membership dues in the organization.

No Community Club.

The suggestion that the Commercial club be changed in name and nature to a community club whose activities shall embrace the entire county is not considered feasible. Persons residing outside of Thief River Falls often find it difficult to attend meetings or otherwise take any great interest in the activities of the club, and including them in the membership would serve no good purpose. They will be made welcome should they desire to join but urging them to do so is not deemed advisable. The fact of the club secretary being also the county agent will bring the farming feature very close to the organization in any event and President H. W. Froehlich is particularly desirous that the farmer shall regard the club as ready at all times to extend any assistance within its power to the farming population of the county and neighborhood.

It is thought the new arrangement will meet with the approval of all concerned and prove generally more satisfactory than the plan heretofore followed.

Bill Authorizes $15,000 For Red Lake River Work

New river and harbor improvements calling for an estimated expenditure of approximately $81,000,000 would be authorized under a bill ordered reported Saturday by the house rivers and harbors committee.

Among the improvements which would be authorized by the bill and the amount the army engineers have reported would be required is included Red Lake and Red Lake river, Minnesota, $15,000.

This is the sum set by engineers as representing the value to navigation of the conservancy and drainage program on the river and was included in the bill estimating the benefits.

G. O. P. Voters Will Elect County Delegates Tuesday

The election of precinct delegates to the Republican county convention to be held at the court house in this city on March 18, will take place on Tuesday, March 14. Although there were a number of precincts in which no names were filed for the delegate places it is expected that all will be represented, provision being made for writing names in on the ballots. Special election ballots for every precinct in the county have been printed, this being one of the requirements under the new law.

As the township elections also take place on Tuesday it is certain a much larger vote for delegates to the convention will be cast than would otherwise be the case.

RETAKE OF PRECEDING PAGE

ASK JOHN HE KNOWS.

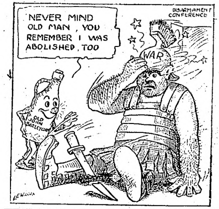
DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE
NEVER MIND OLD MAN, YOU REMEMBER I WAS ABOLISHED, TOO
WAR
OLD JOHN BARLEYCORN

CALL ISSUED FOR FIRST CONVENTION

Will Be Held at Thief River Falls on Saturday Afternoon, March 18.

The Republican county committee has apportioned the delegates for each voting precinct in the county for the county convention to be held in Thief River Falls on March 18. Chairman Wilhelm Michelet writes from St. Paul that he expects to be present on that date for the purpose of calling the convention to order.

There are 45 delegates all told, 18 of which are from Thief River Falls. St. Hilaire and Goodridge have two each, giving the incorporated places in the county a total of 22 and the country districts 23. The number of delegates apportioned to the different precincts is as follows:

Bray twp.	1
Black River twp.	1
Cloverleaf twp.	1
Deer Park twp.	1
Goodridge twp.	1
Highlanding twp.	1
Hickory twp.	1
Kratka twp.	1
Mayfield twp.	1
North twp.	2
Norden twp.	1
Numedal twp.	1
Polk Center twp.	1
Rocksbury twp.	2
River Falls twp.	3
Reiner twp.	1
Smiley twp.	1
Sanders twp.	1
Silverton twp.	1
Star twp.	1
Wyandotte twp.	1
Village of St. Hilaire	2
Village of Goodridge	2
City of Thief River Falls:	
First ward	6
Second ward	5
Third ward	3
Fourth ward	4

Minnesota Historical Notes

Long Lost Civil War Diary Turns Up.

A battered old diary, filled with entries of the Civil War period, some of its pages almost illegible because of age, was recently presented to the Minnesota Historical Society. It was supposed to be the diary of Robert Lester Morris, who served as assistant surgeon of the Eleventh Minnesota.

Upon examination it was found that the handwriting in the first part of the diary was different from that of the remainder. Closer inspection revealed the fact that this part was a daily record of events relating to the First Minnesota up to the date of the battle of Bull Run, the entries closing with a list of men wounded in that battle. Civil War records failed to show Dr. Morris as a member of the First Minnesota.

The fly leaf of the diary was found to contain the name of "J. N. Searles, Hastings, Minnesota." This further complicated the problem, for the latter part of the booklet had certainly been kept by Dr. Morris. An examination of the roster of the First Minnesota disclosed the name of Jasper N. Searles as a recruit from Dakota county, and friends in Hastings identified him as Judge J. N. Searles of Stillwater.

"I presume the memorandum was one that I kept during the summer of 1860 and the following winter when our regiment, the First Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, was in our first camp after the first Bull Run battle," Judge Searles writes. "In the spring of 1862 we were sent to the Shenandoah Valley and thence to the Peninsula with Gen. McClellan and when we broke camp (our 'Camp Stone') I packed a lot of stuff in a trunk and stored it in a warehouse in Washington, but when I called for it on our return home in the spring of 1864 I could get no trace of it nor of the people who operated the warehouse. Perhaps they sold it for charges."

Interest in History on Increase.

No review of progress in Minnesota during the last two years would be complete without an account of the increasing interest in history. The great increase of enrollment in classes in history at the university, the volume of historical books being used in the public libraries, and the rapid growth of the State historical society all indicate the same reaction.

"The World War was perhaps the greatest factor in causing this growth of interest," says Solon J. Buck, superintendent of the Minnesota Historical Society. "The sudden realization that we were not an isolated nation, that our destinies are involved in those of other countries, has changed our point of view. The interest in economic problems has also aroused a desire for information on the development of similar problems in the past. People are realizing that history is to the community what memory is to the individual. It is the starting point for all future progress."

The State historical society has increased its membership by fifty per cent in 1921, according to Mr. Buck, while the number of people taking advantage of the resources of the society has increased in proportion. "Books to the number of 17,000 were used during the year by readers in the library as compared with 10,000 used in 1920 and 6,000 used in 1919. The library now contains 147,000 books and pamphlets."

The manuscript division of the society also shows a remarkable growth. The papers of early governors and of many territorial pioneers have been added to the collections. The newspaper department, with the regular receipt of over 100 Minnesota publications, is steadily building up a collection of extreme value.

"Approximately 30,000 visitors inspected the exhibits in the museum during the last year," Mr. Buck reports, "while the already large collection of museum material has been increased by a number of important donations. A popular feature of the work of this division has been the 'history hour' classes for children. These classes are conducted by members of the staff to acquaint the children with the exhibits in the museum and to teach them the history of the state."

Tawney Papers to Be Preserved For History.

The papers of the late James A. Tawney of Winona, congressman from the first Minnesota district from 1893 to 1911 and member of the International Joint Commission from 1911 to his death in 1919, have recently been added to the collections of papers of prominent state leaders in the custody of the Minnesota Historical Society. Congressman Tawney will long be remembered as a national figure in politics, prominent in his party and the many important measures he advocated before Congress.

Copies of speeches and written articles form a large part of the collection, which was presented by the congressman's son, Everett T. Tawney of Winona. An article on the "Duty of a Great Independent Newspaper," written in 1908, could well have been a forerunner of the present international conference in Washington. "The chief duty of a great independent newspaper during the next decade is, or should be, to combat the alarming tendency in this country toward paternalism and militarism, . . . When we remember that almost sixty-five per cent of the government's revenue, exclusive of postal receipts, is today being spent to meet the cost of wars past and anticipated, the seriousness of the frantic rushing to the front as a great military power is alarming."

In a less serious mood Mr. Tawney gave his recollection of the battle of Gettysburg. On the third day of the battle his home, which was being used as a hospital, was shelled by the enemy. "It was saved by the act of a Union soldier, who unfurled his sister's red flannel petticoat, with my fishing rod as a staff, from the highest chimney on the house."

Among the official papers is the original document, signed by President Taft in 1911, appointing Congressman Tawney a member of the International Joint Commission, a body created for the settlement of disputes relating to boundary waters between the United States and Canada. Letters from prominent political leaders, clippings, and several diaries also form an important part of the papers.

Congressman Tawney was born near Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, on Jan. 3, 1855. He came to Minnesota in 1877 and settled in Winona. In 1882 he was admitted to the bar after six years of hard study and constant application. His political career began in 1890, when he was elected to the state senate from a district that was strongly Democratic at that time. In 1893 he entered Congress as a representative, and he served for nine successive terms.

Lost Counties of Minnesota.

To create a new county in the territory of Minnesota in the early days appears to have been as simple a process as the present method of creating money in soviet Russia. The territorial legislature, in establishing counties and definite boundaries, often disregarded previous acts, apparently trusting to divine Providence to settle all resulting difficulties.

Judge C. L. Brown, chief justice of the state supreme court, in a paper read at the last annual meeting of the Minnesota Historical Society, tells of the confusion resulting from this practice. "Lines overlapped and crossed, and it was in many instances difficult for one to know in what county he really lived, or whether he had been shifted from one to another following the creation of some new county.

"Pierce County, created in 1853, named for President Franklin Pierce, adjoined Nicollet county, Davis County, undoubtedly named for Jefferson Davis, . . created in 1855, lay north and west of Renville and Carver Counties," Judge Brown stated. Both were lost in the creation of new counties including the same territory. "Newton county, created in 1855, originally named Doty County, included the greater part of the present territory of St. Louis County, but dropped out of sight when that county was later created. Buchanan County, established in 1857, named for President Buchanan, bordered on the St. Croix River in the northeast part of the territory, with Fortuna as a county seat . . . . This territory is now mainly within Pine County. Munroe County, created in 1858, named for President Munroe lay south of Mille Lacs Lake, and had Princeton as its county seat. Princeton for many years was the county seat of Mille Lacs County, which includes much if not all of the old Munroe County territory.

"Big Sioux and Midway counties were created in the territorial days, and out of territory now a part of South Dakota adjoining on the west the present Rock and Pipestone counties. They were both put out of commission by the act of Congress defining the state boundries.

"As originally created Ramsey County was quite large and extended north to the Mille Lacs region, embracing practicaly all the present territory of Anoka, Mille Lacs, Isanti, and Kanabec counties. In the creation of other counties in that part of the state a small tract of land, probably two or three townships, belonging to and forming a part of Ramsey County, was cut off and left high and dry in the Mille Lacs county 60 or 70 miles from home base. . . This was later corrected by adding the land to some adjoining territory."

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Eva Carlson at Rest.

Mrs. Eva Carlson, one of the early Swedish pioneers of this place, passed to her eternal reward at 8 p. m. on Tuesday, Feb. 14, after being ill for only two days with pneumonia and pleurisy. Mrs. Carlson, whose maiden name was Eva Kristina Erickson, was born at Lafas, Nya Kopparberg, Sweden, Jan. 23, 1851, and here passed the early years of her life. On May 24, 1877, she was united in marriage to John F. Carlson, whose death occurred about four years ago. In 1880 the Carlsons emigrated to America, making their home for the first three years at Ishpeming, Mich., and in July, 1883, came to town of Norden, where they filed on a homestead. On this farm the family resided until two years ago when, following the death of her husband, Mrs. Carlson rented the farm and moved to Rosewood. Left to mourn are nine children, Mrs. Chas. Davis of Saginaw, Minn., Mrs. Hans Norwick of Seattle, Wash., Helmer Carlson of Devils Lake, N. D., Mrs. Peter Stromberg, Mrs. Helmer Ostrom and Henry Carlson of Thief River Falls, and Mrs. John Sagmoen, Howard and Herbert Carlson of this place. Deceased also leaves four brothers, Frederick and August Erickson of Oregon, Chas. Erickson of Two Harbors, and Lars Erickson of Thief River Falls. Mrs. Carlson was a kind-hearted and noble woman, and enjoyed the respect of all who knew her. All the children were present at the funeral.

Helleruds Entertain.

Cashier and Mrs. O. S. Helelrud of the local bank pleasantly entertained 17 guests at their home at Norwegian whist last Saturday evening. Benhard Ranum and Mrs. F. G. Dols won high score, and Freddie Stafford was awarded the booby prize. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess in the course of the evening. The following were the guests: Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dols, Delma and Chester Dols, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hall and daughter, Elizabeth, Fred Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Benard Ranum, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson, J. E. Shoberg, Olof Opseth, Benny Ranum, Harry and Stanley Ranum.

Busy Bee School Notes.

Valentine day was observed in our school on Tuesday, Feb. 14, with a valentine box, and the remainder of of the afternoon was devoted to the playing of indoor and outdoor games. Misses Carrie and Myrtle Nelson favored us with a visit the same day and evidently enjoyed the afternoon as much as we did. Christ Evenson, a member of the school board, visited our school on Tuesday afternoon. The Evenson children have been absent for some time owing to illness. A number of the primary pupils are absent this week, finding it impossible to brave the snow and cold weather. The teacher, Miss Ailee Thompson, will leave Friday to spend the week-end with her home folks at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Hans Norwick left Friday for an over Sunday visit with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Ena Thompson, who had visited here for a couple of weeks with her son, James, and family, returned Friday evening to her home at Gully.

Helmer Carlson returned to Devils Lake to resume his duties as station agent last Friday after having been here to attend the funeral of his mother.

L. L. Furan and sons, Willard and Burton, spent a couple of days the latter part of the week at Thief River Falls attending to business and visiting at the S. Benson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter, Erma, returned on Friday from Thief River Falls, where they had spent a couple of weeks visiting with the C. E. Hellquist and James Johnson families.

John Bloom returned Friday from Viking, where he had spent a few days at the Rev. W. Drotts home.

The funeral of Mrs. Eva Carlson was held from the Swedish Mission church last Monday afternoon, about one hundred people being present. The following acted as pallbearers: John Hellquist, John Bloom, I. M. Westby, S. Rafteseth, A. T. Thoreson and E. P. Johnson. Rev. Drotts delivered the funeral sermon and the remains were interred at the Wildwood cemetery east of town.

Mrs. Thilda Sjoisvold left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls to visit for a week with friends and relatives.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard of Thief River Falls came home on Monday for a brief visit with her home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ostrom, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stromberg came over from Thief River Falls on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Carlson.

Mrs. Dave Mosbeck returned to her home at Crookston on Monday after a few days visit with her father, P. Sorenson, and with other friends. She was accompanied as far as Thief River Falls by Miss Isabelle Sagmoen, who will spend the remainder of the week visiting her sister, Mrs. Severt Benson.

Mrs. James Johnson arrived Monday morning to spend the day with her father, J. E. Hellquist.

J. A. Whitmark is building a shed for his automobile at the Mrs. Ingrid Nordhagen place in town.

T. J. Taggart shipped out a carload of dry cord wood last Saturday.

Postmaster Herbert Carlson spent Tuesday at Thief River Falls visiting with friends.

Howard Carlson left Tuesday evening for Thief River Falls to spend the remainder of the week with his brother, Henry Carlson.

NUMEDAL

Thure Blomberg sawed wood at the Arthur Atwood home Thursday.

Forest Hedrick was a Thief River Falls business caller Friday.

Geo. Bugge, Conrad Ronning and Ed. Blomberg were among those who attended the basket social and dance at Viking Friday evening.

Thure Blomberg transacted business at Thief River Falls Friday.

Quite a few from this vicinity witnessed the wrestling match held at Viking Saturday evening.

E. Joringdal was a Thief River Falls business caller Saturday.

Thure and Mrs. A. Blomberg were Sunday guests at the J. Joringdal home.

Ben Sumner was a Viking caller Saturday.

Walter Brink was a visitor at the E. Joringdal home Sunday.

J. Osness was a Thief River Falls business visitor Saturday.

Tommy Joringdal was a Sunday guest at the A. Blomberg home.

Norval Johnson, Tommy Joringdal and Ed. Blomberg are assisting with hay baling at present.

George Bugge and Conrad Ronning helped Chas. Johnson load a car of hay at Viking on Tuesday.

J. Joringdal called at the A. Blomberg home Tuesday enroute to Viking.

Forest Hedrick was a Viking caller Monday.

Thure Blomberg spent Tuesday at Viking.

Soren Knutson did shopping at Viking on Tuesday.

ERIE

Misses Anna Knutson and Anna Rindahl were at Goodridge on Saturday, bringing out with them four cadet girls from the normal department of the Thief River Falls high school, who will do practice teaching in districts 56 and 65.

H. C. Iverson spent the fore part of the week with friends down in Hickory township.

Mrs. Myrtle Rouze was at Goodridge on Saturday to visit her children and mother.

Knute Berg, George Hovet and Amund Lovrak were business callers in Goodridge on Saturday.

Miss Ananda Skomedahl of the Thief River Falls normal department is here to do practice teaching for two weeks in district No. 5, Miss Ose's school.

G. A. Iverson brought out a brand new Melotte cream separator from Goodridge last Thursday, it having come direct from Belgium, where the Melotte separator is manufactured.

Mrs. J. Tofteland returned Thursday from a month's visit with relatives near Grafton, N. D., and Mcintosh, this state. She will spend the remainder of the winter here with her daughter, Mrs. N. Lauerson, before returning to her home near Grand Prairie, Canada.

Miss Tillie Ose gave her school children a sleighride party and visit to the Clover Nook school last Friday afternoon. Ice cream and cake were served to all pupils of both schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sunsdahl of Stephen are here visiting reltives and also attended the wedding of John Sunsdahl and Miss Jennie Bakken.

Floyd Baird, younger son of Geo. Baird, was on Thursday of last week married to Miss Egness of North Dakota. A reception will be given in the near future at the Erie hall.

Rev. Hoyum and Layman E. Halvorson conducted services in the Clover Nook school house on Sunday afternoon. Services will be held again on March 19 at 3 p. m.

The Ekwall family, Lillian and Clara Loyland, Miss Tillie Ose, Mrs. L. B. Johnson and Miss Skomedahl were visitors at Dahlen's on Sunday.

WYANDOTTE

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Erler, Feb. 19.

Mr. Kiem and son, Joe, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis.

Sarah and Myrtle Evenson visited at Thief River Falls Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Evenson is employed at the Erler home for a few days.

Mrs. Julin died Feb. 18 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuelson. Funeral services were conducted Friday at the Swedish church.

Mrs. M. Bergh and Ella were visitors at the Thorvilson home Sunday afternoon.

John Rasmusson, who has been visiting with friends here for a few days, left Monday for Moorhead to resume his work on the N. P. railroad.

Teddie Bergdal was called to court one day last week by Sheriff LaBree on account of some "moonshine" business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Peterson visited at Isaac Wilson's Sunday.

Fox Trott made a flying trip to Plummer Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Eurler, a baby girl.

Sarah and Myrtle Evenson visited friends in Thief River Falls last week.

Louis Evenson and Arthur Kolp were callers at Hazel Saturday evening.

John Hanson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Julius Nelson was a caller in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. N. Evenson, her daughter Dorothy and son Roy, visited at the Larson home Tuesday evening.

Theodore Bergdahl was a business caller in Thief River Falls last Tuesday.

Nels Hanson made a business trip to Plummer Monday.

Dorothy, Sarah and Myrtle Evenson were visitors at the K. Thorvilson home Monday afternoon.

Louis Evenson sawed wood and ground feed for I. R. Iverson Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Berg and daughter, Ella, visited at the K. Thorvilson home Sunday afternoon.

Robert Hamrie, Harry Hanson, and Stanley Efteland of Thief River Falls, and also Teddy Bergdahl, Anker Hanson, Theresa Hoffman and Arthur Kolp spent Sunday afternoon at the Ed. Evenson home.

Arthur Kolp helped Louis Evenson haul hay Saturday.

Miss Louise Shefveland spent Sunday afternoon at the Sam Hanson home.

I. R. Larson transacted business at Hazel Monday.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Oscar Guttrue and Martin Johnson were out wolf hunting last Saturday. They saw three of the swift footed ones but failed to get any of them.

Ernest Slack was a caller at the Ole Ose home Saturday.

Soren Bergland of Thief River Falls is visiting with friends and relatives here.

Amond Soredahl is busy these days repairing Ole Ose's Ford.

Peter Klungness was canvassing the neighborhood last week to get subscribers for The Times.

John Dahl called on Lars and Iven Ose Sunday.

Nick and George Baker intend to move from the Chas. Swartz place this week to a farm eight miles east of Thief River Falls, which they have rented.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skomedal, Ragnald Bergland, Gunvor Thorsdal and Soren Bergland spent Sunday at the Oscar Jopprud home.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health Is Worth Saving, and Some Thief River Falls People Know How to Save It.

Many Thief River Falls people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health—the slightest delay is dangerous. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers. Here is a Thief River Falls citizen's recommendation.

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(Not good on Sunday.)

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. M. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 450-J 40tf

FOR SALE—Some Early Rose potatoes for cooking, at 75c per bushel, and some Irish Cobblers for seed. Andrew Hovland, east of Soo Round House 1p

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73, P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR SALE—Five room house on East Side. Inquire Times office. 19tf

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in A No. 1 condition. Cheap if taken at once. Call at Christensen & Veelz Hardware. 4tf

POTATOES—White Carmen No. 3, 80c per bu.; Delivered in three bushel lots or more. Inquire Zeh & Curran store, or N. O. Lawson, Germantown Route. 5p

FOR SALE—4500 lbs. of Sweet Clover Seed at 6c per lb. Otto Parnow, Erie, Minn. 6

FOR SALE very cheap. Hupmobile touring car in first class shape. Inquire at G. N. depot. 3tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 1135. 15tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Steam heated flat. Vacant March 1. McDaniel & Beamer. 4

FOR RENT—Three good furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 417 Red Lake Blvd. Phone 291-R. 2ptf

FARM FOR RENT—Two and a half miles northeast of city. 160 acres. Full set of buildings. Adolph Bailey, city 5p

FOR RENT—Modern apartment in duplex. Consists of four rooms, kitchenette and bath. Is heated, has outside stairway, hardwood finish and floors. Garage accommodations go with it. $35 in summer, $40 for three months in winter. Phone 250-W-2. 3tf

WANTED—Renter for farm of 400 acres. Half under cultivation, balance timber and pasture. Rent on shares. 15 Holstein cows on farm. Renter will get half of cream and half of increase from live stock. For further information write Farmers State Bank, Winger, Minn. 3tf

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 210 Times. 53tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 8p

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 301 Times. 59tf

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand Fordson. Benard Bendickson, Goodridge, Minn. 7p

FEMALE HELP WANTED

COMPETENT GIRL wanted for general housework. Phone 596. 4

WANTED—Experienced cook at Sanatorium. Apply at office. 4

LOST

LOST—Eastman vest pocket camera. Finder will please return to Mrs. J. L. Stitt. 4

MISCELLANEOUS

GRAVEL—Parties desiring gravel call on G. A. Carlson or Phone 398-J 7-p

LEARN DRESSMAKING—The Crookston College gives you a course in dressmaking where you can learn plain and fancy sewing, cutting, fitting and form-making in three months. Write to J. C. Fallis, Crookston, Minn. 15

MEN WANTED to sell Groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 2p

EXPERT PIANO TUNING and all kinds of repairing at reasonable rates. Scientific method; no guess work. Leave orders at Times office or call 195. H. E. Snyder. 1tf

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NELLIE C. HARDESTY, [illegible] Phone 175-R. 2tf

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NAME VIEWERS FOR RED LAKE DRAIN PROJECT

Work of Assessing Benefits and Damages to Begin Soon as Weather Will Permit.

O. L. Ihle of Thief River Falls Appointed One of Viewers By Commissioners.

Most Important Stretch to Be Covered Extends From Highlanding to This City.

At a meeting of the Red Lake Drainage and Conservancy commission held at Crookston on Tuesday, viewers for the Red Lake project were appointed as follows: O. L. Ihle, Thief River Falls; Andrew Christianson, Mentor; F. S. Erdman, St. Hilaire. They will begin work as soon as it is possible to get onto the land. The board of viewers will make a thorough inspection of all lands affected by the proposed improvement of the lake and river and assess damages or benefits to each piece of property. Their principal field of operations will be from Highlanding to Thief River Falls as that is the section through which the river will have to be deepened and straightened, but their work will also cover the reservation and lands on all sides of the Red lakes.

A large part of the work of the viewers will be confined to the territory lying north of the Red Lake river and extending to State Road No. 2, and extending to the east line of Highlanding township. Lands lying north of the state road will be but slightly affected, if at all, as the water in that section finds its way through Ditches 18 and 20 to the Thief river. Little of the territory to the south of the river is involved in this particular project, the Clearwater division of the undertaking extending to within a short distance of the Red Lake river for a large part of the distance.

Plan Fully Discussed.

The Red Lake project was fully explained by State Engineer E. V. Willard and C. G. Selvig, chairman of the board. It calls for a maximum lake level of from 1173 to 1174 feet and a minimum of 1171.5 feet. These figures have been approved by the several departments interested in Washington as properly caring for all interests—Indian, farming, navigation, water power and sanitation.

Report on Clearwater.

The report of the viewers on the Clearwater project was accepted and referred to President Selvig and Attorney Charles Boughton for submission to the Indian bureau with reference to the assessments against reservation lands.

The date for a final hearing on the Grand Marais project was set for April 11 at Crookston.

Detailed plans for the dam at the outlet of Red Lake and the deepening of the channel of the Red Lake river will be rushed, according to members of the commission, who are of the opinion that actual work may be commenced on the project during the present season.

Agreement Reached.

An agreement was reached on Saturday by officials of the Indian bureau and Adolph Meyer, engineer of the Red Lake conservancy district, on the plans for the Red Lake river drainage project. They were submitted to Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall on Monday, and will go later to Secretary of War John W. Weeks, and with the approval of these two heads of departments the work may be commenced.

W. M. Reed, engineer of the Indian bureau, said that the main feature of the proposed plans was the dam to the outlet of Red lake for the preservation of the lake level.

"The fisheries' rights of the Indians had to be protected and the controlling works will be constructed with that end in view," said Mr. Reed. "We have provided that the dam shall be of heavy construction, so that it may be used as a roadway and for vehicular and foot traffic, and also for any railroad that may desire to use it in the future. The project as approved will take care of all interests along the river, including power development, drainage for agricultural purposes, water supply for the towns along the river, and sanitation."

Personal Property Tax Payments Show Decrease

Personal property tax collections for the year closing the first of March were about $5,000 below the corresponding period a year ago, according to County Treasurer John Gullingsrud. During the month of February a total of $56,322.58 was taken in over the counter and received through the mail at his office, the receipts for the last three days being $38,580.43. The smaller amount paid this year is explained by the fact that automobiles have been taken from the personal property list and subjected to special taxation. There are about 400 taxpayers—a little less than one-fifth of the entire number—who are listed as delinquent, having failed to get their payments in before the time specified by law for closing the books.

Buying Holstein Cattle For Dairymen of County

Hans Anton, president of the Thief River Co-operative Creamery association is this week attending the meeting of representatives of the state creameries at St. Paul. After the close of the sessions, Mr. Anton, accompanied by Math Barzen, will go to Northfield, where they intend to purchase 21 head of Holstein cattle for Pennington county dairymen. This is the first lot to be secured under the loan provisions recently announced by the First and Peoples State bank, the officers of which have a number of other applications for loans for the same purpose under consideration.

Contest On in North.

Electors in the town of North yesterday held a caucus and decided to add two more names to the list of candidates for delegates to the Republican county convention on the 14th. The two whose names will have to be written in by the voters are T. H. Bjerke and Roy Elofson. The regularly filed candidates are Jorgen Eide and Christian Stene.

WHO WILL WIN $25 CASH PRIZE TO BE GIVEN ON MAR. 15?

Second Period Cash Prize of $50 Won By Miss Agnes Oftedahl.

SALESMANSHIP CAMPAIGN
Members' Standing
Next Report Date, March 15

Agnes Oftedahl, City	115,875
Paul Engelstad, City	107,275
Helmer Ostrom, City	81,675
Julius Liden, Steiner	56,750
Hannah Peterson, City	54,675
John Omdahl, Plummer	1,000
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	1,000
John J. Jorgenson, Plum'r	1,000
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
Louis Evenson, Plummer	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanen, Goodridge	1,000

The special cash prize of fifty dollars which was offered to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions during the second period of the campaign, which closed March 8, was won by Miss Agnes Oftedahl.

The interest taken by the contestants during the last two weeks has been at a high pitch. All realize that it is a case of "now or never" and they are gathering in subscriptions from every nook and corner of this section.

Now another special cash prize of twenty-five dollars is offered to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions between March 8 and March 15. The same vote schedule which was in effect during the second period will be continued up to and including March 15. This is the week for every one to hustle harder than they have during any part of the campaign. It is the week that will bring about decisive results and every hour of the time should be made use of.

$25.00 IN GOLD

A special cash prize of $25.00 will be given to the contestant turning in the most money on subscriptions between March 8 and March 15.

The same vote schedule that has been in effect during the second period will be continued up to and including March 15.

Winning the $25.00 will in no way interfere with winning the Buick, Ford, or the other grand prizes.

NONPARTISANS TO ELECT DELEGATES HERE TOMORROW

Expected That Candidate For State Senator Will Also Be Named at This Time.

Postponement of the Nonpartisan League state convention from March 17 to March 31 has been decided on by the Minnesota executive committee of the league. The Working People's Nonpartisan Political League has set its convention for March 31 and it is customary to have the two conventions meet the same day and take joint action.

The postponement is held to favor A. C. Townley's "balance of power" proposal as the Democratic state convention also is to meet March 31 in Minneapolis and the Republican convention in St. Paul the same day. With the conventions all in session at the same time the way is open for negotiation.

The Nonpartisan League precinct caucuses met last Saturday to select delegates to the county conventions. The county convention of the Pennington county Nonpartisan organization will be held on Friday afternoon, March 10, at the court house, for the purpose of naming delegates to the state convention the 31st. Following the usual custom it is also likely that the candidate for state senator will be named at that time. Candidates for the lower house will be chosen later by delegations representing the Nonpartisans of Red Lake and Clearwater counties.

Remmem Jury Disagrees; Court Adjourns to 28th

The jury in the case of the state against A. B. Remmem, charged with selling intoxicating liquors unlawfully, reported a disagreement after being out all night and the greater part of a day, and was discharged. The case will be tried again at the June term of court.

Abel Bost, one of the two colored men in the county and a resident of the extreme eastern end, was found not guilty of assault in the third degree by a jury on Friday. The offense was alleged to have been committed on the Fourth of July last. Moonshine, resulting in a neighborhood row, was the trouble.

Carl Swenson, accused of selling intoxicating liquors unlawfully, pleaded not guilty and his case was continued to the June term.

The case of Finch, VanSlych & McConville against Singer Bros. was decided in favor of the plaintiffs, the jury awarding judgment for $193.54.

The divorce case of Ole Omundson against Karen Omundson was heard on Friday and taken under advisement by the court.

Judge Grindeland is this week holding court at Mahnomen but will return to finish up the civil cases in this county on the 28th.

Beet Growers Meet Today.

H. H. Dana, agricultural expert in the employ of the Minnesota Sugar company, is in the city today and will meet with the beet growers of Pennington county at the Commercial club rooms this afternoon. An attempt will also be made to have Mr. Dana address the business men of the city at the club luncheon this noon.

LOSE FINAL GAME OF SEASON BY ONE LONE FREE THROW

Den E. Lanes of St. Paul Come Up From Behind and Win Unexpected Victory.

The Thief River Falls Athletics split even on a two-game series with the Den E. Lane team of St. Paul on Thursday and Friday evenings, winning the first by a score of 39 to 21 and losing the second, 31 to 30.

The Athletics should have won both games in spite of the fact that the visitors have a reputation second to none in the state. During the first game the latter never had a chance of winning, the locals getting a good margin early and adding to it as the game progressed. No outside talent was employed in this game, every member of the team being a home man, and for this reason considerable satisfaction was expressed over the outcome. Every man played in his very best form and it would be next to impossible to single out any particular star.

The locals had the second game salted away until within a few minutes of the end. The visitors rallied and came up from behind with a spurt of speed the Athletics seemed unable to stem because the class of attack was new to them. The tactics employed by the visitors were at times decidedly questionable, but were allowed to go without penalty in the interest of harmany.

Manager Connell announces that the basketball season so far as the Athletics are concerned is probably at an end. No other games are in sight at the present time and unless there is a contest of special interest offered it is not likely taht any further agreements will be entered into. The last few games have not been a success financially, the public interest having in a certain measure died out. The boys have put up a good brand of basketball and there is no fault found with the showing made, but the season is at an end and other interests will soon engage the attention of the fans.

Fancy Price Received For Yearling Holstein Bull

J. H. Hardesty & Son, Holstein breeders, living a short distance from Thief River Falls, on Friday shipped a purebred yearling bull to a party at Kreamer, N. D., the price paid for the animal being $200. While this is an exceptional price, there have been many shipments made of purebred animals by local men, both of the Holstein and Guernsey breeds, for which very good figures are reported.

Eight Debating Teams at High School Friday Night

An elimination contest in which the debating teams of eight high schools of Northwestern Minnesota will take part will be held at the Lincoln high school auditorium on Friday evening. The teams will be composed of one boy and one girl from each of the following schools: Erskine, McIntosh, Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire, Roseau, Lancaster, Warroad and Thief River Falls. Winners in this debate will be the district defenders in a state contest to be held later in the season. Ella Krohn and Hershel Hanson will represent the Thief River school on Friday evening.

For the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses an admission fee of 25 and 15 cents will be made. The public is cordially invited and assured that the evening will be one of both interest and enjoyment.

MUD LAKE LAND IS PROPERTY OF SHORE OWNERS

Judge Morris Decides Present Occupants Are Trespassers and Must Vacate.

Five Thousand Acres Valued at $50,000 to $75,00 and Settlers' Rights Involved.

Court Holds Title of Riparian Owners Following Receding Waters to Lake Center.

The lands in the Mud lake basin are the property of the holders of riparian rights along the original shore line of the lake, according to a decision handed down by Judge Page Morris at Minneapolis last Thursday. Should the decision be upheld on appeal it will mean that about 30 homesteaders who filed on lands made available by drainage will have to move off. Some of these have resided on the property four or five years and have considerable in the way of improvements, all of which will be a total loss.

Five thousand acres of land, valued at $50,000 to $75,000, are involved in the decision, which will at once be appealed, according to Theo. Quale of Thief River Falls, attorney for the present residents on the land. These holdings comprise what was formerly the bottom of Mud lake in Marshall county, and the final outcome is of great importance to all parties concerned as it means the loss of many years' work for the present occupants, most of whom are well known here, should it be sustained. The suit was brought by the United States government against the State Bank of Holt and others to determine title to the land. The government sets up the claim that as the land was originally Indian property and had been thrown open to settlement in the regular way, the present residents on the tracts, having filed in good faith and complied with the homestead laws, cannot now be ousted by the riparian claimants.

The court held that title to the land in the first place was held by the state in trust for the public and it was a navigable body of water. When the waters receded the riparian rights followed the shore line.

"The department of the interior will be notified of the decision and an appeal will probably be taken in the United States circuit court of appeals," William Anderson, assistant United States district attorney, said. "The department regards the case as important, as following drainage, the land was thrown open to entry and some 30 settlers took up claims."

High School Board Exams. For County March 30-31

The March high school board examinations will be given at the various examination points throughout the county on March 30 and 31, according to a notice sent out from the office of County Superintendent Geo. M. Gunderson. The subjects of grammar and composition, spelling and elementary American history will be given on March 30; arithmetic, geography and elementary American citizenship on the 31st. The examination will begin at 8 o'clock on both days.

This year 31 examination points have been granted, although the rule is one point for each township. Natural barriers, such as rivers, the poor roads at this season of the year and other drawbacks decided the department in granting 10 additional points at which examinations will be held.

Full particulars may be had by addressing Mr. Gunderson.

NO POLITICAL TALKS PERMITTED AT FARM BUREAU GATHERINGS

Resolutions Adopted at Recent State Meeting Would Bar Candidates and Others From Making Stump Orations to Members.

Officers and directors of county farm bureaus and township farm bureau units all over Minnesota are receiving a resolution adopted unanimously at the last meeting of the executive board of their state federation. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation has been organized and maintained as a non-political organization,

"Resolved, That the executice committee of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation recommends to all township unit directors and other farm bureau officers that they do not allow any candidate for political office, or any political speaker, to make any political address at any duly called farm bureau meeting, and

"Resolved, That the committee recommends that no county farm bureau association or township unit go on record as endorsing any candidate for political office."

Allison Stitt left Friday evening for Minneapolis to spend the week-end with friends.

20 Tons of Grass Seed Shipped From Goodridge

About twenty tons of grass seed has been shipped over the Minnesota Northwestern railroad from the Goodridge station this year and the seed season has only opened. It is conservatively figured that twice this amount will be sent to other sections by farmers in the eastern part of the county before the end of grass-seeding time this spring. To this must be added a considerable supply available for sale in other districts, the entire amount probably reaching 140,000 pounds. The varieties are sweet and red clover and timothy. The clover seed is quoted at 6 cents per pound as the bottom price and taking even this as an average it means an income from this source of not far from $9,000.

Seed companies are anxious to secure this northern grown seed as the product coming from the regions farther to the south do not as a general rule prove satisfactory in this latitude. This department of farming has been given very little attention heretofore but will undoubtedly receive a big boost by reason of the success of the men who have tried it.

Boy Scouts Winners.

At a meeting of the Boy Scouts on Monday night the Horseshoe five took on the Scout team in a basketball game. The final outcome of the game was 42 to 8 in favor of the Scouts.

Jury Trial Denied.

Attorneys interested in the Peterson will case have been notified that the matter will come up for hearing before Judge Grindeland in this city on March 29. A motion for a jury trial has been denied.

ALL SURPLUS HAY IN COUNTY NEEDED BY NORTH DAKOTA

Twenty Carloads Being Shipped From Goodridge and More Wanted if Available.

The commissioners in a number of North Dakota counties have ordered 20 carloads of timothy and prairie hay through the Red Lake and Pennington county farm bureaus. B. O. Norby of Goodridge is in charge of the loading in the eastern part of Pennington county and has already shipped seven cars to the western section of North Dakota.

The orders received at the farm bureau office called for 50 carloads at prices ranging from $8 to $13 per ton. The dry weather of last season caused an acute hay shortage in Dakota and as a result many cattle are starving for wnt of roughage. All the surplus supply of hay in Pennington county will be used this year in supplying the Dakota demand, and many more carloads could doubtless be shipped if available.

Our Cemetery Approved.

City Clerk A. H. Akre, who is also clerk of the cemetery association, has received a request from Rugby, N. D., for a copy of the constitution and by-laws of the organization as well as the plan used in its management. The writer states that he understands Thief River Falls has one of the best arranged and best managed cemeteries in northern Minnesota and he wishes to copy the system followed as closely as possible.

TAX REDUCED NEARLY ONE MILLION DOLLARS IN STATE AS A WHOLE

Pennington County's Contribution Toward the $116,000,000 Levied is Not Quite a Half Million Dollars.

Minnesota taxpayers will pay nearly $1,000,000 less taxes this year than they did in 1921. To be specific, taxes levied on the basis of the 1921 property valuation and collectable this year, total $115,818,877.03 as against $116,720,461.03 for the previous year. This is a difference of $901,584.00 in favor of the taxpayers of the state.

Pennington county's contribution to this tax collection, including the statutory three mill tax on credits or moneys, will be $486,009.77. The average rate of taxation for the county, exclusive of special assessments, is .6719 mills. This covers all sources of taxation.

The taxable valuation on which this reduced state levy is made is $2,452,539,549, and here also a decrease is noted. This decrease approximates $75,000,000 and is explained in larger part by the omission of motor vehicles from the personal property valuation. Heretofore such were valued and taxed the same as other personal property, but now they are a part of the good roads revenue of the state and are so listed.

Figures compiled by R. P. Chase, state auditor, covering tax levies for the past two years, their distribution and the valuation on which they are based, have juts been made public and their study is of vital interest to the taxpayers of the state. They are most enlightening since they demonstrate beyond contradiction the source of the tax burdens and where relief may be obtained if desired.

Leland Sether, who has been employed in Minneapolis this winter, arrived Friday morning for an indefinite visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sether.

New Department Manager At Oen Company's Store

Roy Trytz, until recently in charge of the women's wear and dry goods departments of the Peoples Trading company at Warren, arrived this week for the purpose of taking over the management of the same divisions of the Oen Mercantile company's store in this city. Mr. Trytz has had 15 years experience in this particular line and is one of the best posted men in this section on matters pertaining to this branch of merchandising.

The Oen company will feature the ready-to-wear department of its business in the future, carrying at all times the latest and best goods produced by the best-known manufacturers in the business. Mr. Trytz will have complete charge of the buying and as his previous experience has given him a wide acquaintance among both the buyers in this section and the producers of this class of goods, his acquisition should prove of unusual value to the big store. He left Thursday evening for the big markets to purchase a complete stock of ready-to-wear.

SERIES OF LENTEN OBSERVATIONS BY OUTSIDE PASTORS

Meetings to Be Held at Trinity Church Under Auspices of St. John's Congregation.

Members of St. John's Lutheran church have decided upon a novel undertaking to bring the truths underlying the celebration of Lent, to the community at large. Their plan calls for a series of five mid-week Lenten sermons on Christian fundamentals. These have been termed "The Way of Salvation" because, so they say, every man must know and believe them in order to be saved in the Christian sense; that is, in order to reach heaven. The series as announced is: 1—The Bible, God's Message; 2—Whence is Man? 3—What Must I Do to Be Saved? 4—Death—Then? 5—And They Crucified Him.

For each week of the remaining Lenten season a service is scheduled, beginning with Tuesday, March 14. English will be used exclusively. The Trinity Lutheran church has been engaged and the time has been set at 8 p. m. Congregational singing will feature the services.

Neighboring pastors have been chosen to assist Rev. E. H. Kreidt in delivering the sermons, namely, Rev. Martin Hauser of Warren; Rev. G. B. Propp of Ogema; Rev. O. H. Brauer of Mahnomen and Rev. O. C. Fedeke of Plummer. A different pastor has been assigned to each of the services, assuring all, says Rev. Kreidt, "interesting speakers upon a needful subject at a convenient meeting place and hour."

Rev. Hauser of Warren is to open the series. His topic will be "The Bible, God's Message," in which he intends to prove that no other literature is God's Word but the Bible, and that it is sufficient to accomplish the purpose for which God gave it.

At all serivces the public is invited. No admission fee is to be charged. All seats will be free.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF DISTRICT GOES TO CROOKSTON TEAM

Wins Over McIntosh Team in High School Contest; McIntosh Beats Thief River.

Crookston won the district high school basketball championship in the elimination contest played in that city on Thursday and Friday of last week by defeating McIntosh in the finals by a score of 20 to 9.

The Thief River Falls team was eliminated early in the series, being defeated by McIntosh by a score of 29 to 19. The Crookston Times gives the following report of this game:

"V. Jensen's stellar work at center and his ability to shoot from any position on the floor was responsible for McIntosh's 29 to 19 victory over Thief River Falls.

"The game opened fast, both teams showing their wares in an efficient manner. The first quarter ended McIntosh 8, Thief River Falls 6. The McIntosh players crept ahead a few more points in the second half when Jensen made two baskets from the center of the floor. The half ended McIntosh 13, Thief River Falls 8.

"The two teams played neck and neck in the third quarter, Thief River making two more points than their opponents. McIntosh with a burst of speed in the final quarter nosed ahead.

"Jensen was by far the star of the game while Dale, forward for McIntosh, also showed up well. Sorenson and Arnold were the star players for Thief River. Jensen was picked last year as all-district center and undoubtedly will win that honor again this season."

Other games of the tournament resulted as follows: Crookston 40, Argyle 10; McIntosh 25, Ada 21; Argyle 22, Warroad 21; Crookston 24, Fosston 9; Ada 16, Stephen 11.

Sorenson, Thief River Falls guard, was picked for this position on the all-conference team, the other members being as follows: Forwards, Daniels, Crookston, and Remark, Ada; center and captain, Jensen, McIntosh; guard, Lindell, Crookston.

M'CANN WILL BE C. C. SECRETARY AFTER APRIL 1

County Agent Chosen For Post By Executive Committee of Local Commercial Club.

Will Continue in Present Position, Simply Adding Duties of Post to Farm Work.

Plan Helps in Solving Problem of Financing Farm Bureau During Coming Year.

County Agent J. J. McCann will on April 1 become secretary of the Thief River Falls Commercial club, attending to this duty in connection with the position he now holds. The board of directors of the club, anxious to do everything in their power to insure the retention of Mr. McCann and the farm bureau, hit upon this means of assisting in the payment of his salary, the sum of $600 per year being turned over to the bureau every year as the club's share of his expenses. Mr. McCann will drop no part of the farm bureau work in order to look after his new post, the idea being that the two organizations will both be better served by the new arrangement.

Nothing in the way of consolidation will be attempted at this time as the work of the county agent is of a highly specialized nature and often requires a class of service that cannot in any way be regarded as being a part of the Commercial club's program. The clerical work of both can, however, be handily assumed by one person with benefit to all concerned. Each will be in direct charge of its own board of directors and will remain as at present constituted, both as to financing and management.

During the past two years the county's share in the cost of maintaining the farm bureau has been met by popular subscription, the balance being made up by the state and national appropriations and the membership fees. This latter source can hardly be depended on to carry its end under present circumstances as a large part of the farming population is hard pressed for money. The plan is to keep the bureau going until fall when a more favorable situation as regards the ready cash can be looked for, enabling the farmer to pay his membership dues in the organization.

No Community Club.

The suggestion that the Commercial club be changed in name and nature to a community club whose activities shall embrace the entire county is not considered feasible. Persons residing outside of Thief River Falls often find it difficult to attend meetings or otherwise take any great interest in the activities of the club, and including them in the membership would serve no good purpose. They will be made welcome should they desire to join but urging them to do so is not deemed advisable. The fact of the club secretary being also the county agent will bring the farming feature very close to the organization in any event and President H. W. Froehlich is particularly desirous that the farmer shall regard the club as ready at all times to extend any assistance within its power to the farming population of the county and neighborhood.

It is thought the new arrangement will meet with the approval of all concerned and prove generally more satisfactory than the plan heretofore followed.

Bill Authorizes $15,000 For Red Lake River Work

New river and harbor improvements calling for an estimated expenditure of approximately $31,000,000 would be authorized under a bill ordered reported Saturday by the house rivers and harbors committee.

Among the improvements which would be authorized by the bill and the amount the army engineers have reported would be required is included Red Lake and Red Lake river, Minnesota, $15,000.

This is the sum set by engineers as representing the value to navigation of the conservancy and drainage program on the river and was included in the bill estimating the benefits.

G. O. P. Voters Will Elect County Delegates Tuesday

The election of precinct delegates to the Republican county convention to be held at the court house in this city on March 18, will take place on Tuesday, March 14. Although there were a number of precincts in which no names were filed for the delegate places it is expected that all will be represented, provision being made for writing names in on the ballots. Special election ballots for every precinct in the county have been printed, this being one of the requirements under the new law.

As the township elections also take place on Tuesday it is certain a much larger vote for delegates to the convention will be cast than would otherwise be the case.

SELVIG ISSUES STATEMENT TO VALLEY VOTERS

Gives Reasons For Being Candidate For Endorsement at Congressional Convention.

Pays Respects to Present Congressman and Says Time is Here to Make a Change.

Represents No Clique, Combination or Group and Stands on His Past Record.

The Times has been requested by C. G. Selvig for space to present his views on the congressional contest in this district. He is accorded this consideration because it is due him for his valuable work in this section of the state and his capacity to do the work. The Times disclaims any interest in Mr. Selvig's candidacy except in the matter of presenting the news to its readers, who are fully able to make up their minds regarding the candidates:

Mr. Selvig's statement:

"There is a contest for the seat in congress from this district. There is a reason for this. The Ninth district of Minnesota is entitled to have a man in congress who will throw his entire self, body and soul, into the fight to secure for agriculture and for labor the *rewards they deserve.*

Constructive Policy Needed.

"Much has been said and written about the condition of many of the farmers who are renters and who would like to improve their conditions. Tenancy has increased at an alarming rate during the past decade. Many thousands more who own their farms are wondering how it is all going to end. I am not a pessimist and never will be. At the same time there is no use in sticking one's head into the sand, ostrich-like, and just merely hope it's all coming out all right in the end. The nation needs a constructive agricultural policy, which it never has had in the past and does not have now.

"High taxes, low prices for farm products, staggering debts and an unpromising future stare the farmers in the face. High railroad rates, high prices still prevailing for machinery and supplies, stagnant world markets, gloom and misery prevail in nearly every home, and yet the farmers and laborers are advised to be content. They are asked to be satisfied with grain grade hearings; pseudo regulation of grain exchanges which has not abated gambling in grain one iota; alleged packer control which lifted Minnesota's efficient state control and substituted instead weak and inadequate, federal supervision, preferred by the packers.

Farmers Seem Indifferent.

"Grudgingly a national co-operative law has been passed, but has anyone heard anything lately about an adequate financing system without which the co-operative law is but 'brass and sounding cymbals?' Has anyone heard anything about reducing railway rates by the only method that this can be done, of 'squeezing' out four or five billions of dollars of watered stock and of compelling economies in management? And so on for a score more of problems affecting the very life blood of our farmers and townspeople alike.

"I sometimes doubt whether the farmers are really interested in their own welfare. If they were, there would be a mass meeting held in every township on Tuesday, March 14, to protest present conditions and to force changes that will benefit the mass of people whose interests are adversely affected. Every thinking man and woman can realize the tragedy of present conditions. Nothing will be taken away from legitimate business in the readjustment that is necessary. Business and professional men will be benefited when farmers do well. The country suffers when the farmers are down and out.

Up to Farmer and Laborer.

"There is a contest for congress in this district. The people presumably will have a chance to select the man they want. The question arises: Is the selection going to be made entirely by individuals who have been recipients of congressional favors and offices in the past or who expect 'plums' in the future? Or will the people, including the farmers and laboring men, take part?

"I am not personally interested in whether I am elected to congress or not. I am interested, however, in seeing someone elected who will enter whole-heartedly and vigorously into the task of helping the farmers and laboring people. Not in a half-hearted, apologetic manner but with a passion to achieve for them their just deserts." The people of our district have a right to such service.

Aggressive Work Needed.

are real. There should be someone to take an aggressive part in this work from our district in congress now. A new age is here but evidently our people prefer to cling to beneficiary, full amount goes to his estate.

"The opponents of progress are not deceiving anybody when they say Selvig is too valuable a man for the Red River valley; we can't afford to lose him. No one in the Valley owes me anything. I'm having a splendid time here in my work because I love it. There are a wonderful lot of folks right in Pennington county and up and down the Valley with whom it has been a joy to work. Such projects as have been organized and carried on will live and grow. No one needs worry about that.

"But there are bigger things to do that means millions every year to our people and increased happiness and contentment as well. They are not figments of the imagination. Foes the past. They let the conventions take care of themselves. They listen to the soft talk of the office-holder and the enticing eloquence of the office-seeker—and pay the costs afterwards.

Makes No Attack.

"The man who expresses his willingness to be a candidate for office subjects himself to crucifixion because he has ideals and convictions. He is made out to be a mere self-seeker, an advertiser. His motives are impugned, his ability derided, his actions misinterpreted and willfully misunderstood.

"I make no attack on Mr. Steenerson. His record speaks for itself. His silence on the burning issues of the day is eloquent. His leadership for real tangible benefits to the 'dirt' farmers and 'overalls' laborer does not reach those who do most of the world's work.

The Contest is On.

"I want to add once more that there is a contest for congress in the Ninth district. It is a contest between the people who want something done against those who don't know or don't care. It is a contest between people who want a congressman pledged to the people's interests all of the time against those who favor age-old galvanized political chicanery that is most active at election time. It is a contest between those who favor constructive upbuilding of one of God's most favored spots on earth against those who are not alive to the tremendous immediate pressing needs and future possibilities of this district.

"What the outcome may be is entirely in the hands of the people. I have no money for an extensive campaign. I have no string of officials reaching into every village and hamlet.

"I do have and want the support of true hearted people in every township, village and city who believe in a cause."

REACH AGREEMENT ON SOLDIER BONUS; HAS FOUR OPTIONS

One is That Banks May Loan Money to Veterans With Service Certificate as Security.

Final agreement on the compromise soldier bonus bill was reached Tuesday by the house ways and means Republicans, who authorized Chairman Fordney to present the measure to the house before adjournment. Representative Fordney announced the Democrats on the committee would be called in Saturday to pass formally on the bill. He said it was his plan to present a formal report to the house immediately after the measure had been approved by the entire committee. The Democrats are not expected to submit a minority report.

As finally drawn the measure carries four options with the added provision of an immediate cash payment to those former service men entitled to not more than $50 adjusted service pay. It was stated no important change was made in the new bank loan provision for the adjusted certificate title or in the other three options, which are as follows:

Vocational training, home and farm aid and land settlement.

An effort to have included in the measure a provision providing for the payment of compensation to immediate relatives of men who have died since their discharge from service, was unsuccessful.

Following are the bank loan sections of the bonus bill:

(a) That loans to veterans upon adjusted service certificates before Sept. 30, 1925, can be made only in accordance with the following:

(b) Any bank may loan to any veteran on his note secured by his adjusted service certificate any amount up to 50 per cent of its "loan basis" (as defined under sub-division F of this section), the loan to mature on or before Sept. 30, 1925. Interest rates shall not exceed by more than two per cent the local federal reserve district rate.

(c) If a veteran does not pay his note within six months after maturity or in any event before Sept. 30, 1925, the bank shall present the certificate and note to the secretary of the treasury, who shall pay the bank the veteran's balance due him.

(d) If the veteran dies before the principal is due the note shall be paid and cancelled at once.

(e) When any loan is in default the bank shall within 30 days notify the secretary of the treasury.

(f) The loan basis of any certificate shall be the amount of the adjusted service certificate plus interest on it from October, 1922, at 4½ per cent.

(g) In presenting the note to the secretary the bank must include a sworn statement that it charged the veteran only the legal interest rate therein provided. Penalty for violation of this to be $100.

(h) Loans in violation of this section shall be void. Veterans who violate the provisions shall lose their rights under this title. After Sept. 30, 1925, the government would make loans to veterans.

FINDS CONDITIONS IN WISCONSIN AND IOWA VERY MUCH BETTER

Farmers in Badger State Drop Hogs and Fodder Crops, Giving Entire Attention to Butterfat and Tobacco Production.

Olaf Ramstad, president of the Citizens State bank, returned the first of the week from a visit to points in Iowa and Wisconsin. He states that business depression is not as evident among the farmers down there as here, most of them being so situated that they can finance themselves without much trouble even though they may not have a great deal to dispose of in the way of products. One thing that has helped the Wisconsin farmer in particular is that there was no such land boom in the Badger state as that which upset farming conditions in southern Minnesota and Iowa a couple of years ago. Wisconsin has been plodding right along and now finds there is no serious readjustment to make.

Money seems to be more plentiful in the neighboring state also. Farmers have no difficulty in borrowing what they need, and they often need quite a lot. A $10,000 loan on an 80 acre farm is nothing unusual, according to Mr. Ramstad.

Tobacco raising and dairying are the chief industries of the Coon Prairie district. A visitor from this section is at a loss to understand how the dairymen can compete with those living in the grass regions of the North as very often they ship in practically everything in the way of feed needed for their herds. They do not raise grain enough to provide the straw necessary on their places and buy the product by the bale. They seem also to have gone out of the hog raising business to a large extent, which is a surprising thing as pork production was the great mainstay of the region 20 years ago.

Mr. Ramstad found very few tractors in use in Wisconsin but there was an active demand for good horses. In this connection the Thief River Falls banker is of the opinion that the farmer who will go into the business of raising a good quality of horses will be amply repaid, this applying as well to northwestern Minnesota as to Wisconsin and Iowa.

Everywhere, says Mr. Ramstad, there is evidence of the country resuming its normal business stride.

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Community Club Meeting.

A meeting of the Girls' Community club was held at the Commercial club rooms Monday evening, at which time a committee of nine young ladies, Misses Eleanor Rambeck, Stella Nelson, Grace McCrum, Clarissa Hornseth, Olga Lindquist, Lola Jubb, Edna O'Brien, Mrs. Gynther Tessum and Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist were hostesses at a party with St. Patrick's day appointments used in the decorations and lunch. The meeting opened with a vocal solo by Miss Ann Tharaldson, accompanied by Mrs. A. Campbell. She responded to an encore. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich gave a talk on "First Aid." Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher sang two solos with Mrs. C. O. Erickson as accompanist. Master Henry Arneson favored the club with two violin solos, which were greatly appreciated. His sister, Miss Eileen Arneson, presided at the piano.

Miss Maude Frissell was next called upon to give a discussion on the advisability of the club sponsoring a plan to secure quarters which could be suitably used as a meeting place for the club and also as a recreational center for the boys and girls of the city, where evenings could be spent in a social way under proper supervision. This has been the subject of much discussion among the civic organizations in the city but up to date nothing has been done to advance the proposal. The girls were unanimously in favor of doing everything in their power to boost the venture. It was also suggested that this same room could be used as a rest room for women and children from out of town who come here to shop. The Trinity Lutheran church was the first to recognize this proposed plan and has offered the club the use of the basement church on Horace avenue as a meeting place, free of charge, providing that dancing and cards are prohibited. It is the desire of the club to gain the co-operation of other organizations in the city in this matter.

A motion to accept Mr. Brumund's offer on April 7, at which time "The Ghost in the Garret" is to be rebooked, was carried. The whole day is to be given over to the club for a small sum and in addition to the regular performance, a home talent vaudeville program is being planned. This is being done in order to raise money to increase the treasury fund, which is used for charitable purposes.

Parent-Teachers' Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association, held in the auditorium of the Knox school Tuesday evening, was attended by about 300 people. The interest taken by both parents and teachers was plainly attested by the enthusiasm and response from the audience during the discussions. This meeting might safely be called the best that has been held, considering it from a standpoint both of attendance and interest.

The entire evening was devoted to the discussion of the subject, "What Can We as Parents Do to Provide Proper Entertainment for Boys and Girls of High School Age?" which was in charge of Mrs. T. L. Melgaard, Mrs. C. T. Christianson and A. W. Jardine. During this time the feasibility of having a motion picture machine in school was brought up and resulted in a decision to borrow the machine used at the Oakland Park sanatorium, to be used at the next meeting of the association in order to demonstrate to the people the advantage of showing educational films to school children. This will be done in place of serving lunch and a silver offering will be taken, the money to be used toward buying a machine.

A committee was appointed to cooperate with the Girls' Community club in their project to build a community center where the young people might find proper recreation.

During the evening light refreshments were served by the East Side women, with Mrs. C. A. Nason as chairman. A short musical program interspersed the subjects for discussion. Mrs. O. F. Mellby gave a vocal solo, being accompanied by Mrs. N. K. Harris. Miss Maxine Johnson played a piano solo. Supt. I. T. Simley discussed "Home Study as a Part of the Evening Program for Boys and Girls," in the absence of Mr. Rapacz, who was ill. Before the meeting disbanded 30 new members were added.

Farewell Party.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star last night was followed by a farewell party given by the Masons and Eastern Stars in honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Gobler, who are leaving for Wisconsin soon to make their home on a farm. As a memory gift Mr. and Mrs. Gobler were presented with Eastern Star spoons. During the evening Mrs. Irma Mallory Fisher sang a group of songs, accompanied by Mrs. C. O. Erickson. Miss Beulah Chamberlain gave two readings. The remainder of the evening was devoted to dancing and cards, with Miss Theone Walker furnishing an excellent program of dance music. A spirit of friendly informality marked the occasion and gave the honor guests a pleasing remembrance of the local lodge and chapter whose good wishes go with them to their new home.

Dr. Hielscher Visits City.

Dr. Helen Hughes Hielscher of Mankato, former president of the Auxiliary to the American Legion, now national committee-woman, was the speaker Saturday evening at a meeting of the local Auxiliary. Owing to a misunderstanding concerning the date of her appearance here the attendance was not as large as had been hoped for.

Dr. Hielscher, who has given up her practice in medicine and is giving her whole time to Auxiliary work, explained in detail the organization of the Auxiliary, which is composed of wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of ex-service men, and she also dwelt on the excellent service the women are carrying on for the sick and disabled veterans in various hospitals throughout the country. She cited many pathetic instances where soldiers were sorely in need of every encouragement, and said it was up to the Auxiliary to take hold of the work and find some systematic means of caring for these men until they are completely well. She also told of the sacrifices many prominent women in the state have made and are still making in order that the boys may be properly taken care of. In closing, the speaker gave many reasons why every ex-service man was entitled to a bonus and that the American Legion is doing everything in its power to see that some of the more unfortunate boys receive their share.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club met at the Commercial club rooms Monday afternoon, the meeting being opened with a short business session. The club went on record as favoring the deep waterway project. It was also decided to have a big supper in the near future for the purpose of raising money to carry on the social welfare. Mrs. E. M. Stanton, county chairman of the League of Women Voters, had charge of the program. Mrs. Stanton spoke about the work of the League during the past year. Mrs. Daniel Shaw gave a paper on "Disarmament." Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg talked on the work of the Sheppard-Towner bill. Mrs. Gaston Ward gave a report on the financial standing of the state, district and county. She also gave a brief talk on mothers' pensions. Current events were led by Mrs. R. C. Rupprecht, assisted by Mrs. I. T. Simley and Mrs. C. E. Glines.

Birthday Frolic.

Much merriment prevailed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carlson, 1000 LaBree avenue north, Saturday evening when their daughter, Evelyn, was hostess to a number of girl friends in honor of her tenth birthday anniversary. During the evening Mrs. Carlson served a delightful lunch at a table which had as its centerpiece a lovely birthday cake with candles. The little guests included Doris Johnson, Eleanor Green, Violet Rhodegaard, Margaret Evenson, Clara Sondreal, Thora Sweger, Lucille Hormanson, Olive Carlson, Harriet Hellquist, Carolyn Voelz and Harriet Lund.

Birthday Party.

The thirteenth birthday anniversary of Miss Mary DeVeling was observed by her on Saturday evening when she invited a few of her friends to a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl DeVeling. The hours from 7 to 10:30 were devoted to games and music. Lunch was served by Miss DeVeling at 9 o'clock. The guests were Helen Griebstein, Bertha Gullingsrud, Irene Hanson, Gladys Remmem, Esther Helland, Rita Fiterman, Lief Klaboe, Walter Pierson, Raymond Wengeler, Byron Carlson, Einar Nyborg and Ronald Kinghorn.

Sleighride Party.

Fourteen young men and women enjoyed a sleighride party in and around the city Saturday evening, later going to Black's Sweet Shop for refreshments. The party was composed of Miss Lorna Dodge, Miss Edna Ryff, Miss Esther Smith, Miss Belva Foxen, Miss Clara Baumann, Miss Florence Payne, Miss Velma Webster, Carl Gulrud, Francis Burns, Victor Polman, Oscar Paulson, C. W. Vorachek, Ted McGinn and E. P. Brevig.

Birthday Party.

Bernadotte Waldorf celebrated her eighth birthday anniversary by entertaining a number of girls at a theatre party on Saturday afternoon. Refreshments were served at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Waldorf, following the matinee performance. The guests were Margaret Thill, Theresa Amon, Ethel Richards, Verna Brandon, Karen Langseth, Rose Sheedy and Fern Collins.

Lindberg-Anderson.

Robt. V. Anderson of Wannaska and Marie J. Lindberg of Plummer were married on Friday afternoon, March 3, at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage. Rev. T. E. Sweger was the officiating clergyman. The newly married couple left Saturday morning for Wannaska to make their home. Mr. Anderson has charge of the creamery at that place.

Entertain at Cards.

Dr. and Mrs. R. Arnold were hosts at cards at their home on Saturday evening. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Froehlich, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Crandall, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Arneson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bottelson and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Voelz.

Sande-Schantzen.

Jennie Sande and Clifford Schantzen, both of this city, were married on Saturday, Feb. 25, at the Catholic parsonage with Rev. M. J. Noesen officiating. They will make their home on a farm near this city.

Social Welfare Meeting.

The social welfare section of the Woman's club will meet at the Commercial club rooms Monday afternoon. The hostesses will be Mrs. Scott Laird, Mrs. Guy Halvorson and Mrs. L. L. Cohn.

Mrs. Cronkhite to Entertain.

Mrs. J. Q. Cronkhite will entertain a number of friends at dinner at her home this evening.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

A regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held at the home of Mrs. C. M. Evenson on Tuesday afternoon.

IMPRESSIVE LECTURE ON MOTION PICTURE GIVEN BY MINISTER

Unusual Tribute Paid "Inside the Cup by Prominent Minister of Paterson, N. J., in Address Delivered in Church.

(Morning Call, Paterson, N. J.)

When a picture is big enough to draw a sermon from a minister of the gospel like Rev. Henry R. Rose of Newark, it must be some picture. That is what "The Inside of the Cup" did. So deep was the impression it made on this eminent clergyman when he saw it at the Criterion theatre, New York, that he delivered a special sermon on it at the Church of the Redeemer, not to his congregation alone, but to the great public of Newark, and, while the edifice was crowded, half a thousand disappointed people waited outside the church trying to get in. Illustrated by slides produced from the still plates, this great indictment of hypocricy among a certain class of people made a deep impression on an audience from every walk of life.

So greatly was Dr. Rose moved by the impression the lecture made on his congregation that he wrote next day to Famous Players-Lasky Corporation about it. He said in part:

"It is a pleasure to inform you that the church was crowded to the limits last night when I gave my illustrated lecture on 'The Inside of the Cup.' We had to turn fully 300 people away and some estimated at the number at 500. You will appreciate the interest *when I tell you that the church* was filed ten minutes after we opened the doors.

"It proved one of the most impressive lectures I have ever given. Absolute silence, and all over the church I could see handkerchiefs, for the pathos of the story got hold of people.

"It is a great film and will do a wide good. Men need to be shown the working out of their inhumanity to man before they wake up and put churches on the side of the weak and aspiring."

Dr. Vistaunet is Director of Northwestern Singers

At a meeting in Crookston recently the Northwestern Minnesota Singers association was organized, with the following officers: President, N. A. Thorson, Crookston; vice president, C. M. Berg, McIntosh; secretary, E. C. Hopkins, Fisher; treasurer, F. H. Ross, Fisher; director, P. L. Vistaunet, Thief River Falls; assistant director, T. W. Thorson, Fertile; auditor, H. E. Sorvig; marshal, I. S. Miller, Crookston.

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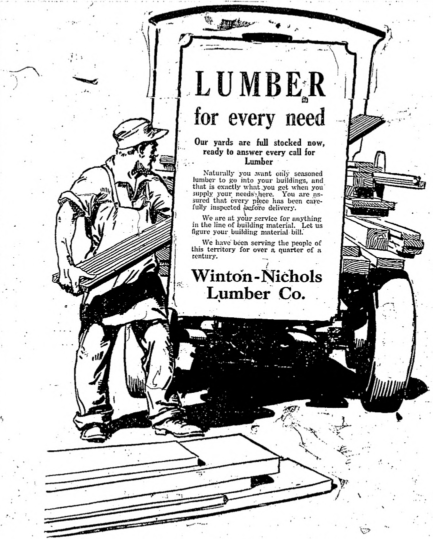
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SCHOOL TAXES.

People as a rule hesitate to raise a row over school taxes. They will bear up under an awful load without emitting a peep, but there comes a time when even the most liberal minded and tolerant taxpayer feel himself called upon to file a protest. He does not often know just what to do in order to bring the relief asked for, but is certain that something should be done about the matter.

There is no good purpose to be served by denying the fact that school taxes in District No. 18 of Pennington county have become a heavy burden. One-half of the total amount paid as taxes by the property owners is going toward maintaining our schools and a large number of those who must pay are asking is some reduction cannot be attempted.

It is not so much a case of finding fault as of asking questions. If the schools are being run on as economical a plan as possible there is no more to be said. If in order to maintain their standing it is necessary that all the present departments be retained, the cost will have to be borne, but many wish to be certain that it is necessary. There is a feeling that expenses could be cut very materially by the elimination from the curriculum of a number of departments in the high school, or at least decreasing their importance and cost. Taxpayers have no hesitancy in naming the departments which in their opinion are superfluous and might be cut down greatly without in any manner impairing the general efficiency of the schools. They regard much of what is taught as "frills" which will prove of no value to the student when it comes time to select a career. Just how much justification there may be for this contention The Times will not attempt to say.

Thief River Falls is by no means alone among Minnesota municipalities finding themselves in difficulties because of steadily growing school taxes. In some instances—not many as yet—an attempt has been made to cut costs all along the line, teachers' salaries included. This is always an unpopular proceeding and school boards resort to it only after much urging on the part of the taxpayers. It is maintained, however, that teachers cannot expect to be retained at war time salaries any more than people following other lines of work. No one suggests that the rates be reduced to pre-war points, it being admitted teachers were previous to that time generally underpaid. It is the opinion of many, nevertheless, that the pendulum has now swung too far in the other direction.

School boards would no doubt be glad to reduce expenses if they knew just how to go about it. Cutting out any of the departments might deprive the district of the sums apportioned by the state as school aid, and this would be a serious matter. The only remedy for this situation would be for the state to make less exacting the conditions under which the aid is paid, and this is not likely to happen.

We want the best schools, of course, but there is such a thing as not being able to have everything we want for the reason that we cannot afford it. We must keep within our means and a tax rate for school purposes of 51.70 mills is proving considerable of a strain.

The Times is not criticizing either the present or any previous school board. The cost of education has advanced the same as everything else, only to a greater extent, and it may be there is no help for it. A frank discussion of the subject will prove of value both to the board and the school patrons.

A SERIOUS CHARGE.

An attorney appearing in the district court in the city last week as counsel for a man charged with the violation of the liquor laws, stated that he could secure all the liquor he wanted and without difficulty within two blocks in any direction from the court house. Either this statement is not true, in which case it should not have been made, or it is a fact, in which case the matter needs attention.

This attorney's statement can hardly be permitted to pass unchallenged. It is not only a direct slam against the city as a law-abiding community, but casts serious reflections on the integrity of its law-enforcement officers. If this lawyer, who is not a resident of Thief River Falls, can secure intoxicating liquors with such ease and in such quantities as he claims, it is his duty to furnish the police with the details in order that a stop may be put to the traffic.

The probabilities are that something passing for whiskey can be secured in Thief River Falls and Pennington county. In this respect the community is very much like its neighbors. That conditions are anywhere near as bad as the remarks of this attorney would imply is not true, however, and his statement is and should be resented. It is not likely it was intended the assertion should be taken literally, but even allowing a large margin for exaggeration makes it sufficiently bad to make further investigation advisable.

Enforcement of the liquor laws is taxing the police resources of the state and nation, to say nothing of smaller communities. Offenders are found and punished every day and Pennington county is finding its share of them. Leniency toward this class of lawbreakers can hardly be charged against our courts nor laxity in their apprehension against our police officers. The latter cannot cause arrests without something in the shape of evidence and if this attorney has so much of it at his disposal he will be playing the part of a good citizen by turning it over to the authorities.

ONE SPECIES OF GRAFTER.

Minnesota newspaper publishers—a large number of them at any rate—have become tired of lending their space toward boosting some particular man for office and have stopped filling their columns with syndicated stuff having no other purpose than the securing of votes for some candidate or other. They demand that this class of publicity shall be paid for the same as any other advertising and refuse longer to make contributions amounting to a vast sum of money in the aggregate toward securing lucrative posts for men in whom they have little or no interest themselves and in whose success the public is but mildly concerned.

Campaign managers at times resort to the most questionable means in order to get the name and deeds of their employer before the public. The matter submitted is often so camouflaged that only by reading the entire article is its intent revealed. It has come to a pass where editors are suspicious of everything with which a candidate's name is connected and fight shy of it even where there might be a legitimate reason for its publication.

This does not mean that newspapers will have nothing to say for or against candidates. Editorial comment will be plentiful as ever but it will be honest comment and express the opinion of the editor himself. Any other kind will be regarded as advertising by men who publish newspapers worth while. It will be so labeled, as required by law, and payment for it will be expected. This will be better for the newspapers and better for the candidates, if the latter only knew it. The public will have more respect for the man who comes out in the open and honestly gives his reasons for believing he will be able to serve them in any given position. There is no reason why he should not pay for what he gets the same as everybody else, and politics as a whole will be a cleaner and more respected game when it is generally understood that he is so doing.

MORE COMPLICATIONS.

Mayor George E. Leach of Minneapolis is the latest entry in the senatorial race. Mayor Leach has not definitely declared himself a candidate, but neither does he say he will not make the run. It is understood the American Legion will get behind him and that an energetic campaign will be launched at once.

While the ex-service men are credited with putting Col. Leach forward, it is more likely that Minneapolis politicians who see a chance for a dark horse are the leading spirits in the proceeding. The contest for the nomination between Kellogg and Hallam may reach an acute stage, in which case a man with the solid Hennepin county delegation would be in a decidedly favorable position.

To add interest to the situation the more radical element in the party has brought out James Manahan, St. Paul, as a candidate. This may have some effect on the situation in Ramsey, the general impression being that it will help Kellogg by turning in another direction an important block of votes which otherwise might be expected to go to Judge Hallam. Whether or not this defection will prove serious depends on just how strong a following Manahan will be able to muster.

There is no denying the fact that Judge Hallam's candidacy is growing in popularity. His supporters are conducting a clean campaign, confining themselves to pointing out their candidate's fitness for the post without going out of their way to disparage any of his opponents.

The senatorial situation is by far the most interesting feature of the campaign thus far. It is not probable there will be even a contest for state offices with the one exception of clerk of the supreme court. Present state officers will be renominated without opposition and this leaves a senatorial situation as the only topic on which to pin an argument. It promises to furnish enough excitement to serve all purposes.

The Strathcona Star speaks of a social function in that village as a "dry, quiet, enjoyable dance," and goes on to explain that on the night of the party there was not a drop of moonshine within smelling distance of the hall. From a purity squad standpoint this is a highly satisfactory state of affairs, but it is to be feared that it may have a tendency to keep down attendance at dances in that neighborhood in the future.

OFFICE CAT

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New York Must Be Eden.

"Office rules require hats and other clothing be removed before ringing time clock. See that this reasonable requirement is complied with without fail." Sign in office of New York insurance company.

Will Hays is going to inspect the Hollywood movies. Bet his wife goes along.

"Why is your wife so jealous of your stenographer?"

"She used to be my stenographer."

She Knew a Hog.

A woman was waiting to buy a ticket for a concert when a man bumped into her. She glared at him, feeling it was done intentionally.

"Well," he growled, "you needn't eat me up."

"You are perfectly safe," said she, "I am a Jewess."

The Autoist's Winter Prayer.

Now I go out into the cold,
I pray the Lord my tires hold;
If one should bust before I'm back
I pray a spare's upon the rack.

If Mr. Bryan should get the Democratic nomination for senator from Florida it would be just his luck to have Florida go Republican.

Edison says he is going to work until he is 90. But then Edison is a light worker.

If Fatty Arbuckle is at all superstitious he may be able to get a few thrills out of the fact that his third trial is to begin March 13.

Current report has it that Edison passed the 75-watt mark a few days ago.

Do you like mystery fiction? Wait until you get you income tax blanks.

Al Snyder Sez:

Ever notice how some of these hot headed guys cool off when they get home.

The job doesn't make the man; it's the big man who makes the big job.

Fate.

(By Particeps.)

Snooks gazed somberly at the dying embers on the fireplace. One hand supported his chin, the other, lying lax on his knee, held between listless fingers a note which read: "The bird in the cage has flown and the prisoner has battered down the barrier to her freedom. I have eloped with the butler. Now I am free to soar in the blue ether, dancing gaily along behind the lilting pipes which beckon to greener fields—"

It was signed by his wife.

He pondered sadly.

"She always would mix her metaphors," he said.

Hardly any motorist believes in signs such as this: "Speed Limit 15 Miles an Hour."

Here We Come.

Said the devil to his angels,
"Heat up another vat,
An' fill 'er up with brimstone,
Here comes the Office Cat."

"Pa, what is a joke?"

"Shet up! Don't you know any more than to criticize the government?"

What to Do.

When your office building blows over:

When the building begins to totter, if your office is on the top floor, step into the hall and say, "Going down!"

On the way down notify the agent that you are going to move to the ground floor.

As you emerge from the debris, remark to a policeman that there were more bricks in that building than you thought.

Pick your stenographer out of the ruins. Dust her and say, "Guess that will be about all today."

Then go and work off the old one about "the rapid tumble in real estate."

—Foolish Etiquette.

Paste This One in Your Hat.

Home-made whiskey sure is risky,
Bootleg stuff's a certain killer,
If you wish to linger with us,
Stick to pop and sasspariller.

It is said the average man uses three hundred words in his vocabulary. "The fellow that found that out," growls our foreman, "ought to hear our vocabulary when the power goes off or the press breaks down."

Success is run on the serve-self plan.

"Many a family skeleton insists on wearin' short skirts."

There's one bigger fool than the man who "knows it all"—that's the man who argues with him.

An attorney of Los Angeles advertised for a chauffeur. Some twenty-odd responded and were being questioned as to qualifications, efficiency, and whether married or single. Finally, turning to a Negro chap, he said:

"How about you, George, are you married?"

Quickly the Negro responded:

"Naw, sir, boss, naw, sir. Ah makes mah own livin'."

A friend is a man who'll help you smoke the Christmas cigars your wife gave you.

Wouldn't it be a good thing if all the grouches were as bad off as they think they are?

Girls born on Monday are beautiful, but jealous, according to an old belief. Girls born on other days of the week are about the same, only more so.

How to Make Money.

Get a dozen eggs, a pumpkin pie, a loaf of bread, a pound of wieners, a cash register and a box of paper napkins and start a chain of restaurants. The public has learned how to make this sort of business profitable. You can retail egg sandwiches at 20 cents each, giving you a profit of 350 per cent. By using a razor you can cut pumpkin pie into twelve pieces and can retail the piece at 20 cents, thus each pie would bring you $2.40, representing a profit of 1,000 per cent, as the original pie costs you 12 cents. You can get $1 out of every loaf of bread by serving two small slices of toast for 10 cents. It is being done every day, and so far as the fare is concerned the public simply eats it up.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

The suggestion of a congressman to restore beer and light wine and a tax on them to pay the soldier bonus will bring a ready response from many of the thirsty lads. Every time you take a drink you help the soldiers. If you get drunk you are very patriotic.

After looking over a lot of tintypes in a family album it is difficult to understand how girls fell in love in the old days.

Mr. Ellsworth announces that he will run for governor again. April first would be a suitable day for him to file.

A foreign fighter says he'll meet Jack Dempsey just for the fun of it. If you were looking for a good time would you hunt up Mr. Dempsey to mingle with him?

We have been informed that moonshine can now be bought for $3 a quart. That's $3 we'll save.

We have a second-hand auto for sale and we'll guarantee the purchaser that he won't need a horn.

Some of the lads in Baudette would be perfectly willing to page a job if it meant work with nothing to do.

One of these days a candidate will create a sensation by filing for office without announcing that his friends have forced him into it.

EYES

Red, scaly and inflamed eyelids are caused by eyestrain; have this condition corrected before it becomes chronic. Save your eyes by wearing perfectly fitted glasses ground for you.

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Dr. Roton at the Brumund Hotel again March 21, 11:15 a. m., until 8:15 a. m. the 22nd.

Dr. Spofford

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The Week's Sermon

(By Rev. E. H. Kreidt, Pastor St. John's Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.)

TWO GARDENS.

The Garden of Eden and the Garden of Gethsemane: Who has not heard of them? What an important role they have played in the destiny of Man!

Eden, happy and beautiful home of Adam and Eve, the gift of a bountiful and loving God who had created them in His own image—perfect, righteous and holy. That was their likeness to God, for Paul writes to the Ephesians (4:24): "Put on the new man, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness." They lived in blissful communion with God, their Maker; they loved Him ardently; they served him joyfully; they trusted Him implicitly. God had given them the best of everything; and they were content in their perfection.

Then Satan came to sow the seeds of doubt and distrust. "Yea, hath God said, 'Ye shall not eat of every tree in the garden?' Ye shall not surely die: For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil." And how quickly the evil seed sprouted and bore its disastrous fruit. When Eve saw that the "tree was to be desired to make one wise," she took of the fruit and ate; she gave to Adam and he ate. Did they become as gods? Did it make them wise? In a measure, yes. They learned to know evil. They had sinned against their God; they had transgressed His command: "Thou shalt not eat of it,"—that was evil. And they knew it, for they were afraid of God. (Read Genesis 3.)

"Thou shalt surely die" was the threatened punishment of disobedience, of evil. The threat now changes to fact. The curse of God falls, their Paradise is lost, their perfection destroyed, their holiness changed to wickedness, their righteousness to sinfulness.

Thenceforward every step led toward death and the grave. They learned to know evil more and more. Their first son becomes the first murderer; his offspring increases in every kind of wickedness. O, the dreadful consequence of that disobedience in Eden! The whole human race, sinful, corrupt, wicked, prone to evil, averse to good; enemies of God, slaves of sin, subjects of eternal death, for "by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned." (Rom. 5, 12.) That is what remains of the Garden of Eden for humanity. In Eden Adam fell and all his posterity fell with him. The curse which struck him strikes us all.

But four thousand years have passed and another garden holds the center of importance. It is Gethsemane at the foot of the Mount of Olives near Jerusalem. Under the pale moon a man kneels beneath its aged trees. It is Jesus of Nazareth, the Lamb of God. He enters into Gethsemane to complete his task upon earth.

"My soul is exceeding sorrowful, even unto death." Those words explain his purpose in Gethsemane. He comes to face death. Why must He, the son of God, die? Is not death the wages of sin? Yes, indeed. Was not Jesus without sin? True, for not even His sworn enemies can convince Him of a sin. Why then must he fear death? "God hath made Him to be sin FOR US, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in Him." (2 Cor. 5, 21.) "The Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all." (Is. 53.)

The Son of God becomes the substitute, the bondman of the human race, to suffer for it, in its place, the penalty of its guilt, and that was death. And therefore Jesus is "sorrowful and very heavy." The guilt of the world rested upon Him by imputation; the punishment of the world was to fall upon Him.

How He fears this death! He trembles and quakes! Sorrow unspeakable grips his soul! Thrice He prays for deliverance from the cup of suffering and death; God shall, if possible, find another method for the accomplishment of His task. He prays; He wrestles with the Prince of Darkness until the sweat falls as blood to the ground; an angel of heaven comes to strengthen Him! Terrible ordeal! Satan had tried his utmost to swerve Jesus from the path of duty; hell had strained its every effort to cause Jesus to shrink from death. But He remains true; His prayer closes: "Father, Thy will be done!" Calmly, strengthened and fortified, he goes to meet his foes.

Here in Gethsemane Satan had again tempted man; he had sought to retain the victory won in Eden. But here he meets defeat. The Champion of Humanity remains; He will suffer to save man, He will enter into the depths to raise man to glory. It costs Him dear, but He pays the price.

Remember, then, the import of Eden and Gethsemane. Through Adam in Eden we fell into sin and are subject to the curse of God: "Thou shalt die." There we lost perfection, holiness and the favor of God. Christ in Gethsemane redeems us from sin and the curse by taking them upon Himself and suffering in our stead. Through Him we have gained righteousness and acceptance with God. Christ has repaired the damage and restored the loss. "In Him we have redemption by His blood, even the forgiveness of sin."

Sinners, believe it! Let Gethsemane replace the loss of Eden! There is no other way. God Himself knew of none other; you surely will not find another.

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OFFICIAL BALLOT

MARCH 14, 1922

County Auditor.

....Judge.

....Judge.

American Legion Corner

Poison Gas and Poison Pens.

Discharged by a Wall street banking house for refusing to write letters to congress attacking adjusted compensation, an ex-service man has turned to the American Legion at New York for help in finding another position. He was one of three, out of 250 employes, who refused to sell his pen.

The Legion has his affidavit stating that typewritten forms were passed out by the firm to all its workers with an order that each employe hand in four unsealed letters, one to President Harding and three to congressmen, and the remark that "you fellows had better write these letters if you want to keep your jobs."

The order of "Commander of the Legion of Honor," conferred on him by the French government, has been declined as a personal decoration by Hanford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion. He has cabled to Marshal Foch that he wishes to accept the award only "as a tribute to all members of the Legion."

Matteo Gambaiano doesn't ask anybody to take him at his word. When he mailed his subscription to the American Legion Weekly he sent a check for $2 and his bank book to show that the check was good.

In a letter to State Commander Van Dyke from National Adjutant Bolles, the latter conveys the encouraging news that on March 1 the national paid up membership of the American Legion for 1922 was more than 160,000 greater than on the corresponding date in 1921. And National Adjutant Bolles adds:

"This is our year to reach the million mark in actual paid up memberships. All signs point that way. Every department is working hard—none more so than the Gopher Gang. What does this new record mean? It means that the Legion has convinced the average veteran that it is worth joining; that our fund of prestige and good will is now so great that the public expects every veteran to be a member.

"The old inertia has been overcome. Such events as the Kansas City convention, the tour of Marshal Foch, the adjusted compensation campaign, and the good deeds that Legionnaires everywhere are performing, have advertised the Legion in every hamlet. Men have gotten past the point of asking why they should join. The question now is, 'How can I afford to stay out?'

"Each of our eleven thousand Legion posts must take advantage of this tidal wave of enthusiasm. Early returns show that the Legion appeal is stronger than ever. We must go out and get them in. A million active paid-up members by May, 1922, will give the Legion an overwhelming front in its fight for the jobless, compensation, Americanism, the disabled, and will give the lie to those croakers who have predicted the Legion would lose its standing.

"One hundred and fifty thousand questionnaire blanks have just been shipped to Minnesota for the posts of your department. By this time you will have distributed them to your 500 Gopher posts, whose 30,000 Legionnaires will go out among their comrades to record their government needs and urge them to unite with us under the Legion banner for the good of our country and the benefit of all our buddies.

"This is the critical moment. Every department, post and Legionnaire is on tiptoe, waiting for the signal to go. Good luck to the Gopher Gang! Let's Go!"

The Legion Five-Fold Plan of National Adjusted Compensation.

(Note: This digest, compiled by Stafford King, Adjutant, American Legion of Minnesota, was prepared for use by Legion posts and speakers in refuting the unjust claim of opponents of national adjusted compensation to the effect that the huge immediate (?) drain on the U. S. treasury would bankrupt the country. This digest shows that there will be no huge immediate drain—that the cost will be spread out over many years. In reading this digest, it should be remembered that all computations of time are made only after deducting the first sixty days of service, for which was paid a $60 bonus at time of discharge. No payment made before the first of July or January next following after application.)

Every veteran may avail himself of one, but only one, of the following plans:

1. Adjusted service pay. (The cash plan.

(a) Home service at $1 per day. Maximum $500.

(b) Overseas service at $1.25 per day. Maximum $625.

Payable thus: If over $500, in ten quarterly installments.

If less than $500, in quarterly installments of $50 each; the last of which may be less than $50.

Note: Overseas service means service in Europe or Asia, not Japan, China, or the Philippines, and on board ship. Home service is any other service.

2. Adjusted Service Certificates.

(a) Insurance payable at end of 20 years, as follows:

1. Face value in amount of adjusted service pay plus 40 per cent thereof.

2. Plus 4½ per cent compounded annually for twenty years.

3. Face value payable to veteran at end of 20 years.

4. If veteran dies prior to 20 years his beneficiary receives full amount.

5. Policy holder can change beneficiary.

6. If veteran dies without a named (b) Loan Value, as follows:

1. None during first two years.

2. During third to fifth years inclusive, veteran can borrow 90 per cent of adjusted service pay, plus 4½ per cent interest thereon compounded annually from date certificate becomes effective to date of making the loan.

3. During sixth to 20th years inclusive, veteran can borrow 80 per cent of adjusted service pay, plus 40 per cent thereof, plus 4½ per cent interest on the total compounded annually from date certificates become effective to date of making loan.

4. Application may be made through any first, second or third class postoffice, payments to be made there also.

5. Loans run not over the length of certificate and bear 4½ per cent interest on unpaid principal.

6. Payable as may be agreed, in payments of such size as to take care of the interest and such part of the principal as will extinguish the debt at the date agreed on.

7. Certificate is forfeited if notes are unpaid more than two years.

8. Such policy is not negotiable nor assignable, nor can it be used to secure any other loan other than as above. If so used it is voided and forfeited.

3. Vocational Training Aid.

1. Provides for the payment to applicant not already securing vocational training, the sum of $1.75 per day, the whole amount not to exceed 140 per cent of his adjusted service pay on a course of vocational training.

4. Farm or Home Aid.

1. Provides that the veteran may receive from the government a sum not to exceed 140 per cent of his adjusted service pay for the purpose of improving a city or suburban home, or a farm not selected under Plan 5 below. All this subject to the approval of the secretary of the interior. The money may be paid direct to the veteran or his debtor.

5. Land Settlement.

1. Gives preference of 60 days for veterans to settle on any lands opened for homestead or reclaimed lands for sale by the government.

2. Veteran may receive from the government his adjusted service pay plus 40 per cent for the sole purpose of applying same on the purchase price of such lands.

Now then, Gopher Gang, let's tell the world just what adjusted compensation means by bulletin board, in the local newspapers, and through board speakers. Let's go!

Card of Thanks.

We wish to offer our sincere thanks to the kind friends and neighbors who so willingly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our infant son, Lester Donald.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lindobja. 9-p

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT MEETING OF 14th DIST. CREAMERY MEN

At a meeting held in Thief River Falls by District No. 14 of the Minnesota Co-operative Creamery association, the following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, A bill has been introduced in the House of Representatives, known as H. F. 8086, to prohibit the manufacture and sale of filled milk,

"Be it Resolved, That we heartily endorse the said bill and respectfully request our representatives in congress to support the measure and use their best efforts to have it passed."

"Whereas, We realize that A. J. McGuire has done more than any other man to further the best interest of the co-operative creameries and the dairy industry of Northern Minnesota,

"Be It Resolved, That the directors of the 14th District of Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, in meeting assembled, extend to him our most hearty thanks and support.

"Be it Further Resolved, That the preamble and resolution now adopted be spread on the minutes of this meeting and that a copy be transmitted to Mr. McGuire."

"Whereas, It seems as though the Dairy Record, the official newspaper of the buttermakers, is constantly trying to belittle, disrupt and hamper the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, an organization organized for the purpose of furthering the best interest of the dairy industry, the greatest industry of Minnesota, and,

"Whereas, The member creameries of this association give employment to about one-half the buttermakers in the state,

"Be it Therefore Resolved, That the directors of the 14th District of the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association, in meeting assembled, denounce the tactics used by the Dairy Record and respectfully urge the buttermakers to ask the said Dairy Record to change its attitude."

E. O. MELSNESS,
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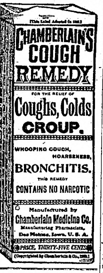

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Auction Sale

The undersigned will sell at public auction at the old Ben Erickson farm in Section 11, Rocksbury township, 2 miles south and 1½ miles east of Thief River Falls, on

Wednesday, March 22

Commencing at 10:00 A. M., the following personal property:

- One grey gelding, 5 yrs. old, wt. about 1200 lbs.
- One manure spreader.
- One corn planter with drilling and check rowing mechanism; 60 rods of check wire.
- One cultivator, double rigged, shovels and discs.
- One McCormick binder, either with or without shocking machine attachment.
- One Van Brunt press drill.
- One Pounder harrow.
- One Sattley-Racine gang plow.
- One Sattley-Racine sulky plow.
- One 6 foot disc.
- One Hero fanning mill with sacking elevator for power or hand operation.
- One 2 H. P. gasoline engine.
- One feed cutter, hand or power driven.
- One 10 foot hay rake.
- One grindstone.
- One buggy harness, breast collar; also collar and hames.
- One half set work harness.
- One incubator.
- One brooder.
- One Hero seed corn grader.
- One oak bureau with plate glass mirror, 2 ft. by 2½ ft.
- One oak commode to match bureau.
- One parlor organ.
- Six oak chairs.
- One iron bed with spring and mattress.
- Other small articles too numerous to mention.

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C. J. Hannett, Owner

W. J. LaBree, Auct. First National Bank, Clerk

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction at the old Satre farm, section 8, Rocksbury township, 2 miles south and 1½ miles west of Thief River Falls, and 4 miles north of St. Hilaire

Monday, March 13

at 11:00 A. M., the following personal property:

HORSES

- One team black mares, 4 yrs. old, wt. 2700.
- One team grey mares, 6 yrs. old, wt. 2600.
- One bay gelding, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1350.
- One bay gelding, 15 yrs. old, wt. 1300.

CATTLE

- One red cow, 8 yrs. old, fresh last fall.
- One Holstein cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh last fall.
- One black cow, 3 yrs. old, fresh soon.
- One spotted cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh March 1.
- One brood sow, farrow in April.
- Some chickens.
- About 200 bushels clean Big Yellow Seed Oats.

MACHINERY

- One Minnesota binder, 7 ft. cut.
- One light draft Kentucky single disc drill, 18 disc.
- One John Deere gang plow, 14 in.
- One 5 section Boss harrow.
- One Osborne disc, good as new.
- One 10 ft. Deering hay rake, good as new.
- One Deering mower, 5 ft.
- One Rock Island wagon with triple box.
- One International pivot pole riding cultivator.
- One top buggy.
- One set bob sleighs.
- One hay rack.
- One No. 3 Primrose cream separator with pulley attachment.
- Three sets of work harness.
- One single buggy harness.
- One pump jack.
- And many other articles too numerous to mention.

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Sam A. Johnson, Owner

W. J. LaBree, Auct. First National Bank, Clerk

Public Auction

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the southwest quarter of section 27, town of Cloverleaf, one mile south and one mile east of Mavie, on

Tuesday, March 14

at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

- One bay mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1200.
- One bay gelding, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1500.
- One black mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1400.
- One black gelding 9 yrs. old, wt. 1400
- One red cow, 5 yrs. old, will be fresh in April.
- One black and white cow, 4 yrs. old, will be fresh in April.
- One light red cow, 5 yrs. old, will be fresh in April.
- One red cow, 6 yrs. old, will be fresh in April.
- One red cow, 8 yrs. old, will be fresh in April.
- One Guernsey bull, 2 yrs. old.
- One roan heifer, 1 year old.
- One black heifer, one year old.
- Twenty purebred Leghorn chickens.
- Two sets work harness with collars.
- One 7-foot Minnesota binder.
- One 7-foot Osborne disc.
- One 5-section wooden harrow.
- One 20-shoe Van Brunt drill.
- One 5-foot McCormick mower.
- One 10-foot McCormick hay rake.
- One wide tire Moline wagon.
- One Mandt sleigh.
- One kitchen range.
- One sewing machine.
- One bureau.
- One bed and springs.
- Other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount bankable paper due October 1, 1922.

EARL REEVES, Owner

W. J. LaBree, Auctioneer Citizens State Bank, Clerk

Auction Sale

Am compelled to quit farming on account of my health, and I will sell at public auction at my farm, southwest quarter of section 2, township 154, range 42, town of Agder, 7 miles east and 4 miles north of Thief River Falls, and 2½ miles north of stop 7 on the Electric line

Friday, March 17

at 11:00 A. M., the following personal property:

HORSES

- One black horse, 10 yrs. old, wt. 1350.
- One brown mare, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1350.
- One iron grey gelding, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1300.

CATTLE

- One red cow.
- One dark red cow, 2 yrs. old, fresh last fall.
- One red steer, 3 yrs. old.
- One heifer calf, 5 months old.
- Some chickens.

MACHINERY

- One McCormick binder, 6 ft. cut.
- One 16 disc Van Brunt drill with seed attachment.
- One John Deere sulky plow, 16 in.
- One gang plow.
- One 16 disc sod cutter.
- One 5 section Boss drag.
- One 3 section iron drag.
- One Milwaukee mower, in good condition.
- One 16 in. breaking plow.
- One 16 in. stubble plow.
- One 14 in. breaking plow.
- One 10 ft. hay rake.
- One Columbia wagon complete with box.
- One hay rack.
- Two bob sleighs.
- One new Superior fanning mill.
- Ten wooden barrels.
- Two water tubs.
- Two breeching harness.
- One work harness, nearly new.
- Two 55 gal. kerosene barrels.
- Some kerosene.
- One grindstone.
- Some fence posts and tamarack rails.
- Some log chains and other chains.
- Sixty grain sacks.
- One share in Farmers Elevator at Thief River Falls.
- One 12 gauge double barrel shot gun.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- One cook stove.
- One 3 burner oil stove.
- One cupboard.
- Some beds.
- Some chairs.
- And many other articles too numerous to mention.

WILL ALSO OFFER MY FARM FOR SALE—(See description above.) 130 acres under cultivation. Buildings consist of house, barn, granary, machine shed, etc.

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SCHOOL PROGRESS

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Duty vs. Desire.

We often hear of people doing things because they feel it their duty to do them. People obey laws because they must obey them; children go to school because it is an established custom; and if they study it is because duty demands it. Consequently work has come to be regarded as something irksome to be dreaded and avoided as much as possible. How much pleasanter life would be if work could be treated in the same manner as play! We enjoy pleasures because when we play we follow our natural desires. Is it not possible that the work of the world may also be divided in such a manner that each person may do that which particularly pleases him? Even now we hear of individuals who, because of fortune and will-power, are doing that for which nature specially fitted them, and who are finding in their work enough enjoyment to justify their efforts. This is well illustrated by a few scattered examples at school. Students who can get nothing but failures in mathematics, and are therefore classed as lazy or mentally deficient, may head the class in science or language, which they really enjoy. In almost every case where a student does not do well it is because he has no natural liking for the work in which he fails.

It is my firm belief that the Creator made a man or woman for every job, and that a part of our education should be discovering what particular job we are made for.

An Inspiring Lecture.

Mr. Henry Clark, the well-known chautauqua lecturer who spoke to the Parent-Teachers association at the high school last Thursday evening, had a message which it would have been well worth while for every high school student to hear. As a special invitation was extended to the students, it is unfortunate that so few availed themselves of the opportunity to hear one of the few good lectures we have here during the season. A lecture such as Mr. Clark gave, "Play Ball," gives a clearer understanding of the fundamentals of the great game of life, and it is these which we students should show a more sincere interest in. As long as we show a preference for pleasures that we enjoy only while they last over lectures that might make our whole life more pleasant and fruitful, America will be considered by her own citizens as well as by other peoples as a land where each generation vies with its predecessor in superficiality and corruption. We know that America at heart is sincere; but there seems to be too much inclination to want to show the other side.

Busy-Ness.

How busy are you? If you are one of those terribly busy creatures who are continually hustling and bustling in an effort to do the thousand and one things that clamor to be done, you are about to have some excellent advice handed out to you. Or perhaps you are one of those rare specimens who have learned the art of working; for it is an art to be able to accomplish the myriad tasks which our highly civilized life makes necessary, yet withal leave time to live—to LIVE, not merely to exist between one job and another; and it is an art to be able to work with the entire power there is in you when you do work—and to be able to play whole-heartedly when you do play.

In this wonderful old world of ours we may be able to find people who are able to do two things at once, for instance, operating a typewriter and, at the same time, talking; or perhaps we may be so fortunate as to find a young man who has through long experience become able to run a car creditably with one hand, meanwhile using his other one for a widely different purpose. But did you ever stop to think that should that same young man apply both his hands and all his faculties to the business, he would be able to travel so much faster, and straighter? Or did you ever stop to think how fast he would progress OTHERWISE if he would only dispense altogether with the necessity of driving?

Do only one thing at a time, but attack that thing with all the determination and energy you possess, and you will soon find that your busy-ness disappears like a fog on a summer morn. Being busy is, after all, merely a state of mind; we may think we are busier than a Napoleon and yet, perchance, find time to stop for an hour's confab with a friend, or to while away an afternoon reading a novel.

Introduce yourself to more business-like methods, and you will find that the theory of the straight line being the shortest distance between two points holds good in life as well as in geometry; you will arrive at your destination on time instead of being forever late.—Albert Stengelson, '24.

Our Executive Returns.

Supt. I. T. Simley returned Saturday morning via the cities from Chicago, where he had been attending the National Convention of Superintendents. He states that it was a large conference of eight thousand superintendents, including a number of board members.

The general meetings were held in the auditorium, while the sub-divisions were held in club and ball rooms and hotels. The educational exhibit was on display in the Loiter building. All varieties of school equipment and supplies were shown here. Many thousands of dollars were spent but it was worth the cost. Mr. Simley states that this was the best exhibition in that line he has ever seen.

The convention laid particular stress on the proper classification of pupils and the different courses suited to their mental capacities. School publicity received much attention. The authorities were greatly interested in the school bulletins prepared by Mr. Simley and in our High School Progress. They were also greatly impressed by the manner in which the local press supported it.

Another important discussion was that of the financial condition, as to what attitude should be taken in conducting the schools during a period of financial depression and financial struggling. During the war school construction was at a standstill and now it is a big problem in some localities. However, many schools are being erected.

On his return trip Mr. Simley spent a day in St. Paul attending a session of the State School Board association.

Dramatic Club Entertainment.

A novel entertainment in the form of three artistically portrayed one-act plays, staged by the High School Dramatic club, was presented to a small but appreciative audience last Friday evening at the auditorium.

The first of the three, "The Singing Soul," told the story of a beautiful Chinese girl, who, sacrificing love and career, gave her life that the bell of peace might ring out, relieving the distress of her people. Lucille McGinnity in the title role, Paul Helseth as the mandarin, and Albert Stengelson as the emperor, deserve particular mention. Minor parts were taken by Florence Haney, Myrtle Myrin, Herschel Hanson and Milton Larson.

The tragic effect produced by the previous play quickly dispersed when the curtain rose for the second time. A moonlit grove was the scene of "A Pierrot of the Minute." Hither came Pierrot to seek love. He finds it in the beautiful Moon-Maiden, but with dawn comes an end to his happiness. The admirable portrayal of Pierrot and the moon maiden by Ela Krohn and Eileen Arneson, respectively, is to be commended.

"A Flower of Yeddo," a Japanese comedy, had a happy effect upon its audience in that it appealed to the American sense of humor. It dealt with the tests of homage, fidelity and honor put to a young poet by a woman whom he thought false. The characters included Herbert Johnson, the poet, Helen Langseth, an enchantress, Lillian Knight, an angry lover, and Violette Krohn, the proud heroine.

Music by the high school orchestra added to the success of the entertainment.

Much credit is due Miss Chamberlain for her able direction and diligent instruction in these plays. Miss Baumann and Miss Johnson also deserve praise for their contributions in the form of dancing and music.

At the Tournament.

Crookston will represent this district at Northfield. There are no excuses to make; the best team won and Crookston had that team. Argyle was the first team on the floor, at the conference, playing Warroad in the first game. Argyle took the lead and kept it all through the game. Warroad "got started" the last quarter but the game ended with the score 22 to 21 in favor of Argyle.

The second game was the Crookston-Fosston game. Crookston scored 24 points against Fosston's 9. In the third game Ada defeated Stephen 16 to 11. These two teams were the heaviest at the conference. The last game played Thursday night was the best game of the evening, even if our team did get beat. When Capt. Jensen of McIntosh and his "gang" came on the floor they did not seem very sure of the game. McIntosh held the lead all through the game but they were never more than five points ahead until the last five minutes. The lineup for Thief River was Ralston and C. Sorenson as forwards, LaBree at center and S. Sorenson and Herron at guard. Our team played all around McIntosh but seemed unable to "cage the ball." More than once the ball was carried through the McIntosh defense only to roll around the basket a few times and jump away from the net. The first quarter ended with McIntosh 13, Thief River Falls 8. At the end of the first half the score was 20 to 17 in favor of McIntosh. The teams played a fast even game up to the last five minutes, when the score was 19 to 21 in favor of McIntosh. Then McIntosh got lucky and made four field baskets in those five minutes and so we were put out of the running for district championship. Arnold and Shetler went in the second half and both played a good game. No one can complain about the team for not playing because it was only hard luck that gave McIntosh their victory. Buck Ralston was our high scorer with two field baskets and three free throws. Clifford Sorenson was second, getting three field baskets; Arnold made two field baskets and LaBree made one. S. Sorenson and Arnold played their best game of the season and Sorenson won a place on the all-district team as guard.

Friday morning Crookston carried the horseshoe, beating Argyle by a score of 40 to 10. McIntosh defeated Ada 25 to 10. This left Crookston and McIntosh to play for the district title. In this game the luck shifted, Crookston getting that of McIntosh and McIntosh getting ours. Both teams went on the floor to win and McIntosh never gave up once, though Crookston was always in the lead. Crookston made most of their goals from the center of the floor. The game ended 20 to 9 in favor of Crookston, thus giving them the district title and the right to go to Carleton to compete for the state title. That's all; but there is another year.

Notes, Jokes and Personals.

Saturday morning Supt. Simley returned after a week's absence during which he attended the annual meeting of the National Educational association.

William DeParcq returned to school Monday morning after an illness of three weeks.

The Normal girls are out in the country doing practice teaching in the rural schools.

Stanley Sorenson was picked as a guard on the mythical district team.

Condition examinations were given in American History, Botany and Economics last week.

Howard Doland and Walter Oftelie have returned to school after a long absence.

There was a meeting of the amateur bread club last Thursday at 4 o'clock.

Boys Get Sendoff.

Thursday afternoon, the day on which the basketball boys were to start to the tournament, they were asked to assemble at the school house at 3:05. We all wanted to give the boys some kind of a sendoff, to cheer them up a little, but it was difficult to think of anything appropriate.

About 3:07 the fire gong rang and soon the pupils were all outside.

It may be of interest to know that it took exactly 60 seconds for all the pupils to get out of the building. When we got outside we saw the boys all ready to start, so Nora Lindquist led us in a few yells, after which the team started for the train with the high school's wishes for the best of luck at the tournament.—M. J.

Basketball Season Ends.

Our high school team played its last game last Thursday evening. Monday morning the boys and Mr. Stenhoff were asked to give an account of the tournament for the benefit of all the high school students. Loyal Arnold, Ralph Shetler and Stanley Sorenson responded with three minute talks, after which Mr. Stenhoff gave a brief summary of the season's work.

Although we did not have a winning team, our boys gave us some good exhibitions during the season and we want them to know that we appreciate their efforts. We also wish to thank all those who took an interest in our games and who assisted us financially by attending our home games.

A Visit to a Court Room.

The district court was in session last week and because the study of a court is one of the phases of Civics both classes in Civics visited the court room. The afternoon section attended on Thursday from 3:30 until 6:00 and the morning section on Friday from 9:00 until noon.

We can understand the thing we are studying more clearly if we actually see it in action and that is why everyone was anxious to attend. Then, too, it was the first time most of us had ever been in a court room and we found it quite different from what we had imagined a court room to be.

I had imagined the judge did the questioning besides any other talking which had to be done, but he, from all appearances, had it the easiest. I thought the jury would occupy the first few rows in the audience and those acting as witnesses would be seated where the jury actually sat. I had no idea how the attorneys went about their work, but I did know there were two, each working against the other. I thought the accused person was guarded and watched closely during the trial.

This imaginary picture is now a real one in my mind, so clear that I shall never forget it.

The court room was filled to capacity and all members of the classes who attended take this means of thanking those who were interested in having us there and those who reserved seats for us.—F. H.

My Impressions of a Court Room.

Last Thursday and Friday the Civics classes visited court. This was the first time many had been in a court room and so a great variety of impressions were made on the many students. Before telling the effect of the visit I shall tell the purpose of such a visit in case it may seem unnecessary to some.

We all know that experience is the best teacher and, thus, in seeing a court in action the boys and girls, training to become good citizens, will remember more easily the organization and duties of the court. With this point in view, Mr. Rapacz, the instructor in civics, arranged for this splendid opportunity so that the students might observe the proceedings in the judicial branch of our government and by knowing them become better citizens.

As for myself I entered the room half afraid to step on the floor, and the room [illegible] way to whe [illegible] the witnesses [illegible] I found the atmo [illegible] reverence for law a [illegible] der. I also discovered more civil and ordinary [illegible] imagined.

Everyone sat in awe to listen to the proceedings and all observed the seriousness and serenity with which the court was carried on. My mind was filled with wonder to think what a duty is left to citizens who fill such responsible positions and I also felt how much more we should work and study to prepare ourselves for the tasks that will be left to us.—P. W. '23.

The Other Side.

Ancient history—the mere mention of the name causes most students to turn away in disgust. "Why," they exclaim, "that's the most tiresome subject in school." But that, like everything else, has two sides to consider. First, the purely scholastic side of it, that of studying a certain number of pages in a certain book, of remembering some particular date or place, and, all in all, seeing ancient history just as a means of getting a credit toward graduation. Looking at it from another standpoint, however, it becomes an interesting account of the thoughts, hopes, conditions and actions of the men who lived hundreds of years before we were born. All these recorded things happened a long time ago, but remember that those people were men and women like ourselves, and that, if placed in the same environment, we should most probably do the same things they did. In short, the very actions which seem so strange to us now were the result of their ignorance of all the wonderful facts and data that have been accumulated by Man in the hundreds and thousands of years since that time. Those early peoples believed that their gods regulated the motion and paths of the heavenly bodies; is it any wonder that they feared the wrath of such super-beings, and, accordingly, offered up sacrifices to appease their displeasure? Is it any wonder that unscrupulous men should see and take advantage of these simple beliefs and subject the masses to wel-nigh intolerable conditions?

Such was the situation several thousand years ago. Men were oppressed because they could not see the wrong of the system; because they had never known anything else; and because they had not yet learned the lesson that collective power will eventually triumph over the most autocratic monarch.

History has more for us: we read of Hammurapi; and Xerxes; and Demosthenes; and of the fiery orations of Cicero against Catiline in the Roman senate. Is there any figure in reality or fiction who can be compared with Alexander? Thrust into the maze of struggle and deceit while yet a boy, he entered into the heritage of his father, Philip of Macedon. Thirteen years later, at the time he succumbed to fever, he was master of practically all the civilized world: Greece, Egypt, Asia Minor, and territory extending to the Indus river. And he had made plans, too, for subsiding the West, but death cut short the fulfilment of his colossal ambition.

Through history we learn of others who, though not geniuses in military prowess, still have much of interest to give us, several thousand years after their death: Aristotle, who compiled scientific data which was used for hundreds of years after his time; Cleopatra, probably the most outstanding woman ever known; Homer, the lowly Greek, who voiced the [illegible] and feelings of his country- [illegible] the Iliad and the Odyssey; [illegible] ures of others, each of whom [illegible] ust a man like the men of to- [illegible], but born to different circumstances.

Throughout all history we can see march of events, and the motives that impelled them. We can see the cycle through which every state has passed: its birth and consolidation; its triumph; and its inevitable fall before some invader. Surely there is nothing that can compare in fascination with that chronology of events, the true story of MAN.—Albert Stengelson, '24.

Central News.

The students of the seventh and eighth grades were very pleasantly entertained during the assembly period Wednesday morning when Mrs. Rapacz favored them with a Scotch reading entitled "The Chase." After an enthusiastic encore Mrs. Rapacz responded with a humorous selection called "The New Situation." Preceding these readings Rita Fiterman played a piano solo, "The Music Box."

Seventh and eighth grades have been having Courtis Standard Research tests in arithmetic this week.

The pupils of Miss Frissell's room received the banner for best marching this week.

Progress.

Progress comes very slowly. To make a better grade we must be prepared with everything. But let us have a motto to follow. The motto will be: "Be prepared and never shirk." Get your lessons and be truthful with yourself; be satisfied not only with the written work but get the oral as well.

To make a school grow we must have team work and a will to work. Let us be loyal to our own Central school. A very good way to boost our school is a class song or yell. This is our song:

Central School, three cheers for Central,
For you we will stand.
We will boost our Junior High School,
We're a loyal band, Rah! Rah! Rah!
To our colors gold and purple
We will be true.
Dear old Central Junior High School,
Here's to you.

—Elwood Herricks, 7B.

Northrop Notes.

The following pupils in the second grade have been neither absent nor tardy for the past six weeks: Dorothy Anderson, Turied Angell, Louis Cloutier, Evelyn Grindeland, Vernice Helgeland, Helen Johnson, Kenneth Ohm, Milly Pederson, Francis Stitt.

Those neither absent nor tardy for the past six weeks in the fifth grade are George Aanstad, Reba Bickley, Elaine Evenson, Dick Mabey, Audrey Kline, Ruth Roark, Edythe Morse. In the sixth grade: Eloise Carlson, Ray Conklin, Roy Oen, Arthur Lufkin, Frances Knutson.

The following children were neither absent nor tardy during the last month: Donald Anderson, George Biedermann, Viola Lundberg, Vernel Pederson, Alfred Olson, Irving Tommerdahl and Clarence Bergland.

Children who have been neither absent nor tardy during the past six weeks are: Merrild Johnson, Robert Votava, James Murphy, Vandla Johnson, Jessie Bickley, Helen Peterson, Vernon Myren, Lloyd Aanstad, Clifford Froehlich, Bernice Thompson, Bertrum Mosleth, Elar Reitz, Thea Keller, Olander Kassa, Albin Kassa, Gladys Gunderson, Arnold Haroldson.

The pupils in Miss Ryan's room who were neither tardy nor absent during the last six weeks are: Emmett Botten, John Conklin, Kenneth Craik, William Froehlich, Bernice Granum, Helma Grindeland, Willis Grindeland, Leonard Harris, Doris Johnson, Clifford Myrin, Melvin Olson, Palmer Peterson, Clement Cloutier.

We have sold 107 bottles of milk in our room this week.

The following pupils have been perfect in attendance the past six weeks: Bernice Anderson, James Korstad, June Morse, Harold Johnson, Lois Odin, George Olson, Grace Provencher, Virginia Quale, Rlland Shervan anw LeRoy Allan.

Neither absent nor tardy last six weeks: Evelyn Bradley, Nyal Dokken, Fern DeVeling, Vera Erickson, Margaret Granum, Oswald Helseth, Lawrence Helgeland, Adeline Votava.

Gordon Johnson has returned to school after several weeks illness.

Pupils who have been neither absent nor tardy during the last six weeks: Evelyn Carlson, Wilson Dokken, Margaret Evenson, Harriet Hellquist, Charles Krause, George Lonson, Myrtle Lufkin, Ruth Peterson, Violet Rhodegaard, Grace Robarge, Agnes Sandstrom, Ernest Sandstrom, Alv Vistaunet.

Milk was sold to the amount of $11.20 in our building this week.

D. B. C. MEN WITH FORD MOTOR CO.

Again, the Ford Motor Co. has come to Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., for a "capable office man." This time the call came from the Moorhead branch. Clyde Dalrymple was recommended. Another "Dakota" graduate, Mr. Grimsvedt, now heads Ford's Fargo office.

D. B. C. graduates forge ahead with the biggest firms. L. R. Jones, a "Dakotan," is chief of the Standard Oil Co's. Kansas City office. Hundreds are bank officers.

"Follow the Succe$$ful." Enroll any day. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

Closing Out
SALE

$3,000 Stock of New Furniture to Be Closed Out Regardless of Cost!

Building for Sale

I am called away and must dispose of my property here, and will sell my stock of Furniture and other goods at wholesale and below. Now is the time to buy because I can save you big money. Liberty Bonds will be taken at full cash value. Bankable paper taken as cash.

The Furniture Bargain Store
J. L. BEAN, Prop.

Hupmobile Dealer Wanted in This Town

Here is a splendid opportunity for some live-wire in this community.

You may be a motor car dealer, a garage proprietor, or you may be in some business having nothing to do with automobiles.

Whatever your line,—if you are a hustler and a sound business man, we want to hear from you.

Our proposition practically assures exceptional profits to such a dealer.

We have a definite, specific plan of co-operation which helps you locate, and sell, prospects.

Why We Make This Offer

Until this year, the entire Hupmobile production has been absorbed by the metropolitan centers.

Greatly increased factory production now enables us to supply the great potential demand for this outstanding car in every town in Michigan.

There are many prospects in your territory. They want such a car as the Hupmobile—a really fine car that sells for $1250 f. o. b. factory—but they have never been approached.

This is your opportunity. Your sales territory is beautifully fallow.

Our discount rate is much more liberal than that ordinarily offered. No back-breaking requirements—nothing but what will enhance your bank standing.

In addition you will have the advantage of dealing with one of the largest motor car distributors in Michigan.

Send in a letter or post card now, at once, and find out all about our proposition without the slightest obligation.

Reasonable bank credit and moderate initial investment required.

HARRINGTON MOTOR CO., Inc.
Hupmobile Distributors
1635 Hennepin Ave. Minneapolis, Minn.

The Foundation of Every Prosperous Business

RECENTLY the Chicago Journal of Commerce in an editorial discussion of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) as an example of modern American business, said:

"Three years ago the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) which does business in eleven states, adopted a wholesome publicity policy, not only to derive the natural benefits of advertising its products, but to acquaint the public with intimate information regarding the Company and its affairs. The fair dealing, justice and equity of its practices, the business principles which rule its conduct, have been published far and wide throughout the territory it serves. Its policies were frankly disclosed to promote the welfare and to secure and hold the confidence and esteem of its stockholders, employes, and the public. The Company has paid for this publicity service just as any other industrial or mercantile enterprise pays for its advertising, and with most gratifying results.

"This publicity campaign has been dubbed 'Good-Will advertising'—a happy phrase. Good-Will is the foundation of every prosperous business. Good-Will always contributes to profits and can be secured only by fair dealing, fair prices, and a rigid adherence to business ethics. In all these the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is a model of efficiency."

THIS appreciation of the purposes, practices, and achievements of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) so clearly expressed in the above quoted editorial is most gratifying to the Board of Directors of this Company, for it confirms their conviction that understanding and fairness go together. You cannot be fair unless you understand. You cannot understand unless you are willing to be fair.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is performing a highly essential service in a highly specialized branch of industry. It is doing something that has to be done in a way that entitles it to the approval of the public it serves.

It is to the interest of the public as well as the Company that the Company should give a frank account of itself and of the stewardship of its seven Directors.

Hence this sustained campaign.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago
2670

City News

W. A. Hall left yesterday morning for Salol on business.

Verner Nelson of St. Hilaire spent Tuesday with friends here.

Miss Inga Homme of Trail spent the week with friends here.

Mrs. R. H. McDonald of Goodridge shopped in this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson of Hazel were visitors in the city on Friday.

Ed. Evenson of Plummer attended to business matters here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Allison of Beardsley visited with friends here on Friday.

Miss Alice Solem arrived yesterday from Steiner to spend an indefinite time.

John Lorenzon of Bronson was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Ben Docken of Holt spent a short time here on business the last of the week.

Earl Baker left Saturday for Minneapolis to spend a few days with friends.

Joel Shoberg of Rosewood was in the city the last of the week visiting friends.

Mrs. A. F. Hall and little daughter of St. Hilaire were shoppers here on Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy, on Friday, March 3, a ten pound boy.

N. B. Ormiston arrived on Monday from Fairdale, N. D., for a brief visit with friends.

Albin Anderson of Middle River came down Friday to attend to business matters.

Mrs. J. M. Schie and daughter, Edith, of Mavie, were shoppers here on Thursday.

Mrs. Leon Babcock and children left Saturday morning for Goodridge to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Gamble are spending the week in Minneapolis visiting relatives.

Mrs. Geo. C. Larson left yesterday morning for Holt to spend a few days with her parents.

L. Hawkins of Grygla was a business caller in this city a few days the first of the week.

Mrs. S. H. Hanson arrived Monday afternoon from Holt to spend a few days with friends.

Home baking; pies, doughnuts, rocks and cookies a specialty. Phone 71. Mrs. Pawling. m-9

Peter C. Wold of Highlanding was in the city Monday and Tuesday on a business mission.

Earl Baker returned Monday from Minneapolis, where he had spent the week-end with friends.

H. F. Erickson came over from Warren Monday evening and remained for a day on business.

George McKenzie of Kempton was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Grundhaus last week.

Ernest Fossum returned Monday evening from Hallock, where he had spent the day on business.

G. H. Aakhus returned last evening from Bemidji, where he had passed the day on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Odegaard of St. Hilaire were in the city yesterday attending to business affairs.

Geo. Newbery, who had spent the winter in Montana, returned yesterday and will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Anna Dock was an over Sunday guest of friends at Crookston, returning to this city on Monday.

Mrs. H. Kleven and three children left Tuesday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. A. W. Swedenburg, who had visited at Fargo over Sunday with her husband, returned on Monday.

Read advertisement of the Northern Trading company in another column of The Times.—Advertisement.

E. N. Simonson, one of the prominent business men of Warroad, is in the city for a few days on business.

Tanlac's world wide fame is due to its merit. It does the work. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. 9

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Burtness left Monday morning for Holt to attend the funeral services of Lewis Knutson.

Mrs. Agnes Warring left Saturday morning for Steiner to visit until Tuesday at the home of Mrs. S. Warring.

Mrs. T. O. Flatten of Strathcona returned to her home Tuesday morning after a brief visit here with relatives.

Miss Edna Anderson, who attends the local high school, spent the week-end near Wylie on a visit to her parents.

A. Hovland of Duluth arrived last week to spend a two weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hovland.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson, 819 Arnold avenue north, are the parents of a son, born Sunday morning, March 5.

Mrs. Fred W. Johnson left Tuesday night for the cities to spend four or five days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Oscar Gunstad and her mother, Mrs. Dan Patterson, of St. Hilaire, spent Friday here attending to shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Richardson and children were over Sunday guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Orra Richardson.

Dance given at I. O. O. F. hall on Friday night under auspices of U. R. W. O. W. Good music. Admission 50c; lunch 25c. m-9

Miss Ella Linstad left on Monday for Holt to spend a few days visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rossland.

Mrs. O. W. Carlson left Monday afternoon for Crookston to visit relatives. Mr. Carlson left the following day to join his wife.

Read advertisement of the Northern Trading company in another column of The Times.—Advertisement.

T. T. Kiland left Monday afternoon for Hillsboro, N. D., to attend the funeral of his brother. He returned to this city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Finberg went to Red Lake Falls Friday afternoon to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lambert.

Mrs. O. M. Olson left Monday for Rosewood to spend a few days visiting at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mellem.

Mrs. H. Landahl is expected to arrive this week from Little Falls to spend a few days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nicolai.

Mrs. Renard Knutson and daughters, Mildred, Frances and Edith, left Saturday evening for Minneapolis to attend the funeral of Mrs. Knutson's brother.

Miss Dorothy Grundhaus left the latter part of last week for Warren to spend a few days visiting her sister, Miss Gertrude, who is ill at the hospital.

Mrs. H. Norwick of Seattle, Wash., who is a guest of her sisters, Mrs. H. Stromberh and Mrs. H. Ostrom, left Friday morning for Rosewood to visit relatives.

Miss Bertha Gangnness, who is employed in a store at Fargo, returned to that city on Tuesday after having visited since Saturday with her mother, who is ill.

James Homalka of Warren has been a visitor at the Vorachek home in this city during the week while consulting Dr. O. F. Mellby with regard to an eye affliction.

The local high school basket ball team returned Friday morning from Crookston, where they had played in the tournament. Coach R. B. Stenhoff accompanied the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Haragim of Lankin, N. D., stopped over here on their return from a honeymoon trip to Chicago and visited at the J. J. Vorachek home on Tuesday.

C. E. Andrews has resigned his position as salesman at the Mogensen clothing store and is now employed in the same capacity at the Lieberman Brothers clothing store.

Misses Hannah and Ida Knutson, Christine Anderson and Mrs. M. Arneson went to Holt Monday to attend the funeral services of the former's brother, Lewis Knutson.

Misses Nettie and Stella Lunsetter arrived Monday afternoon from Gatzke to spend a few days with their cousin, Mrs. O. A. Naplin, enroute to North Dakota to be employed.

Mrs. A. C. McClelland returned to her home at Gatzke on Monday after spending a couple of weeks at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Senator and Mrs. O. A. Naplin.

Thousands of thin, frail men and women have reported an astonishing and rapid increase in weight as a result of taking Tanlac. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. m9

Mrs. L. Deniarais and daughter returned to their home at Red Lake Falls Tuesday, having spent the time between trains visiting Mr. Deniarais, who is a patient at the sanatorium.

"When I began taking Tanlac I only weighed 98 pounds, now weigh 125 ponds and never felt better in my life," says Mrs. Chas. Peden, of Huntville, Ala. Lambert's drug store. —Advertisement. m-9

Mr. and Mrs. Marius Olson, who have spent the winter visiting relatives in this city and vicinity, returned Monday to Brockton, Mont., near which place they own a farm.

Mrs. Eldon Miller, formerly Miss Florence Shetler, is expected to arrive tomorrow morning from Alaska to spend an indefinite time as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Shetler.

Mr. and Mrs. Dedrick Knutson and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Knutson went to Holt Monday morning to attend the funeral of their son and brother, Lewis Knutson. The Knutson family formerly resided at Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Will returned Saturday from Moorhead, where they attended the play, "Mary Stuart," given by the senior class of the State Teachers college, in which their daughter, Virginia, took the leading role.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gubrud of Argyle arrived Monday evening and were guests at the home of the former's cousin, Mrs. H. Hermanson, over night. They left the following morning for Holt to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Gustie Anderson and her sister, Miss Sarah Swenson, who teach at Kennedy, were guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. T. S. Brokke, on Friday, leaving the same day for Steiner to visit over Sunday with their mother.

Mrs. M. W. Brink and daughter, Suzanne, expect to leave Sunday for Lincoln, Kan., to spend a month with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman. Enroute she will visit her brother, Rufus, who is a student at Macalester college.

Having moved to a down-town location I will be pleased to be of service to those wishing good home cooking. Board by the week or single meals. Large, bright and airy dining room. Mrs. Pawling, 209½ Third street, upstairs. Phone 71. m9

Miss Lillian Provencher has finished her preparatory course as a trained nurse at the Physicians hospital and leaves next week for Minneapolis to complete her studies at the General hospital for a one-year term. Mr. and Mrs. Provencher will accompany her.

Rev. T. E. Sweger returned the last of the week from Moorhead, where he attended the Lutheran pastoral conference of the Northern Minnesota circuit. He also was present at the North Dakota conference, of which he was formerly a member, held at the same time in Fargo.

Read advertisement of the Northern Trading company in another column of The Times.—Advertisement.

Mrs. F. C. Nicolai returned Tuesday evening from Warren, where she was confined for two weeks at the hospital following an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Olson and two children left Tuesday afternoon for New London, N. D., where they will visit relatives for an indefinite period.

Severt Egenes, blacksmith in the employ of Andrew Craik, was rushed to the Physicians hospital yesterday, where an operation was performed for rupture of the stomach. He worked all day Tuesday as usual but was suddenly taken sick during the night, the trouble, which was evidently of long standing, being likely aggravated by the hard nature of his work. Reports this morning are to the effect that he is getting along as well as can be expected.

Dr. Helen Hughes Hielscher of Mankato, member of the national committee of the Legion Auxiliary, was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bishop over Sunday, leaving Monday for Mahnomen to speak on the work of the Auxiliary. Saturday evening Dr. Hielscher addressed a small but interested audience of Auxiliary members at the Commercial club rooms. Sunday morning she occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church, giving a very impressive talk.

William Paskewitz, member of the Red Lake Drainage commission, was in the city yesterday enroute to his home at Grygla from Crookston, where he attended a meeting of the board. Mr. Paskewitz says the project is progressing at a highly satisfactory pace and he would not be surprised to see the actual work of dredging and straightening the river begun before the summer is over. Much will depend, said Mr. Paskewitz, on the speed with which the matter is carried through at Washington.

EASIER TO GET RID OF.

Olivia Times: Have you noticed that when a woman buys a dog, she desires a pedigree, but she isn't so particular when she takes a husband.

SAVE
You'll Need Money

—when old age arrives.

AN old age filled with homely comforts and free from financial cares is the dream of every man and woman in their youth.

YOUR dream can be realized by beginning a savings account today and keep it growing through the earning years.

THIS is a duty you owe yourself—come in today and get your pass book in our savings department.

ONE DOLLAR OR MORE STARTS AN ACCOUNT AT THIS BANK

Citizens State Bank

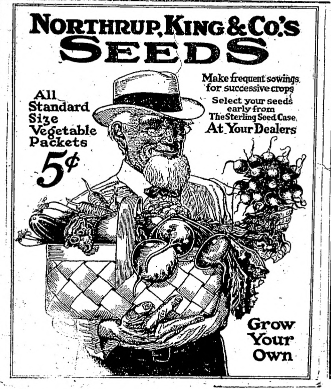
NORTHRUP, KING & CO.'S SEEDS

All Standard Size Vegetable Packets 5¢

Make frequent sowings for successive crops

Select your seeds early from The Sterling Seed Case At Your Dealers

Grow Your Own

Store Hours—
Daily 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.
Saturdays 8:30 A. M. to 10 P. M.

Loken Brothers
Distributers Of Dependable Merchandise for Women, Misses and Children

Mallison's Silks DeLuxe Arrived From New York Today

Announcement

We take pleasure in announcing that we have concluded an arrangement with

Moshontz

for the sale of his creations in Dresses. MOSHONTZ "Mode of the Moment" models will come to us fresh from his designing rooms twice each month. The number of models we may expect to receive will, of course, be limited—and there will be but one Dress of each design.

¶Those who follow Fashion's latest dictates will be appreciative of the charming originality of MOSHONTZ interpretation of the "mode"—and the fact that each model will be exclusive with its wearer enhances desirability.

¶Price, be it noted, on MOSHONTZ models is most moderate. The first originations are now on display. Your inspection is invited.

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READY-TO-WEAR DEPARTMENT
Where You See the Newest in Style and Fashion First.

Stunning New
SUITS and COATS

Direct from the Designing Rooms of America's Leading Makers to Us, and Now Ready for You. Never have we before—in advance of a Spring Season—shown such a beautiful array of snappy styles made of crisp new Spring materials, at prices for high grade quality garments really remarkably moderate. Good Suits at $15, $18.50, $25, $35 and up to $85. Coats $7.50 and at every price between up to $100. Gowns $35 to $65; Dresses $5.95 to $25.

The Final Shipment of the Hicks-Fuller Stock
ARRIVED TODAY AND GOES ON SALE TOMORROW

Twelve New and Staple Shades of Silk Charmeuse, the hardest silk in the world to get at this price. Goes on sale tomorrow in our Bargain Basement at per yard $1.69

36 INCH SILK TAFFETA IN BLACK AND COLORS. A wonderful value in Taffeta Silks that just arrived today, ready for you tomorrow, at per yard $1.69

(Main Floor—Dry Goods Dept.)

Bargain Basement Specials Now on Sale

HUCK TOWELS
Hicks-Fuller guest size Huck Towels, each
5c

RIC RAC BRAIDS
All colors, in 4 yard bunches
7c

BEAD NECKLACES
A big variety of all kinds, at per string
19c

DRESS GINGHAMS
A big variety of new patterns, at choice
15c

LACES
A table of Laces at this low price. Per yard
5c

PINS
400 Pins in a paper; extra large package
5c

SCOUT PERCALES
36 in. Standard Scout Percales, all shades and patterns, at per yard
15c

RIBBONS
A big variety of fancy hair bow Ribbons, at per yard
10c

TOOTH PASTE
Air Float Brand, at per tube
5c

LOKEN OTHERS
Thief River Falls, Minnesota

HE HAS SEVERAL AXES TO GRIND

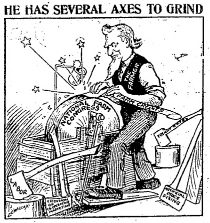

AT THE THEATRES

HERE'S A LESSON FOR MOVIE-MAD MAIDENS

A "horrible example" to screen-struck girls is offered in "Two Weeks With Pay," the new Bebe Daniels comedy which will be at the Lyceum Friday and Saturday.

This example was furnished by Polly Moran, the famous "Sheriff Nell" of many comedies, who plays in this picture the amusing role of a hotel chambermaid with aspirations to become a movie star. Her burlesque of the manner in which screen aspirants "register" various kinds of emotion to determine their suitability for camera work is one of the funniest things of the kind yet filmed.

"Aside from its comic possibilities," said Miss Moran seriously after completing one of her scenes, "I do hope my work in this picture will cause people who couldn't possibly succeed in films to think twice before letting themselves in for a disappointment. Careful and unprejudiced analysis of personal ability should precede any real attempt for motion picture fame. My chambermaid is deliberately meant to be funny—but there are many misguided souls of that sort in real life who are just as unsuited for film work, yet ambitious to go into pictures."

The more some fellers see of life the less the rest of us have to live for.

Our Cash Market

On March 9 we paid for
clean, fresh eggs 25c
Heavy hens 16c
Springs 15c
Stags and Cox 10c
Cow and steer hides 5c
Horse hides ..$1.50 to $2.50
Wool, clean, average 18c-20c
Skunks, regardless of stripe ....$2 to $3.50

Get the habit. Sell your eggs for cash. We believe we can pay you more money. Wool is at its top. Hide market firmer. Get our price on your furs before shipping.

Northern Trading Co.
Next to Court House. Phone 301-w

Exchange Echoes

EDITOR TRIES TO TELL TRUTH.

Delano Eagle: A Kansas editor announced that he would try for one week to tell the truth, and he is still in the hospital. He didn't get by the first day. The following item appeared in Monday's issue and now the boys are getting out the paper. This is what he said:

"Married: Miss Sylvia Rhoda to Mr. Homer Canahan, last Sunday evening at the Baptist church. The bride was an ordinary town girl who didn't know any more than a rabbit about cooking and never helped her mother three days in her life. She is not beautiful by any means and has a gait like a duck. The groom is an up-to-date has-been, a loafer, living off his old folks all his life, and don't amount to shucks, and they're going to have a hard life while they live together."

LOOKS LIKE IT.

Warroad Pioneer: The Baudette Region does not seem to take well to the candidacy of Opsahl for representative. Can it be that Hill is jealous of the other railroad builder?

GOOD IMPRESSIONS.

Sleepy Eye Herald-Dispatch: There is nothing in the world that makes so good an impression on others as an individual's good manners. Every boy and girl, man and woman in Sleepy Eye should make a close study of manners, for the whole future life and the chances of business may hinge upon them. The child who goes forth without a thorough knowledge of manners and without a complete understanding of the value of manners and the necessity for applying them is on the open road to failure. The impression that a young man makes upon others is his greatest stock in trade. Great knowledge and splendid ability may be concealed by a veneer of bad manners. Business deals that may mean success or failure through an entire life have often, and will many times in the future, been won or lost through manners. Good manners cost nothing except the effort to acquire them—teach the child that and you have done a favor greater than can be measured in gold or silver.

YOU BET.

Middle River Pioneer: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week were market days in Thief River Falls. The Thief River Falls business men do not believe in sitting down and doing nothing because times are dull. They go after business and get it.

THE FARMERS' CHAMPION.

Dawson Sentinel: Perhaps the average farmer doesn't know it, but the American Farm Bureau federation is saving the people of this country [illegible] a day in freight rates. The officers of the federation fought the valuations which the railroads wanted the Interstate Commerce commission to place on the railroad properties and secured a reduction of $1,700,000,000, on which the American people would be required to pay interest if the farm bureau officials hadn't been on the job.

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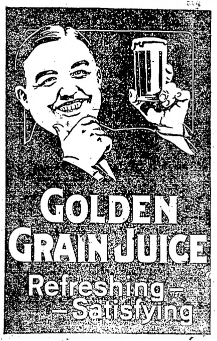

Continuation of Hearing of Andy Brown Expected

The hearing of Andy Brown, who is charged with the murder of Miss Mario Wick, probably will be continued again when it is called before Justice H. F. Miller in Fargo next Tuesday, it is announced.

W. C. Green, state's attorney of Cass county, who has been at the home of his parents at Stephen, Minn., since the trial of the Gummer case, has returned to Fargo.

Gummer is still being kept a prisoner in the Barnes county jail.

'Coure we won the war. Ain't a lot of us still collecting condemnities and boneless bonuses?

Mothers—Important.

Mothers should see that the whole family take a thorough, purifying system-cleaning laxative this Spring. NOW IS THE TIME. The family will be healthier, happier, and get along better if the blood is given a thorough purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter accumulated in the system, driven away. HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGET TABLETS is one of the very best and surest spring medicines to take. Get them and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll eat better, sleep better, and be well and happy. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. Mar.

Obituary

Sena Gunderson.

Miss Sena Gunderson died at the home of her brother, O. B. Gunderson, Rocksbury township, where she had been visiting for two months. Deceased was 48 years of age. The body was taken to her home at Moorhead for burial.

Signi Peterson.

Funeral services for Miss Signi Peterson were held Tuesday afternoon at her home at Gatzke. The deceased had been suffering from tuberculosis for more than a year. She was well known here, having at various times been employed at the Hotel Evelyn.

Mike Dluski.

Mike Dluski of Middle River died in this city this week from bronchial pneumonia. He was 32 years old and was a native of Russia, having come to this country nine years ago. The funeral was held from the Catholic church here this morning and interment made in the Catholic cemetery.

Leon Carlson.

Leon, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson, 819 Arnold avenue north, who was born on Monday, March 6, passed away yesterday. Interment will be made at Greenwood.

Churches

Zion Lutheran Church.
George Larson, Pastor.

Services in city 11 a. m. Rev. Moatue will preach. Services in city 7:45. Rev. Bredeson will preach. Services at Goodridge 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Services at Mr. Hall's residence in Rosewood on Tuesday at 11 a. m. Rindal Ladies' Aid meets at Axelson home, Tuesday, March 14, at 2 p. m. Prayer meeting at Oftelie's Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible class 10 a. m. every Sunday. Confirmants meet every Saturday in the parsonage at 2 p. m. Quarterly business meeting the last Monday in March at 8 o'clock.

Trinity Lutheran Church.
T. E. Sweger, Pastor

Circuit meeting at the church Tuesday to Thursday this week. The Sunday school teachers hold a social Friday evening, March 10, beginning at 7:30. There will be booths where ice cream, home made candy, popcorn balls, will be sold. Fruit salad, sandwiches, cake and coffee will be served. A cordial welcome to all. Confirmation class at the parsonage Saturday at 10 o'clock. Divine services Sunday in English 11 a. m. Special music. In Norwegian 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class 9:45. Ladies' Aid meets in church parlors Thursday, March 16, entertained by Mesdames Halvor Loken, E. Overland, Peder Jacobson and J. H. Hermanson. Young People's League in the evening entertained by Mesdames Bloomquist, G. Tessum and Dora Tharaldson.

Christian Science.

Services are held each Sunday at the church on First and LaBree at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject, Sunday, March 12, "Substance." Sunday school at 10 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

St. John's Lutheran Church.
E. H. Kreidt, Pastor.

English Passion services Sunday morning at 10:30. Topic of sermon: "A Sinner's Prayer; a Savior's Answer." Sunday school 11:30 a. m. Mrs. Lautenbach will entertain the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Andreus Hoveland, two blocks east of the Soo shops.

Salvation Army.

Staff Captain Whitney of Minneapolis will be here over the week-end. He will conduct services and the public is cordially welcomed.

Ev. Luth. Augustana Church.
Albin A. Larson, Pastor.

Services in Swedish Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school at 10:45 a. m. Ladies' Aid Society will be entertained by Mrs. E. Crown and Mrs. E. Forsberg on Wednesday afternoon, March 15. Willing Workers Society will meet at the Carlson home on Arnold avenue north Friday evening, March 10.

Sw. Ev. Mission Church.
O. J. Lundell, Pastor.

Sunday, March 12: Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning and evening services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, March 14, prayer meeting at the home of Eric Beckman, Crocker avenue north. Friday, March 17, Young People's meeting at 8 p. m.

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Public Forum

HOT SHOTS ON THE COUNTY AGENT PROPOSITION FROM A DIRT FARMER.

How much will it reduce your taxes if the county agent appropriation amounting to two mills on every dollar, except the dollars spent on such an item as ditches, are taken off your taxes. The small amount the county agent cost me last year would not keep me in snuff for a week.

Isn't it a fact that the persons who holler most against county agent work in the county are the ones who do not use his services?

Take the case of one farmer in the county in 1921 who followed the advice of the county agent. That farmer made more money on his farm than the county board appropriated to the agricultural interest of the county the same year.

Why single out as a target the expenditure on co-operative extension work, which is endeavoring in every way to help agriculture in the county? If there should be some men who, having never investigated, don't believe in the work, why deprive your brother farmer of the benefits from progressive methods of farming?

If there are any farmers or anybody else in the county for that matter, who feel that they have their business at such a high state of perfection that they can't hope to improve it—then vote No on the question as to the continuation of co-operative extension work in agriculture in Marshall county. If you should have a hankering notion that there is still something in this life to be learned, vote Yes on such a line of endeavor as the county agent work in Marshall county.

Seems to me, the way I look at this county agent work, that the foundation upon which their work is builded is to make agriculture more permanent, the farms more profitable and a more desirable place in which to live. How much sooner this work would be accomplished if we all did our part, a thing which we should consider as our solemn duty!

KEEN OBSERVER.

Auction Sales

On March 17 August Johnson will hold a public auction of personal property on his farm, the southwest quarter of section 2, town of Agder, four miles north and seven miles east of Thief River Falls, sale commencing at 11 o'clock. The following property will be offered: Four horses, two cows, one red steer, one heifer calf and a number of chickens. The machinery includes a McCormick 6 foot binder, 16-disc Van Brunt drill with seed attachment, 16-inch John Deere sulky plow, gang plow, 16-disc sod cutter, 5-section Bulldog drag, 3-section iron drag, Milwaukee mower in good condition, 16-inch breaking plow, 16-inch stubble plow, 14-inch breaking plow, 10-foot hay rake, Columbia wagon, complete with box; hay rack, two bob sleighs, Superior fanning mill, 10 wooden barrels, two water tubs, two breeching harness, work harness nearly new, two 55 gal. kerosene barrels, some kerosene, a grindstone, some fence posts and tamarack rails, log and other chains, 60 grain sacks, one share in Farmers elevator at Thief River Falls, 12 gauge double barrel shot gun, cook stove, 3-burner oil stove, cupboard, beds, chairs and many other articles too numerous to mention. The farm will also be offered for sale. Free lunch at noon. Usual terms. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer, First National bank, clerk.

C. J. Hannett will sell his personal property on the old Ben Erickson farm in Rocksbury township, two miles south and one and a half miles east of Thief River Falls, on Wednesday, March 22. Sale commences at 10 o'clock. The list to be offered includes: One grey gelding, one manure spreader, Corn planter and drill with check rowing attachment and 60 rods of wire; cultivator with double rigged shovels and discs, McCormick binder either with or without shocking attachment, Van Brunt press drill, Pounder harrow, Sattley-Racine gang plow, Sattley-Racine sulky plow, 6-foot disc, Hero fanning mill with sacking elevator for power or hand operation, 2 h. p. gasoline engine, feed cutter, hand or power driven, 10-foot hay rake, grindstone, buggy harness with breast collar, also collar and hames, half set work harness, incubator, brooder, Hero seed corn grader, oak bureau with plate glass mirror, oak commode to match bureau, parlor organ, six oak chairs, iron bed with springs and mattress, other small articles too numerous to mention. Free lunch will be served at noon. Usual terms. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer, First National bank, clerk.

Earl Reeves will hold an auction sale on the southwest quarter of section 27 in town of Cloverleaf, one mile south and one mile east of Mavie, on Tuesday, March 14, at which time the following property will be offered for sale to the highest bidder:

Four horses, five cows, one Guernsey bull, 2 years old; one roan heifer, one red heifer, 20 purebred Leghorn chickens, two sets of work harness with collars, 7-foot Minnesota binder, 7-foot Osborne disc, 5-section wooden harrow, 20-shoe Van Brunt drill, 5-foot McCormick mower, 10-foot McCormick hay rake, wide-tire Moline wagon, Mundt sleigh, kitchen range, sewing machine, bureau, bed and springs, other articles too numerous to mention. Free lunch at noon. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer; Citizens State bank, clerk.

Sam A. Johnson will hold an auction sale on the old Satre farm, Section 8, town of Rocksbury, one and one-half miles west of Thief River Falls and four miles north of St. Hilaire, on Monday, March 13. He will sell four horses, two cows, one brood sow to farrow in April, some chickens, about 200 bushels clean yellow seed oats, and the following machinery:

Minnesota binder, 7 foot cut; light draft Kentucky single disc drill, 11-inch Deere gang plow, Osborne disc, good as new, 5-section Osborne harrow, 6-foot Deering mower, good as new; Rock Island wagon with triple box; International pivot pole riding cultivator, top buggy, set bob sleds, No. 3 Primrose cream separator with pulley attachment, 3 sets of work harness, single buggy harness, pump jack and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Free lunch will be served at noon. Usual terms. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer and the First National bank, clerk.

Specials
For Saturday March 11

Pork Sausage and Hamburger, per lb. 12½c
Beef Roast, per lb. 12c
Beef Stew, per lb. 7c

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Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Willowdale School Notes.

Those having perfect attendance in February are: Edna and Byron Sagmoen, Ruth Lappegaard and Delbert Kron. Many of the pupils have been absent on account of illness and the cold weather. The star spellers for February are: Vern and Albin Petterson, Torgne Haraldsen, Edna Sagmoen, Delbert Kron and Ruth Lappegaard. On Feb. 14 the parents and friends were entertained at a Valentine party. A program was given in keeping with the day. After the distribution of valentines each person received a package containing an "all day sucker." Refreshments were served. The fifth grade has been busy studying about money in arithmetic, an important feature of the study being a retail store in play. The eighth graders are studying Europe in geography and find it quite difficult to remember all the new countries and changes in that continent since the world war. The teacher, Miss Ellen Fellman, and Miss Ethel Kron, spent a pleasant Saturday evening at the John Bloom home.

John Bloom left Wednesday evening for Thief River Falls to spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. [illegible] Crown.

Emil Anderson is having dental work done at Thief River Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Nelson spent Thursday at Warren to receive medical attention.

Walfred Wahlbeck of St. Hilaire is [illegible] at this week of her sister, Mrs. [illegible] Sagmoen.

[illegible] New Solum town election will be held on Tuesday, March 14, at the Busy Bee school building.

A birthday shower party was tendered Miss Olga Alby on her 18th birthday last Saturday. The evening was merrily passed at dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Mosbeck entertained a few of their friends at their home near Anita Monday evening.

Nordhagen & Sagmoen will begin sawing lumber next week.

Mrs. John Bloom and son, Axel, went to Thief River Falls on Saturday evening to spend Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Selmer Haugen, Mrs. Adolph Haugen and daughter, Dorothy, left Monday for Angus to visit for a few days with their sister, Mrs. Stroble.

Axel Bloom has purchased a Ford coupe from Lloyd Crown at Thief River Falls.

The Rindal Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Julia Axelson at her home on Tuesday afternoon, the 14th. Norwegian services at the O. B. Hall home in the forenoon of the same day.

Anton Gullseth and Albert Alby returned Thursday from a short business trip to Thief River Falls.

Walter Kron left Wednesday evening for a brief business stay at Thief River Falls.

Miss Mabel Lappegaard returned to resume her work at Thief River Falls on Thursday after a week's vacation with her home folks.

A number of young people spent Sunday evening at the R. Sagmoen home at Anita.

Emil Mellem spent a few days the first of the week calling on friends at Viking.

Carl Bloom went to Warren Friday morning to see his wife, who is at the hospital and will undergo an operation next week.

Chas. Swanson of Steiner was in town Saturday on business concerning the laying out of a road near his place.

Alec Hellquist, Jalmer Rafteseth and Lewis Alby went to Thief River Falls Friday evening to visit friends between trains.

Tena Alby came over from Viking Friday evening to spend Sunday with her home folks.

Miss Gena Aas went to Thief River Falls Friday to visit friends until the following day.

M. B. Rafteseth returned Saturday evening to resume his employment at Hibbing, after a couple of weeks stay with home folks and friends.

Goodwin Holten has been in the employ of John Remmem the past week hauling wood for a carload to be shipped soon.

Joel Shoberg attended the high school play at Thief River Falls last Friday evening.

Howard Carlson left Thursday for Northwood and Grand Forks to consult doctors concerning a rheumatic ailment.

Mrs. Hans Norwick spent several days the middle of the week visiting her sister at Thief River Falls.

ERIE

The Erie section of the Teachers' Progressive league held its annual public meeting at the Erie hall Friday evening of last week. Miss Dora Perry, instructress in the normal training department of the Thief River Falls high school, and Supt. Gunderson were the principal speakers. A song by Jeanette and Inga Trontweth and a recitation by Maxine Lien added much to the program, after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Arthur Baird, chairman of this section, was in charge.

Mrs. Frank Woods and sons, Daniel and William, left last Thursday for Montana to join Mr. Woods, who is farming out there. Mrs. Woods has spent the past year here with her mother, Mrs. B. Danielson.

T. Loyland drove to Thief River Falls last Thursday with a load of alfalfa seed which he was to sell.

The Erie Ladies' Aid Society met with Mrs. S. Prestegard on Wednesday of last week, and the Eastern Star Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Oliver Tommerdahl on Wednesday of this week. Both meetings were well attended.

Gunhild Nerhus, who is employed at the Lars Hyland home down in Hickory, spent a few days with her home folks in eastern Star.

Carl Ekwall, Jr., is nursing a sore hand caused by burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Tharaldson spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. B. Danielson and family.

Supt. Gunderson and Miss Dora Perry of Thief River Falls called at some of our schools last Friday.

Mrs. Rouze visited her children and folks in Goodridge for a few hours last Saturday.

Sakarias J. Hole and H. C. Iverson have gone into the blacksmithing business and are very much occupied in shoeing chickens these days, they report.

A large number of the young folks in eastern Star, chaperoned by Mesdames Rouze and Dahlen, gathered at the Clover Nook school house Sunday evening and spent a few hours in a social way. Community singing, impromptus, and the playing of various games served as a pastime. Fudge, coffee and cake were served at 11 p. m., after which all went to their homes feeling that they had had a pleasant time at a party gotten up on very short notice.

John Hovet, Knut Berg and Carl Froland were visitors at the H. Sunsdahl home on Sunday afternoon.

Carl Hanson of Reiner spent Sunday with Glen Svare.

H. O. Tommerdahl of Thief River Falls was out last Friday and Saturday looking after his farm interests.

Several of our farmers attended a creamery meeting in Goodridge last Saturday.

The T. Hyland and L. B. Johnson families were visitors at G. A. Iverson's Sunday afternoon.

H. O. Folkedahl, who has been on the sick list for the last four months, is gradually improving.

Ernest Peterson was called to the county seat last week to act as a witness in the H. Hyland and Abe Bost case.

The annual meeting of the town board of Star was held at the clerk's office on Tuesday. The town election will be held in the school house in District 5 on Tuesday, the 14th.

STEINER

J. A. Russell sawed a big pile of wood for Gust Austinson and also one for Mr. Rogers on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Rustad, the grocery peddler, was in this vicinity last week.

The snow has been settling pretty fast now for a few days and if this weather continues it will be a hard spring on winter rye.

Frank Slack was a business caller in Thief River Falls last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Muzzy have a new boarder at their house. He is a boy and came last week.

Miss Esther Meyer has been visiting her sister in Thief River Falls the past few days.

Willis Warring has been hauling straw from the Copp farm.

Jessie Rogers visited her parents over Sunday and returned to her school work in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Ernest Slack made a business trip over east of the river the last of the week.

Christ Berg went to town Friday with a load of grain to have it ground for feed.

A company of young people had a very pleasant party at the Warring home Sunday evening.

Emmons Rogers drove to Thief River Falls Friday on business.

The Swenson boys were business visitors at the county seat on Friday.

Arthur Simonson had a fine pile of wood sawed in his yard one day last week.

Rene Werner made a business trip to Holt the other day.

Miss Gladys Russell, who is attending high school at Thief River Falls, visited home folks over Sunday.

Arthur Muzzy was hauling hay the latter part of the week from the north Muzzy farm.

August Riedl helped Gust Austinson saw wood on Tuesday.

Nat Muzzy was in town Friday evening.

Martin Kisch and his hired man have been splitting wood.

NUMEDAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. Joringdal were Viking shoppers Friday.

Thure and Ed. Blomberg and Conrad Ronning and George Buggo were among those who took in the dance at Viking Friday evening.

Oliver Ronning was a Viking caller on Friday.

David Samuelson spent Saturday evening visiting at the Egbert Malberg home.

Soren Knutson and Ar Nelson are busy baling and hauling hay to Viking these days.

Thure Blomberg was a Viking visitor Friday.

Arthur Sumner assisted Forest Hedrick with hay hauling Satrday. Mr. Hedrick and family are moving to St. Hilaire this week, having rented a farm near that place.

Thure Blomberg called at the Ben Sumner home Saturday and purchased some fine seed oats.

Olof Larson called at the J. Joringdal home Sunday.

Ed. Blomberg was a Sunday visitor at the E. Joringdal home.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Larson were Viking shoppers Monday.

Thure Blomberg was busy hauling seed oats from the Ben Sumner farm Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Joringdal and family were Sunday callers at the Blomberg home.

Arthur Sumner was a Viking visitor Tuesday.

Thure Blomberg sawed wood at the O. W. Anderson home Tuesday.

J. Joringdal was a business caller at the Brookside Farm Monday.

WYANDOTTE

Miss Sarah Evenson was a visitor in Thief River Falls Monday and Tuesday.

Louis Evenson and Arthur Kopp were callers in Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Louis Evenson ground feed for Pat Calkins on Monday.

Misses Cora and Hattie Halvorson were visitors at the K. Thorvilson home Sunday.

Arthur Kolp and Anker Hanson were Sunday visitors at the Ed. Evenson home.

Mrs. K. Thorvilson, Louise Shefveland and Willie Wilson were Sunday visitors at the Oscar Wilson home.

Mrs. Hanson, Oscar and Ruth, were visitors at the Lars Larson home on Monday.

Alfred Helgeson, Johnnie and Edwin Nelson were Sunday guests at the L. Larson home.

Louis Evenson and Arthur Kolp visited at the John Dahl home Sunday evening.

Mrs. K. Thorvilson and Louise Shefveland were visitors at the Jas. Evenson home Saturday afternoon.

K. Thorvilson made a business trip to Plummer Monday.

Mrs. Julius Nelson visited at the James Evenson home Friday afternoon.

Dorothy Evenson visited at the G. A. Wilson home Tuesday.

Ede Evenson and Louis Larson visited in Thief River Falls Wednesday.

WHAT DOES IT COST TO MAINTAIN FARM BUREAU?

(Contributed.)

Some figures are given below in relation to the amount of the different expenditures made by Marshall county in 1921. These figures are taken from the financial statement of the county auditor as printed in the Warren Sheaf, dated Feb. 1, 1922.

It is easy to see that the claims of those who think the county is spending too much to improve its agricultural conditions are unfounded when comparison is made with other county expenditures. The county appropriation for co-operative extension work in agriculture and home economics is never made to the farm bureau. The appropriation goes to the order of the Dean of the College of Agriculture, University of Minnesota. When the extension division is advised of the money appropriation to its use, it puts an amount of $1860.00 from its own funds to the furtherance of the extension work in Marshall county.

Furthermore, both the extension division of the state and the U. S. department of agriculture agree to furnish any of their specialists to that county, or any county which maintains the county agent work. These experts will carry on their work in counties progressive enough to employ a county agent.

At some time or other in the past year all the people of Marshall county have been given a chance to find out from the specialists down state what is best and safest to do in their farming methods or choice of crops to be raised. There has been a county agent on the job—for the greater part of the year two county agents—in Marshall county, available for consultation by farmers, if requested. Over 1,500 such requests were received and farm visits made. Over 1,800 office calls in the two parts of the county were made by farmers wanting information on their problems.

Given below are some partial lines of work in which the county agent can be of assistance. Can it be possible that a majority of farmers wish to do away with such aid?

1. Giving personal help upon your farm IF REQUESTED.
2. Ship your livestock; co-operative shipping associations.
3. Secure best seed for Marshall county conditions.
4. Aid in management of potato fields and seed plots.
5. Conducting spraying demonstrations, treatment of seed potatoes, etc.
6. Demonstrations on treatment of grain for smut, etc.
7. Help in growing alfalfa and other legumes.
8. Furnish information as to the best pasture mixtures.
9. Secure phosphate and other commercial fertilizers at minimum cost.
10. Test your soils and supply information as to soil needs and treatment.
11. Assist in sale and purchase of cattle, hogs, etc.
13. Conduct poultry culling demonstrations.
14. Pooling sale of farm products.
15. Assisting in testing your cattle for tuberculosis in co-operation with state and federal departments.
16. Organize cow testing associations, potato associations, etc.
17. Assist in organizing and carrying on livestock associations.
18. Give assistance in keeping farm accounts.
19. Give assistance in hiring help.
20. Laying out your farmstead for protection with trees and windbreak plantations.
21. Assist in organization of community clubs.
22. Maintaining a central office for information regarding soils, crops, livestock, etc.
23. *By acting as a clearing house* for what you have to sell and want to buy.
24. Act as a connecting link between the college of agriculture, U. S. department of agriculture and Marshall county.
25. By co-operating with 85 counties in Minnesota in the formation of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, which is looking after the marketing and legislative programs of the farmers in the United States.
26. By co-operating with 2,600 counties in the United States in the organization of the Farm Bureau federation, which is looking after the marketing and legislative problems of the farmer in the United States.
27. The service of the county agent is free to every farmer through farm visits (if requested), telephone calls, office consultations and local meetings.

The following table shows how the taxpayer's dollar in Marshall county was spent in 1921. Multiply the amount of your tax receipt by the amounts given below in cents, mills and tenths of mills to determine how much of your tax money went for any of the items listed below:

County officers and clerk hire	.03661
Commissioners' mileage	.00041
Mothers' pensions	.00882
Weed inspectors	.00280
Unclassified expenses from general revenue fund	.03500
Blanks, books and office supplies	.00733
Legal publishing and job work	.00427
Crow, gopher and wolf bounty	.00438
Insane, boarding prisoners and coroner's work	.00127
Bridge bond fund	.00402
District and justice court expenses	.00780
Towns and villages	.17000
School districts	.34030
State of Minnesota fund	.08850
Tuberculosis sanatorium	.01600
Miscellaneous expenses	.06700
County road and bridge fund	.19900
Highway engineer, salary and expenses	.01400
Transfer to county agent fund	.00220
	$1.00

In reference to above figures on towns and villages and school districts the average for the county had to be taken. The above list does not include $195,522.65 spent for ditches, including engineers' salaries and expenses.

HOW DID THEY DARE?

Faribault News: We don't know when we have been so surprised and hurt as when we heard that the authorities of the university had gone right ahead and selected a football coach instead of turning the whole thing over to the sporting editors of the twin city papers.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the twenty-sixth day of October, 1916, made, executed and delivered by Henry A. Wiebe and Mary Wiebe, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as mortgagors, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, to secure the payment of the sum of Two Thousand and no-100 Dollars ($2,000.00) and interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, according to the terms and conditions of a certain promissory note and the interest coupons thereto annexed, made and executed by said Henry A. Wiebe and Mary Wiebe, his wife, to said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, and in said mortgage fully described, which said mortgage was duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the twenty-seventh day of October, 1916, at 8:20 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 12 of Mortgages on page 319, and which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was thereafter duly assigned by the said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company to the Merchants Trust and Savings Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Minnesota, having its place of business in Saint Paul, Minnesota, by written assignment bearing date the twenty-first day of November, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota in Book 58 of Assignments of Mortgages on page 246, on the twenty-fourth day of November, 1916, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and

Whereas, said mortgagors have failed and refused to pay the principal of the note in said mortgage described, in the sum of Two Thousand and no-100 Dollars ($2,000.00) which became due and payable on the twenty-sixth day of October, 1921, and said Merchants Trust and Savings Bank, has elected and does hereby elect, to declare all sums evidenced by said note, together with all accrued interest to be due and payable, and there is claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of Two Thousand and no-100 Dollars ($2,000.00), and interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum from said twenty-sixth day of October, 1921, which interest at the date of this notice amounts to Thirty-six and 67-100 Dollars ($36.67), and also the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorney's fees, as provided for in said mortgage, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the mortgaged premises at public auction by the sheriff of said County of Pennington to the highest bidder therefor for cash on Wednesday, the 19th day of April, 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to satisfy the amount which will then and there be due on said mortgage for principal and interest, together with the costs and charges of sale, the taxes, if any, on said premises, and said Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) for attorney's fees, said mortgaged premises to be sold lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Three (3), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-five (45) West, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof.

Dated February 25th, 1922.

MERCHANTS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
WALTER E. KUNZE,
Attorney for said Assignee,
C/o Merchants Trust and Savings Bank,
Saint Paul, Minnesota.
M-2-9-16-23-30-A-6

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, ss.

To S. A. Burnham:

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: Lots Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), and Eight (8), Block Fifteen (15), in Knox's Addition to Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, an addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls, is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 13th day of May, 1918, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in, and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 13th day of March, 1918, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1916, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land were duly bid in for the state for the sum of Five and 86-100 Dollars.

(3) That the said pieces or parcels of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 17th day of November, 1921, for the sum of Eight Dollars and Forty-four cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Five Dollars and Eighty-six cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $5.86 thereof from the 13th day of May, 1918, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $5.61 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 12th day of May, 1919, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $5.61 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 10th day of May, 1920, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $6.70 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 9th day of May, 1921, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of February, 1922.

(Official Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota,
By Axel Elsberg, Deputy.
Approved May 10, 1919.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General.
F-23-M-2-9

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage duly executed and delivered by Elmer Klungness and Julia A. Klungness, his wife, Mortgagors, to Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of July, 1920, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on Page 574, and

Whereas, the said Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said Mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of $781.76, being the amount of principal and interest secured by the Mortgage hereby being foreclosed, and whereas the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Eight (8), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of April, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $781.76, and interest, and taxes if any, on said premises, and Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 20, 1922.

PETER O. SORLOM,
Mortgagee.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
F-23-M-2-9-16-23-30

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Gaston Ward, a single man, mortgagor, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 24th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 477, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage, have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, the total sum of Eighty-five and 17-100 Dollars ($85.17) as follows: The sum of $64.48 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $20.74 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Twelve (12) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 1st day of April, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $85.17, and interest; and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 14th, 1922.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Ninety-nine and 8-100 ($3199.08) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Thomas E. Jacobson and Marie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands), as mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page 368, which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 25th day of January, A. D. 1922, by assignment in writing duly assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "67" of Mortgages, on page 397, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot numbered One (1) in Section Twenty-eight (28); Lots numbered One (1), Two (2) and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼NE¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29), (excepting a plot of ground 65 ft. by 168 ft. in said Lot 1, Sect. 29, heretofore deeded to the Highlanding Co-Operative Creamery Association); all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 110 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt and interest and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 3rd day of April, 1922, at ten (10:00) o'clock in the forenoon of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 7, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
621 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Halvor Svendsen and Thona Svendsen, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, upon the following land, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Section Two (2) and Lots Three and Four (3 and 4) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40) *West of the Fifth Principal Meridian*, containing One Hundred Eighty-two (182) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof;

Which said mortgage bears date the 6th day of October, 1917, and with the power of sale therein contained was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 370, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 22nd day of October, 1917, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands, which assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages, on page 467, which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 27th day of January, 1922, by assignment in writing, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1922, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "67" of Mortgages, on page 395, and which said mortgage was given to secure payment of the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred ($1600.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) certain promissory note made and executed by said Halvor Svendsen and Thona Svendsen, said mortgagors, to said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 6th day of October of years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, each for the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 6th day of October, 1921, is past due and unpaid and has been past due and unpaid for more than ten (10) days; and,

Whereas it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in payment of interest at the time it became due and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum, together with accrued interest, should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be deemed to have become due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 6th day of October, 1921, amounting to the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, and that by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal, with accrued interest, is by said assignee of mortgagee, Hollam Company, deemed to have become immediately due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of Seventeen Hundred Thirty-four and 53-100 ($1734.53) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceedings having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 27th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 2, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
621 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-9-16-23-M-2-9-16

Sale of Ditching Jobs.

Notice is Hereby Given, That on the 15th day of March, 1922, at two o'clock P. M., at the County Auditor's office in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, I will sell the jobs of cleaning and repairing County Ditch No. 1 of Pennington County, established by the County Board of Pennington County, State of Minnesota, by order bearing date August 31, 1921, viz: For the work as one job, and also for one or more sections of 100 feet each, and also for one or more of the construction jobs, each of said sections to be known and numbered by stakes as shown by the report of the Engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the outlet, and from there, successively, up stream to the one including the source, to the lowest responsible bidder or bidders, and that bids are invited for said work; said work to be completed within the time required and in the manner specified, in said Engineer's report. And no bid will be entertained which exceeds more than thirty (30) per cent the estimated cost of the construction of the part of said work covered by said bid, and the successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond in an amount not less than the contract price, to be approved by the Auditor of said County, with two freehold sureties, for the faithful performance and fulfillment of his contract, and to pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the job in the manner and within the time required in the contract. The said order and estimates and profile are on file, and may be seen at my office.

The approximate amount of work to be done in the construction of said ditch is as follows: 15,450 cubic yards.

The estimated total cost of the work is $2,781.00.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Auditor of said County, for not less than ten per cent of the amount of each bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated February 21, 1922.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor Pennington County,
State of Minnesota.
F-23-M-2-9

NEW FARM BODY OPENS WAR FOR MINIMUM PRICE

Stabilization of Agriculturel Market Aim of Latest Organization Among Growers.

Senate Committee Expected to Act Favorably on Measures to Be Proposed Soon.

Ask That Farmers Be Given the Same Consideration as Railroads and Other Interests.

Still another farmers' organization made its appearance at the national capitol last week, writes Edwin Markham to the St. Paul Pioneer Press. It really is an organization within existing organizations, but nevertheless it merely adds to the long list of various agencies trying to get through congress legislation of a class character.

Stabilization of the prices of farm products is the object of the new organization known as the Farmers' National Stabilization committee. W. J. Mozely of the North Dakota Farmers' union, is the director general. In announcing the committee it was said:

"The purpose of the organization is to inaugurate and carry on a nation wide campaign in the interests of legislation now under consideration in the agricultural committees of both houses of congress providing for for the stabilization of prices of the major farm products."

Originated With League.

The stabilization idea, which is another way of saying price fixing by the government, originated with the Nonpartisan league members in the house and senate. Bills were introduced by North Dakotans and soon were followed by others presented by members who apparently want to appease the farming elements in their districts.

There have been indications that the senate committee on agriculture, which has a number of radical Republican members, including the chairman, Senator Norris, will report some such legislation.

The Mozely organization is expected to round up enough votes in the house and senate to put over this price-fixing legislation. For the most part those in the new organization are members of the National Farmers' union. Charles S. Barrett, head of the organization, has had a big hand in the new venture but has kept himself in the background. He is devoting much of his time to issuing statements demanding that the government help agriculture on the theory it is an indispensable "public utility."

Official Board Announced.

The official board of the new committee includes, besides Mr. Mozely, J. S. Wannamaker, president of the American Cotton association, vice chairman; Vernon Campbell, vice president and general manager of the co-operative creameries of California, secretary and treasurer; John Simpson, president of the Farmers' Union of Oklahoma, chairman of the organization committee.

The executive committee is composed of C. J. Osbornt, president of the Farmers' Union of Nebraska, chairman; Charles S. Barrett, president of the National Farmers' union, Milo Reno, president of the Farmers' Union of Iowa; W. M. Burlingame, president of the Montana Society of Equity; G. S. Woodcock, Steamboat Springs, Colo.; Dr. G. L. Sands, president of the Farmers' Union of Arkansas; John Quicny Adams, Spokane, Wash.; J. M. Anderson, general manager of the Equity Exchange, St. Paul; J. W. Batcheller, president of the Farmers' Union of South Dakota; William H. Lyon of Sioux Falls, S. D., and Dallas H. Gray of Harmona, Calif.

To Insist on Minimum Price.

"The committee," Mr. Mozely said, "will insist that the farmers be placed in a posititon to obtain a minimum price for their major products, depending on the open markets for a maximum return.

"Agriculture is a public utility and the only indispensable utility which today exists or ever will exist, therefore it is entitled to that consideration which will encourage it to become 100 per cent efficient in feeding and clothing the nation.

"We insist that farmers be given at least a part of that consideration which has been extended to the railways, the trolley systems and the gas and electric lighting organizations.

"It is useless extending the borrowing power of the farmer if he is not at the same time given a price for his products which would enable him to pay the cost of bringing them to maturity. Let him have a fair return on his investment of labor and capital and it will not be necessary for him to borrow money."

LOCAL INSTITUTIONS RECEIVE HIGH PRAISE FROM SOLDIER BOARD

L. E. Lowe, representing the Veterans bureau in the capacity of field hospital contact officer, recently visited Thief River Falls on a tour of inspection of hospital conditions relating to the handling of government cases, and appointed G. Howard Smith local hospital contact officer.

It is the duty of hospital contact officers to keep in touch with conditions in hospitals where disabled veterans are receiving treatment, and all complaints made on behalf of service men' in institutions should be made through this department.

Service men have in the past been under treatment in the Oakland Park sanitorium and this institution will again handle government patients. These have been unstinting in their praise of this institution and its treatment of service men. Dr. M. Geo. Milan and Miss Karen Knutson have taken much interest not only in the welfare of the patients as to their treatment, but have made special efforts to secure their rights in various claims for compensation and other government aid.

The recent transfer of patients from the sanatorium was bitterly opposed by the patients themselves as well as the local post of the Legion, and the fact that this institution will again serve ex-service men is welcomed by all interested in the welfare of the diabled veteran.

The Physicians hospital has handled government cases in the past and all report the most courteous treatment on the part of the staff and exceptional interest shown by the doctors in their welfare. It is hoped that this institution will be utilized more by the government in the future as the service man prefers to be taken care of closer to home, and the expense to the government is minimized.

With reports of mistreatment of service men in other sections of the country requiring government investigation, those interested in the condition of service men in this locality are proud of the report sent in on our local institutions, and it is hoped more use of these will be made in the future than has been the case in the past.

NONE ARE EXEMPT FROM INCOME TAX LAW'S PROVISIONS

Even Though Living in a Foreign Country a Citizen Must File the Usual Return.

Every citizen of the United States is subject to the provisions of the income tax law. He may live in this country or he may live abroad, possessing no property within the United States and deriving no income from sources within the United States. Nevertheless he must file a return if single and his net income for 1921 was $1,000 or more or his gross income $5,000 or more, or if married and his net income was $2,000 or more or his gross income was $5,000 or more. Divorcees or persons separated from husband or wife by mutual agreement are classed as single persons.

The same obligation to file a return and pay the tax rests on a resident alien, although his entire income may be derived from sources without the United States.

While forms were sent out to persons who last year filed returns, failure to receive a form does not relieve an individual of his or her obligation to file a return and pay the tax on time—on or before March 15 if filed on a calendar year basis. Forms 1040A for returns of income of $5,000 and less and 1040 for returns of income in excess of $5,000 may be obtained at the office of Collector of Internal Revenue, St. Paul, and the following branch offices: Minneapolis, Duluth, St. Cloud, Mankato and Winona.

RAPID RECOVERY MADE ON SHEEP

Most of Last Week's Loss is Regained—Best Fed Lambs $14.65—Cattle Steady.

South St. Paul, Minn. A sharp reduction of about 20,000 sheep and lambs at seven leading markets compared with last Monday proved a bullish factor today and prices were boosted unevenly. The local market was strong to as much as 75c higher in spots, and last week's losses were practically all recovered. Best fed lambs sold at $14.50 to $14.65, best natives around $14. Best native ewes $7 to $7.25, some fed westerns $8.

Trade in cattle opened about steady with last week's close, being mostly 25 to 50c lower on beef steers than a week ago. Better offerings of shortfed steers sold from $7.25 to $7.75, being of medium to good beef grade, with bulk selling from $6.25 to $7, practically nothing suitable for carcass beef below $6.

Butcher cows and heifers continue relatively scarce, with bulk cashing at $4 to $6, the most desirable young cows on the heifer order and heifers up to around $7. Canners and cutters $2.50 to $3.50, young cows on the cutter order going as feeders up to $4 or slightly higher. Bologna bulls are salable from $3.25 to $4.25, bulk $3.50 to $3.75. Best veal calves sold at $8 and occasionally $8.50, with seconds at $5 to $6. Practically no stockers and feeders sell below $4, bulk $5.50 to $6.50, most desirable offerings on the fat cattle order on up to $7 or $7.25.

Hog prices dropped back 10 to 25c today, bulk of sales $10.65 to $10.85, top $10.90, bulk good pigs $11.

Stevenson Hat

A new hat with quality none better—the price, too, is pleasing without extravagance.

MAKING PROGRESS IN CAMPAIGN FOR JEWISH RELIEF

Ravages of Typhus Added to Other Horrors of Persecuted People in Near East.

Chairman Charles Lieberman of the Pennington county division of the Minnesota Jewish Relief committee, says that responses to the appeal for aid have been very gratifying, although as yet no systematic canvass has been started. Many voluntary donations have been received through the mails and by the committee appointed, Mayor Bratrud and Daniel Shaw, and it is now certain that the city and county will more than meet their quota.

Fate, through typhus, is playing a ghastly trick on re-emigrants along Poland's eastern border, who were originally driven from their homes by German invasion during the war. To add to the horror of the situation, the disease has claimed the whole personnel of a hospital train sent to aid these sufferers. This information is contained in a Warsaw dispatch to the American Jewish Relief committee, according to J. H. Schanfeld, Minnesota chairman.

In the light of the renewed outbreak of typhus, on a scale even in excess of the previous winter, there is grave danger that the figure of $14,000,000 which is being sought nationally to continue the work of the committee, will prove inadequate to the pressing needs that the present situation has developed.

To pile horror on horror, conditions in the Ukraine, which for a time promised rest and respite for the persecuted Jewish refugees, have again become unsettled as indicated by the news from the Ukraine telling of renewed attacks on the Jewish population along the Rumanian border. Fleeing from threats of pogrom, the refugees attempted to enter Rumania by crossing the river Dniester on the ice, only to be met by bayonets in the hands of equally hostile soldiery. Caught like rats, the wanderers were literally slaughtered.

The campaign in Minnesota, outside of the twin cities, swings into action this week. In spite of the handicap of weather conditions, every section of the state is ready to go. "True, business conditions are not the best," said Mr. Schanfeld in a recent letter to county chairman, "but the appeal of little children for life is one that cannot be ignored. It is a matter of lives, not money," the letter continues, "and the people of Minnesota, Jew and Gentile alike, will do their share—yes, and more."

BUREAU TO OFFER NINE AGENCIES IN SERVING FARMERS

State Federation Invites Co-operatives to Conference of Common Interest to All.

Full use of the whole farm bureau organization as a clearing house for all farmers' common problems will be offered to the principal state-wide co-operative organizations of Minnesota.

The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation is inviting officers and directors of nine agricultural organizations to a state-wide conference, to work out in detail a plan by which all these bodies may act promptly and with a united front on all matters affecting the whole farming populatiln in the state. The farm bureau will offer the use of its state headquarters, its office force, and the facilities of the national offices of the federation in Chicago and Washington, to consolidate the power of the co-operative marketing agencies of the state for united action.

The executive board of the state federation, in session last week, voted to ask nine farm organizations to send representatives to a conference to discuss common problems and the functions of a joint clearing house. Informal invitations are being sent to the Central Co-operative Commission association, the Minnesota Co-operative Creamries association, Inc.; the U. S. Grain Growers, Inc.; the Minnesota Potato Exchange, the Twin City Milk Producers, the Farmers Terminal Packing Plant, the wool growers, the farmers' mutual hail insurance organizations, and the Minnesota Co-opeartive Shipping association.

New York farmers already have created such a clearing house, according to a bulletin of the American Farm Bureau federation. It is known as the Conference Board of Farm Organizations. Several times a year the officers and directors of the State Farm bureau, the Dairymens League, the Grange and the Fruit Growers, meet to take united action on problems affecting all farmers of the state. The last meeting discussed control of tuberculosis in dairy cattle and legislation to improve state laws governing drainage.

"The result of the work of this conference board," the farm bureau bulletin says, "is to unify the agricultural thinking of New York and enable all farm organizations to present a solid front."

The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation executive board, at its March meeting, passed a resolution urging Minnesota's delegation in congress to support an amendment to the income tax law, giving all co-operative organizations specific exemption from payment of income taxes. At present the federal commissioner of internal revenue has ruled that surplus or reserve funds set aside by co-operatives as taxable as profits. The co-operative organizations' stand is that such funds are not profits, but money belonging to members and invested in the business. The farm bureau also appealed to the internal revenue department to prepare a special, simple income tax report for co-operative organizations so that it would be easier to make reports required, either in paying taxes, or to obtain exemption.

Civil Service Examinations.

The Civil Service commission invites special attention to the fact that in examinations held recently in Thief River Falls and other cities throughout the country, for junior deck officers, U. S. coast and geodetic survey, and for assistant examiners, patent office, applicants were not secured in the number desired, and that these examinations will again be held on March 22 and 23, except that the examination for assistant examiners will also be held on March 24.

Persons interested in these or other examinations should apply to the secretary of the U. S. civil service board at the local post office for detailed information and application blanks.

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Hammer's Body Given to U. of M. Medical Students

The body of Manny Hammer, formerly a resident of Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire, who recently froze to death near Wiliams, has been given to the students of the university to be used at the medical college for experimental purposes. No one was found willing to assume the burial expenses of Hammer, consequently, in accordance with the state law, the body was shipped to the college. An uncle of the deceased had at one time stated he would take care of the funeral expenses but later changed his mind. The deceased leaves a homestead valued at $3,000 but it has not yet been proved up.

No Danger From Floods in Spite of Deep Snows

Although Minnesota is covered with a heavy blanket of snow, there is not much danger of floods this year because of the unusually dry condition of the soil, W. V. Willard, state drainage commissioner says. Unless there is a freeze followed by a heavy spring rain which would precipitate a general thaw suddenly, the rivers and streams throughout the state, particularly the Mississippi, will be in good condition to take care of the increased flow. The Red River valley is not in jeopardy, he said, unless heavy spring rains cause the precipitation of a large amount of water.

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Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.31
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.30
Flax, per bu.	2.10
Barley, per bu.	.43
Oats, per bu.	.28
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Oil Meal	3.00
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Hens, heavy	.15
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PRODUCE	
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Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
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FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock, White Plymouth Rock and Wyandotte roosters. H. H. Harding, Thief River Falls, Minn. 7-p

FOR SALE—Scarified sweet clover seed at 8 cents per pound. Henry Hanson, Germantown Route. 5tf

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LIGHT VOTE IN CITY AT CAUCUS FOR DELEGATES

Republican Electors Take But Little Interest in Balloting For Delegates.

Not Over Twenty Per Cent of Normal Party Vote is Recorded in Any Precinct.

Decided Lack of Interest Indicated By Returns From All Sections of Minnesota.

Not over one-fifth of the Republican voting strength of the city, figured on a basis of the 1920 general election returns, turned out Tuesday to vote in the precinct primaries to elect delegates to the county convention to be held in this city next Saturday. The total number of ballots cast was 282 as compared with 1420 for Harding in November, 1920. In proportion to its voting strength the Third ward made the best showing, 71 ballots being cast in that precinct out of a total Republican vote of 243 as indicated in the presidential election. In the First 91 electors took sufficient interest in the proceedings to go to the polls to represent the wishes of the 476 who voted in 1920; in the Second there were 69 votes cast on Tuesday as compared with 237 for Harding, while the Fourth turned loose with 52 as against 298 a year and a half ago.

Interest Not Keen.

It was the first precinct primary held under the new law and allowances must be made for the fact that voters in many cases did not thoroughly understand its purpose. There was nothing on the ballot to indicate where any caucaus candidate stood so far as his preferences for state or congressional nominees are concerned and he or she have no mandate from the voters to follow any particular course in the selection of candidates to represent the county at the state or district conventions. The matter will have to be fought out at the convention on Saturday.

List of Delegates.

Following is a list of the delegates elected in the city of Thief River Falls:

First ward: Theodore Quale, Miss Ida Tandberg, E. P. Brevig, Olaf Ramstad, M. V. Evenson, Wm. J. Brown. Second ward: F. F. Haynes, A. H. Akre, Mrs. Emma Ward, H. W. Kinghorn Scott Laird. Third ward: George Streeter, O. L. Ihle, P. J. Keating. Fourth ward: E. P. Burstad, Mrs. Julia Lacy, Daniel Shaw, M. A. Mattison.

Black River, James Dreeland; Cloverleaf, Stuart McLeod; Deer Park, John Singer; Goodridge, M. O. Seavey; Highlanding, H. I. Finstad; Hickory, Bj. Bjornaraa; Kratka, K. K. Austin; Norden, John Funnesdahl; North, Jorgen Eide and Christian Stene; Mayfield, W. H. Wilde; Polk Center, Gust Naplin; Reiner, Albert Arntz; River Falls, Aug. Svenson; Rocksbury, Paul Englestad and Dr. M. G. Milan; Sanders, J. V. Patton; Silverton, Jens Letness; Smiley, Fred Beerbower; Star, Emil Gramme; Wyandotte, Anton Peterson; Village of Goodridge, Miss Estelle Josephson and Carl Lindstrom; Village of St. Hilaire, Mrs. G. W. Hooper and A. S. Wilson.

New Man in Bank.

Verner Nelson, who has been with the Merchants' State bank at St. Hilaire during the past year, has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the First National bank in this city, succeeding Reuben Hadrath who takes a similar position with the McFarland Auto company.

Commissioners Meet Saturday.

There will be a meeting of the board of county commissioners held on Saturday for the purpose of considering bids for the repair of a ditch in the eastern part of the county. No matters of particular importance are expected to come up at this time, according to County Auditor T. P. Anderson.

CHANGE IN ROUTE OF STEEL-TO-WHEAT PIKE MADE BY PROJECTORS

Olan Now Is to Have Highway Cross Red Lakes at Narrows and Continue Westward to Red River Valley.

That the "Steel to Wheat" highway project is not to be permitted to rest without a strenuous effort being made to carry it out is evidenced by the action of the communities in St. Louis, Koochiching, Itasca and Beltrami counties. While Bemidji has not taken very kindly to the proposition as yet, it is expected that city will get behind it when the proper time comes.

At a recent meeting of the International Falls Commercial club the subject was gone into in some detail and a few changes in the original plan were suggested.

Thief River Falls would be the western terminus of the highway with the village of Cook in St. Louis county as the extreme eastern point had the first plan of the projectors been adhered to, but it now develops that a longer road has been decided on and that the Red river will be the western objective. Instead of skirting the southern shore of Red Lake as it first contemplated, it is proposed that the route go west and north from Northome through Shooks, Kelliher, Shotley and Ponemah, thence across the narrows connecting upper and lower Red Lakes and west to Thief River Falls.

Hon. Fred Besette, state senator from St. Louis county, has interested himself in the matter and is pushing the project. The Rotarians and the Hibbing commercial club have gone on record as favoring the highway and other range communities are expected to follow their lead.

The matter will be brought before the commercial club at today's luncheon for discussion. A highway such as that proposed would aid in the development of a large section of fine country to the east of Thief River Falls besides adding another tourist route of great scenic beauty to those already centering in the city.

NAPLIN ENDORSED FOR STATE SENATE; WANT NO ALLIANCE

Nonpartisans of District Vote to Stick to Organization Nominees in All Cases.

State Senator O. A. Naplin was endorsed for re-election by the Nonpartisan county convention which met at the court house in this city last Saturday afternoon. No other name was presented. Senator Naplin has filed for the office with the secretary of state and the campaign in the district may be said to be on. His opponent for the position is O. L. Hansen, also of Thief River Falls, who filed about two weeks ago.

The convention voted unanimously to stick to the Nonpartisan organization and delegates to the state convention were instructed to oppose any attempt at affiliation with other parties.

The Nonpartisans of Red Lake county have endorsed Nels Fore as candidate for the lower house of the legislature, with Sam Lovaas, also of Plummer, as second choice. A. J. Hemstad, present representative from that county, elected under Nonpartisan auspices two years ago, declined to become a candidate for reelection. He has been in poor health during the past few months and does not feel equal to the work and worry incident to a campaign.

Clearwater county Nonpartisans have not yet made their decision known, but it is expected Walter E. Day, present incumbent, will be renominated.

Sportsmen Organize to Protect Game and Fish

Local sportsmen who believe in protecting the game and fish of the state and preserving the wild life of the forests and streams, met at the Commercial club rooms last Thursday evening for the purpose of forming an organization. It is the intention later to affiliate with the national and state associations working toward a similar purpose. A request will be made to the state commission for the stocking of Red Lake river with such fish as are adapted to conditions here and an effort will be made to have Carlos Avery, state game and fish commissioner, come to Thief River Falls for the purpose of addressing the club at an early date.

Officers of the new organization, which has not yet been named, were elected as follows: President, H. W. Protzeller; vice president, M. T. McFarland; secretary, L. H. Lawrence; treasurer, W. H. Akre; directors, G. S. Streeter, H. A. Brumund, John Bratrud, G. L. Sterns and Julien Provencher.

Auto Tax Removal Takes $6000 Off Apportionment

The city of Thief River Falls will receive $33,640.79 under the March tax apportionment, according to John Gullingsrud, county treasurer. For the corresponding period last year the amount received was about $39,000, the difference being accounted for by the removal of trucks and automobiles from the personal property tax list.

The first paving assessment payments for the year were made during the past week. The sum of $219.92 was paid by the Standard Oil company as the first year's installment of the cost of paving on both sides of its property on the corner of Main avenue and Second street, while the Joseph Johnson estate paid $77.67 on the pavement in front of lots 3 to 5 inclusive in block 63.

New Officers Elected By Minnesota Council, U.C.T.

Minnesota Council No. 521, United Commercial Travelers, at a regular meeting held last Saturday evening, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Senior councilor, John L. Rolland; junior councilor, F. A. Brown; past councilor, John Ward; secretary-treasurer, E. M. Bennes; conductor, O. C. Olson; page, H. L. Larsen; sentinel, A. H. Dorn; members of executive committee, Julien Provencher and E. O. Mogensen.

After the election of officers the traveling men enjoyed a pleasant social evening.

COUNTY'S SUGAR BEET ACREAGE TO BE DOUBLED

Agent of Refinery Allots 200 Acres to Growers Under Favorable Conditions.

Labor to Be Furnished By Company at Five Dollars an Acre Less Than Last Year.

Prices Quoted Are F. O. B. Cars Thief River Falls, Company Paying the Freight.

Two hundred acres of sugar beets is the allotment for this year in Pennington county, an increase of 100 per cent over the amount bargained for last season by the Minnesota Sugar company of Chaska. H. H. Dana, agricultural agent for the sugar company, was in Thief River Falls last Thursday and agreed on behalf of the concern to buy the beets raised on this amount of ground. This is a larger allotment than is given any other county in this district this fall. The mill at Chaska is no longer capable of taking care of all the beets offered in its territory and each beet-raising district must therefore be apportioned a certain quantity.

The labor necessary to care for this acreage will be furnished by the company, which is only operating in districts where beets have been previously grown, no new territory being added at this time although there have been numerous requests from other sections for allotments. Farmers in the neighborhood of Middle River, for instance will be disappointed in their efforts to secure contracts.

Costs Greatly Reduced.

Mr. Dana stated that the labor charge would this year be very much reduced, the total cost being $19 per acre as compared with $24 a year ago. The cost of seed also has been reduced five cents a pound.

The company contracts to make payments according to the following schedule: When beets are blocked and thinned, $7.00 per acre; when hoeings have been completed and workers' row kept clean and free from weeds to Aug. 15, $5.00 per acre; when harvesting is completed, $7.00 per acre. In addition to the above it is agreed that the following tonnage prices shall be paid as a bonus: For a yield of more than nine and up to 10 tons, 75 cents per acre; for a yield between 10 and 11 tons, $1.50 per acre; for a yield between 11 and 12 tons, $2.75 per acre.

Sliding Price Scale.

The minimum price to be paid for beets is $5.00 per ton, f. o. b. cars Thief River Falls. The company will pay all freight and the expense of handling at the factory but the grower will be required to pay for getting the beets from the farm to the car and loaded thereon. The company agrees to make an initial payment of $5.00 per ton on the 20th of each month on all beets delivered and accepted up to and including the 20th of the preceding month. Final settlement is to be made on Feb. 15, 1923, when any additional sum due under the contract will be paid.

Following is the schedule of pay guaranteed by the company, based upon the price of sugar at the time beets are accepted: If the price of sugar is under $6.00 per 100 pounds the price will be $5.00 per ton, 50 cents per ton additional being paid if the price reaches $7.00 per 100 pounds for sugar. The rate of return to the grower is in direct ratio to the sugar price, but becomes much greater in proportion, being $8.50 per ton when sugar is $8.00 per 100 pounds.

At least 15 pounds of seed must be sown to the acre and will be furnished by the company at 20 cents per pound, this amount to be deducted from the price paid for the first shipment.

The labor requirements are one man for each five acres of beets planted, which will mean a force of 40 men to take care of the 200 acres alloted.

Many Contracts Expected.

A good share of the acreage alloted was signed up while Mr. Dana was in the city and many others have signified their intentions of going into the business on an extended scale. Because of the high price of labor last year the county did not plant its entire allotment but County Agent J. J. McCann feels certain there will be more applications this year than can be taken care of. For this reason it will be advisable for those desiring contracts to sign up as soon as possible.

TAKE STEPS TOWARD FORMATION OF BALL LEAGUE FOR SECTION

Proposed to Form Circuit of Eight or Nine Towns in Northwestern Corner, Using Home Talent Almost Exclusively.

A meeting of baseball enthusiasts representing eight or nine northwestern Minnesota communities will be held in the near future for the purpose of discussing the formation of a league. The place for holding the meeting has not yet been decided on.

The plan now is to include the following towns and cities in the league: Thief River Falls, Gonvick, Warroad, Argyle, Fosston, McIntosh, Fertile, Red Lake Falls and Crookston. This would form a compact circuit and start out with a greater prospect of finishing the season than would be the case with a larger number of more widely scattered communities.

Cutting the number of salaried players to the lowest possible point seems to be favored in all towns mentioned. Two, or at most three, outside men would be all permitted under the agreement to be signed, it having been proven that greater local interest attaches to baseball games in which the players are all or nearly all home men. Such team can also be maintained at much less expense than where there is a heavy salary roll to meet.

While it is more difficult to finance projects of this kind than was the case a year or two ago, it is thought that sufficient enthusiasm can be mustered to make the proposition a success.

Maccabees Have Card Party.

On Monday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall the Lady Maccabees entertained at a card and dancing party. An hour of progressive whist preceded the dancing. Lunch was served at 11:30.

PAVING OF ALLEYS TO BE CONSIDERED AT SPECIAL MEETING

Councilmen to Discuss Plans For Beginning Work on This Necessary Improvement.

There will be a special meeting of the city council on Monday evening, at which time the matter of doing something with the alleys in the business district will be taken up. At the time street paving was first considered three alleys were included in the project but afterwards omitted on the score of economy. It was realized that with the alleys remaining in their present state it would be next to impossible to keep the pavement at the intersections clean and its good effect on the appearance of the city would therefore to a certain extent be lost. It has taken only one spring to prove the correctness of this view. The alleys are used almost as much for traffic as the streets and the mud is thick where it has been dragged onto the pavement by vehicles finding it necessary to use the intermediate thoroughfares.

The plan is to pave alleys to a width of 16 feet, using a cheaper material than that with which the streets are surfaced. The cost of such improvement would not be heavy and it is almost as necessary as the pavement itself.

The matter of extending the sidewalks where the curb was moved out in order to decrease the paving area will also come up for discussion. This work will doubtless be let as one contract in order to make it uniform all over the city. In some places one width of sidewalk blocks may have to be taken up in order to provide a slight but gradual slope to meet the line of the new curb. Property owners will be glad to have the matter attended to as the streets look unfinished in their present condition.

The question of how best to look after the poor in the city developed an interesting discussion at the council meeting Tuesday evening and one in which nearly all of the councilmen took a hand. The statement was made that there were families receiving aid who were not entitled thereto and steps will at once be taken to see that a stop is put to this practice, in case investigation prove deception to have been practiced to any extent. More appeals for aid have been received this past winter than ever before in the city's history and while there is no doubt but that it has in most cases been deserved, the councilmen do not propose to be imposed upon.

More Cars For Shipping Red River Seed Potatoes

Refrigerator cars for shipping seed potatoes from Red River valley points to Kansas and other central states, have been ordered diverted from eastern lines to Minnesota, by the car service division of the interstate commerce commission. There is a visible supply of only about 450 refrigerator cars in Minnesota, and the railroad and warehouse commission has orders for approximately 1,000 cars now.

Ivan Bowen, commissioner, was notified of the action of the interstate commerce commission today by Commissioner Fred Putnam, who is in Washington. Mr. Bowen said approximately 4,000 cars will be needed to ship seed potatoes from the Red River valley.

School Building Sold.

The frame section of the old Knox school building was on Monday evening sold to G. W. Werstlien for $850, which the board considered a very reasonable offer. Only one other bid was received and this was for a considerably lower figure. The old school bell was not included in the transaction.

Mr. Werstlien stated that he had purchased the property for another party and that it had been transferred at once.

CANDIDATES IN CLOSING DAYS OF CAMPAIGN

Rivalry Keen as Big Subscription Event of The Times Draws Near Close.

Paul Englestad Wins Special Cash Prize For Best Results During Week.

Final Gong in Big Contest Will Sound at Midnight Saturday, March 18th.

Paul Englestad, City	145,650
Agnes Oftedahl, City	140,775
Julius Liden, Steiner	86,512
Helmer Ostrom, City	82,400
Adolph Srnsky, Erie	81,450
Rosella Baldwin, Rhoda	58,225
Hannah Peterson, City	54,675
John J. Jorgenson, Plummer	1,000
Mrs. Ole Halvorson, Ulen	1,000
John Dahl, City	1,000
Bert Tanem, Goodridge	1,000

The big Times subscription campaign is rapidly drawing to a close. But a few hours remain in which to hustle for the grand prizes. The last hours, however, are the important ones which will decide the winners and those who make every minute count are certain to be rewarded for their efforts.

Close at Midnight Saturday

Midnight, Saturday, March 18th, will be the final hour and all reports must be in the office or mailed before that hour. The judges will make the final count on Monday, March 20th and immediately following their count the grand prizes will be awarded. The third period vote scheduled is now in effect for the remaining days of the campaign.

Englestad Wins Special Prize

The special cash prize of $25.00 offered to the candidate turning in the most money during the past week was won by Paul Englestad.

The standing of the candidates this week shows some changes and indicates that the rivalry will be keen right up to the last minute.

Agree on Compromise Seed Appropriation For U. S. Farmer Aid

Washington, March 15.—A compromise appropriation of $1,500,000 for federal aid to farmers for purchasing seed grain, was agreed to today by senate and house conferees on the McCumber bill as a substitute for the $5,000,000 appropriation proposed by the senate and $1,000,000 by the house.

Final action on the bill, however, went over.

Business Men Have Lunch And See Bakery Operated

The largest turnout seen for a long time at a commercial club luncheon partook of an excellent meal at Jung's bakery this noon. The meal was served in a highly satisfactory manner and the program of addresses which followed were listened to with more than the usual interest.

After lunch the business men made a tour of inspection through the bakery, which was put in full operation for their benefit. It is one of the largest and most modern plants of its kind in the Northwest and turns out a product that is famous over a large sectoin of country.

CROOKSTON IS PUT OUT OF PLAY BY MINNEAPOLIS TEAM

St. Paul, Minn., March 15.—In the semi-finals of the independent basketball state championship here tonight, Crookston was eliminated by the 151st Field Artillery team of Minneapolis, 28 to 19. Fergus Falls defeated Anoka 18 to 11.

Fergus Falls and the 151st Field Artillery play the final game tomorrow night.

MANY PASTORS AT LUTHERAN CHURCH DISTRICT MEETING

Most Successful Spring Session in History of Circuit Closed Here Last Friday.

The spring session of the Lutheran church for the Thief River Falls district, which was held at the Trinity church in this city the forepart of last week, came to a close on Friday evening. The meeting was the most successful ever held and was attended by pastors from neary every community in the district. Three sessions were held daily, the morning and afternoon services being in the Norwegian language and the evening program in English.

A feature of particular interest was the addresses of Rev. Himle, at present in charge of the Old Folks' home at Coeur d' Alene, Idaho, but formerly a missionary in the China field. Rev. Hime has served many years as a missionary, both in this country and foreign parts, and his observations proved of great interest to the assembled clergymen.

There were ten minute talks by the different pastors attending in which matters pertaining to church work progress in their communities were discussed. The musical program was in charge of Dr. P. L. Vistaunet and was a highl yappreciated part of the session.

The following ministers took part: Reverends Berge Olson, Greenbush; H. H. Hagen, Iron Creek; N. B. Ordahl, Holt; A. E. Hanson, Middle River; C. A. Stormo, Roseau; T. A. Hagen, Halma; C. M. Grimsrud, St. Hilaire; R. Sabo, Mavie; S. T. Anderson, Greenbush; P. A. Thorsen, Fargo, N. D.; O. Svare, Belgrade, Minn.; Rev. Himle, Coeur d' Alene, Idaho, H. O. Shurson, Minneapolis. The latter is financial secretary of the Norwegian Lutheran church of America.

An invitation extended by Rev. Grimsrud to hold the summer circuit meeting in June at St. Hilaire was accepted.

SELVIG WITHDRAWS IN CONGRESS RACE; POLK FOR HALVOR

Sageng Carries Ottertail But Steenerson Evidently Has Cinch on Endorsement.

Reports from counties in the Ninth district indicate that Congressman Steenerson will go into the district convention at Moorhead on March 30 with enough delegates pledged to insure his renomination. He carried Polk county, his own home as well as that of his opponent, C. G. Selvig, and the latter has withdrawn his name from consideration by the district convention.

Mr. Selvig stated early in the campaign that he would abide by the decision of the district convention and as his opponent carried Polk county he withdraws his name in the interest of party harmony.

Ole O. Sageng carried his home county, Ottertail, and will doubtless have a certain amount of support from other sections. It is evident, however, that a large majority of the delegates will go to Moorhead pledged to Steenerson.

Most of the interest in the caucus election centered on the United States senatorship. Nothing on the caucus ticket indicated where the candidate for delegate to the county conventions stood on this question and their positions were only known through voluntary declarations or by hearsay. Hallem carried Ramsey county by a large vote while Hennepin went to Mayor George E. Leech of Minneapolis. This will place Kellogg at a disadvantage before the state convention, it being regarded as poor politics to nominate for such an important office any man who has failed to carry his own county. Pennington county's delegates are claimed by both the Kellogg and Hallam men and it is certain that both have friends among those who will make up the convention on Saturday. Leach supporters are not expected to make any showing in Pennington. It is claimed, however, that besides Hennepin the colonel will have the delegations of Dakota, Houston, Carlston, Freeborn, Cook, Lake and Wadena counties.

County Gets Over $8,000 in March Apportionment

Pennington county's share of the March school apportionment, made public this week by the state department of education, is $8,208.00. The distribution is on the basis of $2.70 per pupil, with a total credit of 3040 pupils for the county.

This apportionment of state school funds, warrants for which are now being prepared by R. P. Chase, State Auditor, is the largest March apportionment in the history of the state. In all 461,522 pupils will participate and a total of $1,246,347.20 will soon be distributed by the various county treasurers among the school districts designated by the state department of education.

The present March apportionment exceeds by over $133,000, that of last year, at which time $1,112,680.80 was distributed. The allotment was on the basis of $2.50 per pupil with 455,342 pupils participating.

Distribution of state school funds is made in March and October of each year. This money is obtained by the imposition of a one mill tax and the income from the permanent school fund.

Changes in Pastorates of Crookston Diocese

Rev. Father A. I. Merth, assistant pastor at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Crookston, and one of the instructors at the Cathedral high school, has been assigned to the parish at Stephen.

Other changes in the Crookston diocese which occurred last Sunday, include the removal of Rev. Father Joseph Fraling from Stephen to Bemidji; the changing of Rev. Father J. J. T. Phillipe from Bemidji to Warroad; and the return of Rev. Father Charles Deshales from Warroad to the arch-diocese of St. Boniface, Canada.

For the present time no pastor will go to Crookston to take Rev. Father Merth's place. At Stephen Father Merth will have charge of the missions of Strandquist and Red River.

GRAND DISPLAY FOR OPENING OF SPRING SEASON

Thief River Falls Merchants to Unite in Holding Grand Openin gon Saturday.

Finest Display of Seasonable Goods Ever Offered in this Section of State.

Prices in all Cases Based on Present Values, Past Levels Being Forgotten.

When the doors of Thief River Falls business houses are opened next Saturday morning it will be for the purpose of presenting the finest display of spring goods ever seen in this section. Practically all merchants in the city handling wearing apparel have agreed to make this day the *spring opening event for the season* of 1922 and during the past week have been busy with preparations for the display. Their places of business are in gala attire and it will prove a pleasure to the shopper to merely make the rounds even though no purchases are made.

New Prices, New Goods.

Attractive as the stores may be made for this occasion, the greatest interest will center in the goods offered and the prices charged for the same. It is safe to say that not in years have merchants in every part of the country been able to present a line so entirely new and up-to-date in every particular. They have made the most strenuous efforts to clear out their old stocks, taking as a rule heavy losses in doing so, in order that they might be able to start with a clean slate when conditions again became normal. The transition period is now sufficiently advanced to provide a safe basis on which to proceed and all plans are being carried out with the idea that the buying public will have settled back into the customary mode of living and will make purchases on the same sensible lines as before the war.

Prices charged for seasonable goods will prove an agreeable surprise. Manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers realize that the period of high values is past and each in turn is doing everything possible to bring the public to a realization of this fact. It is for this reason as much as to display the new goods that the merchants of Thief River Falls have united in naming Saturday the big spring opening day. Many people are still of the opinion that prices are at a level which precludes the supplying of their needs as in times past, but this is an error. It is doubtful if the latest and best merchandise was ever priced more attractively than at present.

Invitation is General.

The public from all over the section is invited to this opening. It is not necessary that purchases be made in order that a visitor be made welcome. The merchant realizes that many will only wish to look around in order to see just what is being offered and these will receive as much consideration as those who may decide to secure outfits at this time.

Come to Thief River Falls Saturday. It will be worth your while in proving that for style, quality and price it will not be necessary to look further.

Polk Center Resident is Accused of Moonshining

The first still alleged to have been used for the manufacture of "potent" liquors in Pennington county was brought in from Polk Center township by Sheriff W. J. LaBree and offered as part of the evidence against Nap Benoit, arrested on complaint of County Attorney Theo. Quale and charged with manufacturing and keeping for sale intoxicating liquors. The still is a 10 gallon gasoline can with a spout so soldered that the necessary coil can be conveniently fitted thereto. A number of galvanized iron pails and a quantity of mash was also confiscated and submitted as evidence to show that Benoit was fully equipped to put a kink in the eighteenth amendment. The accused was bound over to answer before the next grand jury, bail being fixed at $500 which was furnished.

Separate Jury Rooms For Women Now Demanded

The country's jails will have to be remodeled. Women are going to campaign for separate jury rooms. A separate jury room with adequate toilet facilities will be demanded, according to representative women here.

The discussion started when seven women in St. Paul were locked in a county jail with five men until they decided, after 48 hours, that George Thomko was guilty of automobile theft.

"Women will not expect luxuries," of course said Miss E. Calihan, candidate for clerk of the supreme court. "Means should be provided, however, to give them separate quarters."

Society

Woman's Club Meeting.

A regular meeting of the Woman's club will be held at the Commercial club rooms on Monday afternoon, March 20. The program, which is in charge of Mrs. Gay Halvorson and Mrs. W. W. Prichard, Jr., is as follows: Paper, "Over the Inland Seas," divided into two groups, Mrs. Halvorson taking the St. Lawrence river and Thousand Islands and Mrs. Prichard the Great Lakes and Niagara Falls. Current Events will be in charge of Mrs. R. Arnold. Instrumental duet, Spanish Dances Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Moszkowski, Maxine Johnson and Muriel Loken. Mrs. H. W. Froehlich will speak on the endowment fund, of which she is state chairman. Mrs. C. T. Christianson and Mrs. E. J. Richards will give a report on the mid-winter meeting of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs held in St. Paul Feb. 20 and 21.

Hendry-Aspelund.

On Tuesday evening, March 14, occurred the marriage of Miss Anna Emily Aspelund, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Aspelund of this city, to Lester David Hendry, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hendry, at the Zion Lutheran parsonage, with Rev. George Larson officiating. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist were the attendants. Both bride and groom are well known here. Mr. Hendry is employed by the Soo railroad, while the bride was a popular saleslady at Sapero's for a number of years. The ceremony was followed by a wedding supper given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Aspelund. Mr. and Mrs. Hendry left the same evening for Minneapolis and Chicago, where they will visit relatives and friends for two weeks.

St. Patrick's Day Party.

Misses Hannah Peterson and Olga Swendsgaard will entertain a number of friends at a St. Patrick's day party tomorrow evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rambeck, 120 St. Paul avenue south. Dancing and games will be the entertainment. Invitations have been extended to Misses Mae Olson, Frieda, Tillie and Emma Ristau, Thordis and Adelaide Swendsgaard, Josie Lendobeja, Lizzie Kisch, Lena Ristau and Lois Struble; Messrs. Charles Swendsgaard, Ted Carlson, George Swanson, Fred and Henry Ristau, Frank Votava, Andrew Kisch, Melvin Rude and Walter Evenson.

Birthday Party.

A number of friends surprised Mrs. John Bergstrom at her home, 214 Tindolph avenue south, Monday evening on the occasion of her birth anniversary. Needlework and cards were the favorite diversions. At midnight a lovely lunch was served by the guests.

A large cake with candles which was made by Mrs. L. W. Manther and Mrs. John Robinson, was one of the features of the lunch. The honor guest was the recipient of a handsome cut glass bowl as a remembrance from the ladies.

Honoring Alice Gobler.

Mrs. Scott Laird will entertain ten girls at a five o'clock luncheon at her home this evening in honor of Alice Gobler, who leaves soon with her parents for Wisconsin to reside. St. Patrick's day appointments will be used. After the dinner hour the time will be devoted to games and music. The guests will include Arial Kinghorn, Beatrice Sandum, Lucile Roark, Marjorie Hoppa, Isabel Richter, Bernice Erickson, Mildred Engen, Georgia Frissell and Bonnie Barnett. The hostess will be assisted in serving by Lucile Roark and Beatrice Sandum.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Gobler.

Prominent among a number of social affairs which have been given for Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Gobler was the banquet given last evening at the Brumund hotel by the Postmaster, clerks, rural and city carriers and wives. About forty guests were present. Mr. John Morgan acted as toastmaster, while a number of guests responded with fitting remarks. After the dinner hour the evening was devoted to cards. Mr. and Mrs. Gobler were presented with a gasoline lamp and lantern as a token of remembrance.

Iverson-Berg.

Iver H. Iverson and Miss Anna Louise Berg, both of Pennington county, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage. Rev. T. E. Sweger performed the ceremony. The couple was attended by Hjalmer Raines and Clara Berg. They left in the evening on a short wedding trip to the twin cities. On their return they will reside on a farm four miles south-east of this city.

Girls' Community Club.

The Girls' Community club will hold their next regular meeting on Monday evening, March 20, at their new meeting place on Horace avenue. This meeting is of particular importance so a large membership is expected to be present.

Mrs. Akre Honor Guest.

Mesdames H. Holte and A. Anderson were the charming hostesses yesterday at a one o'clock luncheon given at their apartments in the Sathre [illegible] in compliment to the latter's daughter, Mrs. Willis Akre of Thief River Falls. Mrs. Akre is spending the week here with her parents and a number of informal social affairs are to be given in her honor.—Crookston Times.

Loyalty Club Entertained.

Miss Elvira Carlson and Frank Erickson entertained the Loyalty club from Loken's department store Tuesday evening at the home of the former. The regular business session was followed by a social time and refreshments. Miss Elvira Carlson, Mrs. J. C. Aure and Maynard Aure were prize winners in the contest games, which made up part of the entertainment.

King-Husby.

Yesterday afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage occurred the marriage of Joe King and Miss Ella Husby. Rev. T. E. Sweger was the officiating clergyman. The witnesses to the ceremony were Wayne Shoopman and Ethel Husby.

Bakken-Kjos.

Oscar Kjos and Miss Anna Bakken of Fox were united in marriage on March 8 at the home of Rev. August Bredeson, who performed the ceremony. The newlyweds left Thursday morning for Roseau, where they will make their home.

Entertains at Dinner.

Mrs. C. T. Christianson entertained a few friends at a five o'clock dinner at her home on Main avenue north Sunday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lacey and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bloomquist.

Hosts at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton were hosts at a six o'clock dinner at their apartment in the Dobner-Meehan block, Friday evening. Cards and music made up the entertainment for the evening.

For Mrs. Landahl.

Mrs. F. C. Niclai informally entertained a few ladies at her home yesterday afternoon, honoring her mother, Mrs. H. Landahl of Little Falls, who is her guest.

Entertains Informally.

A number of ladies were entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. H. Froseth at her home. The hours were spent informally in needlework and social chat.

In Compliment to Mrs. Gobler.

Honoring Mrs. F. A. Gobler who will leave the city soon, Mrs. G. H. Frissel informally entertained a number of ladies at her home on Saturday afternoon.

St. Patrick Dinner Party.

Miss Lulu Cook entertained a few friends at dinner at her home last evening. St. Patrick appointments were used in decorating.

Young Men Give Party.

Last evening at the Masonic hall a number of young men of the city entertained at a dancing party. About 30 couples were present.

Churches

St. John's Lutheran Church.

German Passion Service Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Topic, "Jesus' Third Word From the Cross." Sunday School 11:30 a. m. English services 7:45 p. m. Theme "The Patient Jesus, Our Comfort, Our Pattern, Our Strength."

Sw. Ev. Mission Church

O. J. Lundell, Pastor.

Sunday March 19th. Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m. Rev. N. Hoijer, a missionary from Russia will speak. No evening services. Friday, March 17th, 8 p. m., Rev. Hoijer will speak of his experiences as missionary. Next Wednesday, March 22, 8 p. m., Rev. T. J. Bach, for 17 years missionary at Venezuela, So. America, will lecture on the political, commercial and religious conditions in South America. You and your friends are welcome.

Presbyterian Church.

Regular services will be conducted at the usual hour, morning and evening. Rev. Cook will occupy the pulpit and deliver a lecture sermon.

Scandinavian Evangelical Church

Bot Nyborg, Pastor.

Services Sunday the 19th at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. At the evening meeting Rev. Hoier, a missionary from Russia, will speak. Sunday school 10 a. m. You are cordially welcome.

Ev. Luth. Augustana Church

Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services in American at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Bible class at 7 p. m. Services in Swedish at 8 p. m. The Ladies' Missionary society will meet in the church basement Wednesday afternoon, March 22, at 2 p. m. The public is cordially invited to this meeting.

Trinity Lutheran Church.

T. E. Sweger, Pastor

Ladies' Aid society at church parlors this Thursday afternoon. The following program will be given at the Young Peoples' League Thursday evening: Scripture Reading and Prayer, piano solo, Ruth Quammen, reading, Esther Larson; vocal solo, Leland Sether; reading, Ella Johnson; talk, Josie Weeks; song, choir. Choir practice this evening at 7:15. Confirmation class Saturday at ten o'clock. Divine services Sunday in Norwegian 11 a. m. Special music. Short business meeting after services. In English 7:45 p. m. Sunday school and bible class 9:45 a. m.

Zion Lutheran Church.

George Larson, Pastor

Norwegian services 11 a. m. Bible study Sunday evening 7:00. English services, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at Oftelie's. Zion Ladies' Aid Thursday, March 23. Mrs. Ostmoe and Mrs. Sjolsvold entertain. Zion Young Peoples' society Thursday evening, March 23, entertained by Messrs. Sortland, Snustad and Haugen.

Ex-Senator Gronna Files.

A. J. Gronna, former senator of North Dakota, defeated for re-election by E. F. Ladd in the fall of 1920 has filed as a candidate for U. S. Senate from North Dakota in opposition to Porter J. McCumber, present incumbent. Gronna favors the state bill, Bank of North Dakota and rural creditors on the Nonpartisan plan. Senator McCumber is up for re-election. Neither candidate has been endorsed by any party so far. It appears that there will be difficulty for either faction to decide whom they should support.

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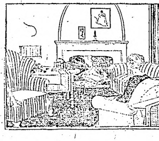

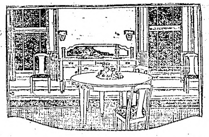

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"INSIDE OF THE CUP" DECLARED GREATEST OF ALL PHOTO PLAYS

Receives Unstinted Praise at Hands of Press Reviewers—Will be Seen at Lyceum on Sunday and Monday.

William H. Voltz, dramatic editor of the Gazette-Democrat, Philadelphia, has reviewed the Cosmopolitan production, "The Inside of the Cup," a Paramount picture from the novel by Winston Churchill, in a column article, paying a high tribute to the merit of the picture and to the remarkable character portrayals by the principals in that striking production.

"It was my good fortune to drop into the Palace theatre yesterday afternoon where I saw a new Paramount picture called "The Inside of the Cup," and right here I want to go on record as having said this is one of the best film productions I ever saw, and I have seen hundreds of them. It is one of the most artistic pictures ever produced. It is the finished article from start to finish.

"Paramount has a great name as a company and has supplied us with many clever photoplays, and every new one they show seems to outclass the preceding one, which goes to show that we are never too old to learn, and Paramount seems to be learning more every day.

"The Inside of the Cup" is from a novel by Winston Churchill, directed by Albert Capellani. As a rule I do not mention the name of the director, the scenario writer, the photographer and all that, because I think the public doesn't care a hoot who directed or wrote the scenario, or photographed the picture. But in this case this screen play is so artistically presented and the story so truthfully displayed that I have made an exception.

"Dickens in his war against Pharisaism never drew a more pungent character than Eldon Parr in "The Inside of the Cup." He is Pecksniff and Uriah Heep and Chadband kneaded into one. His evil doing and his influence and his "pull" are so masterfully shown that they seem real to life—and easily could be. There is no melodrama, there is no exaggeration, there is none of that license that sometimes the portrayal of types permits.

"The piety of this "pillar of the church!" Oh, the utter benignity of his expression, the uplifted eyes and the odor of sanctity! and "inside the cup"—greedy, avaricious, relentless, a hard taskmaster, a brutal parent and a general rotter! Some of his associates are admirably pictured! The vestry types are simply inspirations. One fat vestryman, looking as though butter wouldn't melt in his mouth, was a joy. Another, with an almost musical comedy expression, convulsed a quiet picture house, where laughter sounds as it never sounds in a legitimate theatre. Wonderful types, and gorgeously selected.

"The congregation is pictured on the day that this minister decides to tell the truth and shame the Pharisees. It is a vivid scene. At this juncture, the titling of "The Inside of the Cup" is particularly admirable. This church scene is pricelessly done. If you own a thinking apparatus, "The Inside of the Cup" will find it plenty of work to do. And, if you don't own such a thing, who shall say that this picture may not start one budding for you?"

Assistant Observers Needed.

The Civil Service commission invites special attention to the fact that in the examination held recently in Thief River Falls, Minn., and other cities throughout the United States for assistant observer, weather bureau, applicants were not secured in the number desired and that this examination will again be held on March 22.

Persons interested in this or other examinations should apply to T. S. Brokke, secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board at the local postoffice for detailed information and application blanks.

Card of Thanks.

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks to those who showed us much kindness during our recent bereavement. Particularly are we grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Andy Craik for their many kind deeds and to the Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and Firemen for the beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Severt Egenes, Mildred, Stanley and Harvey Egenes. M16p

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We Cordially invite you and your friends to our Spring Opening

Saturday, March 18

Spring's favored fabrics developed in the models which have received the unqualifed approval of Fashion leaders everywhere.

Modes that interpret in most pleasing ways the trend of the new silhouettes are displayed in many interesting ways.

Women anxious to know the new styles will find a visit to this store both pleasant and instructive.

The Store of New and Better Styles

OUR NEW DISPLAY SHOW WINDOWS ARE READY
Study them for the latest ideas in New Apparel and Novelties

FOR WEEKS AND MONTHS WE HAVE PLANNED AND WORKED FOR THIS SPRING OPENING AND NOW WE ARE READY WITH THE FINEST COLLECTION OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE THAT'S NEW FOR EARLY WEAR. NEW SUITS, COATS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, BLOUSES, SHOES, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR, BEADS, PURSES, HAIR ORNAMENTS, SASHES, RIBBONS, NECKWEAR, VEILS, NEW SILKS, VOILES, ORGANDIES, SWISSES AND GINGHAMS. FOR SATURDAY THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE STORE AND IN ALL OUR WINDOWS, THE NEWEST OF THE BEST SPRING OFFERINGS WILL BE ON EXHIBITION FOR YOUR PLEASURE AND APPROVAL. MAY WE HAVE THE PLEASURE OF SHOWING THIS REMARKABLE NEW ARRAY OF MERCHANDISE TO YOU SATURDAY, MARCH 18?

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THE SPRING OPENING.

Saturday, March 18, will be spring opening day for the stores of Thief River Falls. On this day the wearing apparel merchants particularly will have on display the wares for which there is particular demand in the spring of the year. They have decided to join forces in announcing to the people of the region their intention of presenting something of interest to all at this time and the announcements in The Times today will give a good idea of what the investigator may expect to find.

This year not only new goods but new prices are presented for the inspection of the prospective buyer. The drop in the cost of seasonable merchandise is in many cases so great as to be startling. Pre-war prices are again quoted for goods of even better value than was the case before business conditions throughout the world were upset.

Thief River Falls merchants have provided the best there is for their customers. Most of them have personally inspected the offerings at the different production centers and have selected what they desired with a full knowledge of what the people of the city and vicinity are likely to need and want. It is probable that their stocks are no larger than in previous years, conditions being such as to discourage plunging, but they have secured an ample supply of the most desirable goods.

Any person who sends out of town for anything handled here before finding out what their own merchants have to offer deserve the disappointments sure to follow such course. All the home dealer asks is that a comparison of his goods and prices be made with those of merchants in other places before good money is sent out of town. If such comparison fails to convince the buyer that trading away from home is a mistake the merchant is himself to blame—a fact he stands ready to admit.

Visit Thief River Falls next Saturday and see what has been provided for meeting your needs. It will cost you nothing to look around. You will be made welcome and courteously treated even though you come only to criticize.

COMPLAINT IS GENERAL.

The subject of school taxes is at the present time receiving a large share of attention from the press of the state. To judge by the expressions of editors the topic is one of outstanding importance in practically every community and the opinion thus far seems unanimous in demanding that something be done to bring about a reduction of the burden. The editorial in The Times last week in which attention was called to the cost of education in District No. 18 of Pennington county was in line with expressions voiced all over the state.

As is the case in Thief River Falls, in very few instances are school boards directly blamed for the tremendous increase in the cost of maintaining the schools. The situation is admittedly one in which the men and women in charge of this particular part of the public's business find themselves at a loss as to the best policy to pursue. There is no question but that they would gladly cut expenses if in their judgment such course were possible without lowering the standing of the schools, but they seem to fear this cannot be done.

The state superintendent of public instruction has gone on record as opposing any reduction in the salaries of teachers in spite of the fact that a cut of from 20 to 25 per cent was recently recommended at a meeting of educators. A resolution advocating such reduction failed of passage because its provisions were considered too sweeping and as failing to take conditions in different localities into consideration. In certain communities, it was contended, conditions might be such as to make a greater cut necessary while in others it would work an injustice to the teachers by reducing salaries to a greater extent than is warranted. That an adjustment having for its purpose a general revision of salaries downward was deemed advisable was amply demonstrated by the action of the delegates, however.

The press is demanding that the conditions under which state aid is extended be made less exacting. It is contended that state aid as at present administered is not extended except under conditions which make it a burden for districts to participate. There is not much to be gained by extending this aid and then attaching conditions which in a large measure nullify its value. It is likely a greater degree of relief may be expected from less exacting state regulations than from a reduction in the salaries of teachers, necessary as this latter step undoubtedly is.

The Cottonwood County Citizen, published at Windom, states the position of the general run of school districts in the state exactly in the following short editorial:

> J. M McConnell, superintendent of public instruction in this state, warns against cutting wages of teachers, contrary to the somewhat general opinion that this should be done as one of the means of reducing taxation. Mr. McConnell's warning also carries the implied meaning that the state department will step in with its usual arbitrary manner, and order that no decrease be made at any place throughout the state. The gentleman urges the doing away with certain departments, if curtailment is absolutely necessary, rather than to cut the wages of teachers in necessary departments. But the trouble is that it is a tremendous chore to eliminate any department as the men at the head in the state usually use the state aid threat to hold the departments in line. It is a case of be darned if you do and be darned if you don't.

A WISE DECISION.

The selection of County Agent J. J. McCann as secretary of the Thief River Falls commercial club was a sensible move. Not only does Mr. McCann possess all the qualifications of a first-class secretary, but his relation to the people of the city and *county makes him the ideal official.*

Mr. McCann's appointment was primarily made in the interest of economy, it being admittedly longer impossible for the farm bureau to engage his services under its present plan of financing. The county appropriation for the maintenance of the office was denied this year and while a large part of the agent's expenses are paid by the state and nation, yet a considerably larger sum than that made available from these sources is necessary in order to keep the agency functioning. Mr. McCann was seriously handicapped in his efforts to help the farmers last year because of a shortage of funds and this condition promised no improvement in the near future. The salary paid a secretary of the commercial club is not large but it will help make up the deficiency.

Mr. McCann's appointment should be particularly of value in affecting a closer co-operation between the people of city and country. In the past his work has been largely devoted to assisting the farmer in solving his problems, but he has also been active in movements of more particular interest to the people of Thief River Falls. He has been called upon for special service on many occasions and has always responded willingly and efficiently.

The new arrangement will be found more satisfactory than any tried during the past few years on the score of convenience. The county agent's office is in the auditorium and this building also contains the commercial club headquarters. There is ample room in the office to accommodate both these divisions of public service and Mr. McCann's selection will practically provide both with a full-time secretary.

There is going to be a great deal of work for the commercial club during the coming year and it is well that a man of Mr. McCann's energy will to a large extent have charge of affairs.

SITUATION IMPROVING.

With every indication of an unusually early spring the farmers of Northwestern Minnesota are looking toward the future with renewed courage. It must be admitted that during the past winter things have often taken on a decidedly bleak appearance when observed from the standpoint of the food producer and he could hardly be blamed for taking a rather pessimistic view of his situation. With the price of his products steadily falling and but little corresponding drop in the things he must buy as an offset, he was caught going and coming with no way to turn. It is high time there was a change.

An early and favorable spring does not insure a bountiful harvest by any means, but it does mean a favorable start, and nothing better can be looked for at this stage. It means early seeding with a correspondingly early reaping, which is a tremendous advantage, particularly to the grain grower. To the dairyman it means turning cattle out to pasture at an earlier date and a consequent lowering of labor and expense.

From every direction come indications of improved conditions. Bank statements show large increases in deposits, a fact due to a considerable extent to the better prices received for farm products. There is a disposition on the part of those who must finance the farmer to do so more willingly and on terms much more favorable than for some time in the past. Manufacturing enterprises in the cities are putting their men back to work and this means an increased demand for the products of the soil. Labor is more generally employed than was the case a few months ago and while wages are not what they were in the recent past the living cost reduction in some degree compensates for this decline. It would be very much better if wages were to drop just a little more slowly and the cost of living a little more rapidly, but things are moving toward a reasonable adjustment.

While too many men are still unemployed there is every reason for hoping this condition will not long continue. There is unusual activity in building lines in the cities and this is always a good sign. Soon the farms will be in the market for a large number of men and the unemployment situation in the towns will be correspondingly relieved.

Taken as a whole things are not bad. What is most needed now is for people to quit looking backwards at the unnaturally fat years that have passed and face the future with a greater degree of confidence.

DON'T BE UNREASONABLE.

When the truly remarkable progress made in the matter of flood control and drainage by the Red River district commission is considered it presents a most creditable record. More has been accomplished during the past year to insure the section against loss by spring floods and bring large tracts of heretofore valueless land under cultivation than during all the previous years white men have lived in the territory. The successful carrying out of the commission's program is now practically assured, a fact that means so much to the people residing in the district affected that they have even as yet no very clear idea of its importance.

In spite of the great strides made toward providing the relief they stand more in need of than anything else just now there are those who complain because things do not move faster. They forget that more has been done in the past year than for 20 years previously, although the subject has been before congress and the people fully that long. They overlook the fact that at last the proposition has assumed concrete form and a well-defined program is being followed. These fault-finders fail to give the commission credit for the exceptionally good work already accomplished and for the greater achievements promised for the near future. It is perhaps only just to state that there are very few of these dissatisfied persons and that their observations are lost in the general acclaim of commendation for the great record of the commission.

The probabilities are that early next year the work of dredging and straightening the Red Lake river will be begun. Viewers have already been appointed and will begin their duties at once. This is the big contract in connection with the Red Lakes project and when completed will remove forever the one great drawback to profitable farming along the upper river as well as provide a standardized waterflow for all purposes. It is a great undertaking and one that will stand as a monument to the foresight and perseverance of the men who are rapidly bringing it to a successful conclusion.

The first issue of the Middle River Pioneer under the editorial control and management of C. A. Hickok came to hand last week and to judge from appearances and the class of matter presented, the property has been left in competent hands. R. D. V. Carr, veteran publisher of the Pioneer, has leased the paper to Mr. Hickok, who is a newspaper man of ability and wide experience, while he takes a well-earned rest. The people of Middle River and neighborhood have a mighty good newspaper in the Pioneer, perhaps the best published in a town of like size in the state, and the prosperous appearance of the sheet indicates that they appreciate the fact.

OBSERVATIONS

(W. T. Noonan in Baudette Region.)

Cheer up, only three months till the sunstroke season.

The Region isn't throwing spasms of delight over the plan to give Minnesota a state police force. It smacks too much of another military organization. More co-operation among the sheriffs, with a head sheriff's office at St. Paul would be a better plan.

Many inquiries for Baudette land are coming in, which is only natural. Soil that will produce 100 green bills to the acre and can be bought for ten was sure to be grabbed up sooner or later.

The Region is being flooded with announcements by politicians these days. About the only thing they leave out of them is the truth.

"The shorter the skirts the longer you live," says a doctor to the ladies. Some of the girls evidently intend to live longer than John Smith, who reached 137 years.

We note that a candidate for re-election to the legislature says he has been in politics 22 years. Is it a boast or a confession?

The latest novelty for fleshy people is rubber shirts to melt away the fat. We know a few politicians who ought to wear rubber hats.

Astronomers have discovered that the moon is traveling faster than formerly. She has to, in order to keep up with this hustling old earth.

We noticed a headline the other day reading: "Takes Dog and Flees." There was an awful good chance for a typographical error.

OFFICE CAT

TRADE MARK

BY JUNIUS

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When.

(By Walter G. Doty.)

When young men follow old men's advice,
When all girls dress in a sensible way;
When every play is worth the price
And books are all their publishers say;
When goodness counts for more than cash;
When boarding houses cease from hash;
When women say just what they mean
And men what they say, forsooth;
When bards grow fat and knaves grow lean;
When lovers always tell the truth;
When fool-proof motor cars have come—
Look out for the millennium!

In Virginia two men are imprisoned in a mine, according to the public prints. They are, reports say, in a vaulted chamber, the natural temperature of which is about 70 degrees. A two-inch pipe has been driven through the rock to this chamber, through which food and drink are passed. Electric wires and a small electric light bulb have also been passed through the pipe. The men have plenty of fresh air, plenty of food and drink, tobacco and matches and a light.

It may be several weeks before rescuers reach them. In the meantime the prisoners say that they are all right, and not worrying. Why should they worry? No cold weather, no taxes, no high cost of living, no dodging automobiles, or trying to start 'em on cold mornings, no telephone calls in the chilly midnight, no fuss, no bother. Grub handed them daily, without having to work. It would be a little difficult for us to go down a two-inch pipe, but any time the two fellers want a companion we will volunteer.

With the tax off soft drinks they seem a trifle softer.

The United States Shipping Board in a page advertisement in a great magazine (which cost $8,000 of the peoples' money) urges us to go to Europe this winter: "The Riviera, Egypt and the Mystic Nile are calling you," the shipping board says. "Travel by one of your own ships, and help American industry." We have written the United States Shipping Board to forward at once the necessary transportation on one of our own ships, and expect to leave next week.

Amos Tash Says:

"Looks like this year's gointa be a dandy one fer peanuts all right." "Although th' winter's kinda tame, our coal pile's dwindlin' jest th' same—how 'bout yourn?"

John Brumund says whenever he sees a chorus girl with a new Hudson seal coat, it is none of his business.

Two Californians having succeeded in making milk from rice, and a very fair imitation of meat having been made from peanuts, bossy might as well concentrate on the leather business.

A man may not be handy around the house but his Saturday pay envelope always is.

When Pa is Sick.

When Pa is sick, he's scared to death,
An' Ma an' us just holds our breath.
He crawls in bed an' puffs and grunts,
And does all kinds of crazy stunts.
He wants "Doc." Brown, an' mighty quick,
For when Pa's ill, he's awful sick.
He gasps and groans, an' sort o' sighs,
He talks so queer, an' rolls his eyes.
Ma jumps an' runs an' all of us,
An' all the house is in a fuss.
An' peace and joy is mighty skeerce,
When Pa is sick it's something fierce.

(We go from verse to worse! ! ! !)

Pome

Every Goat-Getter
I grant you annoys,
But there is only one "getter"
Who upsets my poise,
And he is the bird
The king of kill-joys,
Who always comes back with
"Yes, but MY motor, boys!"

A local reformer wants the girls to stop rolling their own, meaning cigarettes 'neverything. He doesn't suggest, however, who he thinks should roll 'em.

A bandit after buying a pair of shoe-laces at a Seattle, Wash. store, says the Seattle Star, held up the proprietor and took $275. That's starting on a shoe string.

The correct use of "lie" and "lay" also worries a farmer every time a hen cackles.

A Pennsylvania man advertised a liberal reward for a bunch of keys he had lost. That night the finder of the keys entered the man's office, unlocking the door to the office and his safe with the keys, and took $184. Burglars, as well as chicken thieves, read advertisements.

"Th' only difference betwixt th' thermomenter an' th' cost o' livin' " remarked Amos Tash, who has a large fam'ly like ourn, is thet once in a while th' thermometer comes down a little." "As I stand on my porch t'day, an' see th' river 'cross th' way, I cannot see no reason why th' price o' ice should be so high."

"You should stand by your grocer" argued the Business Booster. "I always do when he is weighing my purchases," replied Mrs. Housekeeper.

Oolia says Hell is where you go when you die, provided you enjoyed yourself on earth.

An irate reader of this great uplift colyum presents us with a little toy bull. Thanx, friend, we'll make it our official mascot.

More Roads for the Money.
(From the St. Paul Dispatch.)

Lowest prices in a long time for road work have been brought out by the bidding on state highway contracts. The state will get the fifteen jobs for materially less than was expected. The result will be greater mileage or improved roads to be obtained this year with the total fund. There will be reasonable profits for the contractors and a larger number of men employed. The automobile and truck owners are entitled to more for their money, for it has been harder for them to raise it. The *highway commissioner is entitled* to credit for preparing the specifications in such a way as to help bring out twice as many bidders as last year. The quality of work will depend on the efficiency of his engineers, for there is nothing more expensive in road building than incompetent oversight. The first year of the new system of state highway construction has been an object lesson to Ramsey and every other county in the way it ought to be done.

Exchange Echoes

POOR POLICY.

Glenwood Herald: If we have a blooded horse or a thorobred cow we pet and pamper it, we even read books on how best to keep it in good condition or to give it the proper training. But our boys and girls we allow to run wild and get along anyway they can.

SO THEY SAY.

Lake City Graphic Republican: We are told that the swallow has the largest mouth, in proportion to its size, of any known bird. And the mule has the hardest kick of any known moonshine.

GAME TO THE LAST.

Exchange: An editor was dying, but when the doctor bent over, placed his ear on his breast, and said, "Poor man! Circulation almost gone!" the dying editor shouted: "You're a liar! We have the largest circulation in the country."—Exchange.

DON'T KNOCK.

Roseau Times-Region: A young salesman called upon an old merchant but did not make a sale. After he had gone the merchant said, "I liked his goods but he didn't know how to sell them. He spent five minutes talking about his own line and twenty minutes knocking his competitor."

That is the trouble with a great many people. They spend more time knocking other people than in displaying their own virtues and good qualities.

Knocking doesn't pay. Besides, it is so unnecessary. Give other people credit for being as clear-sighted as you are.

SUMMED UP.

Dassel Anchor: Take Edison's advice. "Increase your selling efforts," and he means by that make more noise about your business, attract customers, intensify your efforts. All this means—advertise.

A MARKED CONTRAST.

Winnebago City Enterprise: There is a marked contrast between Senator F. B. Kellogg and Judge Oscar Hallam, the two leading aspirants for the Republican convention endorsement for United States Senator.

All his life, Senator Kellogg has been aligned with the "big money" interests. He has grown rich by serving the corporations, and representing them on various and divers occasions.

All his life, Judge Oscar Hallam has been with the plain people. His has been a life of service to the masses. He has been a benefit and inspiration to hundreds of young men who have studied law.

Senator Kellogg has waxed opulent in this world's goods as a result of his affiliations. Judge Hallam has become rich in friendships on account of the kindly deeds that he has done, and the beneficent services that he has performed.

There is no question but that Judge Hallam would make an ideal United States Senator. In him, the people would have a strong and sturdy champion of their rights, and an able advocate of the true principles of old-fashioned Americanism. The convention will do well to endorse Judge Hallam, as he is the one and only man who can unite all factions of the party, and be successful at the polls next November.

WE'RE A PART OF THE U. S. A.

Mapleton Enterprise: The publishers of Minnesota are going to ask the next legislature to tell to the world that Minnesota is a part of America, and that in this state legal notices must be published in the language of the country. The last legislature dodged this issue but they cannot ignore it again without a calling of the roll and the placing on record of every lawmaker. Does any one think for a moment that Norway would allow its legal proclamations to be made in English, or that Germany would do likewise? Not that anyone knows of. Then why should any community in Minnesota be permitted to isolate itself from the general government by adopting some foreign tongue for carrying on public affairs?

STRICTLY NON-POLITICAL.

Princeton Union: The Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, according to the statement issued by its executive board, is a non-political organization. Every county association and township unit is advised to keep free from all political entanglements. This certainly is good, sound advice. If the members of the farm bureau live up to their opportunities and develop their organization as they should, they will find that they cannot afford to link it up with any political party. The farm bureau is a big institution. It is supported by men of every political belief because it is partially maintained by our government. Therefore its growth should not be dependent on the fortunes of any one party.

IT ALL HELPS.

Olivia Times: The bridal veil worn by Princess Mary was the one worn by Queen Victoria. That's economy, alright. Now if King George's trousers can be made over for the newly wedded duke there will be hope for England paying off the war debt.

COST IS VERY SMALL.

Walker Pilot: Once in a long while you hear some one remark that the county agent is a luxury and a terrible drag on the county finances. We have often wondered how they got that way when statistics show the cost of the county agent service in counties in the state of Minnesota amounts to less than one-half of a cent an acre on the basis of a total acreage in farms. At that rate county agent Onlby is well worth his hire if he did nothing the whole blessed year but visit the different farms and cull chickens.

WHY DON'T THEY COMBINE.

Dassel Dispatch: Competition has reduced the price of moonshine to such an extent that there is hardly a living in it for anyone.

A New Spring Stetson

For the young men who wish spirited style that is not too conspicuous. An example of really stylish head-wear.

Charles Lieberman

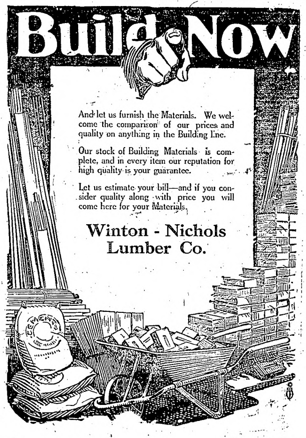

Build Now

And let us furnish the Materials. We welcome the comparison of our prices and quality on anything in the Building Line.

Our stock of Building Materials is complete, and in every item our reputation for high quality is your guarantee.

Let us estimate your bill—and if you consider quality along with price you will come here for your Materials.

Winton - Nichols Lumber Co.

City News

O. J. Peterson of Hazel was a business caller here on Friday.

Albert Johnson of Hazel spent Friday in the city on business.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smith Thursday, March 9.

D. Dressley of Grygla called on friends here the first of the week.

Otto Mickelson of Badger visited friends here the first of the week.

Attorney W. J. Brown went to St. Paul Tuesday evening on business.

Guy Halvorson returned Monday evening from a business trip to Bemidji.

Miss Anna Koop of Warren visited with friends in this city Monday and Tuesday.

Emil and H. Sandberg of Hazel attended to business matters here last Thursday.

A. Solem left Tuesday morning for Middle River to spend a brief time on business.

O. Johnson of Grygla was in the city a few days the first of the week on business.

C. J. Mattson of Coleraine was in the city on Friday attending to business affairs.

W. H. Frederick left Tuesday evening for St. Paul to spend a few days on business.

Lars Loberg and daughter, Mabel, of St. Hilaire were shoppers here in the city yesterday.

Misses Olive Patterson, Ruth Owen and Mildred Peterson of St. Hilaire were shoppers here Saturday.

Mrs. J. P. Pederson went to St. Hilaire Friday to spend a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Olson.

Miss Gladys Evenson returned to her home at Holt yesterday morning after a brief visit with relatives here.

Mrs. H. A. Pratt returned Tuesday morning from Minneapolis where she spent a couple of days visiting her mother.

SPECIAL ON FRIDAY—Doughnuts, 20c; Rocks, 20c; Nut Bar Cookies, 15c. Mrs. Louise Pawling, Phone 71.

F. J. Dudley and daughter Kathryn returned yesterday morning from a visit with relatives and friends at Grand Forks.

Miss Bessie Avelson left Saturday afternoon for St. Hilaire to remain for a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester D. Hendry left Tuesday night for Minneapolis and Chicago where they will spend a two week's honeymoon.

Miss Esther Meyers returned to her home at Steiner Tuesday morning after a short visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Percy Lamb.

Mrs. F. J. Seltz, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Jonas, returned to her home at St. Paul Tuesday night.

Lewis Pearce of St. Thomas, N. D., arrived here Tuesday evening to spend an indefinite time visiting his grand-daughter, Mrs. Carl E. Carlson.

Miss Lillian Provencher was called to Middle River the first of the week as nurse in a pneumonia case of which Dr. Spinks of that city is in charge.

Miss Ruth Mathews arrived Saturday from Moorhead, where she attends the State Teachers' college, and will spend the spring vacation with her parents.

Mrs. Ole Melting of Kimball, N. D., is in the city this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Severt Egenes. She arrived Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Egenes.

Misses Irma Marcoe and Lois Struble, students in the Normal training department returned Friday evening from two weeks of practice teaching near Erie.

Mrs. M. W. Brink and daughter, Suzanne, left Sunday night for Lincoln, Kan., to spend a month visiting at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Barackman, formerly of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Janson of Viking were guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Herron Wednesday evening enroute to Springfield, Ia., to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Virginia Will arrived here on Saturday morning from Moorhead, where she attends the State Teachers' college, to spend her spring vacation visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Will.

Mrs. Engolstad and Mrs. Hovland returned to their respective homes at Shelley and Halstad, yesterday, having come to attend the funeral of Severt J. Egenes. The former is a cousin of Mrs. Egenes and the latter is her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Doland returned to Grand Forks Saturday afternoon, having visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams. Mrs. Williams has been confined to her home for several days because of illness.

Mrs. Thos. Way arrived here on Thursday morning from DesMoines, Ia., where Mr. and Mrs. Way have sojourned this winter. They have decided to take up their residence in that city permanently, having purchased a nice home. Mrs. Way is here this week to see that their household goods are properly packed and shipped.

C. A. Nason, secretary and general manager of the Winton-Nichols Lumber company, entertained the agents of that concern at dinner at the Evelyn hotel last evening. Those present were J. Payne of Goodridge; Fred Hincik, Mavie; O. N. Hem, Fosston; J. N. Loen, Radium; C. L. Sandberg, Holt; John Sheggrud, Hazel; W. S. Wheeler, Lengby; S. Brandon and S. O. Groild, both of Thief River Falls.

Ellen Fellman, who teaches at Rosewood, spent the week end visiting relatives here.

Mrs. O. Fellman and daughter of St. Hilaire, shopped in this city between trains Saturday.

N. M. Peterson of Lancaster was in the city last week attending the Dairyman's convention.

Miss Bertha Gangnose, who spent a week visiting her mother who is ill, returned to Fargo the latter part of last week.

Miss Alice Hall came down from Middle River Tuesday afternoon for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Granum.

Verner Nelson of St. Hilaire has accepted a position at the First National bank and commenced his duties last week.

Miss Macbelle Swanson returned Saturday morning from Wylie where she had been the past two weeks doing practice teaching.

Miss Clara Sorenson arrived here Tuesday evening from Rosewood to spend a brief time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sorenson.

Mrs. J. H. Murphy, formerly Miss Flora Boyden, and baby, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Haynes last week. They returned to their home Friday morning.

Chas. Munn returned on Monday morning from an over-Sunday visit with his folks at Crookston. He left on the flier in the evening for the twin cities to spend a few days on business.

Mrs. J. M. Johnson and two children, who have been visiting relatives in this vicinity during the winter, left Tuesday afternoon for their home at Avandale, Mont. Enroute they will stop at Red Lake Falls to visit relatives a brief time.

Mrs. Alden Miller, who arrived here the latter part of the week from Alaska, where she and her husband have resided the past year, for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Shetler, left Friday afternoon for Grand Forks to spend the week-end visiting her aunt, Miss Lily Heard.

Miss Gertrude Blaska of St. Hilaire, shopped between trains Saturday.

Mrs. T. S. Brokke spent the week-end visiting her mother who resides on a farm near Steiner.

Elmer Zeh, who had spent a few weeks visiting his father, Phil Zeh, returned to Crookston Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed. O'Hara of Holt, visited with friends here Tuesday enroute to Minneapolis to spend several days visiting with relatives and friends.

Miss Alice Thompson returned to Rosewood Monday morning to resume her duties in a rural school, after an over Sunday visit with her folks here.

Misses Mae Cullins and Marie Erickson of Erie, were in the city Tuesday, taking the afternoon train for Crookston to spend a few days visiting friends.

Miss Lilian Oske, who has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Dikken, for several days, returned to her home at Roseau on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. S. Torgerson, who had spent a few months visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Thoreson, returned to her home at Stewardville Tuesday night.

You can't get strong on a weak, flimsy diet. Tone up your stomach. Eat plenty of nourishing food and build up your system. Tanlac does it. Lambert's Drug Store.—Advertisement.

O. W. Carlson returned Monday morning from Crookston where he visited his wife who recently underwent an operation at the Bethesda hospital. Mr. Carlson stated that in spite of the seriousness of the operation she is getting along nicely.

Ellen Nelson of St. Hilaire was a visitor in the city on Thursday between trains. She returned here on Monday morning to finish her work in the Normal Training department, having been forced to discontinue her school work last year because of illness.

H. L. Sande of Steiner was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Dr. H. W. Froehlich spent Tuesday evening between trains at Plummer on a professional call.

Mrs. A. Knauff and daughter left Thursday morning for Holt to spend a few days visiting relatives.

J. W. Hendry, assistant Master Mechanic of the Soo line, left Tuesday morning for Adams, on business.

Miss Effie Christianson returned Monday morning from Superior where she had visited relatives for a month.

Mrs. Willis Akre left Thursday afternoon for Crookston to spend a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Anderson.

Misses Helen and Olive Skrunstad and Gladys Evenson left Saturday morning for Holt to spend a few days visiting friends.

Constance Klungness and Myrtle Hanson returned Friday evening from Rosewood where they spent two weeks in practice teaching.

Miss Magna Randklev, who has been engaged in missionary work in North Dakota was an over night visitor of friends here Monday enroute to her home at Badger.

Miss Blanche Robson of St. Hilaire was in the city on Friday, representing the St. Hilaire high school in the divisional State High School Declamatory contest, held in the Lincoln auditorium that evening.

Mrs. Olaf Dahl is confined to her home with a broken wrist, which she received in a fall. Mrs. Dahl had just left her home on her way to a neighbors, when she slipped on some ice, falling with such force that her right wrist was broken.

Miss Hattie Anderson, who teaches near Middle River, was a shopper here Saturday.

A. Williamson left Sunday night for Minneapolis to spend several days visiting friends.

John Remmem of Rosewood spent a few days last week attending to matters of business in this city.

J. E. O'Brien, of Grand Forks, district superintendent on the Great Northern, was a visitor here between trains Saturday.

Norman Holen, who had been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Melgaard since Friday, returned to Argyle Wednesday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schantzen left Saturday morning for Steiner to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sande. Mrs. Schantzen is a sister of Mr. Sande.

Mrs. John Kolan of Strandquist spent Tuesday in the city receiving medical treatment. About a month ago Mrs. Kolan underwent a very successful operation for goiter at the Physicians' hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilhausen who spent six weeks at Chicago where the former was engaged in special work for the Soo, returned to this city Sunday morning. Mr. Gilhausen resumed his regular duties as traveling auditor, Monday morning.

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M. Fadden of Minneapolis was in the city Tuesday on business.

Arthur Bergland, who is employed at Grand Forks, arrived here Saturday morning for a visit with his parents.

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Misses Marie and Stella O'Brien of Badger, were visitors here on Friday, and Saturday.

A. E. Simons left Thursday night for Minneapolis where he will remain for an indefinite time.

Miss Eleanor Culver, who had spent two weeks here visiting her folks, returned to Strathcona Saturday morning to resume her teaching.

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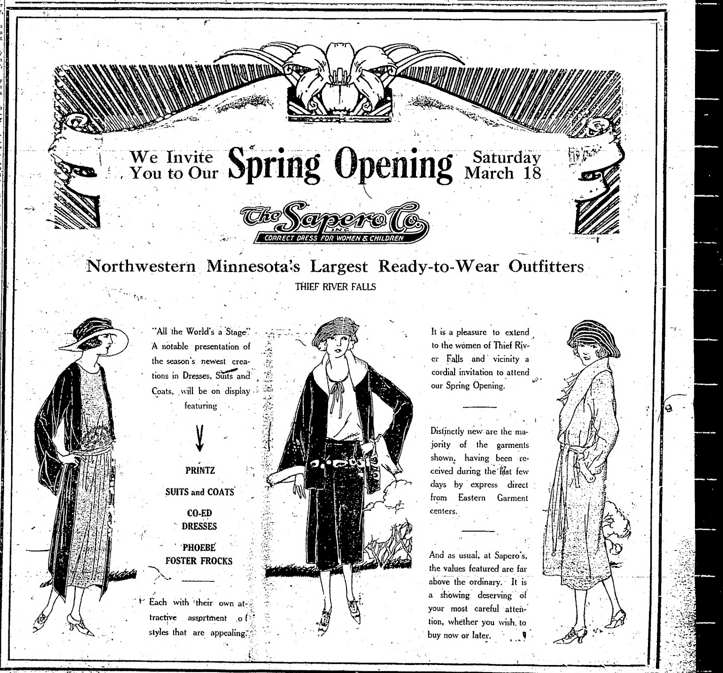

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Distinctly new are the majority of the garments shown, having been received during the last few days by express direct from Eastern Garment centers.

And as usual, at Sapero's, the values featured are far above the ordinary. It is a showing deserving of your most careful attention, whether you wish to buy now or later.

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Assoc. Jokes and Per. Lucille Curtis '23
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Exchange Editors
Morris Mabey and Lydia Dahlen '22
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Junior Reporter — Stephen Arneson
Sophomore Reporter — Hilda Peterson
Freshman Reporter — Maxine Johnson
Faculty Advisor — I. T. Simley

A Campus Beautiful.

Now that spring is here again it may be necessary to remind students to refrain from cutting across the lawn as much as possible. If we are to have a beautiful campus later on in the season, the grass must be permitted to grow as early as the weather permits. If the turf is broken and the tender grass trod down by short-cuts across the campus, it will leave ugly blotches to mar the beauty of our school lawn all season. We all want a campus that will be a pleasure to look upon and a credit to the school. It is only a few steps farther to follow the walks, so please consider the beauty of the fresh green grass before you step on it.

The High School Progress.

There are two principal ways in which the activities in the high school are presented to the public. They are the Annual and High School Progress. Now if these are the only two ways in which the public can read what the students in the school are accomplishing, they should be developed to their fullest extent so it will seem interesting for the public to read them.

The Progress especially because of being printed so frequently should be a paper by which the public can see just what the school is accomplishing in athletics and from the social standpoint. It should have some showing of the work of the student as a literary writer. The Progress could surely be bettered by more interest in it. If the students would only read it more and others read the Progress it would help. But the trouble with the Progress is that of lack of support. How can the students expect the business men and others to be interested in it if it does not arouse their own enthusiasm. The only thing that the Progress really needs is some more good articles on good subjects and more jokes.

J. G. '24

Notice

You don't have to have a doctor examine you. A great many of us need to watch and be careful though. It isn't so much a matter of health because the healthiest are liable to be the first victims of this horrible disease. Oh, such a tremendous amount of students get the disease every year.

Symptoms:

First stage—At first the books become weary and tiresome to look at, and there will be a tendency to skip school.

Second stage—When on the way to school there is a power without that beckons the student to stay away which generally wins.

Third stage—The student is irritated and wishes his ears clogged because he hears disagreeable orders and his eyes closed because he sees red marks. But watch the mouth, it drifts toward telling petty lies. His actions are irritating to teachers who will then seek the aid of the superintendent. The student will consider him a mere "quack" and thus let the disease drag out till the end of school.

Three results:

1. No student on the honor roll.
2. Many tears shed over F's.
3. Many don't dare go home.

Advertisement:

Big reward will be paid to anyone discovering a remedy for spring fever.

M. E. '24

District Declamatory Contest Of State League.

The Declamatory contest for this district was held in the high school auditorium last Friday evening. The program was as follows:

"Toussaint L' Overture," George Puschinsky, Red Lake Falls.

"Abolition of War," Walter Gilbertson, Erskine.

"Liberty or Death," Melvin Sherva, St. Hilaire.

"Reply by Douglas," Ludwig Nelson, Greenbush.

"Abolition of War," Herschel Hanson, Thief River Falls.

"Plea of Cuba," Arthur Wold, Roseau.

Piano solo, Muriel Loken.

"Madame X," Ella Lasha, Red Lake Falls.

"Man Without a Country," Marie Martin, Roseau.

"A Few Bars in the Key of G," Ruth O'Brien, Greenbush.

"The Littlest Rebel," Grace Steenerson, Erskine.

"The Angelus," [illegible] Krohn, Thief River Falls.

"As the Moon Rose," Edith Holmquist, Lancaster.

"The Soul of the Violin," Blanche Rolsin, St. Hilaire.

Community singing led by Miss Johnson.

The decision of the judges, Miss McNair of Fosston, Supt. Norby and John Nystul of Goodridge, gave the "Plea for Cuba," and "Liberty or Death," the first and second places for the boys, respectively. First and second places for the girls were given to "A Few Bars in the Key of G," and "As the Moon Rose," respectively.

Can You Imagine?

Myrtle Oen with bobbed hair?
The girl's mirror without a smiling face gazing into it?
Ole Helle with black hair?
Eileen without Math?
Lee Melgaard minus an argument?
Willis Nason smiling at a girl?
Mr. Rupacz without his announcements?
A freshman with brains?
Lucille Curtis and Nellie Knutson "just loafing?"
Kip LaBree interested in a girl?
The cloak hall not crowded at noon?
Silence in the assembly?
Camille not talking?
Clarence Smith with a girl?
A perfect attendance on a spring day?

Placing Her.

If she goes with all the boys, she is a coquette.

If she prefers a steady she couldn't get anyone else.

If she prefers chemistry, she's queer. If she doesn't she's looking for snap course.

If she's a shark in physical training she loses her maidenly charm. If she isn't, well, girls can't do much anyhow.

If she doesn't wear a Senior Class ring, she's not engaged. If she does, she's running a bluff.

If she belongs to a "click" she's frivolous. If she doesn't she couldn't make a "hit."

If she asserts herself in class she's *strong minded*. If she doesn't she hasn't any brains.

If she doesn't talk much she's uninteresting. If she does she's tiresome.

Now what's she going to do?

To Spring.

How dearly do I love the spring!
It seems as if the world doth ring
With birds and flowers and trees galore,
I wish that there was spring much more
Instead of winter, when the winds do roar,
Spring is a wonderful, beautiful thing.

The day was bright, serene and fair,
The day my sister bobbed her hair;
And when she started home that night,
She raved and raved with all her might
At how she looked (an awful sight)
Without her long, black hair.

Supt. Simley Speaks.

At the regular Wednesday general assembly last week, Supt. Simley gave the student body a very interesting talk on literature suitable for committing to memory. He illustrated from personal experience how he had often found much company and much enjoyment out of repeating memory gems that he had previously made his possessions. To show that he found enjoyment in other literature as well as the English, he cited briefly from other languages such as Latin, Greek, French, German and Norse. He called particular attention to the very excellent literature that had been brought about by the World War. As illustrations of this literature he recited McCrae's, "In Flander's Fields," Lilard's "America's Answer" and Seeger's "I have a Rendezvous with Death."

The talk was enjoyed by all and if Mr. Simley will again give us a few of his spare minutes, the students will be delighted.

M. B. '24

Class Tournament.

The class games, which started Monday, March 13th are probably the hardest-fought games which have been witnessed for several years, which is probably due to the strong rivalry between the classes for first place.

Each class has put out its best men and is backing them up with true class spirit. It is hard at present to say which team is the strongest, but the Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors seem to look upon the Seniors as their strongest opponents. The schedule is as follows:

Monday, March 13th—Freshmen vs. Sophomores.

Tuesday, March 14th—Juniors vs. Seniors.

Wednesday, March 15th—Freshmen vs. Juniors.

Thursday, March 16th—Sophomores vs. Seniors.

Friday, March 17th—Freshmen vs. Seniors.

Monday, March 20th—Sophomores vs. Juniors.

A small admittance fee of ten cents is charged which will go toward paying off the debt incurred by the Athletic association.

Low Marks.

When you get your report card and you are disappointed in any of your marks, what do you do? Do you get discouraged and not study any more, or are you determined to try to raise your mark? When some people get a low mark, they think at the time that they will study harder, but as the time goes on they forget the resolution they had made and go back to the same method of studying they used before.

It does not pay to get discouraged when you get a low mark. If you think you deserved to get a better mark than what was given you, you ought to go and see your teacher, as she will be glad to tell you why you got such a poor grade; she will be glad to show you other ways to study which would be easier and so make the subject more interesting. When you get a low mark you should be willing to study harder on that subject, to put more time on it so that you will be able to raise your mark the following month. You should also be willing to follow out your teacher's suggestions if she made any. If every one in the whole high school would do this, there would not be so many low grades.

PEARL CONKLIN, '24

The Benefit of Reading Good Books.

Some people seem to think that "good" books are necessarily the books they dislike. Now if they would please sample a few they would change their minds. I, for one, in looking over a shelf of fiction, especially, used to skip all that had thin pages and fine print, thinking, "Oh, that's just some dry old thing I'll probably have to read for English some day." Well, I got "Lorna Doone" for my book review on fiction and I can tell you, though I have not yet finished it, that it is the most interesting book I've read for a long time.

When I began, it was with sort of rebellious feeling and I criticized it severely, "too much in detail," I thought, and such a style! But I could not leave it alone. Later I found that each "detail" was an important part of the story. It is thrilling enough to suit anyone and yet has a sort of uplifting power.

Anyone can easily distinguish a book of this sort from the trashy novel, so often the main part of the young person's reading matter. The sort are not "uplifting" and they often lead to grave mistakes in the lives of young persons.

Of course fiction is not the only thing one should read. The works on vocation are a great help to one in choosing his life's work, etc. Books on travel are instructive and are really a part of one's education. One will also find them ever so interesting. I find the "Geographic" magazine very good reading matter. "Thrilling" too. In the last one a tiger story was interwoven in an article about "Hunting for the——" some tree whose seeds contain an oil which cures leprosy.

Now don't skip the "formidable" looking books, at least until you've tried a few, for I'm sure you'll find them very interesting.

E. T. '24

Northrup Notes

Robert Erickson, Thora Sweger, Cora Krause and Dorothy Sullivan have been absent from Miss O'Neill's room on account of illness.

Eleven people succeeded in getting perfect spelling lessons for the week in Miss O'Neill's sixth grade department.

Miss Sandum has been absent all week on account of illness. Mrs. Skog has been substituting for her.

Miss Trogen has been ill the past week. Mrs. Froehlich did substitute teaching in her room.

H. Sunderland, Superintendent of the Lancaster schools, visited our school on Friday.

Miss Edith Holmquist, one of the declamatory contestants, visited our school Friday afternoon.

Donald Anderson has been absent from the first grade this week on account of illness.

Leigh Anderson Again Honored.

Again Leigh Anderson, a student in Central, has won honors for himself, his school, and his city, by winning first prize in the Minneapolis Journal Essay Contest on the subject "Our Mutual Friend." It will be remembered that Leigh won the distinction of winning the grand sweep stakes in the essay contest on "The Future of the Red River Valley," conducted by the Red River Valley Winter Shows. With this [illegible] he also won first prize for the [illegible] grade contest.

The following letters which [illegible] has received will be of great interest to his friends.

Crookston, Minn.
Feb. 12, 1922.

Mr. Leigh Anderson, Student Dist. 18, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dear Friend: You have, of course, before this been advised that your essay on "The Future of the Red River Valley" won first prize in the Winter Shows essay contest, but it is our wish to express our congratulations to you and to tell you that it gave us great pleasure to be permitted to have it read at the annual meeting of the association, held at Crookston on Thursday of last week, at which were present Honorable M. Holm, Secretary of State; Honorable N. J. Holmberg, Commissioner of Agriculture; Senator Sam Rask of Blooming Prairie; representatives of the commercial organizations of St. Paul and Minneapolis; and men from all counties of the Development Association territory.

Could you have heard the applause that was given when the reading of the essay was finished, and heard a few of the words of commendation expressed, you would surely have felt repaid for the effort put forth in the preparation of the essay and, too, have acquired a stronger and lasting interest in "The real future of the Red River Valley." That your expressions of its possibilities may come true will be the hope of all and if this association may have a part in helping to effect the realization of even a small part of them it will feel that it has served good purpose.

Copies of the essay were requested by representatives of the twin city papers who were present.

Again we congratulate you and wish you every success in carrying out your part in promoting the future development of that great section in which we live.

Yours very truly,
Minnesota Red River Valley Development Association.
By C. H. Zealand, Secretary.
Crookston, Minn.
Feb. 14, 1922.

Mr. Leigh Anderson, Thief River Falls, Minn.

My Dear Leigh: I take great pleasure in enclosing checks covering the prizes won in the Red River Valley Essay contest. Permit me at the same time to extend my sincerest congratulations to you for your successful achievement.

The judges announced that a very high standard was attained in these essays. In this, as in other things that you do, I am sure that you will appreciate the reward of having done your best.

With best wishes I am
Very sincerely yours,
Northwest School Farmers' Week,
Red River Valley Winter Shows
and Purebred Livestock Sales.
C. G. Selvig, Gen'l. Chairman.

Minneapolis, Minn.
Mar. 10, 1911.

Mr. Leigh Anderson, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Dear Sir: With this letter is the Journal's check for $15, which is sent you as the first prize in the contest for essays on "Our Mutual Friend."

It is a pleasure to send you this check. We congratulate you on your standing in the contest in which many very excellent essays were submitted.

Very truly yours,
The Minneapolis Journal
George H. Adams, Managing Editor.

Personals and Jokes

Miss Chamberlain: "What is the Golden Rule?"

Wm. DeParque: "It's a clothing store, isn't it?"

20th Century Columbus.

A new route has been discovered by one of our commercial geography students, which he revealed to us in the recent examination when asked to trace the route of a ship from Duluth to Liverpool. "From Duluth you [illegible] ake [illegible] ay and [illegible] the Pacific [illegible] Atlantic

[illegible] shrick is a kind [illegible] ea, isn't he?"

Teacher: "Who is the world's greatest electrician?"

Student: "The man who runs Niagara Falls."

Pearl Weeks is absent from school enjoying a siege of the "flu."

Spring is on its way for an indefinite visit. The symptoms of the same can be seen by the following: Gingham dresses, Russian boots, summer coats and hatless girls. One minor symptom is that girls are bobbing and cutting their hair shorter to avoid the expected heat.

Helen Warner is absent from school caused by illness.

Miss Maude Johnson had a collision in music class Thursday when she accidently broke the piano stool while sitting on it.

Wanted: By the "bobs", automatic curling tongs.

A Blind Man.

The old man standing on the street corner was a pitiful sight. In his hand he held his ragged hat in which he received the few pennies that pitying passersby dropped in. His eyes were concealed by dark glasses. It was a cold day and his scanty attire was hardly enough to keep him warm.

The money did not accumulate as fast as usual. It was just a week after Christmas and the people seemed to have spent all their spare money for gifts. All that afternoon the old man stood on the corner. He was just about to go home when a weary, patient eyed little woman dropped a coin into his hat. "You poor man," she said softly. "It must be dreadful to depend upon this for your living. I haven't much myself," she said ruefully "but I make enough with my work to keep my baby and myself from starving. You see my husband died three months ago. He was blind, too." Her voice ended in a sob.

"Blind!" exclaimed the beggar.

"Yes," she said controlling her emotion with an effort. "That's why I am always glad to help such as you."

"Thank you ma'am," said the beggar, "and if you would give me your name and address I would be very grateful." Surprised, the woman gave it to him.

After she had gone the man turned to go home. He soon reached the apartment where he had rented one room. He went into the room and carefully locked the door behind him. The large shabby room seemed more gloomy than usual. With a sigh the old man sat down. He took off his glasses revealing his bright clear seeing eyes. The glasses were of use during the day to help carry his pretense of being blind, but in the evening they were a nuisance.

The old man as was his usual custom took out his money and counted it. He was not satisfied however.

"Might have given me more," he muttered. Putting his hand in his pocket he felt to see whether there was any more. He pulled out the slip of paper containing the address which the woman had given him.

"Wonder what possessed me to get it," he grumbled. But he did not throw it away.

The next day in an attempt to cross the crowded street, where he thought he would get more money, the old man was run over by the passing traffic and seriously injured. He was taken to the city hospital.

A few days later the patient little woman who had given the beggar money received a letter from a lawyer. It read:

"Peter Malone, a miser, died yesterday at the hospital. He had about two hundred dollars which he bequeathed to you. Will you please call at my office?"

GLADYS MALAND, '22

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The famous healing odors of the long-leaf pine are to be had, even if you can't go South. For people subject to colds, a North Carolina druggist some years ago worked out a vaporizing salve, containing the very essence of pine sap, together with other healing penetrating vapors.

This wonderful preparation, Vicks VapoRub, has been the standby for years in Southern homes. Year by year and State by State its reputation has grown until today Vicks is the favorite treatment throughout the country for all cold troubles, croup, catarrh—neuralgic pains, skin hurts and itching skin troubles. Druggists are stocked now. Get a good supply at once.

Just rub it on and breathe in the vapors

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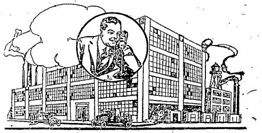

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The Week's Sermon

(By Rev. E. H. Kreidt, Pastor St. John's Lutheran Church, Thief River Falls.)

JESUS: SAVIOR OR JUDGE.

(Matt. 26:63,64.)

Jesus, betrayed by the kiss of Judas, His disciple, was taken captive by the soldiers and servants of the priests and rulers, bound securely, and led to the palace of the High-priest Caiphas. Here the Sanhedrin, highest court of the Jewish church, had met to judge and condemn Jesus of Nazareth. The verdict of this court was a settled fact, even before the trial had started, for it was Caiphas, the judge of Jesus, who some time before had given the advice to the plotting and intriguing priests: "Ye know nothing at all, nor consider that it is expedient for us, that one man should die for the people." (John 11:49,50.) This one man that should die for the people was Jesus. Caiphas had determined upon His death.

To preserve a show of justice, false witnesses are brought forward against the Prisoner. But their testimony does not agree; the trial does not progress as it was planned. Caiphas, the cunning and crafty judge, again comes to the rescue. He will lead Jesus into a trap and convict Him from His own testimony. He says: "I adjure thee by the living God, that Thou tell us whether Thou be the Christ, the Son of God." Jesus is placed under oath and in the *presence of Jehovah, the true God,* who also will judge the truth of His answer. Jesus realizes the importance of this moment; the truth and the honor of God are at stake; He must answer truthfully, regardless of the consequences to Himself. And His answer comes in clear, certain terms: "Thou hast said, 'I am the Christ.'"

Note well that Caiphas had used the official title of the promised Savior: "Christ." This is the Greek equivalent to the Hebrew "Messiah." His question would read: "Are You the Savior, whom God by the prophets of old has promised to send into the world for the redemption of His people? Are you the fulfillment of these promises of God? Are you the Son of God? For such the promised Savior must be." The question was well put; it drove right to the heart of the case. And Jesus does not evade the issue; He admits the correctness of the question, and answers: "I am the Savior; I am the Son of God; I am the fulfillment of God's promises; I am sent of God to save the world; I am your Savior."

And then He adds: "Hereafter shall ye see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of heaven." To the Bible-student those words have a clear and unmistakable meaning. "Son of *man*" is the regular name which Jesus applies to Himself. "Sitting on the right hand of power and coming in the clouds of heaven," refer to His return to Judgement, when the nations of the earth, the quick and the dead, shall be judged. (Read Matt. 25:31-46.) Thus Jesus there steps before His judges with His two-fold office, that of the Savior, and that of the Judge. He would have them remember this and take it into account when they deal with Him. Now He is the Christ, the Messiah, the Savior; but He will be the Judge; now He stands before them in lowliness, but He will stand before them in power and glory; now they are the judges and He is the prisoner, but the time will come when He will be the judge and they the prisoners. Therefore, they should be careful of their relationship to Him. They can have Him as Savior, or they will have Him as judge.

The same applies to us. Every mortal must determine his relationship to Christ, the Son of God. You must choose between these two things: Christ the Savior or Christ the Judge. As which will you have Him? Now is the time to make the choice. Today, during this present life, He comes to you in the blessed Gospel as the Savior. He comes to you in lowliness, it is true, as the "Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief," as "one despised and rejected, without form and comeliness, that we should desire Him," (Is. 53); but He comes with the invitation: "Come unto Me and I will give you rest;" with the announcement: "He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life." Will you accept Him as such? Will you receive the gift of heaven, purchased by His suffering and death? Will you be cleansed of sin and its guilt with His blood? Yes? Then shalt thou live. No? You will not accept Him as the Christ? You will not trust in His vicarious atonement? You will not hope for heaven through Him alone? You will cast Him aside as worthless and undesirable? Then you must meet Him as your Judge. In the glory and power of His eternal Godhead will you stand before Him in your sins and imperfections? What can you expect from Him, the Righteous, the Holy and the Just? Nothing, but the verdict which the Sanhedrin all unjustly passed upon Him: "He is guilty of death!"

Mortal man, now is the time to decide your meeting with the Son of God. Now you can cling to Him as your savior and then you need not fear Him as judge. Or you can reject Him now, neglect and despise Him, but you will have to fear Him then, and tremble before Him there. Which shall it be?

"Look unto Him and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth!" Is. 45:22.

Minnesota Leads Country in 1000-Lb. Milch Cows

Minnesota leads all the states in the number of Holstein cows which are producing more than 1,000 lbs. of butter on yearly tests, according to W. E. Peterson of University Farm, superintendent of official testing in this state. Minnesota has 82 Holsteins in the 1,000 lb. class. Several Guernseys and Jerseys have a similar record of performance to their credit. Ohio with 79 Holsteins in this superior class is second to Minnesota. In 1915 Minnesota had but one lone 1,000 lb. cow and stood in the last place among the states. Mr. Peterson believes the development of testing and breeding has had a great deal to do in bringing about the marked improvement in production shown by official records.

25 Trees for 25 Cents.

Any school in the state can obtain 25 small evergreen trees for Arbor Day planting on request to the assistant superintendent of the forest experiment station, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn. The request must be accompanied by 25 cents to pay the cost of digging, packing and shipping. Only one shipment can be made to a school. Requests received later than April 1 cannot be filled.

Resolution of Condolence.

Whereas, in the death of Brother Severt J. Egenes, a highly respected member of Young Pine Lodge No. 221, I. O. O. F., the members of this lodge have sustained an irreparable loss, and

Whereas, the deceased brother was an upright, honorable citizen, highly esteemed because of his many good qualities, therefore be it resolved, that we who learned to know him and love him as a lodge member, express to his bereaved wife and family our sincere measure of condolences.

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the lodge records and a copy sent to the beloved wife of our deceased brother.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn., March 1922.

Committee.

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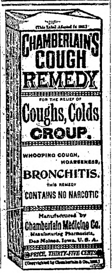

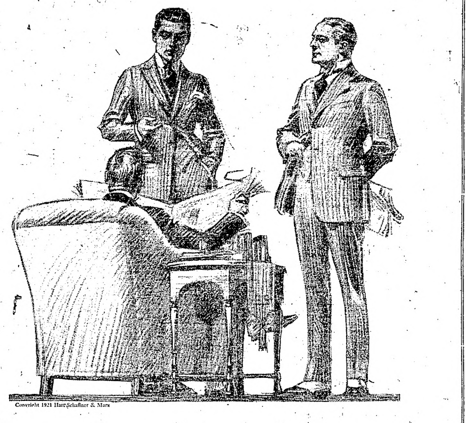

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HOG PRICES GO BELOW $10 LINE

Severe Drop Features Trade at Week's Opening—Pigs Also Lower—Few Fat Cattle.

(By U. S. Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates and Minn. Dep't of Agriculture.)

Hog prices at South St. Paul have been running comparatively close to those prevailing at Chicago and often above prices at Missouri river markets, and packers were out to get values in line here at the week's opening. Their efforts along this line were successful, declines of 50 to 75c on the average being recorded. Bulk of sales $9.50 to $9.75, top $10.00, heavy packing sows $8.00 to $8.50. Pigs were also lower, bulk of good pigs cashing at $9.85.

Cattle trade opened unevenly steady to lower than last week's close. Fat cattle and other killing classes were relatively scarce and those sold at steady to weak prices. Load lots of shortfeds sold from $7.25 to $7.60. Most of the offerings were common to medium grade beef steers and sold from $6.25 to $7.00, with commonest kinds down to $6.00 or slightly less. Good fat young cows on the heifer order and heifers eligible to sell from $6.00 to $7.00 were extremely scarce today, very few sales being made at these prices, bulk of butcher cows and heifers selling from $4.00 to $5.75. Canners and cutters brought $2.50 to $3.50 for the most part, a few of the worst canners $2.25. Bologna bulls sold from $3.00 to $4.60, bulk $3.25 to $3.75. Best light veals held steady with bulk at $7.50, some on up to $8.00. Seconds and culls were steady to 50c lower at $4.00 to $5.00. With a liberal carry-over from last week, and a large percentage of today's receipts consisting of stockers and feeders the supply of these exceeded the demand and the market was dull, good and choice grades selling at steady to weak prices, common and medium grades weak to 25c lower. Commonest kinds sold as low as $4.50 bulk $5.00 to $6.25, most desirable offerings on the fat cattle order quotable up to $7.00 or $7.25.

Sheep and lambs opened steady. Best native lambs sold at $14.50, fairly good ewes $7.00 to $7.50. Choice Montana feeders reached $13.65.

ROAD COSTS DOWN STATE BIDS SHOW

Low Figures Break All Records. Commissioner Lets Contract and Seeks More Bids.

Minnesota is getting bigger value for its road funds now than ever before.

State highway officials so agreed this week after contracts were let at $756,000 on 13 projects estimate by engineers to cost $1,020,000. Charles M. Babcock state highway commissioner, after making the awards, expressed regret that trunk highway funds will not permit the state to take special advantage of existing low prices by greatly enlarging the 1922 program.

John M. Mullen, deputy commissioner and chief highway engineer, said that funds for actual trunk work this year will be reduced from the 1921 total by reimbursement bond interest charges and other deductions. Curtailments will be avoidable to some extent because of the lower prices, he said, and the department will bend every effort to extend betterments as far as possible.

Contracts just awarded cover nearly 75 miles of grading, three miles of paving and nine bridges. The small paving job was let at $1.94½ cents a yard, the lowest price ever quoted and compared with a recent county bid of $2.18 on a cheaper type. Grading was bid as low as 17 cents a cubic yard and other prices were in proportion, engineers said.

Two of the contracts let were for roads in the northwestern part of the state. One of these is between Warroad and Roosevelt, 11 miles grading and four bridges, cost $110,000, and the other between Ogema and Calloway, 12.1 miles of grading at 465,553.

First Women in Pennington County to Serve as Members of Grand Jury

Through the courtesy of the Minneapolis Journal, The Times this week reproduces a group photo showing the women members of the first grand jury on which their sex has been represented in Pennington county. Accompanying the picture the Journal contained the following writeup their work and the hardships many had to face in order to perform this duty of the good citizen:

"Pennington county may well feel proud of its women because seven of them served on the grand jury at the last term of the district court presided over by Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren. Nine women had been drawn but two were excused, the others braving the worst storm in a generation to serve. Mrs. William Vaughan of Highlanding drove 23 miles against the wind, leaving her baby to the care of the other members of the family, feeling she should share in the duties imposed by the enfranchisement of woman. She was formerly a school teacher in this section, as were several of the other *women on the grand jury.*

"Nine indictments were returned by the grand jury, papers being served on seven of those named while two are still at liberty. Two pleaded guilty to a charge of gambling, both men being fined while one also received a jail sentence; one pleaded guilty to selling liquor and was fined and sent to jail; two others had their cases continued to the June term of court (one being due to a disagreement of the jury) on the charge of selling liquor; two were acquitted.

The women, from left to right, are: (Upper row) Mrs. G. I. Fellman, St. Hilaire; Mrs. Vaughan, Highlanding; *Mrs. Gunstad, St. Hilaire; Mrs. E. N.* Beebe, St. Hilaire; (lower row) Mrs. J. V. Patton, St. Hilaire; Mrs. E. F. Dann, St. Hilaire, and Mrs. J. M. Bishop, Thief River Falls, clerk of the grand jury."

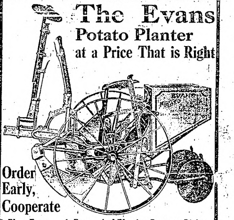

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FOR SALE—Poland China sows. Due to farrow early in April. Price reasonable. Ralph Mayhew, Thief River Falls, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE—Early Ohio seed potatoes, $1.75 a bushel. Nice clean seed. P. A. Peterson, Germantown route. 7p

FOR SALE—Majestic range, practically new; also coal heater. Mrs. Hieber, 416 North Main. 5tf

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor and Oliver plow, cheap. Address R. F. Malmstrom, R. 1, Box 15 City. 6p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—5-passenger auto, in good repair. Will consider horses or cattle. Call John Bratrud. 7p

FOR SALE—Ole Omundson will sell his residence, six rooms, with full basement, barn, garage, woodshed, 80 square rods of land with good well. Adjoining city limits. Inquire of O. A. Naplin. 6p

FOR SALE—20 tons upland hay and 200 bushels White Burbank seed potatoes. Frank Svoboda, Germantown route. 6tf

FOR SALE—White Russian oats, SW¼ Section 1, Highlanding township. Jos. Verlicky. Phone 510-M, 107 Kneale Ave. South. 6p

FOR SALE—New Victory seed oats, also Minden Durum seed wheat and seed flax. W. E. Smith, city. 8p

FOR SALE—A good work team. M. C. Harlow. 5tf

FOR SALE—Good tame hay, one good team of work horses with pick of three teams; also one hundred bushels of Ohio seed potatoes, grown from certified seed. R. L. Muzzy, Rte. 2. 7p

ORDER your Barred Rock and C. B. Minorcas hatching eggs now. My stock was blue ribbon winners at Pennington Poultry show. Barred Rock eggs, 50c per doz., C. B. Minorca eggs, $1.00 per doz. F. G. Dols, Rosewood, Minn. 6p

FOR SALE—Pure bred Holstein bulls, two big enough for service; also some heifers. They are a fine lot. Now is your time to get started. Will also sell 80 or 100 acres of fine high bank river farm with buildings, or will sell entire farm consisting of 220 acres and two sets of buildings. Thirty head of cattle, nearly all pure breds. This farm is one of the best in the state. C. Wiener, R. F. D. No. 3. 6p

FOR SALE—160 acres of land, three and a half miles southeast of Erie, in Pennington county. You can make a bargain with me. Write or come and see me. Salve O. Omlid, Erie. 9p

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room house. For particulars inquire at 620 Main Avenue North. 5tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—On account of illness in the family I offer to sell or rent a 240-acre good stock and dairy farm located four miles southwest of Thief River Falls. Can take possession April 1, 1922. H. A. Matthees, St. Hilaire, Minn. R. R. 1. 6p

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock, White Plymouth Rock and Wyandotte roosters. H. H. Harding, Thief River Falls, Minn. 7-p

FOR SALE—Scarified sweet clover seed at 6 cents per pound. Henry Hanson, Germantown Route. 5tf

AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY! Will sell my restaurant and confectionery store at a bargain. Will consider a trade in city property in Thief River Falls. Preference residence house. $2,500 or $3,000 will handle the deal. Have a good reason for selling out. I will show under a bank deposit guarantee that this restaurant is banking more than $12,000 a year. Address Box 659, Holt, Minn. 6

FOR SALE—No. 1 timothy and clover hay. Mrs. H. J. Rustad, Squaw Point. Phone 456-J 40tf

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS—Large nine-room house, four lots. Small payment down, balance small monthly payments. Phone 73. P. O. Box 135. 25tf

FOR SALE—Five room house on East Side. Inquire Times office. 4tf

FOR SALE—Seed wheat, Black [illegible] Macaroni, nearest to [illegible] [illegible], Mavie, Minn. 10

FOR SALE—Best soft drink and cigar stand in the city, fixtures and stock included. An exceptional opportunity. Call at Times for particulars. 16tf

FOR SALE—4500 lbs. of Sweet Clover Seed at 6c per lb. Otto Parnow, Erie, Minn. 6

FOR SALE very cheap, Hupmobile touring car in first class shape. Inquire at G. N. depot. 3tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acres unimproved land. Can be bought on easy payments, or will trade for anything I can use. P. O. Box 135. 13tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, 501 Main Ave N. 5tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Dwelling at 424 Knight Ave. North. Address B. B. Hammer, Kratka route. 7

FOR RENT—Good improved farm of 160 acres to rent to responsible man. Good buildings, well and pasture; fields fall plowed and ready for crop. Write E. F. Franklin, Route 3, or see Andrew Bottelson at East Side drug store, Thief River Falls. 5tf

FOR RENT—Between 200 and 300 acres, Town of Whiteford, Marshall Co. 100 acres new ground for flax; 25 cows and 125 sheep to rent with place; tractor and some machinery; cream separator I can let party use. An all around money-making place. School ¾ mile. B. E. Curtiss, Middle River, Minn. 6tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 811 LaBree Ave. N. Phone 303. 7

FOR RENT—To the highest bidder, Hay stumpage for 1922 on 12½ of section 25, Numedal township. Terms cash or bankable note at 10 per cent. Send your bids to Herman A. Krueger, 807 North Main street, Fairmont, Minn. 9

WANTED—Renter for farm of 400 acres. Half under cultivation, balance timber and pasture. Rent on shares. 15 Holstein cows on farm. Renter will get half of cream and half of increase from live stock. For further information write Farmers State Bank, Wiager, Minn. 3tf

FOR RENT Two residences on Atlantic avenue. One vacant and the other will be April 15th. T. K. Rynestad. 6p

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—To hear from owner of wild or improved farm land for sale, give full information in first letter. No. 219 Times. 50tf

WANTED—To hear from owner of good farm for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 8p

WANTED—Residence or business property in Thief River Falls. Give price and description. No. 301 Times. 50tf

WANTED TO BUY—A second hand Fordson. Benard Bendickson, Goodridge, Minn. 7p

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED—Experienced dining room girl at Hotel Evelyn. 6

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LOST—Man's grey Mocha glove. Return to Times office for reward. C. J. Cerny. 6

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POSITION WANTED—By experienced window dresser and show card writer. Have seen experience and can work on floor also. Address 3318 Park Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. 6tf

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GRAVEL—Parties desiring gravel call on G. A. Carlson or Phone 308-J 7-p

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MEN WANTED to sell Groceries. Selling experience not necessary. One of the world's largest wholesale grocery houses (capital over $1,000,000.00) wants ambitious men in your locality to sell direct to consumer nationally known brands of an extensive line of groceries, paints, roofings, lubricating oils, stock foods, etc. No capital required. Commissions advanced. Write today. State age and county desired. John Sexton & Co., 352 W. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill. 2p

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American Legion Corner

Mayor Hodgson of St. Paul, Mayor Leach of Minneapolis, and the mayors of Duluth, Virginia, Winona, St. Cloud, and of every town and hamlet of Minnesota have signified their intention of proclaiming March 20th as American Legion Employment Day in their respective communities. Hanford MacNider, Legion National Commander, is asking President Harding to proclaim March 20th National Employment Day.

PROCLAMATION.

The unemployment situation should be a matter of deep concern to all public spirited citizens. Though some of the estimates of the number of persons out of work may be exaggerated, it is admitted that the number is greater than it has been in many years.

Thousands among the unemployed are men who served their country in the recent World War. Many of them have families and are in dire distress. The American Legion has tackled the job of finding work for them, and proposes that one day be set aside when the whole nation will give special thought to this problem.

Our country has unlimited resources, and the State of Minnesota can produce more than enough to supply all the people within its borders. The problem is to so organize our industrial life that every person may join in the work of developing these resources and have his just share in the production and distribution of the necessities and comforts of life.

Now, therefore, I, J. A. O. Preus, do hereby designate and set aside Monday, March 20th, as American Legion Employment Day and urge all our citizens to co-operate with the American Legion in its program for finding work for those who want it. If employers, public officials and public spirited citizens will give this problem concentrated attention for one day, more will be accomplished than if it is given casual attention from time to time.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed hereto this tenth day of March, 1922.

J. A. O. PREUS,
Governor of Minnesota.
Attest: MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State.

The Ballot.

(By Stafford King, Minnesota Legion Adjutant.)

DO YOU KNOW
That the American Legion stands
For Law and Order?
HOW?
By election of competent leaders.
Men and women who are efficient,
Who are patriotic,
Who have clean records of service,
Who believe in American institutions,
Whose ideals are unquestioned,
Whose characters are unimpeachable.
The Ballot Safeguards American Liberty.
It is the arm of peace,
The laurel wreath of commendation,
The cable-tow of condemnation.
IT IS YOURS.
Do not abuse it.
Do not misuse it.
THINK.
Who wants your vote?
What has he done?
What can he do?
Look back—look forward.
THINK—and in thinking
VOTE.

"CASHES IN" ON BUSINESS COURSE

His former teachers at Dakota Business College, Fargo, N. D., were gratified to hear of the election of J. J. Goehring as cashier of the Minnesota State Bank of Amboy. About 230 students of this unusual school are now bank officers, 40 of them being women.

Dakota Business College attracts a better class of students, gives better training, is called upon for help by the better class of firms. No wonder these graduates progress.

"Follow the SucceSSful." Now is the time to begin. Write F. L. Watkins, Pres., 806 Front St., Fargo, N. D.

STILL PAYS PENSIONS TO STATE'S HELPERS DURING INDIAN WARS

Minnesota is Now Paying Out Over $700,000 Every Year to 212 Residents Who Participated in Uprising of 1862.

Minnesota has never questioned its debt to the men and women who answered its call in time of trouble. Even now the Gopher State is paying a debt of gratitude to those who aided it in the Indian wars of 1862 and at the same time is completing the payment of nearly $30,000,000 to those who answered the call in connection with the late World War.

It may not be generally known, but Minnesota at the present time is paying a monthly pension to 212 residents of the state who participated in the Indian wars of 1862. The law granting this pension was passed in 1905. It provides for a pension of $12.00 a month and only those suffering disabilities as a result of participation are eligible. Because of death due to the infirmities of old age the number of participants has been greatly reduced, still each year registers eligibles. This year two survivors with back pay of $1,448.00 and $1,301.00 respectively, were added to the list. The high mark was in 1912 when nearly 450 survivors or their widows were aided.

Since the law went into effect the following annual Indian War pension payments have been made:

1905	$ 5,681.50
1906	40,706.80
1907	51,783.60
1908	56,433.60
1909	47,664.80
1910	60,010.40
1911	55,813.20
1912	60,261.60
1913	45,540.40
1914	50,602.14
1915	34,225.18
1916	48,949.87
1917	41,210.40
1918	37,488.40
1919	32,095.60
1920	31,327.60
Total	$705,800.09

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE
First National Bank
AT THIEF RIVER FALLS, IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 10, 1922.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	$509,172.55	
Total loans		$509,172.55
Overdrafts, unsecured		352.20
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	$ 50,000.00	
All other United States Government securities	88,000.00	
Total		138,000.00
Other bonds, securities, etc.		23,581.08
Banking House, $59,500.00; Furniture and fixtures, $10,541.34		70,041.34
Real estate owned other than banking house		10,325.60
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		27,211.45
Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		75,623.81
Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9 or 10)		1,734.38
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)		2,800.62
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13	$80,171.81	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
Total		$860,300.30

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund		35,000.00
Undivided profits	$ 14,148.80	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	$ 10,731.46	3,417.34
Circulating notes outstanding		50,000.00
Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22		20,033.56
Certified checks outstanding		2,500.00
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		7,610.47
Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25	$ 10,010.03	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		121,701.71
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		65,490.80
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank		3,517.65
Dividends unpaid		30.00
Other demand deposits		152.12
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31	$190,977.70	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		412,835.25
Other time deposits		60,263.07
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34 and 35	$179,099.32	
[illegible] (including War Loan deposit account and deposits of United States disbursing officers		11,800.00
Total deposits	$721,913.03	
Total		$860,300.30

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

I, W. H. Akre, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. H. AKRE, Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
C. L. HANSEN,
E. M. BENNES,
RASMUS OEN, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1922.
GEORGE W. WERSTLEIN,
Notary Public, Pennington County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Oct. 22, 1926.

Is That Cold and Cough Hanging On?

YOU will be convinced that Dr. King's New Discovery does just what it is meant to do—soothes cough-raw throats, congestion-tormented chests, loosens the phlegm pack and breaks the obstinate cold and grippe attack, relieves the congestion in the head. No harmful drugs, therefore good for children as well as grownups.

Right away you will notice the change for the better. Has a convincing, healing taste that you will appreciate. Buy a bottle at any druggists on the way home to-night, 60c.

Dr. King's New Discovery
For Colds and Coughs

Lazy People, Lazy Bowels. Don't neglect constipation. It undermines the health, takes all vim out of you. Dr. King's Pills will invigorate the system, stir up the liver, move the bowels. All druggists, 25c.

PROMPT! WON'T GRIPE
Dr. King's Pills

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at Public Auction, the folowing property, on the Peter Paulson farm: the SW¼ Sec. 36 Town of Rocksbury, ½ mile west of Hazel and 4½ miles east of St. Hilaire, north of the State Highway, on

Saturday, March 25

Commencing at 11:00 a. m.

CATTLE
One red cow, 8 yrs. old, fresh June.
One red cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh Oct.
One red cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh Oct.
One red cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh June.
Two red heifers, two yrs. old, fresh June.
One 15-16 Grade Holstein bull, 2 yrs. old.
One black mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. 1600.

MACHINERY
One Deering grain binder, 6 ft. cut.
One Van Brunt 14 single disc drill.
One Minnesota mower, 5 ft. cut.
One Deering hay rake, 10 ft.
One P. & O. sulky plow, 16 in.
One John Deere 14 disc.
One Hero fanning mill and elevator.
One John Deere cultivator, 2 horse.
One Columbia wide tire wagon, complete.
One truck wagon (iron wheels).
Two Deere & Webber bob sleighs 7 ft.
One Boss harrow, 3 sections.
One Moline scale, 1000 lbs.
One Stover feed mill, 5 inch.
One 1½ H. P. Hercules gas engine and pump jack.
Two buggies.
One set heavy work harness.
One hay rack.
One 55 gal. gasoline barrel.
One 55 gal. kerosene barrel.
One prairie breaker, 16 in.
One 1920 Ford touring car.
Three doz. grain sacks and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $15.00 and under cash. Over that amount approved bankable paper due October 1st, 1922.

Oscar Borgie, Owner
PAUL BORGIE, Auctioneer
CITIZENS' STATE BANK, HAZEL, Clerk.

Auction Sale

The undersigned will sell at public auction at the old Ben Erickson farm in Section 11, Rocksbury township, 2 miles south and 1½ miles east of Thief River Falls, on

Wednesday, March 22

Commencing at 10:00 A. M., the following personal property:

One grey gelding, 5 yrs. old, weight about 1200 lbs.
One manure spreader.
One corn planter with drilling and check rowing mechanism; 60 rods of check wire.
One cultivator, double rigged, shovels and discs.
One McCormick binder, either with or without shocking machine attachment.
One Van Brunt press drill.
One Pounder harrow.
One Sattley-Racine gang plow.
One Sattley-Racine sulky plow.
One 6 foot disc.
One Hero fanning mill with sacking elevator for power or hand operation.
One 2 H. P. gasoline engine.
One feed cutter, hand or power driven.
One 10 foot hay rake.
One grindstone.
One buggy harness, breast collar; also collar and hames.
One half set work harness.
One incubator.
One brooder.
One Hero seed corn grader.
One oak bureau with plate glass mirror, 2 ft. by 2½ ft.
One oak commode to match bureau.
One parlor organ.
Six oak chairs.
One iron bed with spring and mattress.
Other small articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount approved bankable paper due November 1, 1922.

C. J. Hannett, Owner
W. J. LaBree, Auct. First National Bank, Clerk

Among Our Neighbors

ROSEWOOD

Mrs. Rudolph Sagmoen, accompanied by Isabel Sagmoen, went to Thief River Falls on Thursday evening where they were scheduled to furnish musical selections at the Young Peoples' Society of the Zion church.

The following were callers at the Rosebank school on Tuesday afternoon: Mesdames O. S. Hellerud, J. Thompson and B. Hanum.

Mrs. Sagmoen, the Rosebank teacher is boarding at the B. P. Sagmoen home.

Town supervisors, B. P. Sagmoen and Alex Hellquist, went to Viking on Tuesday morning on business held at the home of the clerk, John Halvorson.

Teachers Ellen Fellman and Alice Thompson left on Friday evening to spend the week end with relatives at Thief River Falls.

L. Furan went to Thief River on Friday evening on a brief business trip.

Miss Carrie Nelson spent a few days of the week visiting with Thief River Falls friends.

Alec Ross, a son-in-law of John [illegible]oom, arrived from Duluth Thursday morning for a visit at the latter's home and will investigate the leasing of the Bloom farm the coming season.

John Remmem and Anton P. Wing, of the Bargain Store, spent a few days the first of the week attending to business matters at Thief River Falls.

Fred G. Dols drove to Viking on Wednesday on business with town clerk, John Halvorson.

Swedish services at the village church on Sunday, March 19, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Werner Drotts of Viking will speak.

Enoch Nelson and Carl Bloom returned on Monday evening from Warren where they have been over Sunday.

S. S. Nordgaard of Viking arrived here on Tuesday evening to visit and look after business matters for a day.

Mrs. O. M. Holson returned on Monday morning from Thief River Falls where she and her daughter Lily, who teaches school near Steiner, spent Sunday as guests of the A. C. Vorseth people.

John Sorenson spent Wednesday at Warren on business connected with his former military duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hellquist and daughter Bernice arrived on Thursday morning from Thief River Falls to spend the week end with the former's father, J. E. Hellquist.

Albert Hellquist of Newfolden was in Town on Thursday calling on his folks and attending to business.

Sagmoen and Nordhagen commenced sawing lumber on Wednesday.

Oscar Vixie shipped a purebred Red Bourbon turkey from Barnesville last week which will prove a valuable addition to his turkey family.

Nancert Hasby spent Friday on business at Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Anderson and daughter Irma, left on Monday evening to spend the remainder of the week with friends at Thief River Falls.

Steiner Johnson returned Thursday from Fosston where he spent the past month visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Whitmark visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ole Skaar in town of Norden on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hellquist and Emil Hellquist drove to Newfolden last Saturday to visit with the Albert Hellquist family.

John Sorenson was a business caller at Thief River Falls between trains last Friday. He spent the past winter with his folks north of town and will on Monday reopen his garage business at Rosewood.

Agent O. N. Olson was here from Thief River Falls on Wednesday on business with the local merchants.

Miss Carrie Nelson went to Viking on Saturday morning where she will spend Sunday with relatives.

Teacher Miss Lyda Batten of Thief River Falls spent the week end with her folks here.

A Farmers' club meeting was held at the Sunshine schoolhouse last Saturday evening.

Julius Liden spent a few days this week in this vicinity in the interests of his newspaper campaign.

L. L. Furan was at Thief River Falls between trains on Friday on business.

WYANDOTTE

Louis Evenson and P. W. Culkins were shoppers in Thief River Falls Saturday.

G. A. Wilson was in Plummer on Monday on business.

Arthur Kolp, Ray Chester, Floyd Sumpter, Mr. and Mrs. K. Thorvilson and Miss Louise Shefveland were visitors at the Ed. Evenson home last Sunday afternoon.

A number of young people were entertained at the Ed. Evenson home Thursday night. Music and dancing was the entertainment for the evening and a lunch was served at midnight.

Anker Hanson was a caller at the G. A. Wilson home Monday night.

Teddy Bergdahl has been on the sick list for the past week but is able to be around again.

Morris Breyette helped T. Ounmmee saw wood last Monday.

John Hanson and Laura Larson were visitors at the Sam Hanson home Sunday afternoon.

T. A. Ralstad sawed wood for Tim Evenson last Saturday.

Louis Evenson, the wood-sawer, worked for T. Ounmmee last Monday.

Carrie Haugen has returned home from Duluth where she has been employed for the last two months.

T. Wilson is busy getting home his hay these days. Otto Bergan is assisting him.

About thirty-five young folks spent Saturday evening at the Nels Hanson home. Music and dancing was enjoyed and a lunch was served at midnight.

ERIE

L. B. Johnson was a Goodridge business visitor on Thursday.

Mrs. Myrtle Rouze spent the week end in Goodridge.

Miss Amanda Skomedahl left for her home in Thief River Falls on Friday afternoon, after doing practice teaching in Dist. No. 6 under the supervision of Miss Tillie Ose, for two weeks.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Tommerdahl burned her arms quite badly last Thursday morning when she tipped a hot coffee pot over herself. She is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Tharaldson and daughter Evelyn, Misses Ose and Skomedahl were callers at Dahlen's on Thursday evening.

Eddie Arveson has purchased Ed. Watnes' big team and plans on doing contract road work this coming season.

Mrs. Ben Rindahl took Miss Amy Sorium and Pearl Shetler to Goodridge on Saturday morning where they took the train for Thief River Falls, after doing practice teaching in Miss Knutson's school, dist. No. 65. Mrs. Rindahl, on her return trip, visited her sister, Mrs. Claire Eliason, over Sunday.

Tillie Ose spent Saturday in Thief River Falls between trains visiting her sister Helga.

Knute Berg is spending a few days with the Stobnas and Myrum families near Rhoda this week.

Lars Fevig is reported to be quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Anderson and Mrs. T. Loyland were visitors at Trontvedt's Sunday evening.

Tellef Loyland was taken suddenly ill last Tuesday evening and was taken to Thief River Falls by Salve Omlid on Wednesday morning to seek medical aid. He returned home on Friday and is improving.

THIEF RIVER VALLEY

Annie Knutson was a visitor at Gena Sannes' school in district 133 on Monday and Grace Miller and Mabel Ahlstrom on Thursday.

Ruth and Olive Wold left for Grand Forks last Wednesday. The latter went there to attend business college.

Albert Antonson of Gonvick is visiting at the home of Jorgen Sannes.

Edwin Ahlstrom is visiting with former Thief River Falls people, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dahl, who are now living in North Dakota.

Knut Knutson was absent from school several days last week.

A large number of her friends surprised Olive Wold last Saturday. She was presented with a gift of money.

Einar Hornseth is back at school after being absent for sometime because of illness.

Annie Knutson spent the week-end with her friend, Gena Sannes.

Henry Wilken made a business trip to Thief River Falls Friday.

Lars Ose transacted business at Steiner Monday.

Steve Holm is visiting at the G. J. Skomedal home this week.

A crowd of young folks spent Sunday evening at the John Skomedahl home, including the Misses Selma and Tilla Olson, Effie Soiney, Gunvor Skomedal, Ragnild Bergland and Lars Ose, John Dahl, Arne Soredal, Torbjon Skomedal, Tyler Wold and Steve Holm.

Ivend Greebrok spent Sunday afternoon at the Ose home.

Miss Gladys Russell who is attending high school, spent Sunday with her home folks.

WHEN EVERY MOVE HURTS

Lame every morning, achy and stiff all day, worse when it's damp or chilly? Suspect your kidneys and try the remedy your neighbors use. Ask your neighbor!

Mrs. C. E. Cruzan, 610 Knight Ave., W., Thief River Falls, says. "My kidneys weren't acting properly and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I was also in misery with my back. At times it was so sore and stiff that when I stooped it was about all I could do to straighten again. I easily tired and it seemed my housework was a burden. I became somewhat discouraged because of this condition and not until I began using Doan's Kidney Pills did I begin to feel like myself again. Three boxes of Doan's restored me to good health and strengthened my kidneys."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Cruzan had. Foster-Milburn Co. Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Mothers—Important.

Mothers should see that the whole family take a thorough, purifying system cleaning laxative this Spring. NOW IS THE TIME. The family will be healthier, happier, and get along better if the blood is given a thorough purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter accumulated in the system, driven away. HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGET TABLETS is one of the very best and surest spring medicines to take. Get them and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll eat better, sleep better, and be well and happy. Lambert's drug store.—Advertisement. Mar.

Legal Notices

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Arthur Anderson and Fredolph Anderson, single men, Mortgagors, to Bankers Trust & Savings Bank, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, Mortgagee, bearing date the 28th day of November 1916, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of July, 1917, at nine o'clock a. m., in Book 58 of Mortgages on page 28.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Bankers Trust & Savings Bank, Mortgagee, to F. S. Baines by written assignment dated the 10th day of September, 1917, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 10th day of September, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 6 of Mortgages on page 522, which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said Mortgagors to pay the interest amounting to $150.00 which became due November 28, 1920, and by failure to pay the interest amounting to $150.00 which became due November 28, 1921, and by failure to pay the principal sum secured by said mortgage amounting to Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars which became due on the 28th day of November, 1921, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law, or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: The Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-three (33) in Township One Hundred and Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof, and situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State, on the first day of May, 1922, at ten o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty-one ($2851.00) Dollars, and interest at six per cent per annum from the date of this notice, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 28, 1922.

F. S. BAINES,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
FRED L. FARLEY,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
(M-16-23-30-A-6-13-20.)

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, default has been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the twenty-sixth day of October, 1916, made, executed and delivered by Henry A. Wiebe and Mary Wiebe, his wife, of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, as mortgagors, to The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, to secure the payment of the sum of Two Thousand and no-100 Dollars ($2,000.00) and interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum, according to the terms and conditions of a certain promissory note and the interest coupons thereto annexed, made and executed by said Henry A. Wiebe and Mary Wiebe, his wife, to said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company, and in said mortgage fully described, which said mortgage was duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the twenty-seventh day of October, 1916, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., and was duly recorded in said office in Book 12 of Mortgages on page 310, and which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was thereafter duly assigned by the said The Pennington County Land and Loan Company to the Merchants Trust and Savings Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Minnesota, having its place of business in Saint Paul, Minnesota, by written assignment bearing date the twenty-first day of November, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota in Book 60 of Assignments of Mortgages on page 218, on the twenty-fourth day of November, 1916, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., and

Whereas, said mortgagors have failed and refused to pay the principal of the note in said mortgage described, in the sum of Two Thousand and no-100 Dollars ($2,000.00) which became due and payable on the twenty-sixth day of October, 1921, and said Merchants Trust and Savings Bank, has elected and does hereby elect, to declare all sums evidenced by said note, together with all accrued interest to be due and payable, and there is claimed to be due and is due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of Two Thousand and no-100 Dollars ($2,000.00), and interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per cent per annum from said twenty-sixth day of October, 1921, which interest at the date of this notice amounts to Thirty-six and 67-100 Dollars ($36.67), and also the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorney's fees, as provided for in said mortgage, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of the mortgaged premises at public auction by the sheriff of said County of Pennington to the highest bidder therefor for cash on Wednesday, the 19th day of April, 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to satisfy the amount which will then and there be due on said mortgage for principal and interest, together with the costs and charges of sale, the taxes, if any, on said premises, and said Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) for attorney's fees, said mortgaged premises so to be sold lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Three (3), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, Range Forty-five (45) West, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof.

Dated February 25th, 1922.

MERCHANTS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
WALTER E. KUNZE,
Attorney for said Assignee,
C-o Merchants Trust and Savings Bank,
Saint Paul, Minnesota.
M-2-9-16-23-30-A-6

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington, ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mathias Urschitz, decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Louisa Urschitz, Lydia Steinhauer, Hubert Urschitz and Rudolf Urschitz and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of April, 1922 at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 13th day of March, 1922.

(SEAL)

LARS BACKE,
Judge of Probate.
H. O. CHOMMIE,
Attorney for Petitioner.
(M-16-23-30)

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage duly executed and delivered by Elmer Klungness and Julia A. Klungness, his wife, Mortgagors, to Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee, bearing date the 3rd day of July, 1920, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of July, 1920, at 1 o'clock P. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on Page 574, and

Whereas, the said Peter O. Sorlom, Mortgagee and holder of said Mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and whereas there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said Mortgage and the debt secured thereby the total sum of $781.76, being the amount of principal and interest secured by the Mortgage hereby being foreclosed, and whereas the power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Eight (8), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of April, 1922, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $781.76, and interest, and taxes if any, on said premises, and attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 20, 1922.

PETER O. SORLOM,
Mortgagee.
O. A. NAPLIN,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
F-23-M-2-9-16-23-30

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, defaults have been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Gaston Ward, a single man, mortgagor, to C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, mortgagees, bearing date the 24th day of May, 1917, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of May, 1917, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 53 of Mortgages on Page 477, and

Whereas, the said C. L. Dobner and H. G. Dobner, the mortgagees and holders of said mortgage, have duly elected and do hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, the total sum of Eighty-five and 17-100 Dollars ($85.17) as follows: The sum of $64.43 thereof being for interest paid by said mortgagees (with interest thereon to date) upon a prior existing mortgage upon the premises securing the mortgage hereby being foreclosed and for which said mortgagees are entitled to a lien pursuant to law and the terms of said mortgage, and the sum of $20.74 thereof being the amount of the balance of the principal and interest secured by the mortgage hereby being foreclosed, said sums making the total amount aforesaid, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section No. Twelve (12) in Township No. One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range No. Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 1st day of April, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $85.17, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five Dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated February 14th, 1922.

C. L. DOBNER and H. G. DOBNER,
Mortgagees.
PERL W. MABEY,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Ninety-nine and 8-100 ($3199.08) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Thomas S. Jacobson and Marie Jacobson, his wife, as mortgagors, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands), as mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1916, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of January, A. D. 1917, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "12" of Mortgages, on page [illegible], which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 27th day of January, A. D. 1922, by assignment in writing duly assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "60" of Mortgages, on page 307, and that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed and the following described premises covered by and described in said mortgage, situated in said County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot numbered One (1) in Section Twenty-eight (28); Lots numbered One (1), Two (2) and the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼NE¼) of Section Twenty-nine (29), (excepting a plot of ground 65 ft. by 165 ft. in said Lot 1, Sect. 29, heretofore deeded to the Highlanding Co-Operative Creamery Association); all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 110 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt and interest and Seventy-five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of April, 1922, at ten (10:00) o'clock in the forenoon of that day, subject to redemption as provided by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 7, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
621 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-16-23-M-2-9-16-23

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas default has occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, his wife, as mortgagors, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation created under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, upon the following land, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots One and Two (1 and 2) Section Two (2) and Lots Three and Four (3 and 4) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Eighty-two (182) acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof;

Which said mortgage bears date the 6th day of October, 1917, and with the power of sale therein contained was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 20th day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "58" of Mortgages, on page 370, and which said mortgage was thereafter and on the 22nd day of October, 1917, by assignment in writing, duly assigned by said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, to Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Kingdom of The Netherlands, which assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 8:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "56" of Mortgages, on page 467, which said mortgage was thereafter, and on the 27th day of January, 1922, by assignment in writing, assigned by said Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, to Hollam Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the said Register of Deeds of said Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1922, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 253, and which said mortgage was given to secure payment of the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred ($1600.00) Dollars, according to the terms of one (1) certain promissory note made and executed by said Halvor Svendsen and Thone Svendsen, said mortgagors, to said Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, which note bears even date with said mortgage, together with five (5) interest coupon notes, executed simultaneously with said principal note, said coupon notes being payable on the 6th day of October of years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, each for the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, which said interest coupon note due on the 6th day of October, 1921, is past due and unpaid and has been past due and unpaid for more than ten (10) days; and,

Whereas it was among other things in said mortgage provided that in case of default in payment of interest at the time it became due and such default should continue for a period of ten (10) days, the whole amount of said principal sum, together with accrued interest, should, at the option of the mortgagee, or its assignee, be deemed to have become due and payable; and,

Whereas, said mortgagors neglected to pay and have not paid interest maturing and becoming due on said mortgage on the 6th day of October, 1921, amounting to the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, and that by reason of said default the whole amount of the principal, with accrued interest, is by said assignee of mortgagee, Hollam Company, deemed to have become immediately due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and,

Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice the sum of Seventeen Hundred Thirty-four and 53-100 ($1734.53) Dollars, secured by said mortgage, and no suit or other proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the real estate therein and hereinbefore described will be sold at public vendue by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 27th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day to the highest bidder for cash to pay the amount which shall then be due on the debt secured by said mortgage, including Fifty ($50) Dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption as allowed by law.

Dated St. Paul, Minnesota, February 2, 1922.

HOLLAM COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Christofferson, Walsh, Christofferson and Jackson,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
621 Endicott Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
F-9-16-23-M-2-9-16

AUCTION SALE

I have rented my farm and will sell at public auction my full line of stock, farm machinery, tools, etc., on what is known as the Lom place in Section 16, Smiley Township, six miles southeast of Thief River Falls on the south side of the river. Teams coming from the north side of the river and east of Thief River Falls, can cross the ice on the road between Sections 10 and 15, near the Wood farm.

Tuesday, March 21

at 11:00 o'clock a. m.

Horses, Cattle, Etc.

Two registered Percheron mares, black, ages 7 and 9 this spring, wt. about 3200 lbs.
One registered Percheron mare, grey, 1 year old, wt. about 1800 lbs.
One sorrel mare, 7 yrs. old, wt. about 1250 lbs.
One bay gelding, 9 yrs. old, wt. about 1400 lbs.
Seventeen head of milch cows, 5 fresh now others will be fresh soon. This includes 8 high grade Holsteins, all young cows.
Several calves and young stock.
One young Duroc boar.
Three young hogs.
Thirty purebred Wyandotte hens and pullets.
Seven geese.

Machinery, Etc.

Heavy 5-horse gas engine mounted on all steel truck.
One gas engine.
One Deering binder on trucks, 8-ft. cut.
One 22-disc Van Brunt drill with grass seed attachment.
One Emerson gang plow, new shares.
One Case sulky plow with extra breaker bottom.
One McCormick mower, 5-ft. cut.
One hay rake, 10-ft.
One sweep rake.
One hay stacker.
One International 7½ ft. spring tooth cultivator on wheels.
One corn planter with 80 rods wire.
One 4-section lever harrow.
One 4-horse disc.
One Success manure spreader.
One fanning mill.
One 9-in. burr feed grinder.
One wood sawing outfit with 30-in. silver steel saw.
One Automatic waterer for hogs or sheep. Does not freeze.
One hog feeder.
Four sets heavy harnesses.
One single harness.
One wagon with triple box.
One truck wagon.
One light cream wagon.
Two buggies.
One combination hay and stock rack.
One U. S. Cavalry saddle.
One DeLaval cream separator.
One grindstone.
One wire stretcher for woven wire.
Minnesota No. 13 home grown seed corn.
Many other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS—All sums under $10.00 cash; over that amount bankable paper due November 1, 1922.

E. F. FRANKLIN
OWNER
W. J. LaBREE, Auctioneer CITIZENS' STATE BANK, Clerk

Auction Sale

I will sell at Public Auction on the G. J. Skomedal farm, Southwest Quarter of Section 26, Town of Excell, 1 mile east and 6 miles north of Thief River Falls and 2 miles east of Steiner

Tuesday, March 21

at 11:00 a. m., the following personal property:

CATTLE
One black horse, 14 yrs. old, wt. 1350
One black horse, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1250
One bay mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1400.
HORSES
One Holstein cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh next September.
One red cow, 3 years old.
Two Shorthorn heifers, 3 yrs. old, fresh in April.
One red heifer, 3 yrs. old, fresh in April.
One Holstein heifer, 3 yrs. old, fresh in April.
One Guernsey heifer, 3 yrs. old, fresh in April.
One Holstein heifer, 2 years old.
One registered Shropshire ram.
Three registered Duroc-Jersey brood sows, will farrow latter part of March.
Fifty chickens.
One good cattle dog.
One 1917 Chevrolet 5-passenger touring car.
MACHINERY
One McCormick mower.
One 18-shoe Peoria drill.
One 17-shoe Van Brunt drill.
One 10 foot Deering hay rake.
One 13 inch Moline gang plow.
One 14 inch John Deere gang plow.
One 14 inch John Deere prairie breaker.
One Moline 12 disc harrow.
One wide tire wagon with box.
One narrow tire wagon.
One pair bob sleighs.
One 4-horse harrow.
One single buggy.
One cultivator.
One Van Brunt grain seeder.
One DeLaval cream separator.
One Hero fanning mill.
One road scraper.
One 3-barrel water tank.
Two row boats.
One pair light harness.
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
One davenport.
Two cook stoves.
One cupboard.
One center table.
One dining room table.
And many other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

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Torbjorn Skomedal
C. M. EVENSON, Auctioneer.
FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.

THIEF RIVER STUDENT FIRST PRIZE WINNER IN JOURNAL CONTEST

Leigh Anderson's Essay on "Our Mutual Friend" Selected as Best Among More Than 200 Submitted From All Over State.

Leigh Anderson of Thief River Falls, 13-years-old son of County Auditor and Mrs. T. P. Anderson, and a student at the junior high school in this city, was awarded first prize in the Minneapolis Journal's contest for the best essay written on "Our Mutual Friend," Dickens' novel. He chose "John Harmon" as the most interesting character in the novel, giving the following reasons for his choice:

"John Harmon is, in my mind, the most interesting character in the

LEIGH ANDERSON

book for various reasons. His personality is extremely pleasing to the reader and his determination to win Miss Wilfer by love, instead of buying her affection with the immense fortune left him, is surely an admirable quality. Allowing his friends to believe that he is drowned, and the fact that he was willing to endure numerous unpleasantries to accomplish this, make us see how truly worth-while his character really is. Not many young men of his standing would have accepted the humble secretarial position that Mr. Harmon did in order to become better acquainted with the young lady of his father's choice. The tongue lashings and severe reprimands served upon him, most especially those showered upon him while in the presence of Miss Bella, only strengthen his character and made her not only feel a deep sympathy but also a keen admiration for her benefactor's humble servant, which later developed into the real affection that was so desired by all of the good people in the plot.

"The fact remains that John Harmon did let himself drift into almost dire poverty to win the heart of the one that he loved, and there are not many that would have the stability and will-power to work out a problem like that now, and for this reason he is my favorite character."

Mayor Power of Hibbing Among Notables Defeated

Among the surprises of Tuesday's election was the defeat of Victor L. Power as mayor of Hibbing. His opponent, John H. Gannon, a young attorney, beat him by a decisive majority. Every member of the present village administration who was up for re-election, with the one exception of Thomas P. Brady, municipal judge, was snowed under. Power has been president of the largest and richest village in the country continually since 1913.

Young Man in Trouble.

James Iverson of Erie, was on Thursday brought before Judge N. W. Tarrant in municipal court on a complaint charging illegitimacy sworn out by a young woman residing in the same township. Defendant failed to put in an appearance but was represented by council. Judge Tarrant bound him over to the grand jury under $500 bail, which was furnished.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN	
Wheat, No. 1 Northern	$1.25
Wheat, No. 2 Northern	1.21
Flax, per bu.	2.21
Barley, per bu.	.40
Oats, per bu.	.23
Rye, per bu.	.82
FLOUR AND FEED	
Flour, per cwt.	1.50
Cracked corn, per 100 lb. bags	1.30
Whole corn, 100 lb. bags	1.25
Oil Meal	2.00
Bran and Shorts	1.40
POULTRY	
Geese, per lb.	.16
Old Roosters	.16
Hens, heavy	.15
Hens, light	.10
Spring Chickens, per lb.	.19
PRODUCE	
Eggs, per doz.	.20
Dairy Butter, per lb.	.30
Creamery butter, per lb.	.12
Cow hides, No. 1, per lb.	.05
Horse hides	$1.00-$2.00
Calf hides	.06
STOCK MARKET	
Lamb, dressed, per lb.	.15
Pork, dressed, per lb.	[illegible]
Veal, dressed, per lb.	[illegible]
LIVE STOCK	
Steers, per lb.	.05
Calves, per lb.	.05
Cows, per lb.	.04

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Representative Hemstad Hospital Patient Here

Representative A. J. Hemstad, who was a patient at Physicians' hospital in this city for two or three weeks returned to his home near Plummer last week, somewhat improved in health. He does not feel equal to the stress and worry of a campaign, however, and asked that his name be not placed in nomination at the convention of the Non-partisan league voters in this city last Saturday. Mr. Hemstad is serving his first term, having been elected two years ago.

Canada a Disappointment; Returns Here to Remain

Eric Rudd, who left this neighborhood about a year ago after having sold his farm in Sanders township, returned Saturday night from Eagle Hill, Sask., near which place he moved with the intention of locating. He says that region cannot compare with the country around Thief River Falls and is convinced that anyone who leaves this region for the purpose of making a home in that part of Canada is making a mistake. Mr. Rudd states that Pennington county looks better to him that ever now that he has had an opportunity of inspecting what other communities have to offer and he has decided to make his future home here.

Red Lake County Spud Show Held at Plummer

The second annual Red Lake county potato show was held at Plummer Friday and was a most successful event. Entries were received up to noon. Exhibits were judged at one o'clock by Prof. T. M. McCall of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, with O. K. Berget, manager of the Red River Valley Certified Seed association, and A. G. Tolaas, manager of the State Potato Certification board, assisting. Afterwards Mr. Berget talked on Red River Valley potato problems, and Mr. Tolaas spoke on potato diseases. Mr. McCall spoke on potato warehousing and storage problems and County Agent L. M. Bond spoke on local warehousing problems.

In the evening slides and motion pictures of potato growing methods and problems were shown at the village hall.

Obituary

Severt J. Egenes.

Last Friday night occurred the death of Severt J. Egenes. Deceased was taken suddenly ill while at work in the Craik blacksmith shop on Wednesday, and the same night was taken to the hospital and an operation performed. The ailment was of such a nature, however, that he failed to rally and died as above stated. Mr. Egenes was born in Stavanger, Norway, 42 years ago. He had been a member of the local fire department and the Odd Fellows' lodge for a number of years, and was a highly respected citizen. His wife and three children survive. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Zion Lutheran church, with interment at Greenwood cemetery. A large number of friends of the family were present at the funeral, members of the fire department and the Odd Fellows' lodge attending in a body.

WANTED—Clean cotton rags, free from buttons and hooks. Highest price paid.—The Times.

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Auction Sales

Thornjorn Skomedal will hold a public sale of personal property on the G. J. Skomedal farm, southwest quarter of Excell township, one mile east and six miles north of Thief River Falls and two miles east of Steiner, on Tuesday, March 21, at which time the following personal property will be offered:

Three horses, two cows, two Shorthorn heifers, two Holstein heifers, one red heifer, one Guernsey heifer, registered Shropshire ram, three registered Shropshire brood sows, will farrow latter part of March; 50 chickens, good cattle dog, 1917 model Chevrolet touring car, McCormick mower, 18-shoe Peoria drill, 17-shoe VanBrunt drill, 10-foot Deering hay rake, 13-inch Moline gang plow, 14-inch John Deere gang plow, 14-inch John Deere prairie breaker, Moline 12-disc harrow, wide tire wagon with box, narrow tire wagon, pair bob sleighs, 4-horse harrow, single buggy, cultivator, VanBrunt grain seeder, DeLaval cream separator, Hero fanning mill, road scraper, 3-barrel water tank, two row boats, one pair light harness, Davenport, two cook stoves, cupboard, center table, dining room table and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free lunch at noon. The usual terms will be offered. C. M. Evenson, auctioneer; First National Bank, clerk.

On Tuesday, March 21, E. F. Franklin will hold a public sale at his farm in section 16, Smiley township, six miles southeast of Thief River Falls on the south side of the river, when he will offer the following personal property to the highest bidder:

Two registered Percheron mares, black, coming 7 and 9 years old this spring, weighing about 3200 pounds; one registered percheron mare, grey, one year old, weight about 1800 pounds; sorrel mare, 7 years old, weight about 1250 pounds; 17 head of milch cows, five fresh now, others will freshen soon; lot includes 8 high grade Holsteins, all young cows; several calves and young stock; one young Duroc boar, three young hogs, 30 purebred Wyandotte hens and pullets. Also the following articles of machinery, etc.: heavy 5-horse gas engine, mounted on trucks, 8-foot cut; 22-disc Van Brunt drill with grass seed attachment; Emerson gang plow, new shares; Case sulky plow with extra breaker bottom, McCormick mower, 6-foot cut; 10-foot hay rake, sweep rake, hay stacker, International 7½ foot spring tooth cultivator on wheels, corn planter with 80 rods wire, 4-section lever harrow, 4-horse disc, Success manure spreader, fanning mill, 9-in. burr feed grinder, wood-sawing outfit with 30-inch silver steel saw, automatic waterer for hogs or sheep—does not freeze; hog feeder, four sets heavy harness, single harness, wagon with triple box, truck wagon, light cream wagon, two buggies, combination hay and stock rack, U. S. Cavalry saddle, DeLaval Cream Separator, grindstone, wire stretcher for woven wire, Minnesota No. 13 home grown seed corn and many articles too numerous to mention.

Free lunch at noon. Usual terms of sale. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer; Citizens' State Bank, clerk.

On Tuesday, March 28, Ernest E. Peterson will hold a public sale of personal property on his place in section 34, Town of Star, three miles west and two miles south of Erie, at which time and place the following personal property will be offered for sale beginning at 11 a. m.:

Three horses, each weighing about 1300 pounds; 8 cows, mostly fresh; four heifers, four calves, Shorthorn bull calf, four months old; 35 spring chickens, 6-foot Acme binder, 5-foot John Deere mower, 10-foot McCormick hay rake, disc, 3-section drag, 14-inch John Deere sulky plow, set bob sleighs, Moline wide tire wagon, single buggy, hay rack, set work harness, single harness, wooden pump, hay slide, some oak posts, some oats, some hay, Economy King cream separator, two rain barrels, kitchen range, kitchen cabinet, dresser, baby buggy, high chair, six chairs, heating stove, bed, couch, cream can and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free lunch at noon and the usual terms of sale. W. J. LaBree, auctioneer, Citizens' State Bank, clerk.

Oscar Borgie will hold a public sale on the Peter Paulson farm, southwest quarter of section 26, town of Rocksbury, one-half mile west of Hazel and 4½ miles east of St. Hilaire, north of the State highway, on Saturday, March 25, at which time the following personal property will be offered for sale: Two red cows, to freshen in October; two red heifers, fresh in June; one cow, fresh in June; [illegible] red heifers, fresh in June; one 15-16 Holstein bull, two years old; one black mare seven years old; Deering binder, 7-ft. cut; 14 single disc drill; 5-ft. Minnesota mower; Deering hay rake, 10-ft.; 16-in. P. & O. sulky plow; 24-in. John Deere disc; Hero fanning mill and elevator; 2-horse John Deere cultivator; Columbia wide tire wagon, complete; truck wagon with iron wheels; two Deere & Webber bob sleighs; 3-section Boss harrow; Moline 1000-lb. scale; 8-in. Stover feed mill; 1½ h.p. Hercules gas engine and pump jack; two buggies; set heavy work harness; hay rack; 50-gal. gasoline barrel; 55-gal. kerosene barrel; 16-in. prairie breaker; 1920 model Ford touring car; three doz. grain sacks, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale commences at 11 o'clock and free lunch will be served at noon. Articles under $15 cash, bankable paper accepted for others. Paul Borgie, auctioneer; Citizens State Bank of Hazel, clerk.

Lars Lian will hold a public sale of personal property on the northwest quarter of section 13 in the town of Rocksbury, 4 miles southeast of Thief River Falls and 4 miles north of Hazel, on Wednesday, March 29, when the following will be offered at auction:

Three horses, each weighing about 1400 lbs.; six Guernsey cows, 3 to 8 years old; six Guernsey heifers, 1 and 2 years old; Guernsey bull, 2 years old; four calves; 8-ft. Milwaukee binder, new; 5-ft. Milwaukee mower; 4½-ft. Deering mower; Ideal grain drill; 14 single disc disc with grass seed attachment; 5-section Boss harrow; Osborne 12-disc; Acme 10-ft. hay rake; Fuller & Johnson 16-in. sulky plow with 14-in. breaker bottom; one-horse cultivator; hay stacker and bull rake; lumber mill, complete; wide-tire wagon; light bob sleigh; mower flax attachment; single buggy; set new heavy harness; set light harness, 18-22 stack cover; [illegible] 16-gal. barrel churn; DeLaval cream separator; 10 tons tame hay; two iron beds and other articles too numerous to mention.

Free lunch at noon. Sums $15 and under, cash; bankable paper on sales over that amount. Paul Borgie, auctioneer; Citizens State Bank of Hazel, clerk.

EYES

Red, scaly and inflamed eyelids are caused by eyestrain; have this condition corrected before it becomes chronic. Save your eyes by wearing perfectly fitted glasses ground for you.

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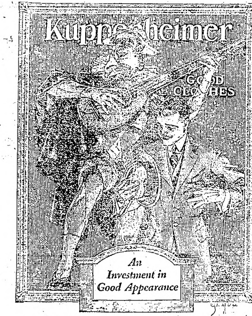

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